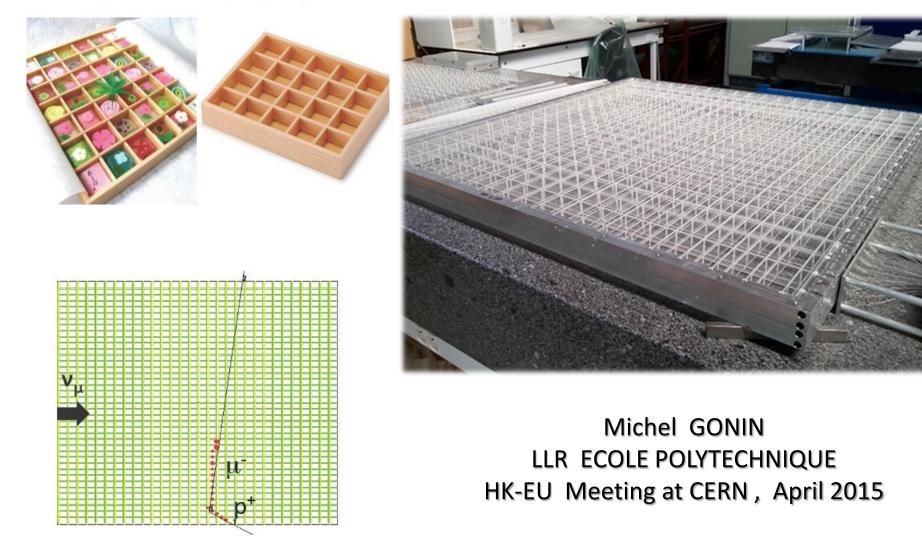
The WAGASCI detector

Japanese sweets (Wagashi)



The WAGASCI detector

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Purpose of the WAGASCI detector

 H_2O to CH cross section ratios with 3% accuracy

- Neutrino interaction models predict that the target dependence between H₂O and CH is small, but no high precision measurement so far.
- Test the correctness of the target dependence in the models. Then, constrain the target-dependent neutrino cross section errors by the ND280 measurement.
- The analysis technique is established in the INGRID measurement.
- CC-inclusive channel. Then, exclusive channels.

Cross sections on H_2O and CH with 10% accuracy.

- Neutrino flux uncertainties are dominant errors.
- Double differential cross sections for $(T_{\mu}, \cos\theta_{\mu})$
- CC-inclusive channel. Then, exclusive channels.

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Measurement of the inclusive ν_{μ} charged current cross section on iron and hydrocarbon in the T2K on-axis neutrino beam

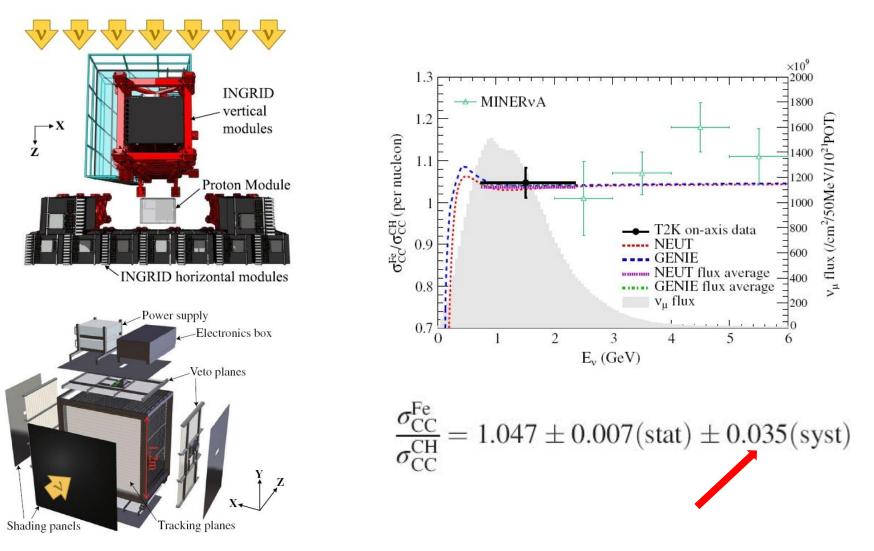
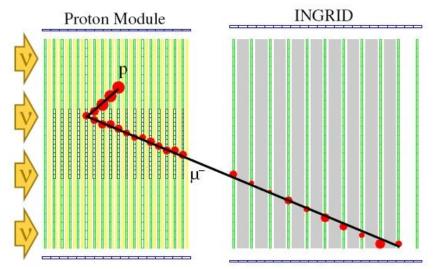
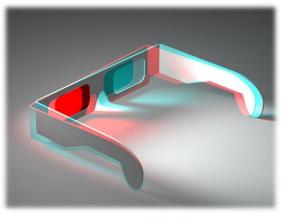


FIG. 4 (color online). Exploded view of the proton module.

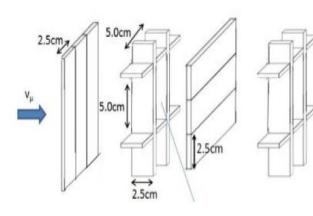
INGRID & Proton Module (2D)

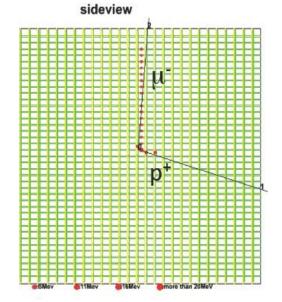


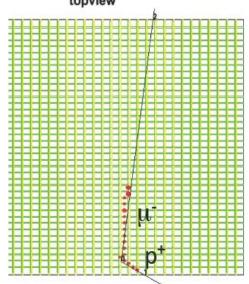
WAGASCI (3D)



topview

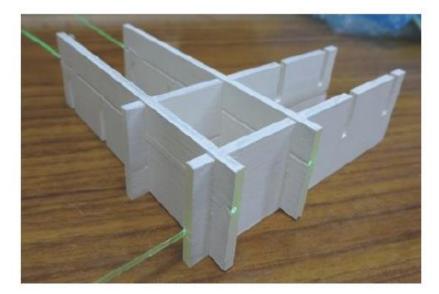


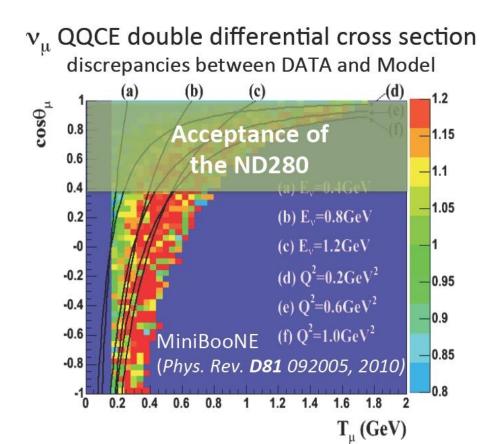




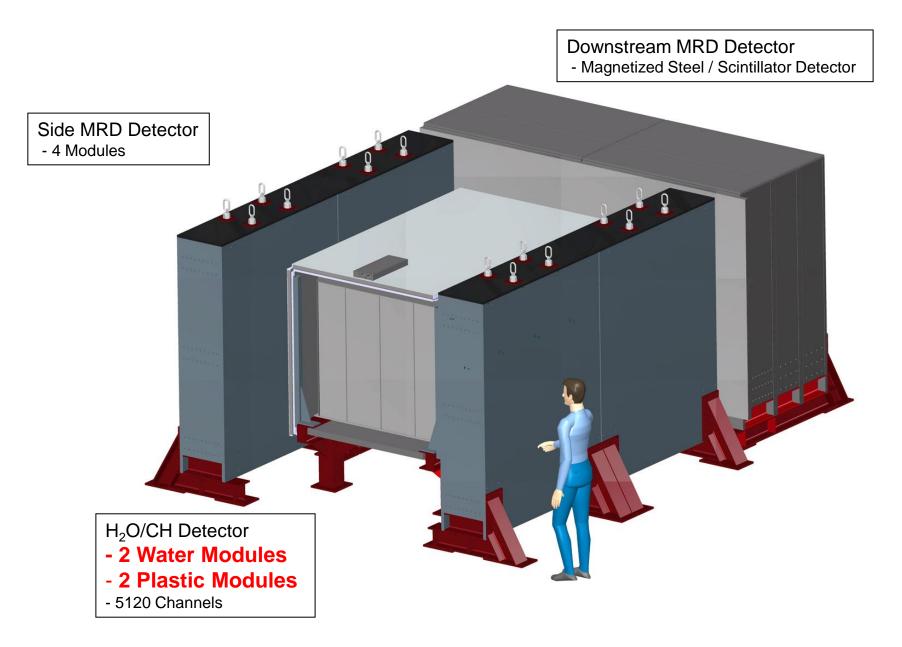
3D grid-like structure (x, y, grid layers + WLS fibers + MPPCs)

- 4π angular acceptance for charged particles
- 5cm grid spacing enables us to reconstruct short tracks originated from protons and charged pions with high efficiency.
- Thin plastic scintillator bars (thickness ~ 0.3cm) will be used for the detector to increase the mass ratio of H_2O (signal) to CH (background).
- The WAGASCI detector can be made possible if we have high light yield from the thin scintillator bars in water with the MPPC readout.

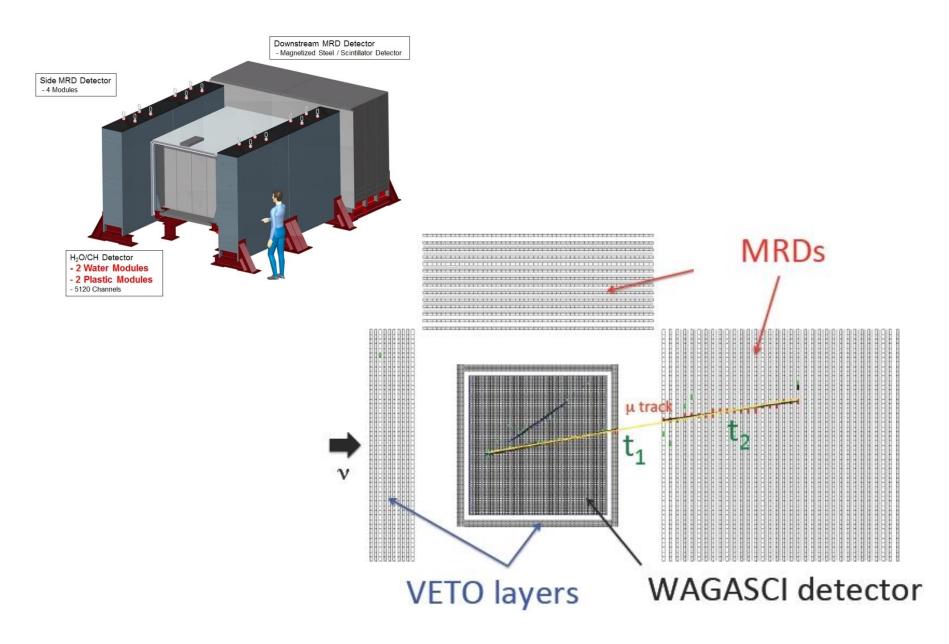




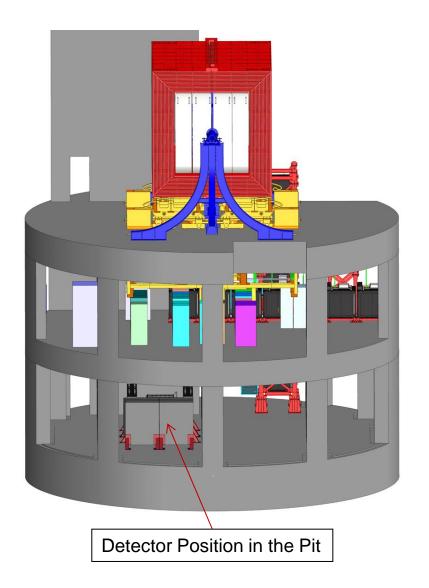
WAGASCI detector configuration

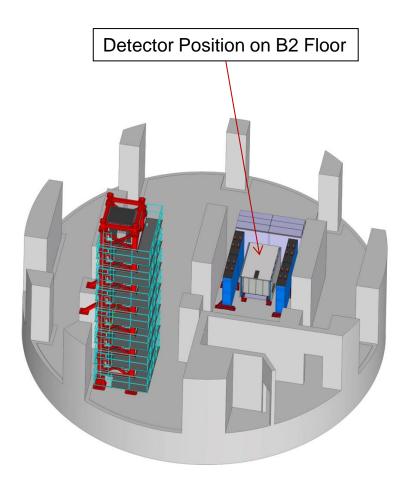


WAGASCI detector configuration



WAGASCI location in the pit





WAGASCI Schedule

<u>April 2014</u> Proposal submitted to the J-PARC PAC as an independent experiment from T2K

June 2014 Test of the candidate site for Wagasci with existing INGRID module

October 2014 Beam tests at Tohoku for performances of scintillator bars, new MPCC and WLS fibers.

<u>Mai 2015</u> Completion of the mechanical design <u>Summer 2015</u> Delivery of the MPPC, Scintillators. Test. <u>October-November 2015</u> Assembly of the first module <u>November 2015</u> Completion of the electronic and DAQ design December 2015 Installation of the first module in the ND280 pit

<u>February – July 2016</u> Production and tests of the electronic boards <u>Spring-Summer 2016</u> Assembly of the MRD <u>Mai - September 2016</u> Assembly of Wagasci

October 2016 Installation of Wagasci and MRD on B2 floor

Responsibilities (construction)

WAGASCI components scintillators, MPCC, WLS, ...

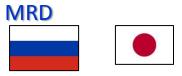


WAGASCI mechanical design



WAGASCI electronics and DAQ



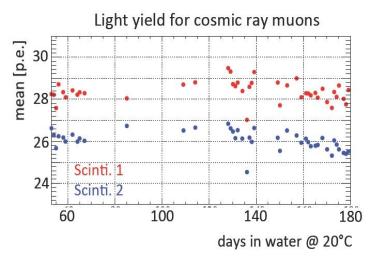




Test of detector components

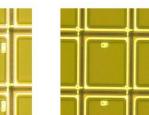
Long-term durability test of scintillator bars & WLS fibers in water





Performance of new MPPCs developed by Hamamatsu

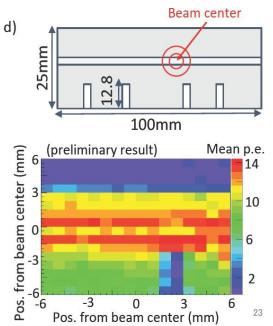
- Low noise (~1/10 compared to T2K version)
- Much less after pulse
- Wider operation voltage
- Low cross-talk (optional)
- New MPPC S13081-050CS(X1)
- Pre production S13081-050CS(X) • June 2014
 - Dec. 2014
 - Smaller contacts



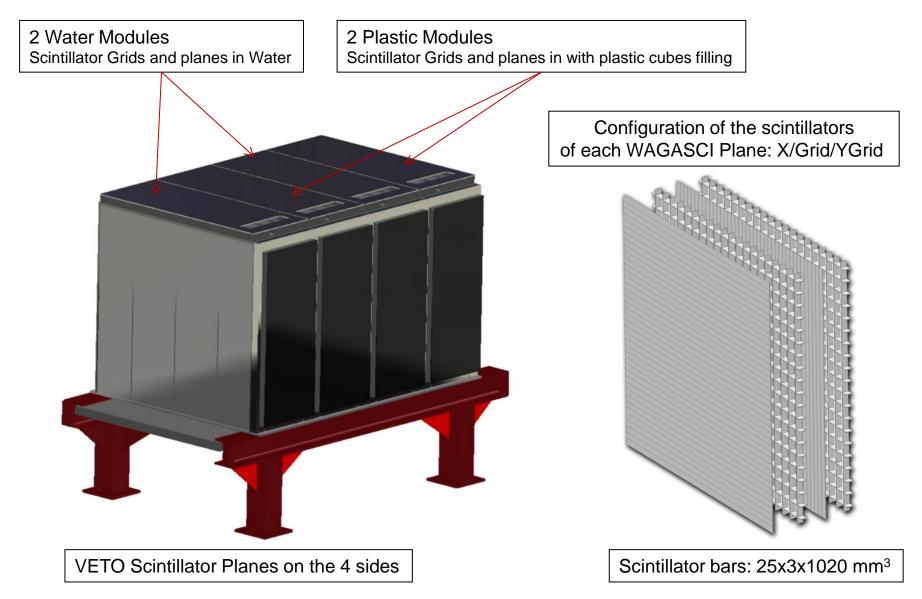
- S13081-050CS(X1)
 - Feb. 2015
 - Larger active area?



3mm-thick scintillator bars

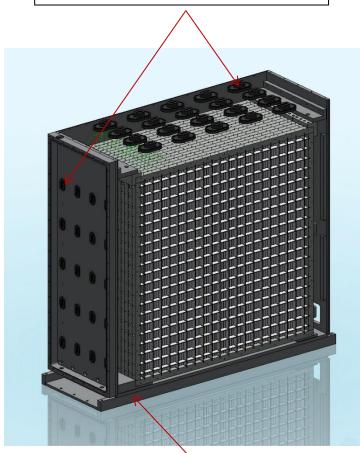


H20 and CH detector design

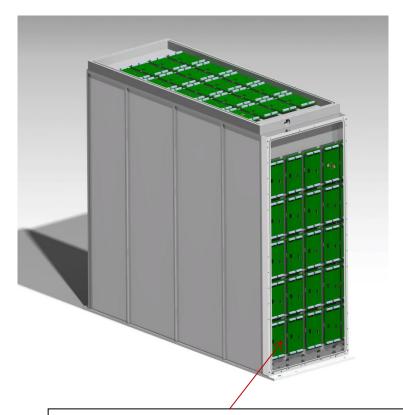


H20 and CH detector design

Bundles of 32 WLS fibers read by 32 channel MPPC arrays



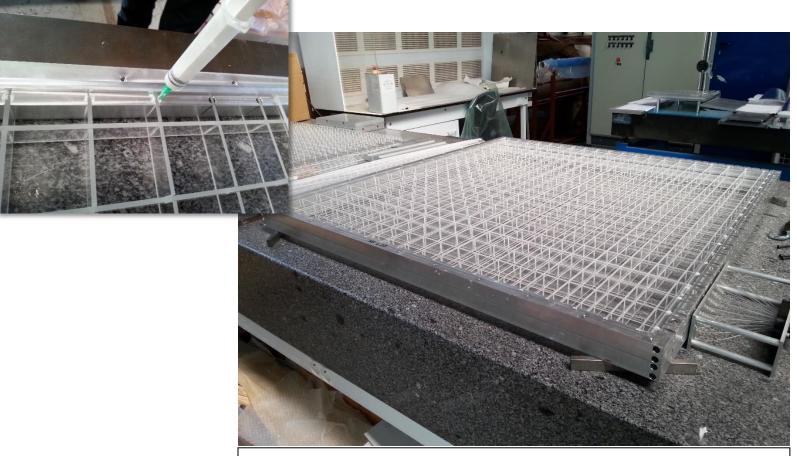
Stainless Steel Tank - With water / Without water



40 Electronic Readout boards

- 1 Board per MPPC array with 1 SPIROC Asic
- 1280 Channels

Detector prototypes



Wagasci Plane Prototype build with Plexiglas strip validates:

- Mechanical design
- Assembly and scintillator gluing procedures
- Mechanical strength

Detector prototypes

Prototyping of fiber bundles to test:

- Bundle preparation
- Bonding procedure
- Quality of optical surface with diamond head machining

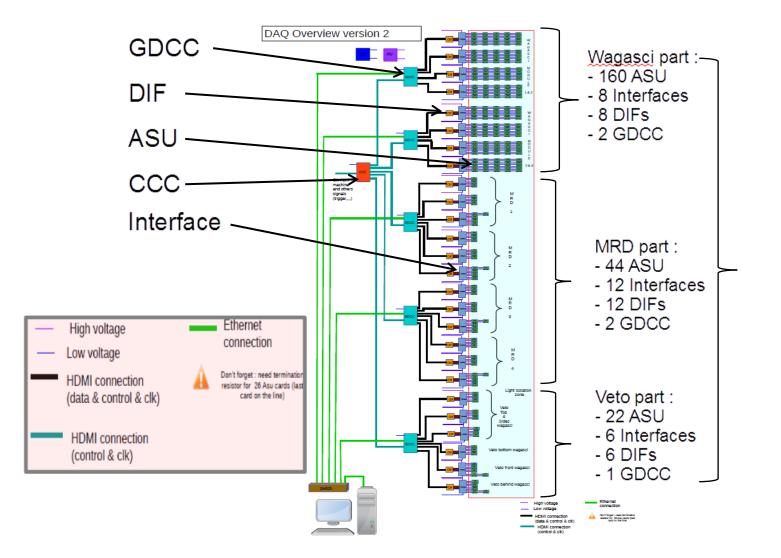




Diamond cutter machining

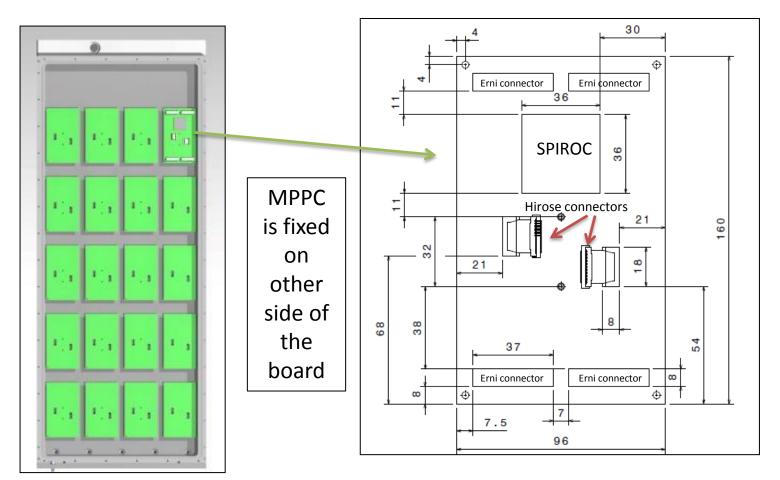


Overview of electronics and DAQ



Based on CALICE SiWEcal DAQ at Ecole Polytechnique

MPPC – SPIROC BOARD

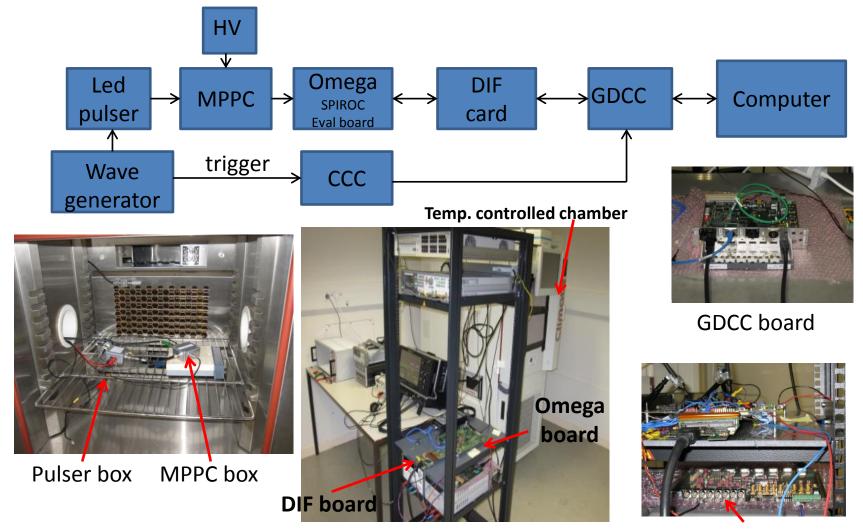


View of a part Wagasci module

Drawing of ASU PCB

Test bench (single MPPC)

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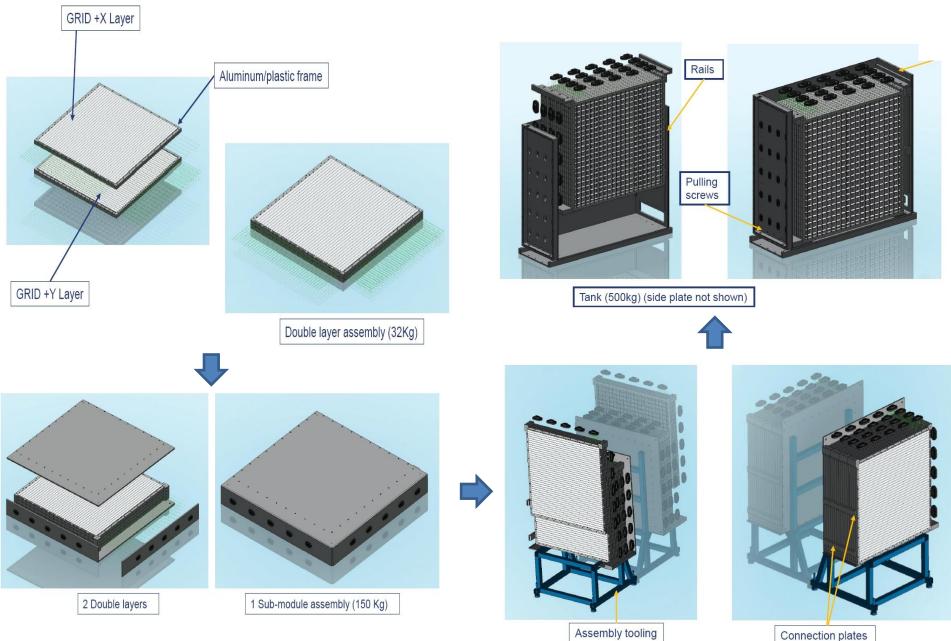
CCC board

Installation of Module 1 in December

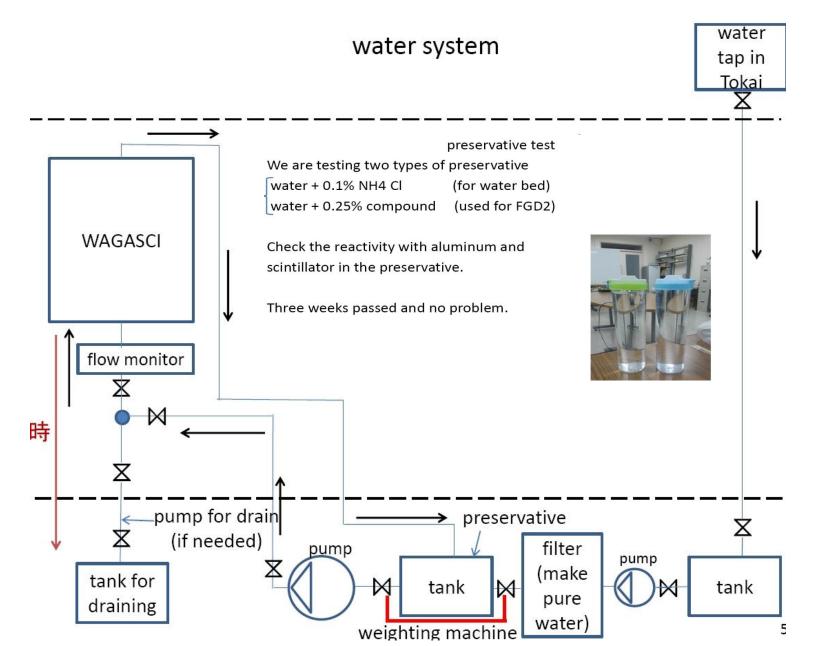
Flexible design is required to probably accommodate 2 different types of electronics

- Spiroc based electronics currently designed at LLR
 - Designed to receive MPPC arrays with connection to Kapton flexible circuit
- INGRID Trip-T boards
 - Designed to receive mini coax cables with HIROSE connectors

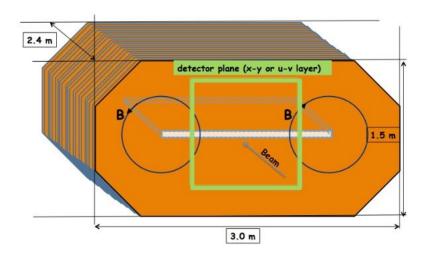
Installation of Module 1 in December



Installation of Module 1 end of the year



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Installation of the Baby MIND (CERN) detector downstream of WAGASCI ??

Open questions remain

