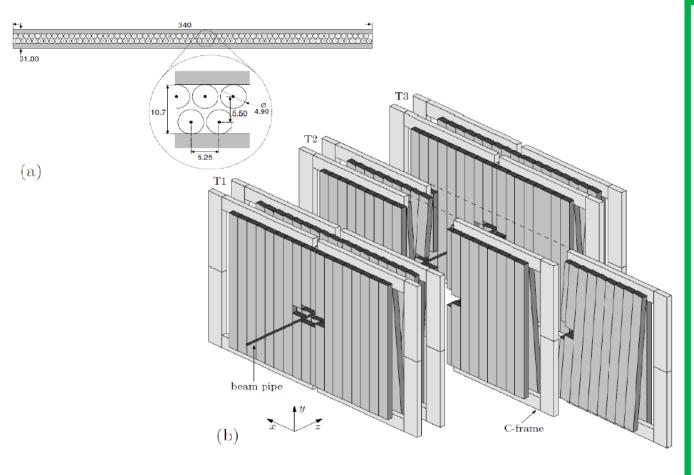
Overview – LHCb OT at GSI

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LHCb Outer Tracker Straws - Overview

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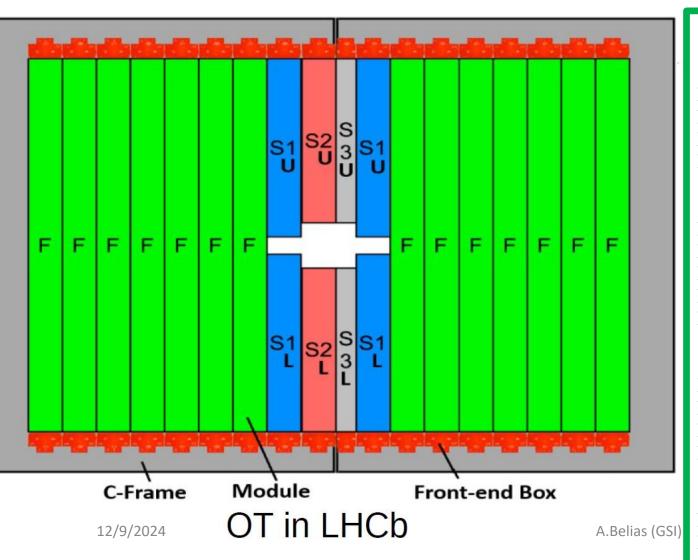
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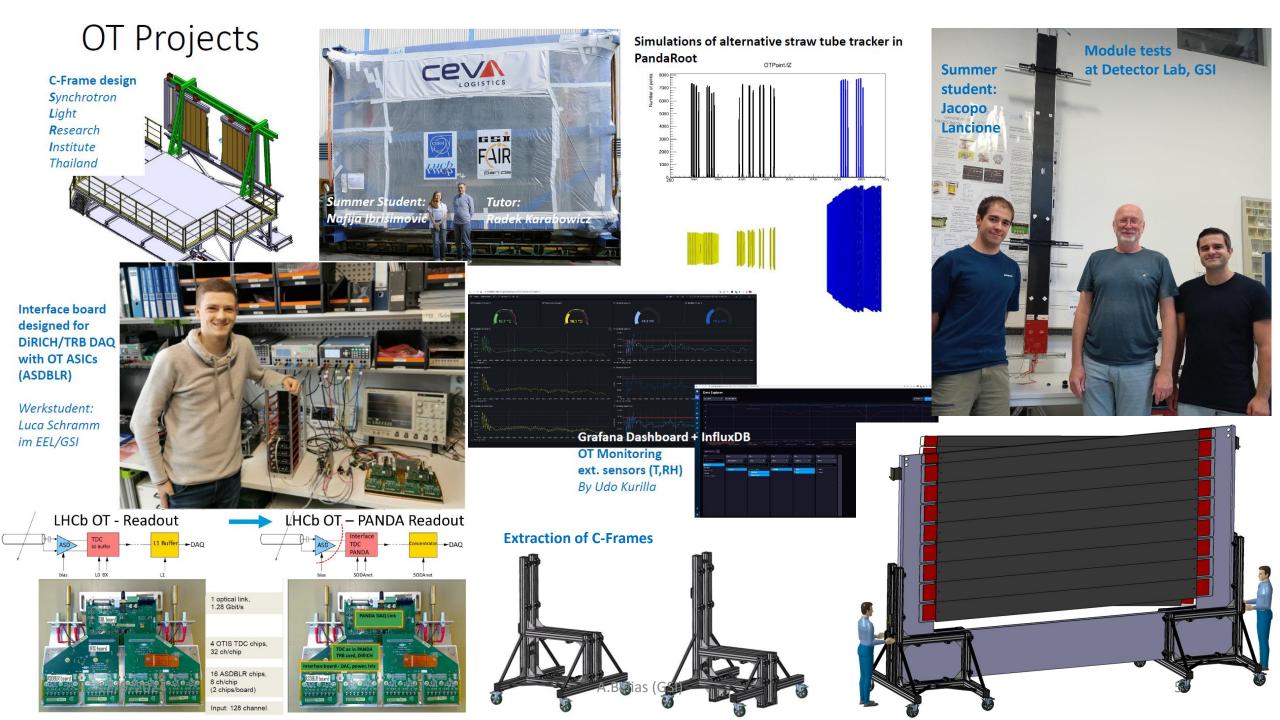
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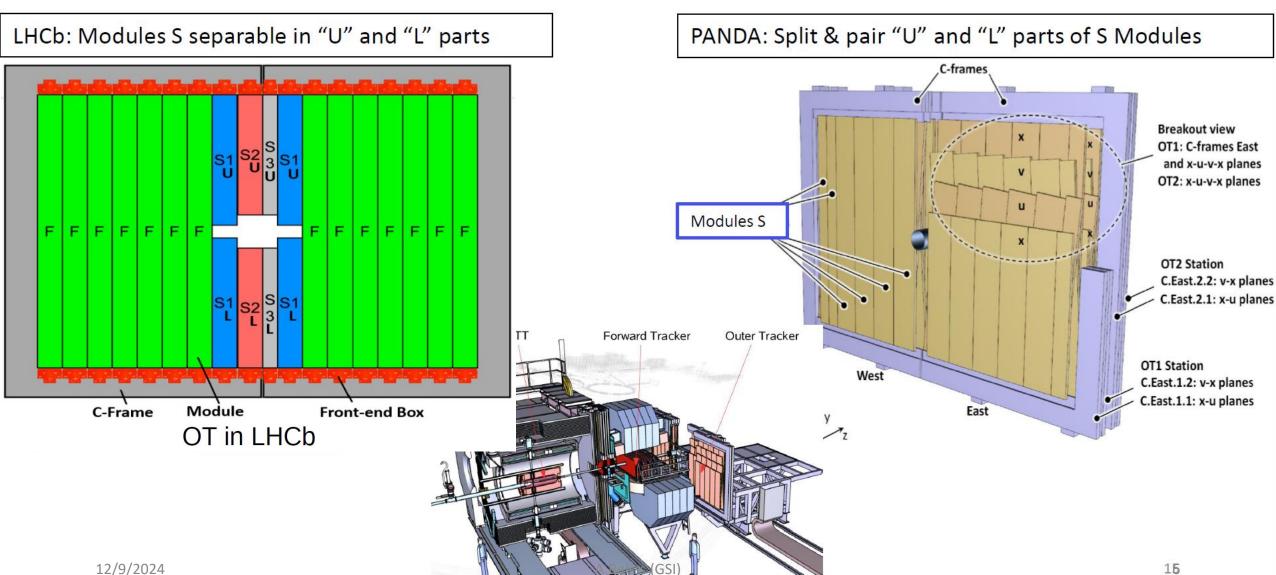




Whole OT in transport frame, 7x5.5x3.5 m³, 24t, arrive at GSI, Aug. 25, 2023. (Photo courtesy: GSJ)



LHCb Outer Tracker Straws – Use case I Forward tracking planes in PANDA

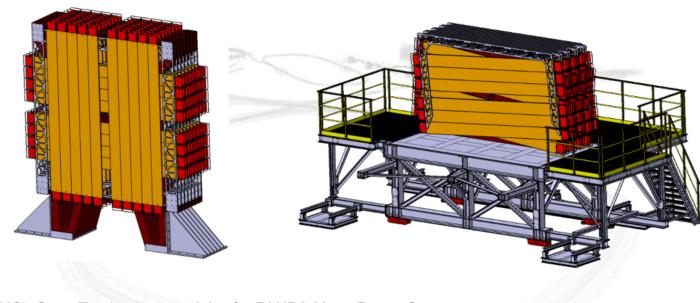


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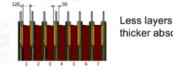
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FFFFFF FFFFF C-Frame Module Front-end Box OT in LHCb

PANDA: F Modules interspersed with absorber material



- LHCb Outer Tracker long modules for PANDA Muon Range System,
- Option 1 (right): +-5° angle, same size as original FRS
- Option 2 (left): 90° angle, fixed absorber planes



(*) Monolayers in modules F are offset along their length.

LHCb Outer Tracker Straws – New use case Muon tracking detector in CBM → MuST



Task Force of CBM and PANDA colleagues in cooperation:

- to investigate the possibilities of using the LHCb OT in CBM
- to validate the detector performance in p-p and Au-Au collisions through simulations
- to estimate effects on the detector for further future re-use



