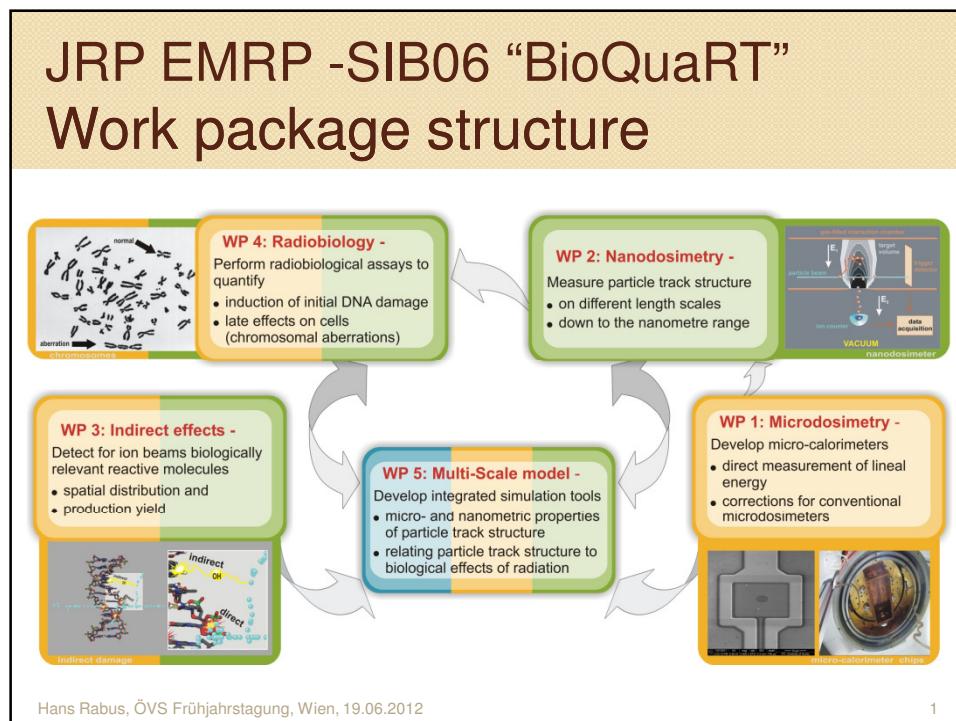


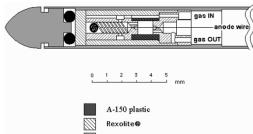
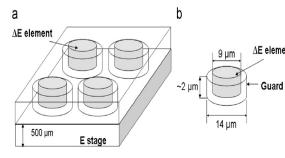
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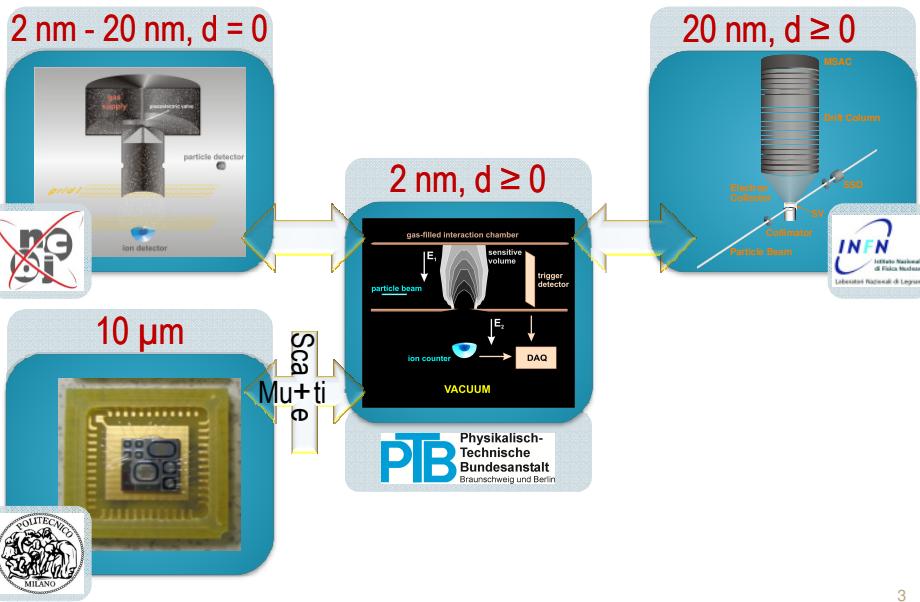
## WP1: Microdosimetry

	<b>Microcalorimeter:</b> Measures energy deposition, medium is water equivalent	Cryogenic technology  <b>NPL</b> National Physical Laboratory
	<b>Mini-TEPC</b> Sensitivity, flexible	Gas phase, measures ionisation  <b>INFN</b> Istituto Nazionale di Fisica Nucleare Laboratori Nazionali di Legnaro
	<b>Si microtelescope</b> Condensed phase, simultaneous differential and total energy measurement	Measures ionisation, medium is non-water equivalent  

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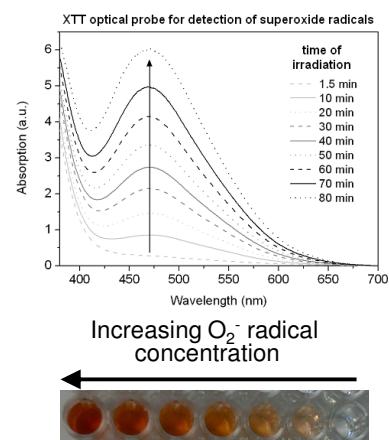
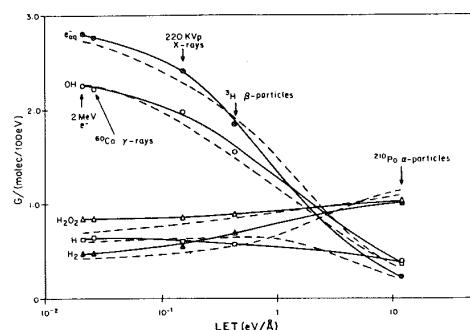
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## Work Package 3 – Indirect Effects

### Biologically significant reactive species in bulk solution Quantification      Spatial distribution

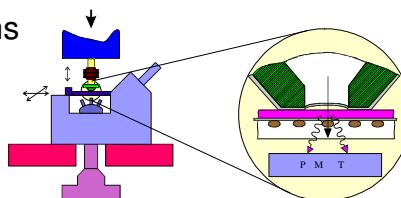


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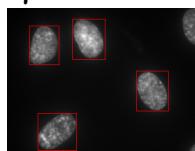
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## Work Package 4: Biology

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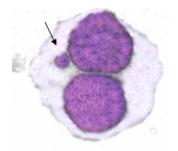
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### ➤ dicentric chromosomes

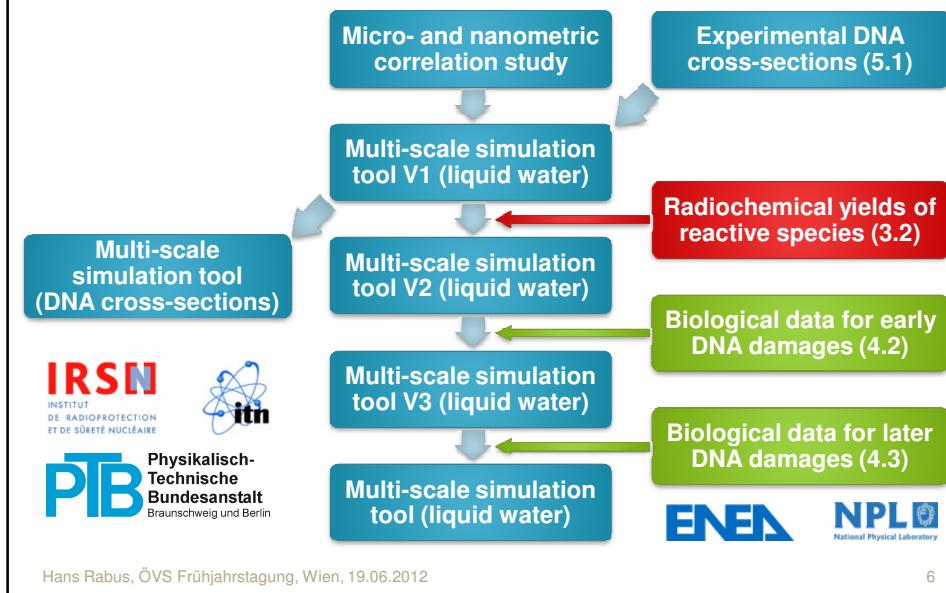


### ➤ micronuclei



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## WP5 – Multi-scale modelling



## BioQuaRT Collaborators

### Microdosimetry



### Nanodosimetry



### Indirect Effects



### Multi-scale model



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