# CGEM-IRC MEETING INTRODUCTION AND MECHANICS

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### LAST TIME WE MET (DEC. 2018)



Lots of excitement for the arrival of the detector at IHEP...

Then we discovered that we couldn't completely power on Layer 1 and Layer 3.

A different 2019 began. Manpower and activities have been heavily reorganized.

But let's do a step backward.



# LAYER 1

Jun 2017 - Nov 2018

Layer 1 (L1) working well in Italy for cosmics and at CERN for beam test.



#### Early Nov 2018

mechanical test of the assembly of L1 + L2 + L3. operation smooth with no problem.

#### • Nov. 2018

L1 has been shipped to IHEP with the other layers.

mid Nov 2018 - mid Dec 2018

L1 on at nominal values, after few days from the arrival, for three weeks: no HV issues.

mid Dec

mechanical assembly L1 + L2: operation was performed smoothly by people who did it before in Italy.

#### Dec 18-25

HV issue turning on L1 after the assembly with Layer 2



# **INVESTIGATION ON LAYER 1**

- cross checked and tested the procedure and the tooling for assembling L1 and L2 -->
  no anomalies found
- repeated the assembly operation --> smooth and no electrical issues
- tried to operate the detector while pulling the edges to remove the contact --> the HV stability slightly improved
- measure the detector shape with a laser arm --> ok
- perform a CT scan to see the interior of the detector  $\rightarrow$  see next slide



#### AFTER SHIPPING

This remaine d fixed to the shipping structure



This side collapsed → vibrations removed the fixing screws





#### CT SCAN ON LAYER 1



# This is the fixed side



#### LAYER 3



- damage to the external structure happened just after the construction
- big gas leak found and fixed after shipping
- spotted some defects to the inner face not present before shipping
- laser arm measurement  $\rightarrow$  external shape not changed  $\rightarrow$  but not enough resolution
- measured electrical contacts between different GEM foils
- CT scan to confirmed the contacts between GEMs.





# CT SCAN ON L3







## PHYSICAL INSPECTION OF L3

The external hit on the anode



The hit reached the GEM foil underneath the rohacell



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opening the CGEM

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additional damages not related to the hit

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# **INVESTIGATION ABOUT L3**

- L3 internal structure was seriously compromised
- The initial damage was more serious than expected
- The initial not-perfect situation of L3 got worst after the shipping
   → big gas leakage
- L3, due to its larger radius, is more sensitive to vibrations.

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# INTERNAL REVIEW OF THE ISSUES

- L1  $\rightarrow$  damaged by the shipping
- L3  $\rightarrow$  damaged by initial hit + shipping
- - details in the backup slides
- Tooling and procedure for assembly the three layers → OK
  - details in the backup slides
- Single layer design
  - the Rohacell structure is designed to keep the spacing within the external rings and for that purpose it works ok → L2 prototype works since 2015.
  - But during handling and shipping can transmit vibrations and mechanical stress to the electrodes inside which are less elastic. → highly recommended to improve the rigidity

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#### MECHANICAL STRENGTHENING OF THE DETECTOR

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Mechanical robustness

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#### Material budget

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Ideas:

shipping box

• add a grid to help the gap spacing

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#### PROCEDURE

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Simulation Cylindrical on planar simulation samples Tune simulation with test results Design Test on planar samples

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comparative analysis using 70 x 10 mm<sup>2</sup> planar samples (cylindrical shape is supposed to be more robust)

## ALL SIMULATED CONFIGURATIONS

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#### PLAIN HONEYCOMB VS ROHACELL

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#### FIBER IMPROVEMENT EVIDENT

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## TWO SKINS X10 BETTER THAN ONE

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## CARBON BETTER THAN GLASS

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# LOAD TEST ON SAMPLES (ASTM C393-00)

Cathode (2 mm) and Anode (4 mm) samples have been prepared by us and by LOSON personnel using different sandwiches of kapton, rohacell, honeycomb, fiber glass and carbon fiber.

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## DATA/SIMULATION COMPARISON

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#### COMMENT ON TESTS AND SIMULATIONS

- Two skins of carbon fibers are the best solution to reinforce the CGEM structure.
  - almost 10 times more rigid w.r.t. the present design from test sample
  - more than 50 times more rigid from simulations
- Is that enough? See next slides
- Additional modification to the permaglass rings will be added in order to improve the grip of the gluing.
  - for the rings already ordered the modifications will be done at LNF.

# CYLINDRICAL SIMULATIONS

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Maximum deformation when a force of 10 N is applied on one side and the other side is fixed. Mechanical tolerances of the assembly and installation mechanics is about 100 um. During the vertical assembly the GEM cylinder are free to move within the tolerance with no damage.

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## CYLINDRICAL SIMULATIONS

#### Layer 1 with carbon fiber

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#### Layer 3 with carbon fiber

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# NEW DESIGN

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#### Layer 1

- add 2 skins of carbon fiber (70 microns each) to the anode;
- use honeycomb instead of Rohacell as "filling material" for anode and cathode
- the cathode has the faraday cage on its internal part

#### Layer 2

- it will remain as it is
- carbon fiber reinforcement will be added to the external structure, outside the active area, between the rings and the Rohacell

#### Layer 3

- add 2 skins of carbon fiber (70 microns each) to the anode
- add 1 skin o carbon fiber (70 microns) to the cathode
- the anode has the faraday cage outside the ground plane

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# How MUCH MATERIAL BUDGET

- Rohacell based CGEM (layer 2)
  - total material budget for one layer ~0.45% of X0
- With carbon fiber for L1 and L3
  - total material budget for one layer ~0.49% of X0

Cathode	honeycomb +	carbon	
material	thickness	fill factor	% of X0
carbon fiber	70	1	0.024997
ероху	10	1	0.00293333
honeycomb	2000	1	0.016
		1	0
ероху	10	1	0.00293333
kapton	50	1	0.0175
copper	3	1	0.021
		Tot. cathode	0.08536367

#### Layer 3 stratigraphy

GEM			
material	thickness	fill factor	% of X0
copper	5	0.77	0.02695
kapton	50	0.77	0.013475
copper	5	0.77	0.02695
		Tot GEM1	0.067375
		Tot 3 GEM	0.202125

#### Rad. Len. Material unit 1.43 cm copper 28.6 cm kapton rohacel 1425 cm 1250 cm honeycomb 33.5 cm epoxy carbon fiber 28 cm fiberglass 16 cm

#### +0.0004 X<sub>0</sub>

Anode				
material	thickness	fill factor	% of X0	
		0	0	
kapton	50	1	0.0175	
copper	5	1	0.035	
ероху	20	1	0.00586667	
carbon fiber	70	1	0.024997	
honeycomb	4000	1	0.032	
carbon fiber	70	1	0.024997	
ероху	20	1	0.00586667	
kapton	25	1	0.00875	
ероху	25	1	0.00733333	
copper	5	0.87	0.03045	
kapton	50	0.2	0.0035	
copper	5	0.2	0.007	
		Tot Anode	0.20326067	

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#### SHIPPING

 The detector will be immerged in a dumping foam and not hang to damping springs

- The dumping structure has been designed by
  - the Angst+Pfister company

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## DUMPING MATERIAL

#### **APSOPUR®**

Material	mixed cellular polyurethane		
Color	green		
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Standard dimen	sions on stock		
Thickness	12.5 mm with APSOPUR® NC L11–12 25 mm with APSOPUR® NC L11–25		
Rolls	1.5 m wide, 5.0 m long		
Stripes	max. 1.5 m wide, up to 5.0 m long		

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## SHIPPING BOX

- dimensions 40x40x120 cm<sup>3</sup> •
- will be shipped as cabin baggage
- with Air China direct flight

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#### will be

simulated ٠

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characterized using a vibrating machine

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#### SCHEDULE

- The schedule is still an issue.
- The Lab management asked us to deliver to IHEP the new detector by December -January 2020.
- Not impossible, but no contingency accounted for L3 construction.
- Layer 1 construction started, ready by mid September.

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# (33) THANKS

## THE ASSEMBLY PROCEDURE

WEST SIDE

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Positioning of the interconnecting flange on the west side

buttonhole made to compensate mechanical tolerances.

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#### WEST SIDE

EAST SIDE

Inser L1 up to the edge of the interconnecting flange

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EAST

SIDE

Fasten L1 on the west side in phi direction. The screws are not tight to prevent deformation of the CGEM

WEST

SIDE

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Insert the east flange without fixing the screw.

By means of buttonholes the flange and L1 have no constrain in the longitudinal direction.

#### isostatic condition

Buttonholes gives the correct phi orientation.

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EAST SIDE

#### WEST SIDE

Fix L1 longitudinally on west side

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EAST

SIDE

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WEST SIDE Connect longitudinally the EAST flange.

The flange and L1 have no constrain in the longitudinal direction.

The friction is very small and the alignment operation is done pushing with just one finger.

No fastening on EAST side done at IHEP during these operations since layer 2 is supposed to be replaced.

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#### TOOLING FOR THE CGEM-IT ASSEMBLY

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# PICTURE OF THE FERRARA MECHANICAL TEST

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#### PICTURES OF THE FINAL SETUP

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#### CATHODE WEAKER THAN ANODE

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