



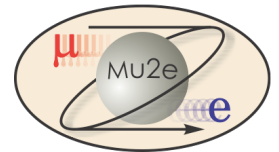
Mu2e Cosmic Ray Veto:

8.7: CRV Module Fabrication

Craig Group

L3 Manager and CAM for CRV Fabrication

10/21/2014



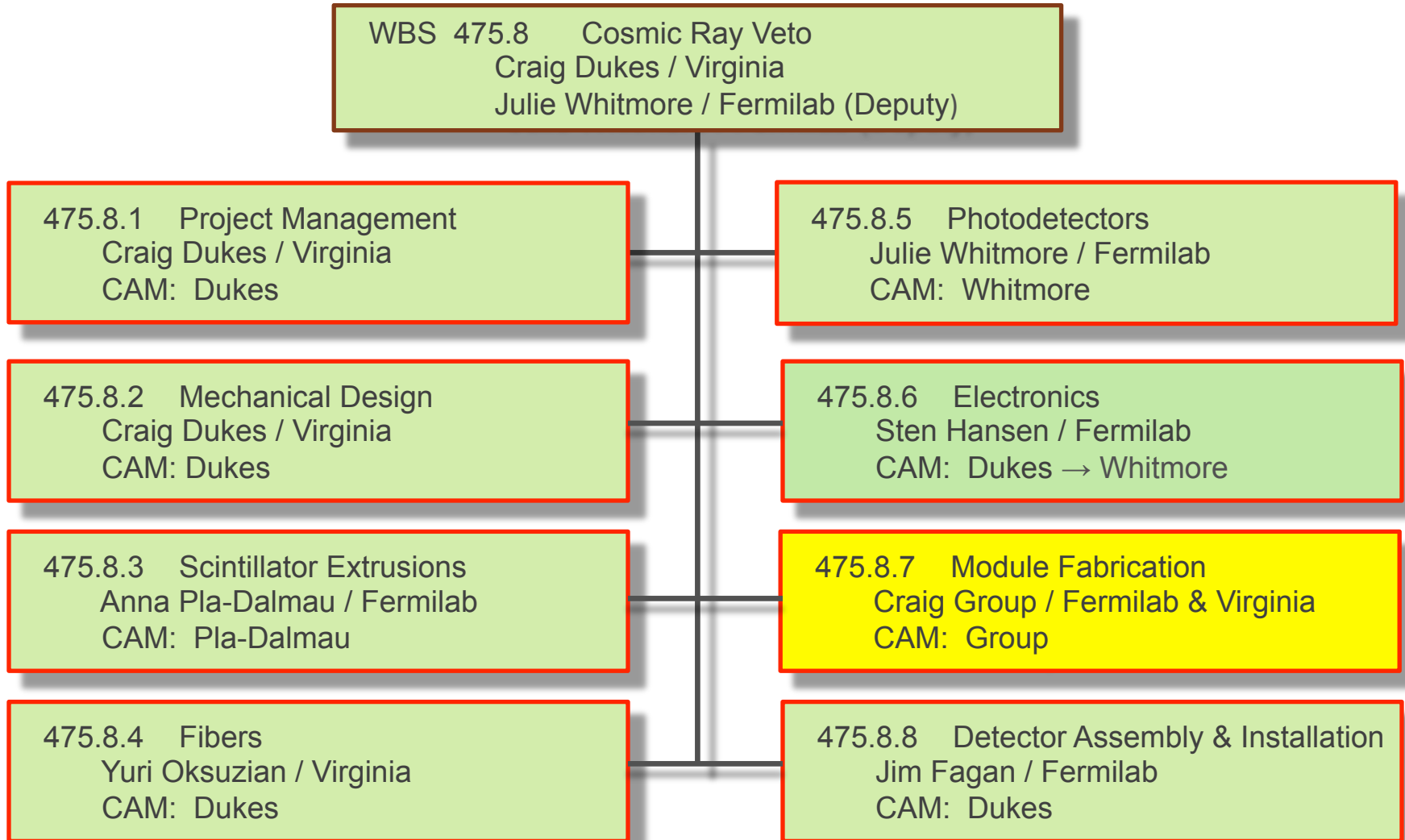
CRV Fabrication Team

- Craig Group – CAM and L3 Manager
 - Joint UVA faculty and Fermilab scientist position.
 - Ph.D. in 2006 – U. Florida on CDF
 - Also on NOvA experiment
 - Involved in CRV R&D since 2009
- Richard Bomgardner– Lead Technician
 - B.S. Physics
 - Several years experience as each: electrician, scientist, and machinist.

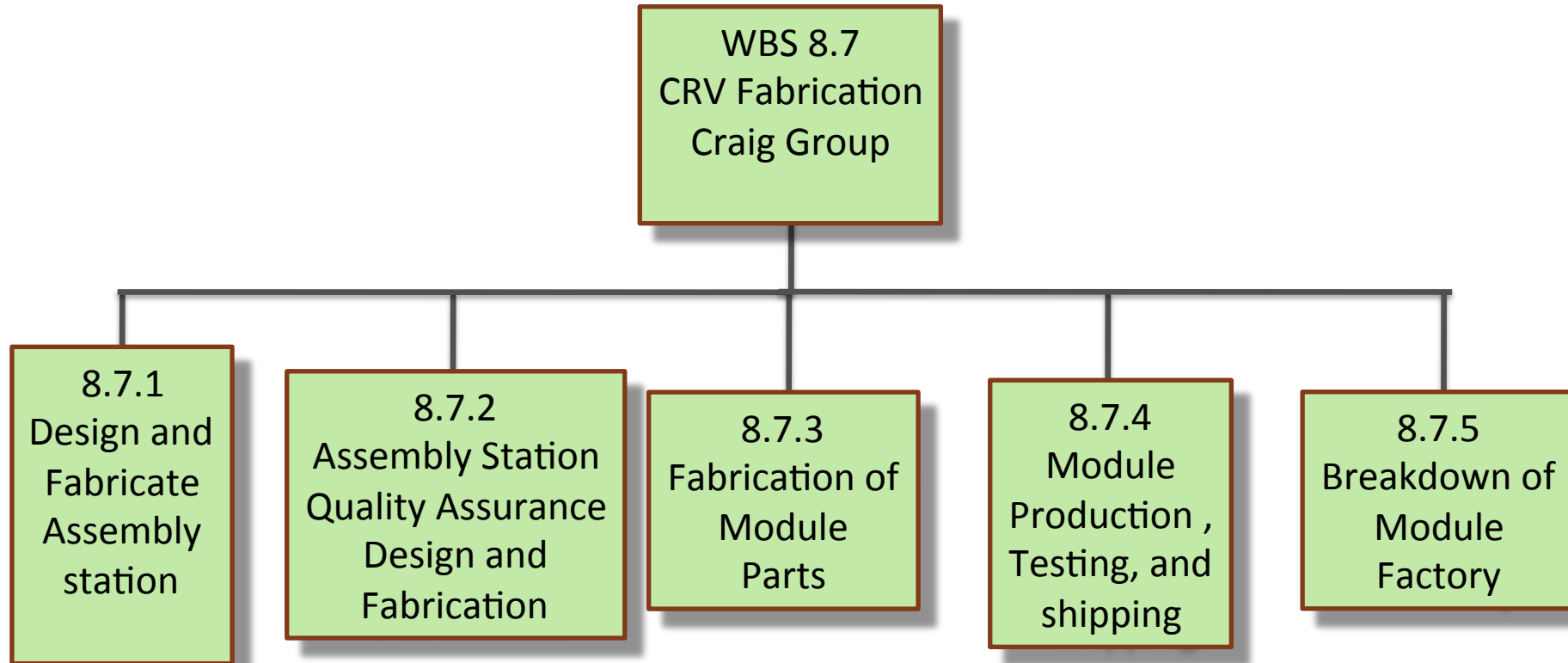
Outline

- Organizational Breakdown
- Overview of Module Production Factory
- Quality Assurance
- ES&H
- Schedule and Remaining Work Before CD3
- Cost Table
- Cost Breakdown
- Quality of Estimate
- Labor Resources by Fiscal Year
- Schedule

Organization



Organizational Breakdown



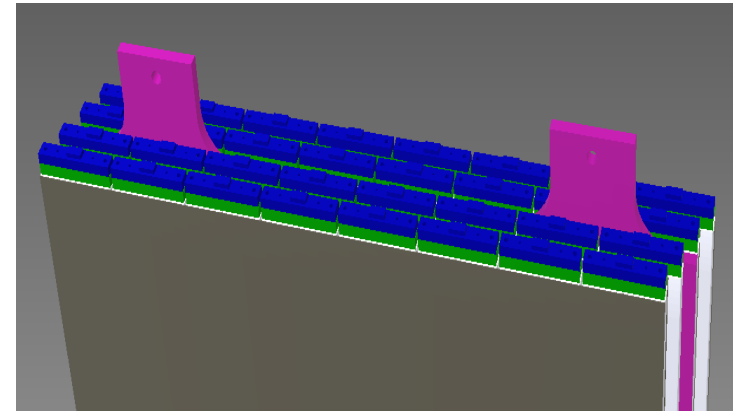
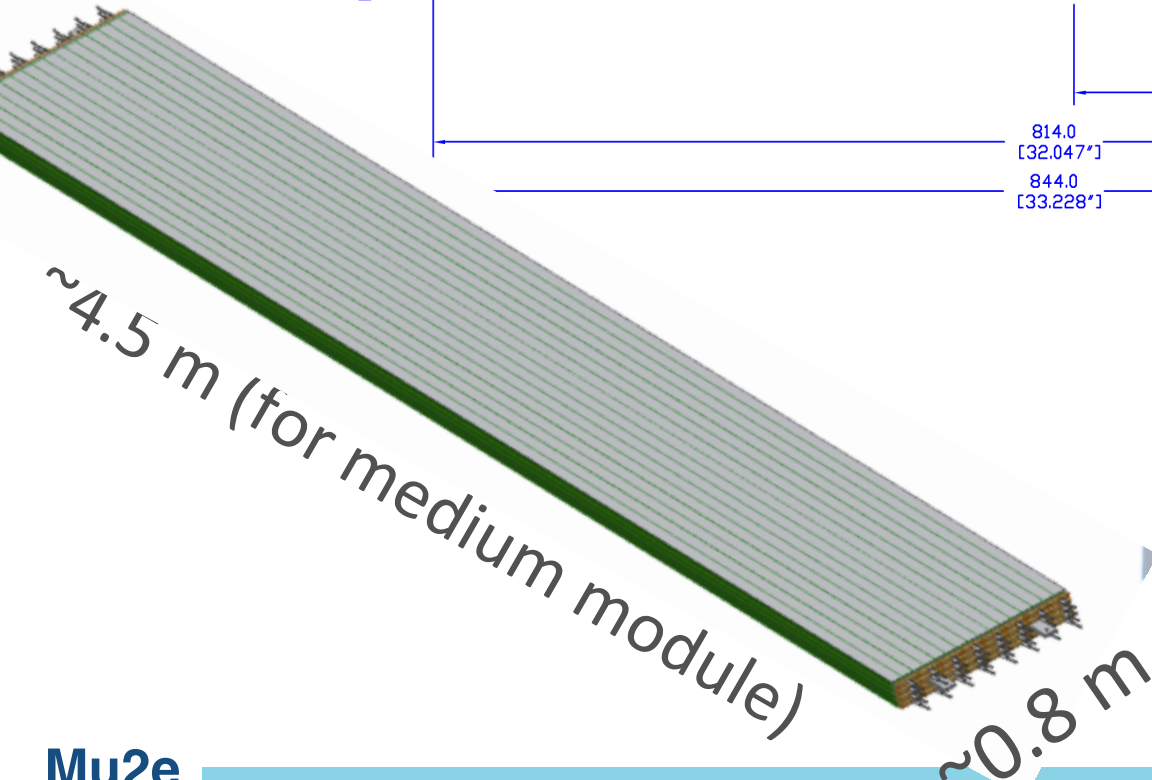
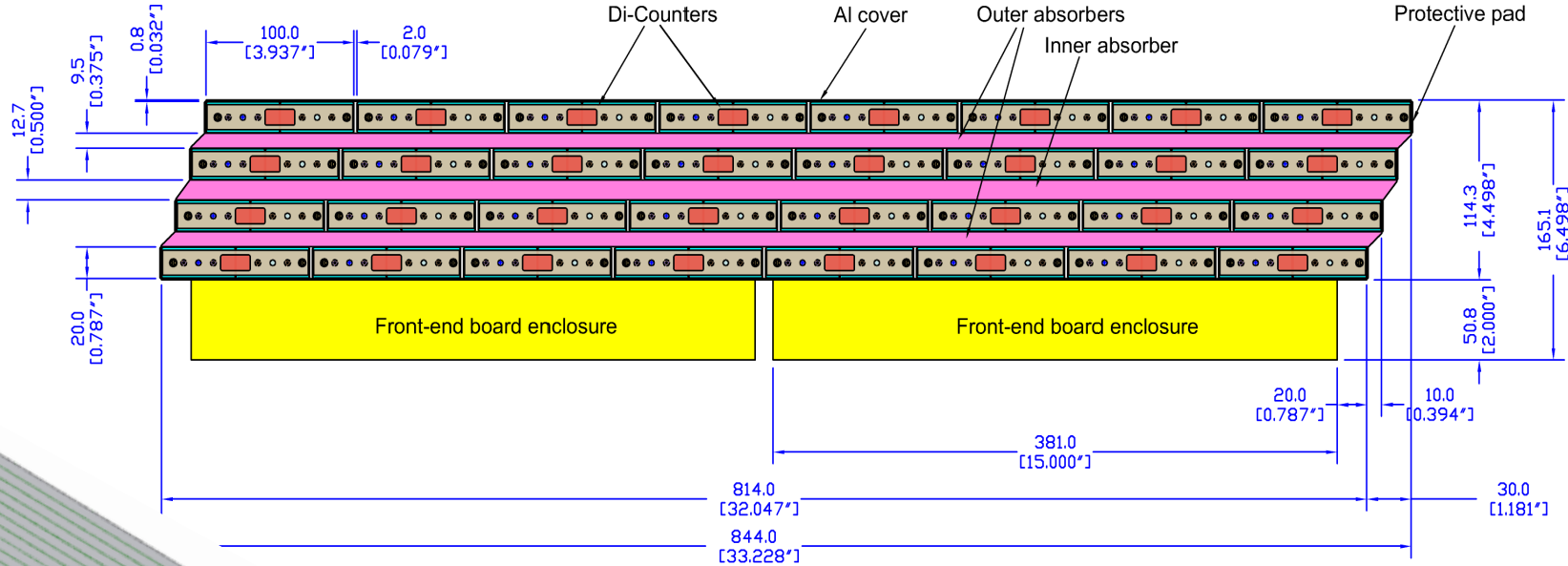
WBS Dictionary for 8.7

- **475.08.07.01 Design and Fabricate Assembly Station:** This set of activities cover the design and fabrication of the equipment needed to fabricate the counters and modules.
- **475.08.07.02 Assembly Station Quality Assurance Design and Fabrication:** This set of activities cover the design and fabrication of the quality assurance jigs needed to test the counters and modules during and after assembly.
- **475.08.07.03 Fabrication of Module Parts:** This task covers the fabrication of the all the parts needed for the assembly of the counters and the modules, save the extrusions, fibers, photodetectors, and electronics.
- **475.08.07.04 Module Production, Testing, and Shipping:** This task covers all aspects of the counter and module assembly, testing, and shipping. It includes non-working mechanical prototype modules, pre-production modules, and production modules.
- **475.08.07.05 Breakdown of Module Factory:** This task covers the decommissioning of the module fabrication factory.

CRV Fabrication Overview

- Fabrication: assemble scintillator extrusions, wavelength-shifting fibers, and photodetectors into working modules.
- QA at each assembly step – large component of labor effort.
- 82 modules of 7 different sizes, as well as 9 spare modules.
- Scintillator lengths range from 0.9 m for the cyro modules to 6.6 m for the extra-long modules.
- Module widths for 16 (8) counters for normal (narrow) width modules is ~80 cm (40 cm).
- The “extra long” modules weigh about 2000 lbs

Reminder: Basic CRV Module



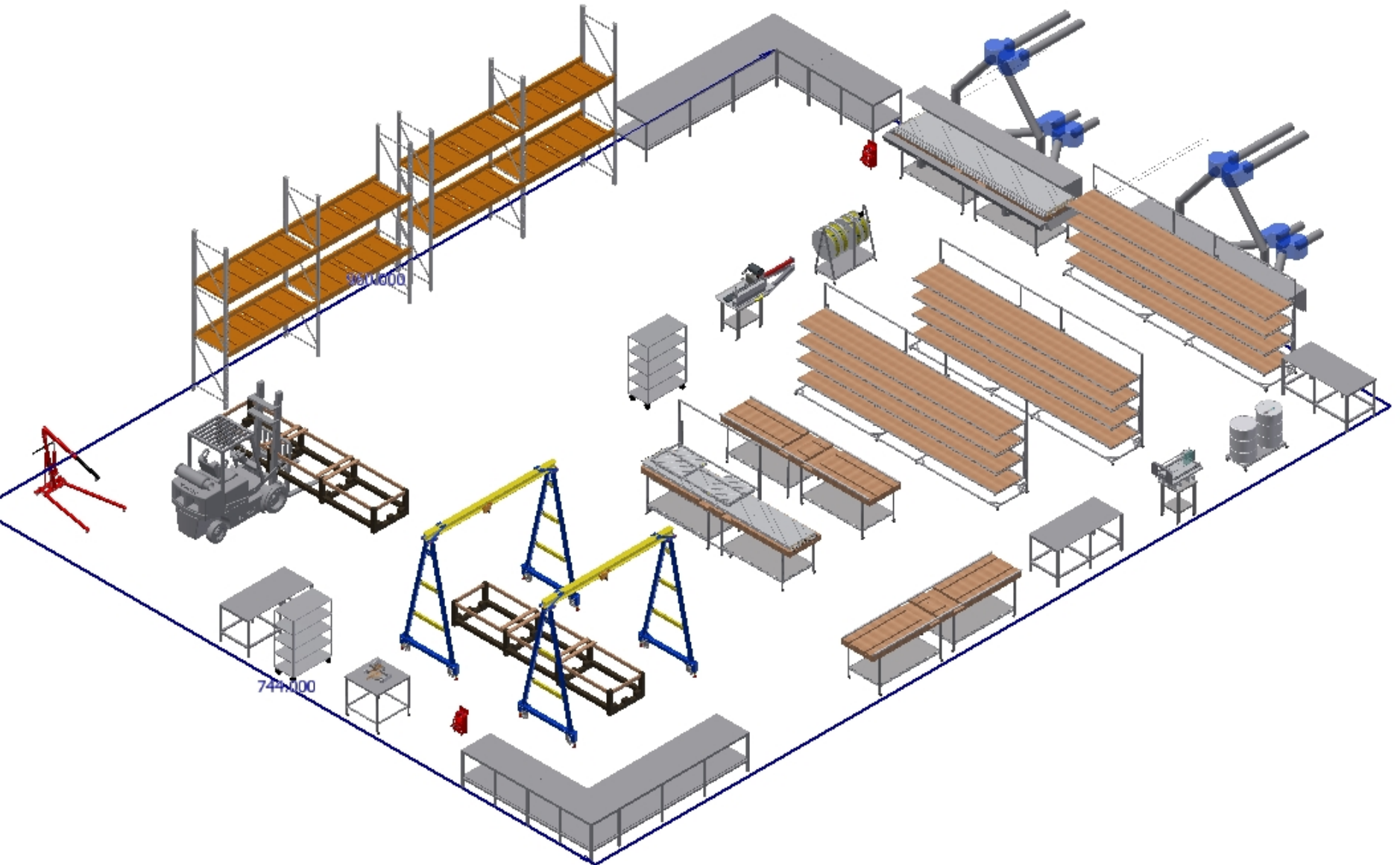
Overview (continued)

- Factory space will be rented near UVA.
- Materials shipped to UVA factory.
- Di-counters assembled with fiber, manifolds and SiPMs. Di-counter QA performed.
- Modules assembled from di-counters, epoxy, and aluminum sheets. Module QA performed.
- Modules crated and shipped to Fermilab.
- During peak production factory will be capable of producing 6 modules per month.

Note: we have a “pilot” production phase for the first 10% of the production modules in which we estimate that fabrication will proceed at 50% of the peak rate.

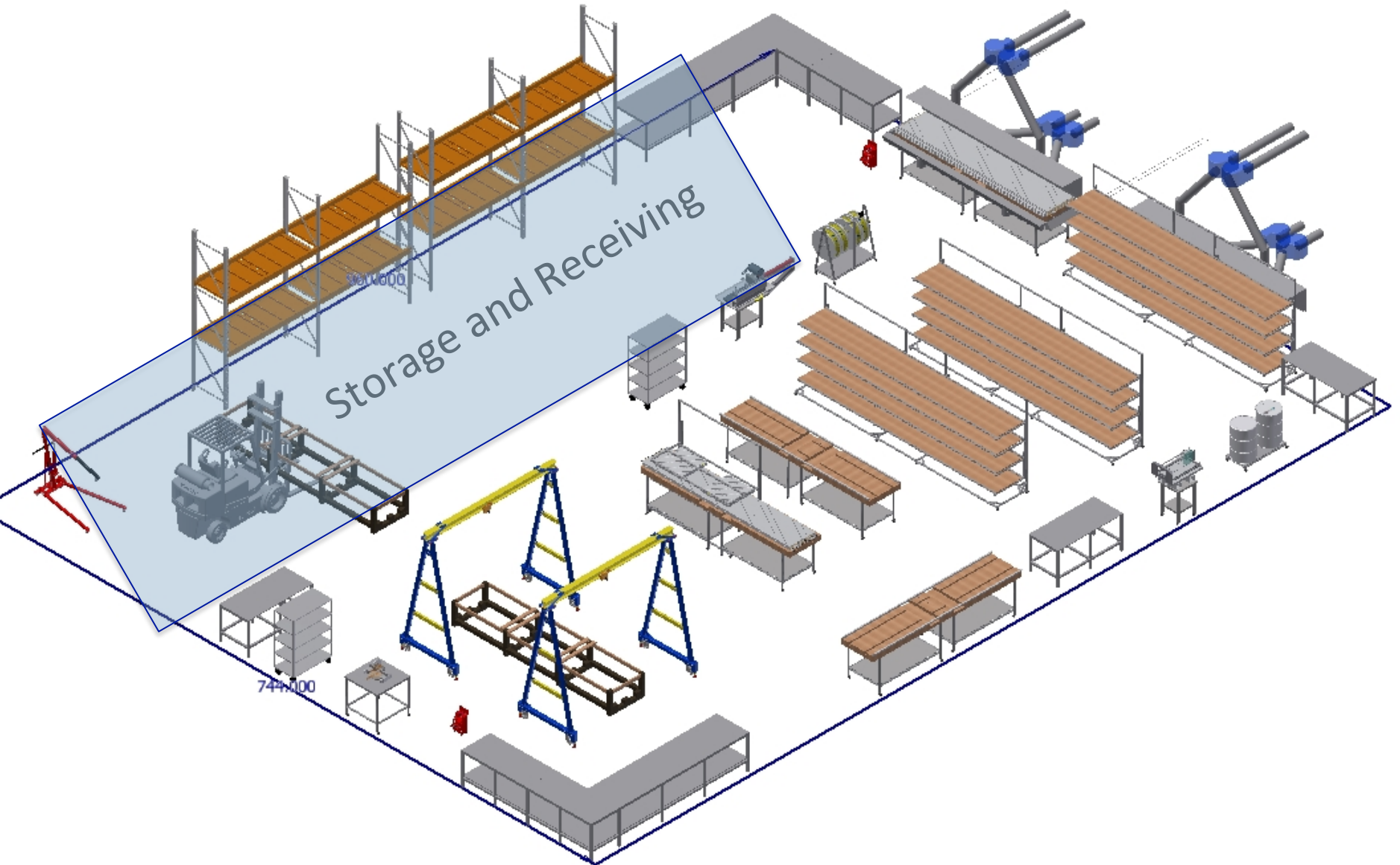
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5000 ft²



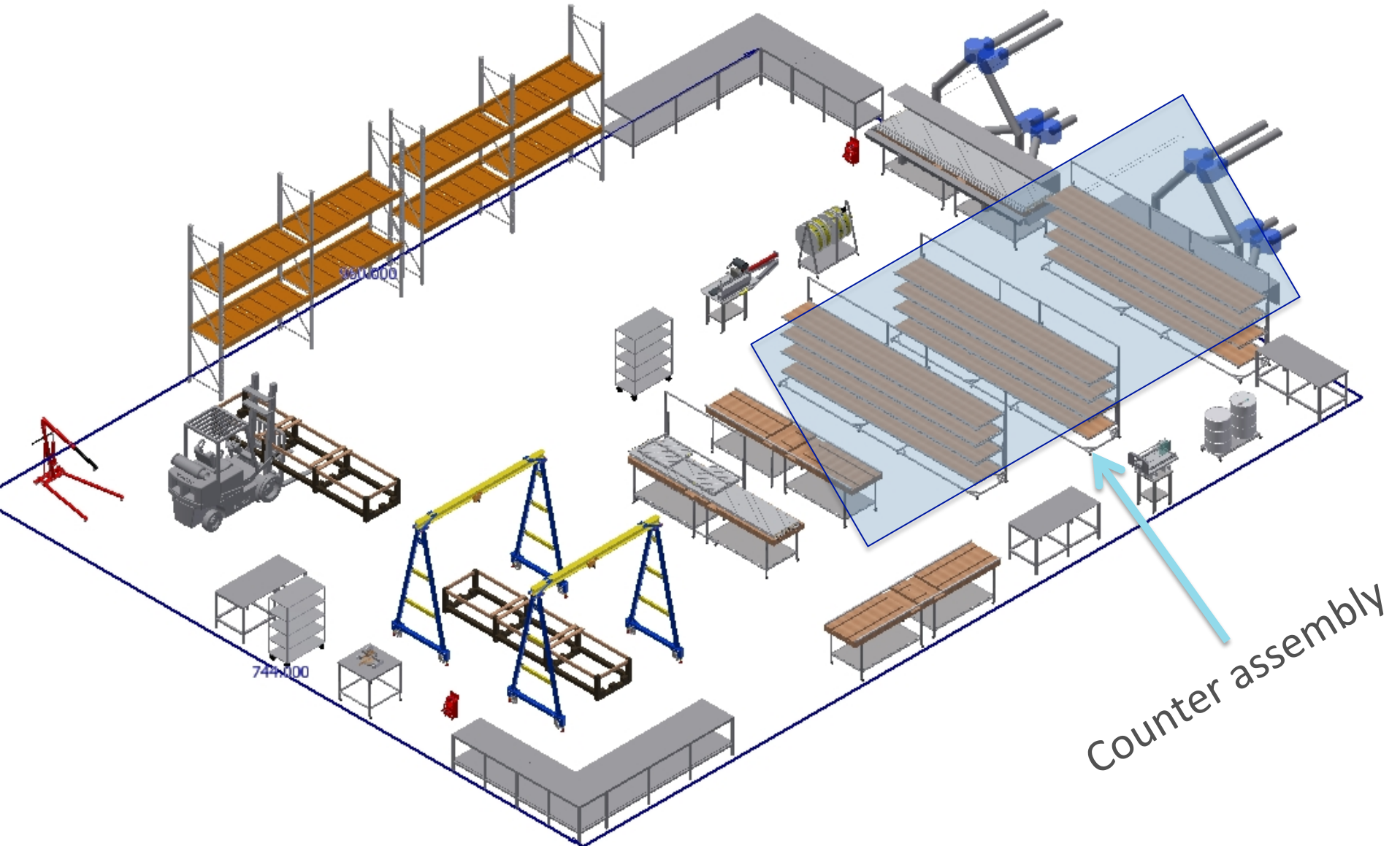
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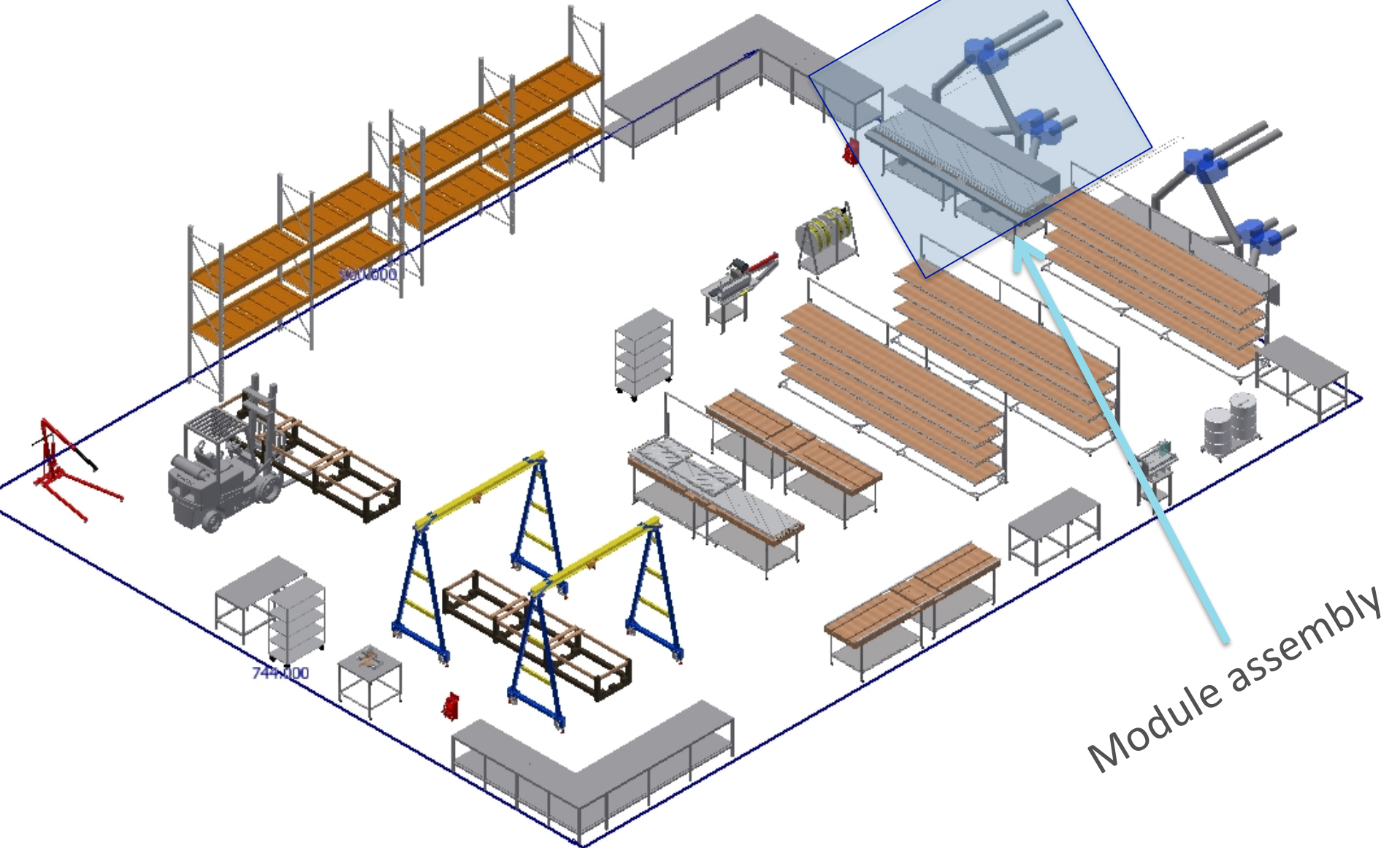
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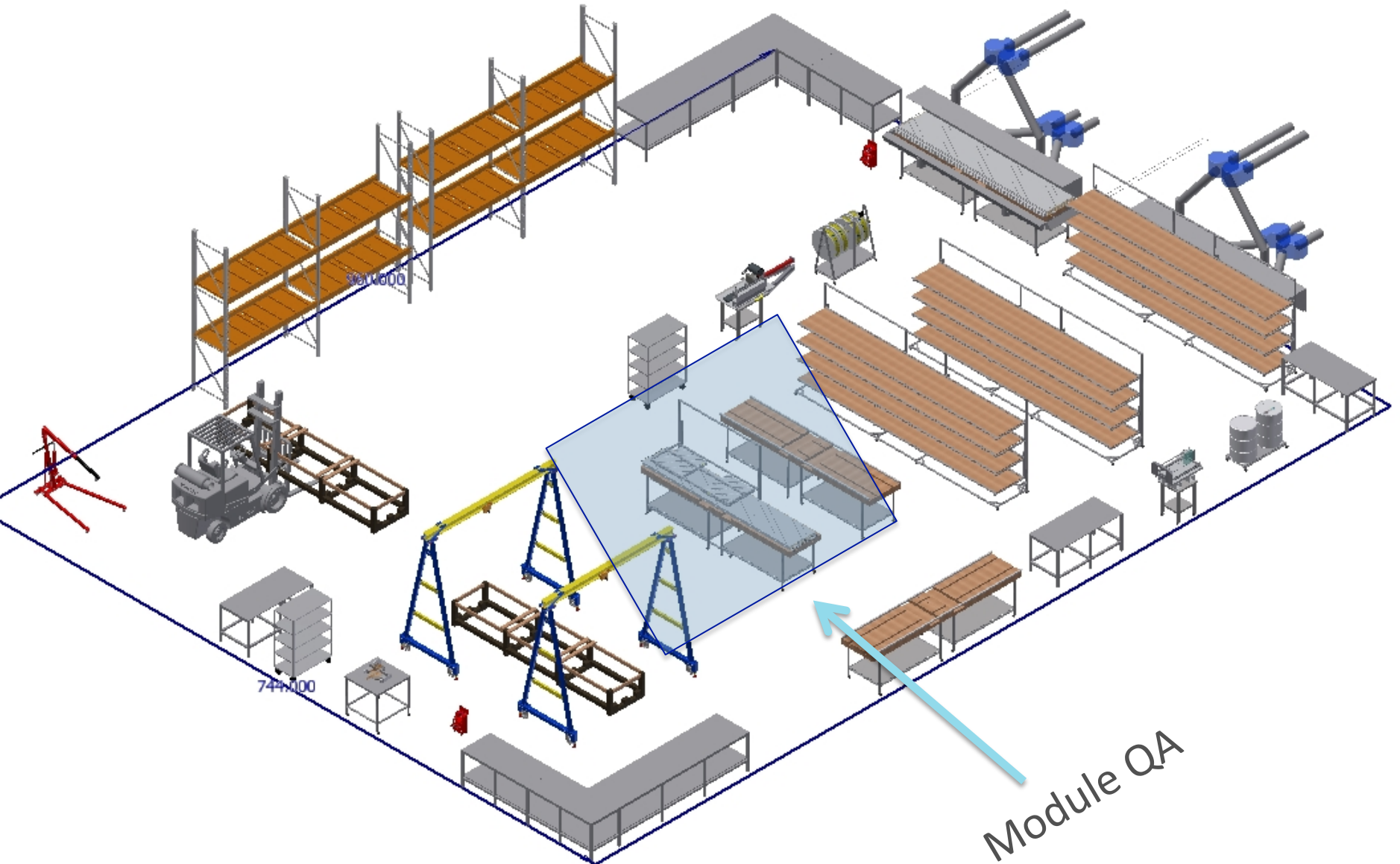
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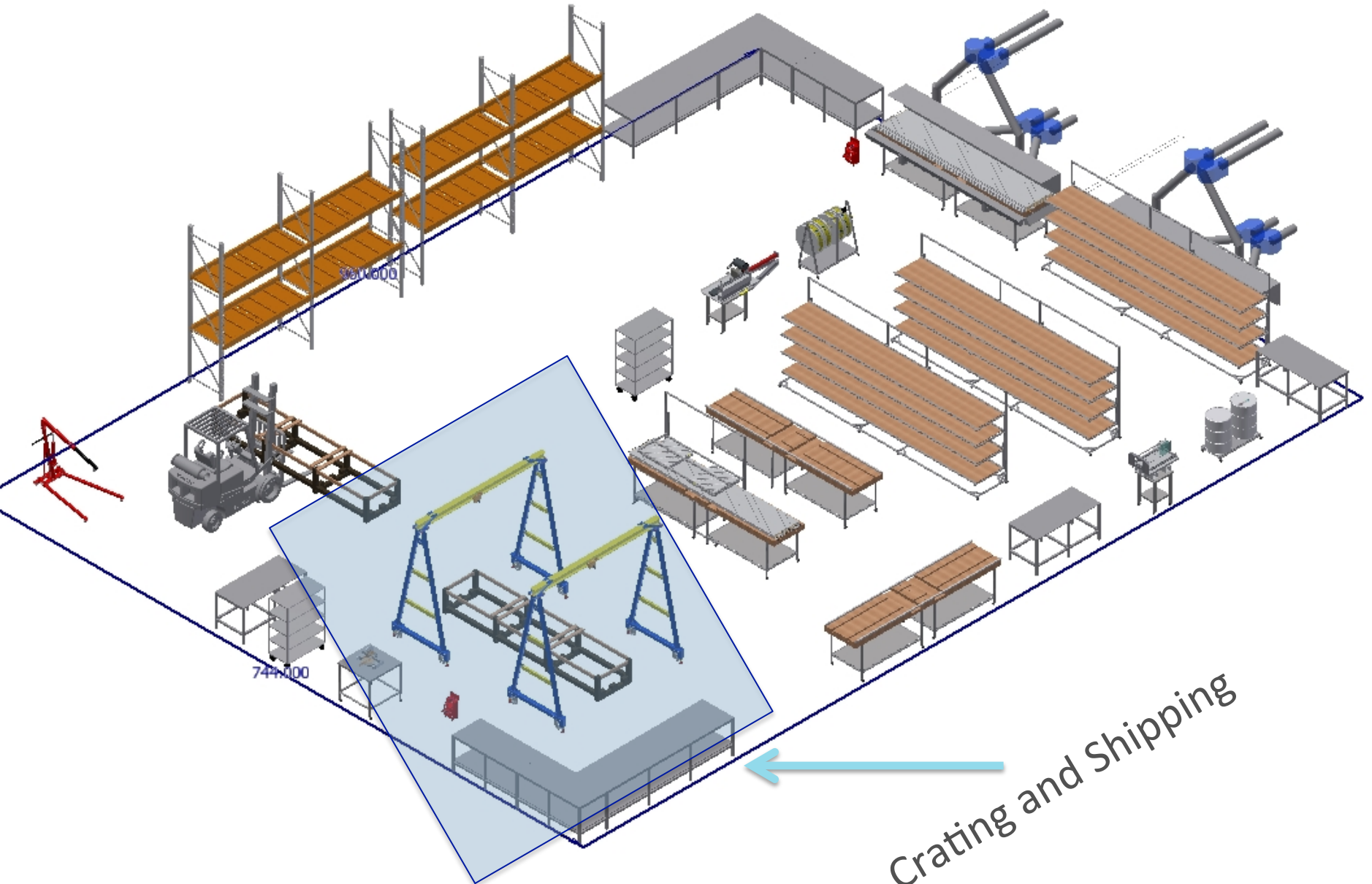
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Required Space

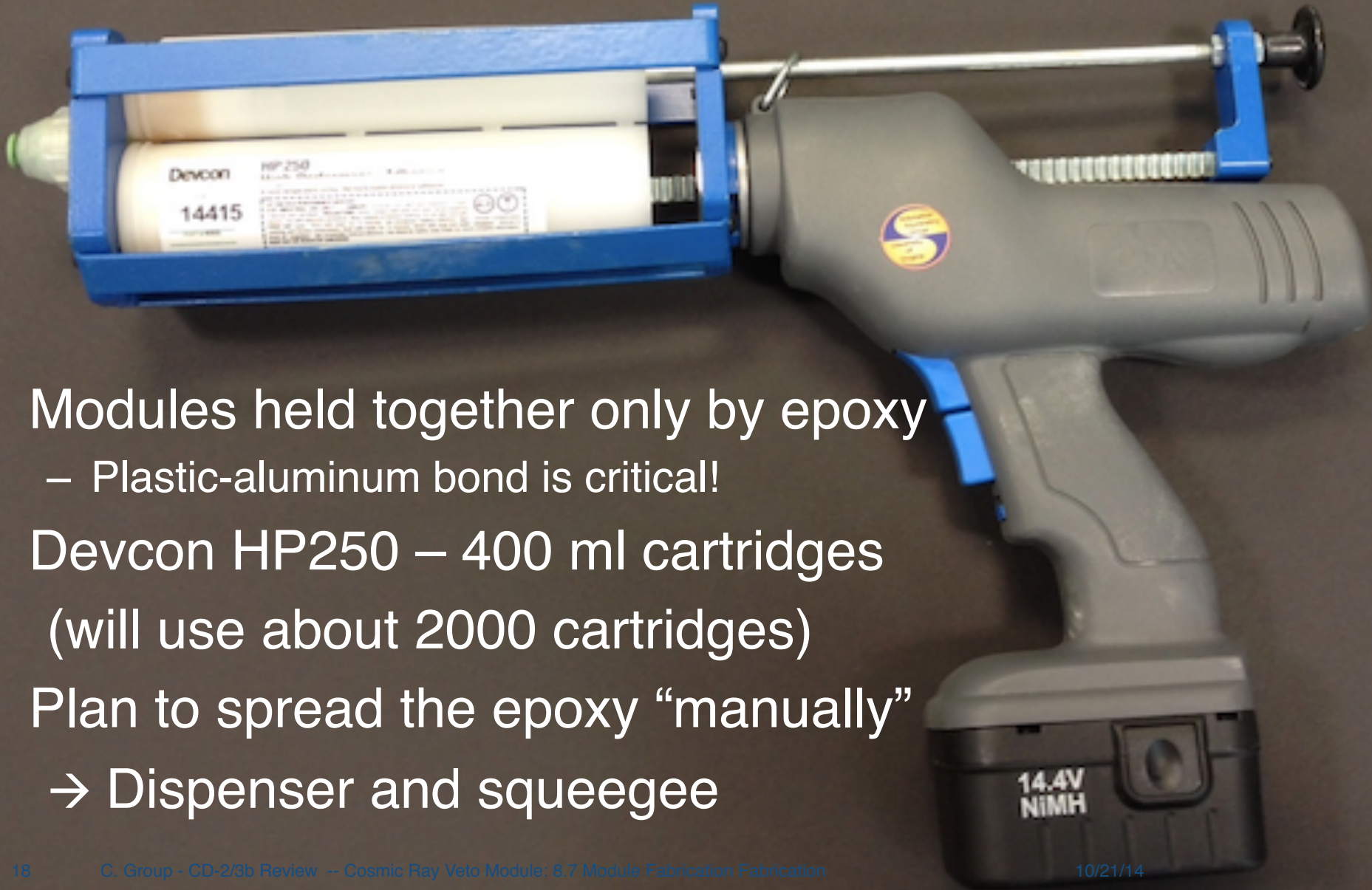
Required space	
Storage/receiving	1500 ft ²
Counter assembly/QA	900 ft ²
Module assembly	400 ft ²
Module QA test stand	400 ft ²
Crating/shipping	1000 ft ²
Total production space	4200 ft²
Target space	5000 ft²

Ideally, we would have 5000 square feet of space in the module factory. (Less space would be possible, but would stretch the fabrication timeline)

Factory Notes

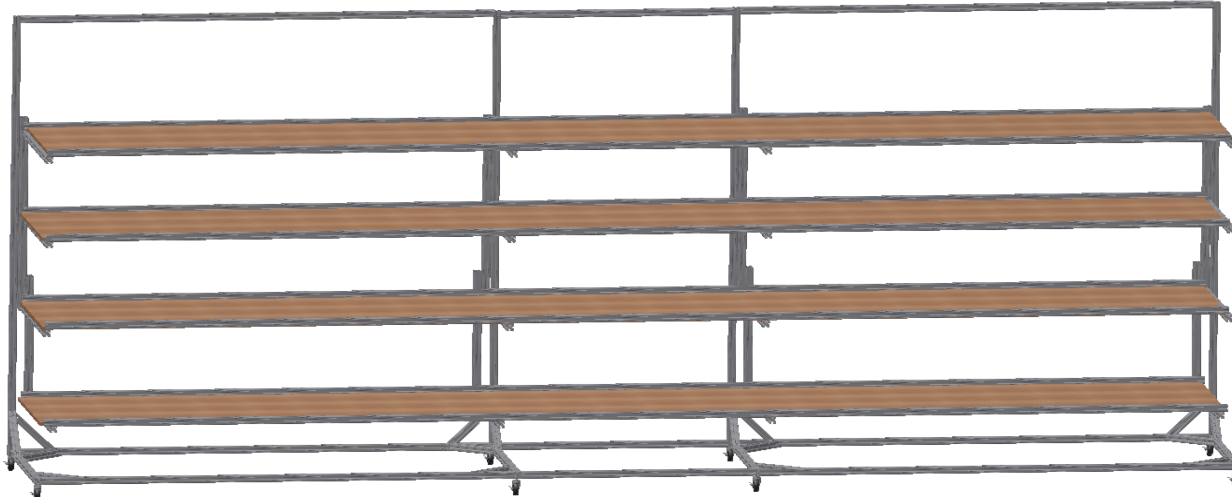
- Plan is to rent industrial space. ~\$1/ft²/month
- Discussion ongoing at UVA to find space on campus.
 - May provide an opportunity to reduce cost.
 - Finding space at UVA is an opportunity and listed in the risk registry.
- All major components will be on locking casters to maximize flexibility of available space.
- Counter Assembly Tables and Module Assembly Tables will be moved to vent hoods for epoxy application steps.

Epoxy



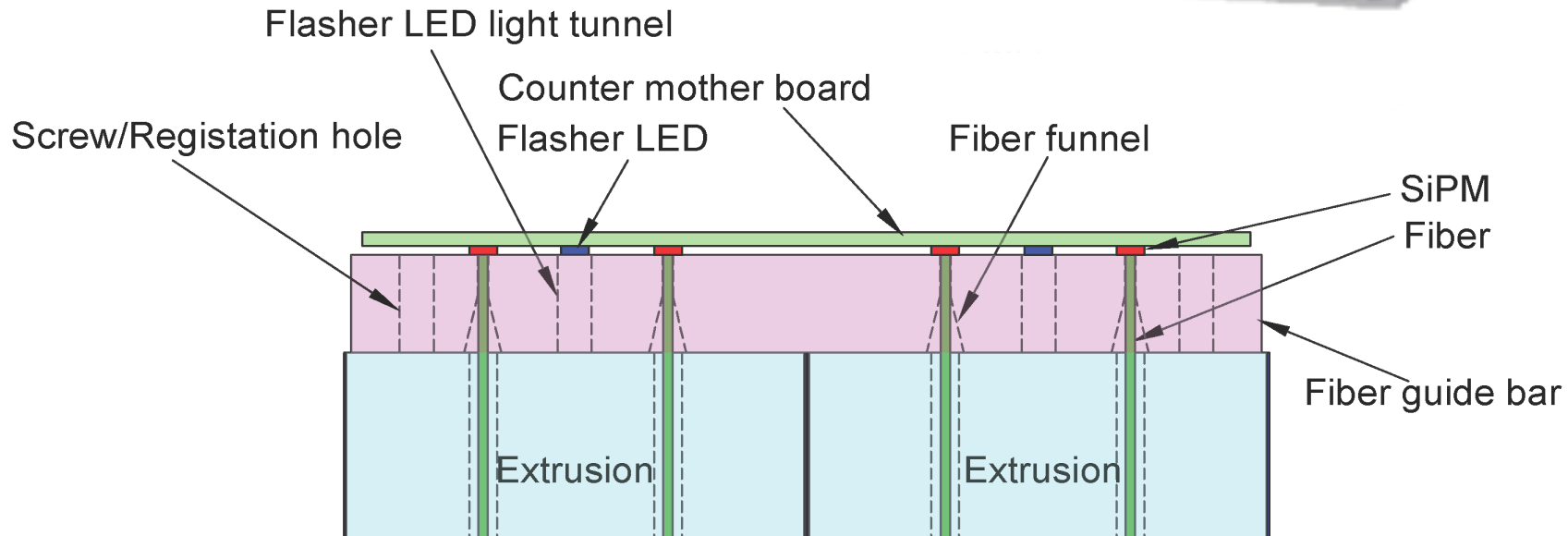
- Modules held together only by epoxy
 - Plastic-aluminum bond is critical!
- Devcon HP250 – 400 ml cartridges (will use about 2000 cartridges)
- Plan to spread the epoxy “manually”
 - Dispenser and squeegee

Counter Assembly Table

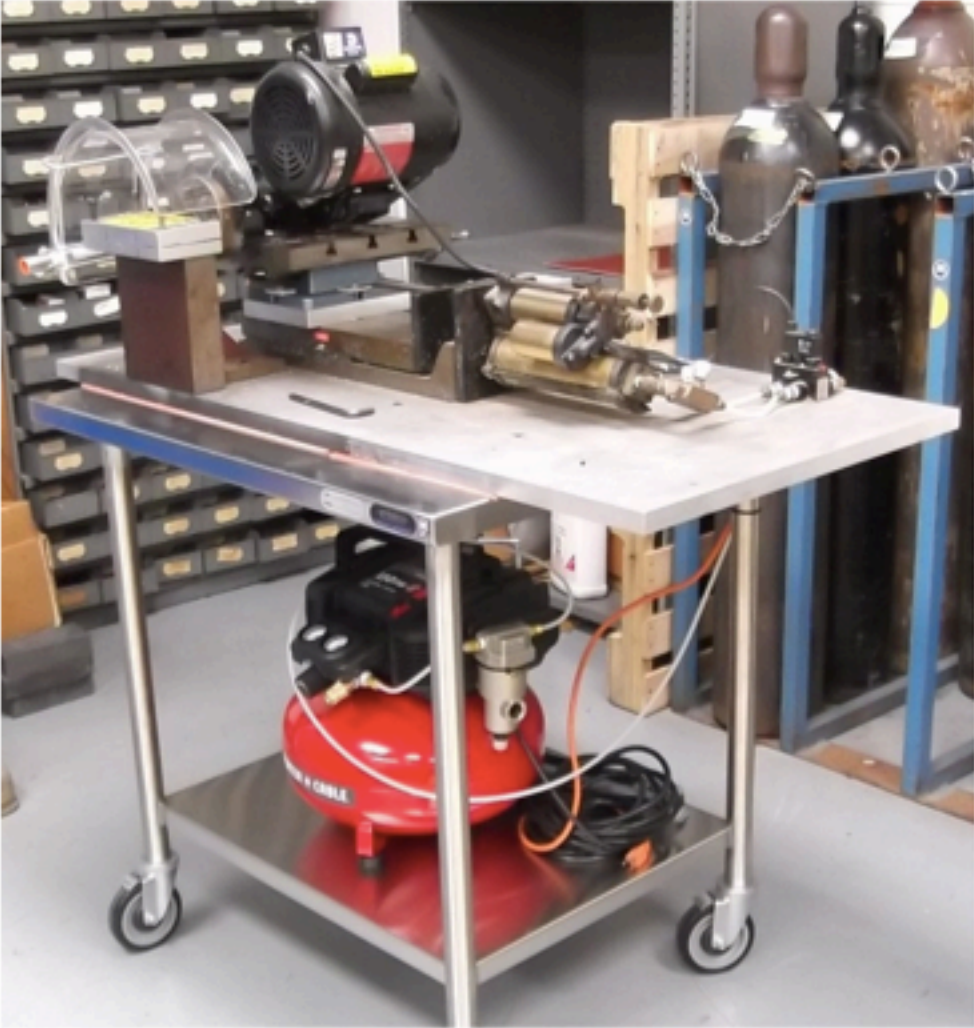


- Shelf heights adjustable to working level.
- One shelf to assemble di-counters for each module layer
 - Epoxy di-counter pairs (overnight cure required)
 - Di-counter pairs cut to length with chop saw
 - Install fiber
 - Epoxy fiber guide bar (3 day cure required for FGB)
 - Fly cut FGB with fibers (one 0.015" trim cut and one 0.004" polish cut)
 - Fiber QA to test cut/polish (details in QA section)
 - Digital photo with 80x microscope
 - Fiber light transmission tester
- Bar-counter interface will be painted using black latex-enamel paint.

Di-counter Assembly



Chop Saw and Fly Cutter



To be modified with cross-slide stage for 36" travel so that full module layer can be cut at once.

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Module Assembly Table



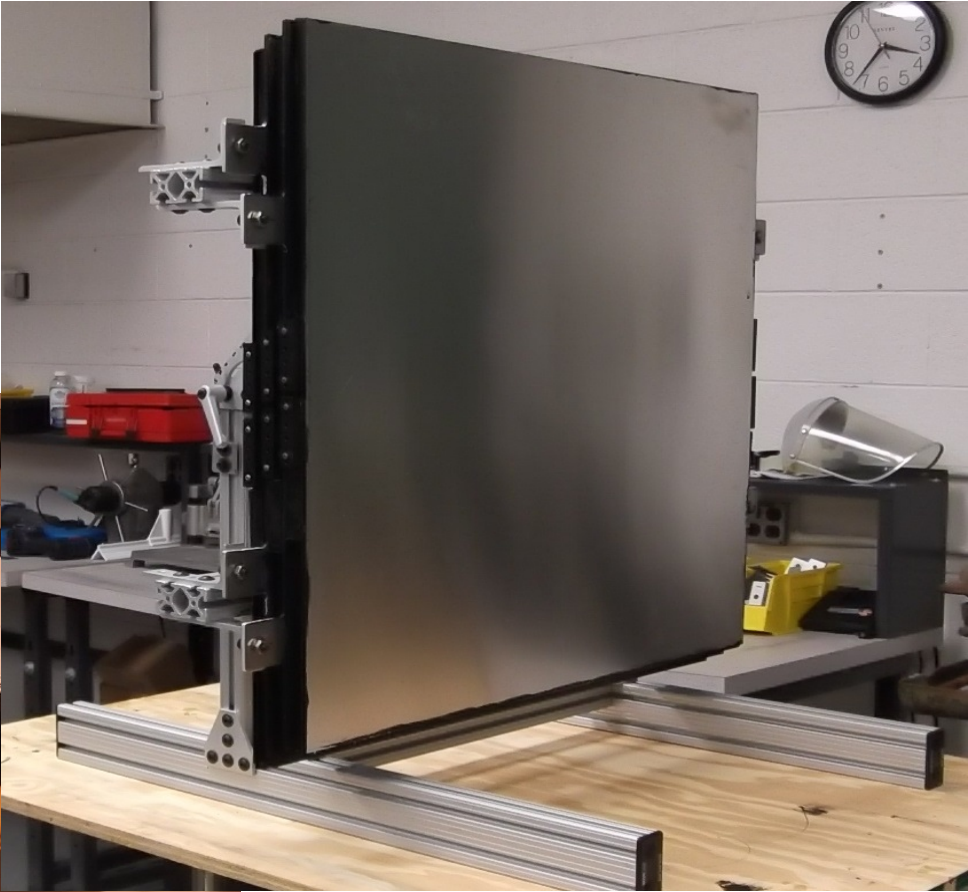
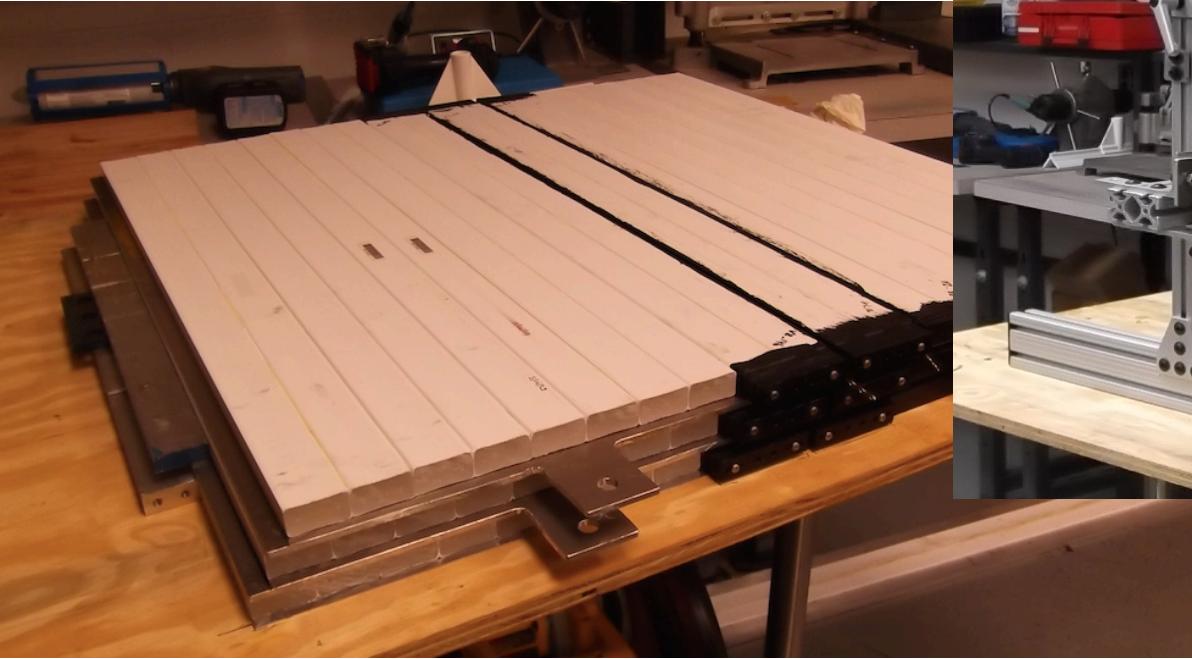
Simple table for module assembly

- Base: two heavy-duty machine tables with locking casters
- 80/20 frame attaching the two tables
- 2"x6" lumber frame and $\frac{3}{4}$ " plywood top
- The table has guides (module glue jig) to locate the counter pairs onto the aluminum absorber plates and to offset counter layers 10 mm from each other
- Vacuum lifter (with crane or gantry hoist) required for handling aluminum sheets and completed modules

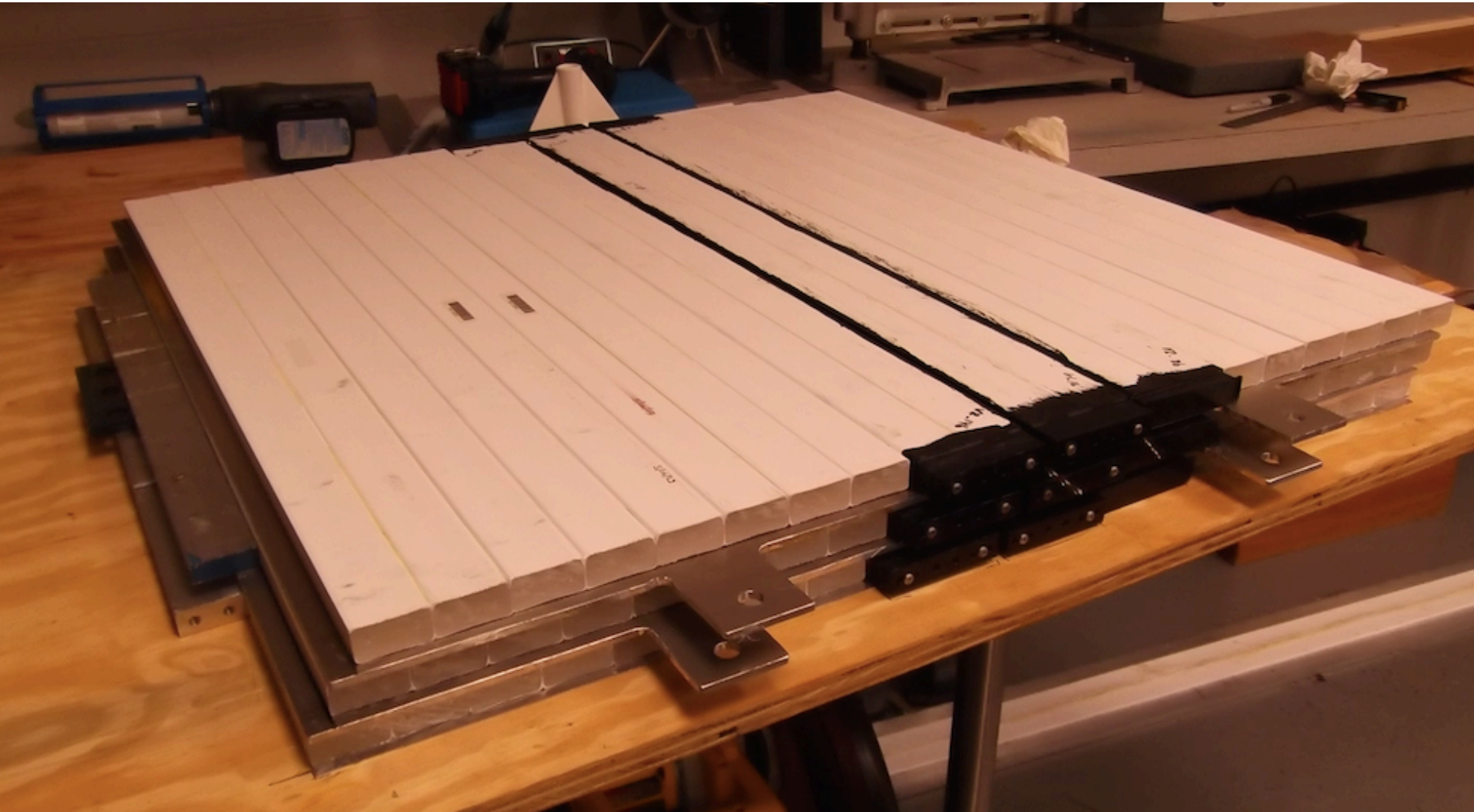
Module Assembly Steps

- Aluminum cover (0.032"-thick) placed on table and epoxy spread to a uniform ~ 0.010 " thickness (or 0.005" on each interface).
- Di counters are placed and spaced carefully so that edge counters are aligned with aluminum edges (8 di counters for normal-width module)
- Epoxy spread to a uniform ~ 0.005 " thickness on di-counter layer
- AL absorber (0.250"-thick) placed onto the wet di-counter layer and positioned using the module glue jig.
- Repeat previous steps to build up 4 layers.
- Aluminum cover (0.032"-thick) is placed onto the wet di-counter layer and positioned with using the module glue jig.
- A plywood weight is placed on top to provide light contact pressure while curing (3 day cure required).

Test Beam Prototype Assembly



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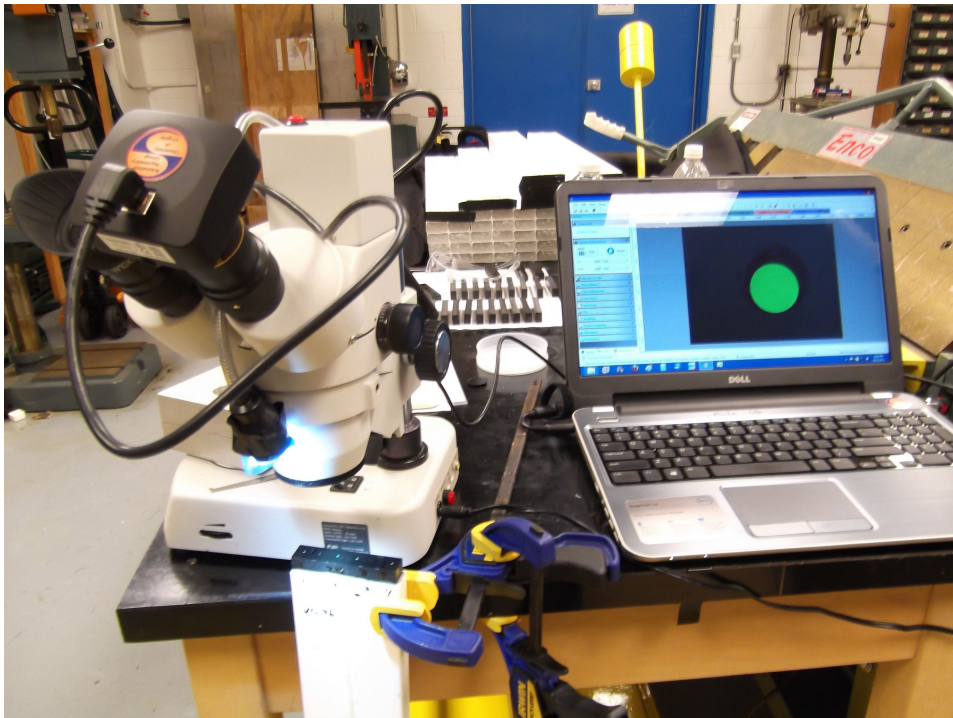


QA at the Fabrication Factory

- Counters:
 - Digital photo with 80x microscope
 - Fiber light transmission tester
- Modules:
 - PE yield measurement with CSC cosmic ray test stand
- QA checklist in QAP (DocDB 4165 – attachment 3)

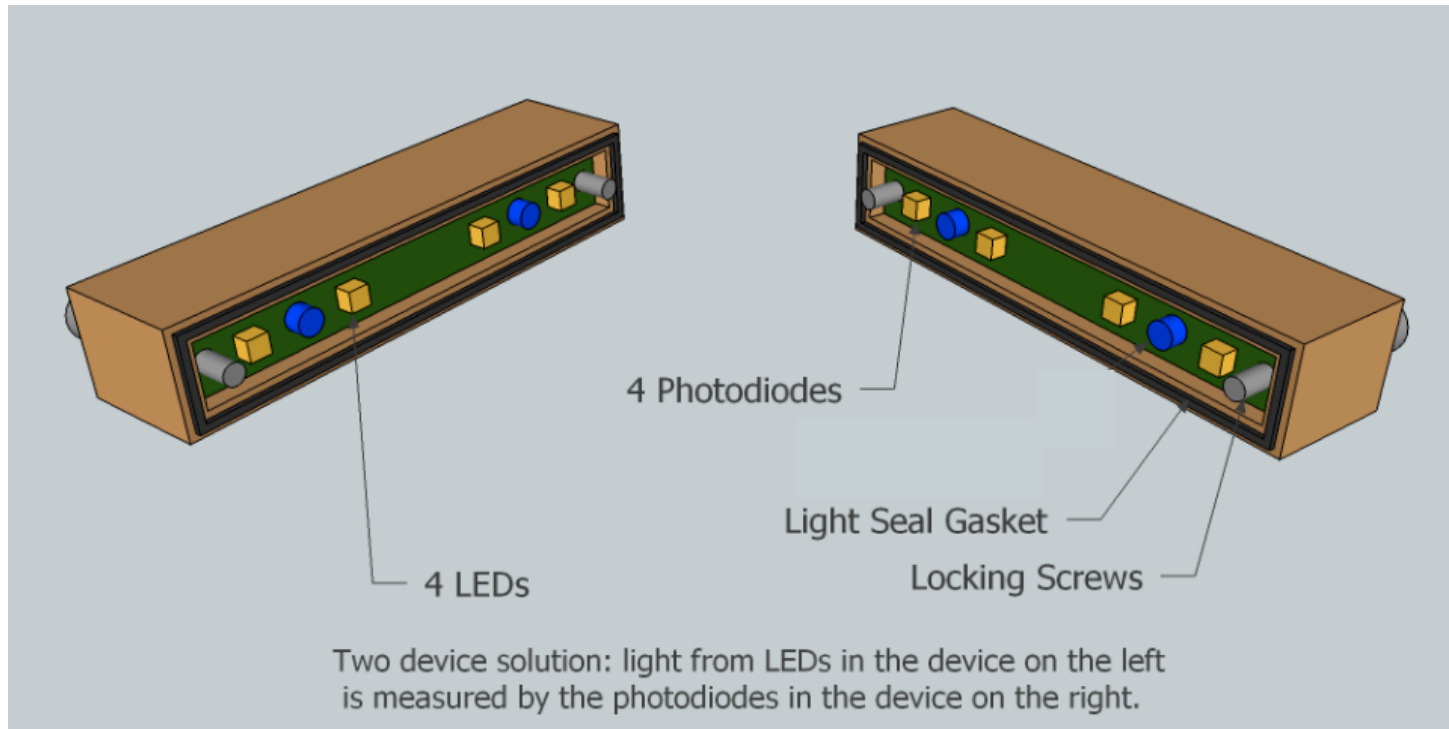
Counter QA

- Counters can't be “unglued”, so QA is critical at the counter assembly step.
- Optical QA via digital image with 80x microscope.
- Image will be stored for each fiber cut.



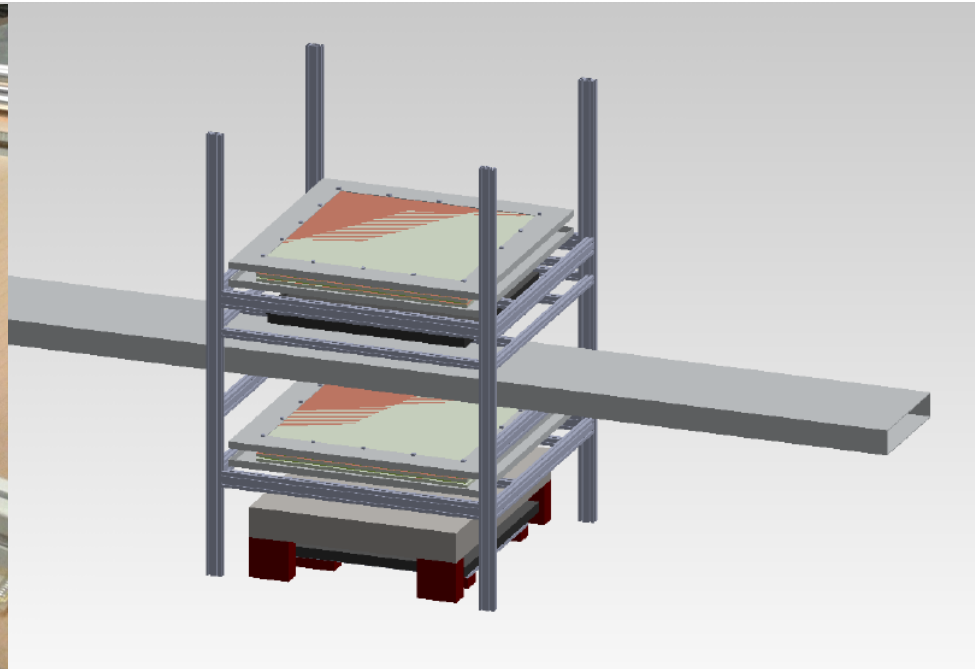
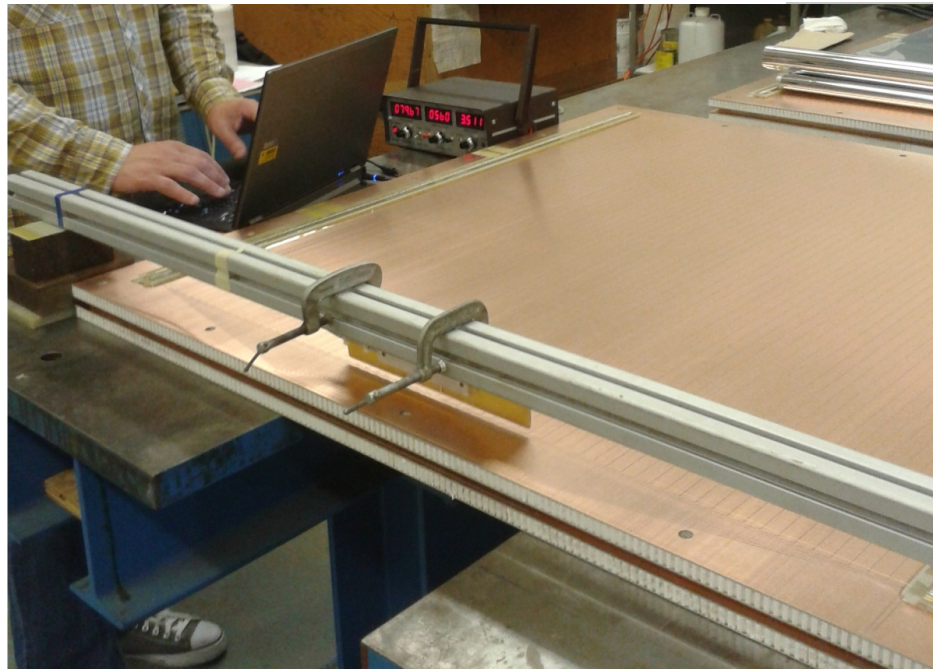
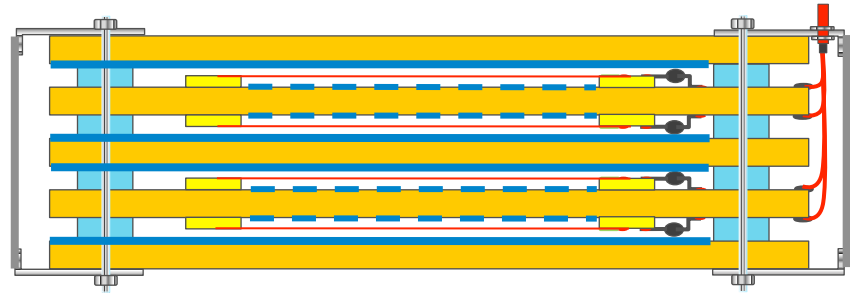
Counter QA

- Counters can't be “unglued”, so QA is critical at the counter assembly step.
- Fiber tester: to be designed/fabricated by Dean Shooltz who built similar devices for NOvA.



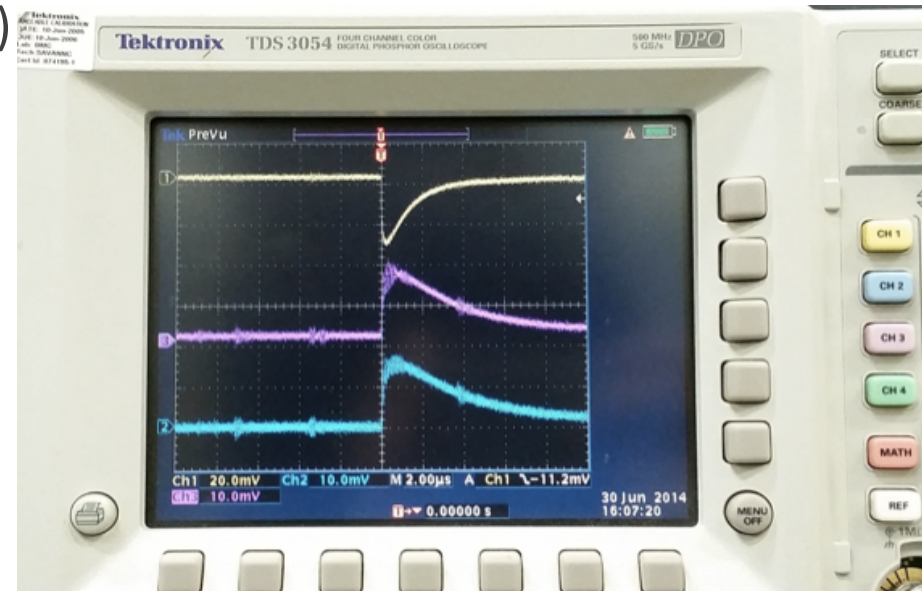
Module QA: CSC Test Stand

- A CSC prototype is being assembled that will be converted into a cosmic ray test stand for module QA.
- Winding complete
- HV/noise tests ongoing



Test Stand Plan

- 1x1 m² active area
- Test stand will employ:
 - two multi-layer CSCs
 - gas system (Ar-CO₂)
 - Trigger: large scintillation counter (for minimum energy confirmation)
 - Readout electronics
- PE yeild will be measured from each module end
- 10-hour runs will yield several hundred thousand cosmic ray muons
- Test procedure will be optimized using module prototypes
- Chamber commissioning is going well...



Cathode strips register signal from cosmic-ray trigger.

QA Checklist



Mu2e CRV Module Factory Quality Assurance Program
Rev-2- 04/04/2014

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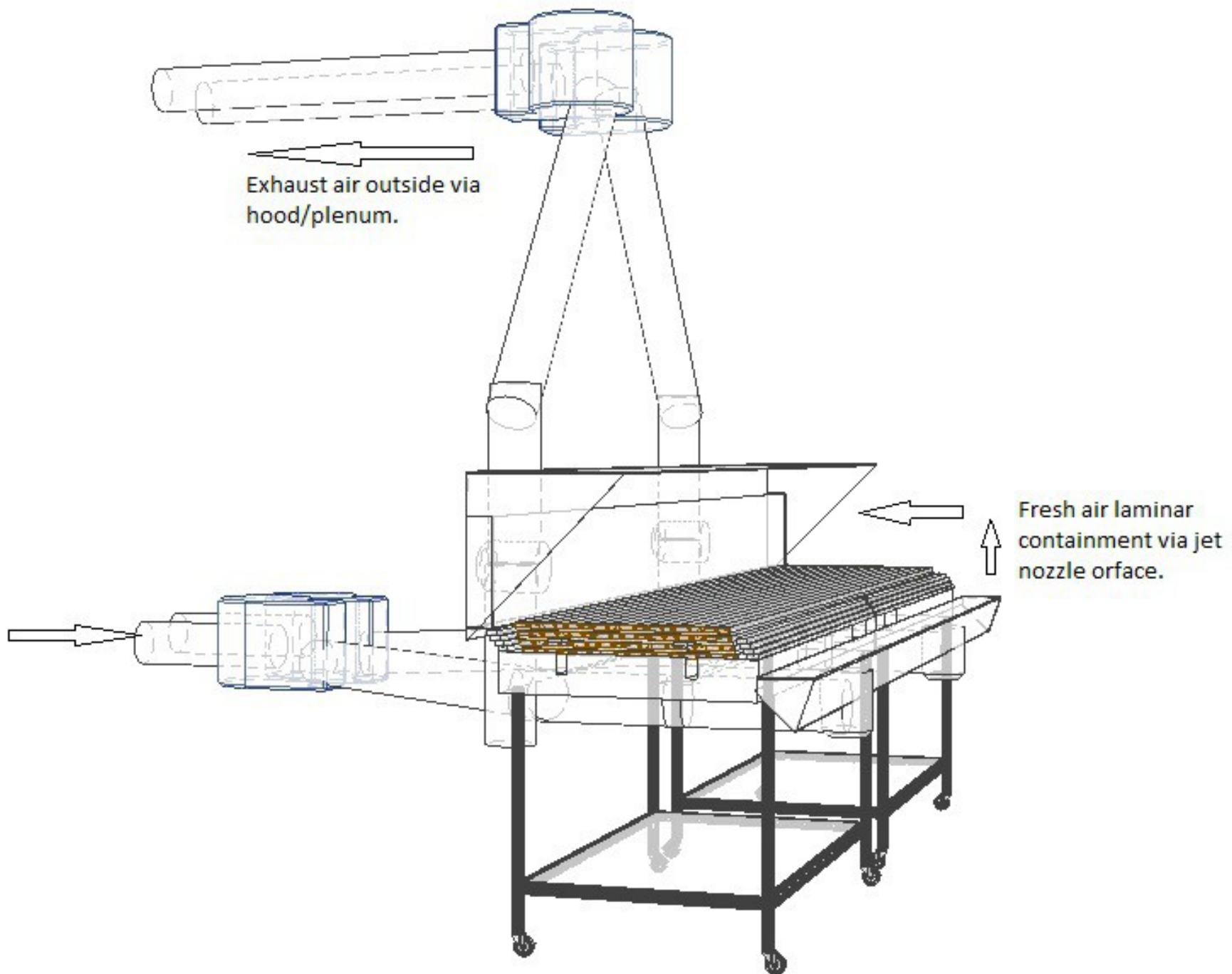
ATTACHMENT 3: CRV Module Factory QA Checklist:

Summary of additional QA checks:

- Scintillator extrusions - dimensional tolerances, defect free, test hole with spare fiber.
- Devcon HP 250 Epoxy - Glue test protocol, peel, shear, durability, hardness.
- Fiber guide bars (FGB) - dimensional tolerances, defect free.
- Counter motherboards (CMB) - dimensional tolerances, electronics tests.
- SiPM mounting blocks (SMB) - dimensional tolerances, defect free.
- Front end boards (FEB) - dimensional tolerances, electronics tests.
- Aluminum absorbers - dimensional tolerances, defect free.
- Light-tight paint and bumpers - defect free.
- ...

Safety at the Module Factory

- Safety plans are also covered by the QAP (DocDB 4150)
- There are several hazards in the module factory: high voltage, compressed gas, epoxy fumes, power and other sharp tools...
- All employees must study and sign the UVA standard operating procedures (SOP) document to begin work.
- Each employee will be trained in all current OSHA, Fermilab and UVA ES&H safety guidelines for identifying, mitigating and managing all relevant hazards at the job site.
- Operation of the chop-saw or fly-cutter or access to the machine shop will require UVA machine shop training.
- All epoxies contain some toxic chemicals, engineering controls will be employed to mitigate occupational exposure levels.
- Working closely with industrial hygienist at UVA to finalize ventilation plan



Epoxy Fumes

- A similar design will be adapted for the Counter Assembly Tables.
- Devcon HP250 **does not contain MDA** which is a known carcinogen often found in epoxy. We chose a “safer” epoxy.
- However, it does contain a suspected carcinogen, MBCHA, and other known toxins.
- A prototype ventilation system will be tested via air sampling while building prototype modules to ensure air contaminants are mitigated to acceptable levels.

Personnel at the Module Factory

- **Technician Leader:** Factory design, prototyping, factory management (QA/safety), documentation, fabrication, ...
- **Mechanical Technician:** Assist in moving into factory, building assembly stations, and fabrication efforts.
- **Undergraduates:** tedious tasks in the module factory: cleaning/de-burring components, spreading epoxy, QA checklists, ...
- **Uncosted graduate students, postdocs, and faculty:** commission the QA tools, establish metrics, and analyze data from QA measurements.

Personnel at the Module Factory

- About 7300 total hours of effort to fabricate, pack, and ship 91 modules to Fermilab.
- ~80 hours of fabrication effort per module.
- ~54 hours of tech effort per module for fabrication.
- With full-time effort, about 6 modules per month can be produced in the module factory.
- Example work flow to follow, more details in DocDB 4197.

Work flow at module factory

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 di-counter	2 fiber di-counter	3 cure fiber di-counter	4 cure cure
5 cure cure	6 flycut cure fiber	7 fiber QA flycut cure	8 manifold fiber QA cure	9 transition manifold cure transition	10 di-counter transition flycut module transition	11 cure
12 cure	13 fiber di-counter fiber QA cure module	14 cure fiber manifold transition cure transition	15 cure cure transition transition cure CR test stand	16 cure cure di-counter module cure Crate (1)	17 flycut cure fiber cure transition transition	18 cure cure
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Month 1
(DocDB 4197)

Day of the Week		
#	CT1	CT3
	MT2	MT2
	CR test stand	
	Crate/Ship	

Module 1
Module 2
Module 3
Module 4
Module 5
Module 6
Module 7
Module 8
Module 9
Module 10
Module 11
Module 12
Module 13
Module 14

Work flow at module factory



Module 12 crated in less than 2 months!

Month 2

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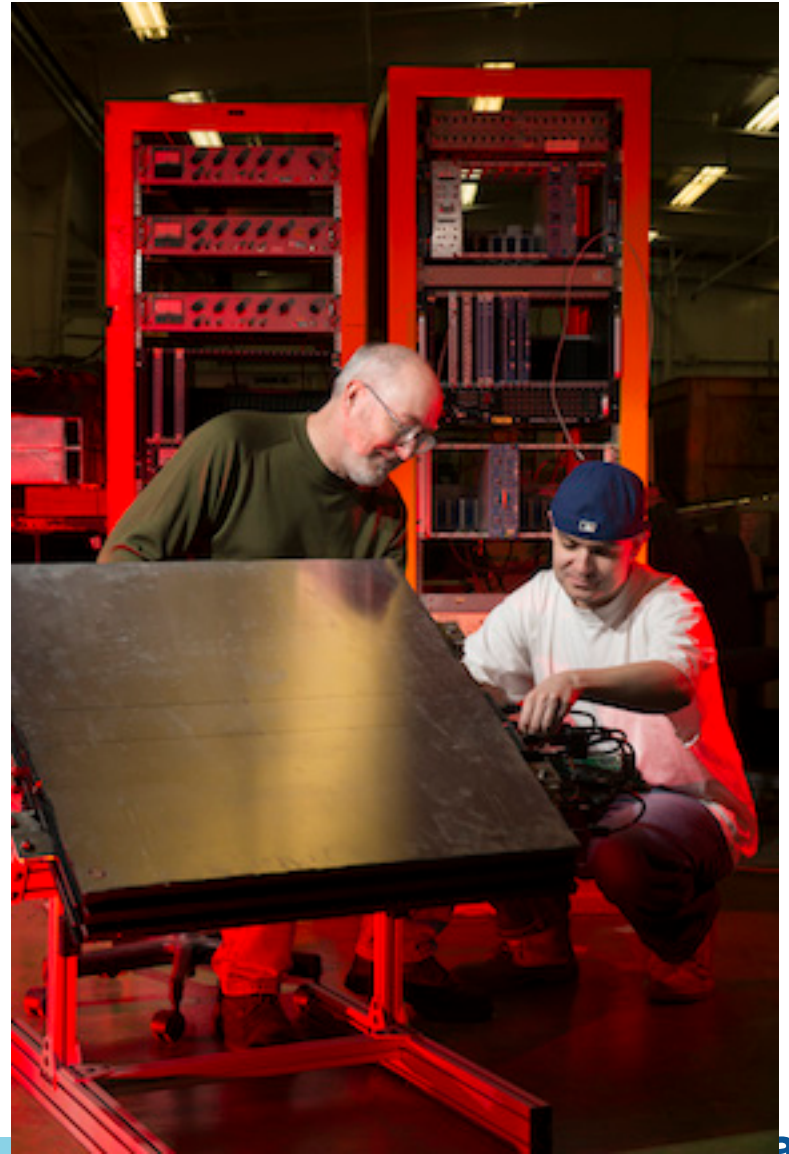
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- Module 10
- Module 11

Prototype Plan



- Past experience with “test beam” prototype
- Prototyping is critical for understanding ideal tooling and required tech hours



Prototype Plan

- **Mechanical prototype (early FY15):**
 - 4.7 m long; No electronics
 - Time and motion studies; handling modules
 - Test/practice epoxy application
- **Two short (cryo-length) electronics prototypes (FY15):**
 - Outfitted with electronics
 - Study mounting techniques
 - Test bed for electronics
- **Two “pre-production” prototypes (FY16):**
 - Outfitted with electronics
 - Production scintillation and fiber
 - Shipped to Fermilab to test installation and mounting procedures

Shipping

- Plan for ~9 shipments (~10 modules per shipment)
- Plan for 2 modules per crate
- Crates will weigh about 4000 lbs
- Crates will be assembled at a local job shop
- Will consider shipping crates back to UVA.
- Crates designed to be stackable.

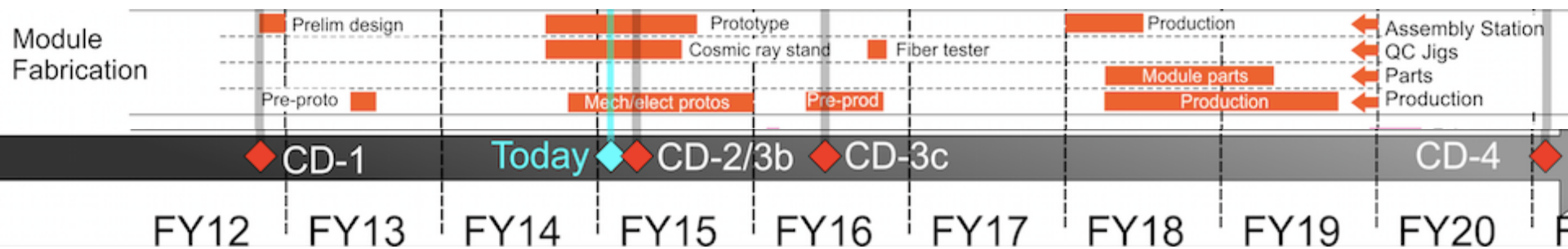


Shipping

- Crates will be loaded via fork lift
- Need access from side of truck
- Flatbed truck with tarps possible, but “Conestoga 2” seems ideal -- sliding tarp system:



Schedule and Remaining work before CD3



- Complete fabrication of prototype assembly stations
- Complete fabrication of cosmic ray test stand
- Produce “mechanical” prototype module
- Produce “short electronics” prototype module
- Produce “pre-production” prototype
- Test “pre-production” prototype
- Design and fabricate “pre-production” prototype shipping crate
- Ship “pre-production” prototype to Fermilab

Cost Table (Base Cost – AY k\$)

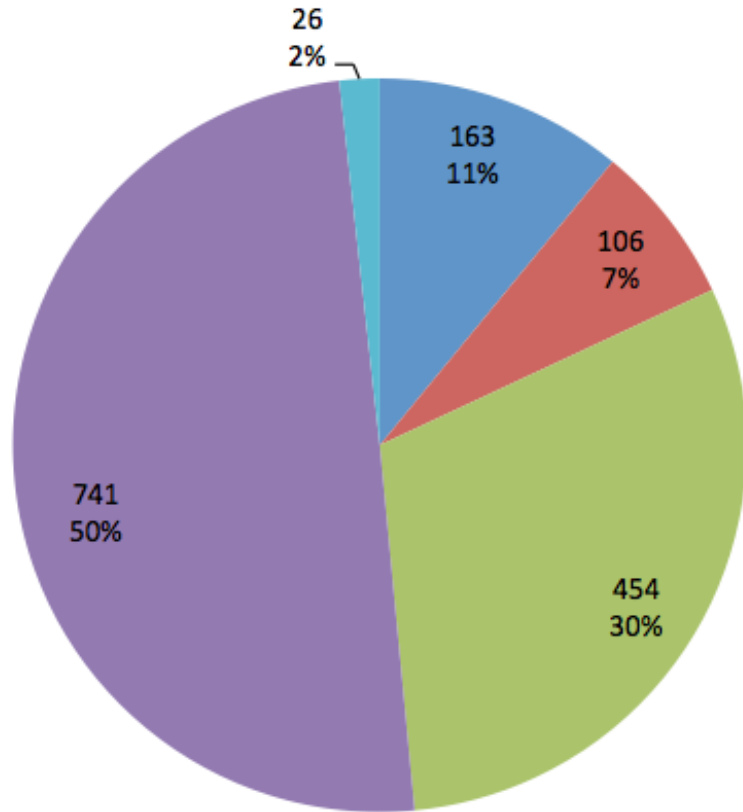
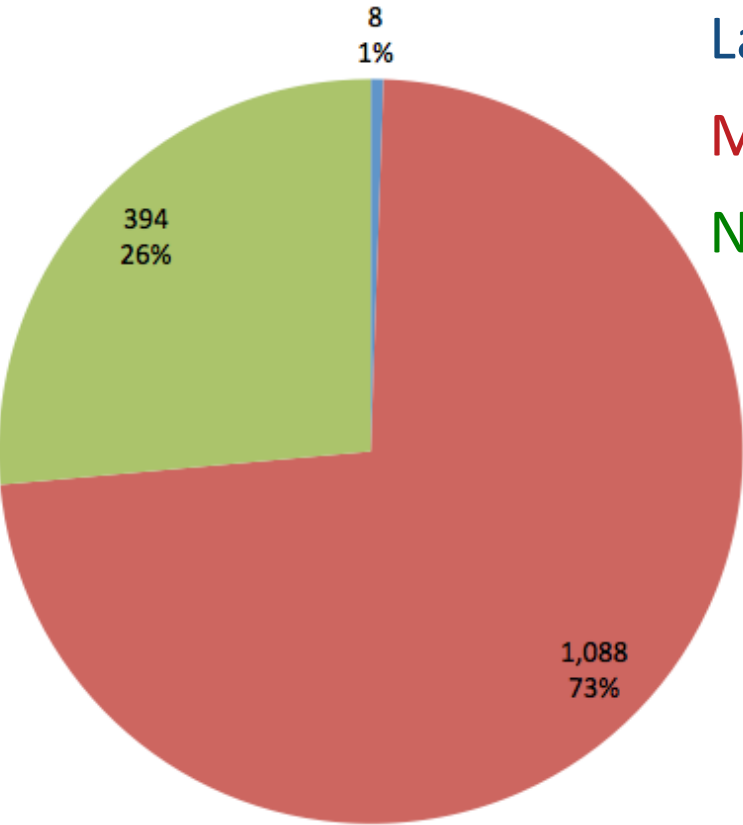
	Base Cost (AY K\$)			Uncertainty (on remaining budget)	% Contingency (on remaining budget)	Total Cost
	M&S	Labor	Total			
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8.07.02 Assembly Station Quality assurance design & fabrication	98	8	106	23	65%	129
8.07.03 Fabrication of Module Parts	454		454	93	21%	547
8.07.04 Module Production, Testing, Shipping	741		741	276	41%	1,018
8.07.05 Breakdown of Module Factory	26		26	11	43%	37
Grand Total	1,482	8	1,490	466	35%	1,956

Cost Breakdown (Base Cost – AY k\$)

Labor

Materials

Non-FNAL Labor



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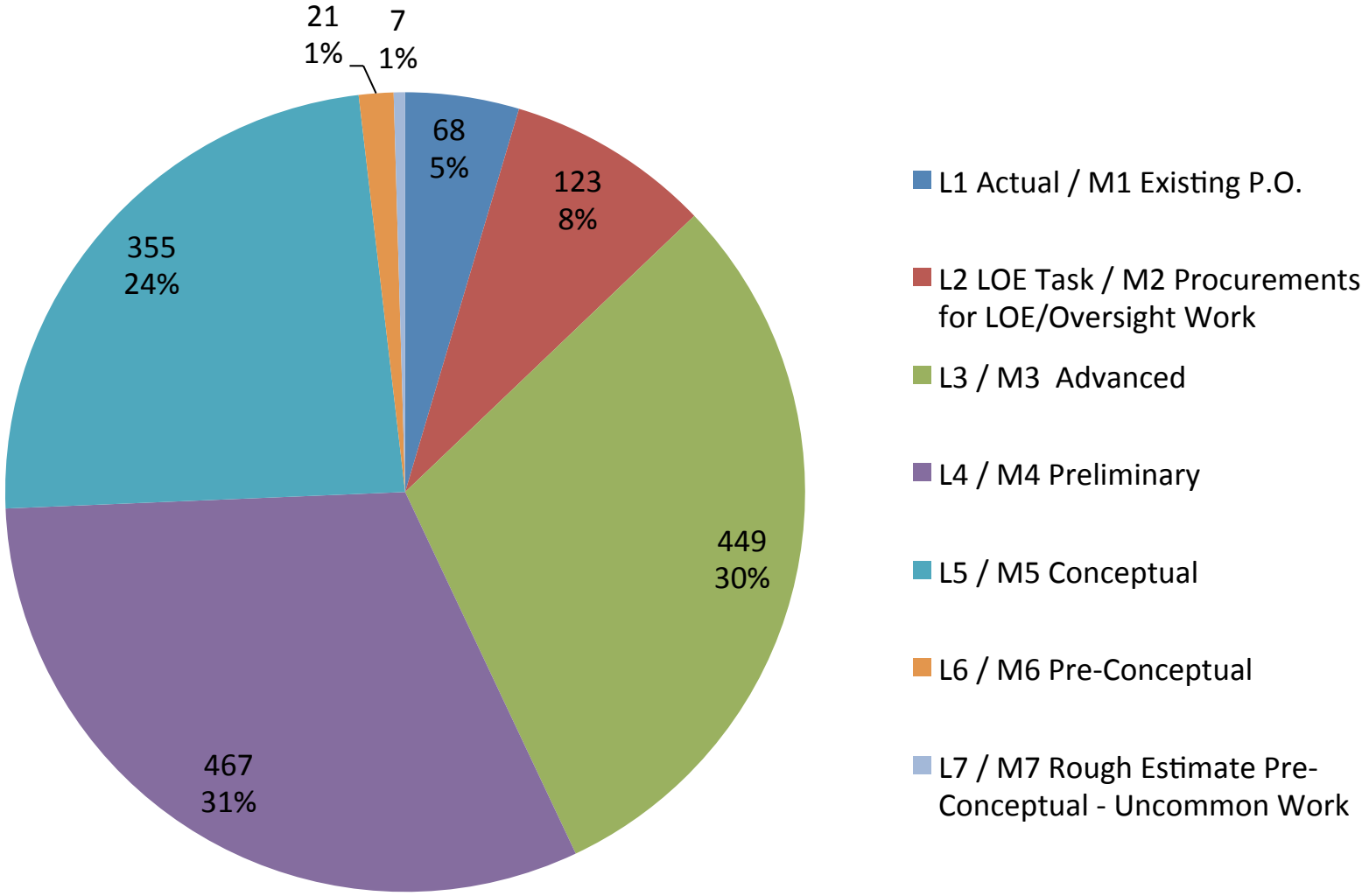
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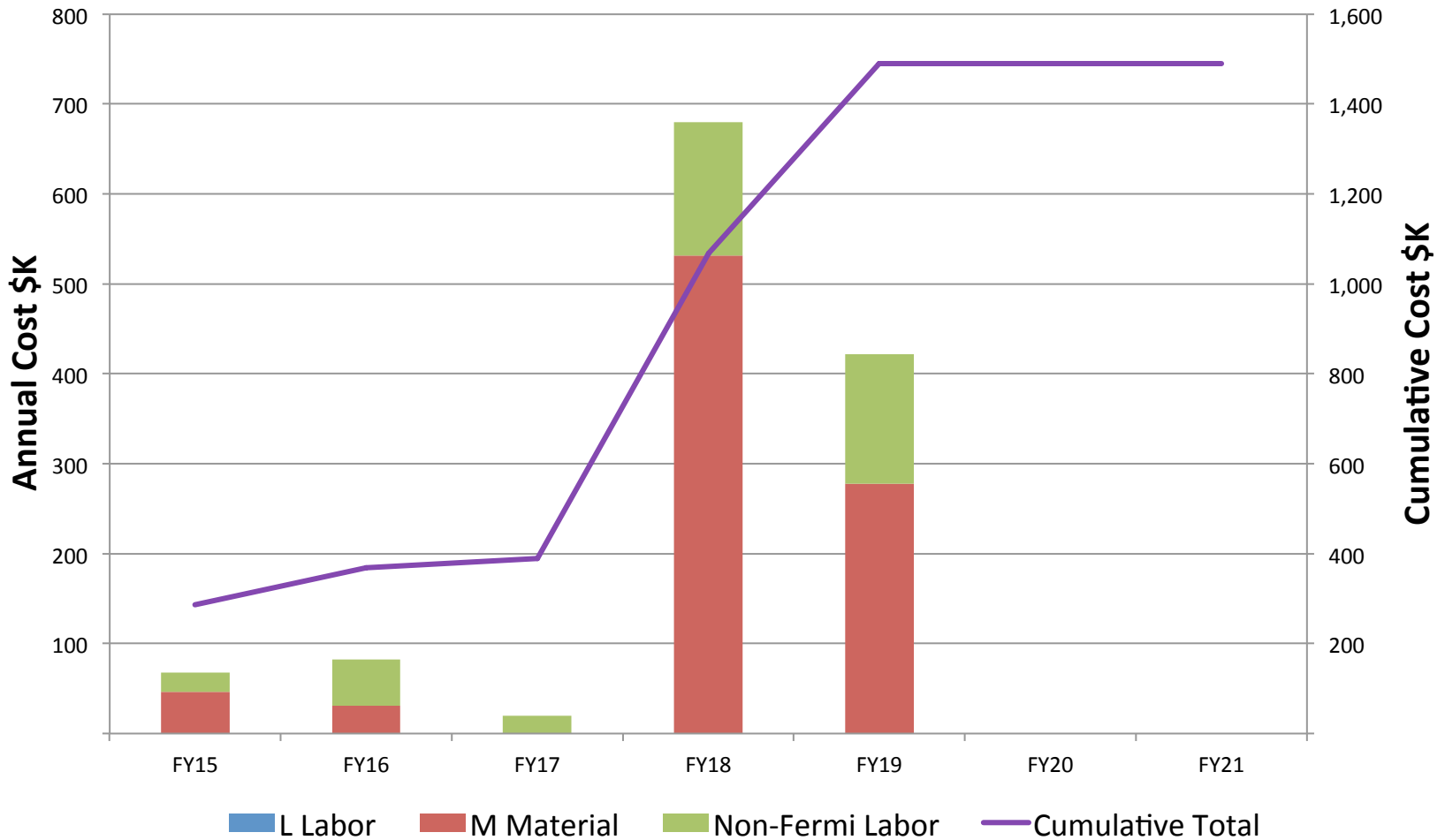
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Quality of Estimate (Base Cost – AY k\$)



Labor Resources by FY (Base Cost in AY K\$)



Integration and Interfaces

- CRV fabrication is integrated with most other CRV L3s: design, fibers, electronics, extrusions, instillation...
- Many interfaces require coordination:
 - Fabrication procedure dependent on design
 - Components are shipped to module factory
 - QA of many parts done during fabrication
 - Completed modules shipped back
- All interfaces are internal to the CRV group.
- Discuss interfaces at weekly CRV meeting.
- Share documentation – same chapter for the TDR.

Major Milestones

- Oct. 2014: Cosmic Ray Test Stand Ready
- Dec. 2014: Approve mechanical prototype
- Feb. 2016: Approve pre-production prototype
- June 2019: Production modules complete
- Sept. 2019: Module factory breakdown complete

Summary

- Factory plan is complete and prototyping is ongoing...
- All factory components on castors -- flexibility is important-- location won't be finalized until rental space is acquired.
- Prototype assembly will allow us to fine tune assembly plan.
- The cost and schedule are well understood, with contingency estimated to reflect estimate uncertainty.
- The CRV fabrication activity is ready for CD2 and has a clear plan to get to CD3.

Supplementary Material

Prototype Counter Assembly Table



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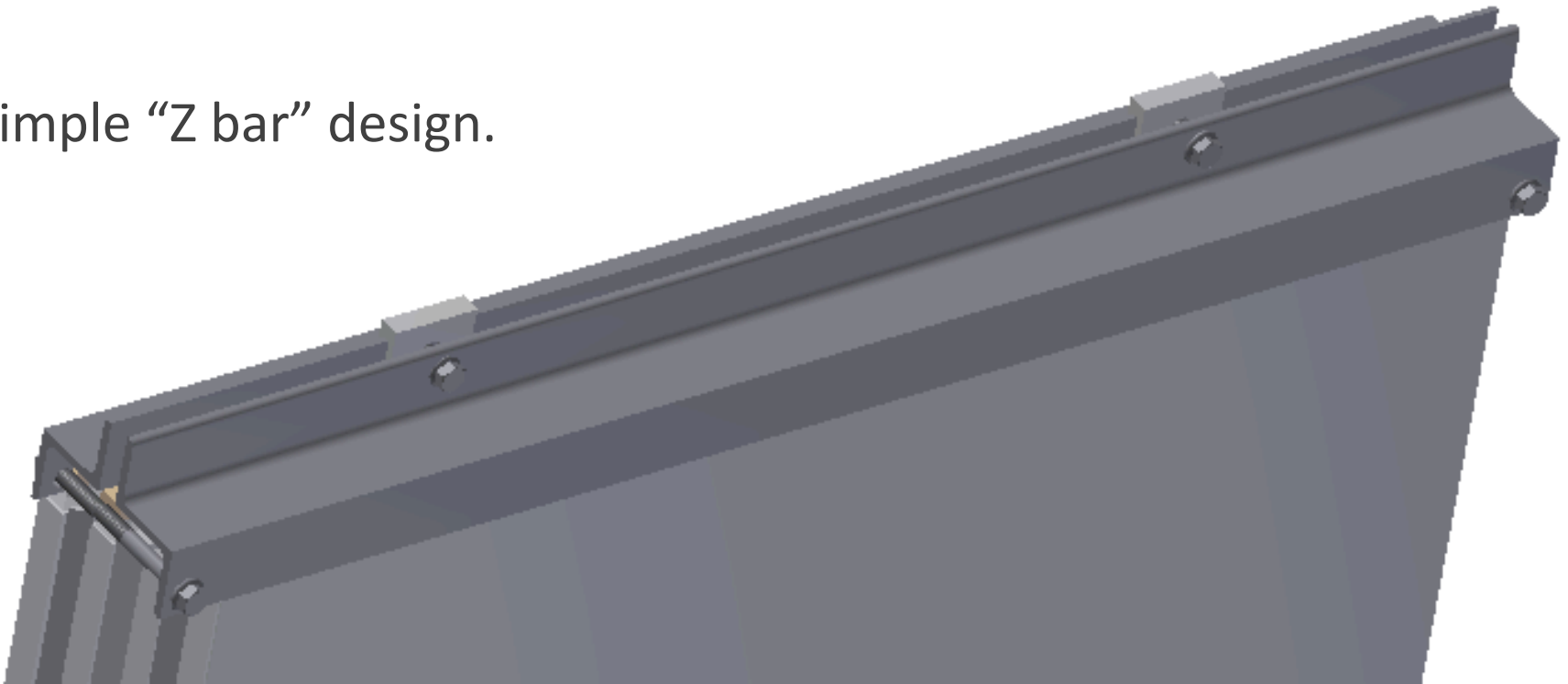


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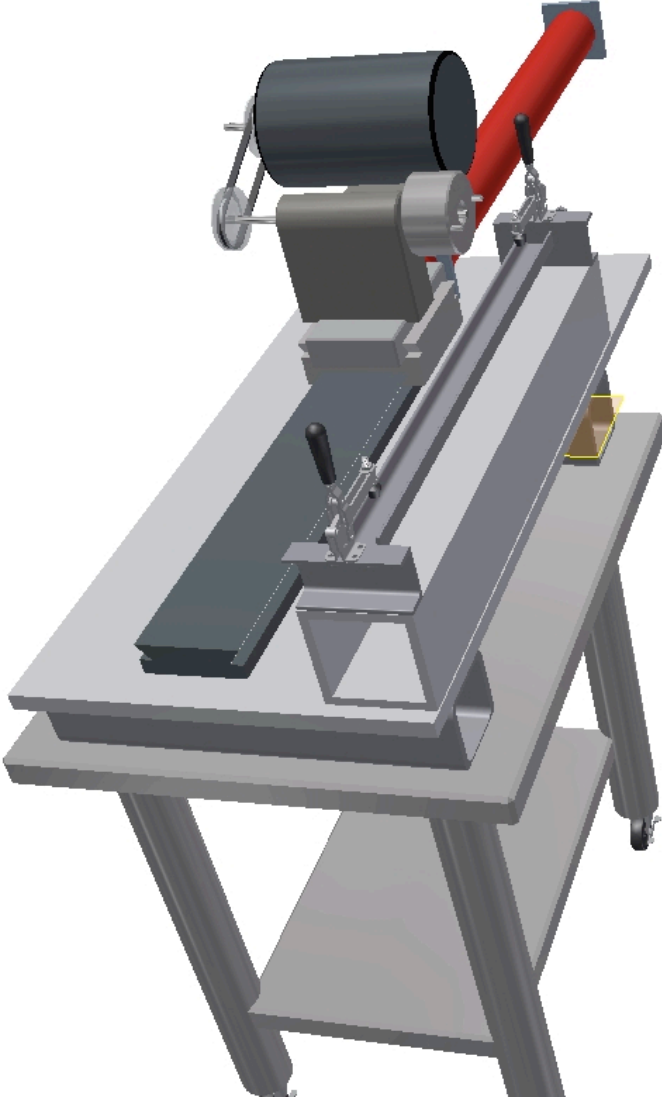
Module End Caps

Simple “Z bar” design.



To protect the sensitive module readout ends during transportation and handling.

Fly Cutter With 36" Slide...



Full Schedule

