

E951  
Cryogenics for  
Pulsed Solenoid Magnet

Design, Operation, Safety  
Project Status

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Components

- 1). Pulsed Solenoid Magnet
- 2). LN<sub>2</sub> Storage Dewar: 5.88 kgal.
- 3). Vacuum Pumps, Ambient HEs
- 4). GHe Circulator/HE
- 5). LH<sub>2</sub> Storage Dewar: 14 kgal.
- 6). Interconnections
  - a). VJ lines, valves
  - b). LN<sub>2</sub> Trailer Fill station
  - c). LH<sub>2</sub> Trailer Fill station
    - i). LH<sub>2</sub> P&P plumbing
    - ii). GN<sub>2</sub> Purged vent stack
- 7). Cryogenic Controls
  - a). Physical
  - b). Automatic
    - i). Alarms, pager
    - ii). Interlocks
- 8) Gas Sensors
  - a). Oxygen (cave)
  - b). Hydrogen (H<sub>2</sub> areas)

## Operating Modes: Field, Cooled by,

1. 5T: LN<sub>2</sub> direct,
2. 10T: pumped LN<sub>2</sub> direct,
3. 5T: GHe cooled by LN<sub>2</sub>.
4. 10T: GHe cooled by pumped LN<sub>2</sub>.
5. 15T: GHe cooled LH<sub>2</sub>.

## Max. Dynamic Loading: 15T. LH<sub>2</sub> Operation

### LH<sub>2</sub> Dynamics

- 1). Dynamic: **15.0 MJ/pulse (+54K)**  
Peak =  $54 * 5.5 \text{ j/gK} * 100 \text{ g/s} = \mathbf{29.7 \text{ kW}}$
- 2). 30-minute repetition-rate (spec.)
- 3).  $15.0 / (30 * 60) = \mathbf{8.33 \text{ kW}}$  average
- 4). Background ca. = **1.66 kW**
- 5). LH<sub>2</sub> avg. dynamic consumption rate;  
 $(10 \text{ kW} / (445.4 \text{ j/g})) * (3600 \text{ (s/h)} / 71 \text{ g/l})$   
 $= 1138.4 \text{ lph} = \mathbf{300 \text{ gph}}$
- 5). LH<sub>2</sub> Dewar use: 14 kgal., dynamic  
Hrs/Dewar =  $14,000 / 300 \text{ gph} = \mathbf{46.7 \text{ h}}$   
 $46.7 / 8 = \mathbf{5.8}$  (8-hr op. shifts/Dewar)
- 6). LH<sub>2</sub> Dewar use: 14 kgal., standby  
Hrs/Dewar =  $14,000 / 50 \text{ gph} = \mathbf{280 \text{ h}}$   
 $280 / 8 = \mathbf{35}$  (8-hr standby shifts/Dewar)

## Discussion:

- 1) Equipment Mode Block Diagrams (3)
- 2) A3 Beam Line Equipment Layout (1)
- 3) General Arrangement (Schematic, 1)
- 4) Pulsed Solenoid Magnet Excerpt (1)
- 5) Circulator/HE Excerpt (2)
- 6) GOP flow diagram examples (2)
- 7) Safety considerations
  - a) Equipment
    - i) 14 k gallon LH<sub>2</sub> Dewar (140 psig)
    - ii) 5.88 k gallon LN<sub>2</sub> Dewar (65 psig)
    - iii) PSM Cryostat (MIT, later)
    - iv) Circulator Bath (DA=300 psig, new set pressure = 4 atmos.)
    - v) GHe Circuit (B31.3 DA=200 psig)
    - vi) Interconnecting piping (150/200 psig)

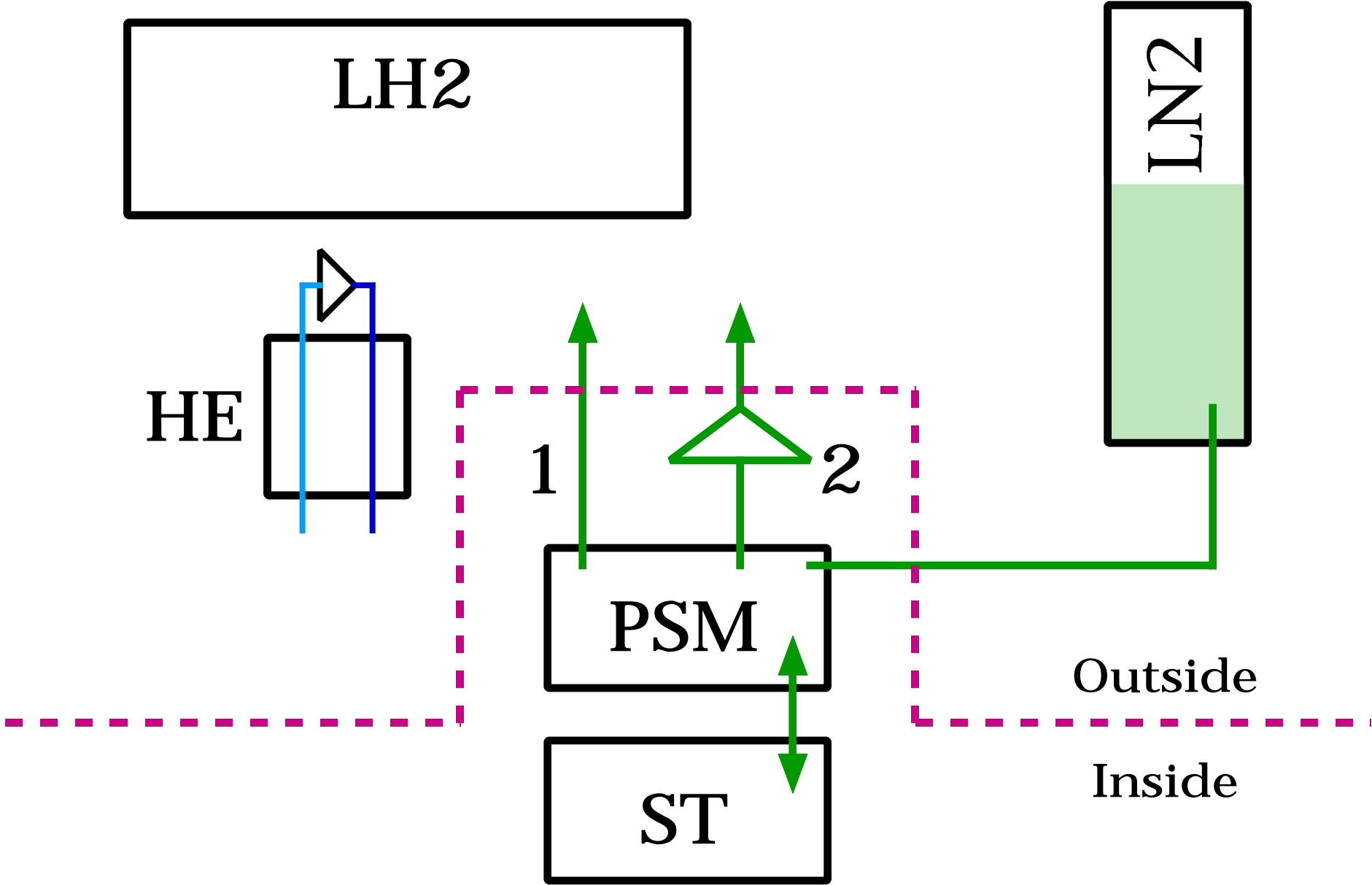
- b) Equipment Design, Siting
  - i) BNL OHS&G, Special Precautions for Locations Containing Flammable Atmospheres 4.12.0
  - ii) BNL ESH, 5.1.0 Non Flammable Cryogenic Liquids, Rev.2
  - iii) BNL OHS&G, Flammable Cryogenic Liquids 5.2.0
  - iv) NFPA 50B, Standard for Liquefied Hydrogen Systems at Consumer Sites, 1999 NFPA
  - v) CGA G-5.4-2001, Standard for Hydrogen Piping Systems at Consumer Locations, 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition
  - vi) CGA G-5.5-1996, Hydrogen Vent Systems, 1<sup>st</sup> Edition.
  - vii) Others?

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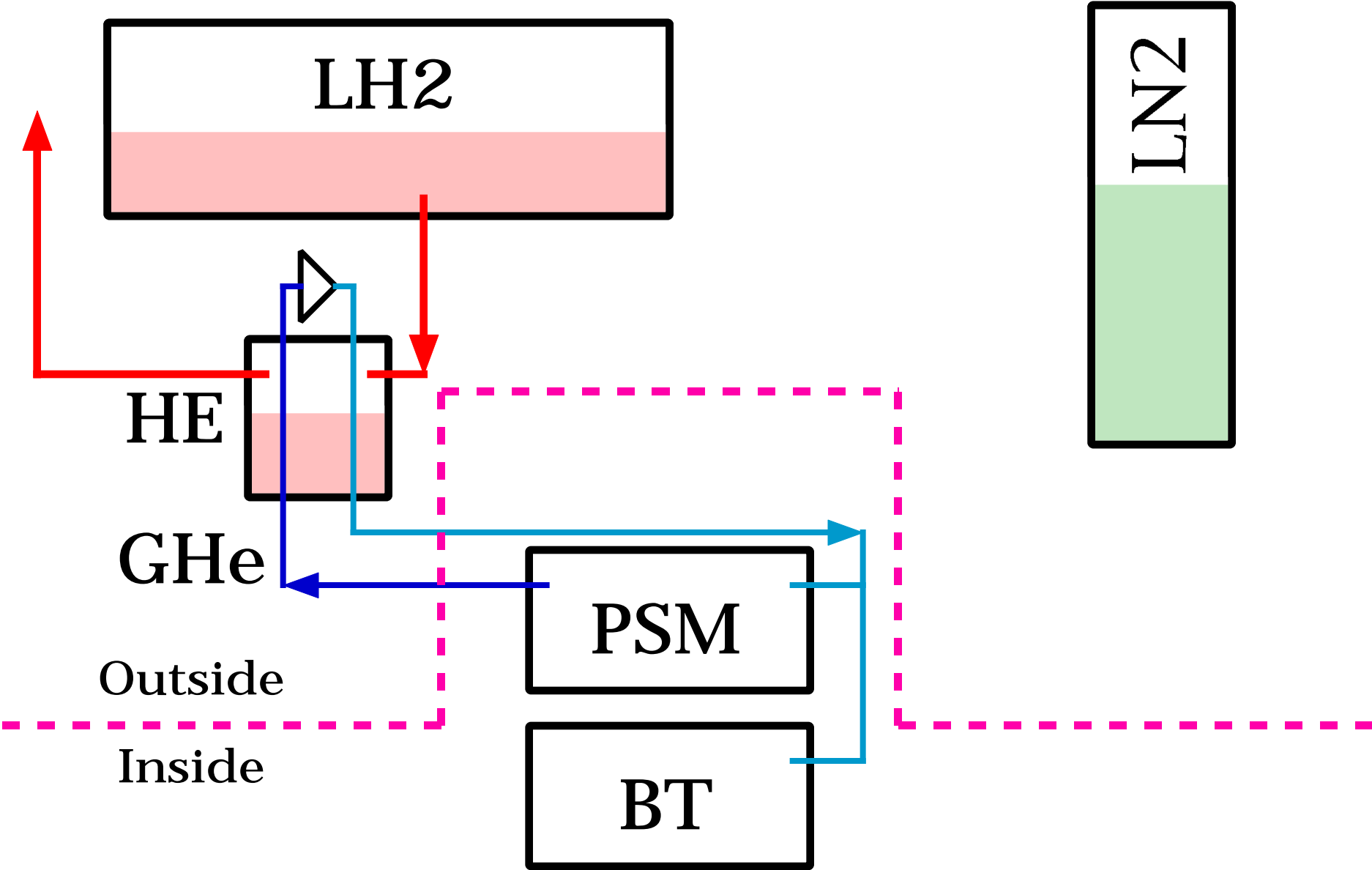
- 8) Final System Documentation
  - a) Configuration Documented
  - b) Safety Issues Documented
    - i) FEA
  - c) Pressure Test Plans Documented
  - d) Operating Procedures Complete
  - e) Final CSC, ESR reviews
  - f) Final System Details Documented

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# Mode 1, 2



# Mode 5

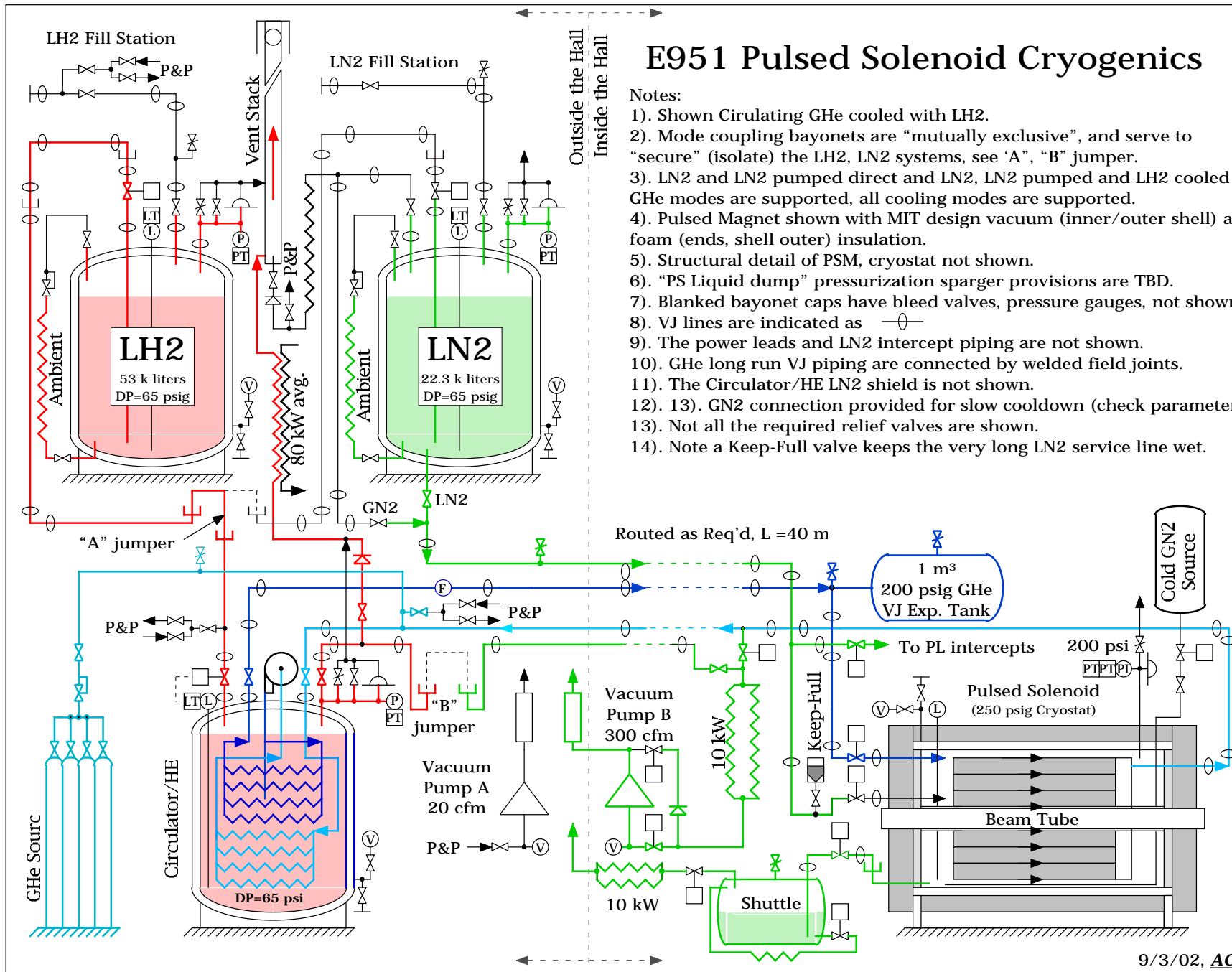


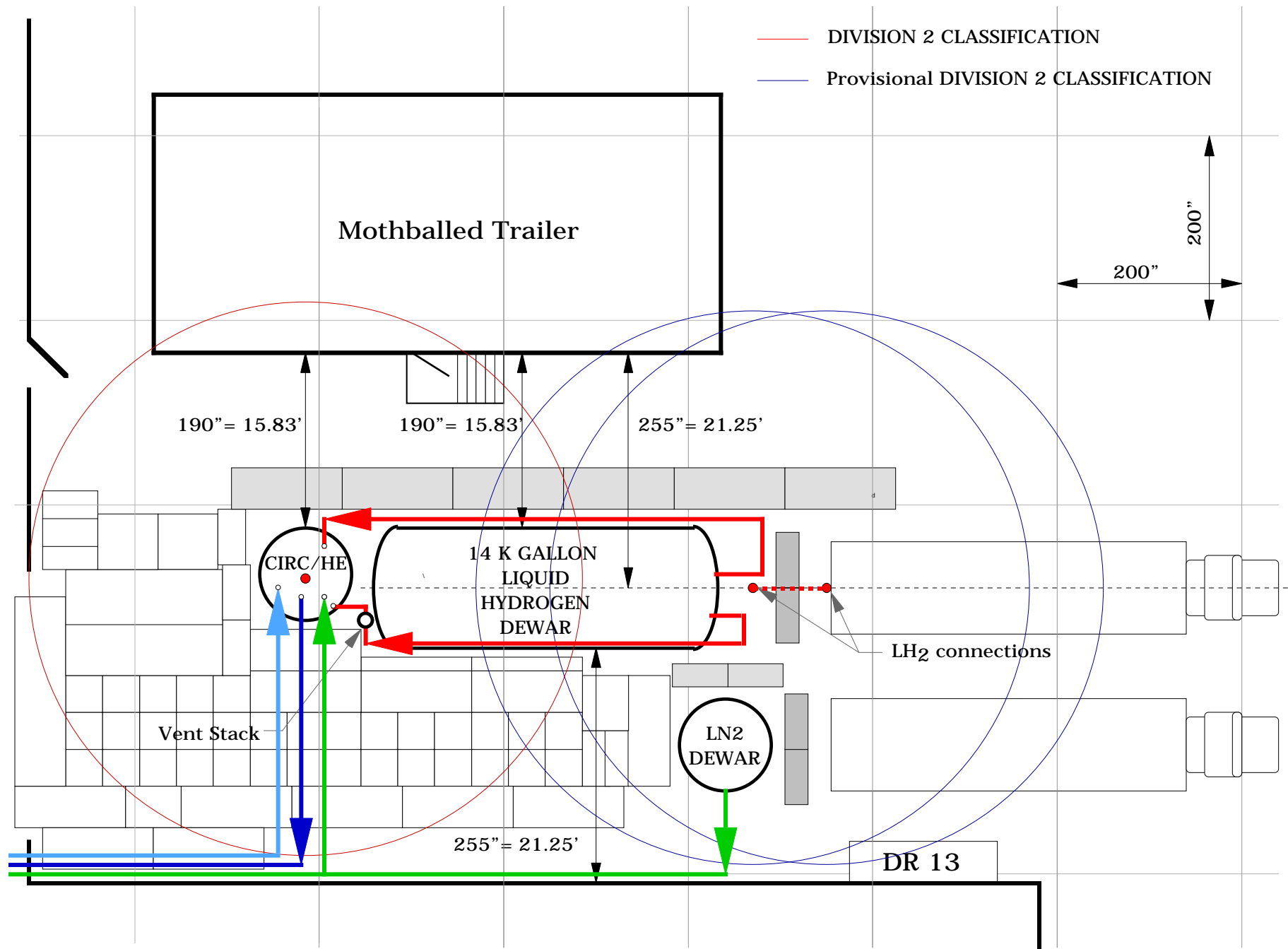


# E951 Pulsed Solenoid Cryogenics

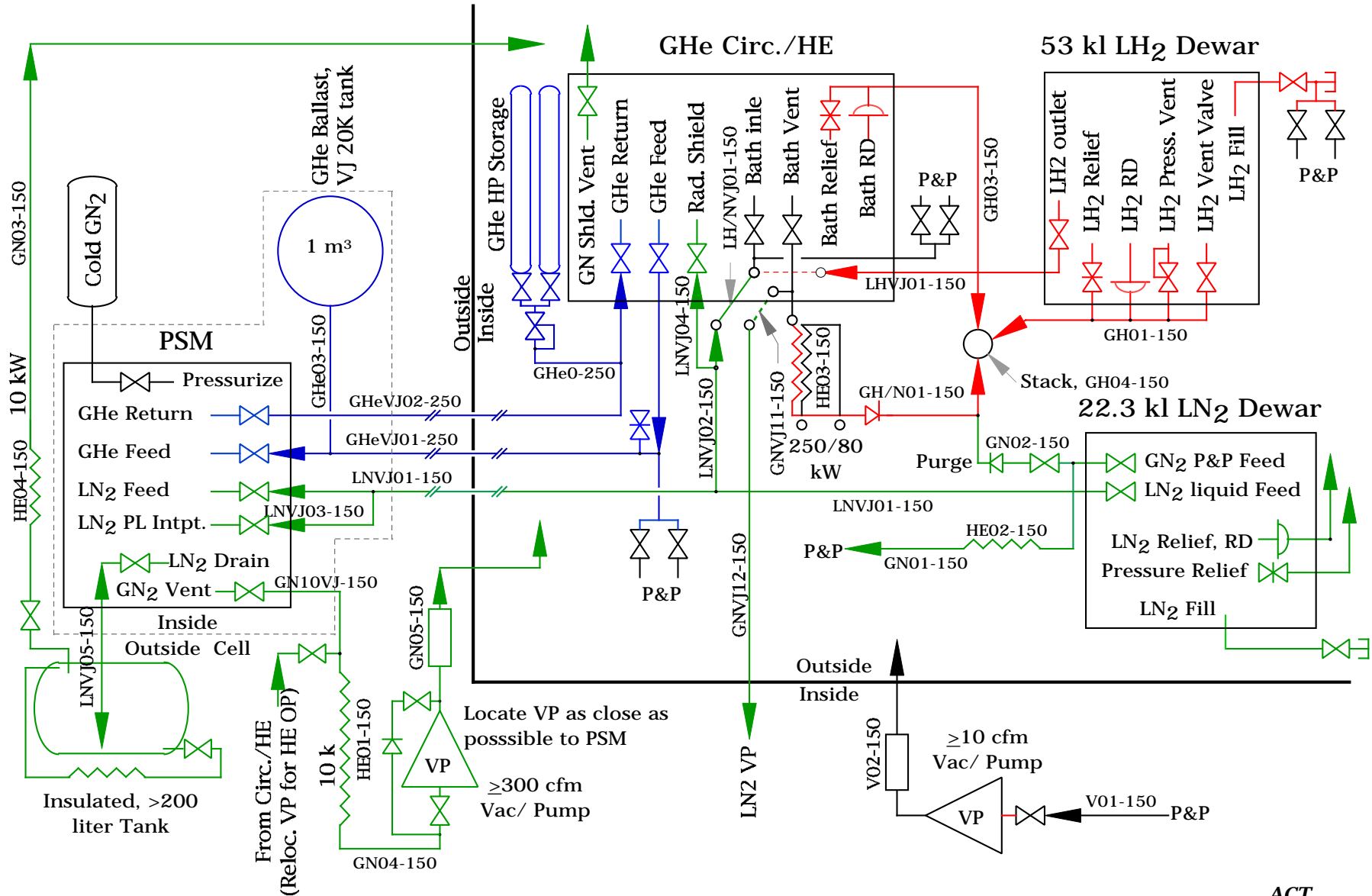
## Notes:

- 1). Shown Circulating GHe cooled with LH2.
- 2). Mode coupling bayonets are "mutually exclusive", and serve to "secure" (isolate) the LH2, LN2 systems, see 'A', 'B' jumper.
- 3). LN2 and LN2 pumped direct and LN2, LN2 pumped and LH2 cooled GHe modes are supported, all cooling modes are supported.
- 4). Pulsed Magnet shown with MIT design vacuum (inner/outer shell) and foam (ends, shell outer) insulation.
- 5). Structural detail of PSM, cryostat not shown.
- 6). "PS Liquid dump" pressurization sparger provisions are TBD.
- 7). Blanked bayonet caps have bleed valves, pressure gauges, not shown.
- 8). VJ lines are indicated as  $\ominus$
- 9). The power leads and LN2 intercept piping are not shown.
- 10). GHe long run VJ piping are connected by welded field joints.
- 11). The Circulator/HE LN2 shield is not shown.
- 12). 13). GN2 connection provided for slow cooldown (check parameters).
- 13). Not all the required relief valves are shown.
- 14). Note a Keep-Full valve keeps the very long LN2 service line wet.



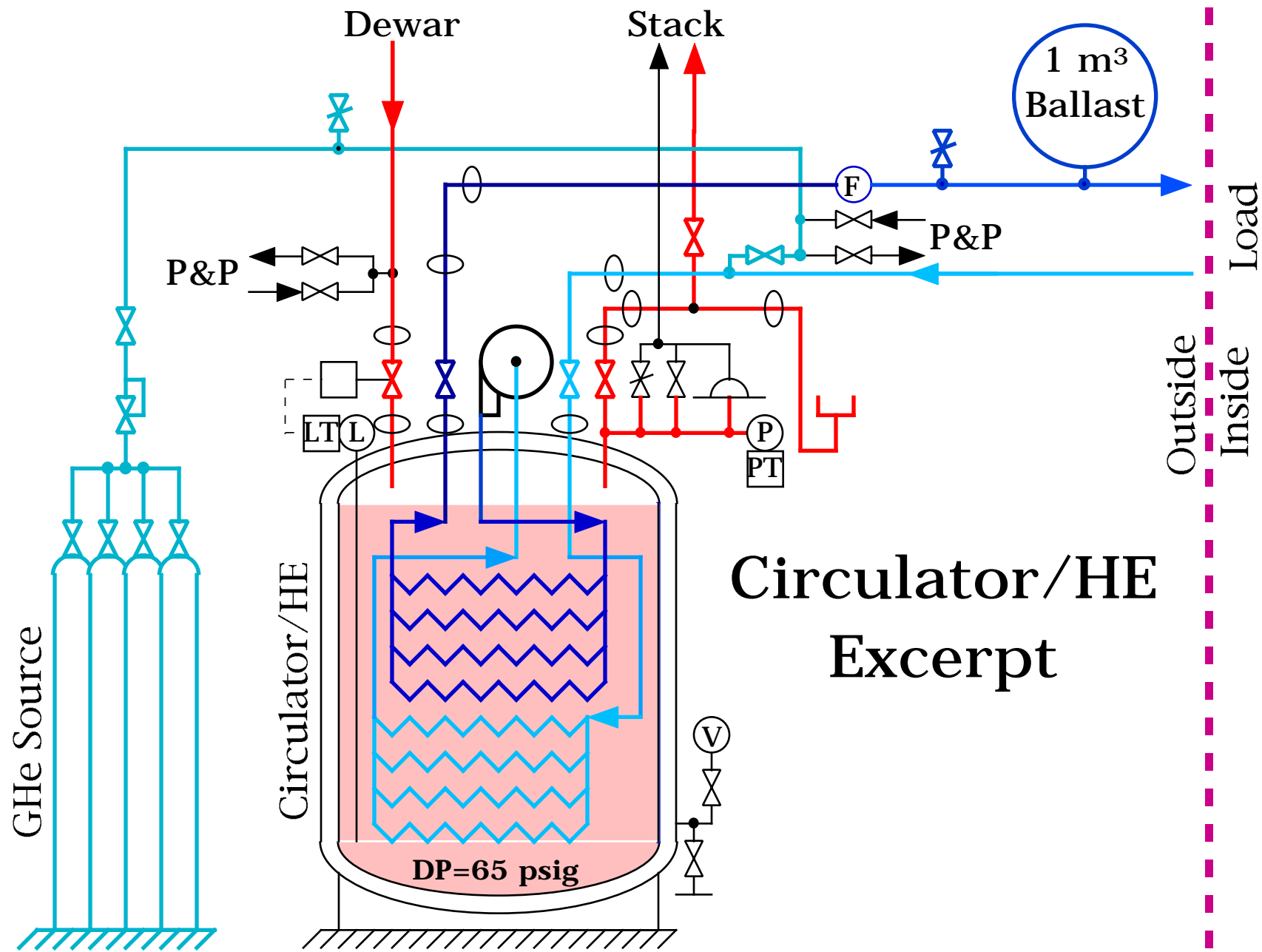


# E951 Major Interconnections and Line, Ambient Heater, Heater, Vacuum Pump Sizes, Etc.



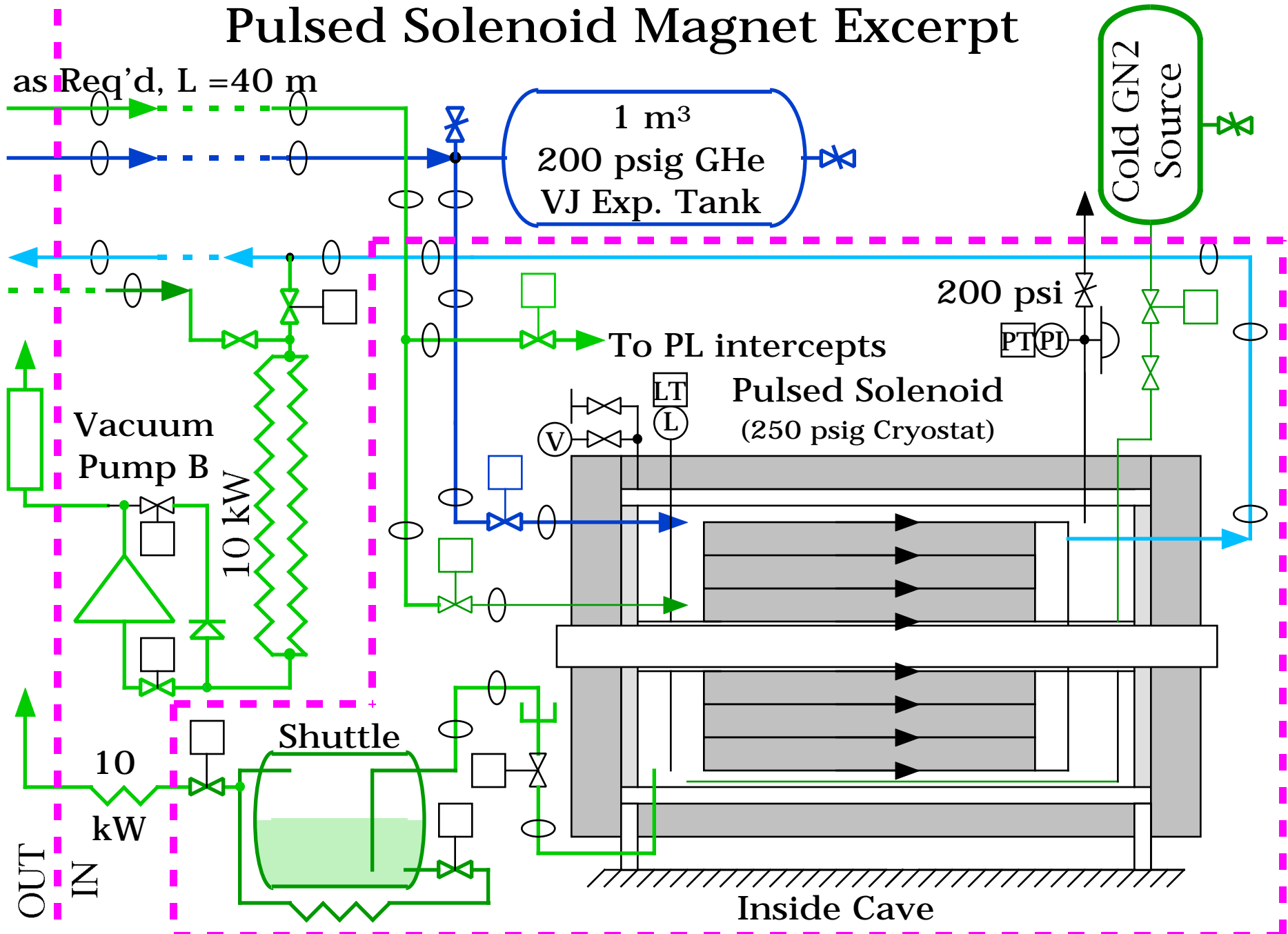
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# Circulator/HE Excerpt

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