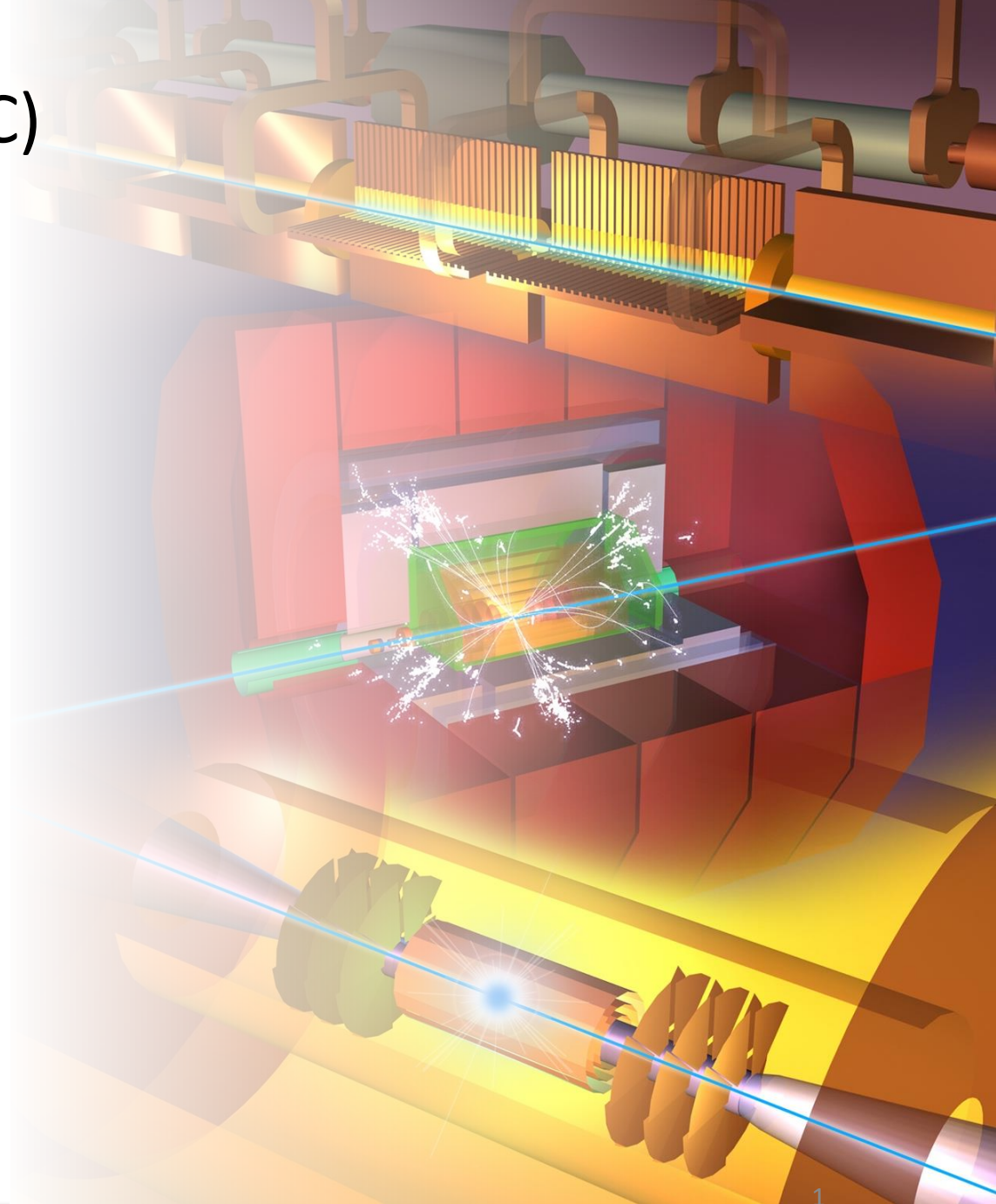




# The Compact Linear Collider (CLIC)

- Most recent status in Snowmass white paper (March 22) : <https://arxiv.org/abs/2203.09186>
- More details in Project Implementation Plan documents for the European Strategy Update 2018-19.
- Focus on ESPP update ~2026



# Status reports and studies

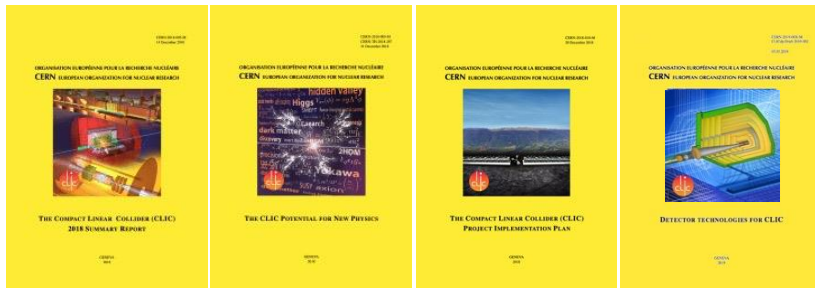
Two formal submissions to the ESPPU 2018

3-volume CDR 2012

Updated Staging Baseline 2016



4 CERN Yellow Reports 2018



Details about the accelerator, detector R&D, physics studies for Higgs/top and BSM

Available at:

[clic.cern/european-strategy](https://clic.cern/european-strategy)



Several Lols have been submitted on behalf of CLIC and CLICdp to the Snowmass process:

- The CLIC accelerator study: [Link](#)
- Beam-dynamics focused on very high energies: [Link](#)
- The physics potential: [Link](#)
- The detector: [Link](#)

Snowmass white paper:

<https://arxiv.org/abs/2203.09186>

Broadly speaking: “Updated accelerator part of 2018 Summary Report”

The CLIC project

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Abstract

The Compact Linear Collider (CLIC) is a multi-TeV high-luminosity linear  $e^+e^-$  collider under development by the CLIC accelerator collaboration, hosted by CERN. The CLIC accelerator has been optimised for three energy stages at centre-of-mass energies 380 GeV, 1.5 TeV and 3 TeV [21]. CLIC uses a novel two-beam acceleration technique, with normal-conducting accelerating structures operating in the range of 20 MV/m to 100 MV/m. The report describes recent achievements in accelerator design, technology development, system tests and beam tests. Large-scale CLIC-specific beam tests have taken place, for example, at the CLIC Test Facility CTF3 at CERN [20], at the Accelerator Test Facility ATF2 at KEK [25, 27], at the FACET facility at SLAC [26] and at the FERMI facility in Trieste [26]. Crucial experience also emanates from the expanding field of Free Electron Laser (FEL) lines and recent-generation light sources. Together, they demonstrate that all implications of the CLIC design parameters are well understood and reproducible in beam tests and prove that the CLIC performance goals are realistic. An alternative CLIC scenario for the first stage, where the accelerating structures are powered by X-band klystrons, is also under study. The implementation of CLIC near CERN has been investigated. Focusing on a staged approach starting at 380 GeV, this includes civil engineering aspects, electrical networks, cooling and ventilation, installation scheduling, transport, and safety aspects. All CLIC studies have put emphasis on optimising cost and energy efficiency, and the resulting power and cost estimates are reported. The report follows very closely the accelerator project description in the CLIC Summary Report for the European Particle Physics Strategy update 2018-19 [22]. Detailed studies of the physics potential and detector for CLIC, and R&D on detector technologies, have been carried out by the CLIC detector and physics (CLICdp) collaboration. CLIC provides excellent sensitivity to Beyond Standard Model physics, through direct searches and via a broad set of precision measurements of Standard Model processes, particularly in the Higgs and top-quark sectors. The physics potential at the three energy stages has been explored in detail [2, 3, 17] and presented in submissions to the European Strategy Update process.

Submitted to the Proceedings of the US Community Study on the Future of Particle Physics (Snowmass 2021)

<sup>1</sup>Compiled and edited by the CLIC Accelerator Steering Group on behalf of the CLIC Accelerator Collaboration, corresponding author: [stagnone@cern.ch](mailto:stagnone@cern.ch)

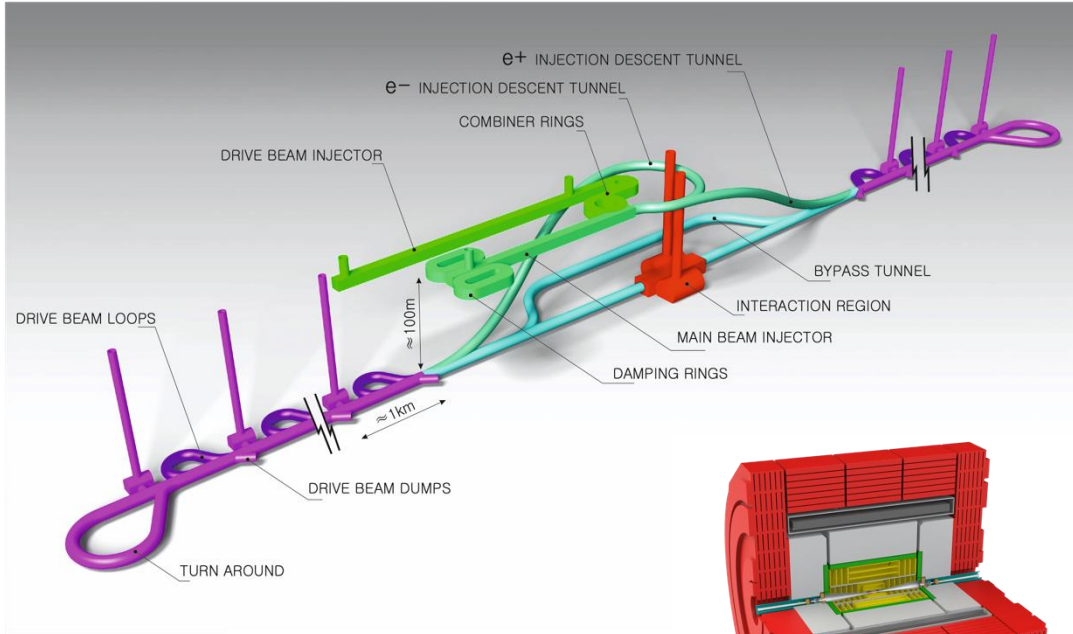
# Readiness Report around ~2025-26

Update wrt Project Implementation Plan document 2018

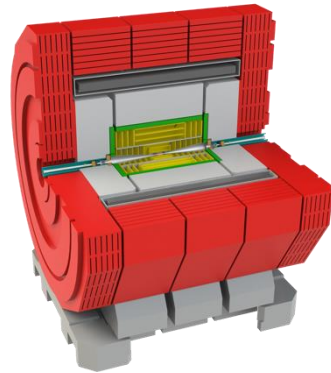
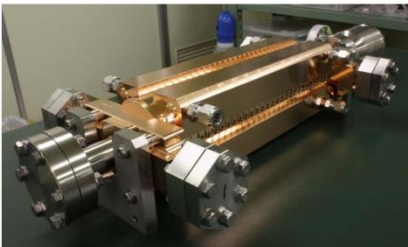
Key updates:

- Luminosity numbers, covering beam-dynamics, nanobeam studies and hardware, and positron production - at all energies
  - Risk reduction (wrt performance), bumps, redundancies
- Energy/power/sustainability: 380 well underway, 3 TeV to be done, L-band klystrons
- Sustainability issues, more work on running/energy models, carbon (construction/operation/disassembly)
- X-band progress – for CLIC, smaller machines, industry availability, including RF network
- RF design optimization/development – including injectors, R&D for higher energies, gradient (cool/HTS/etc.), power, beam parameters - links to plasma (if it can be made)
- Cost update. Changes wrt to 2018, plus impact of going green.
- Physics “update”, use for “diversity” types of physics, LDM etc.
- Low cost/power klystron version, with fewer klystrons, 250 GeV

# The Compact Linear Collider (CLIC)



*Accelerating structure prototype for CLIC: 12 GHz ( $L \sim 25$  cm)*

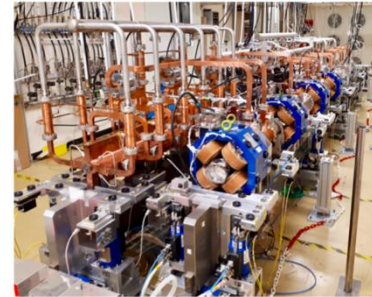
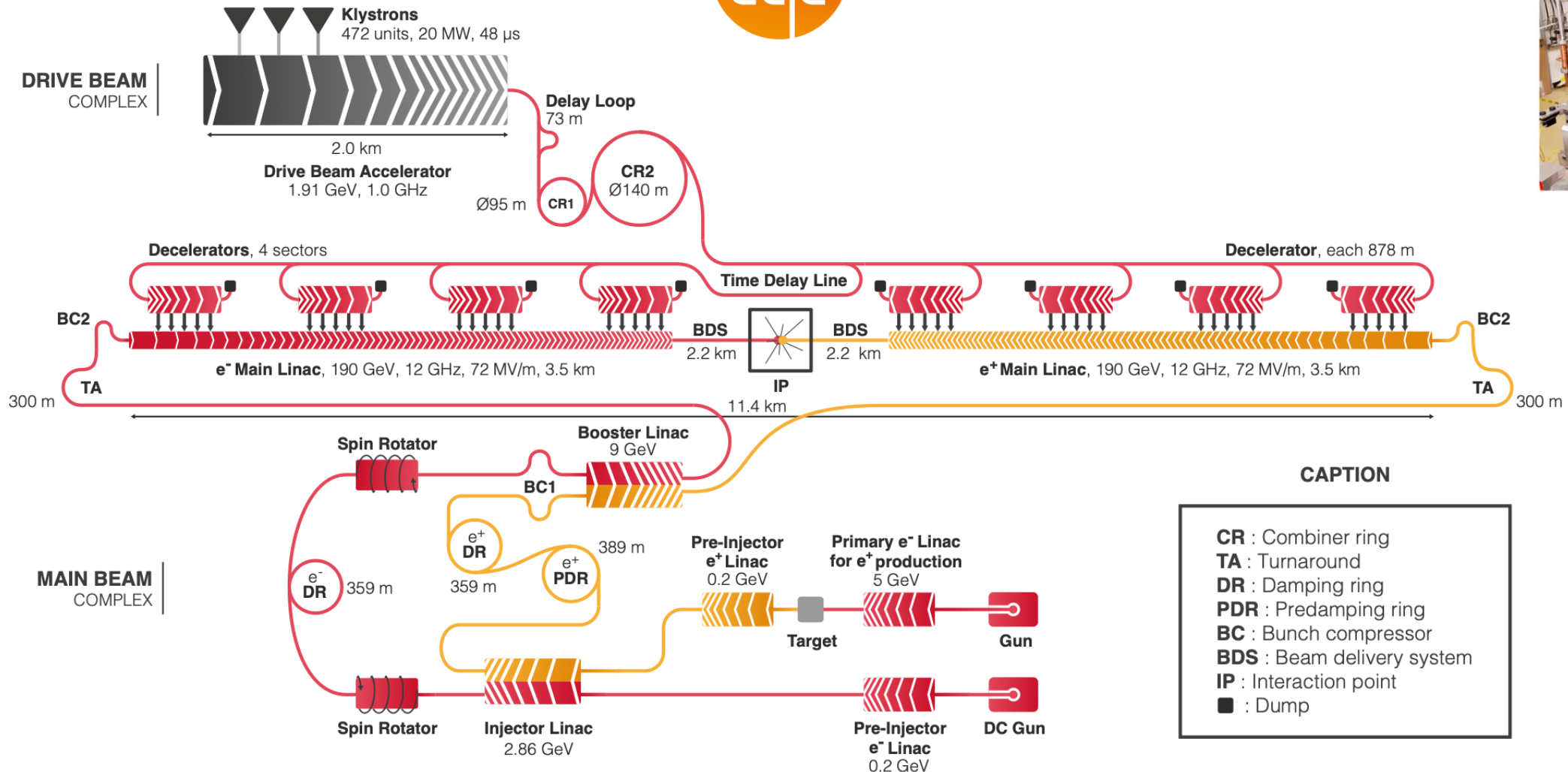


- **Timeline:** Electron-positron linear collider at CERN for the era beyond HL-LHC
- **Compact:** Novel and unique two-beam accelerating technique with high-gradient room temperature RF cavities ( $\sim 20'500$  structures at 380 GeV),  $\sim 11$  km in its initial phase
- **Expandable:** Staged programme with collision energies from 380 GeV (Higgs/top) up to 3 TeV (Energy Frontier)
- CDR in 2012 with focus on 3 TeV. Updated project overview documents in 2018 (Project Implementation Plan) with focus 380 GeV for Higgs and top.
- **Cost:** 5.9 BCHF for 380 GeV
- **Power/Energy:** 110 MW at 380 GeV ( $\sim 0.6$  TWh annually), corresponding to 50% of CERN's energy consumption today
- Comprehensive **Detector and Physics** studies

# Accelerator layout

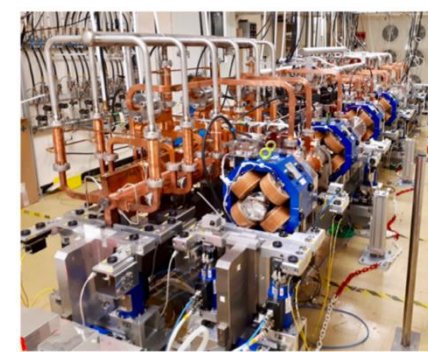
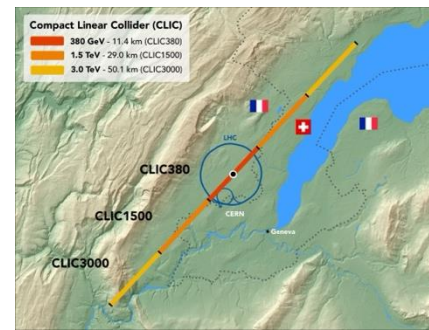


1. Drive beam accelerated to  $\sim 2$  GeV using conventional klystrons
2. Intensity increased using a series of delay loops and combiner rings
3. Drive beam decelerated and produces high-RF
4. Feed high-RF to the less intense main beam using waveguides



380 GeV

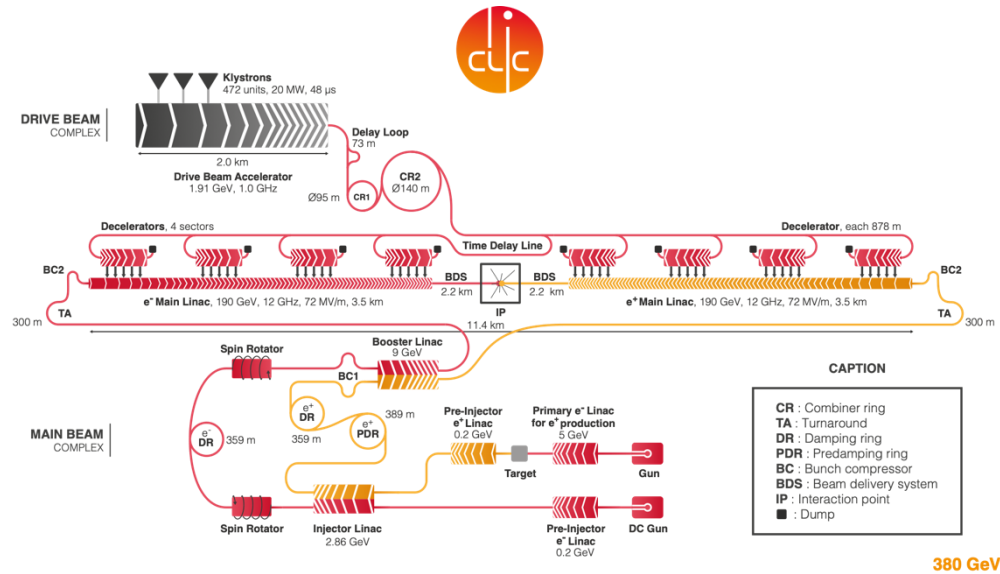
# CLIC can easily be extended into the multi-TeV region



What are the critical elements:

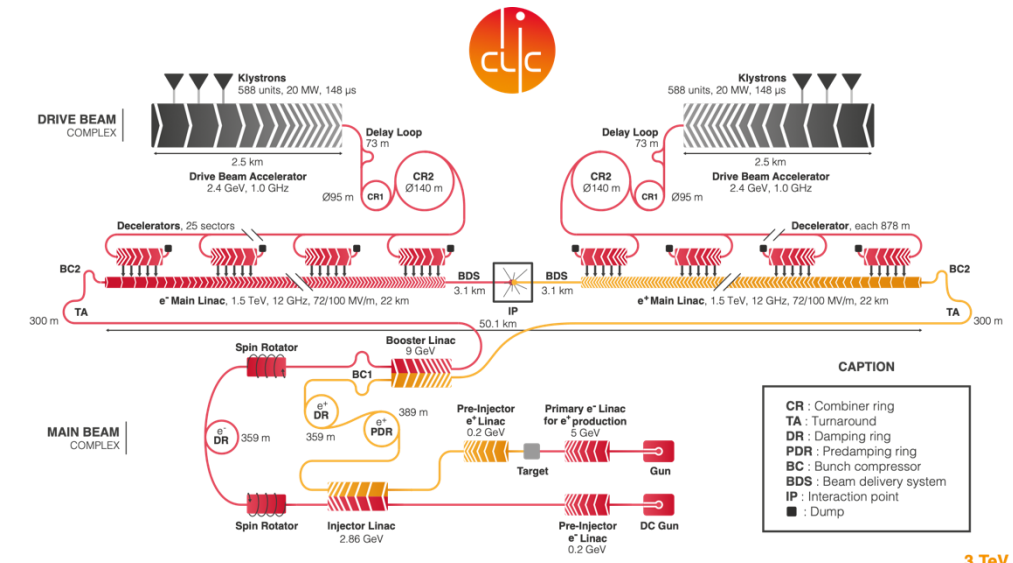
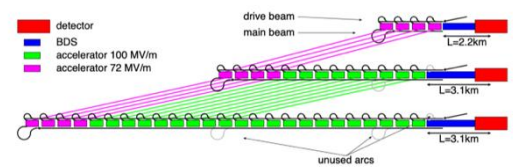
- Physics
- Gradient and power efficiency
- Costs

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**CAPTION**

CR : Combiner ring  
 TA : Turnaround  
 DR : Damping ring  
 PDR : Predamping ring  
 BC : Bunch compressor  
 BDS : Beam delivery system  
 IP : Interaction point  
 ■ : Dump



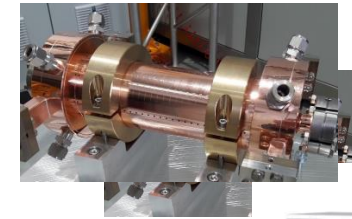
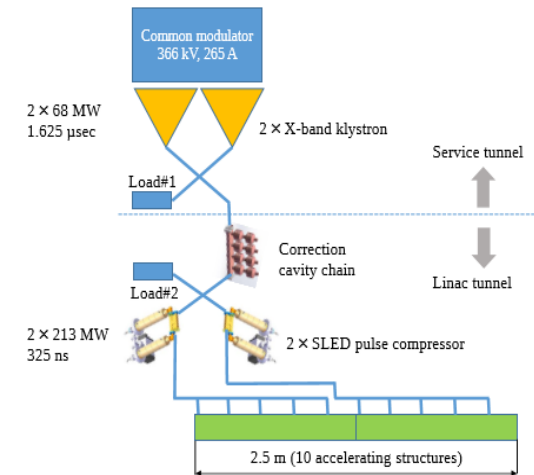
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Extend by extending main linacs, increase drivebeam pulse-length and power, and a second drivebeam to get to 3 TeV

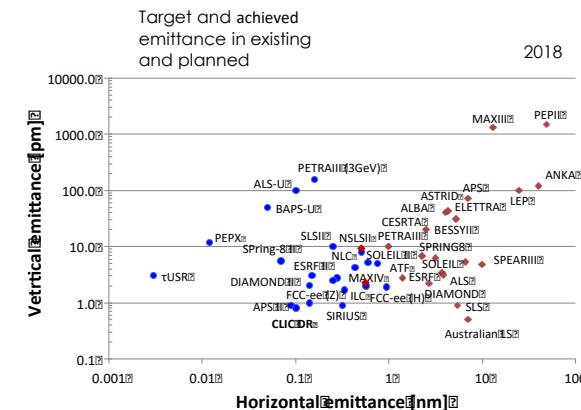
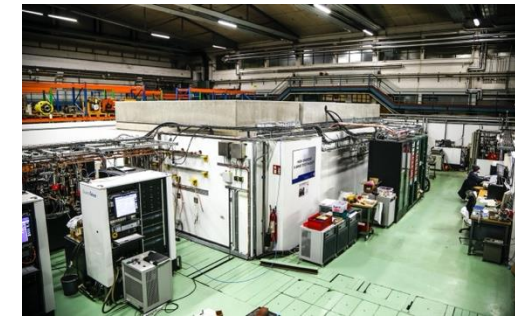
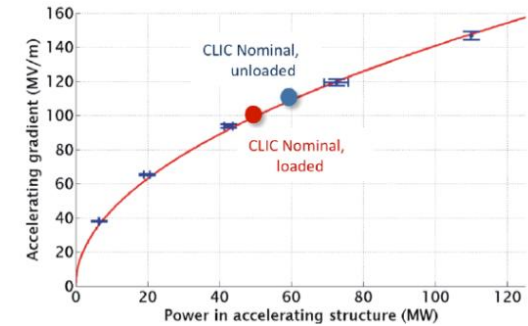
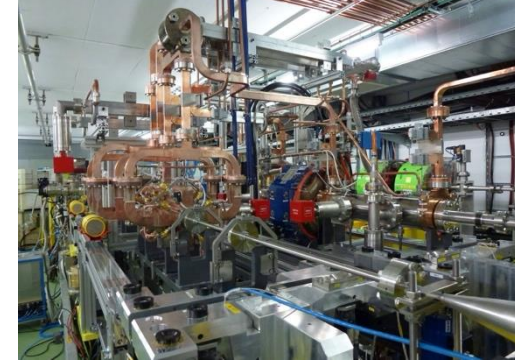
# CLIC 380 GeV with X-band klystrons

- Design made, many parts prototyped and available (and used in the smaller linacs mentioned on pages 9-10)
- Need larger tunnel for klystron gallery (CE study also made for this option)
- Also in this case the upgrades would require a drivebeam
- Challenges: number of klystrons a factor 10 higher than in drive-beam version (~5500), lifetime a concern, costs (RF costs per 2m module approaching 1 MCHF)
- Redesign to reduce the klystron challenge – fewer, current design not optimized since 2018 ?



# Accelerator challenges/technologies

- CLIC baseline – a drive-beam based machine with an initial stage at 380 GeV
- Four main challenges
  1. High-current **drive beam** bunched at 12 GHz
  2. Power transfer and main-beam acceleration, **efficient RF power**
  3. Towards 100 MV/m gradient in main-beam **X-band cavities**
  4. Alignment and stability (“**nano-beams**”)
- The CTF3 (CLIC Test Facility at CERN) programme addressed all drive-beam production issues
- Other critical technical systems (alignment, damping rings, beam delivery, etc.) addressed via design and/or test-facility demonstrations
- X-band technology developed and verified with prototyping, test-stands, and use in smaller systems and linacs
- Two C-band XFELS (SACLA and SwissFEL – the latter particularly relevant) now operational: large-scale demonstrations of normal-conducting, high-frequency, low-emittance linacs





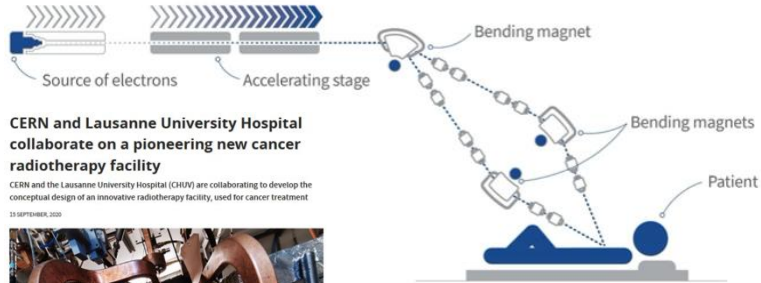


# On-going CLIC studies towards next ESPP update

Project Readiness Report as a step toward a TDR

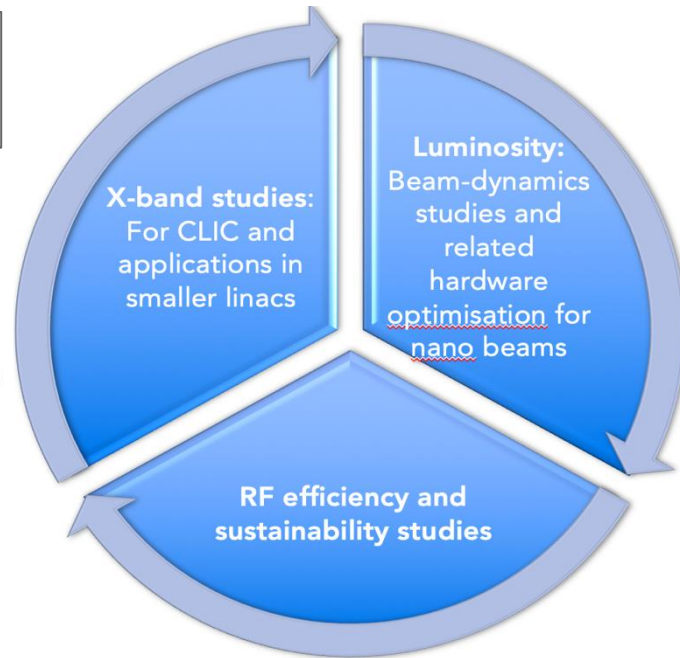
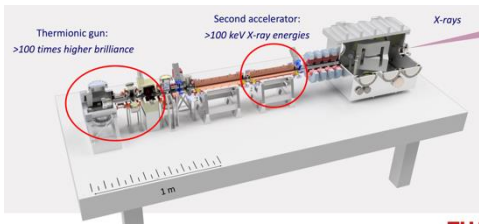
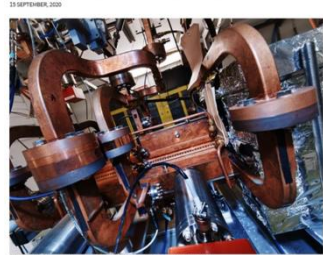
Assuming ESPP in ~ 2026, Project Approval ~ 2028, Project (tunnel) construction can start in ~ 2030.

The X-band technology readiness for the 380 GeV CLIC initial phase - more and more driven by use in small compact accelerators.



CERN and Lausanne University Hospital collaborate on a pioneering new cancer radiotherapy facility

CERN and the Lausanne University Hospital (CHUV) are collaborating to develop the conceptual design of an innovative radiotherapy facility, used for cancer treatment



Optimizing the luminosity at 380 GeV – already implemented for Snowmass paper, further work to provide margins will continue.

Luminosity margins and increases:

- Initial estimates of static and dynamic degradations from damping ring to IP gave:  $1.5 \times 10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$
- Simulations taking into account static and dynamic effects with corrective algorithms give 2.8 on average, and 90% of the machines above  $2.3 \times 10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$  (this is the value currently used)

Common LC studies in ATF3 part of this, and also on positron, sources, DRs and beam-dynamics.

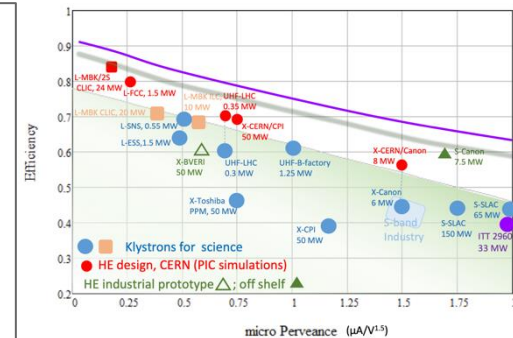
Improving the power efficiency for both the initial phase and at high energies, including more general sustainability studies

Power estimate bottom up (concentrating on 380 GeV systems)

- Very large reductions since the CDR, better estimates of nominal settings, much more optimised drivebeam complex and more efficient klystrons, injectors more optimized, main target damping ring RF significantly reduced, recent L-band klystron studies

Energy consumption ~0.6 TWh yearly, CERN is currently (when running at 1.2 TWh.

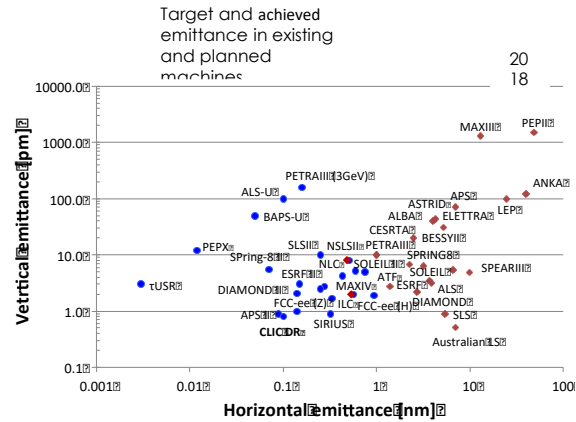
More work needed on LCA (carbon and other issues).



# CLIC parameters

**Table 1.1:** Key parameters of the CLIC energy stages.

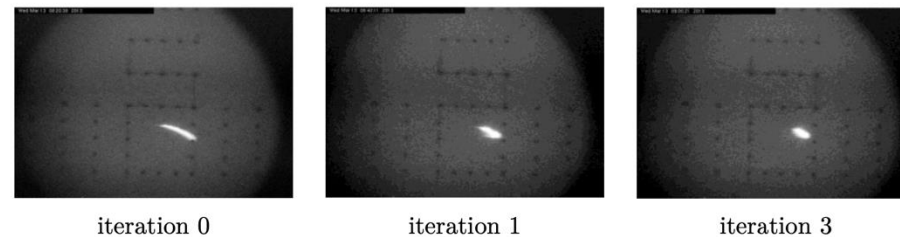
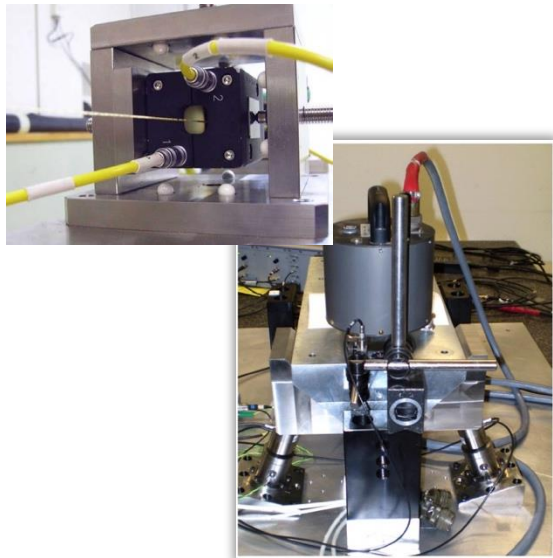
Parameter	Unit	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3
Centre-of-mass energy	GeV	380	1500	3000
Repetition frequency	Hz	50	50	50
Nb. of bunches per train		352	312	312
Bunch separation	ns	0.5	0.5	0.5
Pulse length	ns	244	244	244
Accelerating gradient	MV/m	72	72/100	72/100
Total luminosity	$1 \times 10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$	2.3	3.7	5.9
Lum. above 99 % of $\sqrt{s}$	$1 \times 10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$	1.3	1.4	2
Total int. lum. per year	$\text{fb}^{-1}$	276	444	708
Main linac tunnel length	km	11.4	29.0	50.1
Nb. of particles per bunch	$1 \times 10^9$	5.2	3.7	3.7
Bunch length	$\mu\text{m}$	70	44	44
IP beam size	nm	149/2.0	$\sim 60/1.5$	$\sim 40/1$
Final RMS energy spread	%	0.35	0.35	0.35
Crossing angle (at IP)	mrad	16.5	20	20



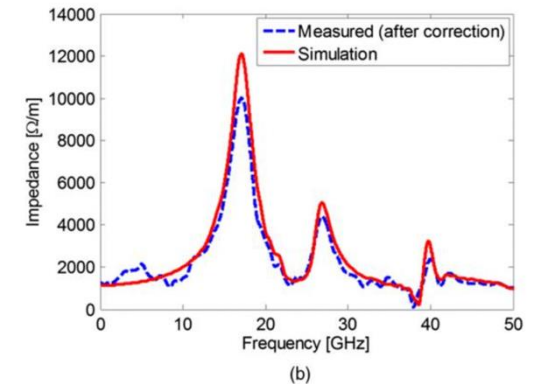
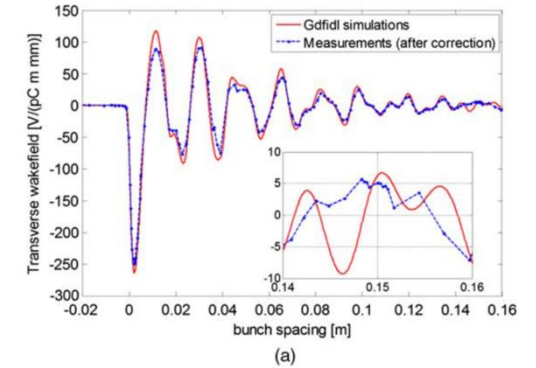
## Low emittance damping rings

### Preserve by

- Align components (10  $\mu\text{m}$  over 200 m)
- Control/damp vibrations (from ground to accelerator)
- Beam based measurements
  - allow to steer beam and optimize positions
- Algorithms for measurements, beam and component optimization, feedbacks
- Experimental tests in existing accelerators of equipment and algorithms (FACET at Stanford, ATF2 at KEK, CTF3, Light-sources)



**Figure 8.10:** Phosphorous beam profile monitor measurements at the end of the FACET linac, before the dispersion correction, after one iteration step, and after three iteration steps. Iteration zero is before the correction.

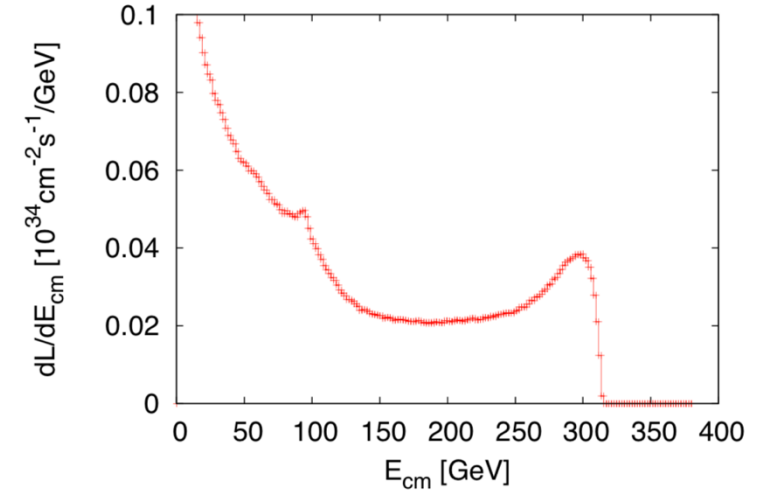


Wake-field measurements in FACET

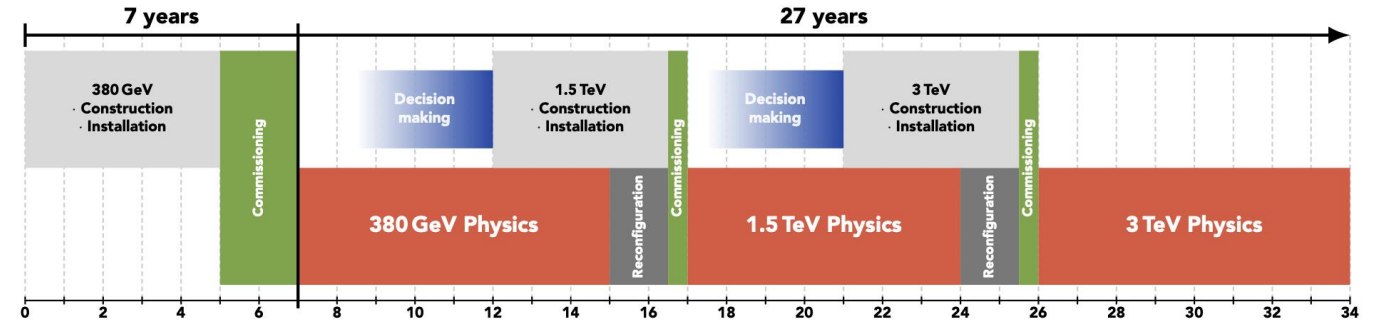
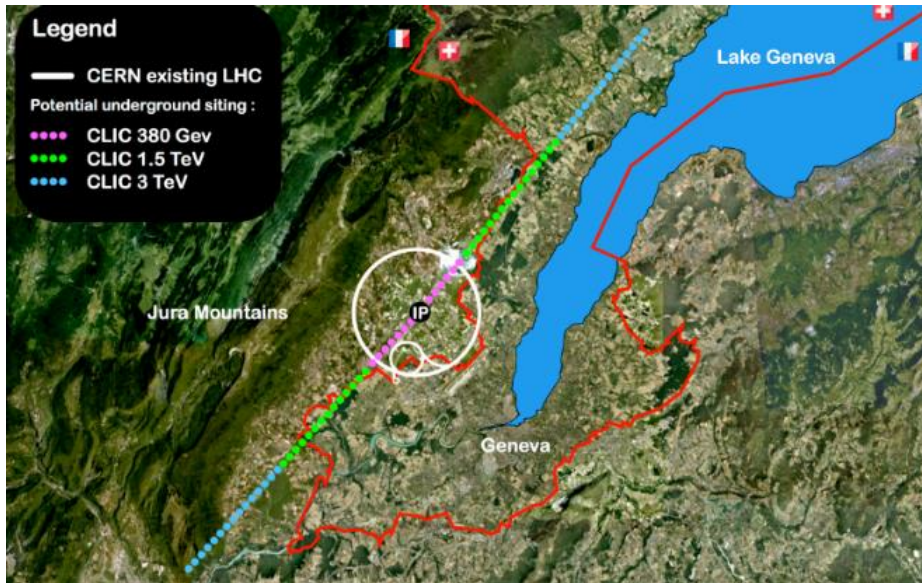
(a) Wakefield plots compared with numerical simulations.

(b) Spectrum of measured data versus numerical simulation.

- Luminosity margins and increases
  - Initial estimates of static and dynamic degradations from damping ring to IP gave:  $1.5 \times 10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$
  - Simulations give 2.8 on average, and 90% of the machines above  $2.3 \times 10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$
  - A “perfect” machine will give :  $4.3 \times 10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$
  - In addition: doubling the frequency (50 Hz to 100 Hz) would double the luminosity, at a cost of  $\sim 55\%$  and  $\sim 5\%$  power and cost increase
- Z pole performance,  $2.3 \times 10^{32} - 0.4 \times 10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$ 
  - The latter number when accelerator configured for Z running (e.g. early or end of first stage)
- Gamma – Gamma spectrum (example)

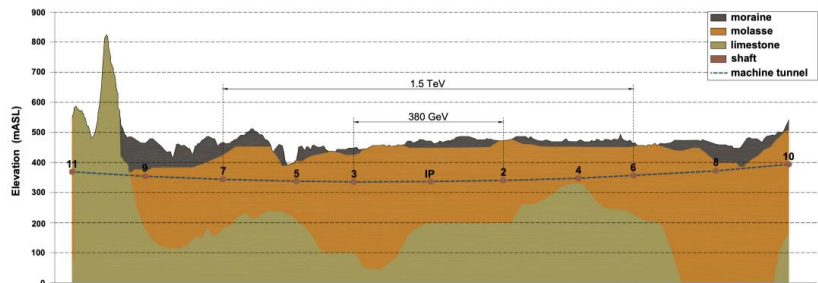


# CLIC CE, stages and schedules



Technology Driven Schedule from start of construction shown above.

A preparation phase of ~5 years is needed before (estimated resource need for this phase is ~4% of overall project costs)

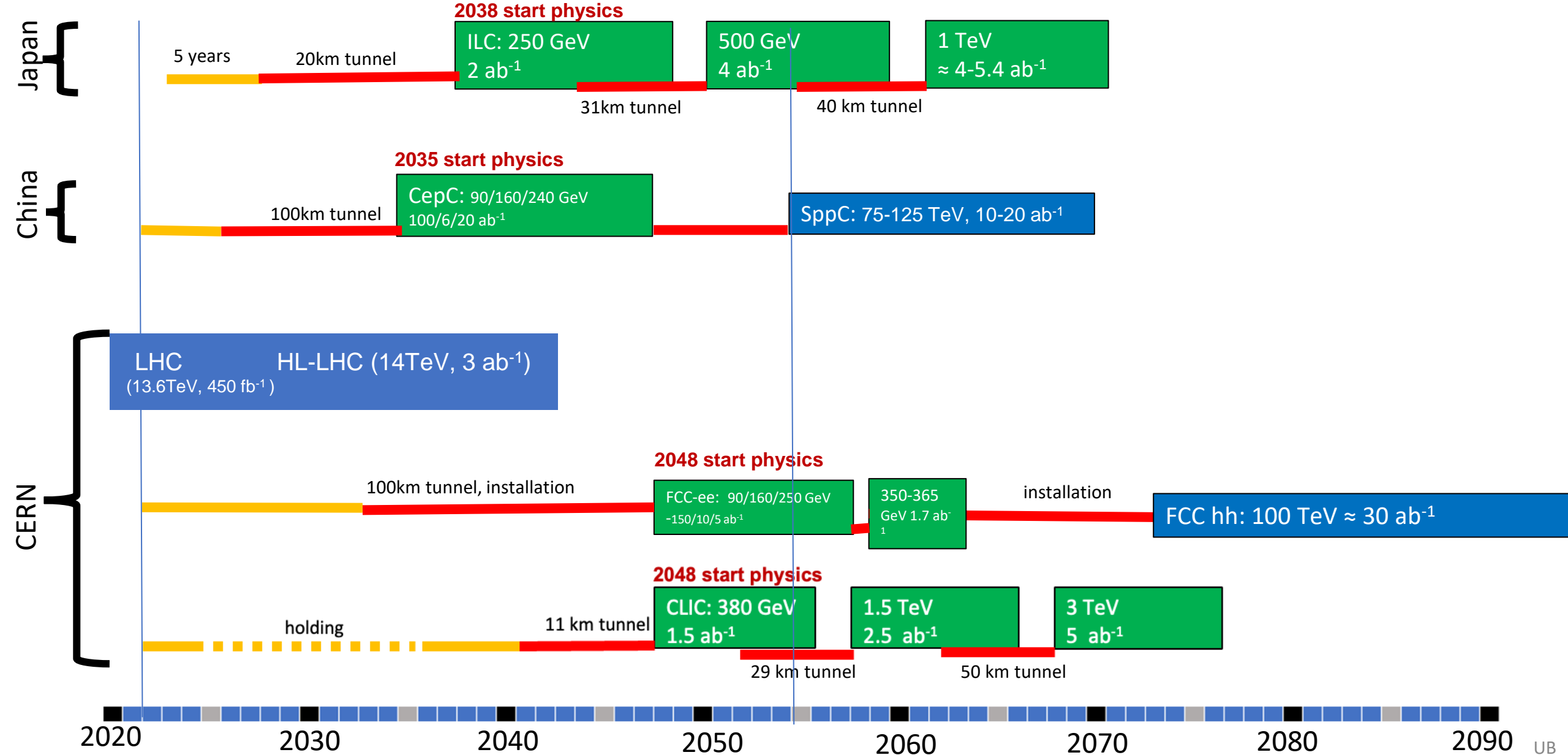


# Indicative scenarios of future colliders [considered by ESG]

- Proton collider
- Electron collider
- Muon collider

- Construction/Transformation
- Preparation / R&D

Original from ESG by UB  
 Updated July 25, 2022 by  
 M.Narain (Snowmass  
 summary)



# Proposed Strategy for CLIC cost review

## CLIC PIP 2018 – 380 GeV

Domain	Sub-Domain	Cost [MCHF]	
		Drive Beam	Klystron
<b>Main Beam Production</b>	<i>Injectors</i>	175	175
	<i>Damping Rings</i>	309	309
	<i>Beam Transport</i>	409	409
<b>Drive Beam Production</b>	<i>Injectors</i>	584	—
	<i>Frequency Multiplication</i>	379	—
	<i>Beam Transport</i>	76	—
<b>Main Linac Modules</b>	<i>Main Linac Modules</i>		
	<i>Post decelerators</i>	37	—
<b>Main Linac RF</b>	<i>Main Linac Xband RF</i>	—	2788
<b>Beam Delivery and Post Collision Lines</b>	<i>Beam Delivery Systems</i>	52	52
	<i>Final focus Exp. Area</i>	22	22
	<i>Post-collision lines/dumps</i>	47	47
<b>Civil Engineering</b>	<i>Civil Engineering</i>	1300	1479
<b>Infrastructure and Services</b>	<i>Electrical distribution</i>	243	243
	<i>Survey and Alignment</i>	194	147
	<i>Cooling and ventilation</i>	443	410
	<i>Transport / installation</i>	38	36
<b>Machine Control, Protection and Safety Systems</b>	<i>Safety system</i>	72	114
	<i>Machine Control Infrastructure</i>	146	131
	<i>Machine Protection</i>	14	8
	<i>Access Safety &amp; Control System</i>	23	23
<b>Total (rounded)</b>		5890	7290

## Review Areas that may produce a relevant impact on cost:

Civil Engineering  
 Injectors  
 Damping Rings  
 RF (Modulators + Klystrons)  
 Cooling and Ventilation  
 Additional Detector (push – pull)

Invest 0.3FTE in the development of a more user friendly Interface to the existing Costing Tool ?

First Draft of cost review due by June 2024 ?

## CE DB “Light” Review performed

Civil Engineering Works	Cost [EUR]		Cost [CHF]		Cost [CHF]
	2018 PIP Estimate	Inflated PIP Estimate	2018 PIP Estimate	Inflated PIP Estimate	Costing Tool
<i>Underground Structures</i>	667'689'418	767'425'257	754'489'042	748'316'368	804'881'315
<i>Surface Structures</i>	369'011'864	424'132'864	416'983'407	413'571'956	418'420'204
<i>Site Development</i>	34'383'126	39'519'092	38'852'933	38'535'067	59'196'914
<i>Temporary works</i>	2'398'476	2'756'747	2'710'277	2'688'104	2'848'189
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1'073'482'884</b>	<b>1'233'833'960</b>	<b>1'213'035'659</b>	<b>1'203'111'495</b>	<b>1'285'346'621</b>

In 2018 1 EUR = 1.13 CHF  
 2018 – 2023 CE index= + 15%  
 2018 – 2023 IPP index= + 2.9%  
 In 2023 1 EUR = 0.9751 CHF





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Session legend

Project planning - CLIC towards

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12:00

13:00

**CLIC project status and mini-week goals** *Steinar Stapnes*  
 CERN 13:30 - 13:55

14:00 **ILC status and plans** *Dr Benno List*  
 CERN 14:00 - 14:20

**HALHF plans** *Brian Foster*  
 CERN 14:25 - 14:45

15:00 **FCC-ee injector studies** *Alexej Grudiev*  
 CERN 14:50 - 15:10

**LC physics potential** *Aidan Robson*  
 CERN 15:15 - 15:35

**Coffee**  
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16:00 **Emittance tuning knobs for CLIC ML** *Andrii Pastushenko*  
 CERN 16:00 - 16:20

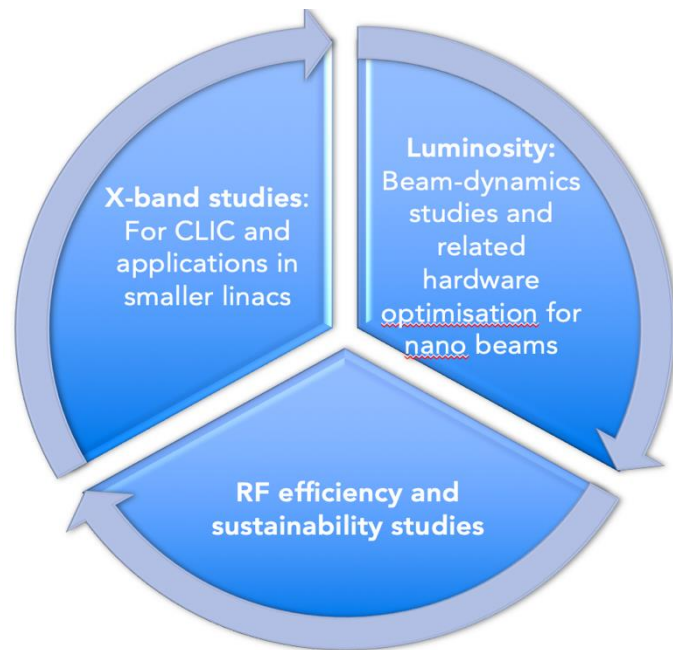
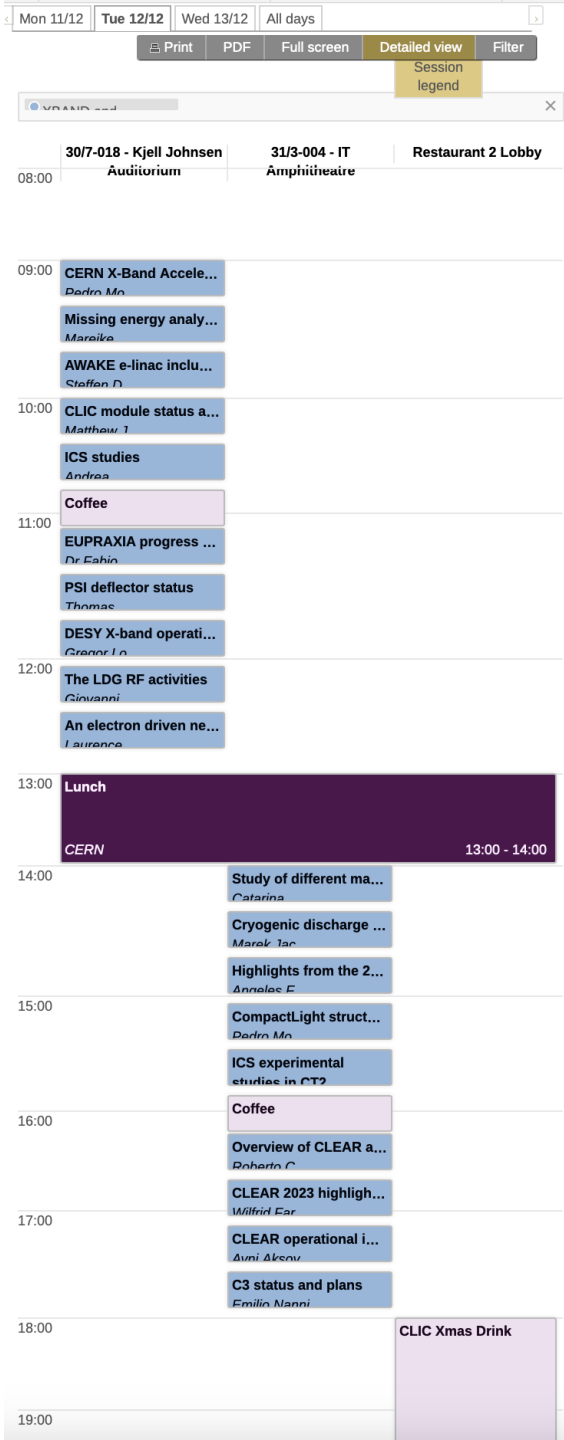
**Power estimats** *Alexej Grudiev*  
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17:00 **RTML optimisation** *Mr Yongke Zhao*  
 CERN 16:50 - 17:10

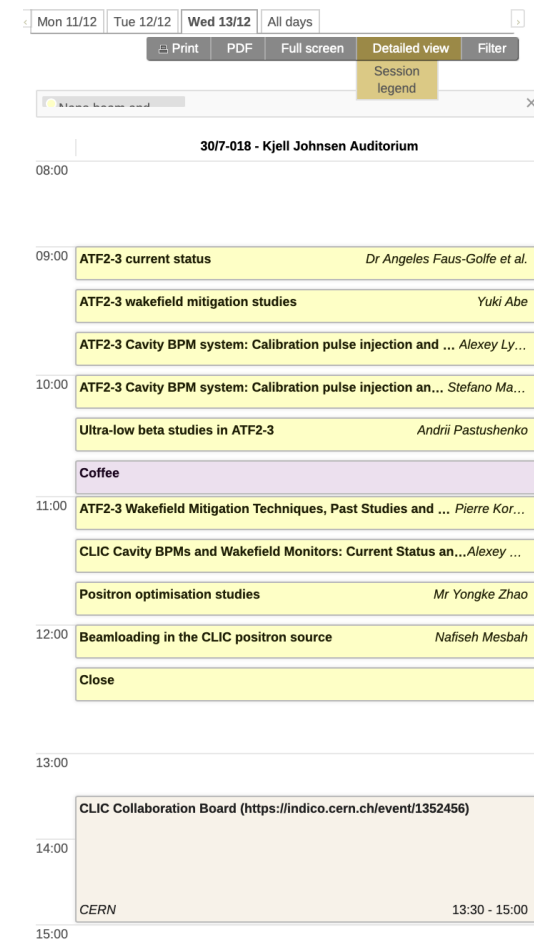
**Sustainability studies for LC - CLIC and ILC** *Steinar Stapnes*  
 CERN 17:15 - 17:35

**Highlights from the 2023 HGWS** *Walter Wuensch*  
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Power and Sustainability, see talks later





# Summary and thanks



- CLIC studies focused on core technologies, X-band and nanobeam, for next ESPP update well underway.
  - Many common studies with ILC – the traditional ones but also recently related to sustainability, also common interactions with C<sup>3</sup>
  - Keep focus on both 380 GeV and multi-TeV performance and R&D
- Greatly helped by studies of smaller linacs and systems using X-band technology – important for collaboration and industry capabilities
- Thanks to many CLIC accelerator colleagues for slides and input