

Presentation to the event: «Lithuanians at IdeaSquare»



CERN Knowledge Transfer

Accelerating Innovation

With focus on Environmental Applications

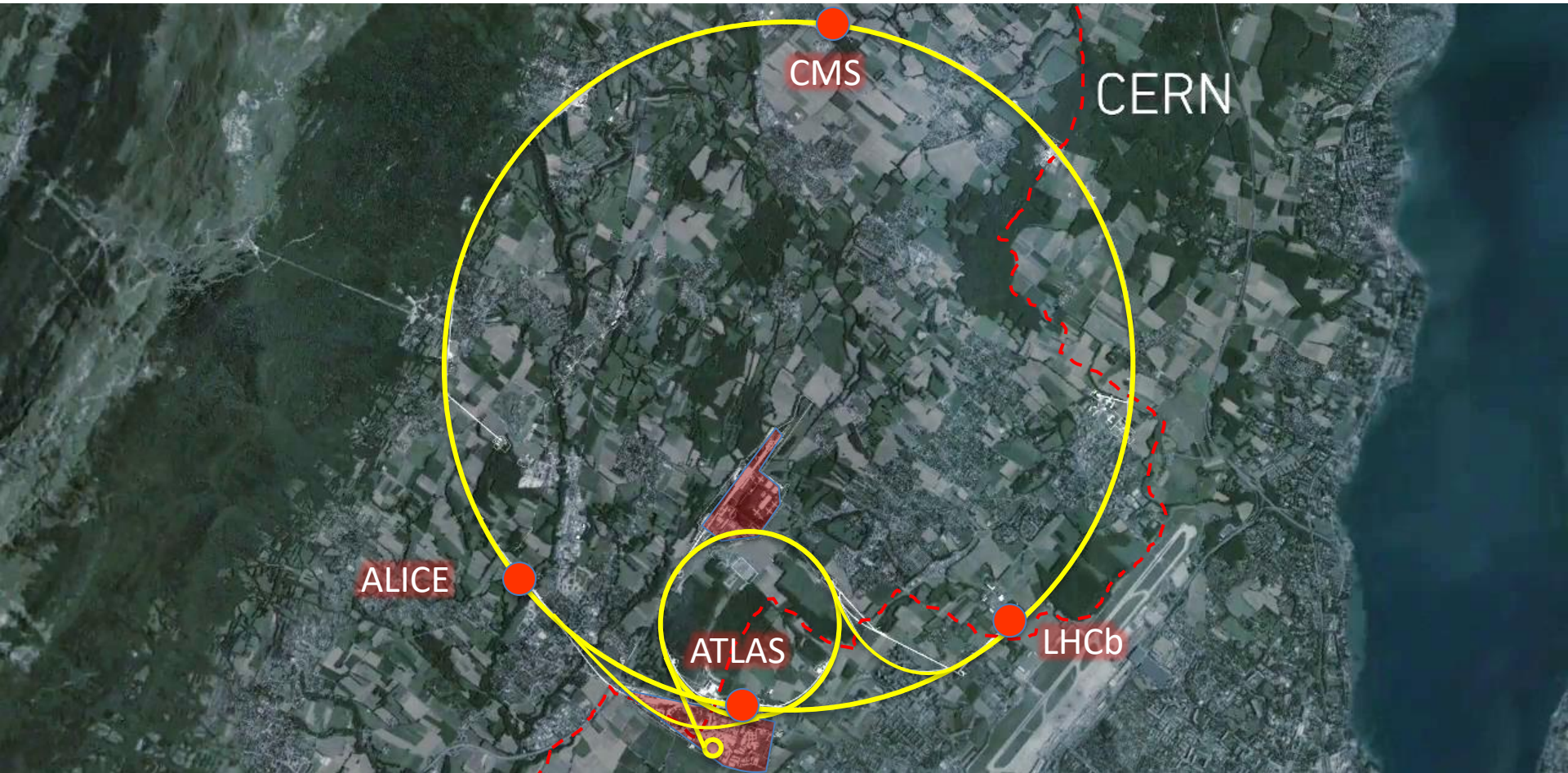


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Knowledge Transfer
Accelerating innovation

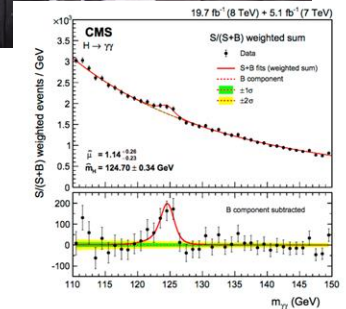
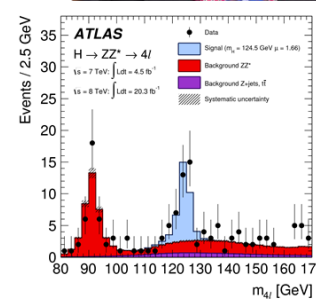
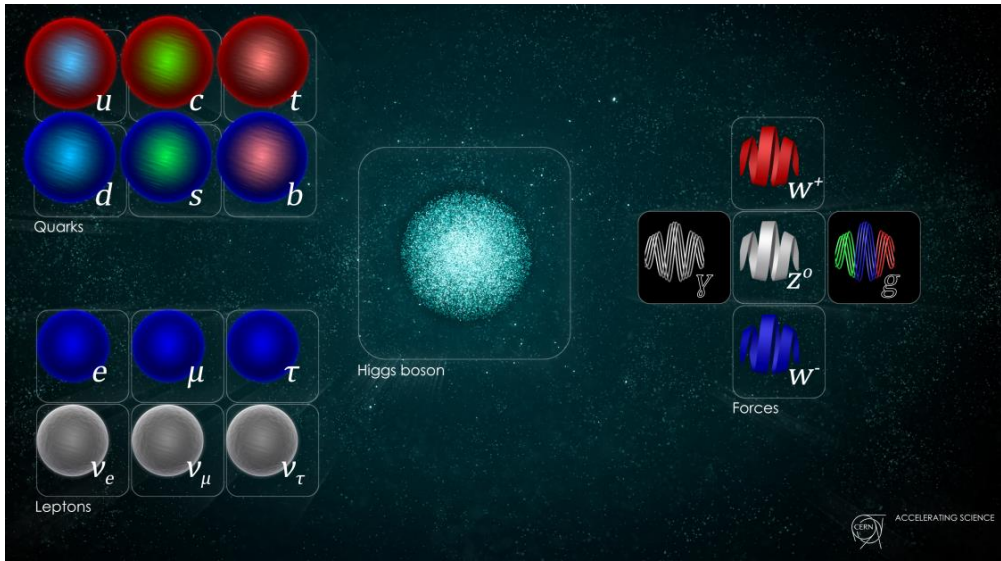
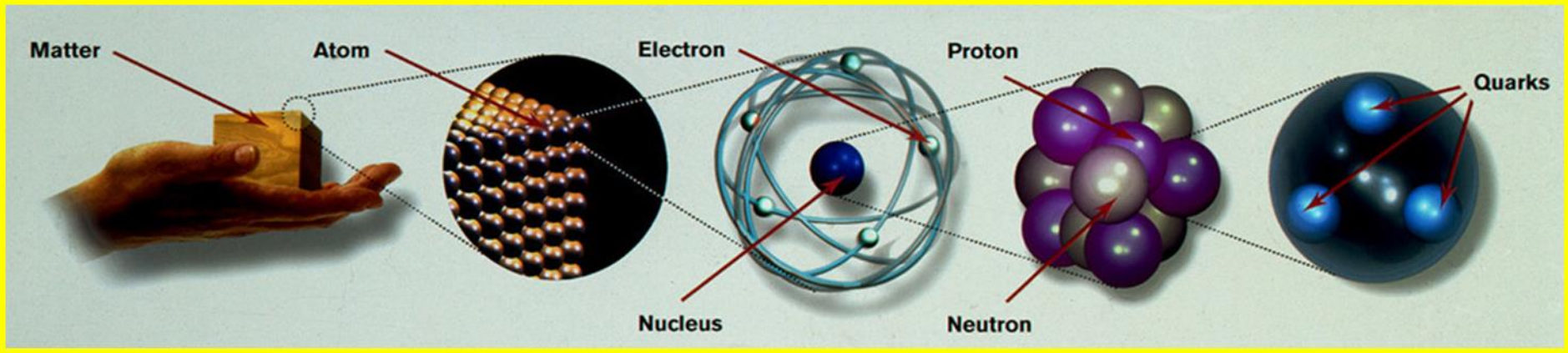
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CERN at a glance...



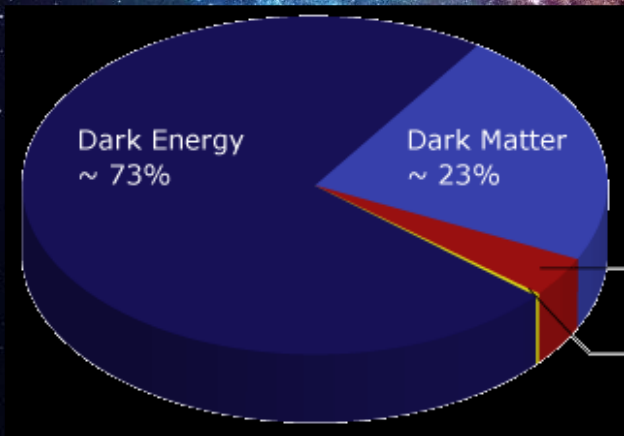
CERN main mission: fundamental physics



Answering questions...

*What lays beyond the
Standard Model?*

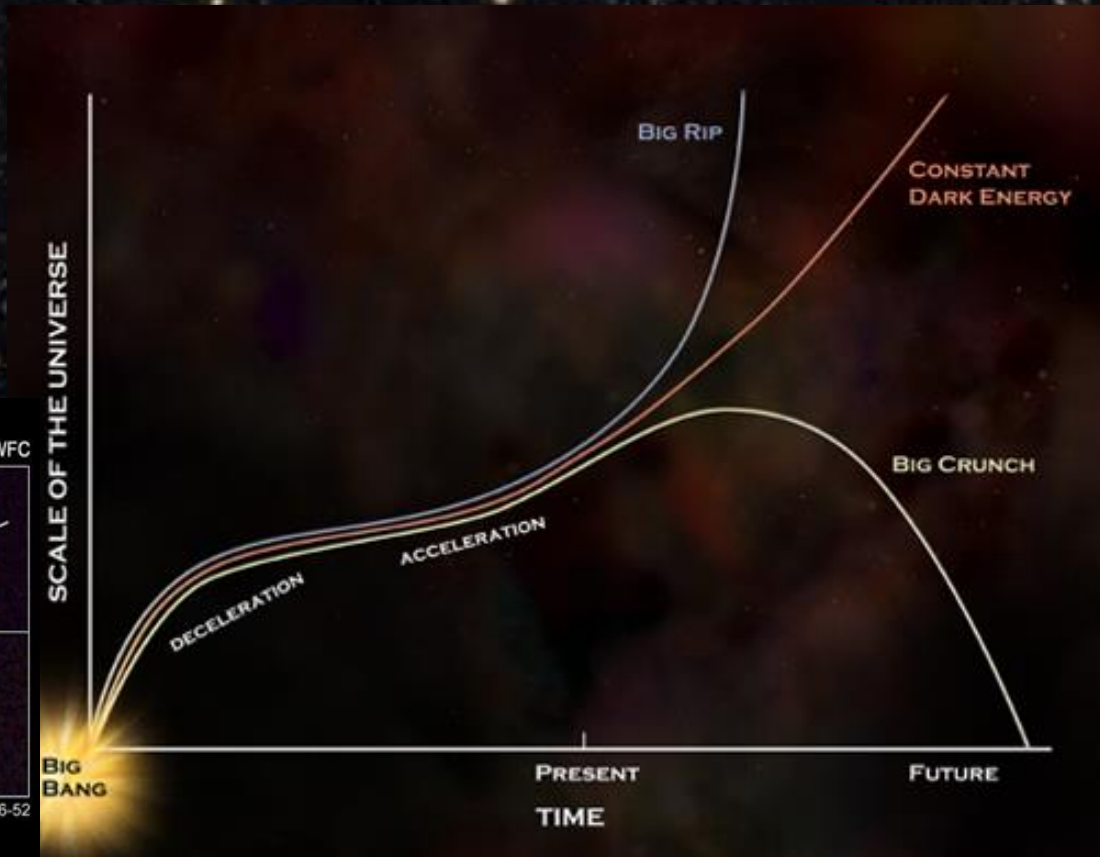
Answering questions...



What is dark matter?

Answering questions...

What is dark energy?



Host Galaxies of Distant Supernovae

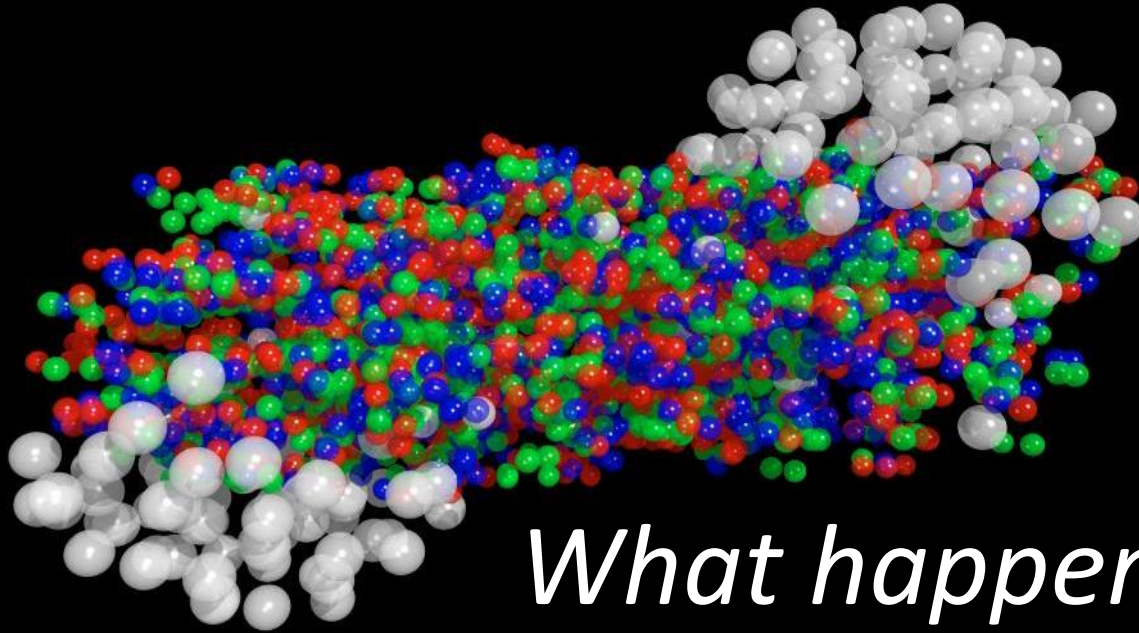
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NASA, ESA, and A. Riess (STScI)

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Answering questions...



*What happened short
after the Big Bang?*

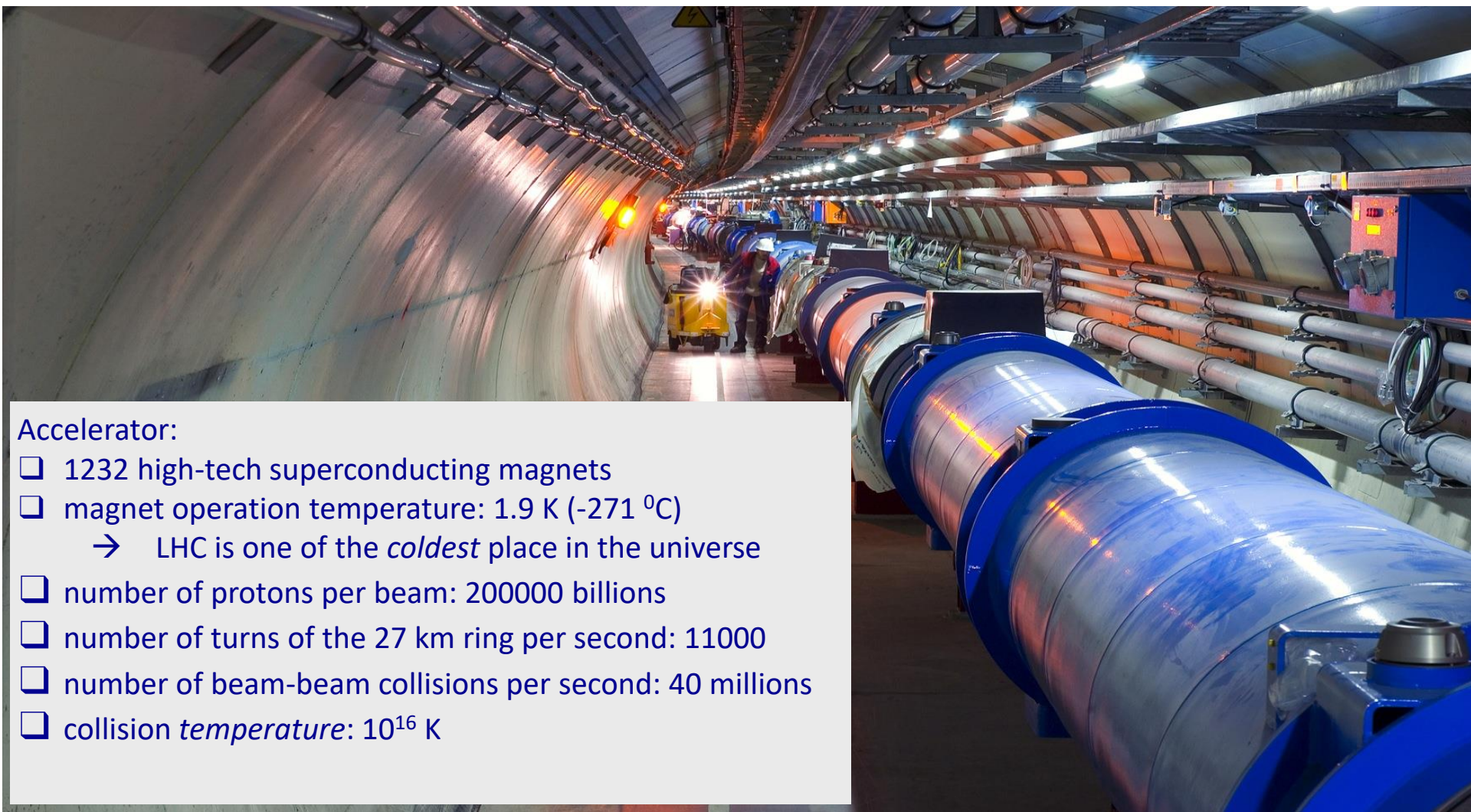


Answering questions...

Where has antimatter gone ?



Accelerating particles: the LHC



Accelerator:

- 1232 high-tech superconducting magnets
- magnet operation temperature: 1.9 K (-271 °C)
 - LHC is one of the *coldest* place in the universe
- number of protons per beam: 200000 billions
- number of turns of the 27 km ring per second: 11000
- number of beam-beam collisions per second: 40 millions
- collision *temperature*: 10^{16} K



CMS

LHCb

ATLAS

CMS

LHCb

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SPS - 7 km

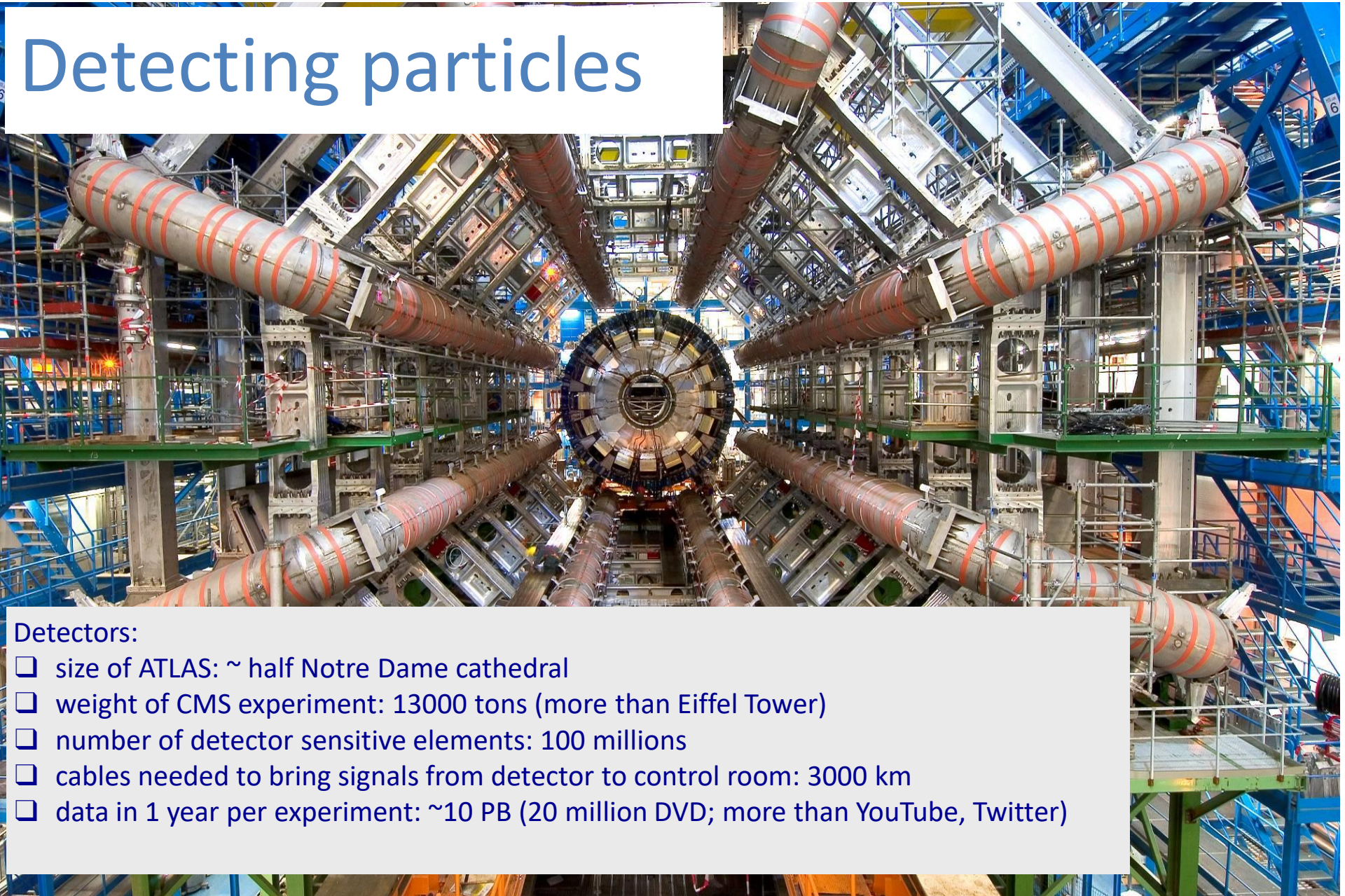
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LHC ring: 27 km circumference

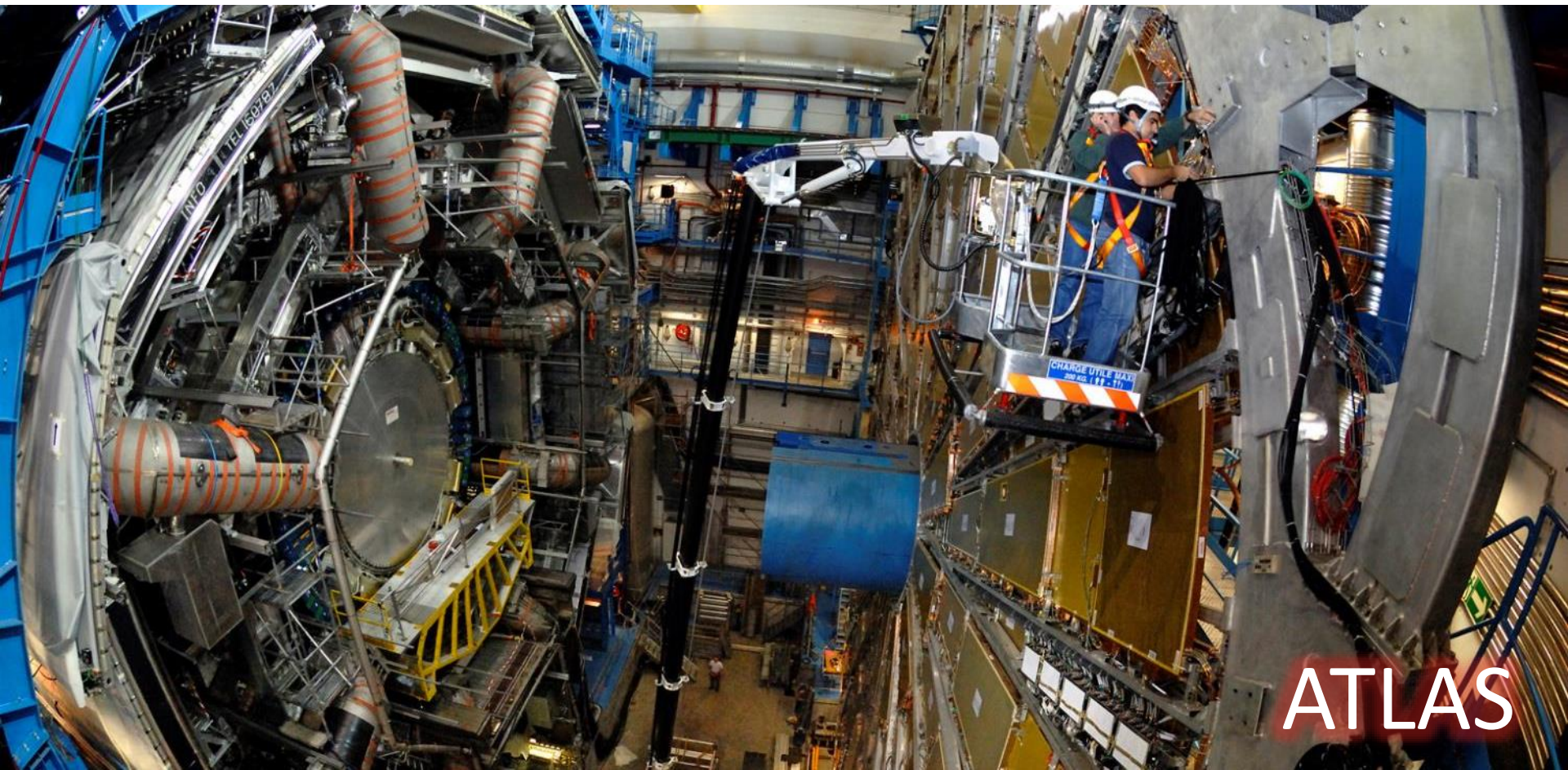


Detecting particles



Detectors:

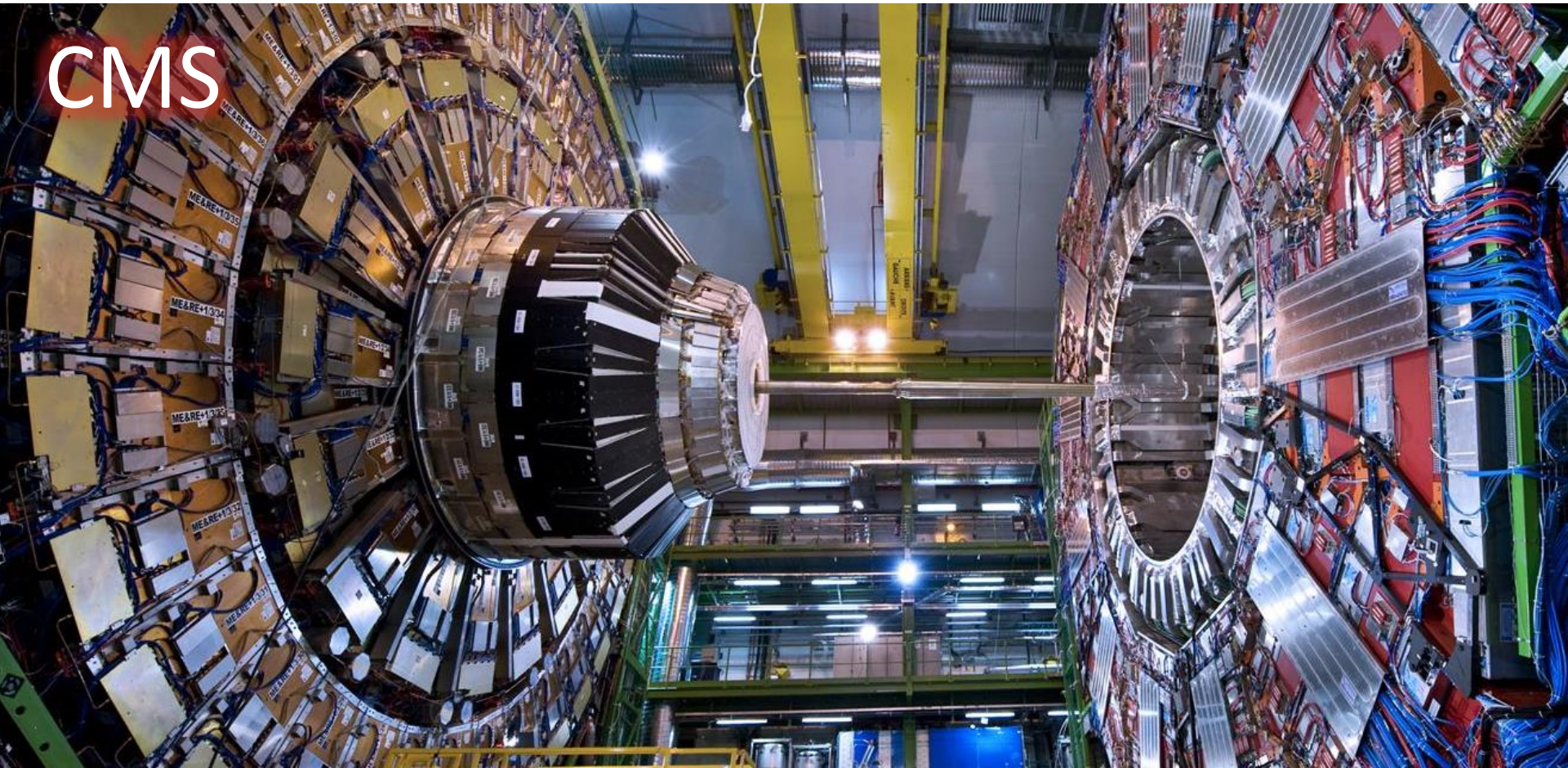
- ❑ size of ATLAS: ~ half Notre Dame cathedral
- ❑ weight of CMS experiment: 13000 tons (more than Eiffel Tower)
- ❑ number of detector sensitive elements: 100 millions
- ❑ cables needed to bring signals from detector to control room: 3000 km
- ❑ data in 1 year per experiment: ~10 PB (20 million DVD; more than YouTube, Twitter)



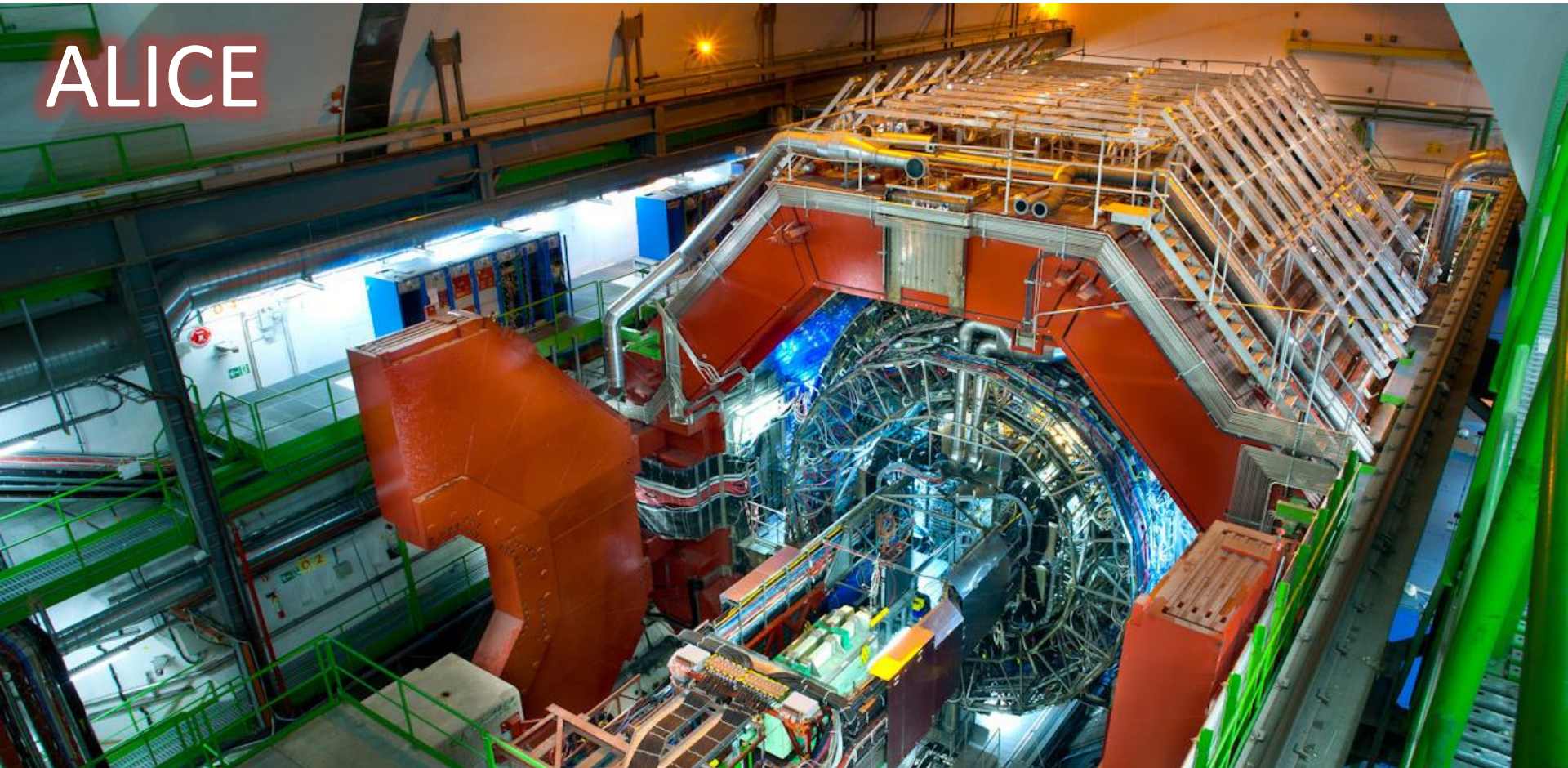
ATLAS



CMS



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LHCb



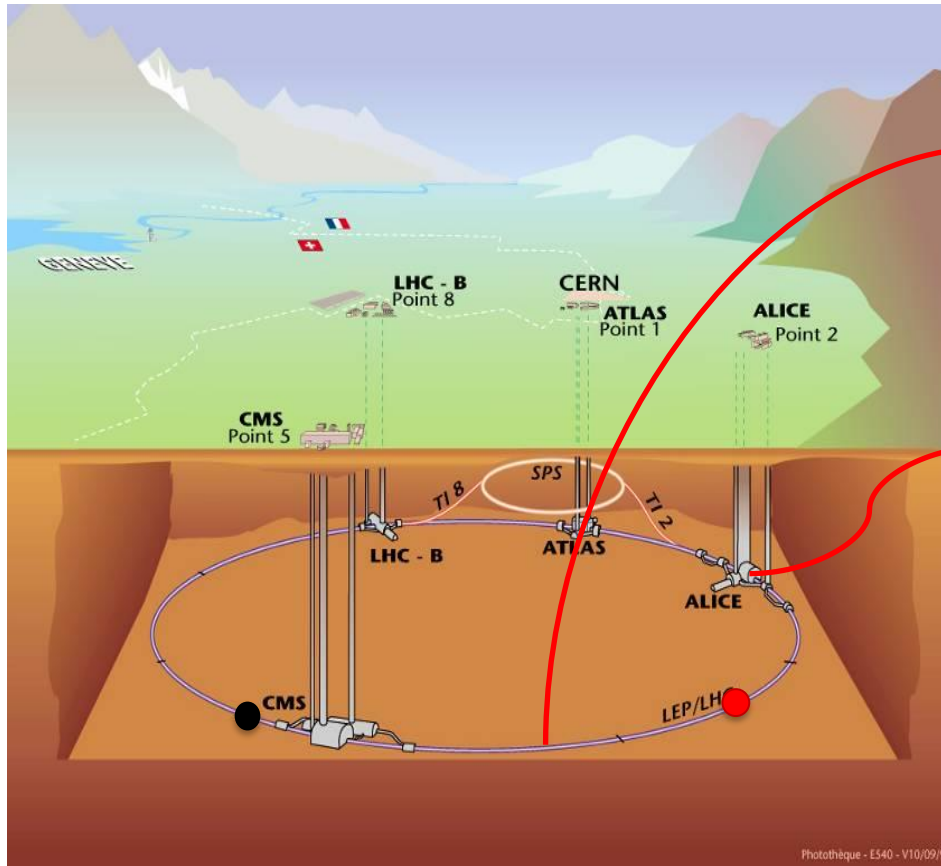
How can CERN have an impact beyond fundamental physics?



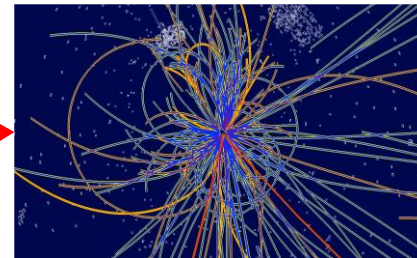
KT Mission

- **Maximise** the technological and knowledge return to society, in particular through Member States industry
- **Promote** CERN as a centre of excellence for technology and innovation
- **Demonstrate** the importance and impact of fundamental research investments

Key competences in cutting edge technologies for extreme environments



Accelerating
particle beams



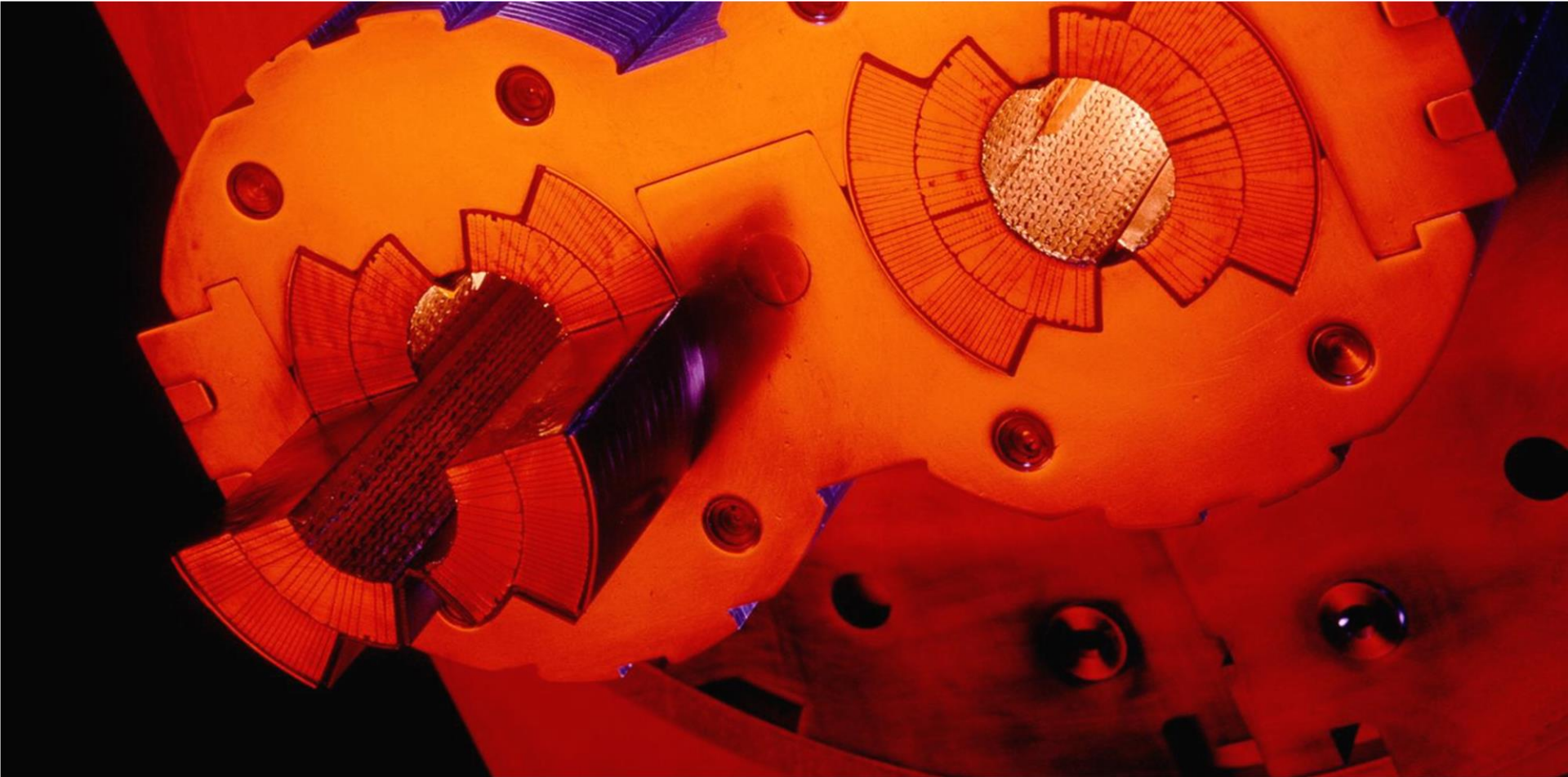
Detecting
particles



Large-scale
computing
(Grid)

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Very high vacuum



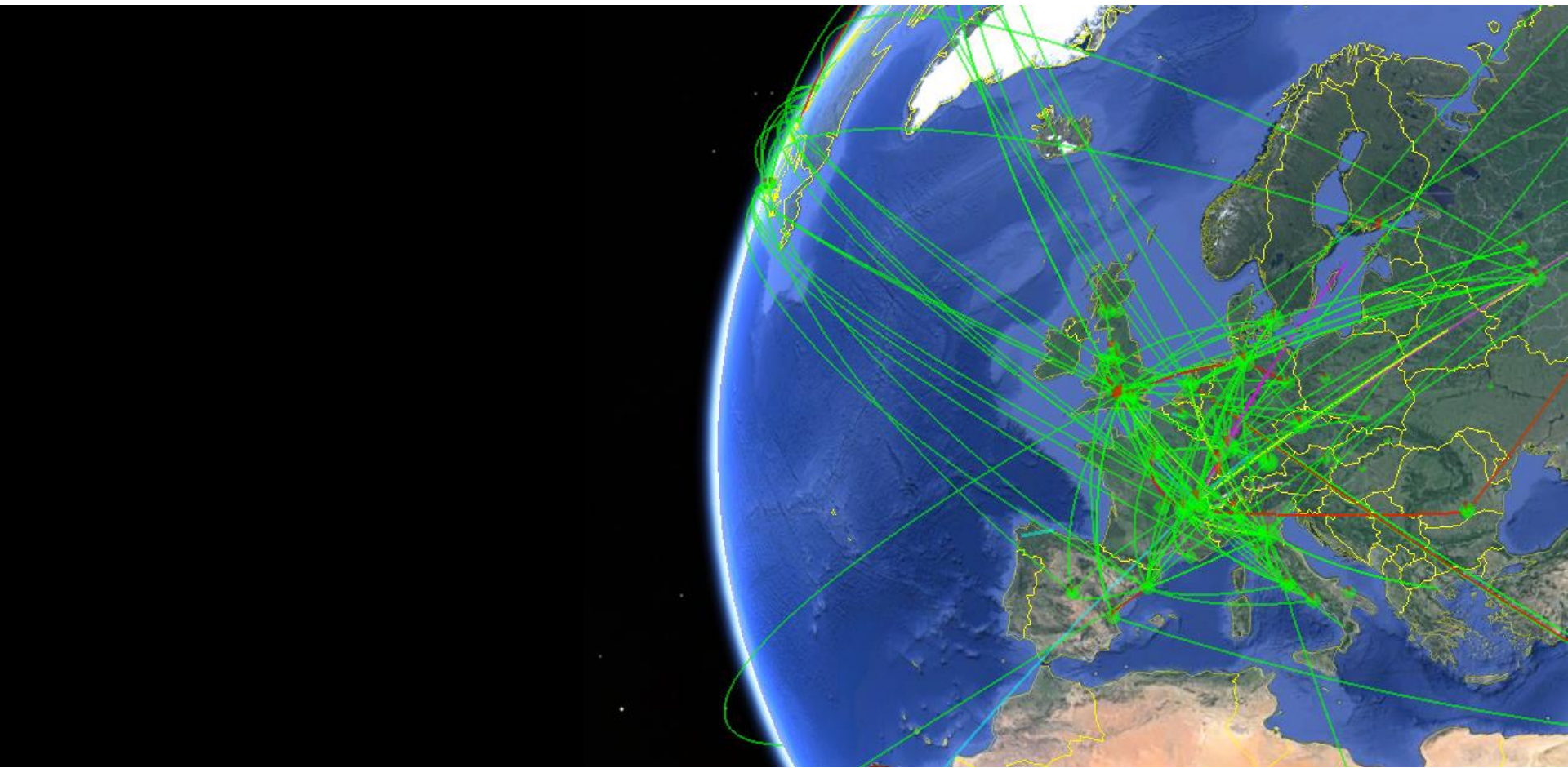
Extreme temperatures



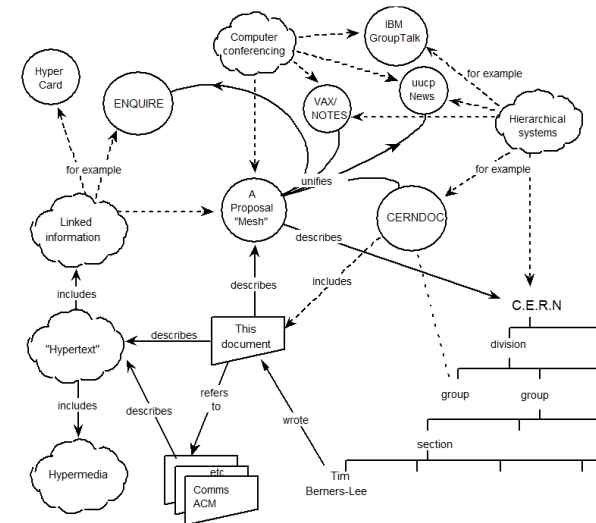
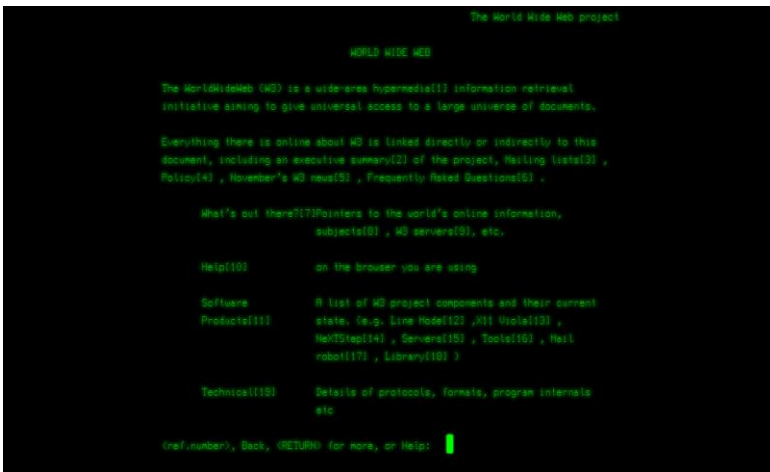
Radiations



Big data



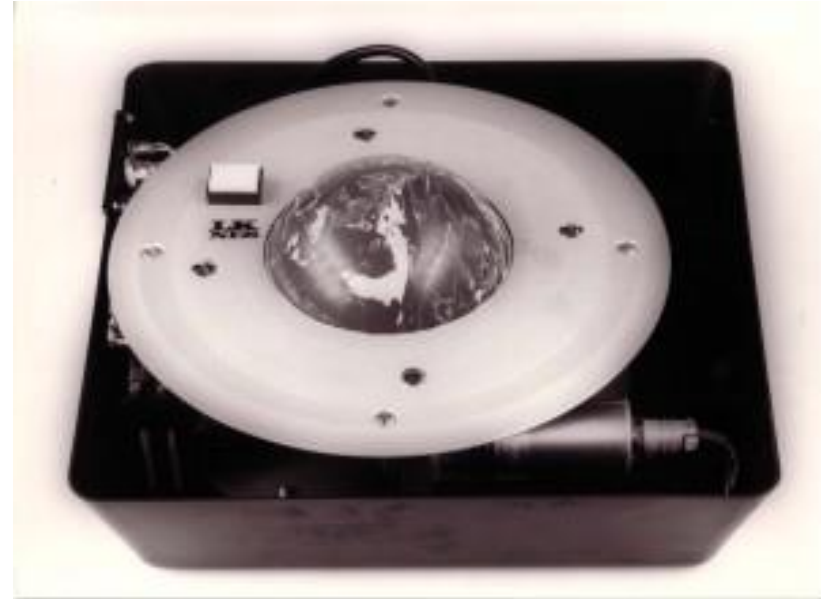
Where the World Wide Web was born



Not always a trivial process...



First «Touch-Screen»



First «Mouse»

KT Tools

Funding Opportunities for CERN Projects

CERN Knowledge Transfer Fund
CERN Medical Applications Budget

Collaborations and Networks

Knowledge transfer networks
Strengthening links with Member States (KT Forum)
Relations with International Organisations
Knowledge transfer in EC co-funded projects

Open Source

Open Source Software
Open Hardware Licence

Entrepreneurship

Start-ups & Spin-offs
Entrepreneurship Meet-Ups
Business Incubation Centres
Entrepreneurship Programmes

Support for CERN Personnel

Formal and practical training in business, entrepreneurship & knowledge transfer
Legal, business & intellectual property support

Events

Knowledge Transfer Seminars
Conferences with a significant contribution by the Knowledge Transfer group

Intellectual Property Management

R&D collaborations
Patent portfolio
Licence, service & consultancy agreements



CERN Value Proposition

Machine Learning and Deep Learning

Industrial Controls and Automation

Data Analytics

Metrology

High and Ultra High Vacuum Systems

Health, Safety and Environment Management

Cryogenics

Optoelectronics and Microelectronics

High Volume Data Management & Storage

Superconducting Magnets

Particle Acceleration and Control

Radiation Protection and Monitoring

Particle Tracking and Calorimetry

Robotics

Sensors

Material Science

Cooling and Ventilation

Collaboration Tools

Radio Frequency Technology

Manufacturing and Mechanical Processes

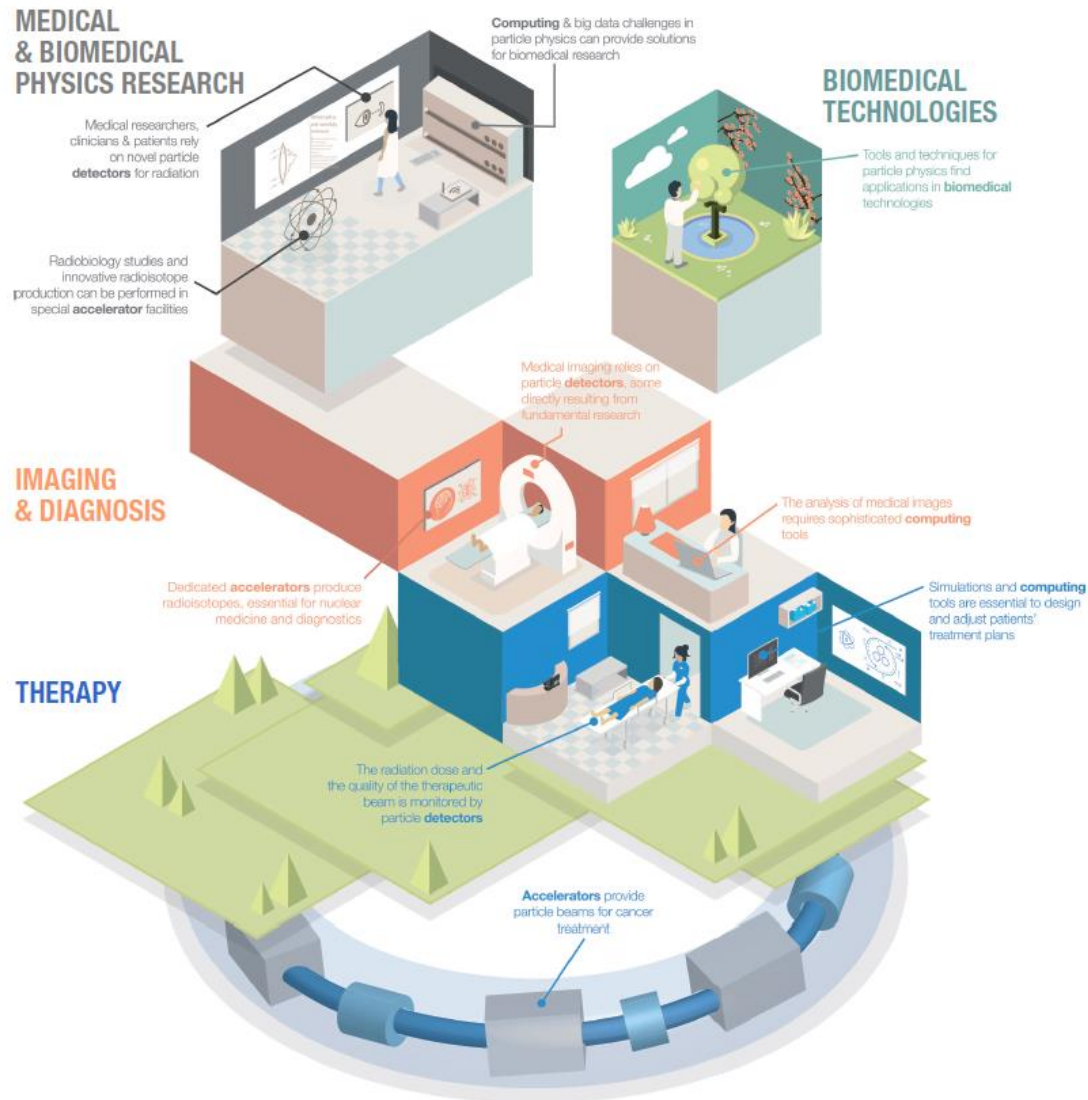
Link to [CERN Value Proposition](#)



KT strategy: thematic areas of focus

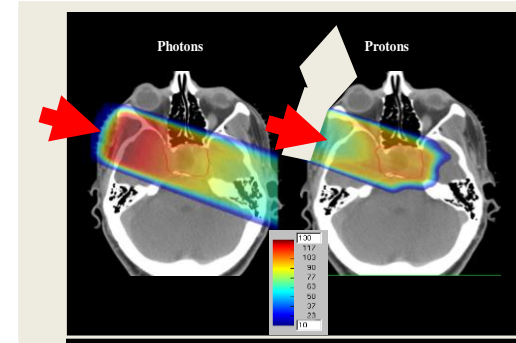
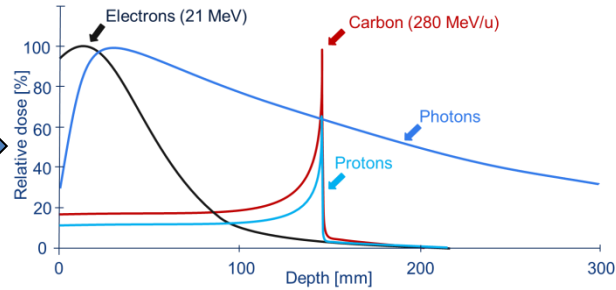


Medical Applications - Strategy

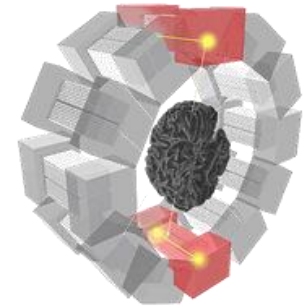
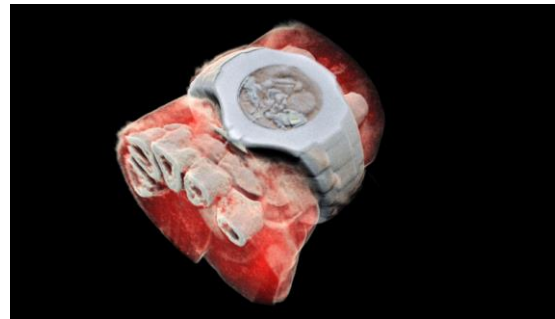
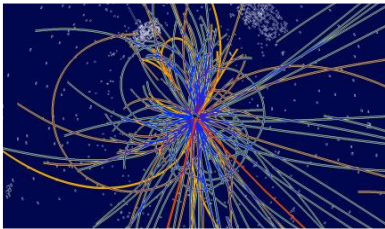


Medical Applications - Examples

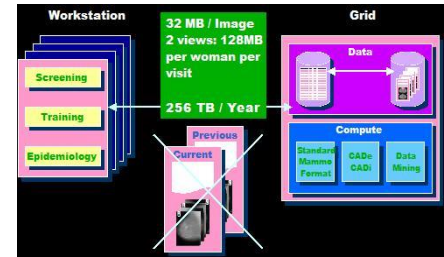
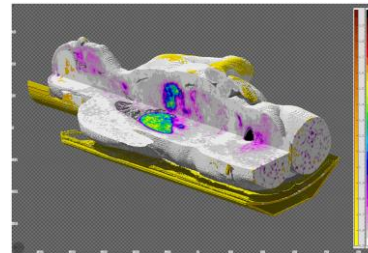
Particle accelerators for hadron therapy



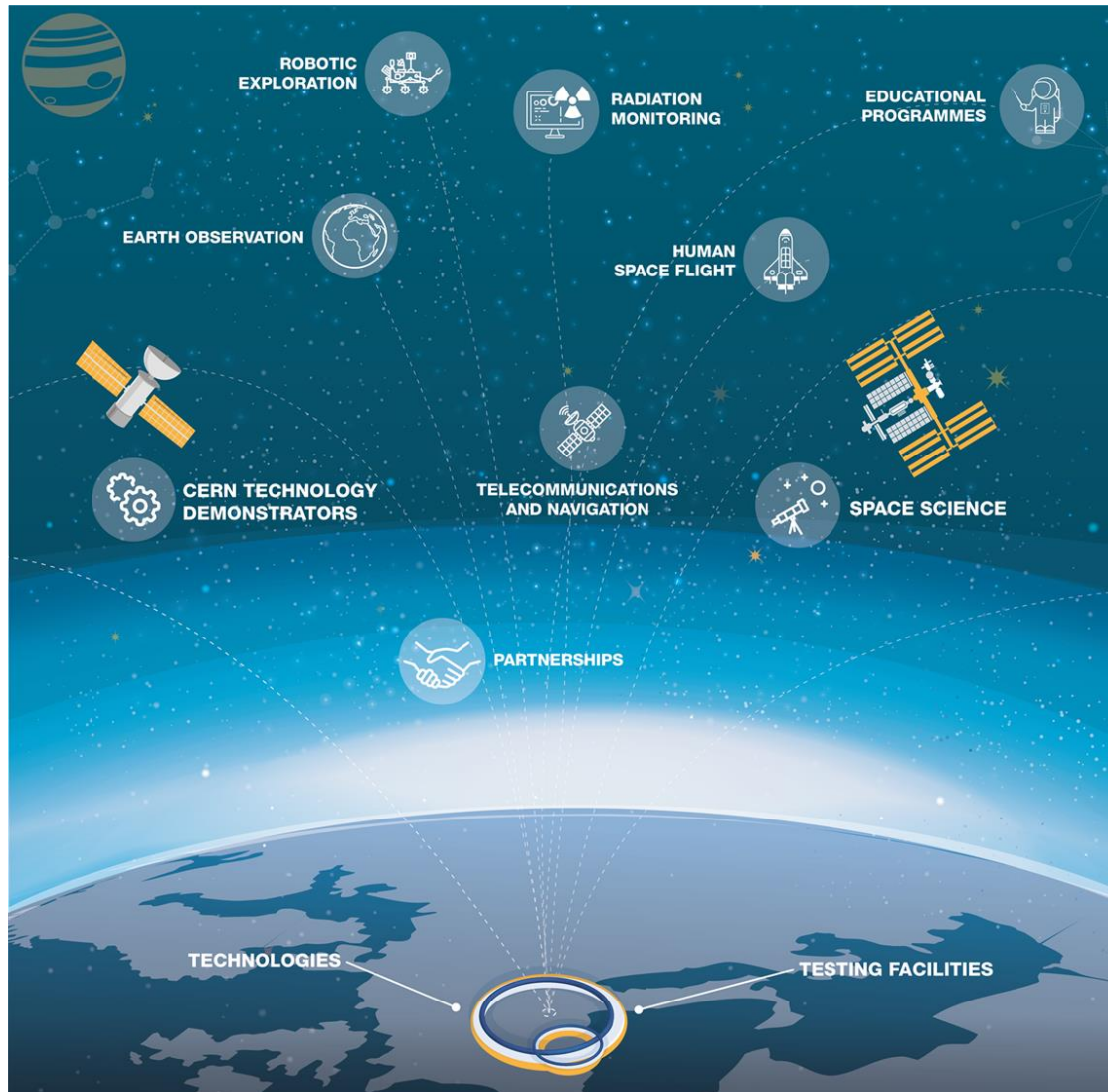
Particle detectors for medical imaging



Computing for simulations and medical data management and analysis

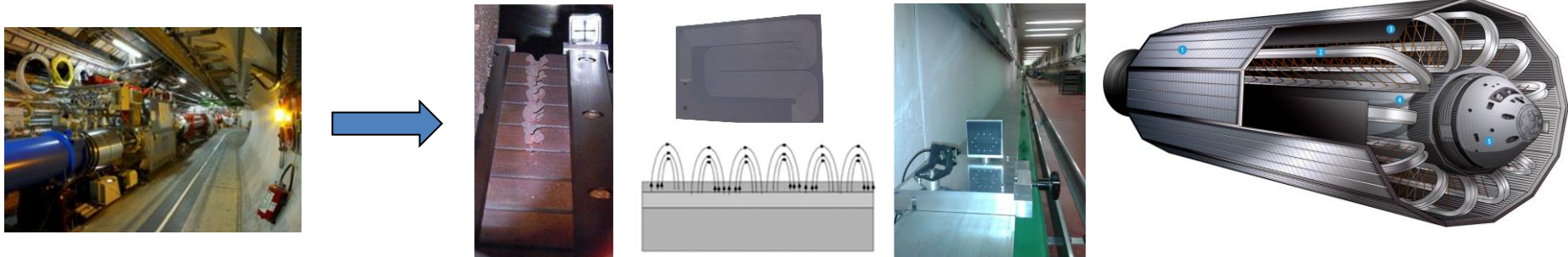


Aerospac Applications - Strategy

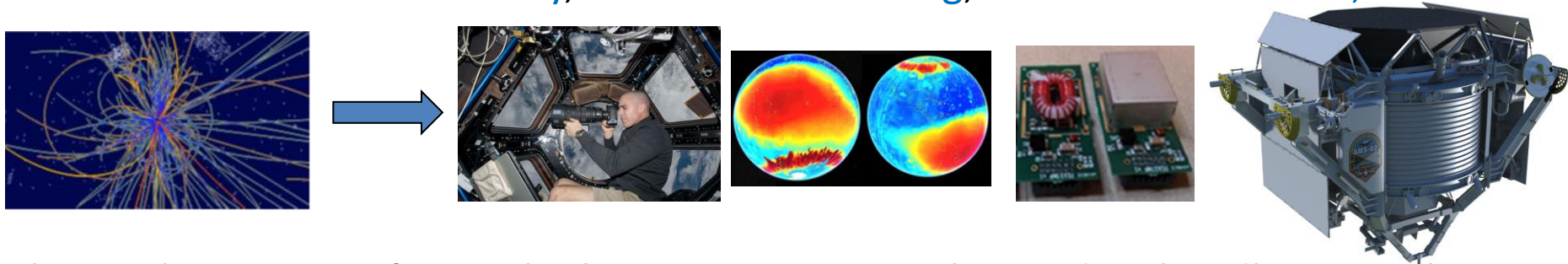


Aeropace Applications - Examples

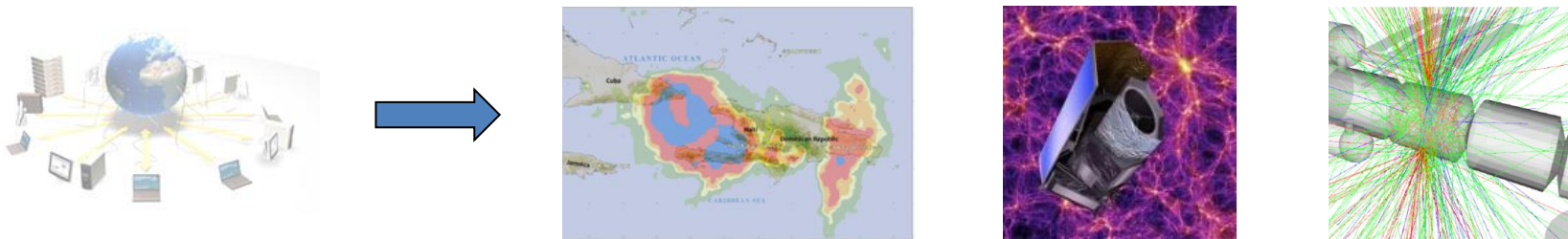
Accelerator technologies for thermal control, surface treatment, alignment, shielding



Particle detectors for dosimetry, radiation monitoring, rad-hard electronics, science



Advanced computing for earth observation or astrophysics data handling, simulations



CERN Latchup and Radmon Experiment Student Satellite

A ground-breaking project:

- First CERN technology demonstrator in space
- First flight test of SpaceRadMon technology
- First full satellite tested for radiations at system level in CHARM

A complex, long and risky project:

- Started in 2014, KT funded, supported by EN, SY, BE, R2E
- Collaboration with CSUM (Robusta platform) and ESA (launch)
- Vega-C maiden flight on 13/07/2022, 6000km orbit

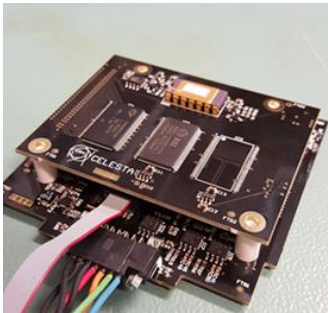
A quite successful project:

- All technical, scientific and educational goals reached by end 2022
- Plenty of scientific data collected, good statistics, analysis ongoing
- Triggered external requests for payload units and testing time
- Possibility to use the SpaceRadMon for predictive maintenance
- RM and EQM will hopefully be showcased in the Science Gateway
- FM will fly for centuries...

CERN tech in space: the first CERN-driven satellite has been successfully launched

With the launch of the CELESTA satellite for radiation monitoring in space, CERN shows its expertise in the field of radiation effects on electronics

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Environmental Applications - Strategy

RENEWABLE AND LOW-CARBON ENERGY

Production
Transformation
Distribution
Storage



CLEAN TRANSPORTATION AND FUTURE MOBILITY

Aviation
Shipping
Rail
Automotive



CERN KNOWHOW

Superconductivity
High Field Magnets
High Vacuum
Cryogenics
Materials
Artificial Intelligence
Advanced Sensors
Rad-Tol Systems
Thermal Control
Radioprotection
...

SUSTAINABILITY AND GREEN SCIENCE

Power Management
Heat Management
Industrial Processes



CLIMATE CHANGE AND POLLUTION CONTROL

Monitoring
Modelling
Mitigation



Environmental Applications - Examples



RENEWABLE AND LOW-CARBON ENERGY

Agreement with **GTT** to support the design of large cryostats for the maritime transportation of liquid hydrogen



CLEAN TRANSPORTATION AND FUTURE MOBILITY

Partnership with **Airbus** to assess SC power distribution options for future electric/hybrid airplanes using liquid hydrogen



CLIMATE CHANGE AND POLLUTION CONTROL

Collaboration with **ESA** Phi-lab to develop AI algorithms to analyse Earth Observation space images for climate monitoring



SUSTAINABILITY AND GREEN SCIENCE

Project with **ABB** to improve energy efficiency of CERN cooling and ventilation with smart sensors and digital twins



Environmental Applications

CIPEA Call for ideas 2022



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Promising start for future environmental applications of CERN technologies

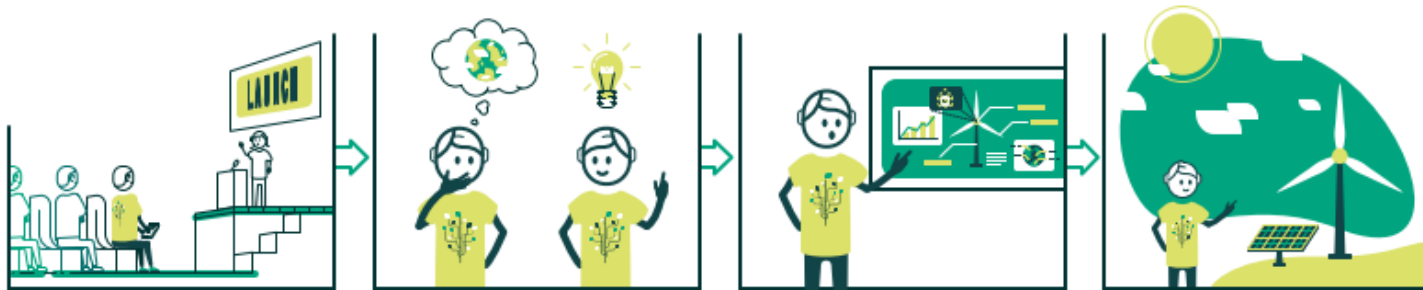
On 27 June, the CIPEA Innovation Day welcomed 15 innovative project proposals reflecting the CERN community's commitment to tackling environmental challenges

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The CIPEA Innovation Day brought together experts from all CERN technical departments. (Image: CERN)

CIPEA call for idea concept



LAUNCH

Find out how to take part

IDEATION

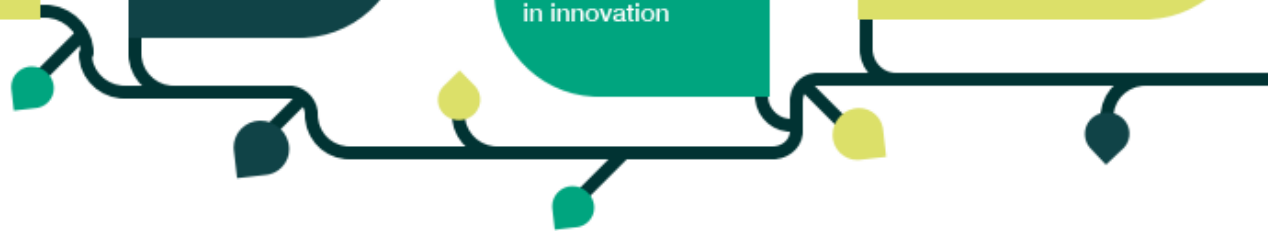
Imagine how your work can help the environment

PITCHING

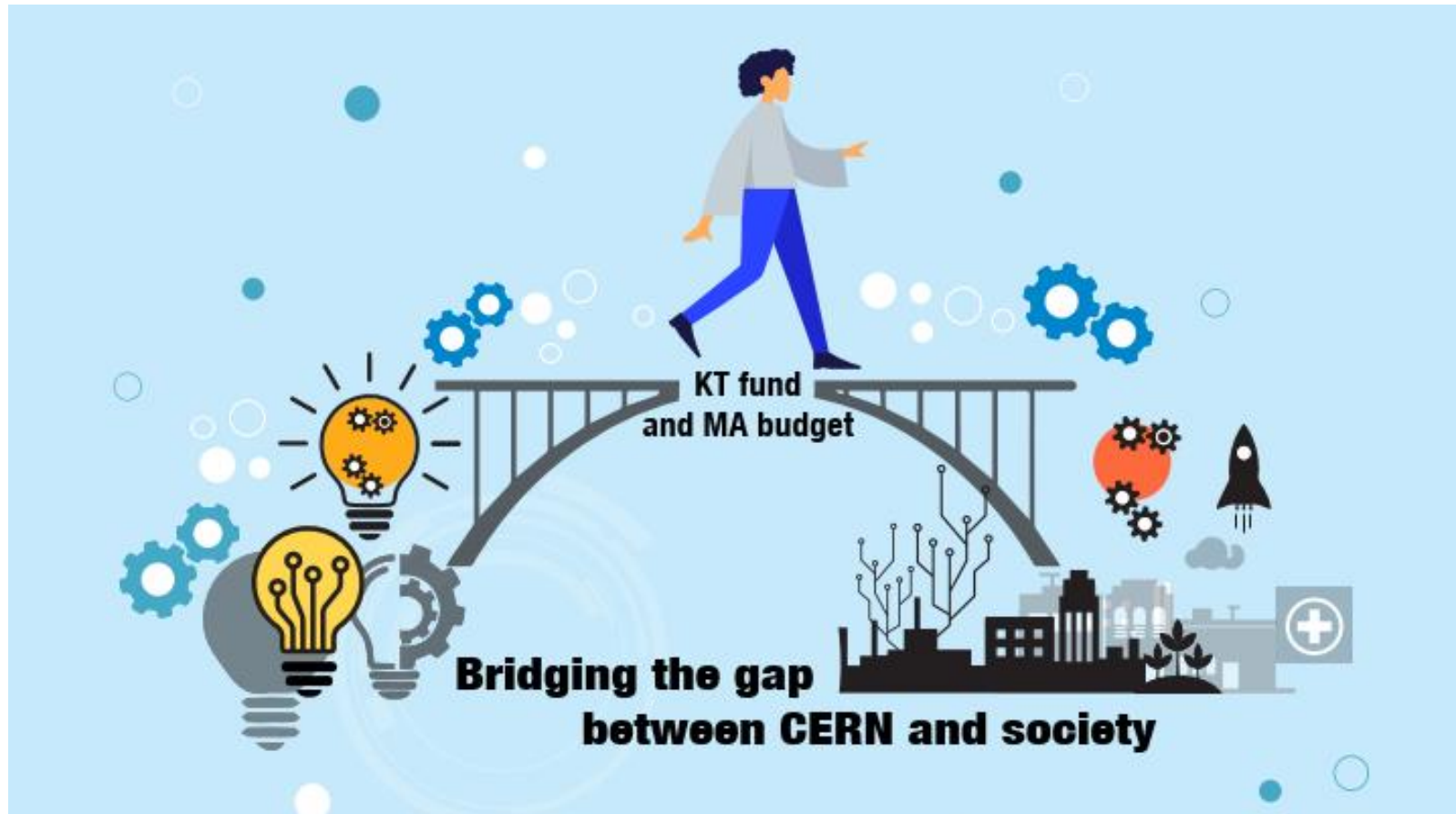
Present your idea to the CERN Management and experts in innovation

IMPLEMENTATION

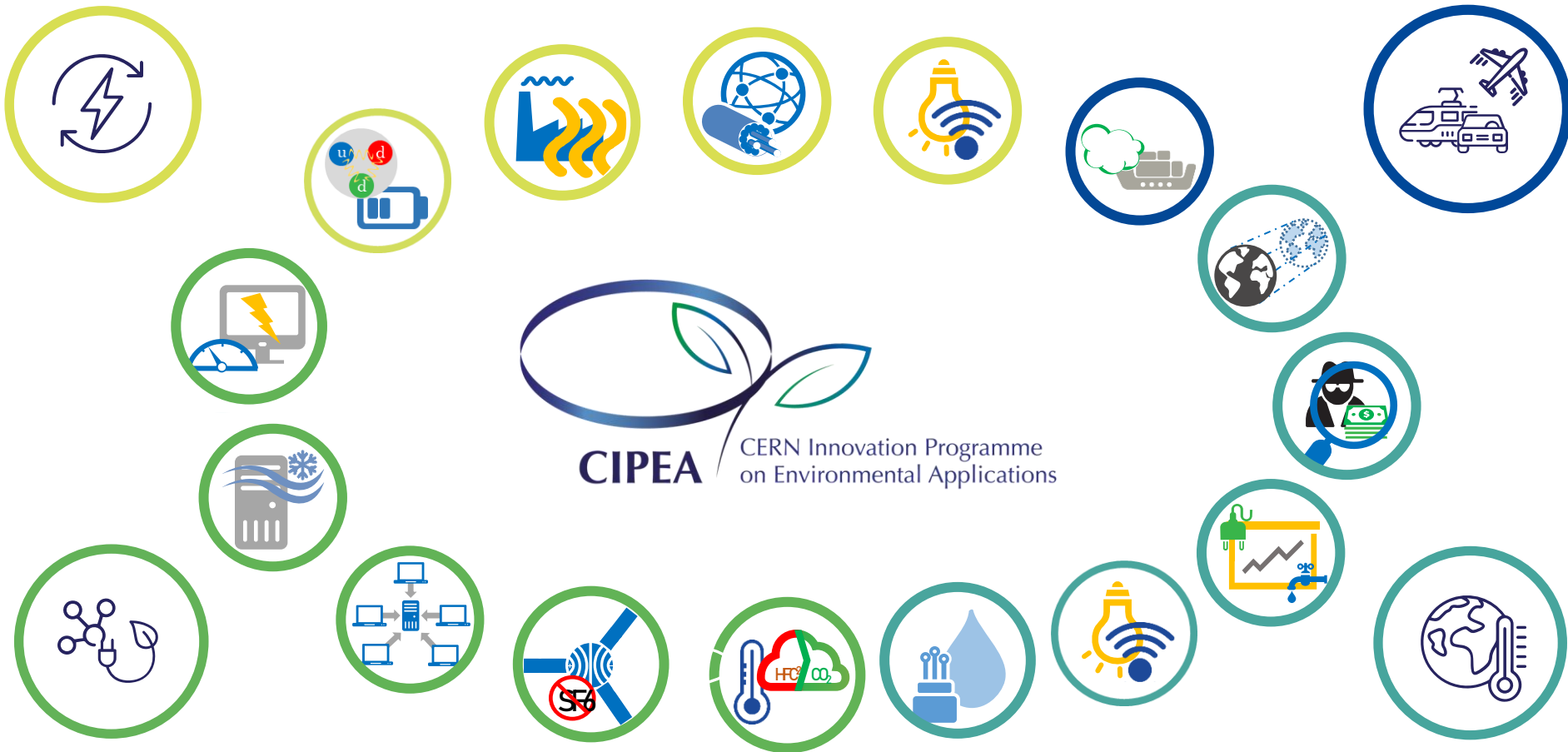
Get support and build a project around your idea



CIPEA MEETS KT FUND



CIPEA submitted proposals



~30 ideas discussed → 15 proposals received → 10 KT Fund requests submitted → 6 CIPEA proposals funded

Injection locked magnetrons for particle accelerators and industrial dielectric heating

SolidWatts



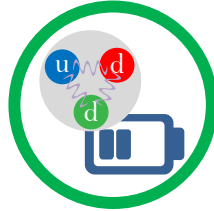
Aim: Demonstrate the injection locking of a single magnetron and the combination of power of multiple, injection-locked magnetrons at 2.45GHz and a few kilowatts of CW RF power for application in the industrial heating industry



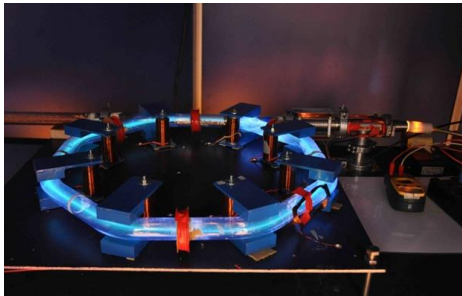
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Compact Material Analysis for Batteries & Fast Fuel Cell Development



Aim: Develop a compact pulsed neutron facility, suitable for implementation in an industrial environment, and optimized for in-situ analysis of battery and fuel cell electrodes



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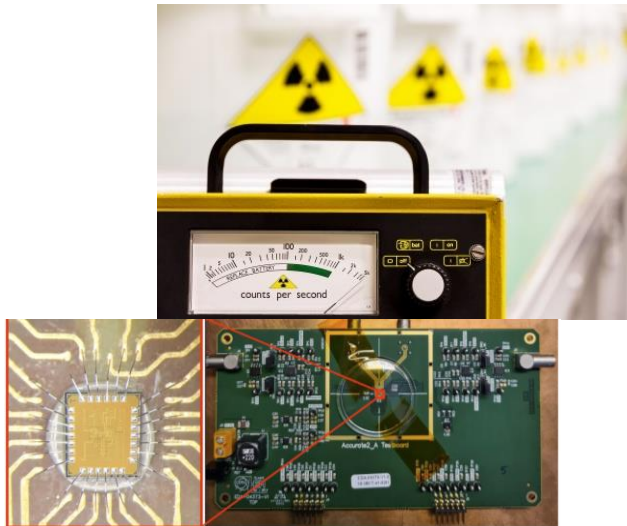


ALPHA - ACCURATE Lightbox for Photovoltaic Harvesting Analysis

lightricity



Aim: Development of a characterisation tool for indoor-light harvesting photovoltaic cells with the help of the ACCURATE chip



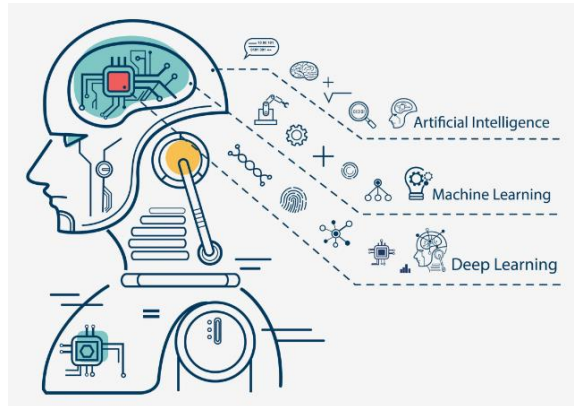
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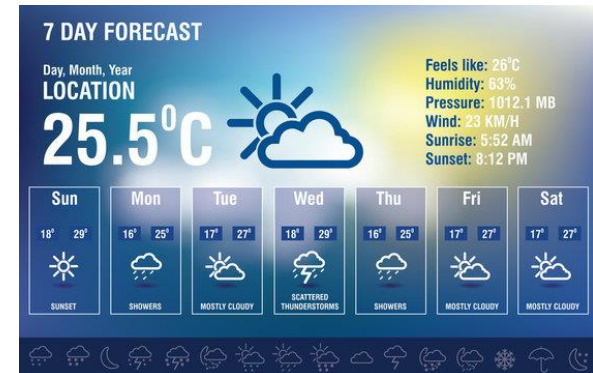
EMP2: Environmental Modelling and Prediction Platform



Aim: Develop a proof of concept for an observation-based machine learning digital twin of the dynamics of the atmosphere for environmental applications that encapsulates spatio-temporal interactions for forecasting and monitoring of (extreme) weather events.



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SF6-free S-band circulator for photo injectors

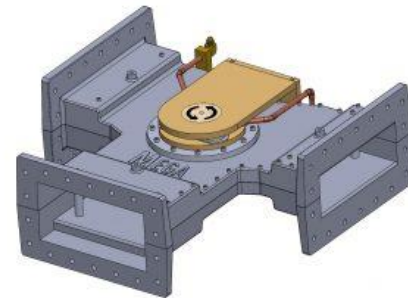
AFT MICROWAVE



Aim: Develop a vacuum-compatible high-power waveguide circulator operable without SF6 (highly harmful greenhouse gas).



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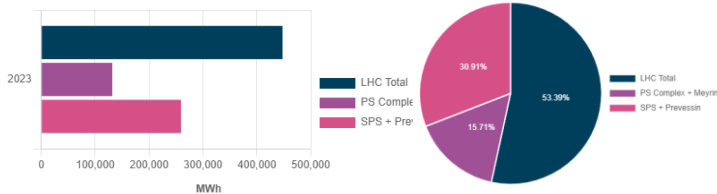


Web Energy: Energy, water and gas monitoring and forecasting platform

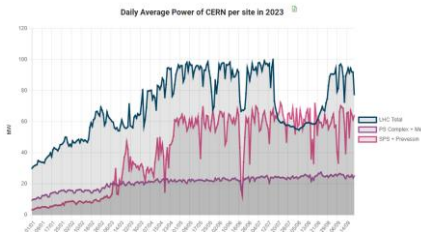


Aim: Further development of the web-based front end for energy management tool Web Energy to enable application outside of CERN

Energy Consumption of CERN per site in 2023 Energy Consumption of CERN per site in 2023



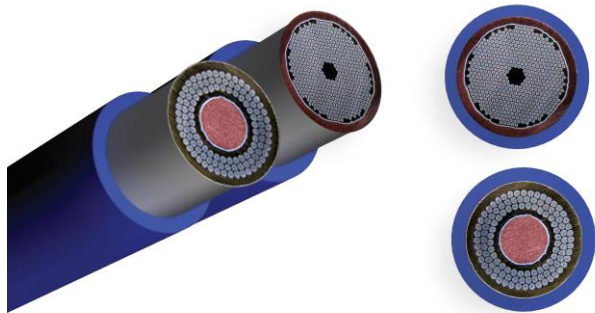
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IVAC-RED: Insulation Vacuum of SC Cables for Renewable Energy Distribution



Aim: Design of a cryostat that allows an optimized operation of company's superconducting power links

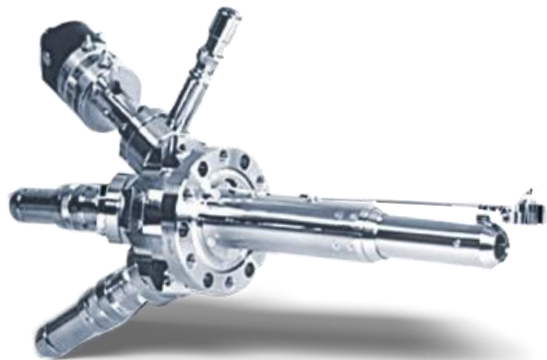


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UTMOST CLEEN: Development of membranes for ships EBFGT

Aim: Develop a compact and durable Electron Beam Flue Gas Treatment (EBFGT) technology (beam window) for the maritime industry to remove pollutants (particularly NOX) by converting and filtering out harmful by-products before exhaust gas is released



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Thank you!

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