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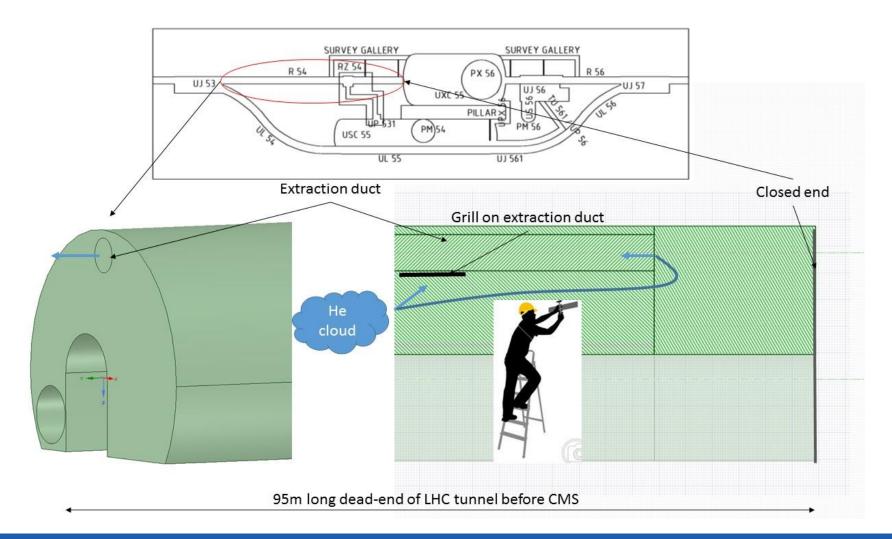
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Geometry used for calculations





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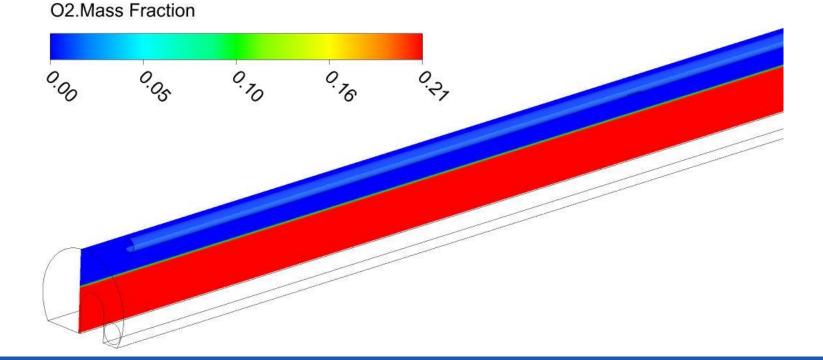
Assumptions used for calculations

- 2300 m^3/h or 7500 m^3/h extraction from the duct with mass flow boundary condition
- Fixed pressure inlet at the tunnel end (95m away from closed end)
- Grill open in 3rd scenario



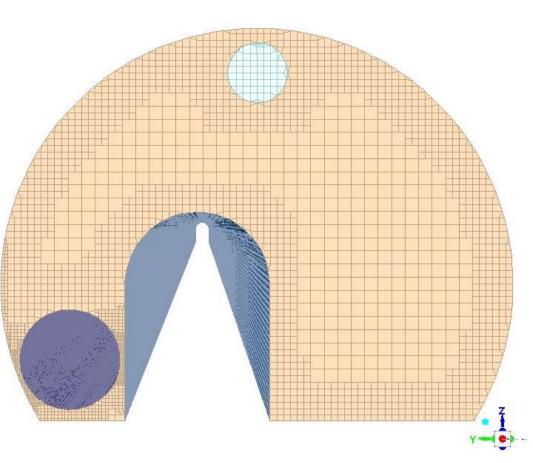
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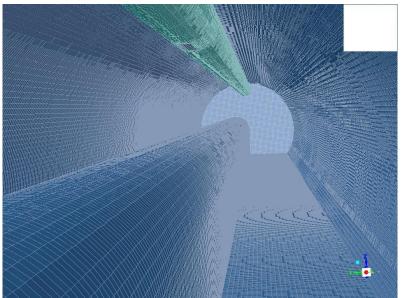
 Tunnel filled with room temperature helium above 1.6 m height





Computational mesh and details





Computational fluid dynamics:

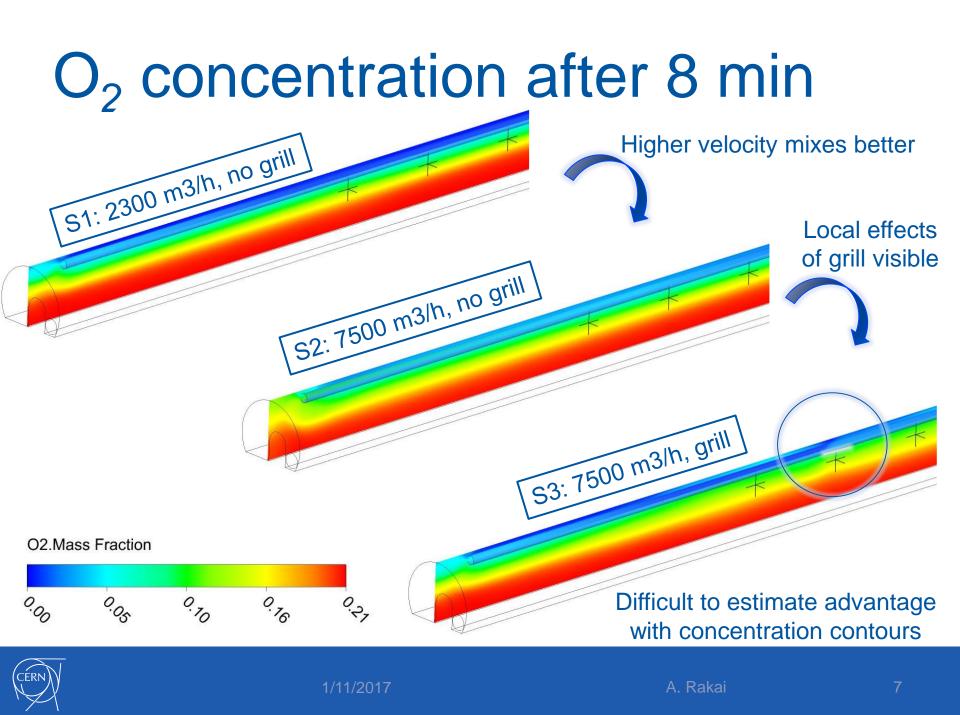
- ANSYS Fluent v17.1
- Standard k-ε turbulence model
- Incompressible ideal-gas model
- SIMPLE pressure velocity coupling
- Body force weighted pressure scheme



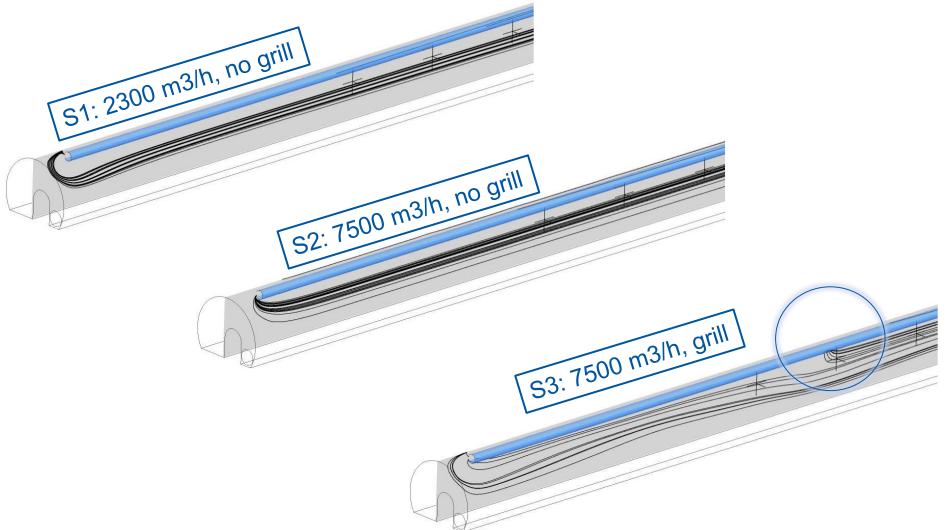
Scenarios

Scenarios	Extraction	Duct grills
S1	2300	No
S2	7500	No
S3	7500	yes





Flow structure difference



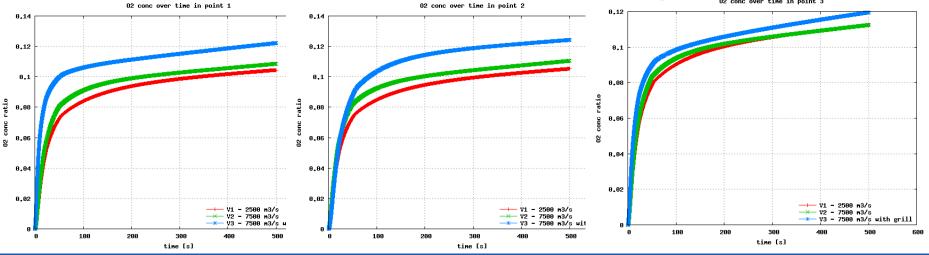


Monitoring points

The advantage of higher exhaust velocity and the use of grill depends on the location of the monitoring point (person in tunnel)

> S1: 2300m3/h, no grill S2: 7500m3/h, no grill S3: 7500m3/h, grill

02 conc over time in point 3





Conclusions

- With a very simplified case the global effects of extraction flow rate and use of grills can be observed.
- Higher flow rate extraction can increase mixing and deteriorate stratification of He.
- In monitoring points close to the grills O₂ fraction recovers clearly faster than without.
- This phenomena is highly location dependent.

