## Status of plans for pixel detector ladders at RIKEN/CERN

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# Brief overview of the ALICE Pixel detector bus/MCM concept







#### **Pixel bus**





#### **Pilot MCM**





#### **ALICE Pixel Detector**

Some impressions from the comprehensive ongoing prototype testing:



ladder/half-stave prototyping



bus prototyping:  $Cu \rightarrow Al/Kapton$ 



pilot MCM prototyping

analog pilot digital pilot GOL



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### **NA60 Pixel Detector**

digital pilot

4-chip plane with **new** pilot-GOL type control. Feb. 2003: Works!





8-chip prototype plane with old "MB" type control.



#### **RIKEN plans**

- We know how to use this pixel detector technology.
- We know the requirements for a PHENIX application.
- Private discussions on technological issues and approaches were started with the ALICE pixel and CERN Microelectronics groups.
- To arrive at a RIKEN plan on how to build a Pixel detector module for PHENIX using CERN pixel technology, we will first discuss inside RIKEN to consolidate ideas and approaches. Those will be discussed in PHENIX.

