### **WP2-3 Update**

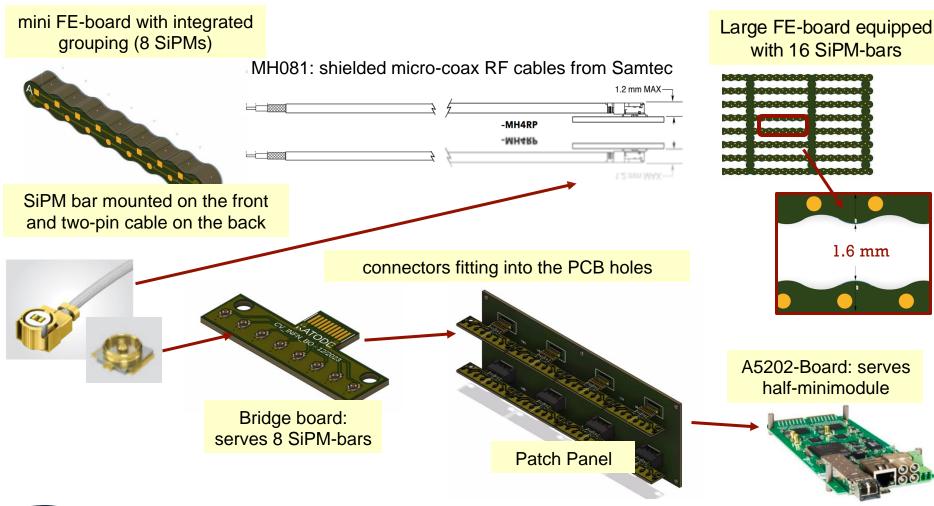






# Mechanical integration and cabling of the Highly granular modules

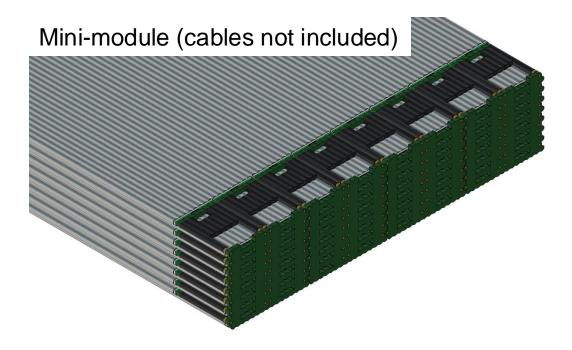






## Highly granular module: Integration

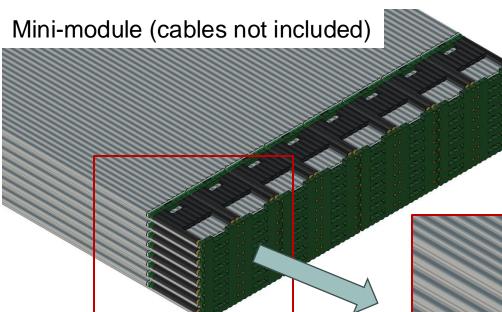






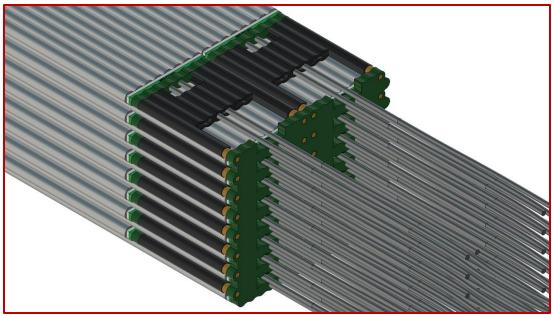
## Highly granular module: Integration





¼ of a mini-module

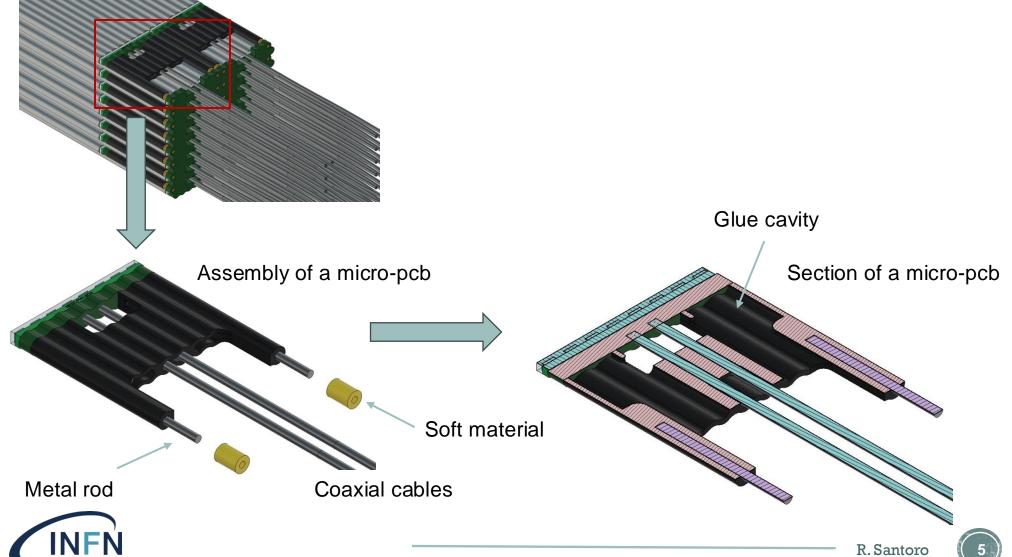
- 16 micro-pcb (1 SiPM module each)
- 1 macro-pcb (16 SiPM modules)
  - Alignment pins
  - Support structure with metal rods





## Highly granular module integration

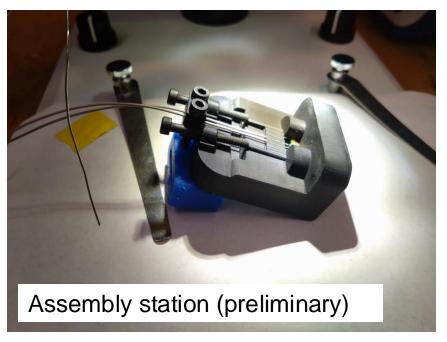


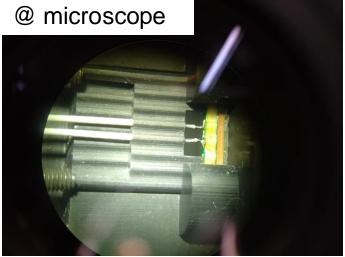


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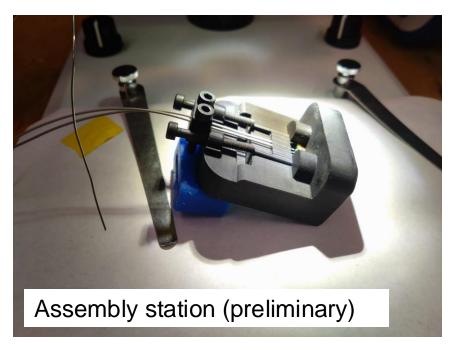


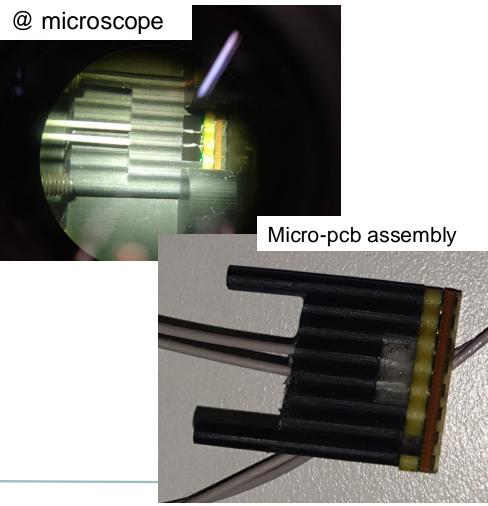


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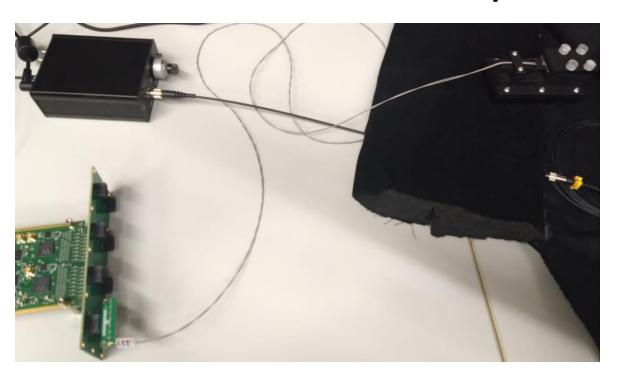


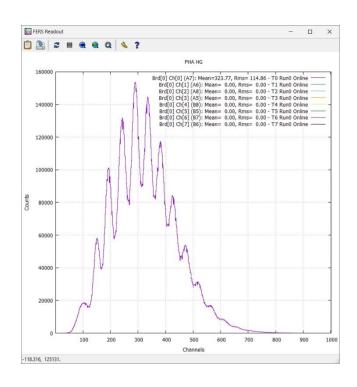


### Micro pcb qualification



- 15 mu pitch (@ 5V over) with grouping and final components!
  - SiPM bar reworked from old assembly





□ Results from 10 mu pitch will come soon



## Components delivery and production



- □ SiPMs
  - □ 15mu pitch: 572/672 (delivered)
    - expected delivery time for the missing 100: Dec2024
  - □ 10mu pitch: 672/672 (delivered)
- □ PCB design and production
  - Micro-pcb: ready for production
  - Macro-pcb: ready for production
  - Patch panel: ready for production
  - Bridge board: ready for production
- We are in contact with SCEN for the full production
  - Full order to be finalized by the end of this year



## Samtec saga



- We need 3000 cables (INFN) and 3000 pcb-connectors (SCEN)
- □ Offers @ Feb24
  - □ 1.95 euro / cable (qt 3000)
  - 0.8 euro / pcb-connector (qt 3000)
- Offers @ March24 (prototypes for electrical qualification)
  - □ 2.65 euro / cable (qt 200) -> expected
  - 0.8 euro / pcb-connector (qt 50) -> better than expected
- Final offers @ Sept24 (ready for production)
  - □ 5.5 euro / cable (qt 3000) -> unbelievable!
  - ?? / pcb-connector (SCEN will contact Samtec)
- □ Actions:
  - We had immediately a meeting with samtec to investigate the situation
  - Alternatives under study



## Samtec saga



- We are waiting for the final offer from Samtec
- 4 additional companies already contacted
  - HIROSE
  - I-PEX
  - MOLEX
  - Lighthorse (assembly company with I-PEX cables)
- HIROSE and I-PEX have alternatives mechanically compatible with our specs, electrical quality to be assess
- MOLEX has similar solutions, to be checked
- We are in the process of getting offers from all of them
  - □ Lighthorse: 4.05 USD/ cable (qt 3000) -> 3.66 euro (as of today!)

