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# Mounting of the Cerenkov Muon Veto in the water tank

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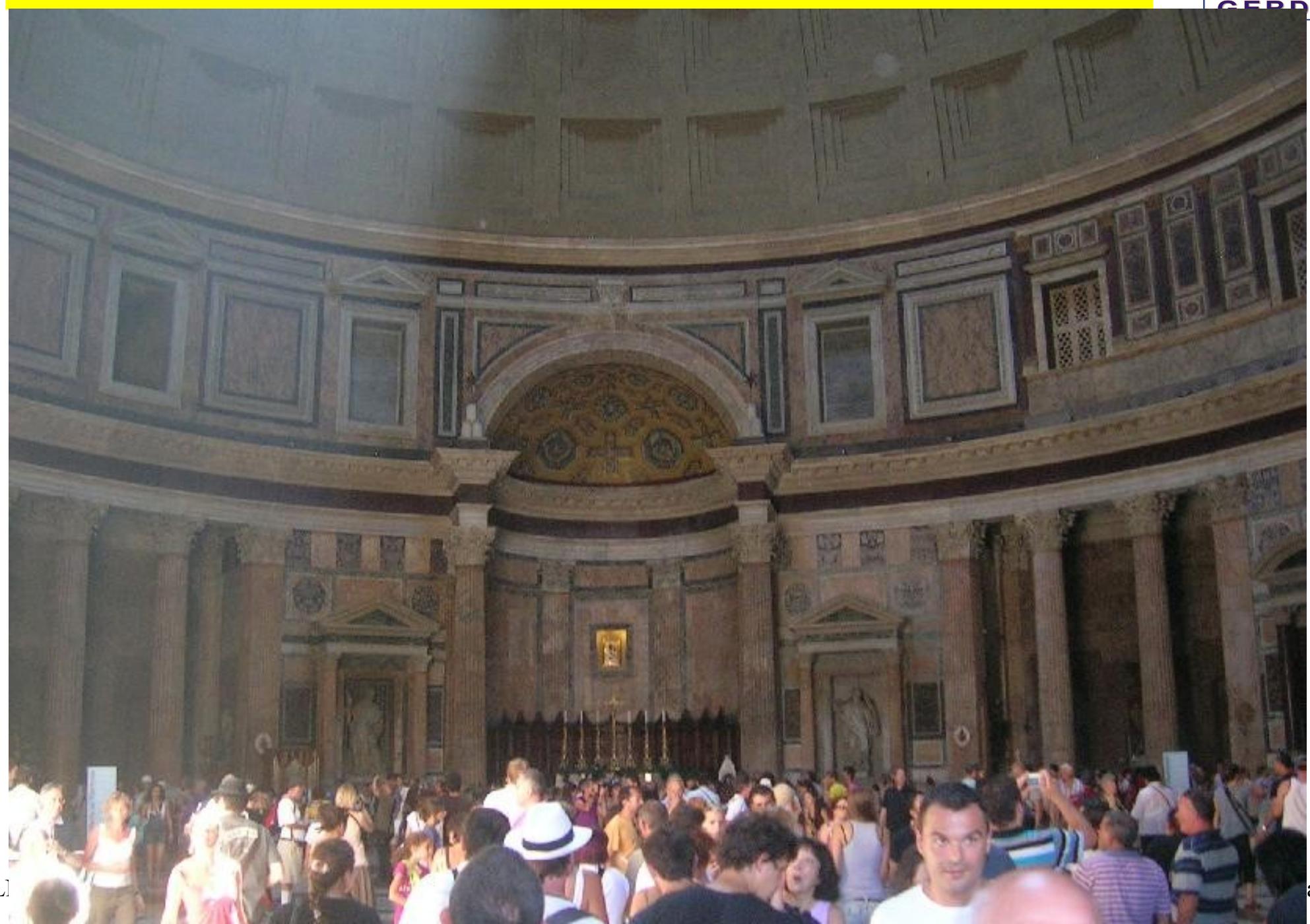
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# principle



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# tasks

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task: to mount the Cerenkov Muon Veto

66 PMT capsules in the water tank

- 6 below cryostat (pillbox)

- 20 on the floor

- 40 on the wall of the water tank

VM2000 reflector foil

- pillbox, cryostat, wall, floor

cables & cable tray, LED & fibres+diffuser

Jackodur for cryostat (+HD)

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- ◆ Plastic muon veto on clean room
- ◆ Data acquisition and analysis
- ◆ Slow control

# PMT



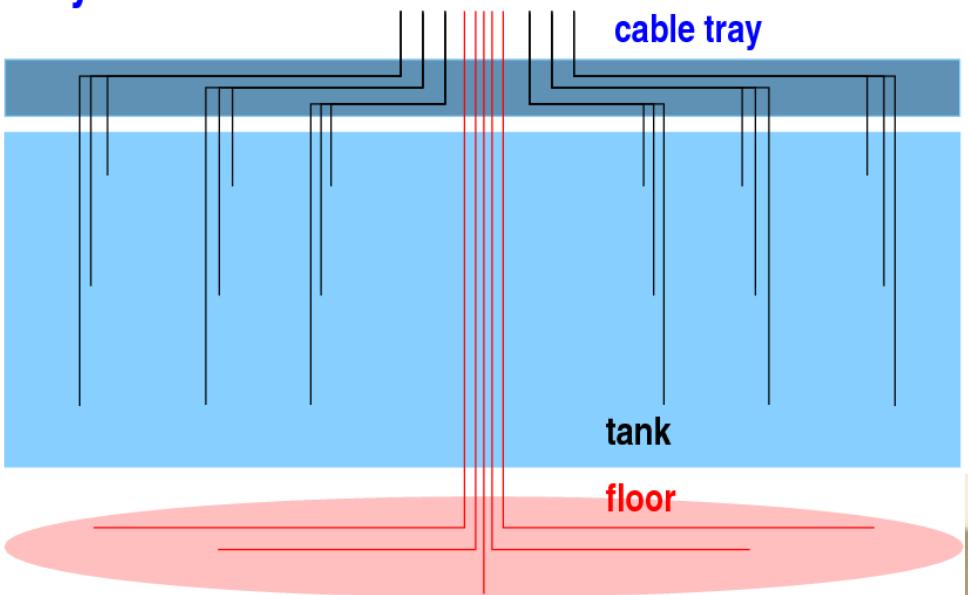
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studs in WT

# cables, cable tray

Layout inside water tank

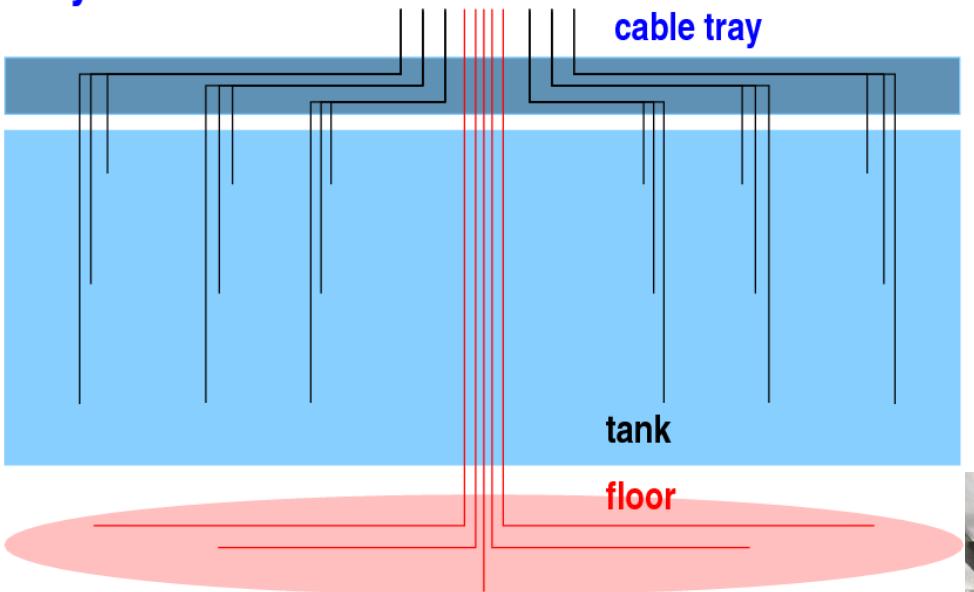


single stud



# cables, cable tray

Layout inside water tank



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# Moving up

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# Moving around

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# cryostat



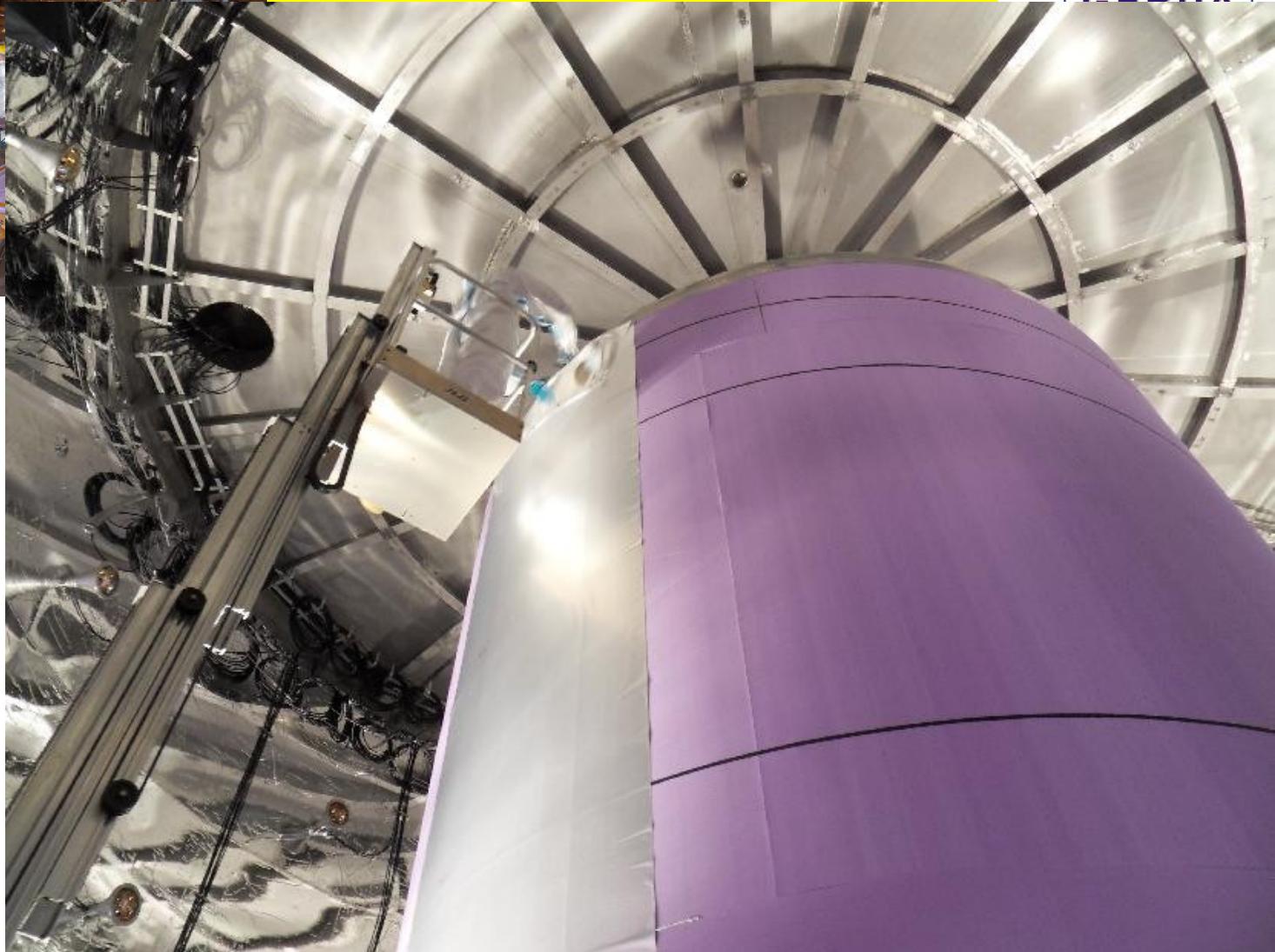
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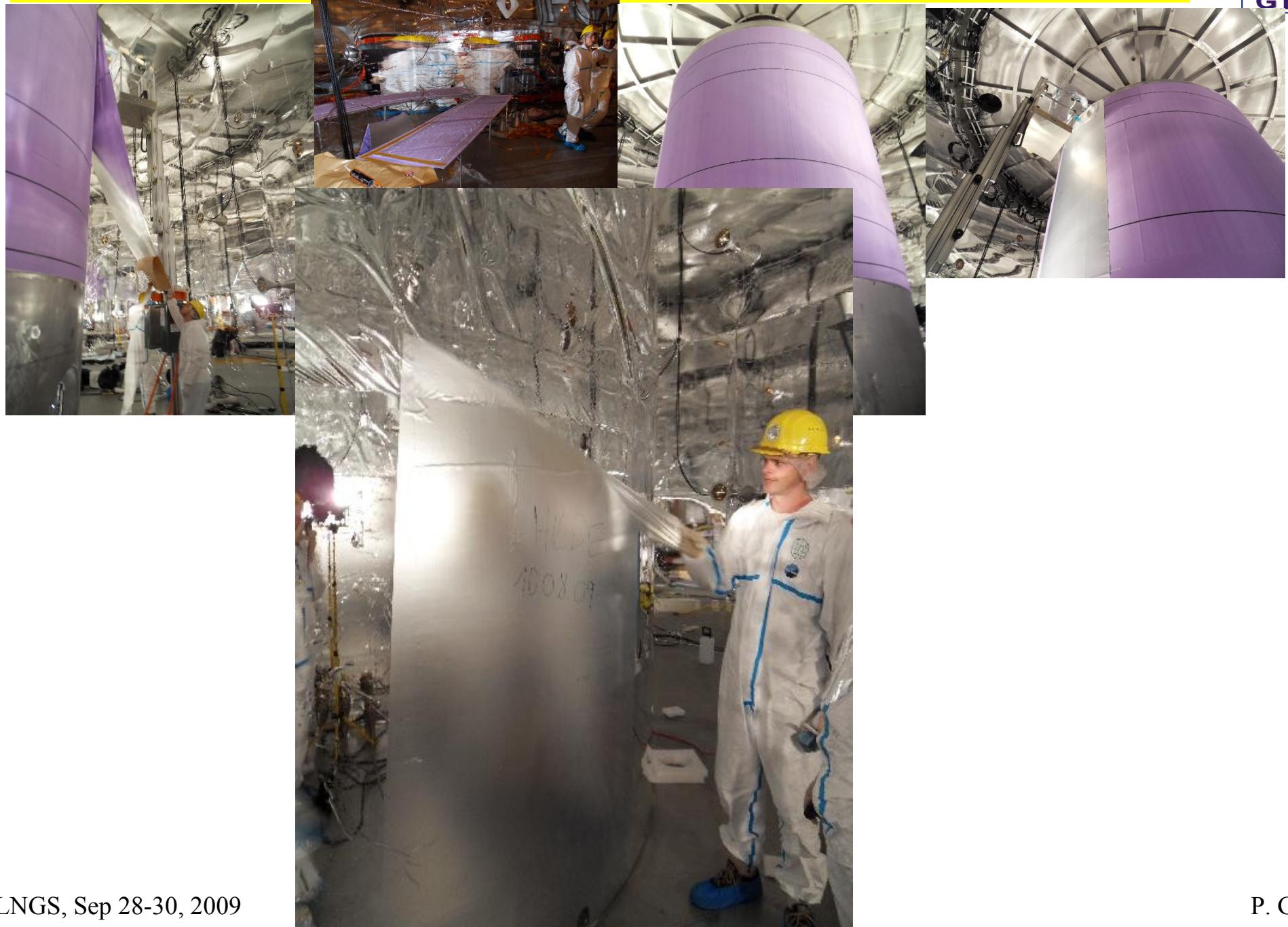
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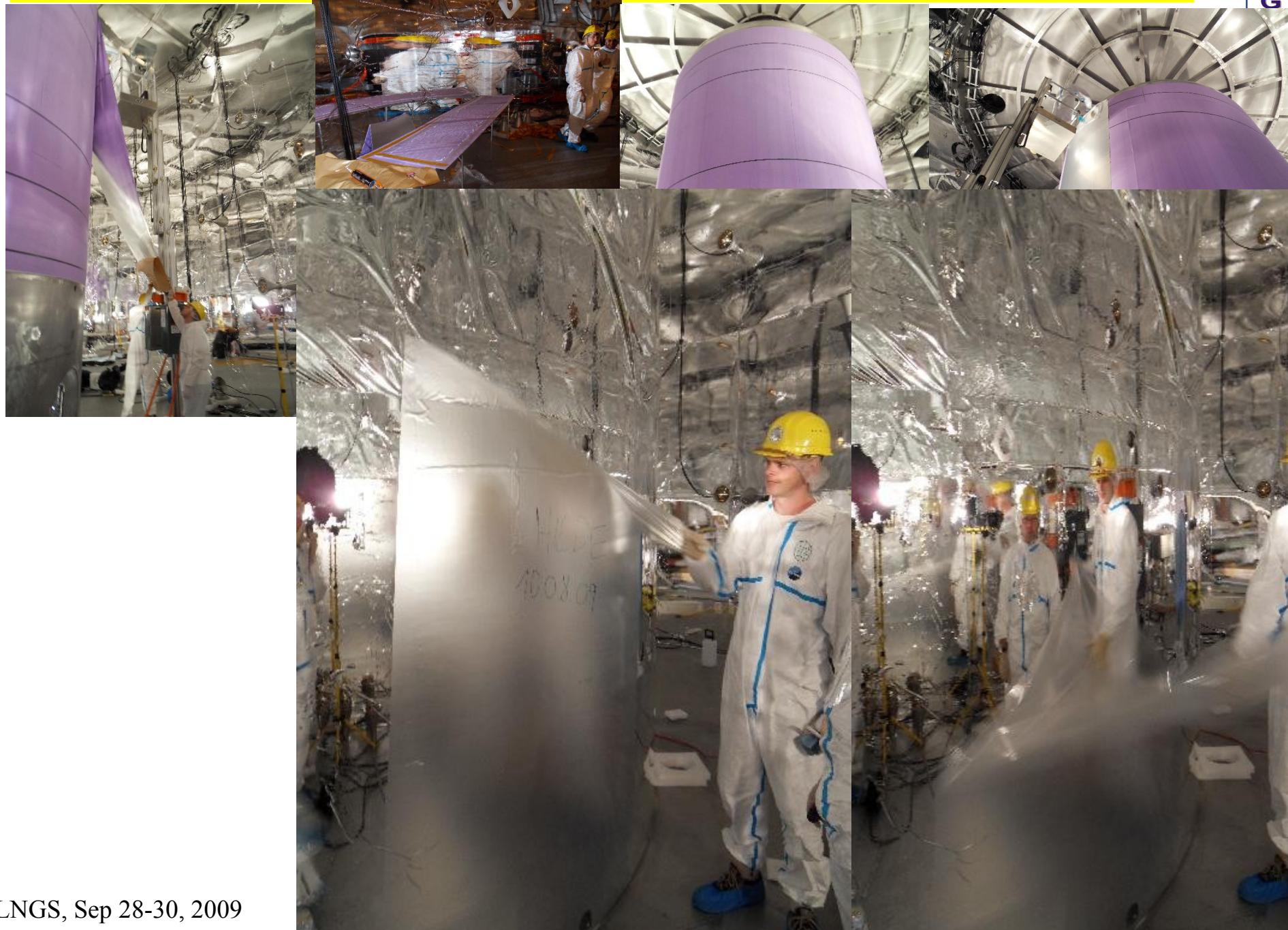
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# neck of cryostat



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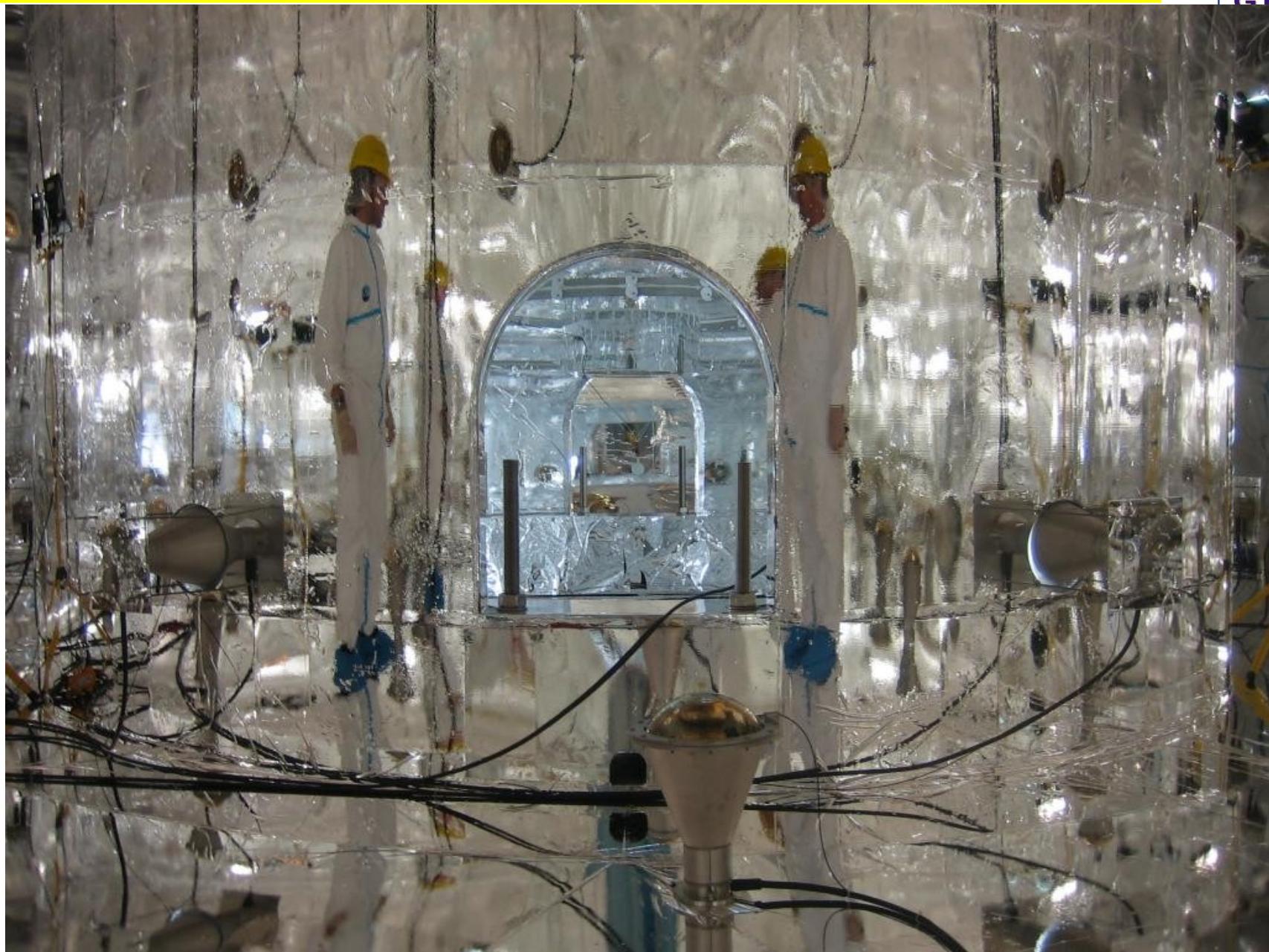
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# pillbox

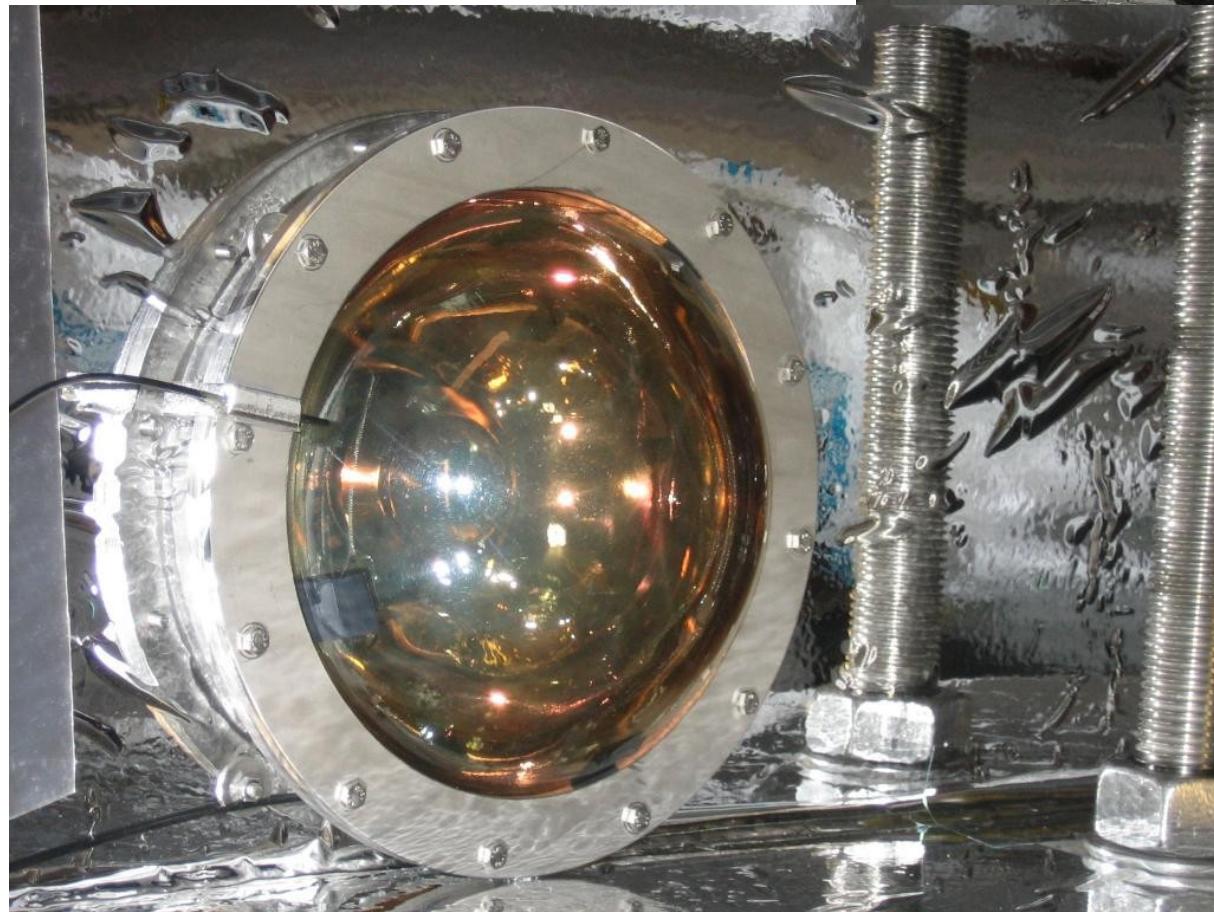


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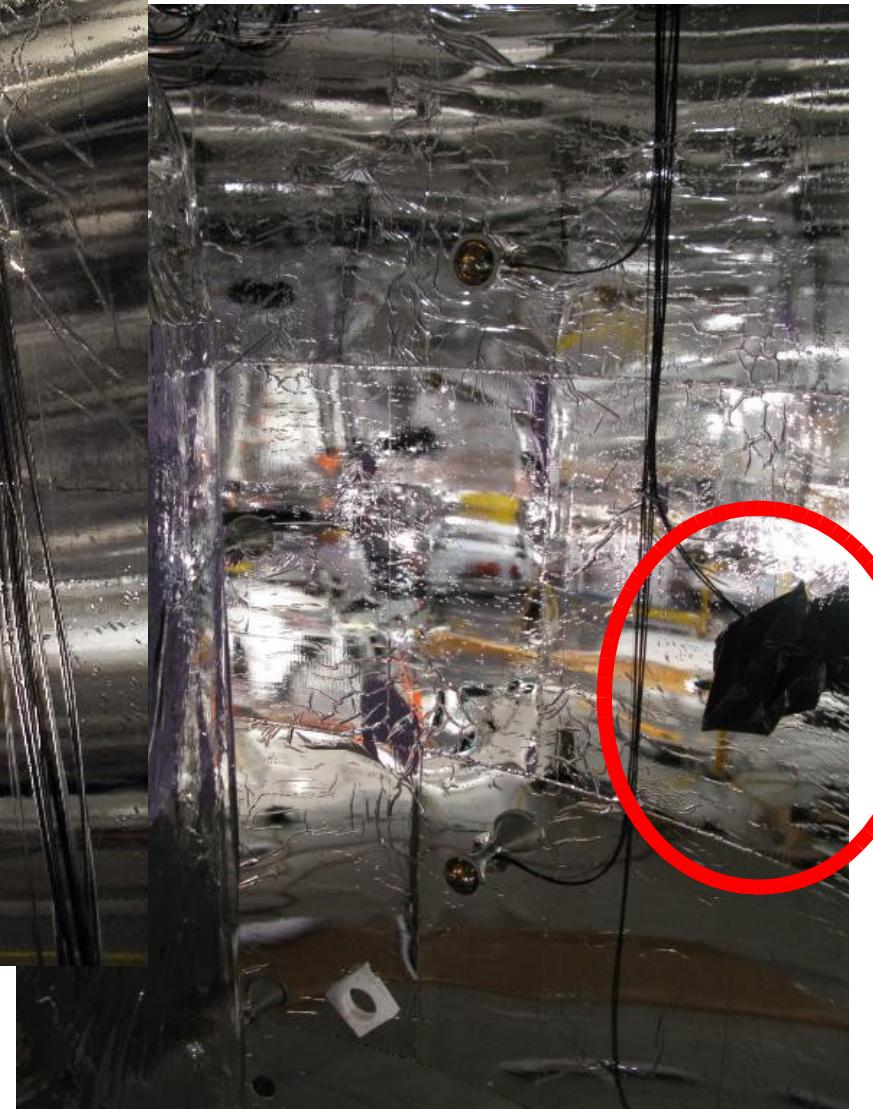
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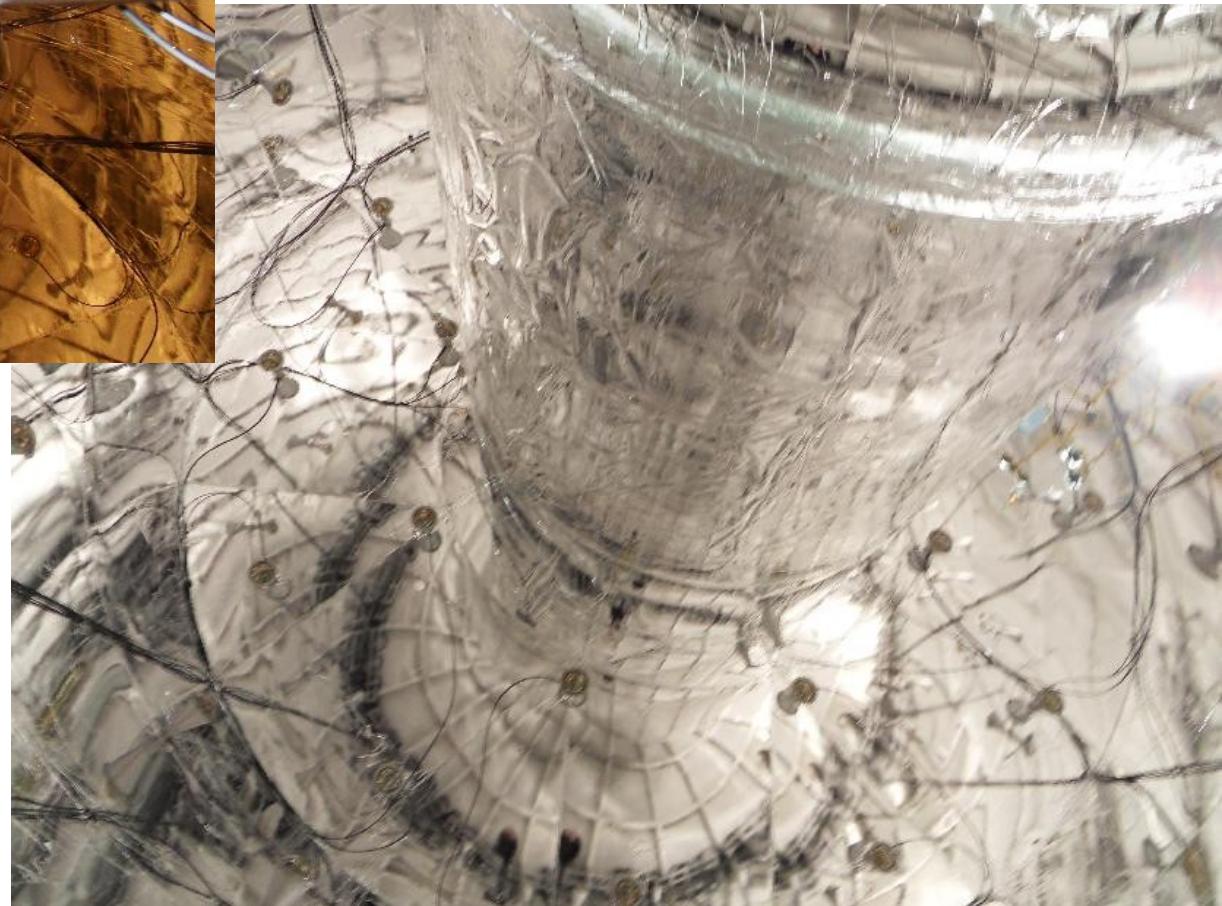
# pillbox



# test of PMT



# from top



# Cleaning up













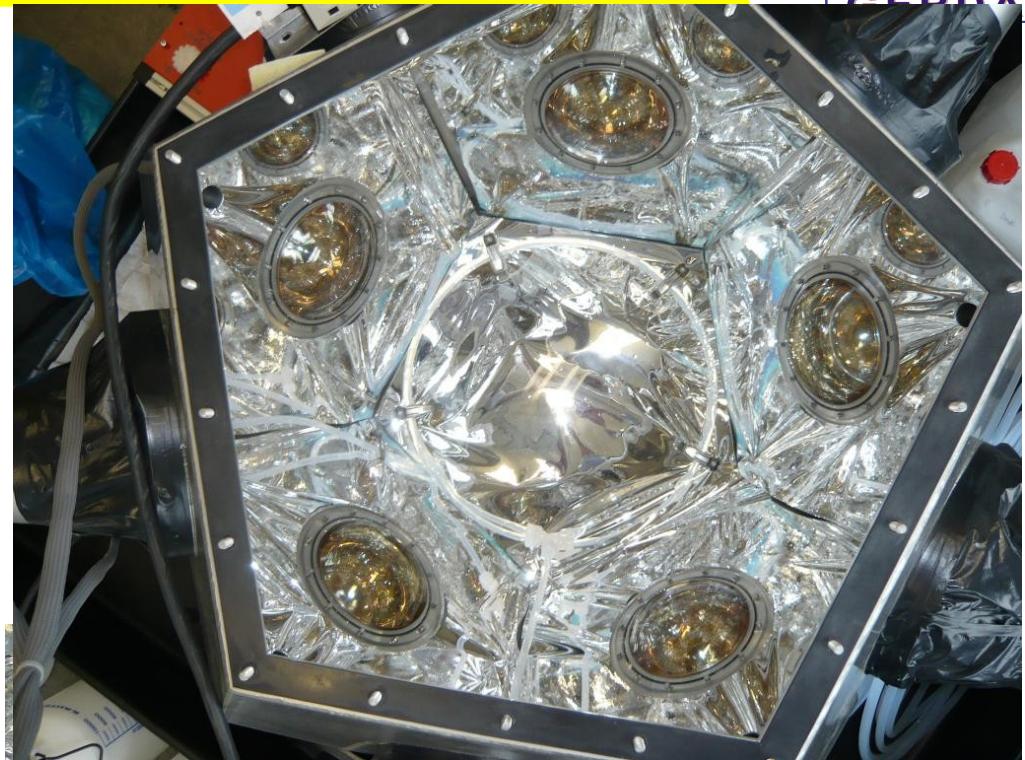
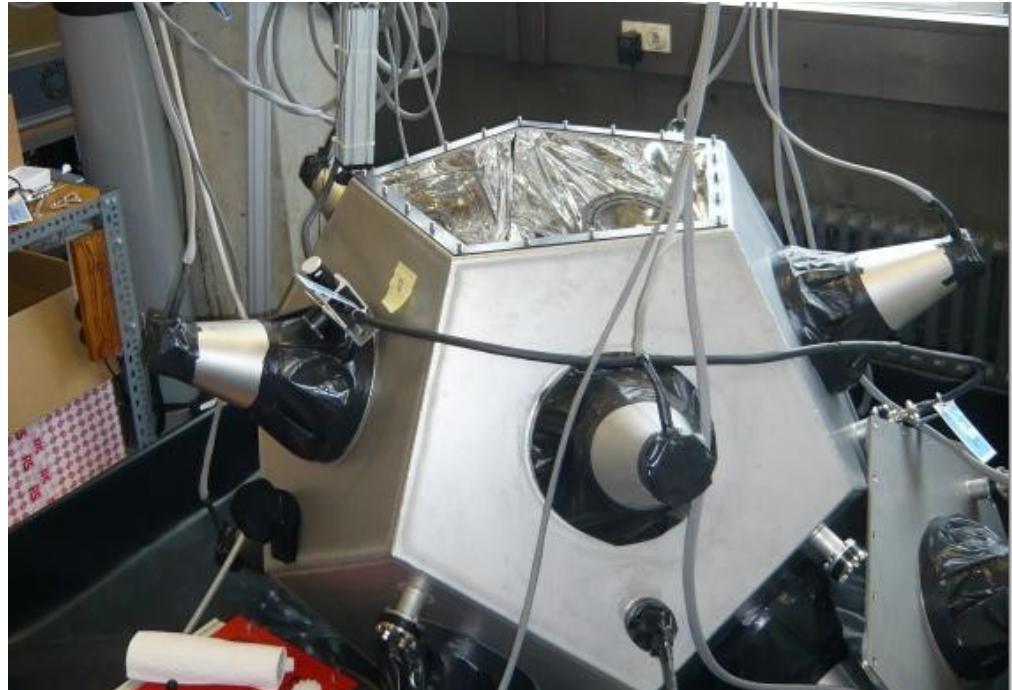




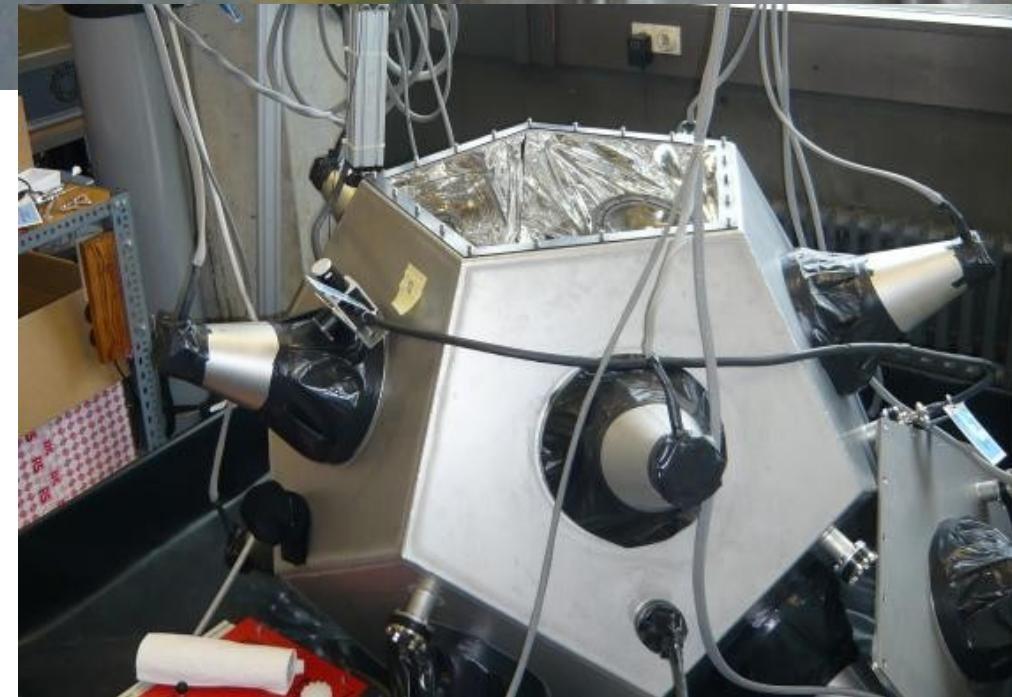
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9 PMTs in  $\sim 1\text{m}^3$  water

Test of base and DAQ



Corrosion found in Tü



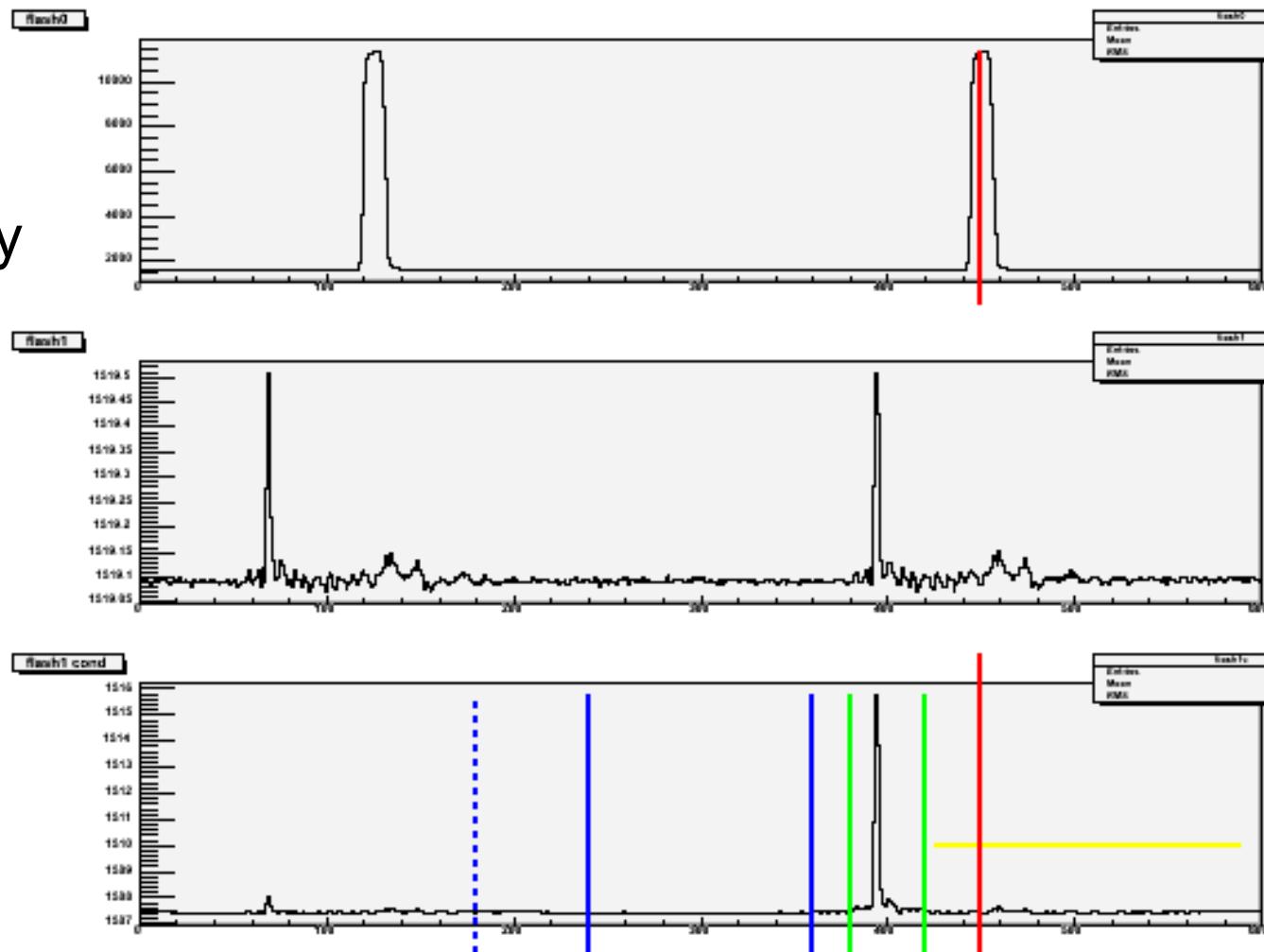
# tests of DAQ



T. Kihm

Struck Flash ADC  
Pulser with low intensity

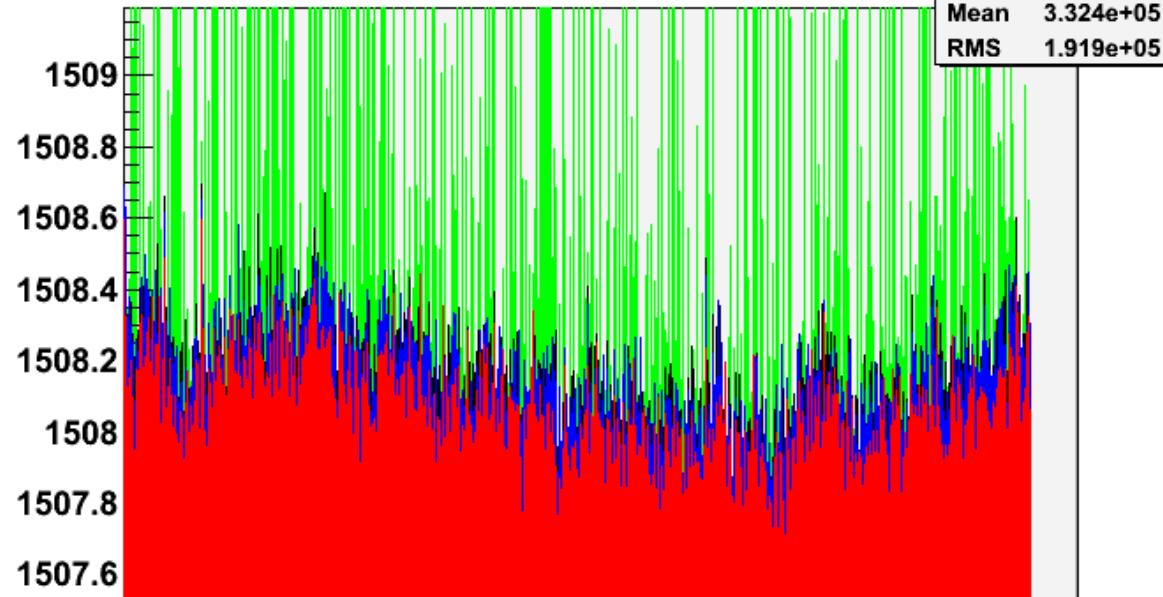
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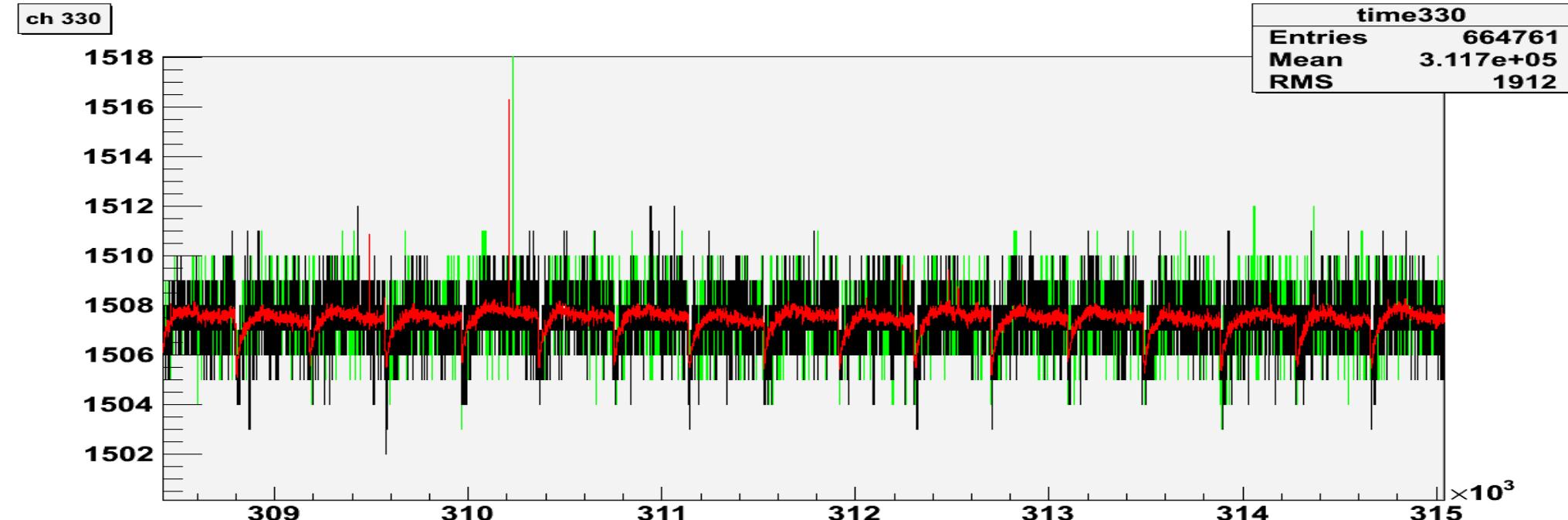


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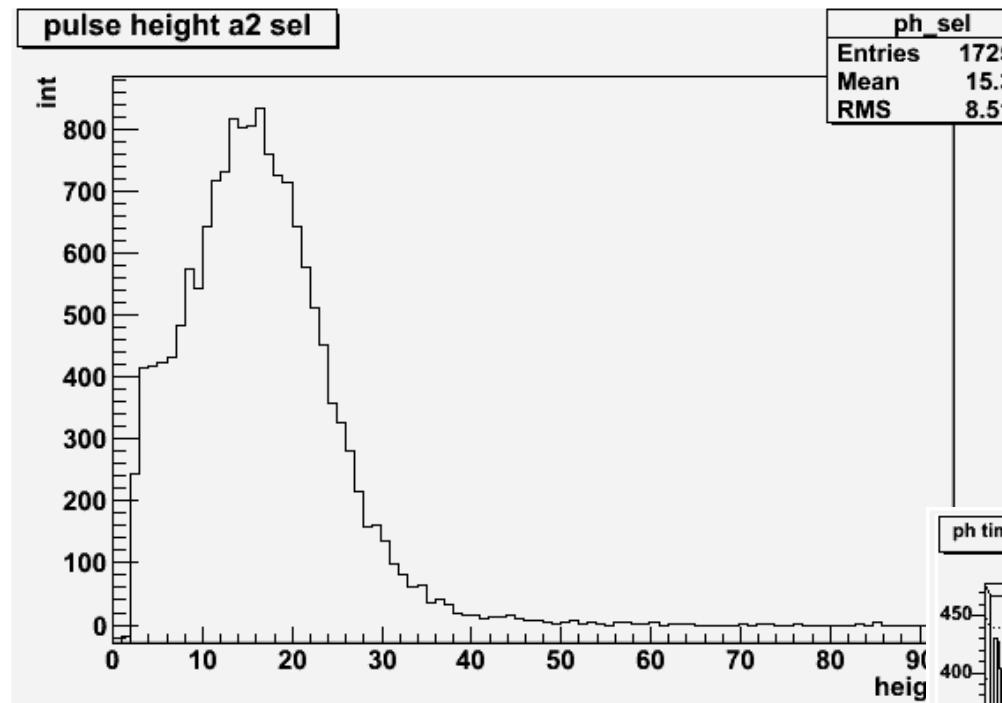
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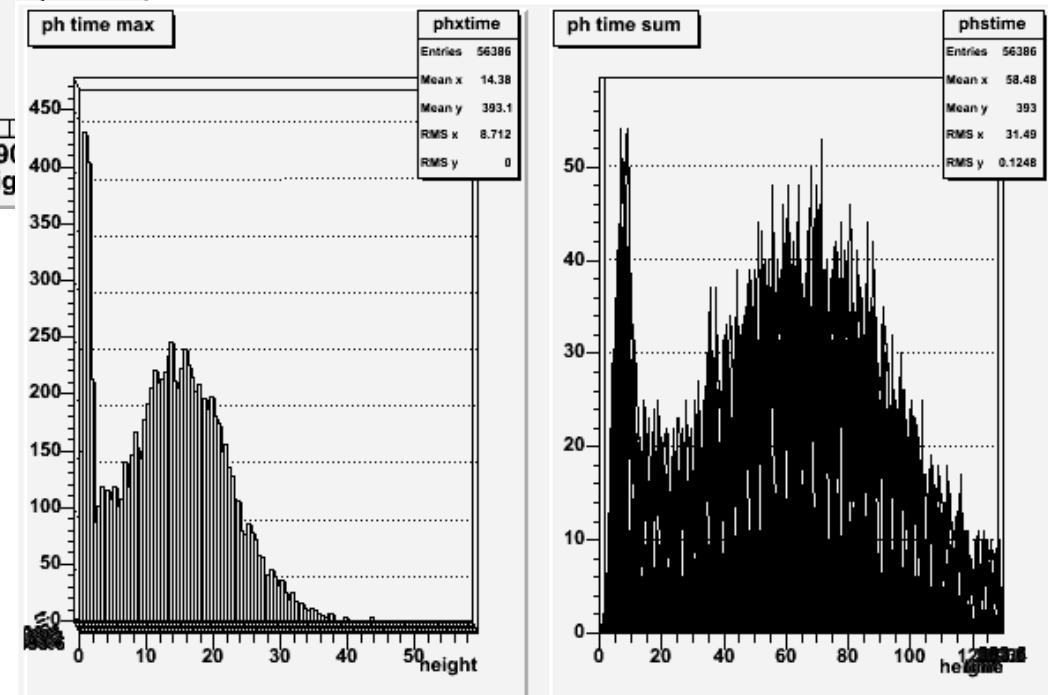
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# tests of DAQ



3 x moving average



for s.p.e.

Peak to Valley > 2

~5 with tight time cut

# tests of DAQ



use HD-DAQ with Struck FADC and DODI with 9 PMT  
and old Ge-Diode with pulser

check front end & & triggering





# summary

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Cerenkov muon veto installed

**Markus Knapp & Florian Ritter**

splitter boxes & HV & analysis

tests with HD-DAQ (T. Kihm) & DODI

WLS fibers for plastic veto (DUBNA) arrived in Tü





# VM2000 foil

comes in rolls if 1,2m width and 45m length

- ◆ self-adhesive foil:
  - glue does not dissolve
  - holds on SS surface
- ◆ fixed by washers / nuts
  - distances 1,3 – 2 m
- ◆ secured by SS wires
  - running horizontally at 3 heights
- ◆ clammed by the PMT mount and cable holders

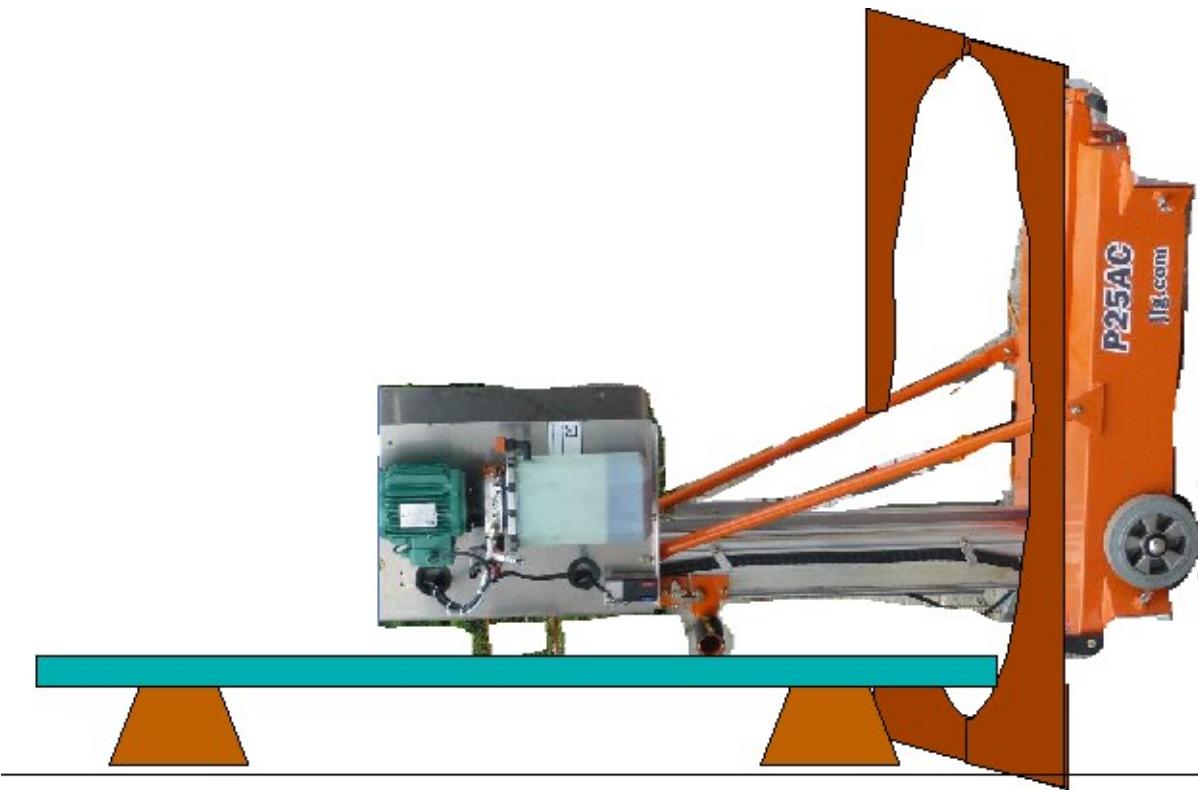
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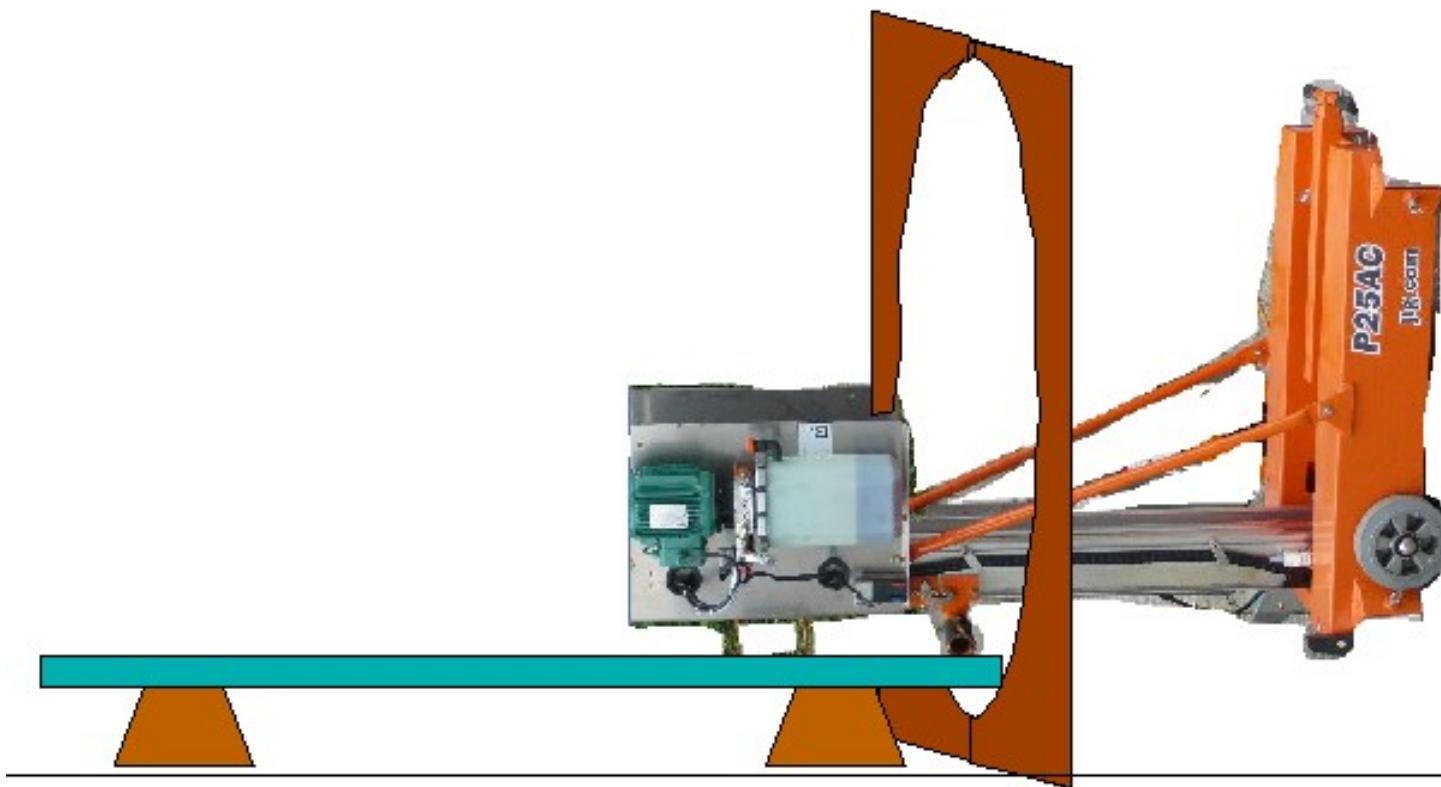
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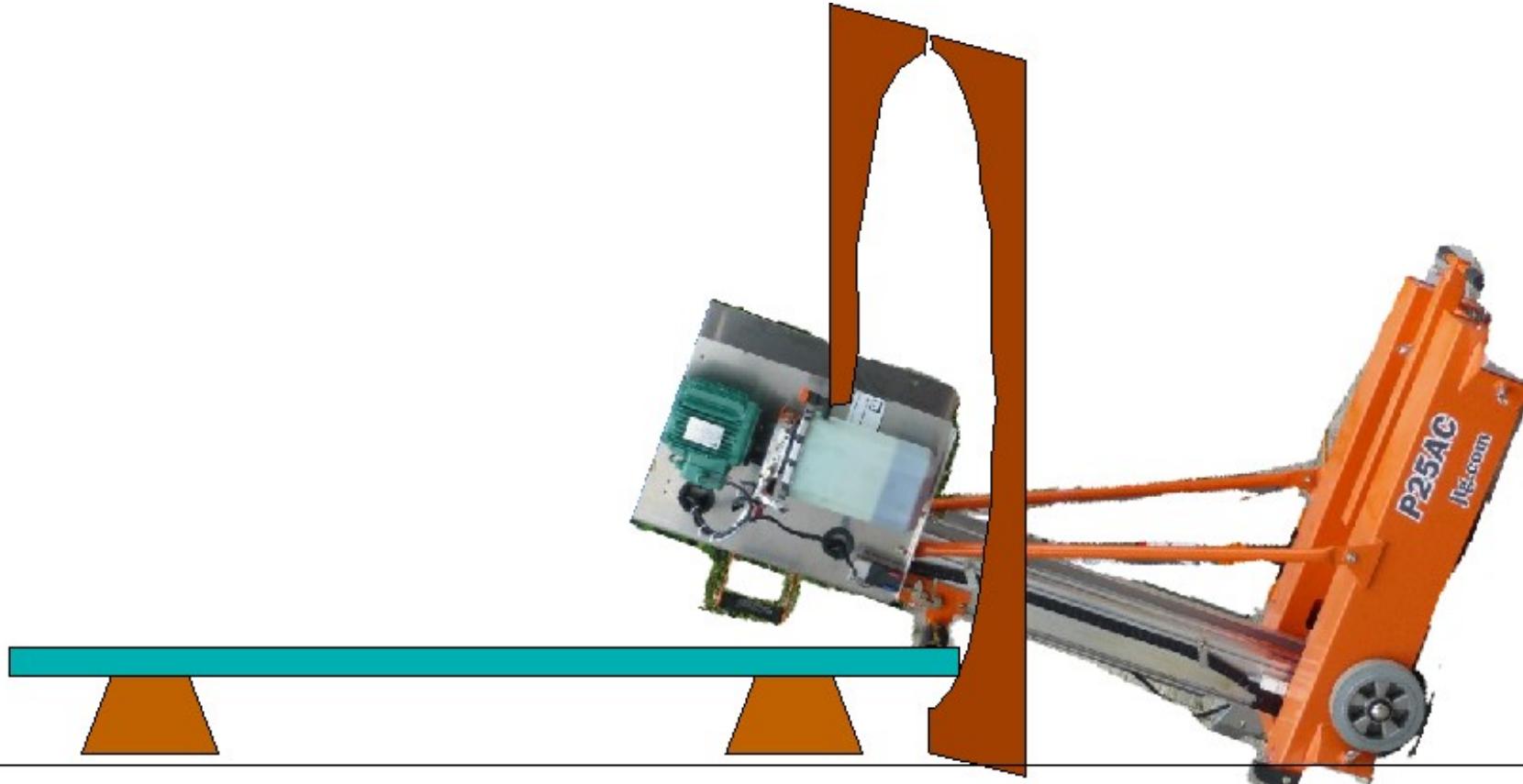
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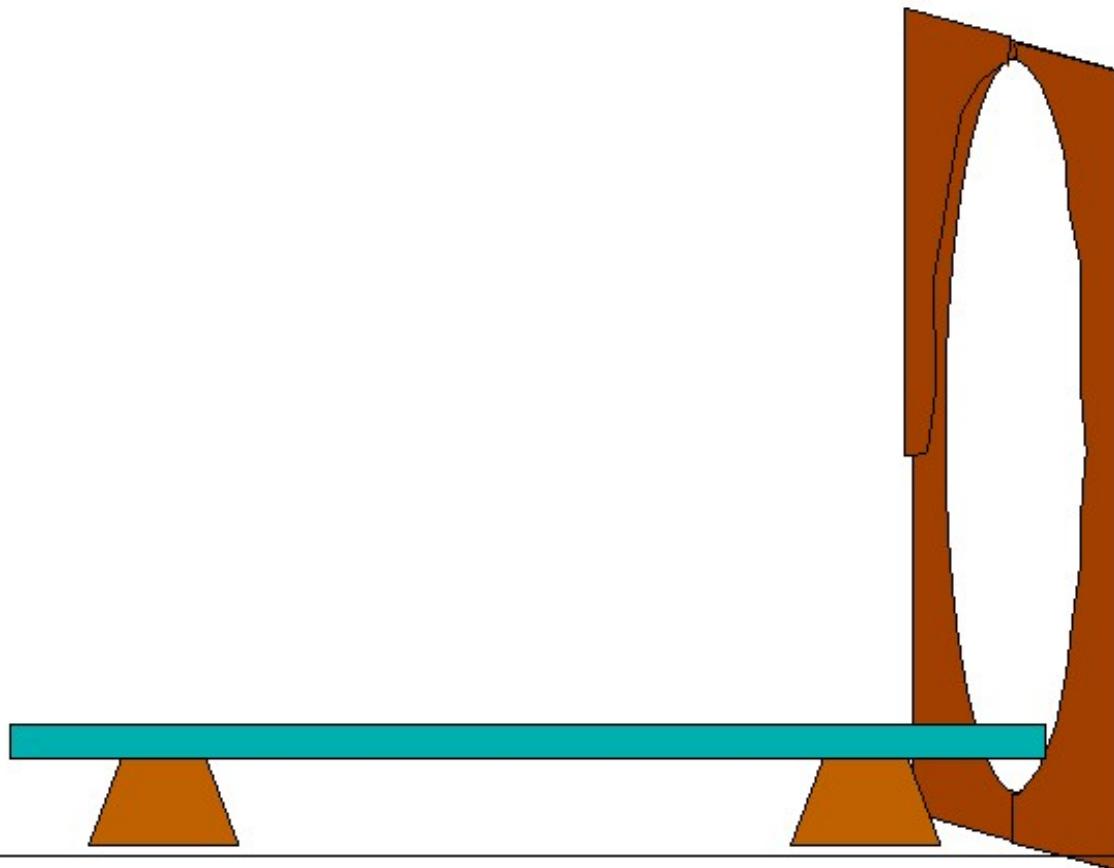
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# studs for PMT on floor of WT

