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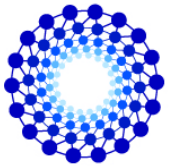
# The PIGES association

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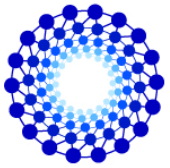
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# PIGES

Piges is an association created in 2010 gathering French companies involved in Research Infrastructures

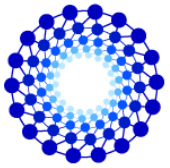
- ❖ To promote their activities
- ❖ To enhance links with research labs (training...)
- ❖ To initiate common R&D programs with Research Institutes



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## ❖ Areas of actions:

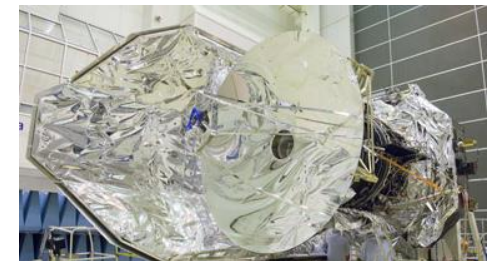
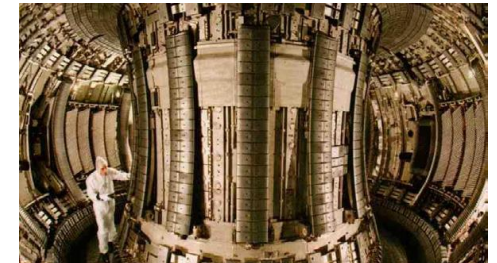
- Setting R&D projects
- Developing Technology Platforms
- Managing the “national pole of excellence”
- Strategic monitoring of technologies
- Promoting knowledge and experiences
- Sharing investment

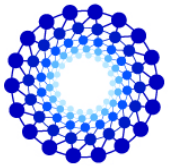


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## ❖ Adressing:

- Accelerators
- Biology and Medecine
- Nuclear Energy: Fusion and Fission reactors
- Space programs
- Astrophysics
- High power lasers





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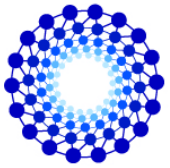


Many skills and know how



A large capacity to  
Undertake R&D projects





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## Fields of expertise of PIGES Members:

- ❖ Projects & Programs Management
- ❖ Technical Engineering and certification
- ❖ Particle accelerator engineering
- ❖ Nuclear safety
- ❖ Advanced materials
- ❖ Metallurgy and Superconductivity
- ❖ Opto Mechanical optronics
- ❖ Optical beam
- ❖ Electrical Engineering, Electronics
- ❖ Magnetism
- ❖ Microwaves
- ❖ High Pulsed Power
- ❖ High voltage, high current
- ❖ Power Electronics
- ❖ Vacuum & Ultra-high Vacuum
- ❖ Cryogenics
- ❖ Precision Mechanics Engineering
- ❖ Micro positioning
- ❖ Assembling Technologies
- ❖ Integration in a clean environment
- ❖ Metrology and non destructive testing

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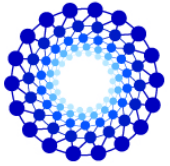
MECACHROME

SIGMAPHI  
ACCELERATOR TECHNOLOGIES

SDMS  
la chaudronnerie blanche®

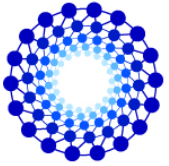
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Industries • Sciences

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❖ A glance at our know-how and references

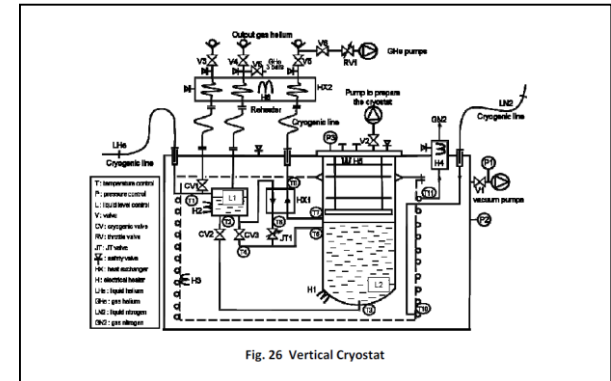
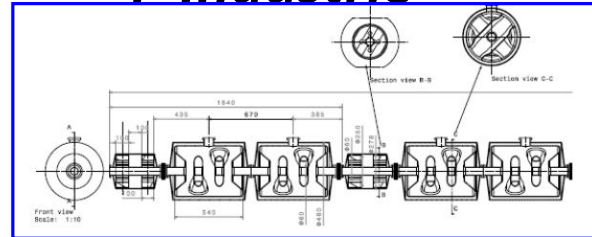
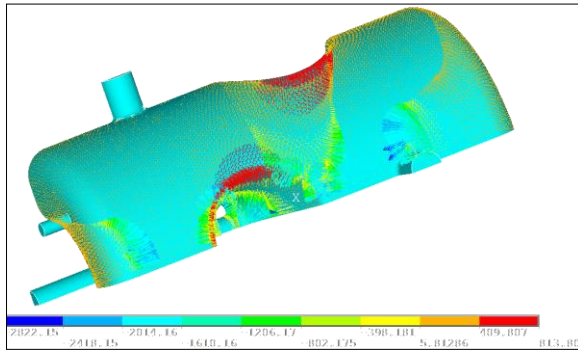


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# ACCELERATORS AND CRYOGENIC SYSTEMS

## *Ingénierie d'Accélérateurs de Particules pour la Recherche, la Santé, l'Énergie et l'Industrie*

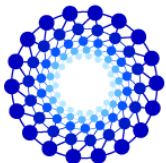


### Our expertise:

- **General accelerators and cryogenics systems conceptual studies**
- **SC cavities and ancillary equipment design (e.m. and thermo-mechanical)**
- **Cryogenic systems detailed studies (thermal and mechanical)**
- **Prototyping (follow-up, controls, tests, ...)**

**Un accord de coopération avec des laboratoires du CNRS permet à ACS de proposer des prestations pour la préparation et le test des composants accélérateurs**





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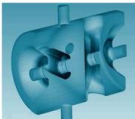
# ACCELERATORS AND CRYOGENIC SYSTEMS

## Our first one partners :

Final Report (part 1)  
rev. 2

Technical Support  
for the study and  
construction  
of the first ESS-Bilbao  
cryomodule

18 / 05 / 2011




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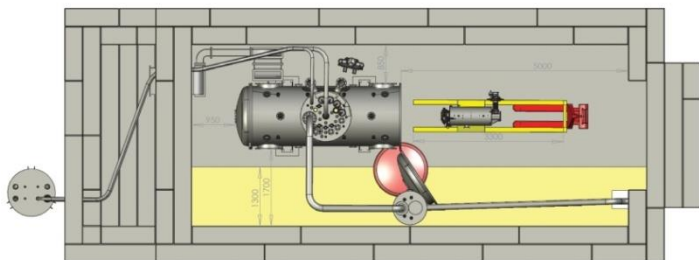
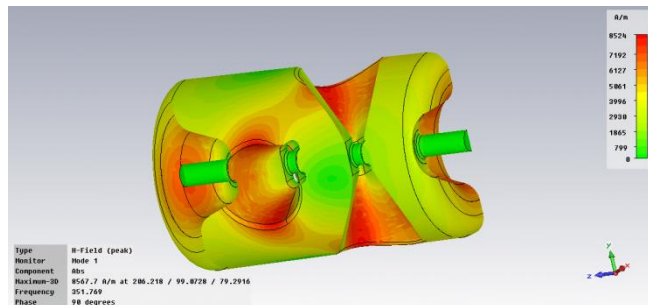
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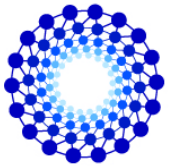
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DE CIENCIA  
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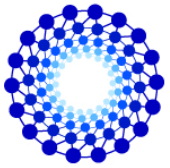
# AIR LIQUIDE

TM

## ❖ Helium liquefaction and refrigeration systems (1.8K – 80 K) :

- Liquefiers : 20 l/h to 8 000 l/h
- Refrigerators : 100 W to 30 kW
- Cryogenic storages
- Cryogenic transfert lines
- Gas driers and purifiers





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❖ Helium liquefaction and refrigeration systems  
(1.8K – 80 K) main references :

- LHC, Atlas, CMS at CERN
- Tore supra, IPR, KSTAR, and now building JT60SA, and ITER Cryoplants
- Qatar I and II plants: 28% of the helium production World Wide (purification and liquefaction for export)
- SOLEIL, Diamond, SSRF, NSRRC, NSRC
- ILL, ISIS, SNS



## A multi-technology Group acting in five domains

- Defence & Security – Energy - Medical Machines – Aeronautics - Research Infrastructures

## More than 30 subsidiaries mastering a large portfolio of key technologies in

- Materials, Mechanics, Assembly, Power, Thermics, Electro-magnetism, Radioactive environments....

## A long history of collaboration with Research Institutes

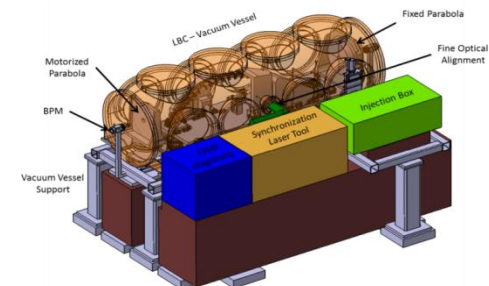
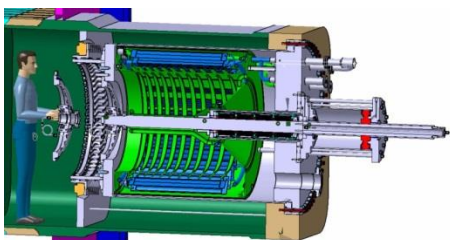
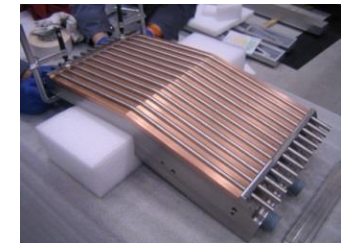
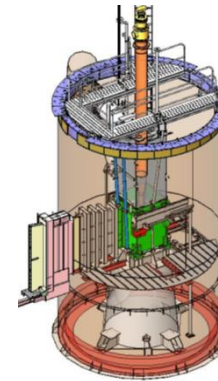
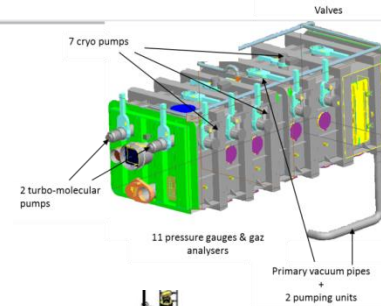
## A wide range of offers for Research Infrastructures

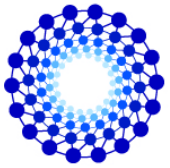
- ❖ Complex mechanical systems & assemblies
- ❖ RF components
- ❖ Ceramic / metal assemblies
- ❖ Accelerating sections
- ❖ High Voltage components & sub-systems
- ❖ Beam line components



## Our references

- ❖ Petal High Power Laser Compression Vessel
- ❖ Linear accelerators & cyclotrons
- ❖ CABRI experimental fission reactor core rack
- ❖ Tore Supra ICRH antenna Faraday screen
- ❖ ITER First Wall Panel prototype
- ❖ ITER pre-production cryo-pump
- ❖ XFEL cryomodule assembly
- ❖ ELI-NP Gamma Source laser-electron interaction chamber
- ❖ Mirror systems, Monochromators, KB systems, ...





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# Brazing RFQ IPHI

**1. Cleaning CEA**

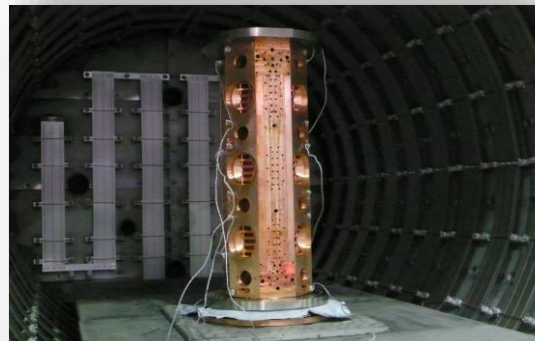
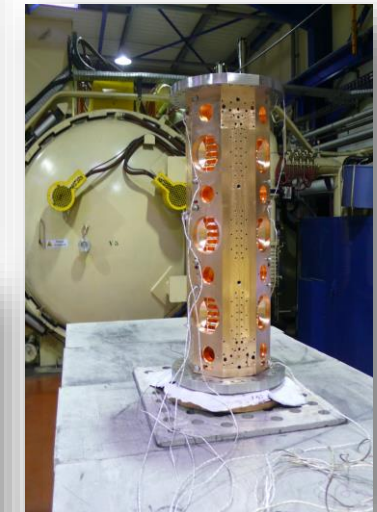
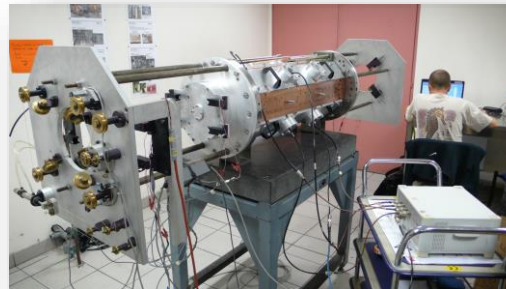
**2. Assembling Mecachrome**

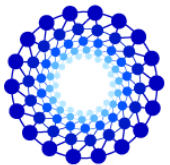
**3. Dimensional measurement  
Mecachrome**

**4. Radio frequency measurement  
Bodycote**

**5. Vacuum brazing Bodycote**

**Bodycote**





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**Bodycote**

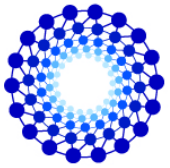
# Brazing CLIC: Accelerating structure



*Assembling and Brazing in  
BODYCOTE plant*



*Positioning in CERN*



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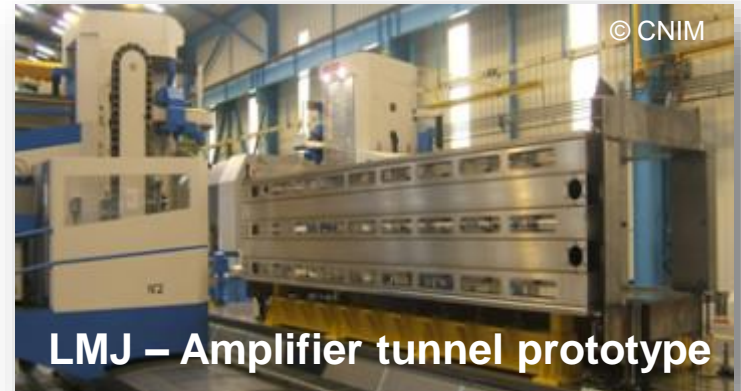
## Manufacturing of large mechanical components

- Expertize in Electron Beam welding process
- Big size components machining
- Large facilities located at La Seyne-sur-Mer, with sea access



ITER – Radial Plate prototype

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LMJ – Amplifier tunnel prototype

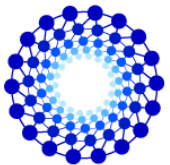
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VIRGO – Vacuum modules

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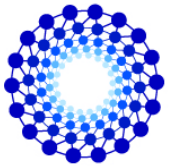
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## Design, manufacturing & installation of complex systems

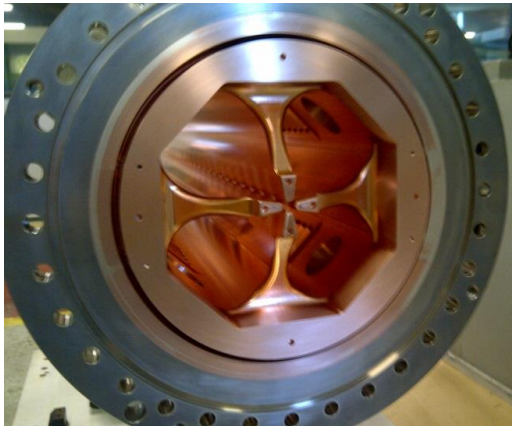




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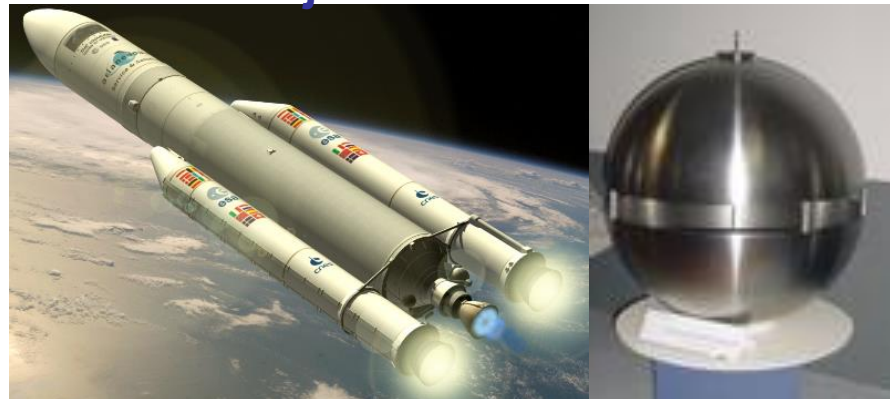
## ❖ High precision Machining



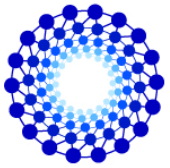
Radio Frequency  
Quadrupole RFQ  
Project CEA SACLAY



Radiotelescope NOEMA  
Project IRAM



Tanks for spatial  
applications

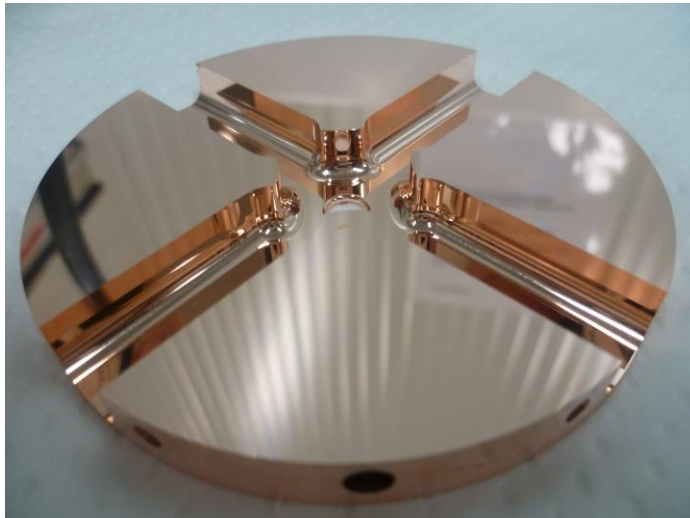


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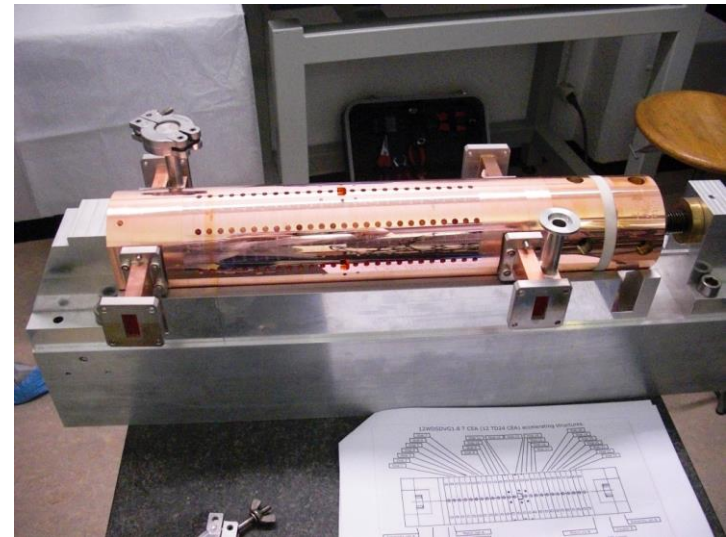
## ❖ Sub micronic Machining

- CLIC cavities
- Coupleurs



Disk  $\varnothing$  65, Ra : 2 nm

CNC Nano-machining at common  
R&D center CEA / MKA – Vibraye (72)



Cavity

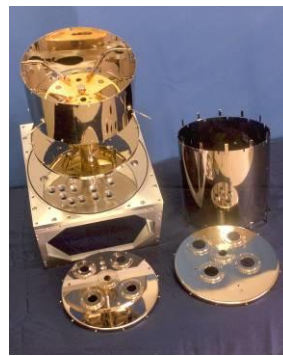
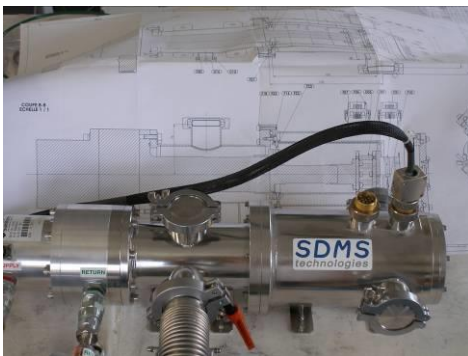


Manufacturing of welded mechanical boilermaking metalwork assemblies and components from noble materials (SS, copper, aluminum, niobium, titanium & nickel alloys,...)

### ❖ Vacuum & UHV Chambers and Equipment



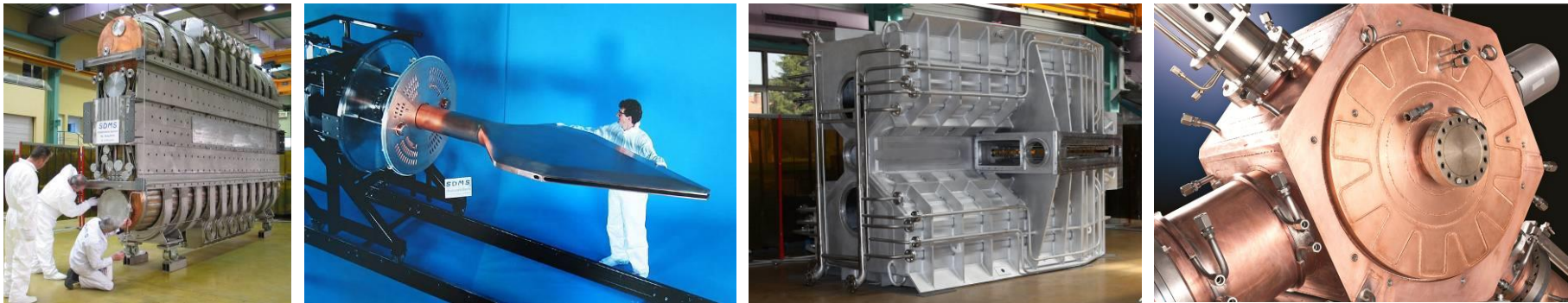
### ❖ Cryogenic Systems & Components



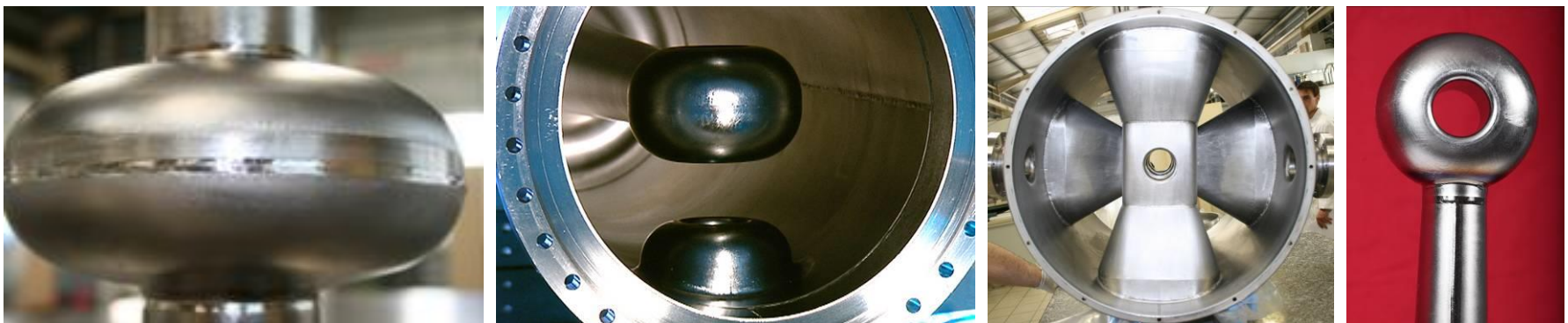


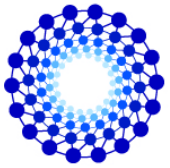
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### ❖ Normal RF Accelerating Cavities



### ❖ Niobium superconducting RF Accelerating Cavities



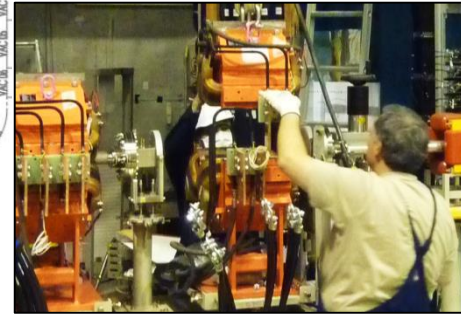
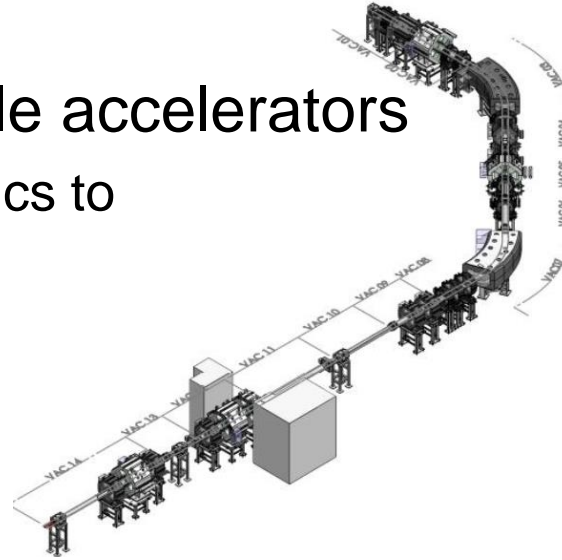


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## ❖ Turnkey systems for particle accelerators

- Particle beamlines (from optics to installation and alignment)
- Injection/extraction systems
- RF sources solutions

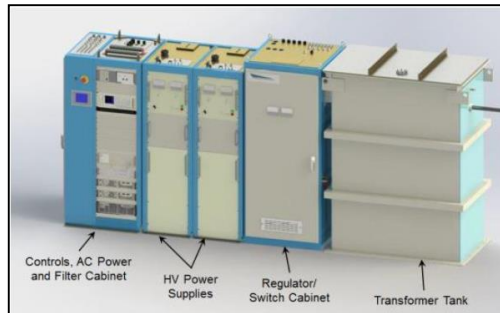


Installation at Tohoku University

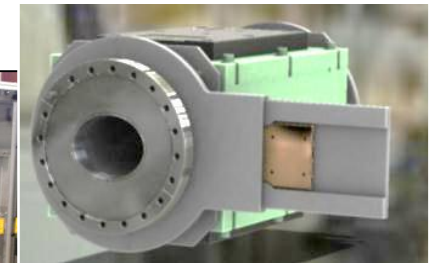
Acculina complete beamline



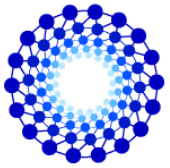
RF amplifier for FZD  
10kW @1.3 GHz



Klystron modulator for  
IPN Orsay 115kV / 50A



CRYRING Kicker  
magnet and pulser



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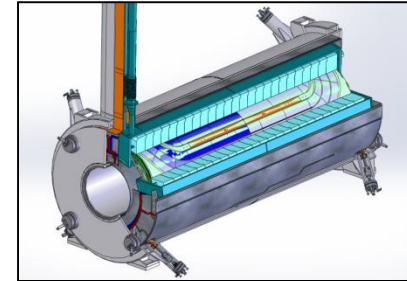


## ❖ Technologies

- Magnetic systems
- High stability power converters
- Command and control systems
- Vacuum / Ultra High Vacuum
- High voltage
- RF



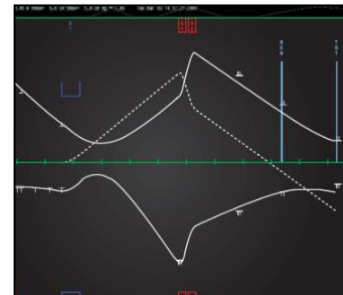
Soleil light source sextupoles



JLAB 4,2T SC dipole

## ❖ Many R&D collaborations

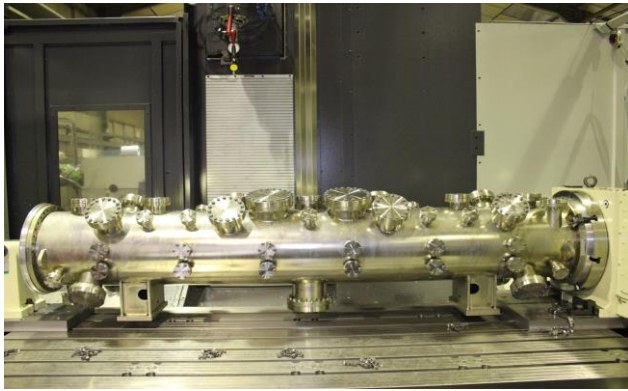
- Soleil TT
- CEA (collaborative agreements, PhD student, ...)
- ...



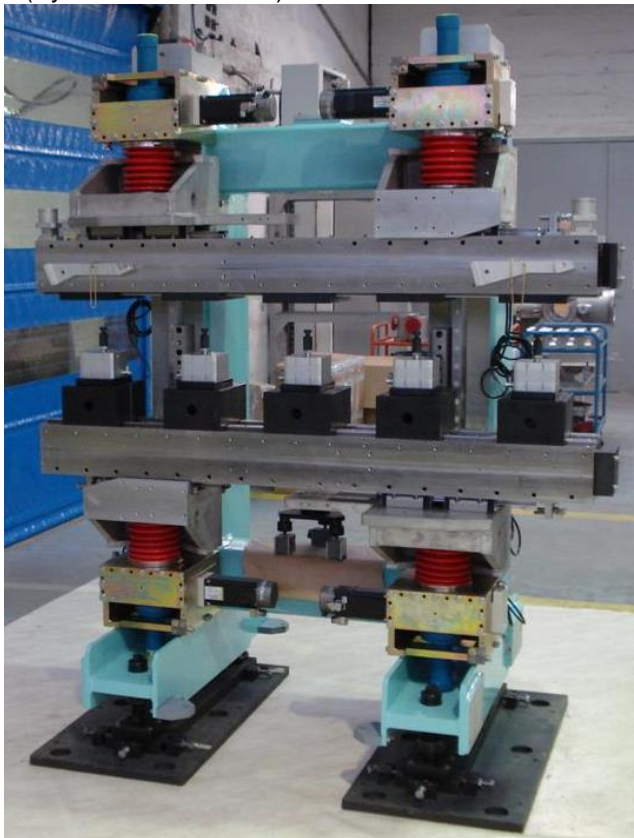
Beam optics calculation



SOLEIL ramped power supplies for booster magnets



Vacuum chamber in the course of manufacturing (Synchrotron SOLEIL)



Onduleur (Synchrotron SOLEIL)

Supplier of vacuum chambers and precision engineering for particle accelerators.

Design,  
Manufacturing,  
Weld,  
Assembly,  
Integration,  
Programming,  
Wiring,  
Helium test  
Vacuum drying  
And RGA

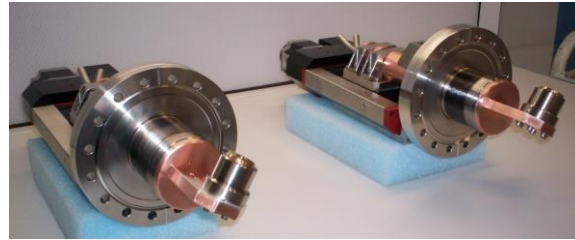


Absorber copper/stainless steel (Synchrotron ESRF)



ECR source bench (Pantechnik / BARC, India)  
Magnetic elements SIGMAPHI



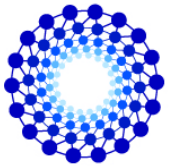


Some references :

- CERN
- Synchrotron SOLEIL and ESRF
- CEA Saclay
- IPN Orsay
- GANIL

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(Normandie)  
90 peoples  
5500 m<sup>2</sup> workshops  
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ISO 14001  
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## ❖ High precision hexapods and diffractometers

Positioning samples, mirrors, polarimeters, magnets...

Typical resolution:  $0.1 \mu\text{m}$  or  $0.5 \mu\text{rad}$

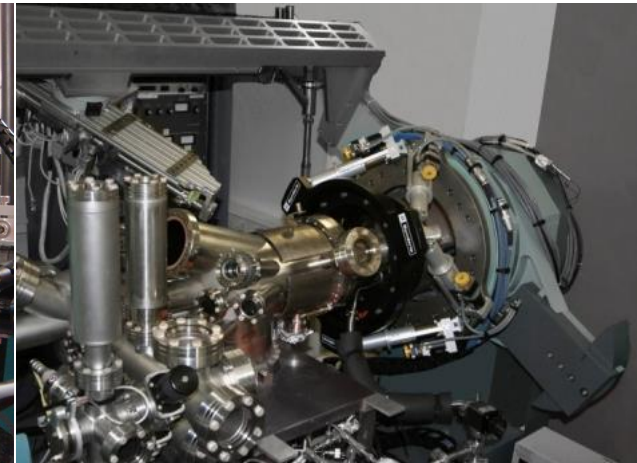
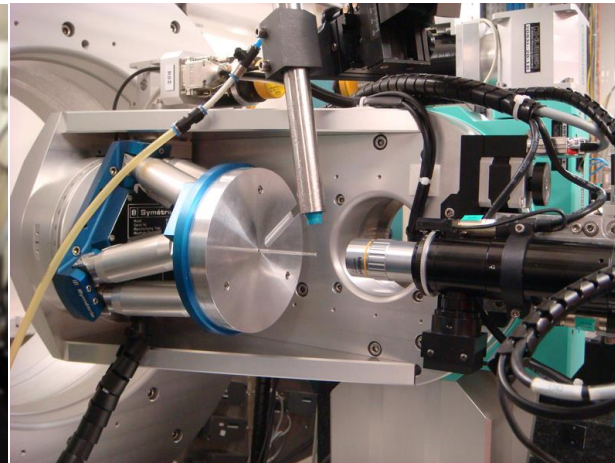
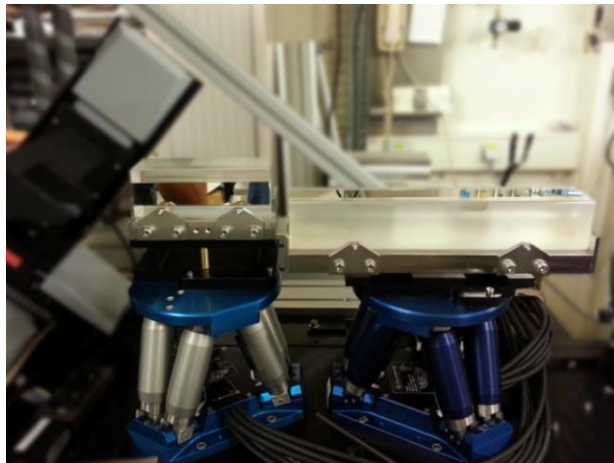
Vacuum compatibility in option



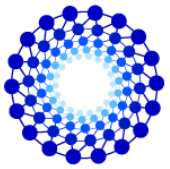
DLS: GI-SAXS

## ❖ Synchrotrons references

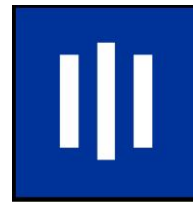
APS - Australian Synchrotron - CEA - ESRF - LBL - MAX-LAB - SLAC - SOLEIL



ESRF

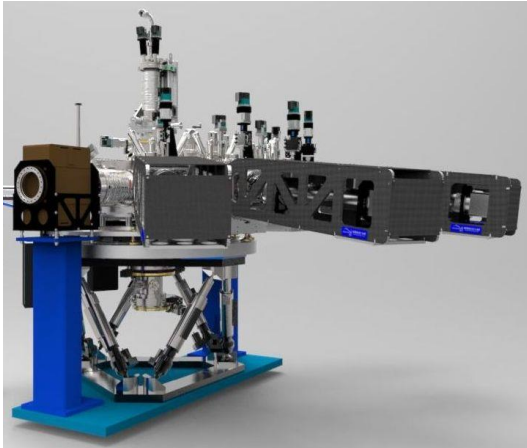


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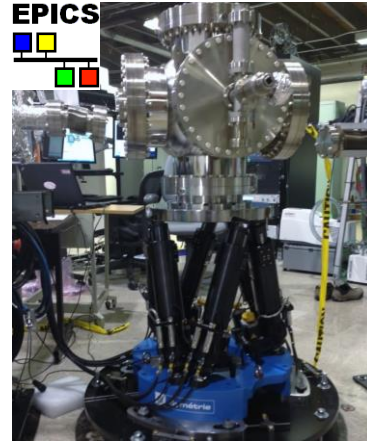


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## ❖ Examples of hexapods and diffractometers



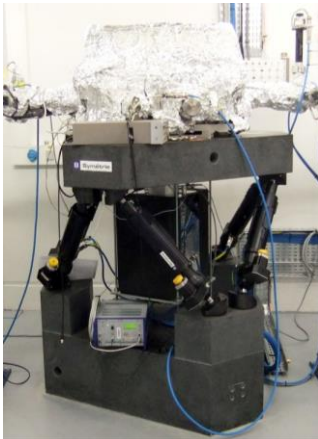
LBL: qRIXS experiments (3200 kg payload)



SLAC



APS



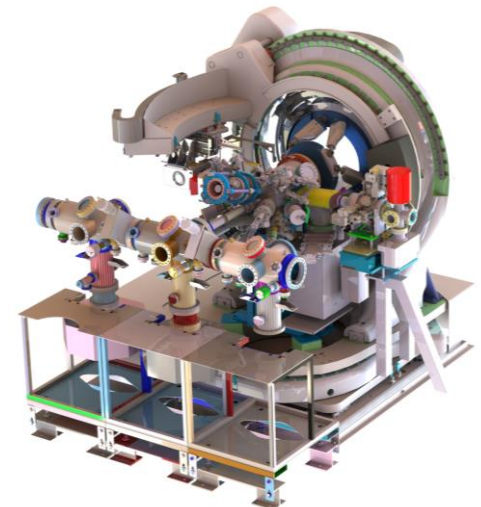
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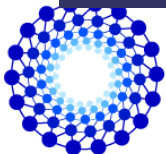


Australian Synchrotron



CEA: diffractometer to study nanostructures growth





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## Services

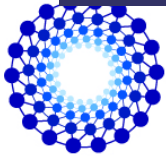
- System Architecture & Engineering
- Industrialization based upon Customers' specification or design
- Realization, integration, Commissioning
- Servicing & Support of operation

## Sub-Systems

- Complete RF Chain
- Power amplifiers
- Test and conditioning benches
- Accelerator sub-assemblies
- Mechanical Infrastructures in highly constrained environment
- Control and Command and automated systems
- Instrumentation and Diagnostics sub-systems

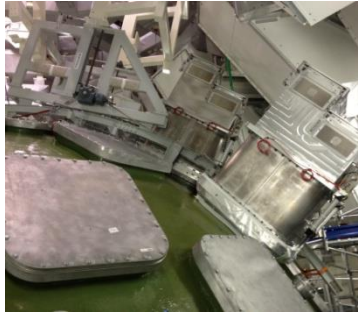
## RF Components

- Electron tubes
- Cryogenic couplers
- Solid-state drivers
- RF Windows
- LLRF



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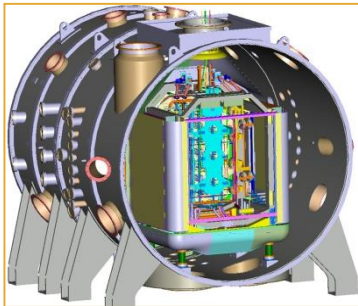
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**Laser Mega Joule (LMJ)**  
Supply of many sub-assemblies: supporting elements of the experience hall, chamber nose, the Mechanics System, first plasma diagnostics and energy bank.



**CEA-DAM (SIMULATION Program)**  
Modification, new Control-Command System design and geographical Transfer of the AIRIX Accelerator with production and qualification monitoring of sub-systems.



**ITER/F4E**  
Realization and integration of the Neutral Injection Heating sub-assembly and a prototype of the system (SPIDER).



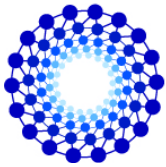
**ITER-India**  
Prototype amplifier for the Ion-Cyclotron Resonant Heating (ICRH).



**Industry**  
Study, supply and installation of an high-speed production line of electric bulbs.



**Cryogenic RF Couplers**  
1.3 GHz couplers for the XFEL accelerator with associated conditioning bank.



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## Marty Consultants SARL

### Objet

- Conseils en ingénierie, assistance et organisation aux entreprises dans les domaines de la science et la technologie,
- Services et conseils en matière de communication dans ces domaines.

### Champs d'activités

Fusion thermonucléaire,  
Fission nucléaire.

### Clients

- CEA,
- Agence Iter France,
- Onet Technologies, Comex Nucléaire,
- CS Systèmes d'Information,
- Institut pour la Maîtrise des Risques (IMdR),
- Development of Advanced Engineering Solutions (DAES SA).

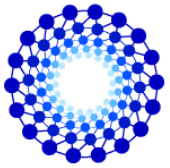
Marty Consultants SARL au capital de 1 000 Euros

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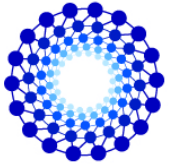
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- ❖ All these companies can link and work together to manage complex R&D projects
- ❖ Piges is also defining common actions with Société Française de Physique to develop recruitment and training
- ❖ Piges can help finding funds for common R and D between its members / CEA / CNRS



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# Thank you for your attention

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