

# The Silicon Tracking System of the CBM Experiment at FAIR

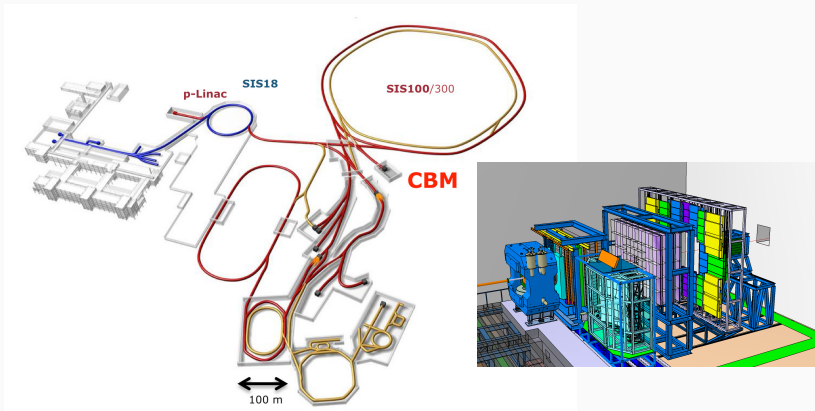
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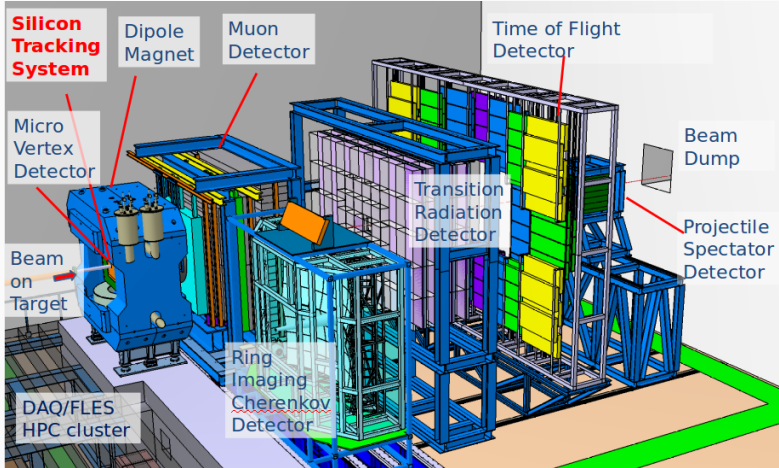
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FAIR phase 1, first beam in 2025

FAIR phase 2

# CBM experiment @ SIS100

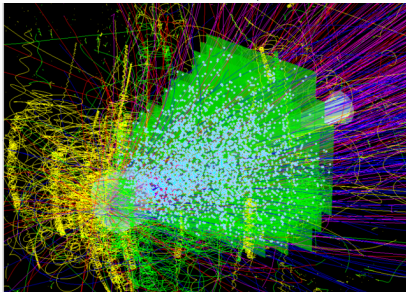


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The Compressed Baryonic Matter experiment at FAIR  
Jörg Lehnert, GSI, Darmstadt

# Experimental challenge

central Au+Au, 8 GeV/nucleon

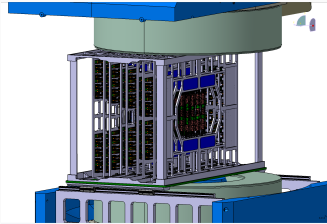


## Experimental requirements

- high-rate collision environment:  $10^5 - 10^7/s$  (AA), up to  $10^9/s$  (pA)
- radiation tolerance up to  $10^{14} n_{eq}/cm^2$
- free streaming front-end electronics with time-stamp resolution  $\simeq 5ns$
- momentum resolution:  $\delta p/p \simeq 1.8\%$  ( $p > 1$  GeV/c, 1 Tm field)
- low material budget



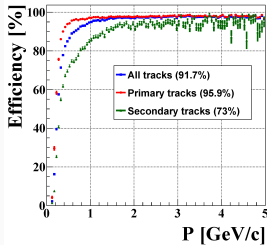
# Silicon Tracking System



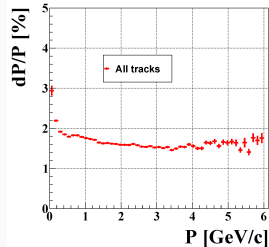
## STS design

- 8 tracking station
- geometrical acceptance:  $2.5^\circ \leq \theta \leq 25^\circ$ ,  $0.3\text{m} \leq z \leq 1.0\text{m}$
- material budget 0.3% – 1%  $X_0$  per station
- double-sided silicon microstrip sensors, spatial hit resolution  $\simeq 25\mu\text{m}$

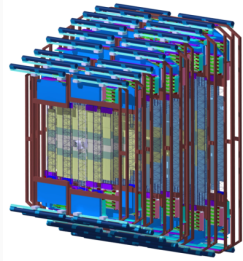
## Track reconstruction efficiency



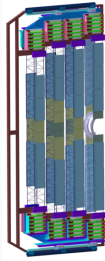
## Momentum resolution



# STS integration concept



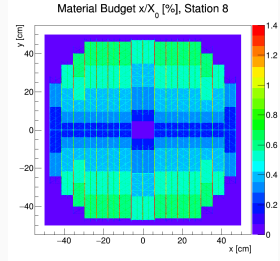
8 tracking station



mechanical unit



ladder

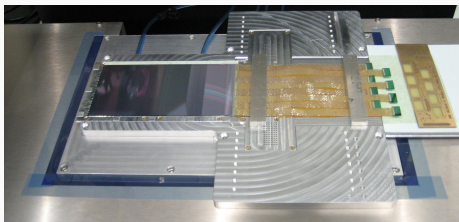


## 896 detector modules including:

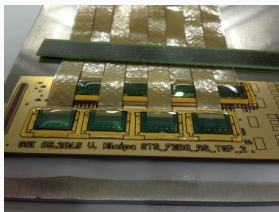
- ~ 900 double-sided microstrip sensors
- ~ 1.8M readout channels
- ~ 14000 readout chips and ultra-thin readout cable stacks

# Detector module assembly

12 cm sensor in bonding fixture



chip cables with STS-XYTER ASICs in front-end board

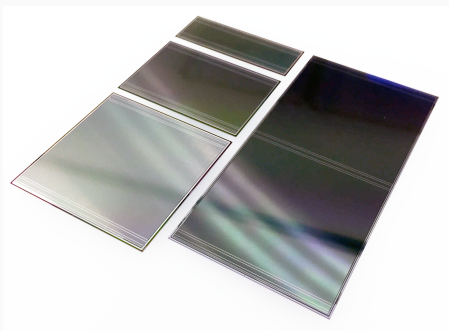
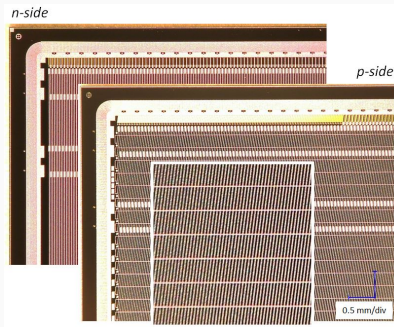


assembled dummy module



- 4-5 modules per ladder
- 32 tab bonded cables
- 16 chips, 8/side

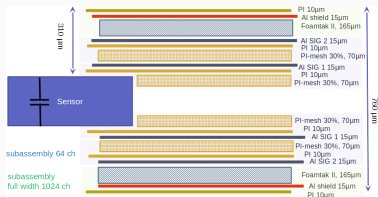
# Silicon microstrip sensors



- double-sided
- 1024 channels per side
- $58 \mu\text{m}$  pitch
- $300 \mu\text{m}$  thickness
- stereo angle  $7.5^\circ$  (P-Side)
- dimensions:
  - $6 \times 2 \text{ cm}^2$
  - $6 \times 4 \text{ cm}^2$
  - $6 \times 6 \text{ cm}^2$
  - $6 \times 12 \text{ cm}^2$
- 2nd metallization to interconnect short corner strips

# Ultrathin microcables

## Schematic side view of the microcable stack for one CBM module



## Microcables in electronic box



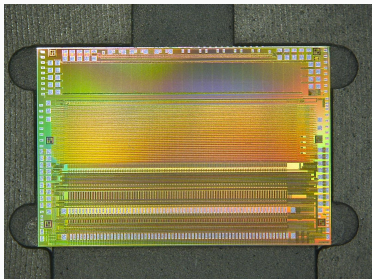
signal layer: 64 Al lines of 116 $\mu\text{m}$  pitch, 10 $\mu\text{m}$  thick on 14 $\mu\text{m}$  polyimide

## Microcable demonstrator, length 60 cm. Top view

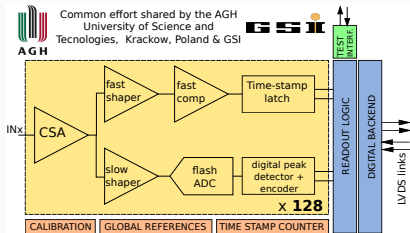


Material budget per cable stack: 0.228 $X_0$  (equivalent to 213 $\mu\text{m}$  Si)

# Front-End Electronics. STS-XYTER ASIC



channels	128, polarity +/-
ADC range	16 fC, 5 bit
power	< 10 mW/channel
timestamp	< 5 ns resolution
out interface	up to 5 x 320 Mbit/s LVDS
STS-XYTER v2	Sept. 2016



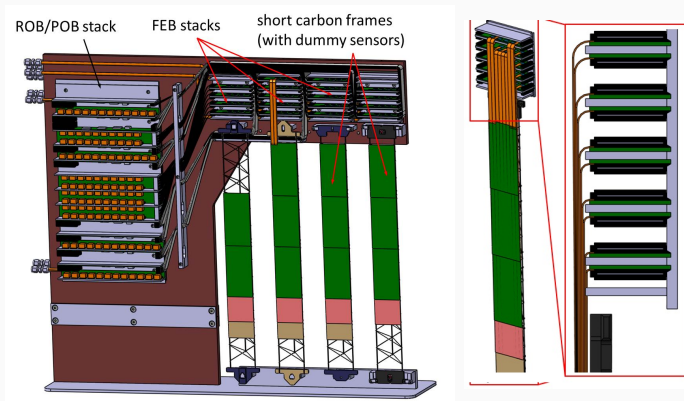
- data driven architecture
- fast branch: time-stamp
- slow branch: signal digitization
- double-threshold discrimination: time stamp is vetoed if ADC produced no signal

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Test of the STS-XYTER v.2 frontend ASIC for the CBM Silicon Tracking System

Adrian Rodriguez Rodriguez, Frankfurt University

## Quarter-unit demonstrator



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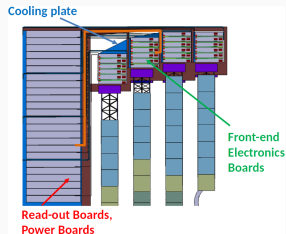
Progress with System Integration of the CBM Silicon Tracking Detector

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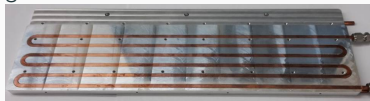
# Detector integration. Cooling

Bi-phase CO<sub>2</sub> cooling  
STS electronics total power  
dissipation: 42 kW

TRACI XL: 1 kW cooling prototype



Prototype of cooling plate with integrated channels



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Investigation of CO<sub>2</sub>-based Cooling for the CBM Silicon Tracking System  
Kshitij Agarwal, Tübingen University



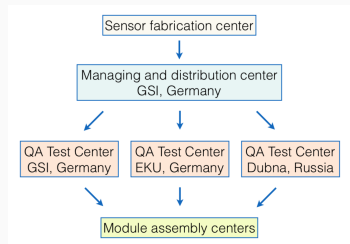
# Quality Assurance

- Sensors
  - Visual inspection
  - Bulk properties tests: IV, CV
  - Strips quality tests:
    - pinhole test
    - strip leakage current
    - coupling capacitance
- Ultrathin microcables
- Front-End Electronics

## Two QA centers in Germany

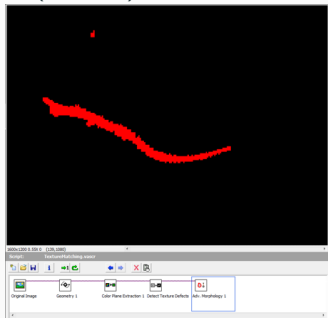
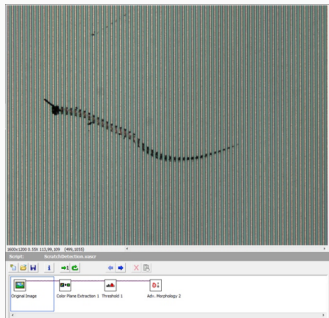
- GSI, Darmstadt
- Tübingen University

Positioning of the test needles on probe station for automatized strip test



# Quality Assurance. Visual inspection

Example detection of a scratch as seen in direct light source on  
CBM06 sensor (N-Side)

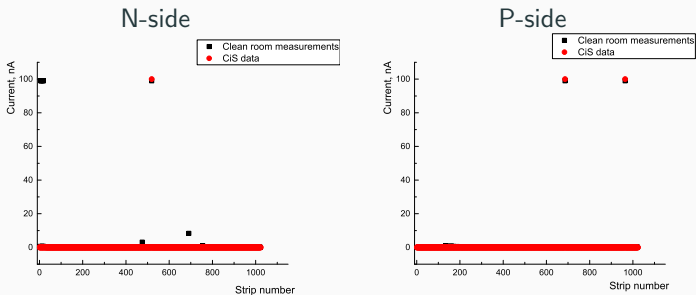


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Optical quality assurance procedures for the sensors of the CBM Silicon Tracking System  
Evgeny Lavrik, Tübingen University

# Quality Assurance. Electrical inspection

Example of comparison of the pinhole tests with vendor information for the latest prototype sensor CBM06



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Electrical quality assurance of silicon microstrip sensors for the CBM experiment  
Iaroslav Panasenکو, Tübingen University

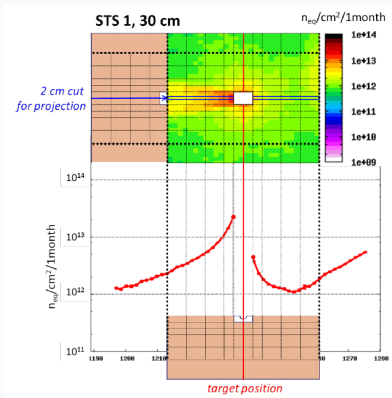
# Quality Assurance. Database

## Web-interface of STS QA database

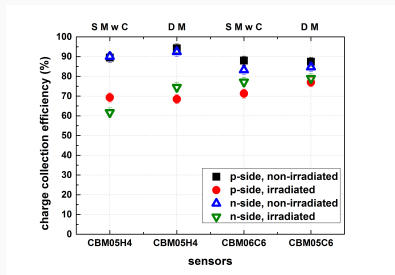


# Prototype test. Radiation tolerance

FLUKA calculation of non-ionizing dose for 35 A GeV Au+Au collisions at SIS300



Charge collection efficiency results after irradiation up to  $2 \times 10^{14} n_{eq}/cm^2$

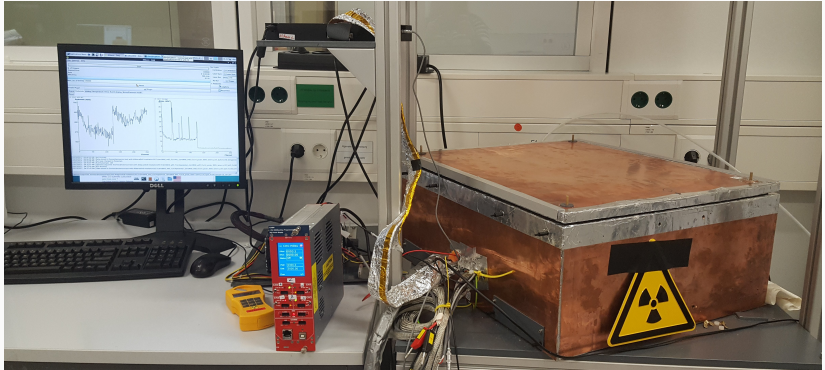


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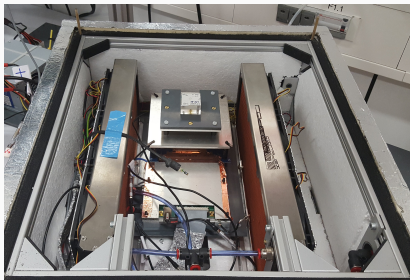
Studies of radiation field impact on microstrip sensors for the CBM Silicon Tracking System  
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# Prototype test

Test setup in the laboratory



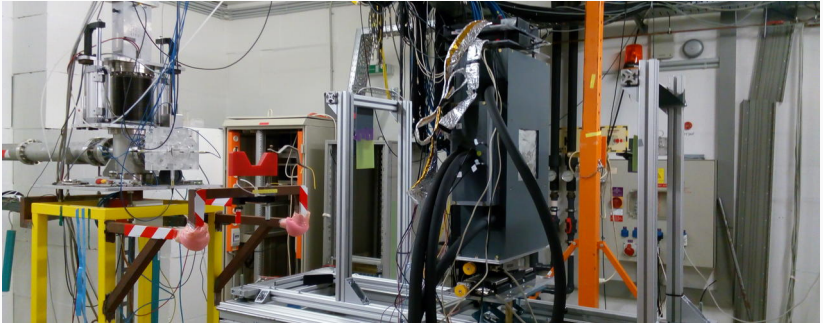
## Test setup in the laboratory



- ALIBAVA readout system
- Thermal enclosure with forced convection
- Plastic scintillator underneath
- $^{90}\text{Sr}$  radioactive source

# Prototype test

## Test setup of last in beam test at COSY



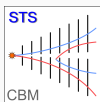
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Proton beam tests of silicon microstrip sensors for the CBM experiment  
Maksym Teklishyn, FAIR, Darmstadt



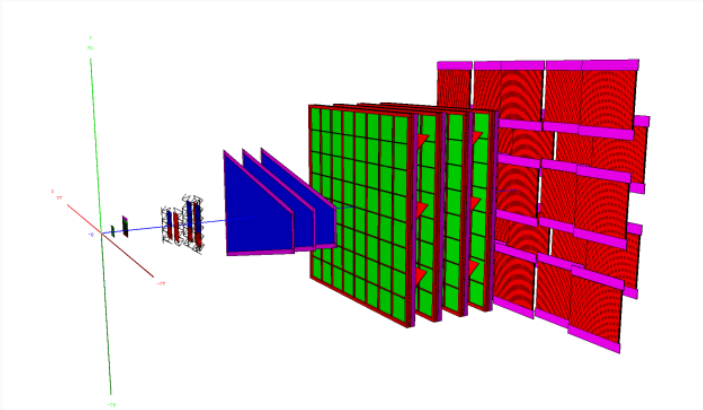
# Conclusion

- STS concept has been developed.
- Building blocks are well defined.
- Components in preproduction phase:
  - sensors
  - microcables
  - front-end electronics
- Demonstrators to be delivered:
  - quater-unit
  - cooling prototype
- Development for the QA procedure are well defined.
- Production readiness toward 2018
- Installation in the cave in 2021.



# Outlook

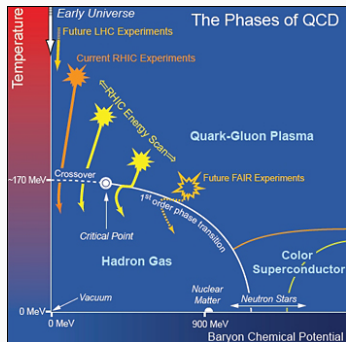
mCBM setup will be assembled in Cave C at GSI by the end of 2018.



# STS related contributions @ DPG

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HK 27.71 Di 16:45	Investigation of CO <sub>2</sub> -based Cooling for the CBM Silicon Tracking System
HK 27.24 Di 16:45	Track-based Misalignment Corrections for the CBM Silicon Tracking Detector
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# QGP phase diagram



- Nuclear matter formation at high baryon density and temperature
- Models predict 1<sup>st</sup> order phase transition with formation of mixed and exotic phases
- Existence of critical end-point

## Experiments:

BES at RHIC, NA61 at CERN SPS,  
NICA at JINR and CBM at FAIR