

# A first dive into CLIC

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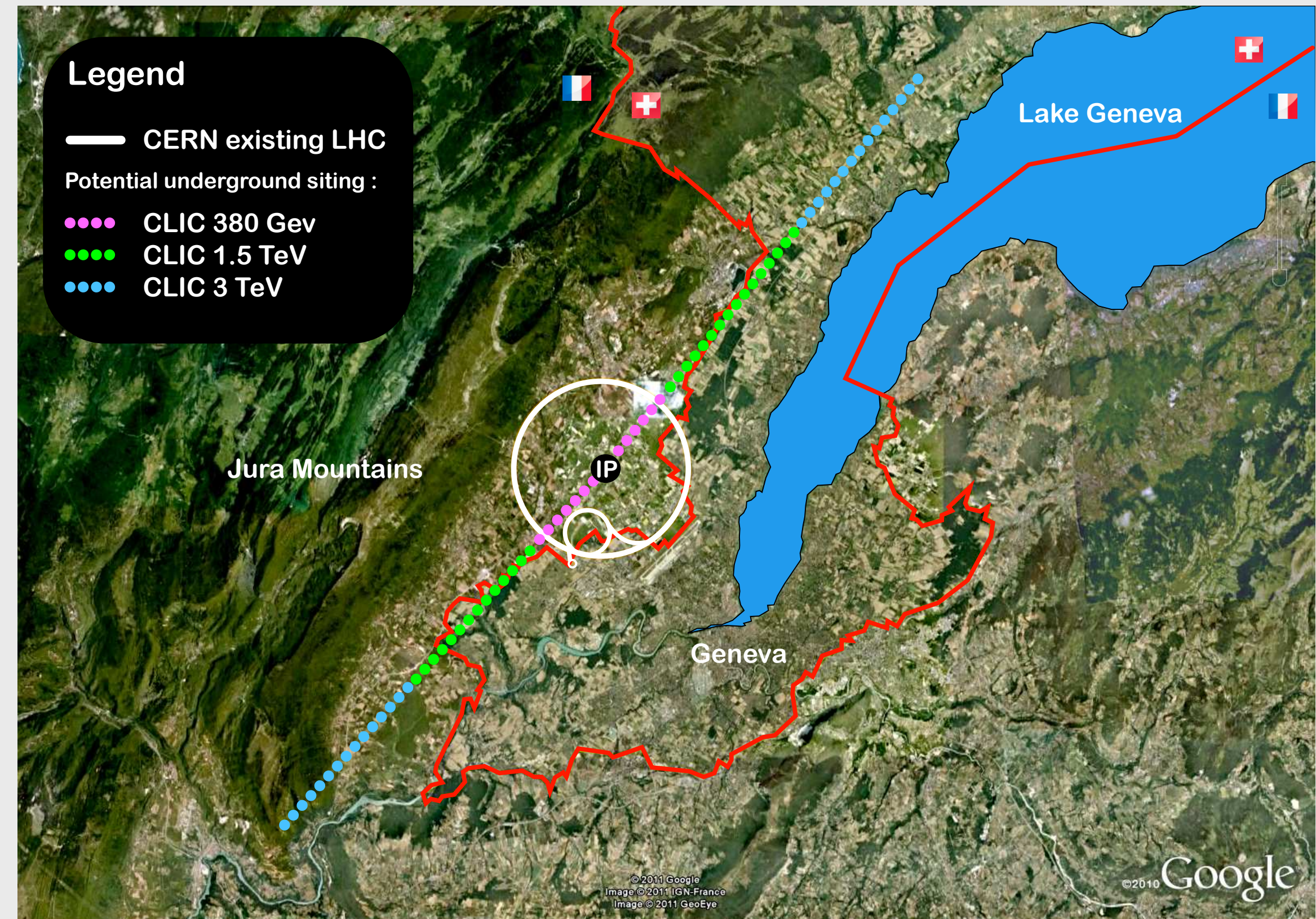
# Outline

- General info on CLIC and detectors
- What could be interesting for LLP and other exotica



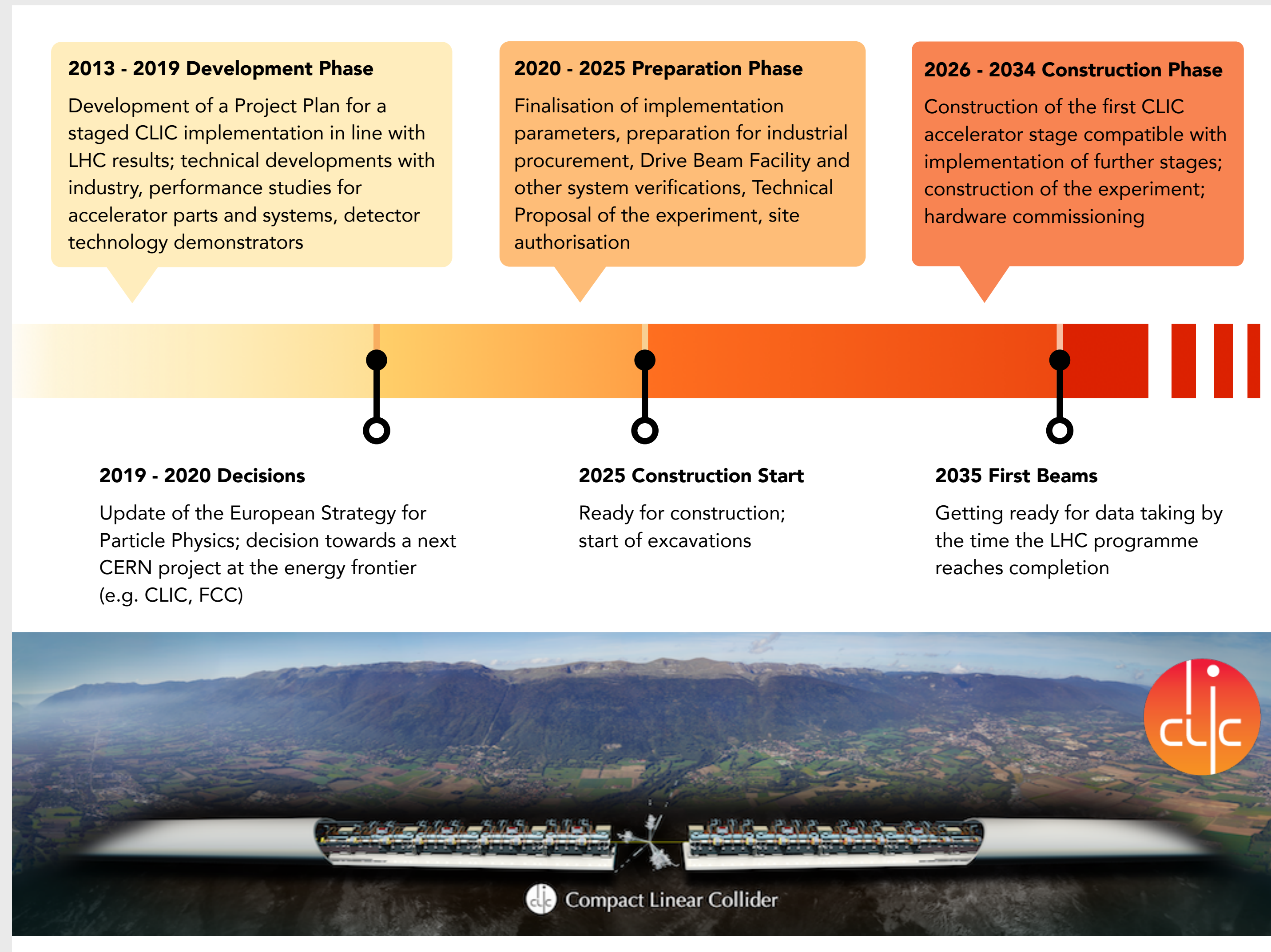
# A novel accelerator concept

- Accelerator concept fully proven at [Clic Test Facility 3](#)
- Unprecedented [acceleration gradient around 100 MeV/m](#)
- Staged construction: 380 GeV, 1.5 TeV, 3.0 TeV





# Post-LHC operation (data in 2035)



# Detector concept(s)



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## **CLICdet: The post-CDR CLIC detector model**

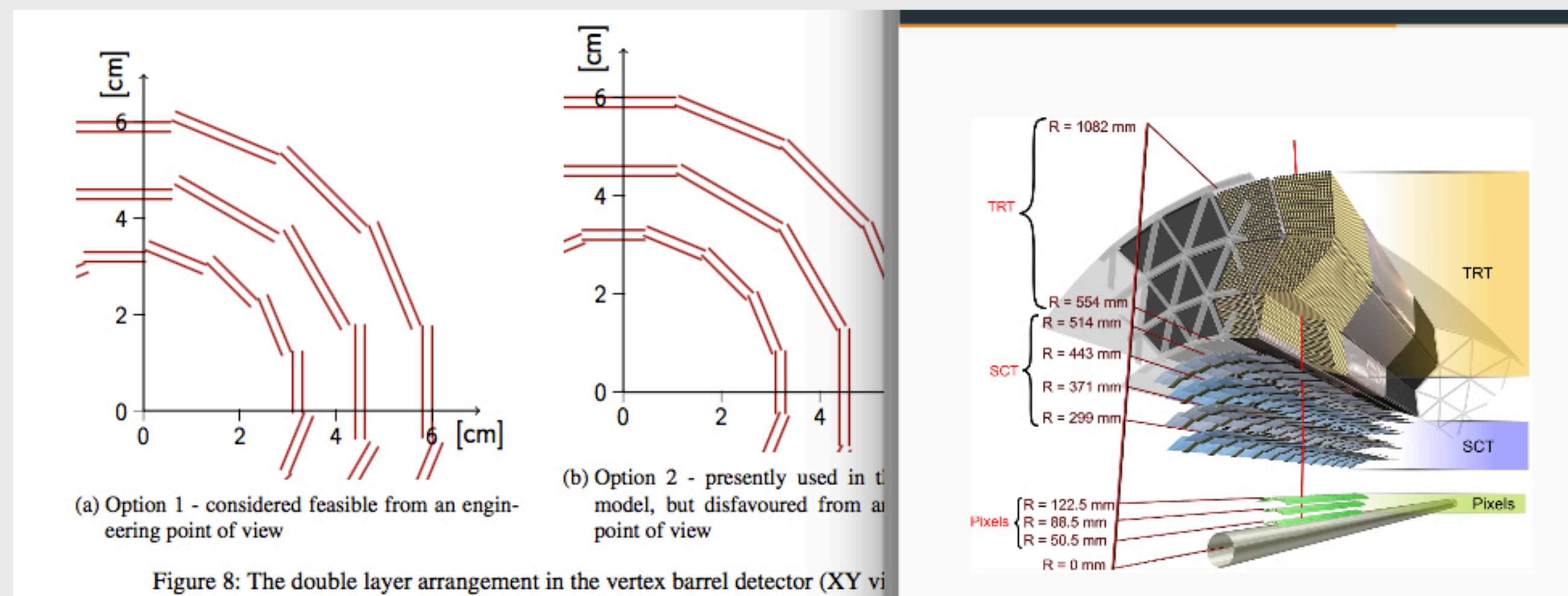
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# Tracker

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TO THE BEAM



Track-reco algorithms might work within the first few centimeters

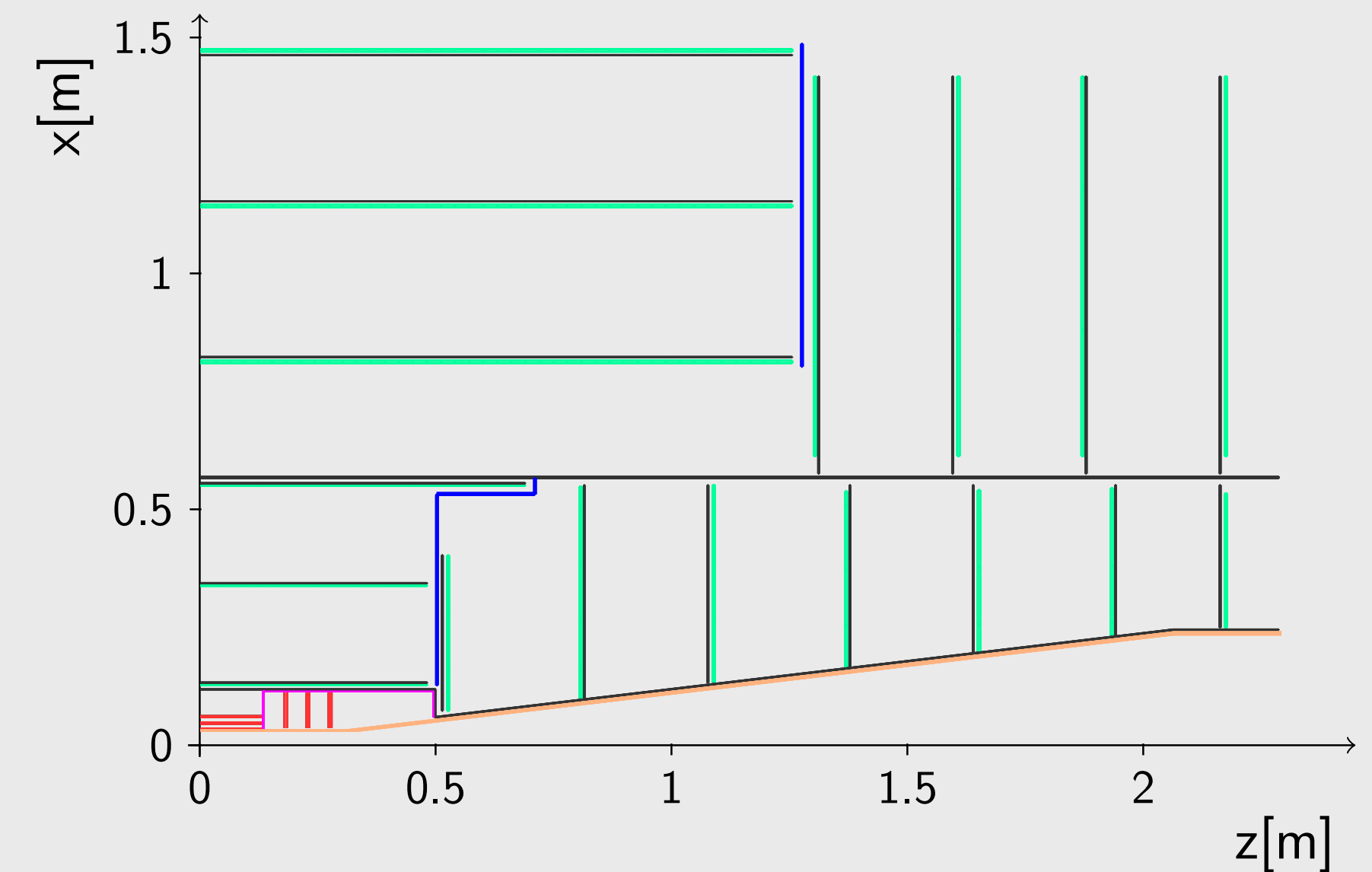
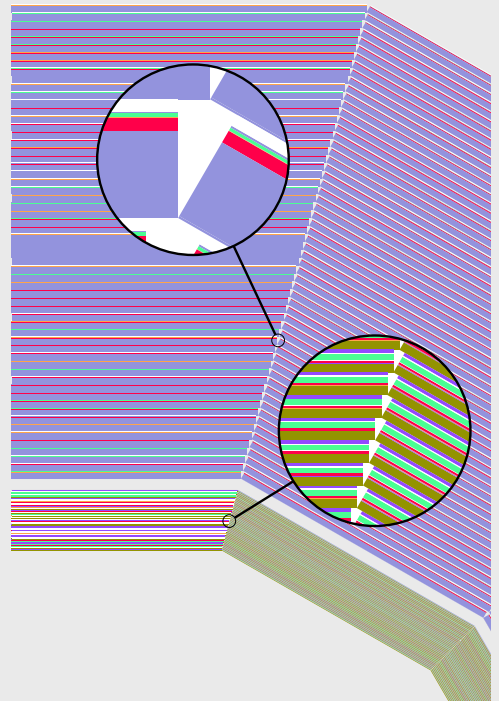


Figure 13: XZ-view of the tracker as implemented in the simulation model. The black lines indicate the tracker support structures including cooling and cables, the green lines represent the tracker sensor layers. The blue lines show the main support tube and the interlink structures. The orange line indicates the vacuum tube. The vertex detector is shown in the centre (in red). Cables going outwards from the vertex detector are represented in magenta.



# Calorimeter

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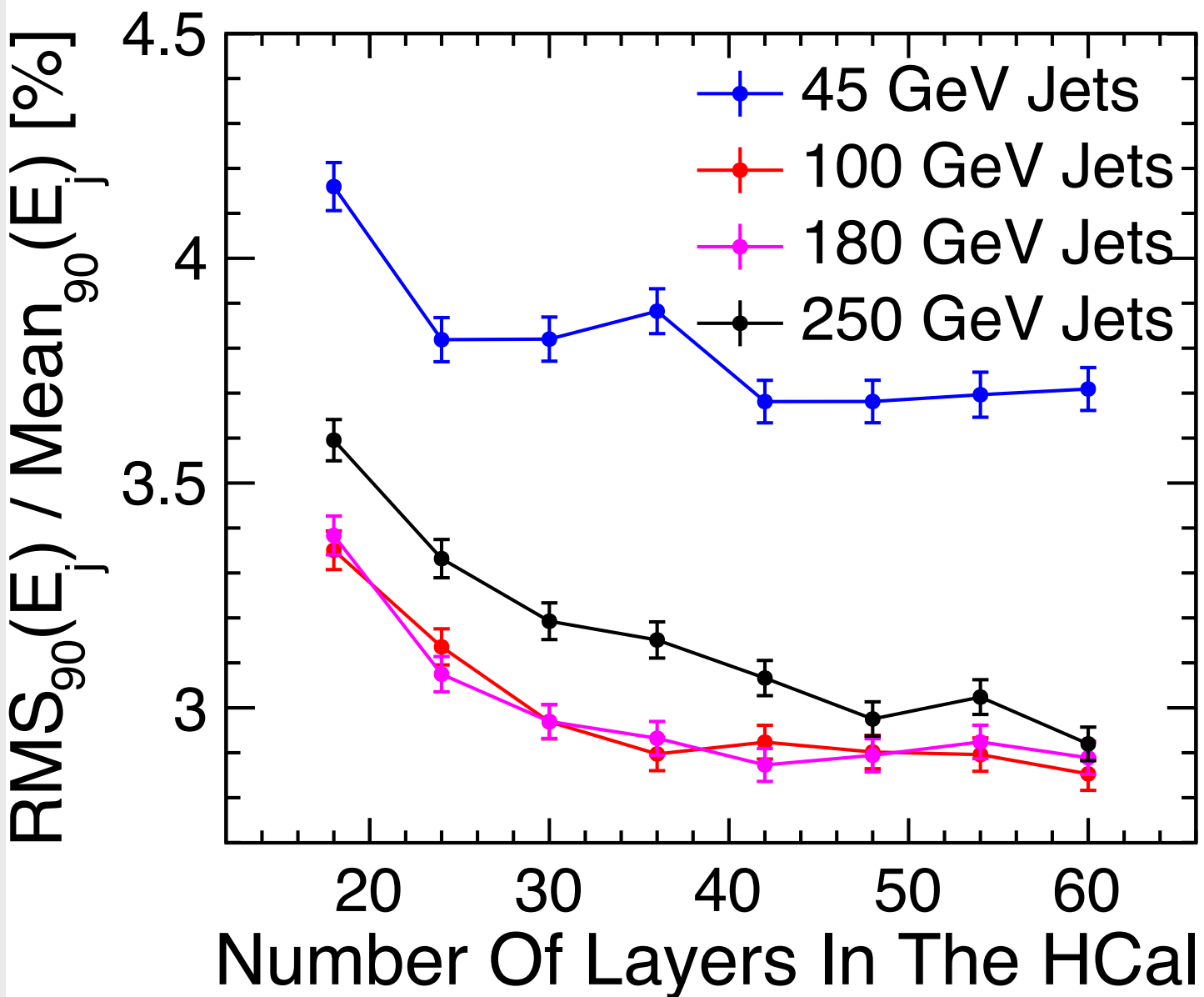
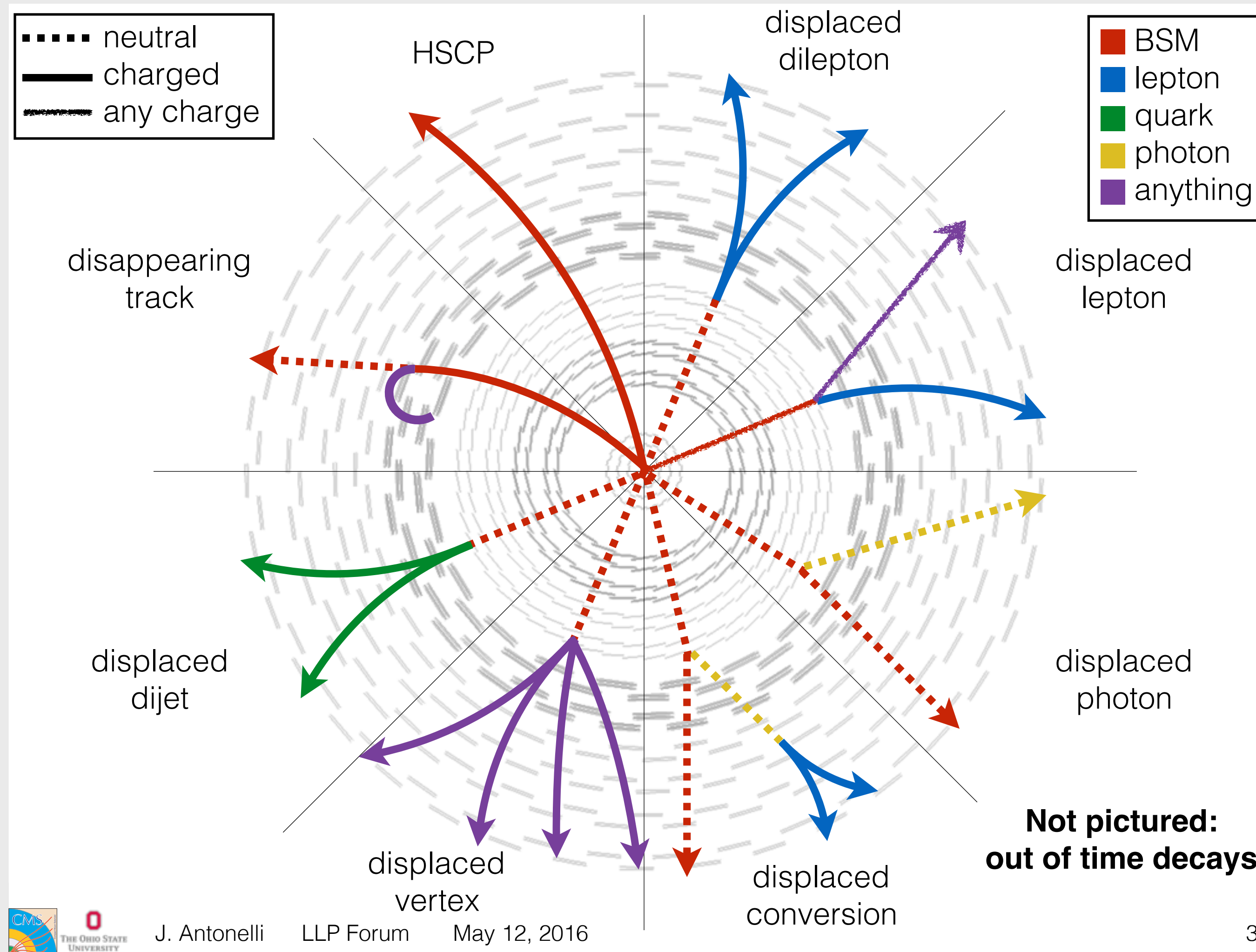


Table 14: Parameters for the HCAL segmentation as implemented in the simulation model, with a total of 60 Fe-Scintillator layers.

Function	Material	Layer thickness [mm]
Absorber	steel	19
Space	air	2.7
Cassette	Steel	0.5
PCB	mixed	0.7
Conductor	Cu	0.1
Scintillator	Polystyrene	3
Cassette	Steel	0.5
Total between steel plates		7.5
Total Fe-scint. layer		26.5

Figure 23: Jet energy resolution in the ILD detector for jets of different energies, as a function of the number of HCAL layers, keeping the number of  $\lambda_I$  constant.

# LLP & Exotica @ $e^+e^-$



Clean Experimental Environment

NO

TRIGGER

NO

QCD BACKGROUND

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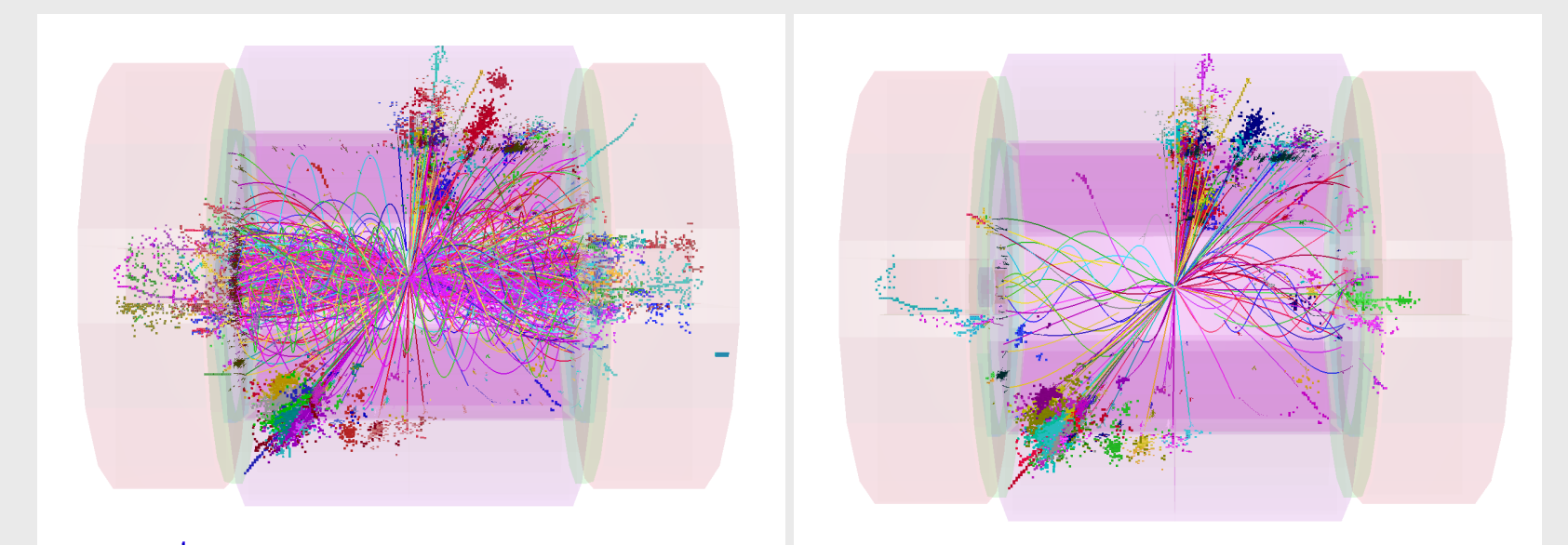


Fig. 2.12: (left) Reconstructed particles in a simulated  $e^+e^- \rightarrow H^+H^- \rightarrow t\bar{b}b\bar{t}$  event at 3 TeV in the CLIC\_ILD detector concept with background from  $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow \text{hadrons}$  overlaid. (right) the effect of applying tight timing cuts on the reconstructed cluster times.



# Physics Potential WG

CLIC-HERE

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## WG Physics Potential

Conveners: [Jorge de Blas](#), [James Wells](#), [Andrea Wulzer](#)

This working group coordinates the theory community effort to assess the CLIC potential to discover cracks in the Standard Model. The physics picture that is emerging from the LHC results and the recent completion of the CLIC feasibility study and detector design, make this assessment particularly timely, in preparation of the forthcoming update of the European Strategy.

New physics might be discovered at CLIC either indirectly, through precise measurements showing departures from the Standard Model predictions, or via the direct observation of new particles. Both aspects will be investigated under several beyond-the-Standard Model perspectives. A summary of ongoing activities and the corresponding contact persons is reported below.



# Kick-off Meeting

CLIC-HERE

[HTTPS://INDICO.CERN.CH/EVENT/632228/](https://indico.cern.ch/event/632228/)

## Physics at CLIC

17-18 July 2017  
CERN

Europe/Zurich timezone



### Overview

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The physics picture that is emerging from the LHC results and the recent completion of the CLIC feasibility study and detector design, make an assessment of the CLIC physics potential particularly timely, in preparation of the forthcoming update of the European Strategy. A dedicated working group was recently set up at CERN, with the purpose of collecting and coordinating the theory community effort in this direction. This workshop is the kickoff meeting of this initiative. Topics include direct or indirect searches for new physics, from any beyond-the-SM perspective, that are relevant for the CLIC experimental program.



**Starts** 17 Jul 2017, 07:25

**Ends** 18 Jul 2017, 19:30

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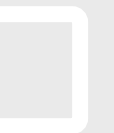
# So far...

- mostly standard signatures analyses (MSSM,  $Z'$  ...) but in progress studies on compressed spectra (e.g. Higgsino)
- Interest for all signals involving soft mono-photon, stub-tracks, appearing and disappearing tracks, milli-charged ...

**Your Ideas And Inputs Are Very Welcome**

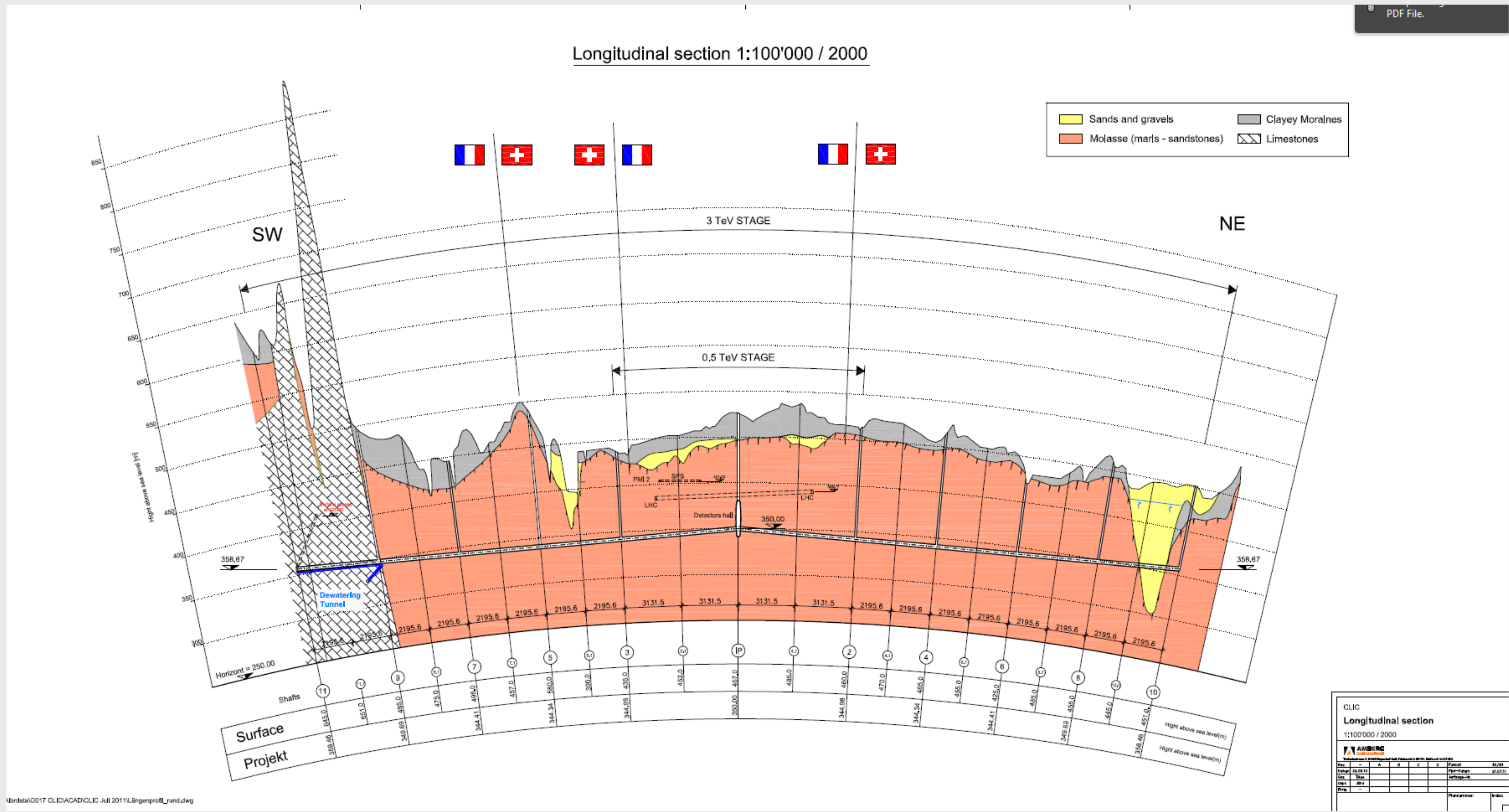
- Follow-up meetings & Document in 2018 for the Update of the European Strategy for Particle Physics

**Thank you!**





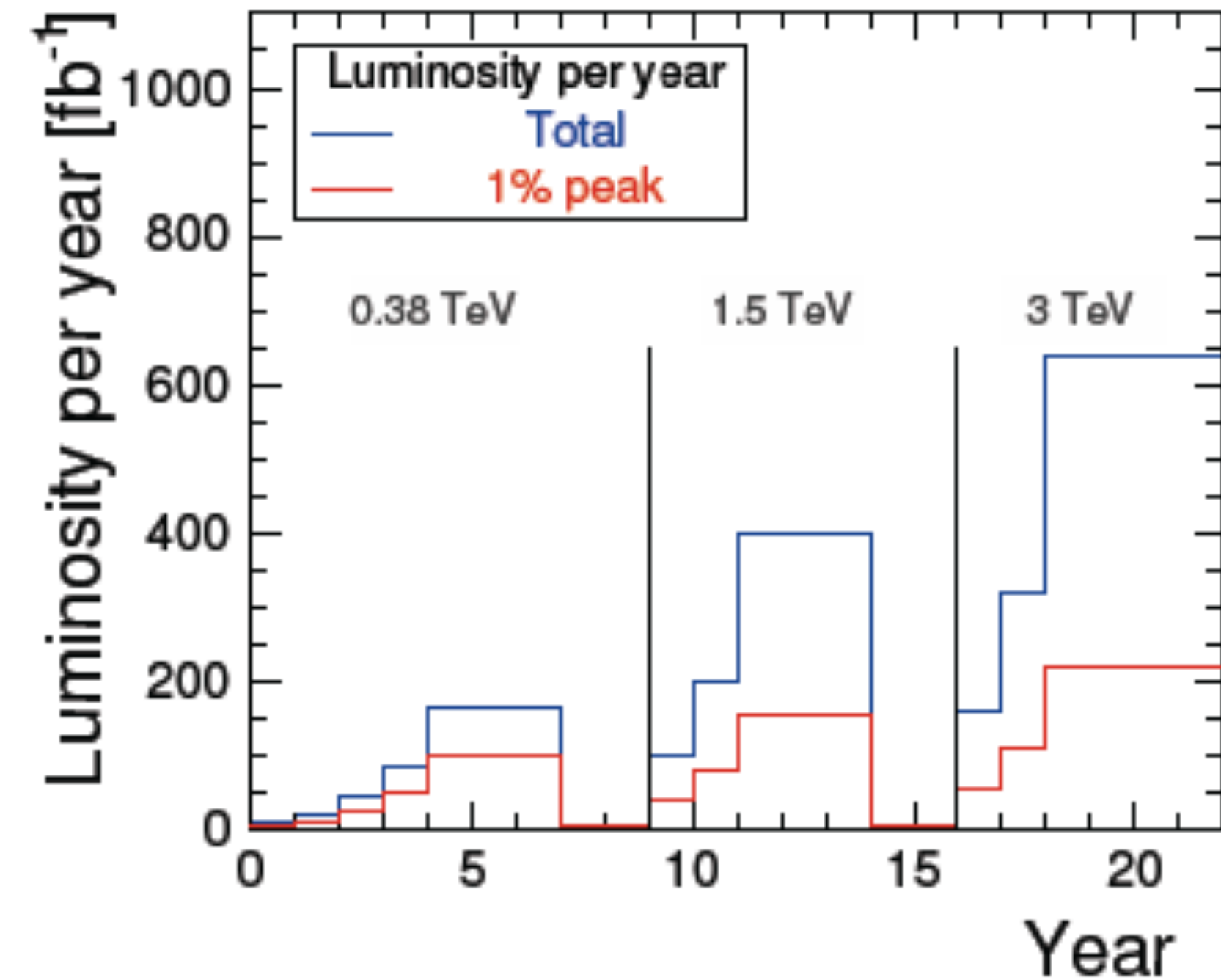
# Planned Site



# Planned Cost and Running

Table 11: Value estimate of CLIC at 380 GeV centre-of-mass energy.

	Value [MCHF of December 2010]
Main beam production	1245
Drive beam production	974
Two-beam accelerators	2038
Interaction region	132
Civil engineering & services	2112
Accelerator control & operational infrastructure	216
Total	6690





# A beam dump at the Linear Collider?

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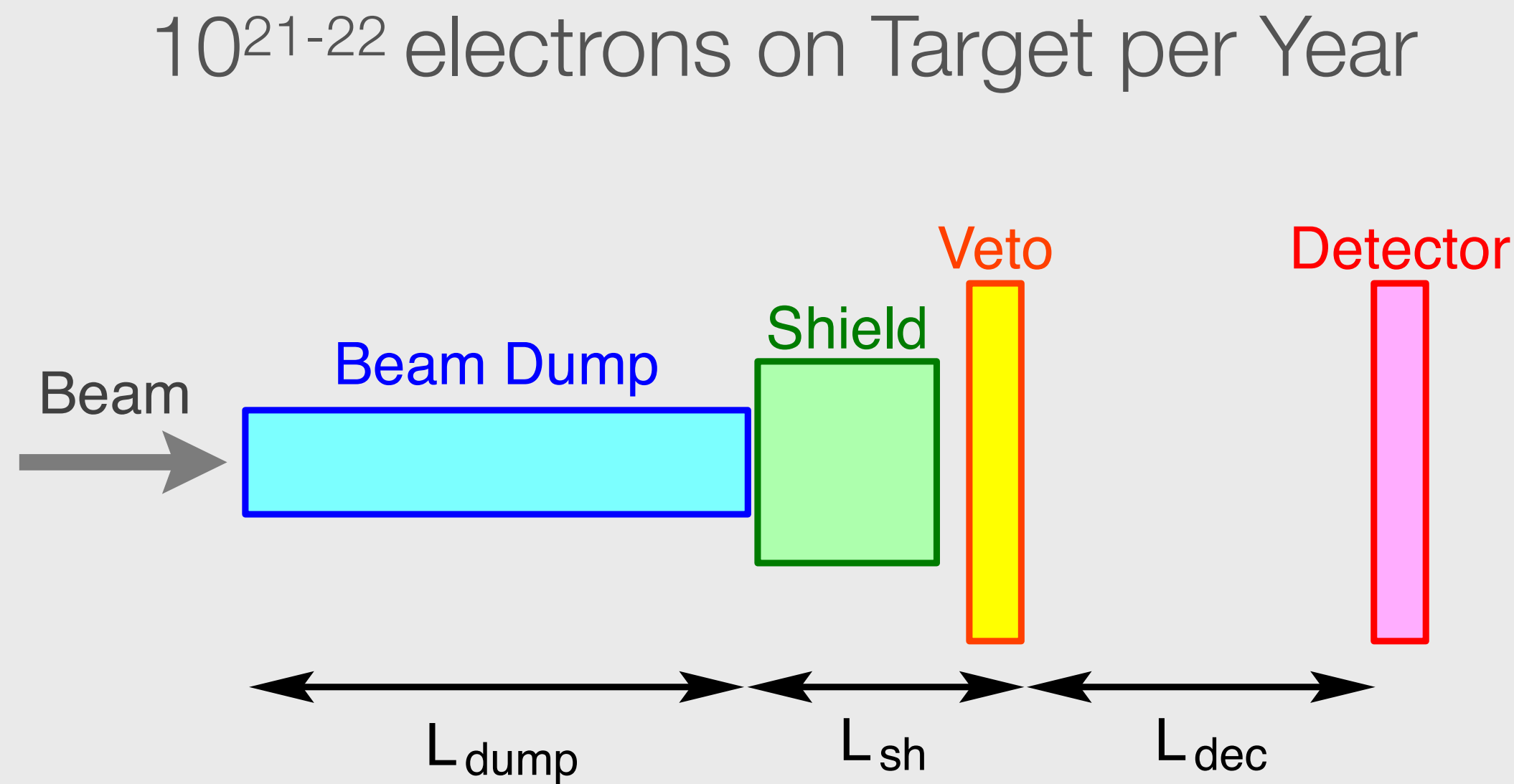


FIG. 1: Schematic view of BD<sub>ee</sub>. The electron (or positron) beam is injected into the beam dump from the left.

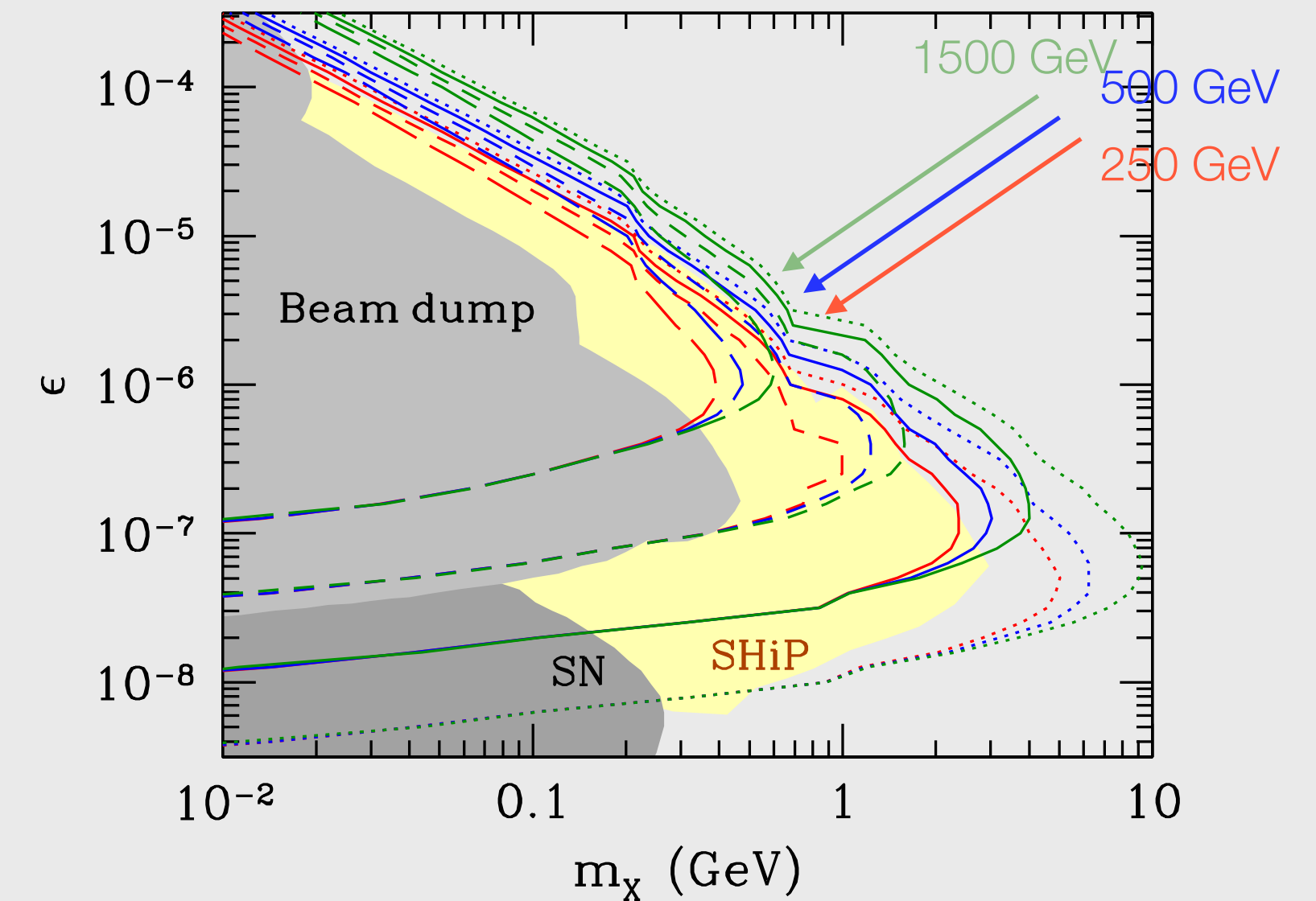


FIG. 2: Contours of constant  $N_{\text{sig}}$  on the  $m_X$  vs.  $\epsilon$  plane for  $E_{\text{beam}} = 250$  (red), 500 (blue), and 1500 GeV (green), taking  $N_e = 4 \times 10^{21}$ ,  $L_{\text{dump}} = 11$  m,  $L_{\text{sh}} = 50$  m, and  $L_{\text{dec}} = 50$  m. The dotted, solid, short-dashed, and long-dashed lines correspond to  $N_{\text{sig}} = 10^{-2}$ , 1,  $10^2$ , and  $10^4$ , respectively. The gray-shaded regions are already excluded by past beam dump experiments [10] (light-gray) or supernova bounds [14] (dark-gray), while SHiP experiment, if approved, will cover the yellow-shaded one [15].