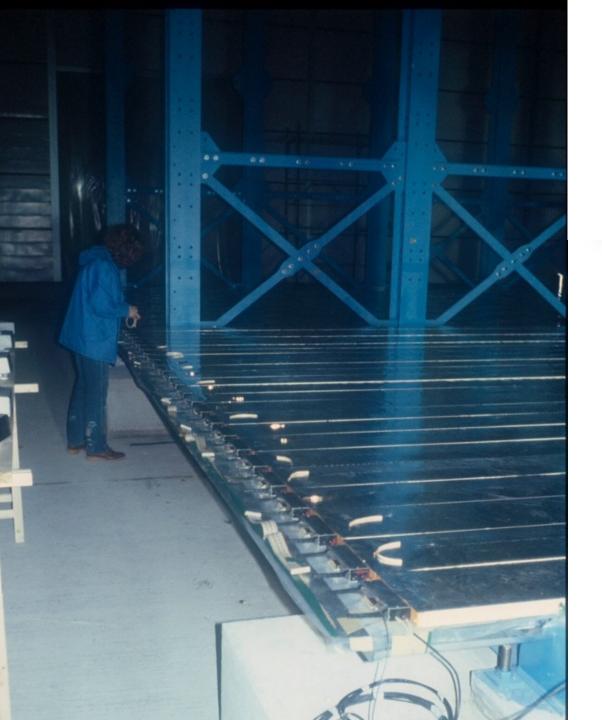


"UNA GIORNATA PARTICOLARE" (A RELEVANT DAY)

- This sentence was the title of 1977 famous italian film with Loren and Mastroianni
- What happened 10 years later of relevant?
- The 21 october 1987 was a relevant day for the Macro experiment :
- The first Streamertube Plane was installed in hall B and put into operations
- The Collaboration celebrated the event drinking this bottle of champagne and signing the bottle.

Some signatures are easily recognizable





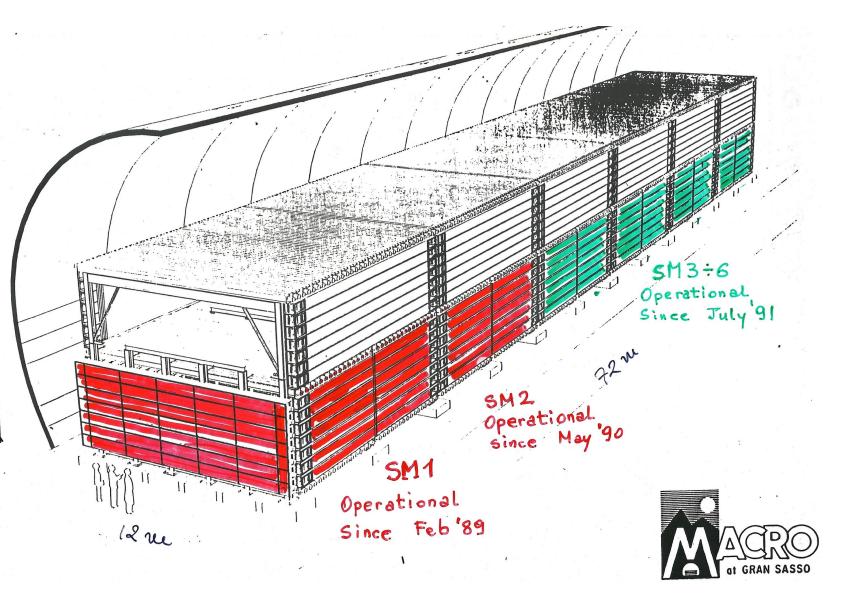
The conditions for installation were very hard:

- insufficient light for mounting streamer tubes;
- cold and humid (6 C, 100% humidity);
- water spread everywhere on the floor;
- need of heaters to protect the HV connections on streamer tubes;

Some months after the hall B conditions improved and the installation of Macro went ahead rather fast.







 In the summary reported in CNII meeting taken in Sept 1991 the implementation of the Macro detector, as in the proposal, proceeded in the following steps:

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- 1) SM1 operational since Feb 1989
- 2) SM 2 operational since May 1990
- 3) SM 3,4,5,6 operational since Jul 1991