

PHYS 1441 – Section 001

Lecture #7

Wednesday, June 12, 2019

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- Chapter 23
 - V due to Charge Distributions
 - Equi-potential Lines and Surfaces
 - Electric Potential Due to Electric Dipole
- Chapter 24 Capacitance etc..
 - Capacitors
 - Capacitors in Series or Parallel
 - Electric Energy Storage

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Today's homework is #5, due 11pm, Sunday, June 16!!

Announcements

- Quiz #2
 - At the beginning of the class tomorrow, Thursday, June 13
 - Covers up to what we've learned today
 - You can bring your calculator but it must not have any relevant formula pre-input
 - Cell phones or any types of computers cannot replaced a calculator!
 - BYOF: You may bring one 8.5x11.5 sheet (front and back) of handwritten formulae and values of constants for the exam
 - No derivations, word definitions, setups or solutions of any problems!
 - No additional formulae or values of constants will be provided!
- Term 1 result
 - Class average: 56.4/100
 - Top score: 97.5
- Reminder: Evaluation criteria
 - Homework: 25%
 - Final exam: 23%
 - Mid-term: 20%
 - One better of the two term exams: 12%
 - Lab and quizzes: 10% each + 10% extra credit!!

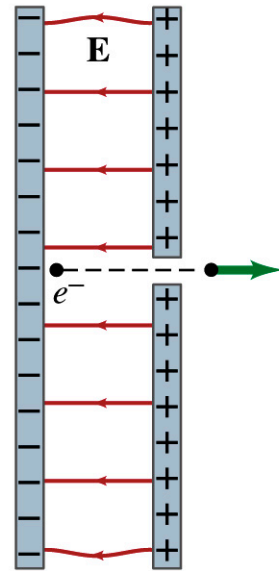
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Reminder: Special Project #3

- **Particle Accelerator.** A charged particle of mass M with charge $-Q$ is accelerated in the uniform field E between two parallel charged plates whose separation is D as shown in the figure on the right. The charged particle is accelerated from an initial speed v_0 near the negative plate and passes through a tiny hole in the positive plate as shown in the figure right.
 - Derive the formula for the electric field E to accelerate the charged particle to a fraction f of the speed of light c . Express E in terms of M , Q , D , f , c and v_0 .
 - (a) Using the Coulomb force and kinematic equations. (8 points)
 - (b) Using the work-kinetic energy theorem. (8 points)
 - (c) Using the formula above, evaluate the strength of the electric field E to accelerate an electron from 0.1% of the speed of light to 90% of the speed of light. You need to look up the relevant constants, such as mass of the electron, charge of the electron and the speed of light. (5 points)
- Please do NOT copy but have your own handwritten answer!
- Due beginning of the class Monday, June 17



Properties of the Electric Potential

- What are the differences between the electric potential and the electric field?

- Electric potential

- Electric potential energy per unit charge
- Inversely proportional to the distance
- Simply add the potential by each of the source charges to obtain the total potential from multiple charges, since potential is a scalar quantity

$$V = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{Q}{r}$$

- Electric field

- Electric force per unit charge
- Inversely proportional to the **square** of the distance
- Need vector sums to obtain the total field from multiple source charges

$$|\vec{E}| = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{Q}{r^2}$$

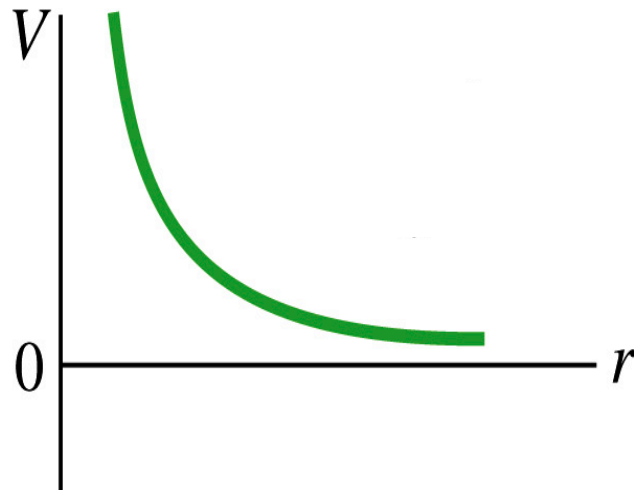
- Potential due to a positive charge is a large positive near the charge and **decreases towards 0** at the large distance.
- Potential due to a negative charge is a large negative near the charge and **increases towards 0** at a large distance.

Shape of the Electric Potential

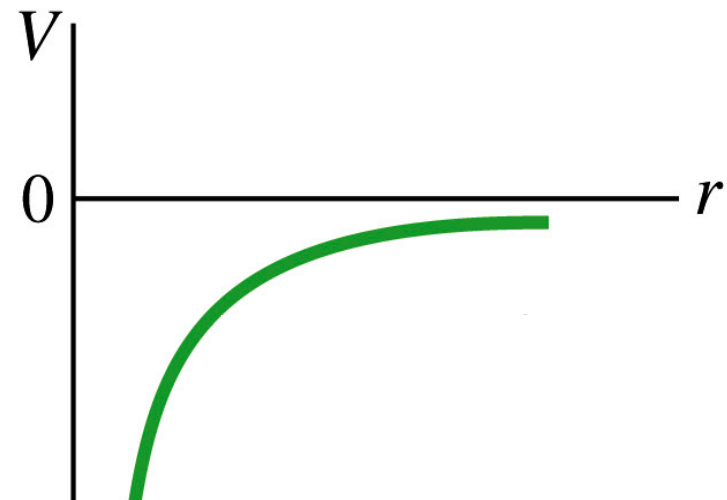
- So, how does the electric potential look like as a function of distance?
 - What is the formula for the potential by a single charge?

$$V = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{Q}{r}$$

If Q is Positive



If Q is Negative



Uniformly charged sphere would have the potential the same as a single point charge.

What does this mean?

Uniformly charged sphere behaves like all the charge is on the single point in the center.

Example 23 – 6

Work to bring two positive charges close together: What is minimum work required by an external force to bring the charge $q=+3.00\mu\text{C}$ from a great distance away ($r=\infty$) to a point 0.500m from a charge $Q=+20.0\mu\text{C}$?

What is the work done by the electric field in terms of potential energy and potential?

$$W = -qV_{ba} = -\frac{q}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \left(\frac{Q}{r_b} - \frac{Q}{r_a} \right)$$

Since $r_b = 0.500\text{m}$, $r_a = \infty$ we obtain

$$W = -\frac{q}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \left(\frac{Q}{r_b} - 0 \right) = -\frac{q}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{Q}{r_b} = -\frac{(8.99 \times 10^9 \text{ N} \cdot \text{m}^2/\text{C}^2) \cdot (3.00 \times 10^{-6} \text{ C}) (20.00 \times 10^{-6} \text{ C})}{0.500\text{m}} = -1.08\text{J}$$

Electric force does negative work. In other words, the external force must work +1.08J to bring the charge $3.00\mu\text{C}$ from infinity to 0.500m to the charge $20.0\mu\text{C}$.

Electric Potential by Charge Distributions

- Let's consider the case of n individual point charges in a given space and $V=0$ at $r=\infty$.
- Then the potential V_{ia} due to the charge Q_i at point a , at a distance r_{ia} from Q_i is

$$V_{ia} = \frac{Q_i}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{1}{r_{ia}}$$

- Thus the total potential V_a by all n point charges is

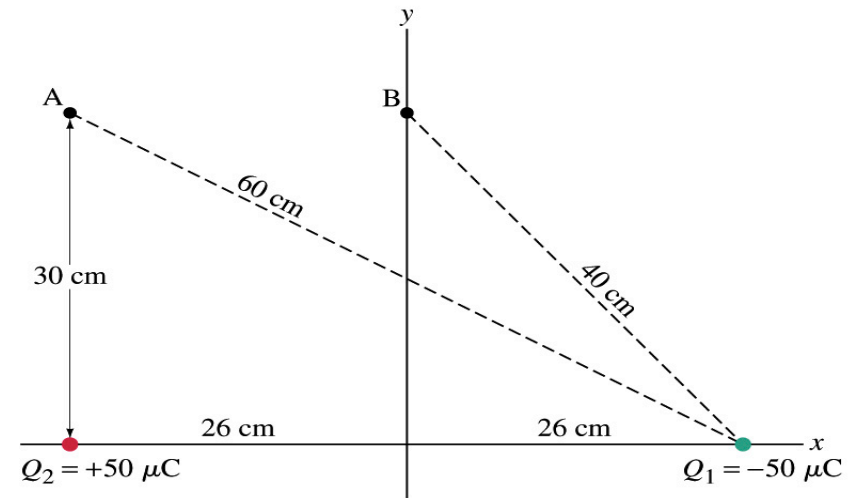
$$V_a = \sum_{i=1}^n V_{ia} = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{Q_i}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{1}{r_{ia}}$$

- For a continuous charge distribution, we obtain

$$V = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \int \frac{dq}{r}$$

Example

- **Potential due to two charges:**
Calculate the electric potential (a) at point A in the figure due to the two charges shown, and (b) at point B.
- Potential is a scalar quantity, so one adds the potential by each of the source charge, as if they are numbers.



(a) potential at A is

$$V_A = V_{1A} + V_{2A} = \sum \frac{Q_i}{4\pi\epsilon_0 r_{iA}} =$$

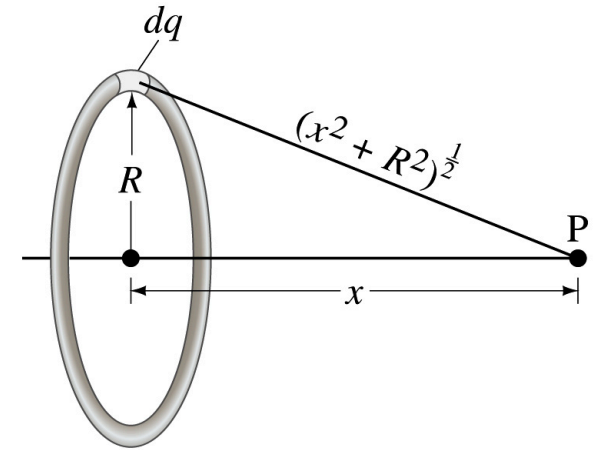
$$= \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{Q_1}{r_{1A}} + \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{Q_2}{r_{2A}} = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \left(\frac{Q_1}{r_{1A}} + \frac{Q_2}{r_{2A}} \right)$$

$$= 9.0 \times 10^9 \left(\frac{-50 \times 10^{-6}}{0.60} + \frac{50 \times 10^{-6}}{0.30} \right) = 7.5 \times 10^5 \text{ V}$$

(b) How about potential at B?

Example 23 – 8

- **Potential due to a ring of charge:** A thin circular ring of radius R carries a uniformly distributed charge Q . Determine the electric potential at a point P on the axis of the ring a distance x from its center.



- Each point on the ring is at the same distance from the point P . What is the distance?

$$r = \sqrt{R^2 + x^2}$$

- So the potential at P is

$$V = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \int \frac{dq}{r} = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0 r} \int dq =$$

$$\frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0 \sqrt{x^2 + R^2}} \int dq = \frac{Q}{4\pi\epsilon_0 \sqrt{x^2 + R^2}}$$

What's this?

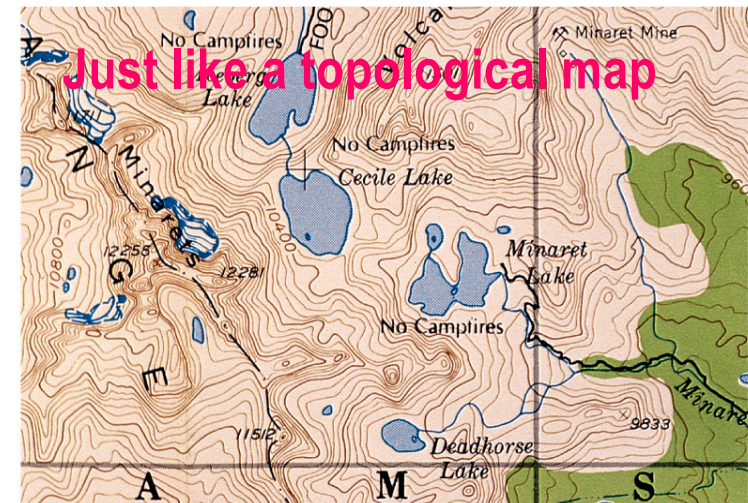
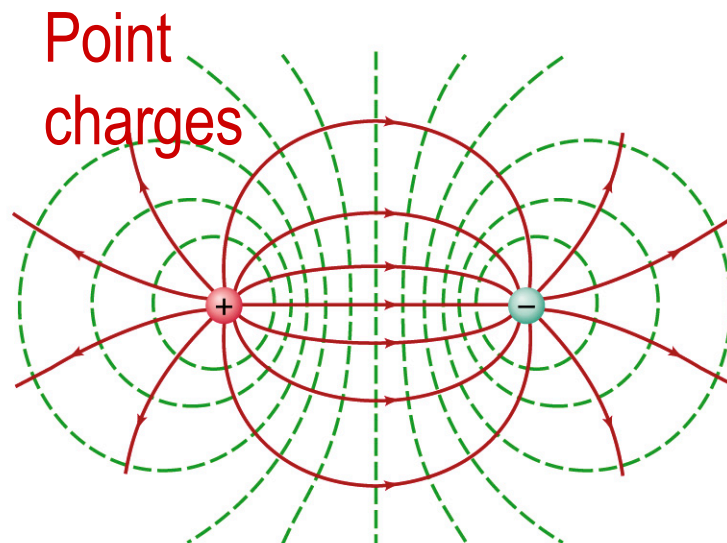
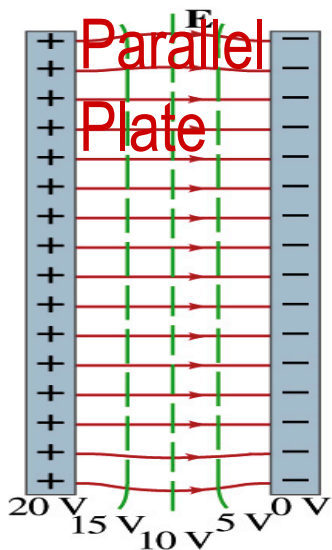
Equi-potential Surfaces

- Electric potential can be graphically shown using the equipotential lines in 2-D or the equipotential surfaces in 3-D
- Any two points on the equipotential surfaces (lines) are at the same potential
- What does this mean in terms of the potential difference?
 - The potential difference between any two points on an equipotential surface is 0.
- How about the potential energy difference?
 - Also 0.
- What does this mean in terms of the work to move a charge along the surface between these two points?
 - No work is necessary to move a charge between these two points.

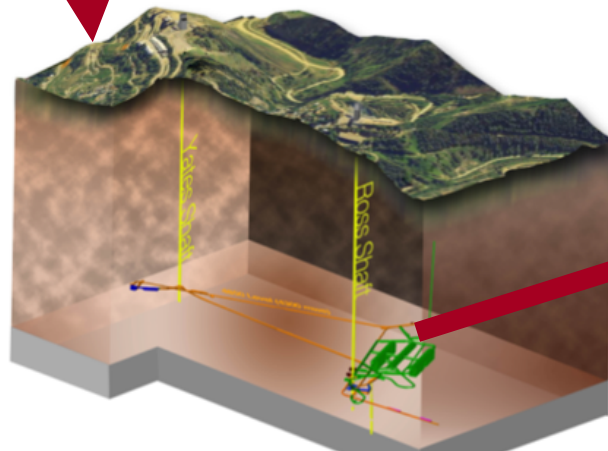
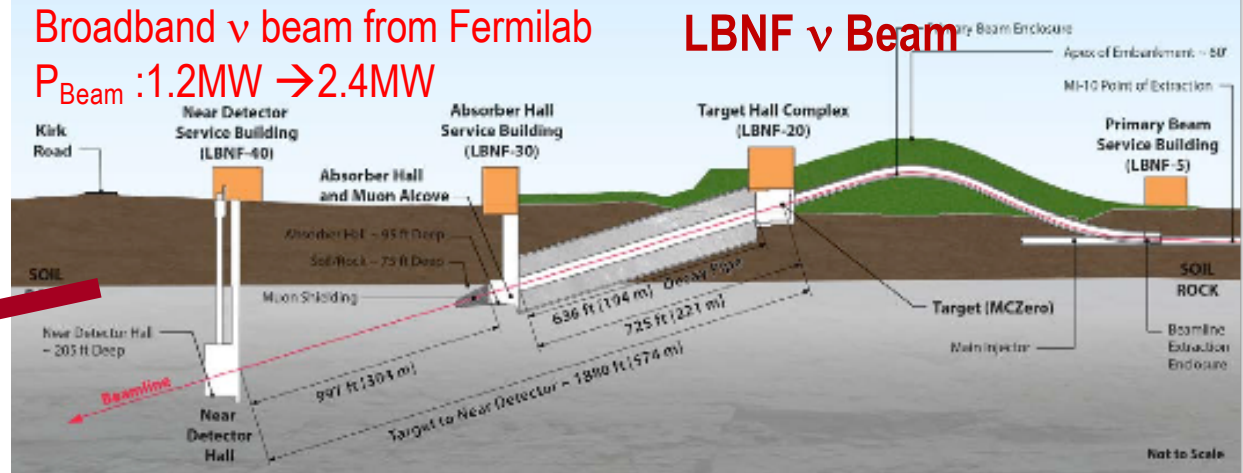


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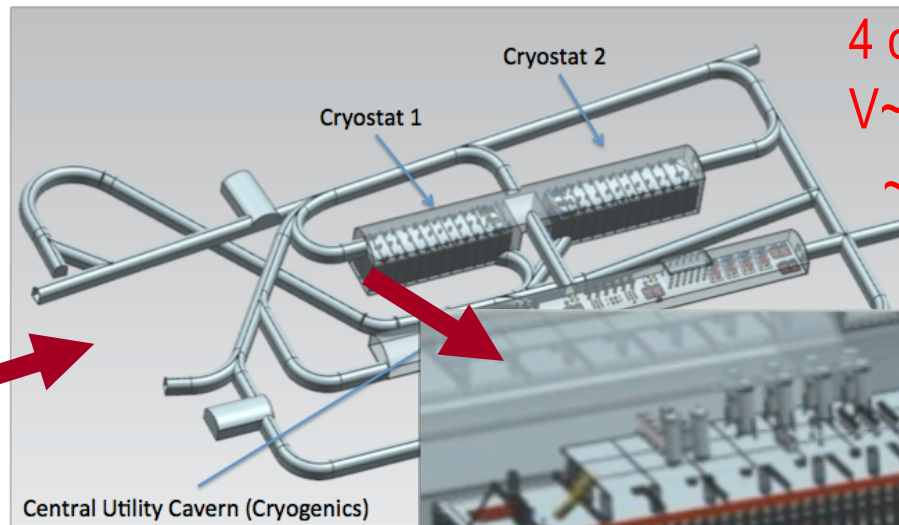
- An equipotential surface (line) must be perpendicular to the electric field. Why?
 - If there are any parallel components to the electric field, it would require work to move a charge along the surface.
- Since the equipotential surface (line) is perpendicular to the electric field, we can draw these surfaces or lines easily.
- Since there can be no electric field within a conductor in a static case, the entire volume of a conductor must be at the same potential.
- So the electric field must be perpendicular to the conductor surface.



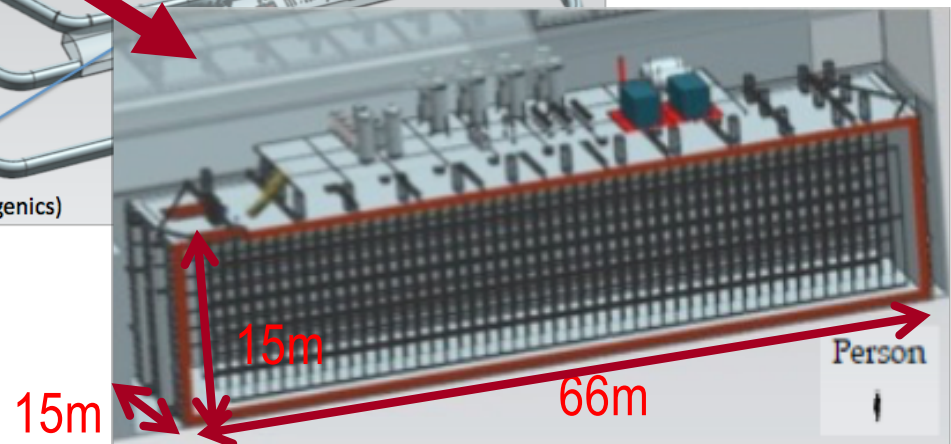
DUNE Experiment



LBNF Far Detector Site, SURF
1500m underground



4 caverns w/ active
V~10kt LAr each
~30xICARUS



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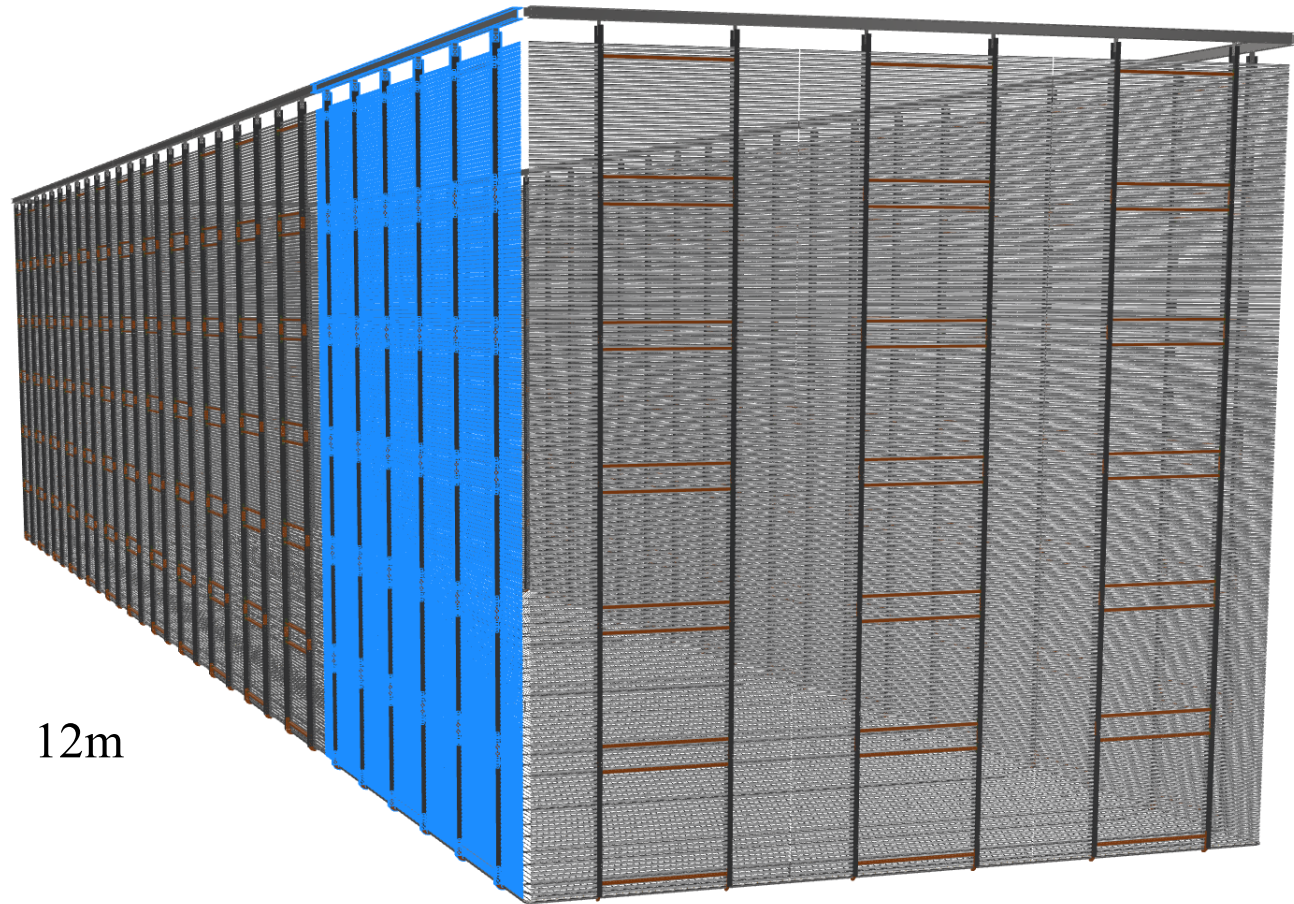
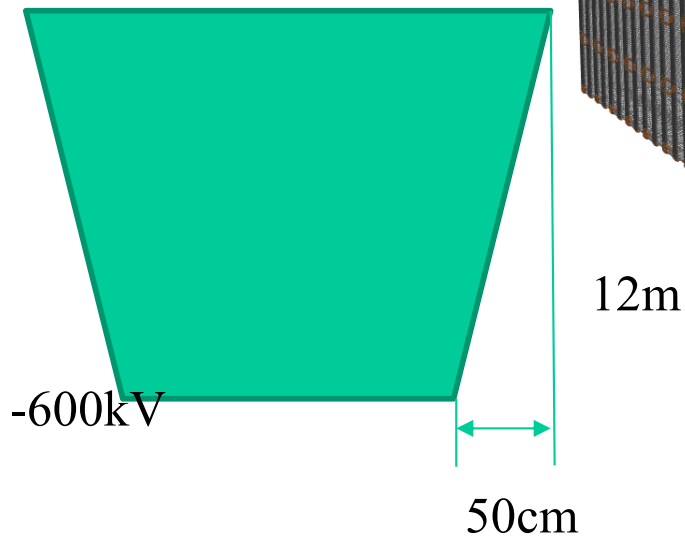


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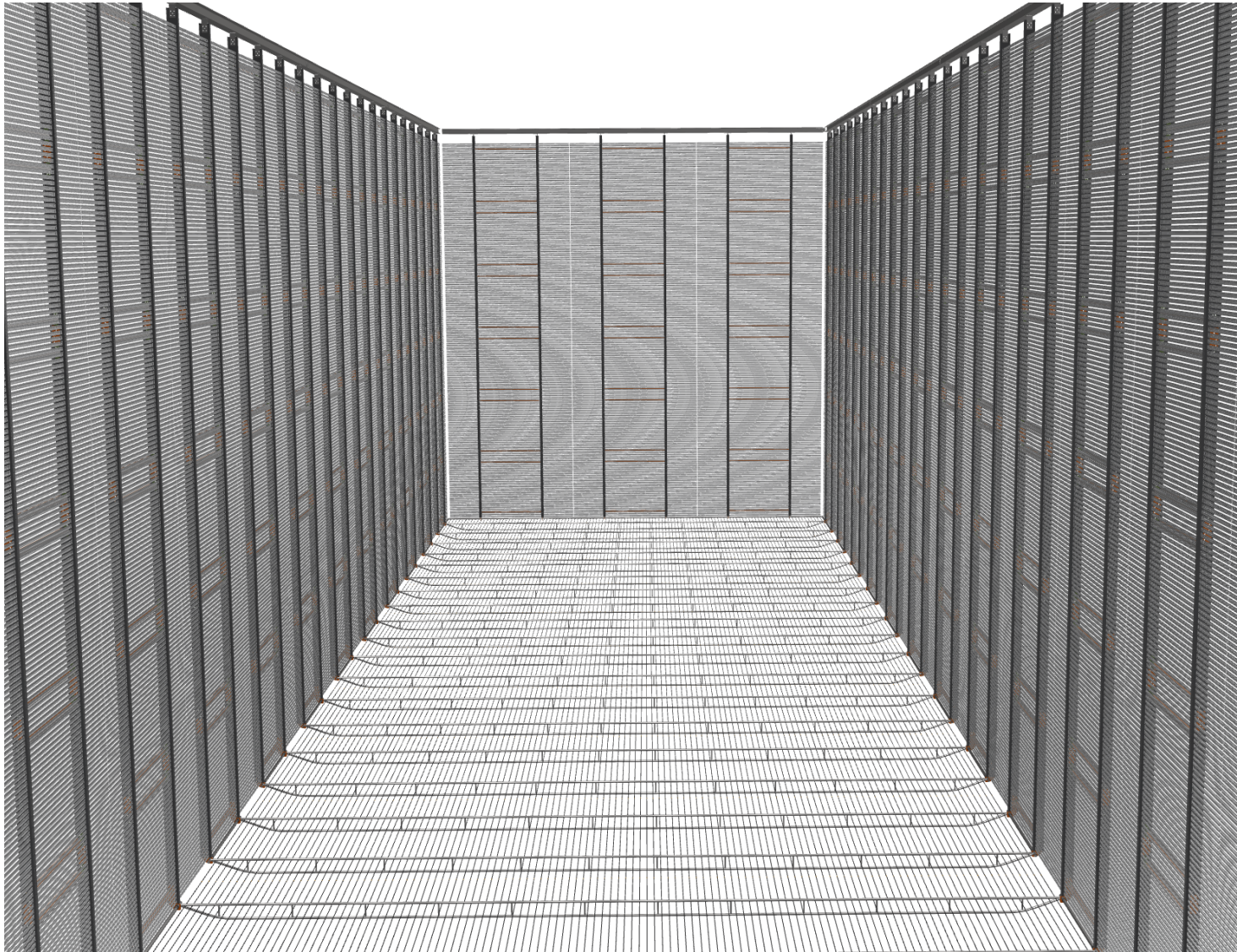
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DUNE Field Cage Outside View

- End walls will be angled

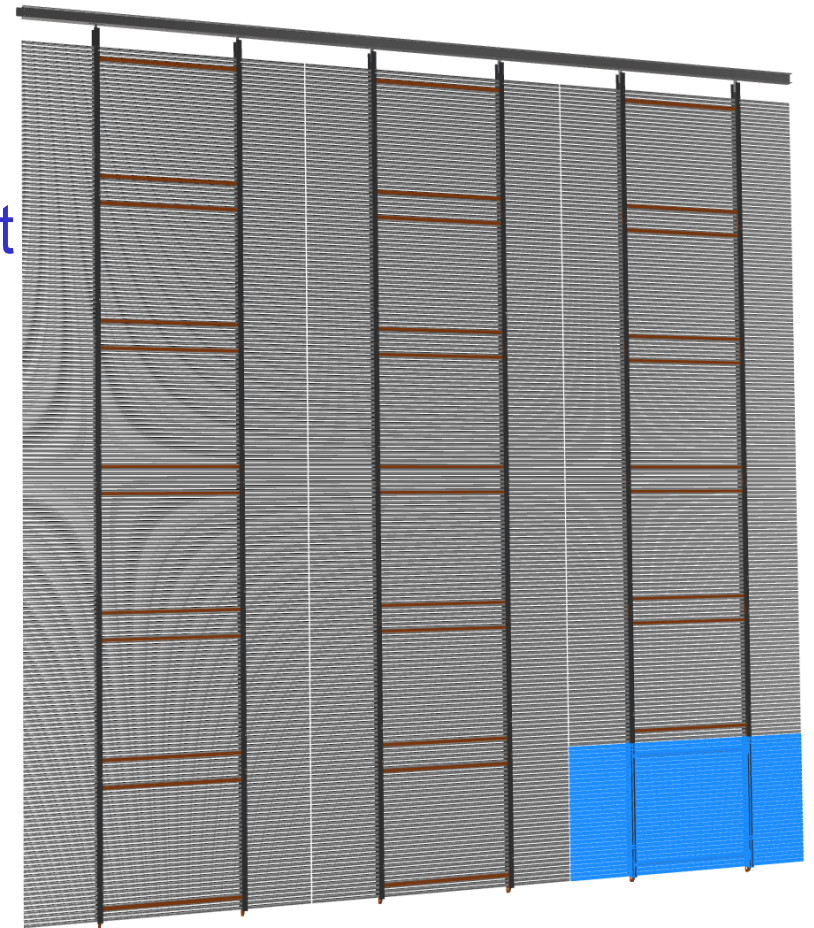
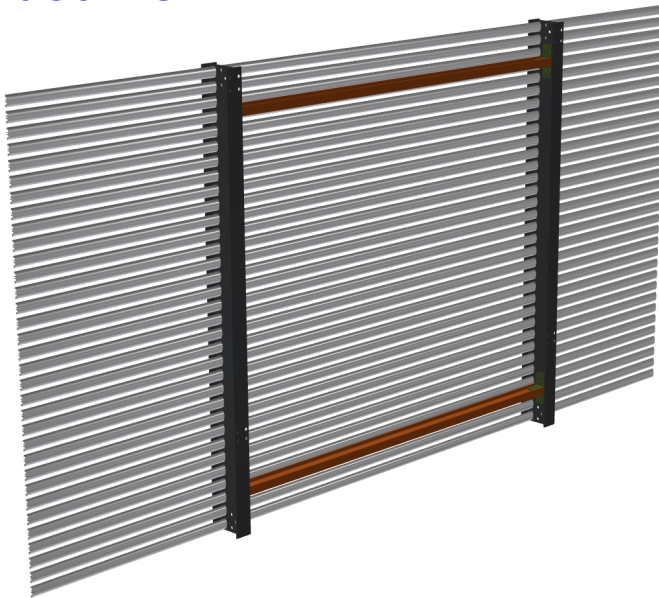


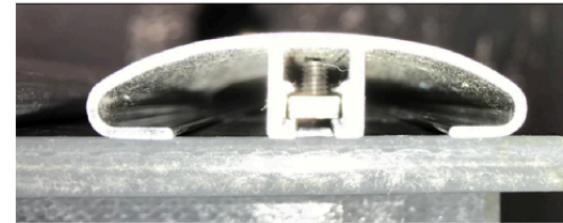
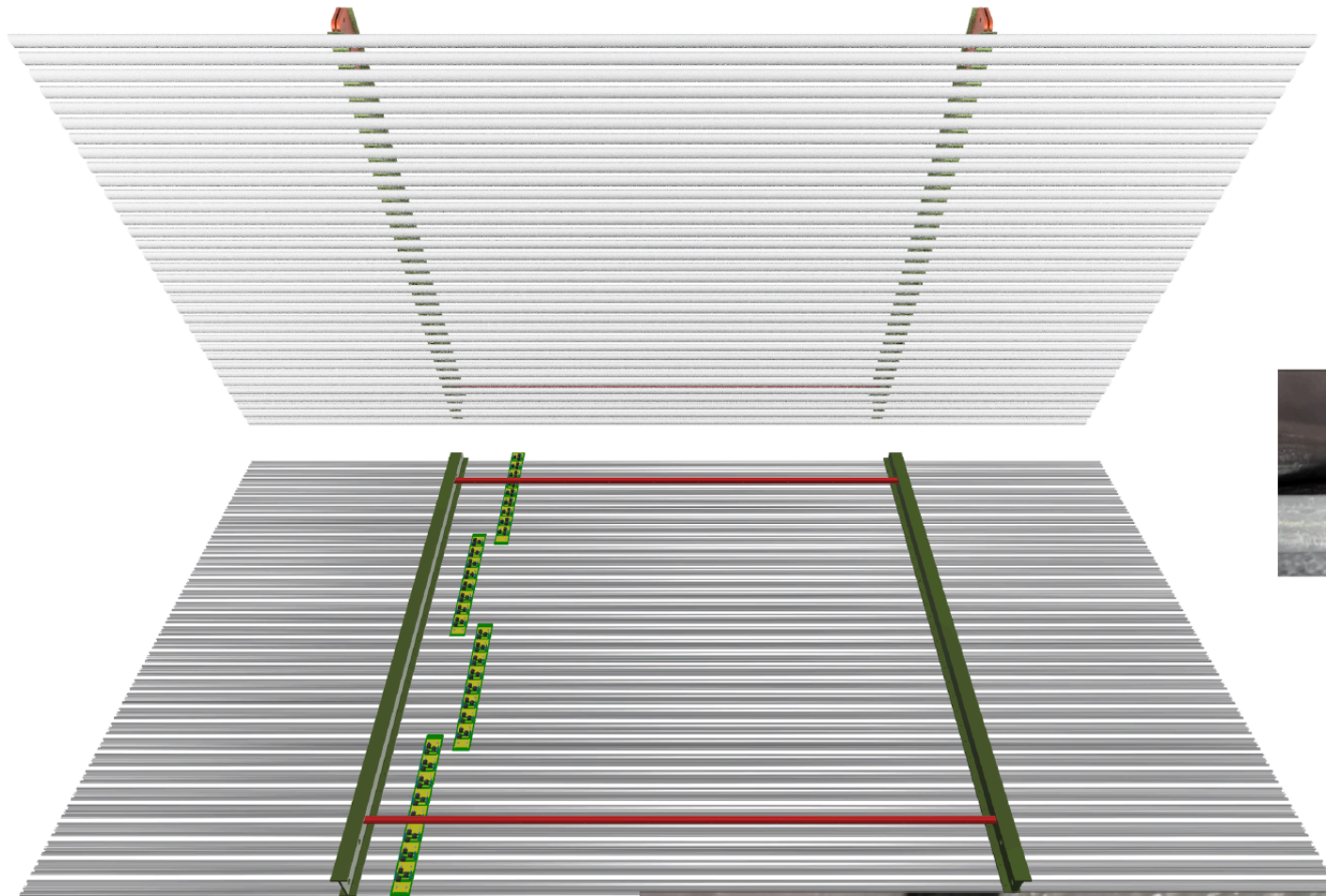
DUNE Field Cage Inside View



DUNE Field Cage Construction

- FC Module (FCM): 4m wide x 2m tall
- FC Super Module (FCSM): 12m x 12m (3x6 FCM)
 - Each FCSM is supported by one 12m long SS beam.
 - The I-beam is hang from 2 cables to the roof
- Entire FC: 12 FC Super Modules
- The sub-modules will have profiles face out
- Use 4" I-beams





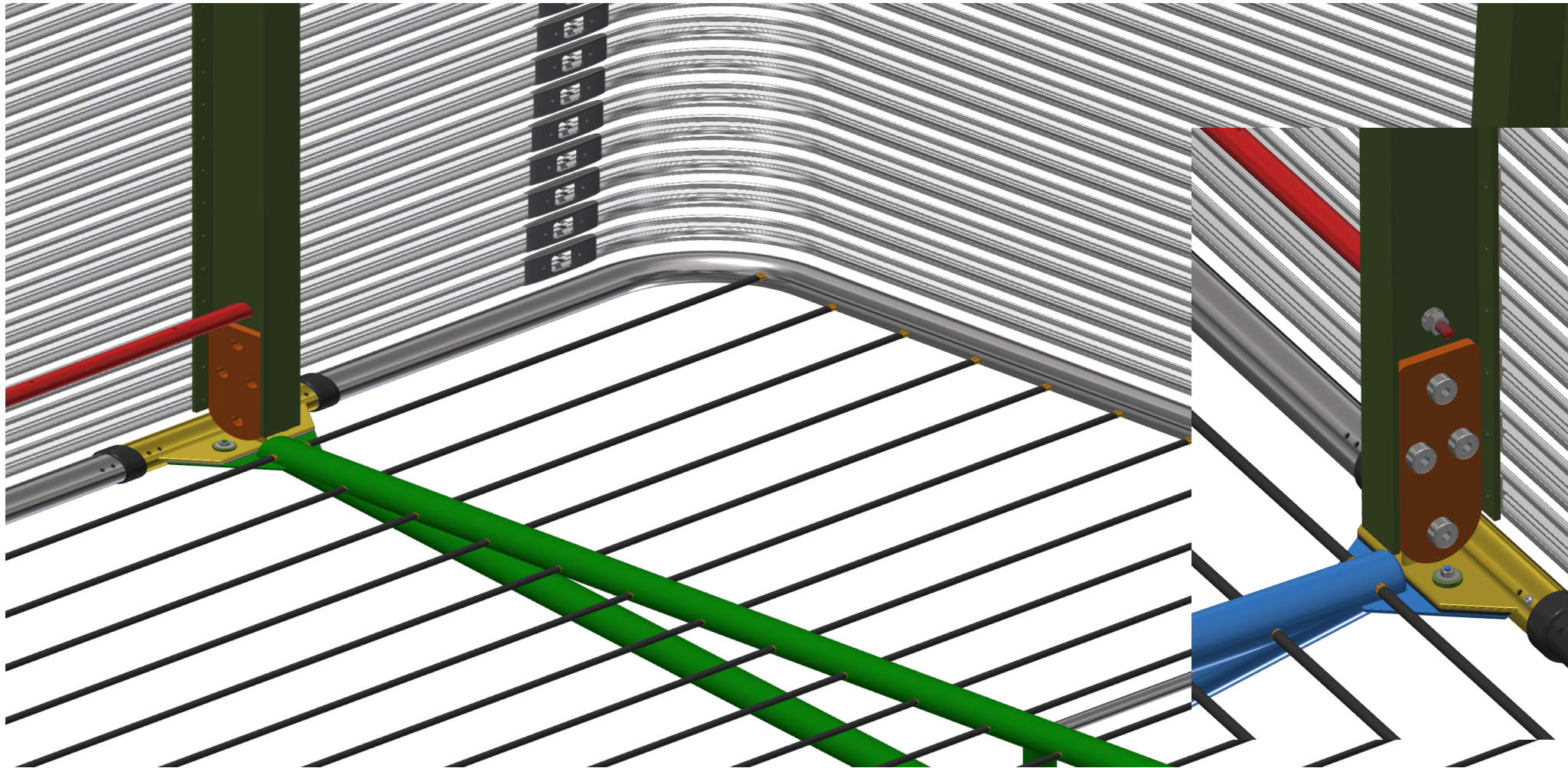
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Cathode and Field Cage Connection at the Corner



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Field Simulations

- 2D simulation
- Equipotential lines

