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# European Spallation Source Overview and Status

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A partnership of  
17 European nations



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**Lightning**

**New materials**

**Solar energy**

**Food**

**Medicine**

**Tailor made materials**

**Mobile phones**

**Cosmetics**

**Pacemakers**

**Implants**

**Transportation**

**Bio fuels**

**Geo science**

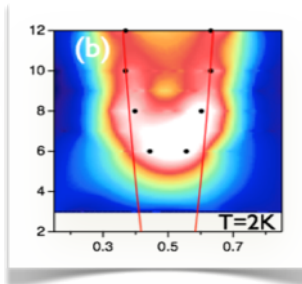
# Properties of neutrons for measurements

**Charge neutral**  
Deeply penetrating



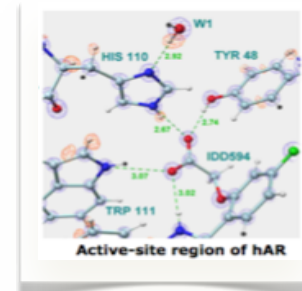
Li motion in fuel cells

**Magnetic moment (spin)**  
Directly probe magnetism



High-Tc superconductivity

**Scattering**  
Sensitive to light elements



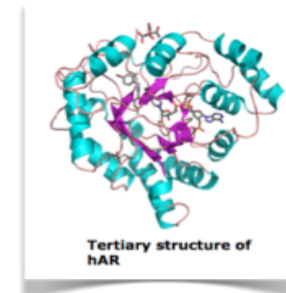
Active sites in proteins



Help build electric cars



Efficient high speed trains



Better drugs

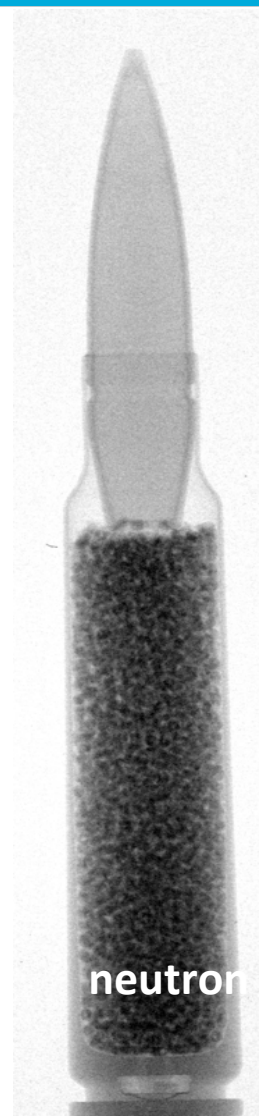


# Neutrons see the Light Elements

Images from the  
N1AG group, PSI,  
Switzerland.



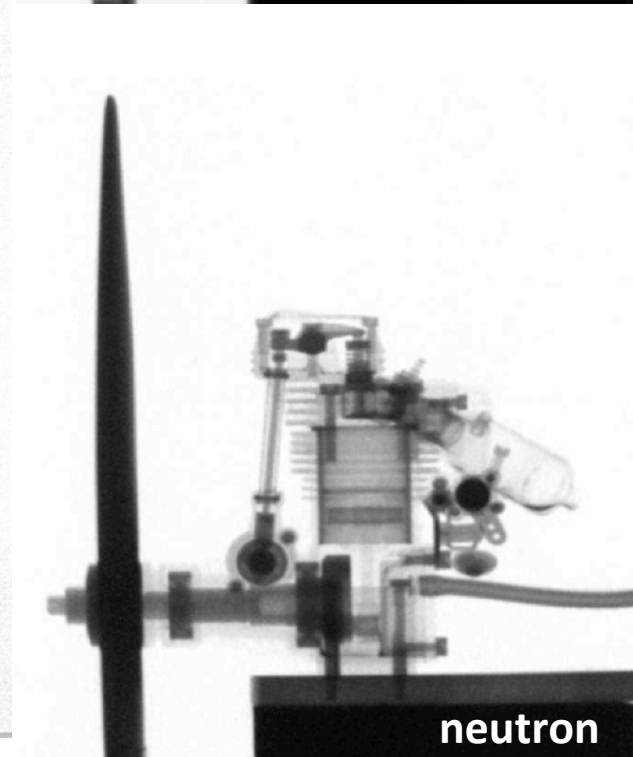
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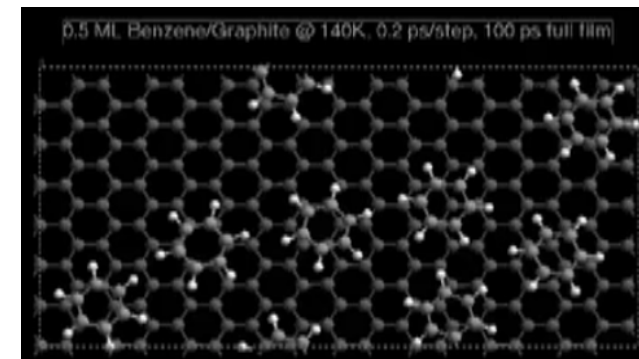
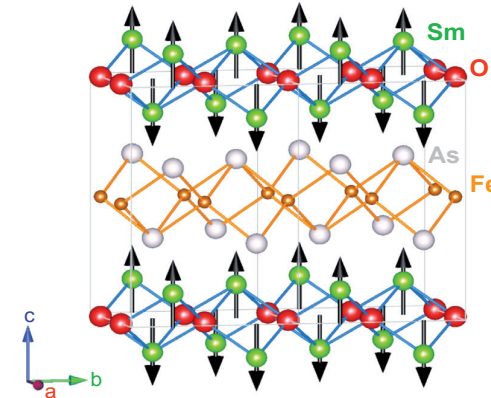
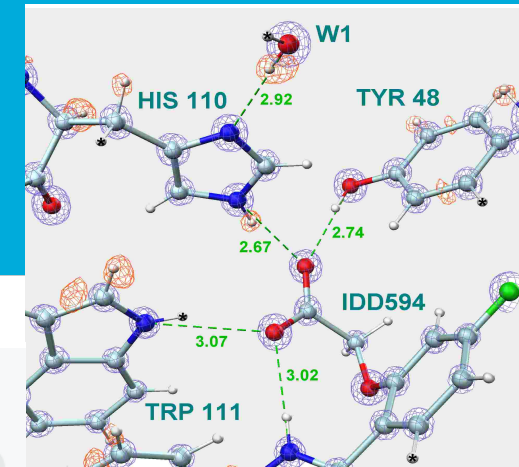
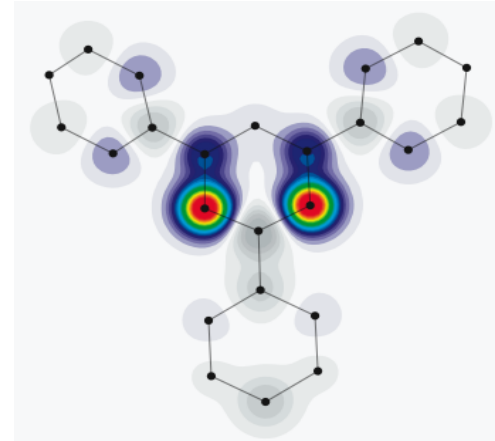
# What do the Neutrons Tell Us?

- Structure to molecular and atomic level
- Dynamics
- Magnetic structure
- Imaging

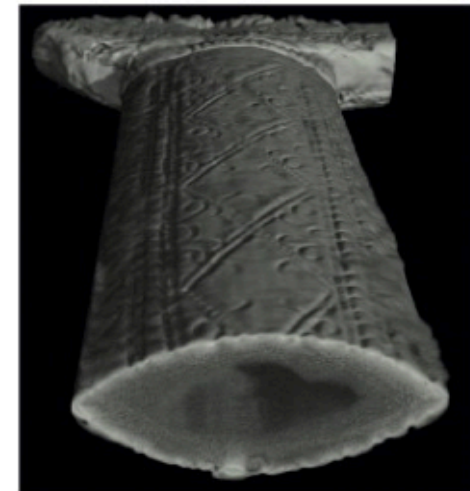
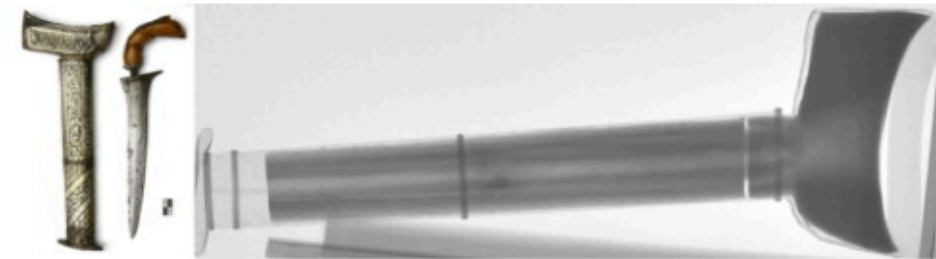
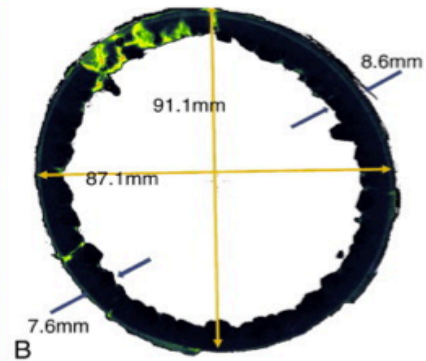
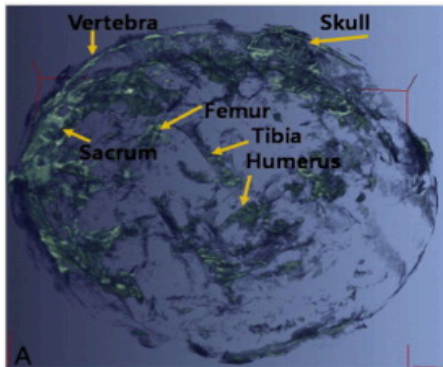
## -> A wide range of science areas

- A wide range of time- and length-scales can be probed
- Deeply penetrating and non-invasive
- A unique probe for magnetism
- Uniquely sensitive to protons and isotope selective

## -> Highly complementary to X-rays and other probes



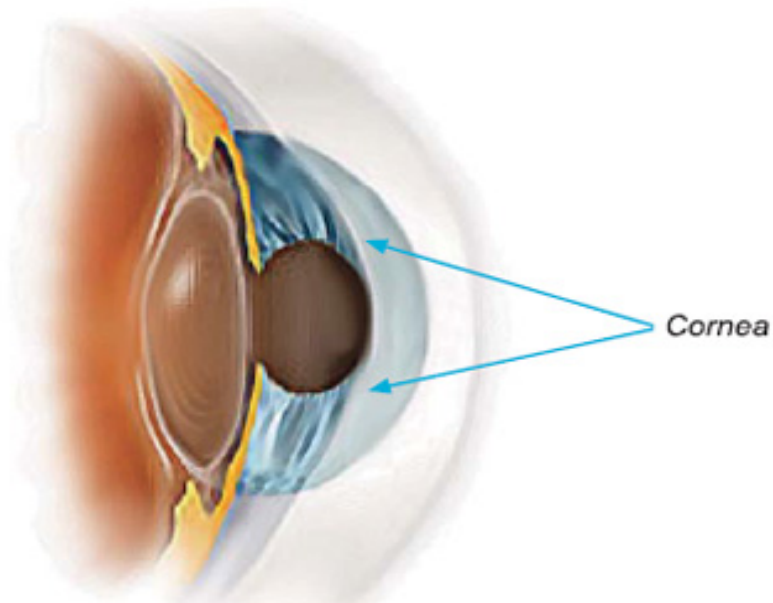
# Neutrons for Archaeology and Cultural Heritage



Dinosaur egg

Indonesian dagger sheath,  
silver outside wood.





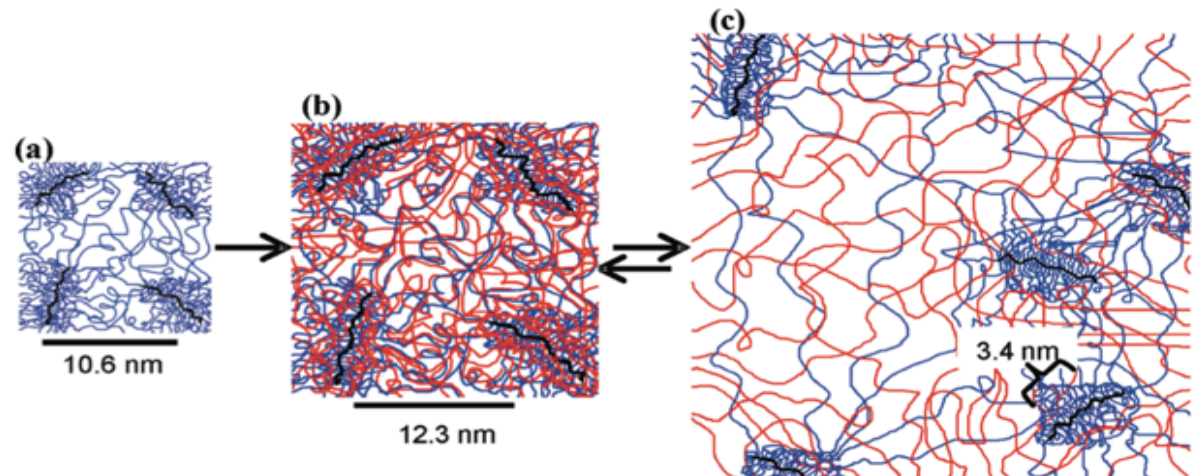
**Double network hydrogels** provide strength and resilience together with high water content.

Gel structure forms over **multiple length scales**.

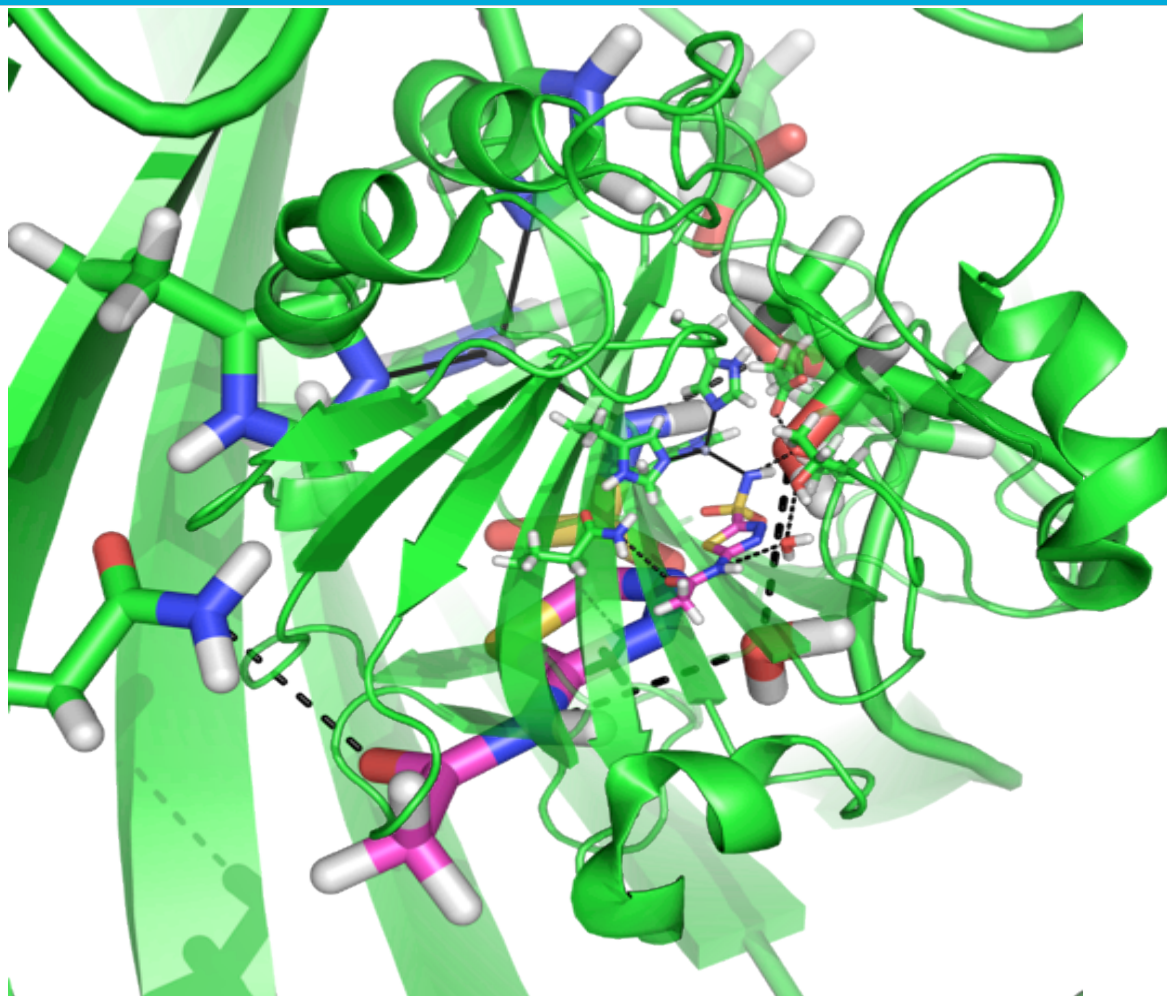
Kinetics of gelation can be rapid needing **sub-second** time resolution.

Neutrons provide the structure of each component in the presence of the other.

Swelling of a double network hydrogel designed for use as a cornea replacement.  
(Frank Group, Stanford)



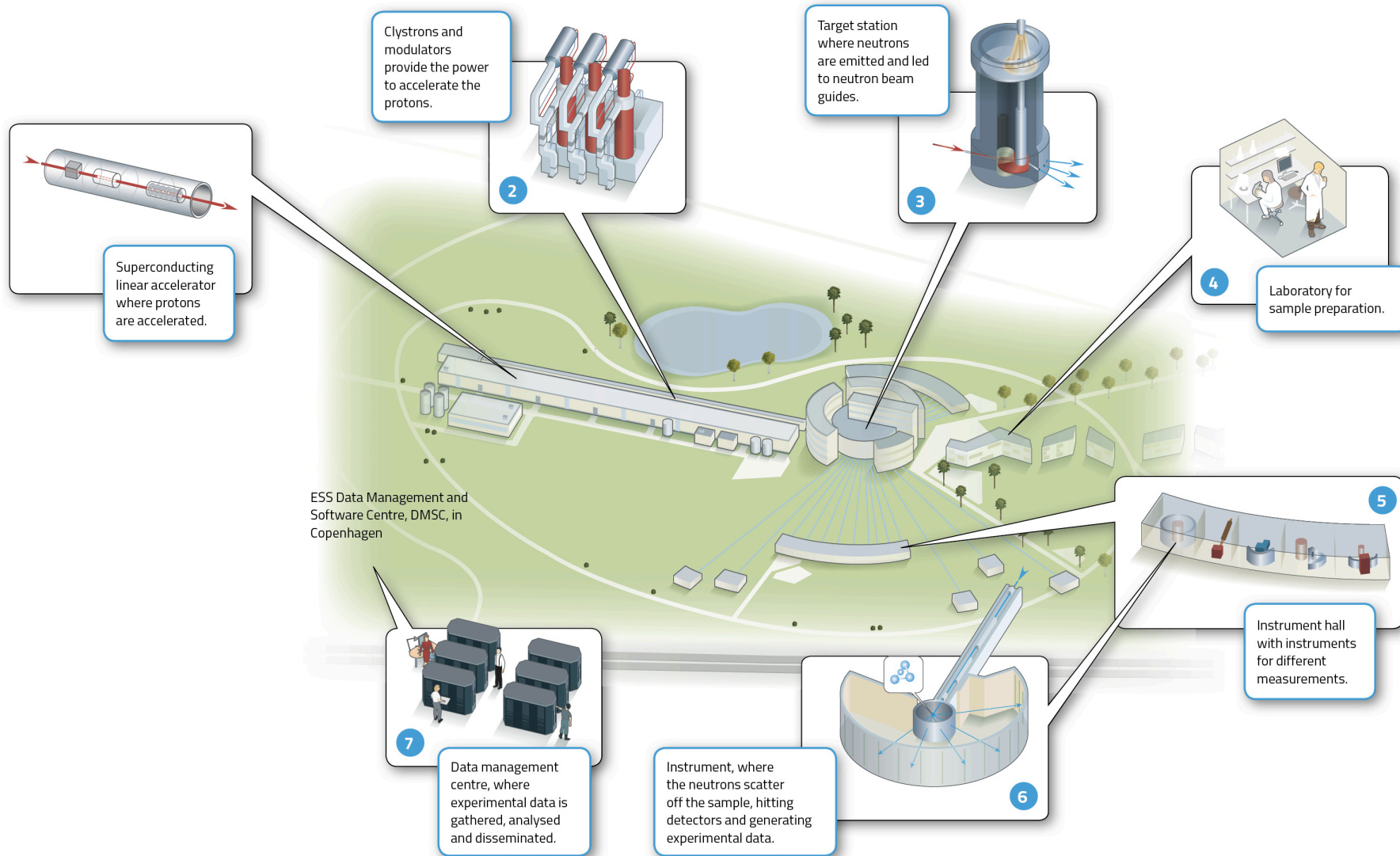
# Neutrons reveal how drugs interact with drug targets



The enzyme carbonic anhydrase transports  $\text{CO}_2$  and regulates blood acidity. It is a major player in some cancers, glaucoma, obesity and high blood pressure

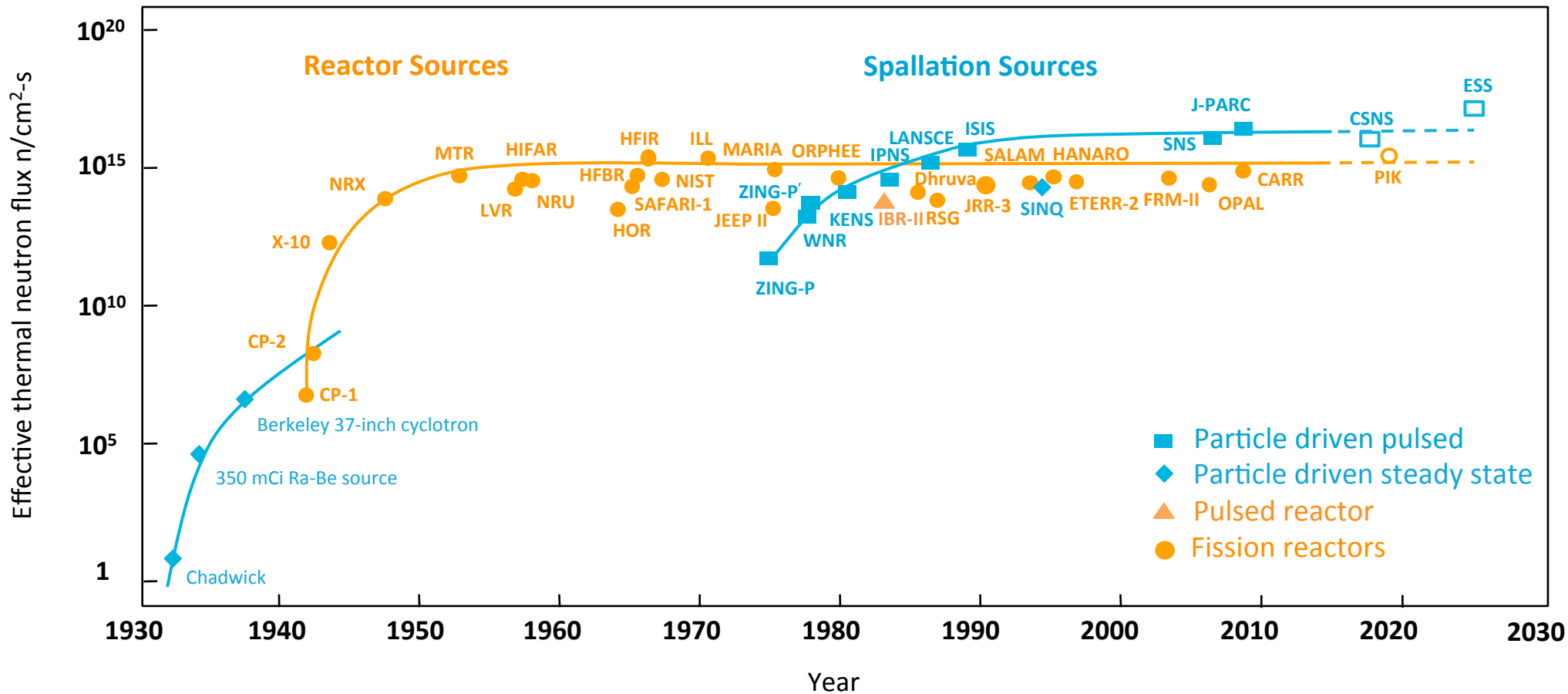
Neutron crystallography pinpoints protons and waters in the active site, showing how the drug Acetazolamide binds

# How ESS works

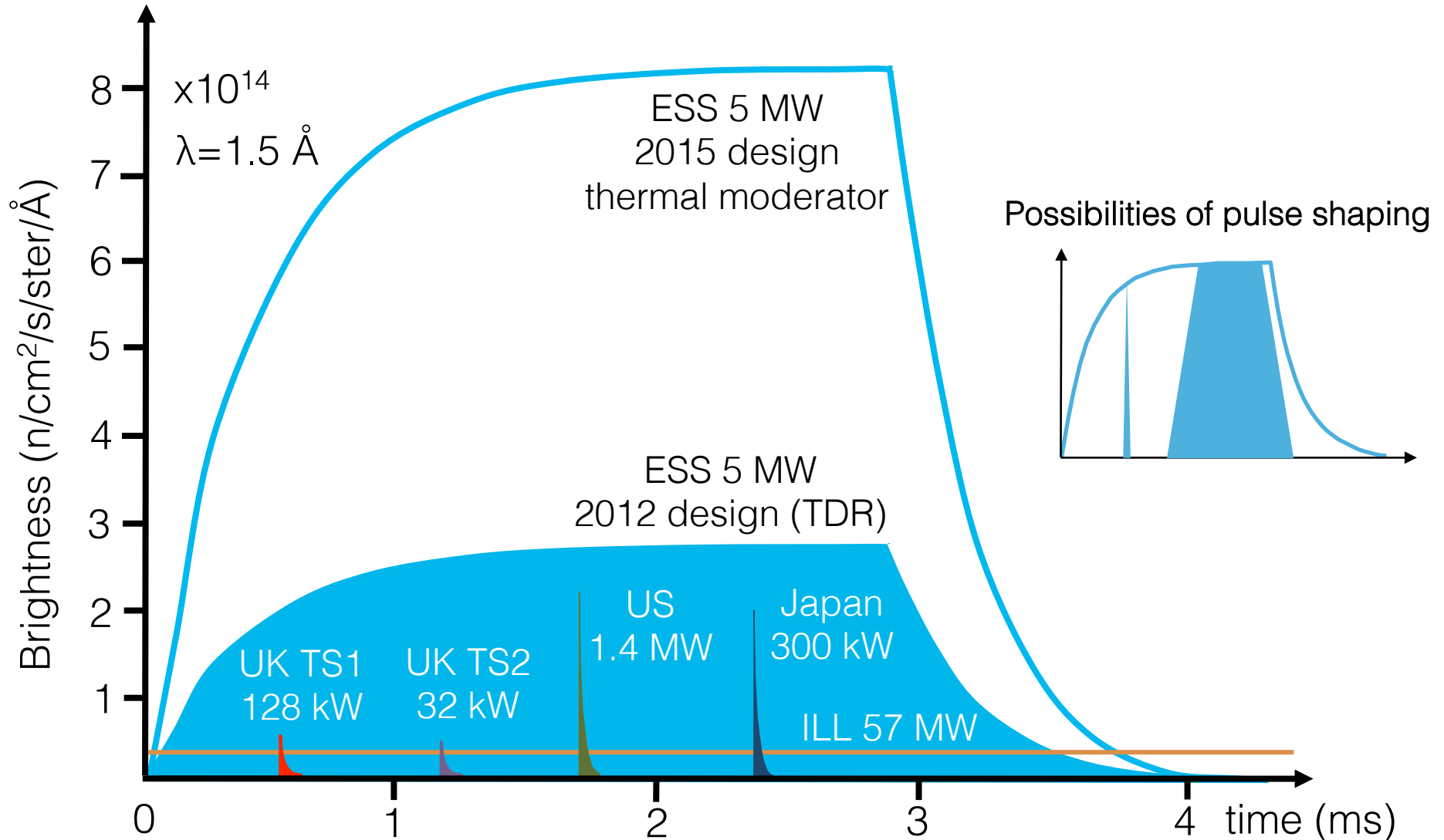




# Neutron facilities – reactors and particle driven

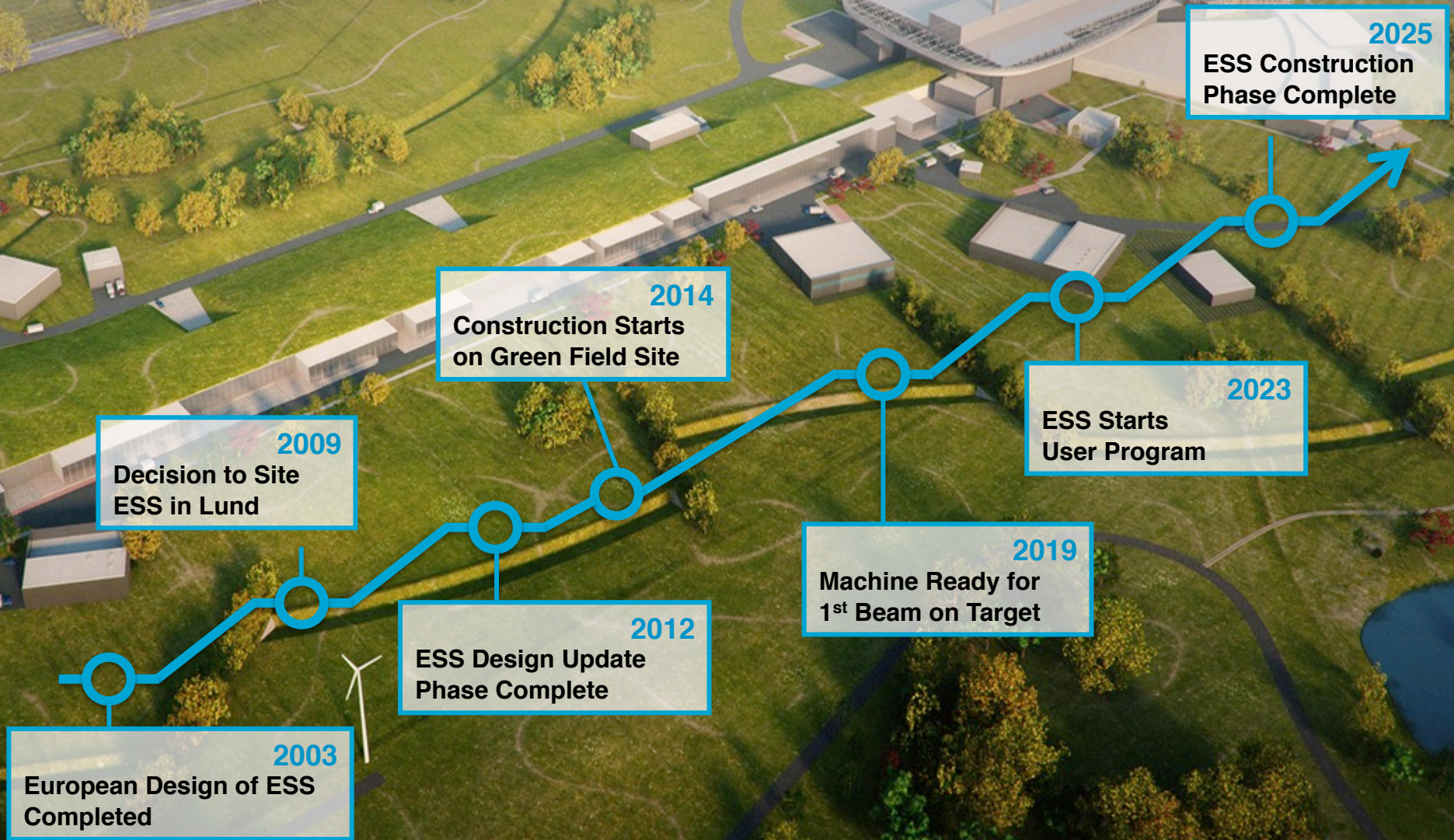


# ESS long pulse potential





# Journey to deliver the world's leading facility for research using neutrons





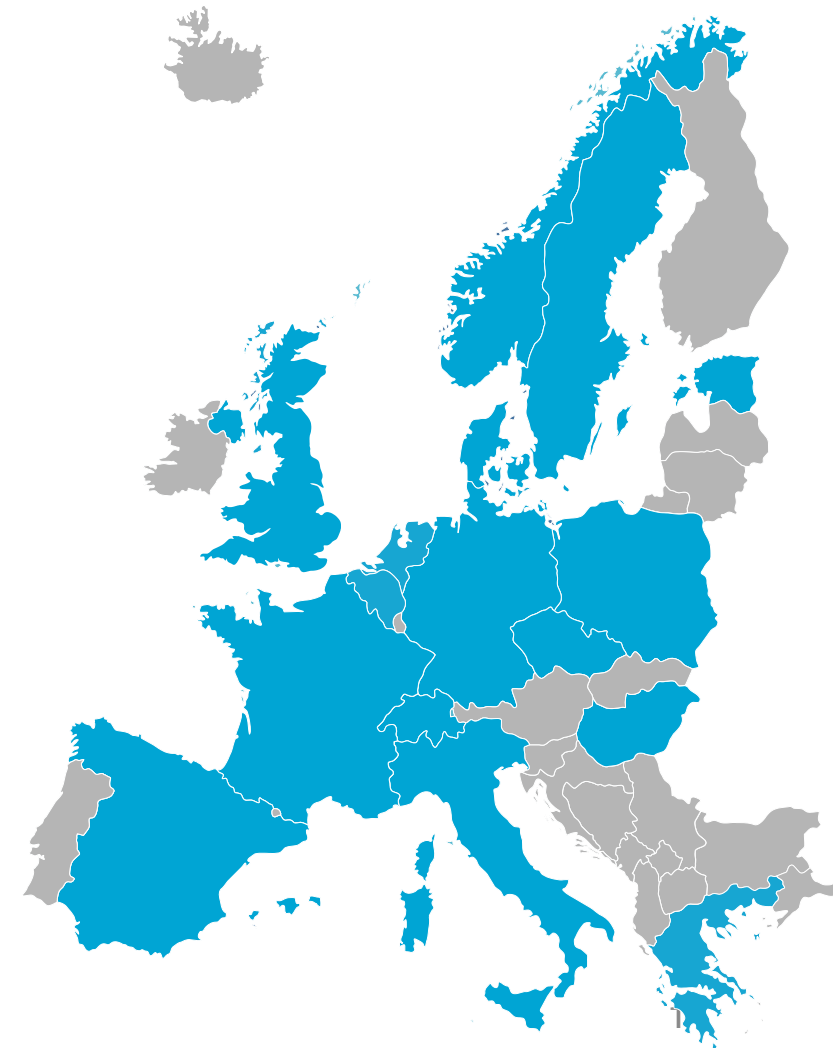
# Financing includes cash and deliverables

## Host Countries Sweden and Denmark

Construction 47.5%    Cash Investment ~ 97%  
Operations 15%

## Non Host Member Countries

Construction 52.5%    In-kind Deliverables ~ 70%  
Operations 85%



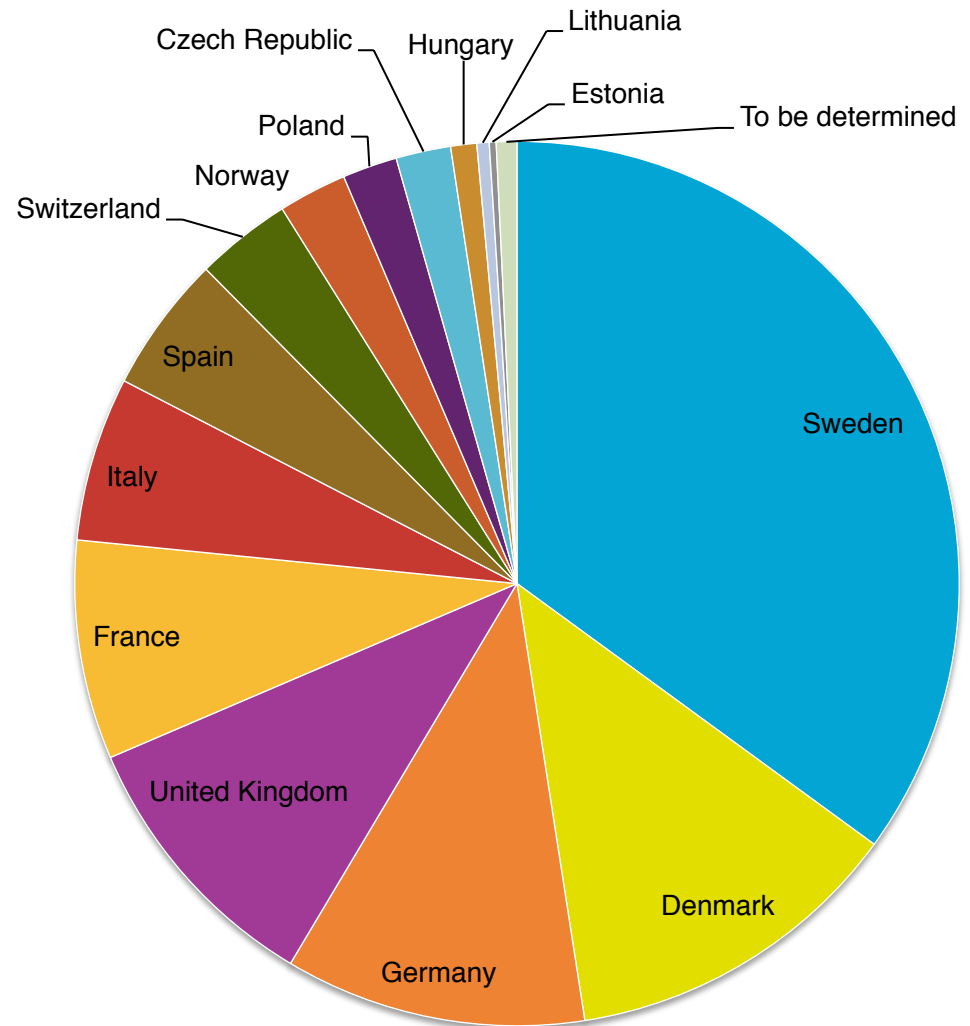
# Construction investment

## CURRENT

<b>Sweden</b> (member)	<b>35.0 %</b>
<b>Denmark</b> (member) *	<b>12.5 %</b>
<b>Germany</b> (member) *	<b>11.0 %</b>
<b>United Kingdom</b> (founding observer)	<b>10.0 %</b>
<b>France</b> (member)	<b>8.0 %</b>
<b>Italy</b> (member)	<b>6.0 %</b>
<b>Spain</b> (founding observer) *	<b>5.0 %</b>
<b>Switzerland</b> (member)	<b>3.5 %</b>
<b>Norway</b> (member)	<b>2.5 %</b>
<b>Poland</b> (member)	<b>2.0 %</b>
<b>Czech Republic</b> (member)	<b>2.0 %</b>
<b>Hungary</b> (member)	<b>0.95 %</b>
<b>Lithuania</b> (future member)	<b>0.45 %</b>
<b>Estonia</b> (member)	<b>0.25 %</b>
<b>Total *</b>	<b>~99 %</b>

## FUTURE

<b>Belgium</b> (founding observer)	<i>tbd</i>
<b>Netherlands</b> (founding observer)	<i>tbd</i>
<b>Greece</b> (future observer)	<i>tbd</i>
<b>Turkey</b> (future observer)	<i>tbd</i>
<b>Latvia, Portugal, Finland</b>	<i>tbd</i>



\* Includes Pre-construction Costs, Current Construction Commitment ~97%.

# ESS AB transitioned into European Research Infrastructure Consortium (ERIC)

## ESS AB

- Swedish limited liability corporation
- Owned by the Swedish and Danish governments



transfer of assets,  
obligations and  
personnel  
on Oct 1, 2015



## European Spallation Source ERIC

- European Research Infrastructure Consortium
- Sole governing body: the European Spallation Source ERIC Council, comprised of representatives from the Member and Observer Countries





# Ground Break & Foundation Stone Ceremony



## Ground Break Event

- 2 September 2014 (200 guests)
- Official start of the construction!



## Foundation Stone Ceremony

- 9 October 2014 (700 guests)
- Programme on site including speeches, partner video, walking tour and reception
- Science Symposium in Lund
- Mobilized partners and stakeholders for construction!

# ERIC Plate Ceremony



## Handing over of the ERIC Plate

- 8 September 2015 (60 guests) onsite
- Marked the transition from ESS AB to The European Spallation Source ERIC
- Speakers:
  - Robert-Jan Smits, Director-General for Research and Innovation, European Commission
  - Helene Hellmark Knutsson, Swedish Minister for Higher Education and Research
  - Dr. Esben Lunde Larsen, Danish Minister for Higher Education and Science



# ESS looking towards MAX IV and Lund University





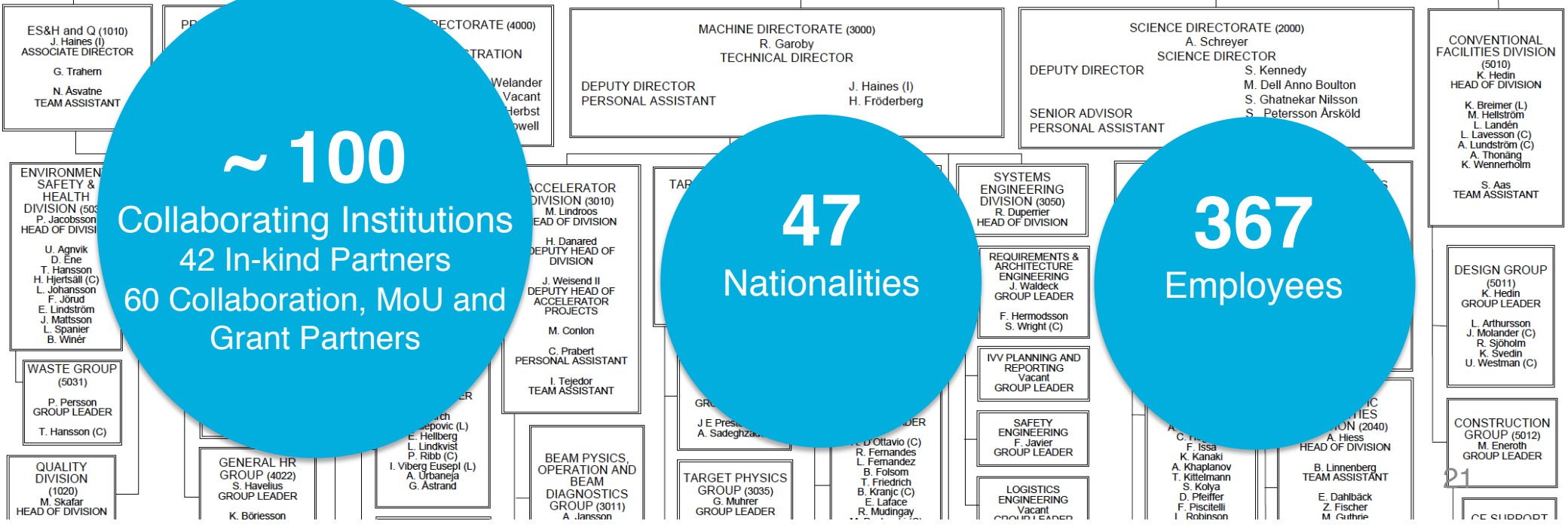
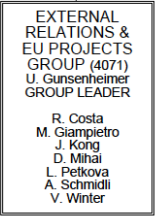
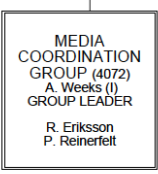
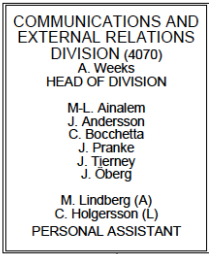
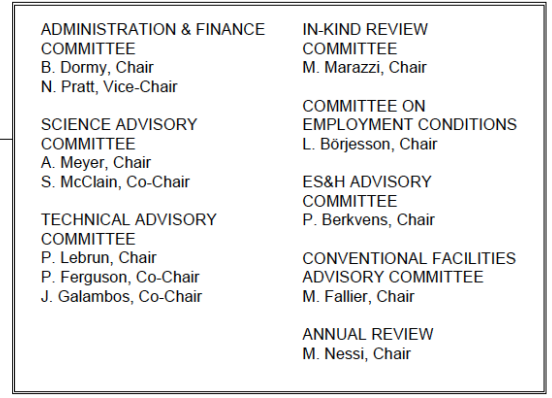
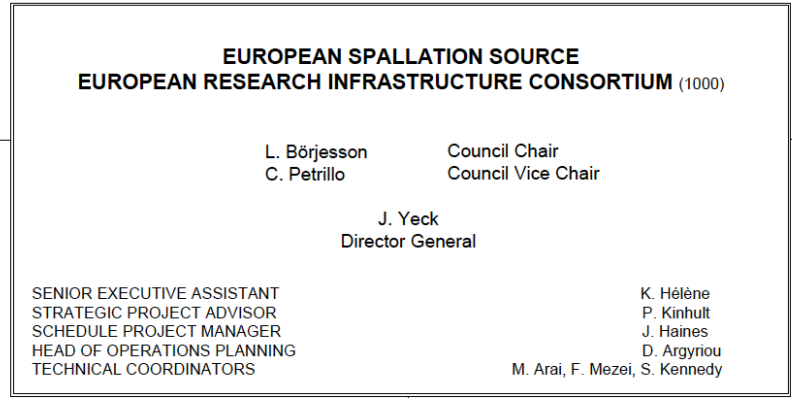
# ESS target building



# Organisation



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~ 100  
Collaborating Institutions  
42 In-kind Partners  
60 Collaboration, MoU and Grant Partners

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Nationalities

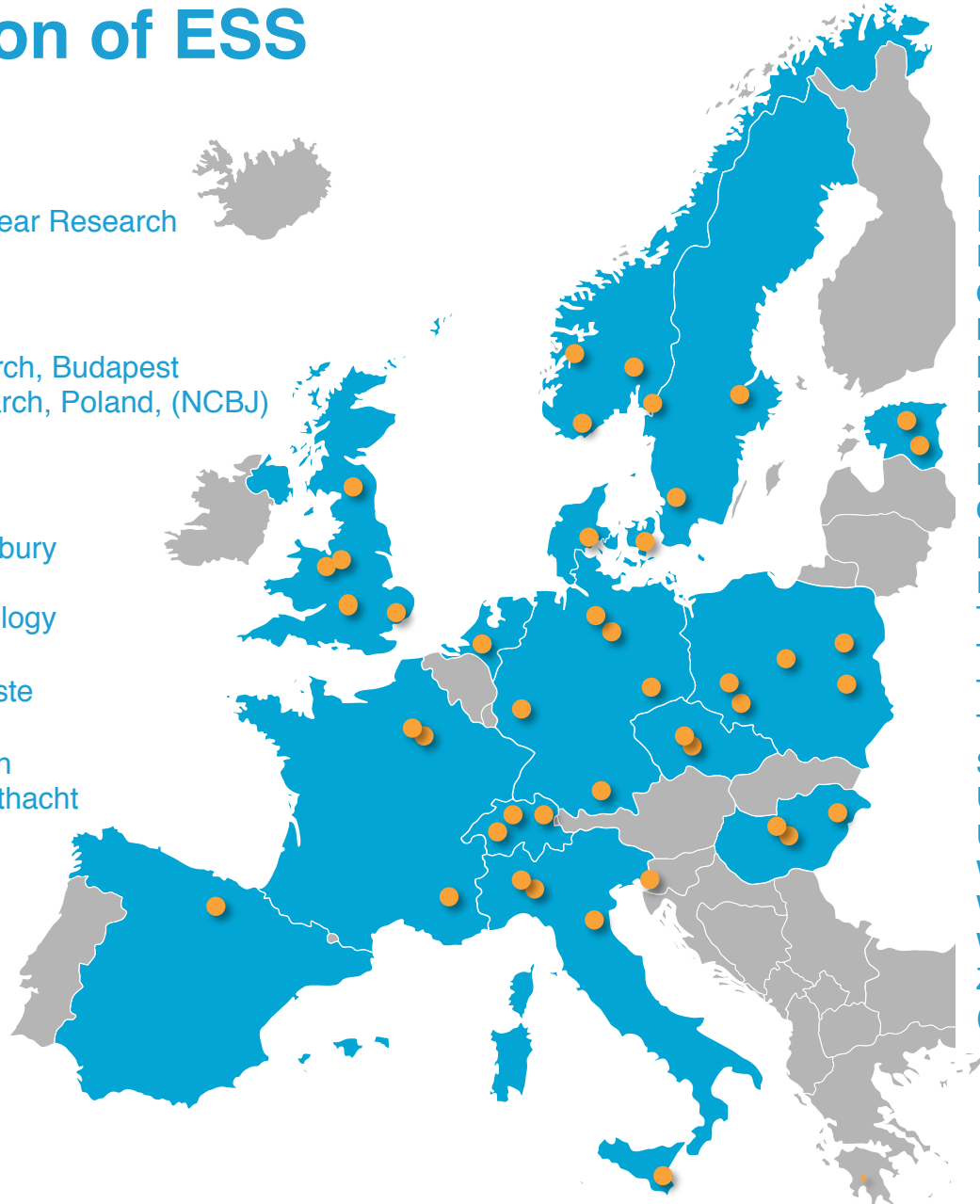
367  
Employees



# Partner institutions delivering the design & construction of ESS



Aarhus University  
 Atomki - Institute for Nuclear Research  
 Agder University  
 Bergen University  
 CEA Saclay, Paris  
 Centre for Energy Research, Budapest  
 Centre for Nuclear Research, Poland, (NCBJ)  
 CERN, Geneva  
 CNR, Rome  
 CNRS Orsay, Paris  
 Cockcroft Institute, Daresbury  
 DESY, Hamburg  
 Delft University of Technology  
 Edinburgh University  
 Elettra – Sincrotrone Trieste  
 ESS Bilbao  
 Forschungszentrum Jülich  
 Helmholtz-Zentrum Geesthacht  
 Huddersfield University  
 IFJ PAN, Krakow  
 INFN, Catania  
 INFN, Legnaro  
 INFN, Milan



Institute for Energy Research (IFE)  
 Institut Laue-Langevin (ILL)  
 Rutherford-Appleton Laboratory, Oxford (ISIS)  
 Copenhagen University  
 Laboratoire Léon Brillouin (LLB)  
 Lodz University of Technology  
 Lund University  
 Nuclear Physics Institute of the ASCR  
 Oslo University  
 Paul Sherrer Institute  
 Roskilde University  
 Tallinn Technical University  
 Technical University of Chemnitz  
 Technical University of Denmark  
 Technical University Munich  
 Science and Technology Facilities Council  
 University of Tartu  
 Uppsala University  
 WIGNER Research Centre for Physics  
 Wrocław University of Technology  
 Warsaw University of Technology  
 Zurich University of Applied Sciences (ZHAW)



# Key Project Parameters

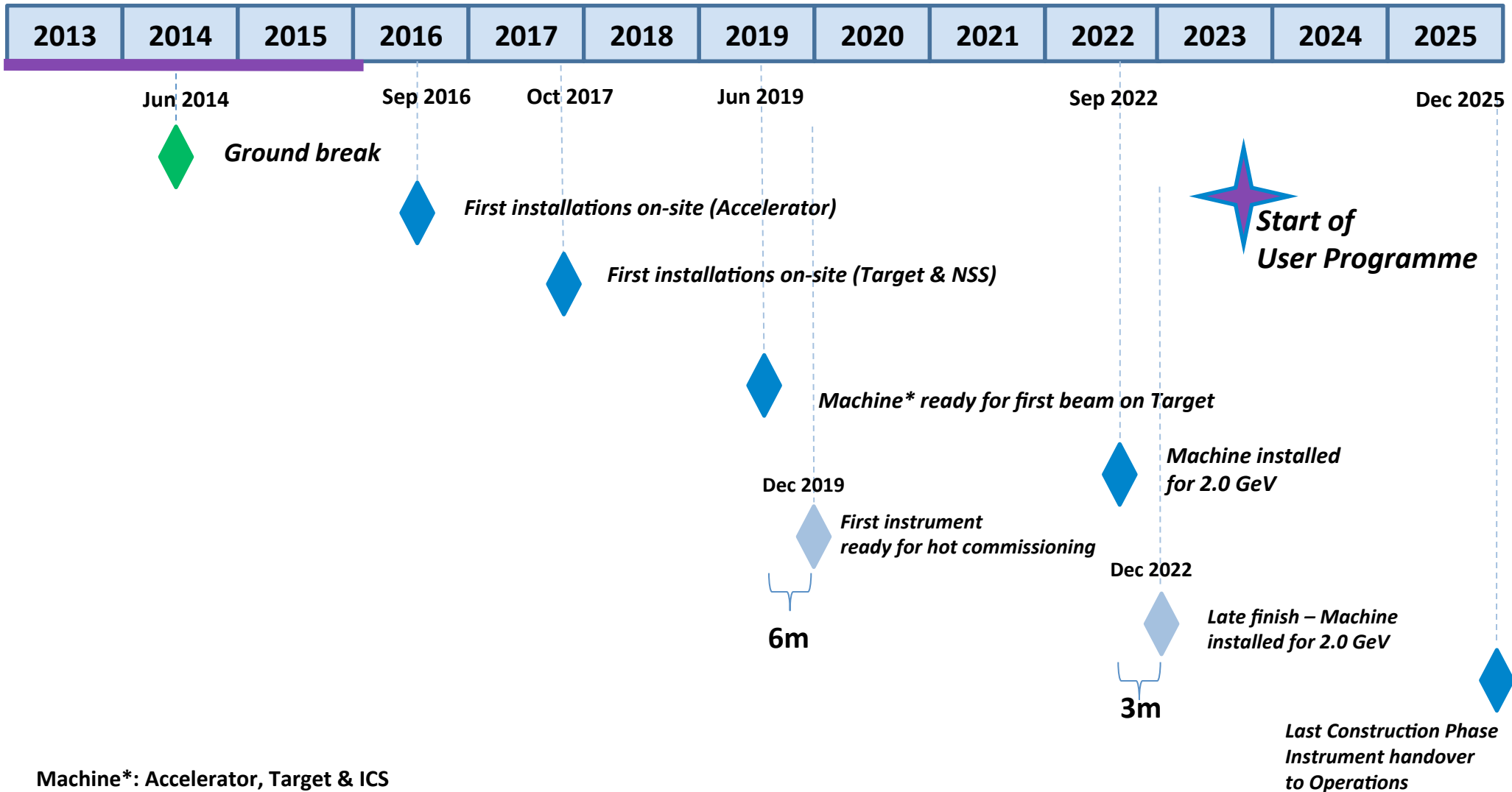
- Deliver on the Technical Design Report performance and Steering Committee commitments
  - **5 MW accelerator capability**
  - **Cost Book construction cost of 1.843 B€<sub>2013</sub>**
  - **Cost Book annual operations cost target of 140 M€<sub>2013</sub>**
  - **22 “public” instruments (16 included in the construction budget)**
- Start w/ unconstrained resources (technically limited schedule) and develop credible project execution plans
- Comprehensive review of project baseline and execution plans
- Secure funding and resources and align schedules with the available resources

# ESS construction cost baseline



(Jan 2013 pricing)	M EUR
Conventional Facilities	531.9
CF scope supported by host countries	-93.0
Accelerator Systems	510.2
Target Systems	155.2
Integrated Control System	73.0
Design & Engineering	33.7
Neutron Scattering Systems	350.0
Project Support & Administration and Licensing	123.8
Contingency	158.2
Total Construction Budget and ESS Cost Book Value	1843.0

# ESS Schedule Objectives

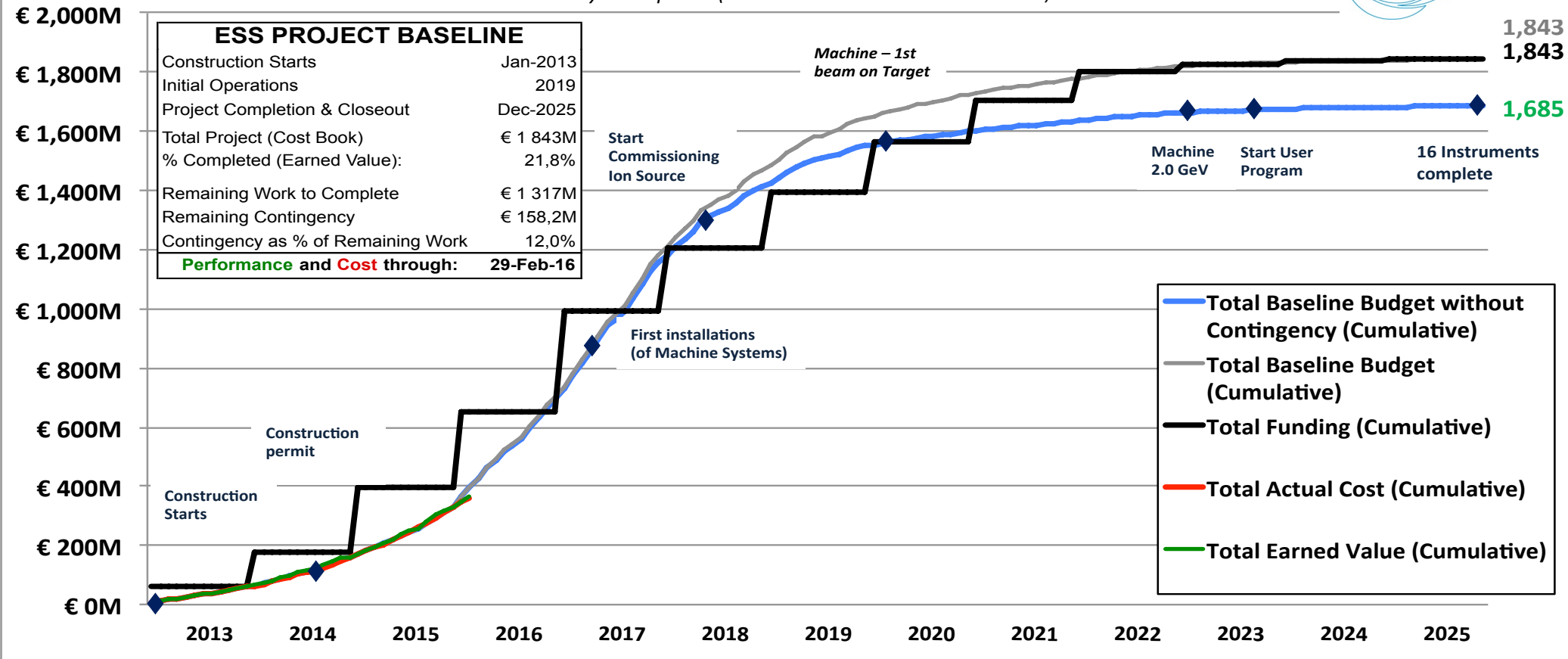




# Current S-curve based on February data

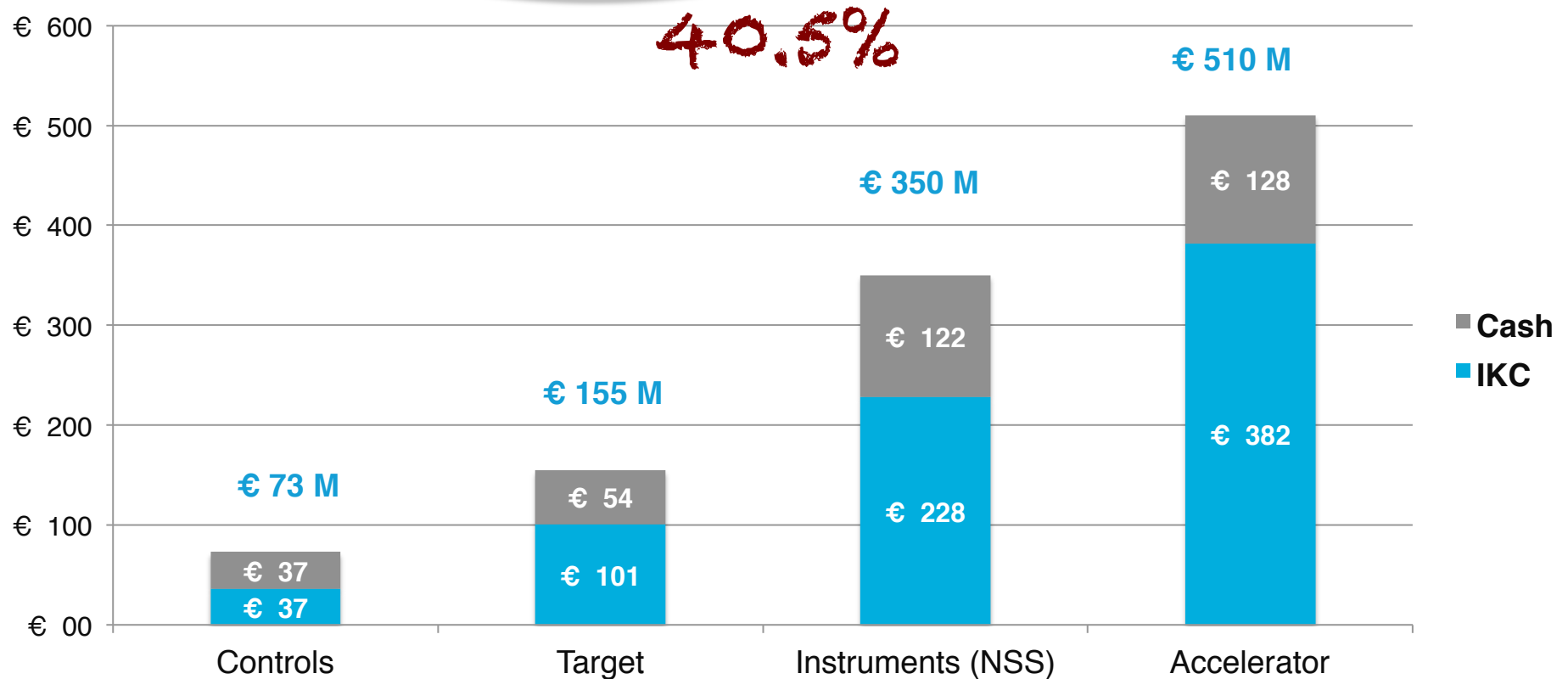
## ESS Construction Funding & Budget Profile

January 2013 prices ("Host CF contributions not included")

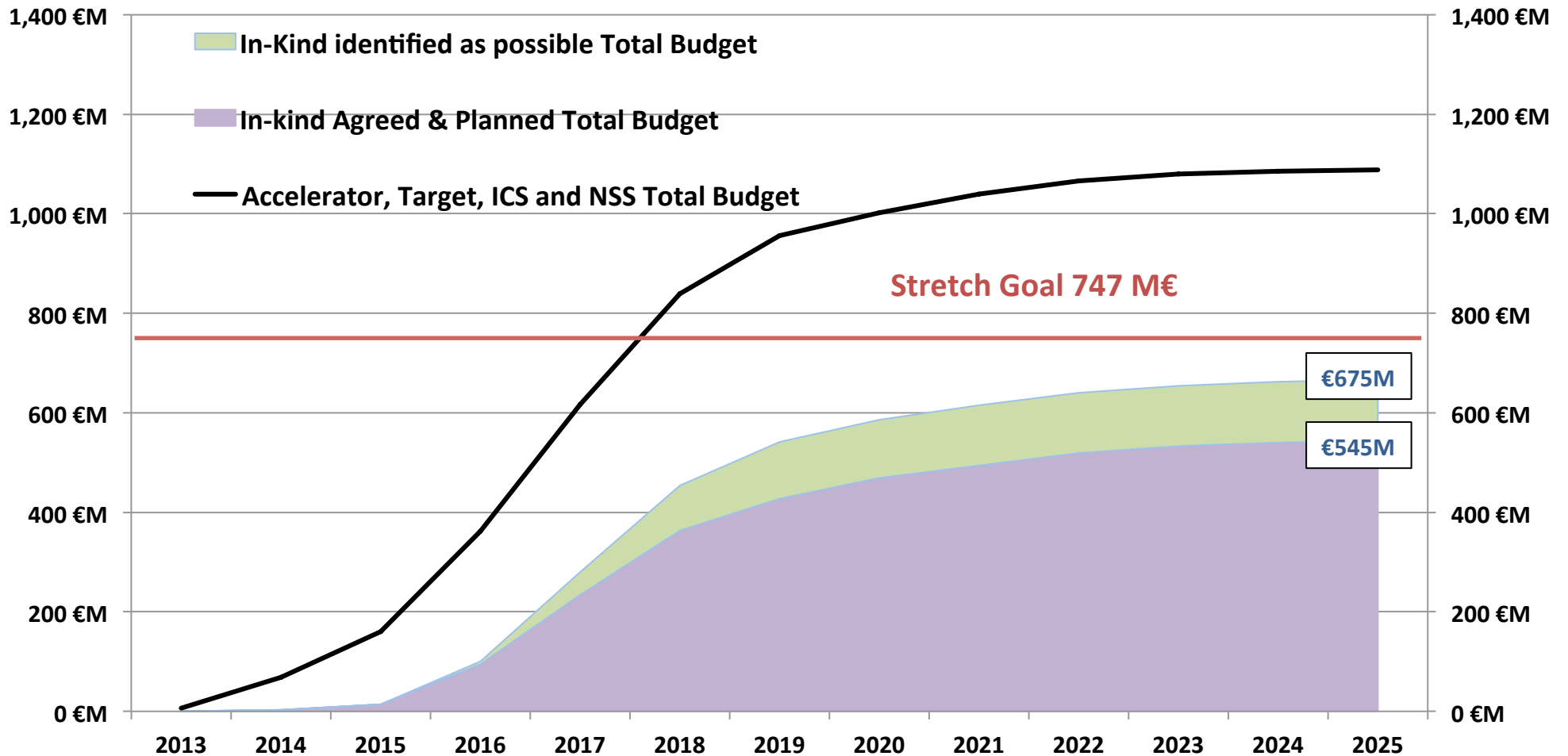


# ESS In-kind goals

Construction cost: € 1.84 Billion  
In-kind: € 747.5 Million



# In-kind status and plans





# Civil construction groundbreaking



September 2014





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August 2015



Progress in 18 months...



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March 2016

















# Summary

- Construction project ~ 23% complete and ~ 35% by end of 2016
- Emphasis on securing in-kind deliverables in a collaborative framework
- Priority on schedule performance – key to success
- Additional work to ensure European Spallation Source ERIC provides the institutional framework needed for long term success
- Working to establishing operations plans consistent facility requirements and supportable by the ESS Council

Core Values are Excellence, Openness, Collaboration, and Sustainability

Mission – design, build, and operate the world's  
leading research facility using neutrons



# 2016 priorities

- Continue emphasis on schedule performance – *key to success!*
- Transition In-kind partners into execution phase – *ongoing*
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Project Review and Response – *complete*
- Submit application to regulatory authority for license to commission first stages of accelerator systems – *complete*
- Establish a “cash facility” for liquidity gap/hold schedule – *June*
- ESS start installation machine (accelerator) equipment – *Sep*
- Establish operations plans consistent with requirements – *Dec*
- Engage new members – *ongoing!*

# Accession procedure

Written application addressed to the Council Chair describing intended contributions and to comply with European Spallation Source ERIC Statutes

Conditions for accession subject to agreement between Belgium and the Council

Council to approval of the admission of Latvia as a European Spallation Source Member by unanimous vote

Conditions the same as Founding Members if accession completed prior to 31 August 2016

EU Commission informed

# Experience from other projects – A few ingredients to success



- Facility must be a priority of the science community!
- Funding agency commitments and strong host role
- Collaboration leadership enables success of others
- Establish realistic goals – “Experience over hope”
- Credibility through openness with transparency
- Collective ownership of problems & solutions
- Populate the organization with experience
- Success built on energy and enthusiasm!



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Thank you!



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