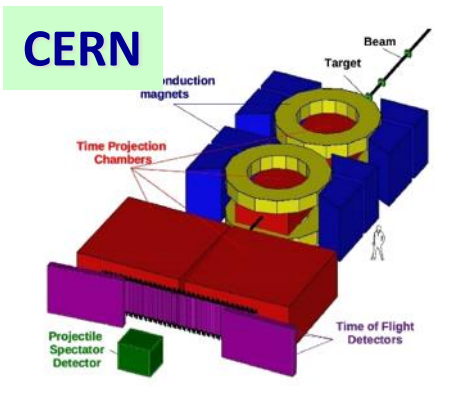




***The Silicon Tracking Systems of NICA***  
***Yuri Murin , VB LHEP JINR, Dubna, Russia***



BNL, USA



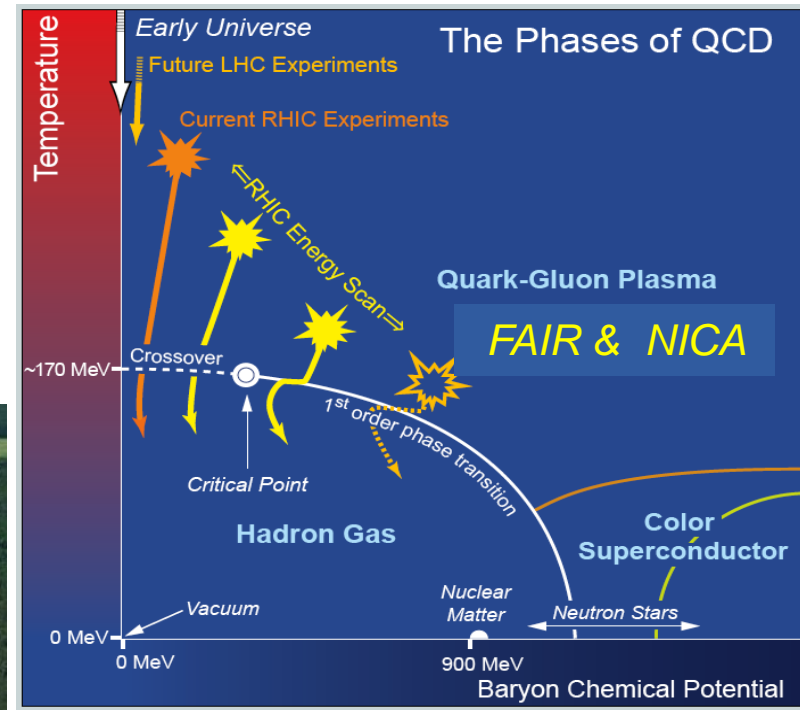
CERN



NICA



FAIR



$$\sqrt{s_{NN}} \sim 10 \text{ TeV}$$

*HI collisions energy domain of great expectations*

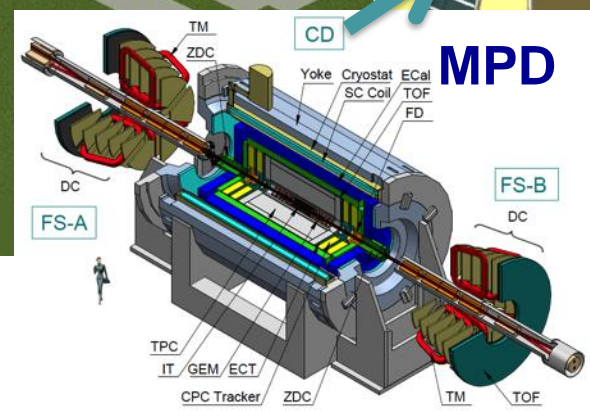
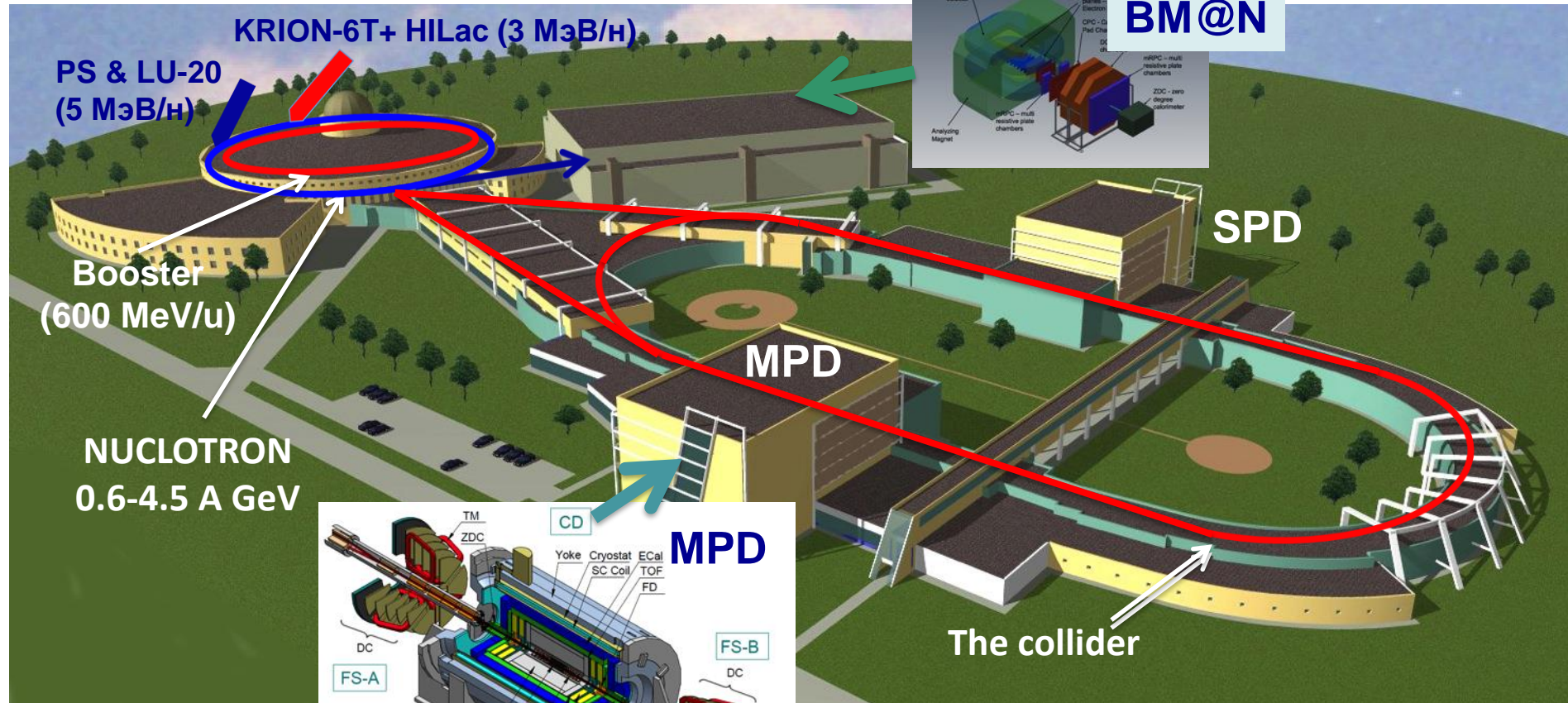
- ✓ FAIR (Darmstadt) – CBM stationary target experiment
- ✓ NICA (JINR, Dubna) – two types of experiment – Stationary target and collider

# Mega-project «NICA»

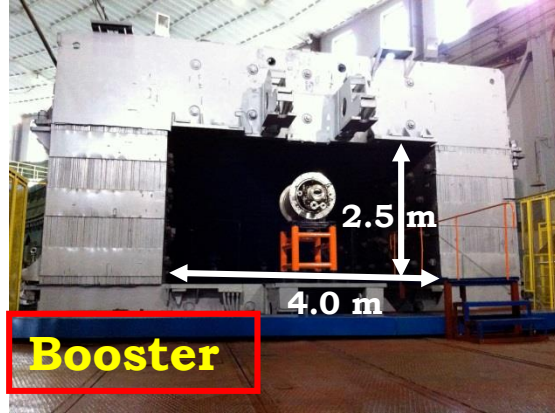


*The setups at work*

*The planned setups*



# NICA – Stage I



SPI and others  
@ LU-20  
("Old" linac)

KRION-6T  
& «New»  
linac

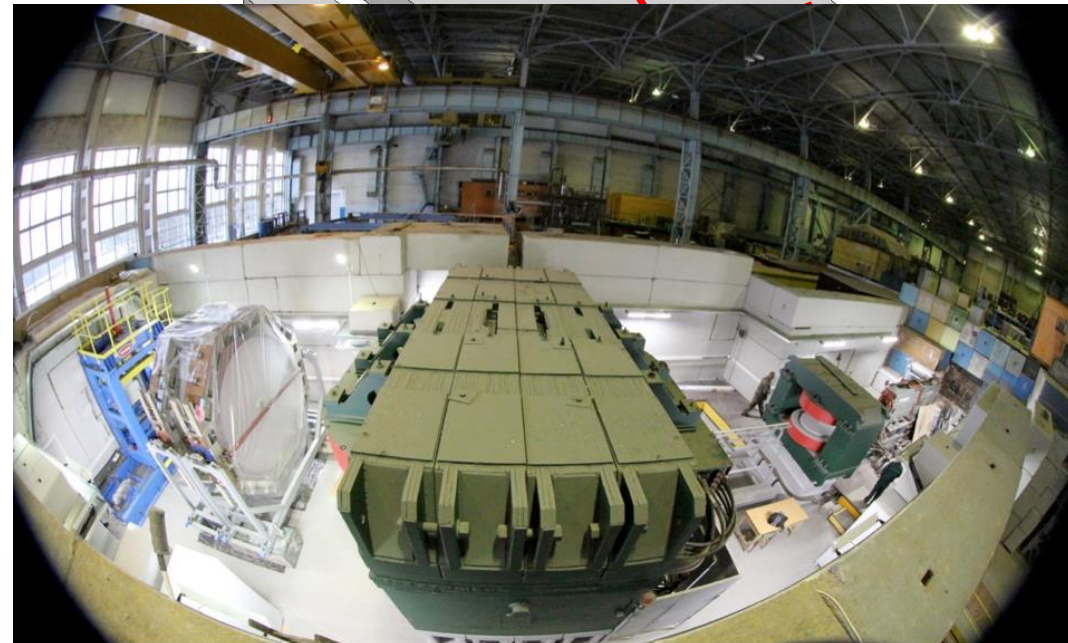
Synchrotron  
yoke

Bldg #1

Nuclotron

Fixed target  
experiments  
2014

Bldg  
#205



# Nuclotron Beams

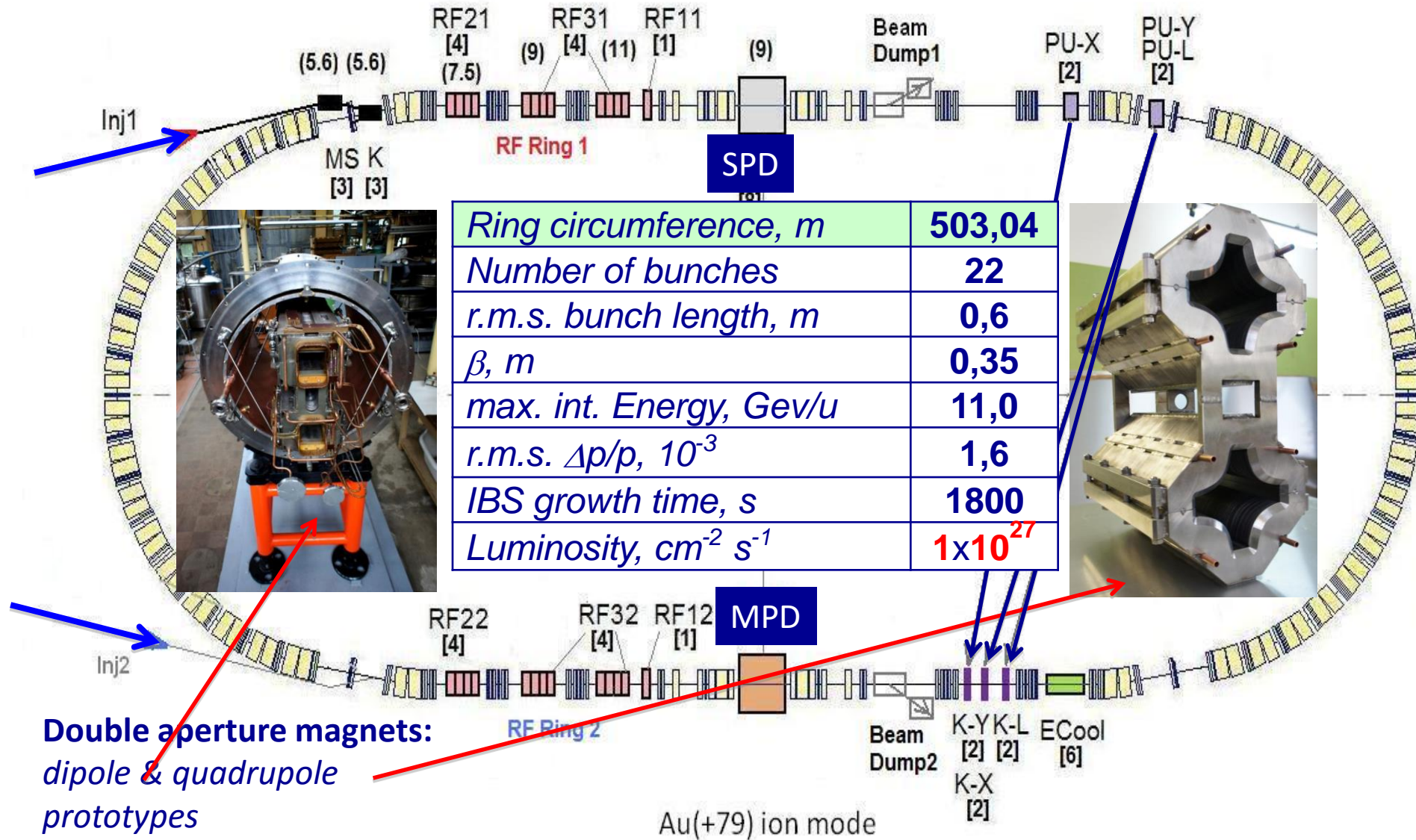
Leaders: G.Trubnikov, I.Meshkov, A.Butenko

<i>Parameter</i>	<i>Achieved</i>		<i>Project (2017 2019)</i>	
Magnetic field, T	2.0		2.0 ( $B\rho = 42.8 \text{ T}\cdot\text{m}$ )	
Field ramp, T/s	0.8		1.0	
Repetition period, s	8.0		5.0	
	Energy, GeV/u		Energy, GeV/u	Ions/ cycle
<i>Light ions</i> $\Rightarrow$ d	5.6		6.0	$5\cdot 10^{10}$
<i>Heavy ions</i>	<i>Without KRION-2</i>		<i>With KRION-6T &amp; Booster</i>	
$^{40}\text{Ar}^{18+}$	3.5	$5\cdot 10^6$	4.9	$1\cdot 10^8$ $2\cdot 10^{10}$
$^{56}\text{Fe}^{26+}$	2.5	$2\cdot 10^6$	5.4	$1\cdot 10^8$ $1\cdot 10^{10}$
$^{124}\text{Xe}^{48/42+}$	1.5	$1\cdot 10^3$	4.0	$1\cdot 10^7$ $2\cdot 10^9$
$^{197}\text{Au}^{79+}$	---	---	4.5	$1\cdot 10^7$ $2\cdot 10^9$
<i>Polarized beams</i>	<i>With Polaris</i>		<i>With SPI</i>	
p $\uparrow$	---	---	11.9	$1\cdot 10^{10}$ *)
d $\uparrow$	2.0	$5\cdot 10^8$	5.6	$1\cdot 10^{10}$

\*) *With the Siberian snake*

# The Collider

45 T\*m, 4.5 GeV/u for Au<sup>79+</sup>



# SC Magnets for Booster, Collider & SIS-100/FAIR workshop at VBLHEP JINR (bld. 217)



3 of 6 cryo-test benches are mounted

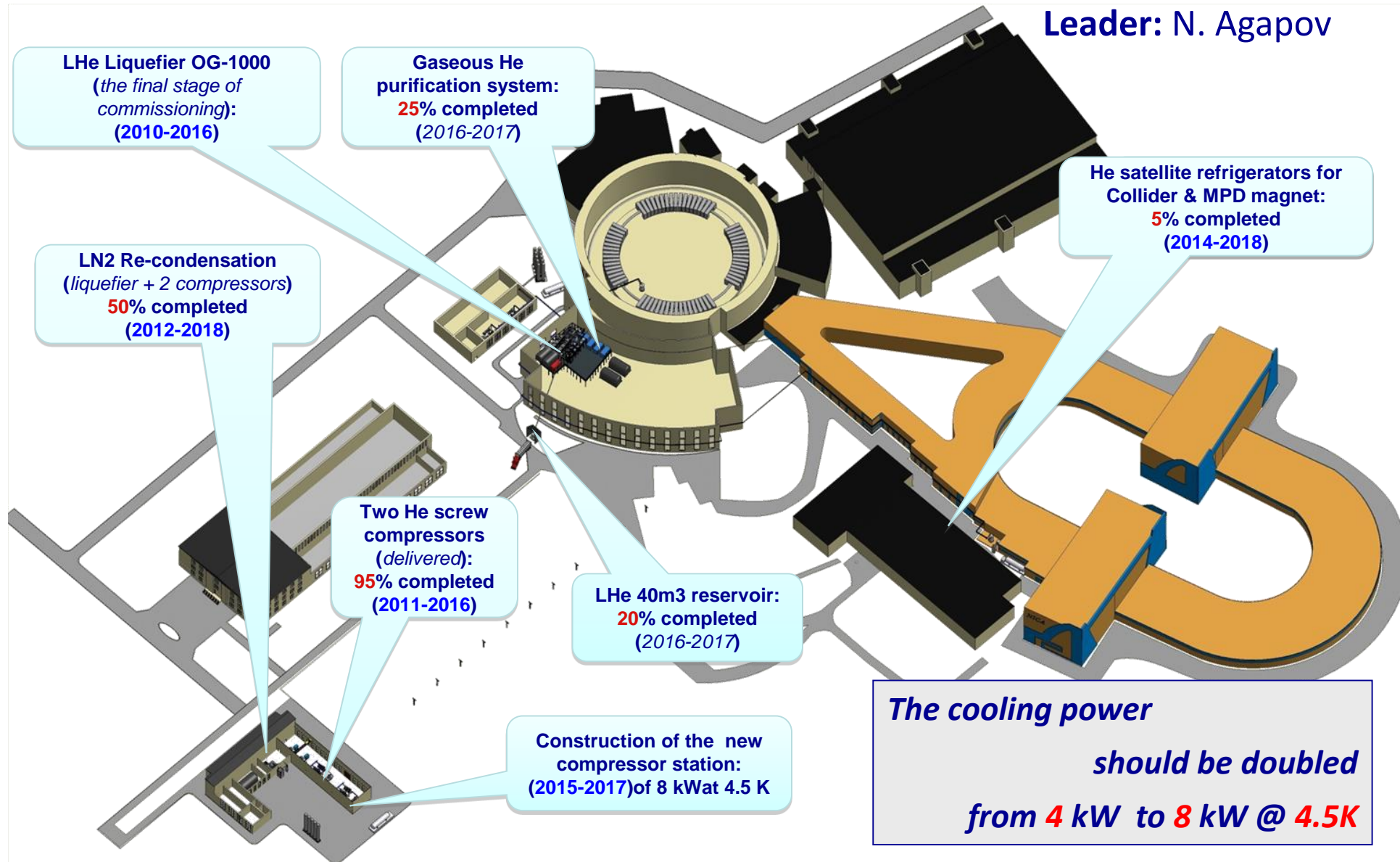


serial production of Booster magnets has started !

"Physics at CBM", June 21-23 2016, Sikkim, India

# Development of the NICA Cryogenics

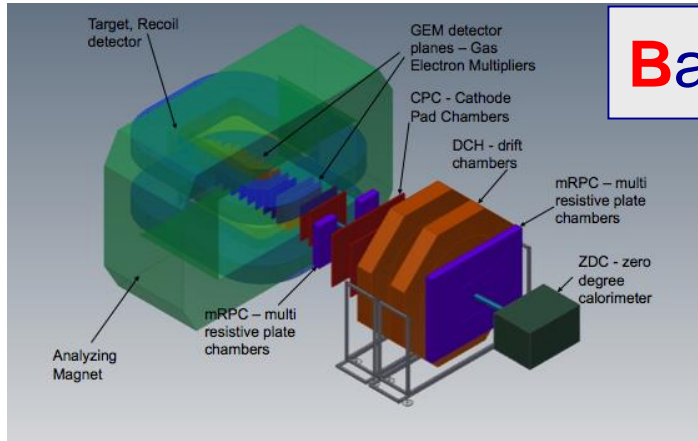
Leader: N. Agapov





# NICA: 3 detectors

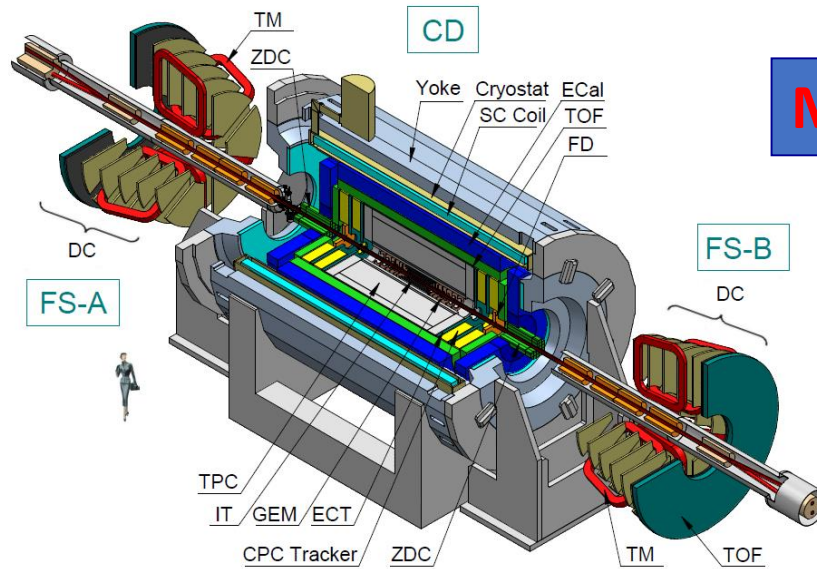
Leader: *V.Kekelidze*



**Baryonic Matter at Nuclotron (BM@N)**

*the fixed target experiment at the Nuclotron*

**Stage I 2017**



**MultiPurpose Detector (MPD)**

*at the Collider*

**Stage I 2019**

**SPD (Spin Physics Detector) at the Collider**

# BM@N: *the 1<sup>st</sup> stage*

## Participants from:

**Russia:** *INR, MEPhi, SINP, MSU, IHEP, S-Ptr Radium Inst.*

**Bulgaria:** *Plovdiv University;*

**China:** *Tsinghua University, Beijin;*

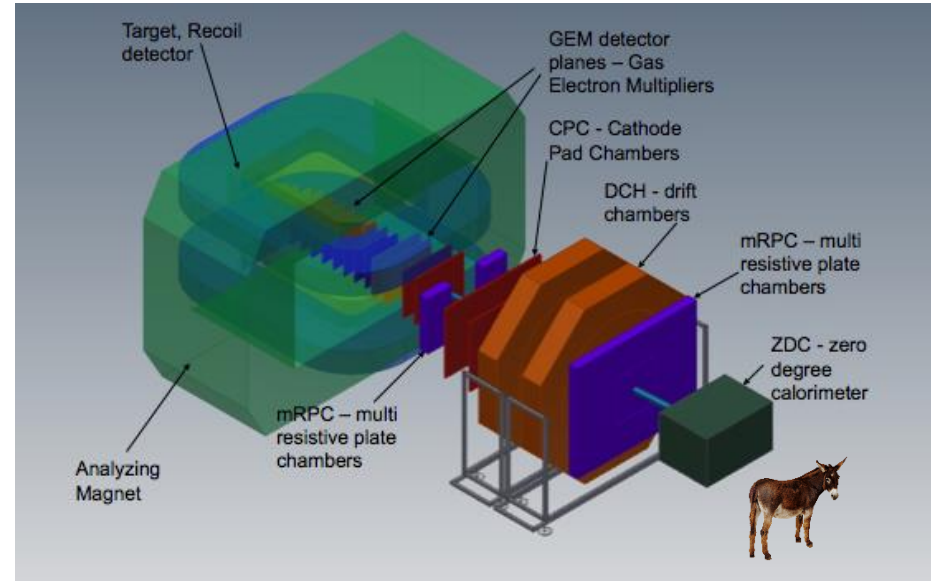
**Poland:** *Warsaw Tech.Uni.*

**Israel:** *Tel Aviv Uni.*

**Germany:** *Frankfurt Uni.*

*+ expression of interest from CBM*

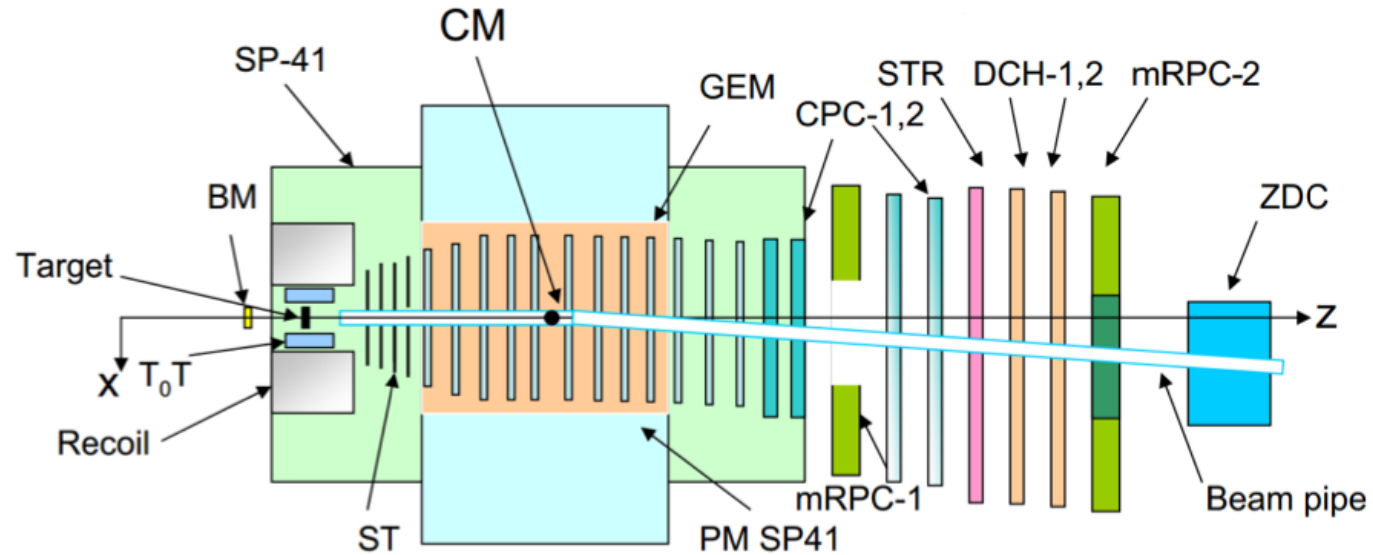
**Leaders:** *V.Kekelidze, M.Kapishin*



## Physics:

- ✓ *strange / multi-strange hyperon and hypernuclei production at the threshold*
- ✓ *hadron femtoscopy*
- ✓ *in-medium modifications of strange & vector mesons in dense nuclear matter*
- ✓ *electromagnetic probes, states decaying into  $\gamma$ , e (with ECAL)*

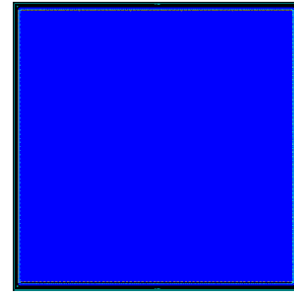
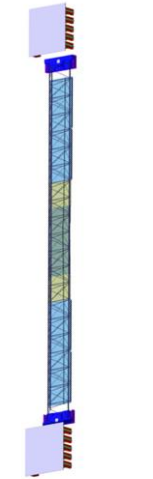
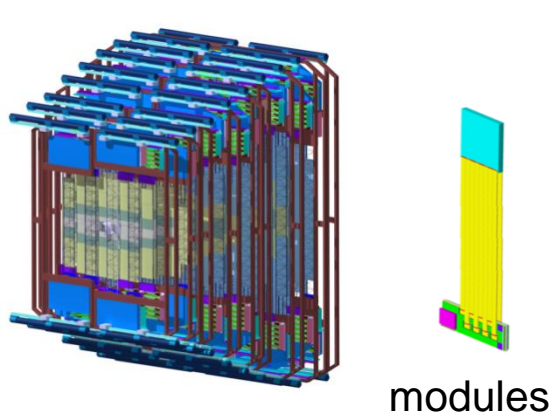
# BM@N status and milestones



## BM@N configuration

	DAQ	GEM (CERN)	ST	TOF	Outer tracker
•2016, IV:	<i>basic config.</i>	<i>6 half planes</i>	<i>1 small plane</i>	<i>half config.</i>	<i>DCH</i>
•2017, III:	<b>complete</b>	<i>10 h/pl.</i>	<i>2 s/pl.</i>	<i>basic</i>	<i>DCH</i>
•2019, I:	<b>complete</b>	<i>8-10 full pl.</i>	<b>4 CBM STS</b>	<b>complete</b>	<b>Straw+DCH</b>

# BM@N STS comprises four first stations of CBM STS

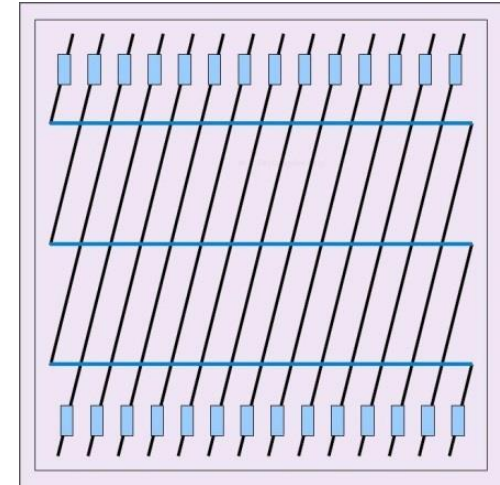
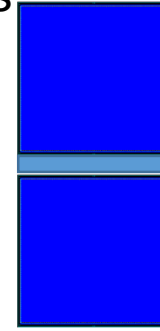


6.2 cm × 6.2 cm

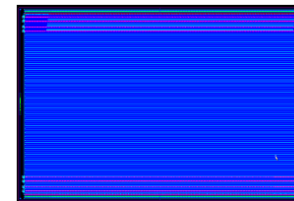
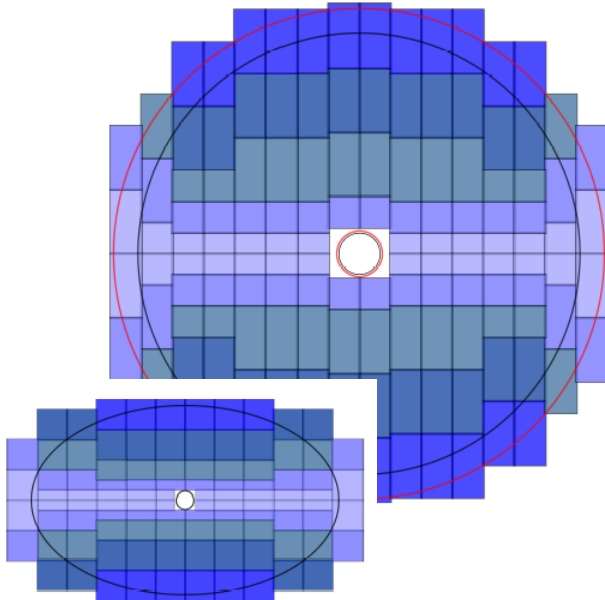
1220 sensors:

252 single /  
324 daisy-pairs

**900 / 220**



CBM STS : 8 tracking stations  
BM@N STS : **4 tracking stations**



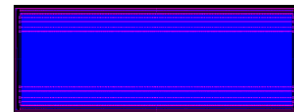
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**260 / 216**



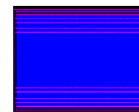
sensor:  
0.3%  $X_0$

r/o cables:  
 $2 \times 0.11\% X_0$



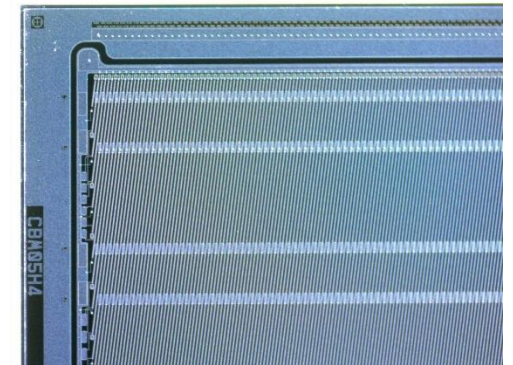
6.2 cm × 2.2 cm

**60 / 60**



3.2 cm × 2.2 cm

+ small number  
of "half" sensors



Double-sided-double-metallized sensors from Hamamatsu and CiS (pitch 58  $\mu\text{m}$ , stereo angle 7,5 degrees)

# BM@N status and milestones

**BM@N plan**

technical runs with **d, Li, C** beams: **2016 – 2017;**

physics run **BM@N (I stage)** with **Kr** int rate 20 kHz: **IV q., 2017;**

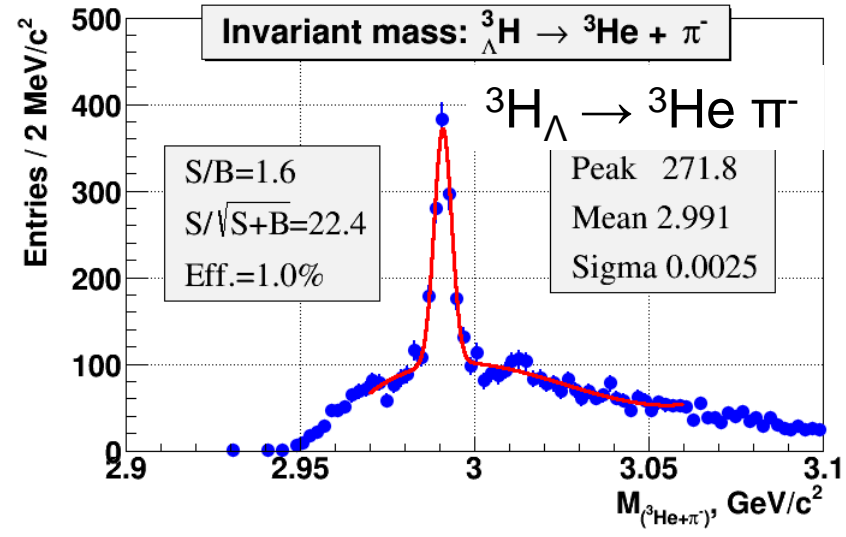
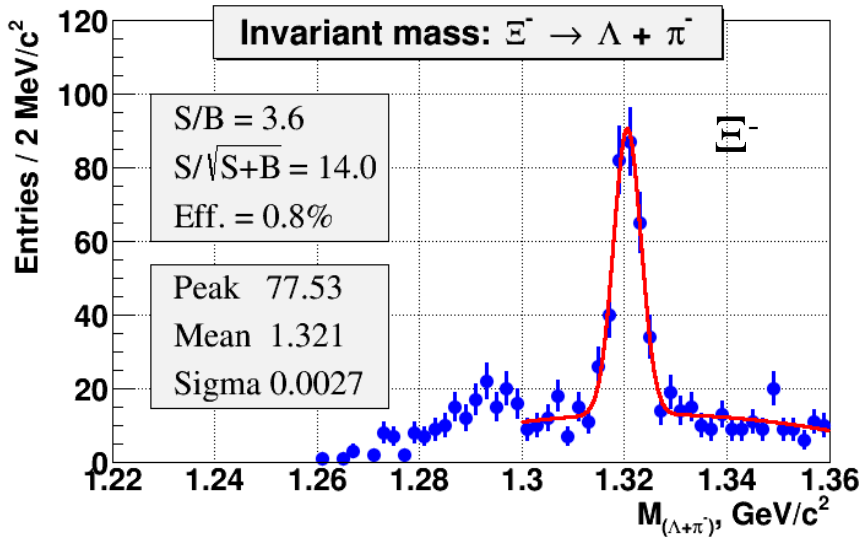
physics run **BM@N (II stage)** with **Au** int rate 50 kHz: **2019.**

next technical run in 2016: *commissioning of GEM & Si inside magnet*

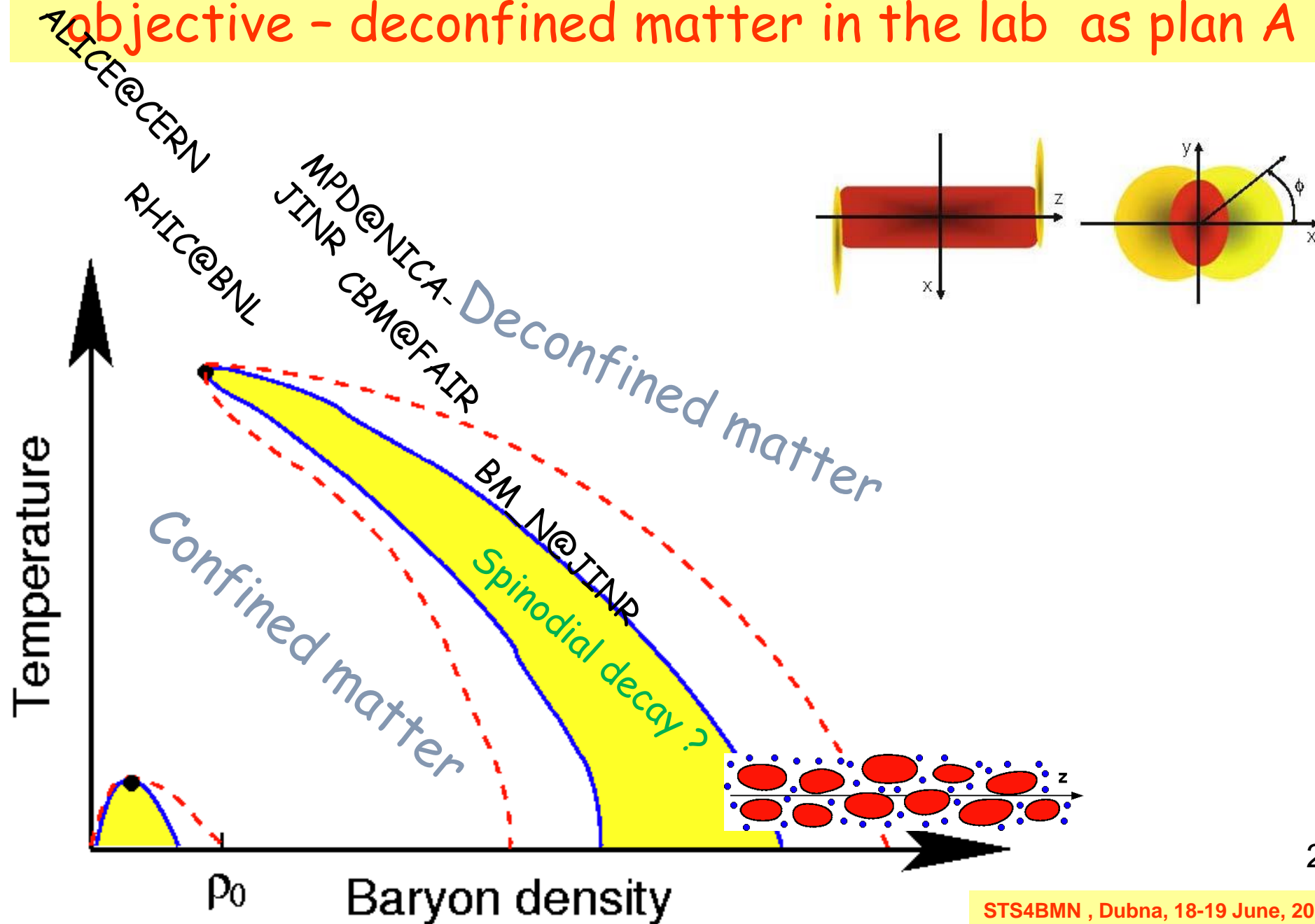
## Simulation

A.Zinchenko, V.Vasendina

UrQMD & DCM-QGSM, Au+Au,  $E_{kin} = 4.5A$  GeV,  $2 \times 10^6$  events;



# High and intermediate energy HI physics major objective - deconfined matter in the lab as plan A



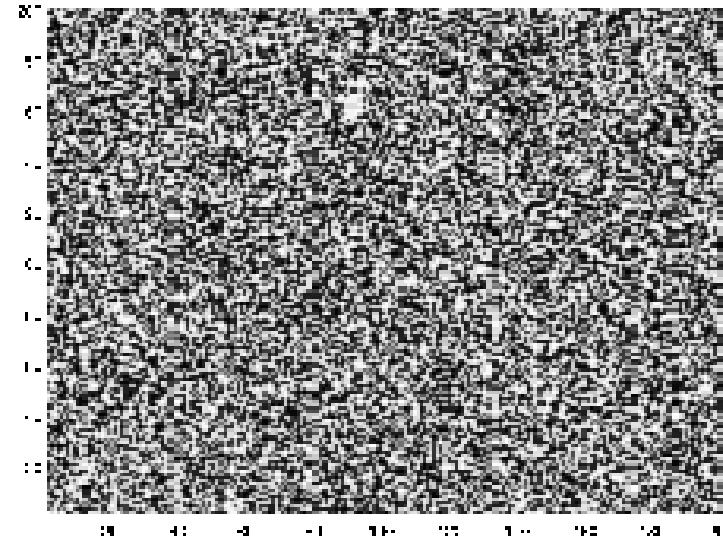
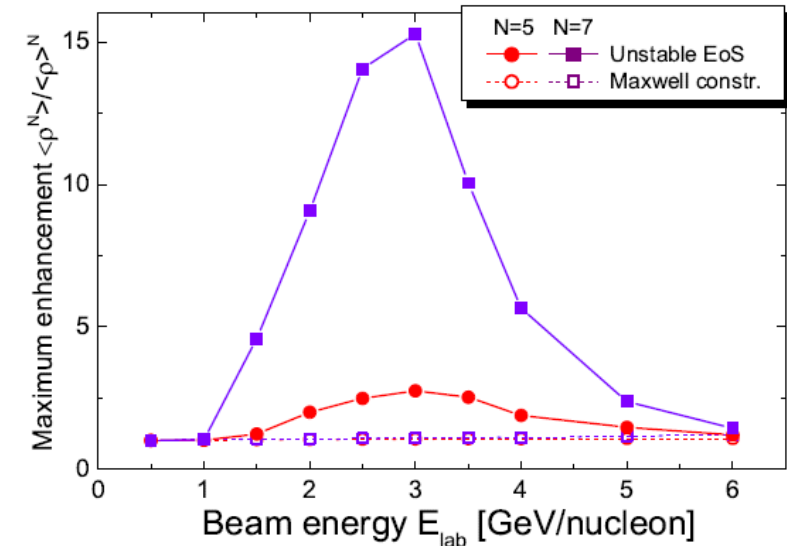
# Three ways to deconfinement

*J. Steinheimer et al. J. of Physics: Conf. Ser., 599, 2015*

➤ through high energy density -  
no definite answer - result of the "crossover"

➤ "Pressing" ( $E \approx 30 \div 50 \text{ AGeV}$ ):  
Putting "the triple point" between the  
deconfined and confined worlds

➤ "formation of drops" ( $E \approx 3 \div 5 \text{ AGeV}$ ): th  
correlations within spinodial phase decomp  
(J. Randrup, LBL): Observable?  
➤ (J. Aichelin, H. Gutbrod) direct productio  
subthreshold production of cascade  
particles!  
 $E_{\text{projectile}} > 3.7 \text{ AGeV} : p+p \rightarrow X-K^+K^-p$   
 $E_{\text{projectile}} < 3.7 \text{ AGeV} :$   
 $p+p \rightarrow K^+Lp : LL \rightarrow X-p$  - great sensitivity



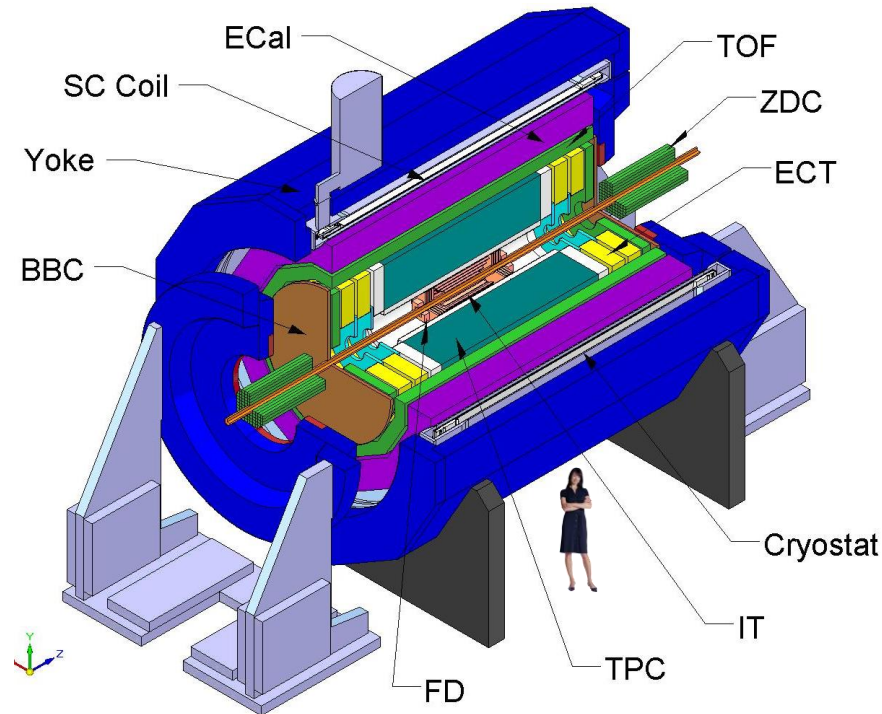
# MPD detector for Heavy-Ion Collisions @ NICA

Tracking: up to  $|\eta| < 2$  (TPC)

PID: hadrons, e,  $\gamma$  (TOF, TPC, ECAL)

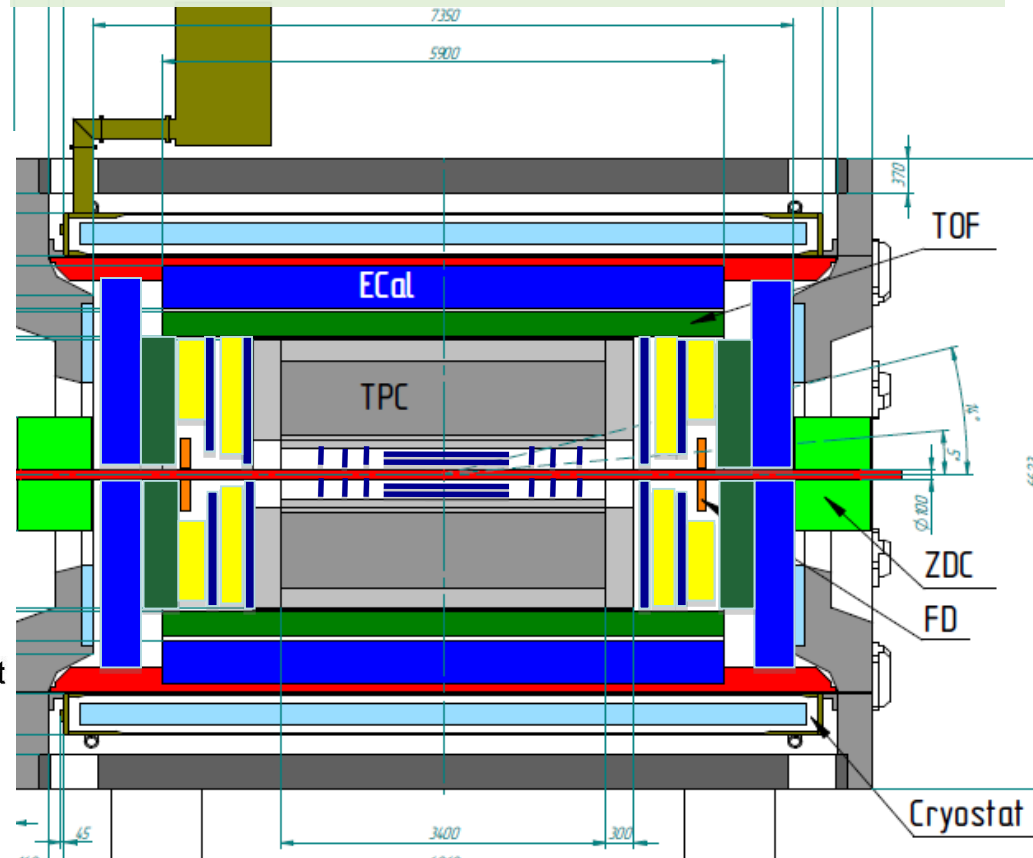
Event characterization:

centrality & event plane (ZDC)



**Stage 1:** TPC, TOF, ECAL, ZDC, FD

**Stage 2:** IT + Endcaps (tracker, TOF, ECAL)



**Status:** *technical design and detector R&D – completed;*  
*Preparation for the mass production*

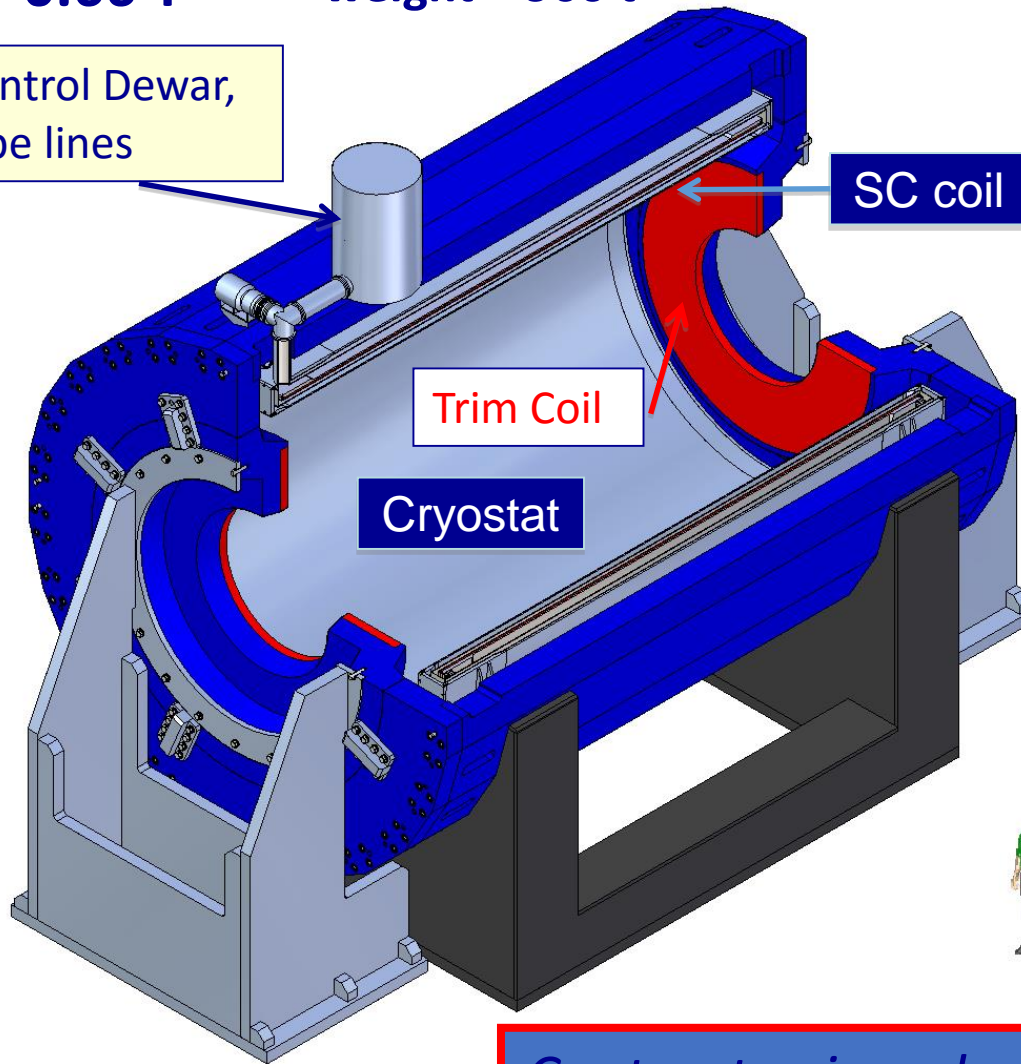


# MPD superconducting Solenoid

$B_0 = 0.66 \text{ T}$

weight  $\sim 900 \text{ t}$

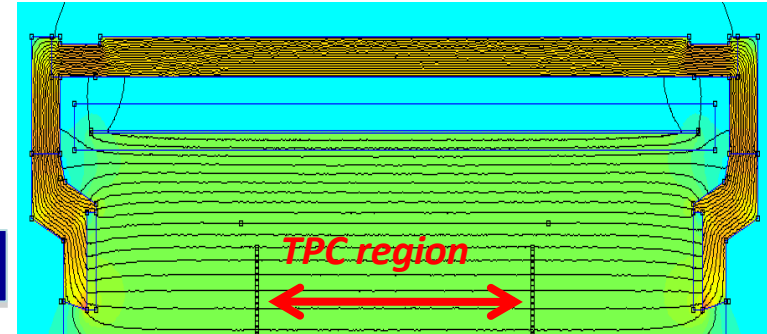
Control Dewar,  
pipe lines



SC coil

Trim Coil

Cryostat



high level ( $\sim 3 \times 10^{-4}$ ) of magnetic  
field homogeneity

ASG superconducting  
(Genova, Italy):

- Cold Mass + Cryostat
- Vacuum System
- Trim Coils
- Control System
- PS
- **General responsibility**

Contract - signed; works – in progress

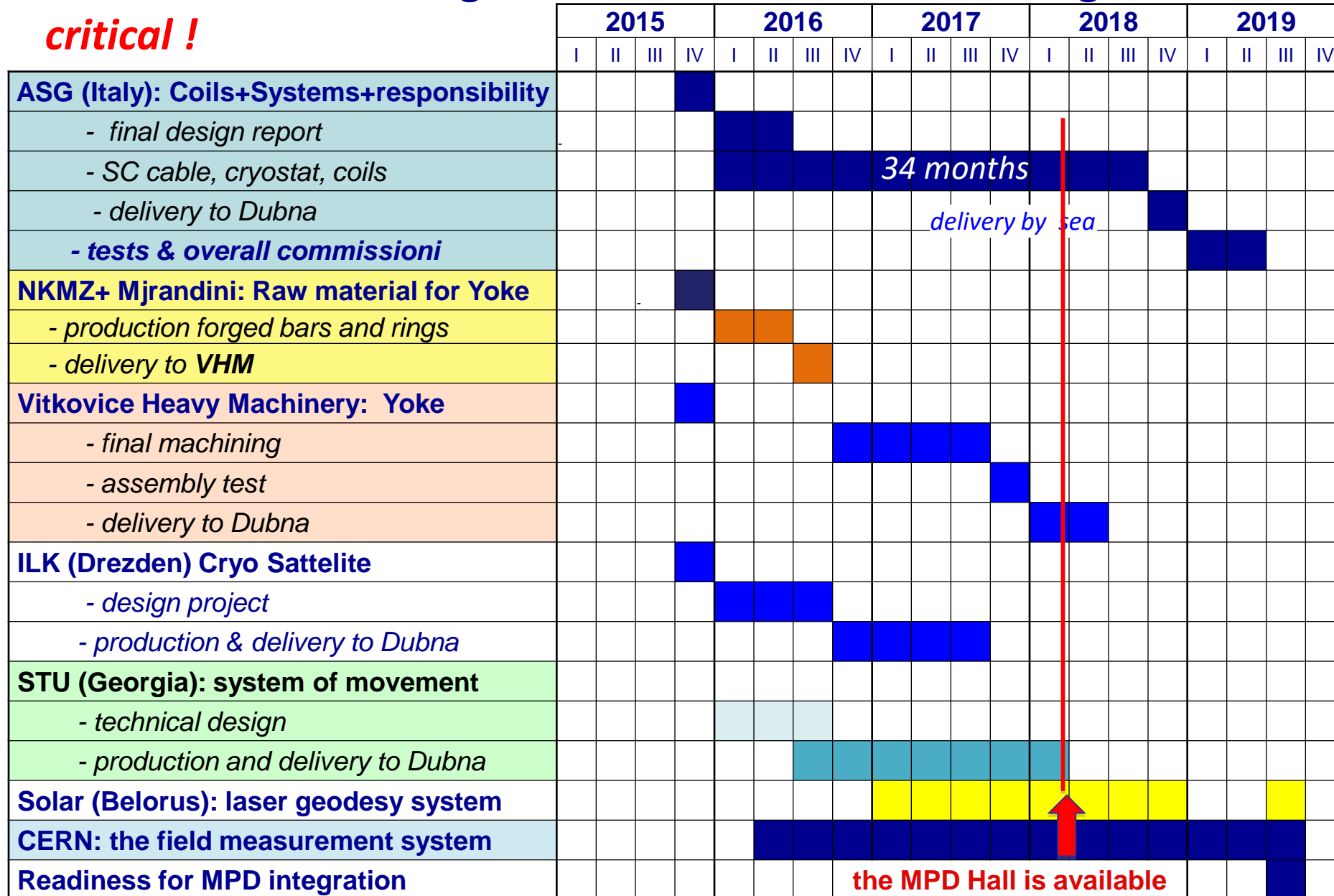
**Contract with ASG (Italy)**  
*34 months; signed in Dec 2015*



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# Schedule for MPD Magnet fabrication & commissioning

**critical !**





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# MAPS Inner Tracking System for ALICE LS2 Upgrade

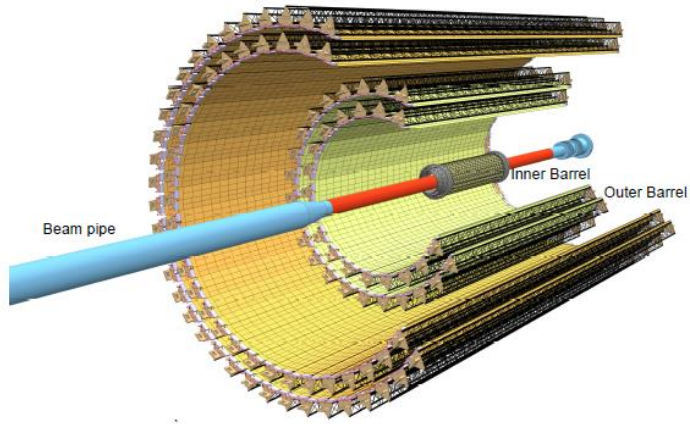


Figure 1.1: Layout of the new ITS detector.

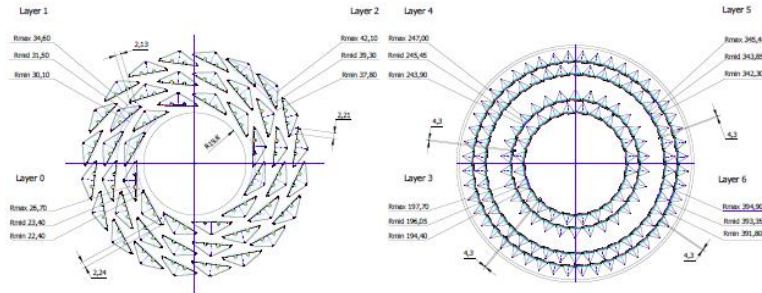


Figure 1.2: Schematic view of the cross section of the Inner Barrel (left) and Outer Barrel (right).

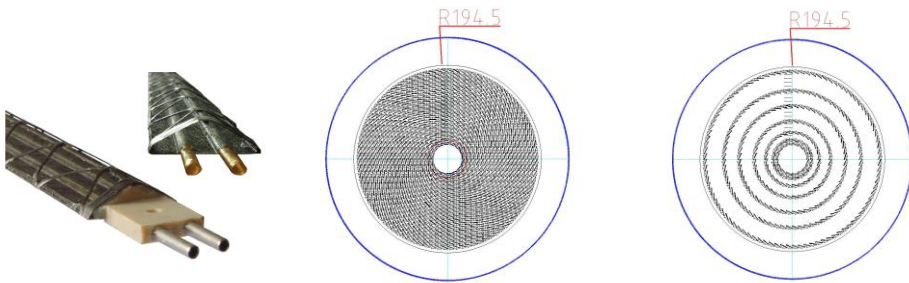
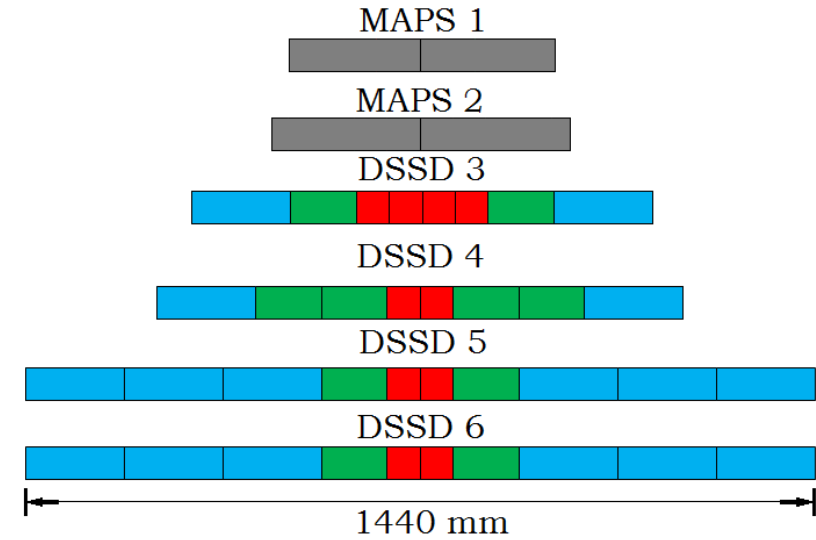
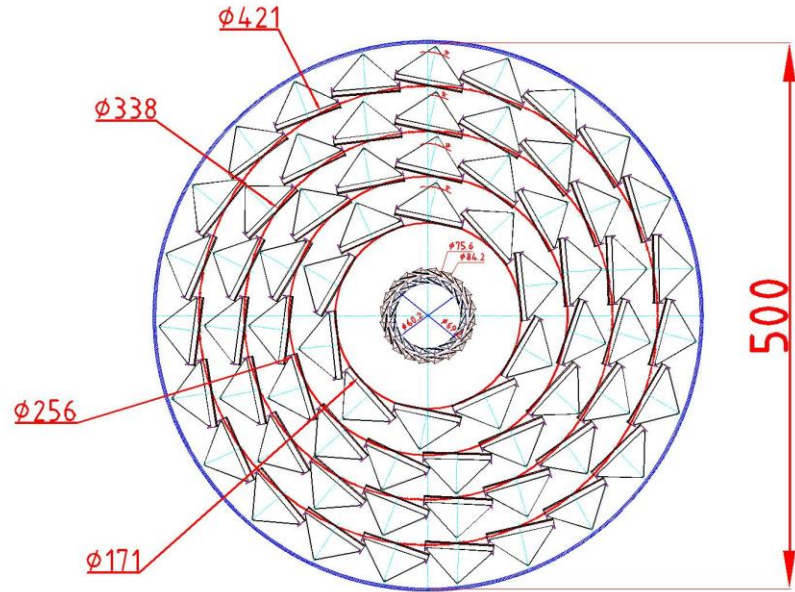


Table 1.1: Geometrical parameters of the upgraded ITS.

	Inner Barrel			Outer Barrel			
	Inner Layers			Middle Layers		Outer Layers	
	Layer 0	Layer 1	Layer 2	Layer 3	Layer 4	Layer 5	Layer 6
Radial position (min.) (mm)	22.4	30.1	37.8	194.4	243.9	342.3	391.8
Radial position (max.) (mm)	26.7	34.6	42.1	197.7	247.0	345.4	394.9
Length (sensitive area) (mm)	271	271	271	843	843	1475	1475
Pseudo-rapidity coverage <sup>a</sup>	$\pm 2.5$	$\pm 2.3$	$\pm 2.0$	$\pm 1.5$	$\pm 1.4$	$\pm 1.4$	$\pm 1.3$
Active area (cm <sup>2</sup> )	421	562	702	10 483	13 104	32 105	36 691
Pixel Chip dimensions (mm <sup>2</sup> )				15 × 30			
Nr. Pixel Chips	108	144	180	2688	3360	8232	9408
Nr. Staves	12	16	20	24	30	42	48
Staves overlap in $r\phi$ (mm)	2.23	2.22	2.30	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3
Gap between chips in $z$ ( $\mu\text{m}$ )				100			
Chip dead area in $r\phi$ (mm)				2			
Pixel size ( $\mu\text{m}^2$ )	(20 – 30) × (20 – 30)			(20 – 50) × (20 – 50)			

<sup>a</sup> The pseudorapidity coverage of the detector layers refers to tracks originating from a collision at the nominal interaction point ( $z = 0$ ).

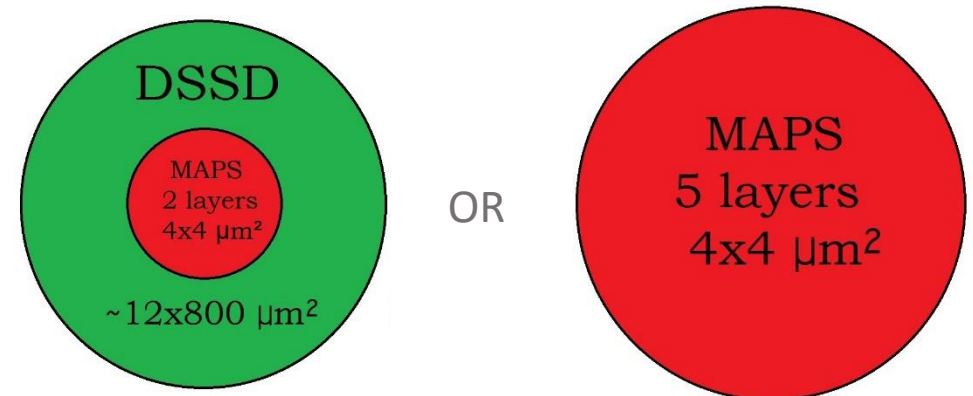
# MAPS-DSSD or MAPS only? An attempt to keep synergy with CBM



MAPS budget: 0.3%  $X_0$

DSSD budget: 0.3% - 1.2%  $X_0$

2 layers of ALICE ITS MAPS inner  
layers of double length  
4 layers of DSSD with readout through  
long ( up to 100 cm) (a call for ASIC  
development)



# MAPS-DSS ITS MPD

Layer	Type	r, cm*	+z	Area, m**2	Ladders	Det/Lad	Tot. Channels	Legend
1	MAPS	32,0	27,1	0,0562	16	9	93,6 M	2-d ALICE ITS-2
2	MAPS	39,0	27,1	0,0702	20	9	117,0 M	3-d ALICE ITS-2
3	DSSD	85,5	60,0	0,720	10	20	205 K (**)	2-d MPD ITS-1
4	DSSD	128,0	66,0	1,190	15	22	338 K (**)	3-d MPD ITS-1
5	DSSD	169,0	100,9	1,642	19	24	467 K (**)	4-h MPD ITS-1
6	DSSD	210,0	100,9	1,987	23	24	565 K (**)	6-d MPD ITS-1
TOT				4,812			212 M	

## MPD-ITS Layout

\*) measured from the beam line to the center of the active area

\*\*\*) every second strip read-out

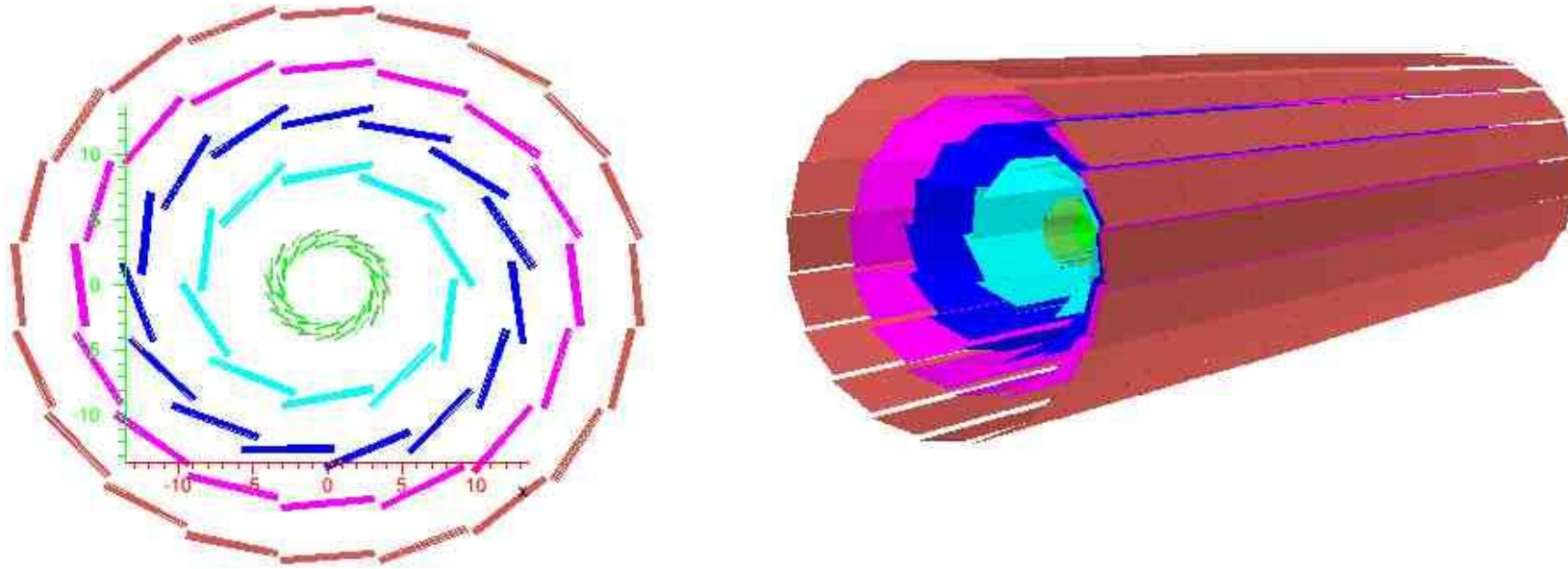
## Sensor Layers Description

MAPS: 15x30 mm<sup>2</sup>, 2 mm dead area at long edge is hidden in a turbine

Sensor: 20x30 um pixels, thickness – 50 um.

CBM DSSD: 62x62 mm<sup>2</sup>, 1 mm dead area around active area is hidden in a tile along the ladder (z) and in a turbine in (r-φ)

# MPD ITS Geometrical Model (V.P.Kondratyev, SPbSU, SpB)

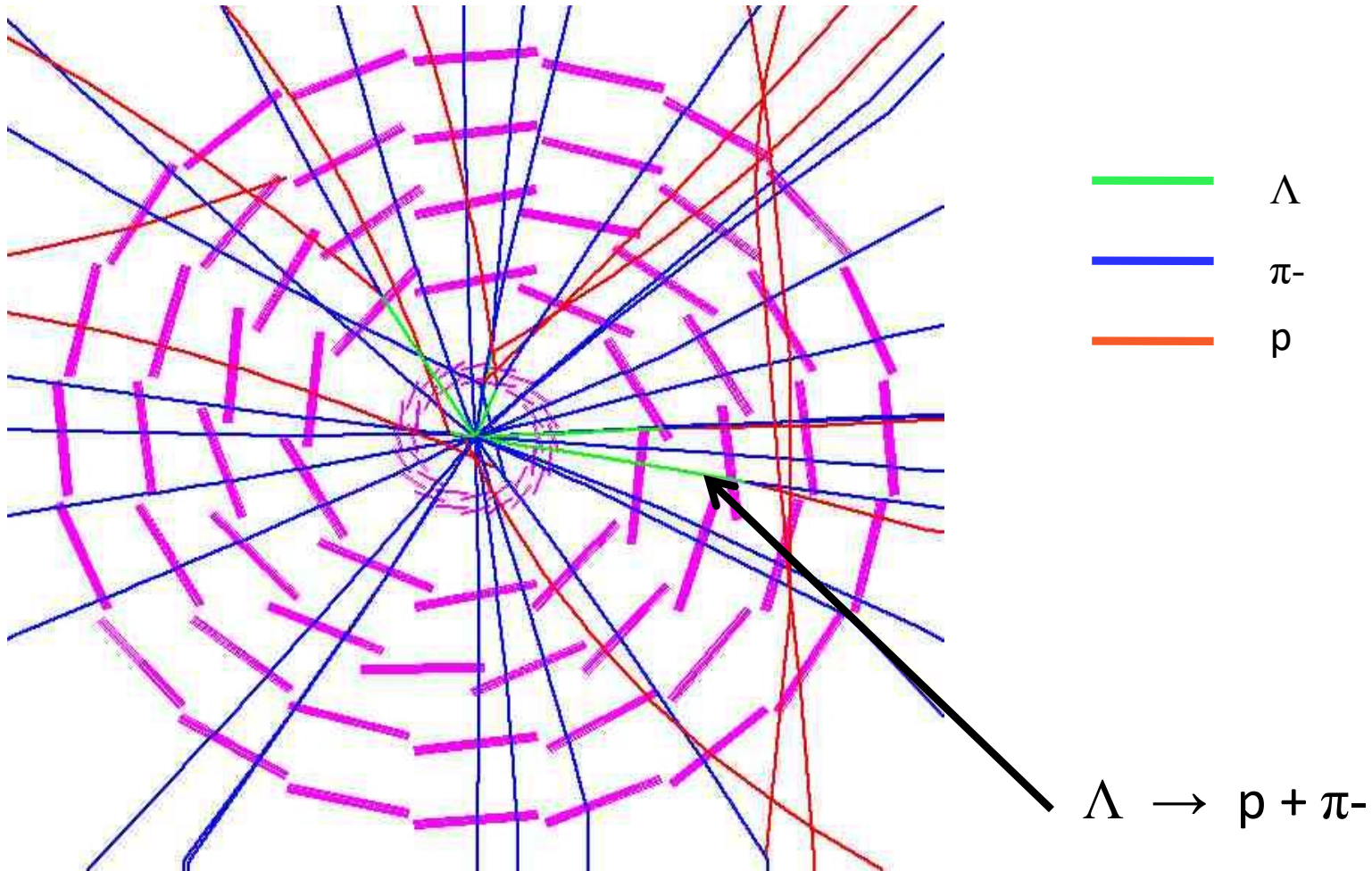


ITS comprises six layers of position sensitive Si sensors as follows

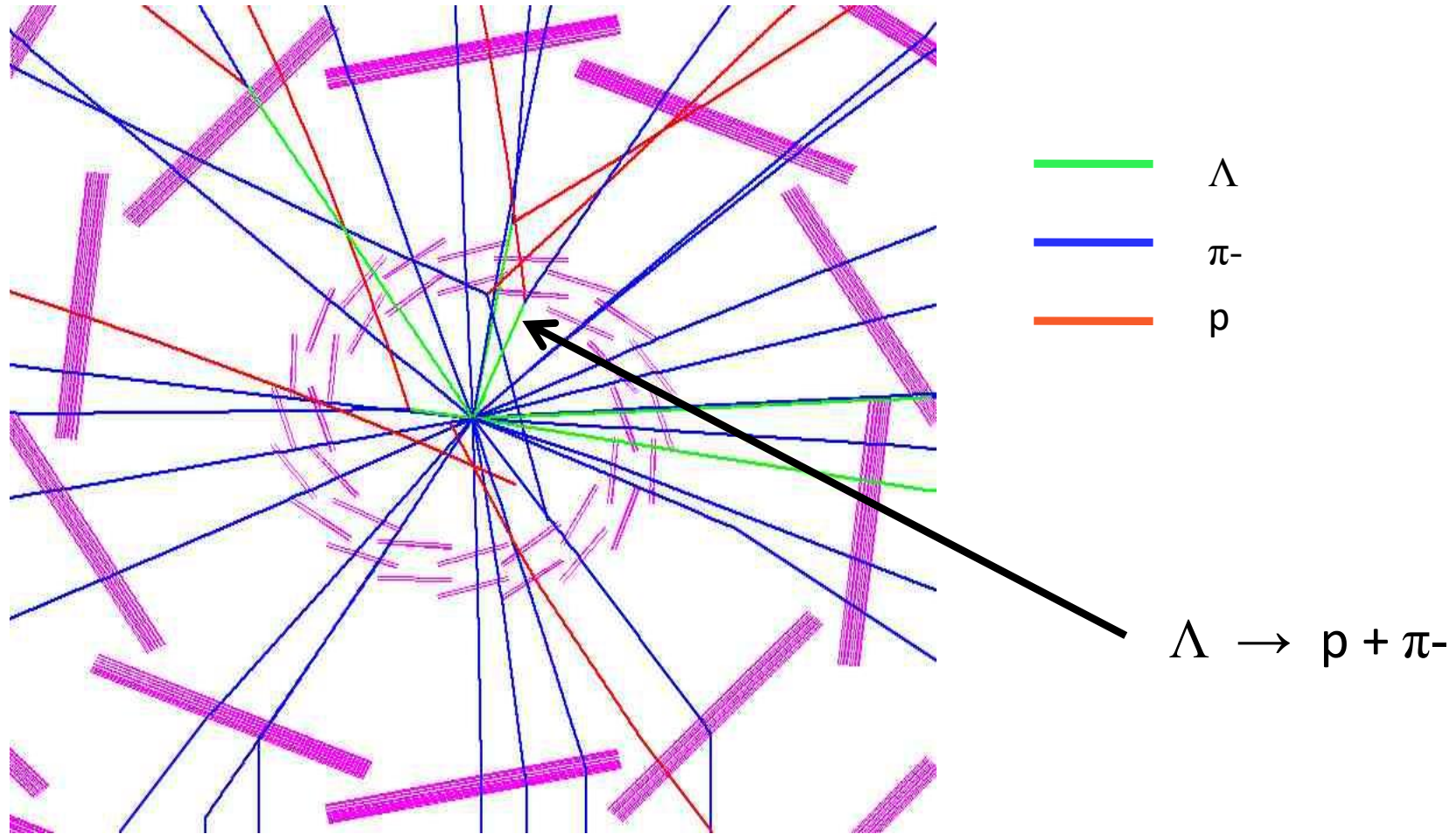
- 1) 2 Inner Layers of Monolithic Active Pixel Sensors (**MAPS**)
- 2) 4 Outer Layers of Double-Sided Silicon Detectors (**DSSD**)



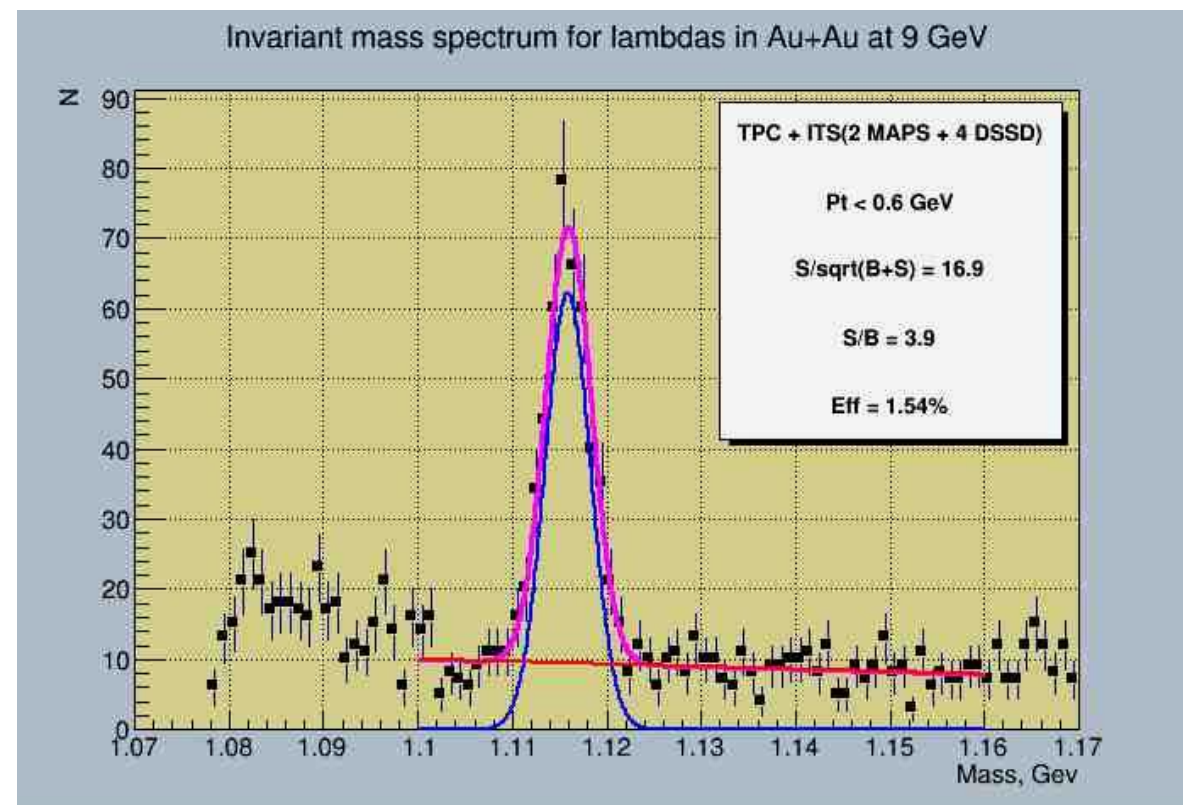
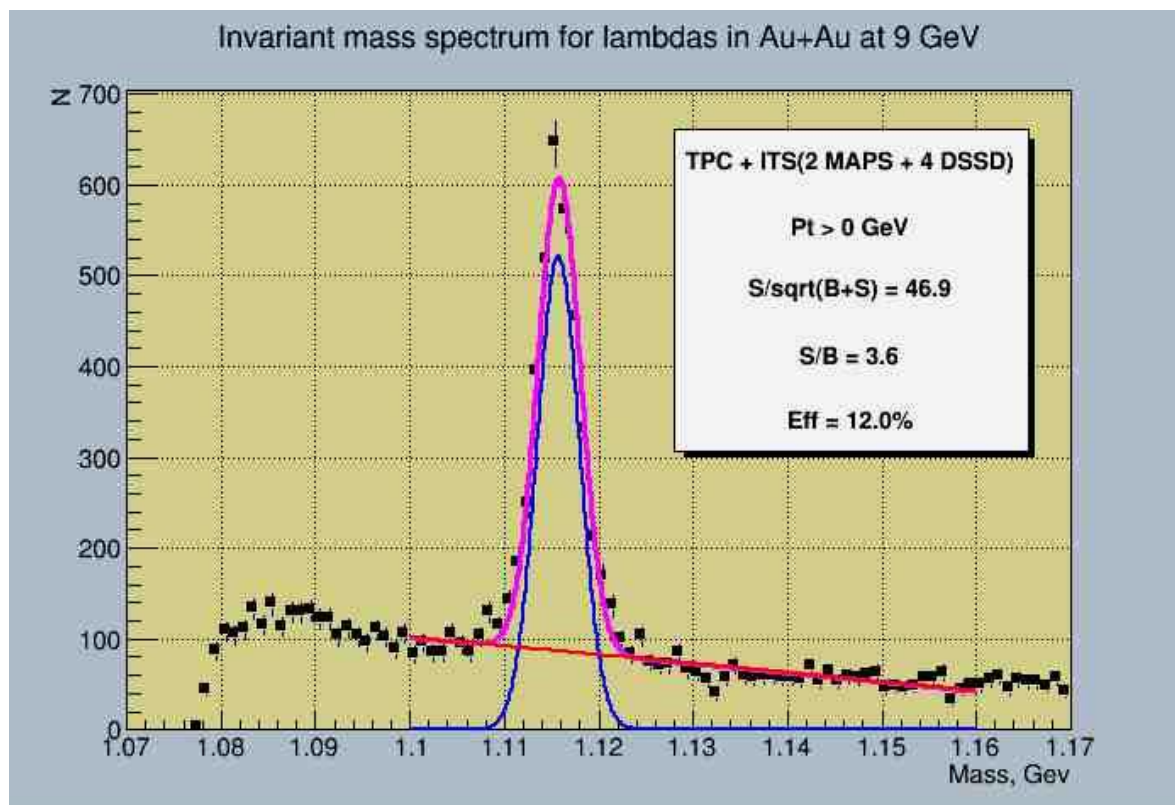
# Long-range $\Lambda$ -hyperons in central $\sqrt{S}=10$ GeV Au+Au collisions



# Short-range $\Lambda$ -hyperons in central $\sqrt{S}=10$ GeV Au+Au collisions

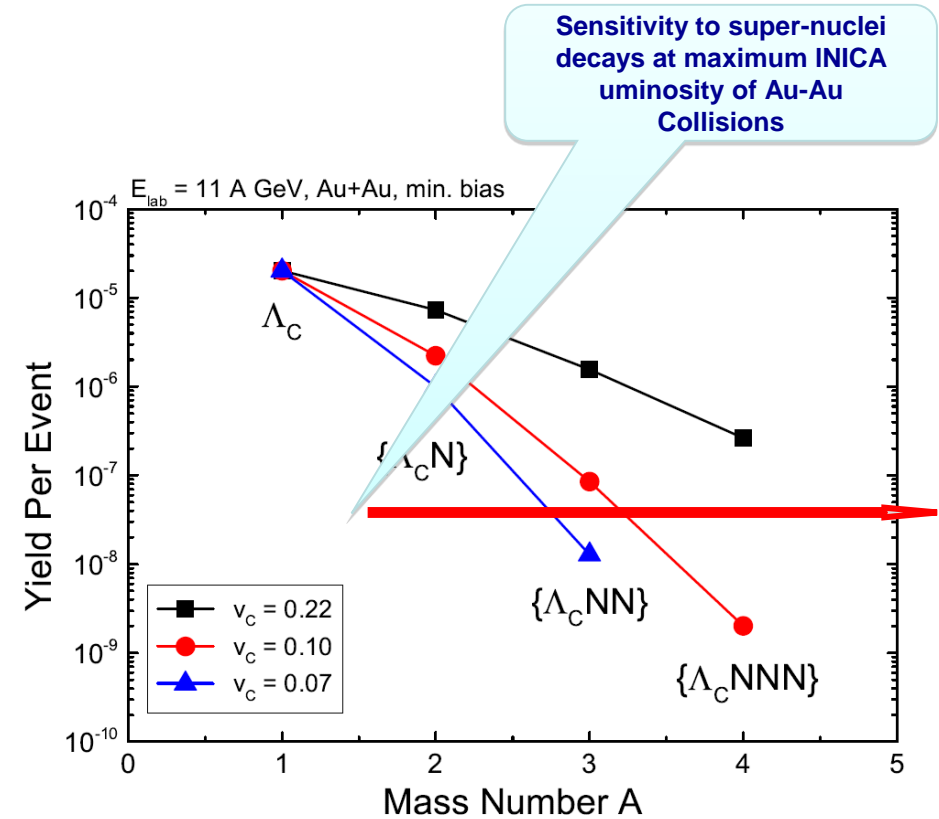
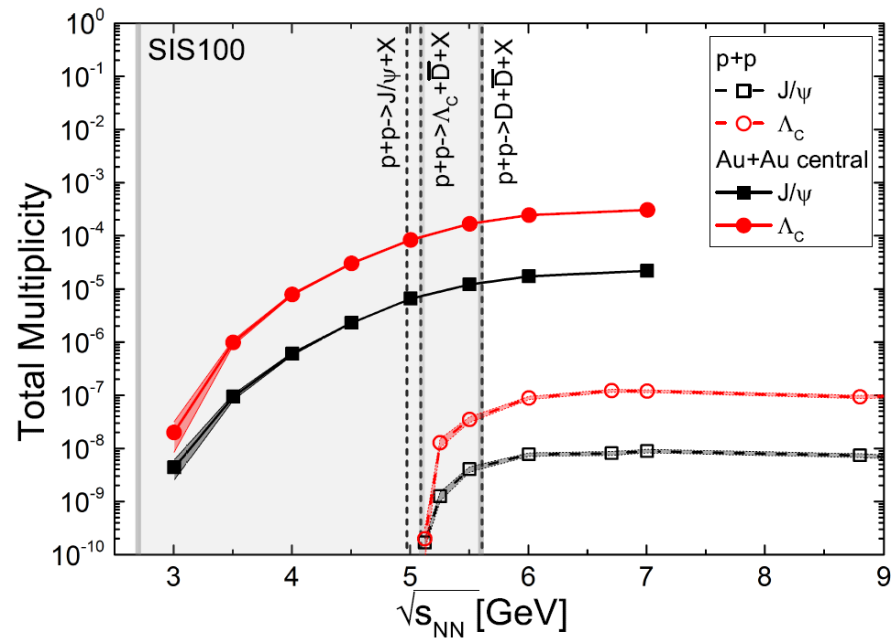


# $\Lambda$ -hyperon invariant mass spectrum $p_T > 0$ and $p_T > 0.6$ GeV/c



# Super-nuclei hunt at NICA

J. Steinheimer et al. arXiv:1605.034039, May 11, 2016



Process	Threshold Energy [GeV]
$p + p \rightarrow p + p + J/\psi$	4.973
$p + p \rightarrow N + \Lambda_c + \bar{D}$	5.096
$p + p \rightarrow N + N + D + \bar{D}$	5.611

# GSI-JINR project on infrastructure development

2013



2014



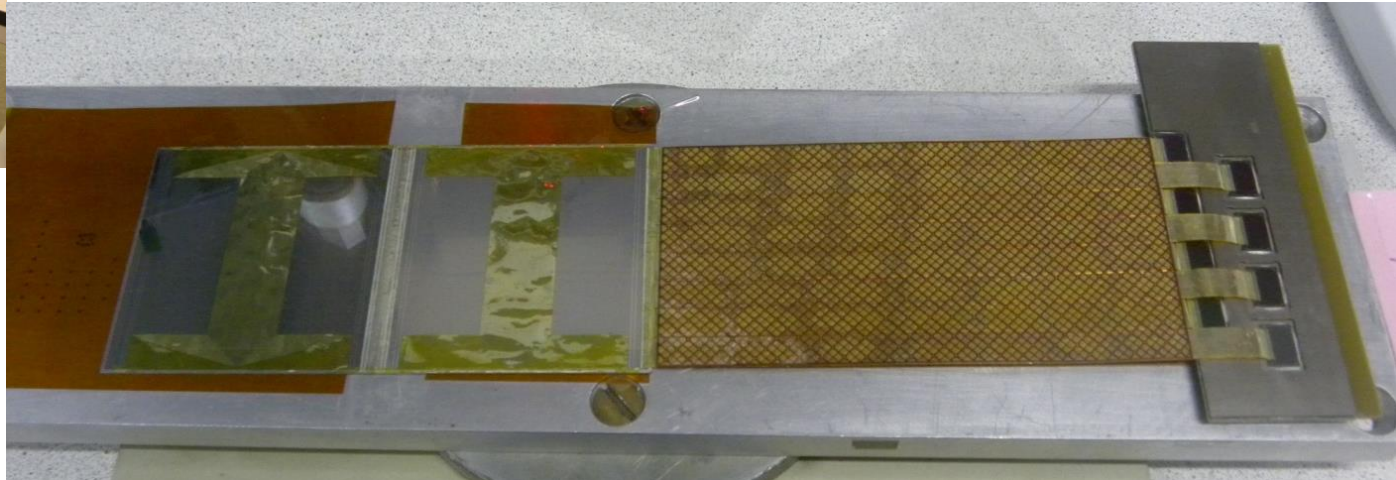
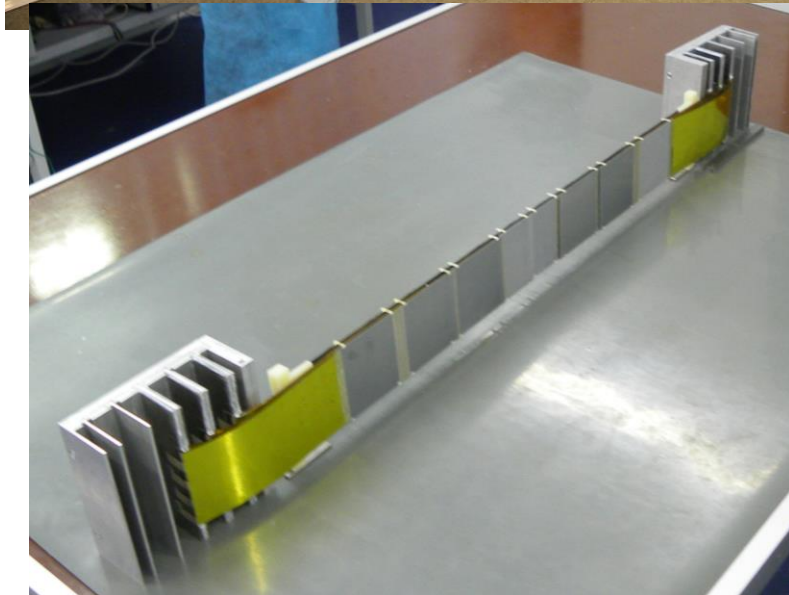
2015



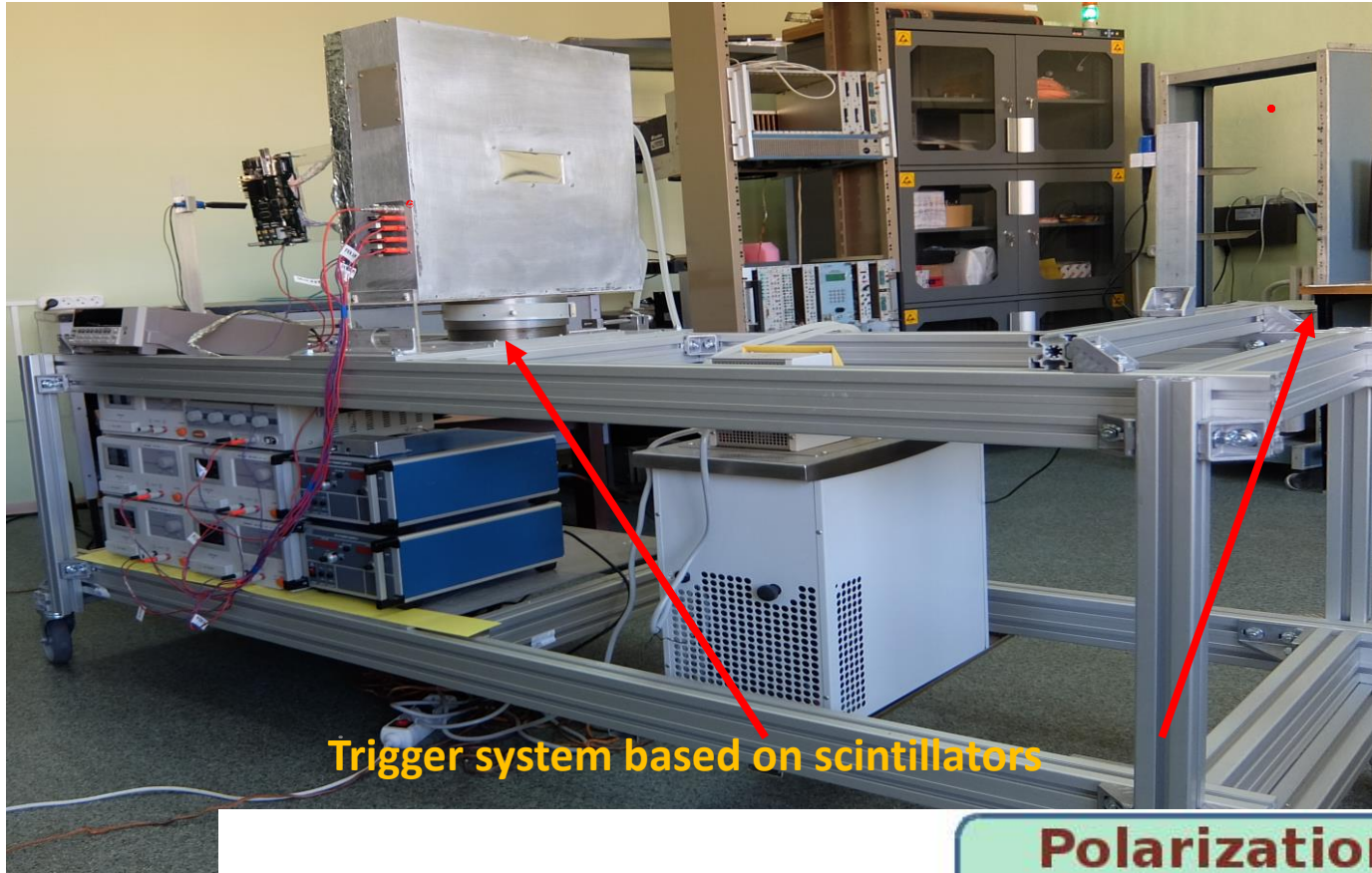
# Our guests



# The first shift and items manufactured



# Perspectives for the in-beam tests at Nuclotron

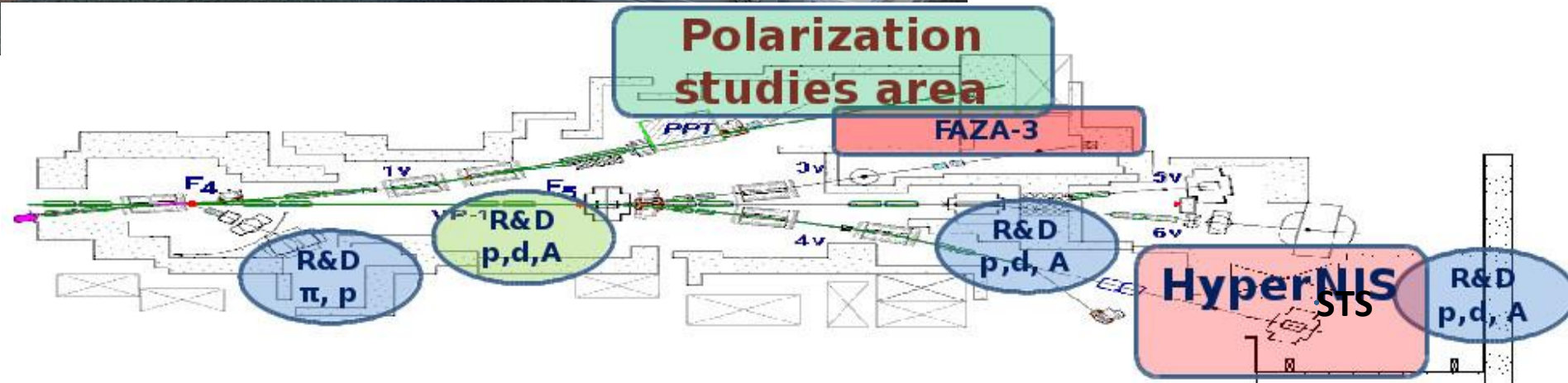


Remotly controled:

Low voltage power suppliers:  
AKTAKOM APS 3320L

High voltage power supplier:  
Keythley 6487

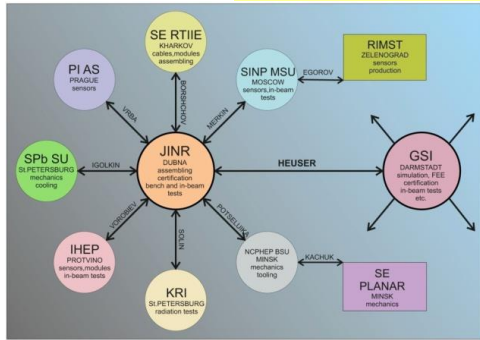
Water cooler  
Lauda Alpha ra8



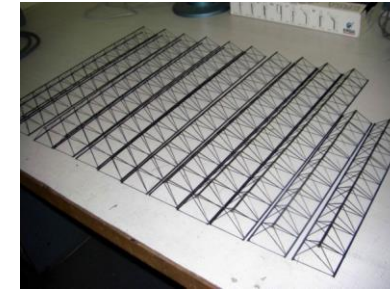


# Chronology of Achievements

Organization of STS Consortium of teams in JINR-member countries (2008-2013)



Technological advance in Ultra-light (14 g/m) carbon Fiber Mechanics by Igolkin (2008-13)



Technological advance in the highest assembling density of module circuits based on TAB-bonding technology by Borshchov team sensor and cable design (2012-14)



Module assembly laboratory as a joint JINR-GSI effort (2014-15)



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