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But, don't worry... I will mention scheduling!





FIELD TRIP



PREX2/CREX Before and After



Pb/Ca target system / scattering chamber

Collimator (with cooling)

- Septum magnet
- Lots of shielding!
- Access platform

Chandan and Don to present results today!

Gone... with help from our friends in target group and RadCon



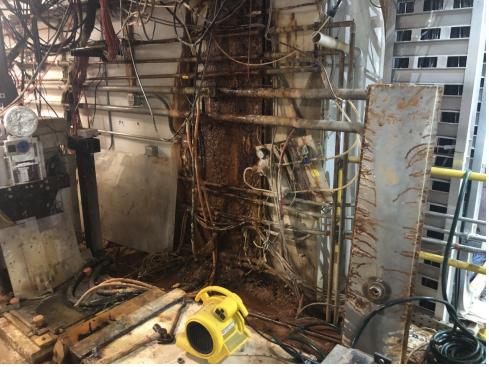
Hall maintenance and upgrades –

Example: repair groundwater leak near Compton



Before

After



SAD provides opportunity to fix longstanding problem(s)

Working with facilities



Hall maintenance and upgrades – power and water



Before

After

Remove tritium vent LCW upgrade 2MVA power upgrade

Replace main AHU

Decommission HRS-R



De-sting U-tubes



Close proximity requires full PPE

COVID restrictions carefully followed



Outside of the Hall: SBS GEM Testing





EEL 124 Clean Room Assembly....

....and Testing

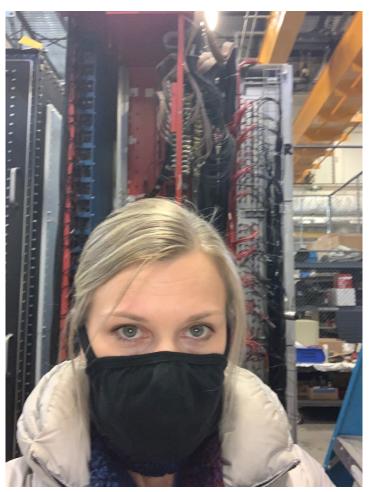
These are the UVA SBS GEMs, also have INFN SBS GEMs



Some GEMs going into BigBite

Ezekiel working on the frames

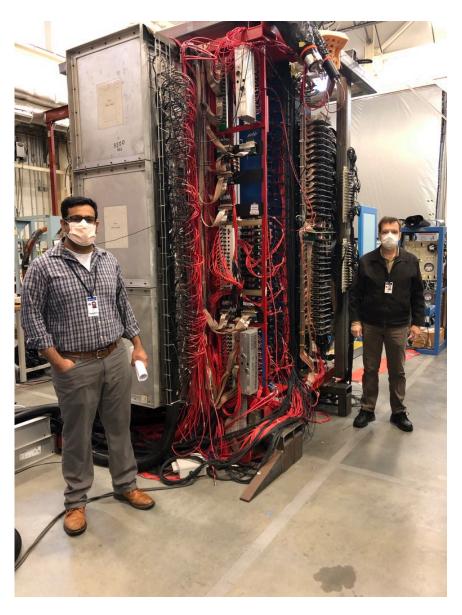




Holly testing DAQ



Staff and users working (carefully under COVID restrictions) on BigBite upgrade



Arun Tadepalli and Chuck Long (JLab)

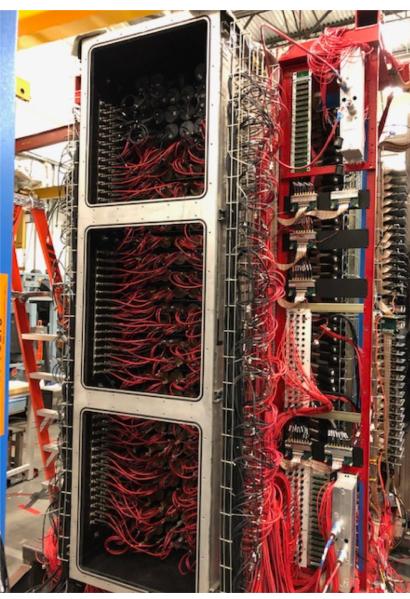


Ralph Marinaro (Glasgow) and Maria Satnik (William and Mary)

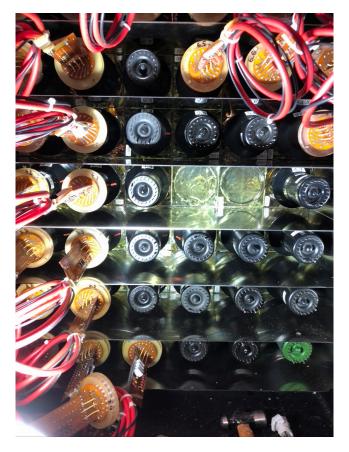
Shower counter refurbishment



Shower stacking with more efficient blocks and mumetal plates

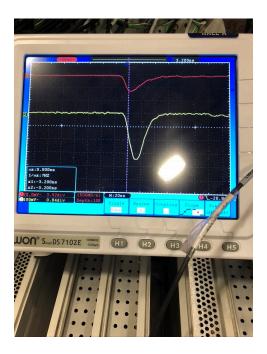


Inside the shower



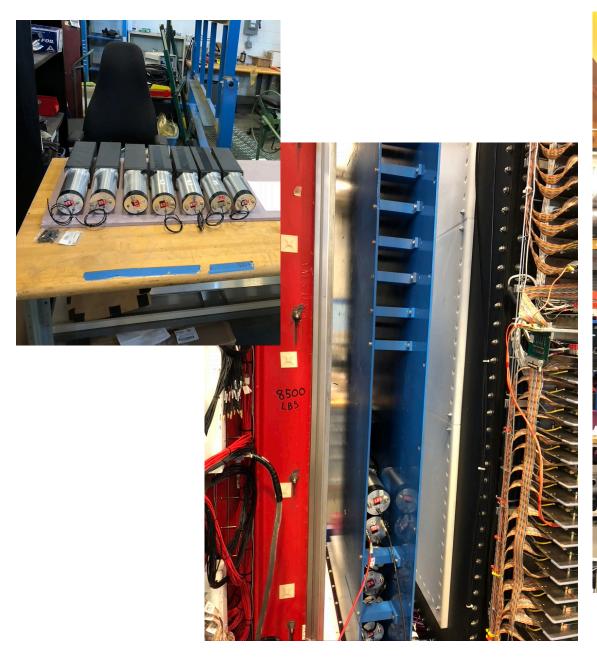


Applying UV curing light to cure the epoxy



Red = signal from 5.6 top layer Yellow = signal from 4.6 from the replaced PMT

Preshower stacking





Lots of cabling!







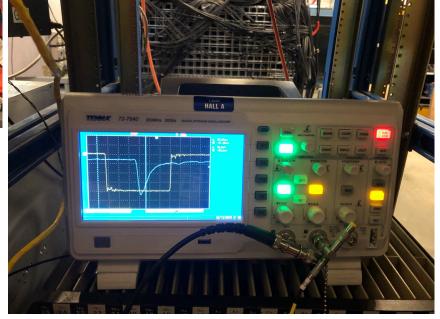
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BigBite weldment and DAQ

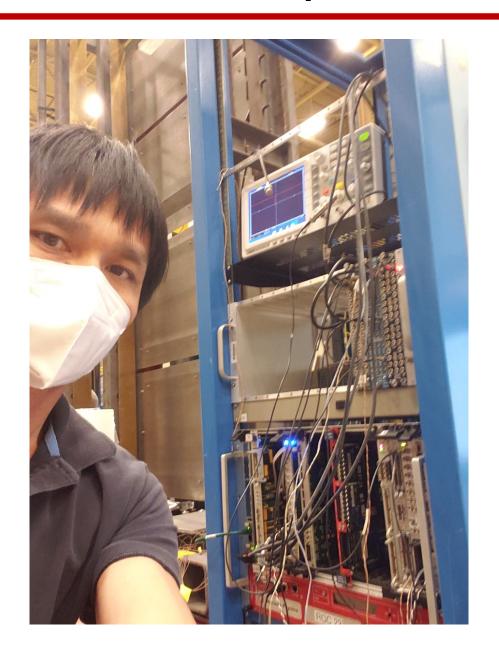


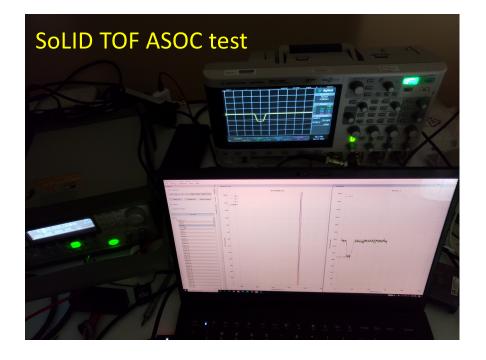


Yellow – gate from Fastbus Blue – timed raw signal from one of the blocks relative to the gate



General data acquisition installation/testing...

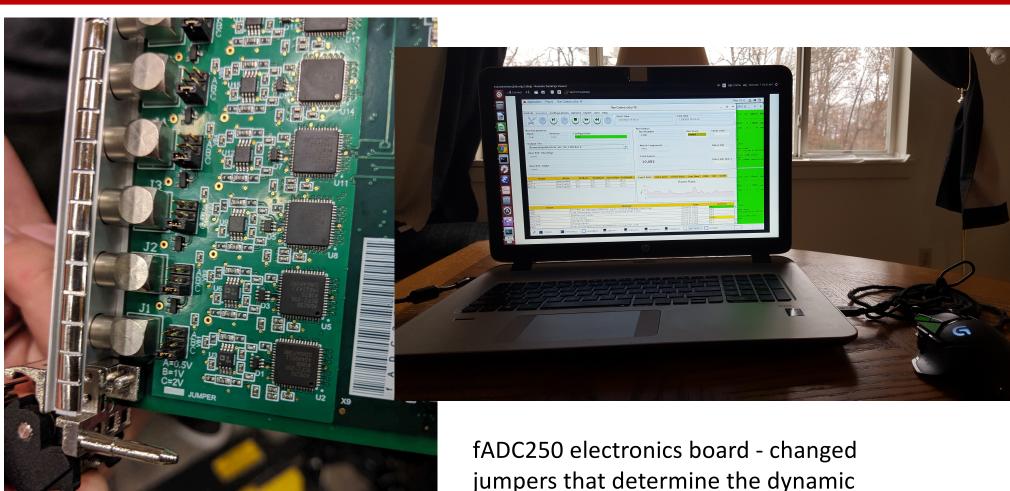




DAQ:MULTIPLE set ups at lab
Tests in part at home



HCal



jumpers that determine the dynamic range to all be 2 Volts

Fully remote cosmic testing at home!



...and more!



Cdet (Ralph Marinaro)



SoLID MAROC (Bishnu Karkey)



To the future...





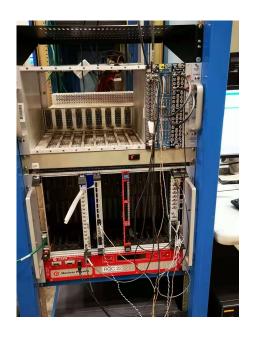
Polarized ³He target out of Hall C, in laser lab preparing for SBS G_Eⁿ



SoLID ECal Testing (in test lab)









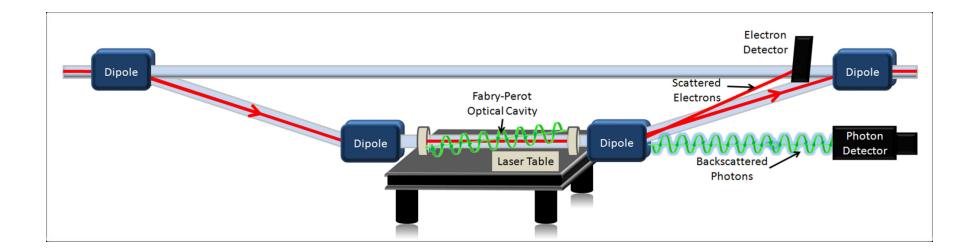
3 ECal (Shashlik) Modules

Pre-Shower Stand

DAQ Seup

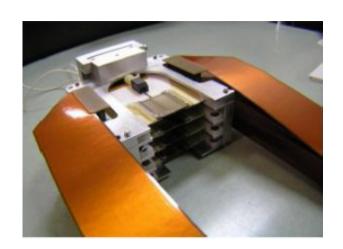
Test Setup

Precision Polarimetry in Halls A and C – preparing for MOLLER



HIPPOL capital equipment project goal: achieve similar capabilities in Compton polarimetry in Halls A and C

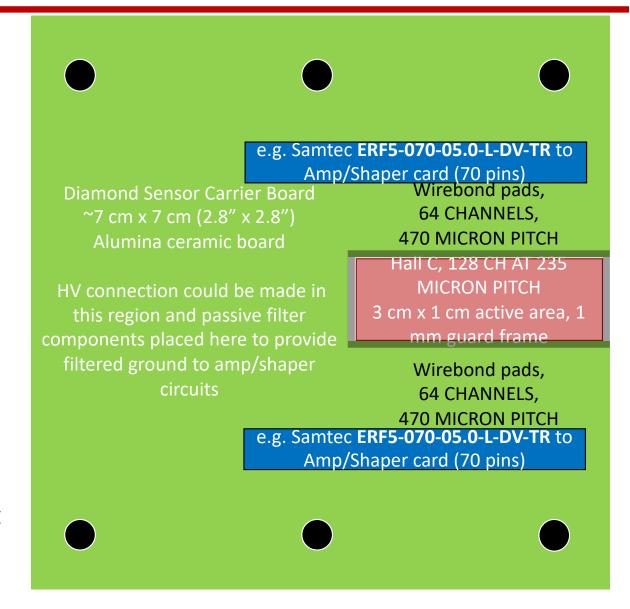
- Improved laser system in Hall C → seed laser, fiber amplifier purchased
- 2. Update Hall C electron detector DAQ → VETROCs, VXS crate in hand, VETROCs used/commissioned during CREX
- 3. Larger electron detector in Hall C and new detector for Hall A (diamond)





Hall A and C Electron Detectors

- Working towards common Hall A/C design
- → 3 cm tall detectors needed for Hall C
- → 6 cm in Hall A → 2 Hall C detectors stacked vertically?
- Pricing information in hand for diamond substrates
- Talking to University groups, vendors, JLab fast electronics about readout scheme
- Analog amplifier on detector board (in vacuum) + discriminator outside vacuum
- In parallel, U. Manitoba working on HV-MAPS detector solution



Diamond detector board concept (Jim Fast)



Møller Polarimetry

See Eric King's talk tomorrow!

Hall C has purchased "cryogen free" superconducting target magnet similar to Hall A version (not HIPPOL)

- → Less dependence on ESR provides more flexibility
- → Standardization provides backup capability for either hall

Setup in ESB - convenient for further Kerr studies to verify iron foil saturation

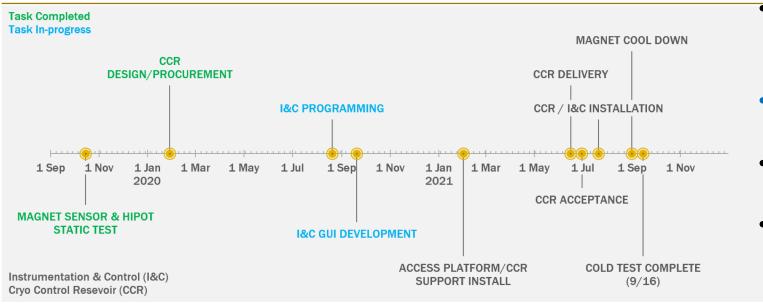
Magnet has been ramped to >3.5 T and fiducialized



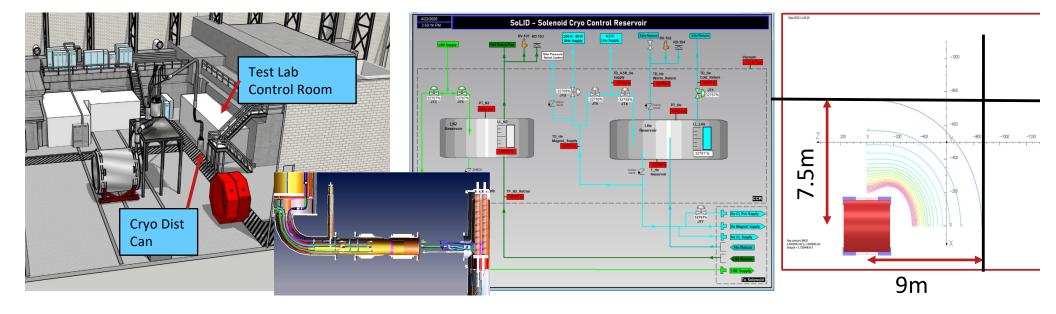


CLEOII Solenoid Rehab — Static and Cold Test

Phase 1 Solenoid Rehab Milestones



- Solenoid rehab will confirm magnet condition
- Provide project risk reduction
- Refine magnet planning
- Estimated completion Sept 2021



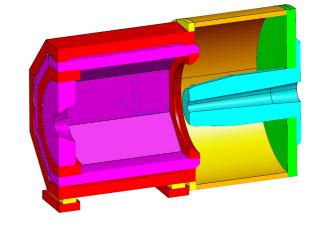
CLEOII Magnet Refurbishment for SoLID

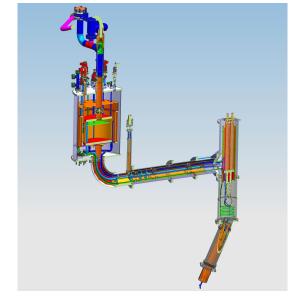




- The CCR is at JLab....
- Being tested for acceptance
 - leak checking
 - pressure checking
 - visual inspections
- Working on this...
 - hardware to install pressure gauges, vacuum
 gauges, JT motor
 actuators,...
 - PLC programming nearly complete

- Design of spool piece connecting the CCR and current lead turret.
- Updated openings for the beamline/acceptance at the front of the magnet and bore through the downstream nose, also chamfers on the tip of the nose





Field trip complete!



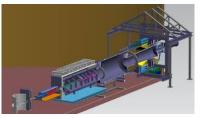
Some other things....



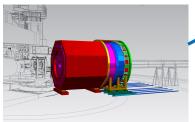
Scheduling

Uncertainties in budgets, run weeks, approvals and bears oh my... here's what we know:



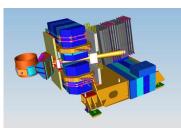


















...and more!

- Please send Stephanie information regarding recent (and upcoming) PhDs – name, university, experiment, thesis title if possible
- The web page needs updating let us know ideas, and if you'd like to help
- 7 2020 publications
- Preparing for SBS to start this summer ©©

Thank you!

