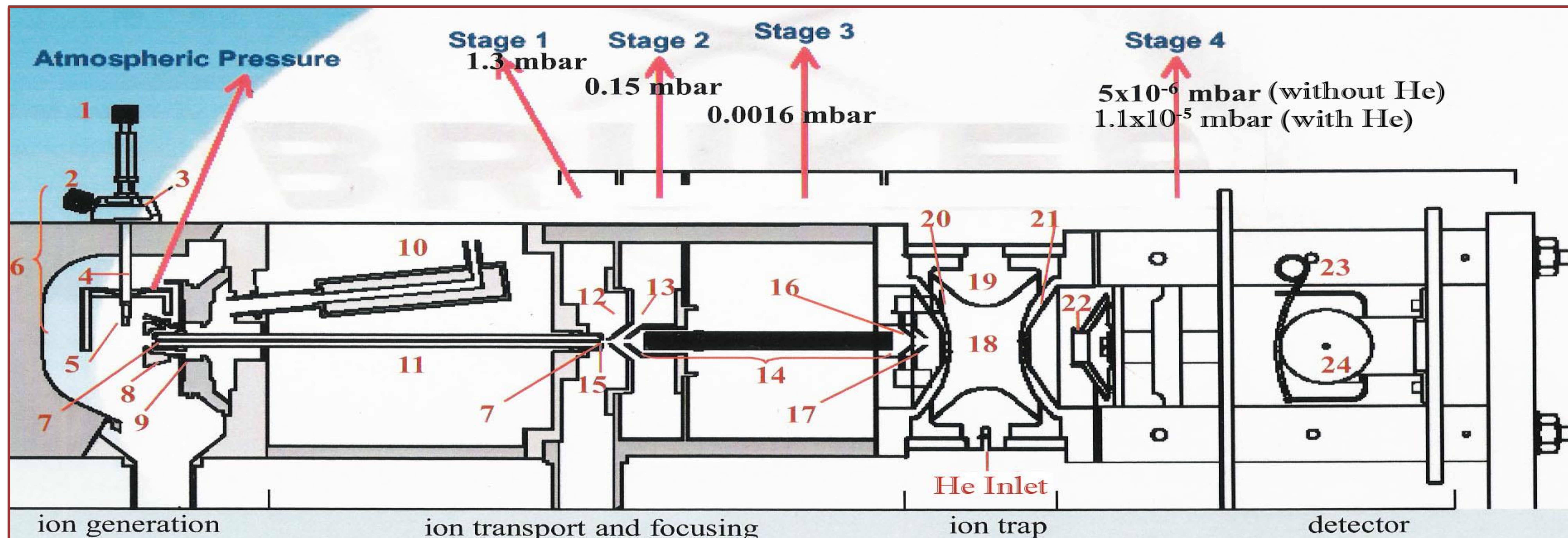


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Ion generation

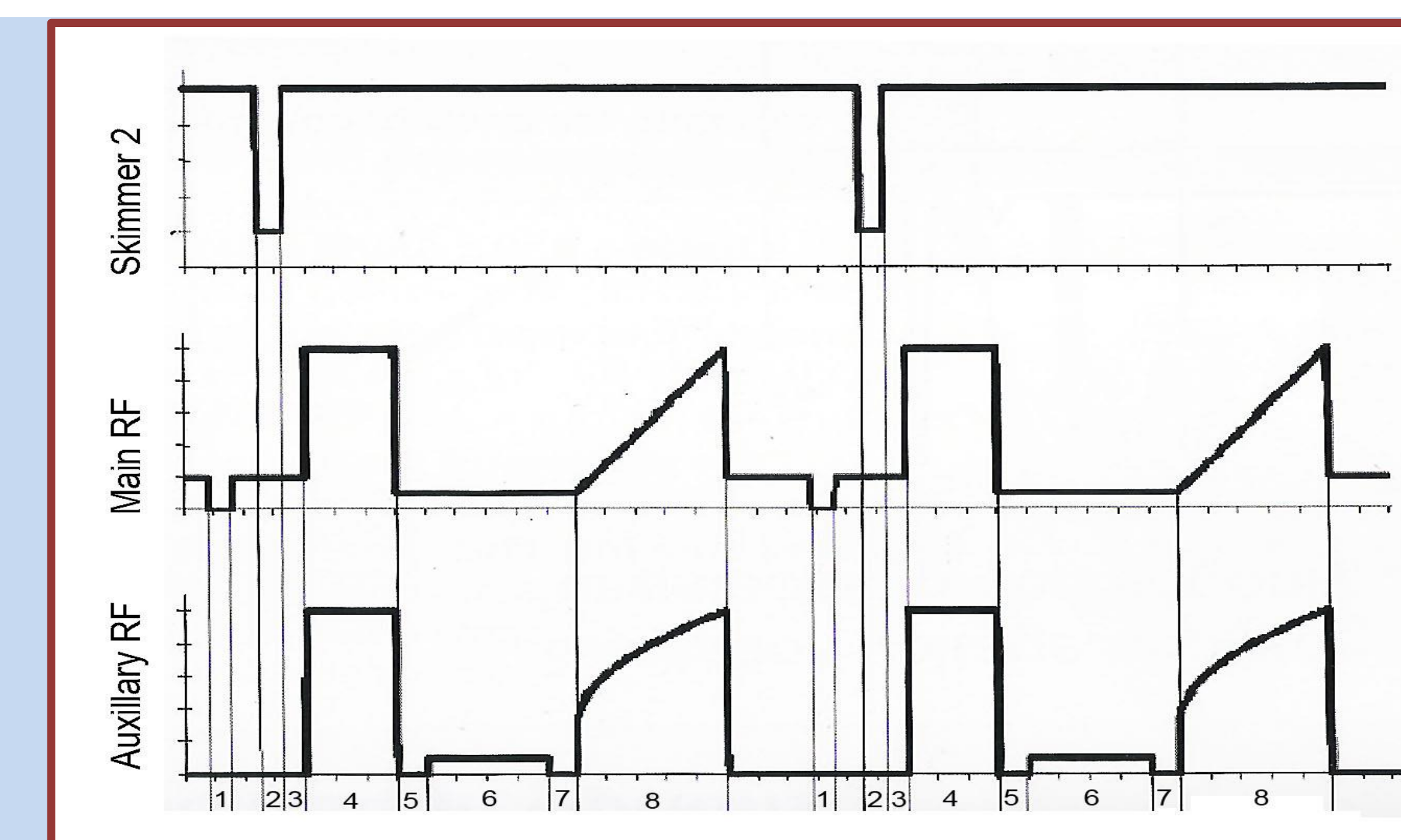
1. sample Inlet
2. nebulizer gas inlet
3. nebulizer
4. neb gas stem
5. inner sprayer needle (ground)
6. sprayer
7. capillary cap (-3 - -4 KV)
8. spray shield (-2.5 - -3.5 KV)
9. end plate (-2.5 - -3.5 KV)
10. drying gas heater
11. glass capillary (-3 - -4 KV)

Ion transport and focusing

12. skimmer 1 (40.0 V)
13. skimmer 2
14. dual octopoles (ion guide)
 - octopole 1 DC (12.00 V)
 - octopole 2 DC (2.48 V)
 - octopole RF amplitude (50 - 300 V)
15. capillary exit (50 - 300 V)
16. lens 1 (-5.0 V)
17. lens 2 (-60.0 V)

Ion trap & detector

18. Ion trap
 - trap drive (20 - 195)
19. Ring electrode
 - (main RF 781 kHz)
20. Entrance trap
21. Exit and cap
 - (auxiliary RF, 1/3 of main)
22. Dynode lens
23. Dynode (7.0 KV)
24. Multiplier (1.7 KV)



MS/MS scan process

1. clear trap
2. accumulation time
3. isolation delay
4. isolation begin
5. fragmentation delay
6. fragmentation begin
7. scan delay
8. mass analysis

Capillary exit, octopole RF, and trap drive values increase with higher target mass; capillary exit is further modulated by compound stability setting (10-100%).