

# Case Study Presentation

GROUP 1



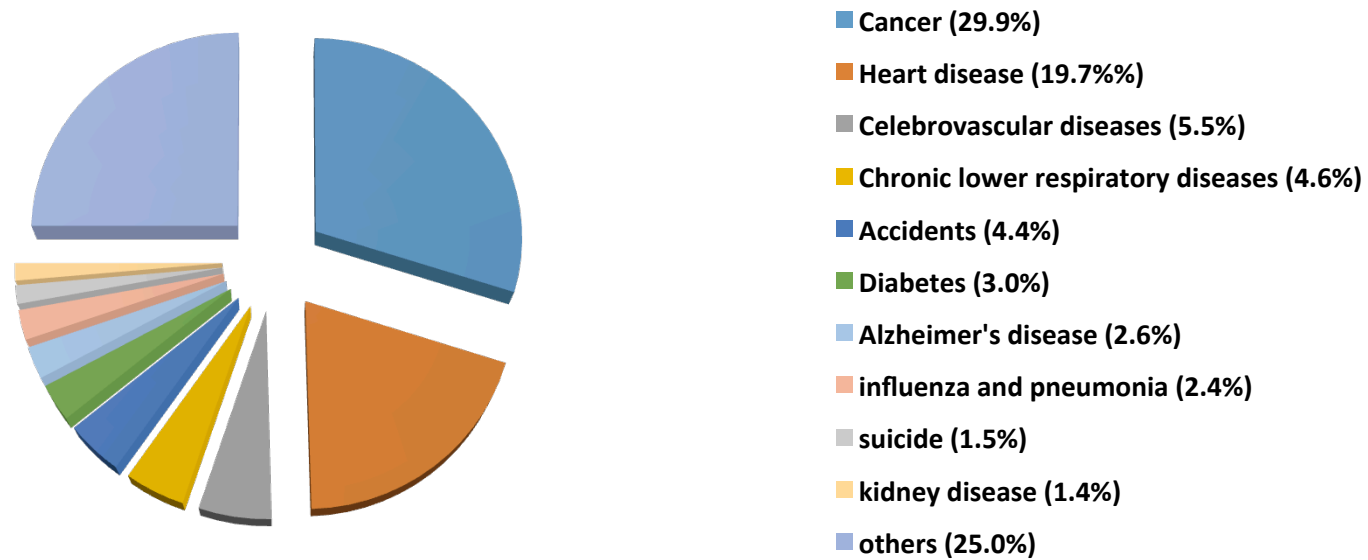
**Banana  
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Advanced  
Ion  
National  
Center**

*We are glad to introduce the new cancer therapy facility, designed to treat various kind of disease with innovative ions species.*

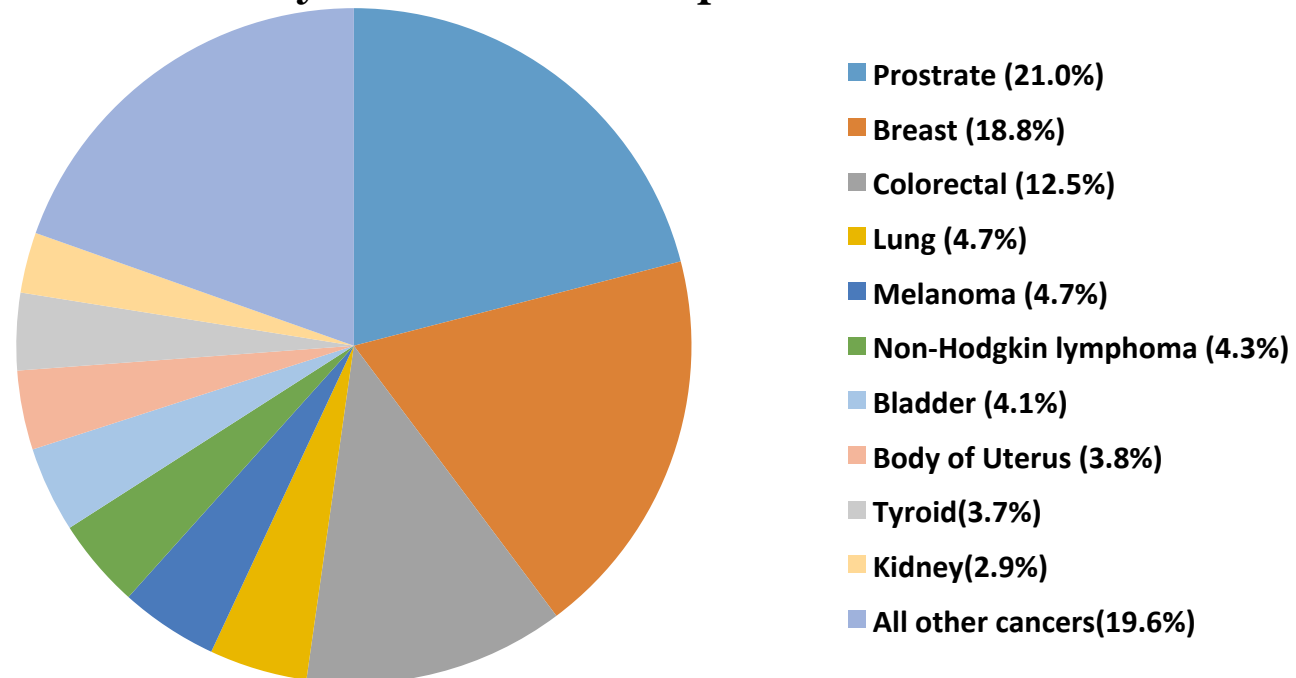
# *Welcome to Banana Republic*

- Banana Republic: A democratic military republic
- Motto: ‘The president works for the people, and not the people for the president’. (‘Free of bureaucracy country’, President General Casc).
- Main income: natural resources and tourism
- Population: 5M
- GPD: 20,000 US dollars
- Facility next to Largest national hospital at 10 minutes distance
- Collaboration with the only university (NUB) to train students
- Local experts in nuclear engineering (energy and defense), to be trained in other centers abroad

## Proportion of Deaths in the Banana Republic

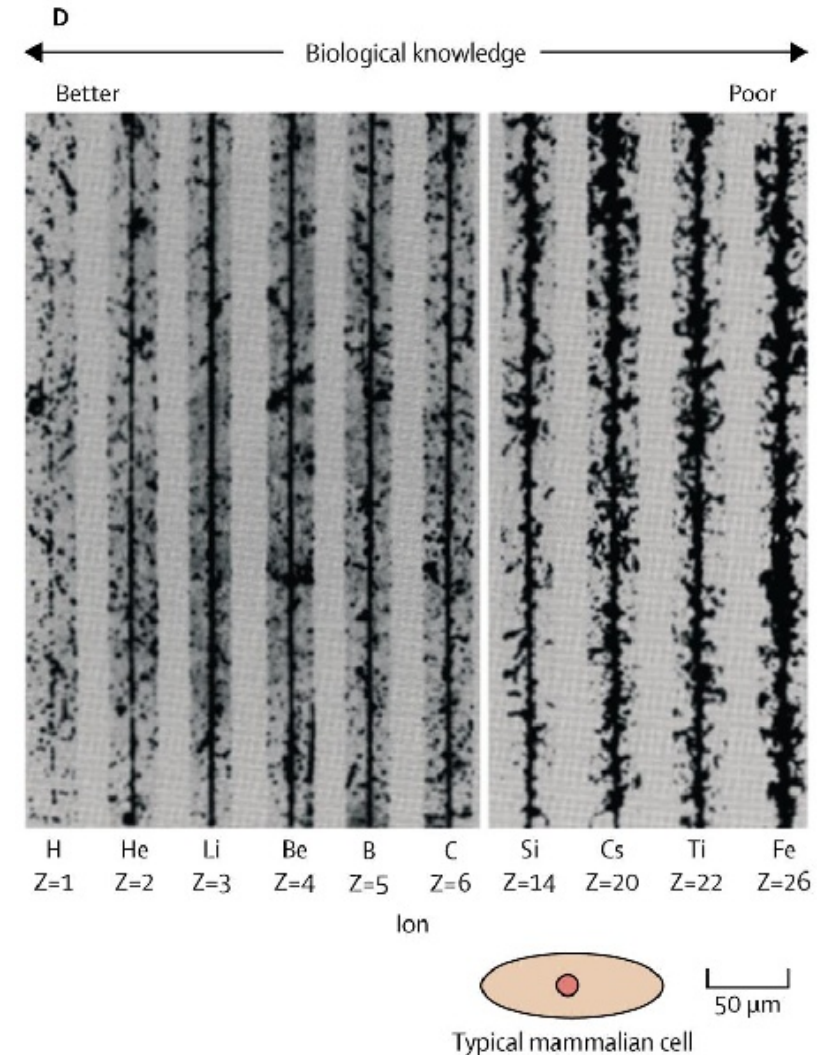


## Distribution of 10- year tumour based prevalence for selected cancers

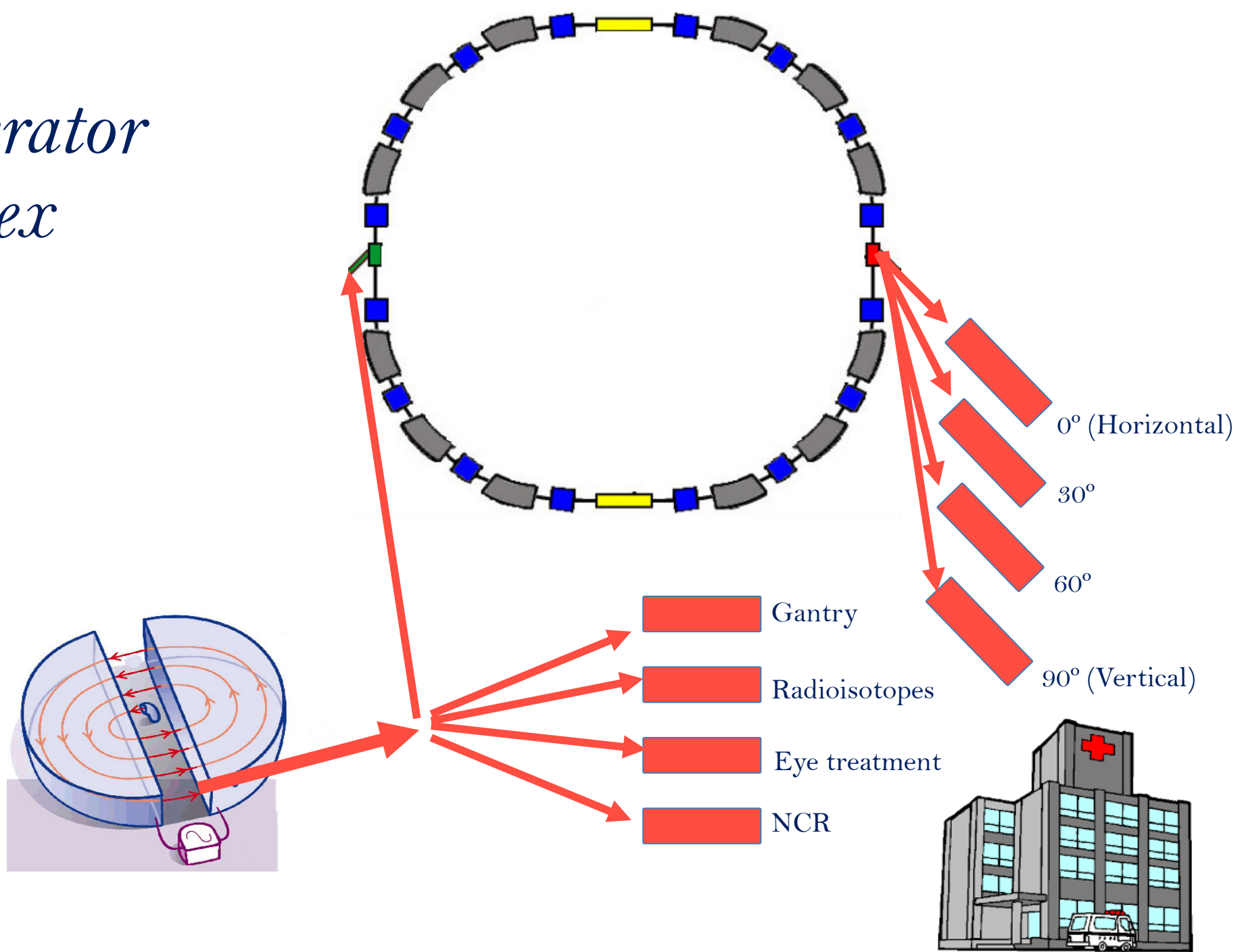


# Choice of Particle types Li

- Strong interest for radiobiology studies and therapy
- Good RBEs
- Good ballistic focusing
- Readily available
- Relatively low magnetic strength requirement for gantry operation
- Relatively low cost
- Compact source



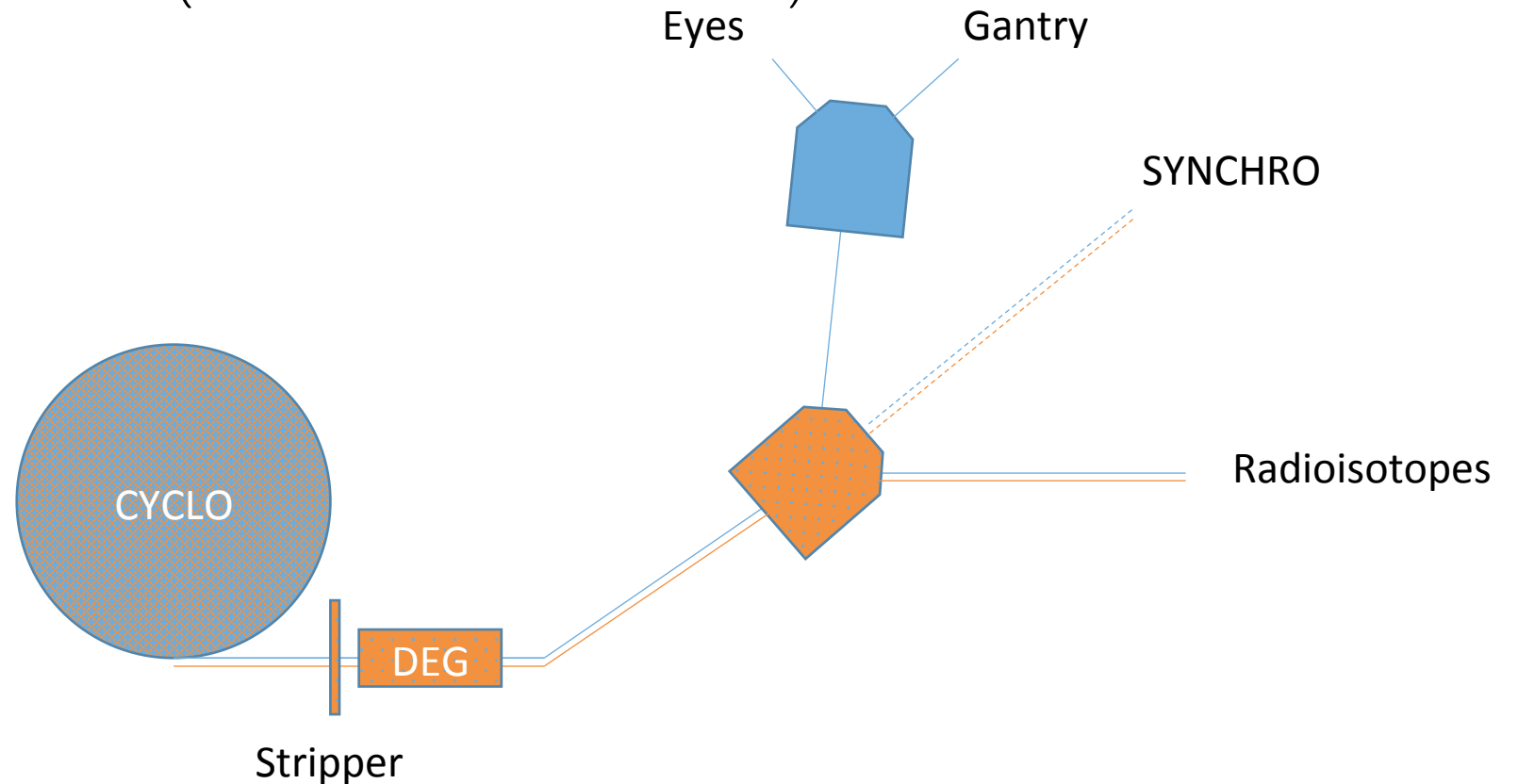
# *Accelerator complex*



# Cyclotron

- Sources:  $\text{H}_2^+$ ,  ${}^4\text{He}^{2+}$ ,  ${}^6\text{Li}^{3+}$  ( $q/m = 1/2$ )
- SC Isochronous-Cyclotron ( $2.9\text{Tm} = 100\text{MeV/u}$ )

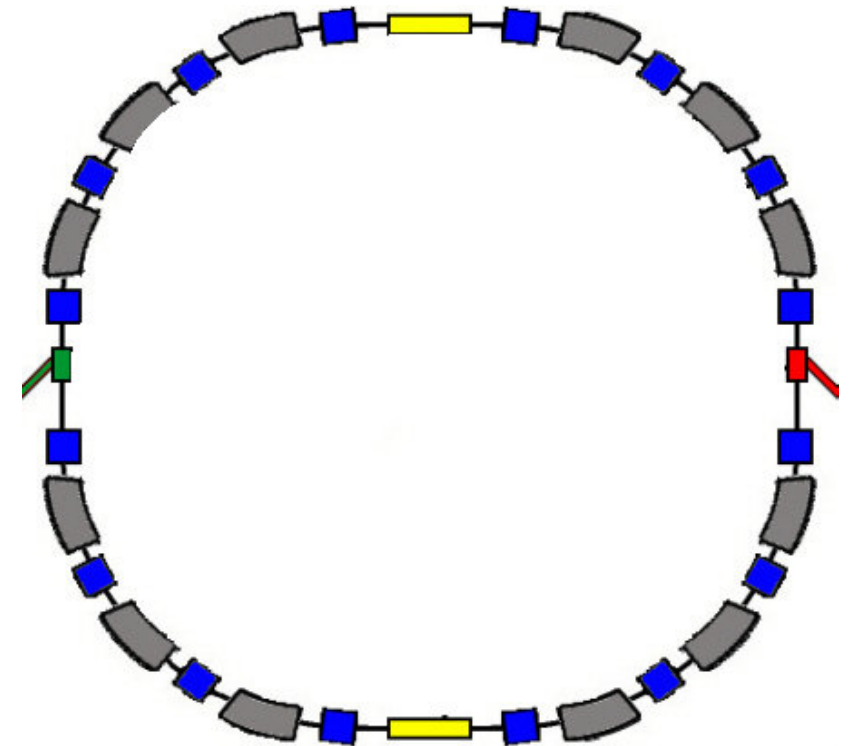
part. type	Depth [cm]
p	7.7
He	7.1
Li	6
C	2.5
O	2



# Synchrotron

- Standard elements and well known techniques
- Warm magnets:  $B_{\text{max}} \approx 1.5 \text{ T}$
- Max. energy determines size circumference:  $E_{\text{max}} (\text{Li}) \approx 250 \text{ MeV/u}$  (for 30 cm)  
 → Synchrotron diameter  $\approx 15 \text{ m}$
- Slow extraction: transverse RF-Knockout

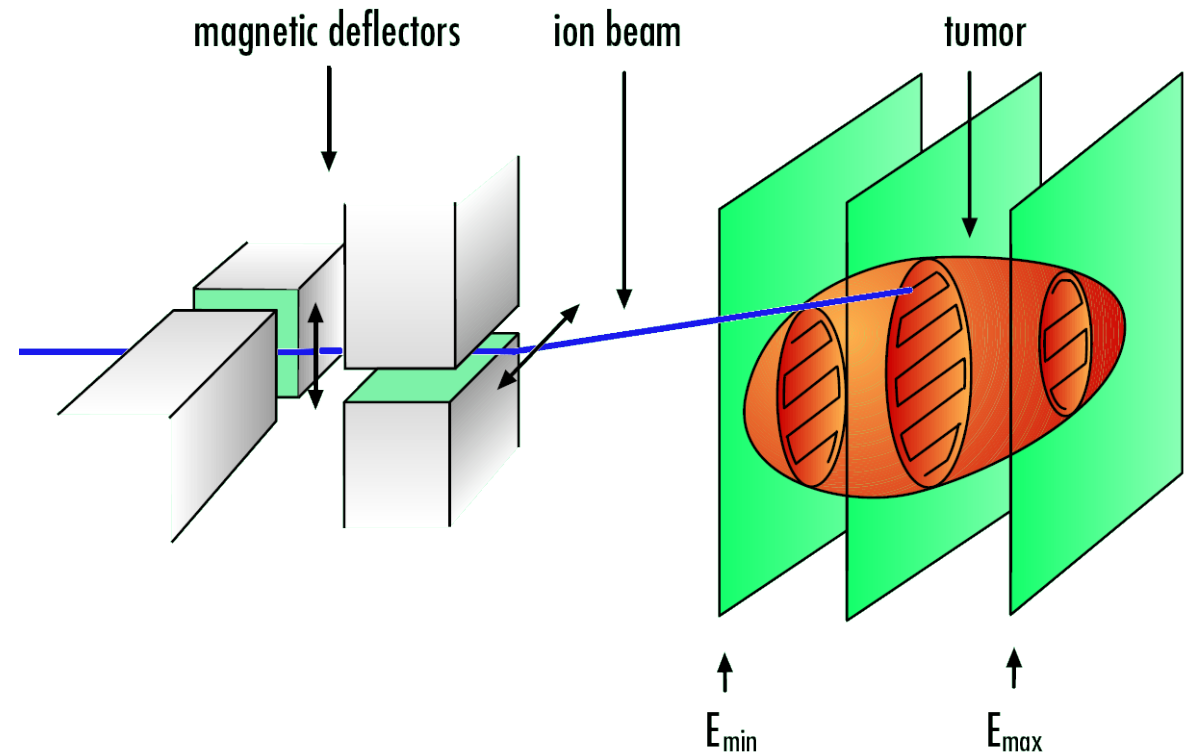
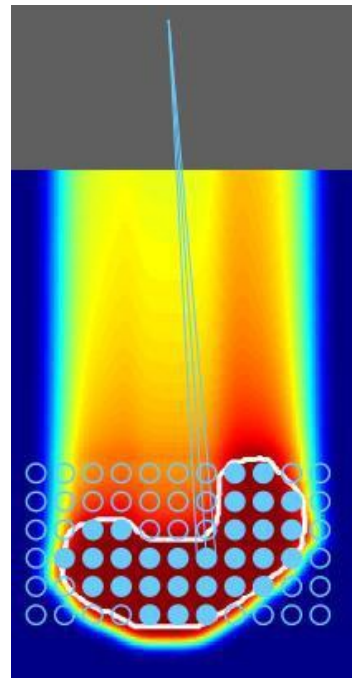
part. type	Depth [cm]
p	37.5
He	34.5
Li	30
C	13
O	10





# *Dose Delivery System*

- Active Rasterscanning (state of the art)
- Highest dose conformity
- Avoid passive elements where possible



# *Treatment Organization*

- Beam operations open 24/7 > 300 days/ year
- Estimate 1500 patients/year, ~ 120 patients/day
- Center open for medical treatment
  - 6:00 am – 10:00 pm include QA (4 hrs/day)
  - 5 working days/ week
- NCR 7 days/week
  - Working days after medical treatment
  - Weekend 24 hrs

# *Cost estimation*

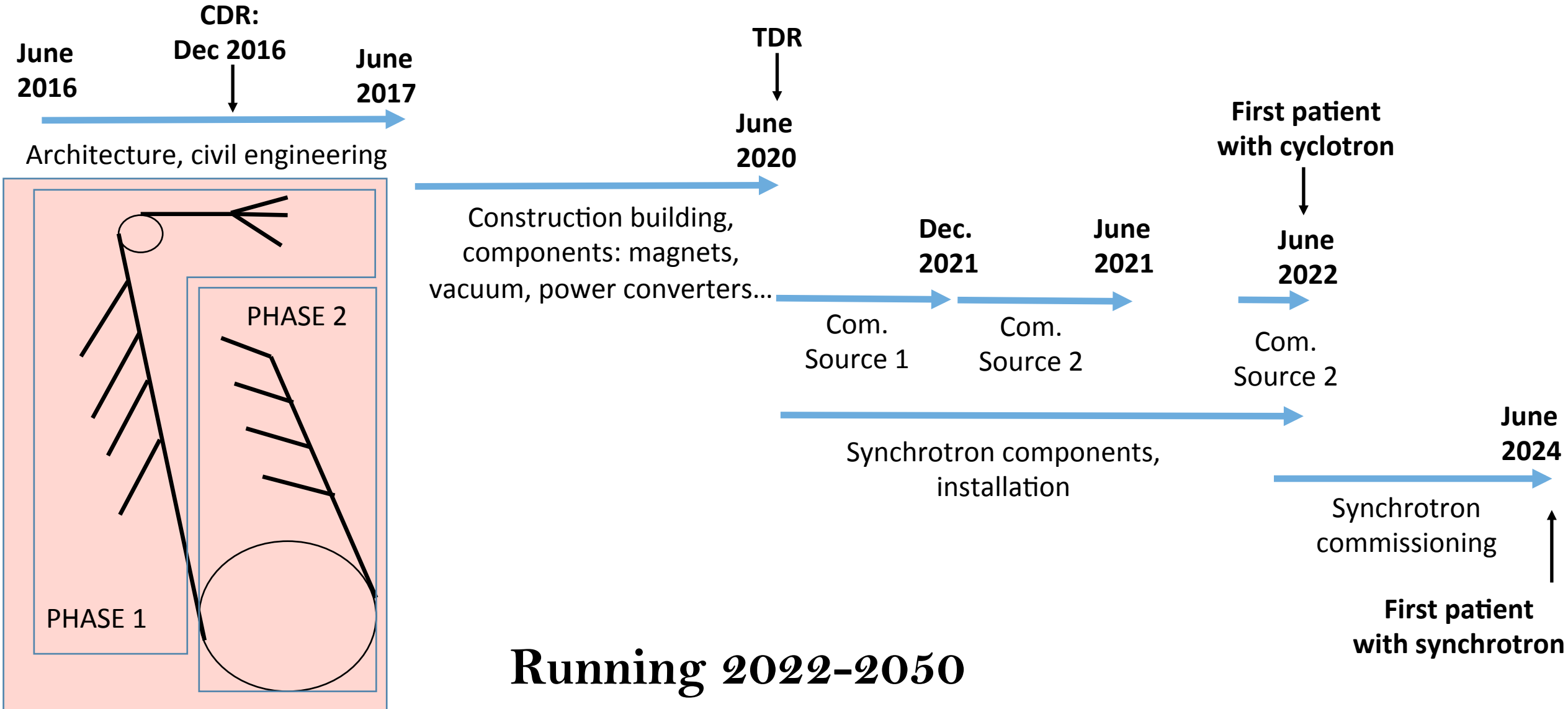


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(150 M€ each)

- Overall cost 250 M€
- Income 37.5 M€/year (1500 patients x 25 k€)
- Running cost 10 M€/year
  - 1 M€ for electricity
  - 7.5 M€ for personnel
  - 1.5 M€ for others
- Turn a round time is 10 years (extreme case, in reality 20 years)

# Project timeline





# Thank you



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