Alice overview New detector and chamber

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The ALICE smaller diameter beampipe

ALICE wants to install a new beampipe in LS2. The reason is to build a new silicon tracker with greatly improved features in terms of determination of the distance of closest approach to the primary vertex, tracking efficiency at low transverse momenta, and read-out rate capabilities.

First request in LEB meeting 16.9.2010. Several options evaluated since then: outer diameter 3.4cm to 4cm, and wall thickness down to 500um.

The TDR for new ITS has recently been submitted to LHCC, and presented at the LHCC week the 2nd of December. Another detector, the MFT, has in the meantime been approved.

New beampipe ready for final LEB submission:

Outer diameter: 3.6cm (6cm now) and wall thickness of 0.8mm

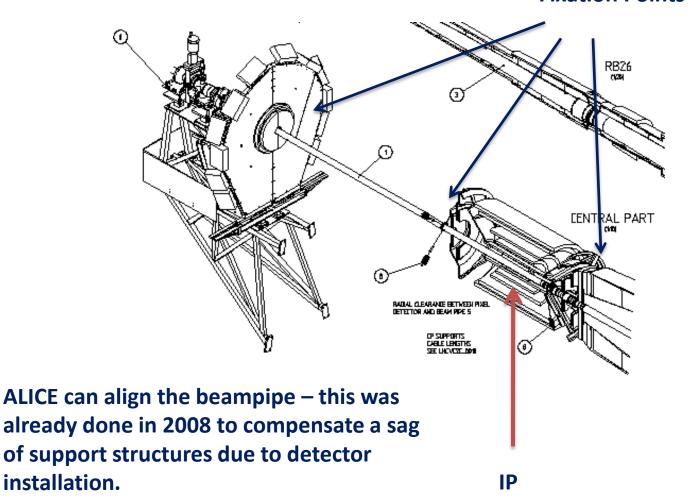
Length: 550cm (+68cm wrt present pipe)

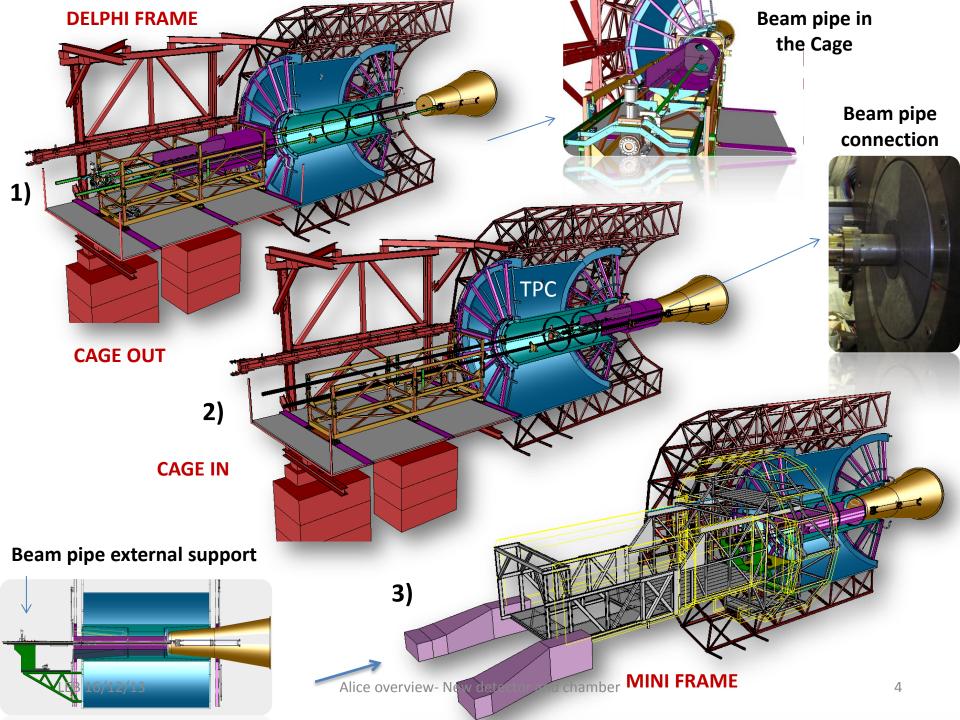
Bellows and flanges in Al (instead of SS)

Remote bakeout

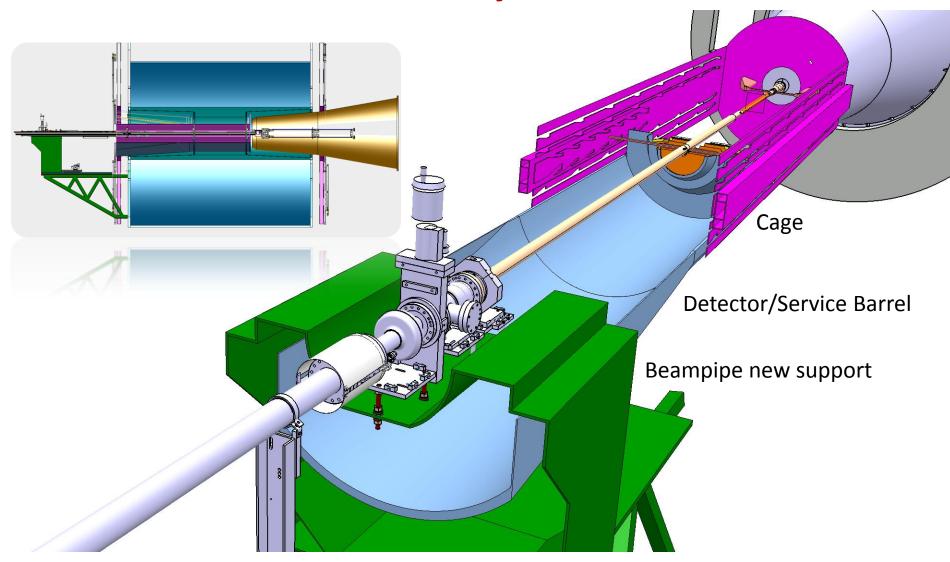
Present central beampipe

Fixation Points

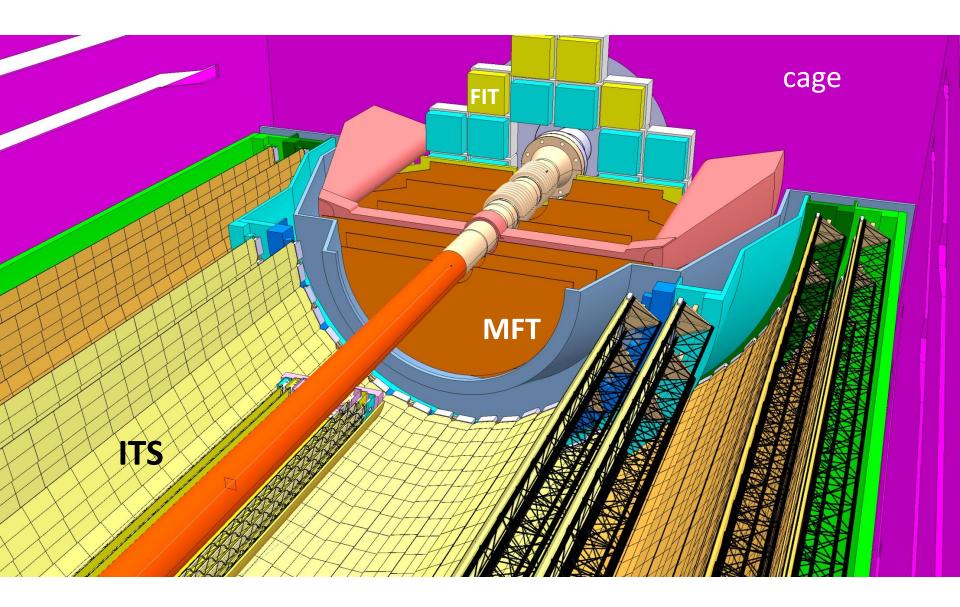




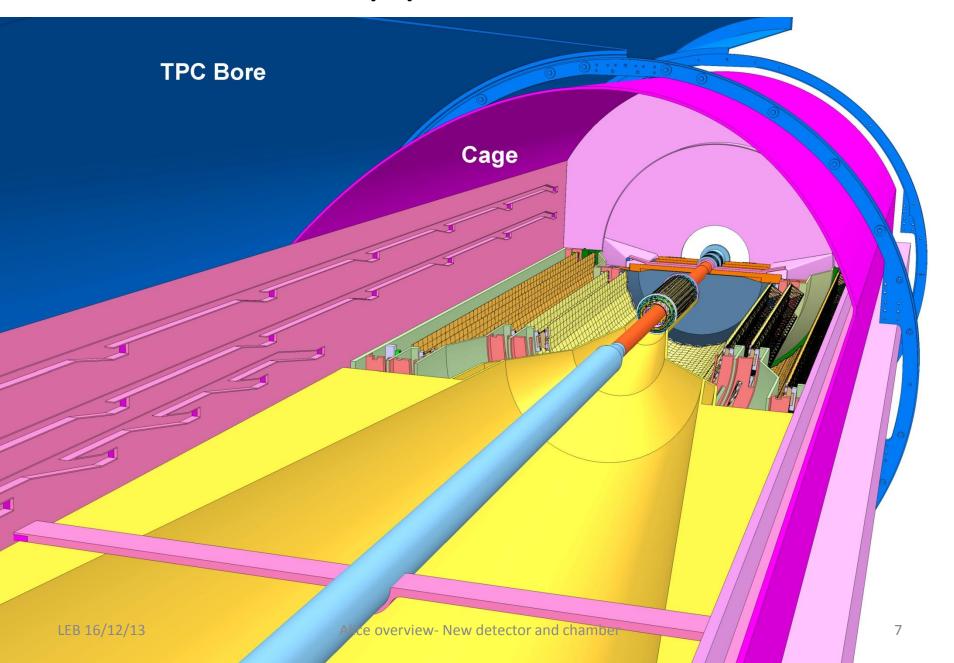
New layout



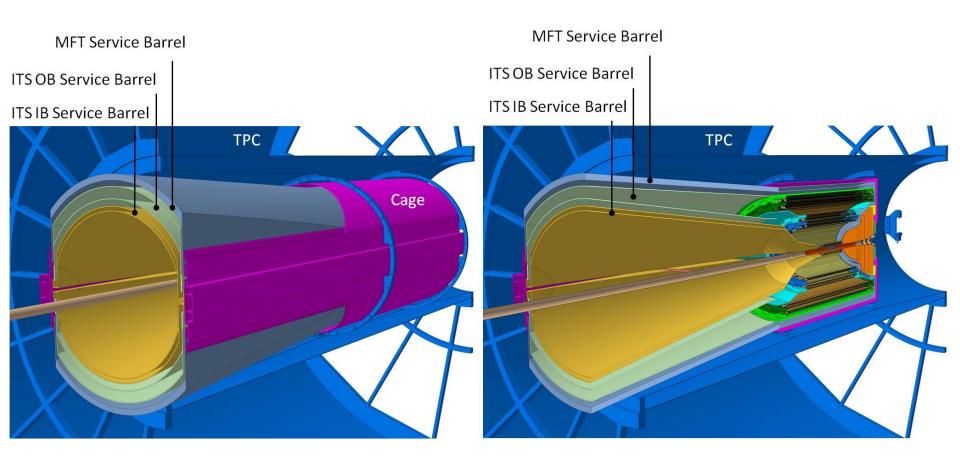
ALICE beam pipe central section, C-side



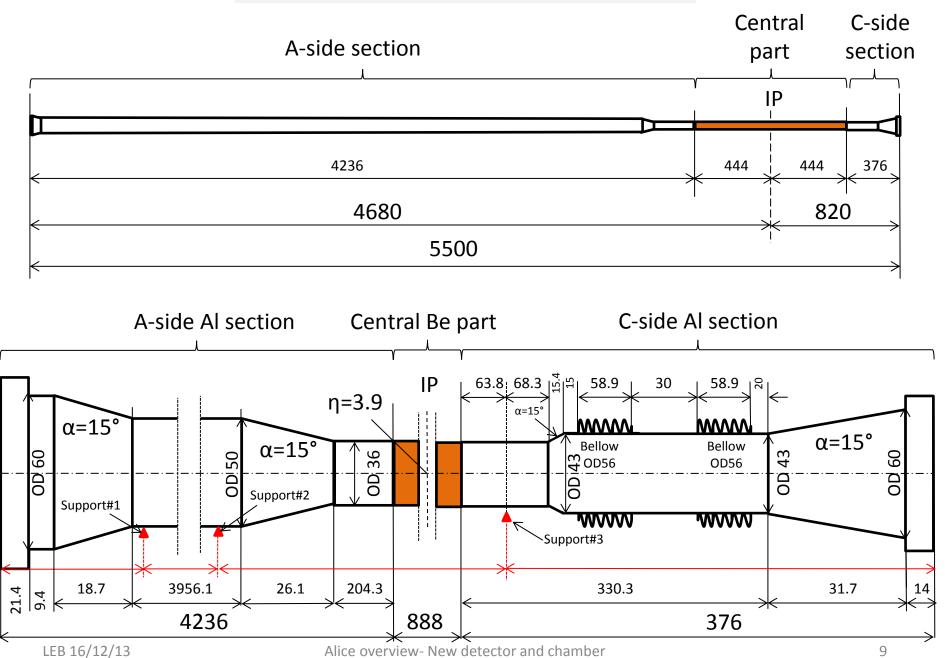
ALICE beam pipe central section



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Layout new ALICE central beampipe (LS2) v6

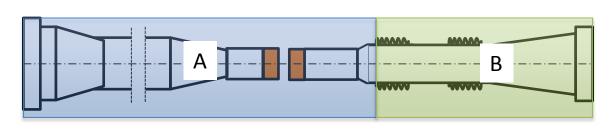


All dimensions in mm. Wall thickness 800μm everywhere (bellow thickness 300μm)

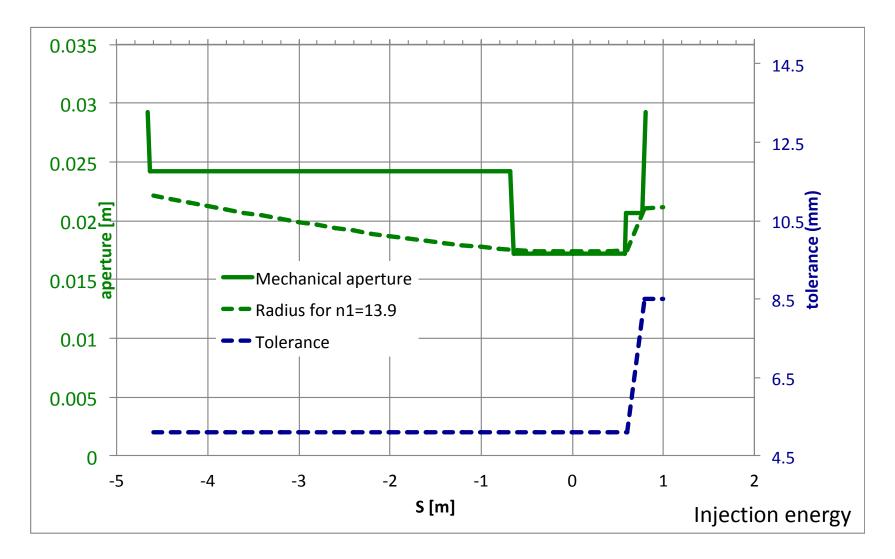
Tolerances

| Quantity | Central part (A) | C-side part (B) |
|---------------------------------------|----------------------|-----------------|
| Construction and deflection | 0.6mm ⁽¹ | 0.5mm |
| Mechanical adjustment precision | 1.5mm ⁽² | 0.5mm |
| Survey to beamline uncertainty | 1.5mm ⁽³ | |
| Quad fiducial to beamline uncertainty | 0.5mm ⁽³ | |
| L3 movement | <0.5mm ⁽⁴ | |
| B field movement | <0.5mm | <5mm |
| Linear sum | 5.1mm | 8.5mm |

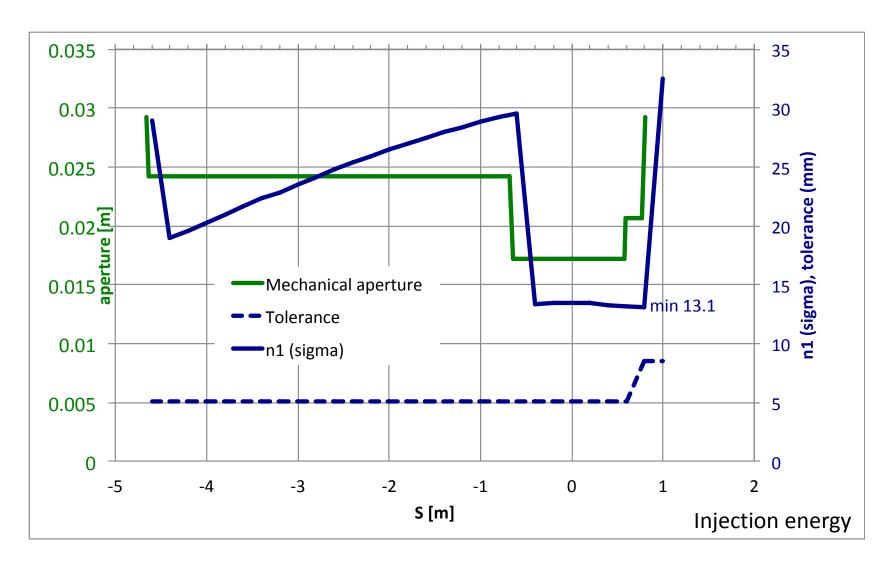
- 1) LEB 21.3.12
- 2) LEB 4.11.10
- 3) LEB 22.2.12
- 4) LEB 23.3.12



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Conclusions

- ALICE wants to install a new beampipe in LS2, with central section, 3.6cm OD and 88.8cm long, in Be
- The tolerances are 5.1mm (central part) and 8.5mm (C-side part)
- With these tolerances the n1 min (at injection) is around 13.1 sigma, and is located at the C-side of the pipe → to be confirmed by Massimo