

CMS is a worldwide collaboration comprising 1870 scientists and engineers from 151 institutions in 31 countries

CMS is a general purpose proton-proton detector designed to run at the highest luminosity at the LHC. It is also well adapted for studies at the initially lower luminosities. The main design goals of CMS are:

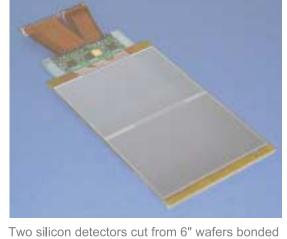
- i) a high performance muon system
- ii) a high resolution electromagnetic calorimeter
- iii) high quality central tracking
- iv) a hermetic hadron calorimeter

Silicon Tracker



length 6m and a diameter of 2.6m. 250 m² of fine-pitch silicon detectors provide precise hits. Pixel detectors placed close to the interaction region improve measurement of the track impact parameter and reconstruction of secondary vertices, as well as aiding electron identification. In the central region ($|\eta|$ <1.5) the $\Delta p_t/p_t$ is 0.005

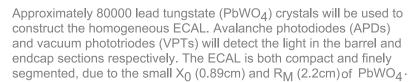
+ 0.15 p_t (p_t in TeV)

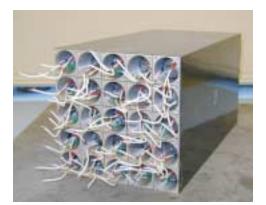


together to form 512 long strips. Four APV25 chips (radiation hard 0.25μm technology) are incorporated for pre-amplification, shaping, voltage-sampling into an analogue pipeline and subsequent multiplexing output.

Electromagnetic Calorimeter







and are cantilevered from the rear. Shown is an endcap "SuperCrystal" carbon-fibre alveolar containing 5x5 crystals+VPTs.The typical energy resolution of the ECAL is 0.6% for incident 100 GeV electrons. The endcap ECAL also includes a two-

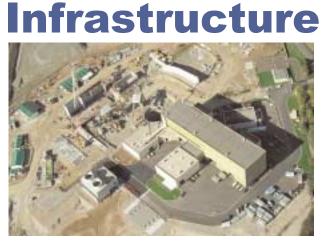
layer preshower detector, incorporating ~16m² of silicon sensors, for enhanced γ/π^0 separation.

Hadronic Calorimeter





The barrel and endcap parts of the HCAL are formed from 50mm-thick brass segments interleaved with 4mm-thick scintillating tiles equipped with wavelength-shifting optical fibres. The average thickness of the A forward calorimeter completes the hermetic coverage up to $|\eta|$ <5, using radiation-resistant quartz fibres



The assembly and testing of most of CMS will take place in a large surface hall before lowering it into the underground experimental cavern. The choice of using a surface hall rather than the underground area, allows the construction of the magnet and detectors in parallel with the civil engineering works. During the construction phase the main assembly hall will have a length of 140 m, a width and height of 23.5 m. After installation of CMS in the underground cavern, these dimensions will be reduced to a length of about 100 m and a height of 16 m, thus having no major impact on the environment.

Field strength:

Total weight: 12500 tonnes Overall length: 21.5 metres Overall diameter: 15.0 metres

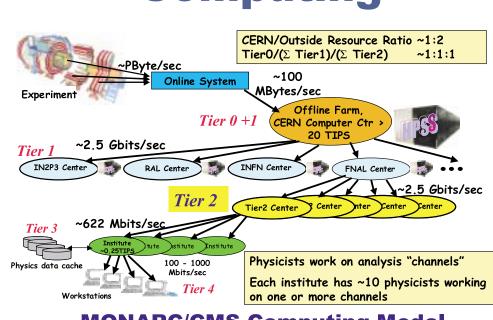
Muon Spectrometer



CMS is built around a long superconducting solenoid (length = 13m) with a free inner diameter of 5.9 m and a uniform magnetic field of 4T. The magnetic flux is returned via a 1.5 m thick saturated iron yoke instrumented with muon chambers. Shown are the first two barrel yoke rings (from five) built on the surface at LHC Point 5 in Cessy,

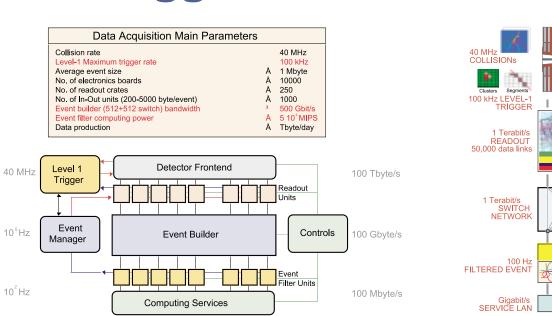
Computing

4 Tesla

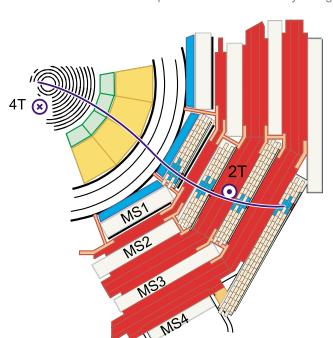


MONARC/CMS Computing Model Data Grid Hierarchy

Trigger and Data Acquisition



Centrally produced muons are measured 3 times: in the inner tracker, after the coil, and in the return yoke. They are identified and measured in four identical muon stations using drift chambers in the barrel, cathode strip chambers in the endcaps and resistive-plate chambers in both the barrel and endcaps to ensure redundancy in triggering.





Physics Performance

