

HAWC CDR

Cryostat

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HAWC Cryostat Features



- **Vapor cooled He⁴ cryostat**
 - One reservoir for LHe (no LN₂ reservoir required)
 - Two vapor cooled shields (Outer Vapor Cooled Shield (OVCS) and Inner Vapor Cooled Shield (IVCS))
- **Reservoir design to accommodate Adiabatic Demagnetization Refrigerator (ADR) assembly**
- **Coaxial Fill/Vent tube assembly**
- **Indium seal for ADR insert and fill tube at reservoir**
- **Spring tensioned, adjustable Kevlar straps for He-cooled assembly**
- **G-10 fiberglass laminate tabs/links for vapor cooled shields**
- **Polyethylene window**
- **All materials Aluminum 6061- T6 except coaxial necktube which will be 304 stainless steel and the suspension components, which are made of G10, Kevlar, and stainless steel**
- **Cryostat will be designed and built in accordance with “*SOFIA FAA Certification Procedures Manual*” (Section 300) and other applicable guidance**



Cryostat Components



Adiabatic demagnetization refrigerator (ADR)

Opto-mechanical system (OMS)

Fill and vent tube

GSFC

Instrument mounting flange

UC

Cryostat vacuum shell (CVS)

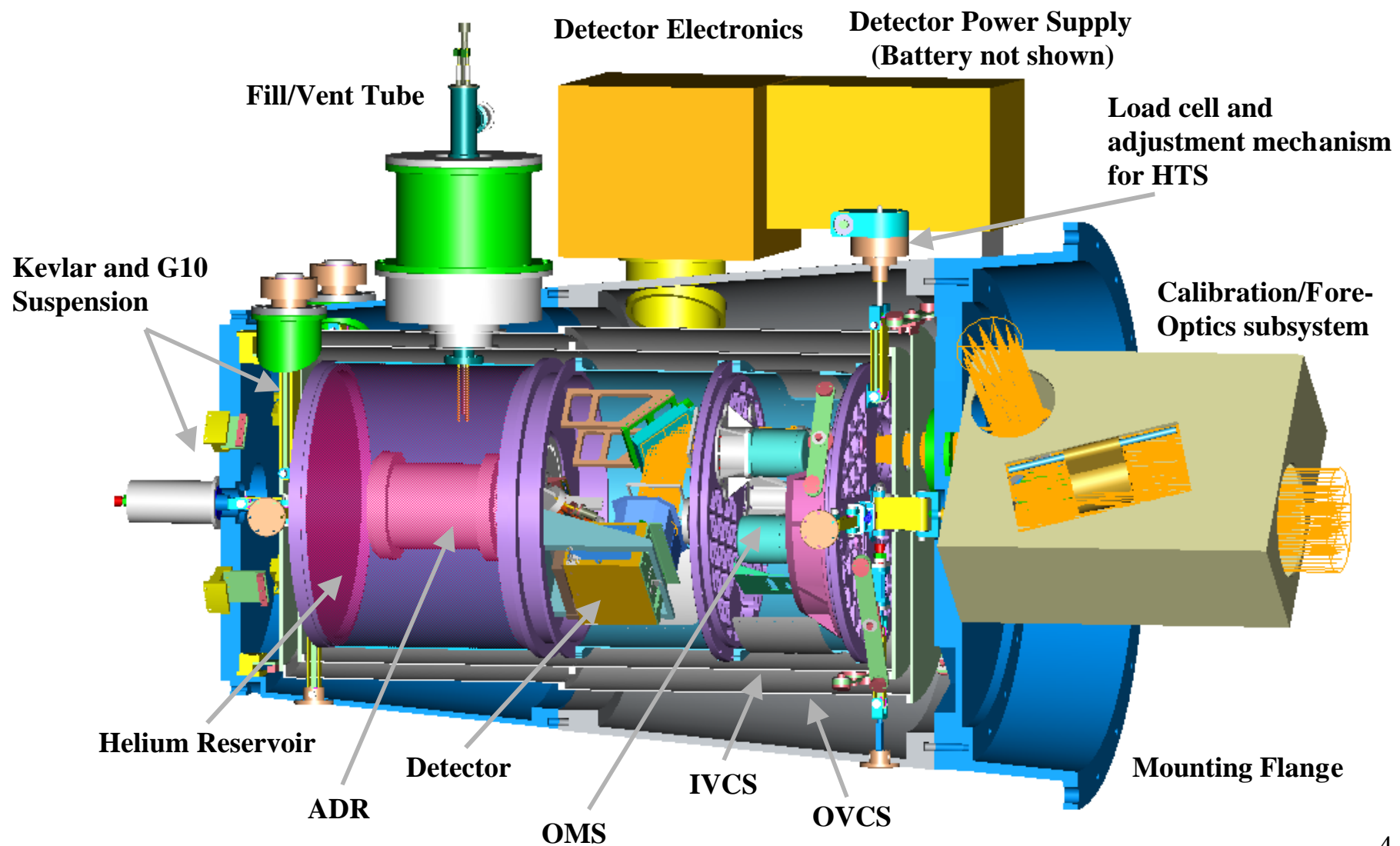
Polyethylene cryostat window

Vapor cooled shields and G-10 suspension

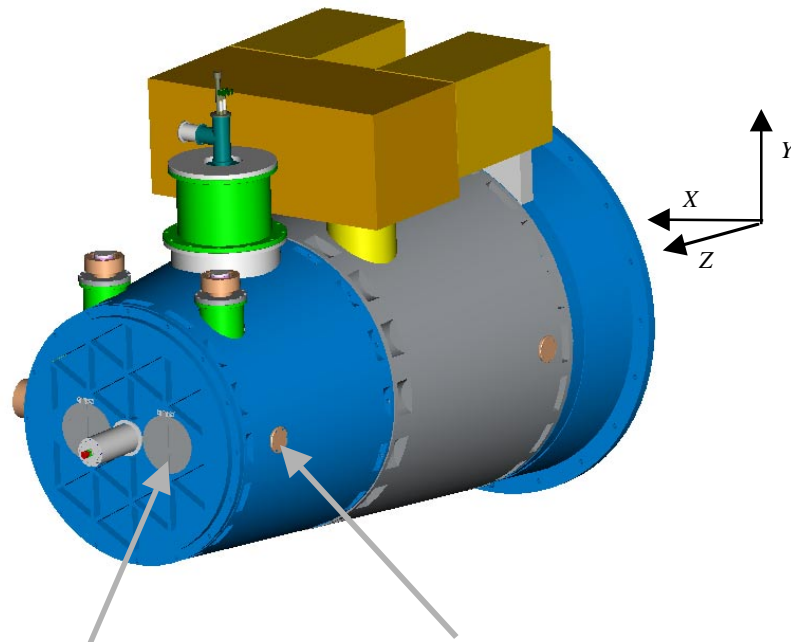
Helium thermal strap (HTS) Kevlar suspension system

Helium reservoir

HAWC Cryostat (cutaway)



HAWC Cryostat (full)



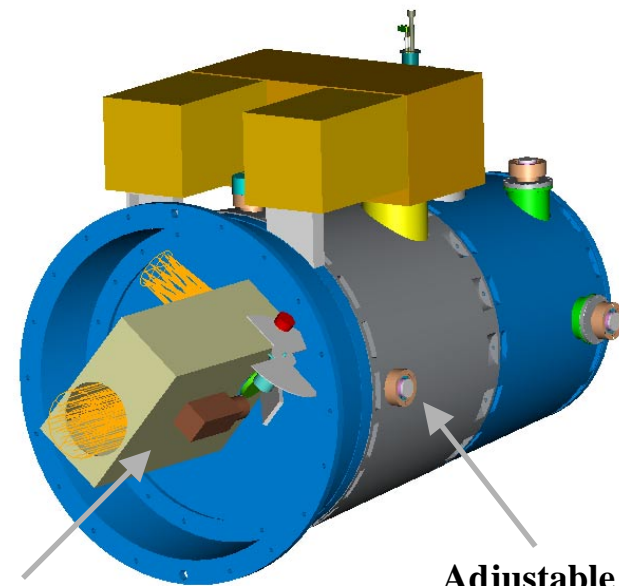
Cryostat pressure
reliefs

Flush HTS
mounts

Instrument mass properties:

1322 lbm

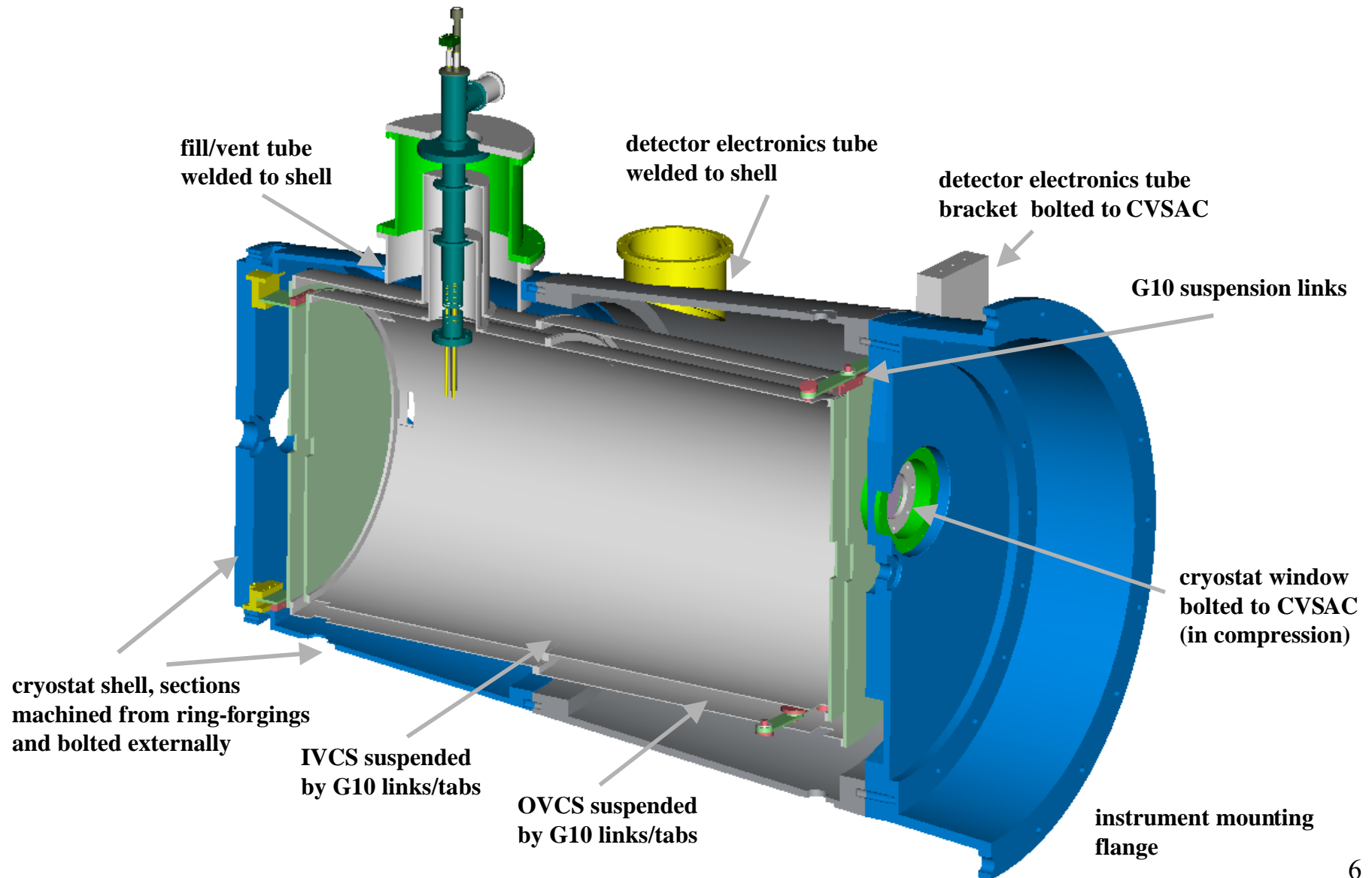
Center of Gravity = (0.2, 4.5, 27.1) inches



Fore optics /
external calibration

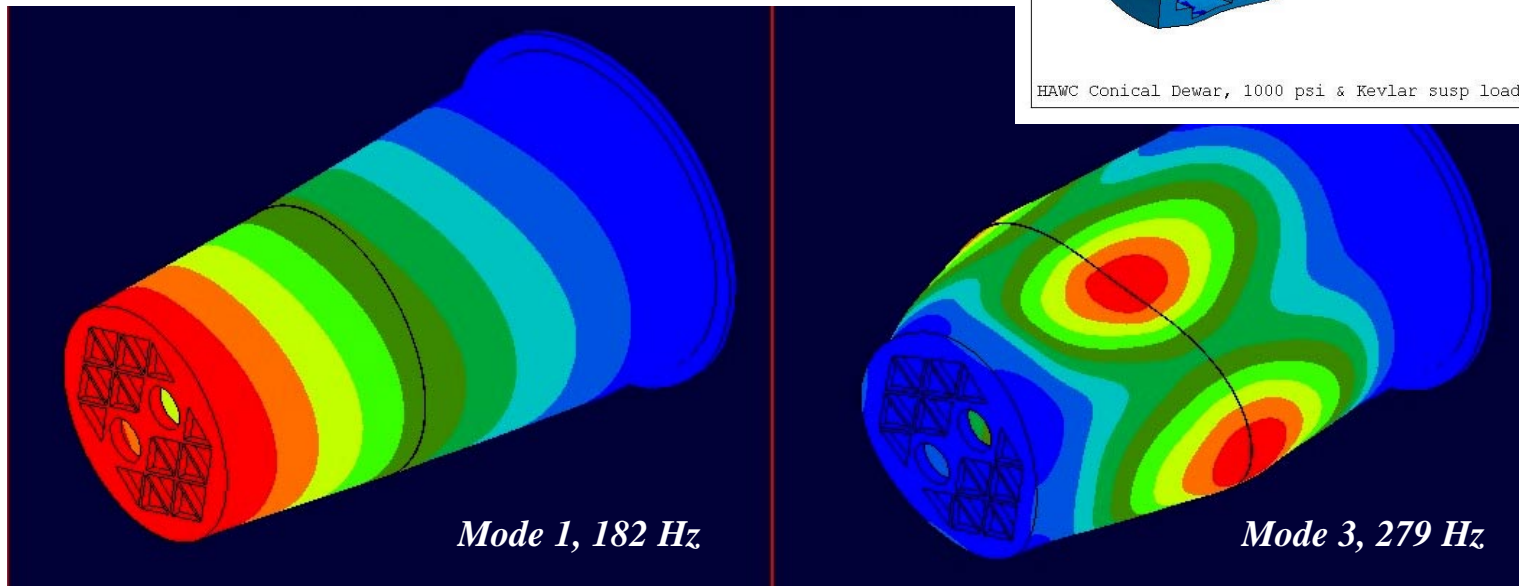
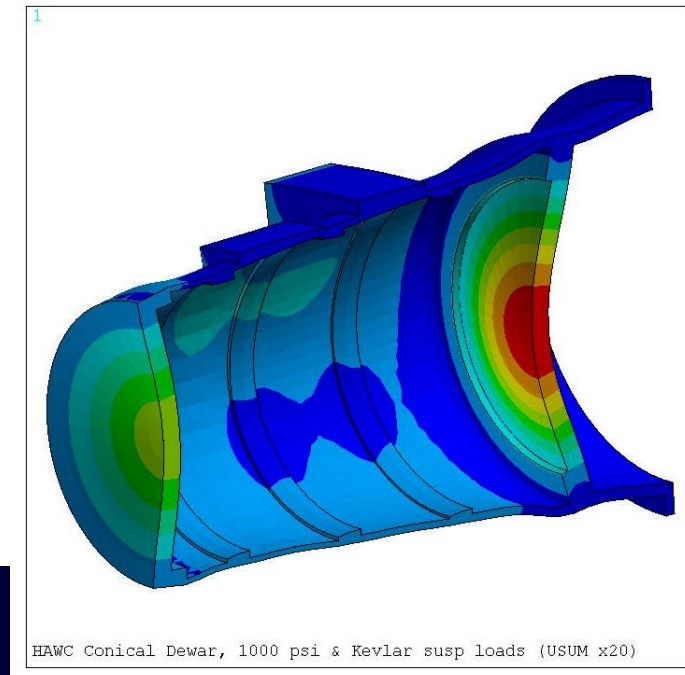
Adjustable HTS
mechanism

HAWC Cryostat (cutaway)



Cryostat Performance

- Cryostat is a stiffness-driven design
- Inherently strong
- Shape optimized to achieve high natural frequency and fit within dynamic envelope



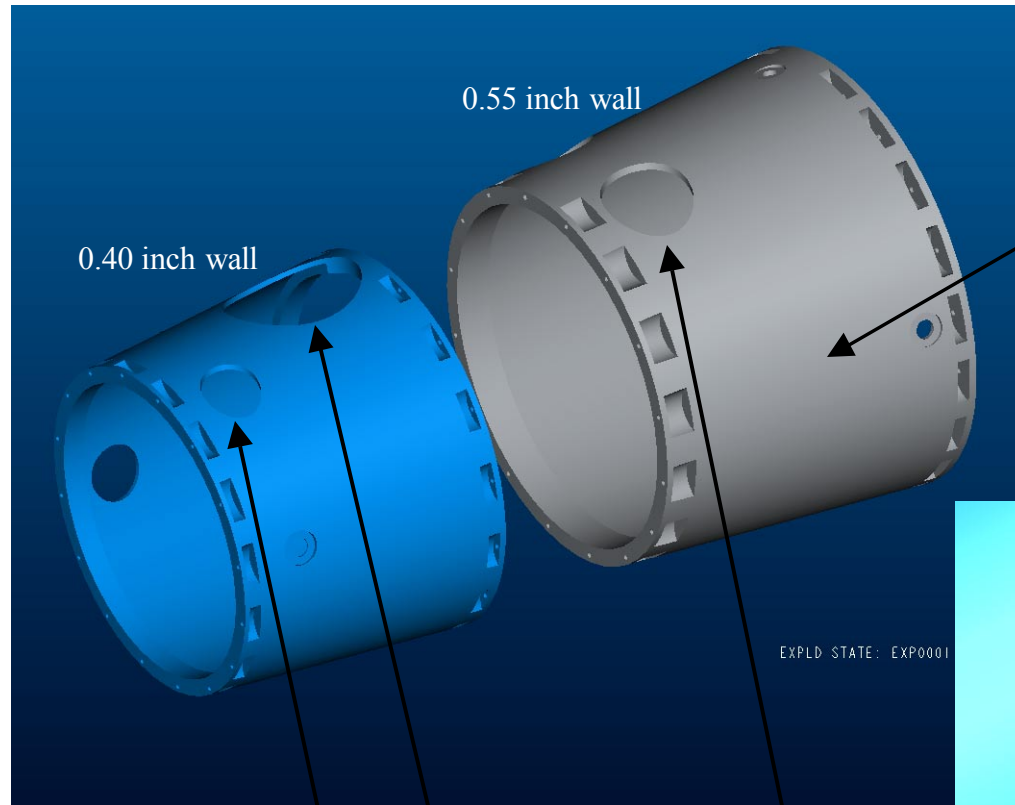


HAWC Weight



sub-assembly	"as designed" mass (lbm)	
HIMF	109	
CVSAC	116	
CVS1	200	← Mass reduction (40-50 lbm) possible with a corresponding reduction in natural freq.
CVS2	103	
CVSFC	53	
OVCS	46	
IVCS	38	
He reservoir	52	
OMS	115	
HTS system	75	
G10 system	10	
Detector	15	
Internal optics	15	← Design detail may lead to increase
ADR	70	← Design estimate at about 50 lbm
Fill tube sys	24	
Detector electronics	213	← Design estimate around 150 lbm
External calib. sys	48	
Misc. hardware	20	← Design detail may lead to increase
HAWC total	1322	← Goal for total weight after final Refinement of design is 1200 lbm
% budget	100%	

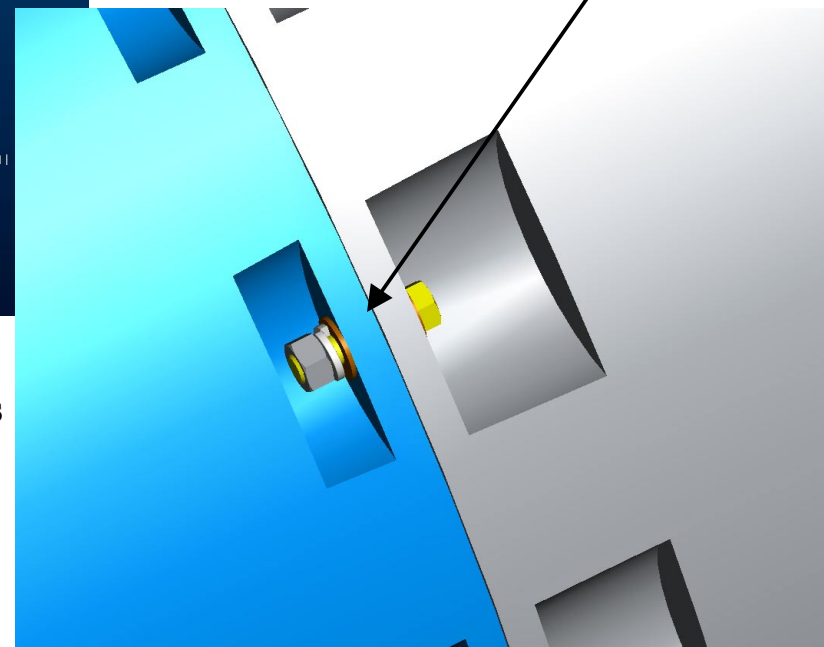
Cryostat section joints



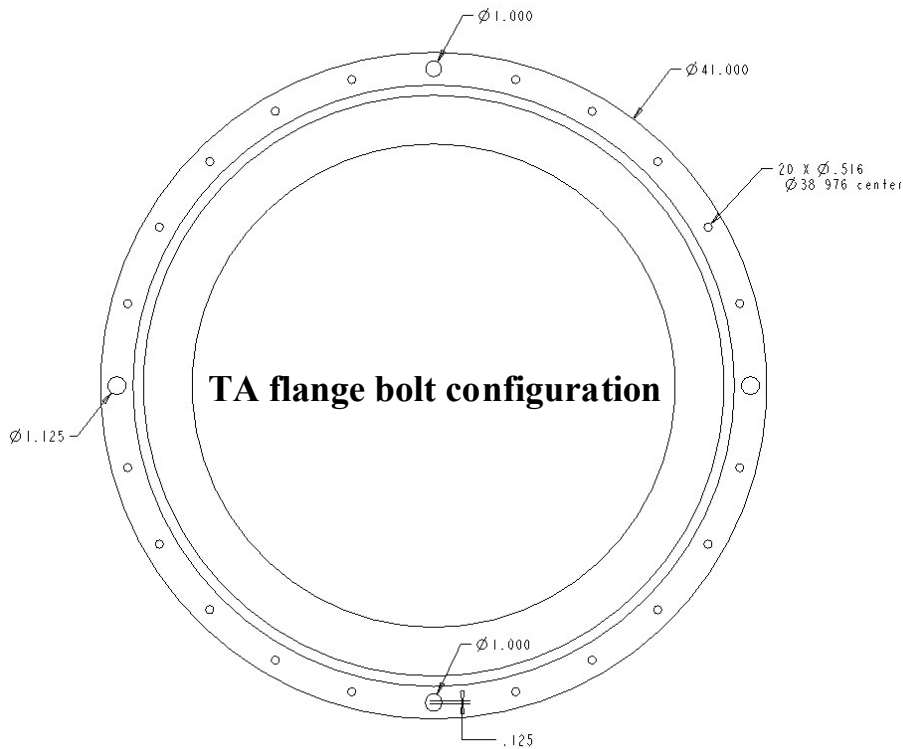
Ring-forged cylinders
with machined detail

External hex cap screws with
washers, lock washer, and hex nut

Holes for welding HTS, Fill/vent, & Detector Electronics
support tubes



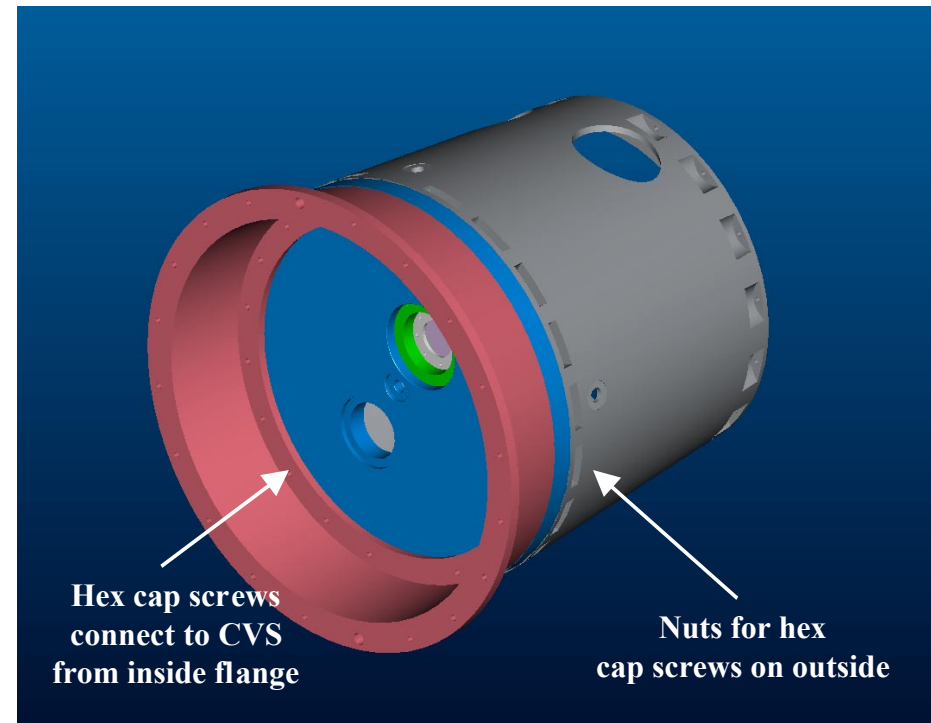
Mounting flange



Only 12:00 pin and 6:00 slot will be used, along with 20 bolts, to align and restrain instrument

Connection with CVS:

- Hex cap screws through CVSAC to CVS1
- Each screw sealed separately to contain cabin pressure
- Vacuum o-ring seal within screw diameter

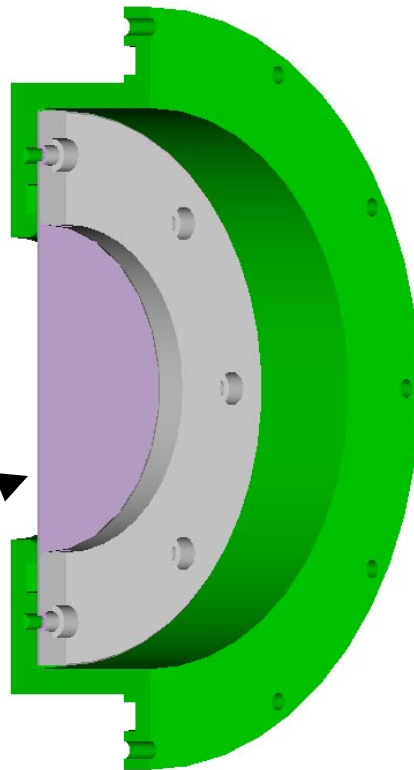
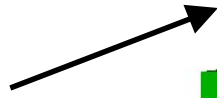


Cryostat Window

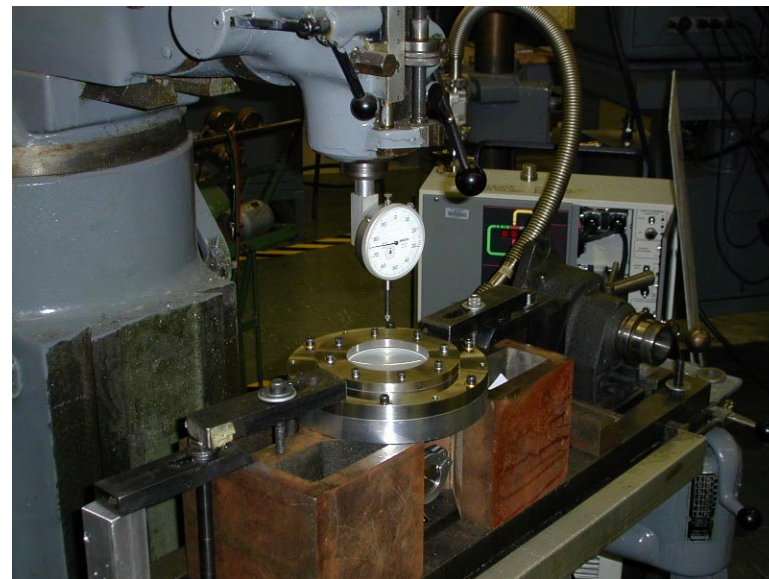
All bolted joints
in compression



HDPE
0.033 inch thick
3.0 inch dia.

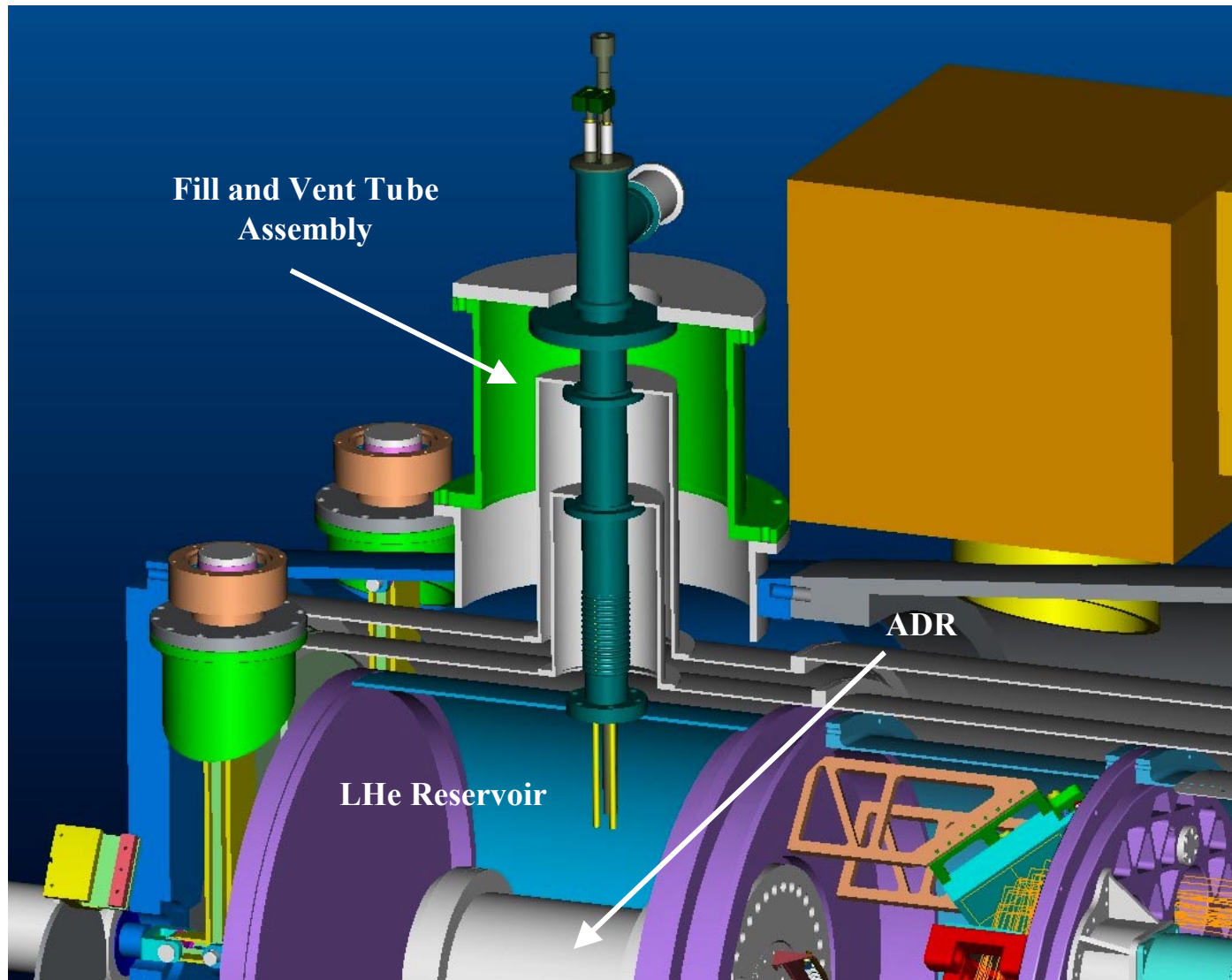


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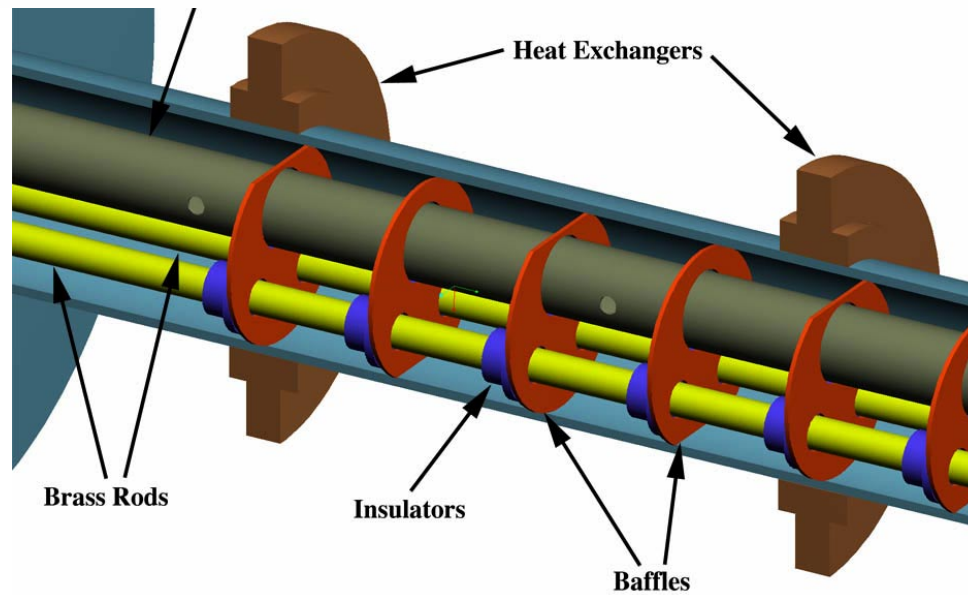
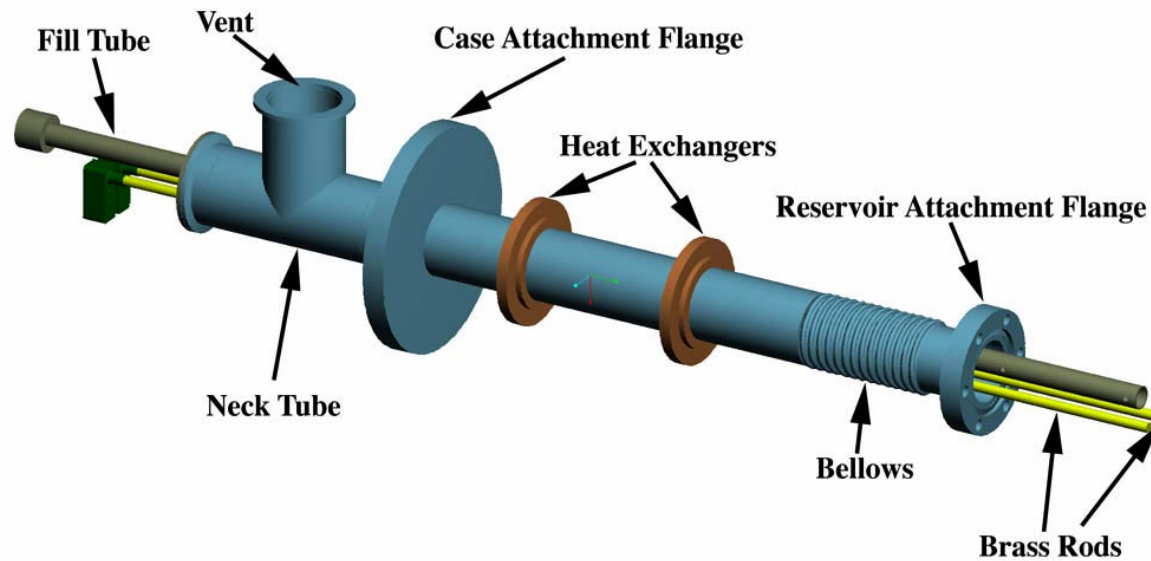


	thickness (in)	intial center deflection (in)	long-tem center deflection (in)	short-term strength (psi)
UHMWPE	0.020	0.308	0.428	> 44
HDPE	0.033	0.227	0.239	100
PP	0.020	0.220	0.285	NA

Fill and vent tube



Fill and vent tube

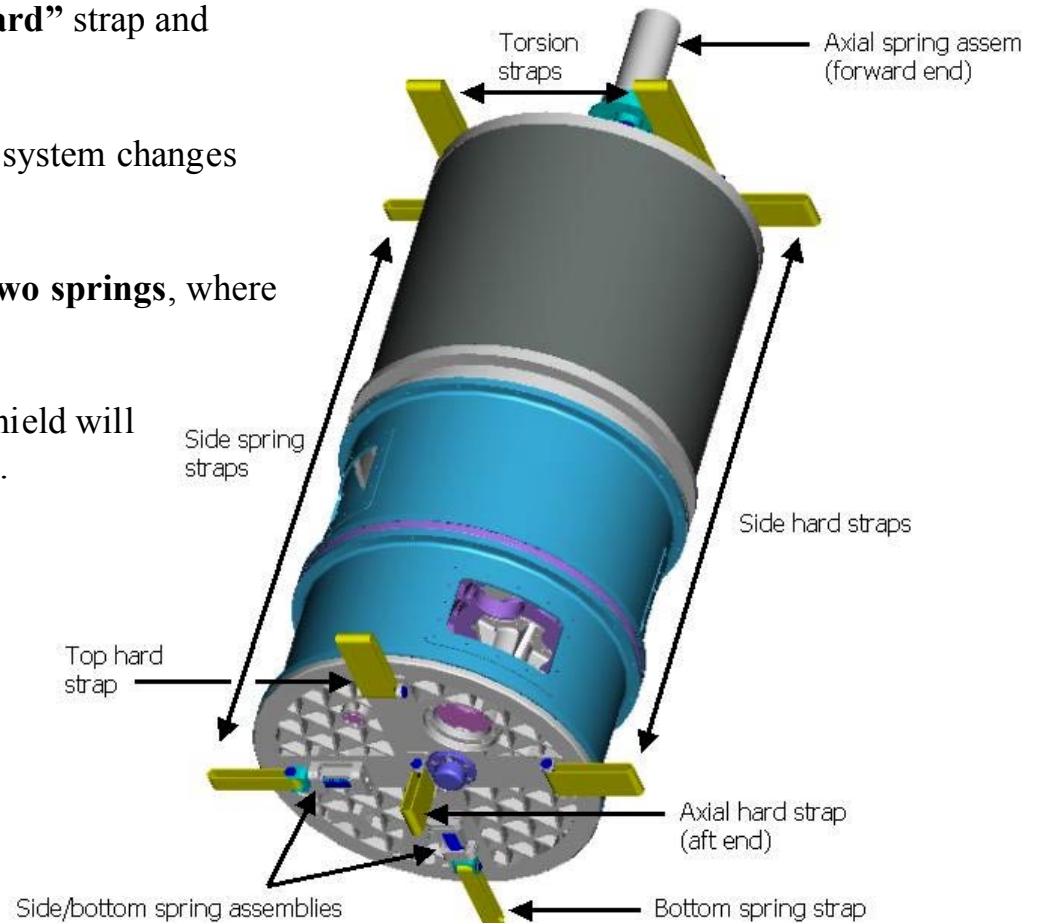


HTS System

- Each orthogonal direction restrained by a fixed “**hard**” strap and “**spring**” strap in series with a spring assembly.
- Spring assembly maintains the straps in **tension** as system changes temperature and if Kevlar® creeps.
- System design based upon **simple mass between two springs**, where stiffer spring controls the harmonic response.
- Designed for emergency loads so that the helium shield will remain intact and properly restrained within cryostat.
- More specifically,

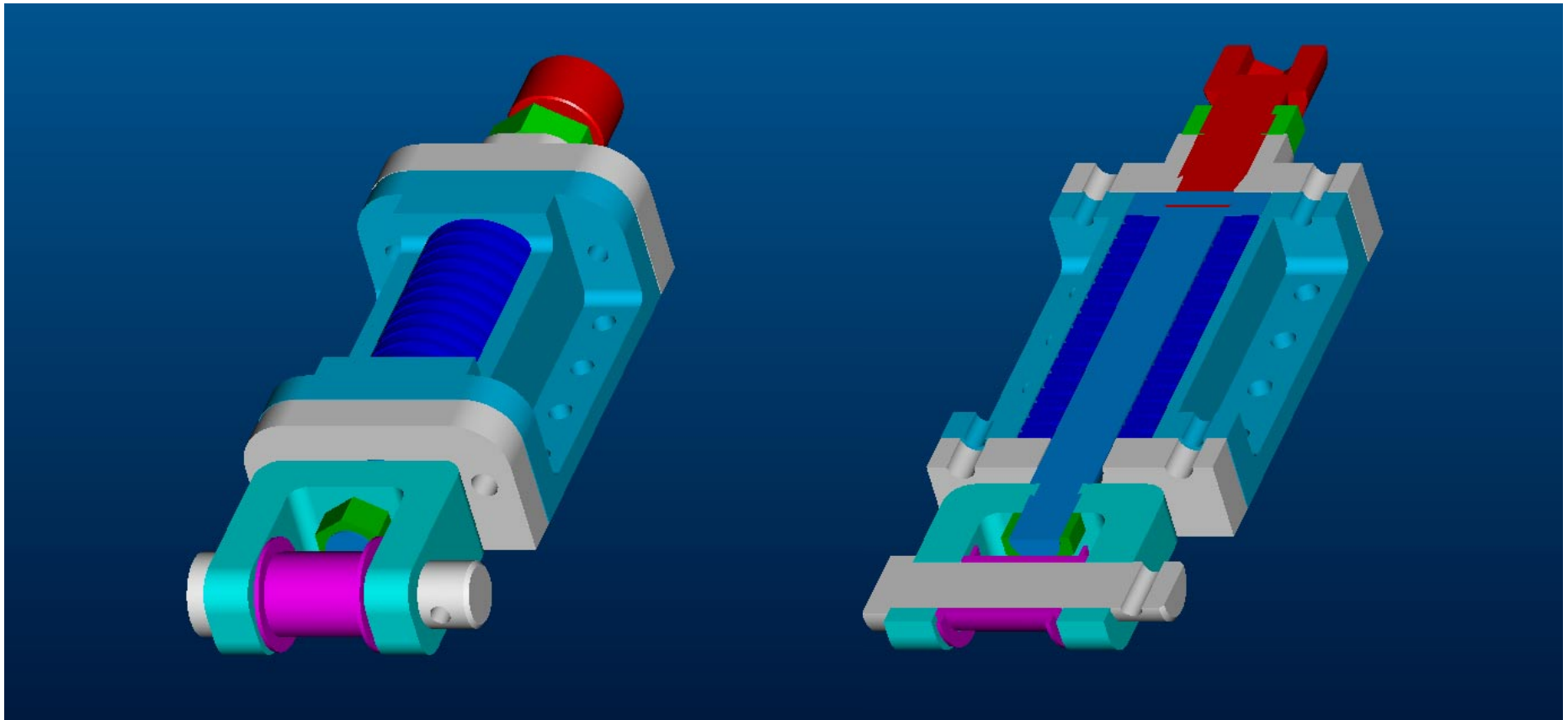
✓fixed **hard** straps are precisely arranged to address the 6.0 g downward and the 9.0 g forward **emergency** loads;

✓the **spring** straps and spring assemblies are designed to remain in tension and prevent any **snap-back** due to the 3.0 g upward and 1.5 g aft emergency loads.



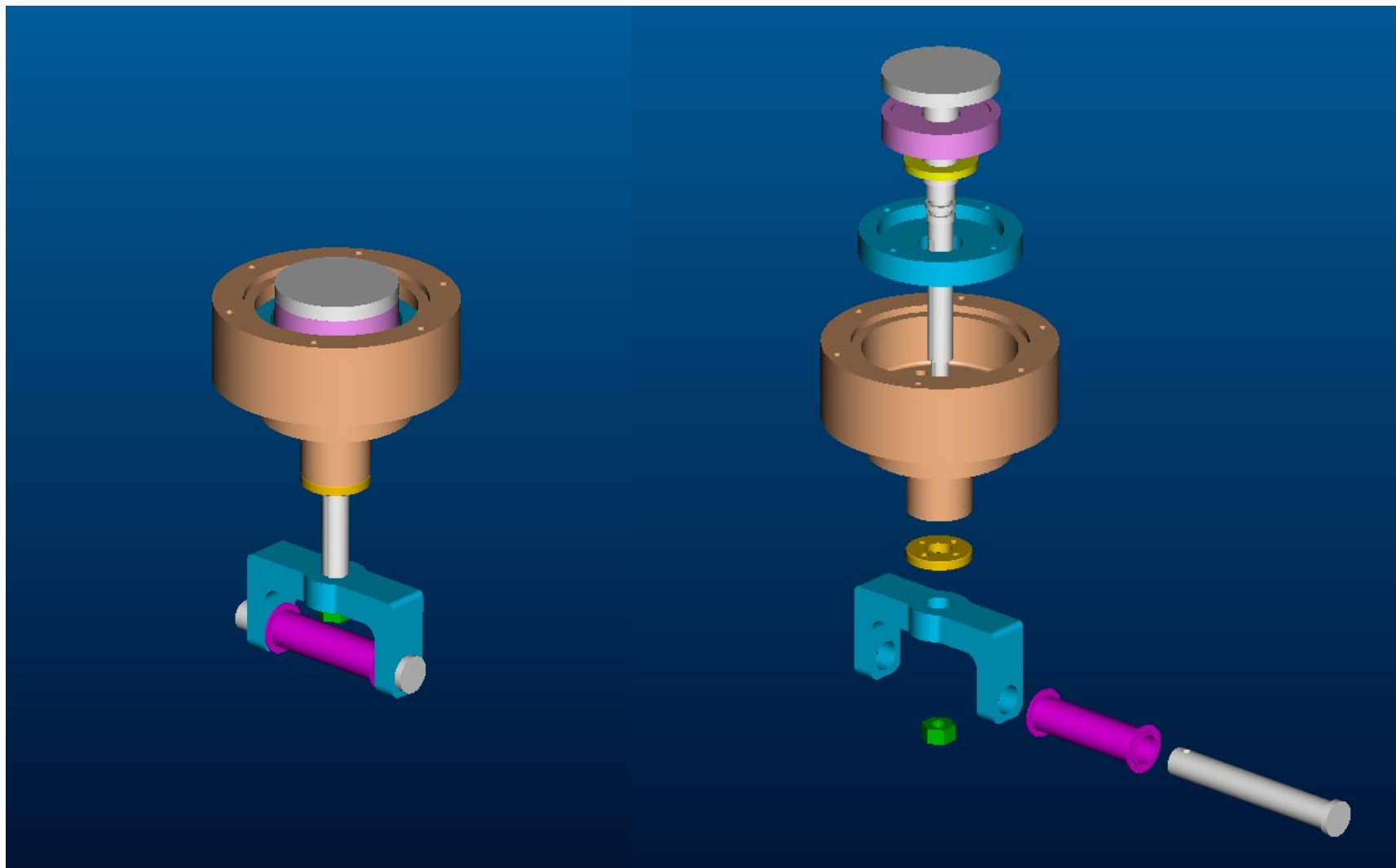
HTS Mechanisms

Kevlar strap spring assembly



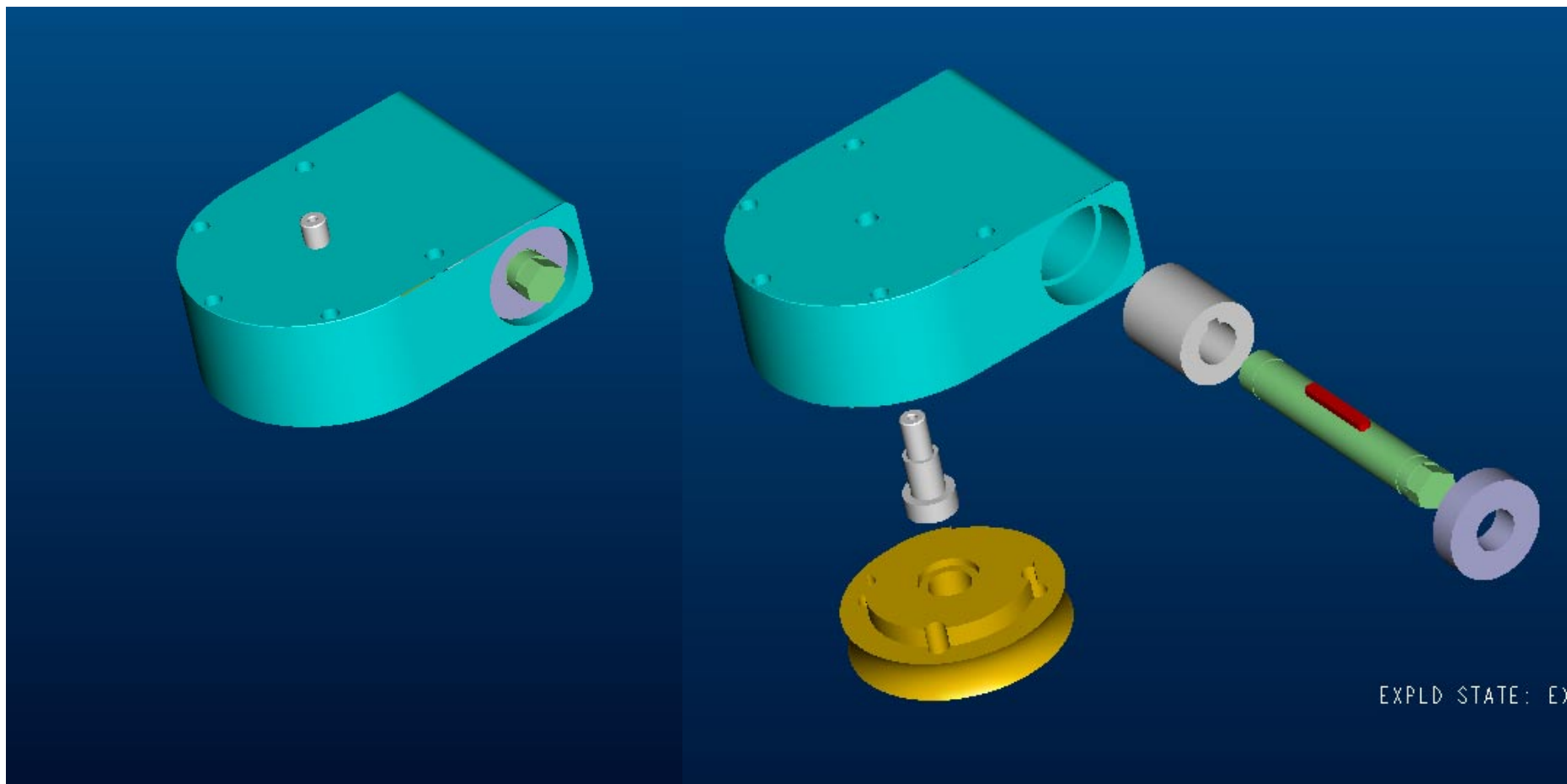
HTS Mechanisms

Kevlar strap adjustment mechanism



HTS Mechanisms

Kevlar strap worm drive



HTS Strength

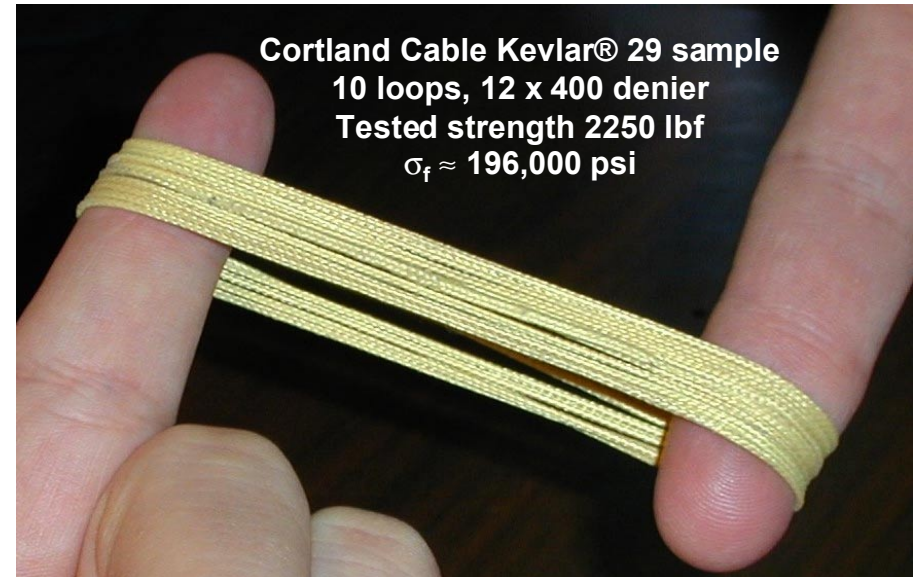
Tenacity (gram weight / denier, g/d) approach:

Du Pont Kevlar® 49 yarn test data:

- 1140 denier yarn
- Breaking strength = 59.3 lbf
- Breaking tenacity = 23.6 g/d

In the case of the axial hard strap,

$$(23.6 \text{ g/d}) \times (2 \times 20 \text{ loops}) \times (12 \times 2840 \text{ d}) = 3.217 \times 10^7 \text{ g} \\ = \underline{70926 \text{ lbf}}$$



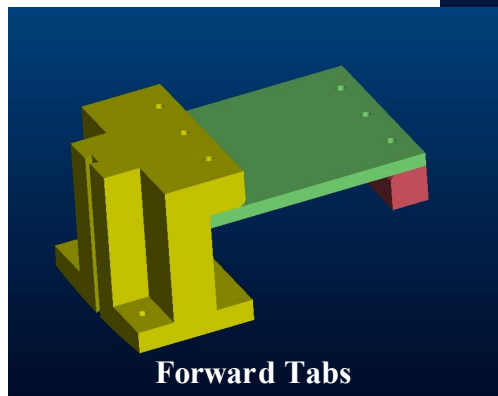
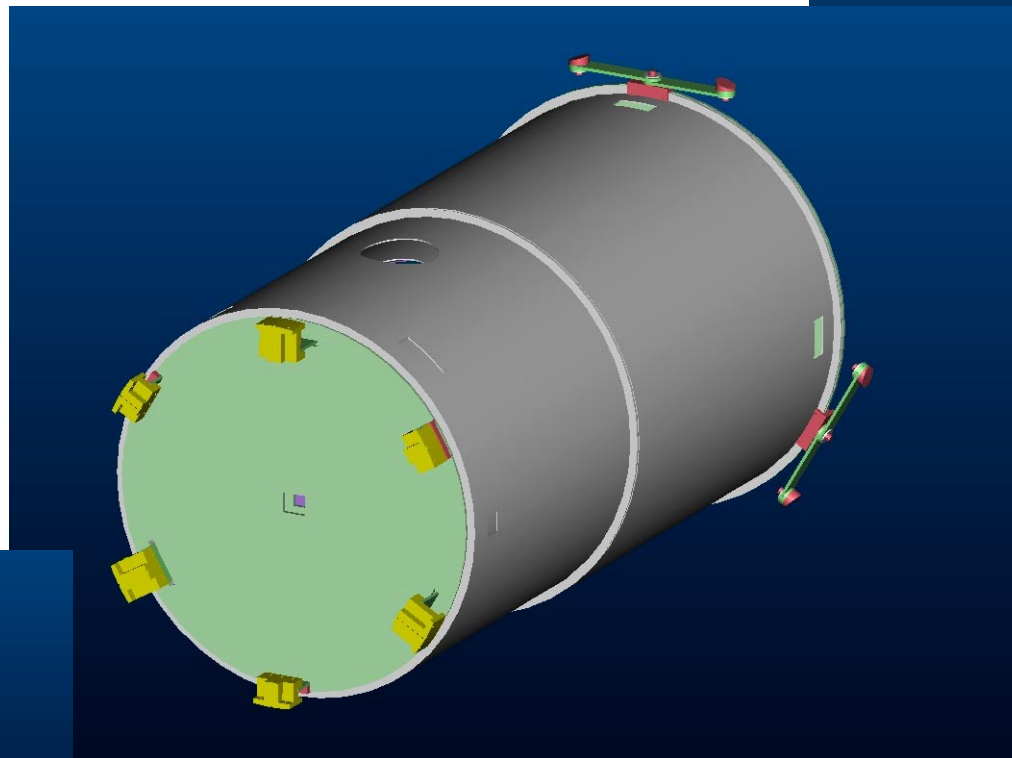
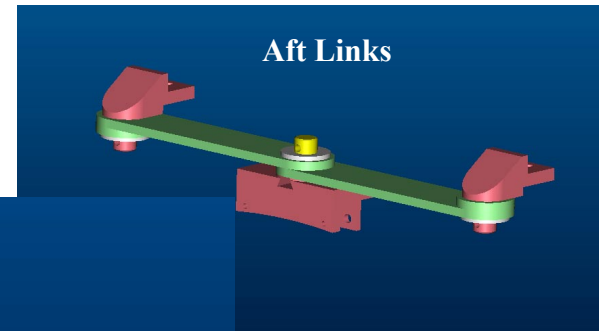
Failure stress approach:

$$\sigma = F_f / A$$

$$A = (2 \times \text{no. loops}) \times (\text{no. of yarns in braid}) \times (\text{yarn denier}) \times (1/\text{density}) \\ = (2 \times 20) \times (12) \times (2840\text{g}/900000\text{cm}) \times (1/1.45\text{g/cc}) \\ = 1.04 \text{ cm}^2 \\ = 0.162 \text{ in}^2 \\ F_f = 196,000 \text{ psi} \times 0.162 \text{ in}^2 \\ = \underline{31750 \text{ lbf}}$$

VCS G10 system

- Links designed to only carry lateral loads as a system, keeping shield concentric



- Tabs at front endplate restrain shield axially



Thermal Model



EXCEL Thermal Network Spreadsheet (oct9, '98)

- NOTES:**
- Labels (variable names) are used throughout the spreadsheet to help make equations a little more self-explanatory.
 - Up to 40 conductors and 20 nodes may be included in the model, and are numbered sequentially from left to right.
 - Set up nodal connectivities in Rows 40 and 41, and set the correct numbers in "# of nodes" and "# of conductors".
 - Run the Assembly Macro "Assemble" in order to set up the temperature and energy balance equations.
 - Boundary temperatures should be typed in directly, in place of the assembled temperature calculation equation, or should be set equal to the Initial T
 - Cut and paste the conductivity equations (see below) into row 50 to calculate temperature dependent properties.
 - Under the OPTIONS menu, set Calculation to (manual, iteration, 100 iterations, max change 5).
 - The variable "relax" (see cell B25) is used to control how quickly the model will converge. Acceptable values are $0 < \text{"relax"} \leq 1$ (higher gives faster c
 - Use 0.8 for most systems, and no higher than 0.3 for a refrigerator system (usually not very stable). Set to a lower value if solution is not stable.
 - Set "Initial Values" to TRUE to set up an initial condition; set to FALSE to allow iterative solution.



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Initial values	FALSE
# of nodes	6
# of conductors	26
Cryogen	Superfluid He
Temperature	1.3K
Hv	21 J/g
rho	145g/liter
cp	5.2J/g-K
relax	0.8
sigma	5.67E-12W/cm K ⁴
Tank load	0.7594 W
mdot	0.0362 g/s
Tank vol	68 liters
Lifetime	3.156 days

Dimensions	Qty	ID (cm)	OD (cm)	L (cm)
Vent Line	1	4.7625	5.0927	
Fill Line	1	1.1684	1.27	
Magnet leads	2		0.508	
OVCS	1		61.3	116.3243
IVCS	1		56.1	111.2443
He shield	1		50.2	105.5293
Kevlar, OVCS	0		0.22	0
Kevlar, IVCS	0		0.22	0
Kevlar, He shield	380		0.22	15.9752631
Wiring				
detector leads	900		0.0127	
opto-mechanism le	12		0.01524	
	Qty	A (cm²)		L (cm)
G10, OVCS	15	1.8145125		11.4935
G10, IVCS	15	1.8145125		5.1435
G10, He shield	0		0	0