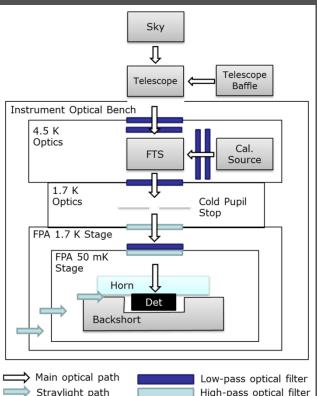
SAFARI sensitivity – goal is within reach

- Requirement on detector sensitivity
 - NEP 2x10⁻¹⁹ W/Hz (x $\sqrt{2}$ in SW array)
 - Requirement \rightarrow total system NEP increased by $\sqrt{1.5x}$
- Requirement on instrument saturation power
 - Observe 1 Jy point source without a neutral density filter
 - ND filter (in filter wheel) required for stronger sources

Noise breakdown	LW	MW	SW
Optical loading (aW) - Sky background - Telescope, baffle, instrument	78 37 41	34 33 1	74 74
NEP _{photon} (x10 ⁻¹⁹ W/√Hz) - Sky background	4.1 3.2	4.2 4.2	8.4 8.4
NEP _{det} (x10 ⁻¹⁹ W/ \sqrt{Hz}) goal	2	2	2.8
NEP_{total} (x10 ⁻¹⁹ W/ \sqrt{Hz}) goal	4.6	4.7	8.8
Sensitivity (50/1hr):			
Line (10 ⁻¹⁹ W/ \sqrt{Hz})	2.5	2.6	4.1
Continuum (µJy)	28	16	15

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(Some of) the SAFARI technical challenges...

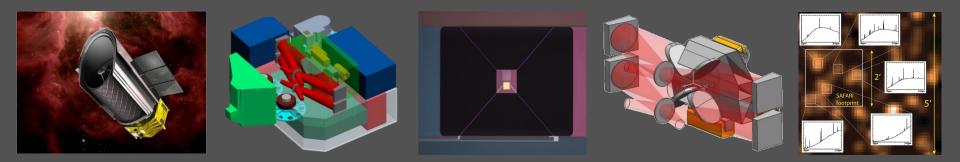
- Limited cooling capacity on-board SPICA (and no great buffer)
- Ultra sensitive detectors and many EMC/EMI sources \rightarrow shielding
- Many detectors \rightarrow many *shielded* cables \rightarrow static thermal load
- Small power dissipation budget \rightarrow limited signal amplification in FPU
- Harsh Launch Loads -16 g-rms- especially for Focal Plane Unit
 - Impact on thermal dissipation due to necessary dimensions of several suspension designs:
 - Detector suspensions (Kevlar)
 - Detector Box supports (CFRP)
 - CryoCooler suspensions (Kevlar)
 - Dissipation in mechanisms:
 - Bearings need to be pre-loaded
 - Robustness of mechanisms
 - Launch locks

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- Stable alignment for all units
- AIV programme from units through full system

The SAFARI project consortium, planning, progress





The SAFARI consortium – at work already for several years...!



Groninger supercamera 'filmt' ontstaan van heelal

• Lancering in 2022 • Overheid vult gat van 18 milioen euro

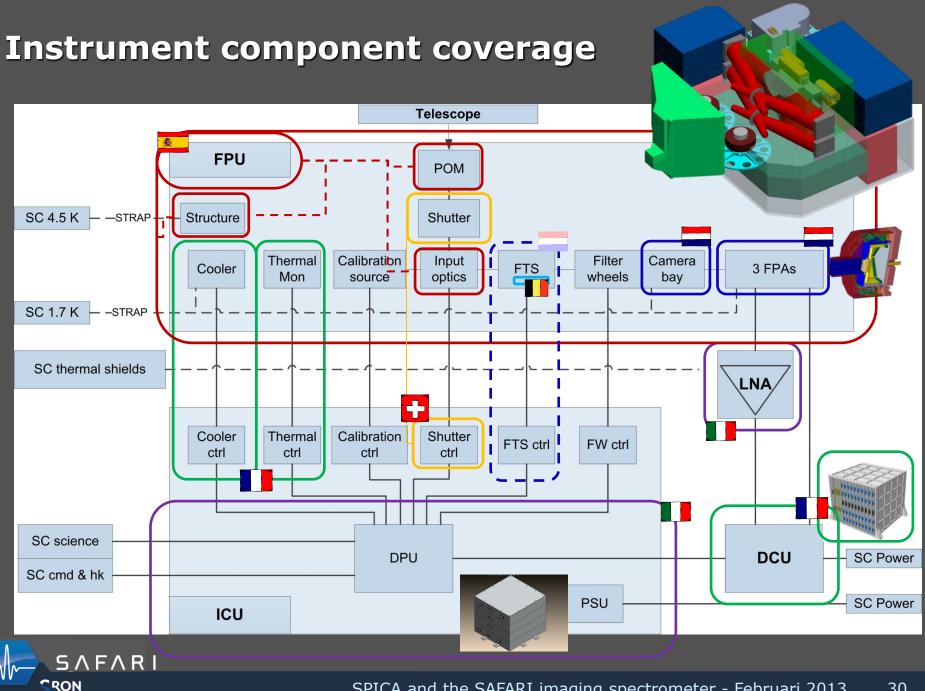


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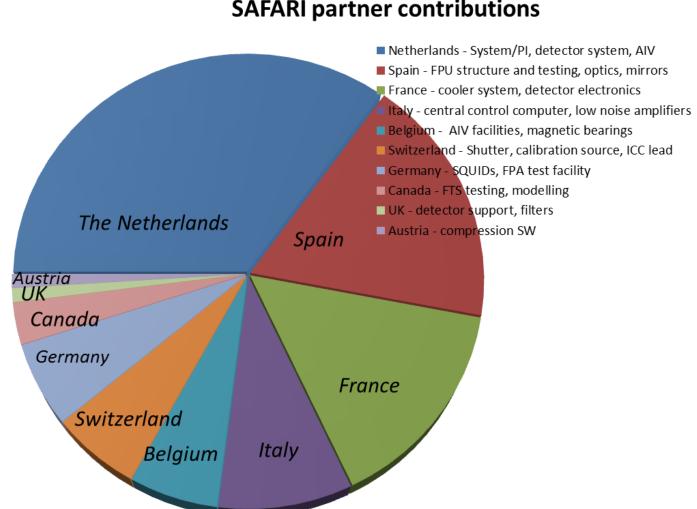
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The current agreed consortium task distribution



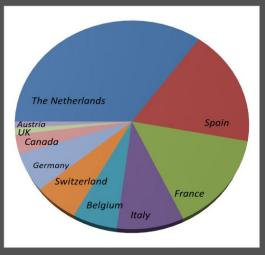
SAFARI partner contributions



SAFARI project – status overview

- SAFARI consortium established
 - Dutch funding secured to 90% of original plan
 - Iterating on detailed work distribution
 - Science consortium established
- Schedule main milestones
 - SPICA now in phase B1 (Risk Mitigation Phase)
 - SAFARI review cycle already well underway
 - Concept reviews; detectors Feb/2012, June/2013 cooler Feb/2013
 - 2013 (TBC) SAFARI instrument proposal to ESA
 - End 2016 SAFARI Preliminary Design Review
 - Mid 2020 SAFARI instrument delivery
 - End 2022 SPICA launch







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Current SAFARI project focus

- Managerial
 - Consolidating the consortium
 - Consolidating the science requirements
- System
 - Support for SPICA phase B1 investigations
 - Establishing a full SADARI system reference design
 - Specifications at system level
 - Specifications at subsystem level
- Subsystem level
 - Development of (many) critical technologies
 - Detector TES fabrication, 160 channels, shielding, LNA's
 - AIV mechanism, materials
 - Etc..



Governance – international – the SPICA project

- Very significant European interaction with SPICA project
 - SRON representation at top levels, SAFARI representation at many levels
- ESA/consortium responsibilities to be defined in a Multi-Lateral Agreement
- National funding agencies release national budget
- SAFARI Steering Committee advises PI

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