



DIRC Cosmic Ray Telescope

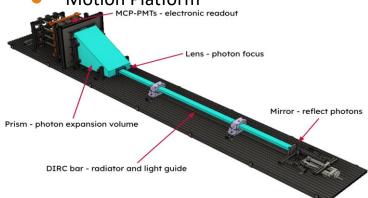
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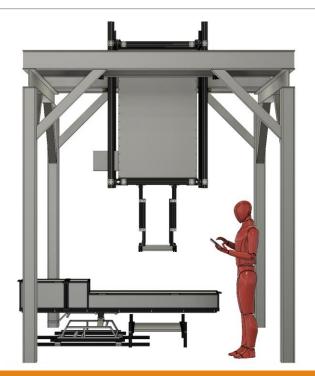


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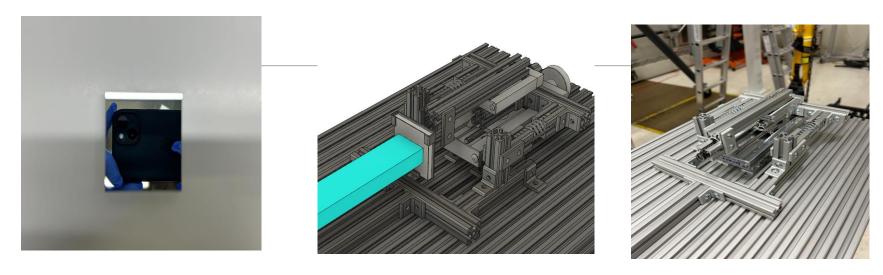
Cosmic Ray Telescope (CRT)

- CO₂ Cherenkov Momentum Threshold Tagger
- Particle trackers
- Timing detector
- DIRC materials & Dark box
- Readout
- Motion Platform





Mirror and Linear actuators



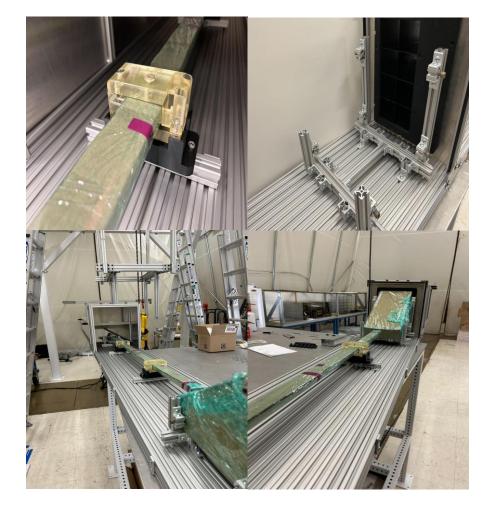
UV enhanced mirror

Linear actuator, CAD and in reality

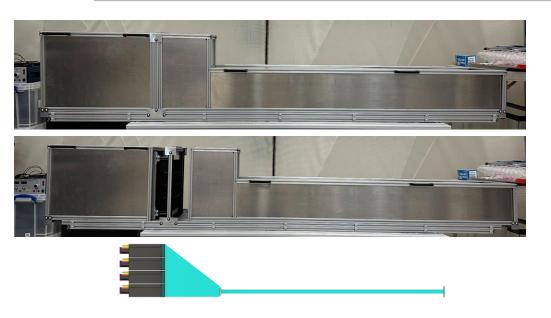
- UV enhanced mirror to reflect the Cherenkov photons
- Linear actuators to move the mirror and the bar

Support for Bar and Expansion volume

- Horse shoe holders for the bars
- 3D printed support structure for horse shoe holders
- Peek pins to hold the expansion volume



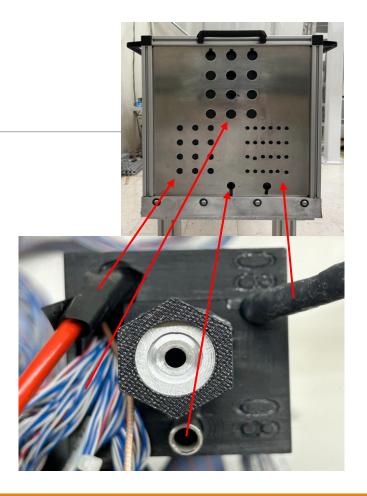
The Dark box



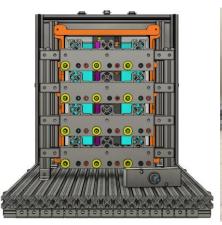
- The general design for the dark box consists of two lids and a base.
- The two lids, one for the readout and one for the bar/prism setup.
- The box needs to be lighttight

Outer Panel

- Each MCP-PMT has
 - HV supply
 - LV supply for pre-amplifier
 - Signal cables
 - Cooling
 - Holes to press against the expansion volume.
- The outer panel is made to have provision for 12 MCP-PMTs



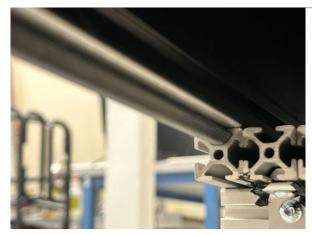
Inner panel

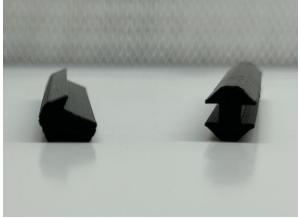




- Inner panel holds the wiring and cables from the MCP-PMT
- The panel mount connectors will avoid any accidental pull on the MCP-PMT

Sealing of the box

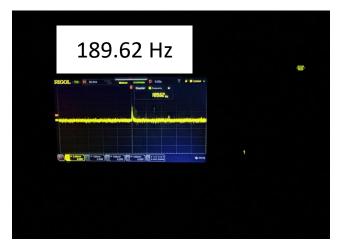


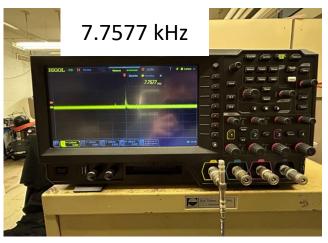




- Black sealant was applied to seal corners, base and sides
- Tedlar papers to cover the inside the box.
- Used 3D printed black strips as well as aluminum panel covers for the gaps between lids and base

Testing of the box





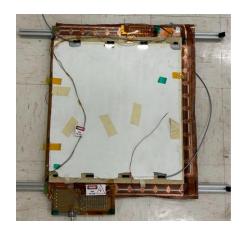
- Used an MCP-PMT as a light sensor for light leak test
- With the lights off we had a frequency of about 200 Hz
- Lights on we had a frequency of about 8 kHz.
- Need to find and seal the box

Motion test

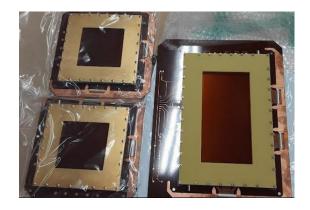
- The box will rest on a motion platform which we will use to rotate the bar to various angles in the pitch and roll degrees of freedom.
- This will allow us to test incident muons at different angles of entry.



Cosmic muon tracking



GEM, 50 cm x 50 cm Borrowed from UVa

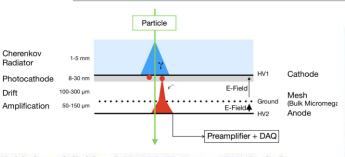


μ-RWELLs 10 cm x 10 cm, 20 cm x 10 cm

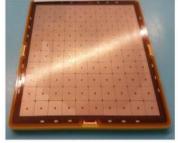


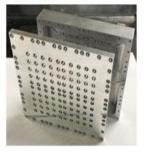
Cosmic muon tracker

Timing detector for CRT



Large 100-pad prototypes (Micromegas & μRWELL)





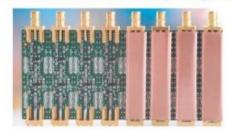
- CERN testbeam preliminary result ~23 ps
- K. Gnanvo, A.Pandey et al. will help us with the initial setup and running

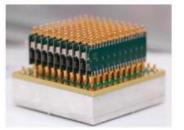
Multi channel digitizer SAMPIC (D. Breton, CEA Saclay)



https://indico.cern.ch/event/396441/contributions/183662 9/attachments/794757/1089389/02 SAMPIC Prague.pdf

Multi-channel custom-made pre-amplifier (M. Kovacic, U. of Zagreb)





Taken from slides by A. Pandey, JLab

Cosmic Muon momentum tagger



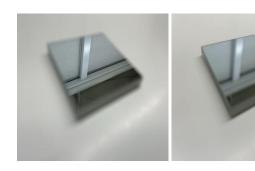


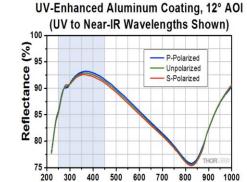
Future steps

- Configure the DAQ system to communicate with desktop.
- Improve light sealing
- Install Detectors
- Synchronization of different DAQ systems

Backup







Wavelength (nm)

