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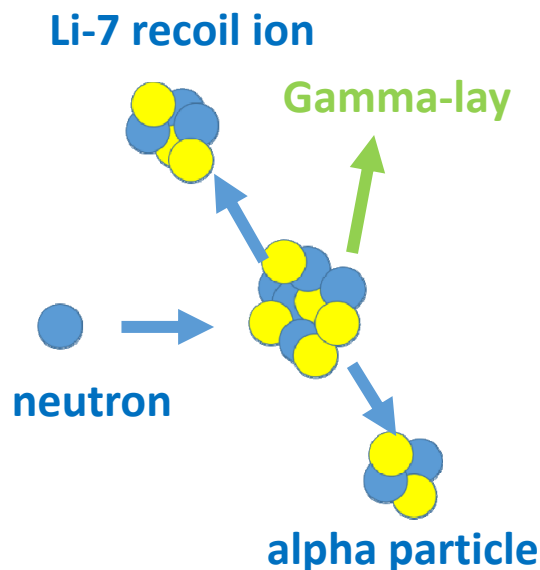


# The Development of ECR ion source for Medical Applications

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# 1. Needs & Treatment Effect of BNCT



## ❖ Treatment Effects

- ❑ Overcoming limitations of conventional particle therapy
  - Clarity of therapeutic principles
  - Treatment of unit cell size
  - Minimization of radiation exposures for normal tissues
  - Reduction of side effects
  - Treatment of malignant cancers which are not effective with conventional treatments (**Brain Tumor**, Head & Neck Cancer, Malignant Skin Cancer, **Recurrent Cancers**, **Radiation Resistant Cancers**)

## ❖ Cost Prospective

- Low construction cost  
(about 1/3 of proton therapy facility)
- Low fractional treatment (1-2 times)
- Low treatment cost  
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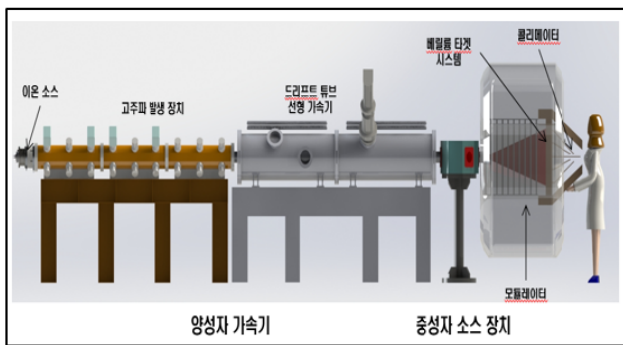
## ❖ Limitation of BNCT & Issues

- Increasing Treatment depth
- Improving the boron capture ratio  
of cancer cells / normal cells
- Improving boron drug delivery method

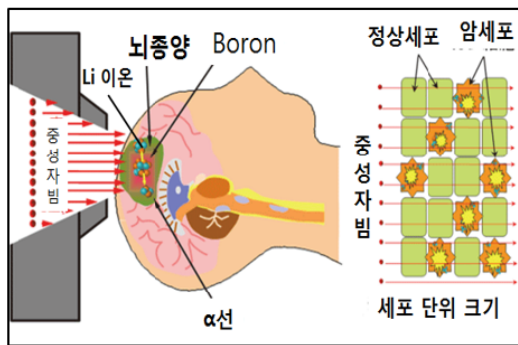
## 2. Summary of A-BNCT Project

- ❑ **Project Name** : Development of the accelerator based Boron Neutron Capture Therapy system for the cancer treatment within 1 hour therapeutic time
- ❑ **Project Period** : 2016 . 4 ~ 2020 . 12
- ❑ **Leading Organization** : Dawonsys Inc.
- ❑ **Participating Organization** : Gil Hospital, Gachon Univ., PAL, KAERI and **KBSI**
- ❑ **Project Berget** : 14.1 B Won (excluding building & utility costs)
- ❑ **Development Items** : Proton Linac, Be Target Assembly, Dosimetry, Radiation Safety, Boron Compounds TPS(Treatment Planning System), Clinical Trials, Government Permission of B Drugs & BNCT Treatment

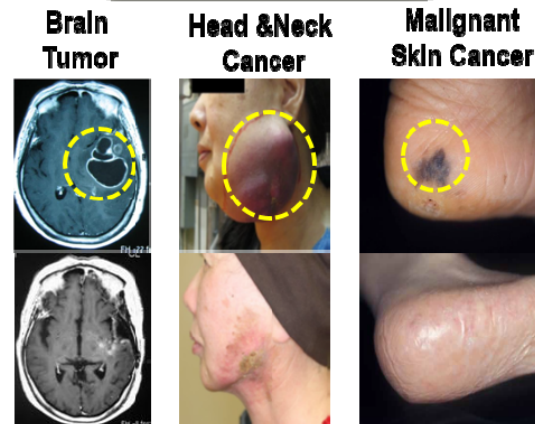
**A-BNCT Facility**



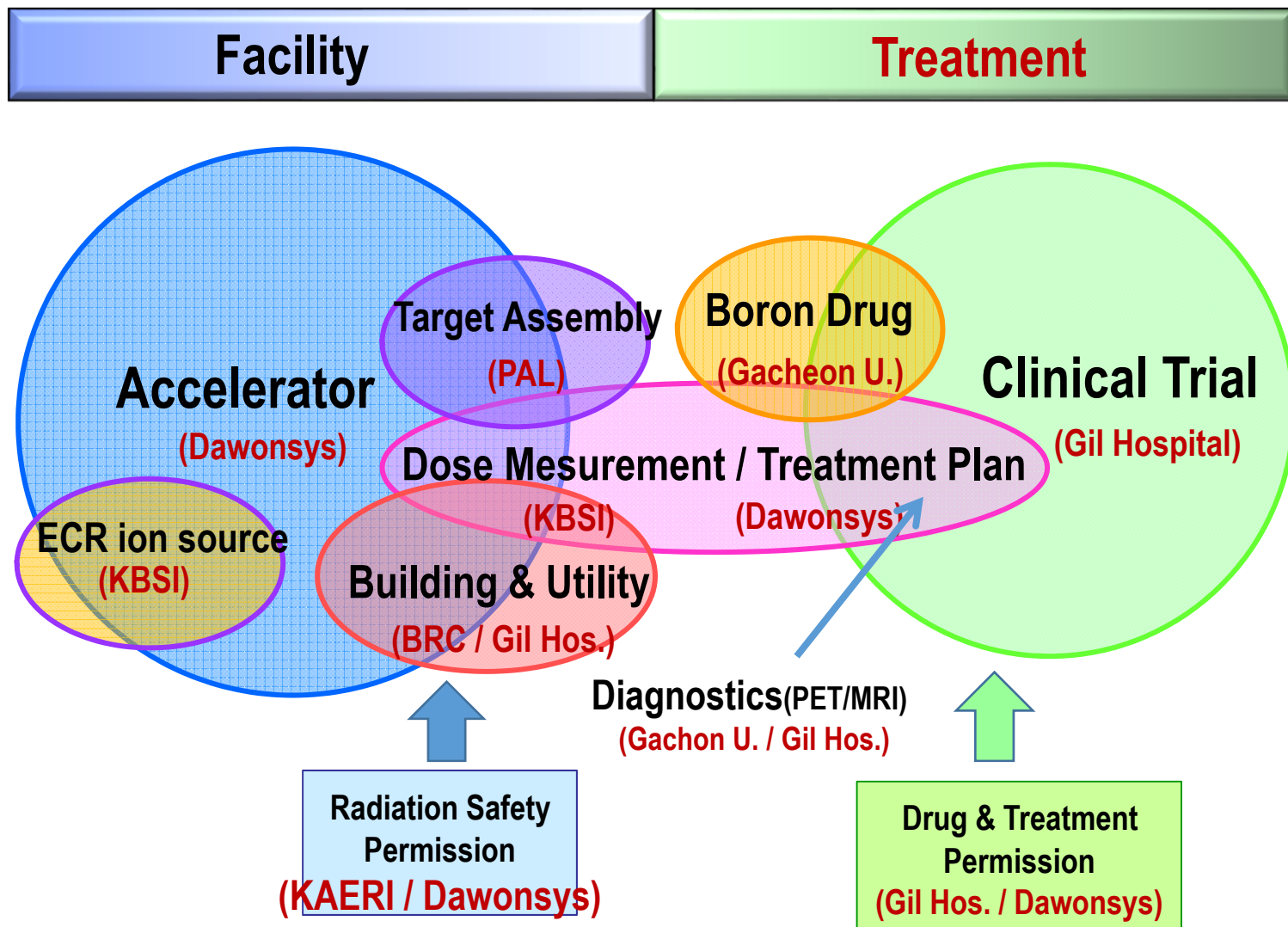
**BNCT TPS**



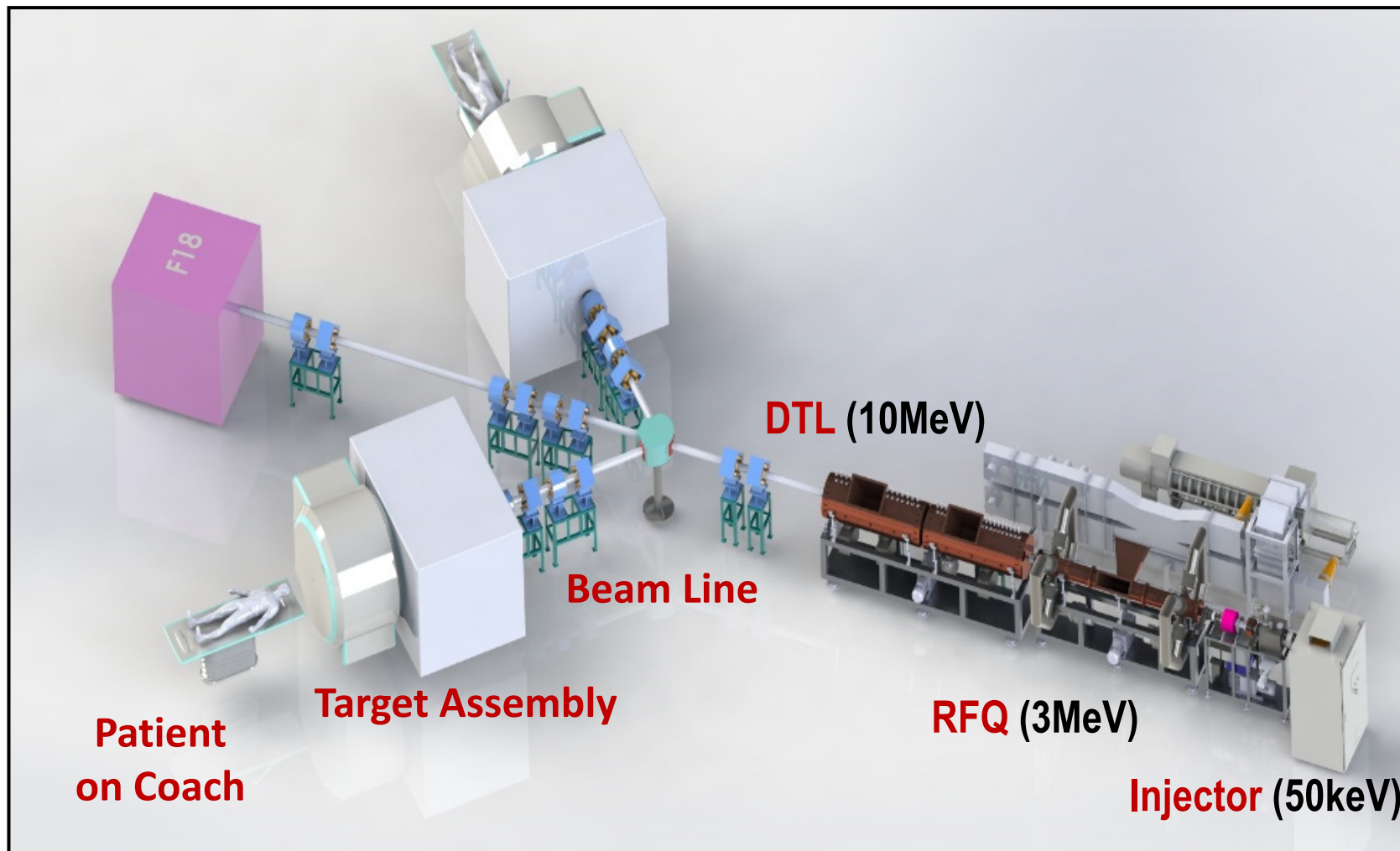
**BNCT Treatment**



# 3. Working Group



## 4. Configuration of A-BNCT Components

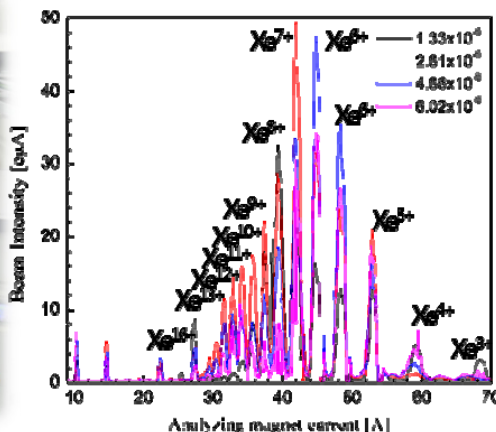




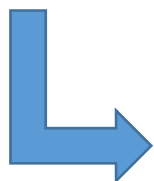
# 5. History of ECR ion source at KBSI



2.45 GHz ECR ion source development in 2009



28GHz Superconducting ECR ion source development in 2015



Proton ECR ion source for A-BNCT & Proton Therapy

## Key Issues

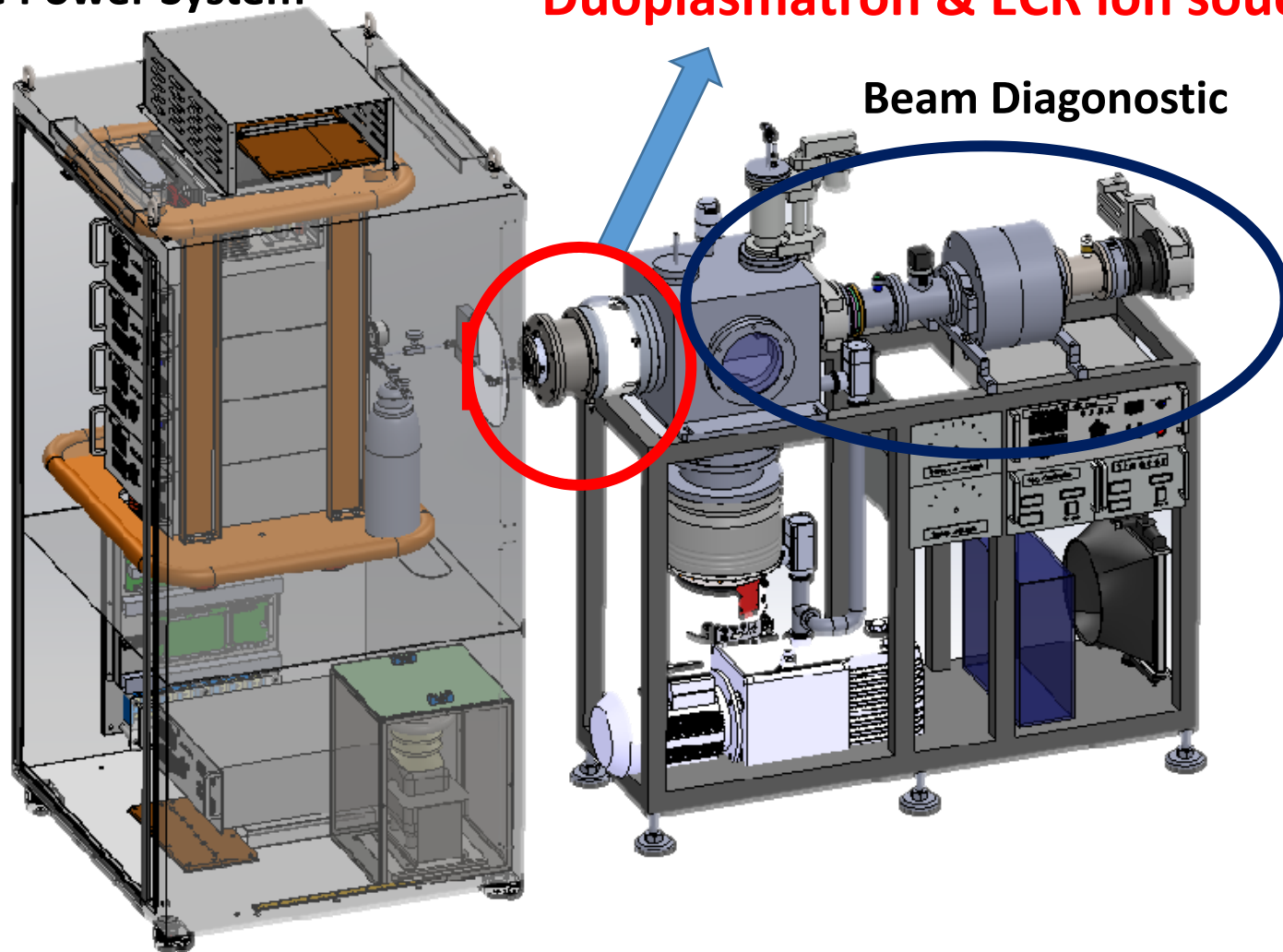
- High Voltage Platform over 50kV
- Requirement of small emittance 0.2  $\pi$ mm.mrad
- High Current over 50mA

## 6. Configuration of A-BNCT ion source

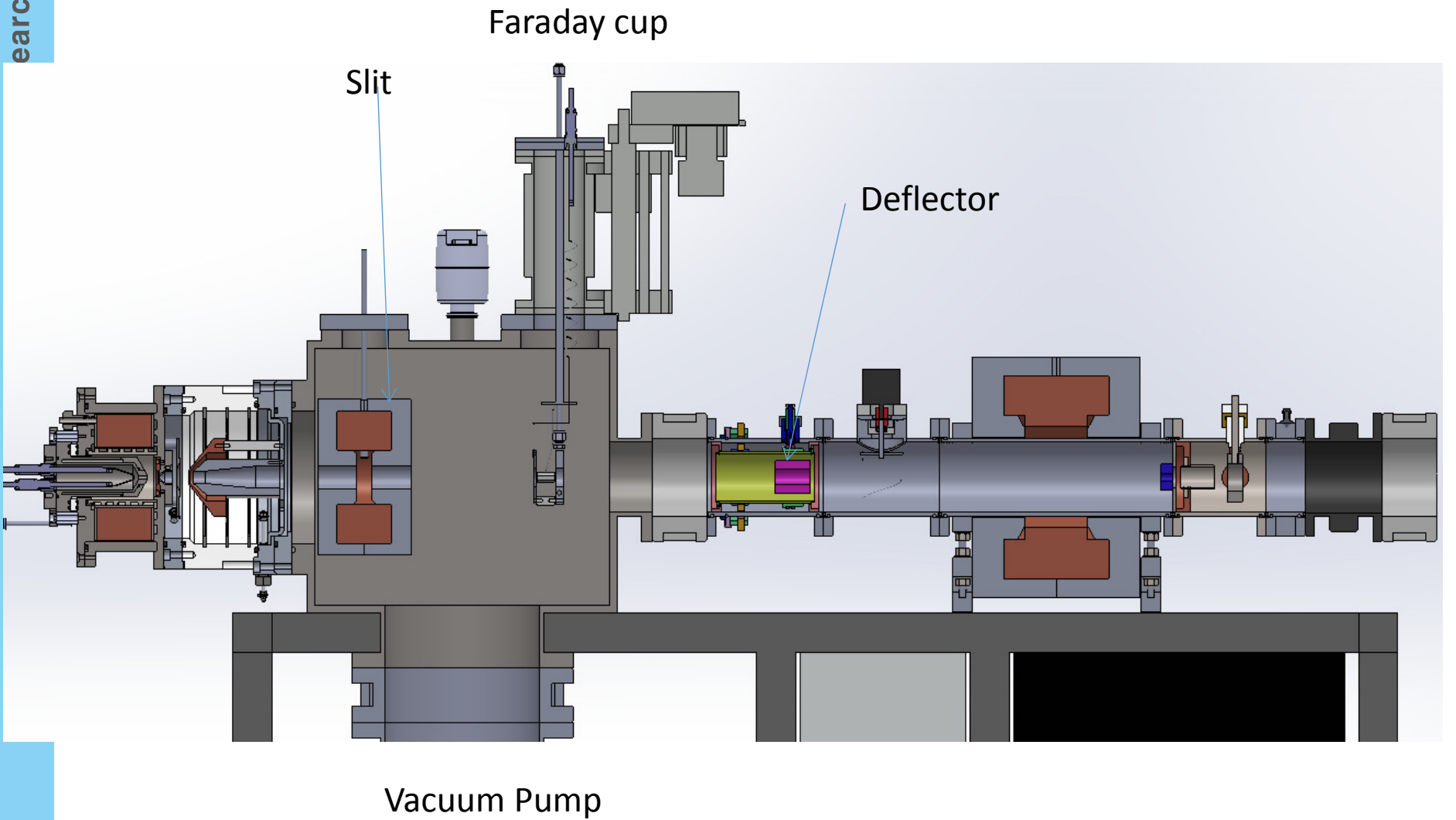
High Voltage Power System

Duoplasmatron & ECR ion source

Beam Diagnostic



# 6. Configuration of A-BNCT ion source





## 7. Concluding Remark

- The A-BNCT Project is starting from this year
- We will design until this year for A-BNCT
- Next year new Proton ECR ion source will manufacturing
- We need more information about key issues for new ion sources

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