The Italian participation to SAFARI-SPICA is coordinated by IAPS - INAF

- 1. Instrument Control Unit:
 - DPU & OBS (IAPS)
 - ICU Box and backplane (national industry + IAPS)
 - Power Supply Unit (national industry + IAPS)
 - tests and Integration of the ICU
 - MCU (Mechanisms Control Unit, NL+B), CCU (Cooler Control Unit, F) e DPU (national industry + IAPS)
- 1. LNA (Low Noise Amplifiers) (national industry + IAPS)
- 2. Participation to the ICC (Instrument Control Center) IAPS-OABO-UniPD
- 3. Participation to the steering committee of the SAFARI Consortium
- 4. Responsibility of the coordination of the Galaxy evolution Working Group in the SAFARI science Team
- 5. Participation to the Science Team IAPS-OABO-UniPD-UniBO
 - Two italian Cols: L. Spinoglio & C. Gruppioni
 - Science associates: A. Franceschini, F. Pozzi, plus many others involved in the M5 proposal preparation





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SAFARI ICU DPU OBS



ICU will include: -DPU to implement the Instrument control and data handling functionalities - PSU power supply unit to provide secondary power to the other warm electronic units - MCU mechanisms control unit (mirrors and wheels control) - CCU cooler control unit (instrument thermal monitor and control)

-Only DPU and PSU will be supplied by Italy + SAFARI On Board Software (OBS)



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DPU On Board Software

•Telemetry and Telecommand exchange with the S/C

•Instrument Commanding, based on the received and interpreted TCs, in agreement with the current instrument operating mode

•Instrument monitoring and control, based on the Housekeeping data (HK) acquired from the other instrument units

•Detectors readout data acquisition, preprocessing and formatting according to the selected Telemetry protocol

• On board time management and synchronization of all the instrument activities

•On board Memories management



SAFARI LNA



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Rome, INAF HQ 4-5 Apr 2016

Italian Workshop on SPICA

First prototype and preliminary test (TAS-I, Milano, INAF/IAPS, CNR/IFN)



Main requirements to be satisfied at 135 K are: BW: DC to 3 MHz GAIN: 20 V/V NOISE: < 3nV/sqrt(Hz) (< 1nV/sqrt(Hz) as goal) POWER: < 2 mW/channel (goal), 5 mW/channel MAX



Italian Workshop on SPICA

New prototype: LNA2016

- Reconfigurable PCB allowing test of alternative configurations
- Improved 4-layer layout with guarding of sensitive nodes
- Full differential Input-Output
- Cascode input stage to allow larger bandwidth
- Assembled with proven cryo-compatible EEE parts



Prototype layout





Test box during assembly (March 2016)

