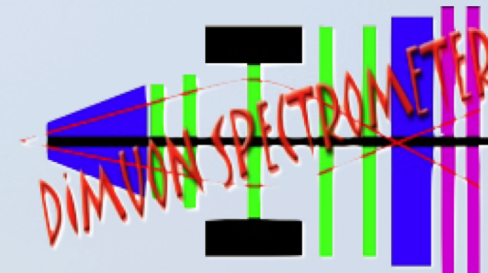




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ALICE MUON Project

Studying Quark Gluon Plasma

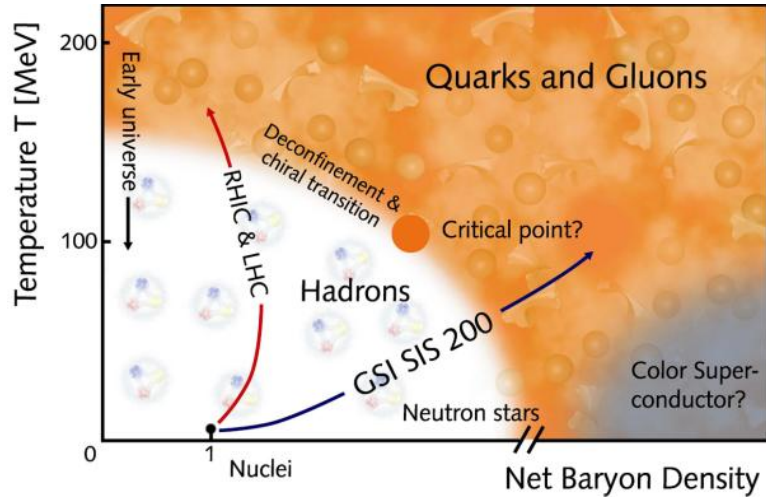
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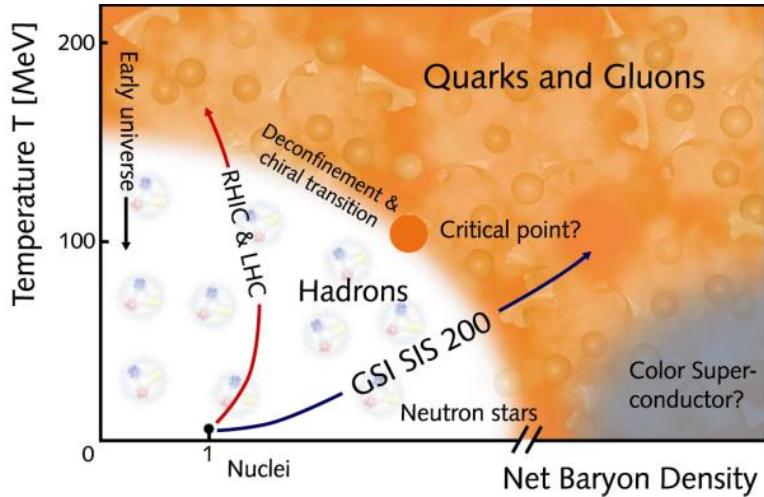
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Heavy Quarks (c + b)

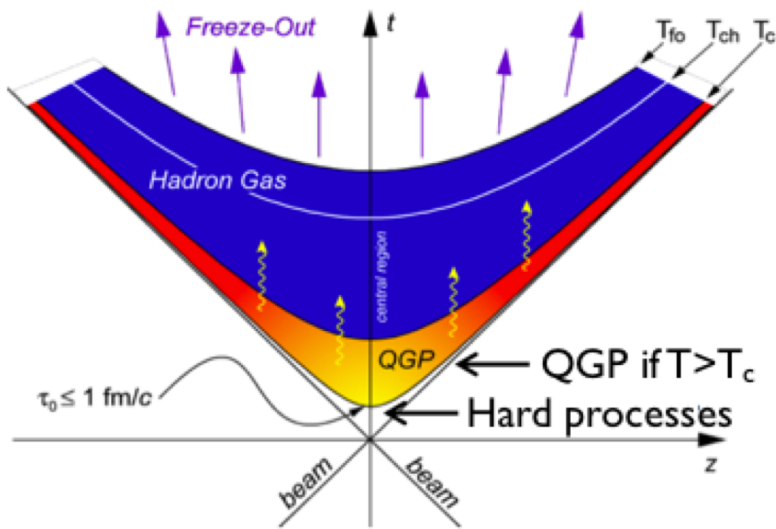
Created at the early stage of the collision: 0.1 fm/c compared to 10 fm/c of QGP lifetime \Rightarrow Experience full history of collision

Quarkonia (J/ψ and Υ families) sensitive to energy density/temperature

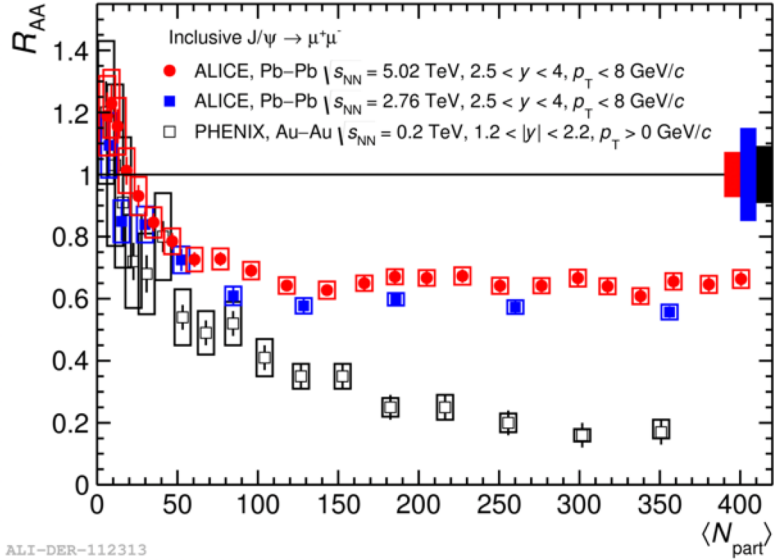
\Rightarrow Quarkonia « melted » in the QGP \Rightarrow decrease of production rate

Energy loss of Heavy Quarks depends on medium density

\Rightarrow Measurement of Open Heavy Flavors (D & B)



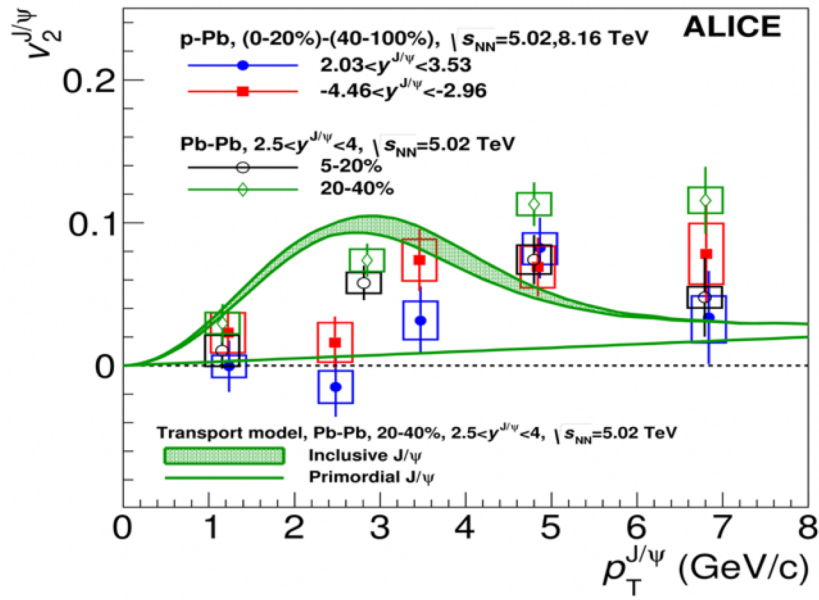
Main results from run 1+2 (selection)



$$R_{AA} = \frac{Y^{PbPb}}{\langle N_{coll} \rangle Y^{pp}} \quad \begin{array}{l} R_{AA} = 1 \text{ (PbPb overlap of pp)} \\ R_{AA} \neq 1 \text{ (PbPb} \neq \text{pp)} \end{array}$$

J/ψ less suppressed at the LHC than the RHIC for higher centrality

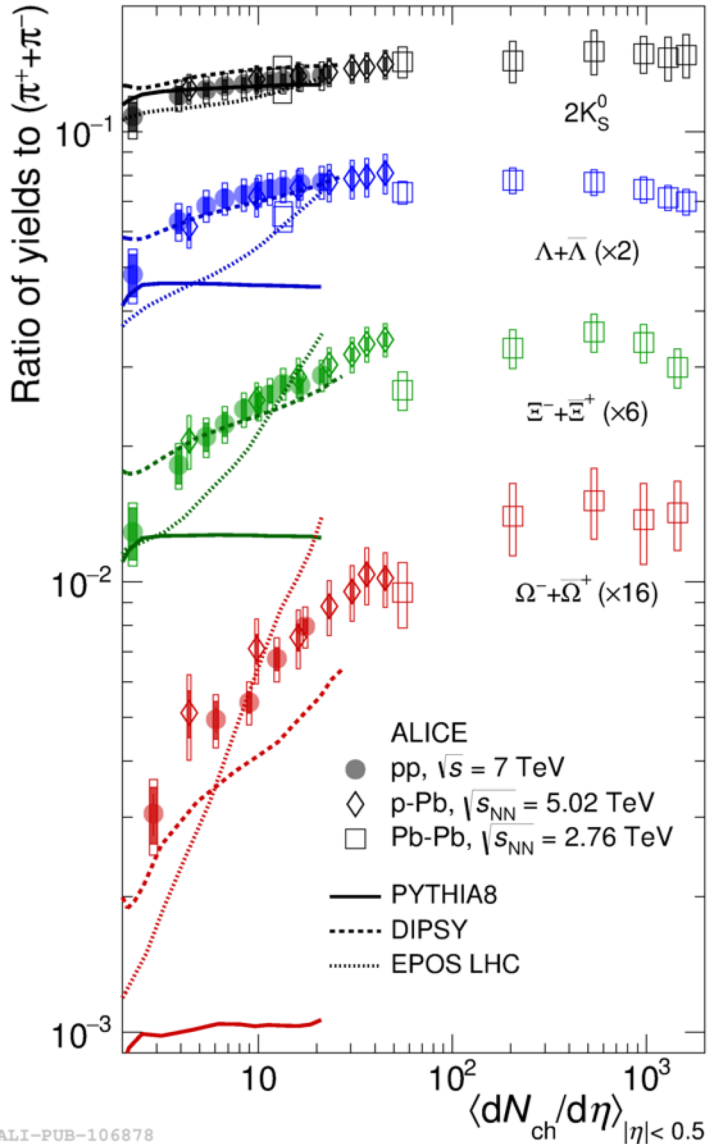
Contribution from J/ψ regeneration at low p_T



$V_2 \simeq$ collectivity

Measurement of J/ψ elliptic flow in p- Pb collisions in two rapidity regions

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Before LHC era

- Pb-Pb : study of the produced QGP
- p-Pb : no QGP ; study of cold nuclear effects
- p-p : no QGP ; reference for all measurements

LHC revealed unexpected features of high-multiplicity events in small systems

- Questioning our understanding of initial vs. final state and emergence of collectivity
- Muon physics already contributes to this open questions

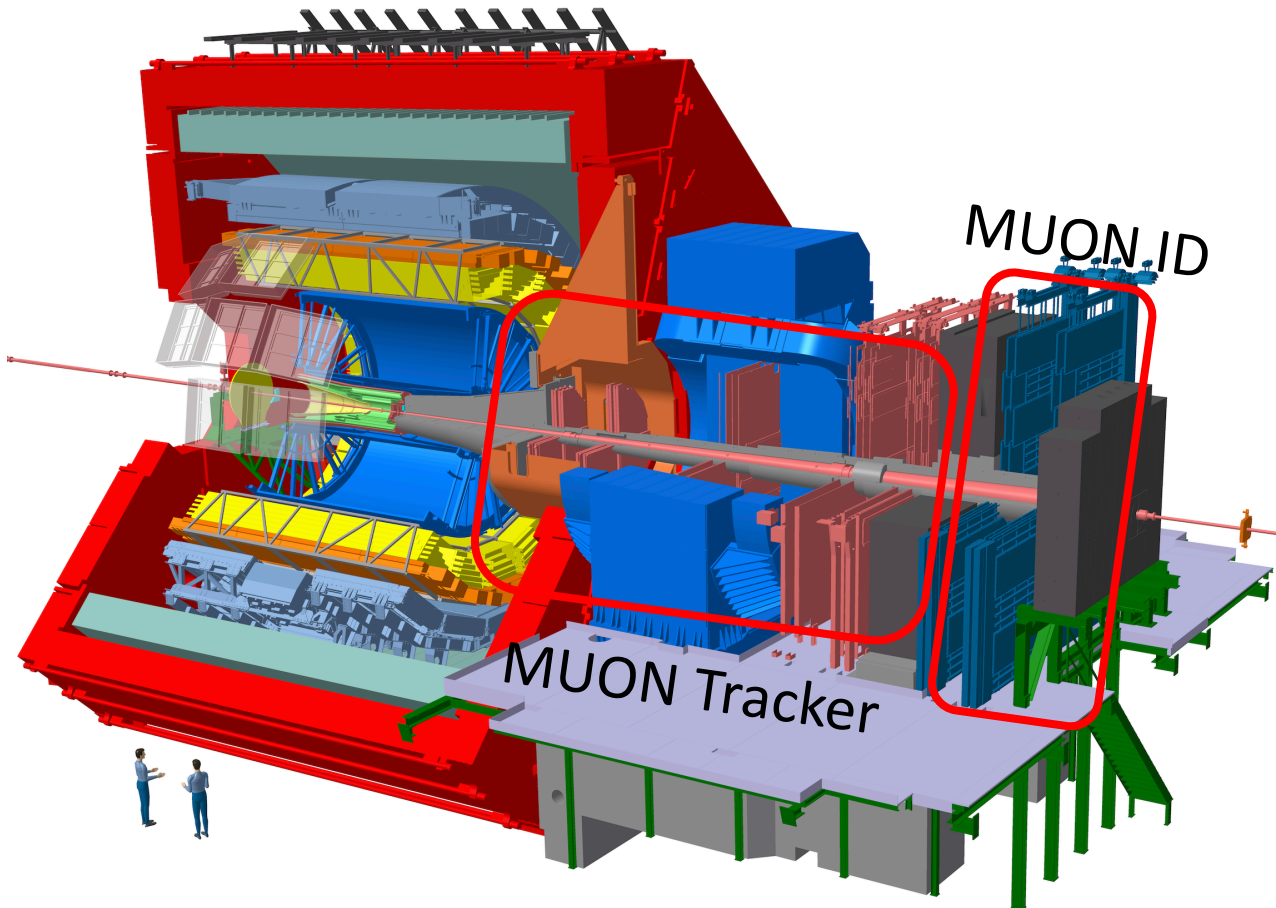
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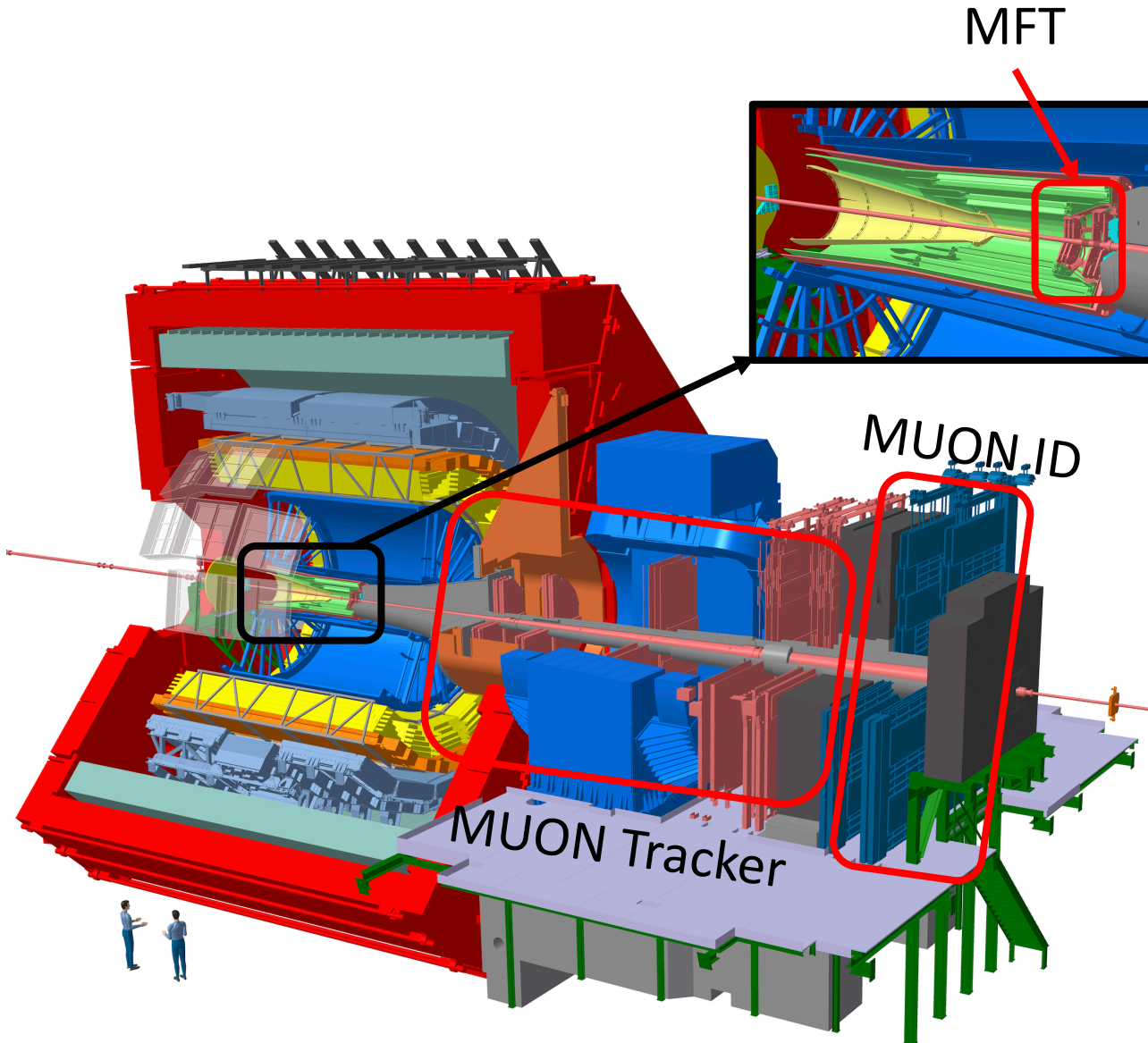
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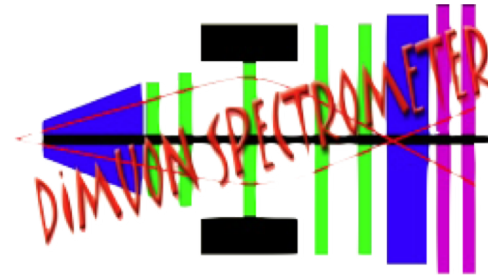
- Adding Vertexer before absorber

⇒ MFT = Muon Forward Tracker

Pixel silicon tracker based on ALPIDE chip from CERN

MUON Spectrometer

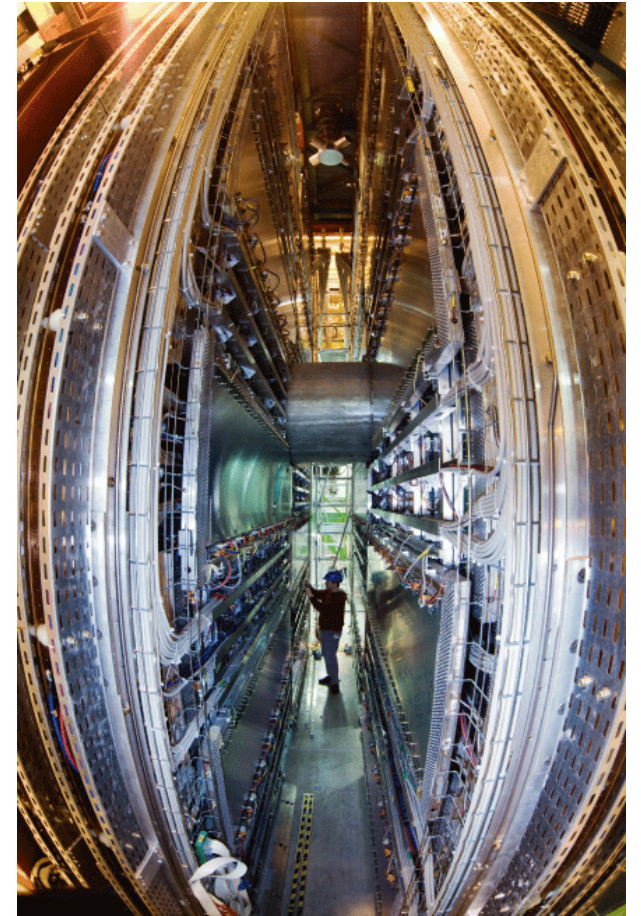
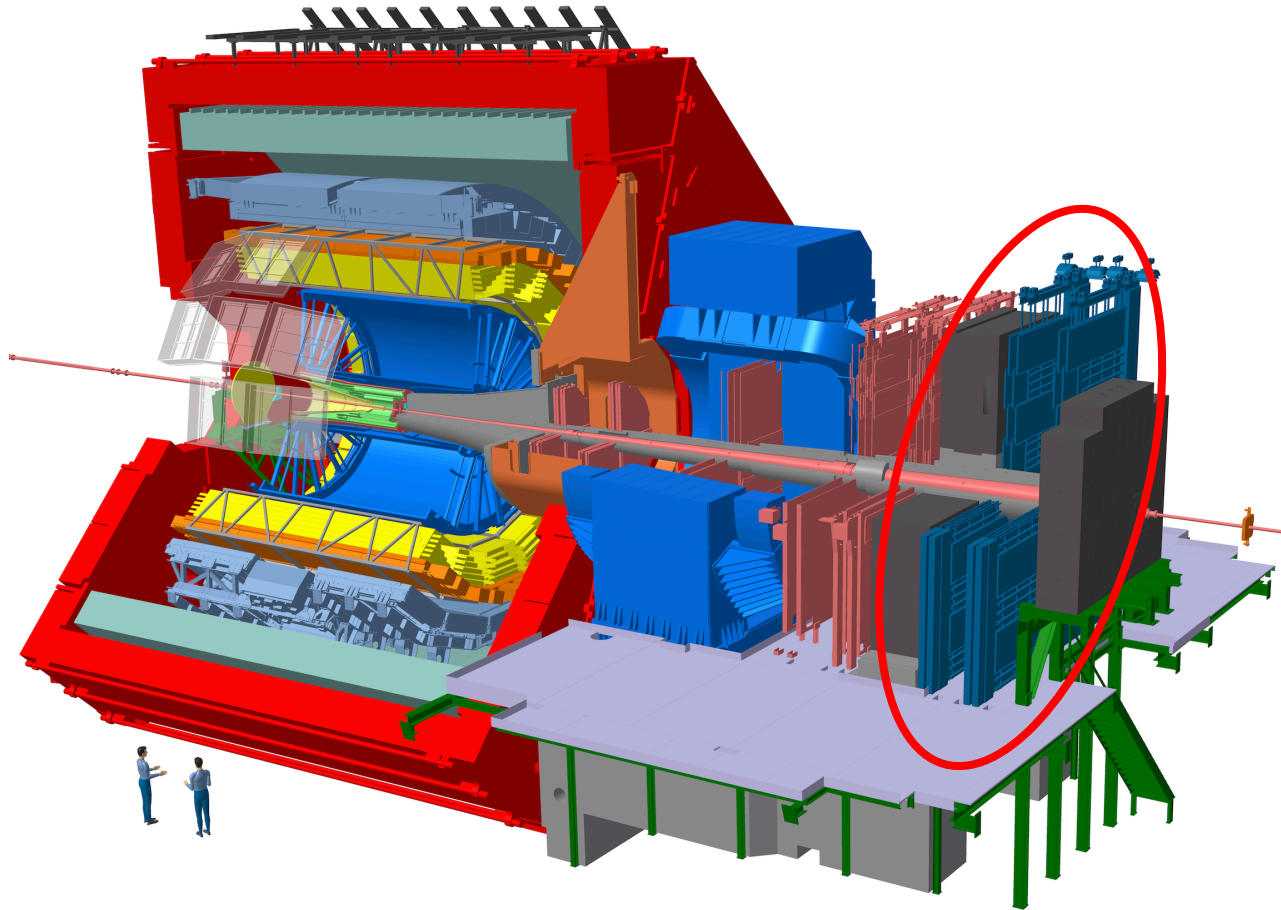
MUON Trigger \rightarrow MUON ID



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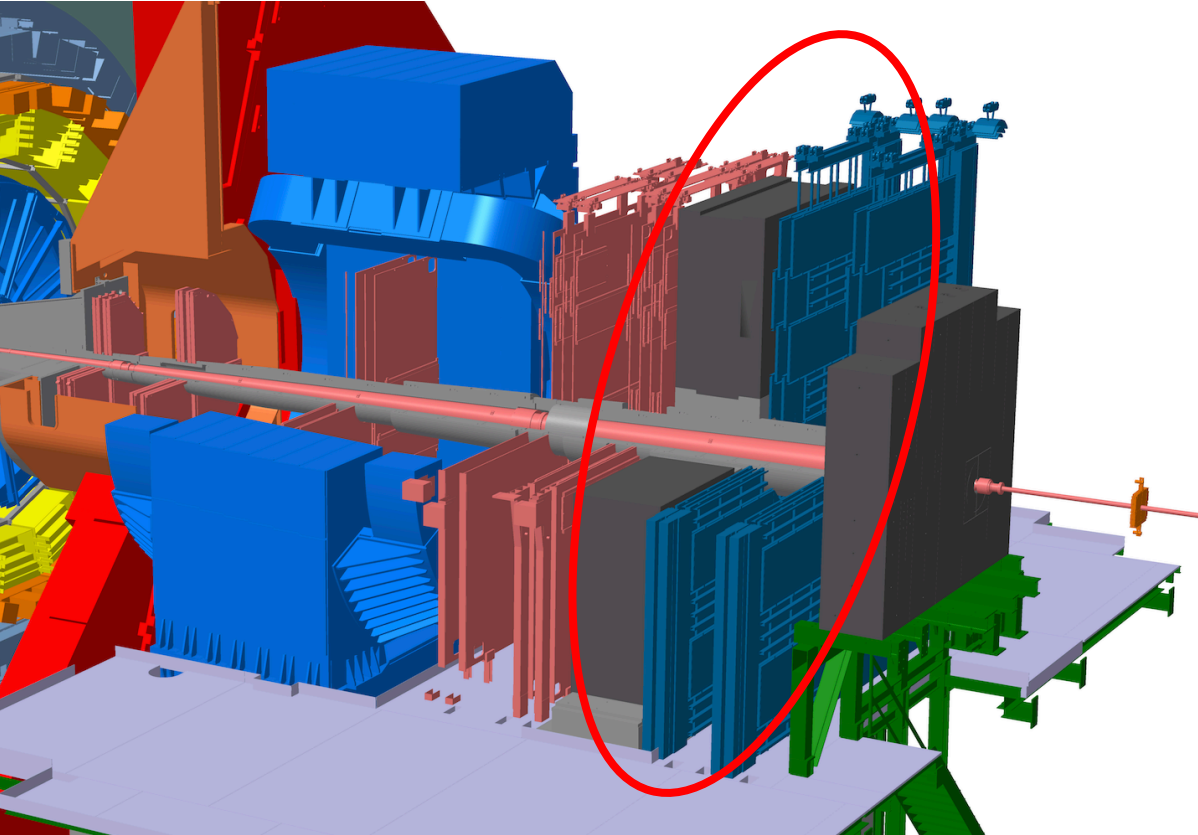
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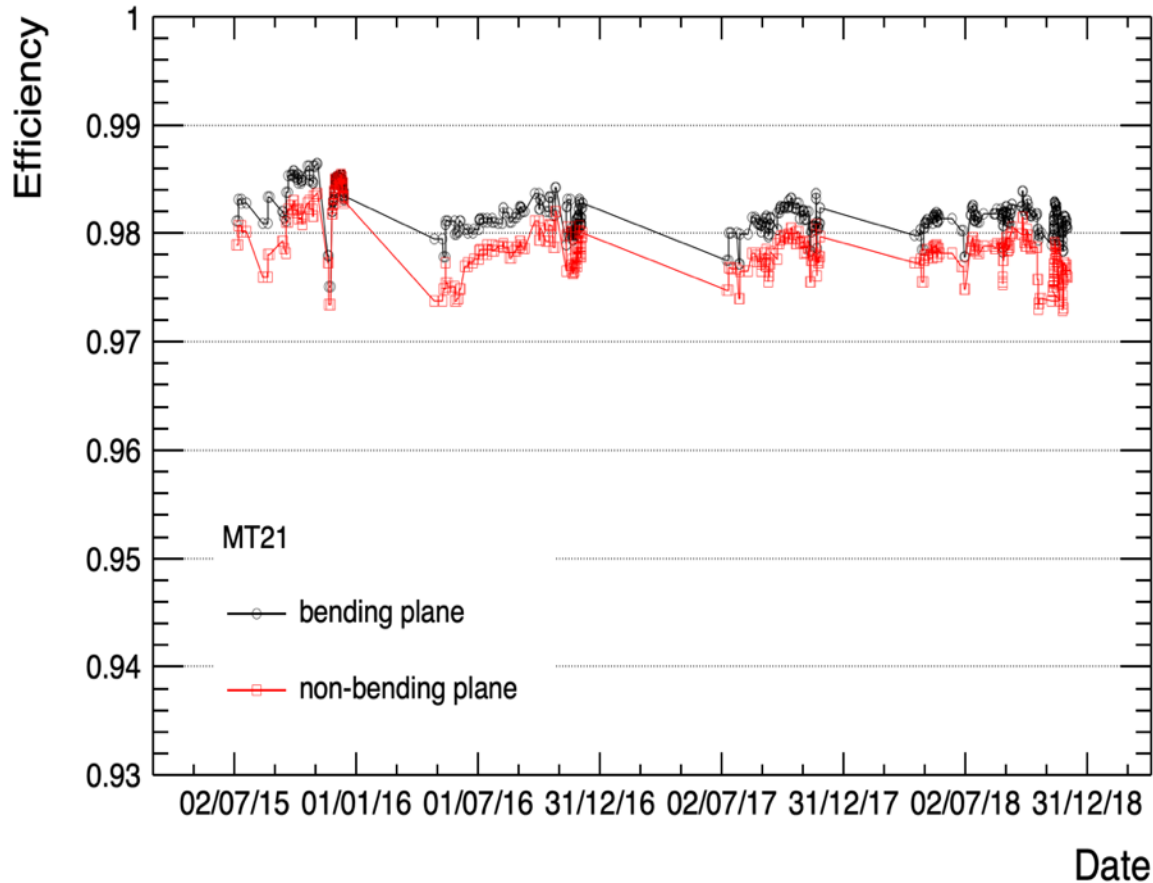


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ALICE in continuous read-out mode from Run 3 and 4

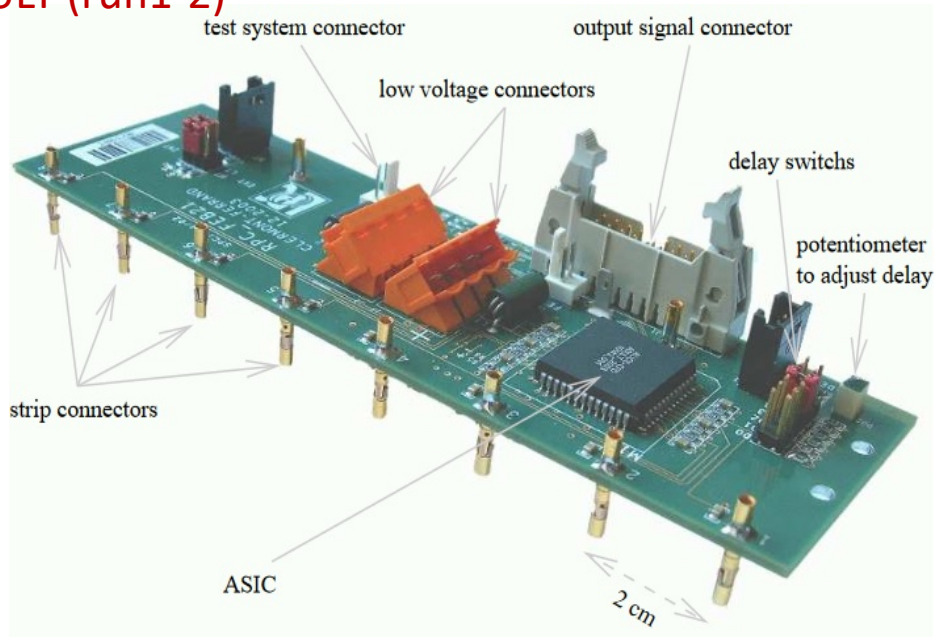
⇒ no more trigger given by muon RPCs

Muon Trigger ⇒ Muon Identifier

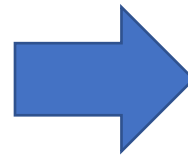
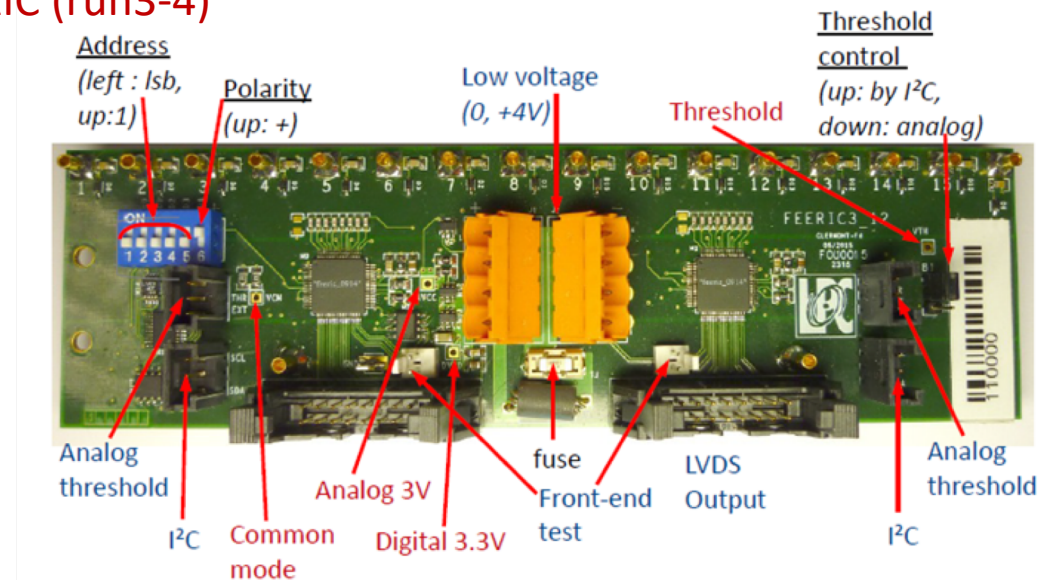
Ageing limitation of RPCs during Run1-2

- Need to decrease HV and add signal amplification to the FEE

ADULT (run1-2)



FEERIC (run3-4)

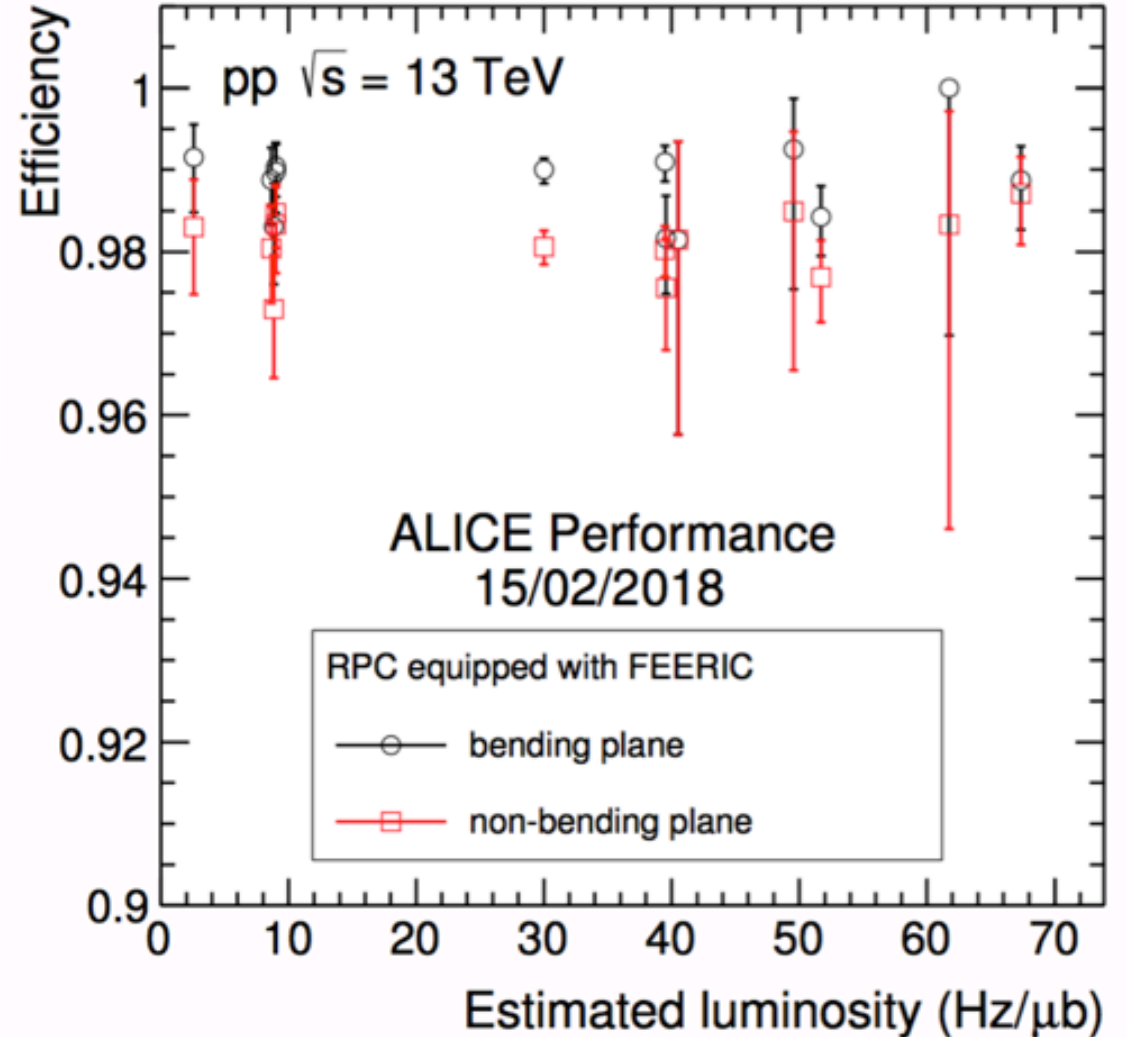


Preparation of Run 3



New FEERIC card installed on 1 RPC during run 2

- Very good efficiency at lower HV



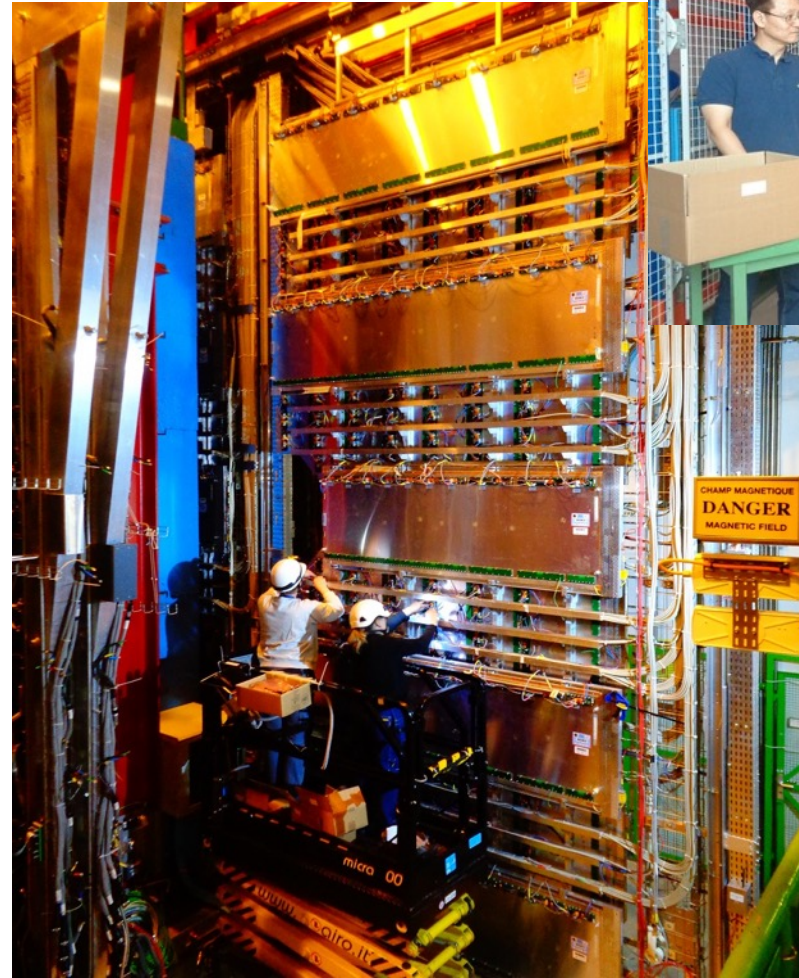
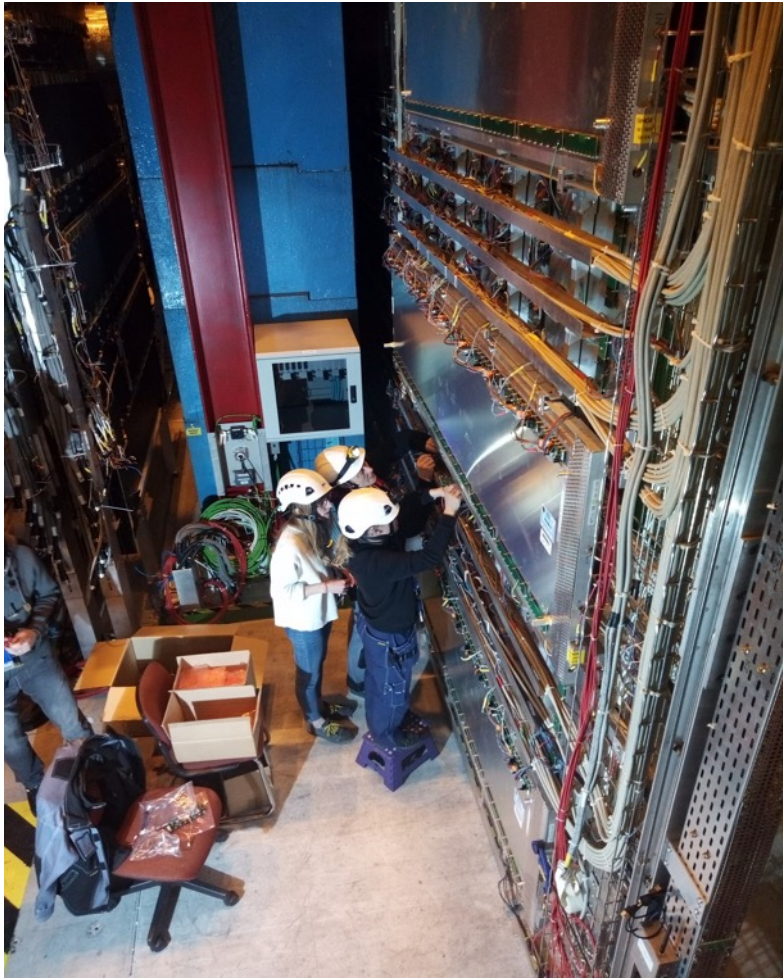
LS2 Activities

FEERIC boards production finished

Installation of 2384 boards on-going



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Installation preparation,
FEERIC conditioning

Muon Forward Tracker

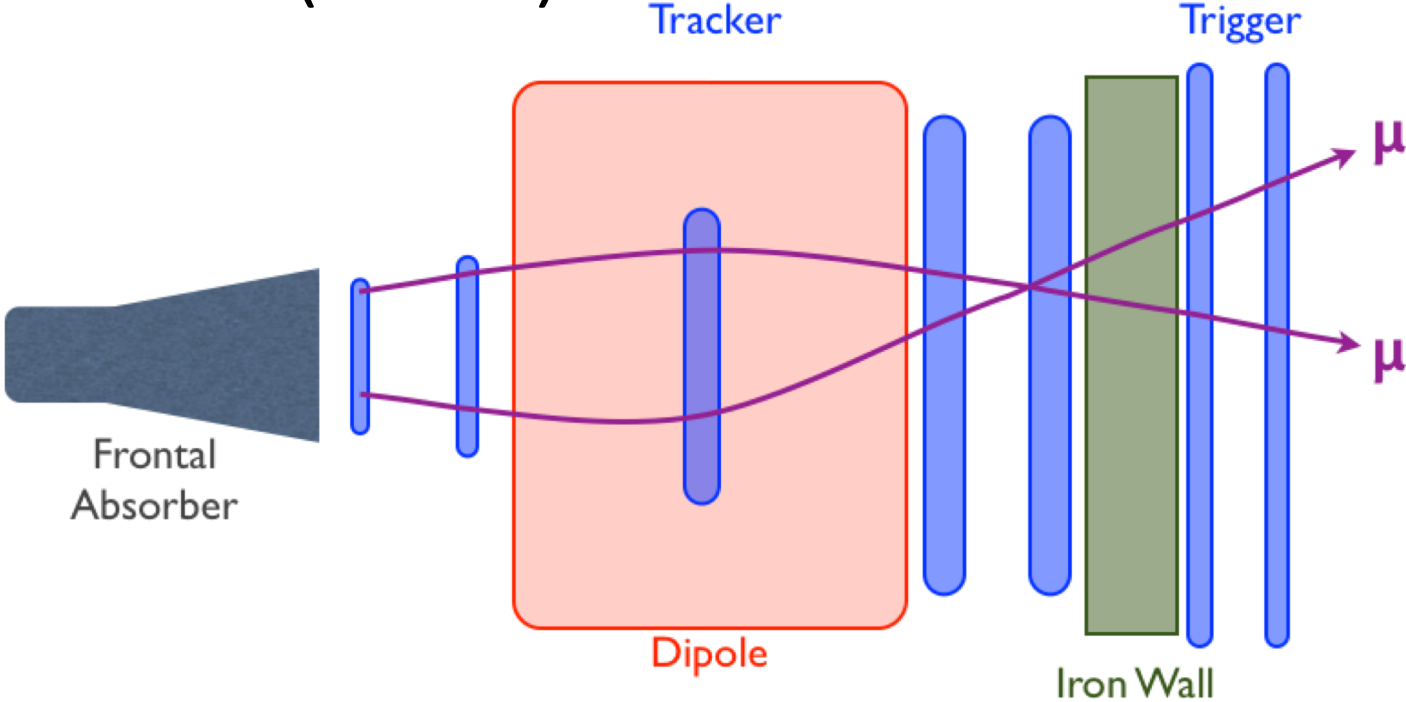
Adding vertexing to the MUON spectrometer



Muon Forward Tracker (MFT)



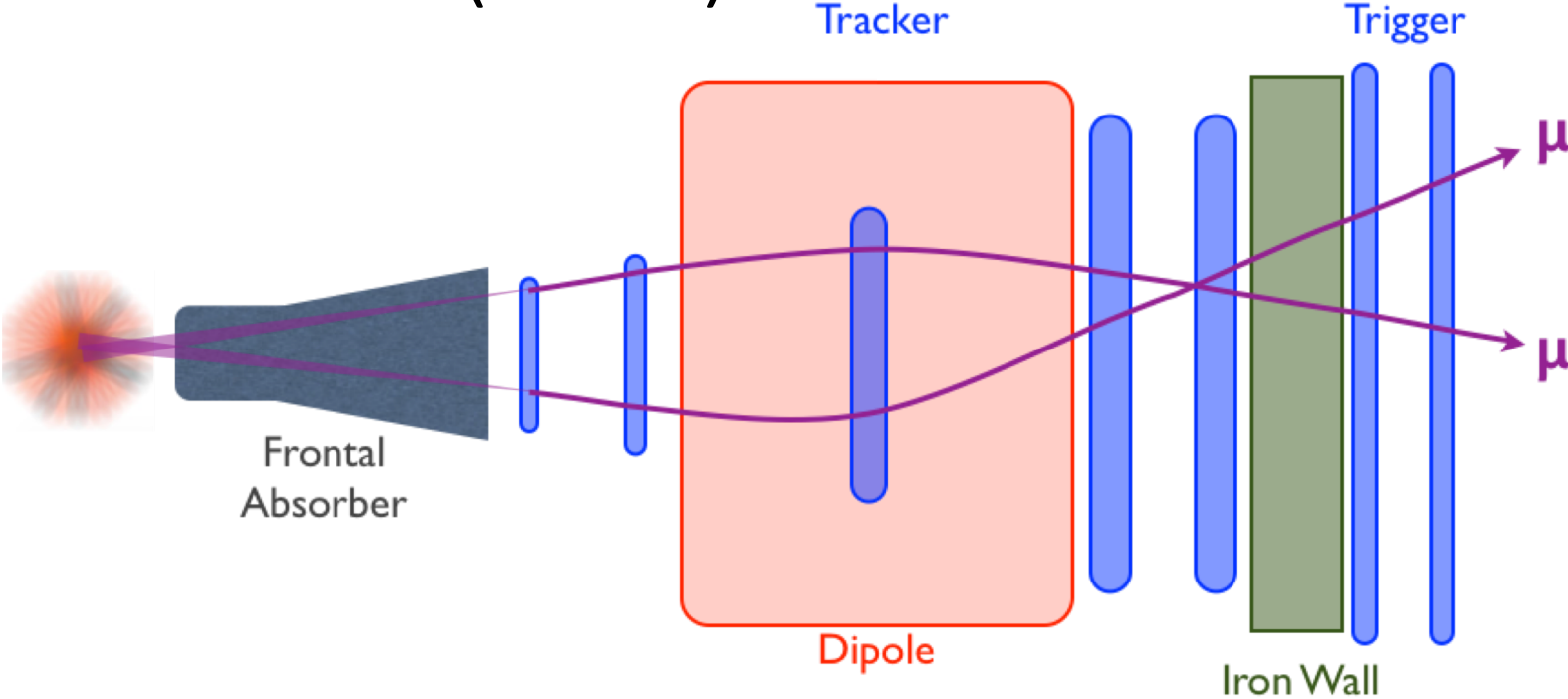
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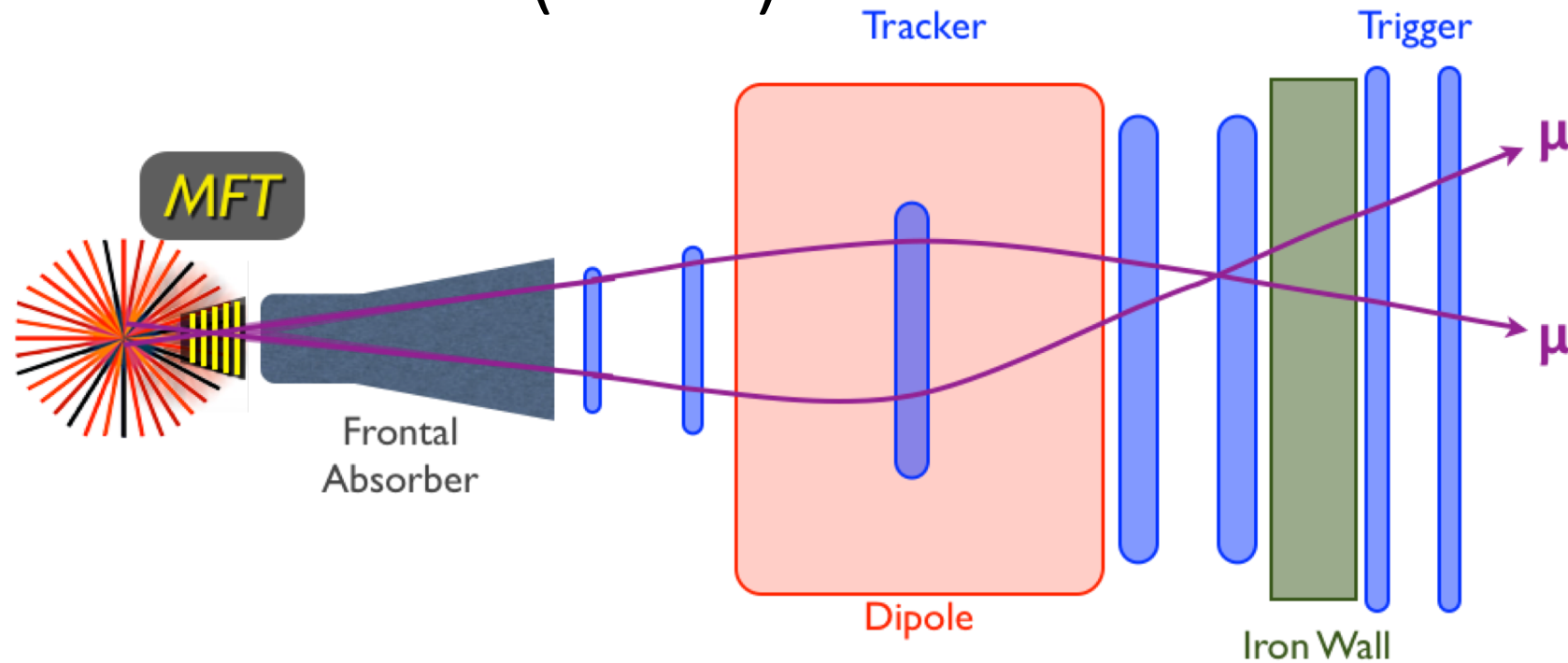
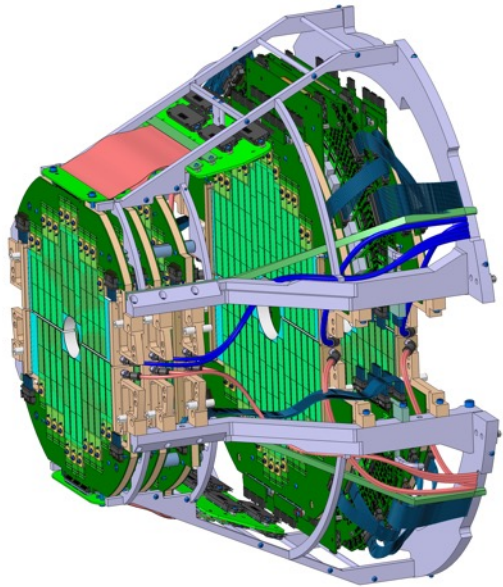
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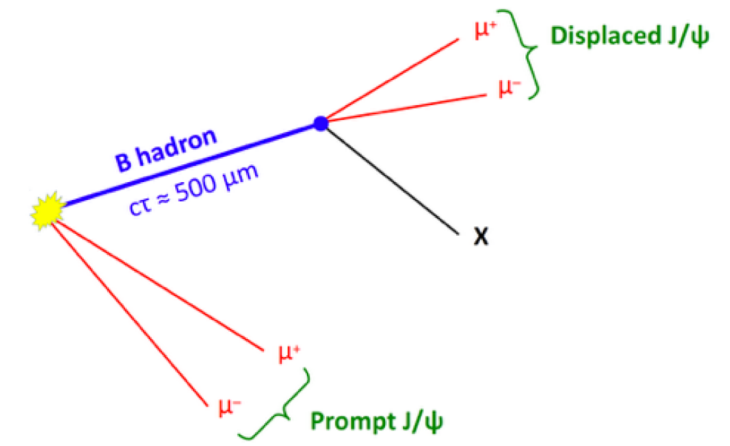


Muon Forward Tracker (MFT)



Silicon pixel telescope in front of the absorber

- Track matching MUON - MFT
- Improvement of pointing accuracy at Interaction Point ($\approx 100\mu\text{m}$)
- Separation of displaced vertices from Beauty/Charm
- Presently, inclusive measurement of J/ψ (B feed-down)



The MFT in a nutshell



936 ALPIDE Silicon pixel sensors (0.4 m^2) on 280 ladders of 2 to 5 sensors

Sensor size = $15 \times 30 \text{ mm}^2$; Pixel pitch = $29 \times 27 \text{ }\mu\text{m}^2$

5 Disks with 2 detection planes each

ALPIDE chips thinned down to $50 \text{ }\mu\text{m}$

x/x_0 per disk = 0.0%

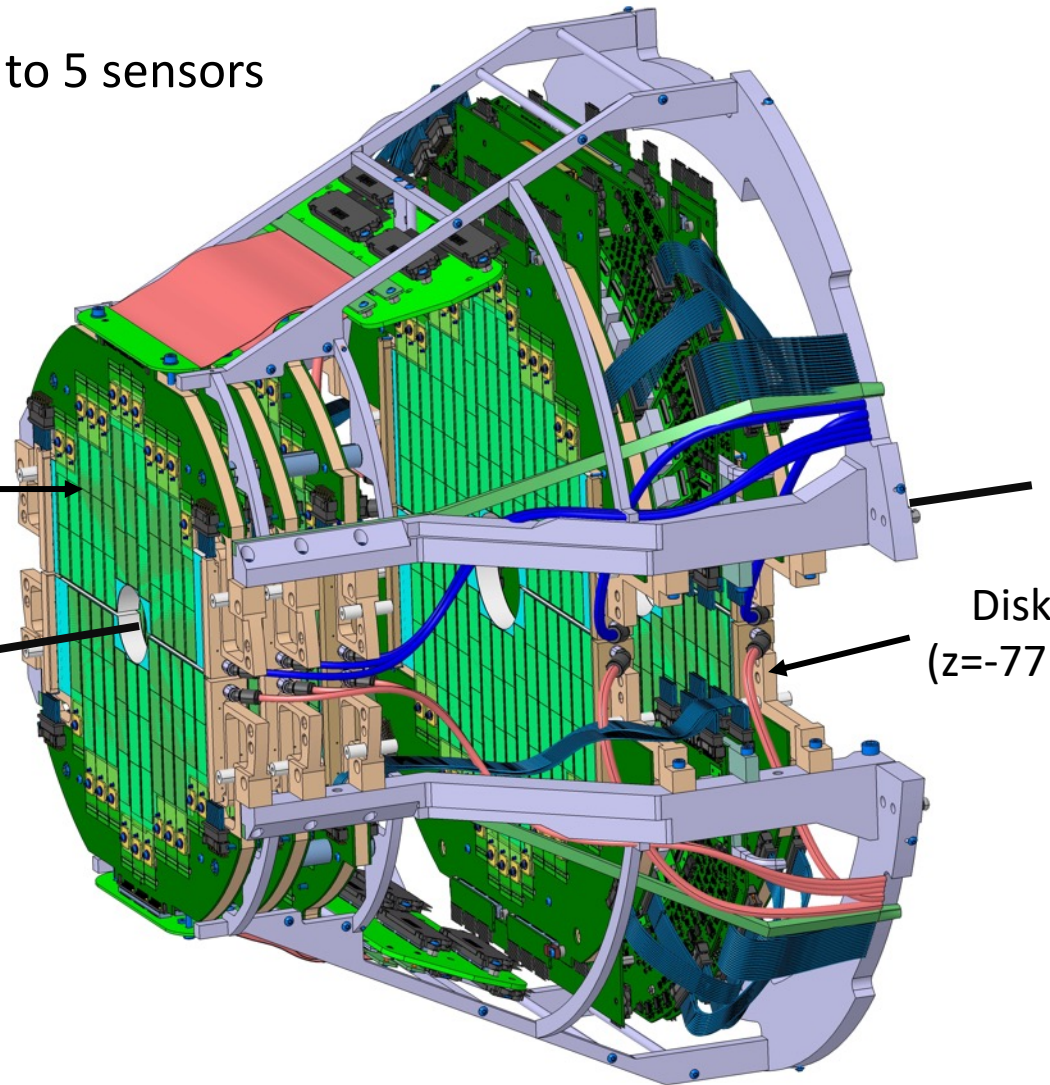
$-3.6 < \eta < -2.45$

$z=0$

IP

Disk 0
($z=-46 \text{ cm}$)

Disk 4
($z=-77 \text{ cm}$)



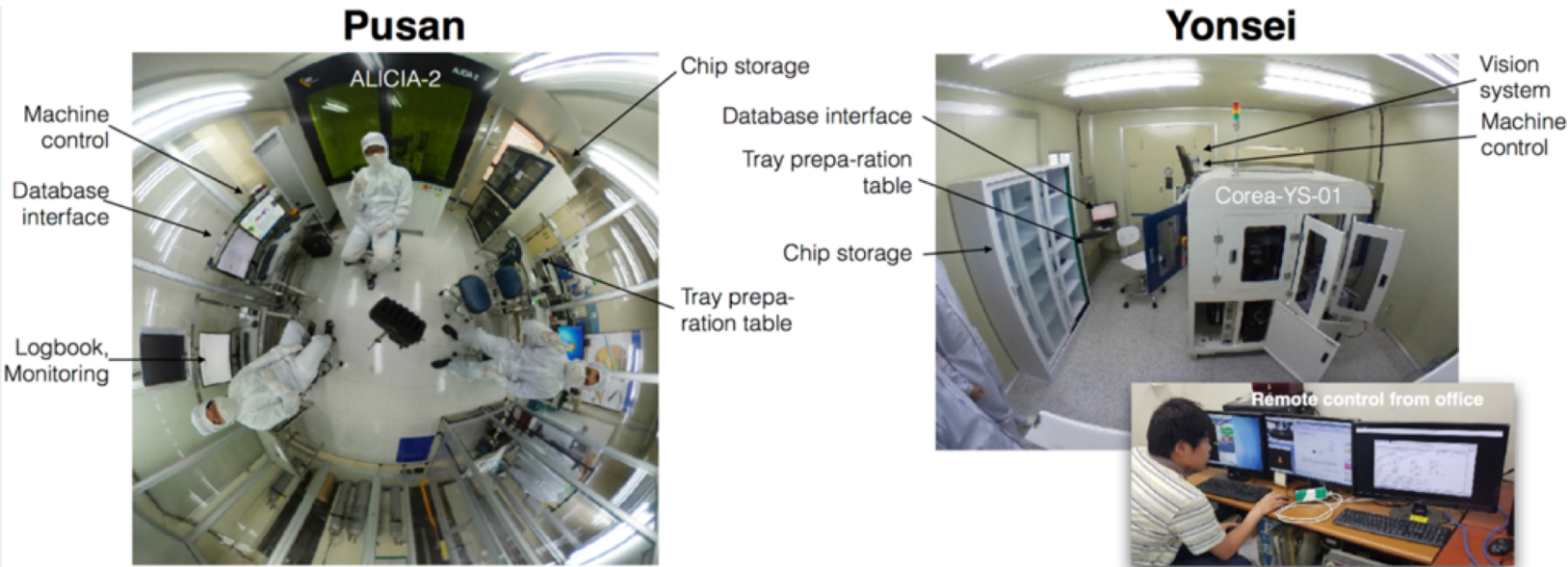
ALPIDE tests and ladder production



Production of probe cards used to test ALPIDE chips

ALPIDE wafers production is finished ; Finalization of Thinning ($50\mu\text{m}$) and dicing in Korea

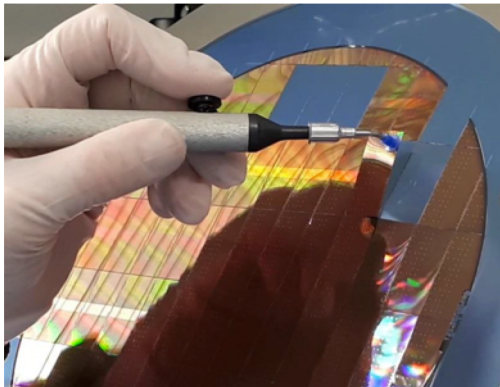
Mass production series test both in Korea and at CERN



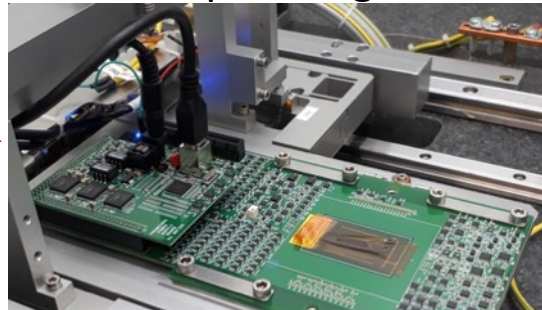
Contribution from Yong Wook Baek to ladder production

MFT production in a nutshell

Chip Picking

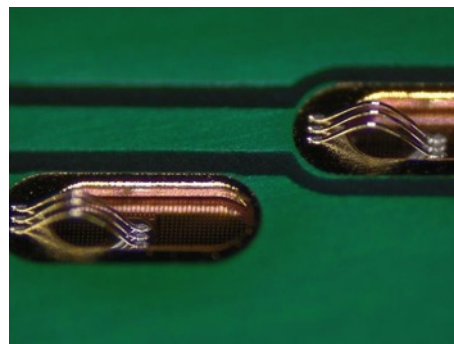


Chip testing

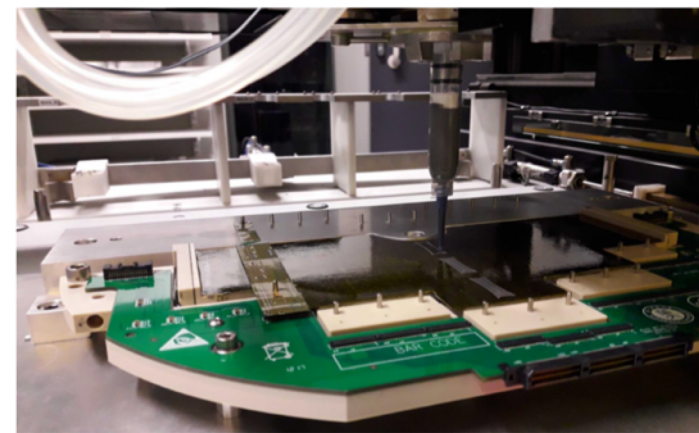


PROBE CARD 검사성적서

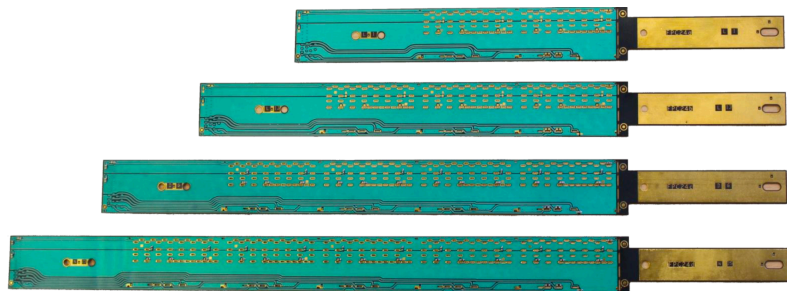
Wire Bonding



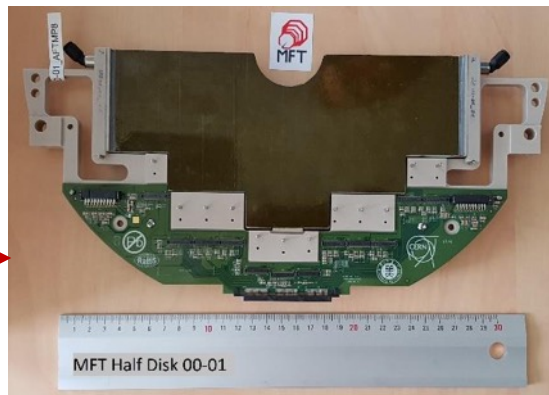
Ladder gluing on the disk



Flexible Printed Circuits



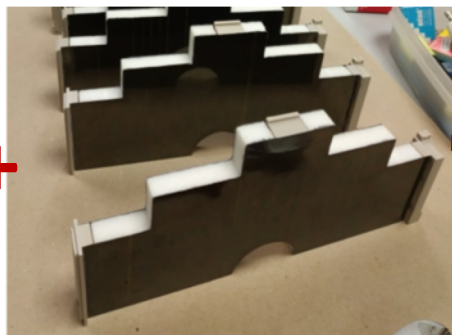
Mechanical disk



Disk support machining



Heat Exchanger



FKPPL contribution to ALICE MUON



Korean Post-doc (Y.-W. Baek) based at CERN

very valuable for the Muon-Trigger operations on-site

Run coordination for Muon (SRC) & detector expertise

Important contribution to the MUON ID FEE installation and upcoming commissioning

Participation of French Researcher to bi-annual ITS-MFT-O2 Asia Workshops

- Hiroshima, Japan June '18 (<https://indico.cern.ch/event/687364/>)
- Incheon, Korea Republic Nov '18 (<https://indico.cern.ch/event/756081/>)

South Korea in charge of the series tests of the ALPIDE

Contribution to set-up the MFT assembly machine at CERN

Inha, Yonsei and Pusan National Universities full member of MFT





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Merci beaucoup

