

Status of Technical Proposal

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Milestones

- **January 12:** Finalize table of contents
 - Section heading level
- **February 23:** First rough draft of TP due
 - TDR editor-led informal review
- **March 16:** Second rough draft of TP due
 - Formally assigned “external” reviewers.
- **April 13:** Final version of TP due
 - Ready for submission to LBNC.
- **May 11:** TP submitted to LBNC

First draft status

- Most sections in on time.
- Good job on the “what”.
- Sam and I pushed for more “how” and “why” in second draft.
- Tie design decisions to physics requirements.
- Where possible, show, via simulation for now, that designs meet requirements.
- Highlight role of ProtoDUNE in validating design.
- Shorten project-oriented sections in favor of longer physics-oriented sections.
- Need to be careful that we still meet LBNC needs.

“Internal” External Reviews

- Sam and I have asked, or will ask, a number of you to serve as reviewers for the second draft.
- Timely and probing reviews will be essential to producing a high quality technical proposal.
- Please accept this responsibility and take it seriously for the good of the experiment.
- This is your Technical Proposal!