

Weekly Monitoring

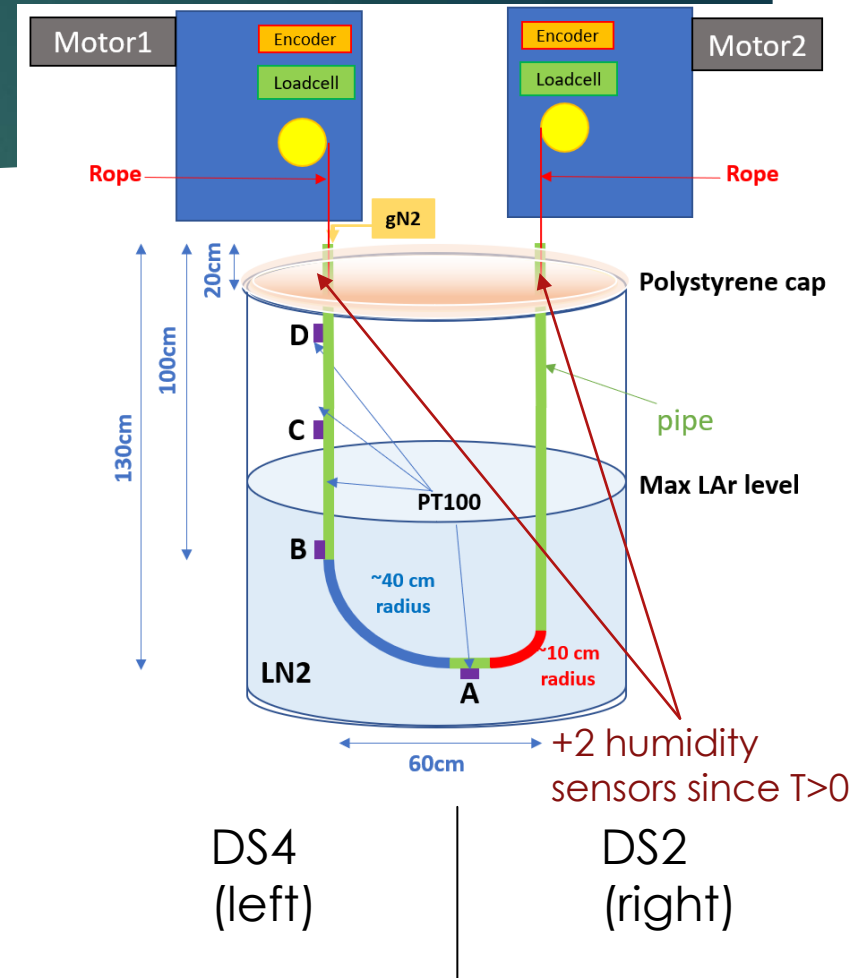
FROM 03/07 TO 07/07

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Summary :

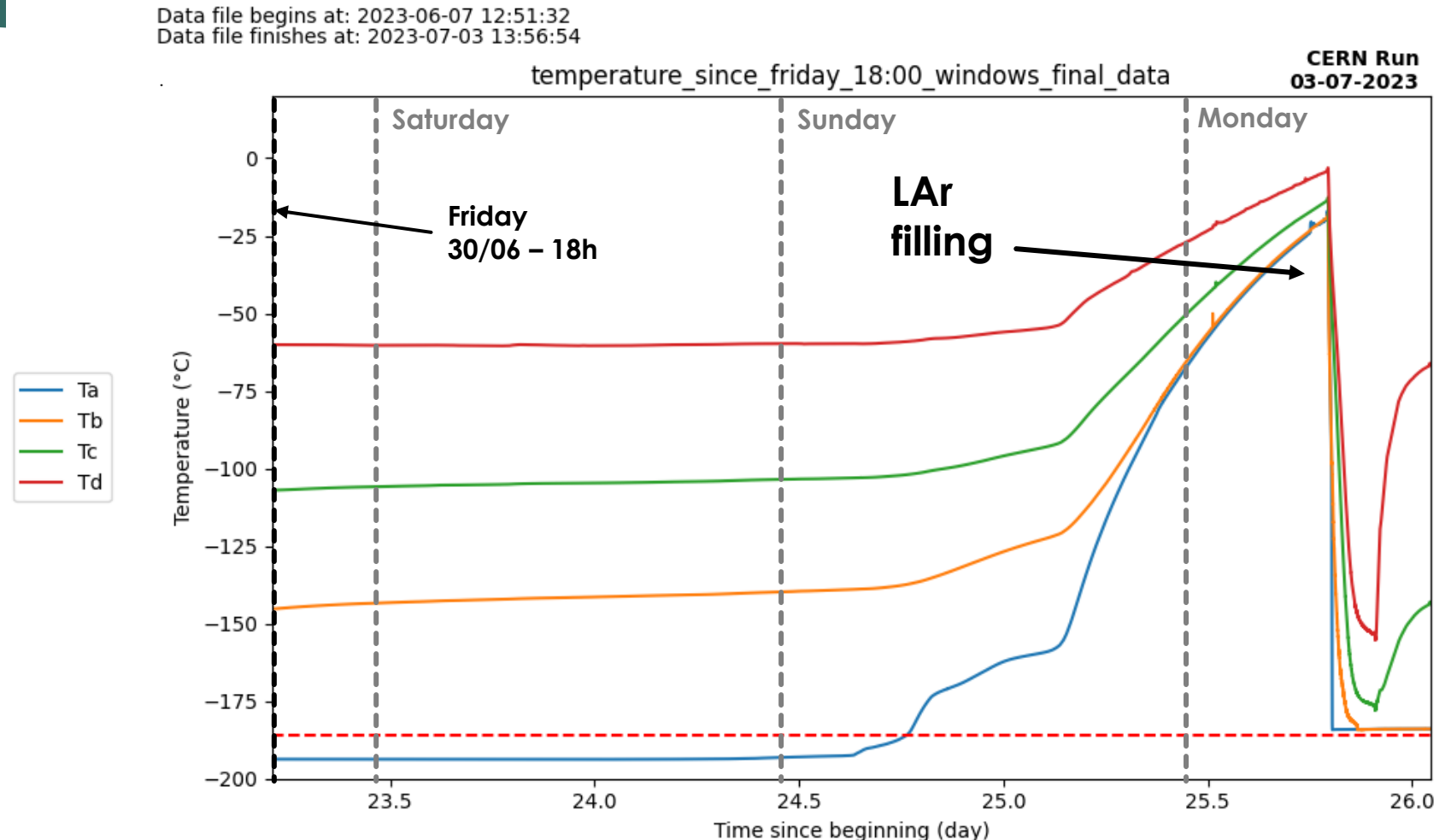
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Date	Hour	Ice Formation	°C	Tension before any test (N)	gN2 flow (L/h)	Voltage (V)	Current (A)
Mon – 03/07	13:35	None	A,B at -183,95°C (LAr) C -145 D -68	DS2 : 5 DS4 : 5 (relaxed)	60	DS2 : 24 DS4 : 24	DS2 : 0.08 DS4 : 0.09
Tue – 04/07	10:50	Intended	A, B LAr Temperature C -137.37 °C D -66,51°C	DS2 : 15 DS4 : 5 (not relaxed)	60	DS2 : 24 DS4 : 24	DS2 : 0.08 DS4 : 0.09



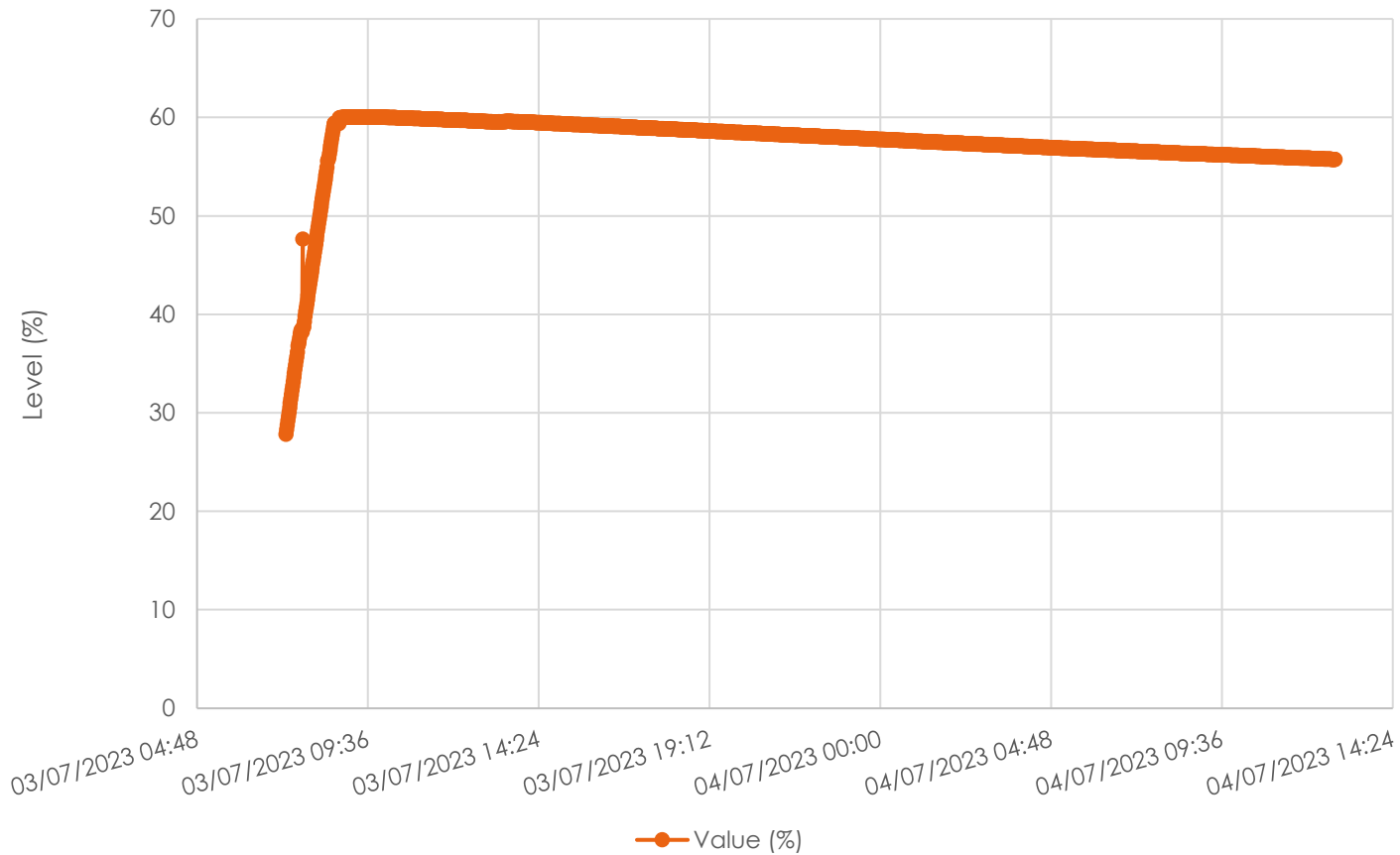
Temperature changes since Friday 30/06 at 9AM

- Monday 26/06 :
Start the heating process.
Small heater placed in the tank.
 - Thursday 29/06 :
Heating process accelerated : larger heater inside the tank, lid of the tank removed
 - Friday 30/06 :
End of the active heating process, letting tank heat with ambient temperature.
- ➔ Temperature graph for weekend



LAr in tank curve





DarkSide level during long test run in LAr



Tank level **decreasing linearly**
(around 4%/day)

Flushing LN2 to see effect on ice :

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Time	Monday 03/07	Tuesday 04/07	Wednesday 05/07	Thursday 06/07	Friday 07/07
Right Side (DS2)					
Left Side (DS4)					
T shaped gN2 pipe	NO	NO	NO	YES	YES
gN2 Total flow	60 L/h	60L/h			
LN2 in tube	None	None			
%LN2 in tank*	61%	59%			

* No refill possible this time

Pictures are cropped to be visible so do not pay attention on sizes, more on shapes.

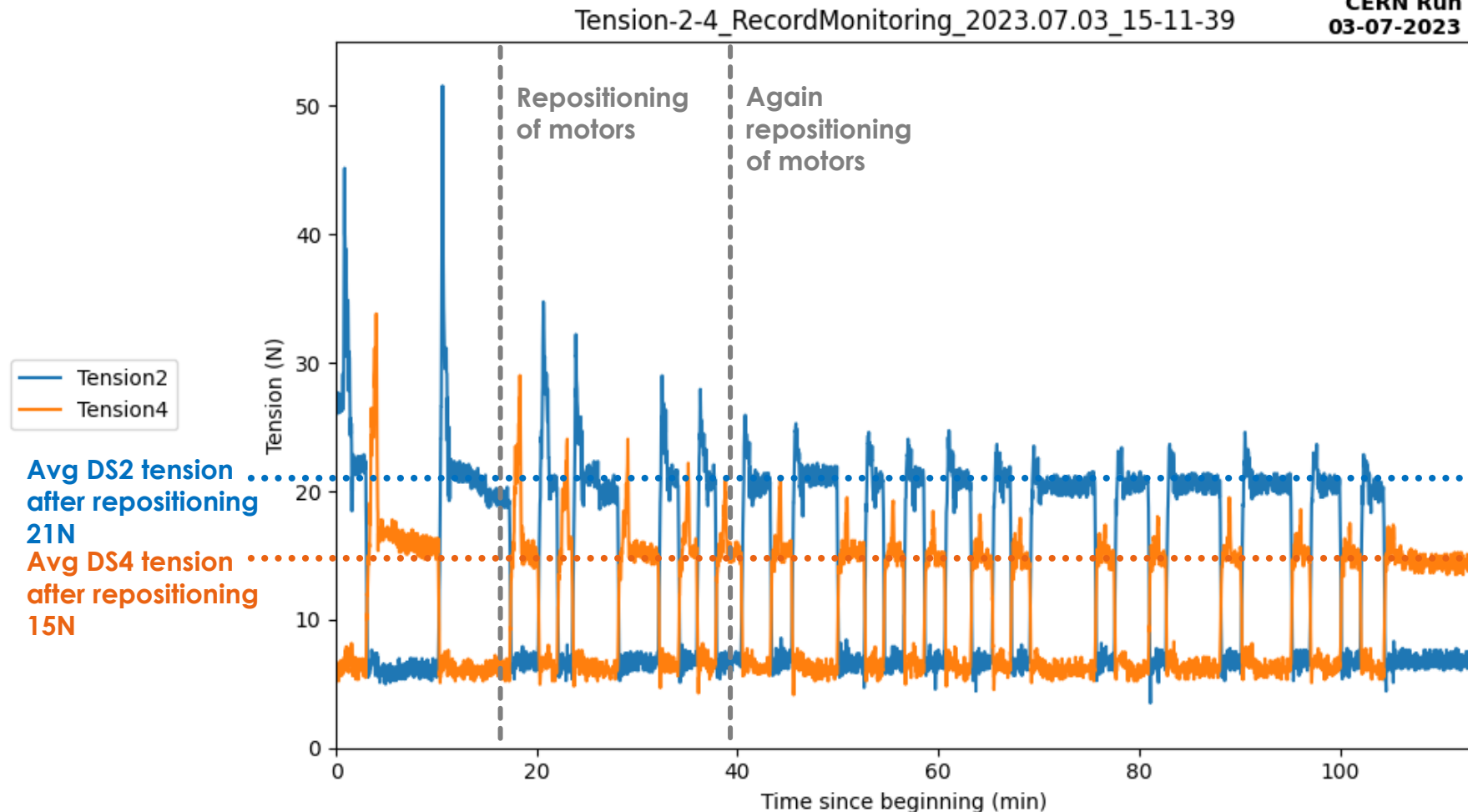
Tension during stress test 03/07

Data file begins at: 2023-07-03 15:07:18
Data file finishes at: 2023-07-03 17:05:24

CERN Run
03-07-2023

- At beginning, tension very high
→ Reposition of the motors to be in straightly in front of the cap centers
→ Once again after adding humidity sensors
- Tension value about same value as LN2 testing

→ Tension value stable and comparable to LN2

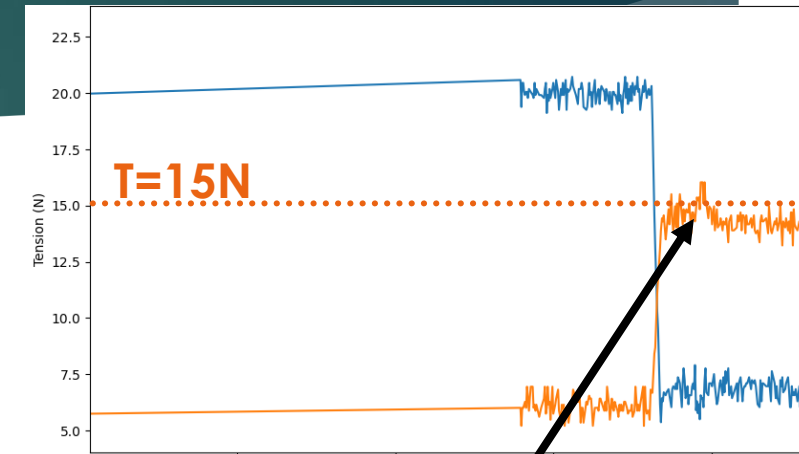
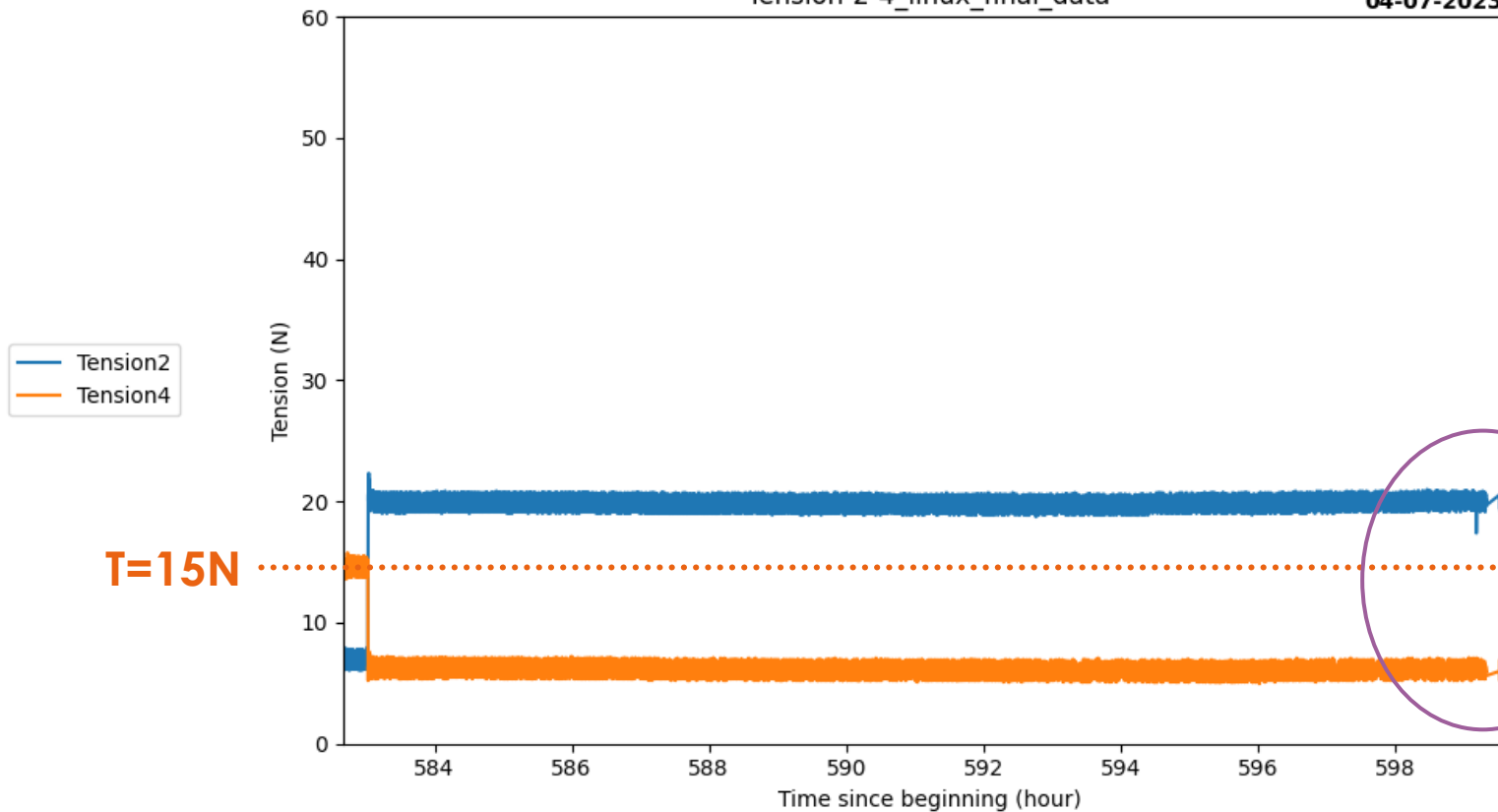


Long stay test (still ongoing)

Data file begins at: 2023-06-09 11:00:24
Data file finishes at: 2023-07-04 14:53:32

Tension-2-4_linux_final_data

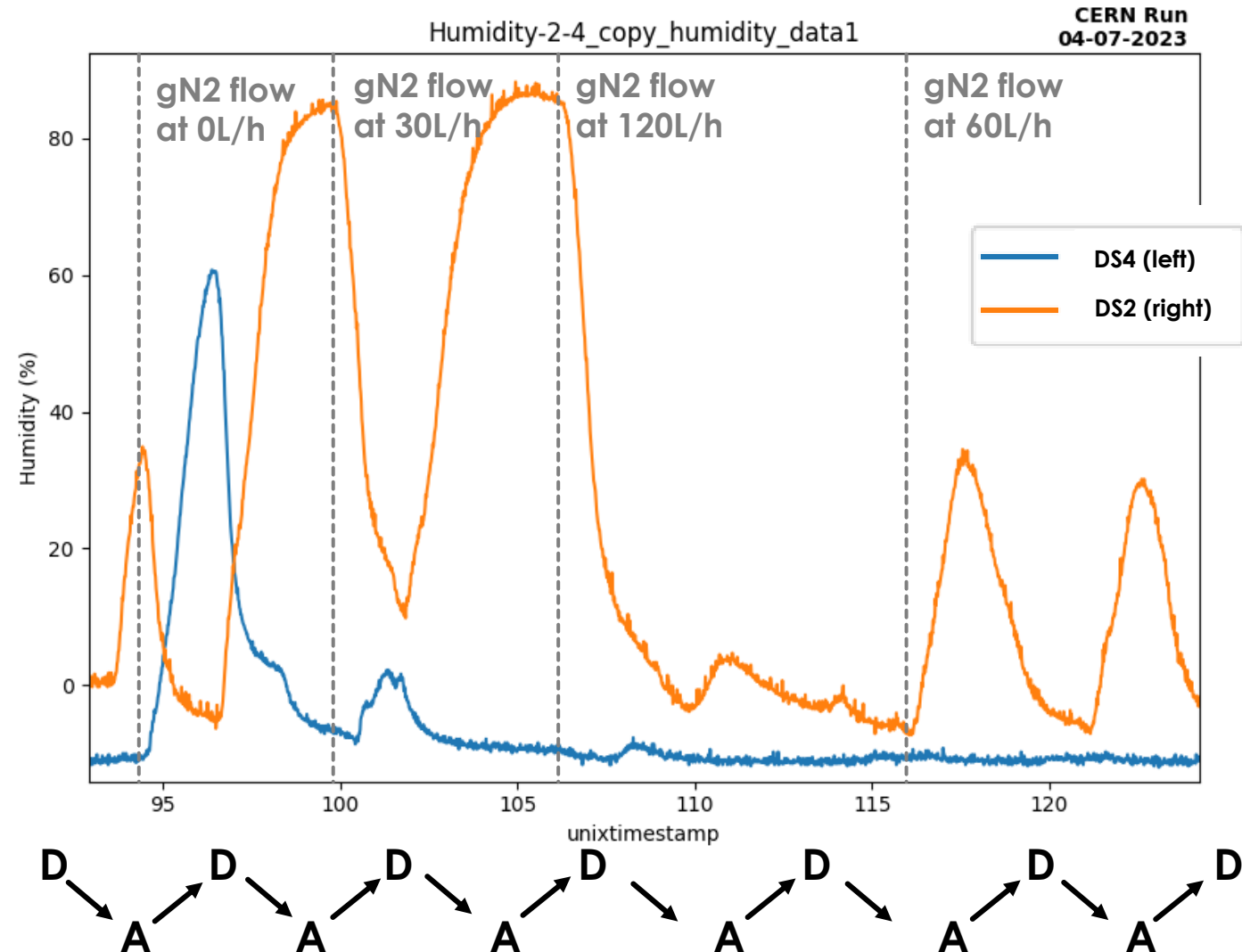
CERN Run
04-07-2023



Source left at D for 16h, no high tension after moving it back to A (DS4)

Humidity test 1/3

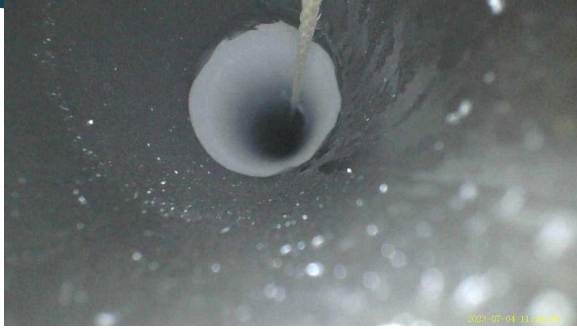
- Regularly moving source from D to A to D, for different gN2 flow values
 - Left Humidity rising only if gN2 < 30L/h
 - Right humidity rise only if gN2 < 120L/h
 - No difference 0 and 30 L/h
 - Regular drop from 30L/h (80%) to 120L/h (~0%)
- **No humidity changes for gN2 flow at 120 L/h, no matter movement of pseudo-source.**



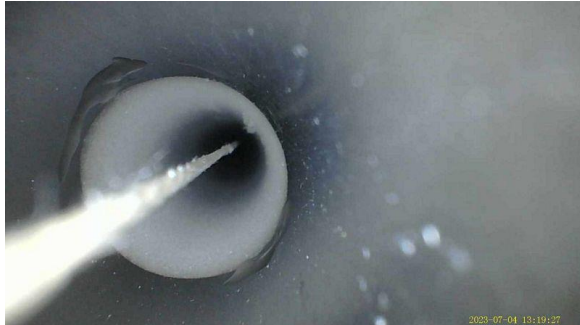
Endoscope pictures

DS4

DS2



After long blowing
(100% humidity)



After 1h 15mn of
gN2 @120 l/mn



After 2nd long blowing
(100% humidity)

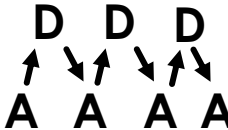
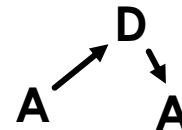
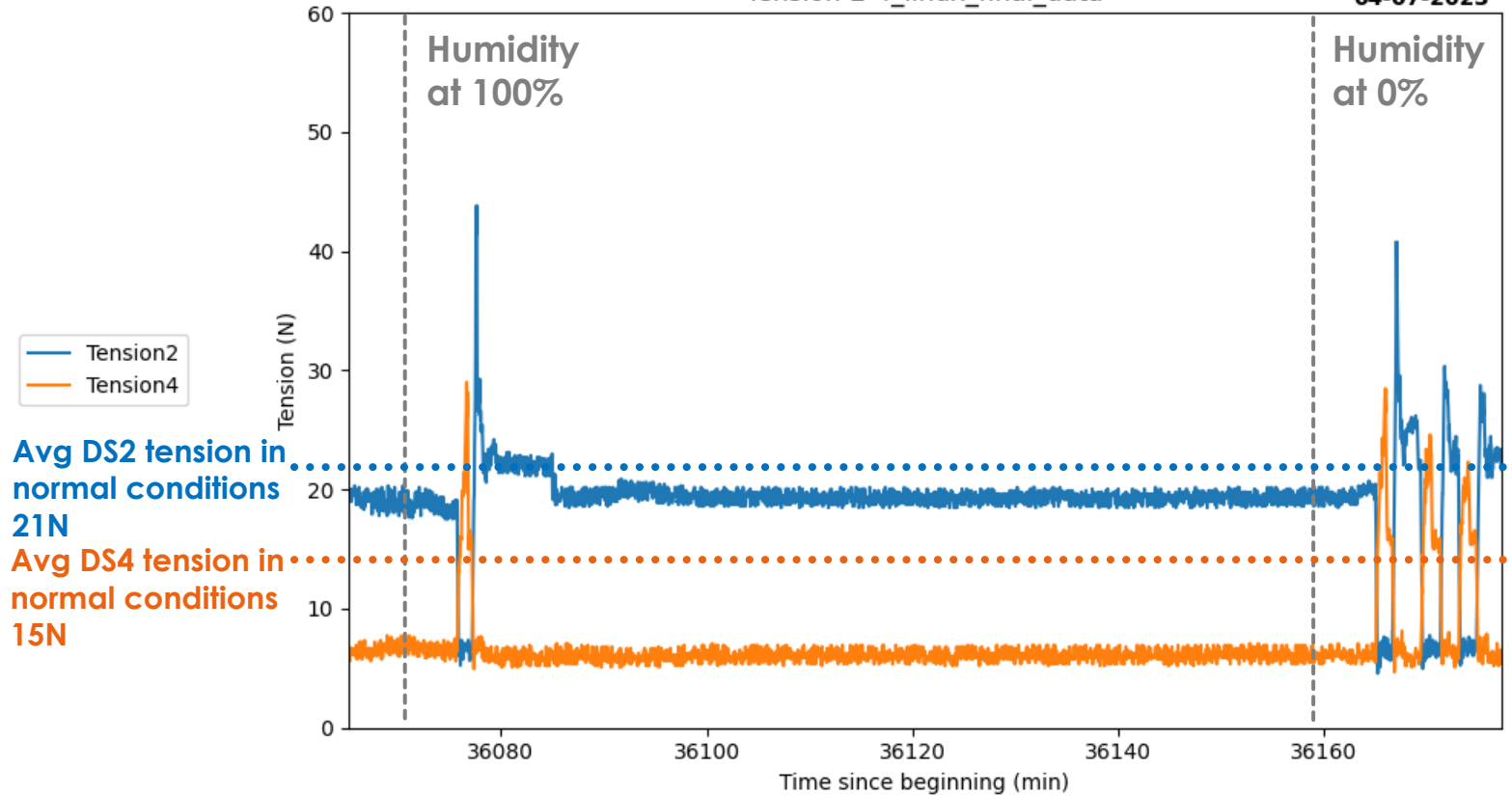


Humidity test 2/3

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Tension-2-4_linux_final_data

CERN Run
04-07-2023



- Pseudo-source in position A
- Blow in tube from both sides to increase humidity at maximum and remove gN2 = **Extreme nonrealistic scenario**
- After 5min, both humidity are at 100%
- A → D → A : **+23N/+15N** wrt normal
- After 15min, put back the top caps and gN2 at 120L/h
- After 1h30, both humidities at 0%
- A → D → A : **+20N/+15N** wrt normal but back to normal after 3 times

Humidity test 3/3

- Pseudo-source in position B
- Blow in tube from both sides to increase humidity at maximum and remove gN2
= **Extreme nonrealistic scenario**
- After 5min, both humidity are at 100%
- A → D → A : **+12N/+11N** wrt normal
- After 15min, put back the top caps and gN2 at 120L/h
- After 1h30, both humidities at 0%
- A → D → A : **+12N/+9N** wrt normal
- Letting the source at B for 1 night

