

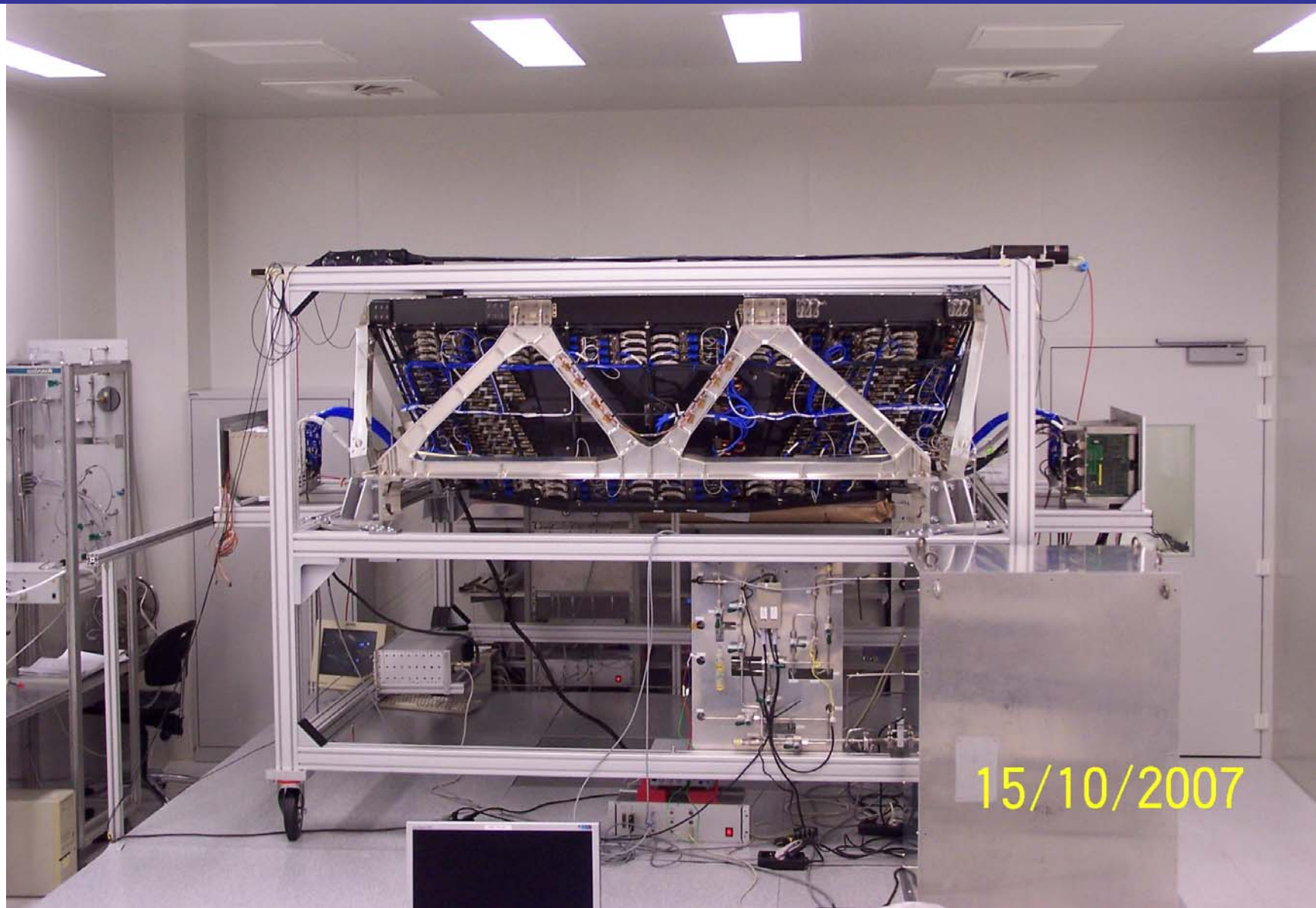
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## **TRD System Test**

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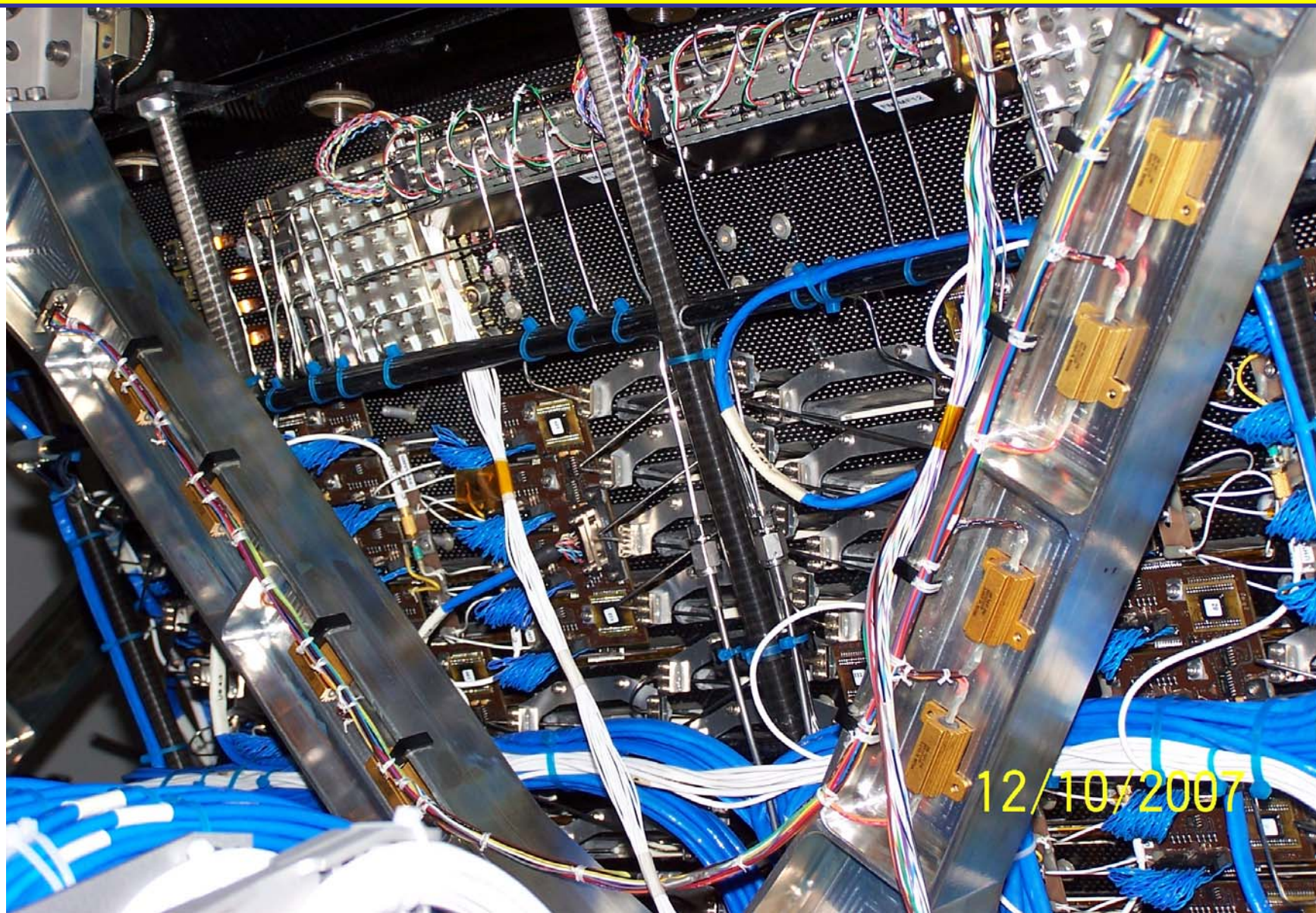
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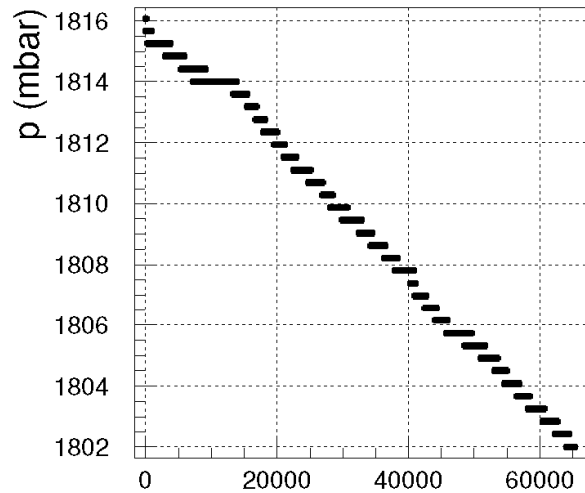
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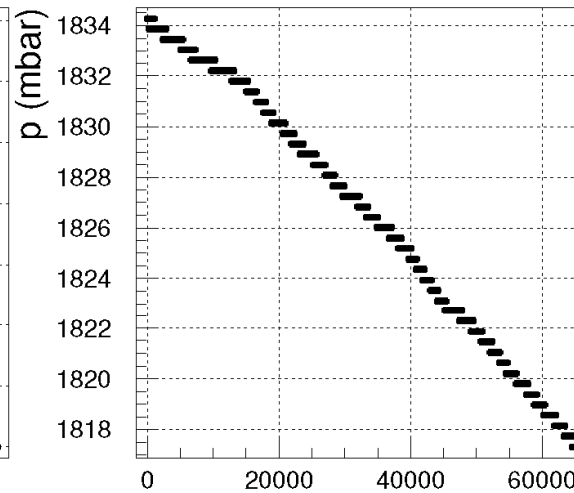
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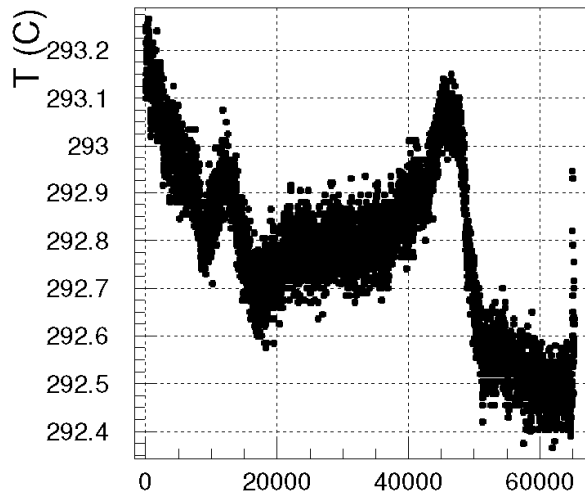
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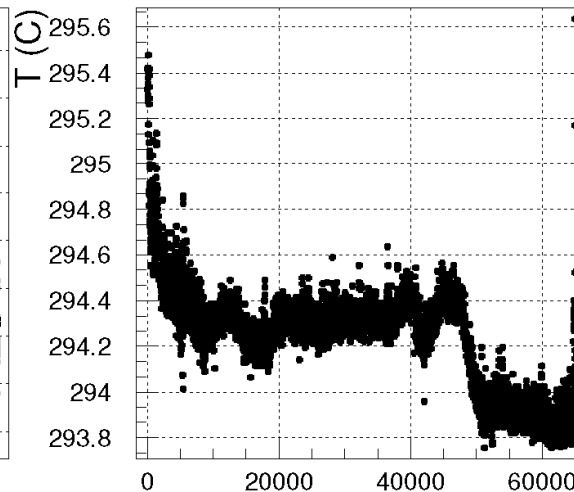


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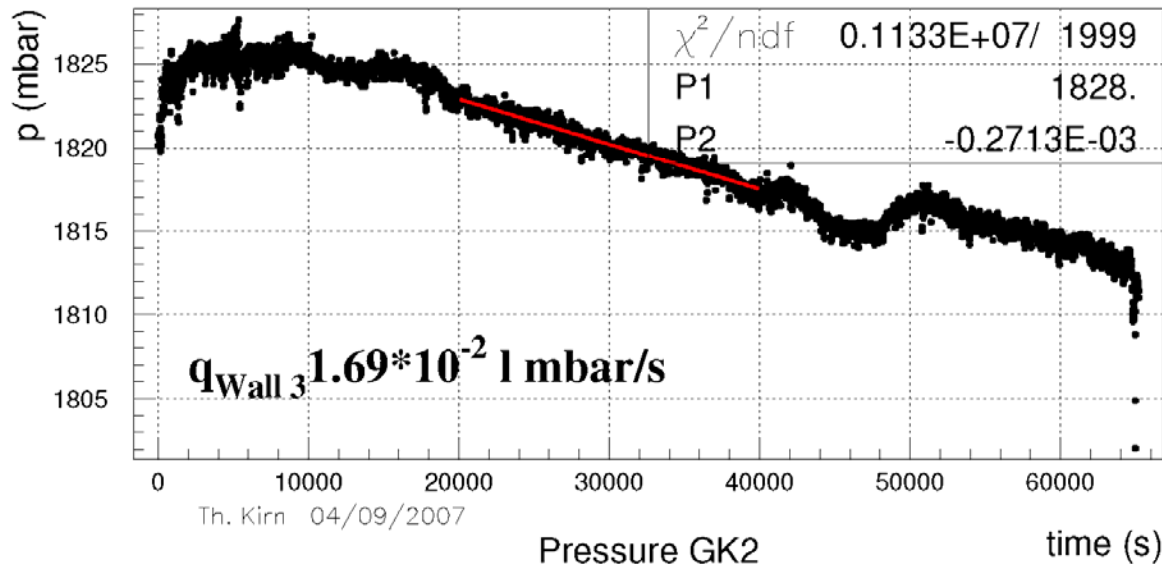
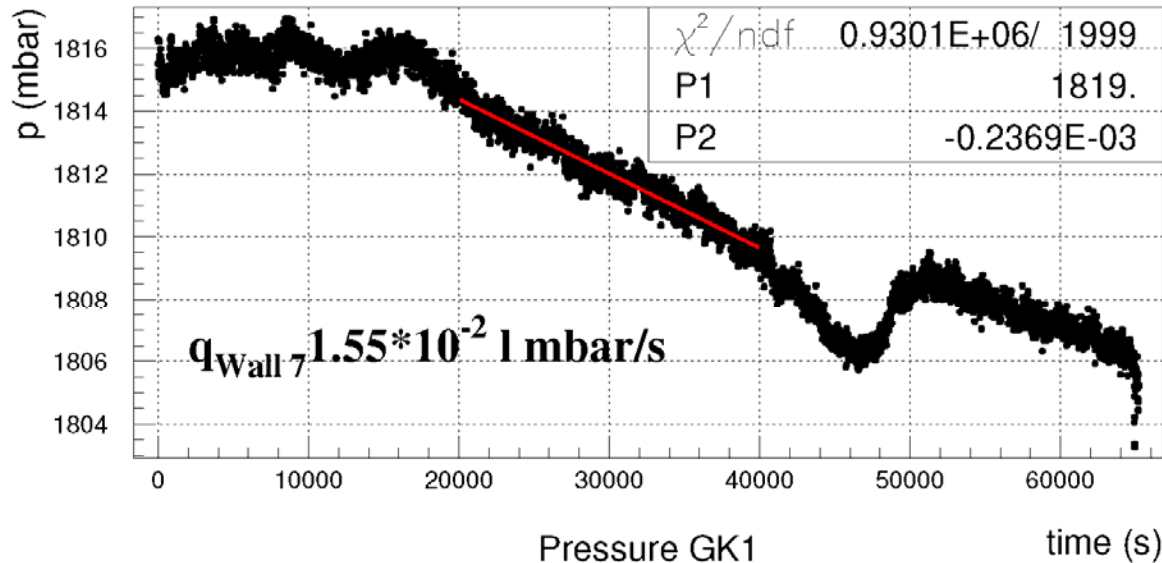
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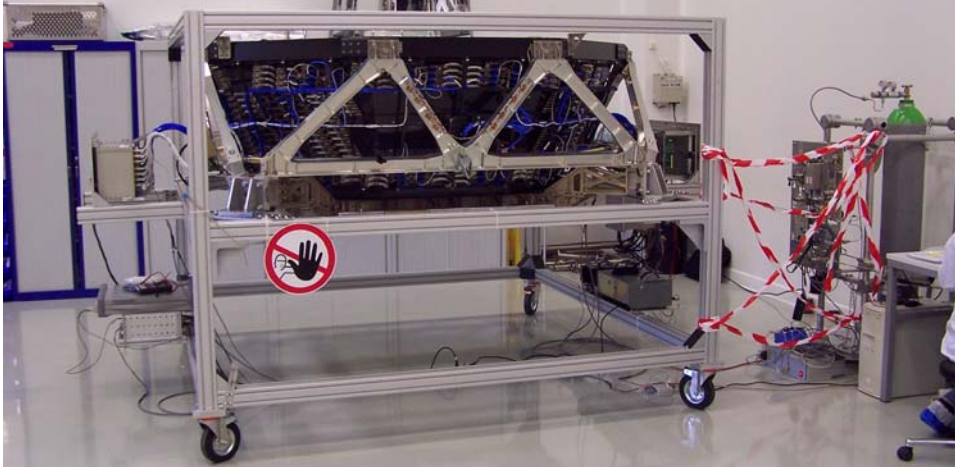
He-dp/dt-Measurements of individual straw modules during production:

$$q_{Wall 7} = 1.56 \cdot 10^{-2} \text{ l mbar/s}$$

$$q_{Wall 3} = 1.53 \cdot 10^{-2} \text{ l mbar/s}$$

→ Safety Factor 8 for CO<sub>2</sub>

# AMS-02 – TRD: Gas Tightness of TRD System @ CERN AMS Cleanroom



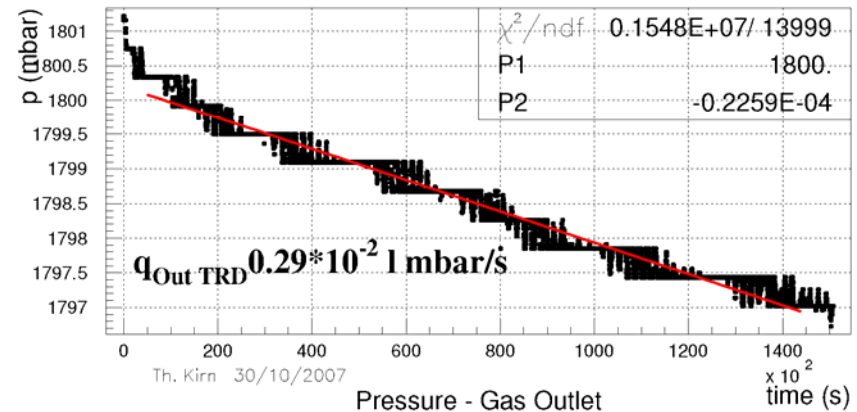
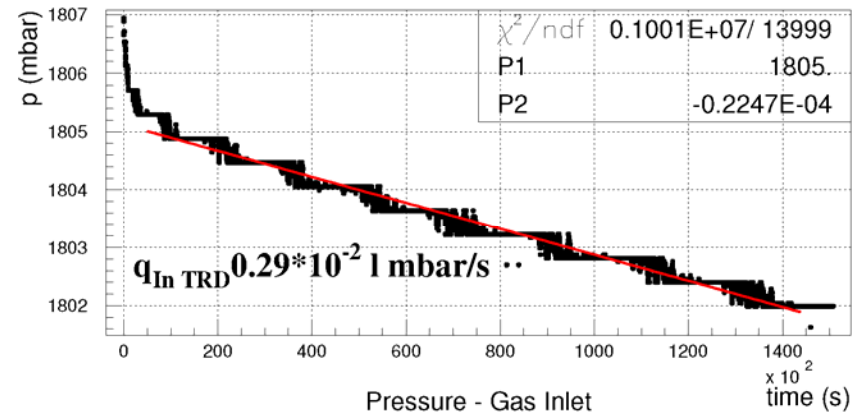
Ar/CO<sub>2</sub>- (80%/20%) dp/dt-Measurements of whole TRD after delivery to CERN end of 2007:

$$q_{\text{CO}_2} = 0.29 \cdot 10^{-2} \text{ l mbar/s}$$

- Comparison Measurement dp/dt in air:
- He ↔ CO<sub>2</sub> Factor of 2
- Factor 5 20% to 100 % CO<sub>2</sub>

$$\hookrightarrow q_{\text{He}} = 3.09 \cdot 10^{-2} \text{ l mbar/s}$$

→ TRD gastight



# AMS-02 – TRD: Gas Tightness of TRD System @ CERN AMS Cleanroom



Ar/CO<sub>2</sub>- (80%/20%) dp/dt-Measurements of whole TRD after pre- & de-integration  
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