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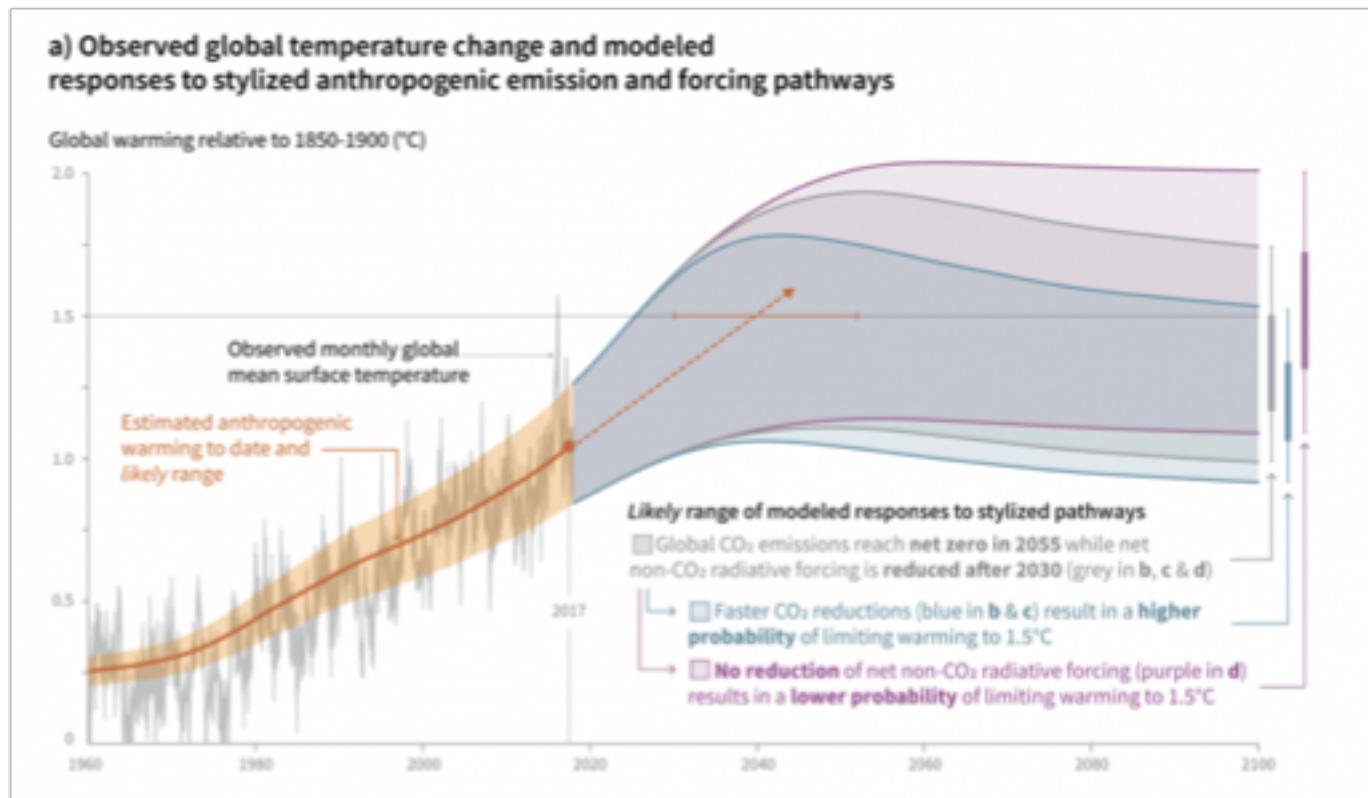
# Nuevas perspectivas en Energía Solar Térmica Residencial y Comercial

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# 1.5 °C



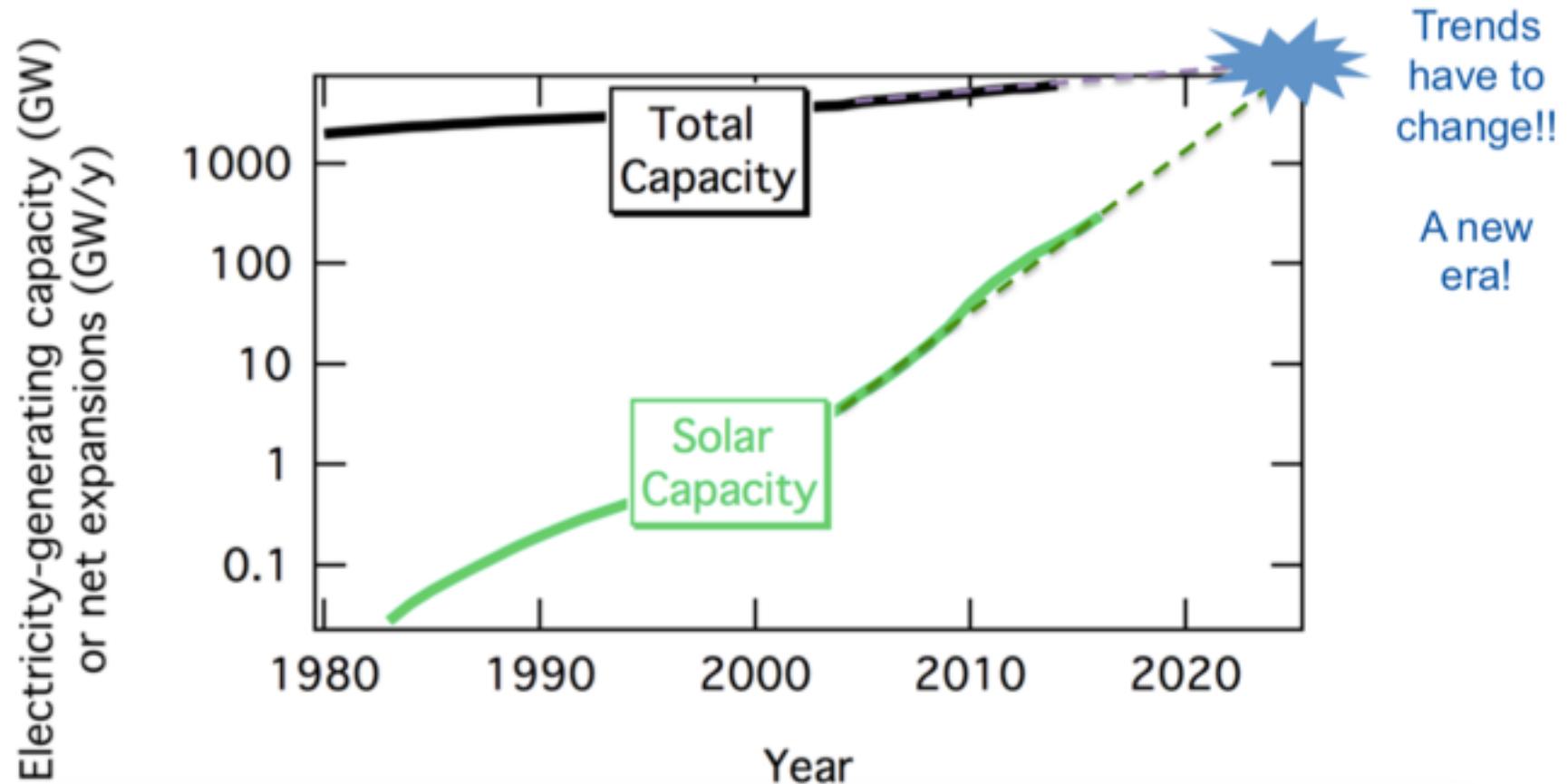
1.5 grados Celsius podrían alcanzarse en 12 años y con seguridad dentro de 20 años, si es que no hay reducciones significativas en las emisiones de CO<sub>2</sub>

Cumplir con este objetivo exige transformaciones extraordinarias en transporte, energía, uso del suelo, infraestructura y sistemas industriales.

También exige una gran escala de tecnologías emergentes, como las que eliminan el dióxido de carbono directamente del aire.

# Una Nueva Era en Energía Solar

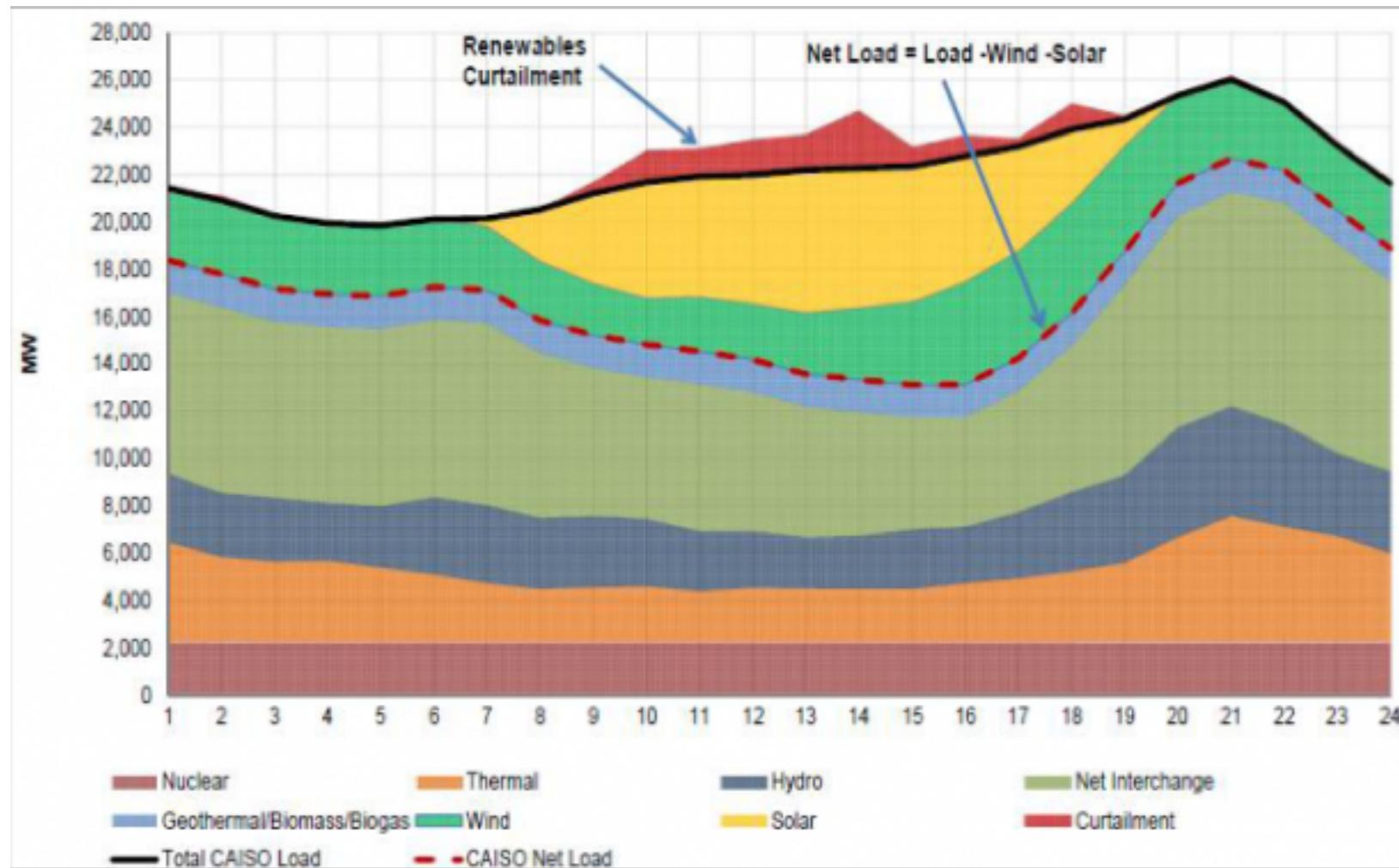
What happens when PV approaches the total?



California ISO | PEAK RECORDS

ISO hit all-time peak percentage of demand served by solar 3/4, **49.95%** at 12:58 p.m.  
Previous peak: 47.2% on 5/14/17

# Reducción de Capacidad de Energías Renovables



**CAISO: California curtailed 80 GWh of renewables in March**

# Prácticamente Inevitable

- Aumento de Temperaturas.
- Mayor incidencia de incendios forestales.
- Aumento del nivel del mar y eventos climáticos severos.

Energy Research and Development Division  
FINAL PROJECT REPORT

## ASSESSMENT OF CALIFORNIA'S NATURAL GAS PIPELINE VULNERABILITY TO CLIMATE CHANGE

White Paper from the California Energy  
Commission's Climate Change Center

Prepared for: California Energy Commission  
Prepared by: University of California, Berkeley



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LBNL-Report

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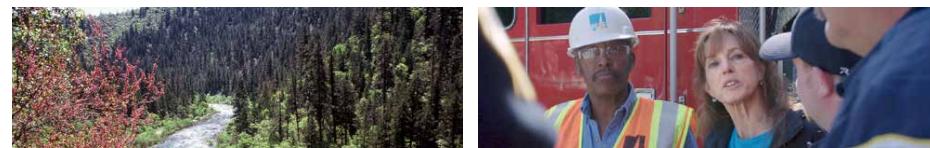
## ESTIMATING RISK TO CALIFORNIA ENERGY INFRASTRUCTURE FROM PROJECTED CLIMATE CHANGE

Jayant Sathaye, Larry Dale, Peter Larsen, Gary Fitts,  
Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory (LBNL)

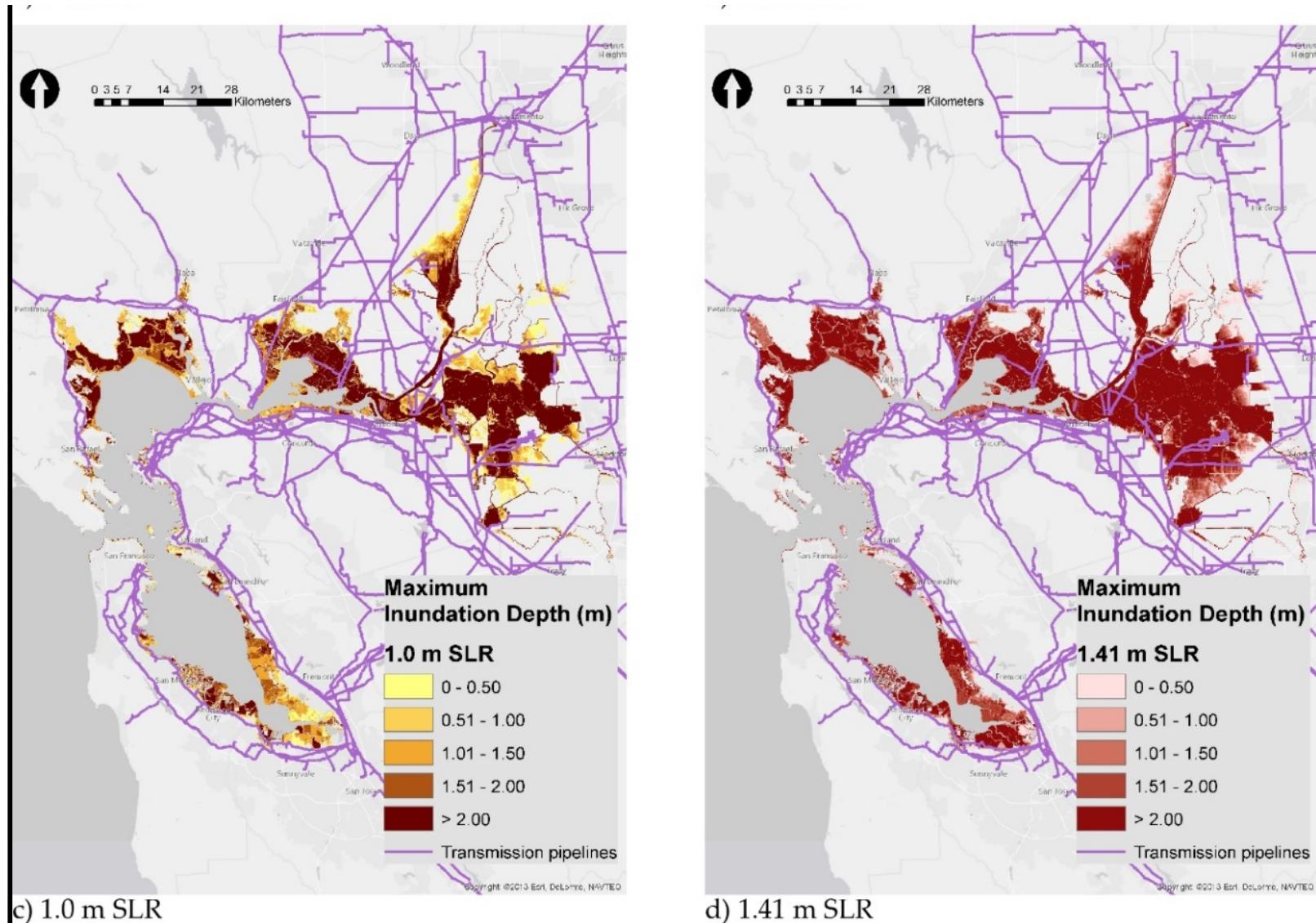
Kevin Koy and Sarah Lewis,  
Geospatial Innovation Facility, University of California at Berkeley

Andre Lucena, Federal University of Rio de Janeiro

## Pacific Gas and Electric Company Climate Change Vulnerability Assessment and Resilience Strategies



# Ejemplo: Cañerías de Gas Natural



Cañerías de GN afectadas por máxima inundación o peor tormenta en 100 años

# Falla en Cañerías de GN

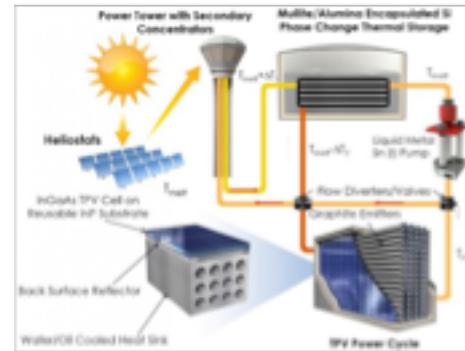


San Bruno (2010)



Fuga de GN Aliso Canyon (2015)

1414 °C



Thermofotovoltaico/  
Estaño fundido

565 °C

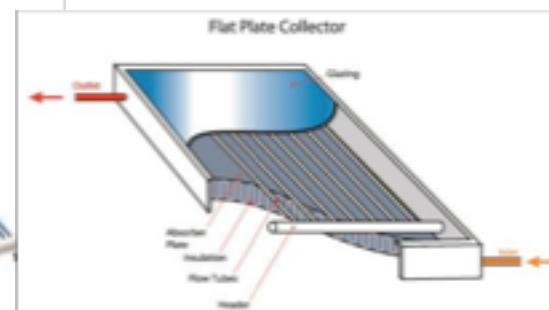


250 - 400 °C



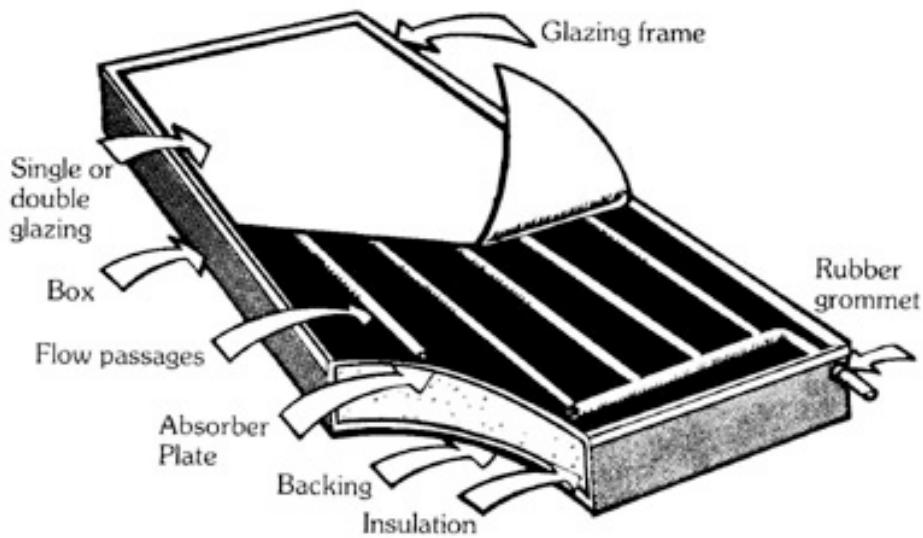
Calor para Procesos

40 - 250 °C

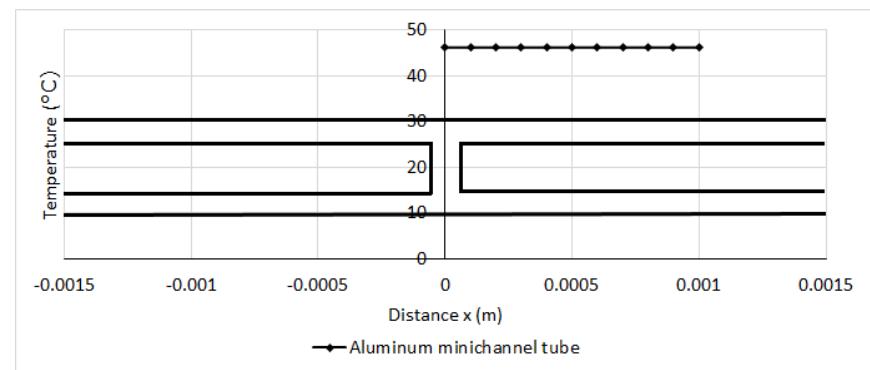
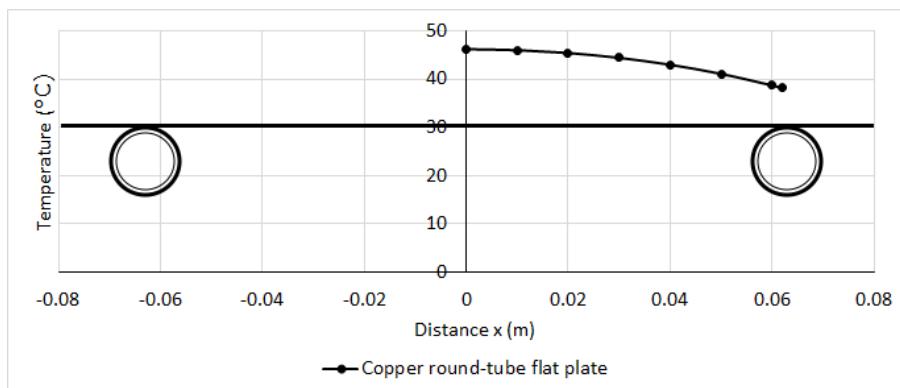
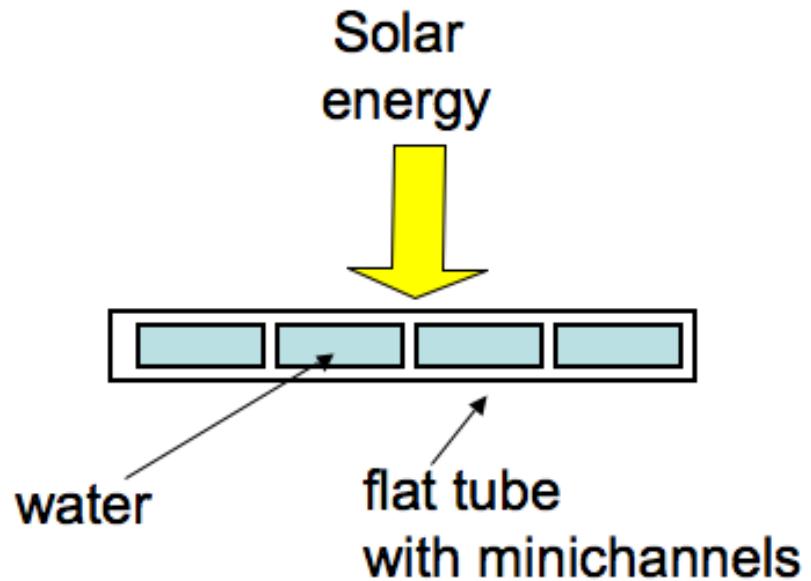
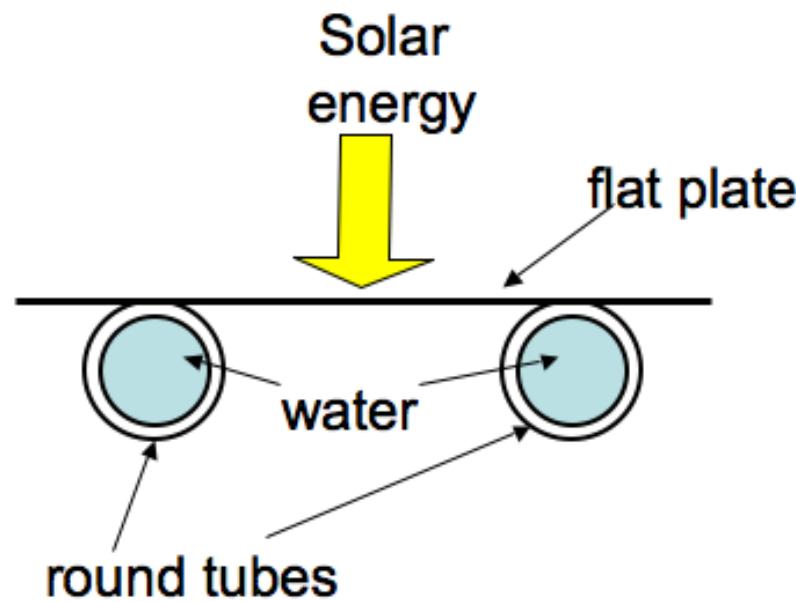


Agua caliente o  
vapor

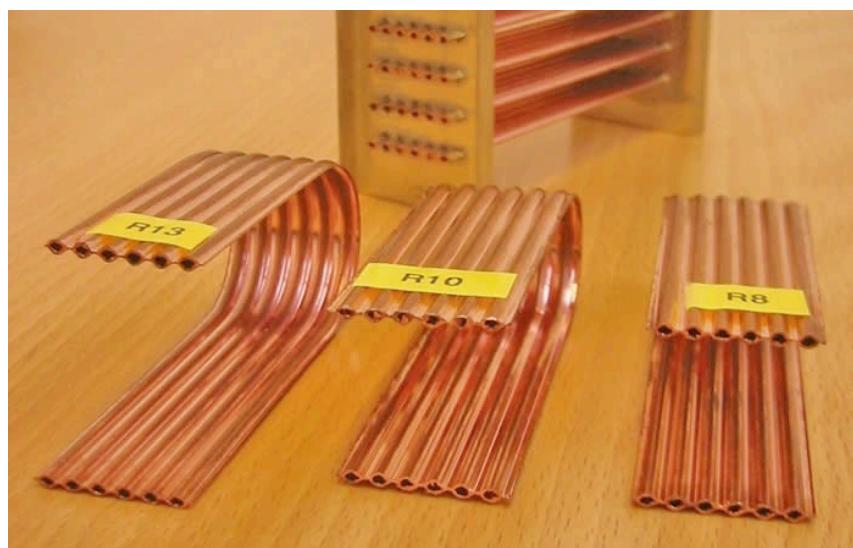
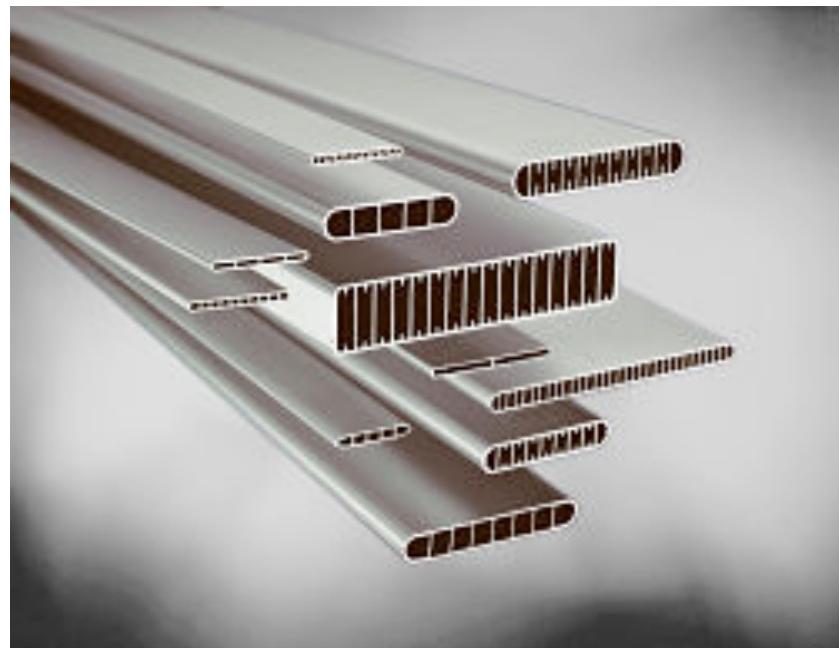
# Configuraciones



# Tubos de Minicanal



# Tipos de Tubo de Minicanal



Condensador Minicanal versus  
Condensador RTPF

Capacidad: 7 kW

# Mejor Eficiencia Termal

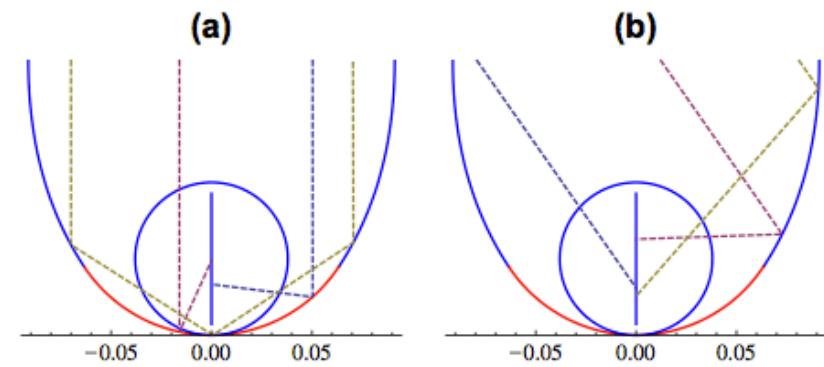
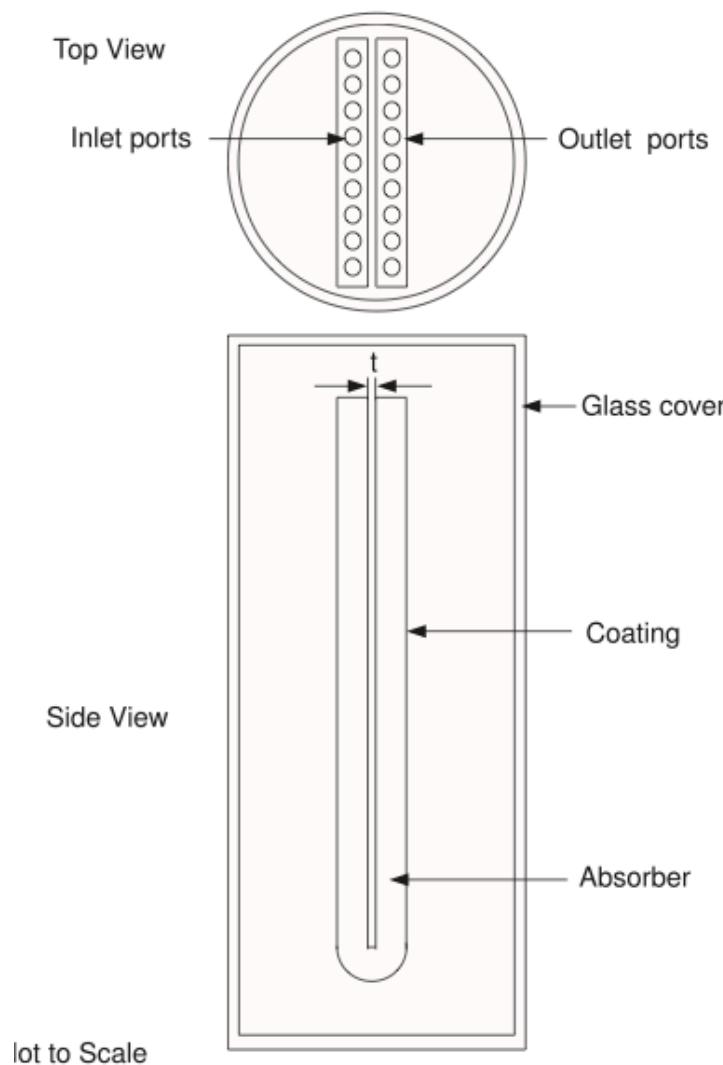
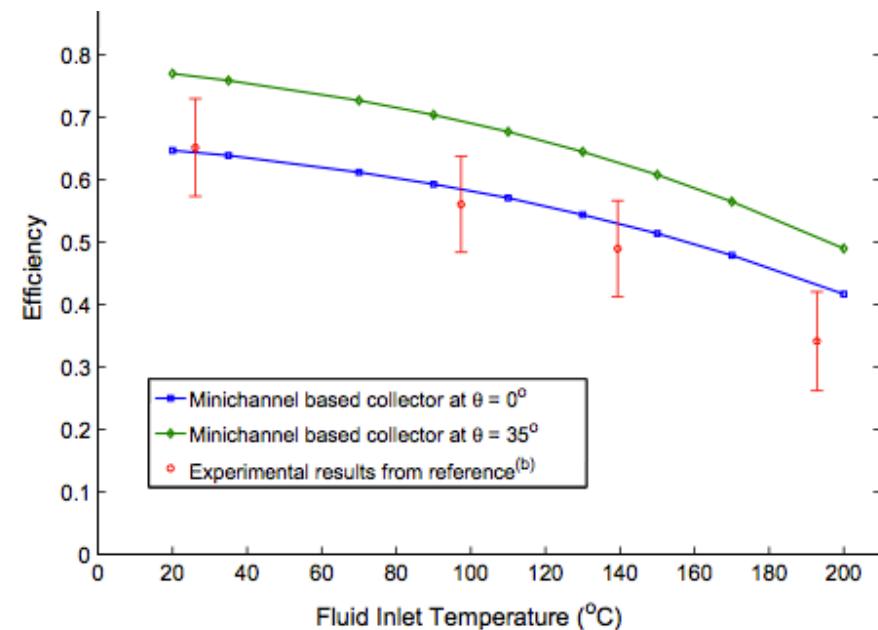


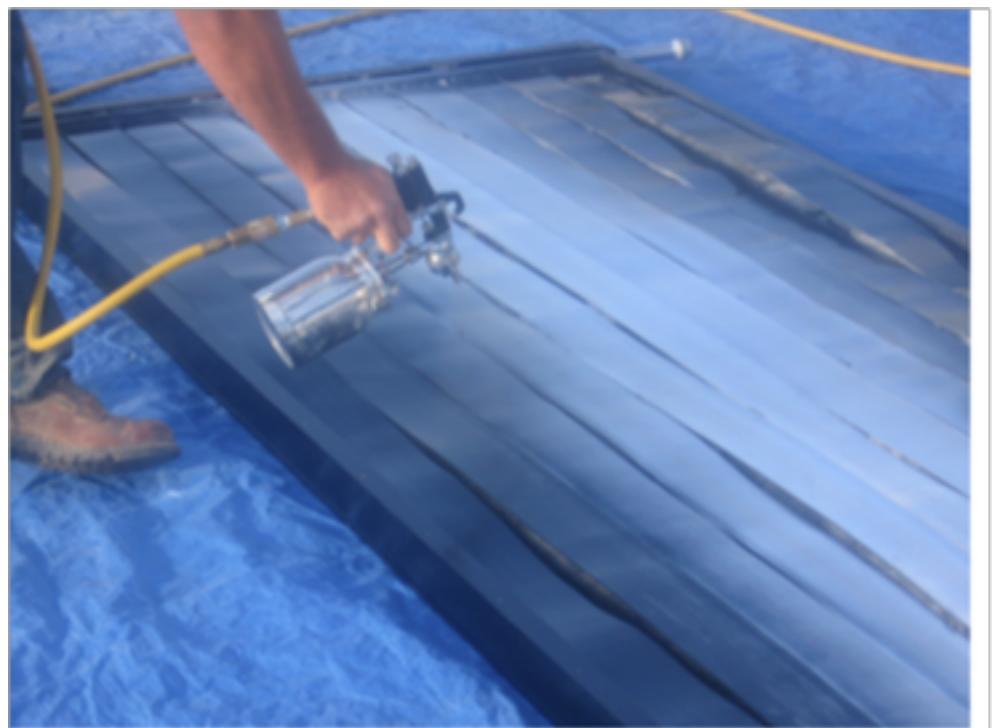
Fig. 10. Cross-section profile of the CPC concentrator for the minichannel-based solar collector. Three sample rays out of 50,000 are shown for (a)  $\theta = 0^\circ$  and (b)  $\theta = 35^\circ$ .



# Colector de Aluminio de Minicanal

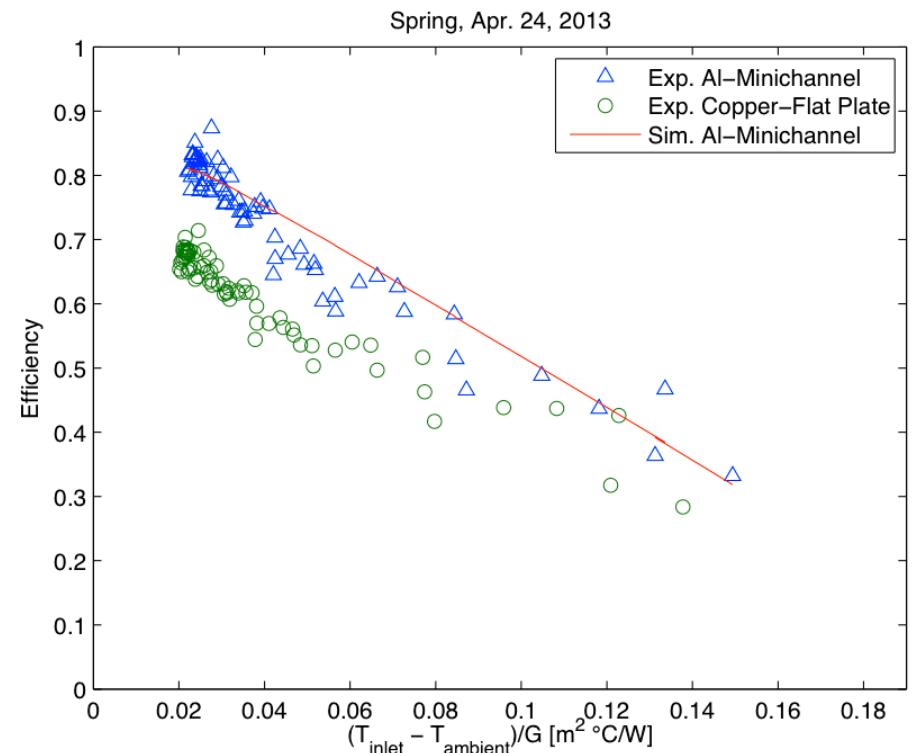
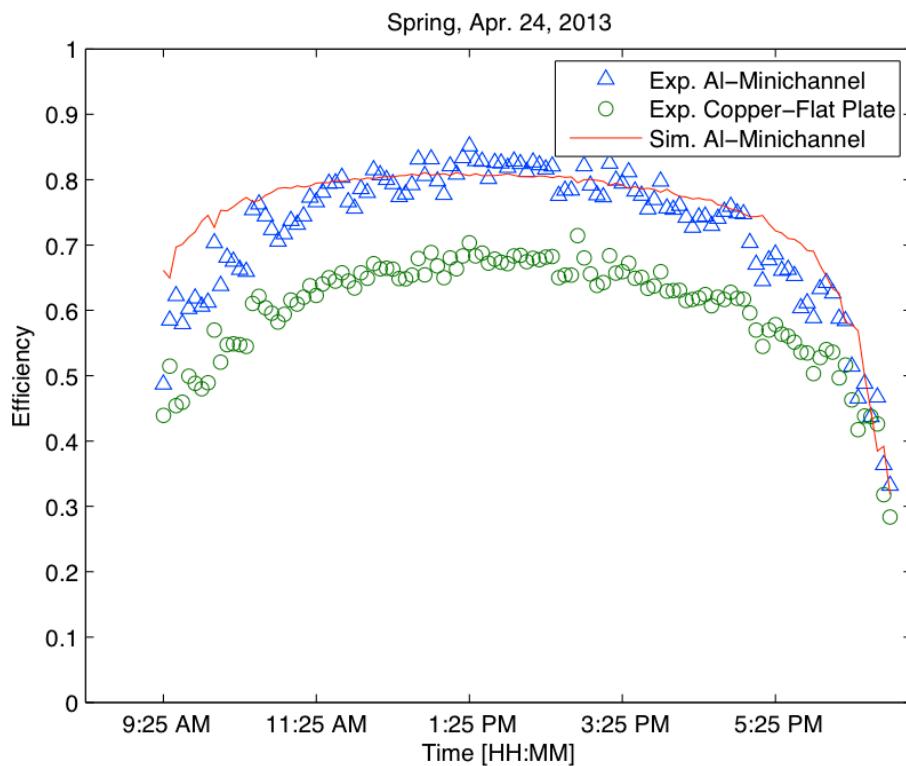


Tubo Minicanal by Hydro



Capa Selectiva: Black chrome (EC series):  $\alpha=.95$ ,  $\varepsilon = .12$

# Thermal Efficiency



Mejora en Efficiency Thermal > 10%, aproximadamente

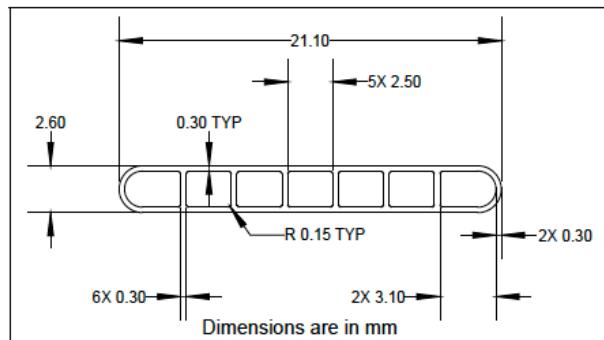
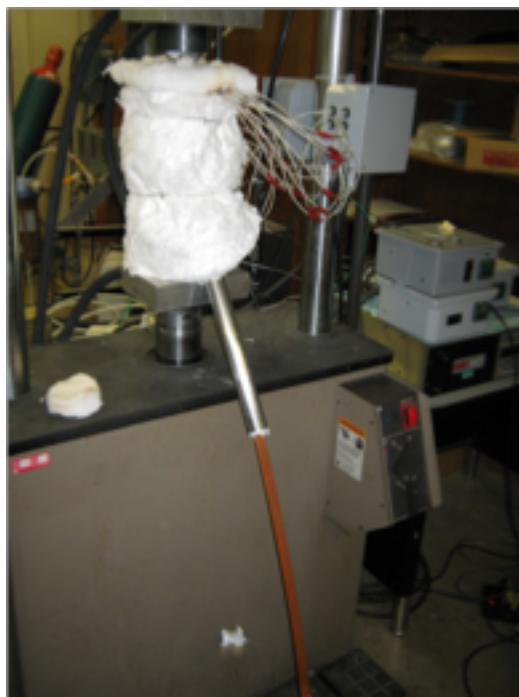
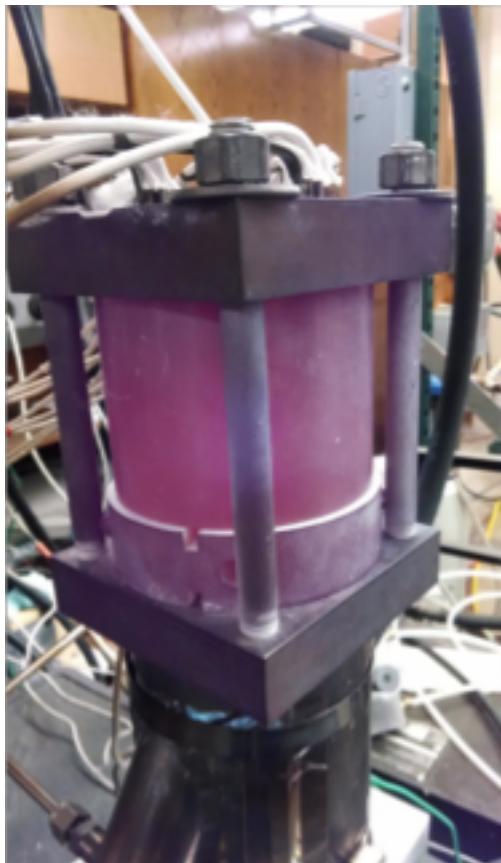
# Costo de Colector Prototipo

10 ft. by 4 ft. (3.7 m<sup>2</sup>) collector solar de minicanal de aluminio

- Aluminum minichannel tubes = \$440
- Headers = \$28
- Collector frame and glass purchased = \$500
- TIG welding = \$1056
- Total = \$2024, **\$544.65/m<sup>2</sup>**
- Estimated cost for mass produced unit: **\$155.32/m<sup>2</sup>**

Average conventional collector **\$553.50/m<sup>2</sup>**

# Extrusion de Cobre



Copper minichannel tubes  
manufactured by Prof. Kraft, at Ohio  
University

# Generación de Vapor de Bajo Grado

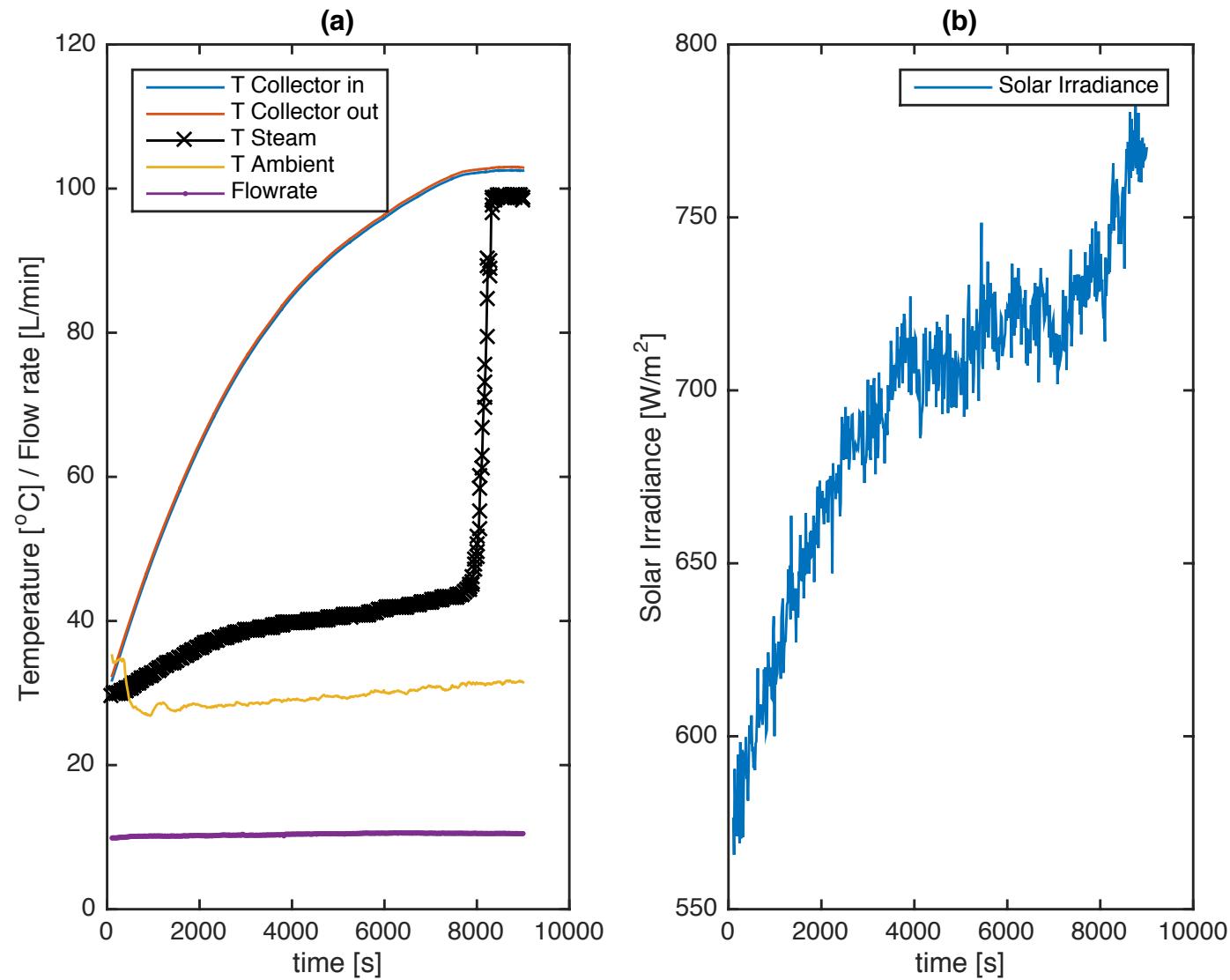


Angulo Variable de Inclinación

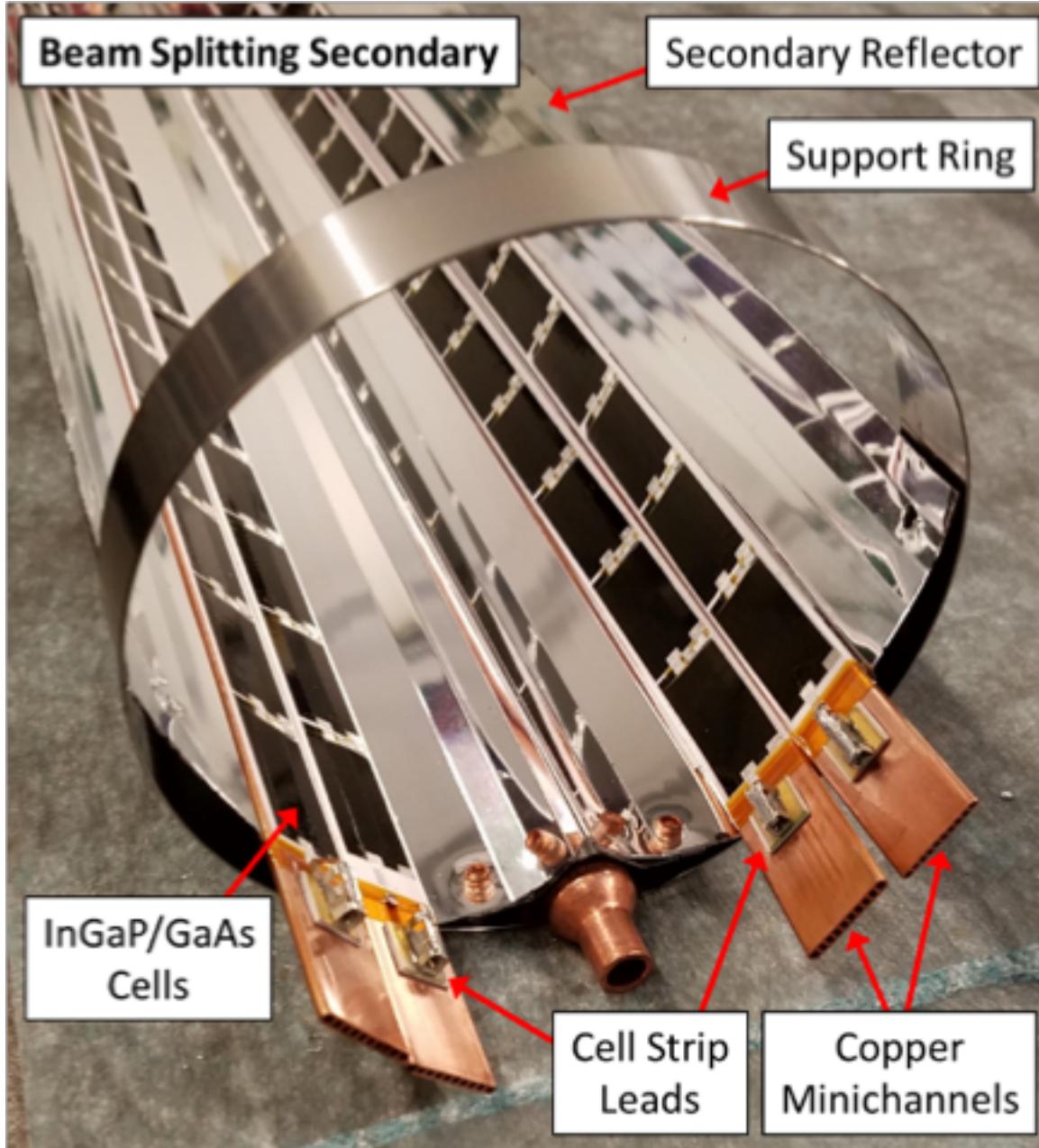


Generador de vapor

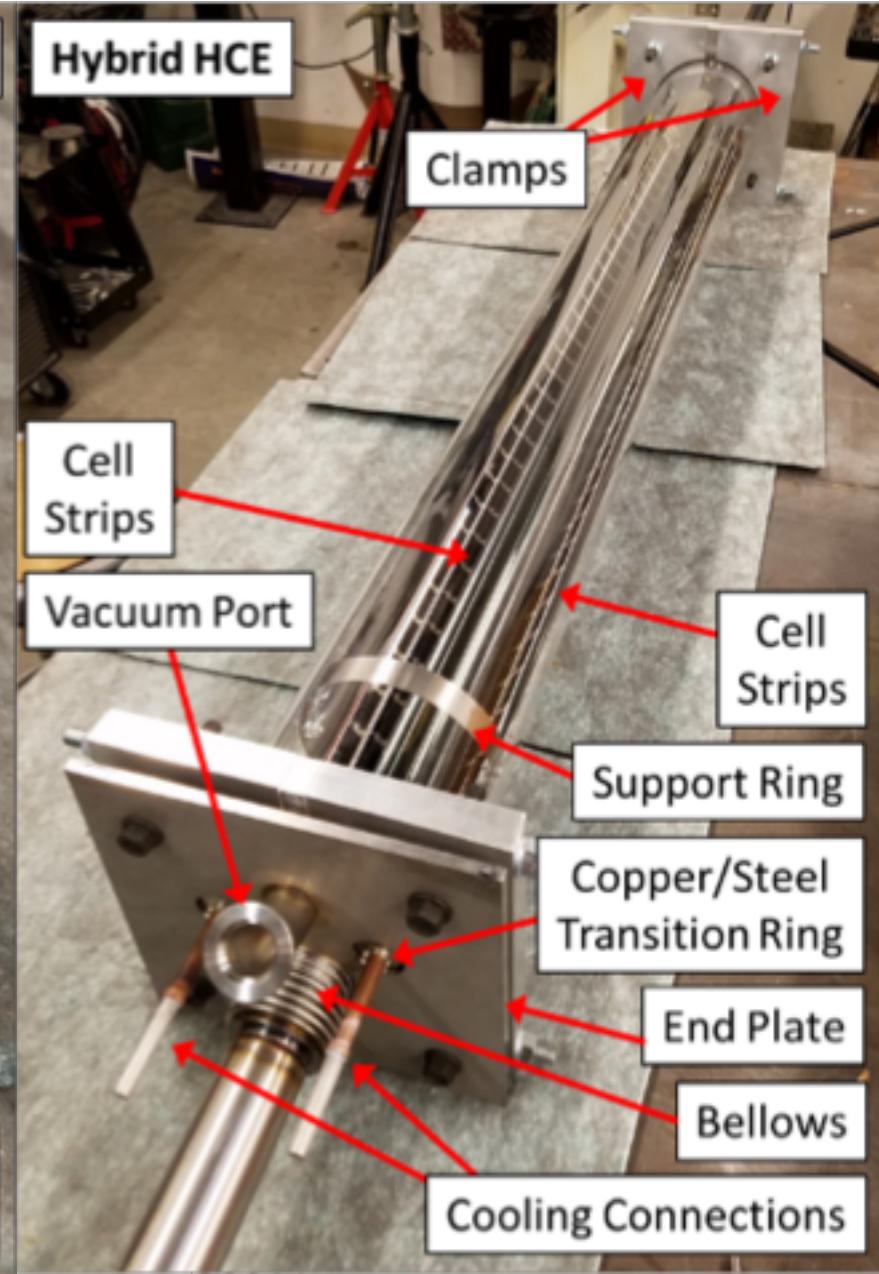
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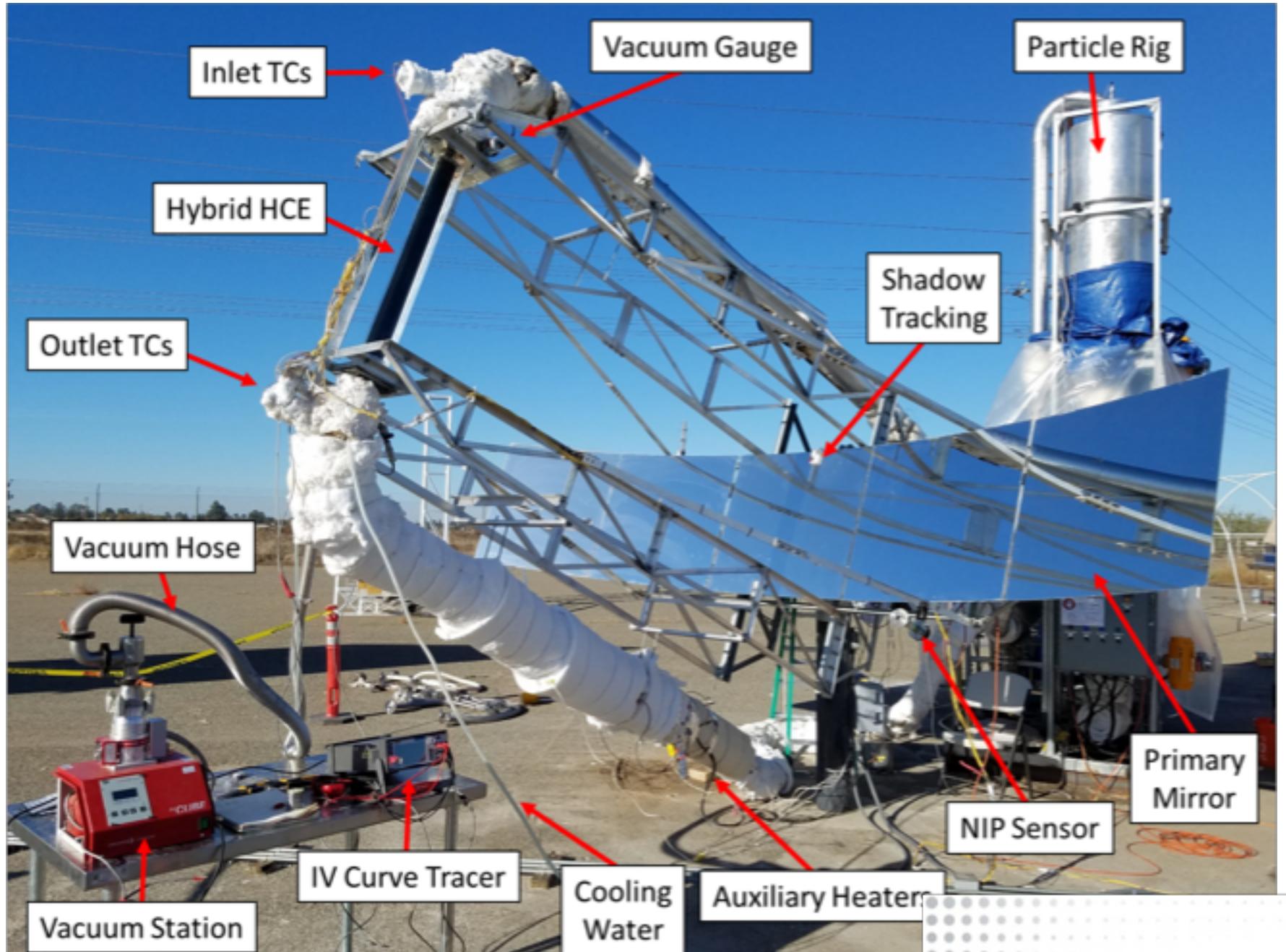


# Alta Temperatura + Electricidad

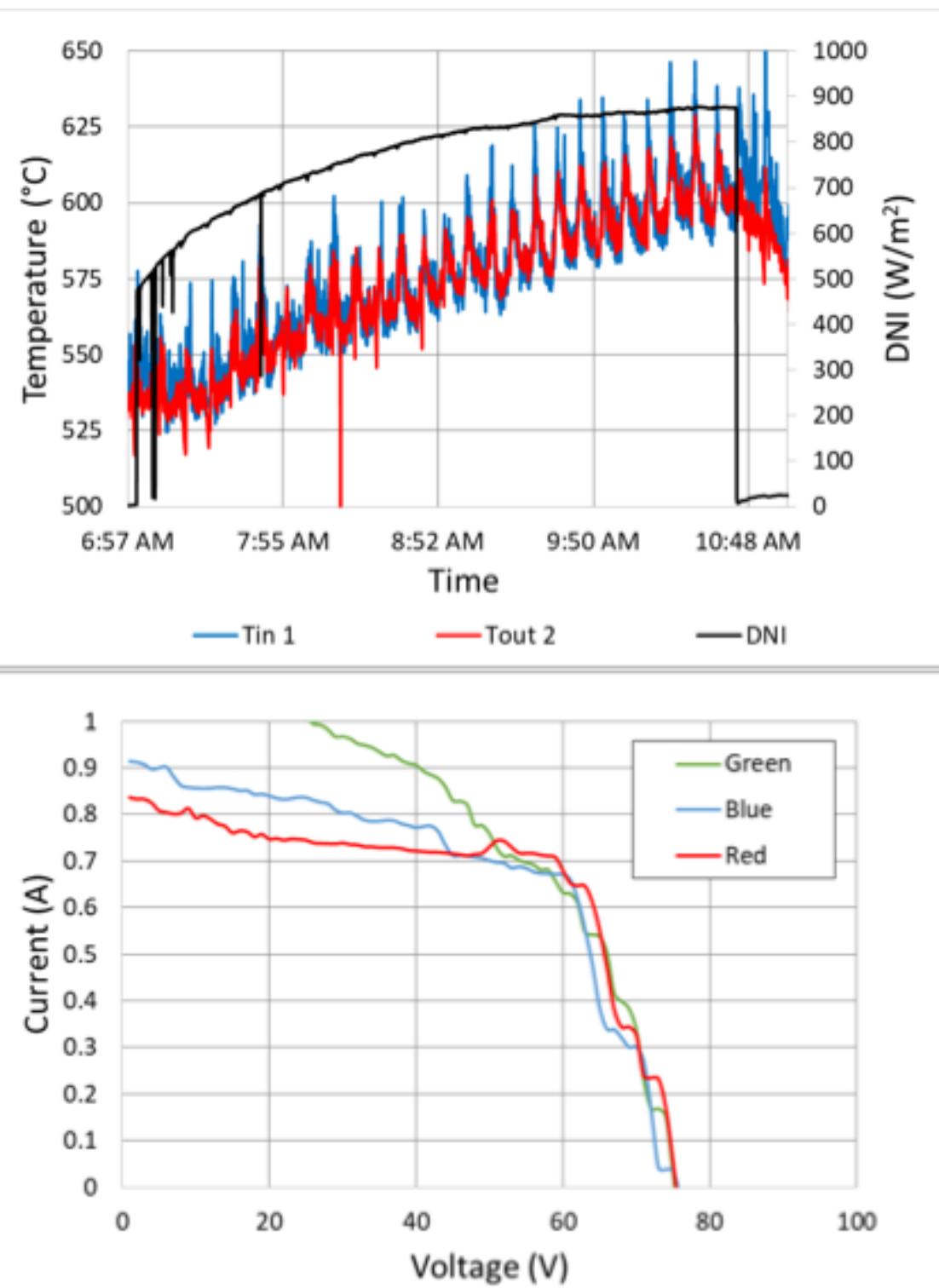
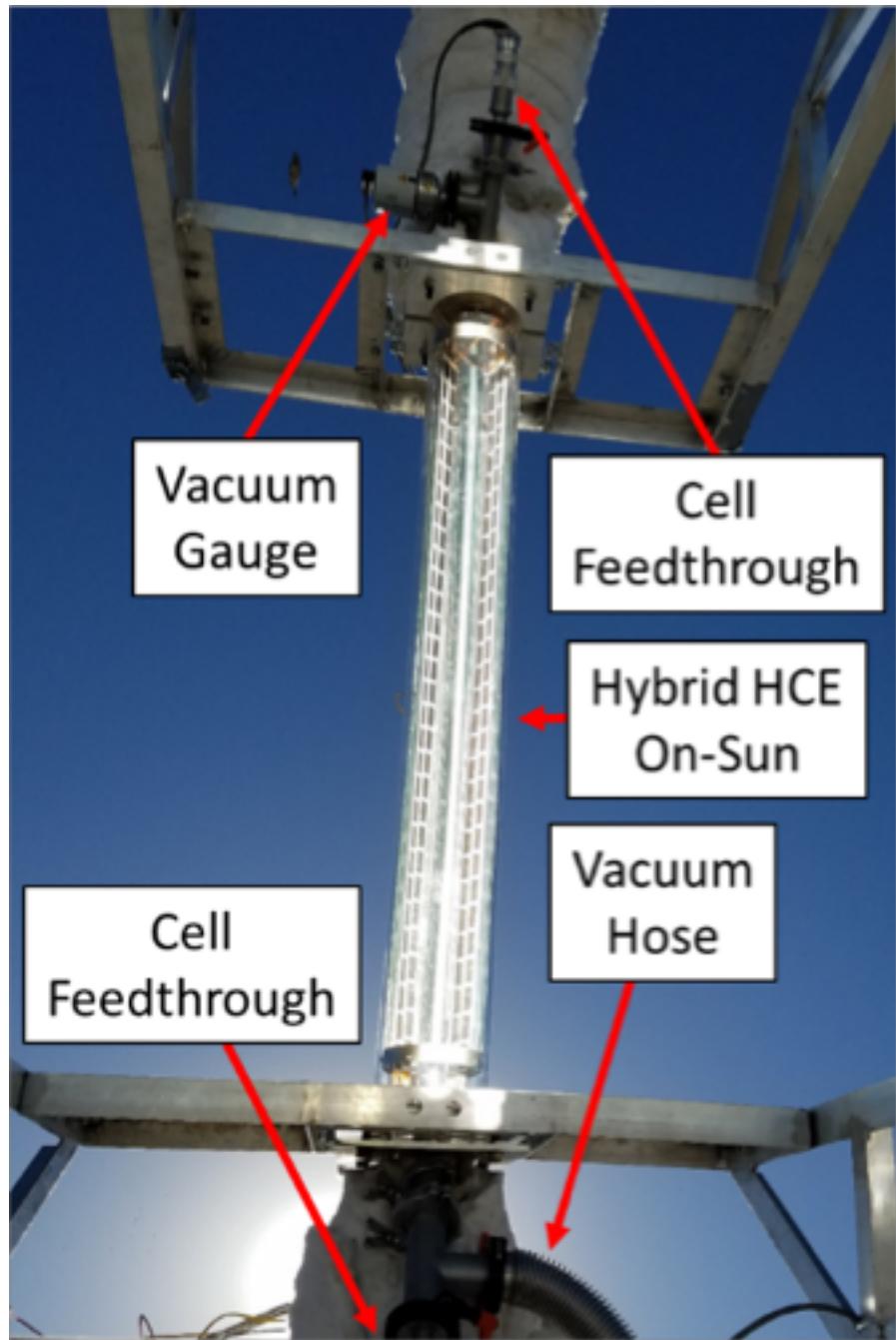


650 Celsius

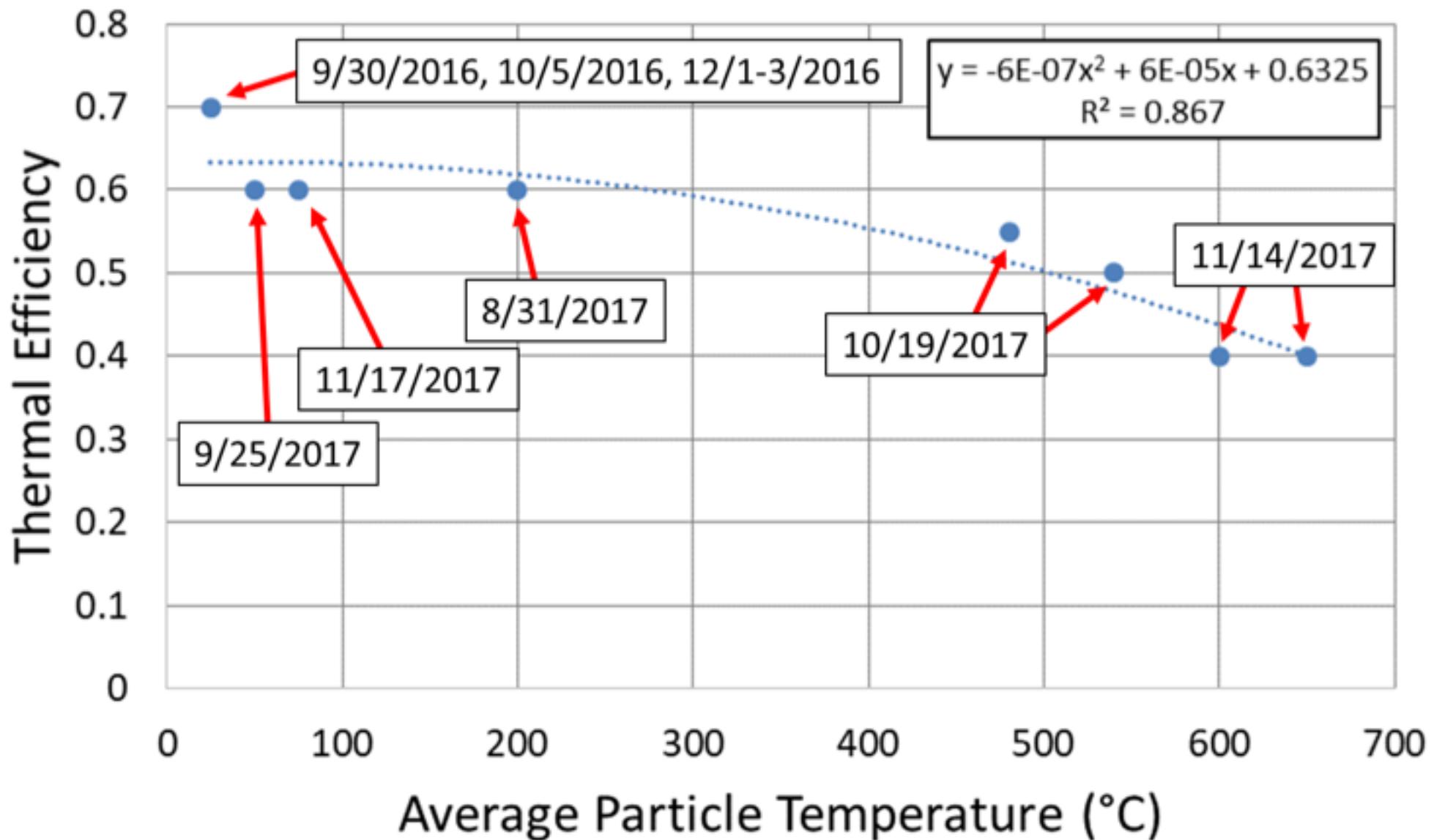




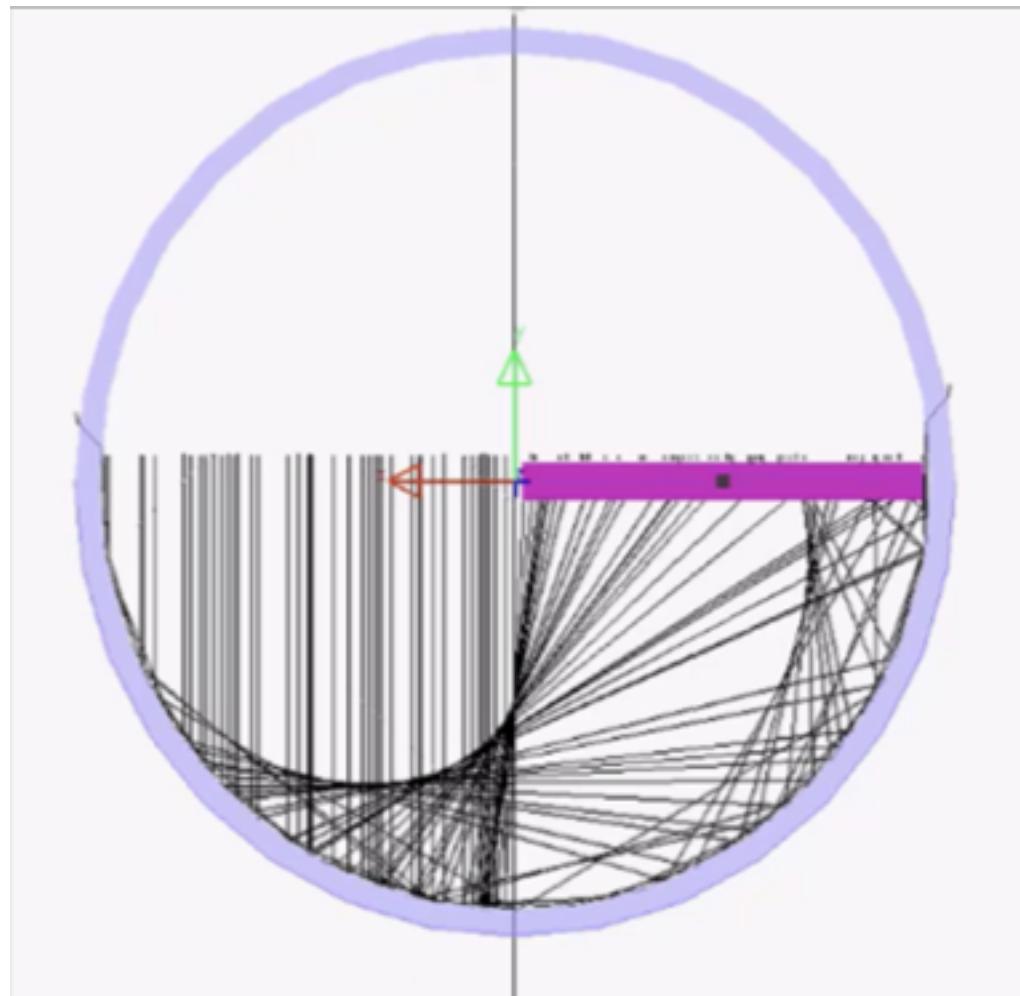
Winston's group and GTI



# Two-Stage Beam Splitting Collector

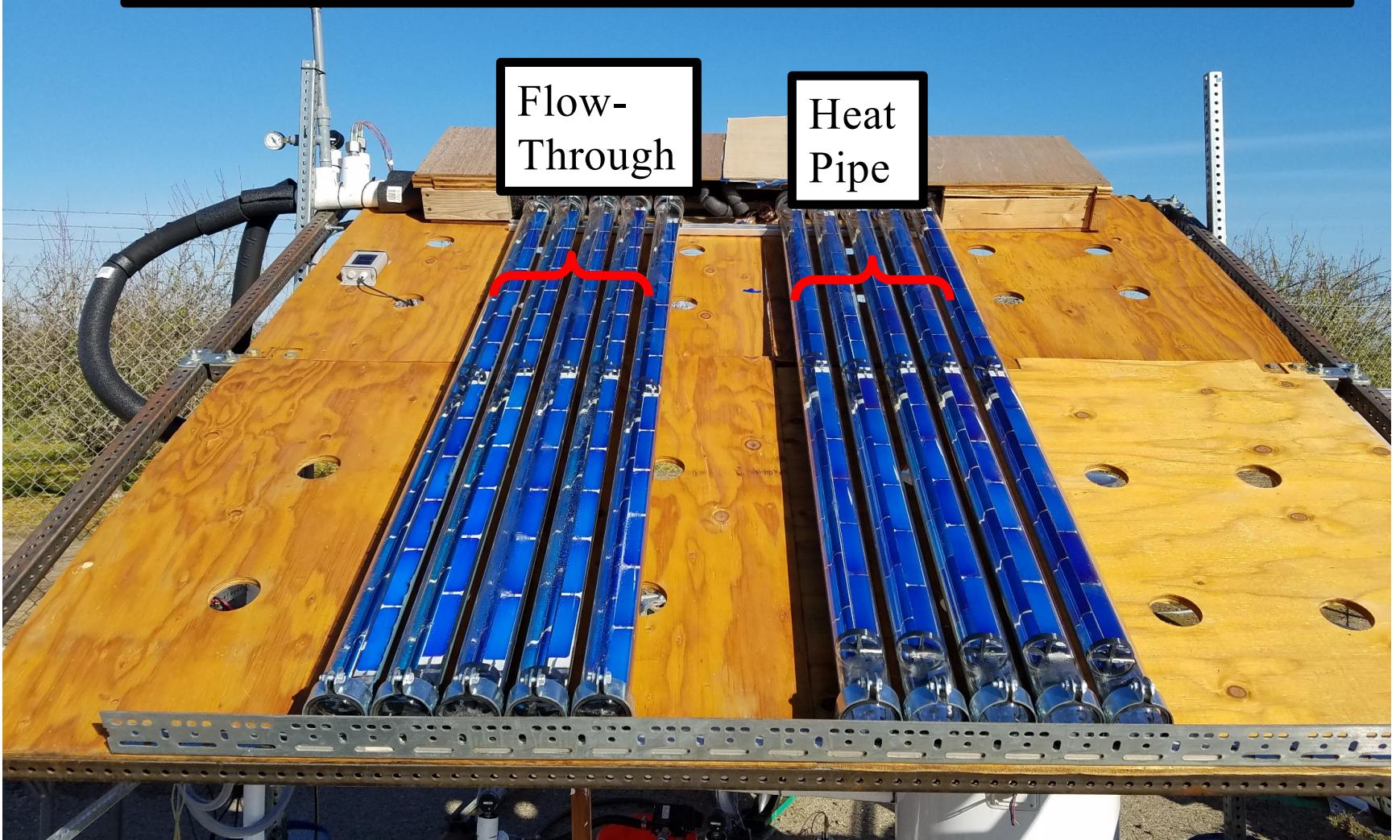


# Colector Híbrido



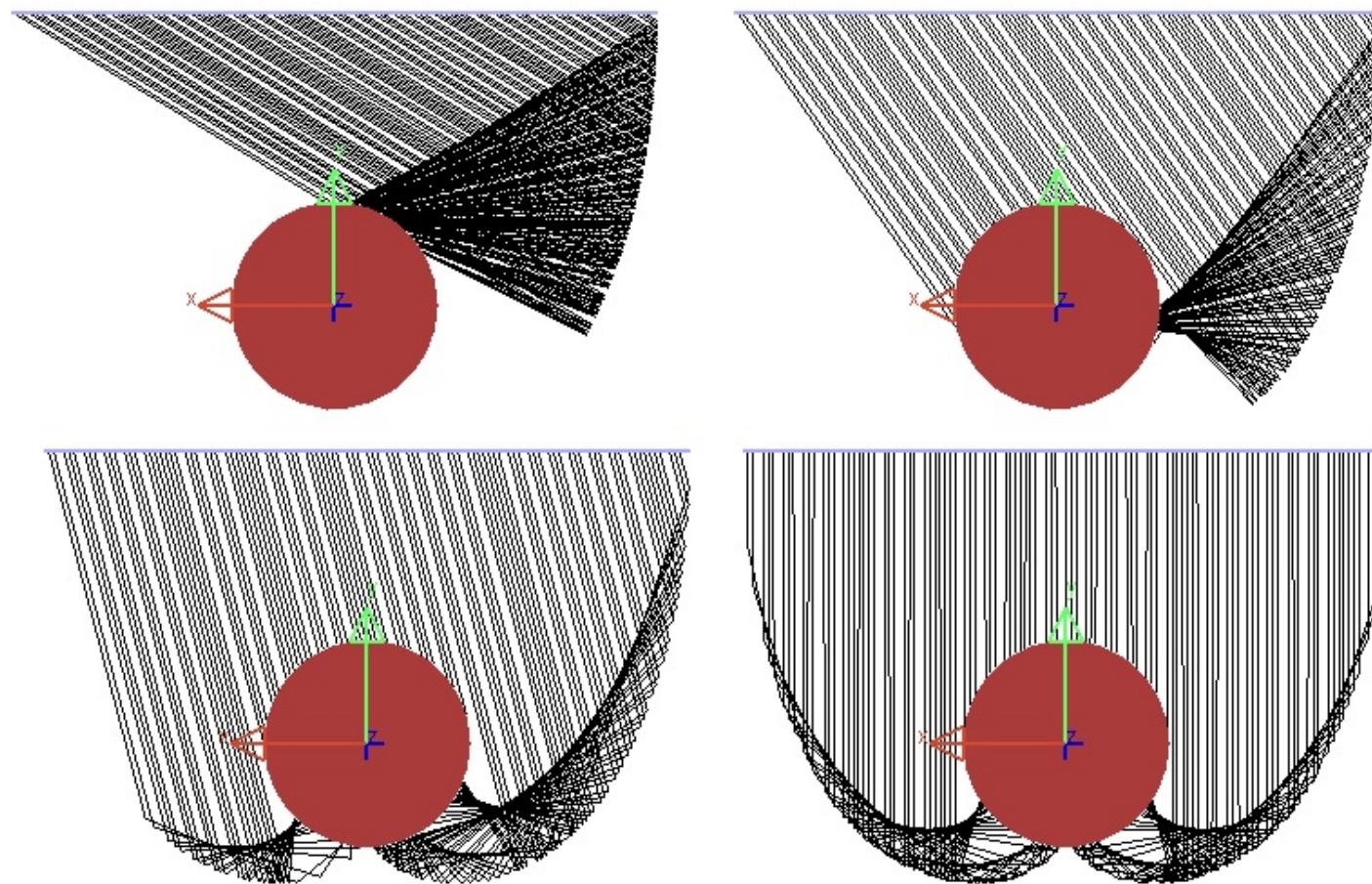
# Sistema Híbrido

10-tube prototype array undergoing performance testing  
at the University of California, Merced – Castle Research  
Center



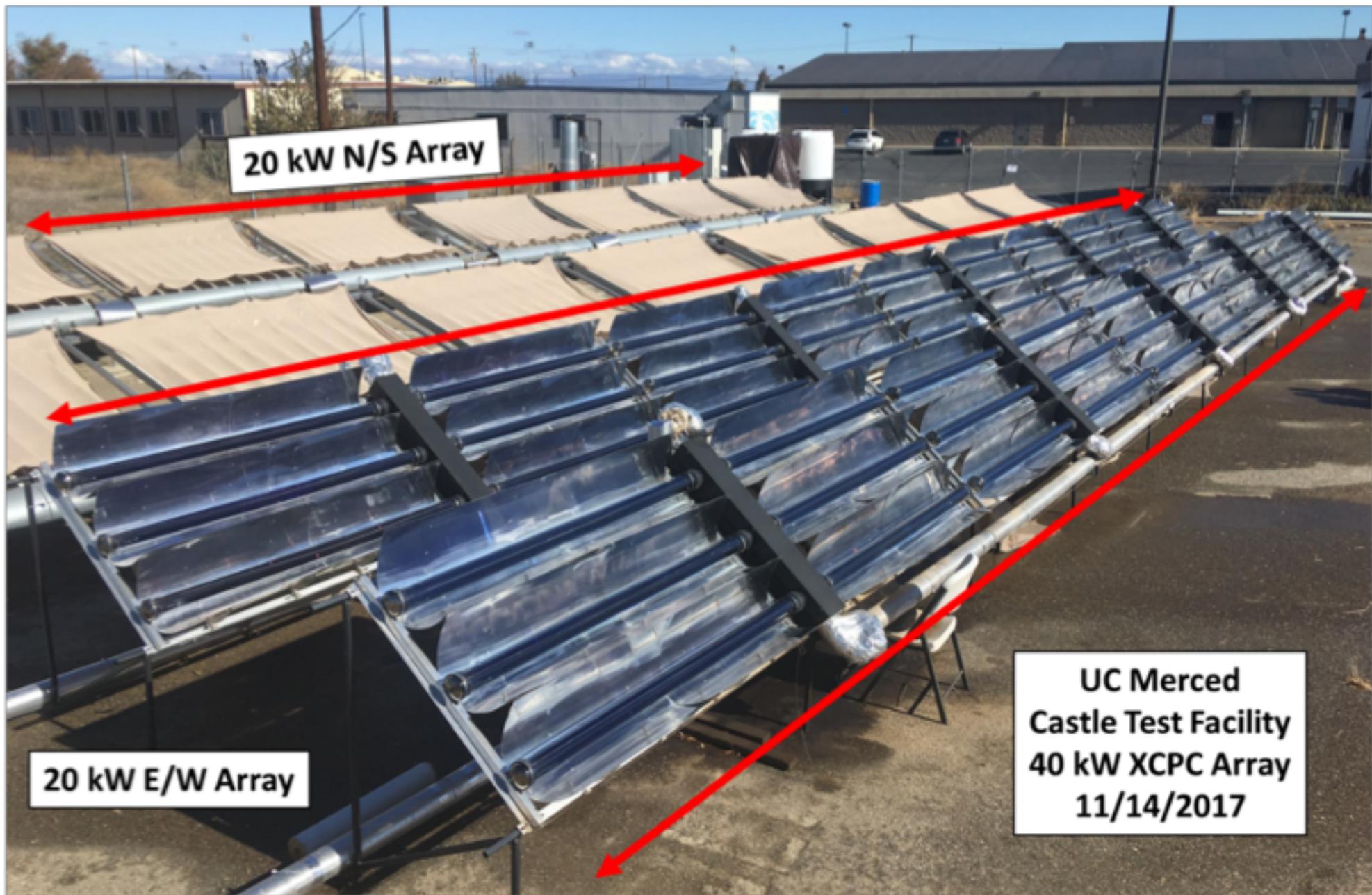
55 Celsius

# Medium Temperature Industrial Process Heat ( $200^{\circ}\text{ C}$ )



The XCPC uses non-imaging optics to track the sun, while the XCPC hardware remains stationary

# UC Solar XCPC Arrays



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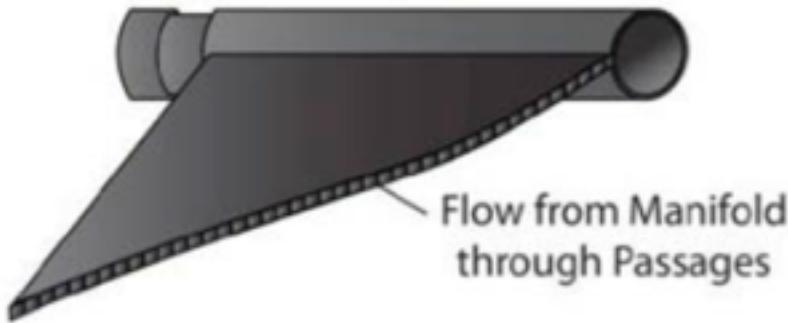
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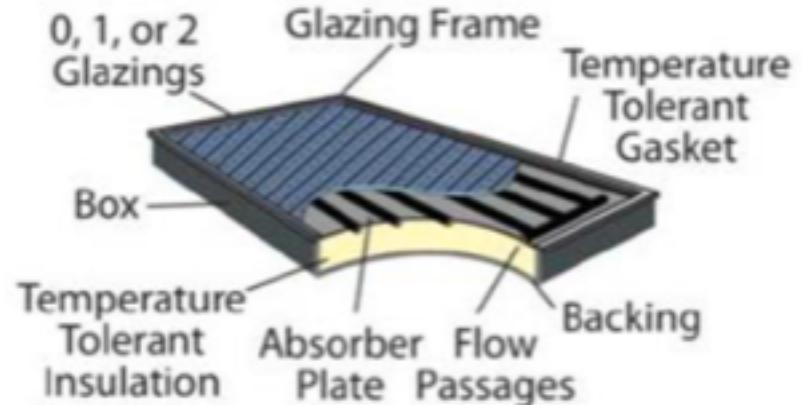
# Absorbedores

## Unglazed EPDM Collector

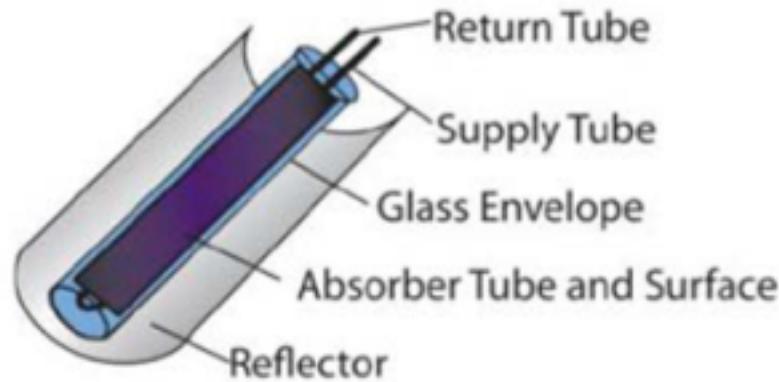
Extruded "Mat" with Flow Passages



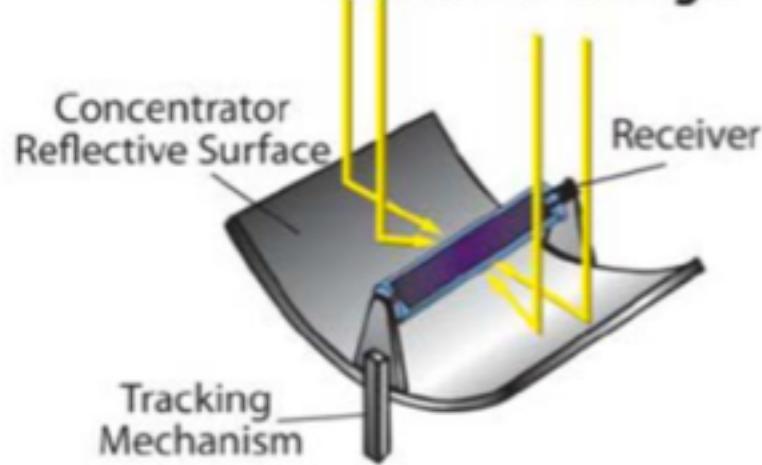
## Flat Plate Collector



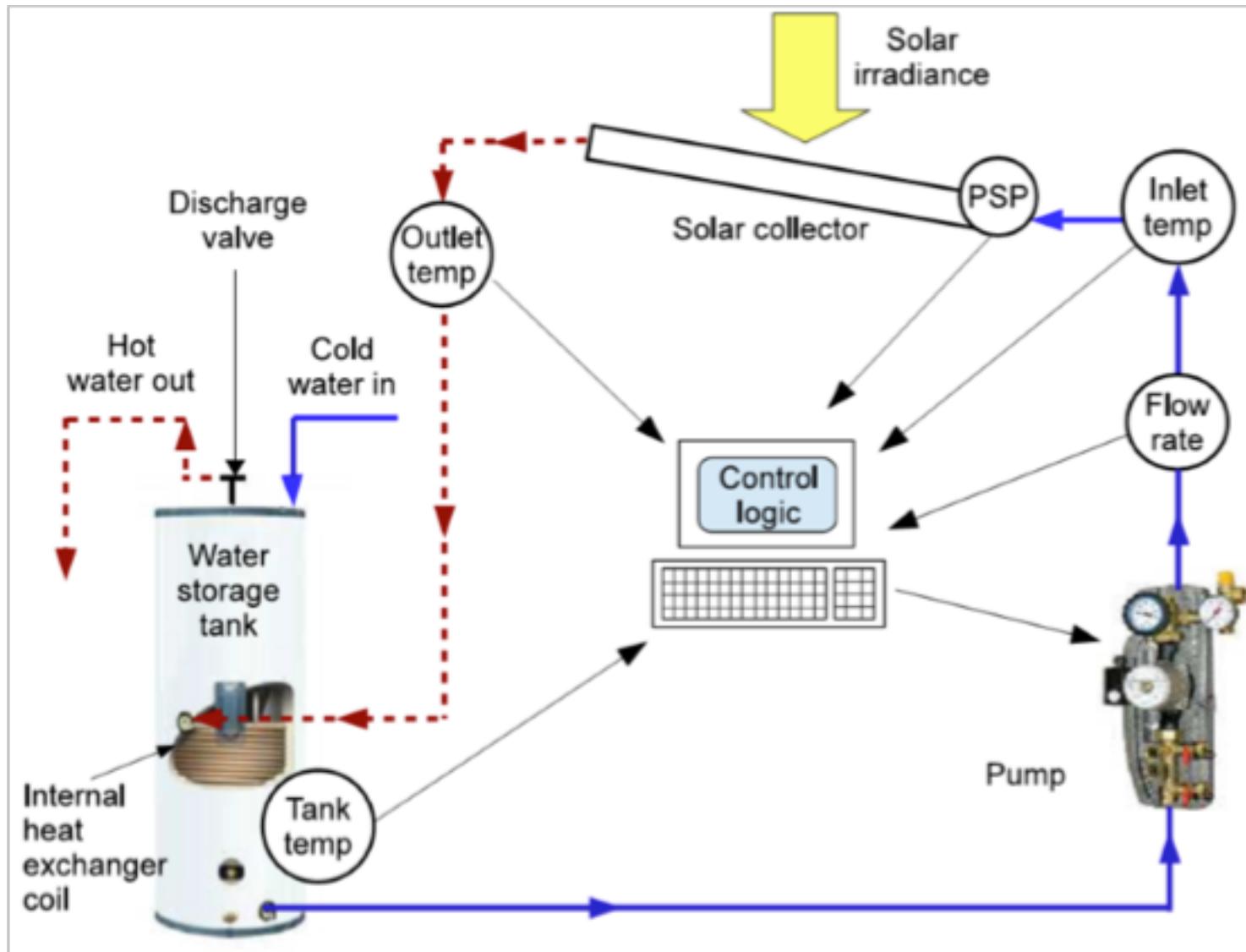
## Evacuated Tubes



## Parabolic Trough



# Closed-Loop System



# Changes in Incentives

CPUC approved Advice No. 4953 (April 29, 2016)

SoCalGas:

Step 1 incentive level of \$70/therm for Single Family

\$25/therm for Commercial/Multifamily applications.

Natural Gas-Displacing Single-Family System Incentive Steps			
Step	Incentive per annual therm displaced ()For SoCalGas only	Maximum Incentive Single-Family Residential Projects ()For SoCalGas only	Budget Allocation (in millions)
1	\$29.85 (\$70.00)	\$4,366 (\$10,238)	\$7,907,636
2	\$25.37	\$3,710	\$4,900,000
3	\$14.30 (\$0)	\$2,091	\$784,000
4	\$3.23 (\$0)	\$472	\$1,323,000

# Plan B en Chile



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## Vulnerabilidad frente al cambio climático en la Región Metropolitana de Santiago de Chile: posiciones teóricas versus evidencias empíricas

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**RESUMEN** | Para la Región Metropolitana de Santiago de Chile (RMS), el cambio climático implica diferentes impactos que se suman a la continua expansión urbana y a cambios en los patrones de uso del suelo, los cuales a su vez acrecientan las amenazas hidroclimáticas, como las inundaciones y el calor extremo. En general, estos cambios tendrán notables consecuencias para la vulnerabilidad residencial. Especialmente las familias de bajos recursos y los asentamientos ilegales en grandes ciudades con crecimiento acelerado suelen ser los más vulnerables, debido a una mayor exposición y a una limitada capacidad de respuesta. Este artículo contrasta posiciones teóricas sobre las dimensiones socioeconómicas, físico-constructivas y urbano-rurales de la vulnerabilidad con evidencias empíricas, para entender quiénes son los más afectados por las inundaciones y el calor extremo en la RMS. Como muestran los resultados del estudio, las posiciones teóricas no se reflejan en los análisis cuantitativos. La vulnerabilidad depende de cada contexto y requiere políticas adecuadas para distintos territorios.

**PALABRAS CLAVE** | vulnerabilidad, riesgos naturales, medioambiente urbano.

**ABSTRACT** | For the Metropolitan Region of Santiago de Chile (RMS), climate change implies different impacts adding to continuous urban growth and changes in land-use patterns, which in turn reinforce hydro-meteorological hazards such as floods and heat waves. At large, these changes are expected to have significant implications for residents' vulnerability. Particularly, marginalized families living in informal settlements of rapidly growing cities are often highly vulnerable to hazards due to their high exposure and limited coping capacities. This article seeks to contrast theoretical assumptions regarding the socio-economic, the physicalstructural and the urban-rural dimensions of vulnerability with empirical data in order to illuminate what groups are likely to be affected. As the research results show, general theoretical arguments are not reflected in the empirical data analysis. In contrast, residents' vulnerability to climate change is context-specific and requires appropriate policy strategies for differing areas.

**KEYWORDS** | vulnerability, natural risks, urban environment.

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