

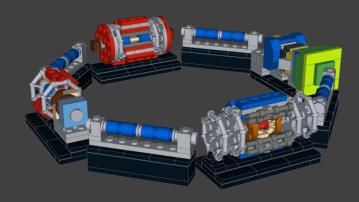




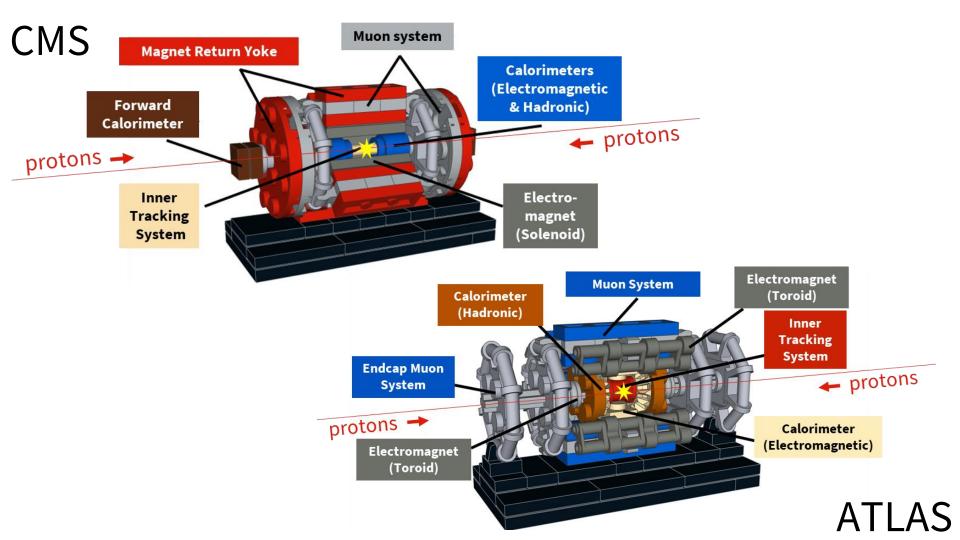
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LEGO Detectors & The Power of Air

Build your own particle detector

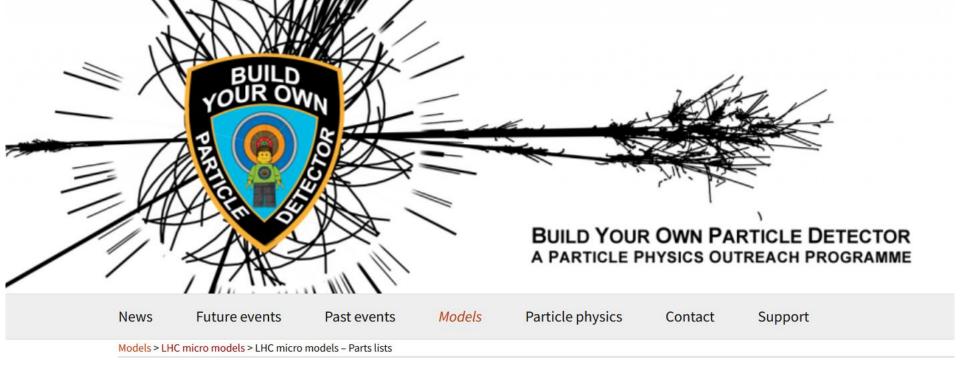






Time for a quiz! Which detector system is doing what?

Electromagnet	Control the magnetic field & support the detector
Magnet Return Yoke	Bend the path of electrically charged particles
Inner Tracking System	Detect muons
Calorimeters	☐ Track the paths of electrically charged particles
Muon system	Measure the energy of particles



LHC micro models – Parts lists

Be social

ATLAS CMS LHCb

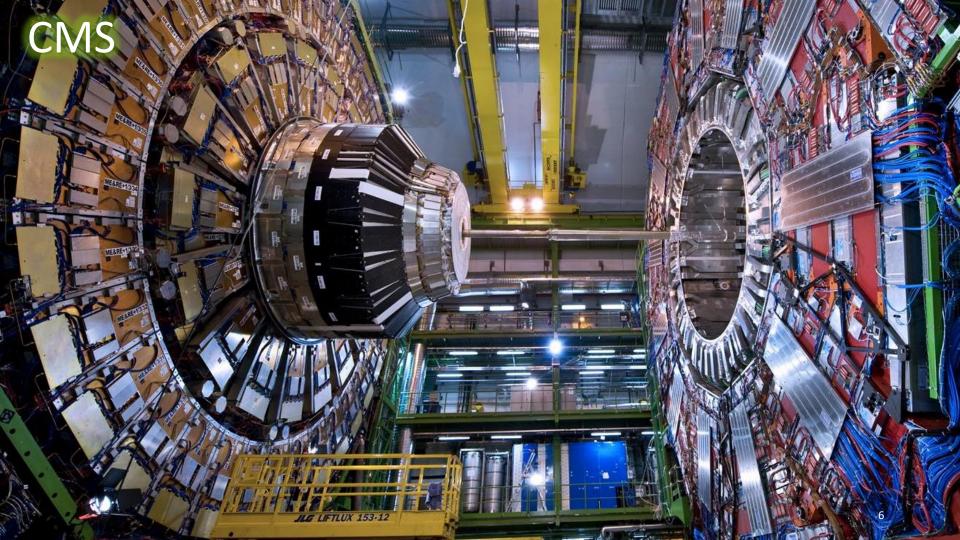
LHC dipole

all four experiments

full set

control room

https://build-your-own-particle-detector.org/models/lhc-micro-models/lhc-micro-models-parts-lists/





The Power of Air



- 1 ballon and 1 hovercraft per person (no exchanges)
- Try out your hovercraft on different surfaces
- Compare with your neighbours
- Work together in teams of 2 to move your detectors



DIY Balloon Hovercraft

- A smooth surface
- A CD or DVD
- Super glue
- A sports bottle cap
- A cardboard tube
- A balloon

https://solvay-educationprogramme.web.cern.ch/balloon-hovercraftcms-particle-detector











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