



Quantum Technology Initiative

Phase 2

Planning the start of the activities

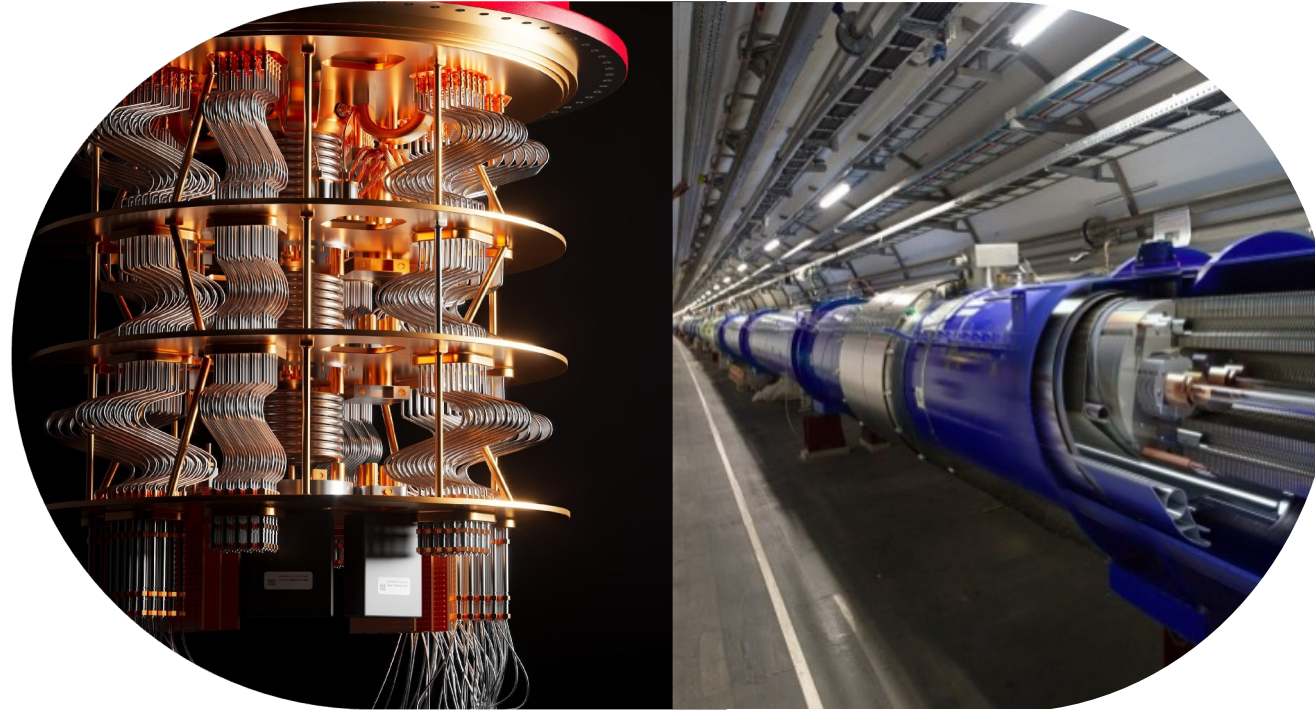
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How does CERN engage in Quantum Technologies?



QT4HEP

Develop technologies required by the CERN scientific programme

Integrate CERN to future quantum infrastructures

HEP4QT

Extend and share technologies available at CERN

Boost development and adoption of QT beyond CERN

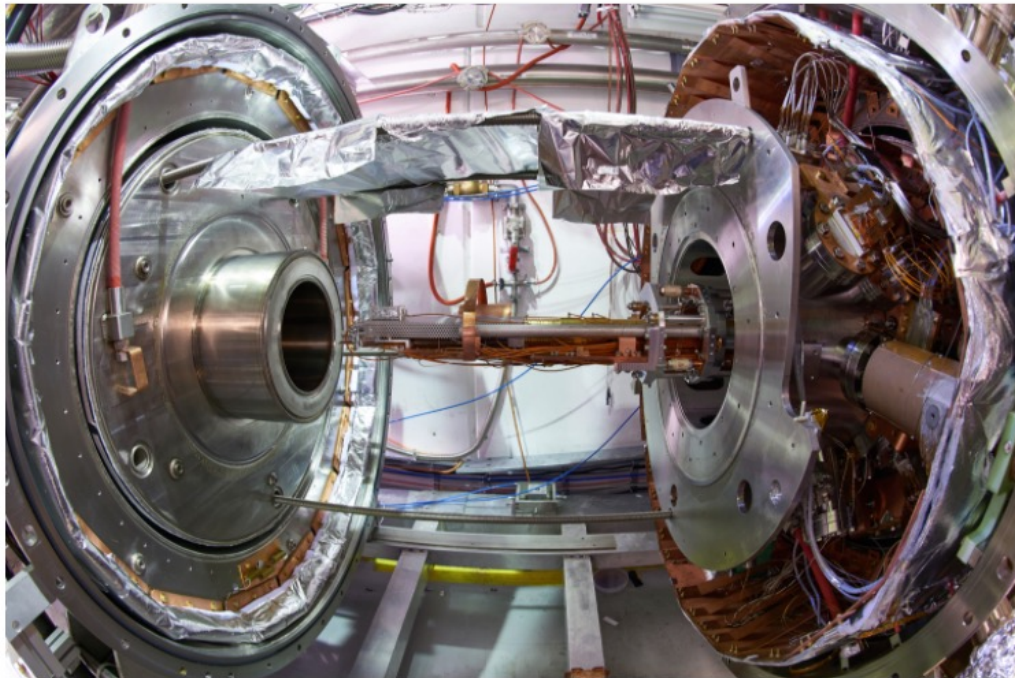
The CERN QTI launched in 2020

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CERN meets quantum technology

The CERN Quantum Technology Initiative will explore the potential of devices harnessing perplexing quantum phenomena such as entanglement to enrich and expand its challenging research programme

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The AEGIS 1T antimatter trap stack. CERN's AEGIS experiment is able to explore the multi-particle entangled nature of photons from positronium annihilation, and is one of several examples of existing CERN research with relevance to quantum technologies. (Image: CERN)

Main objectives

- Identify areas where CERN can make an impact
- Understand impact of quantum technology on CERN programme
- Collaborate with quantum initiatives in the CERN Member States
- Facilitate the collaboration across the HEP community and between HEP and the QuantumM tech. community

QTI Roadmap: <https://doi.org/10.5281/zenodo.5553774>

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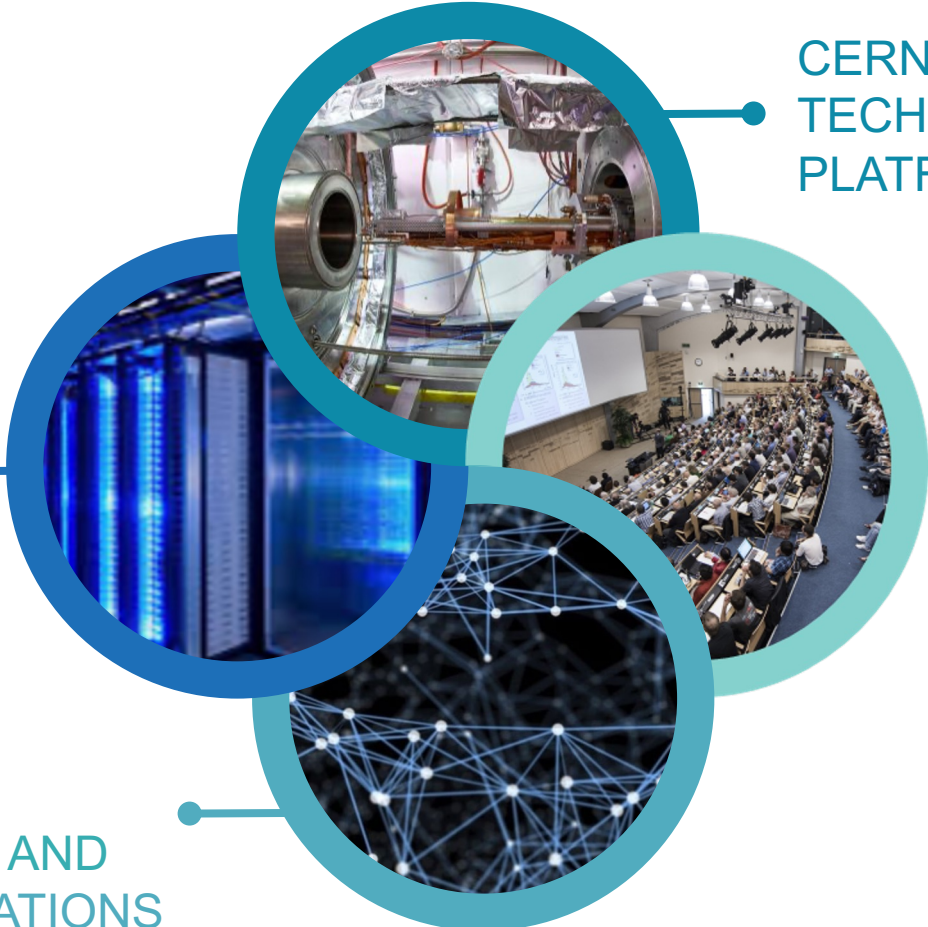
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HYBRID QUANTUM
COMPUTING AND
ALGORITHMS

QUANTUM
NETWORKS AND
COMMUNICATIONS

CERN QUANTUM
TECHNOLOGY
PLATFORMS

COLLABORATION
FOR IMPACT



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A 5 years research plan



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Strategy and Governance

Coordination

R&D

Partnerships



Joint HEP R&D Programmes

QTI Technical Experts Group



CERN Management



QTI Advisory Board
(representation of the Member States)



OQI Advisory Committee
(representation of the Member States and other OQI stakeholders)



QTI Programme Committee



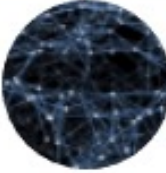
QOI Coordination Team



CoC1 Quantum Computing Infrastructures and Algorithms



CoC2 CERN Technologies Platforms Demonstrators



CoC3 Quantum Networks and Communications Hub



Open Quantum Institute



CoC4 Collaboration for Impact



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14/05/24



Research Program in IT

With BE and some contribution by TH

COC1: HYBRID QUANTUM COMPUTING AND ALGORITHMS

Prioritisation and expected impact	Objectives
Core objectives required for QTI 2 to be of impact	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Objective 1.1a: <u>Simulation</u> of high dimensional classical or quantum system on hybrid infrastructures • Objective 1.2a: Theoretical foundation of quantum machine learning algorithms • Objective 1.2b: Quantum algorithms for theory applications • Objective 1.2c: Quantum advantage modelling
Objectives that extend the reach and impact of the core	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Objective 1.3: Software development for control and calibration of qubits systems
Longer-term objectives that require additional resources	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Objective 1.1b: Distributed quantum <u>quantum internet</u> development • Objective 1.2c: Resource optimisation and green computing

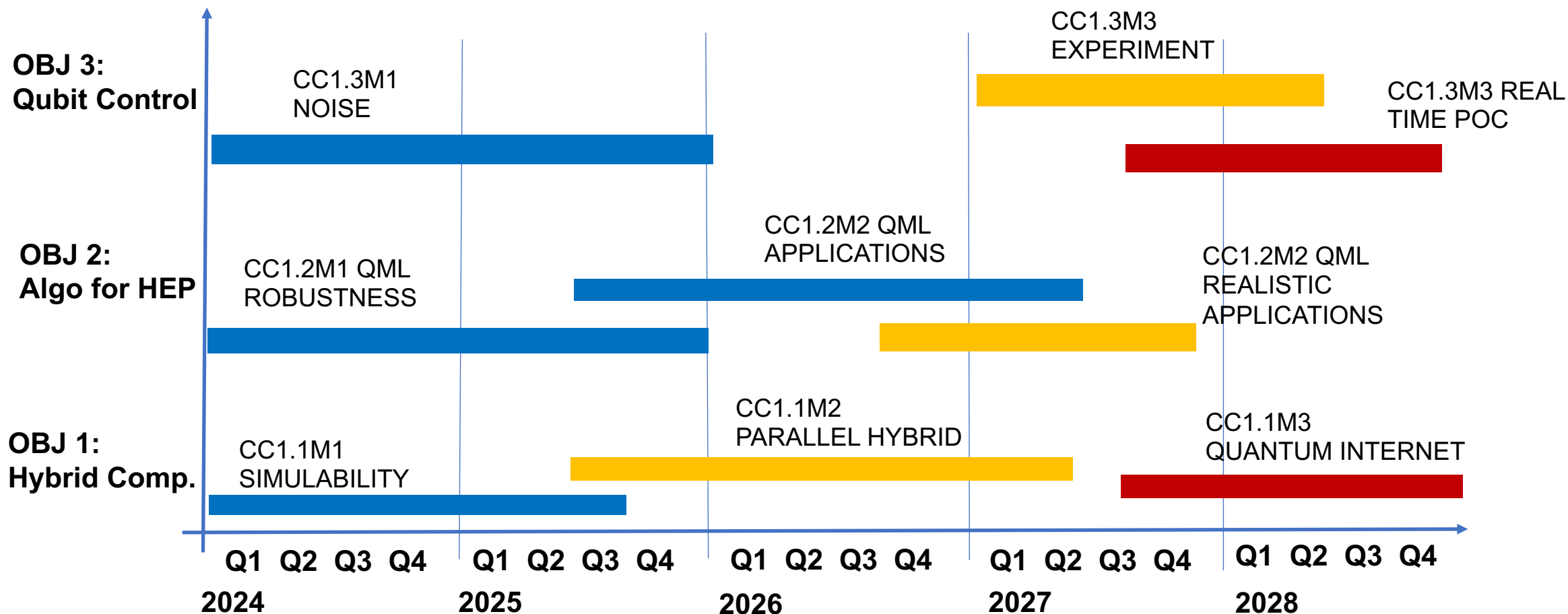
Table 2: Centre of Competence 1 High-Level Objectives and Priorities

COC3: QUANTUM NETWORKS AND COMMUNICATION

Prioritisation and expected impact	Objectives
Core objectives required for QTI 2 to be of impact	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Objective 3.1a: Setup of time, frequency and QKD infrastructure using White Rabbit • Objective 3.1b: Network interconnections with European partners for quantum communication and time dissemination • Objective 3.2a: deployment of time and frequency distribution service
Objectives that extend the reach and impact of the core	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Objective 3.1c: contribute to the standardisation of quantum communication <u>protocols</u> • Objective 3.1d: stretching the reach of quantum entanglement over longer <u>distances</u> • Objective 3.1e: demonstrate feasibility of reliable quantum entanglement communication together with traditional optical network communications over <u>Internet communication</u> fibres • Objective 3.2c: time and frequency synchronisation with national time services of neighbouring countries
Longer-term objectives that require additional resources	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Objective 3.1f: experiments with quantum repeaters

Table 13: Centre of Competence 3 High-Level Objectives

CoC1: MILESTONES TIMELINE



Simulation of high dimensional classical or quantum system on hybrid infrastructures 1.1a

Milestone

Topic

	Entanglement Forging
1.1M1	Simulability/stabilizer state
	Tensor Networks
1.1M2	Hybrid QML – classic preprocess (HPC)
1.1M3	quantum internet

Theoretical foundation of quantum machine learning algorithms 1.2 a

Milestone

Topic

1.2M2 QML applications

Generative model universality + HEP applic

1.3M1 Noise

Barren Plateau vs Noise

Physics and Symmetry (non-Hermitian)

1.2M1 QML robustness

Trainability and generalization QML

Topological Data (hep)

1.2M3 QML HEP application on HW

Quantum algorithms for theory applications 1.2 b

Milestone

Topic

1.2M2 QML applications

Event generation (QML - HEP)

Anomaly detection (NF)

Feynman diagram

Quantum HEP tool (Pythia etc)

Quantum advantage modelling 1.2 c

Milestone

Task

Quantum advantage
modelling

Performance across multiple Q HW

Noise vs Symmetry

Geometric ML and application (i.e. tracking)

Quantum advantage
modelling

Resource optimization – green computing

Software development for control and calibration of qubits systems 1.3

Milestone

Task

1.3M1 Noise on real HW

Validation of selected noise models on real hardware

1.3M2

Initial verification of theoretical results using the experimental infrastructure foreseen in CC2

1.3M3

Initial prototype demonstrating real time processing pipeline