Wire chamber construction by Hungarian teachers at CERN and by HS students in Budapest (and the CERN@Wigner weekends)

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IPPOG meeting in Budapest

We can organize a Spring IPPOG meeting in Budapest, in the main building of the Hungarian Academy of Sciences. It is located in the very centre, at the Danube. It could join the CERN strategy meeting in the same building, 25 May 2020, Monday, and go on until Wednesday. If we start Monday morning at 9:00, the bosses can join for one hour. We have there meeting rooms of various sizes, but 50-60 participants can be placed in the "Small conference room" there. There are many hotels and restaurants nearby.



HUTP 2016-2019: MWPC

Hungarian Teachers' Programmes at CERN every August in 2006-2019 (and hope to continue)

Since 2016: Build Multiwire Proportional Chambers Idea: Building cloud chambers in S'Cool Lab was most popular

2016-19: 22 teachers built 4 (6 in 2018) working muon chambers from raw materials in 2 nights after dinner

- •Procedure developed by Dezső Varga and Éva Oláh (Detector Lab., Wigner RCP) with high-school teachers and students at Wigner (but NOT in 2 days!)
- •Enormous help (lab space and equipment) at CERN by Zoltán Szillási and Noémi Béni (CERN and Atomki) and also by the CMS Collaboration

Construction: Mon-Tue evening in 4 groups



D. Varga explaining how



Wire cutting and soldering



Gluing the body together



Wire rolling on

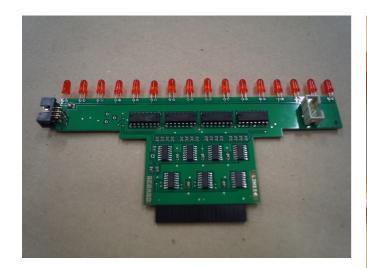


Solder the boards

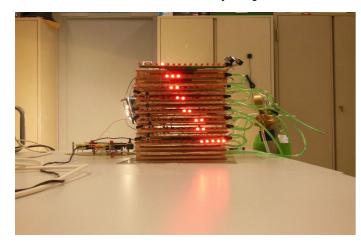


Put them under gas, fix leaks

Wed.: gassing. Thu.: check function, prepare talk



Pre-fabricated display board



Cosmic muon flying through



Happy, but tired, with working chambers

Friday: present the results to HuTP-2019



Group 1: gluing with magic

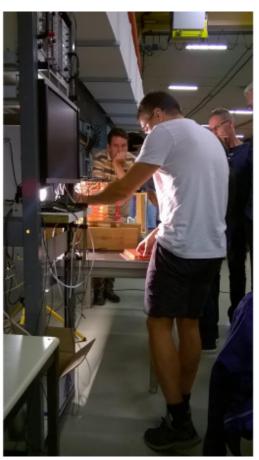


Group 2: wiring



Group 3: soldering

Group 4: final touches



Colourful presentation by representatives of the four groups

Outreach: CERN @ Wigner







Visit to the Budapest Tier-0 centre



Student laboratory at Wigner

Open days in September: at the detector tent



Girls' day at the Wigner RCP

Physics Outreach: particle physics





kitöltött űrlap segítségével, nov.5. 12:00 órától – nov.14. 12:00 óráig

A bejelentkezés csak visszaigazolás után érvényes

TUDOMÁNY ÜNNEPE

Eötvös University, Budapest Particle physics with no limit: Hungary is a CERN member since 25 years ATOMKI, Debrecen

Science without limits

a rendhagyó órákra vonatkozó űrlap kitöltésével.

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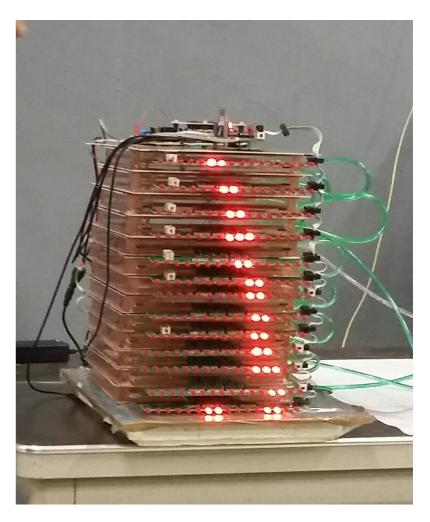
Szervező: Dr. Királv Beáta (MTA Atommagkutató Intézet



Wigner RCP, Budapest Scientists' night: open labs

Wire chamber building in high school

- Good exercise for both teachers and students: success feeling
- Developing manual skills
- Talent care for students
- Group work, team building
- Cooperation among schools
- …and with universities
- Motivation raising



2018: a tower of 3 years' result