



# Report of the SPD spokespersons

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# SPD Conceptual Design Report

CDR was **presented** on the meeting of the JINR Program Advisory Committee  
for particle physics in Jan, 2021

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Conceptual design of the Spin Physics Detector

Version 1.0

The SPD proto-collaboration\*

**International Detector Advisory committee was  
formed to review the CDR**



**Andrea Bressan, INFN/  
University of Trieste  
chair**



**Peter Hristov,  
CERN**



**Pasquale di Nezza,  
INFN, Frascati**

**SPD DAC presented the report on the CDR at the PAC session in Jan, 2022**

CDR was **approved** by the JINR Program Advisory Committee for particle  
physics in Jan, 2022

# PAC recommendations

The PAC notes with interest the evaluation report presented by A. Bressan on behalf of the SPD DAC. The Committee held several meetings with the SPD team and asked several questions concerning the SPD detector concept. In addition to that, issues related to the NICA complex infrastructure for polarized beams and possible interactions between the SPD and MPD experiments were discussed in depth. The answers to the DAC's questions were satisfactory and the presentations during the joint meetings were well received by the committee. The DAC particularly appreciated the improvements in the SPD conceptual design with respect to the original CDR, namely changing the magnet location to be outside the ECAL, the possible use of a full MAPS inner tracker, and the clarifications on the straw detectors and the ZDC. On the basis of all that, and following the recommendation of the DAC, the PAC approves the SPD CDR and asks the SPD team to move forward to the TDR preparation. The PAC appreciates the important role of the DAC in the SPD project evaluation and requests periodic DAC reports.

# SPD Technical Design Report

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October 2, 2022

**TDR is almost ready. Just 3 significant updates are expected:**

- ✱ magnet
- ✱ MCP detectors
- ✱ MAPS vertex detector

**Technical Design Report of the Spin Physics Detector**

The SPD collaboration

**We hope to complete the document within a few weeks and make it available for everyone at [spd.jinr.ru](http://spd.jinr.ru)**

**At [arxiv](https://arxiv.org) - in the beginning of the next year**



# SPD Magnetic System

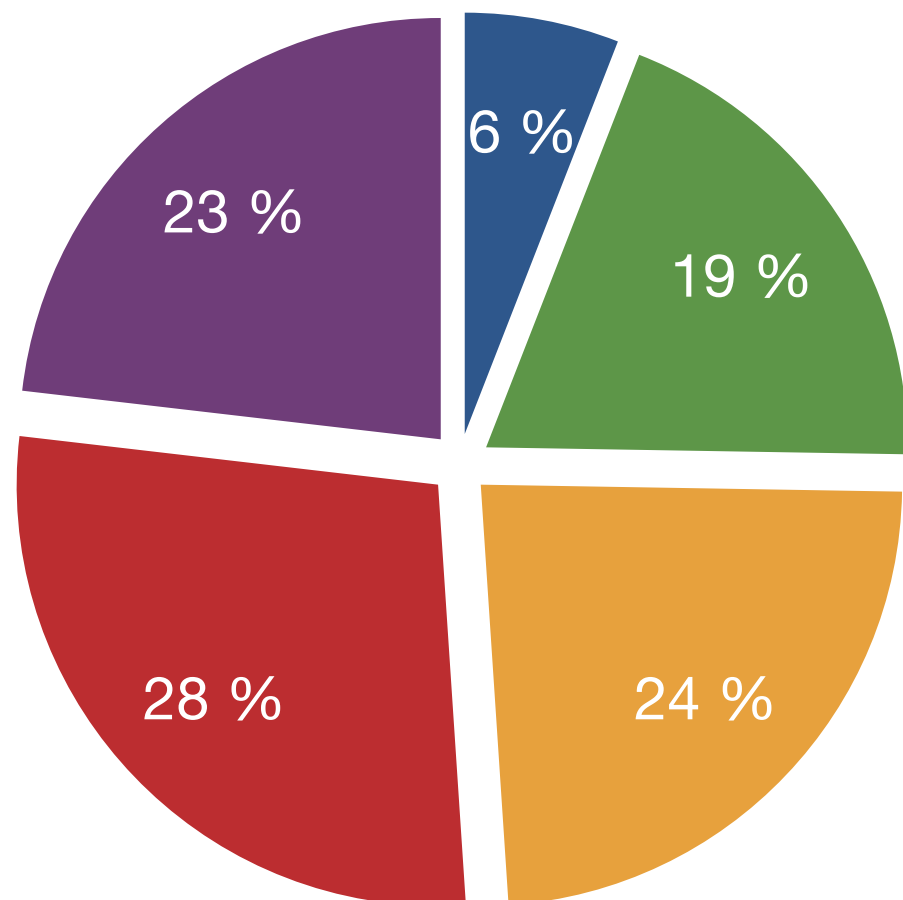
**two concepts:**

- PANDA-like by Novosibirsk
- Nuclotron cable based by JINR

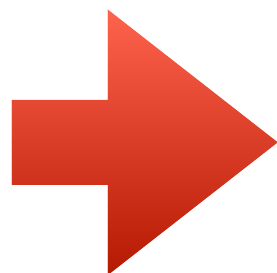
Decision should be taken by the SPD Technical Board based on the external expertise of two projects (both are presented in TDR) till the end of November

# Cost estimate

- Infrastructure
- Computing
- Electronics
- Detectors
- Magnet+Cryo



Subsystem	Option	Phase	Cost, M\$
SPD setup	Vertex detector:		
	– DSSD	II	11.3
	– MAPS	II	15
	Micromegas Central Tracker	I	0.8
	Straw tracker	I+II	3.0
	PID system:		
	– TOF	II	2.0
	– Aerogel PID system	II	2.4
	ECAL		
	– Phantom	I	0.4
		I+II	9.4
	Range system	I+II	16.1
	ZDC	I+II	0.6
	BBC	I+II	0.5
	Magnetic system		
	Novosibirsk option	I+II	8.2
	JINR option	I+II	7.6
	& cryogenic infrastructure	I+II	
	Novosiborsk option	I+II	3.4
	JINR option	I+II	3.1
	Beam pipe		
	– Al	I	0.1
	– Be	II	0.4
General infrastructure		I	1.2
		I+II	1.7
Slow control system		I	1.0
		I+II	1.8
Data acquisition system		I	0.8
		I+II	1.9
Computing		I	4
		I+II	12
TOTAL COST	stage I		40.1
	stage I+II		79.3



	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029
NICA Collider commissioning			Commissioning runs					
MPD extended config. construction and operation				System design and production			Detector extended mode operation	
Construction of NICA collider extended config.								
Prep. and start of polarized beam operation			SC-solenoids production and tests				Spin transparency mode operation	
SPD construction and commissioning			R & D, prototyping, testing	SPD systems production and assembly			SPD operation	
Nuclotron modernization			R & D, prototyping, testing	Magnets production, ring assembly			New Nuclotron operation	

# SPD and in JINR 7-year plan

## The nucleon spin structure and other polarization phenomena in nucleon–nucleon and nucleon–nucleus interactions

The SPD research programme will extend the ongoing research programmes of the COMPASS++/AMBER experiment (at SPS, CERN) on hadron structure and spectroscopy investigations with high-intensity muon and hadron beams, as well as with polarized proton beams at the STAR facility (RHIC), in which teams of VBLHEP and DLNP scientists of JINR will continue to take part during 2024–2028.

*JINR's participation in these programmes will be coordinated with the JINR's efforts on the creation of the SPD detector and its research programme.*

Scientific projects	Material costs for development and modernization of facilities	Material costs for operation and maintenance of facilities	Electricity costs for operation of facilities	Total 2024–2030
NICA accelerator complex	211.3	49.0	32.7	293.0



# Prolongation of the SPD project at JINR

- ✱ We were ready to do that for the period 2023-2025 at the summer PAC meeting. The project passed successfully through the VBHEP Scientific and Technical Council.
- ✱ Since the summer meeting of the PAC was not convened, the SPD project was prolonged automatically for 2023 according to a special procedure.
- ✱ We will think about further prolongation of the project as soon as we know the schedule of the PAC meetings next year.



# MoU signing

- 5 MoUs are fully signed:

- PNPI, Gatchina
- AANL, Yerevan
- INR, Troitsk
- SamSU, Samara
- INP MSU, Moscow

- 2 MoUs are agreed

- LPI (Moscow)
- SPbSU (St. Petersburg)

**24** researchers

**6** PhD students

**11** students

# New group from MEPhI

Group leader **Grigory Nigmatkulov**

## Points of interest

### Hardware

- Beam-Beam Counters (scintillation part) in cooperation with JINR
- Other possibilities can be discussed

### Software & Computing

- BBC model
- Adoption of heavy ion MC generators to SpdRoot
- Distributed computing system

### Physics

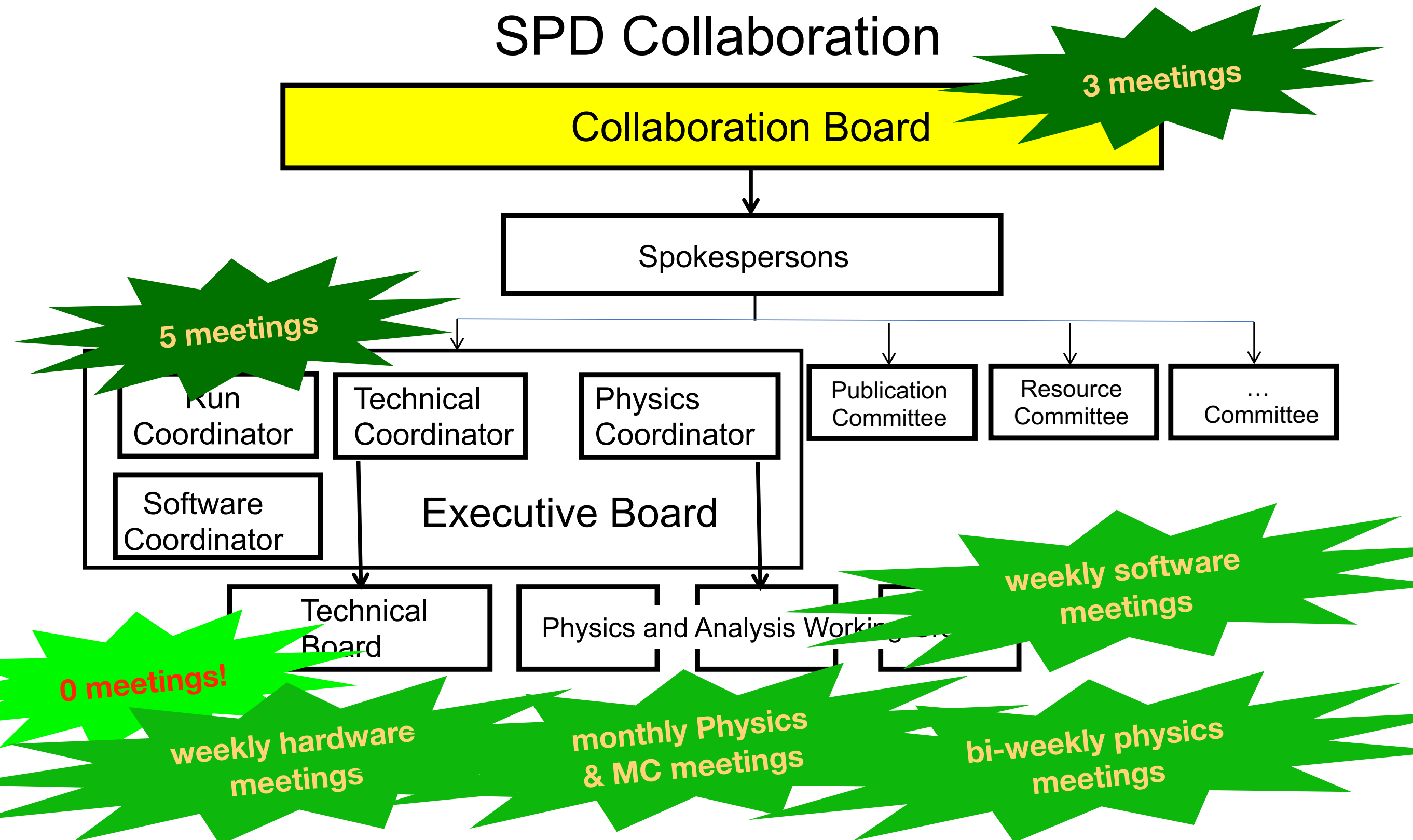
- Spin physics ( $J/\psi$  polarization)
- Search for exotic particles
- Physics of relativistic heavy-ion collisions



## Experience:

STAR  
ATLAS  
LHC-b

# Collaboration in 2023





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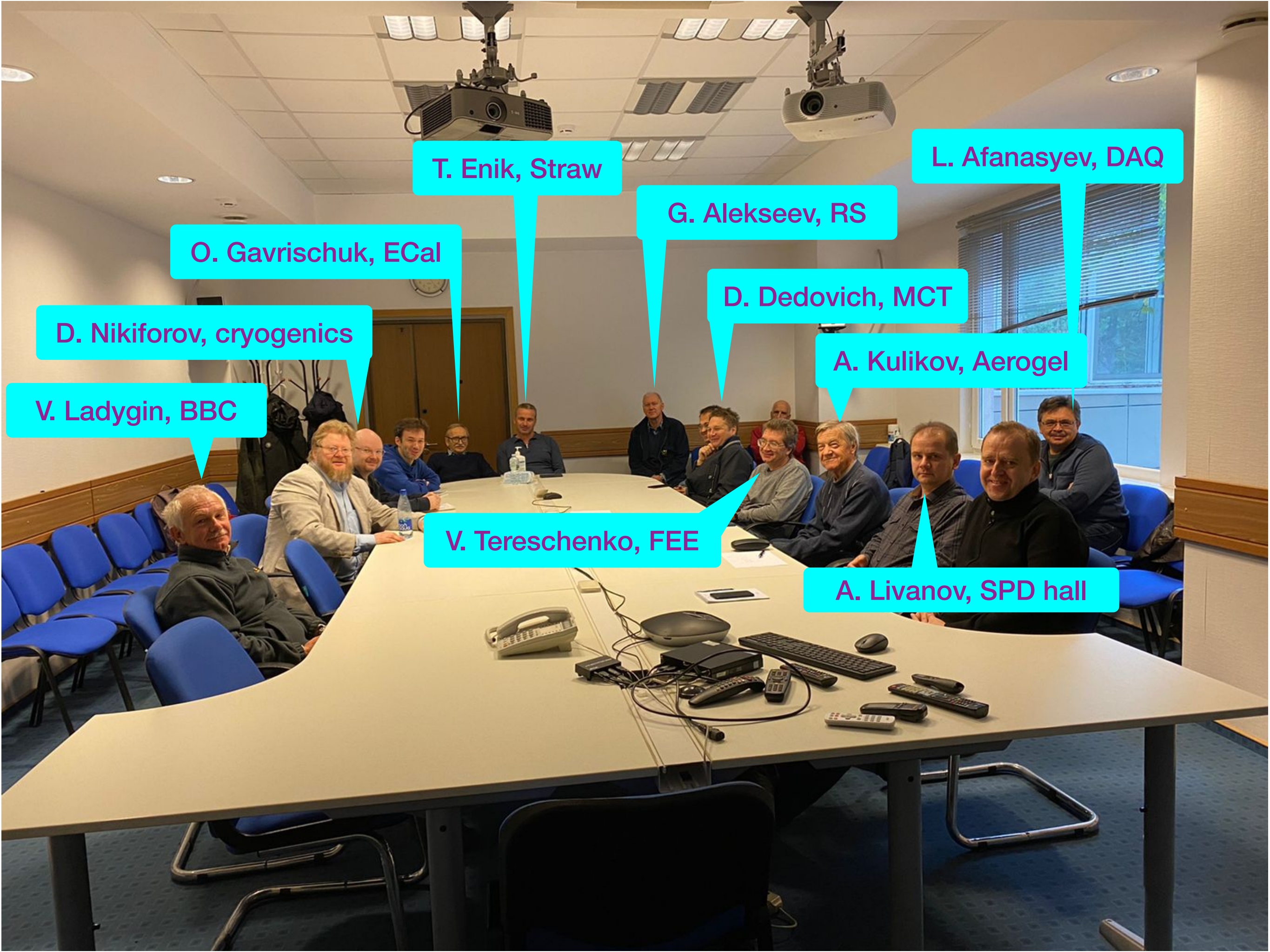


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