

## IDENTIFICATION OF POTENTIAL TERRITORIAL BENEFITS

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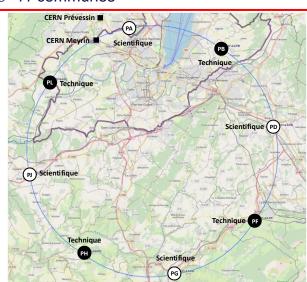


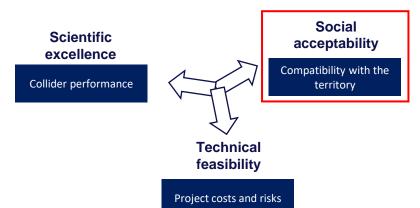
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## FCC geographical context & key principles

#### **Geographical context:**

- 2 countries
- 1 region
- o 1 canton
- 2 French departments (including a new territory)
- 9 EPCI (Public Establishments of Intercommunal Cooperation)
- 41 communes

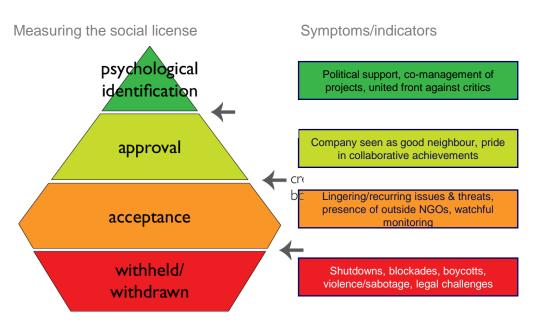




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## Social acceptability

#### The Social License to Operate:



## Discussions/work with various local stakeholders:

- Understand the expectations
- Identify the benefits/opportunities
- Create synergies
- Non exhaustive list:
  - o Representatives of the communes
  - Haute-Savoie Departmental Council
  - o ADEME
  - o SIG
  - o OCEN
  - o SRB
  - o ENEDIS

### → Sustainable territorial integration of the research infrastructure

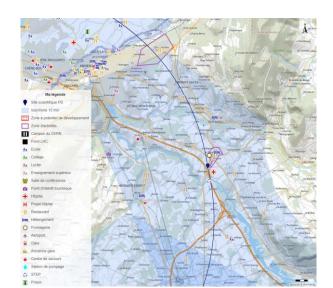




## Exemplary territorial benefit potentials

### 1. Directly linked to the research infrastructure:

- Supply of waste heat\*
- Re-use & redistribution of clean water
- Reinforcement of the electricity network
- Excavated materials reuse



## 2. Indirectly linked to the presence of the research infrastructure:

- Local scientific tourism
- Strengthening of local services
- Enhancement of transport infrastructure
- Promotion of highest quality education and training
- Strengthening of emergency services
- Opportunities for local companies
- Creation of a new activity pole\*\*
- Local spending
- Local employment

<sup>\*</sup> Waste heat supply opportunities: 9:10 - Alain Guiavarch – Ginger Burgeap

<sup>\*\*</sup> Results of the pole analysis study: 9:30 - Leslie Alix - CERN/CNRS

#### Excavated materials reuse

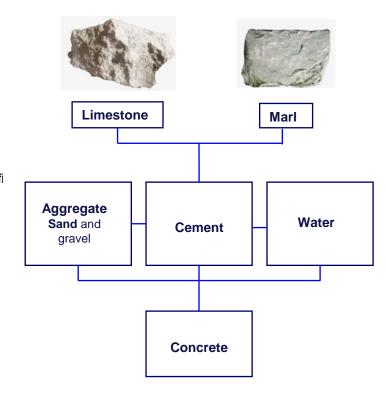
#### **Separation of materials for different reuses:**

- From sterile to fertile material with the OpenSky Lab\*
- Renaturation/forestry
- Landscaping
- Concrete production:

#### Composition of the molasse\*:

- 36 to 48% clay particles which may be used to produce low carbon cement
- 10 to 15% of silt particles which could be used as filler complement for coarse sands
- 10 to 15% of sand particles from 63 μm to 4 mm that can be separated and blended to produce specifis sands as concrete sand, coating sand, filtration sand, etc.
- 15 to 20% of particles over 4 mm which could be crushed to produce coarse sand.

Detailed subsurface investigations are needed for the planning of the reuse opportunities



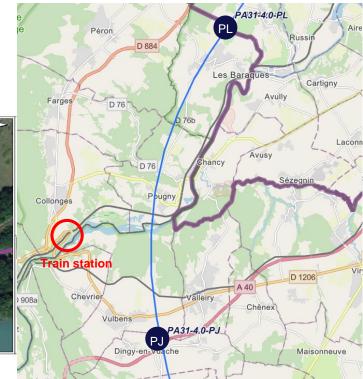
<sup>\* 10:50 :</sup> The OpenSky Lab for innovating excavation materials re-use - Christiana Staudinger - BOKU

## Enhancement of transport infrastructure

#### Potential synergy with the closed train station in Collonges:

- For evacuation of excavated materials and or supply of materials
- Closed train station: Lyon <> Geneva line
- Synergy with Grand Geneve project
- Serves also non-FCC needs
- Study performed by EGIS, expert in train connections
- → Achievable with moderate adjustments or efforts





Courtesy: L. Ulrici, C. Pueyo

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#### Potential new water intake

#### Water needs for cooling purposes:

- Total water needs: 3 million m<sup>3</sup>/y, on average 650 m<sup>3</sup>/h during operation phase only (Geneva Lake)
- PD, PF and PG water needs: 130 to 200 m<sup>3</sup>/h on average



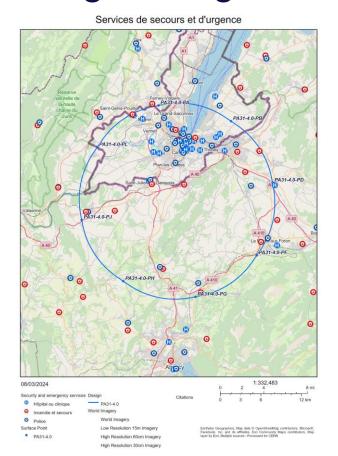
#### **Synergy potential:**

- STEP water flow: 400 m3/h on average
- → Physico-chemical analysis: pre-treatment required due to amount of dissolved CaCo3 (TDS) Dedicated study is engaged
- → Microbiological analysis: ongoing



- Reusing it for FCC cooling purposes and other applications
- FCC wastewater treatment plant potentially located in this STEP

## Strenghtening of emergency services



- Collaboration with territorial emergency services is the baseline scenario and is on the top priority list of the Host States
- Fire brigades in the immediate vicinity of all surface sites (5-10min)
- Assure highest level of competency and top equipment:
  - Mutual intervention possibility
  - Common training/Skills and knowledge sharing
  - Equipment sharing

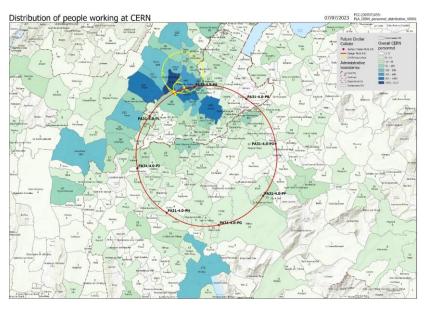
#### · Current situation:

- Tripartite agreement between the Host States and CERN
- Collaboration agreement between HUG and CERN
- FCC would further enlarge the existing agreements for the benefit of all parties



## Economic effect of concentrating people around a research infrastructure: consumer spending

Almost 9000 people residing in the territory.

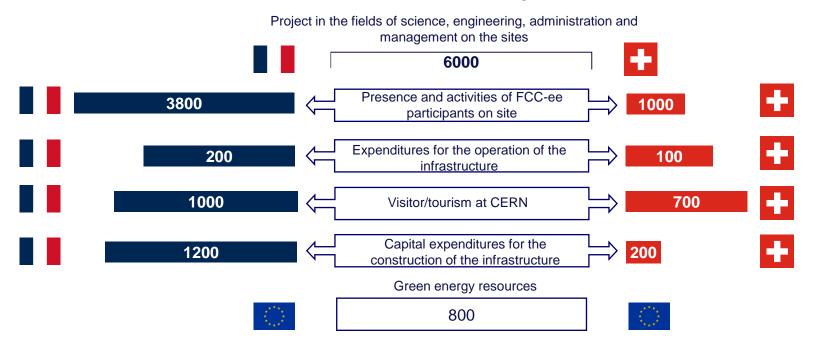


**4.4 billion** € could be spent in consumer spending over 30 years (of which **3.4 billion** € directly linked to the FCC-ee programme).





## Economic effect of a research infrastructure: direct, indirect and induced jobs



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## Economic impact of tourism: continued monitoring

#### 1. Tourism at CERN:

- Previous annual visitors: 150 000/y before the opening of Science Gateway
  - Total visitor expenses amount to 4 billion over 30 vears
- New estimates after Science Gateway operation starts: over 300 000 visitors annually.

Courtesy: I. Crespo

#### 2. Setup of systematic and continued monitoring

- Economic survey in the Science Gateway
- Inquiries about visitor profiles, country of origin, and expenditures within the region
- Started on Monday 10, June

#### 3. Objective of the survey:

- 1. Know better the direct economic impacts
- 2. Estimate better the FCC impacts
- 3. Estimate visitor center impacts in Haute-Savoie at PD, PG, PJ



## Development of a sustainable scientific tourism

## 1. Development of tourism at a scientific site:

- Exhibition
- Control room access
- Detector access
- Catering facilities, a shop selling souvenirs and other products
- Conference room



## 2. Development of tourism in the region:

- Possibility of creating scientific itineraries:
- Scientific research centers in the region:
  - CERN, CNRS, INRAE, CEA (e.g. Les Rencontres Terra Scientifica and participatory scientific tourism).
- Strong cultural and economic identity of the territory linked to agriculture and cheese-making:
  - Route des Fromages de Savoie (Cheese-makers, educational farms, mountain pastures)



#### Conclusions

- Real many and varied potential benefits
- Potential benefits identification was done, needs further investigation
- Most of the developments will not and cannot be carried out directly by CERN, but by local stakeholders
- Sustainable territorial benefits are crucial to ensure the social licence to operate and public support

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# Thank you for your attention.

## Example: Visitor and activity centre at PG



#### **Context**

- Development of the train station area (3,5 ha available),
- Presence of two secondary schools,
- Campus de Groisy (vocational school),
- Few local services (accommodation/catering),
- No tourist activities.

#### **Potential development**

- Creation of a cultural scientific centre,
- Creation of buildings and offices for scientists and service providers,
- Market gardening or another agricultural activity (using FCC heat),
- Development of a range of accommodation and catering services linked to the site.