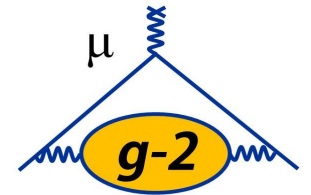


Extension Upgrade to the Muon $g-2$ Electrostatic Quadrupole System



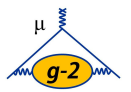
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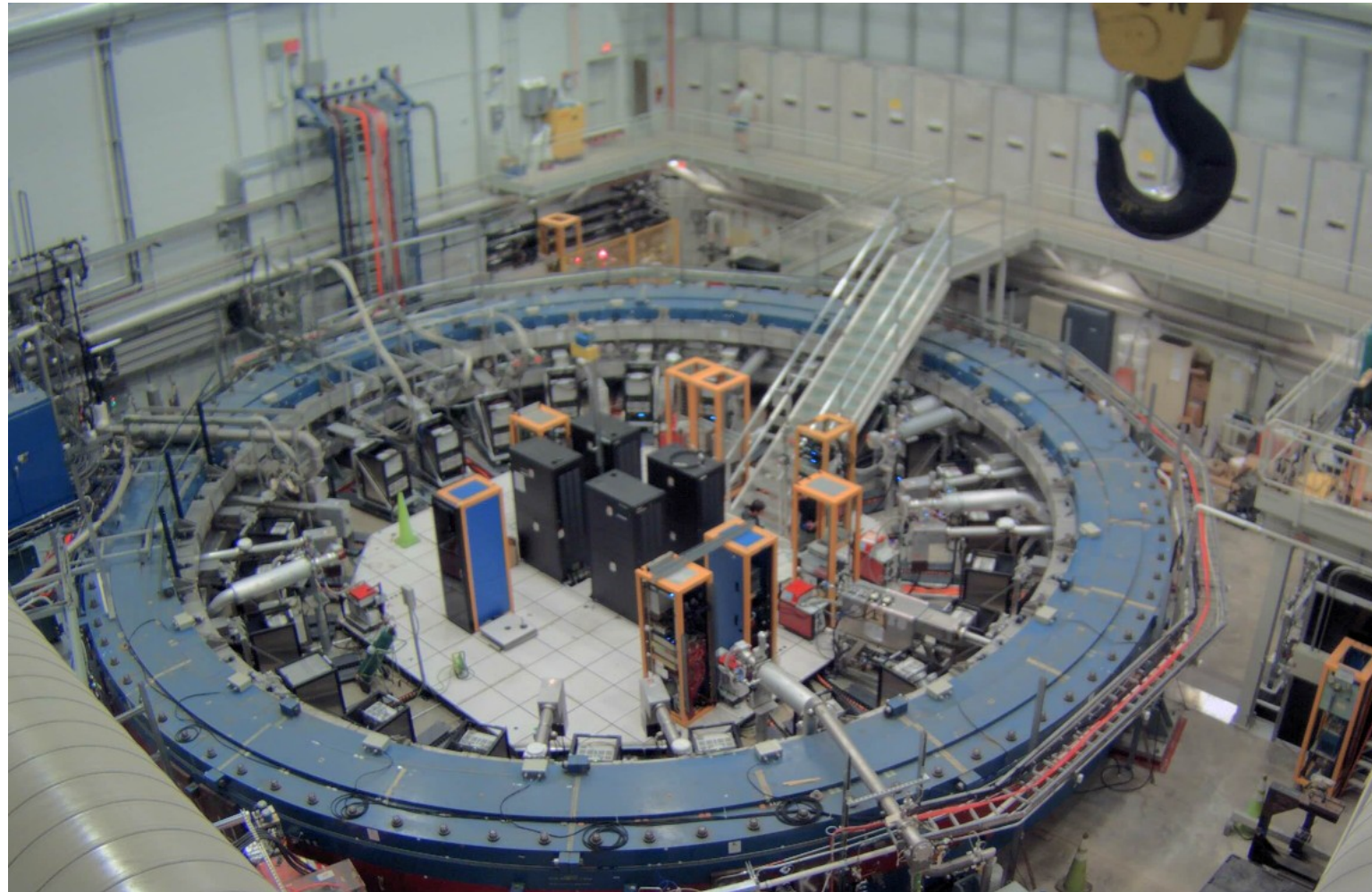
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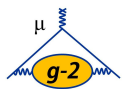


Quadrupoles

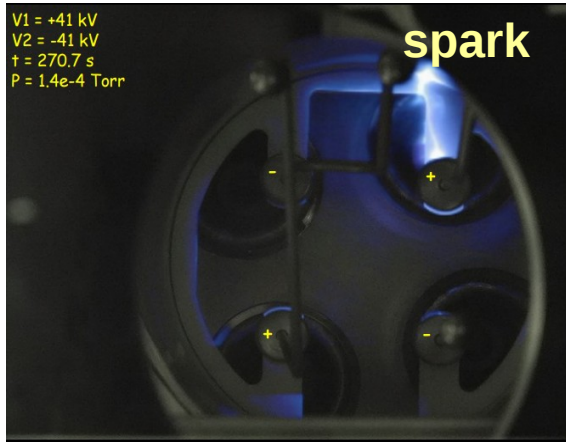
- **Four electrostatic quadrupoles**
- **4 HV Pulsers**
- **Vertically focusing the muons in storage ring.**
- **25kV(E821)→ 35kV (E989)**



E821 HV Feedthrough Boxes and Problems



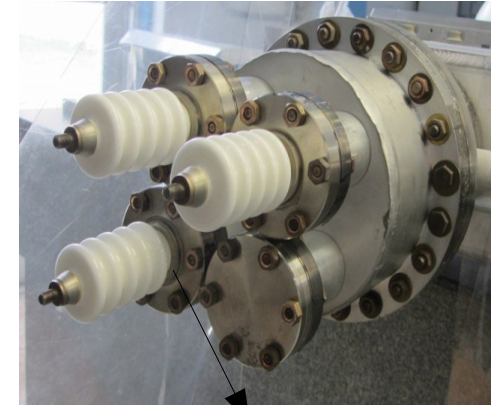
Old design



August 2016 old HV box test with new feedthroughs

Reasons to upgrade

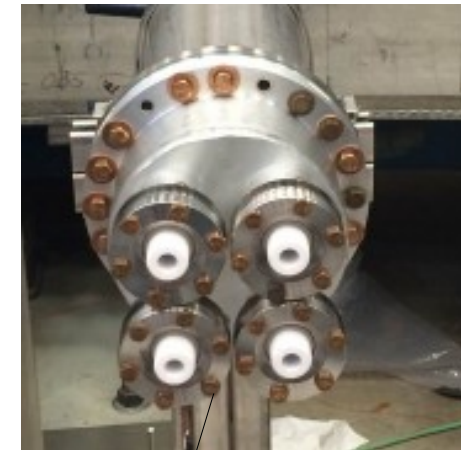
- Prevent damage to the HV feedthrough from sparks
- Reduce sparking in the HV feedthrough box



Old feedthroughs damaged and exposed metal...

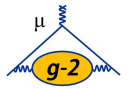


No damage at batman



New feedthroughs, no exposed metal parts

Sparks!



Trapped free electrons (E,B)



charge avalanche



discharging quads(spark)

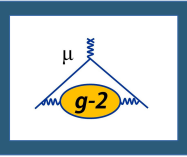
**Do not want to direct the
electrons into the MACOR
insulators**



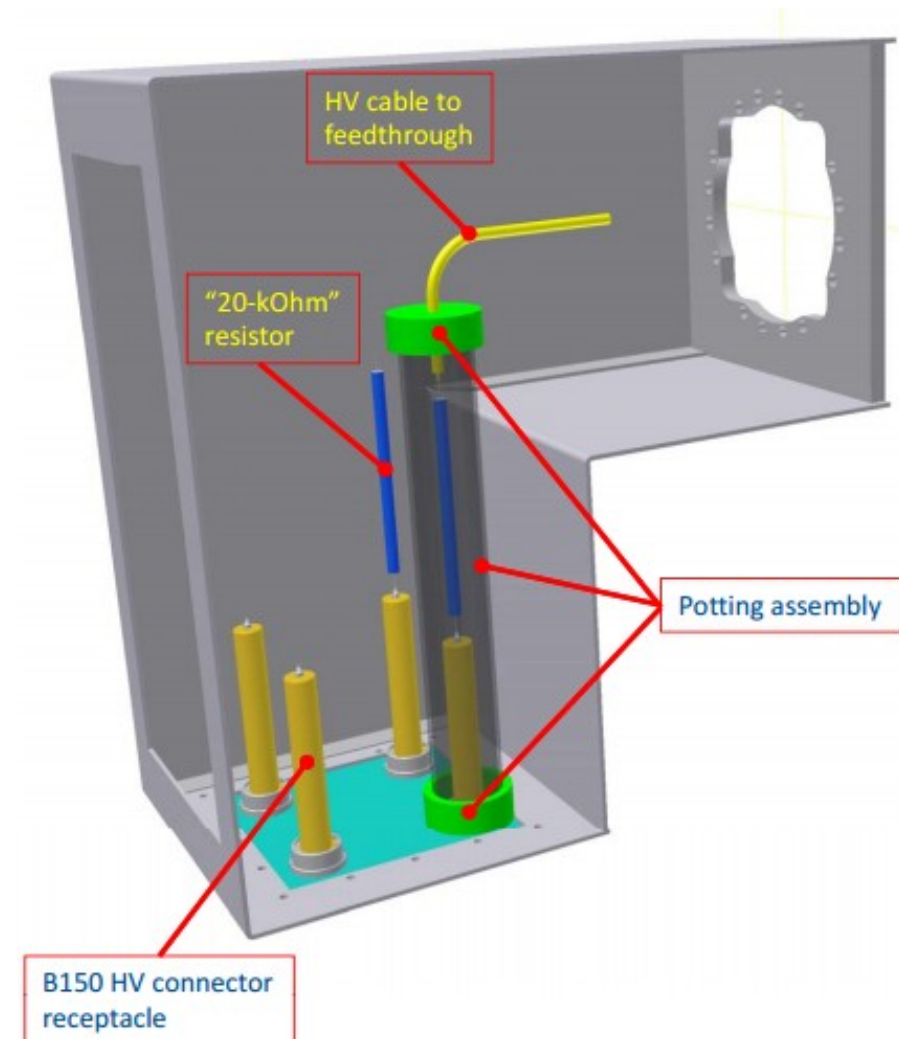
**Reduce B → extend high voltage
feedthrough away from magnet.**



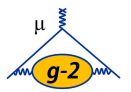
Solution: Upgrade to boxes(HV feedthrough extensions)



- **Moving the feed through boxes away from magnet**
→ **Extensions.**
- **Need end-connector support**
→ **Using second batman in the other side (support the extensions).**
- **Reduce sparking near resistors**
→ **Potting the resistors.**

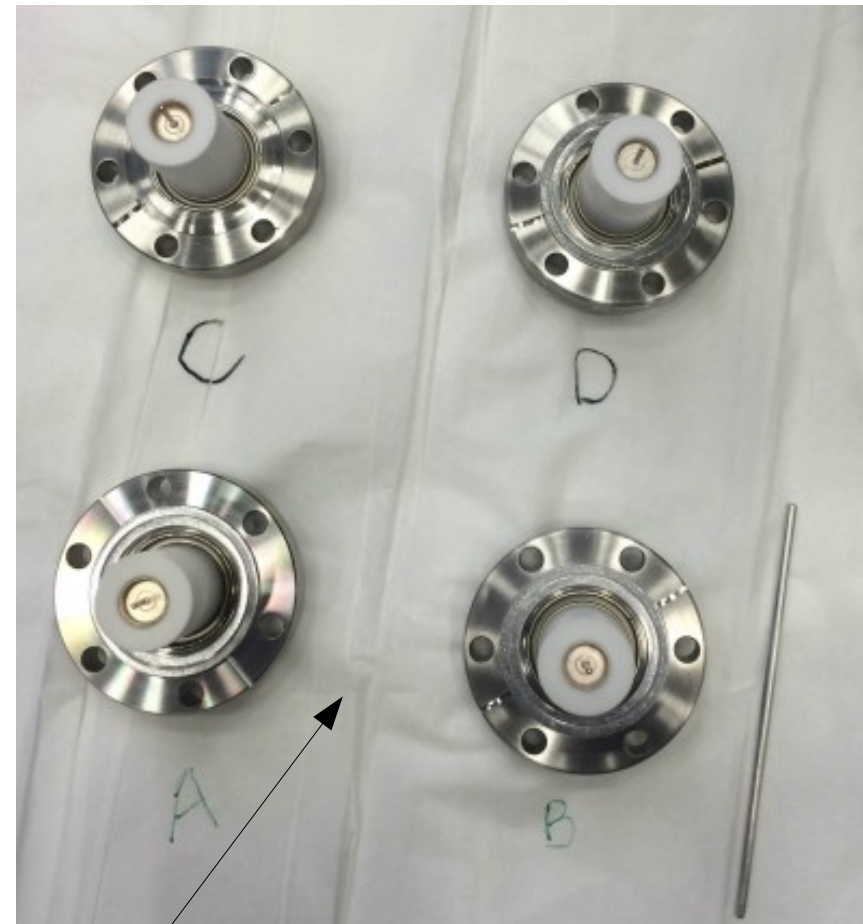


Test with Extensions(September 2016)



Test:
Two pulsers operating
at 24-32 kV, field is ON

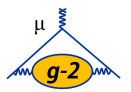
Prototype design for test



Result:

- ✓ **Extended HV feedthrough flange prevented damage to the HV feedthroughs.**

Potting the HV resistors



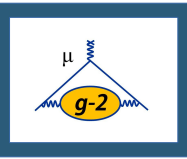
- Prime all surfaces which will be in contact with epoxy except the metal parts(RTV)
- Install the resistor into tube and the receptacle.
- Install the HV resistor assembly under the vacuum belljar.
- Degas the epoxy in vacuum belljar.
- Use degassed epoxy to pot the resistor under vacuum.

Setup for potting the resistors

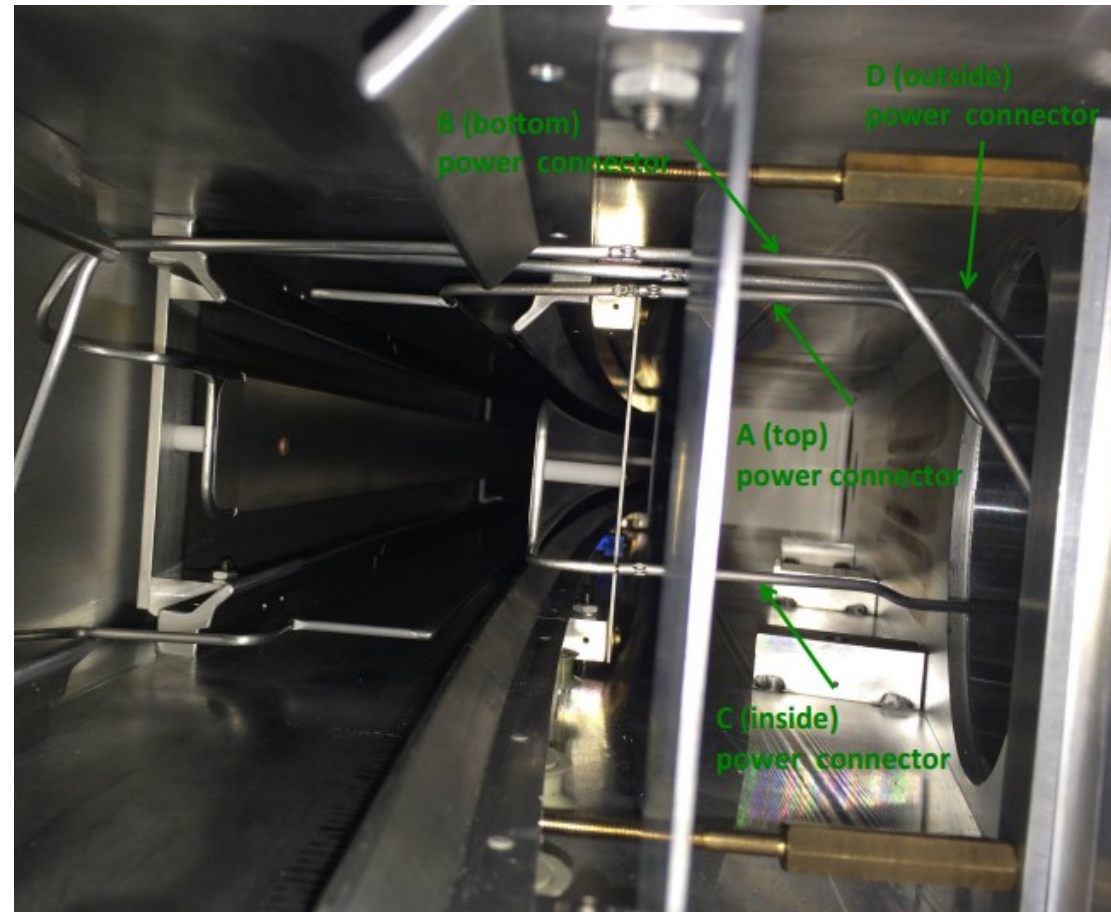
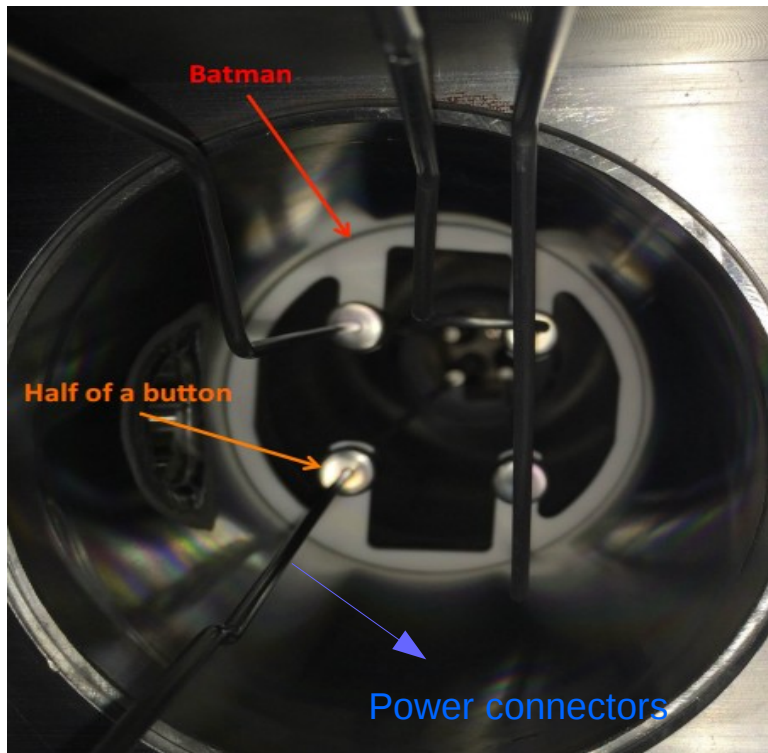


33 resistors (1 for spare) were potted in 24 days.

Installation of the HV feedthrough extension

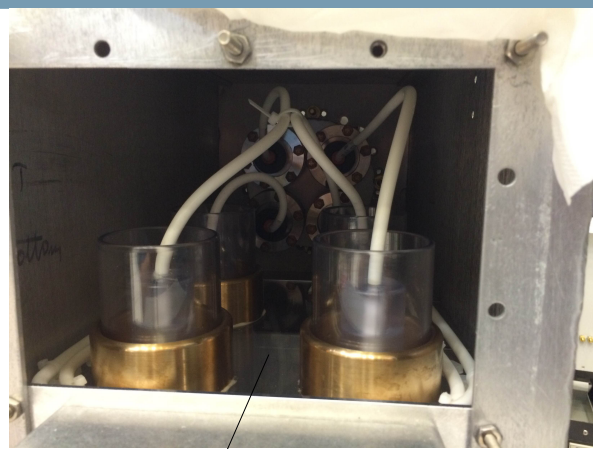
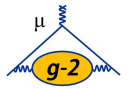


- **Batman** → Supports the power connectors.

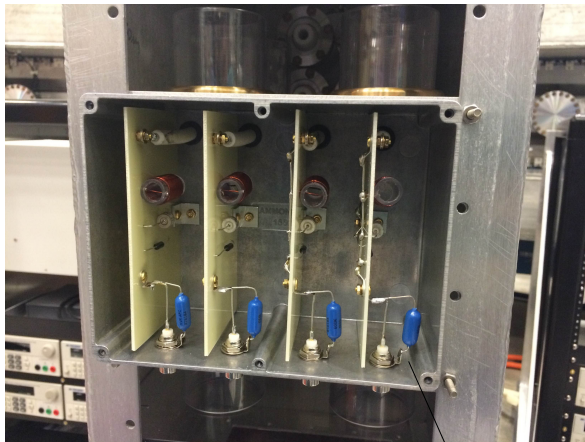


- ✓ Have to be careful about distance between leads.
- ✓ Leads can not get in the way of trolley.

Installation of the HV feedthrough extension - 2



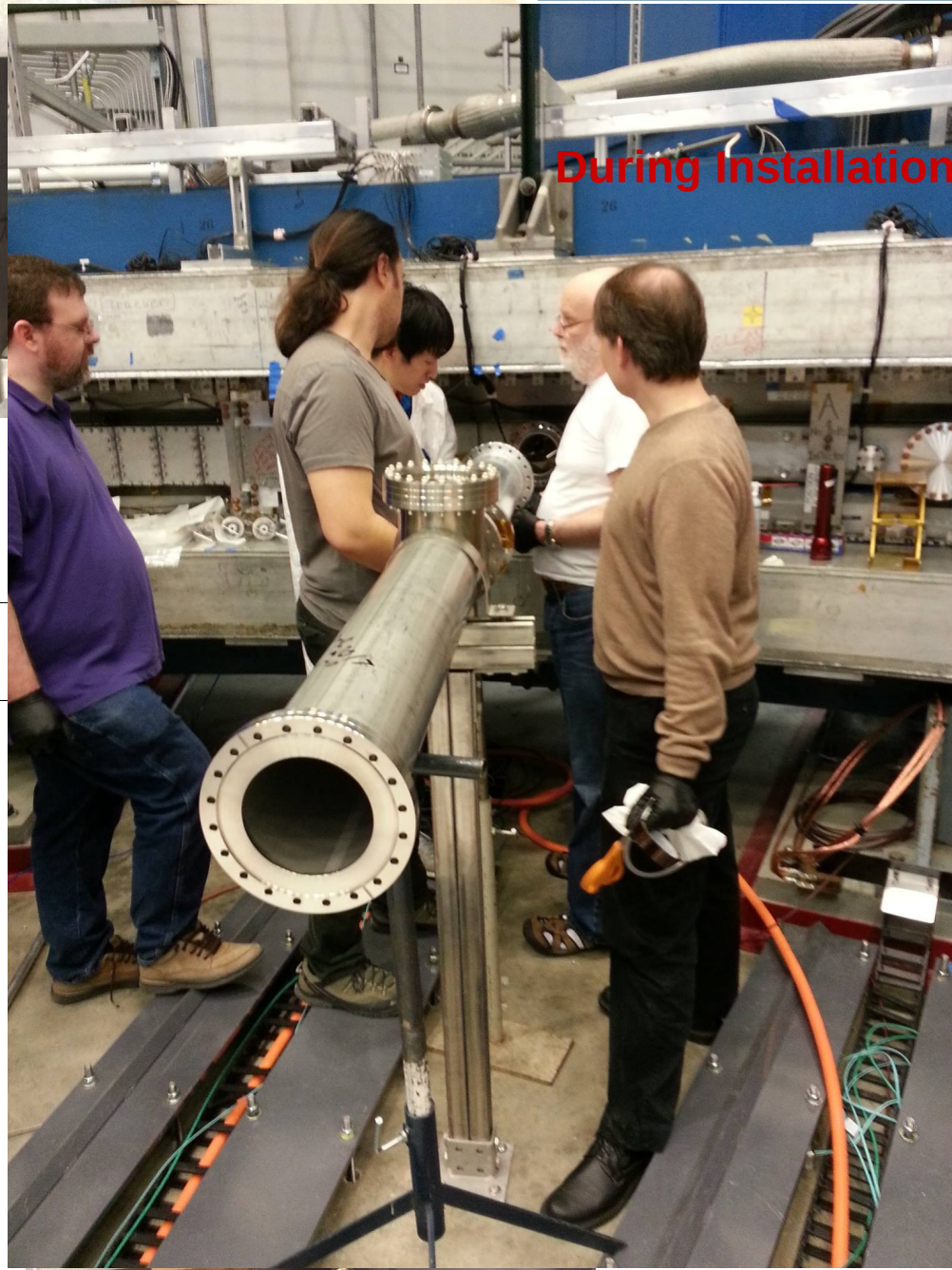
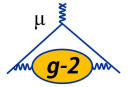
Potted resistors



Spark detection: Readout electronics measure the change on voltage across HV resistors.

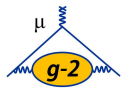


Installation of the HV feedthrough extension - 2

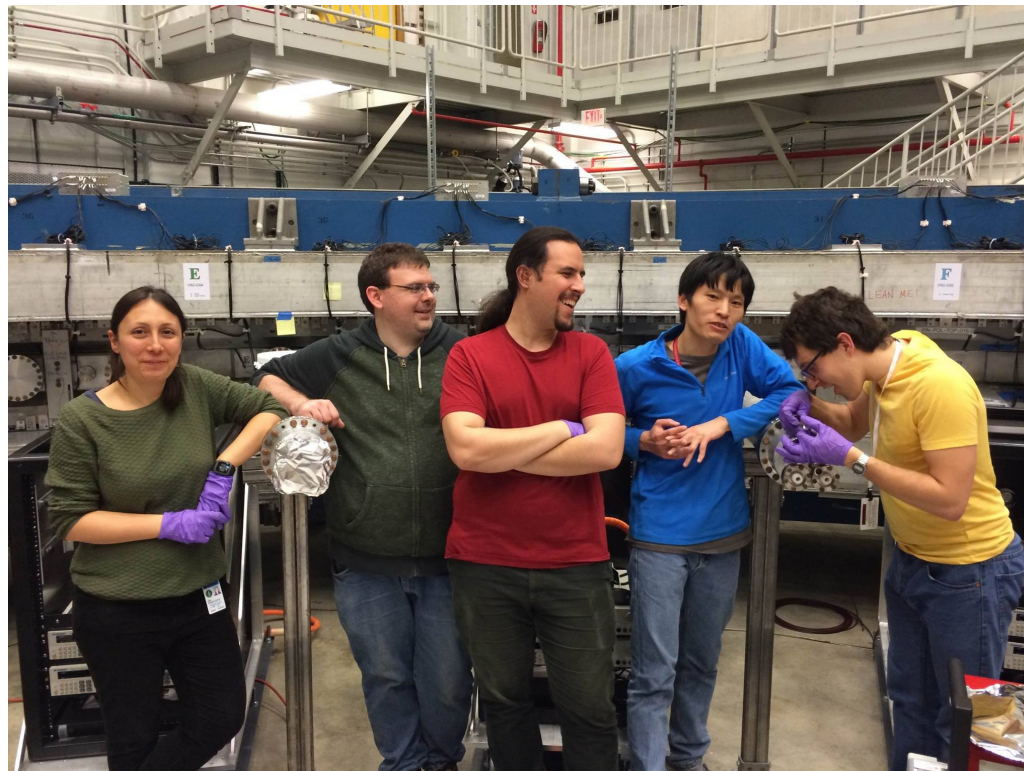


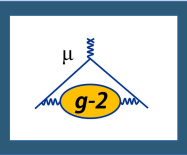
without electronics measure the change on
sensors.

Conclusion

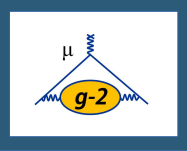


- ✓ All 32 resistors were potted during April.
- ✓ All of the quad extensions were installed last month (8-16 hours each).
- ✓ Quads have been conditioned till then.
- ✓ They are operating at 11-15 kV during the commissioning.
- ✓ Upgrading seems to be working successfully.





Thanks!



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