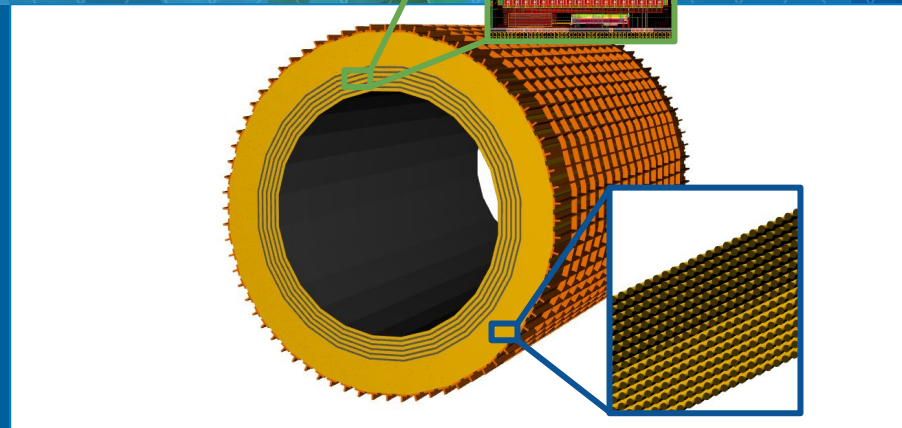


ePIC Meeting, June 23, 2023

# Barrel Imaging Calorimeter Meeting Summary



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# In-person Barrel Imaging Calorimeter Meeting

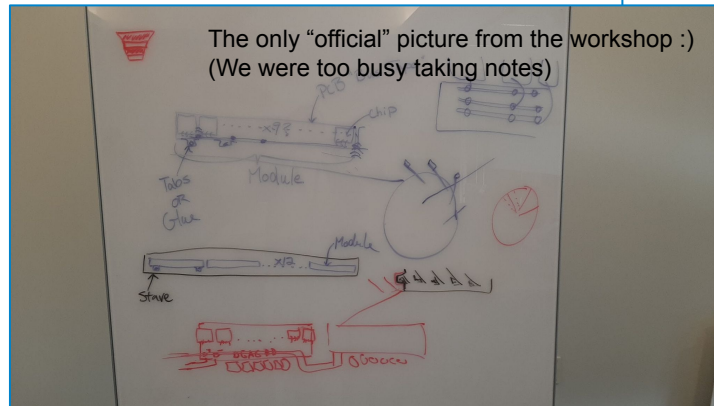
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12-16 June 2023

- Mon-Tue: ScFi/Pb
- Wed: Integration
- Thu-Fri: AstroPix

Talks uploaded to the Indico + detailed live notes finalized

20+ participants



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# Barrel Imaging Calorimeter Meeting - Participants

**UC Santa Cruz:** T. Affolder, V. Fadeyev

**NASA Goddard\*:** R. Caputo, A. Steinhebel, D. Violette

**U of Regina:** Z. Papandreu (on-line), J. Zarling

**ANL:** M. Zurek, S. Joosten, T. O'Connor, K. Bailey, Z.-E. Meziani, M. Jadhav, J. Metcalfe, P. Reimer, C. Peng, J. Xie, J. Kim, M. Castro, W. Armstrong, M. Scott

**BNL:** S. Bazilevsky, D. Cacace (on-line)

**ISU:** J. Lajoie

**ORNL:** N. Novitzky (on-line)

**KIT\*:** N. Striebig (on-line), I. Peric (on-line)

**Oklahoma State University\*:** Flera Rizatdinova (on-line)

**Pusan National University:** S. Lim (on-line)

**DAQ WG** (on-line for joined sessions): J. Landgraf, F. Barbosa, K. Reed...

+ **3 Summary Sessions with Elke Aschenauer and Rolf Ent**

Participants intro talks: <https://indico.bnl.gov/event/19689/contributions/77334/>

\*Expressed interest in  
officially joining ePIC

# Mon-Tue: SiFi/Pb

Assembly Procedure, Schedule and realistic production strategy

Mon 12/06

13:00	GlueX Barrel ECAL - Production and Assembly Room A323, B241	Zisis Papandreou	13:00 - 13:30
	ePIC Barrel ECAL - Schedule and SciFi/Pb budget summary Room A323, B241	Maria Zurek	13:30 - 13:50
14:00	Discussion Room A323, B241		13:50 - 14:10
	Working Session: Task, Schedule and Workforce Spreadsheet Room A323, B241		14:10 - 15:00
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	Working Session: Task, Schedule, and Workforce Spreadsheet Room A323, B241		15:30 - 16:15
16:00	Working Session: Production Sites and Collaborations Room A323, B241		16:15 - 17:00

Tue 13/06

08:00	Welcome and Coffee Room D173, B241		08:30 - 09:00
09:00	Working Session: Finalizing budget table Room D173, B241		09:00 - 10:00
10:00	Coffee Break Building 241		10:00 - 10:30
	Fermilab AstroPix Setup Room D173, B241	Manoj Bhanudas Jadhav	10:30 - 10:50
11:00	GlueX Baby BCAL Prototype Room D173, B241	Zisis Papandreou	10:50 - 11:10
	Integrated Prototype Planning - Discussion Kick-off Room D173, B241	Maria Zurek	11:10 - 11:30
12:00	Task and Schedule Planning Room D173, B241		11:30 - 12:30
13:00	Lunch Building 241		12:30 - 13:30
	Overview of the readout of the GlueX Barrel Room D173, B241	Zisis Papandreou	13:30 - 14:00
14:00	HGCROC and Readout of Barrel ECAL Room D173, B241	Norbert Novitzky	14:00 - 14:30
	Discussion Room D173, B241		14:30 - 15:00
15:00	SIPM and fiber testing plans Room D173, B241	Zisis Papandreou	15:00 - 15:30
16:00	Coffee Break Building 241		15:30 - 16:00

Talk count  
Zisis: 4  
Maria: 2

Prototyping  
strategy  
discussion

Readout

# SiFi/Pb Discussions

## Construction Facility @ Regina

ROLLING



GLUING



QUALITY CONTROL AT EVERY STEP

SWAGGING



PRESSING



### Selected Discussion Items

Realistic production strategy and workforce requirements discussed

- Production rates estimated in the bottom up schedule

Strategy for prototyping

- Short term R&D (testing of fibers light output in Regina, small scale prototype in FNAL)
- Engineering test article (mechanical properties testing, readout testing, shelf-SiFi/Pb integration)
- First article

Possible strategy of reading out SiPMs with HGCROC

# Wed: Integration

Detector sector geometry and assembly

Integration Discussion

What have we learned from GlueX and sPHENIX and Discussion about the installation

Tue 13/06

Coffee Break	
Building 241	15:30 - 16:00
Discussion on PbScFi Sector Assembly	
Room D173, B241	16:00 - 17:30

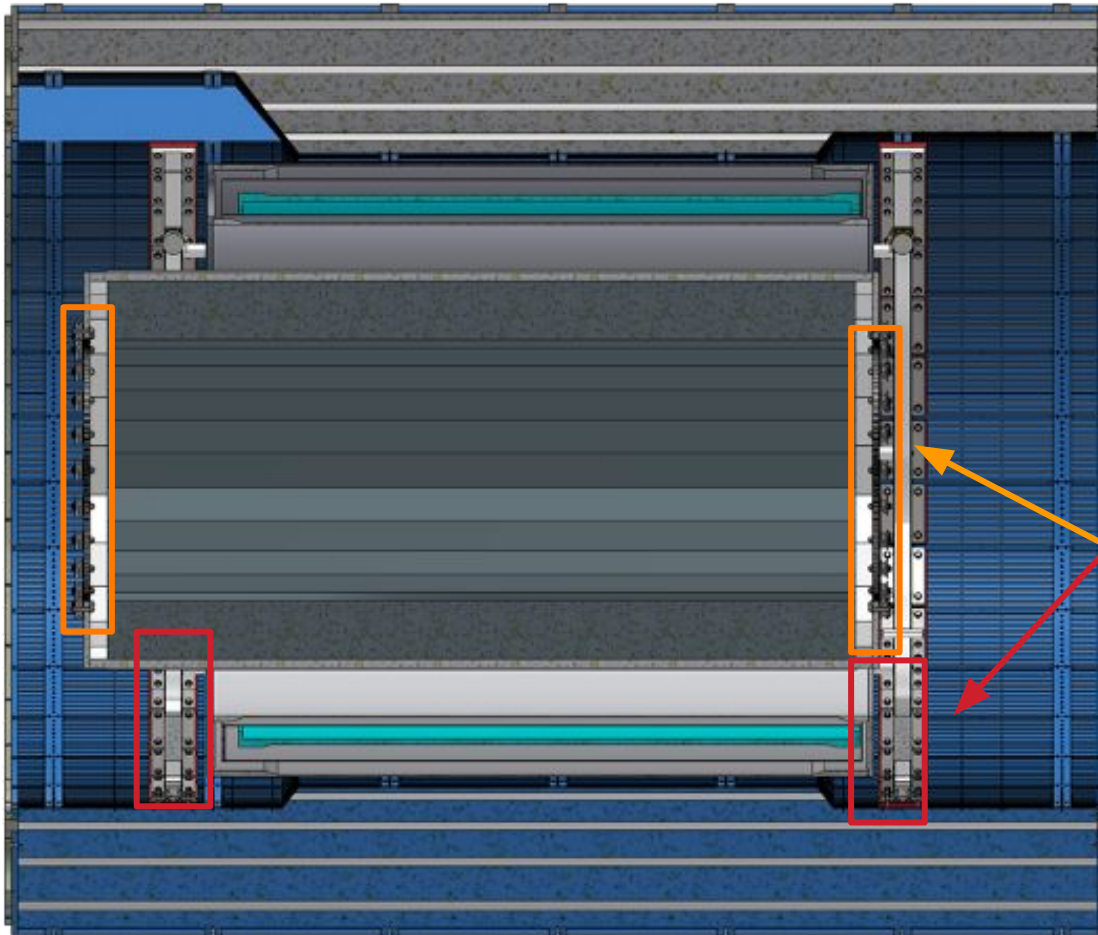
Wed 14/06

Discussion on existing interfaces and integration	
Room D173, B241	09:00 - 10:30
Coffee Break	
Building 241	10:30 - 11:00
GlueX BCAL Installation	
Room D173, B241	Zsolt Papandreou 11:00 - 11:20
Installation concept based on sPHENIX	
Room D173, B241	Dan Caceres 11:20 - 11:40
Discussion on Barrel Assembly and Installation	
Room D173, B241	11:40 - 12:30
Lunch	
Building 241	12:30 - 13:30
Discussion on Mechanical and Electrical Engineering tasks	
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Coffee Break	
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Discussion: Action items and priorities	
Room D173, B241	15:30 - 16:30

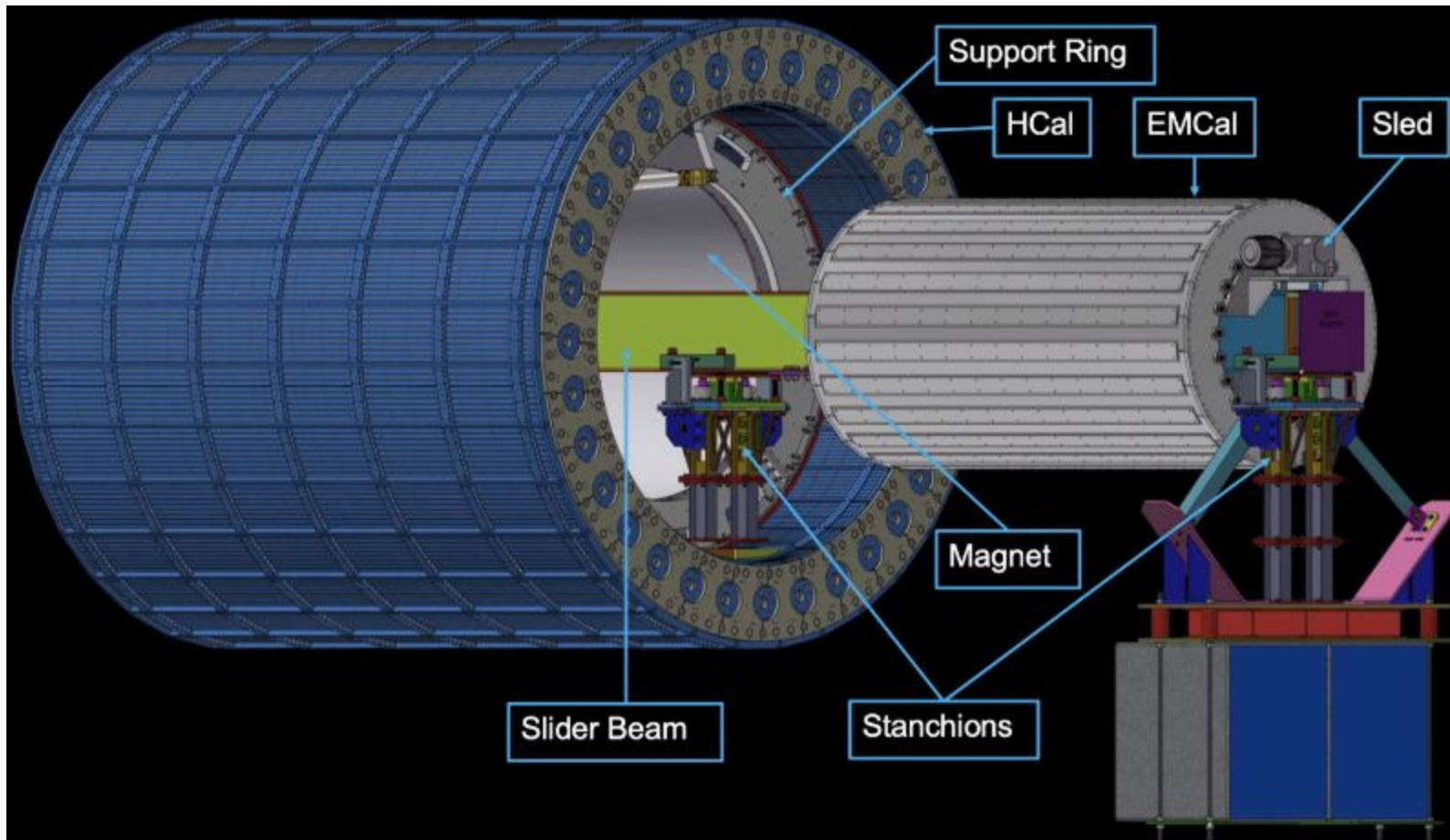
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Maria: 2

# Support Structure and Integration

Installation based on sPhenix:  
<https://indico.bnl.gov/event/19689/contributions/77698/>  
Summary of engineering tasks:  
<https://indico.bnl.gov/event/19689/contributions/77384/>



- **Design rapidly evolving**
- Installation follows the sPHENIX Barrel Calo Strategy at the current stage
- Support strategy still being evaluated
  - Tightly coupled whole system integration
- Current picture after the workshop:
  - **Barrel EMCal** rests on Barrel HCal support rings
  - Only **two points of contact** (versus rails in GlueX) requires a bit more work to evaluate rigidity and need for outside support
  - **Inner detector suspended off inner support rings** at the end of the Barrel EMCal
  - **Service access to the imaging layers discussed** in the current installation scheme discussed and reworked during the workshop





# Thu-Fri: AstroPix

Thu 15/06

08:00	ePIC DAQ Meeting (hybrid)	Room A323, Bldg 241	08:00 - 08:45
09:00	Welcome Coffee	Room A323, B241	09:00 - 09:30
	AstroPix / AMEGO-X Intro	Regina Caputo	09:30 - 10:00
	EIC Intro	John Laprie	10:00 - 10:15
	ePIC Barrel Imaging Calorimeter Overview	Maria Zurek et al.	10:15 - 10:30
	Coffee break	Building 241	10:30 - 10:45
	Attendee introduction talks		
11:00	ePIC Imaging Calorimeter Intro: Facts & Figures	Maria Zurek et al.	11:15 - 11:45
	Integration and engineering priorities	Kevin Bailey et al.	11:45 - 12:15
12:00	Lunch	Building 241	12:15 - 14:00
14:00	Module design and stave assembly	Room A323, B241	14:00 - 14:30
	Tray assembly and integration	Room A323, B241	14:30 - 15:00
	Coffee break	Building 241	15:30 - 15:45
	EPCA board requirements	Room A323, B241	15:45 - 16:15
	Discussion	Room A323, B241	16:15 - 17:00
17:00	Silicon / AstroPix Lab tour	Room A323, B241	17:00 - 18:00

Joined session with DAQ

Introductions

Introductions and Summaries from previous days

Discussion about AstroPix module, and stave assembly

Lab tour

Fri 16/06

08:00	AstroPix v4v5 overview	Nicolas Striebig	08:30 - 09:00
09:00	AstroPix test results (NASA)	Amanda Steinhilber	09:00 - 09:30
	AstroPix test results (Argonne)	Mary Gwynne Schay	09:30 - 10:00
	Coffee Break	Building 241	10:00 - 10:15
	Comp/AMEGO-X prototype overview	Regina Caputo	10:15 - 10:45
	EIC prototype overview	Maria Zurek	10:45 - 11:15
	Discussion end organization		11:15 - 12:00
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	Coffee Break	Building 241	15:15 - 15:30
	Working session: Finalize production plan		15:30 - 17:00
18:00	Happy Hour	Building 241	18:00 - 19:00

Chip discussion

Prototyping Plans

Tasks and efforts  
Budget/Production plan

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Sylvester: 30  
pages of live notes



# AstroPix Discussions

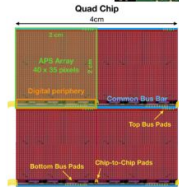
See Thu and Fri sessions:

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## AstroPix v3: Design and Fabrication

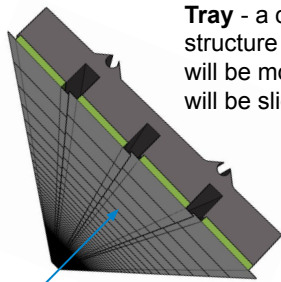
### Pixel Matrix:

- 500 $\mu\text{m}^2$  Pixel Pitch, 300 $\mu\text{m}^2$  Pixel Size
- 35 x 35 pixels
- first 3 cols PMOS amplifier others NMOS
- Pixel Comparator Outputs Row/Column OR wired
- Goal:
  - Pixel Dynamic Range 20keV - 700keV
  - Noise Floor 5 keV (2% @ 662keV)



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ASTROPIX



**AstroPix Stave**

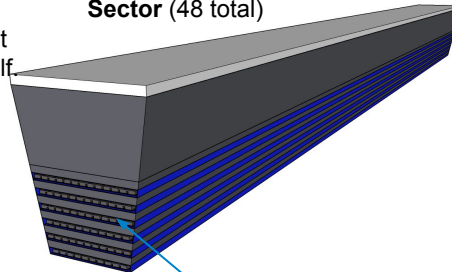
Consists of 1 x 108 chips with the support structure, "turbofanned"

**AstroPix Module**

Subset of chips

**Tray** - a carbon fiber structure the staves will be mounted on. It will be slid into a shelf.

**Sector (48 total)**



**Shelf** - a carbon fiber structure that is glued to the Pb/ScFi layers, that we will slide trays with AstroPix staves on.

- Strategy for testing discussed: test at wafer level, then at stave-level
- "baseline" model of modules on staves established
  - 108 chips per stave, 12 modules x 9 chips
  - 12 or 14 tracker staves per AstroPix layer per Calorimeter sector
  - Bottom-up schedule and budget estimate based on this model
- Discussions about the AstroPix v4/v5 specification and readout requirements
- Results from testing v3 at NASA and ANL/FNAL beamtest
- Prototyping strategy and complementarity of tasks on the NASA and ANL tasks
  - short term R&D and small-scale prototype at FNAL
  - Engineering test article of full stave with v3
  - First article of shelf with AstroPix v5 chip

# Summary

- 5 days of discussion Pb/ScFi (Mo-Tue), Engineering (We), and AstroPix/silicon (Thu-Fri)
- Highly productive meeting, up to > 20 in-person people at the meeting, and with hybrid component for most sessions.
- In-person representatives from Project (Sasha) and ePIC management (John), active remote participation by Project engineer (Dan), regular check-ins with Elke & Rolf
- ~ 30 pages of live notes documenting action items and discussion, many presentations on Indico
- Collected wealth of information for a bottom-up cost estimate, short-term engineering tasks and needs, realistic production strategy and workforce requirements, timeline, ...
- Should have everything in hand for Change Control, and to fill out the work packages based on this meeting!

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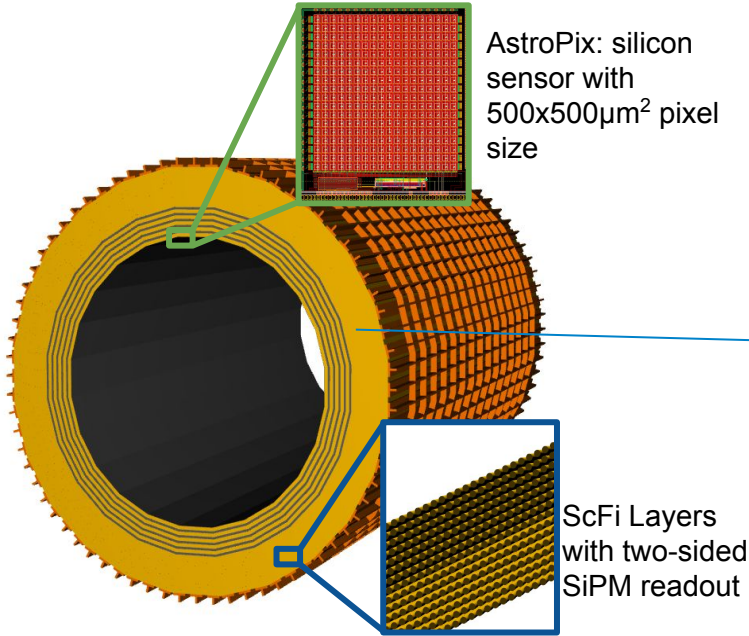
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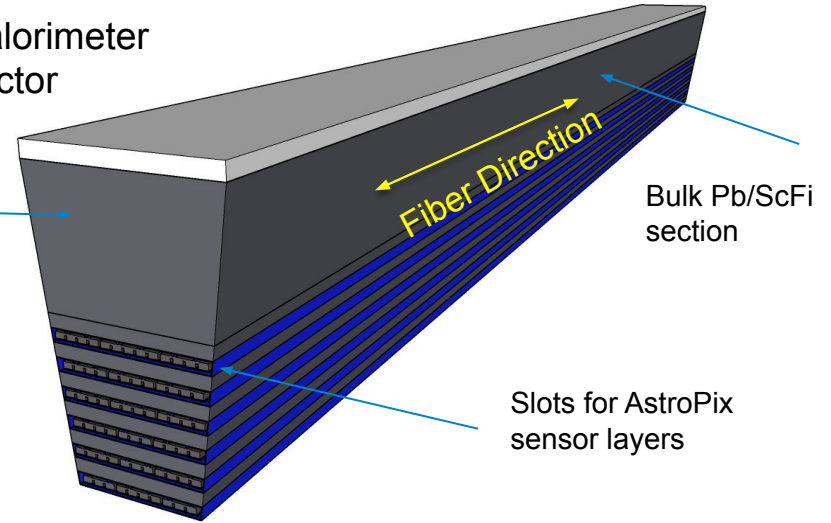
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# Geometry

- **4(+2) layers of imaging Si sensors** interleaved with **5 Pb/ScFi layers**
- Followed by a **bulk section of Pb/ScFi section**



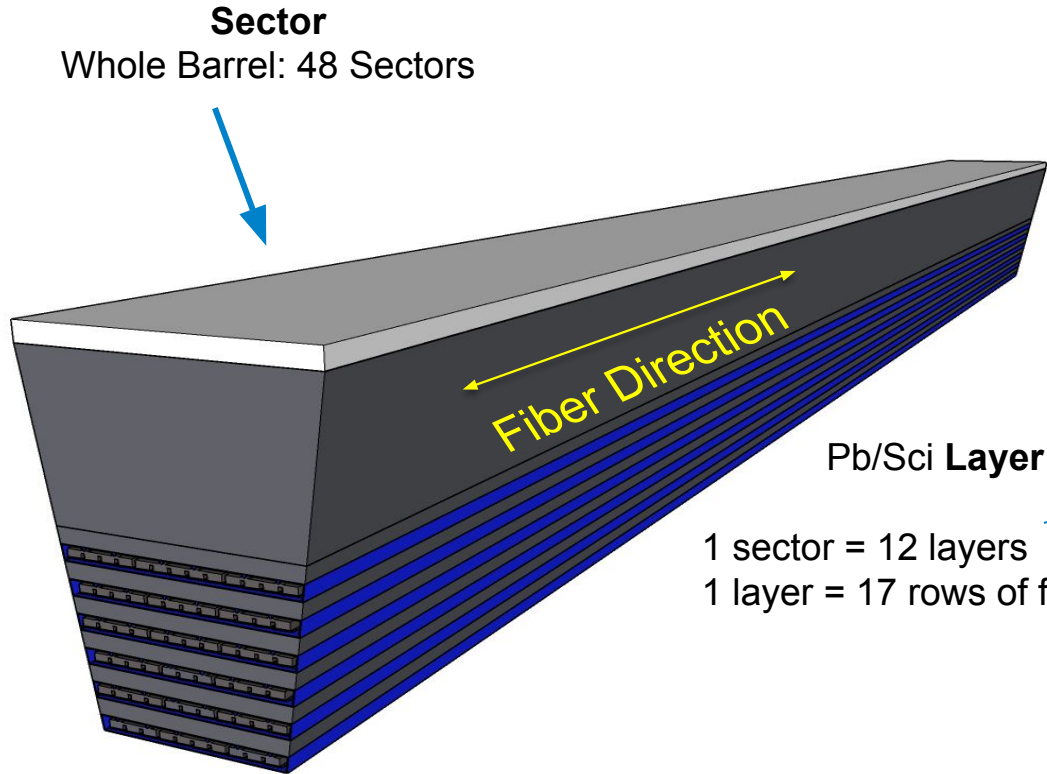
Calorimeter sector



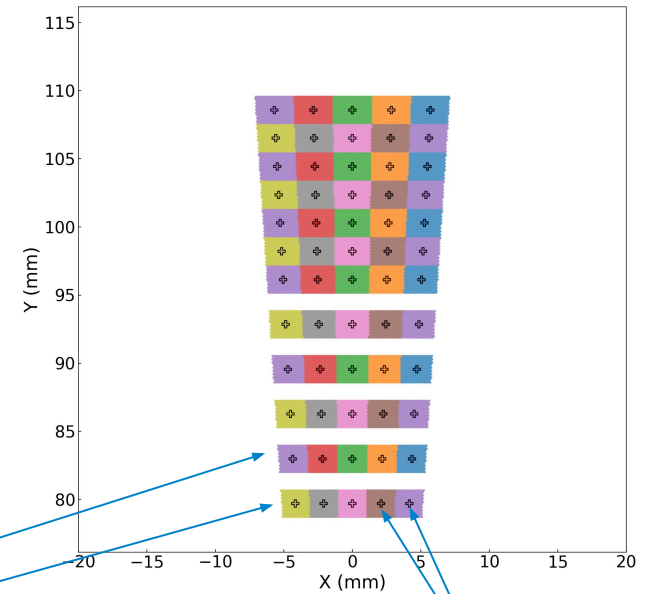
**Energy resolution** - Primarily from Pb/ScFi layers (+ Imaging pixels energy information)

**Position resolution** - Primarily from Imaging Layers (+ 2-side Pb/ScFi readout and radial segmentation)

# Geometry and Naming Scheme



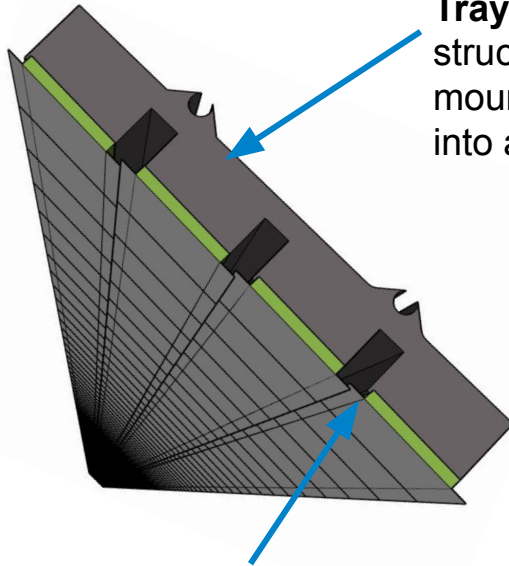
Sector End View  
(x-y plane view)



Readout Cell  
Layer = 5 cells

*The area 1 light guide is attached*

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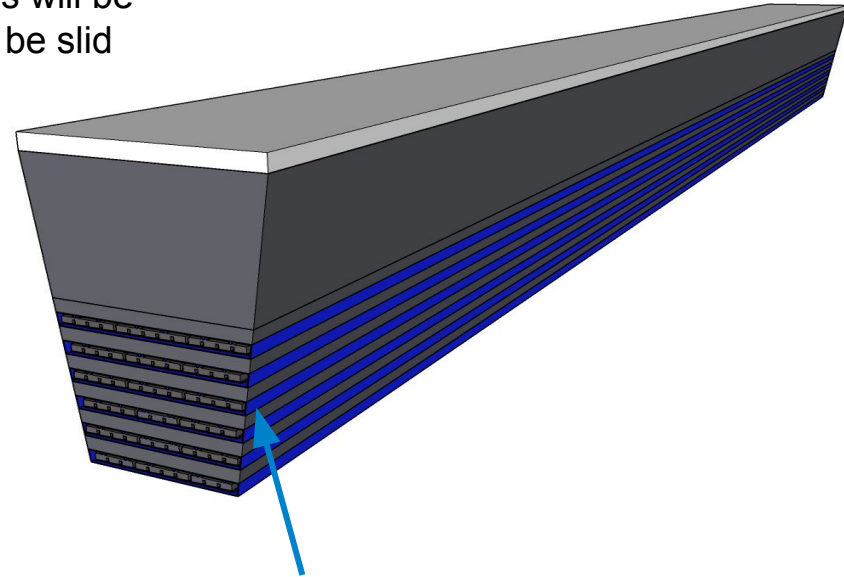
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## AstroPix **Module**

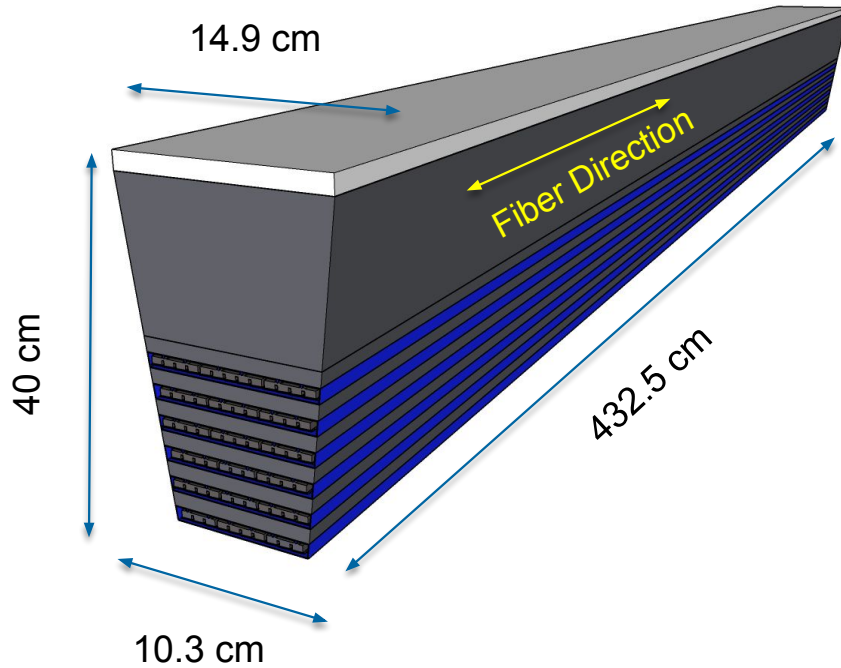
Subset of chips that will be mounted on one stave support structure



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# Dimensions

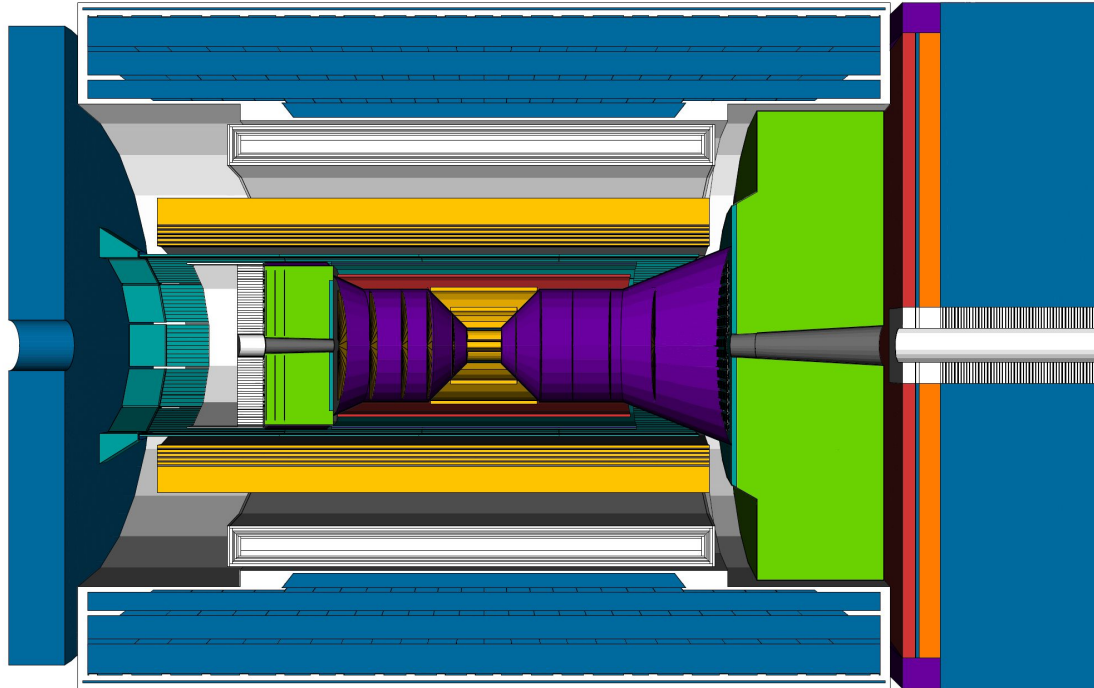


Dimensions at the current stage of the design

<b>inner barrel radius</b>	78.3 cm
<b>nb of sectors</b>	48
<b>length</b>	432.5 cm
<b>AstroPix slot thickness</b>	2 cm
<b>SciFi/Pb Layer 1-5 thickness</b>	2 cm
<b>Total weight</b>	~36 t
<b>1 sector weight</b>	~750 kg



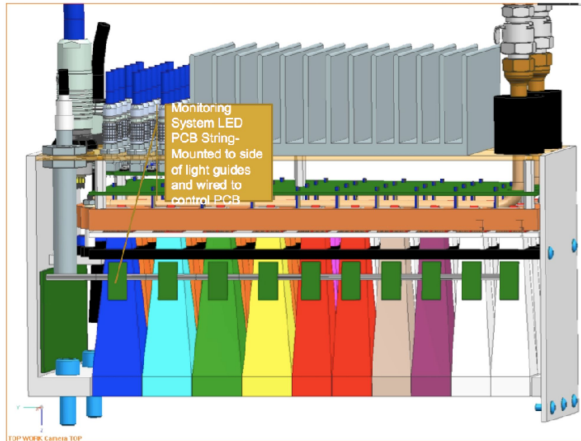
# Overall space considerations



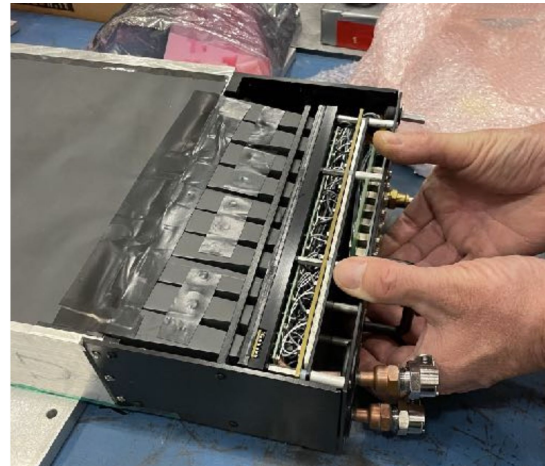
- Lots of space between the barrel EMCAL and the solenoid cryostat (~ 20 cm)
- Forward region under heavy pressure, space needed for:
  - Barrel EMCAL readout box
  - Inner detector services
  - Barrel EMCAL and inner detector support
  - dRICH
- Situation a bit more relaxed in the backward region

# GlueX BCAL Readout Design

- Pb/ScFi readout based on the GlueX BCAL readout
- Footprint excluding external connectors of GlueX BCAL readout box about 14cm
  - Dominated by light guides (~ 8 cm)
- We will likely be able to shrink this somewhat to < 12 cm
  - Space pressure in the forward direction, where space is limited.

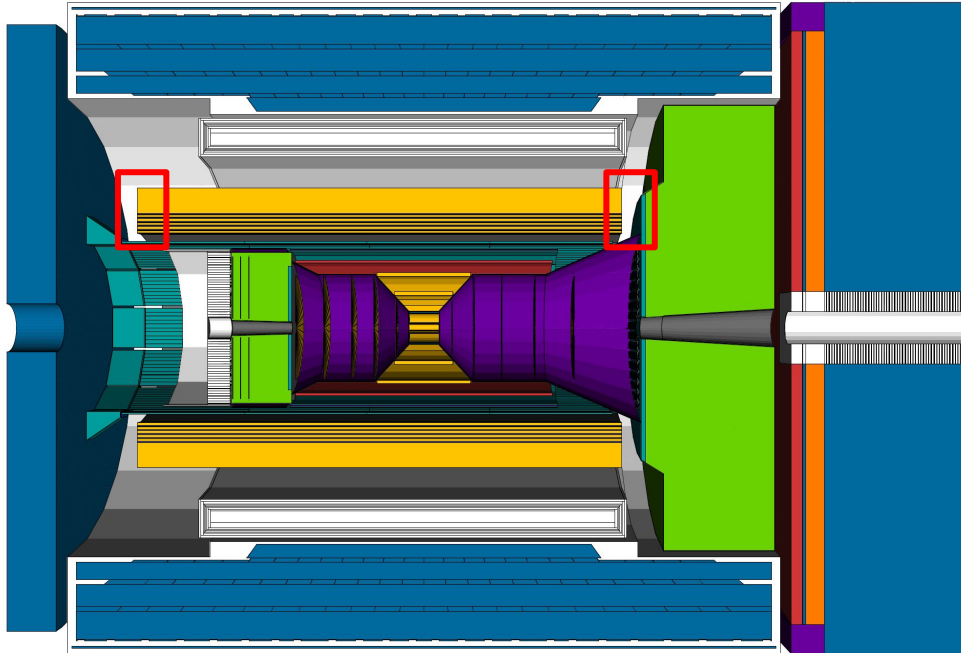


CAD drawing of GlueX readout box



“BabyBCAL” prototype readout box

# Barrel ECal Readout & Services



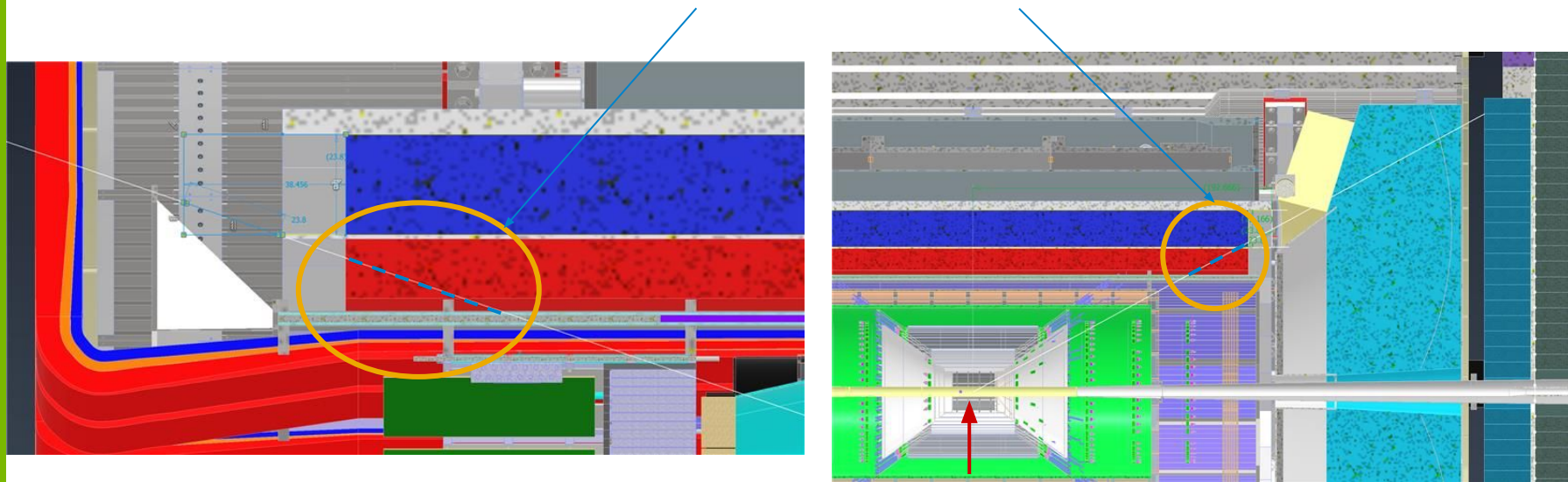
- Nominal 10cm service box at the end of each sector, may have to grow slightly
  - This would put (more) space pressure in the hadron-going direction.
  - May need to shorten calorimeter by a few cm to compensate
- Readout box includes:
  - Pb/ScFi readout components based on the GlueX design (including light-monitoring system)
  - 4 6x6mm<sup>2</sup> SiPMs with 50 um pixel per lightguide (“project” Hamatsu meets the performance requirements)
  - 1 x HGCROC per sector-end for SiPM readout
  - End-of-tray FPGAs for each of the silicon layers
- Readout boxes at both sides of the calorimeter are identical.

How is your system integrated with the overall ePIC design, i.e., what is the envelope occupied, is there possibly overlap with other subsystems, and is the design consolidated, ...

From Menagerie Tables:

- negative ecal front face at z -174 cm, up to r = 63 cm
- positive ecal front face at z 329.5 cm, up to r = 195 cm
- backward block size = 2 cm, forward module size = 2.5 cm

$\eta = -1.77$  and  $+1.31$  for those lines assuming *one block size less than maximum radius*



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