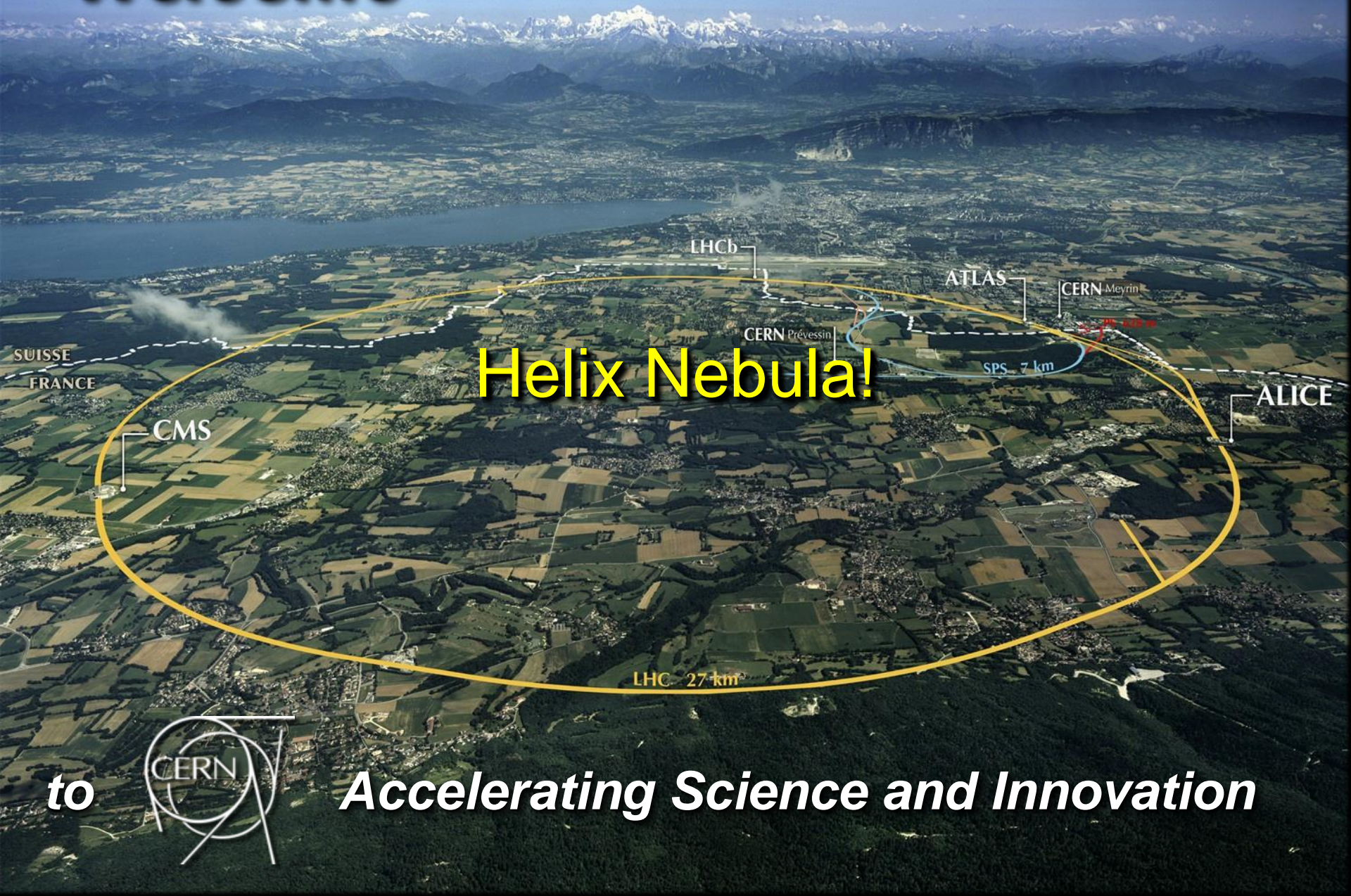


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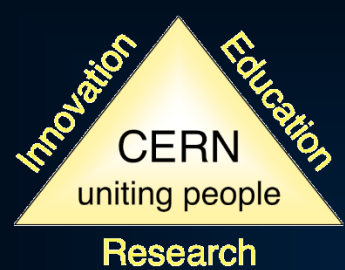


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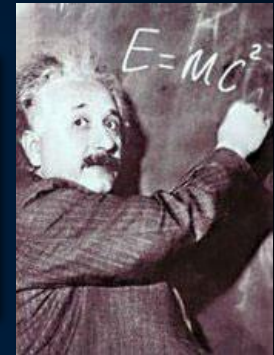
Accelerating Science and Innovation



The Mission of CERN

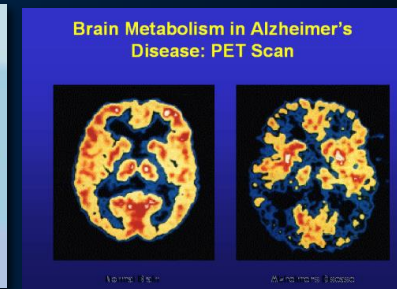
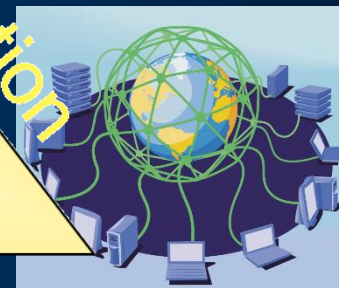
- ❑ **Push back** the frontiers of knowledge

E.g. the secrets of the Big Bang: what was the matter like within the first moments of the universe's existence?



- ❑ **Develop** new technologies, accelerators and detectors

Information technology
Medicine - diagnosis and therapy



- ❑ **Train** scientists and engineers of tomorrow



- ❑ **Unite** people from different countries and cultures



CERN was founded 1954: 12 European States

“Science for Peace”

Today: 21 Member States

~ 2300 staff
~ 1600 other paid personnel
~ 10500 users
Budget (2014) ~1000 MCHF

Member States: Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, the Czech Republic, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Israel, Italy, the Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Slovakia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland and the United Kingdom

Candidate for Accession: Romania

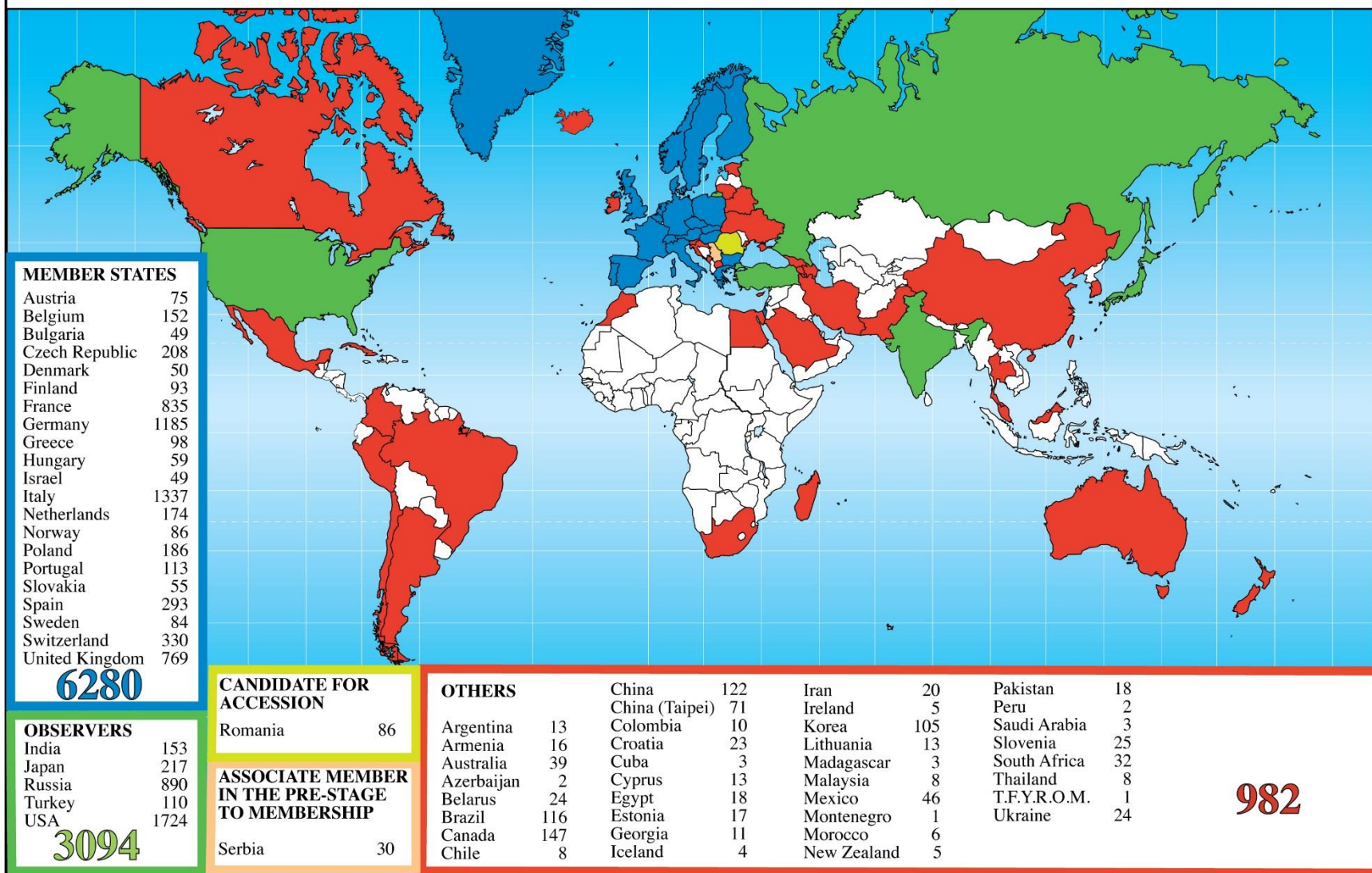
Associate Member in Pre-Stage to Membership: Serbia

Applicant States for Membership or Associate Membership:
Brazil, Cyprus, Pakistan, Russia, Slovenia, Turkey, Ukraine

Observers to Council: India, Japan, Russia, Turkey, United States of America; European Commission and UNESCO

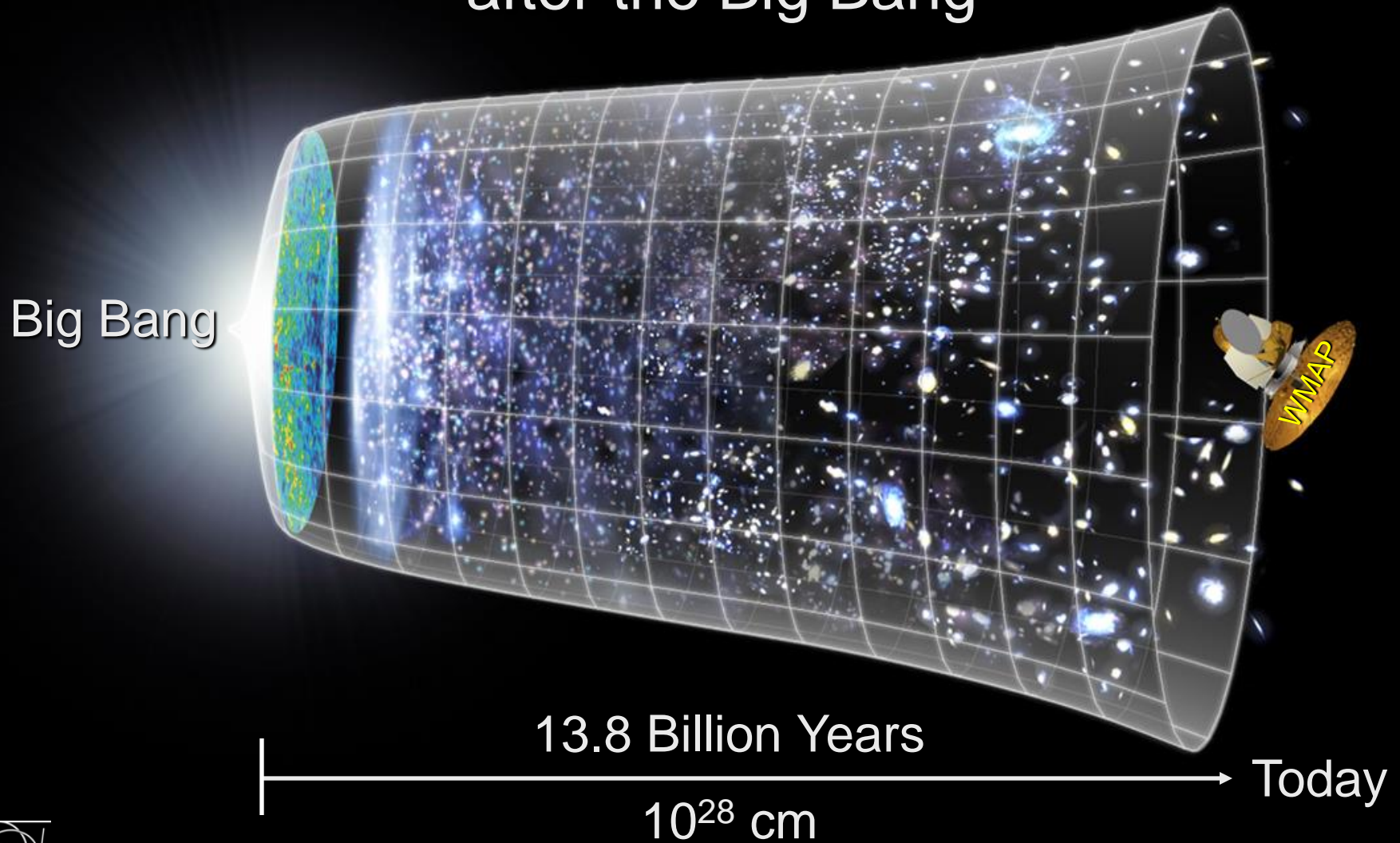
Science is getting more and more global

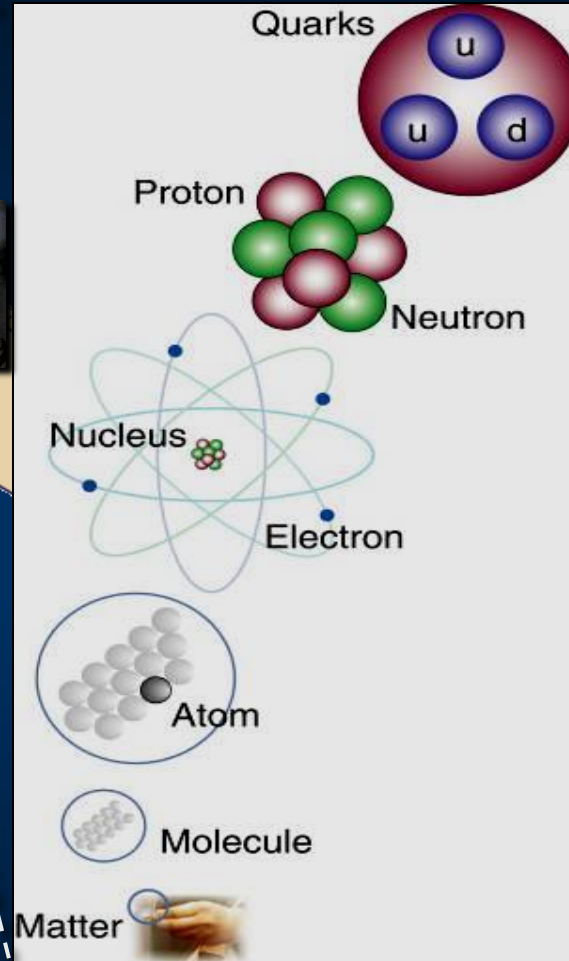
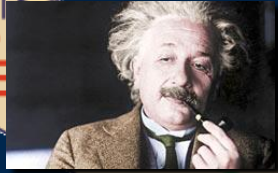
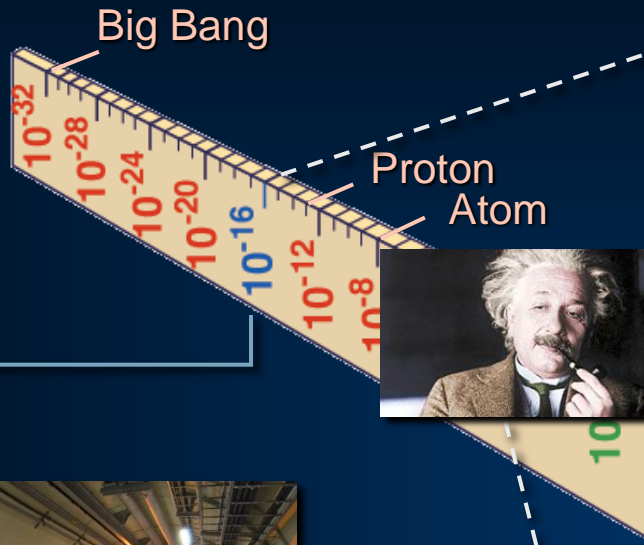
Distribution of All CERN Users by Location of Institute on 14 January 2014



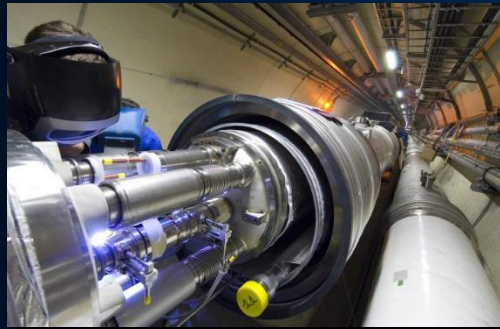
Next Scientific Challenge:

to understand the very first moments of our Universe
after the Big Bang





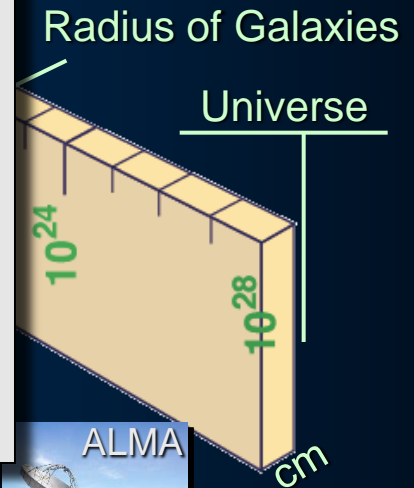
LHC



Super-Microscope



Study physics laws of first moments after Big Bang
increasing Symbiosis between Particle Physics,
Astrophysics and Cosmology



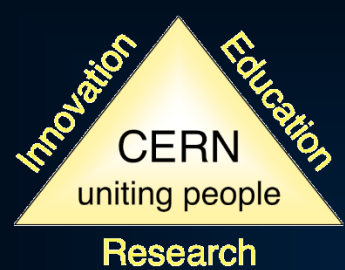
2010: a New Era in Fundamental Science



Nobel Prize in Physics 2013



The Nobel Prize in Physics 2013 was awarded jointly to François Englert and Peter W. Higgs *"for the theoretical discovery of a mechanism that contributes to our understanding of the origin of mass of subatomic particles, and which recently was confirmed through the discovery of the predicted fundamental particle, by the ATLAS and CMS experiments at CERN's Large Hadron Collider"*.



CERN: Particle Physics and Innovation

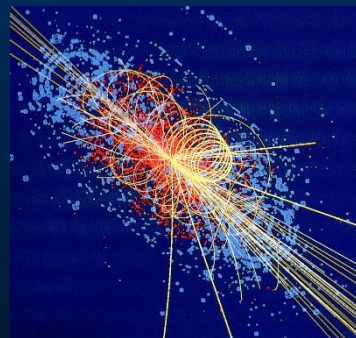
- ❑ **Interfacing** between fundamental science and key technological developments



- ❑ **CERN Technologies and Innovation**



Accelerating particle beams



Detecting particles



Large-scale computing (Grid)

Medical Application as an Example of Particle Physics Spin-off

Combining Physics, ICT, Biology and Medicine to fight cancer

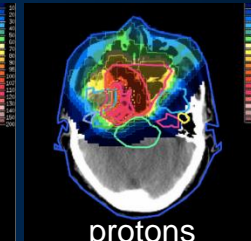
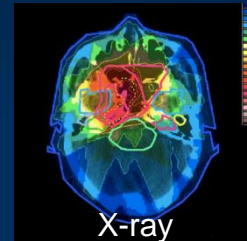
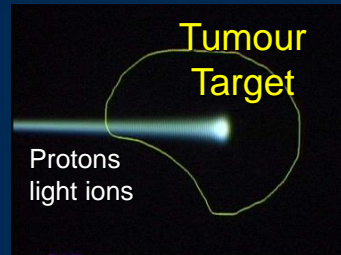


Hadron Therapy

Accelerating particle beams

~30'000 accelerators worldwide

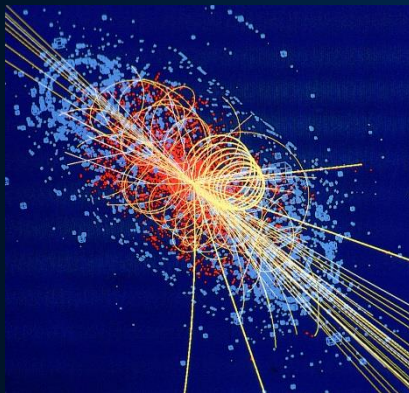
~17'000 used for medicine



Leadership in Ion Beam Therapy now in Europe and Japan

>100'000 patients treated worldwide (45 facilities)

>50'000 patients treated in Europe (14 facilities)

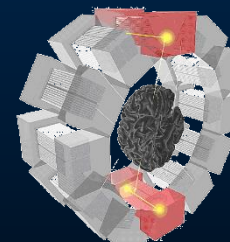


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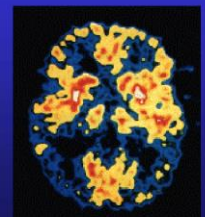
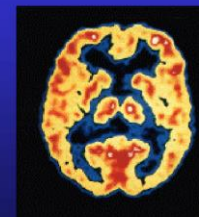
Clinical trial in Portugal, France and Italy for new breast imaging system (ClearPEM)



PET Scanner



Brain Metabolism in Alzheimer's Disease: PET Scan

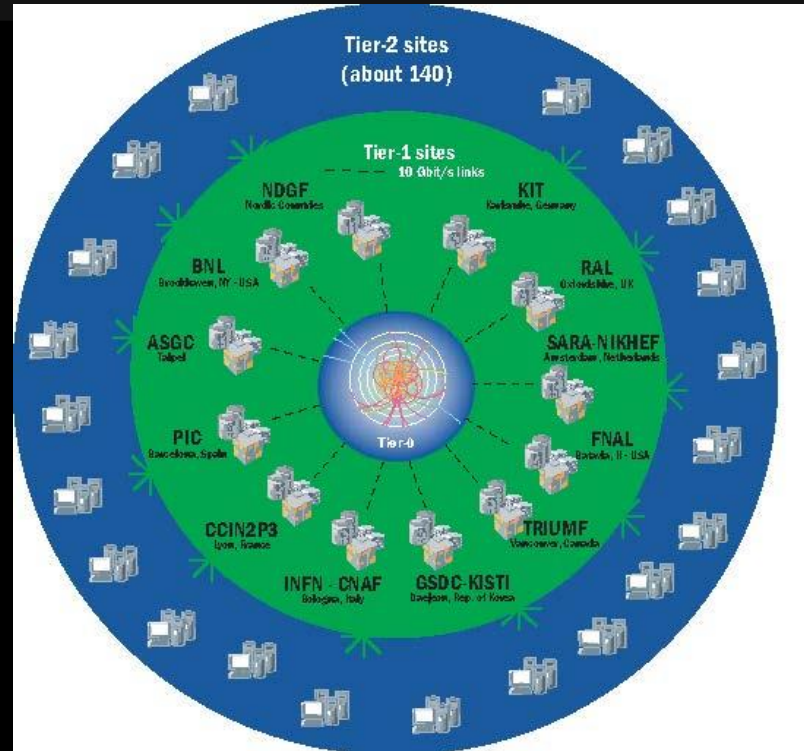


Detecting particles



The Worldwide LHC Computing Grid

- A distributed computing infrastructure to provide the production and analysis environments for the LHC experiments
- Managed and operated by a worldwide collaboration between the experiments and the participating computer centres
- The resources are distributed – for funding and sociological reasons
- Our task was to make use of the resources available to us – no matter where they are located



Tier-0 (CERN):

- Data recording
- Initial data reconstruction
- Data distribution

Tier-1 (12 centres + Russia):

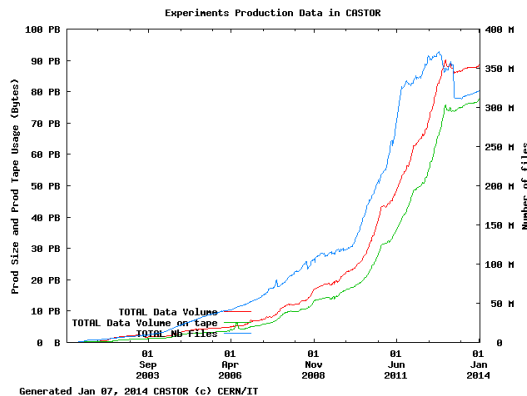
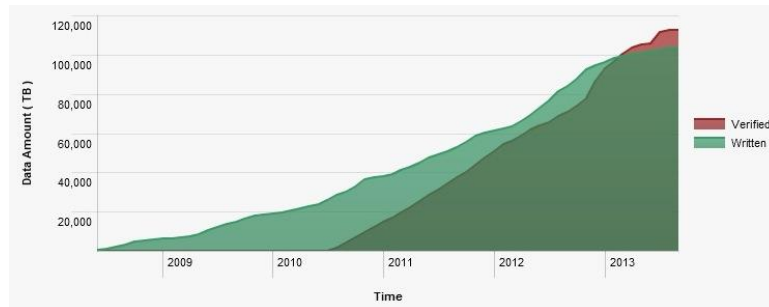
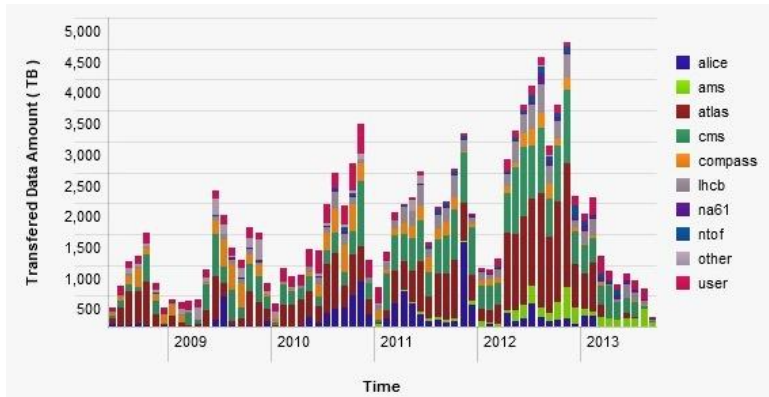
- Permanent storage
- Re-processing
- Analysis

Tier-2 (~140 centres):

- Simulation
- End-user analysis

- ~ 160 sites, 35 countries
- 300000 cores
- 200 PB of storage
- 2 Million jobs/day
- 10+ Gbps links

LHC Data Volumes @ CERN



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symmetry dimensions of particle physics

A joint Fermilab/SLAC publication

home departments science topics image bank archives

breaking February 13, 2013

Achievement unlocked: 100 petabytes of data

Experiments at the Large Hadron Collider reached a milestone in data collection just before the accelerator's last collisions for the next two years.

By Ashley WenersHerron and Kelly Izlar

Photo by CERN



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Related symmetry content

Breaking: Scientists already planning for LHC long shutdown

Feature: Particle physics tames big data

Deconstruction: Big data

Elsewhere on the web

CERN: First three-year LHC running period reaches a conclusion

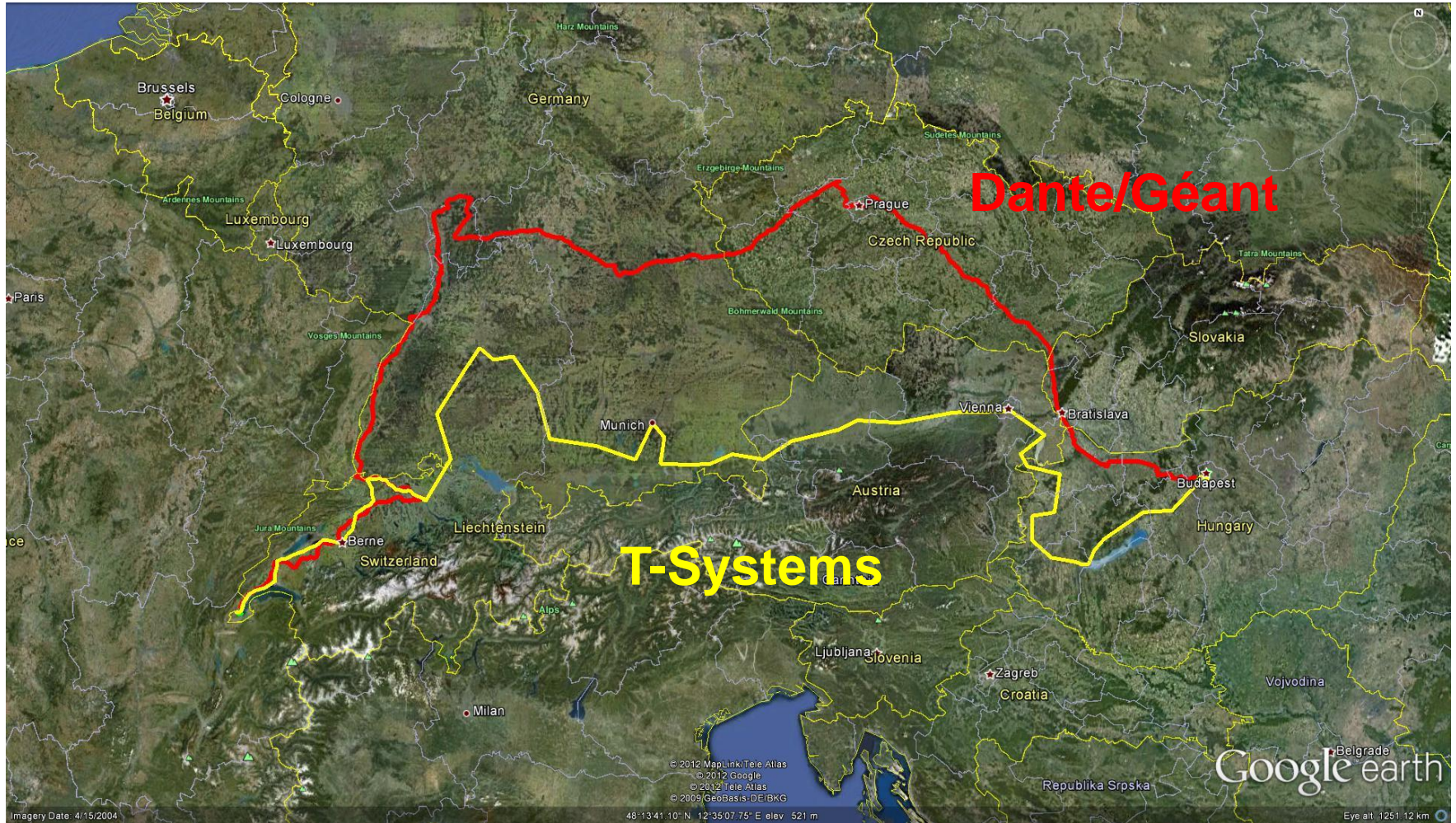
A collective library of every written word, in every language, would contain about 50 petabytes of data. Today, just before the Large Hadron Collider smashed its last proton beams in advance of a two-year shutdown, scientists there announced their experiments had recorded double that amount.

The accelerator, located on the border of Switzerland and France, sends two beams of protons in opposite directions around a 17-mile ring, bringing them into collision at four points. Six detectors—two multipurpose and four optimized to monitor specific phenomena—collect data from what happens in these collisions.

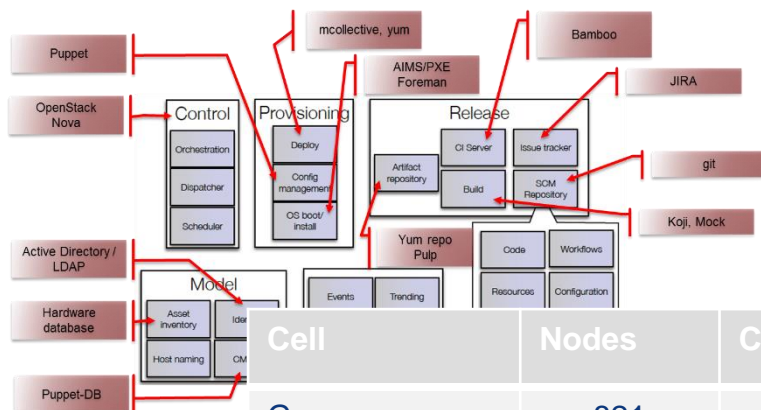
When parts of the proton beams collide, their energy shifts momentarily into mass, forming short-lived particles that pass through or decay within the detectors, leaving signatures of their presence. Scientists design computer programs tailored to pick the most interesting collisions from among the noise. Out of the 600 million collisions produced by the LHC every second, only a few prove interesting enough to keep.



Connectivity (100 Gbps)

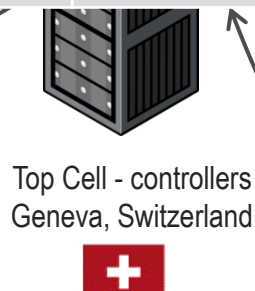
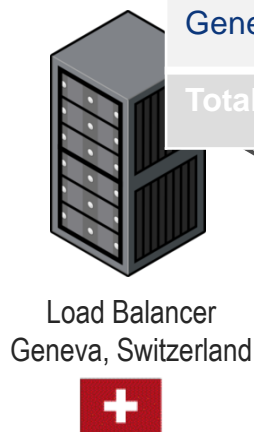


Scaling Architecture Overview

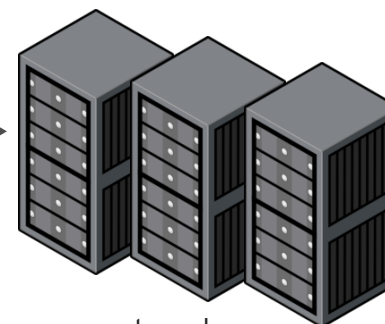


Cell	Nodes	Cores	RAM (GB)	Disk (TB)	VMs
Geneva	821	21772	43663	1167	3201
Wigner	445	14240	27969	759	1240
Geneva-Batch	1524	27488	43367	1489	1456
Total	2790	63500	114999	3415	5897

Child Cell
Geneva, Switzerland



controllers



compute-nodes



CERN Education Activities

Scientists at CERN Academic Training Programme



Latin American School
Natal, Brazil, 2011
Arequipa, Peru, 2013



Young Researchers

CERN School of High Energy Physics
CERN School of Computing
CERN Accelerator School



Physics Students Summer Students Programme

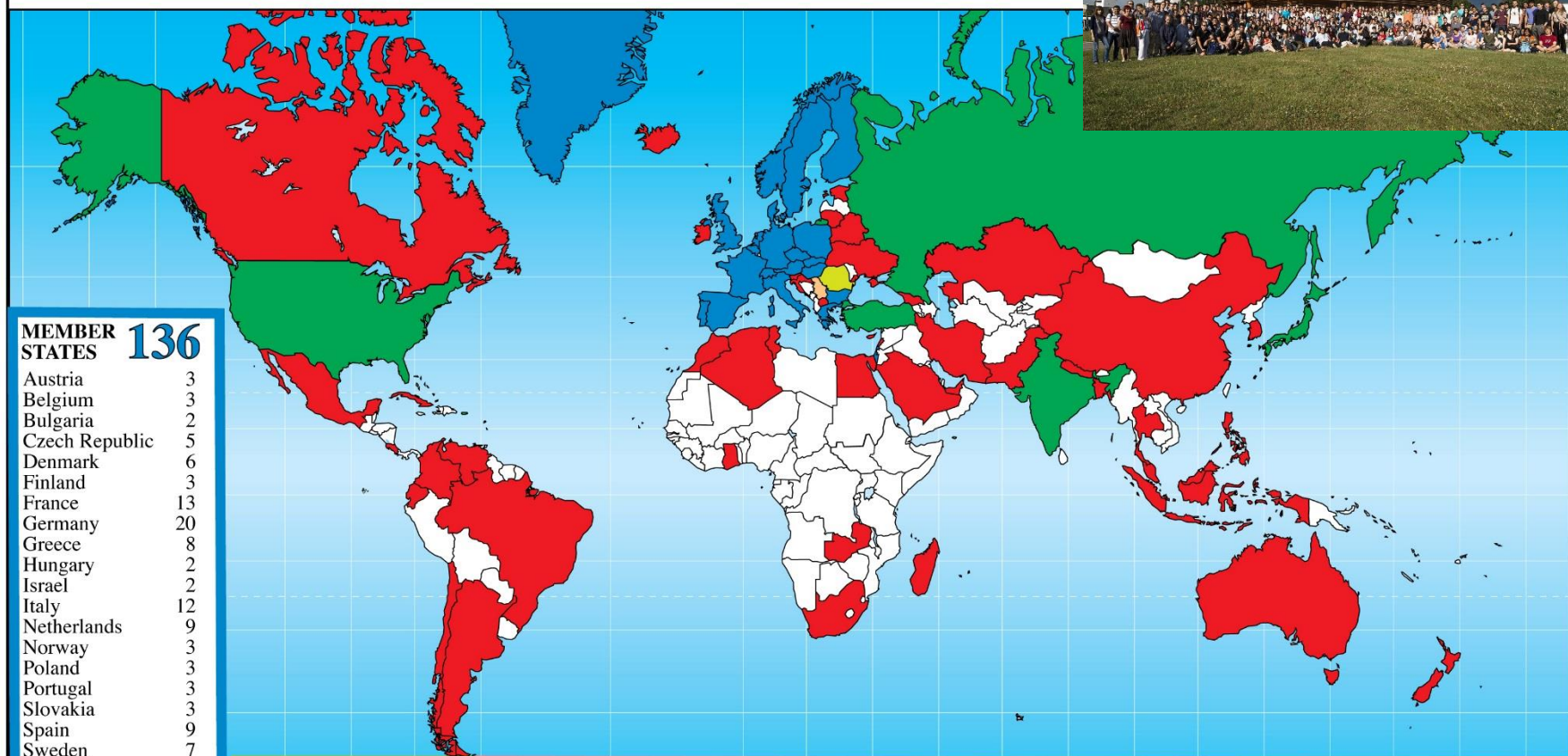


CERN Teacher Schools International and National Programmes

Summer Students 2013



Summer Students 2013



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Portugal	3
Slovakia	3
Spain	9
Sweden	7
Switzerland	4
United Kingdom	16

OBSERVERS 43

India	7
Japan	5
Russia	9
Turkey	6
USA	16

CANDIDATE FOR ACCESSION

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ASSOCIATE MEMBER IN THE PRE-STAGE TO MEMBERSHIP

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OTHERS

Algeria	2	China	5	Estonia	4	Korea, South	2	New Zealand	1	Tunisia	1
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Openlab Summer Student Program

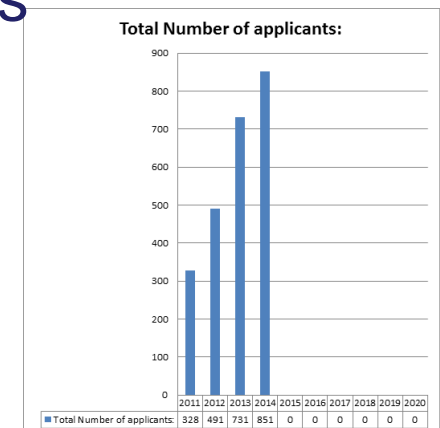
› Summer student program 2013

- 720+ applicants
- 22 selected candidates
- 13 lectures (including new lectures from external labs)
- A new lightning talks session
- 22 technical reports



› Summer student program 2014

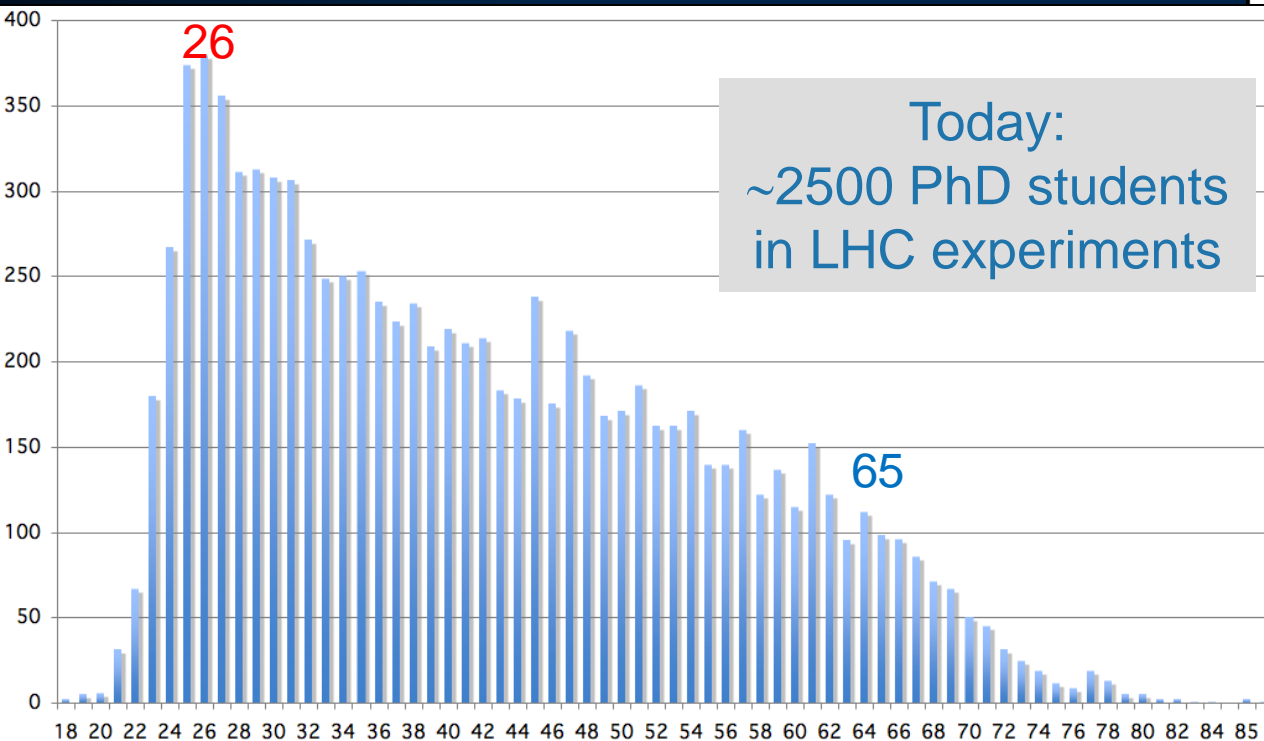
- 850+ applicants
- 23 selected candidates
- Lectures and visits program being designed, will include contributions from external labs and companies



Age Distribution of Scientists

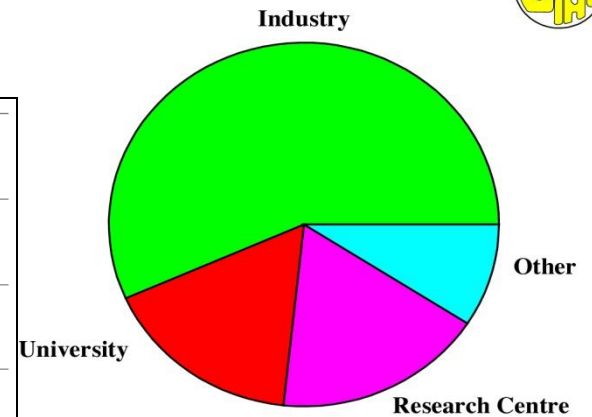
- and where they go afterwards

Survey in March 2009



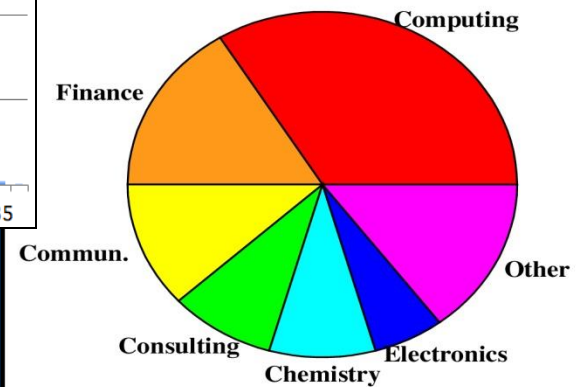
They do not all stay: where do they go?

Status of 1998 (120 PhD's total)



Whereabouts of PhD's

Status of 1998 (68 PhD's total)



Whereabouts of PhD's in Industry 18

Preparations for LHC Run 2

The main 2013-14 LHC consolidations

Opening: 100%

1695 Openings and final reclosures of the interconnections

Closure: 80%

100 % done

Complete reconstruction of 1500 of these splices

3000

100 % done

Consolidation of the 10170 13kA splices, installing 27 000 shunts

99 % done

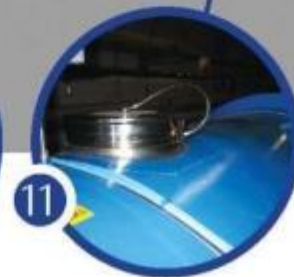
Installation of 5000 consolidated electrical insulation systems

100 % done

300 000 electrical resistance measurements

97 % done

10170 orbital welding of stainless steel lines



18 000 electrical Quality Assurance tests

90 % done

10170 leak tightness tests

70 % done

3 quadrupole magnets to be replaced

Done

15 dipole magnets to be replaced

Done

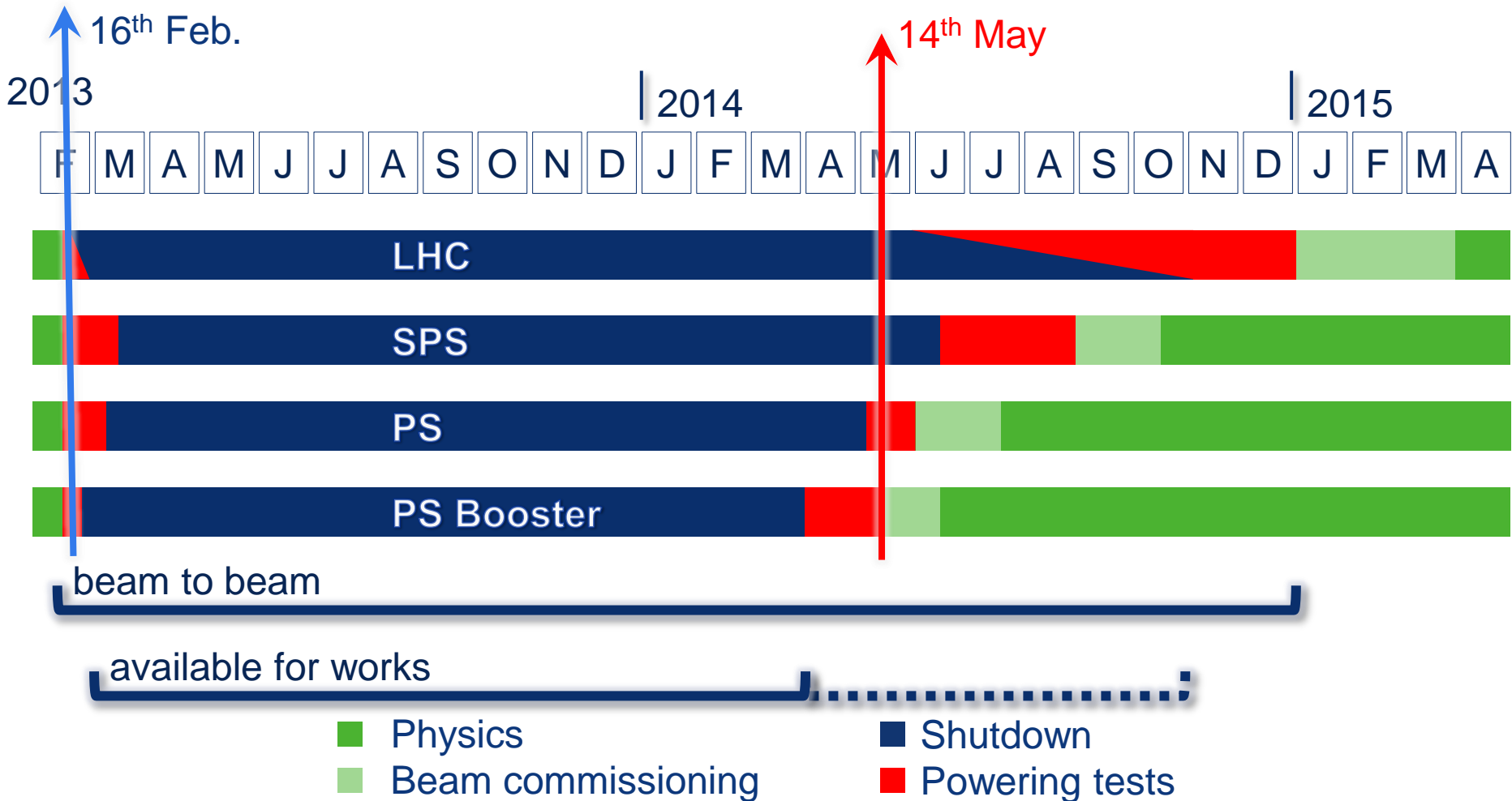
Installation of 612 pressure relief devices to bring the total to 1344

100 % done

Consolidation of the 13 kA circuits in the 16 main electrical feed-lines

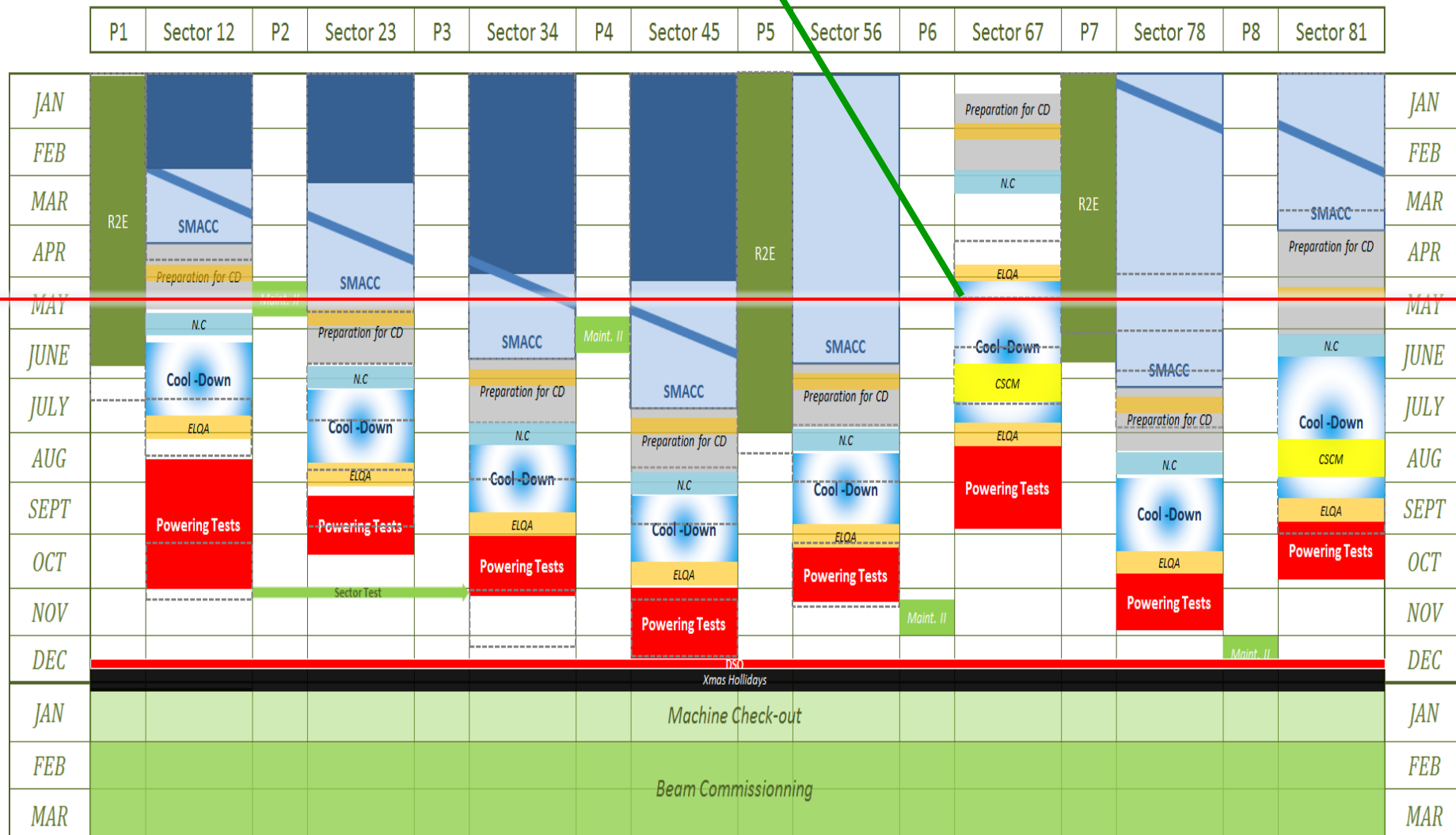
96 % done

LS 1 from 16th Feb. 2013 to Dec. 2014



LS 1: LHC status

1st Cool Down: starting on 7th May



Evolution of Computing requirements

Higher trigger (data) rates driven by physics needs

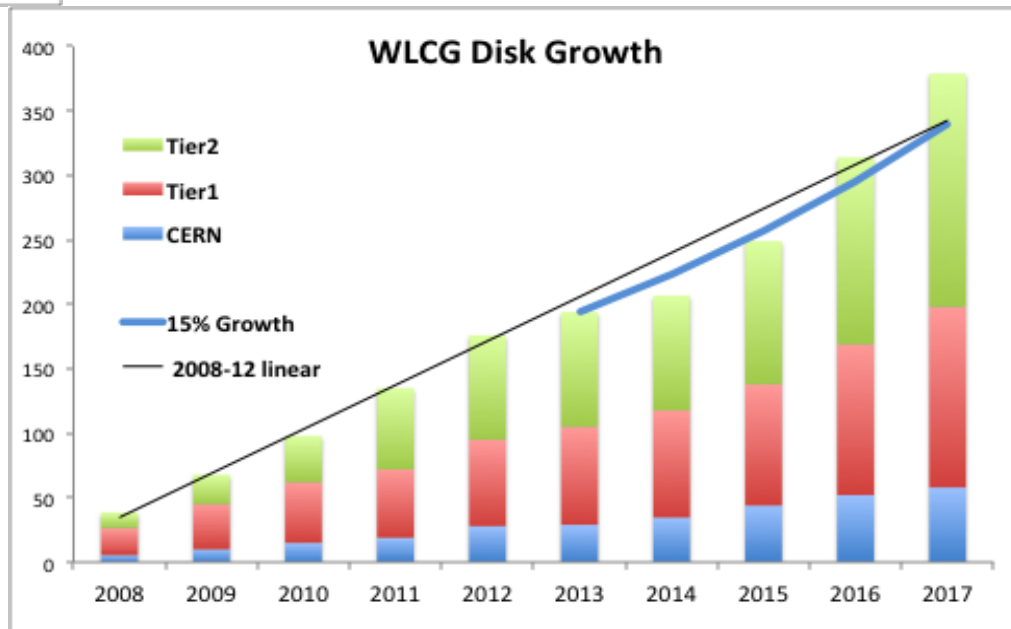
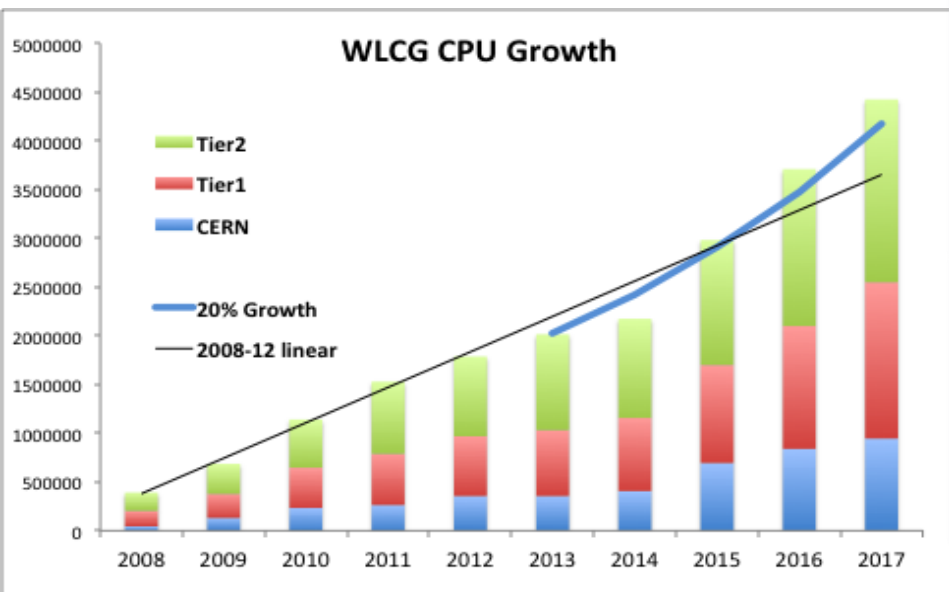
Based on understanding of likely LHC parameters;

Foreseen technology evolution (CPU, disk, tape)

Experiments work hard to fit within constant budget scenario

Estimated evolution of requirements 2015-2017

2008-2013: Actual deployed capacity



Line: extrapolation of 2008-2012 actual resources

Curves: expected potential growth of technology with a constant budget

- CPU: 20% yearly growth
- Disk: 15% yearly growth



14 May 2014

International Scientific Collaborations

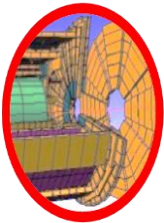
- Many scientific projects are global collaborations of 100s of partners
- Efficient computing and data infrastructures have become critical as the quantity, variety and rates of data generation keep increasing
- Funding does not scale in the same way
 - Optimization and sharing of resources
- Collaboration with commercial IT companies increasingly important
 - Requirements are not unique anymore



The Main IT Challenges



Data acquisition (online)



Computing platforms (offline)



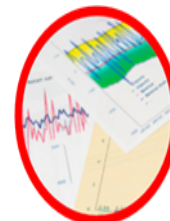
Data storage architectures



Compute management & provisioning



Networks and connectivity



Data analytics

Further Reading...

Future IT Challenges in Scientific Research

Compute Management & Provisioning

- Data analysis facility
 - Preserve applications
 - Secure remote researcher access
- Secure data federation
 - Federated identity
 - Role based data access
- Remote management of analysis facility
 - Secure remote access for administration
 - Isolation of roles
- Research clouds at scale
 - Elastic access to large compute resources
 - Project based authentication, provisioning and resources



To be released soon

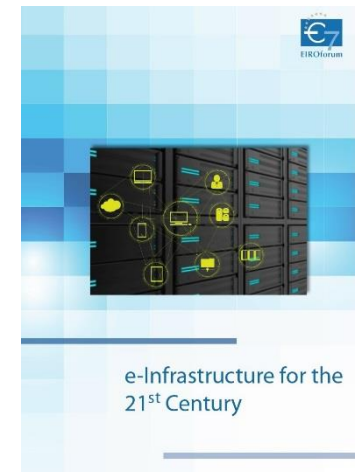
Update of the Computing Models of the WLCG and the LHC Experiments

<http://cds.cern.ch/record/1695401>



E-Infrastructure for the 21st century

<http://zenodo.org/record/7592>





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