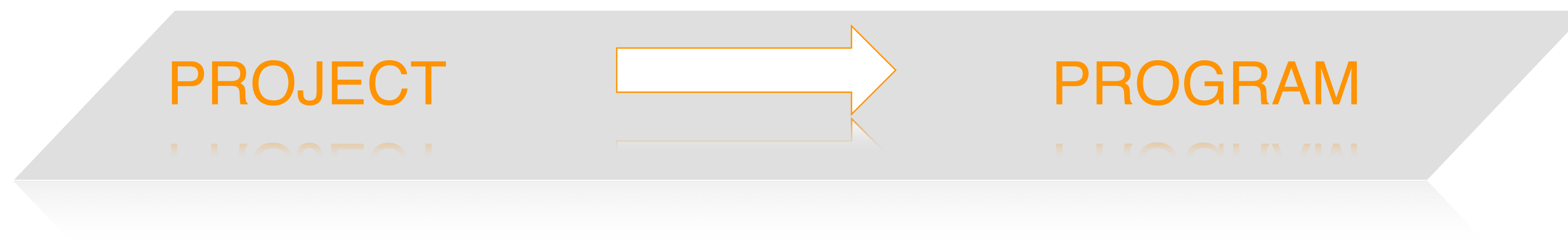


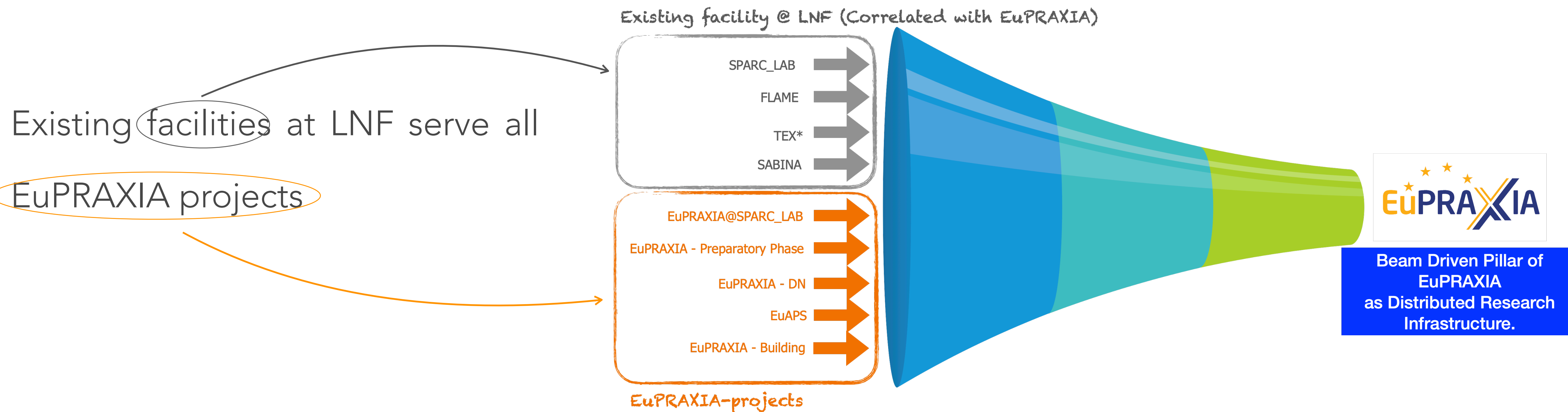
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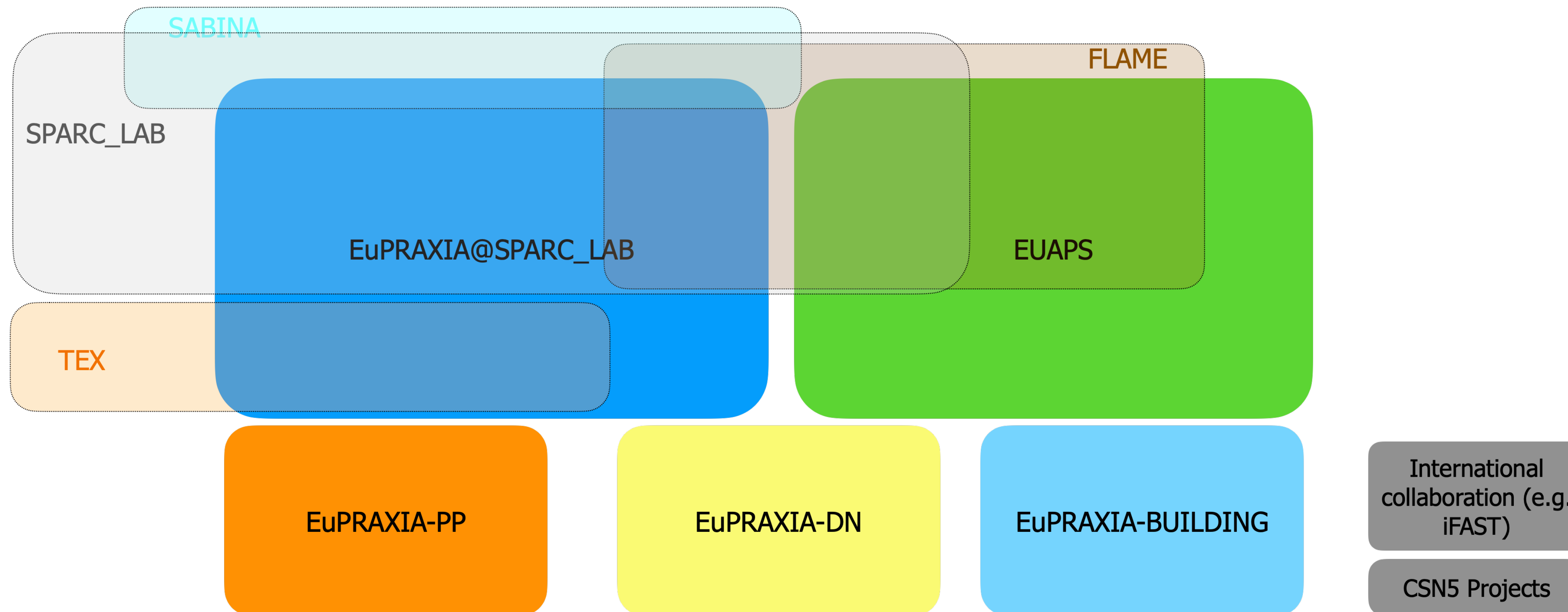
Scientific Committee - 04/05/2023

Antonio Falone
On behalf of the EuPRAXIA Team

EuPRAXIA is naturally evolving from one single project to a program i.e. a set of correlated projects in order to achieve a common goal → Building a Research Infrastructure based on beam driven plasma acceleration and X-Band Linac.

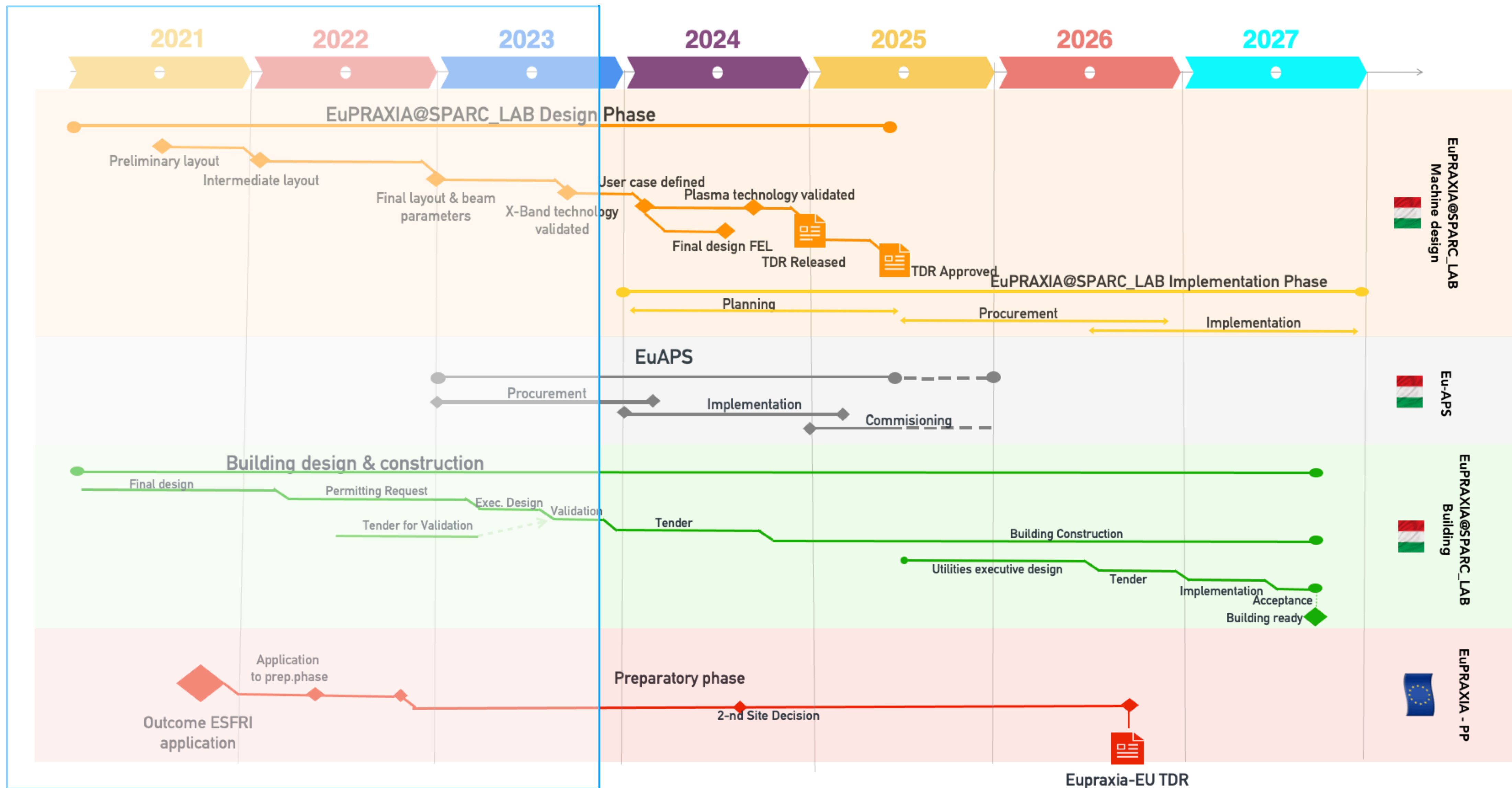






This is just a tentative visualization of the correlation between all EuPRAXIA related activities. The real world is even more complicated, all of them in fact share the same resources and we are not considering here other projects (e.g. STAR, ELI) and of course the activities carried out at the DAFNE Complex (Dafne + Linac + BTF).

	EuPRAXIA@SPARC_LAB	EuPRAXIA Building	EuAPS	EuPRAXIA-Preparatory Phase	EuPRAXIA - Doctoral network
Scope	Redaction of the TDR of the Beam Driven Pillar	Design and construction of the building that will house the facility	Betrone Source High Power Laser High Repetition Rate Laser	Definition and design of EuPRAXIA as distributed RI (legal, governance, financial model)	10 PhD programs across Europe on plasma accelerator science
Duration	TDR is expected at the end of 2025	End of 2027 (approx)	30months (+6) Not later than 31/12/2025	48 months 30/10/2026	48 months 31/12/2026
Budget	9 M€	To be assessed. O(40M€)	22,3 M€	2,7 M€ (+ In kind contribution)	2,5 M€ (+ In kind contribution)
Funding source	Internal funding through GE	Internal funding through GE	PNRR	Horizon Europe	Horizon Europe
R&D required	Yes	NO	Some	NO	NO
Partner	Mainly internal LNF with some partnership with Elettra, ENEA UniTOV, Uniroma1, INFN-MI	Internal LNF	LNF, LNS, INFN-MI (INFN) CNR UniTOV	25 Partner + 9 Associated	23 Partner + 15 Associated

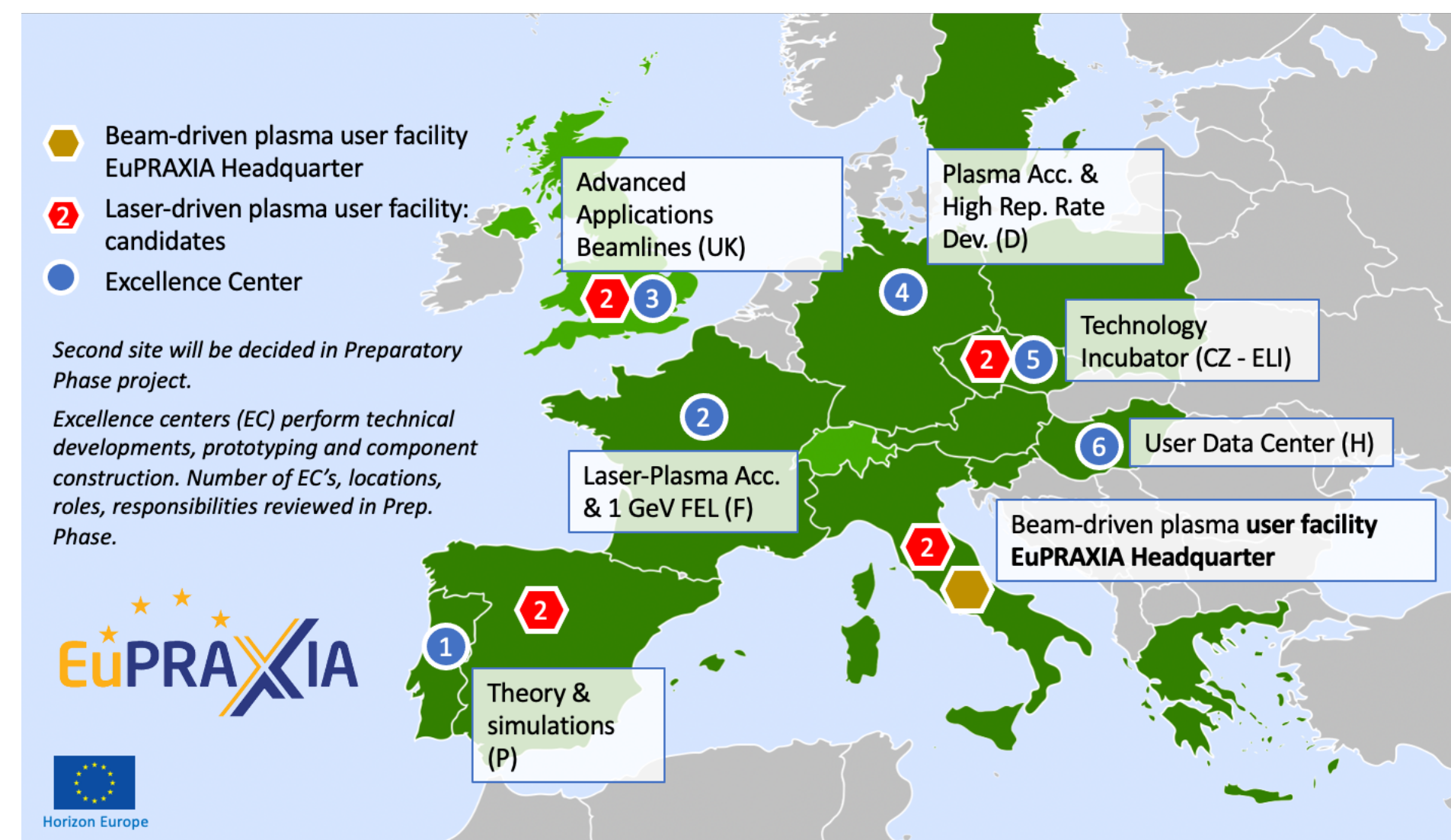


- Status EuPRAXIA Preparatory Phase
- Status EuPRAXIA Building
- Status EuPRAXIA@SPARC_LAB
- Status EuPRAXIA Advanced Photon Sources, EuAPS



- ✓ First year is over → Technical & Financial Reporting is ongoing
- ✓ First batch of M12 deliverables produced on time and uploaded in the portal
- ✓ A number of dedicated workshops and meeting took place during the year, mostly to discuss the future architecture of the EuPRAXIA European Facility.

✓ Survey on possible in-kind contributions has been done.



✓ Discussions on 2nd site decision are ongoing.

✓ So far 4 potential (outstanding candidates):

ELI-ERIC (Cz)
EPAC (UK)
CNR-INO (IT)
CLPU (ES)

✓ A first round of visit and discussion will be finalized at beginning of 2024.

✓ Afterwards requirements will be formalized and a bid-book will be prepared to formalize the commitment.



- Final design finalized
- Formal authorization from permitting authorities received
- Tender for the validation of the executive design issued
- Executive design kick-off meeting on the 18th October 2023.

DONE

- Executive design in progress

On Going

Courtesy S.Incremona, U.Rotundo



MINISTERO DELLE INFRASTRUTTURE E DEI TRASPORTI
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VIA MONZAMBANO, 10 - ROMA

AVVISO

ai sensi dell'art. 29 del D.Lgs. 18 aprile 2016, n. 50

OGGETTO: C. n. 14 - Realizzazione di un nuovo complesso edilizio EuSPARC per ospitare la facility EuPRAXIA presso i Laboratori Nazionali di Frascati INFN.

Amministrazione Proponente: Istituto Nazionale di Fisica Nucleare

Si comunica che ai sensi dell'art. 14-bis comma 5 della L. 241/90 e ss.mm. e ii., è da considerarsi acquisito l'assenso sul progetto in argomento da parte delle Amministrazioni invitate alla Conferenza. Si **DICHIARA**, pertanto, sulla scorta degli atti acquisiti, perfezionata l'intesa per la localizzazione e realizzazione dell'opera indicata in oggetto e, di conseguenza, **AUTORIZZATO** il relativo progetto definitivo.

Gli atti del procedimento sono in visione presso la Segreteria dell'Ufficio Conferenze di Servizi di questo Provveditorato

IL DIRIGENTE

Dott. Ing. Carlo Guglielmi

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Visita del nuovo complesso da Via Isaac Newton



Visita aerea del nuovo complesso dalla parte del nuovo parcheggio



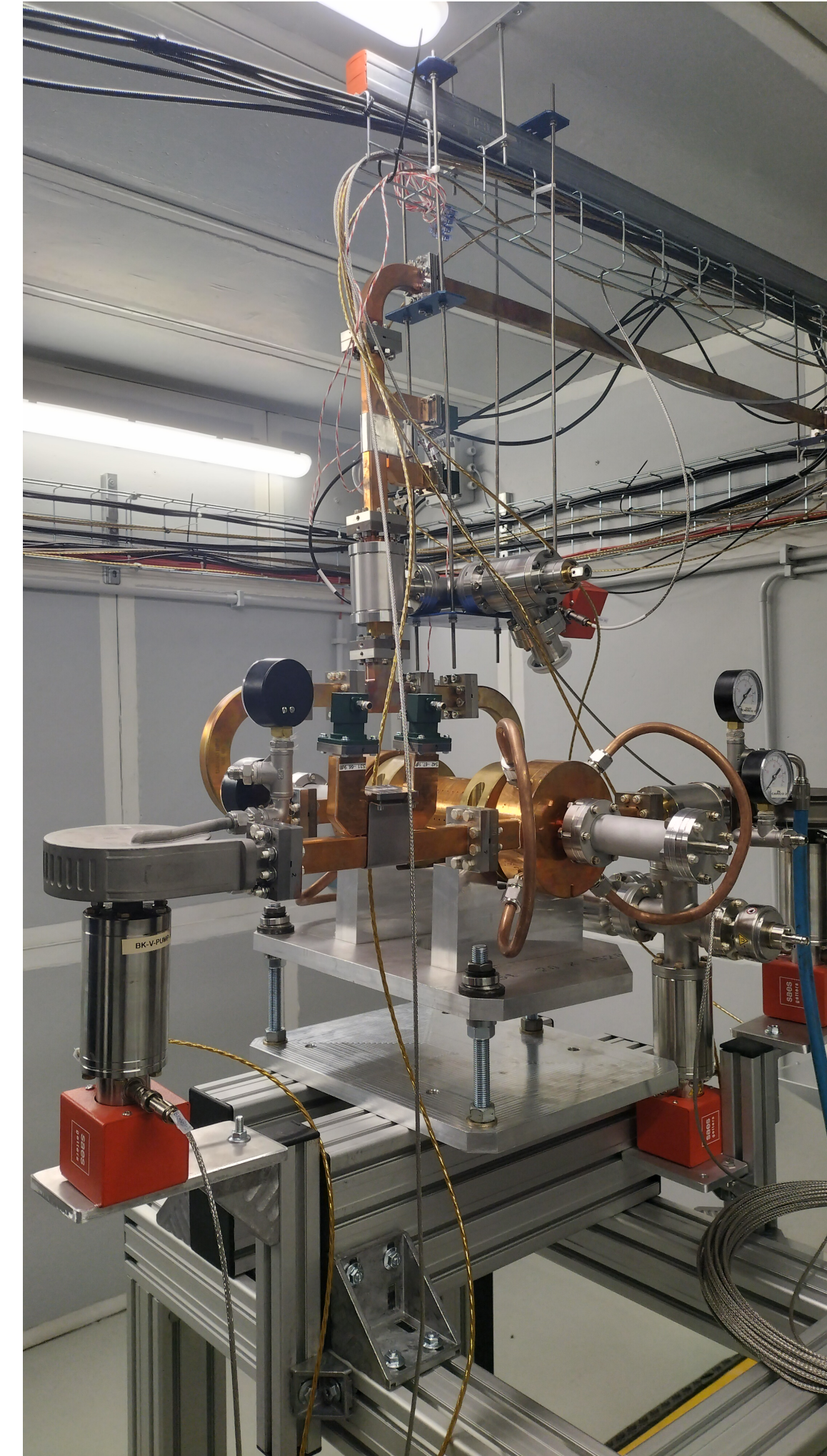
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- ✓ RF design of X-Band waveguide components is completed (e.g. mode converter and pumping port)
- ✓ Procurement High Efficiency High Power CPI Klystron (50MW) – Concluded. Preliminary design review completed (09/23), final design review scheduled on the 25th of November - ON TIME
- ✓ Procurement High Repetition Rate Canon Klystron through Scandinova is almost finished - FAT scheduled on the 14th November 2023.
- ✓ TEX Facility – Operating. Test on CERN/ PSI X-Band section. Test on Circular Waveguide & mode converter.
- ✓ Optimization of the RF Distribution on going (Choice on RF system for linearizer and deflector - dedicated RF station or distributed waveguide system)

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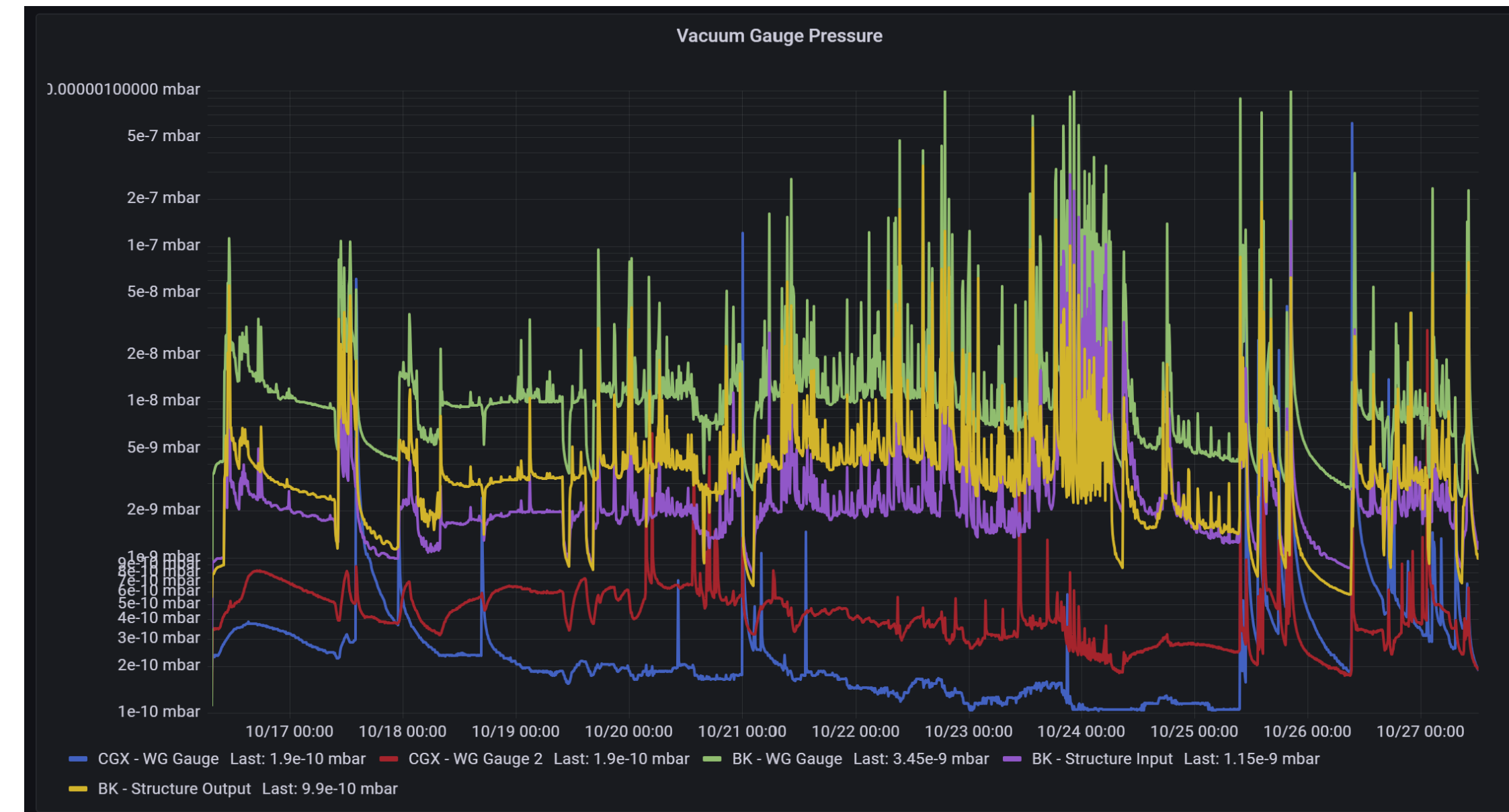
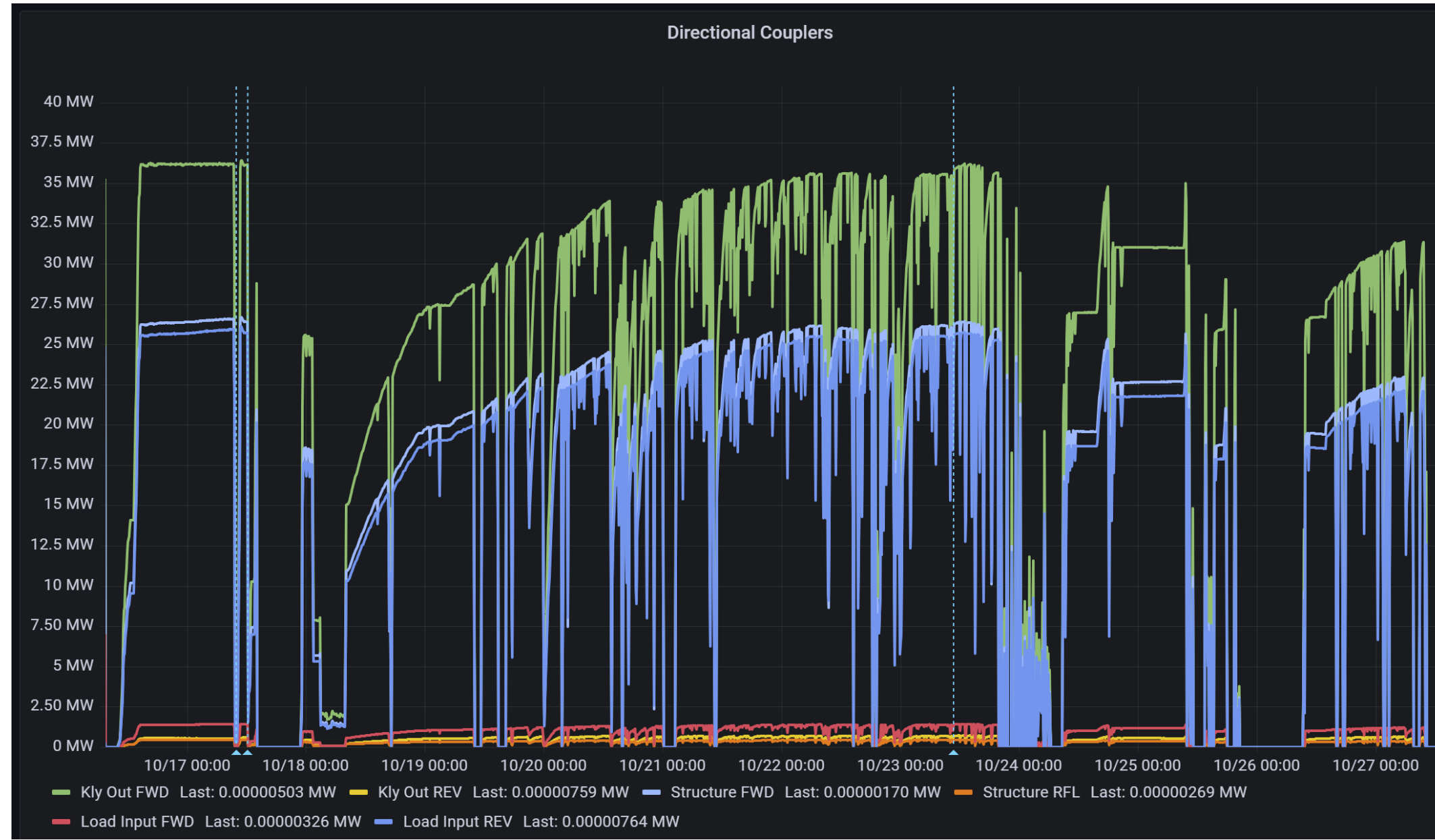
- ✓ TEX Facility – Operating. Test on CERN/ PSI X-Band section (WG system already conditioned)



✓ TEX Facility – Operating. Test on waveguide circular mode converter successfully completed.



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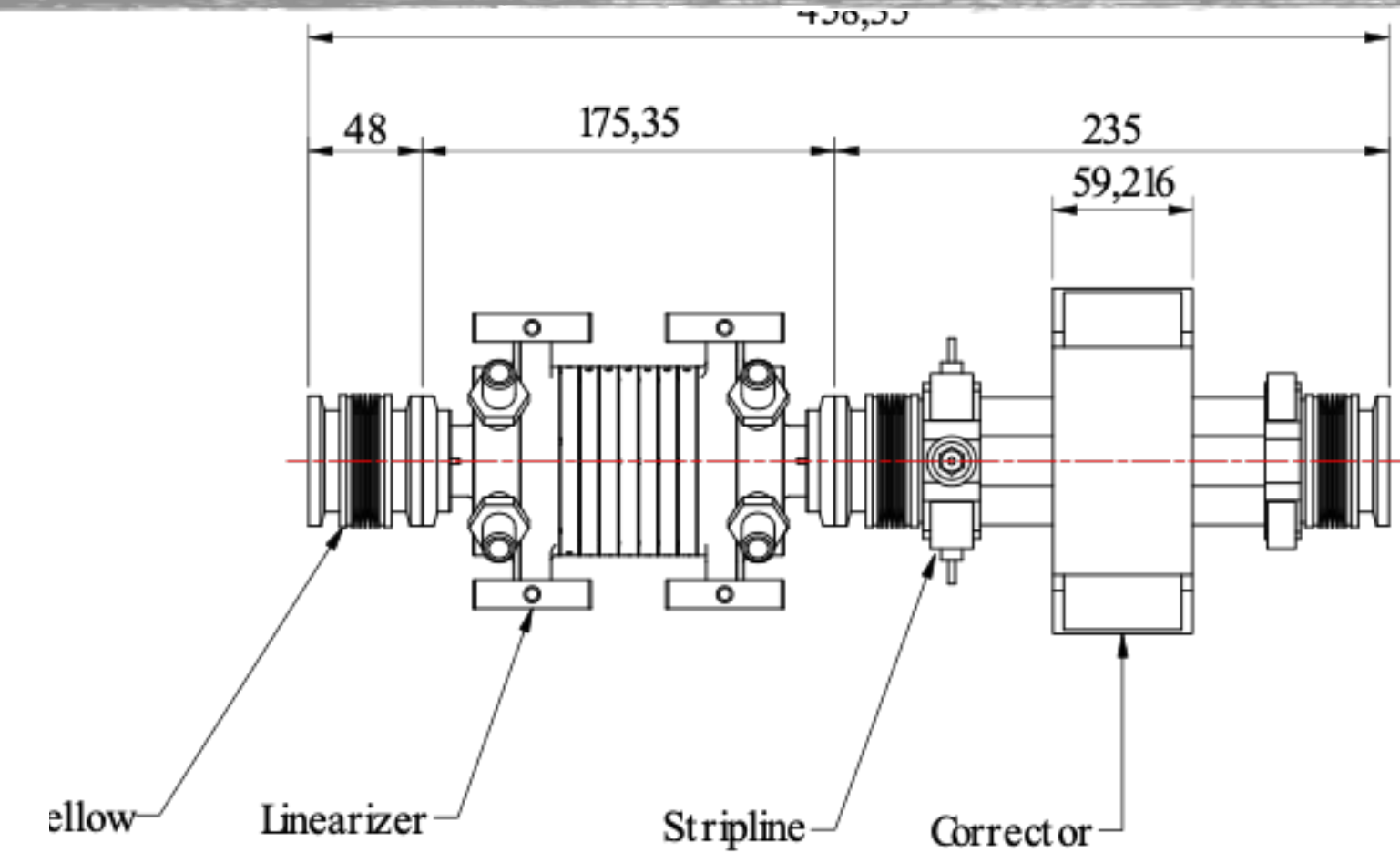


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Injector study is now frozen and approved

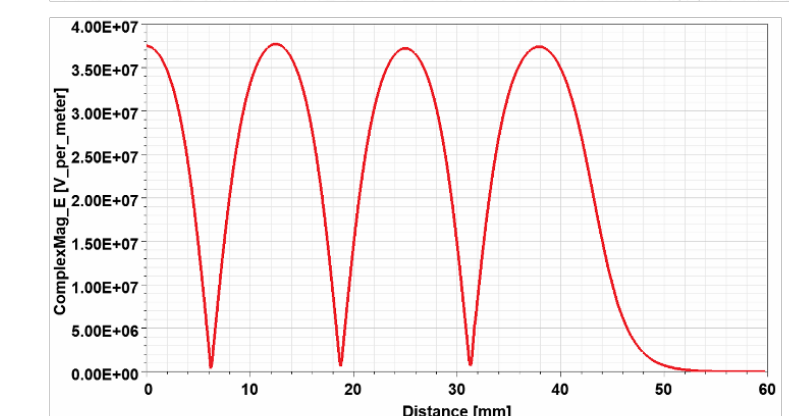
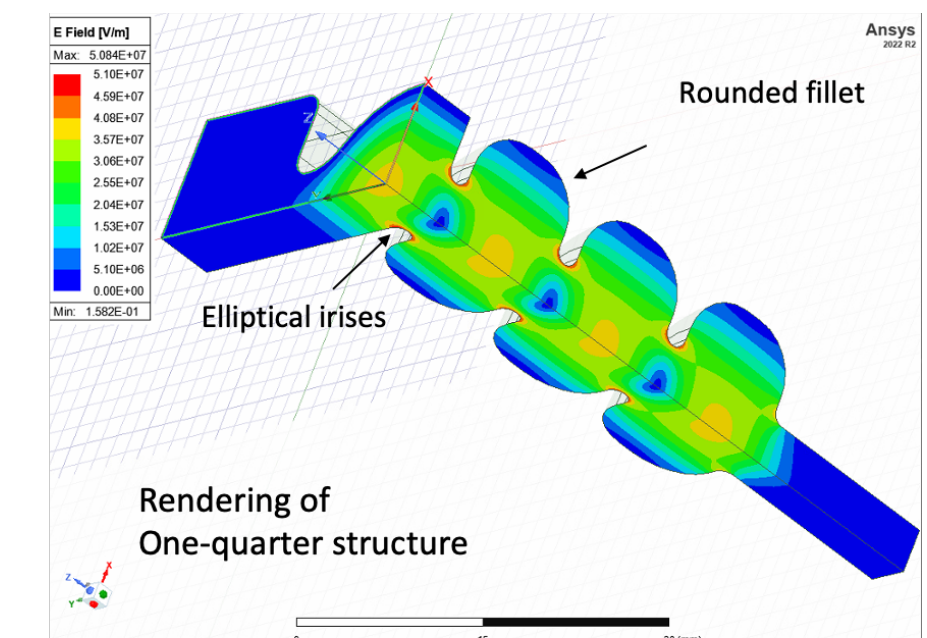
Optimization of the RF distribution taking into account the X-Band linearizer and the 4 S-Band sections are ongoing

- ✓ Injector layout
- ✓ High charge working point
- ✓ RF distribution for the S-Band system
- ✓ Jitter and sensitivity studies ongoing
- ✓ Comb Beam and S-Band optimization (3+2+2+2)

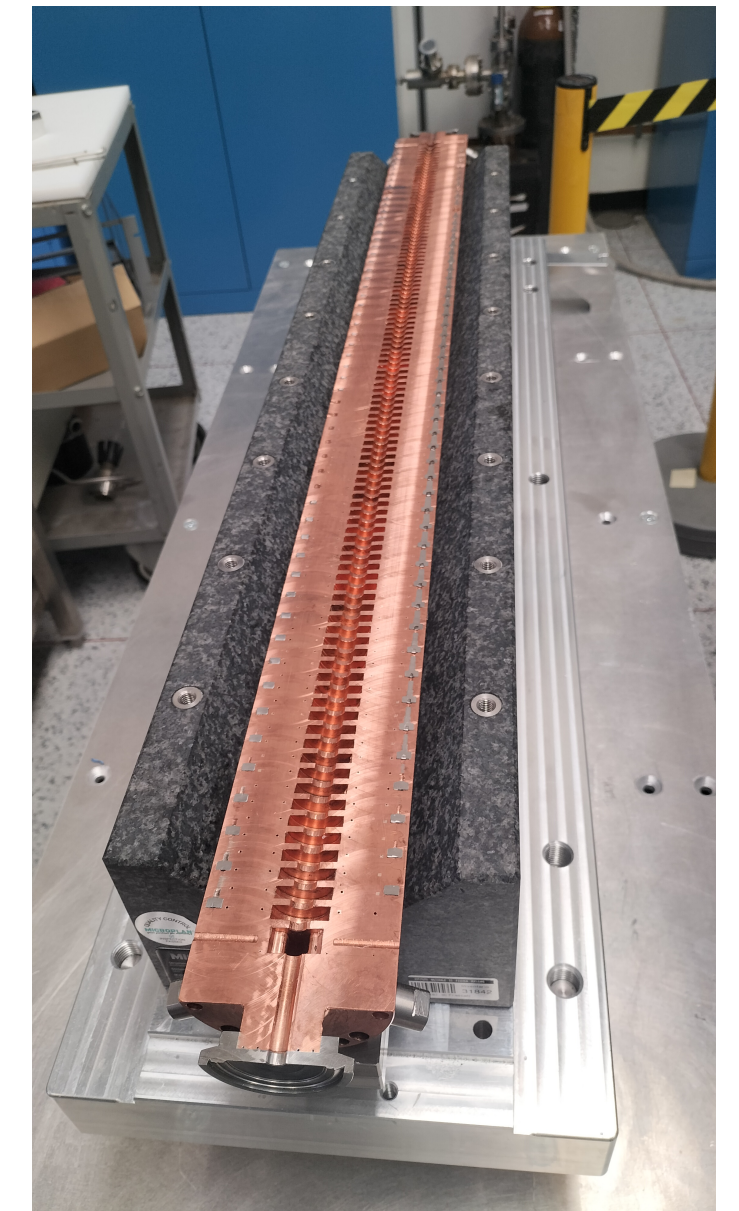
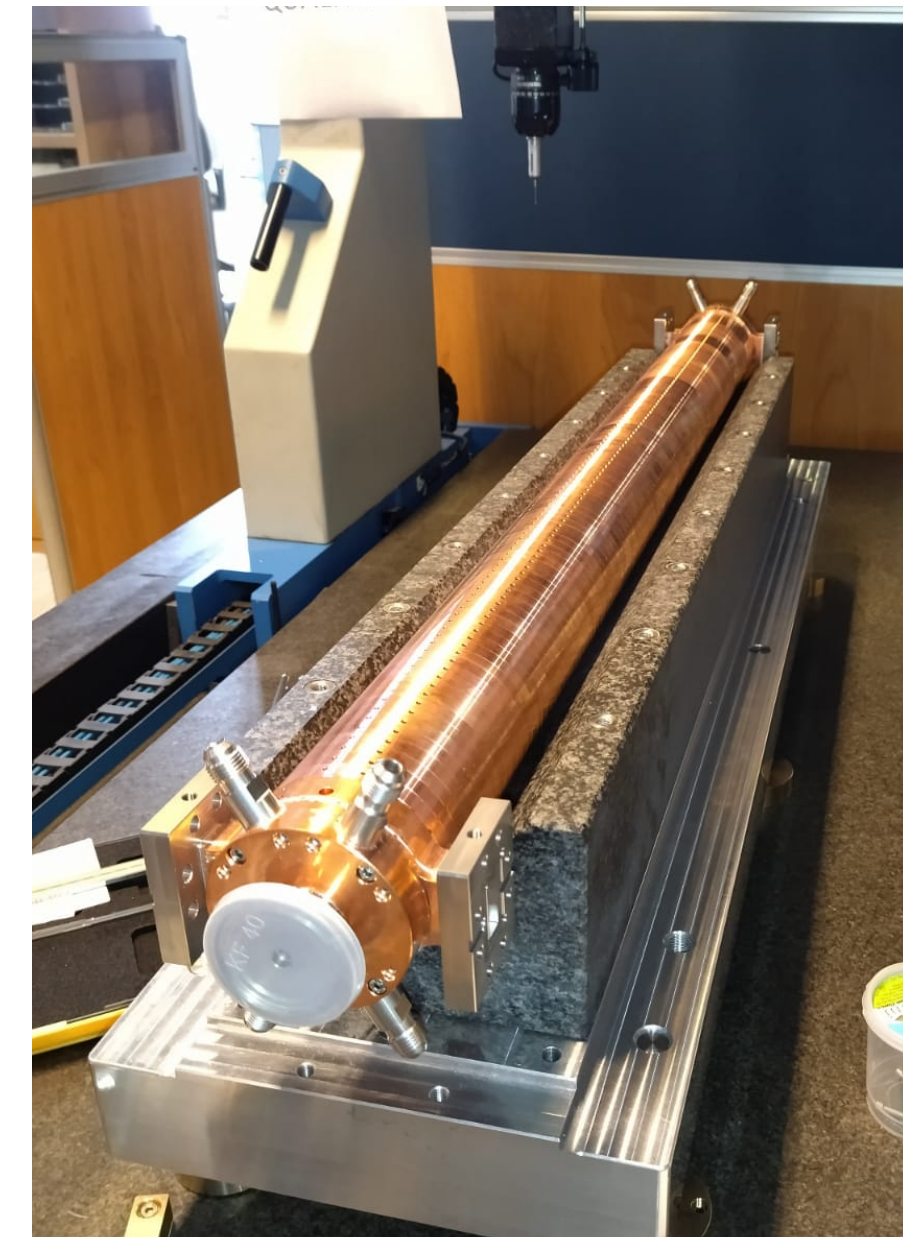


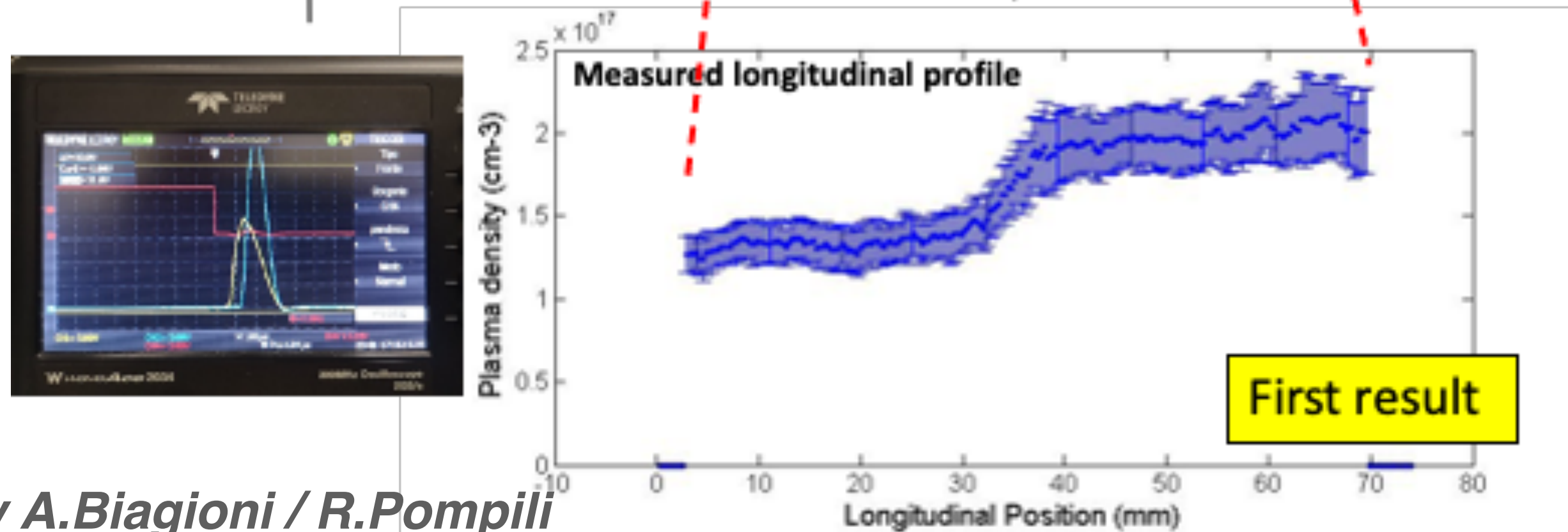
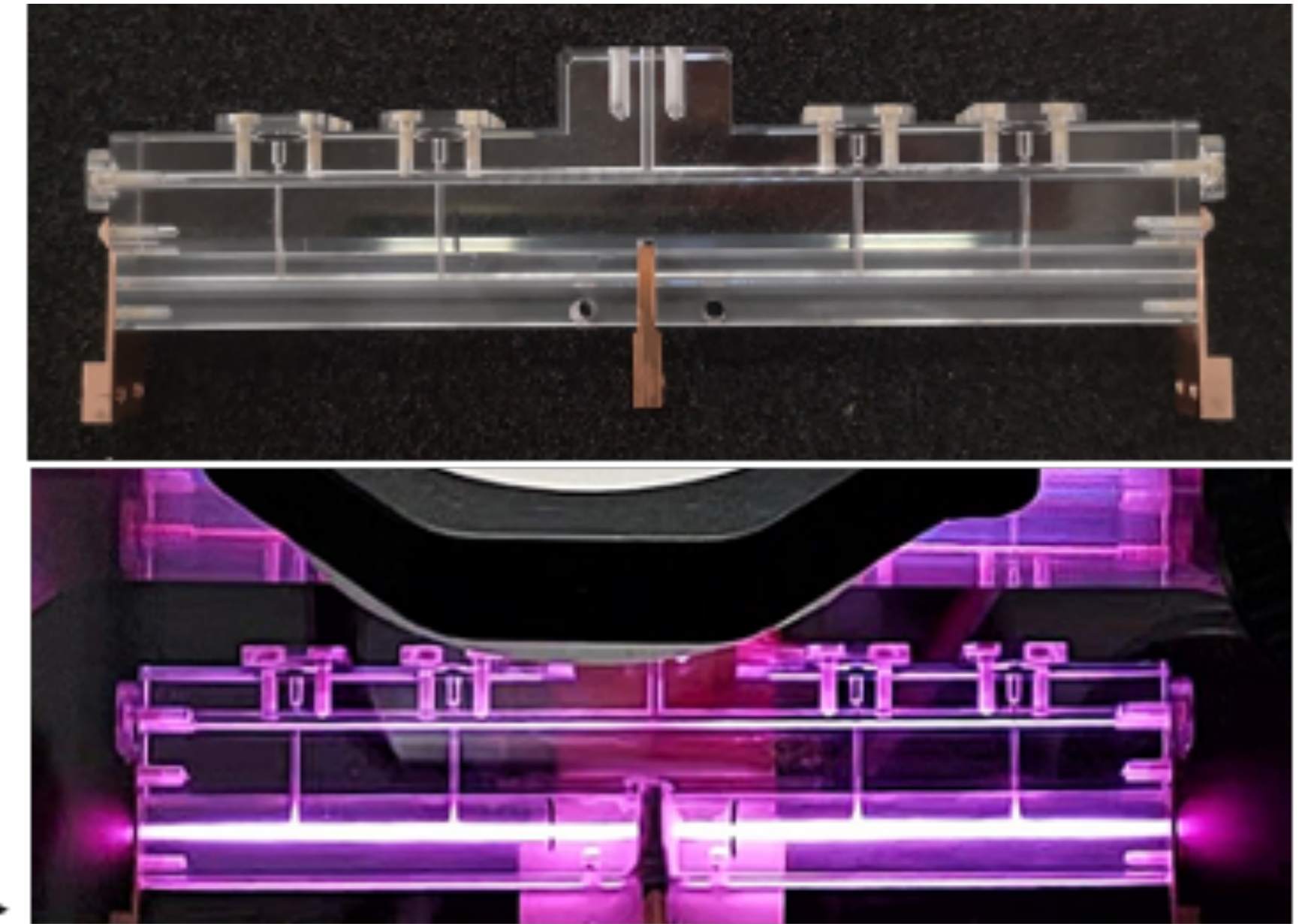
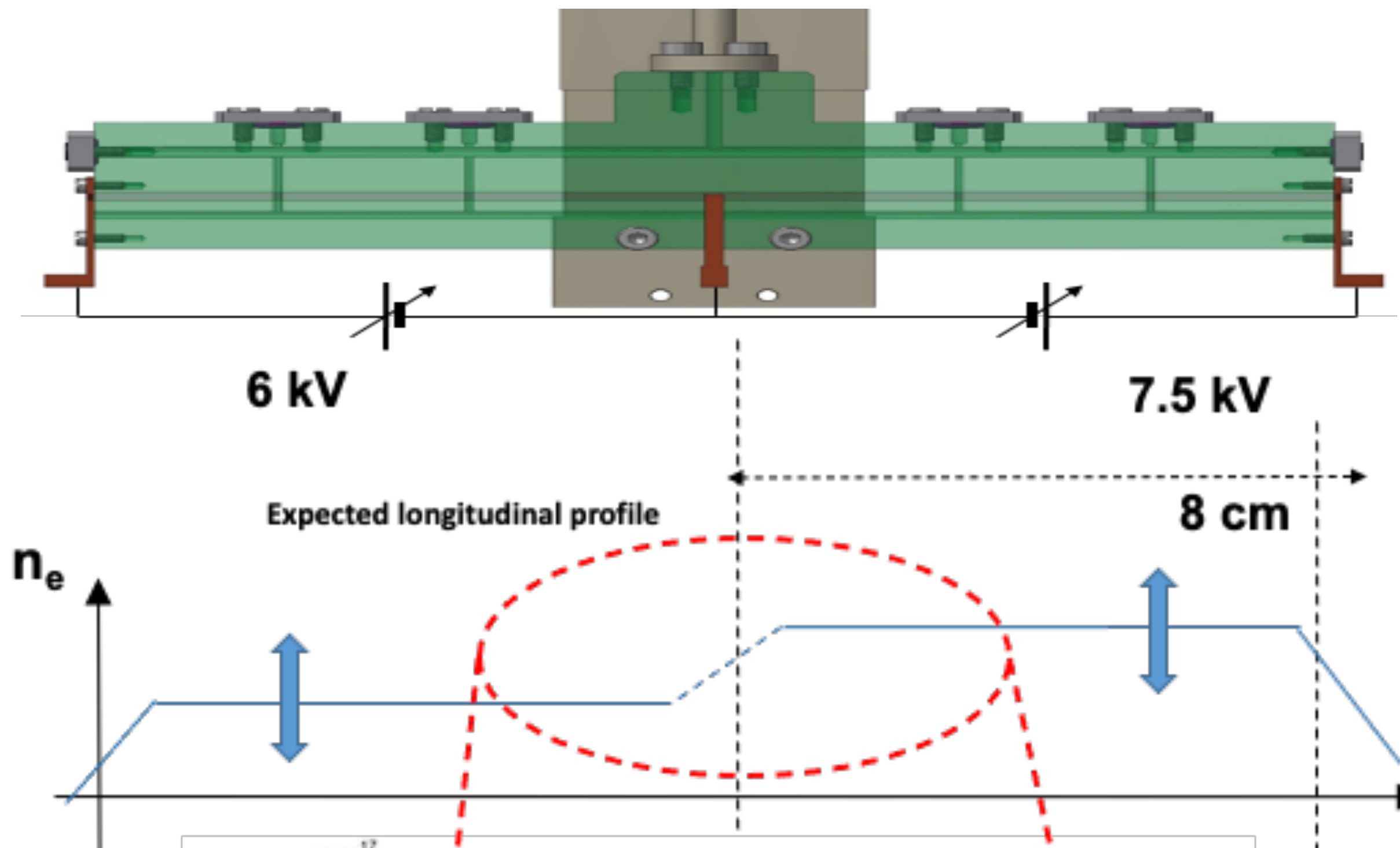
- iris aperture radius $a = 4$ mm
- Number of cells = 7
- Cavity Length (from rendering) = 12 cm
- pi mode
- Accelerating Gradient = 20 MV/m

$a = 4$ mm	
Resonant frequency, f	11.9942 GHz
Quality factor, Q	9,900
Eff. Shunt Impedance, r	83.5 M Ω /m
Eacc	20 MV/m
Epeak	38 MV/m
Number of cells	7
Coupling coefficient, β	1.23
Field build-up, τ	117 ns
Pin	400 kW



- ✓ Mechanical Prototype X-Band section successfully validated. No significant deformation after brazing and vacuum tightness.
- ✓ RF prototype produced - Brazing is expected at the end of November.





Advantages:

- several independently controllable sections
- Plasma sources larger than 40 cm (m-scale) with HV pulses less than 10 kV
- Longitudinal density modulation
- **5 GeV** case for EuPRAXIA (1.5 GV/m m-scale capillary - density 10^{16} cm-3)

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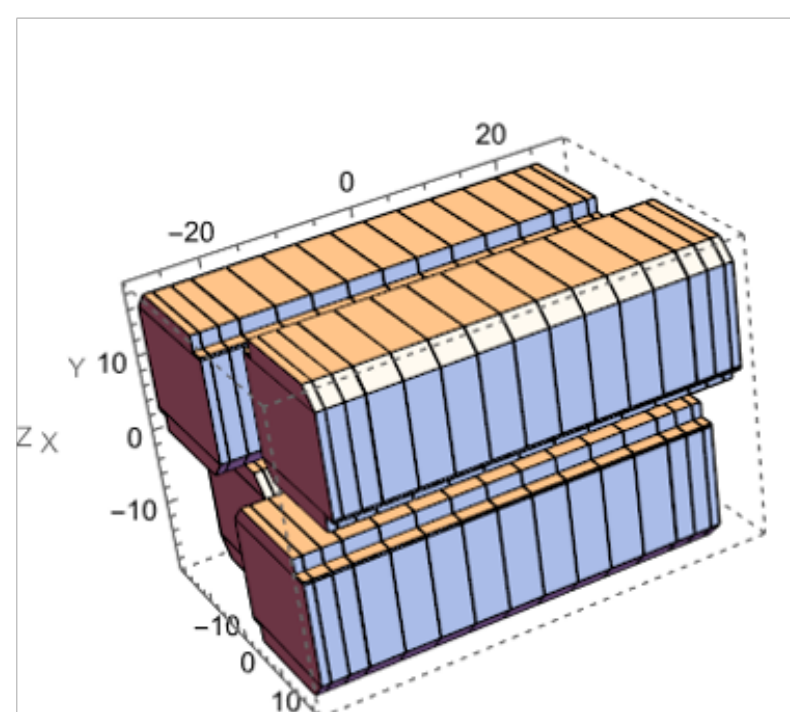
Undulator design and prototyping for AQUA: Apple-X

Defining critical design aspects:

Minimum vacuum chamber size / vacuum - wake-fields (F. Bosco Un. Roma 3 – F. Nguyen, ENEA)

Magnetic field tolerances from prototype of Apple-X module (M. Opromolla, LNF)

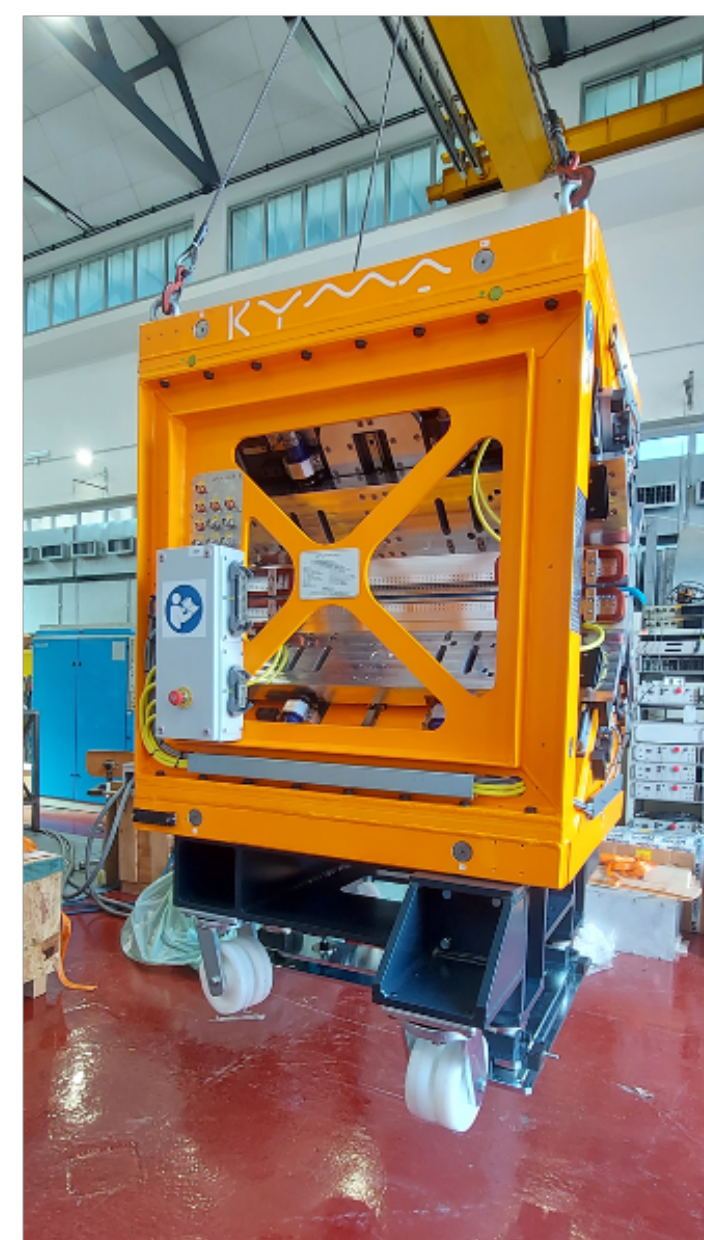
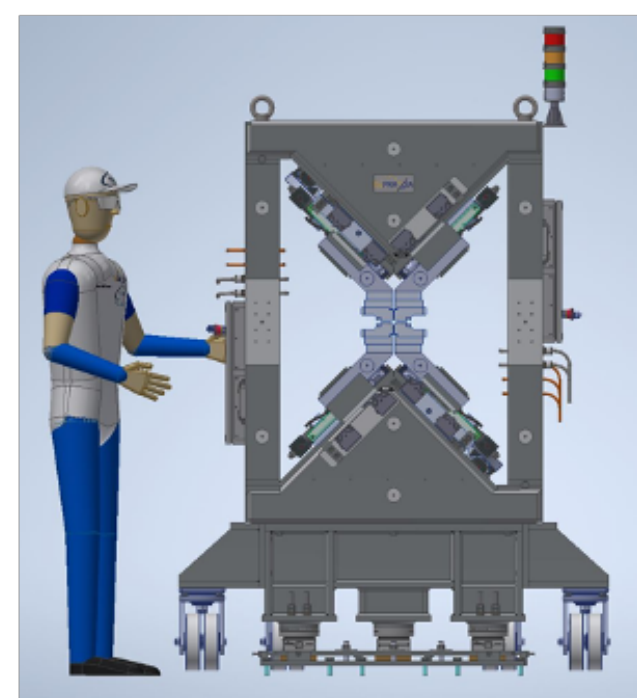
Apple-X undulator for **SABINA** (ref. L. Sabbatini) is a first prototype for **AQUA** FEL line



Magnetic design A. Petralia (ENEA)

LNF observer in LEAPS-INNOV:
setting up magnetic measurement bench (ref. L. Sabbatini A. Vannozi) in contact with M. Calvi / S. Karabekyan small size Hall probe and Hall probe bench.

Undulator mech. design adapted from **KYMA-SABINA** by M. Del Franco (LNF)



First **SABINA** undulator in FRASCATI March 29, 2023



Undulator design and prototyping for AQUA 2: SCU

Prototype construction at FNAL (C. Boffo)

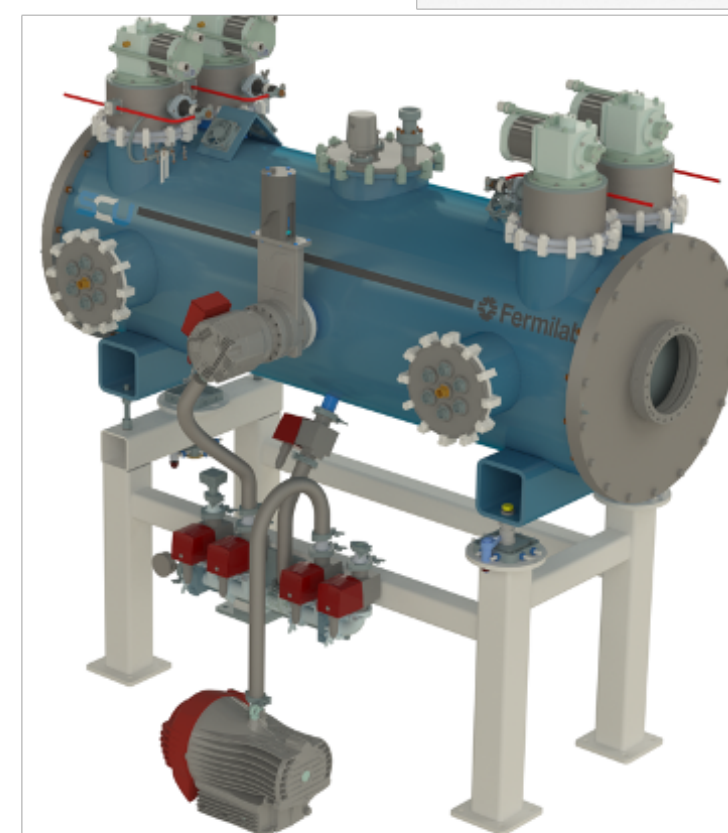
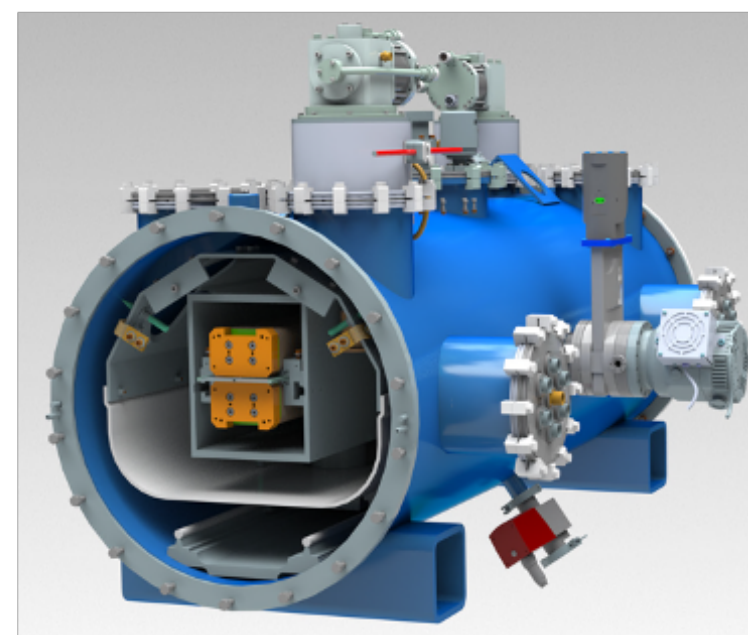
MODULAR DESIGN
Cooling: 2+2 1.8 W GM coolers

Reduced vessel diameter to minimize:
costs, used space and radiation input at 50K

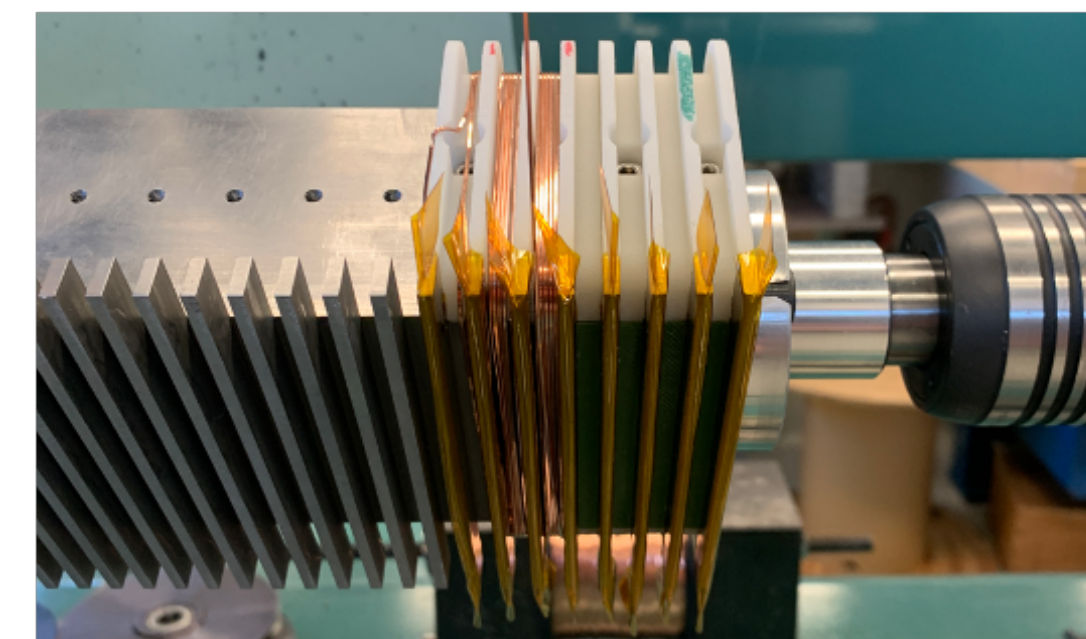
Current leads optimized for higher
current/heat load. Hybrid HTS phosphor
bronze system

Integrated G11 support posts as in LHC
magnets combined with railing system as
PIP-II cryomodules

Parameter	Value	Unit
Period	< 16	Mm
Beam stay clear	5	mm
FEL wavelength	~3	Nm
K-value	>1.2	-
Beam heat load	TBD	W
Ramp to operating field	<600	s
Cooling	Cryocoolers	-
Operating temperature	4.2	K
Magnet length	1.5-1.6	m
Flange to flange length	2.0-2.5	m
Beam height	TBD	m
Vacuum vessel diameter	<1	m
Insulation vacuum	1*10 ⁻⁵	mbar
Cooldown time	<7	days



Q3 2023 the prototype
undulator should be completed
– delivery to LNF in 2024

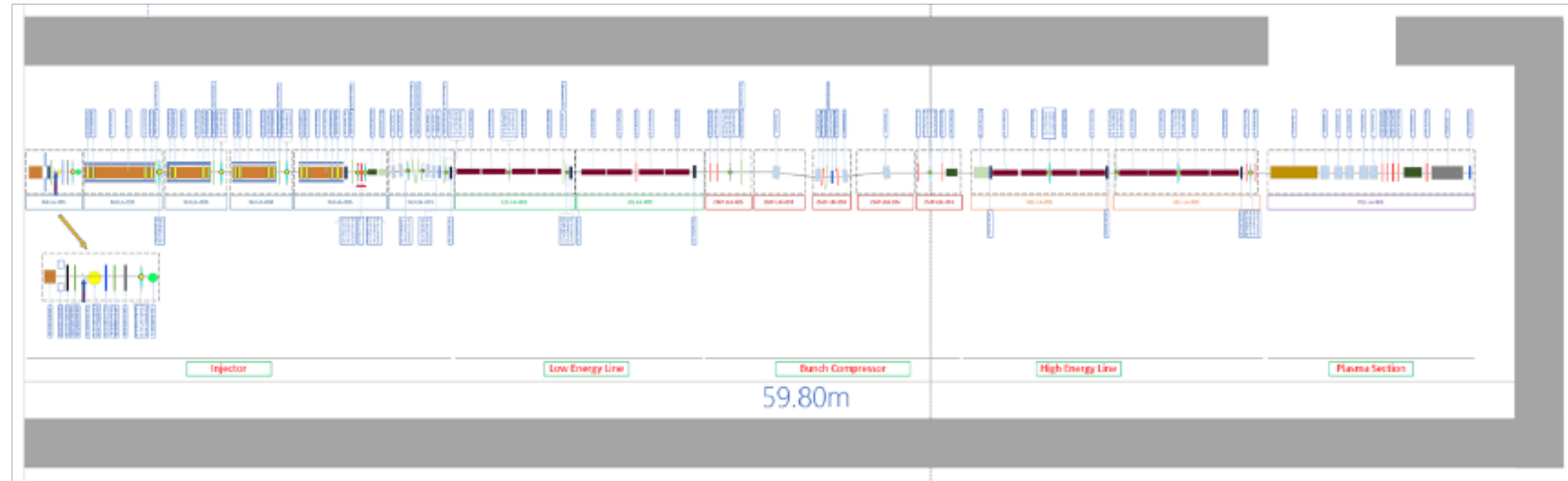


ROADMAP	2022 Q2	2022 Q3	2022 Q4	2023 Q1	2023 Q2	2023 Q3
Prototyping	trials		Wind	Test		
Design	Mechanical design	Thermal design	Manufacturing Drawings			
Coil manufacturing		Component procurement		Coil manufacturing		
System assembly		Component procurement			assembly	Test
Dissemination			Participation to conferences and workshops			

The project is being implemented through a phasing approach, the TDR Phase is the phase dedicated to the full design of the machine. In order to develop the TDR phase, a group of technologists is responsible for coordinating the management of activities related to the project. Within this framework, the project strategy put in place covers the following points:

- Machine configuration management and naming convention;
- Components database management Machine
- Components management related to ancillary elements (power supplies, cabling, controller, DAQ, etc...)
- Budget management

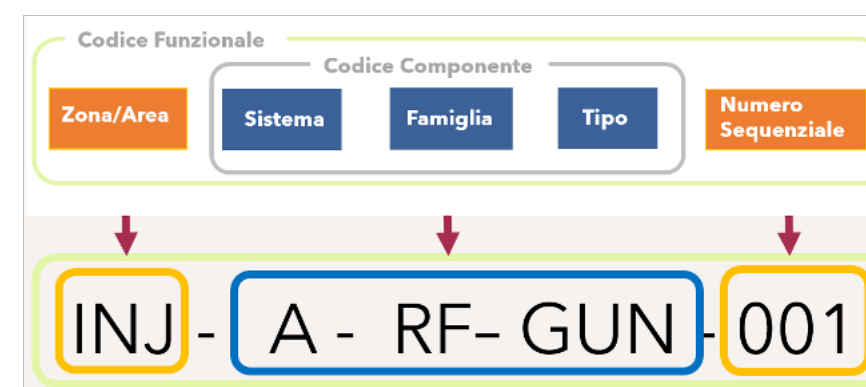
The schematic layout was developed using Visio Professional of Microsoft Office 365 as the project software. The purpose of the schematic layout is to give an immediate overview of machine elements in order to help to plan and to implement machine components that will be after listed in a specific database.



The name of a system is the set of two codes

Component Code:

It identifies the system as such. Identical components may have the same code.

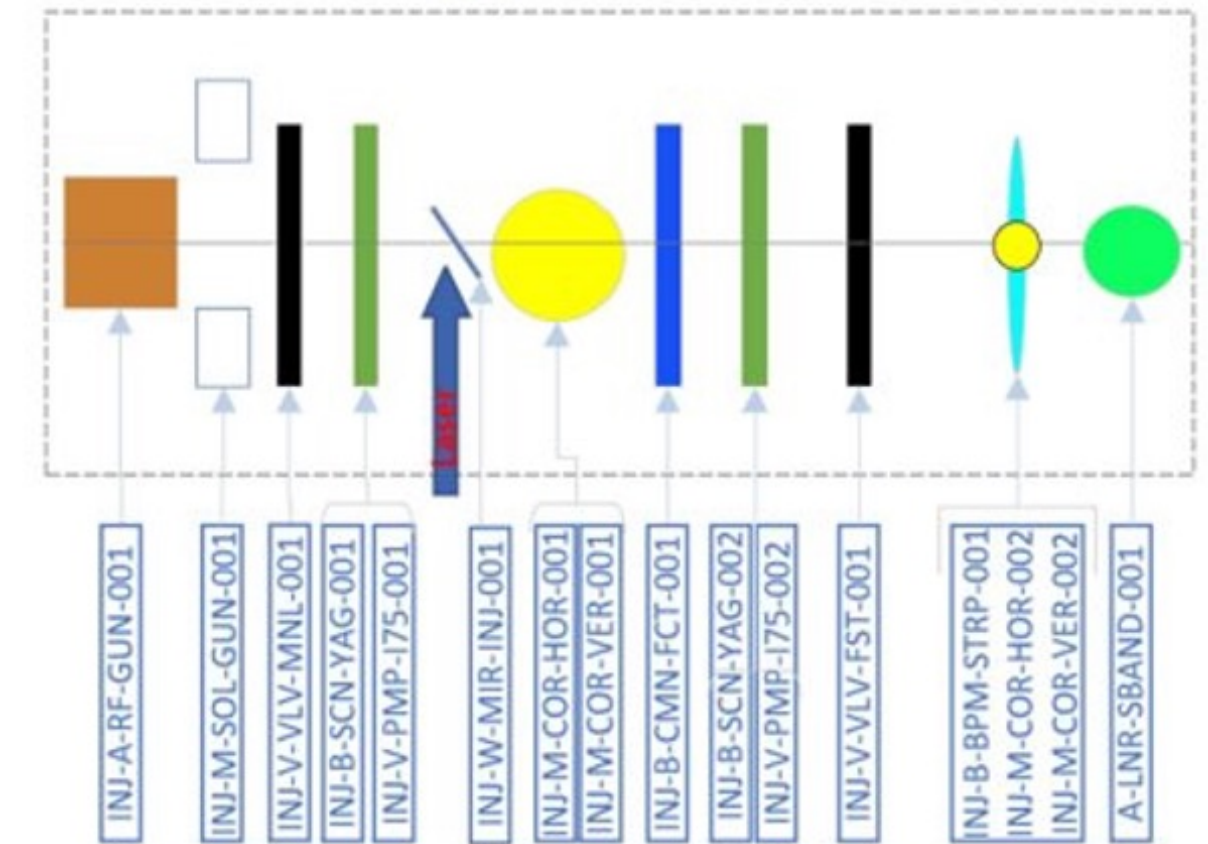


Functional Code:

Additional fields that determine the uniqueness of the component by identifying the zone or area of the machine where it is installed and where the component acquires its functionality.

.....and Naming Convention

The need for a hierarchical and arborescent organization of objects for the purpose of efficient and traceable management of configuration machine occurs through the use of a specific nomenclature.

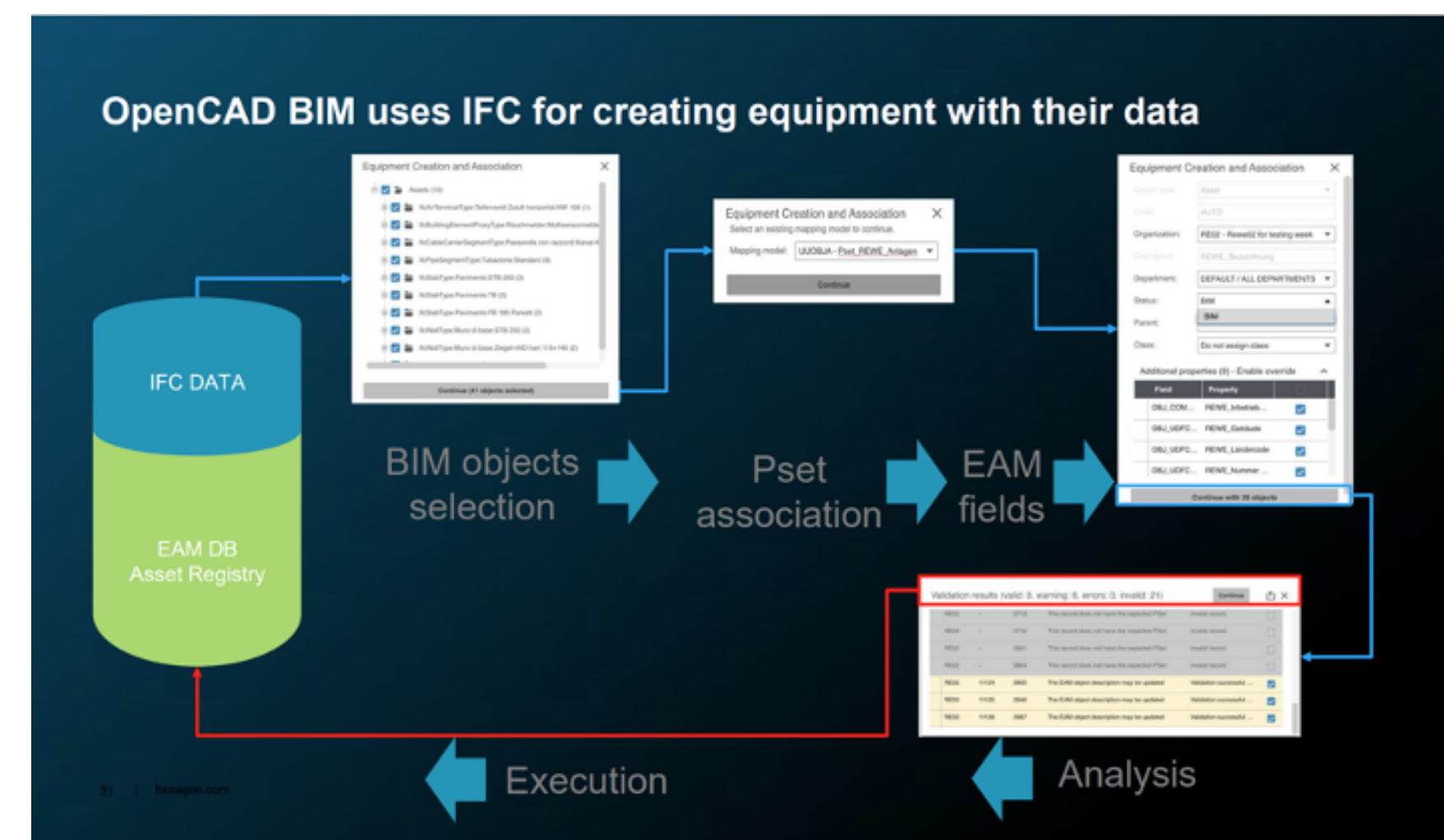


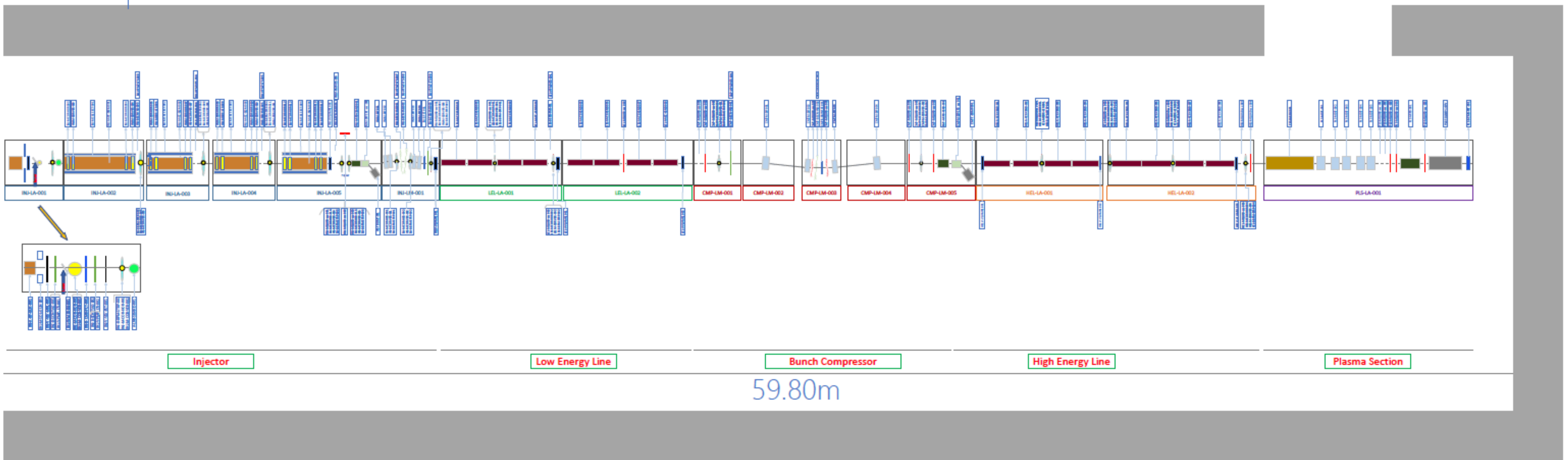
Using specific software as a database (e.g. Hexagon INFOR-EAM), it is possible to create relationships between the various tables that collect requirements and components related to machine elements, so as to identify for each individual element the auxiliary components necessary at the proper operation and control as well as visualize all the components in the machine through the CAD interface. For each component therefore is possible to identified a specifics codes and attributes such as:

- UUID Code
- PBS Code
- WBS Code
- Moduls
- Longitudinal coordinate
- Type of connectors
- Facility requirements (water flow, electrical power)
- Costs
- Status
- Suppliers

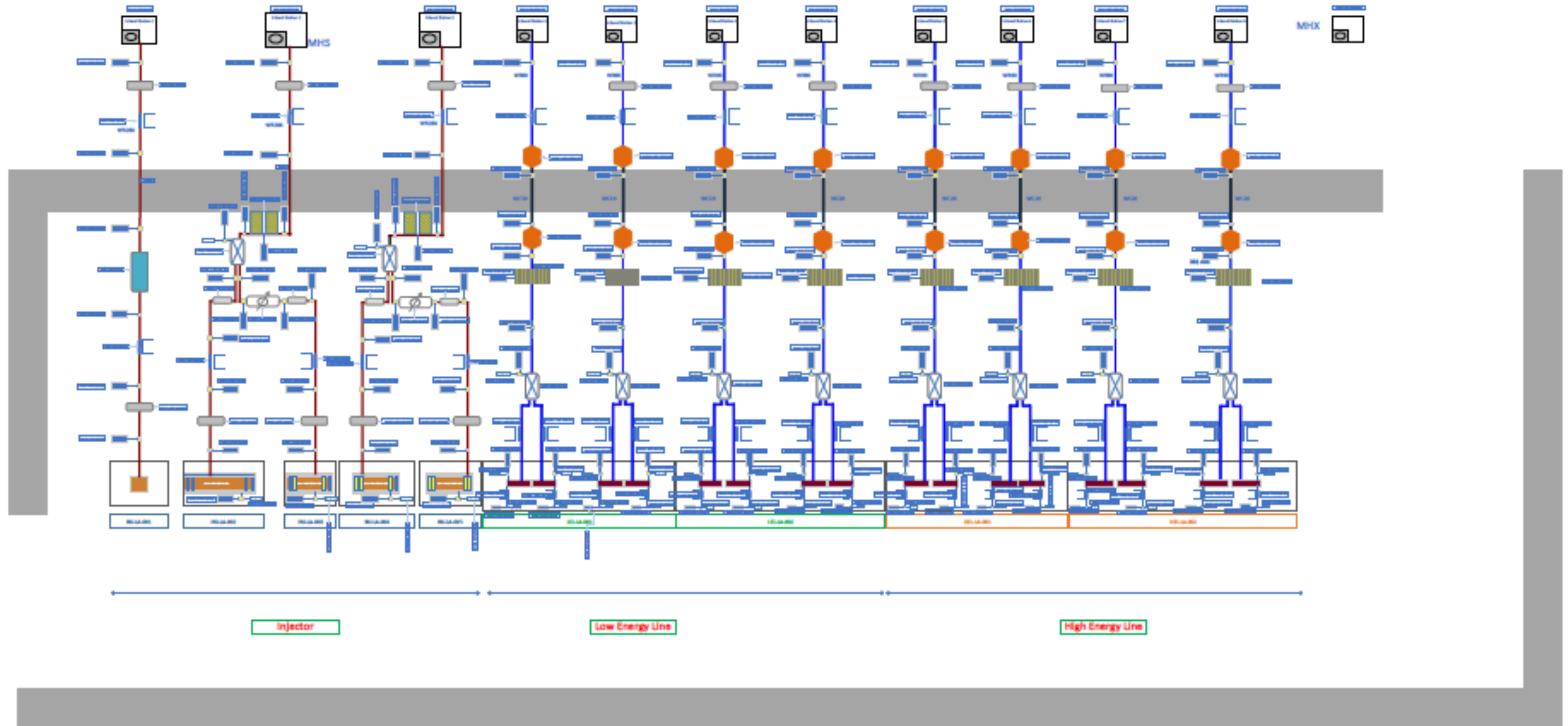
- Moreover is possible to link other document such as:
 1. Specifications
 2. Approved construction drawings
 3. Commercial documents (orders, specifications, etc.)
 4. Quality documents (calibration certificates, certificates of conformity, etc.)
 5. Warranty
 6. Manuals

ID	ID_COM	WA	C	WE	AREA	SYS	FAM	TYPE	SEQUEN	PBS-CODE	DESCRIPTION	MODULS
1	RFG	WA2	WPO	INI	A	RF	GUN	001		INI-A-RF-GUN-001	RF GUN	0 INJ-LA-001
2	I20			INI	V	PMP	I20	001		INI-V-PMP-I20-001	ION PUMP GUN	0 INJ-LA-001
3	I20			INI	V	PMP	I20	002		INI-V-PMP-I20-001	ION PUMP GUN	0 INJ-LA-001
4	NEG			INI	V	PMP	NEG	001		INI-V-PMP-NEG-001	NEXTOR Z100 GUN	0 INJ-LA-001
5	NEG			INI	V	PMP	NEG	002		INI-V-PMP-NEG-002	NEXTOR Z 100 GUN	0 INJ-LA-001
6	SLG			INI	M	SOL	GUN	001		INI-M-SOL-GUN-001	SOLENOID GUN	0 INJ-LA-001
7	VMN			INI	V	VLV	MNL	001		INI-V-VLV-MNL-001	MANUAL VALVE GUN	0 INJ-LA-001
8	SYA			INI	B	SCN	YAG	001		INI-B-SCN-YAG-001	SCREEN GUN	0 INJ-LA-001
9	I75			INI	V	PMP	I75	001		INI-V-PMP-I20-001	IONIC PUMP GUN	0 INJ-LA-001
10	MIR			INI	W	MIR	INI	001		INI-W-MIR-INI-001	MIRROR GUN	0 INJ-LA-001
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12	CVE			INI	M	COR	VER	001		INI-M-COR-VER-001	VERTICAL CORRECTOR GUN	0 INJ-LA-001
13	CMN			INI	B	CMN	FCT	001		INI-B-CMN-FCT-001	CURRENT MONITOR GUN	0 INJ-LA-001
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15	I75			INI	V	PMP	I75	002		INI-V-PMP-I75-002	IONIC PUMP GUN	0 INJ-LA-001
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21	XBG			INI	A	ACC	XBD	001		INI-A-ACC-XBD-001	XBAND GUN	0 INJ-LA-001
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Courtesy F.Cioeta & E.Di Pasquale



WA ID	Intermediated deliverable expected	Updated Status			
WA1	BEAM PHYSICS				
M1.1	S2E new layout completed	Done			
M1.2	Photon Number optimization	Done			
M1.3	Machine intermediate layout	Done			
M1.4	RF specifications	Done			
M1.5	Magnets specifications	Prelimin.			
M1.6	Stability& Jitter studies	Prelimin.			
M1.7	Laser heater parameters	Prelimin.			
M1.8	Machine final layout	T.B.D.			
WA2	INJECTOR				
M2.1	Injector preliminary layout	Done			
M2.2	Injector Layout	Done			
M2.3	Injector components design	Done			
M2.4	Injector RF Distribution	Done			
M2.5	Photocathode laser design	Prelimin.			
WA3	LINAC				
M3.1	Linac Design	Consol.			
M3.2	Vacuum Design	Consol.			
M3.3	Linac RF Distribution	Consol.			
M3.4	HP Waveguide Validated	Consol.			
M3.5	X-Band section validated	Prelimin.			

WA ID	Intermediated deliverable expected	Updated Status			
WA.04	RF & POWER SUPPLIES				
M4.1	S-Band Waveguide design	Done			
M4.2	X-Band Waveguide design	Done			
M4.3	Power supply design validated.	Draft			
M4.4	X-Band RF power system validation	Draft			
M4.5	Timing & Synchronization system designed	Prelimin.			
WA.05	PLASMA				
M5.1	Capillary plasma characterization	Prelimin.			
M5.2	Plasma section final design	T.B.D.			
WA.06	FEL				
M6.1	FEL Configuration Strategy	Done			
M6.2	Final Design Phase 0	Prelimin.			
M6.3	AQUA Final Design	Prelimin.			
WA.08	USER				
WA8.M1	Design optical elements	T.B.D.			
WA8.M2	Final design user end station	T.B.D.			
WA8.M3	TDR Users	Draft			
WA.10	DIAGNOSTICS				
M10.1	BPM prototype validation	Done			
M10.2	BLM prototype validation	Draft			
M10.3	Compact Diag Chamber validation	Done			
M10.4	High Precision Charge measurement validation	Done			
M10.5	Diagnostic prototyping validation	Prelimin.			
M10.5	Final e-beam diagnostic design	Prelimin.			
M10.6	ML data taking final design	T.B.D.			
BLDG	Building				
BLDG.M1	Final design Ready	Done			
BLDG.M3	Authorization Ready	Done			
BLDG.M4	Executive Design	Prelimin.			
BLDG.M5	Validation executive design	Prelimin.			
BLDG.M6	Tender Construction finalised	T.B.D.			
BLDG.M7	Building & utilities ready	T.B.D.			

✓ Starting the planning of the implementation phase

1 additional Working Area - INTEGRATION to help in the definition of the implementation phase:

- Installation and commissioning strategy
- Procurement strategy and planning
- Ancillary systems to be organized (pre-assembly area, alignment, logistics etc...).

✓ TDR Structure is in place (proto-WBS for the implementation phase)

Chapter	
1	executive summary
2	eupraxia in the european context
3	eupraxia@sparc_lab
4	scientific case
5	experience with the LNF test facilities
6	beam physics
7	machine layout
8	photoinjector
9	X-band linac
10	plasma accelerating module
11	Free Electron Laser
12	photon beam lines
13	experimental endstations
14	electron and photon diagnostics
15	laser systems
16	timing and synchronisation
17	control system
18	vacuum system
19	magnets and power supply
20	machine protection system
21	civil infrastructures
22	radiation safety and beam dump
23	integration, implementation and commissioning strategy
24	system engineering
25	project costs , timeline and management structure

This will be complemented by:

- Scientific Case Report
- Project Management Plan

Overleaf structure is already in place and the population of each single chapter has just started.

- ✓ A cost Estimation based on the existing layout has been produced and it is now in the phase of a refinement.
- ✓ Cost Estimation based on the existing layout and grouped in three families.
- ✓ First Cost&Schedule Review Meeting is scheduled on the 11th December 2023.

Machine

- Linac
- Ondulators
- Photon Beamline
- User End Station
- RF & Power Supplies
- Laser system
- Ancillary System (DAQ, Controls)

Utilities

- Cabling
- Secondary cooling system

Civil Engineer

- Building
- HVAC
- Electrical Distribution

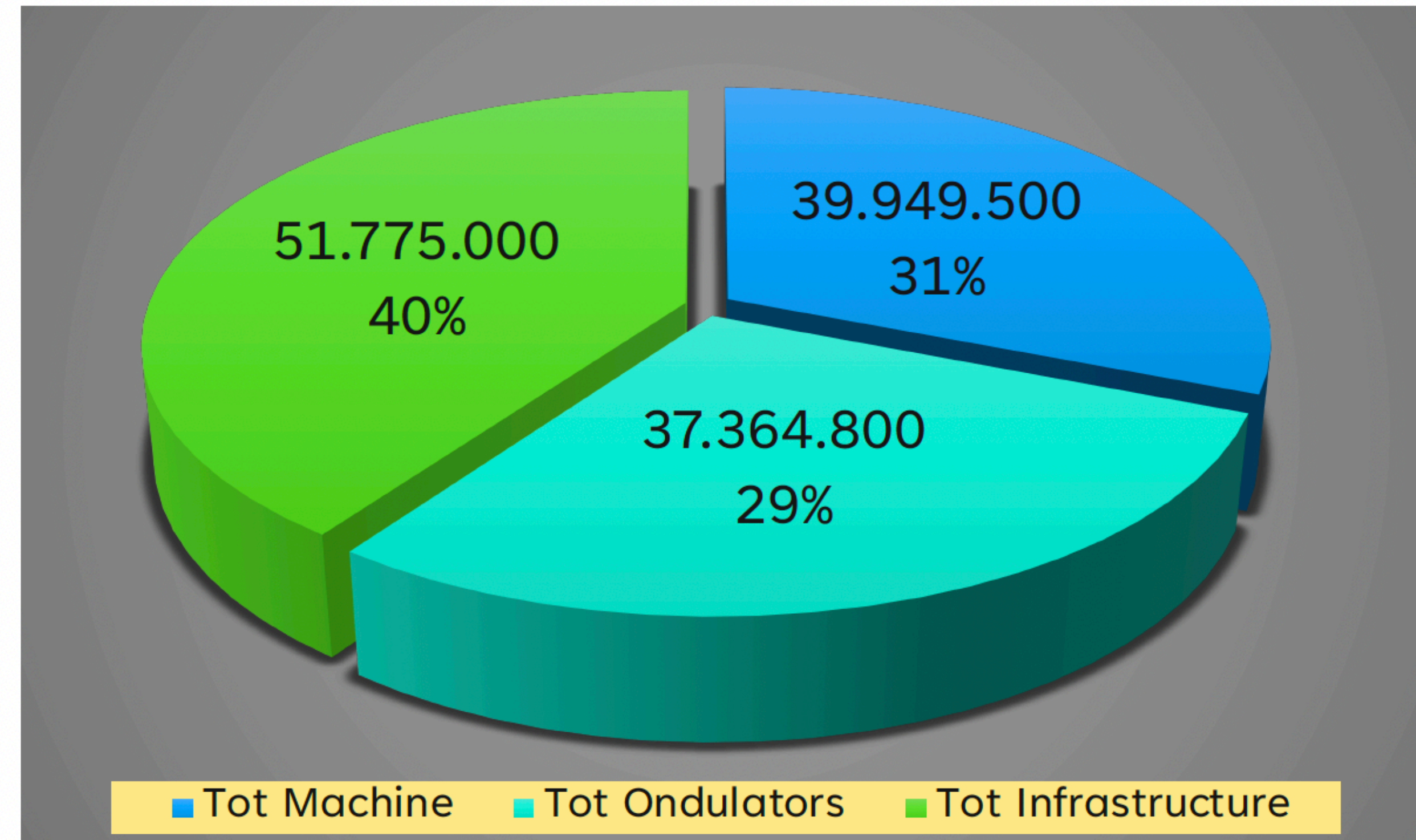
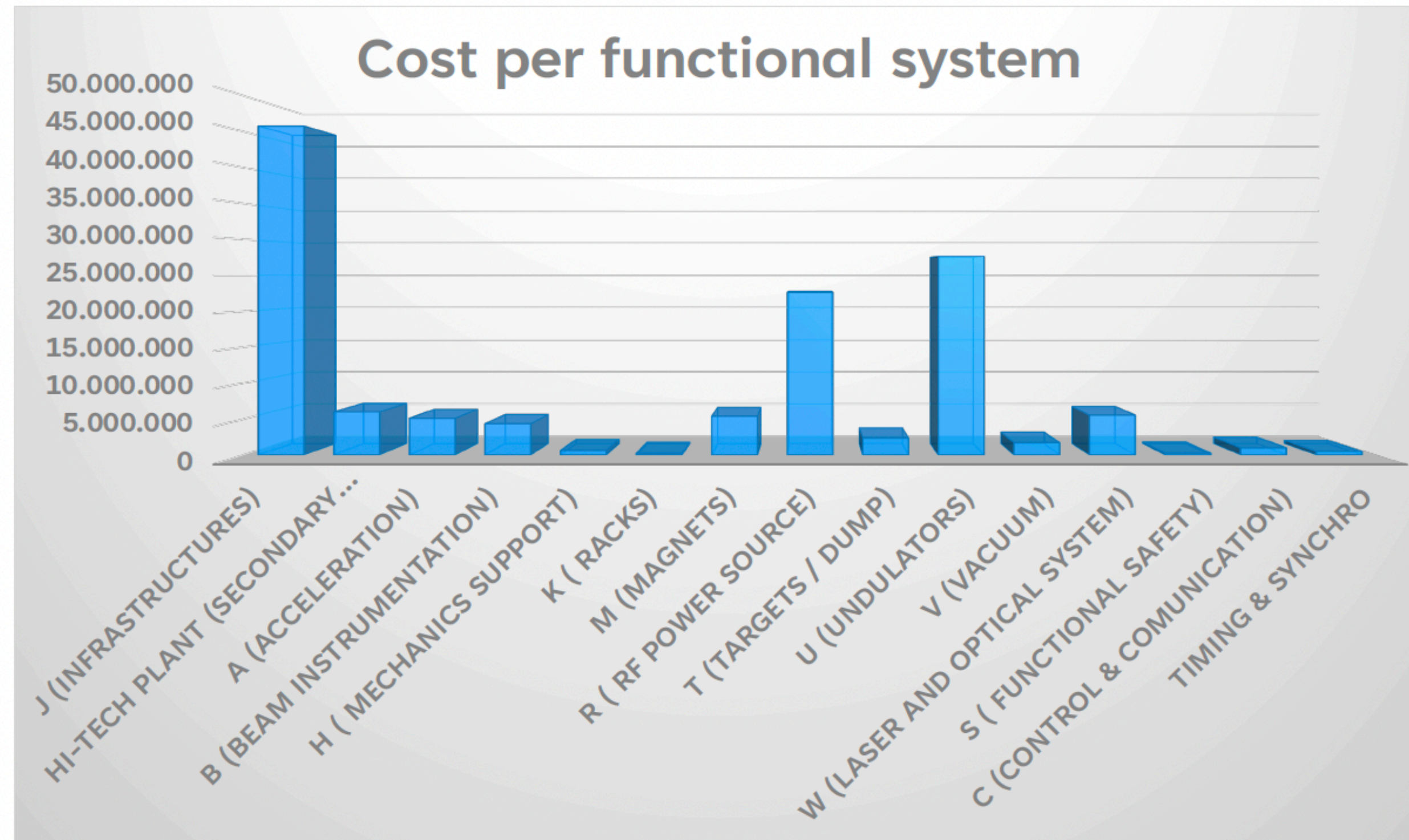
Cost per functional system

Functional System	Expected cost [€] VAT Included
J (INFRASTRUCTURES)	45.775.000
Hi-Tech Plant (secondary circuit/cabling etc)	6.000.000
A (ACCELERATION)	5.107.000
B (BEAM INSTRUMENTATION)	4.340.000
H (MECHANICS SUPPORT)	637.740
K (RACKS)	200.000
M (MAGNETS)	5.395.000
R (RF POWER SOURCE)	22.631.000
T (TARGETS / DUMP)	2.356.560
U (UNDULATORS)	27.650.000
V (VACUUM)	1.709.000
W (LASER AND OPTICAL SYSTEM)	5.538.000
S (FUNCTIONAL SAFETY)	250.000
C (CONTROL & COMUNICATION)	1.000.000
TIMING & Synchro	500.000
TOT	129.089.300

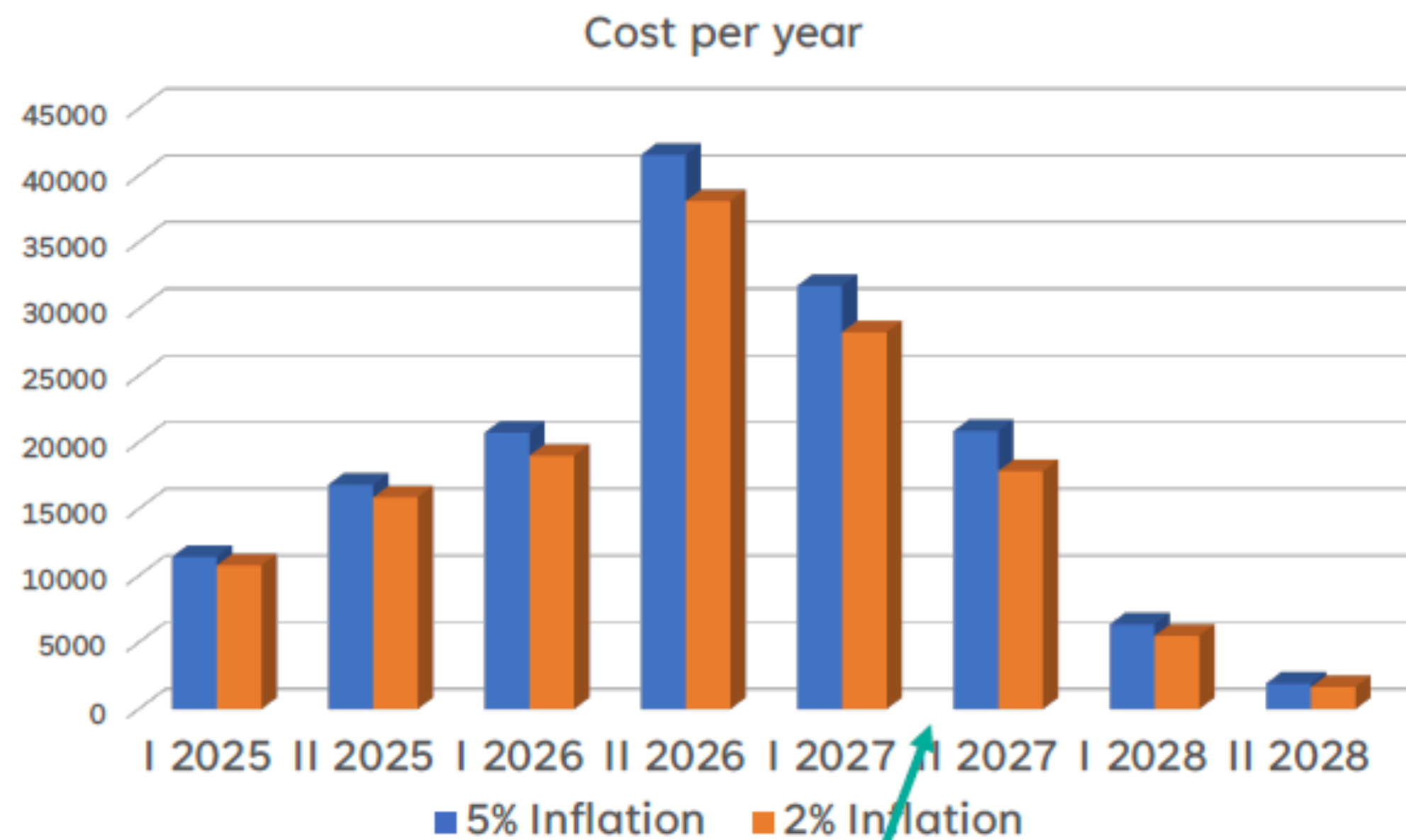
Cost per functional area

Functional Area	Expected Cost [€] VAT Included
Injector	4.897.100
Low Energy Line	1.918.900
Bunch Compressor	969.500
High Energy Line	2.211.300
Plasma Module	2.137.000
RF Power Station	22.631.000
Control (W/Timing & Synchro)	1.500.000
Photocathode Laser	1.100.000
Tot Machine	37.364.800
ARIA	13.986.800
ARIA BeamLine	5.985.700
AQUA	15.000.000
AQUA BeamLine	4.977.000
Tot Ondulators	39.949.500
Building	45.775.000
Hi-Tech Utilities	6.000.000
Tot Infrastructure	51.775.000
TOTAL	129.089.300

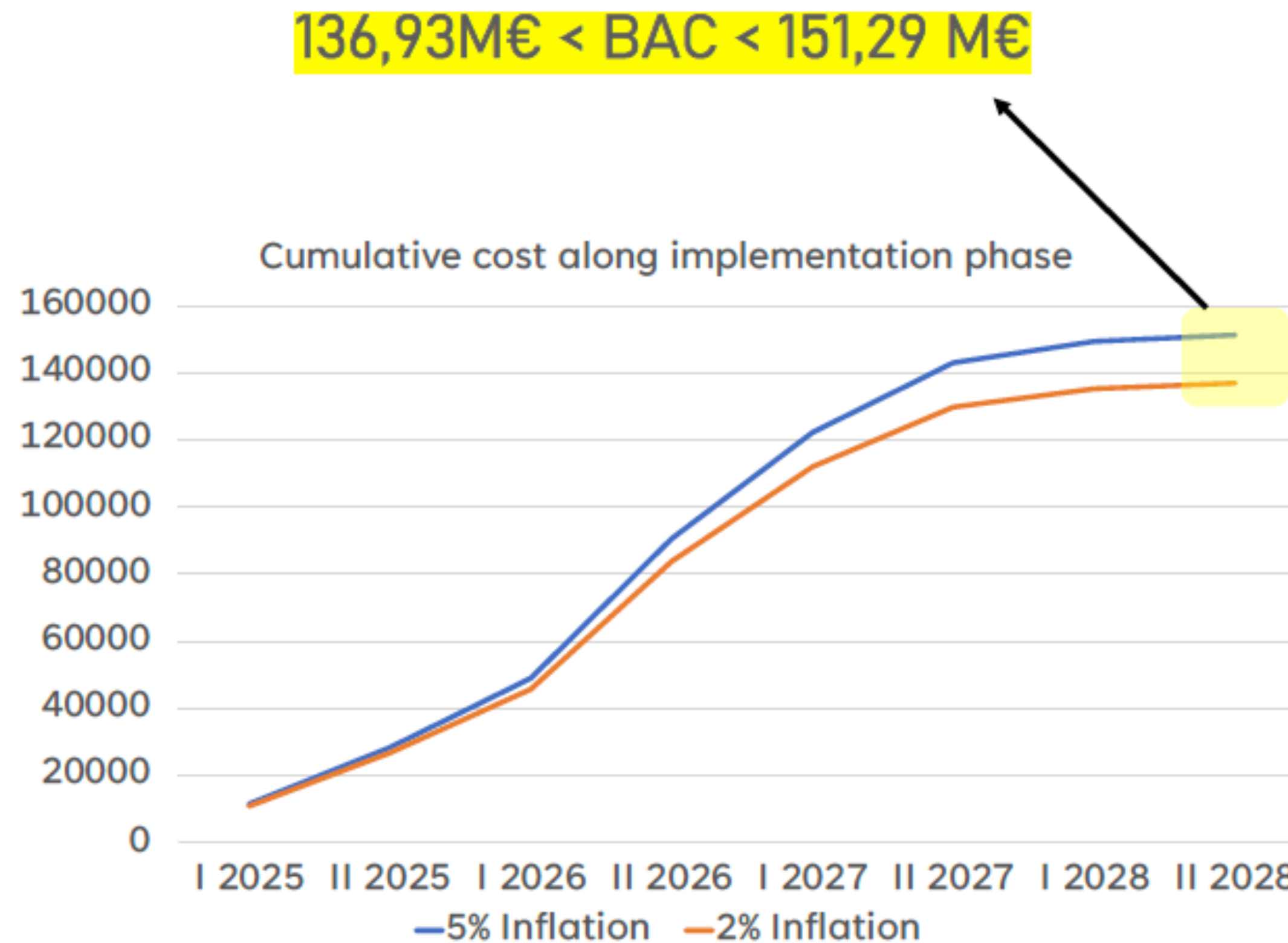
Cost Distribution



40% Infrastructure and 60% overall machine



Running costs kick in



In 2019 the Italian Government allocated 108M€ until 2030.

In 2021 for the ESFRI Roadmap application we performed a cost estimation (much less accurate though) which is substantially confirmed now.

Considering the current cost estimation as of today the over budget is about 19%, however if we actualize 108M€ to the integrated inflation until today we have that:

108M€ → 125,172 M€* The actual over budget is therefore just 3%.

However, part of the budget is allocated for R&D (9M€) in addition NO contingencies are included. This would mean that all the risks have been mitigated which is not the case at this moment.

Most importantly it includes 2 beamlines instead of just 1 as originally planned.

1st Cost & Schedule review scheduled on the 11th December 2023



- Ranking 1° in ESFRI Research Infrastructure call for Next Generation EU (PNRR).
- Phase 1 EuPRAXIA Implementation Phase
- Betatron Radiation Source for x-ray imaging (INFN- LNF)
- High Power Laser [1 PW] (INFN-LNS)
- High Repetition Rate Laser [100Hz] (CNR-INO)



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EuPRAXIA Advanced Photon Sources

PNRR_EuAPS Project

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Abstract

The EuPRAXIA Advanced Photon Sources (EuAPS) project, led by INFN in collaboration with CNR and University of Roma "Tor Vergata", foresees the construction of a laser-driven "betatron" X Ray user facility at the LNF SPARC_LAB laboratory. EuAPS also includes the development of high power (up to 1 PW at LNS) and high repetition rate (up to 100 Hz at CNR Pisa) drive lasers for EuPRAXIA.

EuAPS has received a financial support of 22.3 M€ from the PNRR plan, Mission 4 "Education and Research", Action 3.1.1 "Creation of new research infrastructures strengthening of existing ones and their networking for Scientific Excellence under Horizon Europe" and has received the highest score among the submitted projects of the ESFRI area "Physical Sciences and Engineering".

The EuAPS project starting date has been fixed on December 1st, 2022 and will last 30 months (with a possible extension of additional 6 months).

In this paper we report the introductory part of the submitted proposal.



Kick off meeting on the 28th Feb. 2023

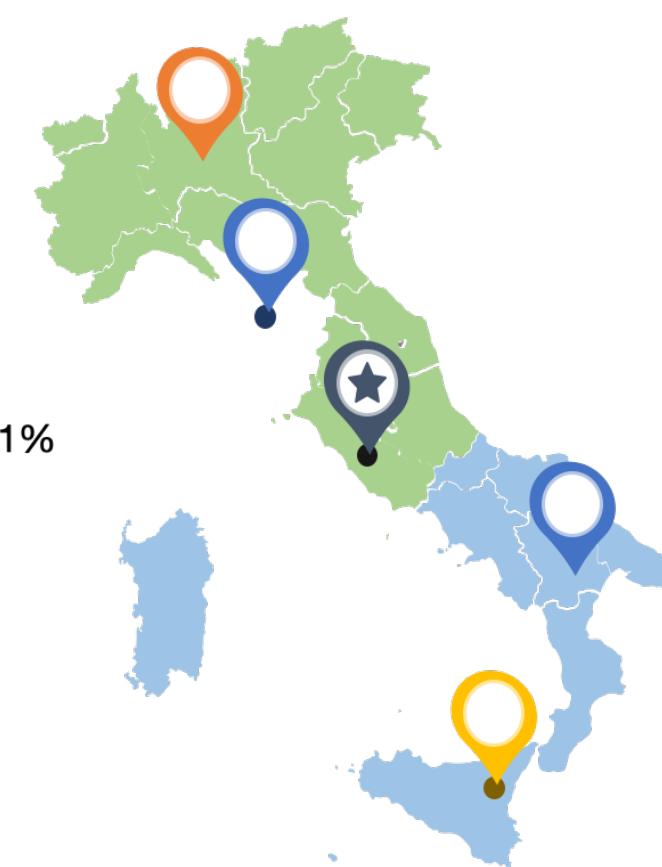
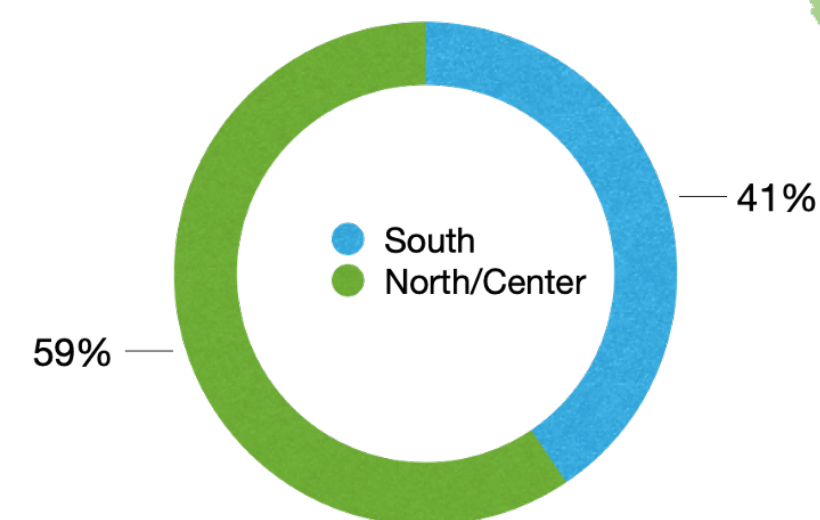
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CNR-ISM, Potenza

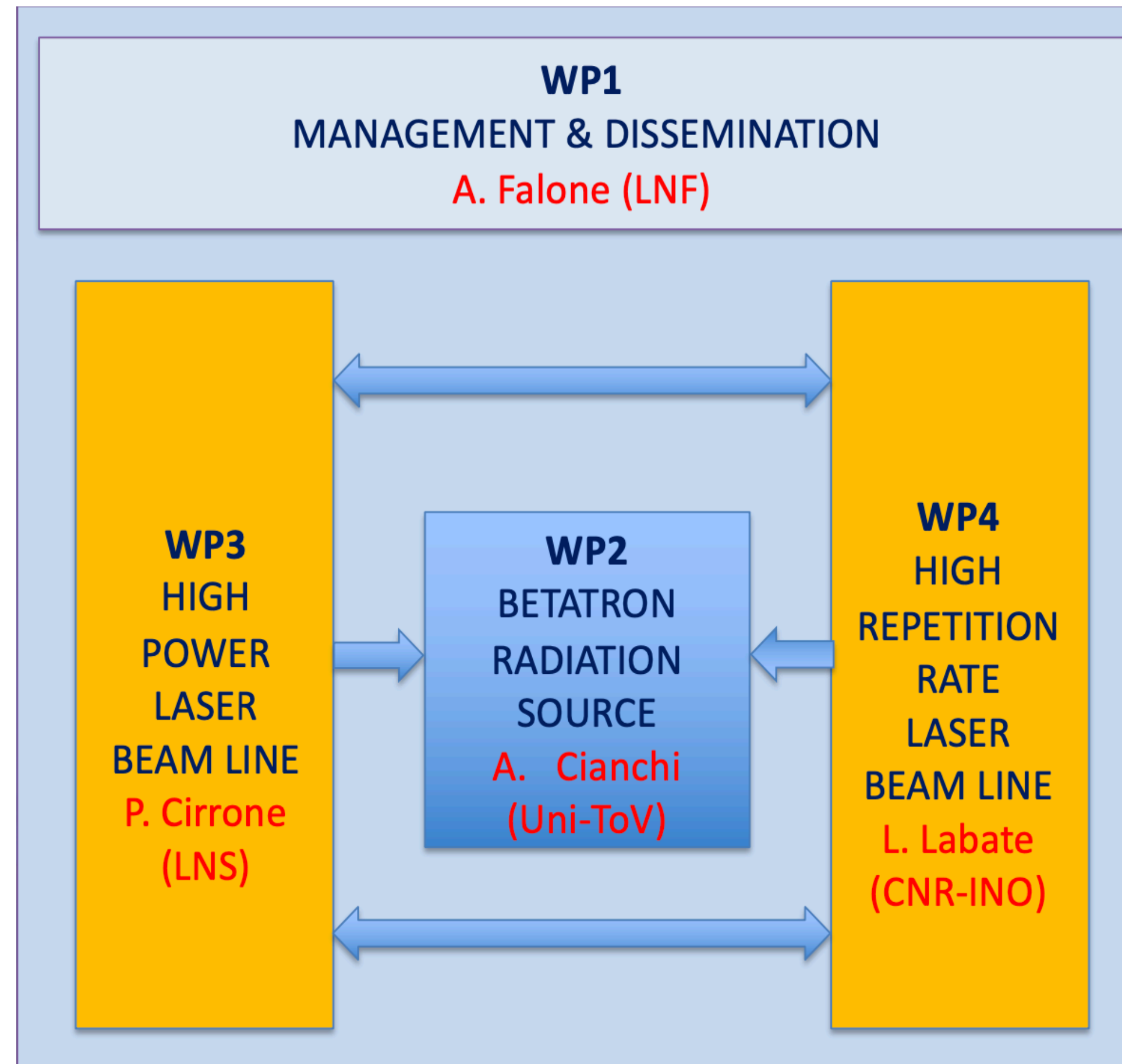
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CNR - ISM, Montelibretti

 **Milan**
INFN-MI

 **Catania**
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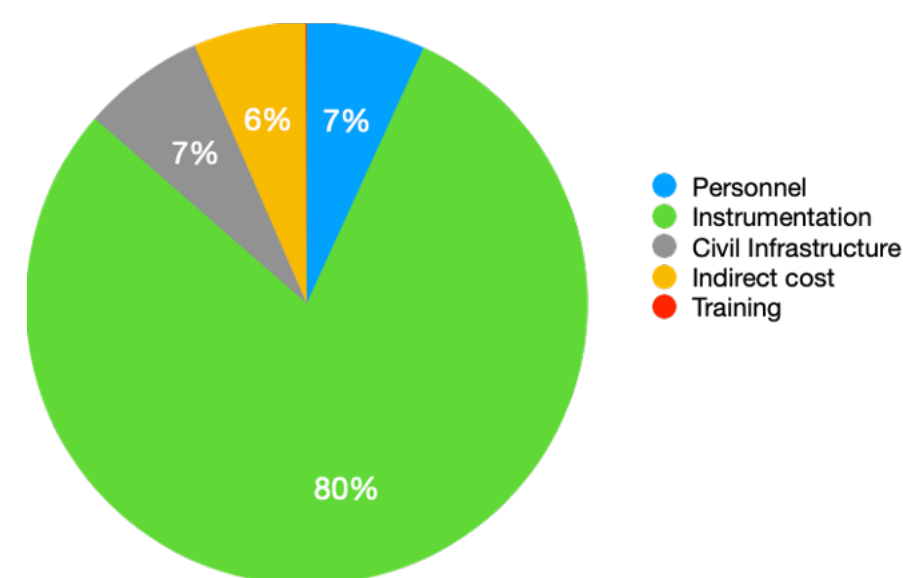
Scientific Advisory Committee

Operating Units Board

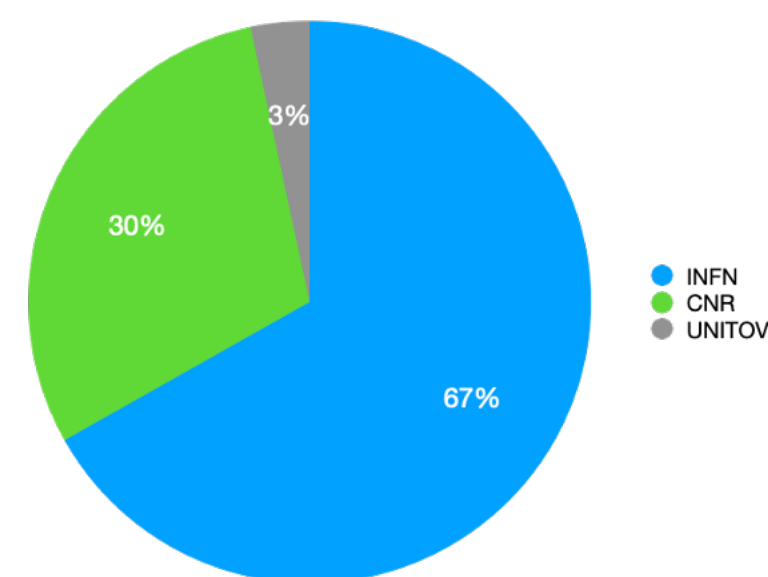
Scientific and Technical Board

Costs included in the request for funding (€)			
	To be located within the eight southern regions	To be located outside the eight southern Regions	Total requested grant
Fixed term personnel specifically hired for the project	270.000,00	1.258.000,00	1.528.000,00
Scientific instrumentation and technological equipment, software licenses and patent	6.917.812,47	10.865.386,00	17.783.198,47
Open Access, Trans National Access, FAIR principle implementation	0,00	0,00	0,00
Civil infrastructures and related systems	1.300.006,38	280.000,00	1.580.006,38
Indirect costs, including running costs	575.081,15	869.302,00	1.444.383,15
Training activities	0,00	15.000,00	15.000,00
Total	9.062.900,00	13.287.688,00	22.350.588,00

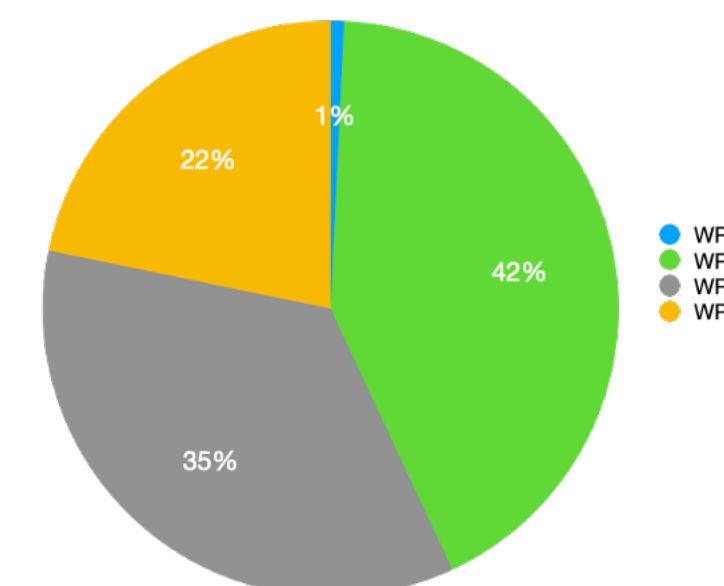
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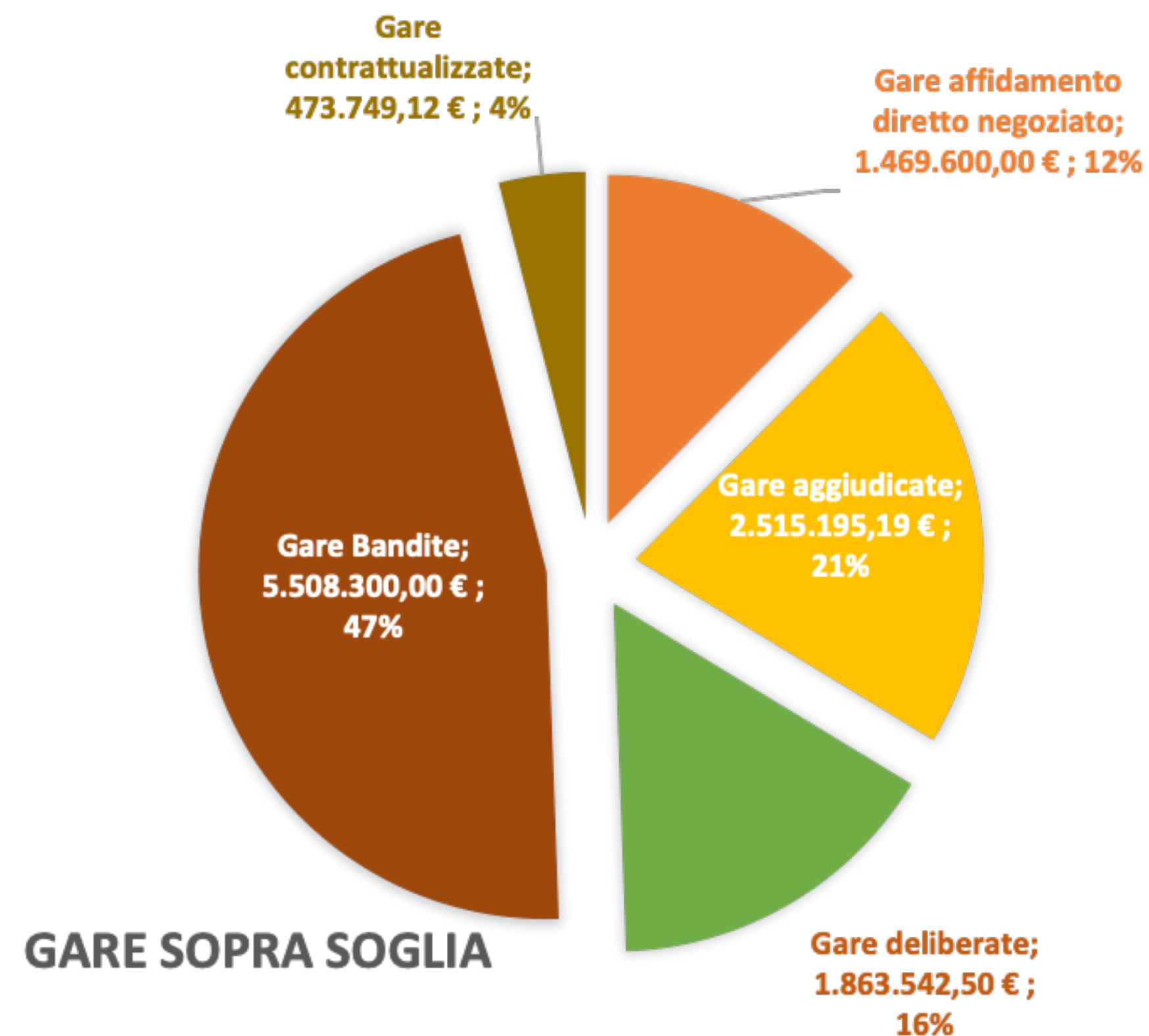
**1 Infrastructure Manager
7 technologists + 1 to be hired soon**

Tot pre-committed/committed/paid (INFN SIDE):

**11.830.386 + 2.621.810 + 870.320 = 15.322.516 € (93.3%)
TO BE DONE = 1.033.702€ (6.7%)**

The first milestone to adjudicate all the tenders before 31st Dec.2023 is practically accomplished (only 1 exception concerning CNR).

Baseline for installation and commissioning will start soon as consequence of the procurement process.



- *Keep the focus on the key strategic goal of EuPRAXIA@SPARC_LAB, namely validation of beam driven plasma acceleration as an appropriate technology for a successful photon science user facility at LNF!*
- *Build-up of EuPRAXIA@SPARC_LAB workforce, in particular for RF systems, accelerator physics and operation needs more momentum.*

- Recently additional manpower joined the Accelerator Division within the EuPRAXIA program and different funding.
- The cost estimation of the implementation phase will take into account also the personnel requirements for the period 2025-2028.
- An integrated planning of the DA activities is being carried out in order to ensure an effective resource allocation to the EuPRAXIA initiatives, although this activity is not yet formalized.

- EuPRAXIA transition to single project to multiple correlated projects (Program)
- EuPRAXIA@SPARC_LAB is gradually converging to solid conclusions- on time w.r.t. original baseline. TDR is expected to be written in 2025, framework already in place.
 - X-Band Sections development is ongoing
 - TEX facility is now operating. 2 additional RF station will upgrade the facility by 2024.
 - Undulators prototype SABINA ready.
 - Plasma R&D is proceeding towards high performances solutions
 - Transition to the implementation phase is taking momentum.
- EuAPS is a new challenge that will complete the EuPRAXIA phase 1
 - Very demanding project from management perspectives (all tenders to be adjudicated by Dec23).
 - Additional manpower was possible (including an infrastructure manager).
 - Opportunity to laser upgrade
 - Synergy with EuPRAXIA@SPARC_LAB for beam line and user end station.
- EuPRAXIA Building has now passed the authorization phase and executive design is ongoing. The building construction tender can be likely issued during 2024.