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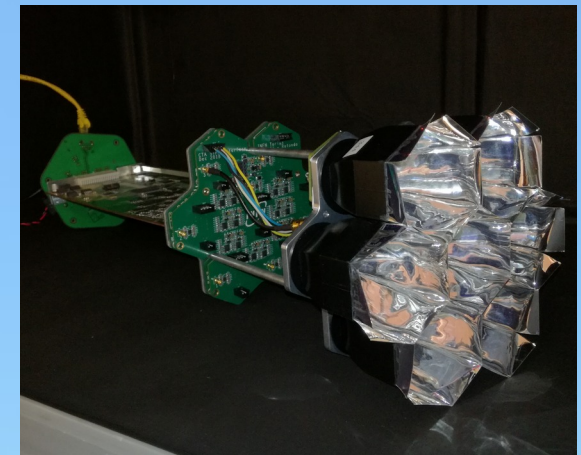
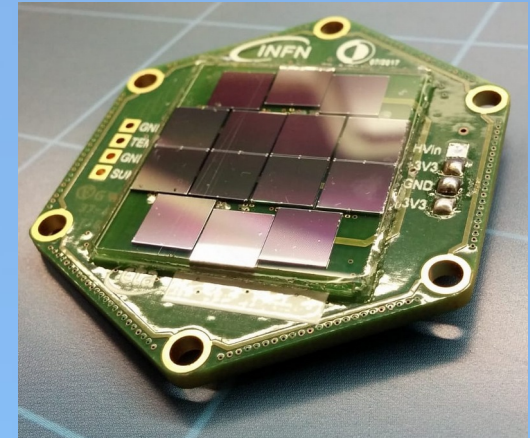
Development and test of a cluster for a SiPM version of the CTA-LST camera



- First LST under construction at CTA North site
- PMT camera: 1855 pixels:
 - large area (1.5" diameter)
 - Large background from NSB
 - 3.5 ns FWHM, ns sampling readout
- Feasibility study for a SiPM version of the camera
- Keep the existing electronics as much as possible

- One cluster demonstrator (7 pixels)
- SiPM pixel: 14 6x6-mm² FBK NUV SiPM
- Fast pixel electronics (~2 ns FWHM)
- Interface to slow-control and sampling electronics
- Heat transfer to cooled backplane

- Setup and DAQ being finalized now
- Full performance characterization coming



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