

# **CUPID, CUPID-China & Crystal Bolometer for $0\nu\beta\beta$ at CJPL**

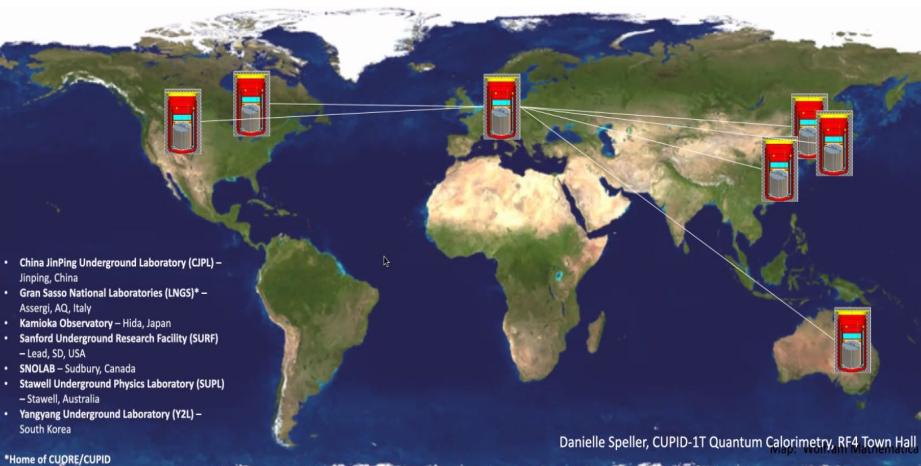
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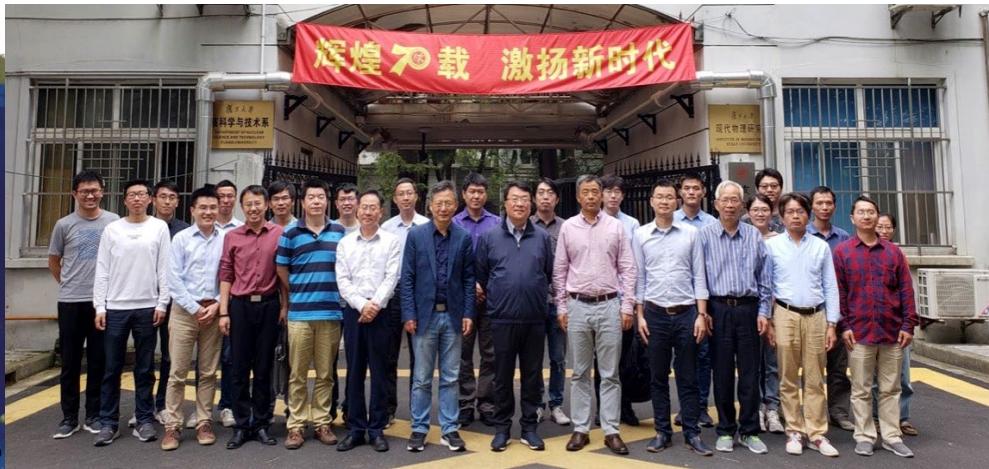
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# CUPID-China Collaboration

## International CUPID collaboration



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**International Collaboration:**  
**CUPID – Italy**  
**CUPID – US**  
**CUPID – France**  
**CUPID – China**

~ 30 institutes, >150 collaborators



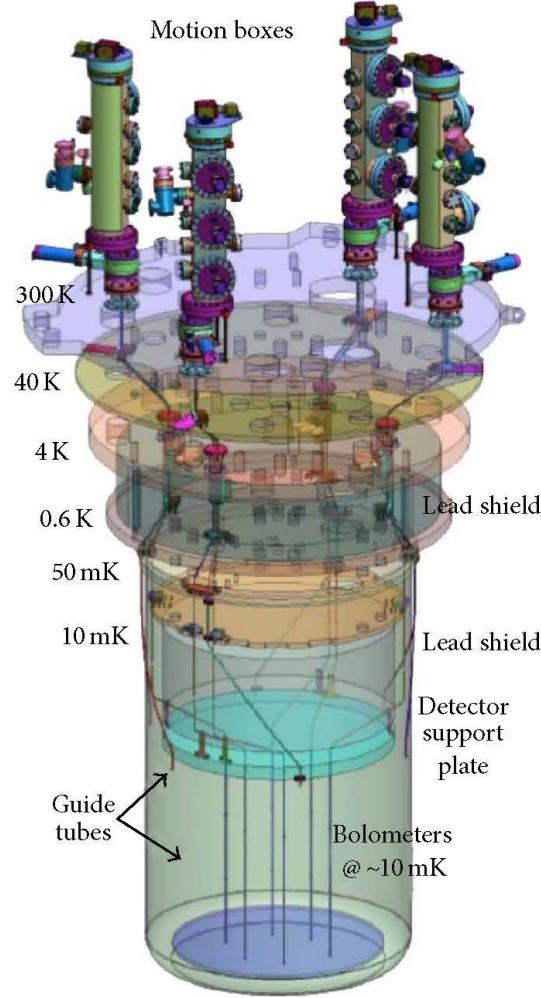
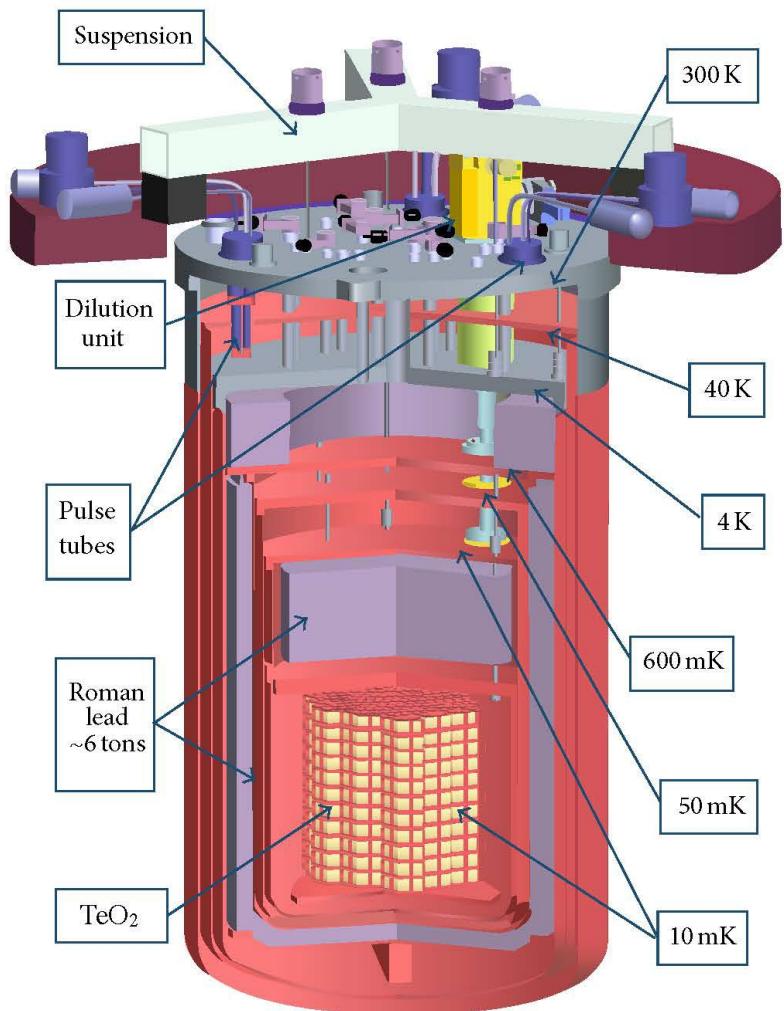
~ 9 institutes  
> 40 collaborators

**CUPID-China is actively collaborating with CUPID- France, Italy and US**

# **Outline**

- 1) CUORE Status and CUPID Plan**
- 2) CUPID-China Plan and R&D Status**
- 3) Plan Towards a CUPID-CJPL Detector**

# CUORE Cryostat



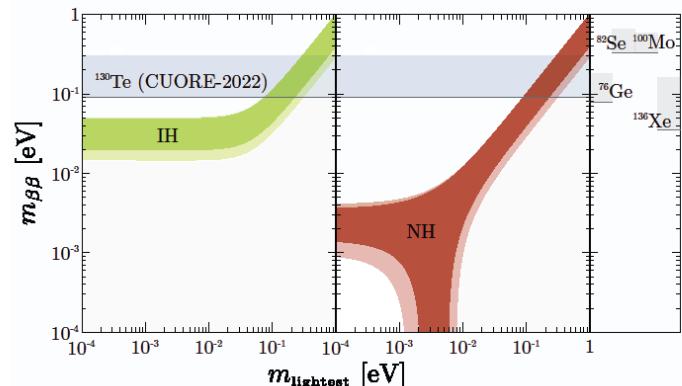
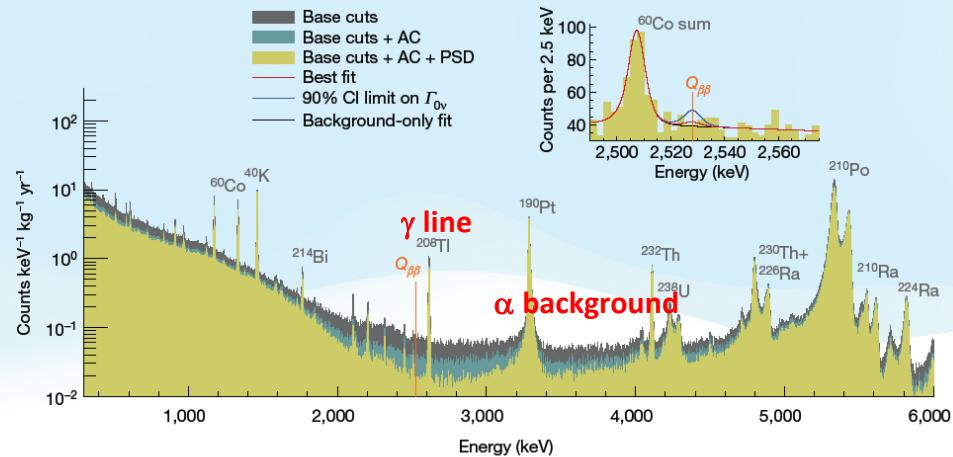
# CUORE 1 ton\*year Data

Nature, 604, 53-58 (2022)

## Search for $0\nu\beta\beta$ Current Status

- No peak found in an exposure of  $1038.4 \text{ kg} \times \text{yr}$  (288 in  $^{130}\text{Te}$ ) at  $Q_{\beta\beta}$
- At  $Q_{\beta\beta}$ :  $(7.8 \pm 0.5) \text{ keV FWHM}$
- BKG:  $(1.49 \pm 0.04) \times 10^{-2} \text{ c/keV/kg/yr}$
- $T_{1/2}(0\nu) > 2.2 \times 10^{25} \text{ yr}$  @ 90% C.I.
- $m_{\beta\beta} > (90 - 305) \text{ meV}$

"Search for Majorana neutrinos exploiting millikelvin cryogenic with CUORE"  
Nature, 604, 53-58 (2022)



Over 2 Ton\*Year now, will reach 3 Ton\*Year in 2024

# From CUORE to CUPID

Key Technologies for the advancement:

1) Heat-light dual readout

Particle Identification of  $\alpha$  and  $\gamma$  background  
-- remove background in the  $\alpha$  region

2) Scintillating LMO Crystals

Mo-100  $0\nu\beta\beta$   $Q_{\beta\beta}$  3034 keV > 2615 keV  $^{208}\text{TI}$

Suppress background by more than two orders of magnitude

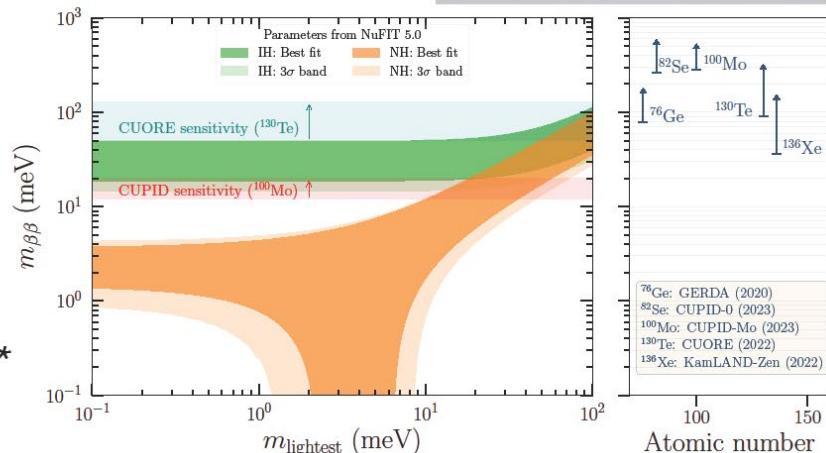
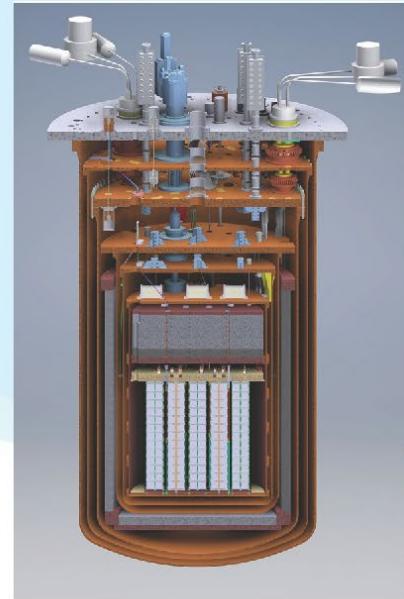
# CUPID

- Since 2021 a collaboration: about 60 IT, 40 US, 25 FR, China, Russia, Ukraine, Spain, for a total of >70 FTE.
- Deploy 472 kg  $\text{Li}_2^{100}\text{MoO}_4$  crystals (**240 kg of  $^{100}\text{Mo}$** )
- Exploit CUORE cryogenic facility (+ its upgrade)
- 5 keV FWHM at  $Q_{\beta\beta}$
- Background goal:  $10^{-4}$  c/keV/kg/yr

## Discovery Sensitivity @ 3 $\sigma$

- $T_{1/2} > 1.1 \times 10^{27}$  yr ( $m_{\beta\beta}$ : 12-20 meV)
- $T_{1/2} > 2.2 \times 10^{27}$  yr ( $m_{\beta\beta}$ : 8.4-14 meV) - *reach\**

(\* *reach*: same parameters but factor 5 improvement on background)



# CUPID Long Term Roadmap

## CUPID Sensitivity

### Baseline

- Mass: 472 kg (**240 kg**) of  $\text{Li}_2^{100}\text{MoO}_4$  ( $^{100}\text{Mo}$ ) for **10 yrs**
- Energy resolution: **5 keV FWHM**
- Background:  **$10^{-4}$  cts/keV.kg.yr**
- Discovery sensitivity  $T_{1/2} > 1 \times 10^{27} \text{ yr}$  ( $3\sigma$ )
- Conservative, limited R&D. Ready to build now

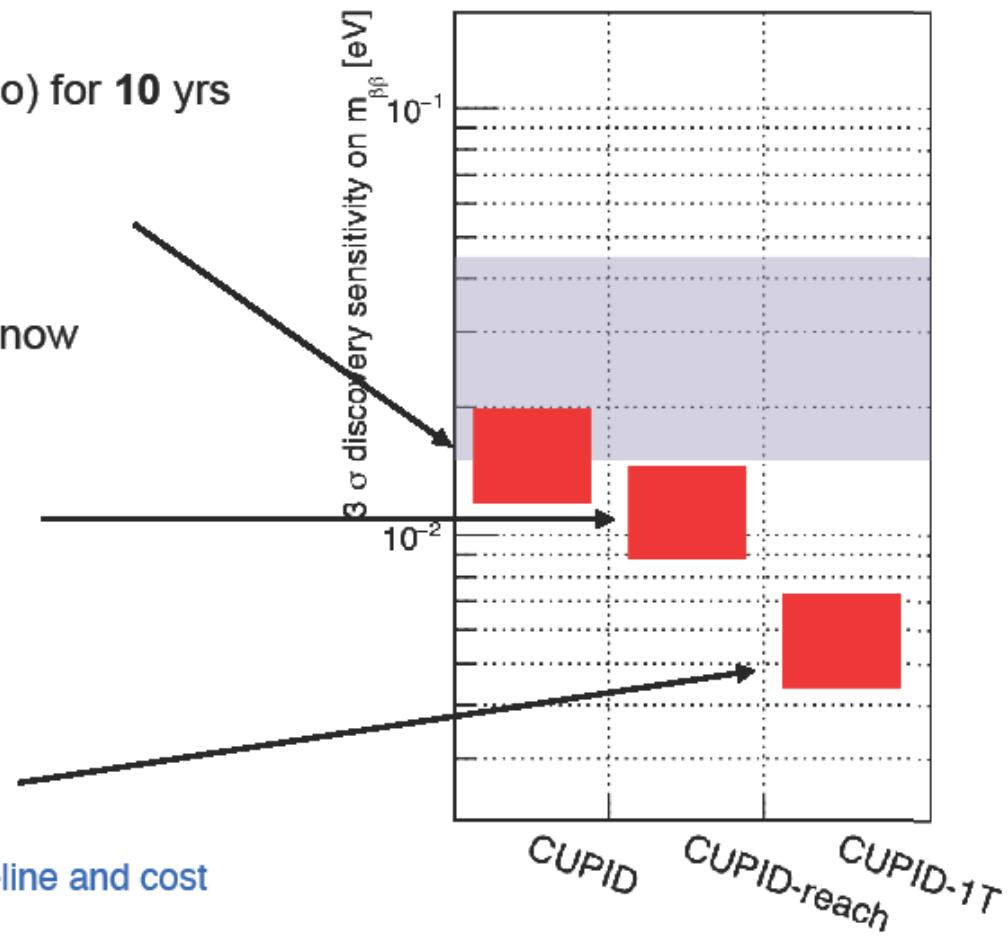
### Reach

- R&D for further background reduction
- Discovery sensitivity  $T_{1/2} > 2 \times 10^{27} \text{ yr}$  ( $3\sigma$ )

### 1-Ton

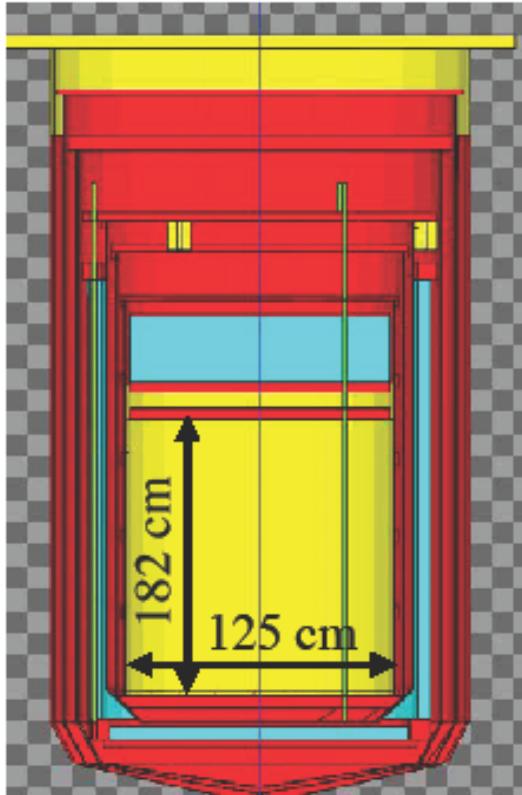
- 1000 kg of  $^{100}\text{Mo}$
- Discovery sensitivity  $T_{1/2} > 8 \times 10^{27} \text{ yr}$  ( $3\sigma$ )

CUPID-1T is within technical reach, limited by timeline and cost  
CUPID sensitivity meets goals of 2015 LRP



**CUPID-CJPL plans for CUPID-Reach-like Detector**

# CUPID-1T Detector Options



1000 kg of  $^{100}\text{Mo}$   
Single large cryostat



4x250 kg of  $^{100}\text{Mo}$   
A “flock” of CUPIDs around the world

**CJPL – Ideal Laboratory for CUPID-1T**

# CUPID-China Collaboration Plan and R&D Status

## 1) Participate in the CUPID Experiment at LNGS

Enriched LMO Crystals – paid by CUPID

Crystal Production QA Testing

(material essay and crystal validation testing)

Contribution to filter and digitization board

(~1千万RMB硬件, ~1千万RMB物理研究国际合作项目)

## 2) Development CUPID-CJPL Detector at CJPL

R&D Project

Aim at sensitivity higher than the CUPID-Baseline

Timeline compatible with CUPID

International partners will participate in CUPID-CJPL too !

# **Major CUPID-China R&D Project**

**LMO Crystal Production and Material QA**  
**SICCAS, Ningbo and SINAP (NSFC)**

**Novel Readout with Transition Edge Sensor**  
**Beijing Normal University, IHEP and others (NSFC)**

**Bolometer Readout Electronics and NTD Development**  
**USTC (MOST)**

**Crystal Testing Lab and Prototype CUPID-Demonstrator Design**  
**Fudan and USTC (MOST)**

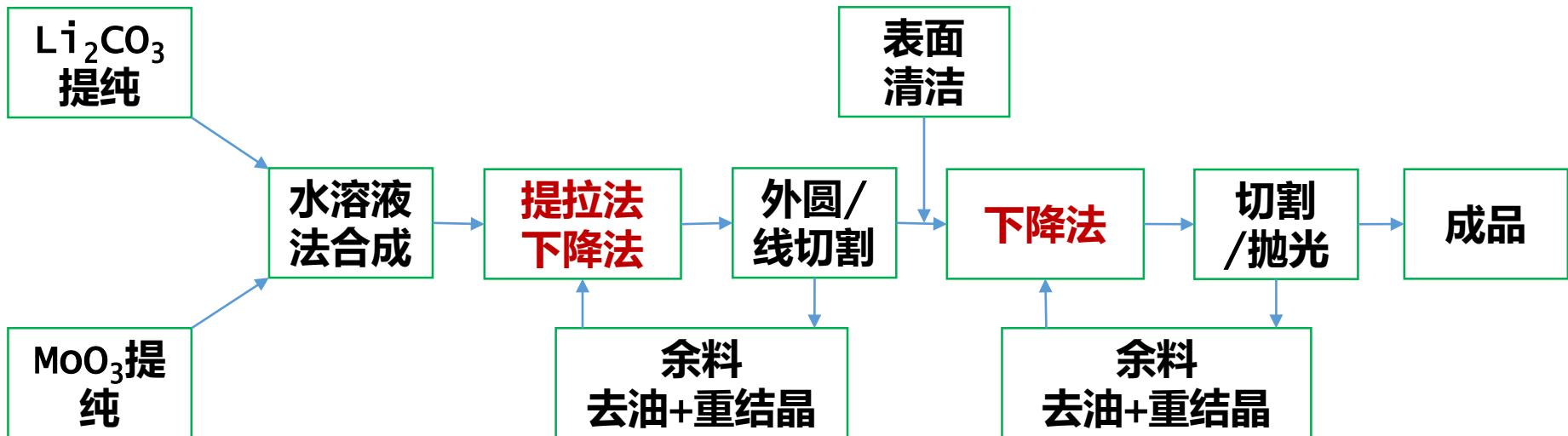
# Crystal R&D Project

SICCAS – 袁辉、朱勇等

宁波大学 – 陈红兵组

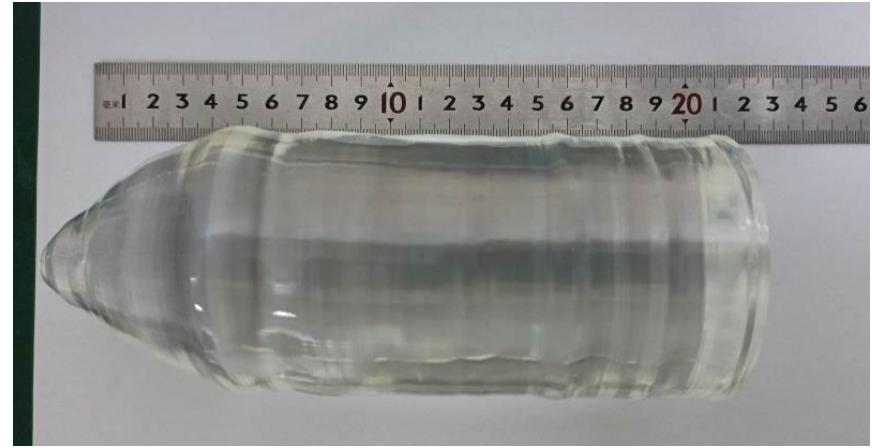
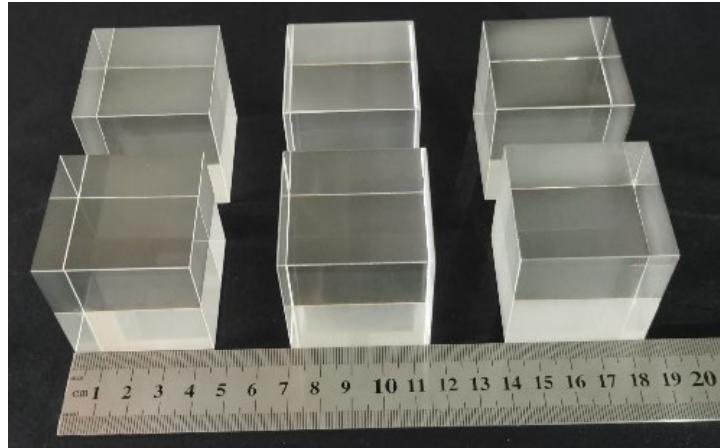
张江实验室/SINAP – 曹喜光、李玉兰等

已经建成制备自然材料的LMO晶体的原料提纯、晶体生长与加工工艺技术  
可以小批量生长CUPID要求尺寸的晶体

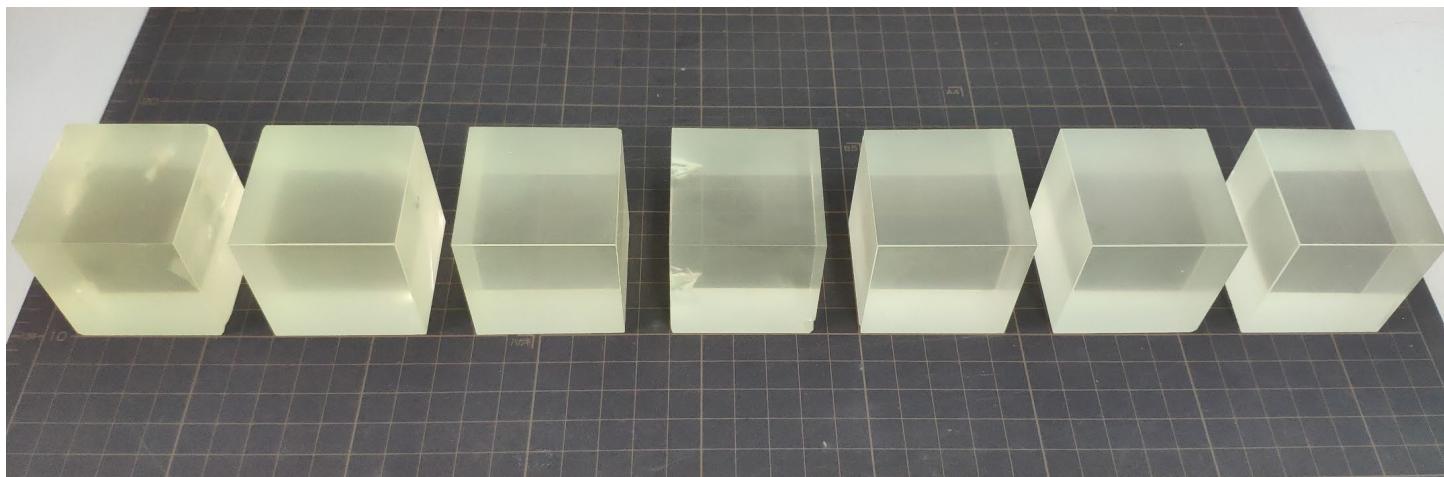


# 晶体生长的提拉法和下降法技术日益完善

提拉法生长的LMO



下降法生长的晶体质量显著提高



# Crystal R&D Future Goals

- 1) 结合提拉法和下降法晶体生长优势，完善晶体批量生长的最佳方案
- 2) 购买公斤级的Mo-100富集材料，研制生产高纯低本底富集晶体
- 3) 探索晶体生长和加工过程中的富集材料回收，再提纯技术工艺，提高富集材料的利用率并保证晶体质量

意大利CUPID合作组原则上同意和CUPID-China合作，推动富集晶体研制，争取6个月内取得初步结果

- 4) 研制闪烁光发光性能优于现有LMO晶体的Mo基晶体 – e.g., NMO 晶体

# TES Readout R&D

北师大刘圆圆教授负责的研究团队（北师大，高能所等）

灵敏的快时间响应读出系统：光探测效率 + 压低事件重叠几率

研制工作温度~10 mK的TES薄膜

AlMn 合金薄膜  
W 薄膜

建立TES模拟系统，探索TES读出系统，优化探测器设计



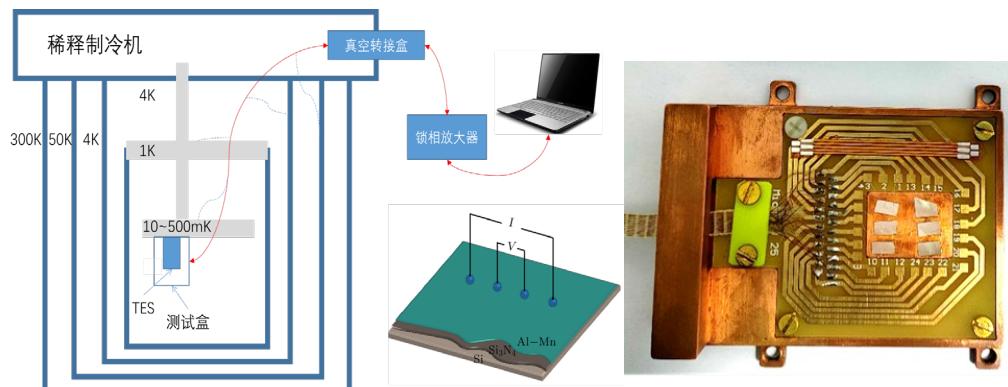
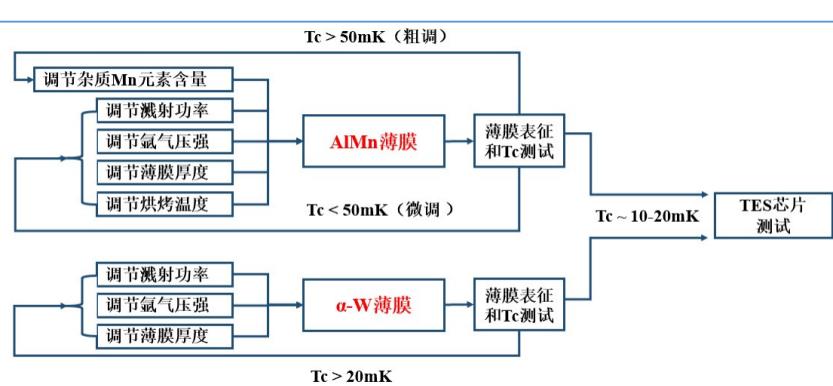
## □ TES薄膜制备及测试

### AlMn合金薄膜

- ◆ 定制了多种Al/Mn不同比例的靶材，研究靶材、薄膜厚度、烘烤温度对Tc的显著影响
- ◆ 确定Tc<50mK所需靶材
- ◆ 通过摸索溅射参数，实现Tc~10-20mK目标

### W薄膜

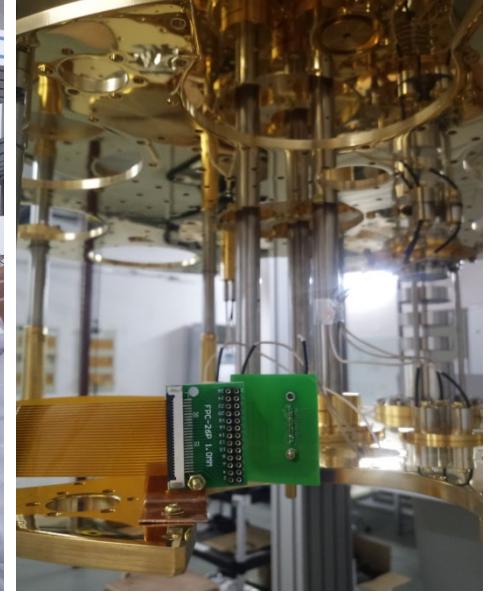
- ◆ 摸索功率、厚度、气压等溅射参数影响，利用退火实验，实现 $\alpha$ -W相薄膜的制备
- ◆ 优化参数，实现Tc~10-20mK目标



薄膜测试

详细请看北师大吕莎莎5/9下午报告

# Cryogenic System at Fudan and USTC

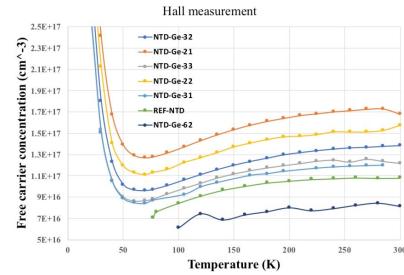
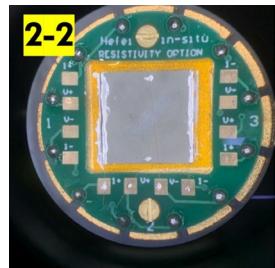
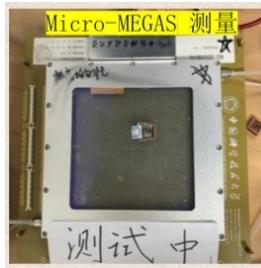
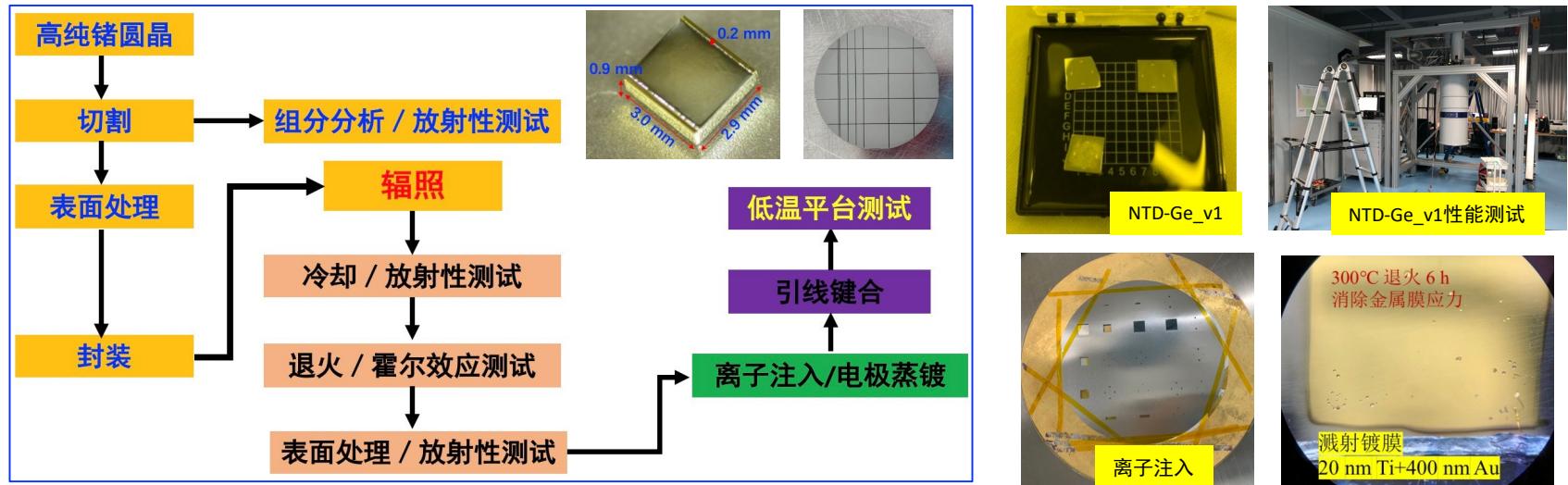


- Fudan-IMP cryogenic system
  - Customized cryostat system
  - Large sample space:  $\Phi 500 \times 600$  mm
  - 2 PT (cooling power  $\geq 1.8\text{W}@4.2\text{K}$ )
  - Radiopure vessel (CuOFE-C10100)
  - Inner shielding support ( $\sim 300$  kg)

USTC – 薛明萱 + 学生  
Fudan – 马龙 + 学生

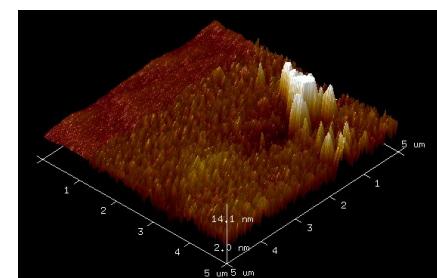
详细请看中科大薛明萱，段德勇，曹嘉璇5/9下午报告

# 深冷低温半导体温度传感器NTD-Ge研制



放射性/中子注量测试

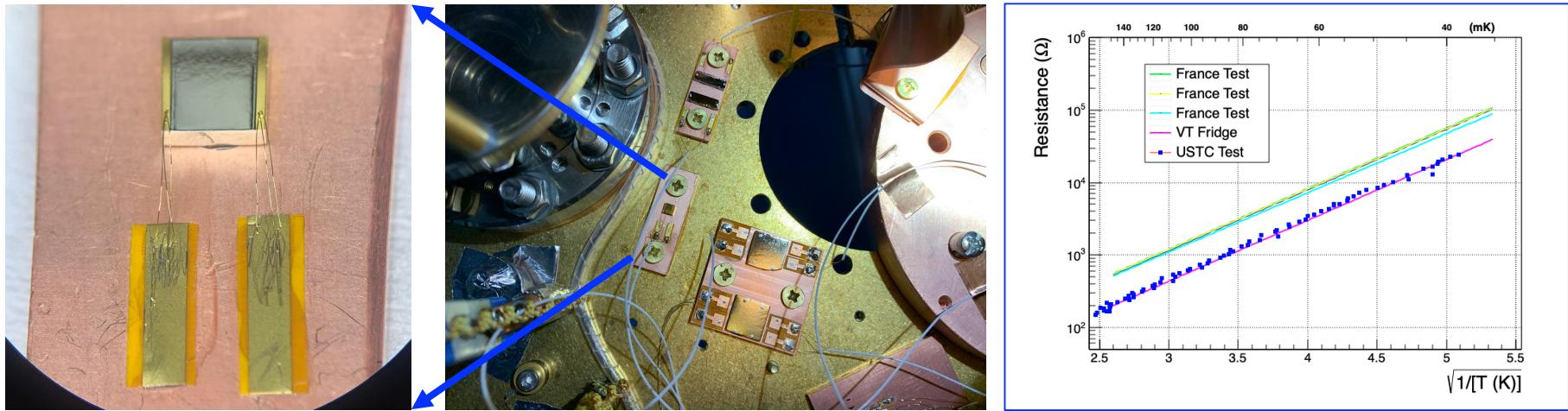
霍尔效应测试



抛光/刻蚀 Rq&amp;Ra&lt;3 nm

# NTD-Ge低温测试平台

- 初步搭建一套NTD-Ge深冷mK低温性能测试平台，获得I-V、R-T曲线
- 对CUPID 41B系列NTD-Ge展开性能测试，获得结果与VT USA、Orsay France等一致



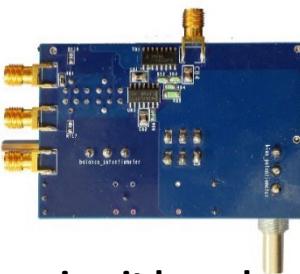
# USTC readout electronics and DAQ

## Front-End Design and Prototyping

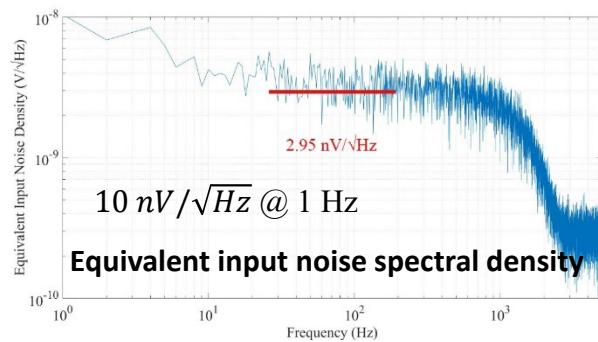
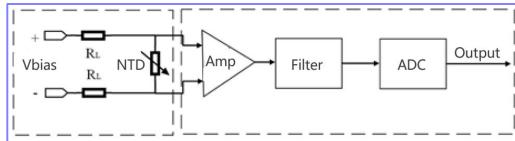
- Circuit module and test\_V1



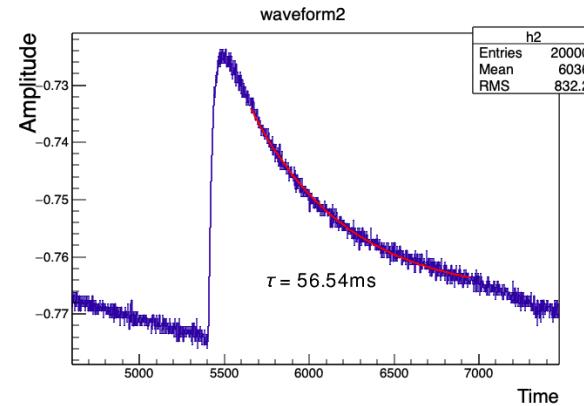
DC bias and pre-amp circuit board



Digital readout board

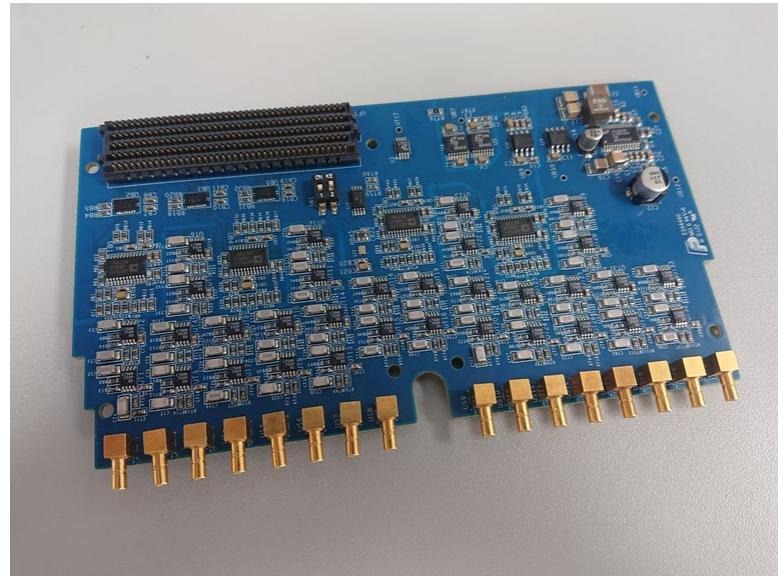
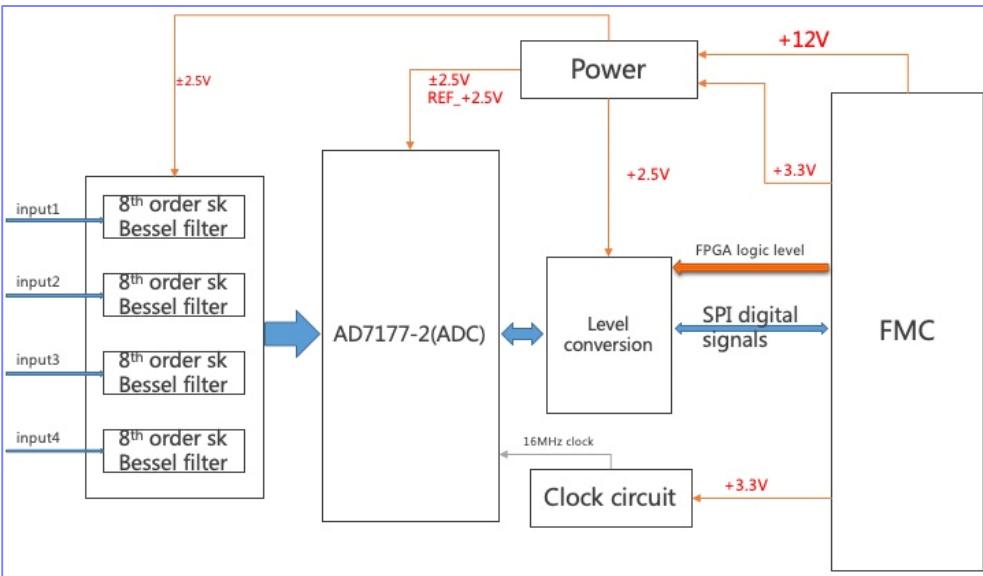


Equivalent input noise spectral density



CMO\_small with USTC electronics in a Leiden DU

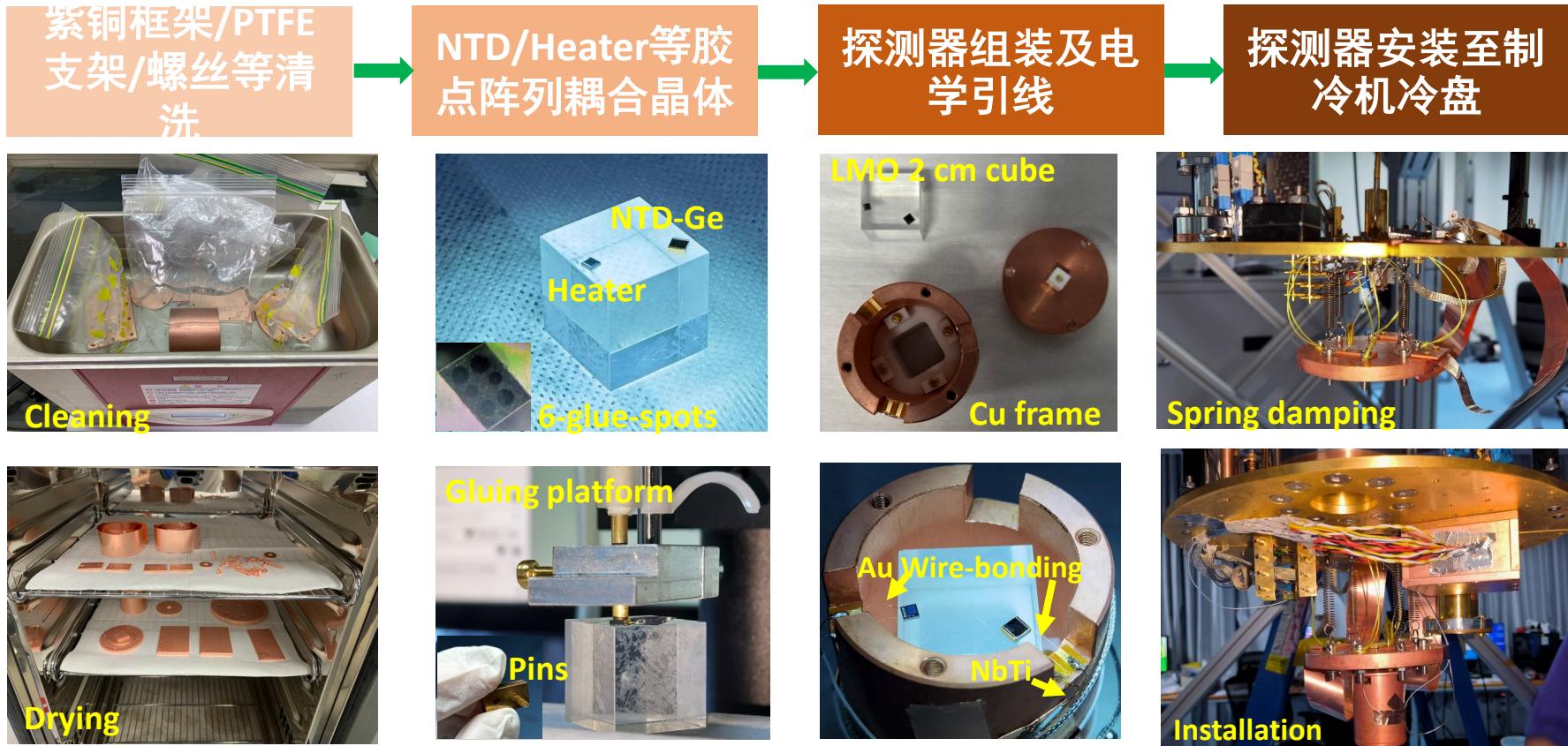
# Bessel Filter and Digitization Board



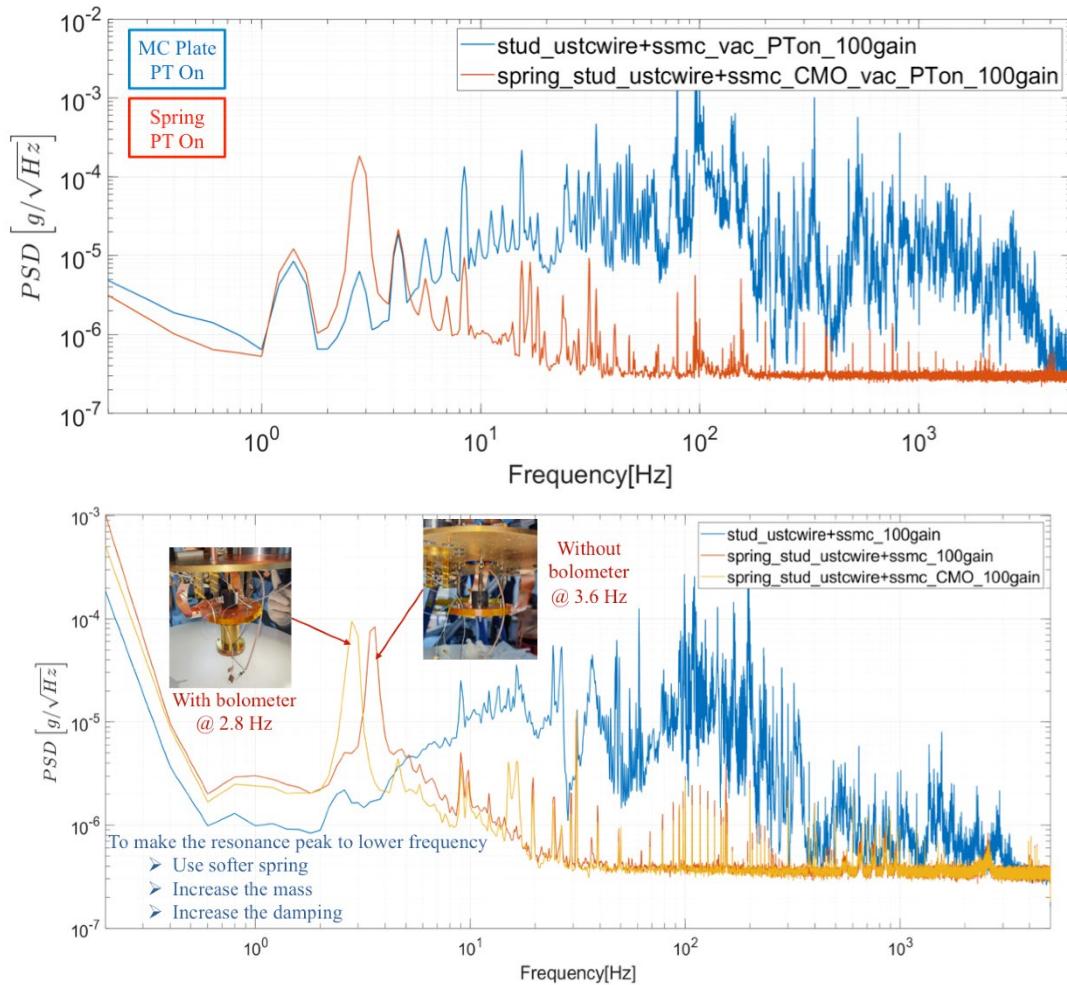
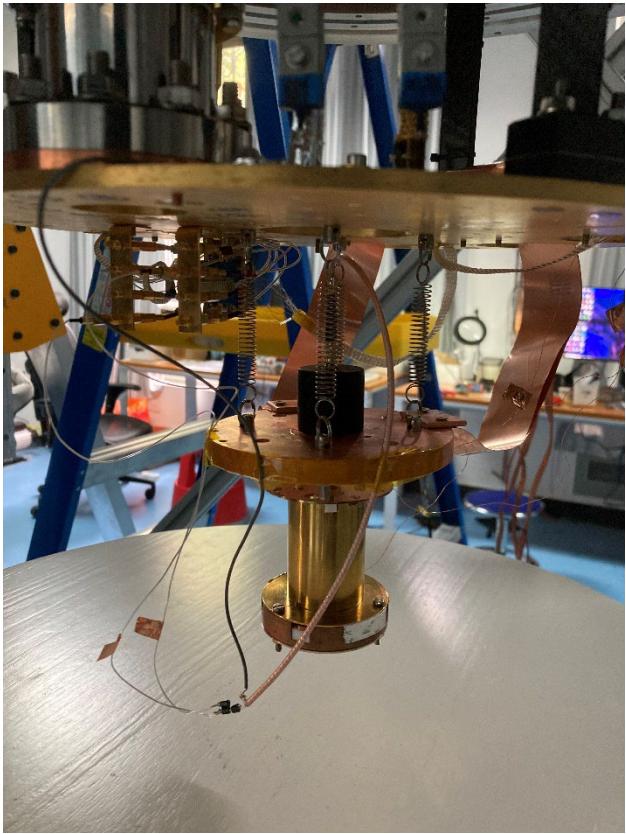
## Low noise front end electronics and read out system of NTD-Ge

- Verify the key circuit design
- lab testing/ with the detector system
- Amp part, more effort next step
- Digital part
  - waiting for lab test, improvement and upgrade

# USTC&Fudan LMO量热器研制



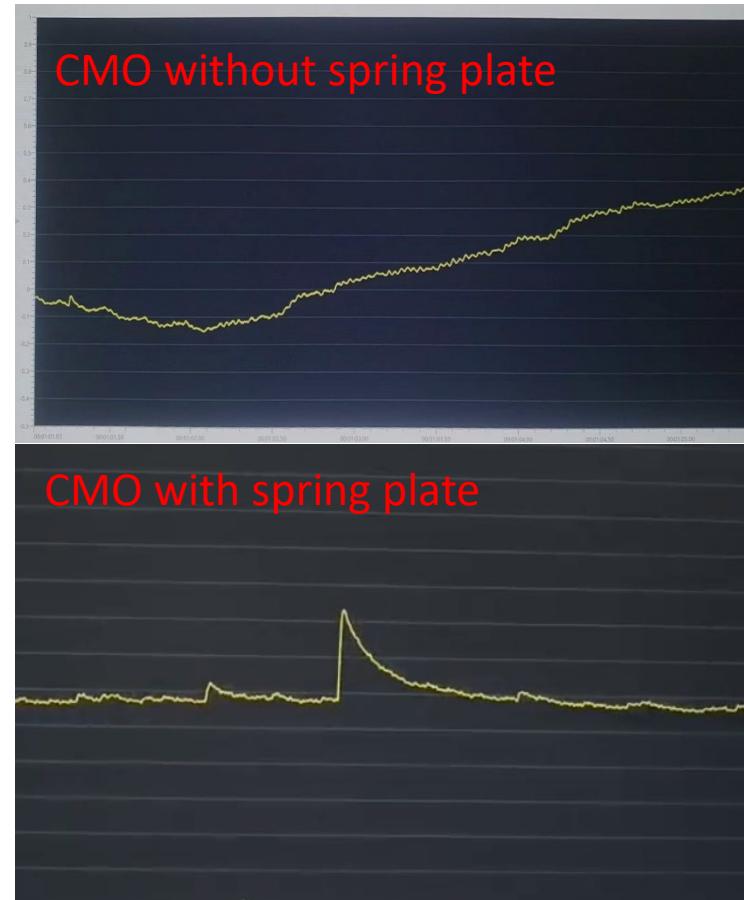
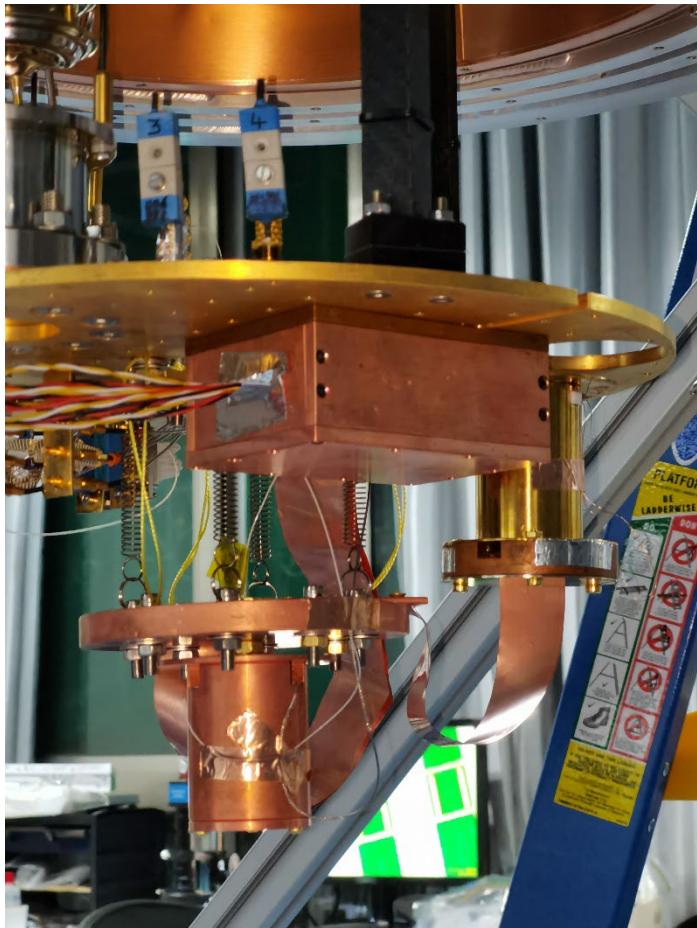
# R&D direction: Vibration damping



- R&D on the spring damping system
  - damping performance evaluated for various frequency regions

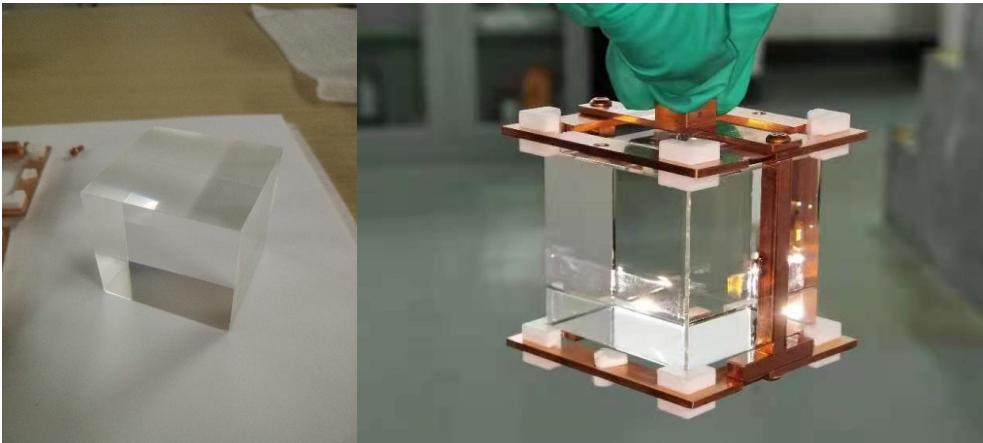
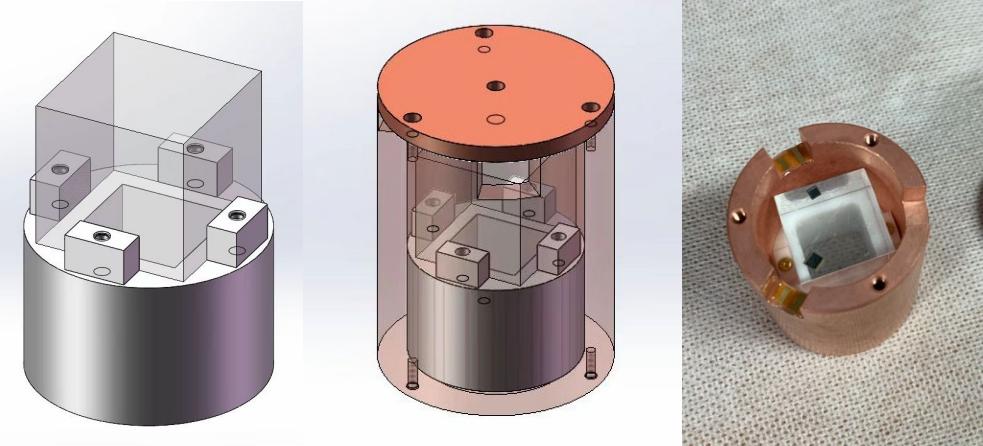
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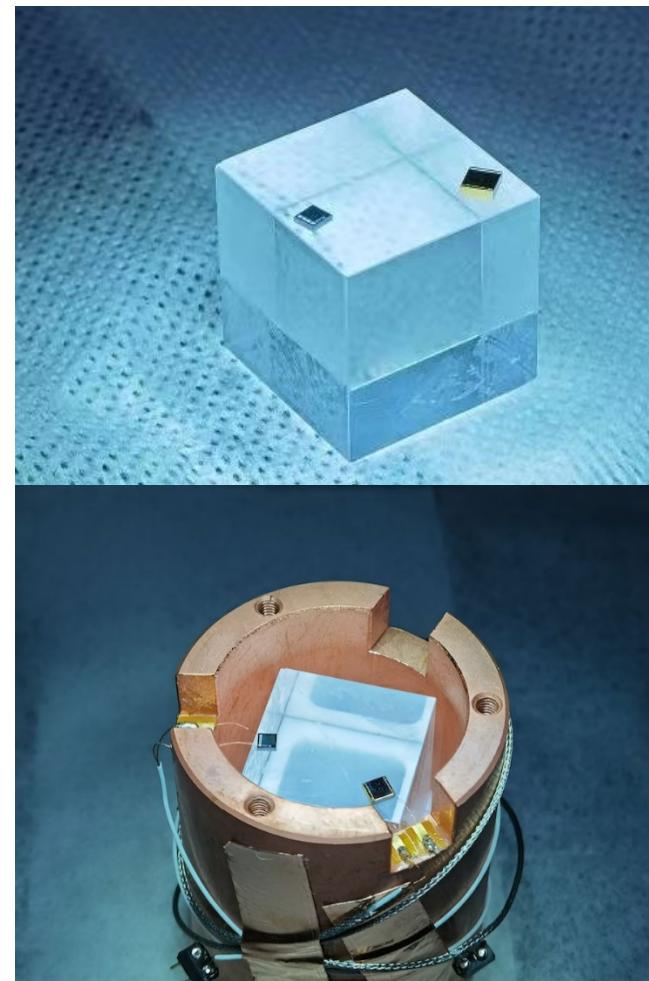
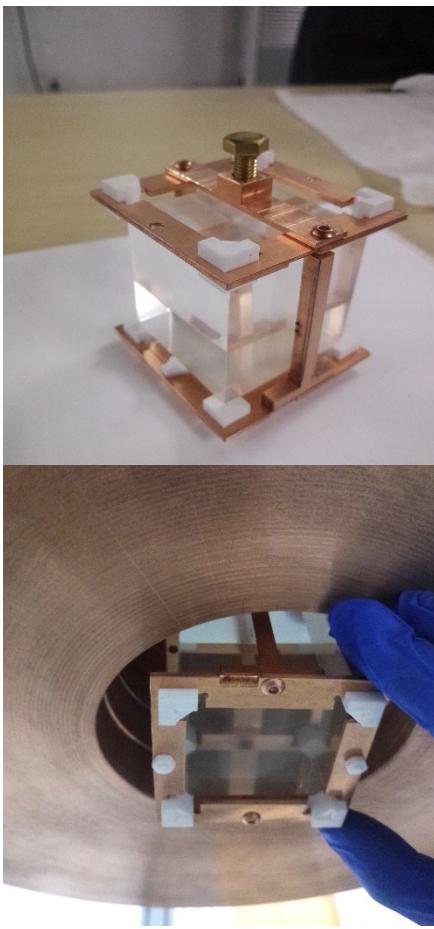
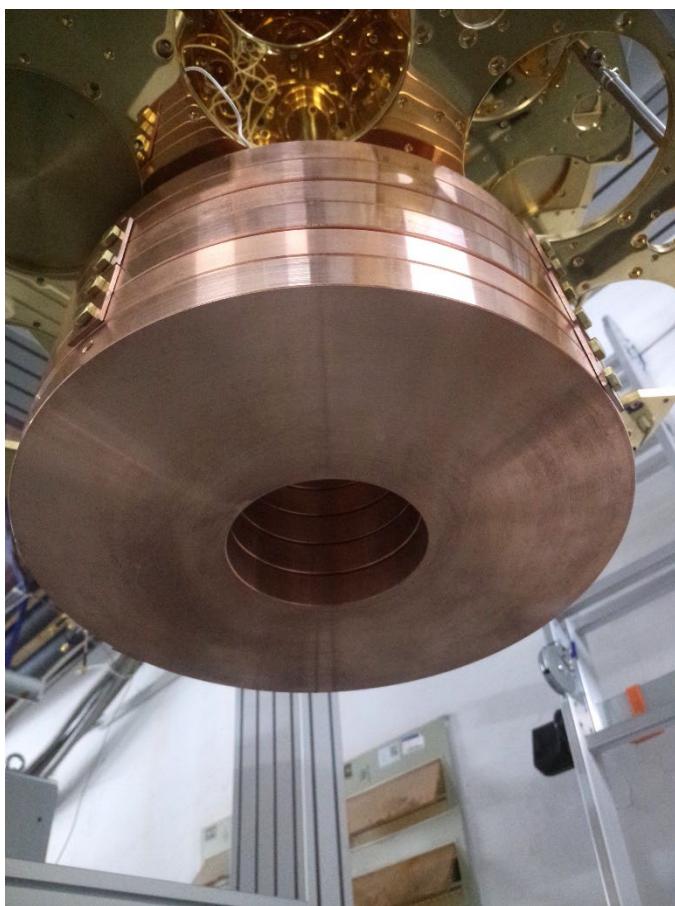
- Bolometer test run for the vibration damping performance study
  - the drifting baseline tend to be stable using spring damping ( $k \sim 500 \text{ N/m}$ )

# R&D direction: Module design



- Different supporting structures for small and standard size crystals

# R&D direction: Crystal test



- Ground test without/with shields in the ground lab

# CUPID-China Status and Plan

## CUPID-China 合作组：

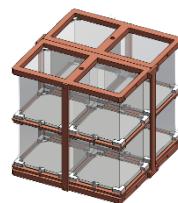
- 1) 可以生长自然丰度的LMO晶体，本底水平满足CUPID实验要求
- 2) 预计近期可以生长和测试富集 $L^{100}$  MO晶体
- 3) 建设低温晶体测试平台，将申请入住锦屏实验室，建立低温低本底无中微子双贝塔衰变物理实验室（2023年底或2024年初）
- 4) 今后两年实现TES快响应读出系统和新型电子学读出系统研制
- 5) 参与CUPID在意大利LNGS的探测器建设；建立在CJPL的国际CUPID-CJPL实验合作组

# CUPID-CJPL Roadmap

## Crystal testing

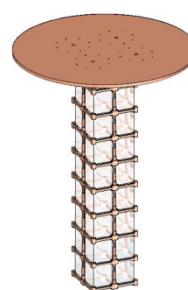
(2022-2025)

6-12 natural crystals



## CUPID-CJPL Demo (2026-2028)

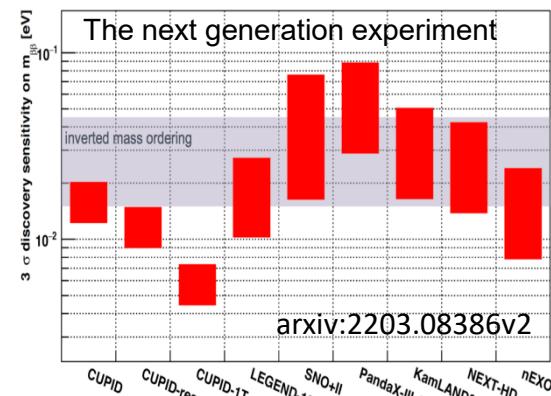
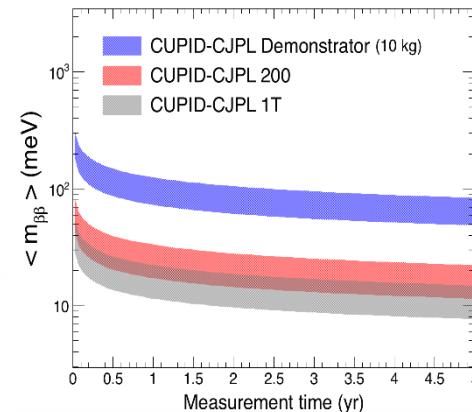
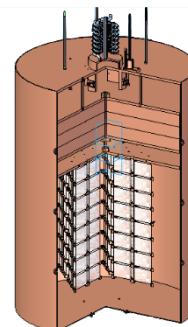
10 kg enriched crystals



## CUPID-CJPL-200/1T

(2028+)

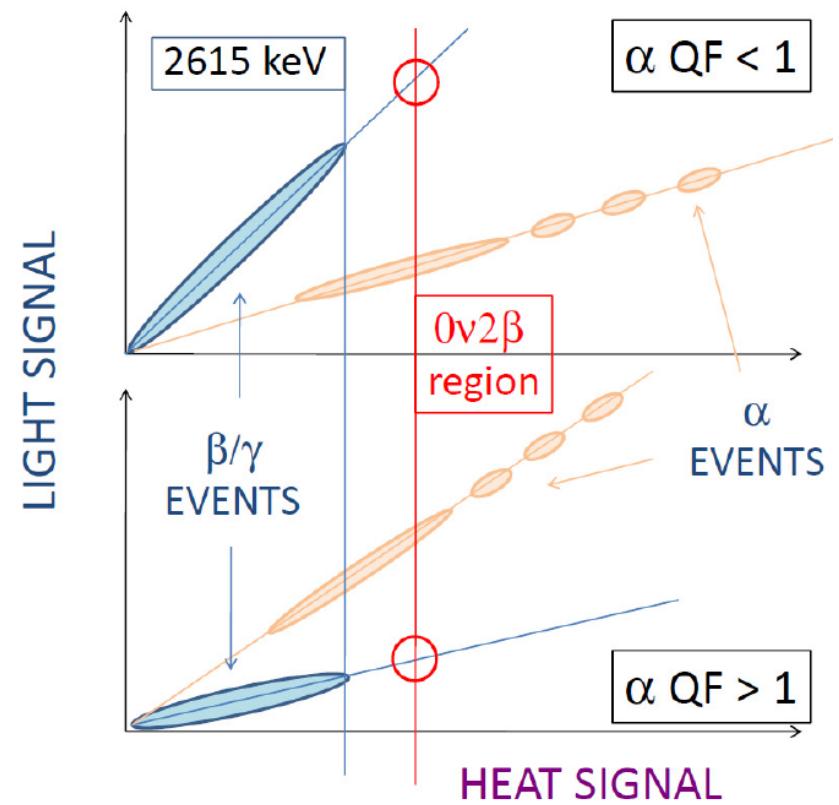
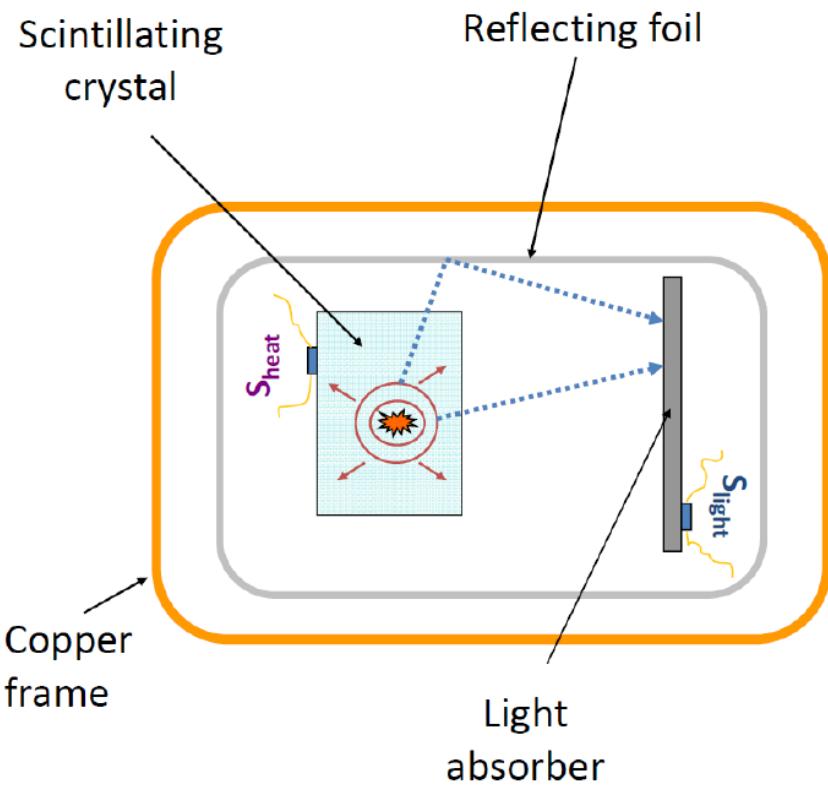
> 250 kg enriched crystals



- 10 kg experiment
  - low enrichment
  - demonstrate key technologies
- 250 kg+ experiment
  - high enrichment
  - probe  $m_{bb}$  down to 10 meV

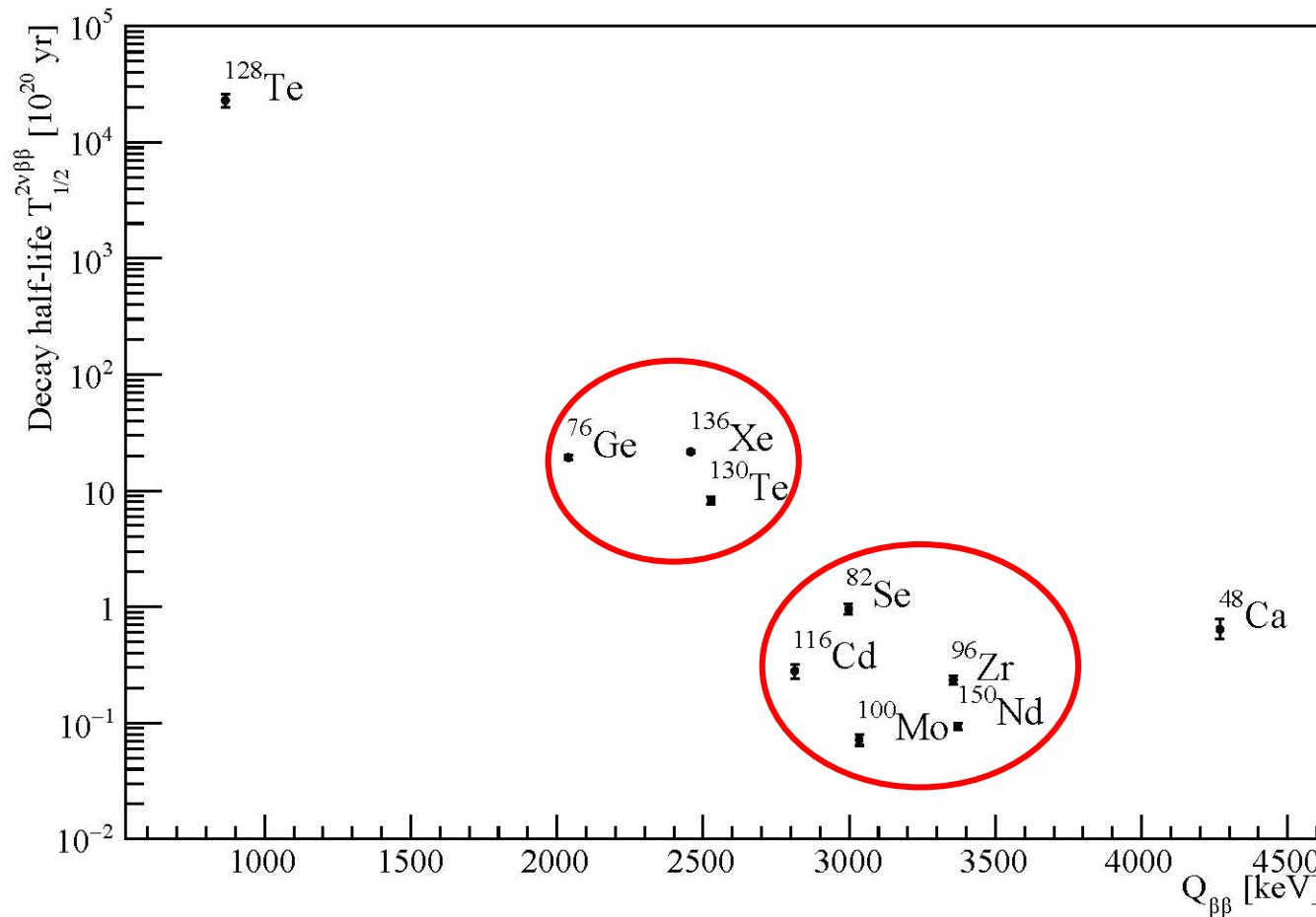
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# Central role of luminescent bolometers in CUPID



# Is there a preferred Isotope for 0vbb search?

Decay Half-lives vs Q-values of  $2\nu\beta\beta$  Decay Isotopes



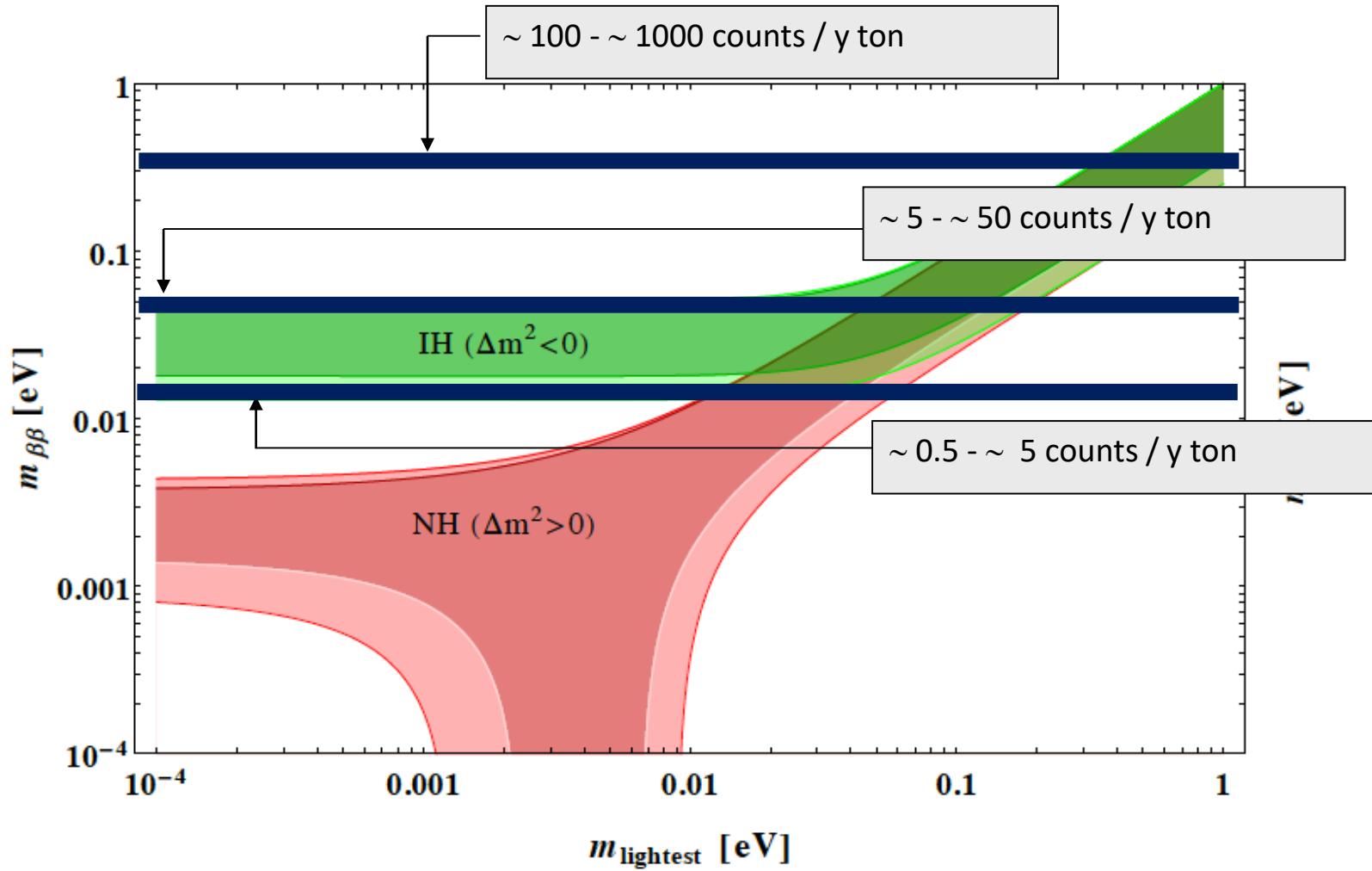
Two groups of isotopes?  $^{130}\text{Te}$  and  $^{100}\text{Mo}$  attractive choice !

# Candidate for Double beta Decays

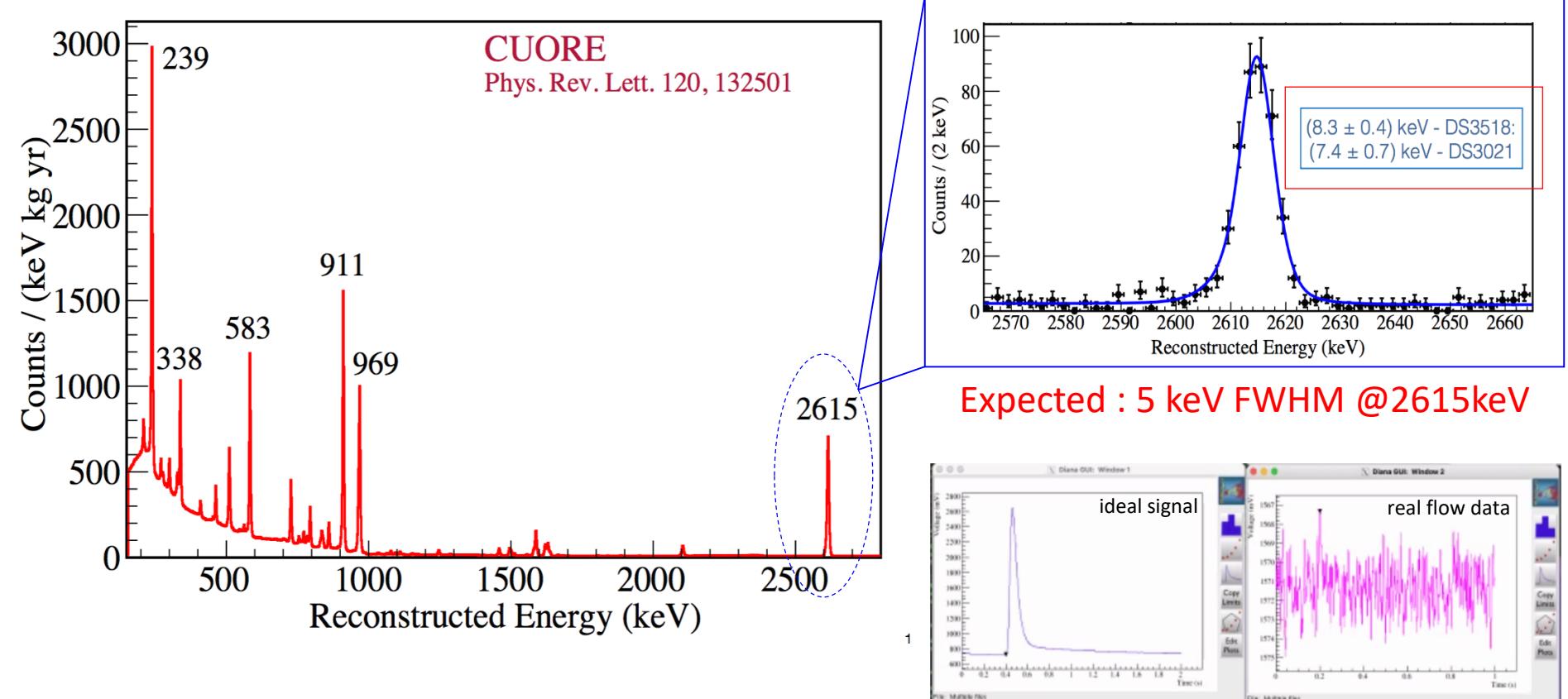
$\gamma$  2615 keV from  $^{208}\text{TI}$  – major background Q (MeV) Abund.(%)

$^{48}\text{Ca} \rightarrow ^{48}\text{Ti}$	4.271	0.187
$^{76}\text{Ge} \rightarrow ^{76}\text{Se}$	2.040	7.8
$^{82}\text{Se} \rightarrow ^{82}\text{Kr}$	2.995	9.2
$^{96}\text{Zr} \rightarrow ^{96}\text{Mo}$	3.350	2.8
$^{100}\text{Mo} \rightarrow ^{100}\text{Ru}$	3.034	9.6
$^{110}\text{Pd} \rightarrow ^{110}\text{Cd}$	2.013	11.8
$^{116}\text{Cd} \rightarrow ^{116}\text{Sn}$	2.802	7.5
$^{124}\text{Sn} \rightarrow ^{124}\text{Te}$	2.228	5.64
$^{130}\text{Te} \rightarrow ^{130}\text{Xe}$	2.528	34.5
$^{136}\text{Xe} \rightarrow ^{136}\text{Ba}$	2.479	8.9
$^{150}\text{Nd} \rightarrow ^{150}\text{Sm}$	3.367	5.6

# Challenges for 0vbb Searches

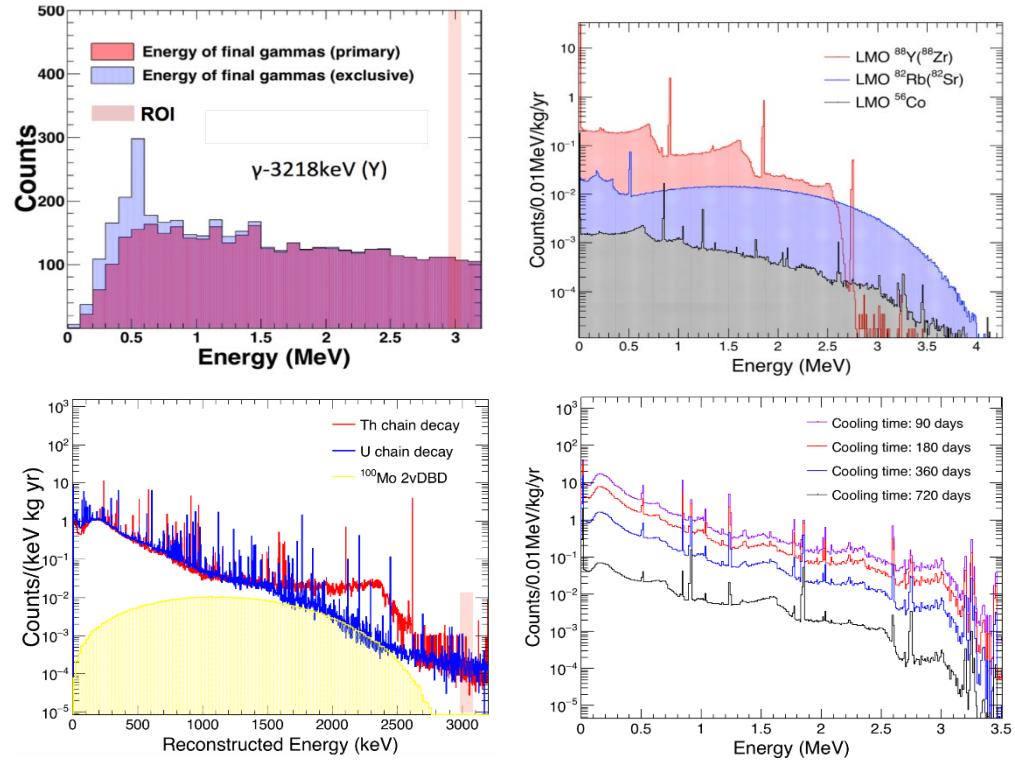
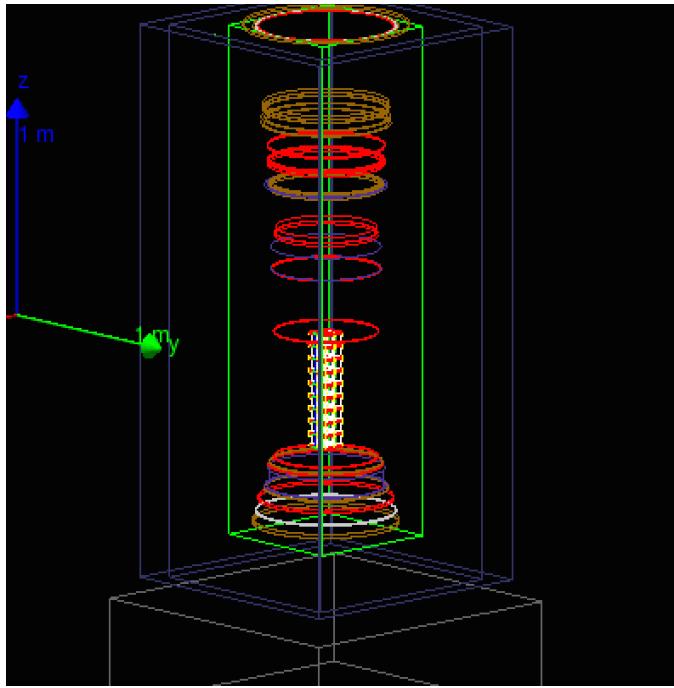


# R&D direction: Vibration damping



- Lessons learned from CUORE
  - vibration noise has non-negligible effect on the energy resolution

# R&D direction: Simulation study



- Geant4-based simulation tool developed for detector simulation
- Systematical studies performed for:
  - environmental background shielding
  - material radioactive background
  - cosmogenic isotope production and background

- Experimental challenge –> **Sensitivity**
- The next generation experiment requires
  - **Better energy resolution**
  - **Lower radioactive background**

$$T_{1/2}^{0\nu}(\text{exp}) = (\ln 2) N_a \frac{a}{A} \varepsilon \sqrt{\frac{MT}{b\Delta E}} \cdot \text{Background level}$$

(count/keV kg year)

Isotopic Abundance →  $\frac{a}{A}$

Detection Efficiency →  $\varepsilon$

Atomic mass →  $N_a$

Detector Mass →  $MT$

Time →  $T$

Energy Resolution →  $b\Delta E$

Background level (highlighted by red circle) →  $\sqrt{\frac{MT}{b\Delta E}}$

**Material selection**

**Vibration mitigation**