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# Report on Task 5.1: MUST MUon collider STRategy network

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# Task structure and objectives

## Task 5.1: MUon colliders STRategy network (MUST) M1 – M48

- Support the effort to **design a muon collider** and to **project and plan the required R&D**
- **Consolidate the community** devoted to develop an international future facility
- Prepare the platform to **disseminate** the information (website, meetings, tools)



[..] an **international design study** for a **muon collider**  
**unique opportunity** to achieve a multi-TeV energy domain

**MUST plays a crucial role and is part of the international collaboration**

- **MS15:** International workshop on muon source design    **M18**    → *Report*
- **MS16:** International workshop to define R&D plans    **M36** → **Report delayed M40**
- **D5.1:** International collaboration plans towards a multi-TeV muon collider    **M46**

# International Muon Collider Collaboration IMCC @ CERN

Web page: <http://muoncollider.web.cern.ch>



[Towards a Muon Collider](#) *Eur.Phys.J.C* 83 (2023) 9, 864

Project Leader: *Daniel Schulte*

## Objective:

In time for the **next European Strategy for Particle Physics Update**, the Design Study based at CERN since 2020 aims to **establish whether the investment into a full CDR and a demonstrator is scientifically justified**. It will **provide a baseline concept**, ..... It will also **identify an R&D path to demonstrate the feasibility of the collider**.

## Scope:

Focus on the high-energy frontier and two energy ranges:

- **3 TeV** if possible with technology ready for construction in 10-20 years
- **10+ TeV** with more advanced technology, **the reason to choose muon colliders**
- Explore synergies with other facilities' options (neutrino/higgs factory)
- Define **R&D path**



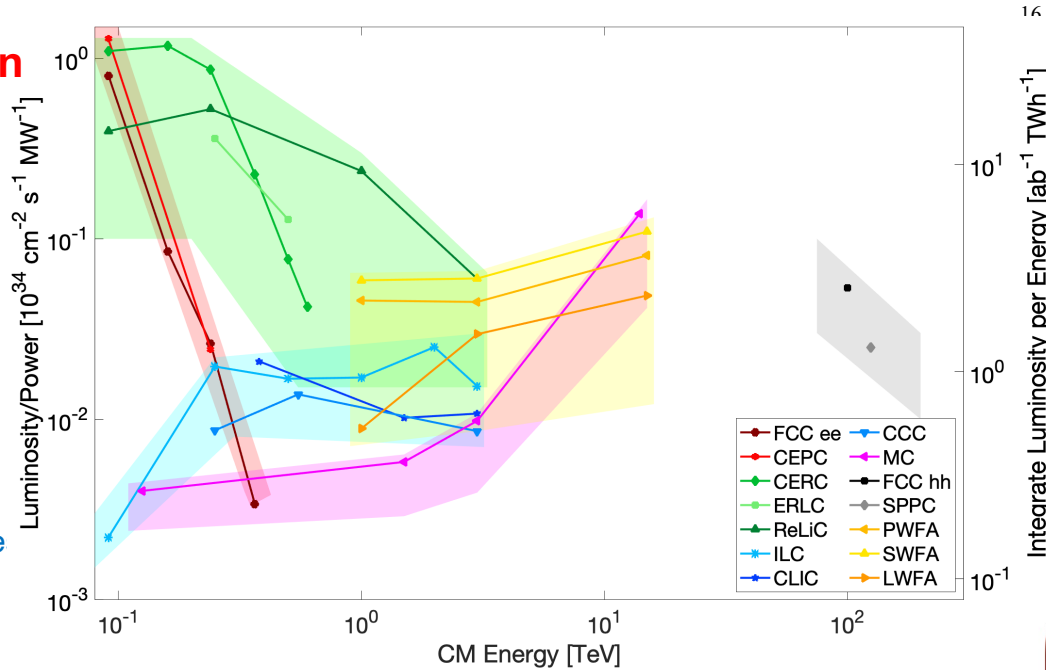
**NEW ESPPU**  
Input documents  
due by  
**March 31 2025**

# Energy efficiency of present and future colliders

Thomas Roser et al., [Report of the Snowmass 2021 Collider Implementation Task Force](#), Aug 2022

## Luminosity per power consumption

- Figure-of-merit Peak Luminosity (per IP) per Input Power and Integrated Luminosity per TWh.
- Luminosity is per IP and integrated luminosity assumes  $10^7$  sec/year
- Data points are provided to the ITF by proponents of the respective machine
- The bands around the data points reflect approximate power consumption uncertainty for the different collider concepts.



The effective energy reach of hadron colliders (LHC, HE-LHC and FCC-hh) is approximately a factor of seven lower than that of a lepton collider operating at the same energy per beam

## Muon Collider

<b>Direct searches</b> Pair production, Resonances, VBF, Dark Matter, ...	<b>High-rate measurements</b> Single Higgs, self coupling, rare and exotic Higgs decays, top quarks, ...	<b>High-energy probes</b> Di-boson, di-fermion, tri-boson, EFT, compositeness, ...	<b>Muon physics</b> Lepton Flavor Universality, $b \rightarrow s\mu\mu$ , muon g-2, ...
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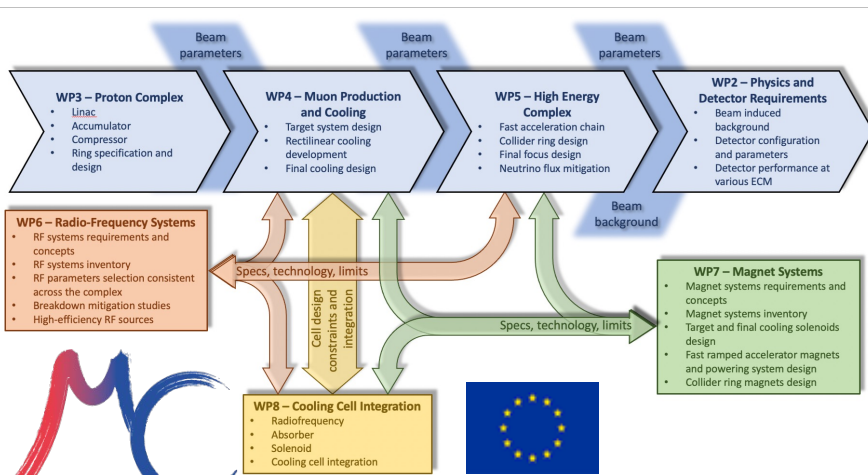
## Unique physics potential



# Recent progress

## MuCol – EU INFRA-DEV project A Design Study for a Muon Collider complex at 10 TeV center of mass

- Strong commitment of the International Community** to:
- ✓ consolidate the baseline design of the facility at 10+ TeV
  - ✓ design/optimize the facility and the experiment: **R&D plan**
  - ✓ identify priorities and synergies



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<https://mucol.web.cern.ch/>

Tentative parameters available

**Accelerator R&D Roadmap**

**implementation**

**Detector R&D Roadmap**

**implementation → DRD collaborations**

**Interim Report ready to be submitted**

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<https://www.usparticlephysics.org/2023-p5-report/>

**Now preparing for formal U.S. Community engagement after P5 Report**



# Key Challenges of the facility

- Initial focus on two energy ranges:
  - 3 TeV technology ready for construction in 10-20 years
  - 10+ TeV with more advanced technology

**NEW OPTION:** initial 10 TeV stage at reduced luminosity

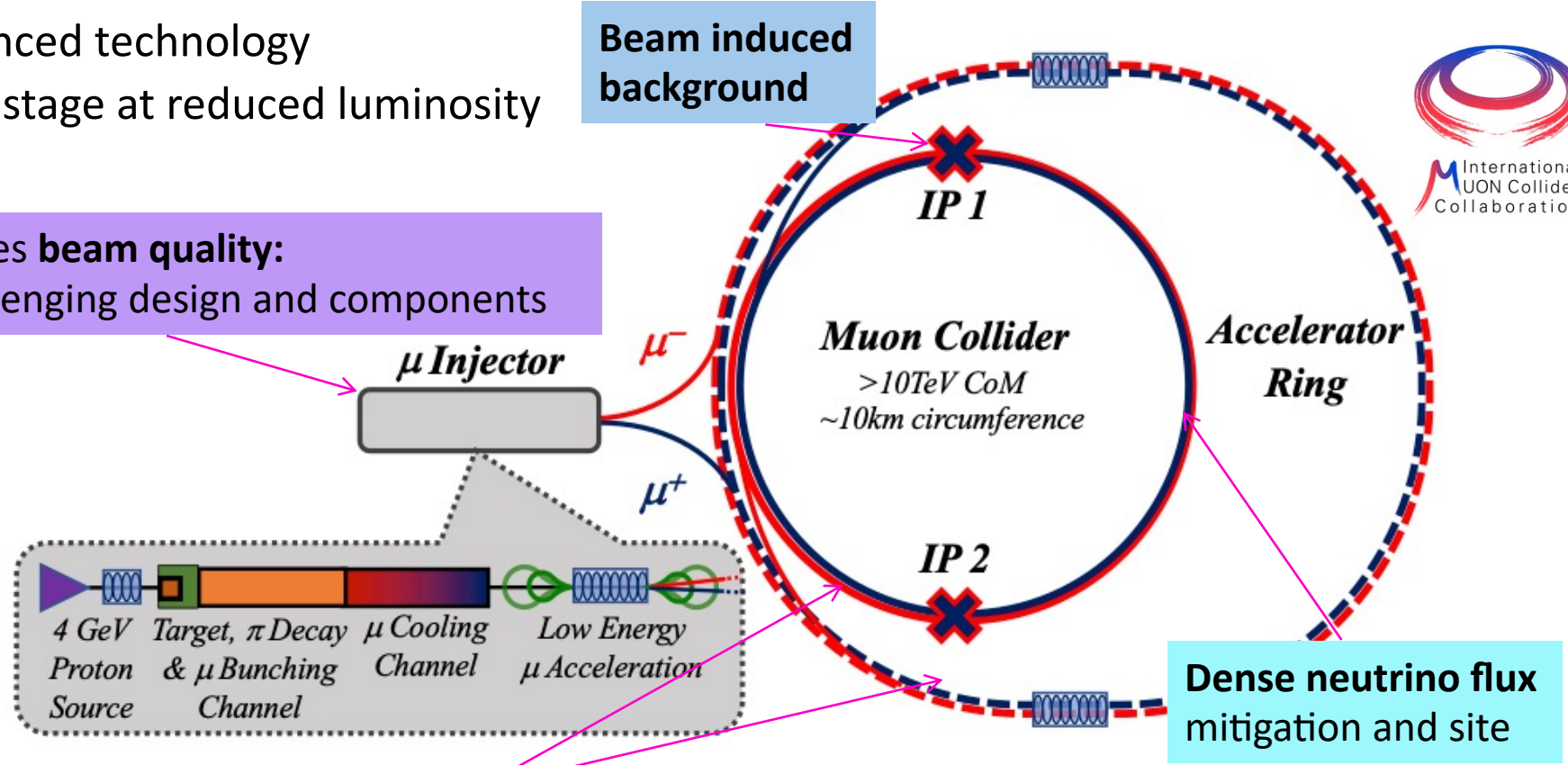
**Proton driver production**  
**Baseline @ International Design Study**



Drives **beam quality:**  
 challenging design and components

$\sqrt{s}$	$\int \mathcal{L} dt$
3 TeV	1 ab <sup>-1</sup>
10 TeV	10 ab <sup>-1</sup>
14 TeV	20 ab <sup>-1</sup>

**10+ TeV**  
 completely new  
 regime  
 to explore!



**Cost and power consumption drivers, limit energy reach**  
 e.g. 30 km accelerator for 10/14 TeV, 10/14 km collider ring

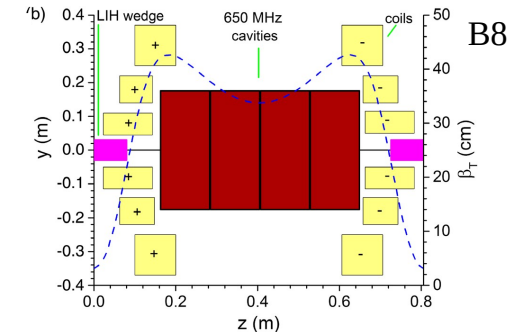
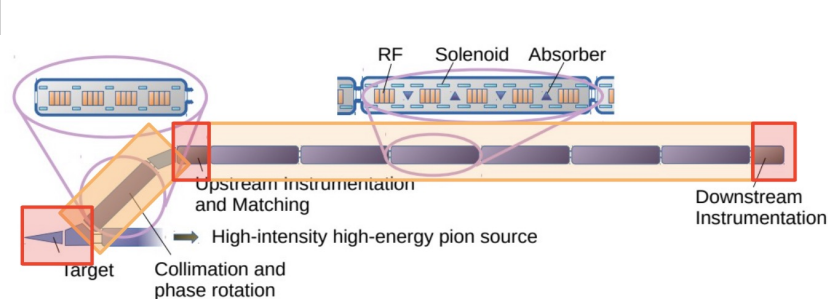
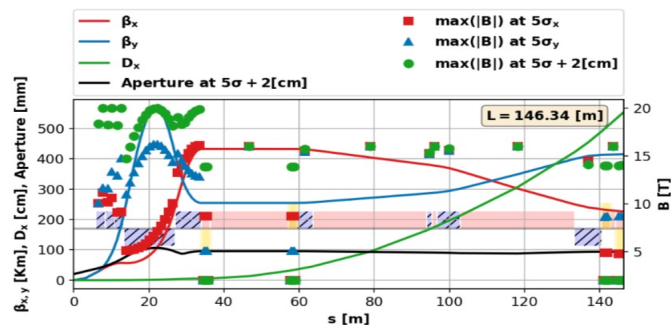
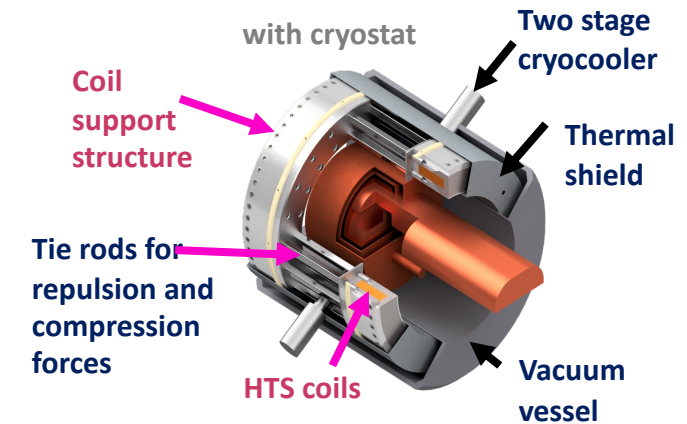
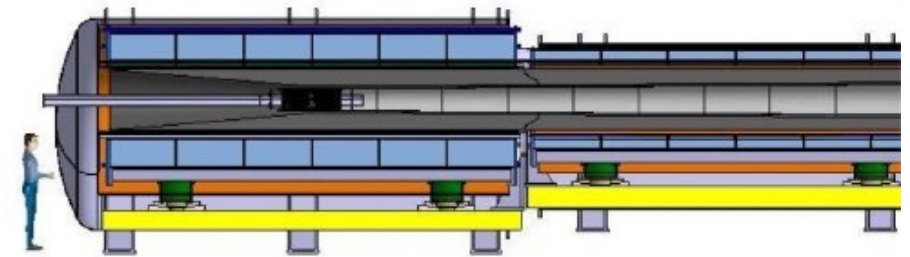
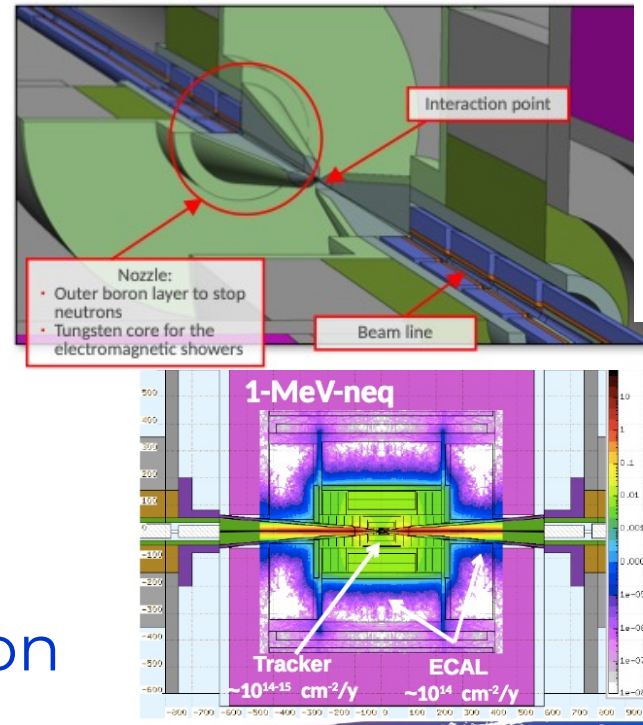
[Muon Collider Forum Report](#)



# Summary of activities towards R&D plans

Each WP is working to identify challenges and R&D plans towards a baseline design:

- Physics and MDI
- Proton complex
- Target design
- Muon Cooling
- Accelerator Complex
- Collider Ring
- RF Technology
- Magnet Technology
- Cooling cell integration
- Demonstrator



# R&D plans – timelines – priorities



Fully included in the agenda of the next

**International Annual Meeting @ CERN March 12-15, 2024**

→ **MDI workshop @ CERN March 11-12, 2023**

→ **first lattice at the 10 TeV centre of mass energy → Machine Detector Interface (MDI)**

→ **RF and magnet technology (including HTS) test plans are on-going**

→ **Integration of a cooling cell → Planning for a demonstrator is mandatory**

→ **MuCol Cooling cell Workshop @ CERN January 18-19, 2024**

→ **Interim Report @ Accelerator R&D Roadmap and MuCol**

→ All progress on technology studies, design study of each component and first lattice @ 10 TeV

→ Machine Detector Interface (MDI) Design → Beam Induced Background mitigation

→ **Experiment Design @ 10 TeV → Detector Magnet choice and design under study**

→ **IMCC Detector and MDI workshop** → Detector R&D and Full simulation studies



# Cooling Channel towards a Demonstrator

## TO DESIGN A HIGH-EFFICIENT IONIZATION COOLING CHANNEL:

- the performance of a normal conducting cavity may degrade when the cavity is operated in strong magnetic fields
- the magnetic fields cause RF cavity breakdown at high gradients

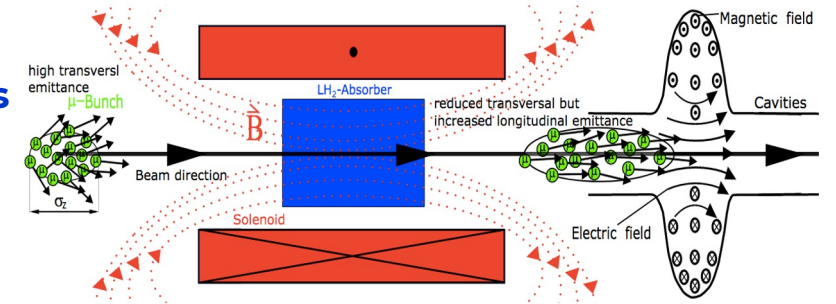
## Targeted R&D is required - Dedicated Test stand (RFMF)

- design and machine prototypes for a compact full scale cavity (power coupler and full set of diagnostics) able to fit within **a solenoid with a useful bore of maximum 450-500 mm**
- design of the split coil for the RF cavities test and test of
- **new technology for HTS coils**, based on NI (non-insulated) winding

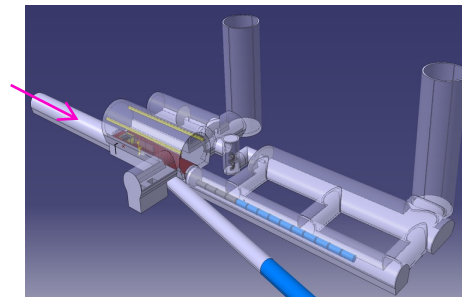
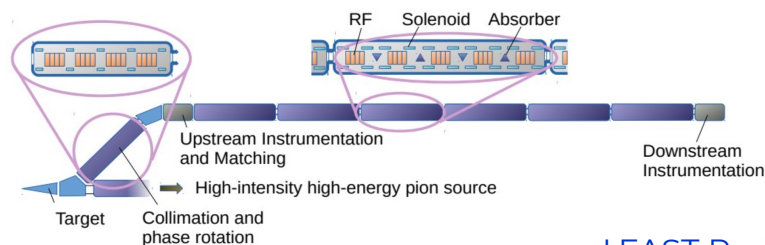
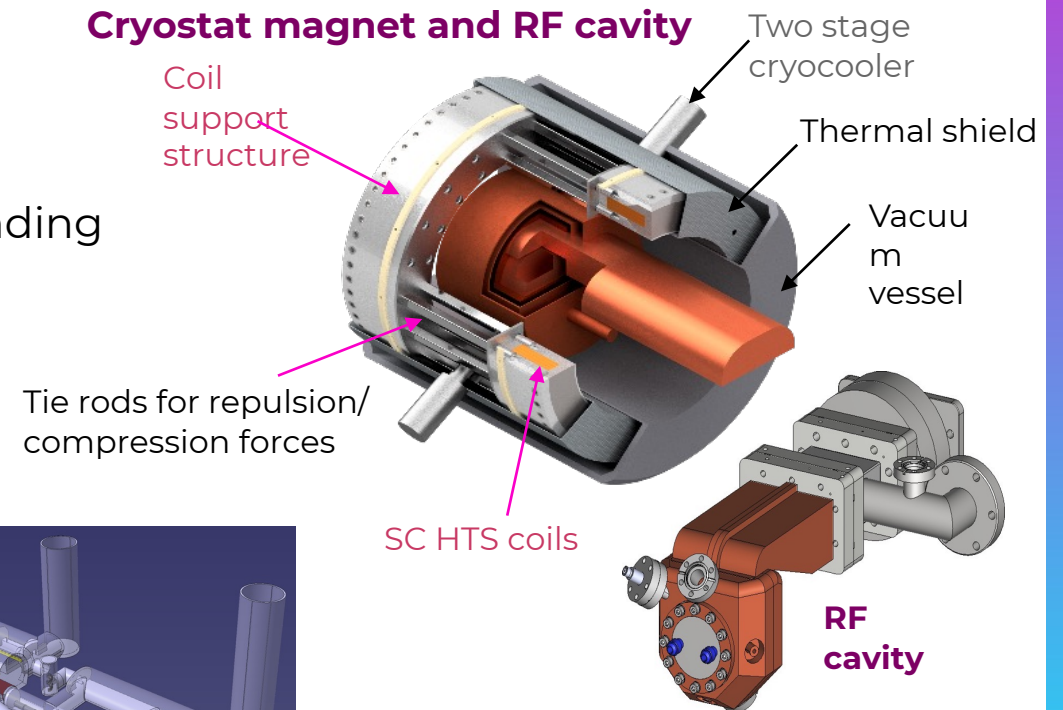
Planning **demonstrator facility @ CERN and @ FNAL** with muon production target and cooling stations

Suitable **site exists** on CERN land and can use **PS proton beam**

- could combine with **NuStorm** or other option



## Cryostat magnet and RF cavity



# Step forward

**MUST** will support to establish an **international collaboration** and develop an **optimized R&D roadmap** towards a future muon collider, including the definition of **optimum test facilities and possible intermediate steps**

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- **Evaluation report**

Including cost and power consumption scale estimate

- **R&D plan:** magnets, RF test-end, cooling

This requires some scenarios and timeline

*Investigating synergies on physics and technologies*

- **Initial study for the demonstrator**



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# Accelerator R&D Roadmap

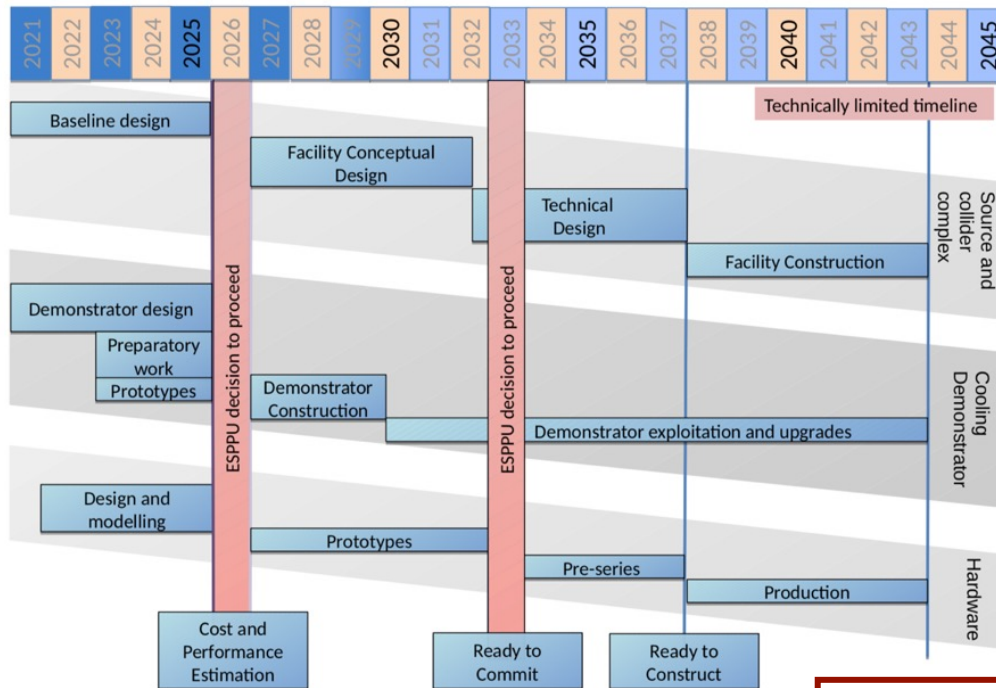


## Bright Muon Beams and Muon Colliders

Panel members: **D. Schulte**, (Chair), M. Palmer (Co-Chair), T. Arndt, A. Chancé, J. P. Delahaye, A. Faus-Golfe, S. Gilardoni, P. Lebrun, K. Long, E. Métral, N. Pastrone, L. Quettier, T. Raubenheimer, C. Rogers, M. Seidel, D. Stratakis, A. Yamamoto  
 Associated members: A. Grudiev, R. Losito, D. Lucchesi

presented to CERN Council in December 2021  
 published <https://arxiv.org/abs/2201.07895>  
 now under implementation by LDG + Council...

### Technically limited timeline



**Development path to deliver a 3 TeV muon collider by 2045**

### Scenarios

Aspirational		Minimal	
[FTE y]	[kCHF]	[FTE y]	[kCHF]
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**~ 70 Meu/5 years**

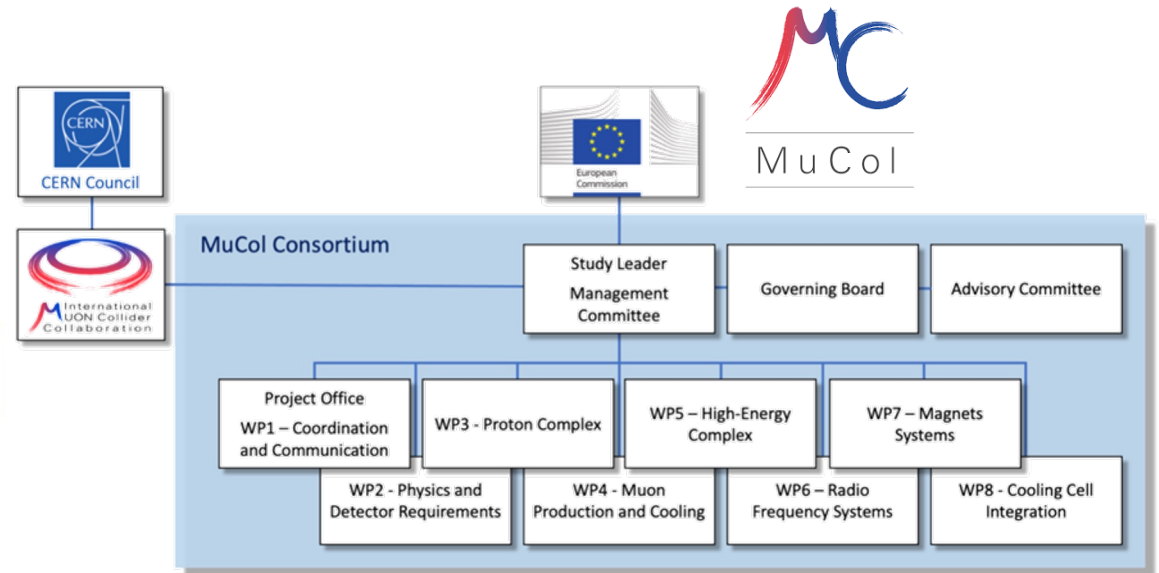
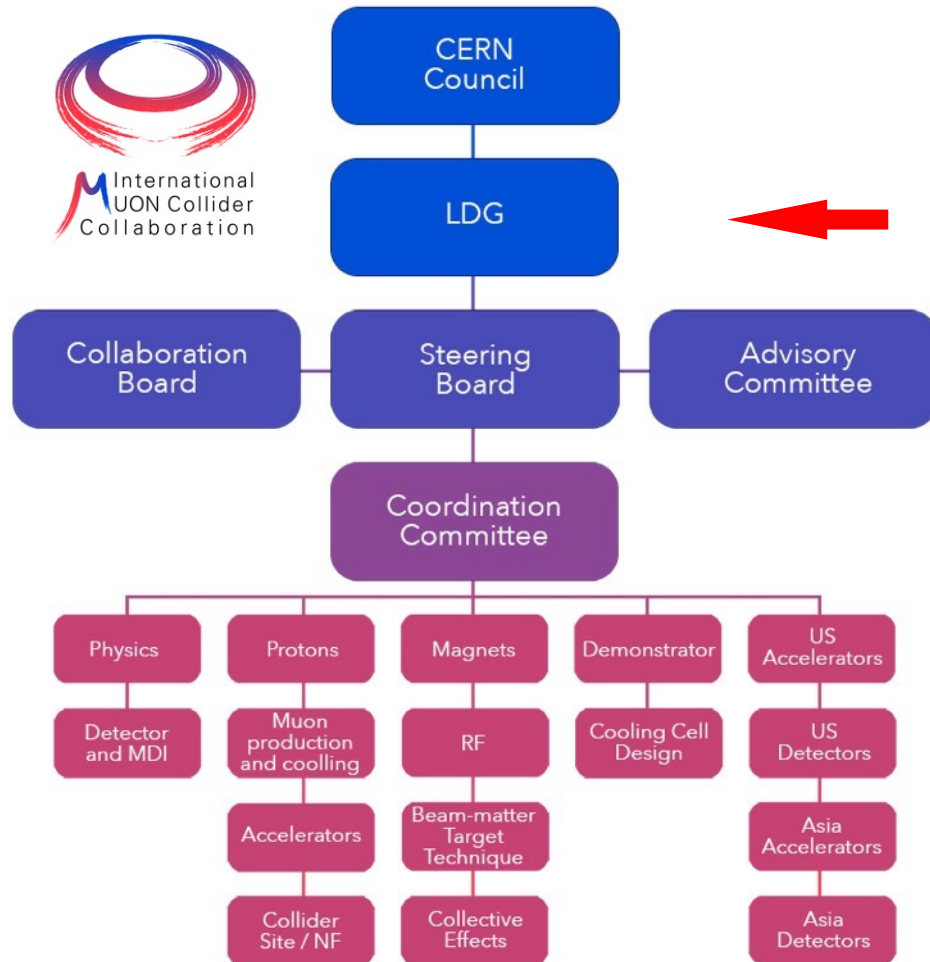
## Roadmap Plan

Label	Begin	End	Description	Aspirational		Minimal	
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MC.SITE	2021	2025	Site and layout	15.5	300	13.5	300
MC.NF	2022	2026	Neutrino flux mitigation system	22.5	250	0	0
MC.MDI	2021	2025	Machine-detector interface	15	0	15	0
MC.ACC.CR	2022	2025	Collider ring	10	0	10	0
MC.ACC.HE	2022	2025	High-energy complex	11	0	7.5	0
MC.ACC.MC	2021	2025	Muon cooling systems	47	0	22	0
MC.ACC.P	2022	2026	Proton complex	26	0	3.5	0
MC.ACC.COLL	2022	2025	Collective effects across complex	18.2	0	18.2	0
MC.ACC.ALT	2022	2025	High-energy alternatives	11.7	0	0	0
MC.HFM.HE	2022	2025	High-field magnets	6.5	0	6.5	0
MC.HFM.SOL	2022	2026	High-field solenoids	76	2700	29	0
MC.FR	2021	2026	Fast-ramping magnet system	27.5	1020	22.5	520
MC.RF.HE	2021	2026	High Energy complex RF	10.6	0	7.6	0
MC.RF.MC	2022	2026	Muon cooling RF	13.6	0	7	0
MC.RF.TS	2024	2026	RF test stand + test cavities	10	3300	0	0
MC.MOD	2022	2026	Muon cooling test module	17.7	400	4.9	100
MC.DEM	2022	2026	Cooling demonstrator design	34.1	1250	3.8	250
MC.TAR	2022	2026	Target system	60	1405	9	25
MC.INT	2022	2026	Coordination and integration	13	1250	13	1250
			Sum	445.9	11875	193	2445



# Project organization

## International Muon Collider Collaboration



## MuCol EU Design Study

**Memorandum of Cooperation @ CERN**  
**19 countries: IT, US, UK, FR, DE, CH, ES...**  
**... CHI, KO, IN..... Interest from Japan**  
**80 institutes**

IMCC included as: **“Experiments and Projects under Study”**  
<https://greybook.cern.ch/experiment/detail?id=IMCC>



# Accelerator Key Challenge Areas

- Impact on the environment
  - The **neutrino flux mitigation** and its impact on the site (first concept exists)
  - The **machine induced background** impact the detector, and might limit the physics
- **High-energy systems** after the cooling (acceleration, collision, ...)
  - Fast-ramping magnet systems
  - High-field magnets (in particular for 10+ TeV)
    - Some technology challenges more important at 10 than at 3 TeV
      - higher dipoles fields in collider (O(15 T))
      - stronger final focus quadrupoles (O(18-20 T))
      - shorter bunches in cavities of last accelerator ring
      - more performant accelerator ring systems to cut length and cost
- **High-quality muon beam production**
  - Special RF and high peak power
  - Superconducting solenoids
  - Cooling string demonstration (cooling cell engineering design, demonstrator design)
- **Full accelerator chain**
  - e.g. proton complex with H- source, compressor ring → test of target material