

# New Potiboard? (1)

The (old) potiboard in production

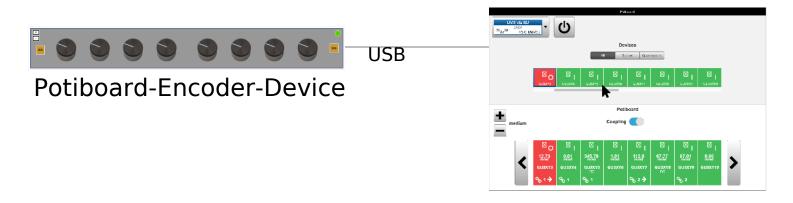






### New Potiboard? (2)

- Development of a new rotary encoder device connecting to a GUI application to manually adjust magnet properties for beam optimisation.
- The system shell focus on UNILAC operation.
- The project includes the rotary encoder device and the GUI application.







PotiboardApp Application



# **Project Reorganisation**

End of September 2023 the decision was taken to divide the 'Potiboard project' into two sub-projects:

#### Potiboard-Encoder-Device

The group *Hardware and Electronics (HEL)* from ACO will develop, build and maintain the potiboard encoder devices.

Volker Kleipa is the sub-project lead.

#### PotiboardApp Application

The main development of the application is outsourced. This sub-project is under supervision of the group *Applications (APP)* of ACO.

Jutta Fitzek and Christian Hillbricht (both of group *APP*) are the coordinators.

Arthur Halama of the group *Application Support (APS)* of ACC is **Product Owner**.







# Sub-projects' coordination

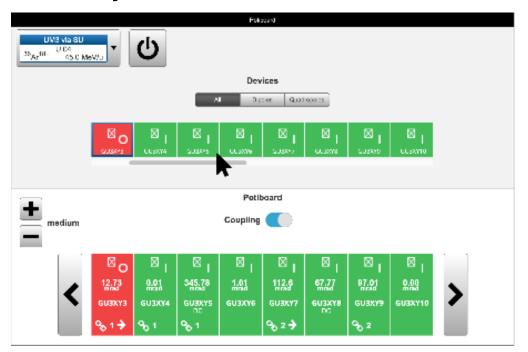
- Sub-projects communicate and regular meetings are held.
  The set of requirements necessary for the Emergency System was discussed and planned together (contract).
- Operations provide help in and out of meetings by Arthur Halama (PO), Martin Stein (PM) and operators.
- Functional and Integration Tests are planned together, e.g. a test encoder device will be provided by Volker Kleipa to facilitate the outsourced development of the PotiboardApp Application.





### Status of sub-project PotiboardApp Application (1)

- The specification focusing on the Emergency System
  Milestone was made available to the outsourced partner.
- The development has started and several implementation goals have already been reached.
- Mockup:



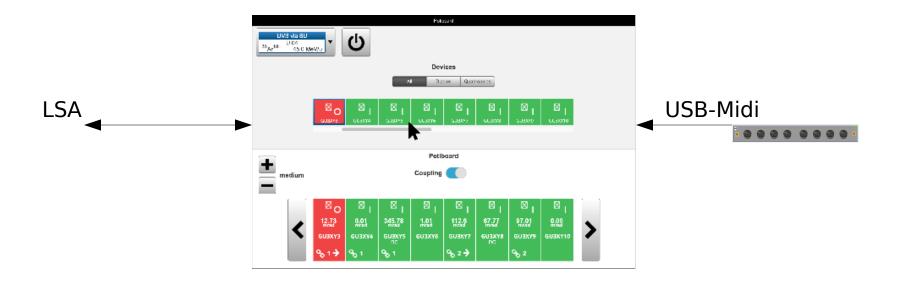






### Status of sub-project PotiboardApp Application (2)

Work on the interfaces to external components has started:



LSA support is given by the LSA team (APP), USB-Midi support by the APS group

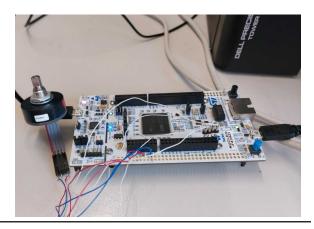






### Status of sub-project Potiboard-Encoder-Device

- Microprocessor STM32 was evaluated and chosen
- Three STM32 boards of tye Nucleo-F439ZI were aquired
- USB-Midi C library for STM32 was tested and adapted to the needs.
- First MIDI-data packages were send to a PC and read out with Python code
- Package with STM32 Nucleo-F439ZI board and a optical rotary encoder has been prepared and is ready to be send to the external partner developing the *PotiboardApp Application*.









# Milestone Emergency System (1)

#### Compulsary lists of requirements (uncomplete):

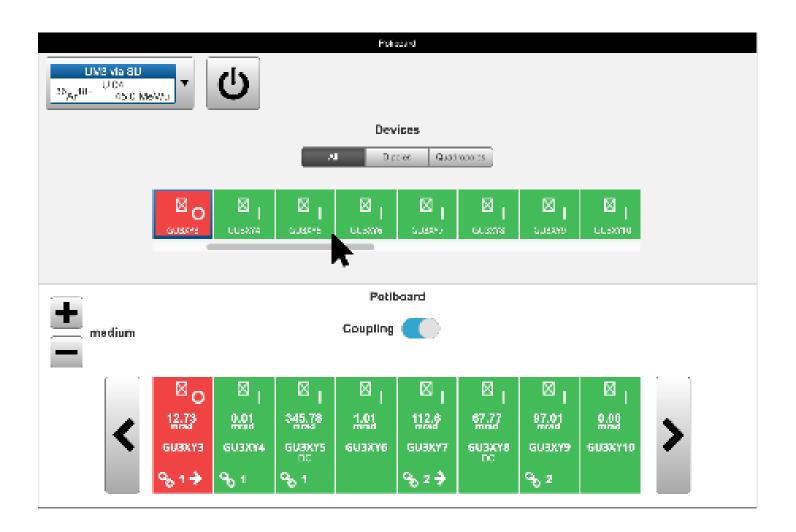
- PotiboardApp Application:
  - Context Selection Widget
  - Pictogram-View (horizontal row) of all magnets in chain (for selection)
  - Filter function
  - Second horizontal row with icon list representing selected magnets
  - A Left and Right Button to change (selected magnets) on beam line
  - Two Buttons to decrease/increase Increment
  - Sleep Button (block all input)
  - Coupling Switch (Master Mode)







# Milestone Emergency System (2)







# Milestone Emergency System (3)

- Compulsary lists of requirements (uncomplete):
- Potiboard-Encoder-Device:
  - Two equal devices should be ready for Emergency System
  - Total of 8 rotary encoders should be in one line
  - A light should indicate the connection status
  - A Left and Right Button to change (selected magnets) on beam line
  - Two Buttons to decrease/increase Increment







# 3. Potiboard Project Plan of Emergency System

	Description	Comment	Date
1.	Review	Status and Planning	17th-21th June
2.	Functional and Integration Test	Dry-Run July 2024	15th-19th July
3.	Review	Status and Planning	Begin of Sept.
4.	Review	Status and Planning	Begin of Oct.
5.	Functional and Integration Test for Emergency System	Dry-Run October 2024	22 <sup>nd</sup> - 25 <sup>th</sup> October
6.	Meeting für weiteres Vorgehen		Nov. 2024
	Richtung Vollausbau		

# Test during Dry-Run July 2024

- Functional Test
  - Connect Potiboard-Encoder-Device to one of the HKR Unilac console PC with (Rocky Linux)
  - Discover the Potiboard-Encoder-Device on the HKR Unilac console PC in the PotiboardApp Application
  - etc.
- Integration Test
  - Set Unilac magnets of different tyes (MU, MS, QT, QQ) from the PotiboardApp Application with LSA
  - Set Unilac magnets from the Potiboard-Encoder-Device via the PotiboardApp Application

