

# Mechanic design for CEPC vertex tracker prototype project

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# Brief introduction to Liverpool silicon projects

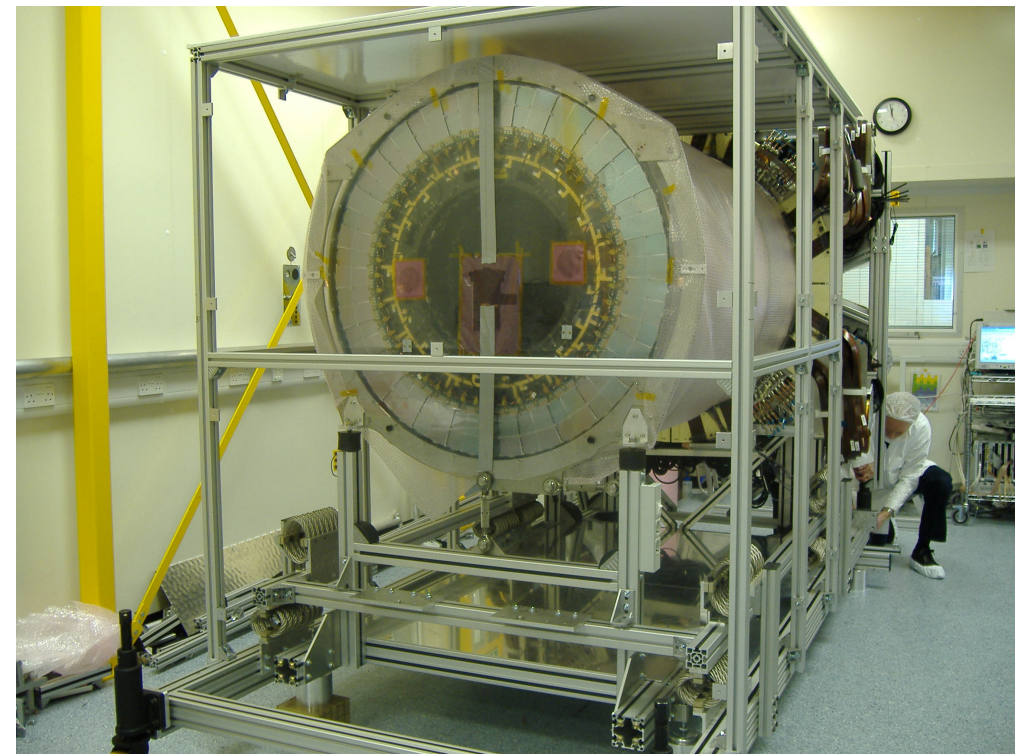
- Major Deliverables:

- ATLAS SCT: R&D, Module assembly, Module Mounting & Endcap 'C' Integration
- LHCb VeLo: R&D, Module assembly for VeLo 1 & 2
- ALPHA: Silicon tracker R&D & assembly
- R3B: Silicon tracker R&D & assembly
- Generic R&D: Sensor design & prototyping, radiation hardness (RD50)

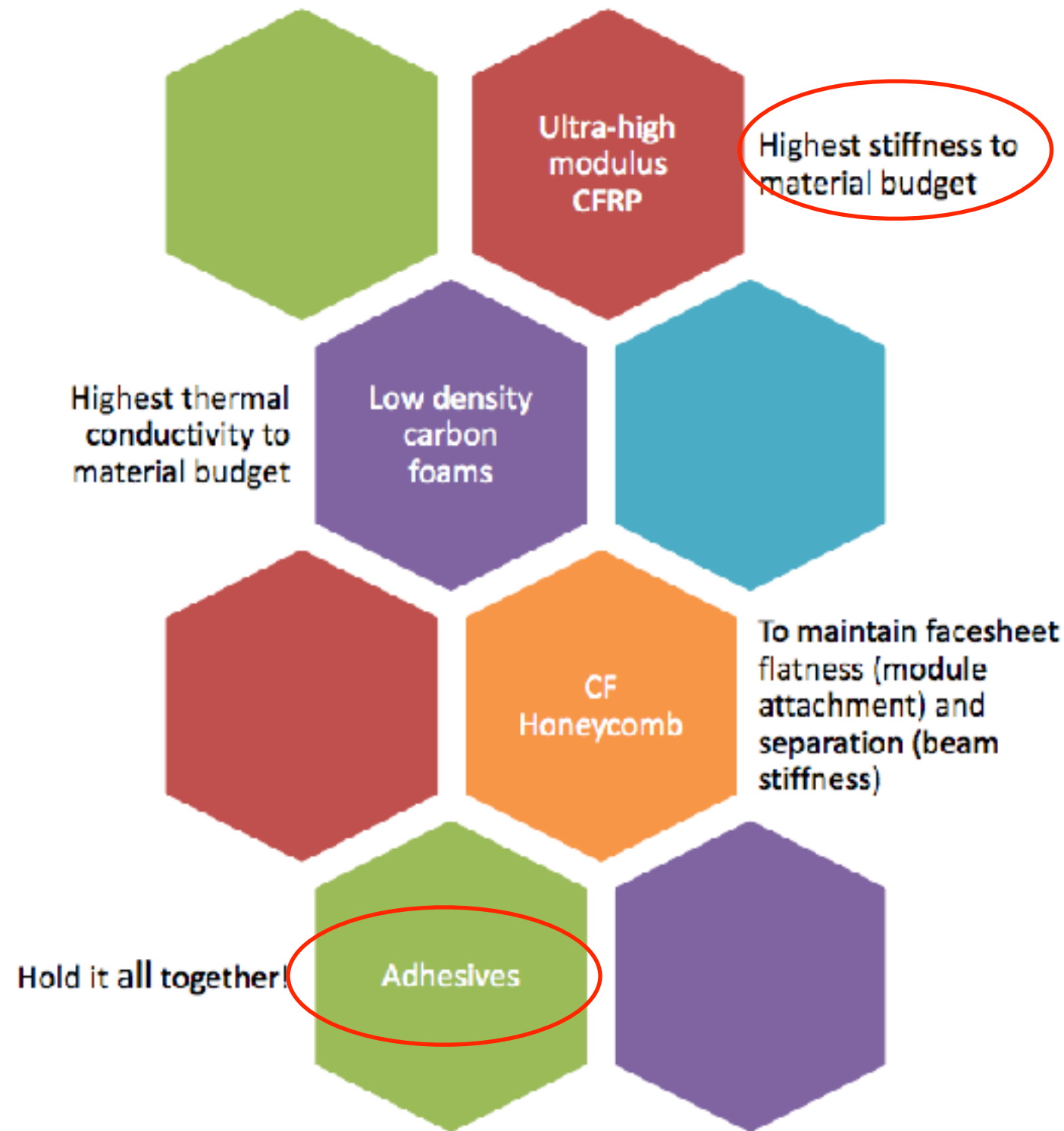
- On going projects

- ITK pixel and strip

ATLAS: SCT Endcap C (14/2/06)



# Key considerations in the material



# Advanced material lab at Liverpool

- Facilities
  - 50m<sup>2</sup> space for **CFRP lay-up**, 1.7m x 1m Autoclave, Oven, Pattern Cutter.
  - New 30m<sup>2</sup> space for large composite curing oven & furnace
- This lab supports **low mass structure prototype project**
  - Ladder design for the CEPC vertex prototype fits well





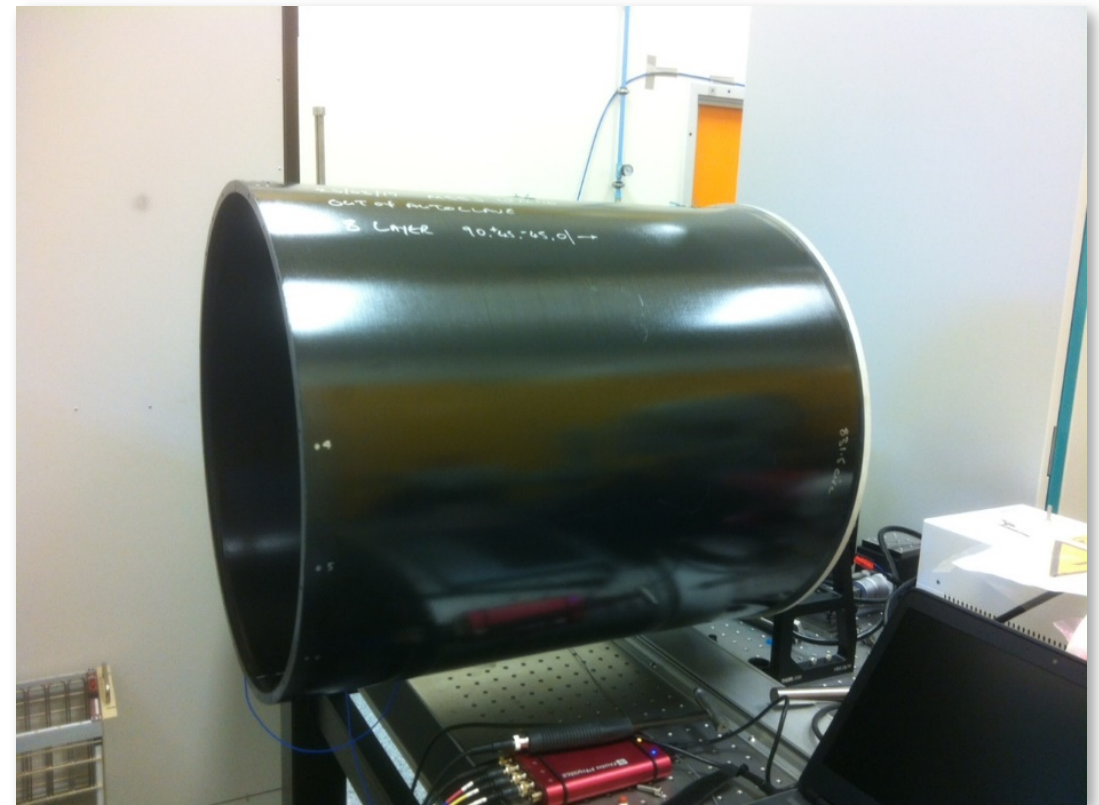
# Advanced material lab at Liverpool

- Current projects



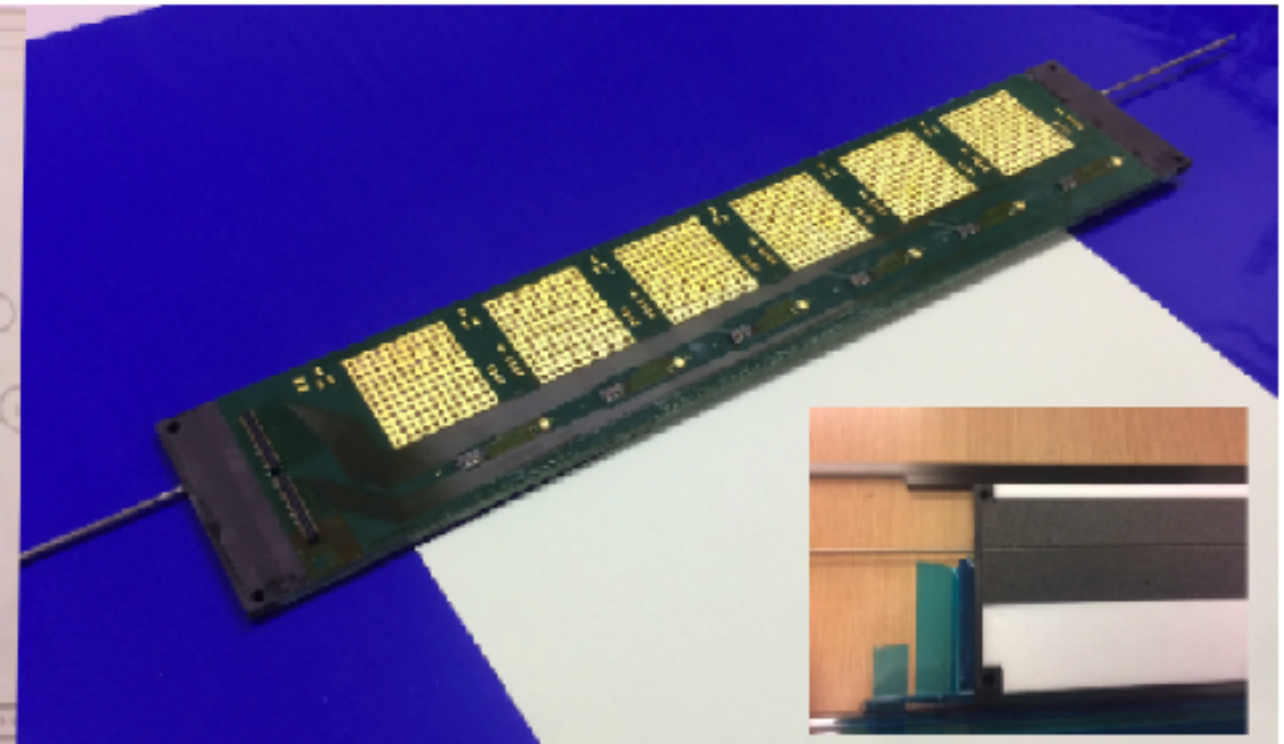
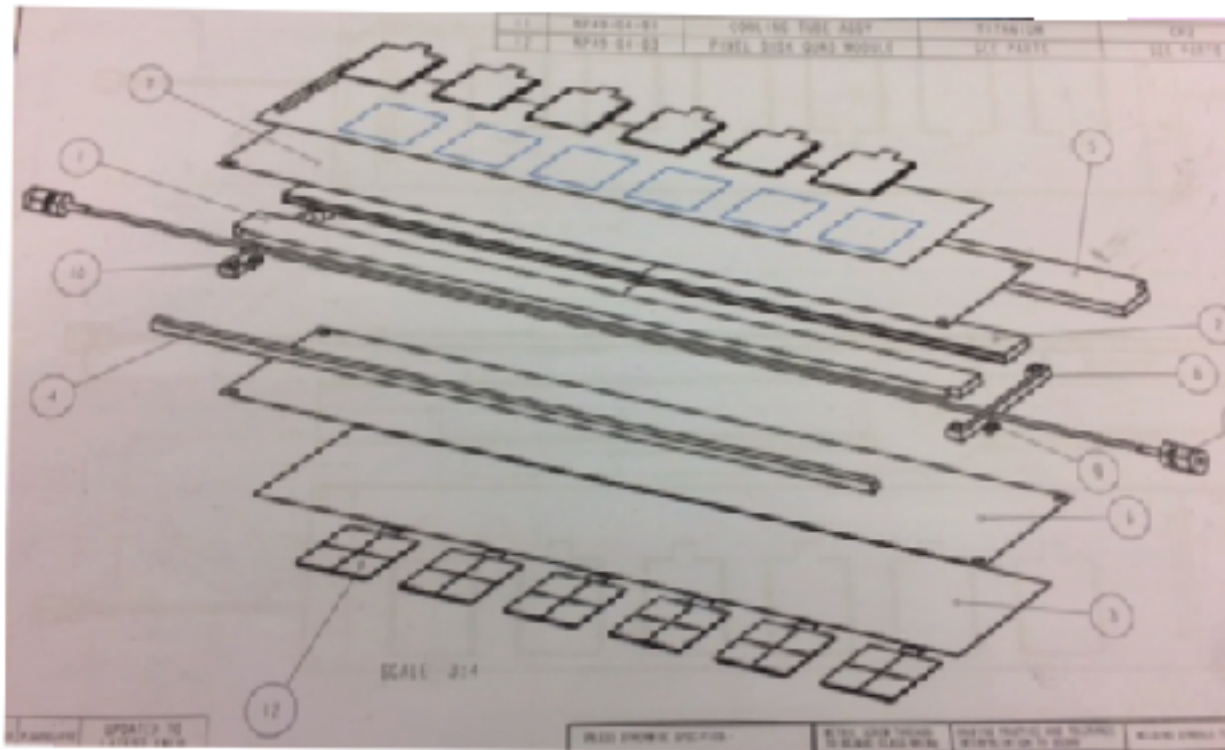
## Linear Collider (CLIC)

Designed tooling to produce detector support beams.  
Ultimately 3 metres long, 300mm prototypes were produced trialling a novel dovetail connection (Oxford)



Vibration analysis of prototype ATLAS  
ITk Pixel Endcap Support Structure

# Building the double-sided CF stave for ATLAS ITK pixel modules



Materials: CFRP (~200um), Rohacell, All comp (carbon foam)

Cooling: titanium pipe (2.275mm diameter, 0.125mm wall thickness)

Hysol 9396 loaded with boron nitride used for assembly of carbon foam to carbon fibre skin and without boron for the Rohacell

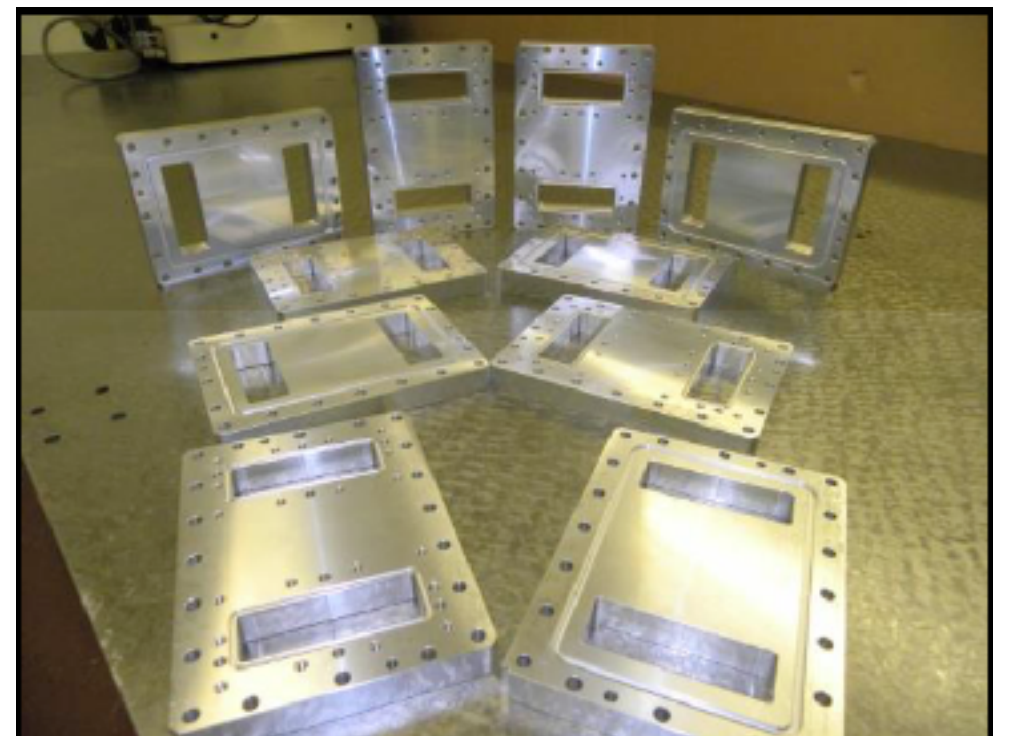
- Low-mass structure ~100g / 55g (with / without tapes)
- Tapes allow mounting of 6 quads / side
- Will allow cooling tests with / without irradiated quads, cross-talk and noise studies
- Serial powering for up to 12 modules (48 FEs)

From mechanical design to final assembly: all done in-house



# Mechanical workshop

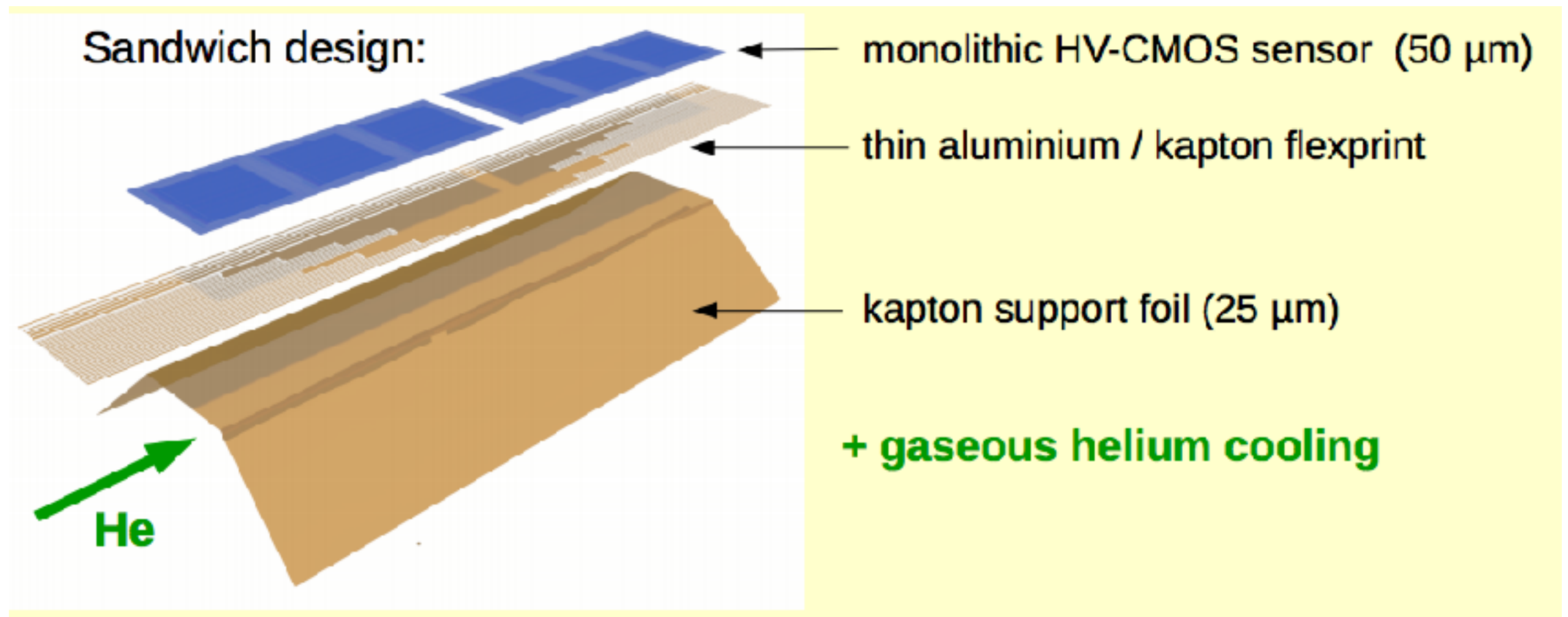
- Facilities
  - High quality manual mills and lathes
  - 3, 4 and 5 axis CNC milling machines
  - CNC lathes (2)
  - Wire EDM
  - Metrology
  - Welding
- Can be used to manufacture tooling needed for the ladder assembly



g-2 straw tracker

# Mu3e mechanic design

- Mu3e pixel tracker uses HV-CMOS sensor with similar material budget
- However the tolerance to vibration in CEPC is much more stringent
  - Kapton support foil may not be suitable for CEPC





# Summary

- Liverpool is interested in contributing in the mechanic design and manufacturing of the ladder
  - Mechanic design
    - This depends on the module and readout specification, as well as the scope of prototype (whether we will readout 3 ladders and to connect them mechanically with a realistic support)
  - Materials
    - CF: typically  $\sim 50\mu\text{m}$  thickness each layer that correspond to  $\sim 0.025\%$   $X_0$  (probably too thick)
      - RnD ongoing at Liverpool exploring thinner options (resin infusion)
    - CVD diamond support
  - Manufacturing of the ladder support
  - Thermal and structure property measurements
    - Thermal cameras
    - TIM towers
    - Structural and thermal FEA (ANSYS)
- In all areas we would like to collaborate with local people in China