

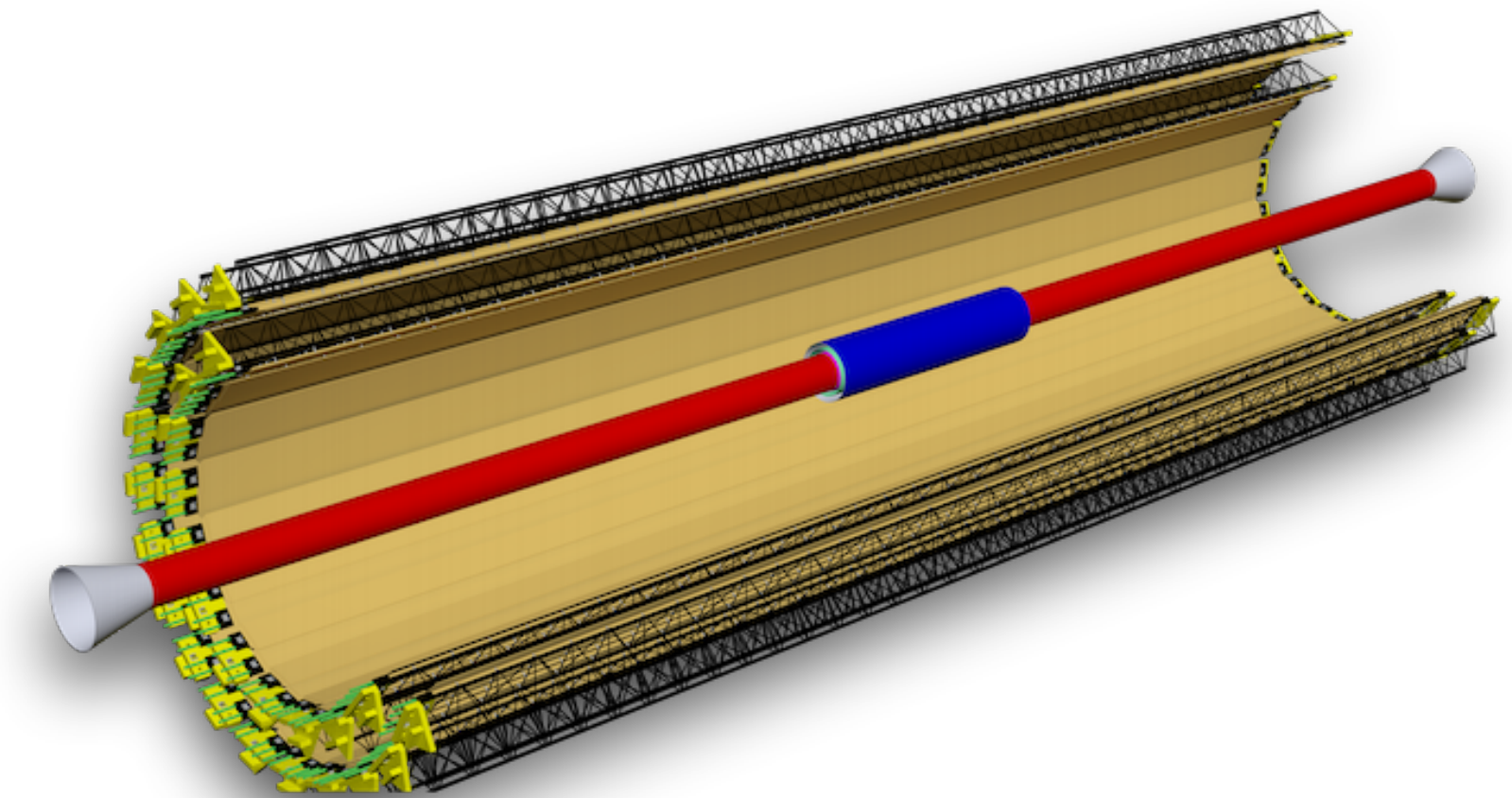


MPD - ITS



# MPD-ITS Current Status.

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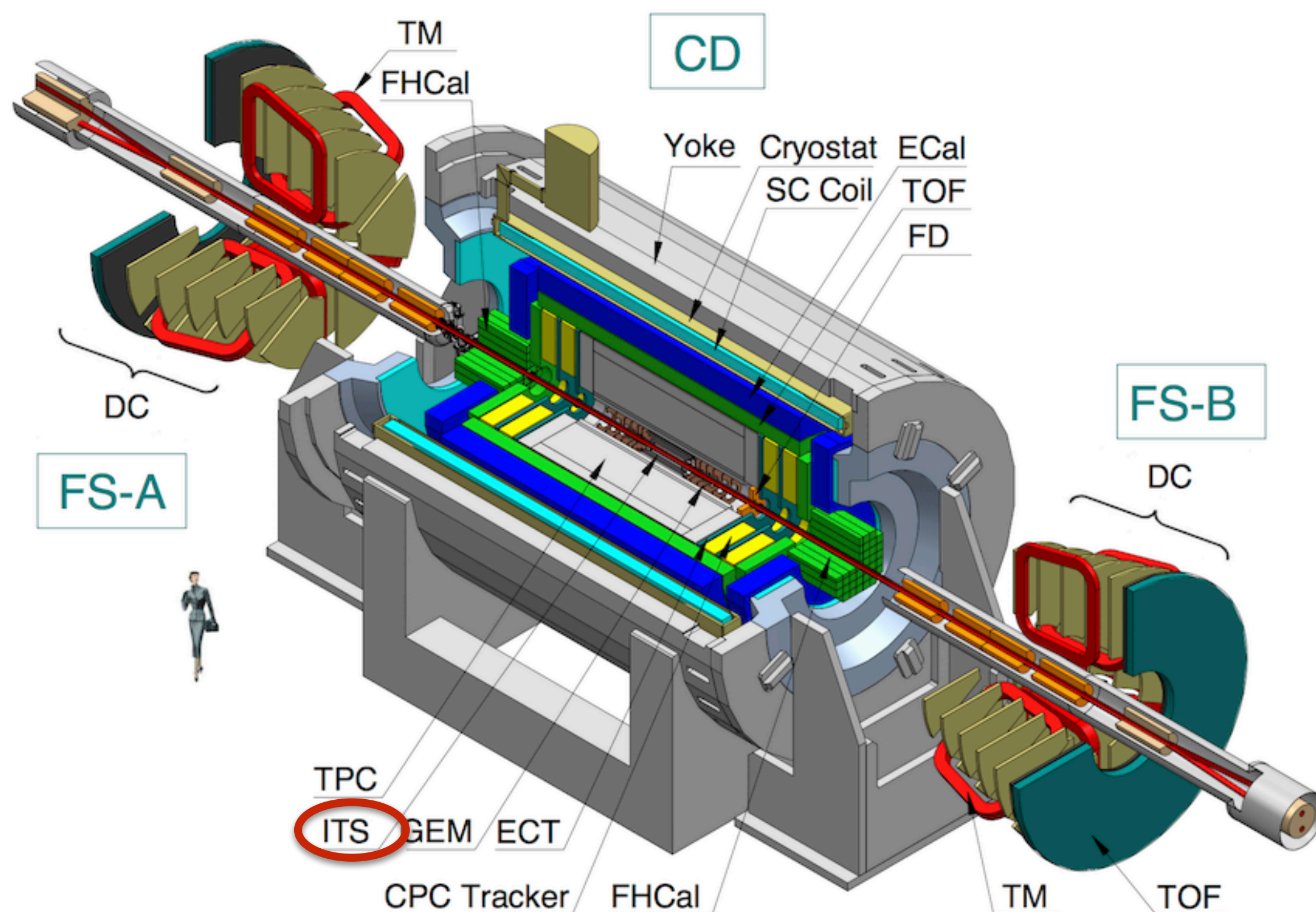


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- **Introduction**
- **Overview on the work done by the Work Packages**
- **Goals 2021/2022**

**MPD-ITS structure:** 3-layers Inner Barrel + 2-layers Outer Barrel.

It will supplement the TPC for the precise tracking, momentum determination and vertex reconstruction for hyperons ( $\Lambda$ ,  $\Xi$ ,  $\Omega$ ) and **D-mesons**.

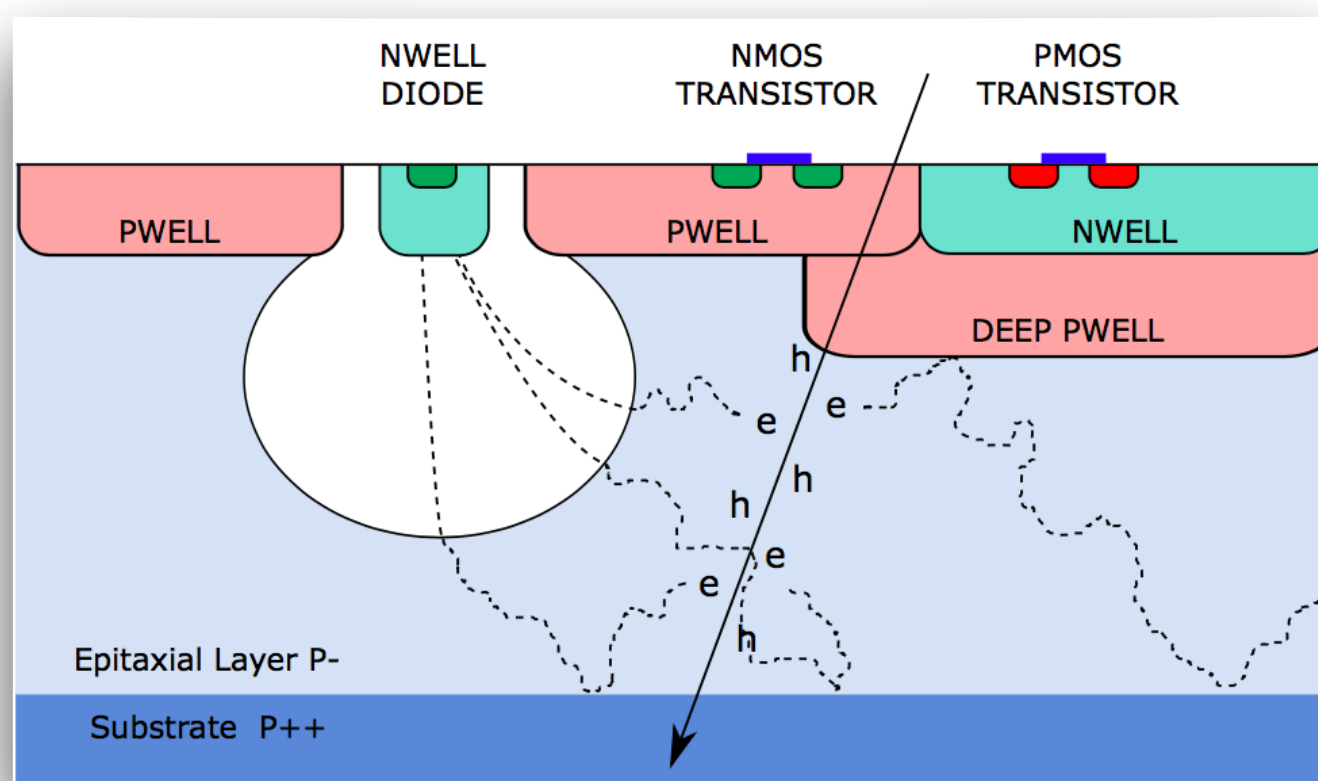


**Some of the MPD-ITS requirements:**

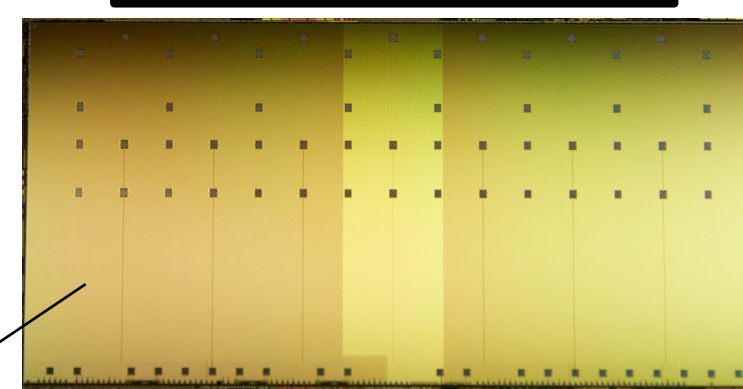
- Fast, high granularity CMOS pixel sensors with low noise level.
- Spatial resolution of track coordinate registration at the level of  $\sim 5-10 \mu\text{m}$ .
- Material budget as low as possible.

## TowerJazz 0.18 $\mu\text{m}$ CMOS pixel sensor

- » High-resistivity ( $> 1\text{k}\Omega\text{ cm}$ ) p-type epitaxial layer ( $20\mu\text{m} - 40\mu\text{m}$  thick) on p-type substrate.
- » Small n-well diode ( $2-3\ \mu\text{m}$  diameter),  $\sim 100$  times smaller than pixel  $\Rightarrow$  low capacitance.
- » Deep PWELL shields NWELL of PMOS transistors, allowing for full CMOS circuitry within active area.

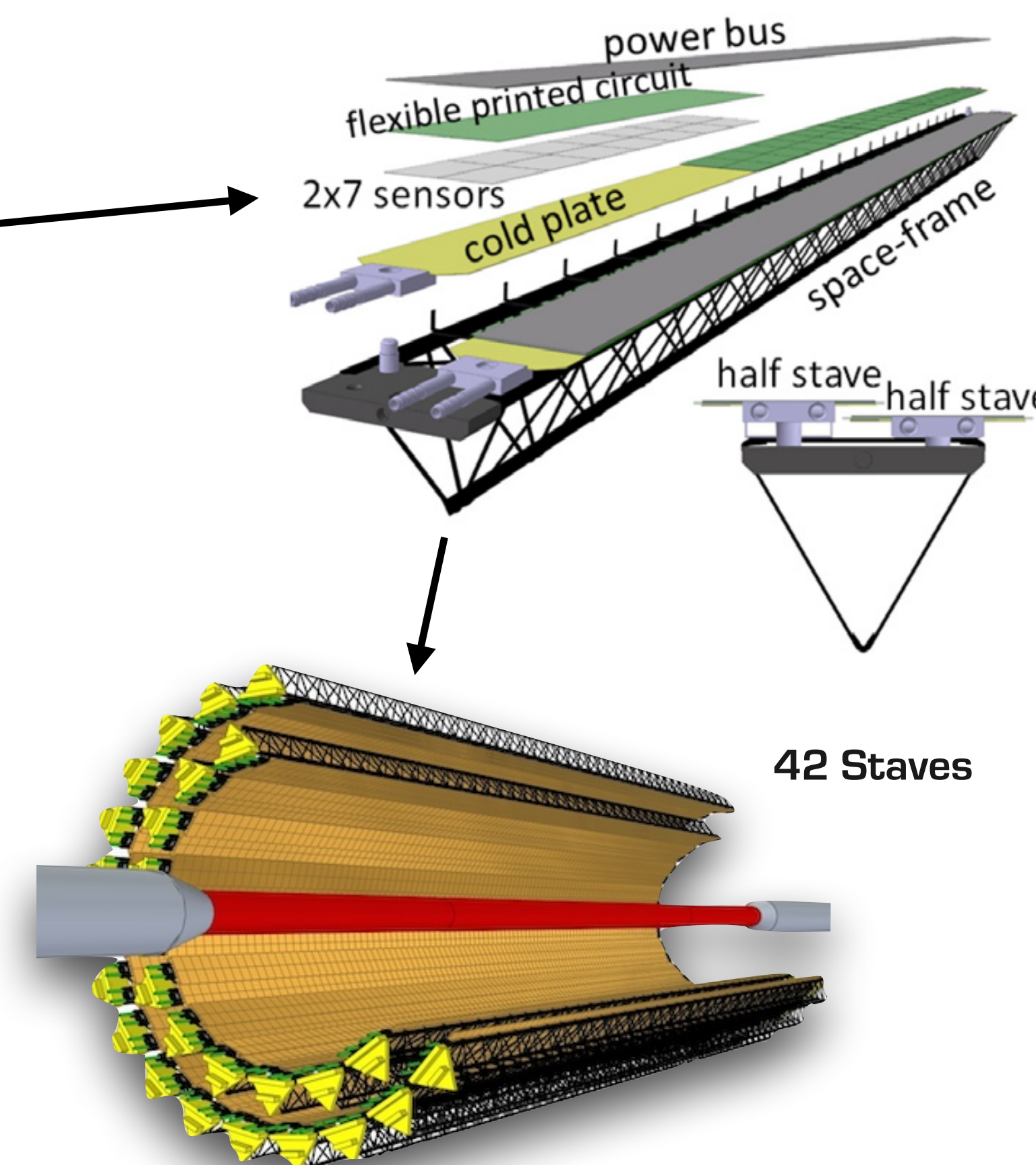


512 x 1024 pixels



### Sensor architecture

Size: 15mm x 30mm  
 Pixel pitch:  $28\mu\text{m} \times 28\mu\text{m}$   
 Event time resolution:  $< 2\mu\text{s}$   
 Power consumption:  $39\text{mW}/\text{cm}^2$   
 Dead area  $1.1\text{mm} \times 30\text{mm}$

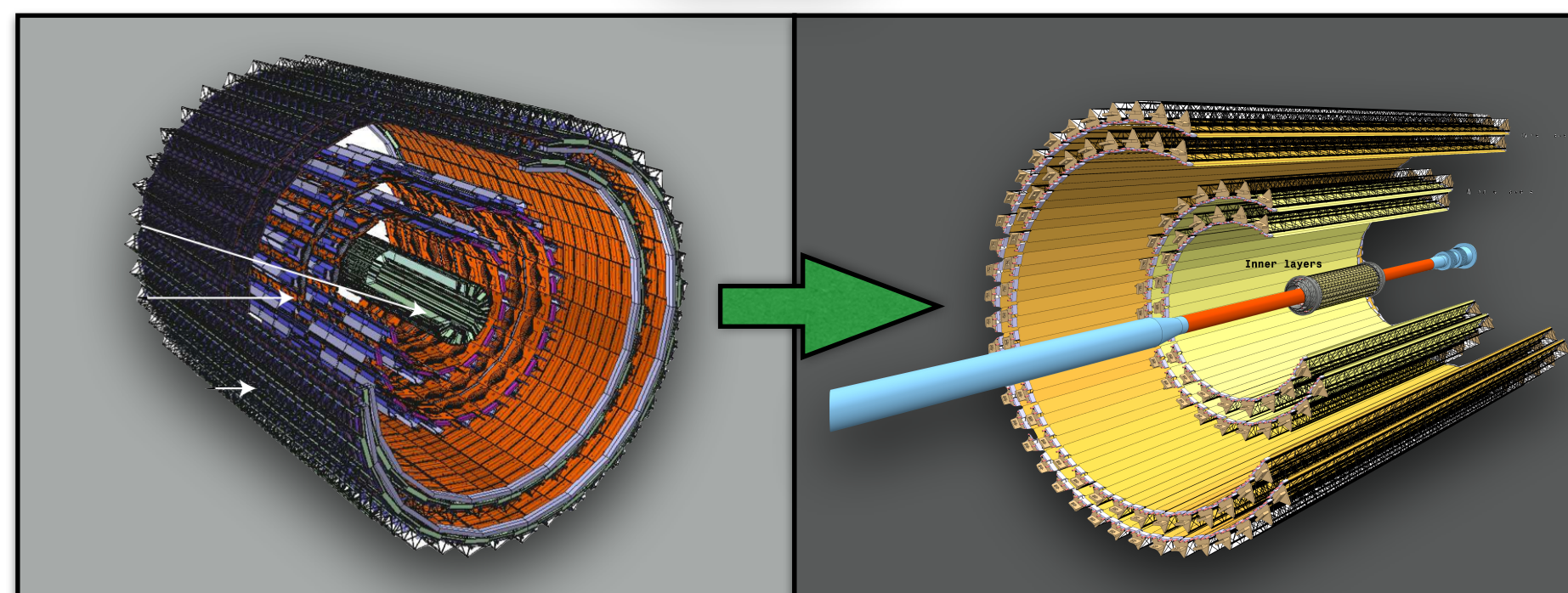




ALICE

ITS-1

ITS-2



12.5 G-pixel

 » Total active area ~ 10 m<sup>2</sup>

» ~ 24000 pixel chips



ALICE-ITS2 OB inserted into the TPC - 22/03/2021

## 1. Improve impact parameter resolution by a factor of ~3

- » Get closer to IP (position of first layer): 39mm → 22mm
- » Reduce X/X<sub>0</sub> / layer: ~1.14% → ~0.3% (for inner layers)
- » Reduce pixel size: 50μm x 425μm → 0(28μm x 28μm)

## 2. Improve tracking efficiency and p<sub>T</sub> resolution at low p<sub>T</sub>

- » Increase granularity:
  - » 6 layers → 7 layers
  - » silicon drift + strips + pixels → pixels

## 3. Fast readout

- » Currently 1 KHz → > 100 kHz (Pb-Pb) and several 10<sup>5</sup> Hz (p-p)

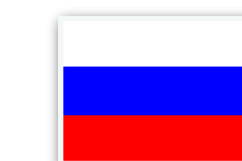
## 4. Fast insertion/removal for yearly maintenance

- » Possibility to replace non functioning detector modules during yearly shutdown.

1. ALICE-ITS (LHC, CERN)

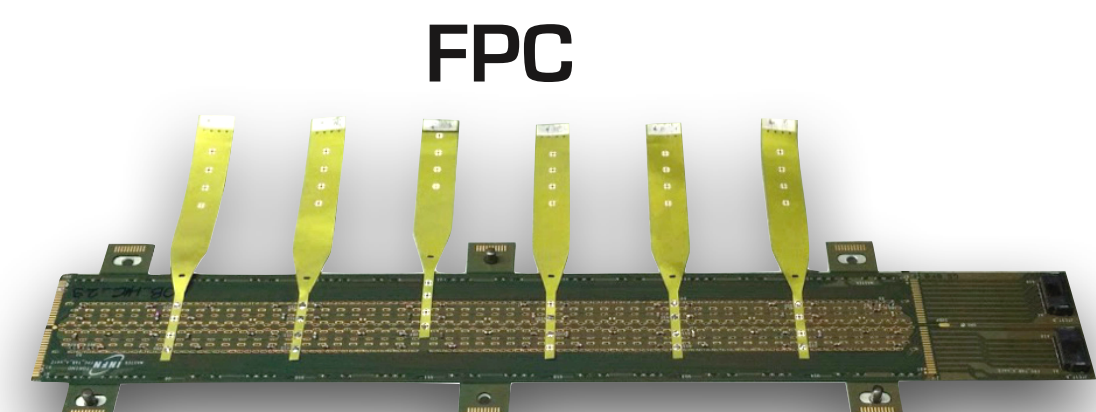


2. sPHENIX-MVTX (RHIC, BNL)


 3. **MPD-ITS (NICA, JINR)**


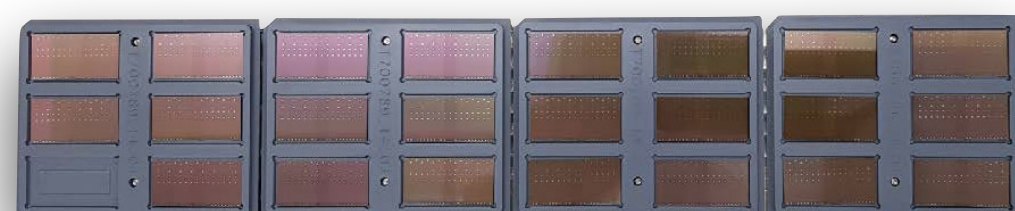
- Complete Knowhow
- Detector assembly and testing hardware/software
- Supervision and support from ALICE specialists

Setup at JINR of the full detector assembly line from chips to detector layers

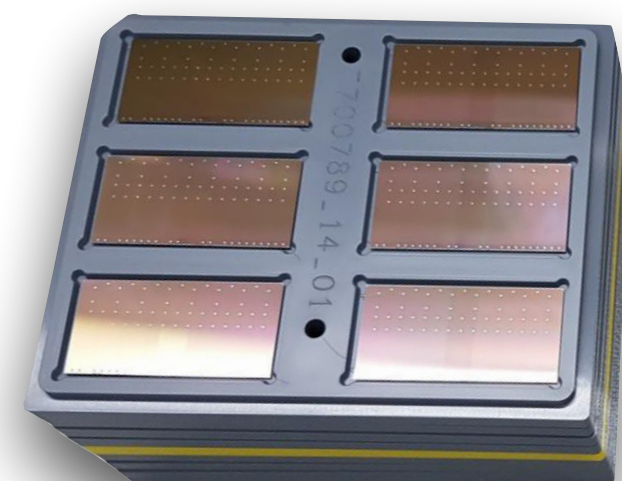
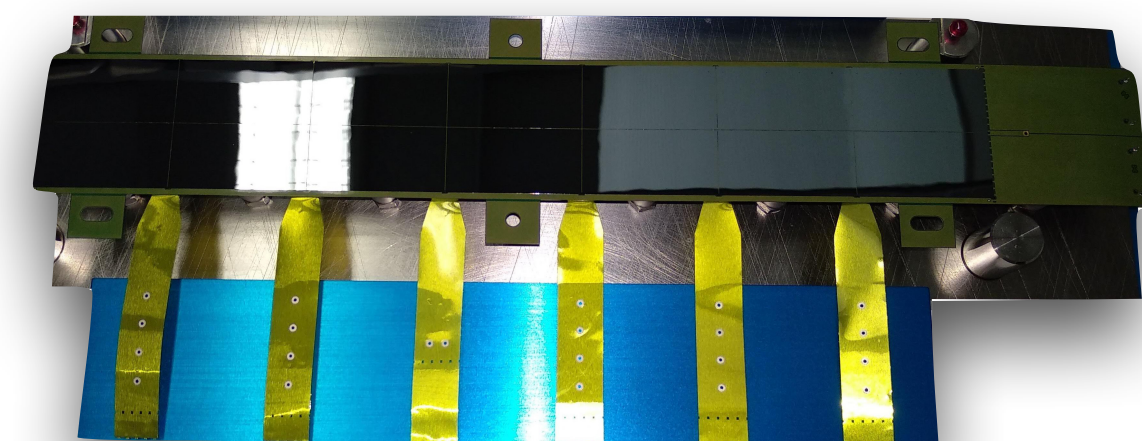


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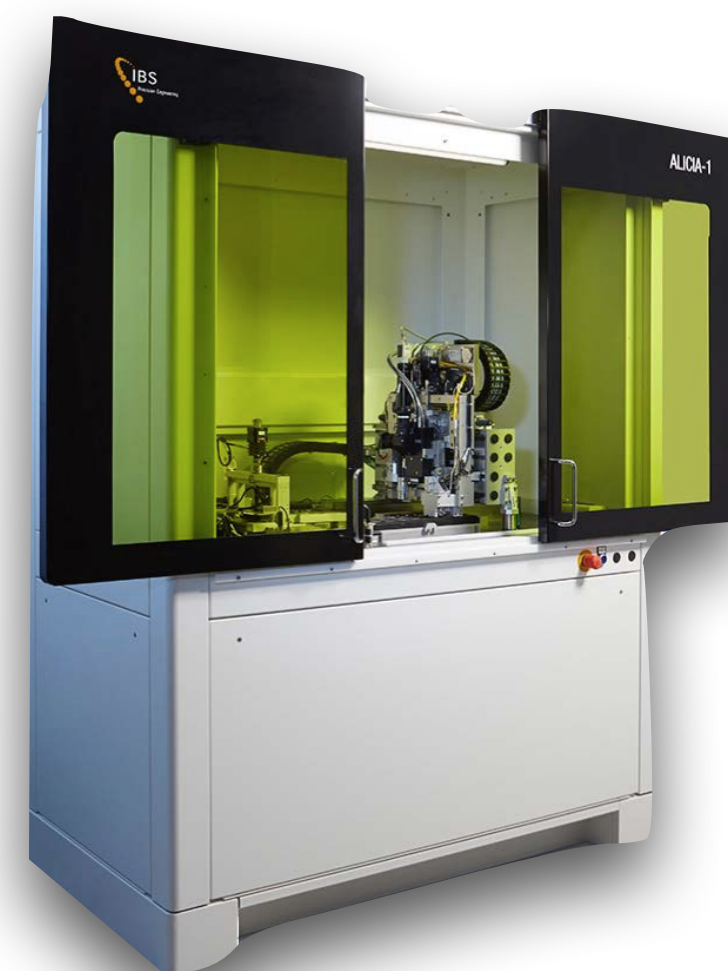
MAPS



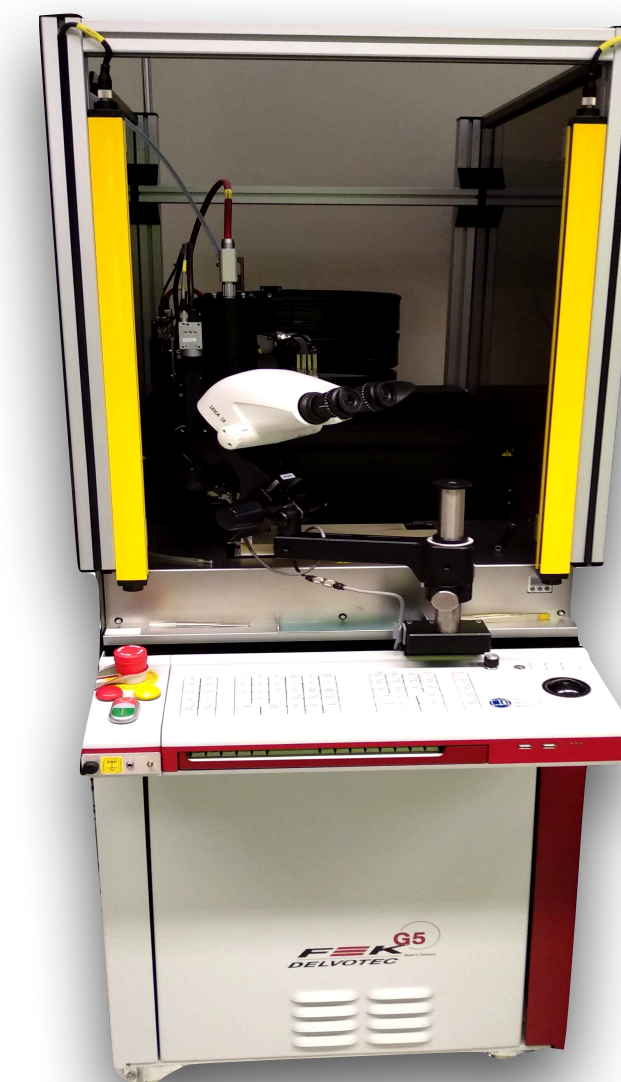
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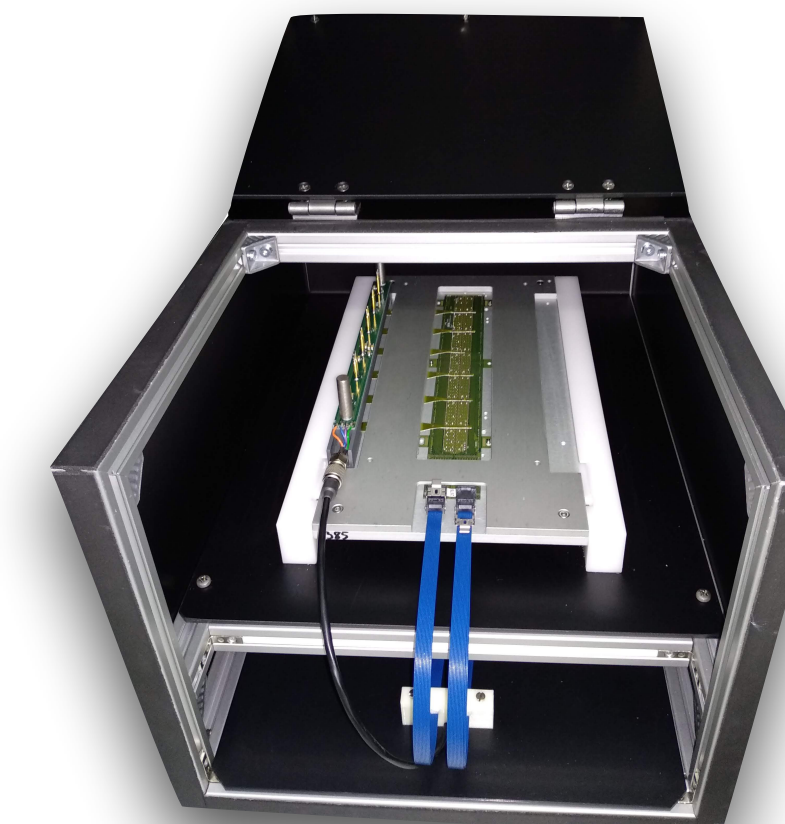
Chips selection



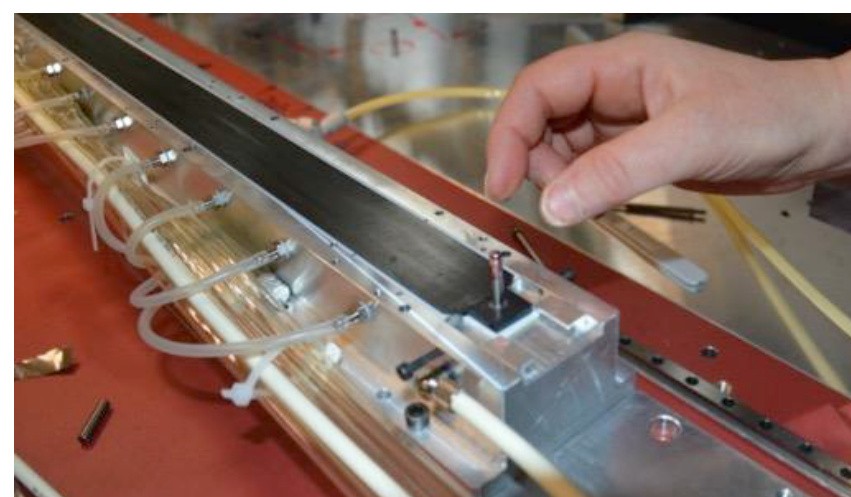
Chips alignment and gluing



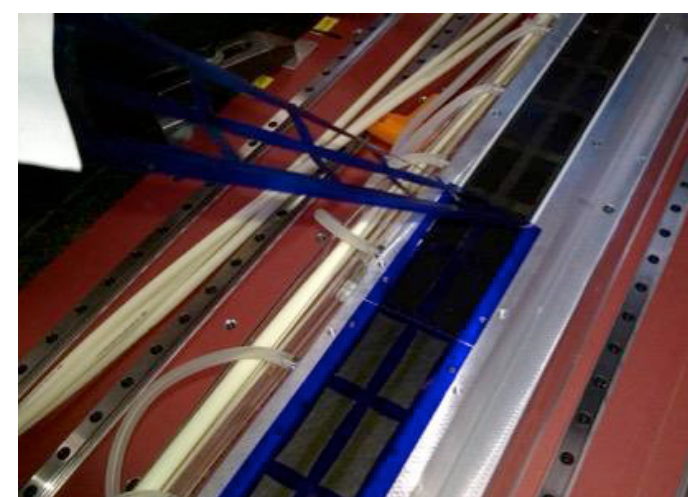
Ultrasonic bonding Chips - FPC



HIC testing



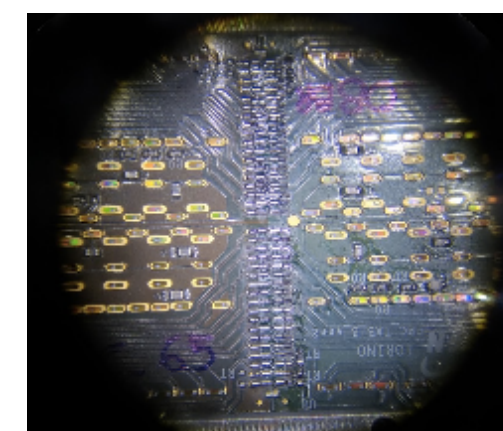
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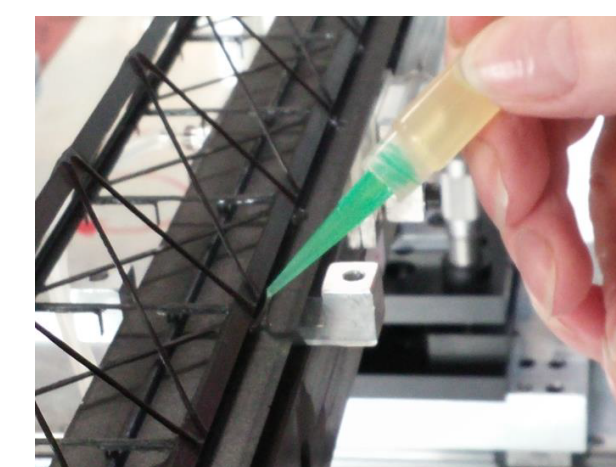
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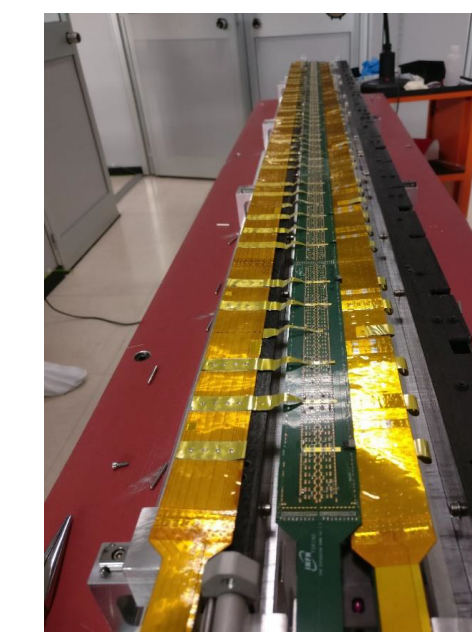
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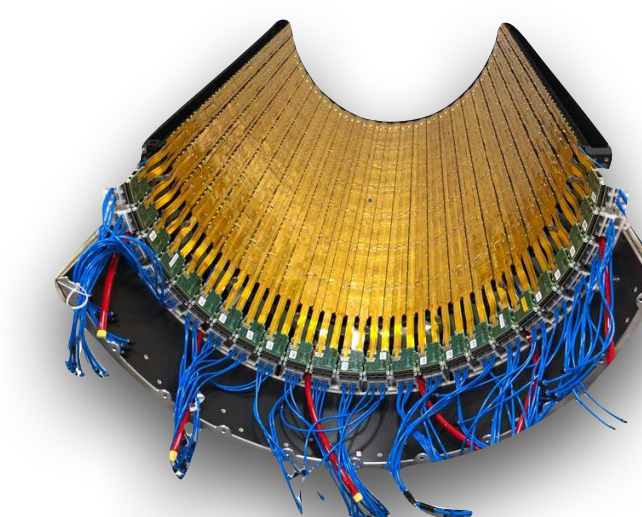
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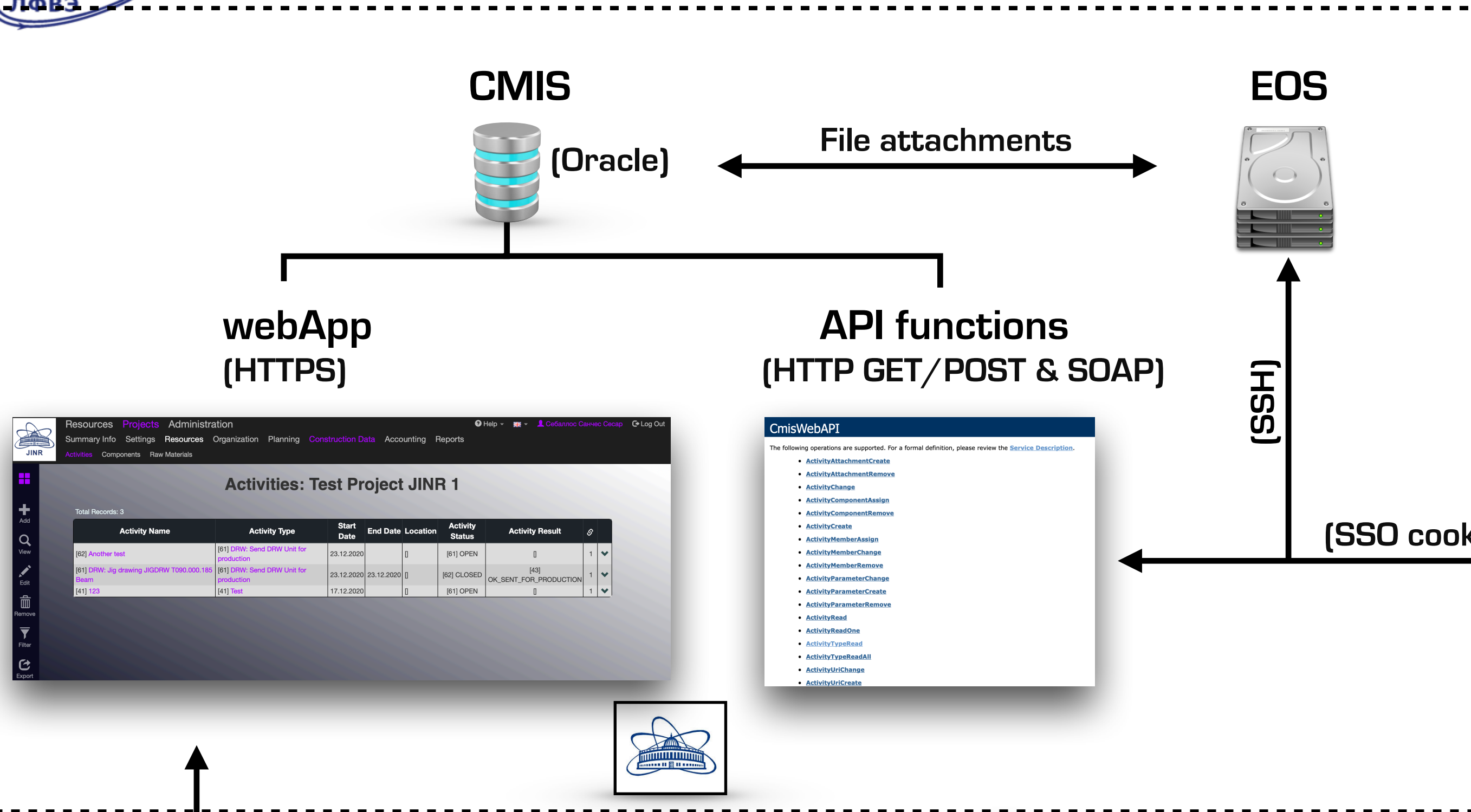
Space frame on CP



Power Bus position & folding



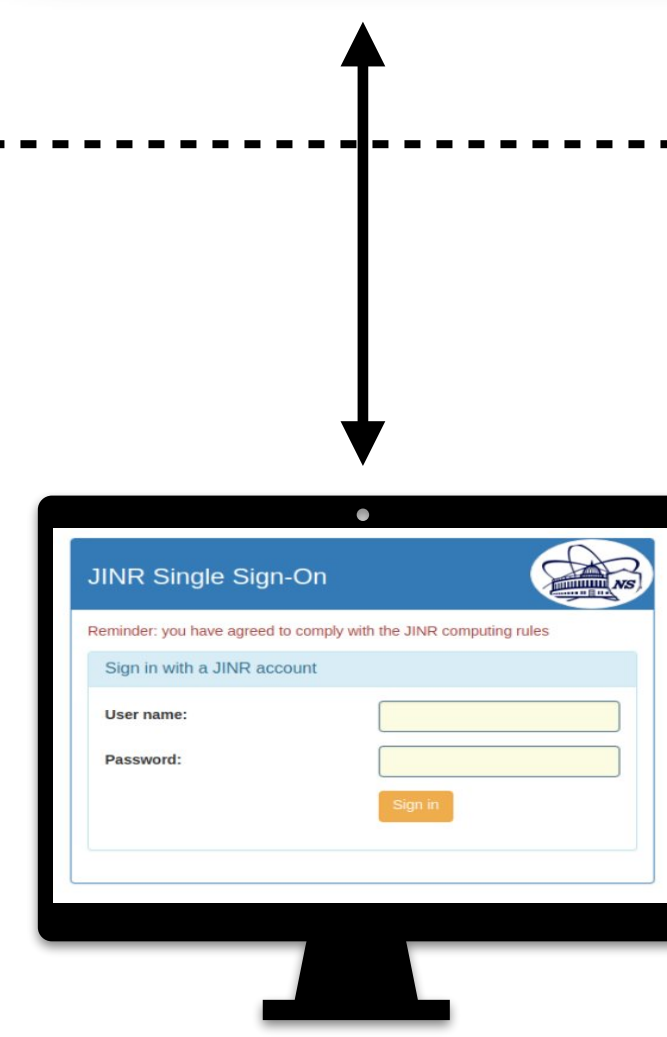
Additionally, a lamination workshop is being setup for the production at JINR-LHEP of almost the complete carbon fiber mechanics elements for the MPD-ITS construction and its integration with the beam pipe, the FFD and the TPC.



Activities: Test Project JINR 1

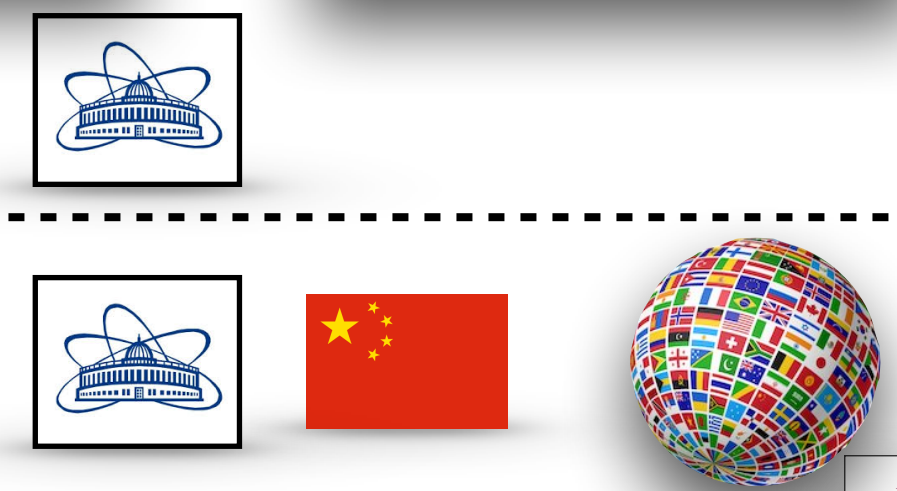
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  - ActivityParameterChange
  - ActivityParameterCreate
  - ActivityParameterRemove
  - ActivityRead
  - ActivityReadOne
  - ActivityTypeRead
  - ActivityTypeReadAll
  - ActivityUrlChange
  - ActivityUrlCreate



### CERN SSO:

- » Web access.
- » Registered JINR-SSO users.
- » Role-based access rights.



Information System for ALICE Upgrade Construction Management System

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Automatizované systémy riadenia

**ALICE UPGRADE MANAGEMENT**  
January 2019  
Ver. 3

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### Custom Assembly & Testing programs

```

    database
    -> JBS is requesting the tray ID together with status
    ...
    PLEASE SCAN BARCODE ...
    ...
    WARNING: unrecognized ID scanned: "TR55101", try again!
    <- tray ID is 53AM148
    Please confirm that this tray is for HIC assembly of type: "085" by typing "085": 085
    085
    1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8
    A | NK | NK | OK | OK | NK | OK | OK |
    B | OK | NK | OK | OK | NK | OK | NK |
    C | | NK | OK | NK | NK | NK | NK |
    ...
    Please confirm chip content by typing "ok" or anything else to cancel: OK
    OK
    <- "TR1D53AM148,A1:NK,A2:NK,A3:OK,A4:OK,A5:NK,A6:OK,A7:OK,A8:OK,B1:OK,B2:NK,B3:OK,B4:OK,B5:NK,B6:OK,
    B7:OK,B8:NK,C1:OK,C2:NK,C3:OK,C4:NK,C5:NK,C6:NK,C7:NK,C8:OK
    ...
    Removed command <TRID> from command list
    
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Direct HW interface to DB

ALICE ITS HIC Assembly Interface

Home New HIC Assembly Add Crew Member Log In

Home » AR003016 » Edit HIC Assembly AR003016

✓ HIC Assembly AR003016 has been updated.

Edit HIC Assembly AR003016

View Edit

FPC Name \*

AR003016

HIC Category \*

Outer-Barrel(Silver)

Crew members

Assembly Crew \*

CAROLA PASQUALE

CEBALLOS SANCHEZ CESAR

COLELLA DOMENICO

FIORENZA GABRIELE

Annotations

Logbook

Assembly Annotations:

### JINR SSO:

- » Registered service accounts.
- » Kerberos credentials.
- » Access cookies acquired through 'get-sso-cookie.py'.

Kerberos credentials automatically renewed

OB HIC Qualification Test

scan	status
1. Power Test	Done (n: 1 ms)
2. DcH Measurement	Done (n: 4 ms)
3. Ffio Scan	Done (n: 1 ms)
4. Ffio Scan, V +10%	Done (n: 1 ms)
5. Ffio Scan, V -10%	Done (n: 1 ms)
6. Digital Scan BB 0	Done (n: 0 ms)
7. Digital Scan BB 0, V +10%	Done (n: 0 ms)
8. Digital Scan BB 0, V -10%	Done (n: 0 ms)
9. Digital White Frame BB 0	Done (n: 0 ms)
10. Threshold Scan 0.0 V	Done (n: 7 ms)
11. Tune VCAN Scan 0.0 V	Done (n: 0 ms)
12. Tune TH8 Scan 0.0 V	Done (n: 0 ms)
13. Threshold Scan 0.0 V	Done (n: 7 ms)
14. Noise Occupancy 0.0 V	Done (n: 0 ms)
15. Noise Occupancy 0.0 V	Done (n: 0 ms)
16. Digital Scan BB 1	Done (n: 0 ms)
17. Tune VCAN Scan 3.0 V	Done (n: 0 ms)
18. Tune TH8 Scan 3.0 V	Done (n: 0 ms)
19. Threshold Scan 3.0 V	Done (n: 7 ms)
20. Digital Scan BB 1	Done (n: 0 ms)
21. Digital White Frame BB 3	Done (n: 0 ms)
22. Threshold Scan 3.0 V	Done (n: 7 ms)
23. Tune VCAN Scan 3.0 V	Done (n: 0 ms)
24. Tune TH8 Scan 3.0 V	Done (n: 0 ms)
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Object Layout

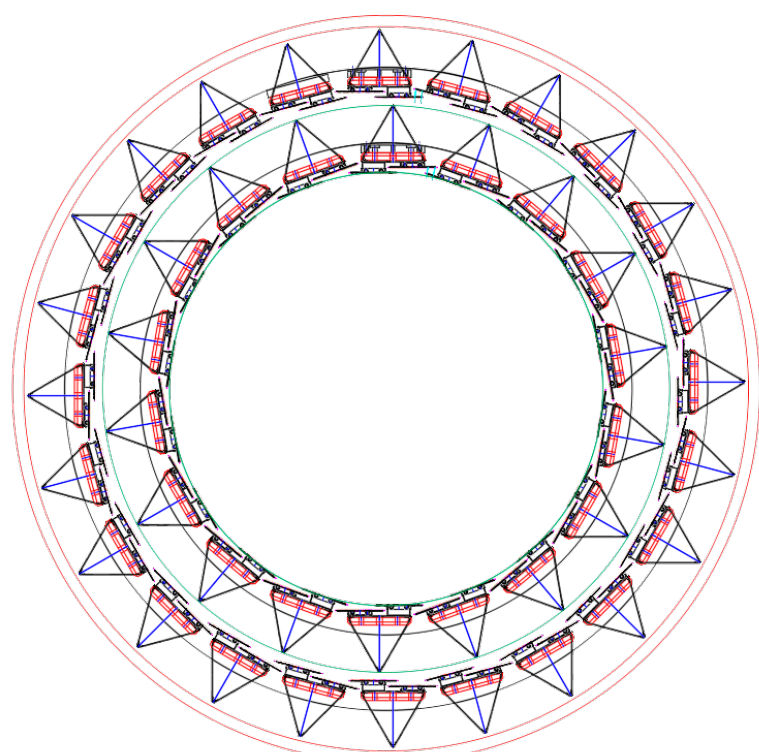
OUTER BARRELHIC

Chip0 Chip1 Chip2 Chip3 Chip4 Chip5



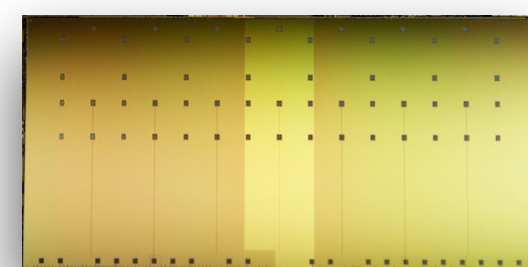
## The Outer Barrel.

ALICE-ITS2 technology (42 Staves)

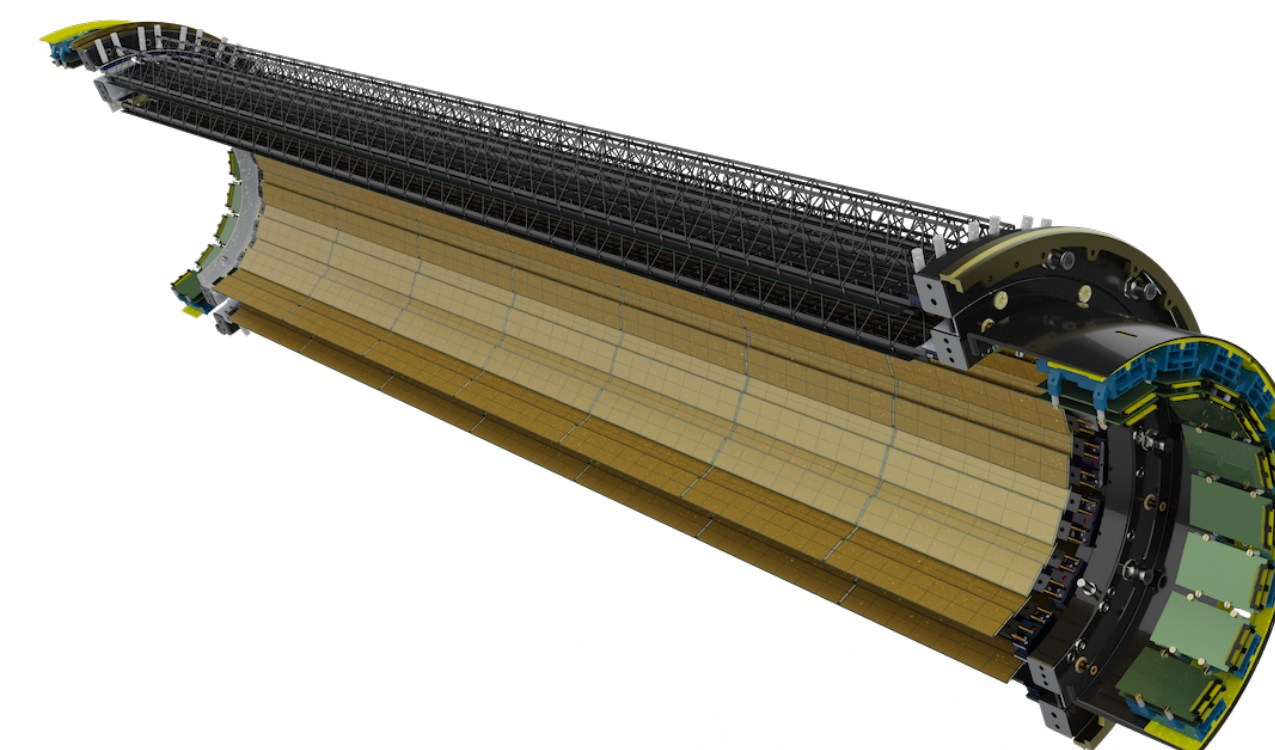
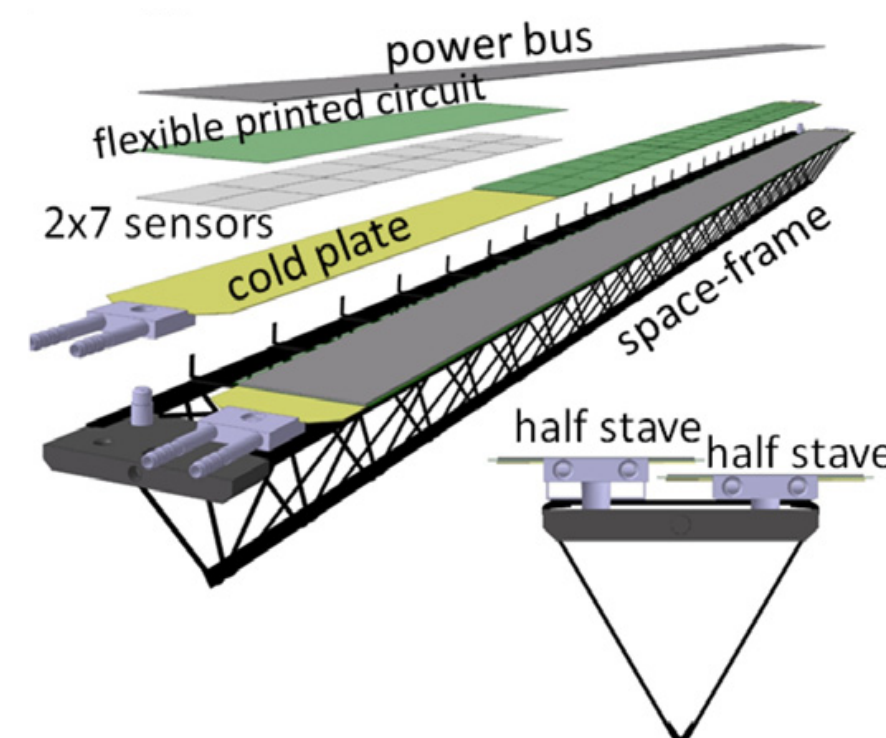


**Layer 4: 18 Staves (36 Panels)**  
**Layer 5: 24 Staves (48 Panels)**

Sensor

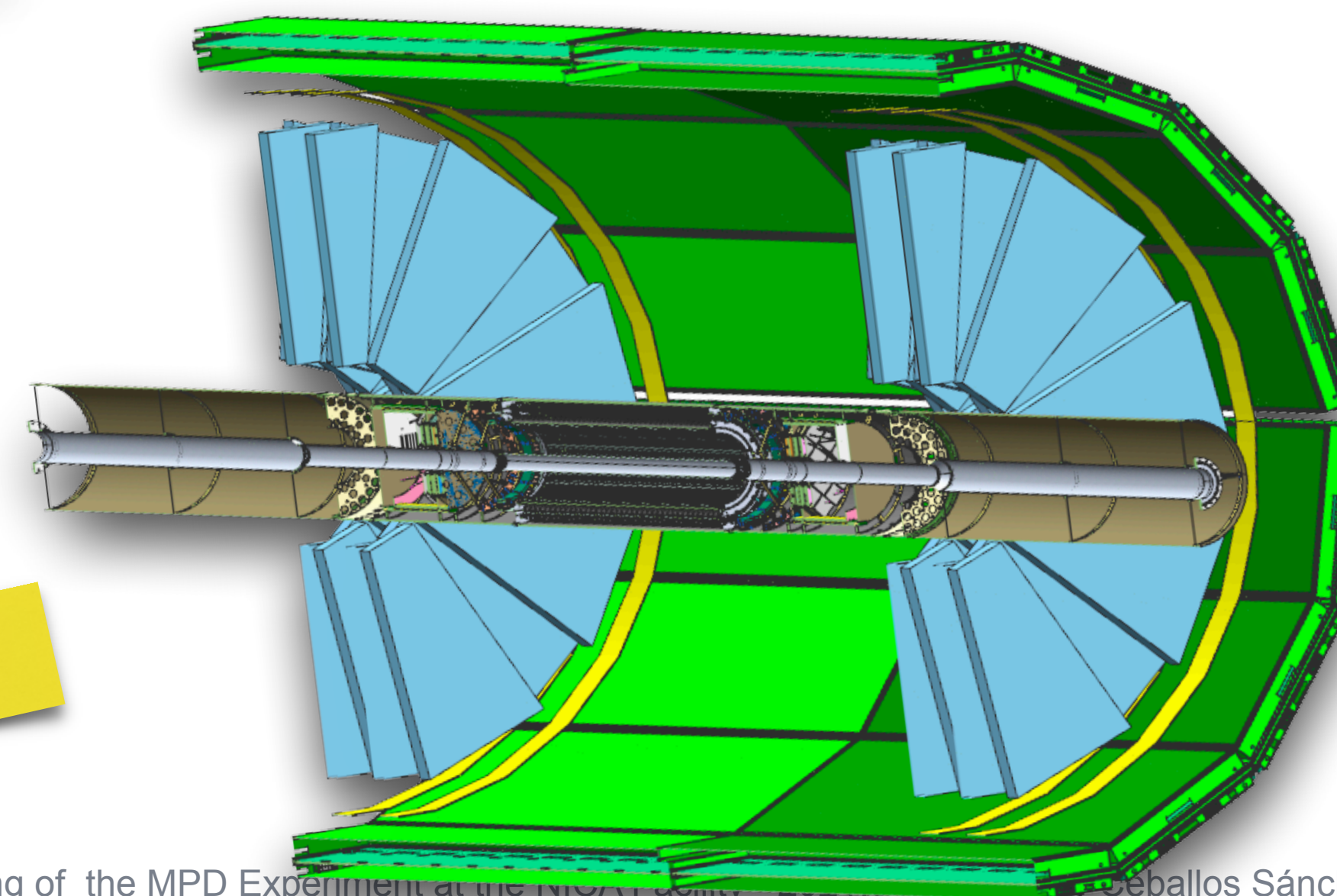
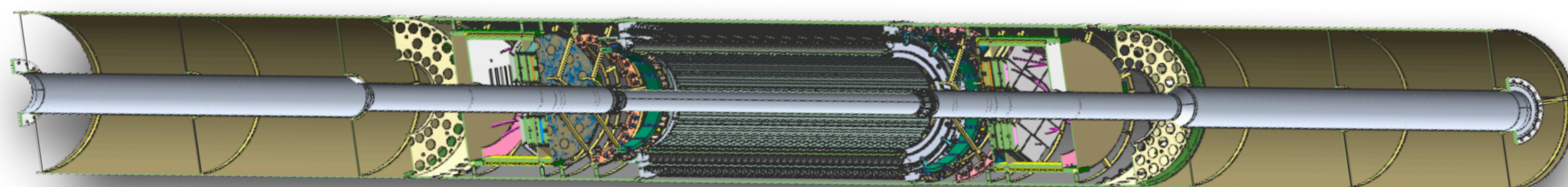


100 um-thick MAPS



## The Integration Mechanics.

(Beam pipe, TPC, FFD)

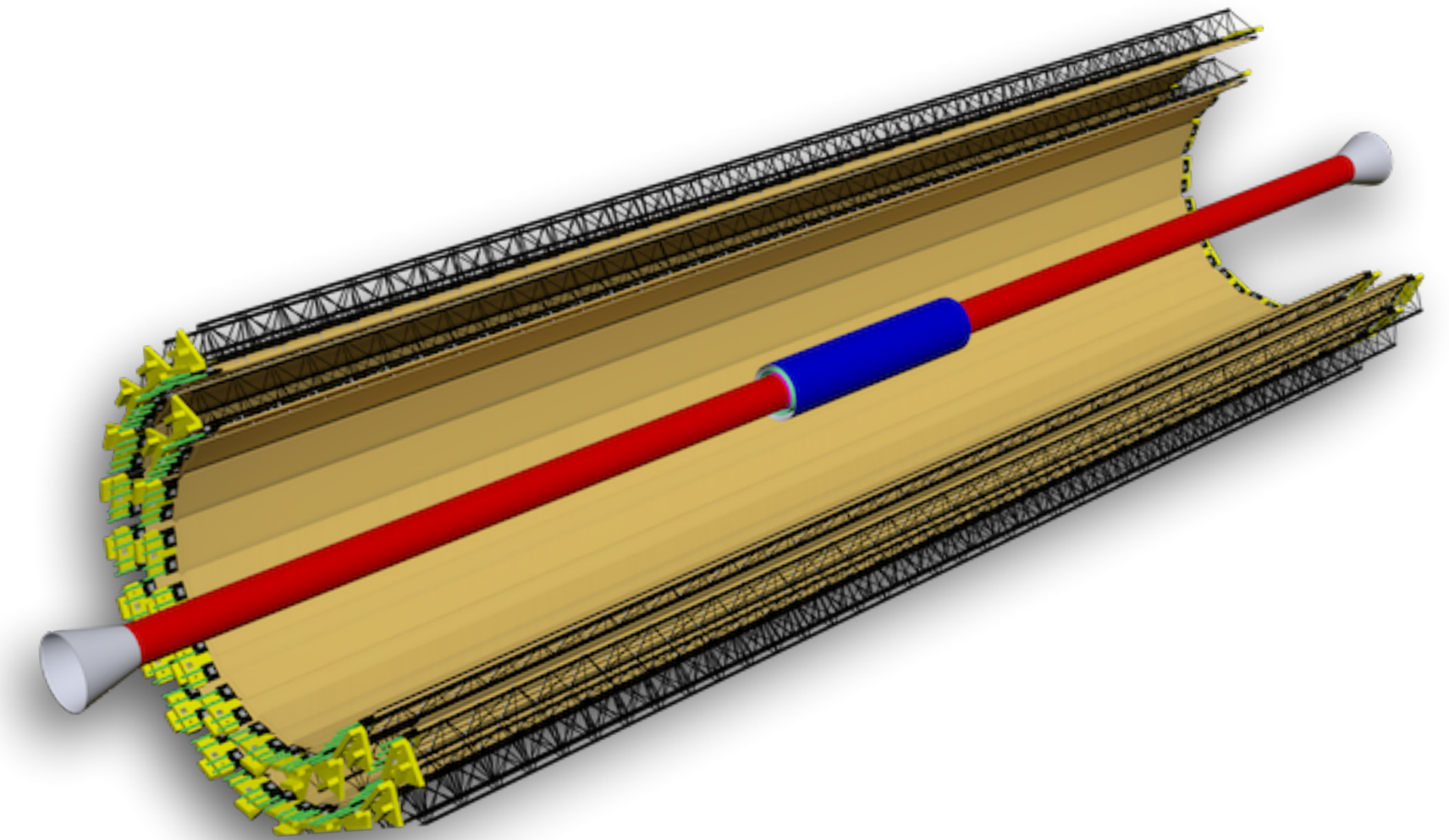
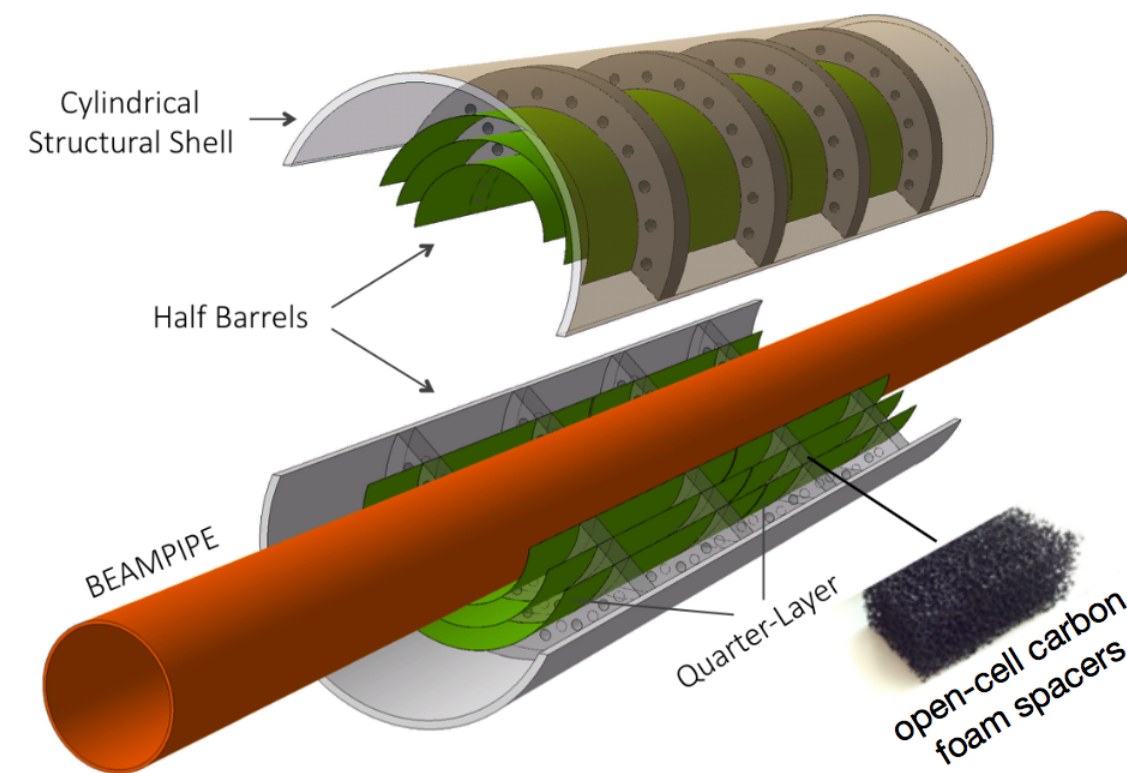
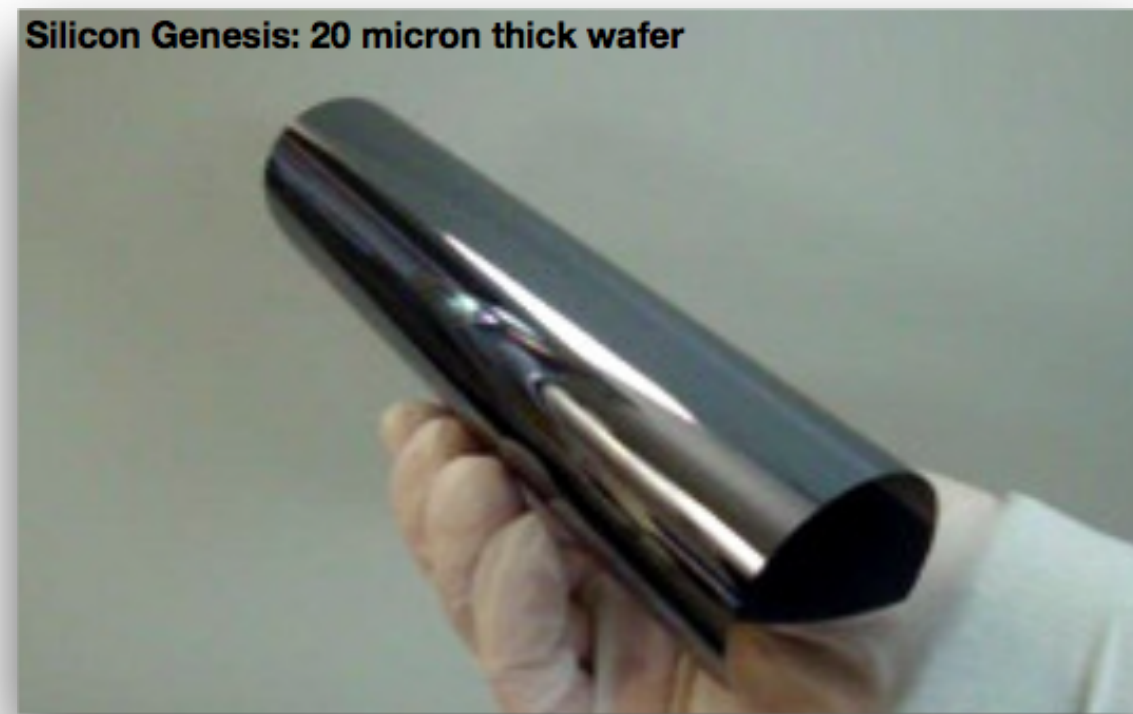


**MPD Stage-1 !!!**

## The Inner Barrel.

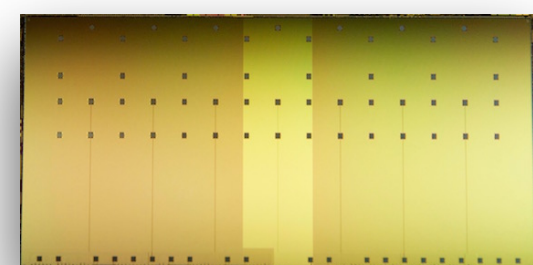
**Goal:** Use **double-size** ALICE-ITS3-like sensors on a beam pipe of 40 mm in diameter

**ALICE-ITS3 (Under R&D):** 20 um-thick (!!!) by 280 mm-long bent MAPS



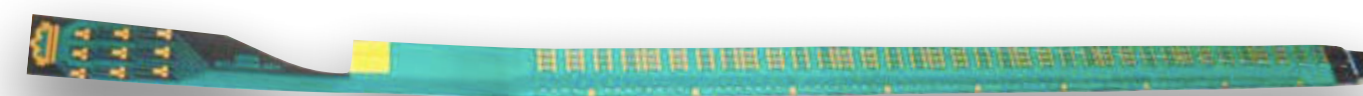
## BackUp plan: Built an ALICE-ITS2-like IB

**Sensor**

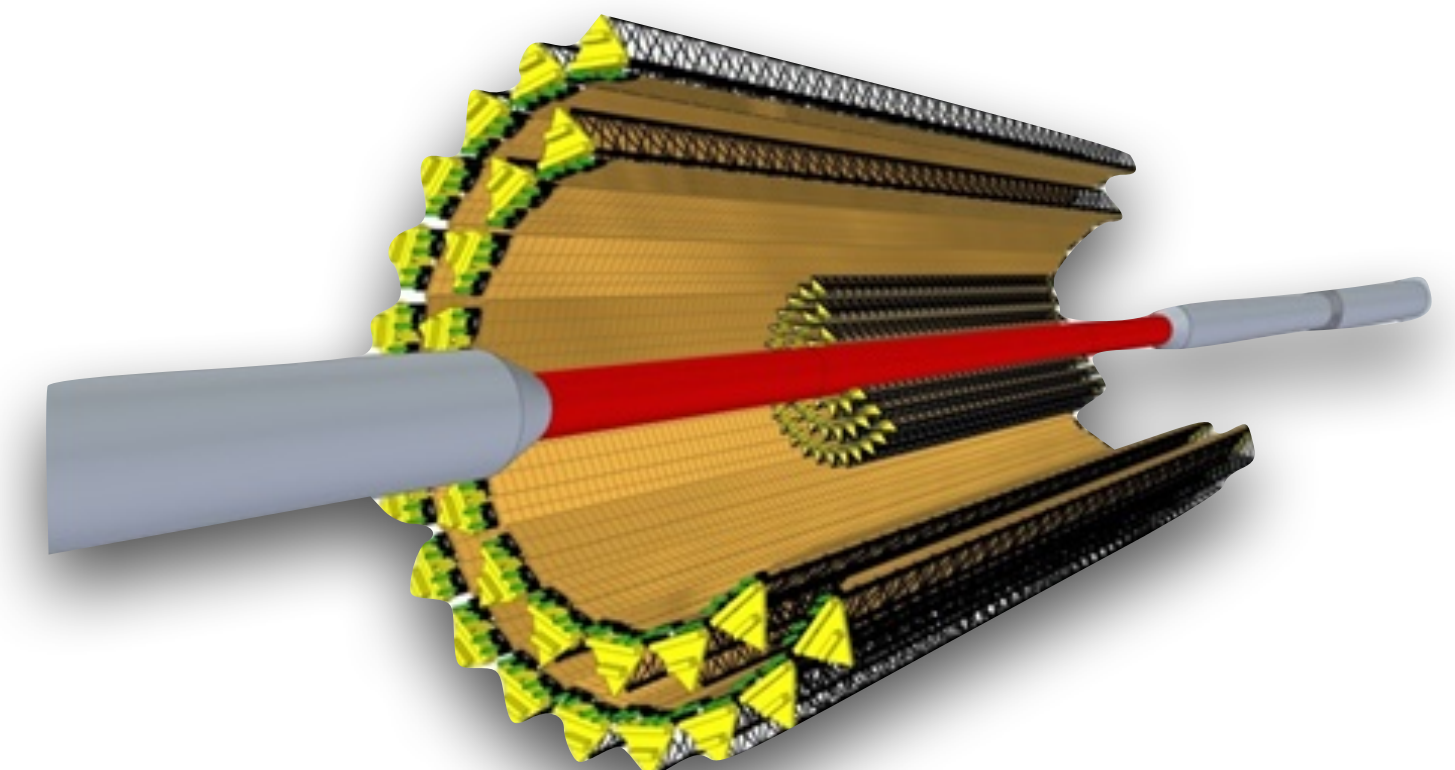


50 um-thick MAPS

**IBHIC**

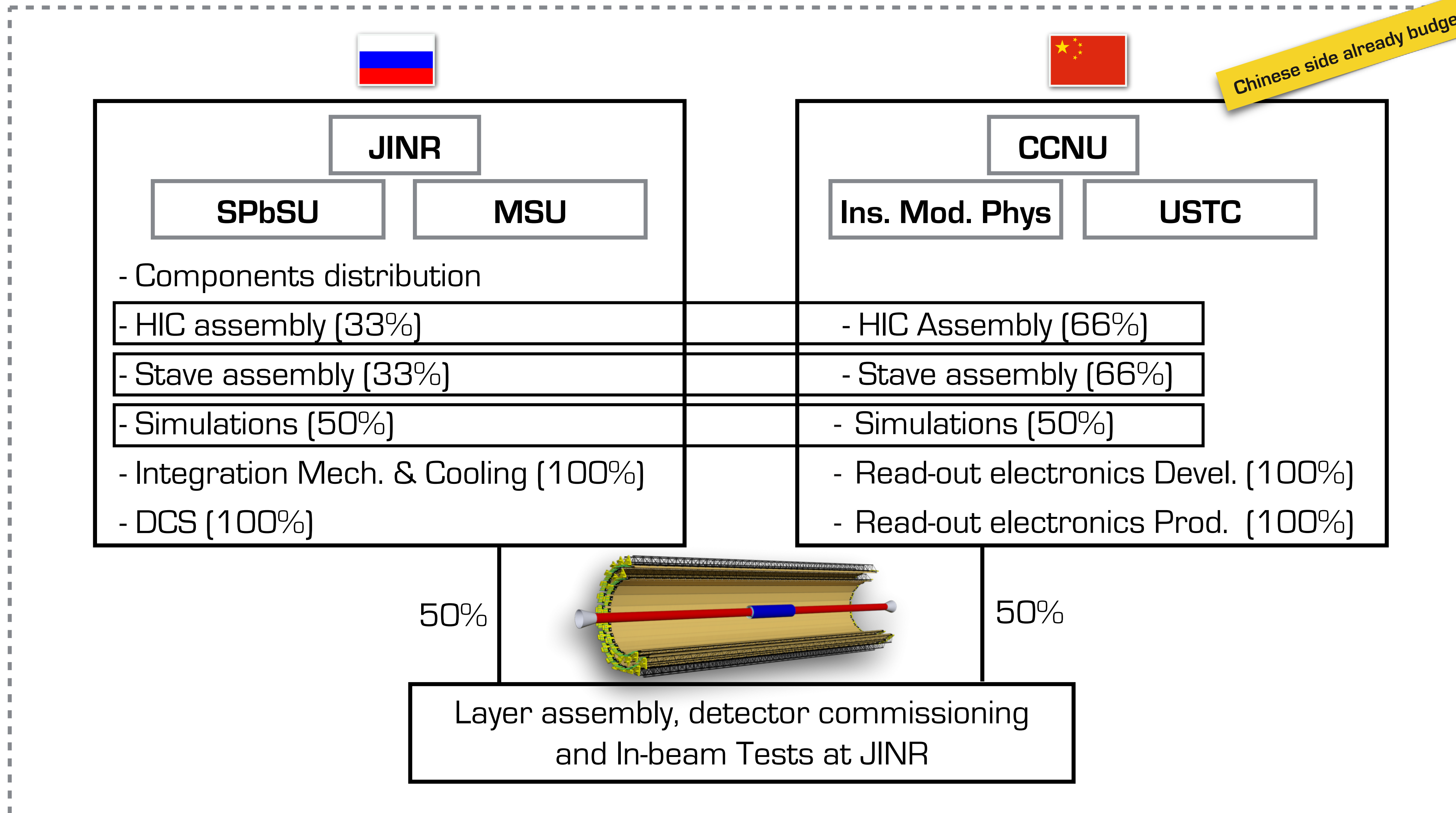


**9 Sensors**

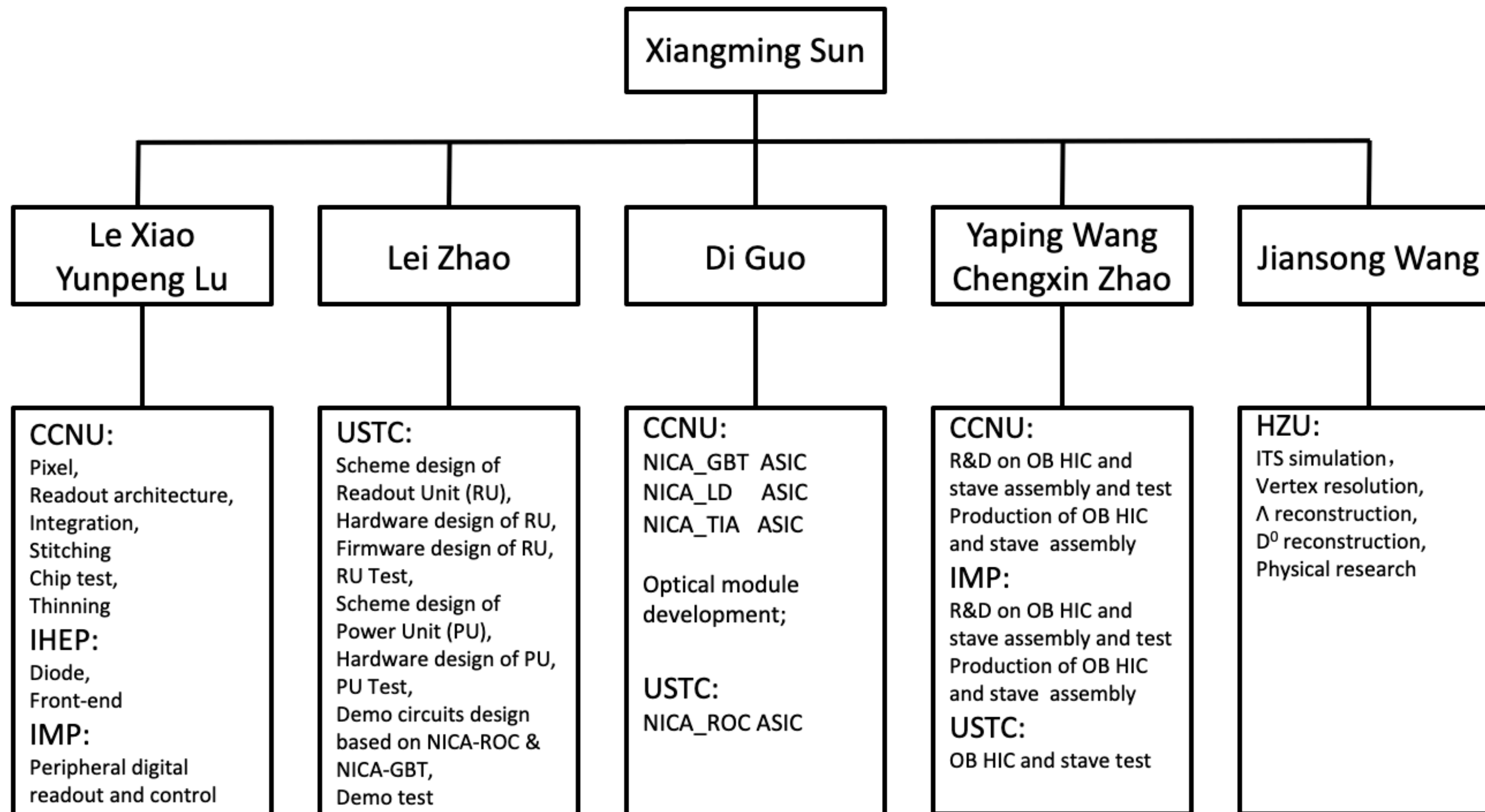


## CERN supervision

Chinese side already budgeted for 4 years



## Chinese Working Group - Lead by Nu Xu



- **Bring the state of the art MAPS technology for trackers to JINR**
  - ✓ High precision assembly and testing
  - ✓ Automated management system at LIT
  - ✓ Trained staff personnel
- **Setting up a lamination workshop for carbon fiber structures**
  - ✓ In-house production of mechanical parts with high precision
  - ✓ Possibility of implementing customized solutions
  - ✓ Trained staff personnel
- **Establishing a solid collaboration**
  - ✓ International (Chinese Institutions, CERN, INFN)
  - ✓ National (SPbSU, MSU)
  - ✓ Interlaboratories (LIT, FLNP)

**Requires a lot of resource investment (money and time) on infrastructure, personnel training and overcoming the difficulties for keeping up with the world-level cutting edge technology.**

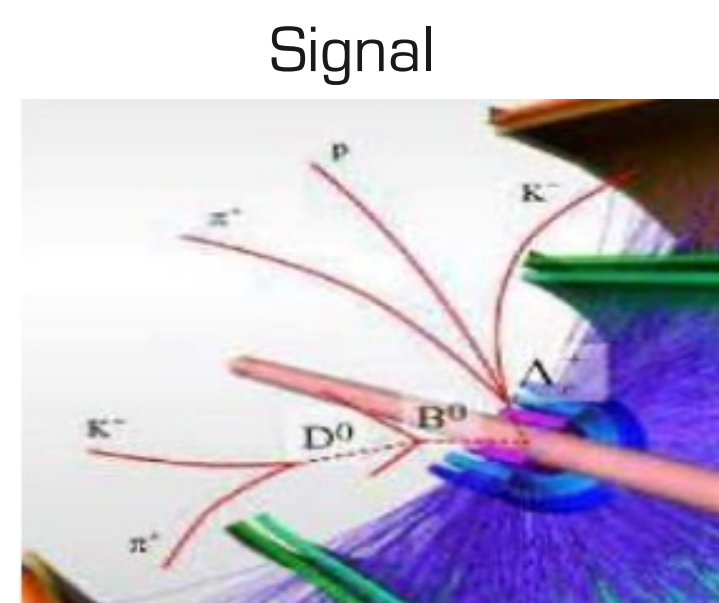
**Provides the opportunity to JINR of establishing itself in the front line of the MAPS-based tracker technology which is foreseen to become the new standard for fundamental and applied research.**

## Current Work Packages

Work Package	Status
1. Simulations	Active
2. Inner Barrel HIC	Low Profile
3. Outer Barrel HIC	Active
4. Outer Barrel Staves	Low Profile
5. Mechanics & Cooling Design	Active
6. Mechanics & Cooling Production	Active
7. Read-out and Electronics Devel.	Active
8. Read-out Electronics Prod.	On hold
9. DCS	Active
10. In-beam Tests	On hold
11. Services	Active

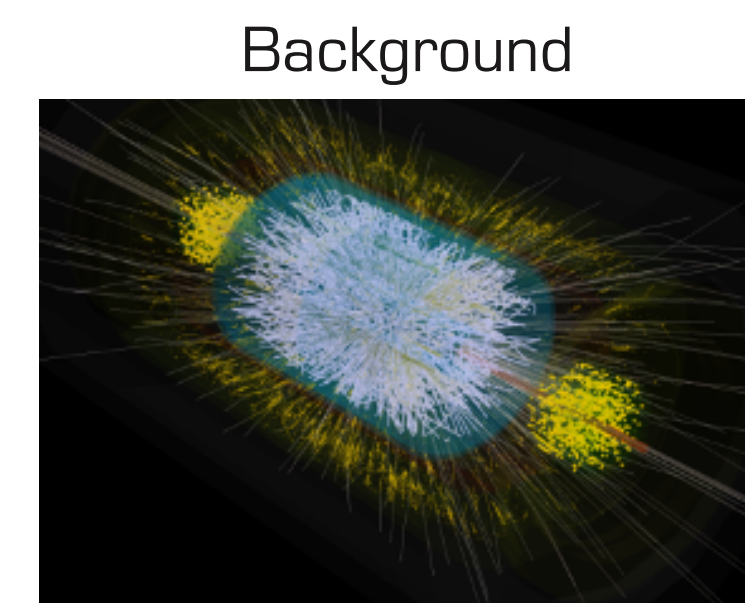
## Overview on the work done by the “Active” and “Low profile” WPs

**Goal:** To assess the identification ability of the MPD tracking system (**ITS + TPC**) for the reconstruction of the decays of strange ( $\Lambda^-$ ,  $\Xi^-$ , and  $\Omega^-$ -hyperons) and charmed ( $D^0$ - and  $D^+$ -mesons) particles produced in central Au + Au collisions at  $\sqrt{s_{NN}} = 9$  GeV.



Thermal Generator tuned to the energy range of NICA collider.

## MpdRoot



QGSM event generator.

The decay channels of strange and charmed particles used for their reconstruction in the MPD tracking system.

Hadron	Mass (MeV/cm <sup>2</sup> )	Average path length $c\tau$ (mm)	Decay channel	BR (%)
$\Lambda$	$1115.68 \pm 0.01$	78.9	$\pi^- + p$	63.9
$\Xi^-$	$1321.71 \pm 0.07$	49.1	$\pi^- + \Lambda^0$	99.9
$\Omega^-$	$1672.45 \pm 0.29$	24.6	$K^- + \Lambda^0$	67.8
$D^+$	$1869.62 \pm 0.20$	0.312	$\pi^+ + \pi^+ + K^-$	9.13
$D^0$	$1864.84 \pm 0.17$	0.123	$\pi^+ + K^-$	3.89



## TPC + 2 layers ITS OB, beam pipe diameter 64 mm (TPC+ITS-2-64)

Reconstructed particles:  $\Lambda$ ,  $\Xi$ , and  $\Omega$

Track Reconstruction Method: Kalman filter (KF).

Signal selection criteria: Cuts<sup>(\*)</sup> on the topology of the decay of the short-lived particles (TC):

**dca** [tracks of decay products, primary vertex of interaction].

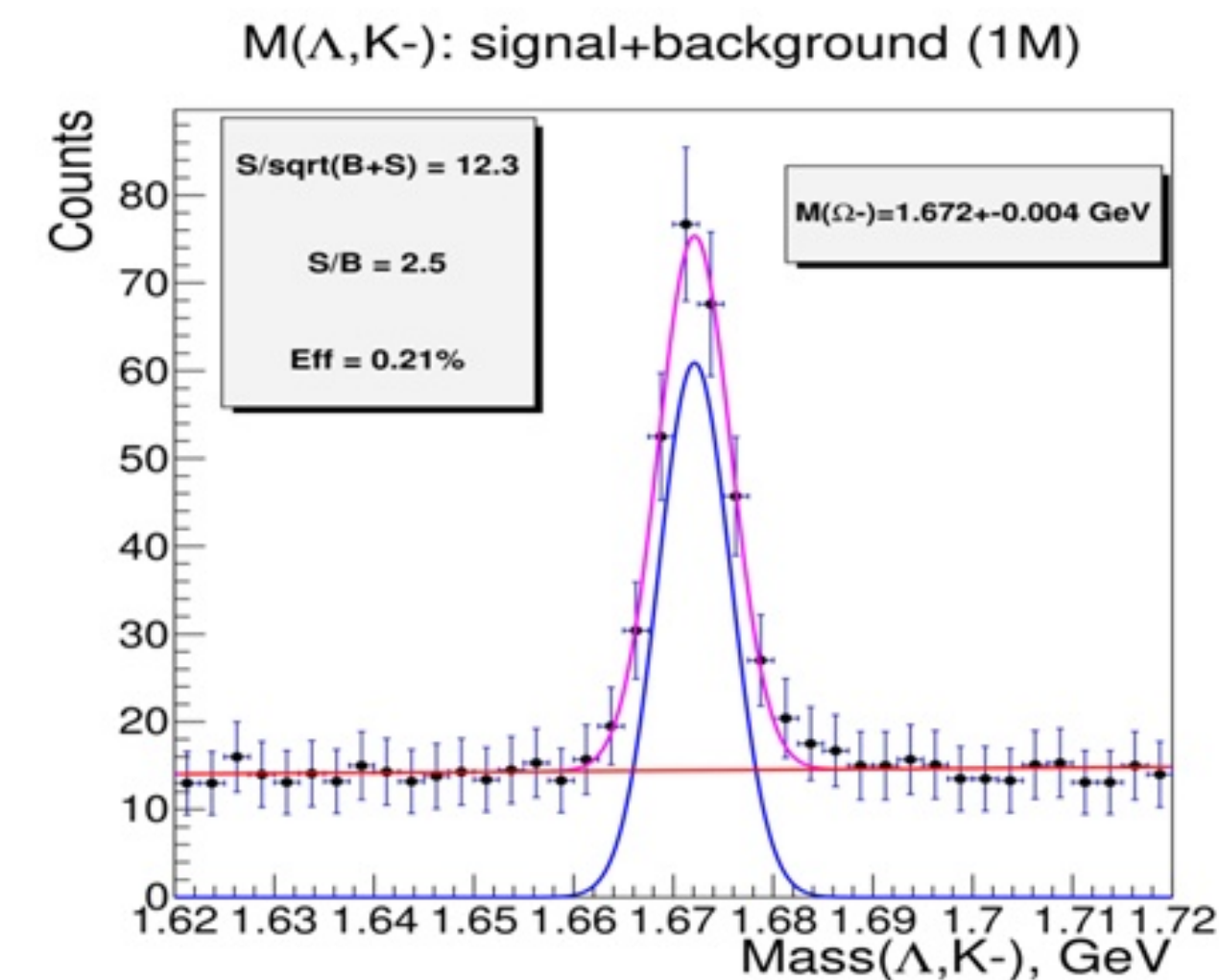
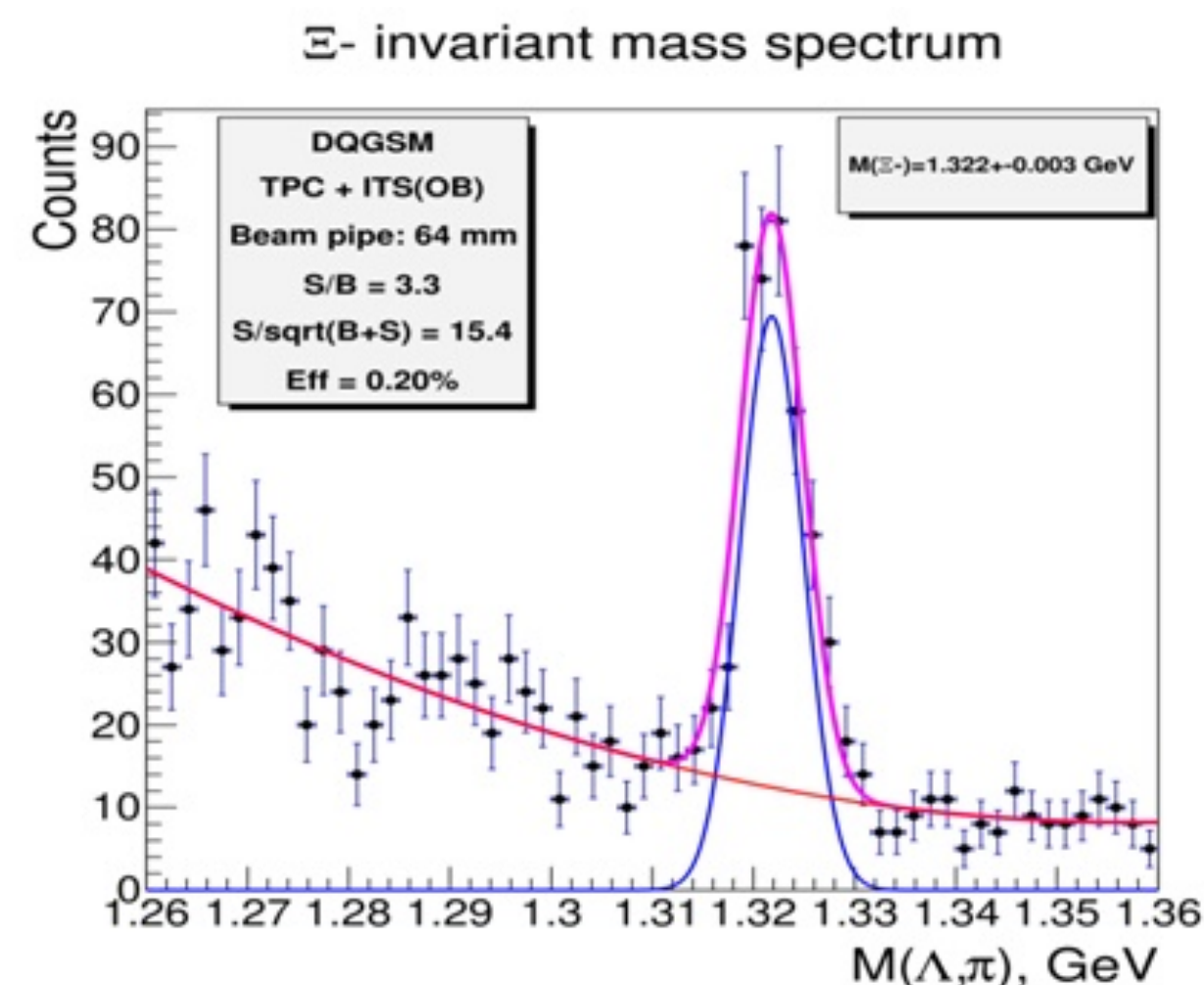
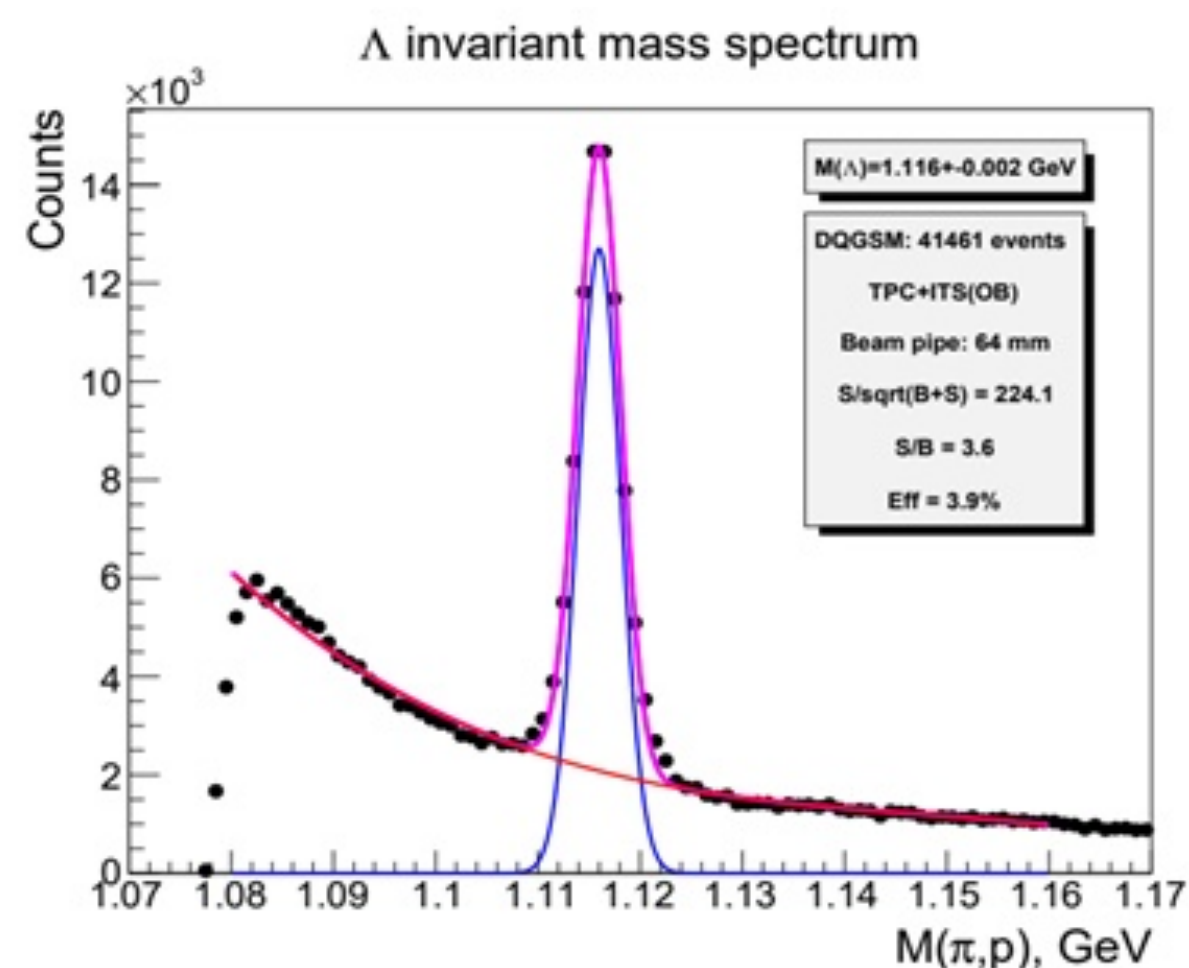
**distance** [between tracks of daughter particles] @ vertex of the decay of the parent particle.

**path** length of the parent particle [point of its formation, decay point].

**angle** [vector connecting the primary and secondary vertex, vector of the reconstructed momentum of the parent particle].

(\*)cut-off level for the specified selection parameters is based on the maximum value of the significance function  $Sg(C_i)$  for each parameter  $C_i$

MPD Initial Stage



Signal extraction efficiency of 0.2 % is enough for assessing identification ability at debugging stage

## TPC+ITS-5-64 vs TPC+ITS-5-40

**Reconstructed particles:** Multistrange and Charmed particles

**Track Reconstruction Method:** Kalman filter (KF).

**Signal selection criteria:** TC & MVA(\*)

[\*]  $V^N \rightarrow R$  (classifier response) @ training phase, BSD (boosted decision tree classifier) @ analysis phase using the same topological parameters from TC

After MPD LS-1

Particle	$\Xi^-$		$\Omega^-$		$D^+$		$D^+$	
Reconstruction method	TC		TC		TC		MVA	
Number of events	$10^5$		$10^5$		$10^8$		$10^8$	
Beam pipe diameter [mm]	40	64	40	64	40	64	40	64
Efficiency [%]	1.3	1.2	0.7	0.6	0.5	0.04	1.0	0.06
Significance ( $S/\sqrt{S+B}$ )	43.4	42.5	3.7	3.5	7.0	0.9	10.5	0.9

**TPC+ITS-5-40:** Provides reliable detection with an efficiency of about 1 % for both multistrange and charmed particles.

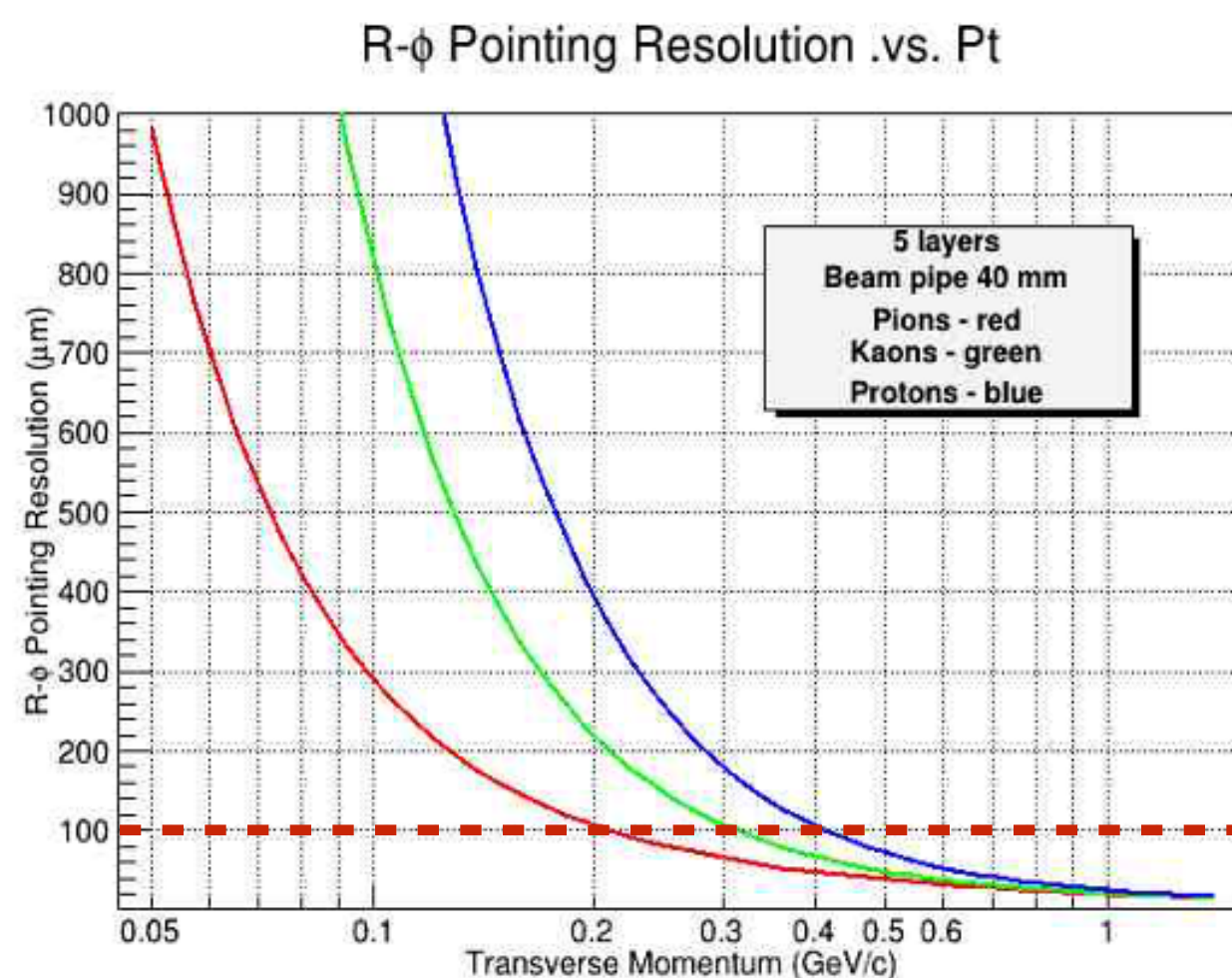
**TPC+ITS-5-64:**

- the efficiency of reconstruction of hyperons decreases by 10%.
- for D-mesons the efficiency of their reconstruction decreases by an order of magnitude.

The study of the physics of heavy-flavour on nucleus-nucleus collisions @ NICA-MPD seems to be promising assuming the beam pipe diameter will be reduced to an optimum value of 40 mm.

## Detection of D-mesons in central Au+Au collisions with the vertex detector TPC+ITS-5-40

Particle	Mass [MeV/c <sup>2</sup> ]	Mean path CT [mm]	Decay channel	BR	Multiplicity
D <sup>0</sup>	1864.8	0.123	$\pi^+ + K^-$	3.89%	10 <sup>-2</sup>
D <sup>+</sup>	1869.6	0.312	$\pi^+ + \pi^+ + K^-$	9.13%	10 <sup>-2</sup>



**TPC+ITS-5-40** pointing resolution<sup>(\*)</sup> of at least **100 μm** allows a decay vertex reconstruction of D<sup>0</sup> mesons p<sub>T</sub> down to **500 MeV/c**.

Signal  
 Generator: **TG**  
 Statistics: **1M** decays

Background  
 Generator: **QGSM**  
 Statistics: **100K** events

**Two methods were used for track reconstruction:**

- 1) Method of Kalman filter (**KF**)
- 2) Method of vector finder (**VF**)

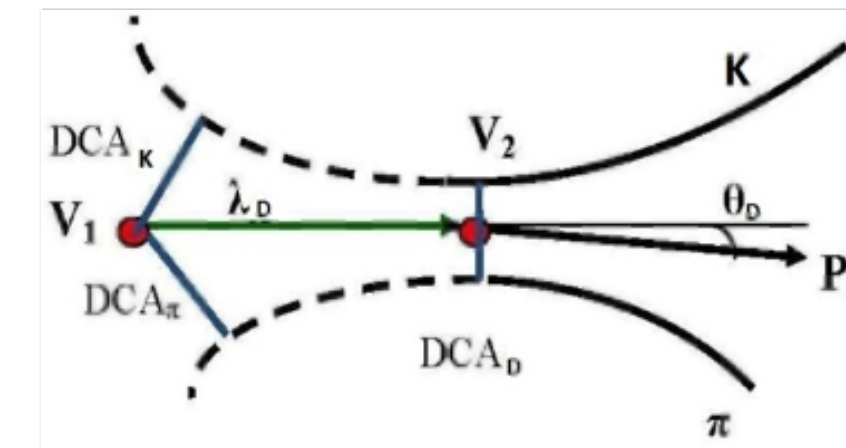
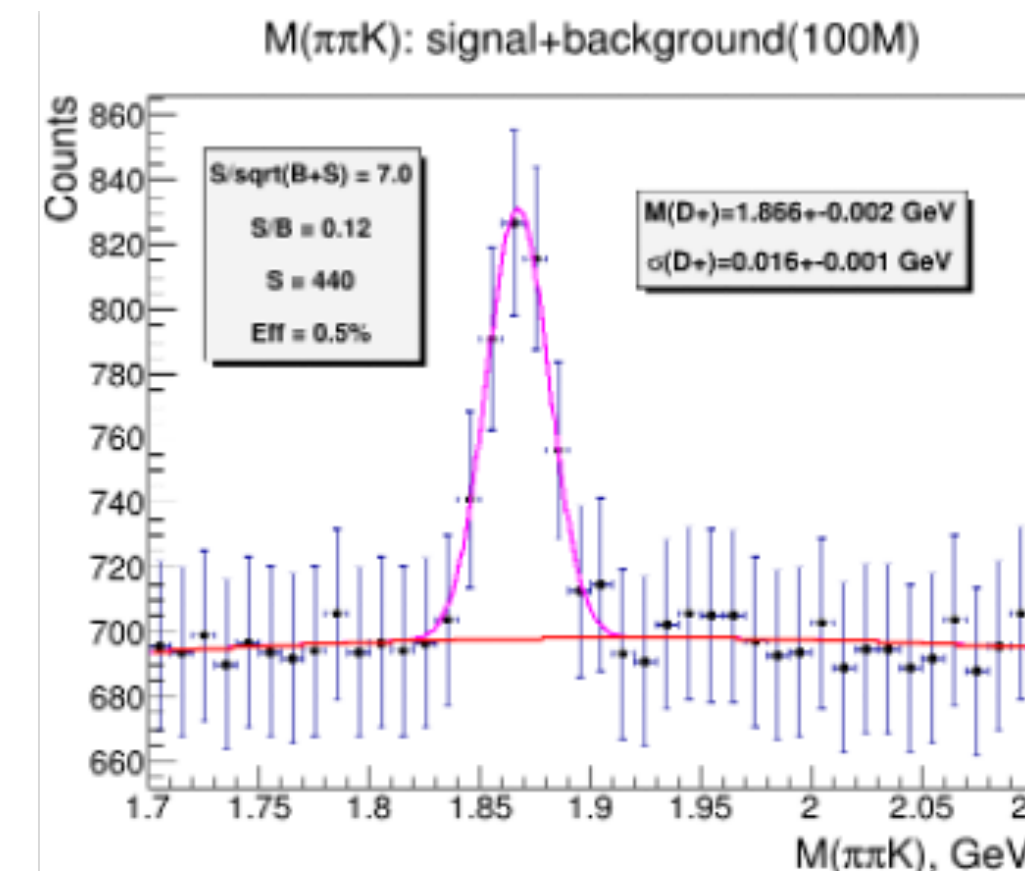
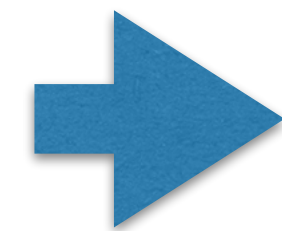
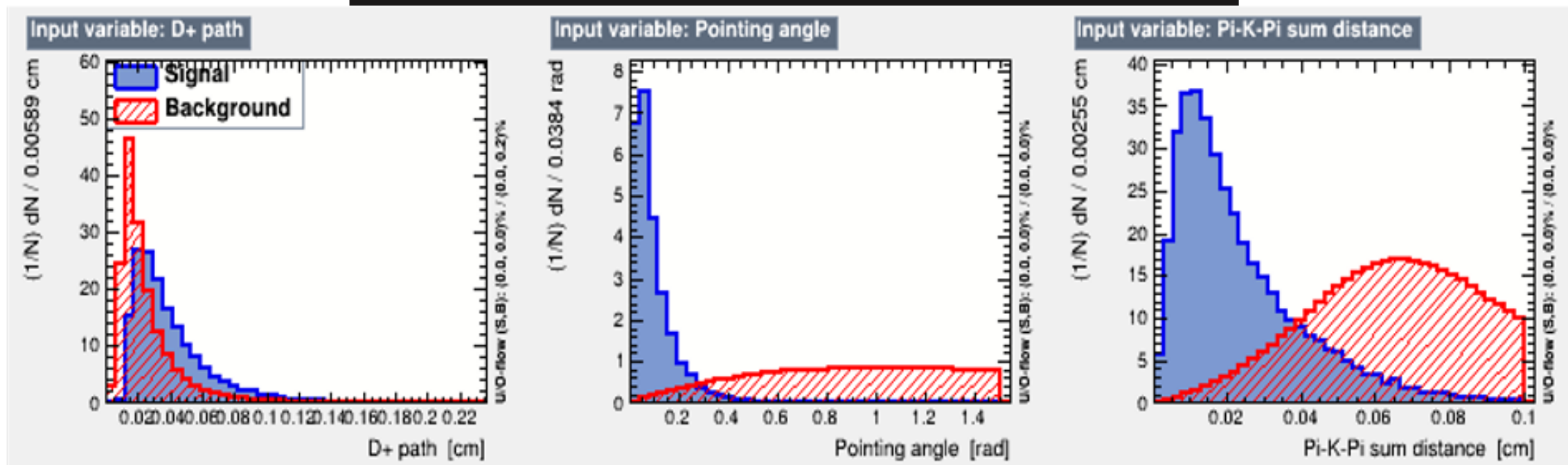
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- 1) Method of topological cuts (**TC**)
- 2) Method of multivariate data analysis (**MVA**)

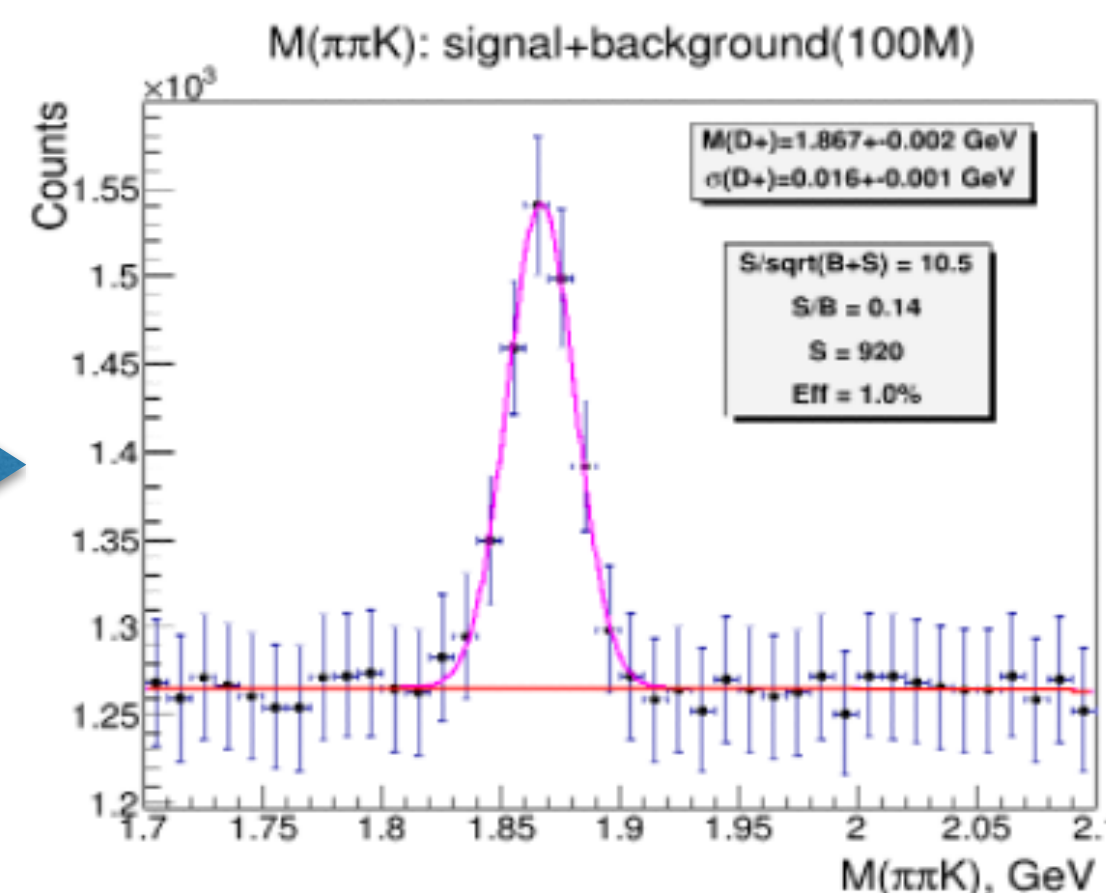
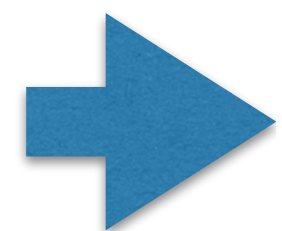
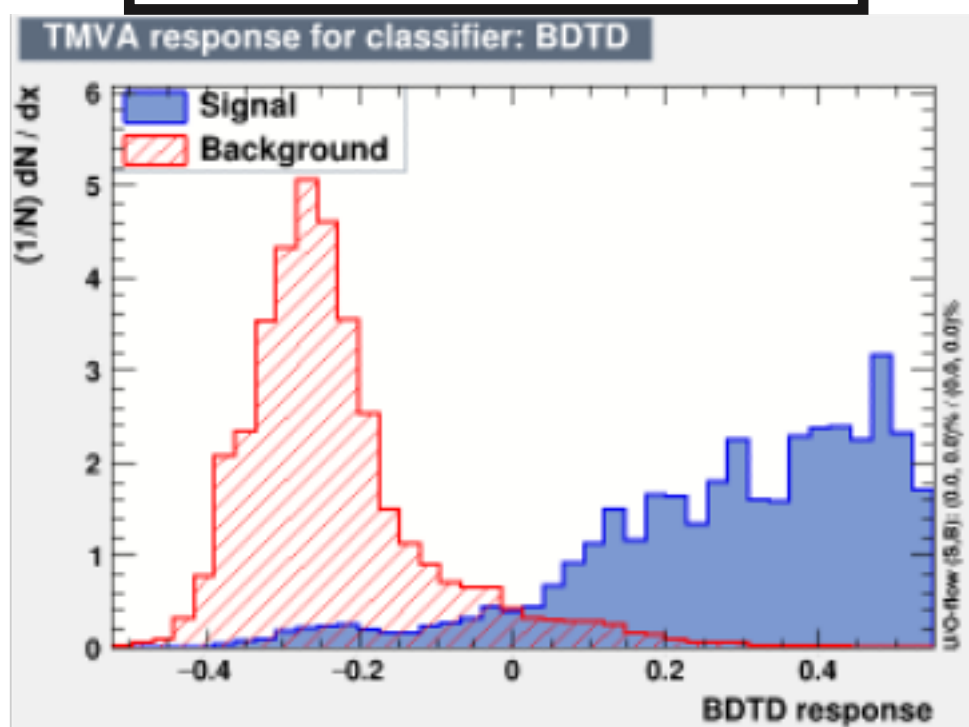
<sup>(\*)</sup>The pointing resolution of the vertex detector is defined as the r.m.s value of the closest approach distance of the reconstructed particle track to the vertex.

## D<sup>+</sup> and D<sup>0</sup> reconstruction using KF

**TC:**  $dca(\pi)$ ,  $dca(K)$ ,  $dca(\pi K)$ ,  $\lambda(D)$ ,  $\theta(D)$  cuts



**MVA:** BDT classifier cuts



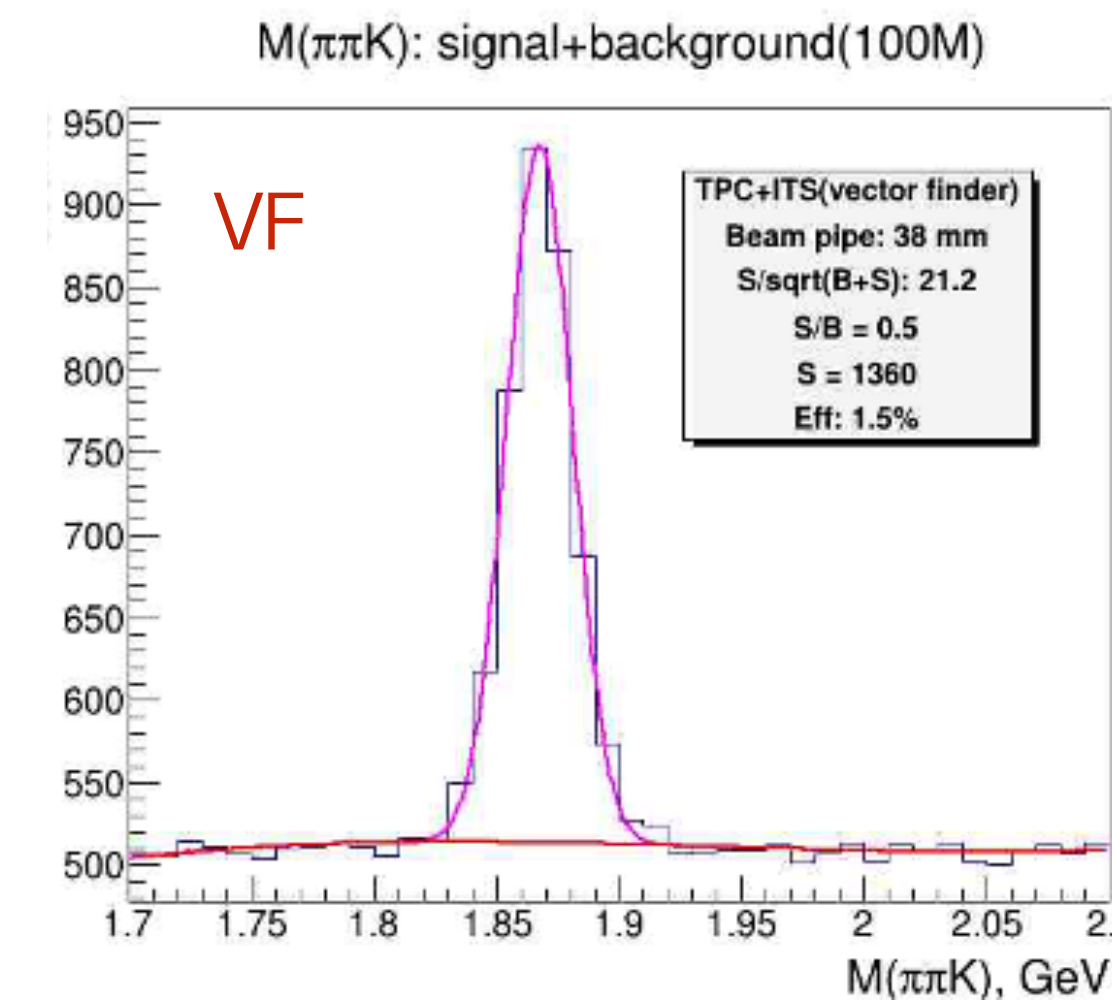
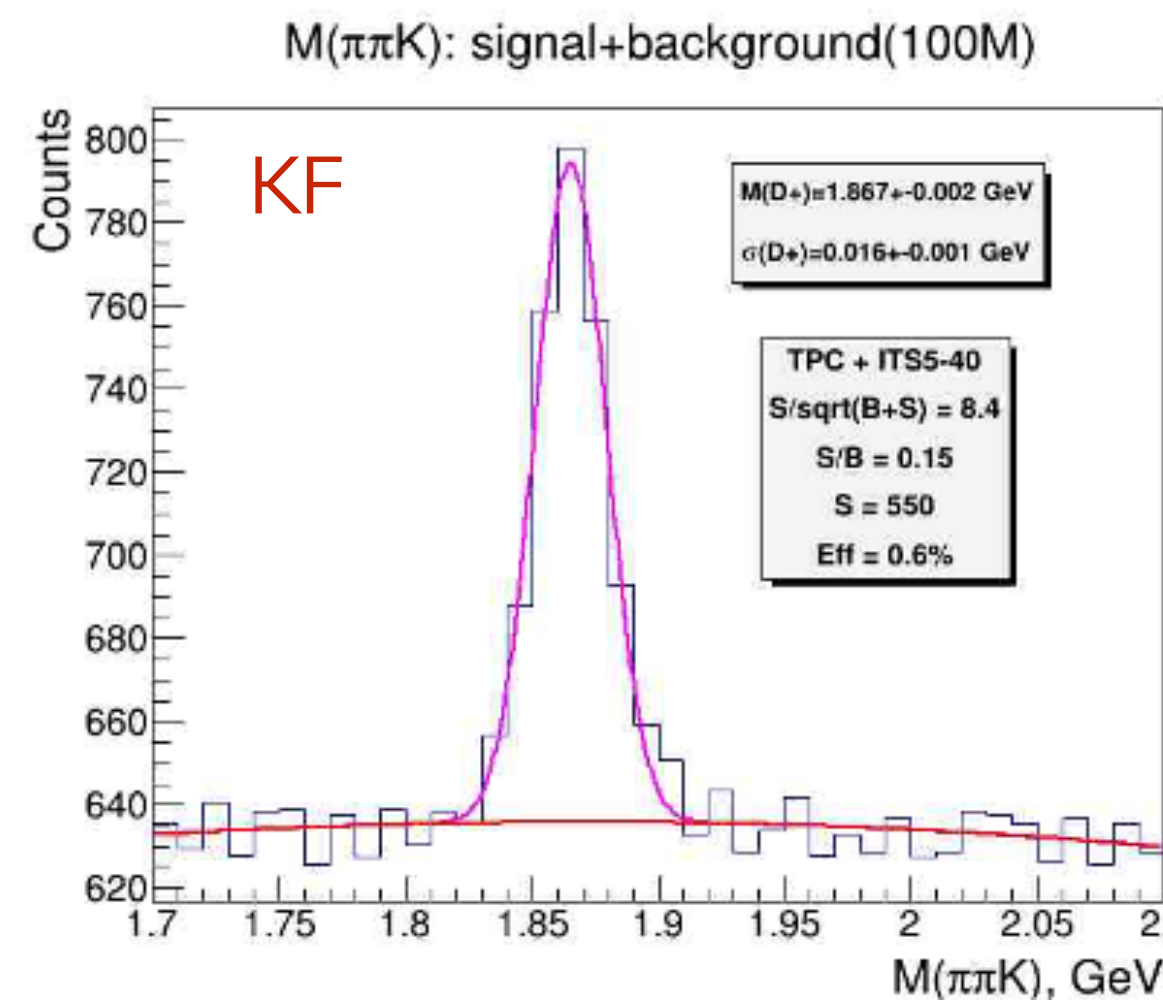
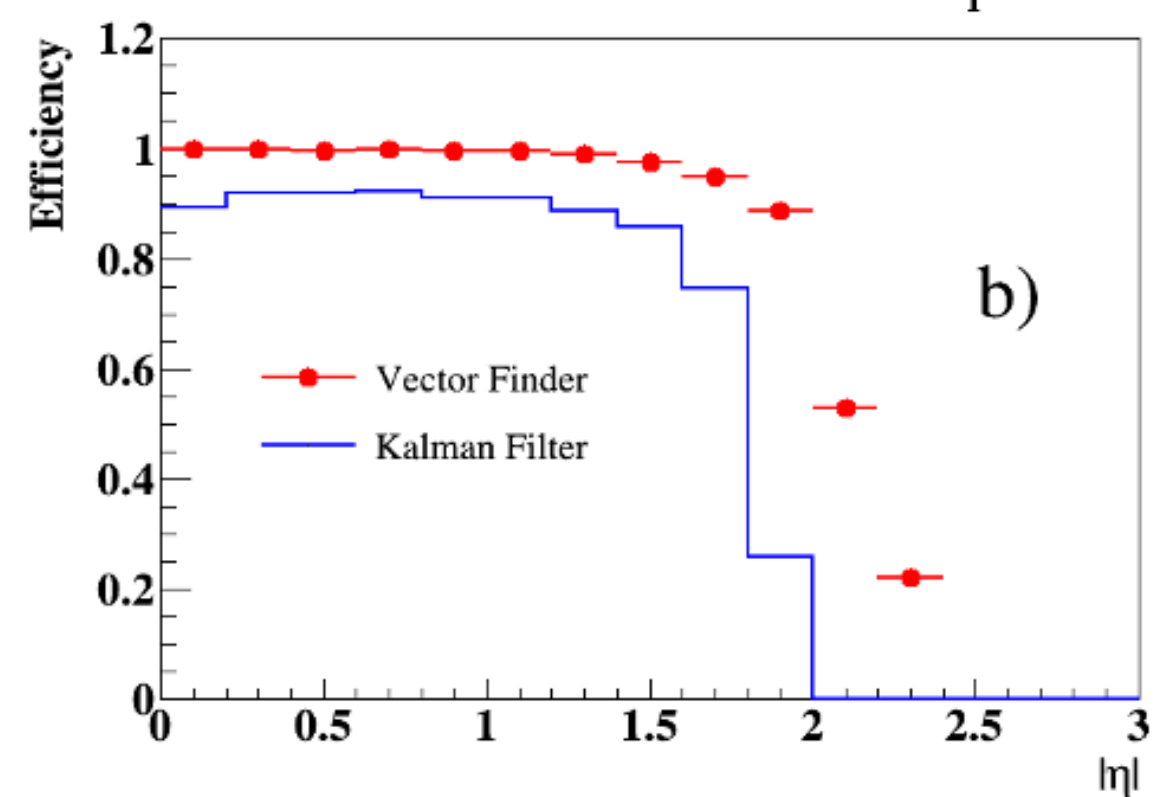
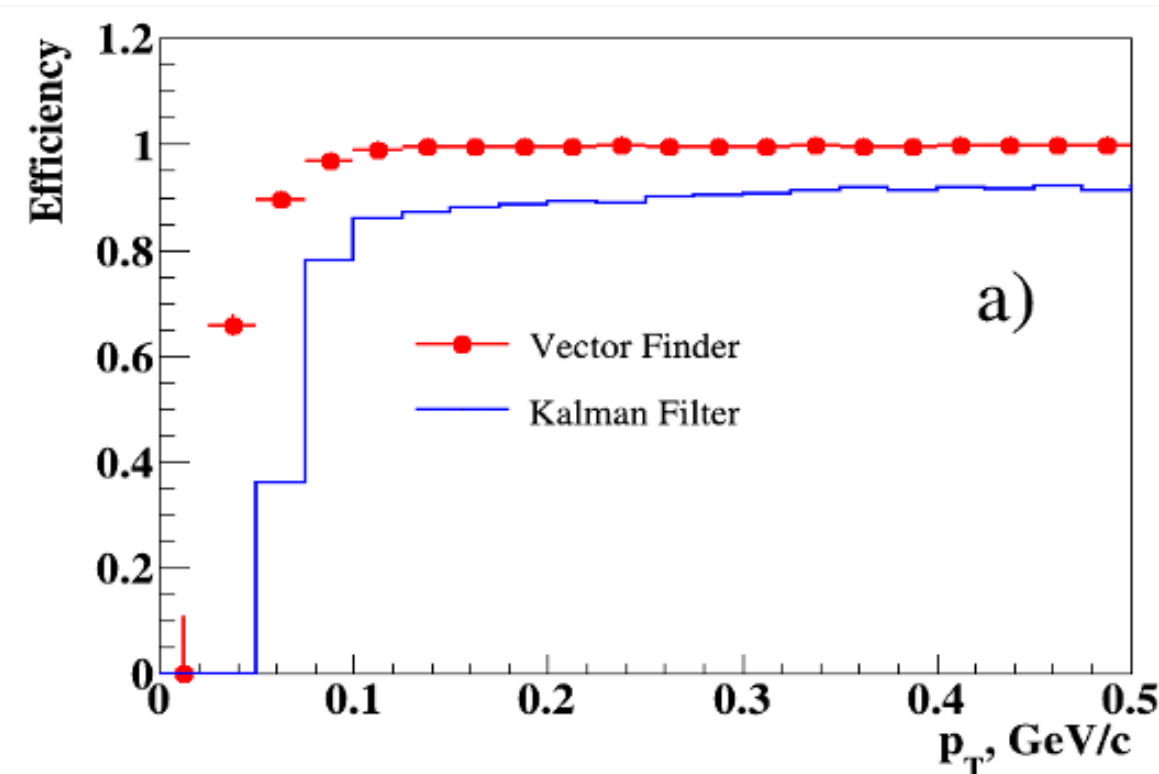
Particle	D <sup>0</sup>		D <sup>+</sup>	
	TC	MVA	TC	MVA
Method	TC	MVA	TC	MVA
Efficiency, %	0.80	0.85	0.50	1.0
Significance	5.3	5.5	7.0	10.5
S/B(2 $\sigma$ ) ratio	0.10	0.10	0.12	0.14

Using the topological cuts allows to reconstruct D<sup>0</sup> and D<sup>+</sup> decays with an efficiency of 0.8% and 0.5% respectively. Using the optimal BDT cut allows to reconstruct D<sup>0</sup> and D<sup>+</sup> with an efficiency of 0.85% and 1.0% respectively.

A. I. Zinchenko, S. N. Igolkin, V. P. Kondratiev & Yu. A. Murin "NICA-MPD Vertex Tracking Detector Identification Capability for Reconstructing Strange and Charmed Particle Decays". *Physics of Particles and Nuclei Letters*, volume 17, pages 856–870 (2020)

## D<sup>+</sup> reconstruction using KF and VF methods: comparison

**Vector Finder (VF) vs Kalman Filter (KF) efficiency comparison (by A. Zinchenko)**



ITS-5-40	S	S/B	$\frac{S}{\sqrt{S+B}}$	Eff [%]
VF	550	0.15	8.4	0.60
KF	1360	0.50	21.1	1.50

Using VF mechanism allows to reconstruct D<sup>+</sup> with an efficiency 2.5 times higher and with higher level of significance compared to KF technique.

Next steps: Studying the reconstruction of D<sup>0</sup> and D<sup>+</sup>s using VF.

► Contact has been established with ALICE-ITS3 for participating on:

► Mechanics

- Study of the radiation damage induced by fast neutrons on the carbon foams spacers irradiated at JINR's IBR-2 (more on next slide)

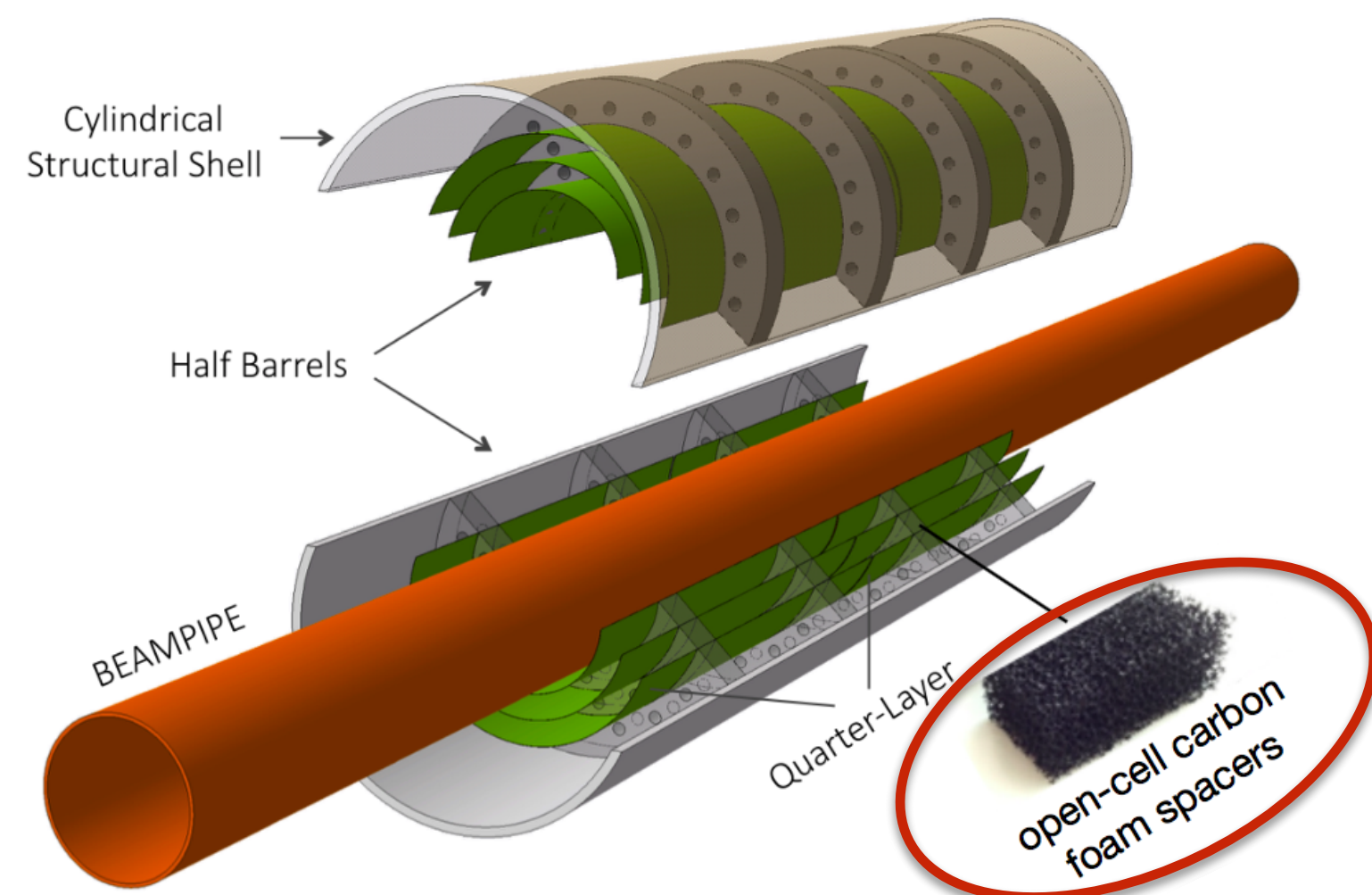
► Simulations

- Collaborate on the physics simulations for the large-area bent MAPS for the implementation of Hit and Cluster generations

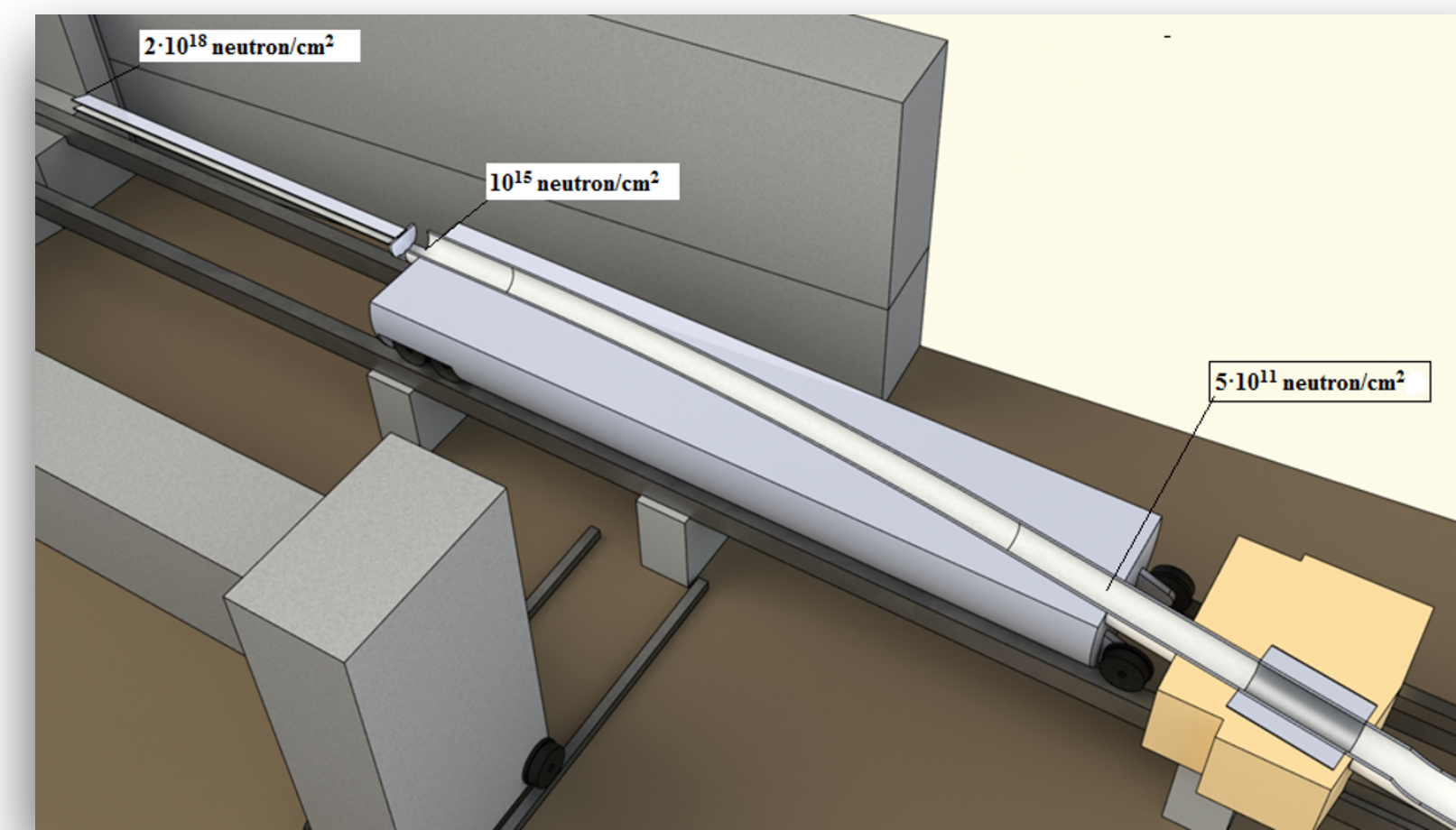
► In-beam tests

- Conducting in-beam tests on large-area bent MAPS at JINR using 200 MeV electrons.

## Mechanics



## FLNP's IBR-2 irradiation positions



Taking advantage of JINR's diversity

The type of samples to be tested for radiation damage divided into three categories:

- Carbon Foams
- Glues
- Subassembly structures

Three types of carbon foams are proposed:

- ERG (novel material for whom little information is available)
- AllComp LD
- AllComp HD

For the AllComp there has been previous studies about radiation damage that may be used as reference for the current studies to be performed.

Sample: Carbon Foam, Carbon Foam with carbon fleece impregnated on it and glued

Sample Provision (& related Info): CERN

Experiment

Simulations

Sample Irradiation at JINR's IBR-2

Sample measurement pre/post irradiation

- Thermal conductivity tests
- Peeling tests
- Raman spectroscopy
- X-ray diffraction
- Neutron diffraction

**Neutrons**

**NICA**

MCNP

FLUKA

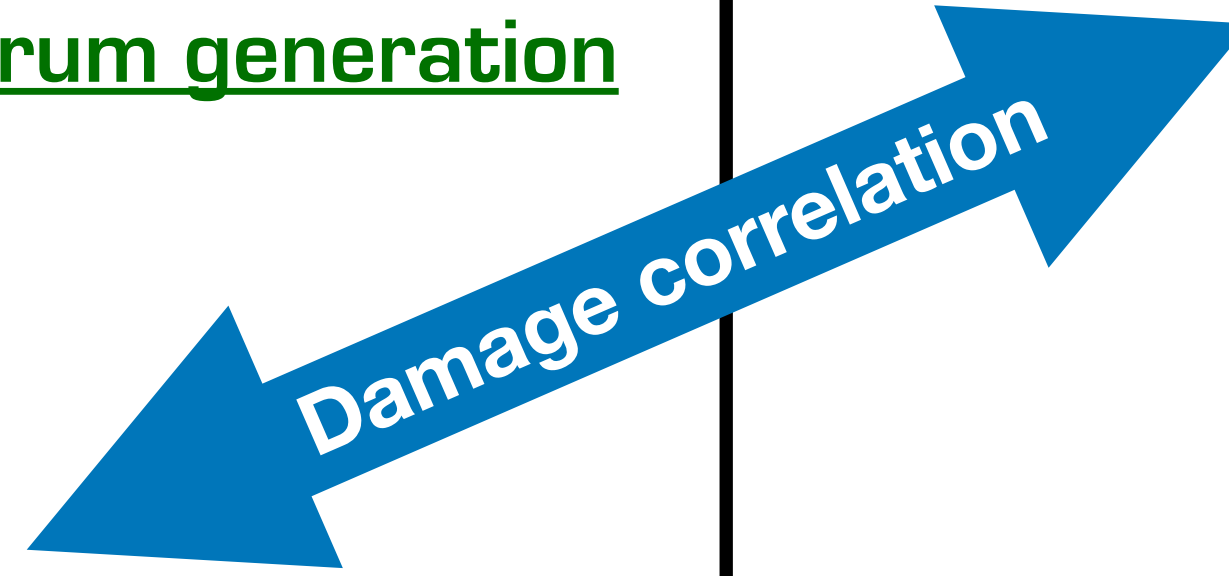
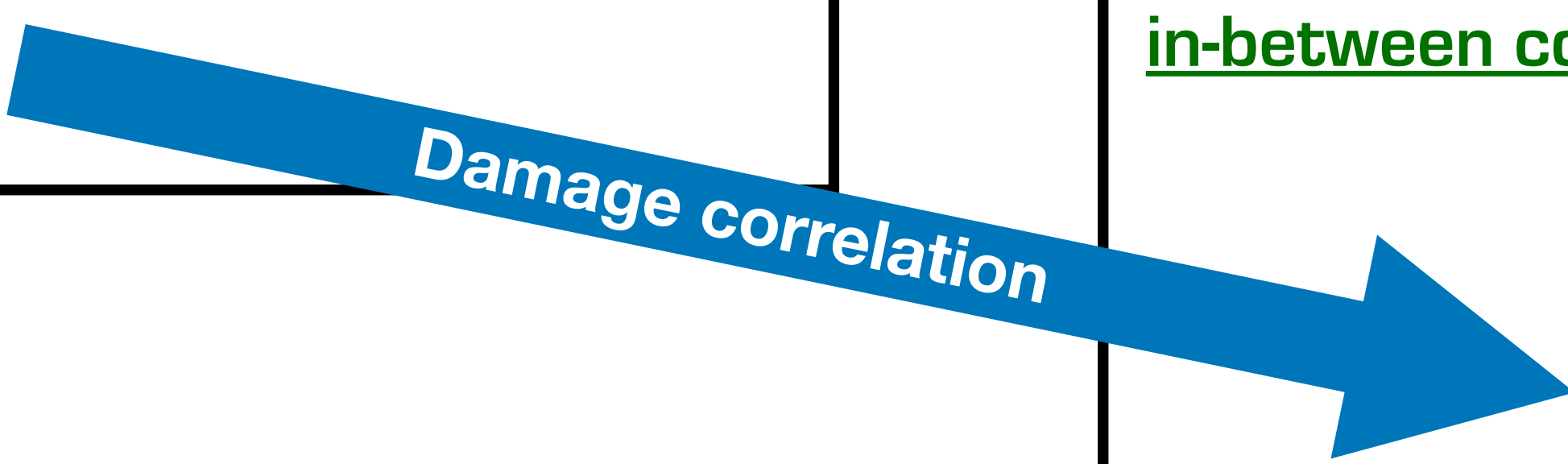
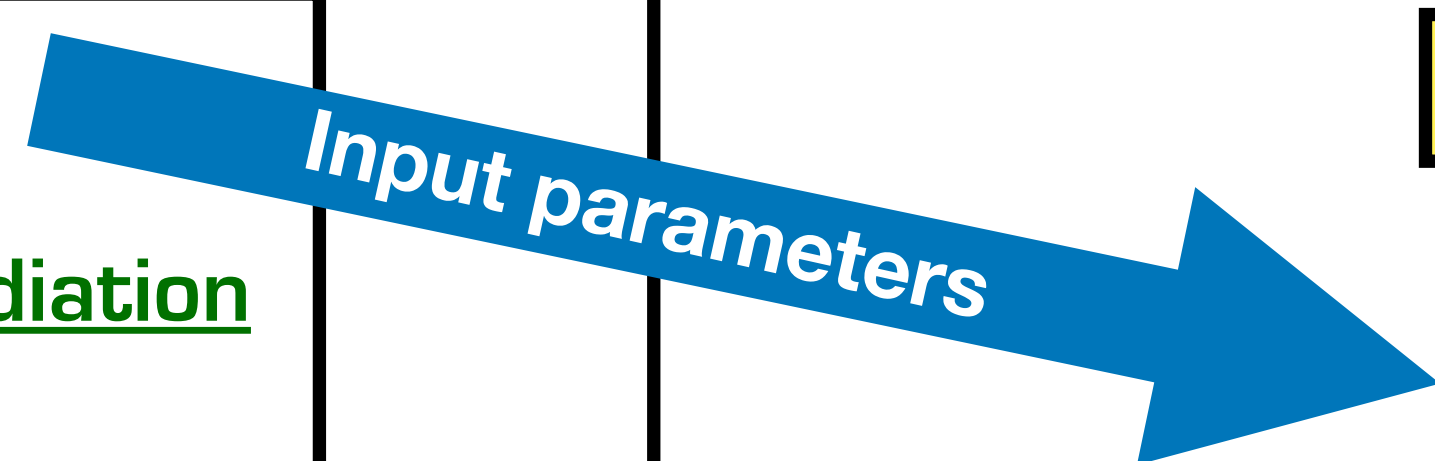
in-between code for PKA spectrum generation

DPA Spectrum

SRIM

DPA Spectrum

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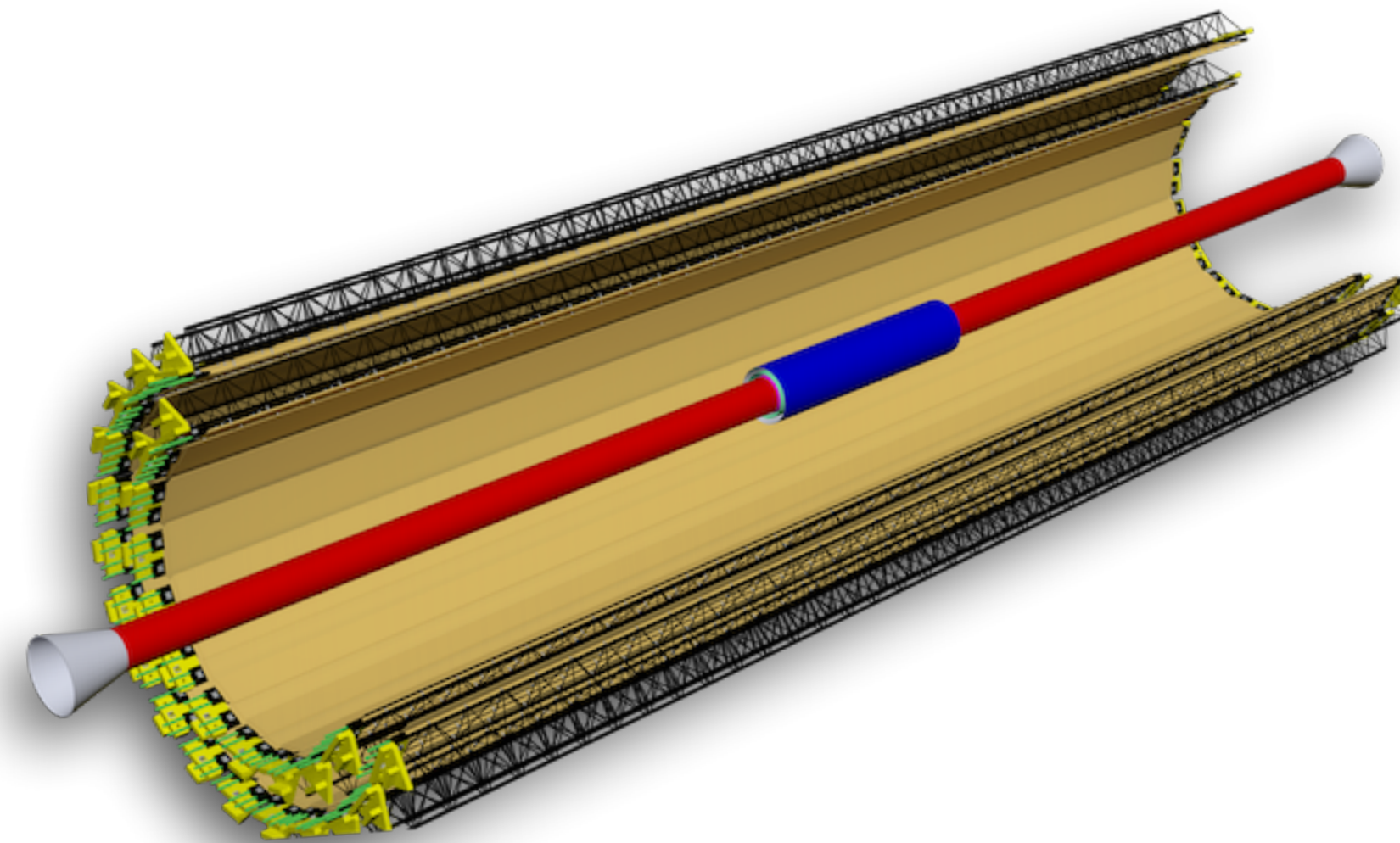




## Simulations

**Contact has been established with ALICE-ITS3 (M.Mager) for participating on the IB simulations:**

- First technical task has been established: “Implement an ITS3-like IB geometry for the MPD-ITS setup using the “realistic” pixel size from ALICE”
  - Pixel size = pixel Pitch = 15  $\mu\text{m}$ .
  - Sensor thickness: 30  $\mu\text{m}$ .



- Run the simulations for the entire setup IB+OB+TPC for three consecutive goals:
  - Hit generation.
  - Cluster generation.
  - Track reconstruction (Hyperons and D-mesons).

## WebApp

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Summary Info Settings Resources Organization Planning Construction Data Accounting Reports

Activities Components Raw Materials

### Activities: Test Project JINR 1

Total Records: 3

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API

## CmisWebAPI

The following operations are supported. For a formal definition, please review the [Service Description](#).

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- [ActivityChange](#)
- [ActivityComponentAssign](#)
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- [ActivityCreate](#)
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- [ActivityMemberRemove](#)
- [ActivityParameterChange](#)
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- [ActivityParameterRemove](#)
- [ActivityRead](#)
- [ActivityReadOne](#)
- [ActivityTypeRead](#)
- [ActivityTypeReadAll](#)
- [ActivityUriChange](#)
- [ActivityUriCreate](#)

### Construction Management information System:

- Oracle DB installed and configured at LIT
- Test and Production sites already deployed
- System tuning in progress

### Additionally

- A functional **BM@N** project started to implemented for:
  - Detector production/test data
  - Mechanical drawings
  - Technical documentation

It may host multiple projects independently (!)

► **ALPIDE PAD-Chips:**

- 20 wafers (46 chips each) and trays already received from CERN.
- 5 of them sent to CCNU for training.

► **FPC production:**

- First batch (399 pcs) Blank FPC produced by SwissPCB arrived at JINR.
- Metrology test performed by “Modus97” in Bologna, Italy (90% detector-grade yield).
- Cross-Cable Soldering and FPCs Test Stations ready.
- Second batch of 440 FPCs in the process of contract.

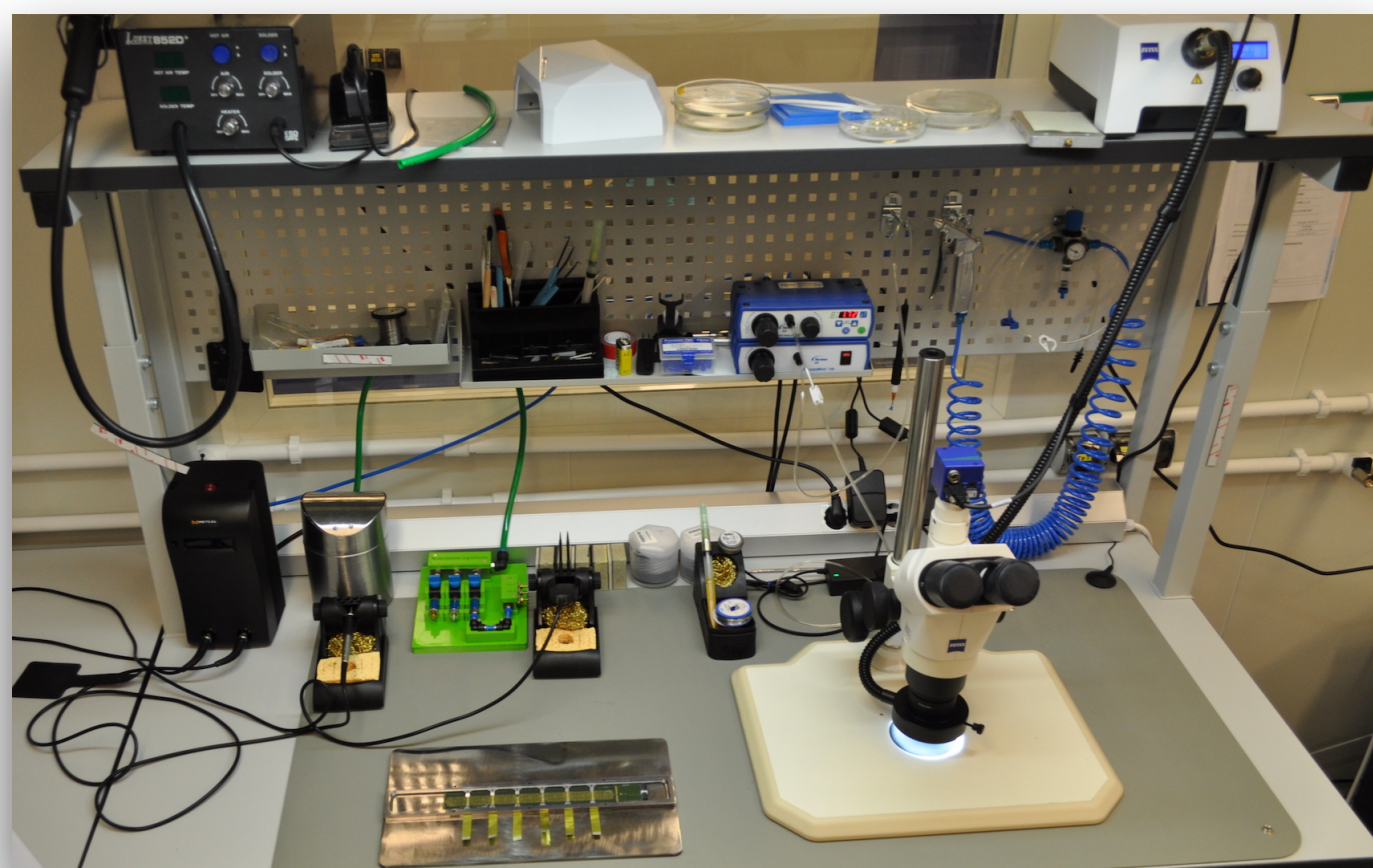
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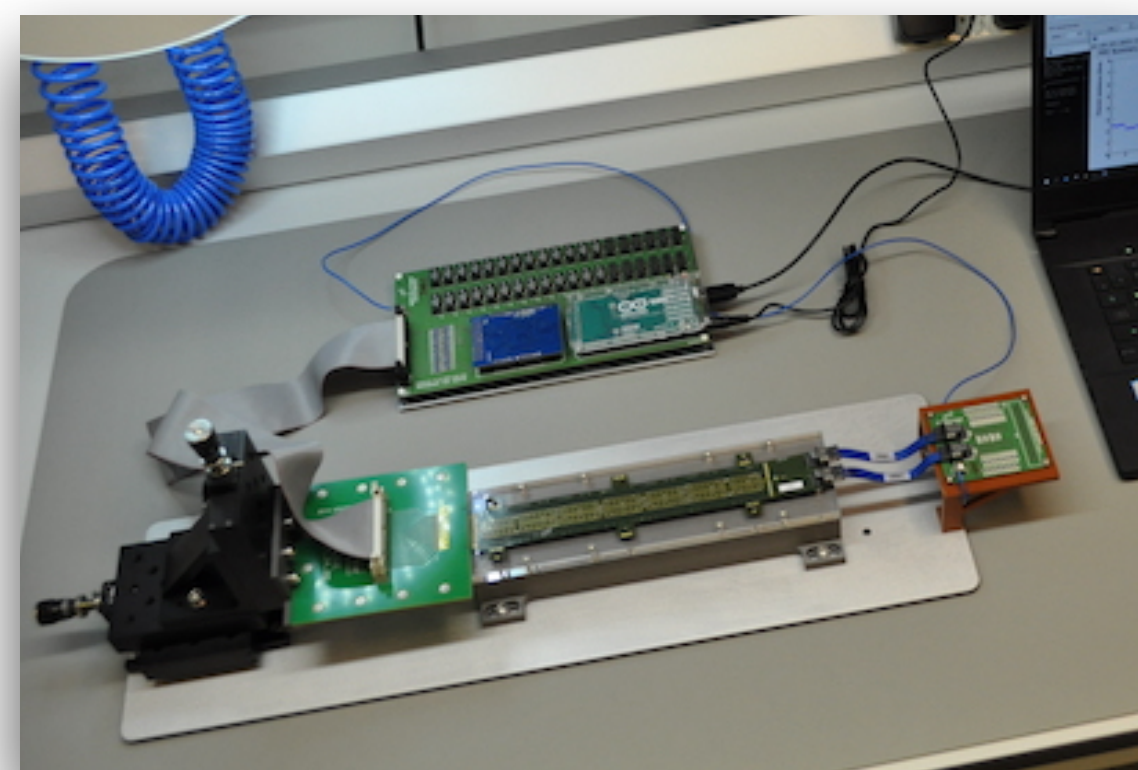
Blank FPCs



Cross-Cable Soldering station



FPC Electrical Test Station



► OBHIC production area being set up in the clean room ISO6.

ALICIA-8@CleanRoom

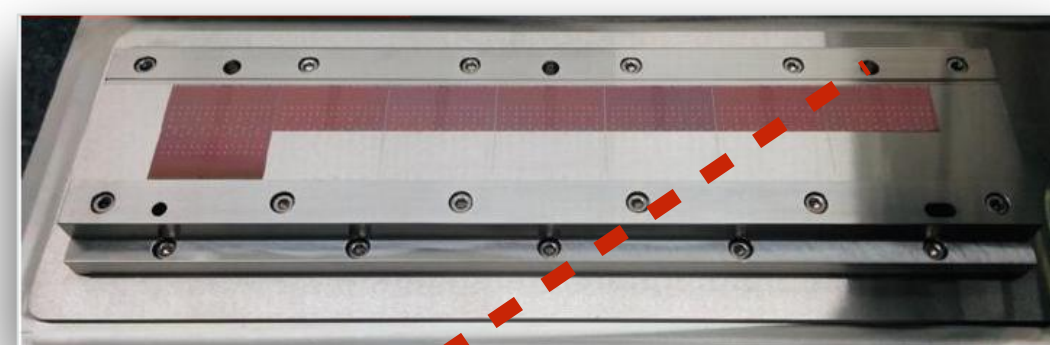
- To be reconfigured to OB



Ultrasonic bonding Chips - FPC

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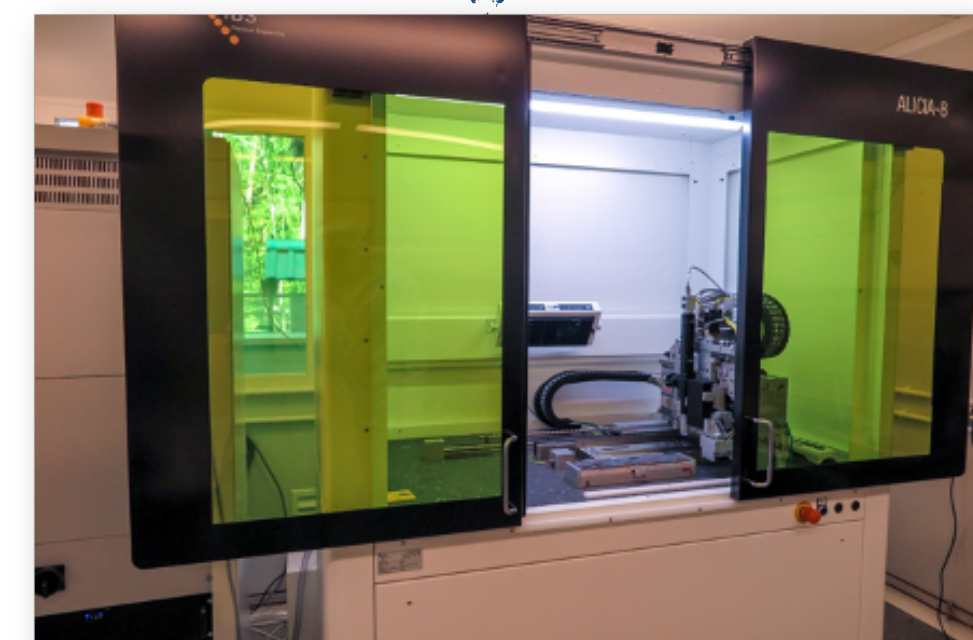
- A dedicated one to be bought



Chips alignment precision < 5µm.

AT ref. marker

Chip ref. marker





Carrier Plates (First batch)

Same technology as ALICE-ITS

HIC testing



Peel test station



Qualification and Endurance test boxes

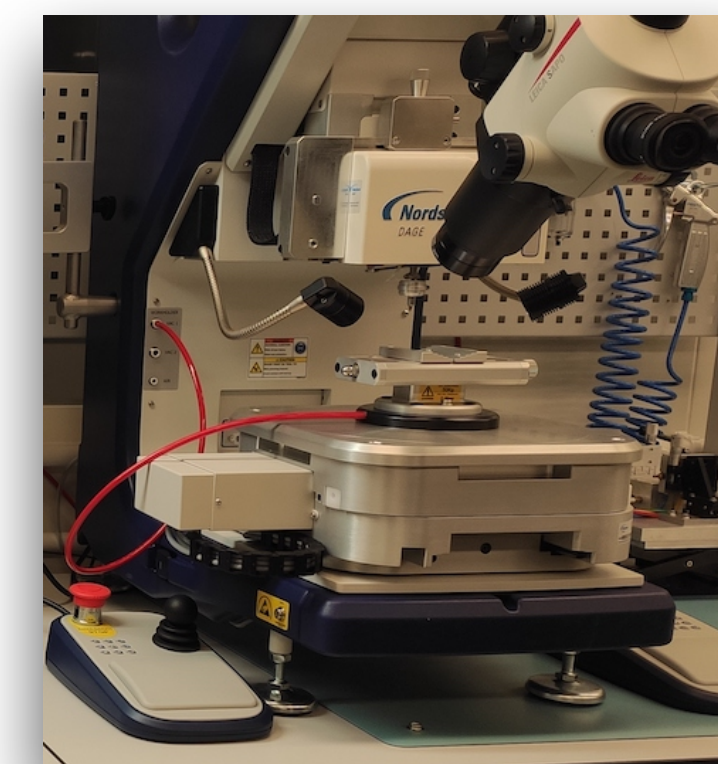


MOSAIC boards



Power boards (\*)

(\*) Power Boards BoB to be produced



Pull test station



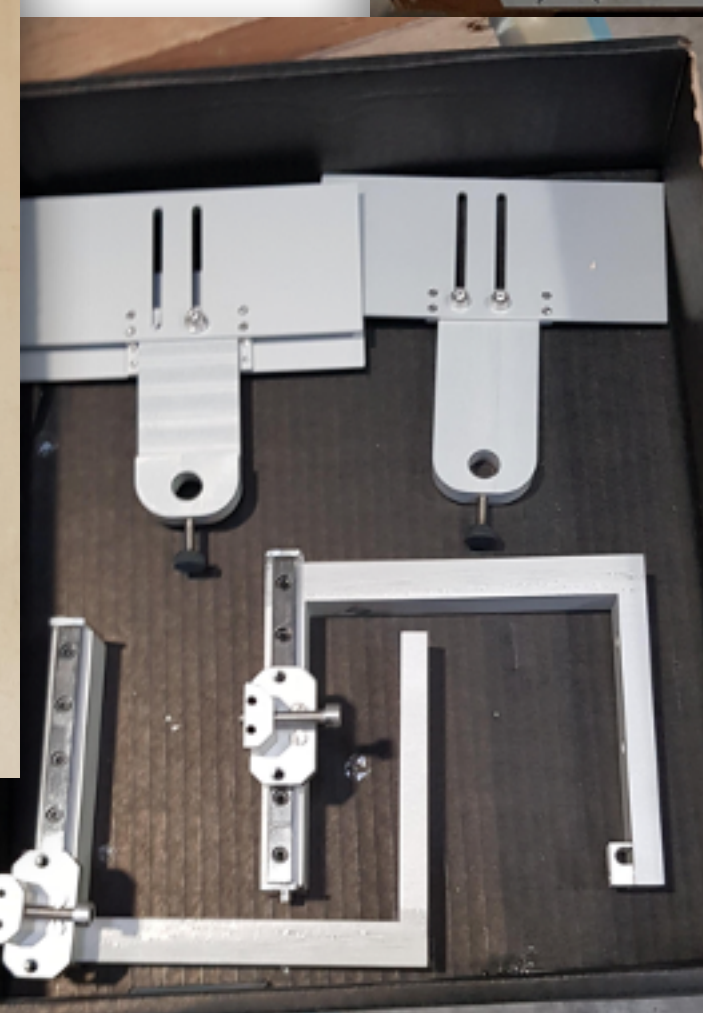
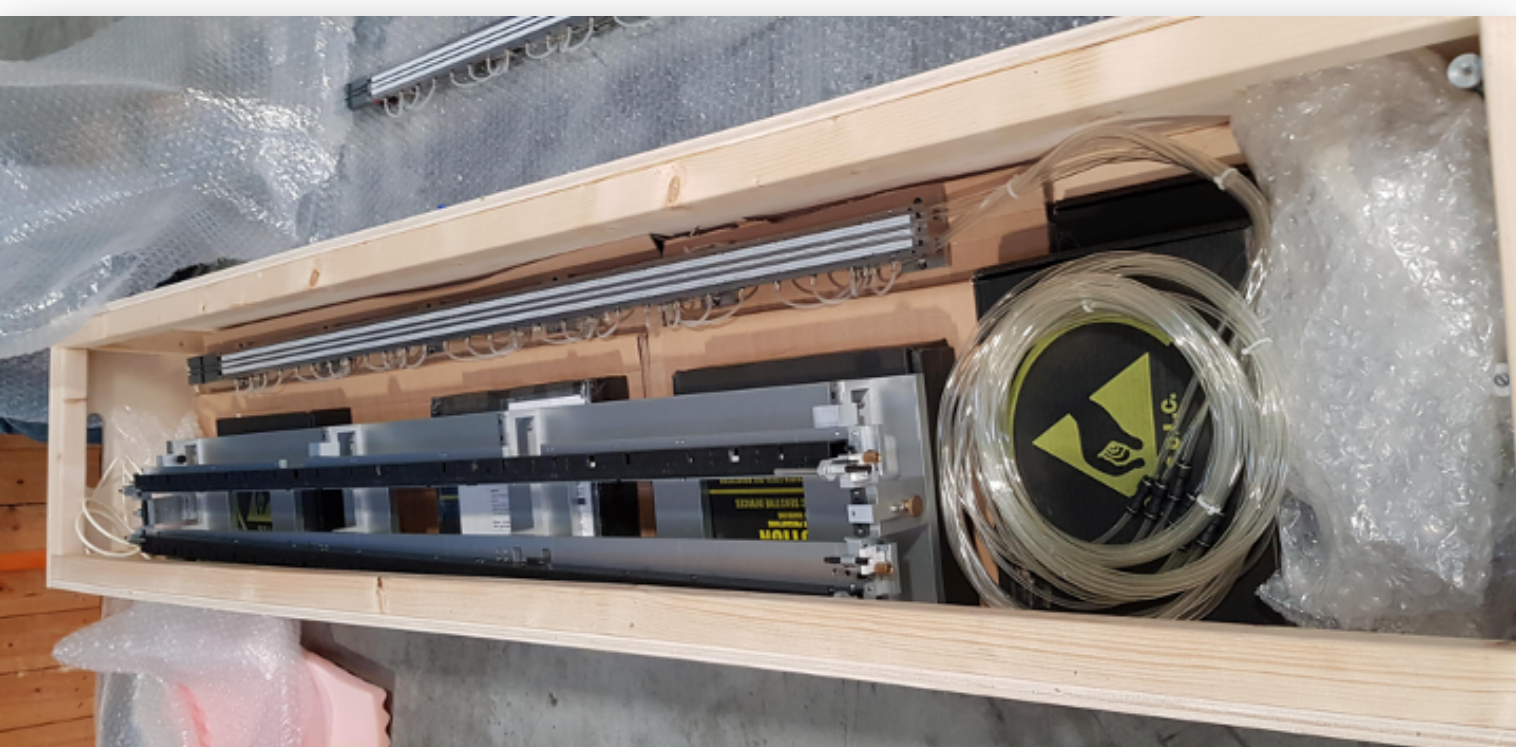
Visual inspection Station

Mitutoyo CMM waiting to be unboxed

Same technology as ALICE-ITS

Stave Assembly and testing

All Parts received from CERN



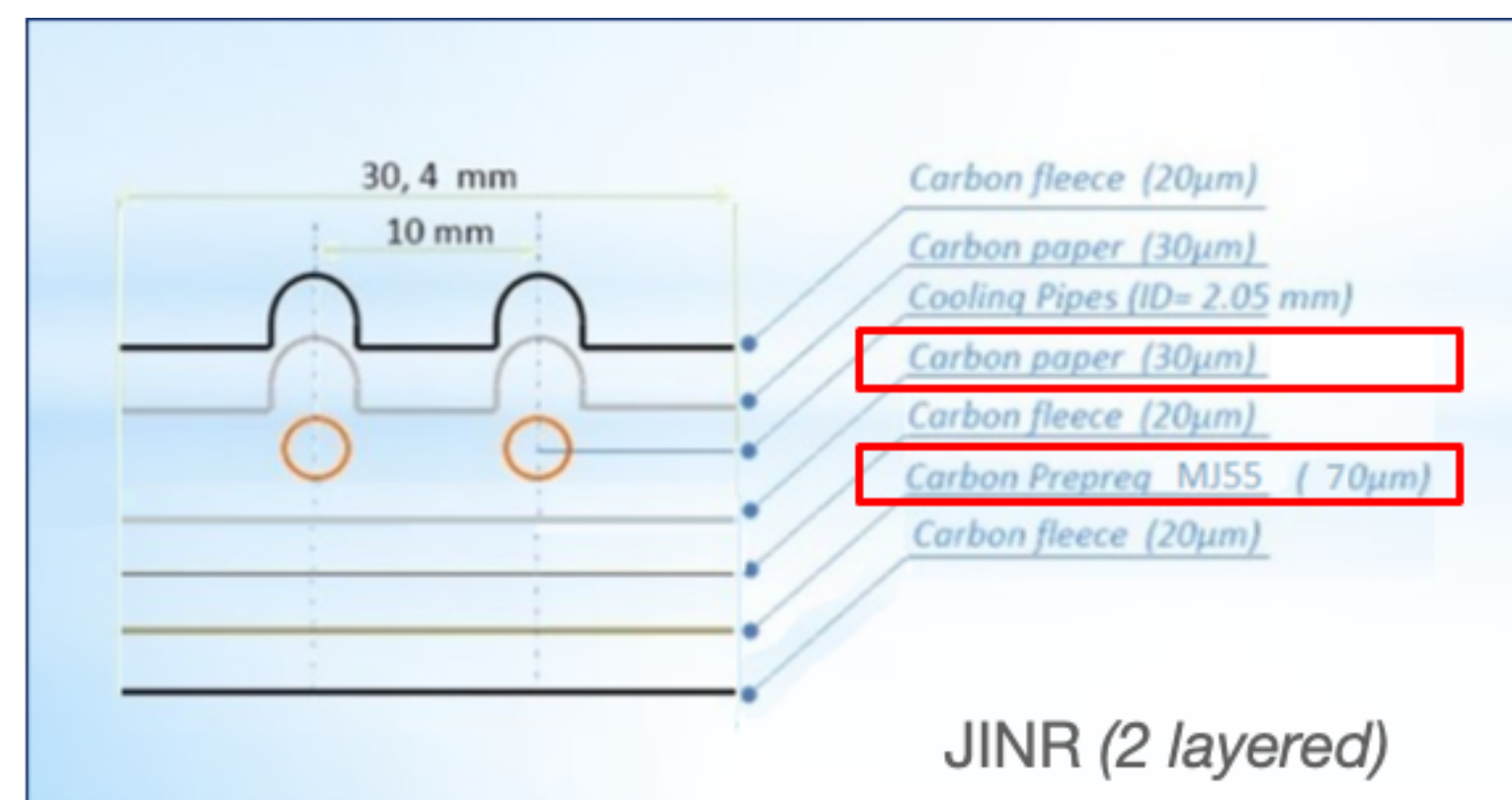
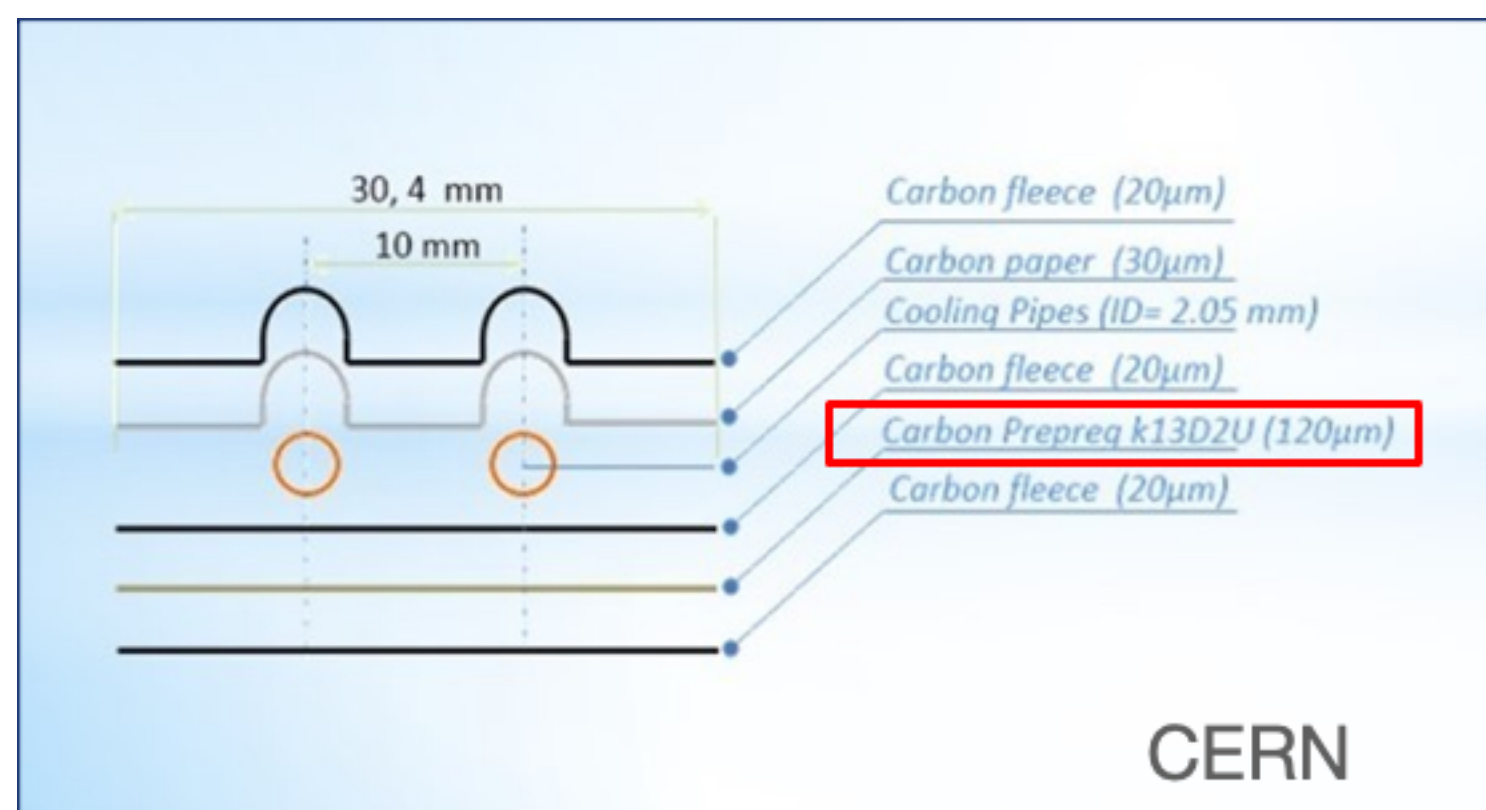
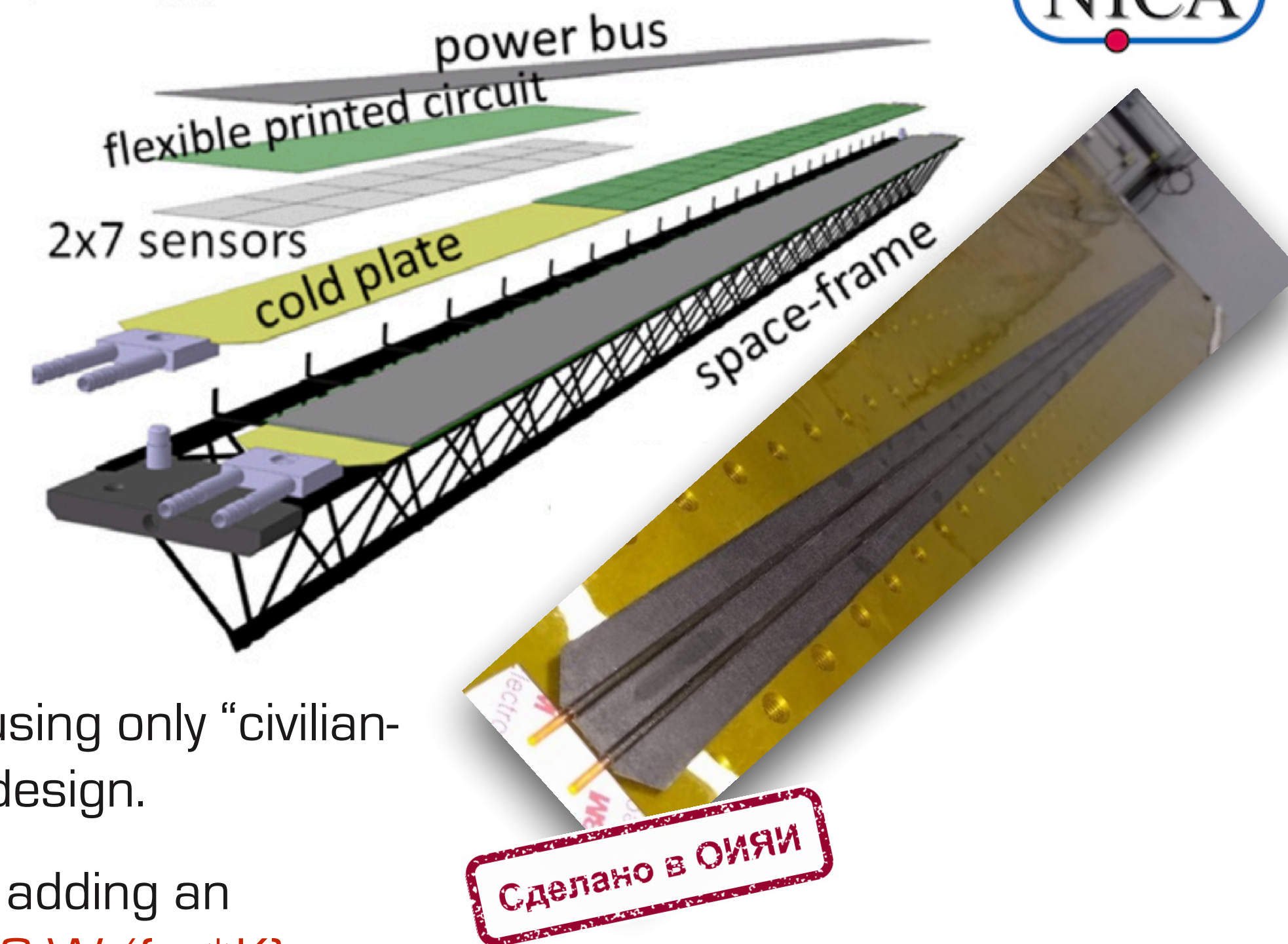
► Design, Produce<sup>(\*)</sup> and Assembly all parts for:

- MPD-ITS Mechanics and Cooling
- MPD-ITS integrations with the beam pipe, the TPC and the FFD

**Cold Plates:** Water-cooled large-area (30 mm x 1502 mm) for dissipating a total of 20W each with a power density of 40mW/cm<sup>2</sup> (CERN technology).

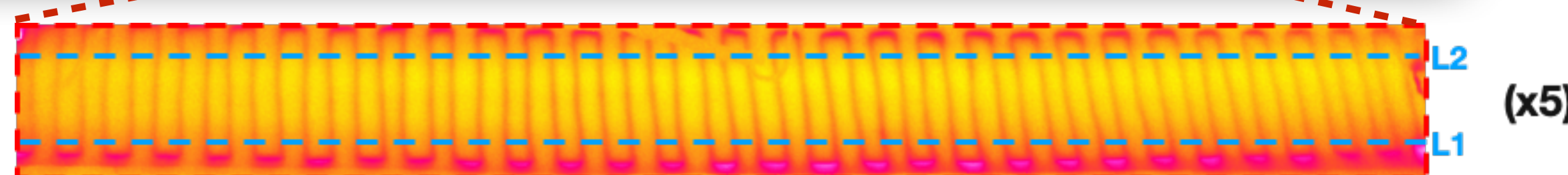
**Task:** To produce Cold Plates with a similar performance as the ones from CERN but using only “civilian-grade” materials instead of the double-use prepreg k13d2u included on the original design.

A new version of the CP was produced substitution the prepreg k13d2u to **MJ55** and adding an **additional layer of carbon paper**, with a planar high-thermal conductivity rated to 1500 W/(m\*K).



(\*) Almost all carbon fiber structures for the mechanics are produced at LHEP

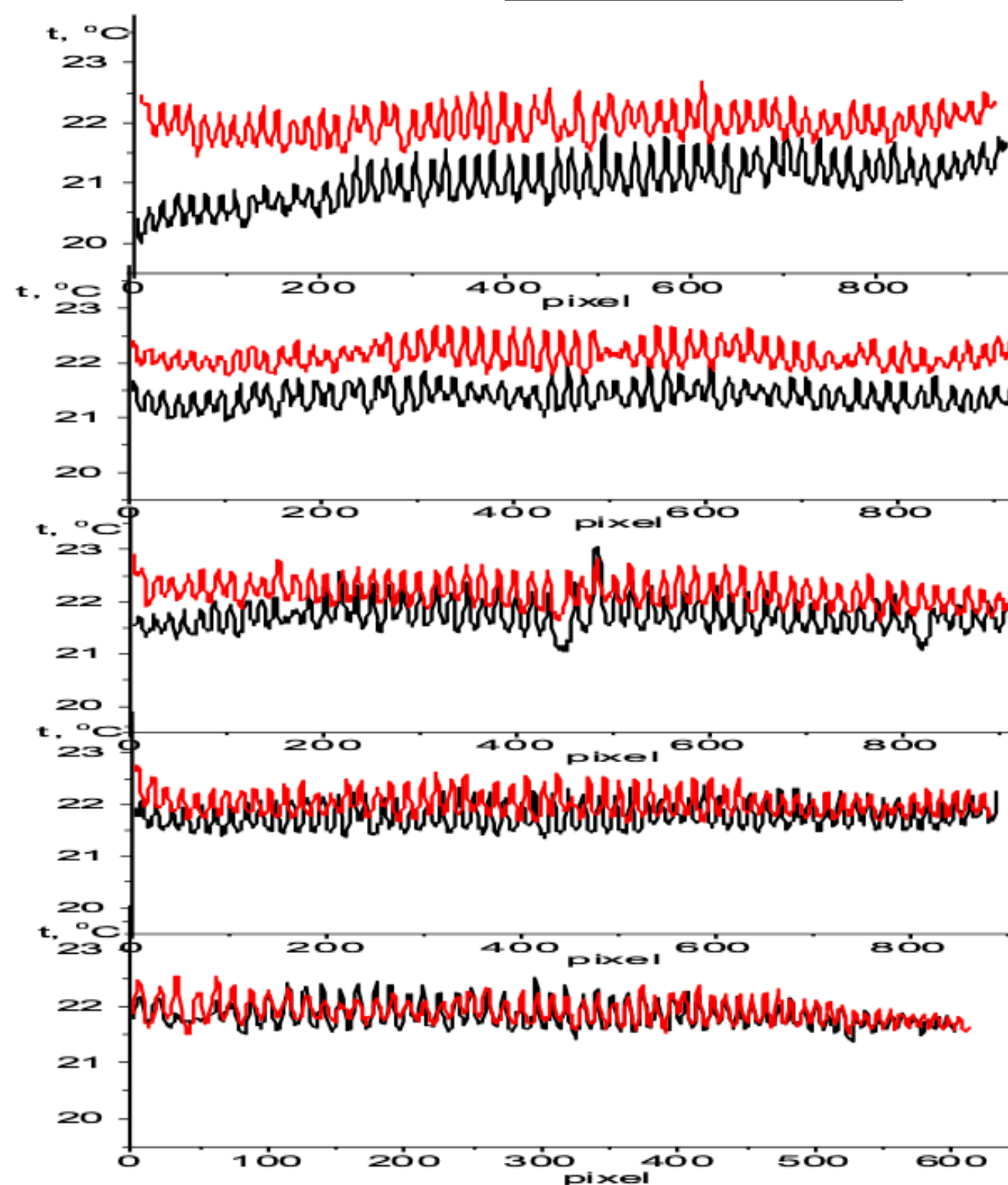
water supply temperature 18°C  
water flow rate 4-6 l/h



CERN Version

JINR Version

[T] = °C



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 $\langle T(L1) \rangle = 22,0$

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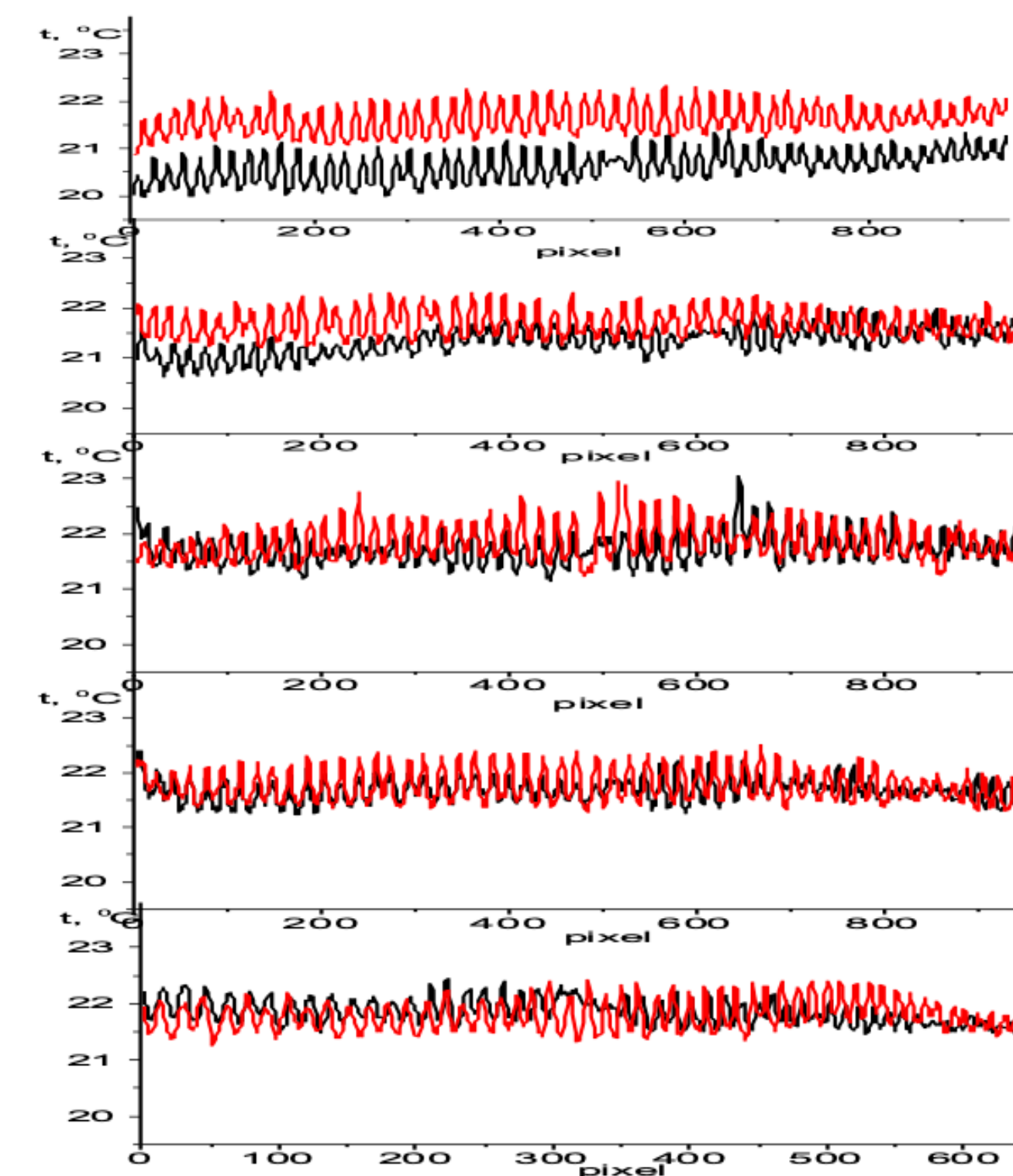
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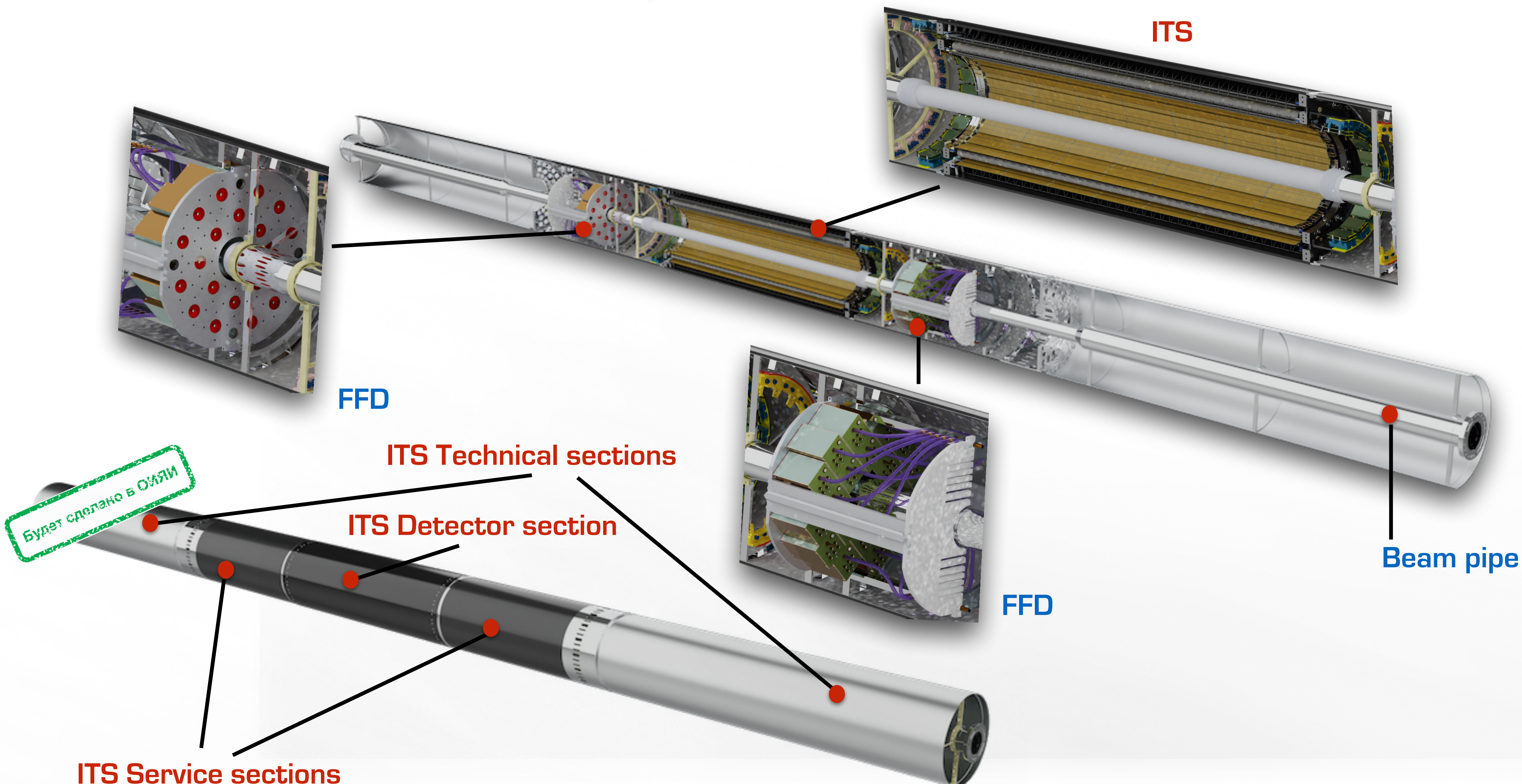
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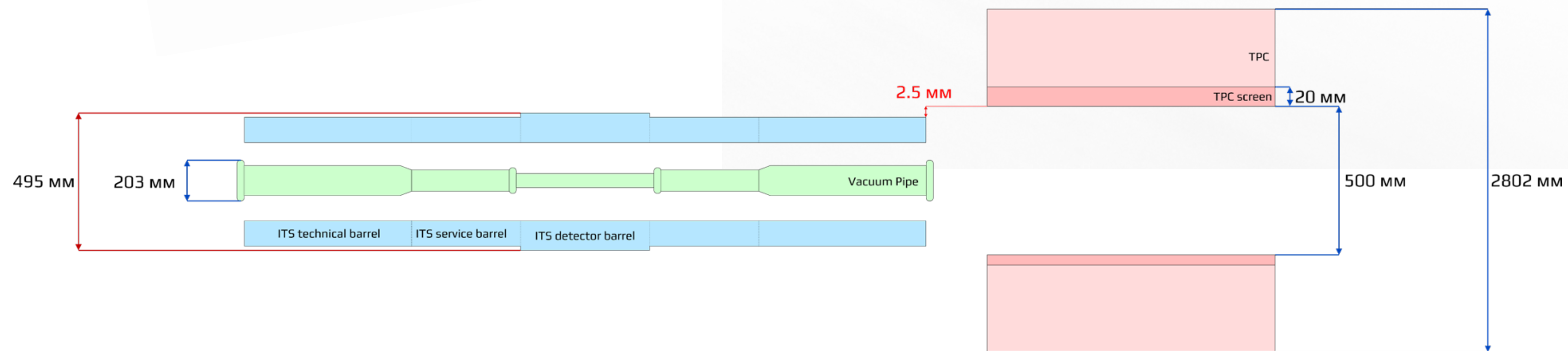
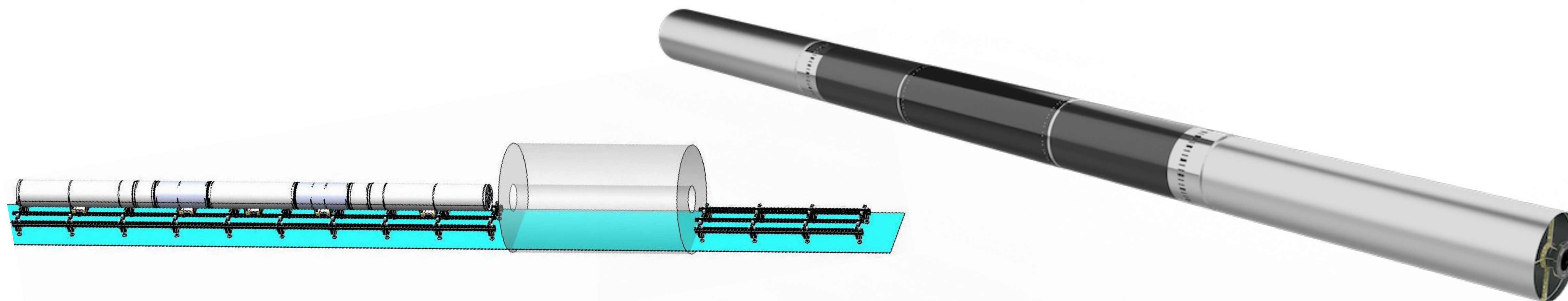


Highest Priority (!)

## Integration



## Integration

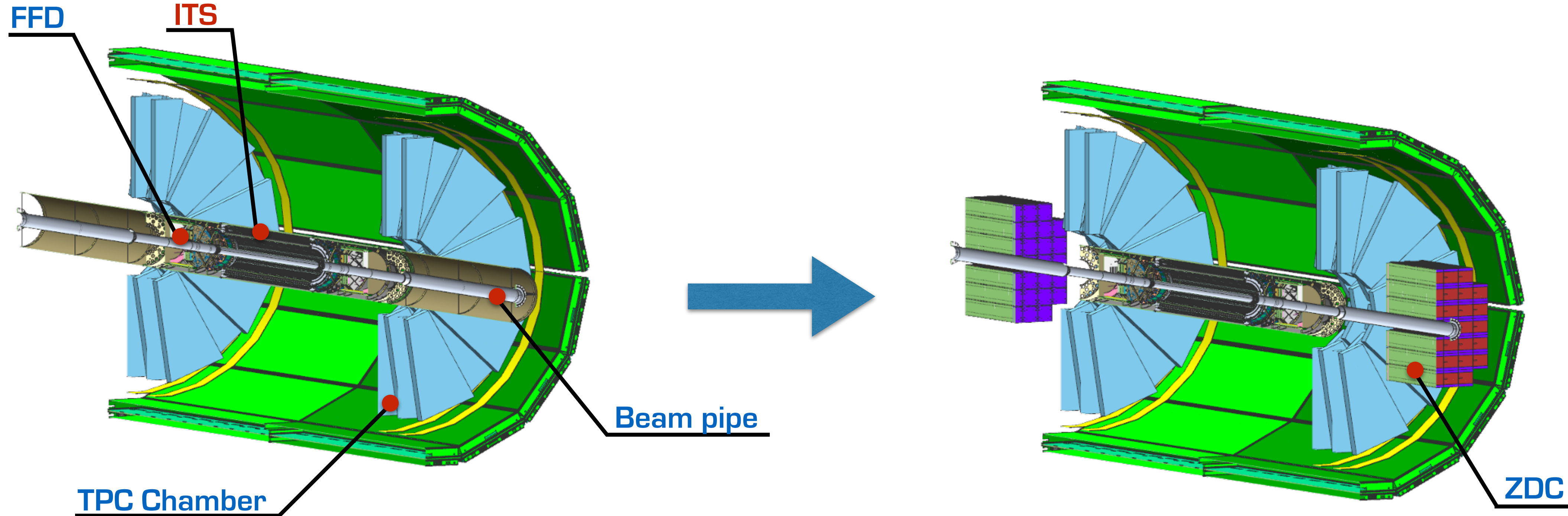


## Integration

Current proposal

### Main installation steps:

- ☑ Installation of the container (ITS+FFD+Pipe) to TPC;
- ☑ Fix of central section clamp;
- ☑ Remove technical section case.

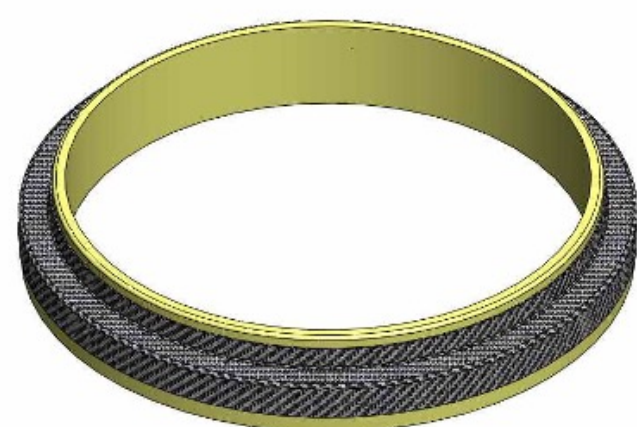


► **Design:**

- All Parts and Jigs drawings already created (> 300) and storage in a central repository @ JINR-disk

► **Production already started:**

- Production of the end-wheels already started at JINR.



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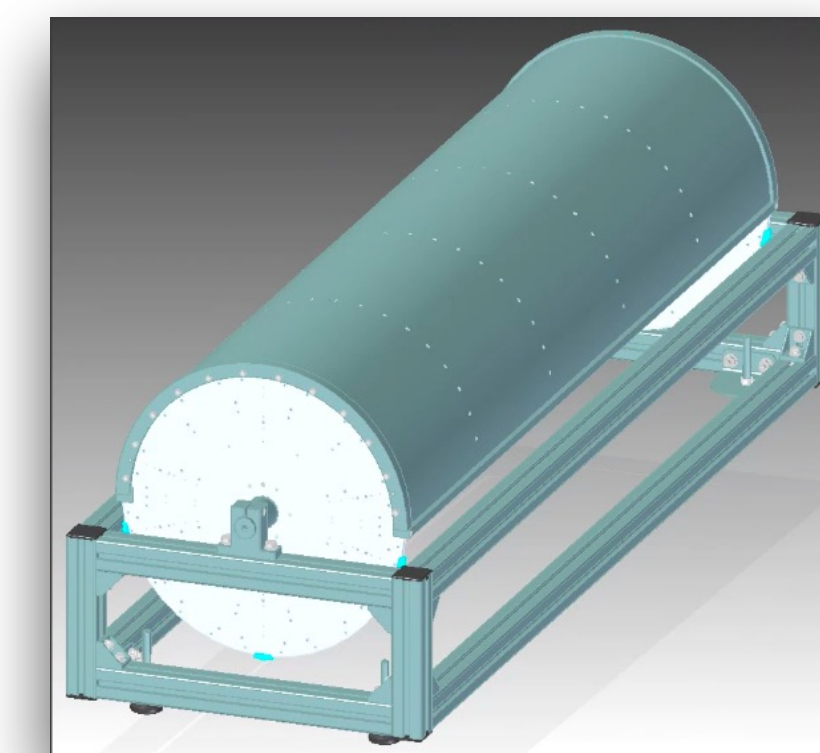
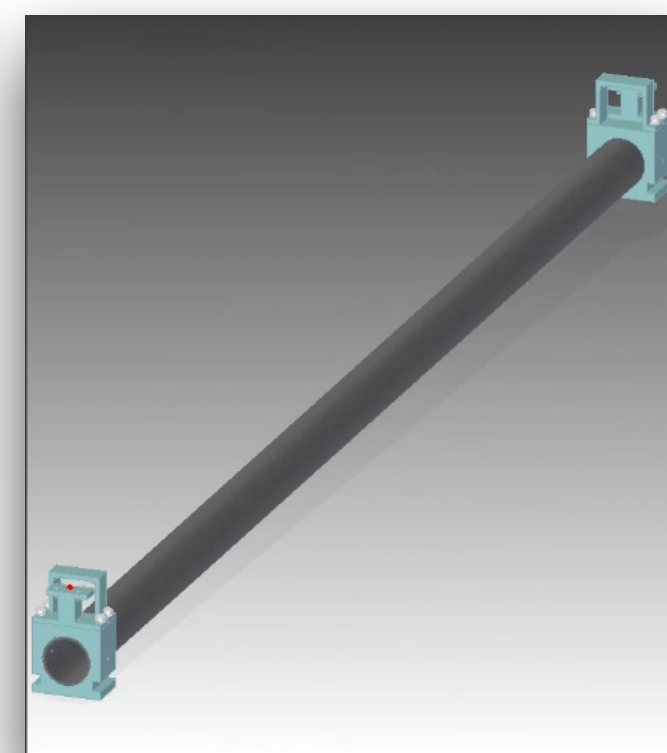
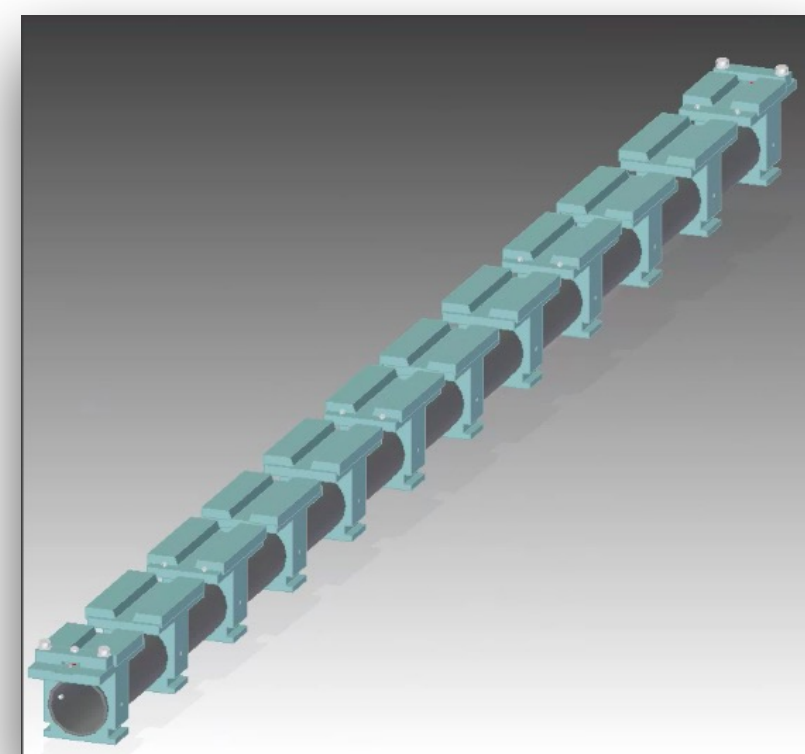
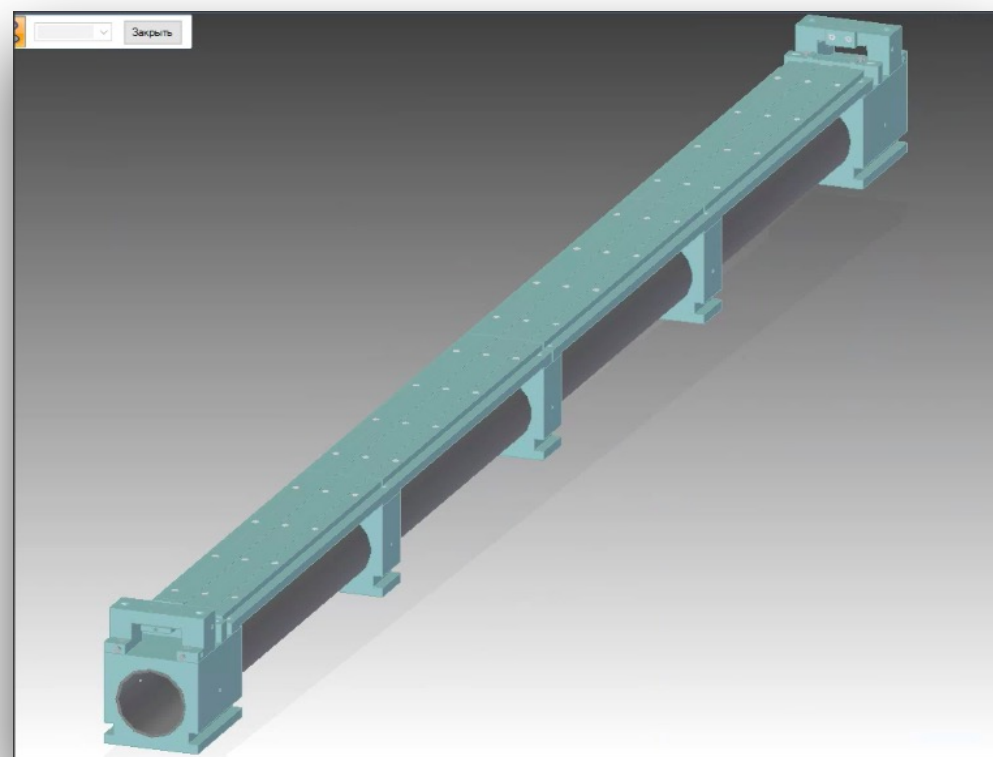
Matrix produced by "Мезон"



Technical drawings and tables for components D090.021.000, D090.063.000, D090.020.000, D090.065.000, and D090.019.000. The drawings include cross-sections (A-A, B-B, C-C), assembly diagrams, and detailed tables with columns for 'Обозначение' (Designation), 'Наименование' (Name), 'Материал' (Material), and 'Примеч.' (Remarks).

► Production already started:

- Complex metallic jigs for producing central detector cases contracted to “**Euromec s.r.l.**” (Modena, Italy)



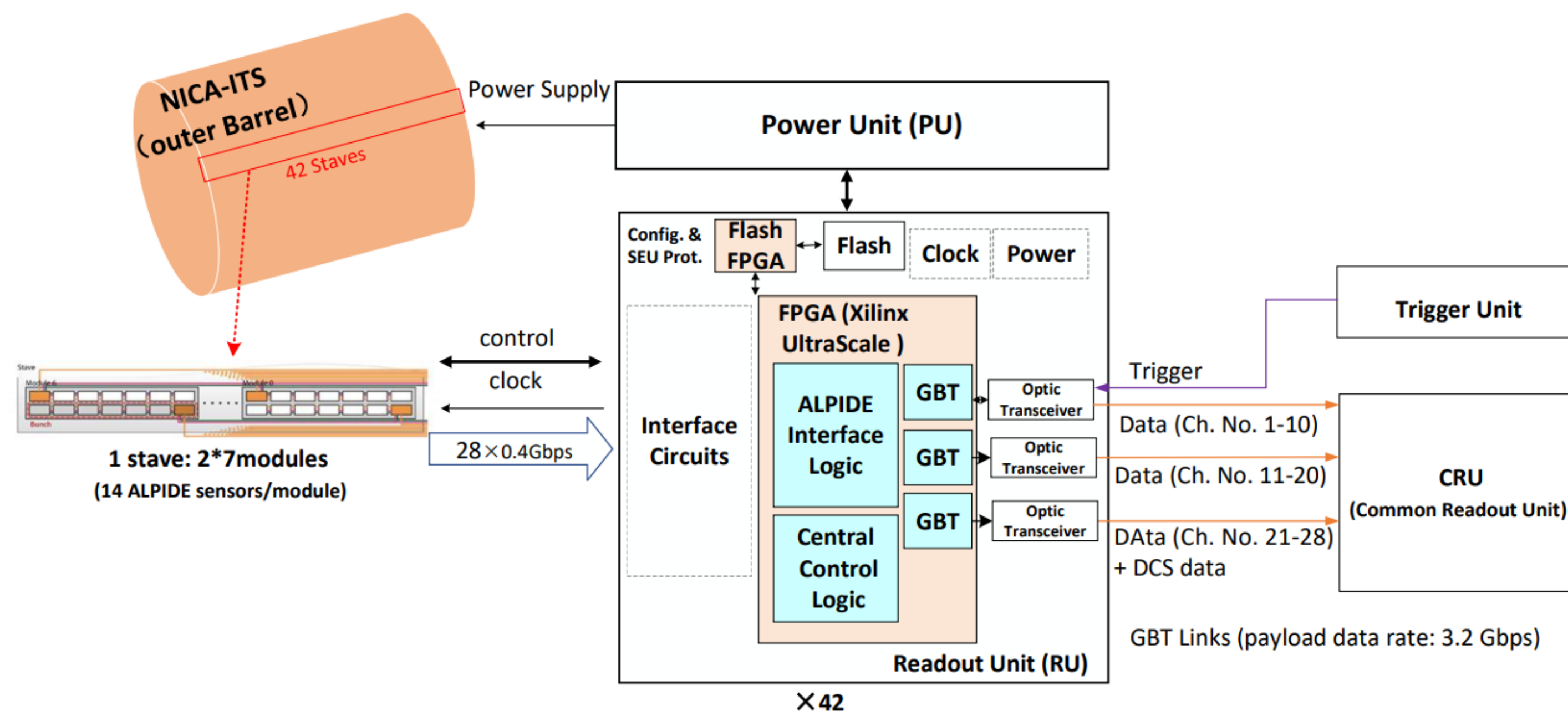
- Complex structures
- Composed by many substructures
- To be produced with high accuracy



Details at:

<https://indico.jinr.ru/event/1909/contributions/11787/attachments/9278/14813/Readout%20Electronics%20Design%20for%20ITS%20of%20MPD%20in%20NICA%202021-02-08.pdf>

## General structure of the MPD-ITS readout system

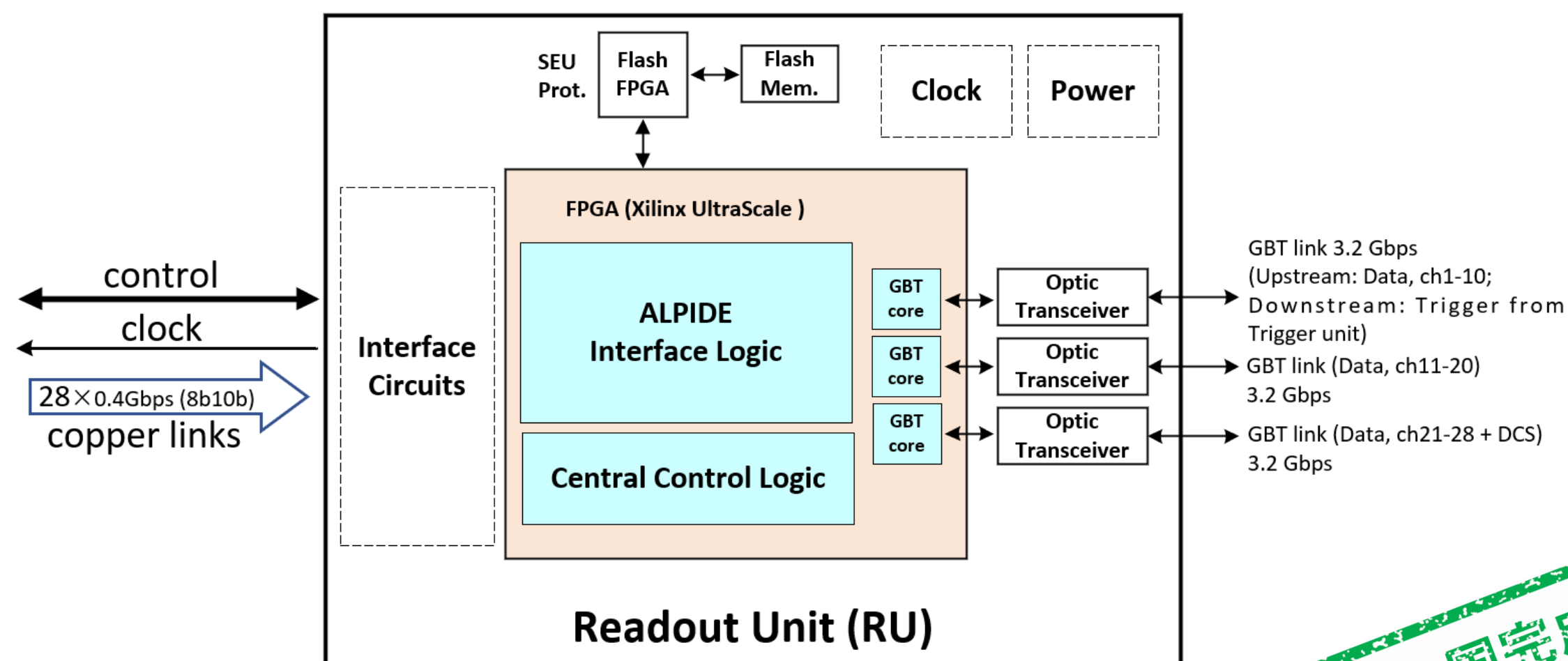


- A cluster of Readout Units (RUs) will control, trigger and read each single sensor in the detector.
- The RUs receives control commands and delivers data directly from/to the CRU, via the MPD implementation of the CERN Versatile Link.
- To maximize modularity, a single RU design will serve the whole detector.

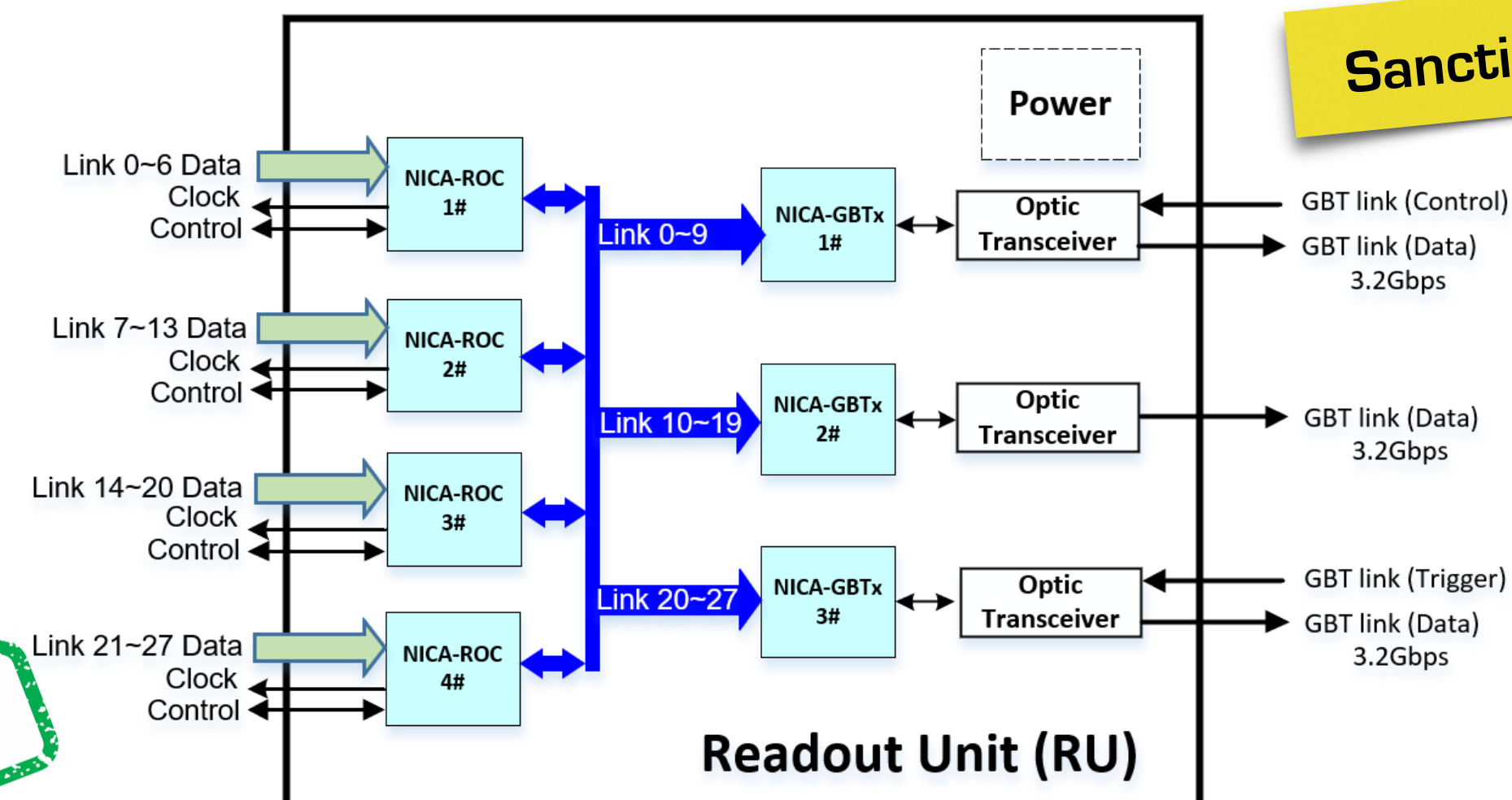
GBTx ASICS can not be imported neither to Russia nor to China (!)

## MPD-ITS RU design solutions.

### FPGA-based



### ASIC-based



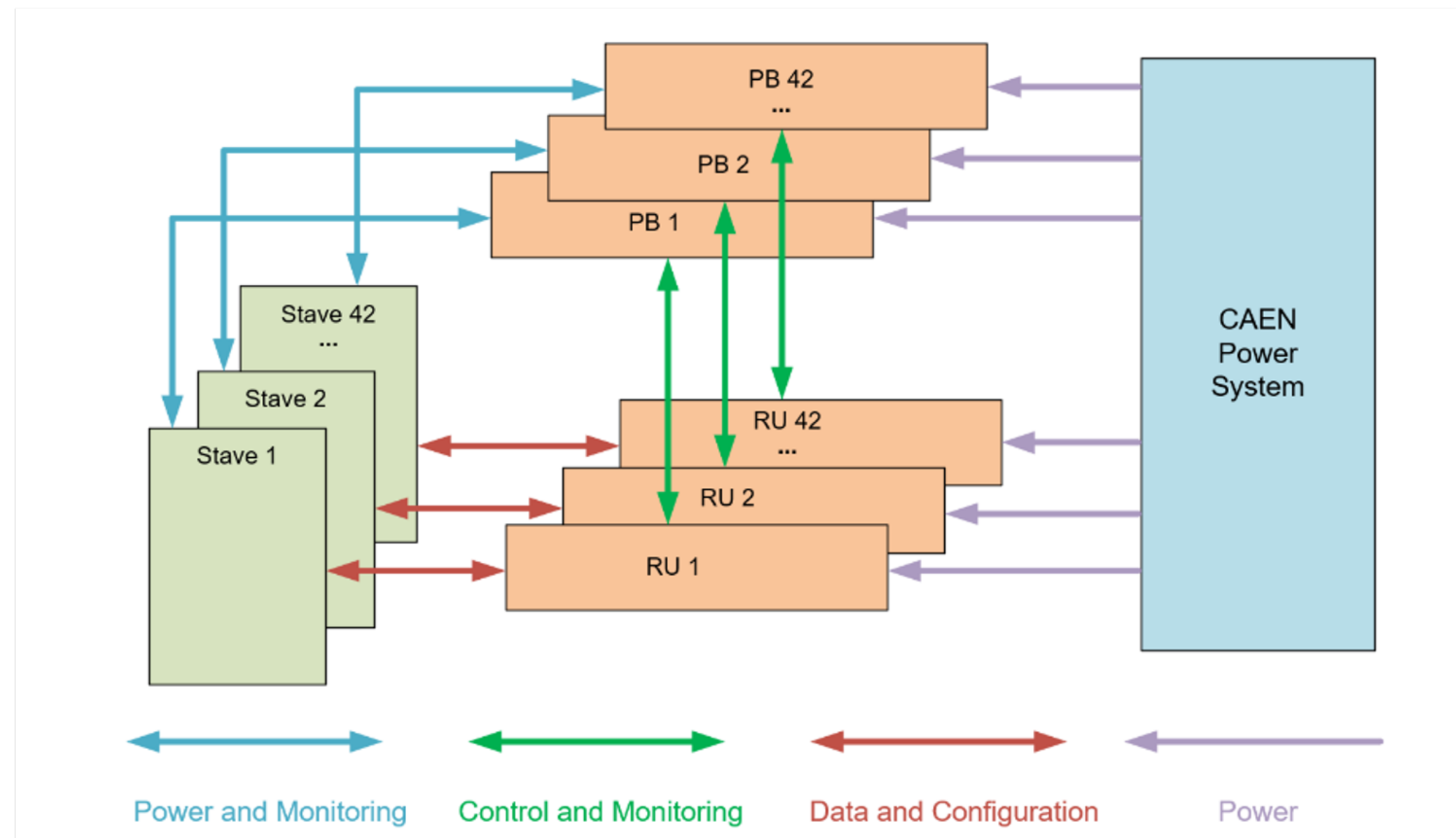
Sanctions-free ASICs

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- ▶ **NICA\_ROC**: Concentrates the output data of front-end ALPIDE chips and transfer the packaged data to the following NICA\_GBTx ASIC. It also receives control commands, clocks, and trigger signals from the backend and distributes them to ALPIDE chips.
- ▶ **NICA\_GBTx**: A high-speed bidirectional data interface ASIC for optical links.
  - It receives multichannel data from the front-end (NICA\_ROC), performs scrambling, encoding, frame building and serializing as the main function for the up-link direction.
  - It receives high-speed serial data from the back-end, performs CDR (Clock and Data Recovery), deserializing, decoding and distributing to the front-end as the main function for the down-link direction.
- ▶ **NICA\_LD (Laser Driver) and NICA\_TIA (Transimpedance Amplifier)**: Are two analog ASICs that would be integrated together with the laser and PD (Pin Diode) in the customized optical transceiver module.
  - NICA\_LD receives the high-speed up-link serial data from NICA\_GBTx and amplifies the signal to driver the laser.
  - NICA\_TIA receives the down-link serial signal from the pin diode, and amplifies the signal to NICA\_GBTx, so that the data can be furthered processed in NICA\_GBTx. These four ASICs will be introduced in the following sections.



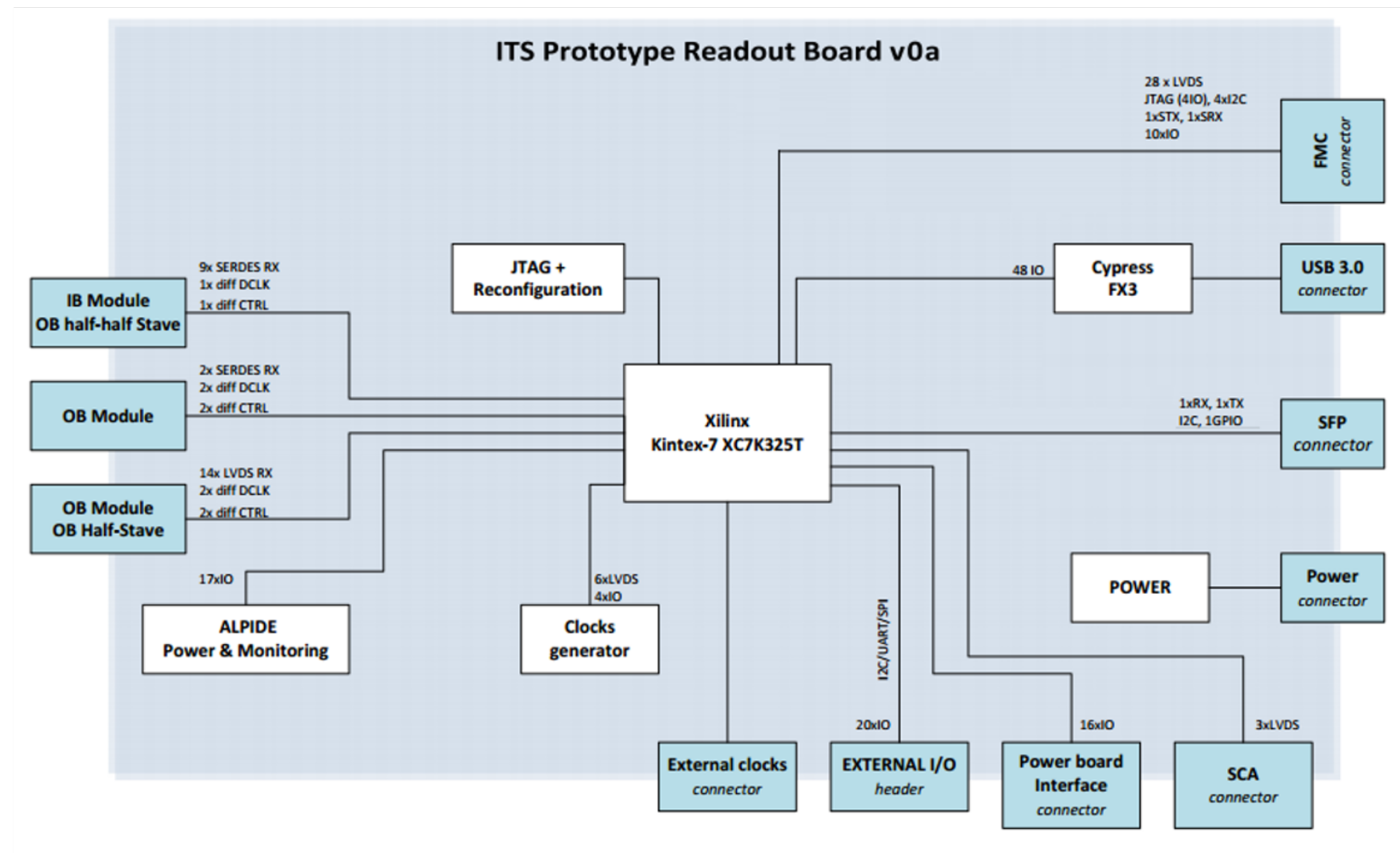
## Structure of the power system of MPD-ITS



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- The **PU** supplies 1.8 V positive power, as well as negative power used as bias for the staves.
- **In addition to supplying power to the staves**, the PU is also controlled by RU through the serial interface to implement the following functions:
  - Separate enabling of power channels and bias channels.
  - Adjusting the power supply voltage separately.
  - Adjusting the bias voltage in one PU.
  - Over current protection with adjustable threshold on each power channel.
  - Overheat protection on each PU.
  - Monitoring of voltage, current and temperature.

## MPD-ITS Test bench base on RUv0a



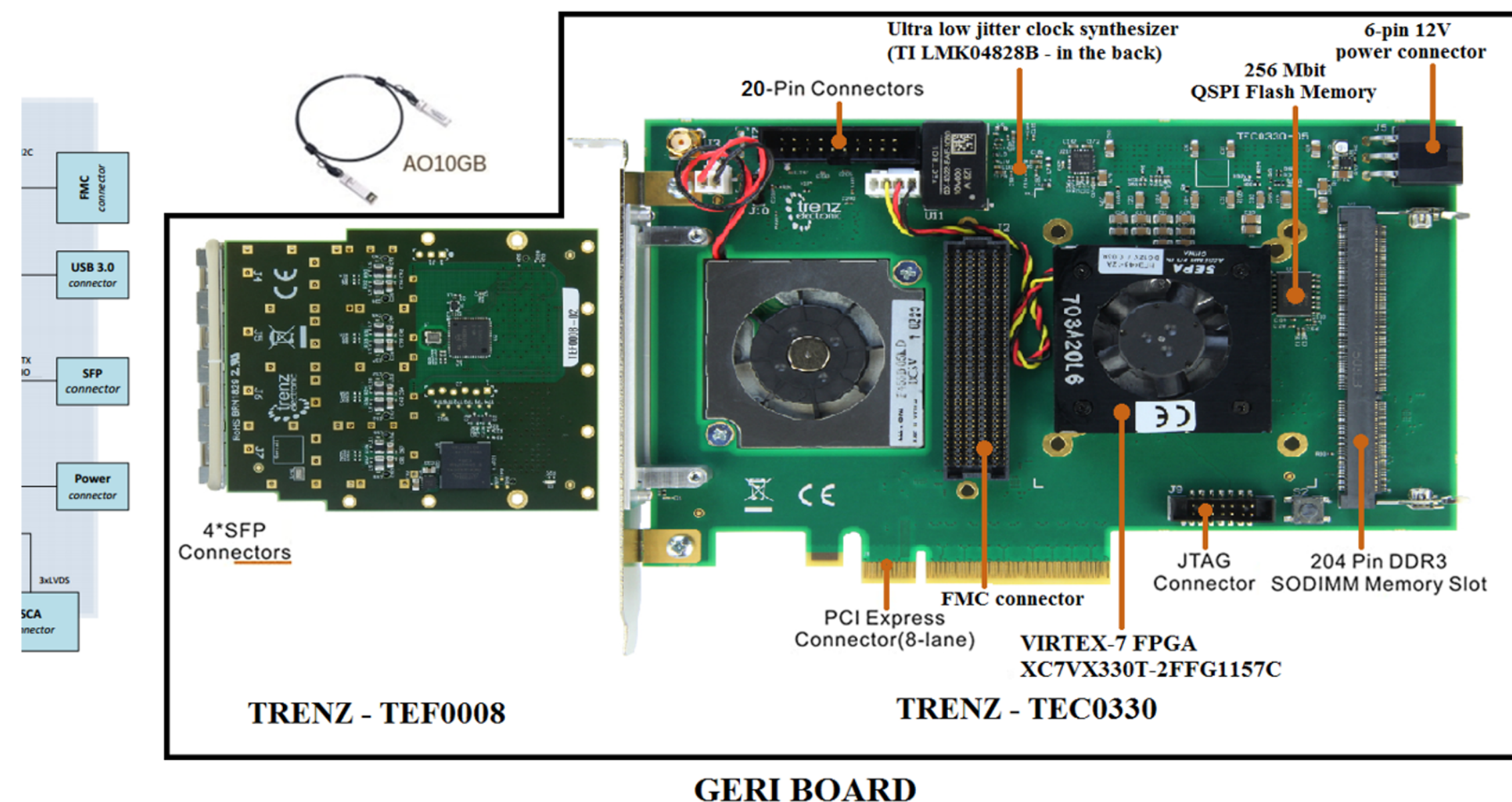
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The MPD-ITS test bench will be based on a ALICE-ITS prototype Readout Board, in order to test several aspects of readout development:

- Test the FPGA implementation of the GBT protocol.
- Test the FPGA-GBTx interface.
- Try different connection schemes to ITS sensors / modules.
- Try different clock schemes.
- Try different interfaces for CRUs.
- Provide readings for modules and sensors during production and testing.
- Provides easy reading and control to and from a PC.

## MPD-ITS Test bench using GERI Board

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In combination with the GERI BOARD or equivalent board we are going to evaluate other aspects of readout development:

- the firmware/software implementation PCIe DMA Engine.
- Interface between the RU and CRU using the GBT protocol.
- Readout Control and data transfer implementation.

▸ **Low voltage power system:**

- All CAEN modules already arrived.

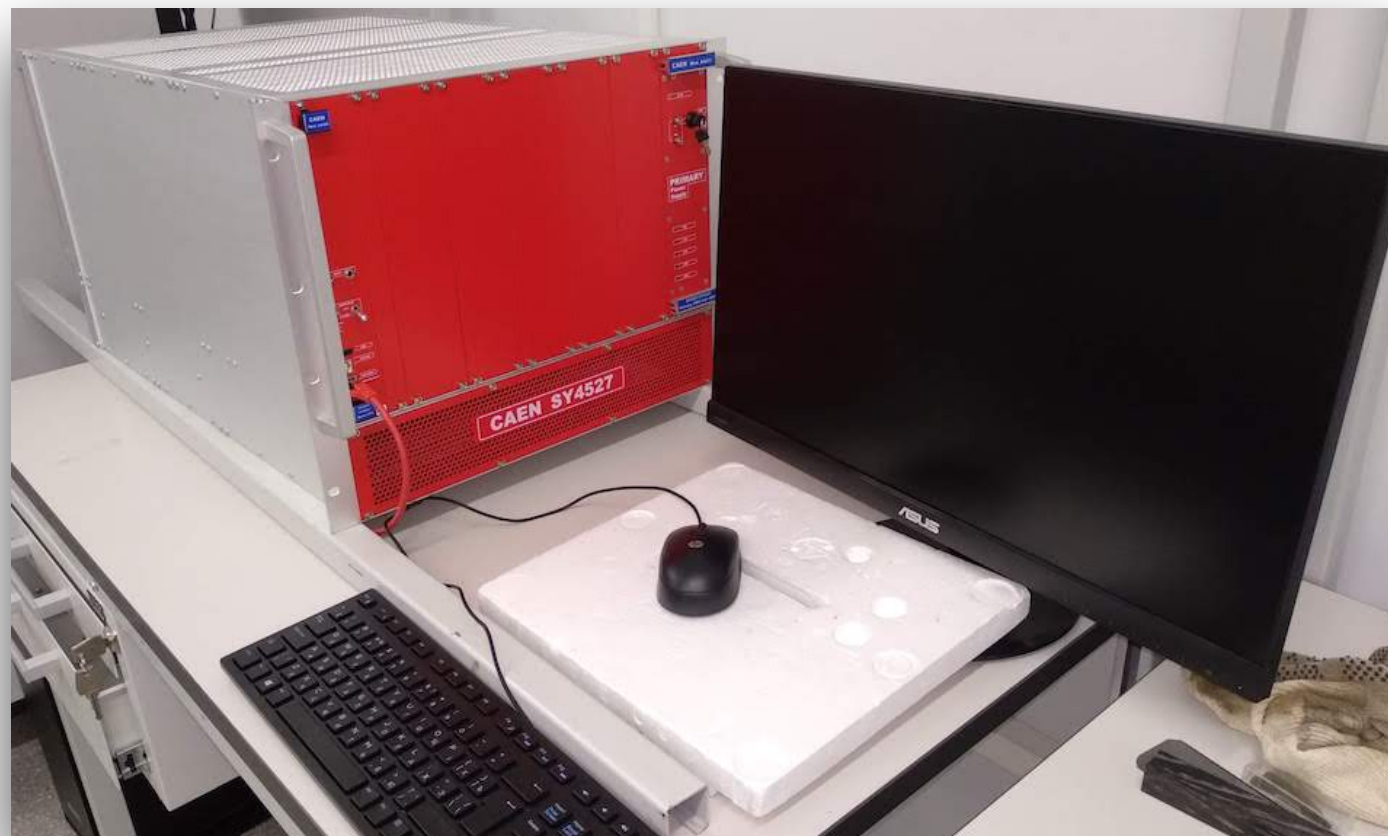


▸ **SCADA:**

- JACOB framework for WinCC OA obtained from CERN.
- Introductory seminar already performed by CERN specialist for JINR.
- Free-trial licenses obtained for WinCC OA from Siemens.
- 5 WinCC OA user licenses to be bought by MPD-ITS for NICA<sup>(\*)</sup>.

(\*) Including TPC, Accelerator and Cryogenics

- Test area currently being set up.



▸ **Contact has been established with CERN DCS development group and they offered:**

- The participation of JINR-designated personnel on their official training sessions.
- The inclusion on their work group at CERN of a JINR-designated person for a training period of about 6 months.

► The first studies are being performed by the Services group at JINR including:

- Cabling.
- Air cooling simulations.
- Integration with the TPC and the rest of the MPD.

► MPD-ITS is also supporting for the MPD to address :

- The leak-less water cooling plant setup
- The dry gas cooling system.
- The beam pipe production and setup.

Similarly needed by TPC and Ecal

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Chapter 2: The Pixel Chips.

Chapter 3: Detector Layout.

Chapter 4: Support Structures and System Integration.

Chapter 5: The DAQ System.

Chapter 6: The DCS.

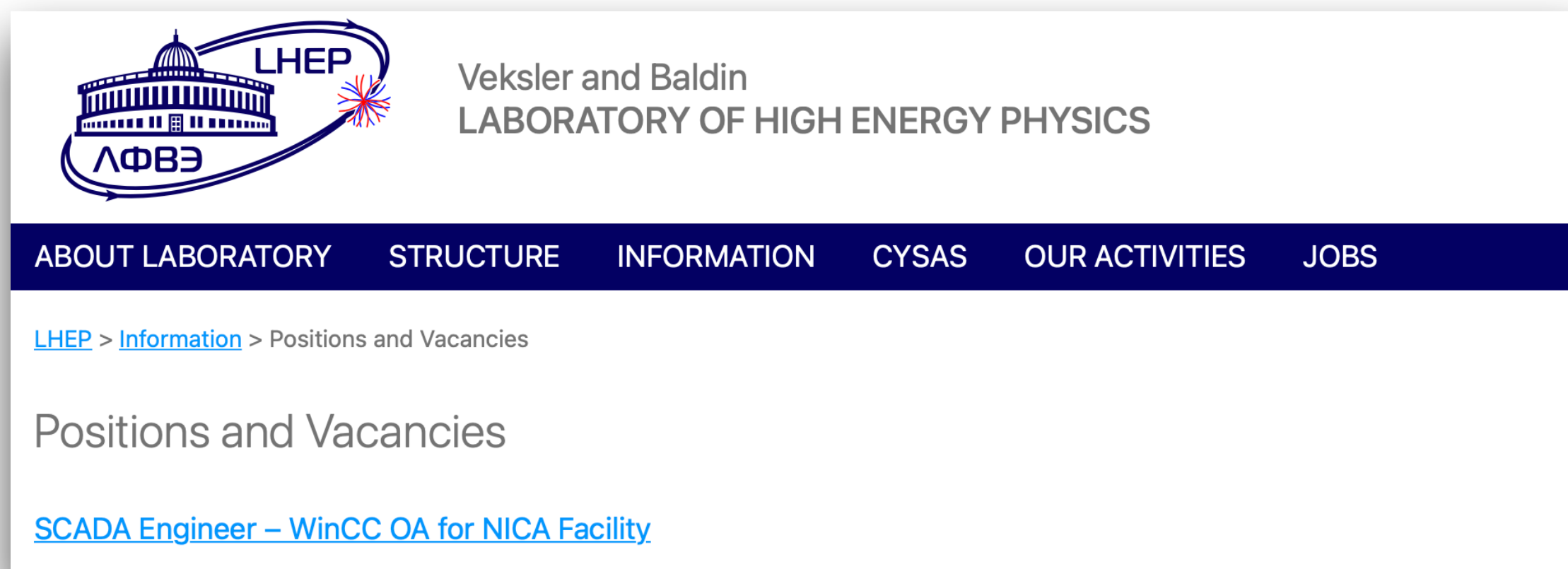
Chapter 7: Detector Performance.

Chapter 8: Physics Performance.

Chapter 9: Project Organizations and Time Lines

- ▶ There is a lack of expertise in some key aspects of the projects like:
  - Readout and microelectronics (A specialist already under contracting process)
  - DCS (Three positions offered)

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## SCADA Engineer – WinCC OA for NICA Facility (3 positions)

**Position:** Physicist/Engineer specialist in Automated Control Systems.

**Qualification:** Higher Technical Education, University of Applied Sciences or Technical University.

**Nature of work:** SCADA systems development for projects of the NICA accelerator complex (for details see: [nica.jinr.ru/projects/mpd.php](http://nica.jinr.ru/projects/mpd.php)). Fixed term employment contract for 3+ years.

**Working day duration:** 8 hours.

**Professional qualification:** Higher education. At least 5 years of experience in engineering of SCADA (preferably WinCC) systems. Knowledge of SCADA/HMI and/or PLC and DB. Experience in communication Protocols of Siemens, TCP/IP, OPC-DA/UA. Knowledge of programming languages (C, C++, VBA). Basic knowledge regarding Database Management eg: MSSQL, MySQL, ORACLE. Experience in unit testing of SCADA Developing & maintaining tools and procedures for engineering & testing SCADA. Troubleshooting skills.

**Additional requirements:** Great commitment and willingness to learn. Willingness to travel (worldwide). Great technical understanding, good analytical skills and precise, independent and structured way of working. Skills to analyze problems in this area, propose solutions and make strategic decisions on the development of the system. Ability to work in a team and willingness to be the team leader. Functional communication level of English.

**Offer:** Candidates will be employed by the Joint Institute for Nuclear Research as middle/senior Engineers. They will receive a 3-year contract with a salary ranging from 120'000 to 200'000 Rub per month plus employee benefits including medical insurance for the employee and his/her family members, depending on the experience of the candidate and the need for his/her specific expertise for the team.

**Application:** Qualified applicants are encouraged to apply until July 1, 2021.

The application shall include:

- Curriculum vitae
- Description of the latest activities on a relevant field
- Letter of recommendation from at least one referee.

All qualified individuals are encouraged to apply without regard to age, gender or national origin.

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Budget from grants

- For political reasons Israel has blocked the export license for JIRN to TowerJazz for the ALPIDE chips (already paid and built) for being radiation-hard-grade:
  - This is currently being addressed at diplomatic levels between the Russian Federation Ambassador to Israel and the Israeli Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

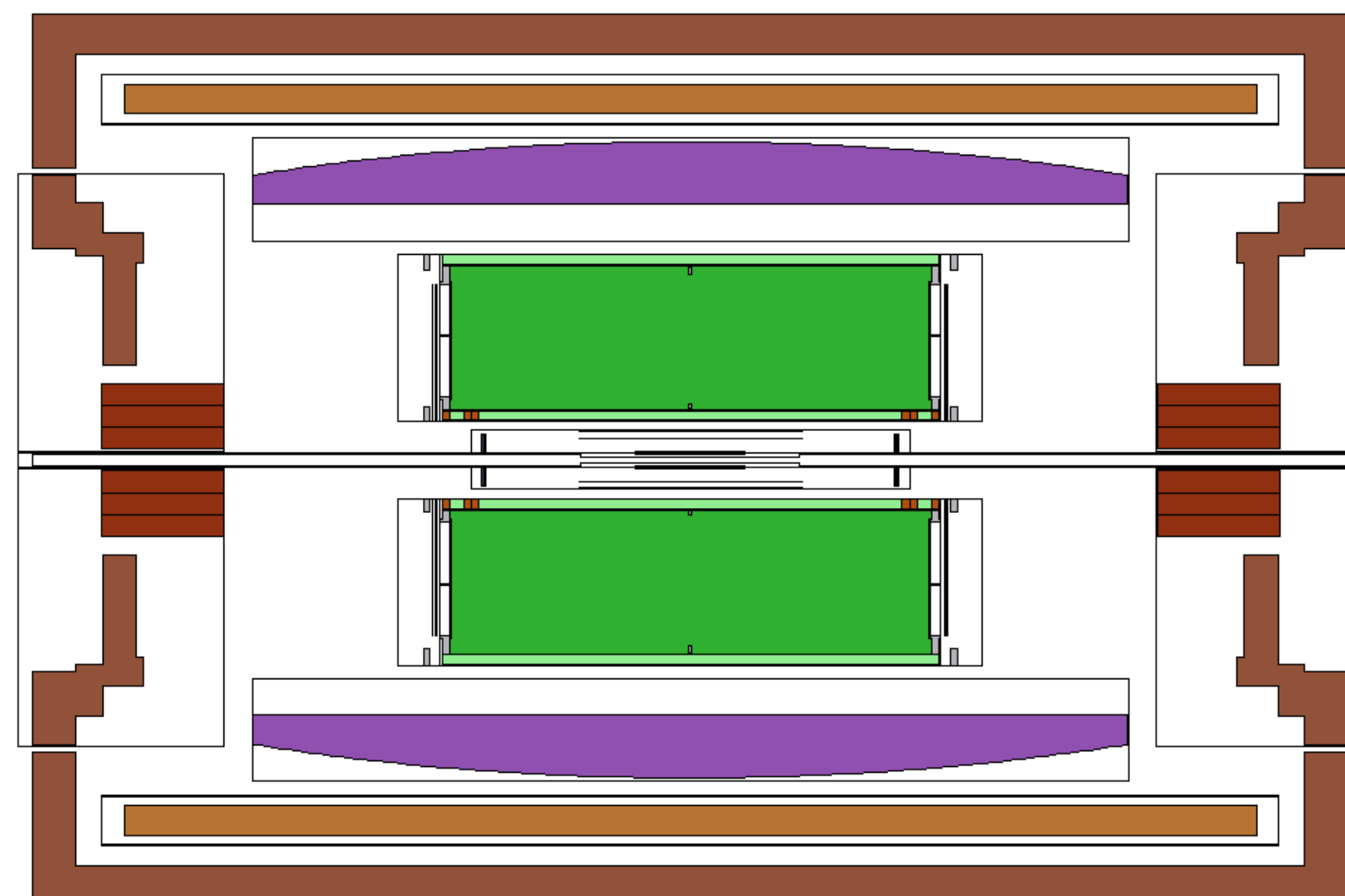


- ▶ **Finishing the TDR (2021)**
- ▶ **Setup the full HIC assembly line and produce the first mockups (2021/1st Qt 2022)**
- ▶ **Produce all supporting/integration mechanics and dry-trial the integration procedure including beam pipe imitator, realistic FFD imitator and TPC bore imitator (2022).**

*In close collaboration with TPC, FFD and NICA vacuum teams with metrology support from the factory of superconducting magnets*

Thank you.

## Backup Slides



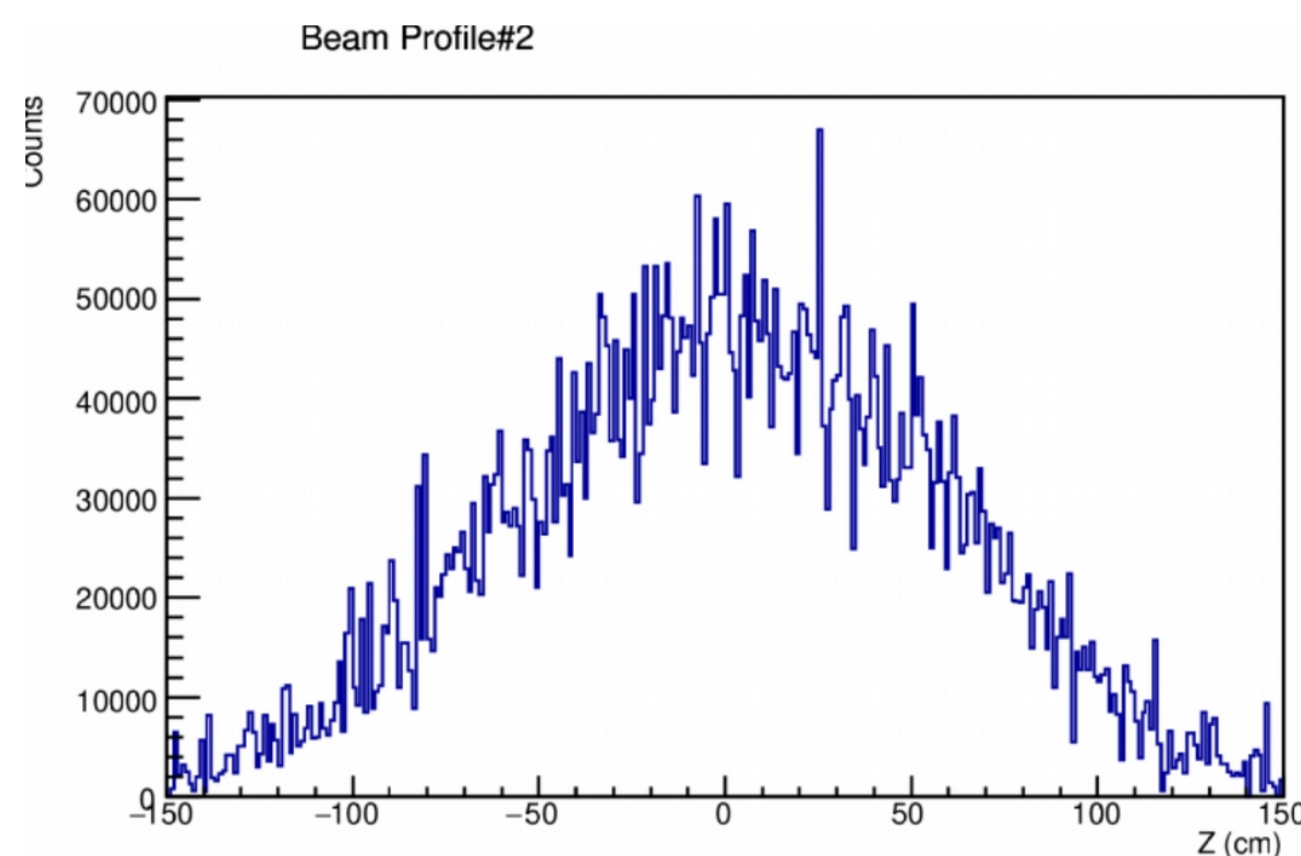
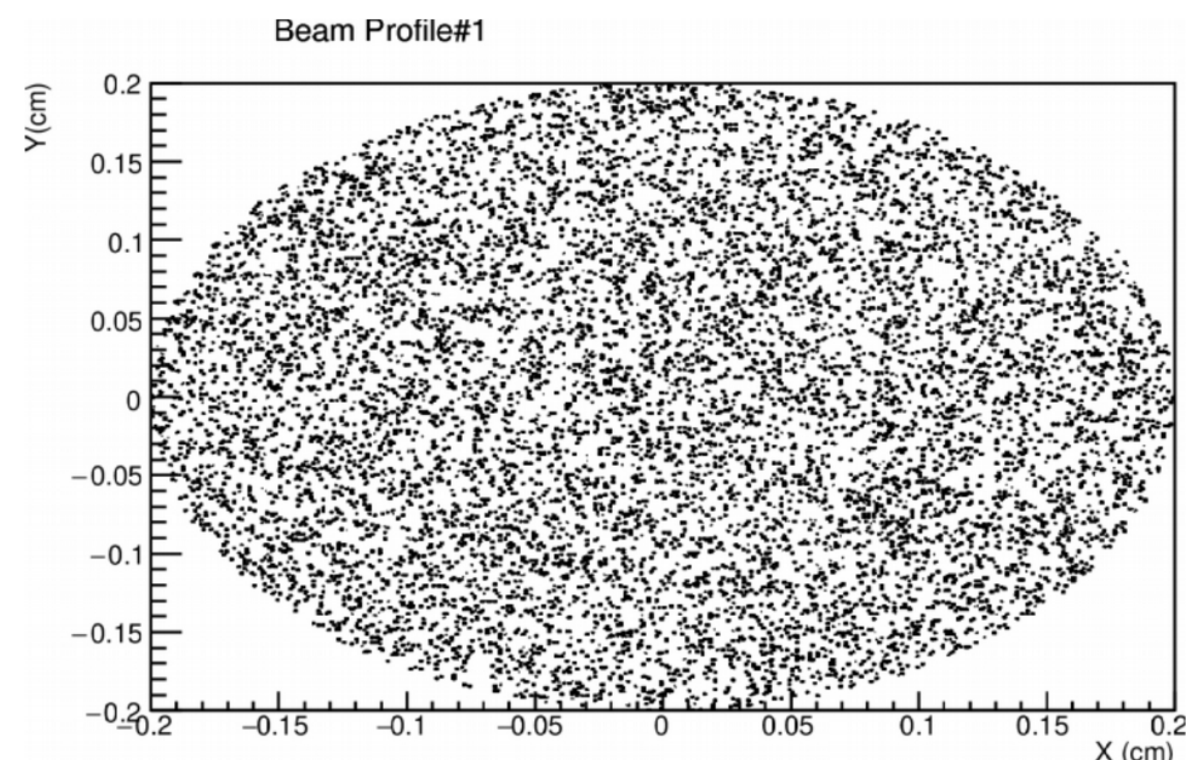
## Geometry set-up:

1. Solenoid based on the MPDroot geometry.
2. Pipe:
  - middle section(150 cm in length centered at the MPD IP) was defined as a Be tube with an inner and outer radii of 1.9 cm and 2 cm, respectively;
  - outer sections defined as Al tubes with an inner and outer radii of 3.9 cm and 4 cm, respectively.
3. Simplified TPC detector based on the MPDroot geometry version v7.
4. Simplified FFD detector.
5. FHCAL calorimeters with 44 modules each (each module was implemented as a single homogeneous material.)
6. ECal was implemented as a single homogeneous material.

**Dose and Fluences** were estimated in 5 Layers.

Each Layer was defined as a tube with a wall thickness of 100 microns centered at the MPD IP.

	Radius(cm)	Length(cm)
Layer#1	2.2	75
Layer#2	4.1	75
Layer#3	6.0	75
Layer#4	14.5	152.6
Layer#5	19.4	152.6



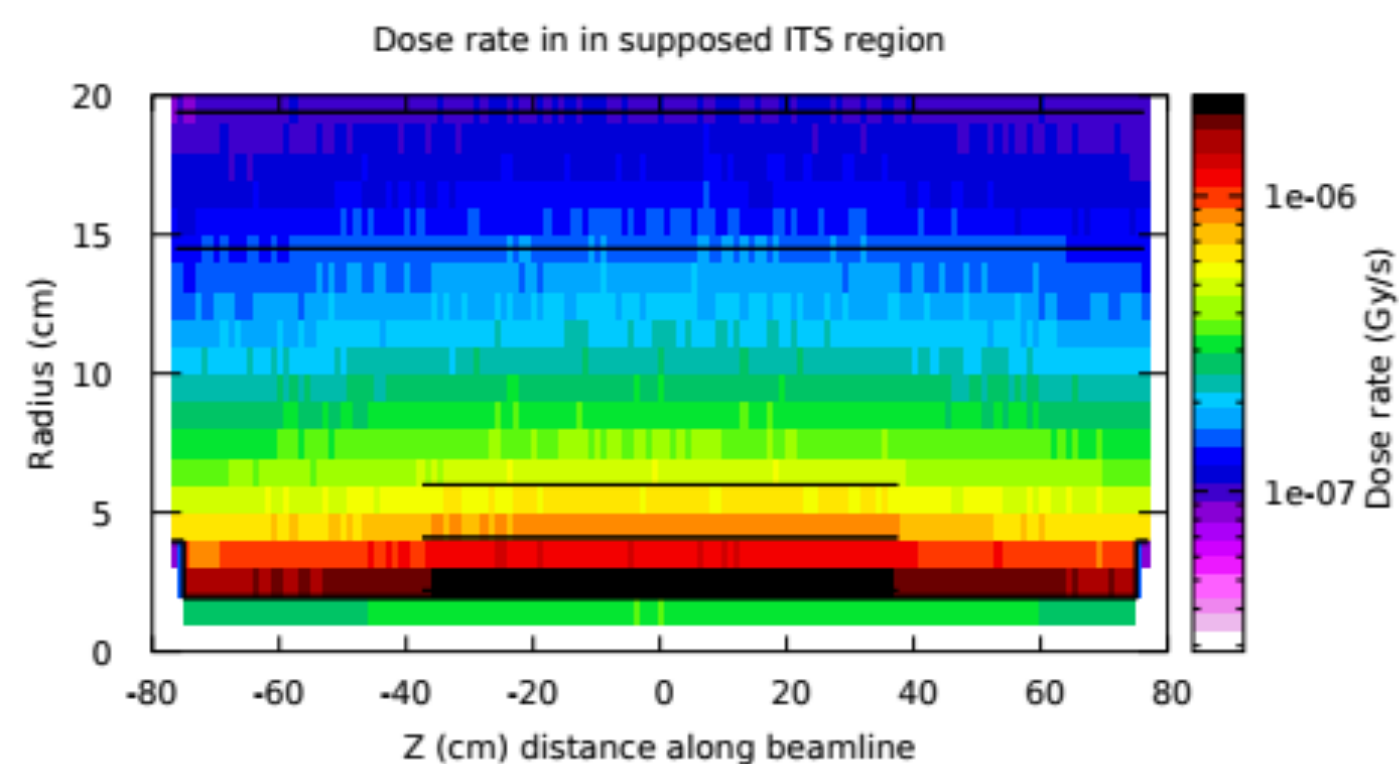
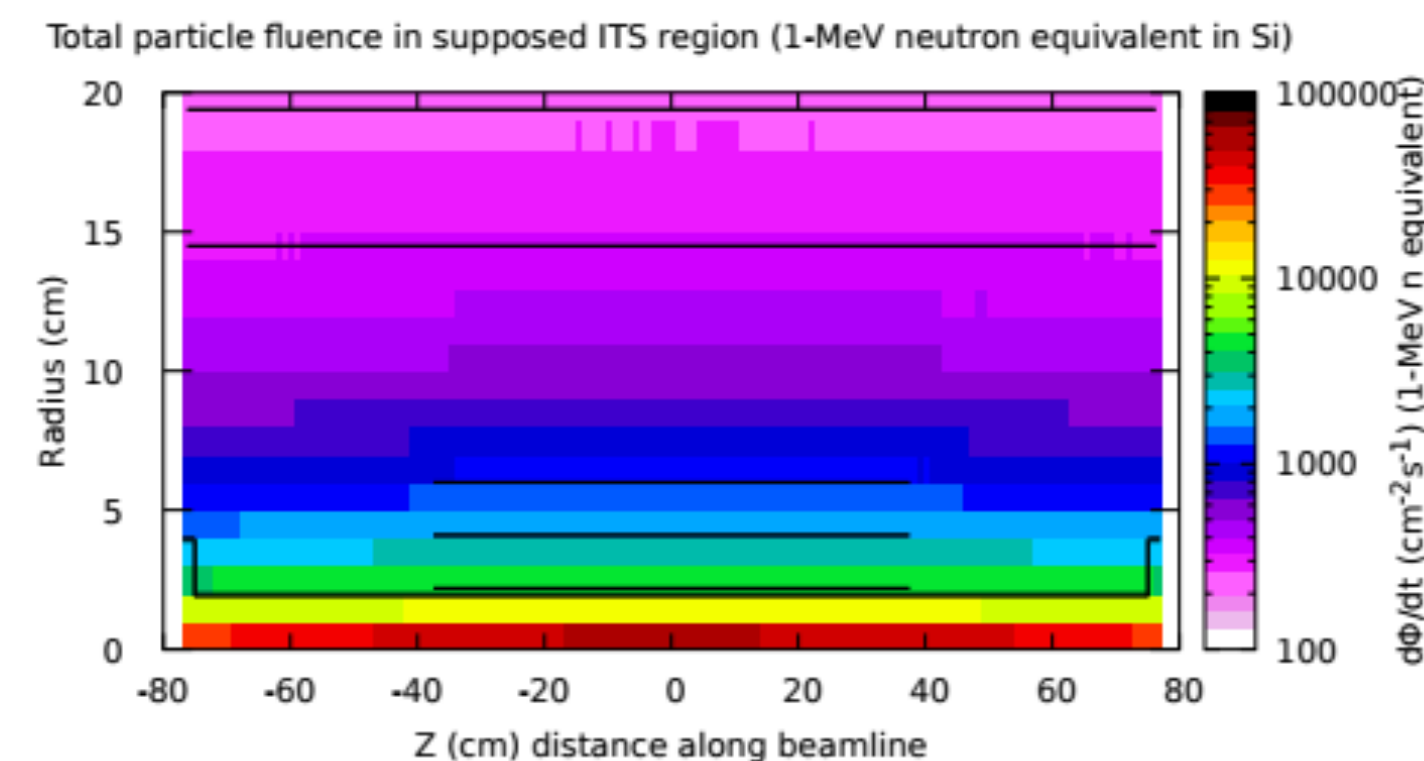
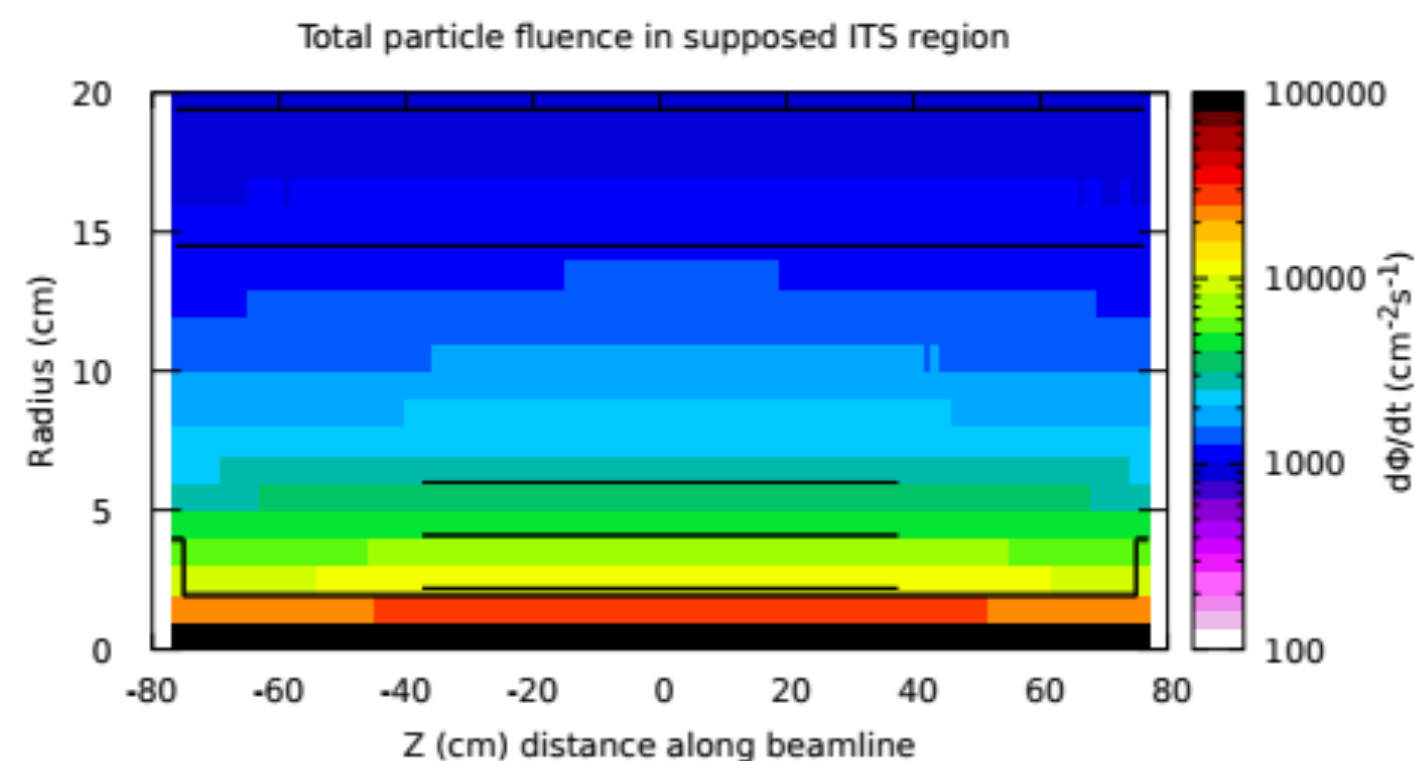
The simulation was made with FLUKA version **2-11.2x-8**

## Primary events:

A file from DCM-QGSM event generator for minimum-bias Au-Au collision at  $\sqrt{s}=11$  GeV/n was converted to be read by FLUKA as a source of primary events. 10k primary events were used in the simulation.

The beam was specified to have the Gaussian profile defined by standard deviation  $\sigma=60$  cm in beam-line direction (z) with beam particles uniformly distributed over a 2 mm-radius circle in the x-y plane at the MPD IP.

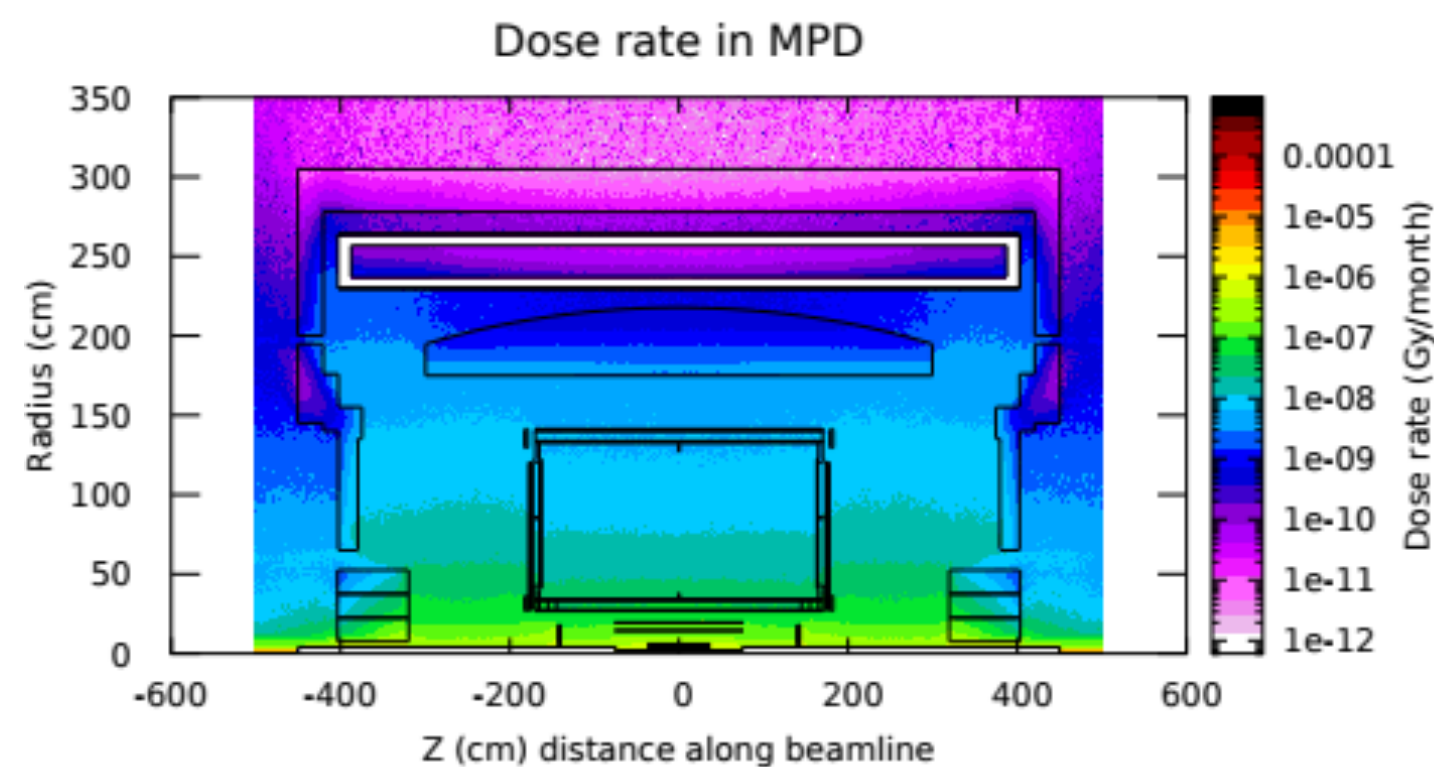
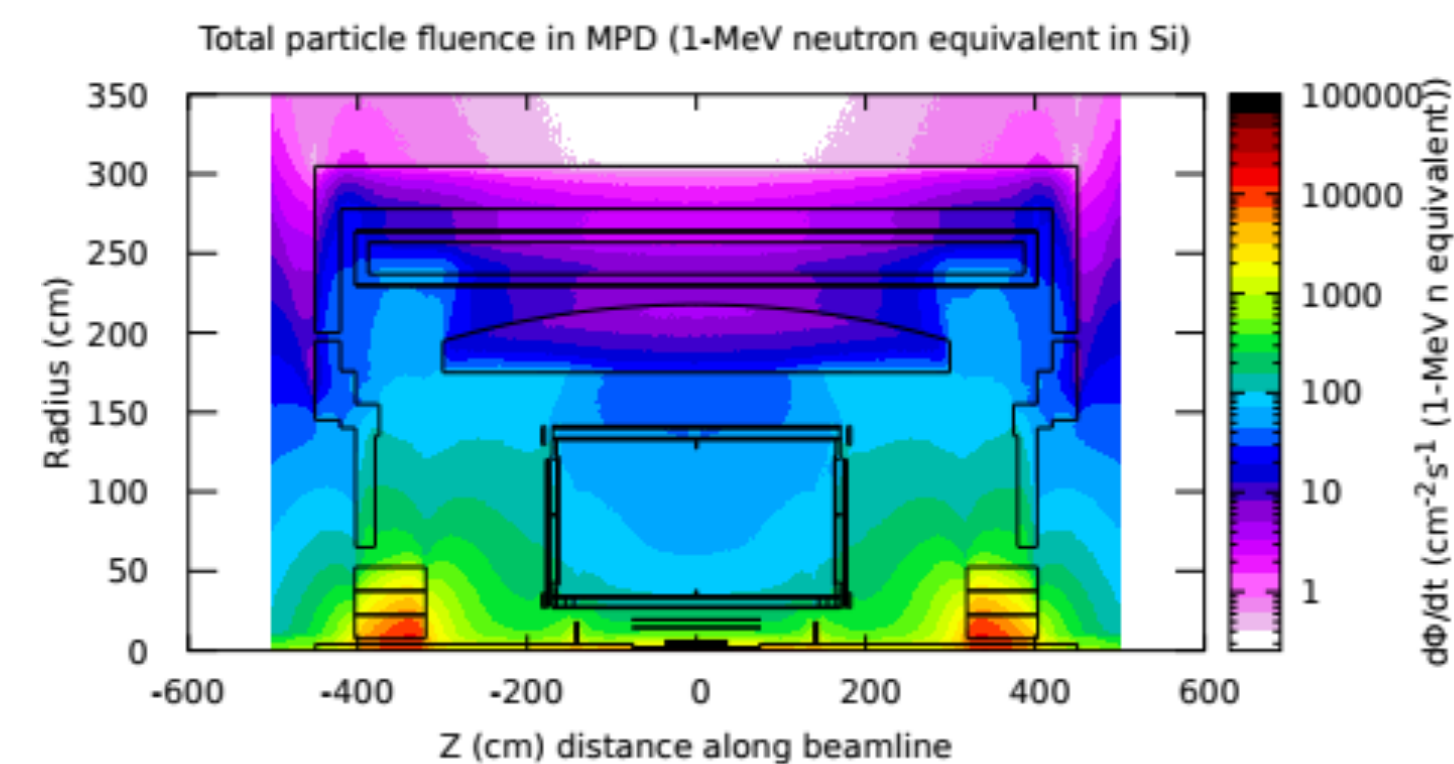
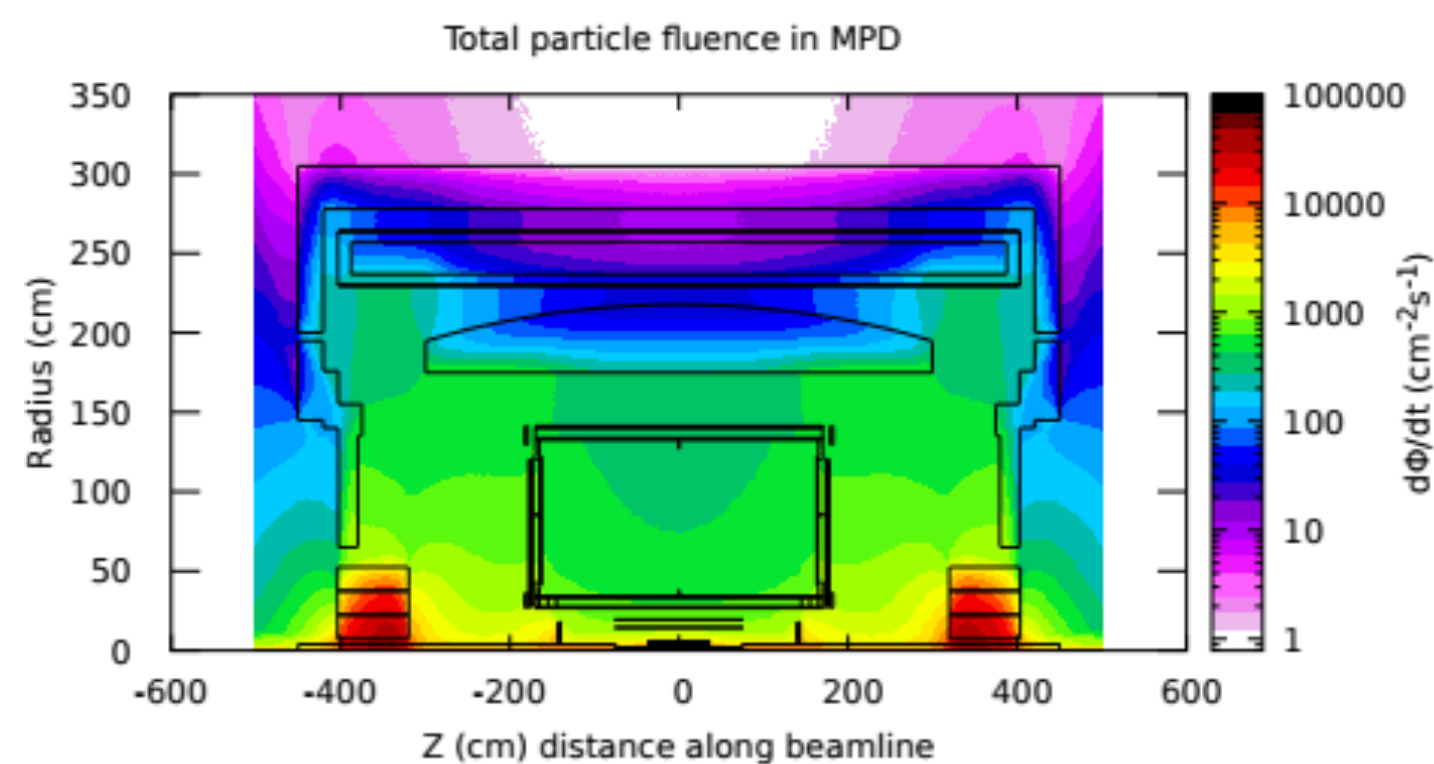
## ITS Region



TID rate for the two OB layers is of the order of  $5 \times 10^{-5}$  Rad/s

Assuming a yearly running time for the MPD of 50%, this amounts only to **around 10 kRad over 10 years.**

## Full MPD Region



Very low dose rate of about  **$10^{-9}$  Rad/month** on the zone just above the MPD yoke, where the ITS readout electronic will be placed.