

# EXPERIMENTAL ASPECTS

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# SUMMARY

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- Not possible to organize a dedicated workshop in the past two months
- On going discussions around BSide, PIXIE, Core+
- JP Maillard, N. Aghanim++ have lead parallel work on spectroscopy
- Started to work on a draft of the « instrument/system » section of the RoadMap report

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- How do science targets and foreground subtraction drive the instrument design
- Recap on current and forecast experimental landscape (Ken's draft)

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- Requirements, perms and cross-constraints on fsky, angular scales, ground/balloon/sat
- Ken's landscape summary and review of ground vs balloons vs sat

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Systematic effects, known and new ones (Pilot, NIKA), requirements

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What possibilities in terms of detectors : sensitivity, bands, FOV, power consumption, manufacturing cycles, time constants...

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Constraints and prospects on spectrometer designs

**Talk by JP Maillard today**

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# NEXT

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- Gather inputs on this outline and will to contribute
- tex draft on the SVN repo
- Organize a series of progress status telecons with WG leaders to coordinate the redaction ?