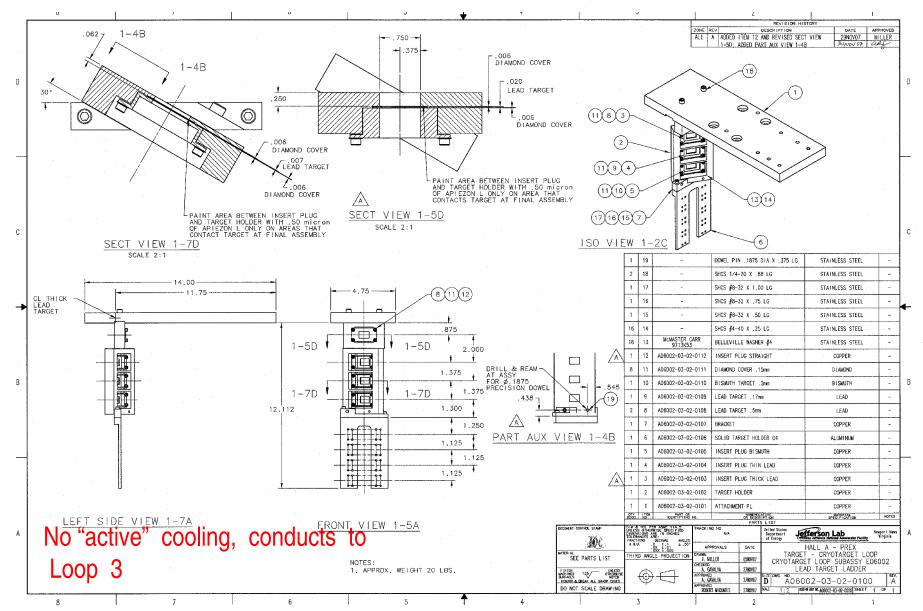
Test Target for PREX and e06007

(tilted)

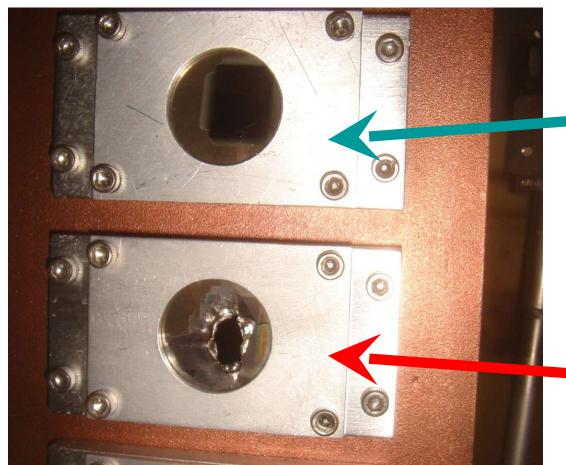


Lead Target Assembly

- Ladder Design is in machine shop
- Fabrication completed Jan 7.
- Install Pb / diamond sandwiches (~ Jan 10)
- Belleville washers maintain pressure & contact.
- Use vacuum grease (except thin lead)
- Some chance can improve contact with vacuum deposition of C12 and cold welding (Bogdan)

Reminder: History in 2007 (E06007 Lead

Targets)



Pb #4 Ran 2 weeks @ 45 uA

discoloration from beam (rastered)

Pb #3
Ran 2 days @ 55 uA
Failed near 85 uA

Also: A test in Y2000 of a design closer to the

Jan 2008

design:

Ran 82 uA, 20 min no

failure

Lead Target Test Plan

1. Center the beam on target. Raster 4 mm. Use a "holey" ladder and the tilted targets – which have tighter clearance than our target).

target in

- 2. VDCs off. Scintillators on. Measure rates in scint.
- 6. Establish rates up to 0.5 uA Do not exceed 10 Mhz!
- Use Lumi as another rate monitor.
- 5. Protect the HRS detectors (If necessary (*) detune HRS magnets. Leave scintillators on as a relative rate monitor.)
- * If using E = 2.77 GeV beam, the rates should not be a problem.

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Lead Target Test Plan (cont.)

- 6. Ramp the beam up slowly to 100 uA.
- 7. Steps of 10 uA, pausing 20 min. each step
- 8. Monitor the following:
 Rates in scintillators and Lumi
 Target temperatures
 Vacuum pressures
 Radiation monitors
- 9. Run at "M" uA for "N" hours. (perhaps M = 100, N = 8)

(Note, the tilted targets are only rated for ~80 uA. We don't really want to melt targets. Creates a huge mess.)

Idea to Improve Contact (Bogdan)

- Vacuum deposit pure C12 on lead and on diamond. Layer is ~1 um.
- Press the lead / diamond sandwich under vacuum (``Cold welding")
- No need for vacuum grease.
- Reliable, 100% contact of lead & diamond.
- Arun Saha and SRF group may succeed in time, practicing with chemically pure lead and thin carbon foils.