

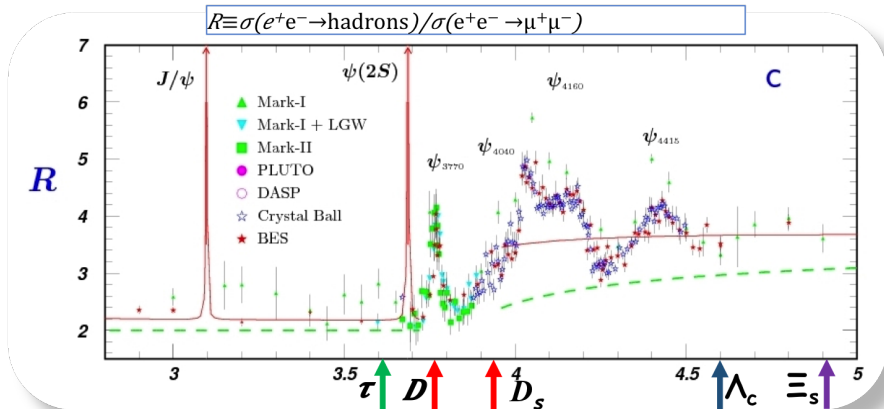
PID system based on Focusing Aerogel RICH for Super c - τ Factory.

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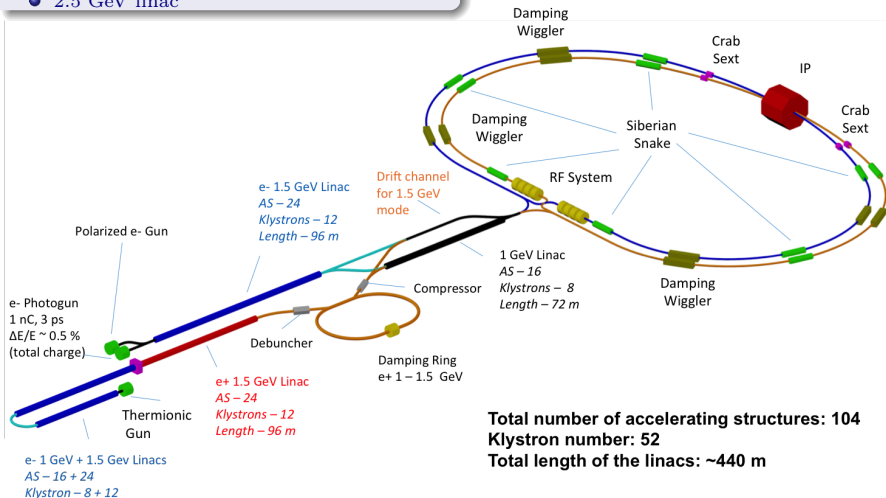
Requirements to Detector

- Good energy and momenta resolution
- High efficiency of soft track detection
- High PID quality (π/K , μ/π -separation is needed)
- Minimal CP -asymmetry
- Capability to work with load ~ 300 kHz of physics events

Collider project LAYOUT

Main solutions

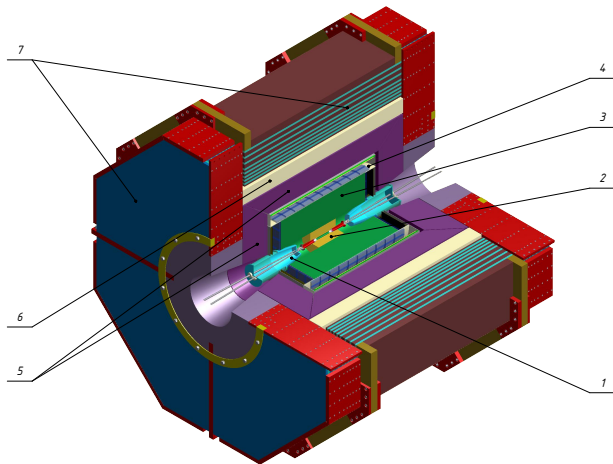
- Double ring collider
- Crab waist collisions
- 5 Siberian Snakes $\rightarrow \sim 80\%$ Pol. Lev.
- 2.5 GeV linac



Collider project

MAIN PARAMETERS

Energy	1.0 GeV	1.5 GeV	2.0 GeV	2.5 GeV
Circumference	813.1 m			
Emittance hor/ver	8 nm/0.04 nm @ 0.5% coupling			
Damping time hor/ver/long	50/50/25 ms	30/30/15 ms		
Bunch length	21 mm	12 mm	10 mm	10 mm
Energy spread	$8.7 \cdot 10^{-4}$	$11 \cdot 10^{-4}$	$9.3 \cdot 10^{-4}$	$7.2 \cdot 10^{-4}$
Momentum compaction	$8.73 \cdot 10^{-4}$	$8.81 \cdot 10^{-4}$	$8.82 \cdot 10^{-4}$	$8.83 \cdot 10^{-4}$
Damping wiggler field	50 kGs	50 kGs	35 kGs	10 kGs
Synchrotron tune	0.007	0.012	0.009	0.008
RF frequency	499.95 MHz			
Harmonic number	1356			
Particles in bunch	$7 \cdot 10^{10}$			
Number of bunches	406 (10% gap)			
Bunch current	4.2 mA			
Total beam current	1.7 A			
Beam-beam parameter	0.135	0.135	0.121	0.097
Luminosity	$0.6 \cdot 10^{35}$	$0.9 \cdot 10^{35}$	$1.0 \cdot 10^{35}$	$1.0 \cdot 10^{35}$



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Requirements

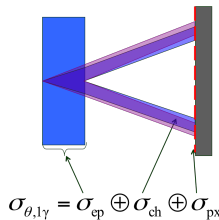
- π/K -separation from 0.6 to 2.5 GeV/c
- μ/π -separation from 0.4 up to 1.5 GeV/c

π/K -separation

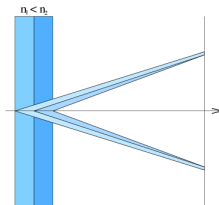
Threshold Cherenkov aerogel counters ($n \sim 1.03 \div 1.05$) or TOF ($\sigma_t \leq 50$ ps) are adequate for energy region of SCTF.

μ/π -separation

It is possible to provide separation for momenta below 900 MeV/c with help of combination of TOF counters (with 30 ps time resolution and extra light aerogel ($n \sim 1.008$) threshold Cherenkov counters. For momenta above 900 MeV/c Muon system provides some μ/π -separation. More brilliant idea is to use proximity Focusing Aerogel RICH!



Proximity focusing single layer RICH



Proximity focusing multilayer RICH

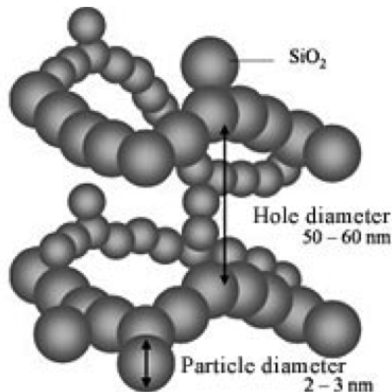
Lower refractive index provides more $\Delta\Theta_c$.
It leads to lower number of photons.
To increase N_{phot} without angle resolution degradation focusing is needed.

Main aerogel properties:

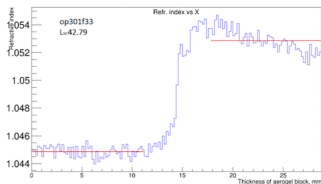
- Refraction indices $1.006 \div 1.20$;
- Inner surface $800 \text{ m}^2/\text{g}$;
- $L_{abs}(400\text{nm}) = 5 \div 7 \text{ m}$;
- $L_{sc}(400\text{nm}) = 4 \div 6 \text{ cm}$;

Aerogel production in Novosibirsk

- It started in 1986 (IC&BINP);
- Aerogel for threshold counters:
 - $n=1.008$ for DIRAC-II (PS-CERN);
 - $n=1.05$ for KEDR (VEPP-4M);
 - $n=1.13$ for SND (VEPP-2000).
- Aerogel for RICH counters:
 - $n=1.03$ for LHCb (LHC-CERN);
 - $n=1.05$ for AMS-02 (ISS) & CLAS-12 (J-Lab);
- Modern production activity:
 - Blocks dimensions $200 \times 200 \times 30(20) \text{ mm}$;
 - $L_{sc} \geq 4.5 \text{ cm}$;
 - $2 \text{ m}^2/\text{year}$ aerogel;
 - Multilayer ($20 \div 30$) monolithic samples have been producing since 2004.

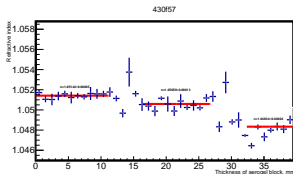


Aerogel structure

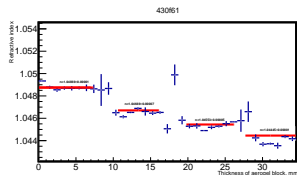


2-layers aerogel with “focus” at 20 cm

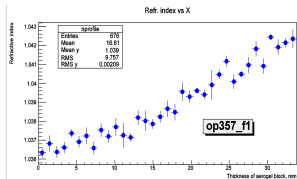
The distribution of refractive index inside the aerogel tile is measured by means of digital x-ray radiography.



3-layers aerogel with “focus” at 60 cm



4-layers aerogel with “focus” at 20 cm



“Gradient” focusing aerogel

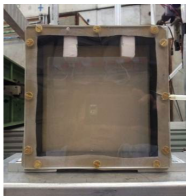
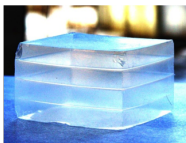
Beam test at CERN PS/T10 in 2012

- Positive polarity: e^+ , μ^+ , π^+ , K^+ , p
- Momentum: $1 \div 6$ GeV/c
- Trigger: a pair of sc. counters 1.5×1.5 cm² in coincidence separated by ~ 3 m
- No external tracking, particle ID, precise timing



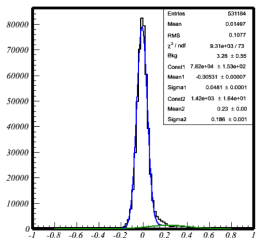
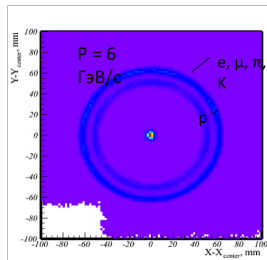
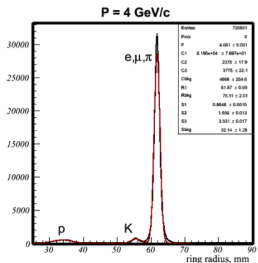
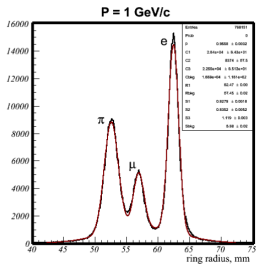
Aerogel

- 4-layer
- $n_{max} = 1.046$
- Thickness
37.5 mm
- Focal distance
200 mm



DPC matrix 20×20 cm

- Sensors: DPC3200-22-44
- 3×3 modules = 6×6 tiles = 24×24 dies = 48×48 pixels
- 576 time channels
- 2304 amplitude (position) channels
- Operation temperature is -40°C to suppress dark count rate
 - Dead time is 720 ns
 - $\text{DCR}(+25^\circ\text{C}) \approx 10$ Mcps/sensor
single photon detection is not feasible!
 - $\text{DCR}(-40^\circ\text{C}) \approx 100$ kcps/sensor
inefficiency is 7%

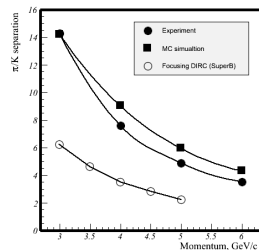


Hit time w.r.t. fitted event time, ns

$$\bullet S(\pi/K) = \frac{R_{\pi} - R_K}{\sigma_{R\pi}}$$

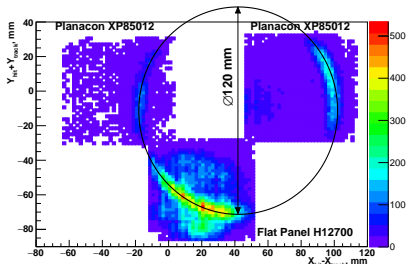
- π/K : 7.6σ at 4 GeV/c;
- μ/π : 5.3σ at 1 GeV/c;

- $N_{pe}=12$;
- $\sigma_t=48$ ps for single photon;

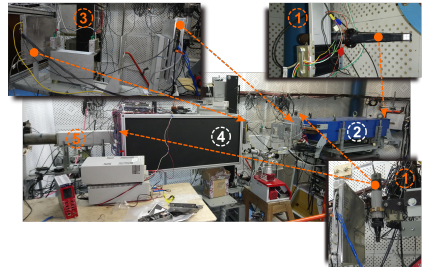
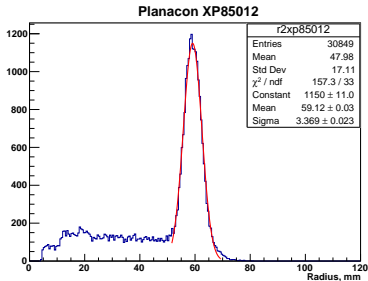


3rd prototype generation

- Determine critical moments in focusing aerogel production;
- Define optimal photon detector type and producer for SCTF;
- Find solution for readout electronics.



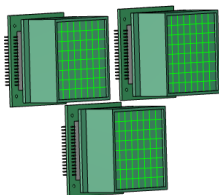
BINP June 2018 test beam results



3×64 anodes PMTs with 6 mm pixel;
 Tracker based on GEMs $\sigma_x \sim 70\mu\text{m}$; Readout electronics based on PaDiWa (discriminator) and TRB3 (TDC) from GSI.

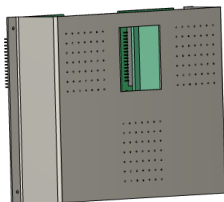
- e^- with $E=3$ GeV;
- Only central tracks are selected (20×16 mm area);
- Time window ~ 25 ns;
- Cut on energy deposited in NaI calorimeter is applied;

Impact to angle resolution from
pixel size ~ 1.7 mm.
To avoid this impact it is
possible to use mask:

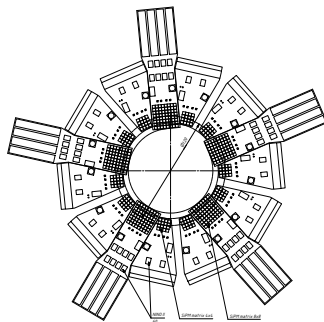
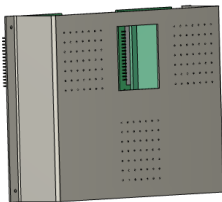


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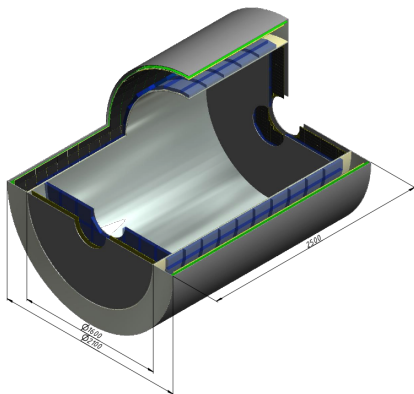
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- For prototype based on analogue SiPMs we have 10 matrixes ArrayJ-30035-16P-PCB and 4 matrixes ArrayJ-30020-64P-PCB (SensL).
- Readout board based on NINO-II chip is under development.
- The 32-channel TDC based on Altera Cyclone III FPGA is developed in BINP.

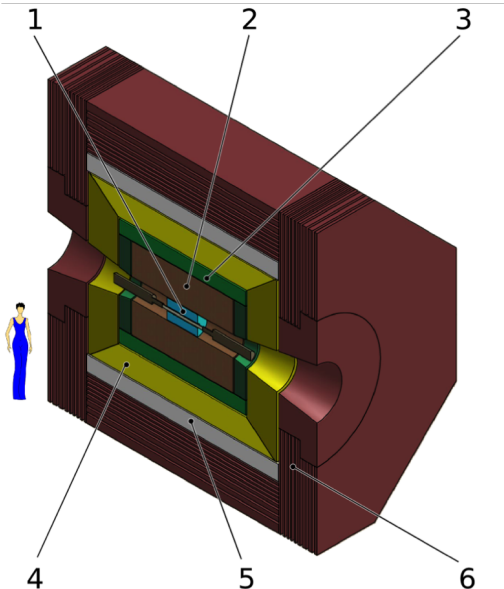


System sketch

Main parameters:

- Focusing aerogel with $n_{\max}=1.05(1.07?)$, 4 layers, total thickness 35 mm
- Aerogel area: 14 m²
- Photon detectors (3×3 mm²):
 - Barrel – SiPMs (16 m²)
 - Endcap – SiPM, MCP PMT? (5 m²)
- $1 \div 2 \cdot 10^6$ channels (it depends on pitch)
- Load 0.5÷1.0 MHz/channel
- Cooling system is needed
- To read out the system it is necessary to develop new specific electronics: good time resolution, compactness with minimal power consumption.

- π/K -separation $\geq 4\sigma$ up to 6 GeV/c and μ/π -separation $\geq 5\sigma$ at 1 GeV/c were obtained with prototype based on 4-layer aerogel and 20×20 cm pixel matrix from DPC Philips in 2012.
- SiPM have good tolerance to magnetic fields but radiation tolerance could be not enough for SCTF.
- MCP PMTs could be good candidate to photon detector for endcaps of the system.
- We need to estimate radiation flux to make right chose of photon detectors.
- FARICH prototype based on PMTs H12700 to investigate of critical moments in focusing aerogel production processes is under operation now. First test beam results are under processing.
- First prototype FARICH based on analogue SiPM matrixes is under development.



Collider limitations

- $W = 2 \div 5 \text{ GeV}$
- $l_{\text{bunch}} = 1 \div 1.8 \text{ cm}$
- $\Delta t^{\text{bunch}} = 6 \text{ ns}$
- CVC: $\varnothing 30/l=300 \text{ mm}$
- FF: $\pm 10^\circ$
- $L: 10^{35} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$
→ $50 \div 300 \text{ kHz event rate}$

1. Vertex detector
2. Drift chamber
3. PID system
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5. SC coil ($B \sim 1 \text{ T}$)
6. Yoke and MU chambers

Tasks:

- π/K -separation for $P \geq 0.6$ GeV/c
- μ/π -separation up to $P \approx 1.2$ GeV/c

Modern state of art

π/K -separation

- TOF: BES-III (MPD NICA) –
 $\sigma_t \sim 100$ ps $\rightarrow 3\sigma/0.9(1.5)$ GeV/c
- DIRC(BaBar) $\sim 4\sigma$ up to 2.5 GeV/c
- ASHIPH(KEDR) $\sim 4\sigma$ up to 1.5 GeV/c

μ/π -separation at $P \approx 1$ GeV/c

- Belle $\sim 2.5 \div 2.8\sigma$

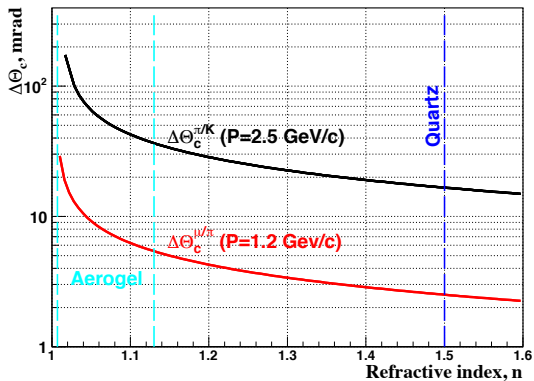
Perspectives:

π/K -separation

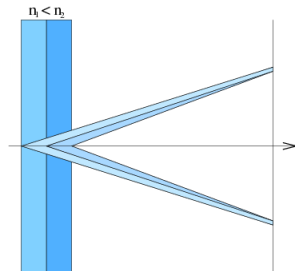
- TOF:
 $\sigma_t \sim 50$ ps $\rightarrow 3\sigma$ up to 1.8(3.0) GeV/c
- f DIRC $\sim 3\sigma$ up to 4.25 GeV/c
- FARICH $\geq 3\sigma$ up to 6 GeV/c

μ/π -separation at $P \approx 1$ GeV/c

- FARICH $\sim 5\sigma$



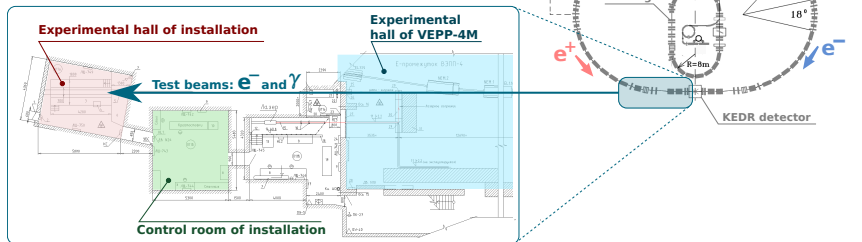
FARICH motivation

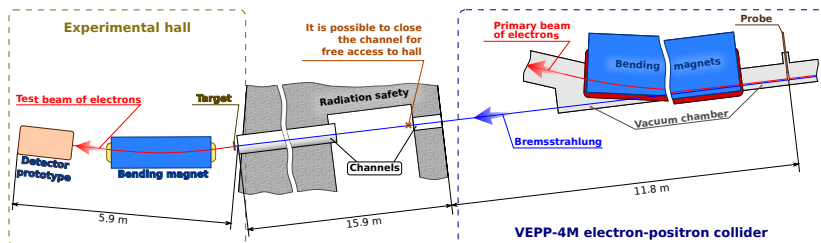


FARICH idea

- Detectors for High Energy Physics are developed in steps, including testing of detector prototype on specialized test beams.
- For this purpose an installation for generation of test beams of electrons and gammas was designed at Budker Institute of Nuclear Physics SB RAS (BINP).
- The installation uses the infrastructure of VEPP-4M electron-positron collider.

VEPP-4M main parameters	
Perimeter	366 m
Beam energy	$1.5 \div 5.5 \text{ GeV}$
Number of bunches	2×2
Peak luminosity ($1.5 \div 3.0 \text{ GeV}$)	$2 \times 10^{30} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$
Design luminosity (6.0 GeV)	$4 \times 10^{31} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$

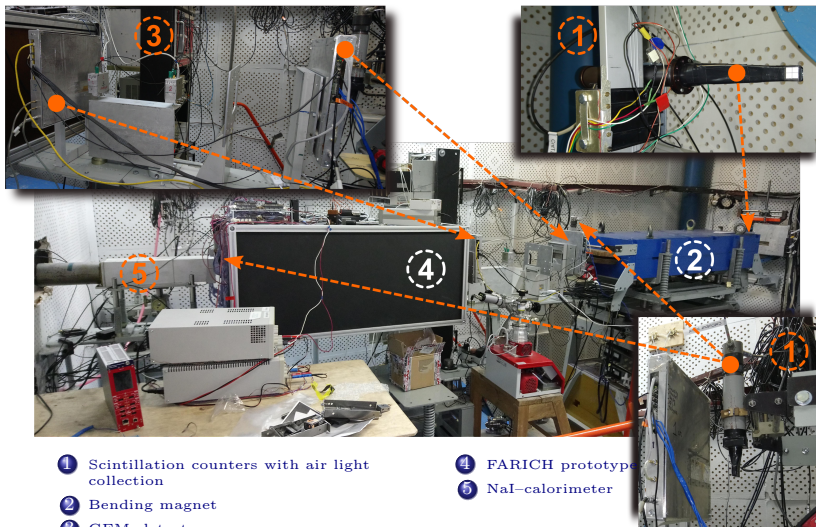




- 1 A special probe is moved into the halo of a primary electron beam of the VEPP-4M collider for generation of Bremsstrahlung gammas.
- 2 These gammas are converted to electron-positron pairs on a lead target at the entrance to the experimental hall.
- 3 Electrons with a certain momentum are selected using a bending magnet.

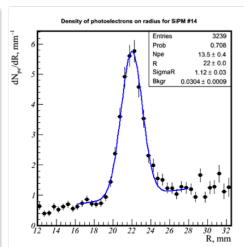
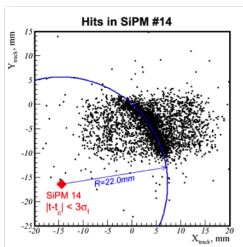
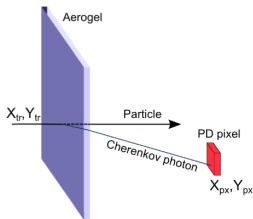
The beam parameters	
Energy range	0.1 ÷ 3.5 GeV
Intensity	50 ÷ 100 Hz
Energy spread	7.8% for 0.1 GeV and 2.6% for 3.0 GeV

Example disposition of equipment in experimental hall (15/03/2018)



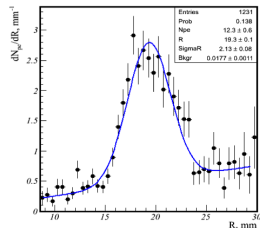
1st FARICH prototype

Approach for ring reconstruction



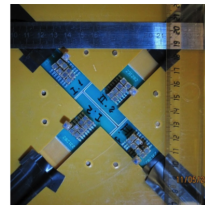
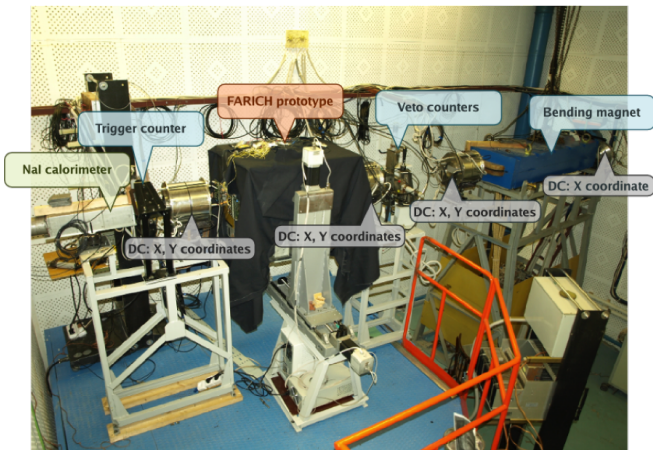
Main results

- Effect of focusing was demonstrated:
 - $\sigma_R = 1.1$ mm for 4-layer aerogel $t=30$ mm;
 - $\sigma_R = 2.1$ mm for 1-layer aerogel $t=20$ mm;



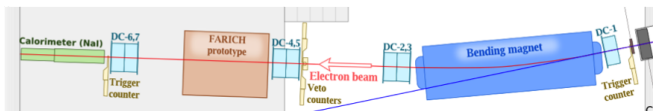
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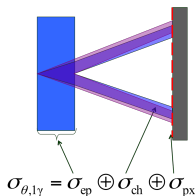
Prototype with CPTA MRS APDs BINP e⁻ test beam in 2011



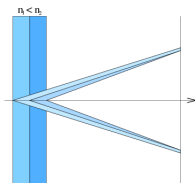
32 CPTA MRS APDs with active pixel size $2.1 \times 2.1 \text{ mm}^2$

4-layer aerogel
focusing at 62 mm
 $n_1=1,050$ $t_1=6,2\text{mm}$
 $n_2=1,041$ $t_2=7,0\text{mm}$
 $n_3=1,035$ $t_3=7,7\text{mm}$
 $n_4=1,030$ $t_4=9,7\text{mm}$
 Size: $100 \times 100 \times 31 \text{ mm}^3$
 $L_{sc}(400\text{nm}) = 43\text{mm}$

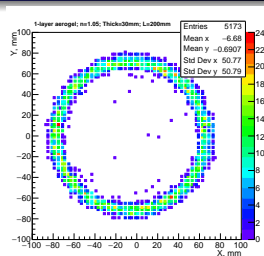




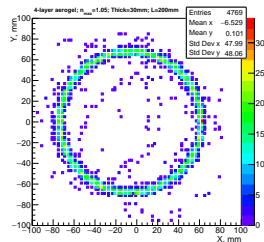
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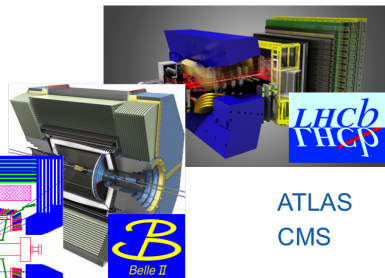
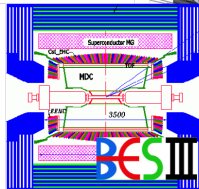
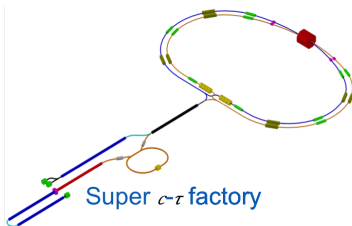
Simulation results: $n=1.05$, thickness 3 cm, $L=20$ cm, QE(MPPC, Hamamatsu), pixel 3×3 mm, pitch 3.2mm.



Simulation results: $n_{\text{max}}=1.05$, thickness 3 cm, $L=20$ cm, 4-layer aerogel.



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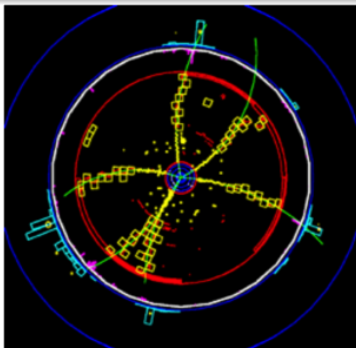
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Super $C\text{-}\tau$ -Factory

What is the role and place of SCTF at this field?!

Unique advantages of the SCTF

- Threshold production
- Quantum correlated production of neutral D meson pairs
- Double tag technique
- Low multiplicity



CLEOc event topology

Complementarity to LHCb and Belle II

Crucial results from SCTF as input for LHCb and Belle II:

- Absolute branching ratios of charmed hadrons and τ -lepton
- The parameters measured with quantum correlations

Physics cases

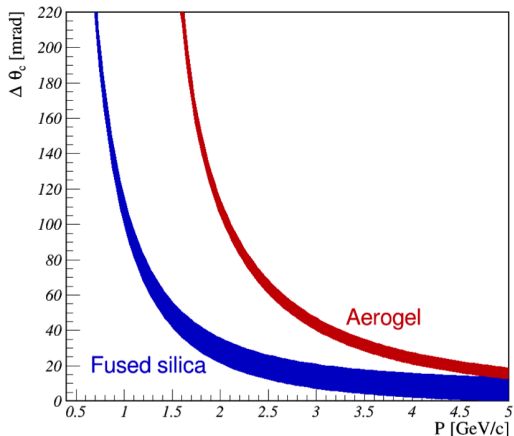
- Charm mixing
- Charmed and light hadrons spectroscopy
- Lepton flavour and lepton number violation ($\tau \rightarrow \mu \gamma$)
- CP symmetry breaking in charmed hadrons and τ -lepton decays
- Rare charmonia decays
- Exotic states: multiquark bound states, glueballs, hybrids, ...

Refractive index

$$n \downarrow \rightarrow \Delta\Theta_c \uparrow$$

Chromatic Dispersion (D_n)

$$D_n \downarrow \rightarrow \sigma(\Theta_c) \downarrow$$



$\Delta\Theta_c$ for π and K .

Bands correspond to chromatic dispersion in 350÷700 nm.

Lower refractive index lead to lower number of Cherenkov photons.

To increase N_{phot} without angle resolution degradation focusing is needed.
Proximity focusing approach with multilayer aerogel (FARICH) is suggested.

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