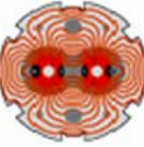


# **LHC MAGNET TESTS: OPERATIONAL TECHNIQUES & EMPOWERMENT FOR SUCCESSFUL COMPLETION**

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**US Particle Accelerator Conference  
Albuquerque, USA  
29 June 2007**

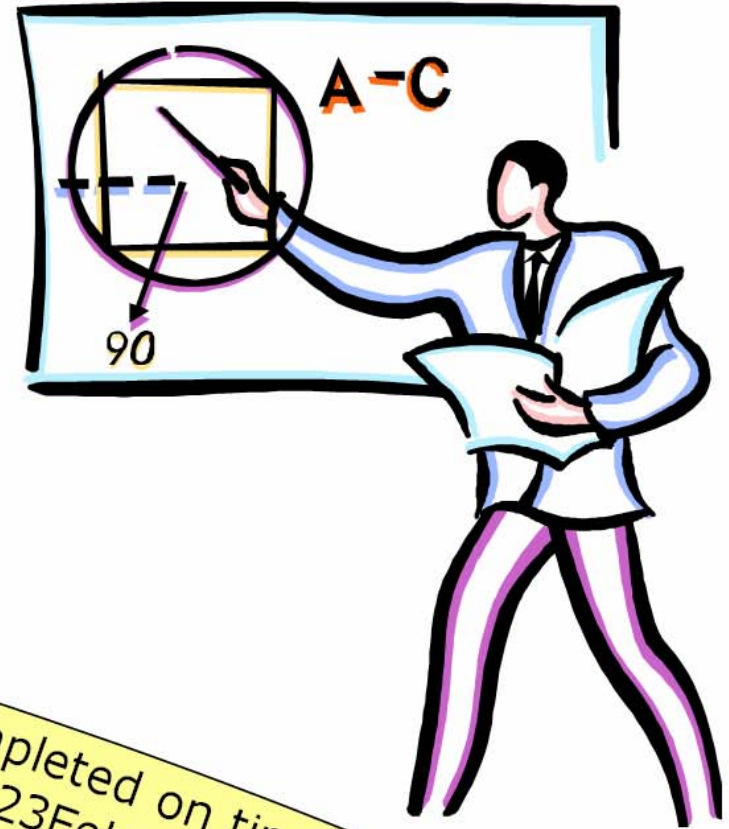


- **Introduction & *Achievements***

- **Operational Techniques**

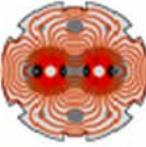
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- *Magnet Training Criteria*
- *Overall & Cryo Priority Handling*
- *ROBTC*
- *MAPS*

- **Concluding Remarks**

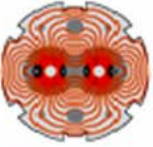


Magnet Tests Completed on time & in budget:  
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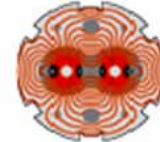
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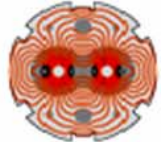
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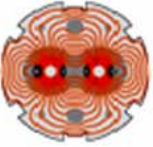
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**With Limited Infrastructure  
& Various Operational Issues, Staffing,  
etc**

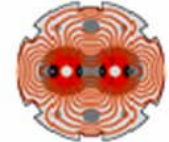
**1706 magnets (*~1900 incl. spares & repeats*) to be tested before *early 2007!***

**Massive, Time Bound Objective!**

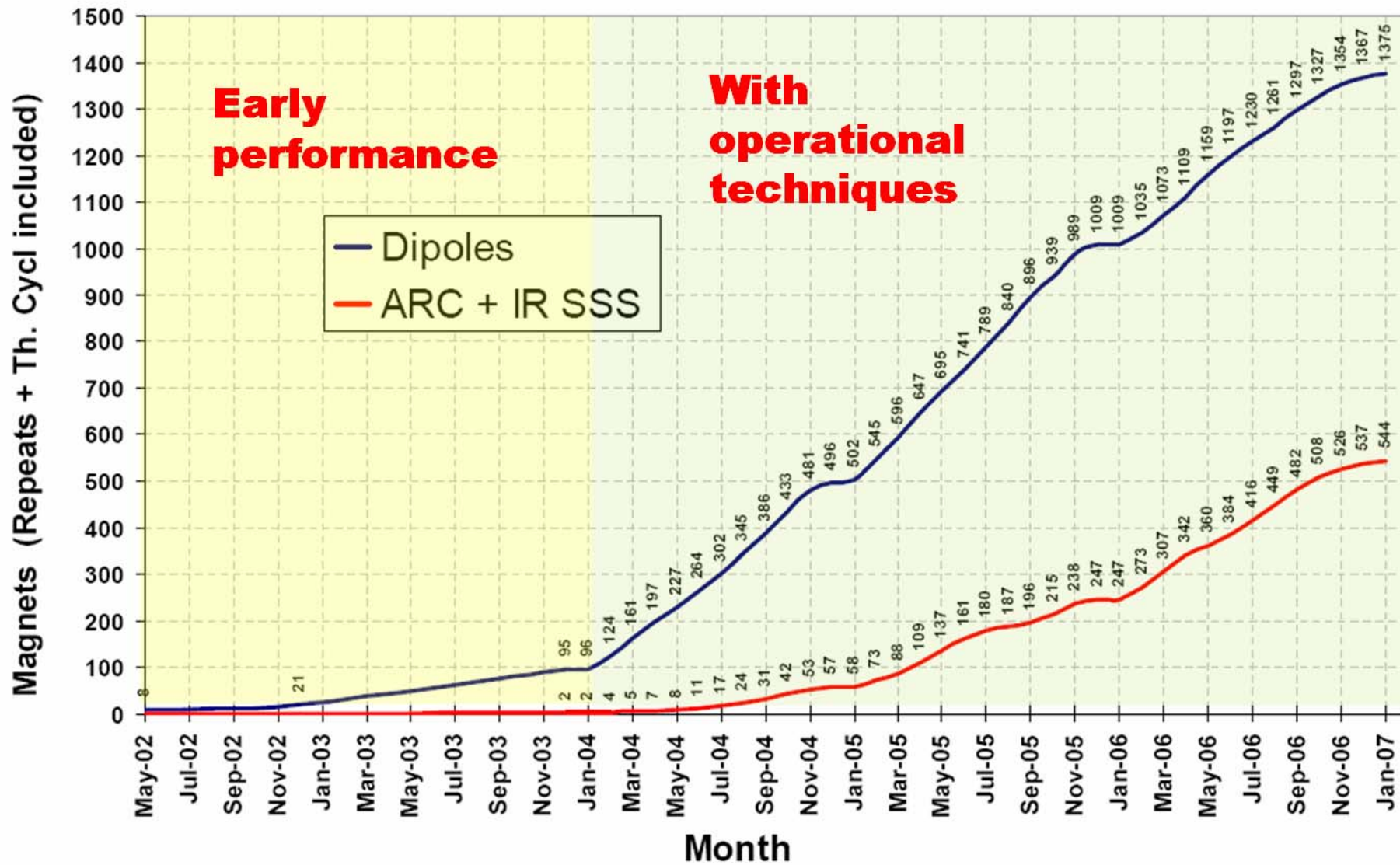


# **Magnet testing completed by Feb 2007, within schedule !!!**

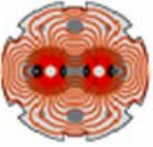
	<i>Required for LHC</i>	<i>Total tested (incl. spare + repeat)</i>
<b>Dipoles</b>	<b>1232</b>	<b>1375</b>
<b>SSS + 5xx</b>	<b>392</b>	<b>450</b>
<b>IR-SSS</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>94</b>
<b>Total Magnets tested</b>		<b>1919</b>



## Cumulative Cold Tested Magnets

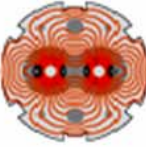




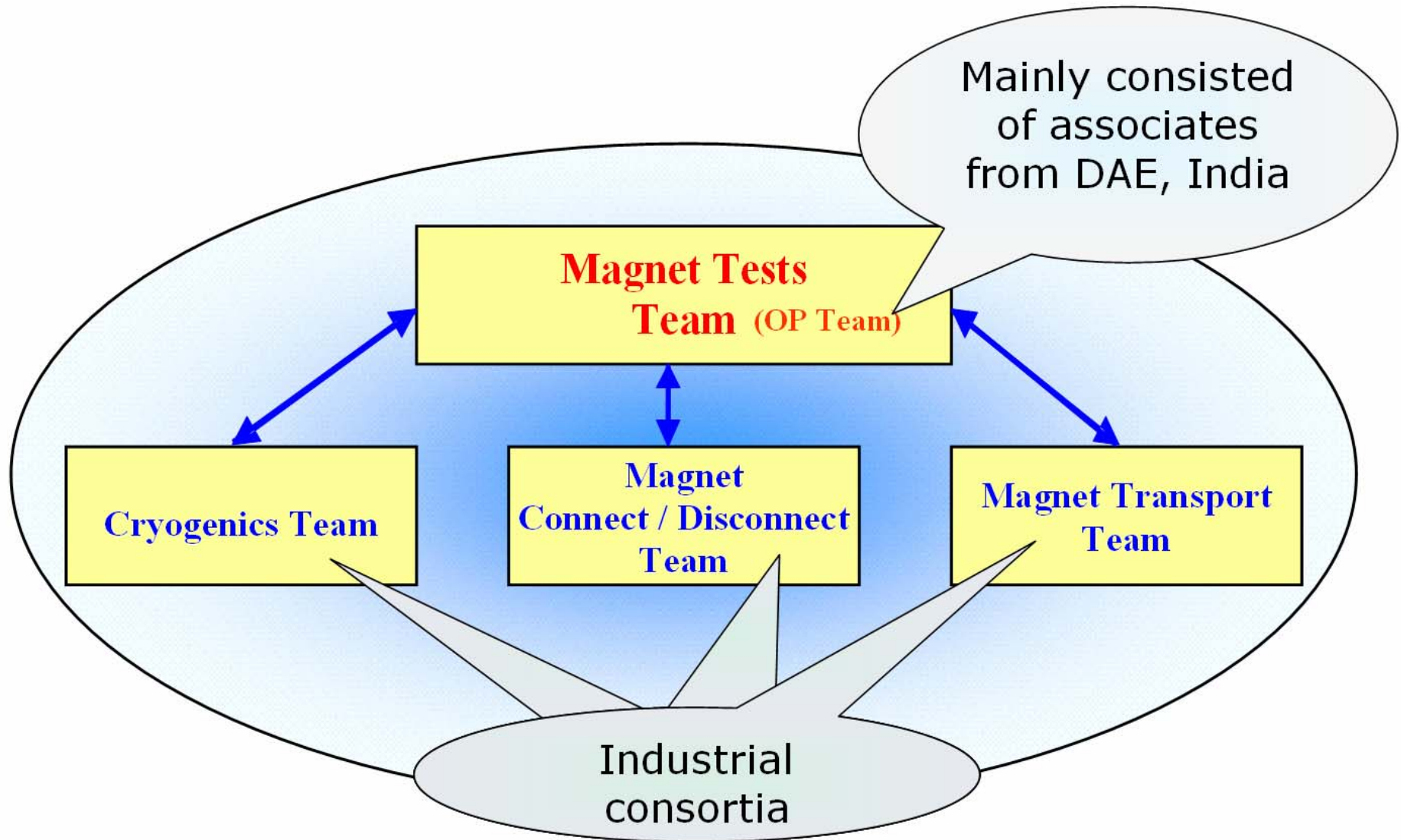


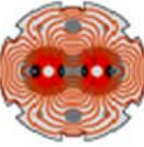
- With **12** test benches, shared resources & Limited Cryogenic infrastructure
- Testing of first series magnets: **early 2001** – with only **2** test benches
- All **12** benches ready only by **June 2004** !





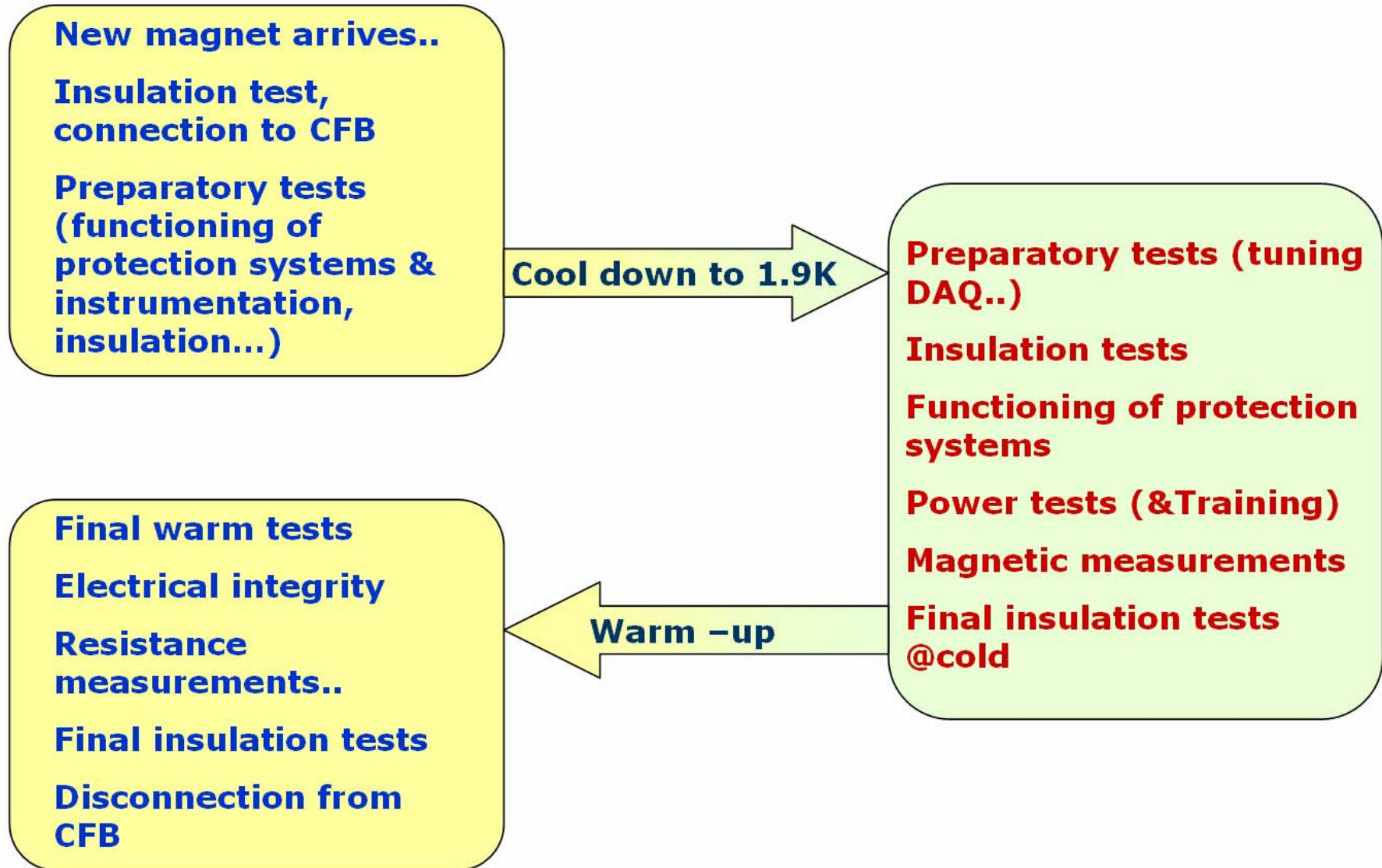
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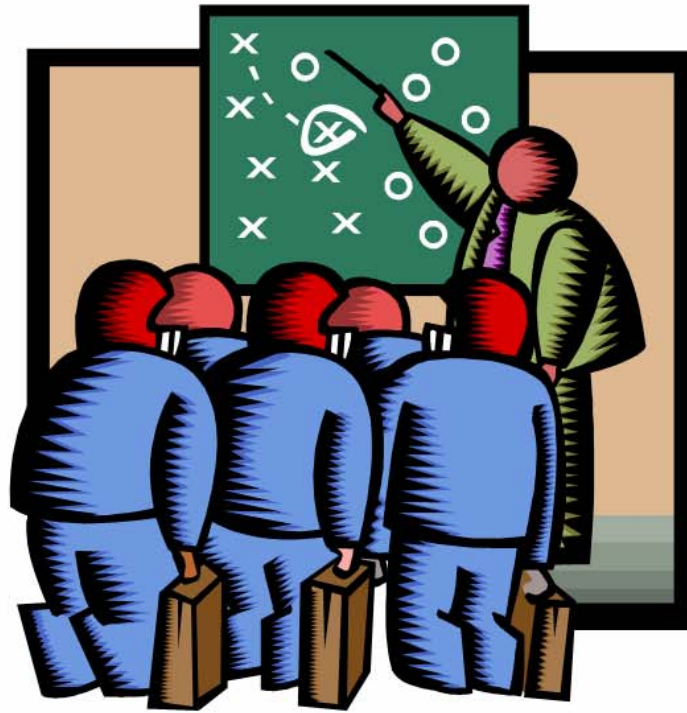
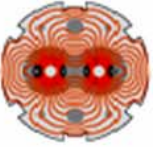




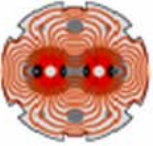
# Magnet Tests..

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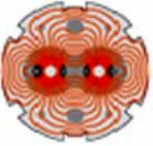


# Operational Techniques & Empowerment



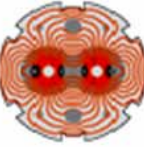
- 1. SM18 Test Management System (SMTMS)**
  - Links electronic repository of tests results with other management tools
- 2. E-traveller**
  - Web based, electronic signature based information exchange tool
- 3. Modified Magnet Training Criteria**
  - Two-Quench Rule
  - Three Quench Rule
- 4. Overall & Cryo priority handling**
  - 24 hour priority decision by OP team for effective & clash-free utilization of ALL resources ( Cryo, Power, bench etc)
- 5. Rapid On-Bench Thermal Cycle (ROBTC)**
  - Thermal cycle of a poor magnet without disconnection from test bench

# Overall & Cryo Priority



- **Limited Cryogenics capacity:**
  - **3 to 5** Magnets @ 1.9K and under cold tests,
  - **Up to 2** magnets in 300K to 80 K phase,
  - **Up to 2** magnets in warm up phase,
  - **2 magnets** in 80K to 4K phase
  - **Max. 3** magnets in cool-down + warm-up together,
  - **Min. 20 minutes** delay between quenches
- **Overall & Cryo Priority allocation for maximising throughput!**
- **OP Team empowered for deciding & setting priorities...**

# Overall & Cryo Priority



- **Priority setting based on time requirement for cooling-down/warming-up, forecasted future situation, cryo constraints..**

**{ OP Team Empowerment was a Must... }**

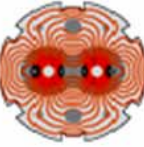


**Warming up magnets**

**Magnets at 1.9 K**

**Cooling-down magnets in 80  
K  $\sim$  4.4 K**

**Newly arrived / finished  
magnets**



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Priority	Daily work	Weekly work	Weekly Resume
Active Magnets	Magnets 2006		All
Repeated Magnets	SSS	SSSS SSSS SSSS	
Complete sequence	White board	SM18 Dashboard	ICS CRYO MTM
All SSS Quench			
All MB Quench	Jxxx	Zxxx	Zxxx
Video TV	Video PC	Tests overview	Custom Message
Magnets (for printing)	Video xls		
All Magnets (03-04-05-06)		Easy MTF	Results 2006

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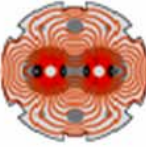
# SM18 Test Management System (SMTMS)


**... used Web based form-filling ..**

**see ICALEPCS 2005 paper**



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**smtms**  
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web site of SM18 Operation Team

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**Active Magnets page**

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Magnet	TB	Arrival	Out Shafts	WP04 HV	CDW1 HV	CDBP HV	CDPT	CDAP HV	CDR.xls	WP07 HV	
MBAR2411	TBA1	13/12/2006	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✗	Tests Sequence
MBAR2268	TBA2	21/12/2006	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	Tests Sequence
SSSS19	TBB1	08/12/2006	✗	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	Tests Sequence
SSSS16	TBB2	15/12/2006	✗	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	Tests Sequence
SSSS099	TBC1	18/12/2006	✗	✗	✓	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	Tests Sequence
SSSS370	TBC2	17/12/2006	✗	✗	✗	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	Tests Sequence
SSSS669	TBD1	14/12/2006	✗	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✗	Tests Sequence
SSSS509	TBD2	21/12/2006	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	Tests Sequence
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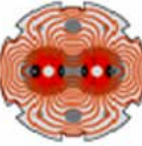
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- **Maintains electronic repository of tests results**
- **Links tests results with management tools**
- **Tracks test progress & test statistics**
- **Automatic generation of test reports**

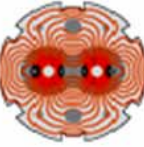


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LAUSANNE					
F2 3303 MTM  CRYO_OK 4.2K	F1 3284 MTM  CRYO_OK 4.2K	E2 3293 ICS 140-ALIGNEMENT AIMANT	E1 3263 MTM  CRYO_OK 1.9K	D2 s128 MTM  CRYO_OK 1.9K	D1 s036 ICS 1110-DECONNEXION HYDRAULIQUE ET ELECTRIQUE MRB RELACHEE
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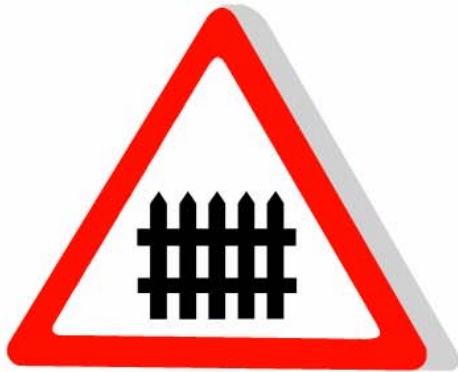
## E-Traveller

***Mashed web system with SMTMS***

# What for E-Traveller ?



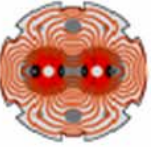
**Operation Team consists of mainly Indian associates , other teams exclusively French..**



**Language Barrier !!**



**DIFFICULT communication & co-ordination between teams**



# E-Traveller

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SUIVI DES TACHES CRYOMAGNETES - TASK TRACKING CRYO TEST BENCHES

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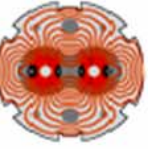
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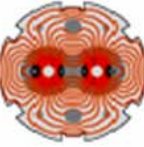
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3.2	CRYO	PURGE CIRCUITS HELIUM AIMANT	Start on 19/12/06 to 19/12/06 à 12:00
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<b>TEAM ICS</b>			
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<b>TEAM CRYO</b>			
5.1	CRYO	TEST D'ETANCHETE DU CRYOSTAT AIMANT	A SIGNER APRES EXECUTION
5.15	CRYO	INSTALLATION POMPE MOBILE SUR SSS	A SIGNER APRES MISE EN PLACE
5.2	CRYO	PRESSION ENCEINTE A VIDE < 1x10E-03 [mbar]	A SIGNER APRES CONTRÔLE
<b>TEAM ICS</b>			
6.1	MTM	OK TO START COLD DOWN	OK TO START COLD DOWN
<b>TEAM CRYO</b>			
7.1	CRYO	MISE EN FROID	A SIGNER APRES L'ARRIVÉE DES COLIMES
7.15	CRYO	AIMANT EN CONDITIONS DE TEST	OK
7.2	CRYO	CRYO TESTS	A SIGNER QUAND AIMANT EN CONDITIONS DE TEST
7.3	CRYO	AIMANT "CHAUD" (> 290 K), CRYOSTAT SOUS VIDE	A SIGNER QUAND AIMANT CHAUD

- **Web based tool with mobile phone interface and video display – alert teams**
- **Keeps track of electronic, signature based information exchange**
- **Automatic time stamped log of tests activities**



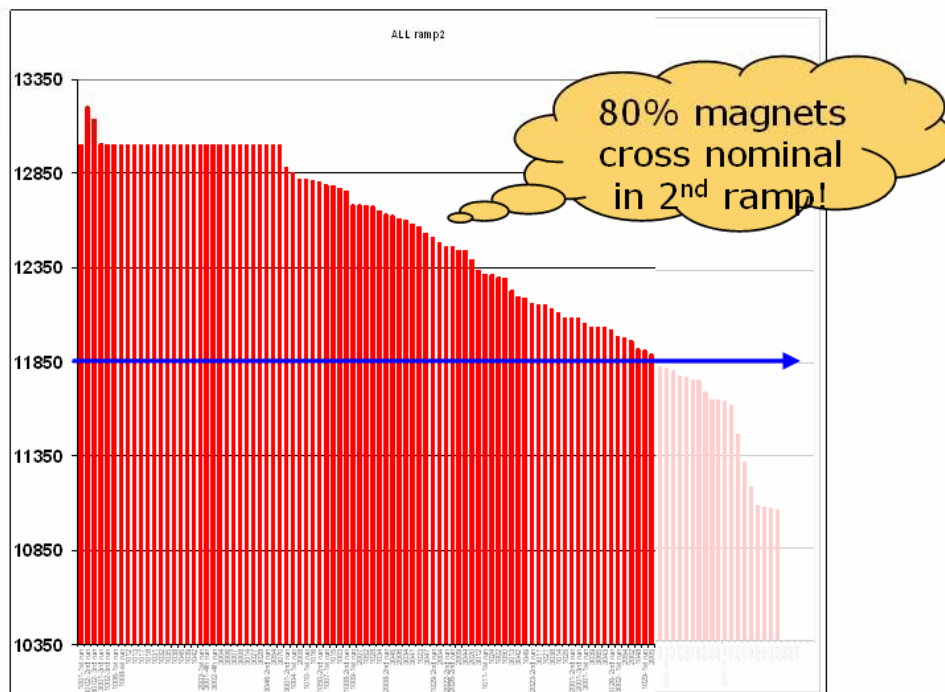
# Modified Training Criteria



- Earlier, all magnets were trained to **ultimate field** (12850A ~9T)
- **3-4 hours** recovery time between quenches, **Time consuming...**

**But... Most of the 'good magnets' cross nominal field (11850A ~ 8.33T) in the second training ramp..**

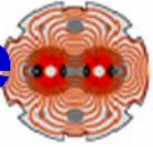
[ year 2003 Observation by OP Team ]



—**Two-Quench Rule:** Accept the magnet if it crosses nominal field in **Second training with small margin!**

—**Three-Quench Rule:** Accept the magnet if it crosses **12250 A (~8.66 T) in third training, even if it had not passed the preceding rule..**

# Magnet Appraisal & Performance Sheet (MAPS)



**for Op Empowerment in Decision-taking on a 24 hr basis**

**Magnet Appraisal & Perf sheet (MAPS)**

*Goodness Evaluation*

Magnet Name: MBL1166  
 Bench Name: TBE2  
 Date of Arrival: Sunday, February 19, 2006  
 Departure Date: Thursday, February 23, 2006

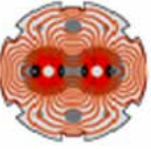
#	Test	In SMTMS	Result	MTF
1	WP04	-	OK	transferred
2	CDW1 HV	-	OK	transferred
3	CDBP HV	-	OK	transferred
-	Shafts	No		
4	Training 1	11916.1A (8.37T)		
-	Training 2	12402.2A (8.71T)		
-	Not Trained in	3 training		
-	Maximum current	12798A (8.99T)		
5	CDAP HV	-	OK	transferred
6	CDR or CQR	-	OK	transferred
7	WP07 HV	-	OK	transferred
#	Test	In SMTMS	Result	
8	PT 14 Magnet MAPS	-	Stripping	
#	Comments			
10				

➤ **Single page report : rule based magnet goodness evaluation**

**Rapid, round the clock decision taking on first level of goodness evaluation**

➤ **Mitigated issues of magnet storage logistics**

# What for ?



- **Earlier, all tested magnets sent to standby buffer**



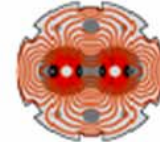
- **Decision on acceptance for installation in LHC taken at a later date by magnet experts**



- **Large storage of magnets in SM18.. Hampered the throughput..**







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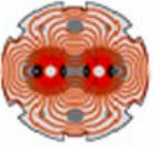


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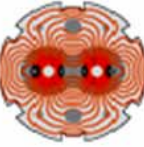
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# **Rapid On Bench Thermal Cycle (ROBTC)**

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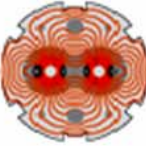


- Earlier, 'poor magnets' were disconnected from bench, fitted with anticryostats, tested again at a later date...
- Additional disconnection, connection, preparatory tests... time consuming..



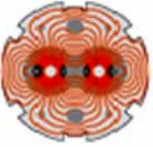
- But.. Quench performance improves after thermal cycle
- Rapid On-Bench Thermal Cycle (ROBTC): Rapid thermal cycle of a poor magnet without disconnection from test bench

# Concluding Remarks



- 1. Magnet tests completed in Feb 2007**
- 2. Major factors behind the success:**
  - **Dedicated efforts of operating staff**
  - **Effective operator empowerment**
  - **Innovative operational techniques**

***Read Article in June '07 issue of CERN Courier***



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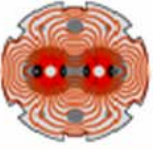
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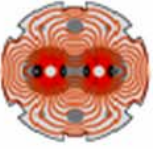
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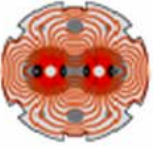
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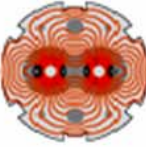


# Extra Slides



# Achievements

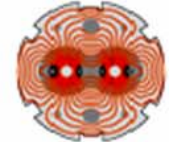




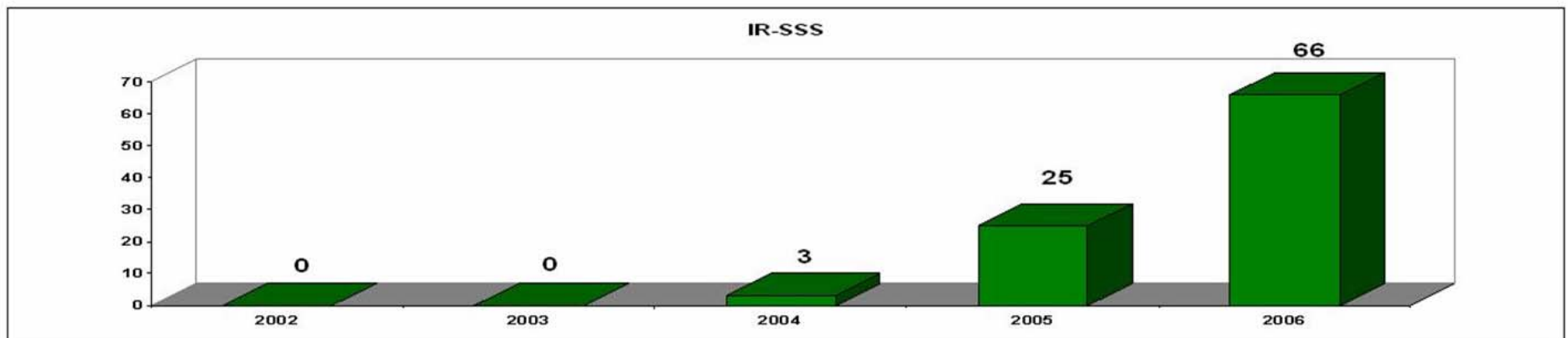
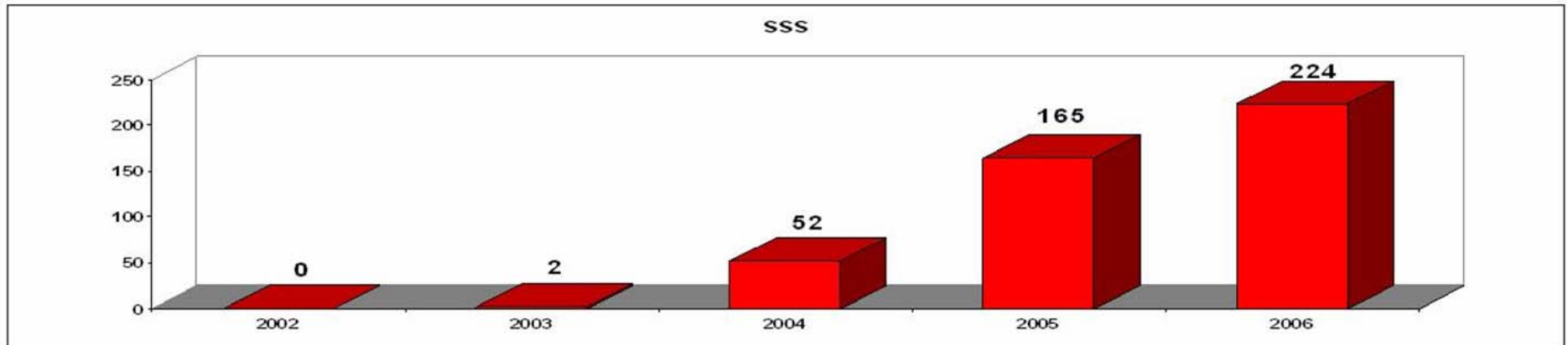
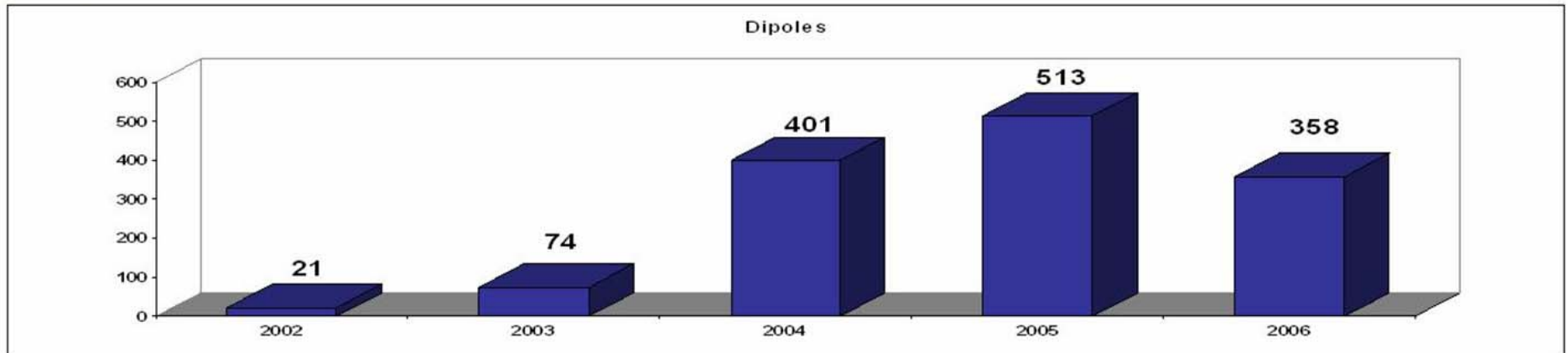
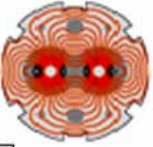
# Magnet testing **completed by Feb 2007, within schedule !!!**

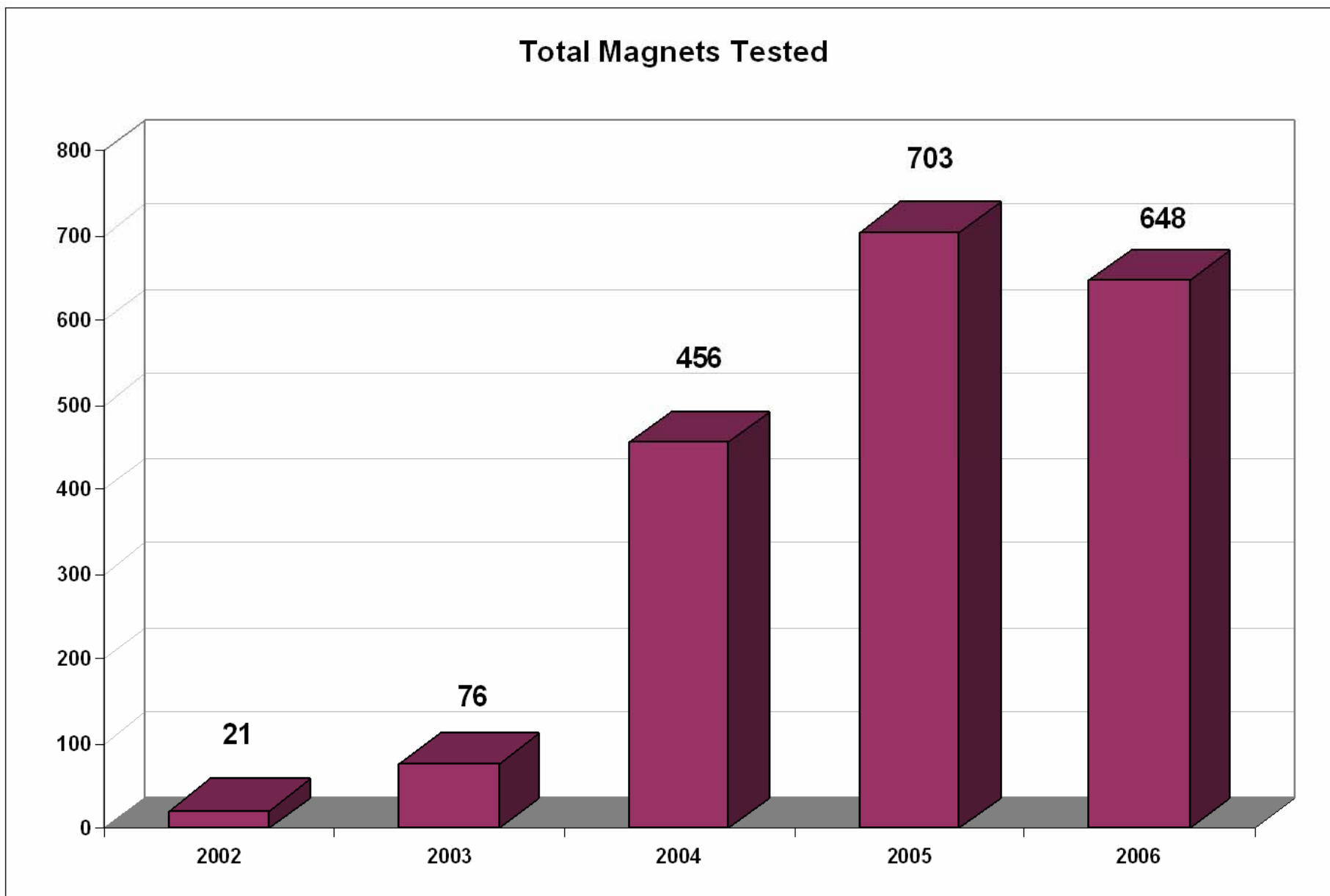
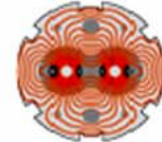
	<i>Required for LHC</i>	<i>Total tested (incl. spare + repeat)</i>
<b>Dipoles</b>	<b>1232</b>	<b>1375</b>
<b>SSS + 5xx</b>	<b>392</b>	<b>450</b>
<b>IR-SSS</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>94</b>
<b>Total Magnets tested</b>		<b>1919</b>

# Repeat Rates & Magnetic Measurements

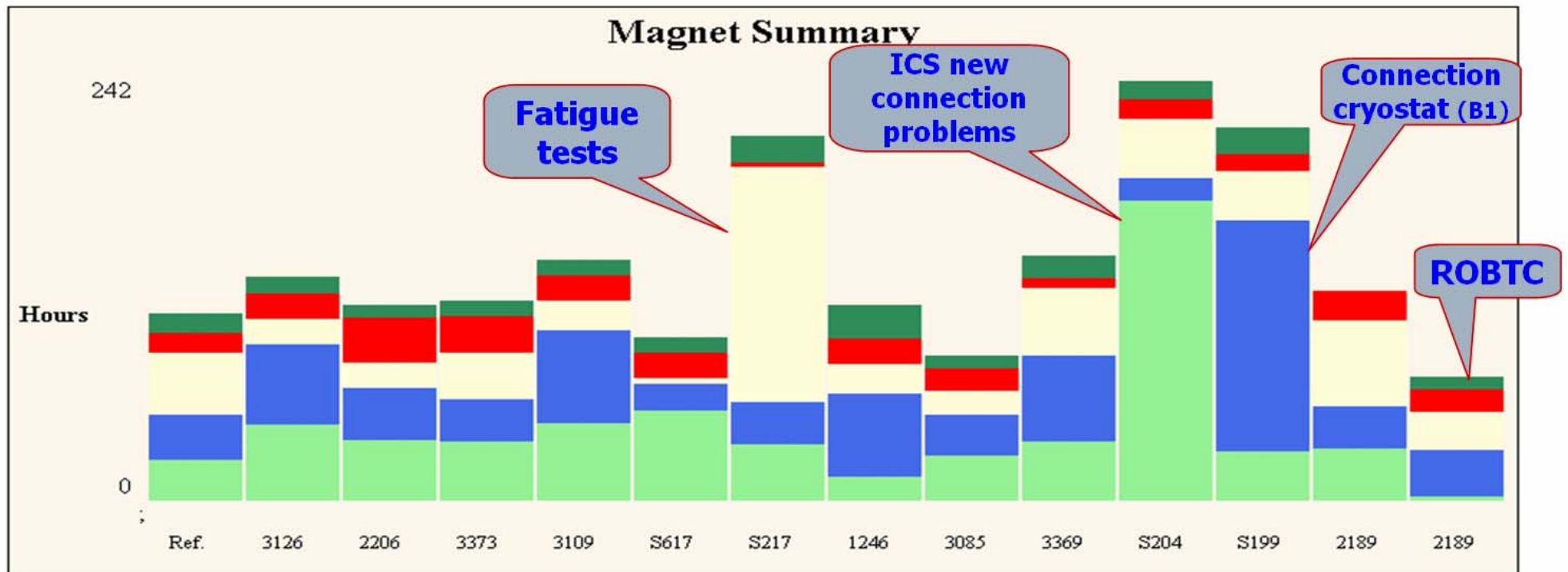
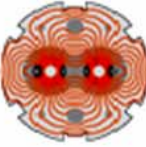


	<i>Repeat Rate</i> %	<i>Mag. Meas. (MM)</i> %	<i>Repair/Rejection</i> %
<b>Dipoles</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>18.36</b>	<b>~ 3</b>
<b>SSS</b>	<b>12.5</b>	<b>13.32</b>	<b>~ 6</b>
<b>IR-SSS</b>	<b>12.8</b>	<b>30.85</b>	<b>--</b>





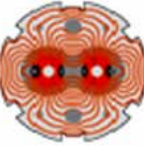
# Typical magnet test times (For the week starting 26<sup>th</sup> July 2005)



## Reference Times

- Light green : Connect (up to Cryo pump down) **24 h**
- Blue : Wait + Cool down **26 h**
- Ivory: Tests at Cold **36 h**
- Red : Wait + Warm up **12 h**
- Dark Green: Disconnect **12 h**





- # Max 9 Ramps to 12850A; If this terminated in  $\leq 9$  ramps
- Then follow flowchart , else:
- magnet is poor & do warmup on 10th with 4K quench
- Instead of PT10
- THEN: Thermal Cycle if AntiC exist & so put in shafts
- ELSE(( if no AntiC) – Magnet removed & Standby

MM\* If Shafts Are Present!

PT8 = Ramp to 12 kA & SPA

Min NRJ = Quench provoked  
FPA Disabled

### Thermal Cycle Rules with Shafts Inserted :

#### In the 2<sup>nd</sup> Run:

if 1<sup>st</sup> Q above (8.4 T) 12000A then MB accepted

if 2<sup>st</sup> Q above (8.6 T) 12350A then MB accepted

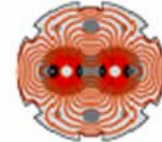
**ELSE MAGNET REJECTED WITH poor perf non-conformity but with the rules :**

**if Quenches are localised only in 2<sup>nd</sup> run (with shafts inserted only in the 2<sup>nd</sup> run ): perform 5 quenches only**

**And END the Tests**

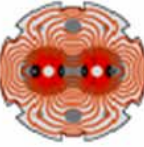
**if Quenches were localised in first RUN :**

**then perform max 2 localized quenches only in 2<sup>nd</sup> run**

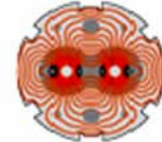




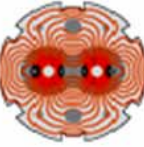
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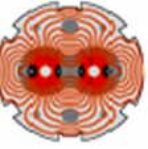


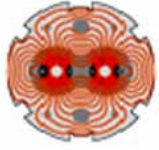
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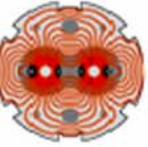


# With food for thought..



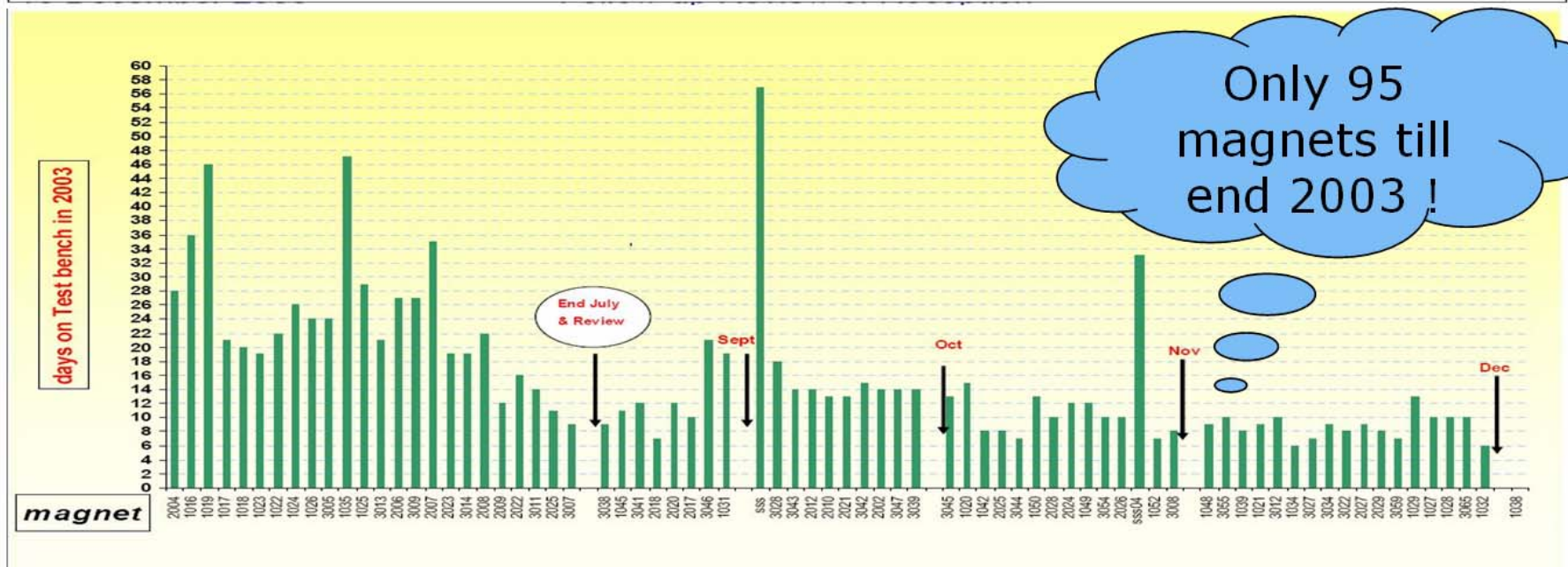
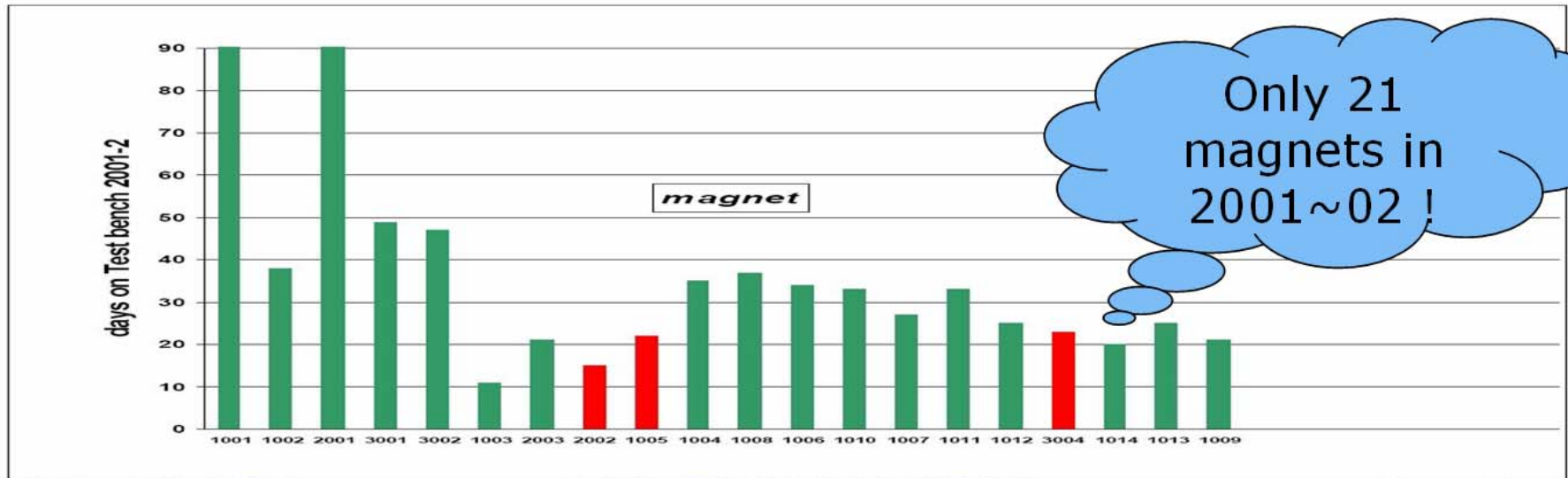
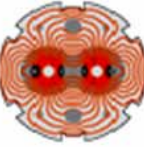




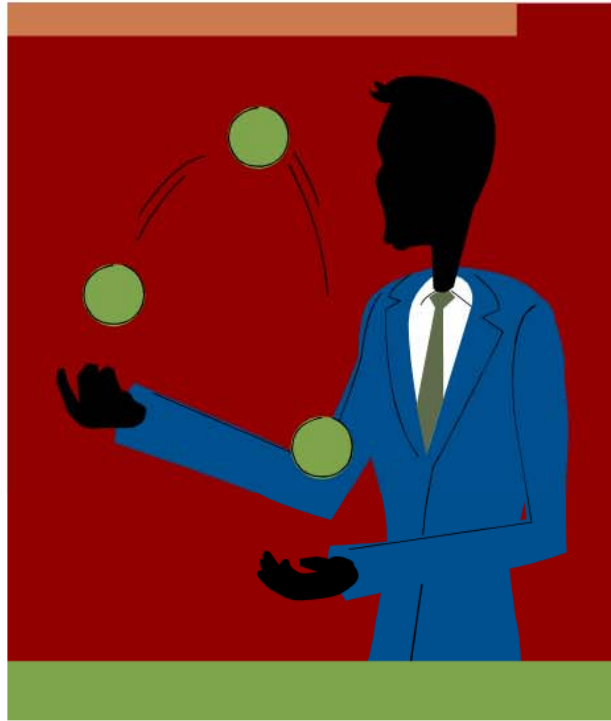
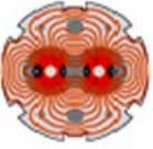


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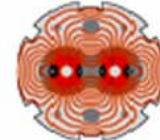
Finish testing of remaining ~1800 magnets by early 2007 ???



# Overall & Cryo Priority Handling



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Cold Tests	Bench	Temp.	Priority
10 - 1.9 [K] since 8h 56' (PT 3 QH Measure)	TBC1	1.90	5

Warming up or Cooling Down	Bench	Temp.	Priority
6 - COOLDOWN TO 80 [K] since 9h 36' (Prep 5 Cool Down)			
13 - WARM UP TO 300 [K] since 10h 31' (PT 12 Warm Up)			
13 - WARM UP TO 300 [K] since 58' (PT 12 Warm Up)			

Cooling 80 K to 4K
2 - CONNECTING MAGNET since 8h 10' (ICS 2 Connect Magnet (ICS))
52 - OVC PURGE since 23' (ICS 4 Final connection)
2 - CONNECTING MAGNET since 56h 6' (-)
2 - CONNECTING MAGNET since 10h 47' (ICS 1 WP04 HV Test Warm)
52 - OVC PURGE since 2h 33' (ICS 4 Final connection)
16 - OVC AT ATM. since 13h 29' (PT 13.2 Resist. Meas.)

Warm
9 - LHe FILLING since 2h 26' (PT 11 4 K Quench SSL)
15 - MAGNET AT 300 [K] since 10h 27' (PT 13.2 Resist. Meas.)

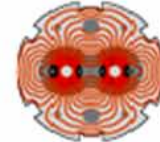
Other
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15 - MAGNET AT 300 [K] since 10h 27' (PT 13.2 Resist. Meas.)

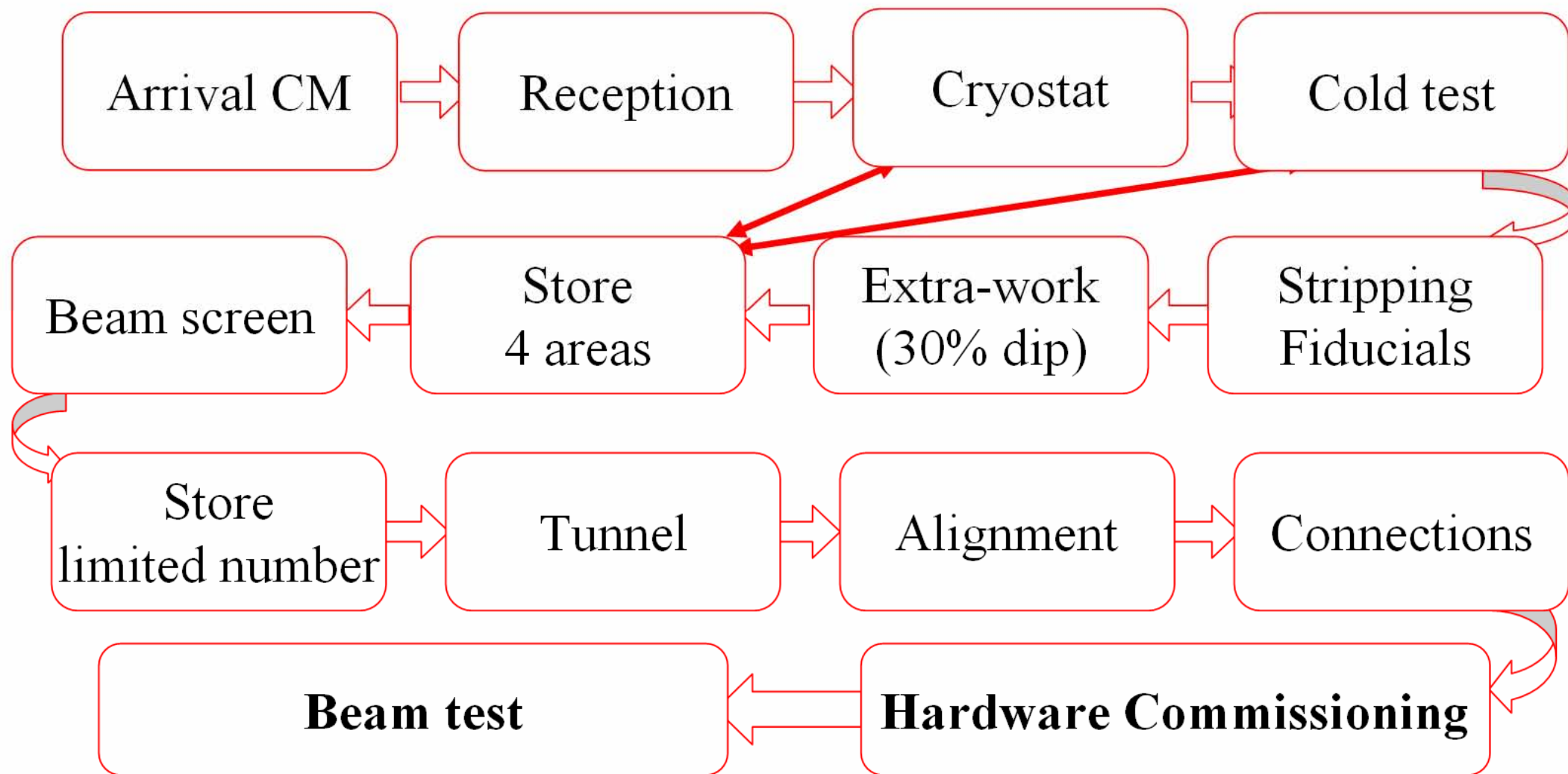
CRYOGENICS PRIORITIES & RESOURCES USAGE ON Thursday 12 October 2006 5:41:17 AM									
MAIN PRIORITY				CWS [g/s]		PRIORITIES			COMMON RESOURCES
LEVEL	MAIN	MAGNET	T Mag[K]	COOL	WARM	CWS	LHe	1.9 [K]	
1	A2	2393	285		90	A2	C1	C1	
2	D1	S317	276			F2	C2	A2	
3	F2	2374	104		88	A1	A2	D1	
4	C2	s339	4.6			D1	D1	F2	LHe DEWAR LEVEL: 71 %
5	C1	s360	1.9			C2	F2	C2	LN2 DEWAR LEVEL: 72 %
6	E2	2357	297			C1	E2	E2	BALLON VOLUME: 72 m <sup>3</sup>
7	B2	s353	297			E2	B2	B2	1.9 [K] Pumping Resources: 1(WPU1) + 4(WPU2) = 5 [g/s]
8	A1	1373	107	83		B2	A1	A1	TOTAL HELIUM FLOW THRU CWS: 274 [g/s]
9	E1	2389	298			E1	E1	E1	
10	F1	2381	296			F1	F1	F1	
11	B1	s518	297			B1	D2	D2	
12	D2	S515	296			D2	B1	B1	

- Ensure that magnets follow the desired cryogenic phase distribution, within the limits of possibilities due to the varying training performance ( a priori not known)

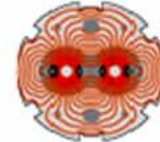
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Reception

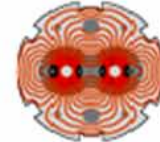
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Beam screen

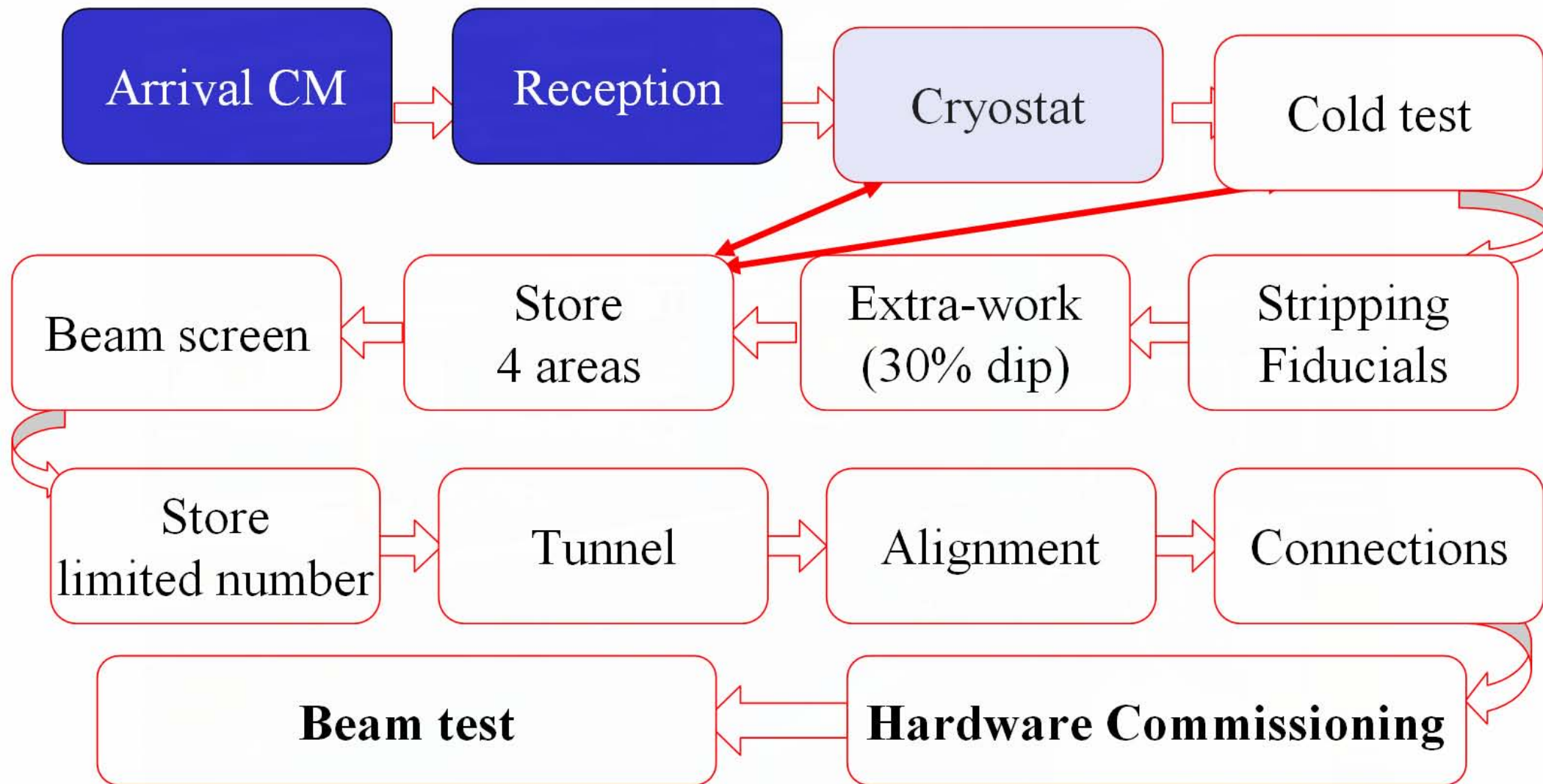
Store  
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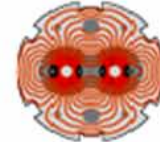
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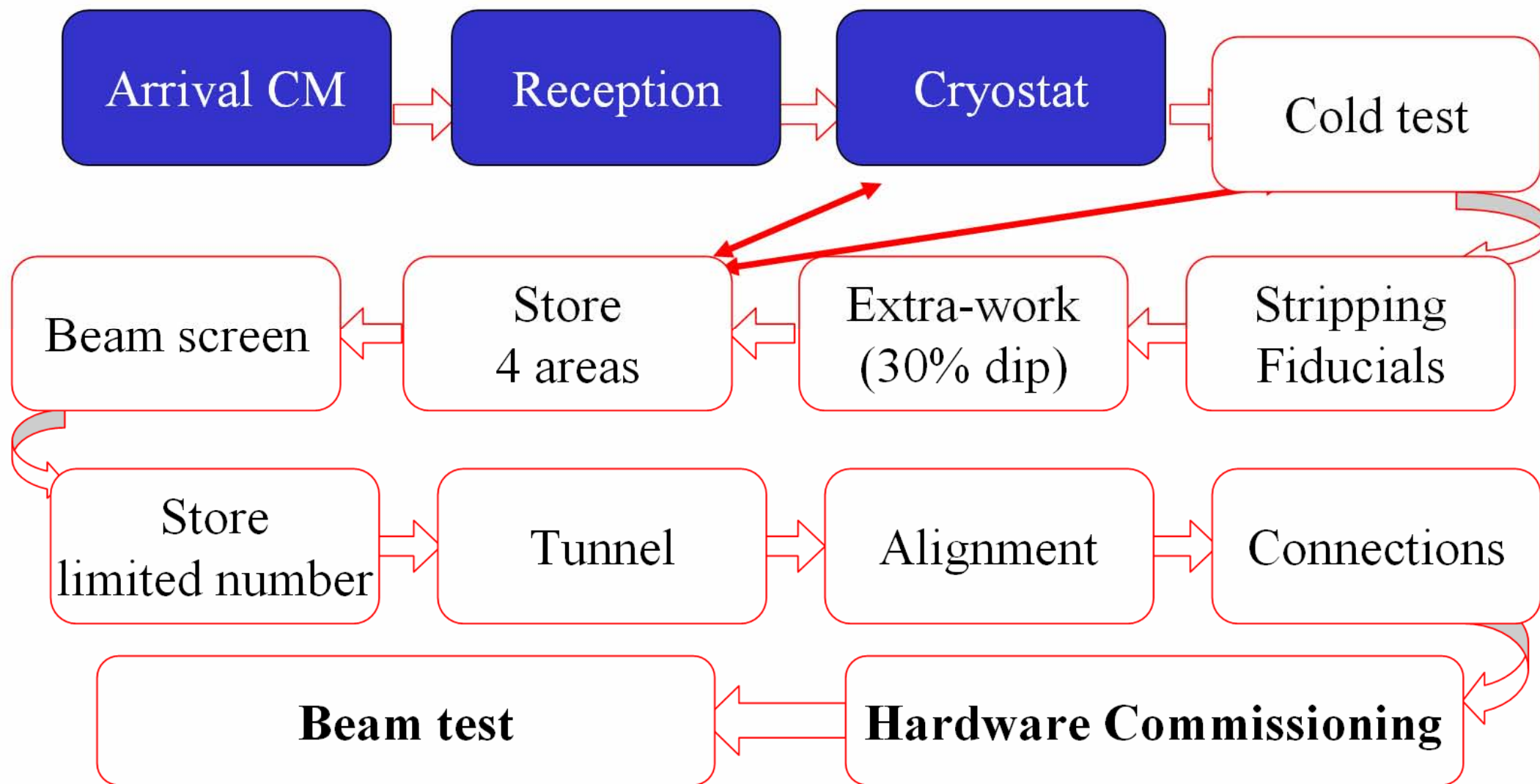
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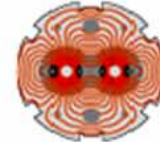
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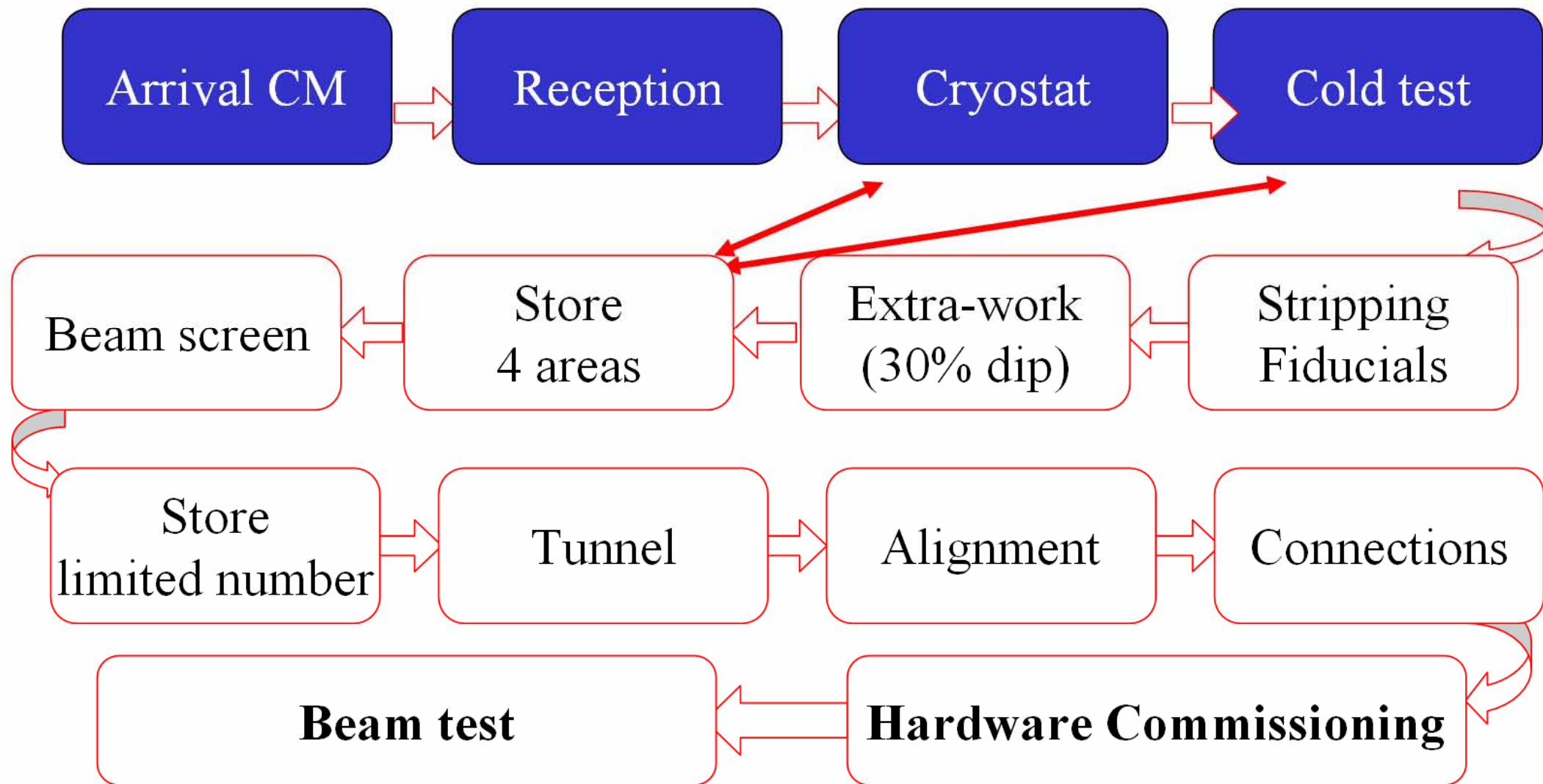
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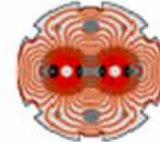
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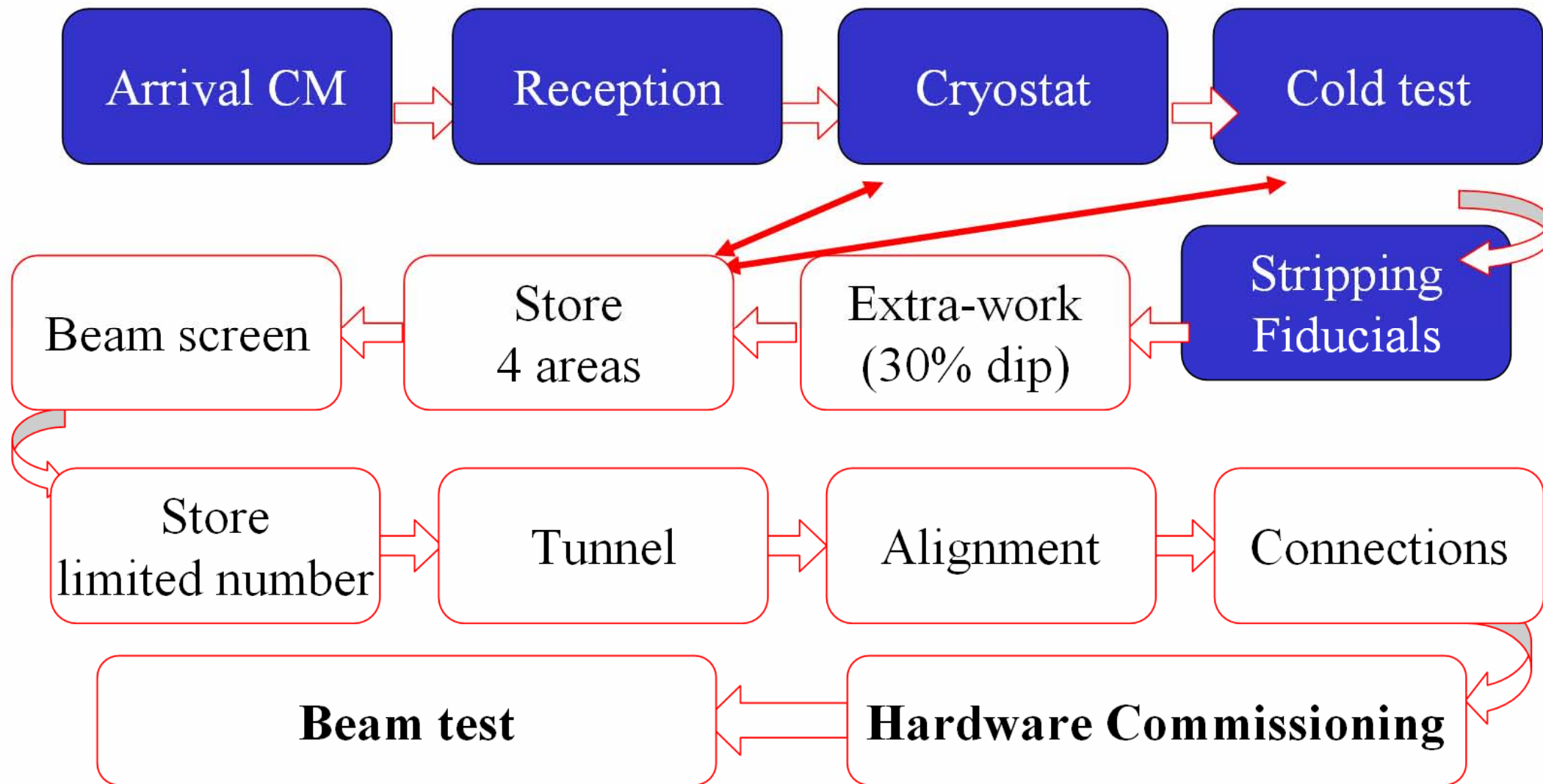
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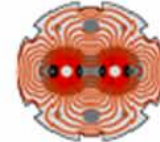
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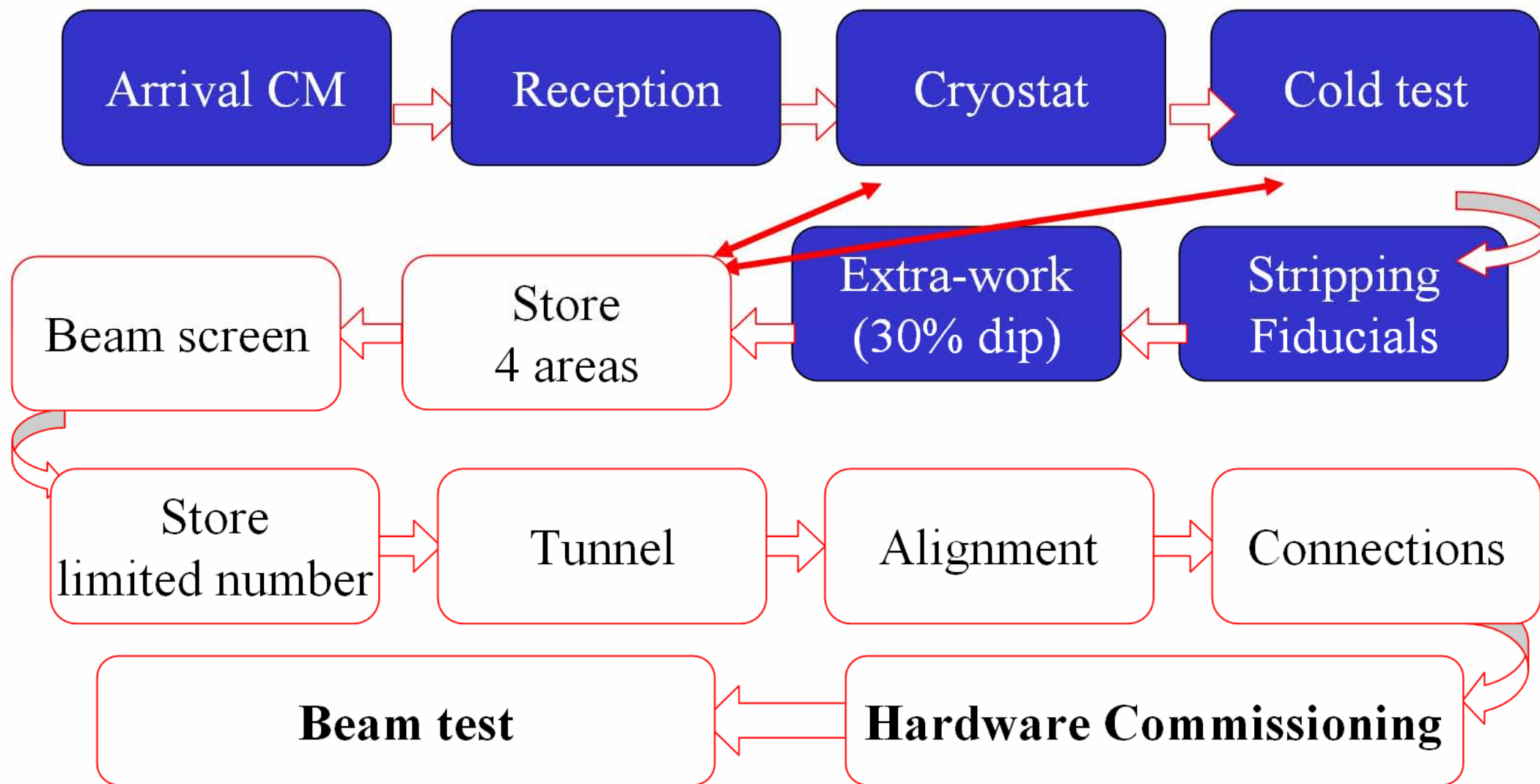
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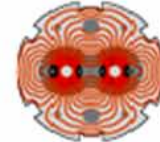


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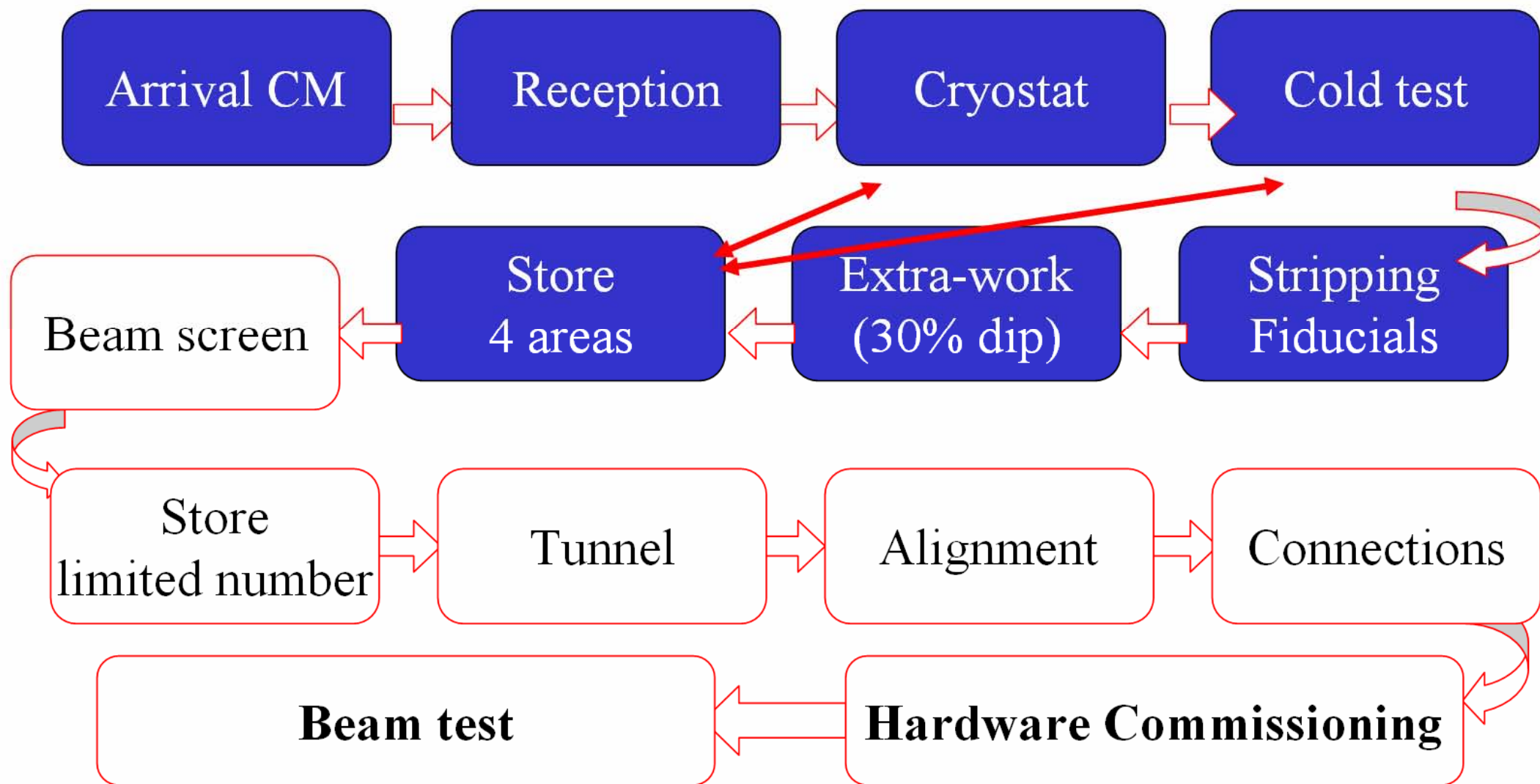




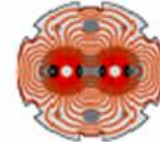
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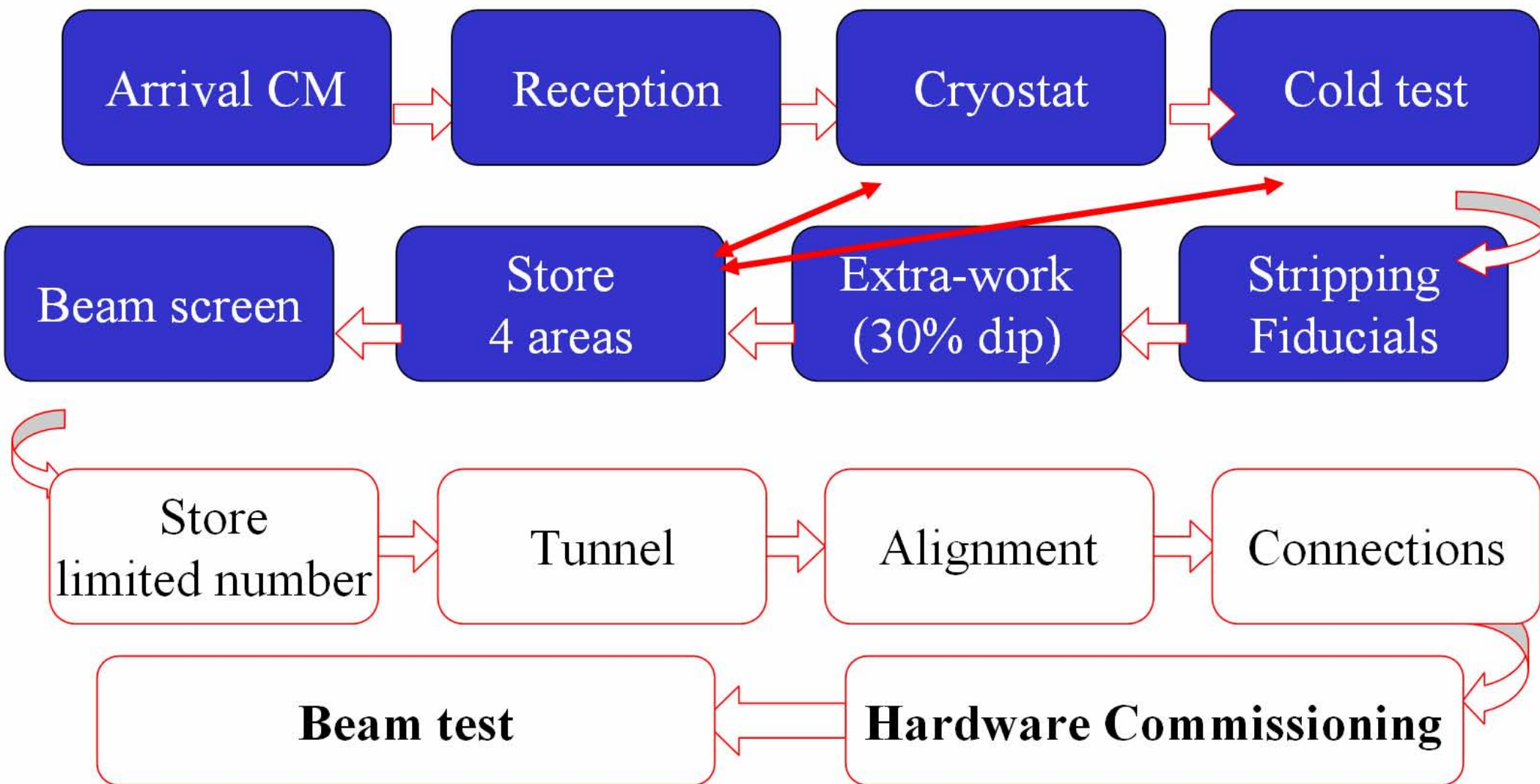
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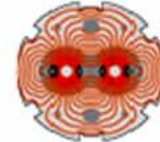
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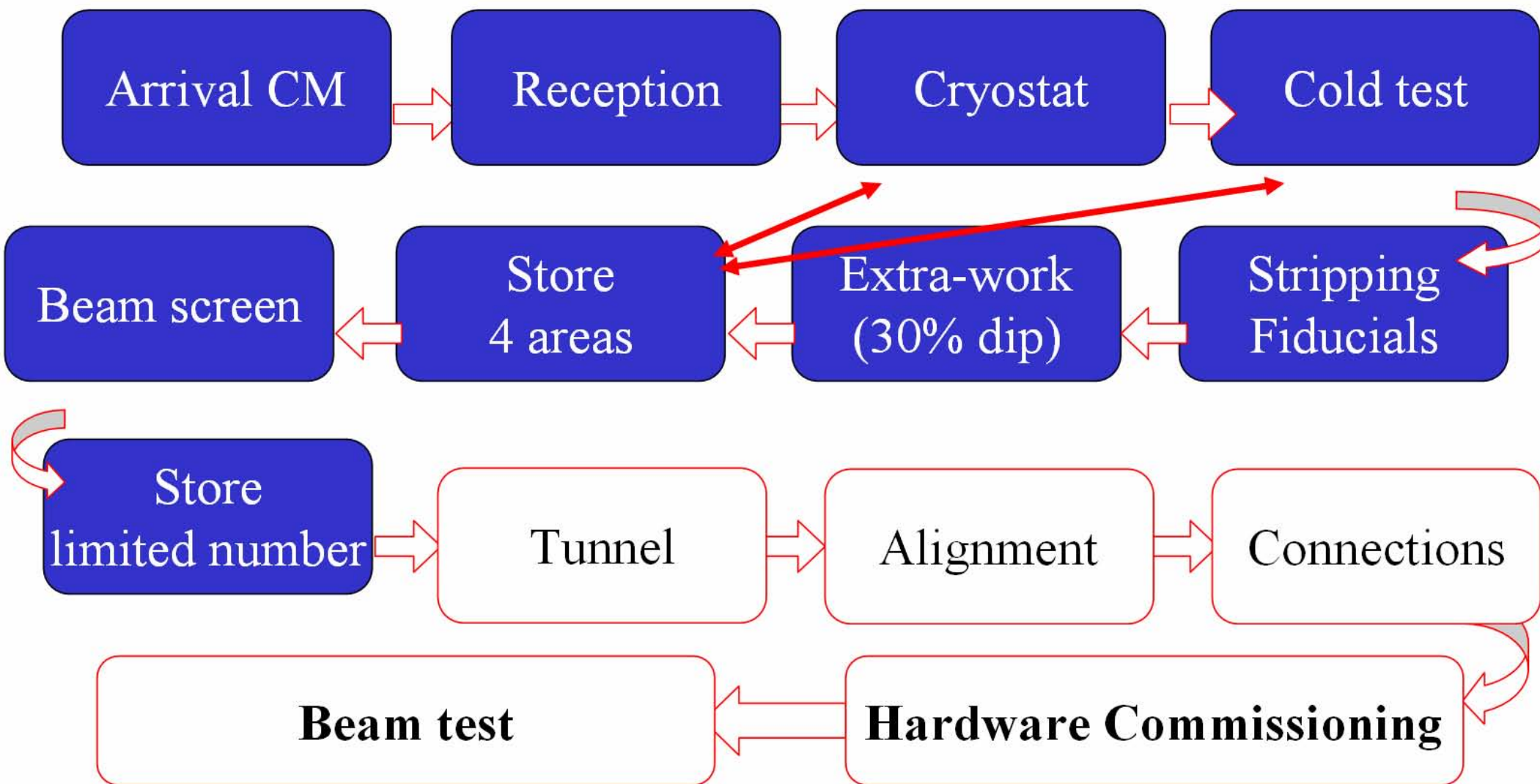
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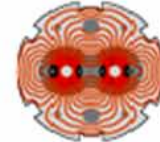
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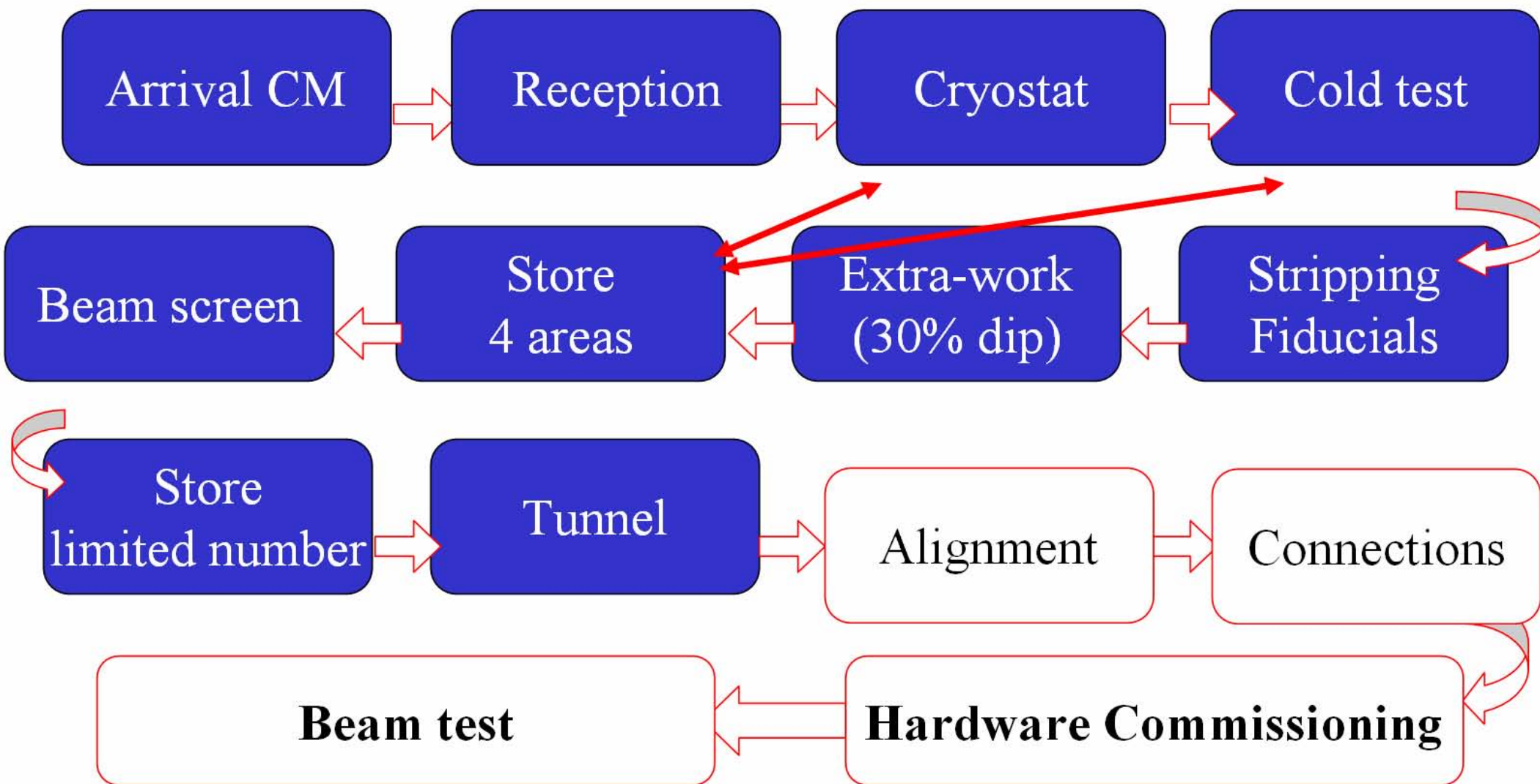
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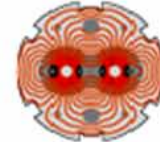
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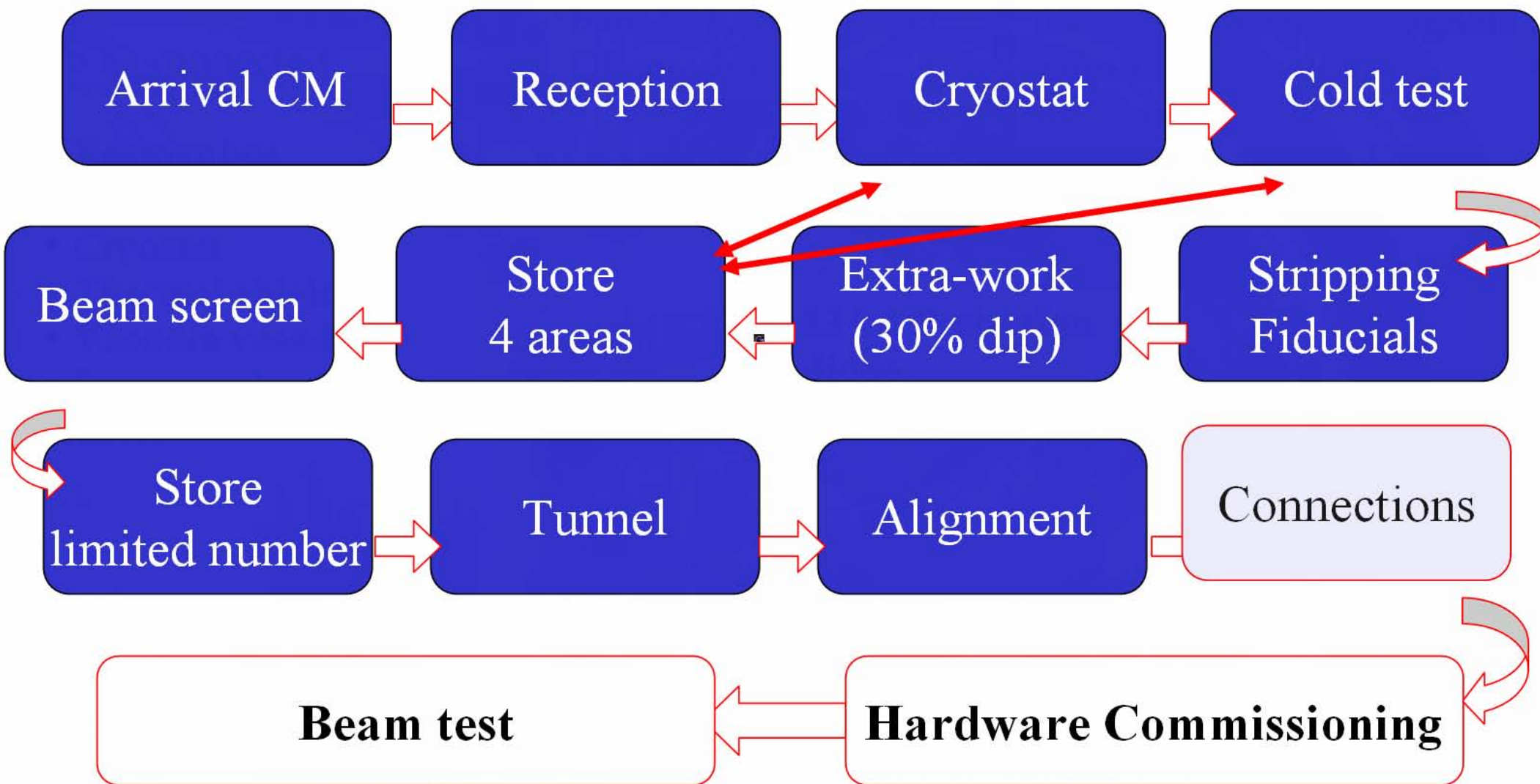
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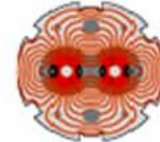
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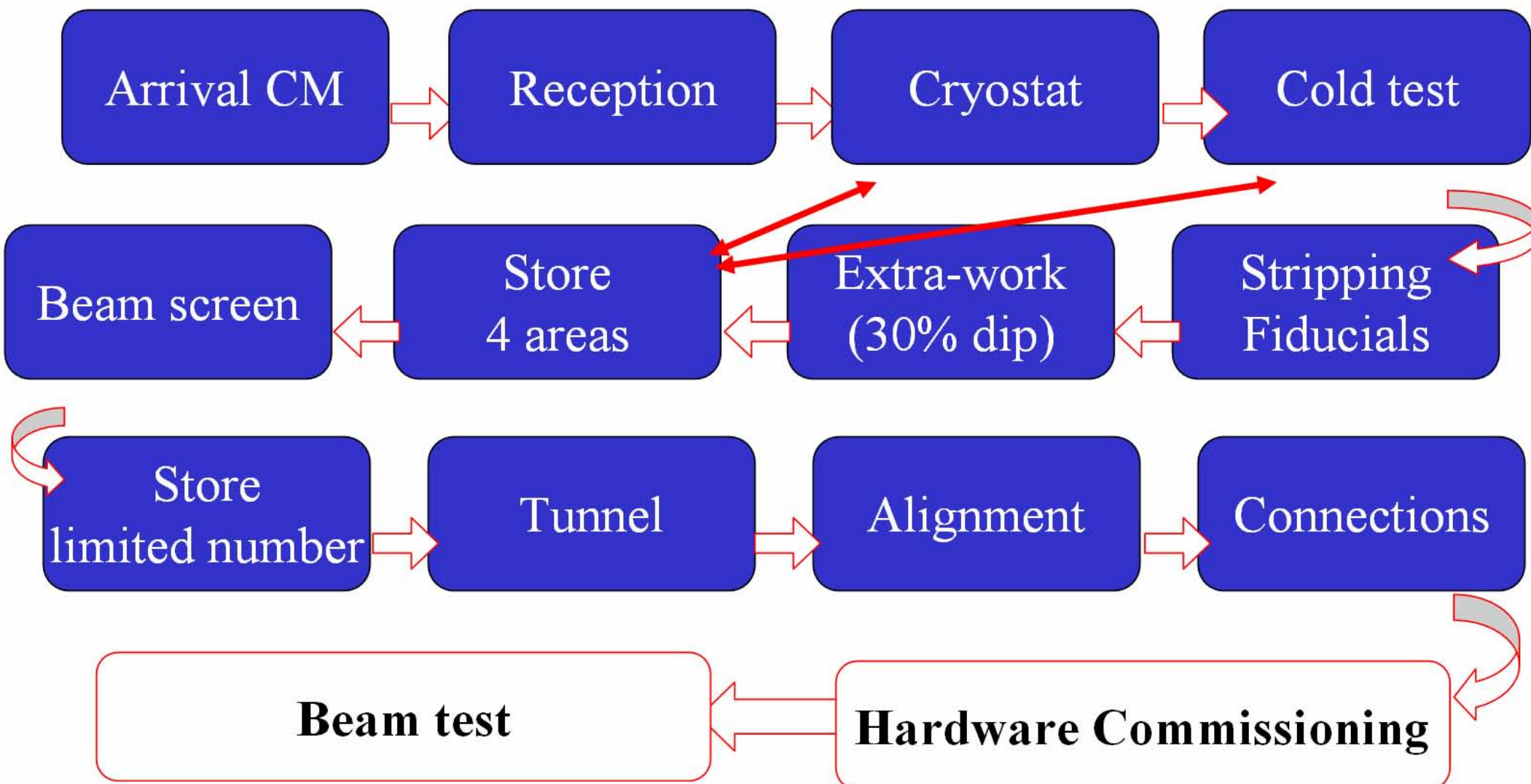
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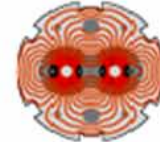
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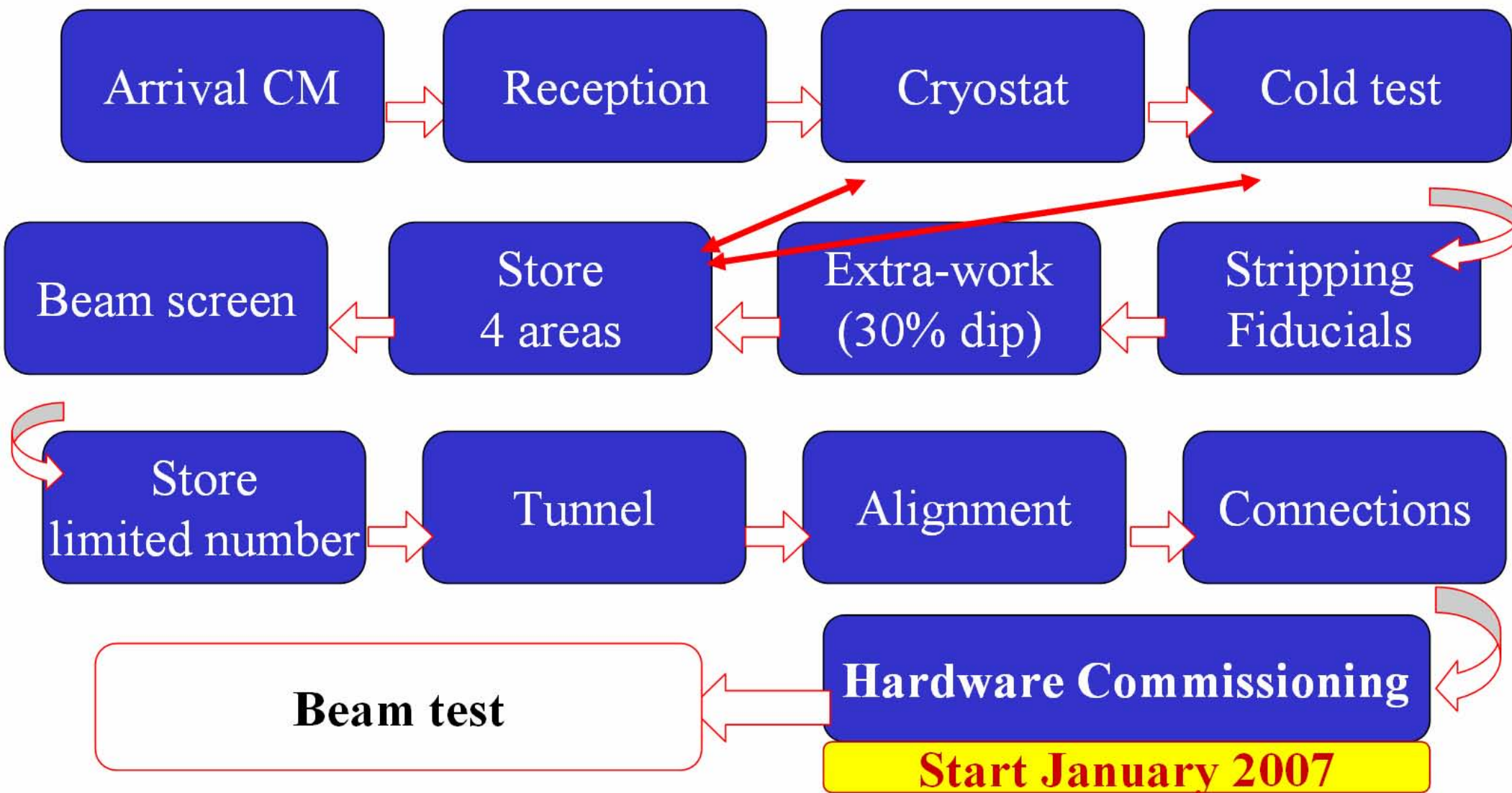
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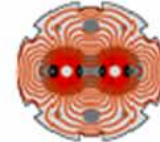
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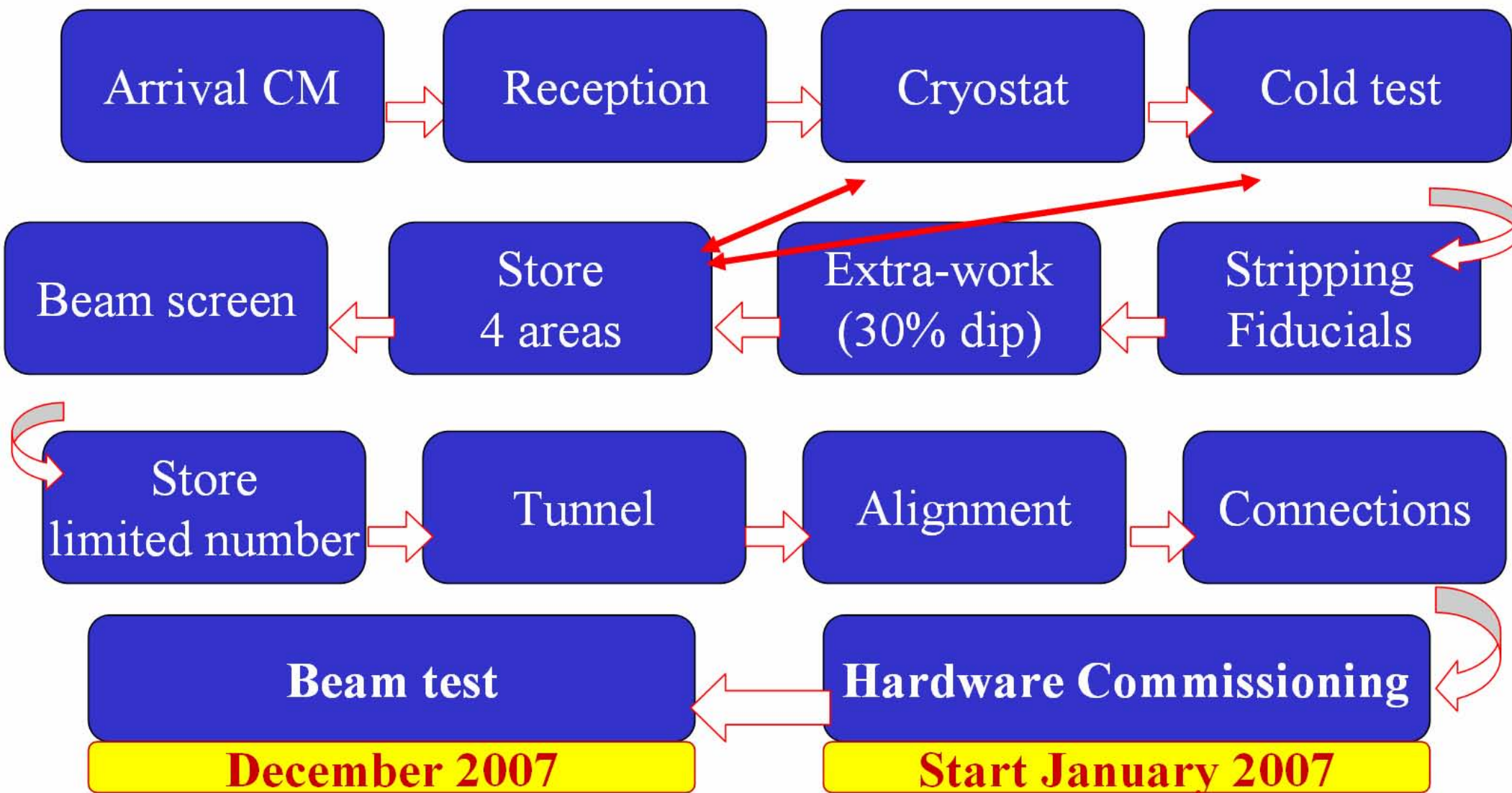
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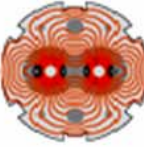
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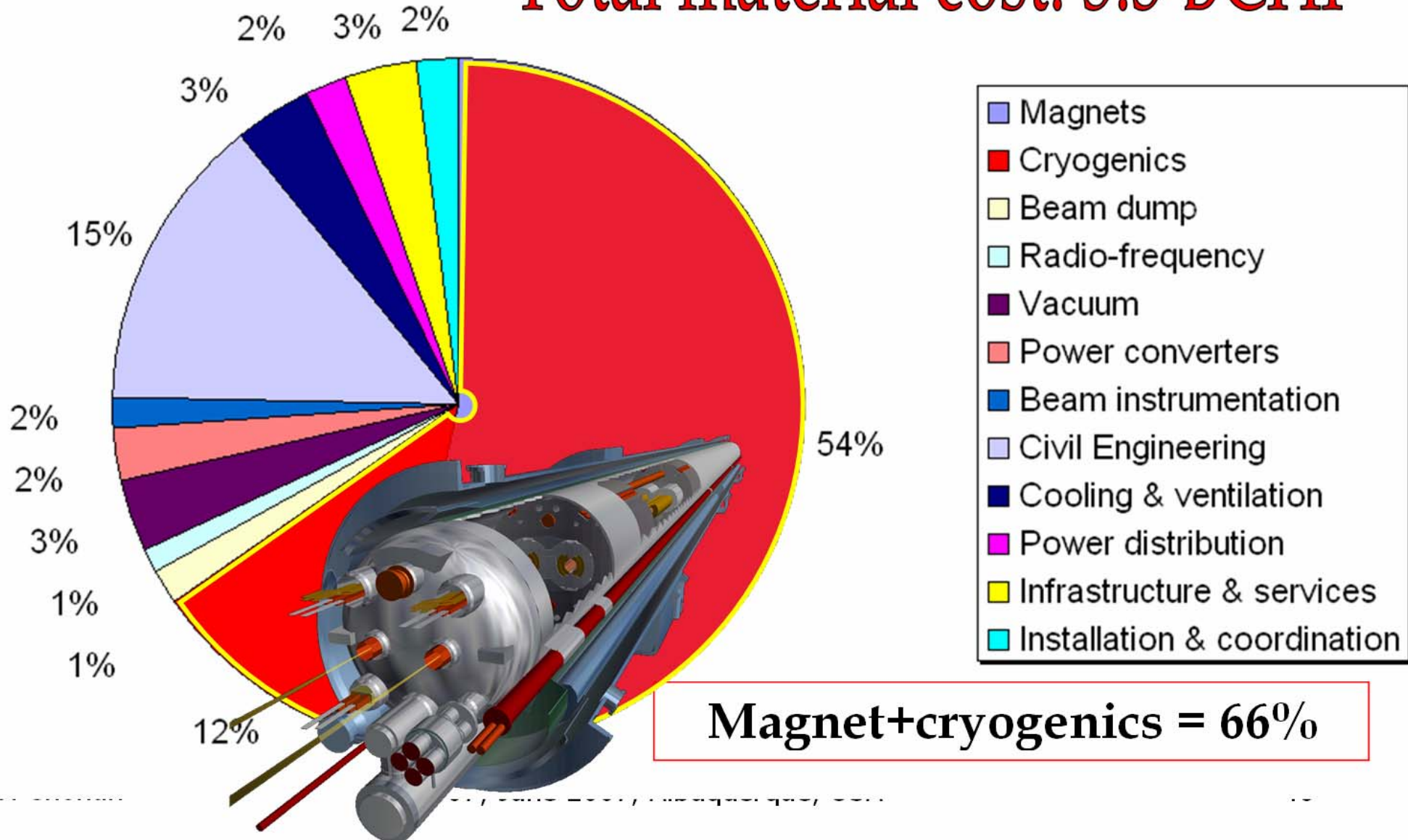


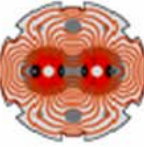




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## Total material cost: 3.3 BCHEF





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### Magnet Appraisal & Perf sheet (MAPS)

*Goodness Evaluation*

Magnet Name **MBBL1166**  
 Bench Name **TBE2**  
 Date of Arrival **Sunday, February 19, 2006**  
 Departure Date **Thursday, February 23, 2006**

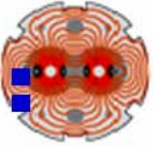
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1	WPO4	-	OK	transferred
2	CDW1 HV	-	OK	transferred
3	CDBP HV	-	OK	transferred
-	Shafts	No.		
4	Training 1	11916.1A (8.37T)		
-	Training 2	12402.2A (8.71T)		
-	Not Trained in	3 training		
-	Maximum current	12798A (8.99T)		
5	CDAP HV	-	OK	transferred
6	CDR or CQR	-	OK	transferred
7	WPO7 HV	-	OK	transferred
#	Test	In SMTMS	Result	
8	PT 14 Magnet MAPS	-	Stripping	
#	Comments			
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# Magnet Appraisal & Performance Sheet (MAPS)

*for Op Empowerment in Decision-taking on a 24 hr basis*

# Why SM18 Test Management System : SMTMS?

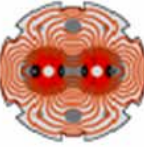


**All tests results were entered in  
Magnet Test Report (MTR – paper log)**



**Verification & Analysis of results ??**

# Execution of MAPS



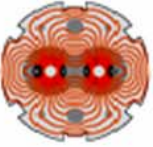
- Enter the test results in **template based reports**



- Parameters beyond thresholds:  
Generate **non-conformity (NC)**



- **MAPS**: Check for NCs, sign E-traveller,  
generate MAPS sheet from SMTMS

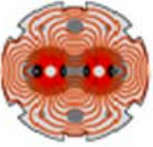


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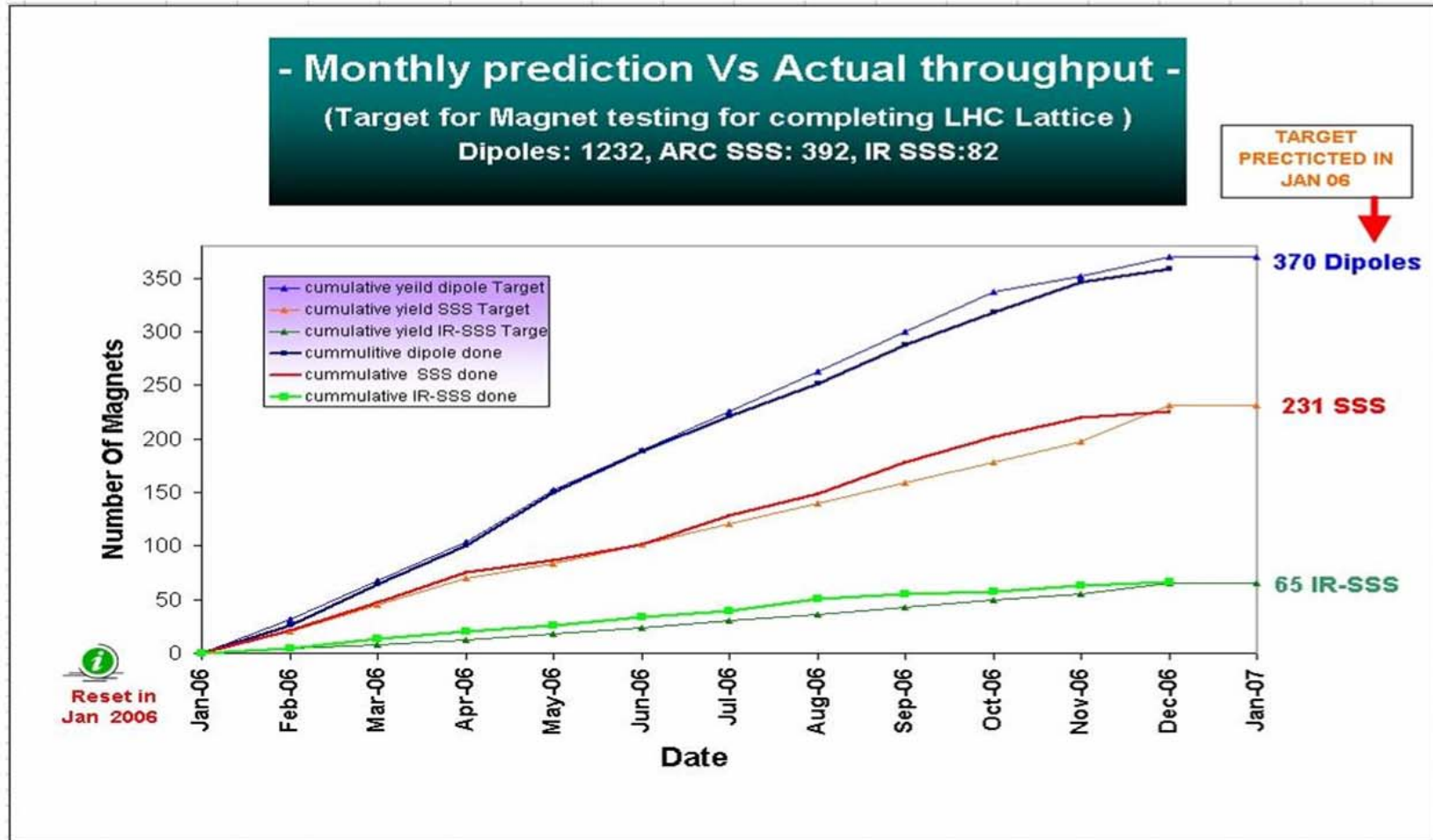
- **1232** Dipoles ( $\sim 19$  km out of 27 km ring)
- **360** Short Straight Sections (MQ - SSS)
- **114** Insertion Region SSS (IR-SSS)

## ● Testing & Qualification (& Training!) of each of them for:

- Cryo, mechanical & electrical insulation
- Quench performance
- Field Quality



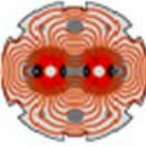
# Statistics: Actual Vs. Predicted Throughput

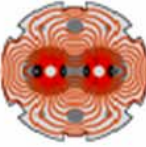


- For the dipoles actual throughput has coincided with the prediction.
- For the special SSS and arc SSS the actual throughput is better then the prediction.

# SM18 Test Operation

## Available Resources





## Available Resources

### ➤ Test Equipment

#### Fixed

- 12 Test Benches arranged in pairs so, 6 clusters( A to F)
- 6 Main Power Converters
- 6 sets of Electronics for testing 1 per cluster

#### Mobile

- For Q-location & MM special 15 m Shafts to be installed in magnets
- Mobile Racks for HV insulation tests & Magnetic Measurements
- SSW Units

### ➤ Shared Utilities

- Water for 4 magnet powering at the same time
- Cryogenics capacity and limits

### ➤ Manpower [24 hr Tests Operation Staff] in 2005

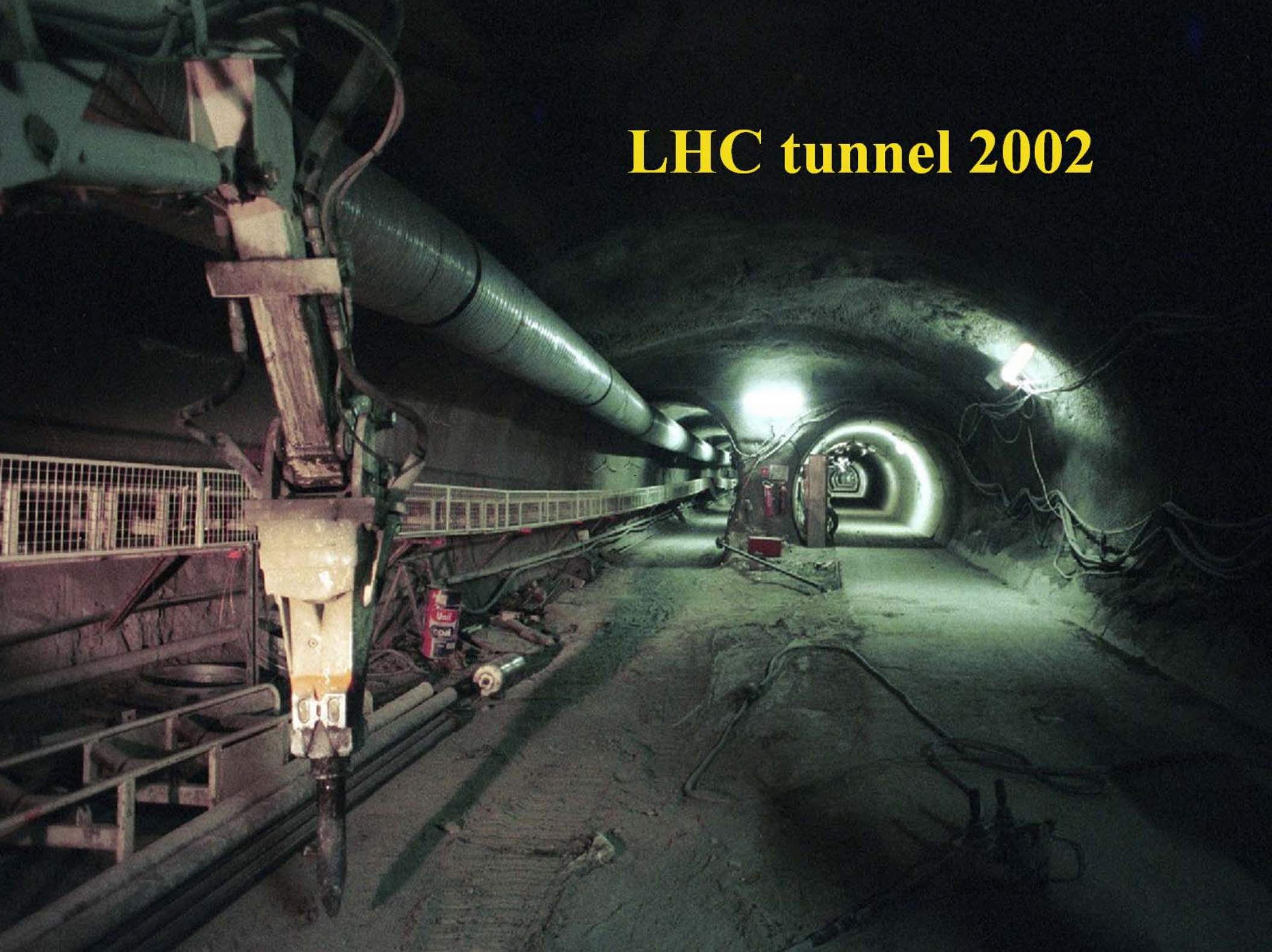
- 14 CERN staff ( ~12 FTE ) on loan from CERN Accelerator Operation ( some only part-time)
- 20-25 persons on exact 1 year contracts from India & constantly rotating, so (~16 FTE)
- ICS “Magnet connectors/disconnectors” working 24 hours ( but ROCLA not)
- Cryogenic Support staff

### ➤ Technical Support

- Equipment support for magnet test equipment and electronics



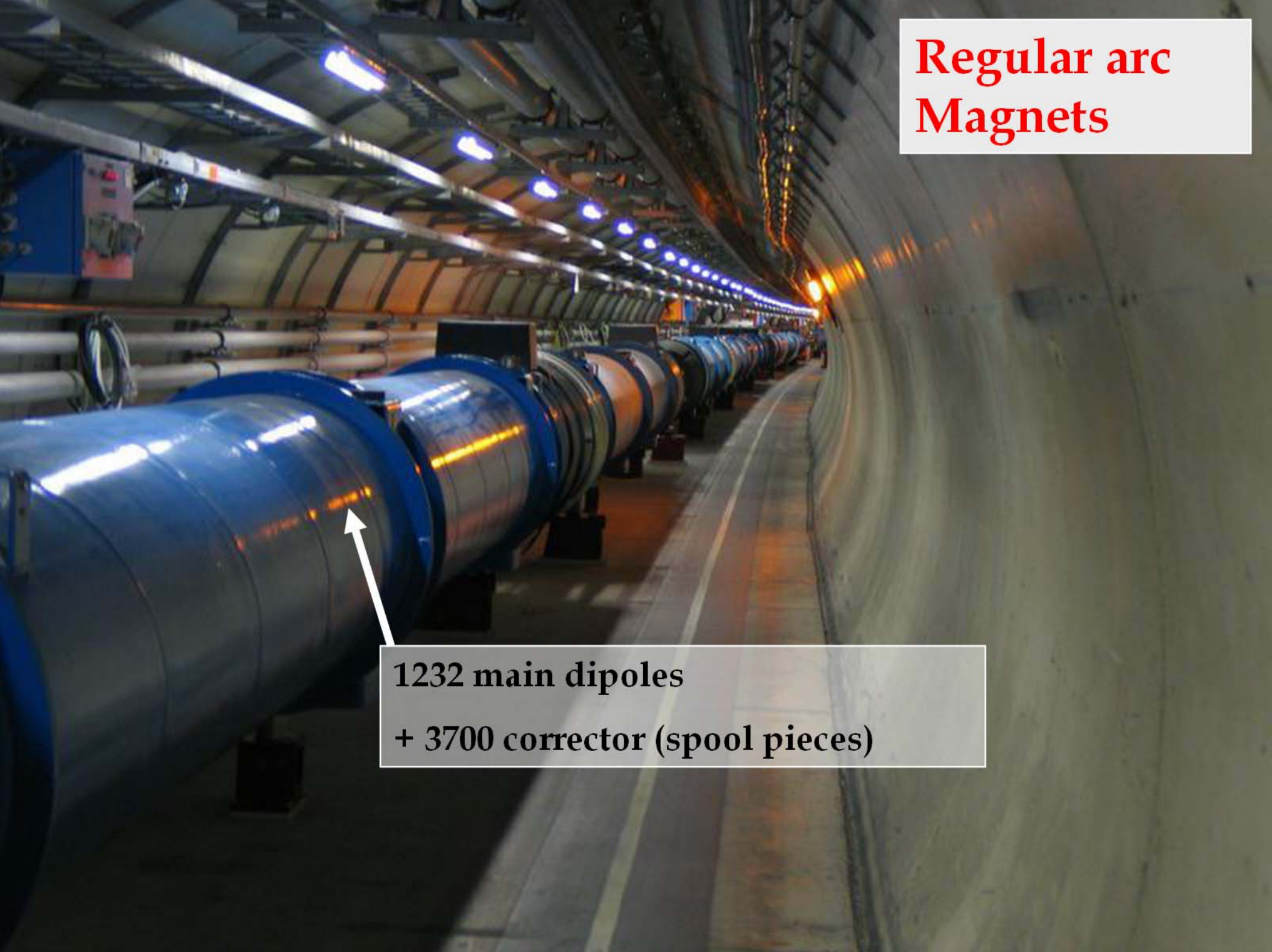
# LHC tunnel 2002



# LHC tunnel 2006



# Regular arc Magnets



1232 main dipoles  
+ 3700 corrector (spool pieces)

# Regular arc Magnets

392 main quadrupoles +  
2500 corrector magnets

Installed dipole

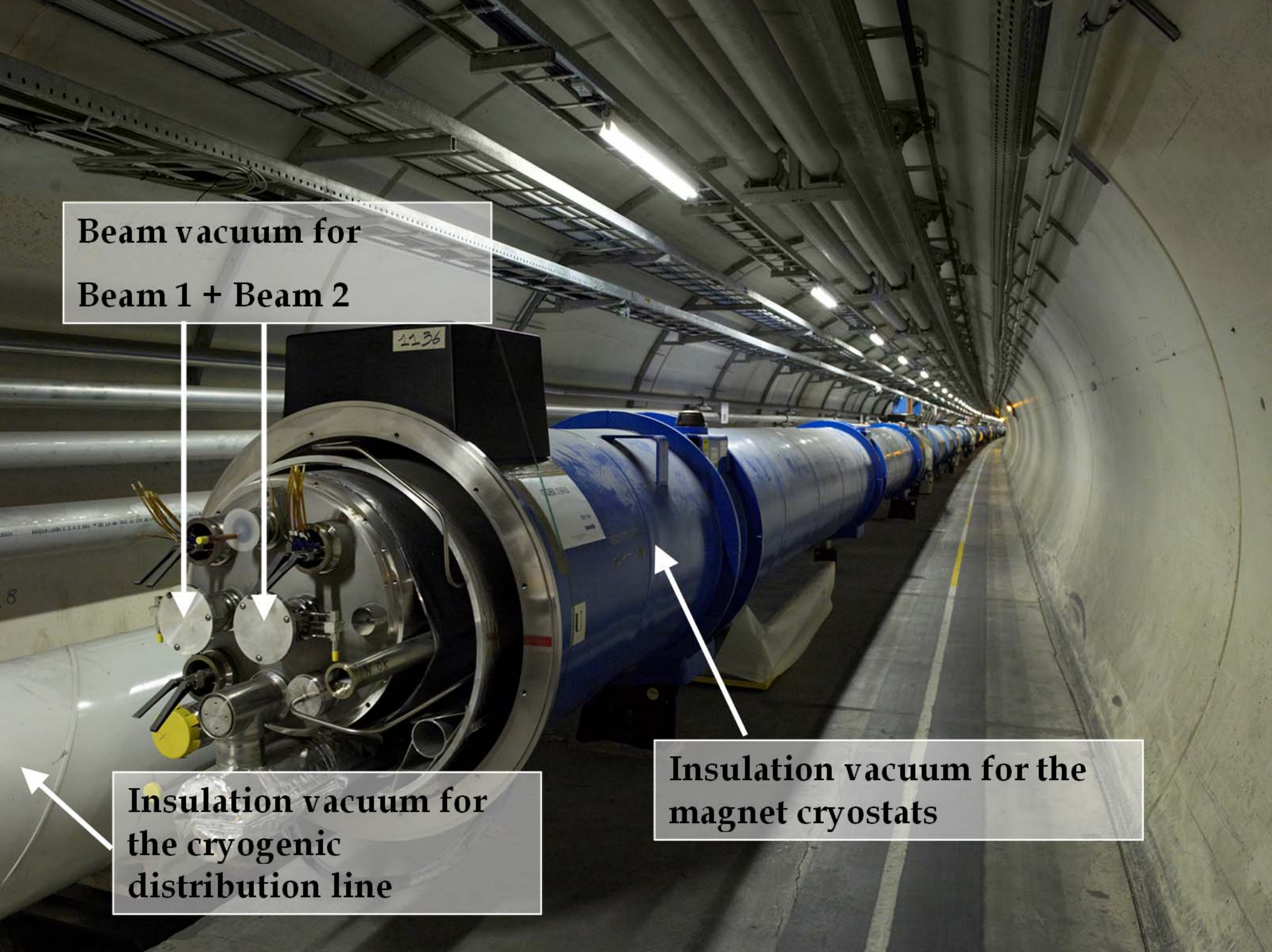
SSS being transported

**Connection via service module and jumper**



**Supply and recovery of helium with 26 km long cryogenic distribution line**

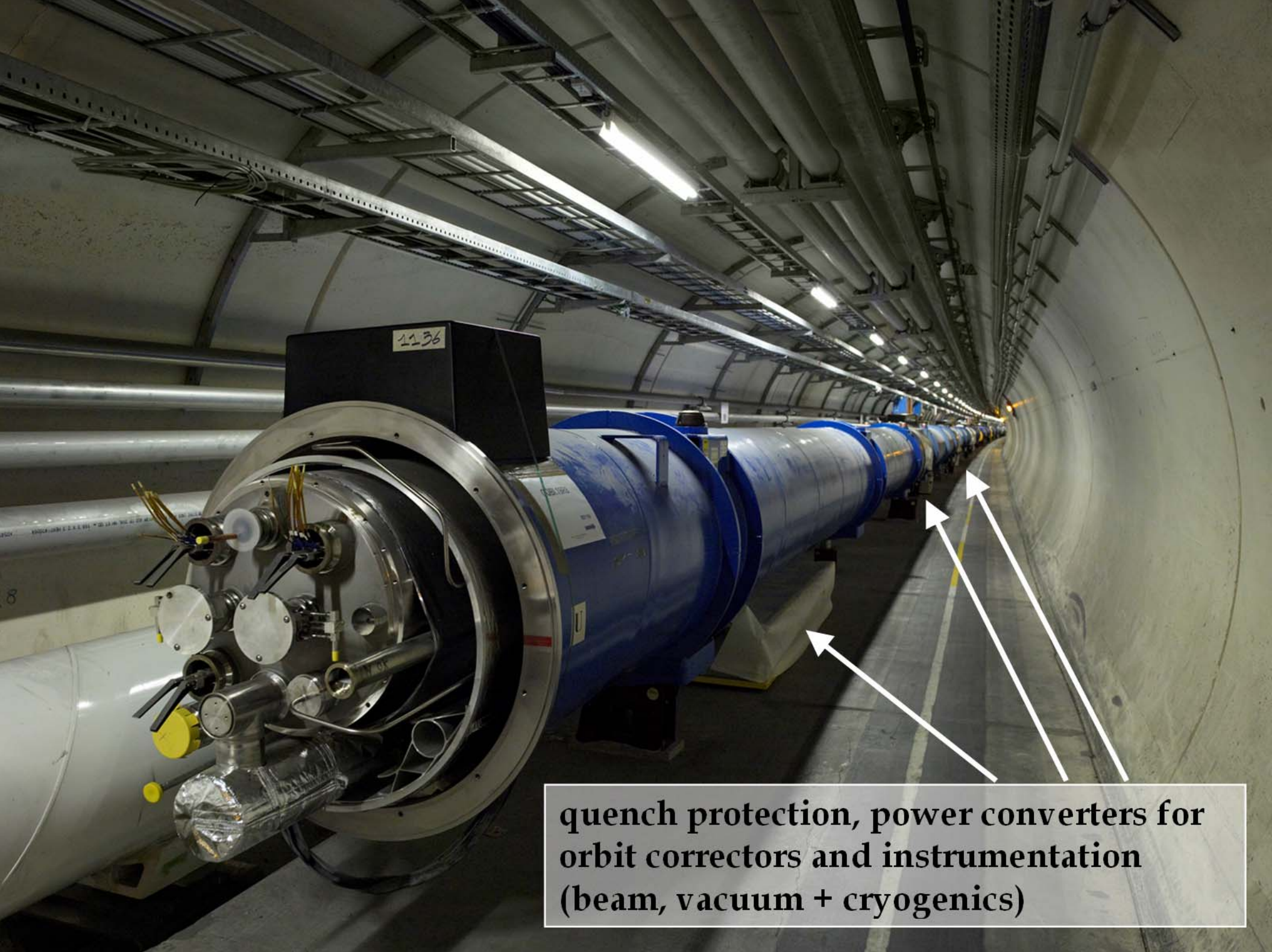
**Static bath of superfluid helium at 1.9 K in cooling loops of 110 m length**



**Beam vacuum for  
Beam 1 + Beam 2**

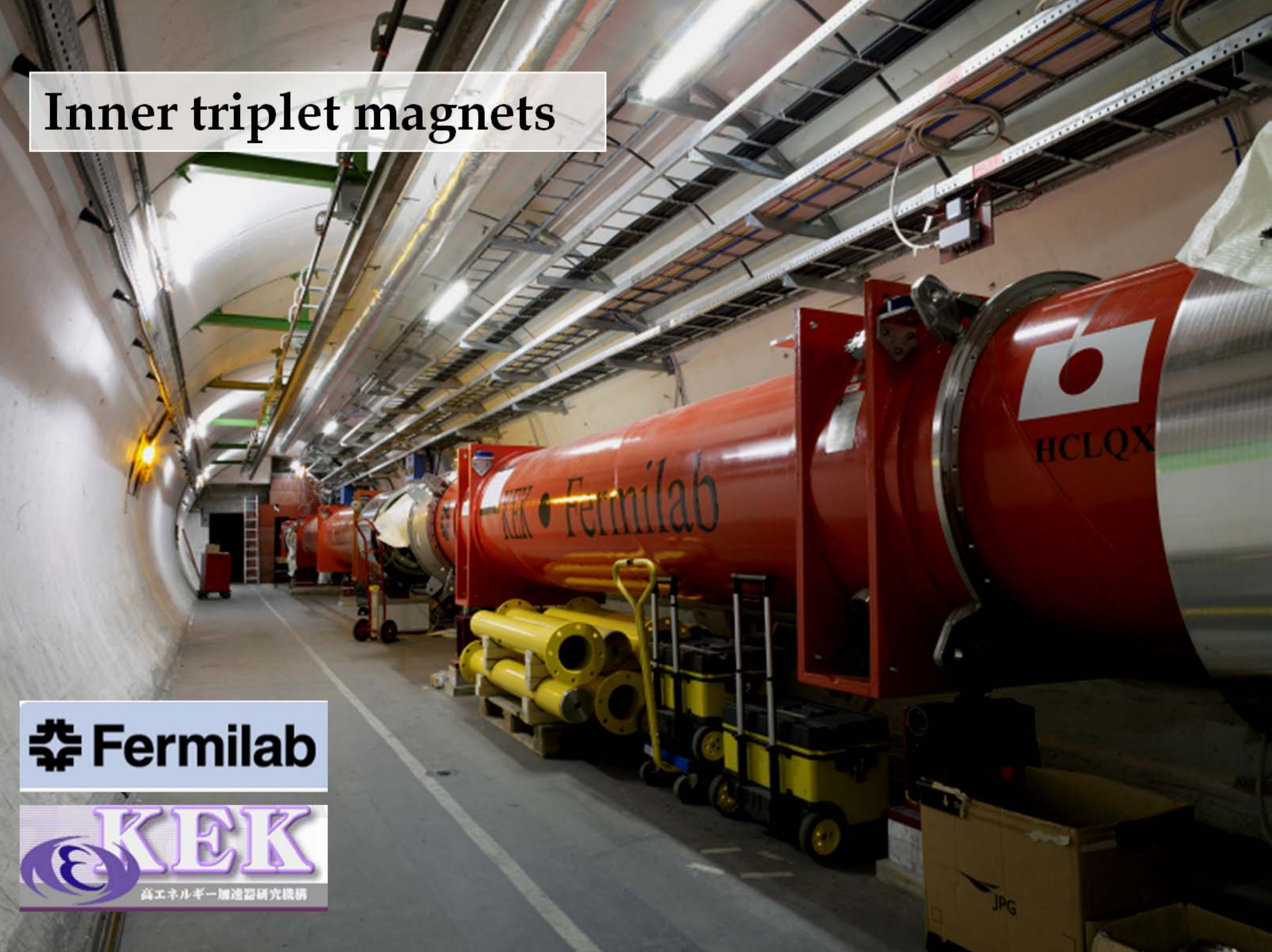
**Insulation vacuum for  
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**Insulation vacuum for the  
magnet cryostats**



**quench protection, power converters for orbit correctors and instrumentation (beam, vacuum + cryogenics)**

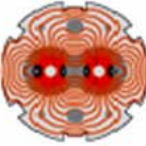
# Inner triplet magnets



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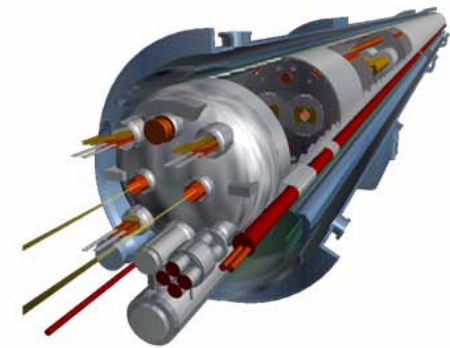
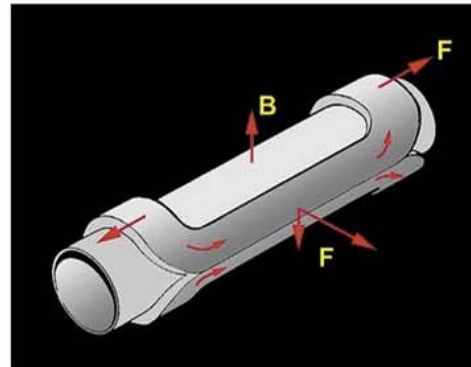
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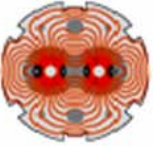
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- In iron dominated magnets the pole shape dictates field quality
- In superconducting magnets the conductor position dictates the accuracy of the field.
- Coils not self-supporting
- Beam will circulate 500 Millions times in the LHC
- Field accuracy: 10-100 ppm
- Necessity to have all dipoles equal in length within  $\sim 100$  ppm (1.5 mm over 15 m of the LHC dipole length !)



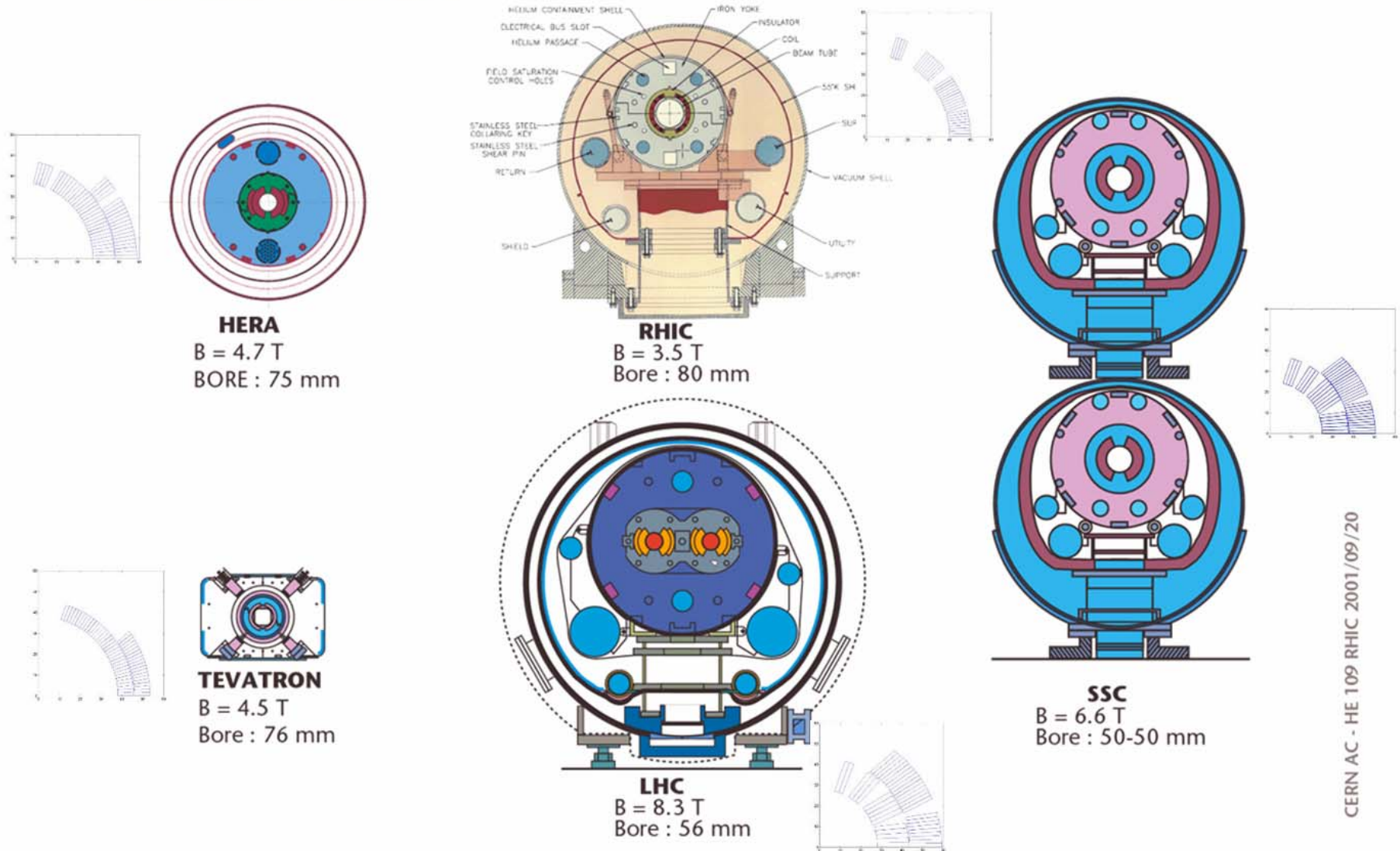
LHC main dipoles

- Quantity: 1232 dipoles  $\times 15$  m = 18.5 km
- Operated at same current: 154 circuits
- Extremely high current density: operation 85% of  $I_c$  (on load line), little stabilizer to increase  $J \Rightarrow$  Training. BUT we cannot train them at long (it costs too much) and **they should not re-training.**
- After the cool down the **worst magnet will determine the energy of the accelerator.**



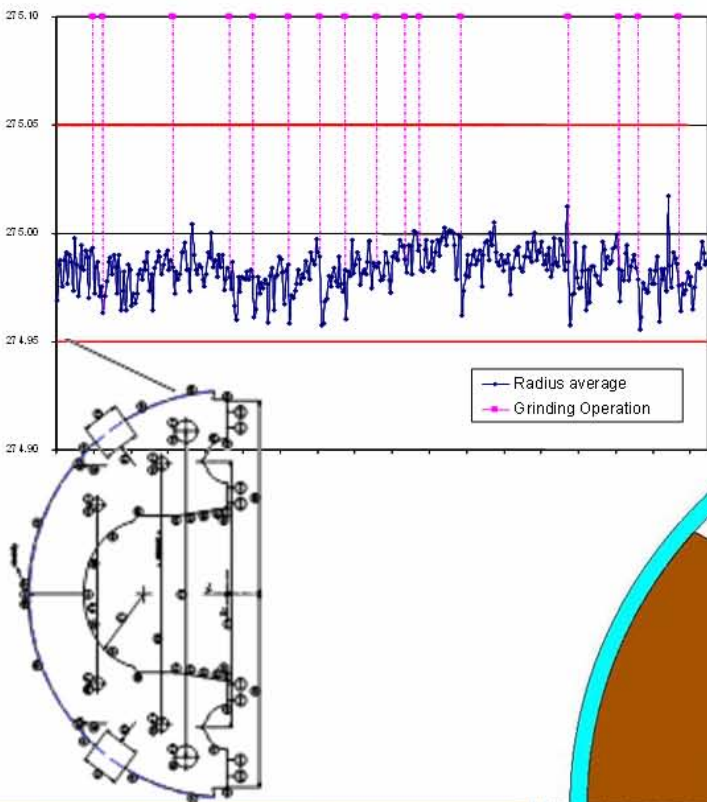
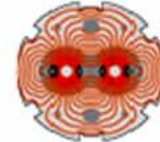
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## DIPOLE MAGNETS



CERN AC - HE 109 RHIC 2001/09/20

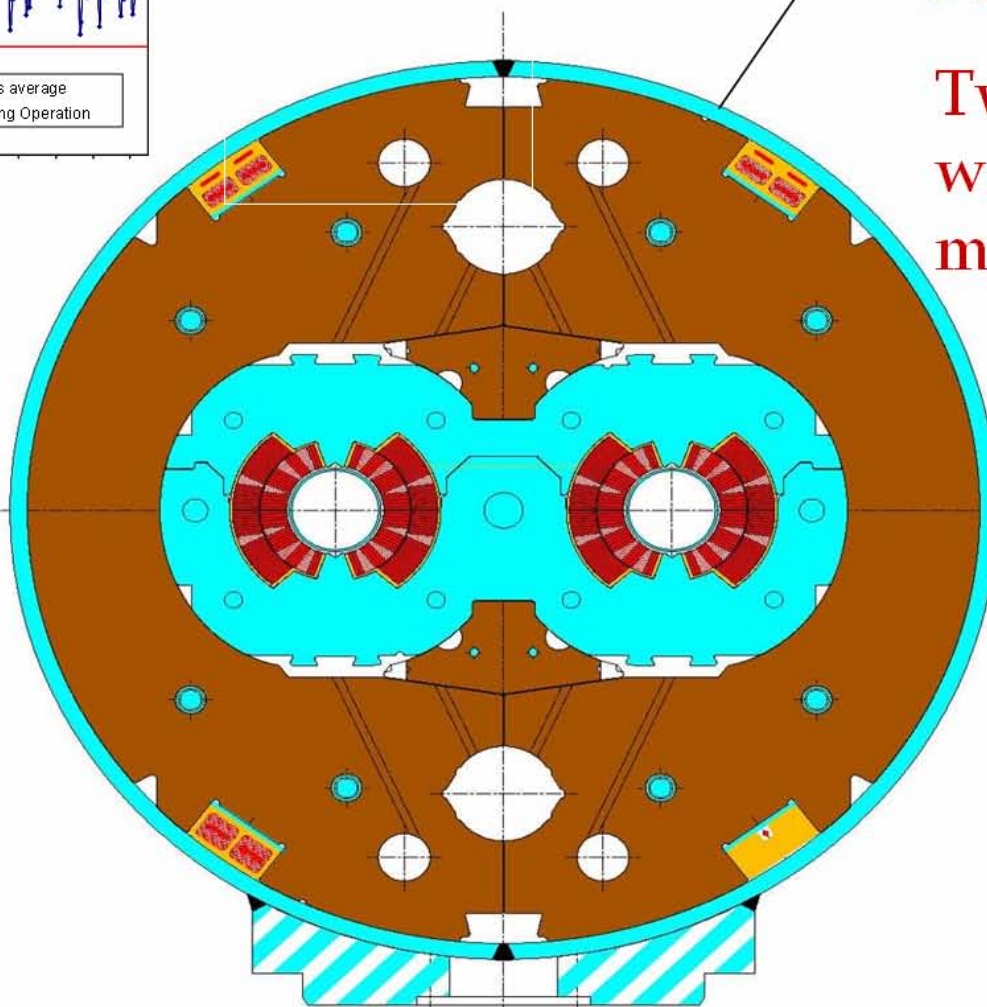
# Dipole cross section: yoke & shrinking cylinder



Curvature released  
from  $\pm 1$  to  $\pm 2.5$  mm:

Solution: pairing

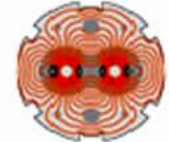
Two half shells,  
welded on the  
magnet



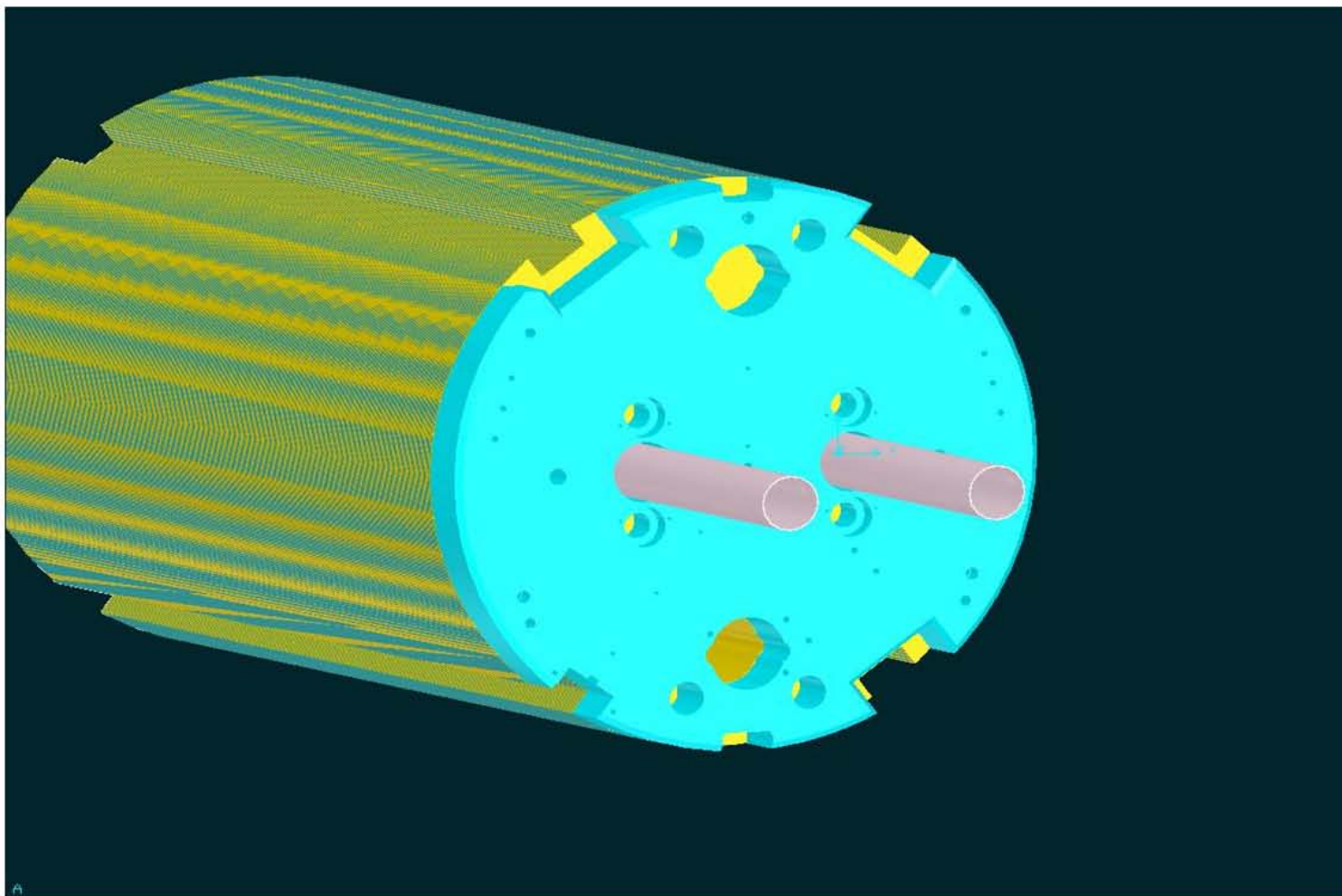
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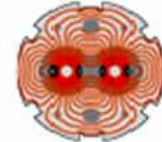
# Dipole -end part end plate



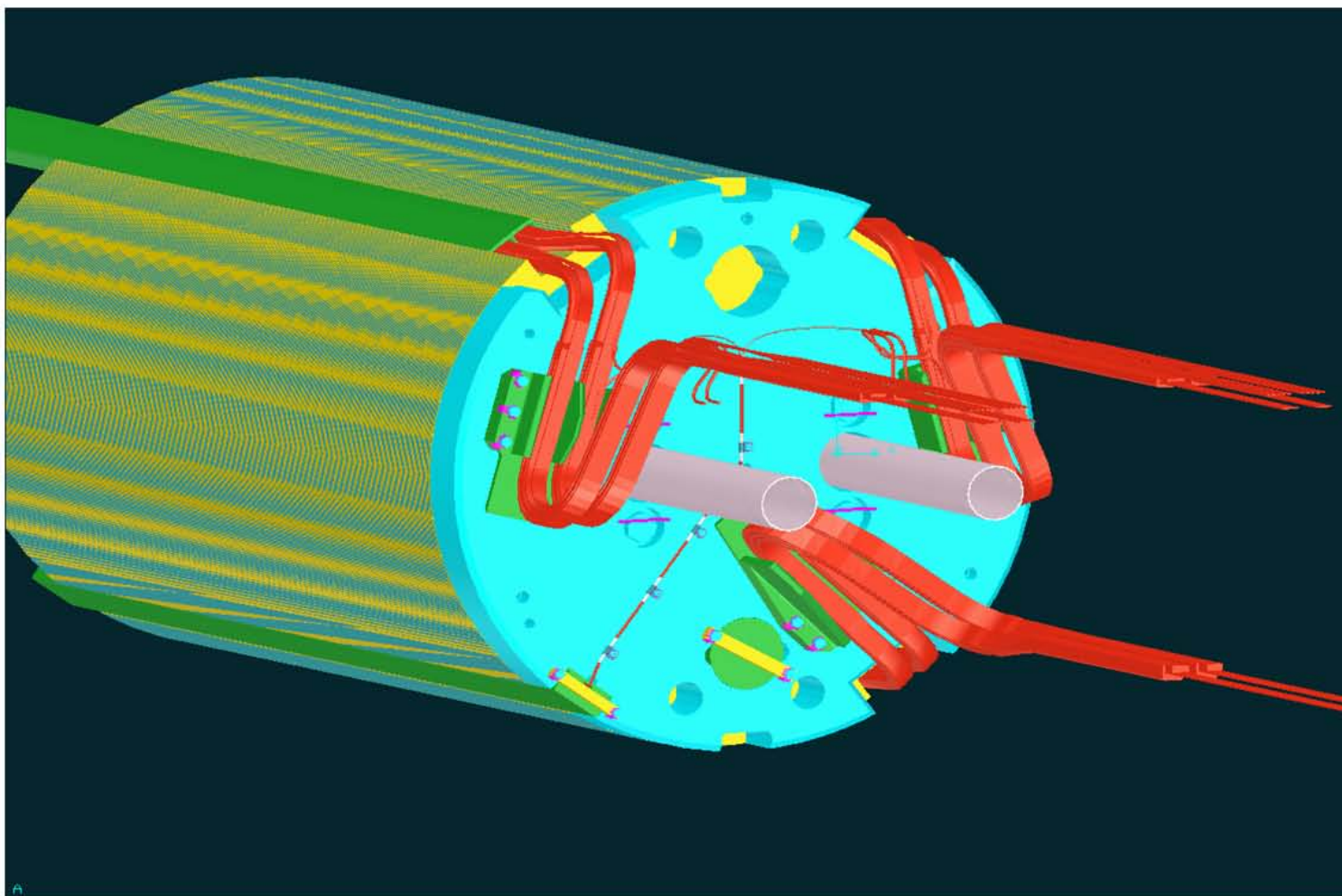
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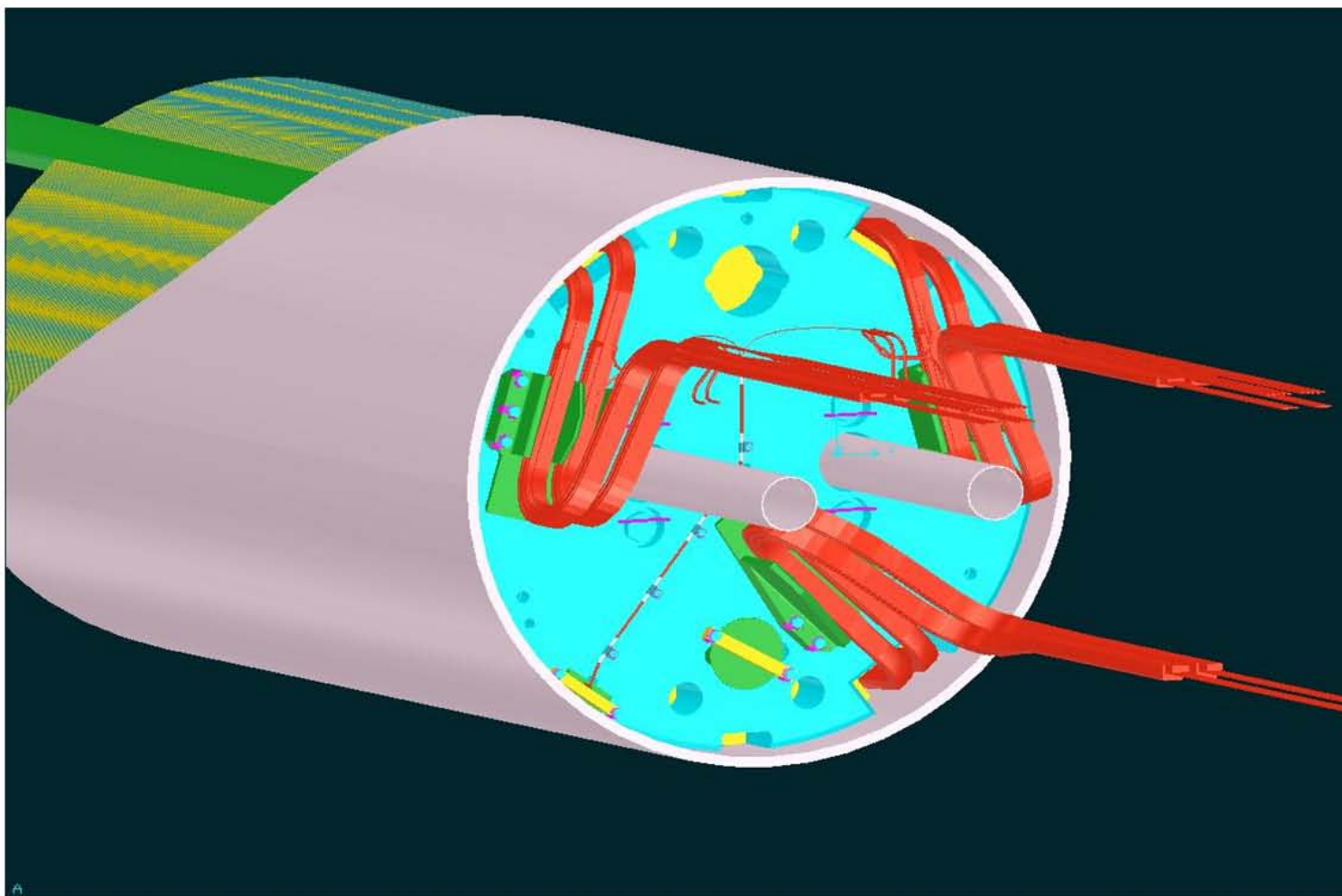
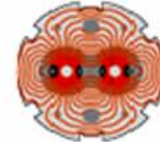
# Dipole-end part Bus Bars



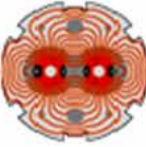
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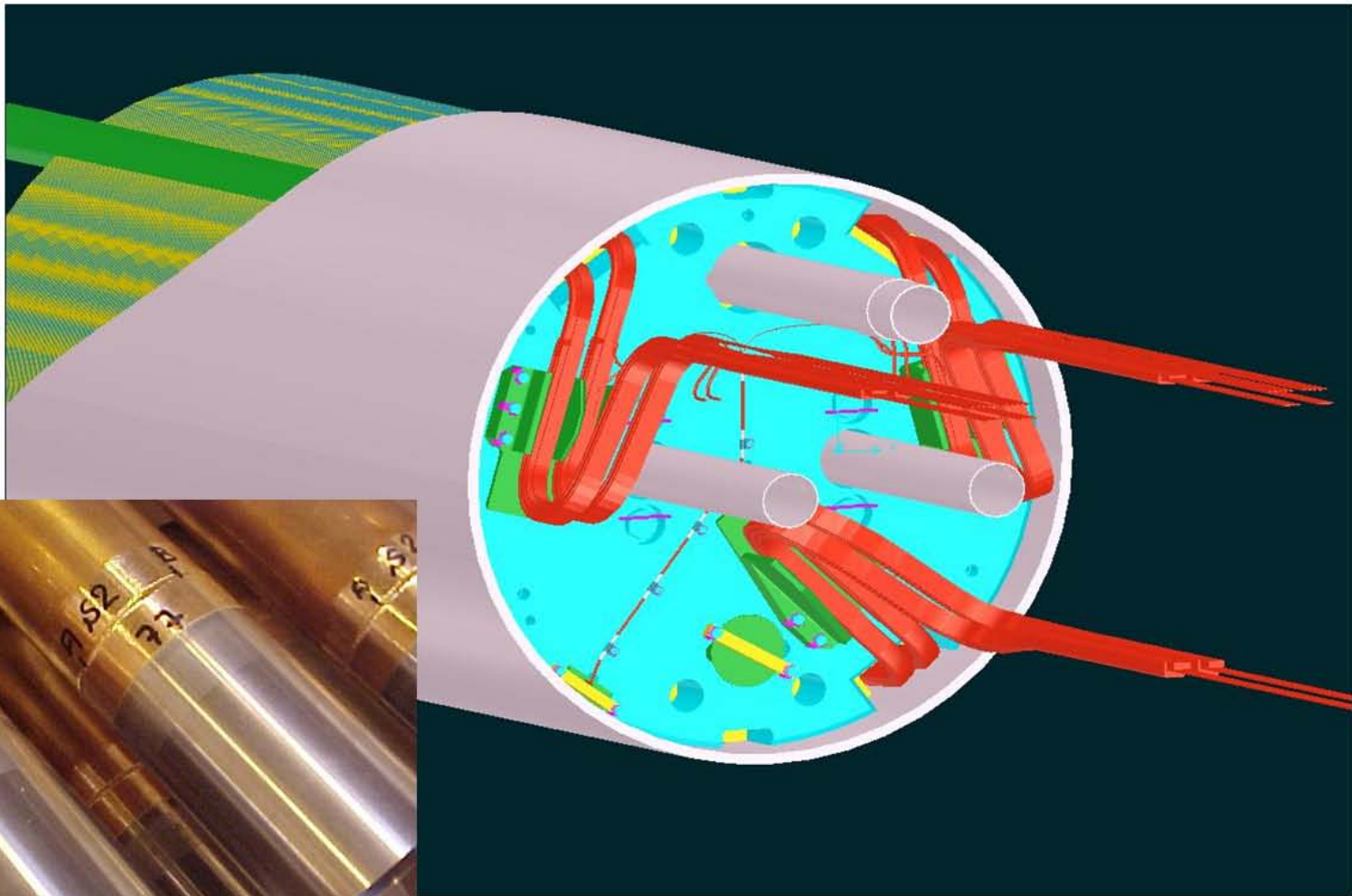
# Dipole -end part Shrinking cylinder



# Dipole -end part Cu HXT

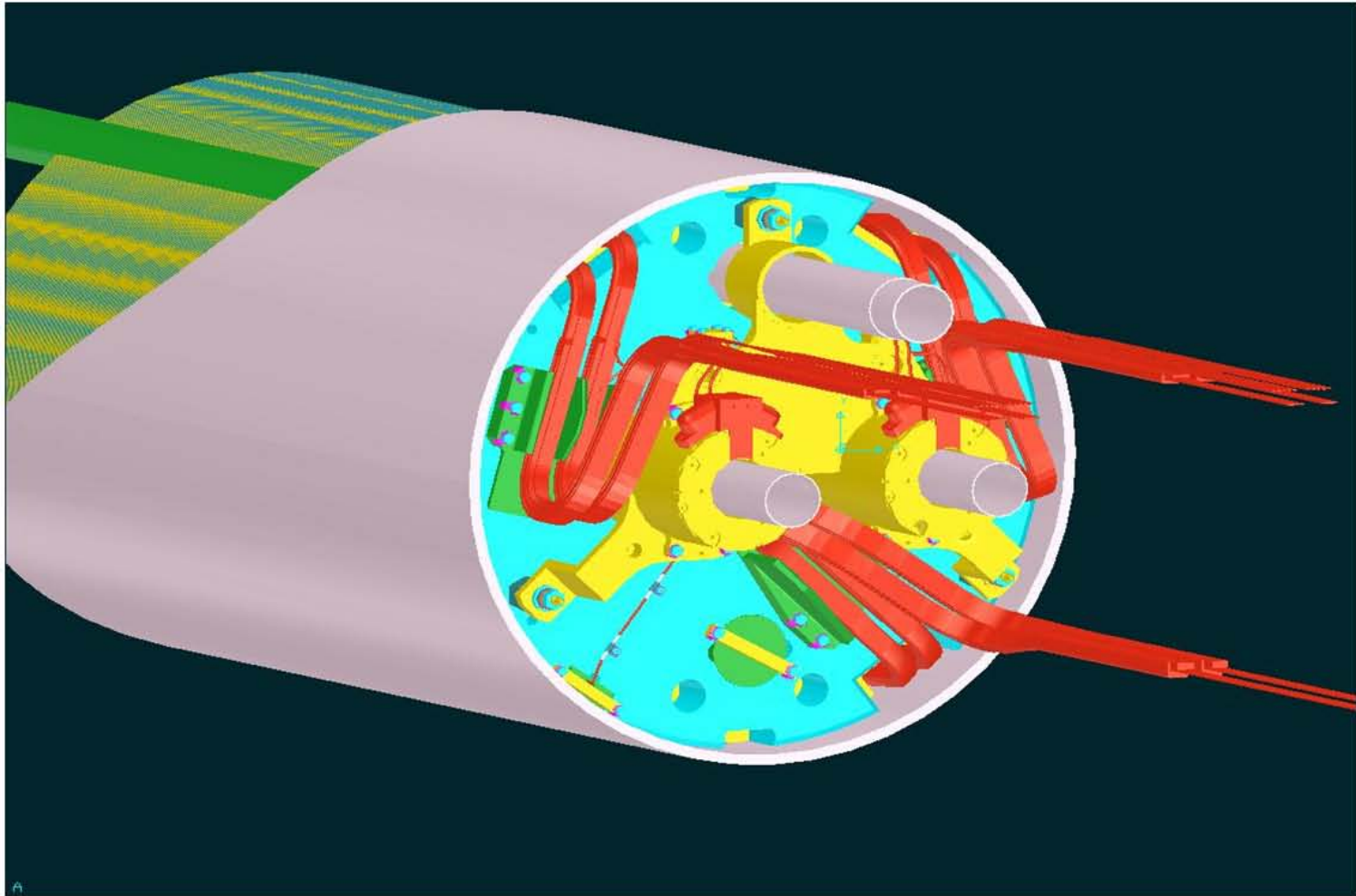
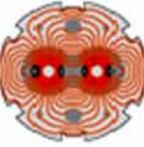


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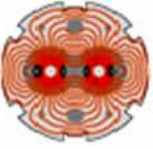
# Dipole -end part Corrector Magnets

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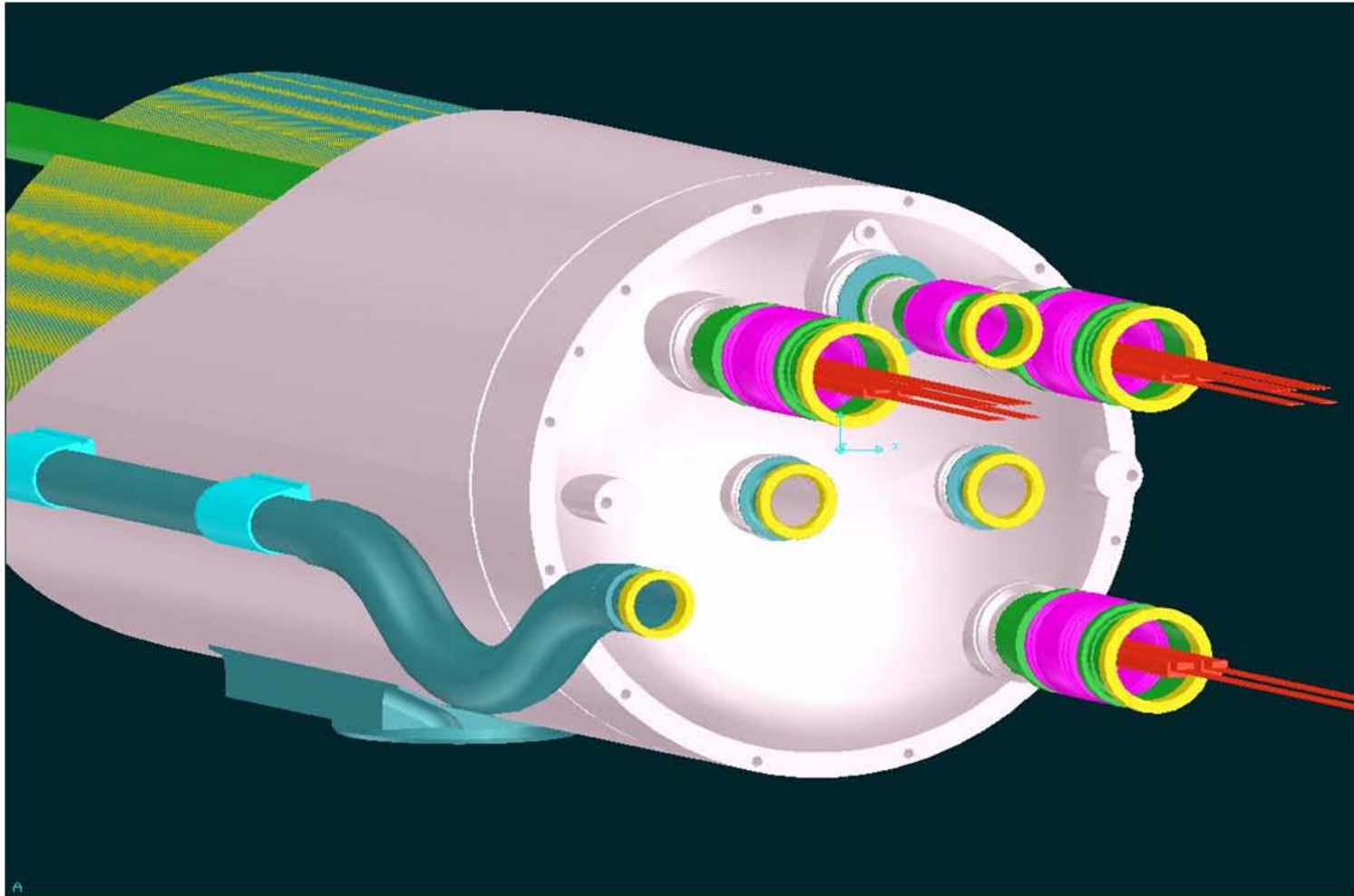


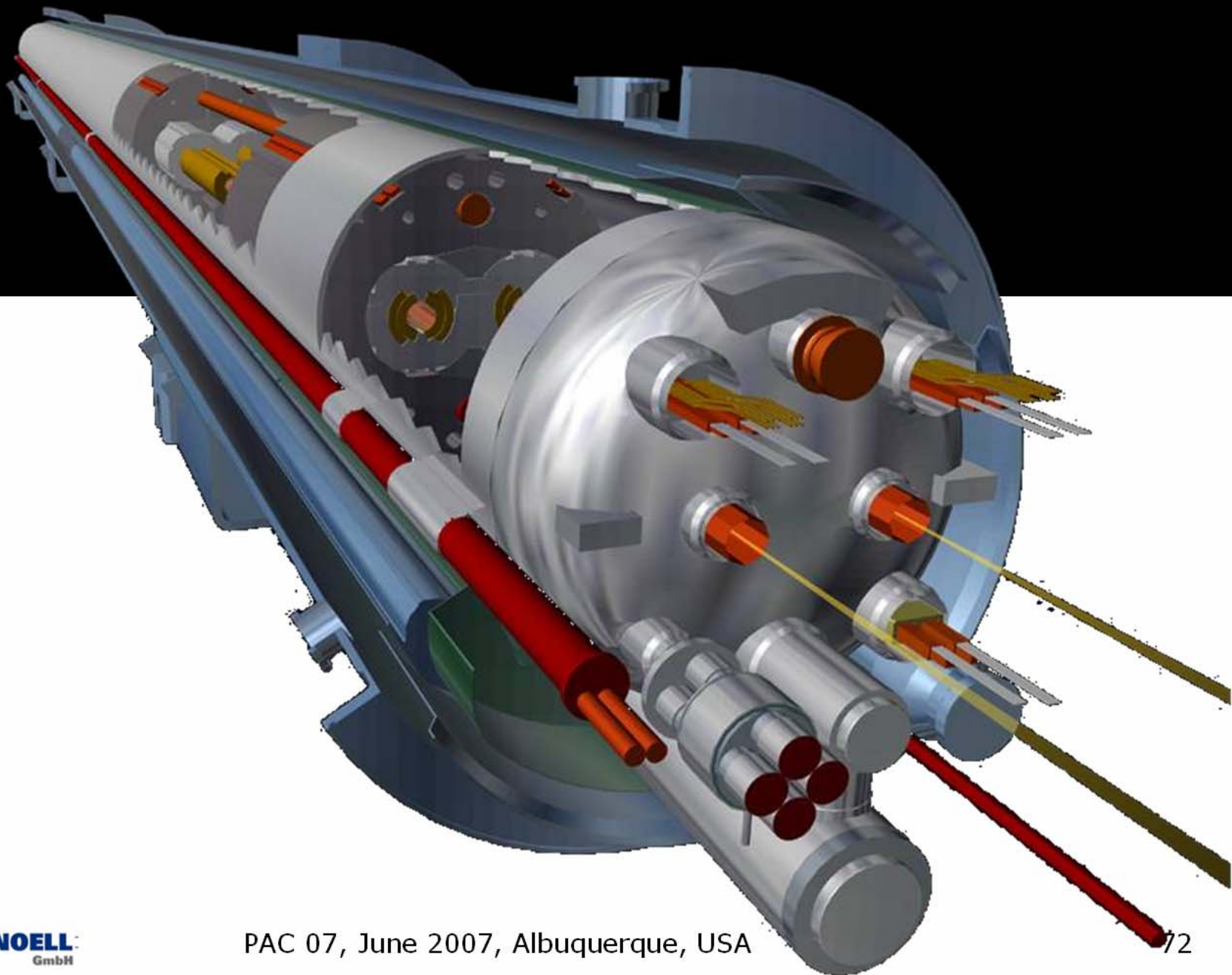


# Dipole -end part Cold foot, Bellows and N-line



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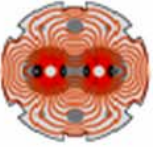




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# To-Do List & MTR

Tests numbered sequentially

Item	LIST OF TESTS FOR A NEW DIPOLE With Magnetic Measurements - No Thermal Cycle	Estimated Time	Estimate (count/ hour)	Documents
<b>Preparatory tests at Warm</b>				
IC81	HV Test performed by ICS. *Warm initial before bolting*			
IC82	Theoretical Computation to CFB (IC81 - BOLDING)			
IC83	Check Switch, Magnet Status, Cables and interconnects on the MEED and plates if no interconnects are installed; or Enter the magnet Name in TEM4 if MTT & Interconnect active.	0:15	0:15	
1	Lock Test, Check ICS	0:30	0:45	
2-1	IAP at warm, LF heater discharge	0:30	1:15	
2-2	IAP at warm, HF heater discharge	0:30	1:45	
2-3	Resistance Measurement, Quench Heaters after discharge	0:30	2:15	CDW1 Resistance
IC84	Scan the HV mobile rack, Check Cassette entry in ME4.	0:15	2:30	
3	HV Insulation Test. *Warm initial after bolting to CFB*	1:30	4:00	CDW1 HV WPA 9.19.2.3 Page 8/5
<b>SIGN TRAVELLER</b>				
CR1	Cryo Train Leak test	0:30	4:30	
IC84	Final Computation to CFB (CPU BCN)			
IC85	Scan the Shafts, TBU and Mobile Rack, or Quench Interconnect	0:15	4:45	
4	Connect the TBU with the mobile rack if shafts are available. Start T-COD, if the bench is better.	0:30	5:15	
5	Cool Down. Put 2A in the magnet and launch Thermal Cycle in TEM4.	30:00	35:15	
<b>Cold tests at 1.9K</b>				
IC86	Scan the HV Mobile Rack	0:15	35:30	
PT 2	HV Insulation test. *Cold initial before test connected to CFB*	1:45	37:15	CDBP HV
PT 1	IAP at cold, (Check of T-Cod, tuning of offset and compensation for Puritan cards and Qnet)	1:30	38:45	
PT 3	Resistance Measurement, (Quench Heaters)	0:15	39:00	CDBP Resistance
PT 4	Show Power Alarm Check @ 100kA.	0:30	39:30	
MM 1	Shaft alignment and MNP Checks @ 150kA.	0:45	40:15	
PT 5.1	HALF HF, (Overvoked Quench at 1.5 kA. Triggered by one card and protected by the other)	1:00	41:15	
PT 5.2	HALF HF, (Overvoked Quench at 1.5 kA. Triggered by one card and protected by the other)	1:00	42:15	
PTE	Minimum Energy Quench @ 1kA (fast PA disabled for Diode Test)	2:30	44:45	
PT 6	Training Quenches. According to the current training flowchart.	20:00	64:45	
MM 2	LHC cycle.	2:30	67:15	
MM 3	Full load test. (Joints Measurements)	1:00	70:15	
PT 8	Dr excitation. Ramp to 1200kA and Slow PA. (If Slow PA was not done at ultracold)	0:30	70:45	
MM 4	Single Turned Wires.	0:00	70:45	
IC87	Scan the HV Mobile Rack	0:15	71:00	
PT 9	HV Insulation Tests *Cold final after test connected to CFB*	1:45	72:45	CDAP HV
PT 10	Minimum Energy Quench @ 1155kA (fast PA disabled to warm up the magnet)	0:30	73:15	
PT 11	Make sure Quench Heaters are discharged before starting Thermal Cycle.		73:15	
PT 12	Warm Up. Put 2A in the magnet and launch Thermal Cycle in TEM4.	0:15	73:30	
	Theoretical Computation of the cables between TBU and mobile rack.			
<b>Warm-up</b>				
IC81	IAP @ warm, 2A Quench Heater Discharge Test.	1:00	80:30	
IC82	Resistance Measurement, (Quench Heaters, Voltage taps, Currents, Cryo Heats and Temp. sensor)	0:30	81:00	CDW2 Resistance
<b>SIGN TRAVELLER</b>				
IC88	After disconnection, scan the EMPTY label on the CFB.			WPA7
IC89	Total Duration without Thermal Cycle: all Prep + CoolDown/Photo Power + MM tests + SSW			81:00

Prefixes define type of test

Obeys To-Do List

Checklists & notes appended

MBAF136		MBAL1136 on TBF1	
<b>PREP 1</b>	<b>LYRE TEST</b> (carried out with ICS personnel, put 2A at 15 V, in the magnet)		
Carried out By:	TEAM MEMBER(S)	SHIFT LEADER	
Date and Time:			
Voltmeter Reading (Max. Value during Test)		Voltmeter Reading (Min. Value during Test)	
Results			
Note	The convalence voltage expected ~ 11.5 V		
<b>IMPORTANT</b>	Sign ELECTRONIC traveller as soon as the test is performed		
<b>PREP 2.1</b>	<b>IAP AT WARM (LF HEATER DISCHARGE)</b> (put 2.5 A at 16 V, in the magnet)		
Carried out By:	TEAM MEMBER(S)	SHIFT LEADER	
Date and Time:			
File Name(s)			
Results	Quench Heaters		
	Voltage Taps		
	Temperature sensor Reading		
<b>PREP 2.2</b>	<b>IAP AT WARM (HF HEATER DISCHARGE)</b> (put 2.5 A at 18 V, in the magnet)		
Carried out By:	TEAM MEMBER(S)	SHIFT LEADER	
Date and Time:			
File Name(s)			
Results	Quench Heaters		
	Voltage Taps		

# SM18 Magnet Tests : What it's all about

