

MOSAIC

THE HIGH MULTIPLEX AND MULTI-IFU
SPECTROGRAPH FOR THE ELT

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THE 39M ELT CERRO ARMAZONES, CHILE

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A MULTI-PURPOSE INSTRUMENT FOR THE ELT

FIRST GALAXIES
& REIONISATION

RESOLVED STELLAR POPULATIONS
BEYOND THE LOCAL GROUP

GALACTIC
ARCHAEOLOGY

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MASS ASSEMBLY

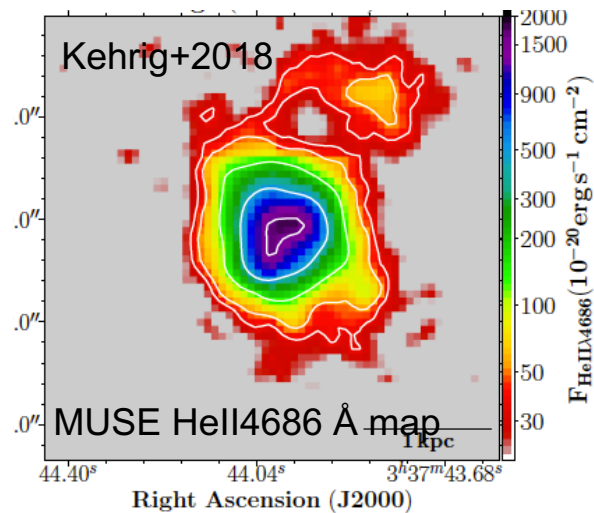
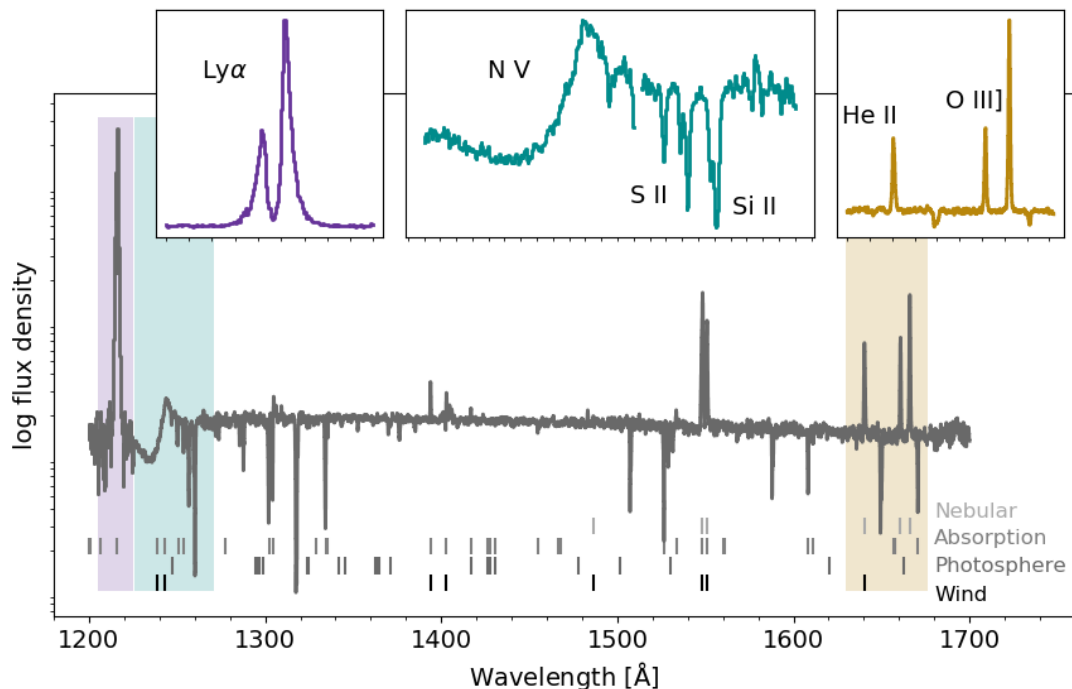
TRANSIENTS
& MMA

INVENTORY
OF MATTER

MOSAIC WHITE PAPER: EVANS+15
MOSAIC SURVEYS: PUECH+18

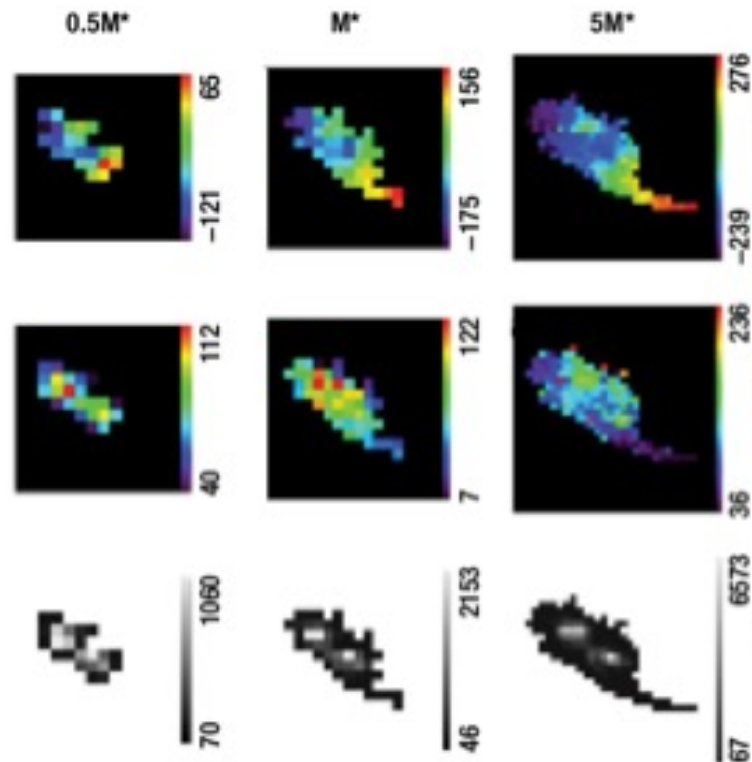
FIRST GALAXIES & REIONISATION

REST-UV SPECTROSCOPIC SURVEYS OF THOUSANDS OF GALAXIES AT $Z > 6$



GALAXY MASS ASSEMBLY

- ENVIRONMENT AND LARGE-SCALE STRUCTURE
- ISM PROPERTIES & EVOLUTION OF STELLAR POPULATIONS
- EMPHASIS ON SUB- L^* GALAXIES: ~ 1000 GALS $2 < Z < 4$

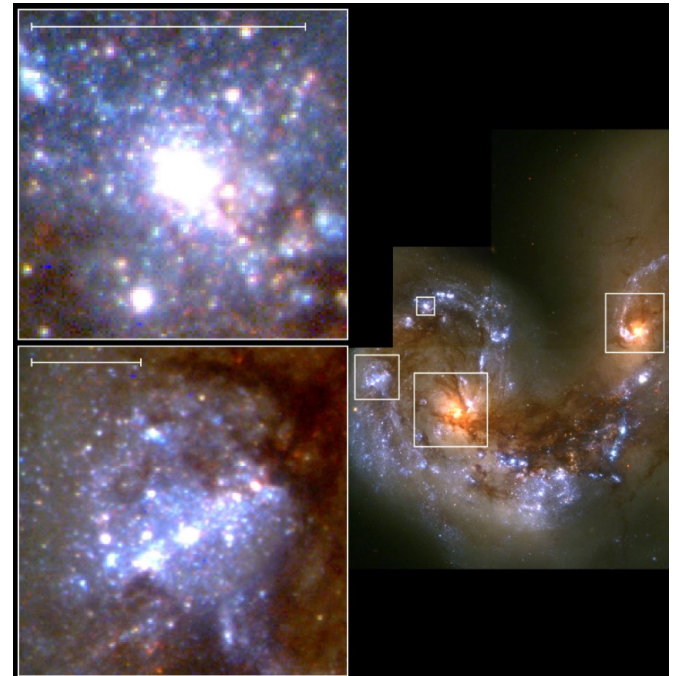


STELLAR POPULATIONS BEYOND THE LOCAL GROUP

EXTREMES OF STAR FORMATION:

- CHEMICAL ABUNDANCES AND PHYSICAL PROPERTIES OF O STARS OUT TO 5-6 MPC
- RED SUPERGIANTS UP TO 10s OF MPC
- YOUNG SUPER STAR CLUSTERS TO $D > 100$ MPC

Antennae galaxies (NGC 4038/39)
(B. Whitmore, STScI / NASA)



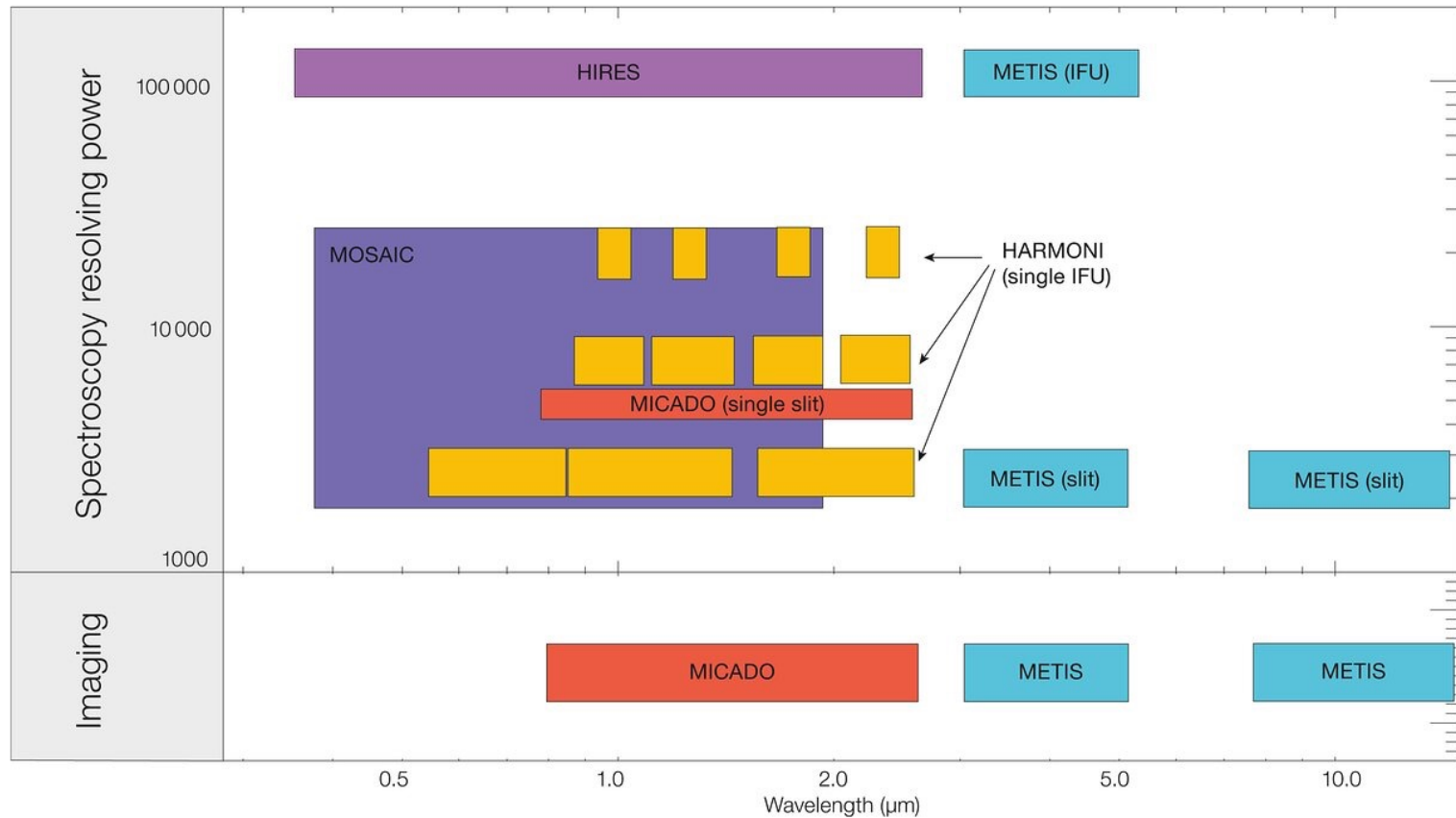
MOSAIC TOP-LEVEL REQUIREMENTS

- VIS AND NIR SPECTRAL COVERAGE
- A RANGE OF RESOLVING POWERS
- EXPLOIT THE LARGE FOV AND COLLECTING POWER OF THE ELT
- A MIXTURE OF MODES, PROVIDING EITHER HIGH MULTIPLEX OR HIGH SPATIAL RESOLUTION

COMPLEMENT THE FIRST GENERATION OF ELT INSTRUMENTS &
ENABLE UNIQUE SPECTROSCOPIC SURVEYS IN THE 2030s

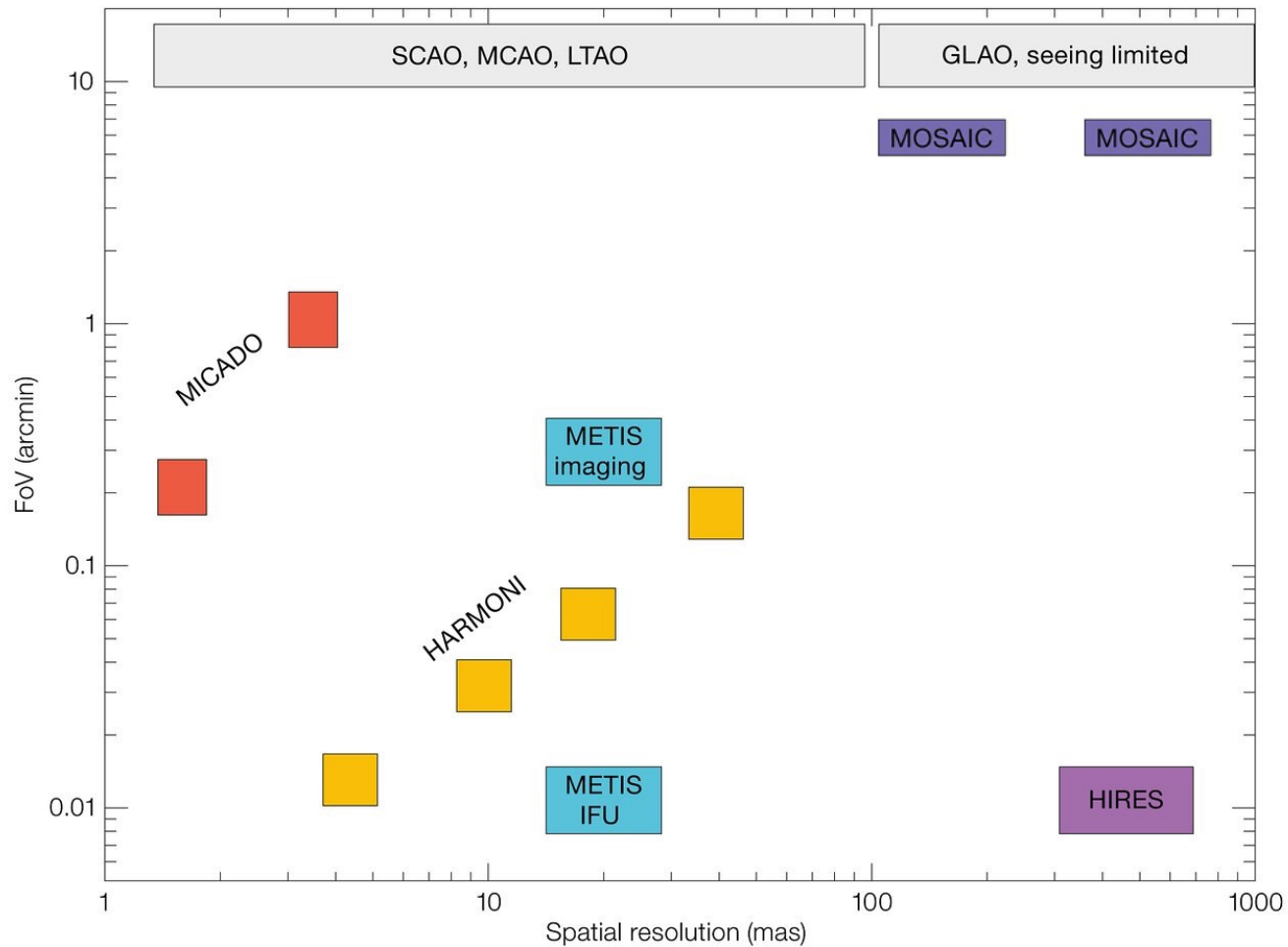
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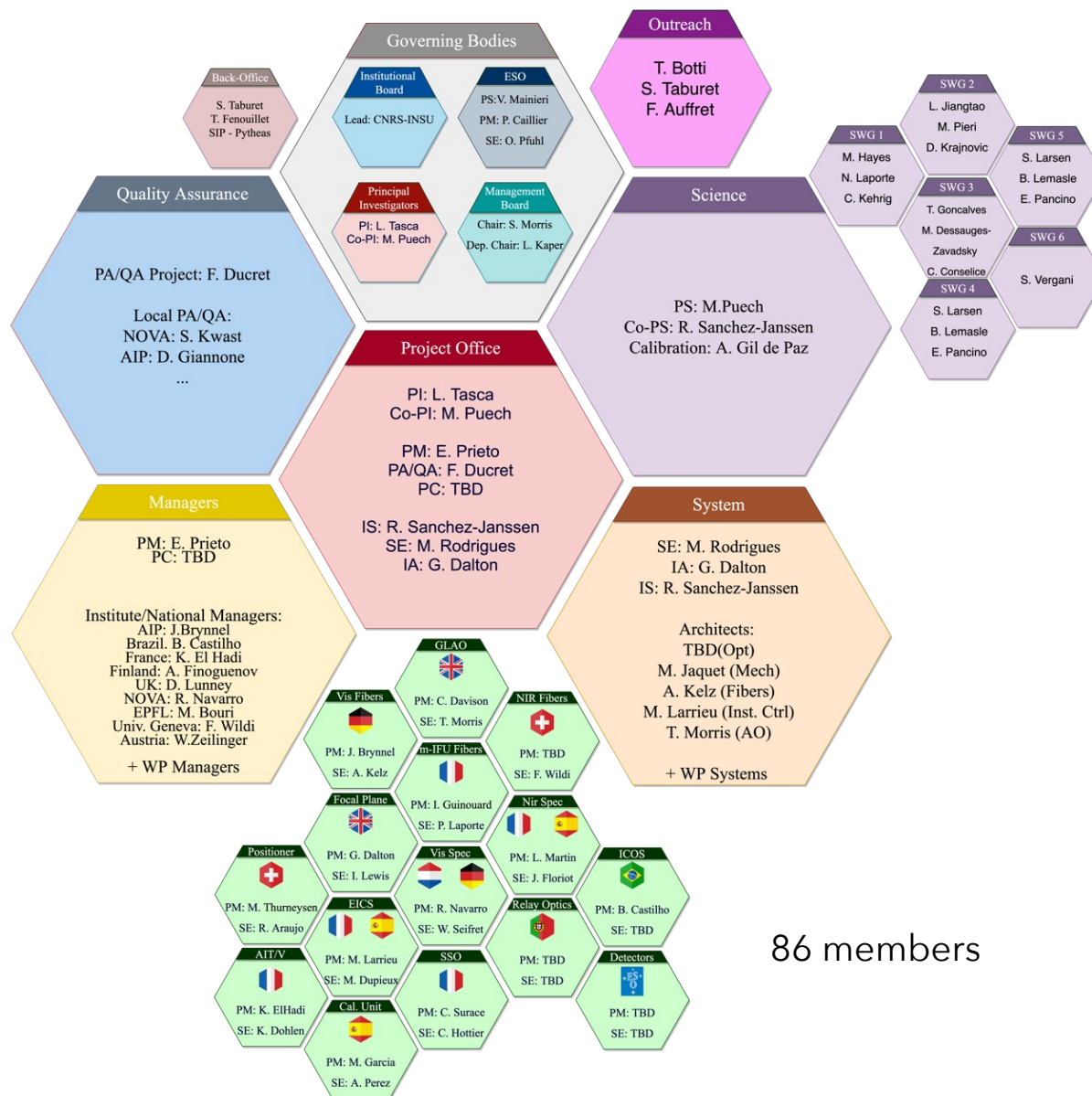
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WHO

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171 members

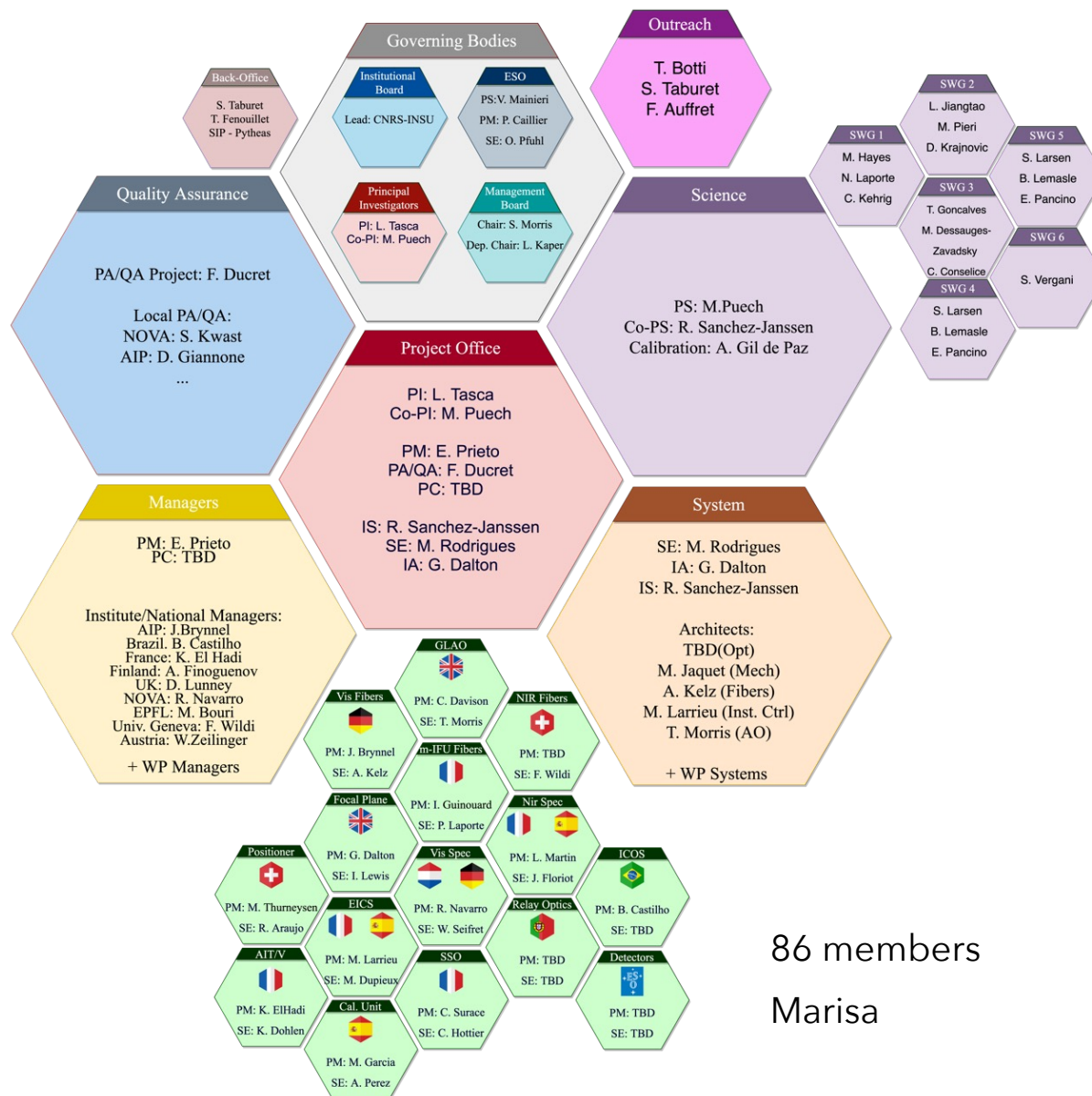


86 members

- France
- UK
- Netherland
- Germany
- Swiss
- Spain
- Brazil
- Portugal

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 Jorge, Pepe, Polis, **Carol**

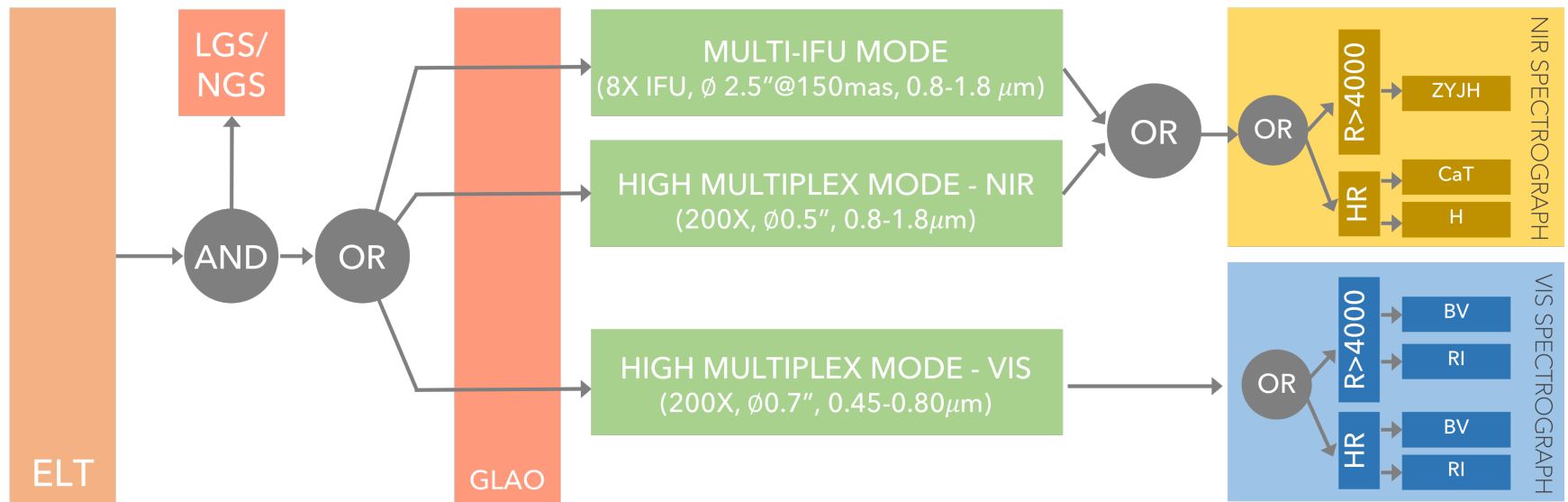


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 Marisa

WHAT

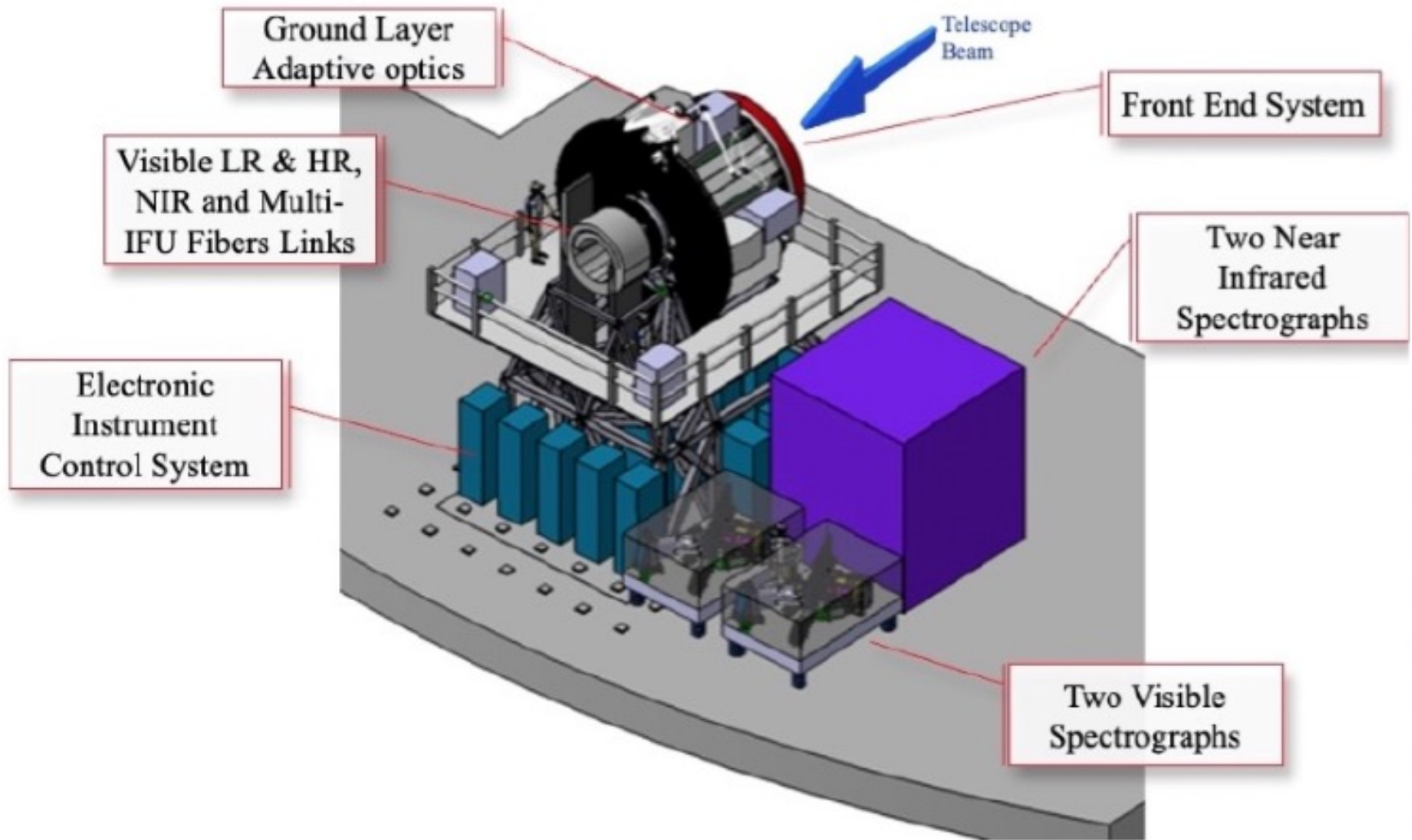
AN EXTREMELY MODULAR ARCHITECTURE DELIVERS THREE VIS/NIR OBSERVING MODES



MOSAIC COMBINES THE ADVANTAGES OF A HIGHLY-MULTIPLEXED INSTRUMENT TARGETING NUMEROUS UNRESOLVED SOURCES, WITH ONE HAVING A MORE MODEST MULTIPLEX BUT THAT CAN RESOLVE SOURCES AT HIGH SPATIAL RESOLUTION (IFU).

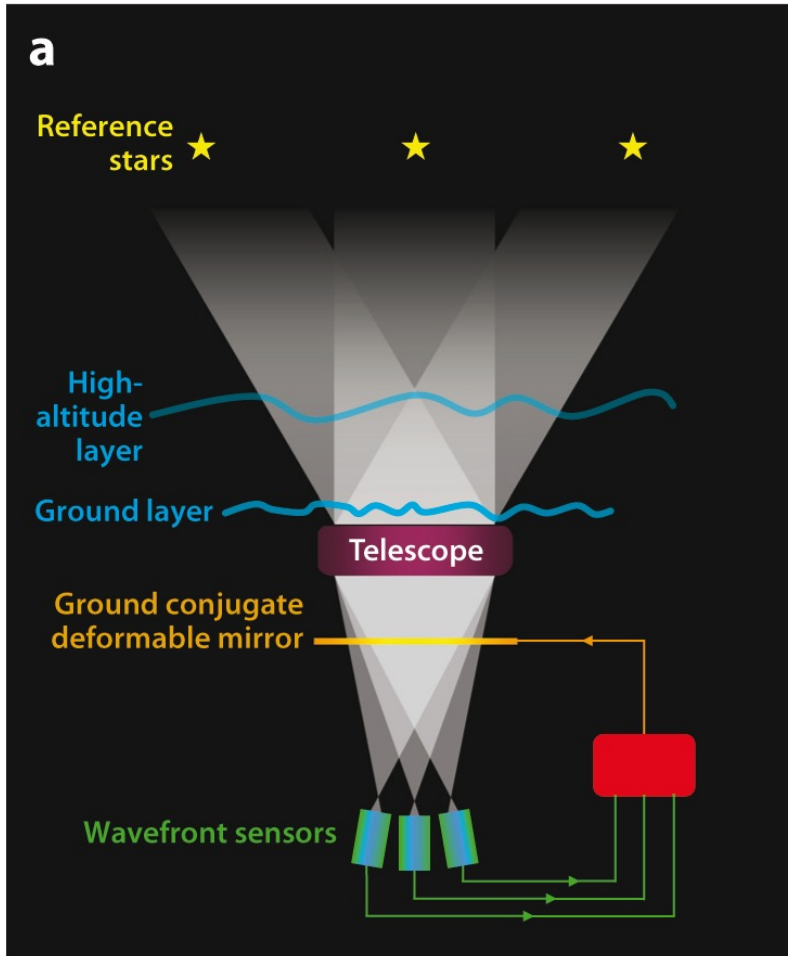
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MOSAIC IN A NUTSHELL



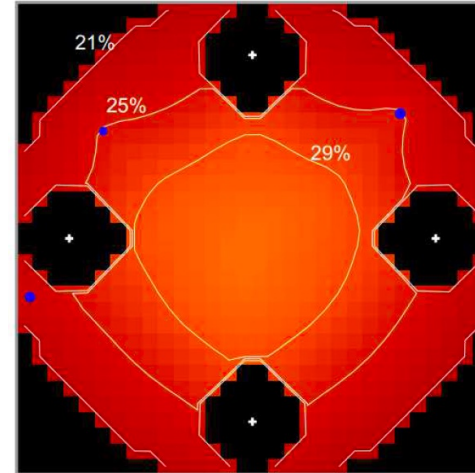
GOOD NEWS, EVERYONE! THE ELT IS *ADAPTIVE* BUT M4 IS NOT CONJUGATED TO THE GROUND

Ground-layer adaptive optics



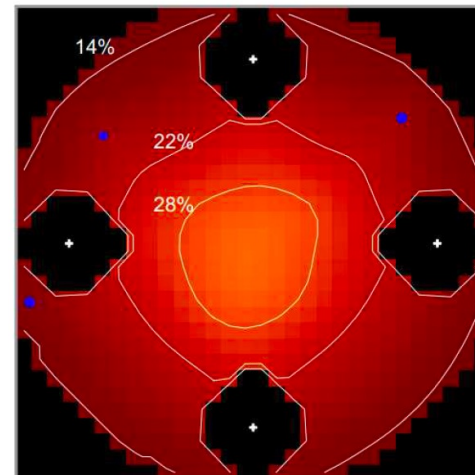
DAVIES & KASPER (2012)

0M CONJUGATION



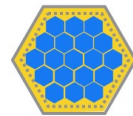
4 LGS
3 NGS

600M CONJUGATION



POSITIONERS & PICK OFFS

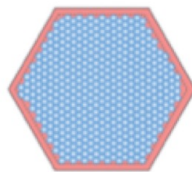
MOS apertures



Mode	VIS LR	VIS HR	HMM
Multiplex	200	100	200
Aperture \emptyset	0.7"	0.7"	0.6"
Apertures density	6 /arcmin ²	4 /arcmin ²	6 /arcmin ²

IFU aperture

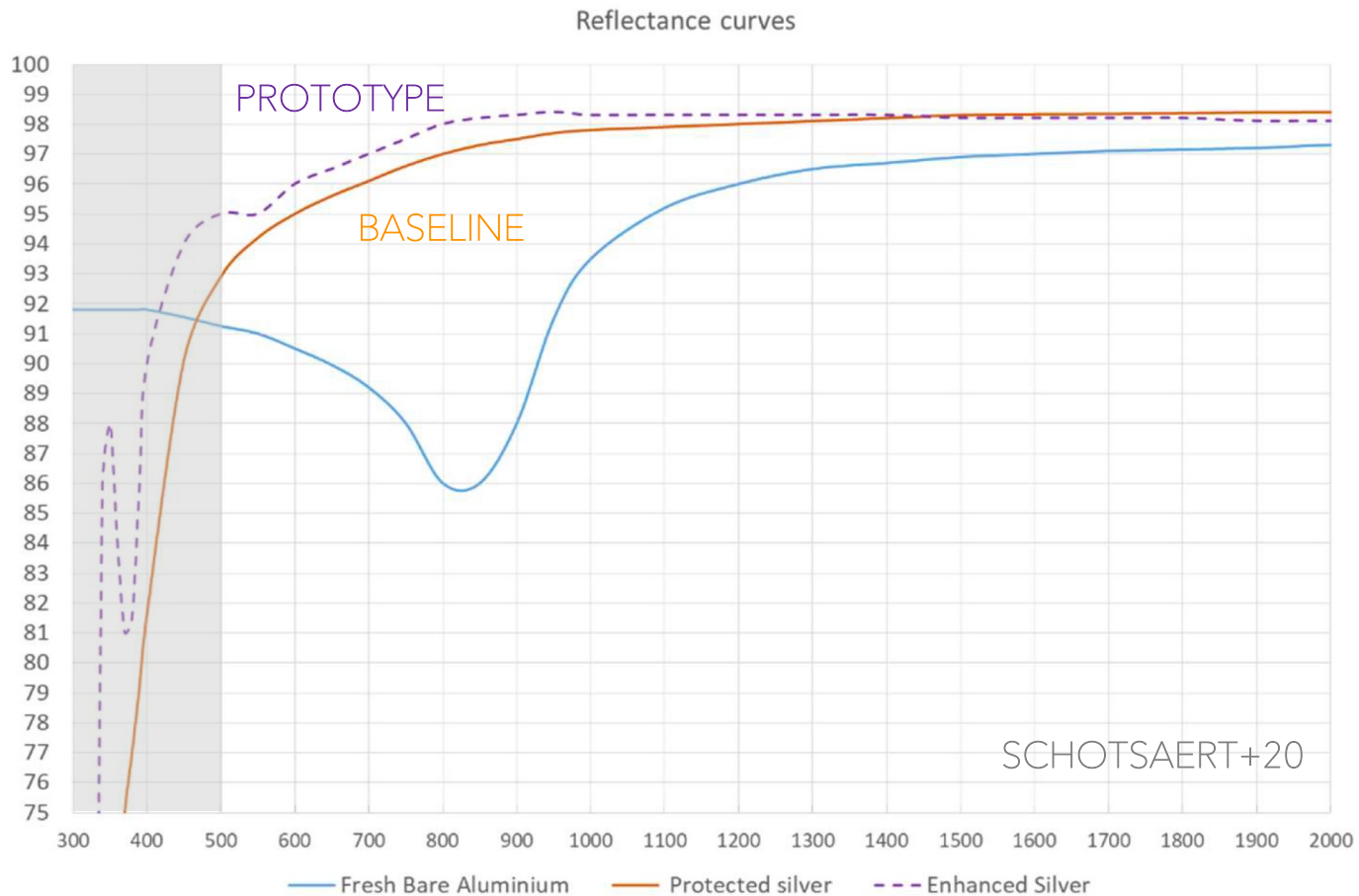
A Pick-off mirror in the focal plane redirect light toward NGS and IFU receiver that image the target into a IFU aperture



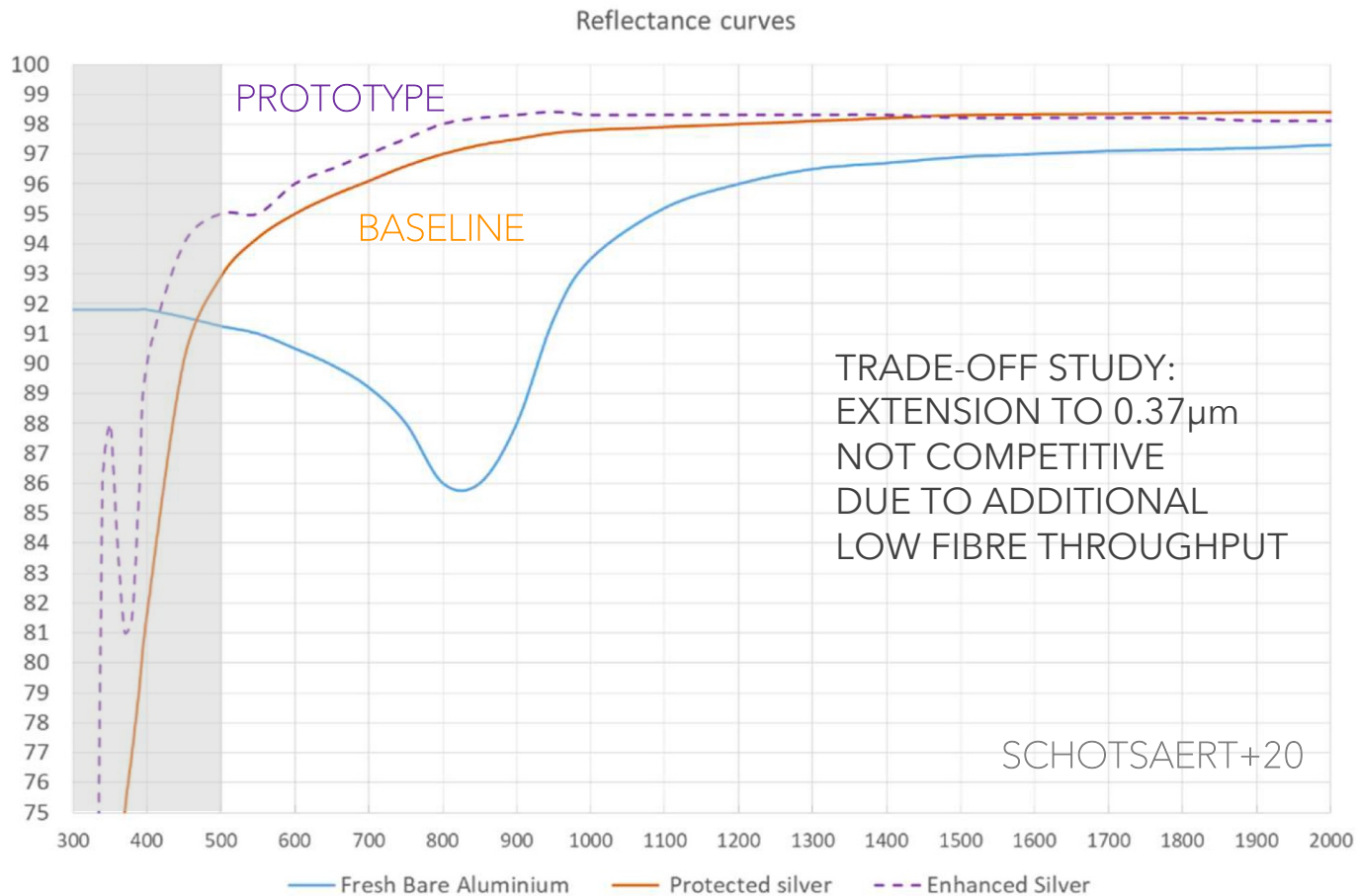
Multiplex	8
Aperture \emptyset	2.5"
Spaxel size	150 mas
Apertures density	6 /arcmin ²

FIELD FRAGMENTATION IS REQUIRED TO COPE WITH ELT'S LARGE PLATE SCALE, WHICH WOULD OTHERWISE CALL FOR VERY LARGE AND FAST SPECTROGRAPHS

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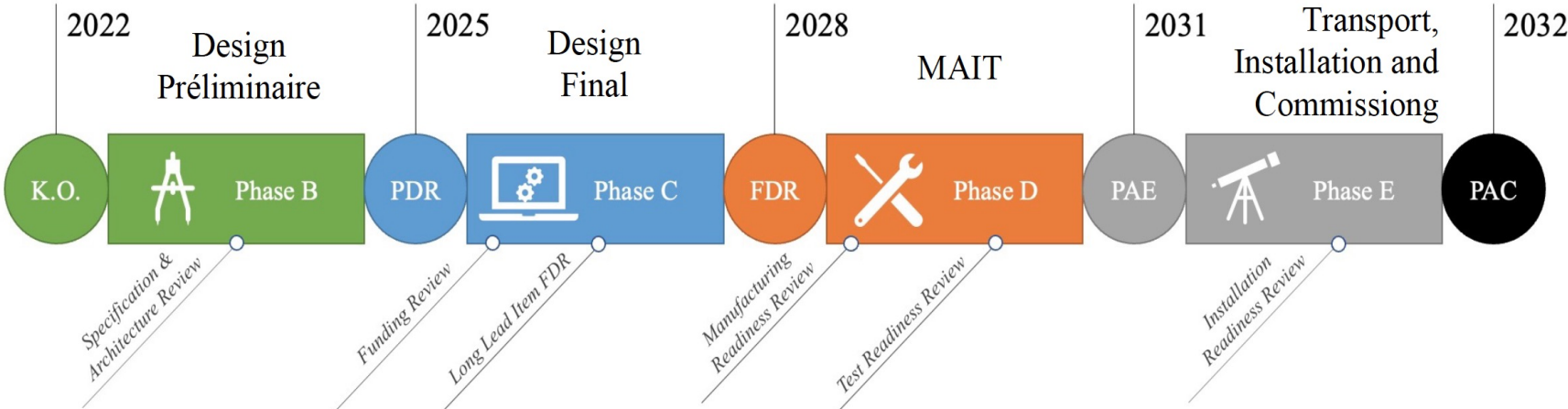
PARAMETER	MOS-VIS		MOS-NIR		mIFU	
	LR	HR	LR	HR	LR	HR
Multiplex	200	70	140	140	8	8
Wavelength coverage	0.39-0.77 μm	0.51-0.57 μm 0.61-0.67 μm	0.77-1.80 μm	0.77-0.89 μm 1.52-1.62 μm	0.77-1.80 μm	0.77-0.89 μm 1.52-1.62 μm
Resolution	4000	18,000 18,000	4000	9000 18,000	4000	9000 18,000
Aperture	0.7"	0.7"	0.6"	0.6"	2.5"	2.5"
Spaxel	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.150"	0.150"

NOTE: In the VIS the full wavelength range is covered in 3 exposures (cf 1 exposure in the NIR).

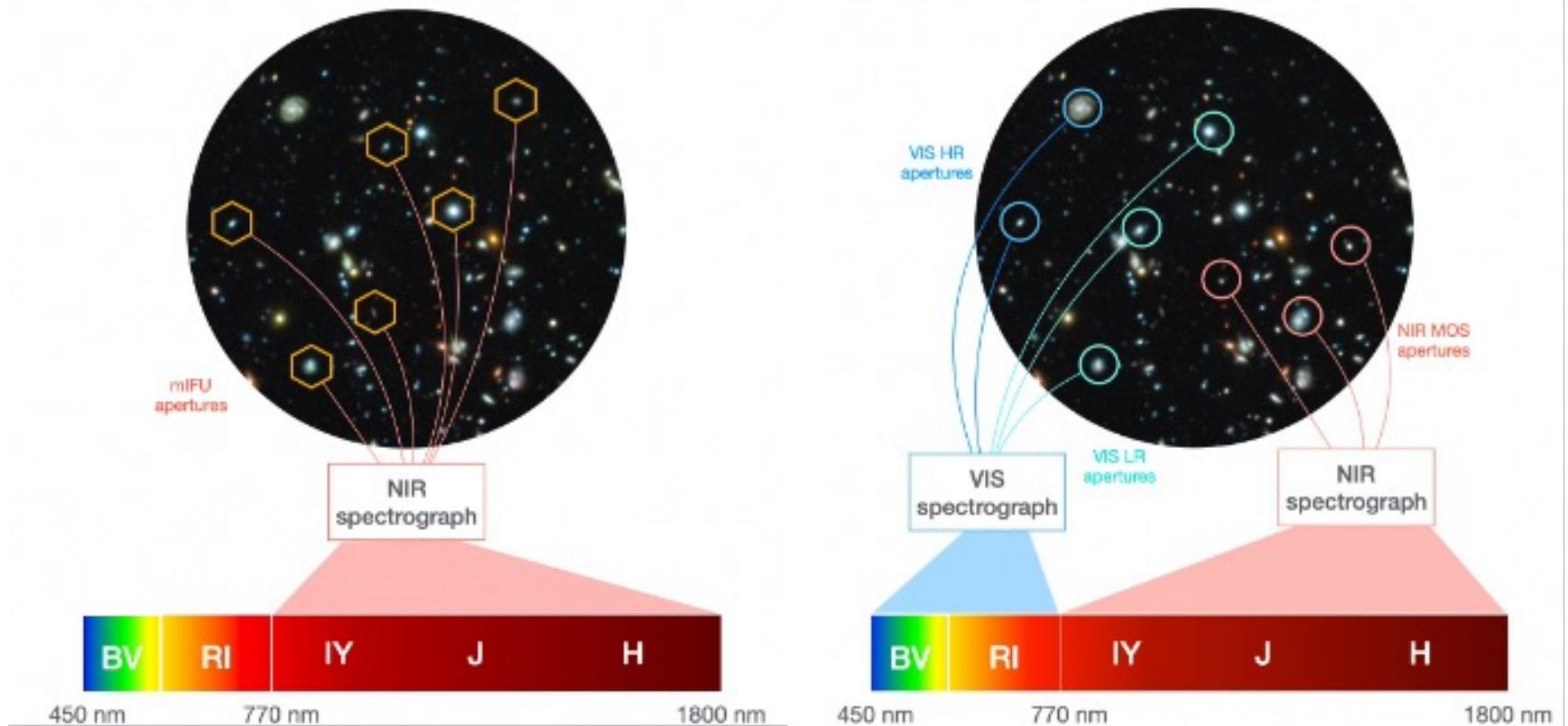
TYPICAL SPECTRAL SAMPLING IS 3-4 PIX PER RESOLUTION ELEMENT

WHEN

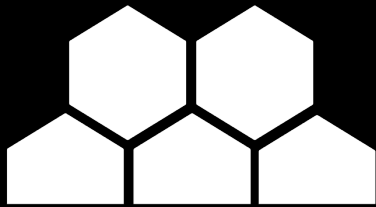
TECHNICALLY-PACED SCHEDULE



MOSAIC IN THE 2030s

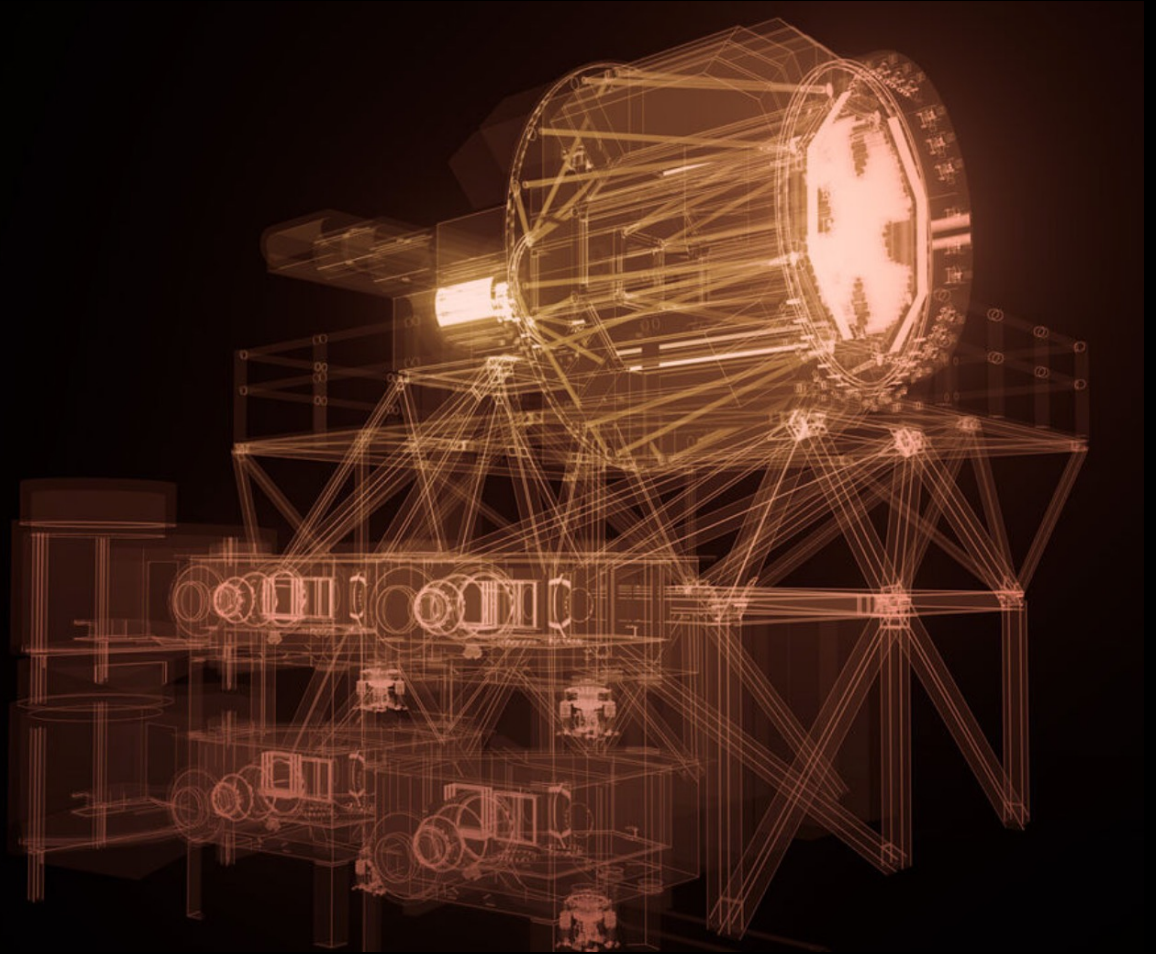


MOSAIC WILL EXCEL AT DEEP, PENCIL-BEAM SURVEYS OF FAINT SOURCES, PROVIDING HIGH SURVEY SPEEDS AND UNIQUE OBSERVING MODES - THUS OPENING A LARGE DISCOVERY SPACE FOR SCs WHERE STATISTICS PLAY A KEY ROLE



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THANKS!



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GOALS

PARAMETER	MOS-VIS		MOS-NIR		mIFU	
	LR	HR	LR	HR	LR	HR
Multiplex	200	100	200	200	10	10
Wavelength coverage	0.39-0.87 μ m	0.39-0.44 μ m 0.51-0.57 μ m 0.61-0.67 μ m 0.83-0.87 μ m	0.77-1.80 μ m	0.76-0.90 μ m 1.52-1.63 μ m	0.77-1.80 μ m	0.76-0.90 μ m 1.52-1.63 μ m
Resolution	5000	20,000 20,000	5000	10,000 23,000	5000	10,000 23,000
Aperture	0.9"	0.9"	0.6"	0.6"	4"	4"
Spaxel	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.120"	0.120"

NOTE: In the VIS the full wavelength range is covered in 3 exposures (cf 1 exposure in the NIR).

SURVEY SPEED COMPARISON W/ HARMONI

- THE BETTER AO CORRECTION PROVIDED BY LTAO MAKES HARMONI FASTER FOR ALL OBSERVATIONS OF POINT SOURCES
- FOR EXTENDED SOURCES, MOSAIC'S ADVANTAGE IS \propto # IFUs