

### **CEPC** Detector Mechanical integration

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#### **CEPC Detector Mechanical integration : (R&D content)**

- 1. Draw and optimize a reasonable overall mechanical layout drawing Based on the design requirements of the sub-detectors and its electronics
- 2. Design and optimize the connection structure between the sub-detectors Based on(After have completed) the self supporting structure of the sub-detectors
- 3. Plan and optimize installation steps for each sub-detector
- 4. Plan and optimize configuration of the auxiliary equipment between the detectors and the experiment room layout and lifting capacity , etc. (Underground experiment room)
- 5. Others (underground auxiliary room, ground room)

### **Overall Progress :**

- 1. Original mechanical overall layout drawing
- 2. Original configuration drawing between the detectors and the underground experiment room

Key : Supporting frame structure is completed of each sub-detectors as soon as possible .

#### **Mechanical integration progress : Initial Size Distribution**



Mechanical integration progress : Configuration drawing between the detectors and the experiment room





Total weight : ≈ 6000 t

> Yoke : ≈ 3800 t Magnet : ≈ 265 t HCAL : ≈ 1780 t

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# Requirements

#### Minimum gap principle :

As small as possible

### Gap between sub detectors :

Installation gap : ≤ 10mm Note: Initial design parameters



# Requirements

#### Connection design :

The design of the connection structure should follow the principle of proximity connection

Barrel Yoke : Fixed on the Base Magnet : Fixed on the Barrel Yoke Barrel HCAL : Fixed on the Barrel Yoke Barrel ECAL : Fixed on the Barrel HCAL TPC+OTK : Fixed on the Barrel ECAL ITK : Fixed on the TPC Beampipe(Vertex and LumiCal) : Fixed on the ITK

End-cap ECAL+OTK : Fixed on the Barrel HCAL End-cap HCAL : Fixed on the Barrel HCAL (Auxiliary cylinder or Flange) End Yoke : Fixed on the Base



# Requirements



# **Technical challenges**

# The CEPC detector is a non-standard design device with complex assembly, mainly reflected in the following aspects :

(From the perspective of mechanical design)

- 1. Extra large size and extra heavy weight (Dimensions > 10m, Weight > 6000 t)
- 2. Very small installation clearance (≤ 10mm)
- 3. High installation and collimation accuracy
- 3. Critical balance design between strength and rigidity(Meet the Low material budget)

How to design a large scientific device that reflects its charm, integrates culture and history, and presents a challenge to mechanical engineers

**Key :** No design experience

The construction of CEPC has two characteristics : long construction time and huge cost

The purpose of mechanical design optimization : to reduce time and costs

Requirements for top-level installation design : (principle)

Complete the installation of all sub-detectors in the shortest time possible.

Design requirements for each sub-detector :

Minimal redundant installation tooling Minimal installation steps Key:

The design of each sub detector system must keep up with the overall requirements.

**Taking yoke iron as an example** (First installation component) introduce its optimization process and concept design for quick installation



The design optimization process of large scientific devices is a process of constant comparison and competition between the new options explored and the traditional ones

#### Structural design and optimization of yoke

From the perspective of Muon detector design :



**Comparison:** Symmetrical (Old) Spiral (New)

Drawing 1 : Undetectable blind zones

Drawing 2 : No detection blind zones

### Structural design and optimization of yoke

From the perspective of maintenance design :



The µ detector can be installed from the side Spiral structure : Easy to maintain and replace

> **Comparison:** Symmetrical (Old) Spiral (New)

Symmetrical structure : Almost impossible to maintain and replace

The  $\boldsymbol{\mu}$  detector can be installed from the both end



### Structural design and optimization of yoke

From the perspective of Muon detector and mechanical strength :



### Structural design and optimization of yoke

From the perspective of structural deformation :



The spiral structure is more resistant

### Structural design and optimization of yoke

From the perspective of structural deformation : (Spiral)



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Self-weight deformation :  $\approx 1.40 \text{ mm}$ 



Self-weight deformation :  $\approx 0.60 \text{ mm}$ 

Meet : < 1

### Structural design and optimization of yoke

From the perspective of installation design :

Key : Different structural designs result in different installation designs



### Shortcomings :

- 1. Installation steps are complex Assembly must be possible with the help of the auxiliary tooling
- 2. Every step of the installation requires collimation
- 3. Installation process requires more space and time
- 4. Uncontrollable installing accuracy

### Structural design and optimization of yoke

From the perspective of installation design :

Key : Different structural designs result in different installation designs





The whole installation process, without any additional auxiliary tools.

Selection : (?) ---- It's too early to make a final decision Recommendation: Optimize the spiral structure

- 1. Continue to optimize the mechanical design of the yoke based on :
  - 1.1 The requirements of tracking detectors and electronics
  - 1.2 Technical feasibility of processing, transportation, and assembly
- 2. Optimize the configuration of lifting fixtures and lifting equipment based on the idea of quick installation
- 3. Suggestion:

The mechanical design of each sub detector must have a similar process of comparison and optimization

### **Overall installation requirements:**

- 1. Overall reliability and safety assessment (FEA --- stress and deformation)
- 2. Overall installation steps
- 3. Installation sequence
- 4. Considerations for integral and separate lifting of components

### **Overall reliability and safety assessment**



### Key:

Deformation and stress of the Yoke and the connection structure (Yes ? No)

### As shown in the left figure:

1. Preliminary design of the connection structure between the yoke, magnet and HCAL

2. Other lighter components are ignored

These components do not affect the calculation results and overall assessment



L: 桶轭+超导+HCAL简化Static Structural

### **Overall reliability and safety assessment**



### **Overall installation steps :**

#### Note:

Combination guideway is the installation reference, and is pre-aligned with the yoke



#### 1. On the ground assembly room Complete the assembly work of each sub detector , including electronics, etc.

2. Each subdetector is lifted into the underground experimental room through vertical shafts in sequence

3. In the underground experimental room Assemble the sub-detectors on the combination guideway and push them into the yoke in sequence

### **Detectors installation steps** (As shown in the exploded view) Installation sequence :

- 1. Install the barrel sub-detector first, in the following order : Yoke, Magnet, HCAL, ECAL, TPC+OTK, ITK, Beampipe(Vertex)
- 2. Then install the end sub-detector, in the following order : ECAL+OTK, HACL



#### **Considerations for integral and separate lifting of components**



# **Research team**

The mechanical team needs to be cultivated and diversified :



#### Enhance comprehensive abilities :

Global perspective, Comprehension ability, Communicate ability, Technological innovation capacity, etc.

# **Research team**

### **Question and recommendation :**

#### **Question :**

- 1. Most mechanical engineers are part-time workers
- 2. Serious shortage of human resources

#### **Recommendation :**

- 1. With the deepening and expansion of mechanical design,
  - it is necessary to continuously increase the number of mechanical engineers
- 2. If human resources are sufficient, choose high-quality mechanical engineers as much as possible

# **Summary and working plan**

#### **Summary**

- 1. The overall design requirements and the design requirements for each sub detector need to be further refined
- 2. The top-level installation design is basically clear, but further feasibility needs to be demonstrated

# **Summary and working plan**

### Working plan

- 1. Refine the installation plan and connection design of sub detectors
- Complete the framework layout of the underground experimental room and its supporting room
  Complete the layout of the ground room



# Thank you for your attention!



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