

# MUSE Task 5

Design and Construction of a  
Liquid Hydrogen Target

# Overview

- LH2 targets are a known technology
  - LH2 target for MUSE is a basic geometry that has been used at Saclay, LAMPF, TRIUMF, MAX-lab and MAMI.
  - MUSE LH2 - “low-power” target
  - MUSE LH2 – “low-pressure” system
- > Safety and Operating Procedures well-known

# GW Cryogenics Laboratory

## Exploration Hall

### Room 133



# Cryogenics Lab

- Refitting of lab will begin with approval of funding
- Former DC Deputy Chief of Safety and Wellness William Flint - now director of the Office of Health and Safety at GW will assure safe operating environment for all students, staff and faculty.
- Estimate 3 months to bring Lab to operating conditions.
- New shop just completed 25 meters from lab

# Experts Consulted in Preparation of Lab Design and Target Construction

- Kurt Hansen – MAX-lab
- Christopher Keith – JLab
- David Kendellen – Duke
- Greg Smith – JLab
- Andreas Thomas – MAMI

--> provided their actual costs and helpful hints

--> will draw on some of these for consultation

# Cryogenics Lab Staffing

- William Briscoe – Faculty
- TBN – Technician
- William Rutkowski – Chief Machinist
- TBN – Associate Machinist
- TBN – ½ Post-Doc (shared)
- Saif Ahmad – GRA (finishing coursework)
- TBN – GRA (3<sup>rd</sup> year student)
- TBN – Hourly undergraduate as needed

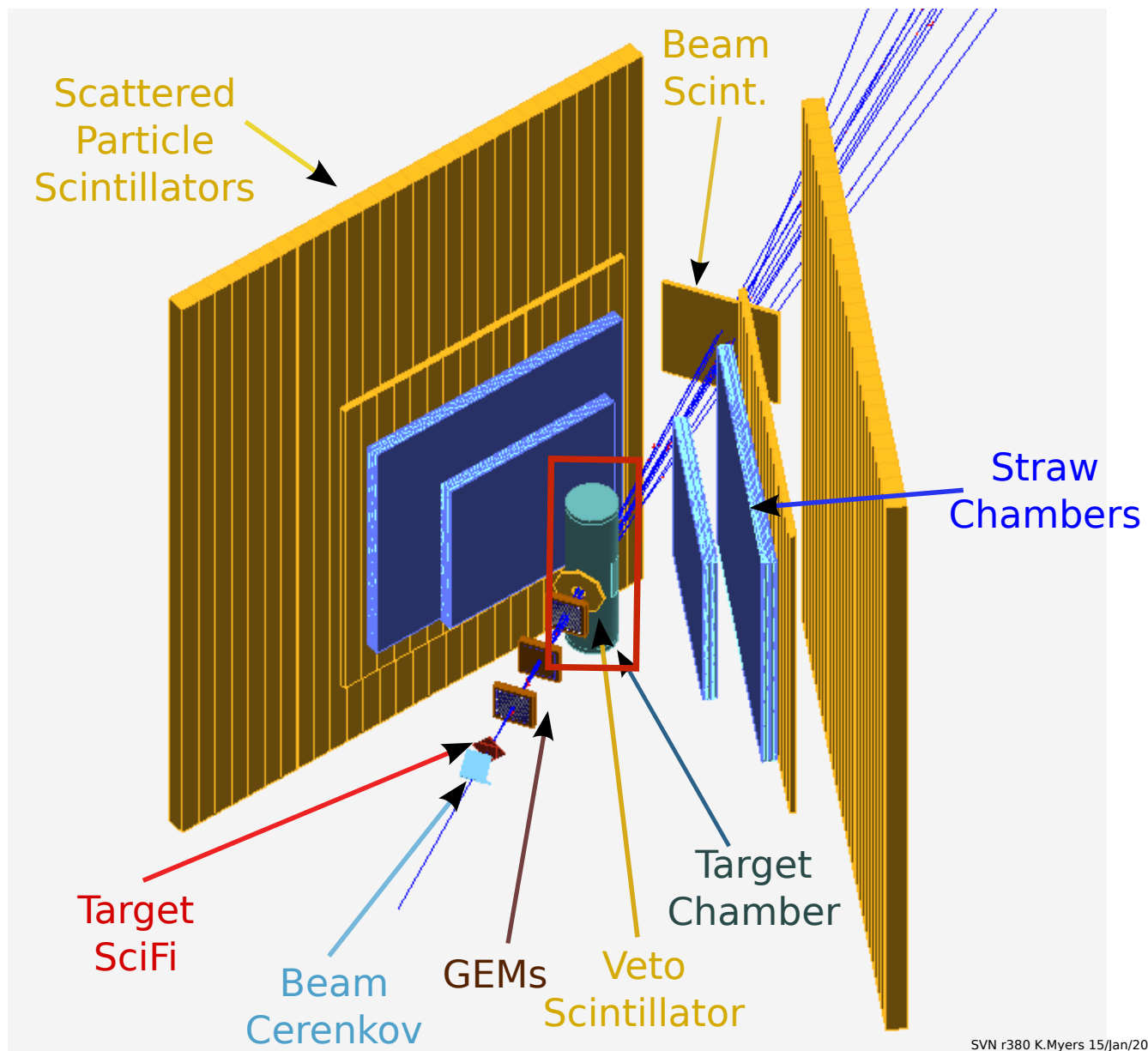
# Work Summary

- Bring Cryolab to Safe Operating State 1-May-2014 1-Aug-2014
- Design Drawings 1-May-2014 1-Aug-2014
- Order Instrumentation, Hardware, and Monitoring Devices 1-Jul-2014 1-Sep-2014
- Order Cryopump - Cold Head 1-Jul-2014 1-Sep-2014
- Order Components of Motion System 1-Jul-2014 1-Sep-2014
- Order Material/Supplies for Scattering Chamber, Cell, Target Ladder, Holders and Railings 1-Jul-2014 1-Sep-2014
- Prototype Cells and Cell Holders Machining and Assembly 1-Sep-2014 1-Nov-2014
- Build Test Stand Chamber 1-Sep-2014 1-Nov-2014
- Pressure, Vacuum, Destructive Tests of Cell Prototypes 1-Nov-2014 1-Jan-2015
- Evaluation - Design Modification 1-Jan-2014 1-Feb-2015

# Work Summary

- Prototype of Modified Cells 1-Feb-2015 1-Mar-2015
- Second Round of Tests - Cold Test of Cells 1-Mar-2015 1-Apr-2015
- Final Review of Design and Modifications 1-Apr-2015 1-May-2015
- Construction of Scattering Chamber 1-May-2015 1-Jul-2015
- Construction of Cells 1-May-2015 1-Jul-2015
- Tests of Cells and Scattering Chamber 1-Jul-2015 1-Sep-2015
- Evaluation - Modifications 1-Sep-2015 1-Oct-2015
- Second Round of Tests of Scattering Chamber and Cells Including motion test and test of emergency conditions 1-Oct-2015 1-Dec-2015
- Evaluation and Readiness Review 1-Dec-2015 1-Jan-2016
- Construct Boxes for Shipping and Packing 1-Jan-2016 1-Feb-2016
- Shipping, Receiving and Unpacking 1-Feb-2016 1-Mar-2016
- In Situ Assembly and Testing 1-Mar-2016 1-Apr-2016
- PSI Safety Engineering Review and Modifications to Make Compliant 1-Apr-2016 1-May-2016
- Turn over to PSI 1-May-2016 1-Jun-2016

# Target



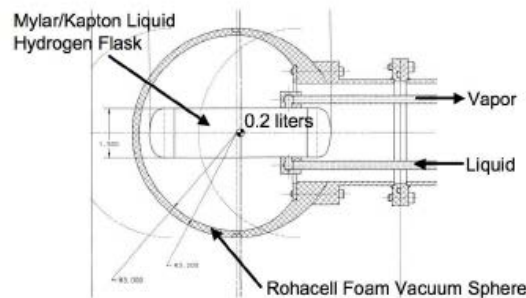
# Target Parameters from Guy Ron

## LH<sub>2</sub> target cell

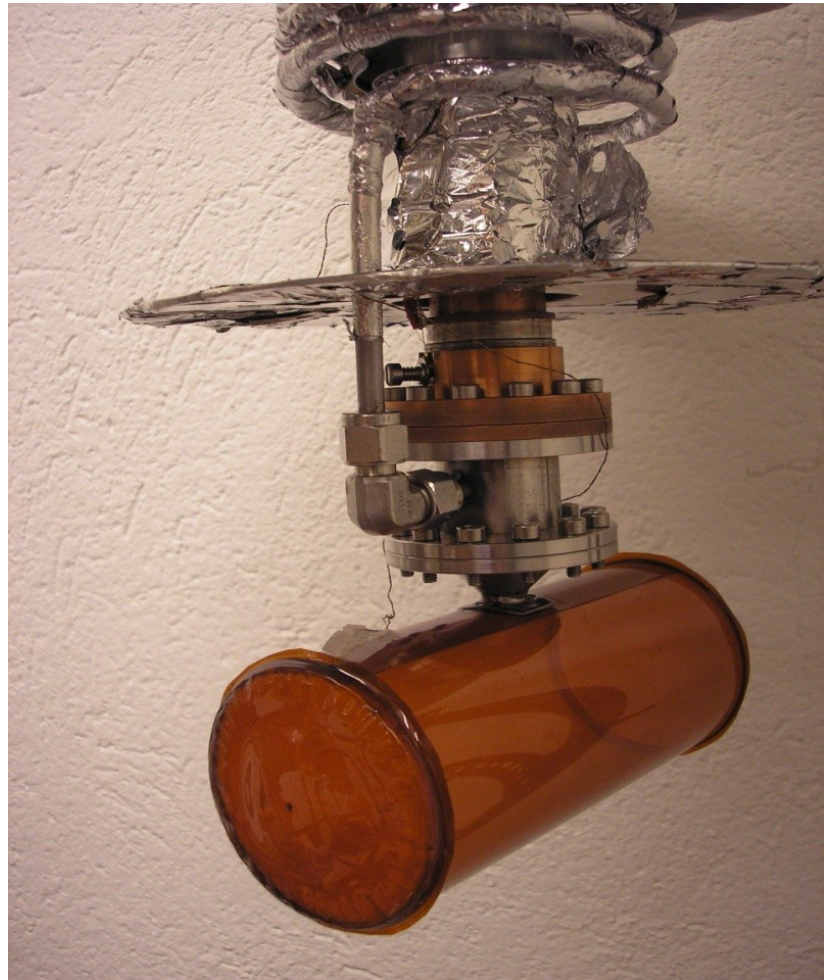
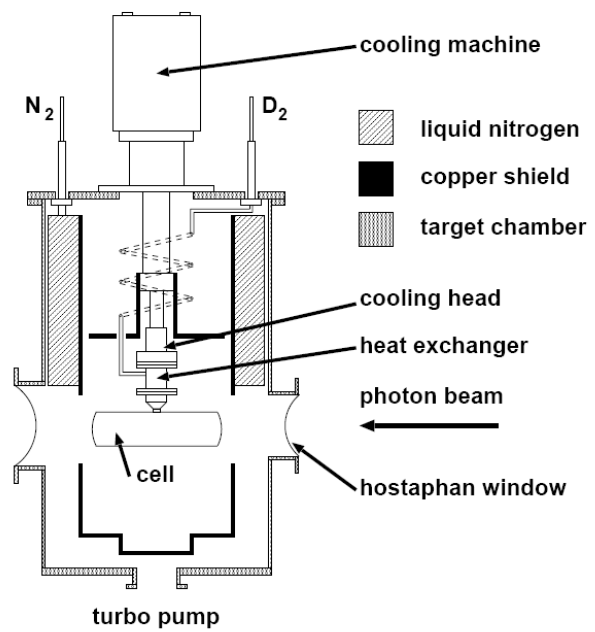
- Thin windows to limit backgrounds
- Small enough to limit multiple scattering
- Big enough so all but tails of beam go through cryogen, not side walls.
- Current plan - 4 cm wide x 8 cm high x 4 cm long.

## Low power system

- LN<sub>2</sub> baffles reduce heating.
- Snow prevention using baffles + extra space.



# MAX-lab Target



# Target Ladder Elements Requested by Spokespersons

- Full Target
- MT Target
- Dummy with 6 X thickness of Kapton walls
- Carbon Foil
- Blank

# Budgetary Considerations (Excluding Travel)

Item	Direct Cost	Indirect Cost	Contingency	Total
Materials & Supplies	\$135K	\$70K	\$53K	\$258k
Equipment	\$65K		\$17K	\$82K
External Labor	\$49K	\$26K	\$19K	\$94K
Technician	\$191K	\$99K	\$58K	\$348K
Post-Doc	\$80K	\$42K	\$12K	\$134
Students	\$67K	\$35K	\$11K	\$113K
Total	\$587K	\$272K	\$170K	\$1,029K

# Summary

- Preparations begin with promise of funding
- Search and hiring of personnel in parallel
- Safety and security issues top priority
- Known technology with several available consultants from other recent projects
- Two-Years from start to turn key delivery
- PSI takes over after delivery