

# Pixel Endcap Type-I Services Mockup

- ❑ Status of setups
- ❑ Plans for testing

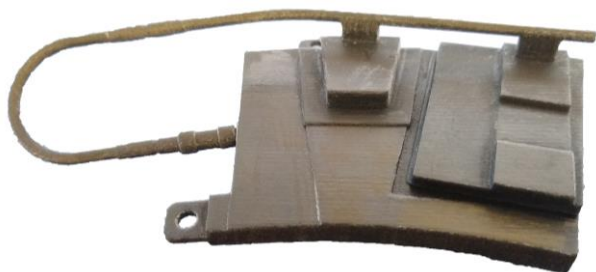


# Single Half Ring Mock Up

- ❑ 20cm Al L2 half cylinder & Al L2 half rings
  - mounting points for half rings & dummy modules
  - components to play with:
    - 3D-printed: ends of half rings, modules, ...
    - dummy modules with data pigtails
    - Mock data cable end with data pigtail
    - Type-I cables: only MOPS com still missing...
    - CF shell to play with still at Liverpool...



Mock data cable end (made last week):  
13x Twinax bundle glued to prototype data pigtail



3D-printed half ring end

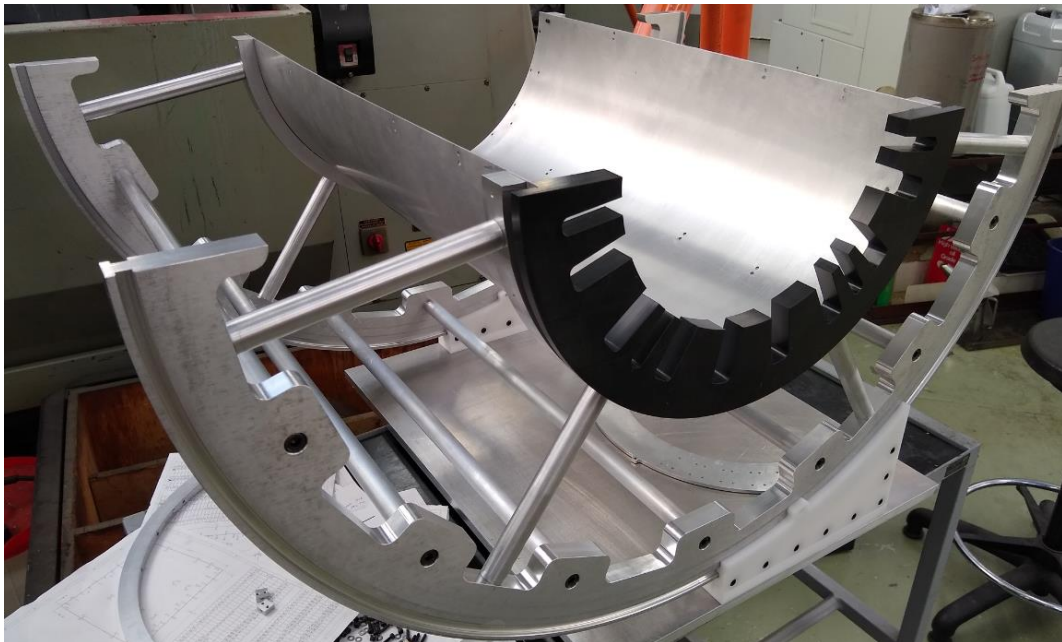


Data pigtail & dummy module



# 60cm Half Ring Mock Up

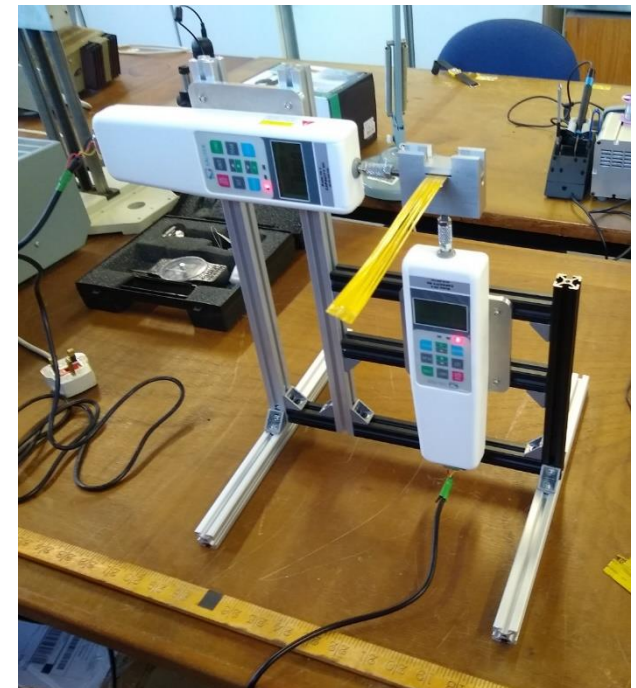
- ❑ Al-frame (currently supporting  $>90^\circ$  rotation, can be extended e.g. to  $270^\circ$ ):
  - cradle with modular frame on Teflon gliders
  - can mount L2, L3, L4 60cm models, individually or simultaneously, via Al mounting lugs
  - currently mounted:
    - L2 sheet metal half cylinder with POM end flange
  - first sheet-rolled L2 half-cylinder had 1mm bow  
→ currently being redone



# Force Measurement Setups

## ❑ Cable bending tester:

- x-y-mount of two force gauges with simultaneous readout
- custom adapters, dedicated for each cable bundle type
- to study forces on cable bundles for cable routing scenarios & cable bundle types if you:
  - bend
  - twist
  - turn
- plastic bending standards (e.g. various radii)
- 2x Sauter FH-5 force gauges:
  - range: 0-5N
  - resolution: 0.001N
  - up to 2000 samples/s
  - RS232 readout
  - Edinburgh readout software (by Chloe)



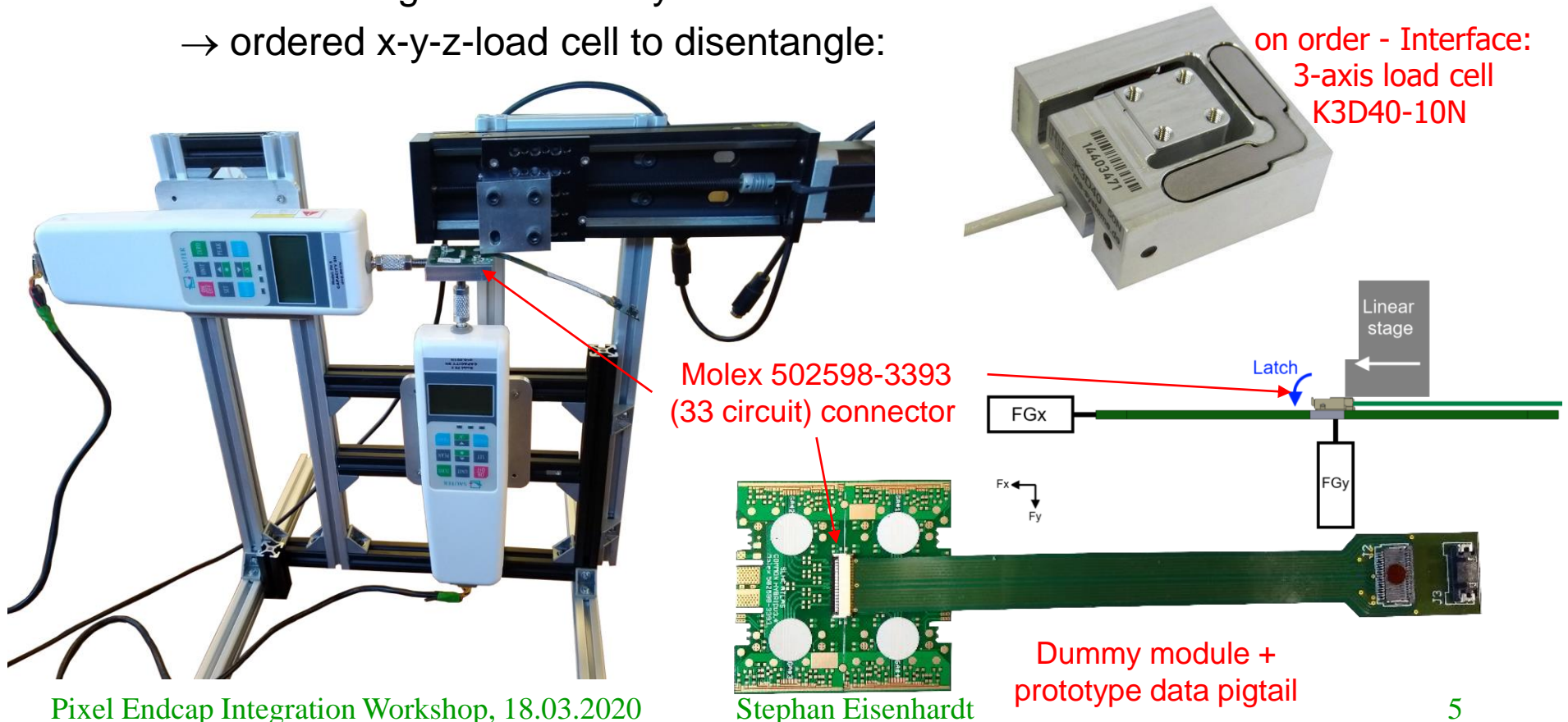
Cable bending force  
measurement system



# Force Measurement Setups

## ❑ Connector latch force tester:

- 2x Sauter FH-5 force gauges + Zaber T-LSR150B motorised linear stage(s) :
- controlled, repeatable connector latch operation & x-y force measurement
- issue: entanglement of x-&y-channel leads difficult to calibrate residuals  
→ ordered x-y-z-load cell to disentangle:



# Services Mock-up & Cable Routing

## ❑ Status & progress:

- design, setup & production of test jigs in progress
  - available: preliminary layer 2 jigs
  - available: mock layer 2 half-ring & 3D-printed half-ring ends with modules & piping
  - available: new forge gauges
- questions answered:
  - design to build mock-up enabling rotation in  $\phi$
  - design to build test jig for quantitative force test on cable bundle samples

# Services Mock-up & Cable Routing

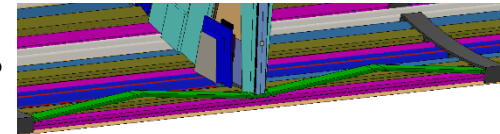
## ❑ Status & progress:

### — questions open:

- trial & document **behaviour of routing cable bundles** (turning, twisting, side-shifting & stacking)
- trial cable **mount/fixation options**
- trial **CTE compliance strategy** ('wavy' routing of cable bundles)
- trial data **cable bundle building strategy** (fusing only every few O(10cm), leaving freedom to bend)
- trial **cable stripping & connector mounting**
- check cable bundle **fitting for layer 2, ring 10** (densest population of cables)
- data **pigtail to module mounting**:
  - connector orientation: to high-r (direct routing) or to low-r (loop-back routing)
  - when: at module production, after module mounting or after half-ring integration
  - trial & compare mating action under various mock conditions
  - tooling & test interfaces needed
- study region of **overlap of two half-rings** (services routing & possible conflicts)
- develop **strategy for production jigging** for Type-I services
- develop **labelling/colour scheme** for bookkeeping

### — time scale for results:

- for discussion: **what is depending on input from these tests**, and **when?**



detail of L2 cable routing option:  
with clamps & excess cable to address CTE

# Mock Up Test Programme

## ❑ Non-data Type-I cables:

- insulator: Polyimide vs PEEK
  - conductor: single- vs multi-stranded
  - conductor: copper vs TPC
  - cable: single vs already twisted
  - cable:
  - cable bundle:
- ... try to gain understanding to enable manuf.
- } bending radii vs force & vs spring-back  
CTE & cable bulging, routing stability / Ø  
connector mounting / tinning procedure  
reliable TWP manufacture from single cables  
insulator stripping (chemical/mechanical)  
routing & fixation

## ❑ Data Type-I cables (twinax):

- cable:
  - cable bundle:
  - cable bundle:
  - pack of cable bundles:
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- bending forces / material fatigue  
building bundles of 5 / 9(?) / 13 twinax cables  
bending properties, stiffness, spring-back, ...  
turning options 90° bend / sideways shift  
trial of looming options (inside/outside bulkhead)  
fixation options, with slip/bulge for CTE



# Spare Slides

# Endcap Type-I Services Mock-Up

## □ Schedule:

### – target dates to work towards:

- all Services PDR: 25.10.2019
- all Services FDR: 04.06.2021
- all Services PRR: 08.07.2022
- Endcap:
- Type-1 non-data cables – preliminary design: 15.04.2019 – 05.07.2019
- Type-1 non-data cables – design & prototyping: 28.10.2019 – 10.04.2020
- Type-1 non-data cables – test of prototypes: 23.12.2019 – 14.02.2020
- Type-1 non-data cable bundle – design & prototyping: 23.04.2020 – 25.09.2020
- Type-1 non-data cable bundle – prototypes during design phase: 08.06.2020 – 28.08.2020
- Type-1 non-data cable bundle – prototype testing: 31.08.2020 – 23.10.2020
- Endcap Type-1 cable bundle pre-production & QA: 21.06.2021 – 27.08.2021
- Endcap Type-1 cable bundle production: 11.07.2022 – 23.12.2022
- Endcap Type-1 cable bundle QC tests: 26.12.2022 – 04.08.2023
- Endcap Type-0 production: 13.03.2020 – 12.05.2023
- Endcap EoS production: 20.04.2020 – 05.05.2023

# Endcap Type-I Services Mock-Up

- ❑ Issues identified at 01.05.2019 Mock-up workshop:
  - **corrections** to Fred's cable model:
    - **non-data cable** multiplicities & cross-section allocation
  - **most critical location**: bypass of services for rings R0-R9 at L2 ring R10
    - highest number of data links & lowest available cross-section
    - **filling factor ~100%**, maybe even beyond...
    - identified suggestions to mitigate this
  - **data cable assembly: no space for mating action** – blocked by cables from lower-z rings
    - discussed alternative layouts: a) turn connector by 180°, b) **take connector off ring surface** (w. flex)
    - see spare slides: "Issue with Assembly of Data cables" for discussion & "Data EoS Interface" for illustration

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## ❑ Aims / questions to answer:

- CAD validation:
  - gain experience in **handling bundles of cable**: study bending radii, side-way shifting, spring-back, ...
  - are the **packing factors** realistic & which **envelopes** do we have to use at turns/side-way shifts?
- cable harness topology:
  - **multiplicity** and **accuracy** of different **cable bundles** needed
  - (how) can we split into manageable **sub-assemblies/harnesses**?
  - services **routing** between end-flange & PP1 to **patch EC to PP1** connector assignment
- assembly of cable harnesses:
  - which production & assembly steps to be **out-sourced to industry**
  - **jigging & tooling**
  - transition from 2D to 3D assembly
  - order of assembly on 3D jig
- **fixation** of cable harness:
  - on assembly jig
  - in CF half-shell
  - **slack needed** to account for differences in CTE (carbon fibre vs. cables, +20...-35°C or +60...-55°C)
- ...

# Endcap Type-I Services Mock-Up

- ❑ Aims / questions to answer: (cont'd)
  - installation in CF shell:
    - **installation order** (services & half-rings)
    - connector mating/de-mating (needed space & tooling)
    - **connection procedure** (must be practical and safe, e.g. securing floppy connector ends...)
  - jiggging/support for **cables outside heavy flange**:
    - for services: assembly, mounting in 3D, transport, transfer to CF half-shells, during system tests
    - assembled EC shells: transport to CERN, integration into ATLAS, mounting to PP1



# Endcap Type-I Services Mock-Up

## ❑ Next practical steps:

- 60cm half-shells at **Liverpool & Edinburgh**
  - Tim suggested: CFRP outer & middle layer and Al inner layer
  - **decide on location**: inner to Edi? → study most crowded feed-through at L2 R10
- acrylic flanges & dummy half-rings (2 per layer), plastic ring mounts
  - make in Uni workshops
- dummy EoS & PP1 interfaces
  - using preliminary / trial connector choices
- cables:
  - order non-data cables
  - get data cables from US partners
- connectors:
  - get samples & trial cabling up
- cable mount design options:
  - trial different approaches (e.g. could use 3D printed prototypes to try arbitrary concepts)

## ❑ Think about / plan for:

- **jigging concepts** & options for cable harness assembly
- **implications** for transport & integration into half-shells
- options for harness support **outside end-flange**



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