Status on the design of the collimators:

Carried out extensive thermal calculations

Checked with first results of a model using the same design principles OK!!

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building 3 prototypes collimator very similar to the LHC version
vacuum tank and motors – (incl. electronic) as LEP

2 go into SPS on 11 of August – plug in - by 18:00h

3<sup>rd</sup> one = test bench to check more materials and different component
(carbon materials, motors, electronic ......)
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70% of the prototype drawings ready and currently in manufacturing confident to meet the deadlines - BUT no contingency at all !!!!!!!!

Trying hard to coordinate the design and manufacturing efforts - No queuing for—brazing, welding

next steps:

after completion of SPS prototypes - keep the momentum going !!! prepare MS for motors and jaws integrate more elaborate design aspects — for series production

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