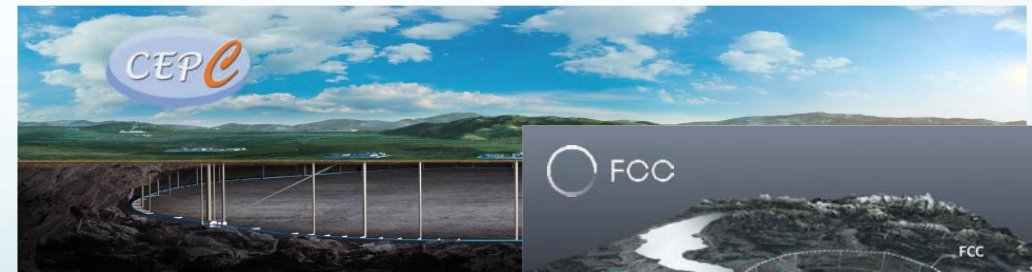
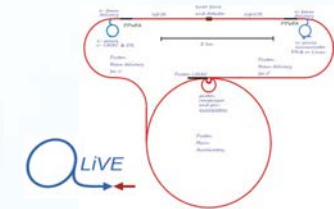
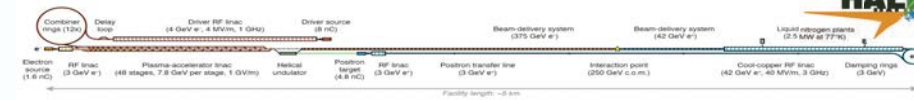
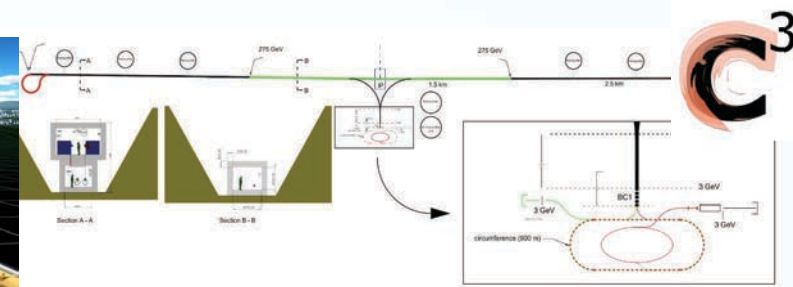
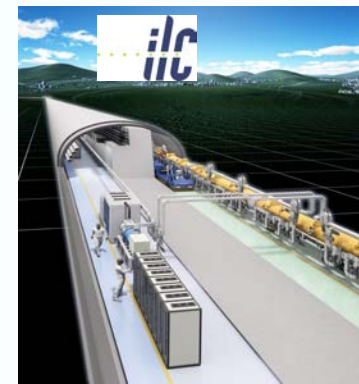


Accelerator R&D for next HEP e^+e^- Colliders

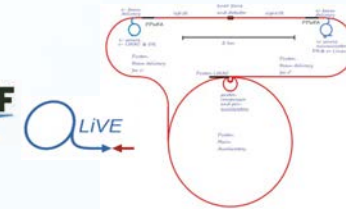
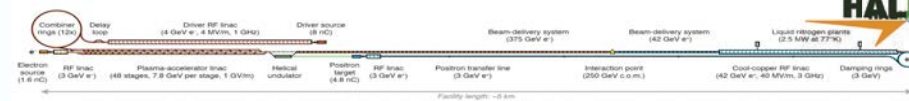
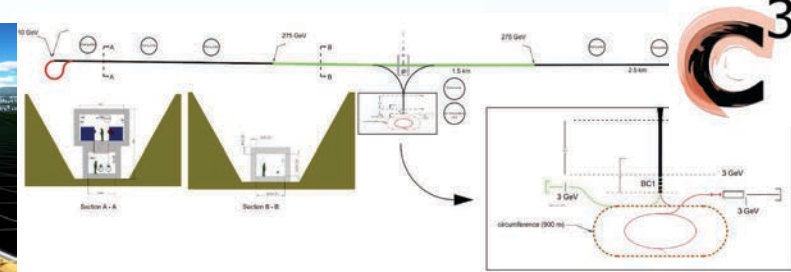
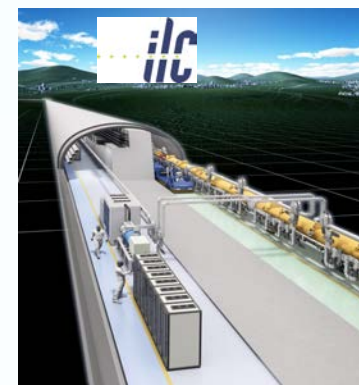
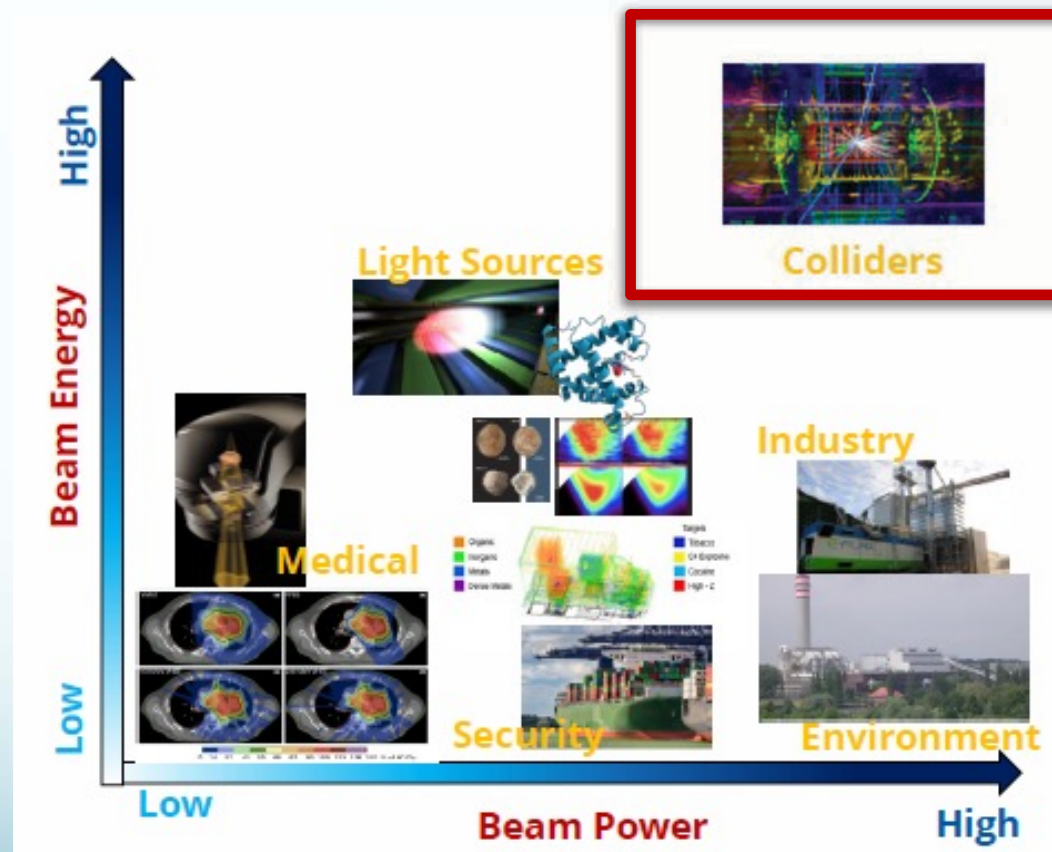
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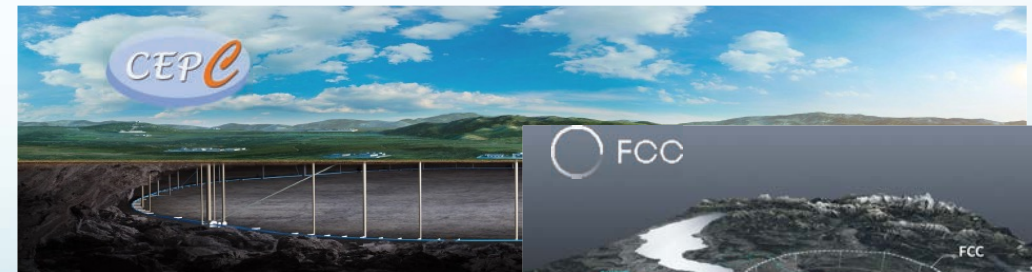
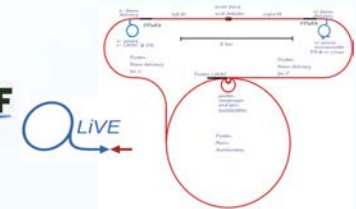
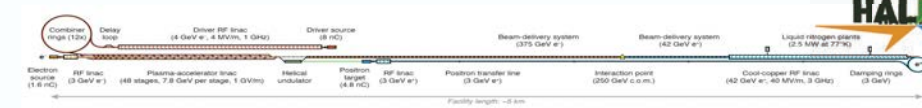
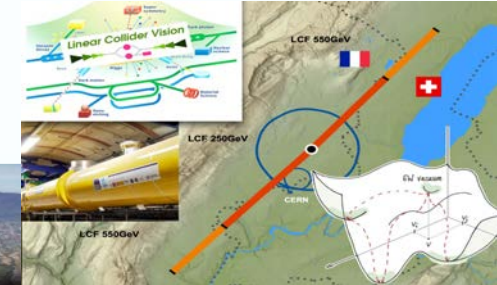
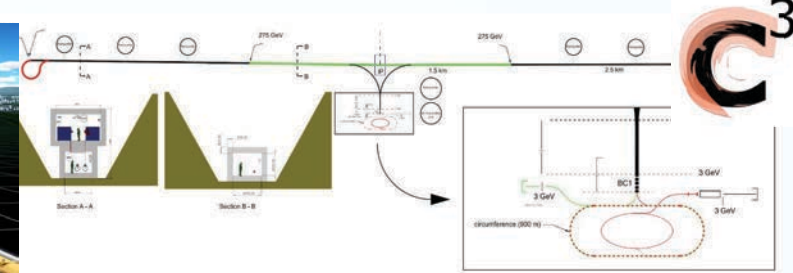
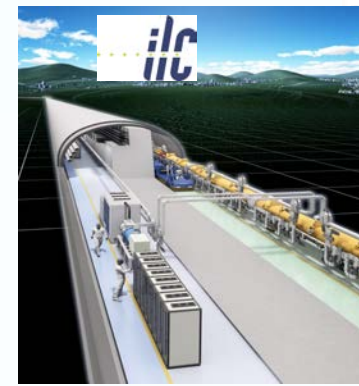


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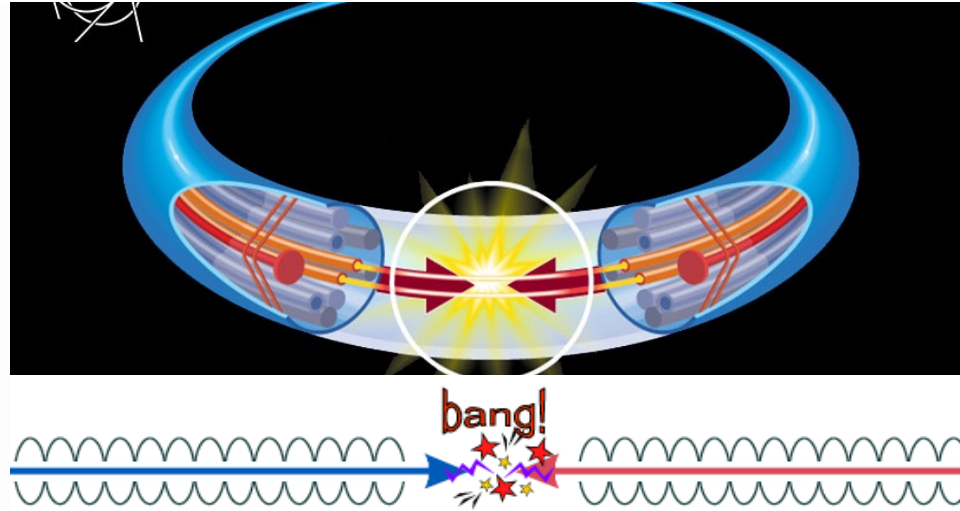


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COLLIDERS FOR HEP



COLLIDERS ARE THE
MOST POWERFUL
INSTRUMENTS FOR
DISCOVERIES AND
PRECISION
MEASUREMENTS

The main advances in High-Energy Physics in the last century have been possible thanks to the **Colliders**



THE PERFORMANCE OF A PARTICLE COLLIDER
IS QUANTIFIED BY:



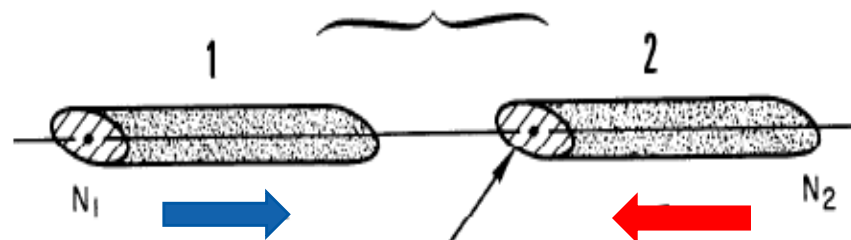
Energy
available for production
of new effects

Luminosity
number of useful
interactions

PERFORMANCE OF COLLIDERS



INTERACTION
REGION



AREA

NUMBER OF
PARTICLES

GAUSSIAN
BUNCH SIZE

$$4\pi\sigma_x\sigma_y$$

$$\frac{dR}{dt} = \mathcal{L} \sigma_p$$

$$\frac{f N_b N_1 N_2}{A}$$

REVOLUTION
FREQUENCY

NUMBER OF
BUNCHES

Energy

$$E_{cm}^2 = (E_1 + E_2)^2 - (\vec{p}_1 + \vec{p}_2)^2$$

BEAM ENERGY

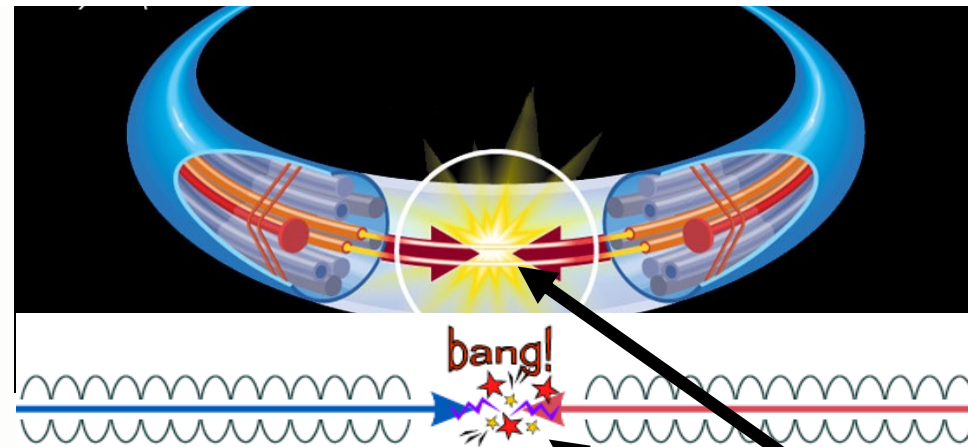
MOMENTUM

$$\vec{p}_1 = -\vec{p}_2 \text{ or } \vec{p}_2 = 0$$

COLLIDER

FIXED TARGET

MAXIMIZING PERFORMANCE



Maximum Luminosity

- Beam-Beam $\propto N$
- Beam density $\frac{N}{A} < D_c$

Precision Frontier

INCREASING LUMINOSITY
REQUIRES HIGH BEAM
CURRENTS.

HIGHER ENERGIES IMPLY
INCREASING THE SIZE AND
THE USE OF
TECHNOLOGICAL
IMPROVEMENTS

Higher Energy

$$\begin{aligned} E_{cm} &\propto \rho B \\ E_{cm} &\propto L G_{RF} \end{aligned}$$

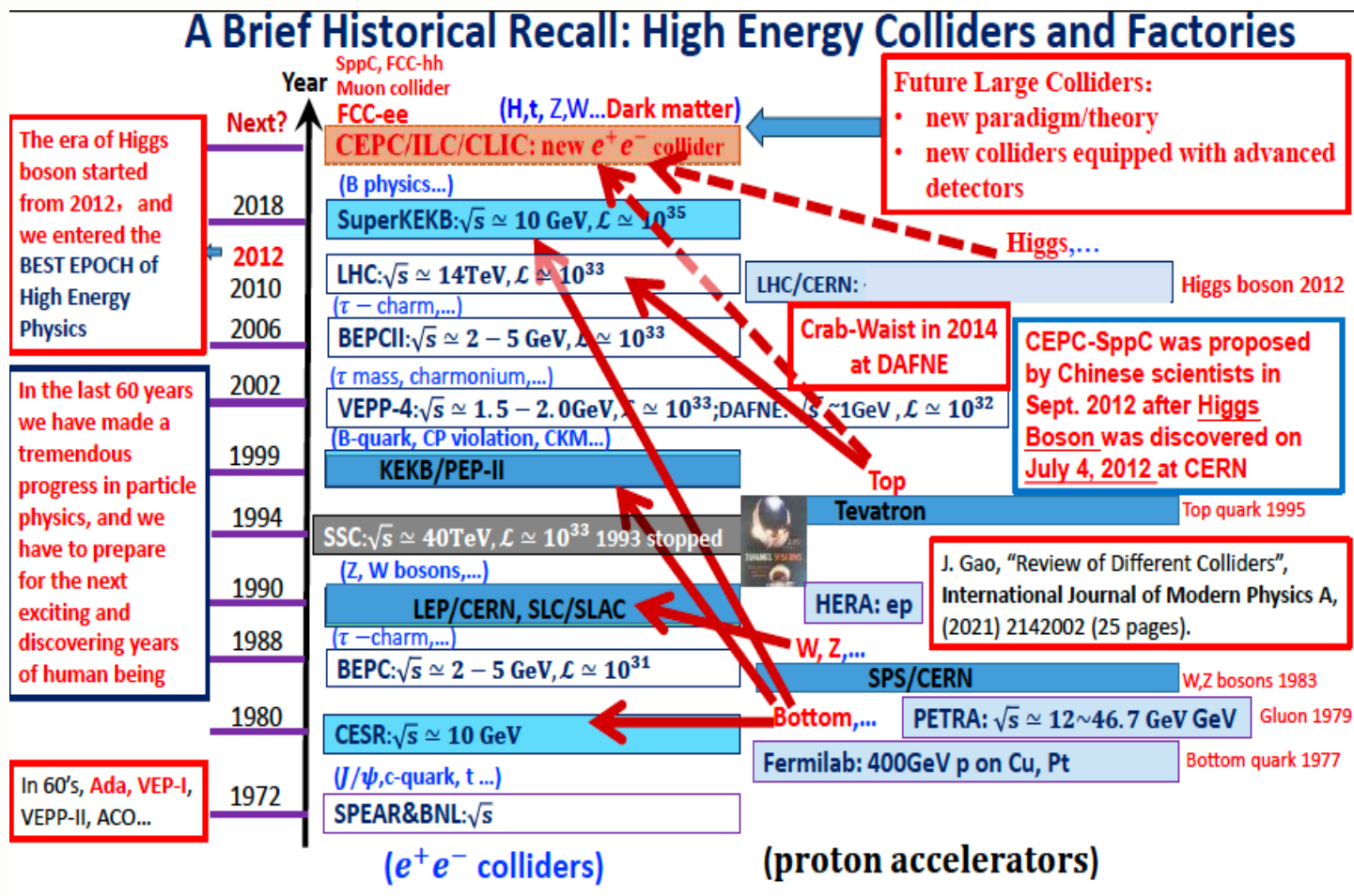
BENDING RADIUS
MAGNETIC FIELD
LENGTH
RF GRADIENT

Energy Frontier

20TH CENTURY COLLIDERS

ALL THE HEAVIER PARTICLES OF THE STANDARD MODEL WERE PRODUCED IN COLLIDERS

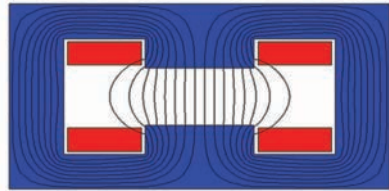
Since the 60s, when the first colliders were constructed to the LHC, colliders have become 3×10^4 LARGER and now achieve 10^7 times higher luminosity and energy.



COLLIDERS PROGRESS WAS ENABLED BY THE INTRODUCTION OF NEW CONCEPTS AND EMERGENCE OF NEW TECHNOLOGIES

CURRENT COLLIDER CONCEPTS

Separate function magnets



Dipoles for guiding



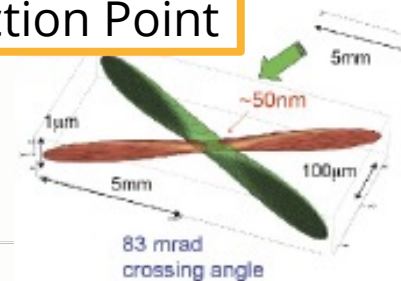
Quadrupoles for focusing

- higher field levels
- more optics flexibility

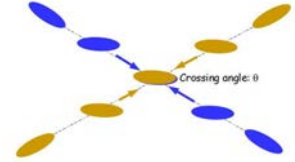
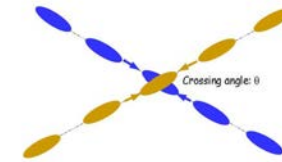
Strong focusing

Sequence of alternately converging and diverging magnetic lenses of equal strength is itself converging

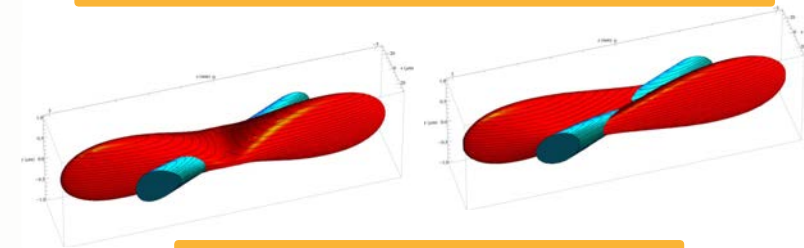
Nano beam sizes at Interaction Point



Colliding beams



Crab crossing schemes



Crab waist schemes

CURRENT TECHNOLOGIES

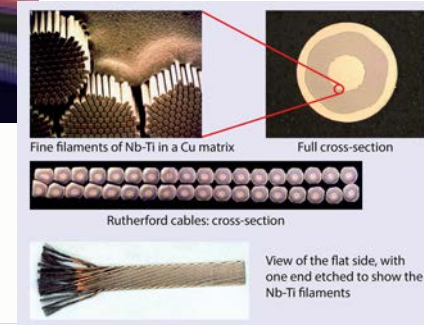
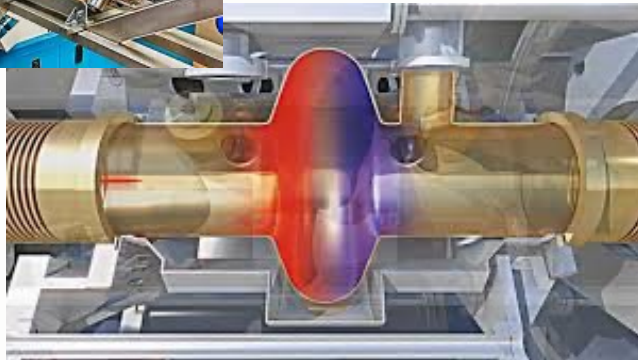
Superconducting RF systems

PETRA, TRISTAN and LEP-II started the massive use of SC RF systems

Superconducting magnets

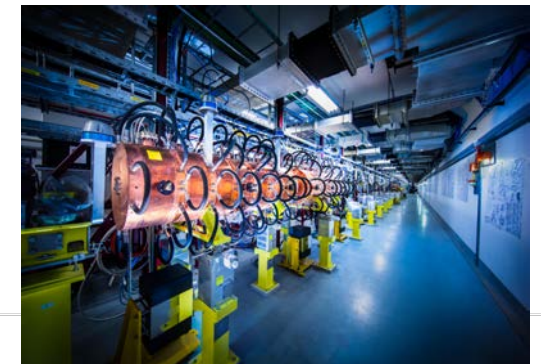
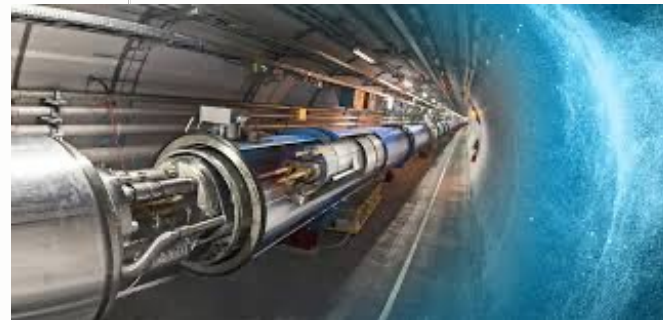
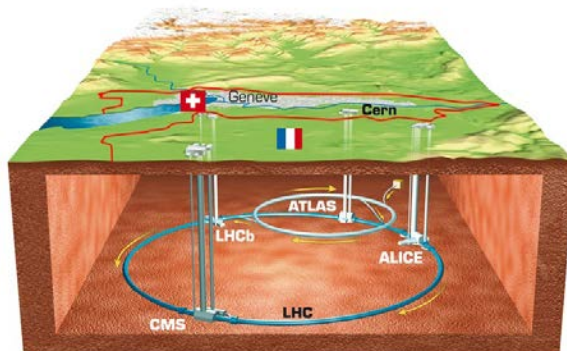
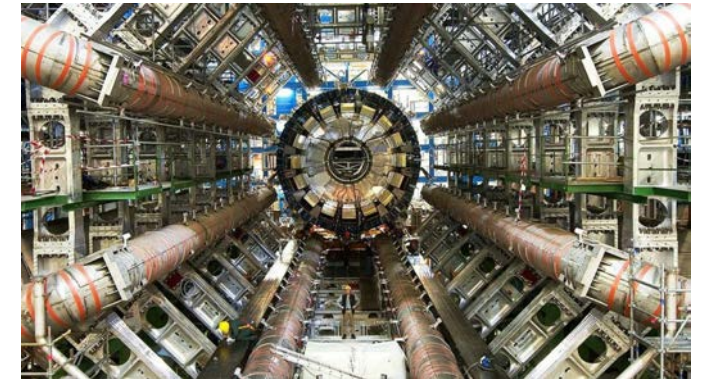
TEVATRON was the first accelerator based in SC magnets

HERA, RHIC and LHC use both SC RF and SC magnets



The Large Hadron Collider

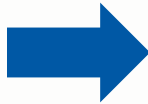
The LHC is the world's largest and most powerful collider. The LHC consists of a 27 km ring of thousands of SC magnets with a number of RF accelerating structures to boost the energy of the protons up to 7 TeV.



21ST CENTURY COLLIDERS

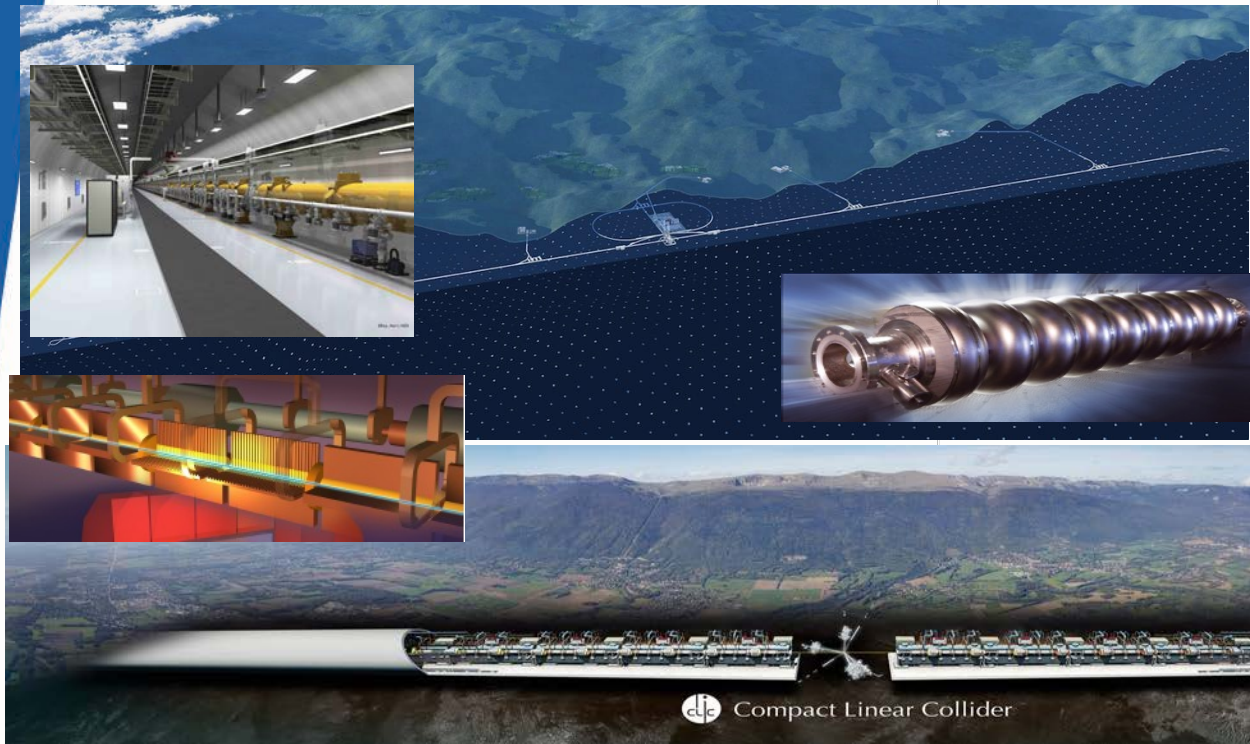
Pushing Precision frontier

ACCELERATORS TECHNOLOGIES ARE READY TO GO FORWARD FOR LEPTON COLLIDERS, HIGGS FACTORIES.

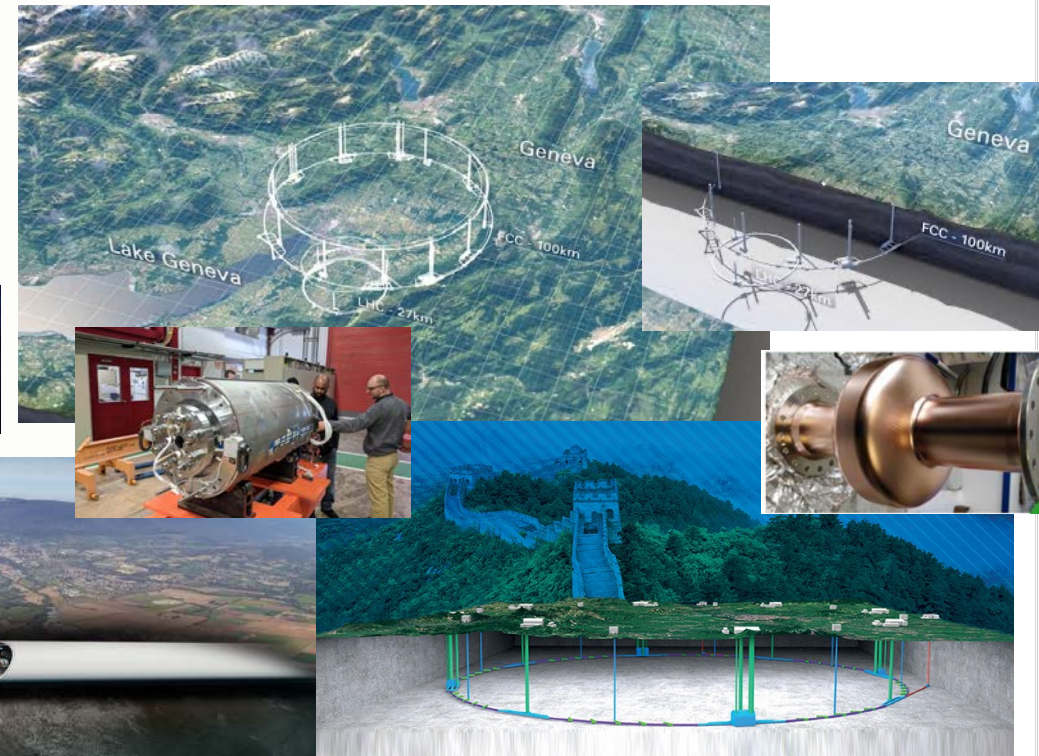


Pushing Energy frontier

NEW SC HIGH-FIELD MAGNETS AND ENERGY MANAGEMENT STRATEGIES ARE NECCESARY FOR ENERGY FRONTIER COLLIDERS



Higgs factories: ILC, CLIC, FCCee and CepC

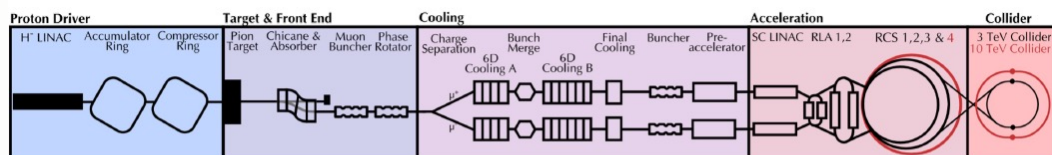


Energy frontier colliders: FCChh and SppC

ULTIMATE COLLIDERS

COOLING-FREE MUON COLLIDERS, PROMISE AN ENERGY EFFICIENT PATH TOWARDS LEPTON COLLISIONS. WHILE PLASMA ACCELERATORS OFFER UNPRECEDENT HIGH GRADIENTS HENCE COMPACT COLLIDERS

Muons colliders



Short, intense proton bunch

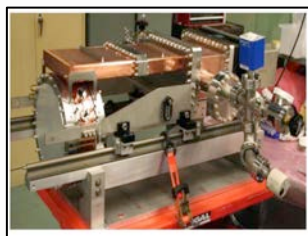
Protons produce pions which decay into muons which are captured

Ionisation cooling of muon in matter

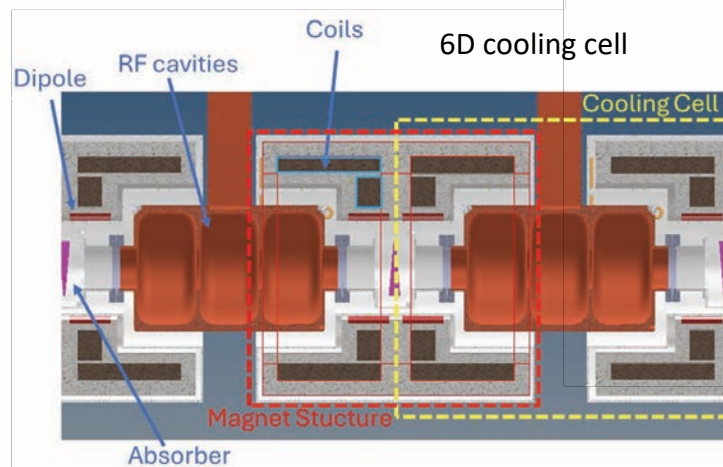
Acceleration to collision energy

Collision

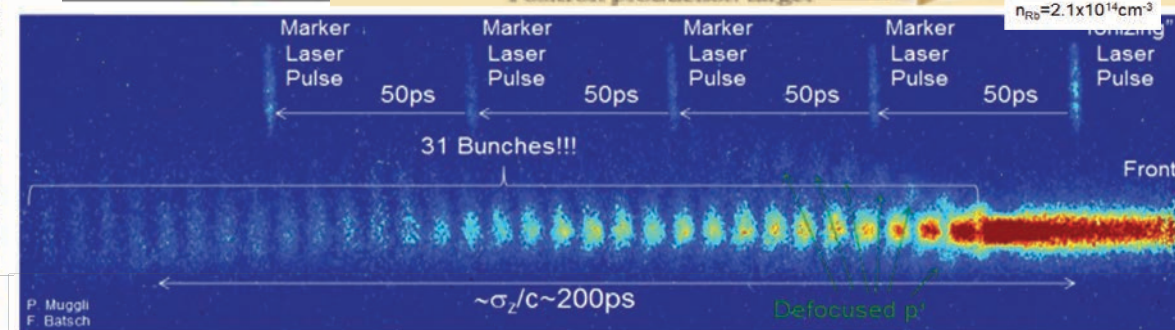
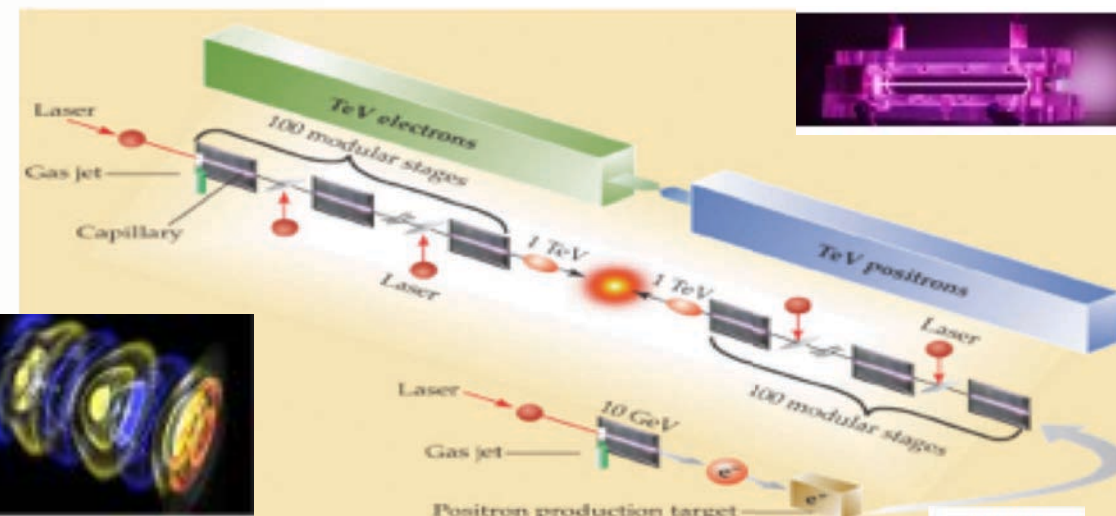
MuCool demonstrated
>50 MV/m in 5 T



Arc mitigation concept



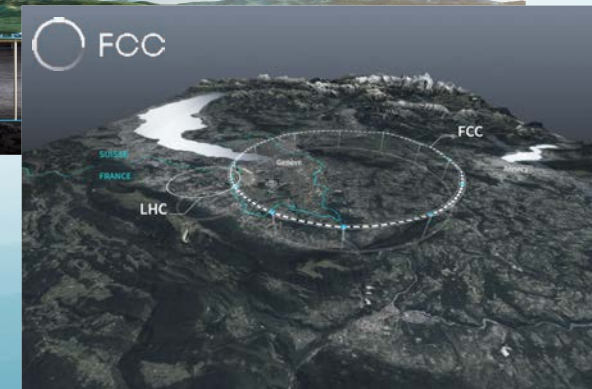
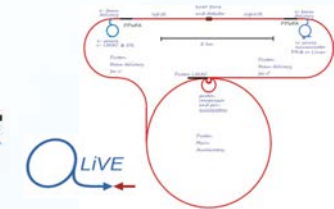
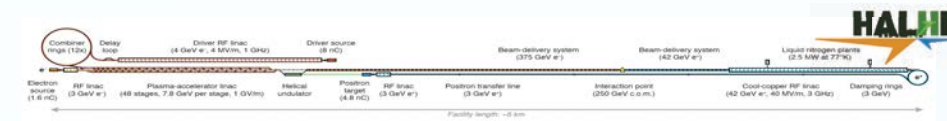
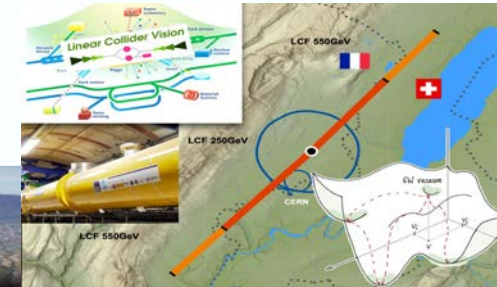
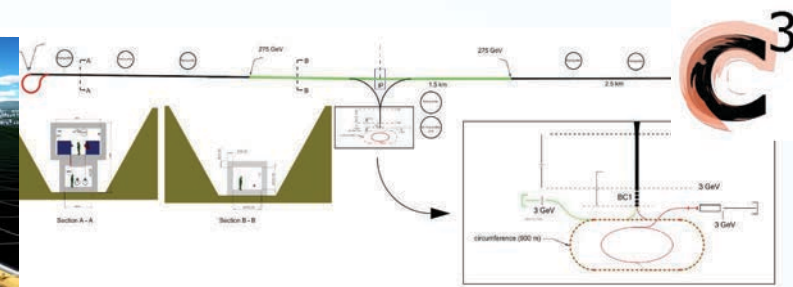
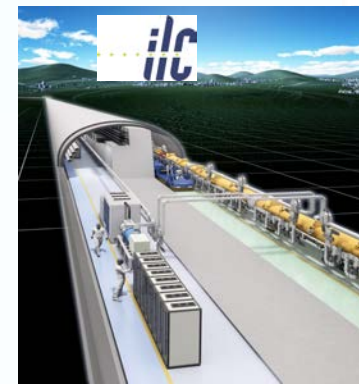
Plasma accelerators



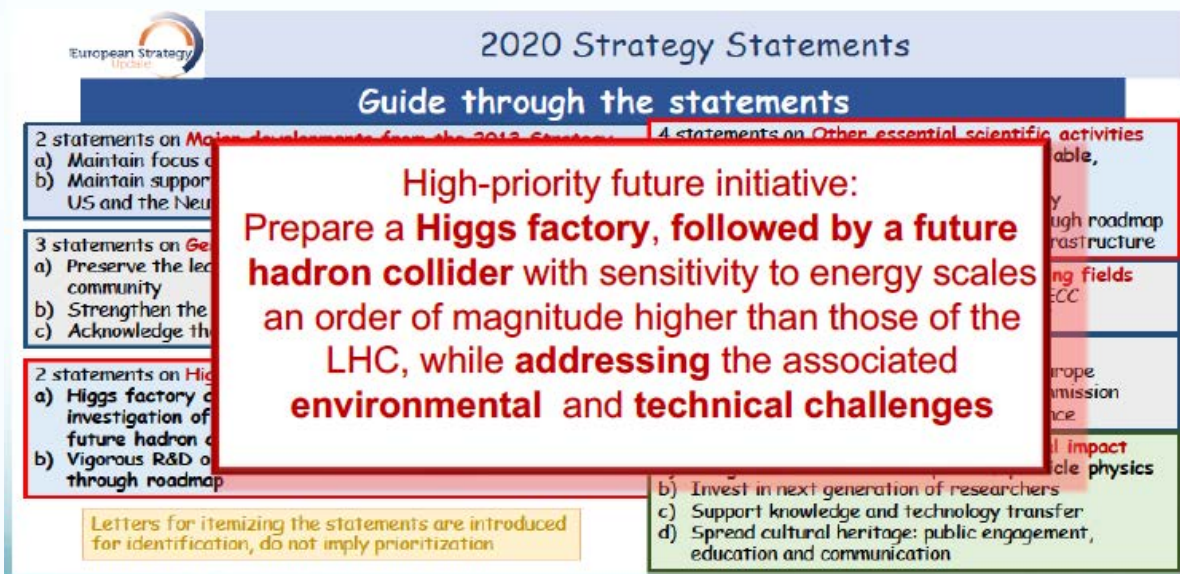
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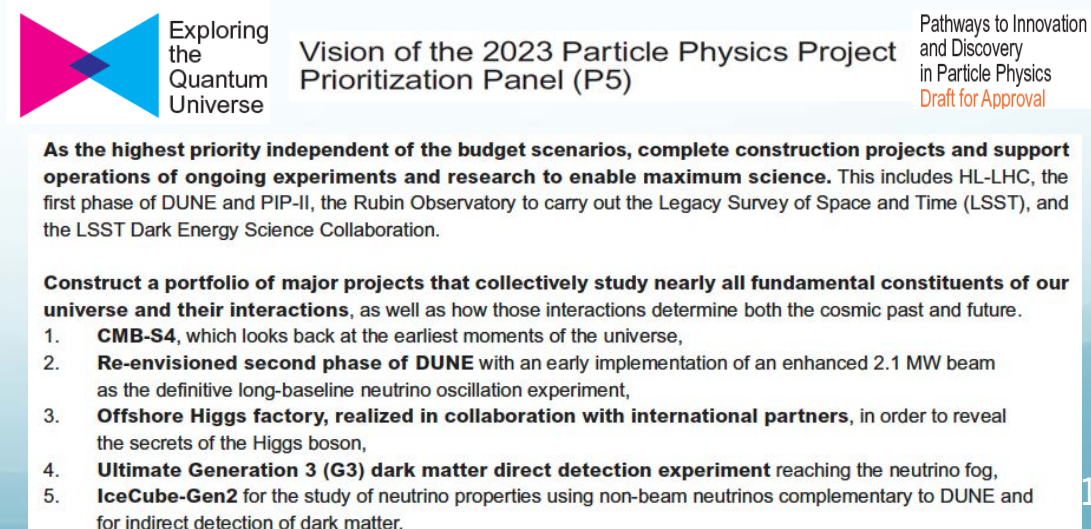
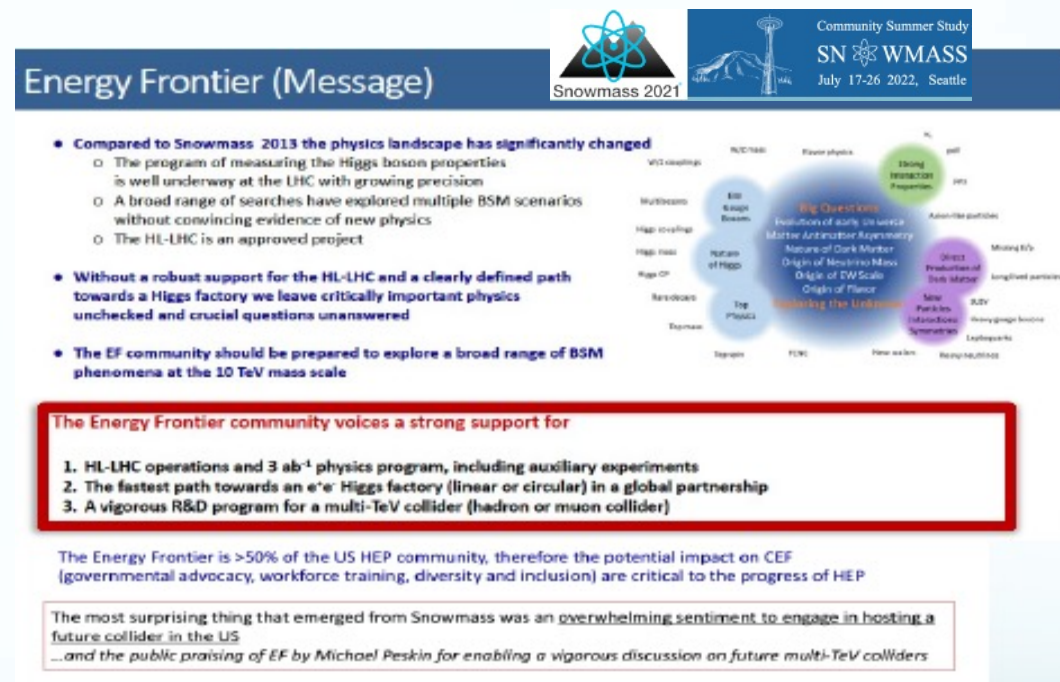
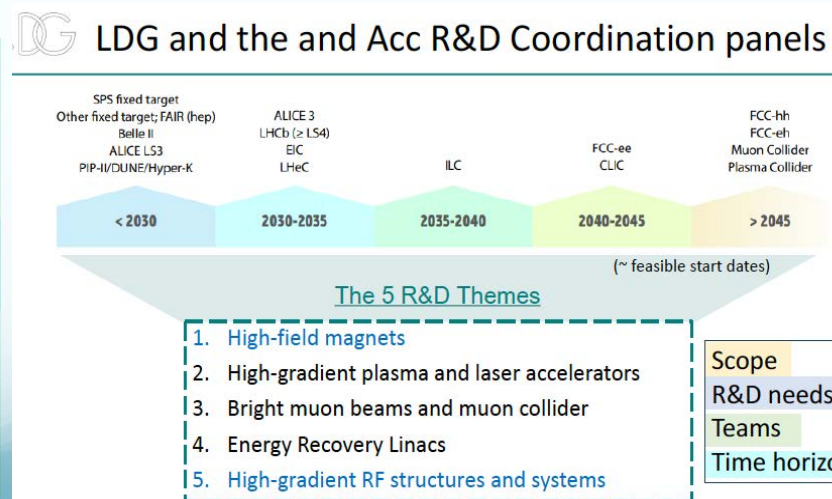
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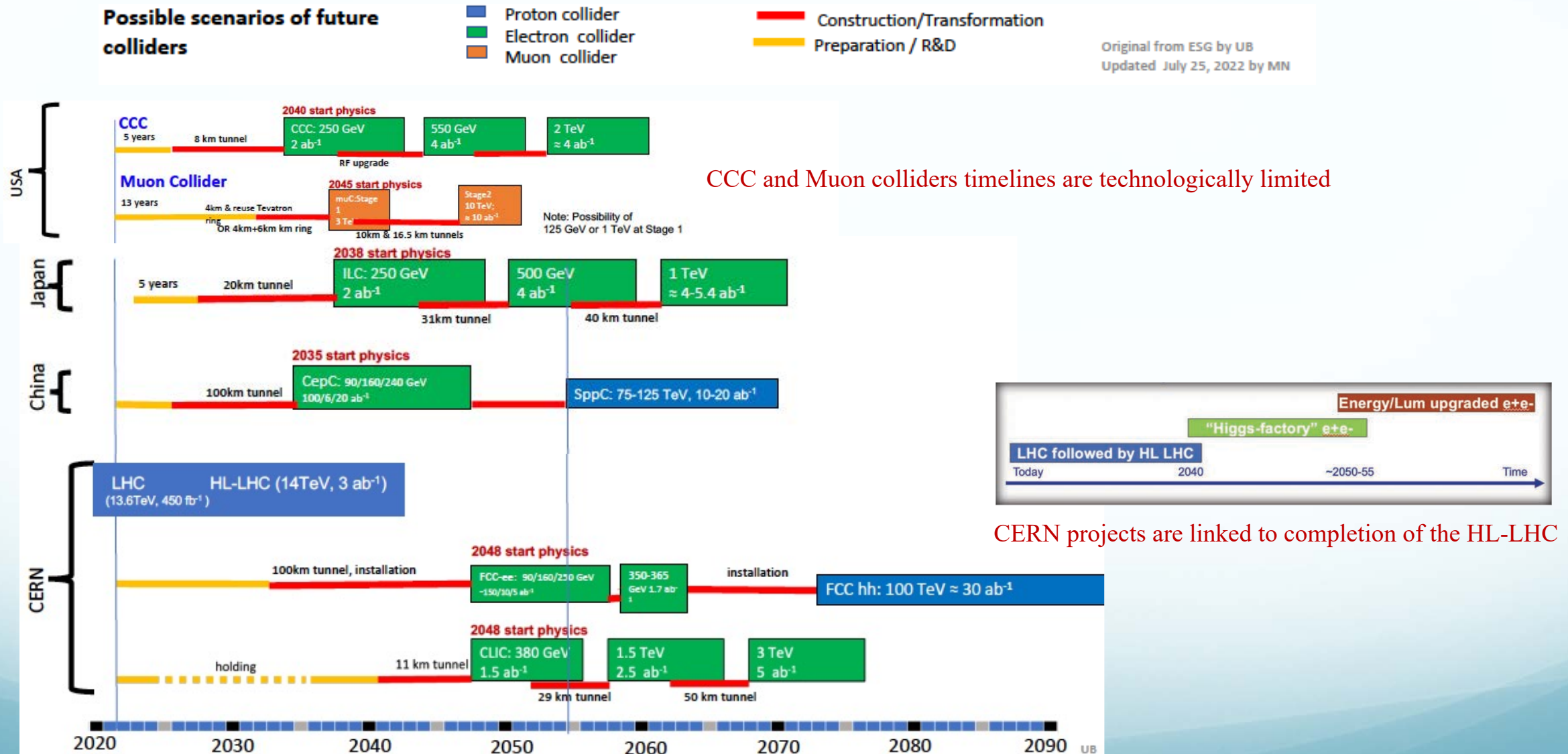
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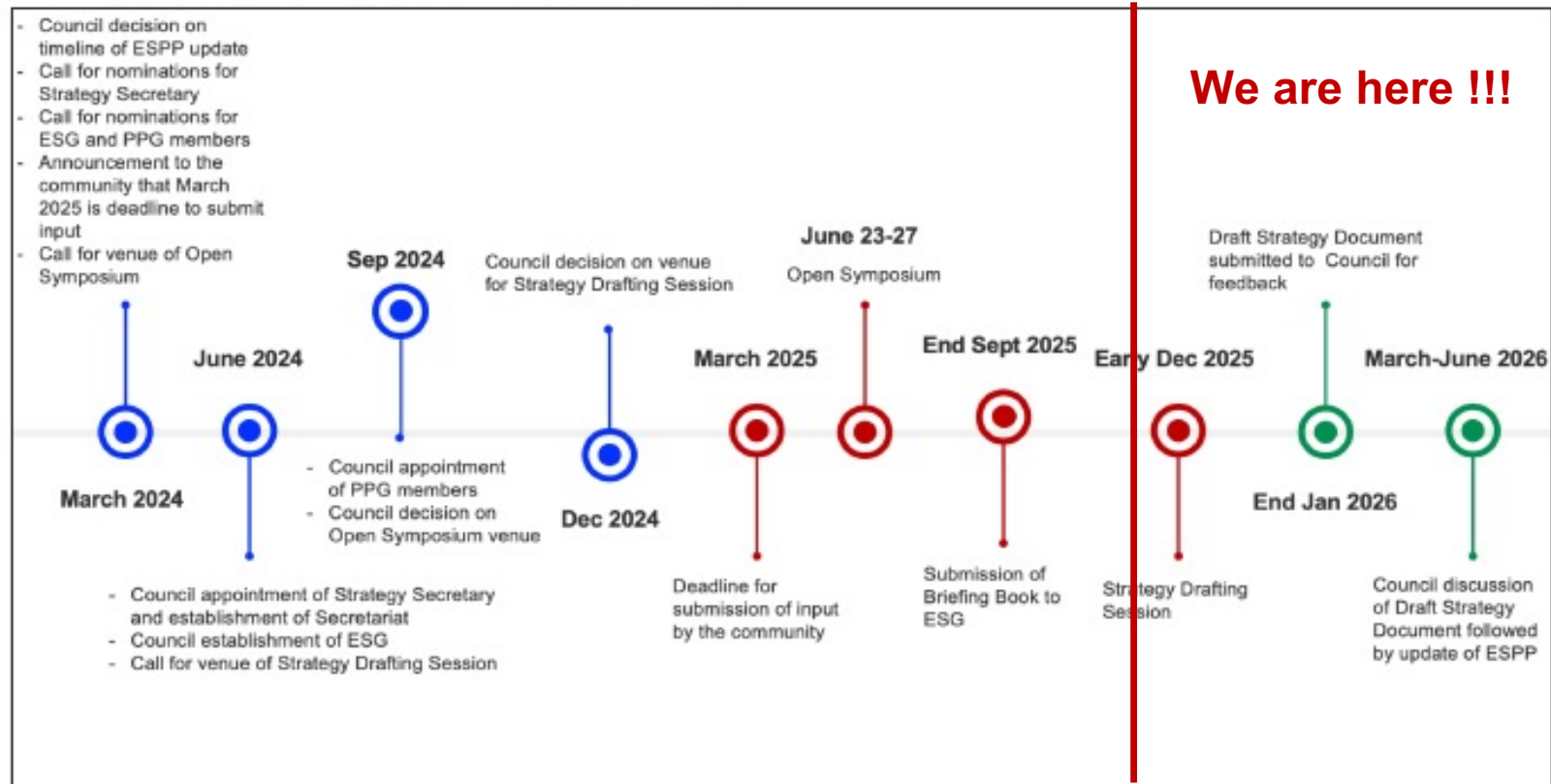
Context: HEP FC new Timelines Snowmass 21



Timeline for European Strategy Update 2026

- ❑ June 2024: appointment of Strategy Secretary, Strategy Secretariat and European Strategy Group (ESG) by CERN Council
- ❑ March 2025: deadline for submission of community input
- ❑ June 23-27, 2025: Open Symposium
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- ❑ June 2026: Strategy update by CERN Council → end of the process

CepC not entered in the 2025-2030 China strategic plan



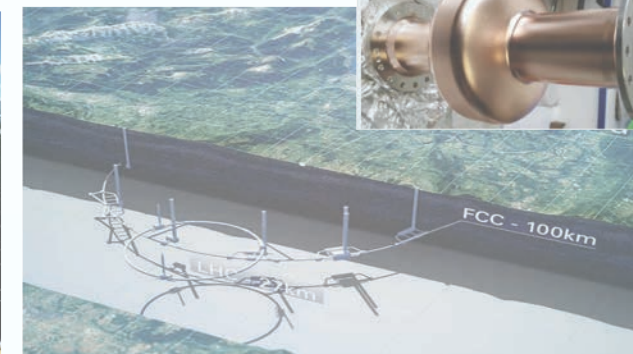
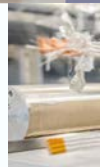
Present and Future Large Accelerator projects

An uncompleted view ...

In operation

In construction

Under study



International Large Scale

EPPSU
FCC/CLIC, ILC ?

2018 2020 2022 2024 2026

2048 2050 2052 2054 2056

LHC
ATF2
 Super KEKB
 XFEL
 ...

ESS
 SC linac

HL-LHC
 11T Nb₃Tn

FAIR

ATF3

HL-LHC (HL-LHC)
 Nb₃Tn/NbTn

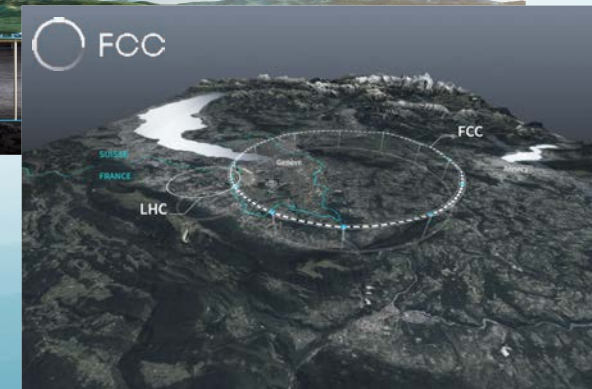
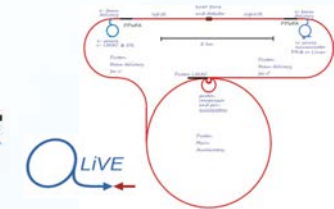
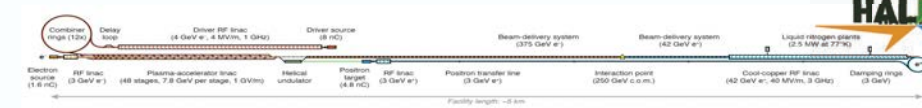
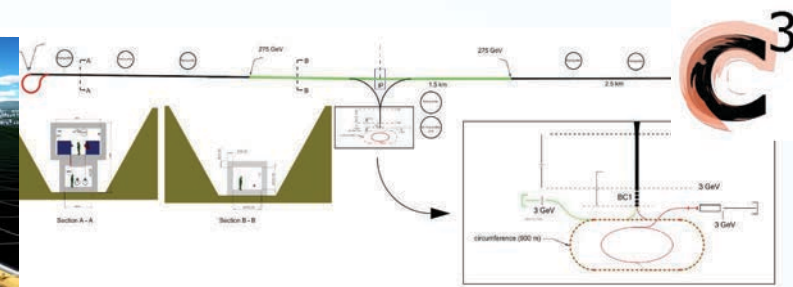
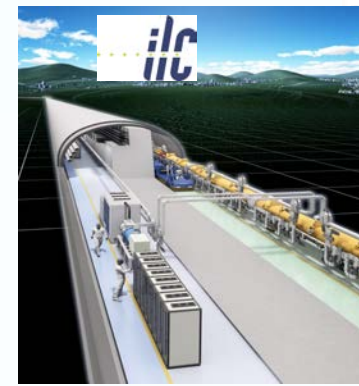
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 16T Nb₃Tn/NbTn

$\mu^+\mu^-$

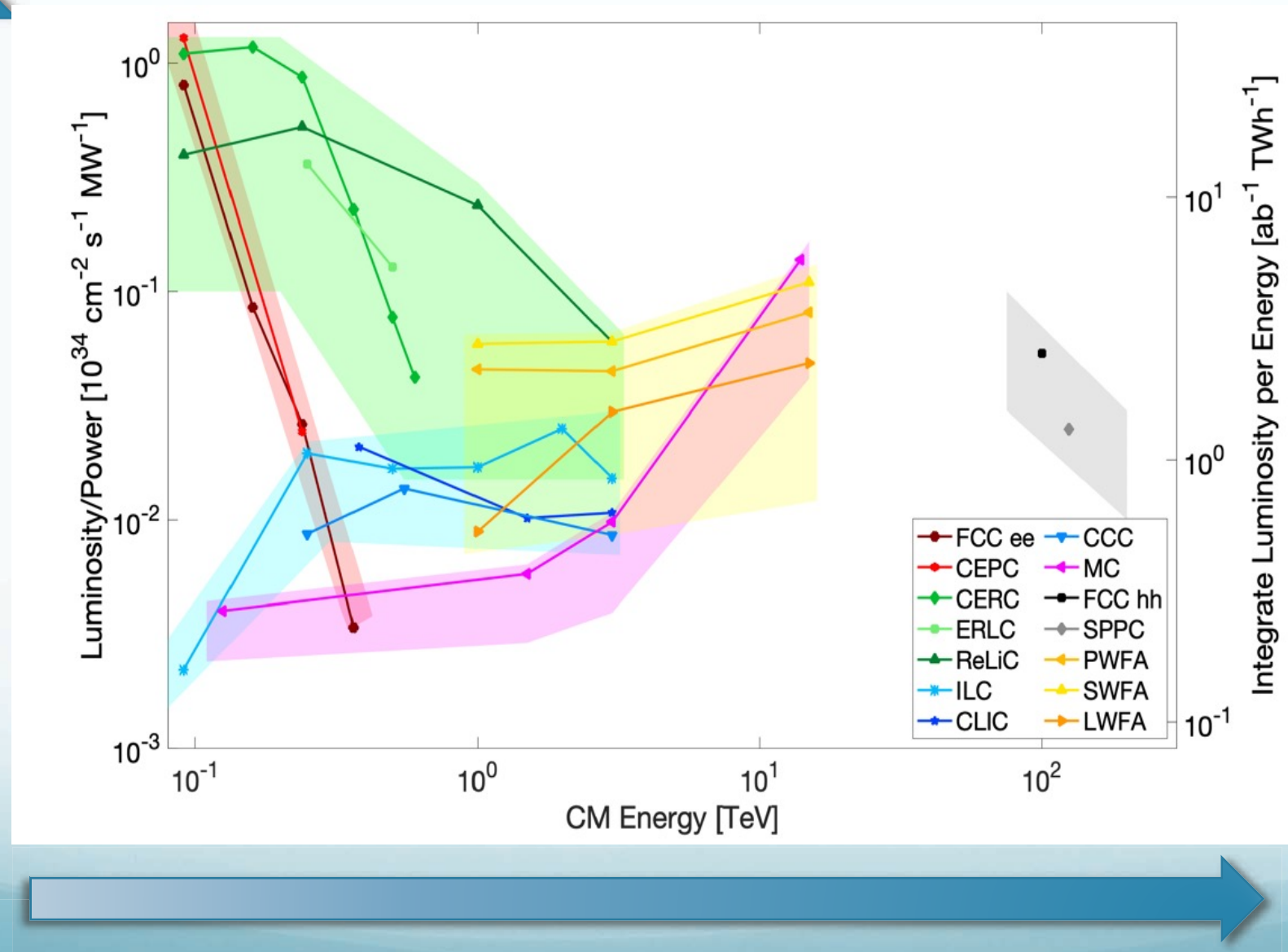
A complex choice

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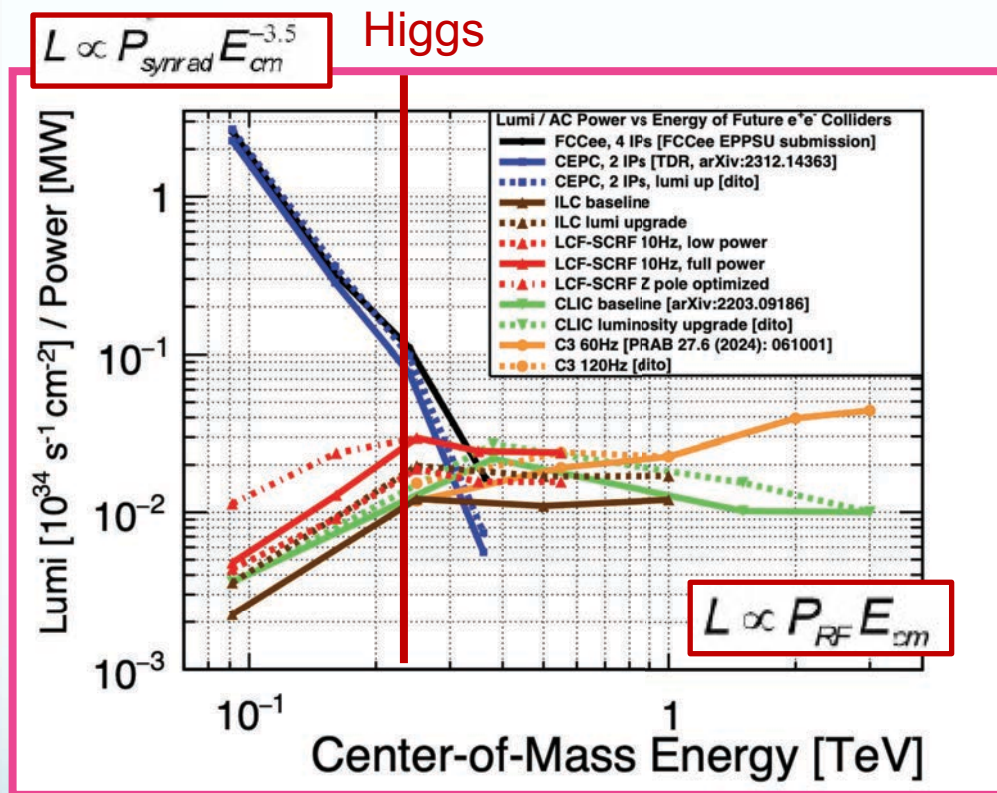
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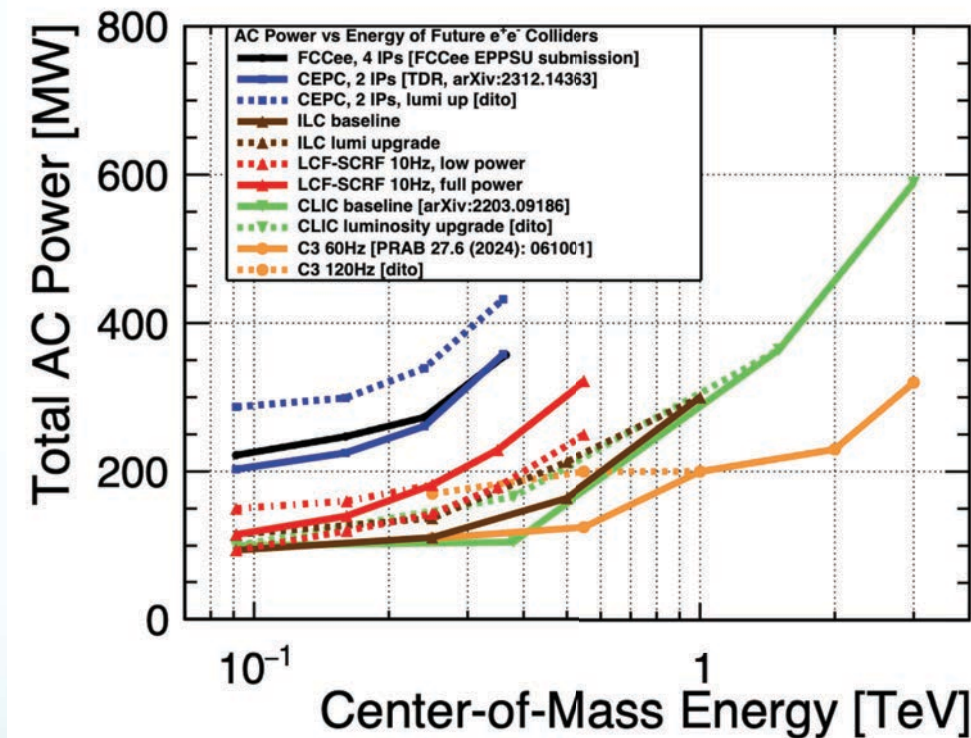
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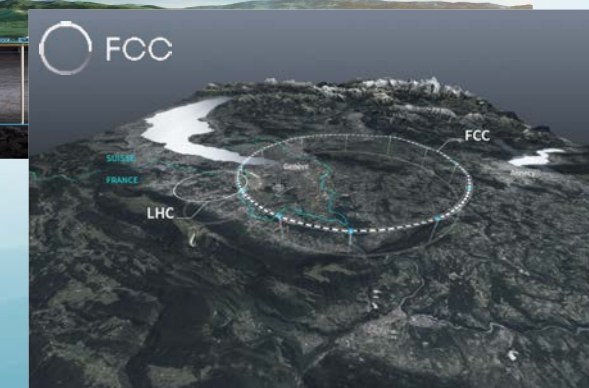
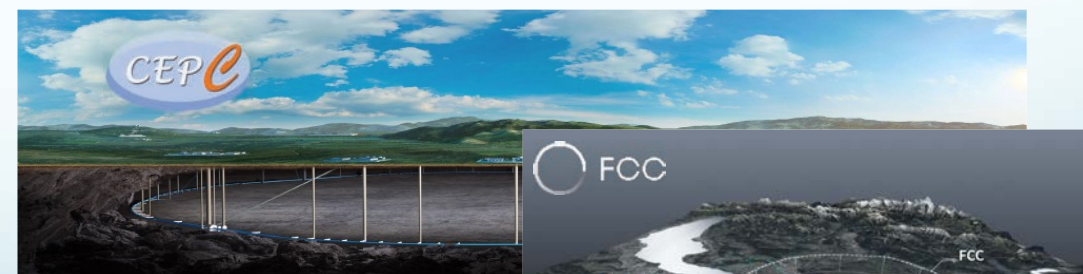
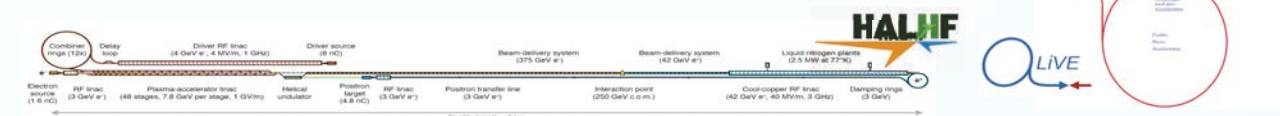
Luminosity & Energy Frontiers



Sustainability Frontier



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CCs Accelerator Challenges and Key Technologies

Energy

$$P_{SR} = I_e C \gamma \frac{E^4}{\rho_0}$$

Luminosity

$$L = \frac{f_{rev} n_b N_e^2}{4\pi \sigma_x^* \sigma_y^*}$$

Operation cost
\$ ~ P_{SR}

Construction cost
\$ ~ C

$$f_{rev} = \frac{c}{C}$$

Small beamspot $\sigma_x^* \sigma_y^*$ $\sigma^* = \sqrt{\beta^* \epsilon}$

$$I_e = N_e n_b f_{rev} e$$

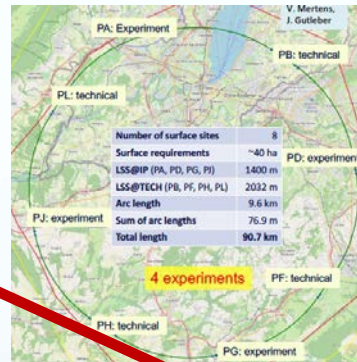
$$L = \frac{I_e^2}{4\pi \sigma_x^* \sigma_y^* f_{rev} e^2}$$

RF Technology

Nanobeam Technology

- Injector / booster / arcs (ϵ)
- Final focus (β^*)

SCRF



Key Technologies

Z

1-cell
400 MHz,
Nb/Cu

low R/Q , HOM damping,
powered by 1 MW RF
coupler and high efficiency
klystron

W, H

2-cell
400 MHz,
Nb/Cu

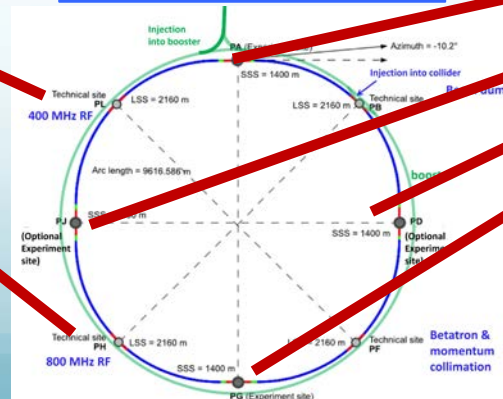
moderate gradient and HOM
damping requirements: 500 kW /
cavity, allowing reuse of klystrons
already installed for Z

liber, booster

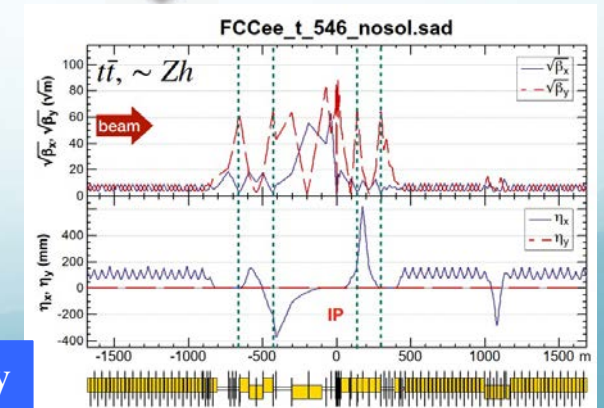
5-cell
800 MHz,
bN/Cu

high RF voltage and limited
footprint thanks to: multicell
cavities and higher RF frequency:
200 kW / cavity

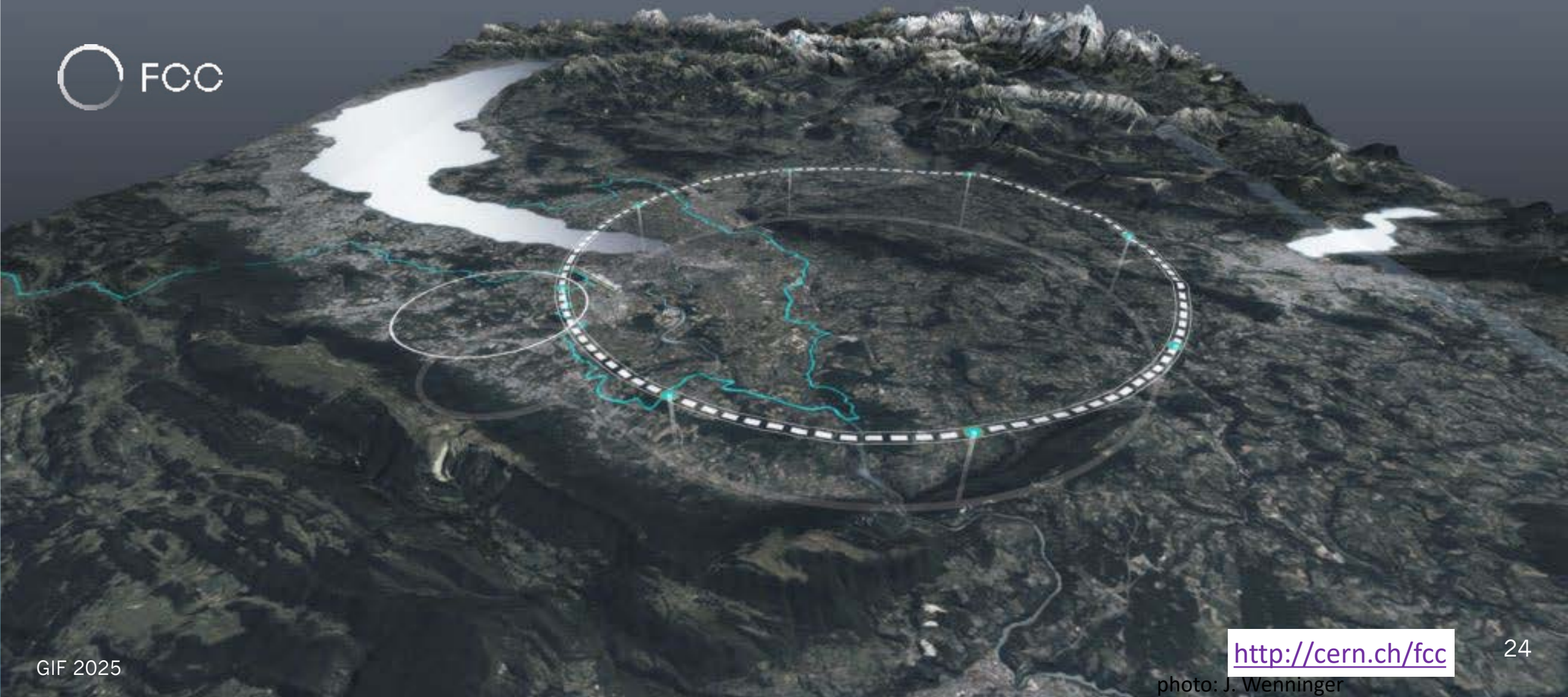
RF Technology



Nanobeam Technology

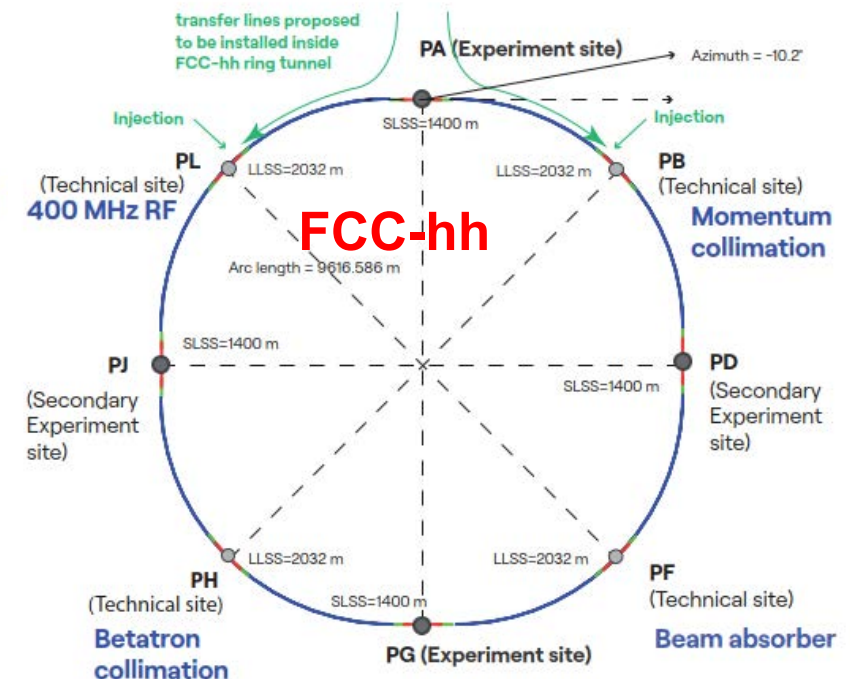
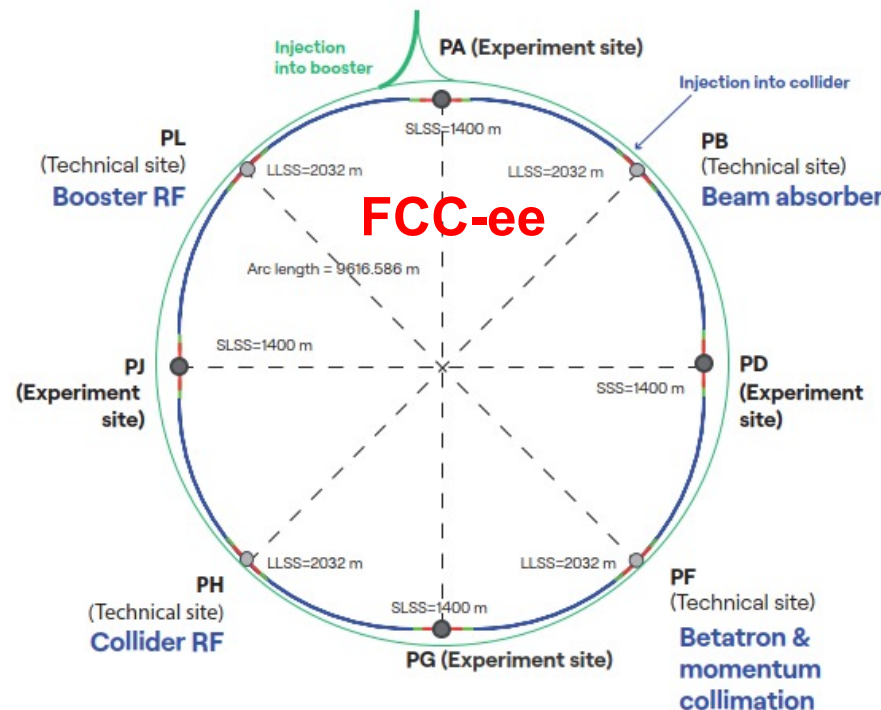


The FCC Integrated Program



FCC integrated program – scope

- stage 1: FCC-ee (Z, W, H, $t\bar{t}$) as Higgs factory, electroweak & top factory at highest luminosities
- stage 2: FCC-hh (~100 TeV) as natural continuation at energy frontier, pp & AA collisions; e-h option
- common civil engineering and technical infrastructures, building on and reusing CERN's existing infrastructure
- FCC integrated project allows the start of a new, major facility at CERN within few years of the end of HL-LHC exploitation



2020 - 2045

2046 - 2065

2070 - 2100

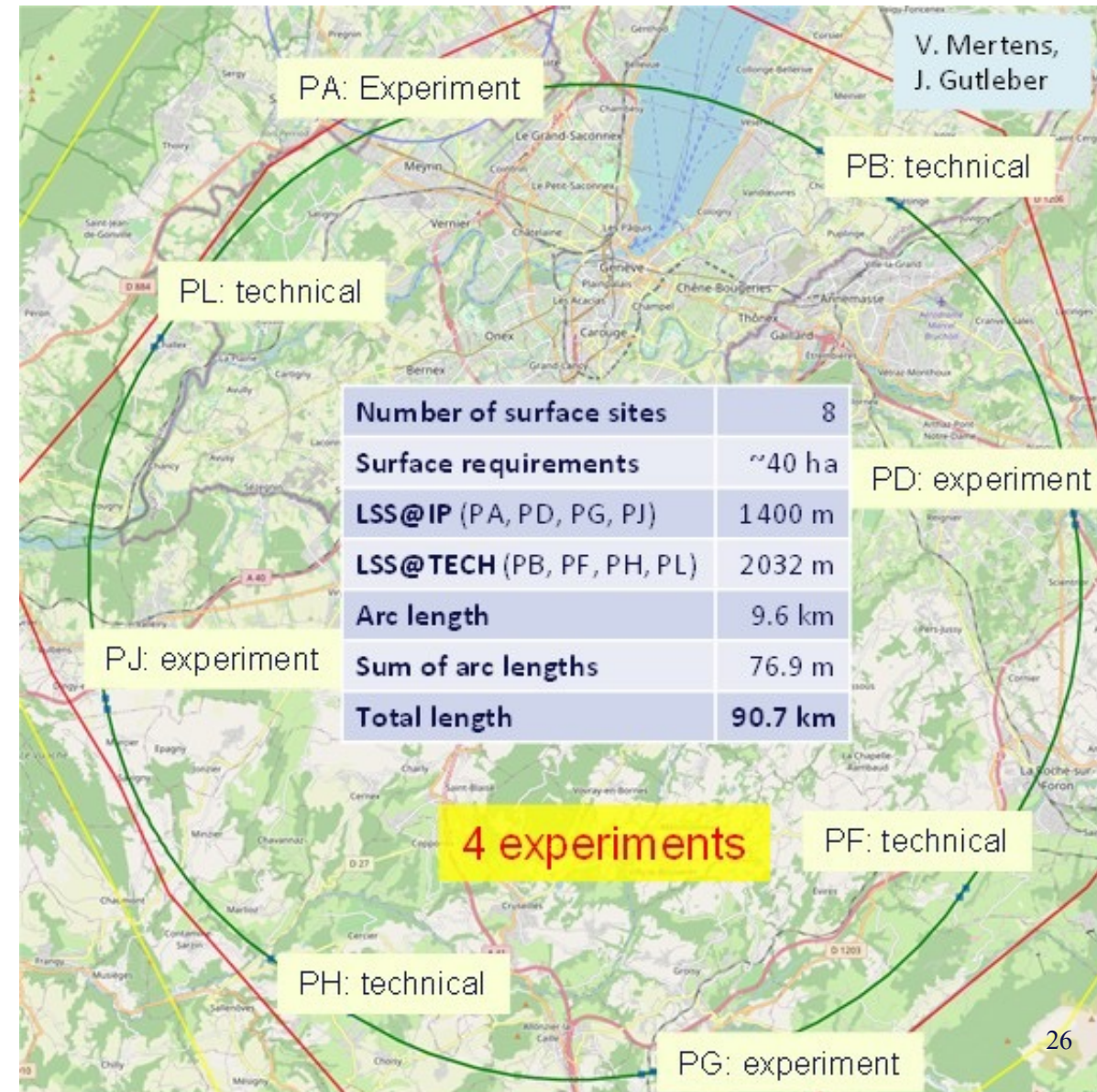
Reference layout and implementation: PA31 - 90.7 km

Layout chosen out of ~ 100 initial variants, based on several criterias:

- **geology**,
- **surface constraints** (land availability, urbanistic, etc.),
- **environment**, (protected zones),
- **infrastructure** (electricity, transport),
- **machine performance**

“**Avoid-reduce-compensate**” principle of EU and French regulations.

**Overall lowest-risk baseline:
90.7 km ring, 8 surface points,
4-fold symmetry**



FCC-ee collider concept for maximizing luminosity

double ring collider

- many bunches, high current, like LHC and B factories, different from LEP

top-up injection

- standard at modern light sources, like SLS
- used at recent e^+e^- colliders, PEP-II (USA), KEKB (Japan), BEPCII (China)

crab-waist collision scheme

- successfully demonstrated at DAΦNE (Italy) and SuperKEKB (Japan)

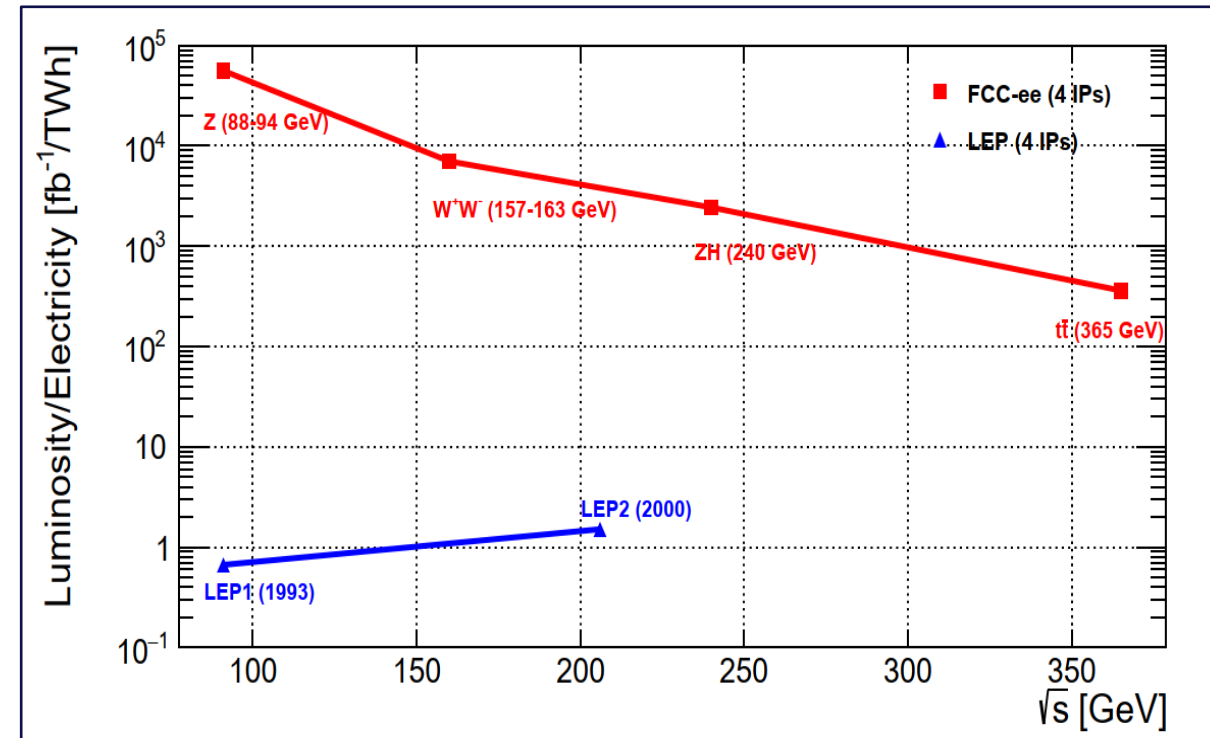
superconducting radiofrequency system

- Nb/Cu 400 MHz SC cavities pioneered at former CERN LEP
- bulk Nb 800 MHz SC cavities similar to ESS (Sweden), EuXFEL (Germany)
- revolutionary highly efficient RF power sources
- new operation scheme for flexible energy switching & reduced complexity

Combining concepts from past and present lepton colliders results in a giant step in efficiency:

→ $10^4 - 10^5$ x luminosity/energy of LEP

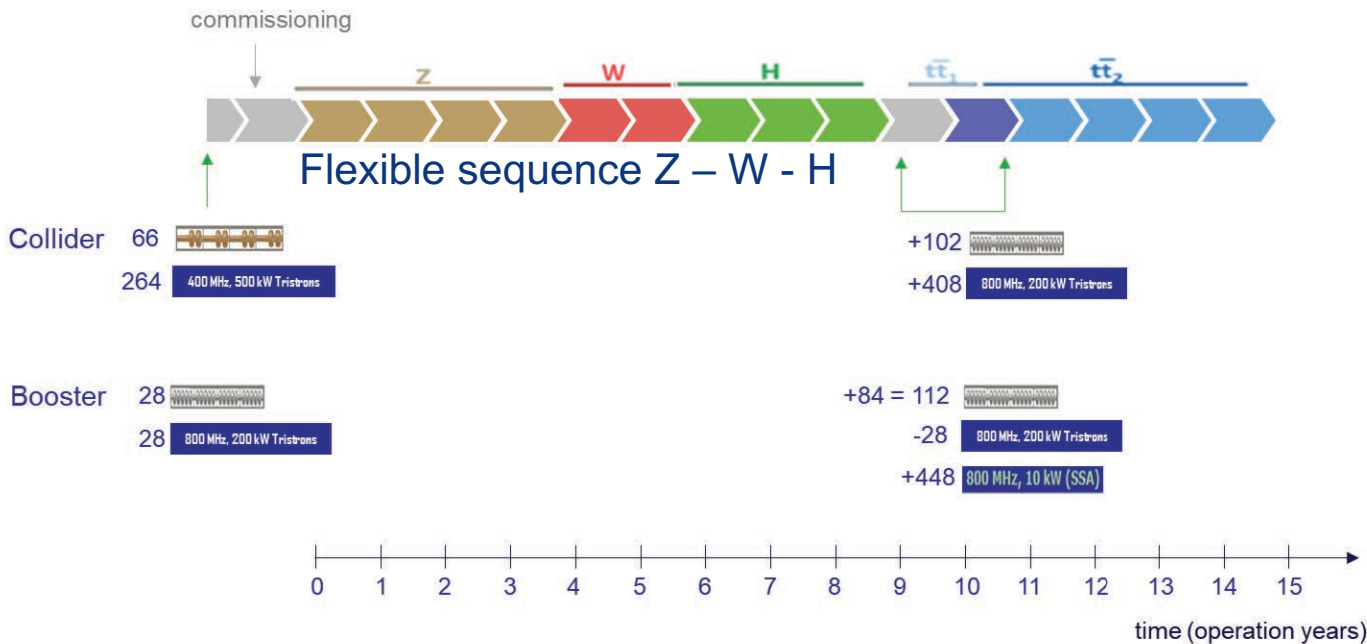
→ sustainable physics



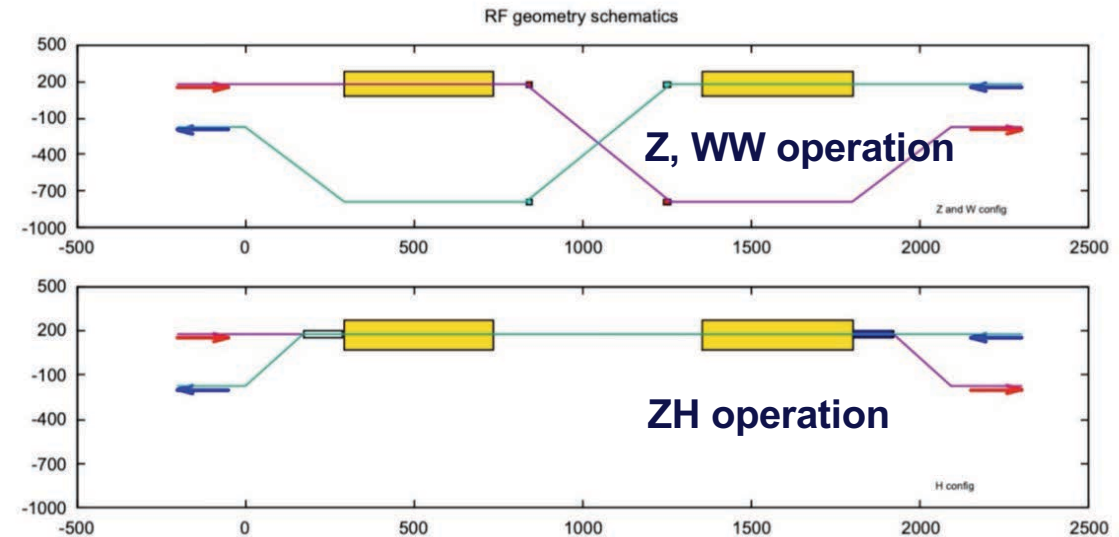
FCC-ee main parameters and operation plan

parameter	Z	WW	H (ZH)	t \bar{t}	
Collision energy \sqrt{s} [GeV]	88, 91, 94	157, 163	240	340-350	365
synchrotron radiation/beam [MW]	50	50	50	50	50
beam current [mA]	1294	135	26.8	6.0	5.1
number bunches / beam	11200	1852	300	70	64
total RF voltage 400 / 800 MHz [GV]	0.08 / 0	1.0 / 0	2.1 / 0	2.1 / 7.4	2.1 / 9.2
luminosity / IP [$10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$]	144	20	7.5	1.8	1.4
luminosity / year [ab^{-1}]	68	9.6	3.6	0.83	0.67
run time (including lumi ramp-up) [years]	4	2	3	1	4
total integrated luminosity [ab^{-1}]	205	19.2	10.8	0.4	2.7
total number of events	$6 \cdot 10^{12} \text{ Z}$	$2.4 \cdot 10^8 \text{ WW}$ (incl. WW at higher \sqrt{s})	$2.2 \cdot 10^6 \text{ ZH}$ $65\text{k WW} \rightarrow \text{H}$	$2 \cdot 10^6 \text{ t}\bar{\text{t}} + 370\text{k ZH}$ $+ 92\text{k WW} \rightarrow \text{H}$	

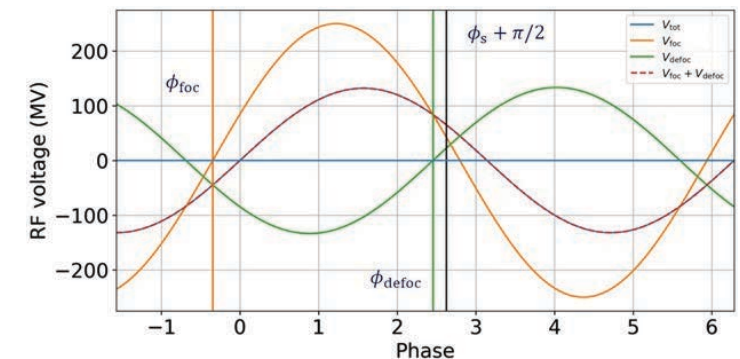
FCC-ee operation sequence and SRF concept



400 MHz RF layout and beam switching



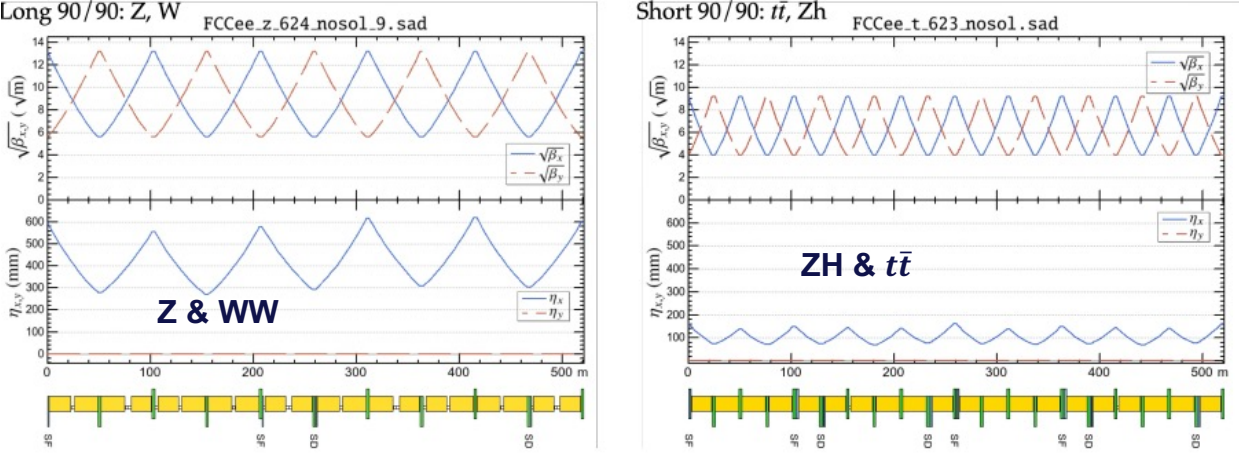
- **2-cell 400 MHz SRF system for Z, W and ZH**, entire system installed at operation start
 - flexibility for switching between Z, WW, ZH operation
 - reverse phase operation at Z allows constant cavity coupling
 - suppression of the single-cell 400 MHz system
 - reduced R&D, installation, commissioning, etc...
- **6-cell 800 MHz SRF system for collider $t\bar{t}$ operation and booster at all energies**



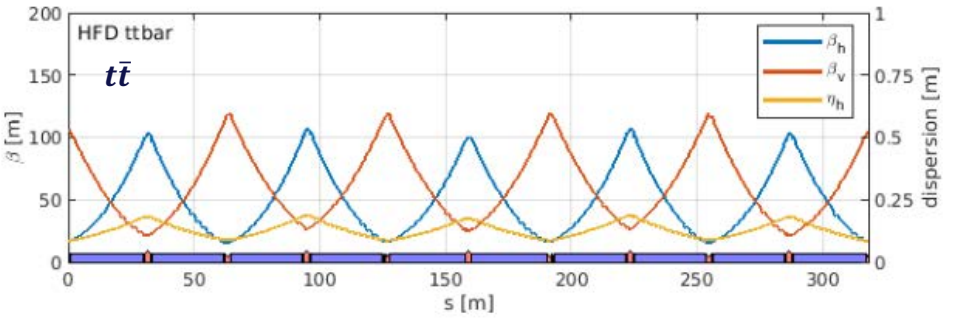
FCC-ee optics: 2 solutions meeting the requirements (ε , DA, MA)

Baseline “GHC”, K. Oide et al.

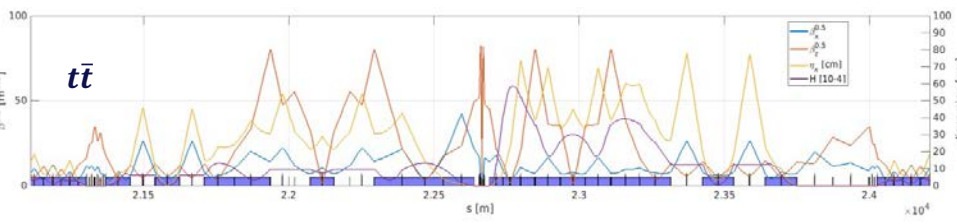
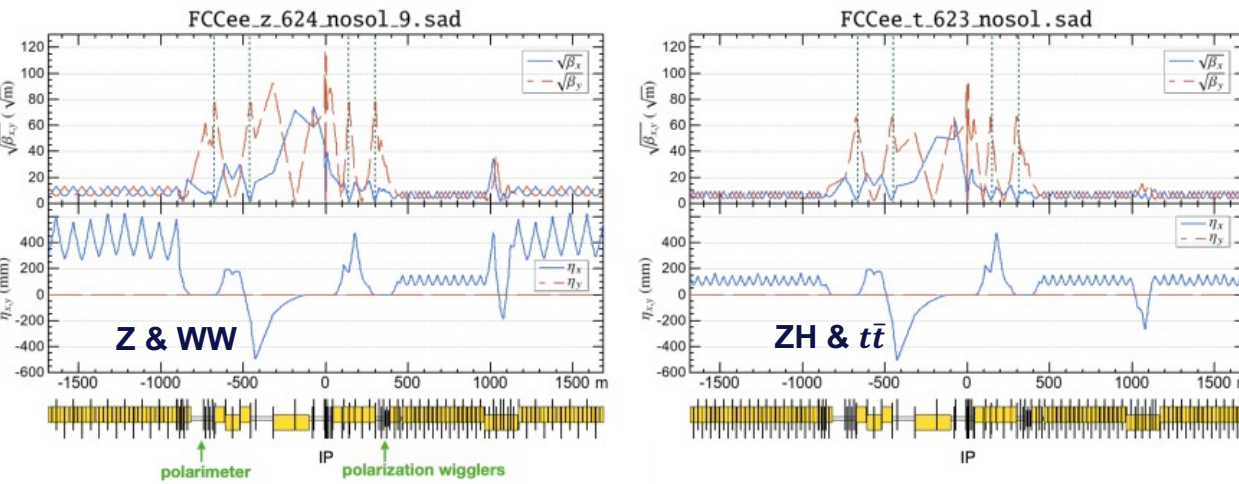
arc



Alternative “LCC”, P. Raimondi, S. Liuzzo, et al.



experimental straight



PRAB 28, 021002 (2025)

PRAB 19, 111005 (2016)

FCC-ee optics: beam dynamics studies

sensitivity to errors

K. Oide, UNIGE
P. Raimondi, FNAL
S. Liuzzo, S. White, ESRF
K. Andre, M. Hofer, CERN

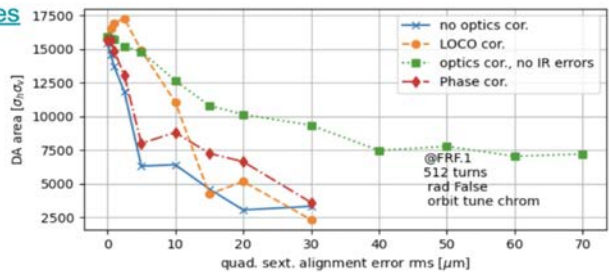
Magnet Misalignments Leading to 1% rms Beta Beating or 1 mm rms Dispersion:

Optics	$\Delta\beta_x/\beta_x$	$\Delta\beta_y/\beta_y$	D_y
GHC quadr.	$2.9\ \mu\text{m}$	$0.7\ \mu\text{m}$	$0.1\ \mu\text{m}$
LCC quadr.	$6.1\ \mu\text{m}$	$0.5\ \mu\text{m}$	$0.26\ \mu\text{m}$
GHC sext.	$17\ \mu\text{m}$	$8.5\ \mu\text{m}$	$2.6\ \mu\text{m}$
LCC sext.	$>100\ \mu\text{m}$	$46\ \mu\text{m}$	$10\ \mu\text{m}$

dynamic aperture with errors

DA after optics tuning simulations with sextupole ramp-up

S. Liuzzo's slides



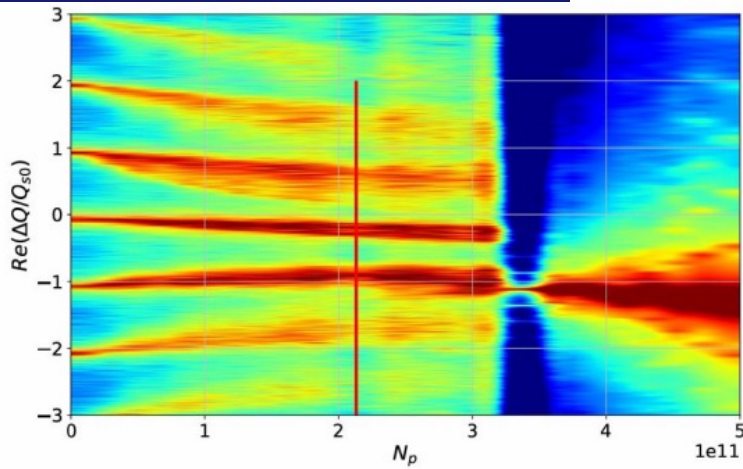
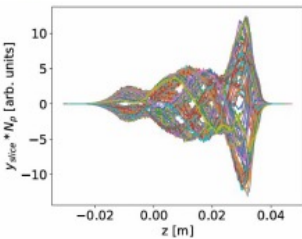
GHC Z lattice

Severe reduction of DA with IR errors → Dedicated alignment system might be needed.
Mild reduction of DA when errors only applied to arcs up to $70\ \mu\text{m}$ and likely beyond.
Phase advance correction does not show significant improvement for DA...

Collective effects in transverse plane (TMCI)

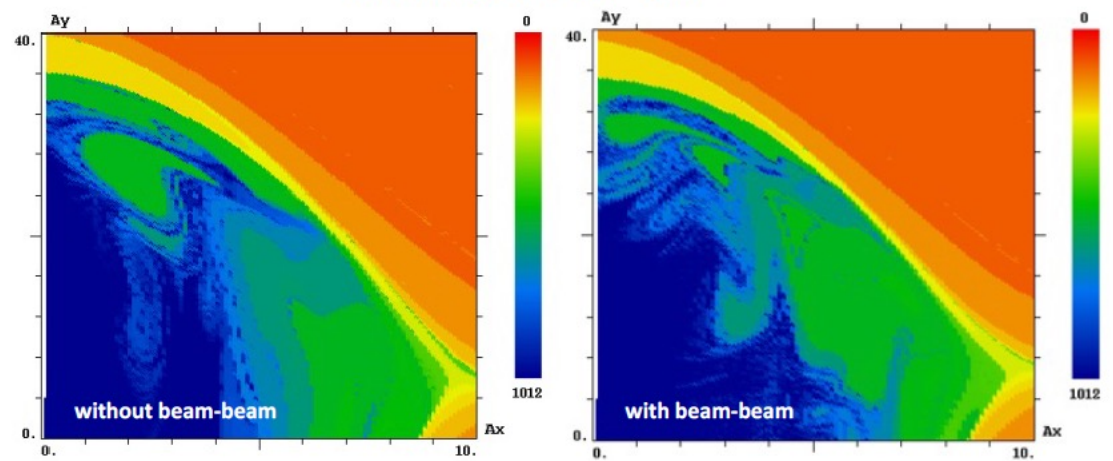
chromaticity = 5
feedback system on (4 turns)

Intra-bunch motion at
 $N_p = 3.4 \times 10^{11}$



dynamic aperture with errors & w beam-beam

LCC, Z mode, CW 90%, $\delta=0.005$

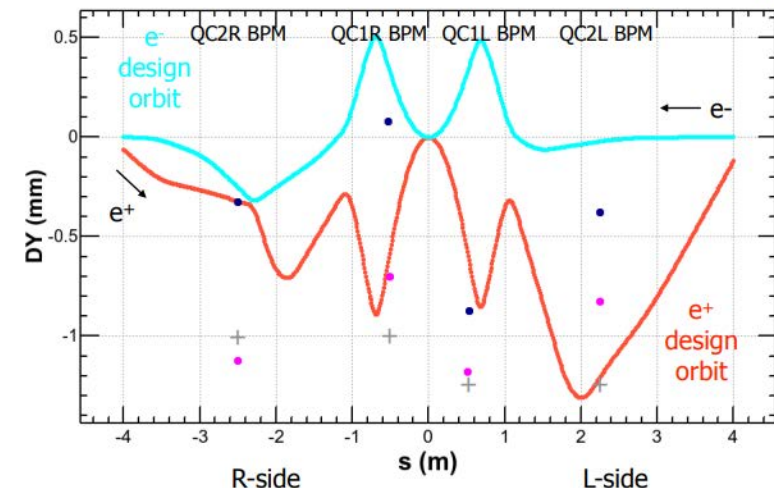


SuperKEKB as FCC-ee demonstrator

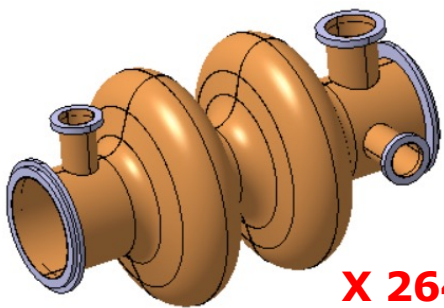
- FCC-ee's “**virtual**” **crab waist scheme** successfully implemented in ~2020
- routine operation at FCC-ee's $\beta_y^* \sim 1$ mm
- **beam currents** > 1.3 A (FCC-ee maximum current)

Aspects specific to SuperKEKB

- complex **interaction region** with superimposed magnets, non-closure of optical aberrations + magnet coil manufacturing error
- **sudden beam loss** due to combination of special “MO” flange (only at KEK) and use of vacuum sealant (intruding into the chamber)
- poor injection efficiency at $\beta_y^* \sim 1$ mm, and impossibility to squeeze much further, due to **large injected beam** (huge blow up in both transfer lines, SuperKEKB: $\varepsilon_y^\mp \sim 10$ nm ($\gamma\varepsilon_y^\mp \sim 100$ μ m), FCC-ee: $\varepsilon_y^\mp \sim 10$ pm (1000x smaller!))
- **low specific luminosity** due to residual (large) linear & chromatic coupling at IP, space charge and feedback noise



FCC-ee RF system – key technology

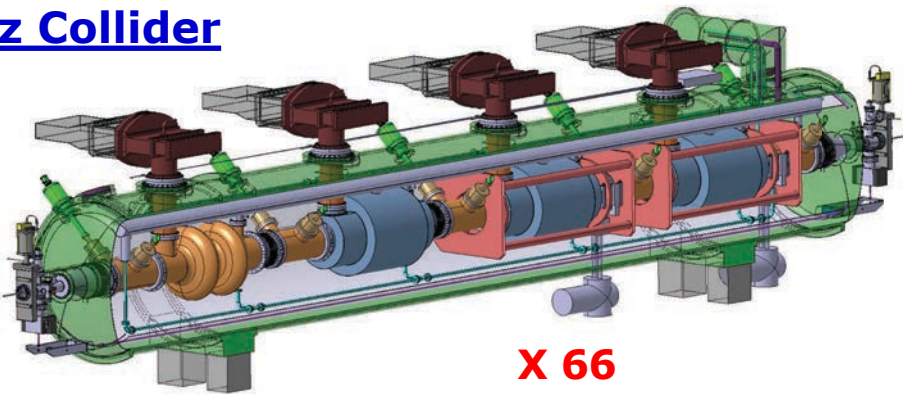


X 264

400 MHz Collider

Superconducting elliptical cavity

- 400 MHz, 2-cell, copper Nb coated
- 1.5 m. long



X 66

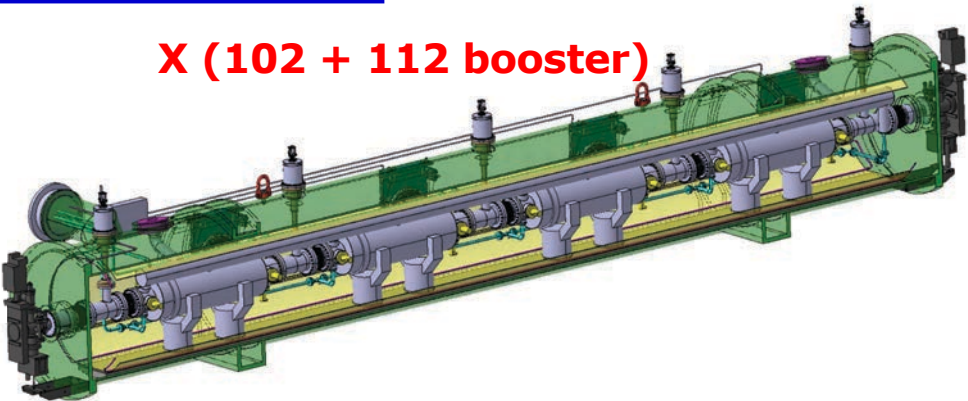
400 MHz Cryomodule

800 MHz Collider + Booster

X (408 + 448 booster)



X (102 + 112 booster)



800 MHz Cryomodule

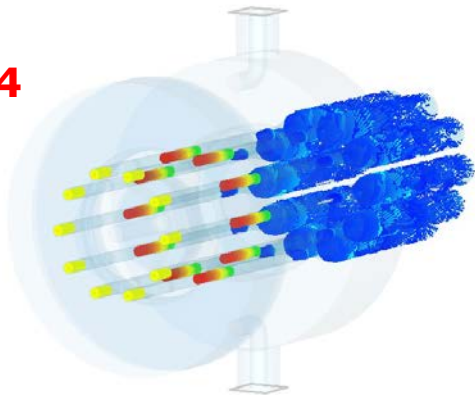
Superconducting elliptical cavity

- 800 MHz, 6-cell, bulk Nb
- Nb₃Sn if R&D is successful

Power source: Multibeam Tristron

- **Very efficient ~90 % ! <<OPEX**
- 3 m long
- 50 kV
- 500 kW, CW

X 264



X 204

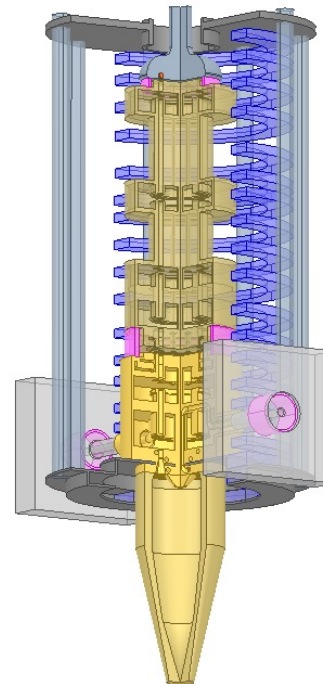
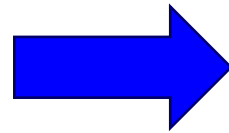
+ 448 x 10 kW SSA booster

RF power source R&D – operation efficiency, sustainability, etc.

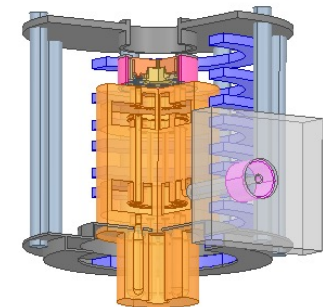
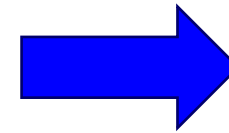
- For Z, W, ZH operation: 100 MW RF required via 264 klystron + 2-cell cavity units, 400 MHz CW.
- New 380 kW klystron prototype built with industry (HL-LHC) $\eta = 70\%$, as design simulation.
- Two-stage klystron design made for $\eta = 86\%$, similar to CLIC drive-beam and ILC klystrons.
- Concept for multi-beam tristron developed, $\eta = 93\%$ over wider range of powers \rightarrow prototype 2027.
- Assumption for present FCC-ee power consumption is $\eta = 80\%$.



HL-LHC
(relevant prototype)



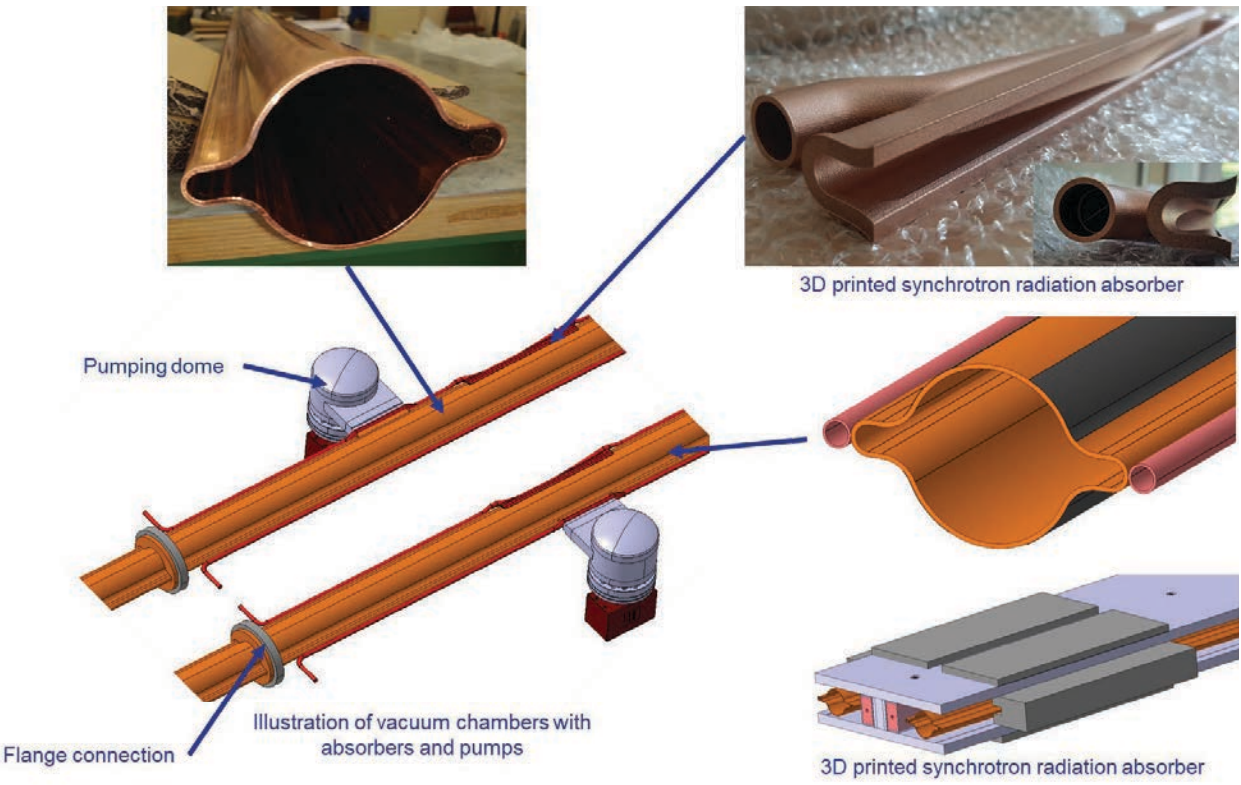
Two-stage klystron
(design)



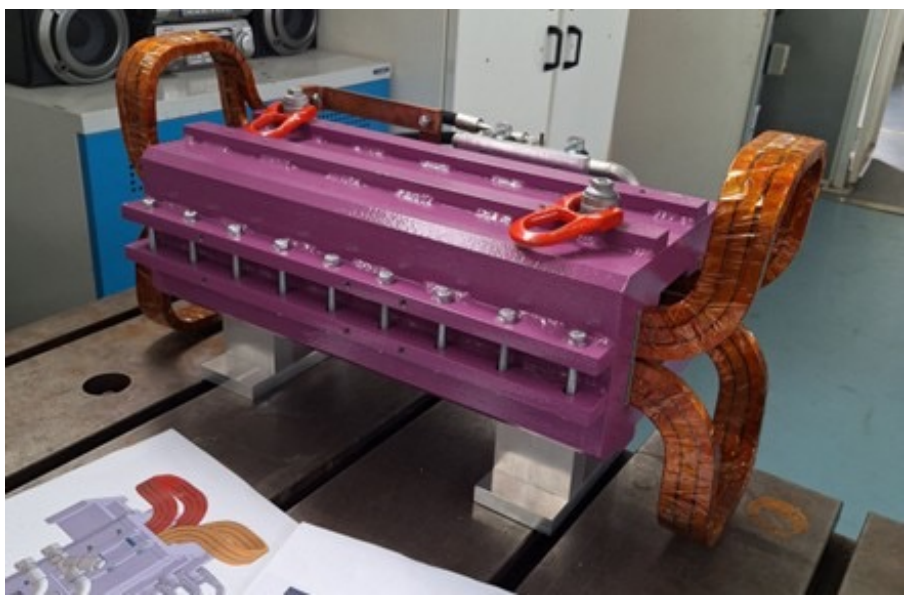
Tristron
(concept)

R&D topics – energy and operational efficiency, industrialisation

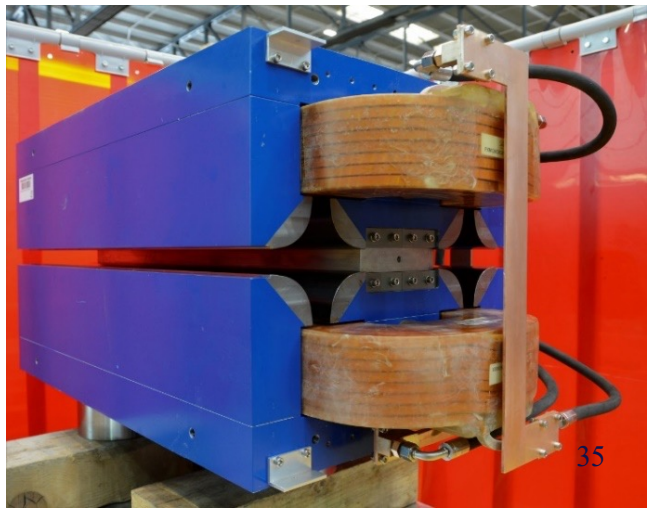
3 * 92km of beam vacuum chamber
NEG-coated technology for collider
synchrotron radiation absorbers and shielding
Prototyping started



Booster dipole
low-field
cycling magnet

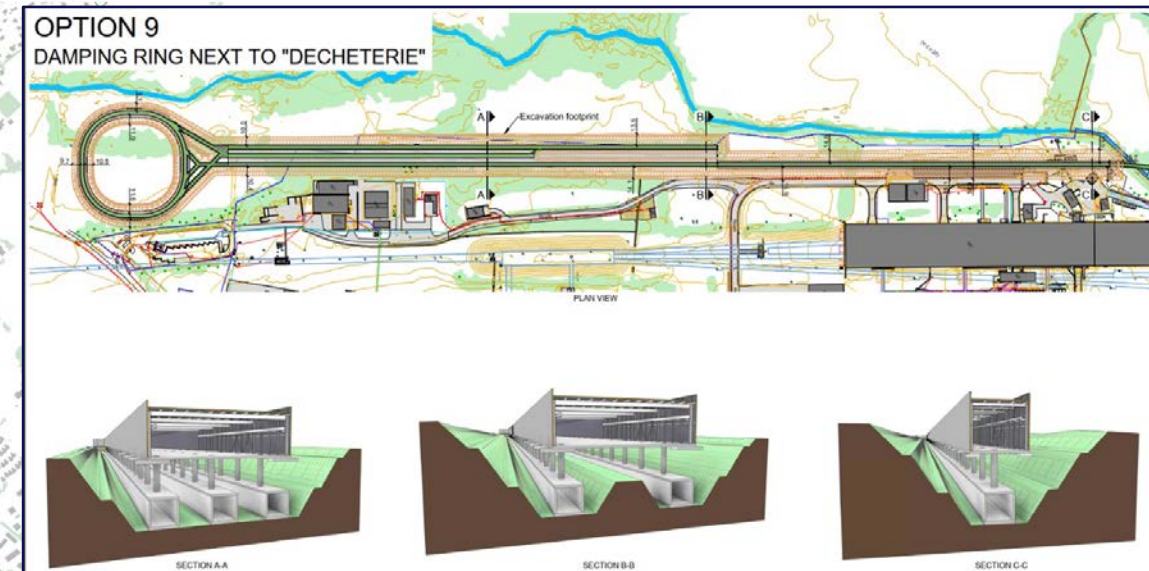
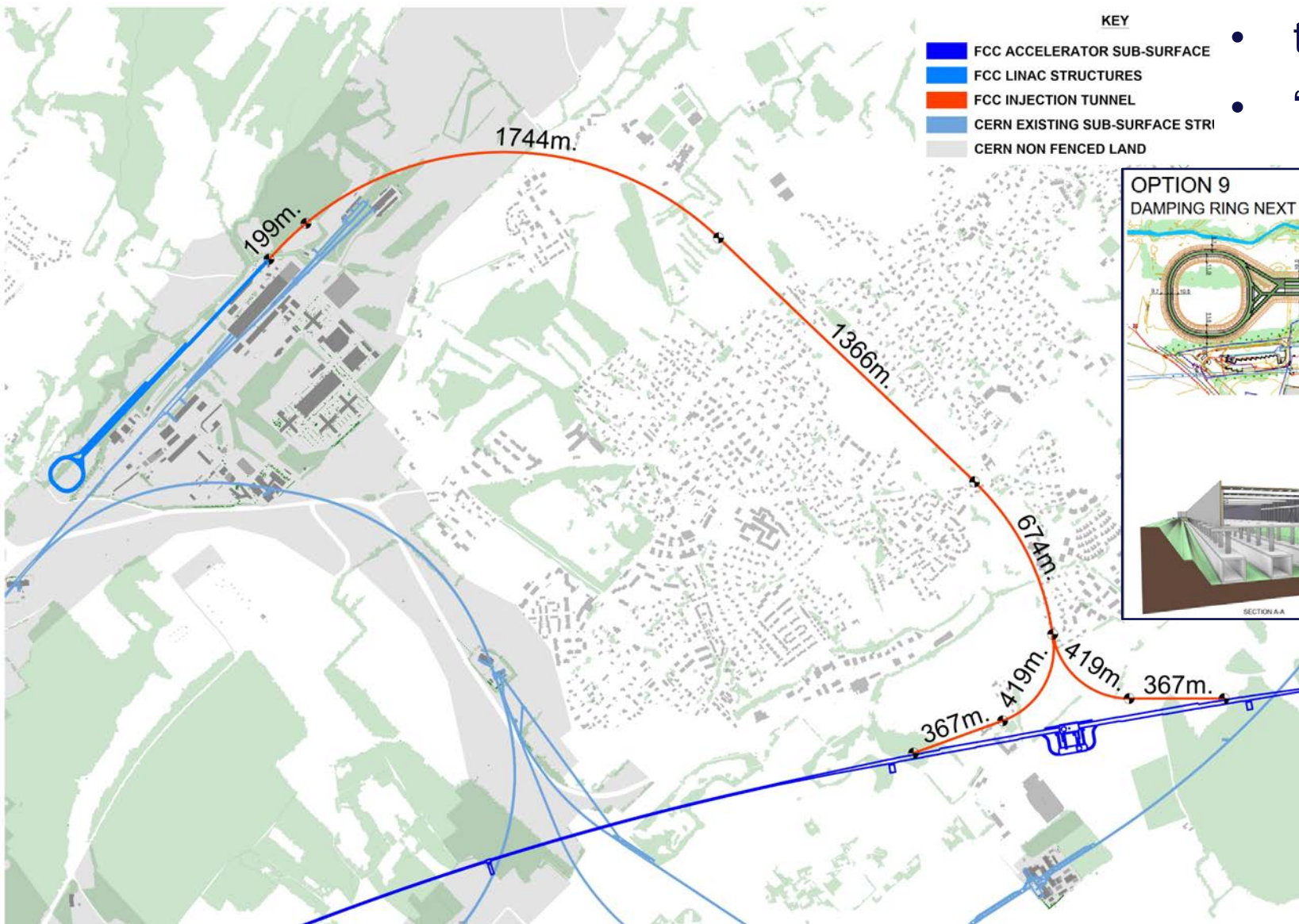


Twin F/D arc
quad design with
2× power saving
25 MW (at 175
GeV), with Cu
conductor

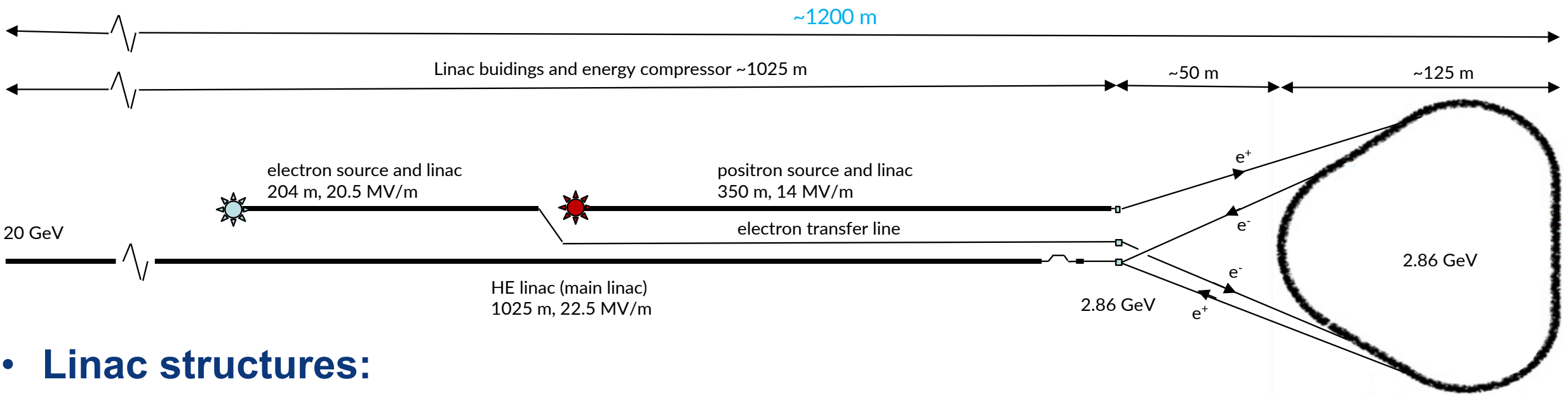


FCC-ee injector with HE Linac

- Located on CERN Prévessin site
- possible connection to North Area
- transfer line to FCC PA (LHC P8)
- “cut and cover” construction



FCC-ee injector

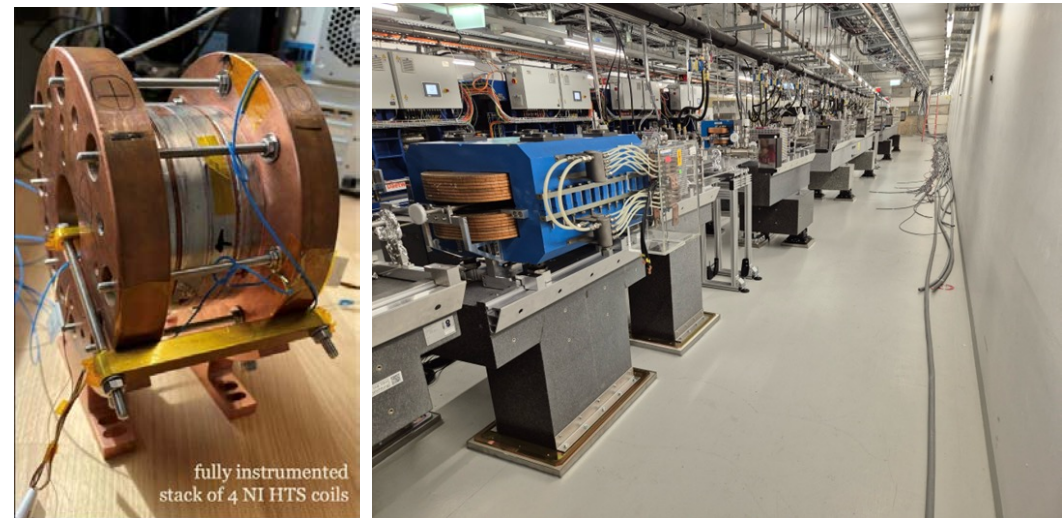


• Linac structures:

- Based on SwissFEL Linac structures;
- 100 Hz repetition rate and moderate gradients (~20 MV/m) for reliability and low power consumption.

• Positron source prototyping

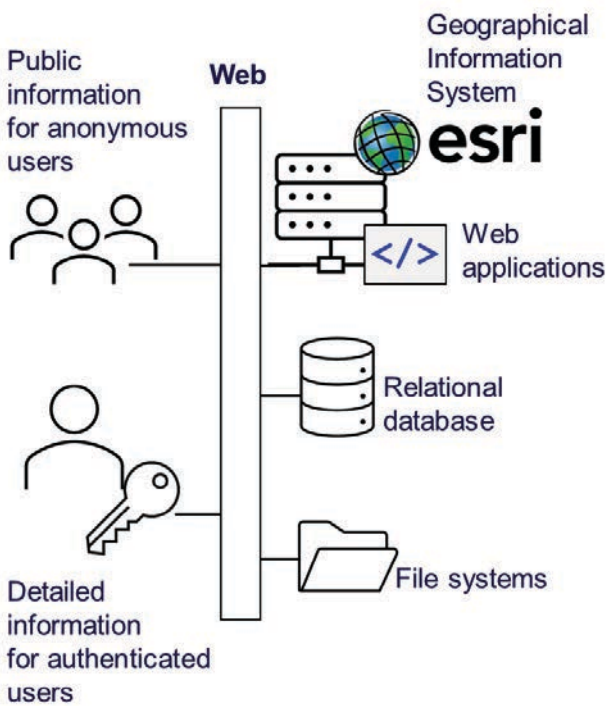
- Positron yield similar to SuperKEKB
- HTS solenoid as focusing device (tested 18 T @ 12 K)
- proof-of-principle beam tests at PSI SwissFEL in 2026



Environmental initial state analysis



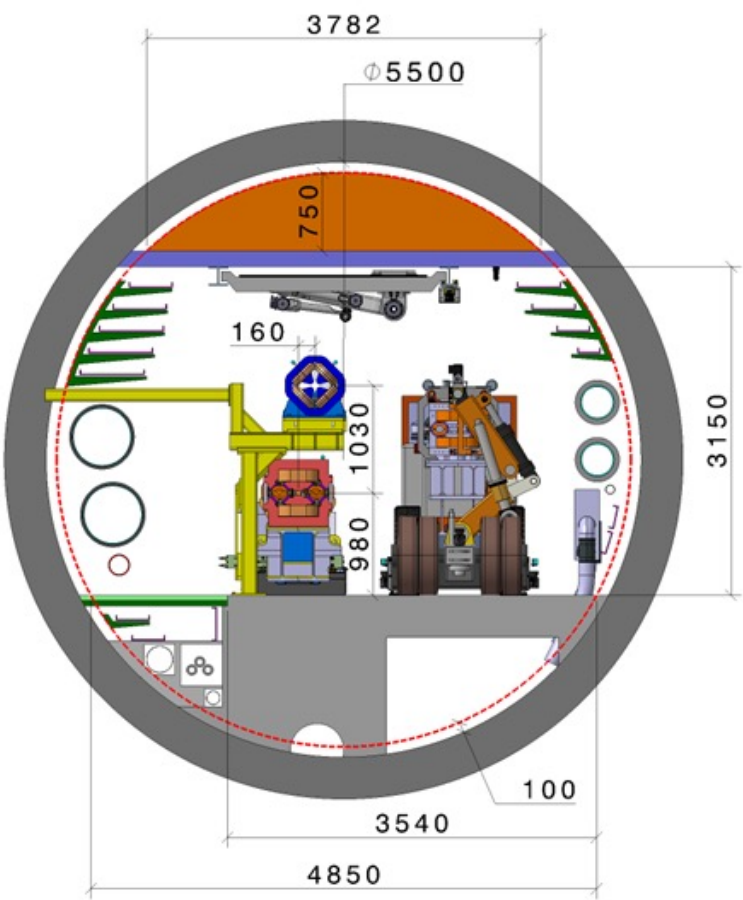
Environmental information system



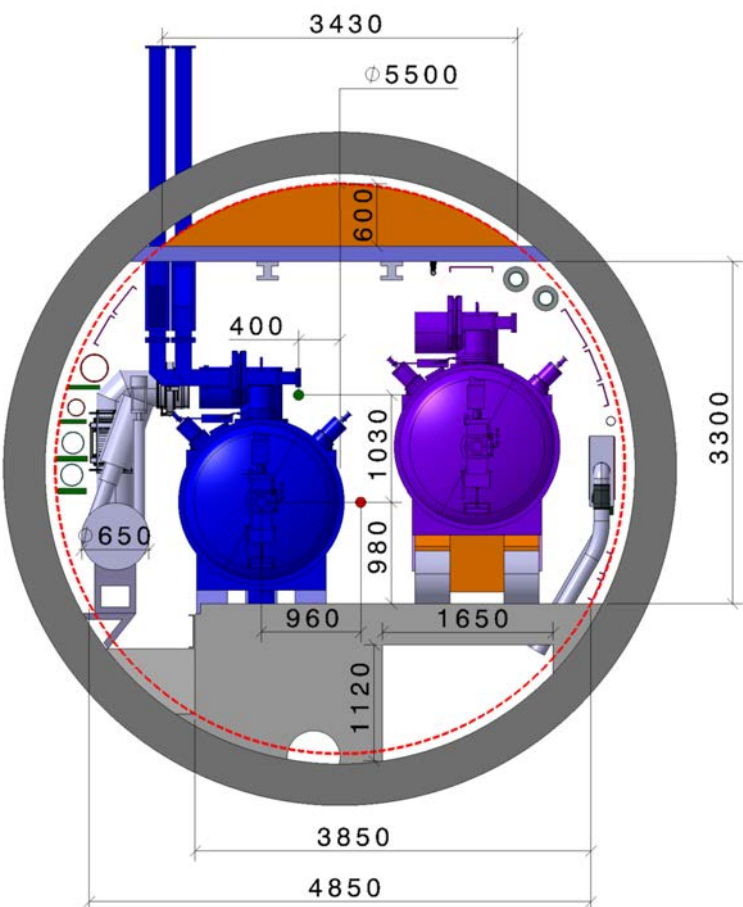
- The environmental **initial state analysis** at the eight surface site locations (~600 ha covered) **did not reveal principal showstoppers for the project.**
- **Basis for detailed optimisation of surface sites.**
- **Reference for the environmental impact assessment.**

FCC – main tunnel integration – 5.5 m inner diameter

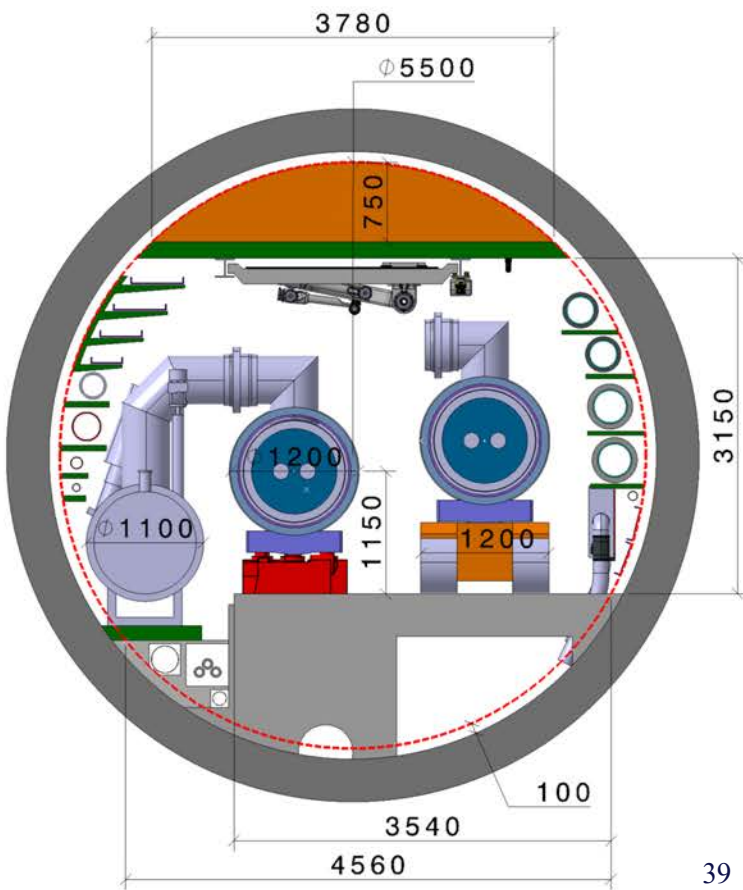
FCC-ee arc



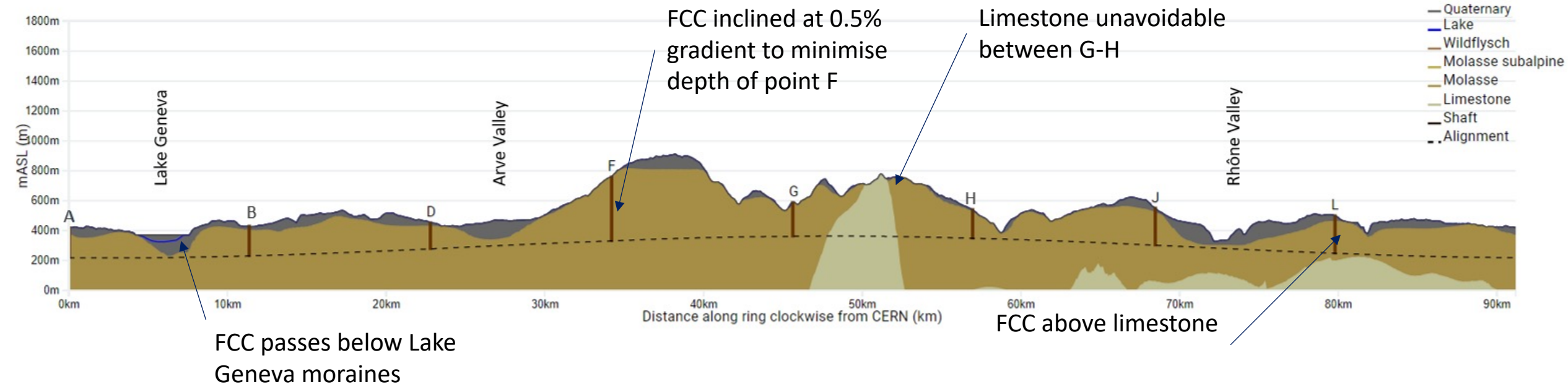
FCC-ee 400 MHz RF section



FCC-hh arc



Optimum placement of FCC tunnel and geology



Tunneling mainly in molasse layer (soft rock), well suited for fast, low-risk TBM construction.

6 million m³ excavated volume → 8.5 million m³ excavation material on surface

CE Designs of all underground structures developed

Average shaft depths ~240 m

To fix the vertical position of the tunnel, interfaces between geological layers have to be known

FCC – Initial Sub-Surface Investigations

28 boreholes and 80 km of seismics planned between October 2024 and December 2025

Site investigation results provide:

- Locations of geologic interfaces, **permitting to fix vertical position and inclination of tunnel**
- Molasse versus limestone/moraines

Southern work package status mid May 2025

- Geophysics acquisition & interpretation completed (40 km)
- All drillings completed (logging and testing ongoing)
- Preliminary results positive, confirming 3D geol model.
- Limestone passage Mandallaz less extensive.

Northern work package status mid May 2025

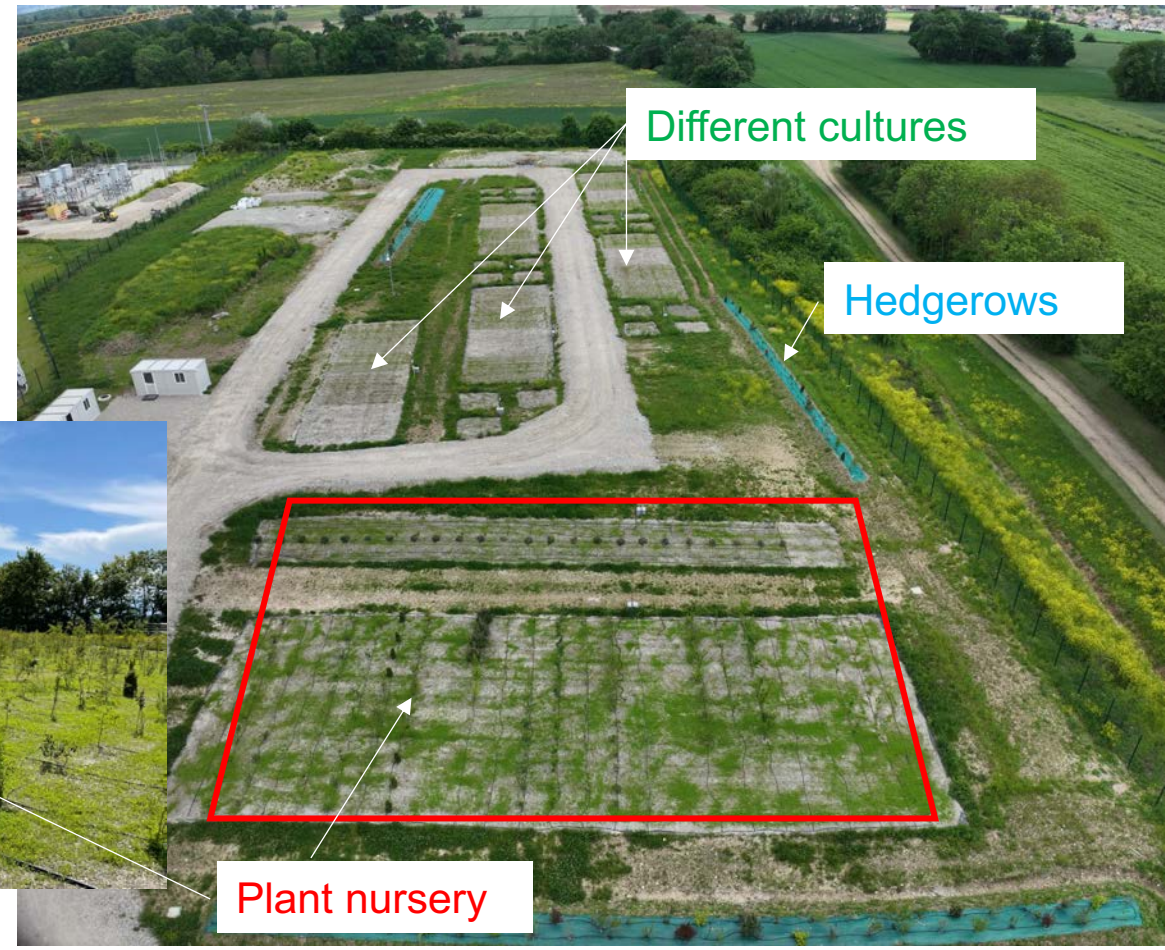
- 3 drill sites in France currently active, 2 more to start soon
- Still pending permits for the works in Switzerland



Reuse of excavated materials: OpenSkyLab project



- Develop a quality-managed processes to transform excavated materials into fertile soil
- Permit reuse in renaturalisation, agriculture, etc.
- Additives as compost etc. in various mixtures
- Location: 1 ha field, LHC P5 CMS Cessy (FR)
- Applicable to entire alpine molasse region!



Estimate of reuse quantities:

- 40% refill of quarries (~ 7.5 Mt)
- 25% reconstituted soil (~ 4 Mt)**
- 30% deposit (~ 5 Mt)
- 5% other reuse





Status of the FCC Global Collaboration

Increasing international collaboration is a prerequisite for success:

→ links with science, research & development and **high-tech industry** will be essential to further advance and prepare the implementation of the FCC

38 Participating Countries

Austria – Belgium – Brazil – Canada – Chile – Colombia – Czech Republic – Denmark – Estonia – Finland – France – Georgia – Germany – Greece – Hungary – India – Iran – Italy – Japan – Latvia – Malta – Mexico – Netherlands – Norway – Pakistan – Poland – Portugal – Republic of Korea – Romania – Serbia – Spain – Sweden – Switzerland – Thailand – Türkiye – Ukraine – United Kingdom – United States of America

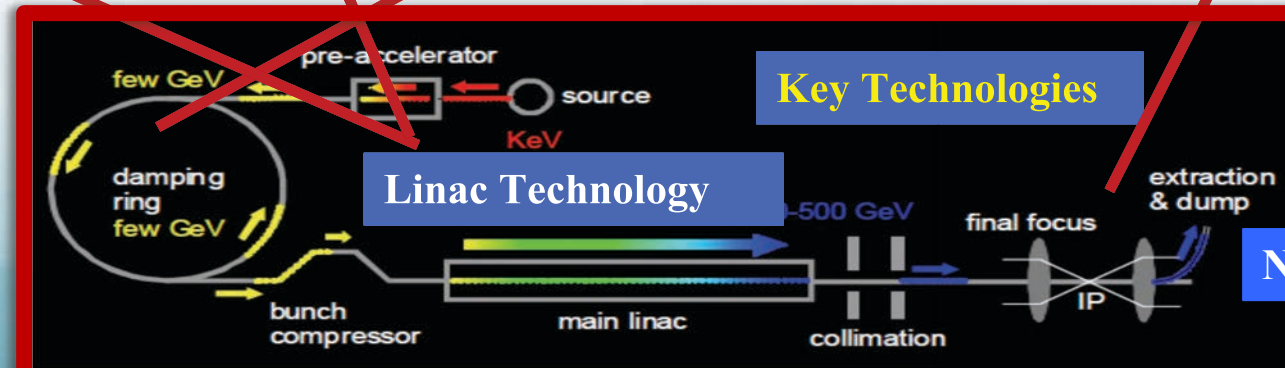
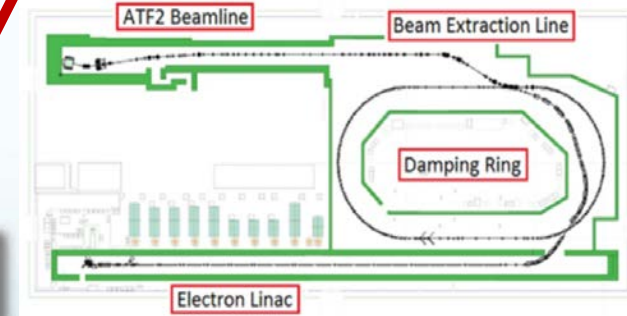
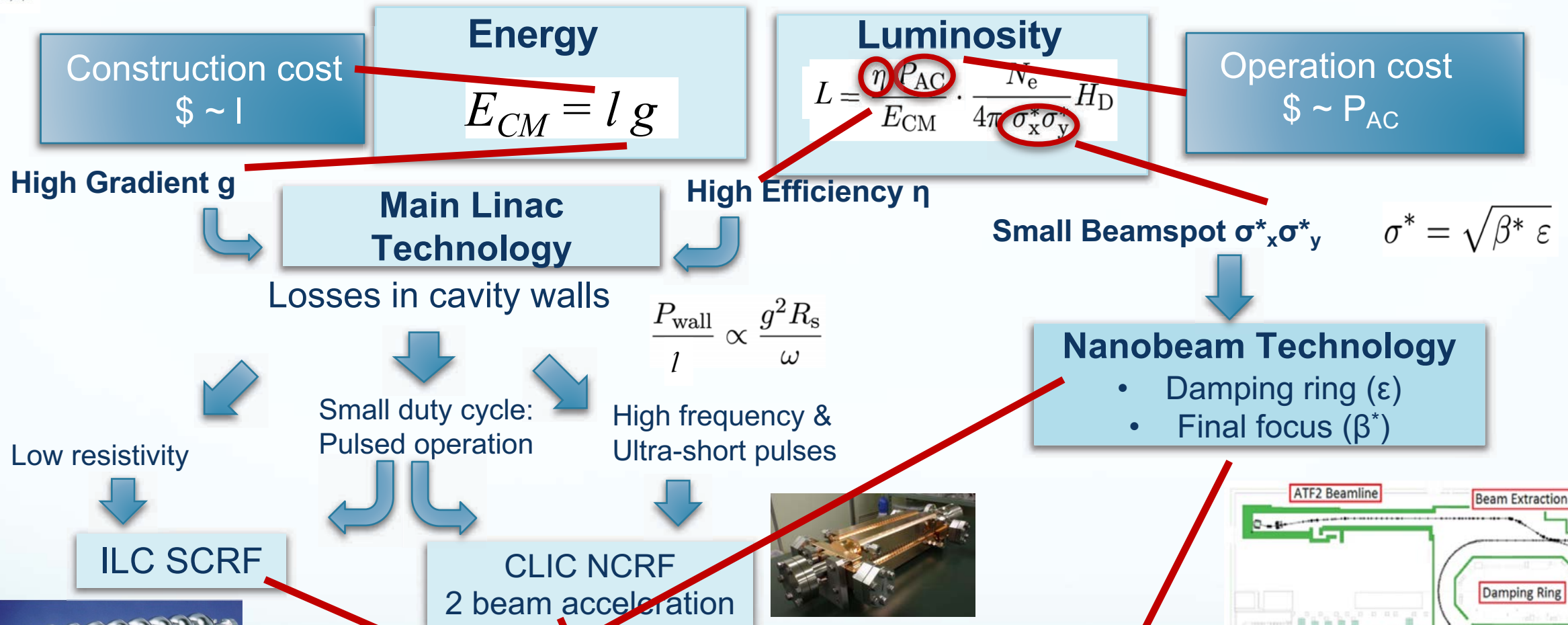
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Institutes

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+
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**FUTURE
CIRCULAR
COLLIDER**
Feasibility Study

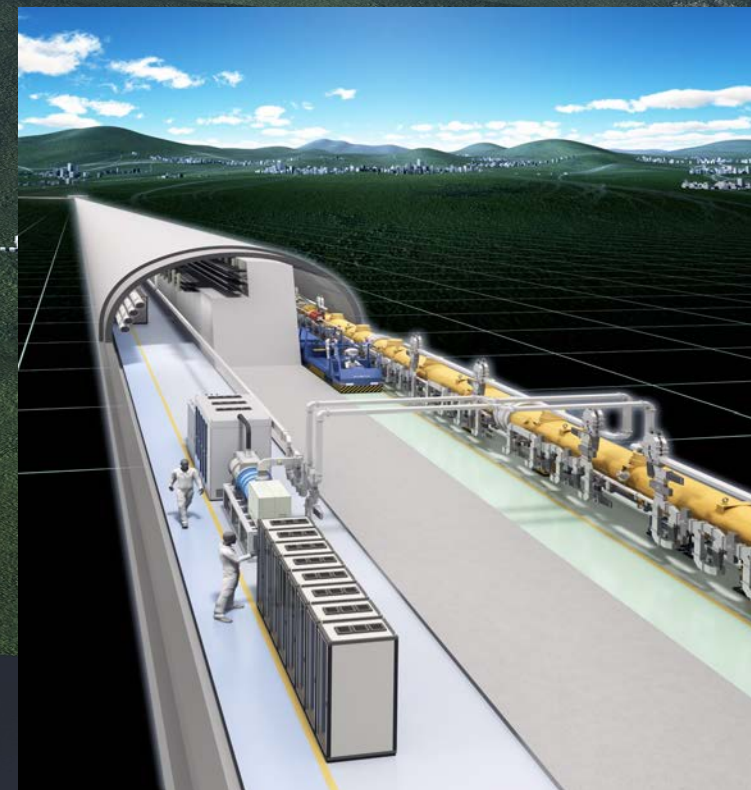
LCs Accelerator Challenges and Key Technologies





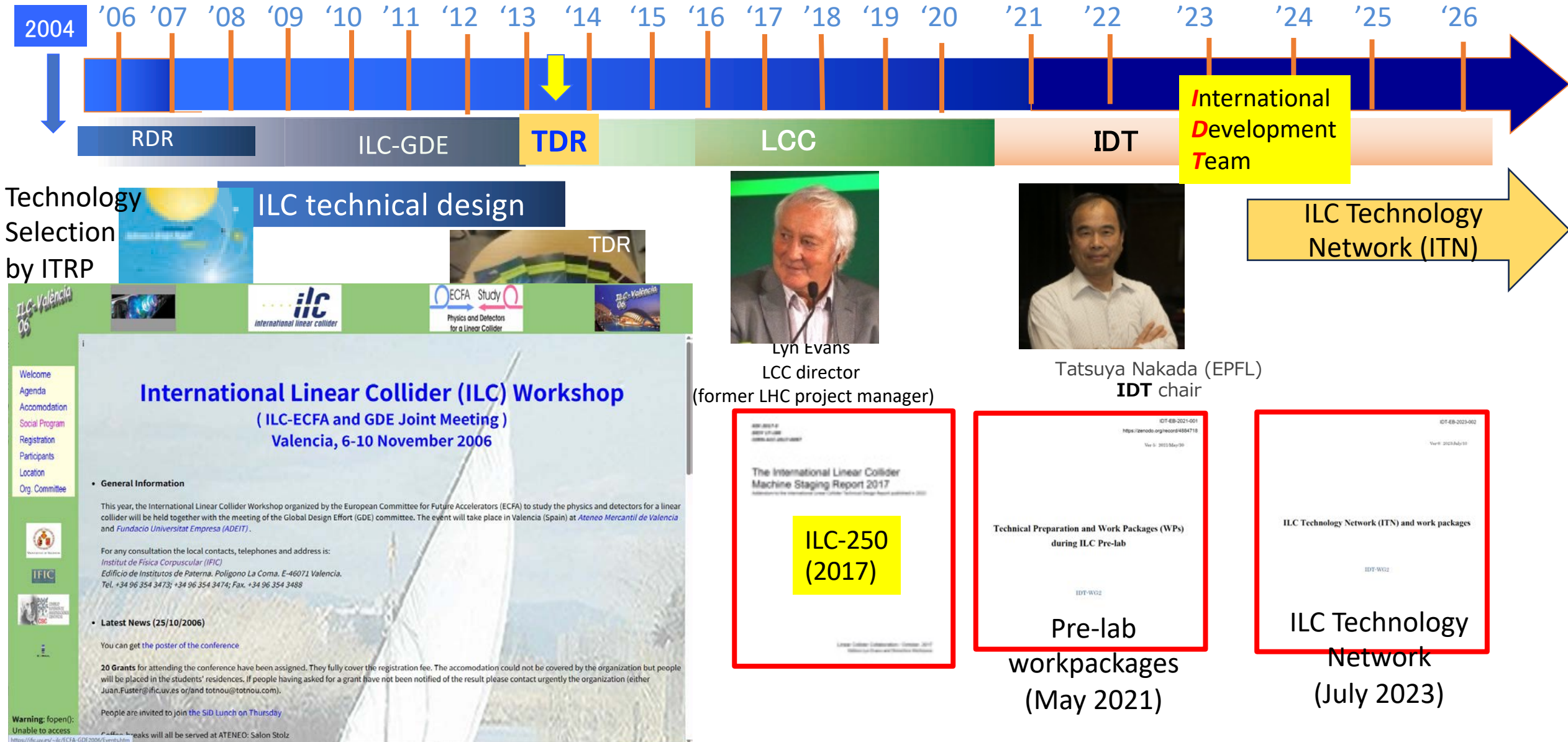
ILC accelerator: Technology updates

<http://www.linearcollider.org/>

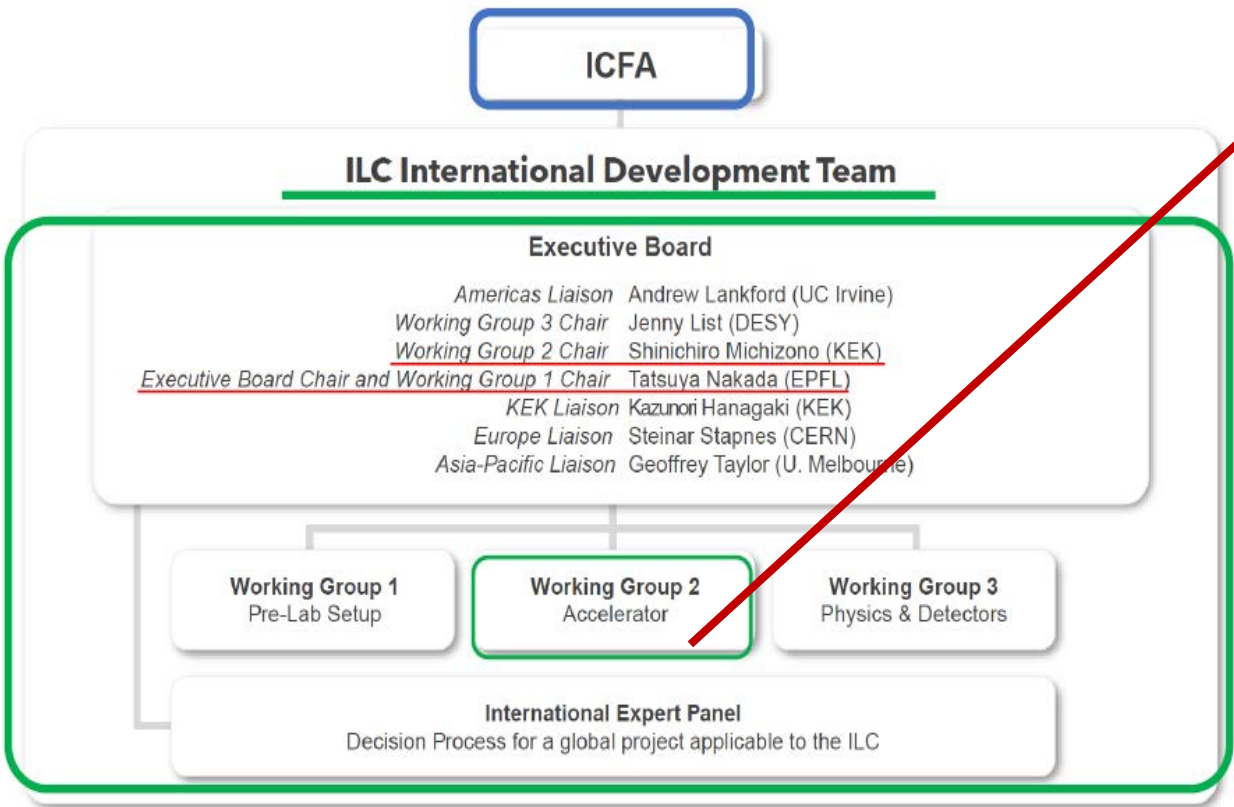


History of ILC Collaboration

S. Michizono, LCWS 2025



IDT organization

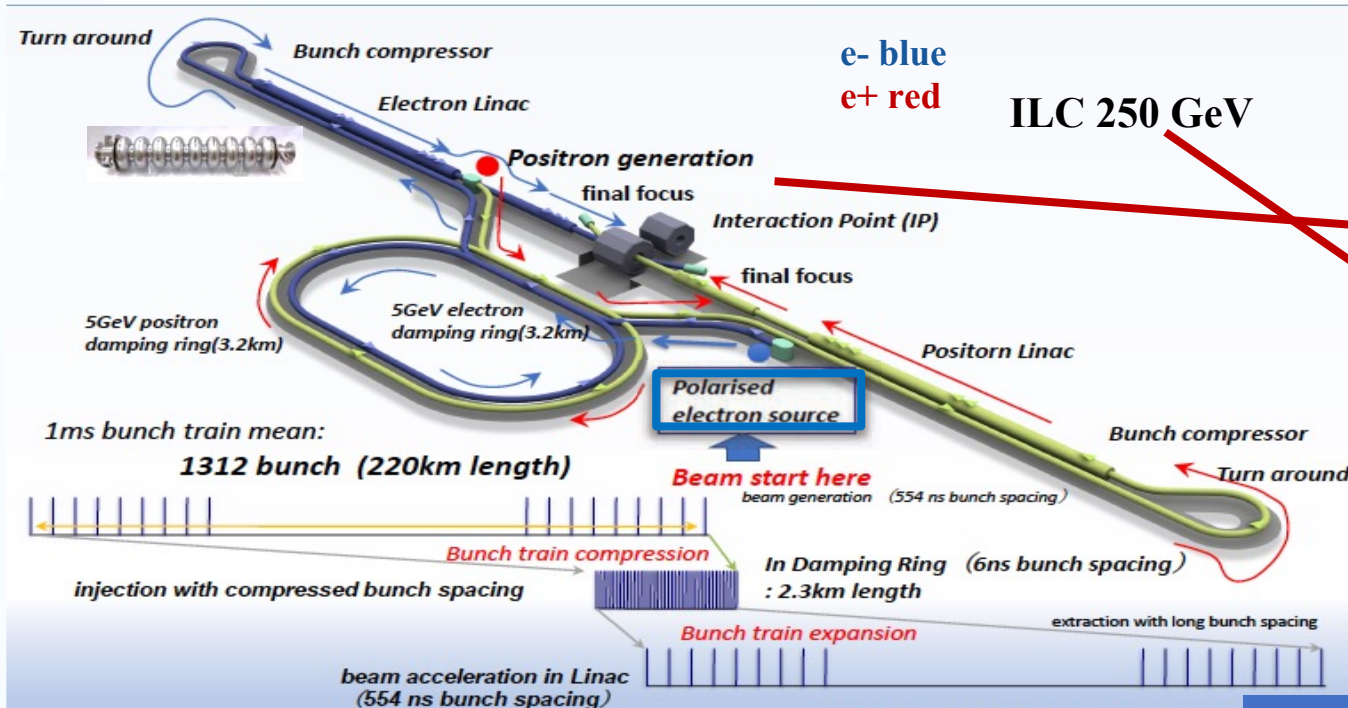


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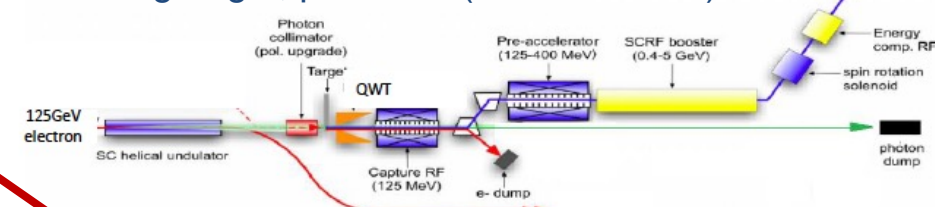
IDT-WG2 has about 50 accelerator researchers from around the world participating in discussions on ILC accelerator development research.



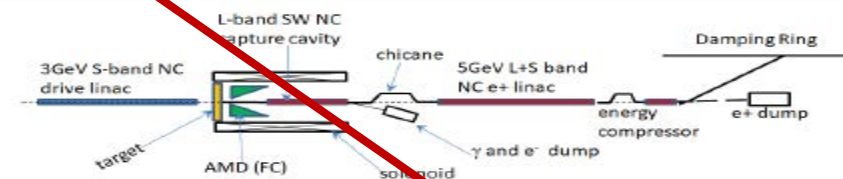
ILC parameters and beam accelerator sequence



➤ SC helical undulators (baseline): rotating target, polarized (e^- at 125 GeV)



➤ Electron driven source: dedicated 3 GeV NC S-band TW e^- (pair production).



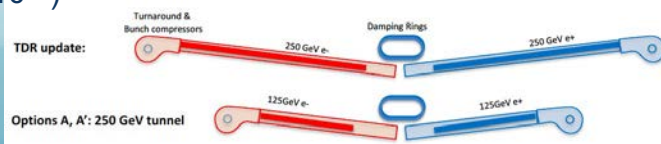
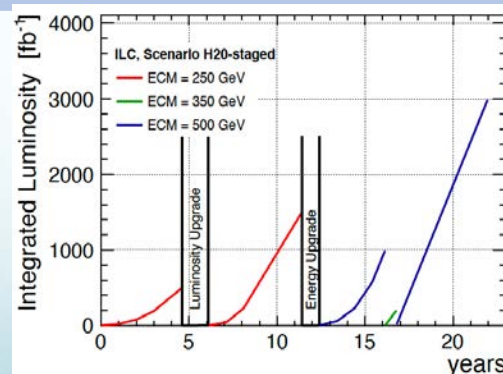
➤ **Energy upgrades:** 500 GeV (31.5 MV/m $Q_0=1 \times 10^{10}$), 1TeV (45 MV/m $Q_0=2 \times 10^{10}$, 300 MW) more SCRF, tunnel extension

- Kitakami site: 50km long, sufficient for 1TeV

➤ **Luminosity upgrades:**

- 2 x bunches, 2 x RF (1.35 \rightarrow 2.7 $\times 10^{34}$)
- Run = 500GeV machine at 250GeV, 10Hz: factor 2 (2.7 $\times 10^{34}$ \rightarrow 5.4 $\times 10^{34}$)
- Improve power efficiency

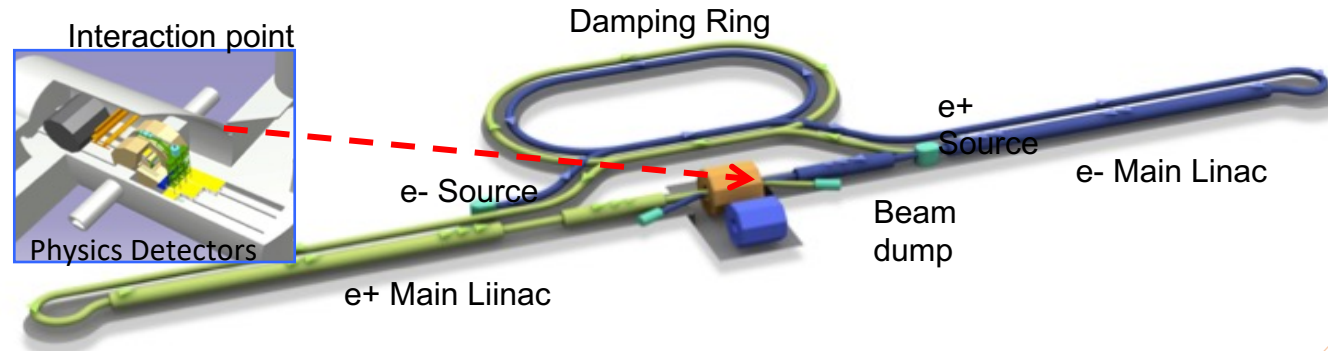
1312 bunch (220km length)



			Z-Pole [4]		Baseline	Higgs [2.5]		500GeV [1*]		TeV [1*]	
			Baseline	Lum. Up		Lum. Up	L. Up. 10Hz	Baseline	Lum. Up	case B	
Center-of-Mass Energy	E_{cm}	GeV	91.2	91.2	250	250	250	500	500	1000	
Beam Energy	E_{beam}	GeV	45.6	45.6	125	125	125	250	250	500	
Collision rate	f_{col}	Hz	3.7	3.7	5	5	10	5	5	4	
Pluse interval in electron main linac		ms	135	135	200	200	100	200	200	200	
Number of bunches	n_b		1312	2625	1312	2625	2625	1312	2625	2450	
Bunch population	N	10^{10}	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	1.737	
Bunch separation	Δt_b	ns	554	554	554	366	366	554	366	366	
Beam current		mA	5.79	5.79	5.79	8.75	8.75	5.79	8.75	7.60	
Average beam power at IP (2 beams)	P_B	MW	1.42	2.84	5.26	10.5	21.0	10.5	21.0	27.3	
RMS bunch length at ML & IP	σ_z	mm	0.41	0.41	0.30	0.30	0.30	0.30	0.30	0.225	
Emittance at IP (x)	γe^*_x	μm	6.2	6.2	5.0	5.0	5.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	
Emittance at IP (y)	γe^*_y	nm	48.5	48.5	35.0	35.0	35.0	35.0	35.0	30.0	
Beam size at IP (x)	σ^*_x	μm	1.118	1.118	0.515	0.515	0.515	0.474	0.474	0.335	
Beam size at IP (y)	σ^*_y	nm	14.56	14.56	7.66	7.66	7.66	5.86	5.86	2.66	
Luminosity	L	$10^{34}/cm^2/s$	0.205	0.410	1.35	2.70	5.40	1.79	3.60	5.11	
Luminosity enhancement factor	H_D		2.16	2.16	2.55	2.55	2.55	2.38	2.39	1.93	
Luminosity at top 1%	$L_{0.01}/L$	%	99.0	99.0	74	74	74	58	58	45	
Number of beamstrahlung photons	n_g		0.841	0.841	1.91	1.91	1.91	1.82	1.82	2.05	
Beamstrahlung energy loss	δ_{BS}	%	0.157	0.157	2.62	2.62	2.62	4.5	4.5	10.5	
AC power [6]	P_{site}	MW			111	138	198	173	215	300	
Site length	L_{site}	km	20.5	20.5	20.5	20.5	20.5	31	31	40	

Time-consuming and essential work packages for ILC are summarized as **ILC Technology Network (ITN)**. (~4-year plan)

<https://linearcollider.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/09/IDT-EB-2023-002.pdf>



- Creating particles
 - polarized electrons / positrons
- High quality beams
 - Low emittance beams
 - Small beam size (small beam spread)
 - Parallel beam (small momentum spread)

- Acceleration
 - superconducting radio frequency (SRF)

- Getting them collided
 - nano-meter beams

- Go to **Beam dumps**

Sources

Damping ring

Main linac

Final focus

SRF

e-, e+ Sources

Nano-Beam

ILC Technology Network (ITN)

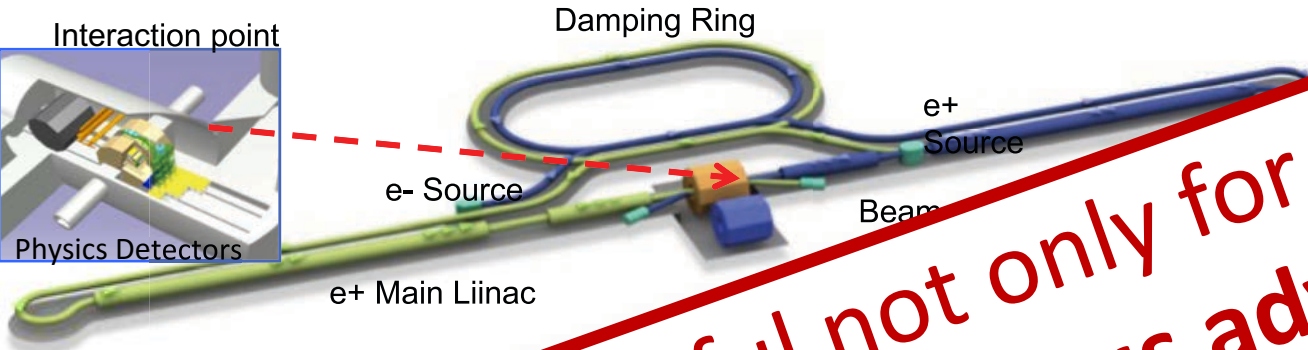
-- global collaboration program--

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 - e- & e+ Sources
 - Nano-beam

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WPP	4	E- source	
WPP	6	Undulator target	Ger.
WPP	7	Undulator focusing	Ger.
WPP	8	E-driven target	Jp.
WPP	9	E-driven focusing	Jp.
WPP	10	E-driven capture	Jp.
WPP	11	Target replacement	Jp.
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ITN is useful not only for the ILC but also for various advanced accelerators

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ILC Technology Network (ITN)

-- global collaboration program--

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SRF

e- & e+ Sources

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WPP-1/2 cavity fabrication & cryomodule (KEK plan)

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Production

~2025

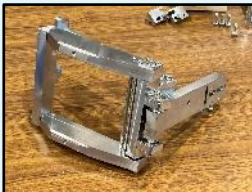
L-band SC 9-cell cavity



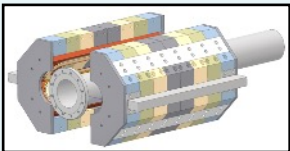
Power coupler



Frequency tuner



SCQ magnet



Magnetic shield



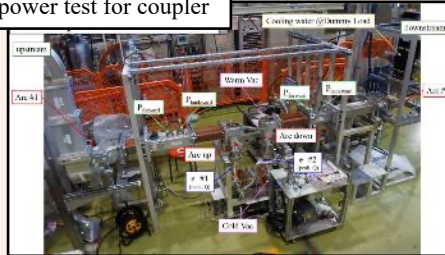
Component Test

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Vertical test for cavity

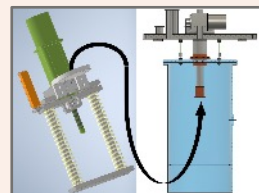


High power test for coupler



Conduction cooling system for SCQ

Cold test for motor



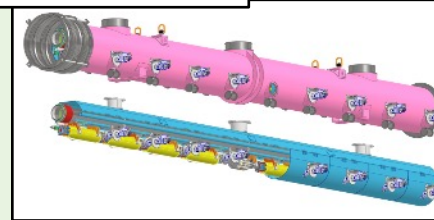
Installation

~2026

Demagnetization of cryo-vessel



Cryomodule assembly



Preparation

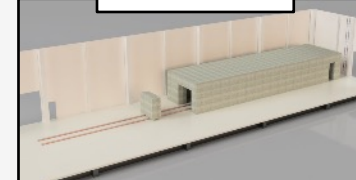
Cryogenic



CM assembly hall



Radiation shield



CM Test

~2027

Waveguide assembly



Installation into bunker



Cold test at bunker



Manufacture methods of Fine-Grain / Medium-Grain Nb discs

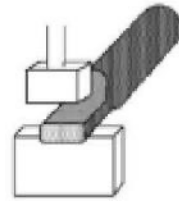
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Fine Grain Nb fabrication

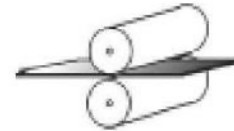
Nb melting



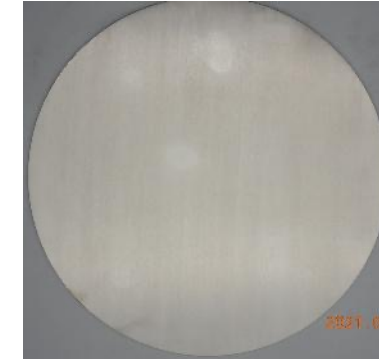
Nb Ingot



Forging



Rolling



Fine Grain (FG) Disc
Grain Size: 50 - 100 μm

FG Nb

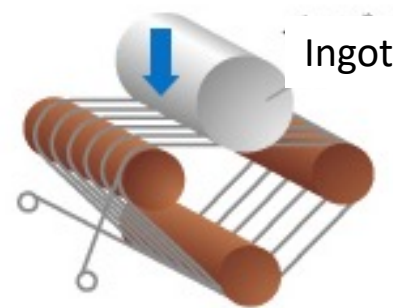
- Aiming for clean, mechanically stable, and cost-effective SRF cavity production.

Direct slice of MG ingot

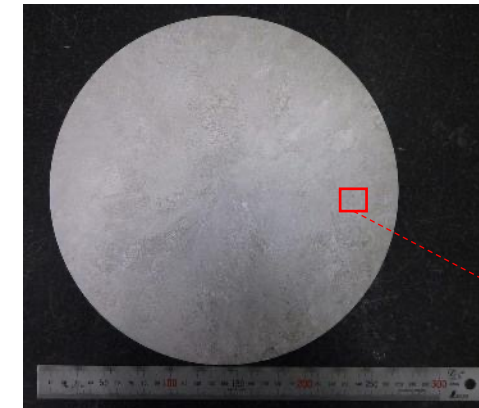
Niobium ingot
(Raw material)



Ingot, forged
and annealed



Slicing image
by wire-saw



A New Approach:
Medium Grain (MG) Disc
Grain Size < 1 mm

MG Nb



WPP-1 cavity fabrication by KEK

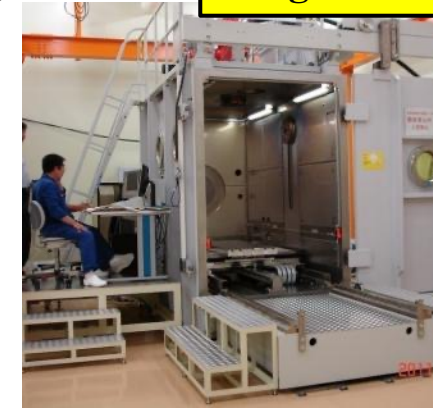
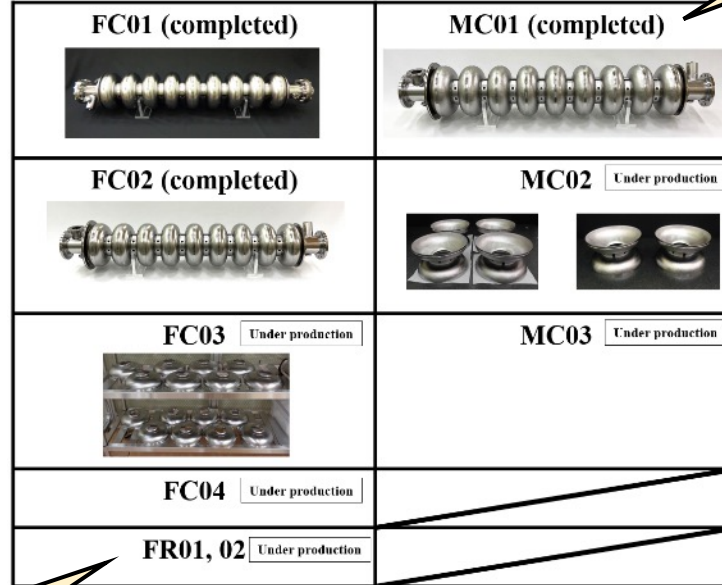
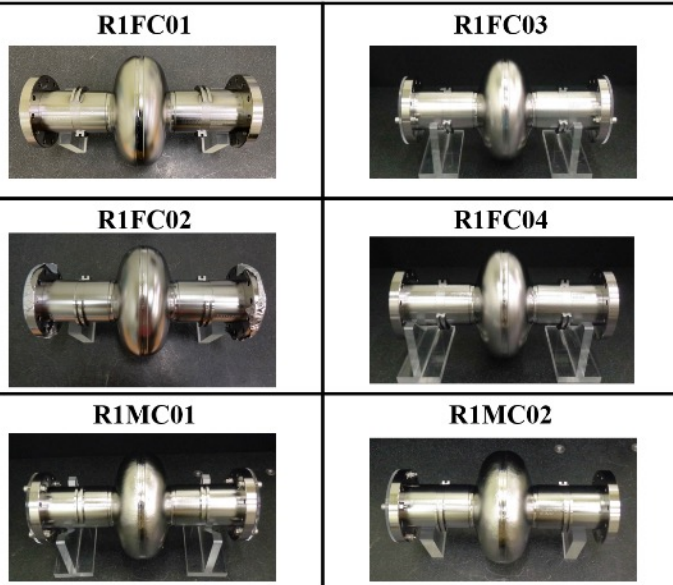
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Six 1-cell cavities produced

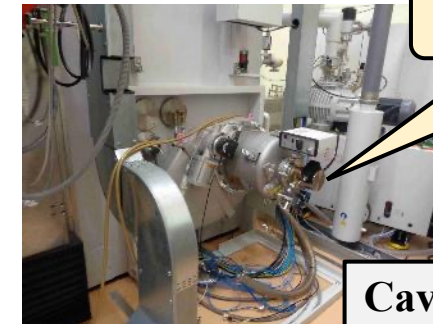
Three 9-cell cavity produced
Six 9-cell cavities are under production

The world's first MG cavity!

Large/Small EBW machines



New cryopump replaced



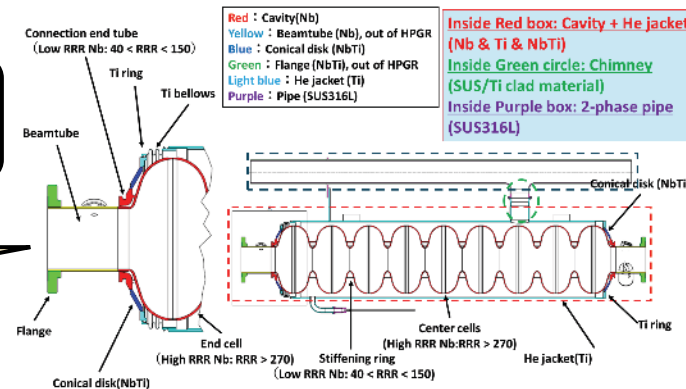
Cavity Fabrication Facility

- Large EBW
- Small EBW
- Chemical polish
- Press machine
- 3D measurement device

These cavities are made by RI!
(for the first time at KEK)

Categories related to HPGS

Takayuki Saeki/Takeshi Dohmae



Surface treatment recipe at KEK

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KEK's recipe

Based on the results of past R&D, we chose **2-step baking** for this project.
VT for six 1-cell cavities was successfully done, 9-cell cavities will start from next year.

Bulk EP (150 μm)



Heat treatment
(900°C, 3h)



Final EP
(cold EP, 20 μm)

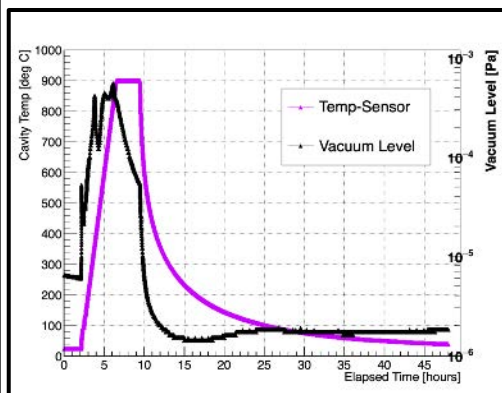


HPR
Clean (dry) Assembly

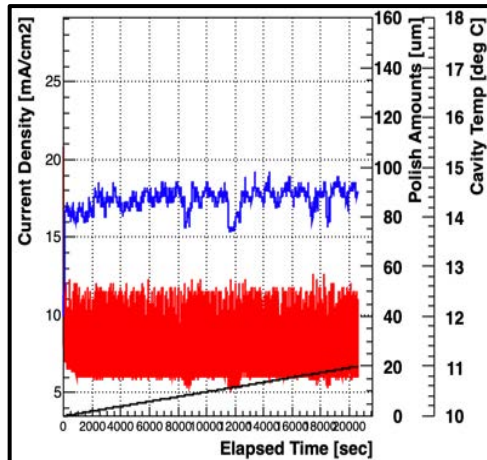


2-step Baking
(75°C, 4h
+
120°C, 48h)

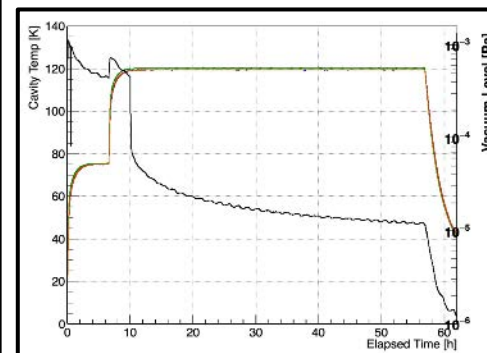
Heat treatment



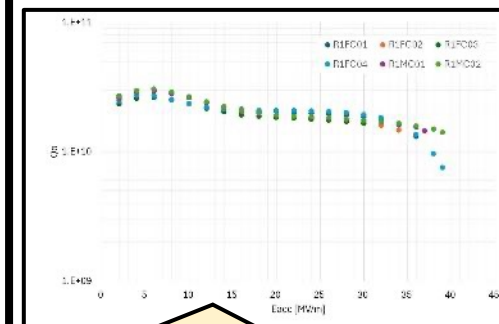
Cold EP



Baking



VT



Single-cell R&D activity

Material procurement and ECS (Nb):

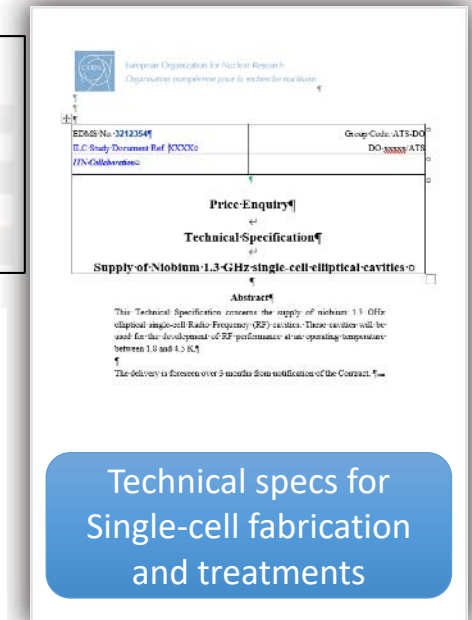
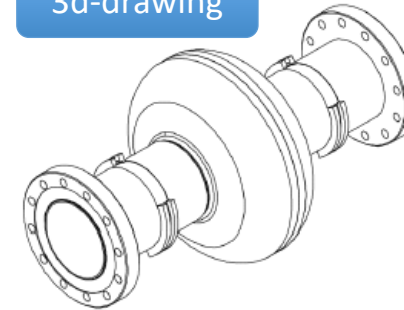
✓ **Done**

Mechanical production and treatments:

- ✓ Specs prepared by CEA-INFN-CERN (treatments as option)
- ✓ **Order (mechanical + baseline) placed in industry (RI) in March 2025**
- ✓ Delivery of materials: expected in two weeks
- ✓ **CEA/INFN** responsible of the **technical support at RI** (QC, etc.)

Material	Dimensions [mm]	Pieces	Weight [kg]	Parts for:
Nb tube ¹⁾	84 (o.d.) × 78 (i.d.) × 150 (l)	6	6.5	End-group
Nb block ¹⁾	105 (φ) × 17 (t)	3	3.9	End-group
Nb-Ti ring ¹⁾	142(o.d.) × 80 (i.d.) × 19 (t)	6	7.5	End-group
Nb sheet (FG) ²⁾	265 (h) × 265 (v) × 2.8 (t)	4	6.7	Cavity (single cell)
Nb disc (MG) ²⁾	260 (φ) × 2.8 (t)	4	5.1	Cavity (single cell)

3d-drawing



9-cells industrialization activities: goals and strategy

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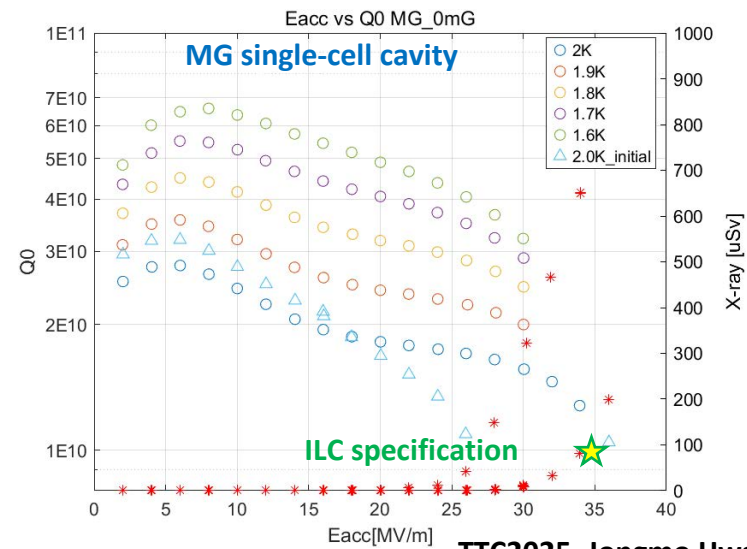
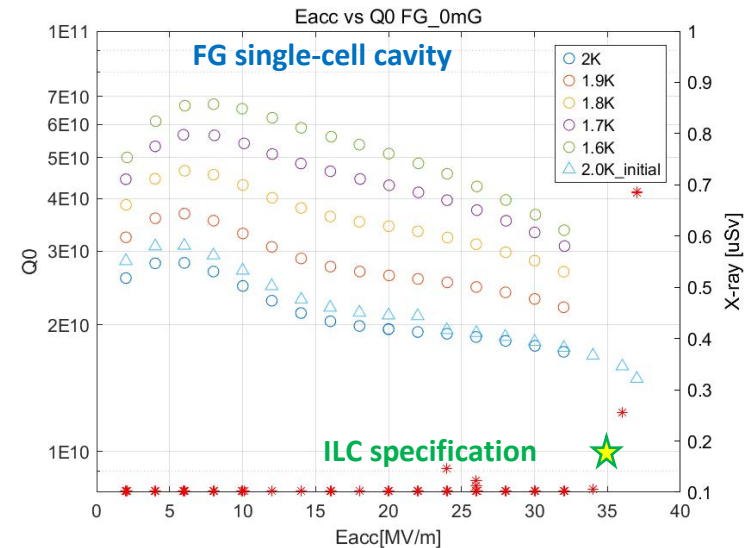
ITN-EU main goals for 9-cells cavities:

- Production of **9-cells jacketed cavities** at the **EU Industries** (RI and Zanon)
- **Qualification of EU Industries** in term of pressure vessel code (harmonization with **HPGS**)
- Installation into the **ILC type cryomodule (KEK)** of **2 EU cavities**

WPP-1 in South Korea

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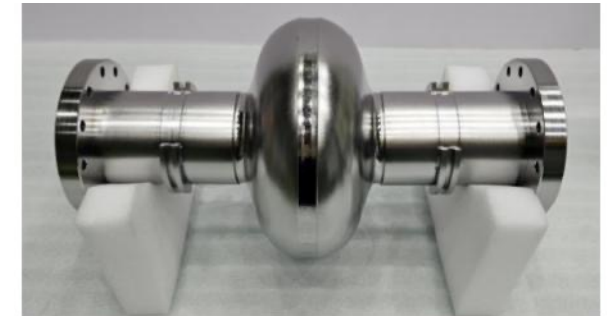
- Korea Univ. fabricated two 1-cell cavities.
- Single cell cavities satisfied ILC specification



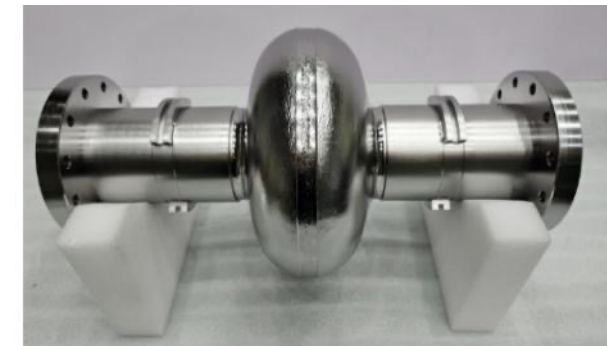
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1.3 GHz FG 1-cell cavity



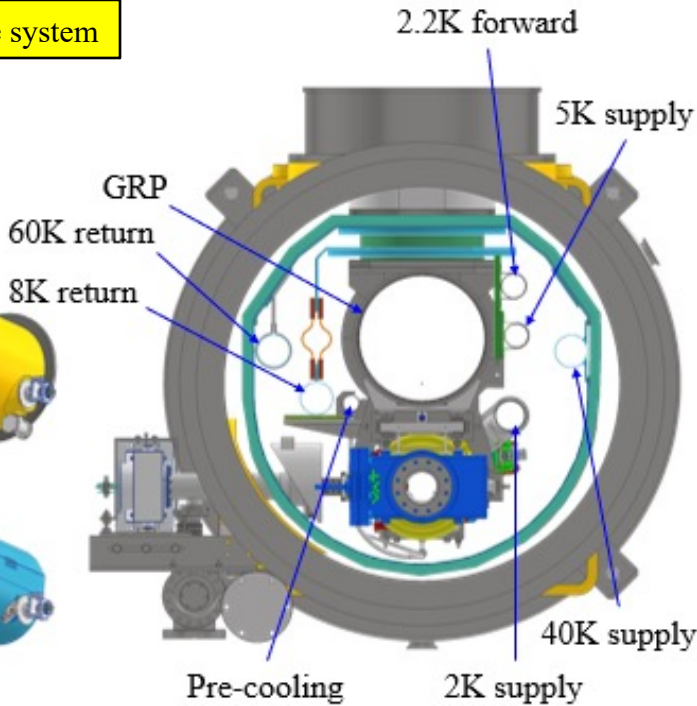
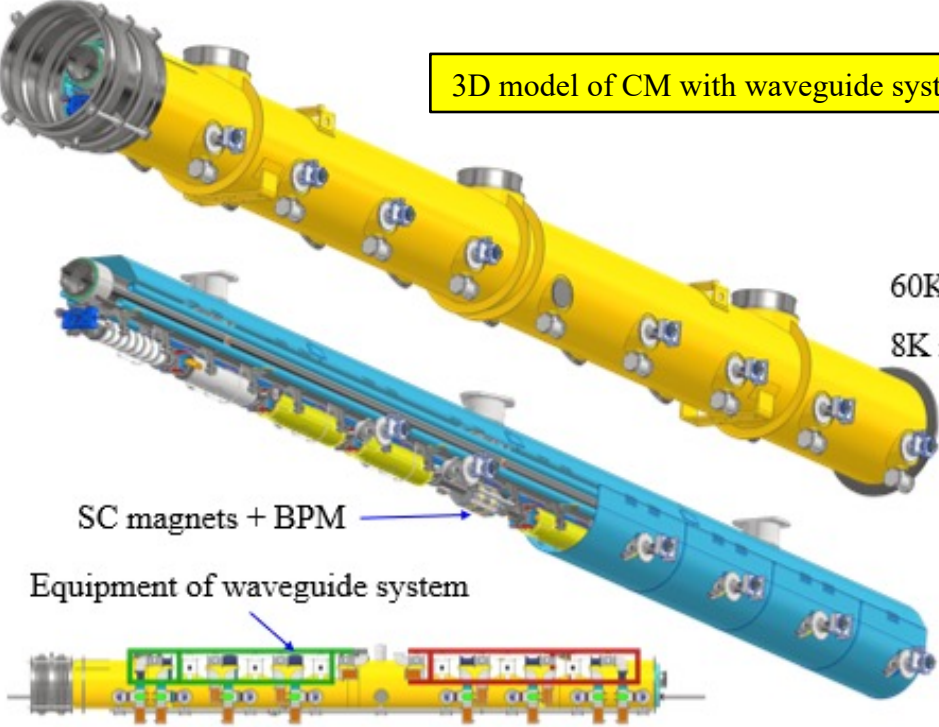
1.3 GHz MG 1-cell cavity

- ILC “Type B” CM chosen (eight cavities + one SC magnet/BPM)
- Single thermal shield @40K (**5K dropped (t.b.d.)**)
- Tuner access available
- 3D model completed
- Heat load simulation done (dynamic under progress)
- Waveguide support frame designed
- Total cost for contract under estimation

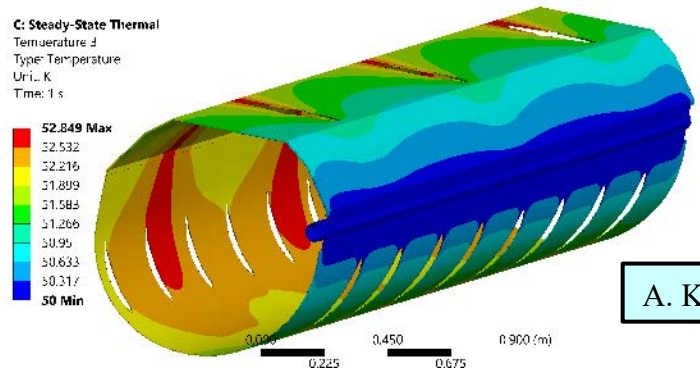
Specifications

Type	B
Thermal shield	Single
Vacuum vessel length	12,652 m
Vacuum vessel diameter	OD965mm, ID946mm
Coupler pitch distance	1326.7 mm
Cavity length	1247.4 mm

3D model of CM with waveguide system



Thermal analysis for 40K shield

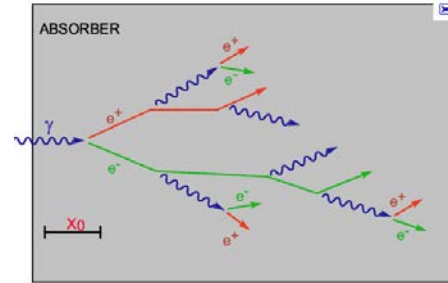
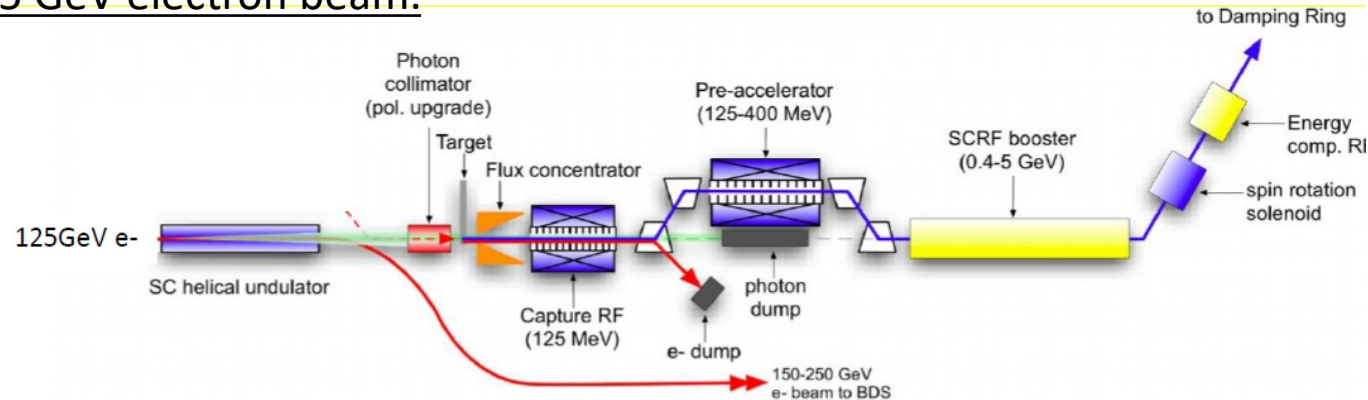


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Undulator scheme and e-driven scheme positron source

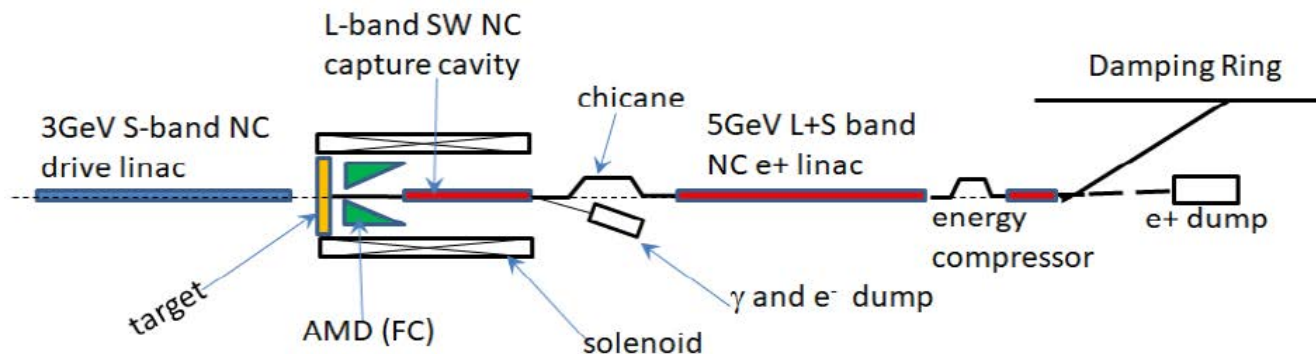
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Undulator method (baseline): 125 GeV electrons are passed through a helical undulator, and the produced gamma rays hit the target to produce electron-positron pairs. Polarized positrons (30%) are obtained. Need 125 GeV electron beam.



Developed in mainly EU.

Electron driven method : 3 GeV electrons hit the target to produce electron-positron pairs. High-energy electrons are not required, and the commissioning of the positron production is independent from electron beam commissioning.



Developed mainly in Japan.

Both needs strong target and sophisticated design of Flux concentrator and capture section (cavity and solenoid) → In KEK, prototype of positron source based on e-driven method start to develop.

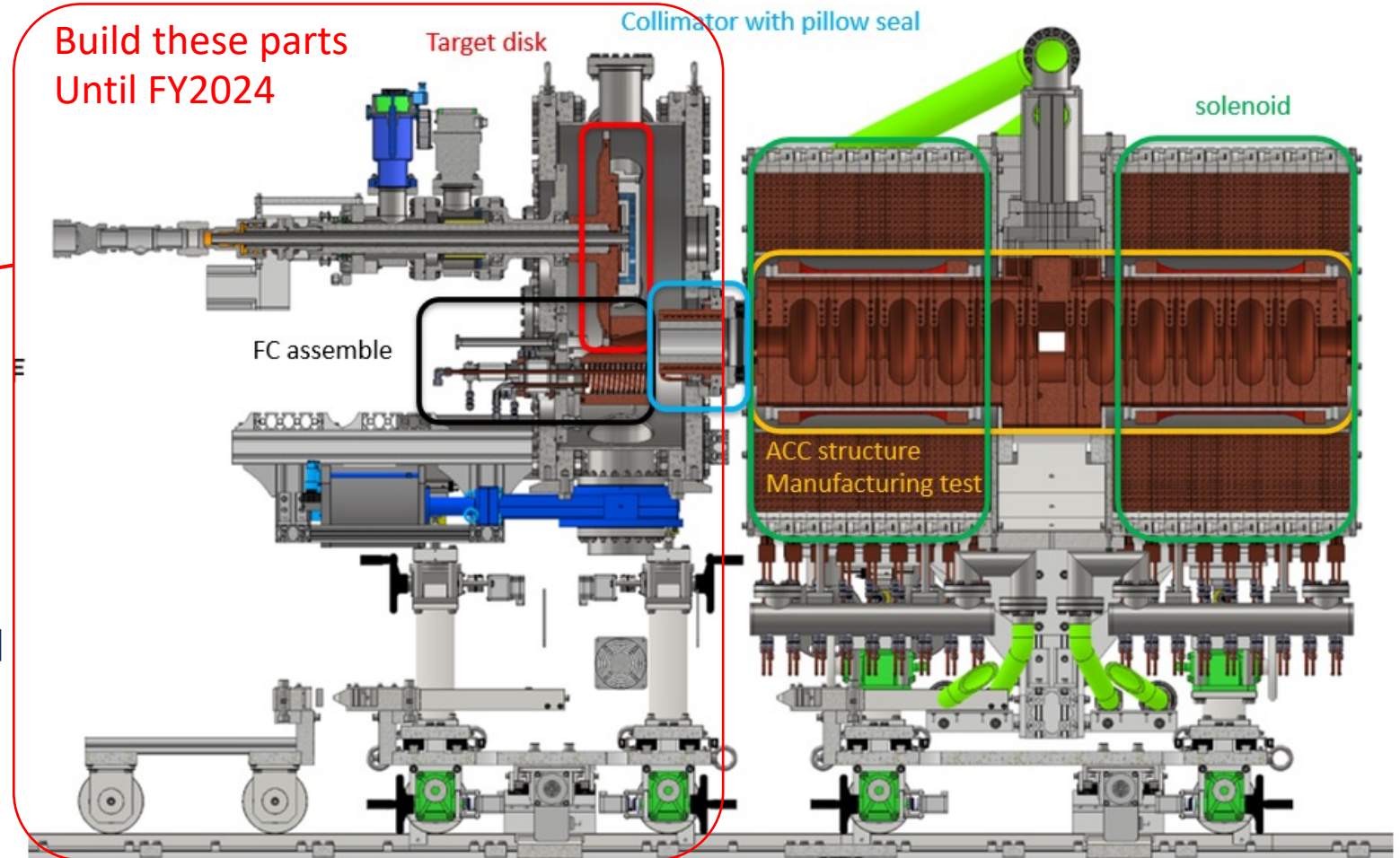
- Fabrication of Target disk (W-Cu)
- Install Flux Concentrator (FC)
- Fabrication of collimator with pillow seal
- Fabrication of solenoid



rotating target.
Flux
concentrator

About **200 r p m**
with water
cooling.
Vacuum is
around 10^{-6} Pa
level. (last year
& this year)

Movie

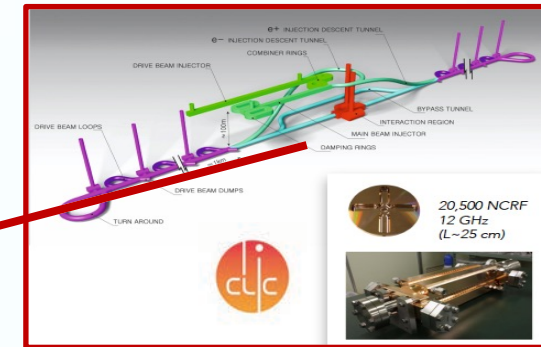
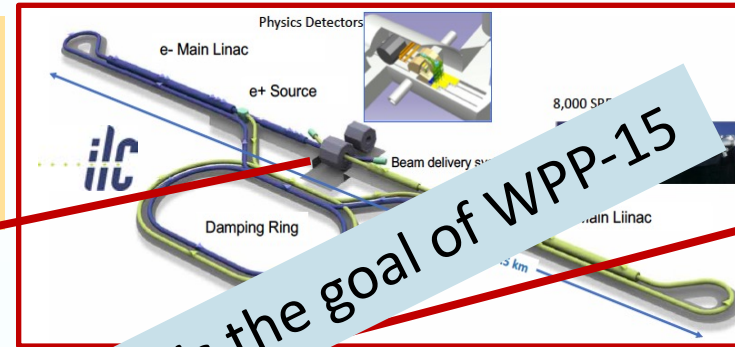


The infrastructure for positron test stand was developed until JFY2024, including a cold fit test of the W-Cu target. From 2025, we will conduct the accelerator structure fabrication.

Stable rotating target was produced under good vacuum condition. → impressive progress for future e+e- colliders

WPP-15: Final focus at ATF in KEK

Develop **nano-beam technologies** for ILC-CLIC
Goals: - Realize **nanobeam size**
- **Stabilize** its **position**



ATF2 final focus test beamline
Nanometer beam development

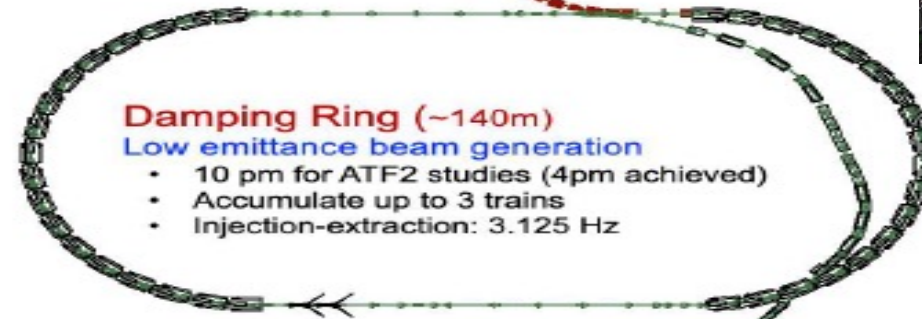
- Final focus System R&D
- Intra-train ultra-fast beam feedback



Focal point (IP)
Small beam of 37 nm

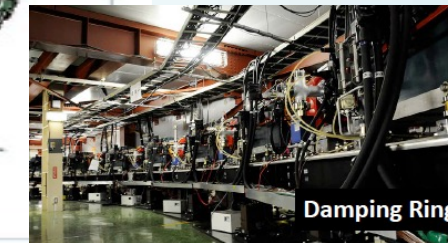
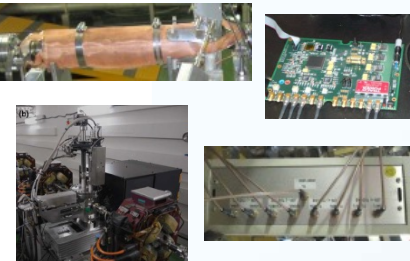
Photocathode
Electron bunch generation

- 1~20 bunches/train
- $\sim 1 \times 10^{10}$ e-/bunch
- Repetition: 3.125 Hz



1.3 GeV S-band Electron LINAC

110 m



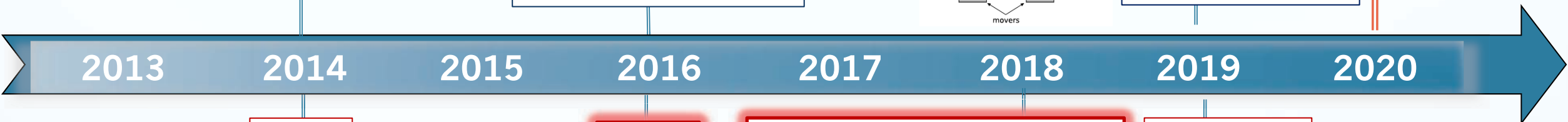
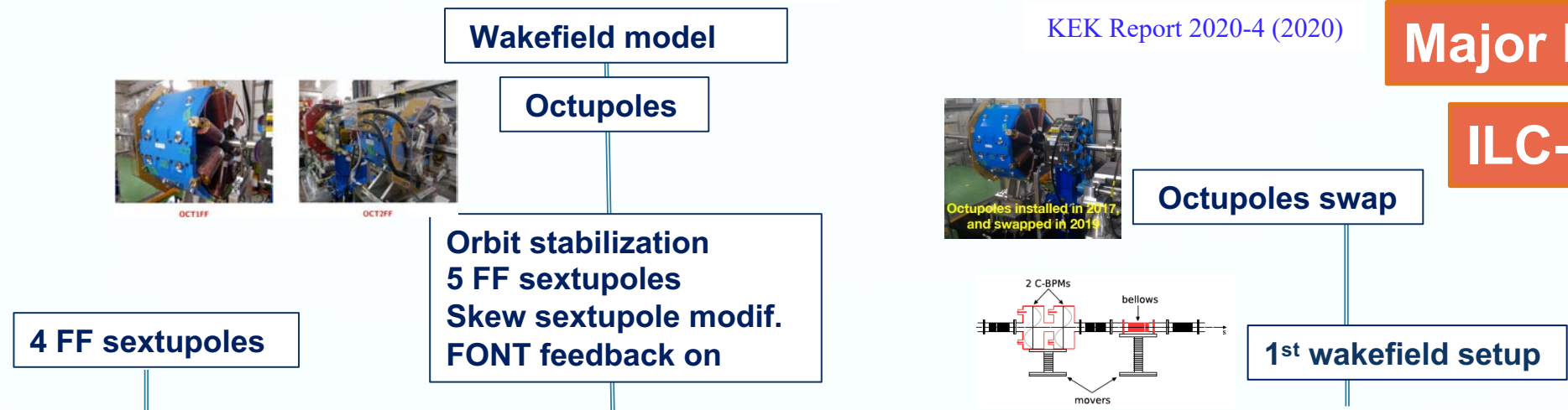
ATF2 past experimental results achieved

PRAB 19, 091002 (2016)

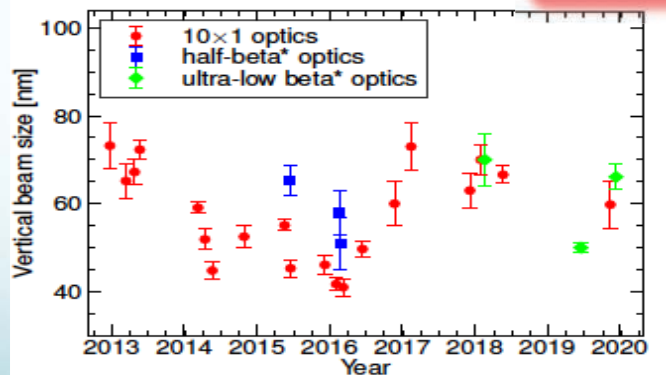
KEK Report 2020-4 (2020)

Major Review

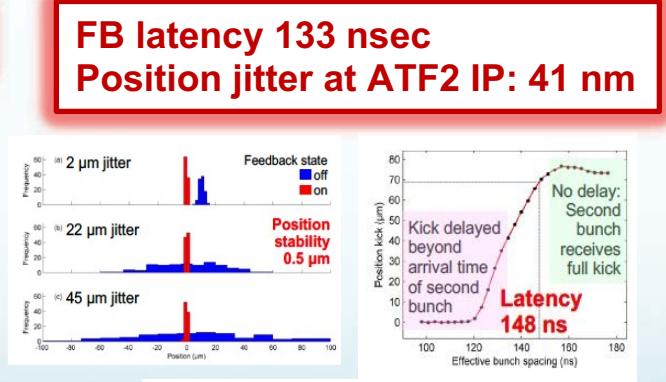
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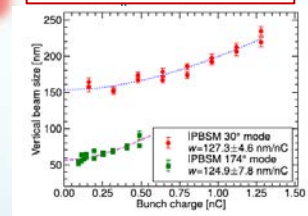


41 nm



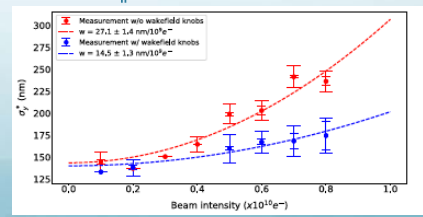
PRAB 21, 122802 (2018)

Intensity dependence



$$\sigma_y = \sqrt{\sigma_{y,0}^2 + w^2 N^2}$$

Ultra low-b optics



PRAB 23, 121004 (2020)

$$\overline{\sigma_y^2} = \overline{\sigma_{y,0}^2} + w^2 \times Q^2$$

10x1 optics

Small beam sizes were obtained with reduced beam intensities of 0.5-1.5 10⁹ e-/bunch (10¹⁰ design value) and reduced aberration optics (10β_x* x β_y*)

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ATF2-3 recent and current status

Lessons learned

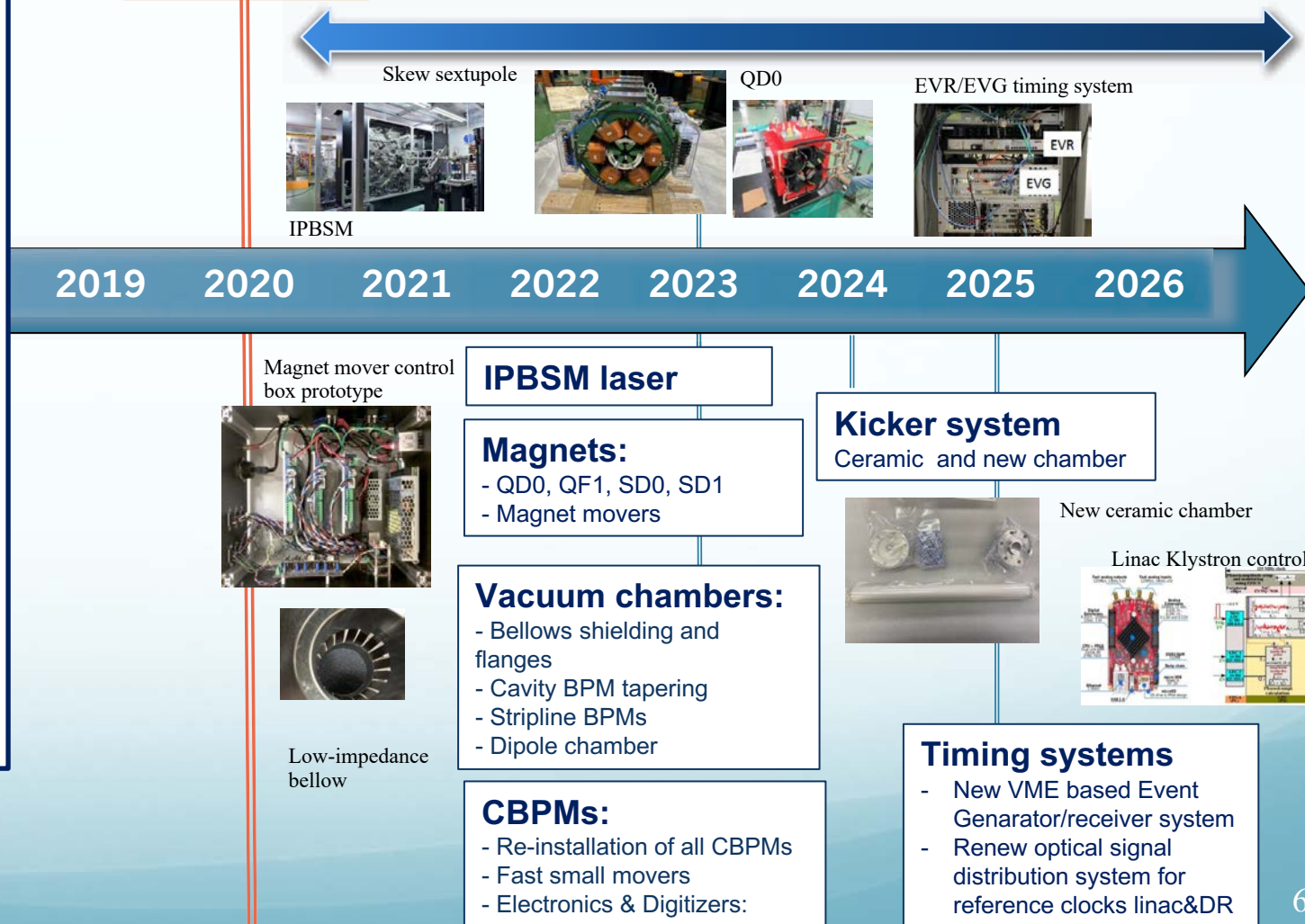
- **Hardware ATF issues** were identified (retrofitted / re-used components)
- Mitigation plan is in progress (MEXT ATD)
- Detailed studies to assess the ILC/CLIC **FFS** system design from the point of view of the **technological/hardware choices** are of paramount importance (wakefields, magnet field errors...)

Major Review

ILC-IDT

Hardware upgrades

ATF2 beam line upgrade is ongoing in the framework of the new Advanced Accelerator Element Technology Development (MEXT ATD) grant started in April 2023 and will continue over 5 years.



ATF2-3 recent and current status

Lessons learned

- Outstanding and unique results achieved in ATF/ATF2. Based on ATF2 achievements **no showstopper** for ILC has been found
- ATF2 **beam intensity dependence** is compatible with **wakefields** impact and long bunch lengths. ATF2 low-intensity is “roughly” equivalent to ILC nominal intensity.
KEK Report 2020-4 (2020)
CERN-THESIS-2020-095 (2020)
- ATF2 **optics limitation** could be explained by **alignment**, **jitters**, and **multipolar aberrations**. Comparative simulations shown that ATF2 10x1 optics has closer tolerances to ILC optics than ATF2 1x1 optics.
PRAB 17, 023501 (2014)

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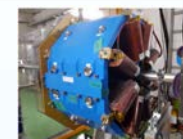
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Performance Optimization

ATF3 plan is to pursue the necessary **R&D** to maximize the **luminosity potential of ILC**. In particular the assessment of the ILC FFS system design specs and the technological/hardware choices and the long-term stability operation issues.

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High-order aberrations



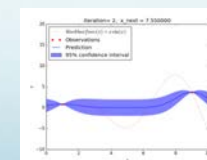
Octupoles

Wakefield mitigation



Wakefield test station

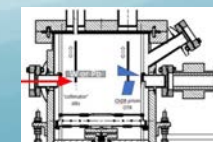
Long Term stability



beam tuning (ML based)

Beam Instrumentation

iChDR



WPP-15: Final focus at ATF in KEK

Increased operating weeks to **20 weeks** in JFY2024.

Wakefield evaluation

Wakefield study chamber (ABE chamber)

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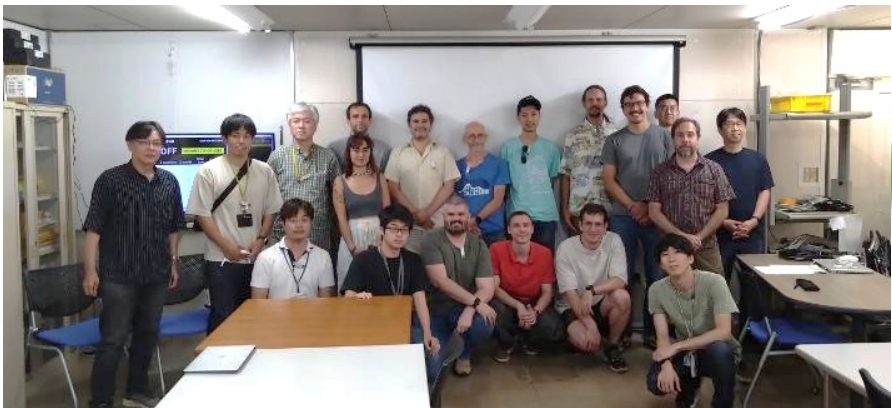


Skew Sextupole magnets



Install to ATF beamline step-by-step

Magnet mover control system



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2024

April						
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	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				

Beam Weeks

May						
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Proposed

Proposal has been submitted to KEK and is awaiting approval for power allocation.

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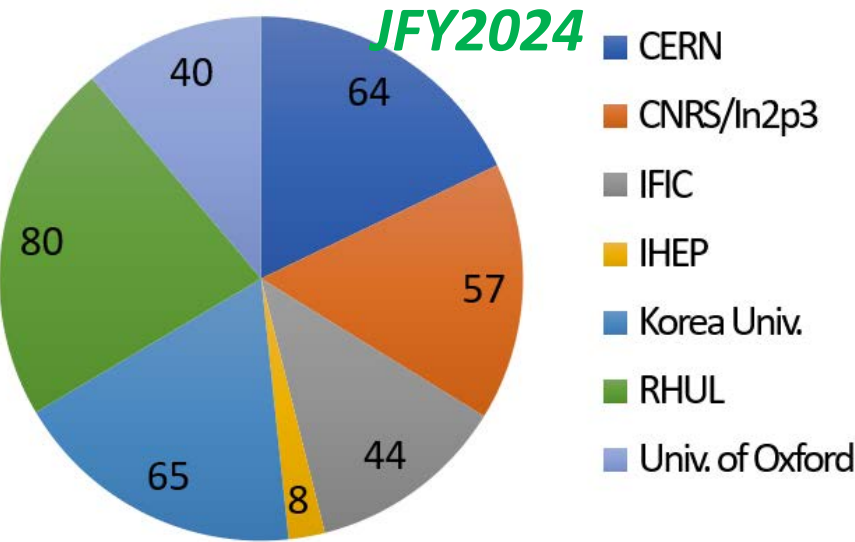
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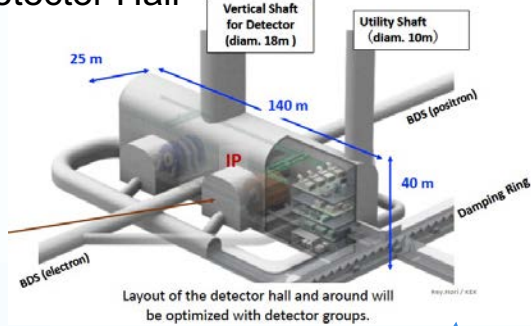
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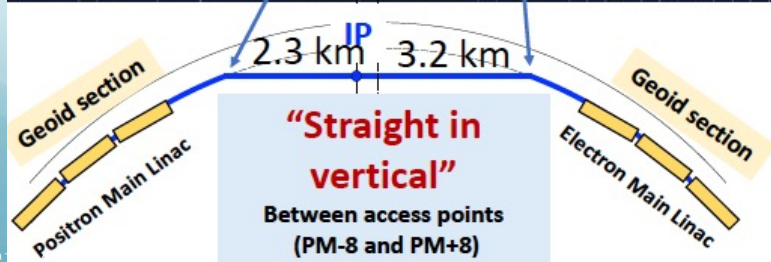
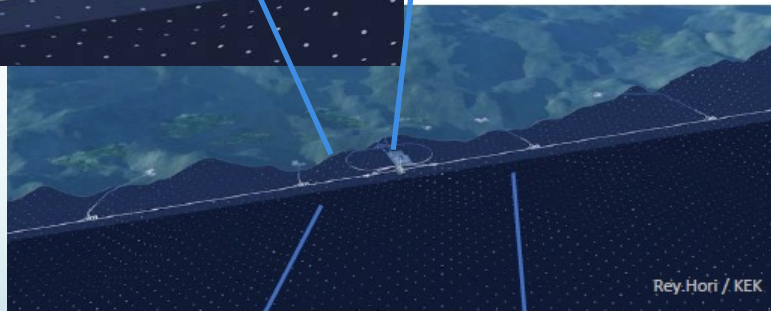
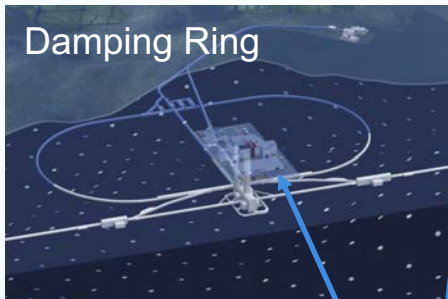


ILC Site Study and Civil Engineering

Detector Hall



Damping Ring

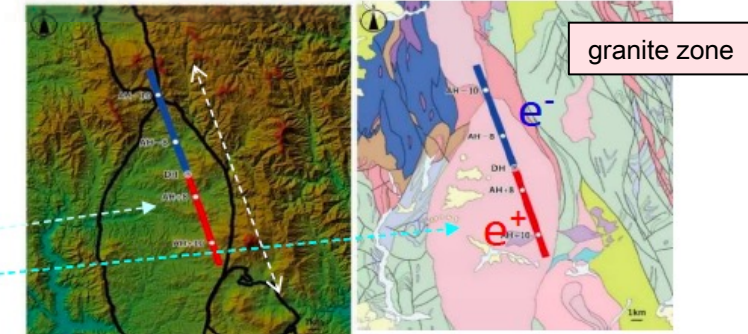


Kitakami mountains

① ILC Location

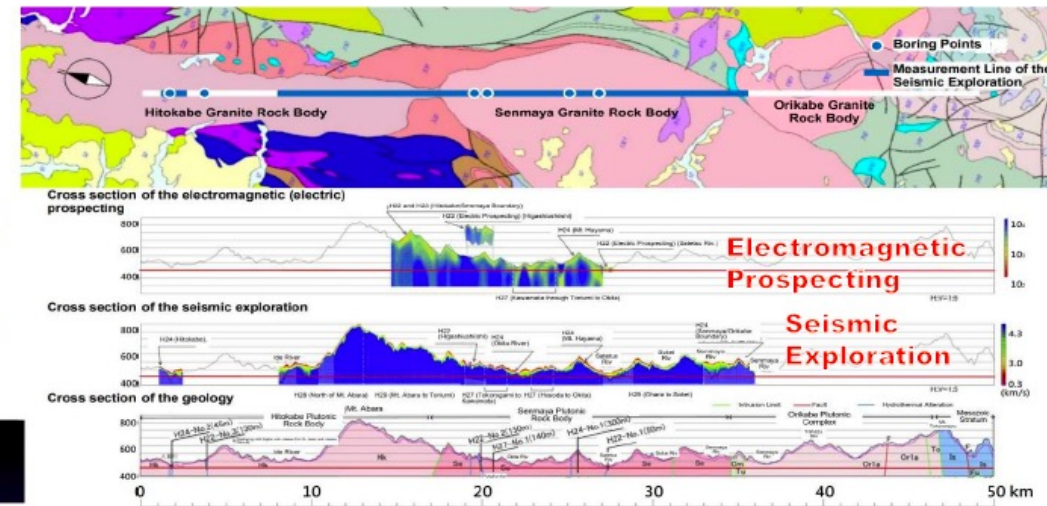
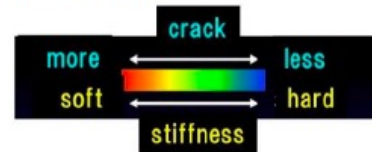
ILC accelerator area : inside the granite rock bodies
 → inside black curves (left)
 → in the pink color (right)
 → possible up to 50 km

→ On-going jobs : Optimal accelerator placement, considering surface environment, land-use and land-acquisition



② Geological Surveys

- Electric Prospecting (crack)
- Seismic Exploration (stiffness)
- Boring Survey
- Borehole Camera
- Measurement of Initial Stress of the Ground



- no issues from previous surveys
- requiring : additional surveys around access tunnel head and access tunnel inside for detailed designing



“Green ILC” and Carbon neutrality

Although SRF has been adopted, the AC power consumption for ML part is <50%, what is a total of 110 MW

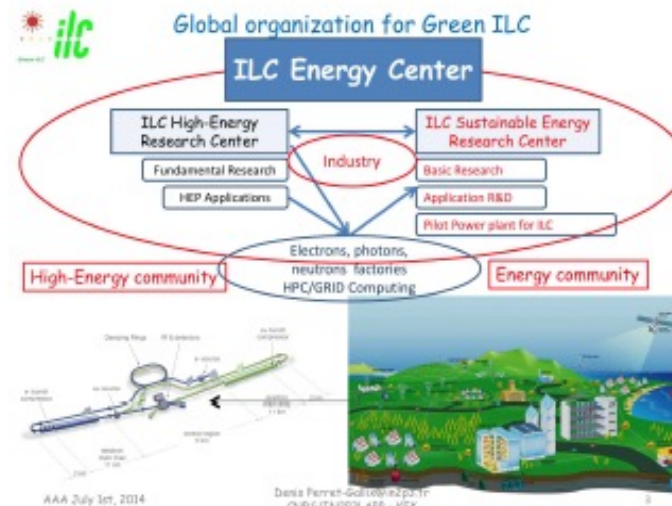
- **“Green ILC”**: Past efforts include increasing the efficiency of accelerators (SC, klystron) <https://green-ilc.in2p3.fr/documents/>
- **Carbon neutrality**: Common challenge for all future HEP accelerators. The use of SC will contribute to carbon neutrality in the future.

Work is ongoing to study these issues in collaboration the "ILC Environmental Assessment Advisory Board"



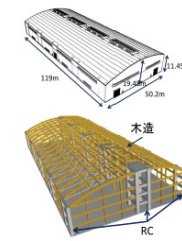
<https://wsfa2023.huhep.org/>

Green-ILC AAA-2014 Report



Green ILC Studies in Tohoku Area

- Studies conducted on
 - Exhaust heat recovery from the ILC and the creation of business derived from it
 - Connecting the ILC with the local forestry industry
 - Utilization of solar heat
 - The “Green ILC” concept and community development and planning - building an energy recycling society based on the Global Village Vision

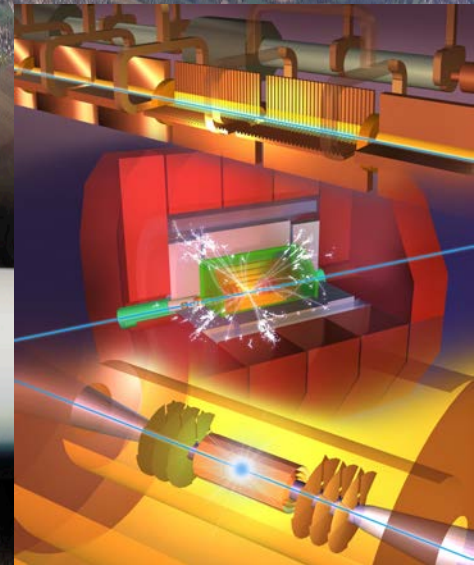
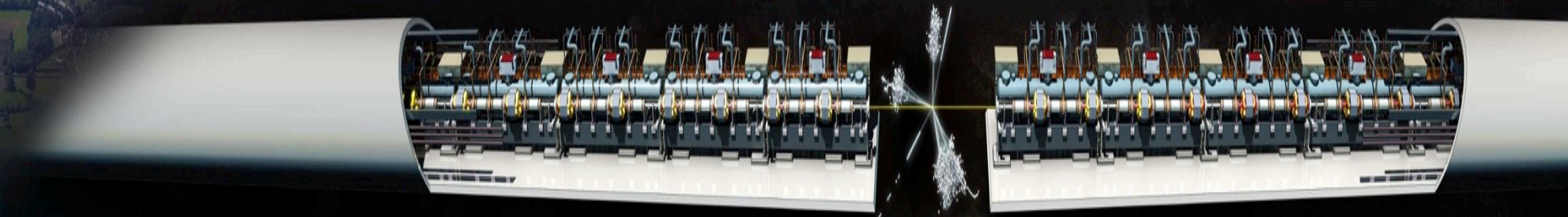


320ktonCO2/year






CLIC accelerator: Technology update



<http://clic-study.web.cern.ch/>

 Compact Linear Collider

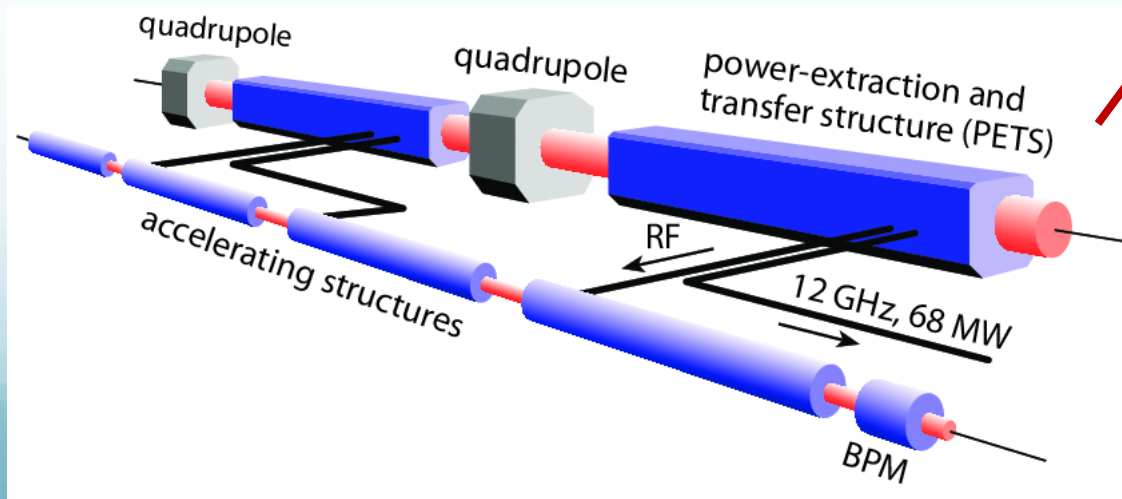
CLIC “novel” concept



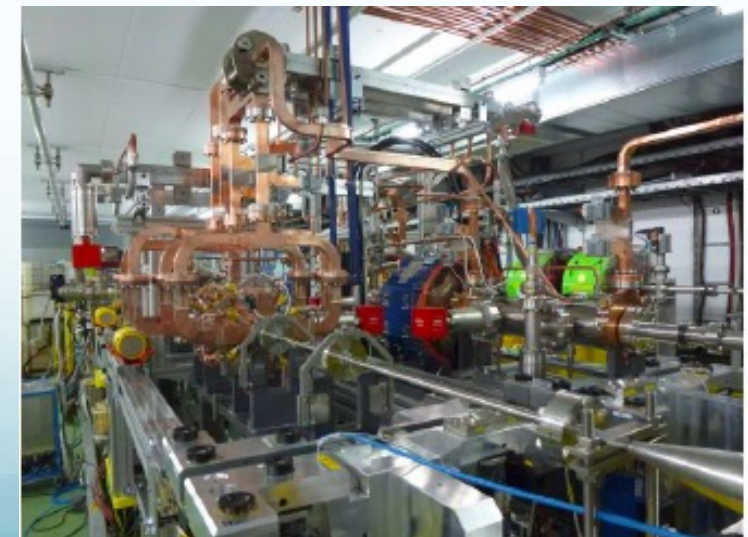
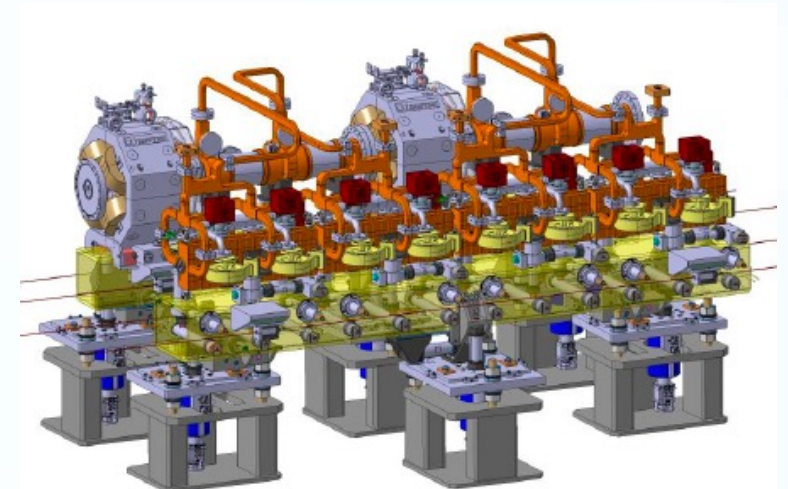
CLIC Note 7
11th November 1985

CONSIDERATION OF A TWO-BEAM TWIN RF SCHEME FOR POWERING
AN RF LINEAR COLLIDER

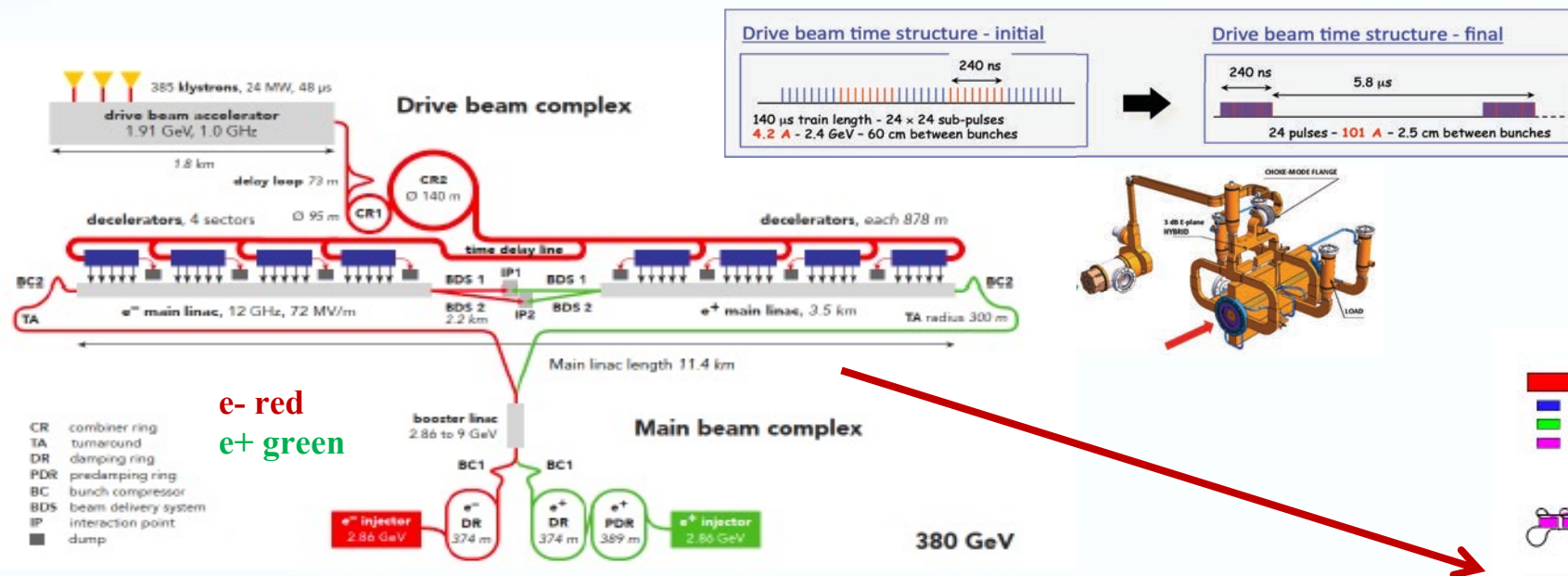
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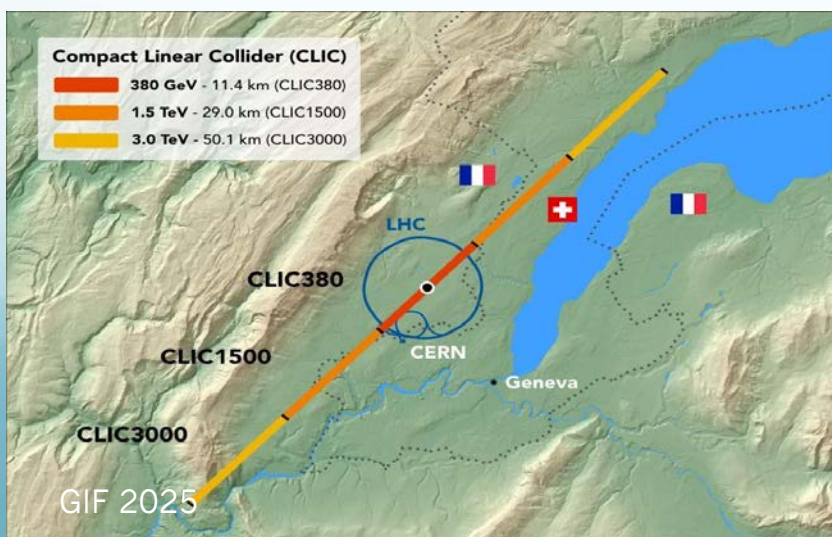
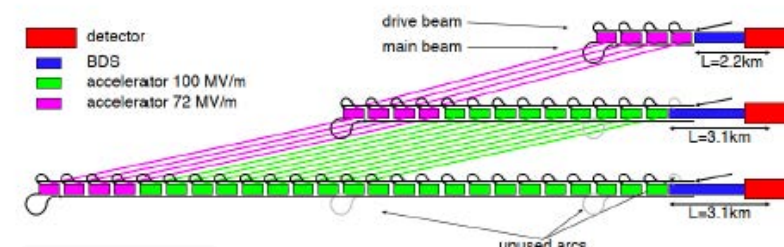
Coming up on the 40th anniversary!



CLIC parameters and beam accelerator sequence



Energy staging



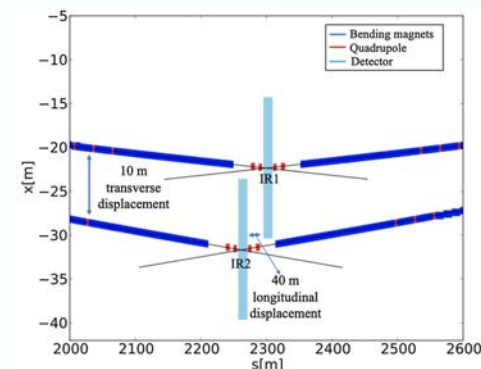
Parameter	Unit	380 GeV	1.5 TeV	250 GeV	550 GeV
Centre-of-mass energy	GeV	380	1500	250	550
Repetition frequency	Hz	100	50	100	100
Nb. of bunches per train		352	312	352	352
Bunch separation	ns	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
Pulse length	ns	244	244	244	244
Accelerating gradient	MV/m	72	72/100	72	72
Total luminosity	$10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$	4.5	3.7*	~3.0	~6.5
Lum. above 99 % of \sqrt{s}	$10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$	2.7	1.4	~2.1	~3.2
Total int. lum. per year	fb^{-1}	540	444	~350	~780
Power consumption	MW	166	287	~130	~210
Main linac tunnel length	km	11.4	29.0	11.4	~15
Nb. of particles per bunch	10^9	5.2	3.7	5.2	5.2
Bunch length	μm	70	44	70	70
IP beam size	nm	149/2.0	60/1.5	~184/2.5	~124/1.7

CLIC new design highlights

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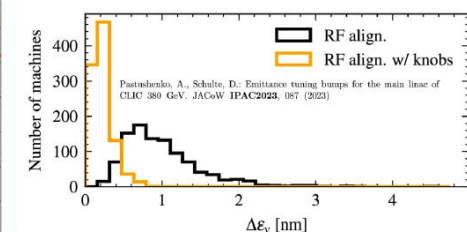
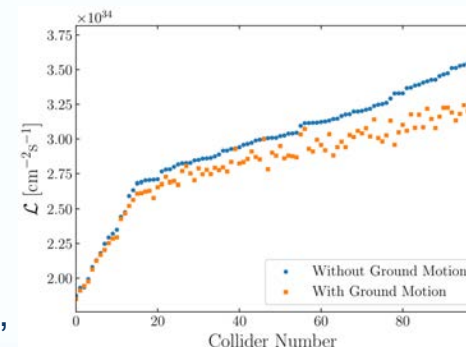
Two Interaction Regions

- Addresses a long-standing concern: a single IR does not sufficiently serve the particle physics community
- Two detectors can be operated each at an average rate of 50 Hz
- All the luminosity can also be delivered to a single detector at 100 Hz



Emittance budgets to full start-to-end simulation

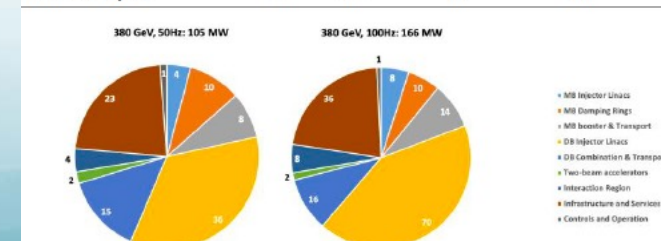
- For the expected alignment imperfections and with a conservative ground motion model, 90% of machines achieve a luminosity of 4.5×10^{34} /cm²/s or greater, at 380 GeV, 100 Hz.
- The average luminosity achieved in simulations is 5.6×10^{34} /cm²/s (380 GeV, 100 Hz).
- Future improvements to the technologies used to mitigate imperfections, such as better pre-alignment, active stabilization systems and additional beam-based tuning, will also help increasing this luminosity surplus further. A start-to-end simulation of a perfect machine shows that a luminosity of 8.6×10^{34} /cm²/s would be achieved (380 GeV, 100 Hz).



50 and 100 Hz operation

- Re-evaluation of the level and distribution of power consumption at 380 GeV made clear that repetition rate – luminosity! - could be doubled with only 60% increase in power consumption.
- Due to large fraction of non-pulsed consumption, magnets, infrastructure etc.
- Contributes also to implementing two interaction regions.

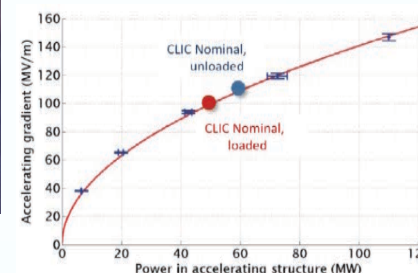
Parameter	Symbol	Unit	380 GeV, 100 Hz	380 GeV, 50 Hz
Centre-of-mass energy	\sqrt{s}	GeV	380	380
Number of interaction points	N_{IP}		2	1
Repetition frequency	f_{rep}	Hz	100	50
Number of bunches per train	n_b		352	352
Bunch separation	Δt	ns	0.5	0.5
Pulse length	τ_{RF}	ns	244	244
Accelerating gradient	G	MV/m	72	72
Total luminosity	\mathcal{L}	$10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$	4.5	2.3
Luminosity above 99% of \sqrt{s}	$\mathcal{L}_{0.99}$	$10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$	2.7	1.3
Beamstrahlung photons per particle	n_γ		1.5	1.5
Total integrated luminosity per year	\mathcal{L}_{int}	fb^{-1}	540	270
Power consumption	P	MW	166	105



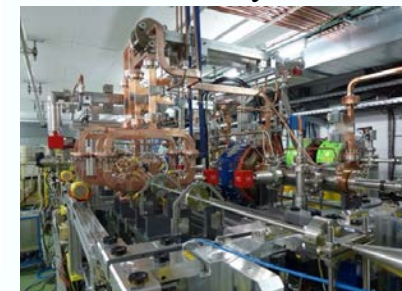
CLIC accelerator challenges/technologies

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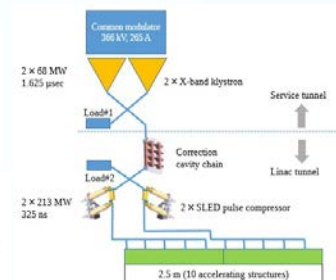
- **CLIC baseline** – a **drive-beam** based machine with an initial stage at **380 GeV**. The main challenges:
 - High-current drive beam bunched at 12 GHz
 - Power transfer and main-beam acceleration, efficient RF power
 - Towards 100 MV/m gradient in main-beam X-band cavities
 - Alignment and stability (“nano-beams”)
- **CLIC 380 GeV with X-band klystrons** (larger tunnel, klystron design not optimized...)
- The CLIC Test Facility at CERN (**CTF3**) programme addressed all **drive-beam** production **issues**
- Other **critical technical systems** (alignment, damping rings, beam delivery, etc.) addressed via design and/or test-facility demonstrations
- **X-band technology** developed and verified with **prototyping, test-stands**, and use in **smaller systems** and linacs



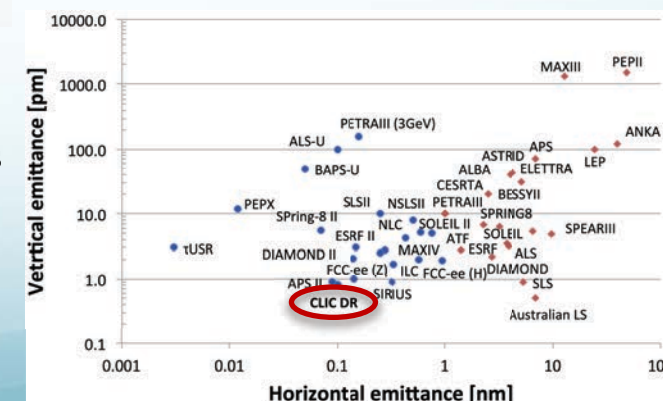
CTF3 facility



XBox facility



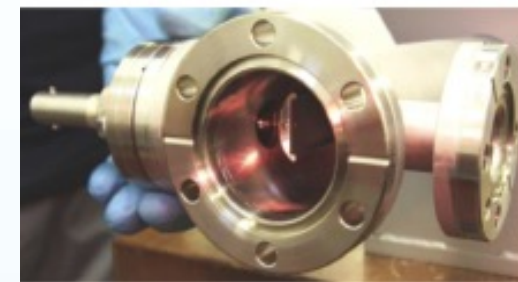
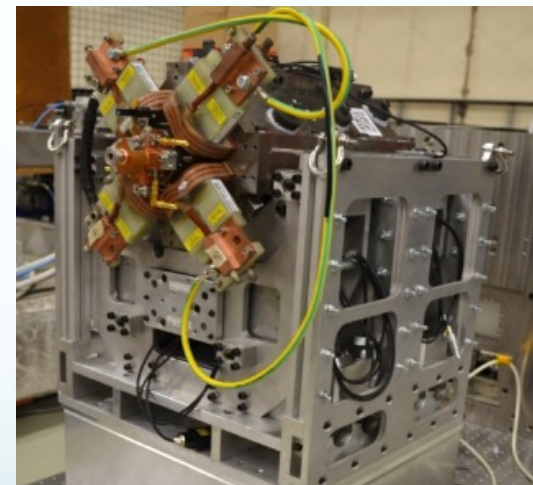
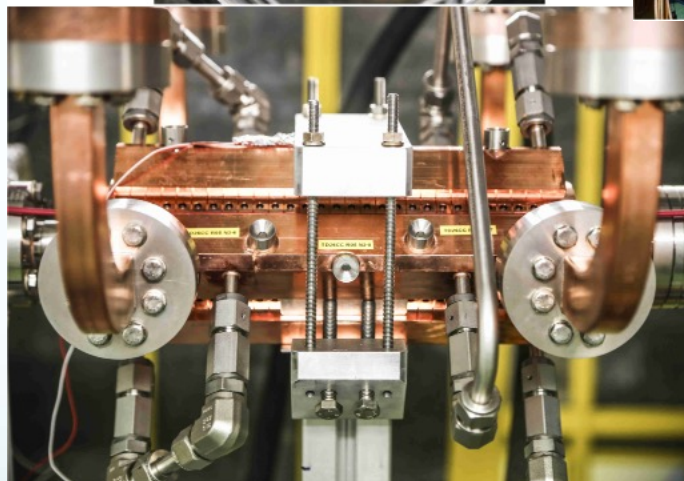
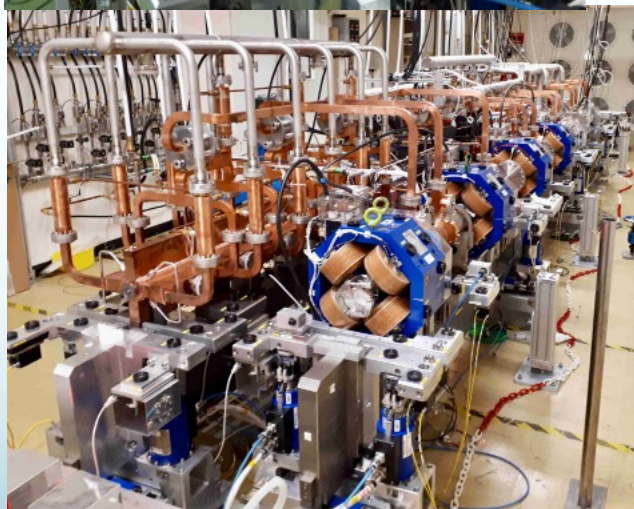
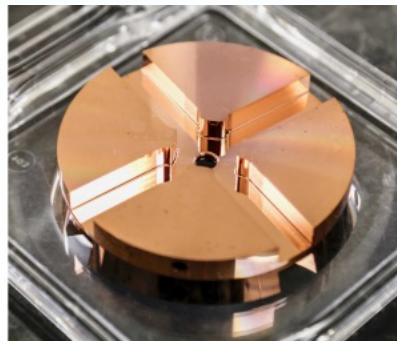
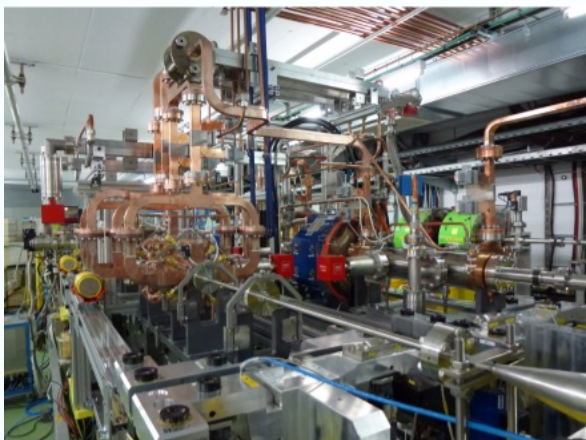
Target and achieved emittance in existing and planned machines



Examples of technical developments

CLIC Technical developments of key elements Extensive prototyping over the last ~5-10 years

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Progress in X-band Technical Systems

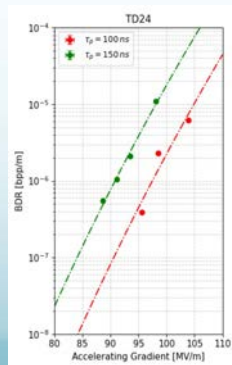
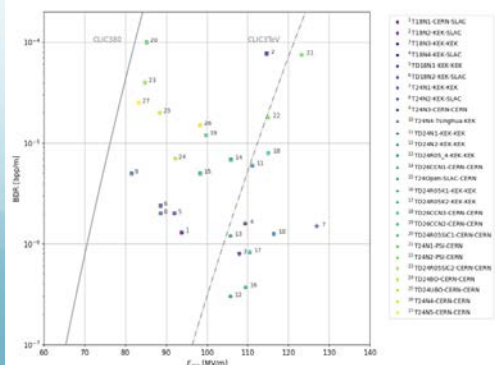
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Fundamental process for high-fields and material dynamics

Structures and components production program to study designs, operation, conditioning, manufacturing, industry qualification/experience. Understanding the limits by: Field emission, Vacuum arcing (breakdown) and Fatigue due to pulsed surface heating

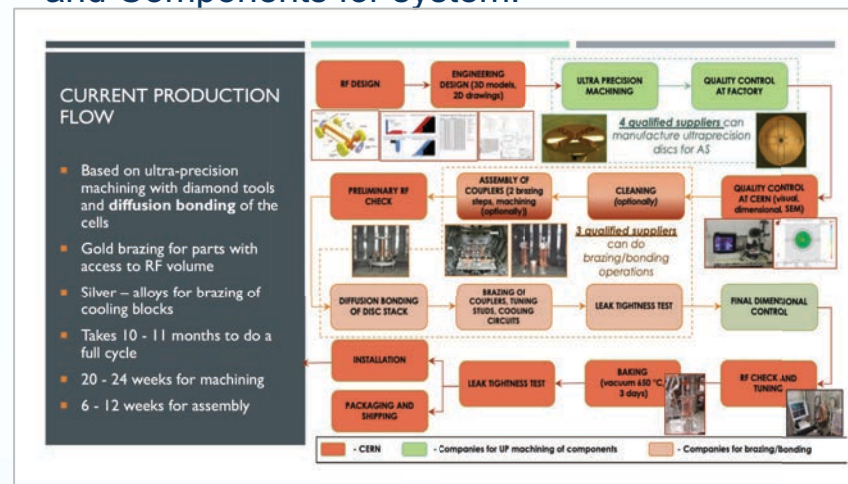


X-box studies



X band RF structures fabrication:

Processes, Developments (rectangular disks, brazing, halves), Fabrication capacity and Components for system.



High Efficiency Klystrons:

for LHC, CLIC, FCC-ee and ILC. For CLIC, this includes the L-band and X-band sources

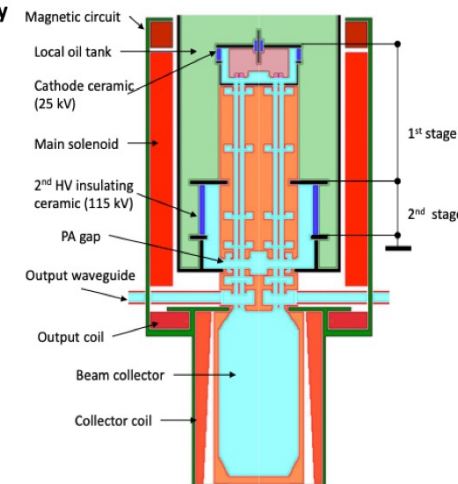
Tailored Technologies. High Efficiency

Industrial CLIC MBK prototypes delivers ~70 % RF power production efficiency



The new klystron bunching technologies cannot be directly adopted to the CLIC MBK:

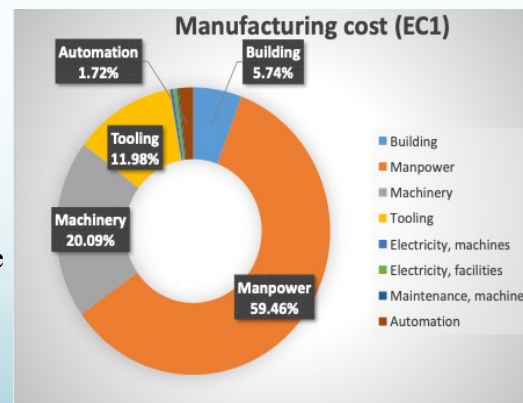
- COM requires very long (5m) RF circuit.
- In CMS, the 3rd harmonic cavity is not compatible with MB-type cavities layout.



I. Syratchev, LCWS, Japan, Sendai, October 28 – November 1, 2019

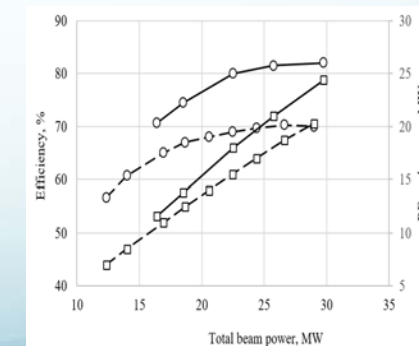
Industrial questionnaire:

Based on the companies feedback, the preparation phase to the mass production could take about five years. Capacity clearly available.



Drivebeam klystron: The klystron efficiency (circles) and the peak RF power (squares) simulated for the CLIC TS MBK (solid lines) and measured for the Canon MBK E37503 (dashed lines) vs total beam power.

<https://ieeexplore.ieee.org/document/9115885>

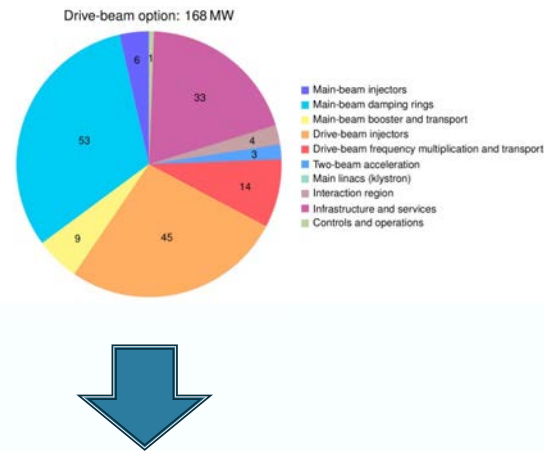


“Green CLIC” and Carbon neutrality

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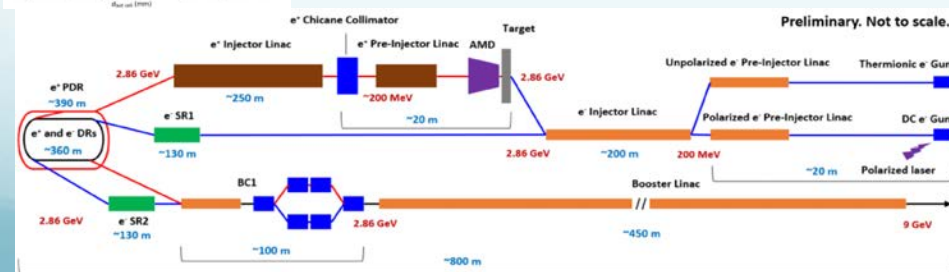
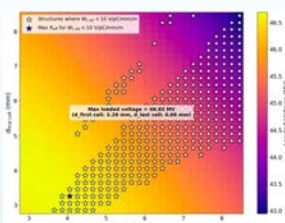
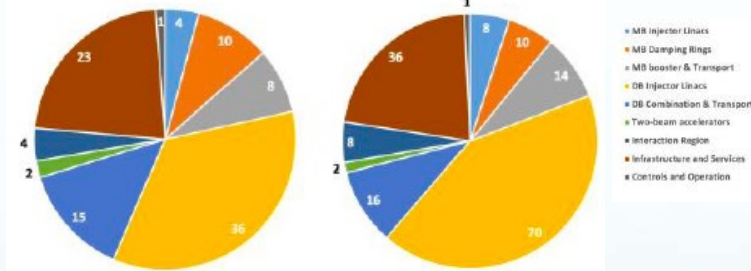
➤ Energy consumption:

- Very **large reductions** since **CDR**, better estimates of nominal settings, much more optimized drive-beam complex, more efficient klystrons and optimized injectors.
- Further savings possible, as **permanents magnets**



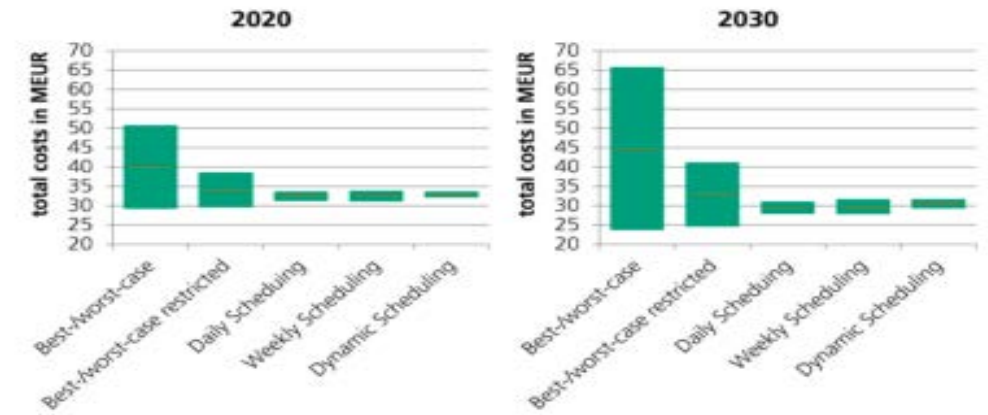
380 GeV, 50Hz: 105 MW

380 GeV, 100Hz: 166 MW



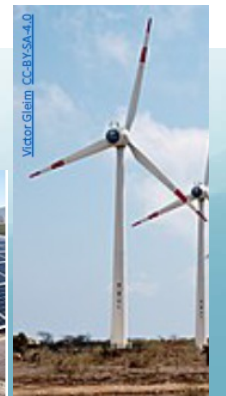
➤ Energy studies:

- Running when energy is cheap



Relative energy cost by no scheduling, avoiding the winter months (restricted), daily, weekly and dynamic scheduling. Central values of the ranges shown should be considered best estimates. The absolute cost scale will depend on price, contracts and detailed assumption about running times, but the relative cost differences indicate that significant cost-reductions could be achieved by optimizing the running schedule of CLIC to avoid high-energy cost periods (Fraunhofer)

- Renewable energy (carbon footprint)
- Recovering energy





Cool Copper Collider: Technology updates

web.slac.stanford.edu/c3/

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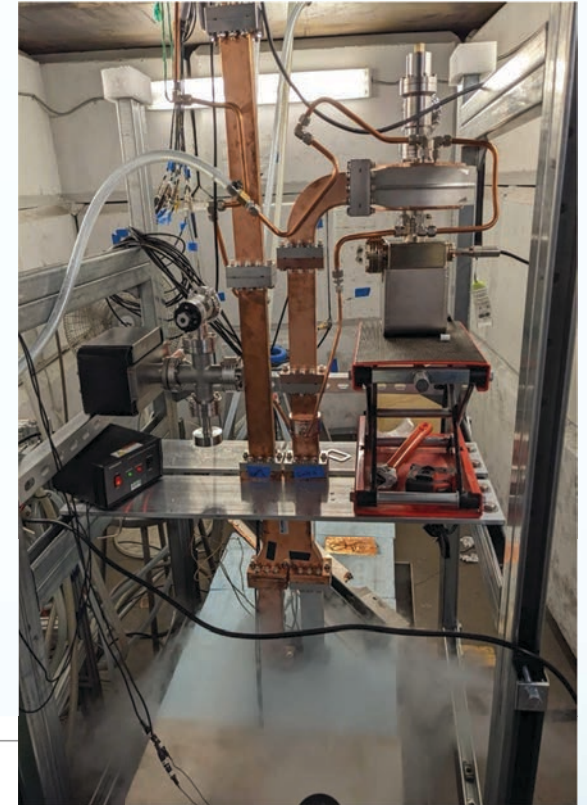
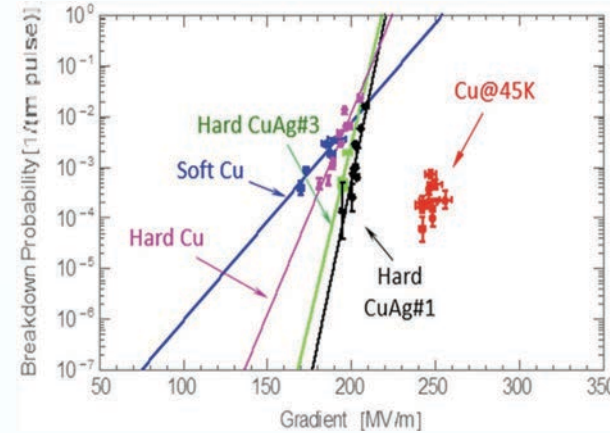
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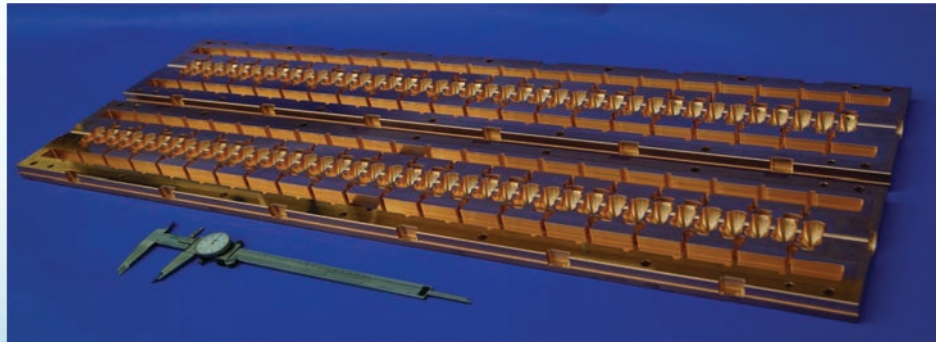
C³ RF technology

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- C³ is based on a new RF technology
- Dramatically **improving efficiency** and **breakdown rate**
- **Distributed power** to each cavity from a common RF manifold
- Operation at **cryogenic temperatures** (LN₂~80K)
- Potential for High gradient: **155 MeV/m**
- Scalable to multi-TeV operation

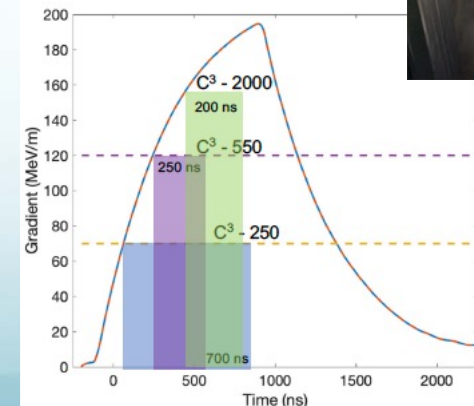
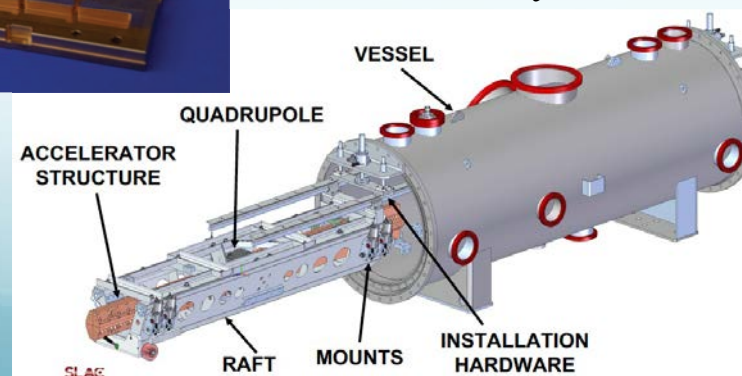


High power Test at Radiabeam



C³ Prototype One Meter Structure

Quarter cryomodule



Exceeding Gradients and Pulse Lengths Required for C³

C³ Accelerator complex and performances

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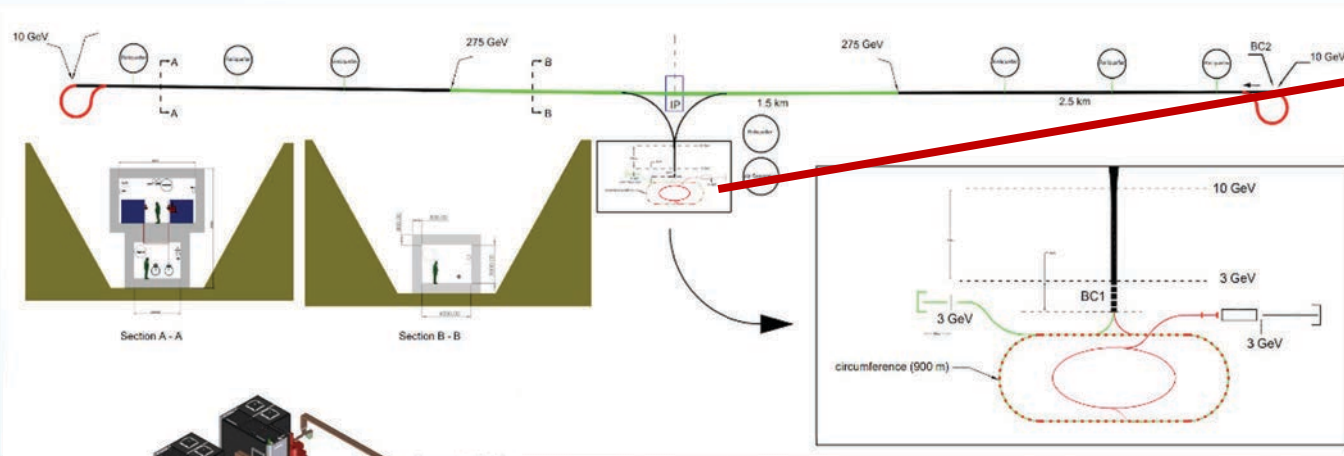
8 km footprint for 250/550 GeV CoM \Rightarrow 70/120 MeV/m

- 7 km footprint at 155 MeV/m for 550 GeV CoM – present Fermilab site

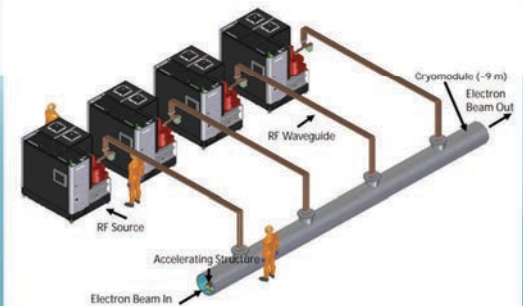
Large portions of accelerator complex are compatible between LC technologies

- Beam delivery and IP modified from ILC (1.5 km for 550 GeV CoM)
- Damping rings and injectors to be optimized with CLIC as baseline
- Costing studies use LC estimates as inputs

C³ - 8 km Footprint for 250/550 GeV



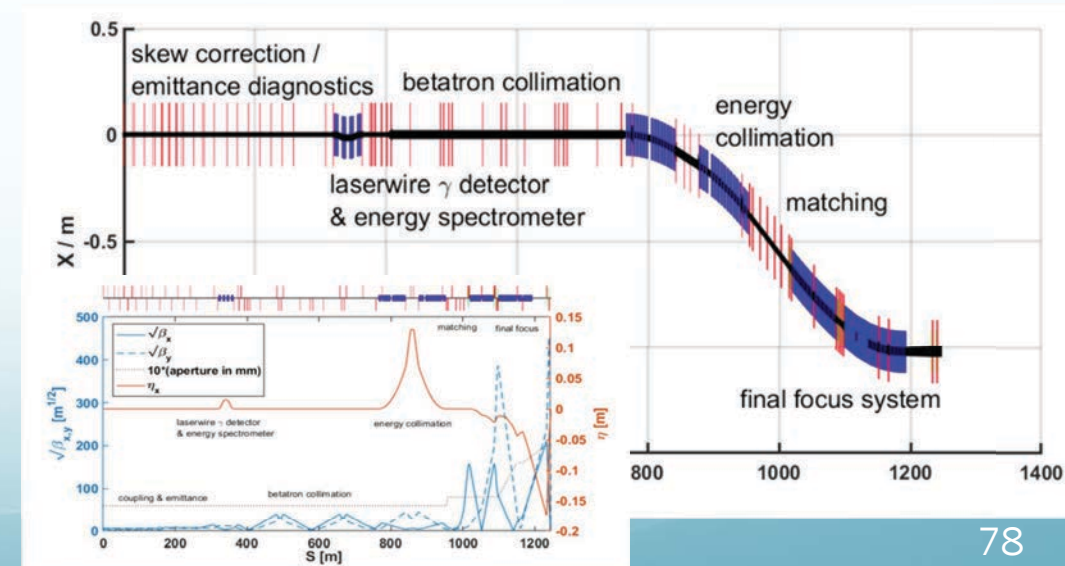
Cryomodule Unit - 9 m
(630 MeV/1 GeV)



Scenario	C ³ -250 s.u.	C ³ -550 s.u.	C ³ -250 high lumi	C ³ -550 high lumi
Luminosity [$\times 10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$]	1.3	2.4	7.6	4.8
Gradient [MeV/m]	70	120	70	120
Effective Gradient [MeV/m]	63	108	63	108
Num. Bunches per Train	266	150	532	300
Train Rep. Rate [Hz]	60	60	120	60
Bunch Spacing [ns]	2.65	1.75	2.65	1.75
Single Beam Power [MW]	2	2.45	8	4.9
Site Power [MW]	~ 110	~ 125	~ 180	~ 180
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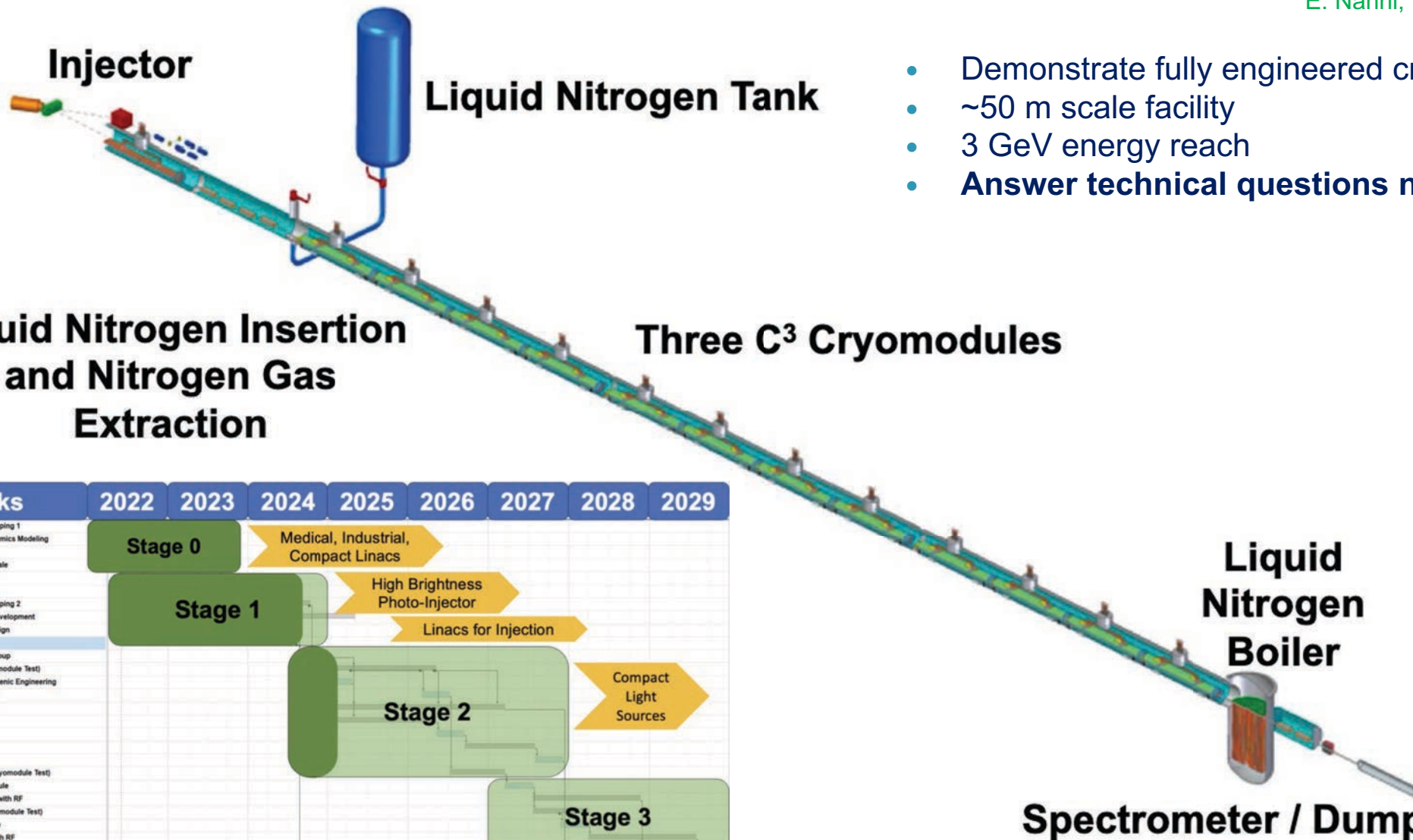
Ntounis, et al., Phys. Rev. Accel. Beams 27, 061001, 2024

C³ Beam Delivery System (Adapted from ILC/NLC)

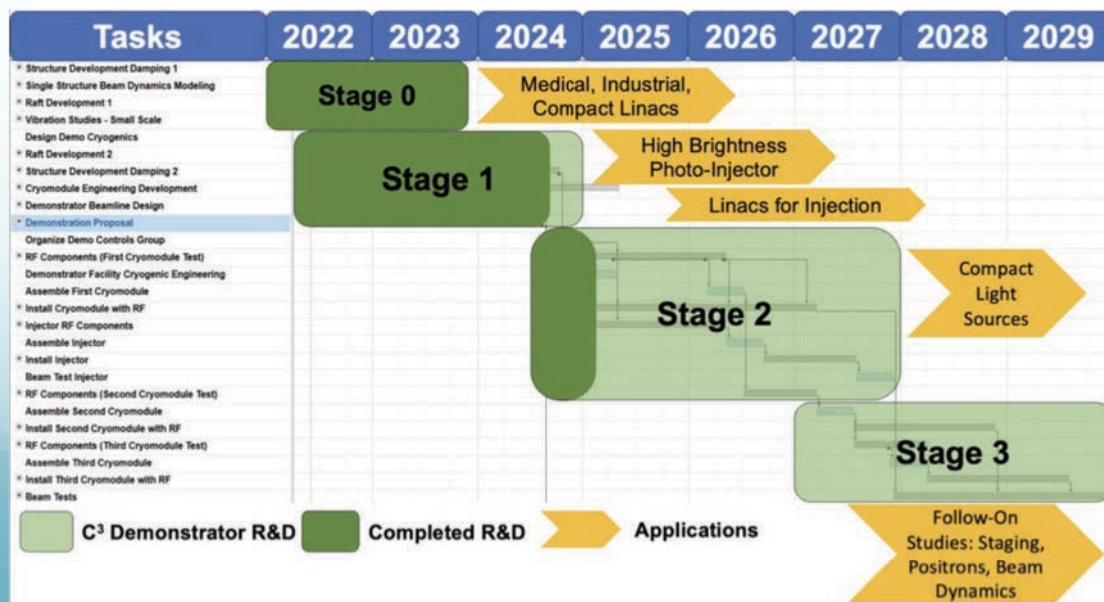


The Complete C³ Demonstrator

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- Demonstrate fully engineered cryomodule
- ~50 m scale facility
- 3 GeV energy reach
- Answer technical questions needed for CDR

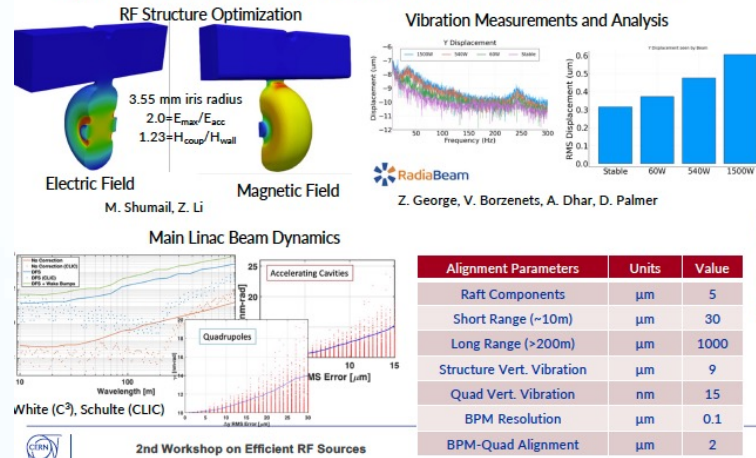


C³ R&D programme

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Alignment and Vibrations

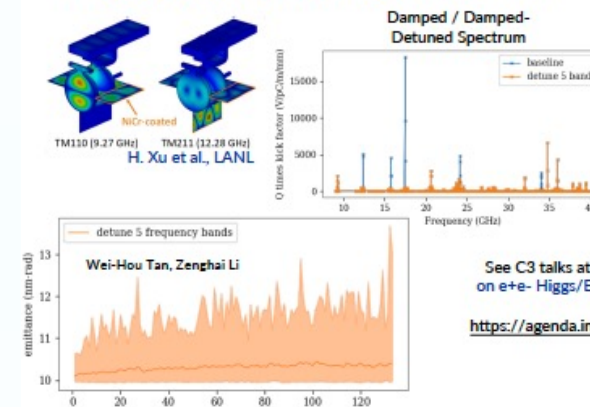
System level optimization essential for achieving performance



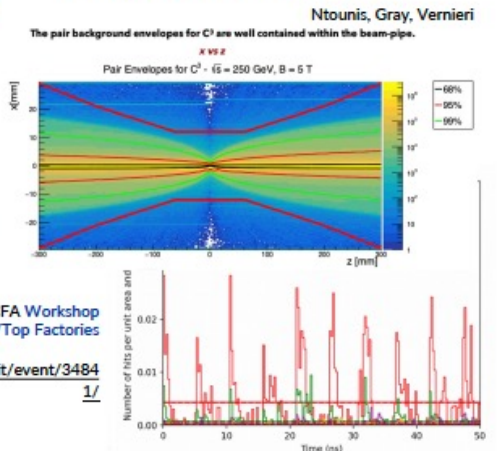
Beam Dynamics and Luminosity Studies

Studies ongoing towards ensuring target luminosity

Emittance Preservation with HOM Suppression



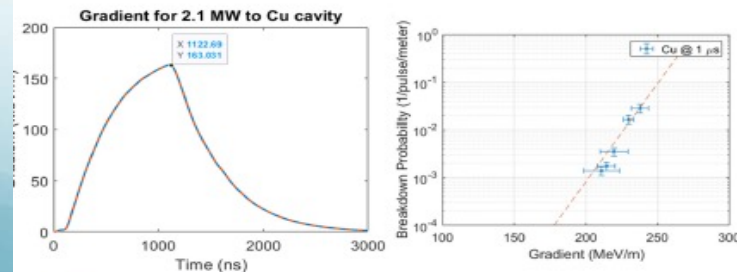
Compatible with ILC-like Detector



Single Cell Cryogenic High Gradient Tests

High power tested up to 5 MW per cavity with Cu and CuAg

- CuAg proven to give higher gradient**
 - First demonstration of Cu and CuAg at C-band in cryo
 - Corresponding to fields >200 MeV/m



75XP Series Klystrons as RF sources for C³

The SLAC 75XP is a PPM-focused, X-band klystron designed for 75 MW peak power

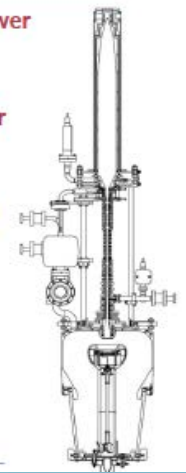
Motivated/funded by the Next Linear Collider (NLC) program

Years of engineering effort → attractive candidate for a potential C³ demonstrator

Specification	Target
Beam Voltage	490 kV
Beam Current	257 A
RF Output Power	75 MW
Frequency	11.424 GHz
RF Pulses	1.5 μs @ 60 Hz
Saturated Gain	55 dB
Bandwidth	75 MHz
Efficiency	55%

Design Features:

- Large "DESY" HV gun insulator
- 7-cavity gain circuit
- 5-cell extended-interaction output
- Isolated collector



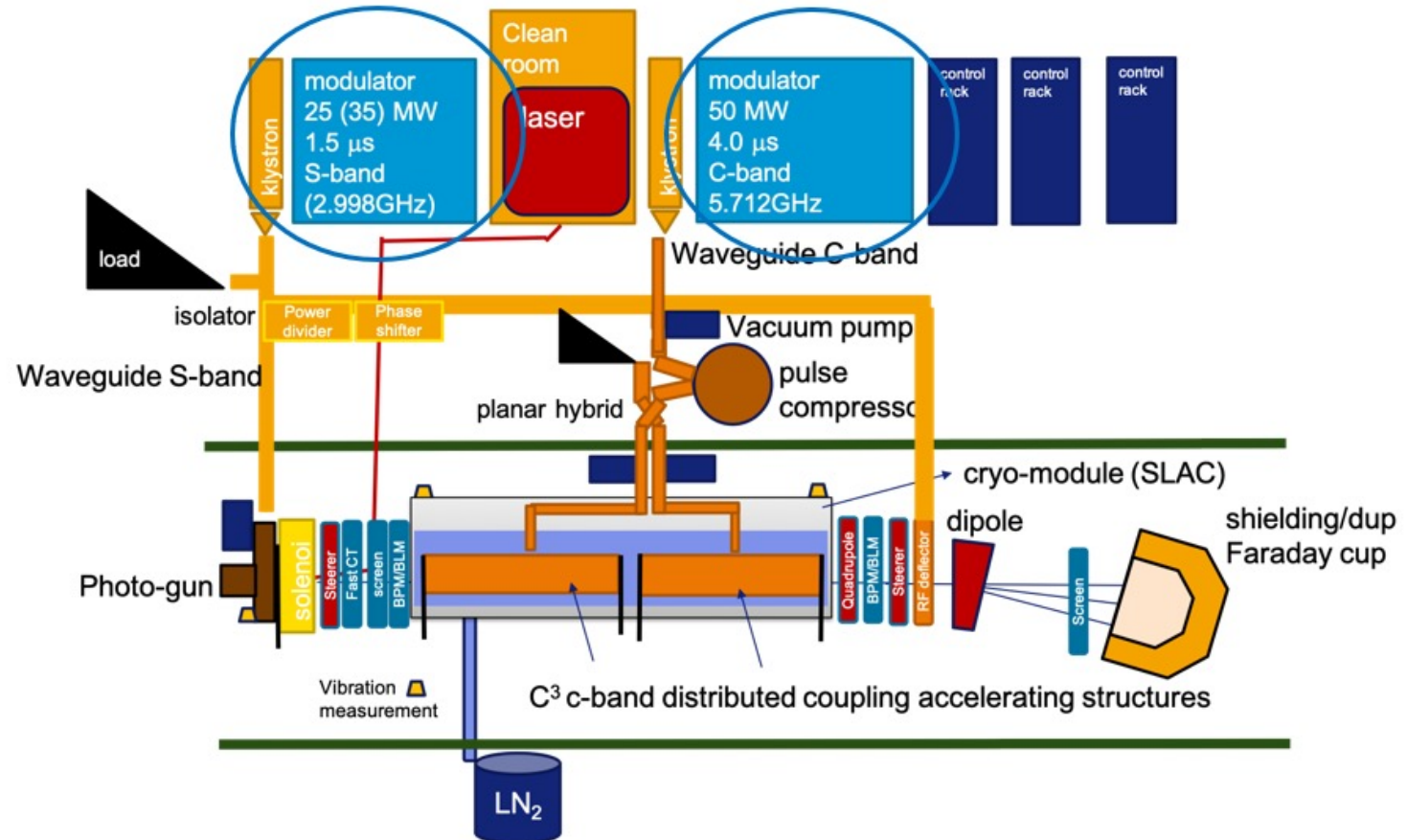
The injector linac Demonstrator

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COLD

C2 cold copper
Operation
Linac
Demonstrator

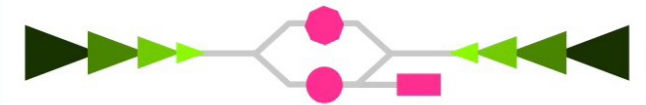
A demonstrator
 to prove
high gradient
cryogenic
accelerating
structures
 for users facility
 grade **operation**
 at low repetition
 rate.
 The **pre-injector**
 of a new 6GeV
 linac.



Cool copper Operation Linac Demonstrator: Preliminary studies for a 6 GeV injector linac for the ESRF

The LC@CERN baseline

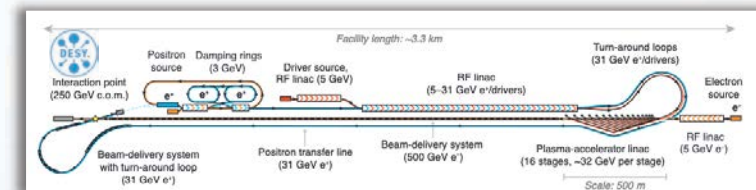
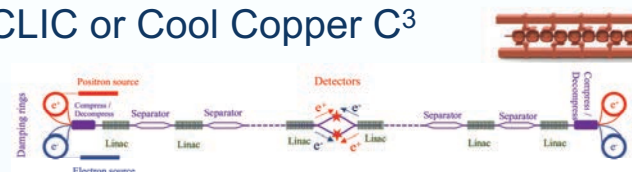
Linear Collider Vision



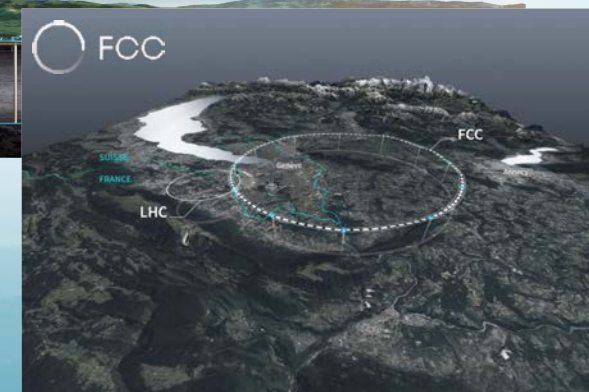
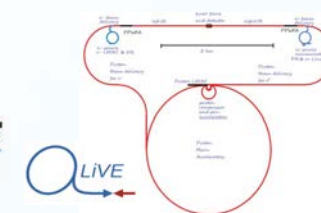
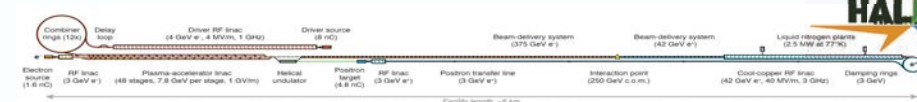
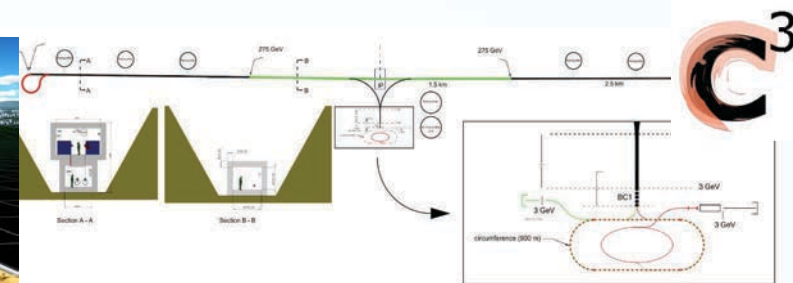
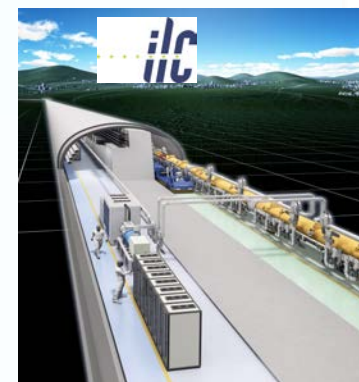
The Roadmap

Basic assumption is to provide a scenario that can start “now” and that can be progressively upgraded to cover the physics needs and/or to be able to react on “surprises”. The guiding line should be to avoid as much as possible major civil construction for the upgrades. Upgrades should benefit from technology updates with the aim that the LC project benefits but also drives the innovation.

- The first step is construction of **250 GeV ILC** at CERN. This requires a 21 Km tunnel in the CERN area, a first implementation already studied by CLIC project, with **2 IRs** sharing Luminosity.
- After 10 years construction and 10 years data taking at at 250 GeV, the accelerator will be upgraded in stages with more advanced technologies to achieve higher-energies (500 GeV – 1 TeV) or higher-luminosities as:
 - Higher-gradient SRF, NCRF CLIC or Cool Copper C³
 - ERL
 - Plasma wakefield
 - $\gamma\gamma$ collider (optical or XFEL lasers)
 - ...
- Upgrades have to be understood like: we have a tunnel with an ILC machine available and we need R&D to see how the new technologies can fit in such a facility, where DRs exists, tunnel diameter is fixed and a cryo-system is available.
- In later stages the 2IRS can be used by sharing luminosity by running parallel programs at higher and lower energy as a testbed for technology development.



- Introduction to Colliders
- HEP Context:
 - EPPSU2020 & Snowmass 2021
 - Next ESPPU2026
- e+e- colliders frontiers
 - Luminosity & Energy frontiers
 - Sustainability frontier
- Conventional e+e- colliders
 - CC projects: FCC-ee (CepC)
 - LC projects: ILC, CLIC, C3, LCF@CERN
- Advanced e+e- colliders
 - Boosting the performances: HG SRF, ERLs
 - LPA based e+e- colliders



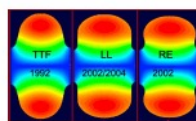
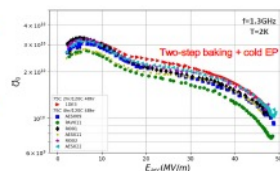
Boosting the performances of LCs: HG SRF

What can be done with bulk Nb within a 5-year horizon?

On a short timescale of about 5 years, the **focus** shall be on **improving the reliability and repeatability** of the selected technologies and **demonstration of their industrialization**.

- The most relevant for ILC recently developed surface treatment is a combination of cold electropolishing and two-step baking (75/120°C). It paved the way for gradients near 50 MV/m in single-cell TESLA-shape cavities. Combining this advanced treatment with developed earlier improved shape standing wave SRF cavities holds the prospect of gradients close to 60 MV/m in single-cell cavities and 50-55 MV/m in 9-cell cavities in a cryomodule.
- Applying these advances in accelerating gradients to ILC upgrades must be accompanied by
 - 1) R&D on improving Q_0 at high gradients to avoid increase of the collider power consumption, and
 - 2) developing methods to mitigate field emission from cryomodule assembly (e.g., robot-assisted automation) and after installation, e.g., plasma processing.
- Equally important is the continuation in development of “companion” technologies, such as high-efficiency high-power RF sources, modern LLRF with AI/ML tools (including precise cavity resonance control at high gradients), robust RF power distribution network.

If **50 MV/m** can be **reliably achieved in cryomodules**, the ILC can be upgraded to collisions at **380 GeV** center of mass energy within the ~20 km facility site. With an improvement of the cavity quality factor to 2×10^{10} , the overall site power will be **about 135 MW**, as compared to 111 MW for ILC250. New high-efficiency klystrons would reduce the overall site power.



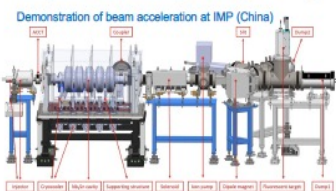
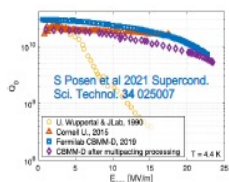
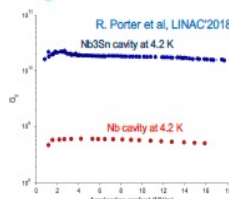
Examples of optimized cavity geometries



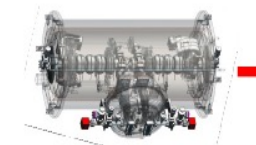
Fastening coupler flange after

R&D on advanced SRF superconductors: Nb₃Sn

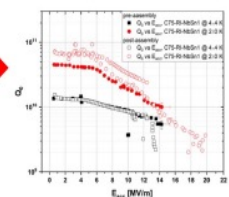
- The most developed alternative SRF superconductor is Nb₃Sn. SRF Nb₃Sn cavities have a potential to be a game changer, bringing **higher gradients at higher cryogenic efficiency**: Nb₃Sn has higher T_c of 18.3 K, compared to the 9.2 K of Nb, and higher DC superheating field (B_{sh}), approximately twice that of Nb.
- 1.3 GHz Nb cavities must operate at 2 K to have $Q_0 > 1 \times 10^{10}$. 2 K cryogenic systems are inefficient, COP \approx 800 W/W. Nb₃Sn can have similar Q_0 but at 4.2 K where the cryogenic efficiency \sim 3 times better.
- Nb₃Sn cavities might reach 90-100 MV/m with good system efficiency at the same time. However, despite continuous efforts, the accelerating gradients achieved to date remain \leq 24 MV/m.
- First applications are in compact accelerators, including conduction-cooled. If the technology will mature even at this gradient level, it could be useful for an ERL-based LC.
- The most progress to date has been made with the vapor diffusion process. Other processes of making Nb₃Sn are under investigation: electroplating, CVD deposition, magnetron sputtering... As these techniques mature, we should expect further progress. If there is a breakthrough, one could potentially apply Nb₃Sn to traveling wave structures, making even higher accelerating gradients reachable.



Demonstration of beam acceleration at IMP (China)



Two 5-cell Nb₃Sn cavities in a cryomodule at JLAB



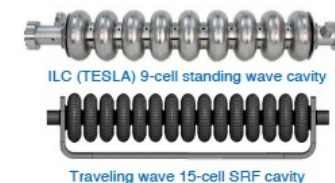
Traveling wave SRF: Prime-time ready on a 10-year timescale

Further improvements in accelerating gradients of bulk Nb structures are possible but require developing an alternative approach, utilizing a traveling wave (TW) in a resonant ring configuration. The SRF TW structure has several advantages compared to the standing wave structures. The most salient advantages are :

- Substantially lower k_M promises achieving higher E_{acc} at the same magnetic quench limit.
- Approximately a factor of 2 higher R/Q (even at lower G) would ensure lower cryogenic losses.
- In addition, the TW structure provides high stability of the field distribution along the structure with respect to geometrical perturbations. This allows for much longer accelerating structures than ILC cavities, limited by the manufacturing technology only.

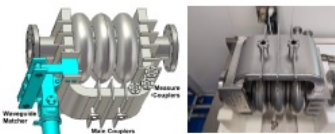
Assuming the accelerating gradient of **65 MV/m** and the quality factor of 1.4×10^{10} (for the surface resistance corresponding to $Q_0 = 2 \times 10^{10}$ of ILC cavity), the superconducting collider built with TW cavities could reach **500 GeV** center of mass collision energy within the **20 km** footprint. The total site power is estimated at **168 MW**.

P.S. Presently the progress towards proof-of-principle experimental demonstration on a 3-cell structure and developing a longer structure is slow due to intermittent funding. Proper investment in this technology could bring it to “prime time” readiness – demonstrated performance in a full-scale cryomodule – on a 10-year time scale. After that, a TW-based linear collider should be feasible.

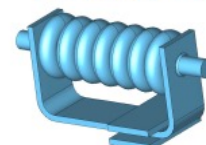


ILC (TESLA) 9-cell standing wave cavity

Traveling wave 15-cell SRF cavity



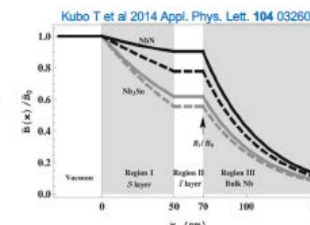
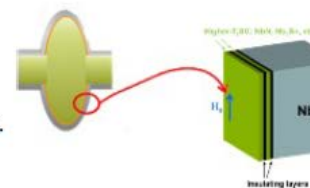
Proof-of-principle 3-cell cavity



3D model of a 7-cell TW cavity

R&D on advanced SRF superconductors: multilayers

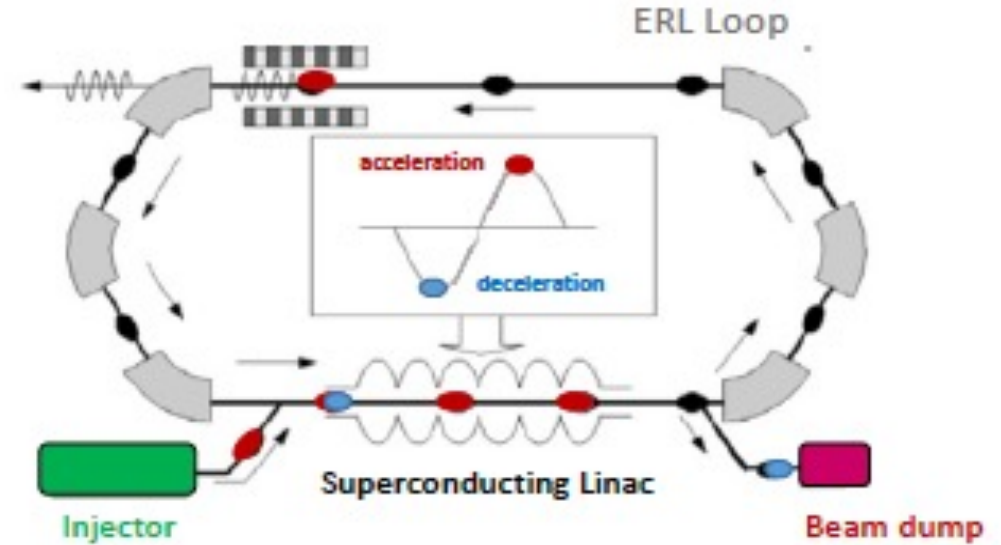
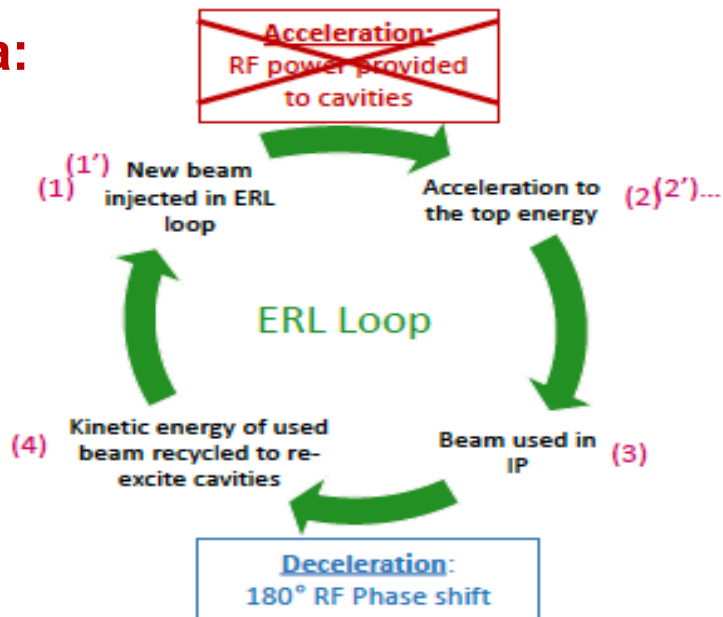
- A concept to overcome limitations of Nb is to create a multilayer structure called S-I-S.
- It is achieved by coating the cavity surface with alternating insulating and superconducting thin films (hence SIS) with thickness d thinner than the London penetration depth λ .
- Theory suggests increase of max. E_{acc} because magnetic shielding improvement, caused by counter currents at each interface, and the Meissner state can be maintained at a magnetic field much higher than the bulk critical magnetic field. However, surface defects, grain boundaries, etc. can allow for flux penetration at field levels below B_{sh} .
- RF field is dominant in the top superconducting layer with higher energy gap Δ compared to Nb. This will reduce losses because $R_{BCS} \propto \exp(-\Delta/k_B T_c) \rightarrow$ higher Q_0 .
- Technological readiness level is still low** – successful sample studies need to be transferred to cavities.
- Teams in Asia, Europe and America are working on several materials (NbTiN, NbN, Nb₃Sn), using various deposition techniques (sputtering, ALD, CVD, PVD) and applying different post-deposition processing steps.
- A sustained investment into the basic R&D studies, infrastructure, analytical instruments is needed before we can expect first practical multilayer SRF cavities.
- Goal is to achieve \sim 70 MV/m with a Q_0 of 10^{10} (optional: at 4K) on single cell cavities within next \sim 10 years.**



Boosting the performances of LCs: ERLs

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The idea:



The benefits:

- Important reduction of **RF power consumption**
- Dumping the beam at injection power
- Fresh beam in IP with the same characteristics

More advantages:

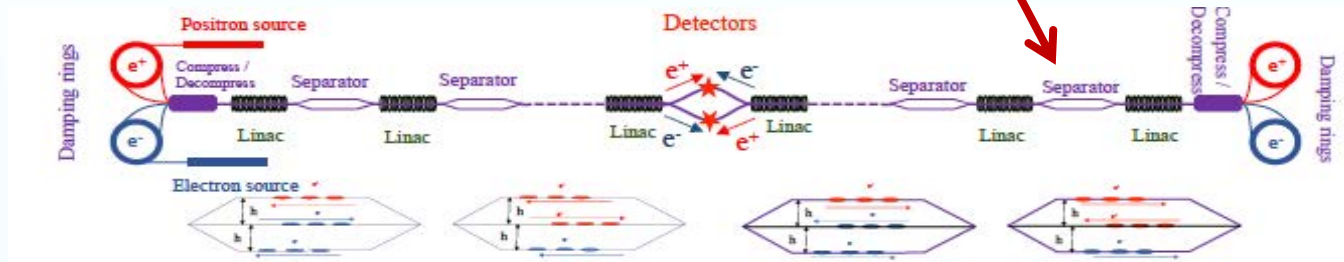
- Linac-like beam quality with extremely flexible time structure
- High operating efficiency
- Multi-pass configuration: High current carrying capability (no RF power limit) + High beam power in a compact machine

Boosting the performances of LCs: ERLs

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LCs with **energy recovery** potential reach **luminosities 2 orders of magnitude** higher than ILC. **Two different concepts of LC** with energy recovery:

- After the IP, the beams are **decelerated** and **stored in damping rings** until the beam properties (emittance, energy spread, etc) are restored. Then, accelerated again (ReLiC)
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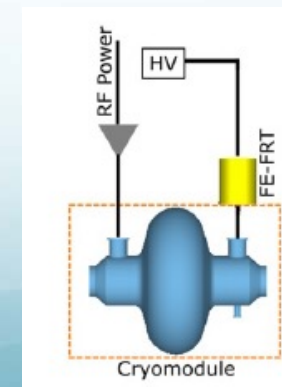
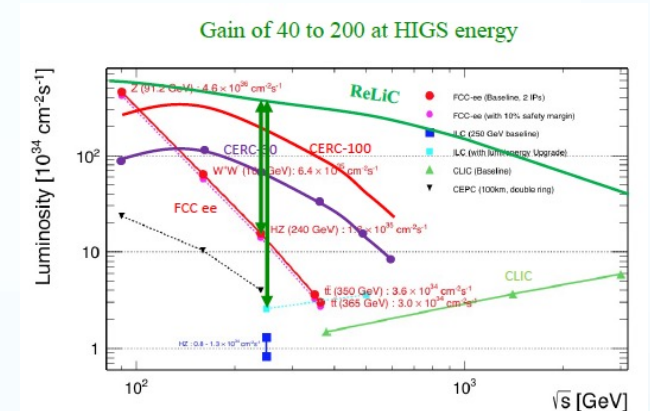


polarized e⁺e⁻ Recycling Linear Collider with high-energy, high luminosity reach (ReLiC)

C.M. energy	GeV	250	3000
Length of accelerator	km	21	276
Section length	m	500	250
Bunches per train		5	21
Particles per bunch	10 ¹⁰	4	1
Collision frequency	MHz	3	18
Beam currents in linacs	mA	18	29
σ_x , norm	mm mrad	4	8
σ_y , norm	μ m mrad	1	2
β_x	m	5	100
β_y , matched	mm	0	7
σ_z	mm	1	5
Disruption parameter, Dx		0	0
Disruption parameter, Dy		109	3
Luminosity per detector	10 ³⁴ cm ⁻² sec ⁻¹	215	20
Total luminosity	10 ³⁴ cm ⁻² sec ⁻¹	429	40

Accelerator R&D Challenges

- High efficiency LiHe refrigeration systems
- Very high-Q SRF cavities
- Reactive tuners in SRF systems
- Damping rings
- MHz rated kickers



1.5 GHz SRF,
Q > 10¹¹, 1.5 K

Boosting the performances of LCs: ERLs

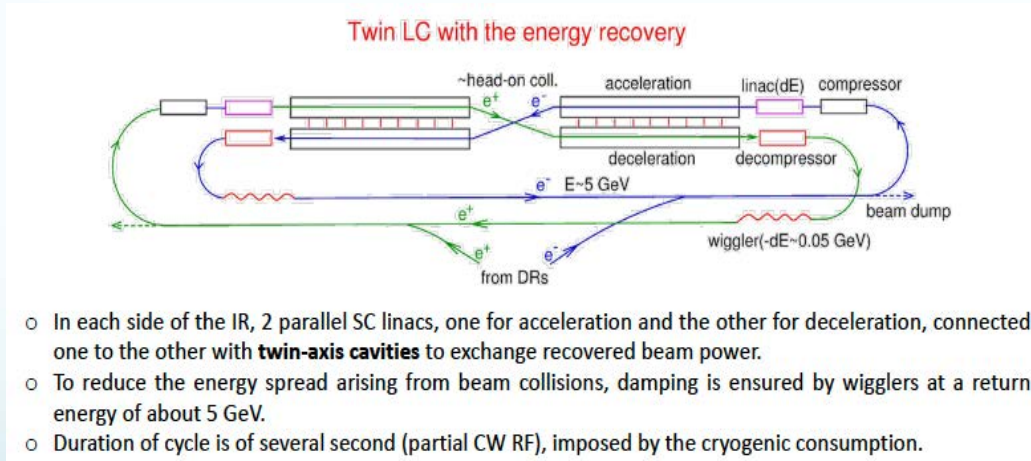
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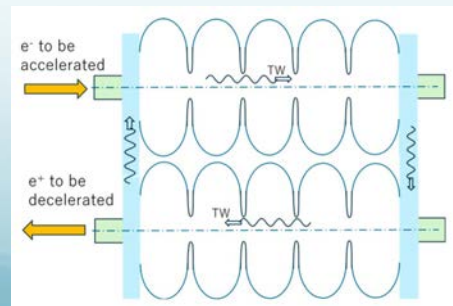
ERLC: A re-imaging of the ILC as an ERL

The Ghost Collider

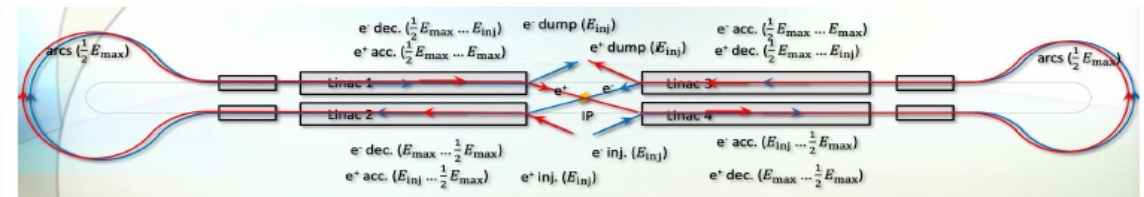


Accelerator R&D Challenges

- Traveling Wave (TW) cavities (HELEN type), combined with the development of twin axis cavities



A new ERL-based concept of an e^+e^- linear collider, 550 GeV center-of-mass, initially inspired by ERLC design, then evolved thanks to the properties of **"ghost bunches"**.



Linacs are the same length as the ILC ones, with partial CW RF (2s on- 4s off), or later full CW RF @ 4.5K.

Shape of arcs was optimised, reducing synchrotron radiation by 35.8%.

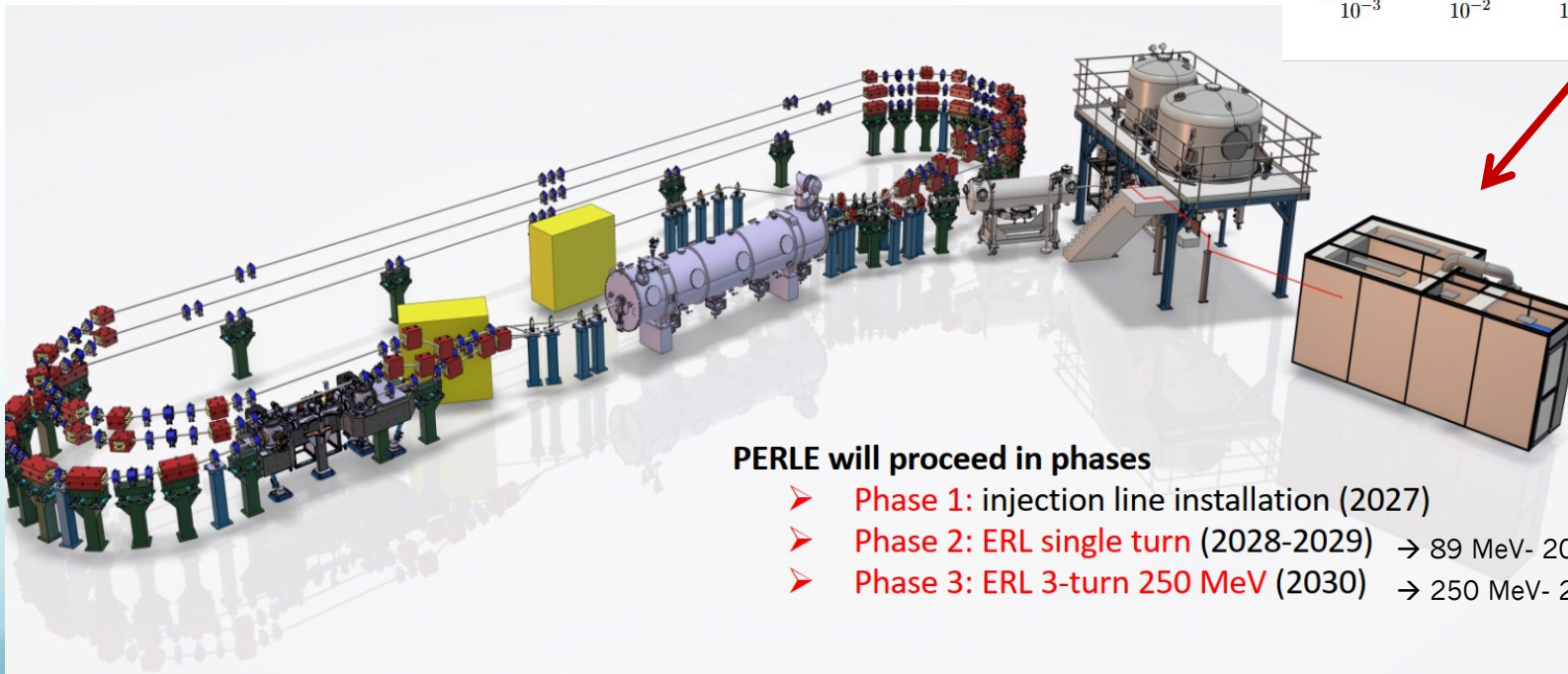
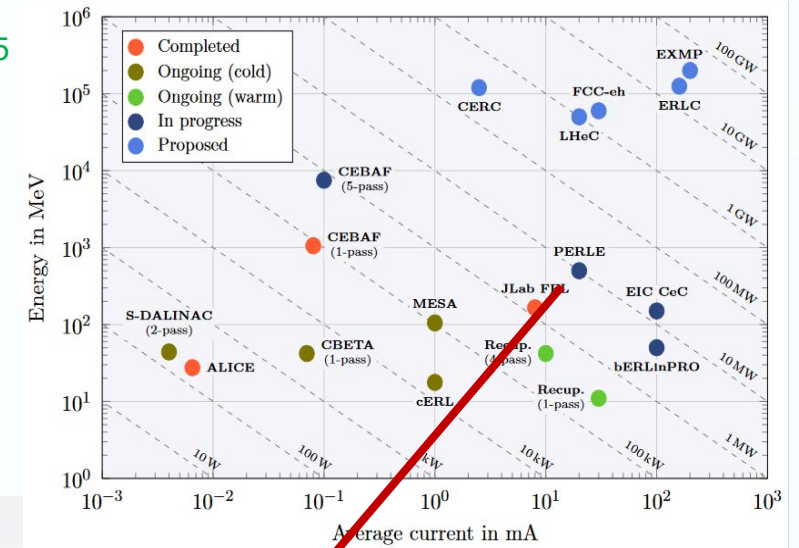
- Ghost bunches are **electrically neutral**: equal numbers of e^- and e^+ traveling together in the same Linac buckets \rightarrow No electromagnetic interactions with the linac environment: No excitation of High Order Modes (HOM) or multi-bunch Beam Breakup (MBBU)
- **Energy transferred** between e^- and e^+ **in the same bunch**, decelerating one and accelerating the other \rightarrow No need to couple linacs in the same side to transfer the power (no twin-cavity needed)
- No electromagnetic interactions between ghost bunches travelling in opposite direction \rightarrow Single bidirectional linac on either side of the IR
- No electromagnetic interaction in IP as bunches are neutral \rightarrow Possible to have several IPs in the IR, each of them with the design luminosity ($1.6 \cdot 10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$).

Boosting the performances of LCs: ERL demo

PERLE configuration and main parameters:

- Multi-turn ERL (3 pass up, 3 pass down)
- Top energy: 250 MeV, ~ 82 MeV /Linac
- 500 pc bunch charge @ 40 MHz \rightarrow 20 mA
- 802 MHz SRF system, targeted $Q_0 = 3 \cdot 10^{10}$
- Beam damped at injection energy (7 MeV)

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PERLE will proceed in phases

- Phase 1: injection line installation (2027)
- Phase 2: ERL single turn (2028-2029) \rightarrow 89 MeV- 20 mA
- Phase 3: ERL 3-turn 250 MeV (2030) \rightarrow 250 MeV- 20 mA

LPA recent progress on the Technology R&D

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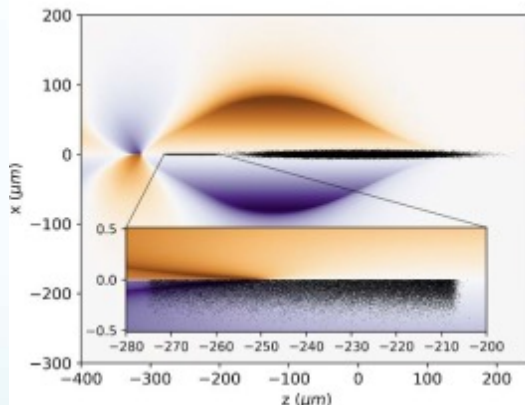
Highlights

Simulation Tools

E.g. using..

S. Diederichs et al., Comput. Phys. Comm. 276 108421 (2022)
Open-source: <https://github.com/Hi-PACE/hipace>

HiPACE++



Numerical
convergence:
few hrs on
few GPU's

Multiple open source codes
available to simulate collider
quality beams

Plasma Sources

Development of **scalable**
plasma sources at CERN



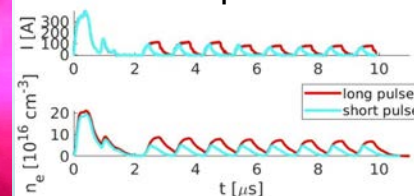
10 m long Discharge Plasma



LPA Guiding channels

2×10^7 discharges
10-150 Hz operation

FLASHForward
low voltage solid-state
discharge system
□ MHz repetition rate



Efficient Laser Drivers

Multiple technologies being
investigated, e.g.
Ti:Sa, fiber lasers, TmYLF,
Tm-doped ceramics



Development of Joule-class kHz
laser systems:



KALDERA → based on Ti:Sa
technology, started commissioning



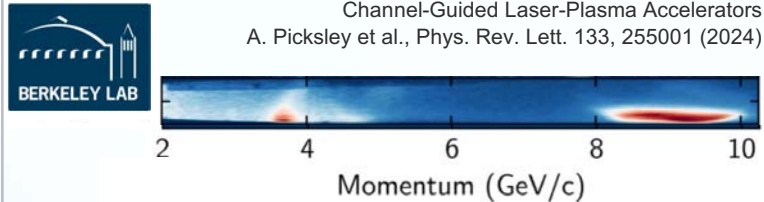
kBELLA → efficient coherent
combination of fiber lasers 10's mJ at
kHz, 100+ mJ in progress scheduled
for next year

LPA recent progress in experiments

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Energy

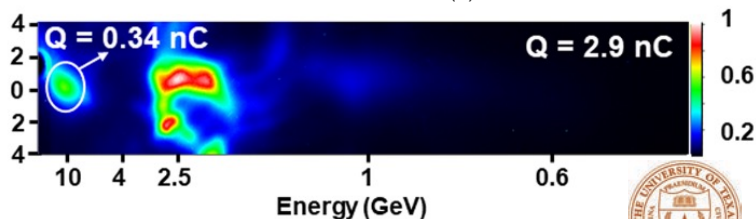
Matched Guiding and Controlled Injection in Dark-Current-Free, 10-GeV-Class, Channel-Guided Laser-Plasma Accelerators
 A. Picksley et al., Phys. Rev. Lett. 133, 255001 (2024)



- ~9.2 GeV energy gain over 30 cm
- Laser-created 'free-standing' plasma channels that can be recreated at the repetition rate of the laser
- Multiple independent results



C. Aniculaesei et al., The acceleration of a high-charge electron bunch to 10 GeV in a 10-cm nanoparticle-assisted wakefield accelerator. *Matter Radiat. Extremes* 2024; 9 (1): 014001

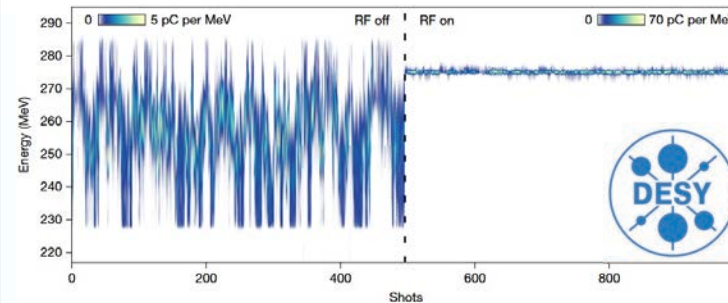


- ~10 GeV energy gain over 10 cm
- Multiple acceleration regimes that may be difficult to control



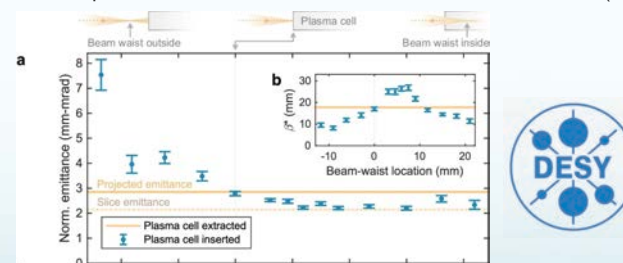
Beam Quality

Winkler, P. et al. Active energy compression of a laser-plasma electron beam. *Nature* 640, 907–910 (2025).



- Energy spread below the permille level
- Employing active stabilization

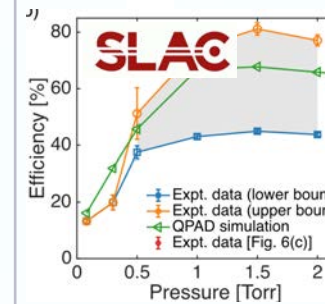
Lindström, C.A., Beinortaitė, J., Björklund Svensson, J. et al. Emittance preservation in a plasma-wakefield accelerator. *Nat Commun* 15, 6097 (2024)



- **Emittance preservation** at micron level for 40 MeV energy gain (on top of 1 GeV)

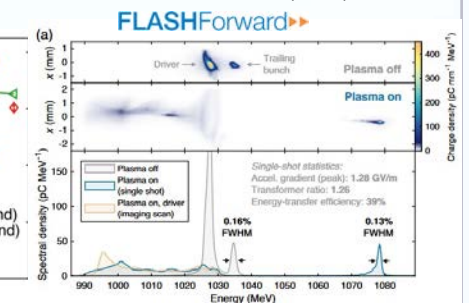
Efficiency

C Zhang et al 2024 *Plasma Phys. Control. Fusion* 66 025013



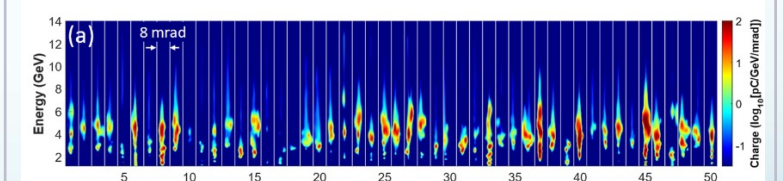
- ~60% driver depletion

C. A. Lindström et al., Phys. Rev. Lett. 126, 014801 (2021)



- **42% local energy transfer efficiency**

E. Rockafellow et al., High charge laser acceleration of electrons to 10 GeV NIM A, Volume 1077, August 2025, 170586



- Laser to electron conversion efficiency of at least ~30%
- Multi-GeV energy gain

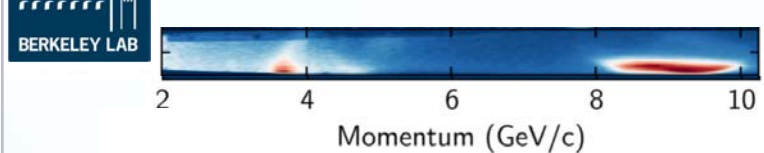


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Energy

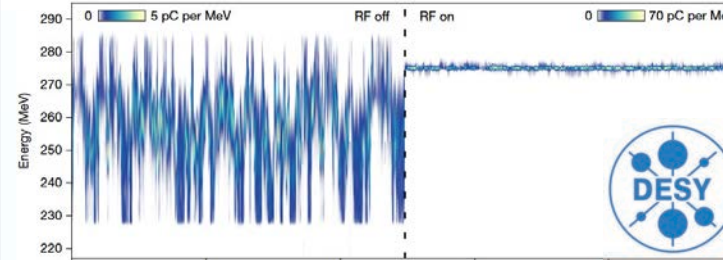
Matched Guiding and Controlled Injection in Dark-Current-Free, 10-GeV-Class, Channel-Guided Laser-Plasma Accelerators
 A. Picksley et al., Phys. Rev. Lett. 133, 255001 (2024)



- ~9.2 GeV energy gain over 30 cm
- Laser-created 'free-standing' plasma channels that can be recreated at the repetition rate of the laser
- Multiple independent results

Beam Quality

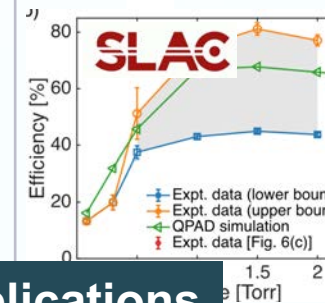
Winkler, P. et al. Active energy compression of a laser-plasma electron beam. *Nature* 640, 907–910 (2025).



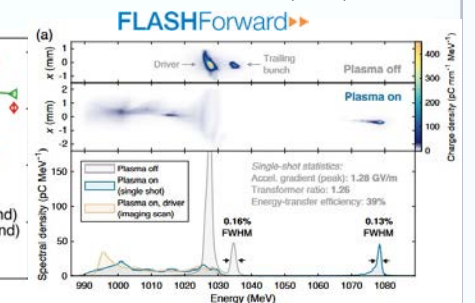
- Towards delivering beams for first applications
- Application will be used to mature wakefield acceleration technology

Efficiency

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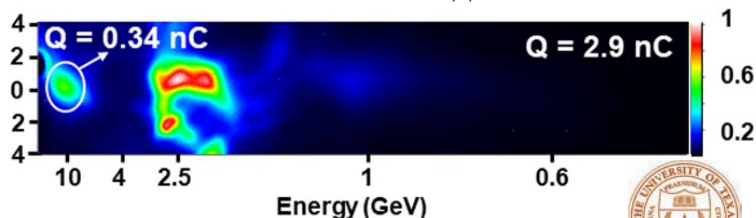


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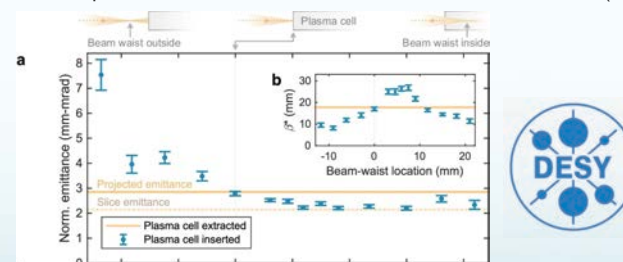
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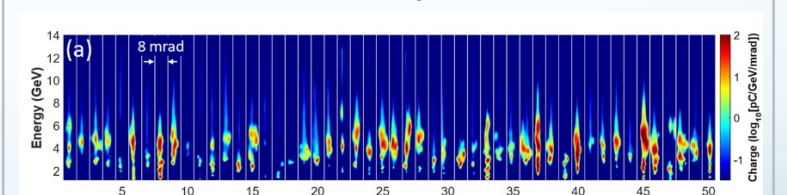
- ~10 GeV energy gain over 10 cm
- Multiple acceleration regimes that may be difficult to control

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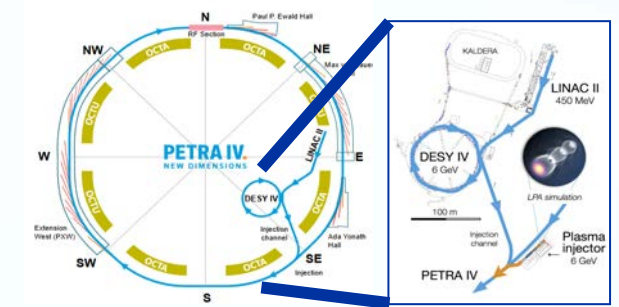
LPA recent progress in applications

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Laser and Beam-Driven

- Laser-Driven Plasma Wakefield Injector for **PETRA IV injector** complex :
 - Final Goal:
6 GeV injector, to decrease the spatial footprint and power requirements


PIP4 CDR A. Martinez de la Ossa et al. doi:10.3204/PUBDB-2024-06078



-  Proton-driven plasma wakefield experiment at CERN) Run 2c and d approved
 t **fixed-target applications after LS4**

-  → **CEPC Injector**



-  (Particle accelerator research infrastructure based on novel plasma acceleration)
 → **FEL user facility by 2031**
 - **FEL lasing achieved by 4 groups!**
 - Enabled by improved beam-quality and stability



LPA e^+e^- colliders: Challenges

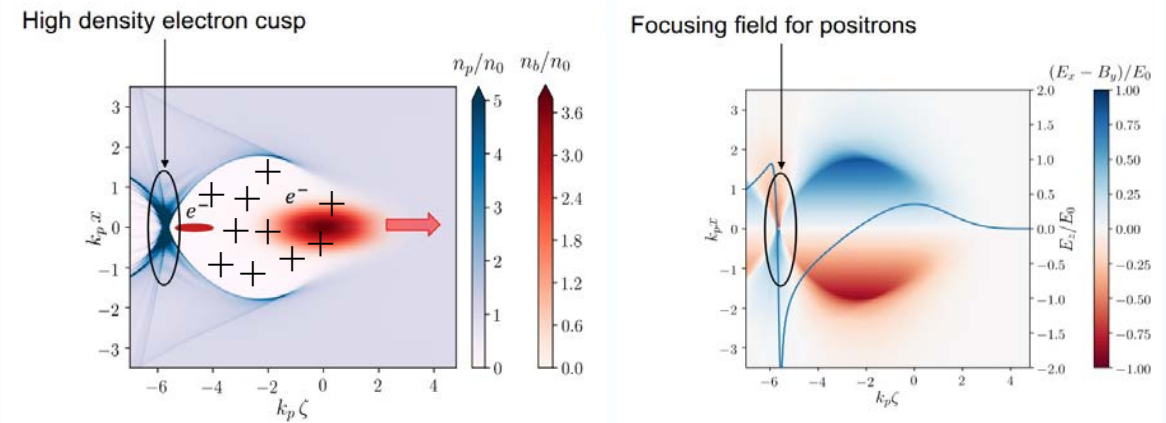
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Wakefield Acceleration Comes with Unique Challenges

1) Positron Acceleration in Plasma

- Acceleration in the non-linear regime is **not** symmetric for positive and negative charges

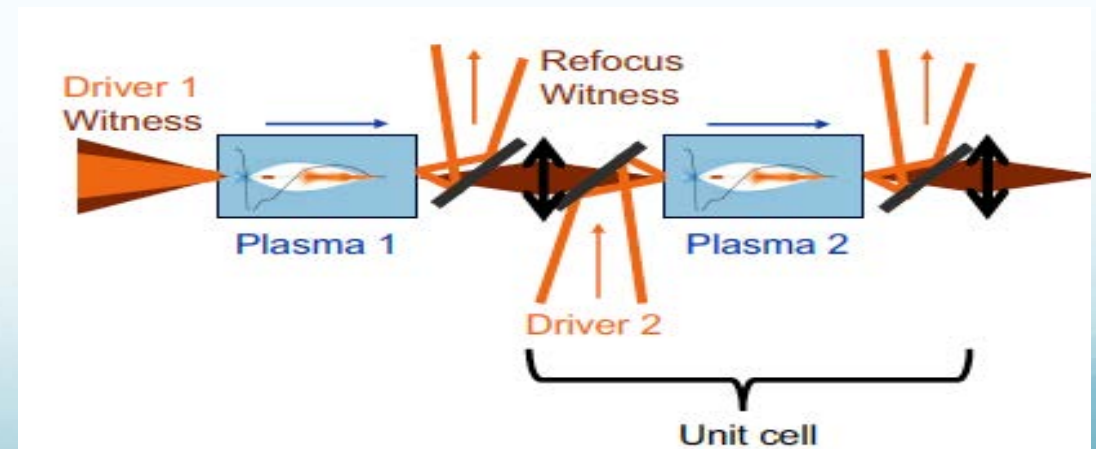
Positron acceleration: TRL 1!



2) Staging

- Tight tolerances, matching
- Must be compact

Concepts exist.
No experimental demonstration with high charge transfer yet!

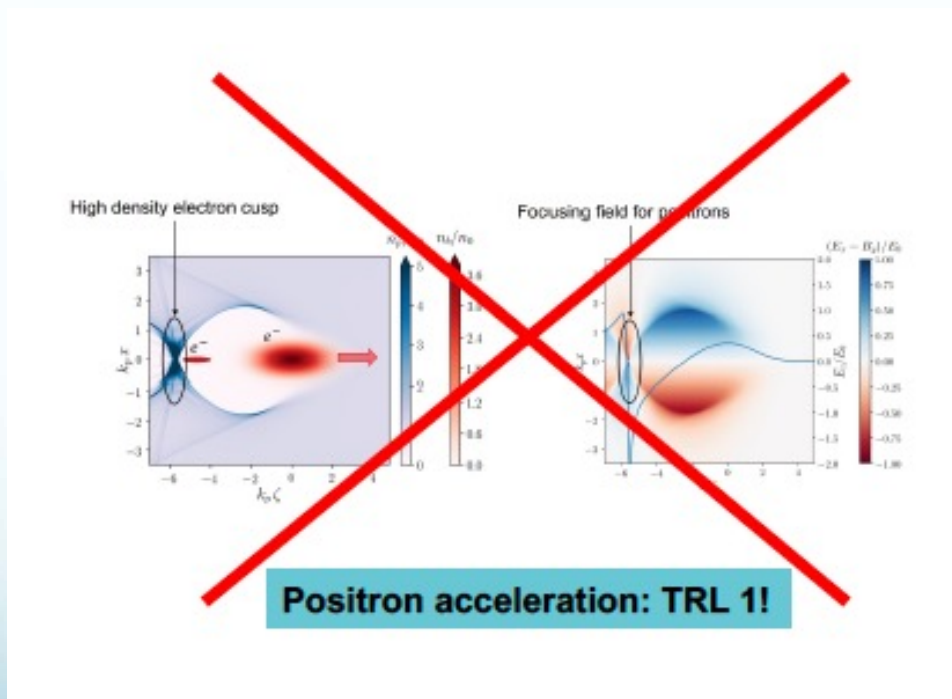


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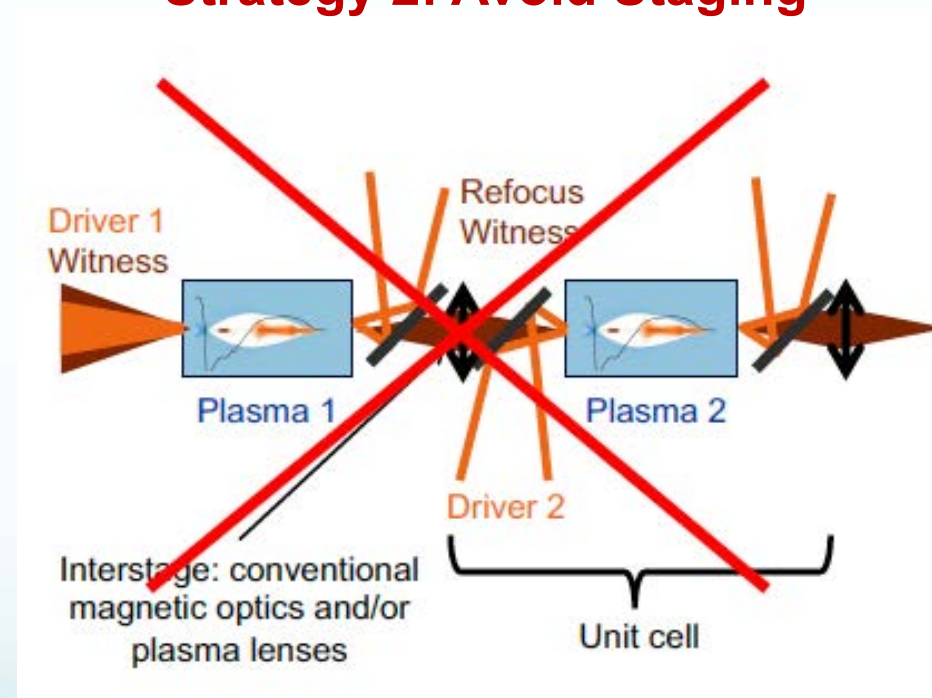
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Wakefield Acceleration Comes with Unique Challenges

Strategy 1: Avoid Positron Acceleration



Strategy 2: Avoid Staging



LPA e^+e^- colliders: design studies

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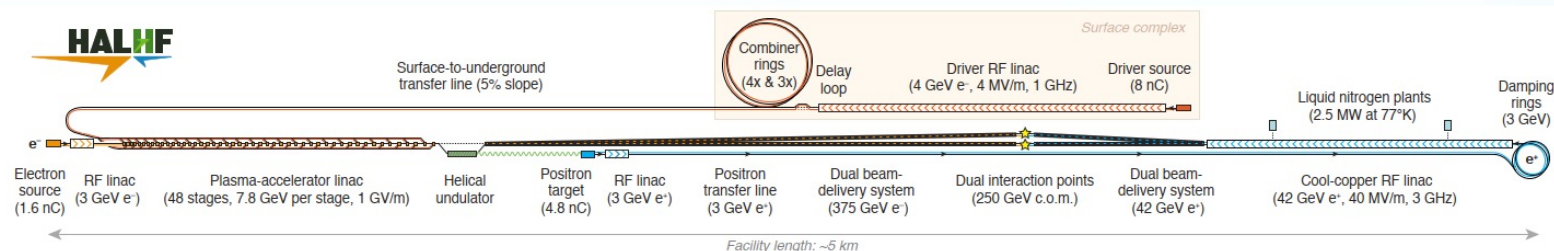
HALHF

Hybrid, Asymmetric, Linear Higgs Factory

- e^- acceleration in e^- beam-driven plasma wakefields
- e^+ acceleration in radiofrequency cavities (C^3 technology)
- To make most effective use of space \rightarrow collision of polarised 375 GeV e^- with 42 GeV e^+

Advantages:

- + most advanced wakefield collider concept \rightarrow avoids e^+ acceleration in plasma
- + compact footprint, ~ 5 km



Foster et al., Phys. Open 23, 100261 (2025)

- Asymmetric collisions: **375 GeV polarized e^-** with **41.7 GeV polarized e^+** (boost: $\gamma=1.67$), Center-of-mass energy: **250 GeV**.
 - \rightarrow upgrades **380, 550 GeV** center-of-mass energy discussed

Estimated luminosity: $1.2 \times 10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$ **two IPs**

Estimated total power usage: **106 MW**

Challenges:

High repetition rate plasma operation and cooling, Staging, Production and acceleration of polarized beams, BDS design,...

Estimated R&D time (technically limited):
10-15 years

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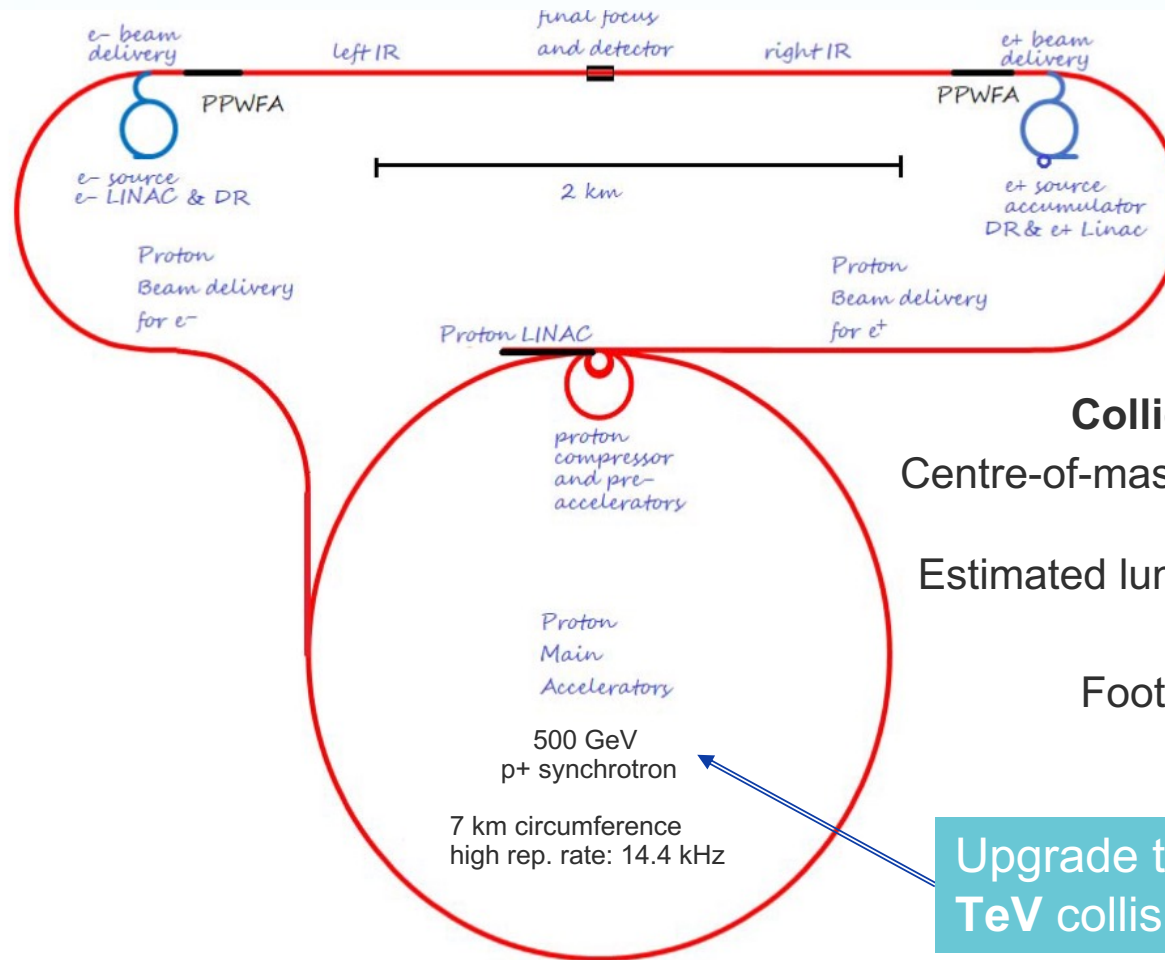
ALiVE

A Linear accelerator for Very high Energies

- e^- and e^+ acceleration in single stage p^+ beam-driven plasma wakefields
 - Enabled by the energetic and short p^+ drivers
 - p^+ drivers: high-rep.-rate 500 GeV synchrotron

Advantages:

- + avoids staging
- + compact footprint
- + scaling to higher energies (10 TeV)



Preliminary investigation of a Higgs
 factory based on proton-driven
 plasma wakefield acceleration
 J. Farmer et al., 2024 New J. Phys.
 26 113011

Collider Parameters:

Centre-of-mass energy (CoM): 250 GeV

Estimated luminosity: $1.7 \times 10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$

Footprint: $\sim 4 \times 2 \text{ km}$.

Upgrade to $\sim 7 \text{ TeV}$ for 10 TeV collisions

Challenges:

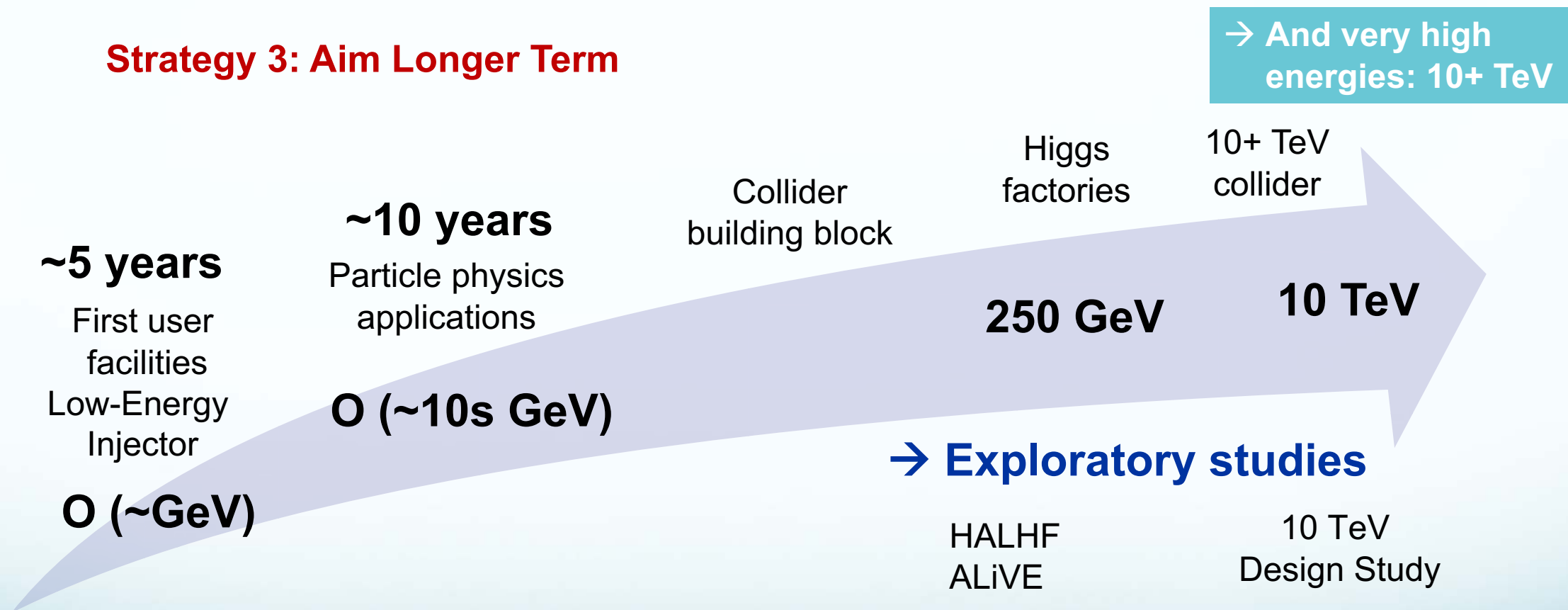
High power synchrotron, Proton Bunch Compression, Plasma Source
 Development, Positron Acceleration, Energy Transfer Efficiency, Beam
 Quality Preservation,...

LPA e⁺e⁻ colliders: Challenges

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Strategy 3: Aim Longer Term



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10 TeV

Design Initiative for a 10 TeV pCM Wakefield Collider

Technology candidates:

- Laser-Driven Plasma Wakefields
- Beam-Driven Plasma Wakefields
- Structure Wakefields

Collider type:

- e^+e^-
- e^-e^-
- $\Upsilon\Upsilon$

Goals include delivery of:
 + end-to-end design study report in 2028
 + roadmaps and resource estimates

The Design Study aims to produce a unified, self-consistent concept for a 10 TeV parton-center-of-mass (pCM) collider based on wakefield accelerator (WFA) technology.

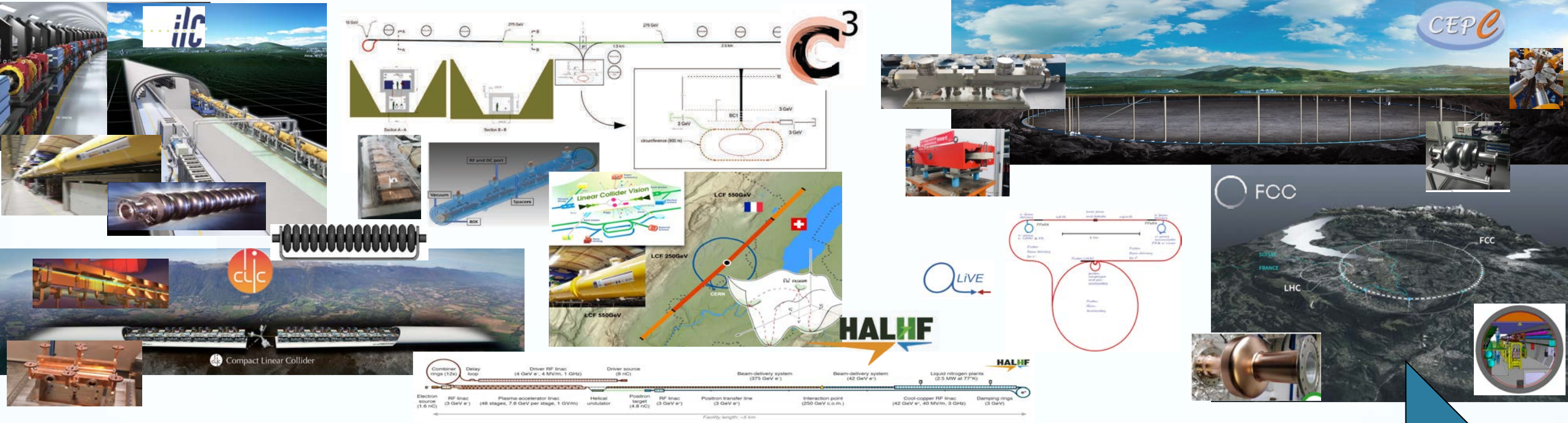
- **Assume for now that is an upgrade to another linear collider facility.**

Chosen design constraints:

- $E_{z,avg} > 500 \text{ MeV/m}$
- $\mathcal{L}/P_{tot} > 10^{32} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1} \text{ MW}^{-1}$

Broad participation: detector physicists, particle physicists, etc...

<https://indico.slac.stanford.edu/category/138/>



Let's dream

- Colliders are an essential tool for the future of Particle Physics.
- Building a collider demands an enormous effort and requires many different scientific and technical experts coming together with a common goal.
- A rich R&D program is driving the developing and building of these new facilities
- New and revolutionary ideas are needed to push the precision and the energy frontier



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Useful Links

- FCC Week 2025 (19-23 May 2025) <https://indico.cern.ch/event/1408515/>
- Open Symposium on the European Strategy for Particle Physics (23-27 June 2025), <https://agenda.infn.it/event/44943/overview>
- International Workshop on Future Linear Colliders 2025 (20-24 October 2025) <https://agenda.linearcollider.org/event/10594/>