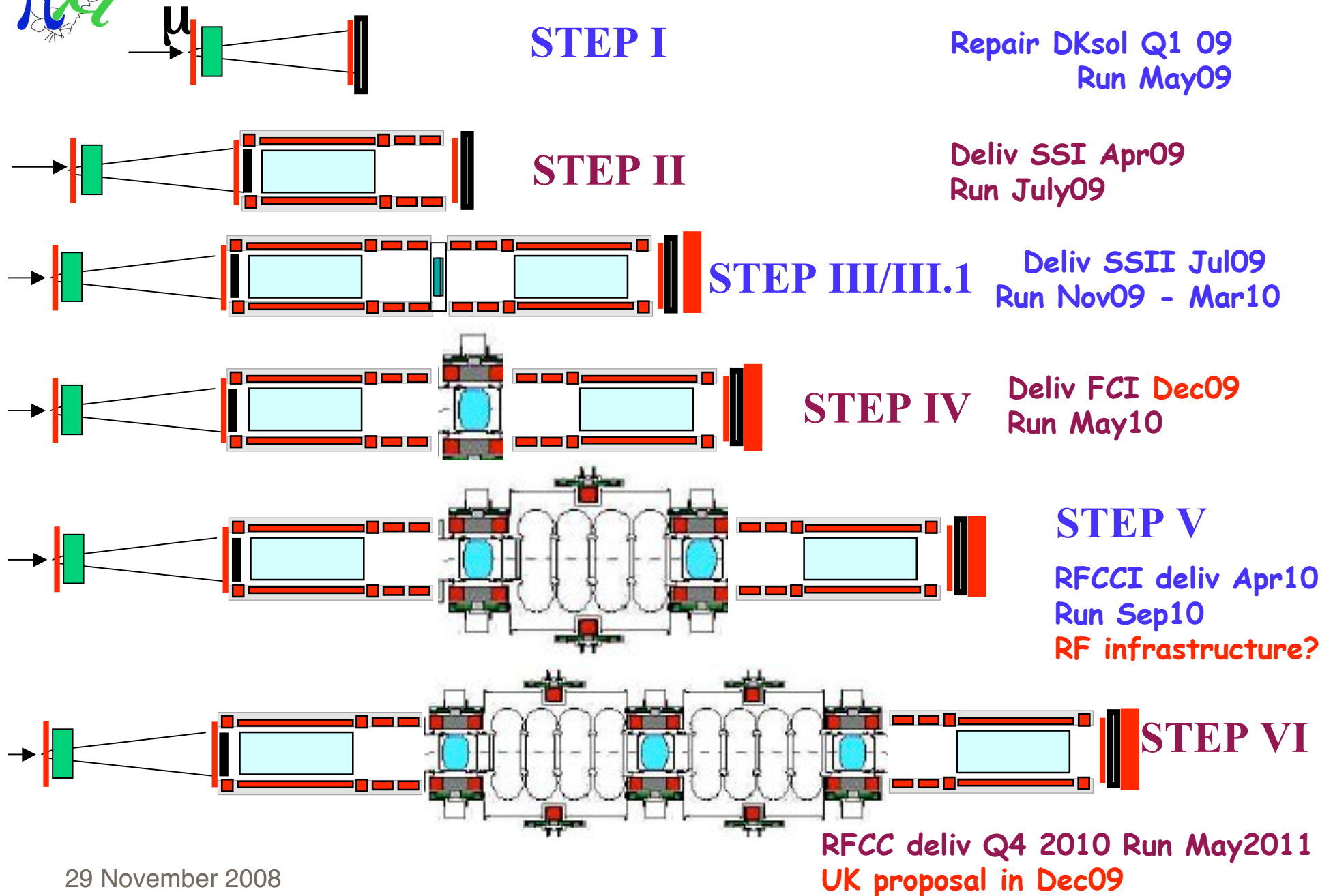
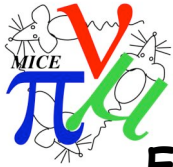




MICE Schedule as of December 2008





Exercise carried out with Andy Nichols in November 2008.
Running periods included in planning for the first time. Some elongation of schedule resulted.

General assumption: running of ISIS is similar for all these years to provisional 2009 schedule, which is different from 2008

Running periods of 4-6 weeks assumed sufficient for each step and longer only for step VI

This hypothesis must be backed up by a run plan.



Assumptions and **hard requirements** STEPS I-III

- shipping time for solenoids is two weeks
- magnetic mst time is 6 weeks
- installation at RAL of first solenoid is 8 weeks this includes the diffuser mount/quench test/demount.
- total is 20 weeks from ready to ship at Wang NMR

Feb1--> end of June for STEP II

Interference between running (on beam) and installing is quite reduced
possibility to install tracker on beam in May09 if solenoid delivery
is late by more than 1.5 Mo. (miss run step II in July)

Second spectrometer 3 Months later/ saves two weeks on installation?

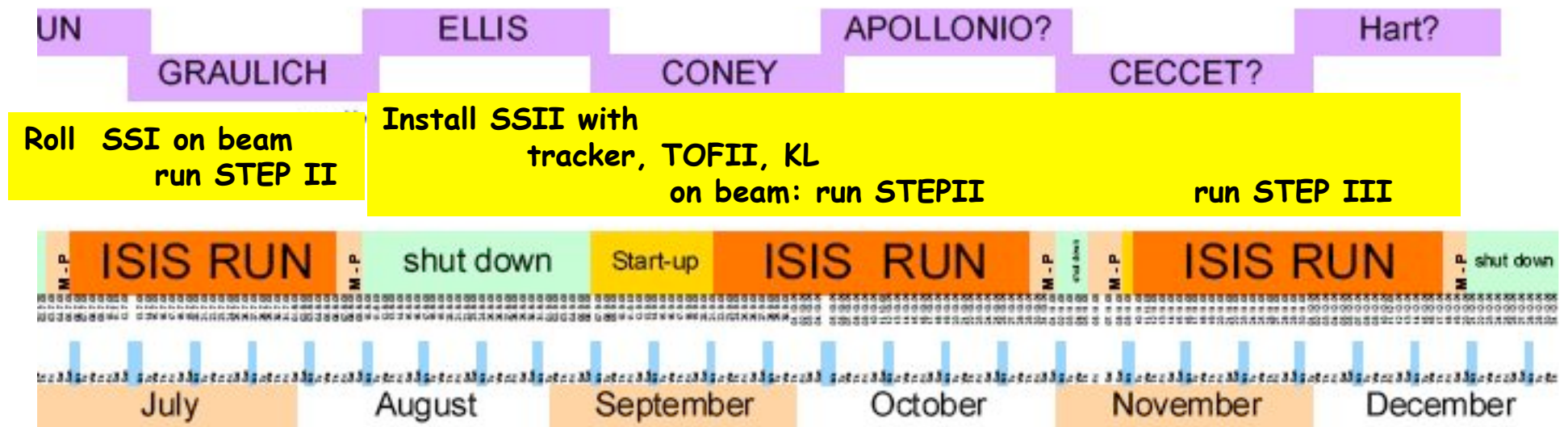
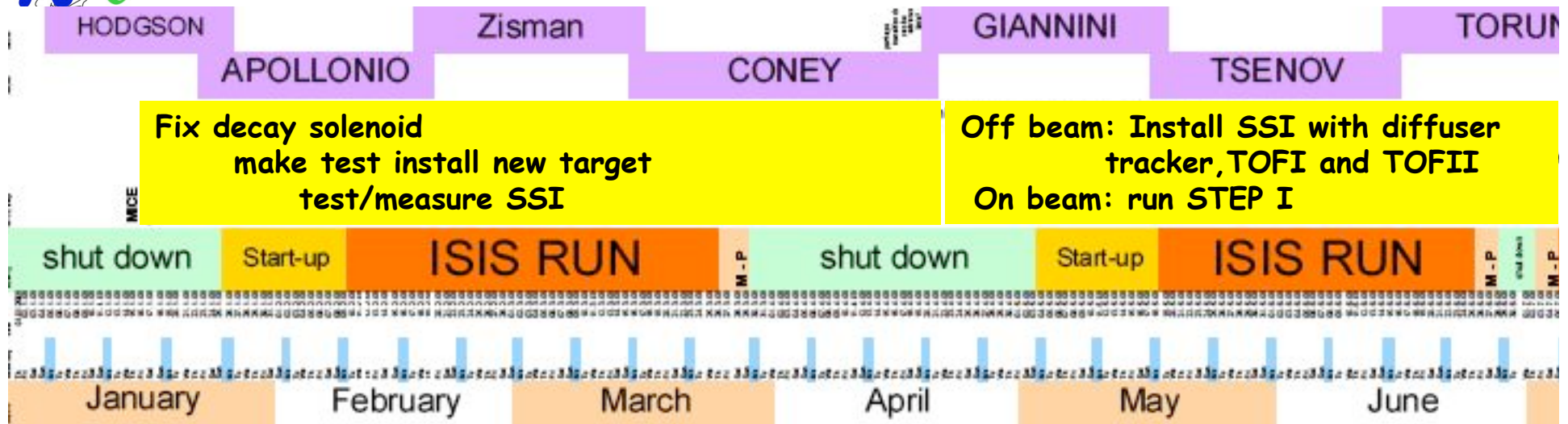
Interference is larger for step III (take out TOF2+KL)

Decay solenoid assumed to be fixed and new target operational and installed

Any problems with TOF shields & step III.1 absorbers?



2009 operations:





**Schedule of step IV and following is far more uncertain.
Assumptions and hard requirements STEP IV**

-- delivery of AC module by Tesla dec09?
-- assembly of step IV AFC module assumed to take 3-4 months.
Detailed plan missing

-- Some interference with step III.1 running in present plan:
-- assemble AFC module, stop step III.1 running, install step IV

Assumption on LH2 infrastructure

Similar assumption on assembly time for StepV and StepVI.

**Again running plan would be needed to ascertain the running time needed
Assumption has been that a**