

A detailed 3D CAD model of the front end of the HIRES instrument. The model shows a complex assembly of components, including a large, light blue spherical structure in the background, a central brown rectangular component, and a large white rectangular plate with a perforated surface. The entire assembly is supported by a yellow and green truss structure. The text is overlaid on the top left of the image.

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The Front End

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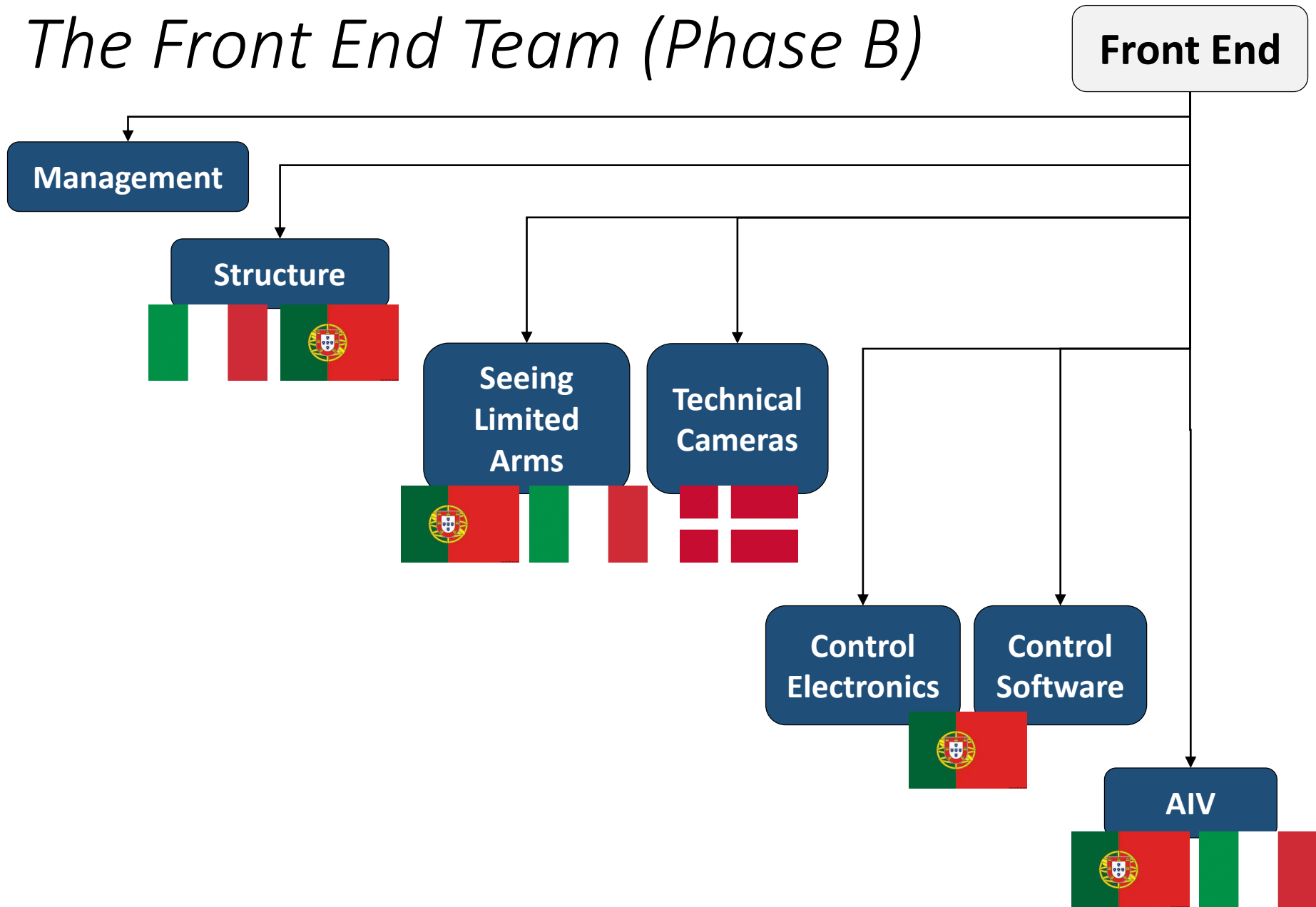
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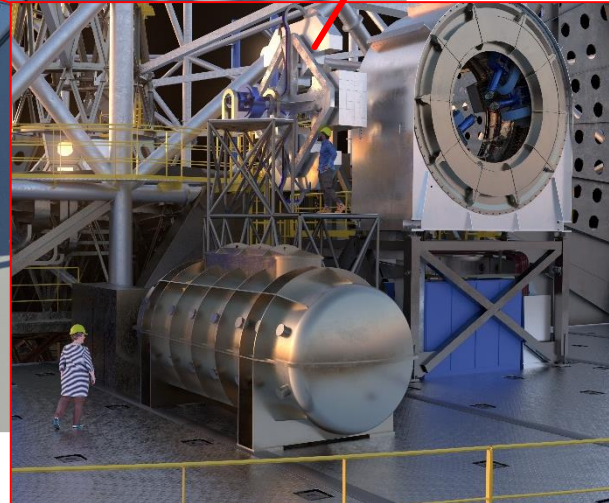
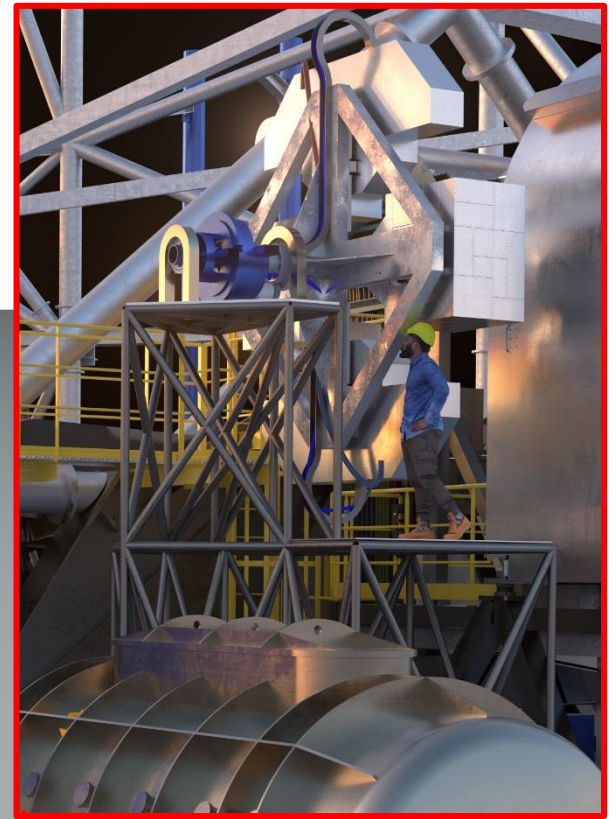
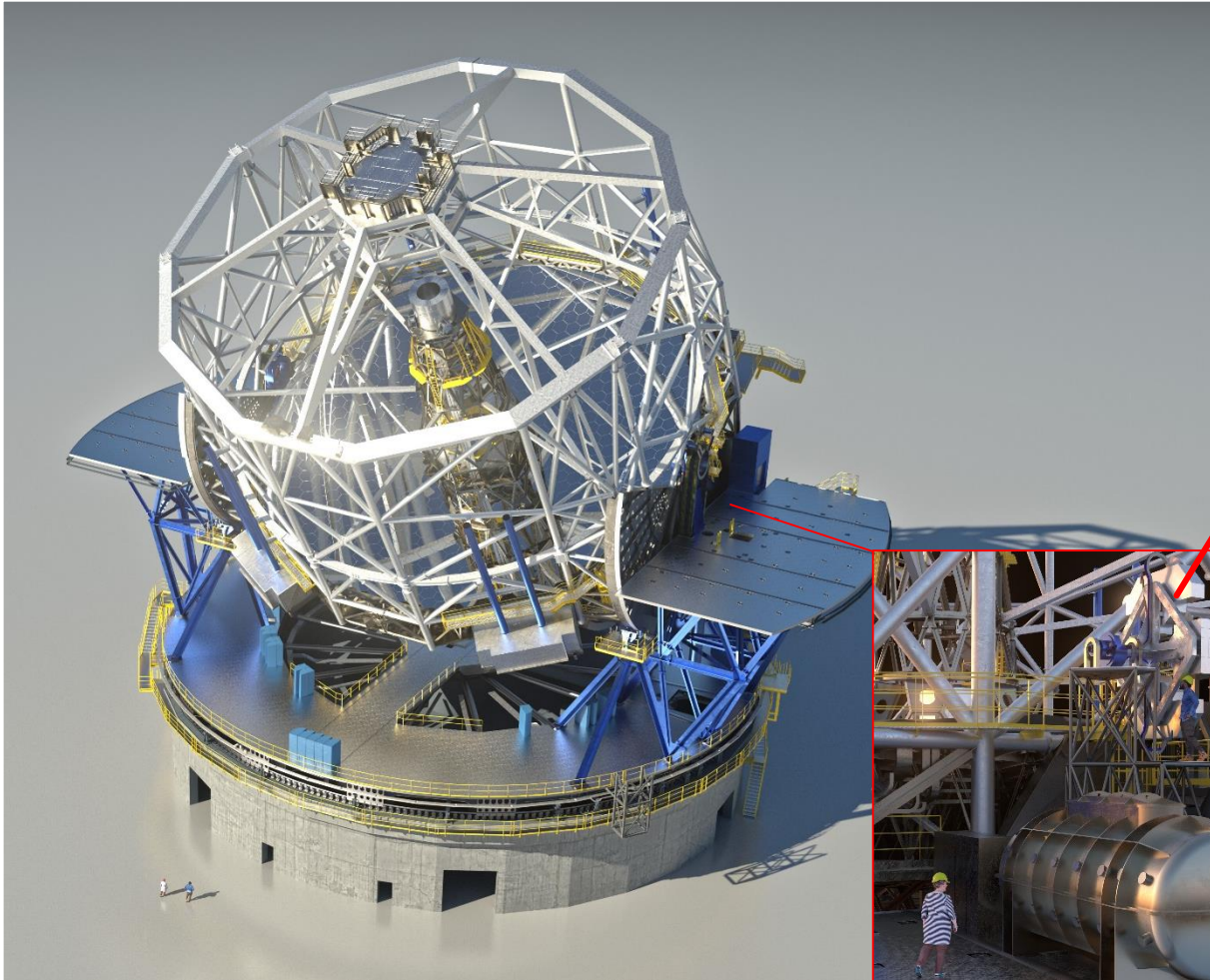
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The (Phase A) Front End

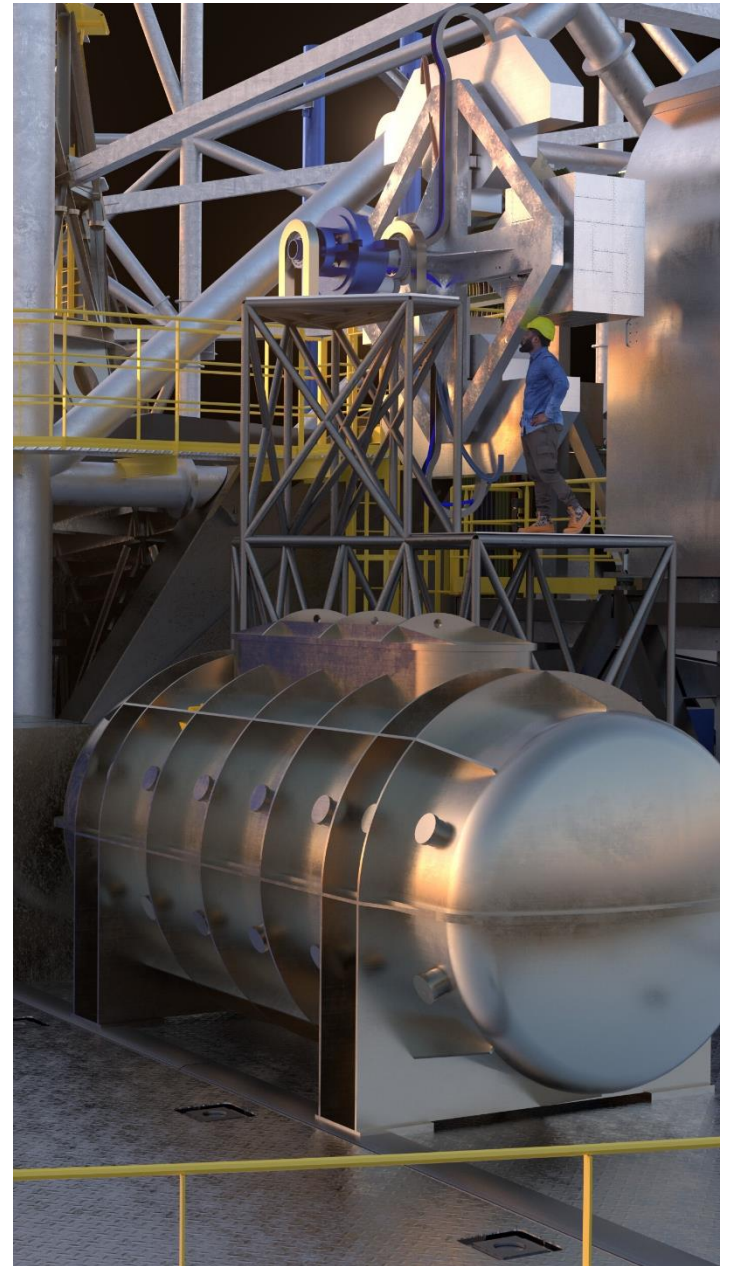


The (Phase A) Front End

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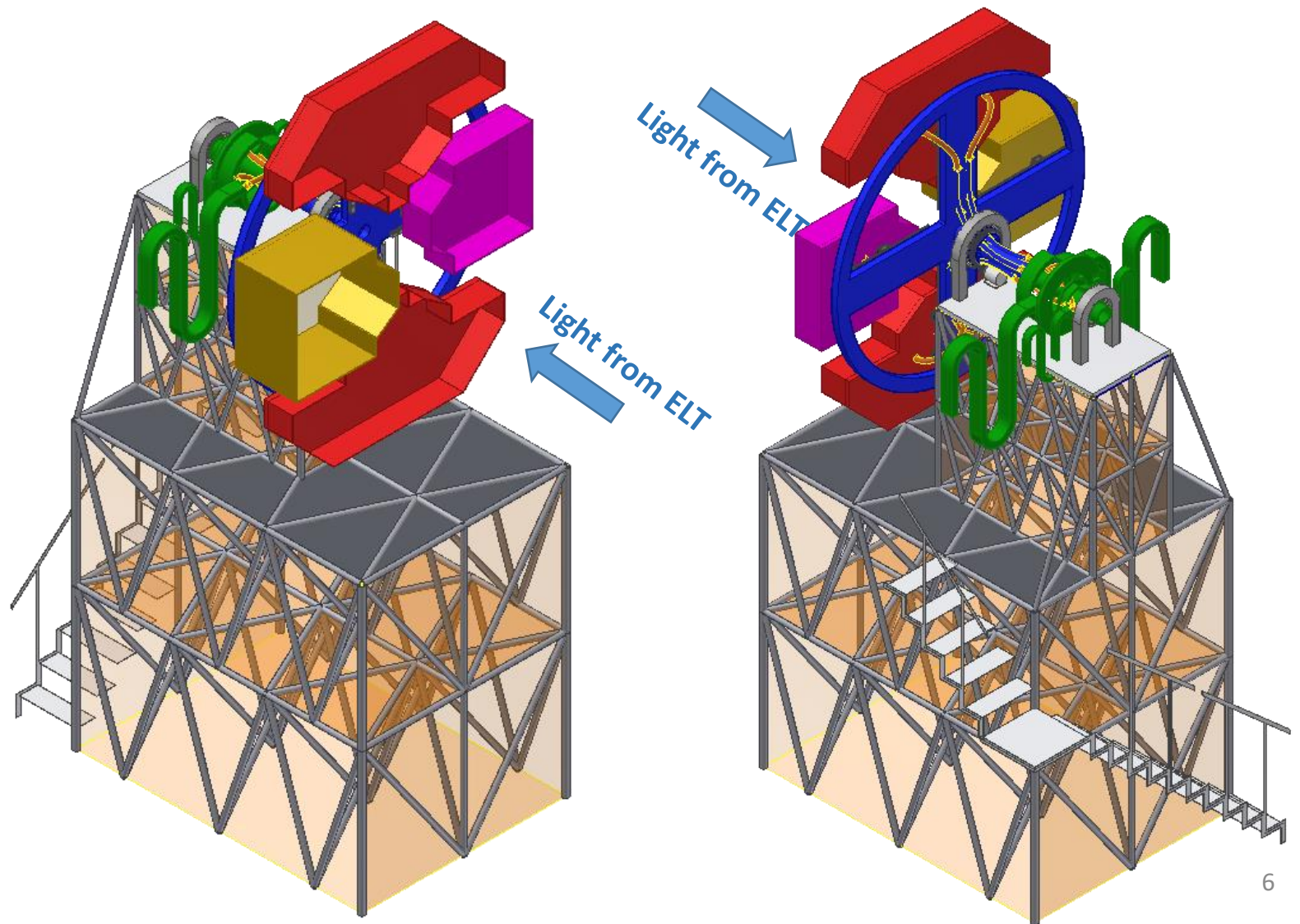
Front End composed by a structure, a cable derotator and four benches:

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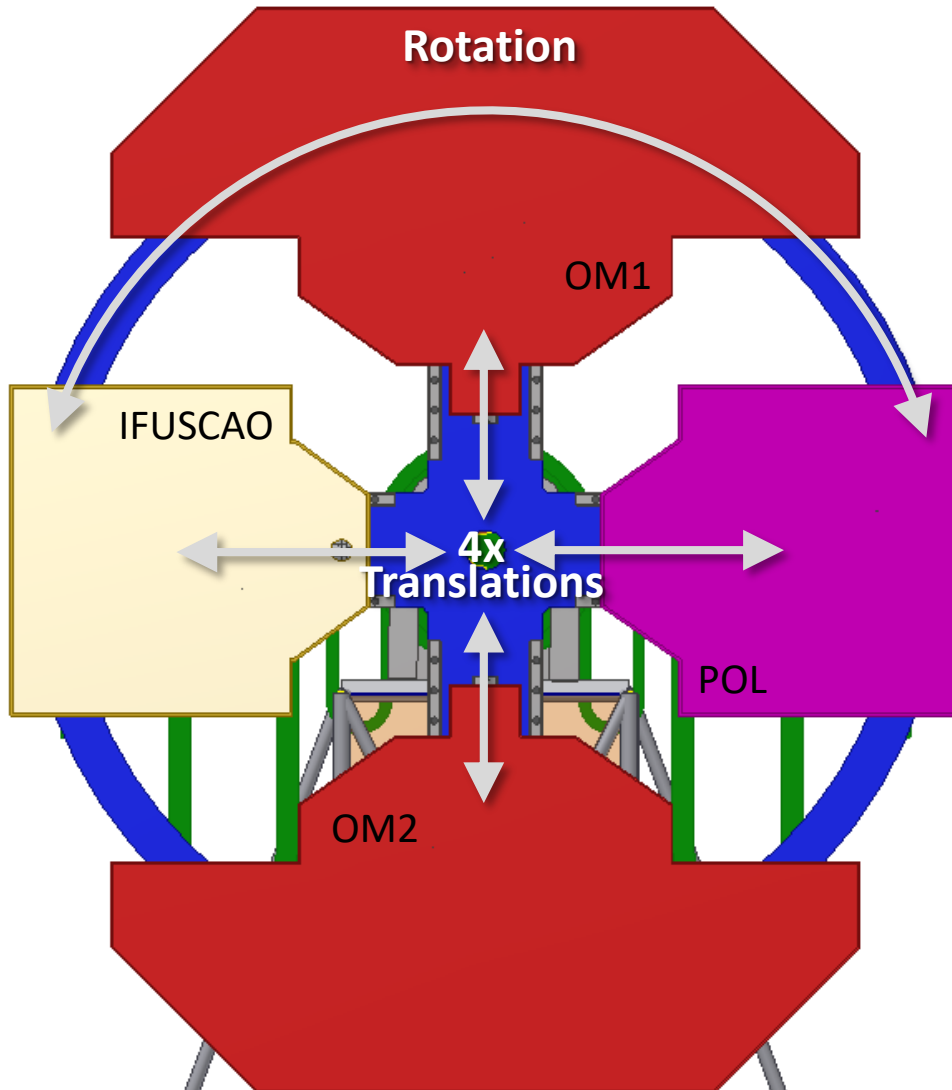
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Structure (fixed and rotating parts)

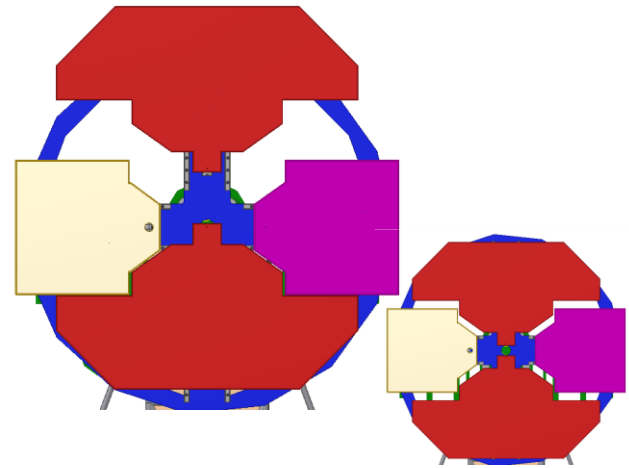


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Arms management

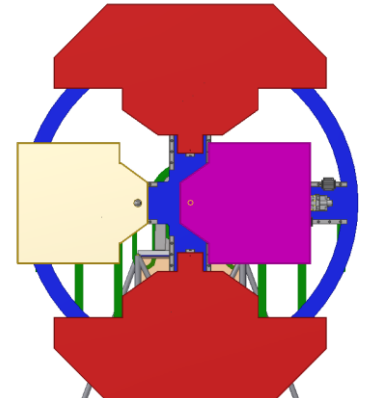
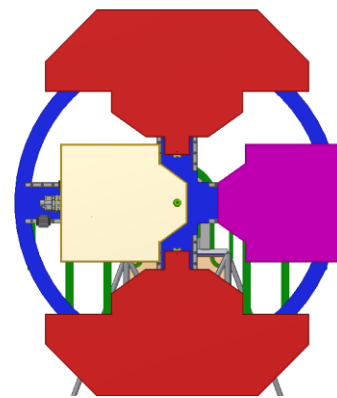


Observation Modes Arms



IFU/SCAO Arm

Polarimetric Arm

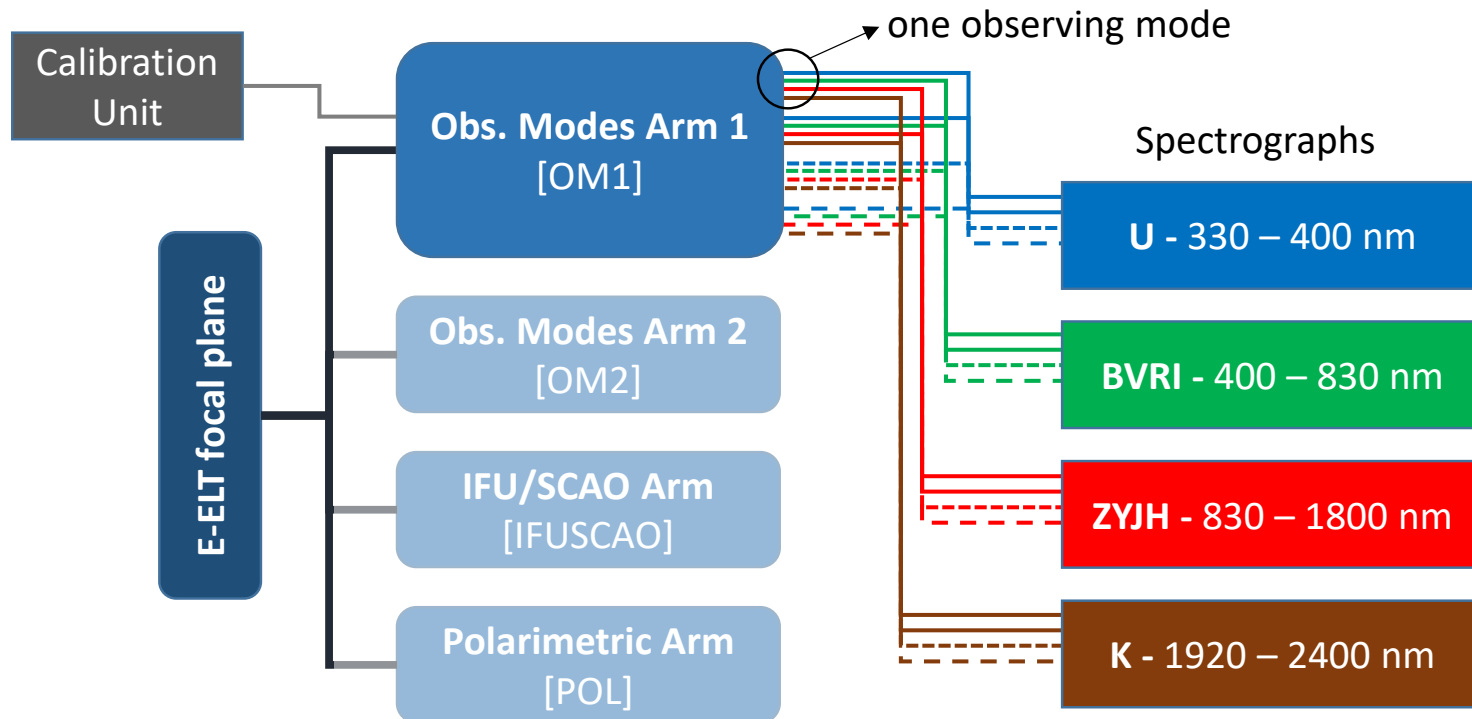


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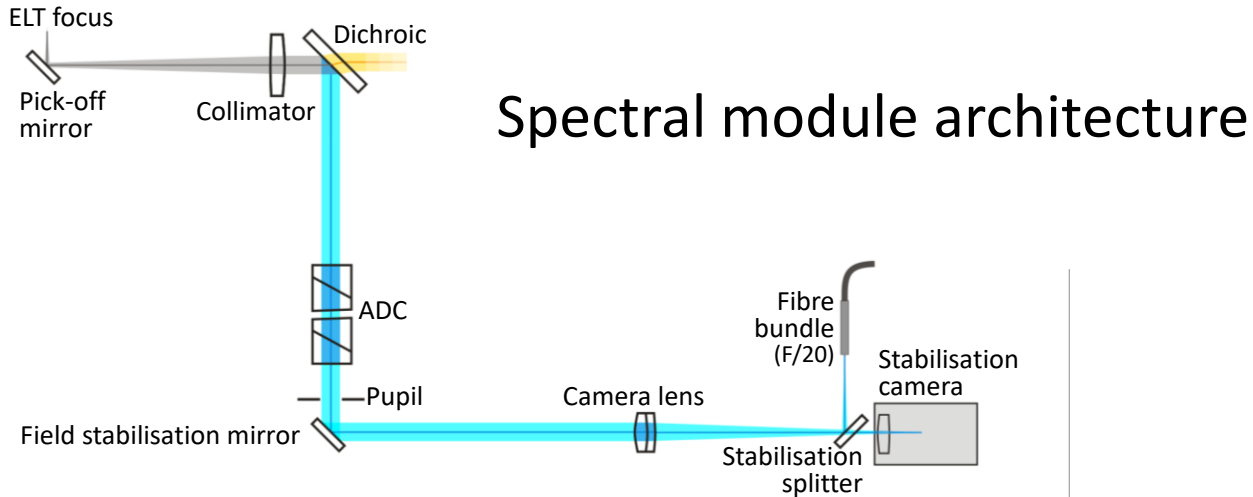
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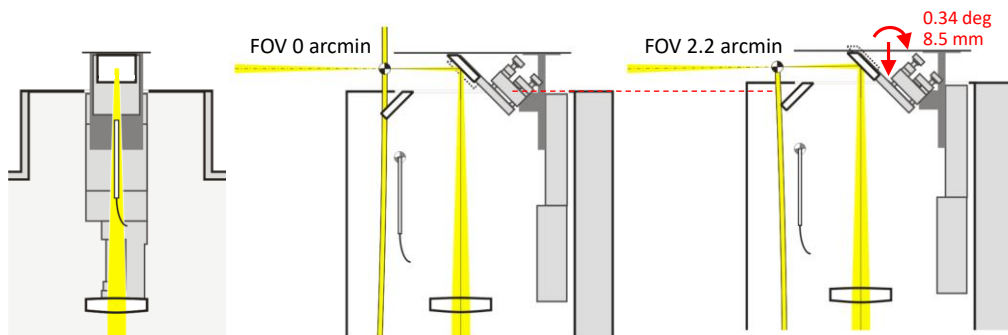


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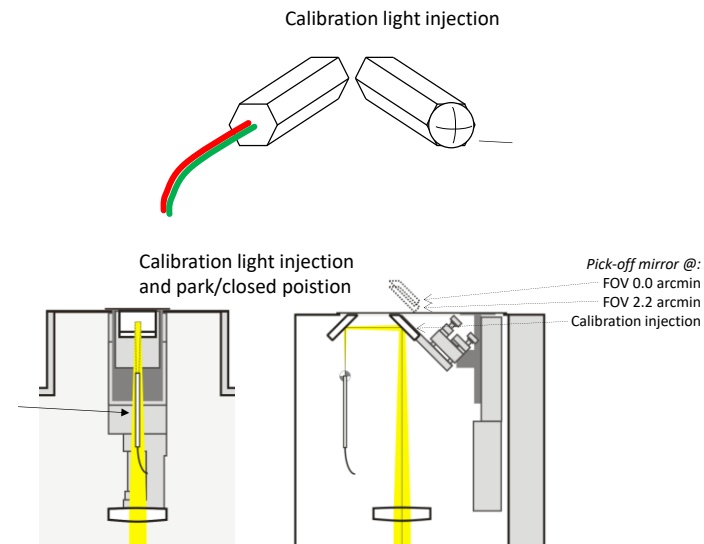
Observation (seeing limited) Arms



field curvature compensation



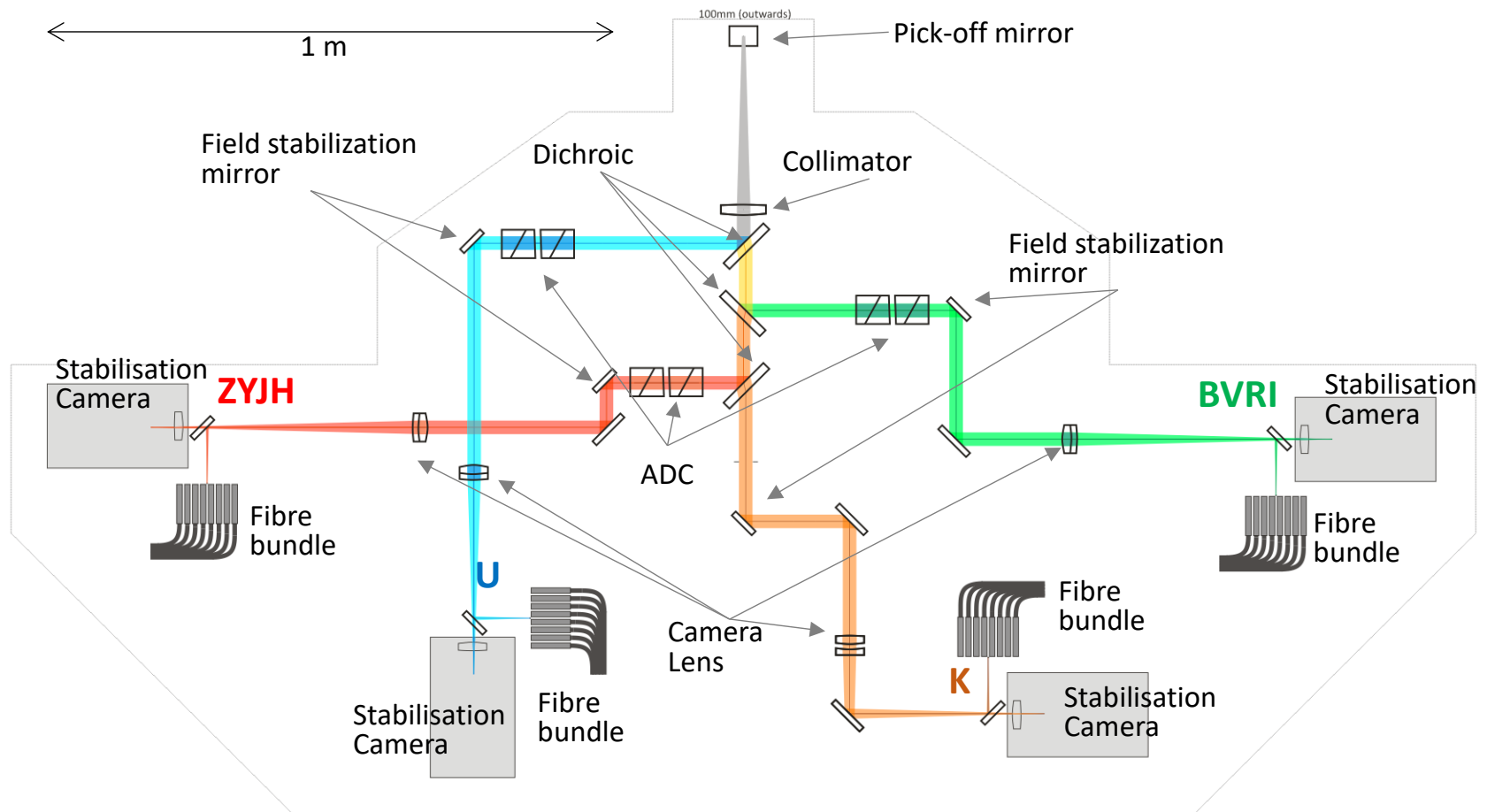
calibration injection



The (Phase A) Front End

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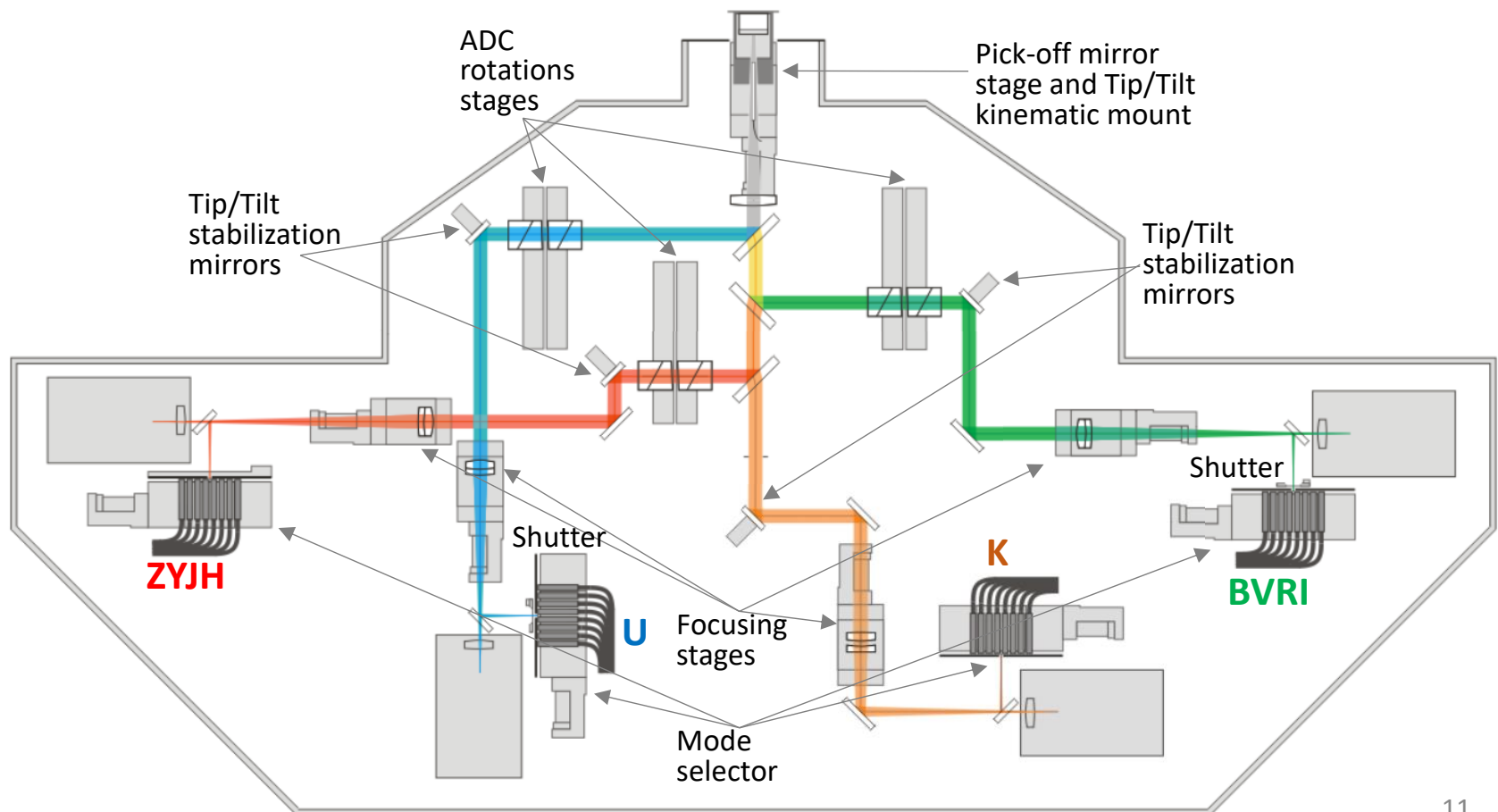
Optical Design



The (Phase A) Front End

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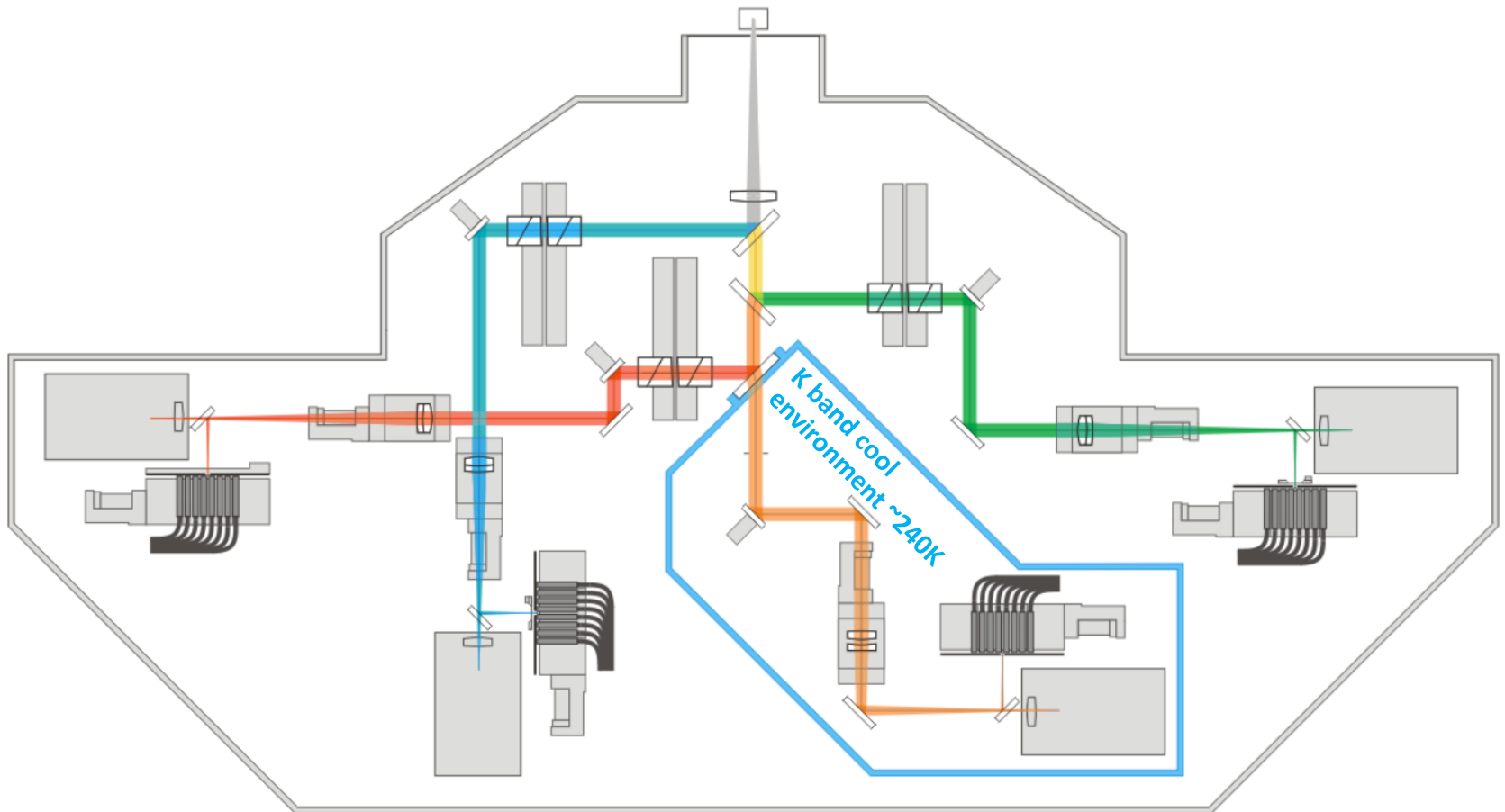
Mechanical Design



The (Phase A) Front End

Observation (seeing limited) Arms

Mechanical Design



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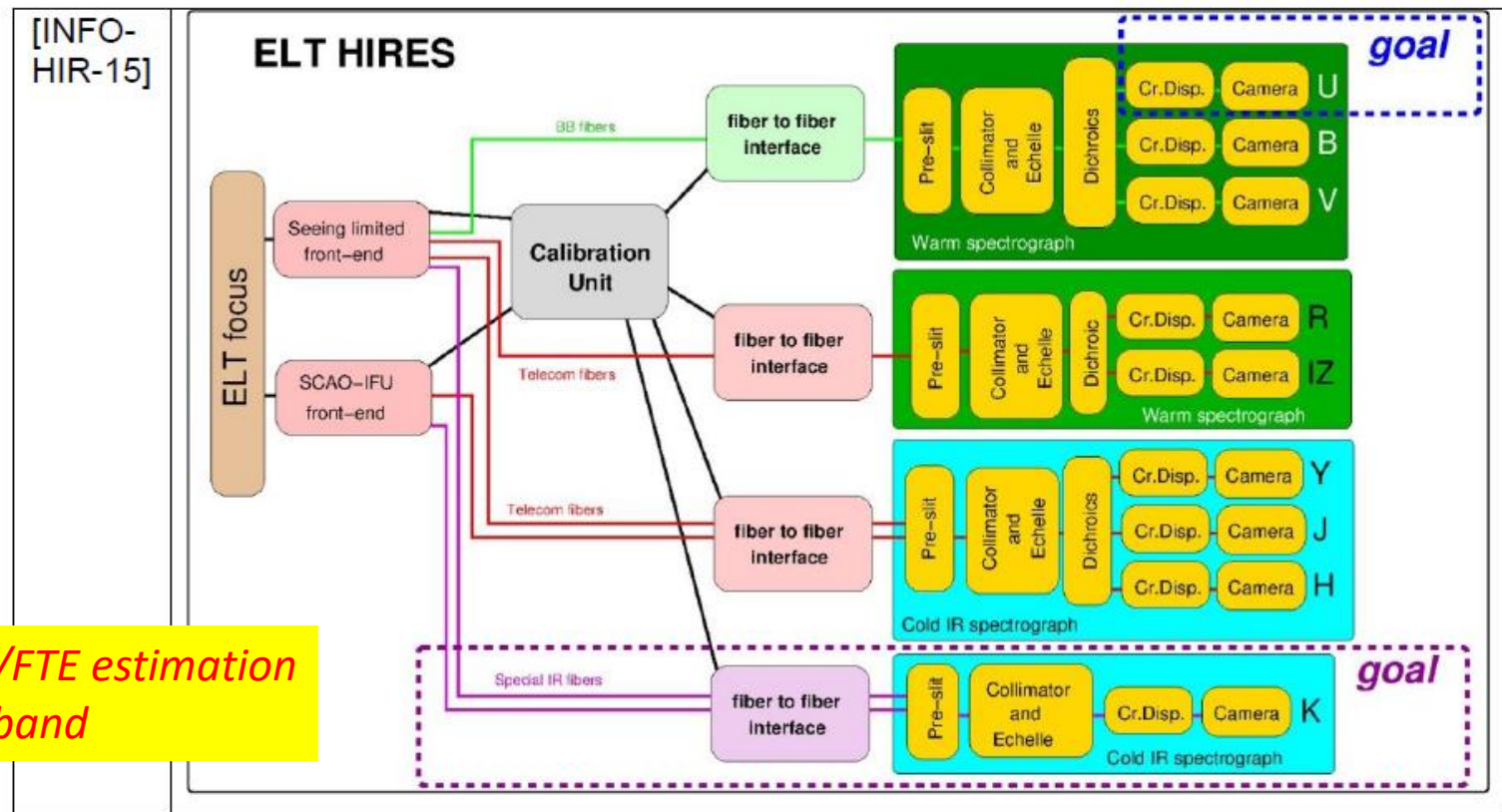
Mechanisms

Mechanisms	2	22	13	8	8	2	4	
HIRES Front End	Kinematic mount (2DoF)	Linear Stage	Rotary stage	Piezo (2DoF)	Technical 2D sensor	TEC	Shutter	
Fixed main structure			1					
Main Rotor		4						
2x Observation mode arm								
Field Curvature compensation	2	2						
2x 4 Front End Modules		<i>Focusing</i>	<i>Mode selection</i>	<i>ADC</i>	<i>Stabilisation Tip/Tilt Mirror</i>	<i>Stabilisation camera</i>	<i>Cold mirror</i>	<i>Shutter</i>
U band Module		2	2	4	2	2	2	
BVRI bands Module		2	2	4	2	2	2	
ZYJH bands Module		2	2	4	2	2	2	
K band Module		2	2		2	2		

Front End Required Inputs for Phase B

What type of K Band implementation?

- phase A like \Rightarrow High cost and complexity
- phase A without components (upgradable) \Rightarrow Small cost saving same complexity
- Only on SCAO/IFU arm \Rightarrow Current solution (?)
- On independent ARM (prev. polarimetric) \Rightarrow Makes it a modular approach



Front End Required Inputs for Phase B

- **What are the different Spectrographs spectral bands?**
 - Dichroics and efficiency at band split
 - Possible use on non-science spectral parts for secondary guiding injection

[INFO-HIR-15]

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<p>[R-HIR-34] D/A/-/T</p>	<p>Transmission (TLR-A.8 & TLR-A.21) The instrument shall have an average transmission $>7\%$ <u>with a global minimum $>4\%$</u> (goal: $>5\%$) at wavelengths longer than 400nm (goal: at wavelengths longer than 350nm). The transmission includes the detector quantum efficiency but excludes slit losses due to seeing. <i>Note: For PAC, the transmission measurement on sky shall be corrected for the calculated seeing-related slit losses.</i></p>
	<p>5.2.1 Seeing-limited mode requirements</p>
<p>[R-HIR-40] D/A/-/T</p>	<p>Spectral Wavelength Coverage (TLR-A.3, TLR-A.11 & TLR-A.19) The instrument in seeing-limited mode shall provide a simultaneous spectral coverage from 400 nm to 1800 nm (goal: 350 nm to 2400 nm). <u>Only one gap, less than 100 nm, centered between 1360 nm and 1410 nm shall be tolerated.</u></p>



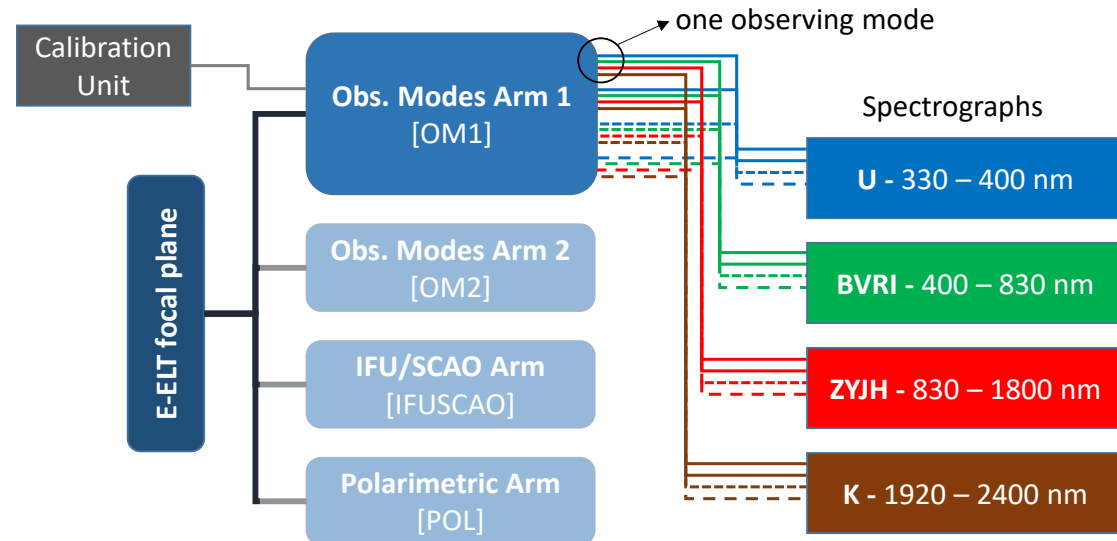
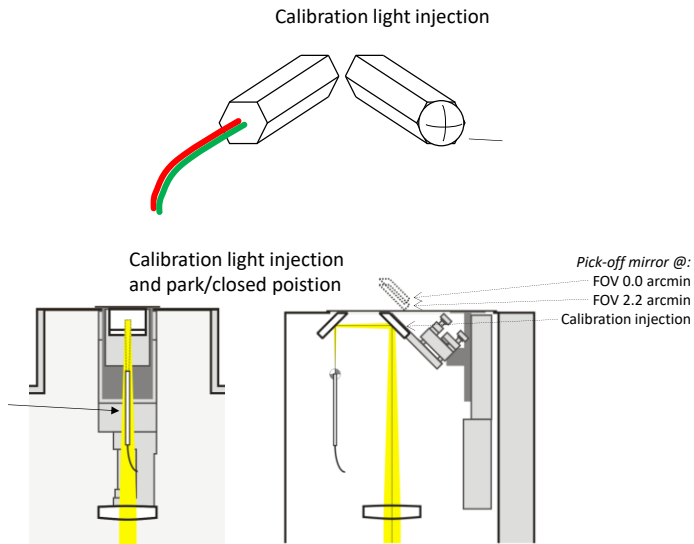
goal

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Front End Required Inputs for Phase B

- **What is the expected F/# for the Front-End / Fiber-Link interface?**
- **What are number/type of observing modes in each seeing limited arm?**
- **Shall we maintain the Phase A interface concept with the Calib. Unit?**

calibration injection



Front End Required Inputs for Phase B

- **Are the Patrol field and min separation goals fundamental for the science?**
 - Patrol field goal of 5 arcmin impacts considerably the size of the FE
 - Minimum separation below 15 arcsec are hard to implement due arms collision avoidance

	5.1.1 Requirements for the focal plane
[R-HIR-28] D/A/-T	Patrol field The Instrument Field-of-View (area on sky) in seeing-limited mode shall allow picking-up two targets with a separation of up to 2 arcmin (goal: 5 arcmin) and recording their spectra simultaneously.
[R-HIR-29] D/A/-T	Minimum separation The minimum separation between two objects, which can be fed into the two fiber channels, shall be 15 arcsec (goal: 10 arcsec)
[R-HIR-30] D/A/-T	Secondary guiding HIRES shall stabilize the de-rotation and centering. The instrument shall allow tracking the object(s) with the pick-off arm(s). The tracking error shall be lower than 50mas rms in the seeing limited mode and lower than 2mas rms in the IFU mode over a timescale of 1hour.

Front End Required Inputs for Phase B

- **What is the altitude range for the instrument required by the science?
Do we need to go as low as 20 deg?**
- The +20 deg altitude can have a considerable impact on the Atmospheric Dispersion Correction

3.2 Telescope Kinematics



Common ICD between the E-ELT Nasmyth Instruments and the Rest of the E-ELT System

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3.2.1 Range of Motion

[I-INS/ELT-67] During science observation the telescope shall allow for the following motion range:
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- Azimuth: -270 to +270deg from the geographical East (or -180 to +360deg from South)

- Altitude: +20 to +88.5deg from the horizon (1.5deg radius blind spot at zenith)

[I-INS/ELT-68] Outside science observation, the telescope shall allow for the following motion range:
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- Azimuth: -270 to +270deg from the geographical East (or -180 to +360deg from South).

- Altitude: 0 to +90deg from the horizon

A detailed 3D CAD model of a complex mechanical assembly, likely a telescope or scientific instrument. The model features a central cylindrical component with a complex internal structure, surrounded by various support structures, brackets, and mounting hardware. The colors used include light blue, yellow, brown, and white. The background is a light gray gradient.

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