

# Upstream Tracker upgrade for LHCb

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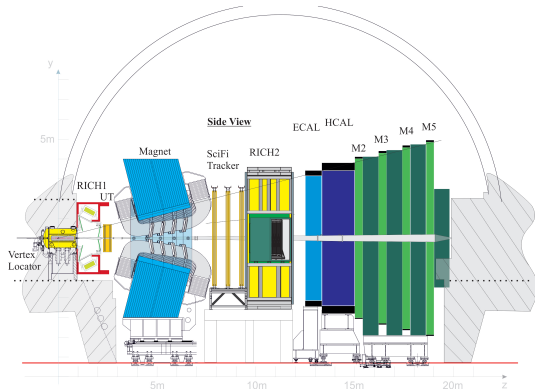
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# The LHCb upgrade

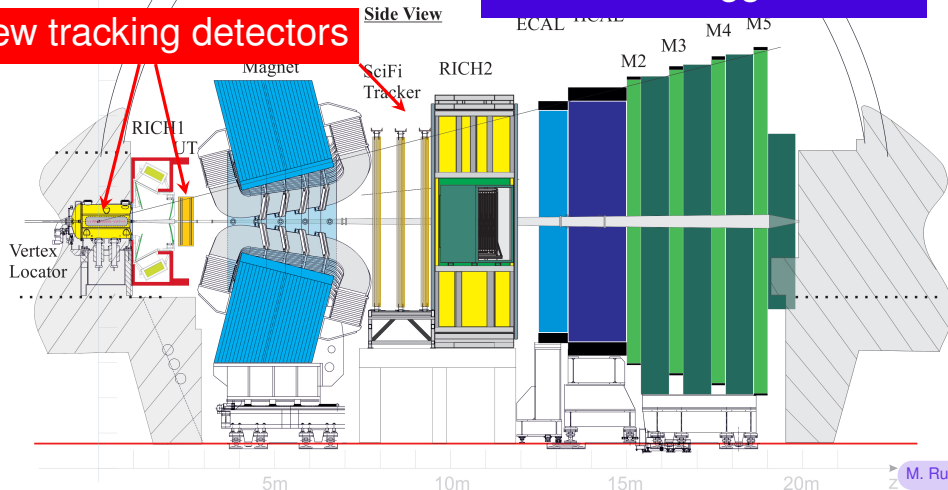
- LHCb now upgrading during LHC long shutdown 2
- Increase luminosity  $\mathcal{L}$  from  $4 \times 10^{32} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$  to  $2 \times 10^{33} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$
- Means **more interactions per crossing**, while maintaining the same performance
- To benefit from increase, need to remove hardware trigger: **readout full detector, trigger in software**
- Subdetectors must cope with increased occupancy



# Upgraded tracking

+ Upgraded electronics  
and trigger

New tracking detectors

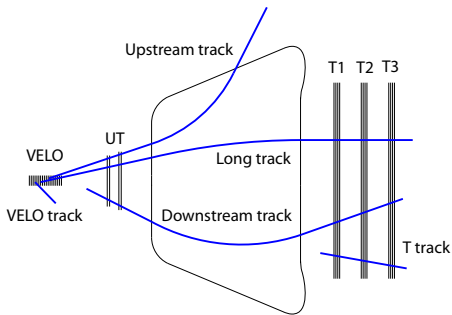


# Goals for upgraded tracking

- Full 40 MHz readout
- Track building in the software trigger
- Maintain efficiency and performance at higher pile-up
- Avoid “ghost” tracks (fake or mismatched track segments)

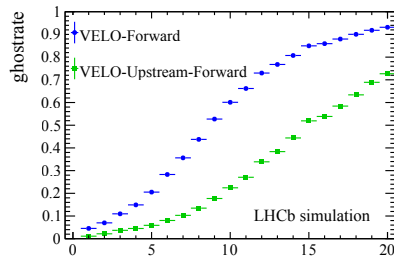
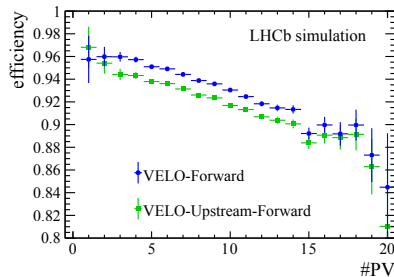


# Upstream Tracker's role



UT measurements just before magnet key to upgrade strategy:

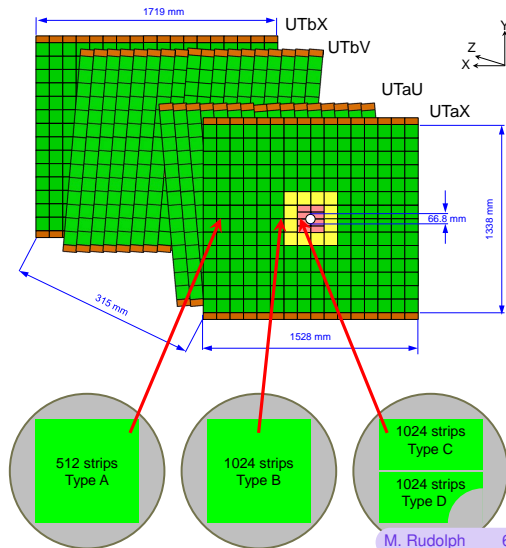
- Speed up matching between upstream and downstream
- Remove ghosts



# Upstream Tracker design

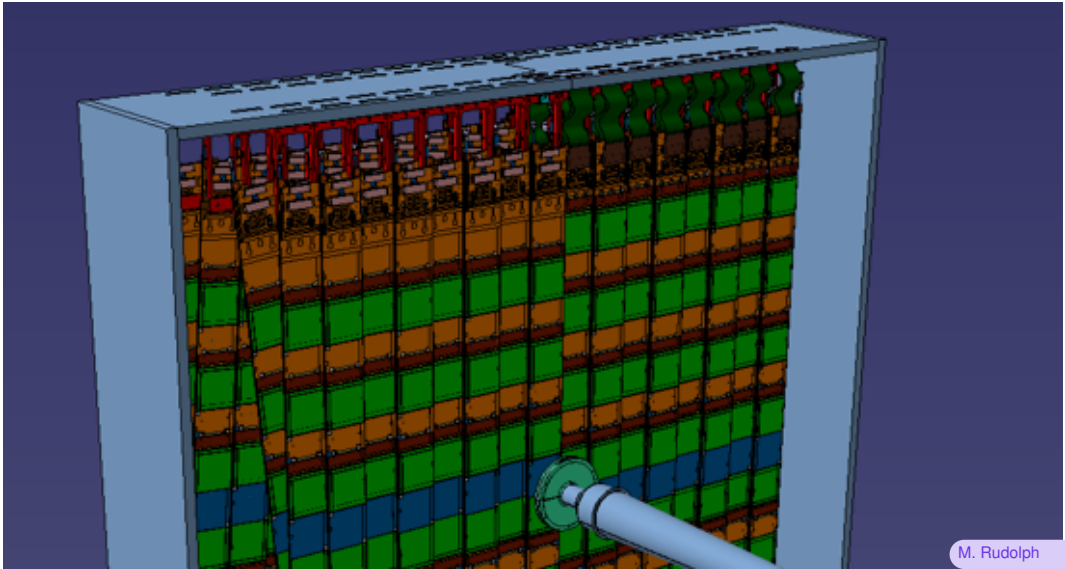
## Principles

- 4 plane silicon strip tracker
- No acceptance gaps
- Get close to beam with circular cutout
- Fine segmentation in inner region
- High efficiency essential
- Currently under construction for installation in 2020



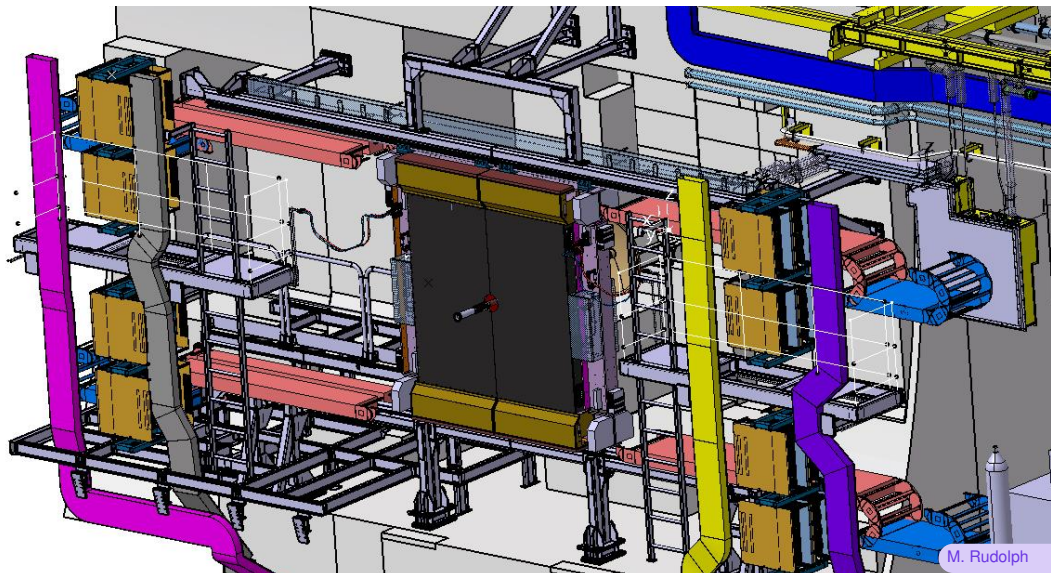
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Implementation



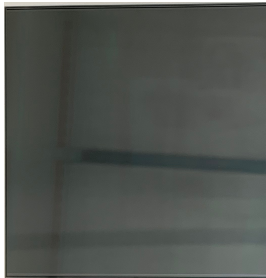
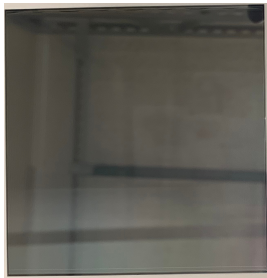
# Upstream Tracker design

The full context



# The sensors

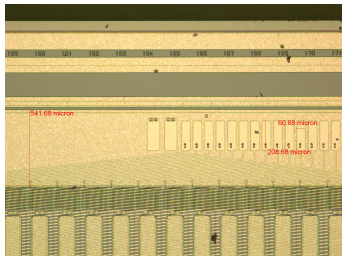
- Use four designs to cope with occupancy and radiation
- p-in-n for outer sensors, n-in-p for inner ones
- Produced by Hamamatsu
- All production sensors received, final QA finishing **today**



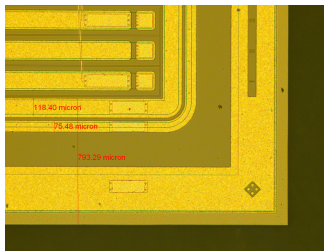
# The sensors

## Design features

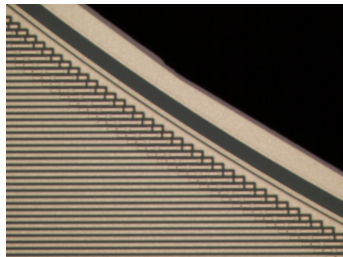
Embedded pitch adapters



HV contact on top side



Cutout around beam pipe

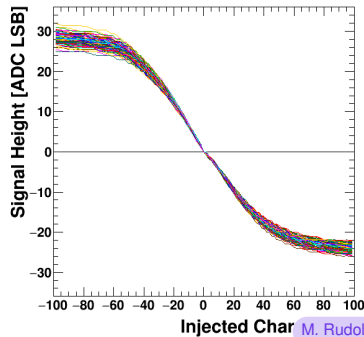
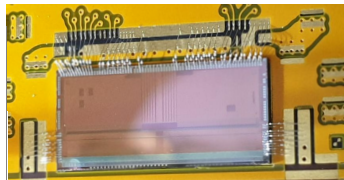
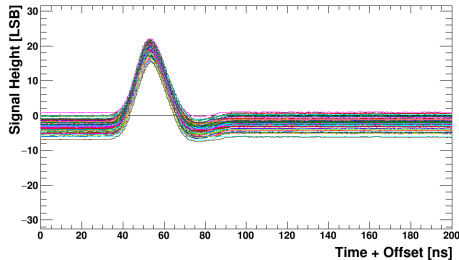


■ All features working well!

# The SALT ASIC

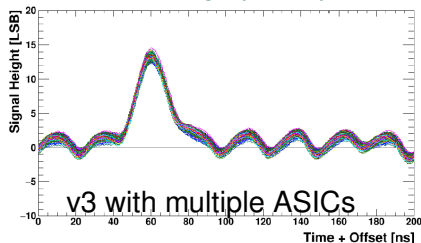
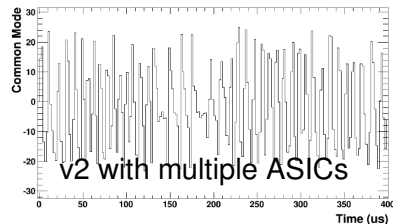
## Key features:

- 40 MHz readout
- Onboard ADC
- Common mode noise subtraction
- Zero suppression



# SALT v3

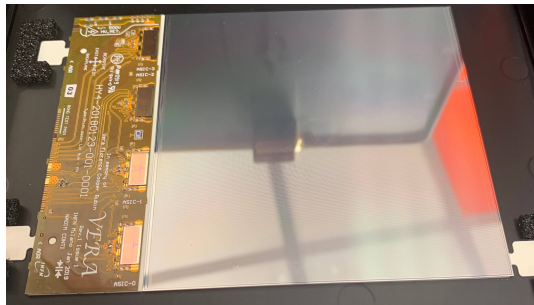
- SALT has had a long revision history
- v3 series **usable for detector**
- Baseline oscillation most serious issue now under control





# The module

- Four or eight ASICs mounted to hybrid circuit
  - Four ASIC hybrid in production
  - Eight ASIC hybrid to launch shortly



First module with production components

# Testbeam at Fermilab

March 2019

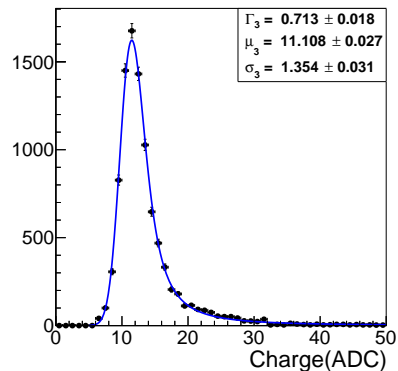
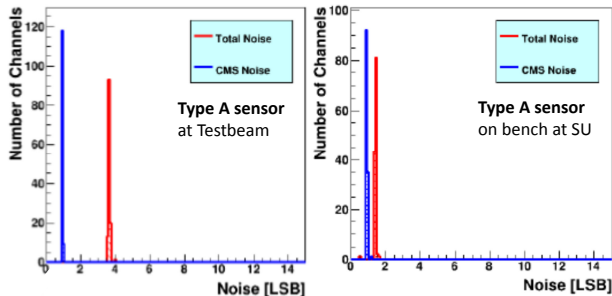
- First test of nearly final module with real signal
- SALT v3, prototype hybrid, production sensors
- Unirradiated A sensor, doubly irradiated B sensor



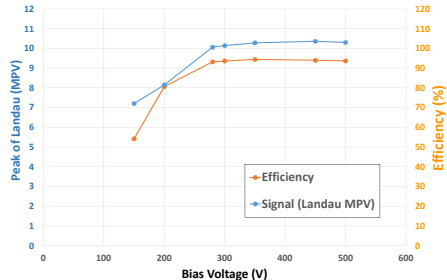
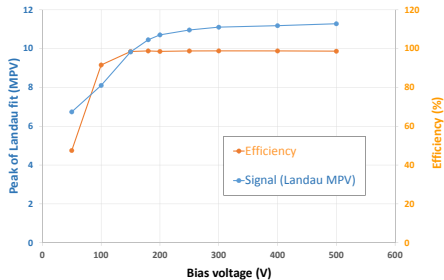
# Signal and noise

Type A sensor

- Good noise performance in harsh conditions
- Signal/noise  $\approx 11$



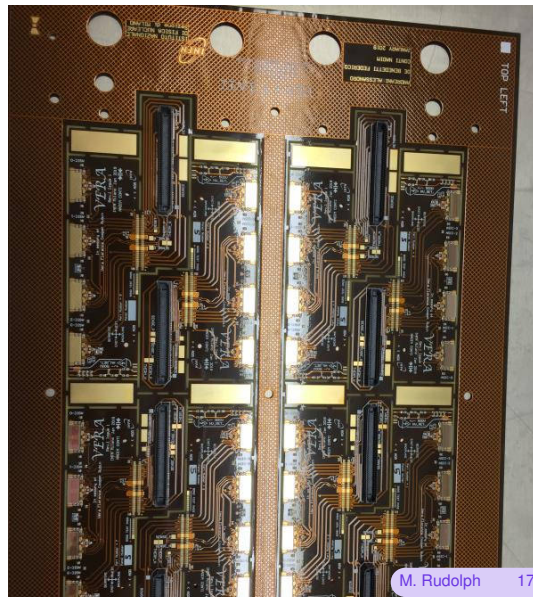
# Efficiency



- $\approx 9\%$  signal loss from irradiation
- Expect 0.01 % track inefficiency

# Production hybrids

- First production hybrids now completed
- Final version has some optimization designed in conjunction with latest SALT



# Module construction

- Final jigs being produced
- Full-time construction to begin now



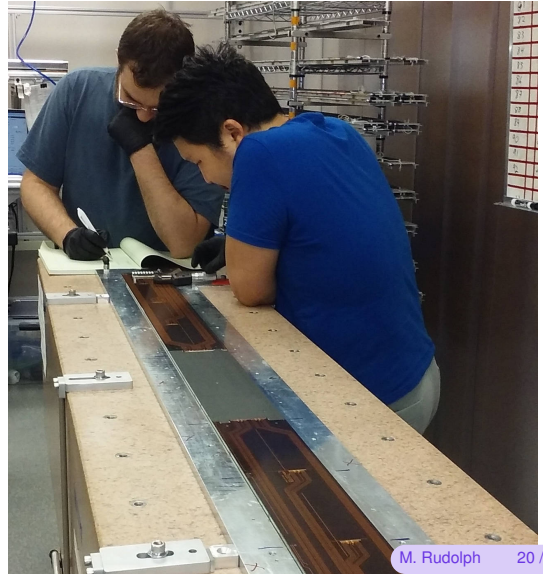
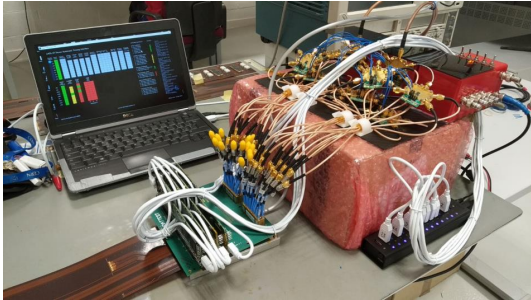
# The stave

- Foam support with CO<sub>2</sub> cooling tube sandwiched in carbon fiber
- All staves completed and waiting for instrumentation



# Flex cables and mounting

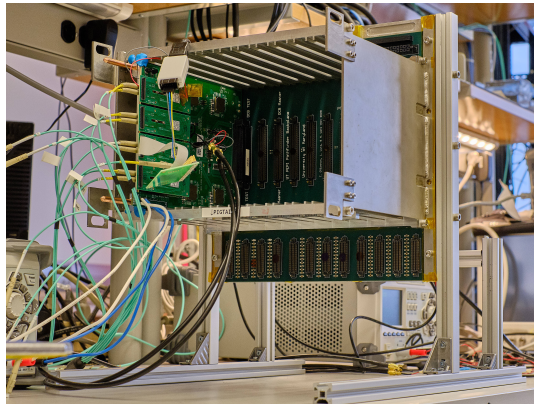
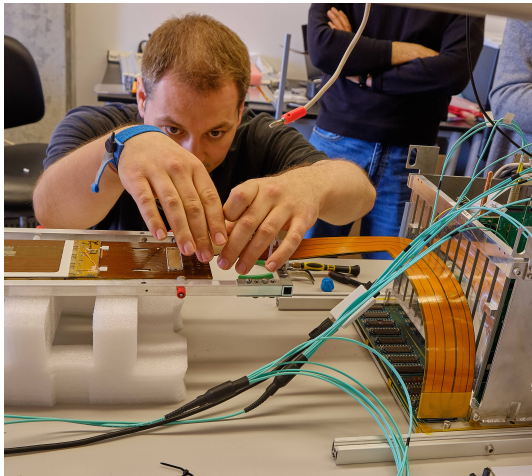
- Flex cables in full production, being mounted on staves





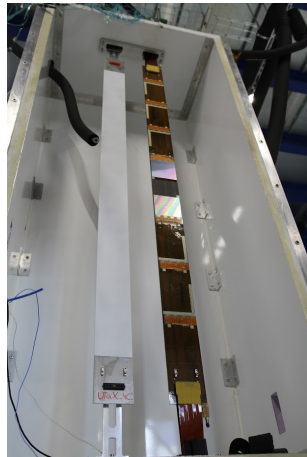
# Near electronics

- Data readout through electronics located near stave ends



# Slice test

- Stave with full complement of ASICs
- One production version sensor connected
- Cooling connected
- Installed since June



# Slice test

Construction

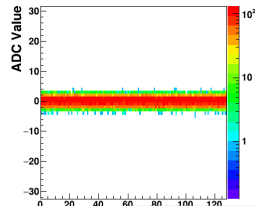
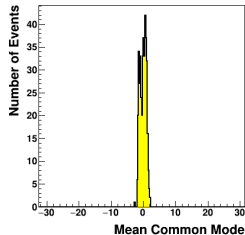
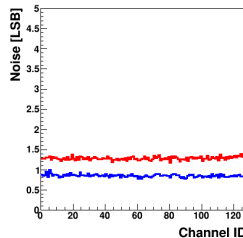
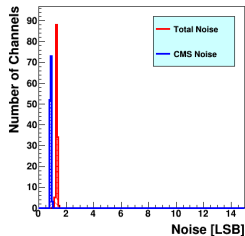
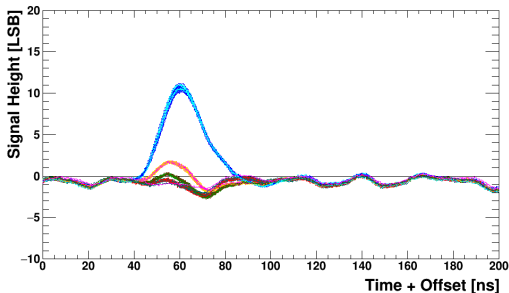
- Important test of mounting procedures



# Slice test

## Operations

- Able to achieve similar performance to bench tests while operating full stave



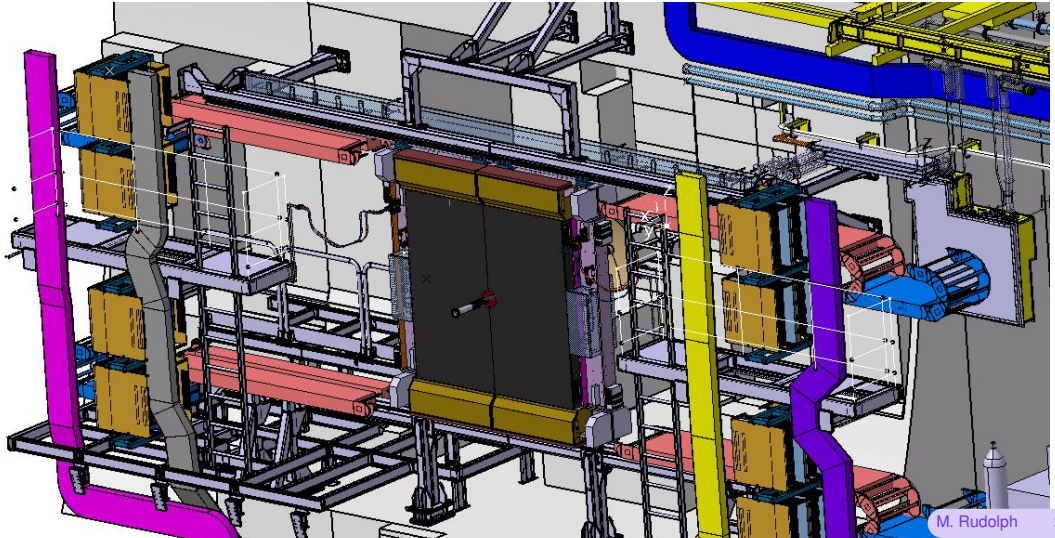
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## Conclusions

- System working well with full chain
- Gained invaluable experience:
  - Installation procedures
  - DAQ
  - Detector control
  - Powering under realistic conditions
  - Cooling
- Will lead naturally into full commissioning

# Infrastructure

- Detector mechanics and outer infrastructure in final design and procurement



# Construction outlook

- Instrumented staves to begin shipping to CERN shortly, up to 20 by the end of the year
  - Should ramp up from there
- Necessary components to begin installation to be available starting in January
- Full commissioning will follow during 2020

# Conclusions

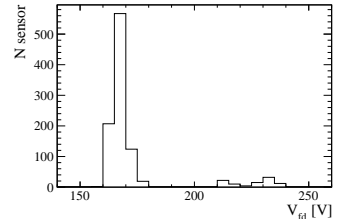
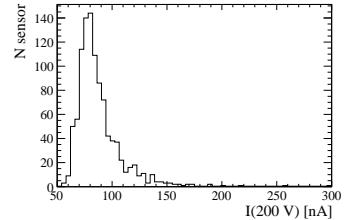
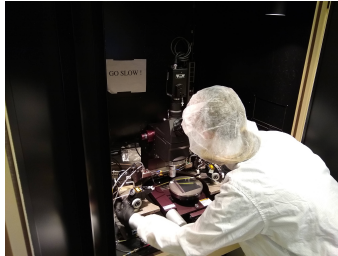
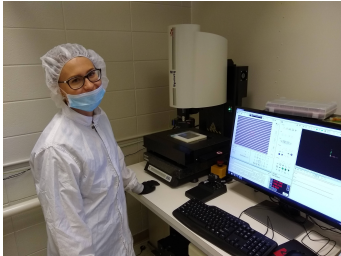
- Upstream Tracker upgrade is a key component of the LHCb upgrade strategy
- Integrated systems tests in 2019 demonstrate that we can achieve our performance goals
- All detector components either produced, in final production, or about to launch production
- Installation set to begin in 2020



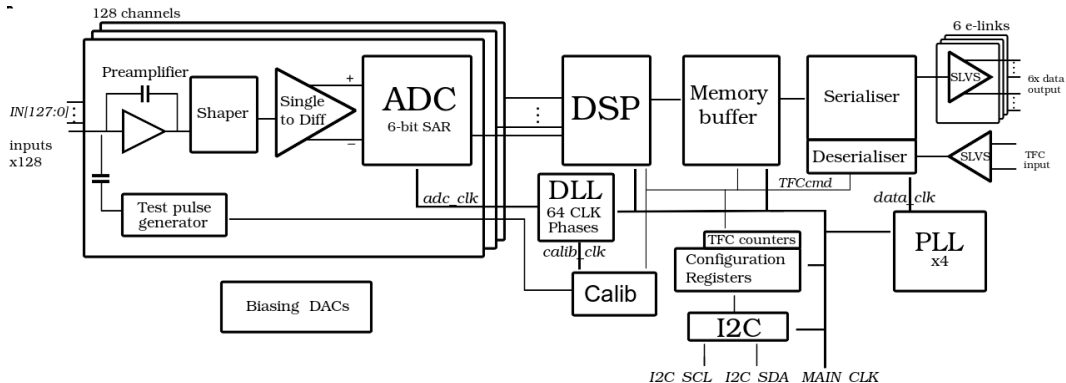
Backup

# Sensor QA

- Semi-automatic visual inspection
- Current and capacitance v. voltage measurements



# SALT block diagram



# Mounting mockup

