

KL & Downstream PID Trolley

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Analysis of PID detectors (TOF and KL) performances in the MICE 2010 run

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The performances in the 2010 run of the main installed PID detectors of MICE: the time-of-flight system and the KL downstream calorimeter are reported in this paper. All detectors have shown a stable behaviour during all the run, with minor hardware problems, and performances compatible with the expectations.

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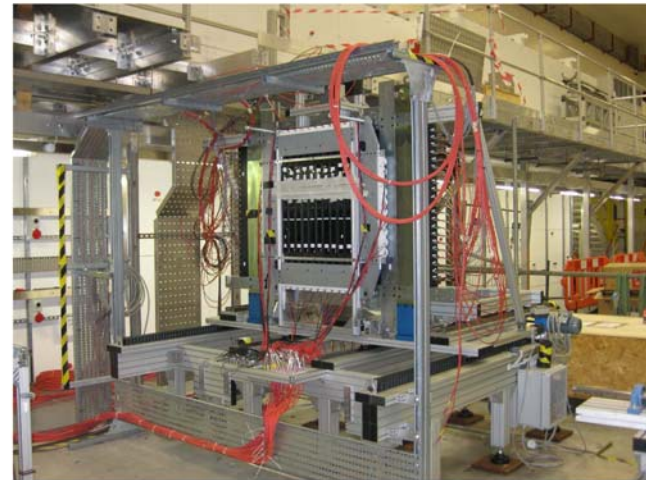
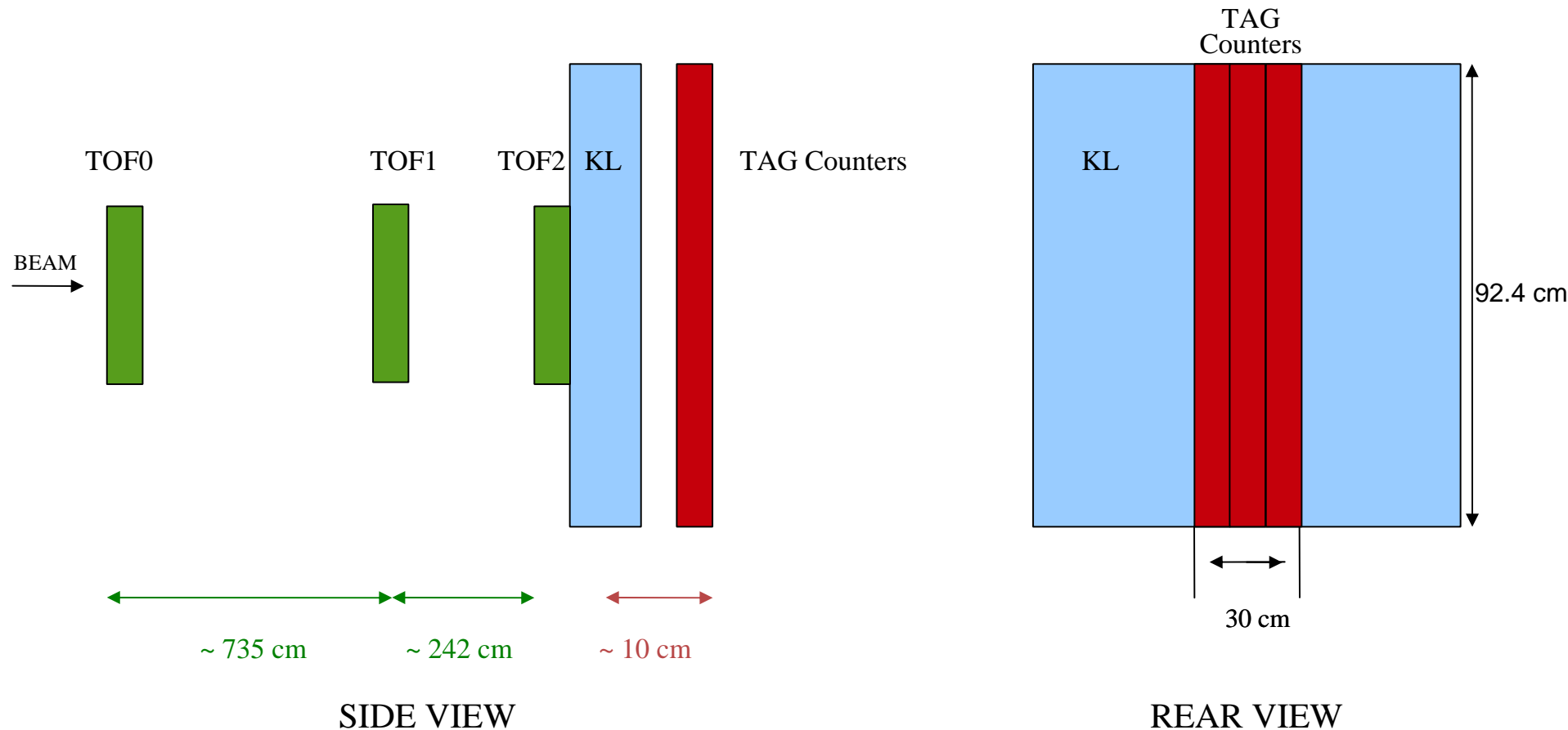


Fig. 2. TOF2 in front of KL on their final downstream platform.

Since February 2010 combined
TOF-KL-TAG data analysis has started
to study the KL response to electrons,
muons and pions at different energies

Sketch of current setup

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TAG Counters – 3 scintillator slabs, 10 cm wide each, 2.5 cm thick

KL response to $\mu - \pi - e$

Muons

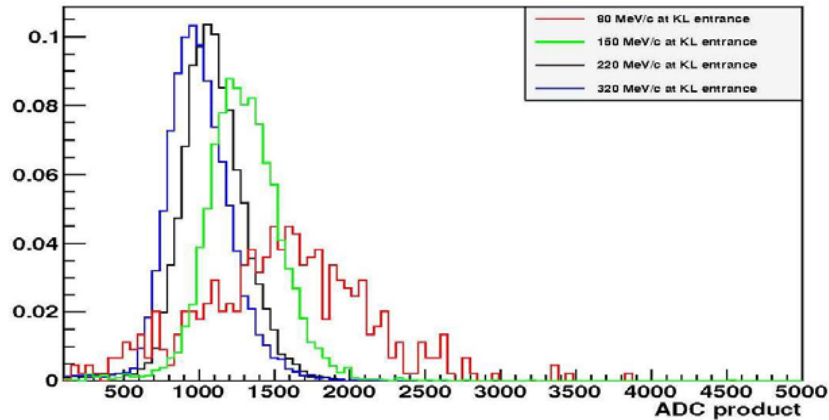


Fig. 23. KL response (normalized) to muons with different momenta.

Pions

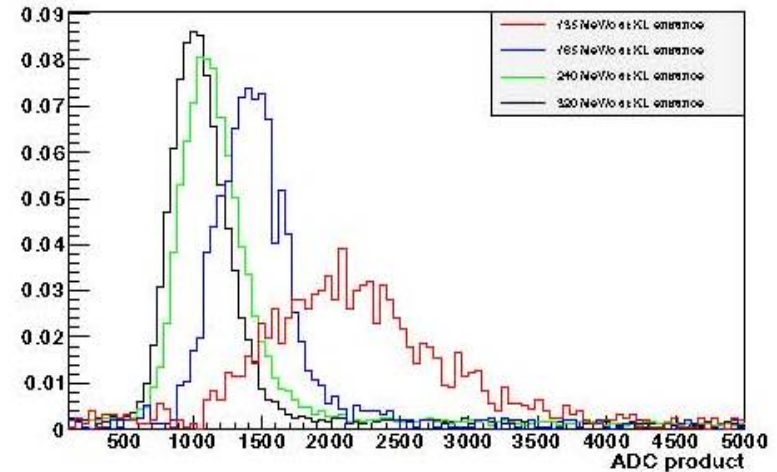


Fig. 26. KL response (normalized) to pions for different incident momenta.

250 MeV/c electron run, if(electron && TOF)

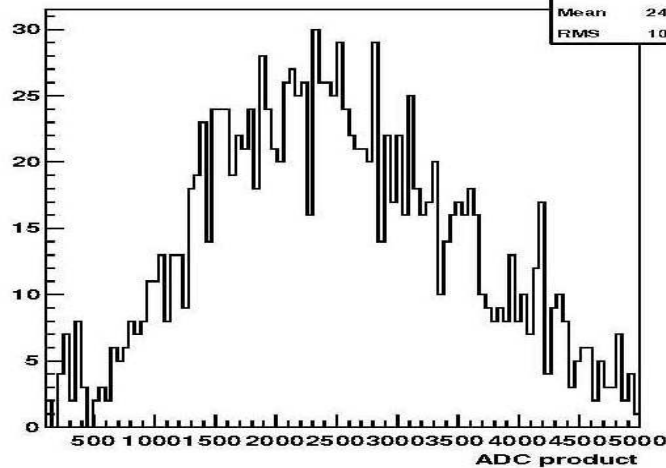


Fig. 24. KL response to 80 MeV/c electrons.

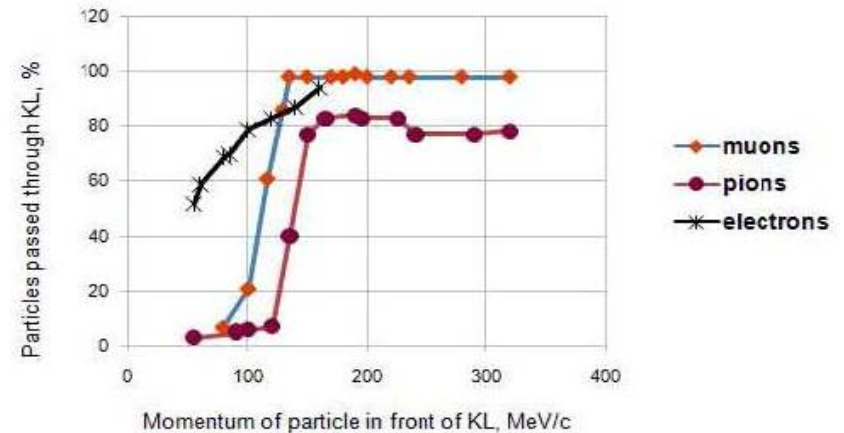
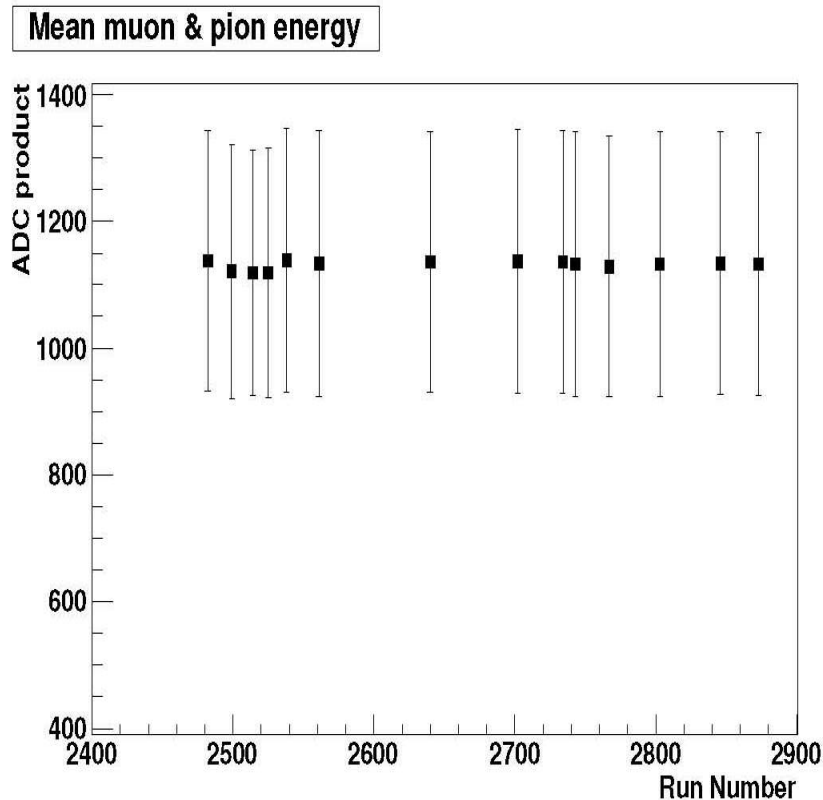


Fig. 27. The fraction of electrons, muons and pions passing through KL and reaching the TAG counters.

KL stability



The study of KL stability during 2010 data taking has shown:

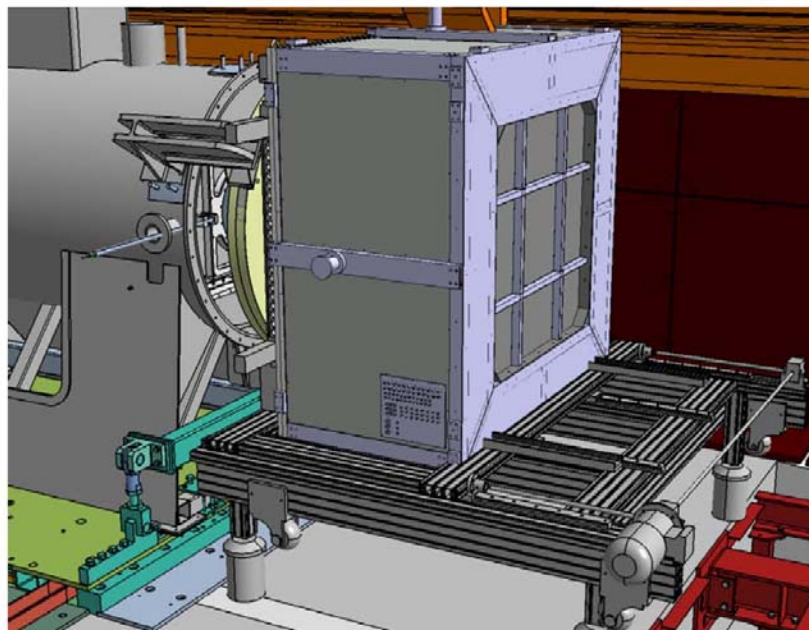
- No dead or noisy channels
- Pedestal stable with rms ~ 2.5 ADC counts
- Response to "MIP" (μ & π) stable in time

Fig. 21. Stability of KL response to muons and pions for nominal muon beam runs. The run number is on the abscissa, while on the Y-axis there is the ADC product. The error bars are the σ 's of the Gaussian fit.

EMR Integration

- *It's now big and heavy....*
- *2.5 tonnes*
- *Will have to adapt KL trolley for clearance*
- *And make new independent frame for EMR, **mounted to floor**, with adjustments in X&Y*
- *But there's a solution*
- *Useful discussions this week*
- *INFN staff will also visit Uni Geneva*
- *This is one ingredient in re-defining the 2011-2012 plan*

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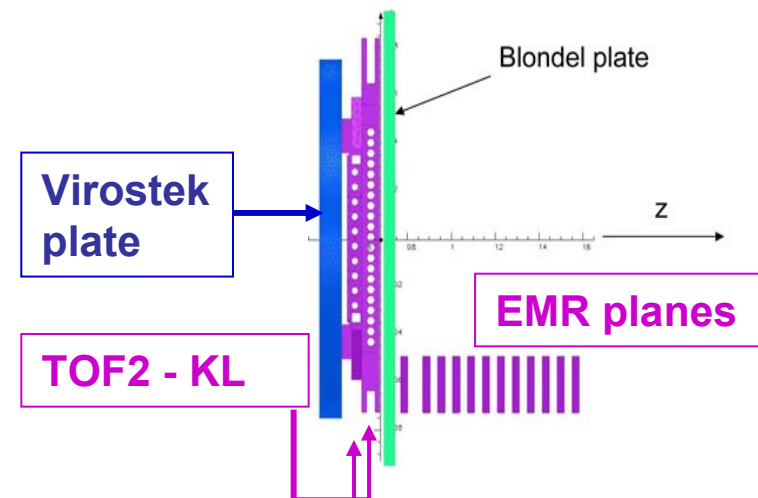
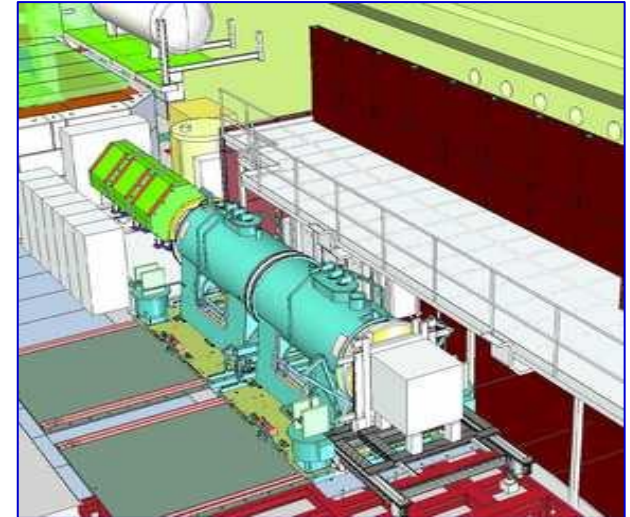
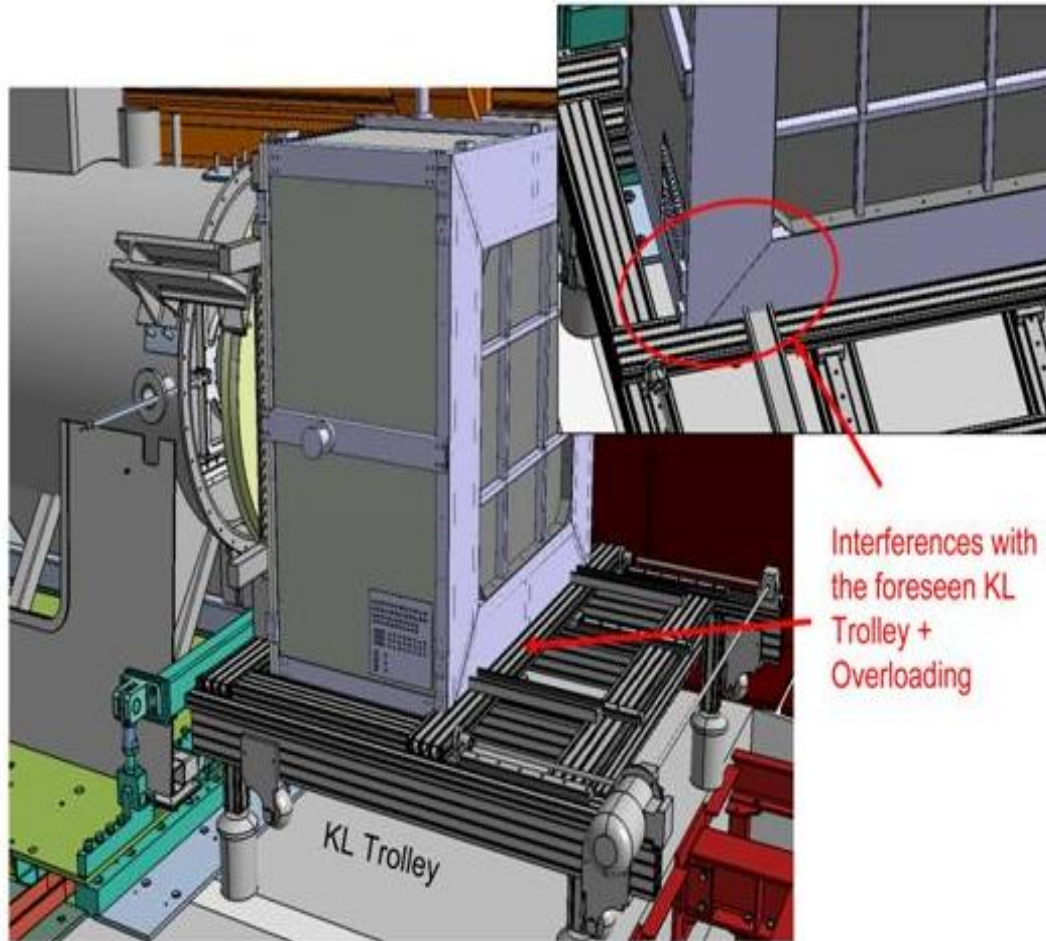


Meeting MiB, Rm3, UniGe in November 2010



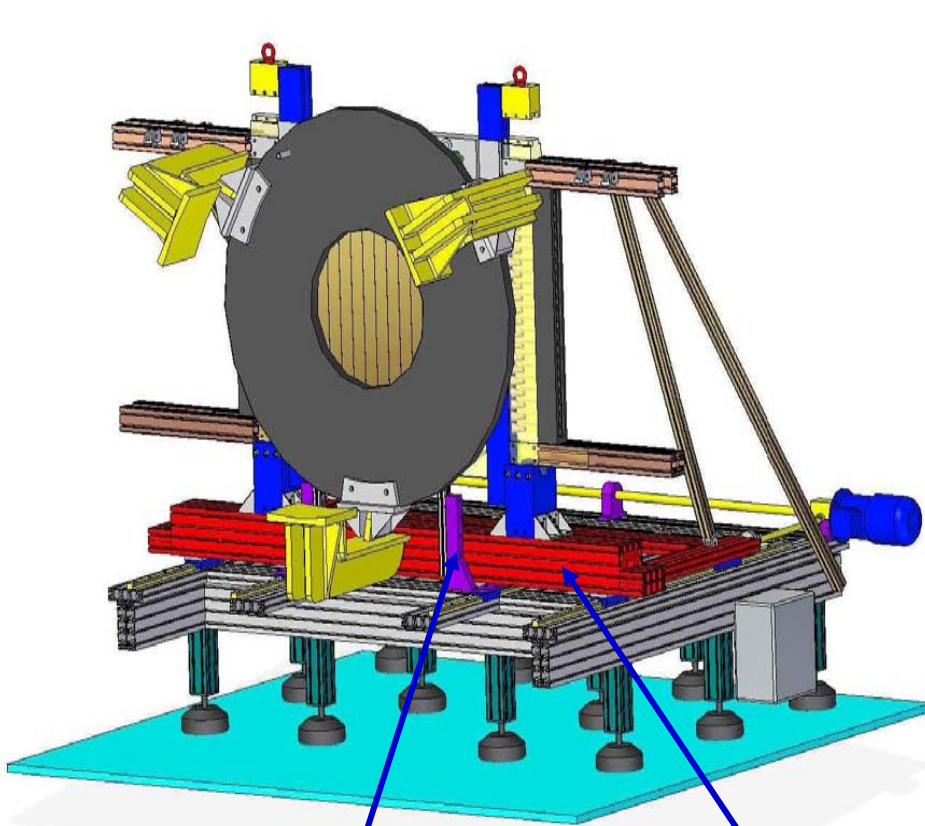
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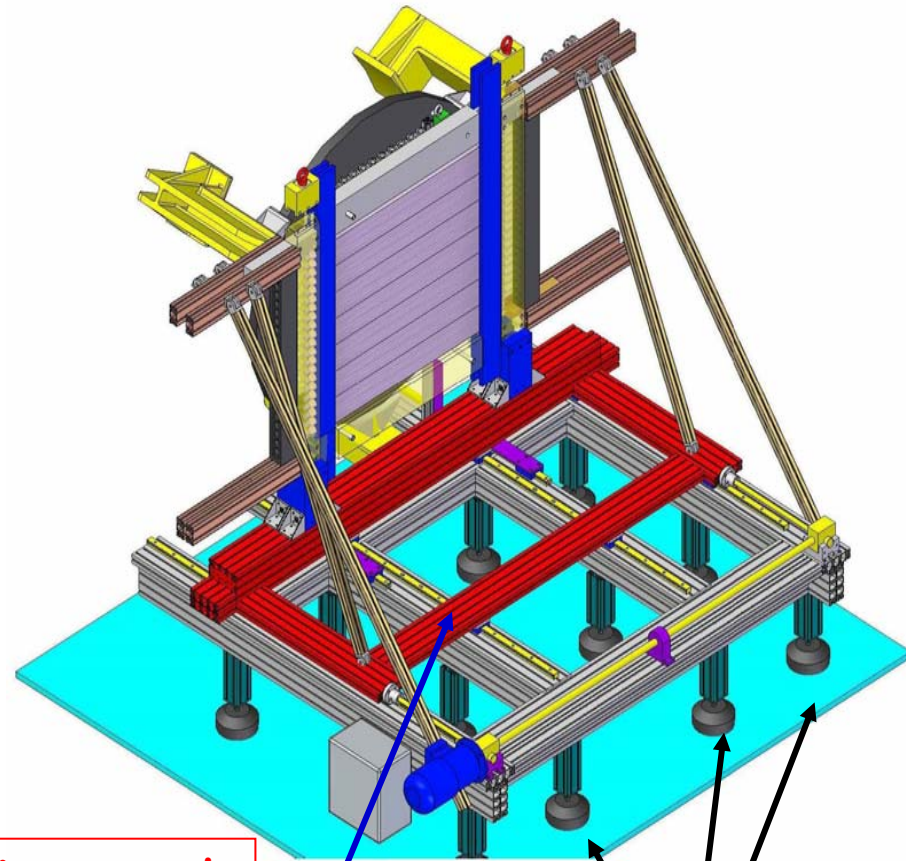


Downstream PID trolley - Update

(partially done in november 2010)



KL supporting bar increased
(45 → 180 mm)



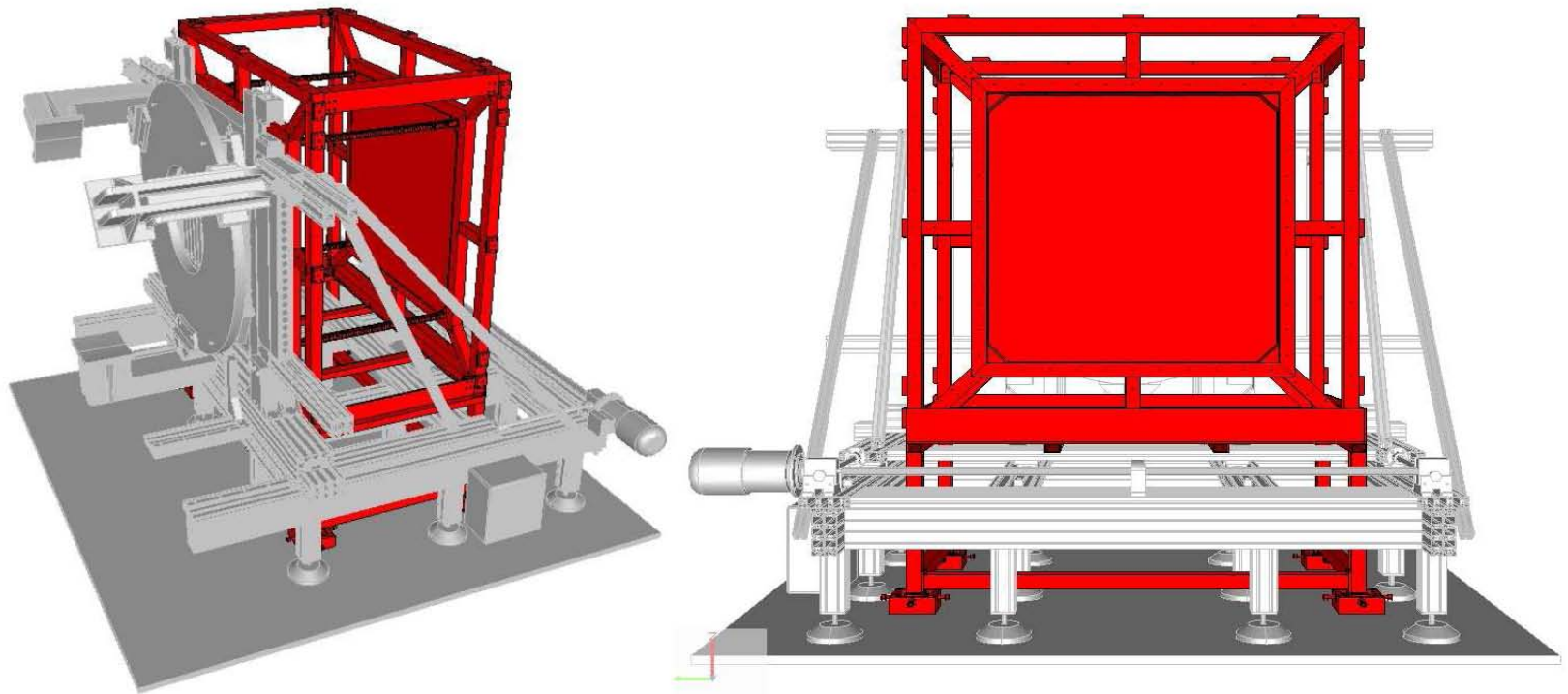
TOF2 sliding system repositioned

EMR sliding system removed

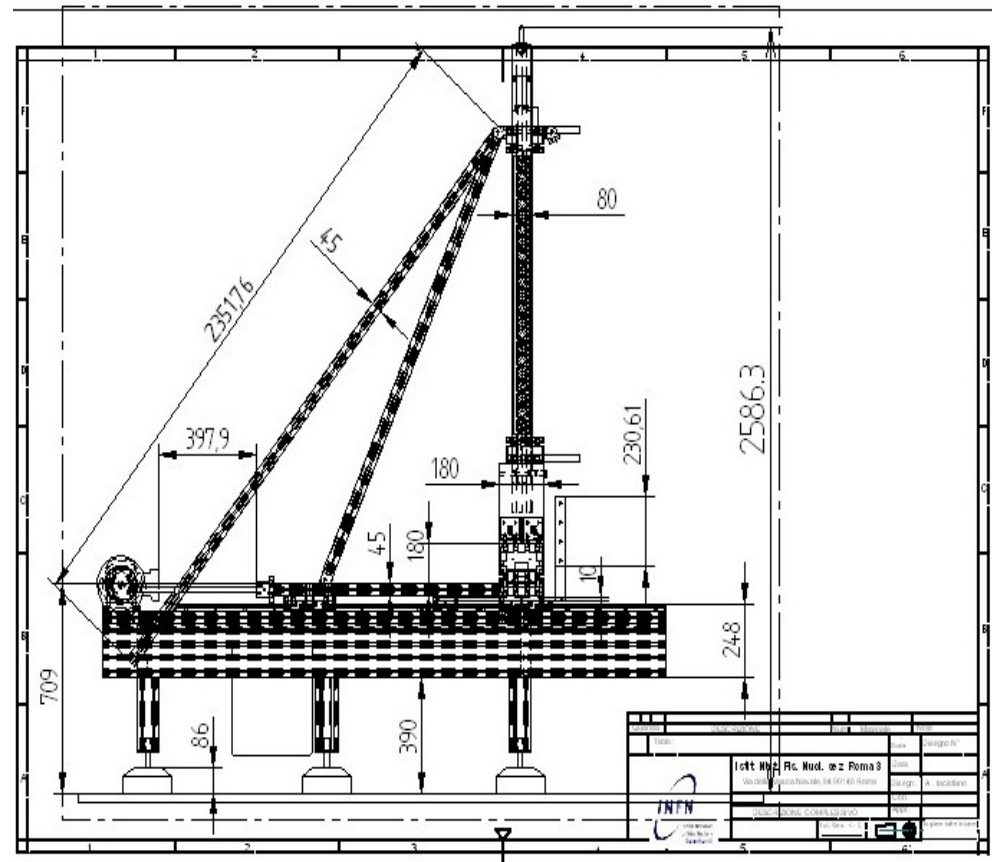
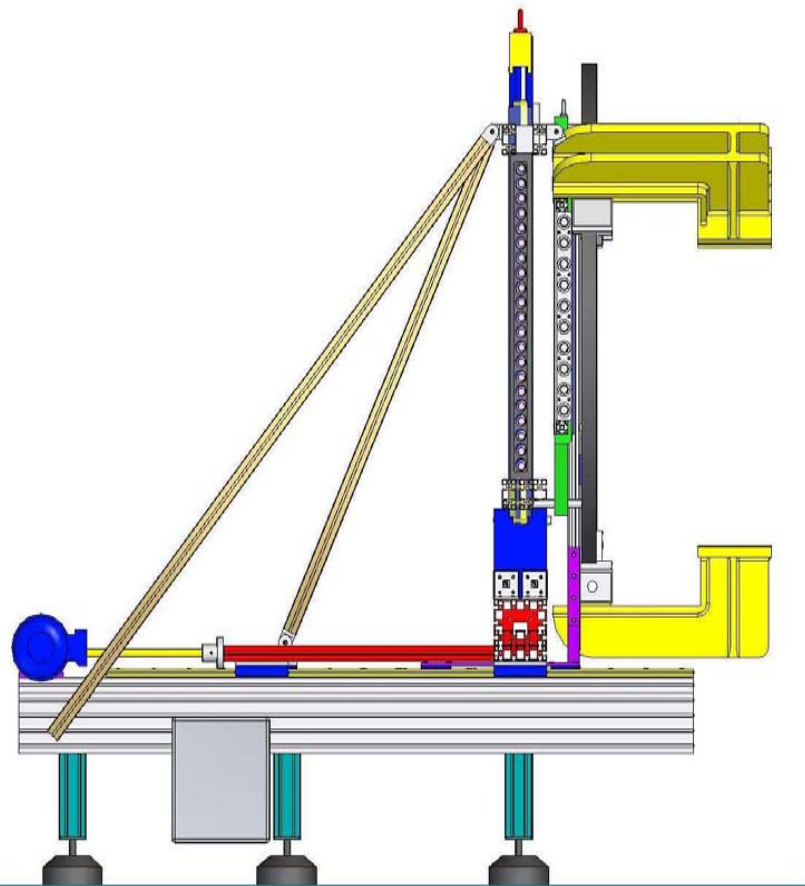
feet shortened

EMR at RAL

Integration with KL and Supporting Frame

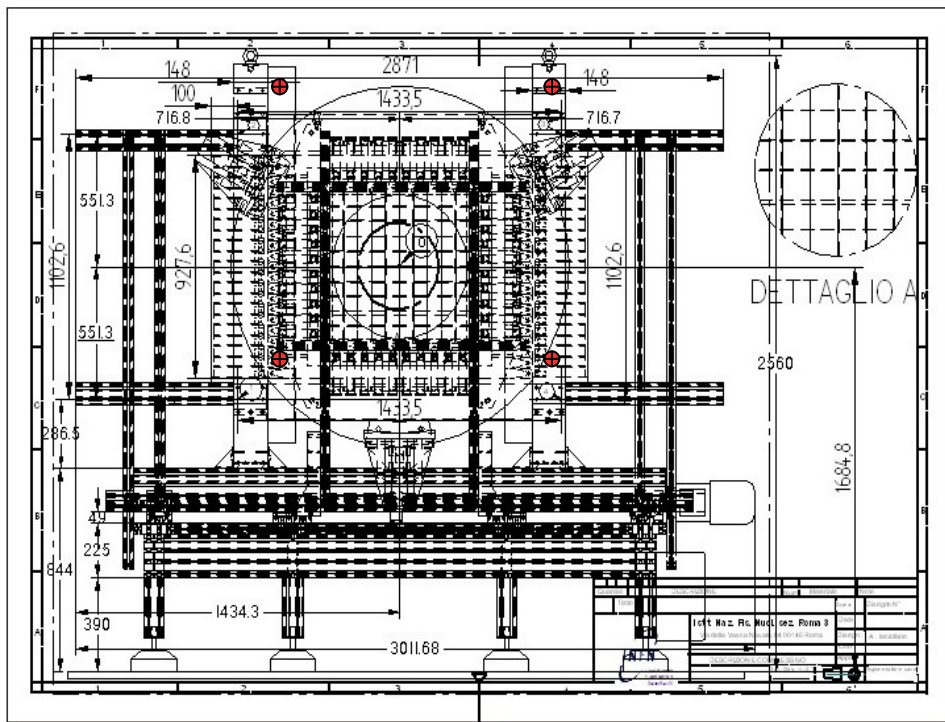
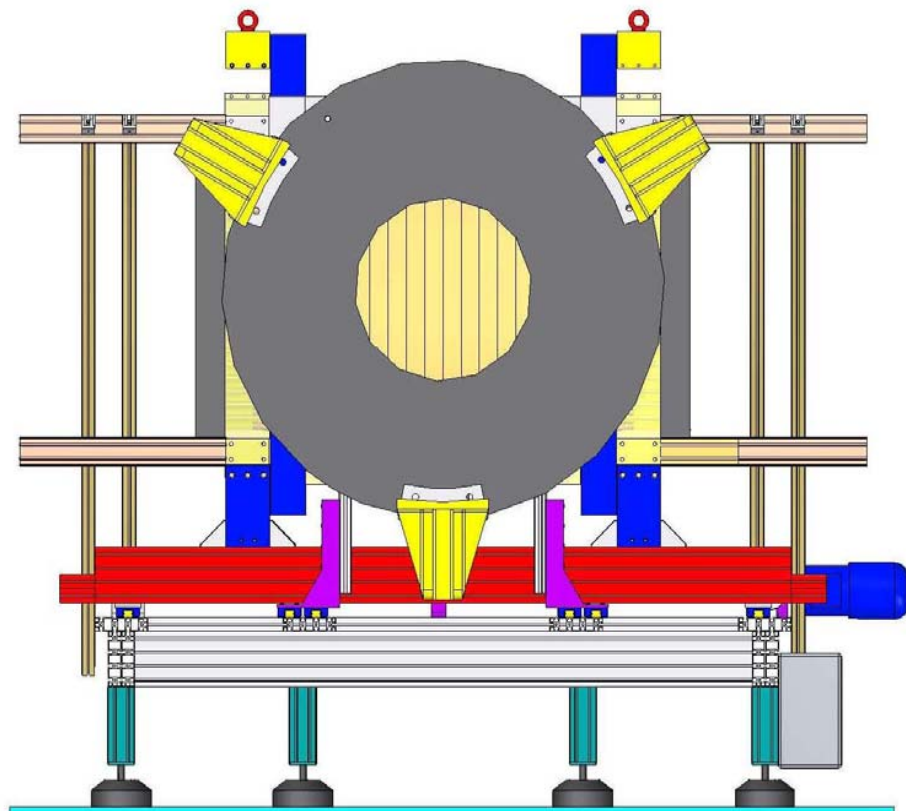


Trolley - side view



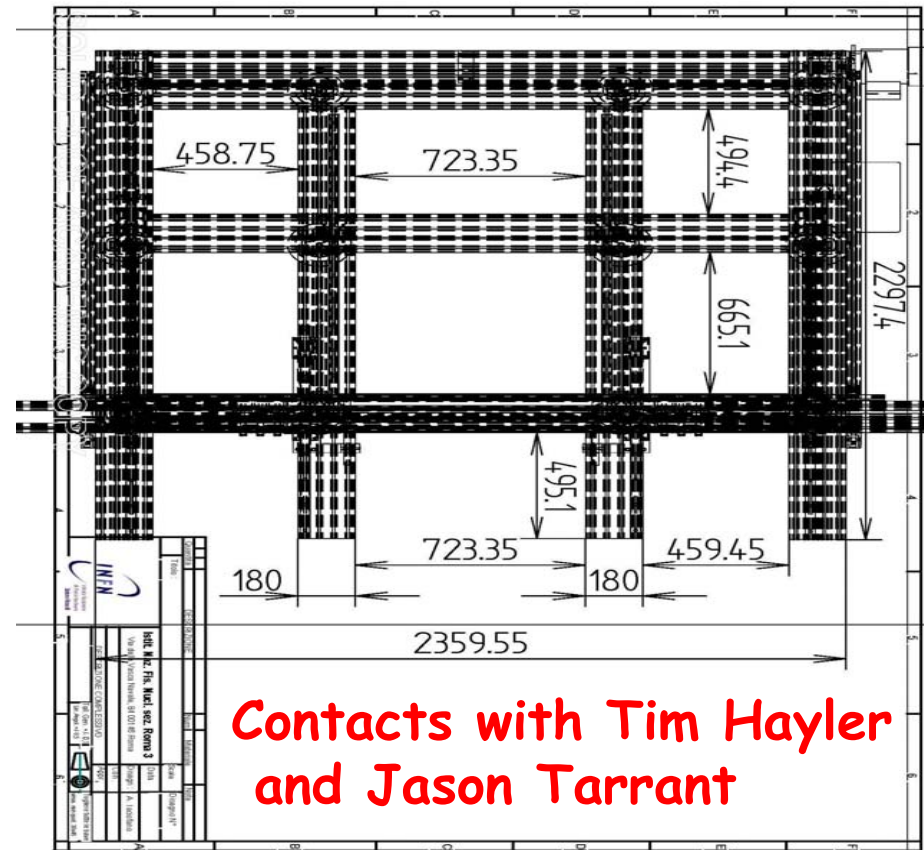
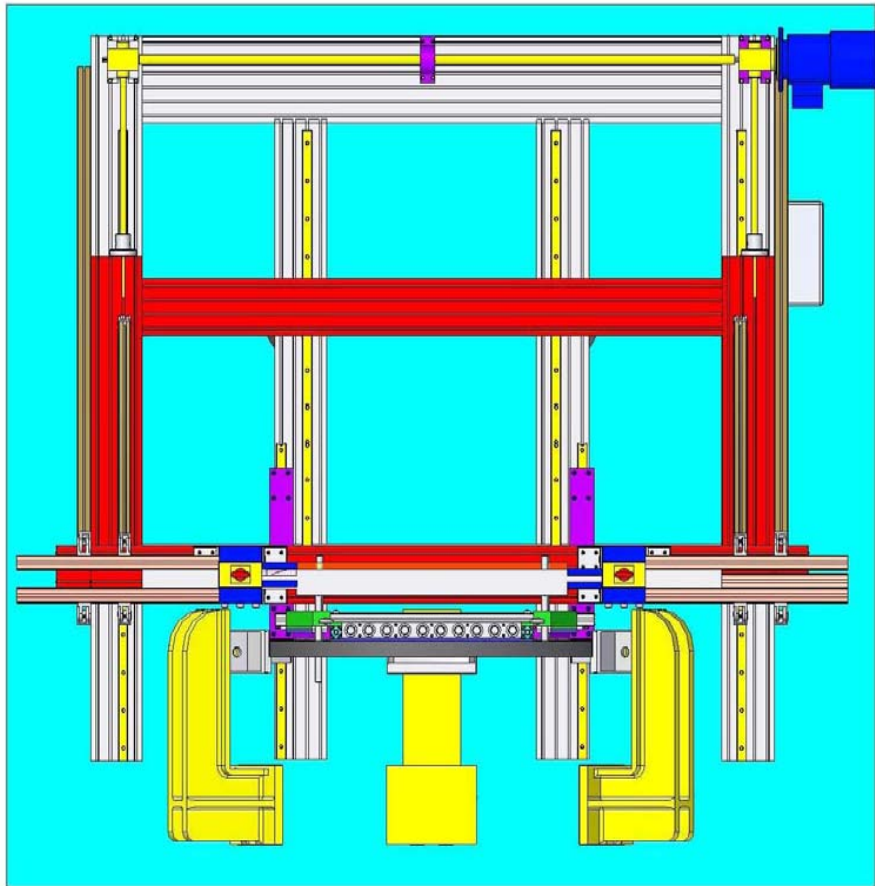
Part of materials needed for the upgrade already delivered to RAL and collected by Willie Spensly

Trolley - front view for detector survey



(definite reference points)

Trolley - top view of the Integration Engine of the MICE Hall



Summary and next steps

- The KL detector is successfully working since **July 2008** showing a stable behaviour of all hw components (HV, PMTs, FEE, FADCs).
- Modifications of the downstream trolley for EMR integration have been discussed and partially planned.
- Most likely by the end of March we could be ready for the technical intervention to be performed later on and to be arranged with the TOF1 re-installation.