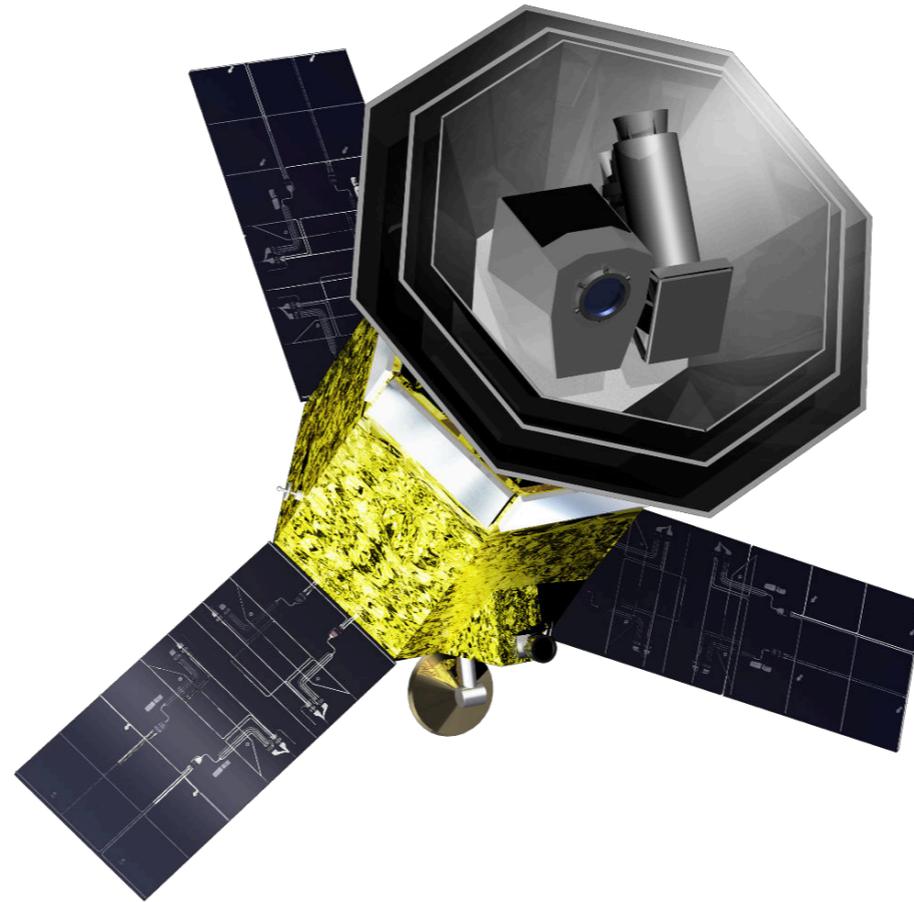


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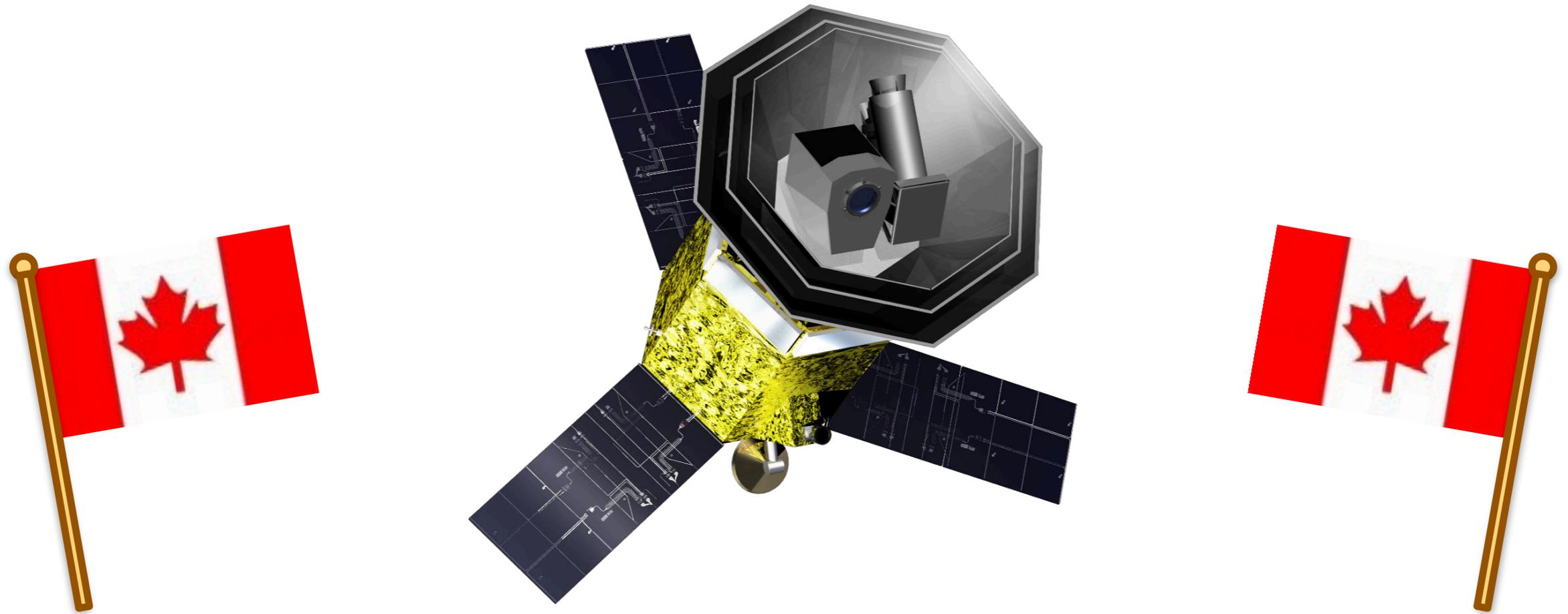


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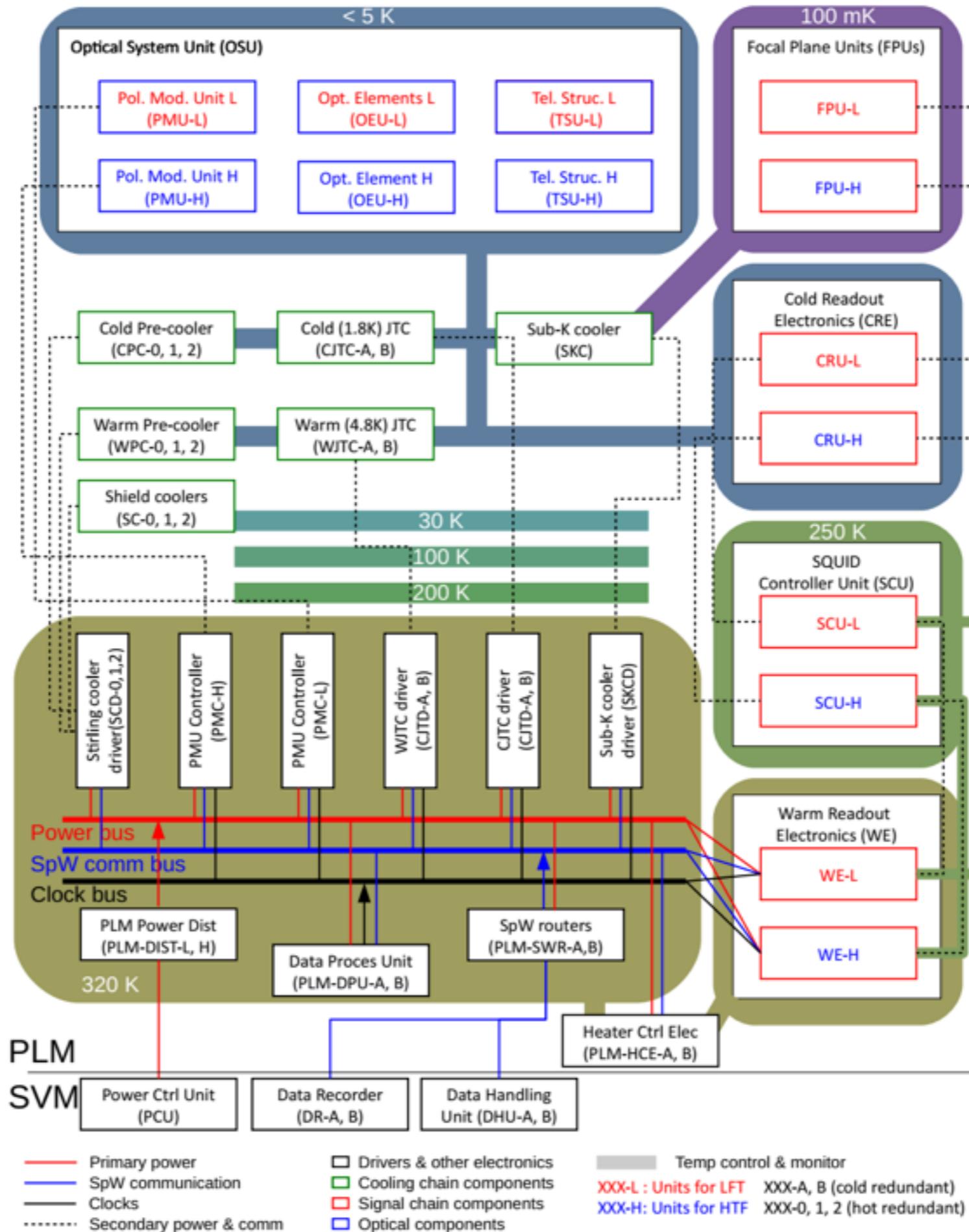
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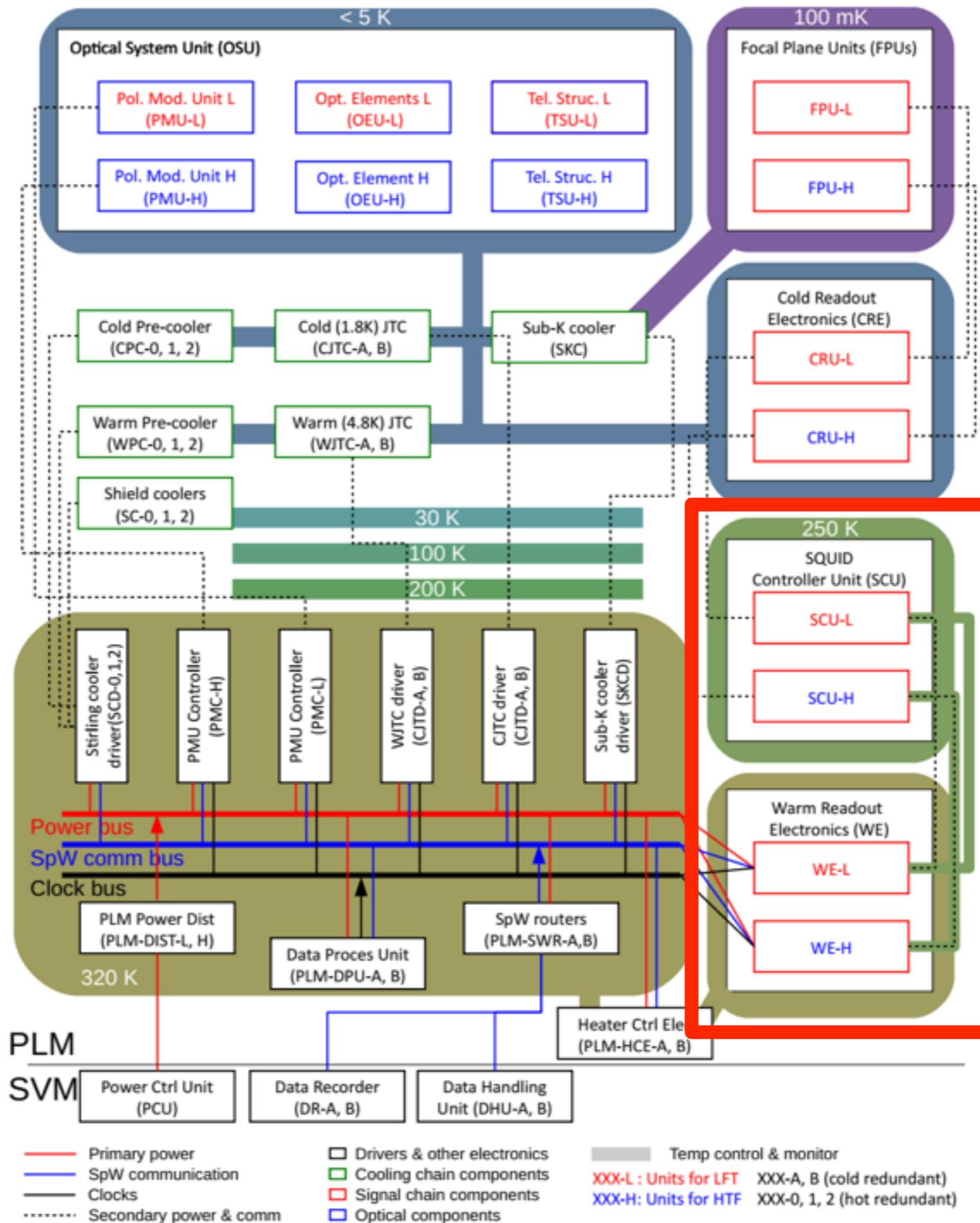
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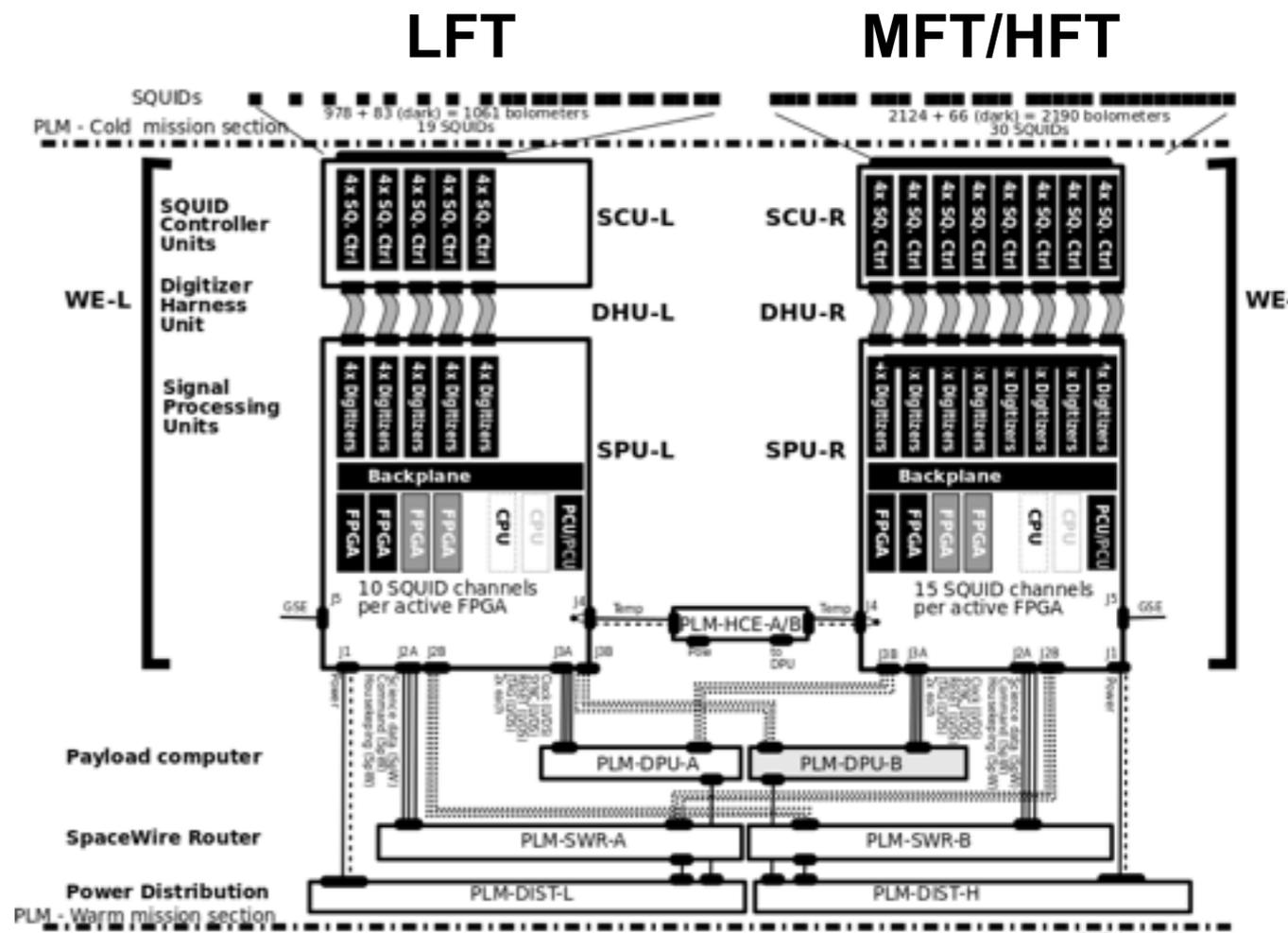


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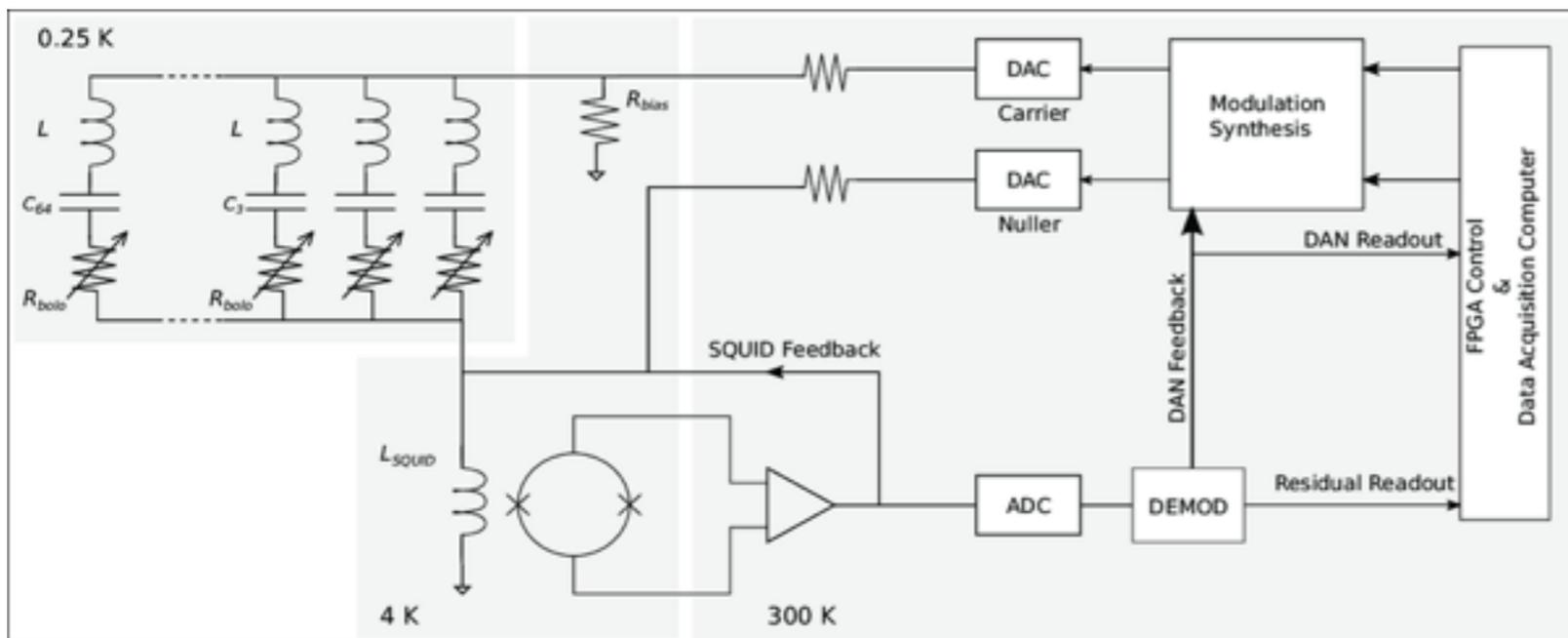
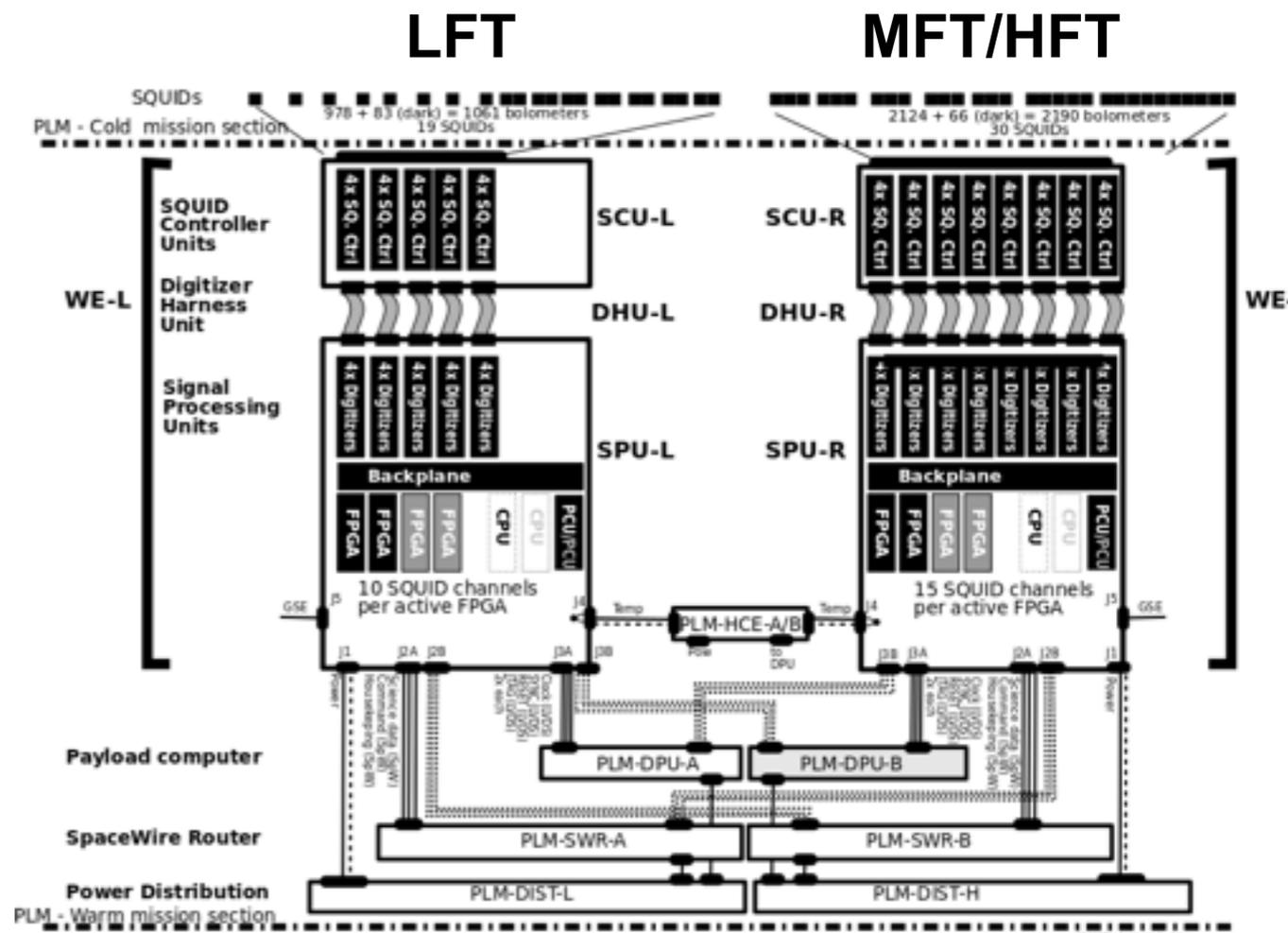
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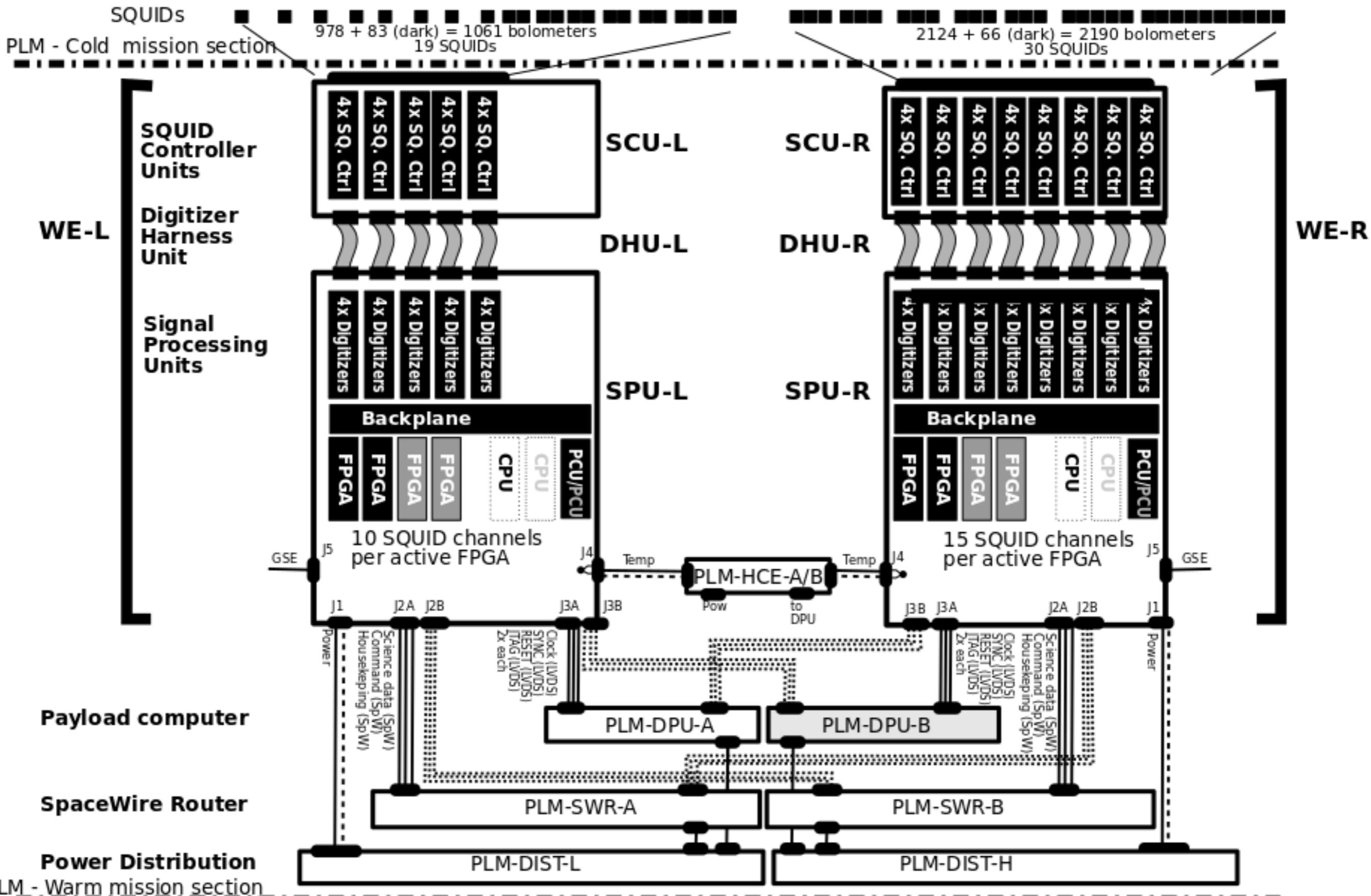
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This circuit diagram shows how the frequency multiplexing for one SQUID module is implemented (an inductor/capacitor component selects each channel).

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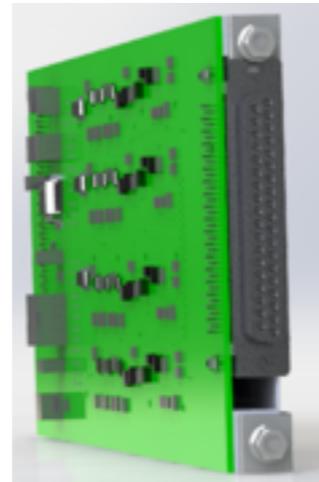
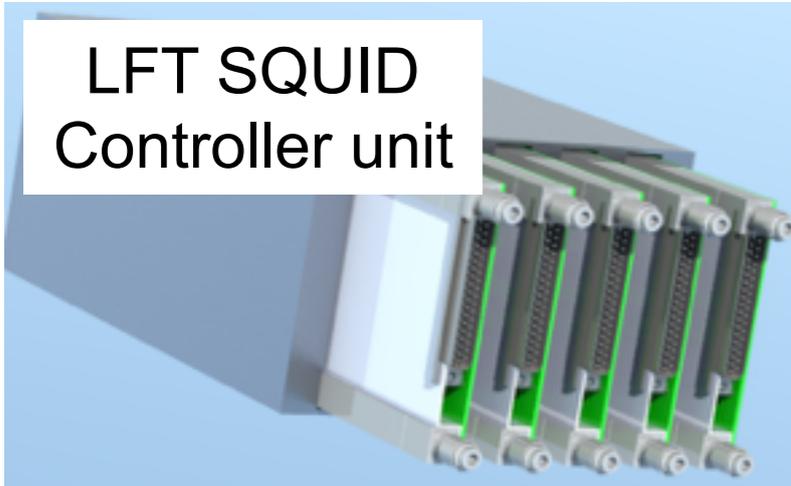
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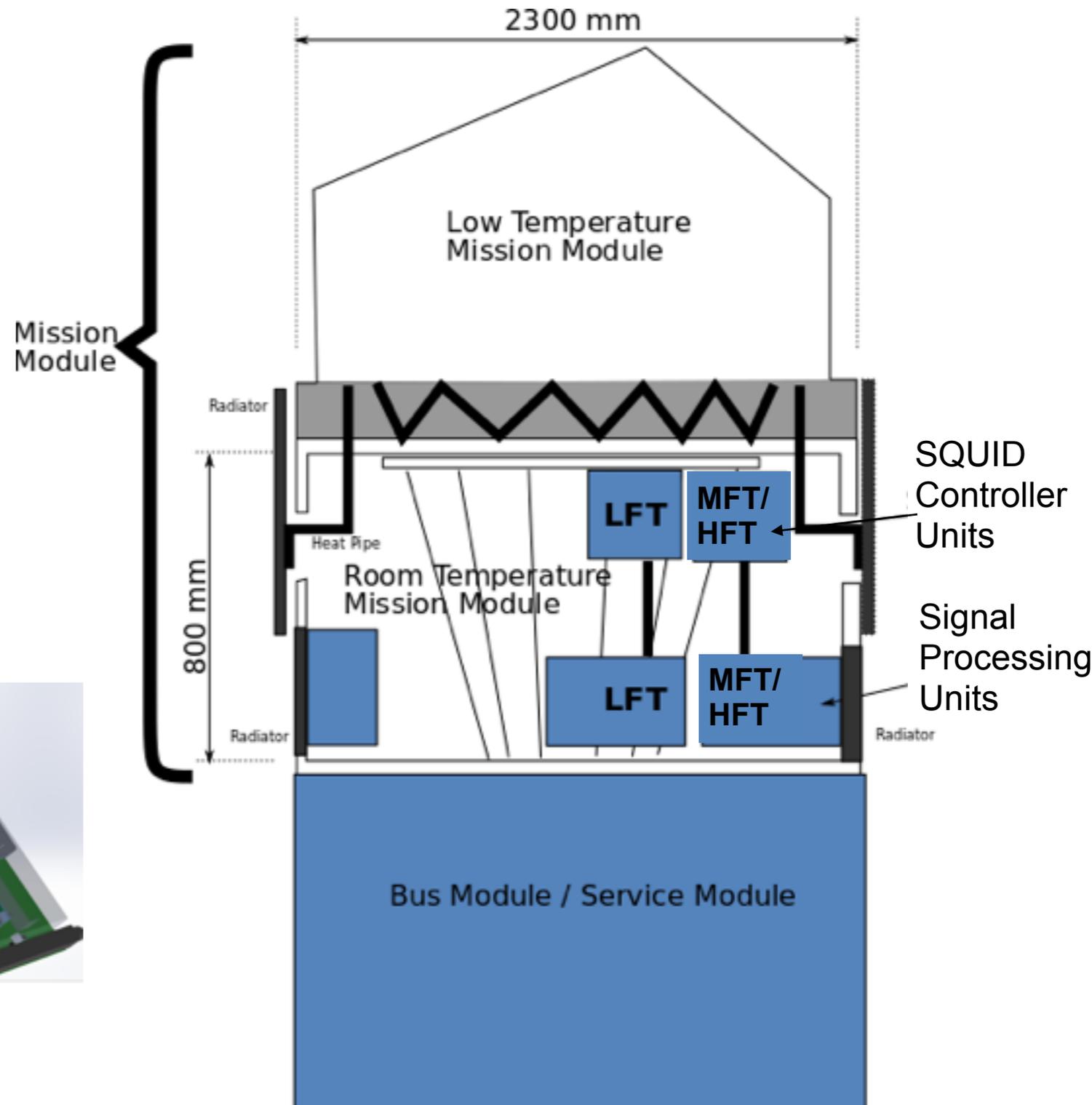
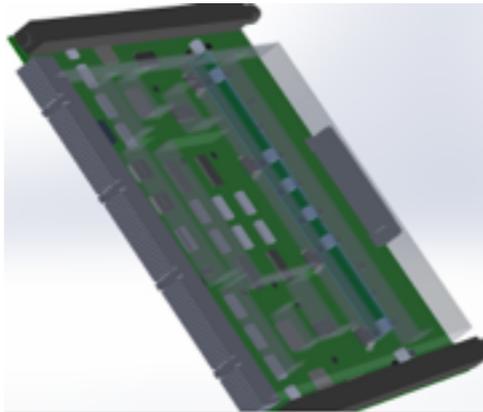
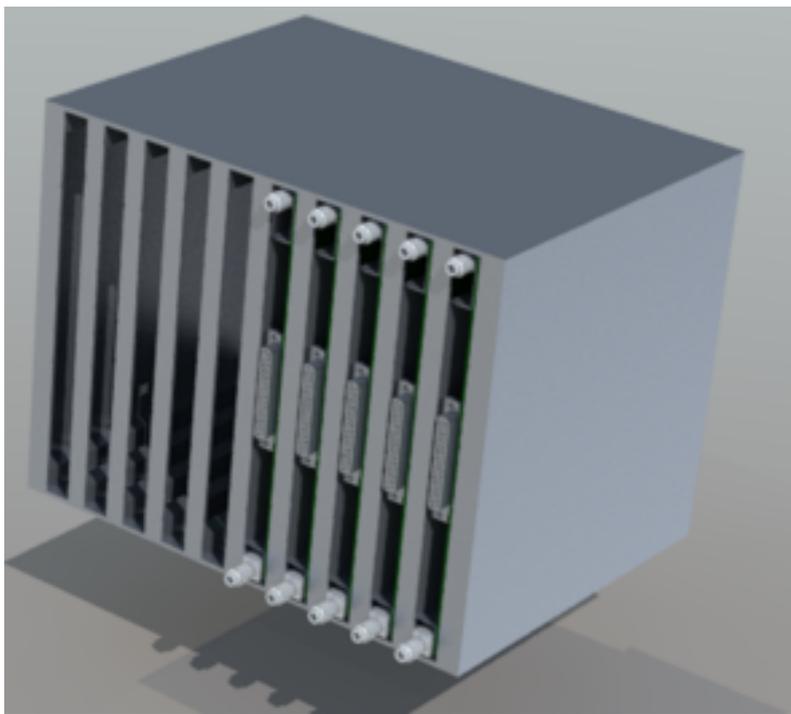
# WE Units

(one pair for each telescope)

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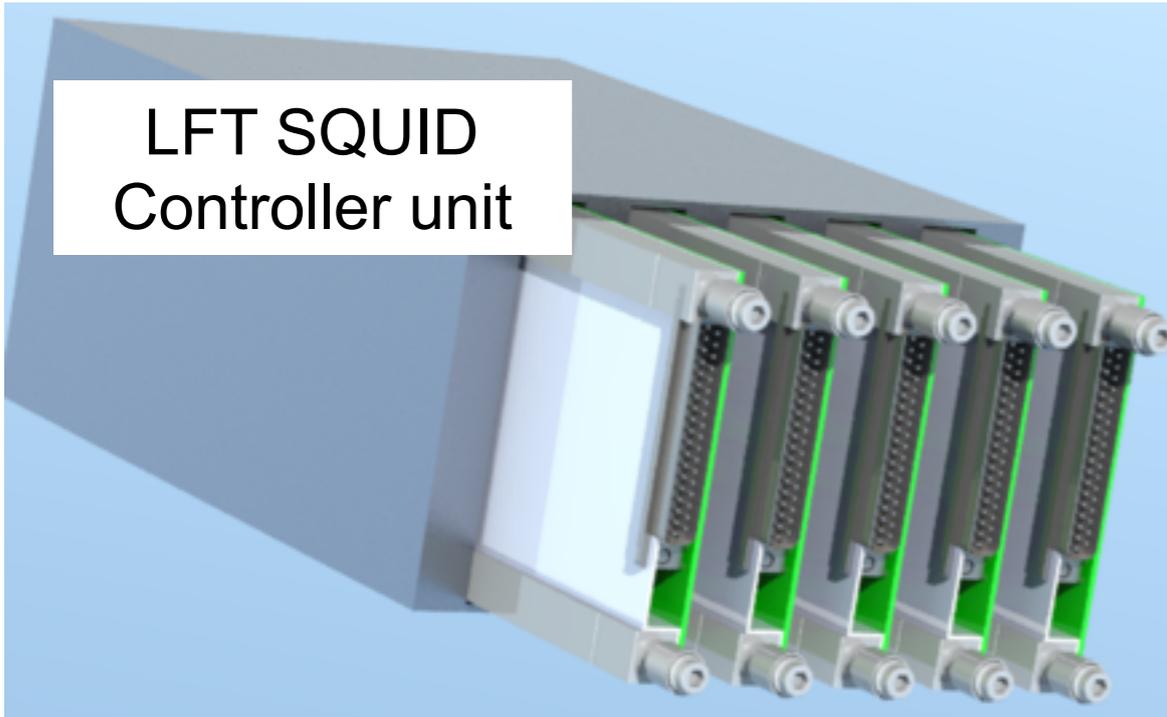


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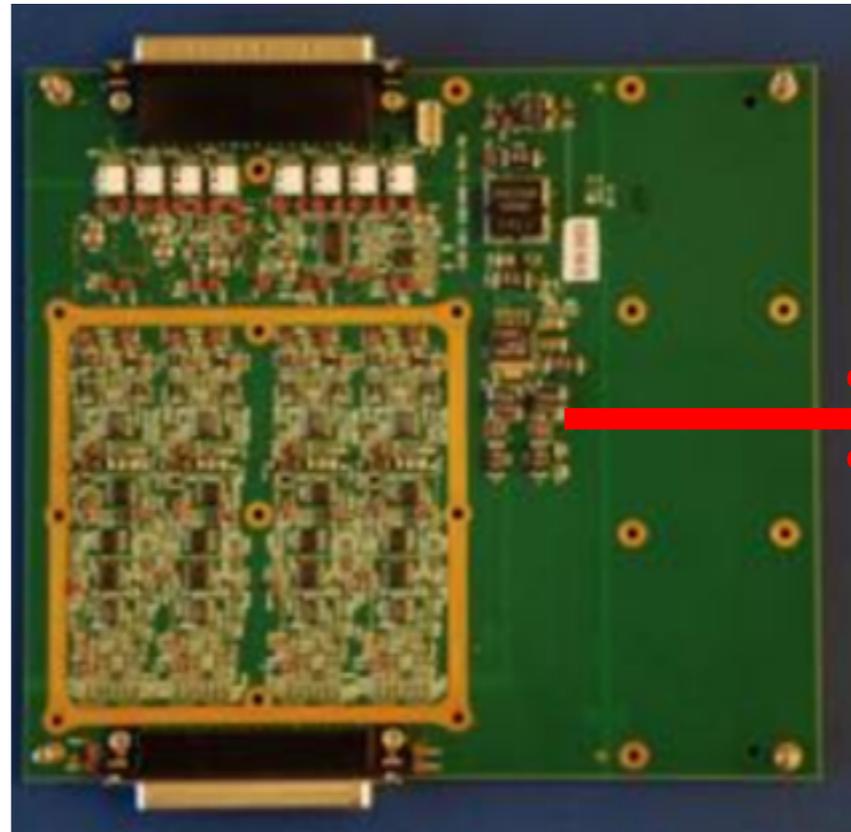


# SQUID Controller Unit & Assembly

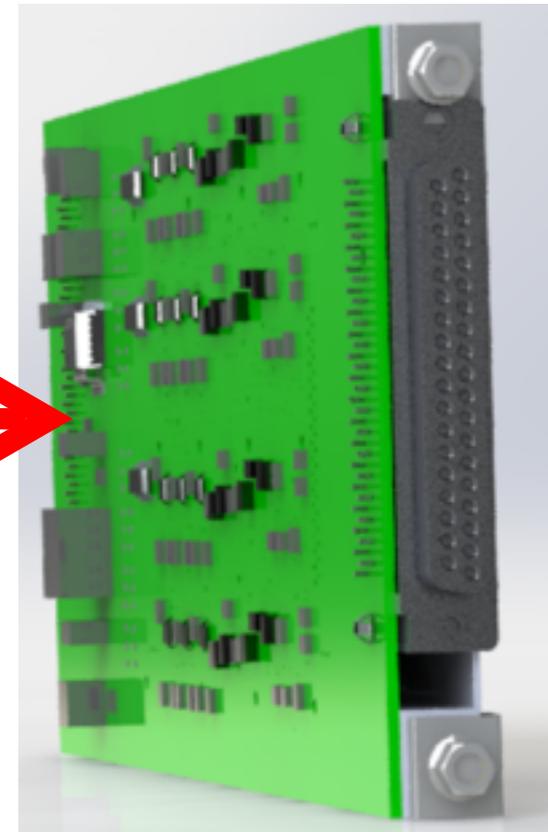
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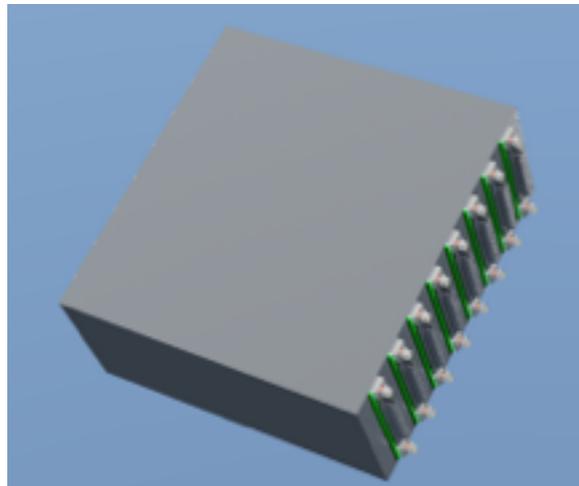
STDP SQUID  
Controller



SQUID Controller  
Assembly



HFT  
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unit



- 4 SQUID channels per board
- Same design as previously (TRL5) – mostly needs re-layout
- Heat sinking through the guides and enclosure
- Powered via digitizer assemblies

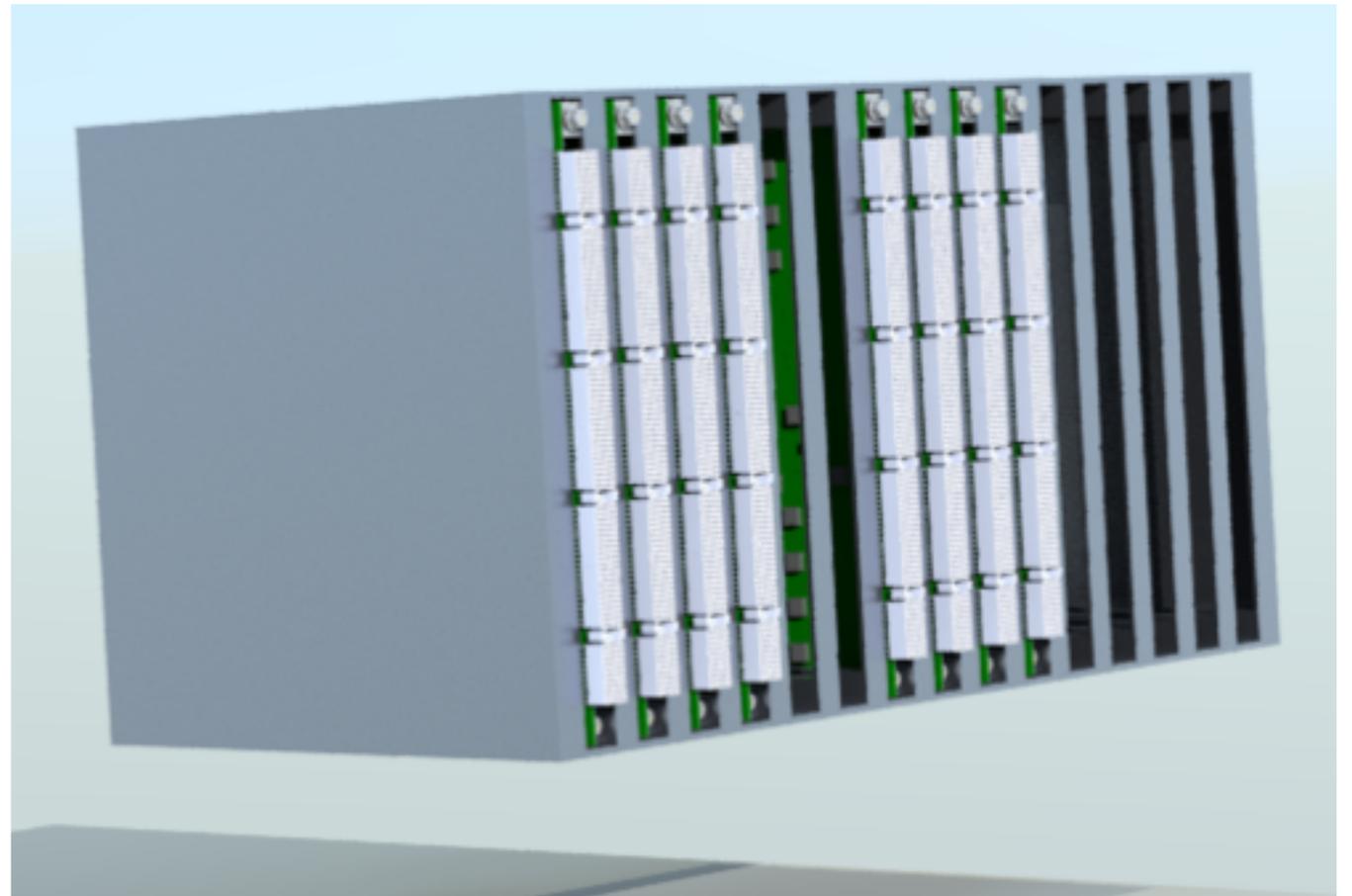
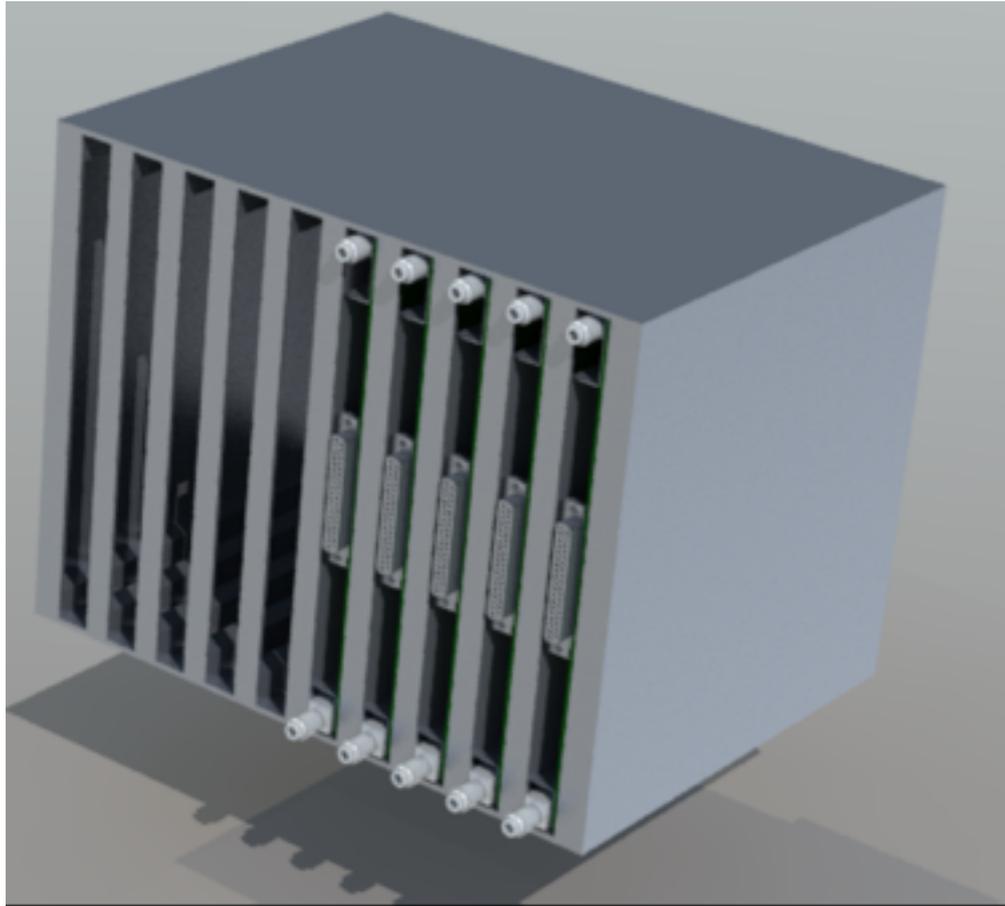
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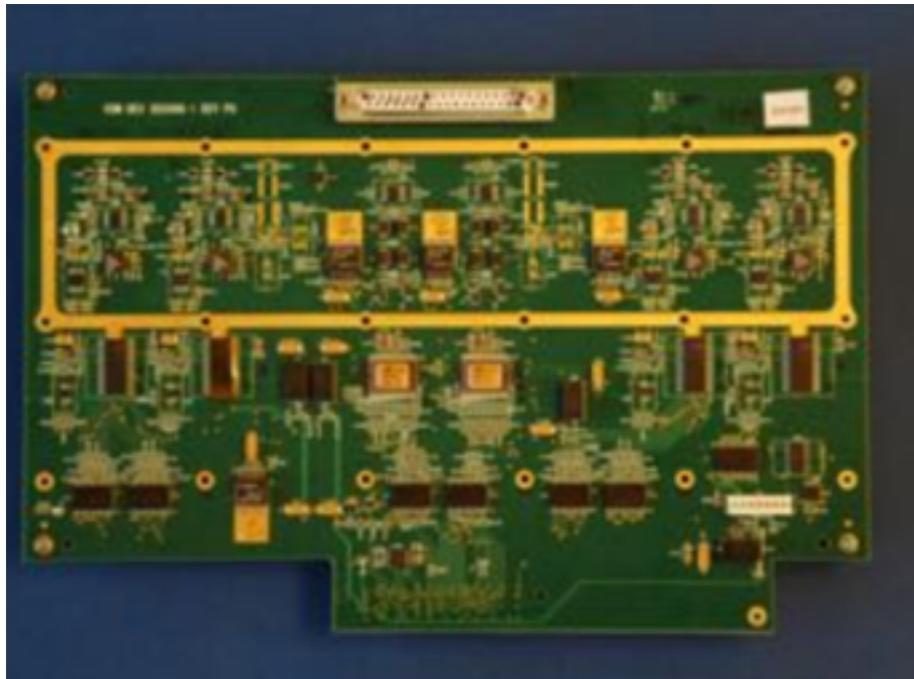
# Signal Processing Unit



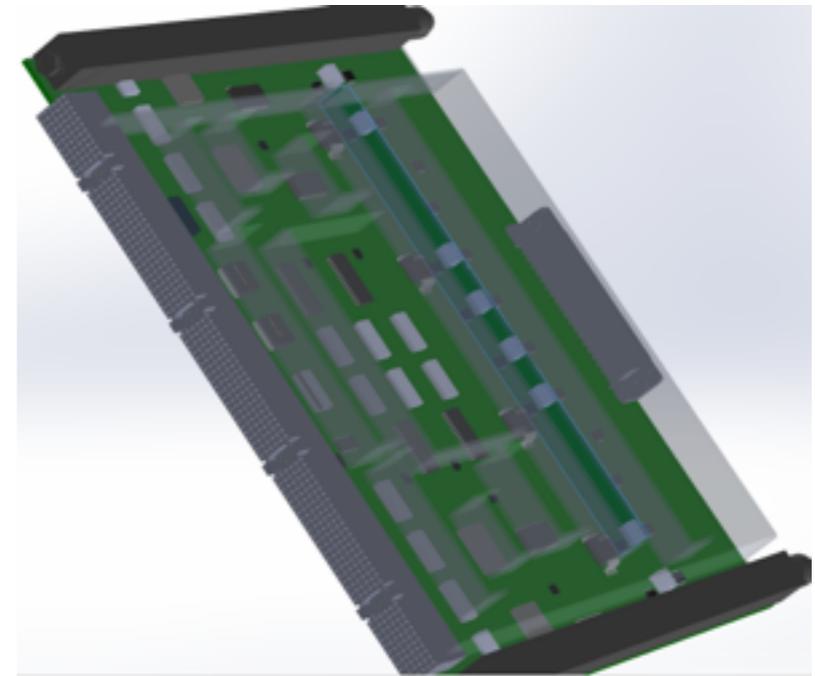
- 6U enclosure with backplane that includes
  - Signal Processing Assemblies (aka FPGA boards)
  - Digitizer Assemblies (DAC/ADC boards)
  - Power Conditioning assembly
  - Instrument controller (TBD)

# Digitizer Assembly

Mezzanine (2 channels)



Digitizer Assembly (4 channels)



- Update of Mezzanine board (TRL5)
  - 4 SQUID channel/board
  - 6U format with heat-sinking/shield
  - May include use of a lower power DAC
  - Update buffers to FPGA (cross-strapping)

# Signal Processing Assembly (aka FPGA board)

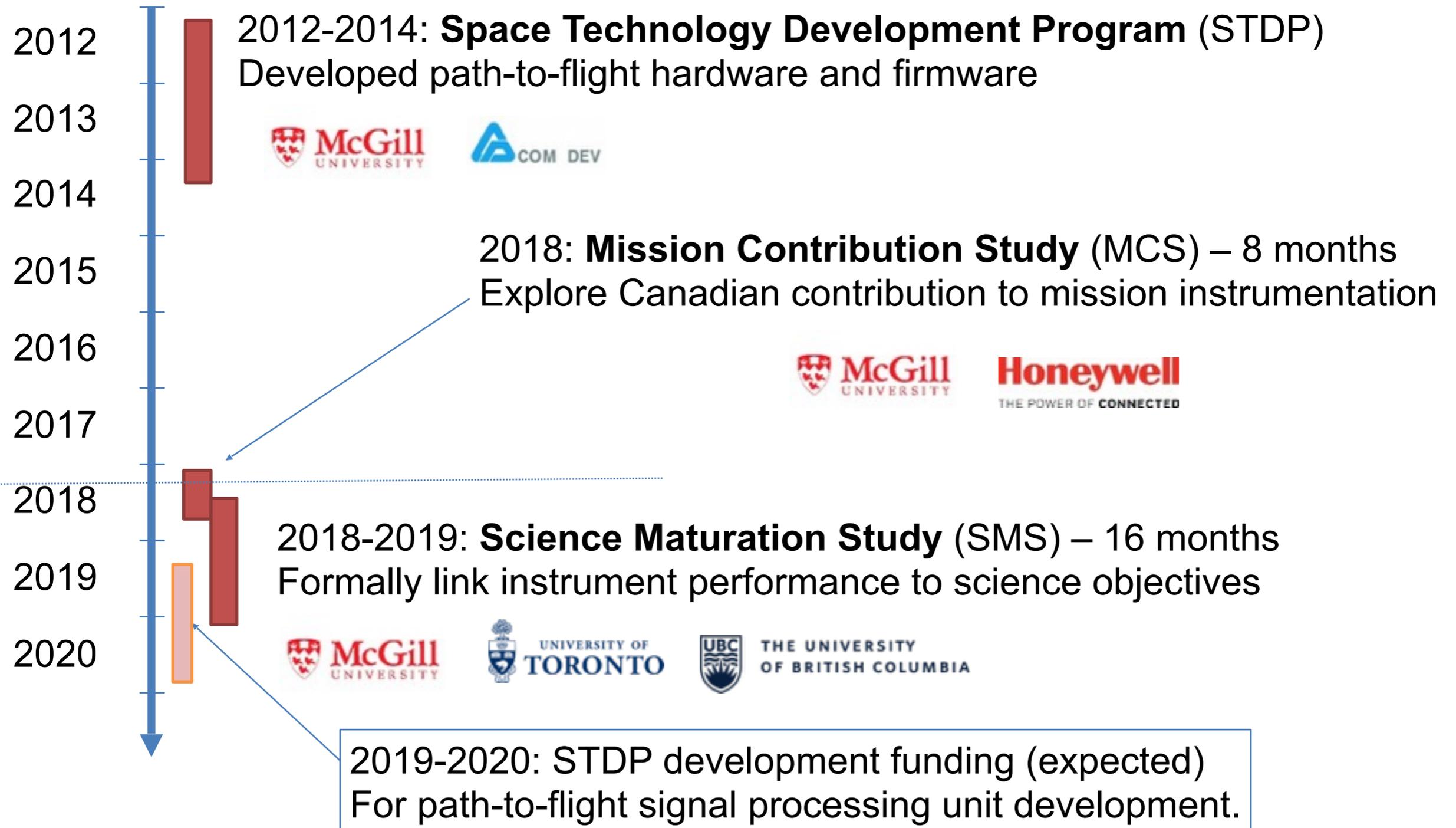
- Interfaces the Digitizer's ADC/DAC and processes/captures/compress the data
- 6U format
- Based on the Xilinx Kintex Ultrascale XQRKU060
  - Compatible with total integrated dose (TID) requirements
  - **Need to implement single-event upset (SEU) mitigation (1-2 events/hour) in firmware**
- Heat extraction is a challenge



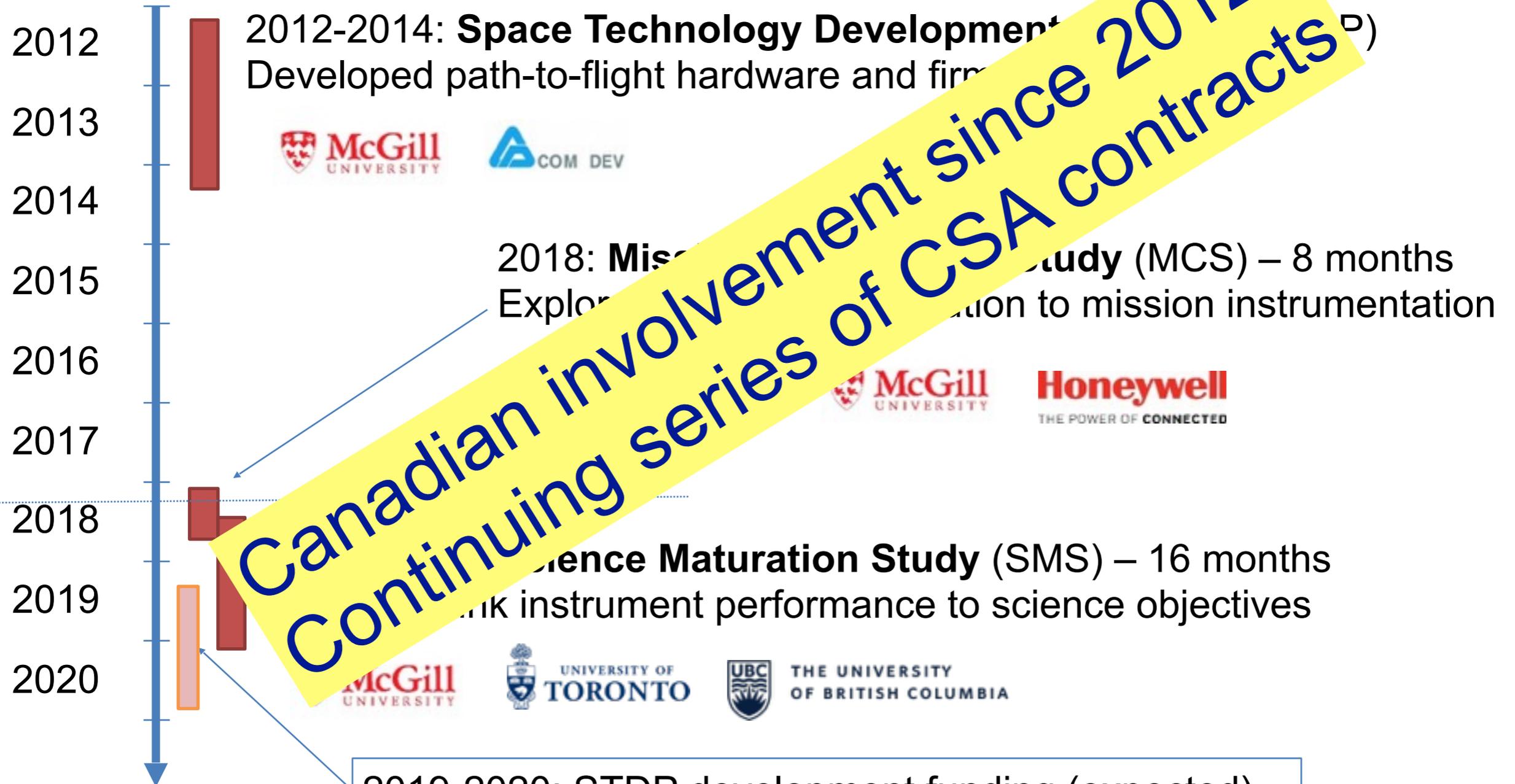
# Other Assemblies

- **Power Conditioning Assembly (PCA)**
  - Filters and protects the power
  - Generates low-voltage for the other Assemblies
- **Backplane Assembly**
  - Distributes power from PCA to other boards
  - Connects digitizers to FPGAs

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Canadian involvement since 2012  
Continuing series of CSA contracts

# Canadian LiteBIRD STUDY Team

## McGill University

- **Matt Dobbs** (faculty)
- Jean-Francois Cliche (Engineer)
- Graeme Smecher (Engineer)
- Joshua Montgomery (student)

## Honeywell Aerospace

*(industrial contractor)*

- Neil Rowlands (Project Scientist)
- + Project engineers

## University of Toronto

- **Renée Hložek** (faculty)
- **Dick Bond** (faculty)
- Simran Nerval (student)
- Victor Chan (student)

## University of British Columbia

- **Douglas Scott** (faculty)

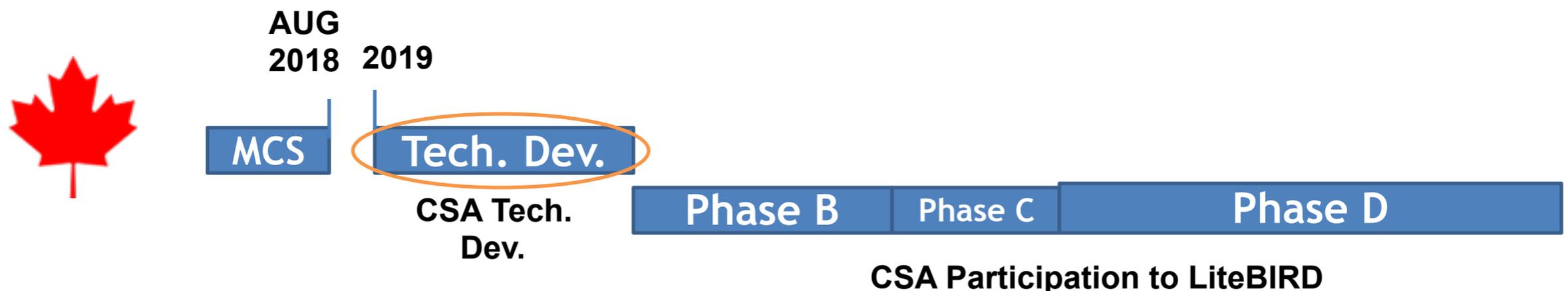
# Mission Studies

- Funded by the Canadian Space Agency (CSA)
- Lead: McGill University 
  - Key Engineers: J.-F. Cliche (PM) & Graeme Smecher
- Major Subcontractor 
  - Honeywell Aerospace
    - Formerly COM DEV Canada (JWST Canadian Contributor)
- Objectives:
  - Analyse requirements for bolometer warm readout system
  - Preliminary design and risk analysis
  - Measure and simulate performance of readout electronics
  - Assess science goals, requirements and capability in Canada
  - Relate noise and crosstalk to science data quality
  - Provide project lifecycle costing for Canadian LiteBIRD science
- Recently completed mission contribution study (MCS) and presently in midst of study to determine science outcomes and contributions (SMS)



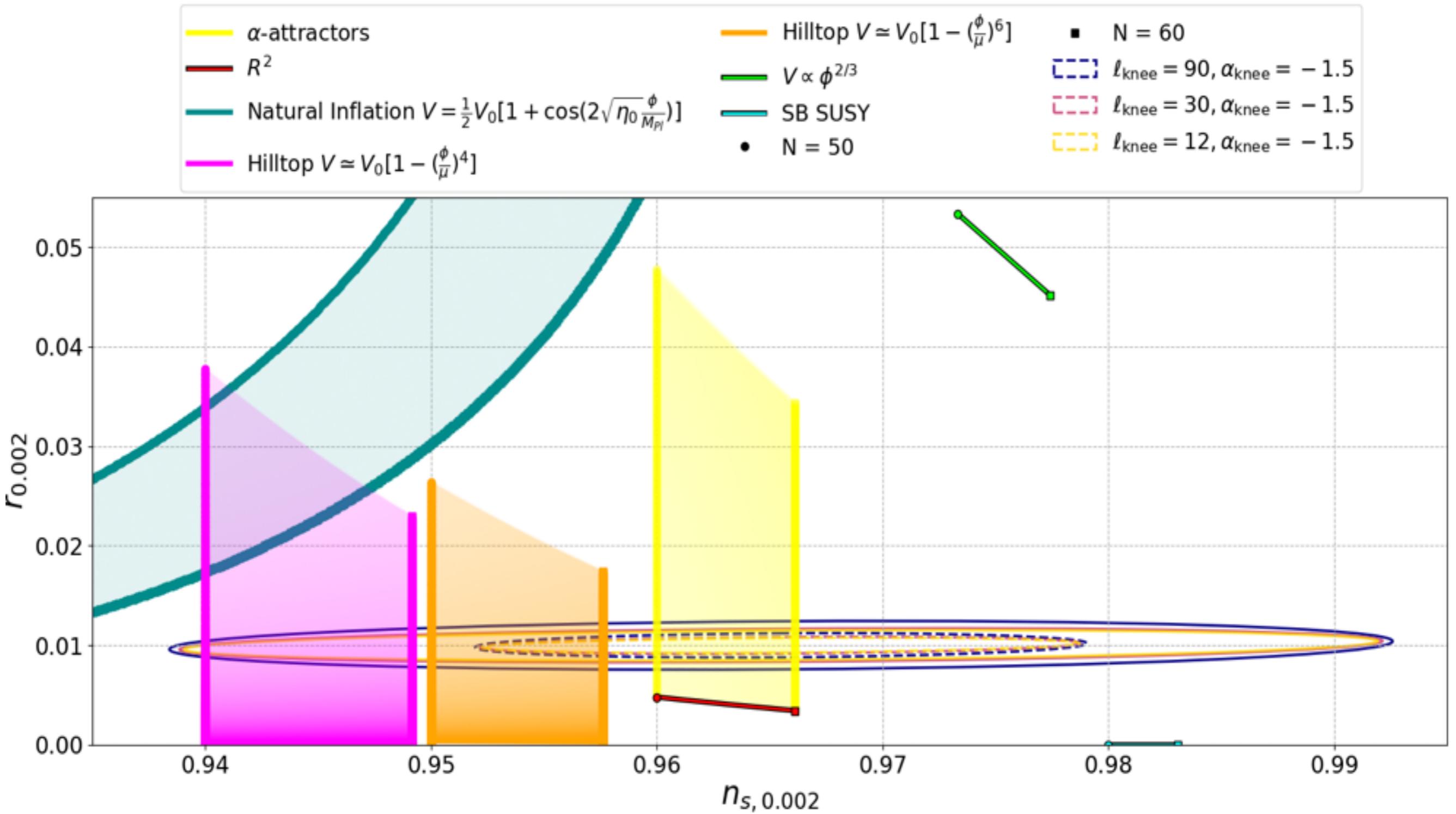
# Example Canadian Deliverable Timeline

- 2020/1: Demonstration precursor (TRL5)
  - limited number modules, flight performance.
  - COTS components on flight-like boards.
- 2021/2 Full Demonstration Model (TRL5)
  - Flight performance
  - COTS components on flight-like boards
- 2023 Engineering Model
- 2024 Flight Model



# Canadian LiteBIRD science investigations

Start by studying how cross-talk in the electronic systems will affect the systematic errors in our science measurement



How does the LiteBIRD noise model impact models of inflation?

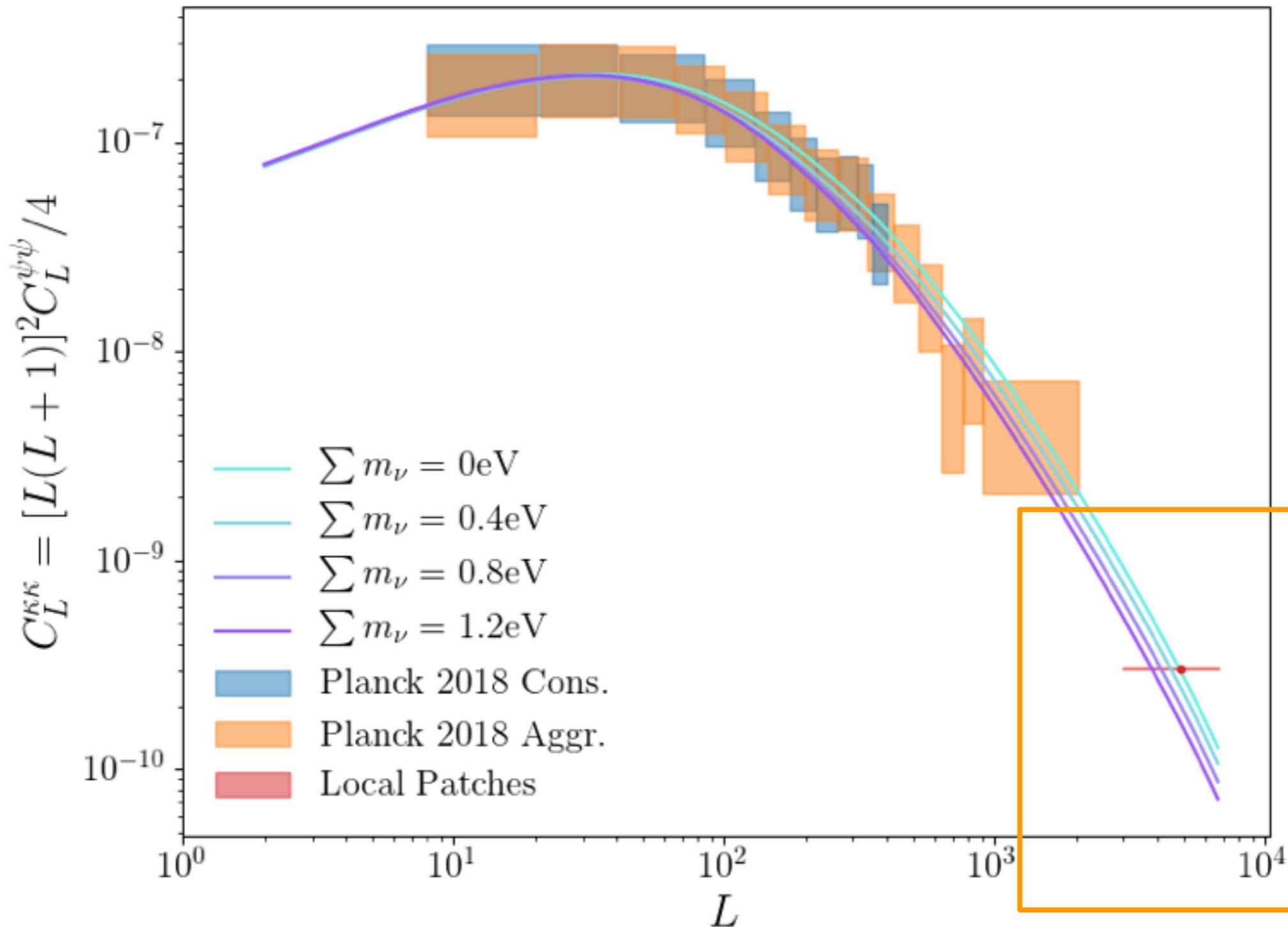
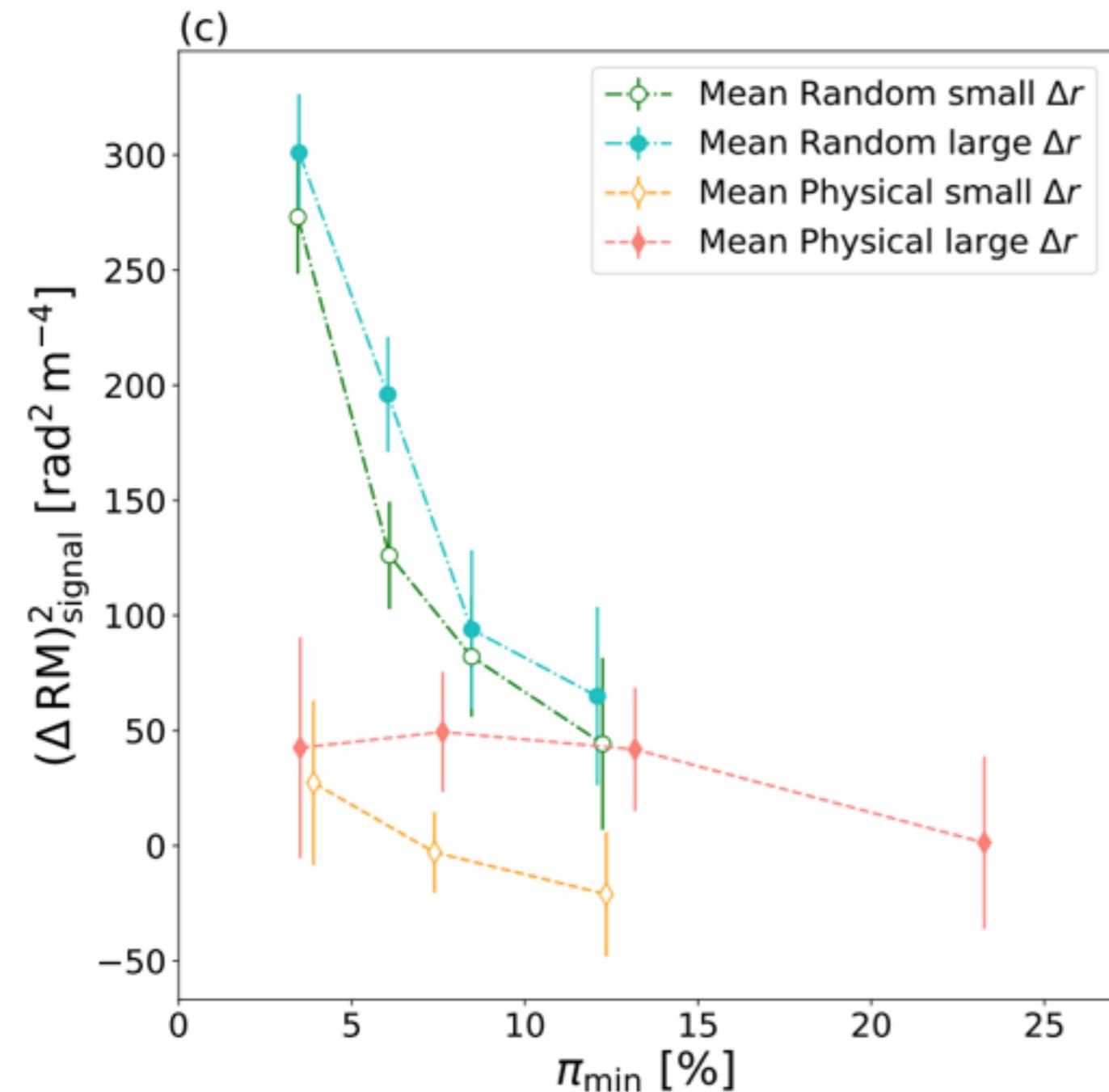


Image from Victor Chan

Can we use high-resolution small-scale measurements from e.g. Simons Observatory to estimate the lensing potential and delens the large scale  $B$ -modes from LiteBIRD?

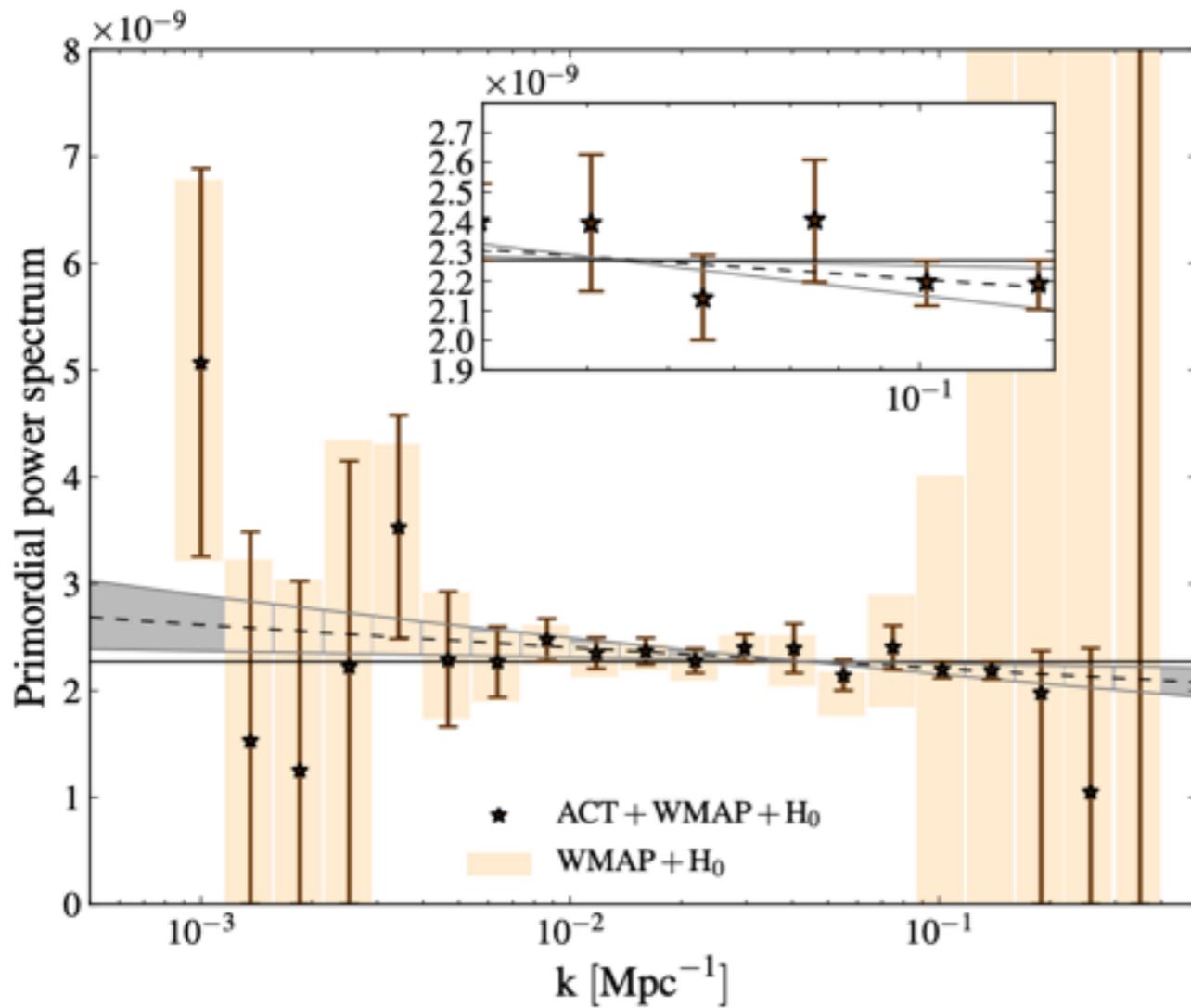


Vernstrom et al. 1905.02410

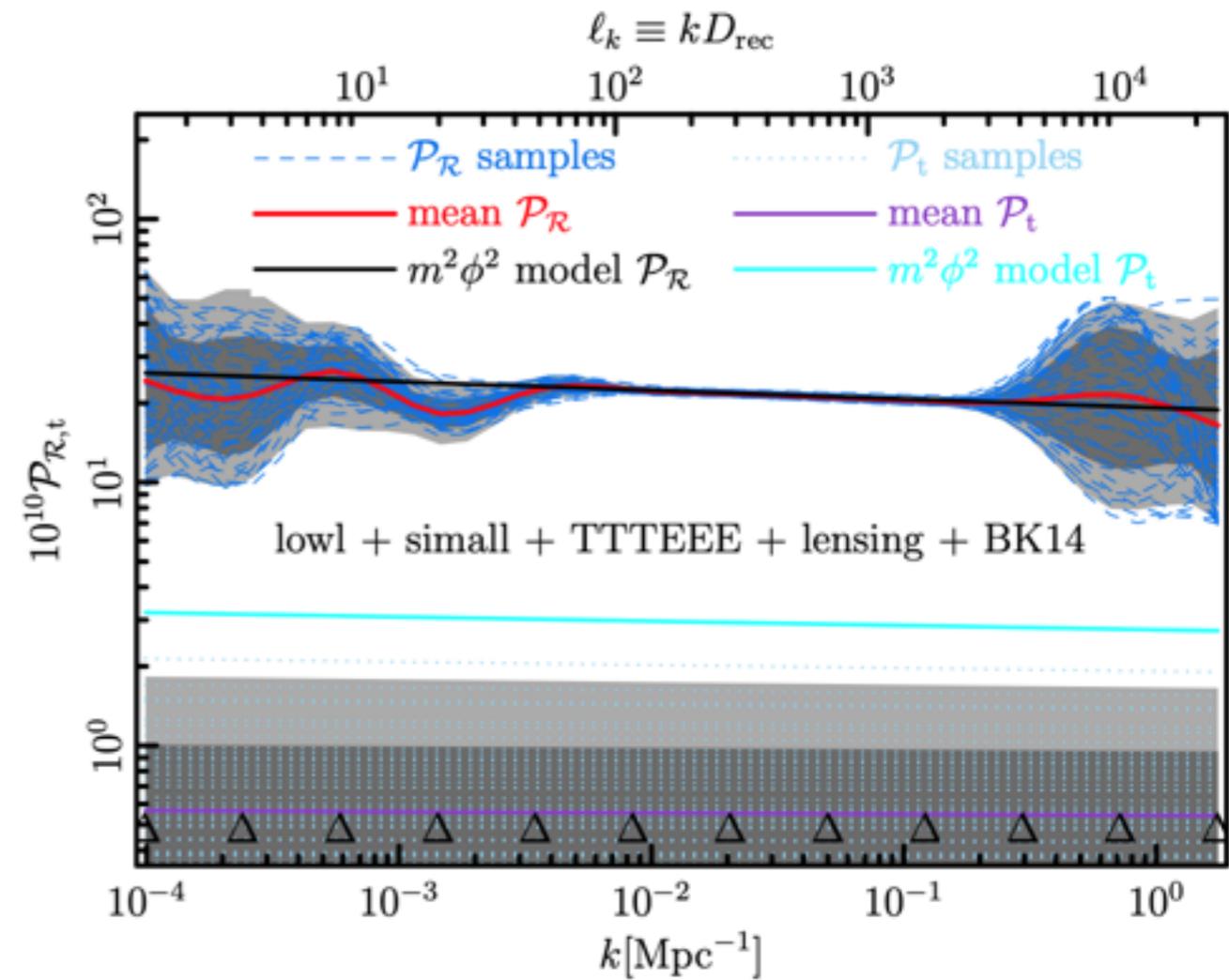


CHIME (Canadian Hydrogen Intensity Mapping Experiment)

Can we cross-correlate independent measurements of the polarisation fraction from radio maps with LiteBIRD to learn more about our own Galaxy?



Hlozek et al. 2012



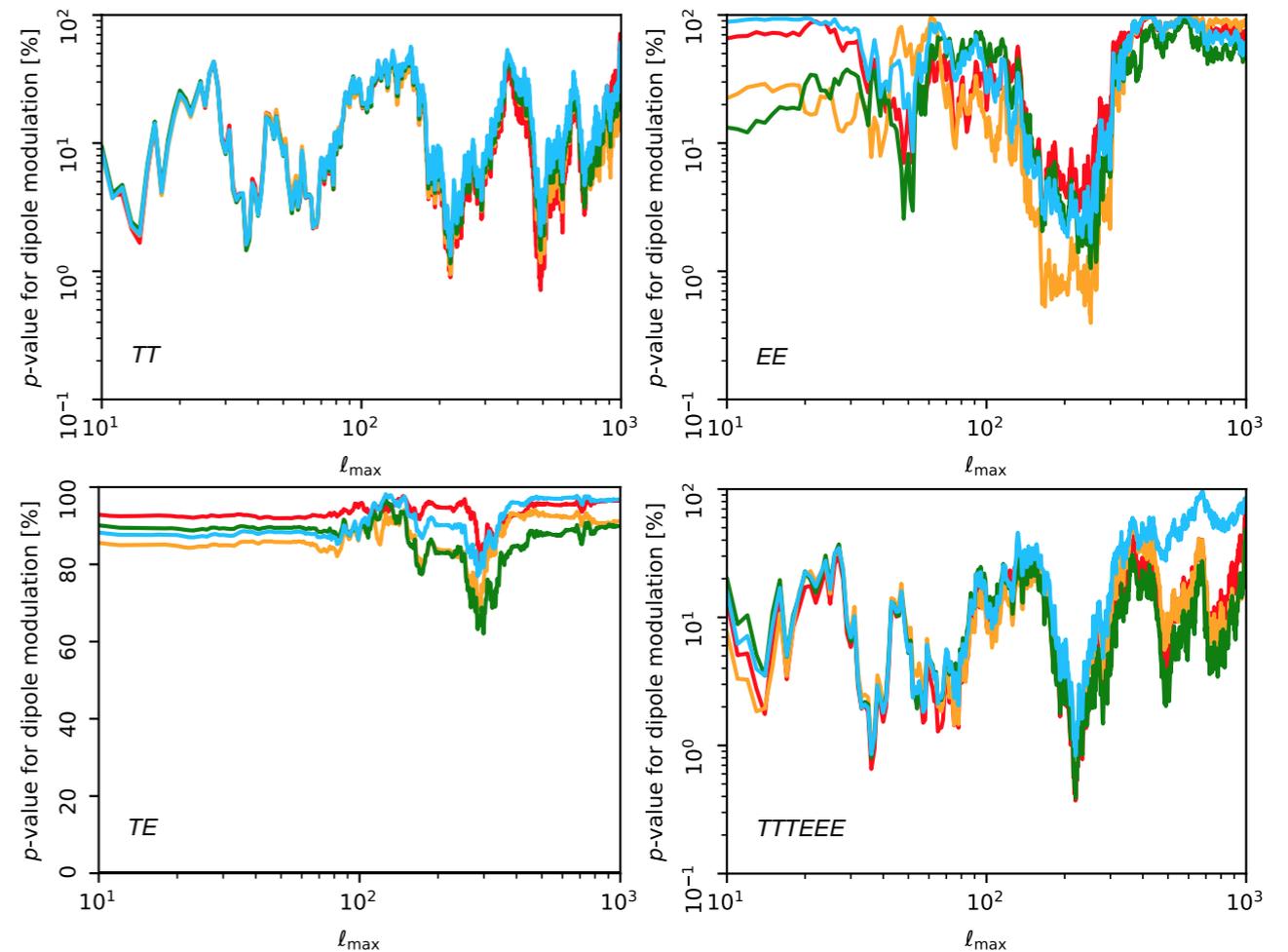
Planck 2018

With exquisite large-scale  $B$  modes, can we check for consistency of the power on large scales across the sky?

Can we reduce the uncertainty on the model-agnostic  $P(k)$  reconstruction on large scales?



Is the Universe lop-sided?  
(i.e. is there a significant  
hemispheric asymmetry?)



Planck 2018 Tests of dipole modulation  
of power, including polarization

Planck's polarization sensitivity was not high enough to  
effectively test large-scale power modulation

With LiteBIRD we should be able to test several large-  
scale curiosities in  $T$  data, with independent  $E$  data

# Canadian LiteBIRD contributions

- **Canadians have been members of almost all previous CMB experiments**
- **Canada brings expertise in several areas (multiplexed TES readout, data analysis, cosmological interpretation, Galactic astrophysics, ...)**
- **We are honoured and excited to be part of the next major step for CMB in space ...**

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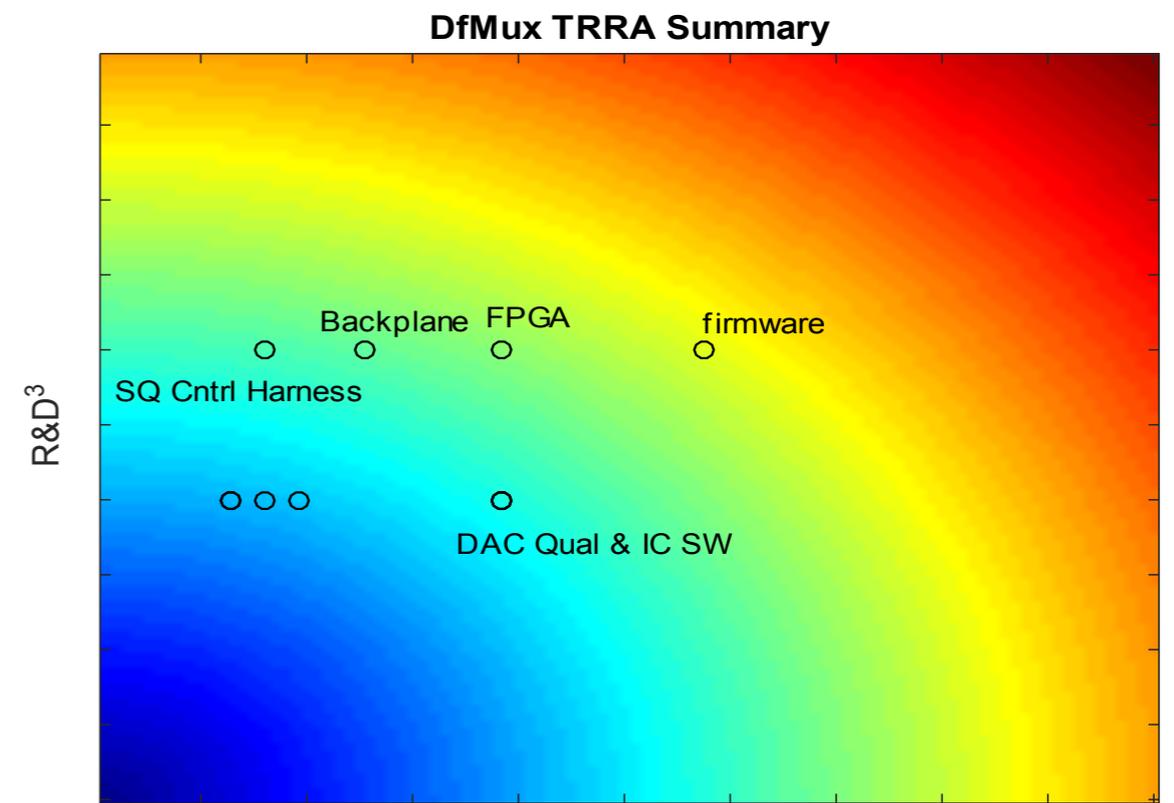


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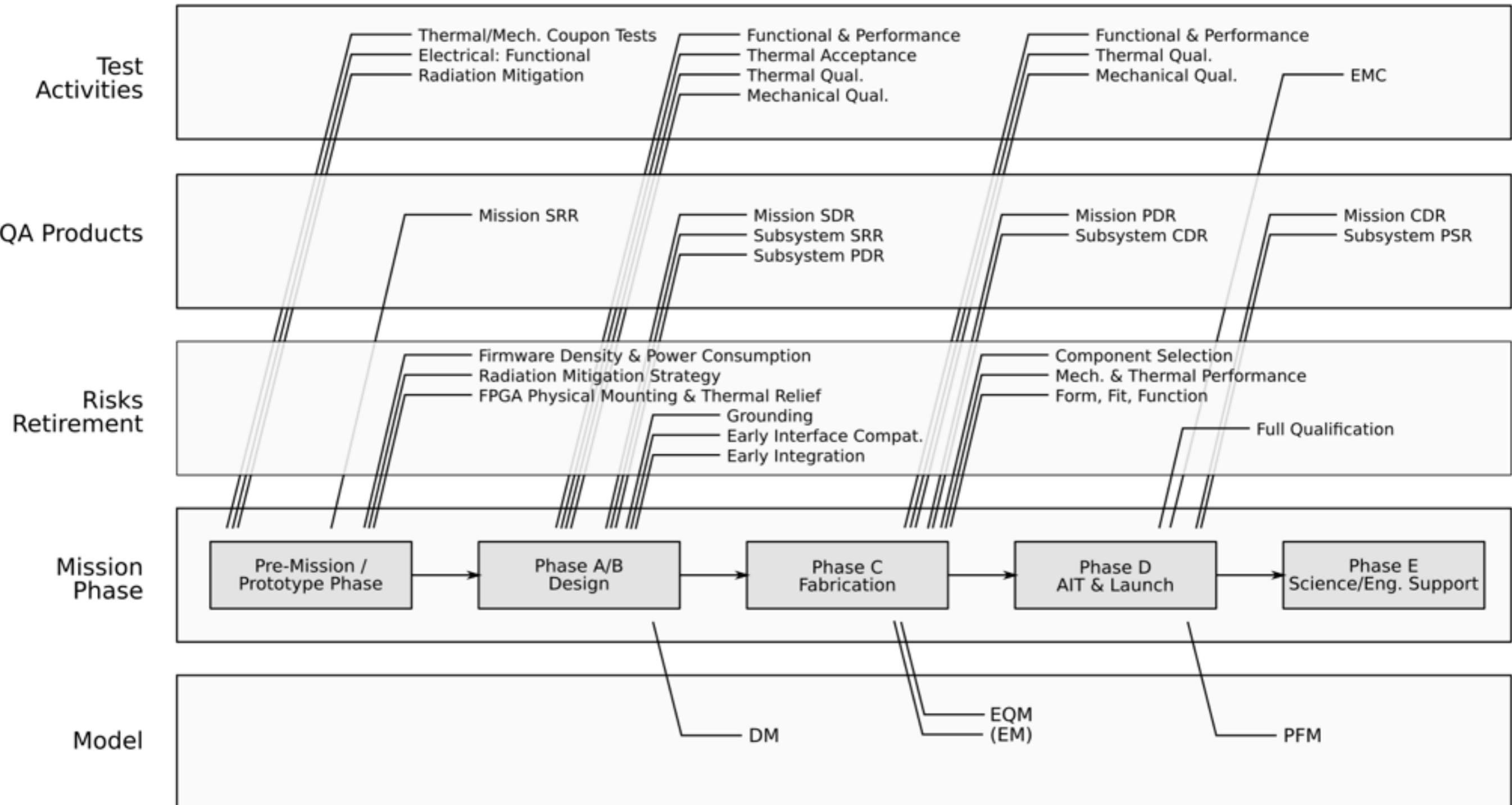
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TNV \* Delta TRL

TRRA Product Structure Element		TRRA Results									Next Steps		
PBSID	Product Breakdown Structure Name	CIE	TRL			R&D3 Uncertainty	TNV Value	TNV Weighting	TNV*DTRL	Risk	Proposed Development Activities		
			Previous TRL	Current TRL	Target TRL						Current Activity	TRL Target for Next Activity	Technology Demonstration
1	HFT & LFT Equipment												
1.1	SQUID Controller Unit	N	5	5	6	0.4	5	1.20	0.192	0.44		repeat TRL 5	prototype
1.2	Signal Processing Unit												
1.2.1	Enclosure	N	8	4	6	0.4	1	0.40	0.128	0.42		assist TRL 5	prototype
1.2.2	Digitizer Assembly												
1.2.2.1	Analog to Digital Converter	N		5	6	0.4	4	1.00	0.16	0.43		repeat TRL 5	prototype
1.2.2.2	Digital to Analog Converter	N		4	6	0.4	5	1.20	0.384	0.55		component qual?	EM
1.2.3	Backplane Assembly	Y		4	6	0.6	3	0.80	0.256	0.65		TRL5	prototype
1.2.4	Signal Processing Assembly												
1.2.4.1	Primary FPGA	Y		4	6	0.6	5	1.20	0.384	0.71		TRL4	prototype
1.2.4.2	Signal Processing Firmware	Y		3	6	0.6	5	1.20	0.576	0.83		TRL4	prototype
1.2.4.3	Supervisory FPGA & Firmware	N		6	6	0.4	2	0.60	0	0.40		TRL6	EM/EQM
1.2.5	Instrument Controller Assembly												
2.2.2.1	CPU	N		6	6	0.4	2	0.60	0	0.40			
2.2.2.2	Boot Loader Software	N		6	6	0.4	2	0.60	0	0.40			
2.2.2.3	Application Software	Y		3	6	0.4	3	0.80	0.384	0.55		TRL4	DM
2.2.2.3	Operating System Software	N		6	6	0.4	2	0.60	0	0.40			
1.2.6	Power Conditioning Assembly	N		3	6	0.4	3	0.80	0.384	0.55		TRL4	EM
1.3	SQUID Controller Harness	Y		5	6	0.6	4	1.00	0.16	0.62			prototype
1.4	Digitizer Harness	N		4	6	0.4	1	0.40	0.128	0.42		TRL6	EM/EQM

# Development Approach



# Summary

- Mission Contribution Study and Costing complete.
  - Need to investigate cost reduction scenario in parallel with international efforts.
    - Most of cost is in large number of models (pre-DM, DM, EM, FM).
- Technology development for pre-DM going forward this spring.
  - no near-term slow-down
- Mission status decision planned for 2020/2021.
  - Close contact between JAXA/ESA/NASA and CSA essential.