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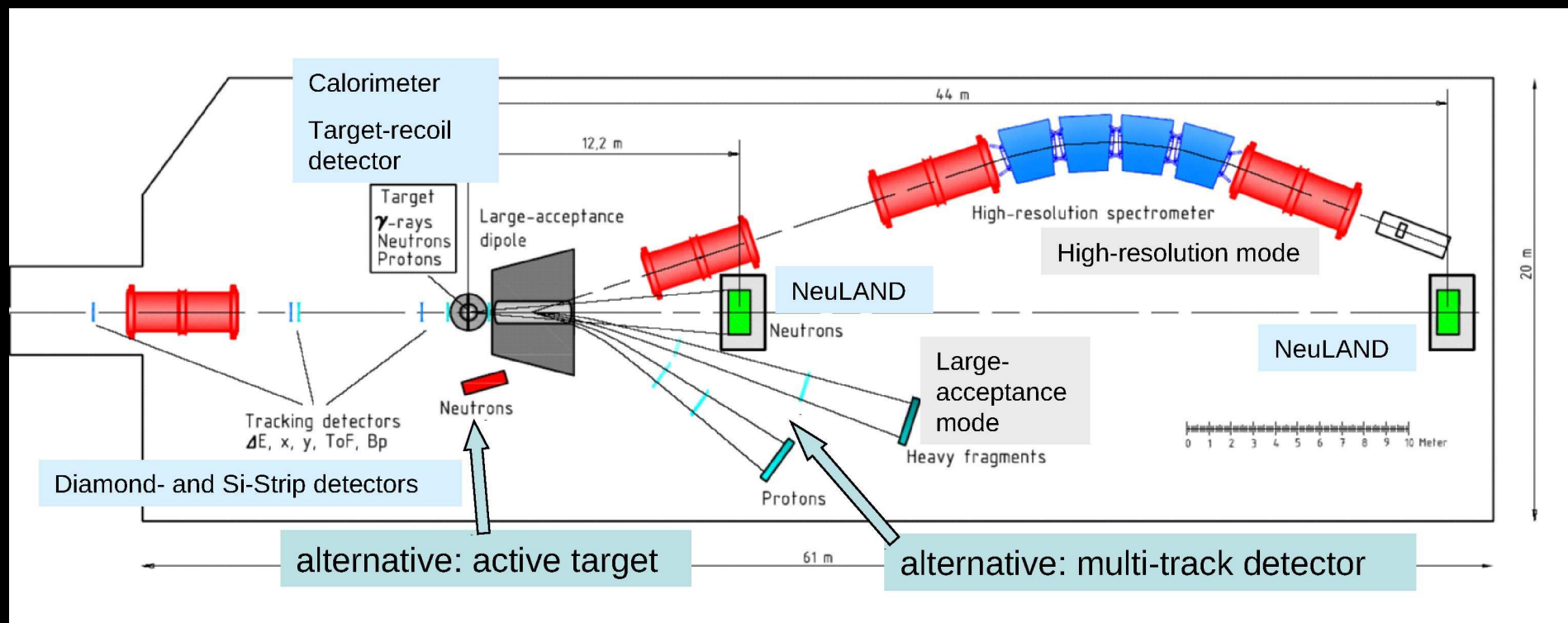
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- Spokes person: **T. Aumann** (TU-Darmstadt)
- Deputy: **B. Johnson** (Chalmers Univ., Sweden)
- Project Manager: **H. Scheit** (TU-Darmstadt)
since May 2011
- Technical director: **R. Lemmon** (Daresbury, UK)
- Deputy: **O. Tengblad** (CSIC Madrid, Spain)
- GSI contact: **H. Simon** (GSI)
since Oct. 18, 2011



R³B Overview

Reactions with Relativistic Radioactive Beams



Features:

- **kinematically complete** measurements of nuclear reactions
- high beam energies: $\sim 100\text{--}1000$ MeV/u

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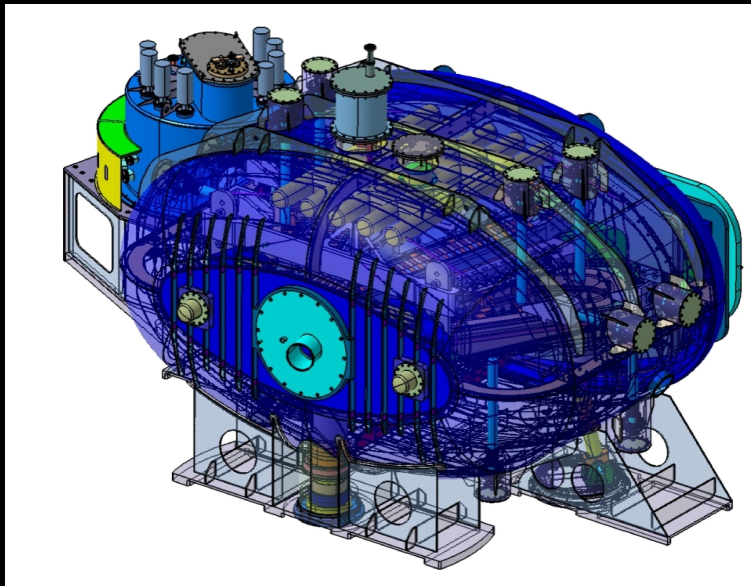
- nuclear astrophysics
- structure of exotic nuclei
- neutron-rich matter



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- large superconducting magnet; $\int Bdl = 4.8 \text{ Tm}$
- large gap 80x80 mrad²
- construction at CEA Saclay
- schedule:
 - early 2012: test of cold mass
 - 2012 cryostat construction
 - 2013 delivery to GSI; installation in cave B
 - 2014 first commissioning experiments

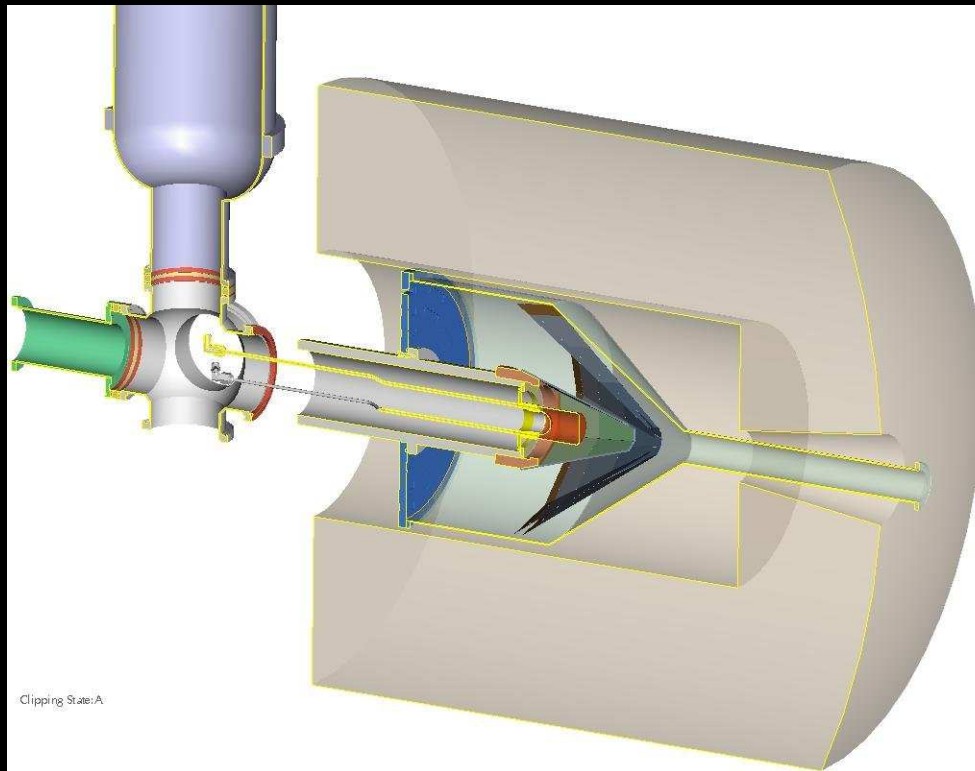




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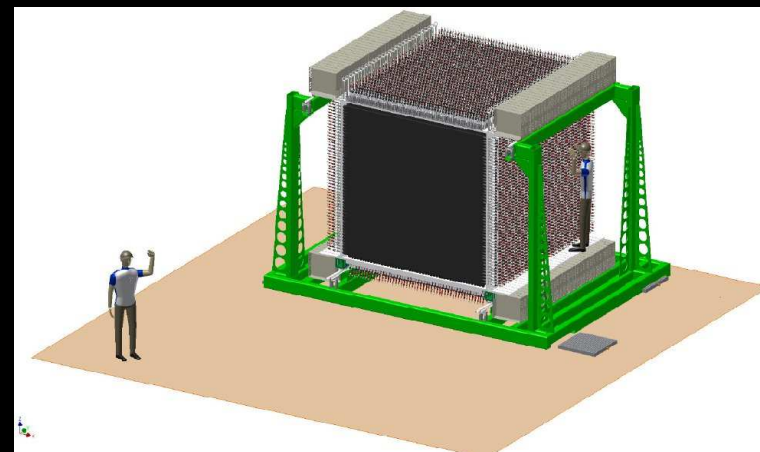
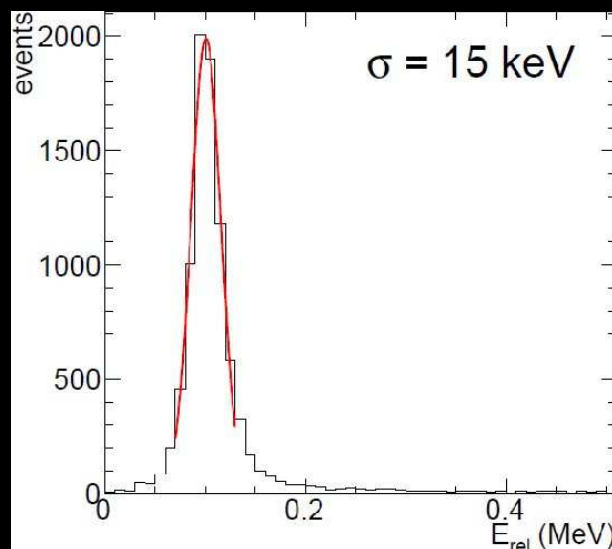
- Si strip detector array (50–100 μm strip pitch)
- track fast protons from target
- **fully funded** by UK
- design, development, construction by UK
- call for tenders started





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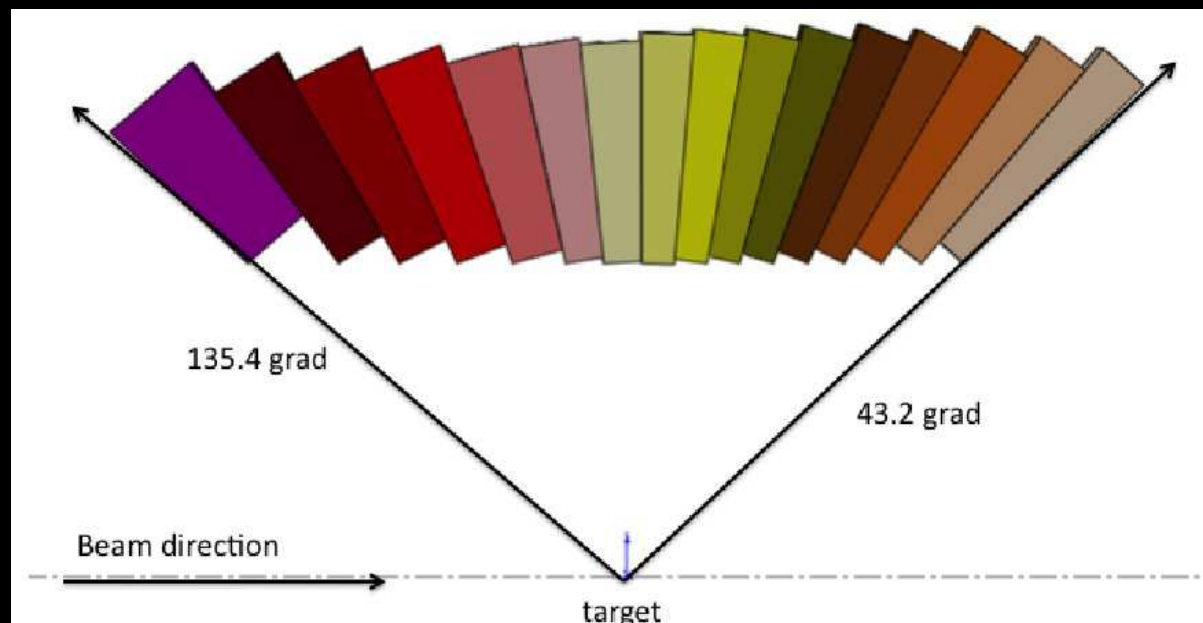
- neutron time-of-flight spectrometer
- measure momentum vector of emitted neutrons
- fully active design (3000 250x5x5 cm³ plastic scintillator bars RP/BC408)
- face size 2.5 x 2.5 m²
- multi-neutron capability (e.g. 4-n ID: 60%)
- invariant mass resolution < 20 keV at 100 keV decay energy
- efficiency > 95% (100 MeV < E_n < 1000 MeV)





R³B-CALIFA

- calorimeter, spectrometer
 - low energy gamma rays (100 keV)
 - high energy protons (few 100 MeV)
- TDR for barrel part will be submitted
- (End-cap later; more R&D needed)





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