

# **Contribution of Czech high-tech manufacturers to construction of JINR accelerator facilities**

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# Outline

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- **JINR Dubna - introduction of the Institute**
- **Key projects in Dubna**
- **Czech companies and JINR**
- **VAKUUM PRAHA - supplier of the sophisticated vacuum systems to JINR 1993 - 2013**



# JINR Dubna



**The Joint Institute for Nuclear Research (JINR)** is an international intergovernmental scientific research facility established through the Convention signed on the 26<sup>th</sup> March 1956 by eleven founding States and registered with the United Nations on 1<sup>st</sup> February 1957. Czechoslovakia was one of founders. At present time JINR has 18 member states and Czech Republic is one of the most respected members. Recognized scientists as well as students and post-gradual students are in the Czech team in Dubna. Moreover Dr Richard Lednický from the Institute of Physics in Prague has been elected as one of two vice-directors for this period. The plenipotentiary of the Czech government in JINR is Dr Rostislav Mach. The Czech representatives in the Scientific Board of JINR are Prof. Wilhelm and Prof. Pospíšil.

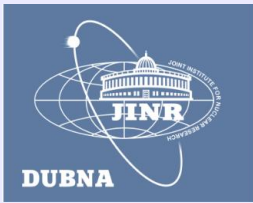


# **JINR Dubna - an excellent partner for high-tech companies**

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**JINR ... demanding, challenging and reliable partner**  
**interest of JINR in cooperation and exchange**  
**of ideas**  
**interest of JINR in short and medium time**  
**scientific stays of Czech young researchers**  
**and technicians in Dubna**

**New projects**  
**NICA, DC 280**



# JINR basic facilities



## ***Nuclotron-M – NICA/MPD /SPD***

*Superconducting ion and polarized particle accelerator and ion collider*

*Physics of ultrarelativistic heavy ions, high energy spin physics*



## ***Cyclotron complex U400, U400M***

*Acceleration of heavy ions up to 50 MeV/u*

*Synthesis of supe-heavy elements*



## ***Impulse reactor IBR-2M and Source of resonance neutrons IREN***

*5 GHz pulses with 1,5 GW power and  $10^{16}$  neutrons/cm<sup>2</sup>sec*

*Accelerator driven neutron beam of 50 GHz up to  $10^{13}$  neutrons/sec*

*Nuclear physics with neutrons, Condense matter physics*



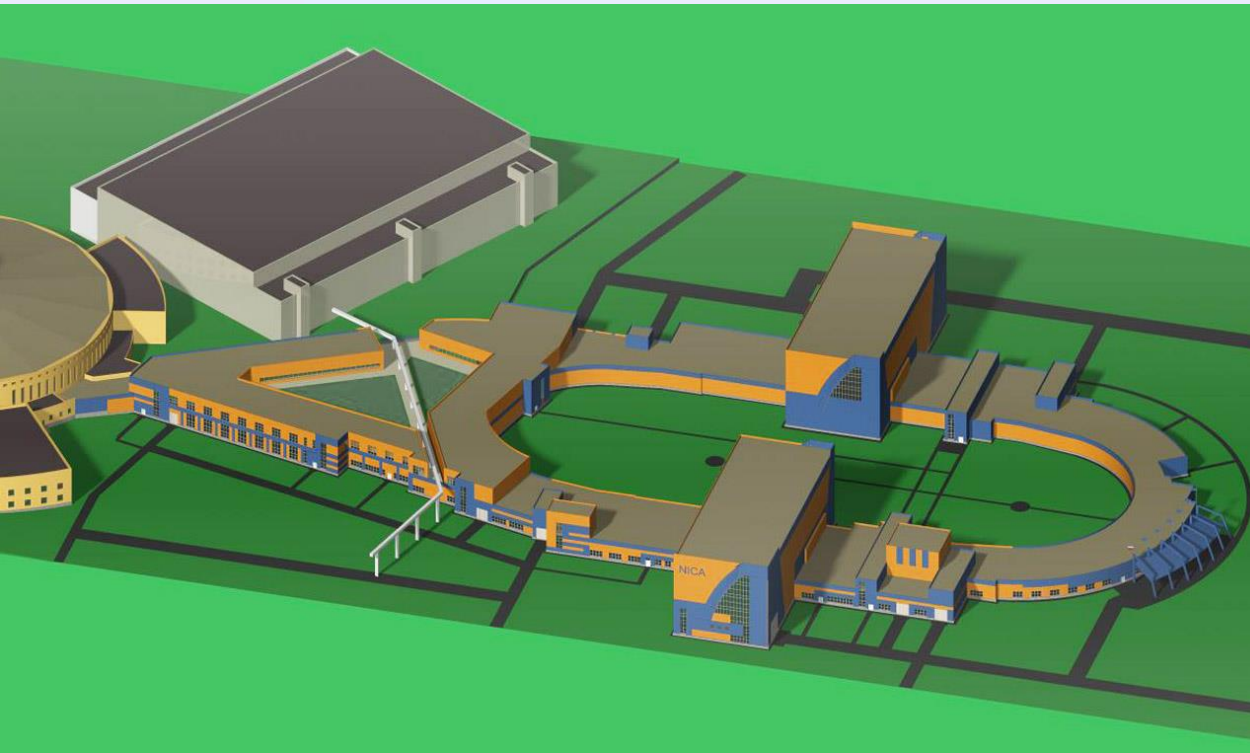
## ***JINR Phasotron***

*2  $\mu$ A proton beam with the energy 660 MeV*

*Complex for Hadron Therapy*

# NICA – one of the top three Megaprojects of the Russian Federation

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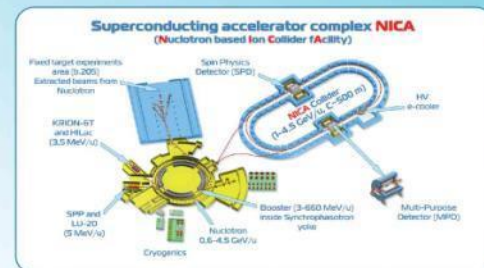
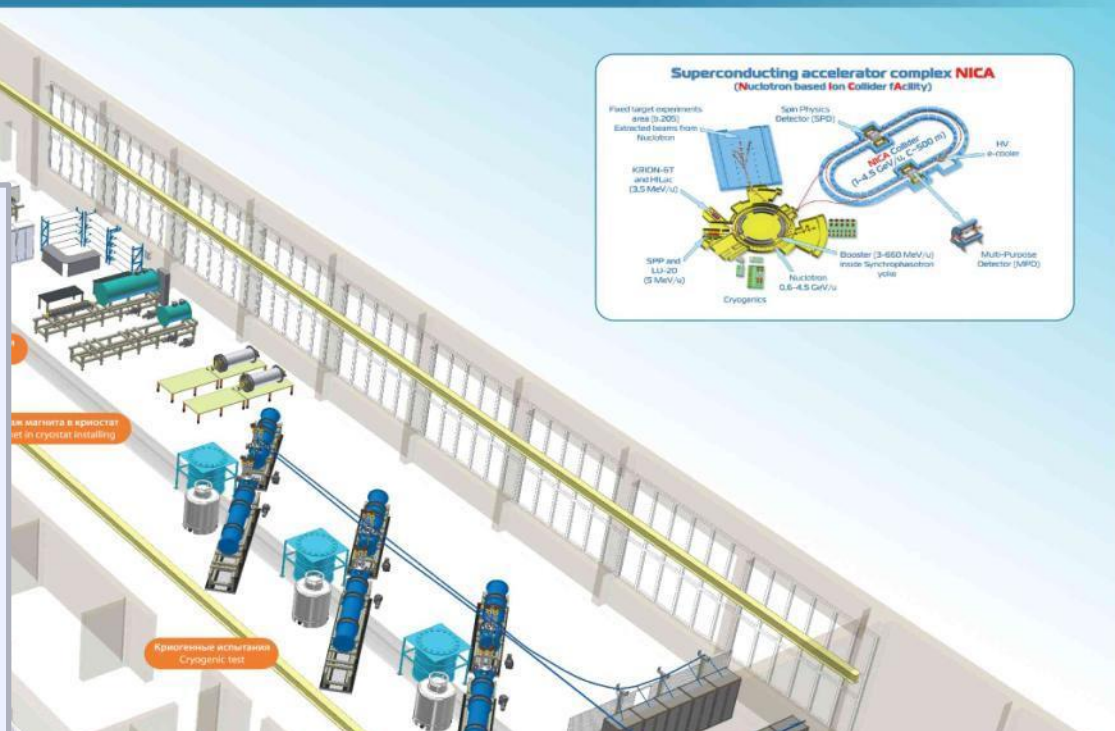


Five building companies have been chosen from 15 competitors in the second ballot, among them are two Czech companies (PSJ and PSG).

Czech lawyer company has been invited to serve as consultant for Conventional Facility & Siting (CF&S) tender

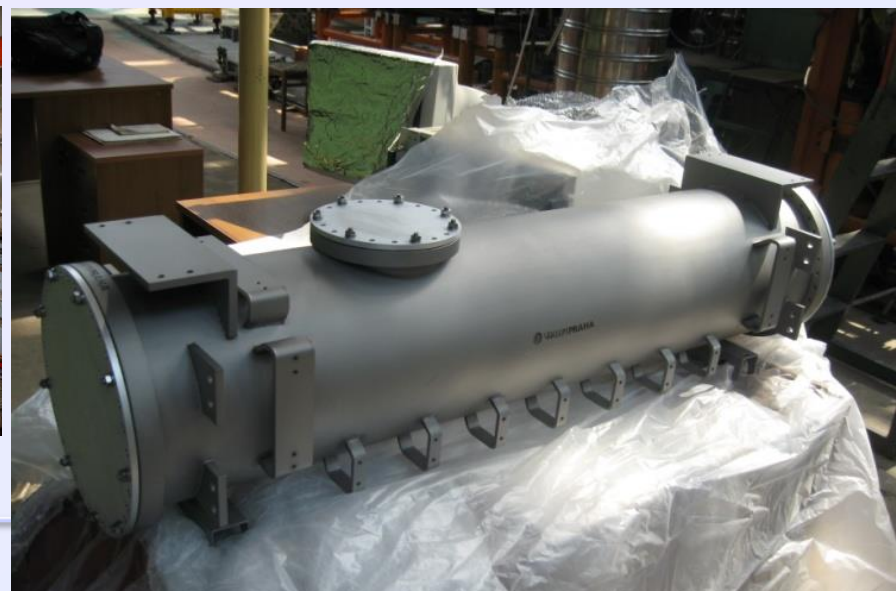
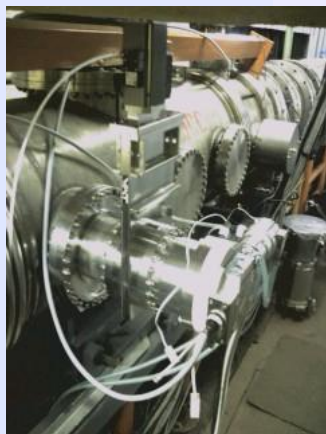
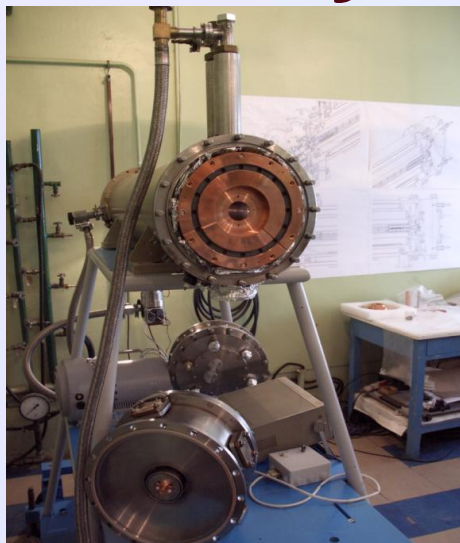


■ Unique Test Facility for Superconducting magnets of **NICA** synchrotrons and **SIS-100** SC synchrotron in Darmstadt (FAIR project) is now commissioned at JINR. JINR is negotiating with Czech companies.





# Upgraded Nuclotron vacuum system – the heart of NICA

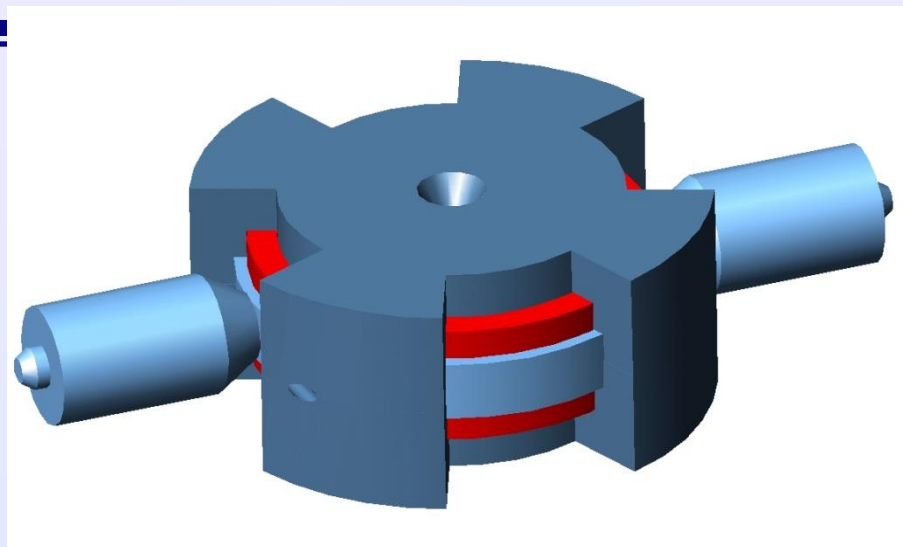






# DC280 CYCLOTRON

## SHE-factory (commission – 2015)



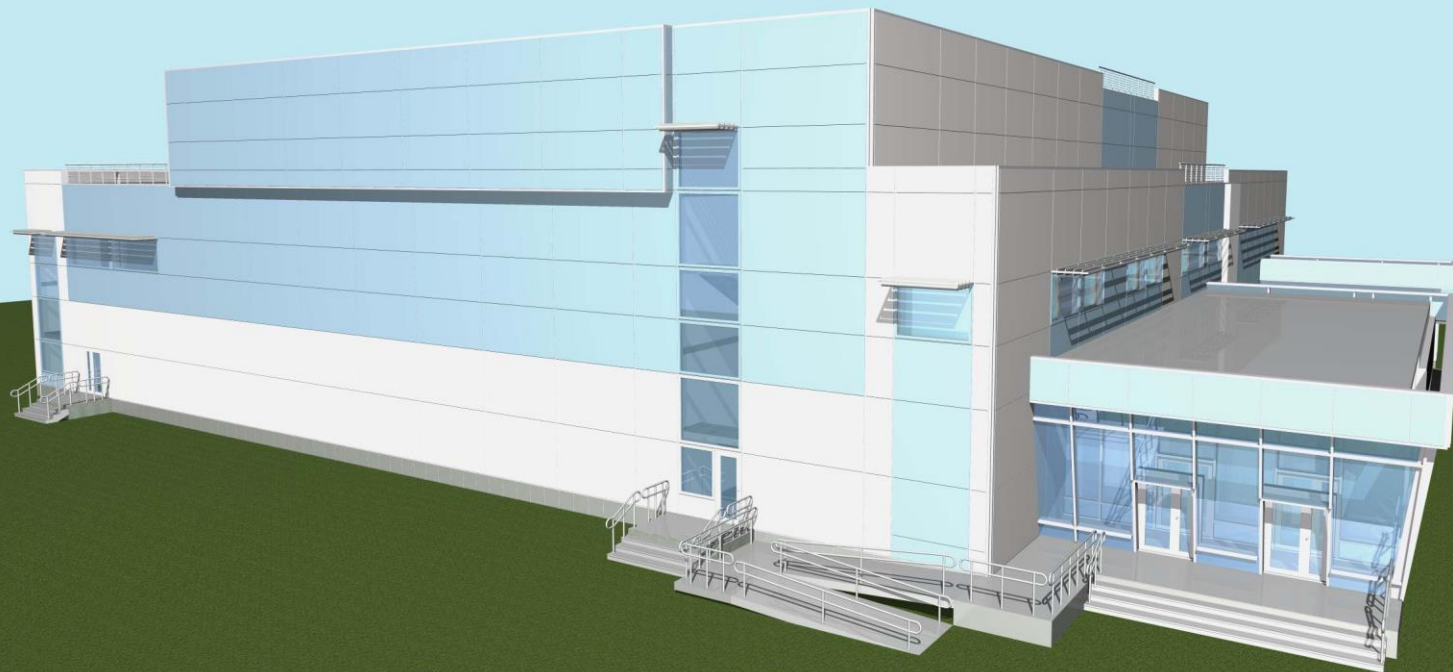
- Synthesis and study of properties of superheavy elements;
- Search for new reactions for SHE-synthesis
- Chemistry of new elements

DC280 (expected) E=4÷8 MeV/A		
Ion	Ion energy [MeV/A]	Output intensity
${}^7\text{Li}$	4	$1 \times 10^{14}$
${}^{18}\text{O}$	8	$1 \times 10^{14}$
${}^{40}\text{Ar}$	5	$6 \times 10^{13}$
${}^{48}\text{Ca}$	5	$0,6-1,2 \times 10^{14}$
${}^{54}\text{Cr}$	5	$2 \times 10^{13}$
${}^{58}\text{Fe}$	5	$1 \times 10^{13}$
${}^{124}\text{Sn}$	5	$2 \times 10^{12}$
${}^{136}\text{Xe}$	5	$1 \times 10^{14}$
${}^{238}\text{U}$	7	$5 \times 10^{10}$



# Future SHE factory (under construction)

Design of the new building



# Czech Hi-Tech Suppliers to JINR in 2012 -2013

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- ENVINET
- KOPOS Kolín
- RAF Děčín
- Czech Technical University IEAP, ATEKO
- VAKUUM PRAHA



## Cooperation with Laboratory of Nuclear Problems

Delivery of scintillation large-volume scintillation detectors for Laboratoire Souterrain de Modane, France  
(Neutrino Ettore Majorana Observatory)



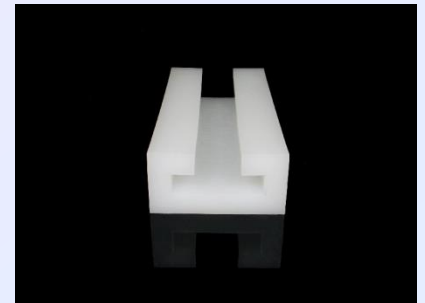
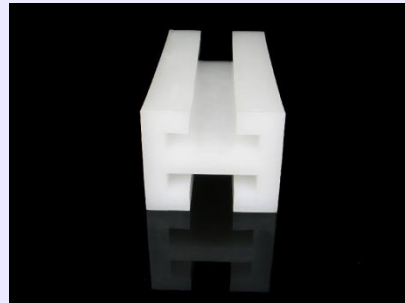
# KOPOS Kolín

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## Shielding bricks NEUTROSTOP

Pure polyethylene ... high contain of hydrogen ... good neutron shielding.

Polyethylene bricks with 3,5 or 5 % of boron ... good neutron and 2.2 MeV foton shielding



# Institute of Experim. and Appl. Physics, Czech. Tech. Univ. in Prague

Radon suppression system

**IEAP CTU – JINR – CPPM – LSM –  
ATEKO Czech Rep.**

**activity of air:**  $A(^{222}\text{Rn}) < 10 \text{ mBq/m}^3$

**Flux:**  $150 \text{ m}^3/\text{h}$

**radon trapping on charcoal =>  
radon decays during trapping**

reduction factor 100 =>

„retention time“  $T = 606 \text{ hours}$

(~ 25 days)

**Free-Radon  
Air factory**







# Philosophy of VAKUUM PRAHA and our partners worldwide

**our clients = our partners**

**JINR = one of our best partners**

Partners of VAKUUM PRAHA are universities, research labs and high-tech companies.

- Formal contracts on scientific cooperation with universities and accelerator research labs.
- Cooperation with our partners on different projects as collaborators, project coordinators or suppliers.
- JINR belongs together with CERN, ETH Zürich, Charles Uni. Prague, Czech Acad. Sci., ČMI and high-tech companies, e.g. STAIB, ION-TOF, Ferrovac, Specs, TESCAN to our most important partners.



# 20 years cooperation of VP with JINR Dubna



## Motivation:

- improving the vacuum in existing JINR systems
- manufacturing of new vacuum systems with better parameters

## Results:

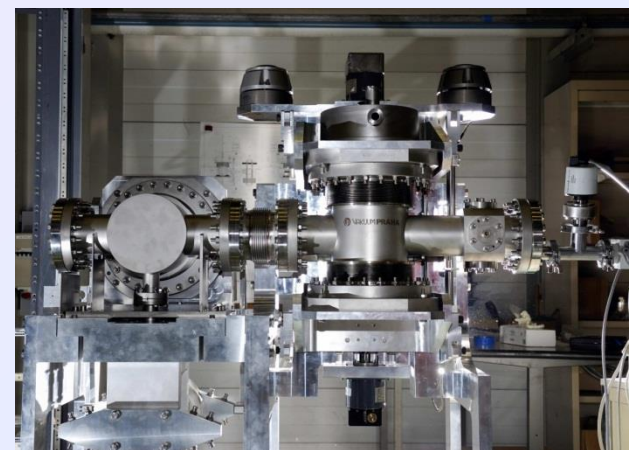
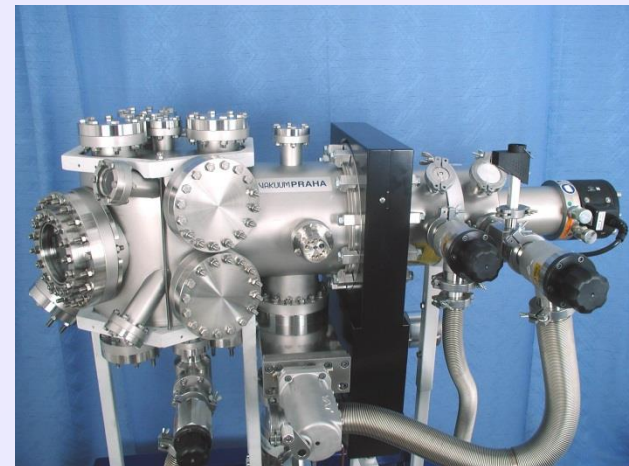
- the ultimate pressure in VP upgraded vacuum systems for JINR has been lowered by two orders of magnitude generally
- the ultimate pressure in new systems and beamlines ... UHV
- the hydrocarbon content in VP systems ... very low

## Outcome:

- VAKUUM PRAHA = the most important hi-tech Czech supplier for JINR
- VAKUUM PRAHA = one of JINR world-wide leading supplier of ultra-high- vacuum systems



# Products of VAKUUM PRAHA for HV – UHV – XHV







# Solid State Electrotransport System

Partnership with Fac. of Math. & Physics, Charles Univ. and Toyama Prefect. Uni.



**Purification of  
special materials  
-e.g. rare earth  
elements in UHV**

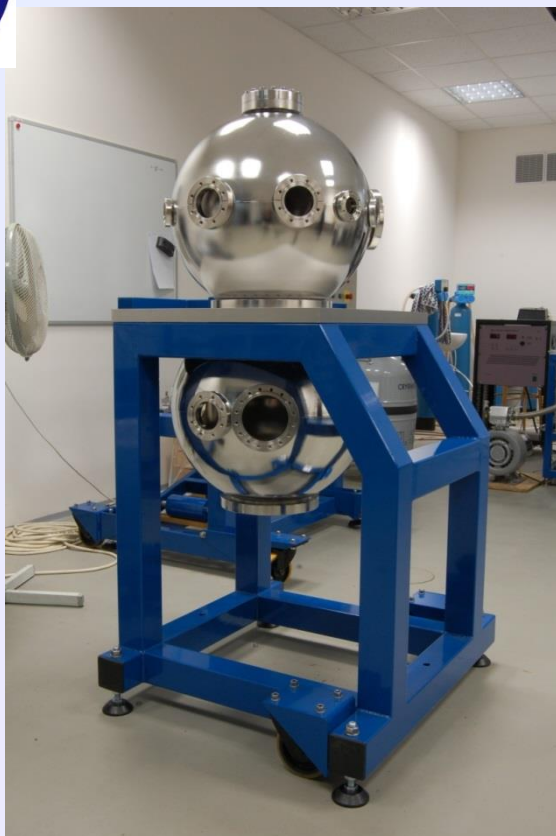




# Extra High Vacuum Calibration

Partnership with Czech Institute of Metrology  
and Faculty of Math. & Physics, Charles Uni.

**UHV stage  
orifice  
flow  
standard**



range  $10^{-1}$  to  $10^{-6}$  Pa  
spherical chambers  $\phi$  500 mm  
stainless steel, electropolished  
tandem turbopumping

**UHV stage  
dynamic  
extension**

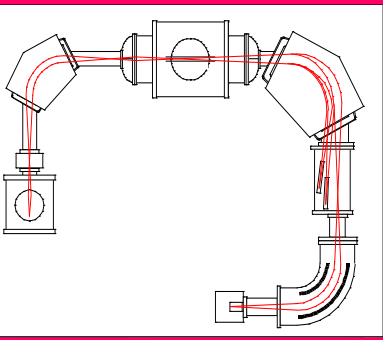


beryllium copper low outgassing rate  
 $10^{-13}$  Pa m/s  
specially designed cryopump  
achieving 5 K at the second stage<sup>19</sup>

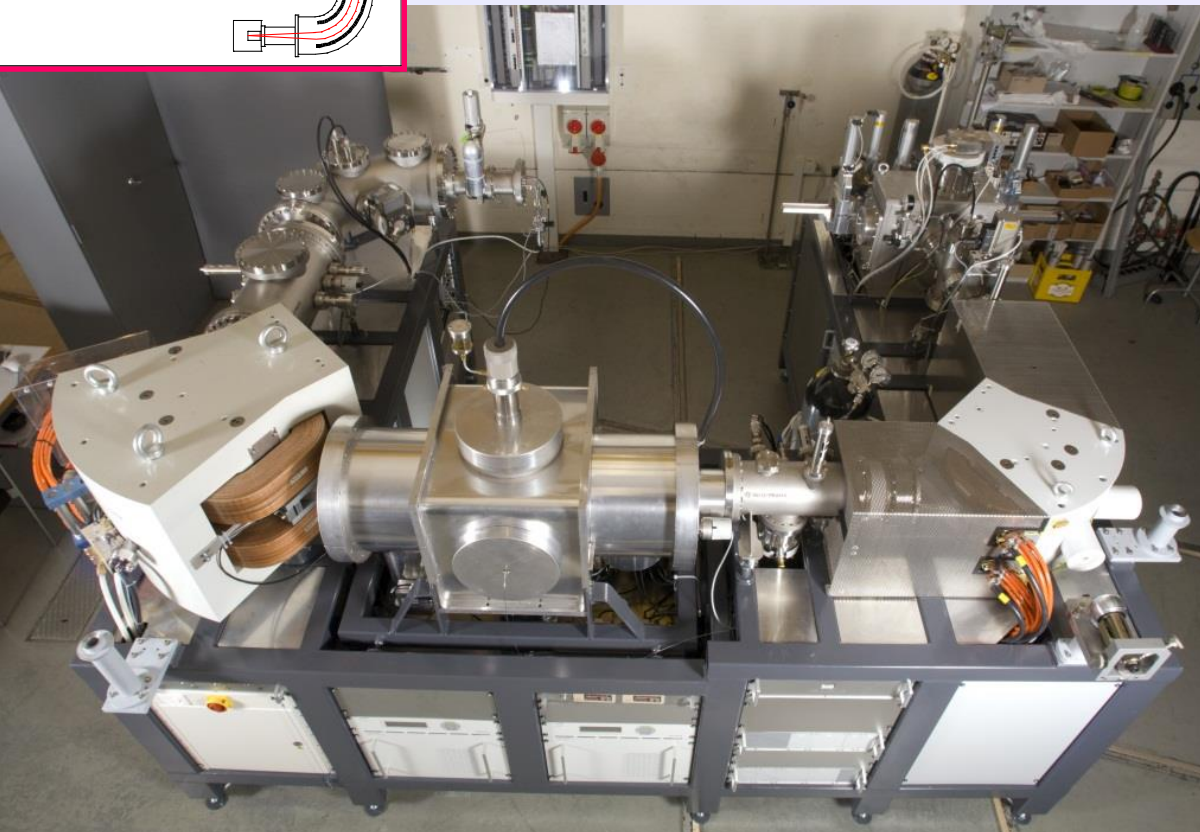
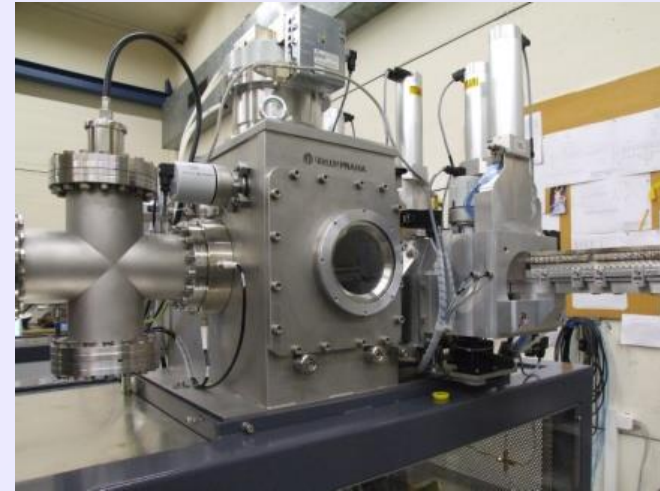


# Vacuum System for AMS

Partnership with ETH Zürich



**Accelerator  
Mass  
Spectrometer  
Radiocarbon Dating**







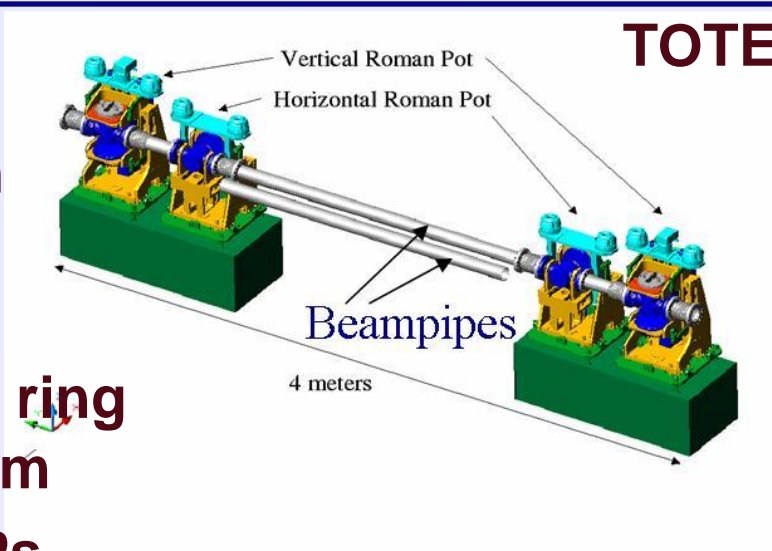
# Roman Pot Vacuum Systems /LHC

Partnership with CERN LHC TOTEM+ATLAS  
and Institute of Physics, Czech Acad. Sci.

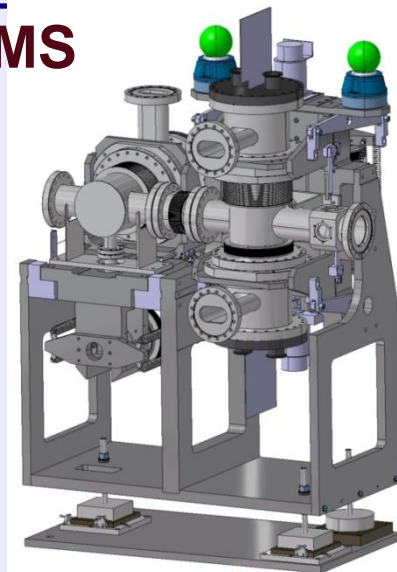


**RP**s: detection of  
forward protons from  
elastic or diffractive  
scattering ( $5 \mu\text{rad}$ )

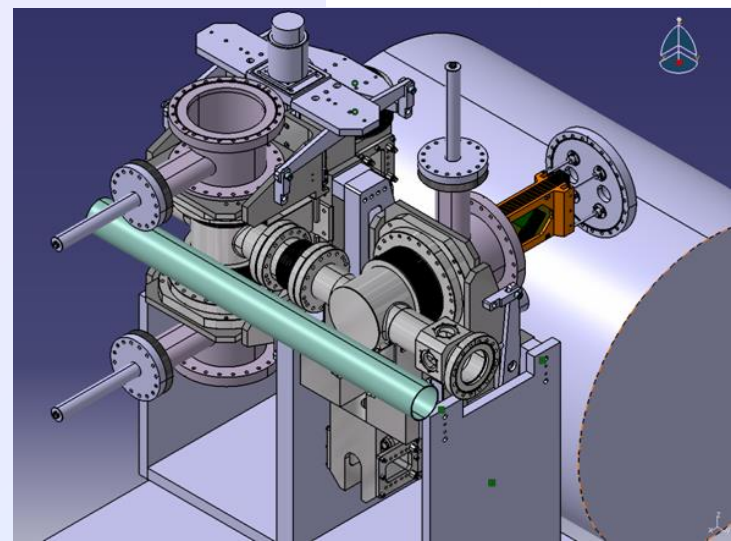
- mounted in the LHC ring  
in the outgoing beam
- detectors: inside RPs



**TOTEM/CMS**

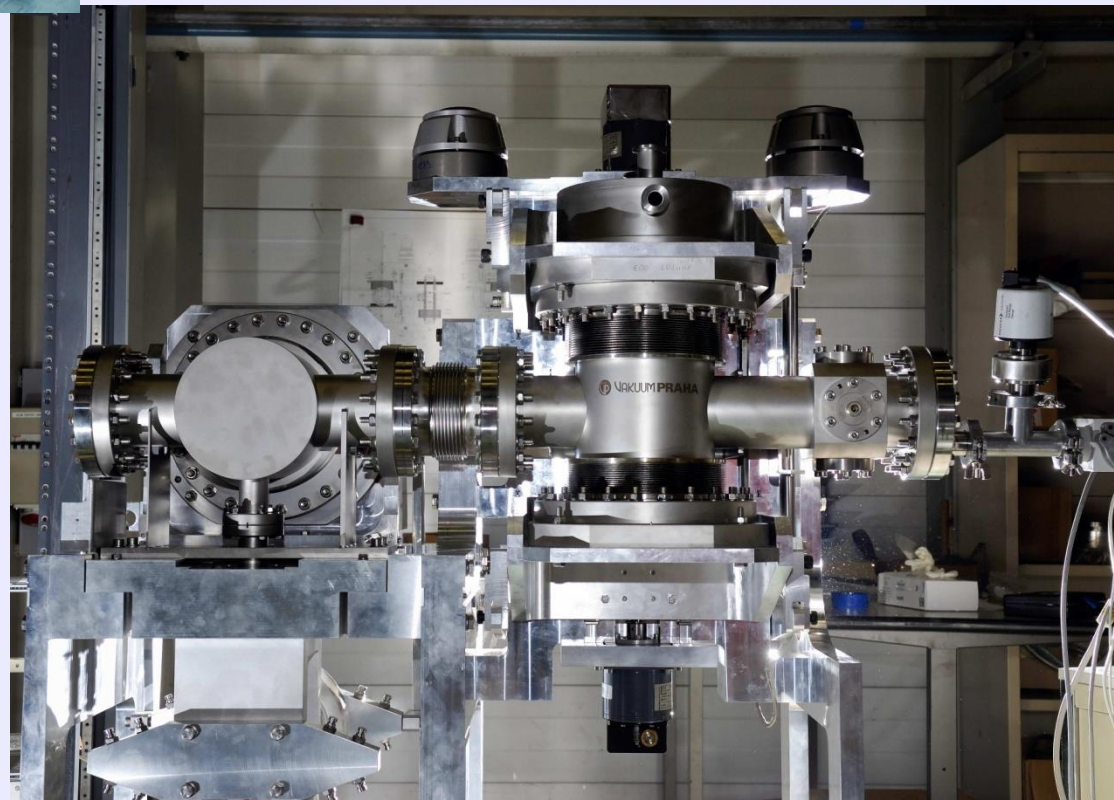
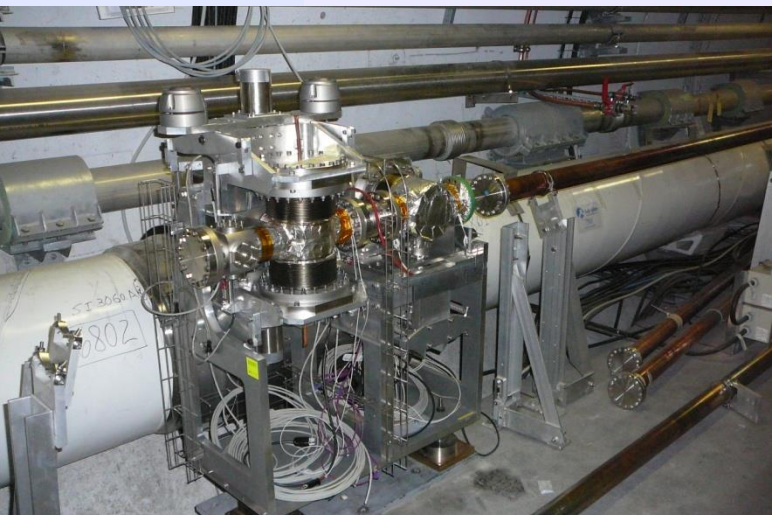
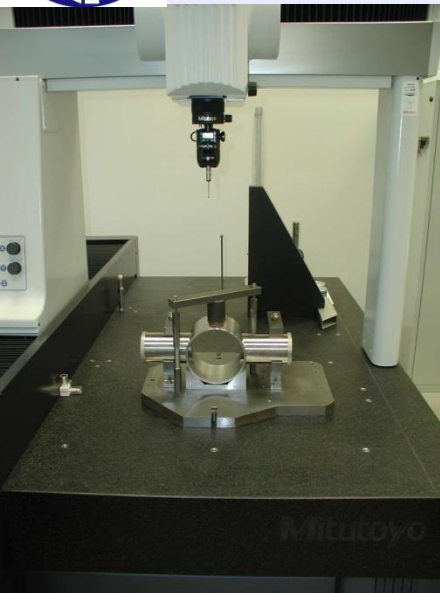


- 4 RP stations located symmetrically around the CMS interaction point at distances:  $\sim 147$  m and  $\sim 220$  m
- each RP station contains: 2 RP units with two vertical and one horizontal RPs





# Roman Pots – CERN - LHC





# FLNR – beamlines and chambers for cyclotrons



**Upgrade of the IC100  
vacuum system**

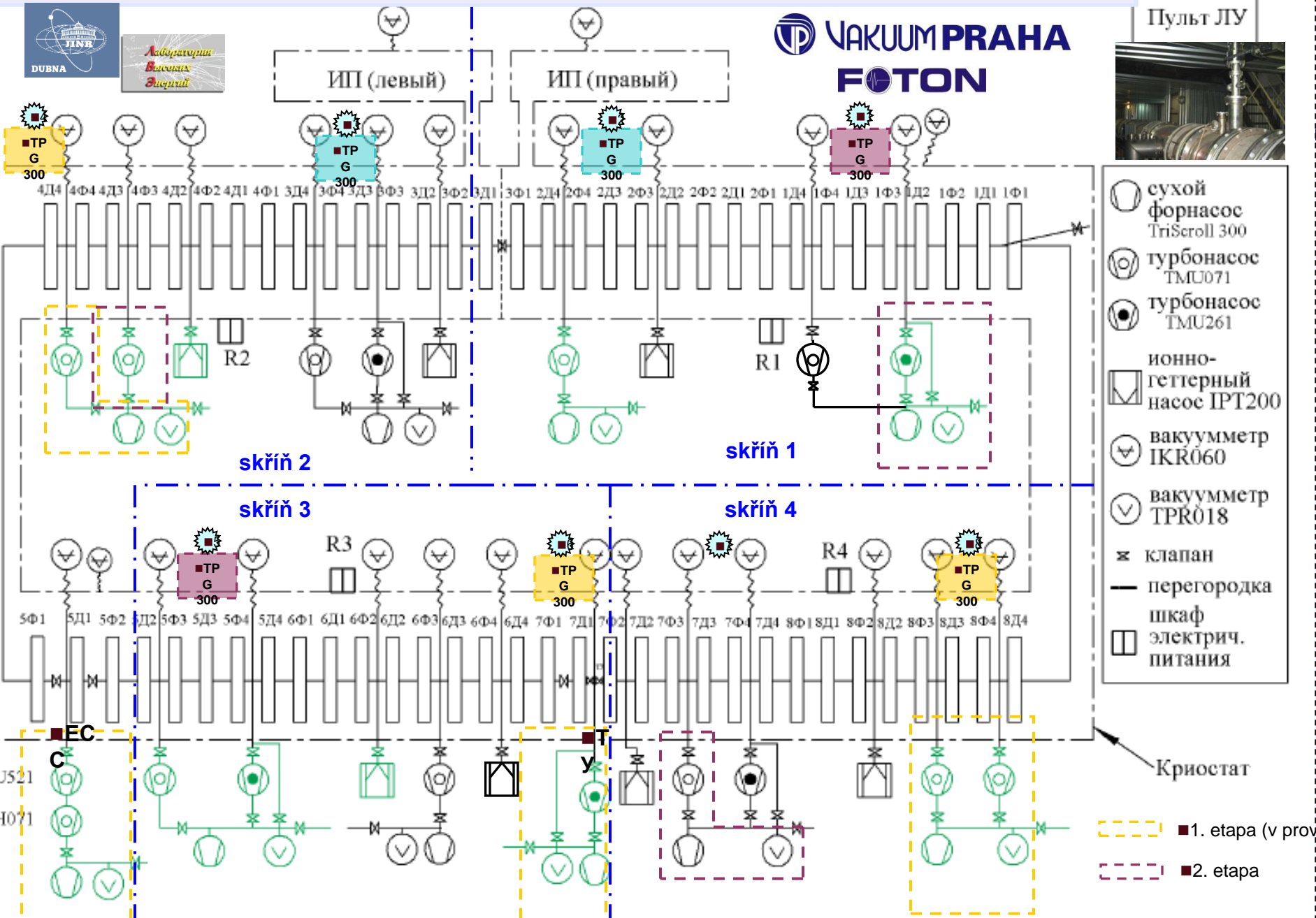


**Vacuum testing of chambers  
of cyclotrons DC60 and DC72  
in VAKUUM PRAHA**

# VBLHEP - Upgrade of the Nuclotron Vacuum System



Пульт ЛУ





# Special vacuum systems for FLNR and VBLHEP



**Double-wall reaction vacuum chamber for experiments with cryogenic tritium target-FLNR**



**Target chamber  
- VBLHEP**



**Target node for investigation of chemical properties - FLNR**

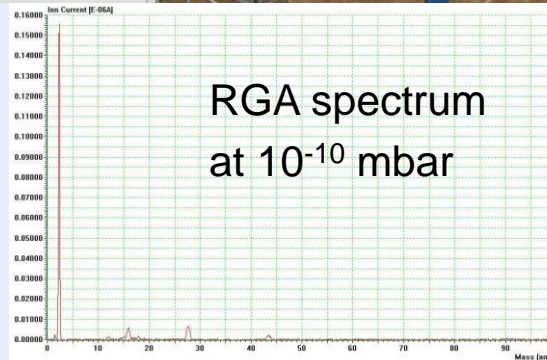
# Deliveries to third countries organized by JINR FLNR





# Deliveries to third countries organized by JINR DLNP

**Vacuum systems for  
XFEL MCP detectors  
- DESY Hamburg**





# JINR – perfect partner for today and tomorrow

**JINR makes calls for proposals and  
invites you to technical cooperation  
and high-tech products supplying.**



**Thank you for your attention !**