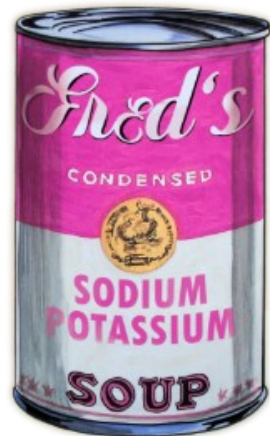
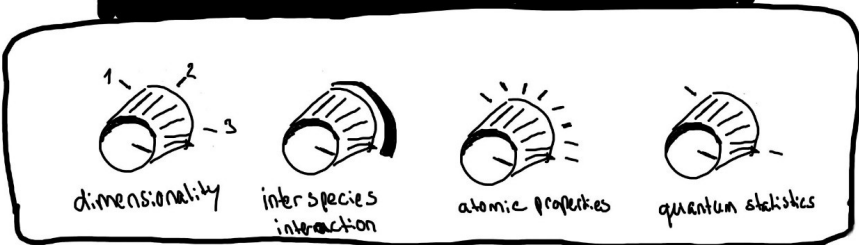
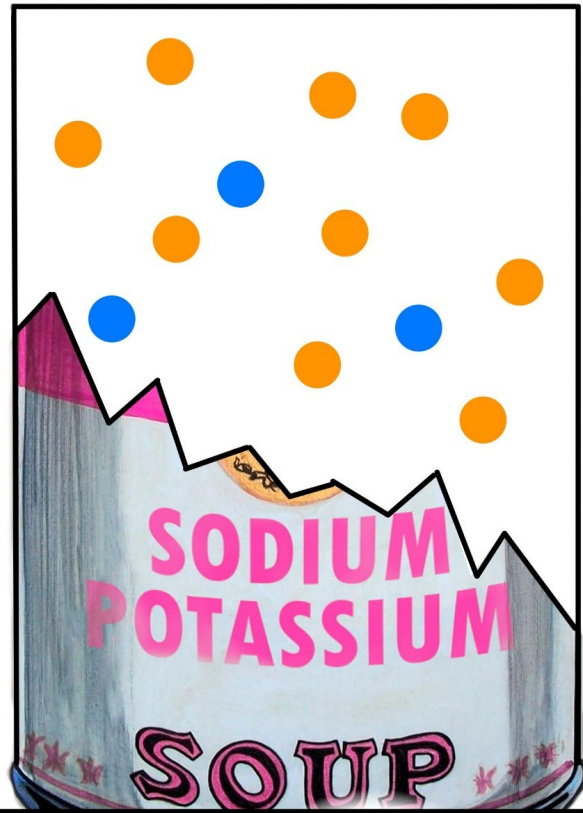


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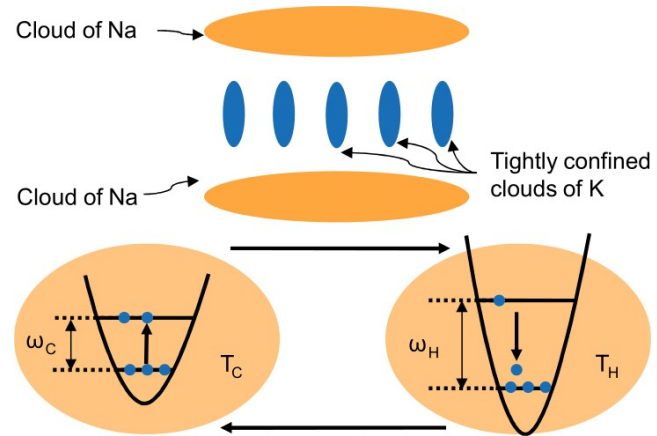
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Cold atomic mixtures



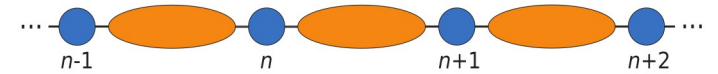
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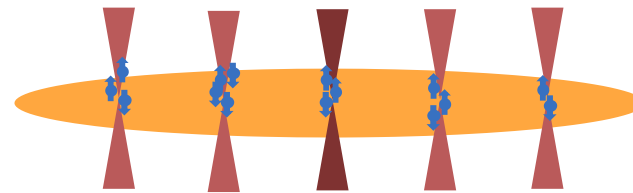
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Gauge field

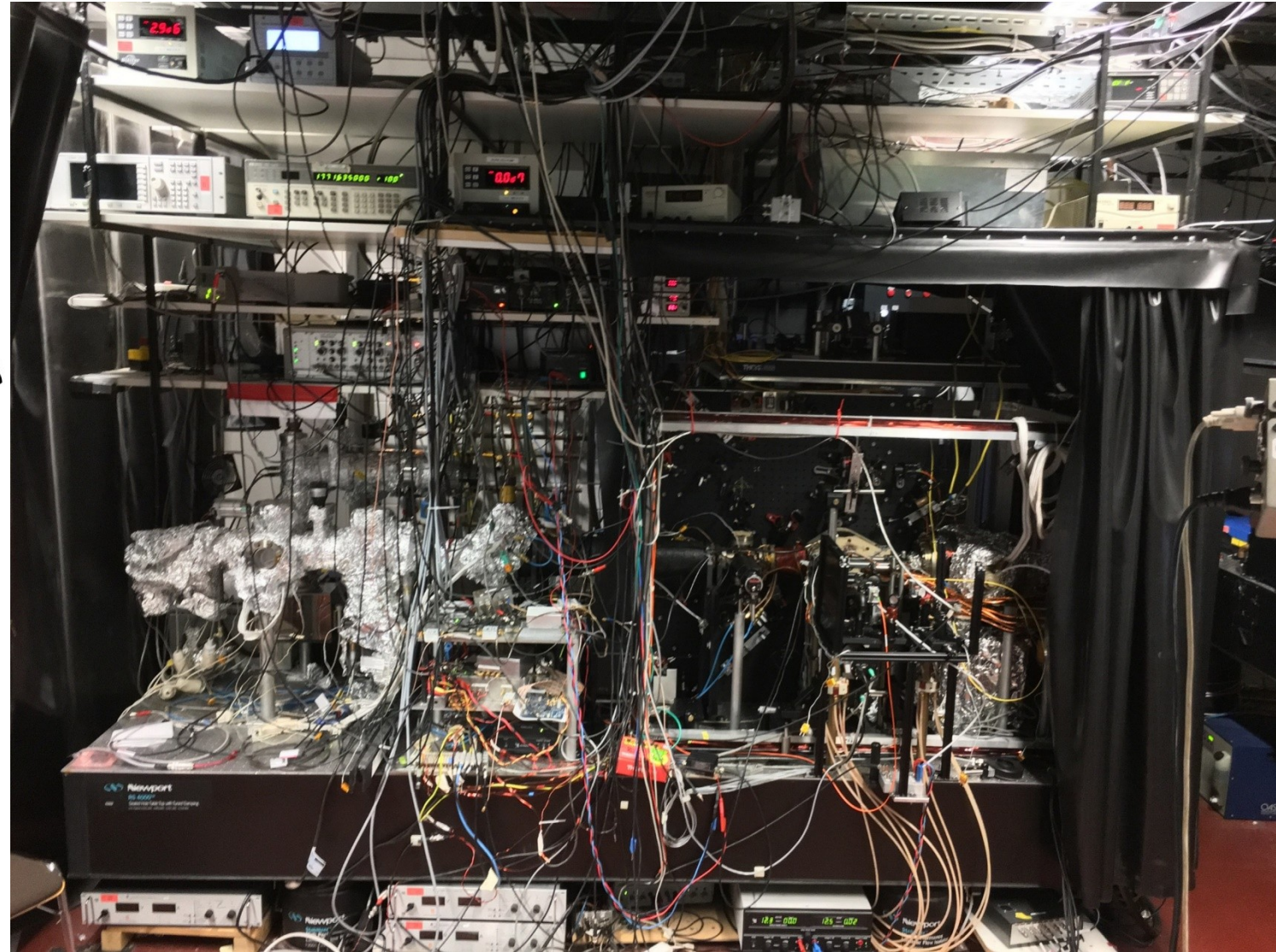
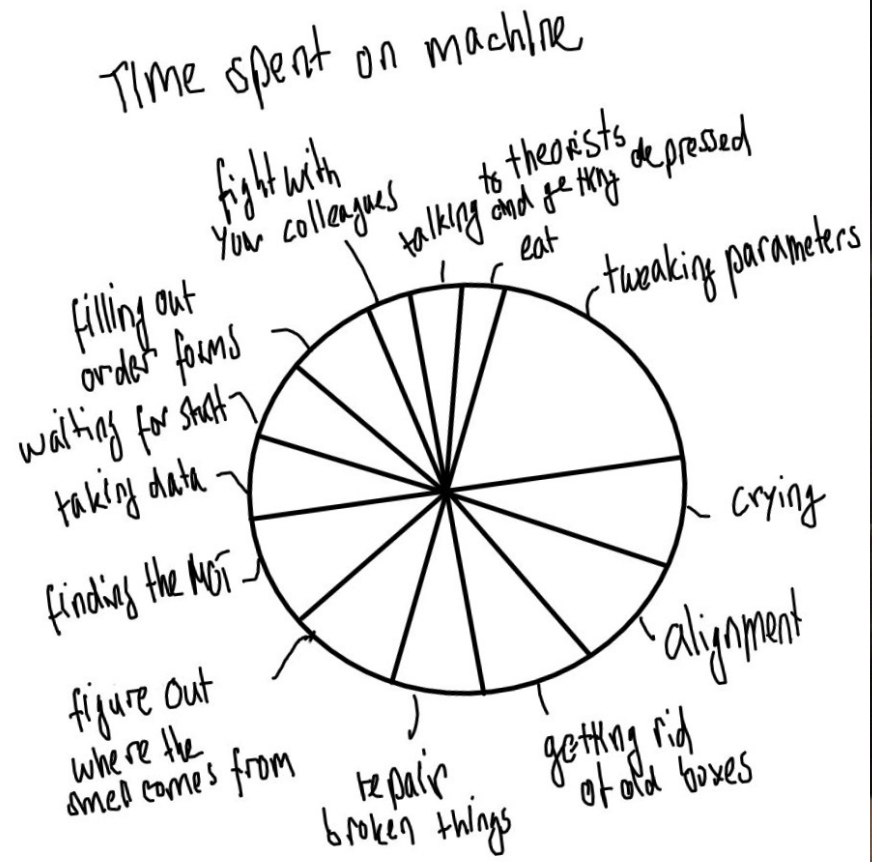
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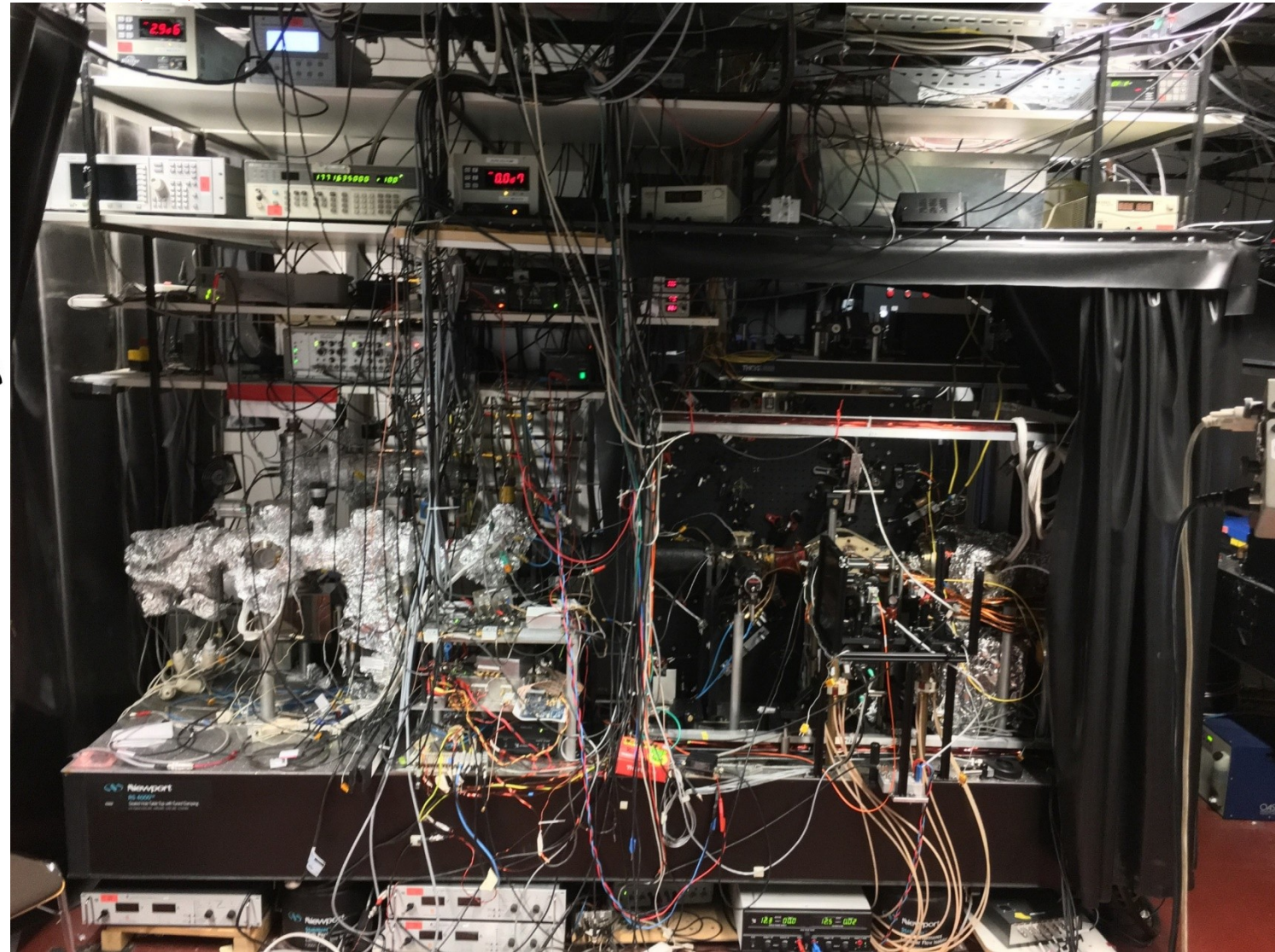
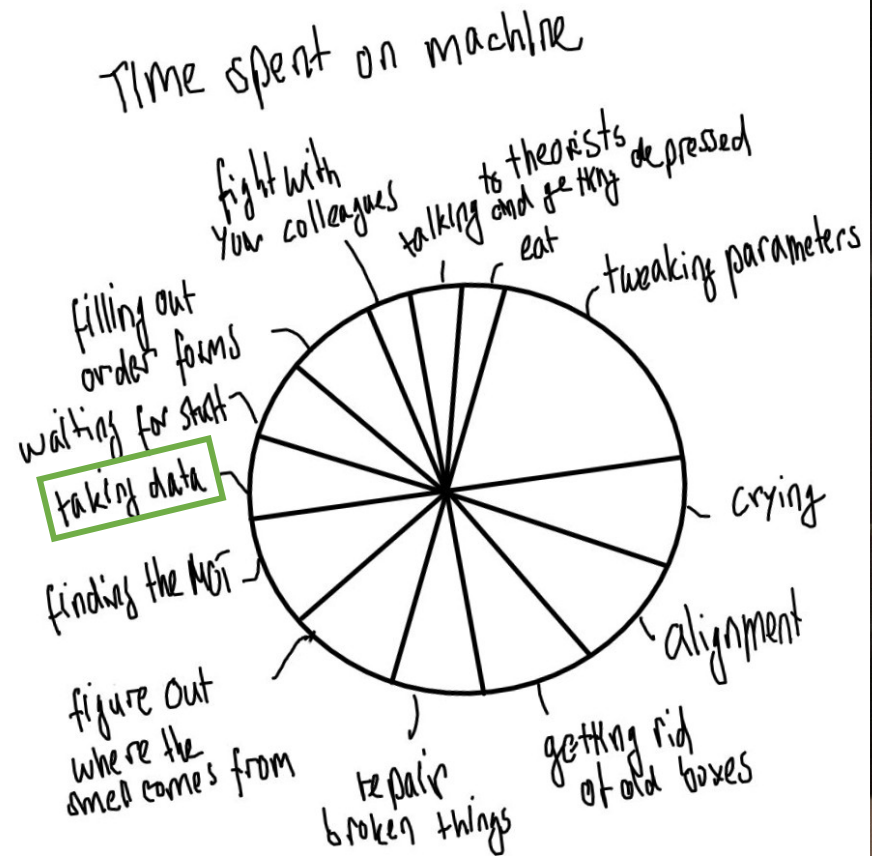
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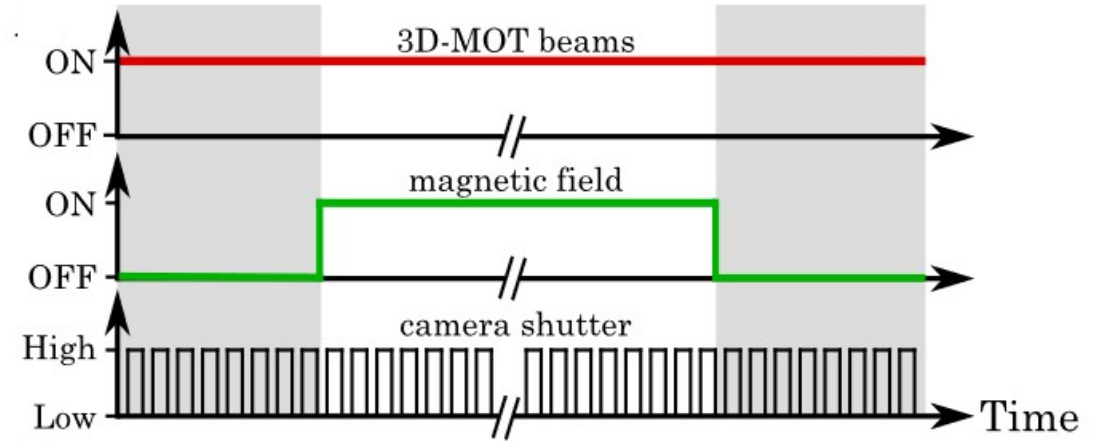
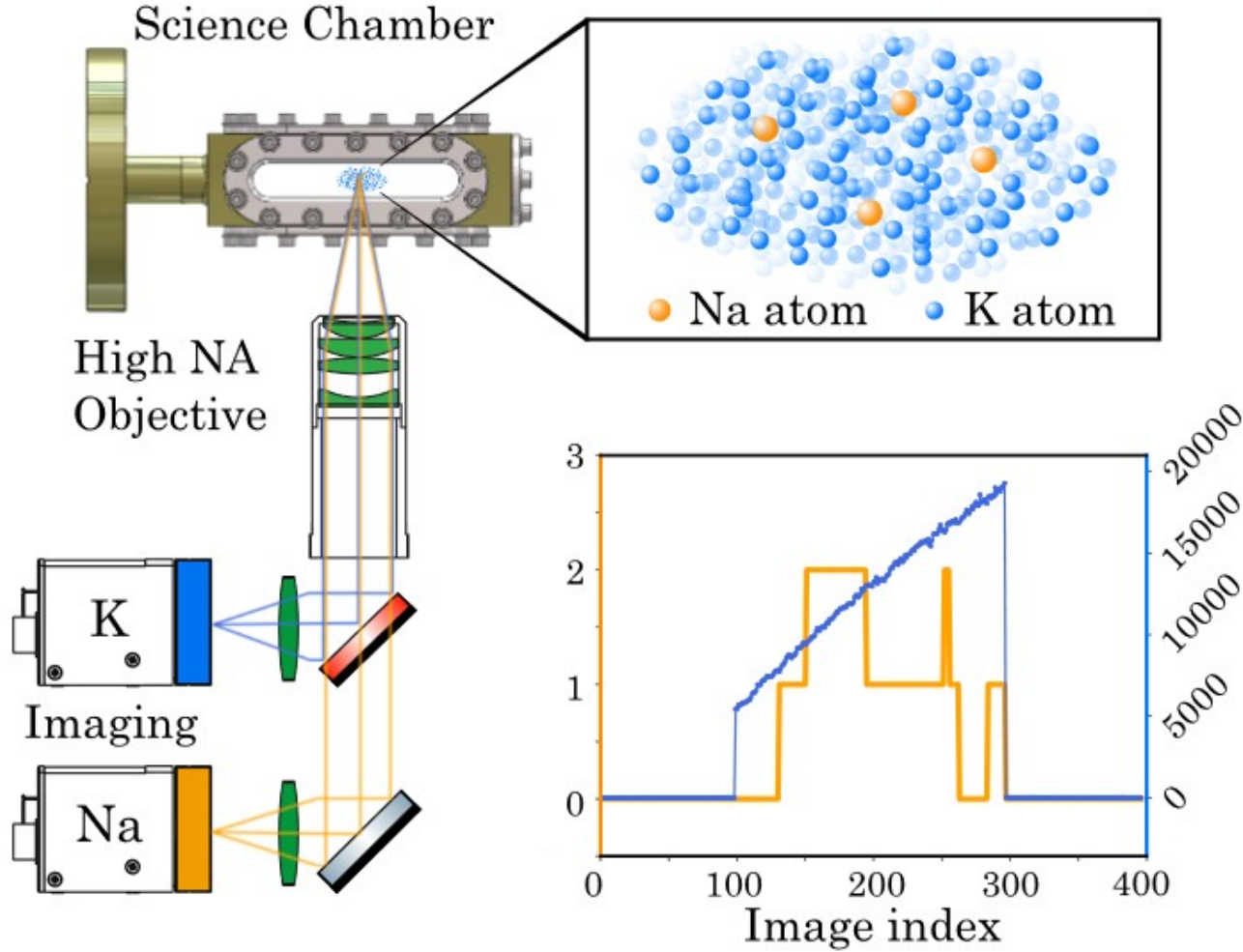
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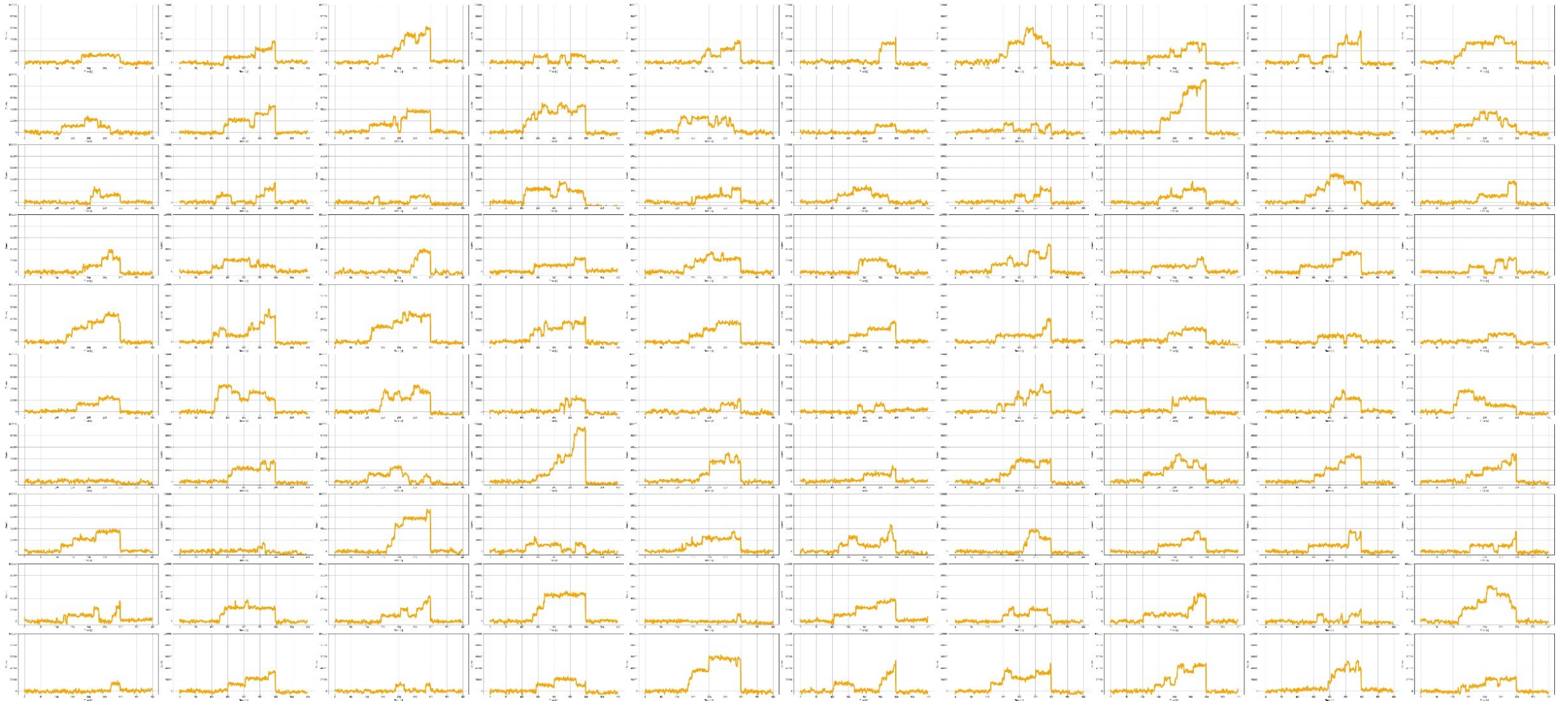
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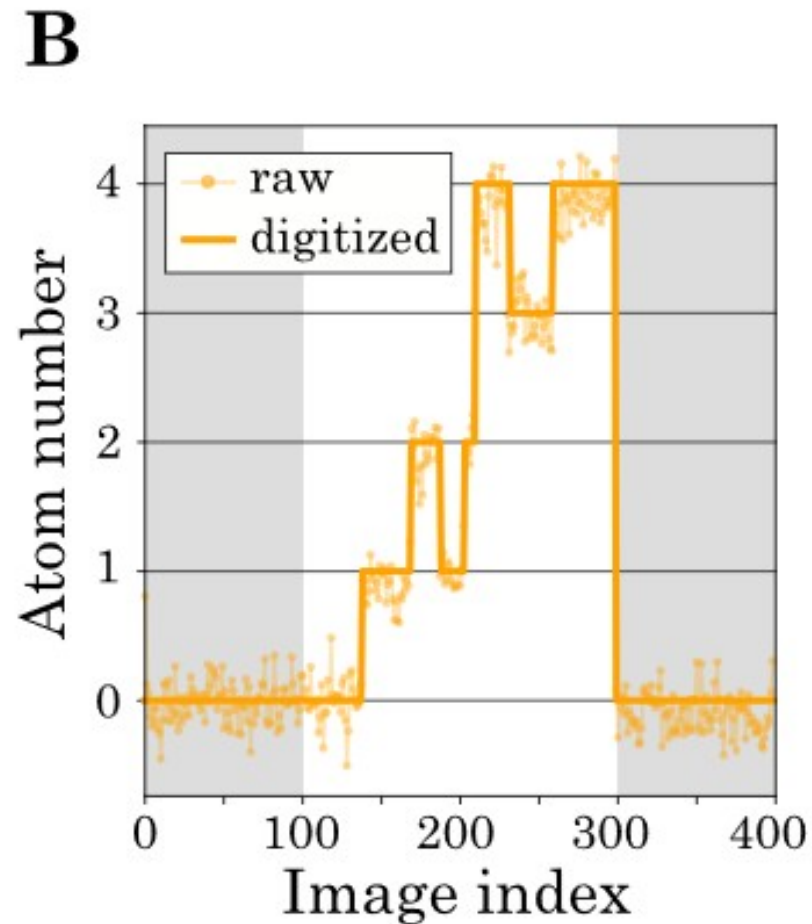
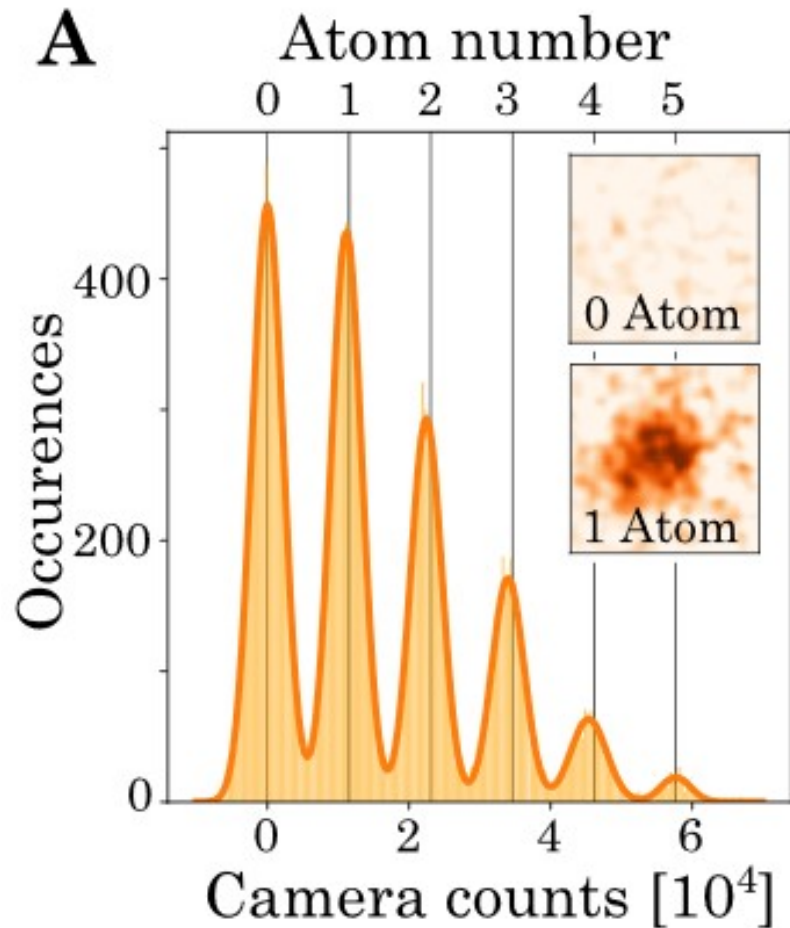
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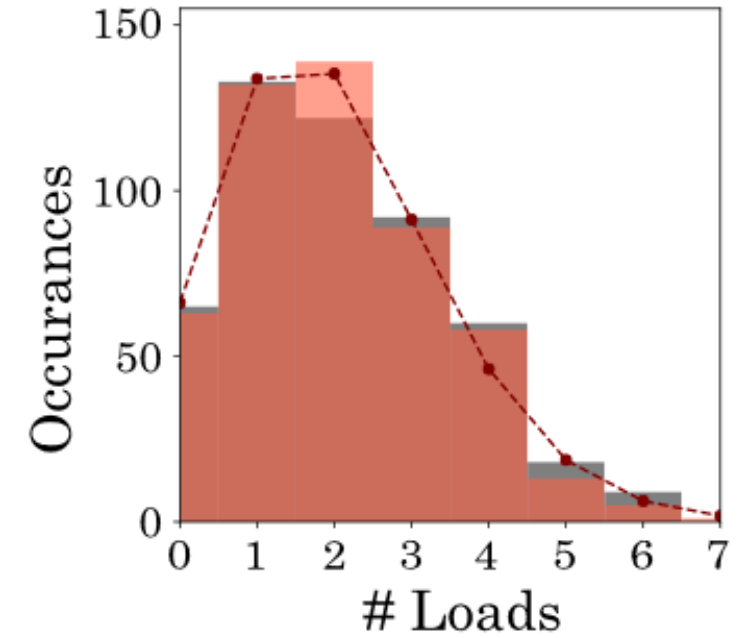
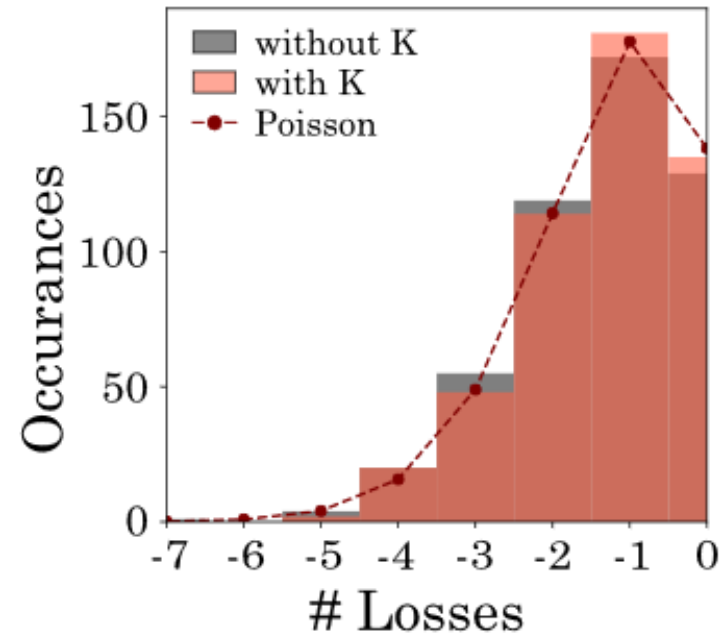
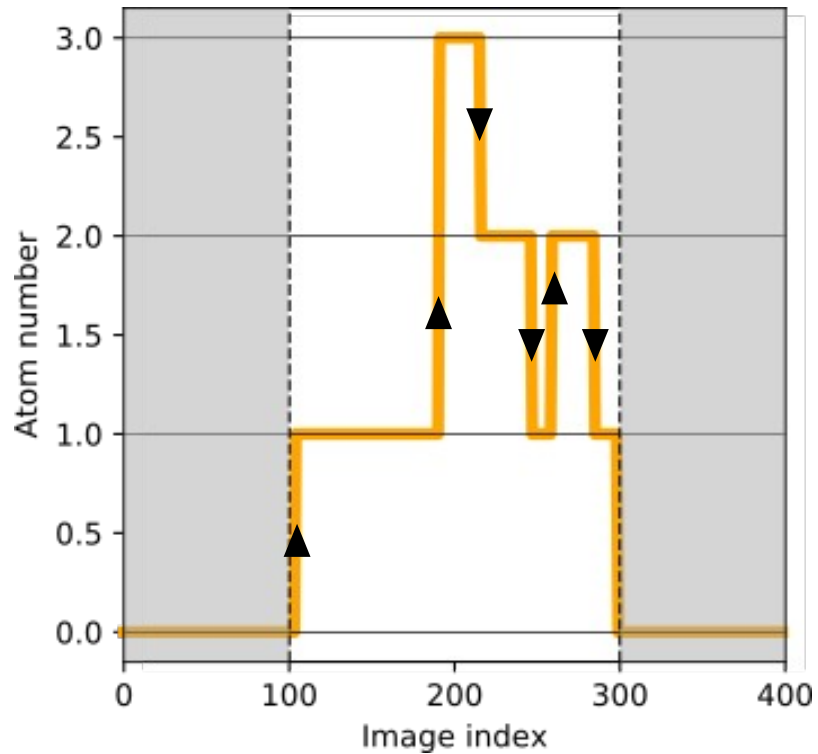
Time traces



Single atom counting & digitization



MOT dynamics



Loss Process

$$p_{\text{loss}} = \frac{N_{\text{loss}}}{\sum_i N_i}$$

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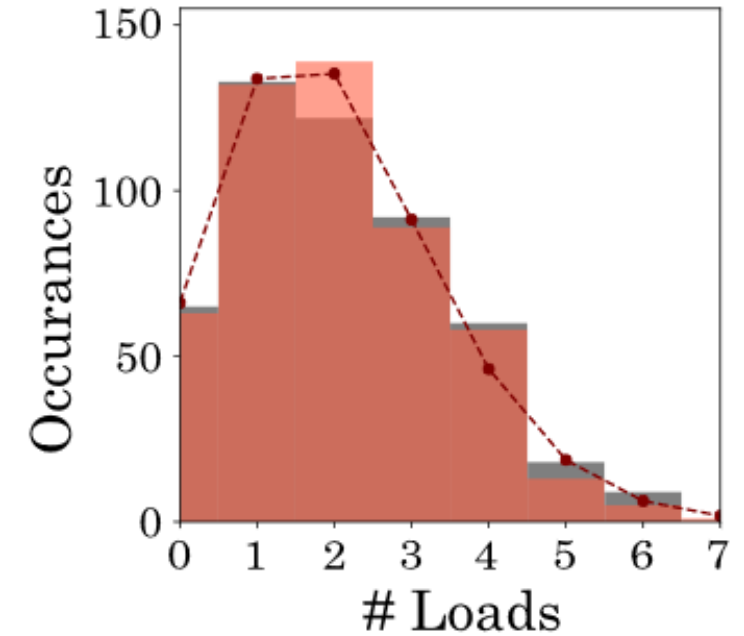
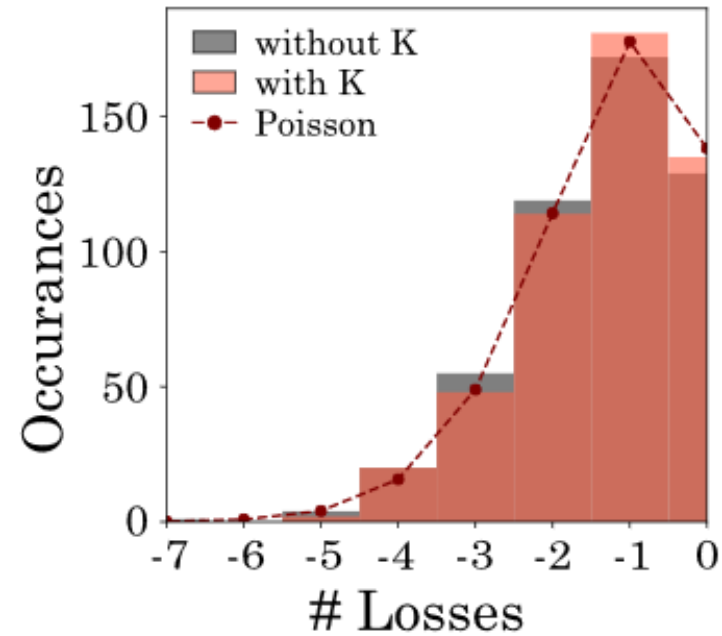
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MOT dynamics

Influence of K atoms

	p_{load} [%]	p_{loss} [%]
Without K	1.06(3)	2.76(23)
With K	1.02(3)	2.47(24)

Stochastic dynamics of a few sodium atoms in a cold potassium cloud, Rohit Prasad Bhatt, Jan Kilinc, Lilo Höcker, Fred Jendrzejewski (2021). arXiv:2101.01135.



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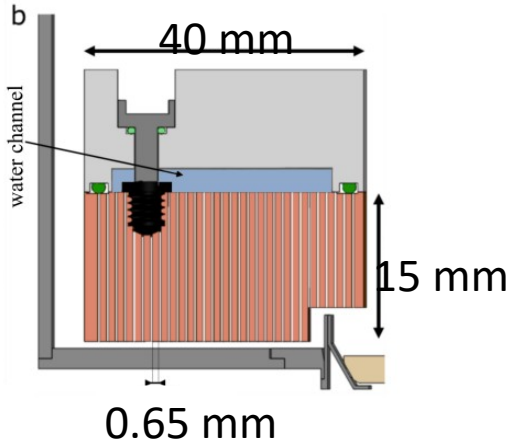
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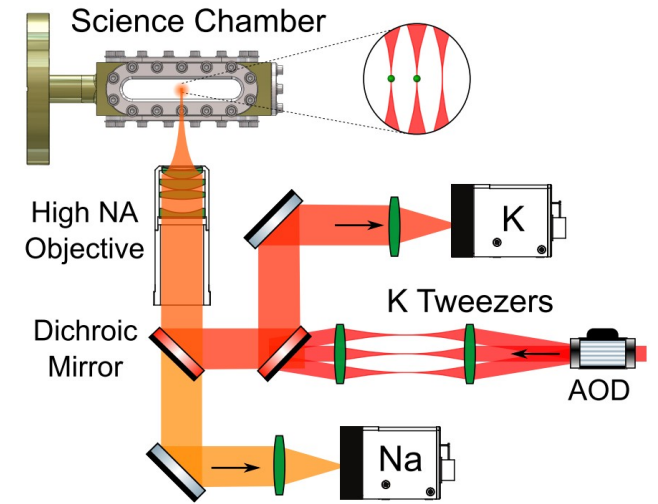
Current status

New Coils

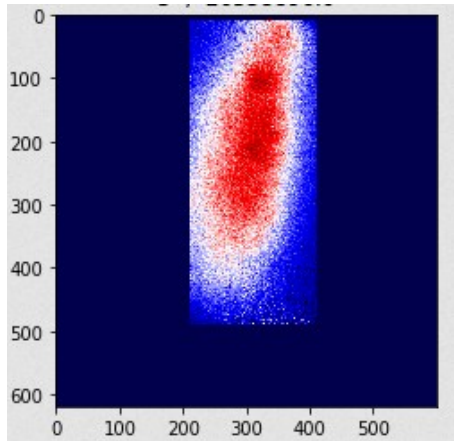


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Optical Tweezer



Magnetic Trap



Dipole trap

