# Ideas on TPC Assembly



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#### Outline

Some basic considerations

Horizontal / vertical TPC assembly (in the AH?)

A first shot at the various possible TPC project plans

TPC insertion in the DH

#### Some basic assumptions – all to be argued

#### No (long) transport of full TPC, field cage or fully equipped endplates $\rightarrow$ need to assemble TPC at IP campus

- Our assumption here: TPC assembly in the AH. Compatible with Yasuhiro's overall plan assuming realistic TPC time scales?
- Then space in AH necessary
- Do it in research office building? But then where full TPC system test (gas!)?
- No TPC assembly in DH.

# No TPC assembly in DH – sufficient space and possibility to work in parallel with yoke construction, but probably bad timeslot?

#### Current scenario therefore:

- Horizontal or vertical assembly in AH hall (exact position tbd)
- Space requirement: 100 m<sup>2</sup> (probably 60 m<sup>2</sup> enough, but some contingency), plus storage space (for modules) and test area for modules
- Field cage delivered in one or two big pieces and assembled in AH
- Necessity to create grey-room / ISO7 characteristics around TPC assembly place

# Location in AH (from Yasuhiro's yoke assembly plan)

TPC Assembly horizontal - long

#### Questions:

- Grey-room quality after delivery of field cage and mounted end-plates?
- Position of large door?



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TSS: TPC Assembly















#### Then

- Cleaning of field cage
- Construction of grey/clean room around TPC field cage (ISO 7)
- Equipping of end-plates with tested modules using robot (petal-like structures in EP quadrant holes).
- System test (in AH)

Note: - Greyroom / ISO7 with stable T and FFUs needed from start.

- Access to greyroom through sliding gate with air lock
- -- Assumption that field cage self-supporting and first EP equipment



End-plate structures on trolleys and beginning of end-plate equipping (R); supporting star on inner-vessel platform



Field-cage assembly



Horizontal procedure in a few steps Marriage of field-cage and end-plate R



Horizontal procedure in a few steps Set-up of inner vessel with cathode ("sail")



Marriage of inner vessel with cathode and field cage



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Alternative: First fixing of inner vessel in field cage, then installation / spanning of cathode.

Marriage of inner vessel with cathode and field cage. Fixing the supporting "star" supporting the inner vessel and the sail



Removing inner-vessel platform and finalisation of end-plate L



Inserting end-plate L: approaching the field cage ...



Inserting end-plate L: approaching the field cage, supporting the inner vessel and removing the supporting star, ...



Inserting end-plate L: approaching the field cage, supporting the inner vessel + removing the supporting star, pushing in end-plate L



Ready



#### Alternative horizontal procedure

#### Assumptions: Similar as before, but ...

- EP equipment at the end with robot
- Question of overall time planning (end-plate equipment the most timeconsuming item



#### Vertical procedure – time estimate

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0	TPC Assembly	254 day	Sun 01.01.17	Thu 21.12.17													
1	Platform setup	0 days	Sun 01.01.17	Sun 01.01.17				01.01									
2	End-plate delivery	0 days	Sun 01.01.17	Sun 01.01.17			•	01.01									
3	Inner vessel delivery	0 days	Sun 01.01.17	Sun 01.01.17				01.01									
4	Field cage delivery to hall	0 days	Sun 01.01.17	Sun 01.01.17			•	01.01									
5	Module testing	70 days	Mon 02.01.17	Fri 07.04.17													
8	Placing field cage on end-plate	5 days?	Mon 02.01.17	Fri 06.01.17	1;2;4												
14	Installation of inner vessel	1 day?	Mon 09.01.17	Mon 09.01.17	8												
16	Installation of cathode	1 day?	Tue 10.01.17	Tue 10.01.17	14			■j									
18	Installation of top end-plate	3 days?	Wed 11.01.17	Fri 13.01.17	16												
22	Cleaning and greyroom installation	21 days	Mon 16.01.17	Mon 13.02.17	18												
25	Cabling of field cage, inner vessel and cathode	12 days	Tue 14.02.17	Wed 01.03.17	22												
28	Installation of Modules	160 days	Thu 02.03.17	Wed 11.10.17	25;6				Ţ								
31	Final test of TPC	51 days	Thu 12.10.17	Thu 21.12.17	28											<b>_</b>	
34	TPC ready	0 days	Thu 21.12.17	Thu 21.12.17	31												• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •
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6	Trolley installation and	11 days?	Mon 06.03.17	Mon 20.03.17	2			<b>T</b>									
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13	End-plates on trolleys	2 days?	Tue 21.03.17	Wed 22.03.17	12				<b>U</b> 1								
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16	End-plate mounting R	87 davs	Thu 23.03.17	Fri 21.07.17	13		1		_ <b>T</b>								
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31	Marriage field cage +	5 days?	Mon 24.07.17	Fri 28.07.17	19:30		1										
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35	Inner vessel setun on	3 days?	Mon 31 07 17	Wed 02.08.17	31		1										
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63	IPC ready	0 days	Tue 13.02.18	Tue 13.02.18	62												

# TPC insertion – mechanism?



















Section A-A



#### Veeeery preliminary conclusions

#### Currently, more in favour of vertical assembly:

- Space requirements
- Time requirements
- Ease of access / logistics
- ....

# But many steps need thorough planning, and many engineering solutions are still missing.

Also for insertion of TPC into ILD, and for mounting and suspension

#### Nevertheless – best current guess:

- Assembly requires one year after delivery of field cage
- Space requirements: 100 m<sup>2</sup> (ISO 7 / greyroom quality)
- Plus space for module storage and testing, plus services

# Some near-future steps

# Continue to work on the models, assumptions and their consequences

- Principal procedures, needs and requirements
- Some important topics:
  - Support of TPC in ILC?
  - Prevention of longitudinal movement?
  - Cathode design?
  - End-plate design?
  - Space and infrastructure in DH (gas, power, electronic hut etc.)

#### To be decided soon: Where to assemble TPC?

- AH or research office building?
- If research office building, then still full TPC system test before lowering in AH?

#### Draw on previous experience

■ Specifically ALICE → meeting in November at CERN

#### Get in touch with global integration efforts

Hope to intensify contact to Yasuhiro