

# Magnet alignment challenges for future accelerators

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# Agenda

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### Outline

- 3 steps of magnet alignment:
  - Fiducialisation
  - Pre-alignment on common support
  - Alignment in the tunnel
  - State of the art versus requirements
- Two examples from the CLIC project:
  - DB quadrupole
  - MB quadrupole

# Steps of alignment

## Fiducialisation

Fiducialisation: determination of the magnetic axis w.r.t. external targets

→ SU case: determination of the mechanical axis w.r.t. fiducials

Choice function of...

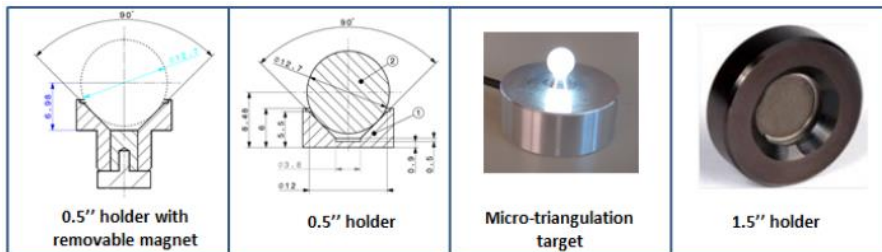
Fiducials:

- Size of the magnet
- Means of measurements
- Configuration
- Fixation



Means of measurements:

- Precision / accuracy required
- Size, weight of the magnet
- Environment

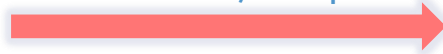


# Steps of alignment

Fiducialisation

Means of measurements

More accurate, less portable



Portable measuring arm



Laser Tracker



CMM



- MPEp:  $8 \mu\text{m}$  ( $2\sigma$ )
- Measurement uncertainty:  $\pm 15 \mu\text{m} + 6 \mu\text{m/m}$  (AT401)
- MPEE:  $0.3 \mu\text{m} + 1 \text{ ppm}$
- Major axis stroke = 1.2 m

In some cases, this step is complicated by the fact that there is a cryostat  
→ monitoring of cryo-mass inside the cryostat needed (WPM, FSI under study for HL-LHC).

# Steps of alignment

## Pre-alignment on common support

- ✓ Several magnets on the same girder
  - Fiducialisation of all magnets needed + support
  - Transfer between referential frames of components and support guaranteed by measurements
- ✓ Coupling of BPM to quadrupole for example (the offsets of the reference axes must be known)
- ✓ During the pre-alignment process on the support, it is important to have accurate & precise means of measurements combined with accurate means of adjustment (shims are not recommended for micrometric adjustments).

# Steps of alignment

## Alignment in tunnel

w.r.t to the geodetic network

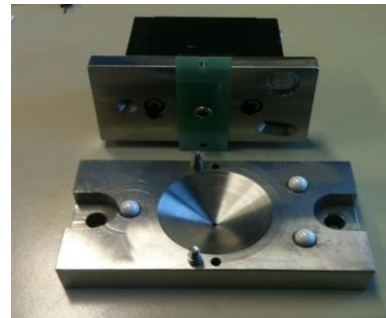
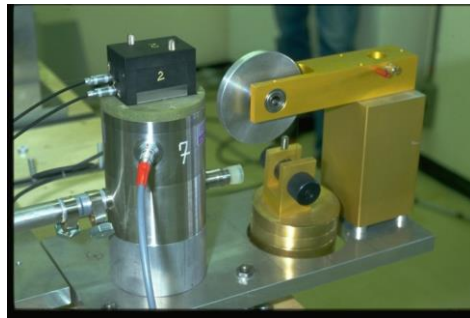
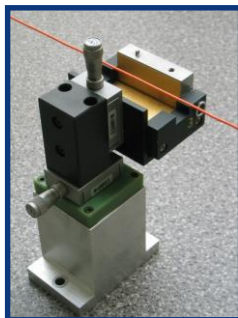
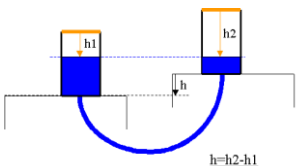
w.r.t the adjacent components

## Alignment systems

- Continuous measurements
- In severe environment
- High precision & accuracy
- With kinematic sensor mounts

## Standard means

- Alignment of fiducials



# Magnet alignment: state of the art

## State of the art...

- Mechanical fiducialisation ~ 50  $\mu\text{m}$ , better with CMM for smaller components
- Pre-alignment on common support: capacities of fine adjustment to be developed ~ 20  $\mu\text{m}$  (on small components)
- Alignment in tunnel: 11  $\mu\text{m}$  reached over 140 m

2 cases where requirements are above this state of the art, with a magnet alignment challenge:

→ DB quadrupole

→ MB quadrupole

# Example 1: Case of DB quadrupole

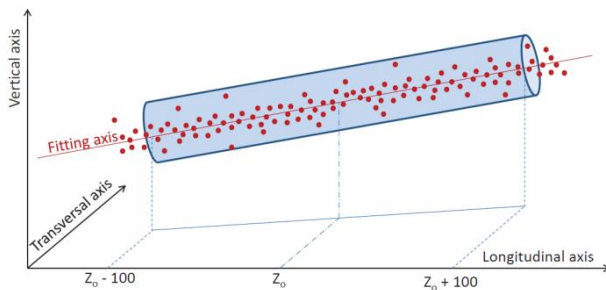
## DB quadrupole for CLIC project

- 40 000 DB quadrupoles foreseen for CLIC
- 2 DB quadrupoles per girder of a module



DANFYSIK		
QUADRUPOLE MAGNET		
Magnet name:	MQNBP-	DANF75
Serial Number	12032	
Aperture:	26	mm
Gradient:	61	T/m
Resistance at 20°C	84	mΩ
Inductance at 20Hz	10.5	mH
Nominal voltage:	7	V
Nominal current:	82.5	A
Water flow rate:	1.8	l/min
Pressure drop:	3	bar
Temperature rise:	5	°C
Total weight:	170	kg
Manufacturing year:	2012	

## Alignment requirements



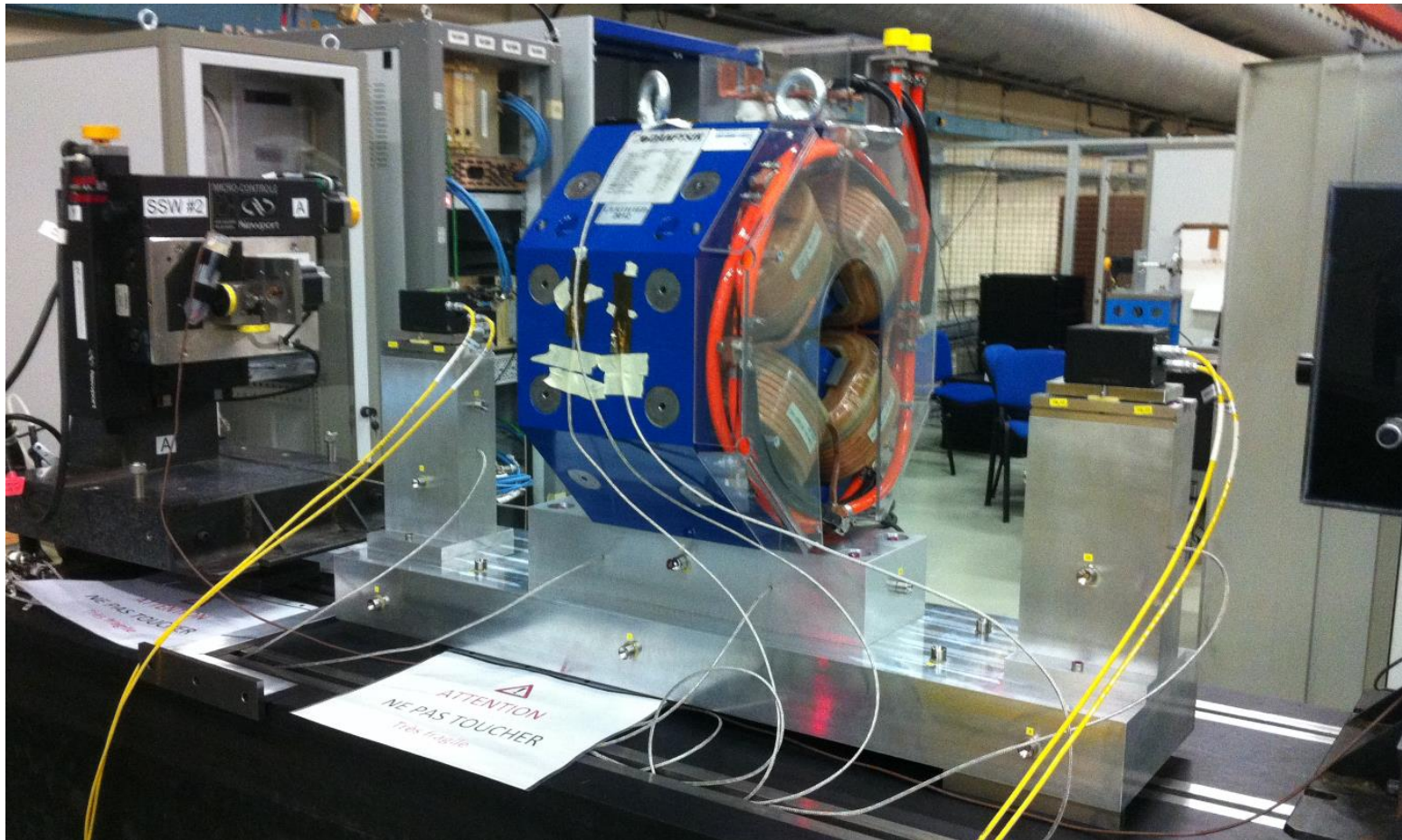
- For a sliding window of 200 m
- Std deviations of magnetic axis of DB quad w.r.t a straight line fit  $< 20 \mu\text{m}$



# Example 1: fiducialisation of DB quad

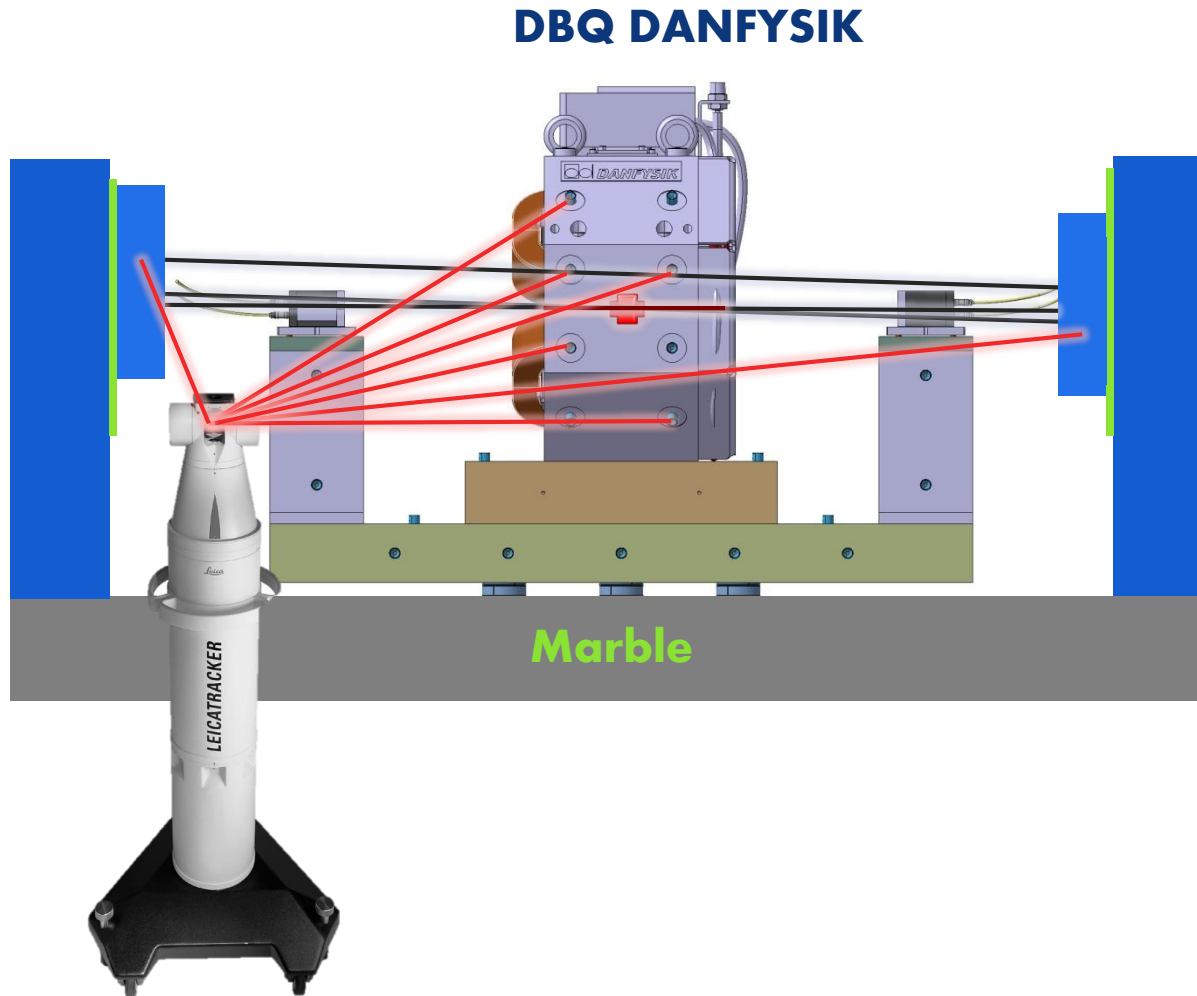
The whole setup

Determination of magnetic axis with an oscillating wire  
→ new method to determine the position of the wire

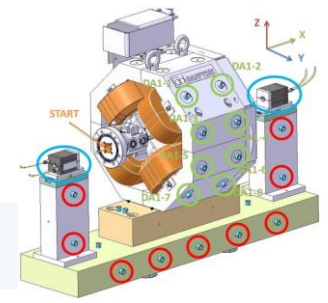


# Example 1: fiducialisation of DB quad

Process of measurements



# Example 1: fiducialisation



## Repeatability of the method

Measurements performed on 3 types of wires ( $\varnothing$  0.1 mm):

- Cu-Be (2003) 5 sets
- Cu-Be (2013) 4 sets
- Cu-Ni 4 sets

Std dev. of coords	Y ( $\mu\text{m}$ )	Z ( $\mu\text{m}$ )
Entrance of magnetic axis	4	4
Exit of magnetic axis	4	5

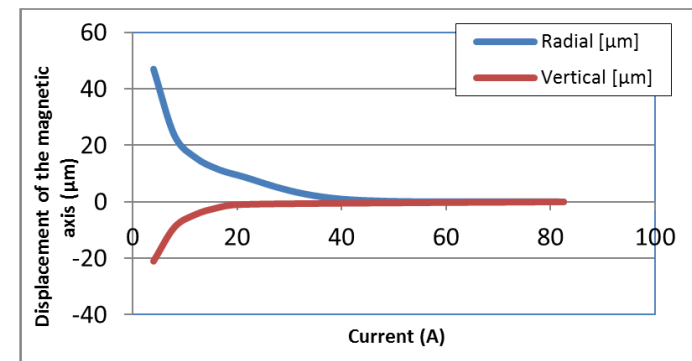
## Inter-comparison between methods

Std dev. of coords	Y ( $\mu\text{m}$ )	Z ( $\mu\text{m}$ )
Entrance of magnetic axis	2	7
Exit of magnetic axis	2	7

- Entrance & exit of magnetic axis determined by both methods

## Position of magnetic axis vs current

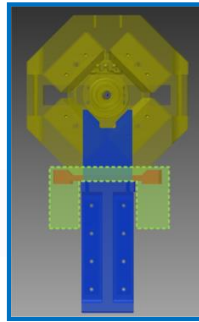
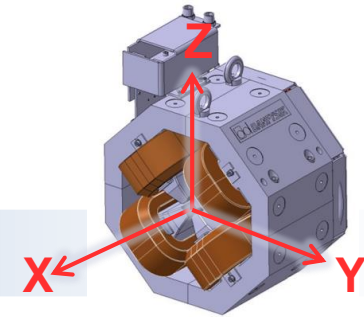
- Impact of the current in the position of the magnetic axis not negligible,
- Repeatable



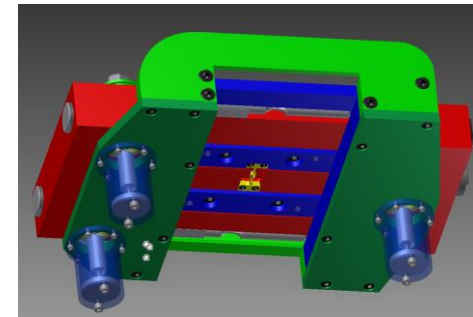
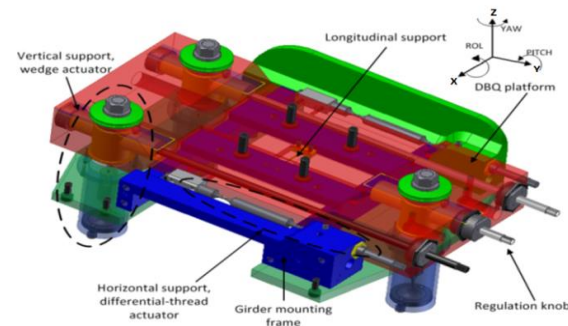
# Example 1: adjustment

From the requirements...

- Adjustment according to 5DOF (Y, Z translations & 3 rotations)
- Stroke:
  - $\pm 1$  mm in Y and Z (X blocked)
  - $\pm 4$  mrad in all rotations
- Resolution  $< 5 \mu\text{m}$
- Must fit the available space
- User access only on one side
- Load 170 kg

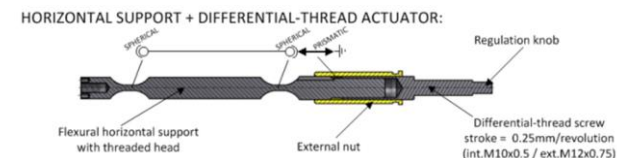
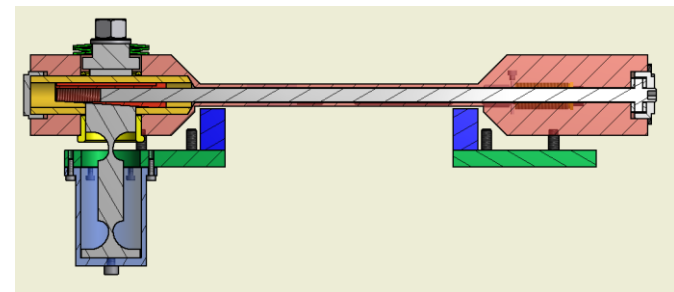


...to the design



## Results

- Resolution of translations  $< 4 \mu\text{m}$
- Resolution of rotations  $< 40 \mu\text{rad}$
- No drift or creeping
- Nominal adjustment  $< 10'$

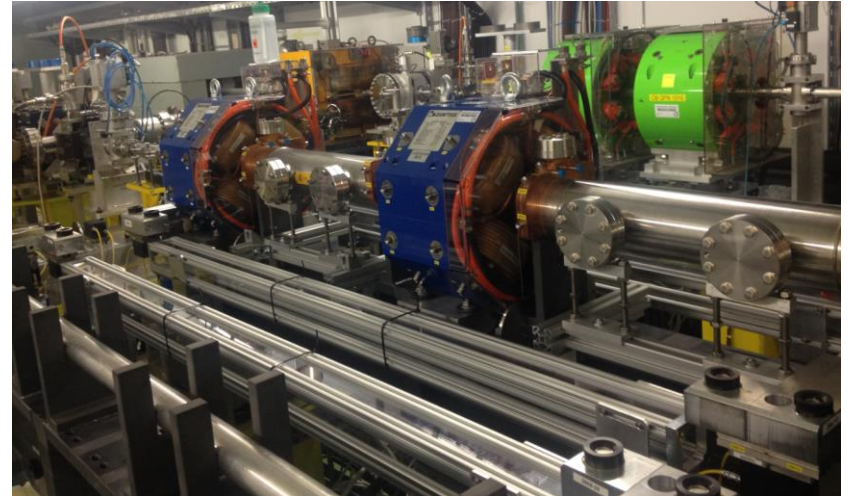




# Example 1: perspectives

Combination of both methods during the fiducialisation process of DB quads

- 2 DB quads installed on the same girder, via the 5 DOF micrometric adjustment system
- Whole assembly installed on a magnetic calibration bench, on a special bench, equipped with additional targets and cWPS interfaces (determined by CMM measurements)
- A wire is stretched to perform the magnetic measurements
- It is not the wire that will be displaced to look for the magnetic axis of the quadrupole, but the quadrupole using the 5 DOF adjustment system
- Once in position, the position of the wire is measured, using a combination of cWPS, laser tracker, CMM measurements, in the girder referential frame.

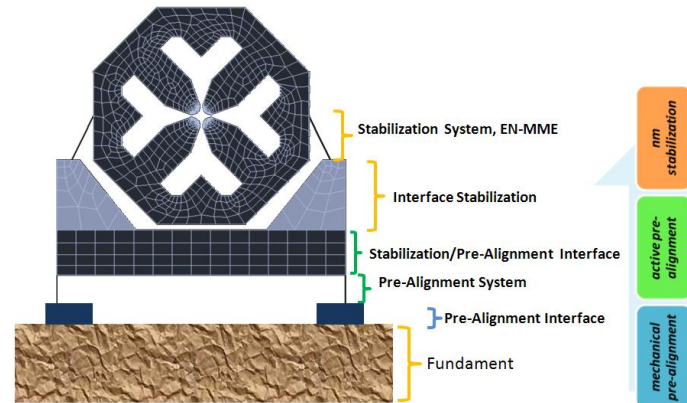


This is an extrapolation of the PACMAN project...

# Example 2: Case of MB quadrupole

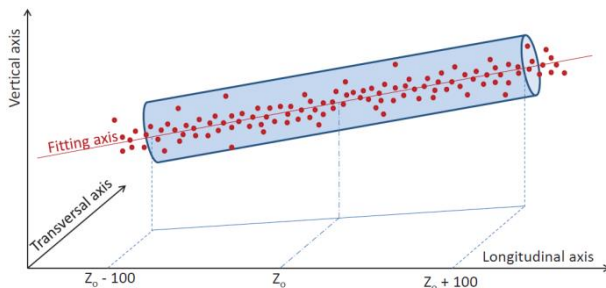
## MB quadrupole for CLIC project

- 4000 MB quadrupoles foreseen for CLIC
- One additional step: a nano-positioning / stabilization system!



TYPE1	
Aperture ( $\phi$ )	10 mm
Length	420 mm
Gradient	200 T/m
Current density	6.1 A/mm <sup>2</sup>
Current	126 A
Voltage	8 V
Power	990W
Weight	85 kg

## Alignment requirements



- For a sliding window of 200 m
- Std deviations of magnetic axis of MB quad w.r.t a straight line fit  $< 17 \mu\text{m}$

# Example 2: Case of MB quadrupole

PACMAN = Particle Accelerator Components' Metrology and Alignment to the Nanometer scale

Metrology

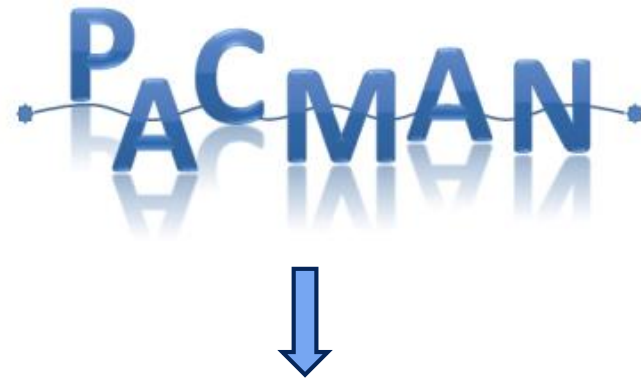
Survey & alignment

Beam instrumentation

Radio Frequency

Nano-positioning

Magnetic measurements



Develop very high accuracy metrology & alignment tools and integrate them in a prototype alignment bench

Extrapolate the tools & methods developed to other projects

# Example 2: PACMAN



- PACMAN = ITN (Initial Training Network)
- PACMAN= IDP (Innovative Doctoral Program)
- Funded by EC
- 10 PhD students
- Duration = 4 years (started on 1/09/2013)
- High quality training program
- Management @ CERN

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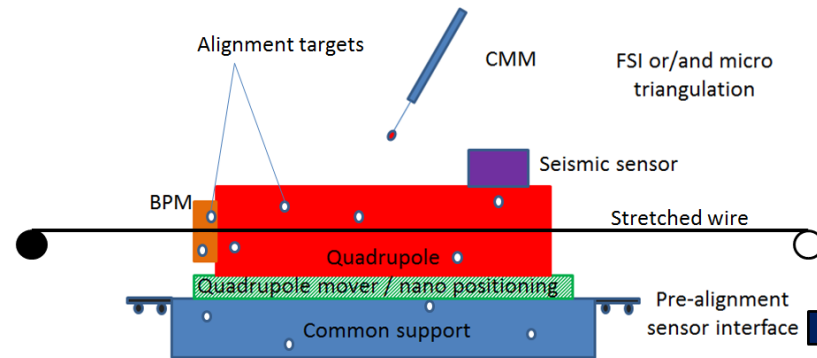
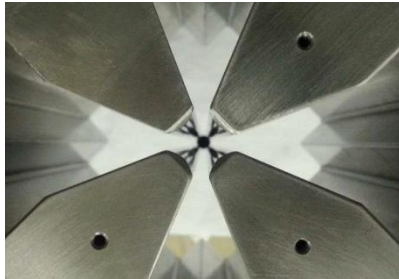
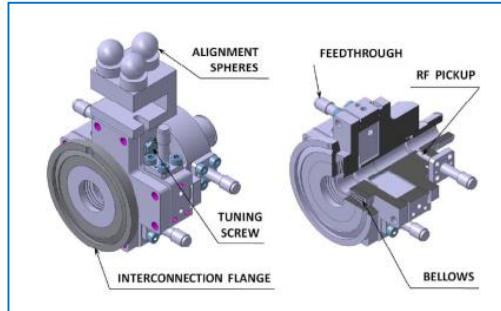
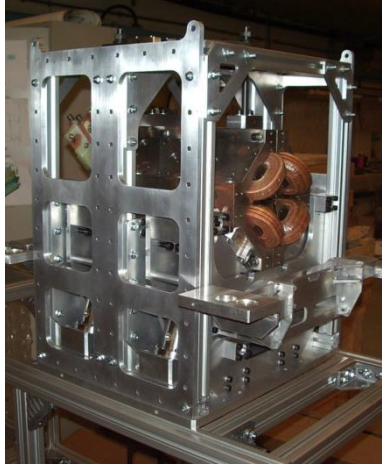
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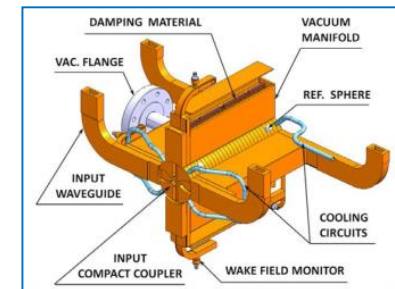
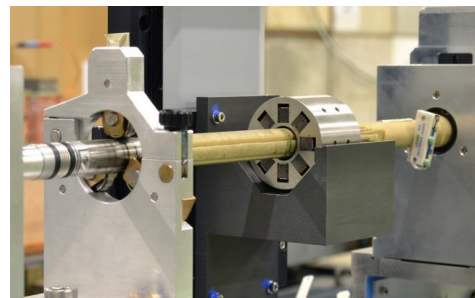
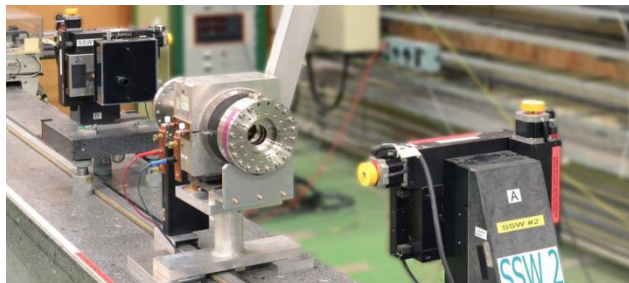
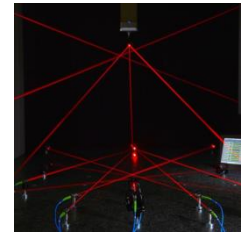


# Example 2: PACMAN

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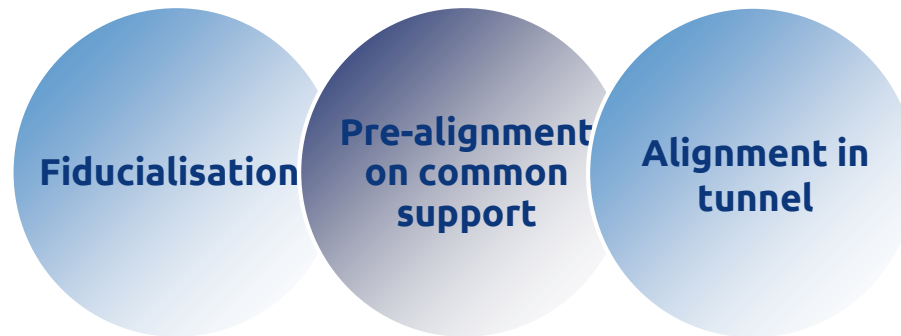


Prototype alignment bench



# Summary

## 3 steps of alignment



**The two examples introduced show that an alignment of a short magnet within 20  $\mu\text{m}$  seem reachable, at stable conditions (20 °C, rigid support, etc.)**

**Next challenge concerning the alignment of magnet will be to master the impact of temperature variations**

**Concerning long magnets, inside cryostats, we hope that the tools developed by the PACMAN project will help improving the current tolerances of alignment**

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