

# **Slow MAS Methodologies Towards to Radioactive Materials???**

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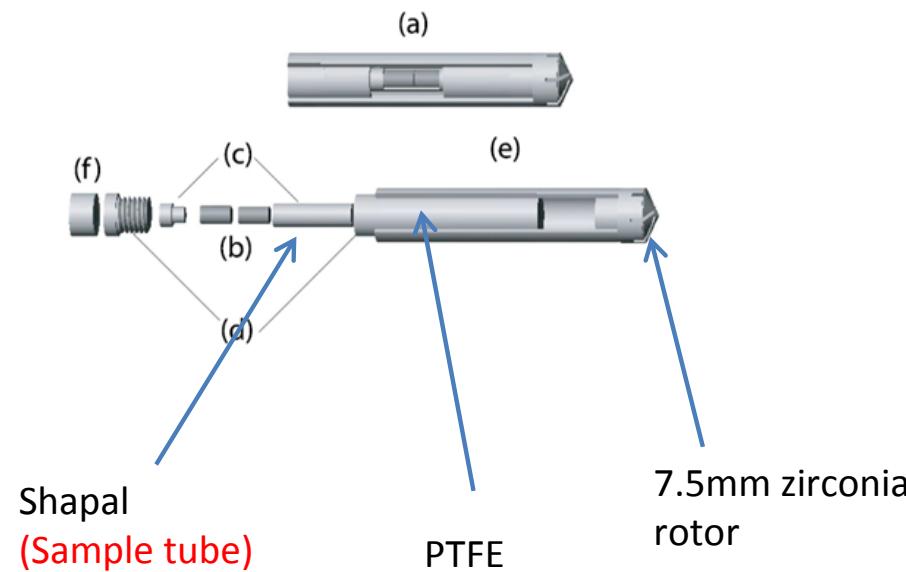
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# Safety Precaution for MAS Experiments

I Farnan, H Cho, WJ Weber et al. Rev Sci Instr 75, 5232 (2004)

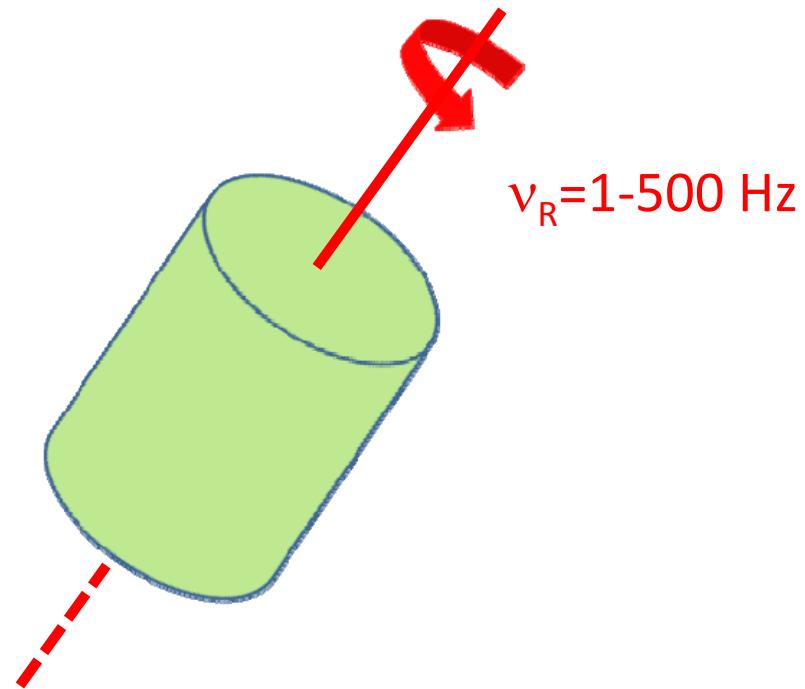
## Triple-containment MAS System



Prevent leakage especially  
during sample spinning !!

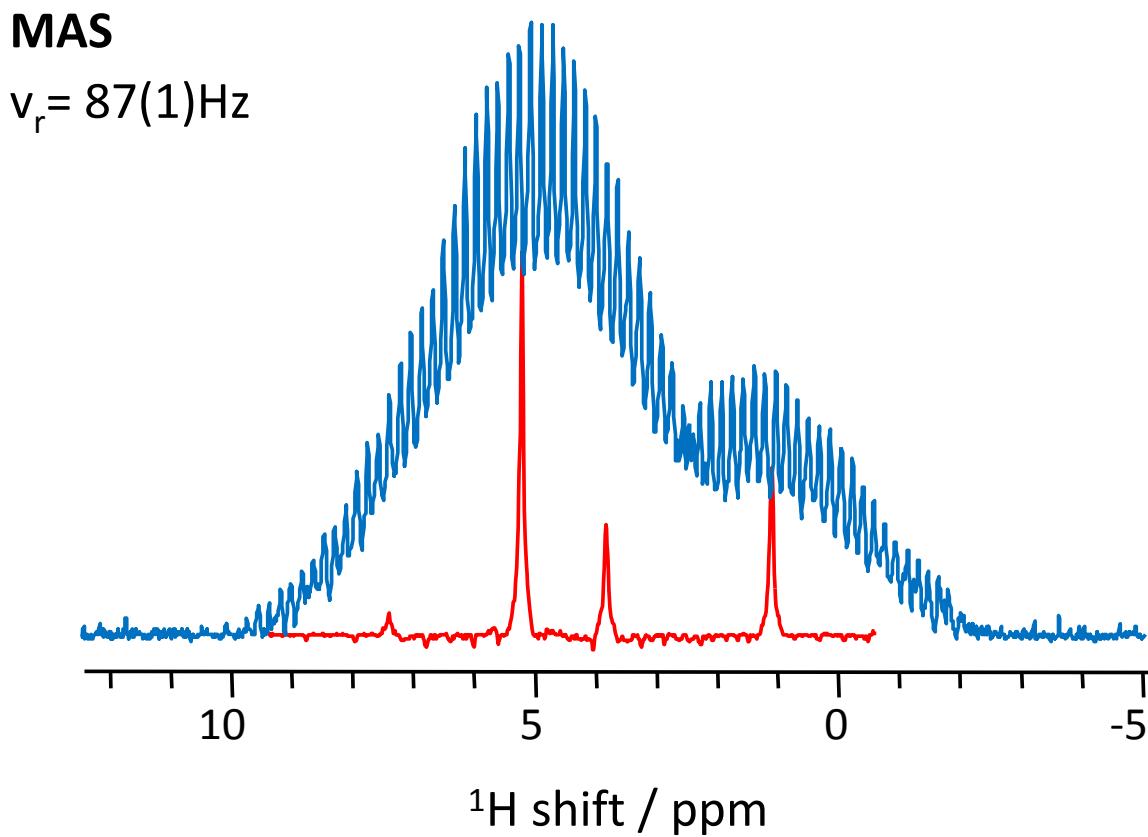
## (1) 'SLOW' Magic-Angle Spinning

- Minimized centrifugal force ( $F=mv^2r$ ) from spinning
- Enhanced safety
- Lessen sample invasion
- High-resolution



# Problem with Slow MAS Spectroscopy

Ethonal/D<sub>2</sub>O with Glass Bleads

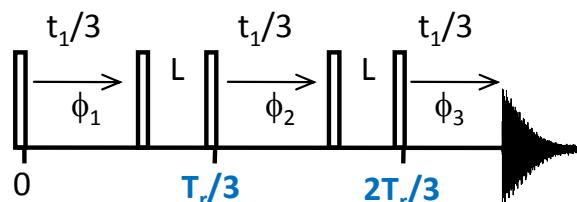


# Tool Kits for High-Resolution Slow MAS

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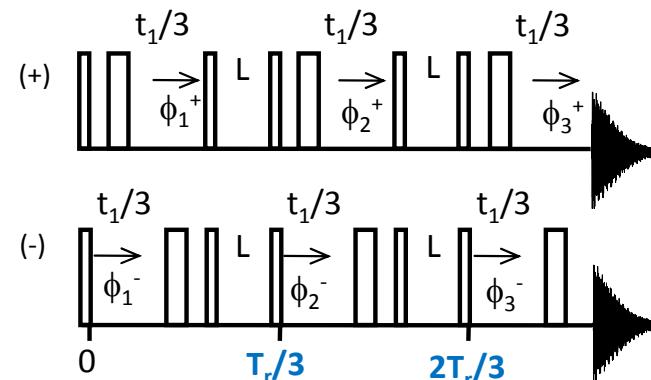
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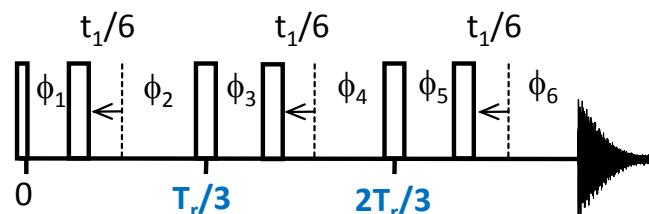
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**PHORMAT**



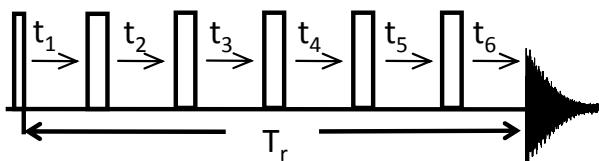
JZ Hu et al JMR A113, 210 (1995)

**5π-MAT**



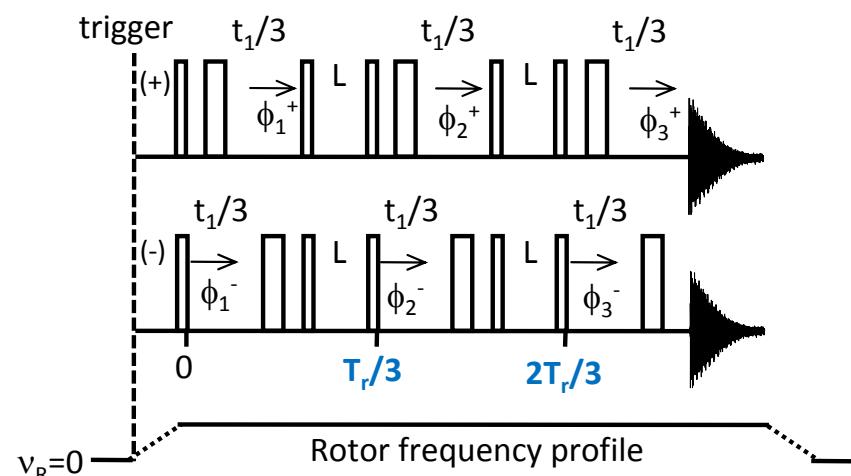
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**2D-PASS**



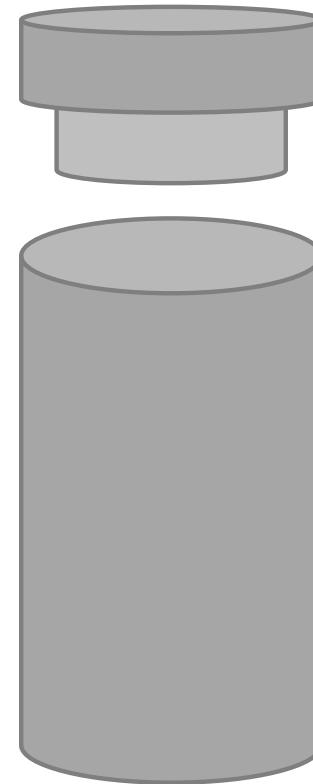
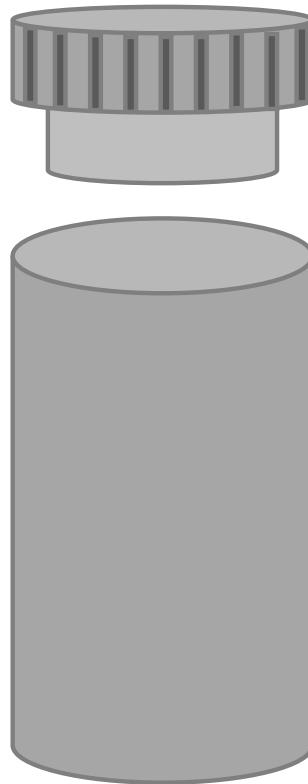
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**DMAT**



JZ Hu et al JMR 198, 105 (2009)

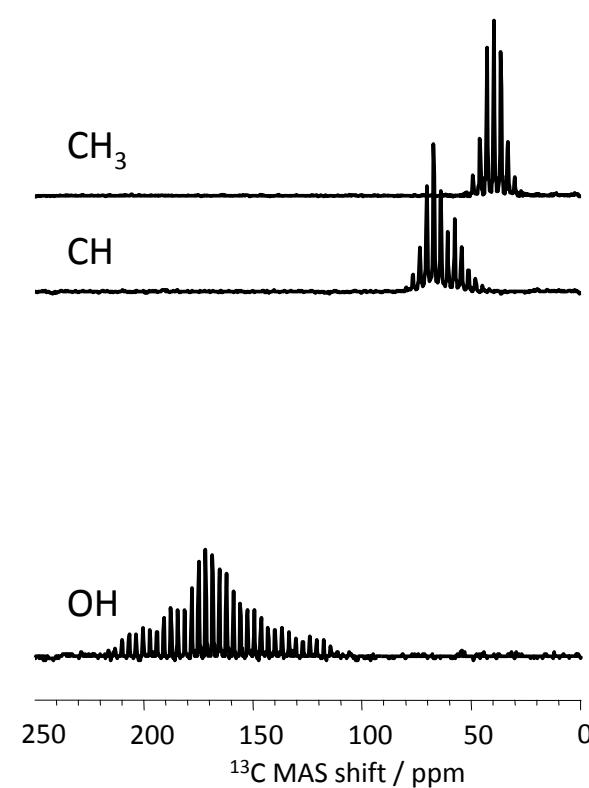
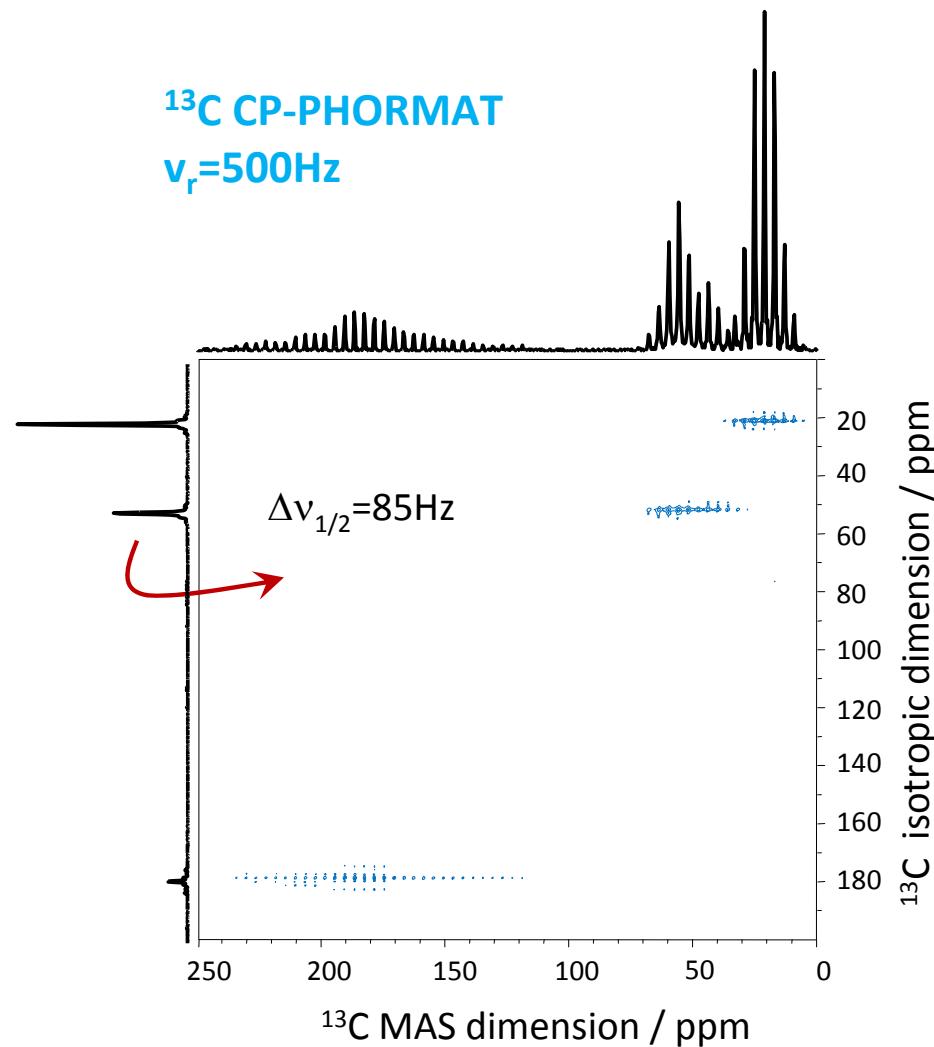
# Slow Magic-Angle Spinning



- Smooth grooveless rotor cap
- Big Rotor (if possible)
- Dense Insert (if possible)
- $45 \pm <1\text{Hz}$

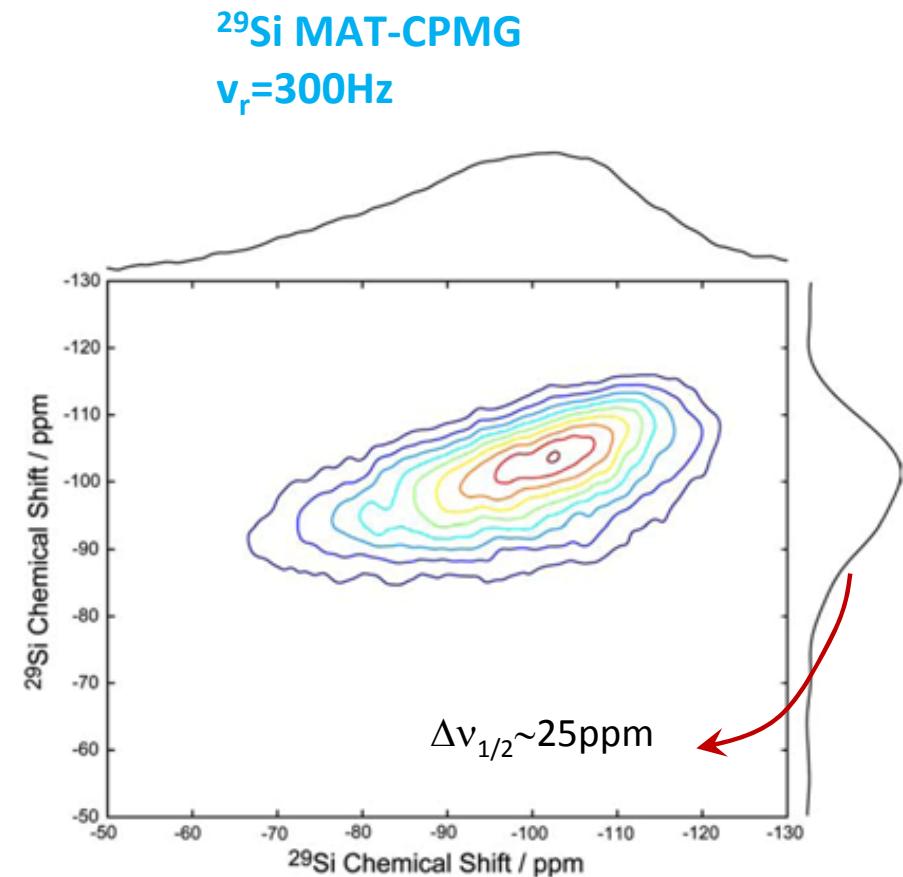
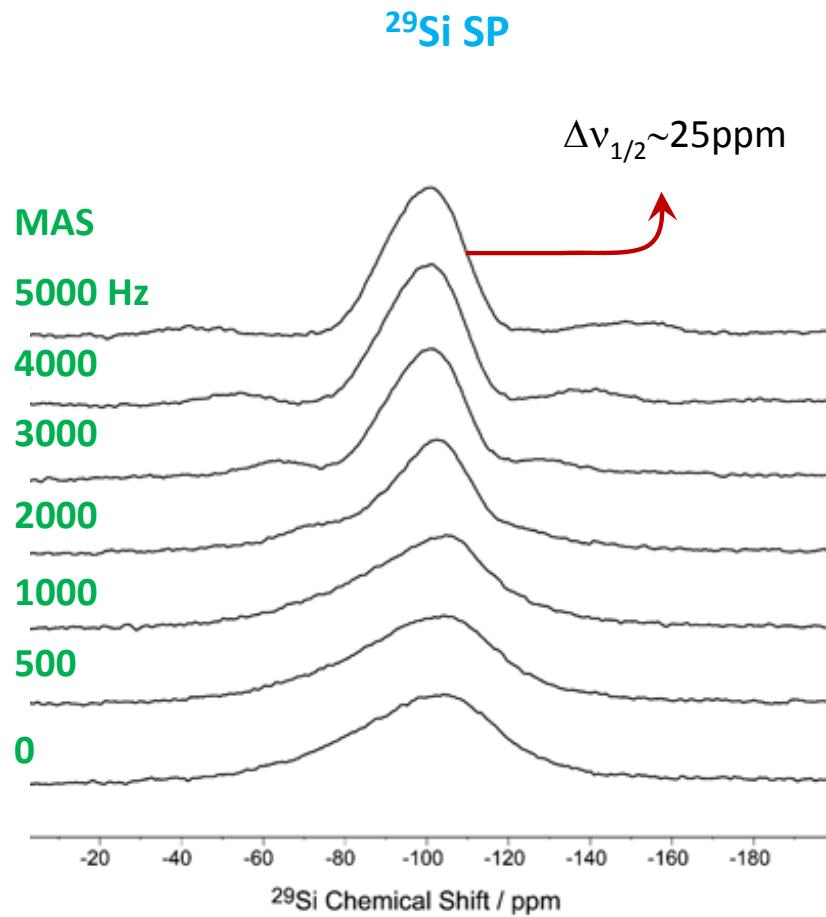
# High-Resolution Slow $^{13}\text{C}$ MAS

L-Alanine (3 C sites)



# High-Resolution Slow $^{29}\text{Si}$ MAS

Amorphous Borosilicate glass (CE-57)

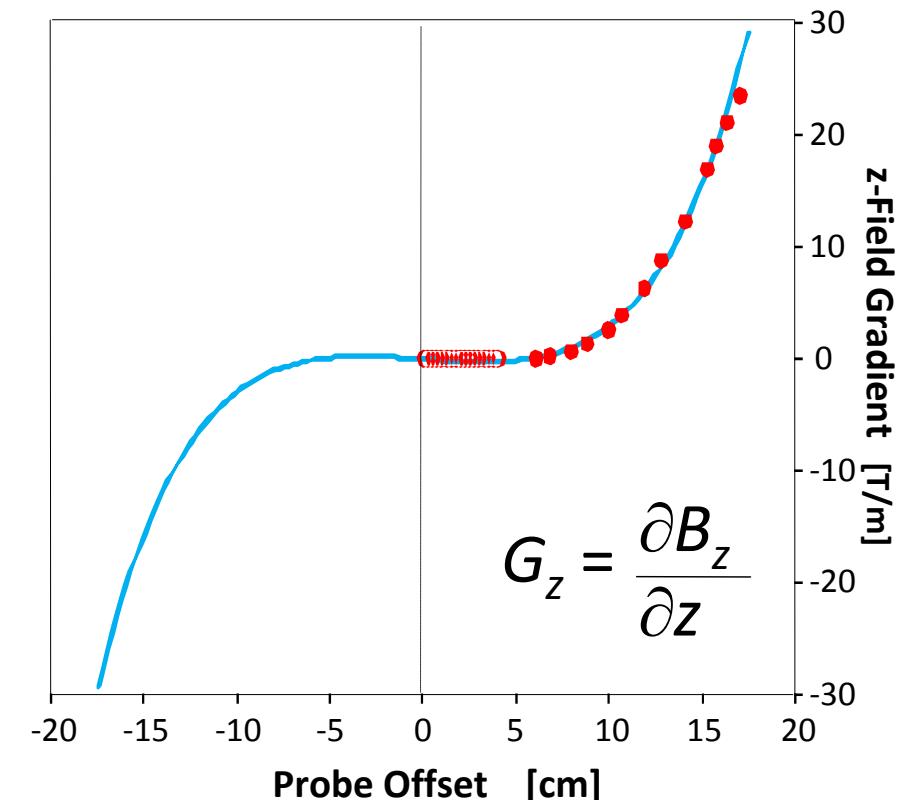
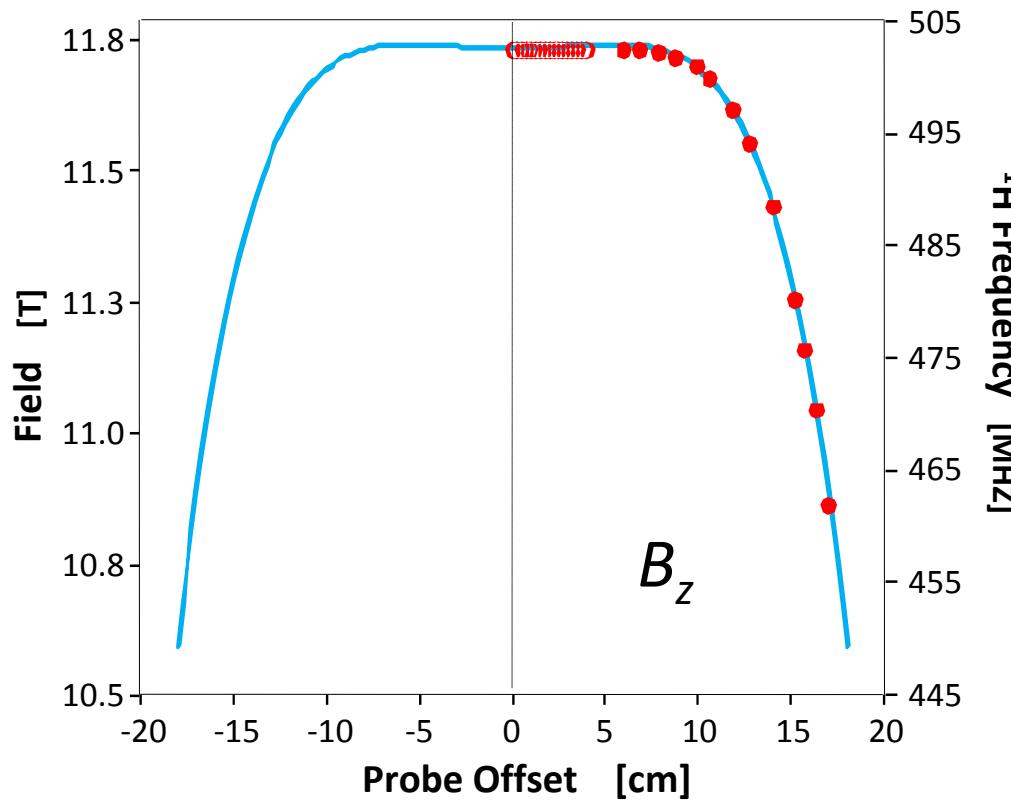


# Multi-dimensional Imaging: Combined Stray Field with Slow MAS

JH Baltisberger et al JMR 172, 79 (2005)

An Easy and Effective Imaging Approach !!!

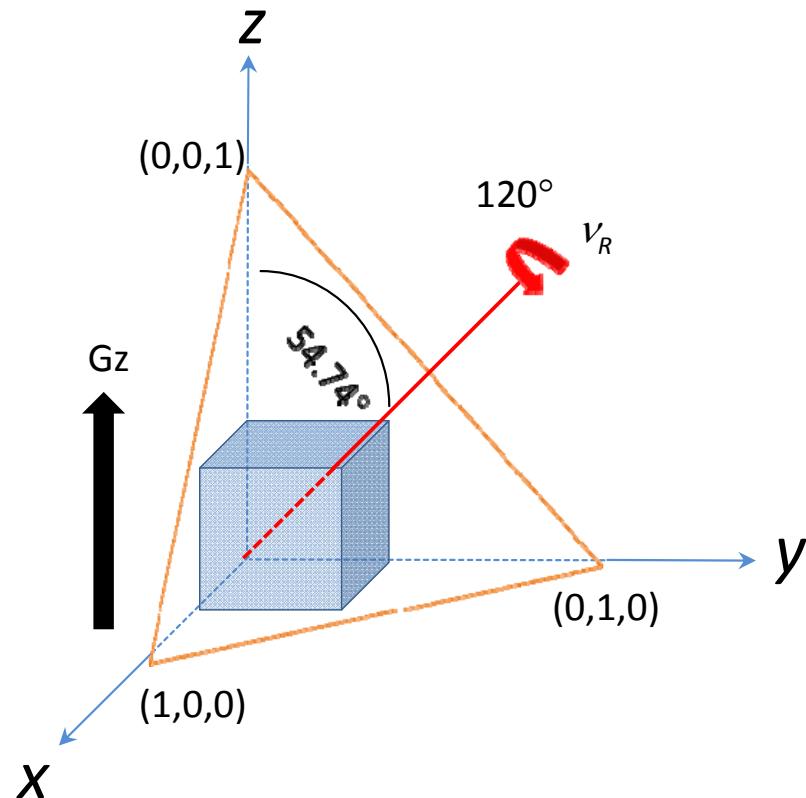
11.75 T Widebore Bruker 500 UltraShield™ Magnet



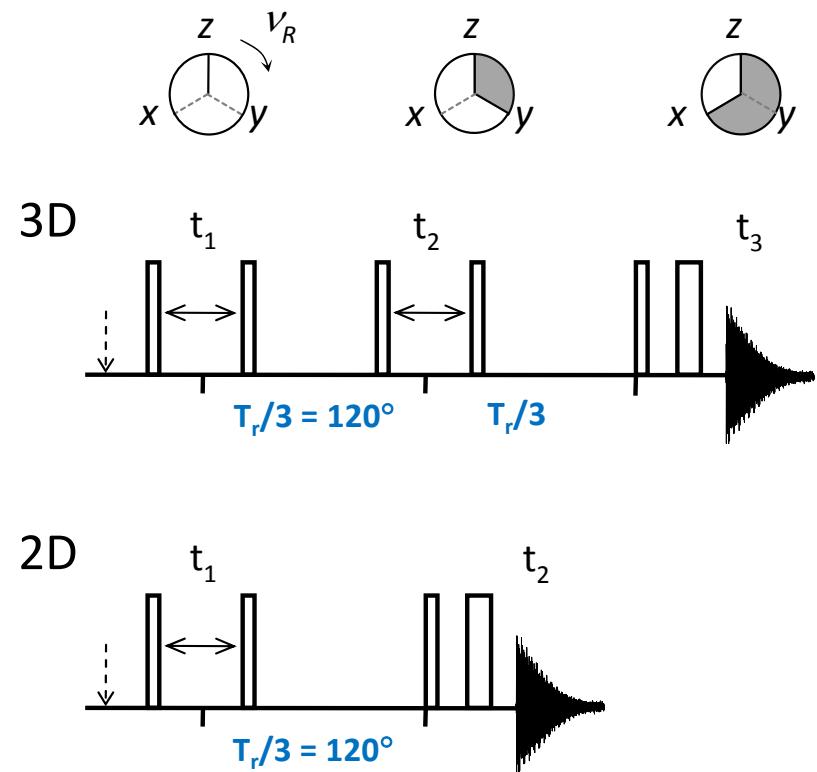
$$G_z = \frac{\partial B_z}{\partial z}$$

# Multi-dimensional Imaging: STRAFI-MAS

## Sample Rotation

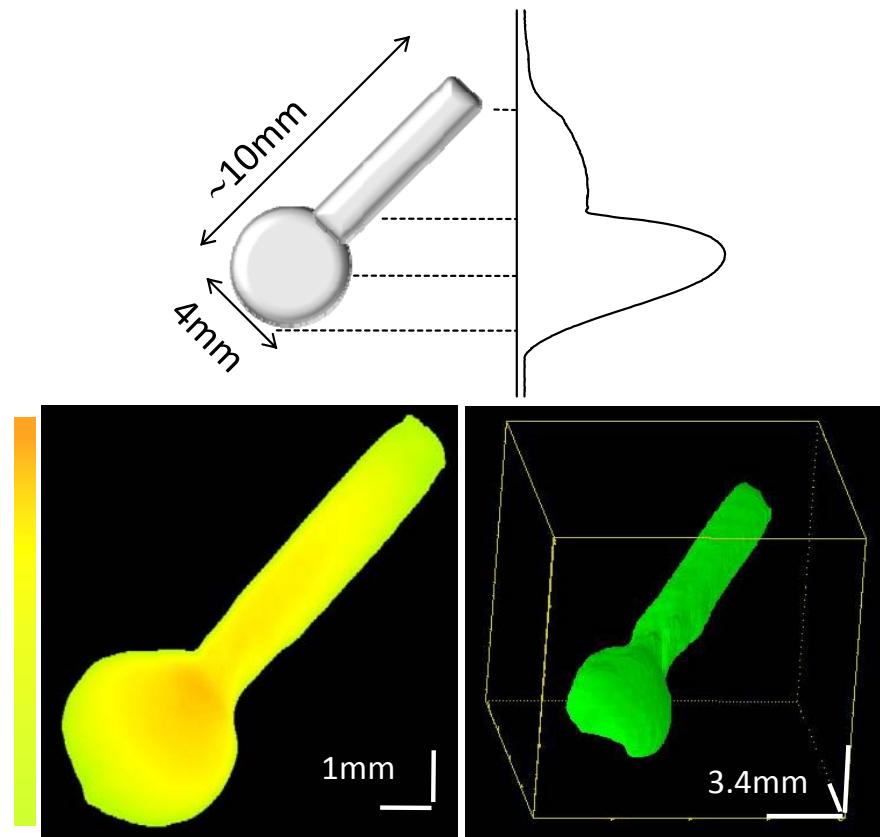


## STRAFI-MAS Experiment



# STRAFI-MAS Imaging

<sup>1</sup>H Image



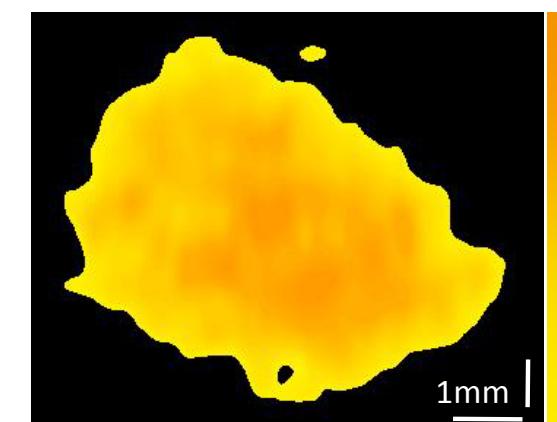
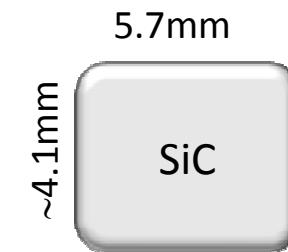
498.88 MHz at 11.75 T

**Gz ~ 0.6 T/m**

~19 x 380  $\mu$ m  
30 min

~19 x 743 x 380  $\mu$ m;  
32 hr

<sup>29</sup>Si Image



99.16 MHz at 11.75 T

**Gz ~ 0.4 T/m**

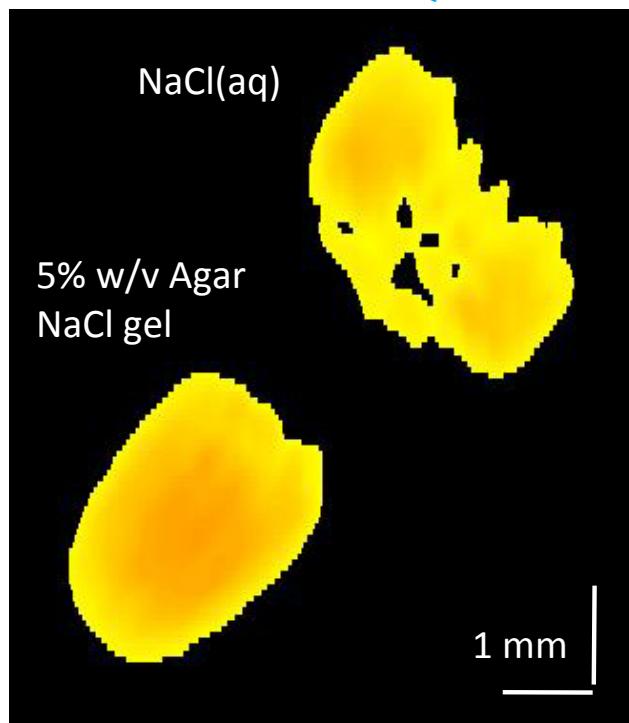
~56 x 520  $\mu$ m  
39 hr

# STRAFI-MAS Selective $^{23}\text{Na}$ Imaging

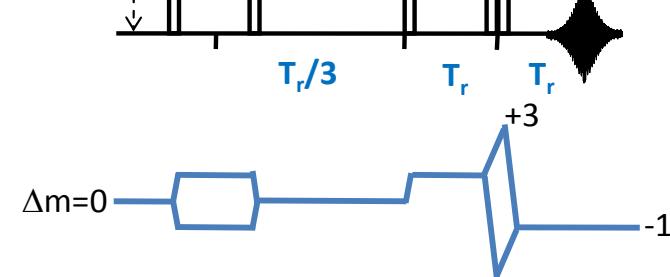
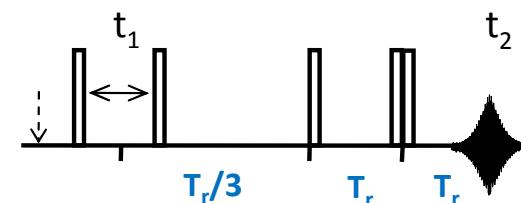
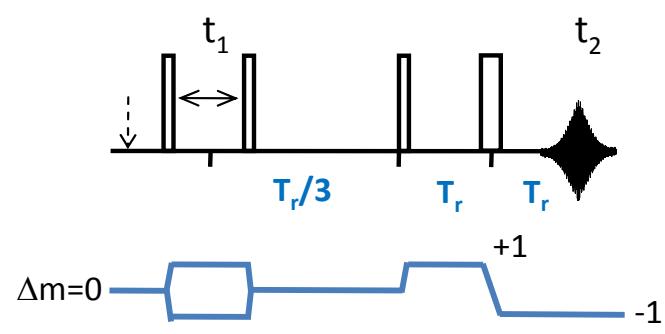
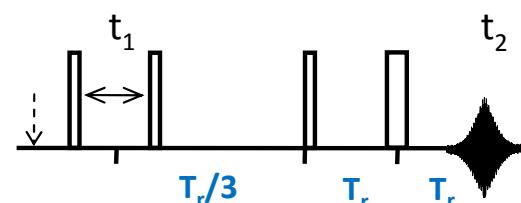
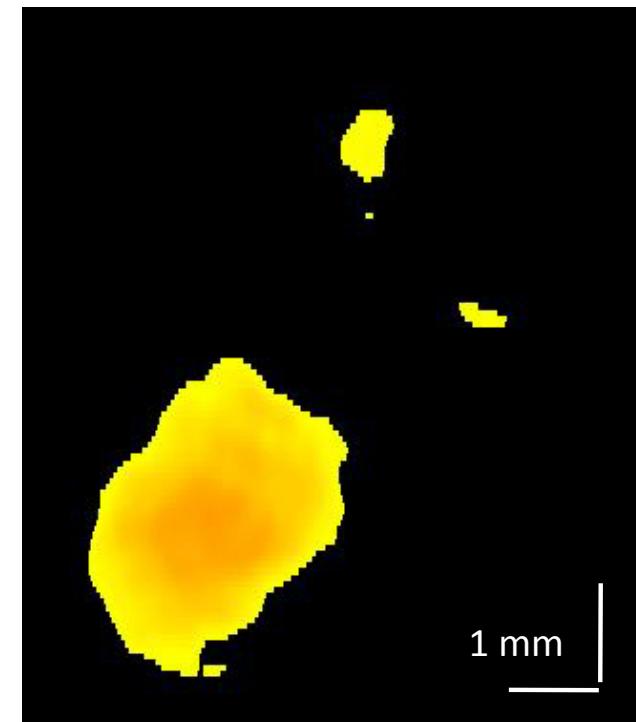
79.2 MHz at 7.05 T

$G_z \sim 0.15 \text{ T/m}$

Without TQF

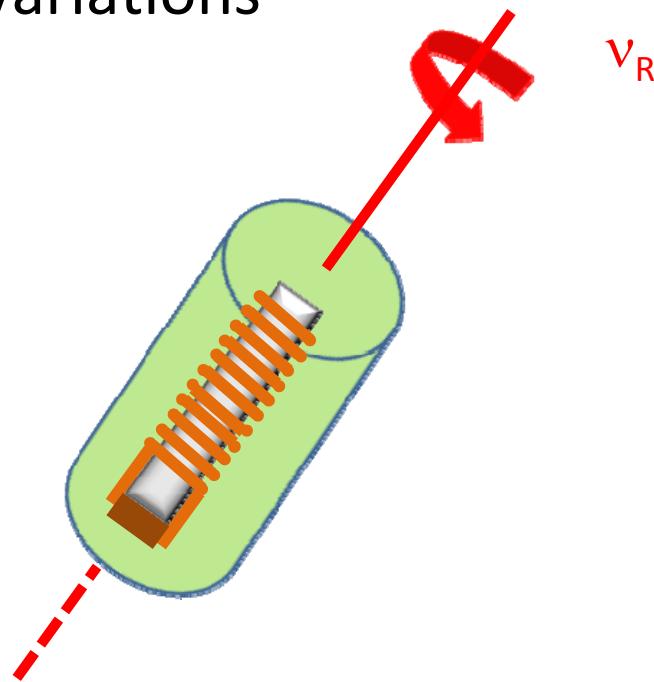


With TQF

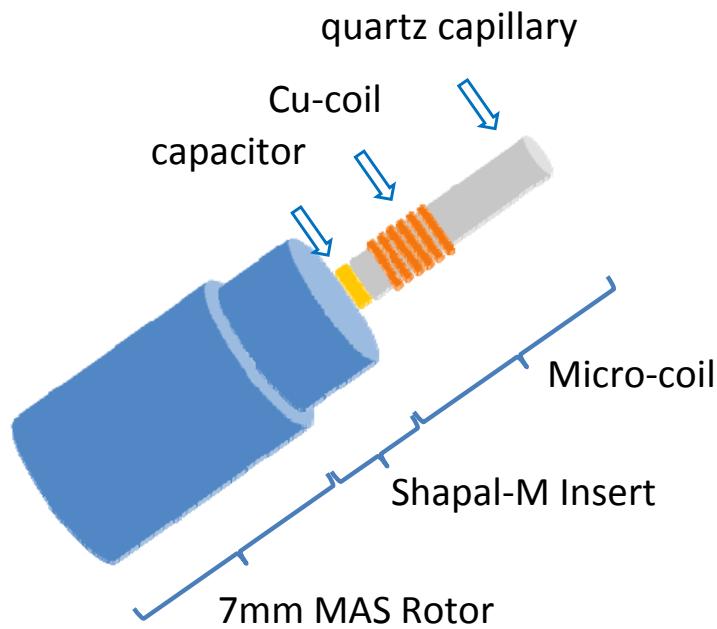


## (2) Magic-Angle Coil Spinning (MACS)

- Signal enhancement
- High-resolution
- Size/Volume variations



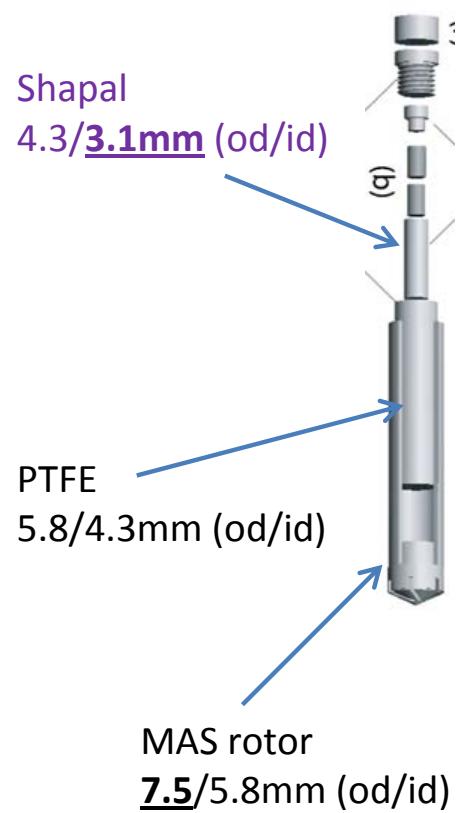
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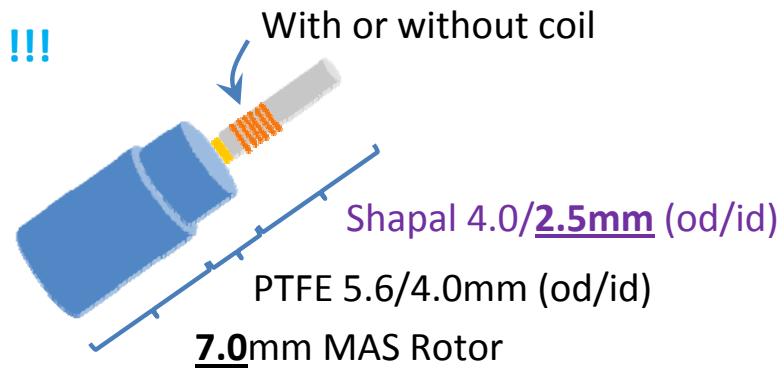
486 MHz  
530/660  $\mu\text{m}$  (id/od)  
capillary

# $^{29}\text{Si}$ MACS Spectroscopy

Triple-containment  
MAS System

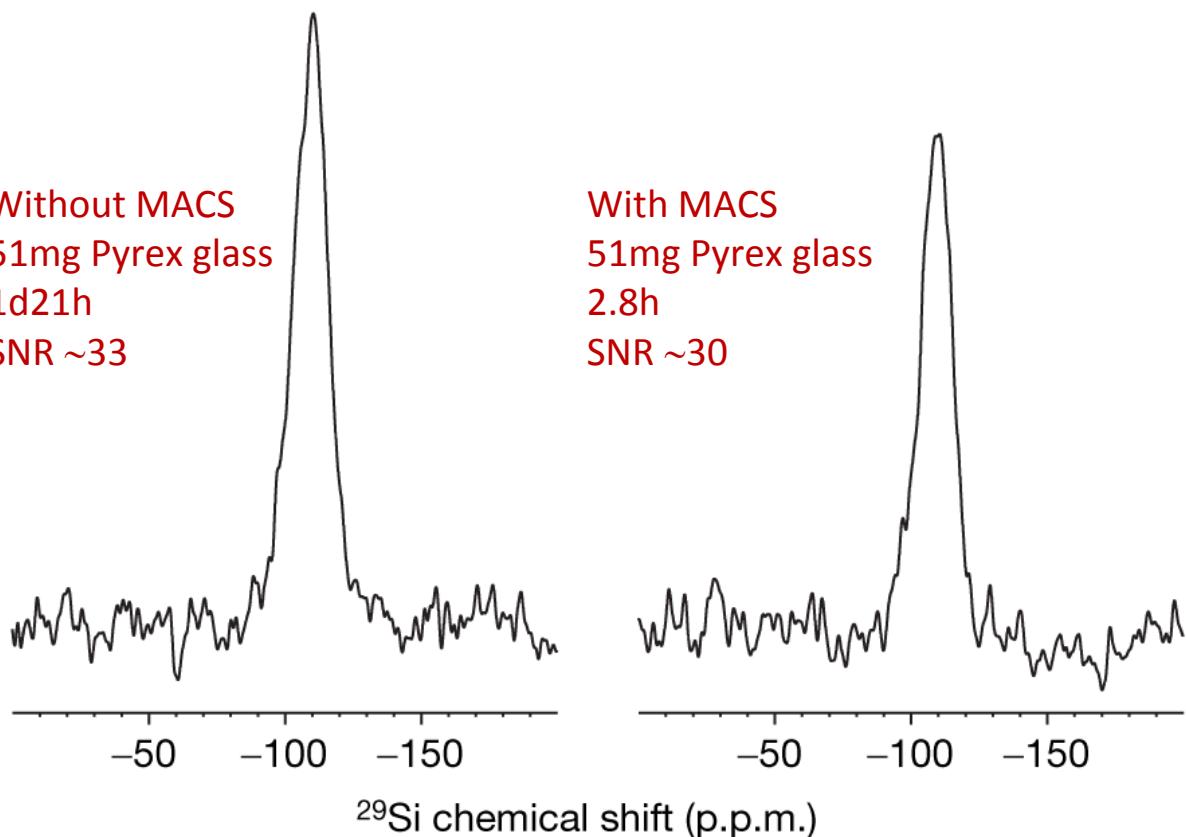


A Model !!!



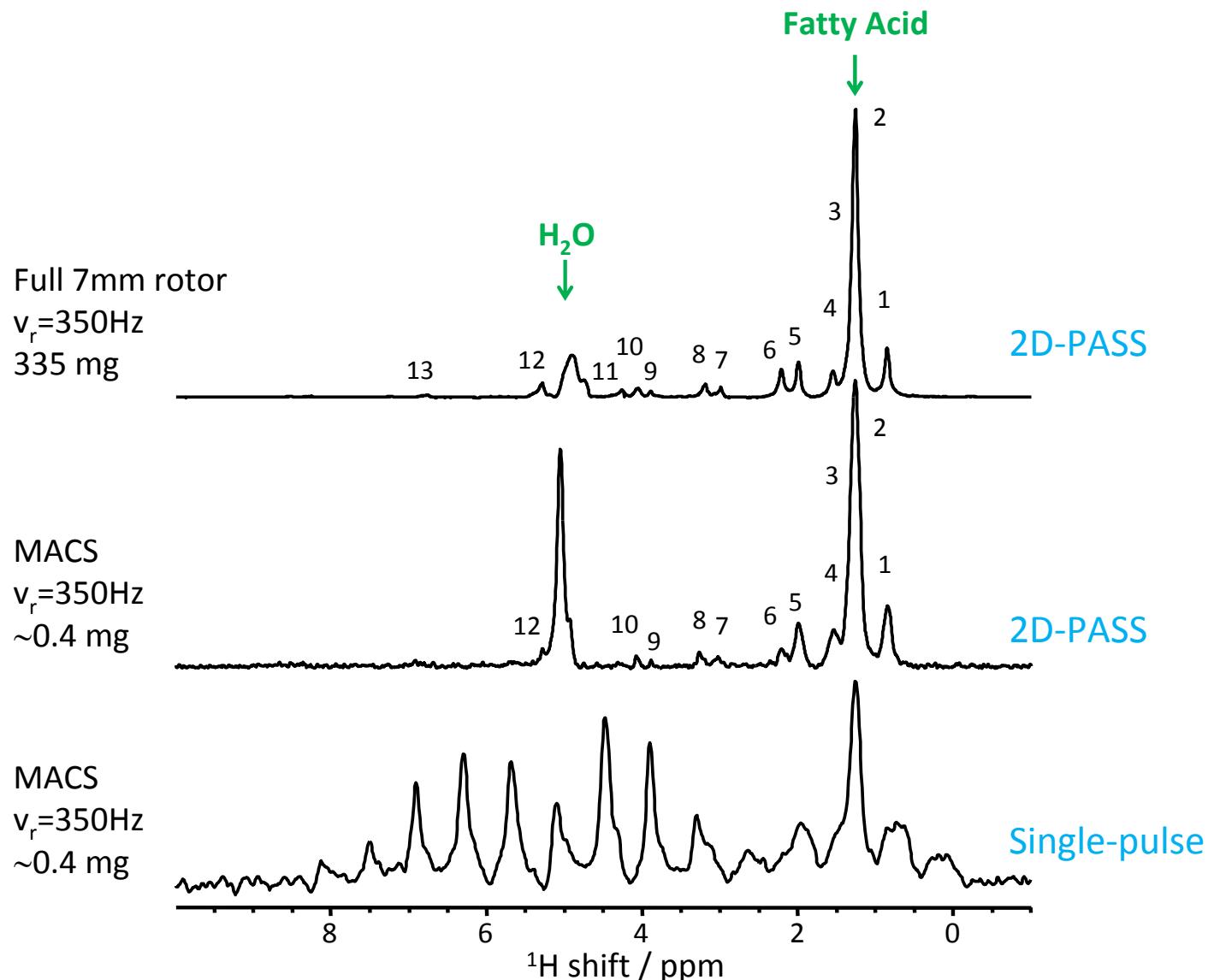
Without MACS  
51mg Pyrex glass  
1d21h  
SNR ~33

With MACS  
51mg Pyrex glass  
2.8h  
SNR ~30



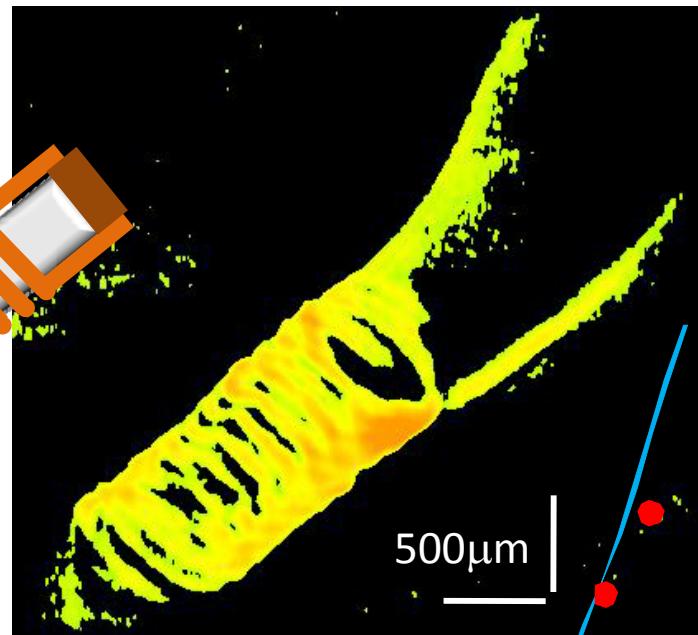
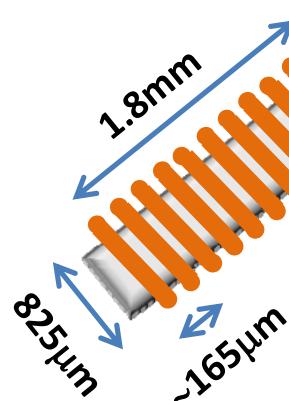
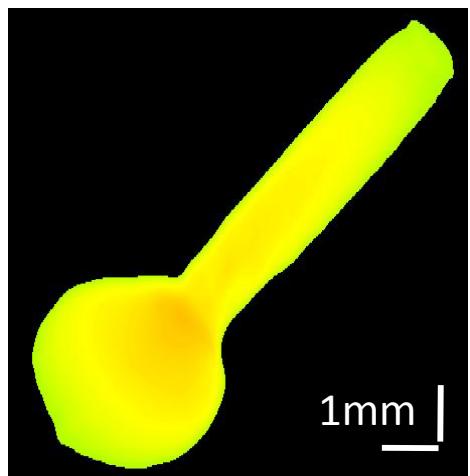
# Micro-Sized Slow MACS Spectroscopy

Bovine tissue (H metabolites)

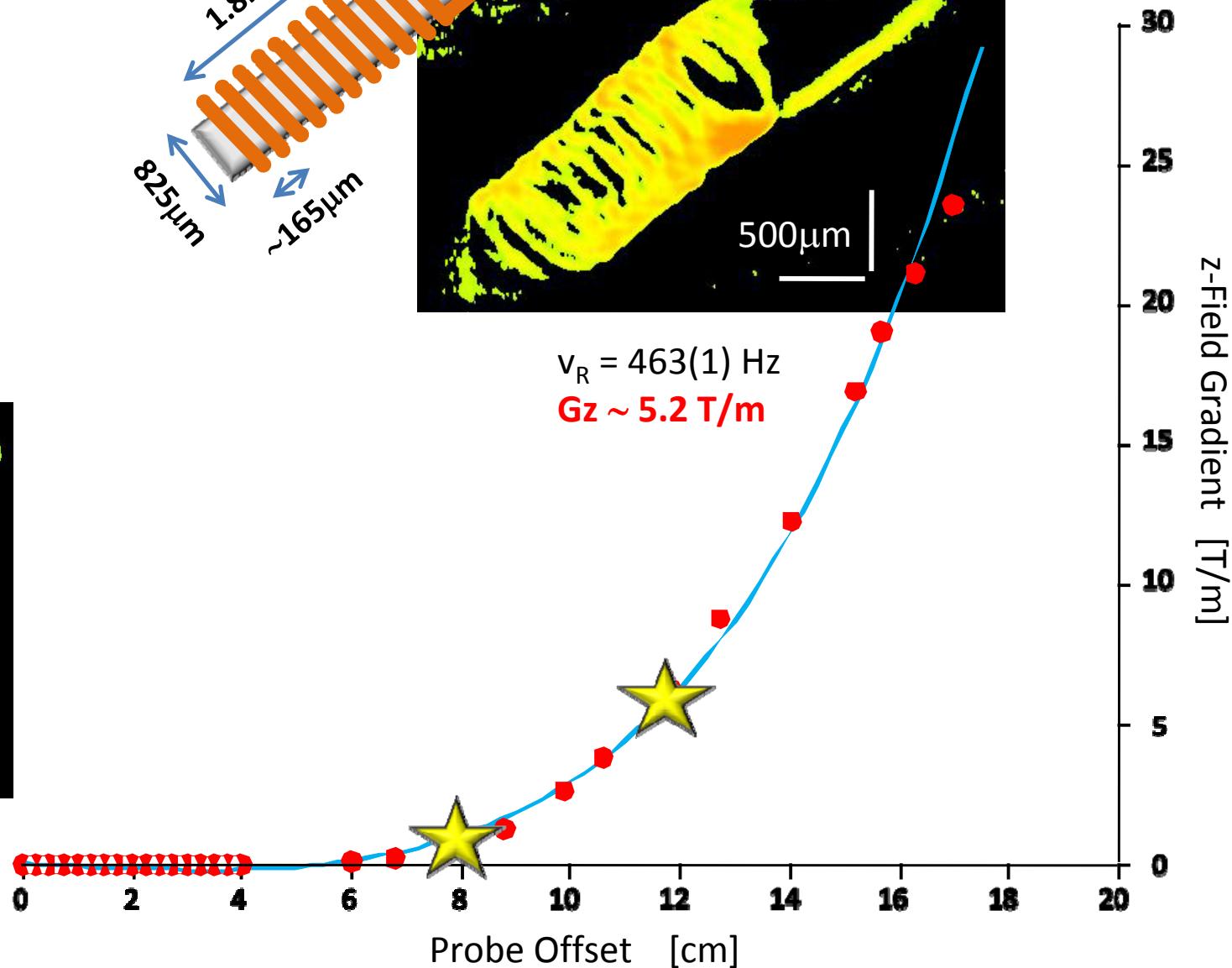


# Micro-Sized Slow MAS Imaging

$v_R = 110(1)$  Hz  
 $G_z \sim 0.6$  T/m



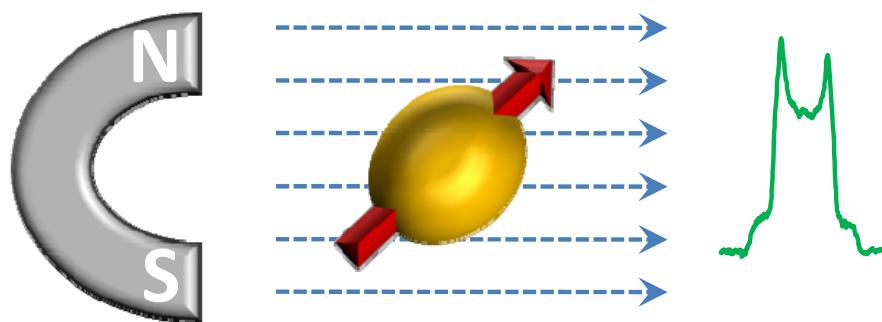
$v_R = 463(1)$  Hz  
 $G_z \sim 5.2$  T/m



## (3) Portable Permanent Magnet

- On-site (*ex-situ* and *in-situ*) measurement
- Low cost

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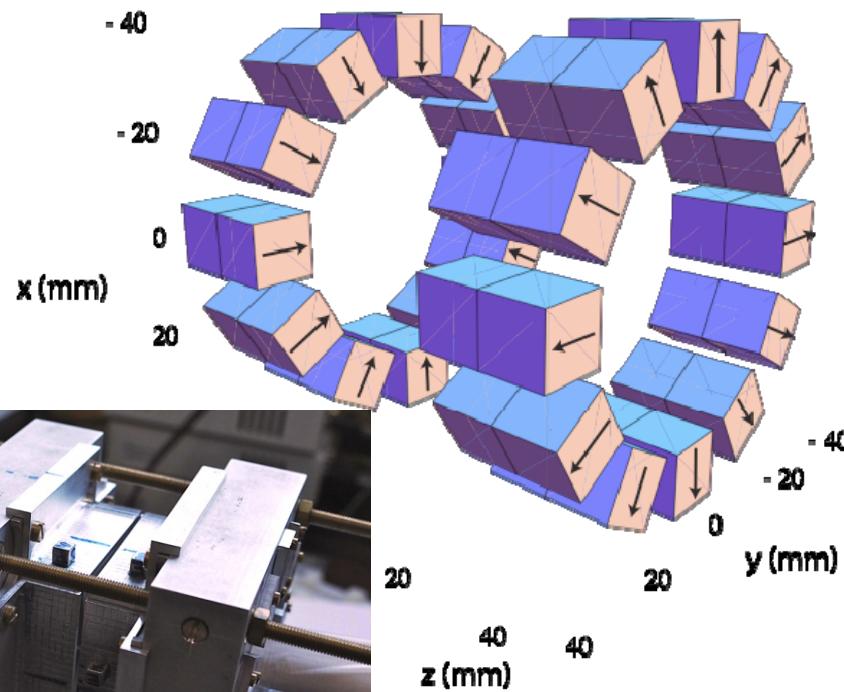
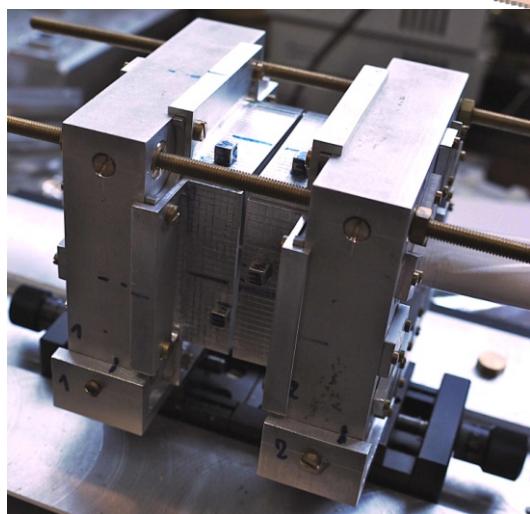
# Approach to Magnet Design

- Field variation
- Good field homogeneity
- Low cost & portability

$$B_z(r, \theta, \phi) = Z_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} r^n \left[ Z_n P_n(\cos \theta) + \sum_{m=1}^n (X_n^m \cos m\phi + Y_n^m \sin m\phi) P_n^m(\cos \theta) \right]$$

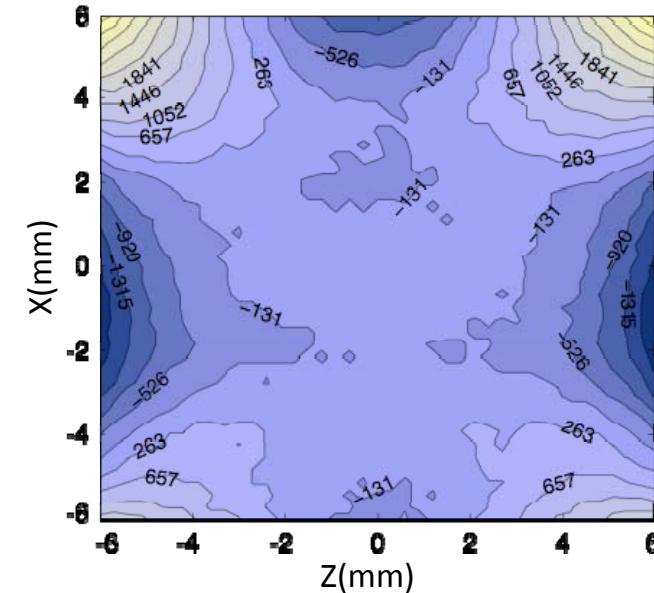
# Cylindrical *In-situ* Magnet

## Design

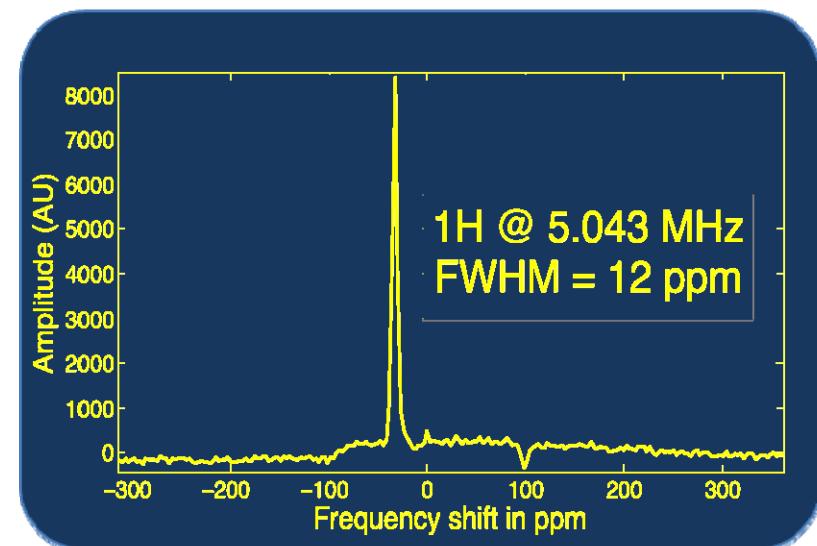


- low cost <200 €
- $B_0 = 120$  mT
- $\Delta B = 6$  ppm in 2mm diameter

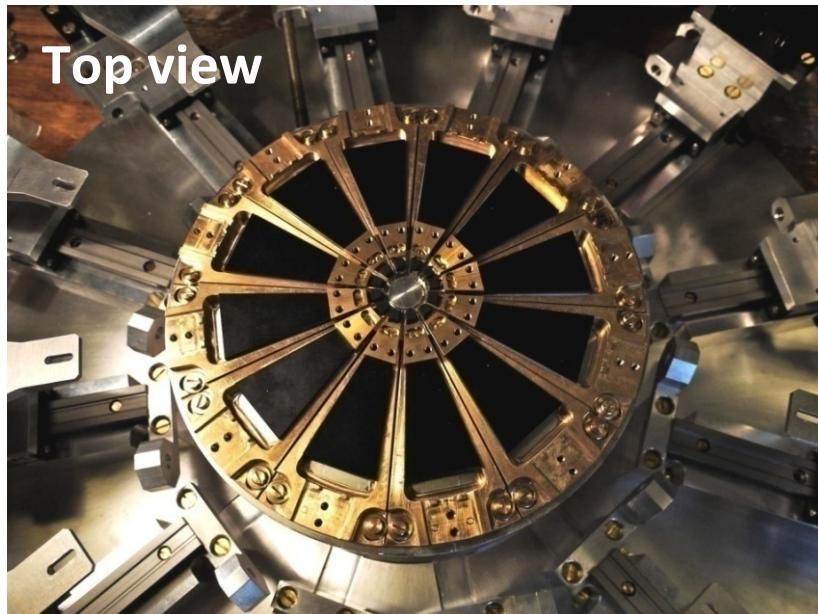
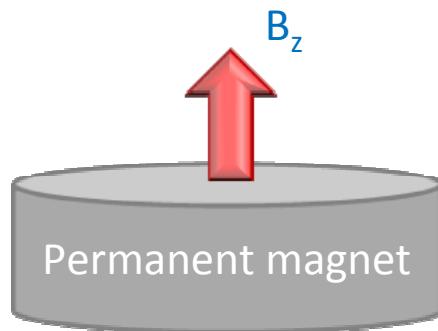
## Field Measurement



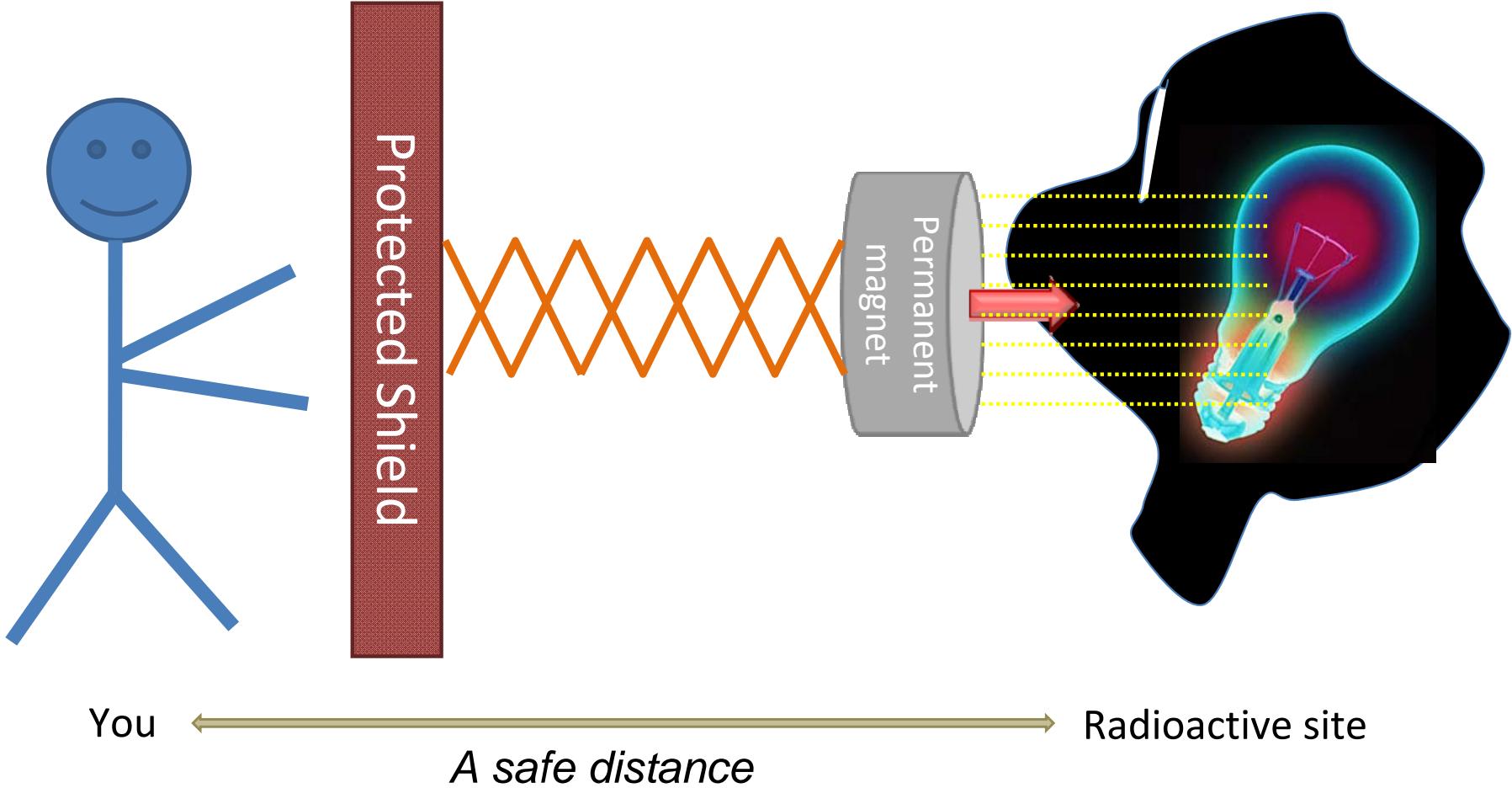
## $^1\text{H}$ NMR Measurement



# Single-Sided *Ex-situ* Magnet



- $B_0 = 0.3 \text{ T}$
- $\Delta B = 3.3 \text{ T/m}$
- Sweet spot @ 2cm from surface
- 1cm diameter spherical volume (with ppm uniform gradient)
- Penetration up to 7cm (with uniform gradient)



## Conclusions

1. Slow-MAS spectroscopy and imaging
  - a. Enhanced safety precaution from spinning
2. Magic-angle coil spinning
  - a. Signal enhancement
  - b. Capable of micro-sized sample
3. Portable permanent magnet
  - a. On-site (*in-* or *ex-situ*) NMR/MRI experiments



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**THANK YOU !!!**