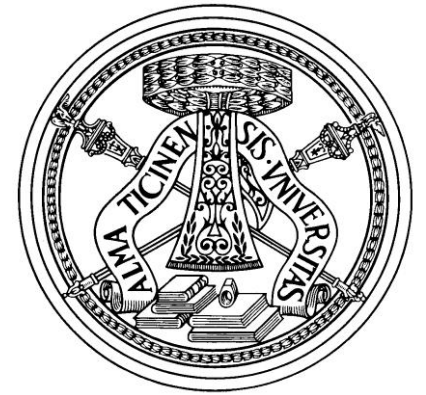




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# ICARUS geometry description in LArsoft

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# Outline

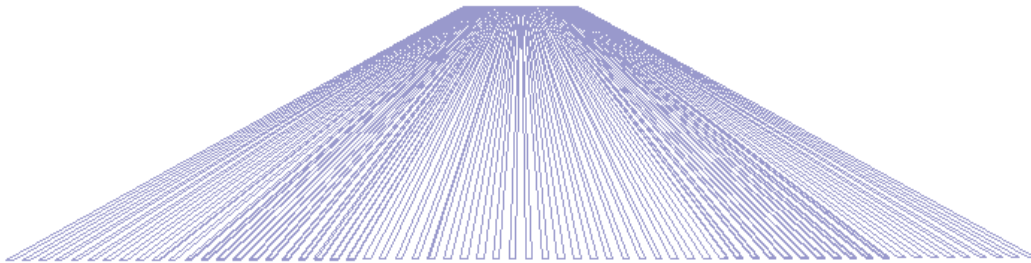
- Description of the present status ICARUS geometry description.
- Introduction of Induction 1 plane split wires.
- New feature of CRT description.
- Next steps.

# The present «stable» version (29 April 2019)

- The ICARUS T600 geometry, the CRT and the ICARUS building are described within LArsoft framework using Geant4 gdml geometry files.
- The present status foresees:
  - Correct size, mass and positioning of all external shells (cryostat, thermal insulation, warm vessel).
  - Correct PMT description (active + passive part).
  - Lateral mechanical structure (stainless steel).
  - All merged within a perl file including CRT description python script (by C. Hilgenberg).

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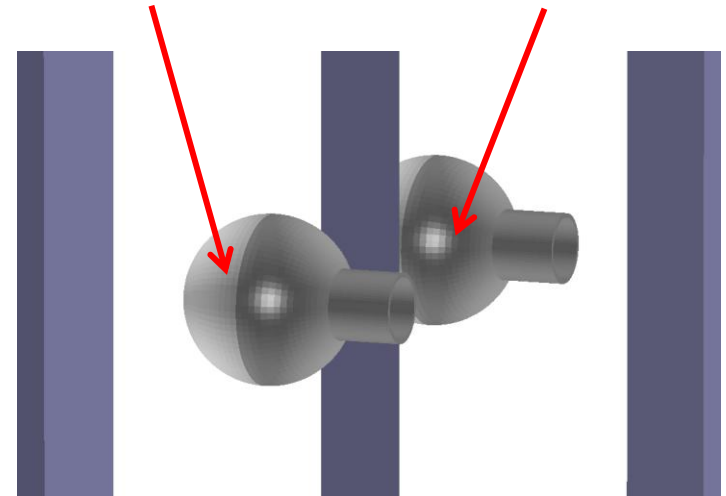
- Cathode panel made of 64 stainless-steel strips (Width = 2.1 cm, Pitch = 5.0 cm) → good compromise choice to have the correct cathode transparency to scintillation light (58%), with a limited number of geometry objects.



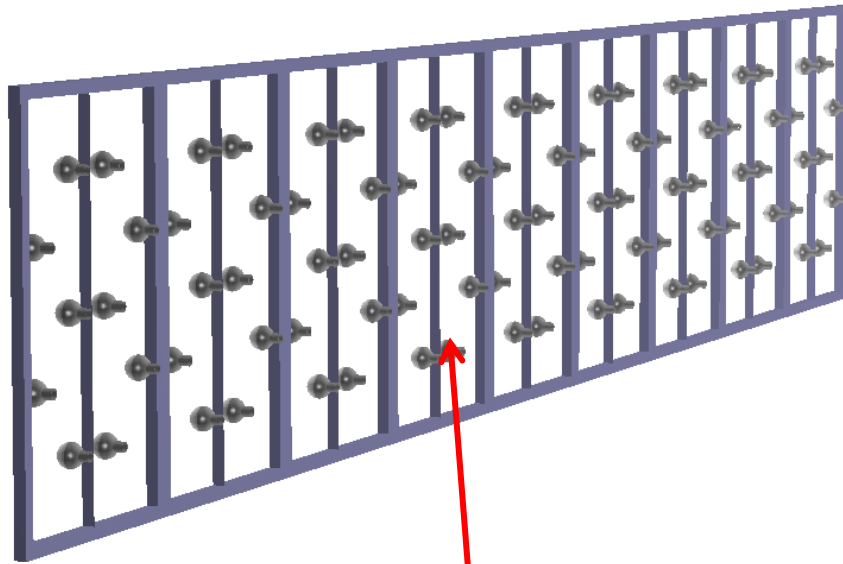
- 360 8'' hemispherical window PMTs placed in the correct position behind the wire planes.

Active PMT window

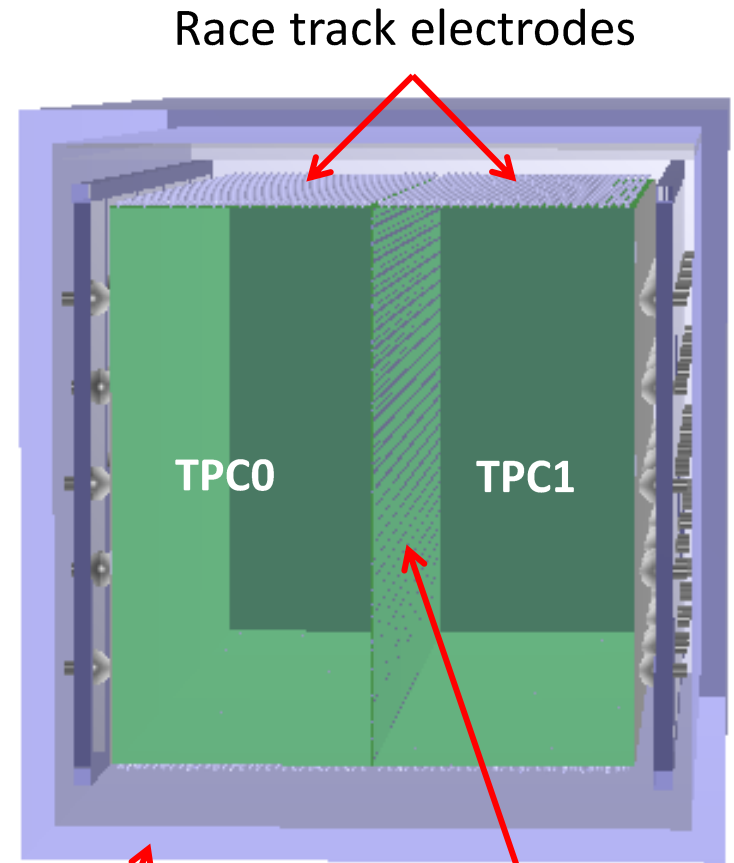
Passive PMT



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PMT wall geometry + stainless steel structure



Race track electrodes

TPC0

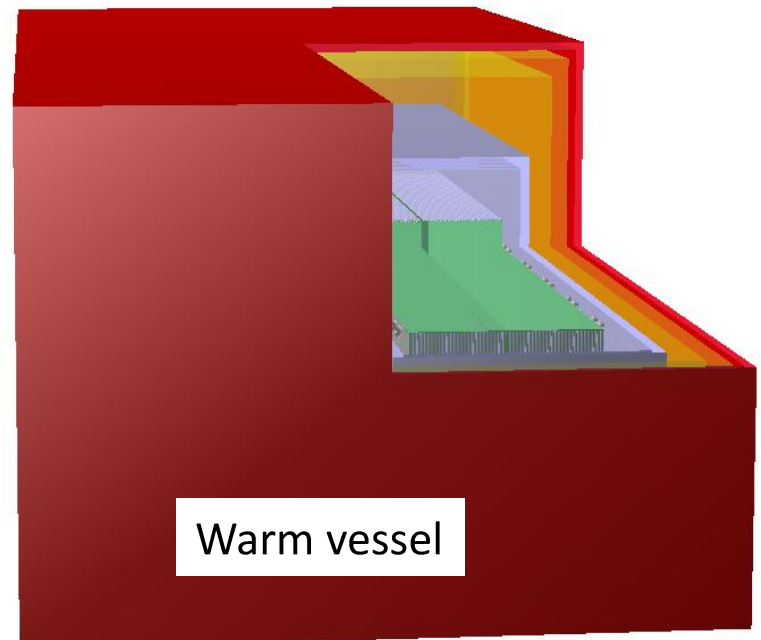
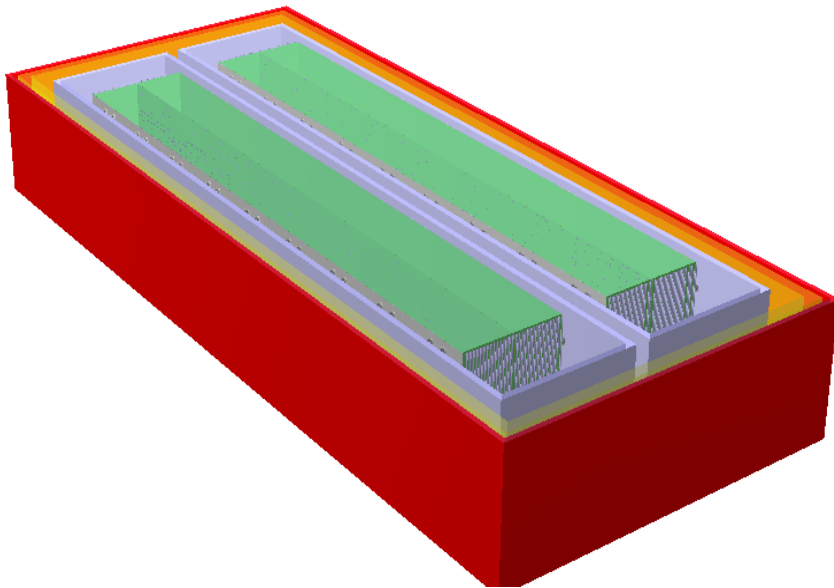
TPC1

Semi-transparent cathode

Cryostat

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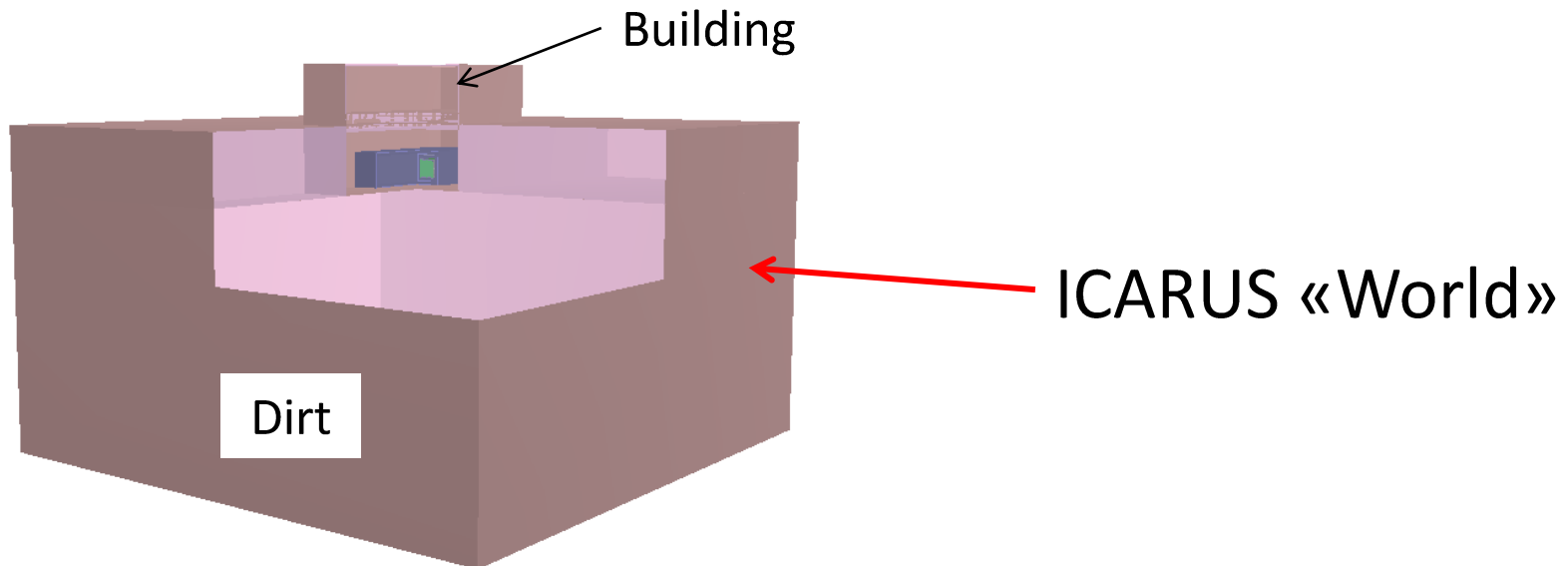
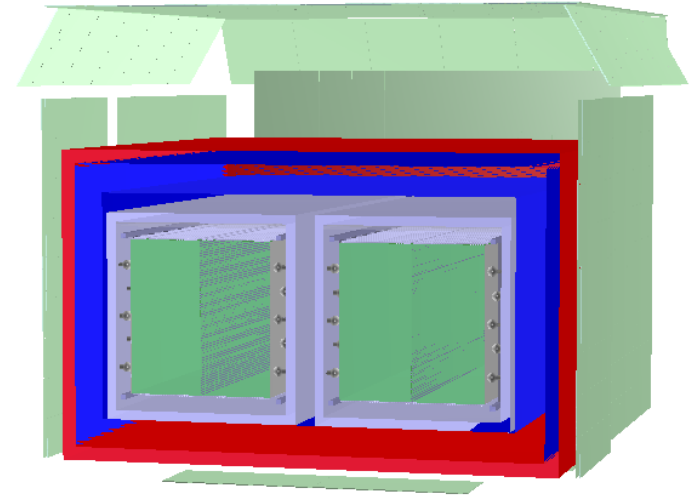
- **Aluminum Cryostat:** 19 cm thick; total mass 39 tons, volume of the shell = 58.6 m<sup>3</sup> →  $\rho = 0.665 \text{ g/cm}^3$ ;
- **thermal insulation:** 60 cm thick; full polyurethane,  $\rho = 0.9 \text{ g/cm}^3$ ;
- **warm vessel:** 27.4 cm thick; made of steel, total mass 88 tons, volume of the shell = 228.9 m<sup>3</sup> →  $\rho = 0.384 \text{ g/cm}^3$ ;
- correct distances between cryostats and thermal insulation.



# The present «stable» version (29 April 2019)

Detector Enclosure with (from outer to inner):

- CRT (light green);
- Warm vessel (red);
- Thermal insulation (blue);
- Cryostat (lilac);
- TPC (green).

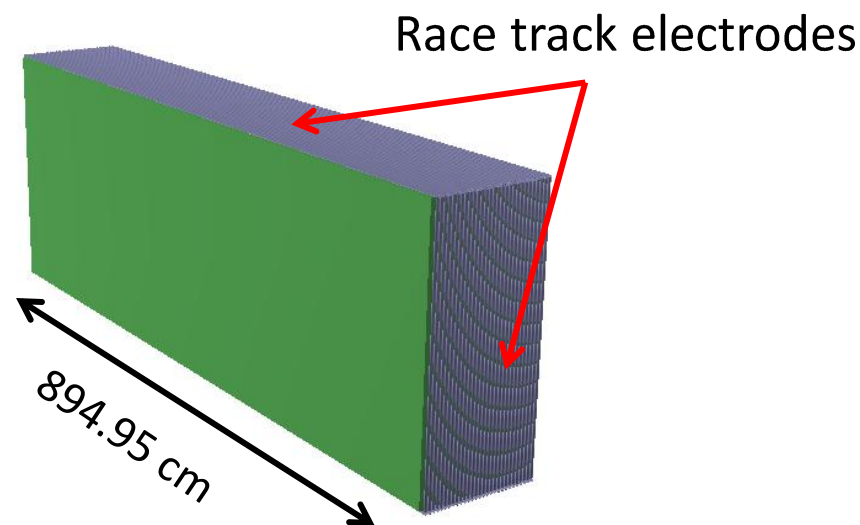


# The new version with Induction 1 split wires

- Attempt to insert the **split wires for Induction 1 plane**.
- Larsoft does not allow more than one type (Coll, Ind1, Ind2) of wire plane for TPC -> impossible to directly halving Induction 1 wire length and put two Induction 1 planes in the old TPC volume.
- Major intervention on TPC wire definition and on TPC structure necessary.
- One TPC volume is now defined (volTPC0), with upstream racetrack on one side only and longitudinal size halved with respect to the «true» TPC volume:

Here there are no race tracks

**New volTPC0**

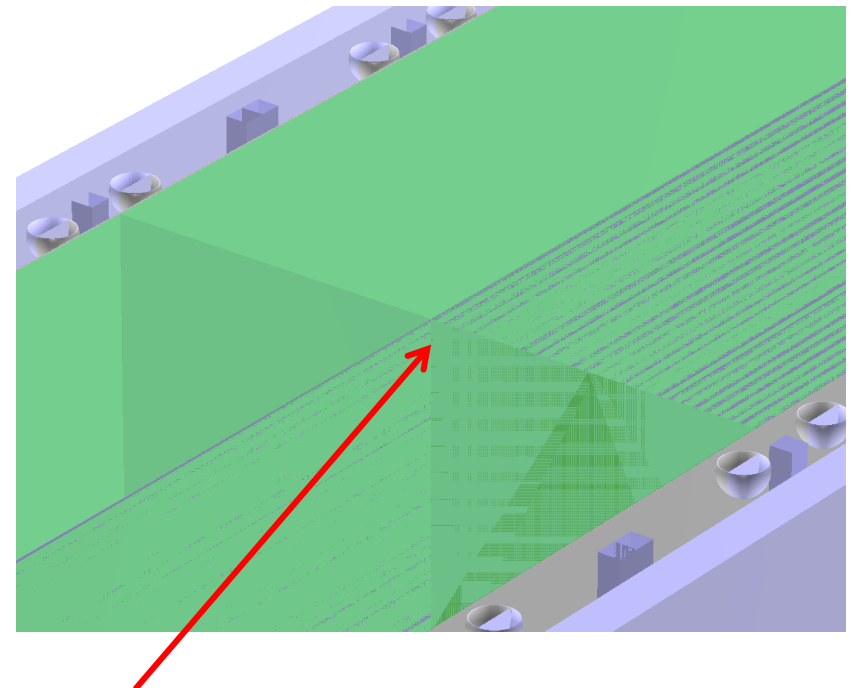
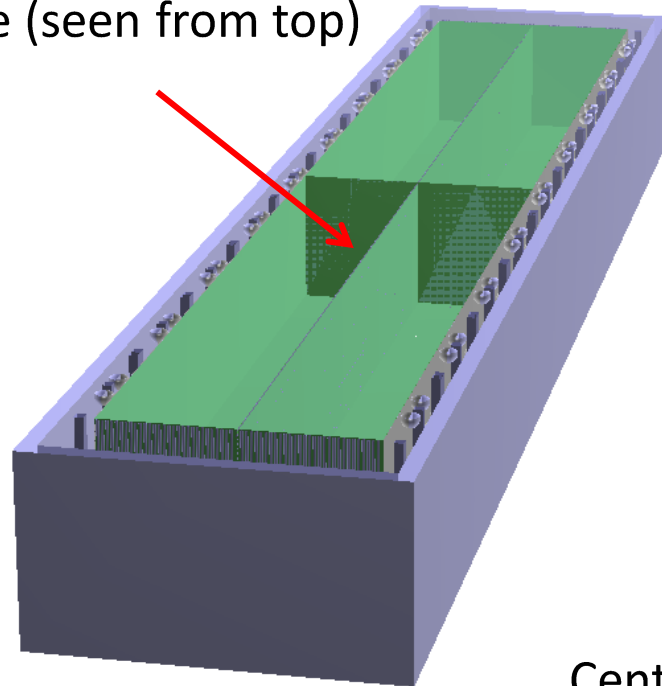




# The new version with Induction 1 split wires

- volTPC0 is copied four times and, after proper translations and rotations, correctly placed inside the cryostat → four adjacent TPCs.
- In this way race tracks volumes are put in the TPC volume (easier to avoid overlaps with cryostat volumes), but their length is halved.

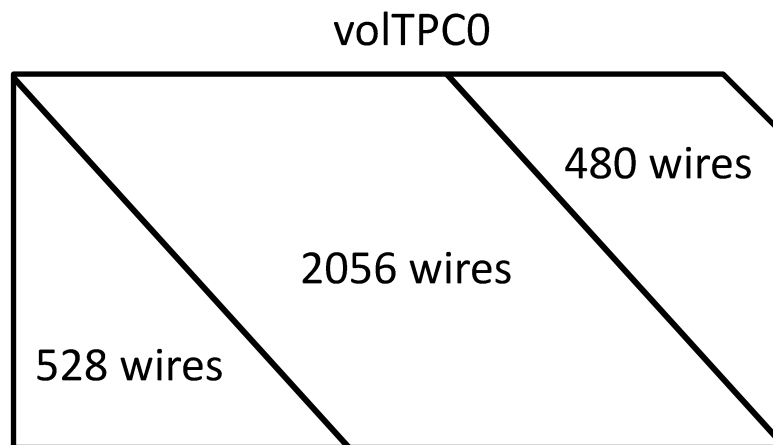
Section of one ICARUS module (seen from top)



Central match between the four TPCs

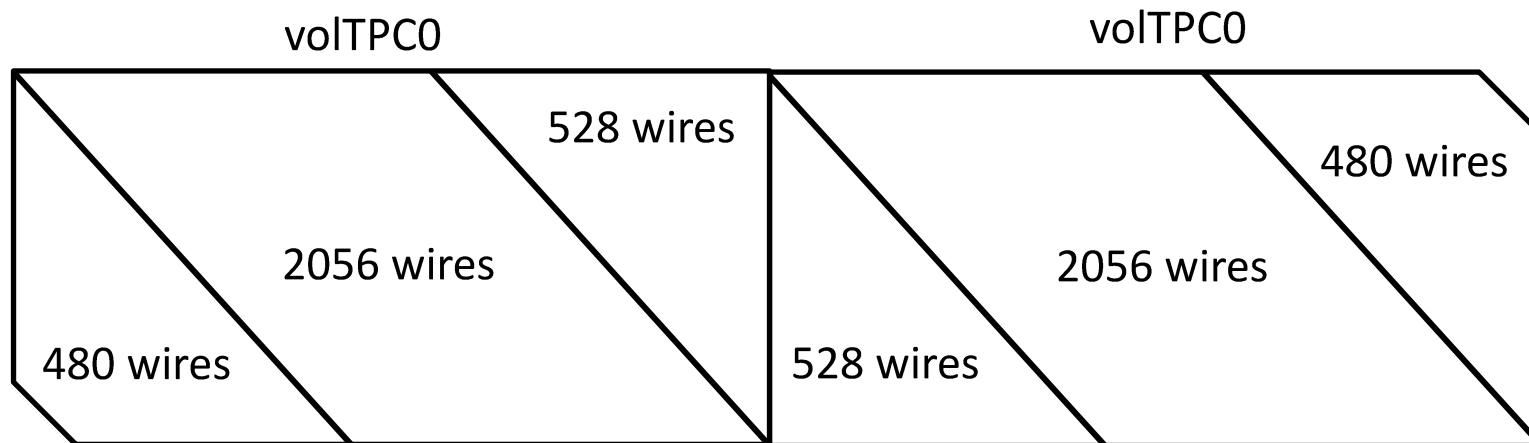
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- The idea for the three wire planes on the «shorter» TPC0:
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  - Induction 2 and Collection (voITPCPlaneV &U): 3064 wires.
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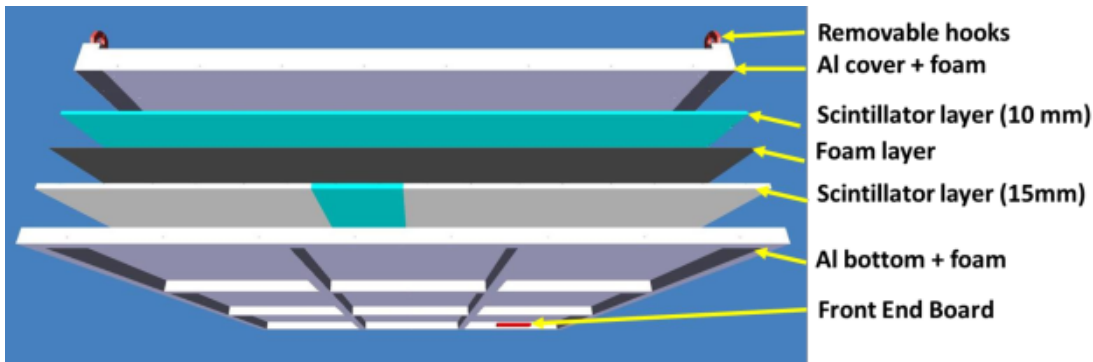


Collection + Induction2 planes:  $480 + 2056 + 528 + 2056 + 480 = 5600$  wires

# CRT Module Description: last changes

- Bottom CRT – no changes.
- Top CRT:
  - Previously used 1.5 cm thickness for top and bottom layers.
  - Now reflects reality w/bottom layer 1.5cm, top layer 1cm thick.

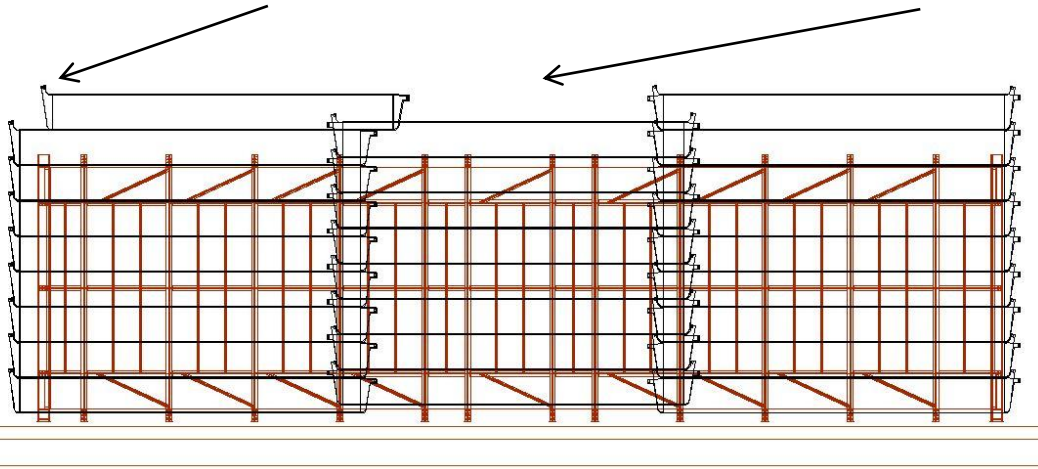
- Side CRT:
  - Need to cut some modules to fit.
  - South wall Y-layer now consists of half modules.
  - North wall consists entirely of cut modules, 3 different lengths.



# Changes to Configuration

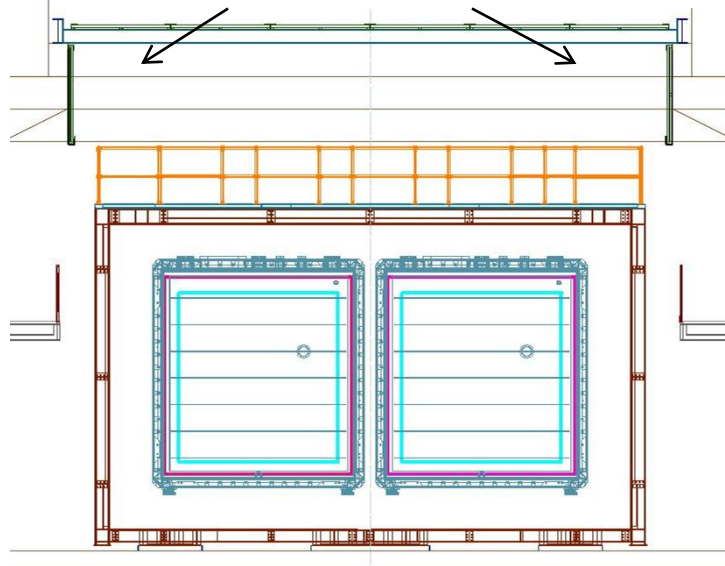
shifted in z to avoid interference

top row removed for cable tray



Cold vessels  
Active volume

sloped modules now form vertical rim

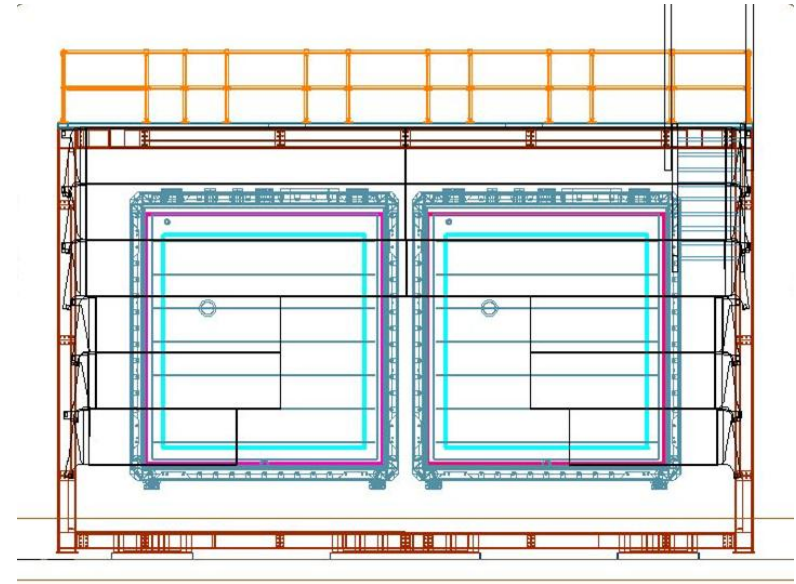
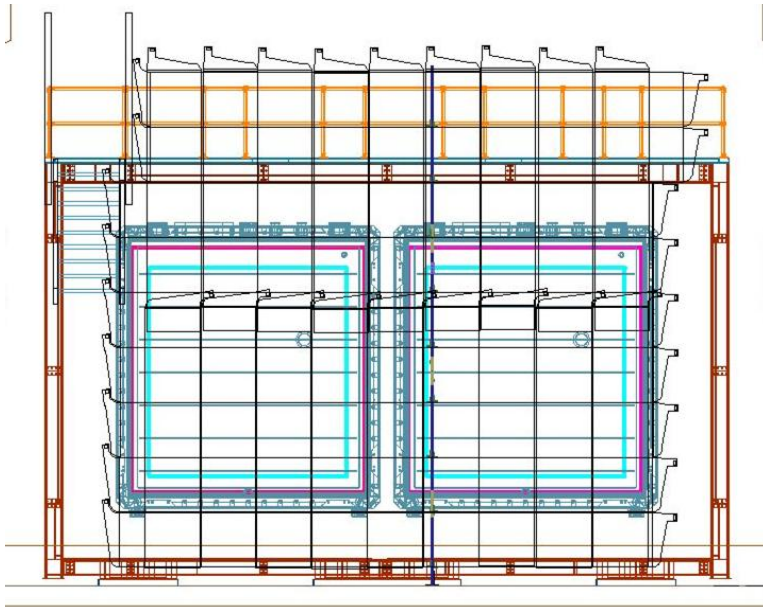


Top:

- top CRT is offset in the z by ~3m.
- Small gap between rim and roof due to I-beams.

# Changes to Configuration

Cold vessels  
Active volume



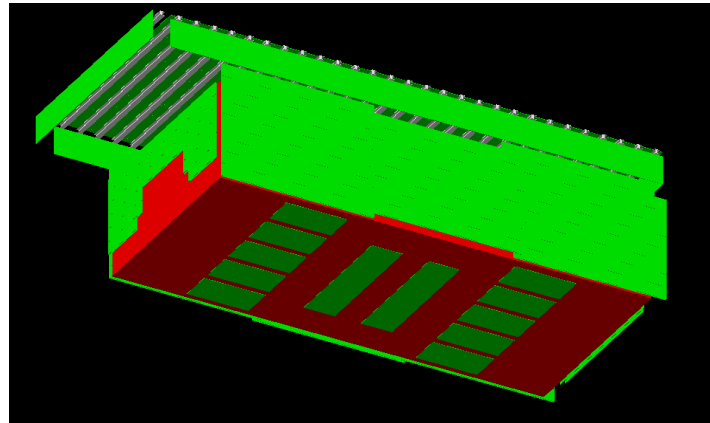
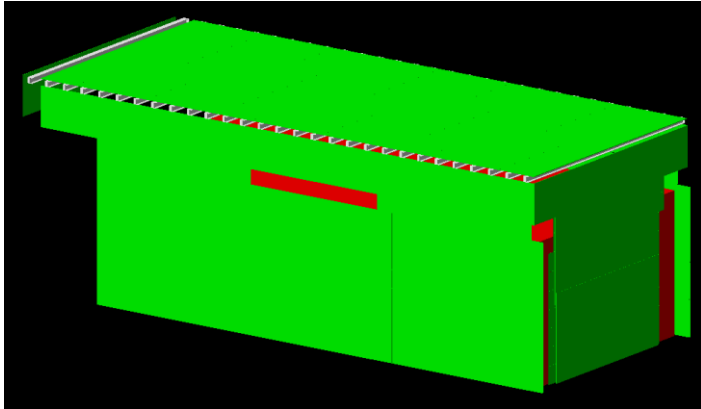
## South Wall:

- X-Y maintained
- 2 rows offset for stairs
- Vertical modules cut in half

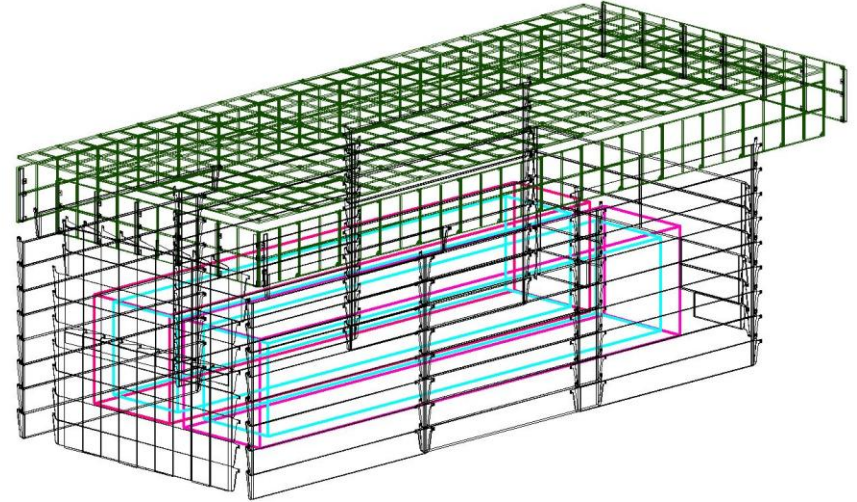
## North Wall:

- Yields to cryo. introducing large hole
- Now X-X configuration.
- Modules cut, 3 different lengths

# Current Geometry



Reference drawing from CAD model



- GDML description now current with latest CAD drawings.
- TOP CRT support beams added – should have significant impact on auto-veto rates, generation of secondaries.
- GDML generation script uses parametrization for module positioning for easy updating after installation, true positions measured.

**CRT**  
**Warm Vessel**  
**Top CRT Support I-beams**

# Next steps

- Complete the inner detector mechanical structure (top/bottom stainless steel beams and pillars).
- Insert the small spacing between the Induction one horizontal (split) wire planes.
- Insert more details of the instrumentation placed outside the cryostats (chimneys, flanges etc.).