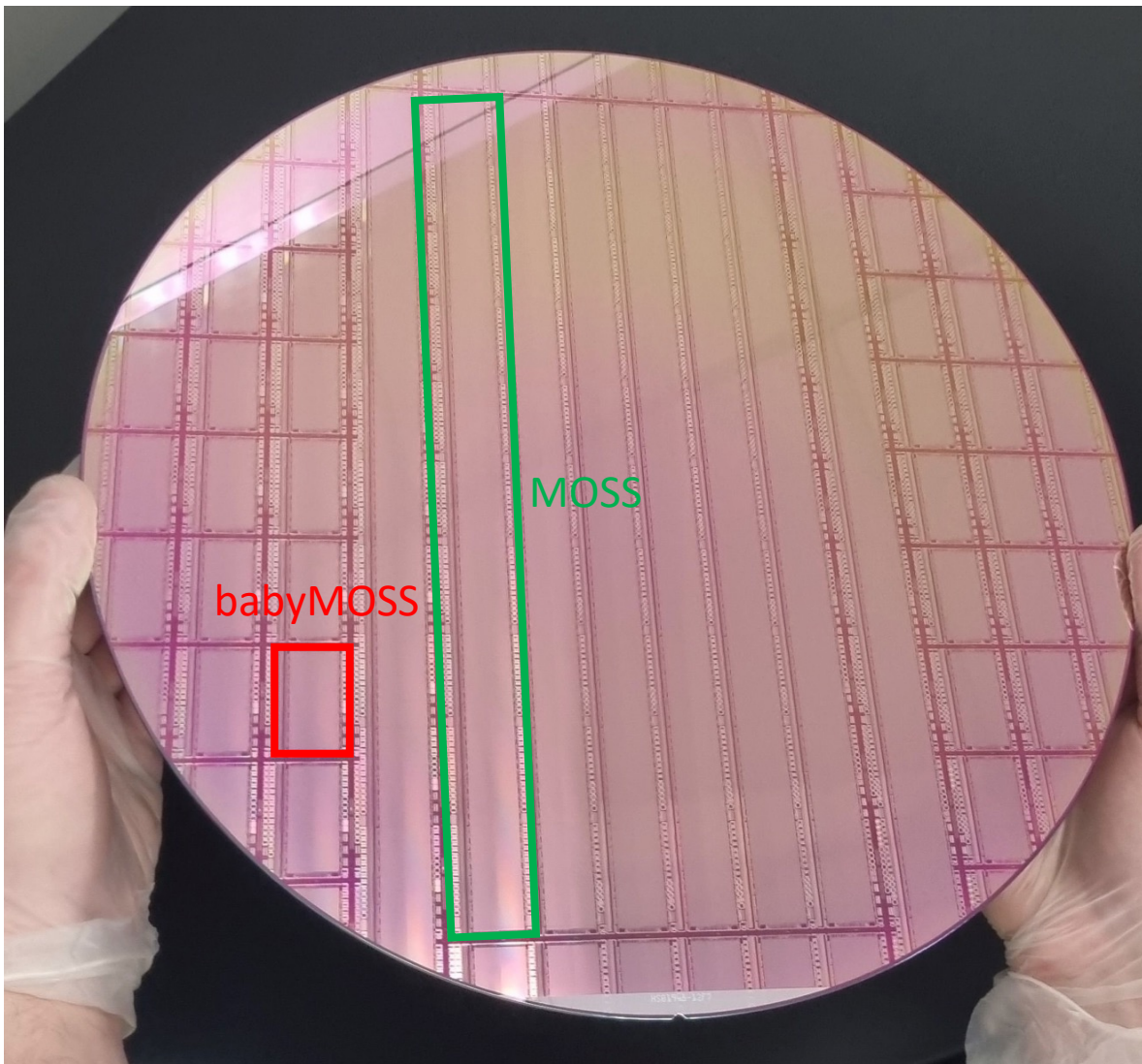


ER1 BabyMOSS Tests by LBL/UCB

- Beam Tests at FTBF and BASE -

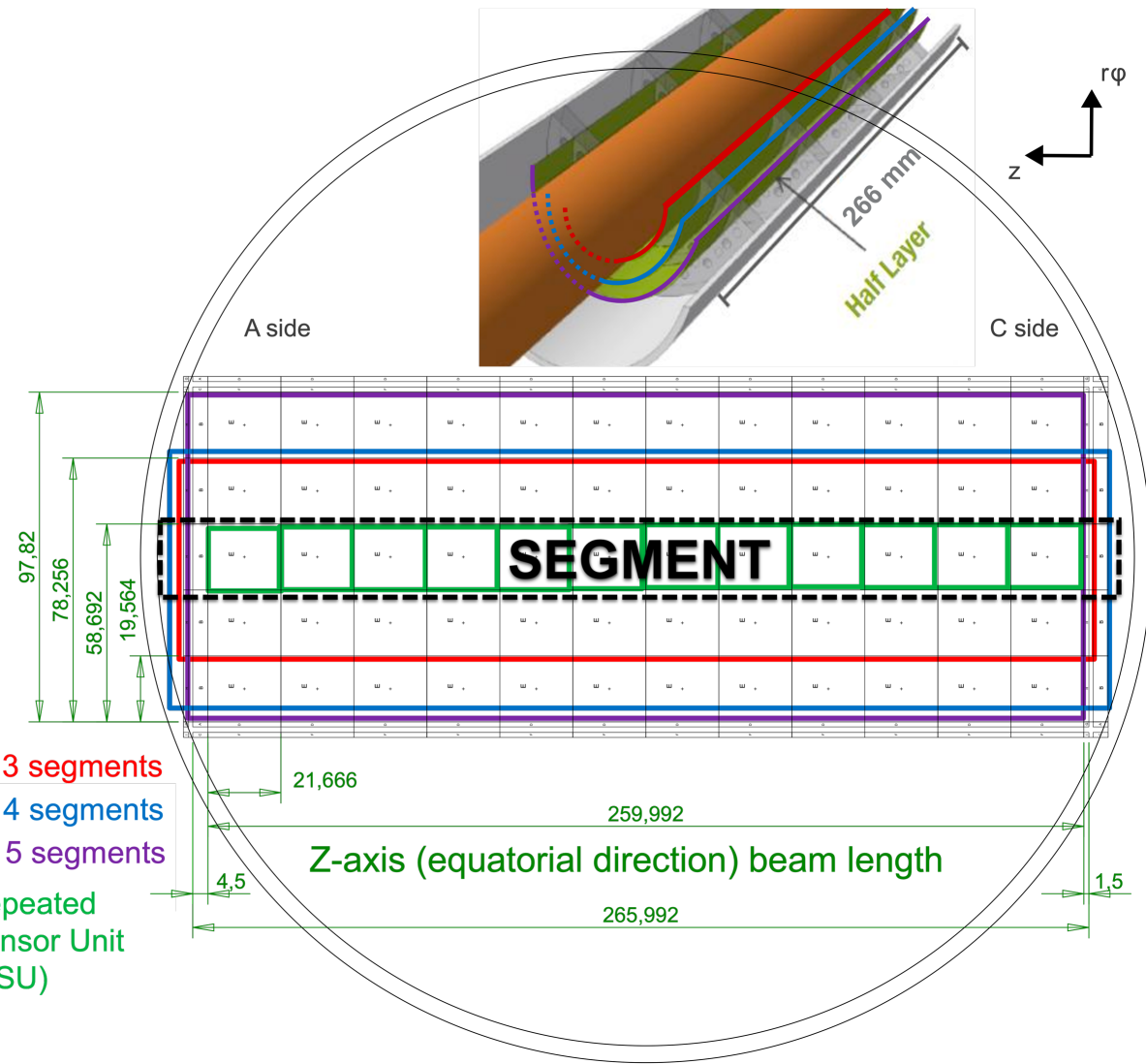
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LBL

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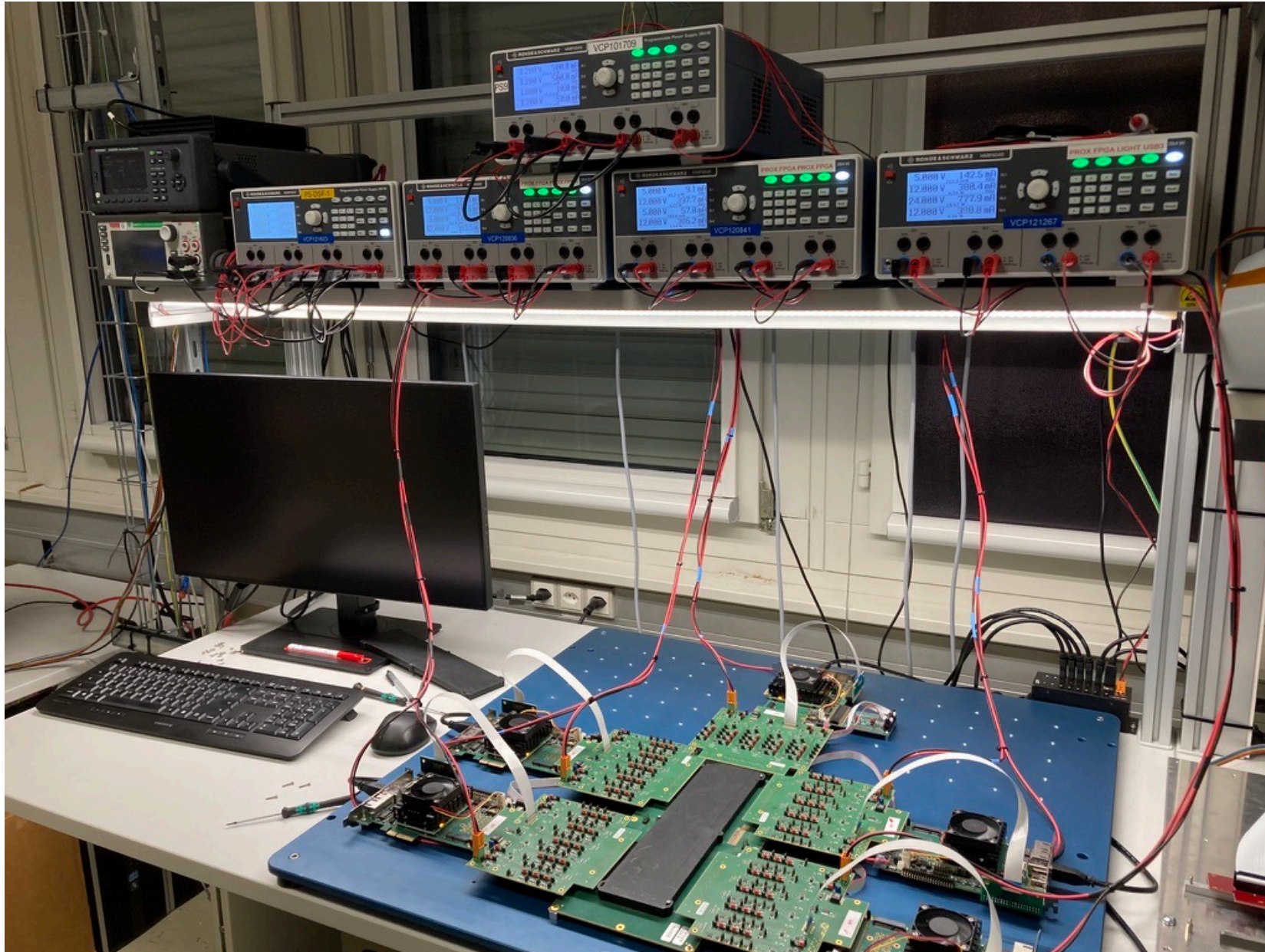


$R\phi$ (azimuthal direction)
folded around beam-pipe

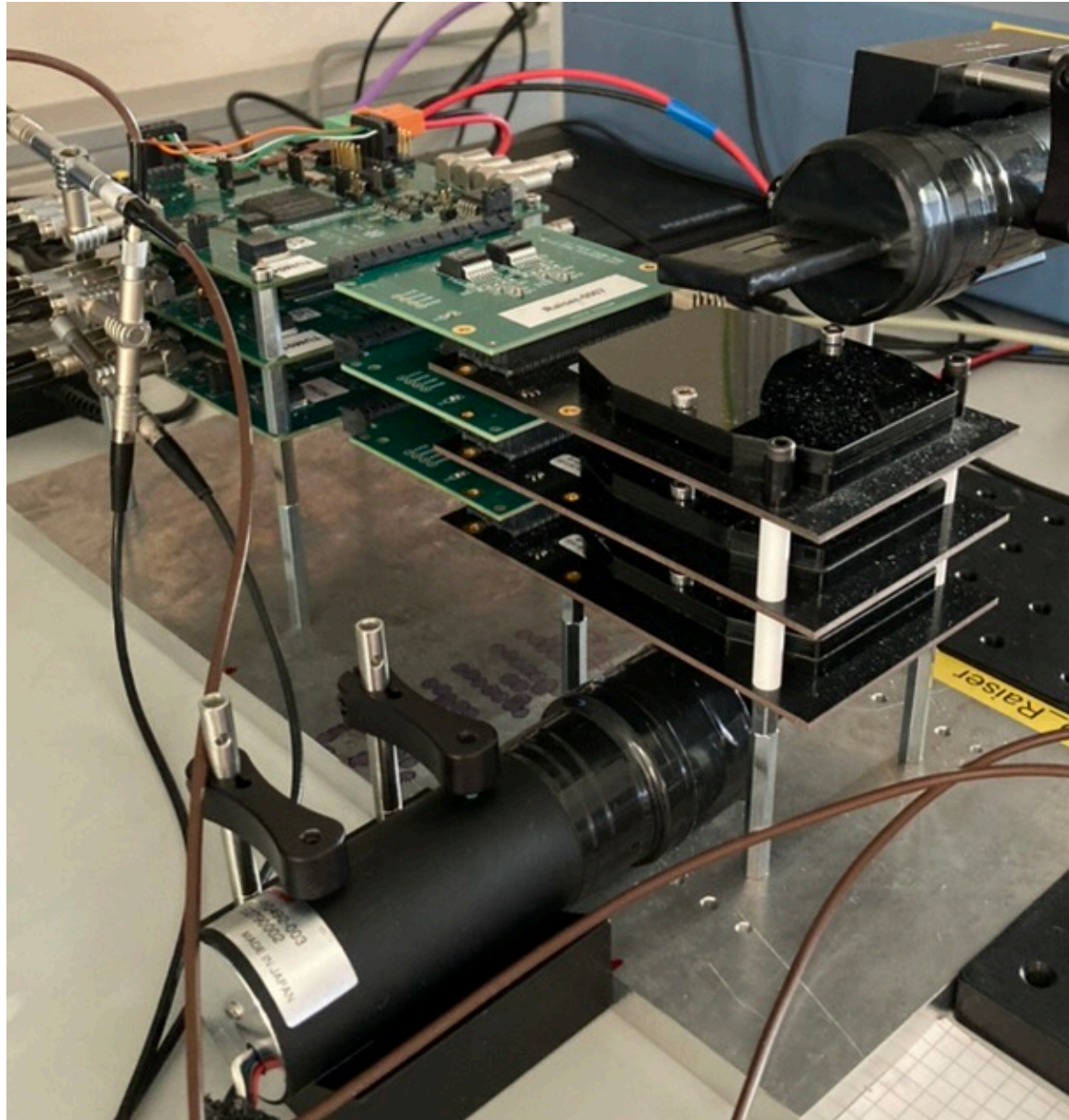
- Layer 0: 3 segments
- Layer 1: 4 segments
- Layer 2: 5 segments
- Repeated Sensor Unit (RSU)



ALICE ITS3 ER1 - MOSS



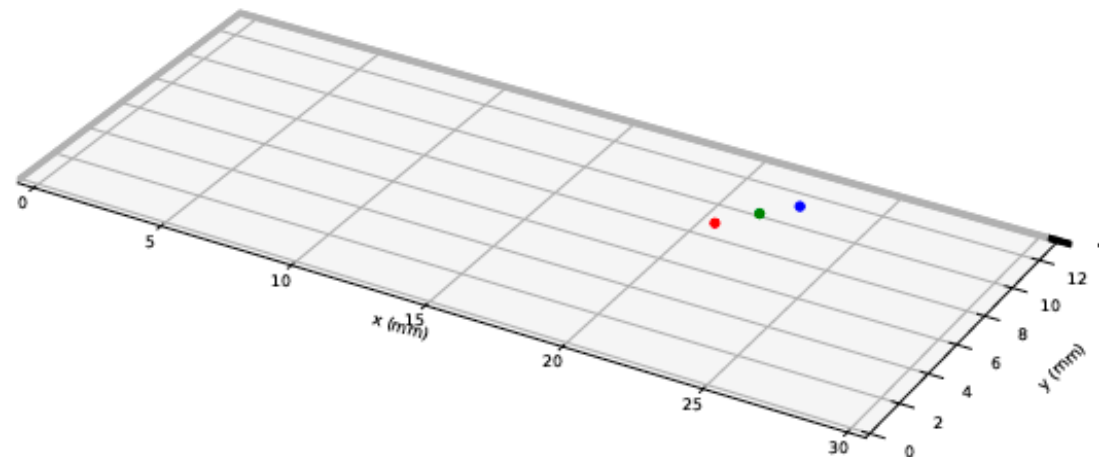
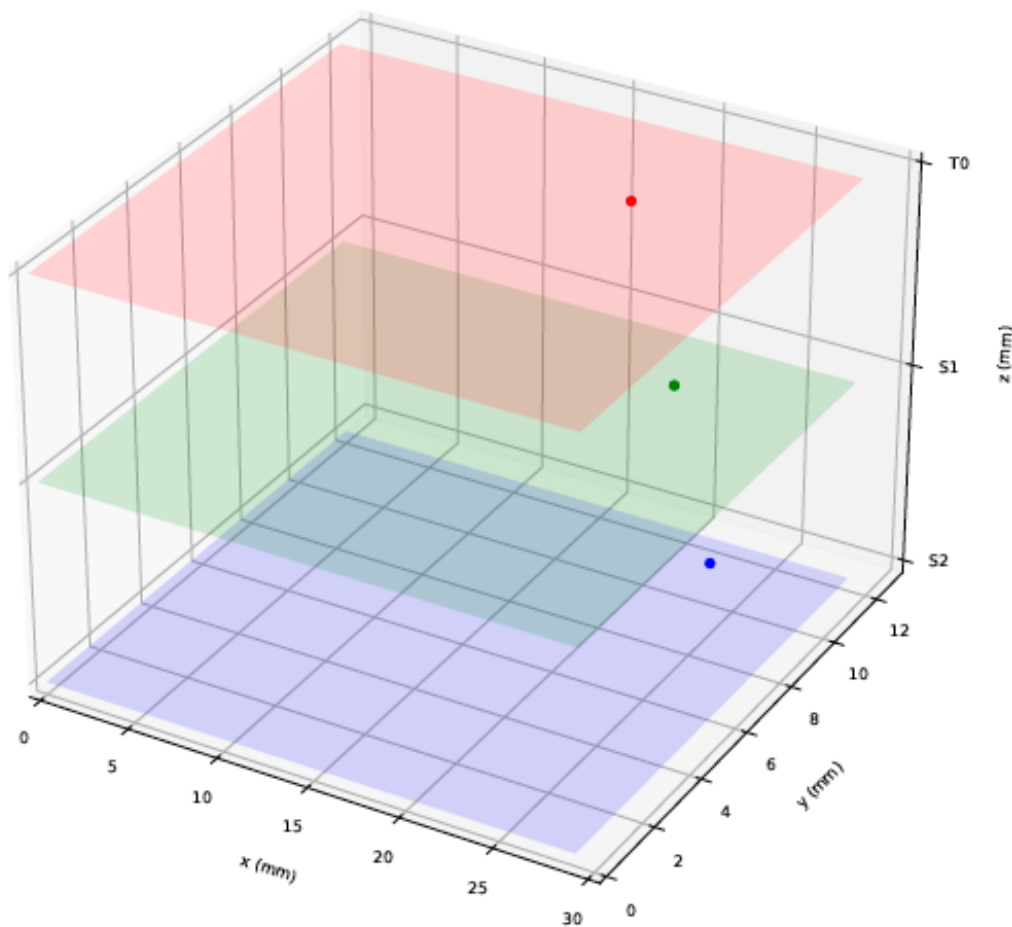
Baby Moss Telescope

Iaroslav Panasenکو (Lund), Zhenyu Ye (Berkeley)

- Changes to the baby-moss FW (and SW) to fix DAQ hanging problem with high trigger rate
 - The trigger module output is enabled only when busy is low
 - Also added a control register to the trigger module to enable/disable output
 - When event FIFO is full, raise the busy signal until FIFO is empty
- The system was tested ok with triggers from a pulse generator at 2 kHz (in prep. for beam)
- Assembled a baby-moss telescope for cosmic
 - 1 trigger board, 3 sets of baby-moss sensor + DAQ + raiser boards separated by ~ 2.3 cm each, 2 scintillators on top and below for triggering
 - The trigger and busy lines of the DAQ and trigger boards are daisy-chained together
 - Recorded $\sim 4k$ events at ~ 1.1 Hz over the weekend, $\sim 10\%$ having hits in all 3 sensors

Recorded Cosmic Events

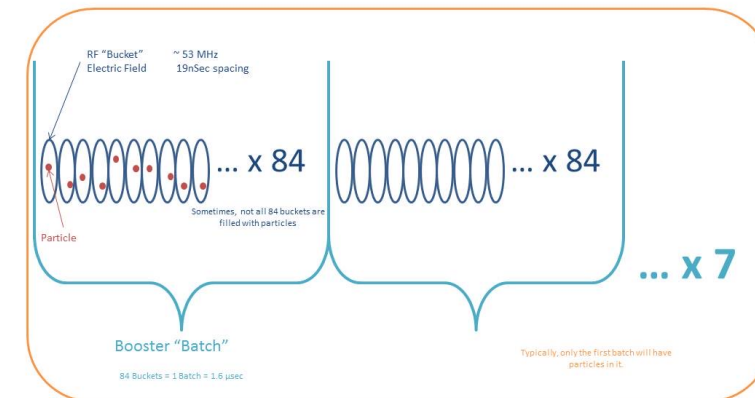
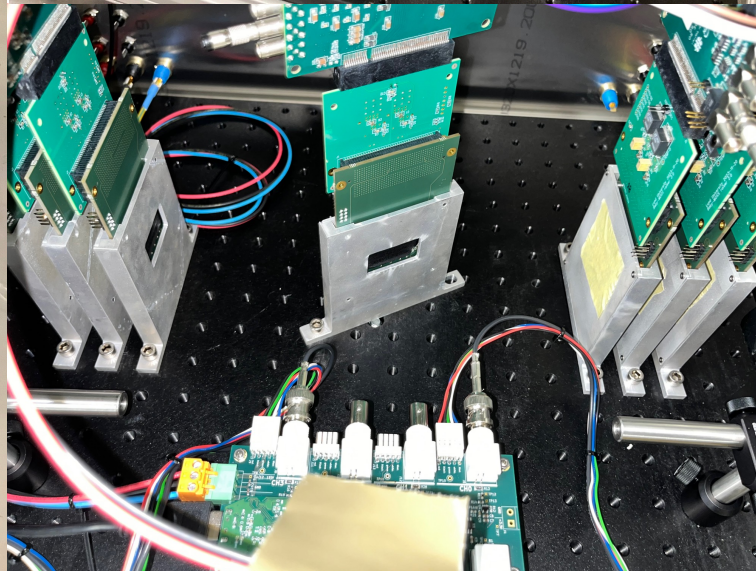
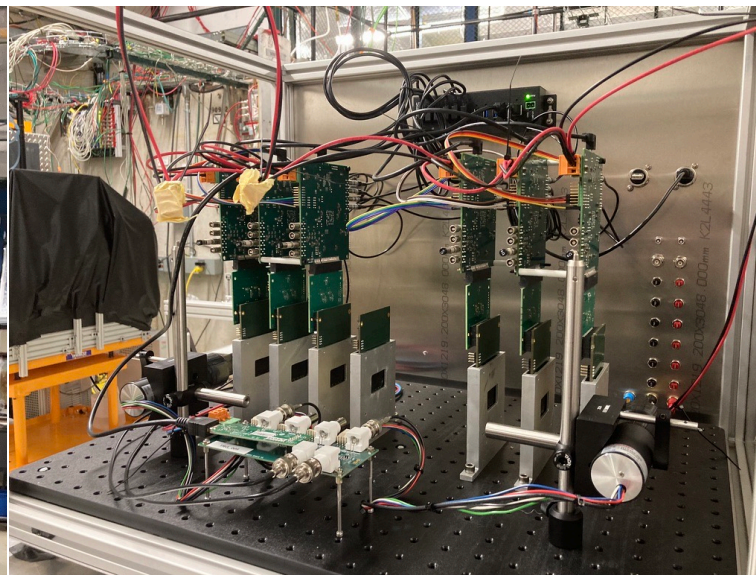
More can be found under [cosmic_event.pdf](#)



Very first event with hits in all 3 planes recorded on Feb 16, 2024

BabyMOSS Telescopes

Beam Telescope at FTBF

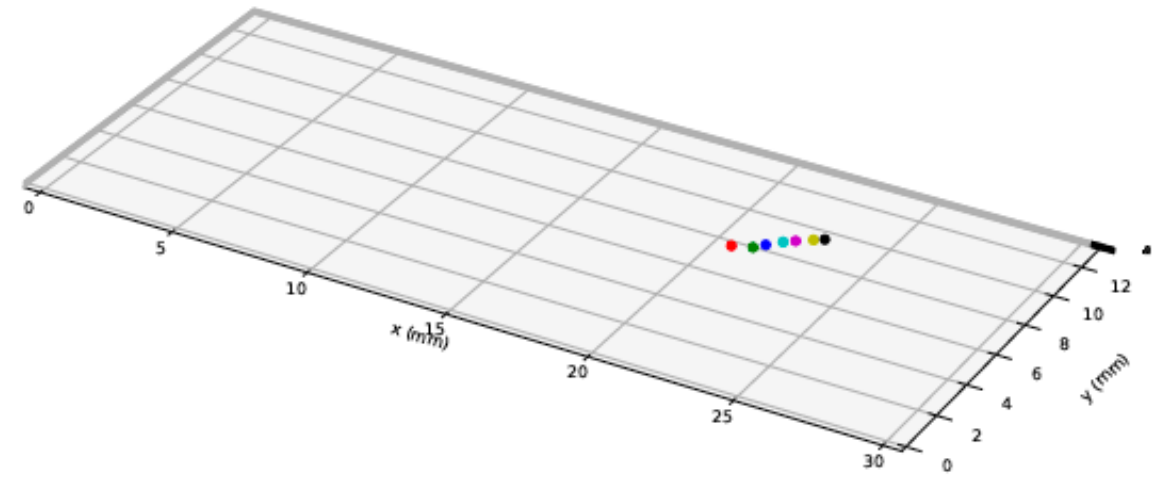
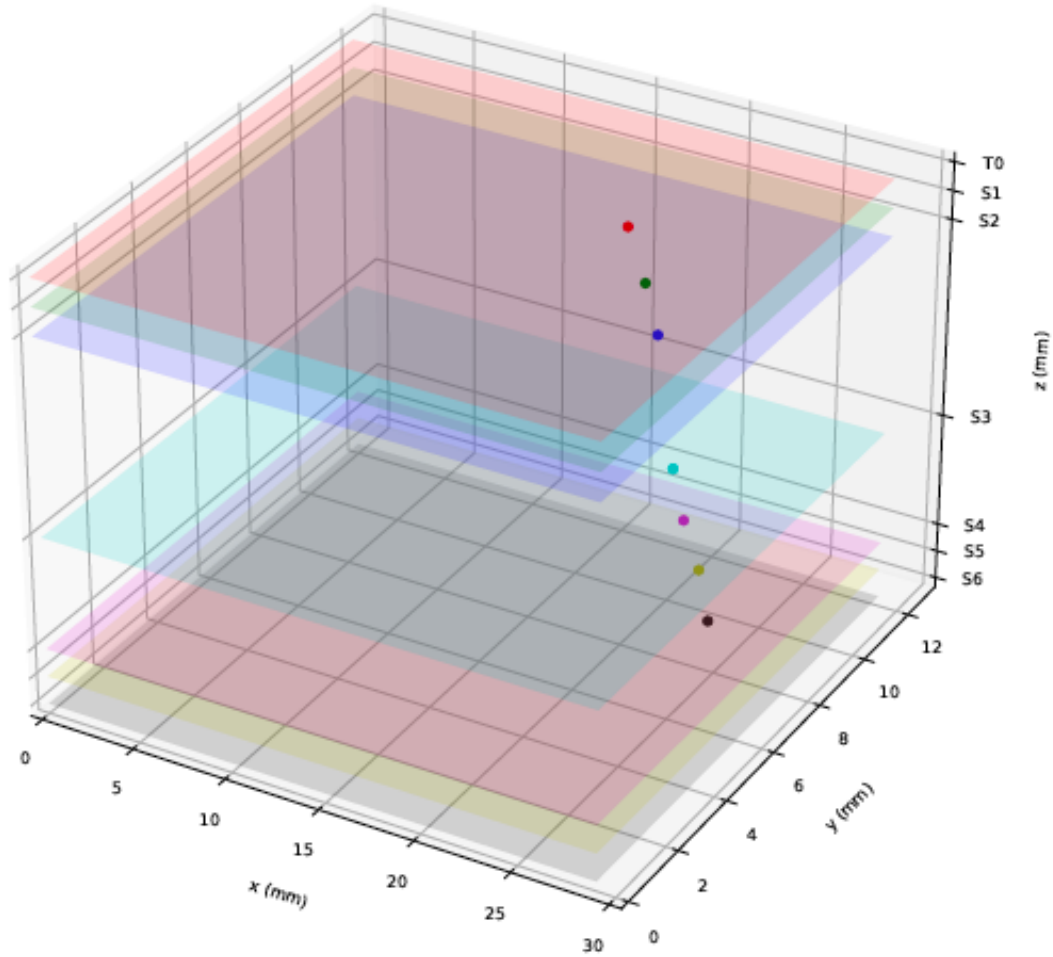


7 Batches = 1 MI Cycle = 11.2 microSec

- 19 nanoseconds = 1 RF bucket (53 MHz)
- 1.6 microseconds = size of booster (84 RF buckets), called a "batch"
- 11.2 microseconds = size of Main Injector cycle (7 Batches)
- 4.2 seconds = 1 spill (375k MI cycles)
- 60 seconds = approximate rep rate of spill

only one particle per Main Injector RF bucket would be extracted per rotation, but for intensities up to 100 kHz, double occupancy occurs 35% of the time and two particles are extracted instead. This percentage can increase at higher intensities.

Recorded FTBF Events

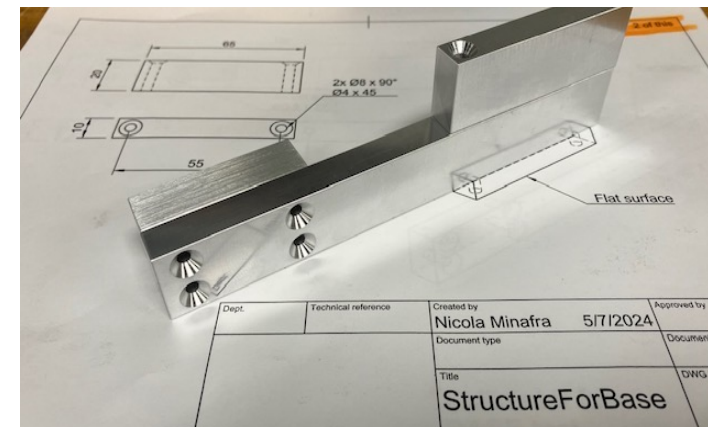
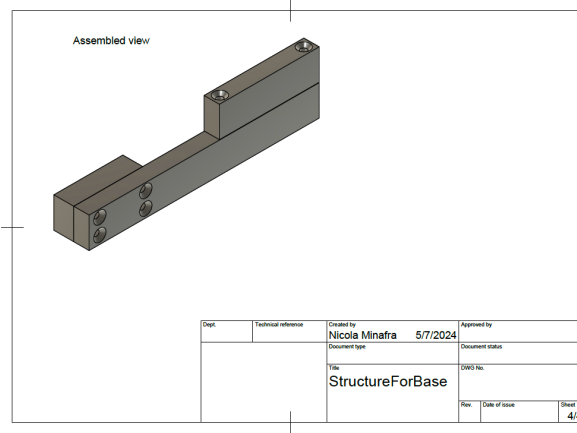


BabyMOSS at Fermilab Test Beam Facility

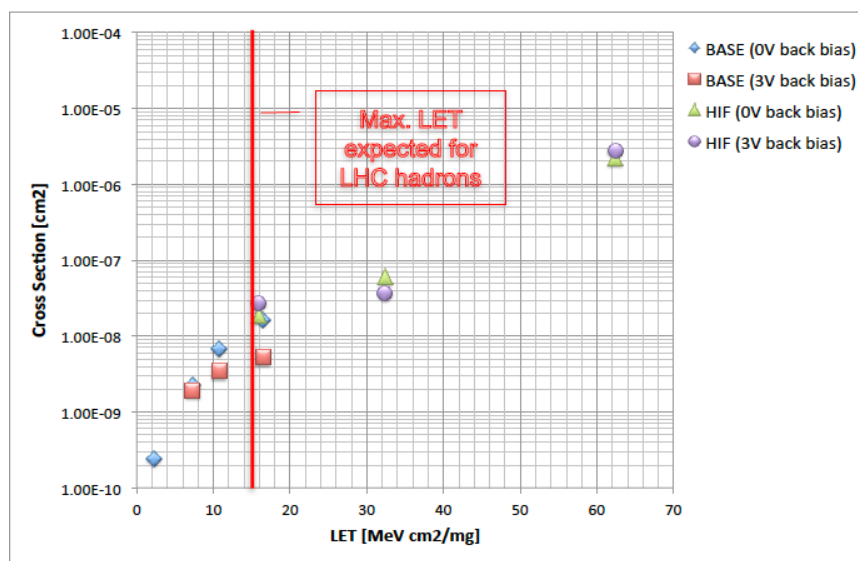
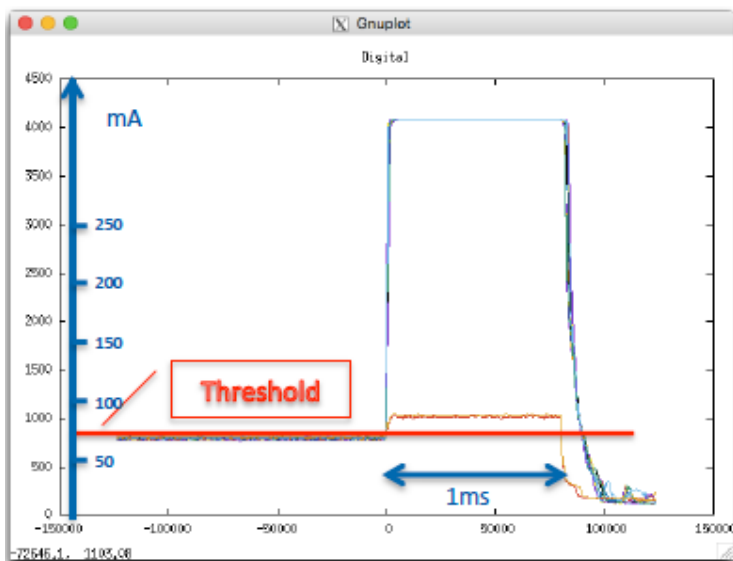
- **LBL/UCB: Tucker Hwang, Zhenyu Ye; UIC: Danush Shekar**
- **Schedule**
 - ✓ **4/15-4/16: initial check at CERN (Iaroslav, ZY)**
 - ✓ **Verified the status of babyMOSS's**
 - ✓ **4/29-5/1: check at LBL**
 - ✓ **Verified the status of babyMOSS, DAQ and raiser boards, trigger board, PMTs and scintillators, PS, DAQ PC**
 - ✓ **5/2-5/7: assemble the telescope**
 - ✓ **Received the telescope box from UIC machine shop**
 - ✓ **Assembled babyMOSS and trigger detectors**
 - ✓ **Verified all the parts are in-hand and working**
 - ✓ **5/8-5/21: install and commission telescope at FTBF**
 - ✓ **Using standalone codes**
 - ✓ **5/22-5/28: take and analyze data as primary user**
 - ✓ **Efficiency, fake rate, spatial resolution**
 - ✓ **Cluster size as a function of incident angle**
 - **6/26-7/2: take data as primary user**
 - **Add LGAD+ETROC2 planes as timing reference for future beam tests**

BabyMOSS SEL Test at BASE - Objectives

- Identify SEL-sensitive areas on the babyMOSS using motion-controlled collimators



- Measure SEL cross-section as a function of linear energy transfer (below are measurements done on ALPIDE)



Ref: Hartmut Hillemanns @ CERN
LHC Radiation Effects Symposium 2018

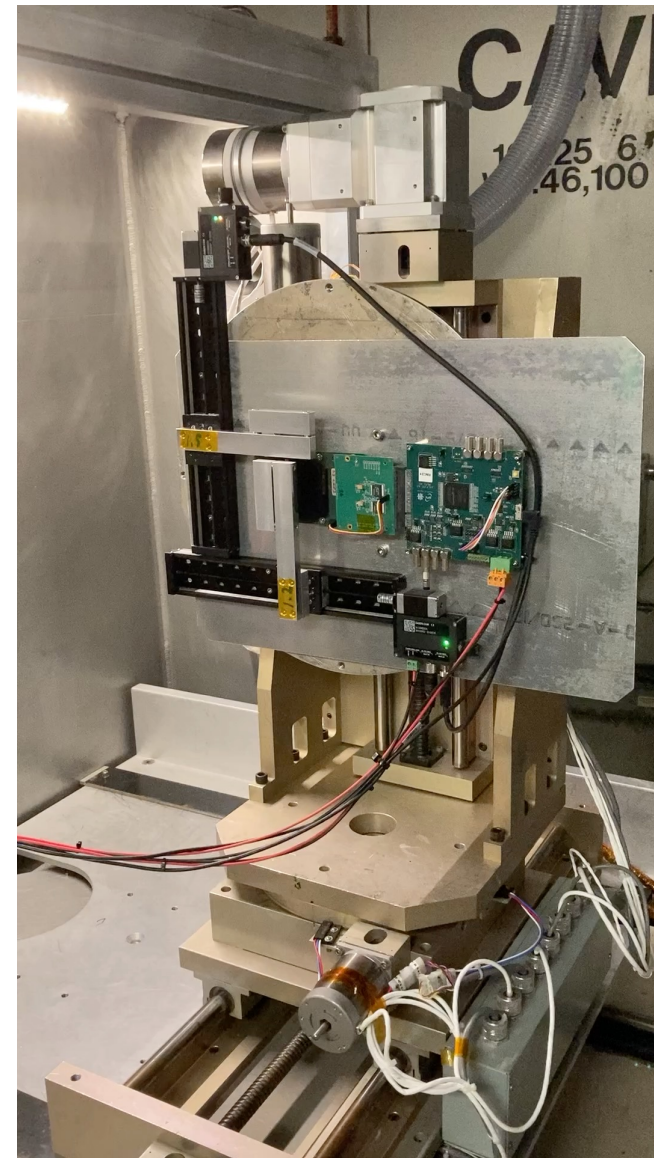
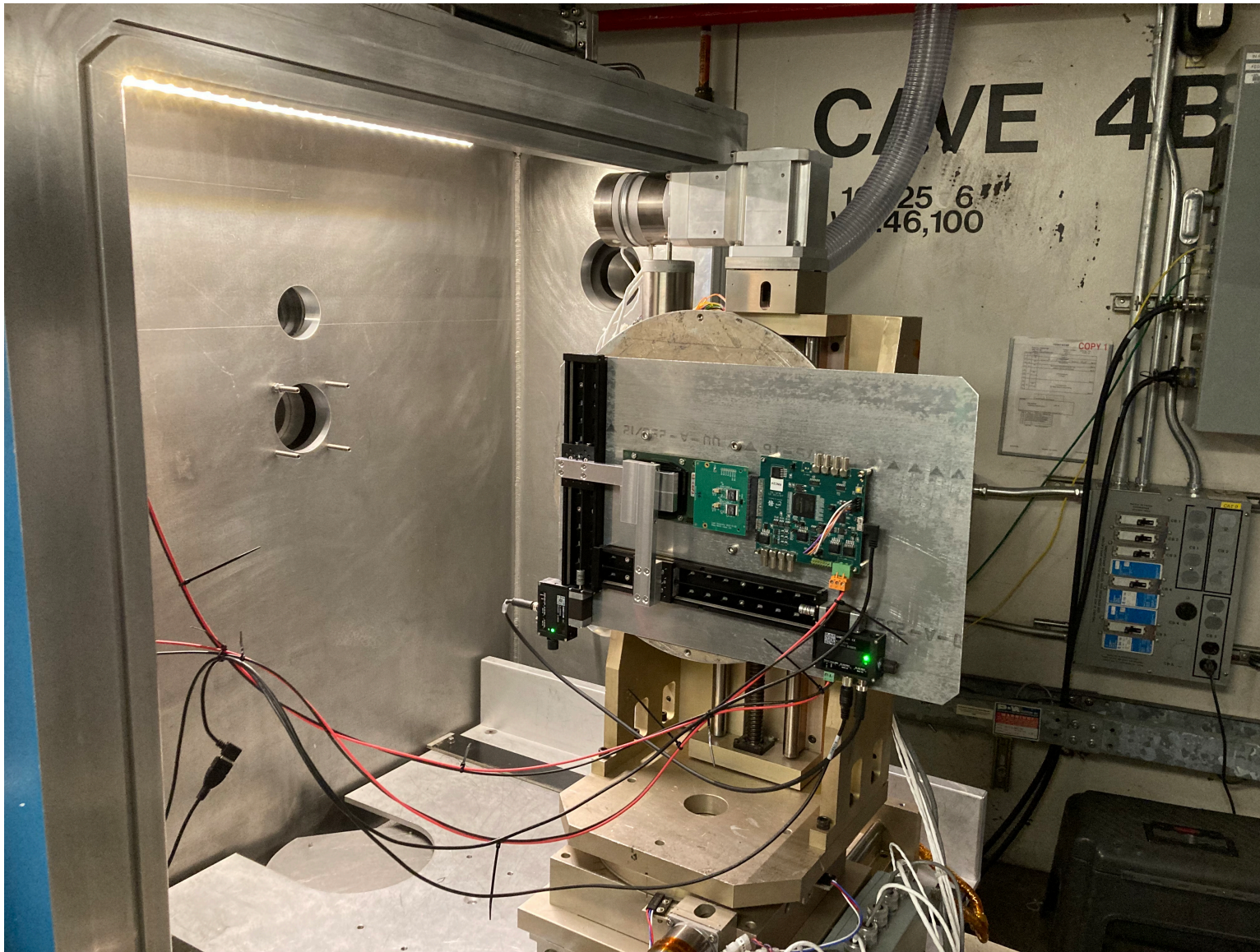
Berkeley Accelerator Radiation Facility

- Berkeley Accelerator Space Effects Facility, LBNL <https://cyclotron.lbl.gov/base-rad-effects>
 - Heavy ions with fluxes up to $10^7 \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$ and LET between 1-100 MeV/(mg/cm²)

Ion	Cocktail (AMeV)	Energy (MeV)	Z	A	LET (Entrance) (MeV/mg/cm2)	Range in Si (Max) (μm)
B	10	108.01	5	11	0.89	307.2
O	10	183.47	8	18	2.19	222.2
Ne	10	216.28	10	22	3.49	166.1
Si	10	291.77	14	29	6.09	132.1
Ar	10	400.00	18	40	9.74	116.6
V	10	508.27	23	51	14.59	93.9
Cu	10	659.19	29	65	21.17	84.6
Kr	10	885.59	36	86	30.86	84.1
Y	10	928.49	39	89	34.73	68.9
Ag	10	1111.92	47	107	46.92	60.5
Xe	10	1232.55	54	124	58.78	49.0
Au*	10	1955.87	79	197	86.38	54.8

- Proton and neutron beams are also available for SEE, TID, and NIEL studies

BabyMOSS SEL Tests at BASE – Setup



BabyMOSS SEL Tests at BASE - Schedule

- **LBL/UCB: Anjali Nambrath, Barak Schmookler, Barbara Jacak, Emma Yeats, Zhenyu Ye**
- **CERN: Hartmut Hillemanns; KU: Nicola Minafra**
- **Schedule:**
 - **May 22**
 - 07:00-16:00 installation and commissioning
 - **May 23-24**
 - 08:00-11:30 beam tuning
 - 11:35-11:50 $4 \times 10^3 \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$ Xe beam with maximum intensity limited by contaminations
 - 12:10-16:40 Y beam with intensity up to $2 \times 10^5 \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$
 - 17:30-08:30 Xe beam with intensity up to $4 \times 10^5 \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$
 - 17:30-03:00 scan in X-Y with 1.5-mm collimator gap in X and 1.2-mm collimator gap in Y
 - 03:00-04:30 reduce the collimator gap sizes
 - 04:30-08:30 scan in X-Y with 0.2-mm collimator gap in X and 0.2-mm collimator gap in Y
 - **July 1**
 - 12:00-16:00 installation and beam tuning
 - 16:00-20:00 measure SEL cross-section as a function of LETs with different ion beams
 - 20:00-24:00 scan in X-Y with 0.2-mm collimator gap in X and 0.2-mm collimator gap in Y with Xe beam

Summary and Outlook

- **Beam Tests at Fermilab Test Beam Facility**
 - Commissioned a 7-plane babyMOSS telescope and took data with 120 GeV protons at FTBF
 - Spatial resolution consistent with expectation
 - Studied cluster size dependence on incident angle
 - Next steps:
 - Finish data analysis and report the findings
 - Prepare for 2nd beam test on June 26-July 2 with the addition of DC-LGAD+ETROC2 planes
 - (AC-LGAD) Test beam in the Fall – options at DESY, FTBF, Jlab being considered
- **SEL Tests at Berkeley Accelerator Space Effects Facility**
 - Searched for SEL-sensitive areas on babyMOSS with motion-controlled collimators
 - Next steps:
 - Finish data analysis and report the findings
 - Complete the X-Y position and LET scans on July 1 (~8 hours)