

# Integration with LHC/CMS

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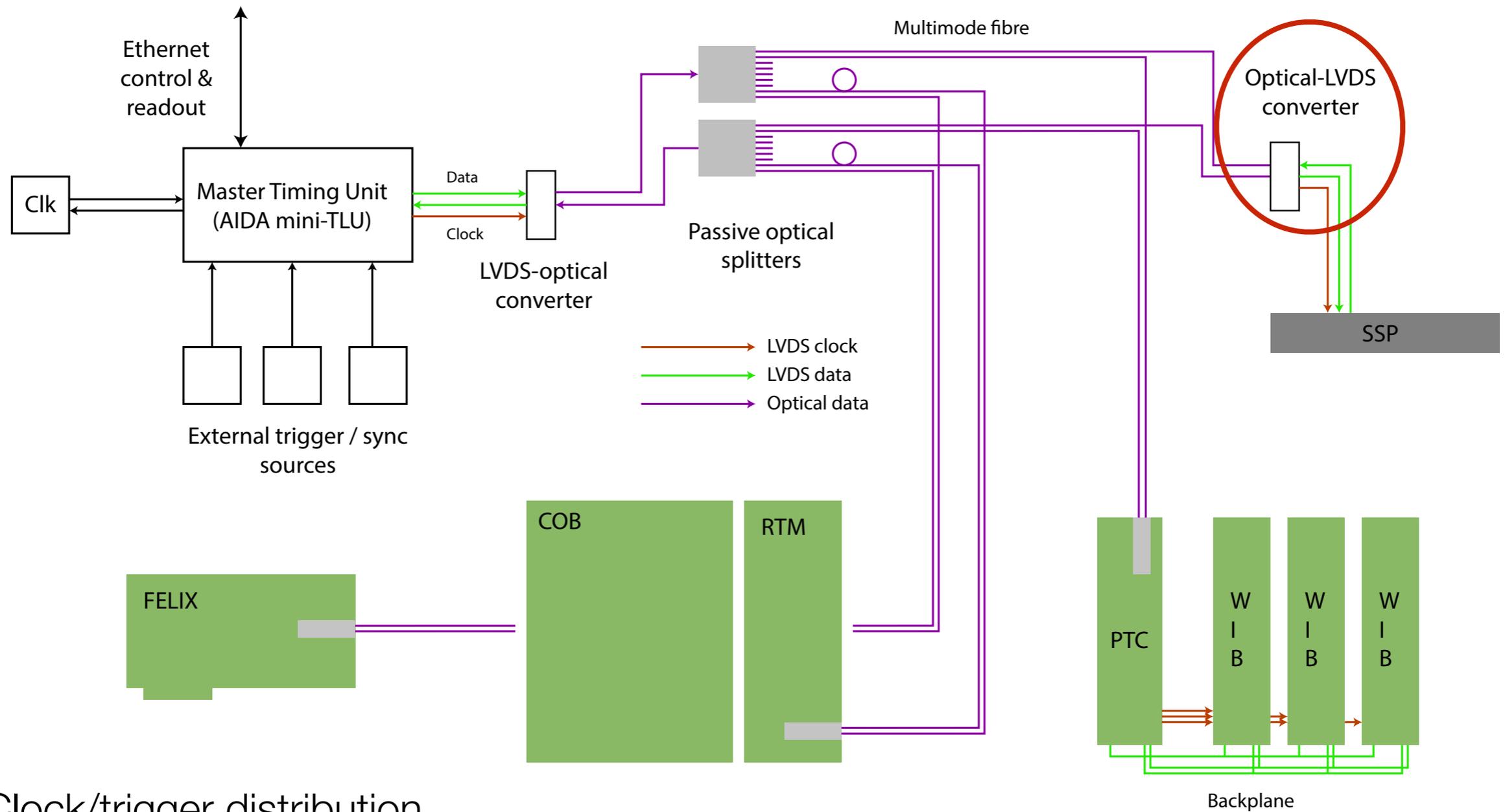
2<sup>nd</sup> MilliQan Collaboration meeting - 12-13 Dec 2016, NYU

# Integration with LHC

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- Coincidence with LHC clock provides additional background rejection
  - 5 ns resolution would give factor  $\sim 5$  reduction of any constant-in-time backgrounds
- 40 MHz LHC clock signal distributed by CMS on “TCDS fibre”
  - Which also encodes various timing signals (orbit, run start/stop, etc.)
- We need to :
  - Receive TCDS fibre from CMS
  - Recover clock and send into spare input on CAEN V1743
  - Potentially decode & store timing signals

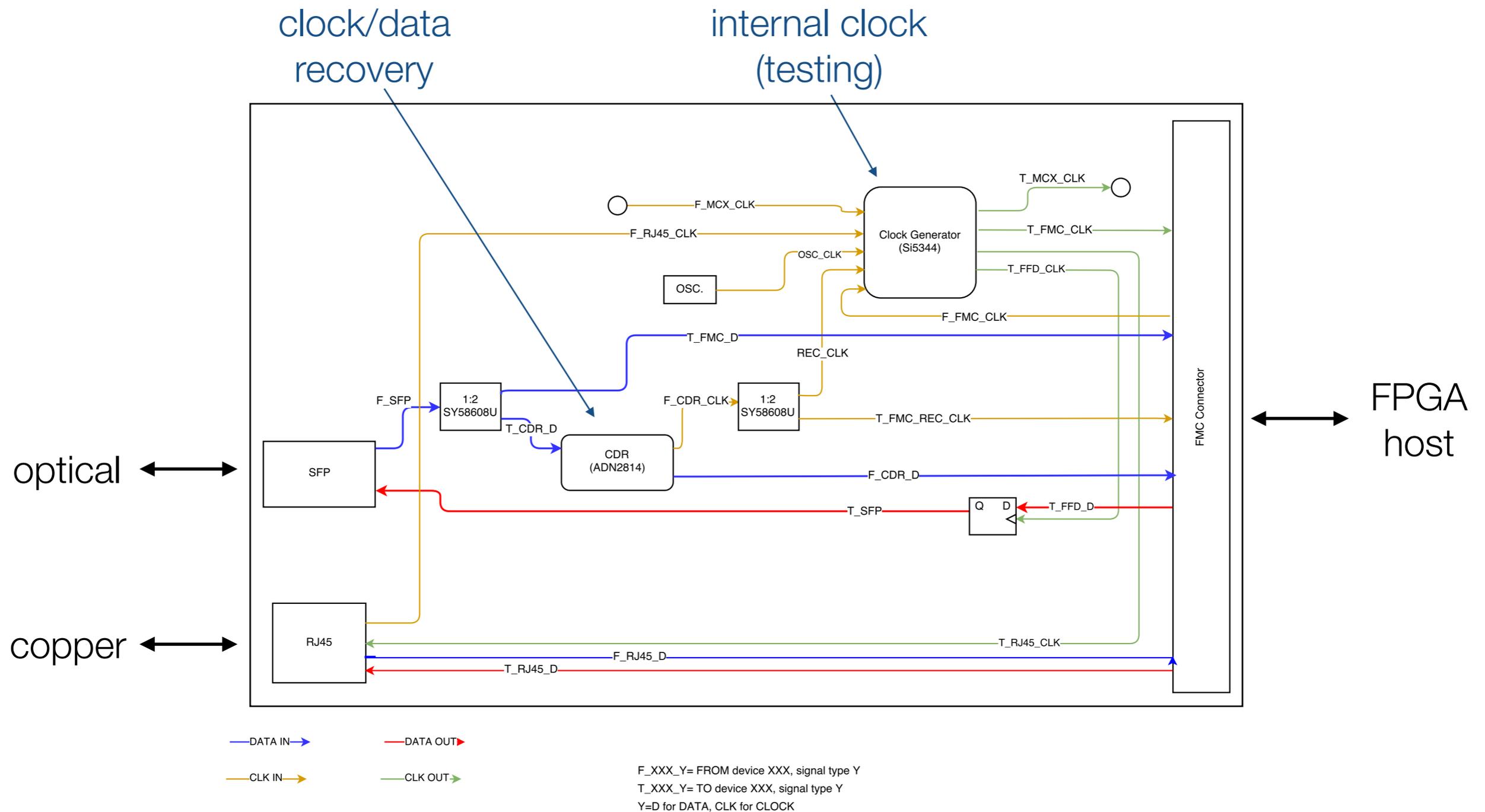
# protoDUNE Timing System



Clock/trigger distribution

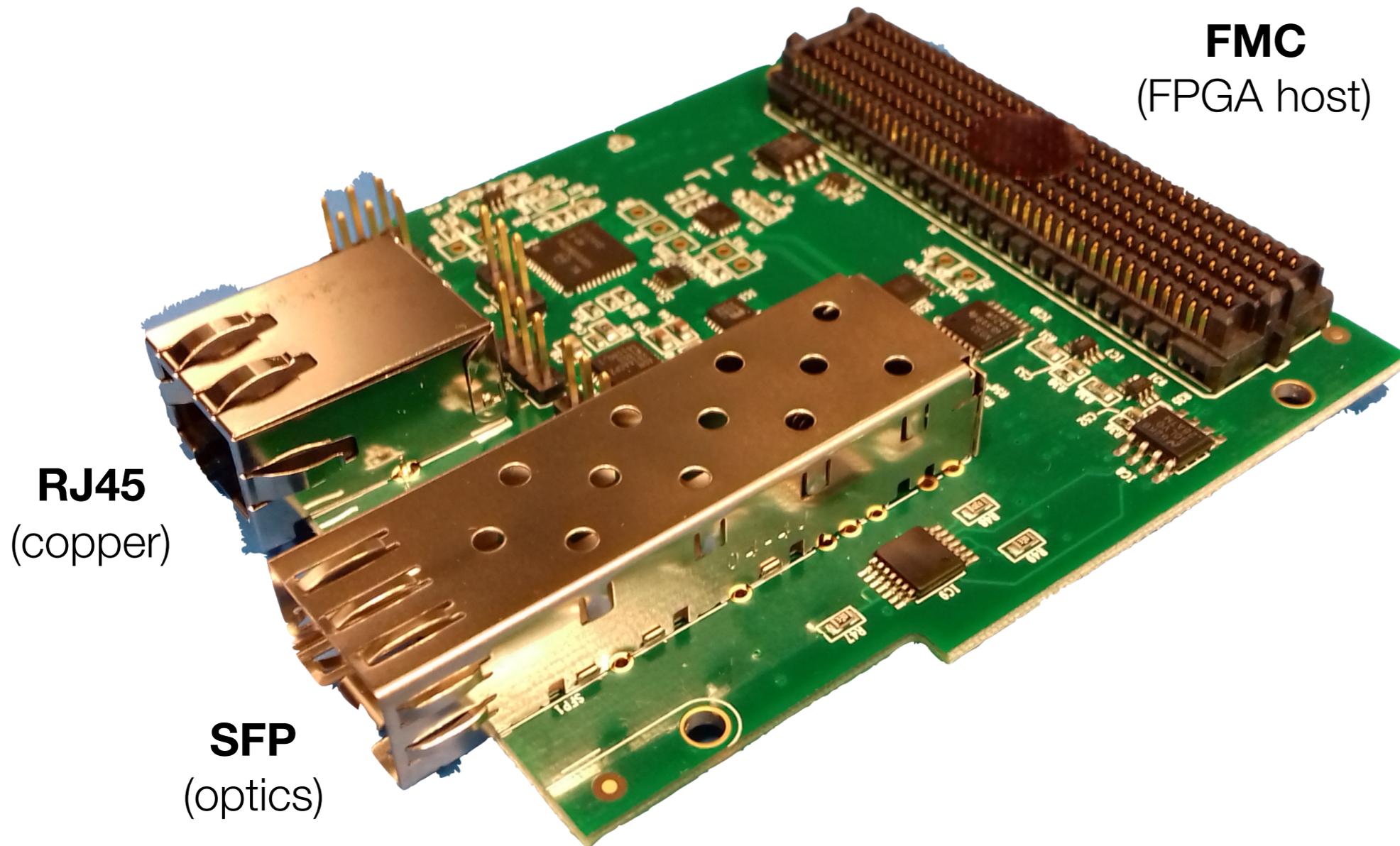
Phase alignment of all endpoints to  $< 1\text{ns}$

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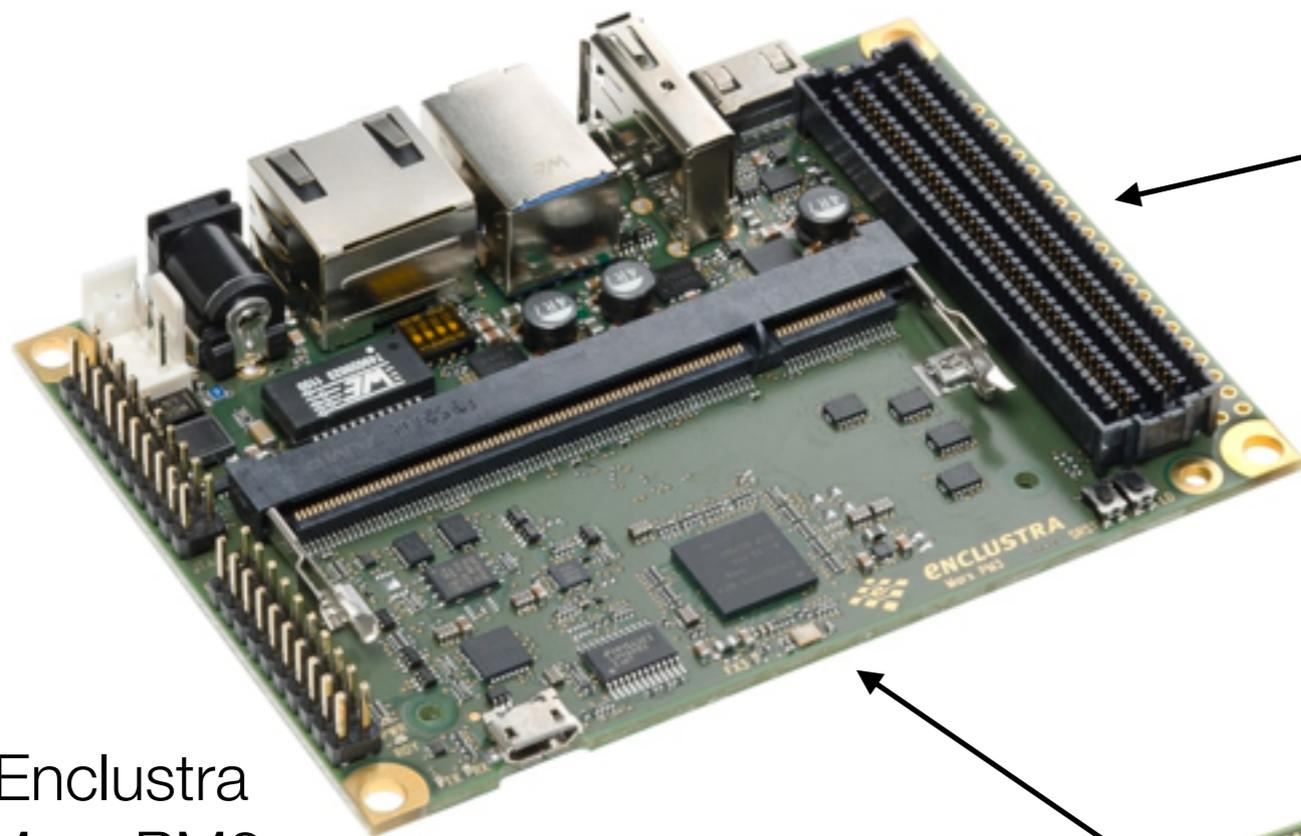
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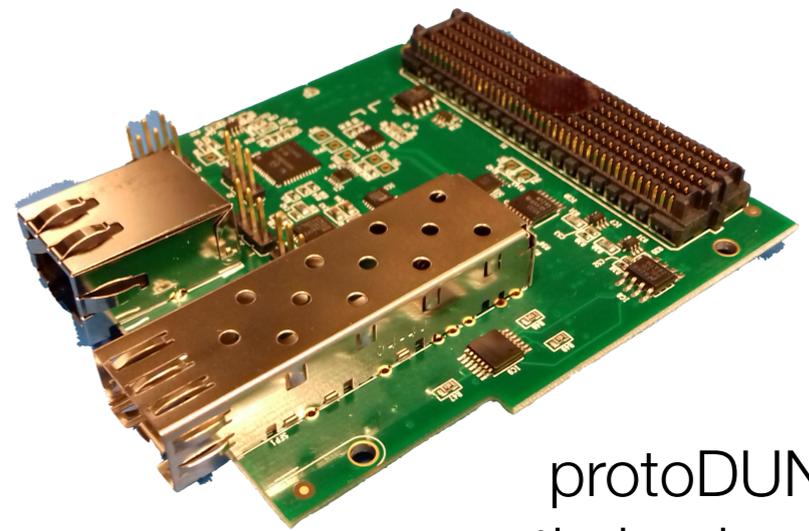
- First protoDUNE board currently under test
- Place production order right after Xmas break
- *Including one for MilliQan*

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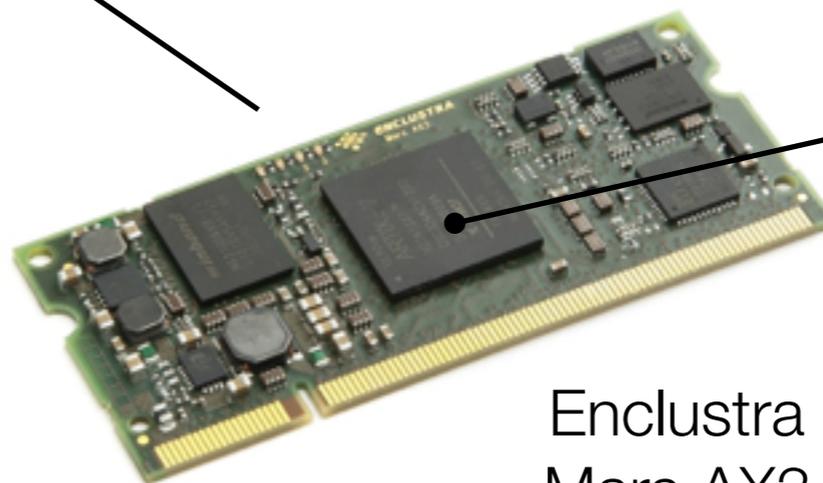
*Power, Ethernet, USB*



Enclustra  
Mars PM3



protoDUNE  
timing board



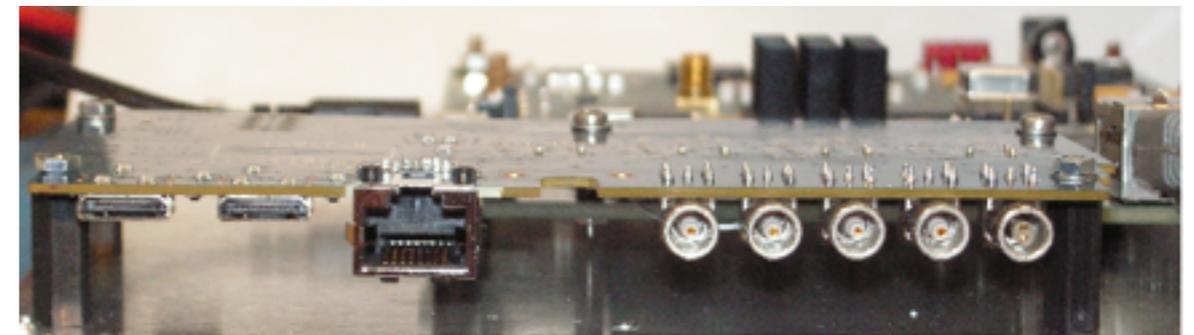
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*Xilinx Artix-7  
FPGA*

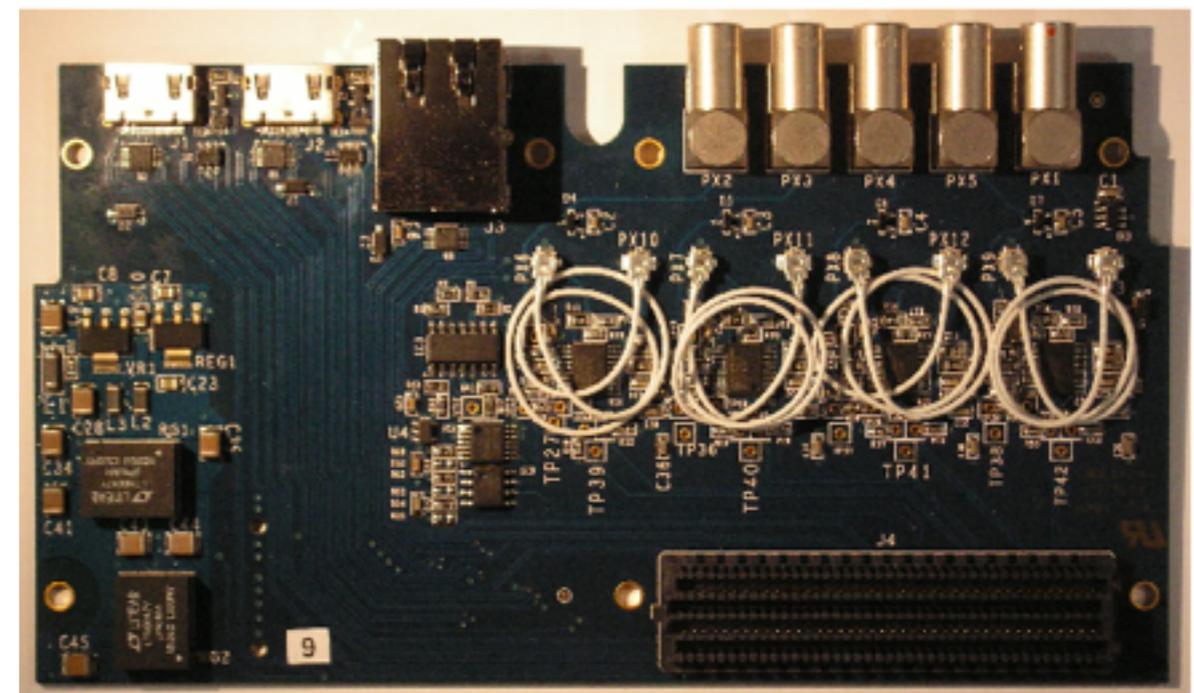
Baseline host board  
Total cost ~\$600

# Possible extension

- It may be desirable to receive additional signals
  - eg. beam timing position monitors (BPTX), trigger from V1743
- Could be handled using AIDI mini-TLU
  - Bristol FMC card with variety of inputs, including LEMO
- Would require different FPGA host card with two FMC connectors

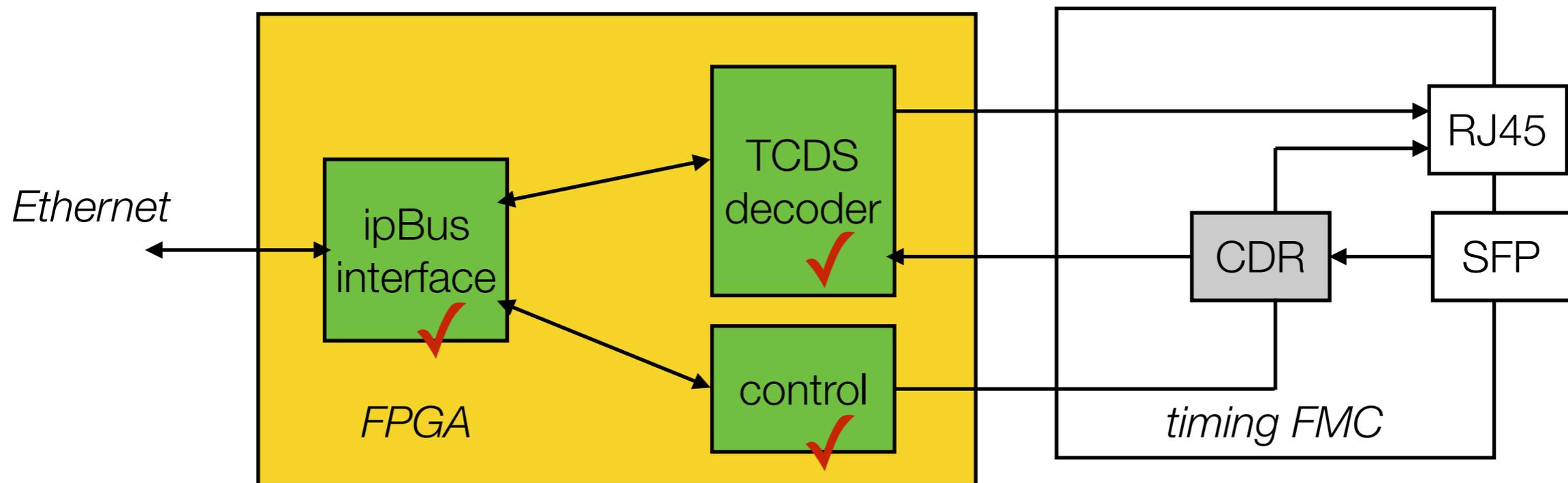


DUT0 (HDMI) DUT1 (HDMI) DUT2 (RJ45) Trigger Inputs Clock I/O



# Firmware

- Firmware blocks already written for :
  - ipBus control (used in many HEP projects)
  - Control of clock/data recovery chip (used in protoDUNE)
  - Decoding TCDS signals (used in CMS)



# Next Steps

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- Choose FPGA host board - single or double FMC ?
- Glue firmware blocks together
- Power supply & packaging for P5 - 1U 19" rack case
- Aim to have system at P5 for testing with TCDS fibre by ~April
  - Ideally with CAEN V1743 + PMT + scintillator
- Hope to purchase V1743 test setup at Bristol
  - Investigating options

# Outstanding Issues

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- Need to request TCDS fibres if we are going to do tests in 2017
  - Useful to know location of test stands - USC55? PX56?
- How to use/store CMS timing signals
  - Maintain counters of orbit, run, etc. and save these with every trigger ?
  - Will need to send trigger from V1743 system to the timing board...
- Accessing luminosity information