

Calorimeter R&D in Korea for future collider projects: Past, Present and Future

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My Profile

- Professional career

- Ph.D., Brown University (2002-2008)
- Postdoc, Purdue University (2008-2014)
- (Endowed) Assistant/Associate Professor, Seoul National University (2014-2019)
- Associate/full Professor, Yonsei University (2019-present)
 - University Fellow: Lee Youn Jae Fellow (2023-present)
 - Associate Dean for College of Science in Yonsei University (2024-2026)
 - Physics department chair (2026-present)

- Current memberships

- Member of CMS collaboration, Switzerland (2008-present)
- Member of DRDCalo collaboration, Switzerland (2024-present)
- Member of ePIC collaboration, USA (2023-present)

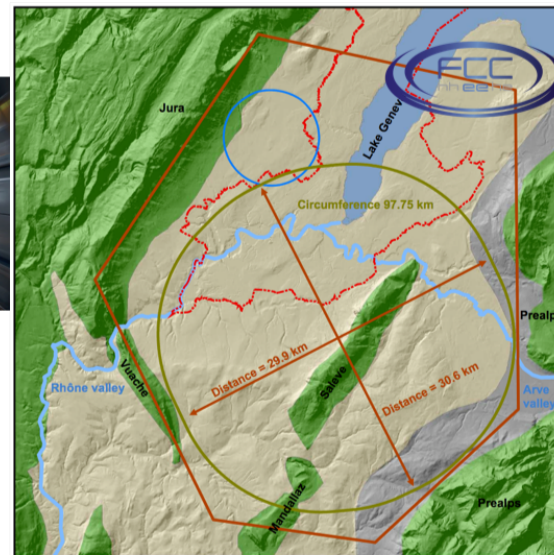
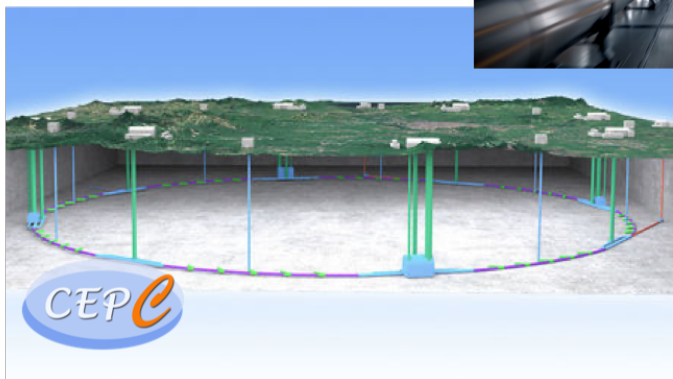
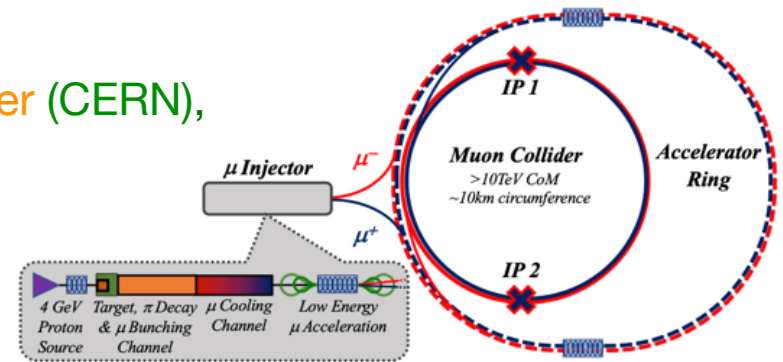
Highlight of Leaderships

- Team leader of Yonsei University for CMS experiment (2019-present)
- CERN:
 - Delegate of non-member state (Asia-Pacific) in Advisory Committee of CERN Users (2018-present)
 - National Contact (S. Korea) for FCC project (2019-present)
- Proposal team member for DRD6 (2023-2024)
 - WP3 coordinator for DRDCalo (2026-present)
- US: Team leader of Korea-EIC consortium (2023-present)
 - DSL for Barrel Imaging Calorimeter in ePIC collaboration
 - Scientific Observer (S. Korea) for EIC Resource Review Board
- Japan: Belle II Scrutiny Committee member (2024-present)

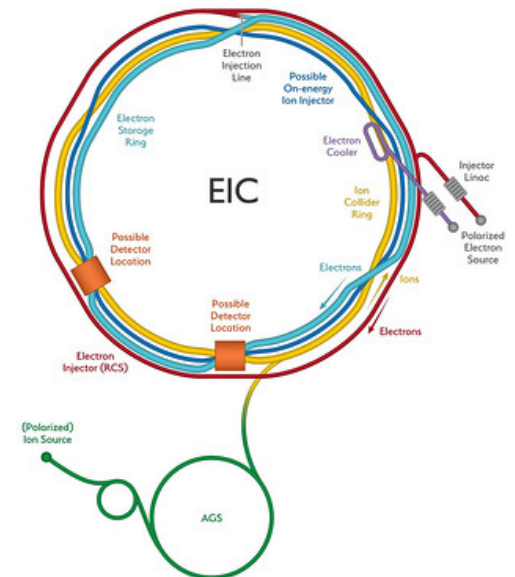
Future Collider Projects in HEP

- Many next generation experiments are under discussion

- Linear colliders: ILC (Japan), CLIC (CERN)
- Circular colliders: FCC-ee/eh/hh, muon collider (CERN), CEPC/SPPC (China)
- HI colliders: EIC (US)

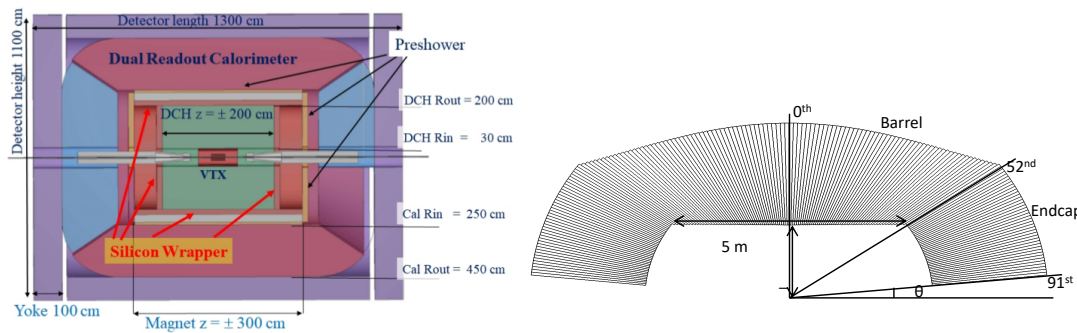


— LHC shape — Study boundary — Molasse Carried
 — FCC shape — Limestone — molasse



Initial Contributions for CDR

- Dual-readout calorimeter R&D team has contributed major role for CDRs of both CEPC and FCC projects (published in 2018)
 - Prof. Sehwook Lee (KNU), Prof. Jason Lee (UoS=>Yonsei), Prof. Hwidong Yoo (Yonsei U.)

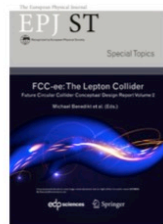


4 CDR volumes submitted to EPJ in December 2018.



FCC Physics Opportunities

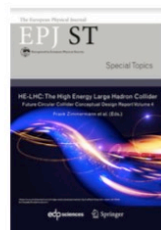
Copies can be requested at <http://get-fcc-cdr.web.cern.ch>



**FCC-ee:
The Lepton Collider**



**FCC-hh:
The Hadron Collider**



**HE-LHC:
The High Energy
Large Hadron Collider**

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October 2018

405 pages

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- ➔ Executive Summary
- 1. Introduction
- 2. Overview of the Physics Case for CEPC
- 3. Experimental Conditions, Physics Requirements and Detector Concepts
- 4. Tracking System
- 5. Calorimetry
- 6. Detector Magnet System
- 7. Muon Detector System
- 8. Readout Electronics, Trigger and Data Acquisition
- 9. Machine Detector Interface and Luminosity Detectors
- 10. Simulation, Reconstruction and Physics Object Performance
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- 12. Future Plans and R&D Prospects
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CEPC CDR, Vol. 1 and Vol. 2 — authorship

1149 authors from 222 institutions

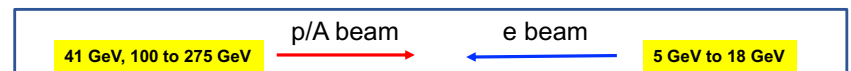
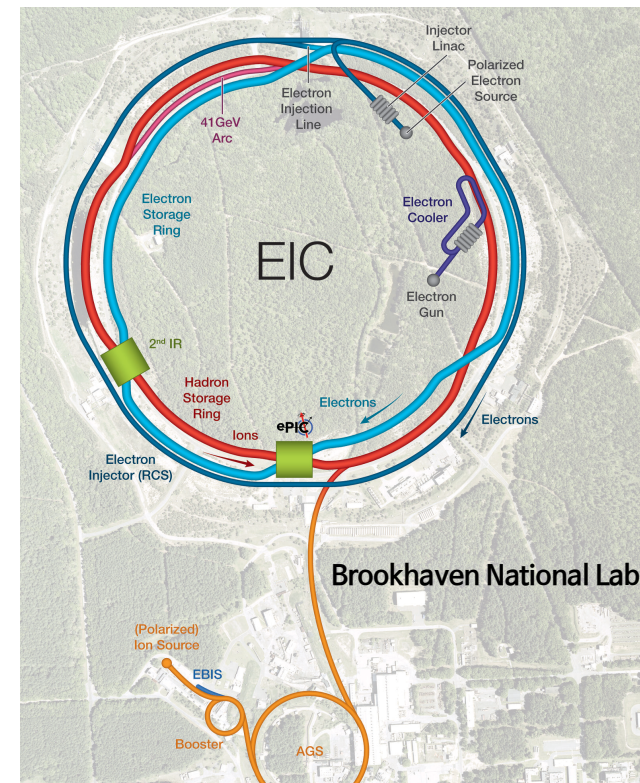
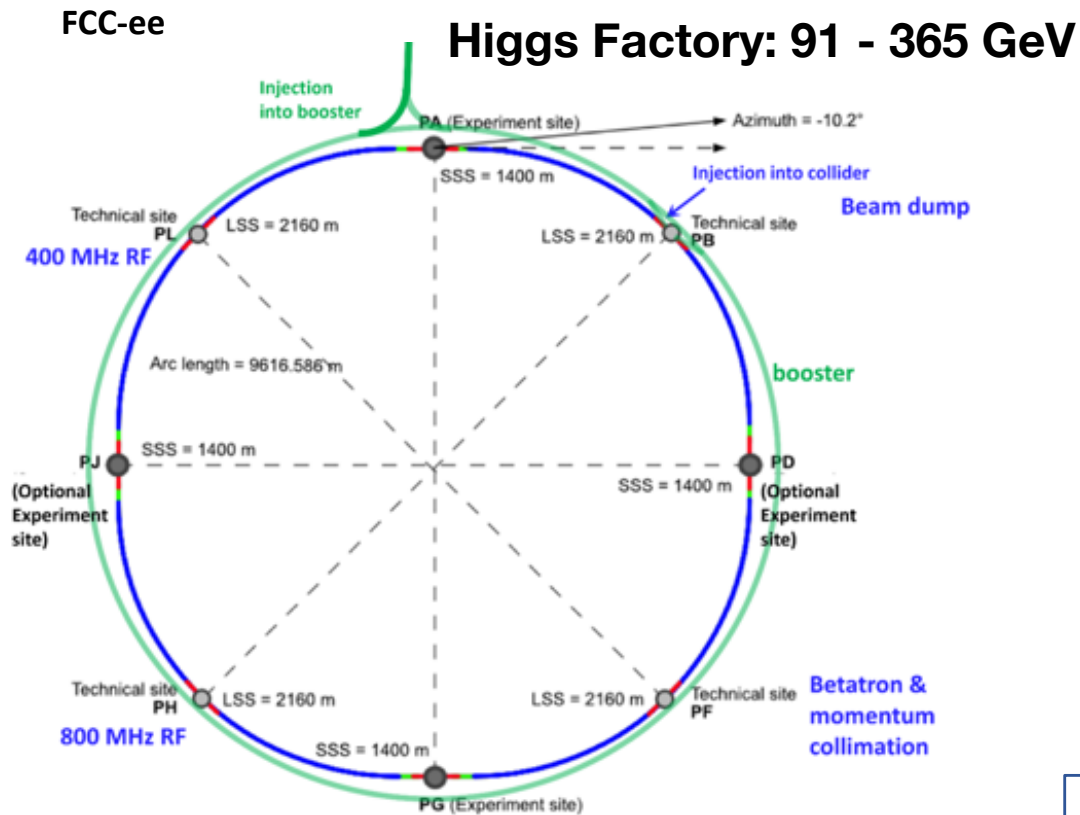
29% from foreign institutions

24 countries

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Belgium	3
Canada	3
Denmark	1
France	18
Germany	11
Indian	1
Israel	4
Italy	95
Japan	6
Korea	14
Mexico	1
Morocco	1
Netherlands	1
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Introduction

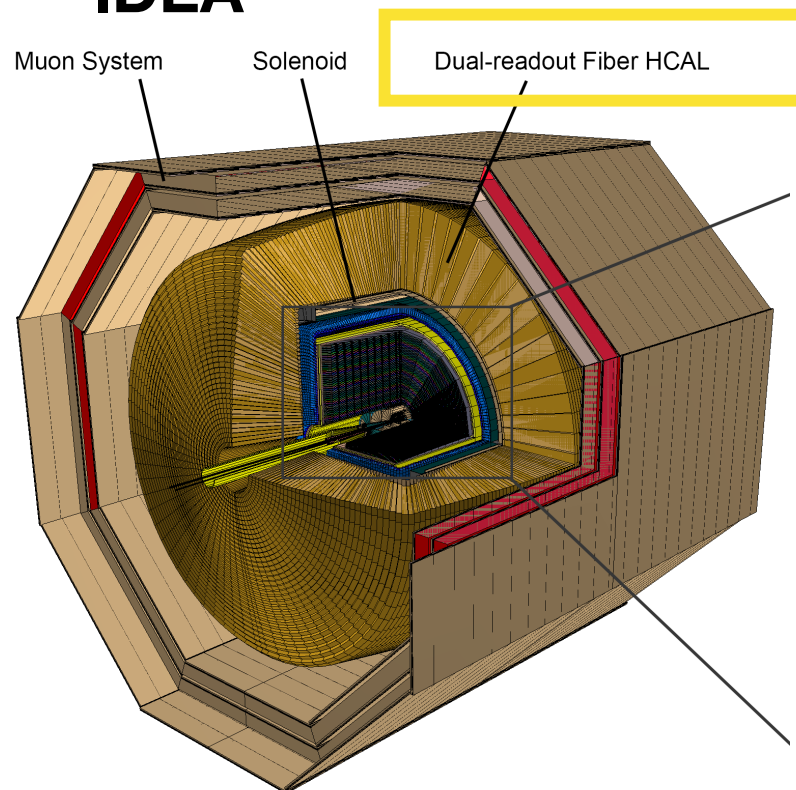
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 - EIC ePIC detector: **Barrel Imaging Calorimeter**



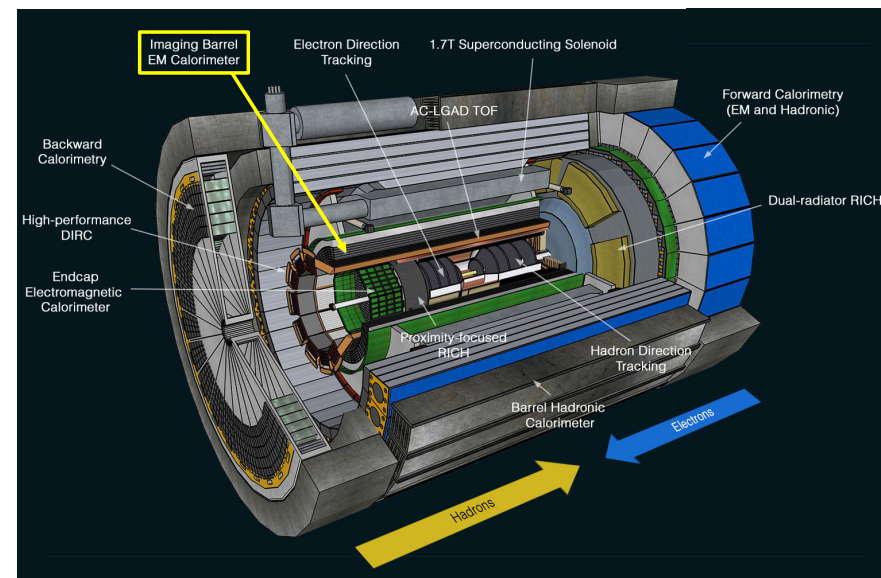
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IDEA



ePIC



R&D on Detector Technologies

Implemented through Detector R&D (DRD) collaborations hosted at CERN, with review and oversight provided by DRD Committee (DRDC) and ECFA Detector Panel

DRD1: Gaseous Detectors
Large · Fast · eco-friendly gases · MPGD, e.g. GEMs

$\sigma \sim 25$ ps per track

PICOSEC: NIMA903 (2018) 317

DRD2: Liquid Detectors
for Neutrinos · Dark Matter · Ovbb

Noble Elements	Liquid Scintillators	Water Cherenkov
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Argon & Xenon Ionisation charge & transport VUV Scintillation, light propagation & detection 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Visible Scintillation, light propagation Scintillator properties Isotope loading 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cherenkov light, light propagation Doping for n-capture

DRD3: Semiconductor Det.
Monolithic CMOS · LGADs · radiation hardness · interconns.

DRD4: Photon detectors
vacuum, solid-state (SiPM), hybrid single-photon and SciFi detectors · applications in PID and RICH

DRD5: Quantum Sensors
Quantum dots · superconduct. nanowires · bolometers · TES · MMC · nuclear clocks · First applications for DM, first projects in HEPP happening

DRD6: Calorimetry
Energy resolution · High granularity · dual-readout · particle flow · sandwich · optical

DRD7: Electronics
ADC/TDC IP Blocks · Opto-electronics · packaging · power · extreme environments · COTS · intelligence on detector · foundry access

DRD8: Mechanics
Ultra-thin beam pipes · CF foam and new materials · curved, retractable sensors · air & micro-channel cooling · eco-friendly cooling fluids · robots augmented reality

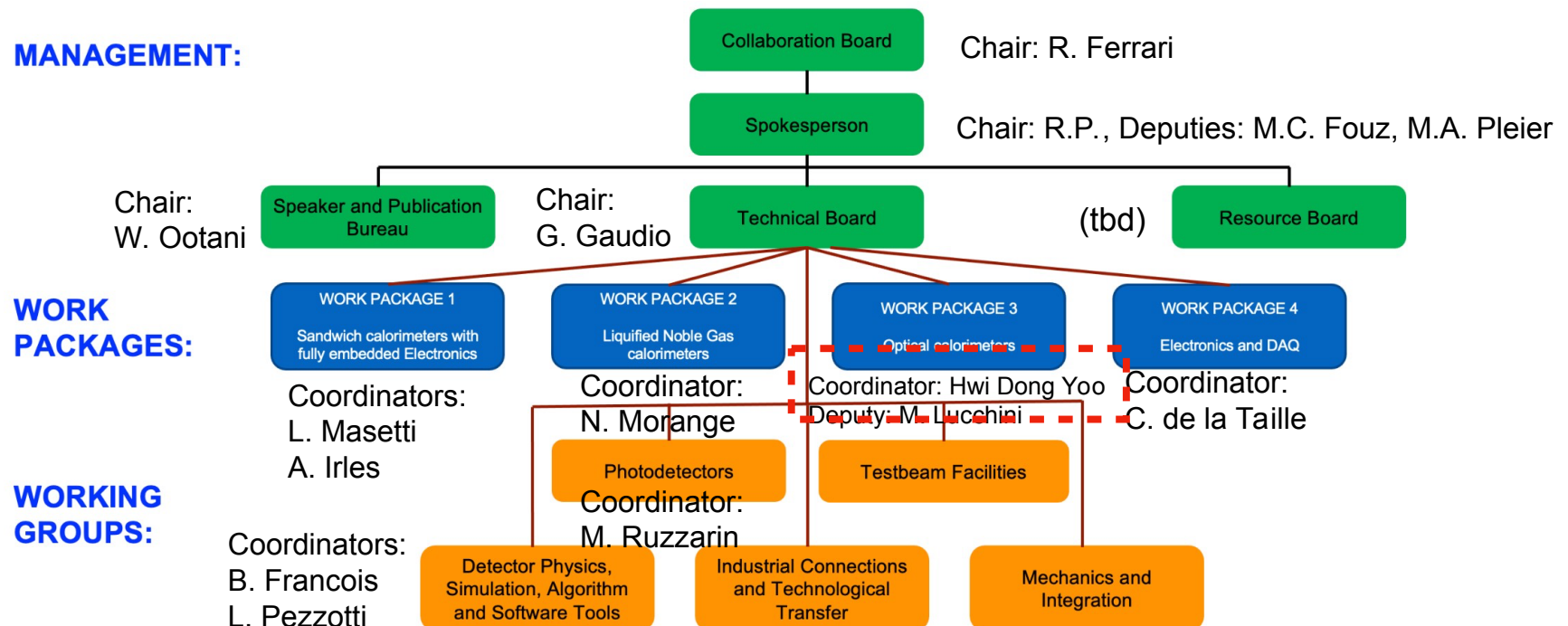
Courtesy T. Bergauer

DRDCalo Activities in Korea

- Hwidong Yoo
 - current WP3 coordinator
 - Calorimetry group co-coordinators in FCC Detector Concept Group

Project	Scintillator/WLS	Photodetector	DRDTs	Target
Task 3.1: Homogeneous and quasi-homogeneous EM calorimeters				
HGCCAL	BGO, LYSO	SiPMs	6.1, 6.2	e^+e^-
MAXICC	PWO, BGO, BSO	SiPMs	6.1, 6.2	e^+e^-
CriLin	PbF ₂ , PWO-UF	SiPMs	6.2, 6.3	$\mu^+\mu^-$
OREO	oriented PWO-UF	SiPMs	6.2, 6.3	$e^+e^-/\mu^+\mu^-$
Task 3.2: Innovative Sampling EM calorimeters				
GRAINITA	ZnWO ₄ , BGO	SiPMs	6.1, 6.2	e^+e^-
SpaCal	GAGG, organic	MCD-PMTs, SiPMs	6.1, 6.3	e^+e^-/hh
RADICAL	LYSO, LuAG	SiPMs	6.1, 6.2, 6.3	e^+e^-/hh
Task 3.3: (EM+)Hadronic sampling calorimeters				
DRCal	PMMA, plastic	SiPMs, MCP	6.2	e^+e^-
TileCal	PEN, PET	SiPMs	6.2, 6.3	e^+e^-/hh
Task 3.4: Materials				
ScintCal	-	-	6.1, 6.2, 6.3	$e^+e^-/\mu^+\mu^-/hh$
CryoDBD Cal	TeO, ZnSe, LiMoO NaMoO, ZnMoO	n.a.	-	DBD experiments

Table 2: Overview of R&D activities on optical calorimeter concepts.



Part I: Dual-Readout Calorimeter for FCC-ee

Dual-Readout Calorimeter (DRC)

- FCC-ee (+CEPC) IDEA detector: Dual-Readout Calorimeter

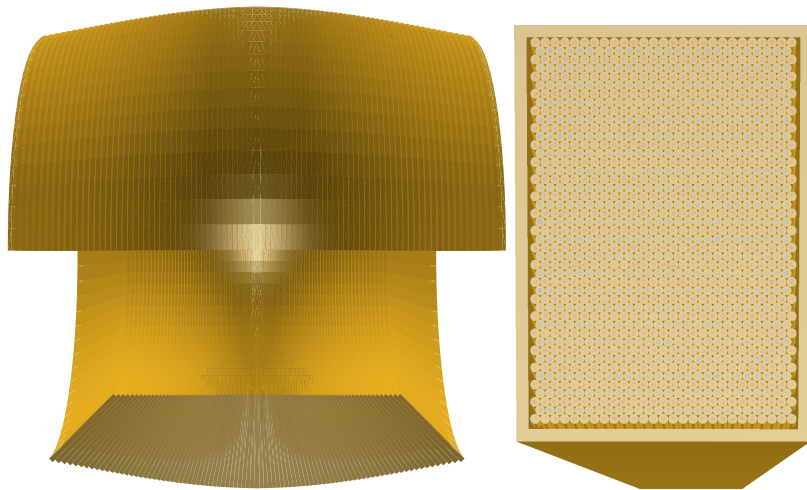
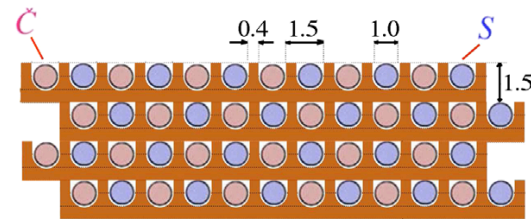


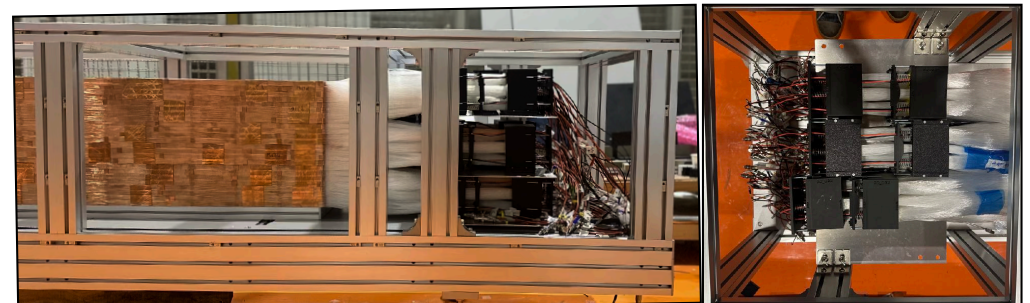
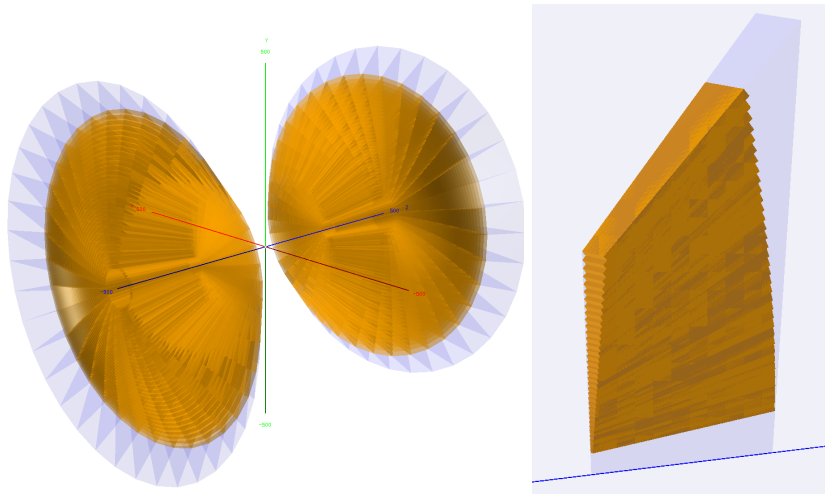
Figure 29: Barrel region of the dual-readout calorimeter, with a few towers tall for visualization purposes (left). Backside of one tower with the assembly of tubes and the support structure around them, forming one tower (right).



Fiber pattern RD52

S: Kurary SCSF-78

C: Mitsubishi SK-40

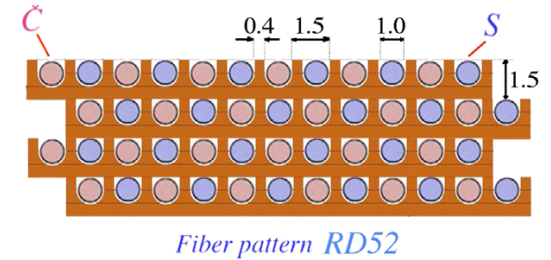


Dual-Readout Calorimeter (DRC)

- DRC offers high-quality energy measurement for both EM particles and hadrons

- DRC consists of two different optical fibers (S, C) in a single component
- The main culprit of poor hadronic energy resolution is fluctuations of the EM shower components of hadron showers (f_{em})
- f_{em} can be determined using the measured values of scintillation and Cerenkov signals

- Excellent hadron energy resolution can be achieved by correcting the energy of hadron event-by-event



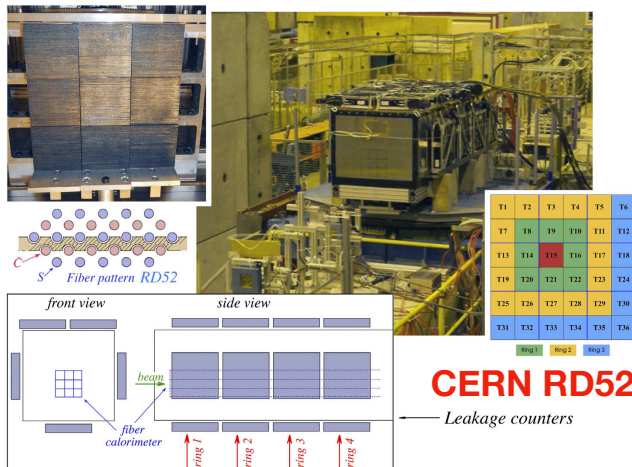
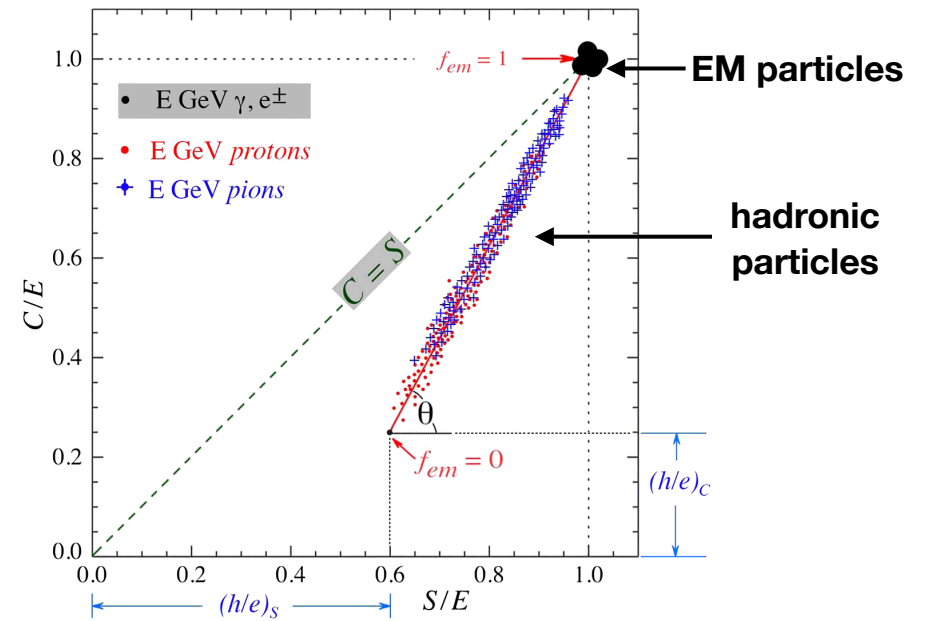
$$S = E \left[f_{em} + \frac{1}{(e/h)_S} (1 - f_{em}) \right],$$

$$C = E \left[f_{em} + \frac{1}{(e/h)_C} (1 - f_{em}) \right],$$

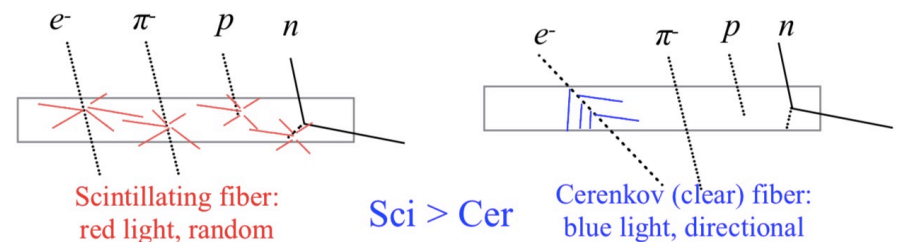
$$f_{em} = \frac{(h/e)_C - (C/S)(h/e)_S}{(C/S)[1 - (h/e)_S] - [1 - (h/e)_C]}$$

$$E = \frac{S - \chi C}{1 - \chi}$$

$$\cot \theta = \frac{1 - (h/e)_S}{1 - (h/e)_C} = \chi,$$



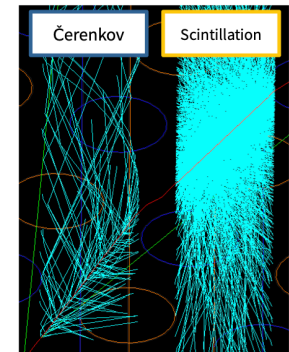
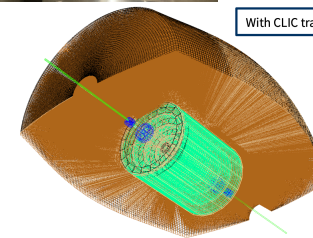
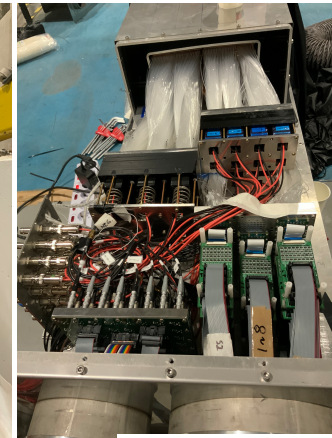
Signal generation: Scintillating & Cerenkov fibers



Status of DRC R&D in Korea

- We are doing all aspects of the DRC R&D

- Module building
- Electronics system
- DAQ system
- Data analysis framework
- Test-beam experiments at CERN
- Full/fast GEANT4 simulation framework (standalone, key4hep)
- Performance studies using simulation



Important for a longitudinally unsegmented calorimeter

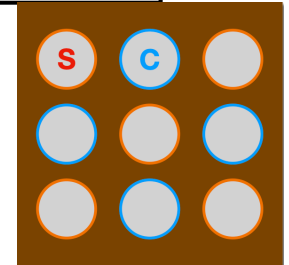


9 institutes participates DRC projects in Korea

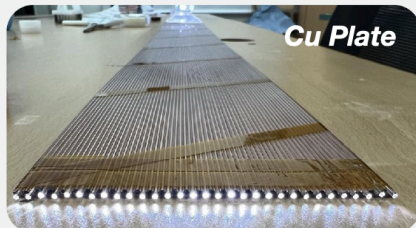
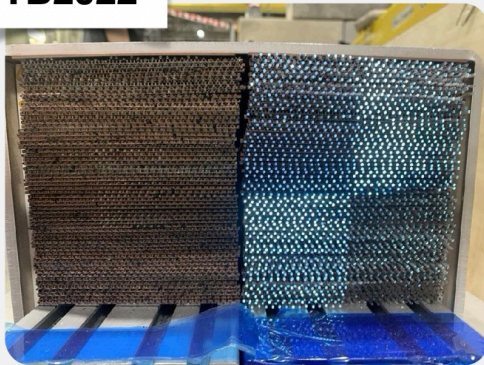
Module Building in Korea

- Dual-readout calorimeter (DRC) from Korea DRC group:
Two optical fibers (S and C) with Cu absorber

- Various Cu forming was studied and tested for the last few years
- Test beam experiment has been performed at CERN SPS or PS **since 2022**



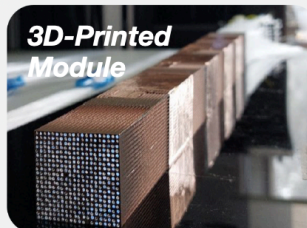
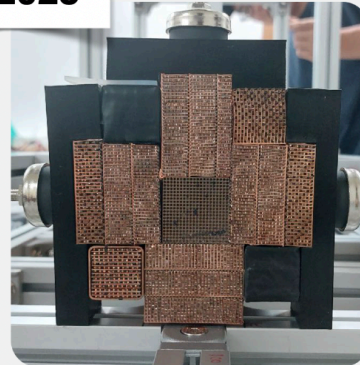
TB2022



EM Performance Study

Cu Plate
 $\sim 3.5 \rho_M, > 30 X_0$
 PMT, SiPM
 10 ~ 120 GeV e^+
 @SPS H8

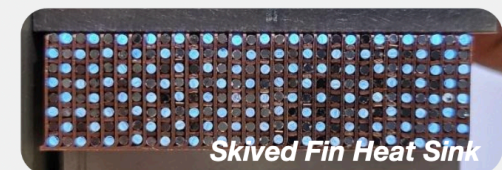
TB2023



Low Energy EM Performance Study

3D-Printed Module, SFHS, Lego-Like
 $\sim 3 \rho_M, \sim 17 X_0$
 PMT, MCP-PMT
0.5 ~ 5 GeV e^+
 @PS T9

TB2024 & TB2025



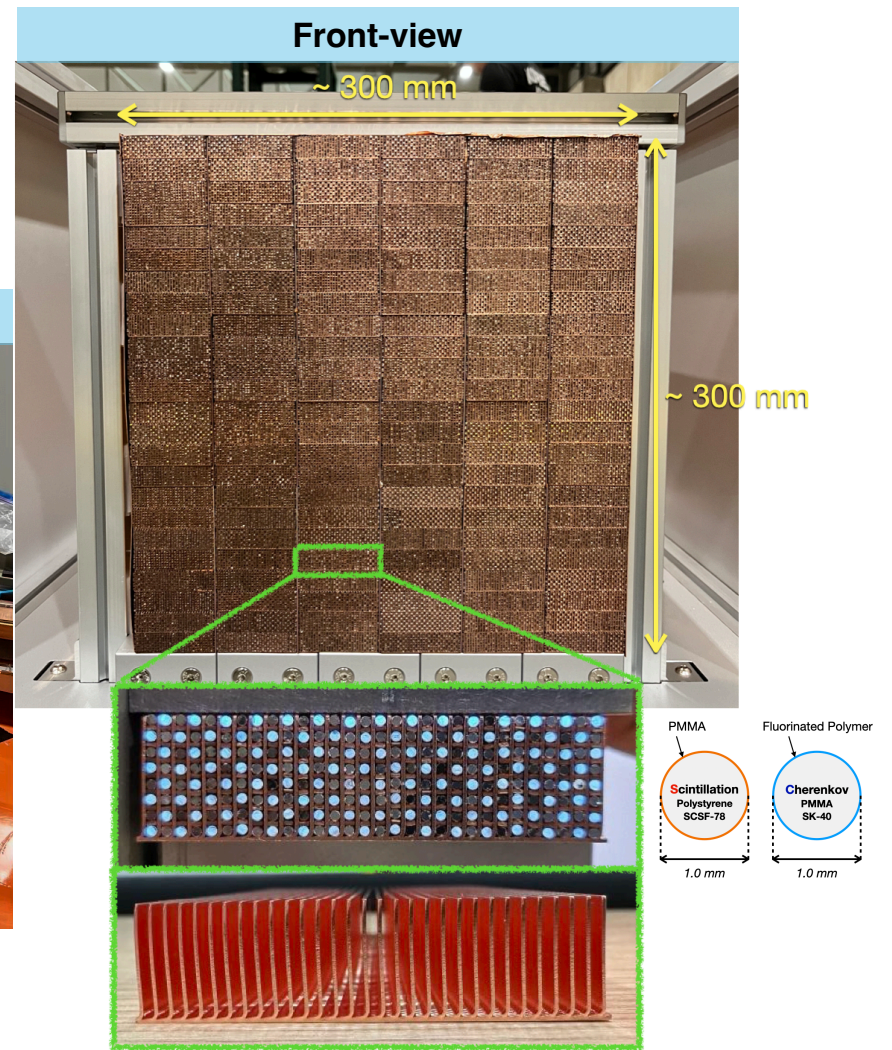
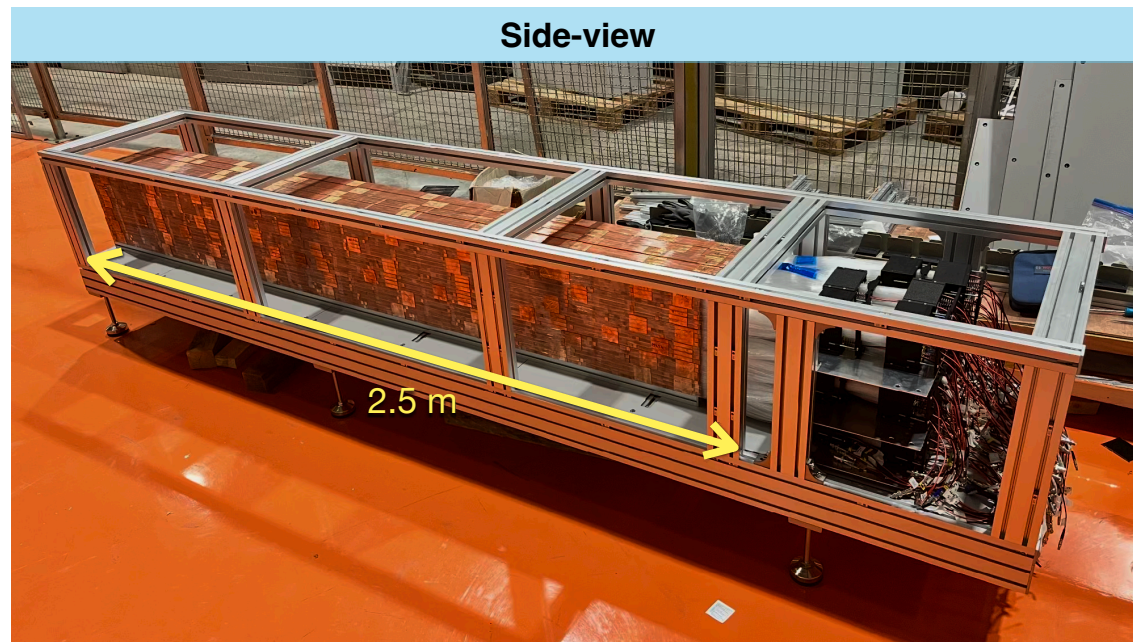
EM&Hadron Performance Study

SFHS, Cu Plate
 $\sim 90\%$ lateral hadron deposit, $\sim 10 \lambda_{int}$
 PMT, MCP-PMT, SiPM
 10~120 GeV e^+ , **20~120 GeV π^+**
 @SPS H8

Module Building in Korea

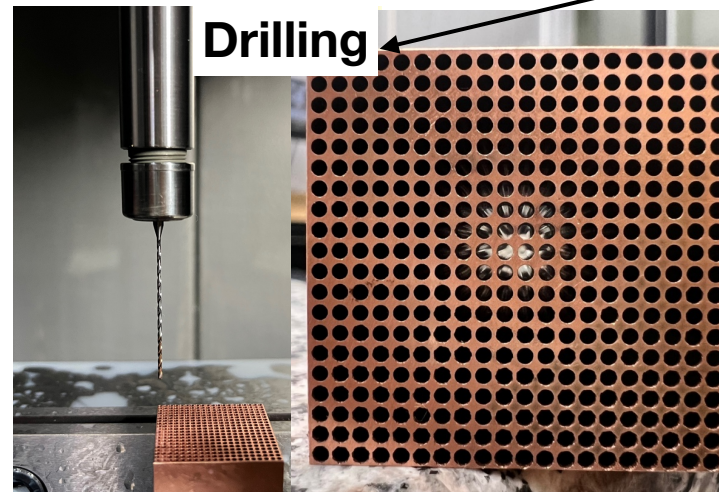
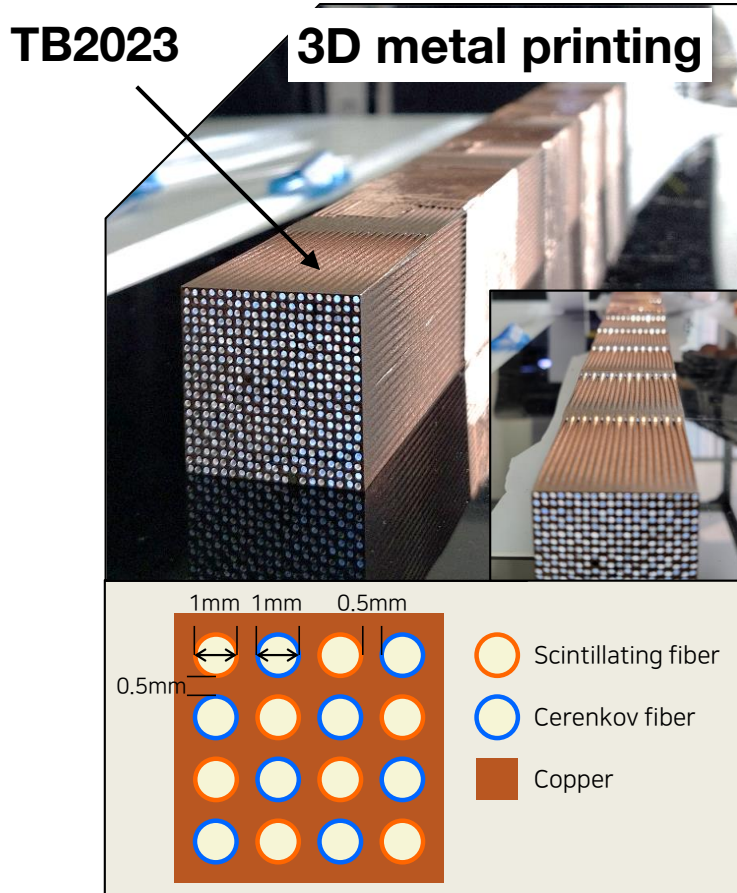
Module for 2026 test beam experiment

- Baseline: the module used in TB2025
 - Constructed with skived fin heat sink (SFHS) shape **Cu** + alternatively accumulated **optical fibers**
- Dimension: 30 cm × 30 cm × 2.5m
 - Longitudinally unsegmented
 - Depth: $\sim 10 \lambda_{int}$
 - a lateral hadronic shower containment: 93.6% (π , E=60 GeV)

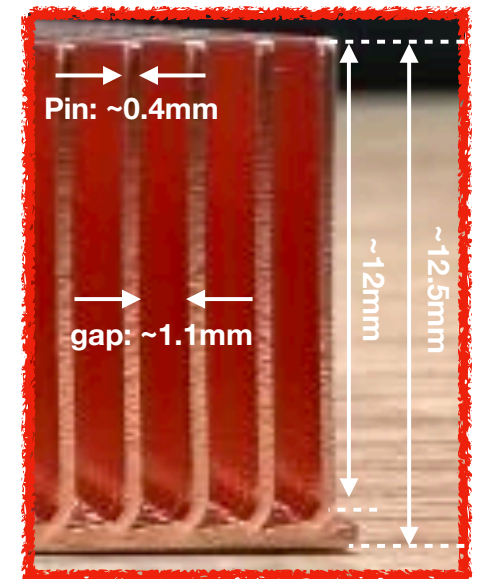


Cu Forming R&D

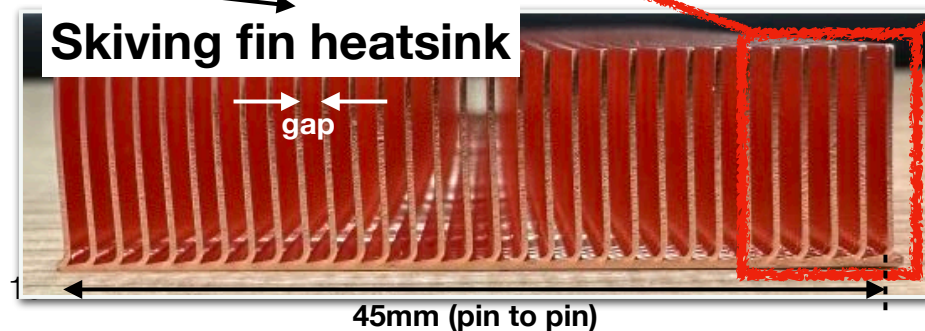
- Try to find a solution for mass production with local mechanical engineering experts and manufacturers
 - Skiving fin heatsink, 3D metal printing, drilling, etc.



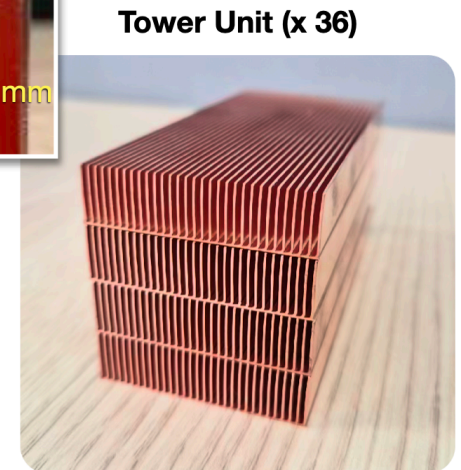
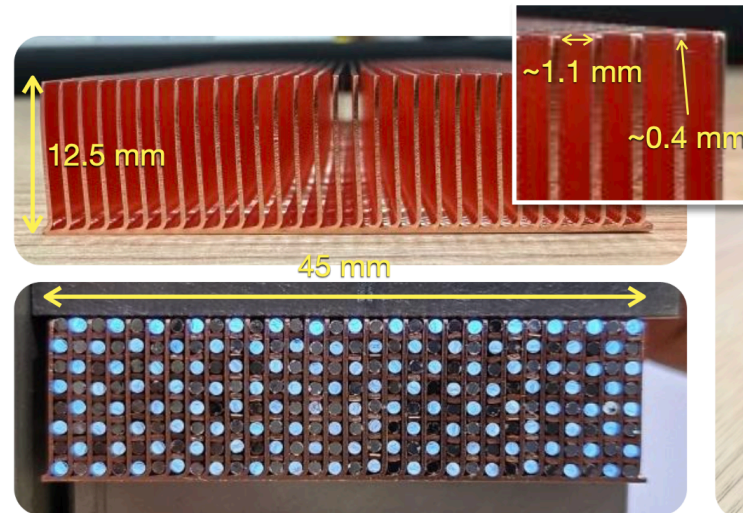
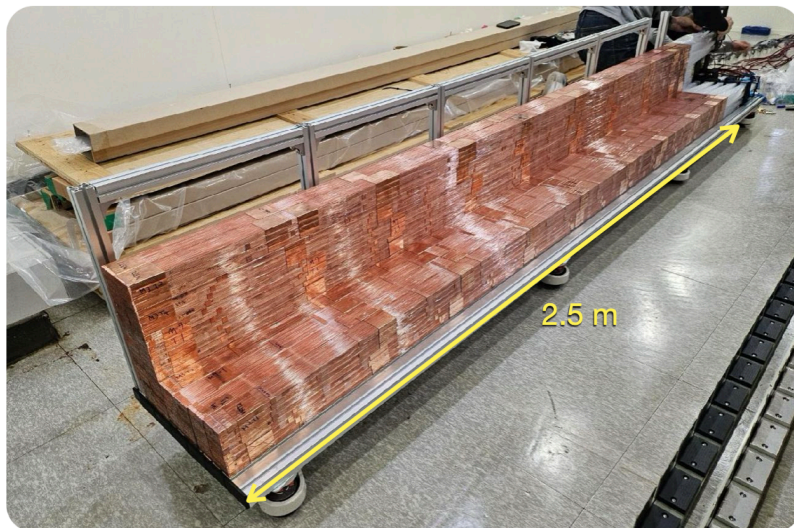
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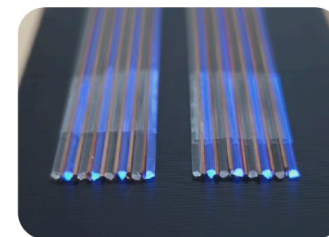
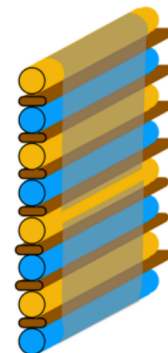
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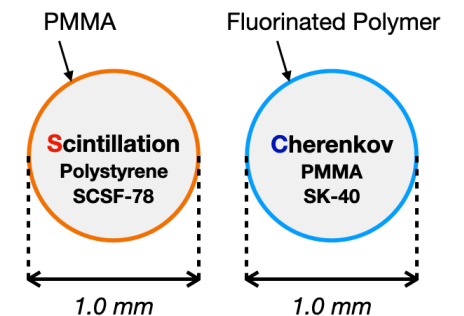
Skiving Fin Heatsink Module



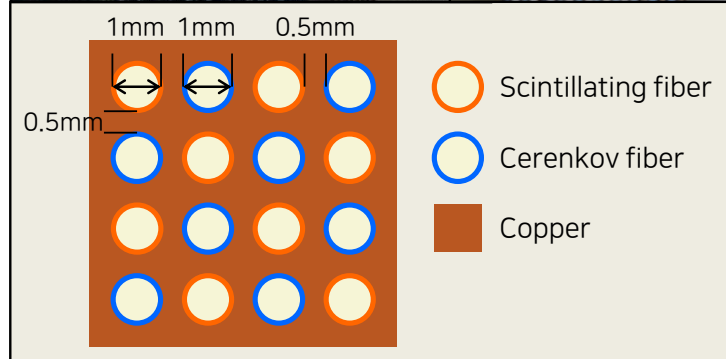
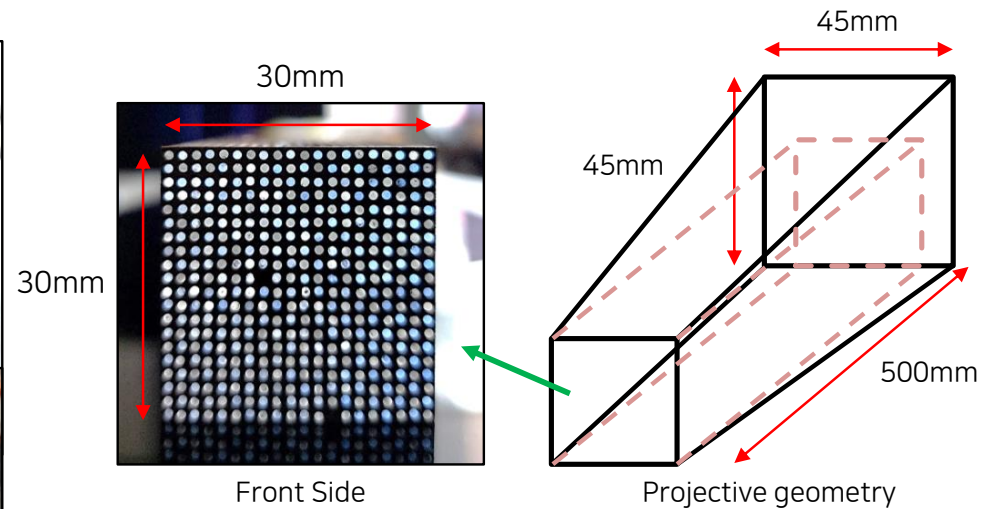
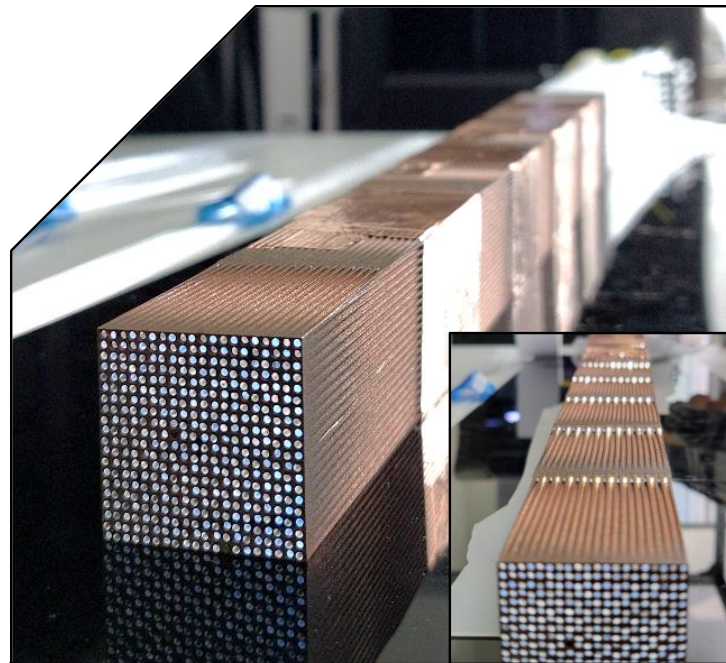
- **Cu + Optical Fiber** (SCSF-78, SK-40) geometry.
total ~ 28 km
- 30 cm X 30 cm X 250 cm ($\sim 10 \lambda_{int}$)
- Longitudinally unsegmented



Layer Unit (x 1152)



Cu Forming: 3D Metal Printing



Structure of 3D-Printed Module

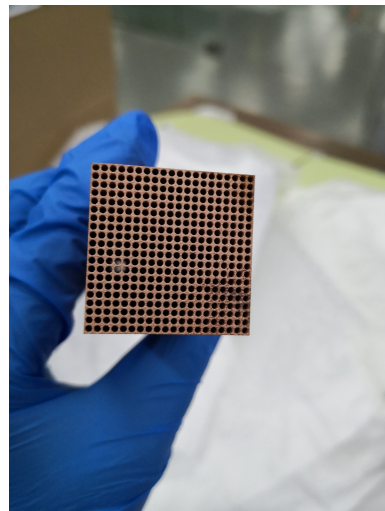
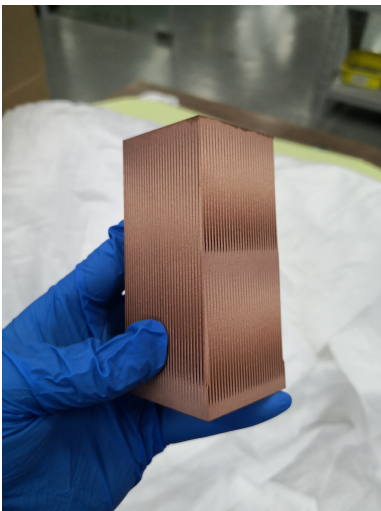
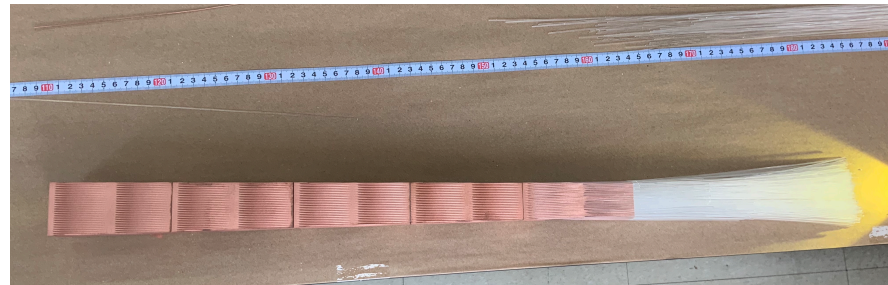
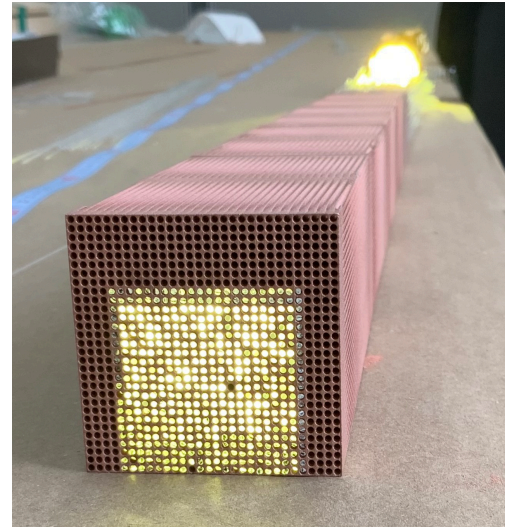
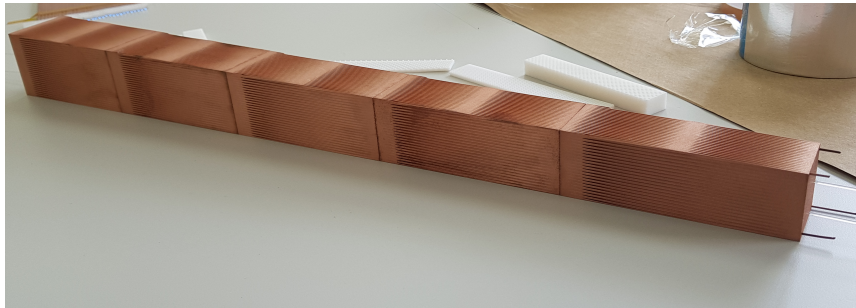
- 3D-Printed module is made using 3D metal printing technology.
- It has **projective geometry** as a prototype of 4π geometry aiming on FCC IDEA detector.
- Total **812 (S 406, C 406)** fibers are implemented in copper.
- Fibers are implemented on side of the module, following the projective slope by varying length.

3D Metal Printing

with



- 1st projective DRC module!



INSIDE 3D PRINTING SEOUL
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Drilling Module

- “Drilling” might be another good option for copper forming to build full 4pi detector
- R&D on-going with mechanical engineering experts in Korea institutes

