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Thursday, 09.04.2020 COMPASS TB meeting

COMPASS: Motivation and outline

Motivation for the TB meeting

- Update the collaboration on the status of the COMPASS experiment
- Illustrate the action taken to guarantee COMPASS safe mode operation
- Illustrate our requests to CERN services in view of a restart (!!! Booking is fundamental)
- Illustrate the requests to us for the 2020
- Coordinate the preparation of the activities
- Present a possible scheduling scenario (Nothing decided yet, we have to agree on the actions keeping some flexibility)

COMPASS Status

----- Forwarded Message ------

Subject:Re: FW: COVID meeting this evening Date:Wed, 18 Mar 2020 11:39:27 +0100

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Dear Augusto,

let me update you on the status of the COMPASS experiment towards the safe mode.

Few interventions are foreseen during today 18 March: fixing supports for some detector, delimitation of areas with red and white strip and labels.

Tomorrow the final controls will be performed and the detector safety check list to be performed will be written and distributed among a restricted number of people: (the list f COMPASS members you have authorized).

We will schedule the checks during the week to be performed by only one member who is allowed to enter CERN and 888 hall.

We will limit at maximum the presence in the area.

The refilling of liquid nitrogen (weekly) and few checks on the gas system (weekly if no alarm from DCS will appear) are the only two operations that will require a short time physical presence in the HALL.

An e-group for emergency has been created including TSO, EP safety contact, and the Liaison Physicist: compass-onsite@cern.ch

From Friday COMPASS will be declared in safe mode.

I hope this will help you to provide the needed input.

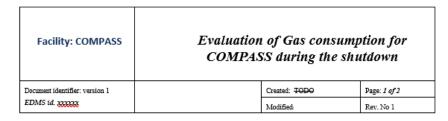
Thanks,

Kindest regards

Stefano

Since Friday 20 March minimal activities in the hall

COMPASS: Gas consumption and liquid nitrogen refilling



Gas consumption for COMPASS in shutdown mode

This document evaluates the gas consumption of COMPASS during the shutdown period. Two are the main gas needs for the COMPASS experiment. A regular delivery of liquid Nitrogen to refill the Dewars where the COMPASS target material is stocked and the standard gaseous Nitrogen supply used to flush experiment detector to avoid their deterioration or total loss of performance.

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Target Material

1.1 Target Material needs

The COMPASS polarized target material, 1800 cm³ of NH₃, 400 cm³ of f²LiD, 800 cm³ of d- butanol is kept at liquid nitrogen temperature in a set of Dewars stoked in 888 R.413. Regular checks of the Liquid Nitrogen (LN) filling level are performed weekly and refilling if needed is performed. The presence of LN is mandatory to allow the material to be kept polarizable. The LN orders are performed every 3 to 4 weeks and the liquid gas amount requests is of about 200 l.

2 COMPASS detector requirements

2.1 Detector gas flow

The COMPASS gaseous based detector (MicroMegas, GEM, MWPC, STRAW, MuonWall, DC, and others) as well as solid state ones (Silicon trakers) during the shutdown are kept under Nitrogen gas flow or in a inhert atmosphere to avoid contamination from air and/or the accumulation of outgassing from the detector wall. If not avoided it will result in a loss of detector efficiency or to the complete damage of detector itself.

The total amount of Nitrogen usage at COMPASS has been evaluated by adding up the single detector gas cosumption as measured from the gas distribution area at COMPASS 888 R-028.

Another source of consumption comes from the nitrogen needed to keep the 80 m³ RICH detector at a small overpressure of approximately 0.3 mbar, with respect to the environmental one via the use of a manual flowmeter located in 888 R-022.

Several detectors are fed via lines starting from different points than \$88 R-028 and \$88 R-022 they have been included in the final computation.

Finally several pneumatic valves are in use at the experiment, their consumption is hard to evaluate and a reasonable safety marging must be applied to the final estimate of gaseous Nitrogen use.

Overall the N2 gas comsumption is evaluated in 3 m3/h

+ procedure to extract the liquid nitrogen in case of non delivery of Liquid Nitrogen asked via Service Desk is issued to **EN-EA Gas Team**

Up to today no problem in delivery. Last delivery a couple of days ago

Email has been sent to all
Detector Experts asking if
any action extra to the
"winter shutdown mode"
should have been
implemented

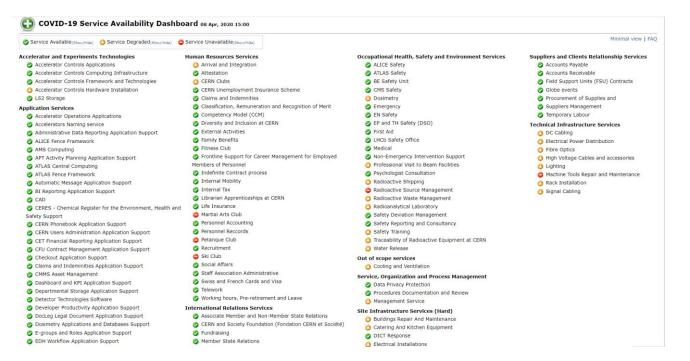


COMPASS: CERN cervices running

https://cern.service-now.com/service-portal/covid-19-service-availability.do

Most of the services are available, some degraded.

Running services must obey to all the prescriptions of the covid-19 emergency





Most of the core services available, \rightarrow grants reasonable safety for the experiment needs

COMPASS: CERN cervices needed for us



EN-EL still confirms activities during the month of September

However, please take note that considering the backlog of activities EN-EL will have to recover due to the exceptional closure and the actual situation which evolves continuously in *CERN host states and member states*, I cannot confirm that what stated above will be kept as is. I invite you to consider this uncertainty while reporting to concerned bodies.

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COMPASS: CERN cervices needed for us

Chilled water, status	Dear Stefano, We are doing a general planning to all machines and users according priorities and resources available (including works on certain equipment still needing to be finished) that will be communicated shortly. At the moment all cooling is stopped at NA. Best Regards, Jani Lehtinen
EP-DT Group	No Answer yet

COMPASS: CERN requests to us in the next months

GAS Barrack renovation (flammable gas 908)

→ No flammable gas available

Mandatory, should be done this year, could be done during the month of September, can be done in parallel with EN-EL renovation, discussed with David Jaillet, waiting for our input

Rail renovation for the crane

Must be done in 2020, budget is allocated, contractor company has been identified. Meeting with company representative and Bastien Rae (TSO) They are waiting for our input, major impact on our activities, but can be minimized.

COMPASS: Rail renovation → status

Two cranes in operation since 1976-1977 Rail type: burback A100

Junction type: straight cut, induces peak loads!

No elastomer pad
Signs of damages along the rails
Remarkable noise during crane travelling,
especially across junctions







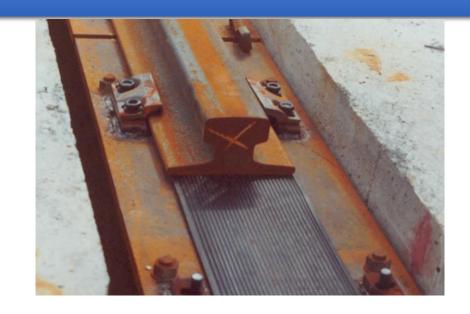
COMPASS: Rail renovation → replacement

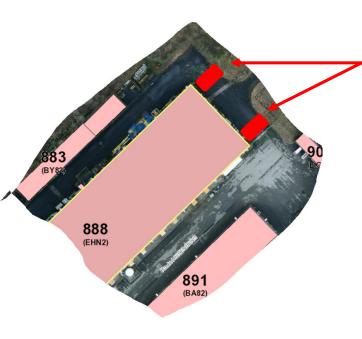
Replacement of ~ 110 m of rails

Elastomer pad to reduce vibration transmitted to the structure

Welded junctions between sections to avoid stress concentration points

Existing clips are in good condition and will be reused: reduction of worksite duration

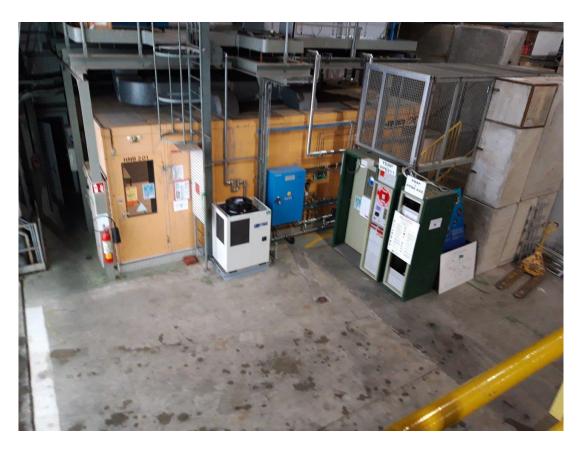




Two platforms (scaffolding) will be installed outside the building ("Lausanne side"); floor at the same height of the rails



COMPASS: Rail renovation, space requests



"Bellegarde side" entrance door; available area shown in the picture is sufficient



"Lausanne side" entrance door; some material needs to be removed

COMPASS: Rail renovation, scheduling

		weeks						
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Installation of the scaffolding on the "Jura side"								
Removal of handrail								
Vacuum cleaning of rails								
Installation of the scaffolding outside the building								
Opening of two holes								
Removal of the crane end-stops								
Rails replacement								
Re-installation of the crane end-stops								
Dismantling of the scaffolding on the "Jura side"								
Dismantling of the scaffolding outside the building								

- Totale 8 semaines à de la semaine 3 à 7 pas de pont roulant.
- Mois de septembre pas d'électricité car rénovation de GAS à à voir avec David Jaillet si compatible ?
- La décisions doit être prise avant mi-Avril au plus tard.
- Proposition de commencer le 24 août 2020. Pour maximiser le temps sans pont roulant durant les travaux Gas (jusqu'au 12 Octobre 2020)

Action:

- Bastien Vérifier la compatibilité avec David Jaillet.
 - o Puis Roberto confirme les dates avec le contractant.
 - o Puis Stefano doit propose les dates au expérience.

COMPASS: COMPASS Equipment, commissioning needed

An SPS RUN in 2021 is considered highly probable, the starting date could be delayed M2 Beamline is nearly ready.. no major issues there

- Target
- Micromegas
- APV LV
- H1
- RICH-WALL
- Cold Silicon
- GEM \rightarrow talk
- RICH→ talk
- DC4→talk
- Planning

COMPASS: COMPASS Equipment, commissioning needed → PT

SEP	SEP	SEP	SEP	ОСТ	ОСТ	ОСТ	ОСТ	NOV	NOV	NOV	NOV
Precool with LN		He coolin g	MSS Tests	Sol. Dip. Test	Stabili ty Test	Field Rotat. Test	Warm up				

- Planning without DR and material tests
- Liquid helium and cooling water required

COMPASS: Micromegas Hardware Missing – and LV for APV

LV power supplies:

Equipment	LV channels / unit	Number of units	Power supplies employed in 2015-2018
LV for MM APV cards	2 channels (+6V, -6V) / doublet, 5 A/ch max	2 doublets x 3 stations	3 Wiener PS of 8 channels (1 for each station)
LV for MM ADC cards	2 channels (+6V, -6V) / doublet, 5 A/ch max	2 doublets x 3 stations	for both APV and ADC
LV for DC F1 cards	2 channels (both +8V) / DC, 30A/ch max	3 DCs	1 Wiener for F1 (4 channels) for DC0-1 (Salève side)
LV for DC ASD8 cards	4 channels (2 x +6V and -6V) / DC, 10A/ch max	3 DCs	1 Wiener for ASD8 (8 channels) for DC0-1 (Salève side)
			+ 1 Wiener PS common for F1 and ASD8 (4+2 channels) for DC4 (Jura side)

HV power supplies:

Equipment	HV channels / unit	Number of units	Power supplies employed in 2015-2018
HV for MM	4 HV channel/plane, -1,8kV 20μA max, ~1 nA resolution needed	4 planes x 3 stations	4 modules CAEN A1821N (12 ch) for the 3 stations (Salève side)
HV for DC	3 HV channels/doublet (like X + X'), -3kV 200μA max, ~100nA resolution	4 doublets x 3 DCs	3 modules CAEN A1821N (12 ch) for the 3 DCs
			1 CAEN crate SY2527 for MM and DC1 (Salève side)
			CAEN crate SY1527 for DC0 and 4, shared by several detectors (Jura side)

Hardware presently in hand:

- 3 Wiener LV PS 8 channels (from pool but rented for free due to long term rental rules, very old material)
- 1 Wiener LV PS 4 channels (Saclay property, very old material)
- 3 spares Wiener LV PS 4 channels Saclay properties, former F1 electronics LV PS for MM, very old material)
- 1 spare Wiener LV PS 8 channels, under repair at Wiener (Saclay property)
- 3 CAEN A1821HN modules (Saclay properties)

We also assume that the CAEN crate SY1527 shared by several detectors is still available

Hardware needed in 2021:

1 Wiener LV PS 8 channels

1 CAEN crate SY2527

4 modules CAEN A1821N

But Damien communicated me he is missing 3 Saclay CAEN modules A1821N Do we buy them?

Not to forget the purchase also of the LV for the APV (GEM)

COMPASS: priorities and a possible scenario

Magnet test commissioning is mandatory this year, must be scheduled it is our priority

Possibility of having a full commissioning with target material loading is probably not an option for 2020

We have on hold

- the maintenance of two He pumps in the pump room, order has been sent, CERN waiting the covid-19 situation to improve to allow the external company to enter the Prevessin site
- one broken He root pump near the target platform (repaired several time ... buy new one ~ 10KCHF)

This does not prevent to perform at least the MSS @ room teperature \rightarrow Requires EP-DT support

Crain Rail renovation is possible with some early start in August, Crane available back in October, should be compatible with the MSS test,

Detector repairing and maintenance activities can be performed during the month of September while the rail exchange is ongoing (crane may be available for some operation not for sure from week 3 to 7)

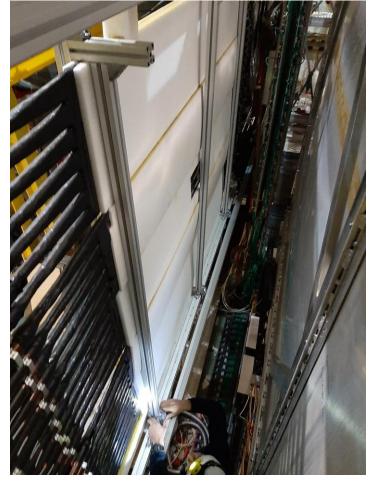
I have discussed with David Jaillet, the renovation of the Gas 908 barrack is compatible with the rail exchange, work can be parallelized

Chilled water return is still unclear, if back we may have a DRY run starting after the 9^{th} of November (reduced configuration, Most probably no flammable gases, not all detectors \rightarrow Dry run till middle December then again technical stop

COMPASS: priorities and a possible scenario

H1 intervention most probably has to be postponed to winter 2020, here two possibilities

- -Move it to the Clean Room before the intervention for the rail renovation (End of August/September)
- -Move it to the Clean room after the rail exchange







COMPASS: COMPASS Equipment, RICH WALL

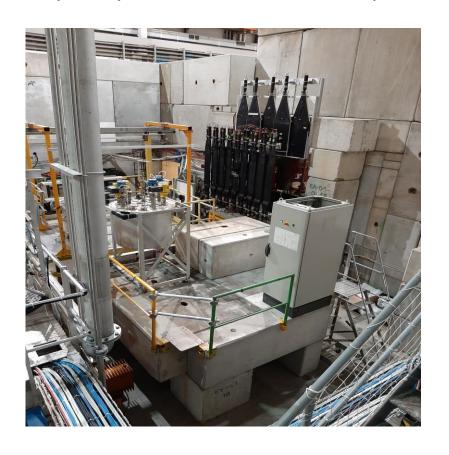
RICH-WALL support structure mounted on Lausanna side of HN2, can it be moved in the Clean area? If yes I can slowly take care... it complicates a little the detector test operation since all the RW detector layers are stored there if we want to test em in Clean area, or it can be moved back in October, I need input from Torino/Dubna



COMPASS: COMPASS Equipment, commissioning needed

Thanks to the work already done by Anosov cold silicon platform is already in place, I may start to contact Laura S. for the nitrogen line cooling exhaust to be reinstalled in September, should not interfere with PT operation

Saclay: what is the status of the cable rebuilding? PC purchase and OS/SW installation? Are these operation possible now in Saclay? Do you need material we can provide you?



COMPASS: priorities and a possible scenario

I will ask for EN/EL tests to be postponed and try to minimize the impact on our activities (first we have to agree upon)

Full commissioning of the PT should be foreseen at the beginning of 2021, we may even think to commission it and keep it running to give some time to the microwave responsible to gain experience in polarizing the target material. Do you consider this option reasonable?

In 2021 early restart of all the other detector related activities to be ready for April 2021, to try to fix all the issues not possible to study due to the unforeseen situation, HV, noise studies, etc, "Dry run with flammable gases" since as said most probably beam will not be back at the beginning of April

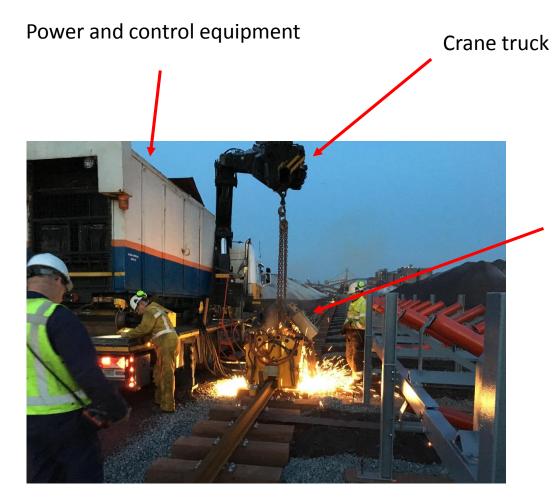
I would like to receive permission from those detector experts who consider this option feasible the permission To replace the HV mainframe and modules \rightarrow please contact me and/or Cristophe

Aggressive restart scenario, needs presence of people on site, experts and in particular Vladimir Anosov

All this holds if the beam schedule is kept...not totally obvious...

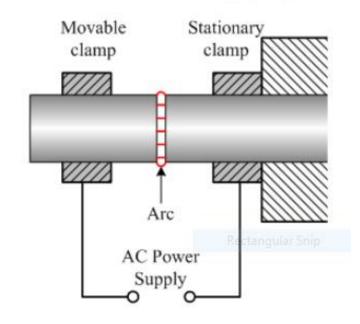
COMPASS: Rail renovation

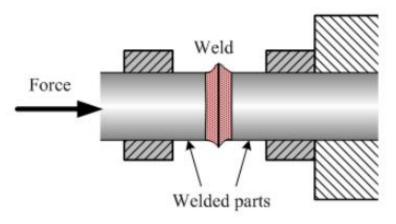
Flash butt welding



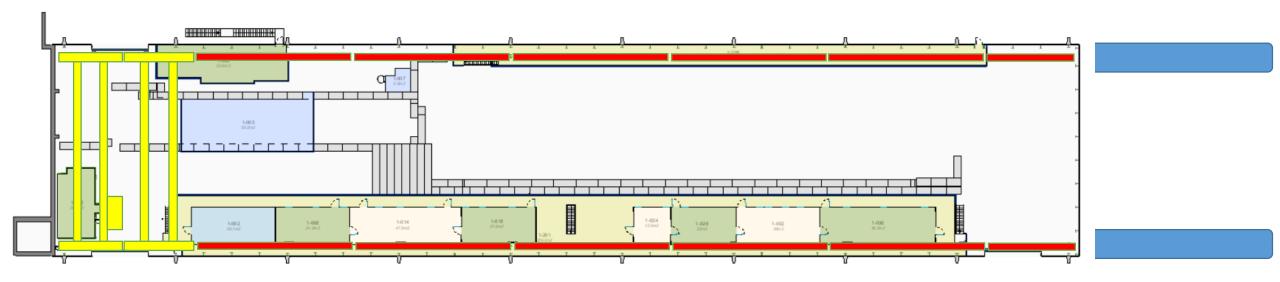
Welding machine

Flash Welding (FW)





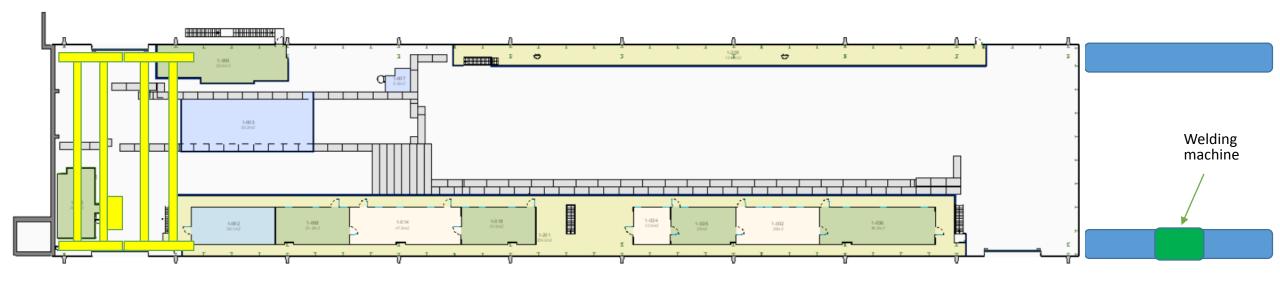
Working procedure - dismantling



The two cranes will be parked on the "Bellegarde side" Rails sections will be pulled outside one at a time with a winch and rollers

They will be then lowered to the ground with a mobile crane

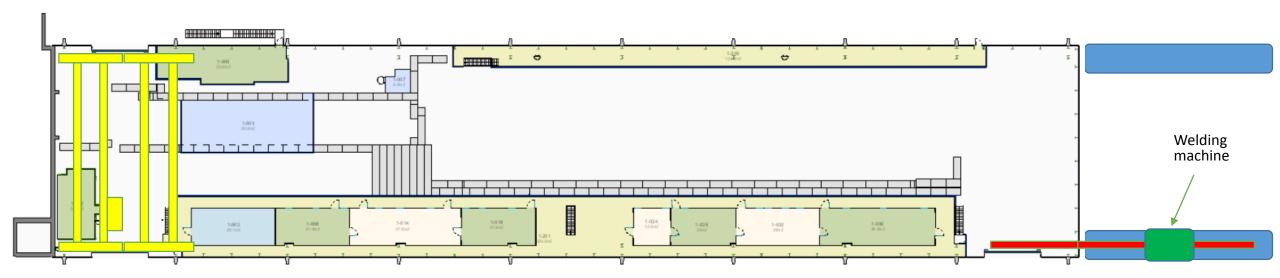
Working procedure – welding and installation



New rails sections will be lifted on the platform with a mobile crane

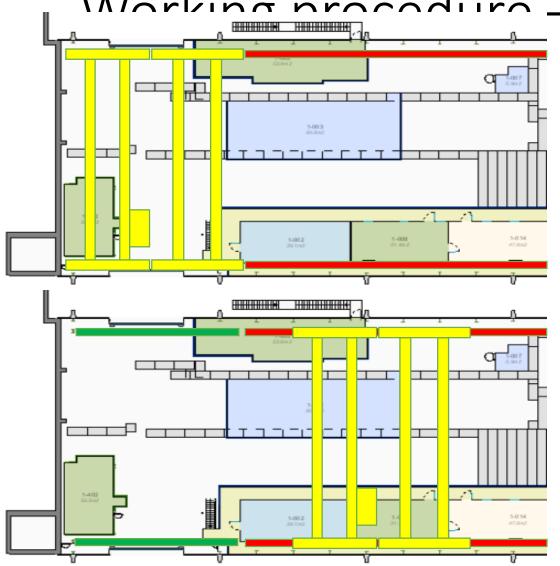
Sections will then be welded together

Working procedure – welding and installation



After each welding, the rail will be pulled inside the building with a winch and rollers

Another section will be lifted on the platform and welded



The rail sections corresponding to the parking position will be replaced for last

The cranes will be moved on the new rails Both sections will be handled with a mobile crane inside the building

Junctions will be welded via the puddle arc method (electrodes); specific protections will be put in place to contains sparks

Preliminary activities

- Installation of a scaffolding on the "Jura side" of the building to guarantee a safe access / EN-EA
- Removal of handrail / EN-EA-
- Vacuum cleaning of rails to avoid dust falling on the experimental area / EN-HE
- Installation of a scaffolding outside the building ("Lausanne side") / EN-EA
- Opening of two holes (\sim 50cm x 50 cm) on the façade to allow rail passage / SMB-SE
- Temporary removal of the crane end-stops ("Lausanne side") / EN-HE

