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# Advanced Methods and Techniques

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# Task Breakdown

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- Task 19.1 – Sub mm<sup>3</sup> Samples for Extreme Environments
- Task 19.2 – Multiple-Beam SANS
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- Task 19.4 – Choppers for ESS Instrumentation
- Task 19.5 – Polarising All Neutrons in a Beam

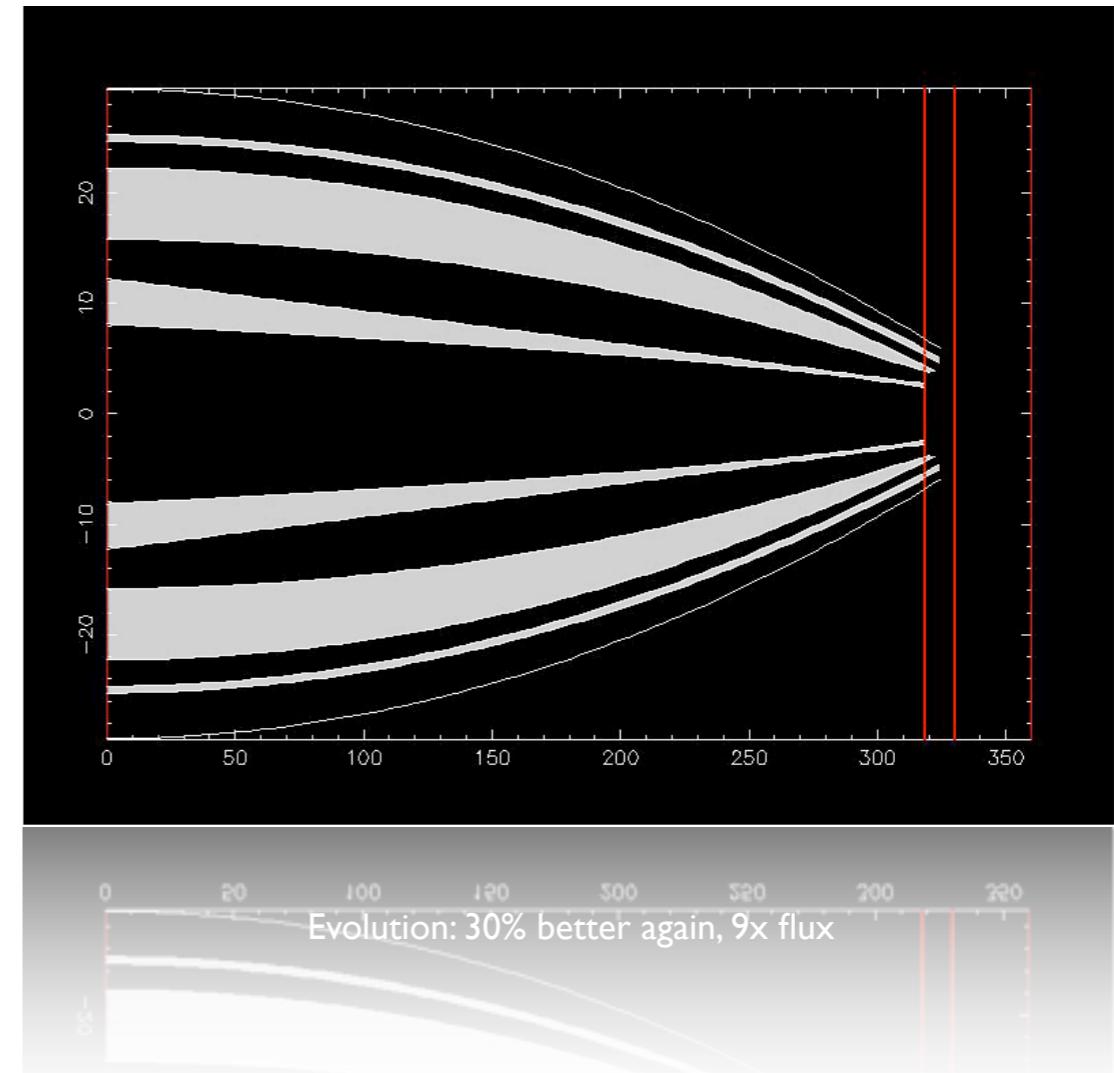


# Task 19.1 – Sub mm<sup>3</sup> Samples for Extreme Environments



- Partners:

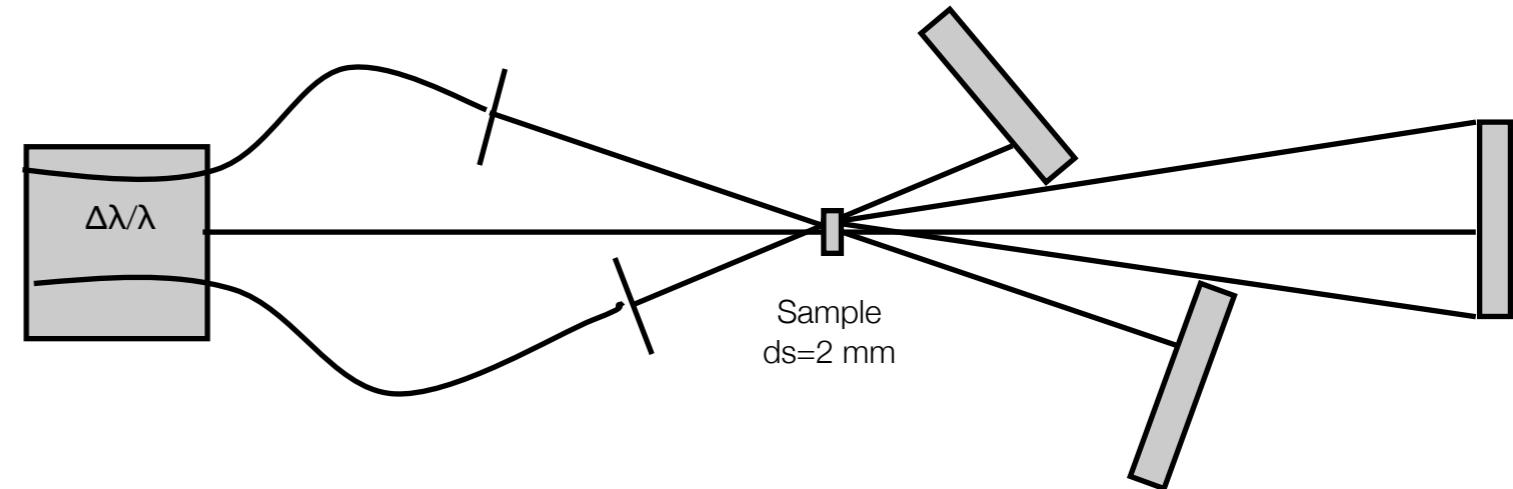
- ESS (30 mo) – Design and optimisation of focussing system, simulations
- ILL (30 mo) – Design of sample environment, fabrication of supermirrors, simulations
- ICMA Zaragoza (30 mo) – Design of instrument, simulations



# Task 19.2 – Multiple-Beam SANS

- Partners:

- ESS (12 mo)
- ILL (12 mo)
- Current discussion is to redistribute this effort to spend more time at the ILL
- ESS becomes a collaborator (not yet finalised)



1.) How to separate beams

2.) How to avoid cross-talks

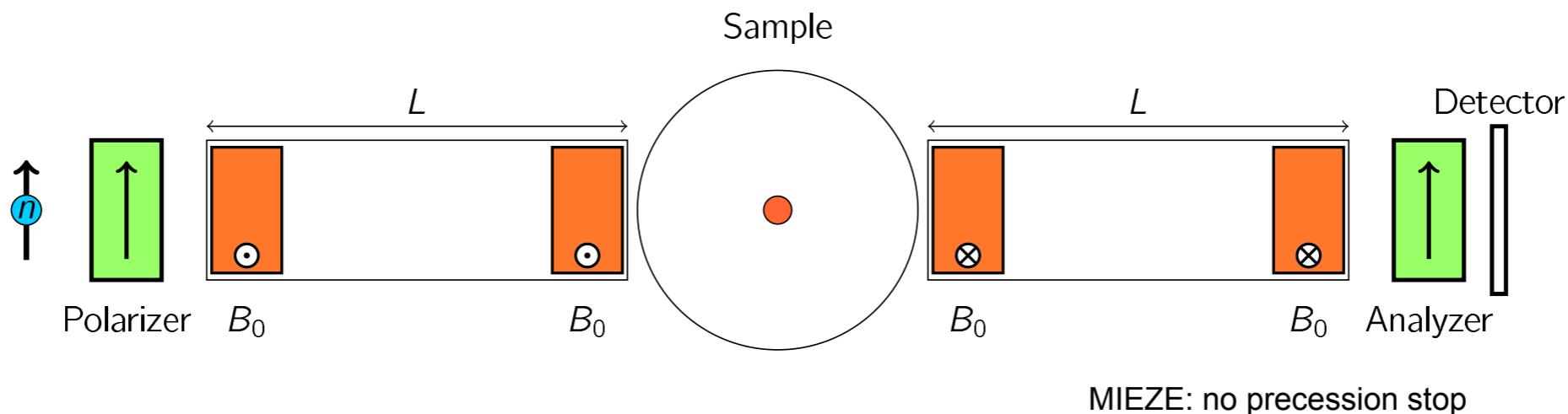
3.) How to implement options for kinetic SANS



# Task 19.3 – Spin Echo with Oscillating Intensity for ESS



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NSE:  $J = \int B \cdot ds$   
NRSE:  $J = 2\omega \cdot ds$

$$\phi_0 = \lambda_0 \cdot m / h \cdot J$$

$$\Delta\phi = \tau_{\text{NSE}} \Delta E / \hbar$$

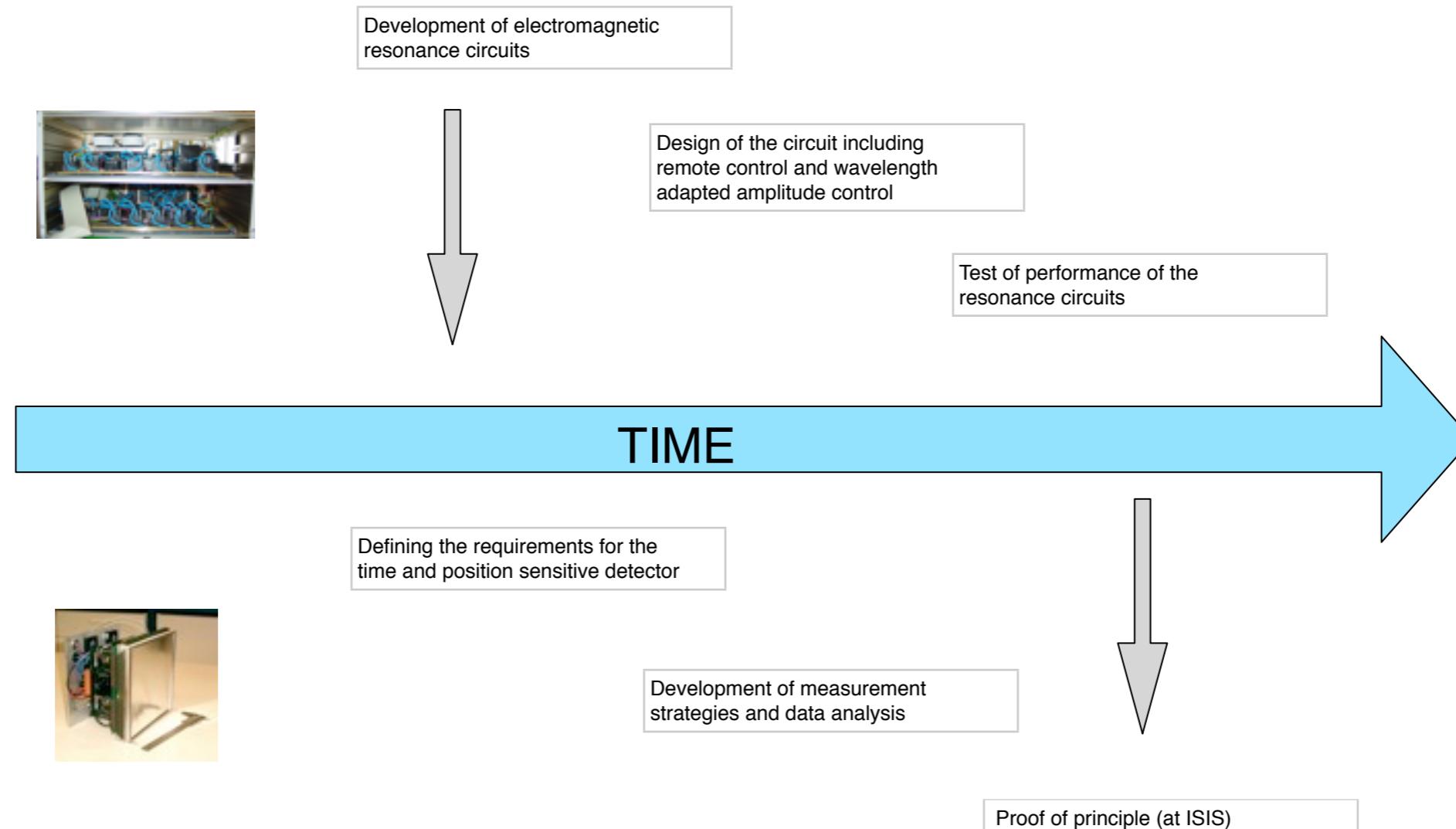
$$\tau_{\text{NSE}} \sim \lambda^3 \cdot \int B \, dl$$

$$\phi_1 = \lambda_1 \cdot m / h \cdot J$$

$$p = \int \cos(\tau_{\text{NSE}} \omega) S(q, \omega) \, d\omega$$

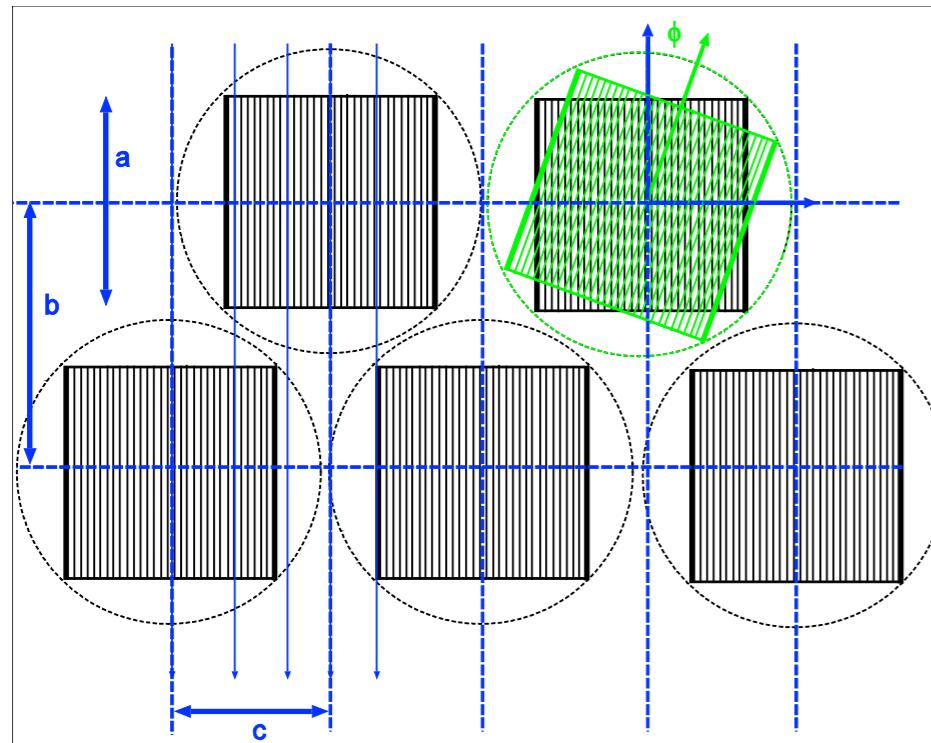


# Task 19.3 – Spin Echo with Oscillating Intensity for ESS



# Task 19.4 – Choppers for ESS Instrumentation

- Fermi choppers that rotate very fast, cover a large area, limited stored kinetic energy
- Array of slim rotating rods each being a Fermi chopper rotor package.



Density $\rho$	3 g/ccm
Width $a$	1 cm
Length $l$	15 cm
Frequency $f$	1 kHz
Mass/rod $M = a \times a \times l$	45 g
Energy/rod	14.8 Joule
Acceleration at edge	28000 g
eff. Pressure	2.6 MPa

$$E_{kin} = \frac{M}{2} \times \frac{a^2}{6} \times \omega^2 = \frac{\pi^2 M a^2}{3} \times f^2$$



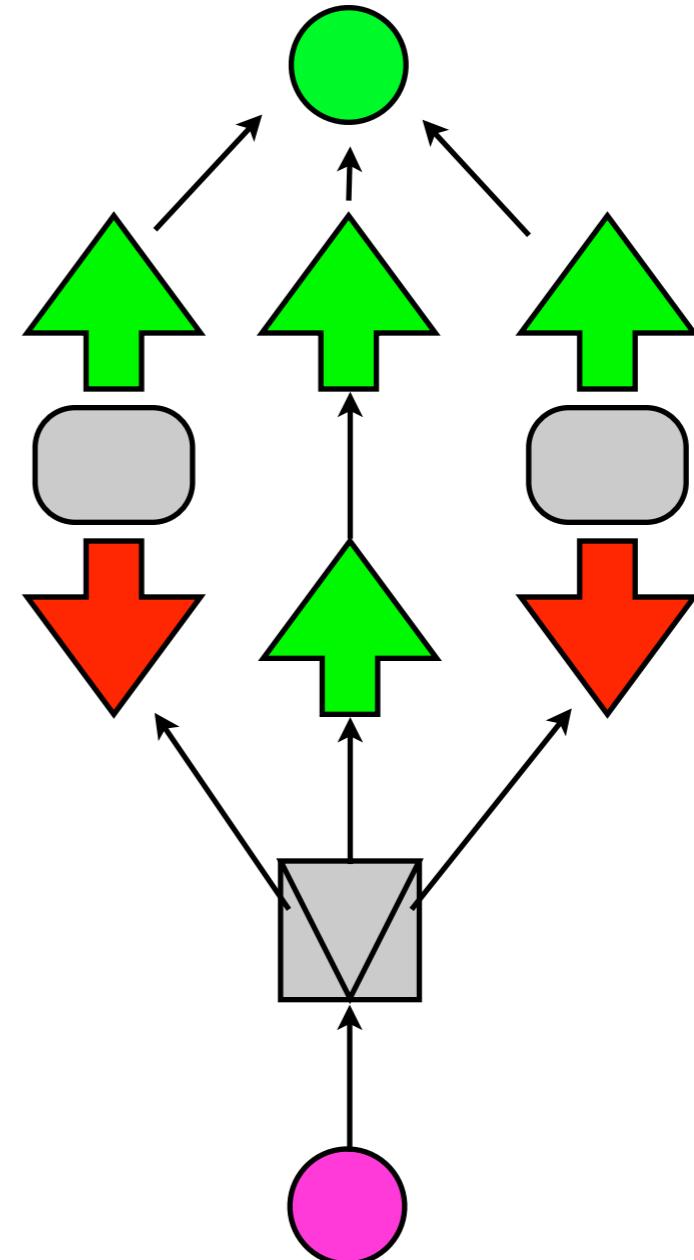
# Task 19.4 – Choppers for ESS Instrumentation



- Planned work
  - Combination of spindle drive with one rod: stability (expt.)
  - Consider phase stability and synchronization of several rods
  - Compute absorption characteristics of potential Fermi packets
  - Realization of one rod with neutron absorbers, neutron expt. transmission
  - Consider application in various time focusing schemes
  - Conceptual design of an array of rods with drives

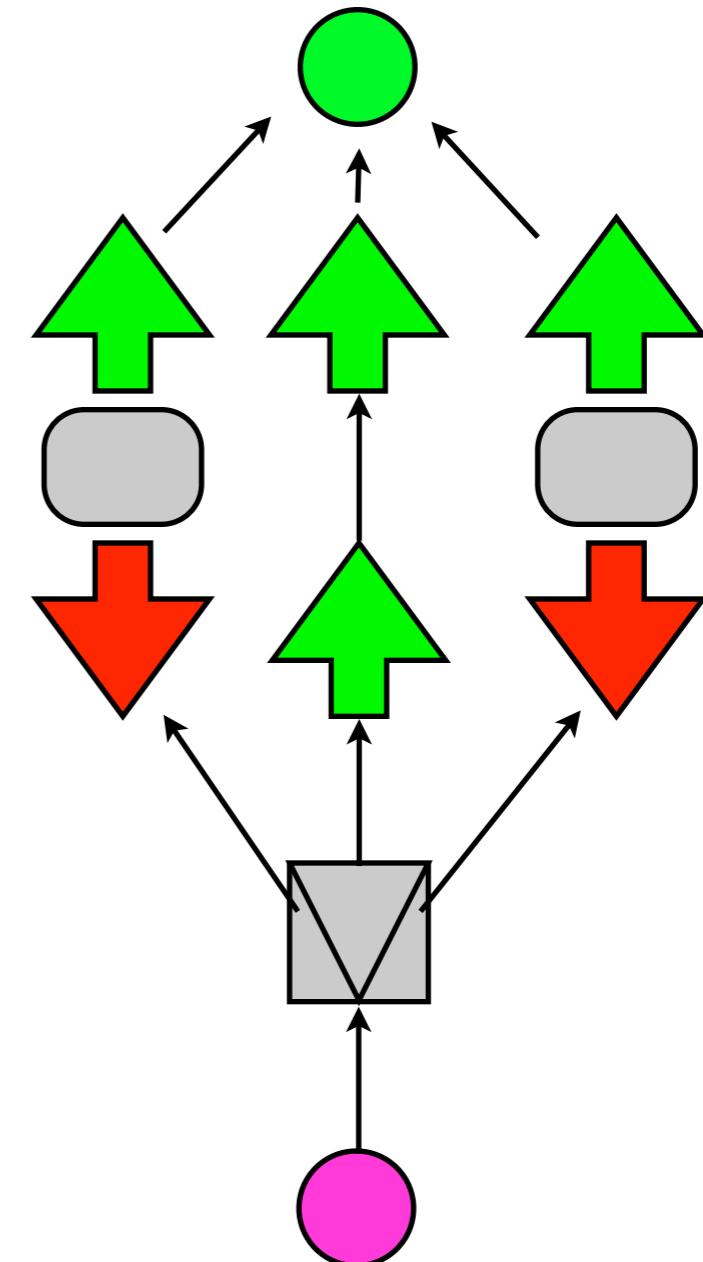
# Task 19.5 – Polarising All Neutrons in a Beam

- Reflecting polariser
- Use an RF coil to reverse the wrong spin state
- Recombine the beams
- The long guides at the ESS give us the chance to realise this with existing SM.



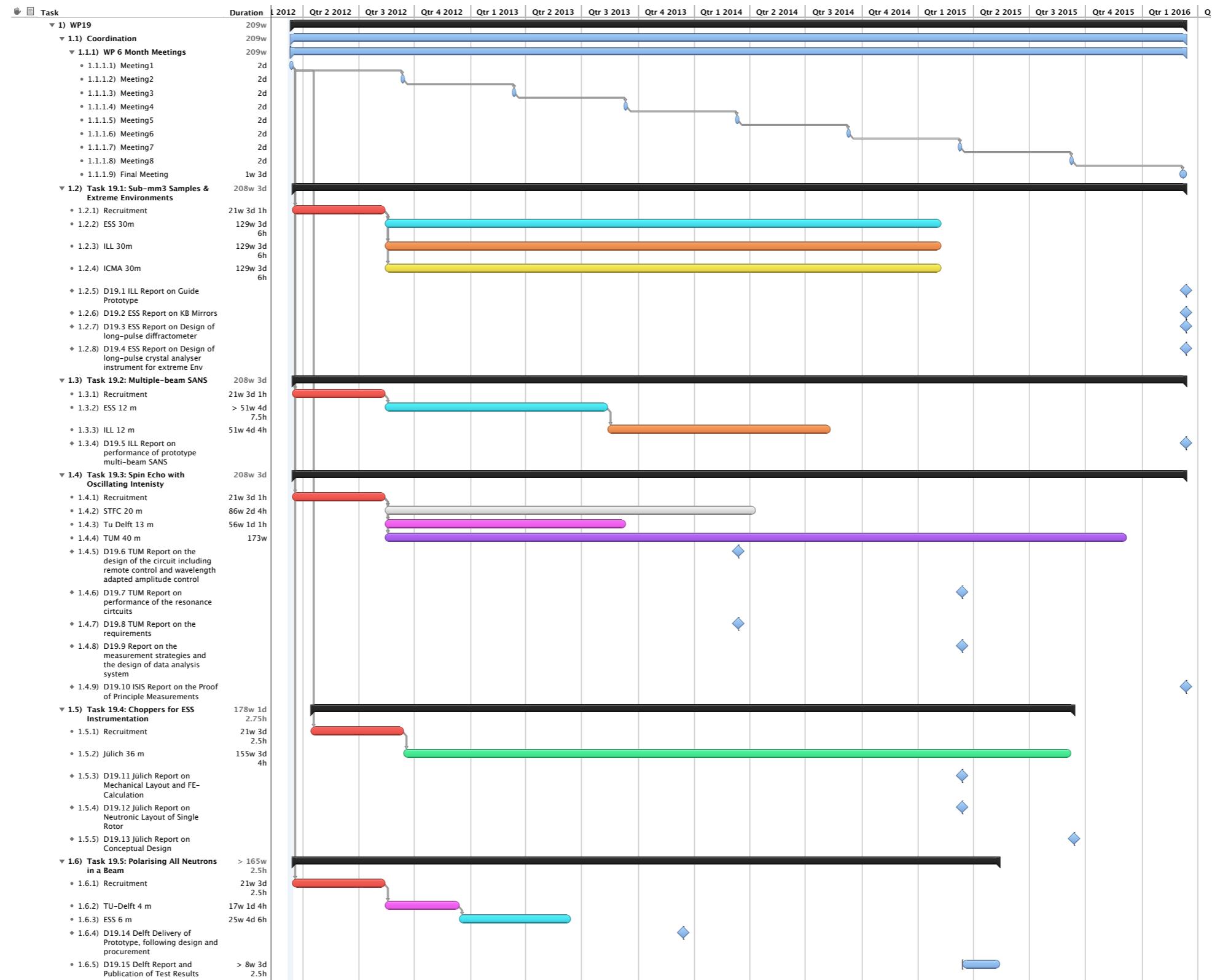
# Task 19.5 – Polarising All Neutrons in a Beam

- Partners:
  - ESS (4 mo)
  - TU Delft (6 mo)
- Currently working out how to coordinate this small amount of effort





# Top Down Plan





Thank you for your attention