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**AIDA-2020**

**4<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL  
MEETING**

**2-5 APRIL 2019**

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In connection with:

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## Report from the Science Advisory Panel

### 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting

Marcel Demarteau

*on behalf of the SAP*

Oxford, April 5, 2019



**AIDA 2020**

## First Annual Meeting

13-17 June 2016, DESY, Hamburg, Germany

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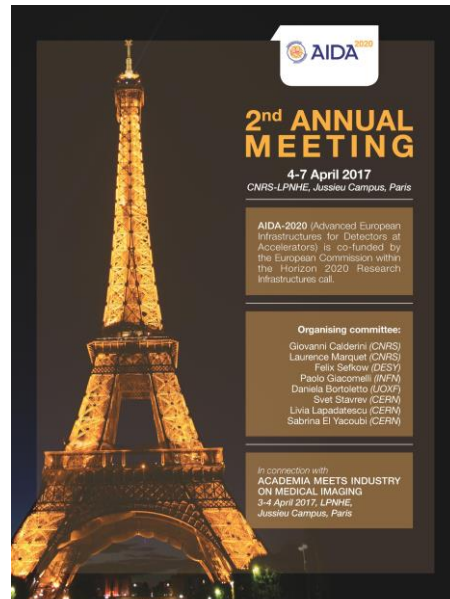
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**Energy and time measurement with high-granularity silicon devices**

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## 2nd ANNUAL MEETING

4-7 April 2017  
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## 3rd ANNUAL MEETING

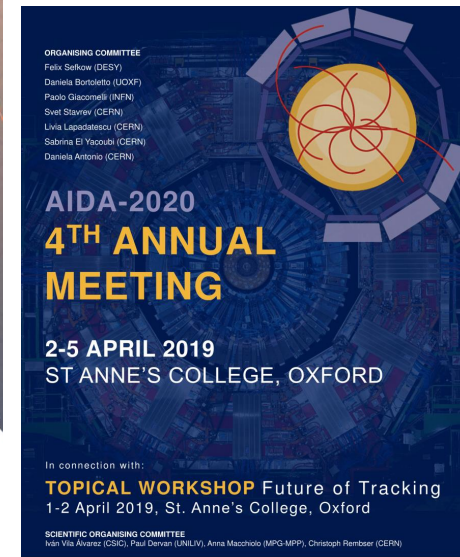
24-27 April 2018, Centro San Domenico, INFN Bologna, Italy

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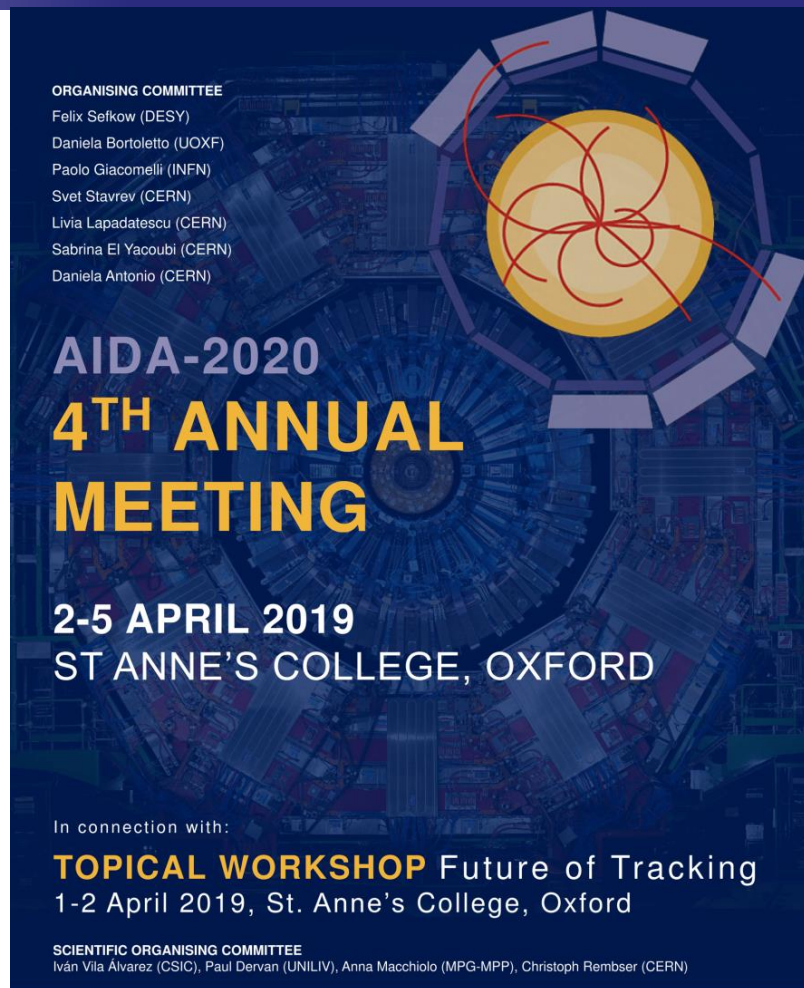
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Thank you for the great venues, interesting history, terrific hospitality, great food, superb support, ....

- First three workshops were impressive:
  - 2016: 135 participants
  - 2017: 134 participants
  - 2018: 124 participants
- Fourth workshop impressive:
  - 95 participants
  - 24 parallel sessions with a total of 96 excellent presentations and discussions in parallel sessions
- Very enthusiastic and dedicated teams in each working group and excellent progress reported by all groups.
- **Many young scientists involved !**
- **Congratulations on the accomplishments to date!**
- Thank you!

The poster for the AIDA-2020 4th Annual Meeting features a large, stylized orange and yellow circular emblem with red lines, set against a dark blue background with a faint, repeating pattern of the emblem. The text is arranged in a clear, hierarchical layout.

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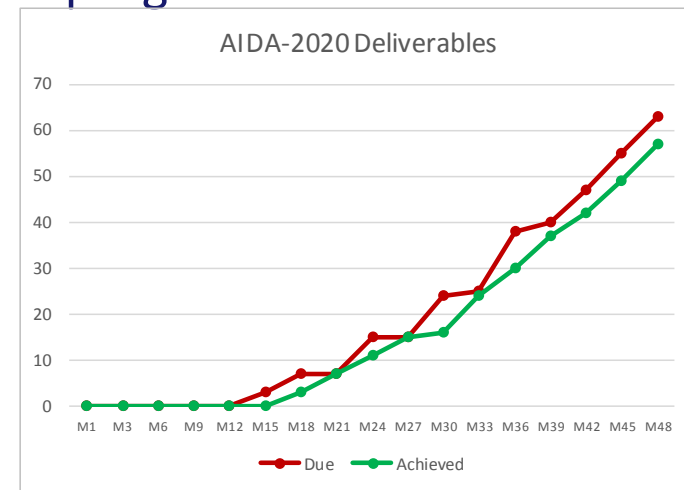


Honi Soit Qui Mal Y Pense  
“May he be shamed who thinks badly of it”

- We understand our task to provide constructive advice to the Management Team (MT) on a regular basis on technical and strategic matters related to the scientific program of the projects
- Dialogue with MT resumed ~2 months ago with email exchange between SAP members to review the program.
- Thank you for answering our long list of questions on short notice and helping us prepare for this meeting!

## WP 1: Project management and coordination

- The management team continues to do a excellent of job running this wide-ranging and important program. The success of the program is a tribute to the work of the management team.
- The program is at the end of its original 4-year duration. Seventeen of the 80 deliverables are subject to the no-cost extension into year 5.
- Of the 63 deliverables due by now, 57 have been achieved, 3 are due this month, and 3 have been formally delayed.
- The SAB is pleased that the no-cost extension was granted and believes that good use is being made of the additional time to increase the impact of AIDA-2020.
- Overall spending is on track, with some work packages spending a bit ahead of schedule and others a bit behind. AIDA-2020 management is taking appropriate action to balance the remaining resources.





## WP 1: Project management and coordination

- The management team is to be congratulated on very successfully addressing the previous lag in the number of publications. The project stands to exceed their target, though there remains a large variance in the number of publications between the work projects (some still have zero publications!)
- Although the AIDA project is in the home-stretch, we caution to not let down your guard and ensure adequate monitoring until the project is officially closed. Credit is easily lost.
- We strongly suggest an early start on the timely closure of the project; with the follow-up program there will be many conflicting demands that ought to be avoided as much as possible.
- A broad, but targeted solicitation for the follow-up program is recommended – more on this later.



## WP 1: Management

- The committee strongly advises the team to use the extension period to re-evaluate the accomplishments and impacts of the work packages to provide input in the preparation for the next proposal.
- The AIDA-2020 team is encouraged to start engaging in an active dialogue with a broad community outside the current core AIDA-2020 membership to guide the formulation of the next proposal submission.

**Slide From Last Year !**

## WP 2: Innovation and outreach

- Task 2.2 Communication, dissemination, outreach
  - Number of impressions, views, clicks assessed.
  - Suggest to organize seminars at CERN about results.
- Industrial relations and technology transfer: Academia Meets Industry was well attended in 2018
  - Feedback concerning the 2 AMI events to be sent after the Annual meeting
  - Preparing summary slides for each project, to improve the KT/TT from AIDA2020 to Industry
    - To be followed with WP leaders.
- Proof of Concept: three projects seeking impact beyond HEP
  - The three projects (RaDoM, SMART, TSV with IZM) successfully built and operated devices
    - *The PoC concept and the outcomes deserve larger visibility; they should be further and widely publicized in the HEP community with seminars or ad hoc AIDA events*
  - What is the future of these developments for the market ?
- Industrialisation of large areas silicon detectors: market survey
  - Infineon has decided to stop R&D
  - Common order from ATLAS+CMS to Hamamatsu: Phase-II Upgrades will need more than 46.000 x 6-inch and 30.000 x 8-inch wafers
- Milestones since last AIDA2020 general meeting reached.

## WP 3: Advanced Software

- DD4HEP
  - **Outstanding success of WP3 in AIDA2020**, wide adoption by the community (has become the de facto choice); good support for users – congratulations!
  - But continued production support, documentation and further feature demands will come – keep up that good work
- DDG4/DDSim
  - Now in use for significant simulation by ILC/CLIC/FCCee
  - Could **look for synergy** with new DD4hep users and alternative framework integrations, like Gaussino (used by LHCb and FCChh)
- VecGeom
  - Delivery into Geant4 almost complete; low level improvements for all users with little/no migration costs – exactly what was required
- Alignment
  - Successful use for LHCb VELO upgrade and DD4hep integration finished
- PODIO
  - Delivered a functional EDM for FCChh, reimplementing of LCIO has been done
  - **Performance tests** and adding **different I/O strategies** are key to proving the strengths of the design and attract more users in the future
- ACTS and Tracking
  - State of ACTS (A Common Tracking Software) did not allow easy integration of AIDA2020 work, but it should be the **longer term strategic goal in this area**



## WP 3: Advanced Software

- Frameworks
  - **Difficult external constraints** as this is very hard area to achieve synergy
    - Useful contributions to Gaudi not in the core – at least should **target a solution for new experiments**
  - Marlin (ILC/CLIC framework) multi-threaded extensions are useful to try, but should have **clear, achievable targets** and be **reviewed regularly** – might help to reinvigorate community framework activity?
- Particle Flow
  - **Excellent results** as the default reconstruction algorithm for ProtoDUNE; also used successfully by CLIC and MicroBooNE
  - Continuing the **work for DUNE is a high priority**, including extension to the dual-phase detector
- Overall Impressions and AIDA++
  - Work package has delivered on all major points – congratulations to the whole team
  - Publications in reasonable shape, but further opportunities exist for the 5<sup>th</sup> year
  - Drivers for AIDA++ will be
    - Software support for detector concept and design studies
    - Software upgrades for running experiments (can happen during shutdowns)
    - *Much to build on here for current projects, but also scope for new ideas*
  - Most successful projects are ones that had a clear single focus and could be migrated to as a isolated component - but often this took both rounds of AIDA support, e.g., DD4hep

## WP 4: Microelectronics and Interconnects

The **RD53A chip as baseline for the ATLAS/CMS HL-LHC pixel detectors has been successfully tested**. Taking into account the lessons learned, the larger RD53B will be submitted with technical improvements Sep 19/April 20 for ATLAS/CMS.

(,SiGe', now) CMOS 130nm for high granularity calorimeter readout: Last deliverable on time and under review

**Chip underwent intensive and successful tests.**

“The successful results confirm the suitability of the 130 nm CMOS process and of the analog and digital architectures that were implemented.”

## WP 4: Microelectronics and Interconnects

Important progress on the vias has been achieved in collaboration between Bonn and IZM (parallel effort has not reached a mature status):

### **Successful Proof of Concept project**

- **Modules with vias with the FEI4 chip work as well as standard chips.**
- Some 90% yield (!!)
- Next step: try out with RD53-A. Aim for test results in M58

Note: AIDA deemed to have been essential to do this!

Implications for industrial applications

**Highly interesting for planned replacement of pixel layers during LHC Run 2**



## WP 5: Data acquisition system for beam tests

- Trigger Logic Units (TLUs) are in place and working in labs across Europe
  - We believe that **continuing support** for the this hardware is vital to profit from this work
  - Finding a **sustainable** way to produce more units is a priority
  - Releasing the product as open hardware is a positive step
- EUDAQ2 Software
  - Working in a number of test beam and telescope setups, delivering improved functionality
  - We recommend solid software development practice (track issues, continuous integration) to **support production work** and shake out bugs – not quite robust yet
- AHCAL and SiCAL DAQ
  - Both projects **working and using AIDA2020 TLUs and EUDAQ2**
  - This finds issues: bugs, glitches and missing features – these need fixed
    - Support here is an essential part of making a robust production system
- DQM4HEP
  - No update this year – stalled due to lack of effort
- Work Package 5 has delivered all key milestones and deliverables
  - **Congratulations on that success!**
    - A number of **publications now in the pipeline** and we strongly support that effort
  - TLU and EUDAQ2 are now a **working system** that need support and further development to be a real success – should be in AIDA++
  - DQM4HEP has not made it for online monitoring, but a need still exists – this is something to consider for AIDA++, but unique features and target use cases should be very well defined

## WP 6: Novel CMOS sensors

- The four deliverables (no milestones) during this reporting period, which were all met:
  - D6.1: Delivery of TCAD libraries
  - D6.2: Sensor-design guidelines (report is imminent)
  - D6.6: Delivery of Assemblies
  - D6.7: Recommendation for industrialization

## Deliverables

- D6.1: TCAD Libraries
  - Developed and delivered detailed simulations of HVCMOS silicon devices.
  - Comparison with measurements done on devices before and after irradiation (LFCPIXV2)
  - Verified detailed simulation
  - Detailed description and release of simulation protocol would be beneficial to the community at large.

- **D6.2 Sensor Design Guidelines:**
  - Simulation of the charge collection in different designs of depleted CMOS devices
  - Full simulation of devices studying aspects of HV/Bias isolation, its influence on other parts of the design, inter pixel isolation and breakdown performance, sensor guard ring design for maximum allowed bias
  - Study of pixel geometry (including dimensions and dose and energy of deep/sensor implants) and its effect on capacitance and charge collection.
- **Valuable design study for depleted CMOS sensors**
- **D6.6: Delivery of CMOS assemblies**
  - H35Demo and FE-I4 ASIC AC coupled devices produced and tested.
  - H35Demo and FE-I4 ASIC AC and DC coupled device produced and tested
  - LFCPIX and FE-I4 DC coupled devices were produced.
  - All devices were delivered to the community for further tests.
  - New version of the LC CPIX and Monolithic FEI3 pixel matrix being developed and presented
  - Results of a new version of the MALTA chips in 180nm TJ-process presented
- **Even though not part of the HL-LHC upgrade, paving the way for future pixel detectors**



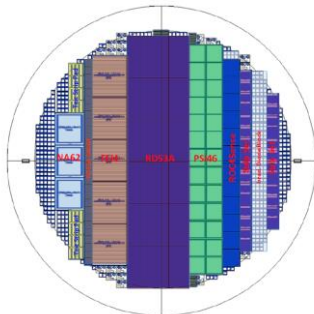
- D6.7: Developing a technique with industry for wafer level packaging
  - Build capacitively coupled devices on a wafer level with *MicroFabSolutions (Trento)*
  - Good progress being made; precision placement is currently the key limitation;
  - Recommend continuing prototyping effort to complete project and deliver a specific protocol for industry.

## WP 6: Deliverables still to be completed

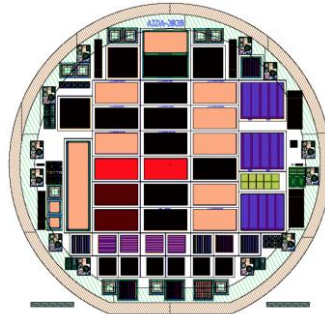
- Three deliverables still to be completed during the extension period
- **D6.3: Performance characterisation results (M58)**
  - *Report on performance characterisation of test structures and sensors, including electrical, laser, source and test-beam measurements*
- **D6.4: Radiation tolerance assessment (M58)**
  - *Report on measured radiation tolerance of optimised test structures and sensors*
- **D6.5: Optimised interconnection process (M49) – Delayed**
  - *Reason for delay: effort shifted from hybrid devices to monolithic ones, which do not require a complicated interconnection technique. Now investigation of the wafer packaging technique of DC and AC coupled devices.*

## WP 7: Advanced Hybrid Pixel detectors

- Three technologies (planar, 3D, LGAD) being studied in the framework of WP7
- Project very well integrated and aligned with ongoing projects; 3D and LGAD productions are a major part of the sensor R&D activities of the pixel and timing detector at ATLAS and CMS.
- Milestones:
  - MS81: Test beam campaign for 3D and planar sensors (M36)
  - MS87: MPW runs completion (M42 -> one run to go)
  - MS98: Validation radiation damage model with data comparison (M46 -> M52)
- MS87 has been completed but the active edge planar production at FBK has just started because of lack of SOI wafers at the company. Devices should be available in June.



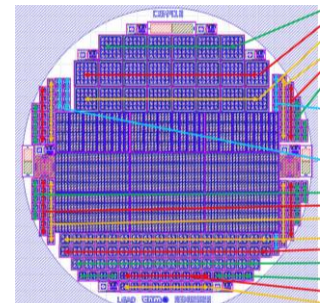
3D FBK



Planar Active Edge FBK



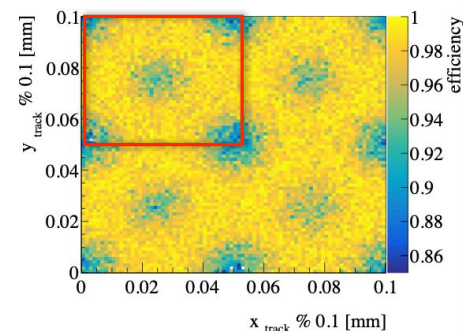
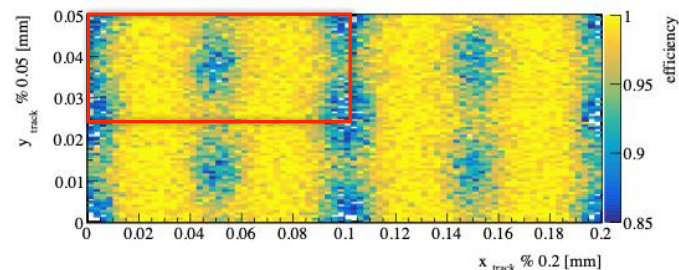
3D CNM



LGAD CNM

## Milestones:

- MS81: Test beam campaign for 3D and planar sensors
  - Very successful campaigns of prototype sensors
  - Irradiated LGAD sensors at CERN PS with 24 GeV protons at five different fluences
    - Uncovered hot spots in leakage current; new modified sensor design submitted
    - Significantly better behavior of 35 $\mu$ m thick LGAD compared with 50  $\mu$ m
  - 3D run at CNM completed in February 2019, seven wafers being bonded to RD53A
  - 3D run at FBK completed and tested on beam, irradiated with RD53A prototype chip
  - Stepper implemented at FBK for production
- Large fraction of the objectives are being met for the HL-LHC experiments
- Good efficiencies even after irradiation
- Excellent progress, though a lot of work ahead
- Excellent coordination with experiments
- **Efforts instrumental for HL-LHC projects, and project needs to be congratulated on the tremendous contributions!**





## Milestones:

- MS98: Validation radiation damage model with data comparison (M46 -> M52)
  - Valuable development of very detailed, verified and accurate radiation damage model (Perugia model)
  - Given the high level of detail and investment, releasing the simulation to the larger community should be considered.
  - Publication of 'handbook' is suggested.

## Deliverables to come:

- D7.4: TCAD model radiation damage (M52)
- D7.7: Final pixel characterisation (M52)
- D7.8: LGAD characterization (M52)
- **Very well on track to meet all deliverables**

### □ Bulk damage modelling scheme

Type	Energy (eV)	$\eta$ (cm <sup>-1</sup> )	$\sigma_n$ (cm <sup>2</sup> )	$\sigma_h$ (cm <sup>2</sup> )
Donor	$E_c - 0.23$	0.006	$2.3 \times 10^{-14}$	$2.3 \times 10^{-15}$
Acceptor	$E_c - 0.42$	1.6	$1 \times 10^{-15}$	$1 \times 10^{-14}$
Acceptor	$E_c - 0.46$	0.9	$7 \times 10^{-14}$	$7 \times 10^{-13}$

### □ Surface damage modelling scheme

Type	Energy (eV)	Band width (eV)	Conc. (cm <sup>-2</sup> )
Acceptor	$E_c \leq E_T \leq E_c - 0.56$	0.56	$D_{IT} = D_{IT}(\Phi)$
Donor	$E_V \leq E_T \leq E_V + 0.6$	0.60	$D_{IT} = D_{IT}(\Phi)$

## WP 8: Large Scale Cryogenic Liquid Detectors

- Four of the five deliverables are complete:
  - D8.1 Purification and monitoring
  - D8.3 Light readout
  - D8.4 Very high voltage
  - D8.5 Magnetisation of large-scale cryogenic liquid detectors
- The fifth deliverable, D8.2 Charge readout and double phase, was subject of the no-cost extension to allow exploitation of ProtoDUNE-DP. It is due in October.
  - ProtoDUNE-DP is currently scheduled to start data taking (with cosmic rays) in August, leaving little time to include results in the deliverable report.
  - Much will be learned from hardware commissioning even if no cosmic ray data are taken in time.
  - It seems that success could be declared based on results from the 3 x 1 x 1 m<sup>3</sup> detector, if necessary.
- WP8 has done important work to advance the state of the art for large LAr detectors, as well as to demonstrate a novel iron magnetization scheme.
- The results have been well disseminated in a significant number of publications (notably a major paper on the 3 x 1 x 1 detector) and on twiki pages.
  - Neither the list of publications on the WP8 page nor the summary of AIDA-2020 publications captures the full set of publications. This needs to be corrected for AIDA-2020 to get the credit it deserves.
- Excellent synergy with WP3 (Advanced Software – PFA event reconstruction) and WP13 (Innovative Gas detectors – thick GEMs)



## WP 9: New support structures and $\mu$ -channel cooling

- WP9 is to be congratulated for the steady progresses demonstrated in all the pioneering activities and for the successful completion of T9.3 set-ups
- Exhaustive and conclusive answers to all SAP questions were provided
- Cooling in future experiments has additional stringent requirements:
  - *It is highly recommended to further extend the research (e.g. in the field of: new eco-friendly coolants, applications to large & densely packed systems.....)*
- The implementation of  $\mu$ -channel solutions in existing experiments is a convincing proof of the successful work performed so far
  - *Nonetheless additional investigations in the direction of: large-scale production, industrialization and optimization of production costs are needed*
- Many detector technologies need innovative and performant cooling systems.
  - *It would be highly profitable that the expertise collected within WP9 could be shared with other detector technologies. .*

## WP 10: Test beam (TA DESY & TA CERN)

- Transnational Access funds were spent by 2017.
  - 24 projects supported in 2015 and 18 projects in 2016, then funds ran out (altogether 42 projects)
  - 196 visits to CERN supported, 10 days on average.
  - Participants from 19 countries
- DESY infrastructure
  - Three beam lines, now three Pixel Beam telescopes (three out of four teams request use of telescopes), one 1T solenoid, one big dipole
  - TA essentially completed now.
  - 14/27 AIDA users have published with AIDA reference; many publications w/o references to AIDA
- CERN infrastructure
  - 24 projects in 2015, 18 in 2016, then funds run out
  - WP10.1 allows simplified test beam user registration at CERN, when they have no affiliation to a CERN experiment.
  - Publications: 40/42.
  - No beam at CERN in 2019-2020
- Mode of operation (giving access to equipped beam lines, with support) has been very successful for R&D developments
  - Transnational Access is working well and is appreciated by users: will not be continued in next AIDA

## WP 11 + 12: Transnational Access for Test Facilities

- All transnational facilities are **significant for the European theme of a common research infrastructure**. They are imperative for innovative detector development - AIDA's theme for now and future.
- The use of these facilities continued to be strong during the past year. The complementary elements of this network are crucial for detector characterizations.
- Discussion emerged on the correctness of the calibration of irradiations. Cross calibrating between facilities could help to increase confidence. This could be interesting and should be looked into.
- Main problem is the **lack of funding in Y5**. The effect is to lower priority of some users, charging more etc.
- **SAB finds it important that AIDA finds resources to allow a projectable and balanced use of facilities also during the extension period. This is especially important for the smaller test facilities.**



## WP 13: Gas Detectors MPGD

- WP13 is to be congratulated for their progress, the exhaustive and conclusive answers to all SAP questions, the successful and timely completion of the milestones
- Despite the large progress, the large scale MPGD industrial production still remains a key point to be successfully implemented.
  - *The team is recommended to focus on the subject and to invest efforts to achieve an effective TT with European factories to increase the number of possible producers and to make industrial production a more cost-effective process.*
- Expanding/creating a new WP on novel visionary technologies for future PID with gaseous detectors (Innovative radiator from metamaterials, photonic crystals - hydrogenated Nano Diamond Carbon (NDC) powder.....) might be a high gain strategy for AIDA++

## WP 14: Infrastructure for advanced calorimeters

- Four key tasks:
  - Task 14.2 Test infrastructure for innovative calorimeters with optical readout
  - Task 14.3 Test infrastructure for innovative calorimeters with semiconductor readout
  - Task 14.4 Readout systems for innovative calorimeters
  - Task 14.5 Mechanical and thermal tools for innovative calorimeters

## Deliverables

- Task 14.2 - Test infrastructure for innovative calorimeters with optical readout
  - Fibre test benches (14.2.1. - D14.2 - 06.03.2019)
    - Several test benches in institutes, operational and used
    - Some instabilities from the sources observed - to be investigated further
  - Performance of test infrastructure for highly granular optical readout - (14.2.2 - D14.1 - 20.08.2018)
    - Three test benches built in MPP, Heidelberg & Mainz (SiPM tests, cosmic tests) operational and used

- Task 14.3 - Advanced Assembly chain for Si calorimeters
  - Task 14.3.1 - D14.3 (18.05.2018)
    - MIP studies on multi layers assembly provided good results (after correcting for some effects)
    - Assembly system produced in Paris region and duplicated in Kyushu: obtained similar results
    - Ongoing development of ultra thin sensors with chip on board.
  - Task 14.3.2 Infrastructure for Very Compact Tungsten-based Calorimetry
    - Measurement of Molière radius successful & good MC description
    - Next readout chip FLAME submitted for fabrication
- Task 14.4 Compact Digital Electronics for SiW Ecal and other applications
  - Optimisation of thickness and integration proceeding well; preparing for a testbeam in DESY in June 2019
  - Will then address power pulsing & HV distribution on kapton
  - D14.5 (18.05.2018) Using EUDAQ developed by WP5, testbeam data have been acquired in common mode.

- Task 14.5 Mechanical and thermal tools for innovative calorimeters
  - Task 14.5.1 Mechanical and thermal tools for innovative calorimeters
    - The electron beam welding technique allowed the assembly of the demonstrator with plenary  $\pm 0.6$  mm.
    - Concerns for production as manipulation of large element not well suited to electron laser welding (vacuum)
  - Task 14.5.2 Infrastructure to evaluate thermal properties of calorimeter structures (D14.8 - June 2018).
    - Operational system
    - Development of a leak detection for fast intervention (Polarographic probe)
- Work Package 14 has delivered all key milestones and deliverables:  
**Congratulations on that success!**
  - 15 journal publications + some in preparation: very good record - we strongly support that effort
  - Serious progress in calorimetry development with large impacts in HEP
  - For the last year: secure the test-benches (documentation, spares, movies)

## WP 15: Infrastructure at Test Facilities

- Continuous upgrade infrastructure for these European test beam facilities mandatory to optimize their usefulness and adopt to new requirements. AIDA has contributed in several ways by hardware and software projects.

Two directions:

- Improvements for specific facilities:  
Frascati, GIF++, Birmingham ....
- Standardization of components:  
Test beam telescope, database on irradiation facilities ....

Improves facilities (mostly at large labs) and makes their use easier.

Obviously this lays the foundation for being 'innovative'



## WP 15: Infrastructure at Test Facilities

- **In general, all milestones have been achieved in time.  
Many components developed are in use already. Excellent!**

A few exceptions:

- Exception 1: **Frascati beam line**, which had been postponed to M44. Hardware (including pulse dipole) in place 'milestone can be considered achieved'. However waiting for authorization by ministry. Related to this **Frascati photon tagging**, somewhat delayed of installation. Operation planned for end 2019..
- Exception 2: **GIF++ cosmic ray tracker**, chambers are available, but one manufacturer has tax problems. But also very little progress of software development for augmented reality event display => now postponed to Aug 19. Clear and reliable planning needed for this.

**Important to monitor closely the progress in the next months.  
Still 1y to go, but could become tight!**

# What Worked Well?

- The SAB was asked to provide feedback on the program to date as input to the follow-up program
- Overall the project is managed very well, with some innovative features.
- The Transnational Access program has been a flagship part of the program.
- Contributions of many work packages are instrumental to the current particle physics program
- The neutrino community has been brought into this process for the first time.
- The Proof of Concept program has been very successful; four successful projects in four years is a huge achievement:
  - Silicon-based Microdosimetry System for Advanced Radiation Therapies
  - Advanced Through Silicon Vias for Pixel Detectors
  - Radon Monitoring: RaDoM
  - Infinion (even though in the end it was not successful, it has established a relationship that can be nurtured going forward).

# What Didn't Work So Well?

- The publication record is terrific, but could have even been stronger with some more oversight/encouragement and/or better communication.
- In certain area there is a large discrepancy between the number of projects and the publications submitted by the same group of projects. As an example, this is particularly true in area of key importance like irradiation facilities.
- The collaboration between some work packages started a bit late, though overall the existing synergies between the work packages has been effectively leveraged.
- The SAP feels that the Proof of Concept program has not received the visibility it deserves.

## To Consider ...

- The current form of the AIDA program distributes the money over many projects with relatively small amounts of money disbursed.
- As a consequence, AIDA has sometimes had a relatively small incremental effect.
- In contrast, there are projects, where has AIDA really made an impact
  - TSV, Software, CMOS, ...
- Although it is understood that the self-imposed requirement of the matching contribution can be limiting, it might be useful to consider if AIDA would have 'owned' more projects – that is would have provided more resources to a select set of tasks – if the program would have had a bigger impact.

- FP8 Call 5: Large initiatives and support measures to foster the innovation potential of research infrastructures.
  - This includes a program for “Innovation in detector technologies”
  - Deadline March 17, 2020
- AIDA-2020 management is actively preparing to develop a proposal (code-name “AIDA++”), but time is short and a focused effort is required.
- Putting together a high-quality, high-impact proposal will be a challenge:
  - The current program is closely linked to the LHC upgrade project and large-scale ongoing neutrino projects (and initially to the ILC).
  - The LHC upgrades are moving into construction and will provide a less clear guide than they did for AIDA-2020.
  - The form of the first DUNE detectors are also becoming well defined.
  - The next European Strategy Update will be released after the proposal deadline.
  - The proposal must be framed without a clearly agreed roadmap for the field, and therefore must focus on detector (system) developments that address fundamental limitations in our ability to measure particle interactions.



- Various diagonalizations for a future program are possible.
- The SAP recommends a **diagonalization along technologies** guided by the need to address fundamental particle physics questions:
  - Provides an opportunity to clearly articulate the boundary conditions of the new program so that it is not “wide open” and can be “tailored”.
  - Provides a means to establish a clear connection with future particle physics experiments, without explicit mention.
  - Allows the solicitation of a **balanced** program that has appropriate representation of incremental R&D and transformational R&D.
- The SAP recommends to keep an open mind and explore the benefit of expertise from outside the HEP community while ensuring that the program remains focused on particle physics.
- Suggest to explore companies interested either in various topics of research or in developing technologies for HEP and other applications as soon as possible.
- Suggest to be “creative” to continue support for the transnational access.

- Suggested technologies can be:
  - Continued development of D-CMOS
  - High-bandwidth, low-mass, low-power data acquisition systems
  - Machine learning and advanced software
  - Triggerless data acquisition systems
  - Instrumentation for future liquid argon detectors, e.g. better low-energy sensitivity
  - Cryogenic electronics
  - Through-Silicon-Via technology
  - Particle Identification technologies
  - Cost-effective crystal growth
  - High QE VUV photodetection
  - Ultra-fast timing detectors
  - ...
- The board also strongly recommends that the future version of the program includes education to train the next generation of physicists in experimental techniques.

- The SAP was asked to give some information about the process followed in the US
- The Coordinating Panel for Advanced Detectors organizes a workshop about once a year to take stock of the ongoing instrumentation efforts in the field.
  - 2015: University of Texas, Arlington (<http://www.uta.edu/physics/cpad2015/>)
  - 2016: Caltech (<http://hep.caltech.edu/cpad2016/>)
  - 2017: University of New Mexico (<http://physics.unm.edu/CPAD2017/>)
  - 2018: Brown University (<https://www.brown.edu/Conference/CPAD2018/>)
- These workshops are **community organized** and present the ongoing efforts in instrumentation; each working group is asked to address:
  - Present Status of Technology Development
  - Major Challenges
  - Future Opportunities
  - Grand Challenges in case warranted
- There is also an **Agency (DOE) organized** process: a BRN

- The process followed in a Basic Research Need (BRN) workshop is a very prescribed process with detailed tasks for co-chairs, speakers, panels and panel leads, panelists, writers, ...
- It originated from the Office of Basic Energy Science (BES) of the DOE: <https://science.energy.gov/bes/community-resources/reports> and has as deliverable a report with Priority Research Directions (PRD).
- The BRN does not:
  - Recommend anything
  - Advise DOE
  - Prioritize projects
  - Rank PRD opportunities
- **The BRN does describe SCIENCE OPPORTUNITIES**



First BRN last year for HEP in small Dark Matter experiments



- Charge:
  - Survey the present state of the HEP technology landscape.
  - Identify key enabling capabilities and associated performance requirements.
  - Identify technologies to provide/enhance such capabilities.
  - Articulate PRDs to push well beyond the current state of the art, potentially leading to transformative technological advances with broad-ranging applicability.
  - Flesh out the required R&D efforts with deliverables with notional timelines and key technical milestones along the way.
  - Elucidate the technical infrastructure required to support these efforts.
  - Formulate a small set of instrumentation Grand Challenges that could result in game-changing experimental capabilities.



- Some Priority Research Directions being considered:
  - Quantum Sensors – The US now has a national quantum Initiative
  - Noble Liquids – Including Large Volume Dark Matter Detectors
  - Calorimetry
  - Tracking and Vertexing
  - Photodetectors
  - Trigger and Data Acquisition Systems
  - ASICs and Readout Electronics
  - Micro-Pattern Gas Detectors
  - Muon Detectors
  - Superconducting Detectors
  - Computing
  - Ultra-fast Timing
- For each Priority Research Direction:
  - Paragraph describing the physics goals of the research direction
  - Description of the Basic Technology Needs
  - Articulation of the key performance parameters
  - Description of the relevant new technologies
  - Description of the relevant expertise

- AIDA-2020 has had another great year with tremendous progress in all areas
- It has been a pleasure to see the collaboration between the various work packages and the leverage of synergies.
- All teams are to be congratulated on their successes. The extension provides an opportunity to make the impact even stronger.
- Please don't forget to publish!
  
- **We'd like to thank the organizers for the terrific program and hospitality and all participants for the presentations and discussions.**
  
- **Good luck with the end run!**