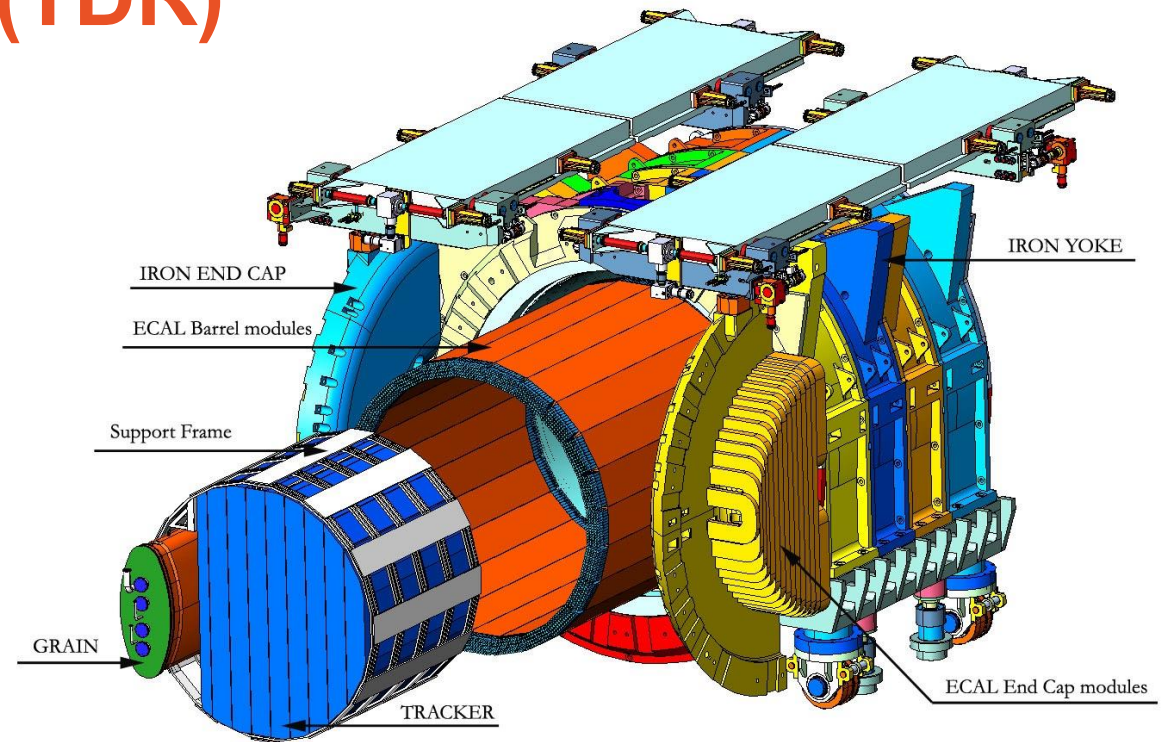


The Technical Design Report (TDR) for SAND in the ND complex

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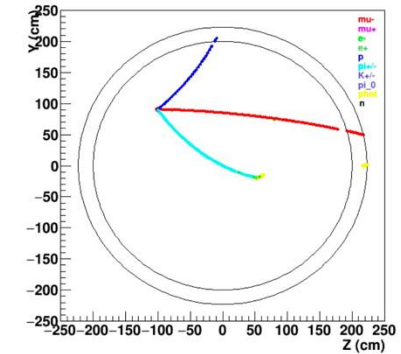
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Subdetectors / Hardware



DAQ

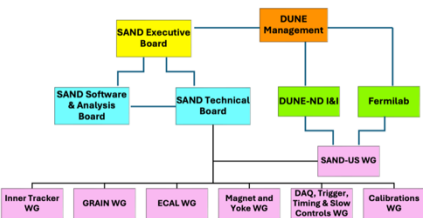
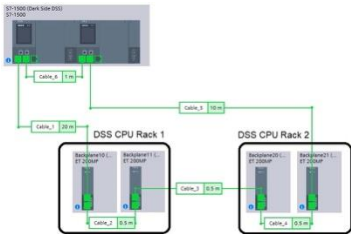
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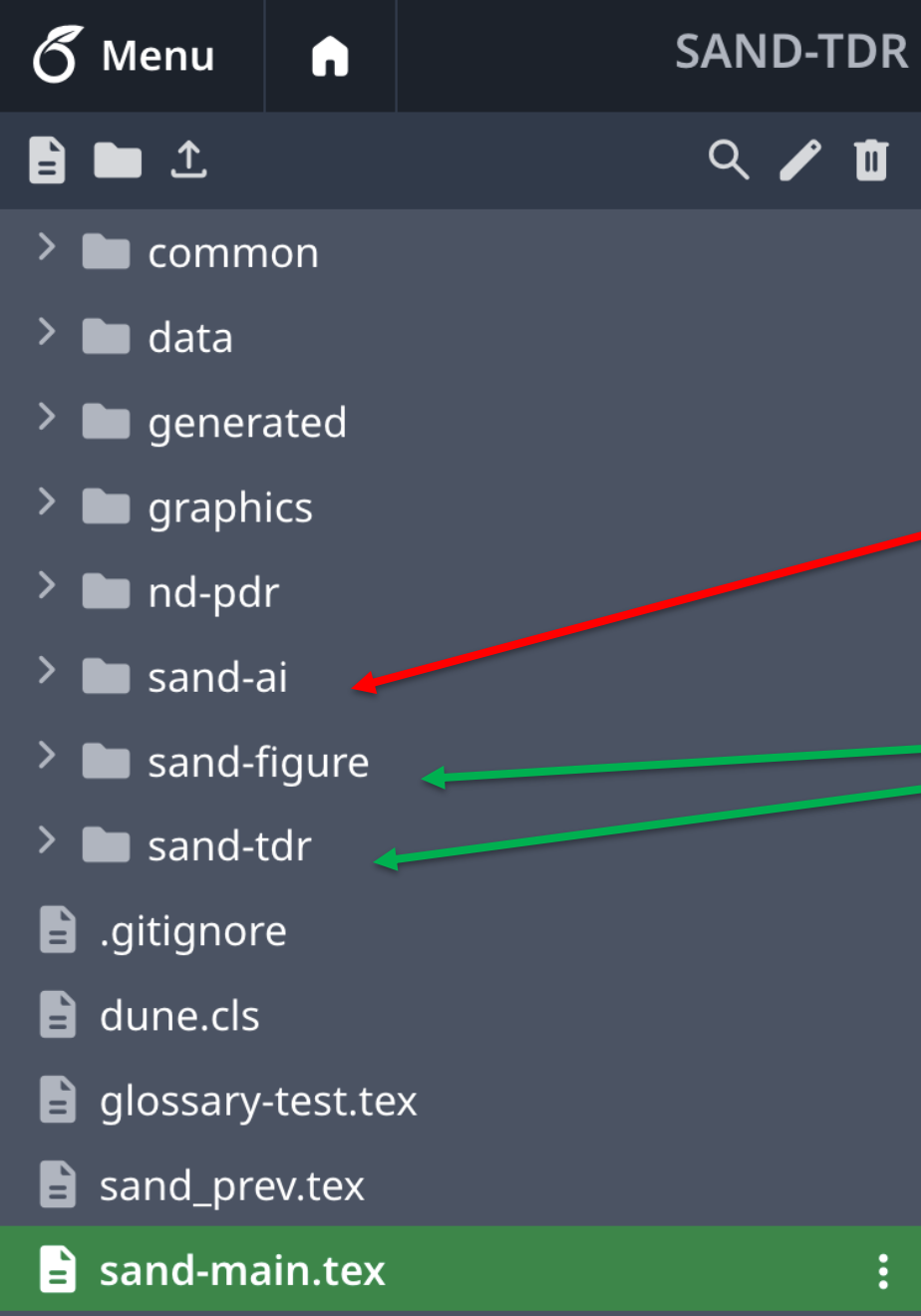


Organization

Appendix A (Engineering Codes and Standards)

Glossary
References





A new folder for the text files
after the rewriting by AI

The figures in **sand-figure** and the text
in **sand-tdr** are input for **sand-main.tex**

Present version in docdb
(updated **Nov 10, 2025**)

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Present: 572 pages 486 figures 119 tables 4 \todo

Slight reduction in the number of pages,
due to greater conciseness and editing corrections

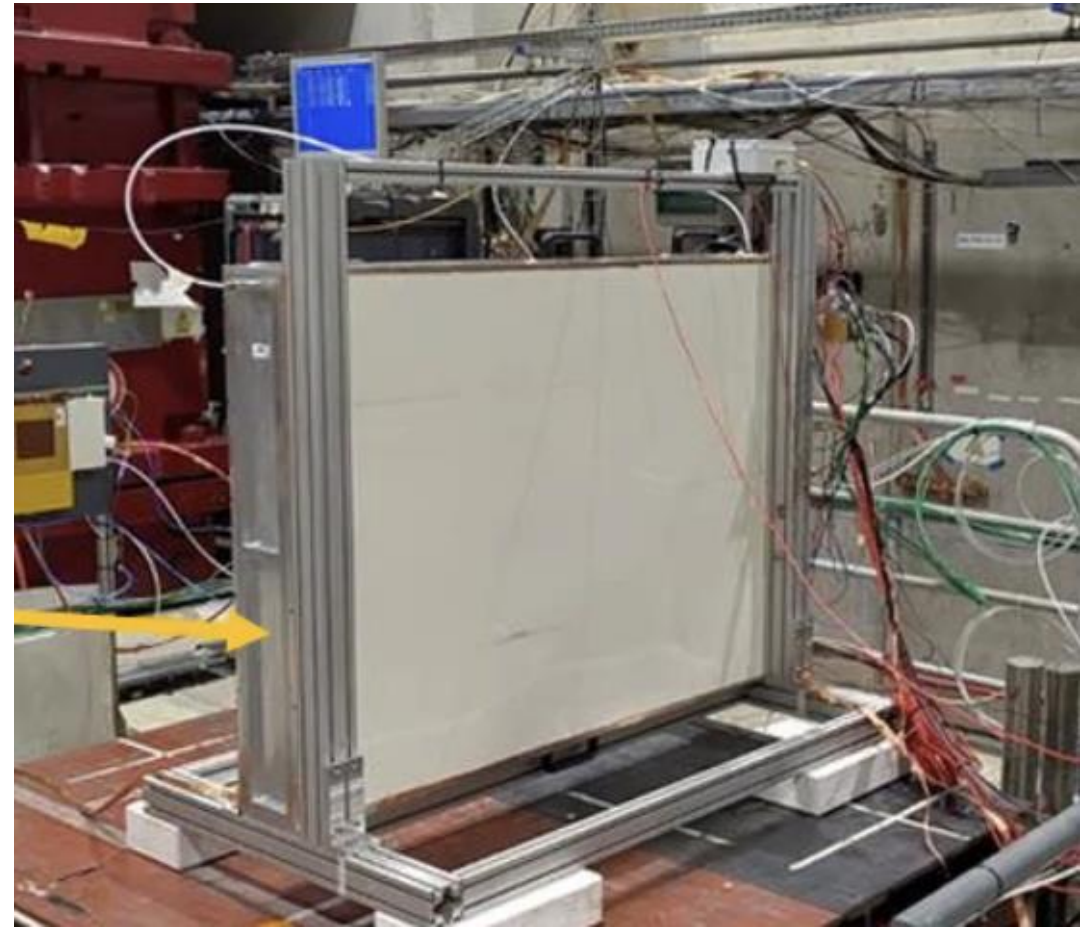
1 - Writeup status	Howmany sections	What sections
Complete text	10	Overview ECAL Magnet GRAIN STT Software Analysis Management DCS+DSS
Minor additions and corrections	2	DAQ Time Schedule
Few subsections to be written	2	Reconstruction I&I
Preliminar draft	1	Drift Chamber (11 pages)

**few improvements w.r.t. last meetings
(Valencia, SAND zoom)**

Drift Chamber - What to do ?

Discussed with M. Pozzato & S. Bertolucci

- ❖ A concise, self-contained presentation of the prototyping work up to the mid-scale chamber (120x80 cm²)
- ❖ Topics
 - Timing resolution
 - Simulation results
 - Plan of next steps
- ❖ Writeup deadline: End of November



2 - Scientific Review	Howmany sections	What sections	
Analysed and modified in accordance with the reviewers' comments	7	Overview Magnet DAQ+DCS+DSS	ECAL STT
Detailed review is not necessary	3	I&I Time Schedule	Management
Minor reviewers' suggestions must be taken into account	2	GRAIN	Analysis
Review in progress	2	Software	Reconstruction
Waiting for the complete text	1	Drift Chamber	

**NO significant change w.r.t. last meetings
(Valencia, SAND zoom)**

3 – Editing Review (DUNE-style & English)

NO professional help was available

Artificial Intelligence used for English review

We/us/our removed

First review -> **Completed** on the available text !!!

The review must be **repeated** on the complete
text

(long and boring task)

Some warnings

The DUNE rules for the figure format have not been followed

Much time has passed since the first writeup, some updates may be needed

Also the glossary must be checked

The scientific review activity is too slow

Help is needed

A reading group has been created to examine the TDR as a whole
(S. Bertolucci, S. De Falco, G. Sirri, A. Surdo, L. Di Noto)

A deputy for TDR coordination is expected

Volunteers are welcome for editing/English !!!

JPEG use for photographs

PDF use of any line drawings, plots, illustrations

PNG use due to some inability to produce proper JPEG or PDF

FINAL REMARKS

Already said in Valencia

The status of the SAND-TDR is not so bad, but ...

the last mile is the hardest !!!

In the last two months, few progresses

ND-TDR ready by the end of the year ?

Possible ... the responsibility falls on the WG convenors,
reviewers, reading group, and myself

Backup slides

Referees:

L. Tomassetti (FE), A. Surdo (LE),

P. Gauzzi (Roma1), A. Campani (GE),

P. Sala (MI), R. Petti (SC),

M. Diwan (BNL), Seog Oh (Duke),

S. Di Falco (PI), M. Pozzato (BO),

C. Mariani (Virginia Tech)



J.D. Lewis (FNAL),

~~G. Sirri (BO)~~,

S. Di Domizio (GE),

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Lar Active Target (grain)	8,3	33	1,0	8,3	0,8	6,7
Straw Tube Tracker (stt)	8,3	142	1,0	8,3	1	8,3
Drift Chamber (dch)	4,2	10	0,2	0,6	0	0,0
DAQ / DCS / DSS	16,7	12	1,0	15,8	1	16,7
Software and Computing	8,3	32	0,9	7,1	0	0,0
Event Reconstruction and SAND Performance	8,3	107	0,8	6,7	0,5	4,2
Analysis	8,3	82	1,0	8,3	0,7	5,8
Installation & Integration	12,5	25	0,8	10,0	0,8	10,0
Organization & Management	2,1	3	1,0	2,1	0	0,0
Time Schedule	2,1	2	0,4	0,8	0	0,0
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