

Making Positrons in the Technical Design Phase Era

as seen from the GDE Project Management

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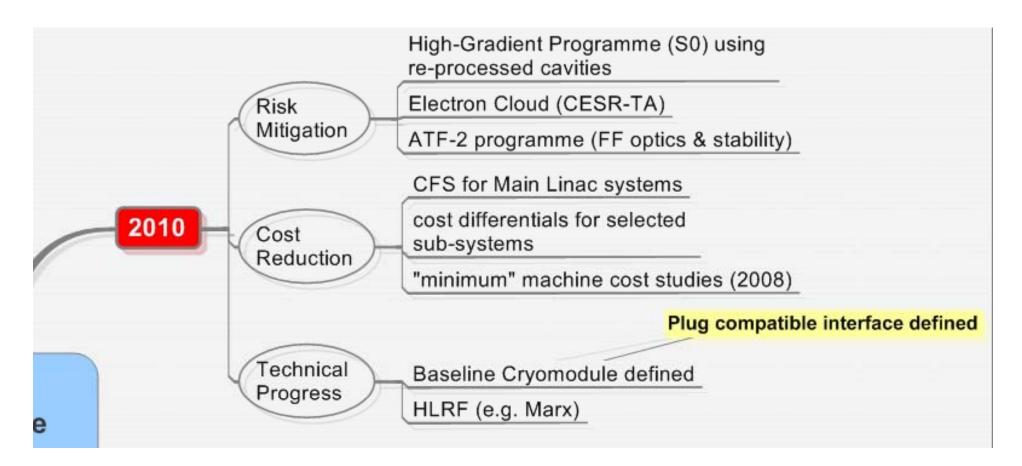


What's in Store

- New road-map overview (TD phase I and II)
- Understanding costs, cost drivers, and reducing the cost
 - A strategy
- Cost-effective options for positron production

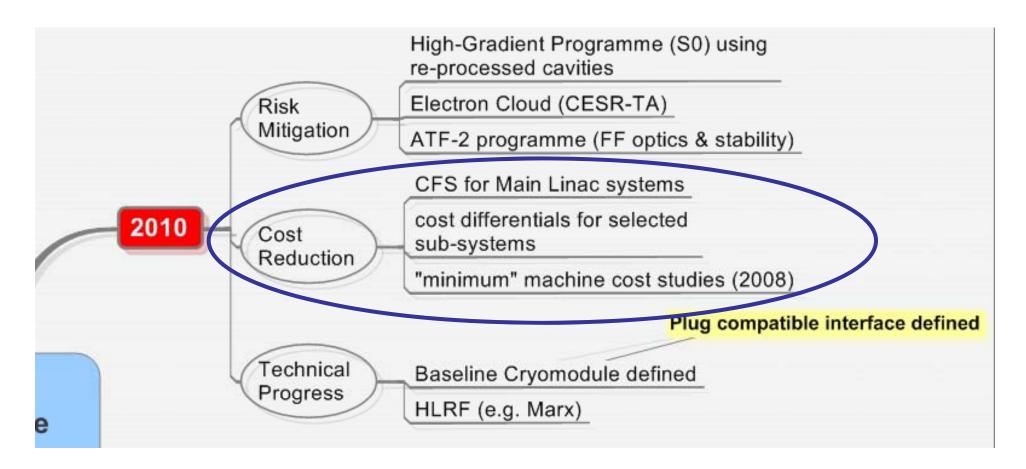


Technical Phase I Roadmap



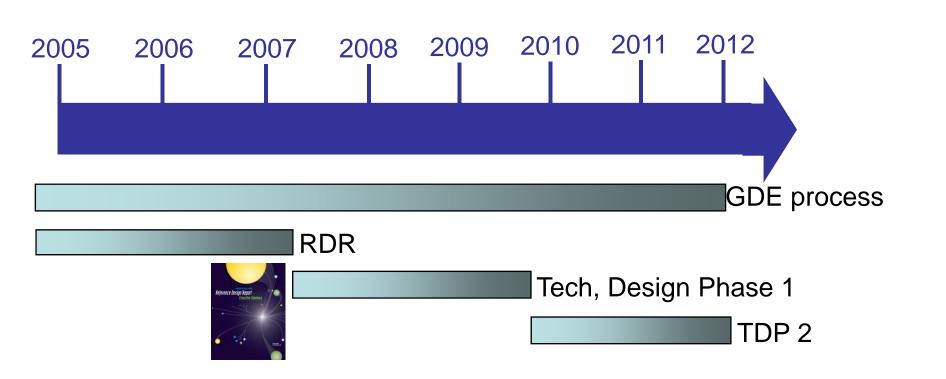


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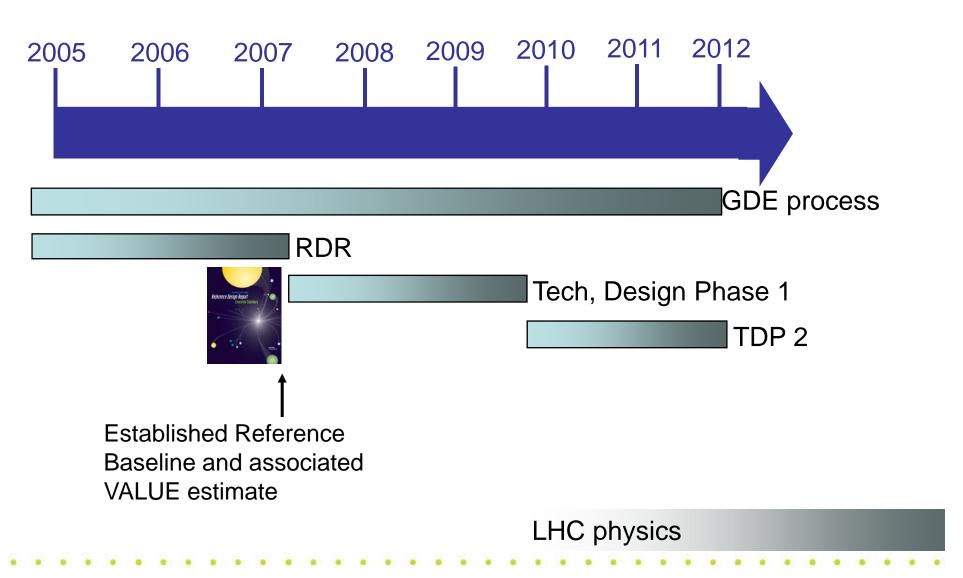
What does this mean?



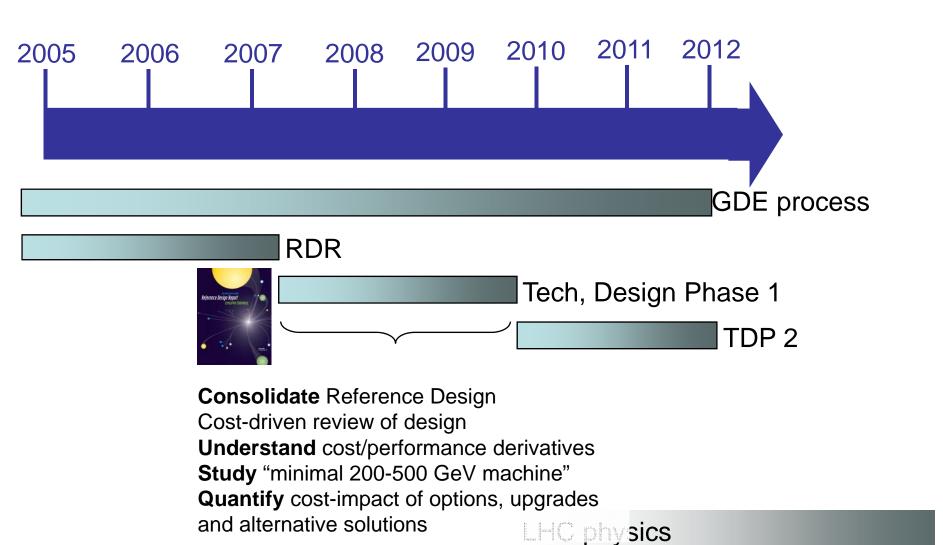


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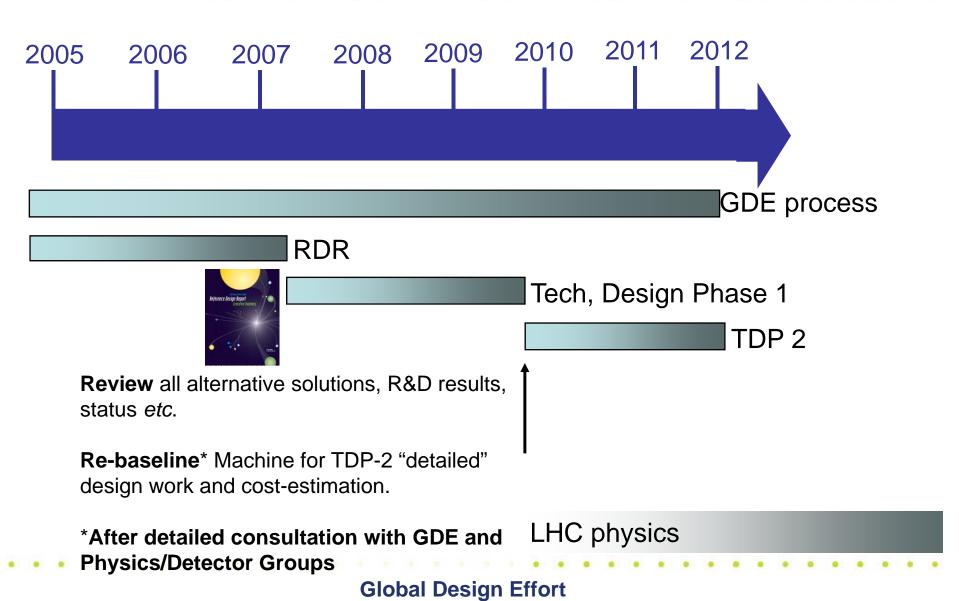




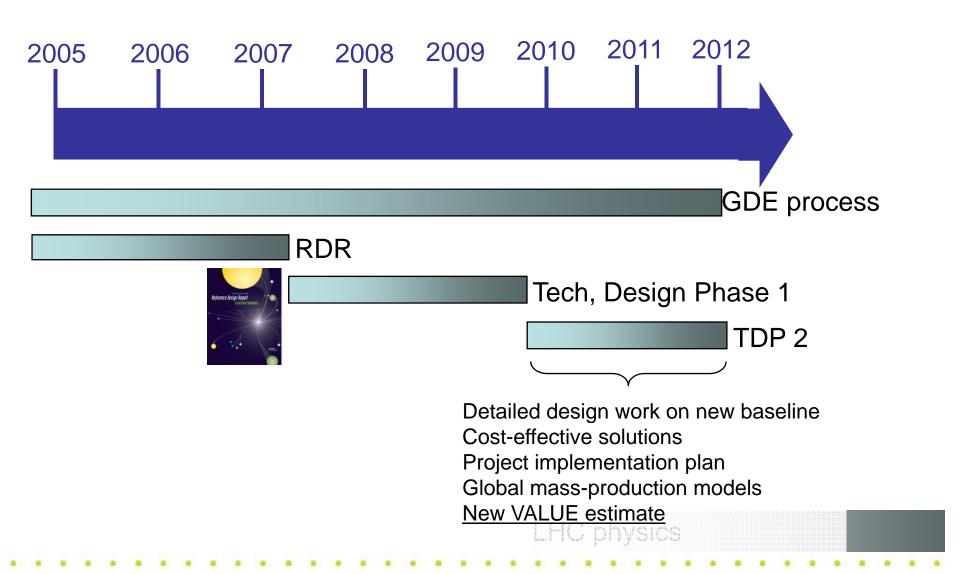




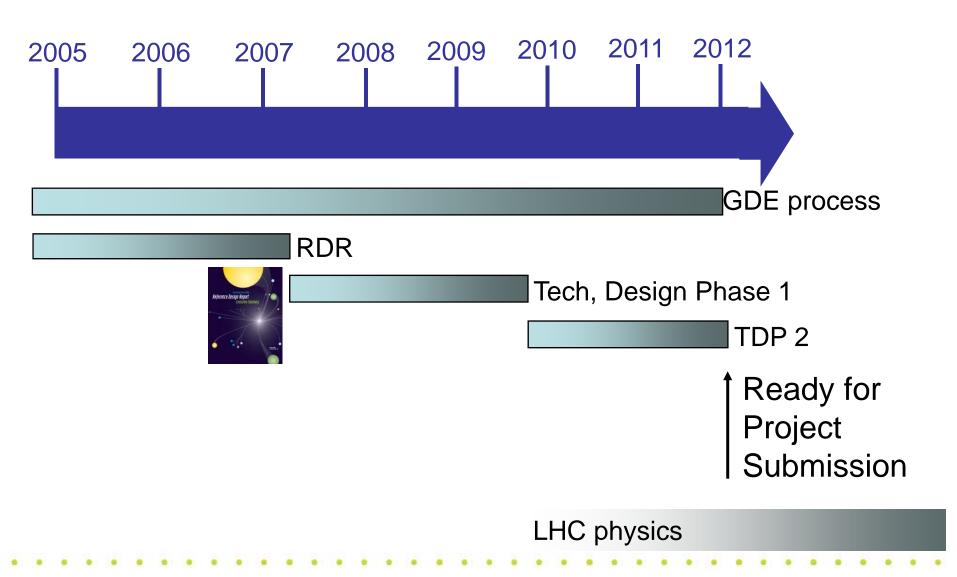












RDR Positron Source Baseline Issues

- Mature concept
- Design used for VALUE estimate conceptual
 - Requires iteration and review (detail missing)
 - Legacy link to VALUE estimate missing
 - \rightarrow (see cost talk from PHG)
- R&D challenges
 - yield / Flux concentrator / capture section / target / undulator
- Overall RDR layout issues!
 - Timing issues current layout requires additional 1.5km insertion to maintain self-replicating bunch patterns (~30-50 MILCU)
 - Linked operations
 - 30% polarisation (but not baseline)?
- Need for an auxiliary source (currently KAS)
- Cost (400 MILCU)!



Alternatives / Options

- "Conventional" source
 - Independent operation, timing flexibility very attractive
 - Engineering challenges considerable (requires more R&D)
 - Or we limit the current to some fraction of current ILC
 - No polarisation
 - requires additional upgrade (option) path for ≥50% pol.
 - Cost impact? (cheaper?)
- Compton-based sources
 - Ring based concept; linac driven
 - Independent polarised source
 - Technically very immature, requires much R&D
 - A major challenge for ILC bunch train
- Others??

In all cases (baseline & alternatives), close coordination with DR and Integration is mandatory



Challenges

- Three-point plan
 - Document RDR baseline
 - Re-establish VALUE traceability
 - Identify critical design issues
- R&D plan (baseline & alternatives)
 - Priorities
 - Timescales

Important to review R&D Understand cost/risk leverage

- Evaluation of alternatives
 - Performance and cost comparisons on equal footing
- Resources are very short
 - Tell PMs what you need and we will try and find the resources!
 - What we can do will be clearly limited
 - the need for strong prioritisation
- We look forward to interesting discussions at this workshop