

## Flavor Physics Symposium Celebrating BaBar's 30th Anniversary

**Going from Approval to 1st Physics in 6 years**

**Jonathan Dorfan**

# So How In Fact Did We Achieve “Going from Approval to 1st Physics in 6 years”?

□ In case you wish to skip this talk, here is the short answer

***DAMB, WE WERE GOOD.....***

**Or here is Dave Hitlins’s take.....**

- I think we all realize how remarkable the PEP-II and *BABAR* experience has been
  - We’ve produced important science that will have a lasting impact
  - We became, in short order, a focused international team that designed and built an innovative experiment (and a high luminosity asymmetric collider) in a remarkably short time

## Or Stew Smith 's take.....

- ❑ Looking back, it's hard to realize how complex and challenging BaBar was, and yet how quickly it advanced:
  - Just over 5 years from the formal beginning of the collaboration in December 1993 to logging first events in May 1999.
  - Perhaps even more amazing, BaBar was taking data < 5 years from the LOI, and only 4 years from approval of the TDR (> 600 pages).

Panofsky Priize Symposium for Jon and Dave

SLAC

January 13, 2016

## Or HEPAP's take....

### **The Path to Global Discovery: U.S. Leadership and Partnership in Particle Physics**

*A report from the HEPAP International Benchmarking Subpanel*

**3.4.1.2 The BABAR experiment Finding: BABAR was a highly successful U.S.-hosted international partnership. The BABAR experiment, which operated at SLAC's PEP-II B-factory until 2008, was initially host-led. However, it had a high degree of integration of its major international partners (Canada, France, Germany, Italy, and the U.K.).**

## **So How In Fact Did We Achieve “Going from Approval to 1st Physics in 6 years”?**

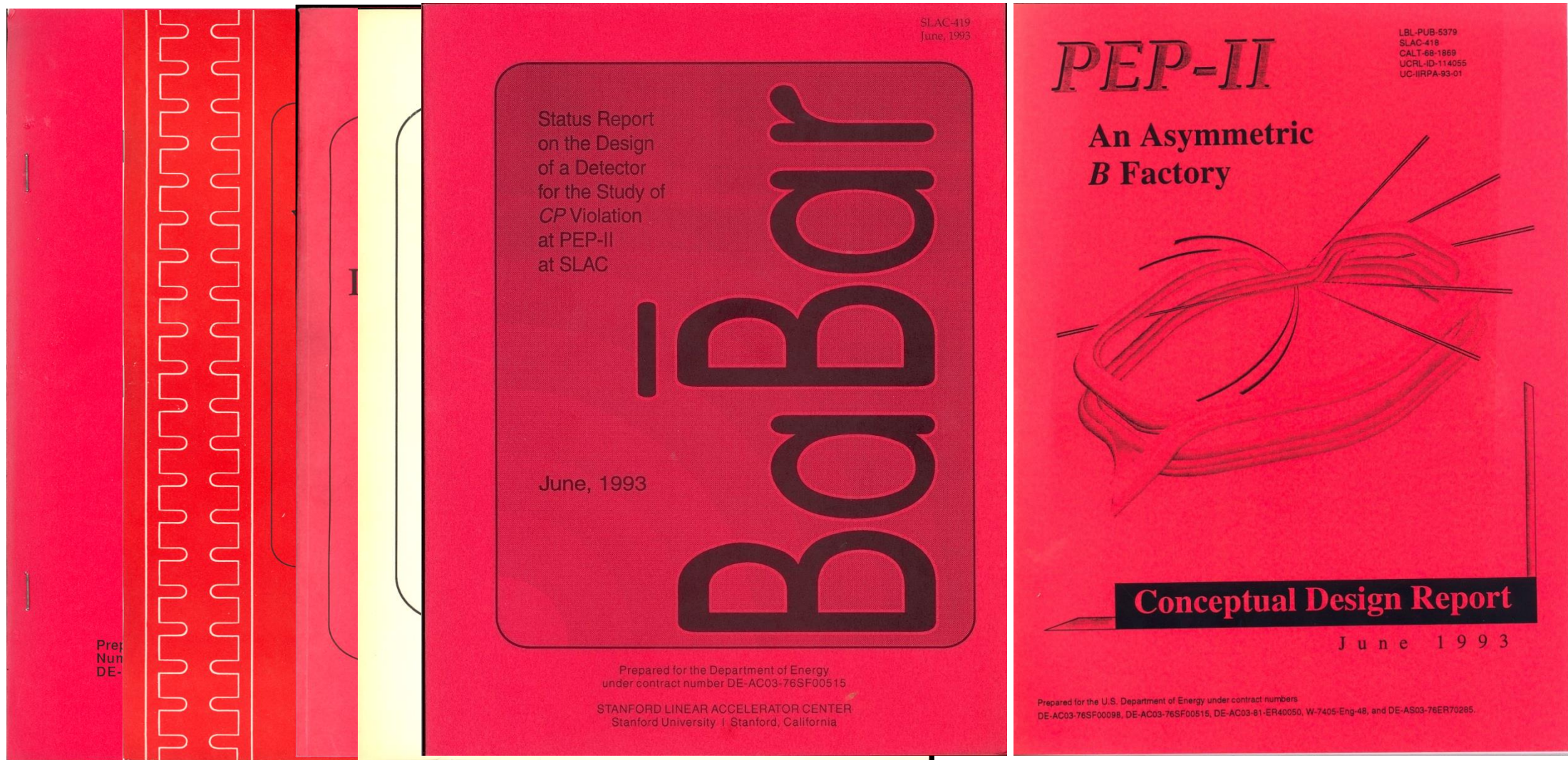
**□ I believe there were the 4 key success drivers:**

- 1. Preparation/design choices for both the accelerator and the detector were well advanced when approval to proceed was received (Oct 1993)**
- 2. The management, organizational and review structures at all levels – US Federal, SLAC, **BABAR** national agencies, LBNL & LLNL, Babar and PEP-II – were well conceived, pro-active and extremely effective**
- 3. The level and rate of funding adequate to build the accelerator and the detector in a timely way were established quickly and were provided as scheduled**
- 4. Project-threatening national, institutional and/or personal “affronts” were trumped by the passion and commitment to the science**

***Bottom line – its about the people, and we were rich in both technical and management-savvy overseers and collaborators***



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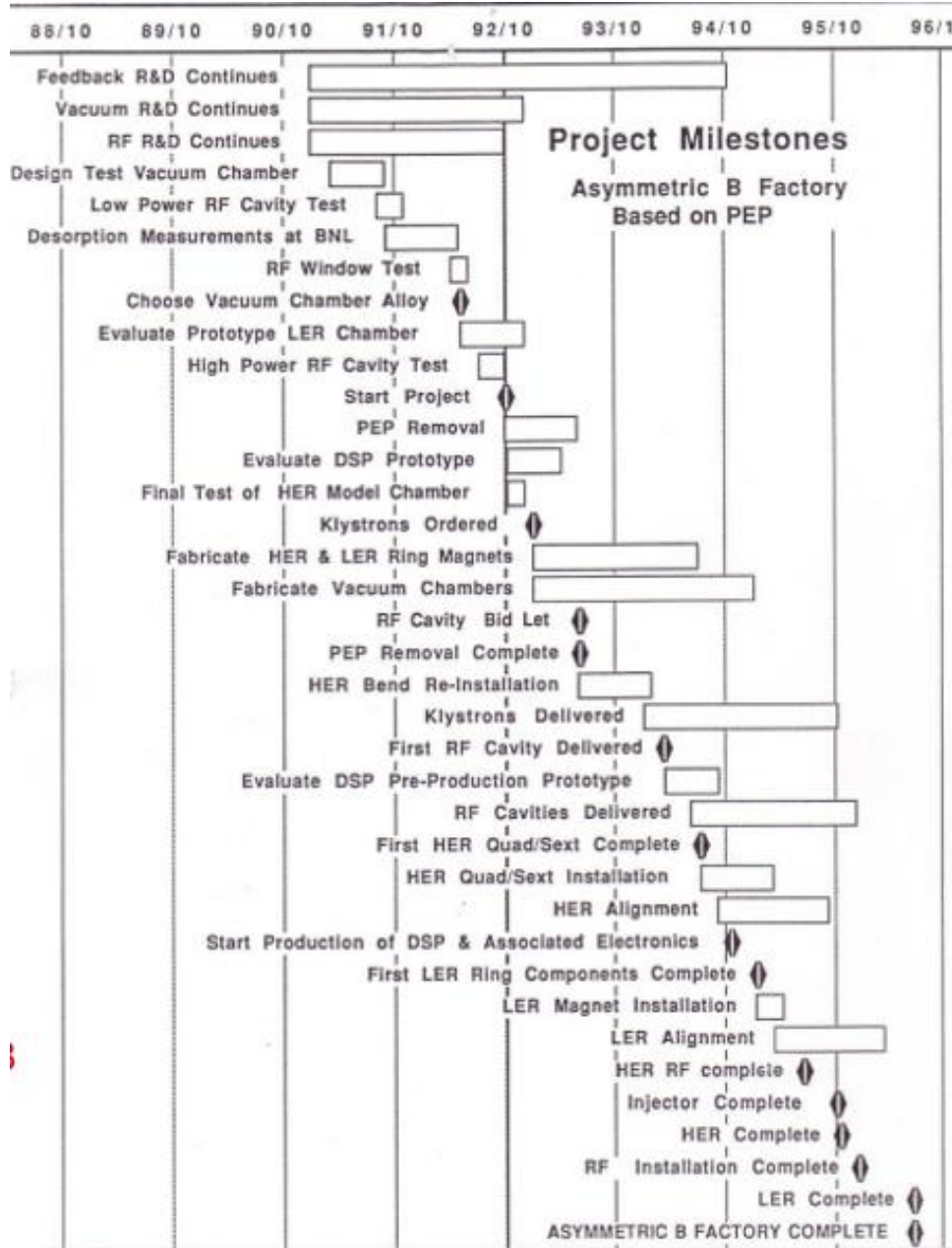


**June 1993 Companion Construction Blueprints**

**WE WERE MORE THAN READY TO BEGIN THE TWO PROJECTS**



# PEP-II Already Had a Mature, Detailed and Reviewed Cost and Schedule in 1991



**This schedule: 4 years (1992-1996)**  
**Actual schedule: 4 years (1994-1998)**

THE PROJECT COST ESTIMATE RECEIVED A THOROUGH TWO-WEEK GRILLING (REVIEW) AT THE DIRECTOR'S DEMAND. THIS ALSO HELPED TO IMPROVE THE LEVEL OF CONFIDENCE IN THE ESTIMATE.

THE WORKING ESTIMATE IS:

133.8 M\$	FOR CONSTRUCTION
33.5 M\$	CONTINGENCY(25%)
4.1 M\$	INDIRECTS
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171.4 M\$	
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THIS IS A 3% INCREASE SINCE THE CDR ESTIMATE. THE ARE THREE CONTRIBUTIONS TO THIS: 1) OMMISIONS (ABOUT A THIRD) 2) "DEEPER" WBS AND 3) MORE UNIFORM APPLICATION OF STANDARD LABOR RATES.

**1991 Cost Estimate**  
**Cost at Completion was \$177M**

# License to Unleash the Dogs.....

SLAC MEMO

October 4, 1993

To : All Hands  
FROM : Burton Richter  
SUBJECT : B-FACTORY ANNOUNCEMENT

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President Clinton announced this afternoon his recommendation that the proposed B-Factory be built at SLAC. This is a dramatic conclusion to our long wait, and I am very happy to share this news with you.

We are hopeful that the process will now continue smoothly, but there are more steps to go. The House has already included funding in its bill. The Senate version just passed does not, but we are optimistic that the joint House-Senate conference committee will restore the funds so the project can start in a few months.

I'm sure all of you have many questions about this good news and how it will affect us. More details are included in my formal press statement, printed on the back. As soon as this Congressional process is complete, I will schedule an All Hands Talk to discuss the B-Factory and the rest of the SLAC budget outlook with you.



# PEP-II Was Able to Establish Project Mode Quickly



- ❑ PEP-II R&D – from 1989 until 1993 - was done as a collaboration of SLAC, LBNL and LLNL. Consequently
  - Transition to an integrated project management team was quick and relatively straight-forward
  - Partitioning of the subsystem tasks followed from the R&D foci
- ❑ Jonathan had a lot of freedom and support to recruit the personnel that he wanted (by example, Seeman and Klaisner) and given control over lab. structures (by example co-opting the whole SLAC RF group) to avoid the trap of matrix management constructs
- ❑ The Machine-detector Interface group was established well before commencement of the project. Was an invaluable construct



2. The management, organizational and review structures at all levels – US Federal, SLAC, **BABAR** national agencies, LBNL & LLNL, **BABAR** and PEP-II – were well conceived, pro-active and extremely effective

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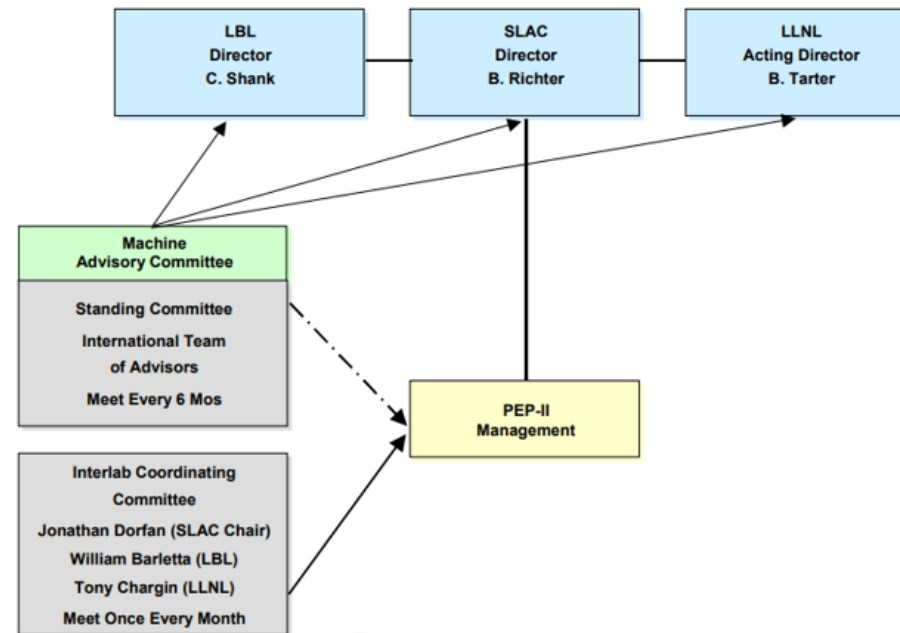
a) Burt ensured the success of the SLAC/LBNL/LLNL partnership



### Burton Richter's Charge to the PEP II Machine Advisory Committee

- 1) Review the progress of the R&D program and comment on areas where further R&D might be needed.
- 2) Review the technical design choices.
- 3) Review and monitor the engineering and construction program for the technical systems and major components.
- 4) Review the plans and goals for the commissioning of the project.
- 5) The committee is expected to meet twice a year at SLAC.

#### PEP-II PROJECT OVERSIGHT



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b) welcomed and facilitated a large and diverse international team to construct, and operate a complex detector and to generate world-class science

- David L made several crucial moves, borrowing liberally from CERN:
  - Adopted the International Finance Committee (IFC) construct, bringing to the oversight table a senior member from each funding agency. Was an extremely effective group ..... came to the rescue many times
  - Created a Common Fund
  - With David H and myself in tow, effectively recruited national partners

## Embedding PEP-II/*BABAR* at SLAC

- ❑ The approach to the new accelerator and detector project within SLAC was, of necessity, different from past practice
  - PEP-II was to be built by a SLAC/LBNL/LLNL collaboration
  - The detector was to follow a “CERN model”
- ❑ David Leith laid the groundwork for this new approach to the detector with a number of visits to Europe to study in some detail the CERN model employed for the LEP collaborations, and was able to interest the funding agencies of France, Italy, Germany, the UK and Canada in participating
  - ❑ The International Finance Committee managed both the initial investment shares and the ongoing commissioning and operating costs
    - The “Common Fund” was a crucial concept
    - David skillfully managed the IFC meetings:
      - A day of meetings with an “exchange of views”, followed by a good dinner with adequate liquid refreshment, and a resolution of issues the next day

**Common Fund Payments by Country  
Spread by US Fiscal Year (K\$)**

	FY95/ 96	FY97	FY98	FY99	Total Common Fund	Percentage
Canada NSERC		100	100	105	305	2.3%
France CEA	660				660	5.0%
France IN2P3	462		132	66	660	5.0%
Germany BMFT	660			115	775	5.8%
Italy INFN*					1,625	12.2%
UK PPARC		200	390	400	990	7.4%
US DOE	3,578	1,779	2,100	828	8,285	62.3%
<b>Total Common Fund</b>	<b>5,360</b>	<b>2,079</b>	<b>2,722</b>	<b>1,514</b>	<b>13,300</b>	<b>100%</b>

\*The effective INFN contribution profile is assumed to follow the profile of the superconducting coil

**Summary of BABAR Non-US Finances**

(does not include Chinese/Russian in-kind contributions or discounts)

Country	Investment Request	Currency	Investment Request (M\$)	Investment Granted (M\$)	
Canada*	Total 3.7M	\$Canadian	2.76	0	Under discussion
France IN2P3	15M	Franc	2.73	15 M	FF Approved
France CEA	15M	Franc	2.73	15 M	FF Approved
Germany	5M	DM	3.30	2MDM	though 97 Good prospects for +3 MDM
Italy	8B	Lire	5.00	8B Lire + SC Coil	Approved
UK	2.475M	£	3.84	2.475 M£	To go to Council
<b>Total M&amp;S in local accounting</b>			<b>20.35</b>		
<b>Equivalent total M&amp;S + labor in US acc</b>			<b>30.53</b>		

\* Canada uses US-style accounting

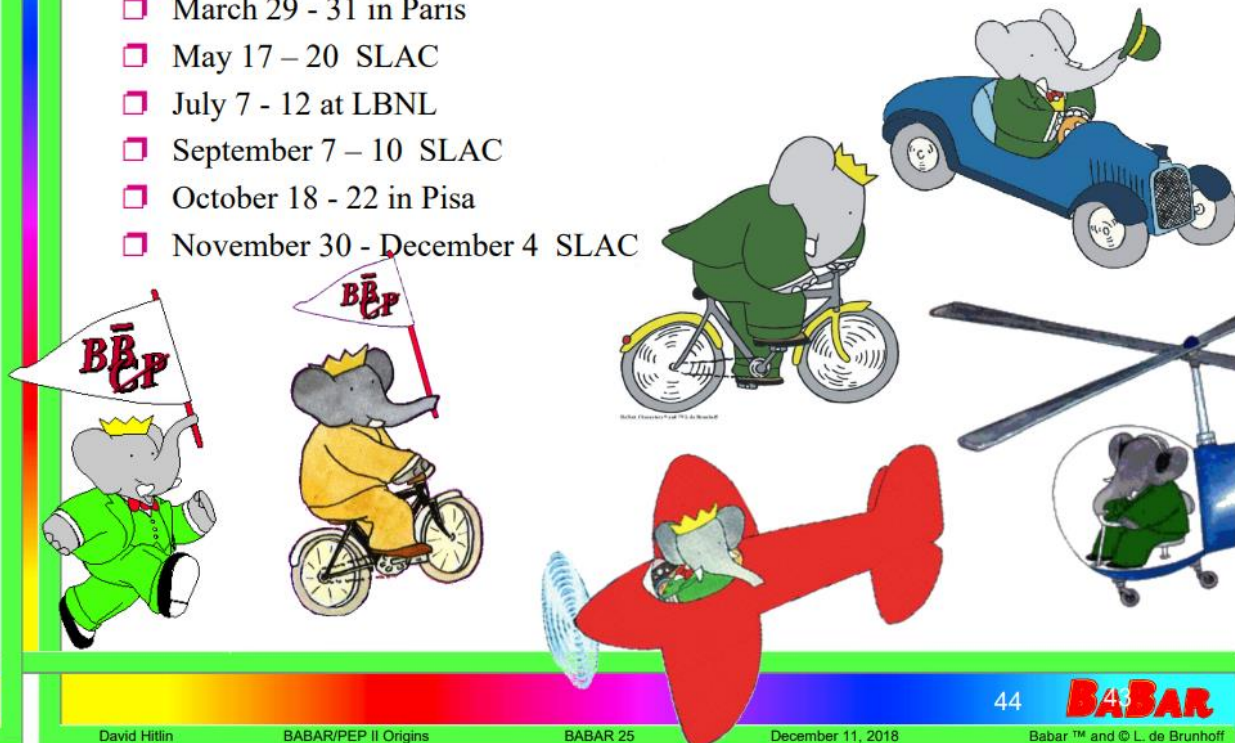


# SLAC Was Ready With a Well Conceived Plan for Forming a Collaboration

- Remarkably, Within 4 months of the Announcement , the **BABAR** Collaboration Was Formed and Operating

There were EIGHT Collaboration Meetings in the first year

- ❑ November 30 - December 4, 1993 SLAC
- ❑ February 9 - 12, 1994 SLAC
- ❑ March 29 - 31 in Paris
- ❑ May 17 - 20 SLAC
- ❑ July 7 - 12 at LBNL
- ❑ September 7 - 10 SLAC
- ❑ October 18 - 22 in Pisa
- ❑ November 30 - December 4 SLAC



SLAC and SLUO  
cordially invite you  
to attend the inauguration  
of the  
Detector Collaboration  
for the  
PEP-II Asymmetric B Factory  
November 30-December 4, 1993  
Stanford Linear Accelerator Center

The formation of a collaboration  
to construct a detector optimized  
for the study of CP violation  
in the B meson system  
at PEP-II will be discussed.

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# Inauguration of the Detector Collaboration for PEP-II

November 30 - December 4, 1993

## Plenary Session/Parallel Session Schedule

Tuesday Nov. 30	Wednesday Dec. 1	Thursday Dec. 2	Friday Dec. 3	Saturday Dec. 4
8:00 REGISTRATION				
9:00 PLENARY	9:00 PARALLEL	9:00 PLENARY	9:00 PARALLEL	9:00 PLENARY
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Introduction</b></p> <p>15 Welcome - B. Richter, D. Leith            40 The PEP-II Collider - J. Dorfan            40 Physics/Detector Introduction - D. Hillin</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Working Groups</b></p> <p>TC1 Vertex 1            AUD Tracking 1            OR Particle ID 1            TC2 Calorimeter 1            SCS Computing 1</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Brief Reports from Working Groups</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">(10 Minutes/Group)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Working Groups</b></p> <p>YR IR 4            TC1 Vertex 6            AUD Tracking 6            OR Particle ID 5            TC2 Joint: Calorimeter 5/Trig-DA 4            SCS Joint: Computing 5/Phys-Sim 4            TC3 Muon-Magnet 4</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Summaries</b></p> <p>15 IR Summary            15 Vertex Summary            15 Tracking Summary            15 Particle ID Summary            15 Computing Summary</p>
10:30 Coffee Break	10:30 Coffee Break	10:30 Coffee Break	10:30 Coffee Break	10:30 Coffee Break
11:00 PLENARY	11:00 PARALLEL	11:20 PLENARY	11:00 PARALLEL	11:00 PLENARY
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Select Subsystem Overviews:</b></p> <p>30 Calorimetry - E. Lorenz            30 Vertex/Tracking - P. Burchat            30 Particle ID - R. Aleksan</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Working Groups</b></p> <p>TC1 Joint: IR 1/Vertex 2            OR Particle ID 2            TC2 Calorimeter 2            AUD Tracking 2            SCS Computing 2</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Collaboration-wide Issues</b></p> <p>LOU/CDR/Meeting Schedule</p> <p>20 Introduction - D. MacFarlane            60 Panel Discussion</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Working Groups</b></p> <p>YR IR 5            TC1 Vertex 7            OR Particle ID 6            TC2 Calorimeter 7            SCS Joint: Trigger-DA 5/Computing 6</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Summaries</b></p> <p>15 Calorimeter Summary            15 Magnet-Muon Summary            15 Trigger-DA Summary            15 Physics-Simulation Summary            15 Collaboration Issues Summary</p>
12:30 Lunch	12:30 Lunch	12:30 Lunch	12:30 Lunch	12:30 Adjourn
14:00 PLENARY	14:00 PARALLEL	14:00 PARALLEL	14:00 PARALLEL	14:00 to 18:00
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Collaboration-wide Issues</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Collaboration Formation</p> <p>20 Introduction - D. Leith            40 Discussion</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Working Groups</b></p> <p>TC1 Joint: Vertex 3/Tracking 3            TC2 Calorimeter 3            YR Magnet-Muon 1            SCS Trigger-DA 1            OR Physics-Simulation 1</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Working Groups</b></p> <p>YR IR 2            TC1 Joint: Vertex 4/Trig-DA 2            OR Particle ID 3            AUD Tracking 4            TC2 Calorimeter 4            SCS Joint: Computing 3/Phys-Sim 2            TC3 Magnet-Muon 2</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Working Groups</b></p> <p>TC1 Joint: Vertex 8/Tracking 7/IR 6            YR Magnet-Muon 5            TC2 Calorimeter 8            OR Trigger-DA 6            SCS Computing 7</p>	<p>SLUO Annual Meeting</p> <p>Plenary Sessions are held in the Auditorium</p>
15:00 Coffee Break				
15:30 PARALLEL	15:30 Coffee Break	15:30 Coffee Break	15:30 Coffee Break	15:30 to 18:00
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Orientation Sessions</b></p> <p>15:30 TC1 TC2 OR            40 IR Particle ID Trigger-DA</p> <p>16:15 TC1 TC2 OR            40 Vertex Calorimetry Computing</p> <p>17:00 TC1 TC2 OR            40 Tracking Magnet-Muon Physics-Simulation</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Collaboration-wide Issues</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Computing</p> <p>20 Introduction - F. Porter            40 Panel Discussion</p> <p>45 CP Violation in B Physics - H. Quinn</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Working Groups</b></p> <p>YR IR 3            TC1 Vertex 5            OR Particle ID 4            AUD Joint: Tracking 5/Trig-DA 3            TC2 Calorimeter 5            SCS Computing 4            TC3 Joint: Magnet-Muon 3/Phys-Sim 3</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Collaboration-wide Issues</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Architecture &amp; Integration</p> <p>20 The SLD Experience - M. Breidenbach            20 Electronics Interface and Integration Issues - D. Marlow            50 Panel Discussion</p>	<p>Receptions and Coffee Breaks are held in the Auditorium Breezeway</p> <p>Room Codes</p> <p>AUD Auditorium            YR Yellow Room (A&amp;E Building)            OR Orange Room (Central Lab)            SCS Rm 359 Computer Center            TCn New Training Center (configurable as n=1-4 rooms)</p>
18:00 MicroWineries - 1 <i>Wine and Cheese Reception</i>	18:00 MicroWineries - 2 <i>Wine and Cheese Reception</i>	19:00 Banquet at Ming's	18:00 MicroWineries - 3 <i>Wine and Cheese Reception</i>	18:00 to 18:00
				<p>NN Time allotted for the activity</p> <p>Status as of 11/29/93</p>

## USA [33/244]

California Institute of Technology  
UC, Davis  
UC, Irvine  
UC, Los Angeles  
UC, San Diego  
UC, Santa Barbara  
UC, Santa Cruz  
U of Cincinnati  
U of Colorado  
Colorado State  
U of Iowa  
Iowa State U  
LBNL  
LLNL  
U of Louisville  
U of Maryland  
U of Massachusetts, Amherst  
MIT  
U of Mississippi  
Mount Holyoke College  
Northern Kentucky U  
U of Notre Dame  
ORNL/Y-12  
U of Pennsylvania  
Prairie View A&M  
Princeton  
Rutgers  
SLAC  
U of South Carolina  
Stanford U  
U of Texas at Dallas  
Vanderbilt  
U of Wisconsin

# The *BABAR* Collaboration

10 Countries  
77 Institutions  
485 Collaborators

October 1995



## Canada [7/25]

U of British Columbia  
Carleton U and CRPP  
McGill U  
U de Montréal  
TRIUMF  
U of Victoria  
York U

## China [4/19]

Beijing Glass Research Inst.  
Inst. of High Energy Physics, Beijing  
Shanghai Inst. of Ceramics (SICCAS)  
Tsinghua U, Beijing

## France [5/44]

LAPP, Annecy  
LAL Orsay  
LPNHE des Universités Paris 6/7  
Ecole Polytechnique  
CEA, DAPNIA, CE-Saclay

## Germany [1/7]

Technische U Dresden

## Italy [13/72]

INFN, Bari and U di Bari  
INFN, Ferrara  
Lab. Nazionali di Frascati dell' INFN  
INFN, Genova and U di Genova  
INFN, Milano and U di Milano  
INFN, Napoli and U di Napoli  
INFN, Padova  
U di Pavia  
INFN, Pisa, U di Pisa & Scuola Normale  
INFN, Roma and U "La Sapienza"  
INFN, Superiore di Sanita', Roma  
INFN, Torino and U di Torino  
INFN, Trieste and U di Trieste

## Norway [1/1]

U of Bergen

## Russia [2/28]

Budker Institute, Novosibirsk  
JINR, Dubna

## United Kingdom [10/42]

U of Bristol  
Brunel University  
U of Edinburgh  
U of Lancaster  
U of Liverpool  
Imperial College  
Queen Mary & Westfield College  
Royal Holloway & Bedford New College  
U of Manchester  
Rutherford Appleton Laboratory

## Taiwan [1/3]

Academia Sinica

# Wise Leadership Rapidly Established an Effective Management Construct

## Project Management

**Spokesman** - D. Hitlin  
**Deputy Spokesman** - R. Aleksan  
**Technical Coordinator** - V. Lüth  
**Project Engineer** - R. Bell

## Collaboration Council

**Chairman** - L. Piemontese  
**Vice-Chairman** - R. Wilson

**Institution Representatives**

## Technical Board

**Technical Coordinator (Chairman)** - V. Lüth  
**Project Engineer** - R. Bell  
**Chief Electronics Engineer** - G. Haller  
**Chief Software Engineer** - D. Quarrie  
**Integration Physicist** - H. Lynch  
**PEP-II Representative** - J. Dorfan  
**Safety Officer** - F. O'Neill  
**Spokesman** - D. Hitlin  
**Deputy Spokesman** - R. Aleksan  
**System Managers:**  
**PEP-II/BABAR Interface** - H. DeStaebler  
**Vertex Detector** - F. Forti/N. Roe  
**Drift Chamber** - D. MacFarlane  
**DIRC PID** - G. London/B. Ratcliff  
**Aerogel PID** - Y. Karyotakis  
**CsI Calorimeter** - R. Schindler  
**IFR** - C. Sciacca  
**Magnet** - R. Bell  
**Electronics** - A. Lankford  
**Computing** - N. Geddes/F. Porter

## Executive Board

**Canada** - P. Taras  
**France** - G. Wormser  
**Germany** - K. Schubert  
**Italy** - M. Giorgi  
**UK** - J. Fry  
**US** - K. McDonald  
**US** - A. Seiden  
**US** - M. Witherell  
**SLAC/US** - W. Innis  
**LBL/US** - M. Pripstein  
**Spokesman** - D. Hitlin  
**Deputy Spokesman** - R. Aleksan  
**Technical Coordinator** - V. Lüth  
**PEP-II** - J. Dorfan



# The Sponsor : DOE: They Performed Exceptionally Well



**John O'Fallen: The believer**

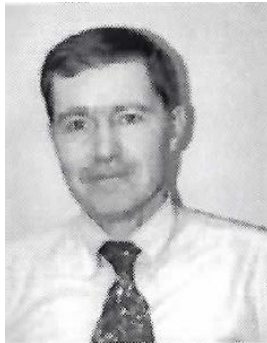
**Danny Lehman:  
Uber "Auditor"**



## PEP-II On-Site Oversight Office



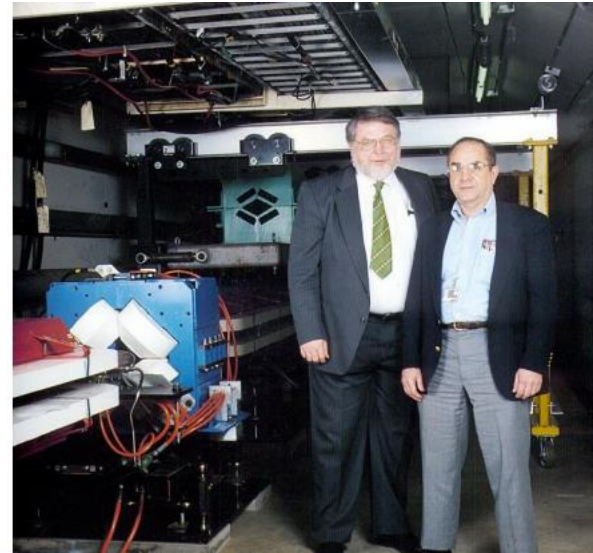
Reilly, Kevin



Franzwa, Bill



Treacy, David



**Dave Sutter  
with John**

### 3. The level and rate of funding adequate to build the accelerator and the detector in a timely way were established quickly and were provided as scheduled

#### Annex IV

Figure II-7.3  
Revised April 1994

Department of Energy  
1996 FIELD BUDGET REQUEST  
CONSTRUCTION PROJECT DATA SHEETS  
General Science and Research - Plant and Capital Equipment  
High Energy Physics

(Tabular dollars in thousands. Narrative material in whole dollars)

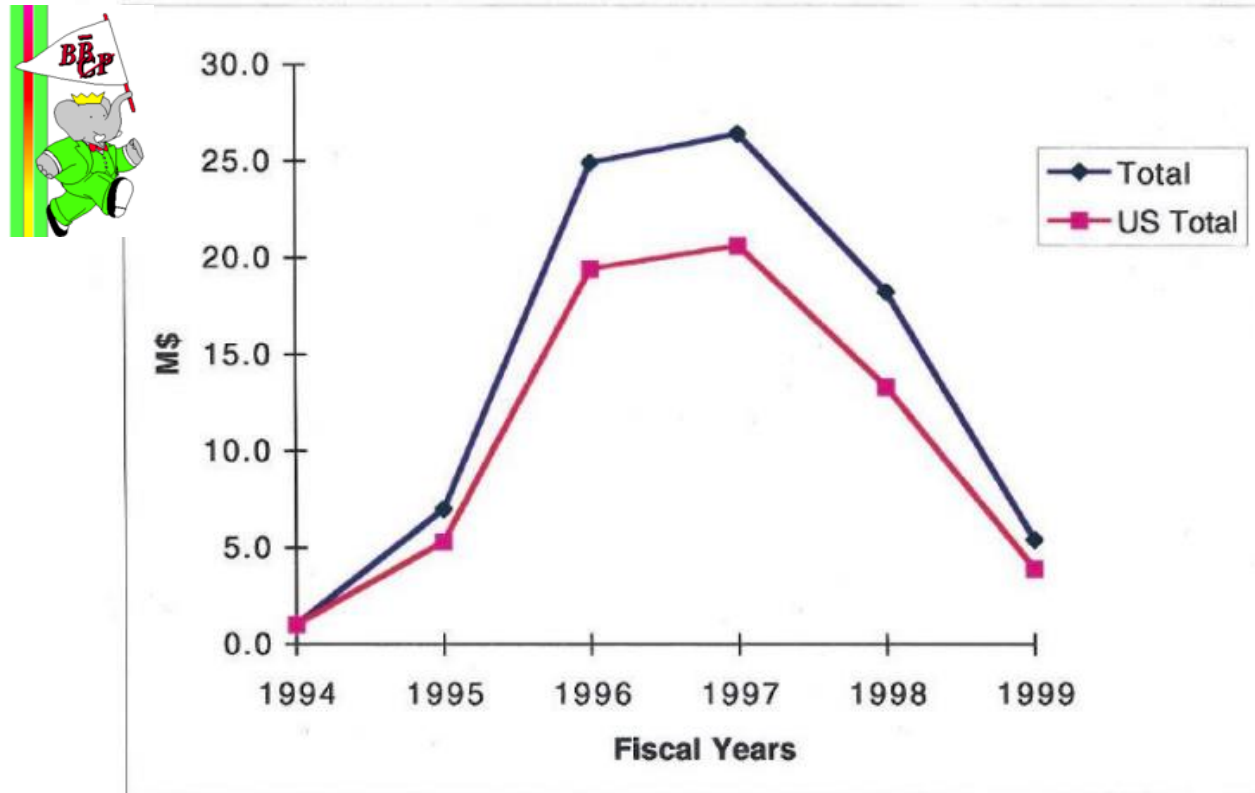
1.	<b>Title and Location of Project:</b> PEP-II B Factory Joint Project of SLAC, LBL, and LLNL Stanford Linear Accelerator Center Menlo Park, California	2a.	<b>Project No:</b> 94-G-304
		2b.	Construction Funded
3a.	<b>Date A-E Initiated:</b> 1st Qtr. FY1994	5.	<b>Previous Cost Estimate:</b> TEC \$177,000 TPC \$293,200
3b.	<b>A-E Work Duration:</b> 30 Months		
4a.	<b>Date Physical Construction Starts:</b> 1st Qtr. FY1994	6.	<b>Current Cost Estimate:</b> TEC: \$ 177,000 TPC: \$ 293,200
4b.	<b>Date Construction Ends:</b> 4th Qtr. FY1998		<b>Date of Estimate:</b> April 1994
7.	<b>Financial Schedule:</b>		
	<b>Fiscal Year</b>	<b>Appropriations</b>	<b>Obligations</b>
	1994	\$ 36,000	\$ 36,000
	1995	44,000	44,000
	1996	52,000	52,000
	1997	45,000	45,000
	1998	0	0
	<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$ 177,000</b>	<b>\$ 177,000</b>
			<b>Costs</b>
			\$ 27,000
			42,000
			50,000
			47,000
			11,000
			\$ 177,000

**PEP-II: April 1994  
Field Project Request  
was already complete**

**Funding profile as requested:  
received exactly as planned.  
A gift for a project**

### 3. The level and rate of funding adequate to build the accelerator and the detector in a timely way were established quickly and were provided pretty much as scheduled

The funding profile allowed us to have a “technically limited” schedule



	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	Sum
Total	1.0	7	24.9	26.4	18.2	5.4	82.9
US Total	1.0	5.3	19.4	20.6	13.3	3.9	63.5

2. The management, organizational and review structures at all levels – US Federal, SLAC, Babar national agencies, LBNL & LLNL, **BABAR** and PEP-II – were well conceived, pro-active and extremely effective

DOE dragged us “kicking and screaming” into using a sophisticated Project Management Control System (PMCS) and associated tools. The engineers at all institutions railed against the notion (and considerable work) of pre-programming their design and construction schedule and associated costs.

The system we adopted, and in particular the “sane” manner by which we used it, was one of the key reasons we finished PEP-II and **BABAR** on time and on budget

- The ability for the system to quantify lack of progress and to pinpoint the problem area(s) allowed for proactive remediation
- The Change Control process provided an even-handed, well justified application of contingency funds

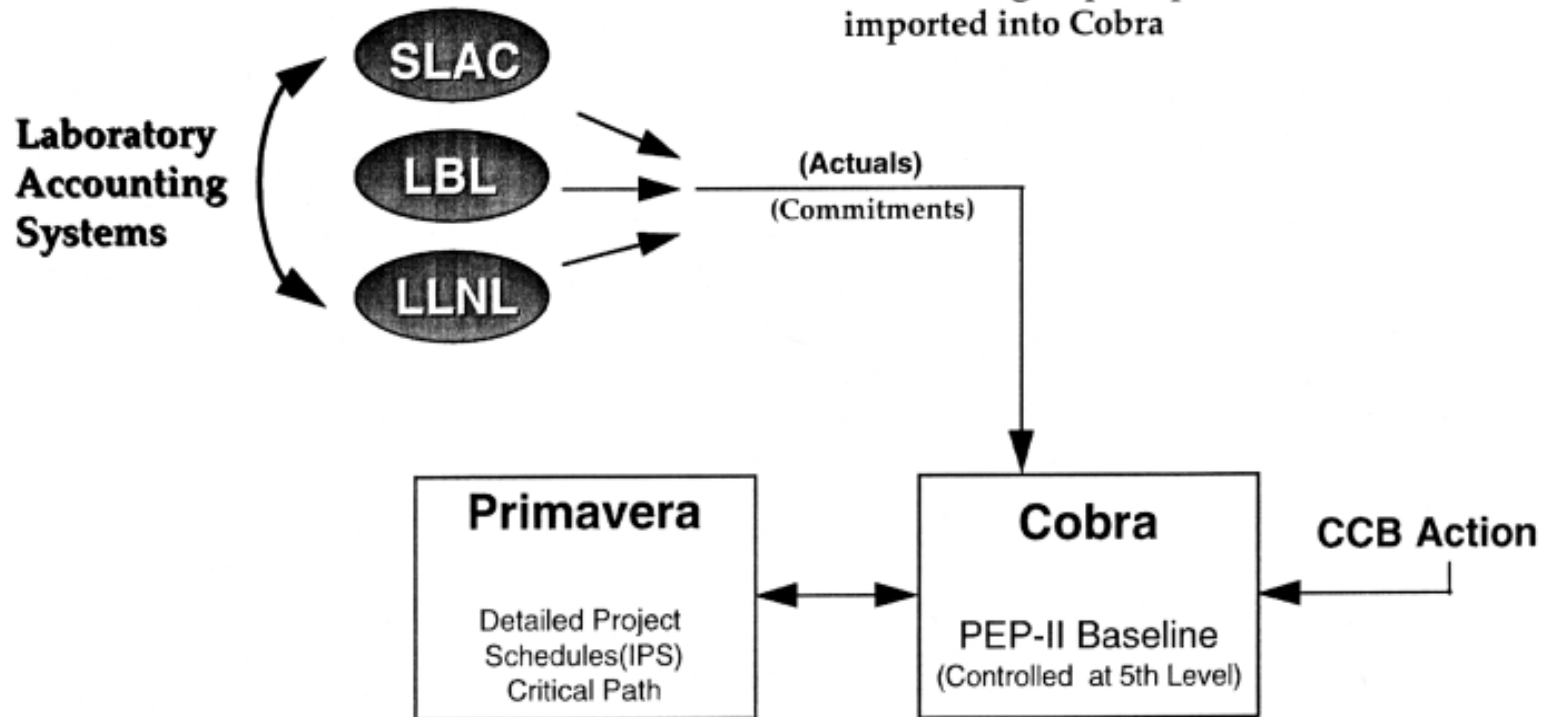


# Project Management Control System

## Transfer of Accounting Costs to the PMCS System

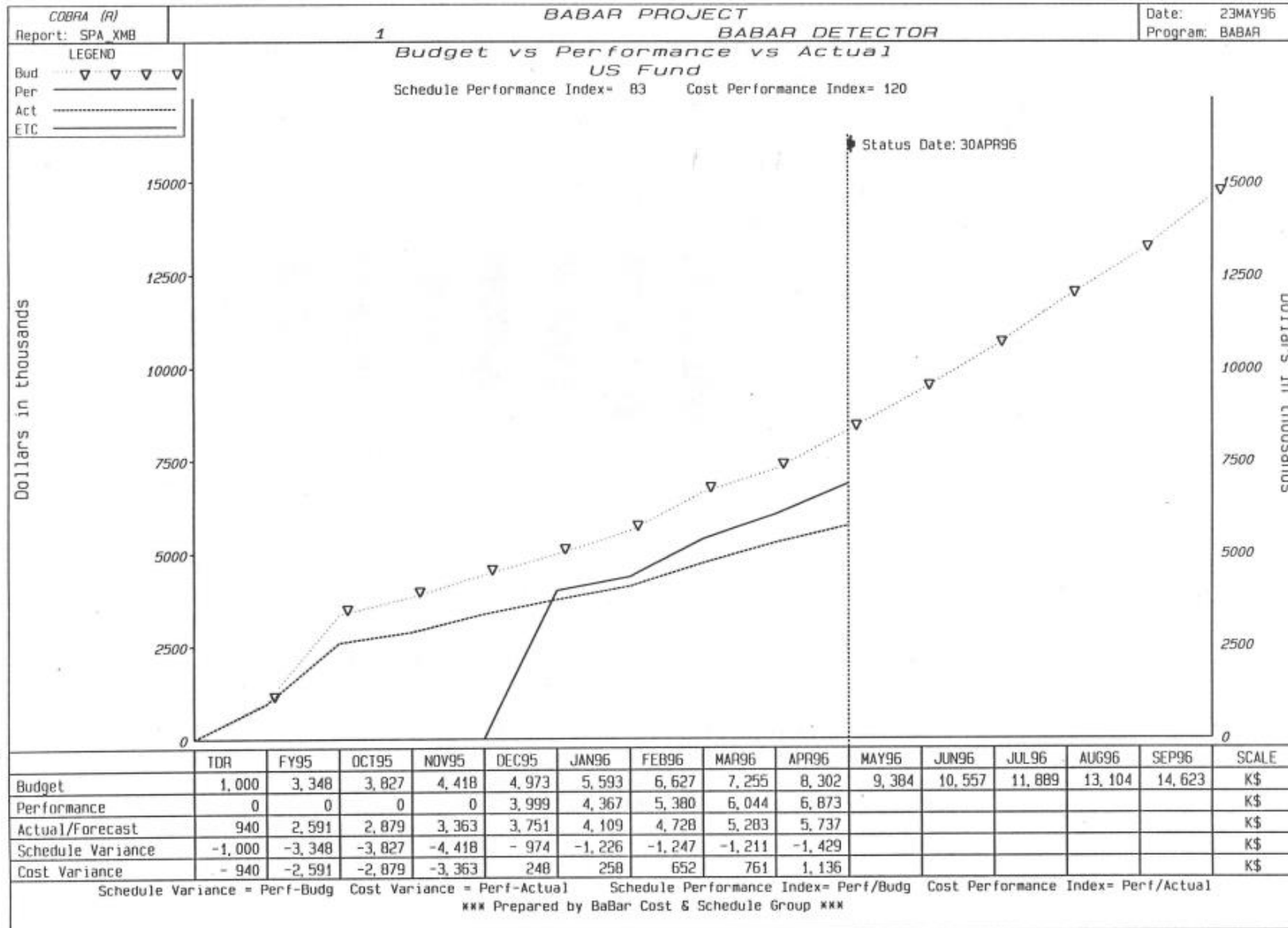
Actual cost and commitments are collected by the three labs at the 5th level of the PEP-II WBS

Accounting files are transferred electronically to the PMCS group in specific ASCII format and imported into Cobra



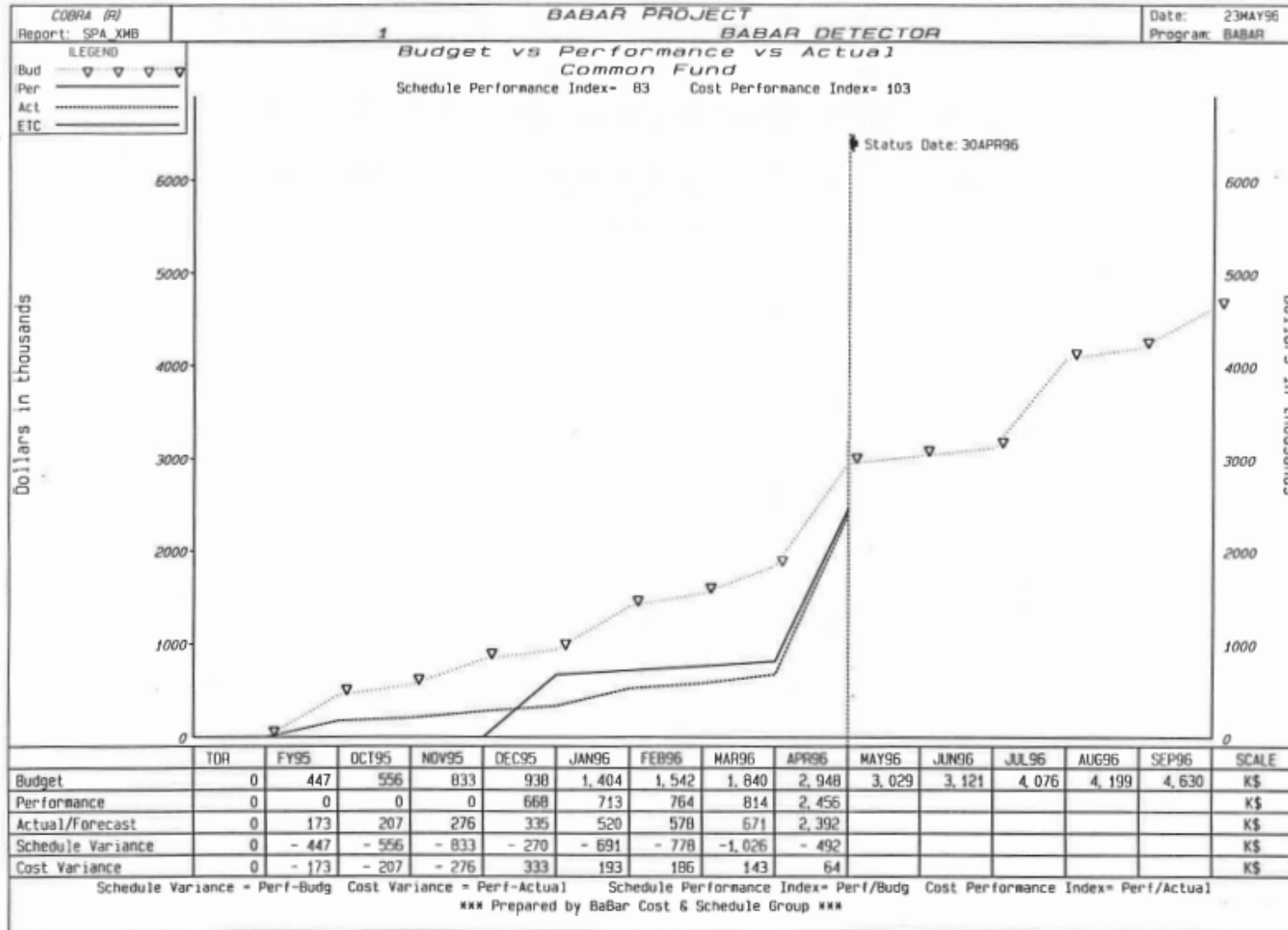
# Example of How the PMCS Indicated Trouble – Yet Was Also the Tool To Get Back on Track

## BABAR All subsystems as of the end of April 1996



**Schedule variance was \$1.4M**  
**Cost variance was \$1.1M**

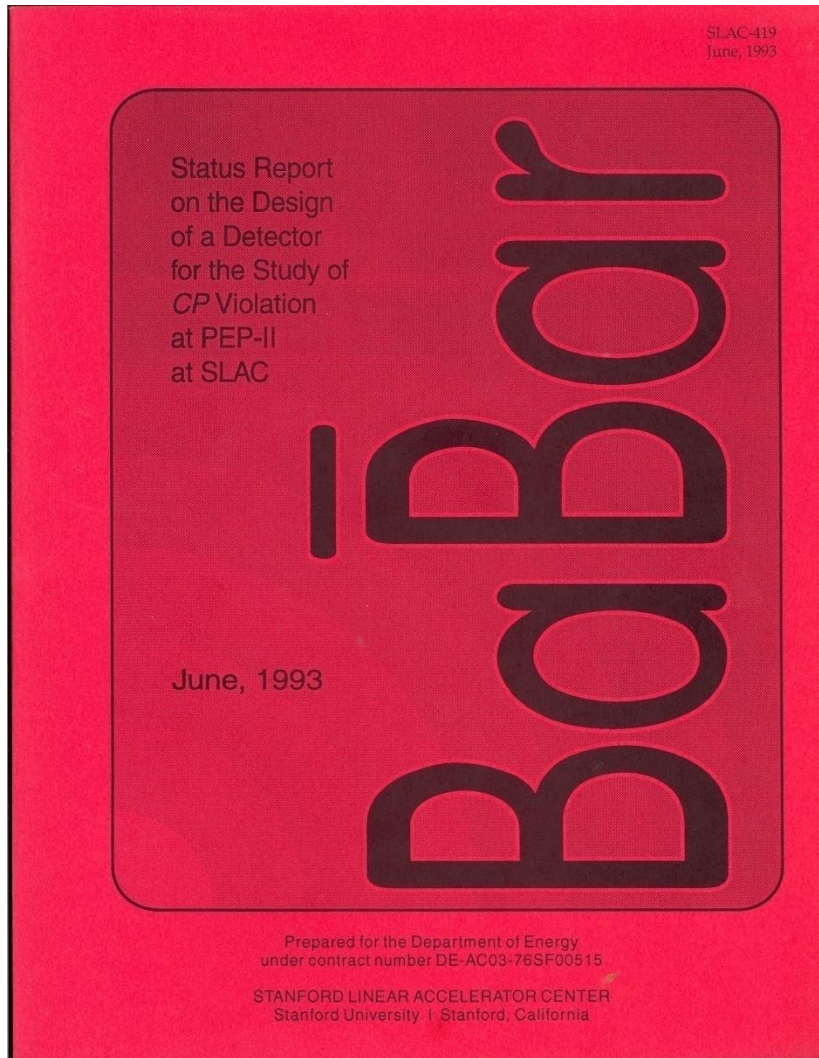
# BABAR Common Funds as of the end of April 1996



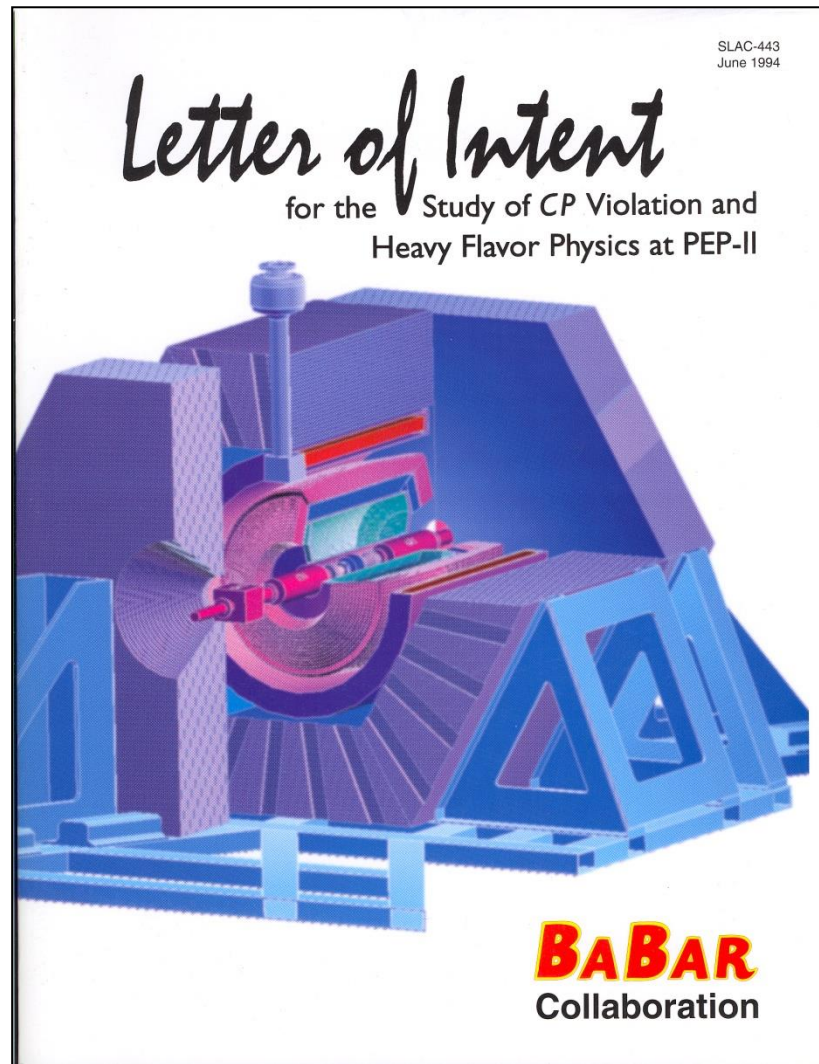
**Schedule variance was \$492K**  
**Cost variance was \$64K**



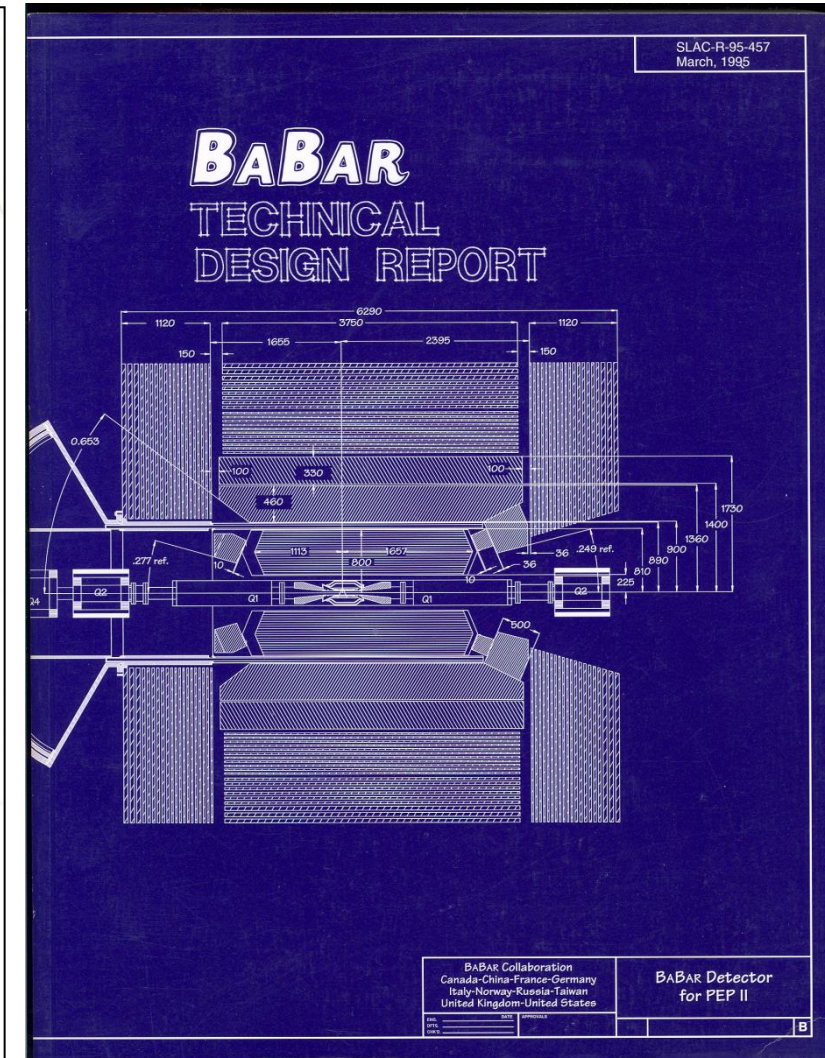
# From Formation of the Collaboration to TDR in 15 Months



**June 1993**  
**Pre-dates the Collab.**



**June 1994**



**March 1995**



# Both PEP-II and **BABAR** benefitted from Tough-minded, but Helpful Oversight

**Danny Lehman:  
Bi-annual reviews**



**Gil Gilchriese:  
Chair SLAC  
Committee**



## **Machine Advisory Committee Membership**

**Chairman:**  
Ferdinand Willeke (DESY)

**Committee Members:**  
Daniel Boussard (CERN)  
Joe Bisognano (CEBAF)  
Nicolai Dikansky (BINP)  
John Galayda (ANL)  
Oswald Grobner (CERN)  
Don Hartill (Cornell)  
Albert Hofmann (CERN)  
Shin-ichi Kurokawa (KEK)  
Katsunobu Oide (KEK)  
Dave Rice (Cornell)  
Ralph Eichler (ETH/PSI)

Both projects absorbed the critical input proactively – hence the benefit

## 4. Project-threatening national, institutional and/or personal “affronts” were trumped by the passion and commitment to the science

- Inevitably, there were very challenging decisions, choices between competing options, recovery from unanticipated events, personnel assignment changes, ...
- Remediation often meant national, institutional (Lab.) and/or personal anguish, disappointment that at times threatened collaborative stability
- Both **BABAR** and PEP-II had to deal with such challenges. It was to the credit of the senior managers in both projects that in most cases, supportive and project-strengthening solutions were found

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Examples (by no means exhaustive) of some such events for **BABAR**

- Computing:
  - To use Object Oriented or not
  - The Objectivity dilemma
- Particle ID:
  - fast RICH or DIRC (1994 Pisa meeting)
  - Forward Aerogel
  - Staged bar installation
- Tracking:
  - Small radius TPC
  - Loss of Canadian funding
  - Curved or flat endplates

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Examples (by no means exhaustive) of some such events for **BABAR**

- DAQ
  - Who was responsible for the front end electronics: the Electronics System or the detector subsystems
  - Loss of the ROM (common to all subsystems) engineer
- Magnet, installation
  - Metallic slivers – BR insisted we design a warm
  - Ansaldo ran late – Sid Drell and US Air Force sa
- SVT
  - Honeywell ATOM chip oscillation



Solenoid loading at the Genova airport



## 4. Project-threatening national, institutional and/or personal “affronts” were trumped by the passion and commitment to the science

Examples (by no means exhaustive) of some such events for PEP-II

### ➤ RF

- Matrix to SLAC RF group or co-opt the group into PEP-I
- Missed Level 2 Milestone (Klystrons were late)
- Build back-up Klystrons or not

### ➤ Vacuum

- Continuous fabrication issues at all three labs
- Outsource e-beam welding or not

### ➤ Low Energy Ring

- 1997 – schedule buster. Changed out system manager and moved majority of chamber fabrication to SLAC



## 2. The management .....were well conceived, pro-active and extremely effective

- Pro-active schedule management was a key:
  - The best way to control cost is to stay on schedule. This often meant added expenditures in the short term – use the Change Control process to apply contingency wisely
  - The excuse that the PMCS data was wrong was unacceptable
  - No “odd man out scheduling”. Did not allow sub-systems to slip their schedule because another system had slipped
  - If there was a schedule slip, required the system manager to provide a rework that regained the lost time

## 2. The management .....were well conceived, pro-active and extremely effective

- Aggressive, bold, pro-active response to problems was also key:
- Don't procrastinate on hard decisions:
  - Move key areas of work/fabrication from Lab./collaborator/nation to another if necessary
  - Many examples for **BABAR**
  - Likewise for PEP-II. Two of many examples....
    - 1997 – schedule buster. Changed out LER system manager and moved majority of chamber fabrication to SLAC
    - Late recognition that the LER had locations where the aperture was too restrictive. Use active beam control or redesign and rebuild the components?
    - Beijing factory failed with LER magnets. Had to move the entire production to Shanghai

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- Aggressive, bold, pro-active response to problems was also key:
  - Intercede actively/cooperatively with struggling vendors
    - Almost every **BABAR** subsystem had a person actively attached to the vendor location
      - Magnet, vertex, Calorimeter, DIRC
- DIRC was the most extreme case of endless and “heavy” vendor support, even to the extent that we redesigned and helped run the bar production line



# The “end game” was Outstandingly Managed

- Staged commissioning of PEP-II meant that we got out ahead of technical and operational issues.,

*Strategy of Staged Completion and testing of the major subcomponents with real beam*

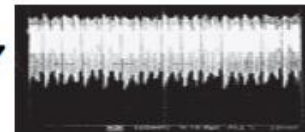
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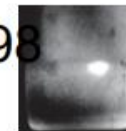
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Stored e<sup>-</sup> beam in High Energy Ring: June '97



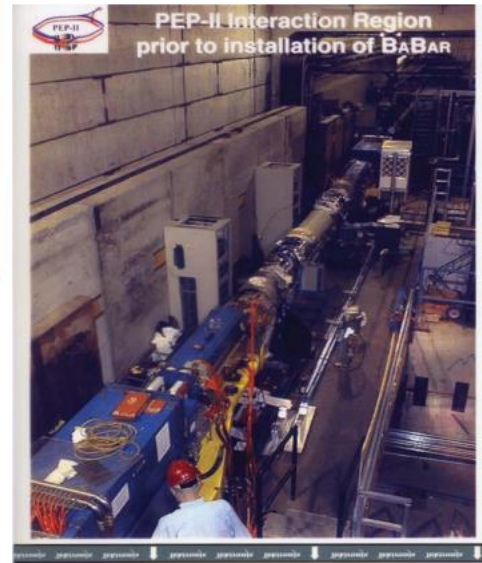
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# The “end game” was Outstandingly Managed

- **BABAR**: Constant rework of the installation scheduling of the subsystems and their sub-components
  - Best example is the staging of the DIRC bars
- Despite the heroic Monte Carlo simulation of machine related backgrounds, a major effort was mounted to build active devices to measure backgrounds.
- This effort accelerated the first data timeline considerably

## Measure/Characterize the backgrounds before Babar moved on line



## Background Detectors and Groups

Detector	Purpose	Groups
Solid State X-Ray Spectrometer	Synchrotron radiation spectrum	Colorado State U. + LBL
Silicon Diode Stacks	SR, lost-particle rate near beam pipe	Stanford U.
Straw Chamber (from Crystal Ball)	Lost-particles in tracking chamber	SLAC, Tennessee, Ecole Polytechnique
Scanning Crystal Ring	MeV photons from lost-particle showers	LAPP (Annecy) + Saclay (France)
Water Cherenkov + Scintillator Hodoscope	BaBar DIRC backgrounds	U. Cincinnati + LBL
Mini Time Projection Chamber	High-granularity tracking chamber near beam pipe	Orsay (France) + LBL + U. Cincinnati
Silicon Strip Detector (BaBar prototype)	SR, lost particles next to beam pipe	UCSD+UCSC+UCSB + LBL + INFN + ...
Calorimeter Module (BaBar prototype)	Energetic photons, tracks (>100 MeV)	SLAC

## **The Talent Pool – at all levels – Was Central Likewise the “esprit de corps”**

- We benefitted from a plethora of technical and management talent, who while dedicated to excellence, were also practical minded
- Strong-minded individuals – absolutely. But passion to build the best machine and to do ground-breaking physics trumped all





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Germantown, MD 20874-1290

May 26, 1999

Dr. Burton Richter  
Director  
Stanford Linear Accelerator Center  
P.O. Box 4349  
Stanford, California 94309

Dear Dr. Richter:

It is my great pleasure to approve Critical Decision 4 (CD-4) for the BaBar Detector, pursuant to the authority that Dr. Martha A. Krebs has delegated to me. This major part of the B-Factory project, having detected the products of electron/positron collisions in the PEP-II storage ring, has now fully demonstrated readiness to proceed with the physics program for which it was conceived and built.

I would like to congratulate you, the SLAC staff, and in particular the BaBar construction management team of David Hitlin, Jonathan Dorfan, and Vera Luth for an exceptionally meritorious job. From the beginning, review teams expressed concern that the schedule was "very aggressive," with the implication that it was not obtainable. The BaBar collaboration proved them wrong, and the project has been brought in essentially on cost and ahead of the June 1999 milestone for CD-4—a very impressive accomplishment!

I look ahead, with pleasure, to a rich and productive physics program and especially to new insights into the origins of charge-parity (CP) violation. My best wishes to all of you for a successful project and for a physics program that amply fulfills all of its multi-faceted promise.

Sincerely,

John R. O'Fallon  
Director  
Division of High Energy Physics

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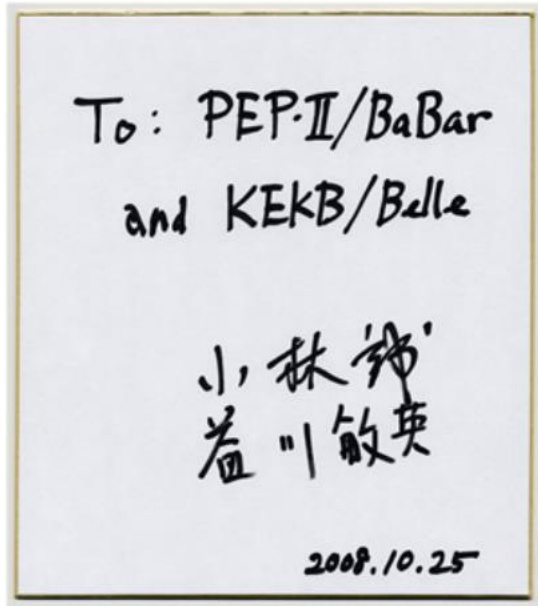
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D. Leith, SLAC  
V. Luth, SLAC

**May 26 1999 letter of commendation from John O'Fallon for the "exceptionally meritorious job. From the beginning, review teams expressed concern that the schedule was "very aggressive" with the implication that it was not obtainable. ]The Babar collaboration proved them wrong,...."**

# So How In Fact Did We Achieve “Going from Approval to 1st Physics in 6 years”?

I Said: “I believe there were the 4 key success drivers:

Well of course, there was an additional, critical driver



Kobayashi and Maskawa wrote: "Please accept our deepest respect for the B-factory achievements. In particular, the high-precision measurement of CP violation and the determination of the mixing parameters are great accomplishments, without which we would not have been able to earn the Prize." Japanese translated: first line (three characters) reads "Ko Bayashi Makoto". The second line (four characters) reads "Masu Kawa Toshi Hide".

## COMPETITION





# This presentation is dedicated to the memory of colleagues whose contributions to the SLAC B Factory were invaluable



Burt Richter



Bob Bell



Bill Davies White



Mike Zisman



Hobey DeStaebler



John Rees



Alexei Onuchin



Popat Patel



Roy Schwitters



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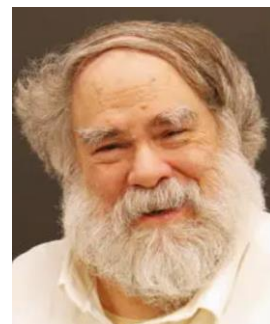
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# Extra Material



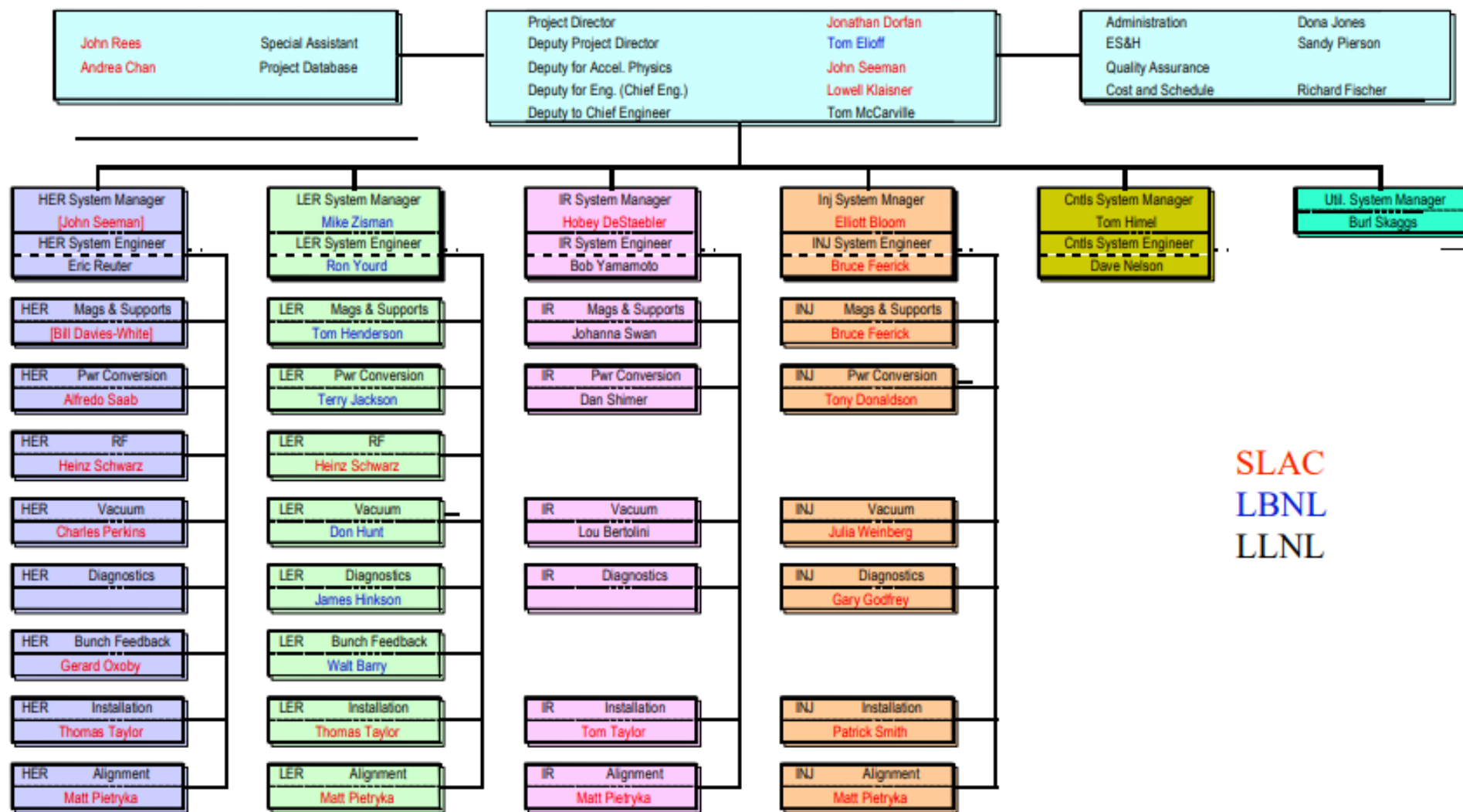
# The Path to Global Discovery: U.S. Leadership and Partnership in Particle Physics

*A report from the HEPAP International Benchmarking Subpanel*

3.4.1.2 The BABAR experiment Finding: BABAR was a highly successful U.S.-hosted international partnership. The BABAR experiment, which operated at SLAC's PEP-II B-factory until 2008, was initially host-led. However, it had a high degree of integration of its major international partners (Canada, France, Germany, Italy, and the U.K.). BABAR's founders sought to establish an international collaboration according to the CERN model. They sought and embraced international collaborators and their funding agencies very early in BABAR's inception. The full international collaboration was involved from the beginning in developing the conceptual design of the experiment and in establishing its governance structure. The governance structure of BABAR reflected its strong international partnership. The collaboration had a governance structure in which all partners were equal and collaboration leadership that was elected by the collaboration members. BABAR Project Management consisted of the Spokesperson, Deputy Spokesperson, Technical Coordinator, and Project Engineer. The Spokesperson, Deputy Spokesperson, and Technical Coordinator were elected by the Collaboration Council, consisting of representatives of collaborating institutions, and the Project Engineer was appointed. BABAR's governance structure incorporated an IFC (International Finance Committee) composed of partner funding agencies which provided not only project oversight but also served as a forum for finding shared solutions to challenges arising during experiment construction, operations, and upgrades. BABAR's IFC functioned similarly to the RRBs of the LHC experiments at CERN. The BABAR IFC was notable for its degree of engagement. The partners in BABAR also established and contributed to a common funds which paid for some infrastructure-like items. All partners found BABAR's shared governance and shared responsibility to be very successful, and the scientific success of BABAR is widely recognized.



# PEP-II Organization



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