

# SIG-WP4

New technologies for dose delivery system

*Revisione planning globale e budget*

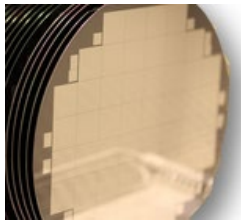
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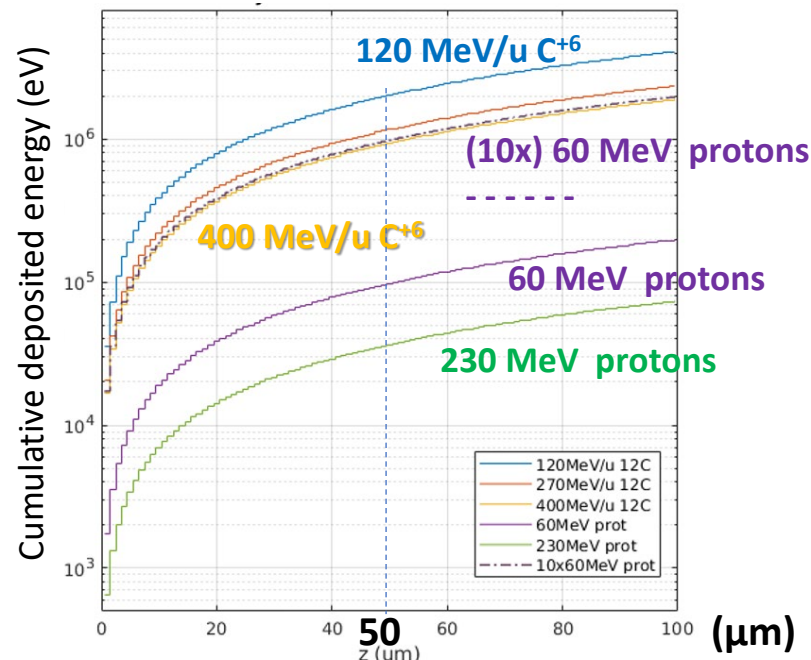
# WP4 – New technologies for dose delivery system

## T4.1 – Thin planar silicon sensors for Carbon ion counter

Starting point: INFN-MoVeIT results with protons



- ? Single ion signal
- ? Ionization density effects
- ? Radiation resistance



## T4.2 - Single ion crossing time measurement

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pico-TDC ASIC for precise time-tagging of up to 64 inputs channels

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## T4.3 – GPU-based data analysis for online dose verification

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# WP4 – NEW GANTS

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# WP4 – BUDGET ASSEGNATO

Sigla Loc.	Capitolo	Riunione	Note Alla Richiesta	Rich.	Rich. SJ	Assegn.	Assegn. SJ	Assegn. Dot.	Assegn. Ant.	Assegn. Ant. Dot.	Commento Alla Assegnazione
TO	MISS	Assegnazioni	Missioni WP4 - Turni di misura a CNAO (ioni C) per caratterizzazione di sensori e di misure di tempo con ASIC dedicati. Visita al CERN per consulenza su impiego del picoTDC. Å§	5.0	0.0	2.5					
		Assegnazioni	Missioni WP5 - Misure su fascio a CNAO (ioni C) per studio della produzione di radiazione secondaria, test rivelatori I3PET e rivelatore LaBr3(Ce). Misure di PGT.Å§	5.0	0.0	2.5					Attività limitata ai rivelatori già esistenti (upgrade differito al secondo anno di progetto)
		Totale MISS		10.0	0.0	5.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
	CON	Assegnazioni	WP4 (task 2) PicoTDC evaluation boards Å§	2.5	0.0	2.5					
		Assegnazioni	WP4 (task 1) Realizzazione due schede di front-endÅ§	2.0	0.0	0.0					Attività differita al secondo anno di progetto
		Assegnazioni	WP4 (Task 1 e 2) materiale di consumo per il montaggio e i test su fascio Å§	2.0	0.0	2.0					
		Assegnazioni	WP4 (Task 3) Workstation con GPU Quadro RTX 5000 Å§	8.0	0.0	0.0					
		Assegnazioni	WP5 (task 1) Acquisto cristalli LaBr3Å§	18.0	0.0	0.0					Attività differita al secondo anno di progetto
		Assegnazioni	WP5 (task 1) Produzione di SIPM c/o FBKÅ§	2.0	0.0	0.0					Attività differita al secondo anno di progetto
		Assegnazioni	WP5 (task 1) FE board per rivelatore LaBr3Å§	1.0	0.0	0.0					Attività differita al secondo anno di progetto
		Assegnazioni	WP5 (task 1) FPGA Xilinx Kintex-7 Evaluation kitÅ§	2.0	0.0	2.0					
		Assegnazioni	WP4 (task 2) FPGA Xilinx Kintex-7 Evaluation kitÅ§	2.5	0.0	0.0					Attività differita al secondo anno di progetto
		Totale CON		40.0	0.0	6.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
	INV	Assegnazioni	WP5 (task 1) Digitizer CAEN V1742Å§	9.0	0.0	0.0					
		Assegnazioni	WP5 (task 1) Alimentatore LV da bancoÅ§	1.0	0.0	0.0					
		Totale INV		10.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
	SPSERVIZI	Assegnazioni	Una annualità AdR per WP5 Å§	31.0	0.0	0.0					
		Totale SPSEVIZI		31.0	0.0	0.0					Richiesta differita al secondo anno di progetto
Totale TO				91.0	0.0	11.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
Totale Generale SIG				91.0	0.0	11.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	

WP4 – budget 2022

2.5 kE → 2 picoTDC + 2 FanoutBoard

2 kE consumo per misure dei sensori

# WP4 – NUOVO BUDGET SU 4 ANNI

Nuovo BUDGET WP4						TOT
WP4 - Dose Delivery System		2022	2023	2024	2025	
Task1	Instruments (sensors)		35			35
	Consumables	2	2	2.5	2	8.5
Task2	Instruments (ASIC)			35		35
	Consumables (picoTDC+FPGA+varie)	2.5	2	2	2	8.5
Task3	Consumables (GPU)	0	8			8
Mission		2.5	3.5	4.5	6.5	17
AdR –II fascia			31	31		62
TOTAL WP4		7	81.5	75	10.5	174

<b>MS # or DLV#</b>	<b>Description WP4</b>	<b>Inputs from</b>	<b>Time (Month from 1/1/22)</b>
MS4.1	Characterization of the available silicon sensors with carbon ions and study of radiation damage.		M24
MS4.2	Design and production of new silicon sensors		M30 <b>M36</b>
MS4.3	Ion counter assembly and test with the ESA ABACUS frontend board.		M36 <b>M42</b>
MS4.4	Test with carbon ions of available sensors using FAST-ASIC matched with the picoTDC.		M24 <b>M30-33</b>
MS4.5	Design, production and test of the SIG-ASIC (sub judice to results of MS4.4)	WP5	M30 <b>M36</b>
MS4.6	<b>Detector able to count the ions up to <math>10^8</math> ions/cm<sup>2</sup>*s and integrated timing detector and PGT system.</b>		M36 <b>M48</b>
MS4.7	Optimization of the multi-detector PGT analysis to run on CUDA.	WP5	M30 <b>M30</b>
MS4.8	<b>DDS sub-system for online treatment delivery verification through GPU-based data analysis.</b>		M36 <b>M42</b>

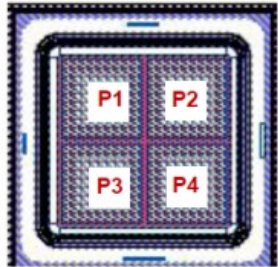
## **MILESTONES PROPOSTE E CONCORDATE**

### **WP4 – MILESTONES 2022**

<b>Milestones Concordate</b>	
<b>Data</b>	<b>Descrizione</b>
31-03-2022	Deliverable WP1 : Magnet Demonstrator Main Parameters
31-05-2022	Preliminary magnet design
30-06-2022	Agreement with CERN-CNAO
30-06-2022	Design of SMS
31-08-2022	Report sulle misure con fasci di carbonio presso il CNAO con i sensori per il DDS.
31-08-2022	Report sulle misure con fasci di carbonio presso il CNAO con i rivelatori I3PET per il RVS.

# WP4 – Task4.1 : R&D on new planar thin silicon sensors

## Thin silicon sensors and readout boards from past experiments



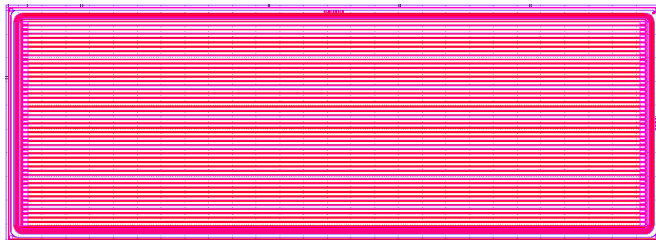
### Exflu

W6, 2x2, type 10

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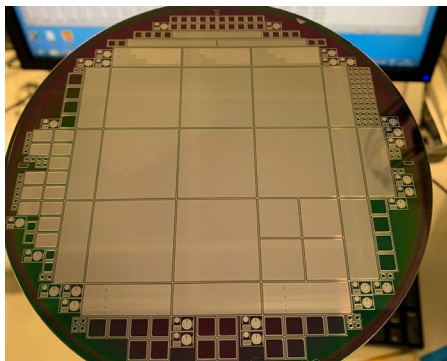


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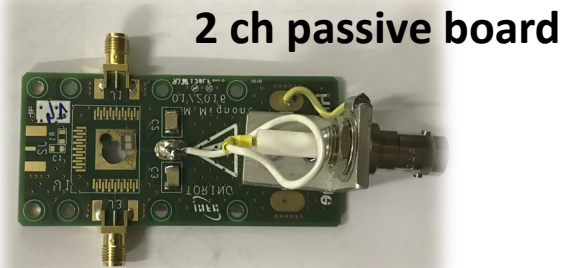


### MoVeIT 2020 – 146 strips

W10-A..

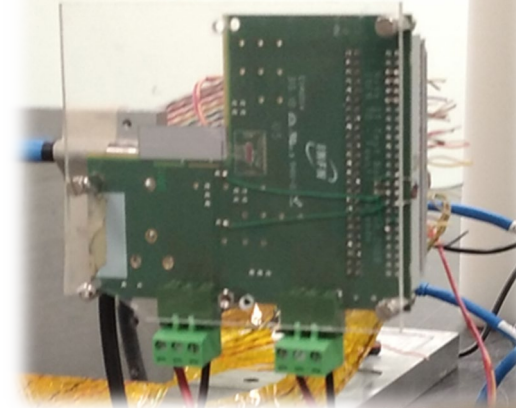
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2 ch passive board

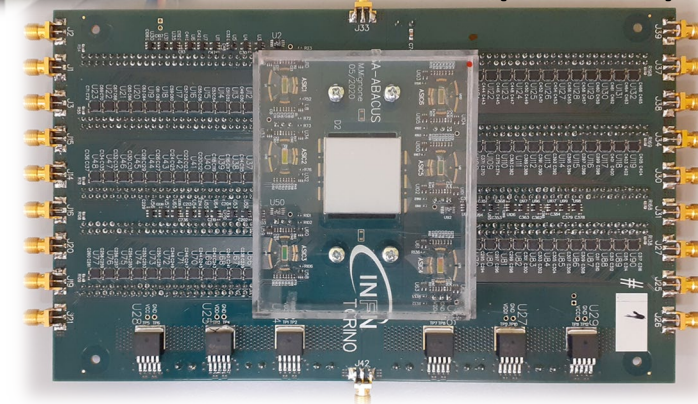
24 ch board (MoVeIT)



8 ch board  
(MoVeIT)

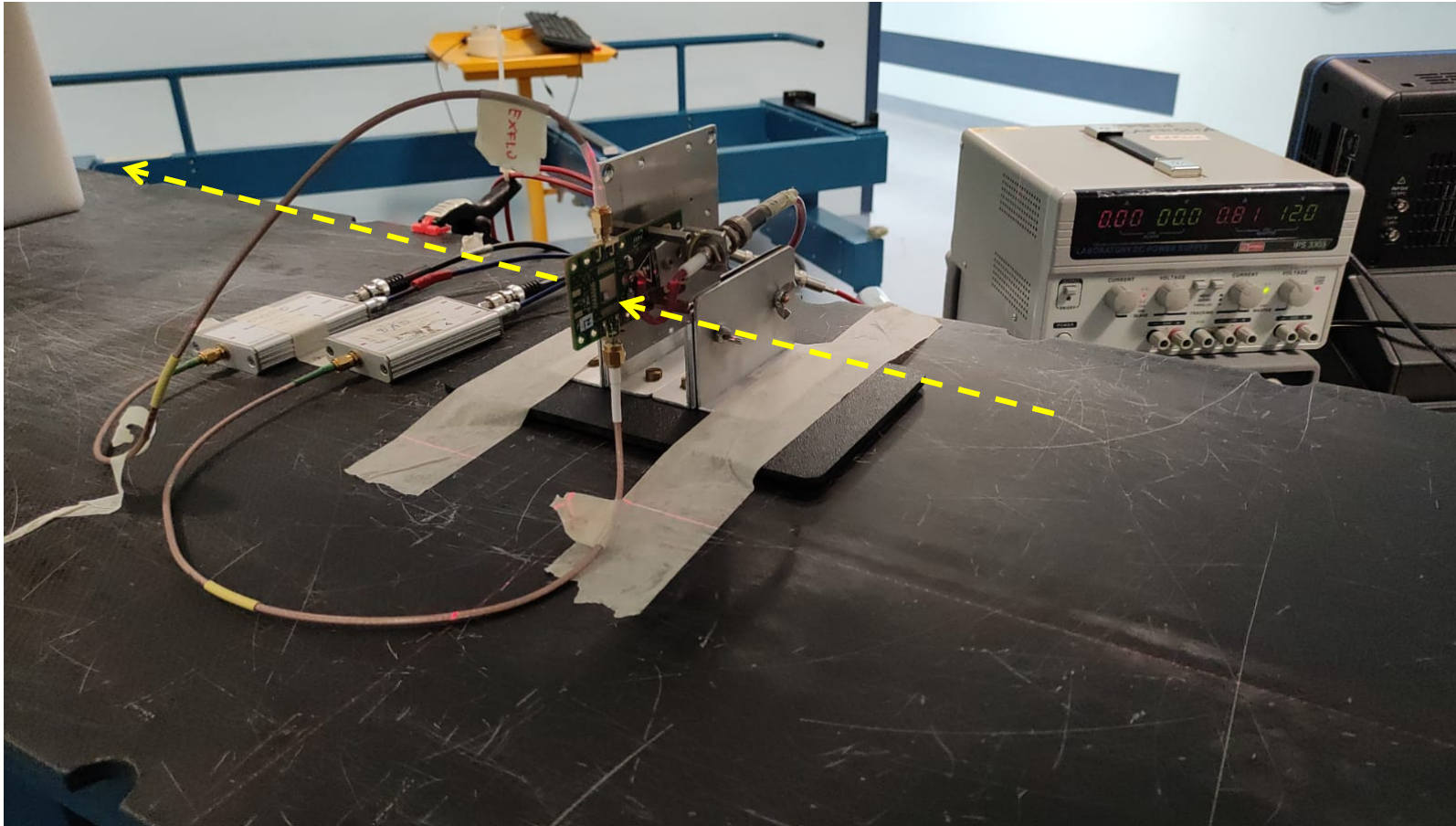


144 ch boards (MoVeIT)



# 12 DICEMBRE 2021

## PRIMO TEST CON IONI CARBONIO A CNAO



- Energies used:  
398.84 MeV/nucl  
271 MeV/nucl  
221 MeV/nucl  
166.41 MeV/nucl  
115.26 MeV/nucl
- HV: 120 V (Both sensors)

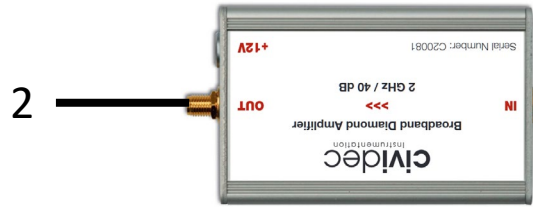
# SETUP MISURE DEL 12 DICEMBRE A CNAO

2 signals configuration

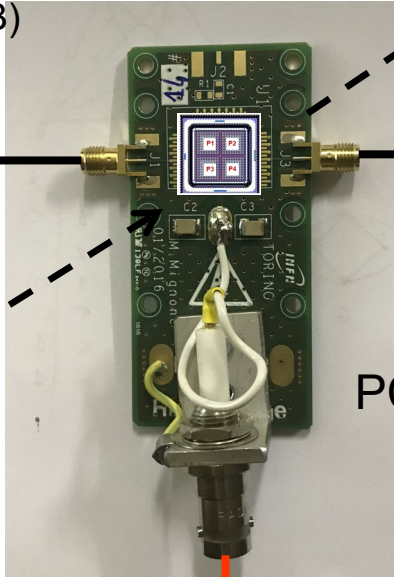
offline analysis

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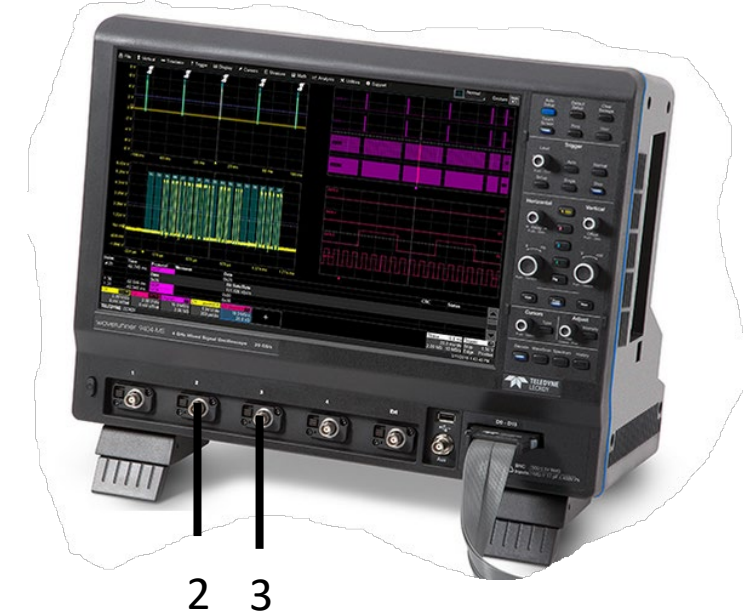


PCB board designed by Mignone



Beam

Lecroy Oscilloscope  
(WAVERUNNER 9254M)  
up to 40 GSample/s



**DT1471ET**

4 Ch Reversible 5.5 kV/300  $\mu$ A Desktop HV Power Supply  
Module (USB/Ethernet/T.screen)

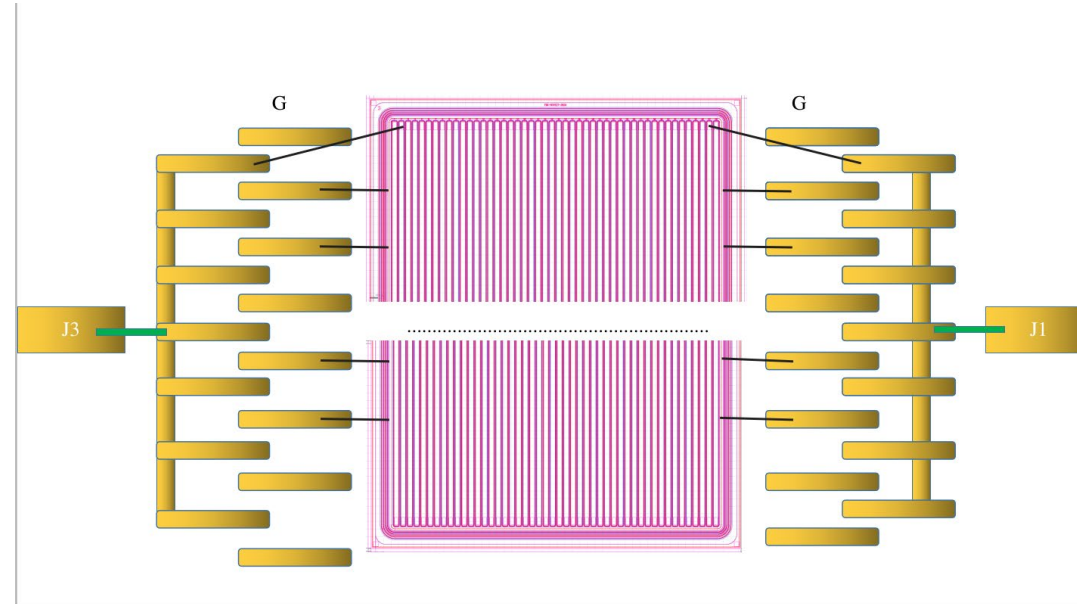
# SENSORI USATI NEL TEST DEL 12 DICEMBRE A CNAO

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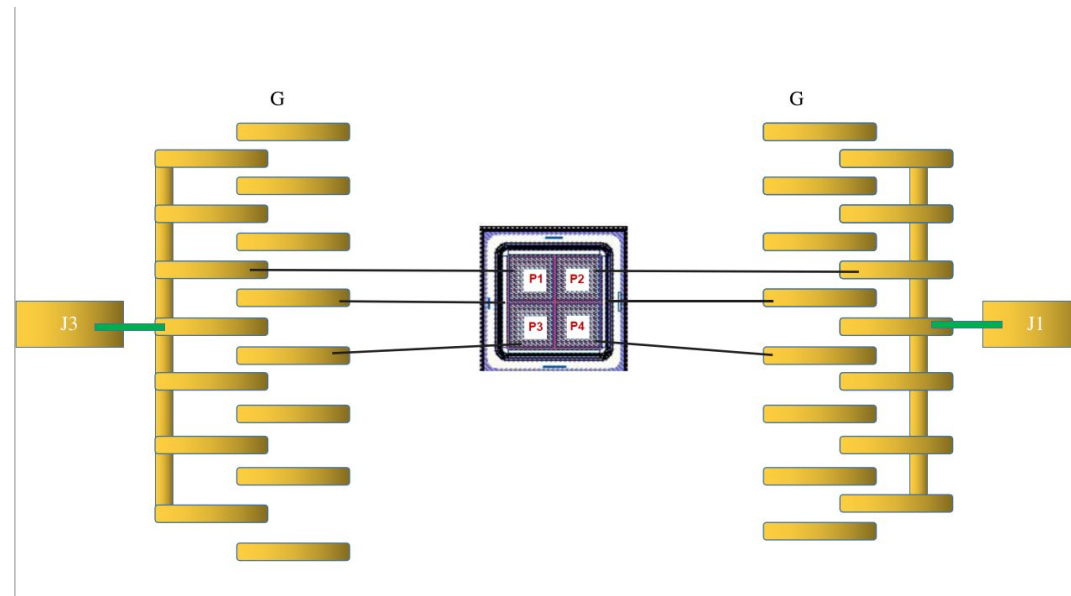
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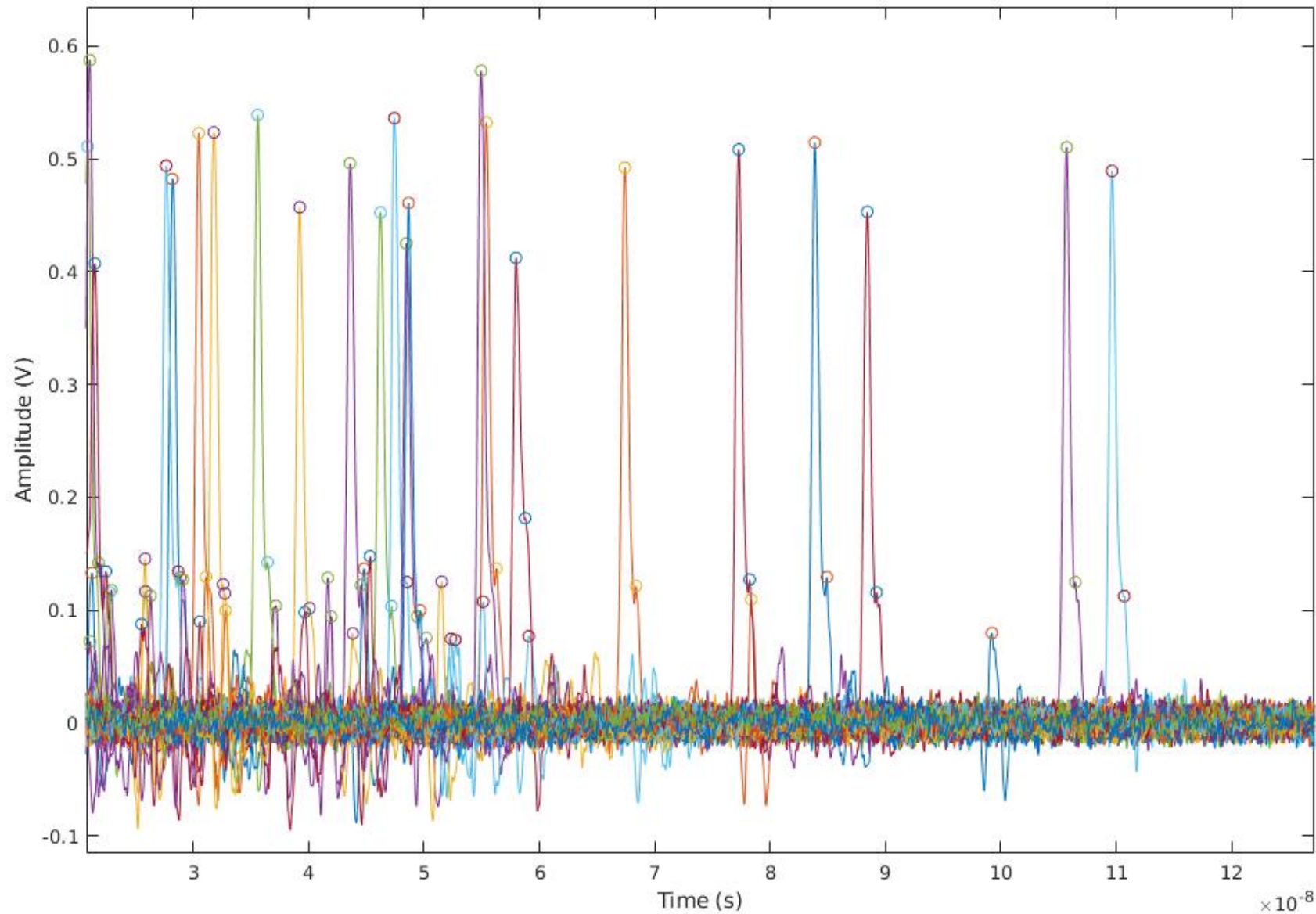
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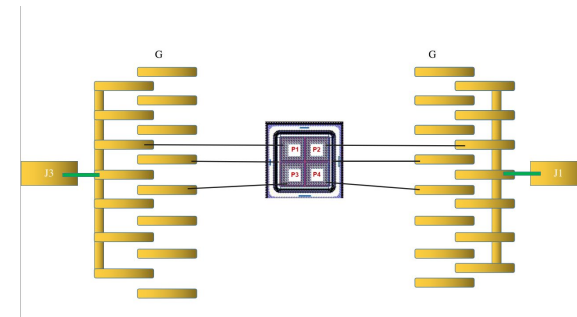




# SEGNALI PRODOTTI DAI SINGOLI IONI NEI PADS

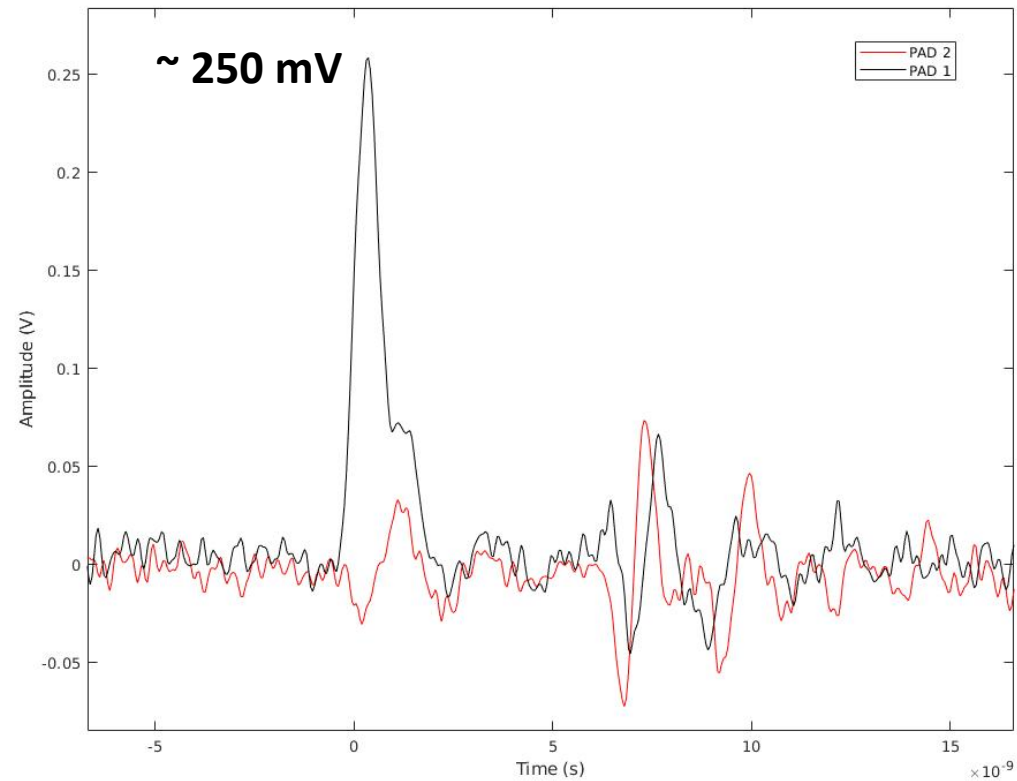


166.41 MeV/nucl  
PAD 1  
100 Waveforms

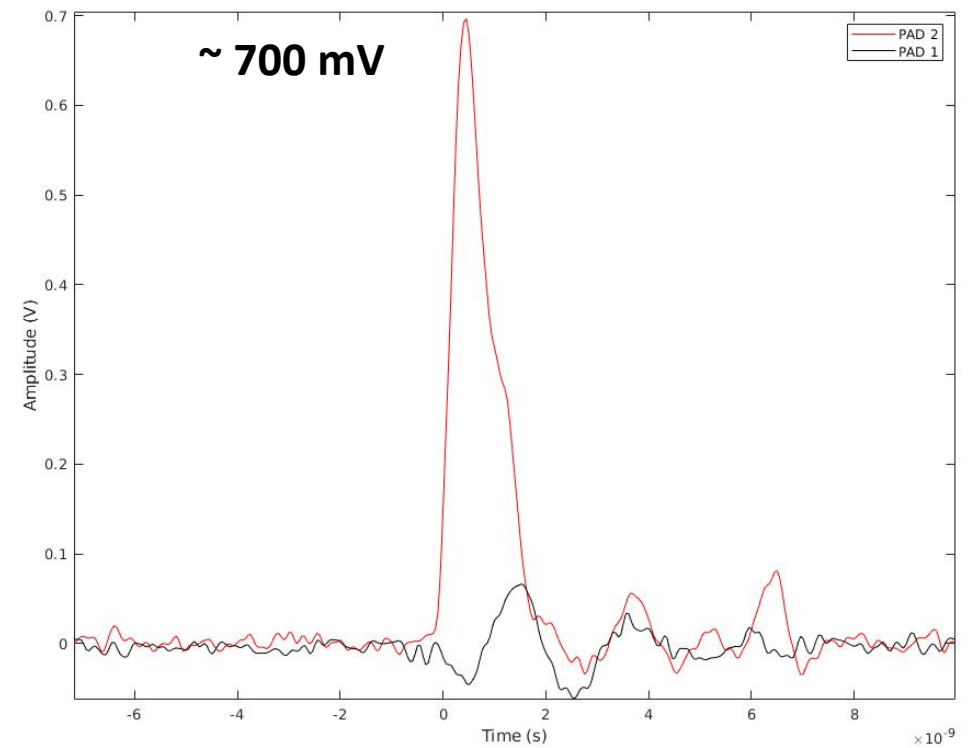


# AMPIEZZA SEGNALE A ENERGIE DIFFERENTI

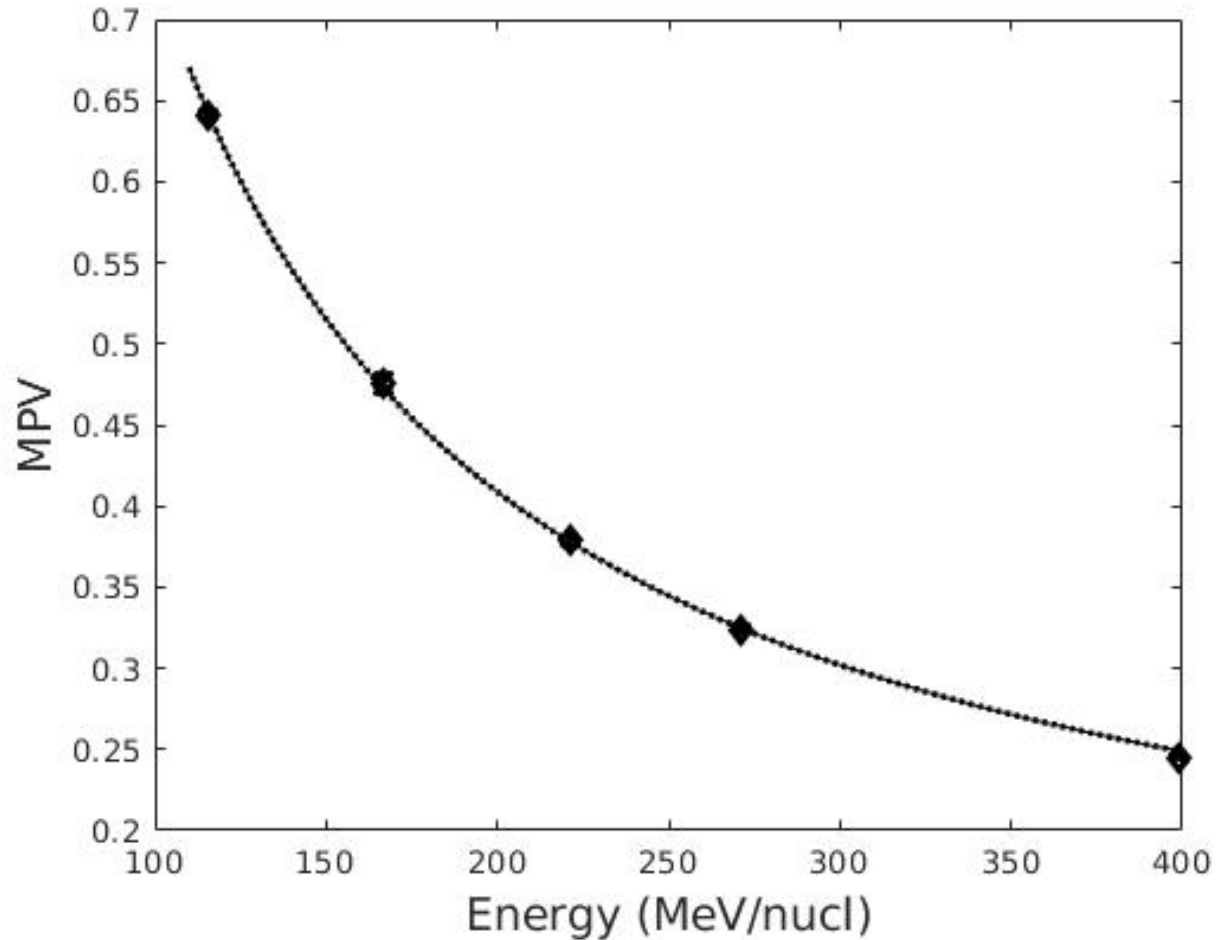
**400 MeV/nuc**



**115 MeV/nuc**



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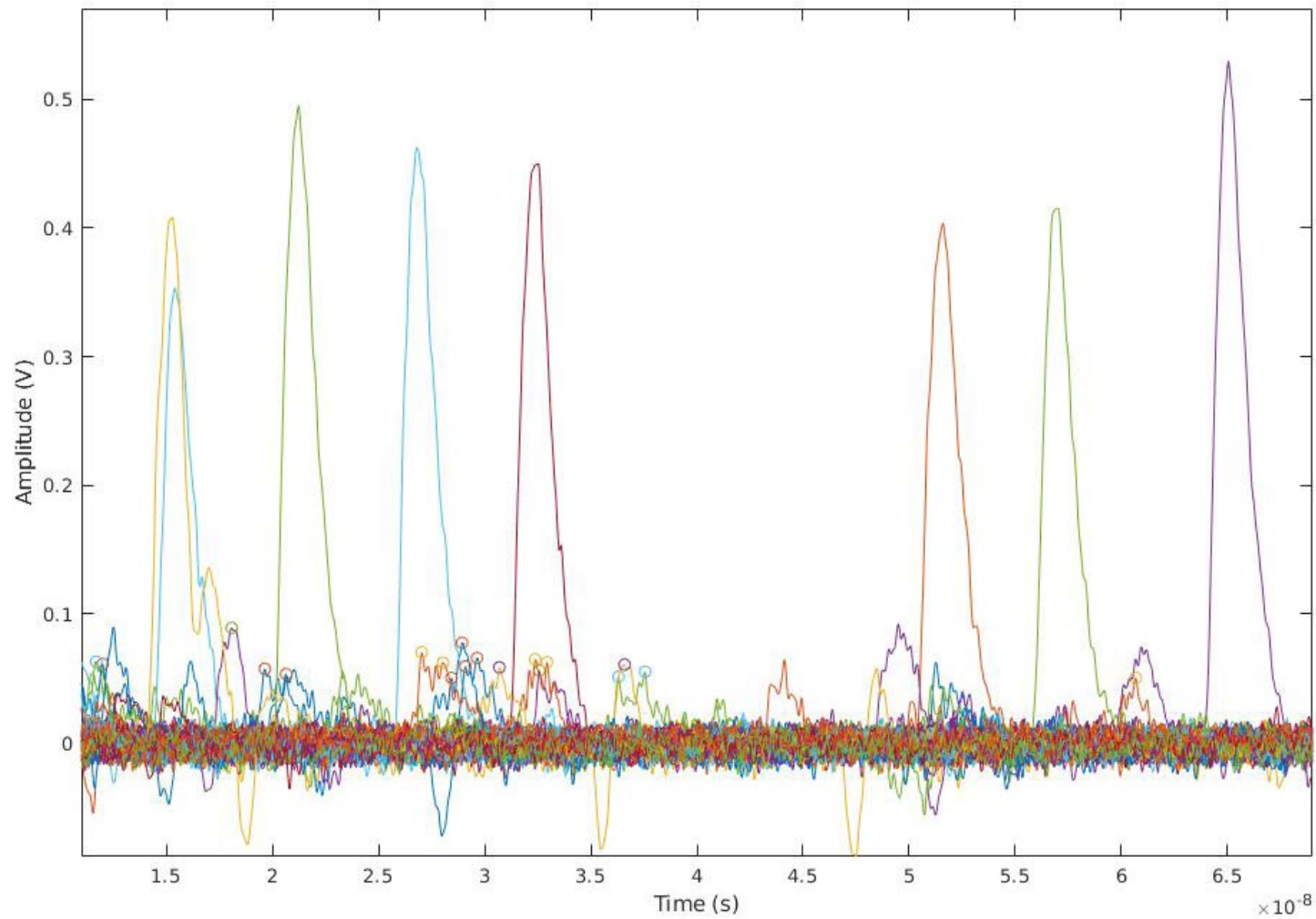
Bethe-Bloch formula

$$\frac{dE}{dx} \propto \frac{1}{v^2} \propto \frac{1}{E}$$

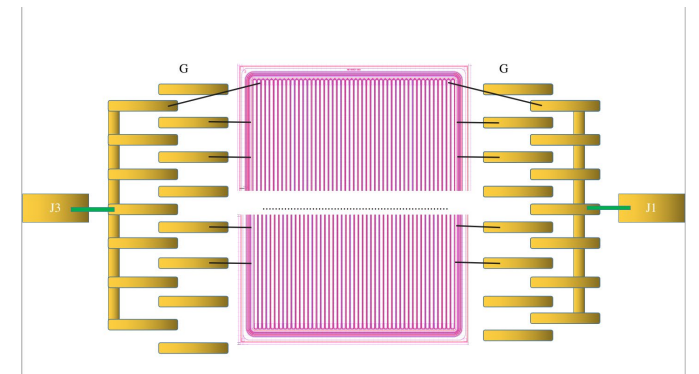
$$f(E) = a/(E) + b$$

General model:  $\text{fitres}(x) = a/(x) + b$   
Coefficients (with 95% confidence bounds):  
a = 63.98 (61.8, 66.17)  
b = 0.08875 (0.07582, 0.1017)  
rsquare: 0.9997

# SEGNALI PRODOTTI DAI SINGOLI IONI NELLE STRIPS



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Il 15/11/2021 16:31, Jorgen Christiansen ha scritto:

Dear colleagues interested in the PicoTDC

As you know from our last PicoTDC meeting:

<https://indico.cern.ch/event/1087968/>

We now have working PicoTDCs in final production package.

Manual and package info to be found on our sharepoint: <https://espace.cern.ch/PicoTDC>

Production testing will be developed over the coming months.

Final production lot of chips will be packaged over the next months. As substrates already produced, we assume/hope that there will not be significant delays on this.

We can in the coming weeks start to deliver samples of PicoTDC in final package, that will pass a basic functional test.

Evaluation/test board prototype (64 differential TDC channels on FMC connector and readout on another FMC connector) works well and small production lot of this will be submitted within the next 2 weeks.

Simple Fanout board getting 64 differential channels from FMC to SMA connectors already exist (but channel mapping will be different).

**In case you want to get PicoTDC samples and/or evaluation and/or fanout board please let us know this week (if not already done so).**

We will have to charge the following for this (via TID from CERN account):

PicoTDC samples: 200CHF/chip

Evaluation board with PicoTDC: 500CHF

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We will only produce one lot of evaluation/fanout boards, so can only supply these if ordered now.

## TASK 4.2

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Oggetto **RE: PicoTDC**

18/11/2021, 14:03

A Me <simona.giordanengo@to.infn.it> ★

Dear Simona

**2 Schede PicoTDC + 2 interfaccia ordinate**

I confirm that we have booked you for two of each board.

We expect that they should become available in ~February and will then contact you for payment and delivery.

Best regards

Jorgen

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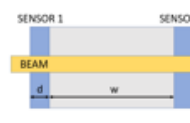
# ESR8: Real-Time 4D-dose calculation to assess the efficacy of motion mitigation strategies



**ESR : Cosimo Galeone** Supervisors : **Christian Graeff**, GSI Helmholtzzentrum für Schwerionenforschung (Darmstadt, Germany)  
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**Martin Janson**, RaySearch, (Stockholm, Sweden)  
**Simona Giordanengo**, National Institute of Nuclear Physics (INFN), (Torino, Italy)



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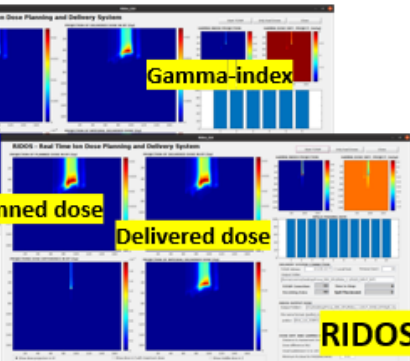
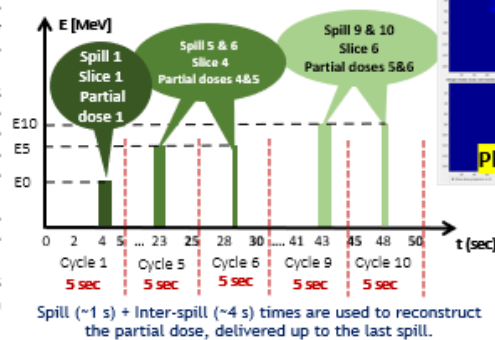
## Introduction

Prompt treatment verification represents one of the major aspects of the new workflow proposed by RAPTOR (imaging, intervention and verification). The FAST estimation of dose errors is a key part of online adaptive therapy because, for example, the daily plan can be adjusted to cope with discrepancies on the delivery of previous fractions. Moreover, a fast forward planning (FP) can be exploited to verify during treatment the efficacy of motion mitigation strategies like beam tracking, gating and 4D-optimized plan libraries. Towards this goals, GSI Helmholtzzentrum für Schwerionenforschung, University of Torino (UniT) and National Institute of Nuclear Physics (INFN) aim at developing a GPU-based tool to reconstruct in real-time the 4D-dose delivered during treatments, considering regular and irregular motions, and compare online the delivered dose with the planned one.

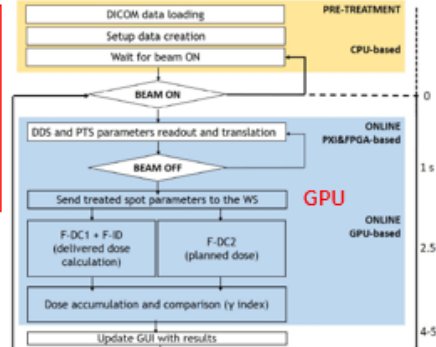
## Current System: RIDOS 3D Dose Reconstruction

The project is based on RIDOS (Real-time Ion Dose System), an online dose computation tool developed by INFN and UniT. This system, designed to be integrated into the Dose Delivery System (DDS) in use at CNAO (Centro Nazionale di Adroterapia Oncologica, Pavia), evaluates during the inter-spill time both the cumulative delivered and prescribed dose distributions and compares them through a fast  $\gamma$ -index algorithm.

Dose delivery time structure with Synchrotron



INPUT



RIDOS "per spill" operations

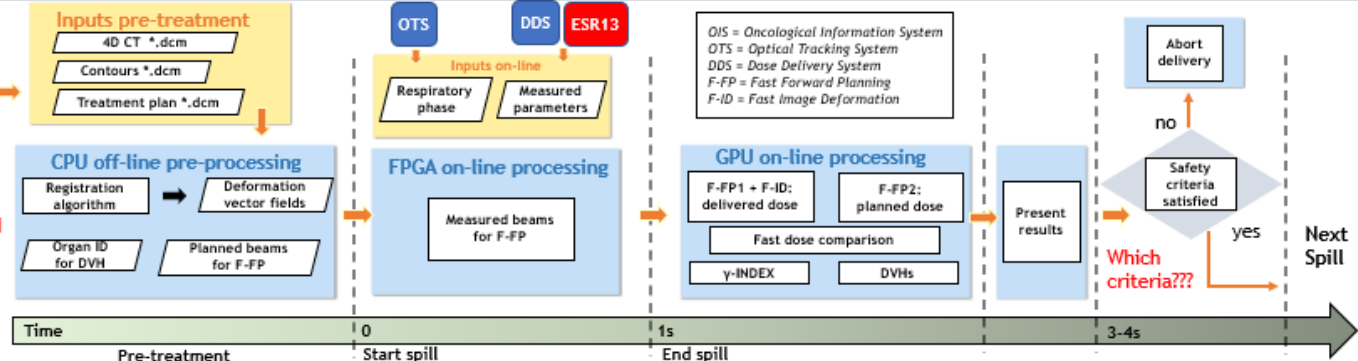
## Future System: RAPTOR 4D Dose Reconstruction

The plan is to develop an adaptable tool to be used during 4D experiments and real treatments.

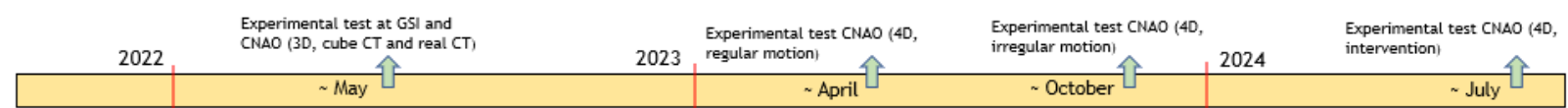
CROSS-COLLABORATIONS:

ESR5: 4D-MRI Imaging and motion modelling techniques for adaptive proton therapy








ESR13: Towards automated prompt-gamma treatment verification: identification and classifications of clinically relevant deviations




## Timeline




# WS per WP4 – con GPU Quadro RTX 5000 acquisto spostato nel 2023


 store.hp.com/ItalyStore/Merch/Offer.aspx?p=b-configuratore-workstation



HARDWARE




MONITOR



SERVIZI CAREPACK

**Scheda grafica**

- ☐ AMD Radeon Pro W5500 8GB FH 4DP GFX -€ 1783,04
- ☐ AMD Radeon Pro W5700 8GB 5mDP+USBc GFX -€ 1376,17
- ☐ AMD Radeon Pro WX 3100 4GB (2)mDP+DP GFX -€ 2044,60
- ☐ AMD Radeon Pro WX 3200 4GB LP 4mDP PCIe x16 GFX -€ 2036,05
- ☐ NVIDIA Quadro P1000 4GB (4)mDP GFX -€ 1876,59
- ☐ NVIDIA Quadro P2200 5GB FH 4DP PCIe x16 GFX -€ 1757,12
- ☐ NVIDIA Quadro P400 2GB (3)mDP GFX -€ 2128,19
- ☐ NVIDIA Quadro P620 2GB LP 4mDP GFX -€ 2055,94
- ☐ NVIDIA Quadro RTX 4000 8GB 3DP+USBc GFX -€ 1185,52
- ☒ NVIDIA Quadro RTX 5000 16GB (4) DP+USBc Graphics **Incluso nel prezzo**
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- ☐ NVIDIA Quadro RTX 8000 48GB 4DP+USBc GFX +€ 4444,78
- ☐ NVIDIA RTX A6000 48 GB DH Blower Fan 4DP PCIe x16 Graphics +€ 3248,96
- ☐ NVIDIA T1000 4 GB LP Blower Fan 4mDP PCIe x16 Graphics -€ 1876,80
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