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FCC CRYOGENIC SYSTEM

FCC-ee Layout and Implementation

(incl. compatibility with FCC-hh)

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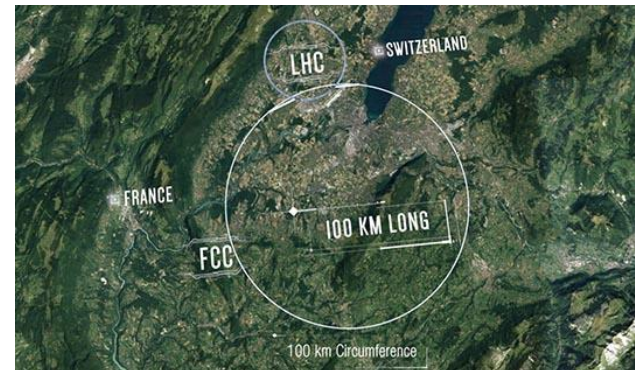
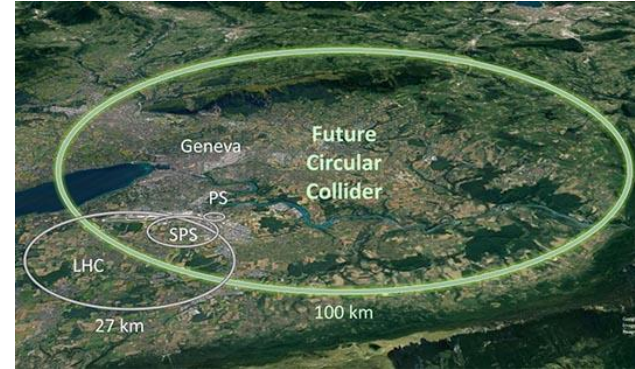
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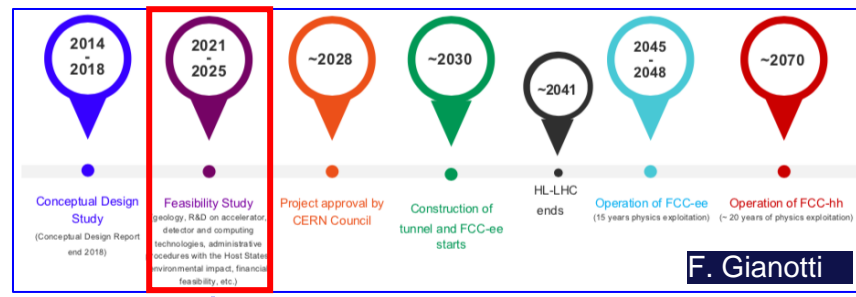
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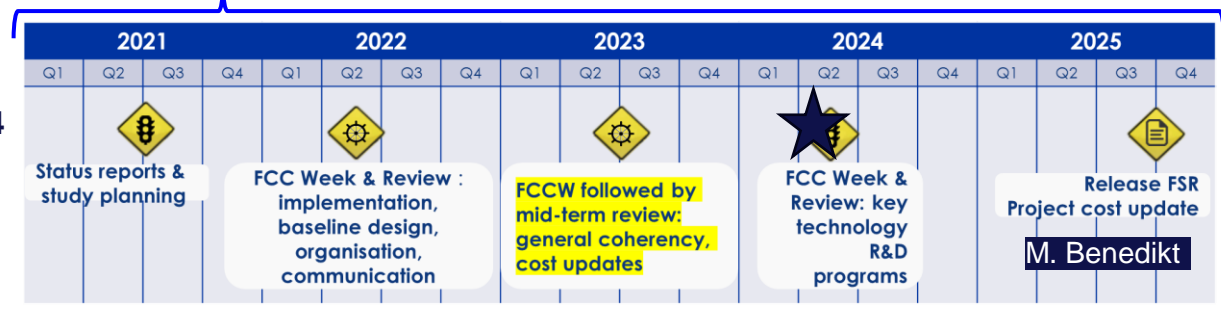


Status

- FCC Full schedule

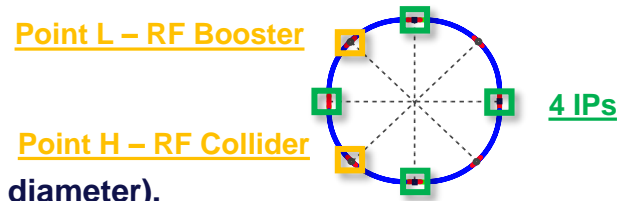


- FCC Feasibility status:
 - Started in '21.
 - Mid-term review completed in '24
 - Feasibility Report => May'25



Focus:

- Cryomodules Helium inventory refinement.
- Updated static loads for 4.5 K cryomodules.
- New layout at point L – becomes symmetric again.
- FCC-hh layout adjusted with integration constraints (PH, PB and tunnel diameter).
 - Utilities needs are also being adjusted.




FCC-ee cryogenic cooling users

RF booster cavities



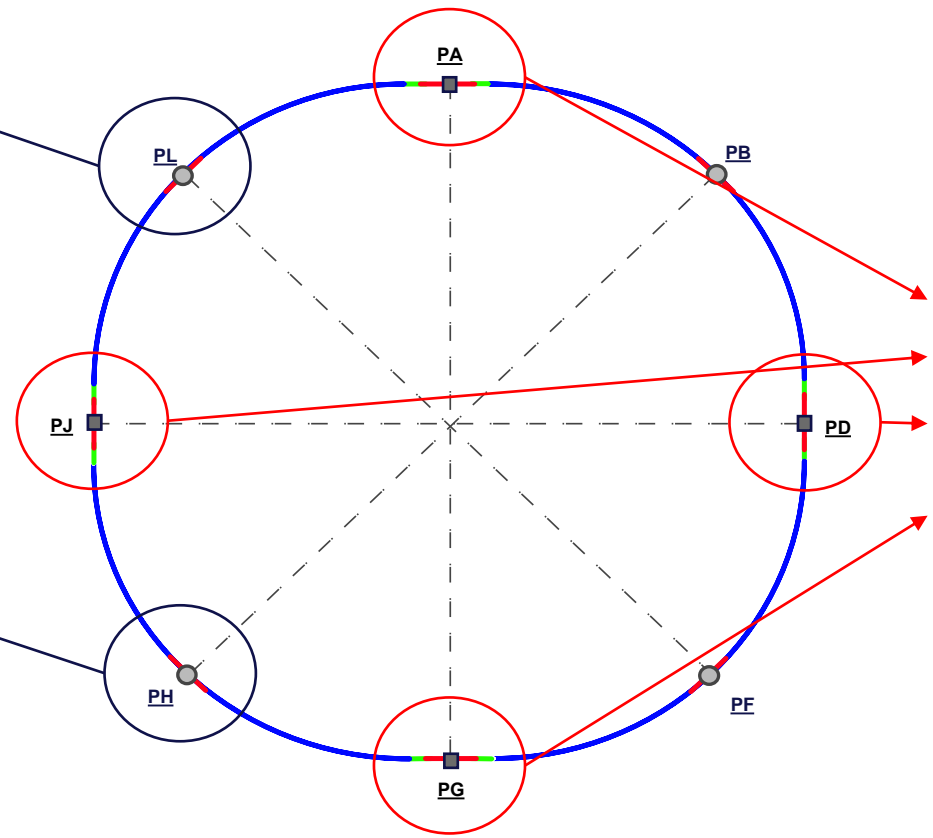
2 K

RF collider cavities

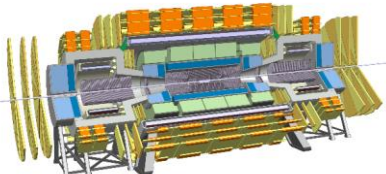


4.5 K

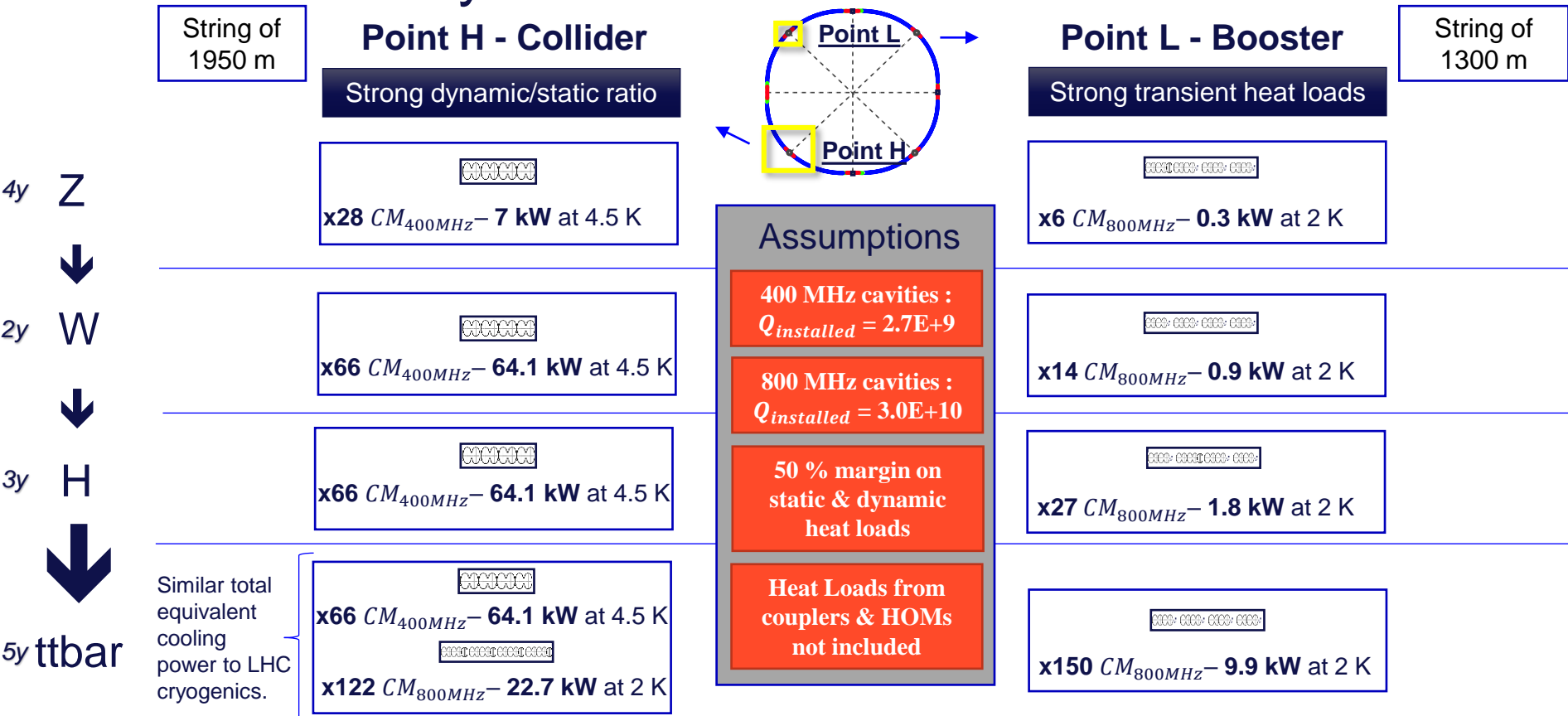
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Detector solenoids and MDI magnets

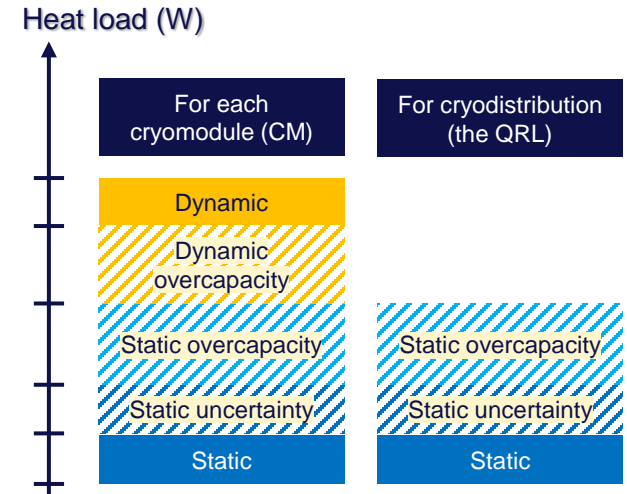


FCC-ee SRF dynamic and static heat loads



Sizing the cryoplants and QRL

- Margins to be added to the raw heat loads of cryomodules (CM) and cryogenic distribution line (QRL)
- Approach based on HL-LHC heat load review performed in April 2021
- Uncertainty factor:
 - To cover design uncertainty, engineering changes, tolerances
 - Evolves with maturity of the design
 - 50%, applied to all static heat loads (CM and QRL)
- Overcapacity factor:
 - To ensure nominal performance by covering the risks, for instance cryoplant ageing, and operational flexibility
 - 50% applied to [static + static uncertainty]
 - 50% applied to [CM dynamic heat load]



FCC-ee 3-stages cryoplants layout

RF Points cryogenics

Stage	Point H - Collider	Point L - Booster
Z	1 x 14 kW eq @ 4.5 K	1 x 2 kW eq @ 4.5 K (90% @ 2K)
W&H	2 x 38 kW eq @ 4.5 K	1 x 9 kW eq @ 4.5 K (90% @ 2K)
tt	2 x 79 kW eq @ 4.5 K (55% @ 2K)	2 x 23 kW eq @ 4.5 K (90% @ 2K)

Experiment points cryogenics

Detector solenoid :

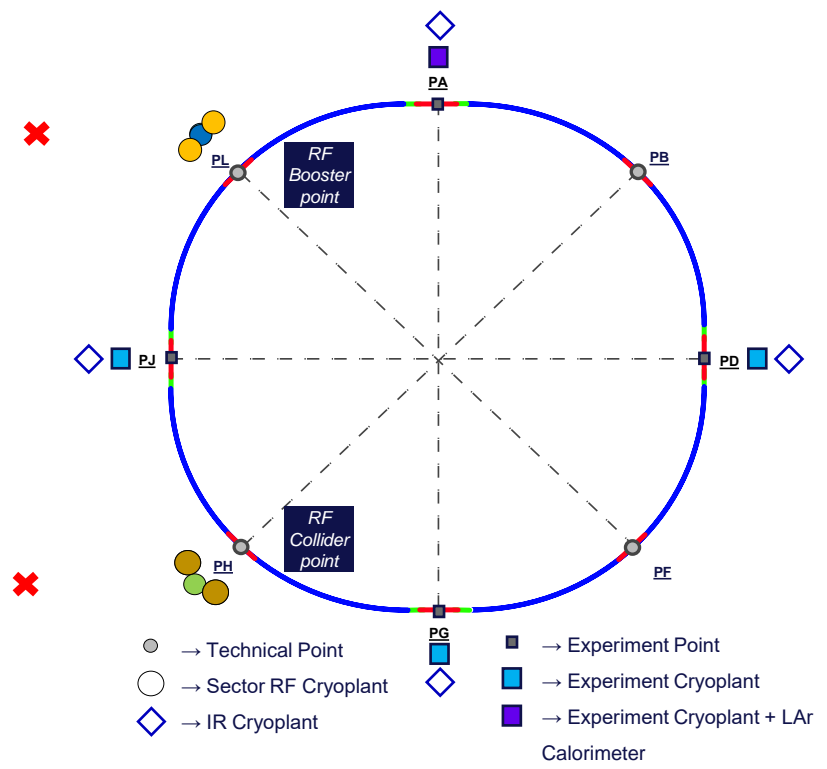
Number of experiments and their heat loads have not been defined yet.

- Option 1 (baseline):
 - 4 "CMS-like" cryoplants, one of which has a LAr calorimeter.
- Option 2:
 - 2 "CMS-like" cryoplants, one of which has a LAr calorimeter.

Insertion Region magnets:

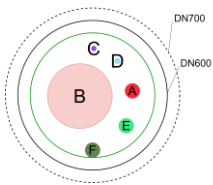
Not covered!

- Unknown heat loads.

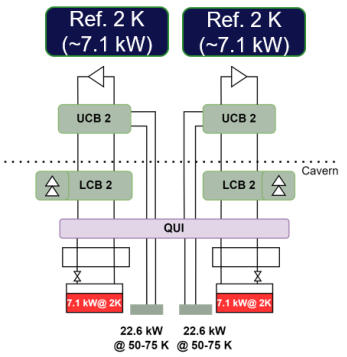
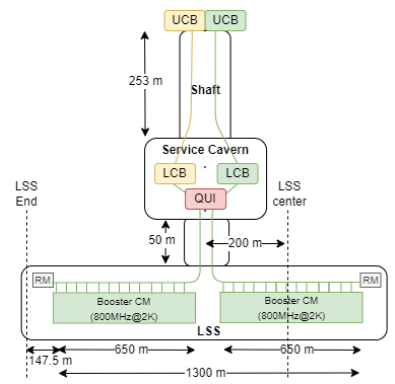


ttbar stage is the driver for surface needs, shaft and tunnel integration.

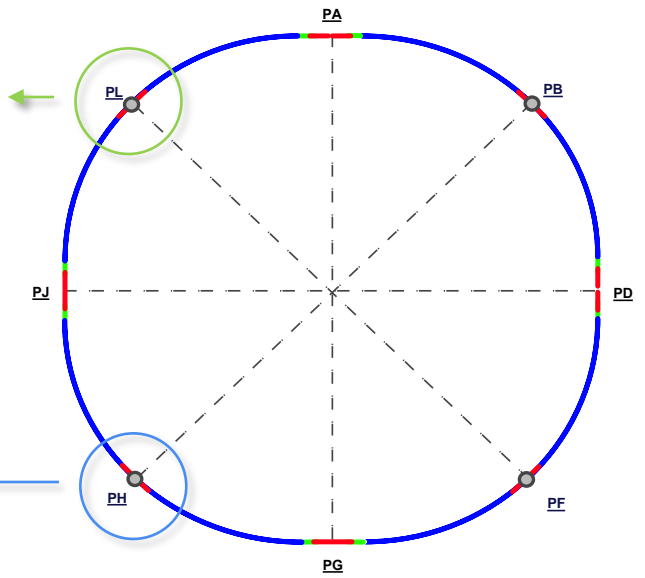
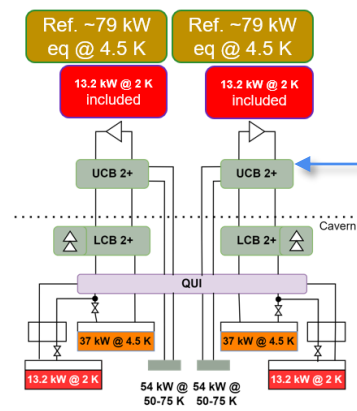
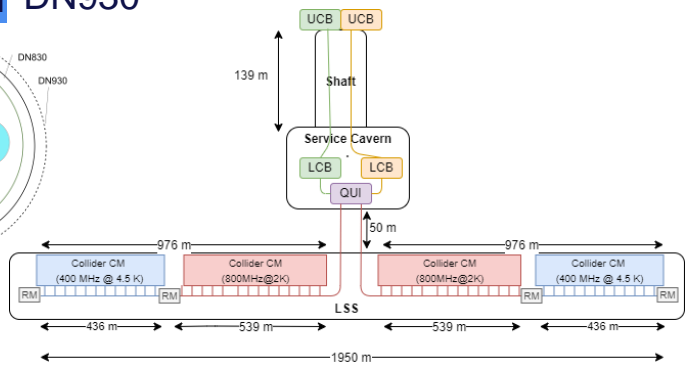
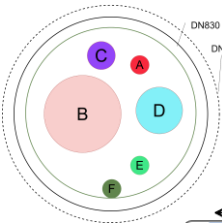
FCC-ee SRF cryogenic system layout summary @ ttbar



Point L DN700



Point H DN930



FCC-ee SRF points H and L – Helium inventory

Updated CM inventories:

116 kg LHe per CM @ 4.5 K
55 kg LHe per CM @ 2 K
He preservation: see B. Naydenov talk

Point L	Z	W	H	ttbar
Cryomodules	0.4 ton	0.8 ton	1.5 ton	8.3 ton
Distribution (QRL)	1 ton	1 ton	1 ton	1 ton
Cryoplants	0.1 ton	0.3 ton	0.3 ton	1.6 ton
Total	1.5 ton	2.1 ton	2.8 ton	10.9 ton

Point H	Z	W	H	ttbar
Cryomodules	3.2 ton	7.7 ton	7.7 ton	14.4 ton
Distribution (QRL)	1.7 ton	1.7 ton	1.7 ton	4.2 ton
Cryoplants	0.5 ton	2.6 ton	2.6 ton	5.5 ton
Total	5.4 ton	12 ton	12 ton	24.1 ton

➤ **Total helium inventory for technical points at FCC-ee (ttbar) ~ 35 ton**

FCC-ee SRF points H and L – Installed EL power

➤ Three scenarios are considered:

- **Conservative:** 230 Wel/W or 28.8 % of Carnot efficiency (LHC-like – CDR values) the baseline!
- **Intermediate:** 210 Wel/W or 31.5 % of Carnot efficiency (With an optimized process) appears not achievable
- **Optimistic:** 170 Wel/W or 39 % of Carnot efficiency (With centrifugal compressors) strong R&D effort needed



In "high" mode



	PH [MW]	PL [MW]	Total (PH+PL) [MW]
Z	3.2 / 2.9 / 2.3	0.46 / 0.42 / 0.34	3.6 / 3.3 / 2.7
W	17.4 / 15.9 / 12.9	2.1 / 1.9 / 1.5	19.5 / 17.8 / 14.4
H	17.4 / 15.9 / 12.9	2.1 / 1.9 / 1.5	19.5 / 17.8 / 14.4
ttbar	36.4 / 33.3 / 26.9	10.6 / 9.7 / 7.8	47 / 43 / 35



-26% of consumption with centrifugal compressors - **R&D needed.**

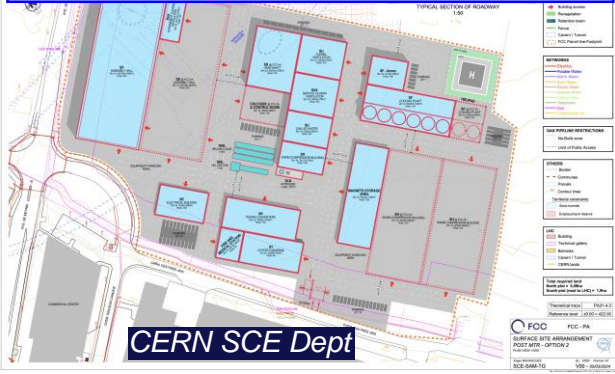
Surface requirements for FCC cryogenics

- Aboveground surface needs per point:

Estimations based on industrial studies for FCC-hh @ CDR baseline and LHC experience.

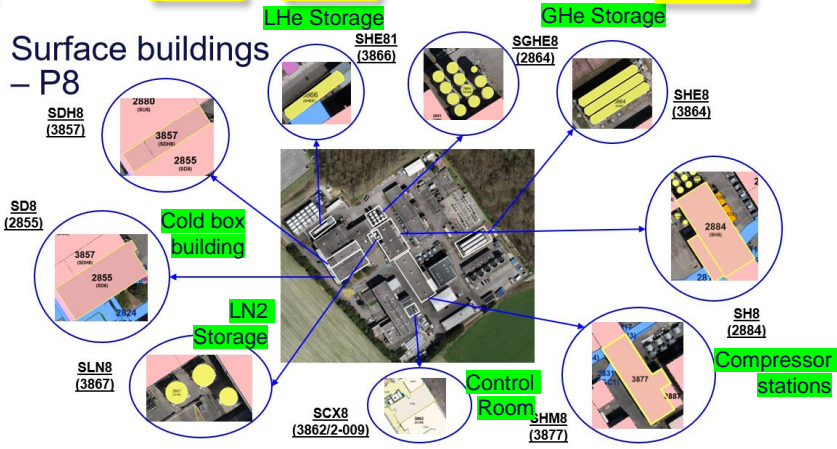
Surface in m2	70 m2 control room is included in all points!	Point A & G		Point B & F		Point D & J		Point H		Point L	
		ee (ttbar)	hh	ee (ttbar)	hh	ee (ttbar)	hh	ee (ttbar)	hh	ee (ttbar)	hh
Compressor station building		430	5870	x	3200	430	4270	4300	3200	2140	3200
Cold box building		x	600	x	400	x	400	800	400	400	400
LN2 storage		302	102	x	102	102	102	102	102	102	102
GHe storage		405	3240	x	1215	405	2430	2430	1215	1215	1215
LHe storage		X	2880	x	1440	x	1440	X	1440	x	1440
Total aboveground		1207	12762	x	6427	1007	8712	7632	6427	3857	6427

FCC surface site arrangement in point A



LHC P8 total cryo area of about **4600 m2** (as a comparison)

CV and EL surface needs also depend on cryo needs.



FCC operation Modes – typical year

Source: CDS 2645151

➤ Phases in a typical year – 365 days

➤ Shutdown phase – 120 days (33%) Cryo in ECO mode

➤ The machine is stopped and open for upgrade works, maintenance and repairs.

➤ Operation phase – 245 days (67%)

➤ Hardware and beam commissioning – 30 days

➤ All systems are restarted and tested before operation.

➤ Physics operation – 185 days

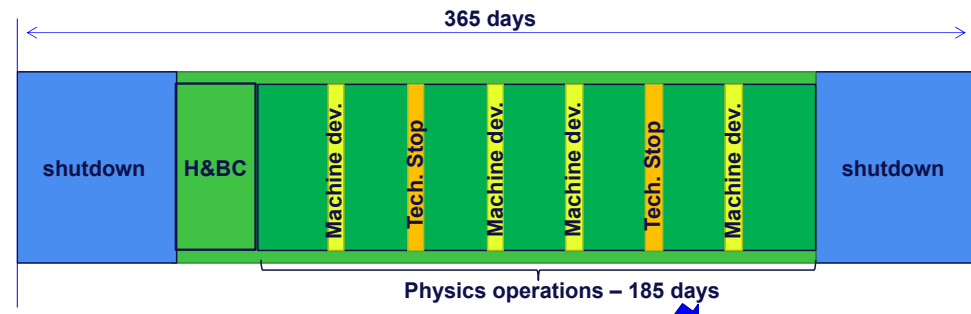
➤ Beam is stable and collides for experiments.

➤ Technical stops – 10 days Cryo in ECO mode

➤ Planned stops during operation to perform maintenance and repairs.

➤ Machine development – 20 days

➤ Planned activities with beam operation to improve beam performance.



80% availability goal

➤ **Availability target – 80 % of physics operation**

➤ **The modes will impact the design of the cryoplants and their energy consumption**

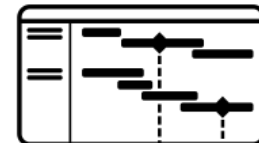
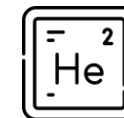
(30% estimated savings with ECO mode)

A total of 14 years of expected life-cycle:

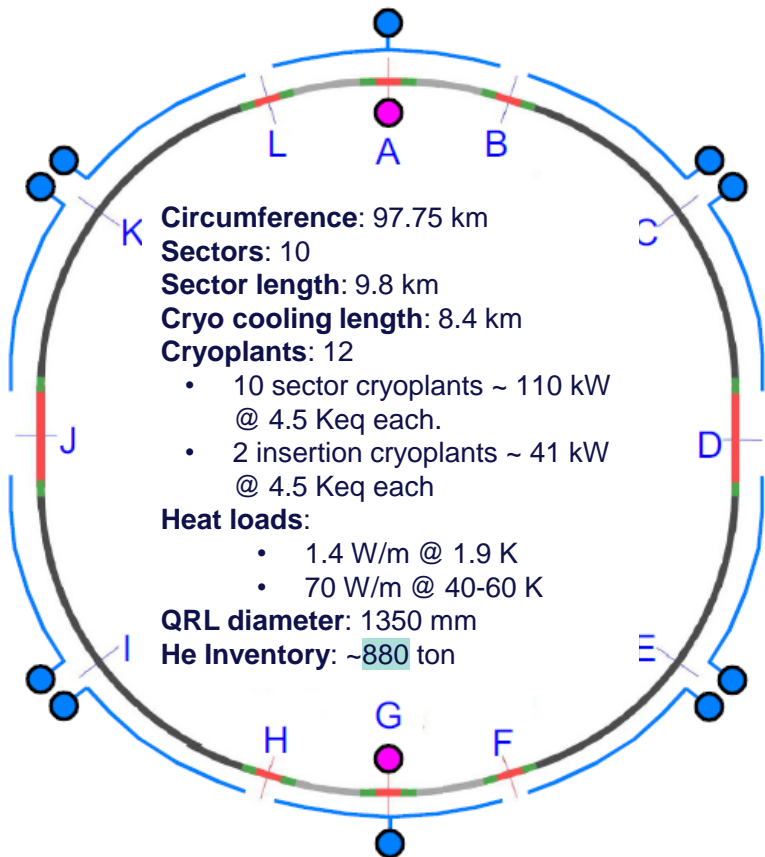
- 4 years in Z stage
- 2 years in W stage
- 3 years in H stage
- 5 years in ttbar stage

FCC-ee SRF cryogenics challenges

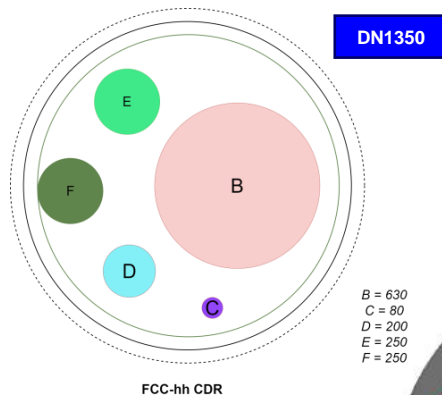
- Cryoplants size. Very large cryoplants needed to optimize for availability. Factor 3 wrt to state-of-the-art units (ITER). Big industrial challenge.
- Heat loads density. Similar cryogenic cooling power to LHC, concentrated at point H.
- Dynamic / static heat loads ratio. Collider SRF system requires 4 times more dynamic heat loads than static (with current assumptions). LHC dynamic to static ratio is closer to 0.5.
- Transient heat loads management. Booster is operated in a pulsed manner and has different modes: filling from scratch and top up. Impacts cryoplant operation and cryomodules pressure stability.
- Fast cooldown requirements of the cavities between certain temperatures imposes operational constraints and affects the distribution line sizing.
- 2 K system - 500 g/s for the collider at 30 mbar. R&D needed as factor 2 wrt to current state-of-the-art (HEX + cold compressor).
- Helium dependency needs to be reduced for future projects. Being addressed with a cryomodule and distribution line optimization, together with a Helium recovery system.
- Sustainability. An optimized cryoplant ECO mode design and operation is required to reduce energy consumption. Centrifugal compressors R&D could have a very positive effect too.
- Installation. The cryogenic distribution line should be installed to cover from Z to ttbar. Complex optimization and integration in the tunnel. Moreover, the cryoplant size doubles between H and ttbar, leading to a challenging staging in a tight schedule.



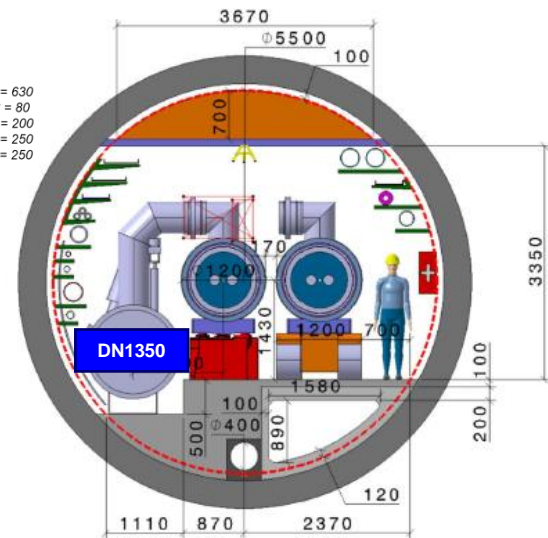
FCC-hh compatibility – CDR cryogenic layout



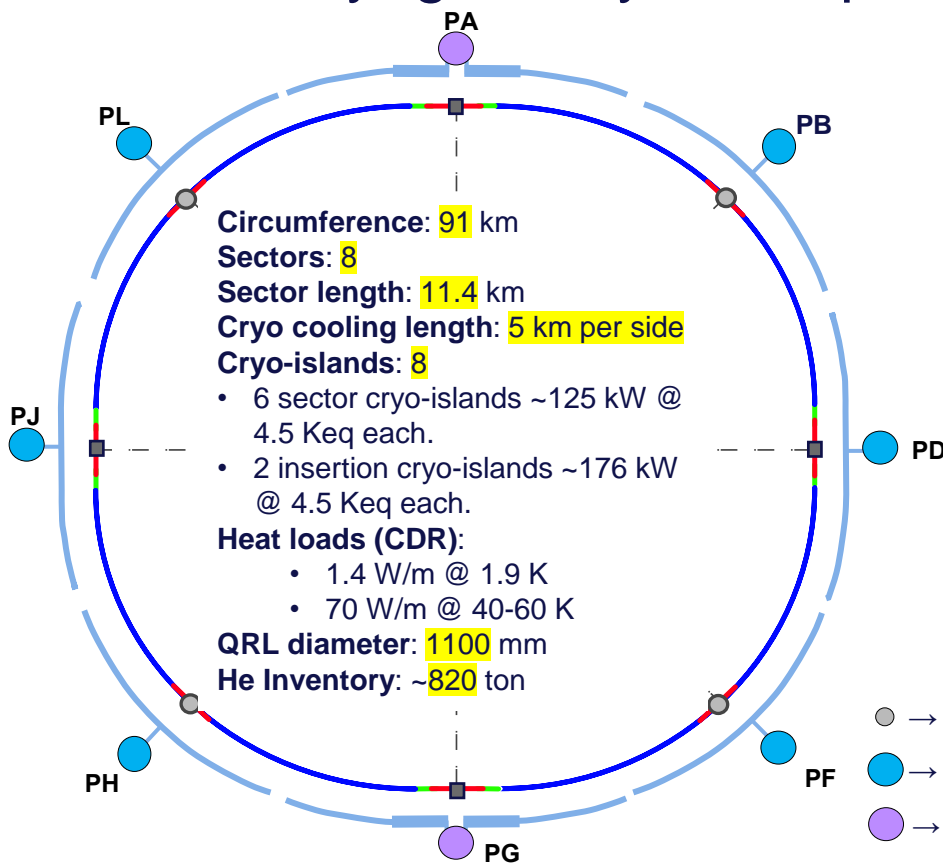
Cryogenic distribution line



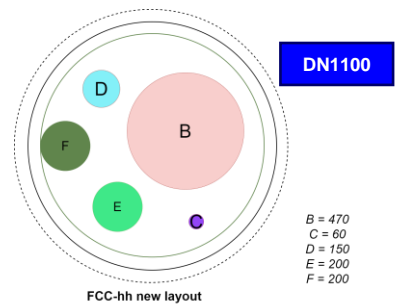
- B = 630
- C = 80
- D = 200
- E = 250
- F = 250



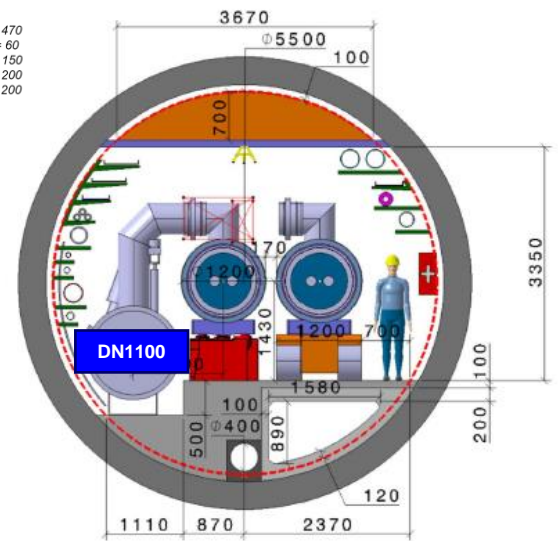
FCC-hh cryogenic system updated layout – Nb3Sn @ 1.9 K



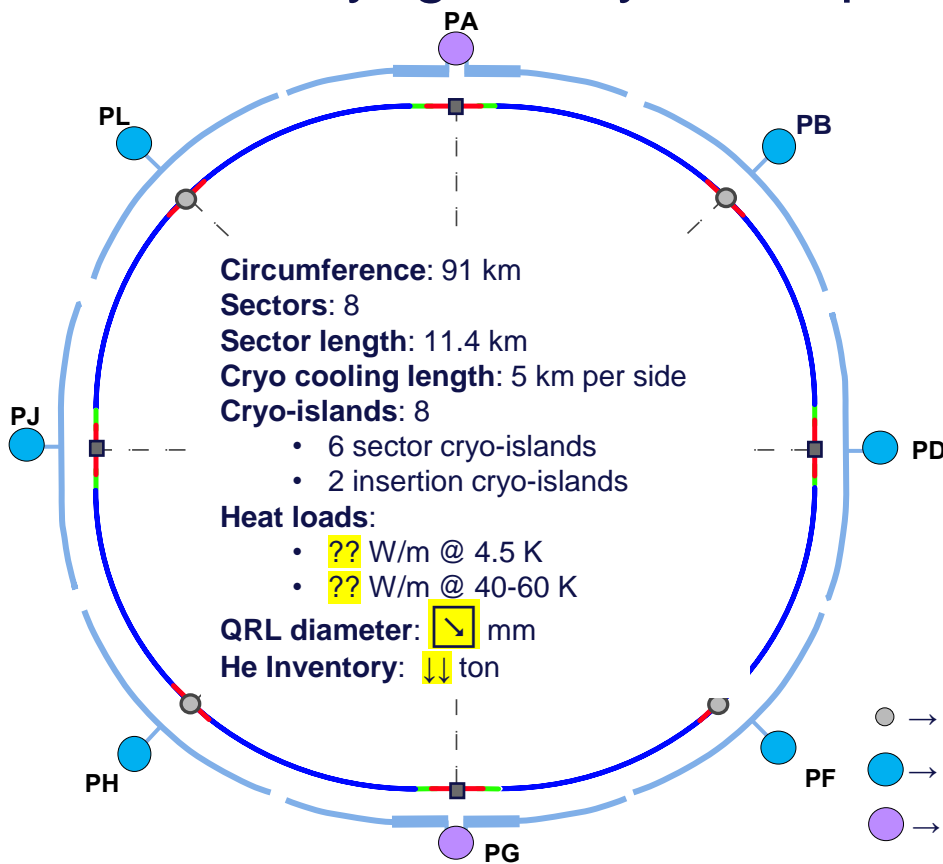
Cryogenic distribution line



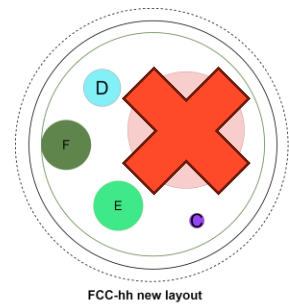
- → Technical Point
- → Normal sector cryo-island
- → Insertion sector cryo-island



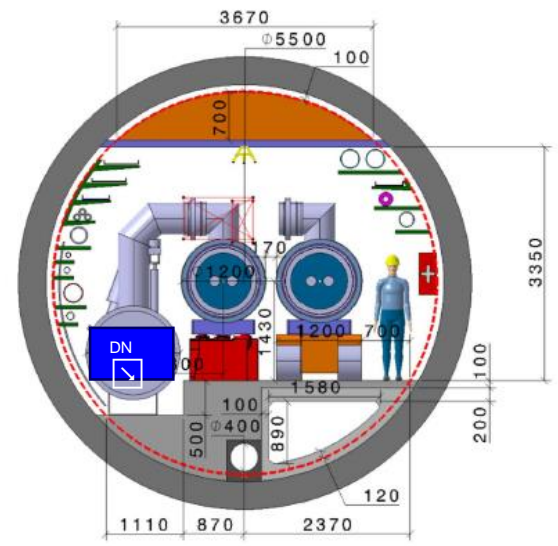
FCC-hh cryogenic system updated layout – Nb3Sn @ 4.5 K



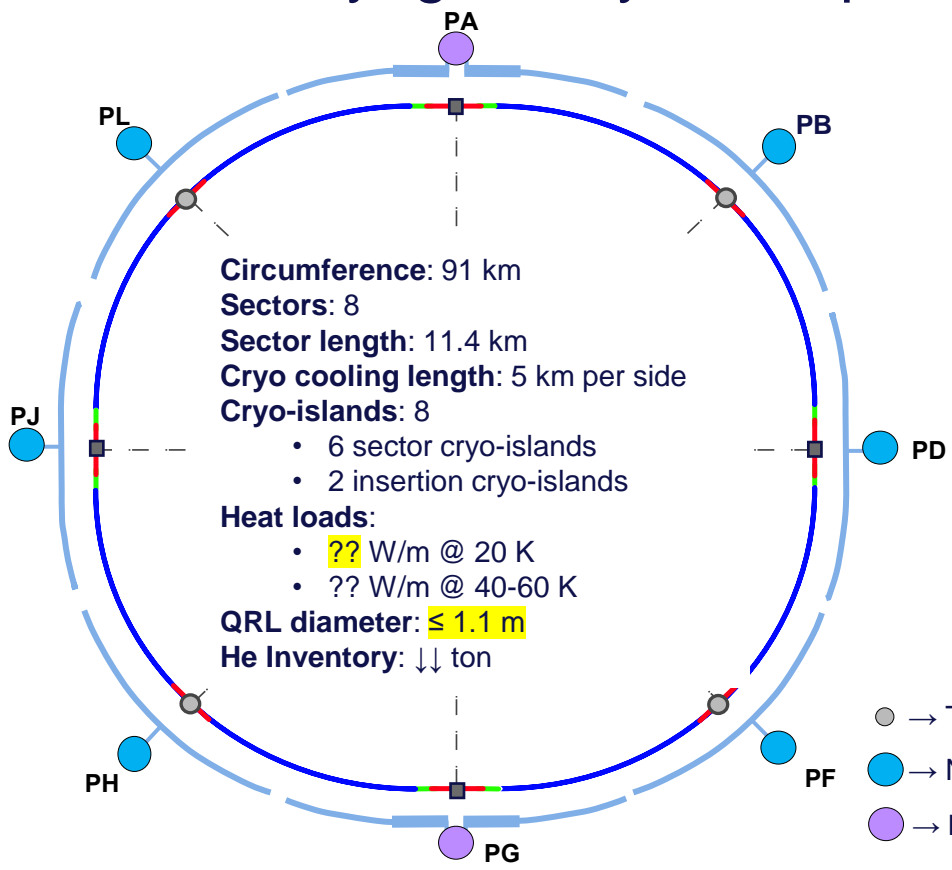
Cryogenic distribution line



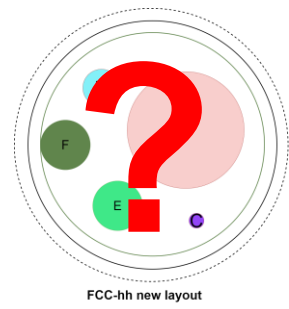
Line B disappears.
Line D size expected to increase.



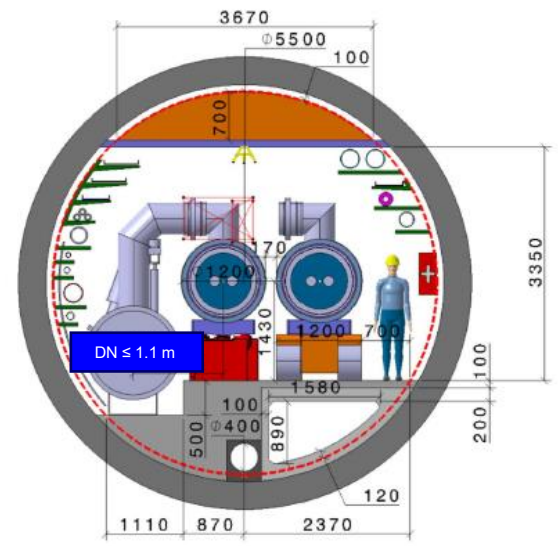
FCC-hh cryogenic system updated layout – HTS @ 20 K



Cryogenic distribution line

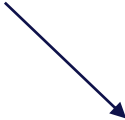


Many unknowns at this stage.



Conclusions and upcoming activities

- Progress on **preliminary cryomodule design** led to updates on heat loads and He inventory.
- **Service cavern location** at point L changed, making the point symmetric again.
- FCC-ee cryogenics study is on track in **collaboration with different stakeholders**
 - SCE team regularly updated with surface needs – current focus on land reservation.
 - EN/EL and EN/CV updated with cryogenic needs.
 - Integration: regular iterations to optimize FCC-ee layout to fit in a 5.5 m tunnel.
- Cryo for detectors under study with user inputs to be transmitted to cryogenics for further development of the associated design. **Detectors are accounted for land reservation only. MDI is not accounted anywhere from cryo side.**
- **FCC-hh compatibility needs to be ensured in terms of land reservation and tunnel integration.** Work in progress:
 - In **1.9 K & 4.5 K** configurations, QRL diameter is less or equal than CDR baseline, with **distribution system (vs FCC-ee tunnel) compatible**
 - In **20 K configuration**, many unknown parameters (W/m @ 20 K, 40-60 K ?, transients, ramping losses ?). *Work in progress.* Very preliminary, **distribution system (vs FCC-ee tunnel) seems compatible.**



Impact on the cryogenic system sizing, layout and staging. Updated values were presented here.



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Spare slides

Heat load tables from SRF

- As of May 31st, 2024
- With no margin – “nominal values”
- “cav” = cavity
- “CM” = cryomodule

Assumptions

400 MHz cavities :
 $Q_{installed} = 2.7E+9$

800 MHz cavities :
 $Q_{installed} = 3.0E+10$

**Heat Loads from
couplers & HOMs
not included**

Point H - Collider		# CM	# cav/CM	# cav	Static HL to 4.5 K / CM (W)	Static HL to 50-75 K / CM (W)	Dynamic HL to 4.5 K / cav (W)	Dynamic HL to 4.5 K / CM (W)
400 MHz CM	Z	28	4	112	131.0	218.0	9.0	36.0
	W	66	4	264	131.0	218.0	129.0	516.0
	H	66	4	264	131.0	218.0	129.0	516.0
	ttbar	66	4	264	131.0	218.0	129.0	516.0

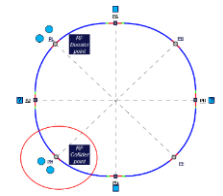
Point L - Booster		# CM	# cav/CM	# cav	Static HL to 2 K / CM (W)	Static HL to 50-75 K / CM (W)	Dynamic HL to 2 K / cav (W)	Dynamic HL to 2 K / CM (W)
800 MHz CM	Z	6	4	24	32.0	103.0	0.30	1.2
	W	14	4	56	32.0	103.0	3.0	12.0
	H	27	4	108	32.0	103.0	3.0	12.0
	ttbar	150	4	600	32.0	103.0	3.0	12.0

Point H - Collider - ttbar		# CM	# cav/CM	# cav	Static HL to 2 K / CM (W)	Static HL to 50-75 K / CM (W)	Dynamic HL to 2 K / cav (W)	Dynamic HL to 2 K / CM (W)
800 MHz CM	ttbar	122	4	488	32.0	103.0	23.0	92.0

Heat load margins management bibliography

- 1998 LHC Project Note 140
- 2008 ICEC22 LHC Project Report 1171
- 2013 ICEC24 Energy efficiency of Large Cryogenic Systems
- **2021** HL-LHC Heat Load Review EDMS document 2560556 v.2 and Indico 1019569
- **2022**
 - Heat Load Definition for the HL-LHC project on EDMS 1610730
 - Capacity requirements for the HL-LHC Refrigerators on EDMS 2747548

FCC-ee cryoplants at point H - staging



Staging at point H

- Increased staging complexity.

$$Q_{800MHz_{Installed}} = 3.0E + 10 // Q_{400MHz_{Installed}} = 2.7E + 9$$

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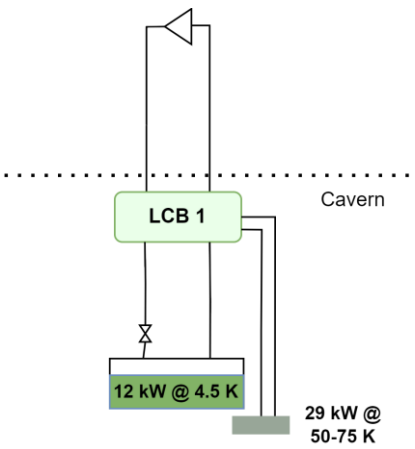


W & H

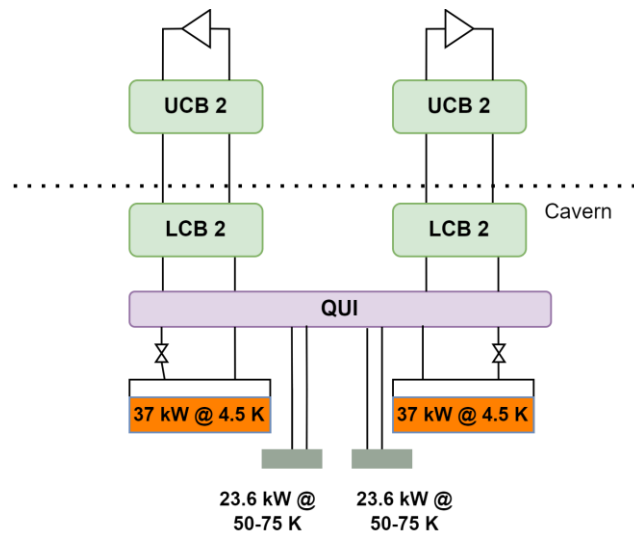


ttbar

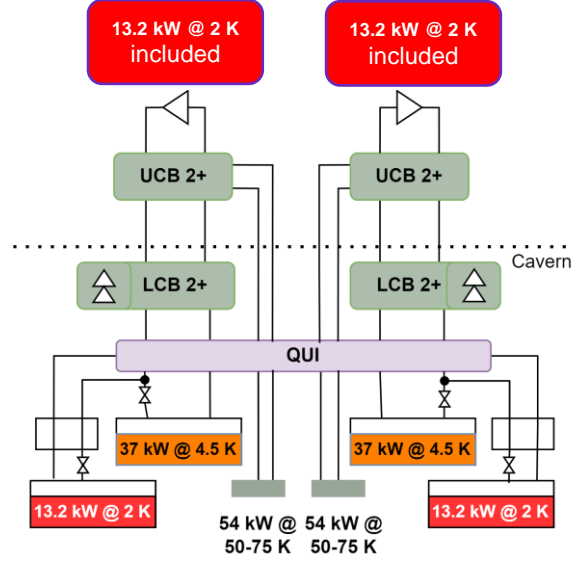
Ref. ~14 kW
eq @ 4.5 K



Ref. ~38 kW eq @ 4.5 K Ref. ~38 kW eq @ 4.5 K



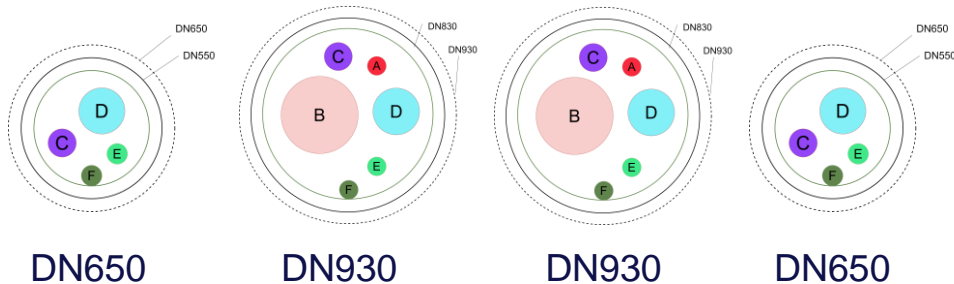
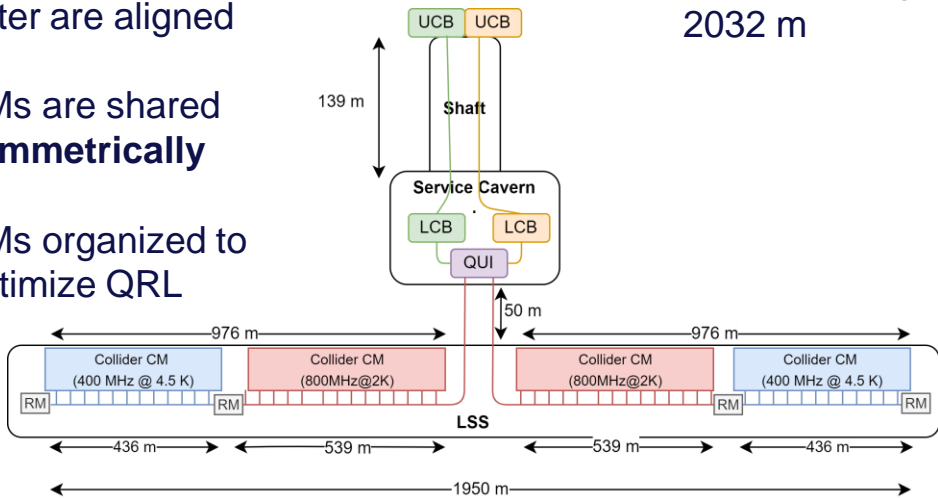
Ref. ~79 kW eq @ 4.5 K Ref. ~79 kW eq @ 4.5 K



FCC-ee cryo layout at point H (ttbar)

- Service cavern & LSS center are aligned
- CMs are shared **symmetrically**
- CMs organized to optimize QRL

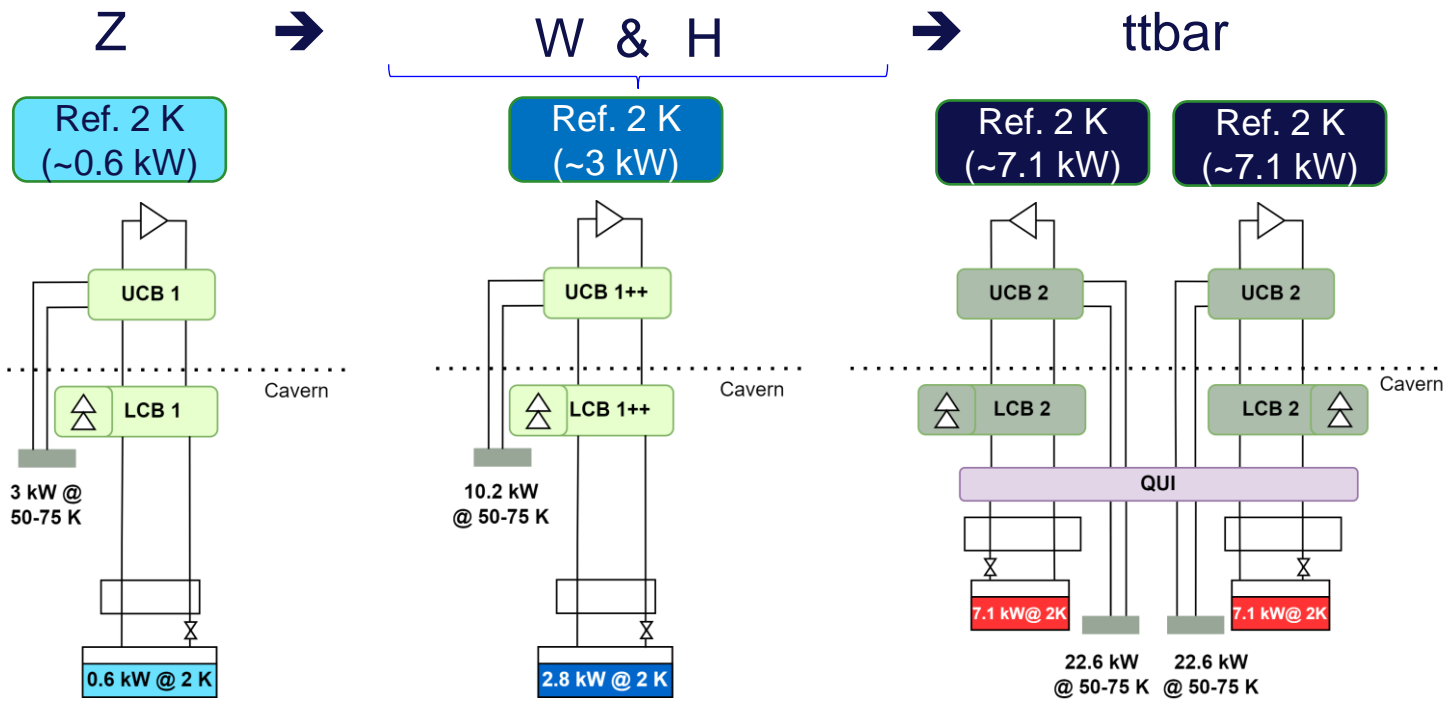
- LSS total length is of 2032 m



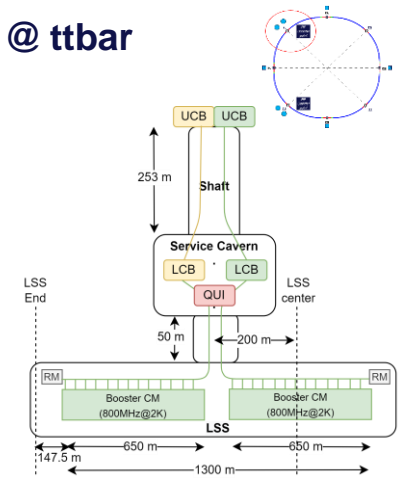
QRL Header & Process values	Diameter (mm)
A : 1.3 bar , 2.2 K ($\Delta P=25$ mbar)	80
B : 30 mbar , 2 K ($\Delta P=2$ mbar)	330
C: 3 bar, 4.6 K ($\Delta P=130$ mbar)	120
D: 1.3 bar, 4.5 K ($\Delta P=70$ mbar)	200
E: 20 bar, 50 K ($\Delta P=100$ mbar)	80
F: 18 bar, 75 K ($\Delta P=100$ mbar)	80
Vacuum jacket (400MHz)	550*
Vacuum jacket (800 MHz)	830*

* +100 mm for bellows and flanges

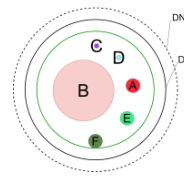
FCC-ee cryoplants at point L: staging



@ ttbar



$$Q_{800MHz_{Installed}} = 3.0E + 10$$



- Line A – 1.3 bar / 2.2 K: **60 mm**
- Line B – 30 mbar/ 2 K: **260 mm**
- Line E – 20 bar / 50 K: **80 mm**
- Line F – 18 bar / 75 K: **80 mm**

DN700

Main drivers for FCC-hh compatibility

Courtesy P. Borges de Sousa

Option	Cryogen content	Power consumption	Able to handle transient loads?	ΔT along arc cell?	Size of QRL
FCC at 1.9 K (Nb ₃ Sn) <i>Baseline</i>	≈ 10 ⁶ kg He	262 MW [2]	Yes (via c_p of He II)	Extremely low gradient with He II operation (≈ mK)	≈ Ø1.1 m (8 points)
FCC at 4.5 K (Nb ₃ Sn)	↓↓ Intrinsically lower, no liquid bath	↓↓ Carnot + no cold compressors	In principle yes (might need liquid reservoirs at end of sector)	↑ Will require moderate ΔT (≈ K)	↓↓↑ No VLP line required but could have large \dot{m} ; lower ΔT means larger QRL (but still < Ø1.1 m)
FCC at 20 K (HTS)	↓↓ Only gas if He; two-phase flow confined in pipes if H ₂	↑↑ Carnot + no cold compressors; could be still high if transients are also high	Unclear if using He (c_p of cold mass insufficient)	↑↑ Will require sizeable ΔT (≈ 5+ K)	↓↓↑ No VLP line required but could have large \dot{m} ; lower ΔT means larger QRL (but still < Ø1.1 m)

As an output we'd like to have a 3D plot of QRL size as a function of heat loads to magnets (steady-state + transient) and allowed temperature gradient along an arc cell

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