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# Earthquake protection for Linear Collider detectors

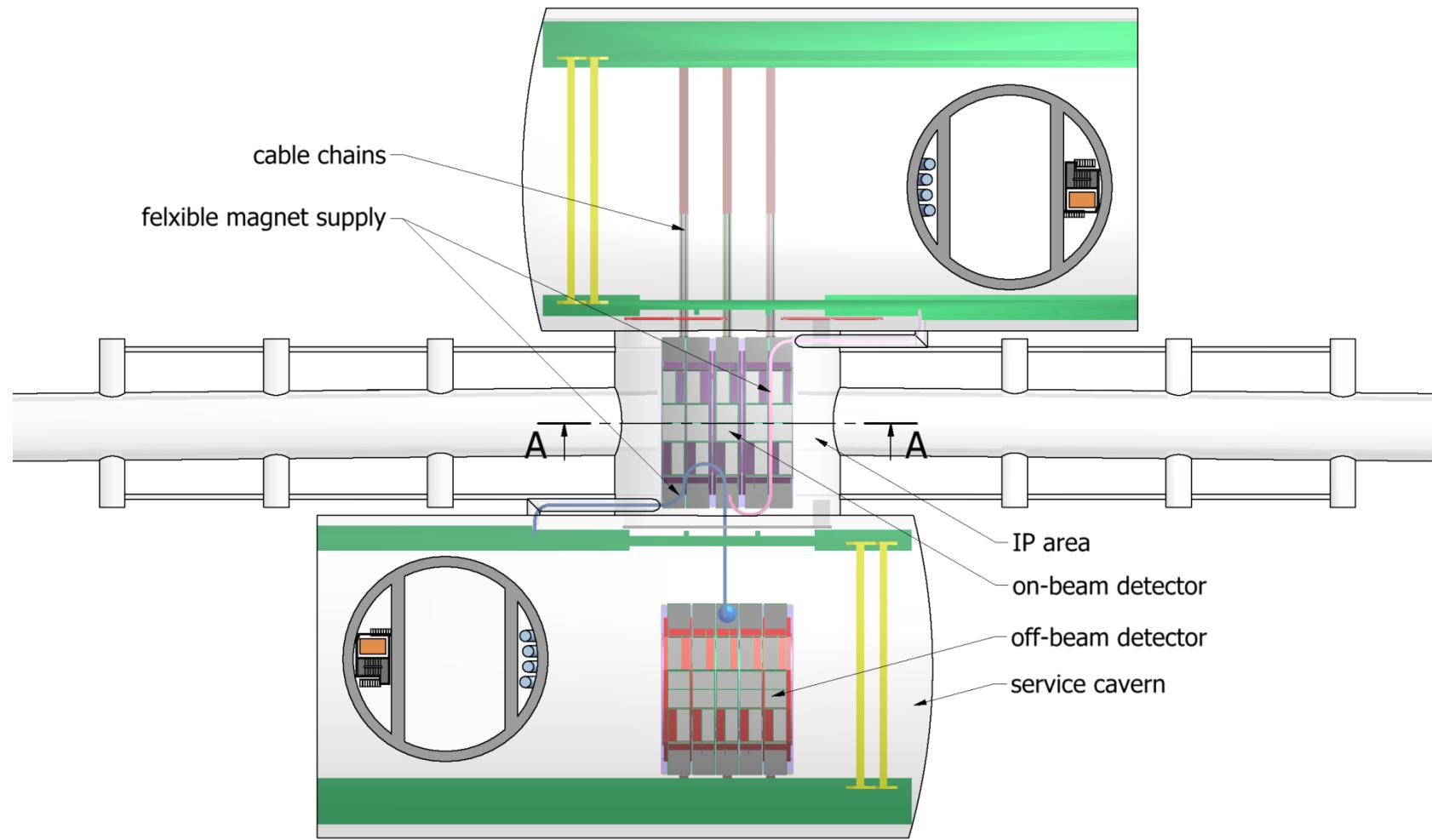
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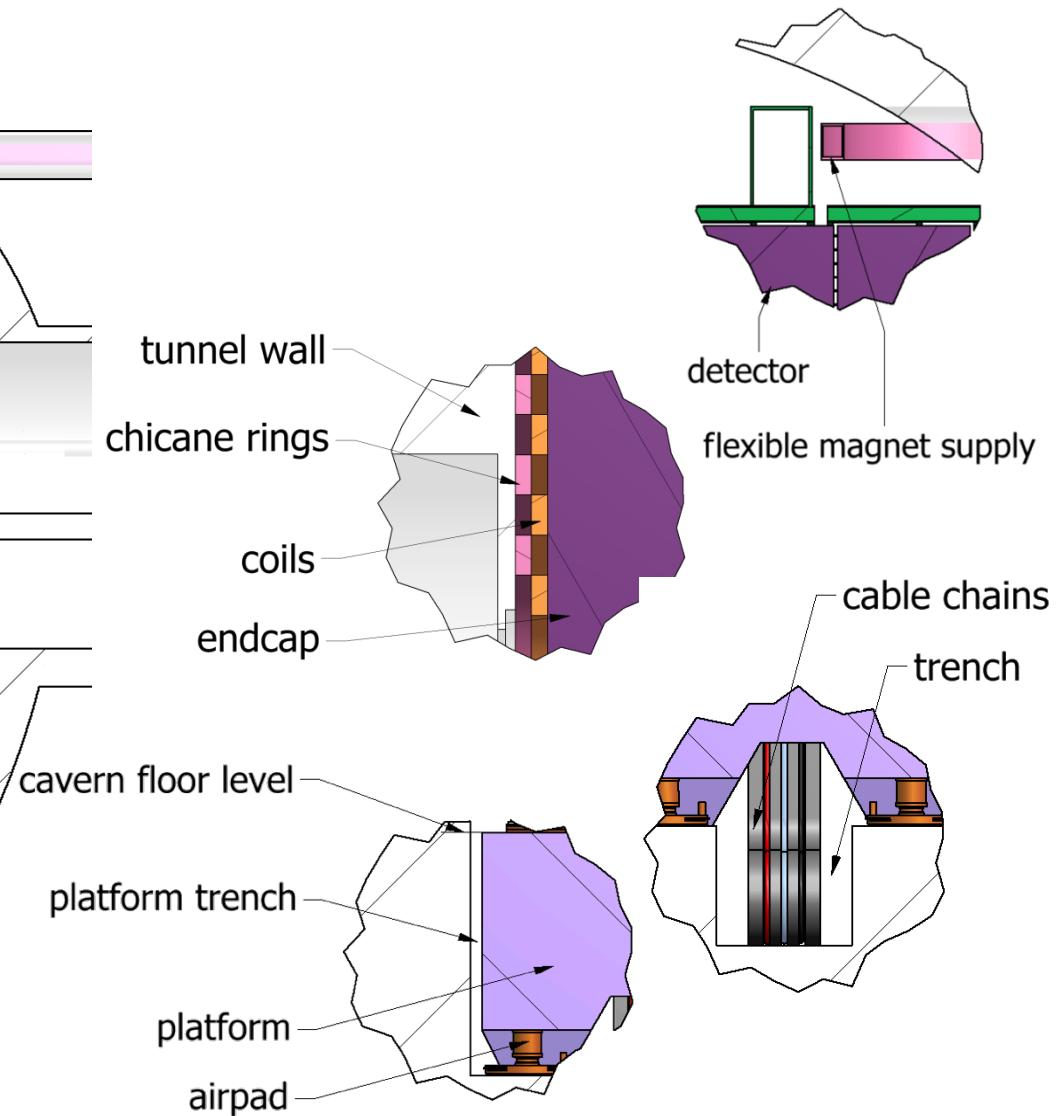
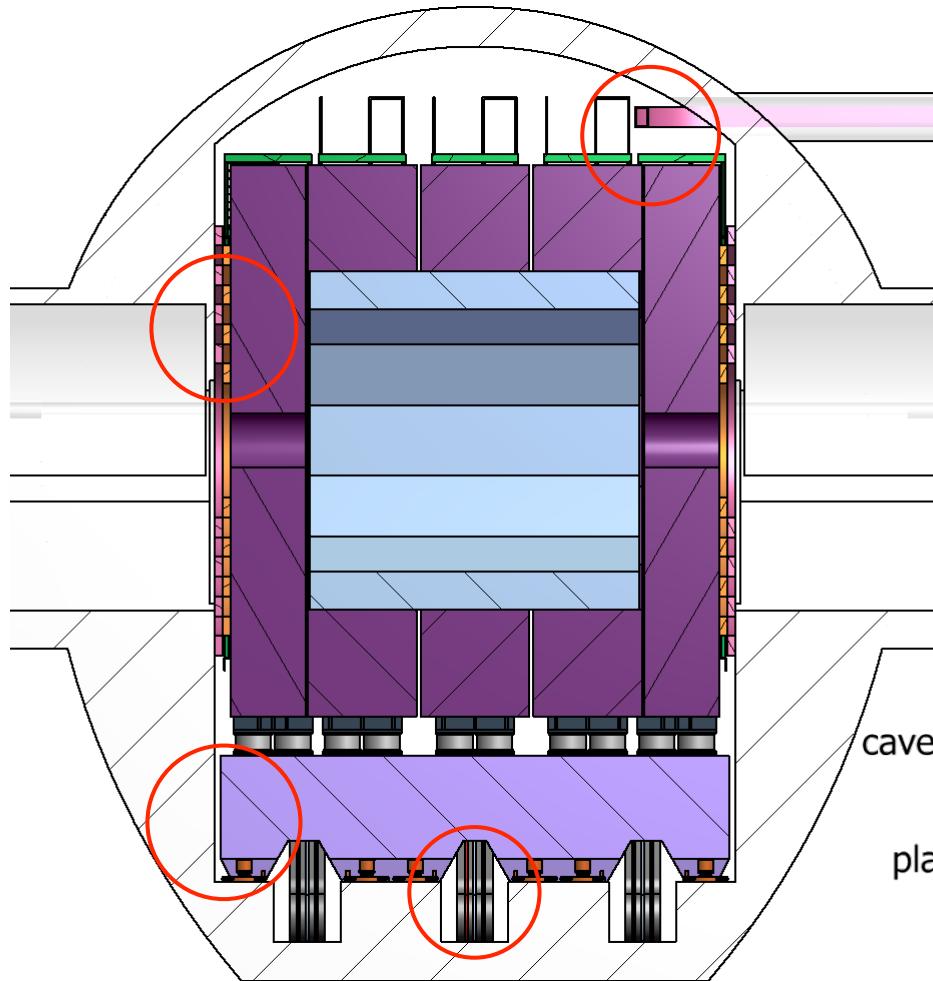
# Outline

- CLIC experimental area layout;
- Seismic action at CERN;
- Seismic isolation strategies;
- First FEA simulations results (CERN & J-PARC spectra);
- Above platform seismic isolation.

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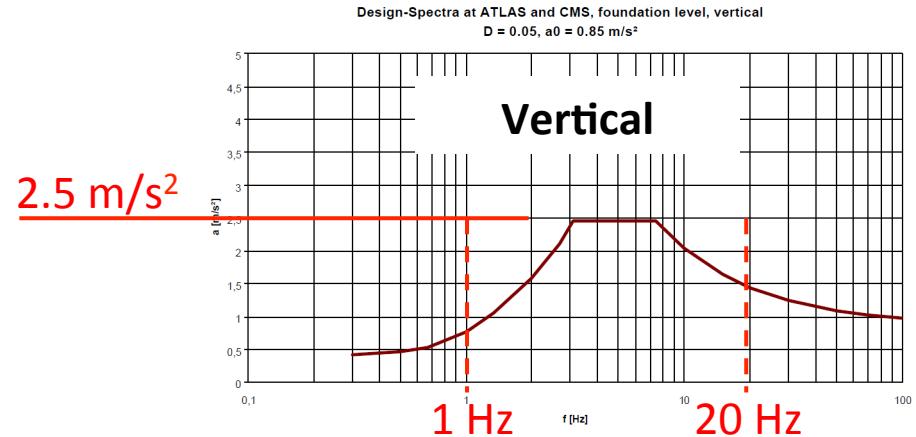
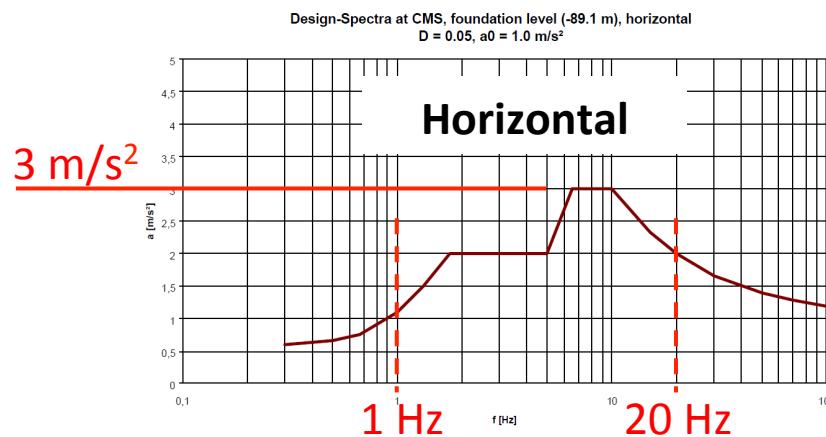


# Seismic action at CERN

- CERN is within a “moderate seismicity” zone;
- Nominal earthquake:

Period	Epicentral distance	Magnitude (Richter)	Duration
60-75 years	15 km	5.5-6.1	15 s

- French/Swiss/European regulations enforced;



G. Benincasa and R. Schmidt, "Seismic design spectra for ATLAS and CMS", March 2000



# Seismic isolation strategies

Four seismic isolation strategies:

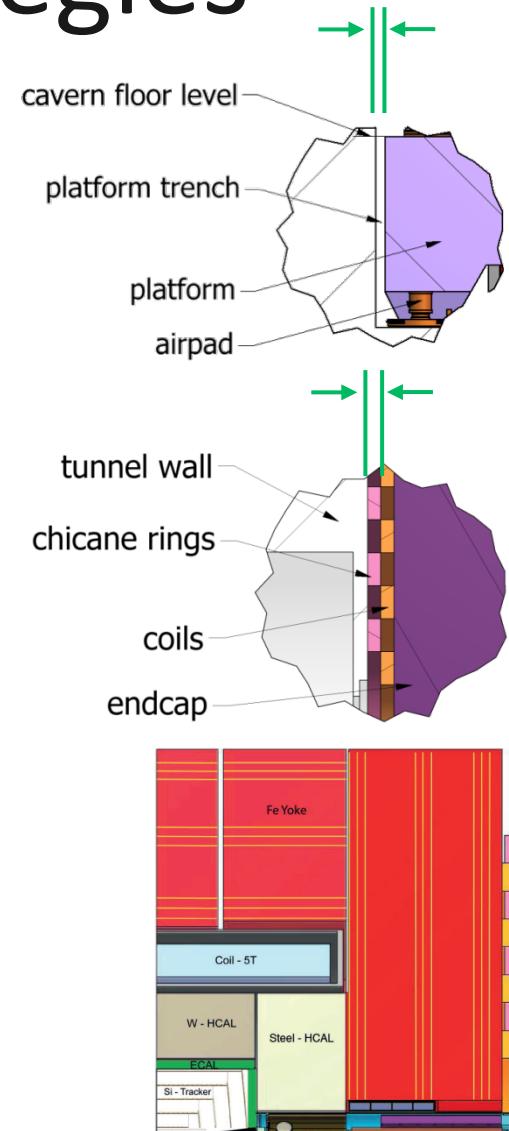
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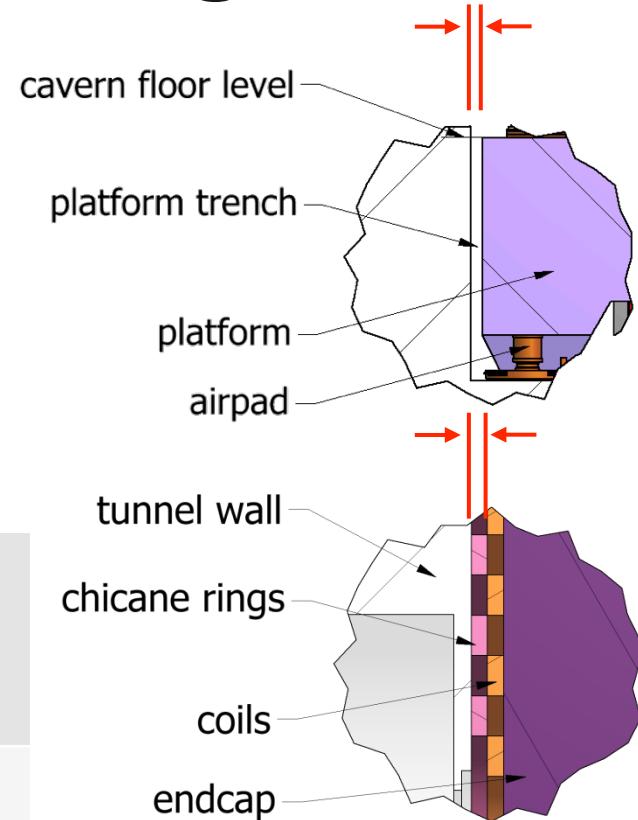
Pros	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Most straightforward to implement;</li><li>• No impacts with trenches or cavern walls;</li></ul>
Cons	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Design detector to withstand loads;</li></ul>
Feasibility	✓



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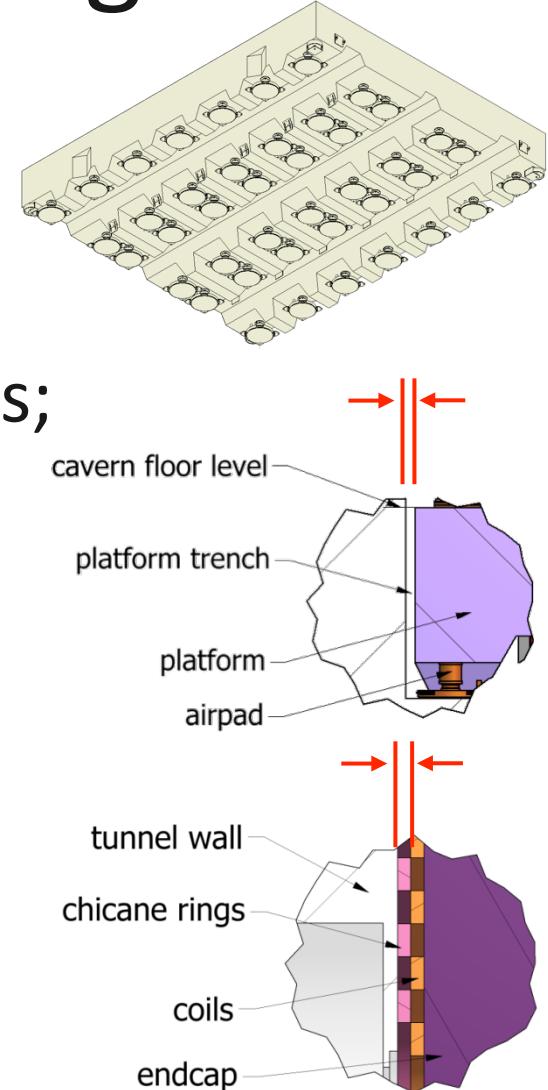
Pros	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Isolation of both platform and detector;</li><li>• No additional elements;</li></ul>
Cons	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• No earthquake detection network;</li><li>• Limited time to inflate airpads;</li><li>• Possible impacts with trenches and cavern walls;</li></ul>
Feasibility	<span style="color: red;">✗</span>



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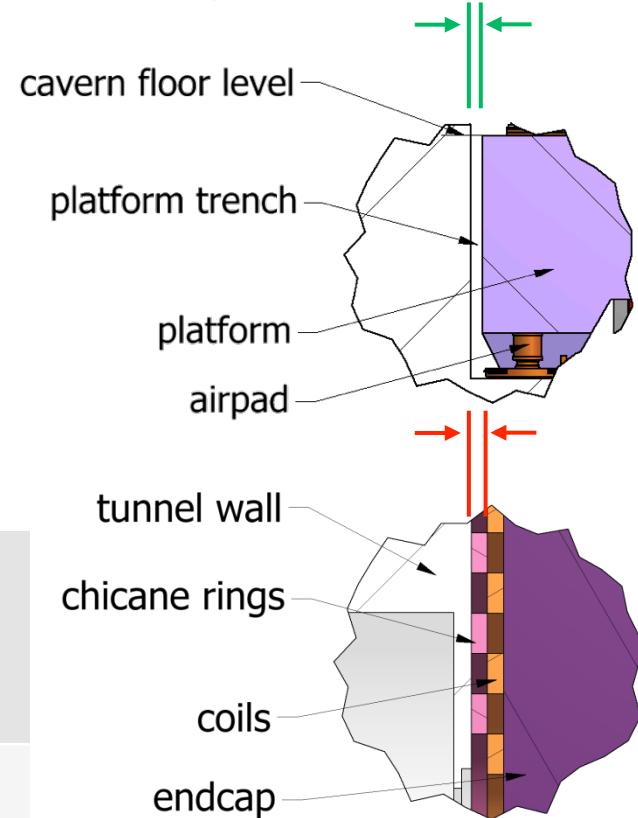
Pros	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Isolation of both platform and detector;</li></ul>
Cons	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Not enough space beneath the platform;</li><li>• Possible impacts with trenches and cavern walls;</li></ul>
Feasibility	<span style="color:red;">✗</span>



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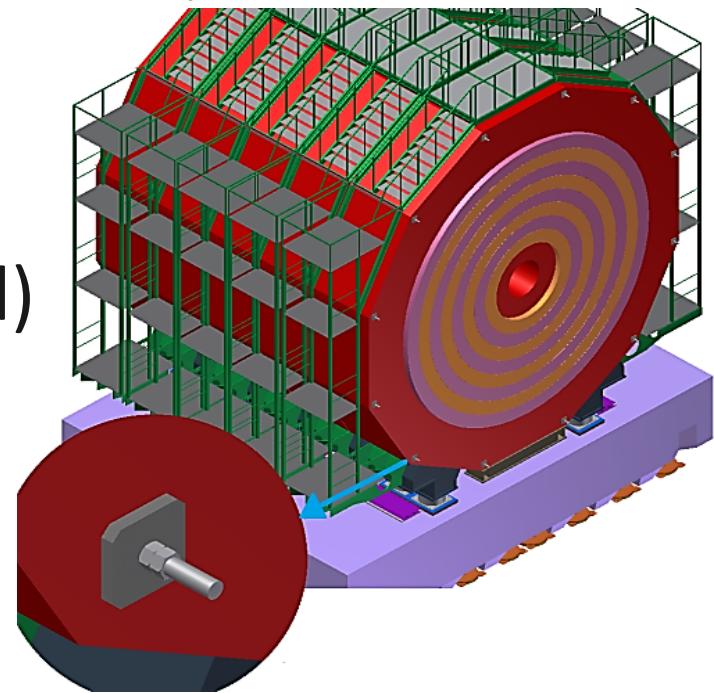
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Pros	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Isolation during assembly and maintenance;</li></ul>
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Feasibility	✓



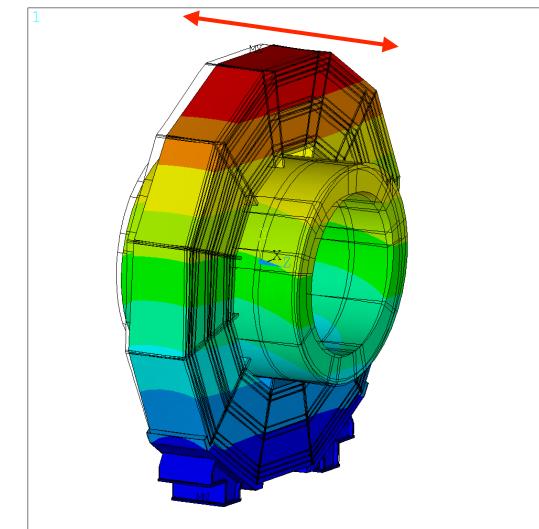
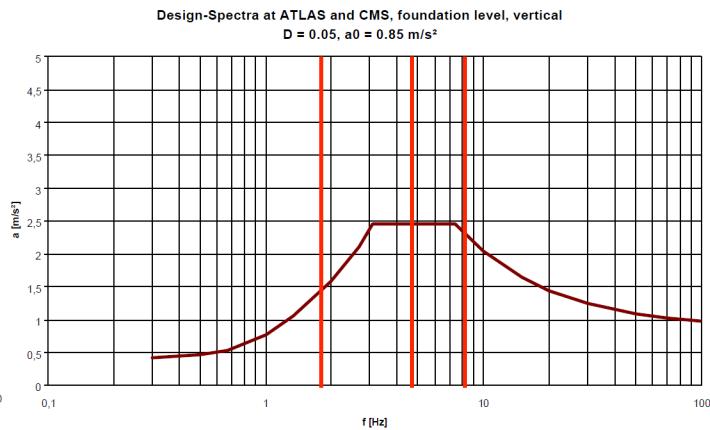
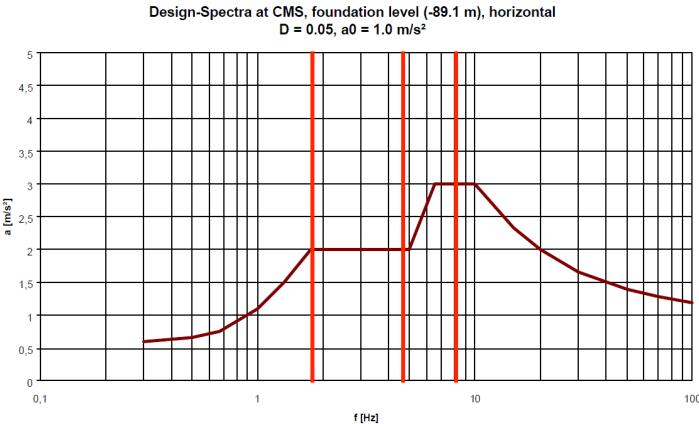
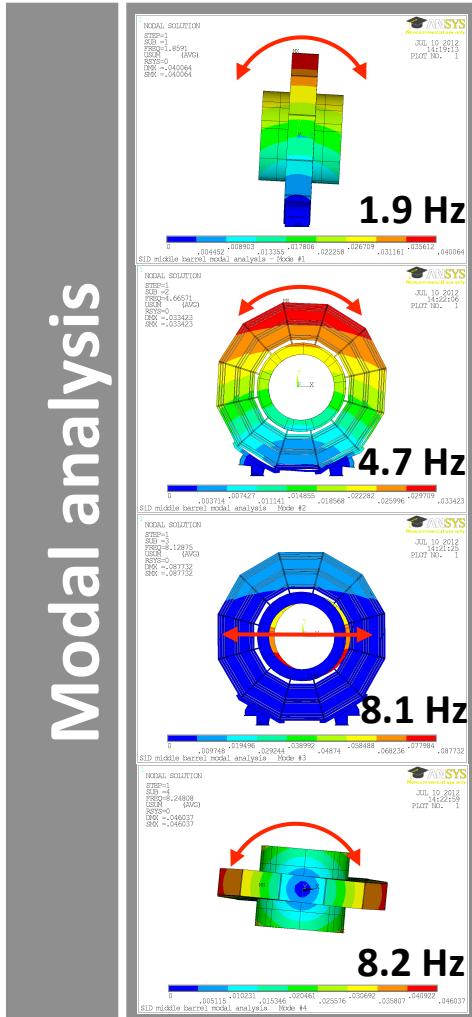
# Rigid detector support

- Detector must withstand moderate seismic events;
- Tie-rods and magnetic forces maintain detector closed when in data-taking position;
- Integrity of all detector components must be maintained in garage (opened) and data-taking (closed) position;

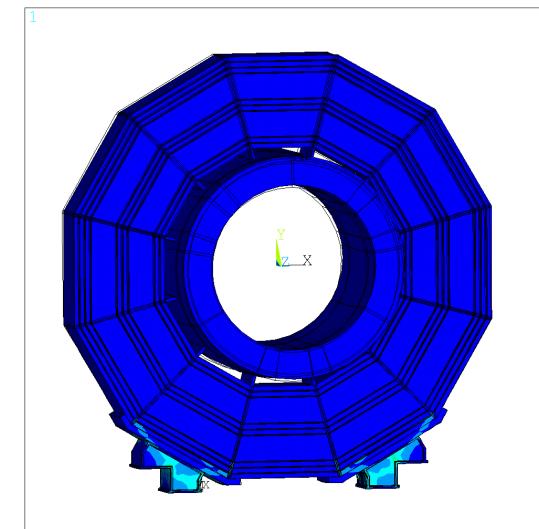


# CLIC\_SiD yoke – Garage

## Modal analysis



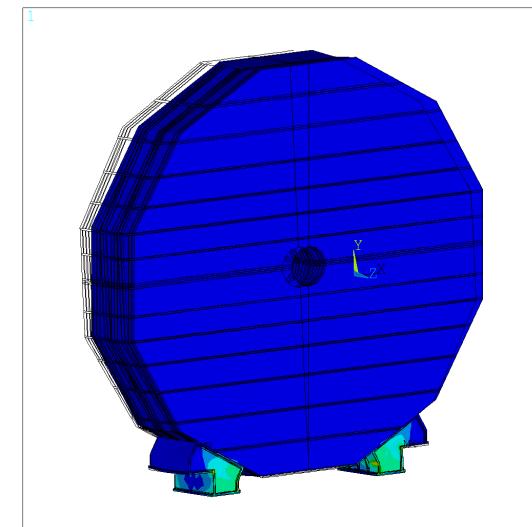
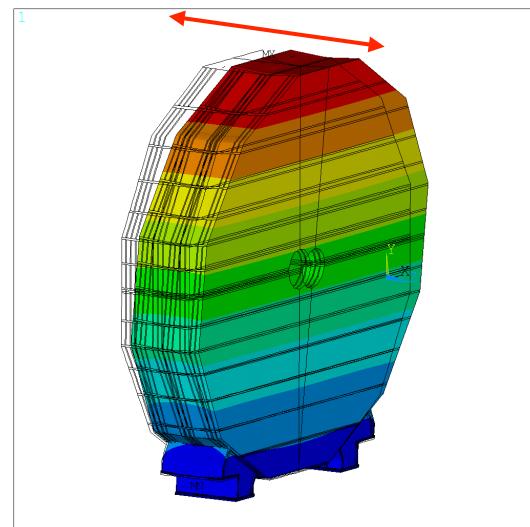
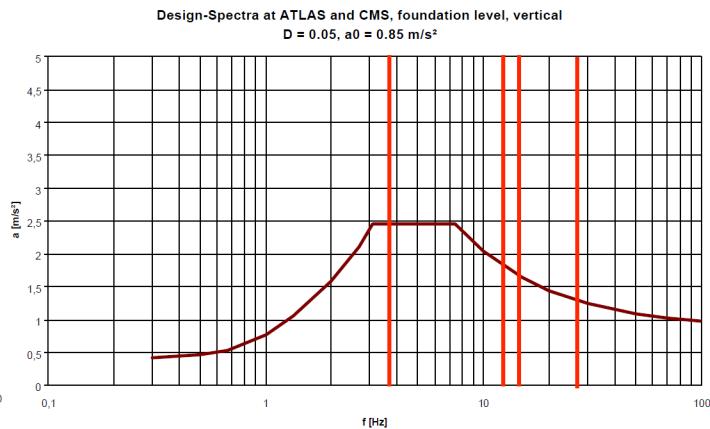
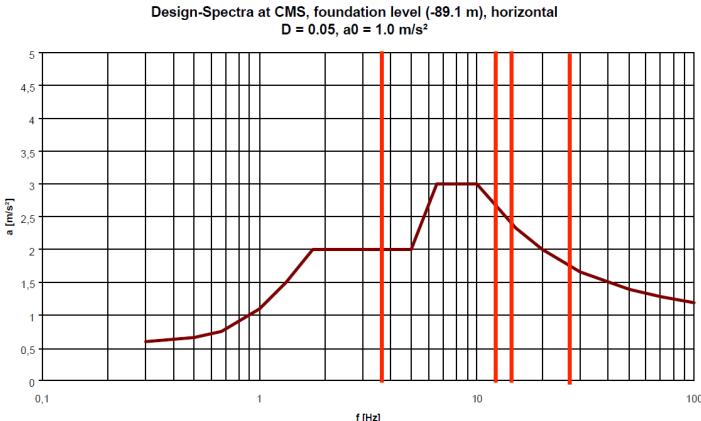
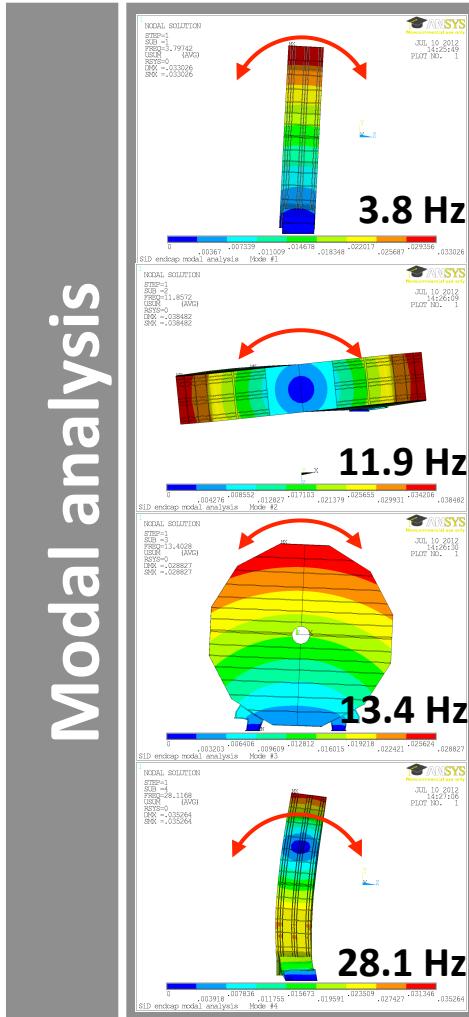
Maximum deformation: 23 mm



Maximum v. Mises stress: 350 MPa

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Maximum deformation: **5.6 mm**

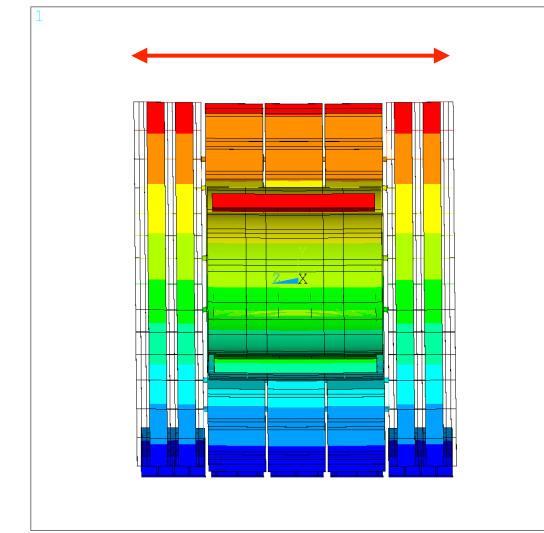
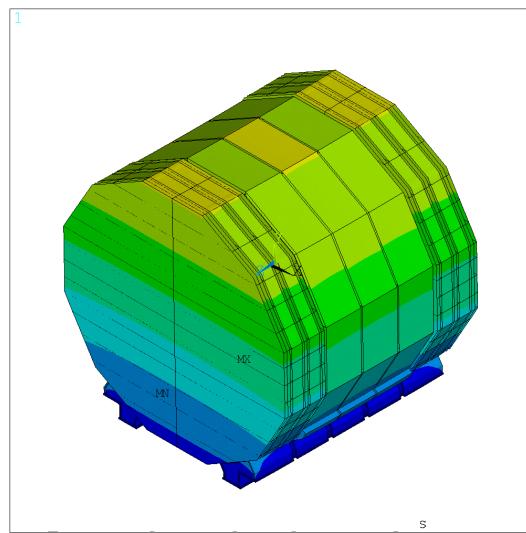
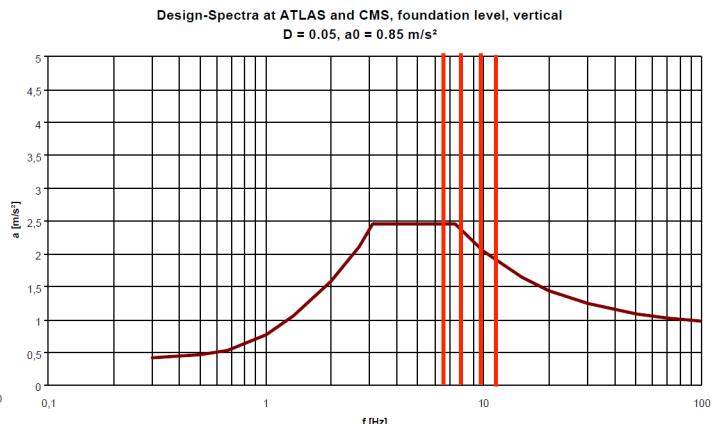
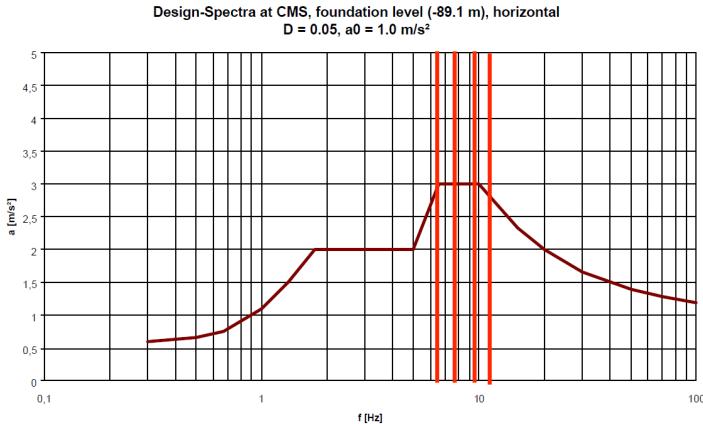
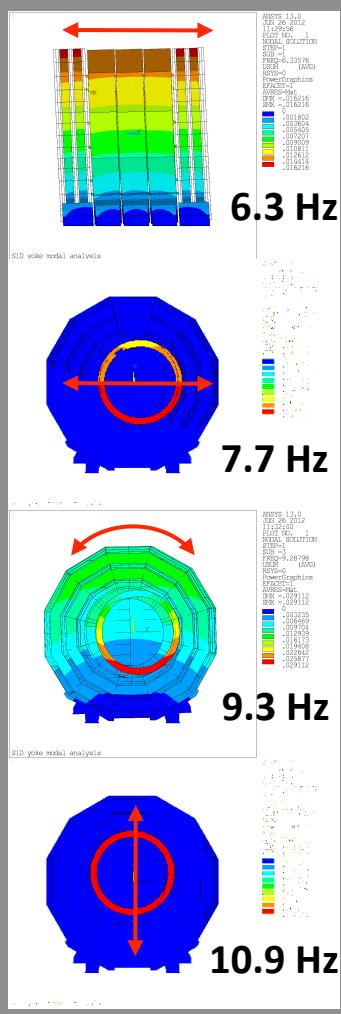
Maximum v. Mises stress: **172 MPa**

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# CLIC\_SiD yoke – Data-taking

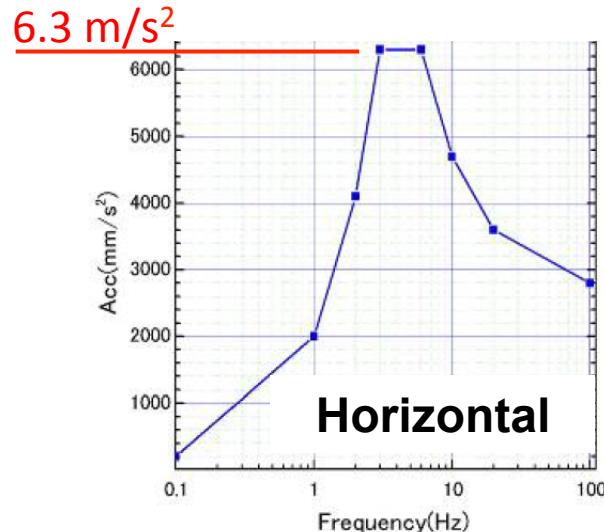
## Modal analysis



Maximum deformation: 4.3 mm

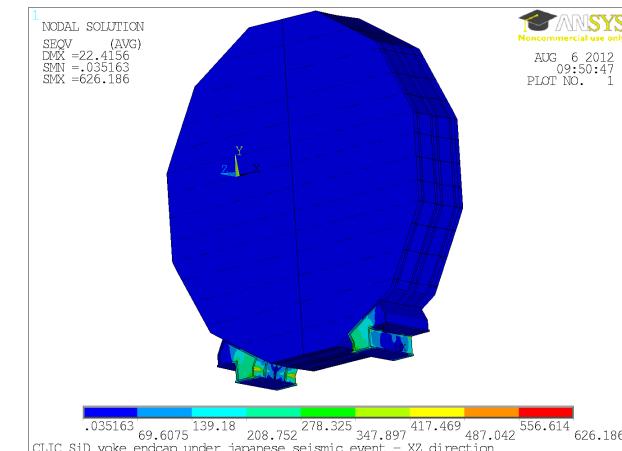
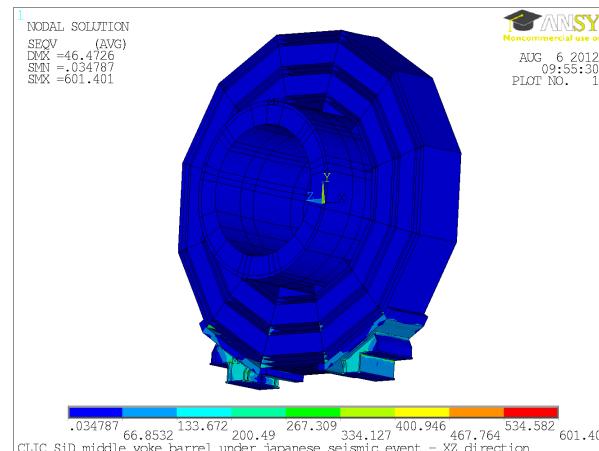
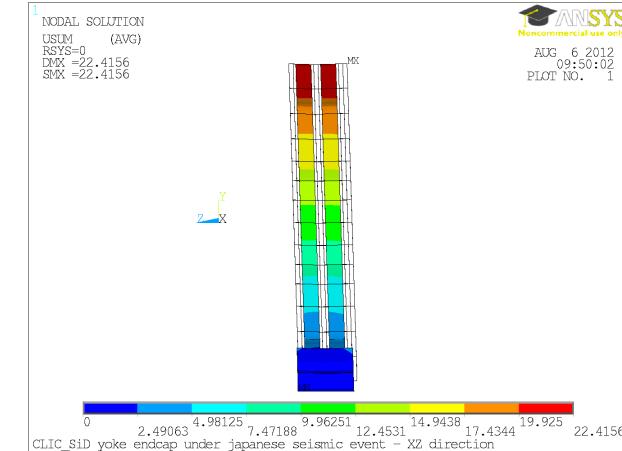
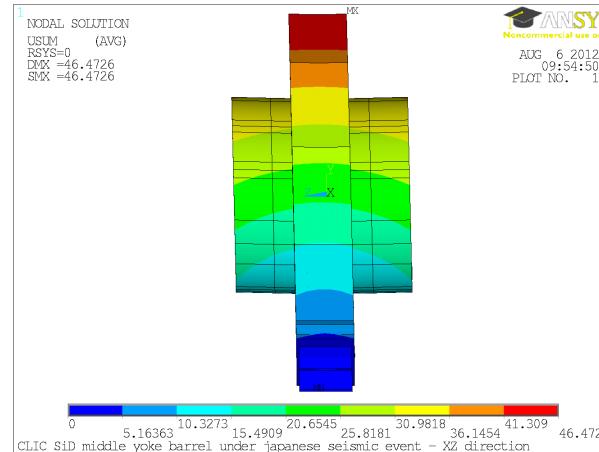
Deformation along beam axis: 2.8 mm

# CLIC\_SiD yoke – J-PARC spectrum



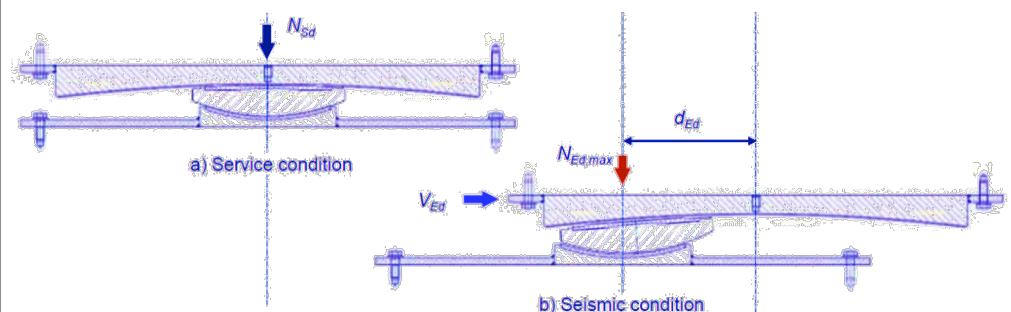
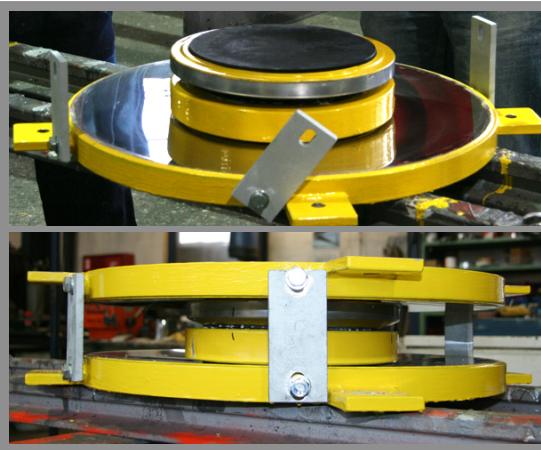
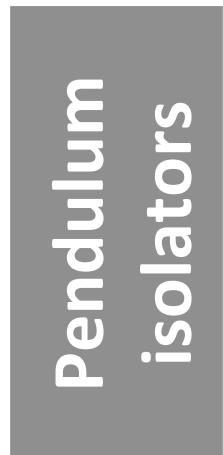
J-PARC - ND280 magnet system spectrum  
Courtesy: T. Tauchi (KEK)

Rigid strategy **not feasible** in high seismicity locations

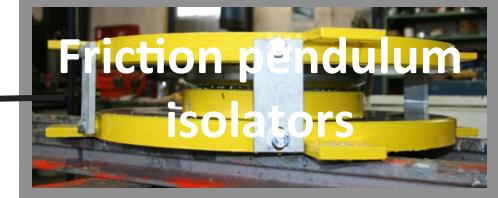
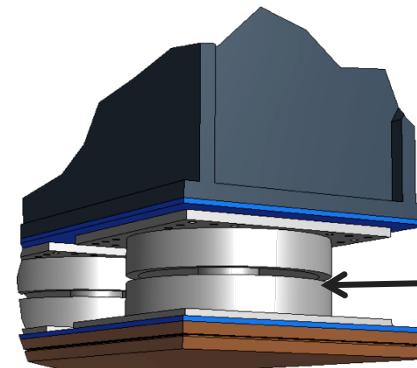
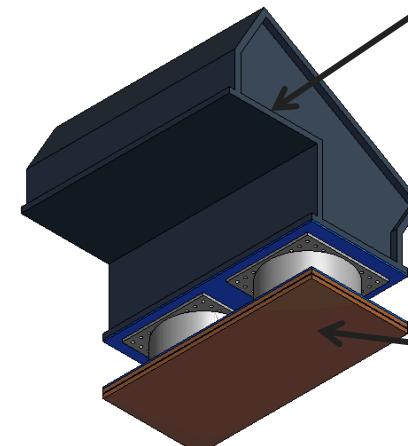
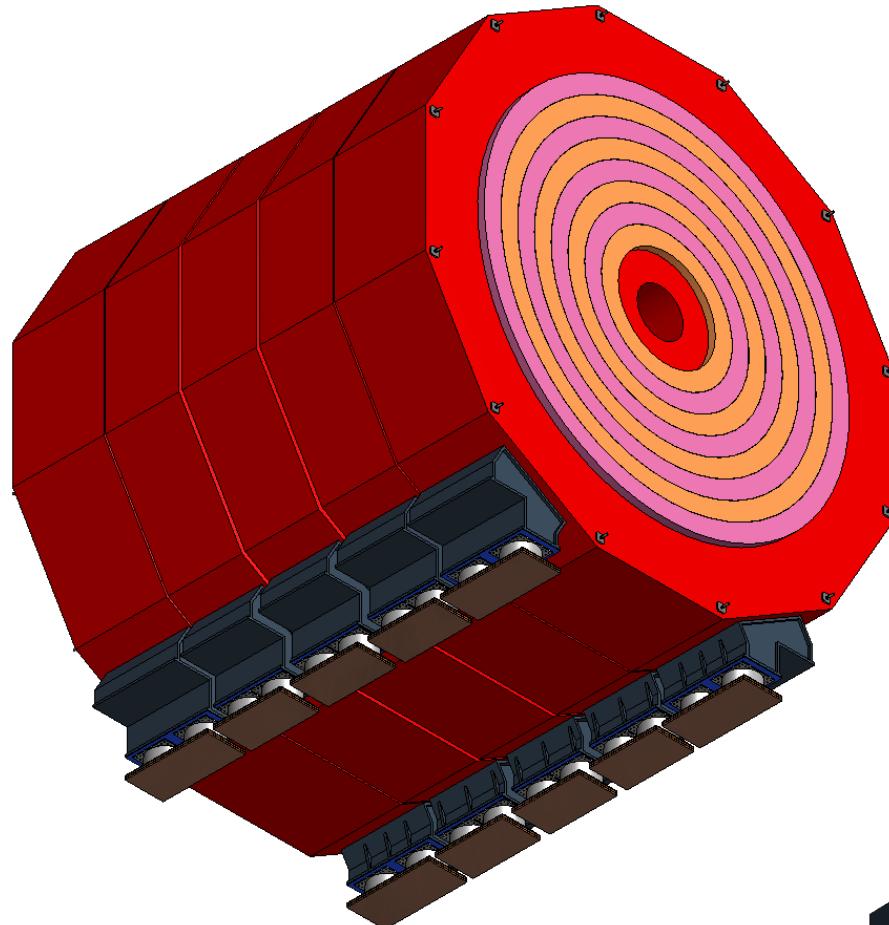


# Above platform isolation

- Friction pendulum isolators beneath the detector feet;
- Reliable technology;
- No high compliance elements (e.g. rubber) improves the positioning of the detector;

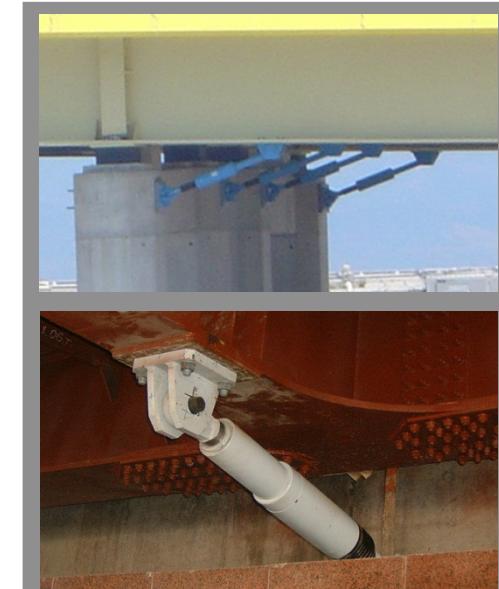
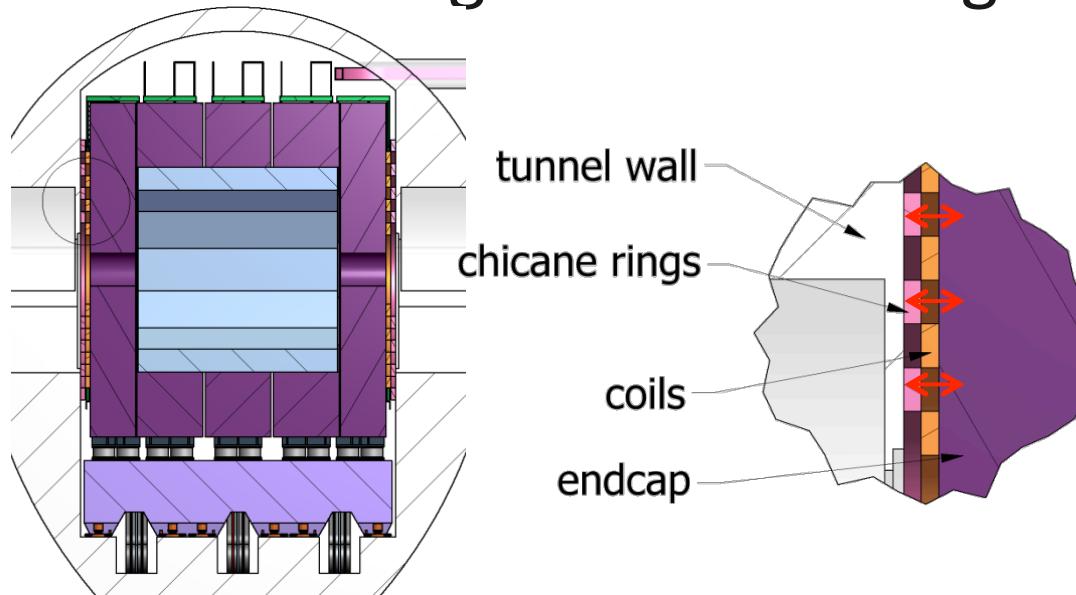


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# IP area constraints

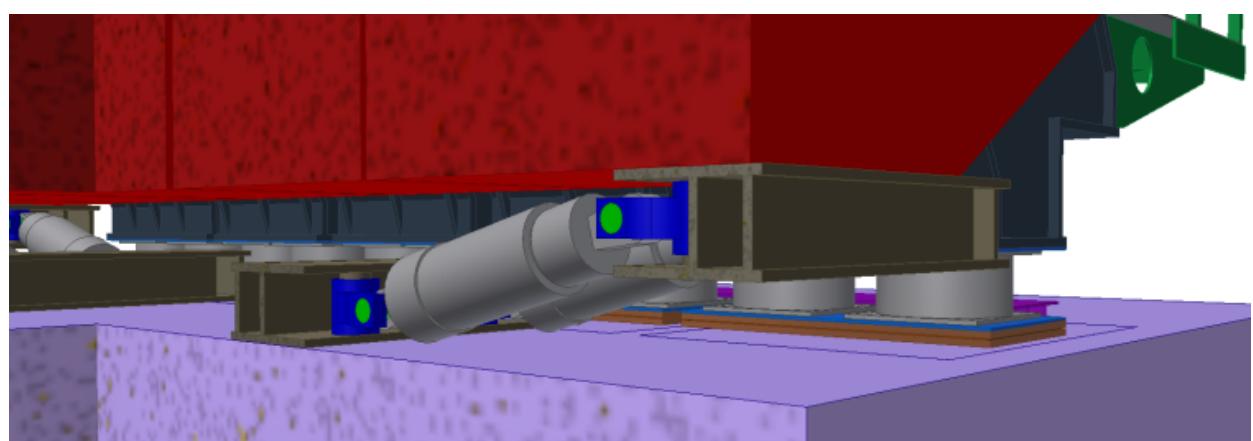
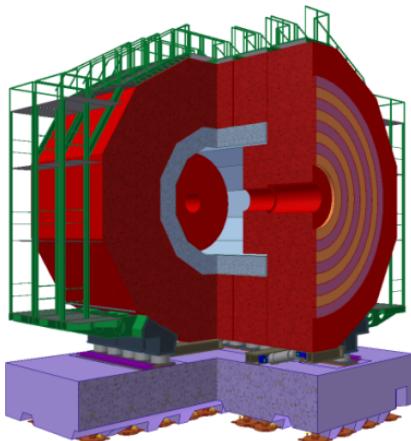
- Movement of detector restricted by cavern walls;
- Viscous dampers can be used to limit oscillation amplitudes along the beam direction;
- Chicane rings will allow longitudinal movement;



Viscous dampers

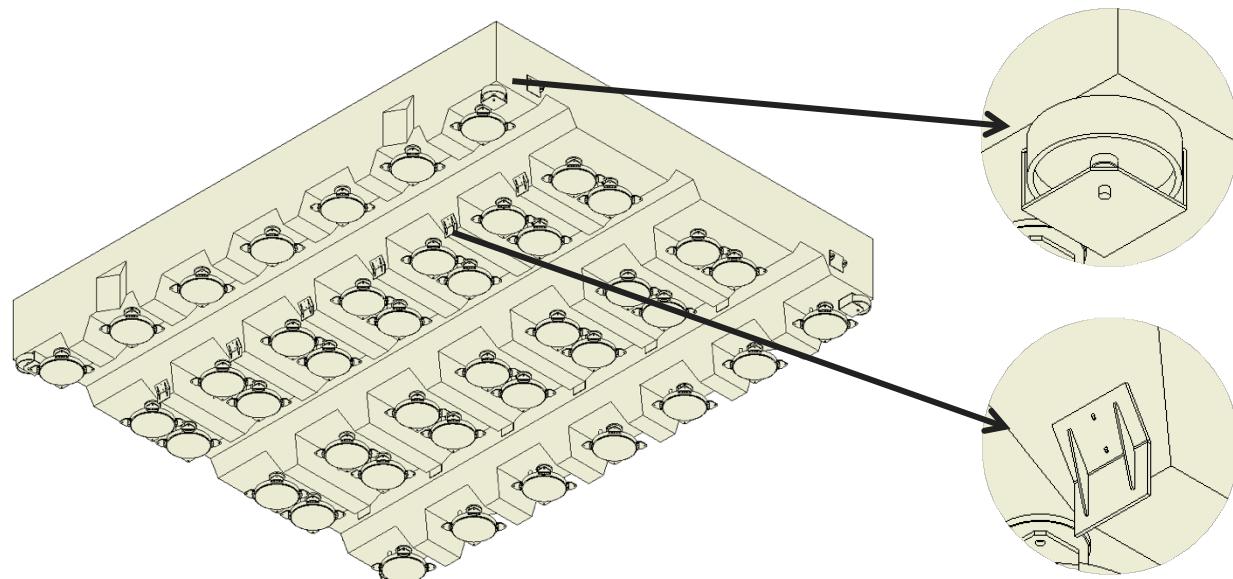
# Energy dissipation

- 8 dampers connect the closed detector to the platform;
- Mechanical “fuse” provides rigidity under normal operating conditions;
- Removal upon opening of detector;



# Earthquake during Push-Pull

- Isolation provided by inflated airpads;
- Guidance elements prevent collisions of the platform with the trenches;



# Summary

- Design of detectors must follow enforced regulations;
- In low to moderate seismicity areas, a rigid detector support might be an option;
- Validation through extensive FEA analyses is needed (special emphasis to calorimeters and inner detectors);
- Otherwise, above platform seismic isolation will be required;
- Cavern design, push-pull operation and available space will dictate the final design.



Thank You.

# Spare Slides

## Seismic isolation and damping principle

