A Dark Matter Technology Network (DMTechNet)

The idea

Dark Matter:

- Next-generation experiments often beyond capabilities of a single lab
- Many common interests: beams, magnets, RF, cavities, cryo, detectors, underground infrastructures, software, data,...
- Facilities (not an exhaustive list):
 - underground facilities at Boulby, Gran Sasso, Modane, ...
 - beamlines at CERN, Bonn, Frascati, DESY,...;
 - magnets and RF at CERN, DESY, IJCLab,;
 - Detector developments: every HEP lab ☺
- Technologies developed in collider-based experiments (intense beams, RF, detectors) complement the APPEC activities
- → This calls for a combined action to further dark matter research in Europe complementary to iDMEu and the DRDs

Proposal: Form a "Dark Matter Technology Network"

- Improved flow of information on expertise, on infrastructures and facilities, and on their planning;
- Set up of the necessary communication structures, collaborative tools software infrastructure (a la HEPSF-KEY4HEP for colliders);
- Expertise and support in the respective fields (detectors, RF, magnets,)
- Access to the relevant infrastructures and facilities
- Prepare grounds for common future funding applications on the European level with the aim of setting up new experiments and necessary infrastructures
- Supported by the EPPSU output 🙂

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