An Innovative Positron Spectrometer to Search for the Lepton Flavour Violating Muon Decay with a Sensitivity of 10⁻¹³

(µ粒子のフレーバ非保存崩壊を10⁻¹³の感度で探索する高感度陽電子分光計の開発)

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Muon Decay in SM (1)

| Decay Mode | Branching Ratio |
|--|-------------------------------------|
| $\mu \rightarrow e \nu \nu$ (Michel) | ~ 100 % |
| $\mu \rightarrow e \nu \nu \gamma$ (Radiative) | 1.4 % (E _γ >10MeV) |
| $\mu \rightarrow e \nu \nu + e^+e^-$ | 3.4×10 ⁻⁵ |
| $\mu \rightarrow e\gamma$ | <1.2×10 ⁻¹¹ (MEGA, 1999) |

 $\mu \rightarrow e \gamma Decav$

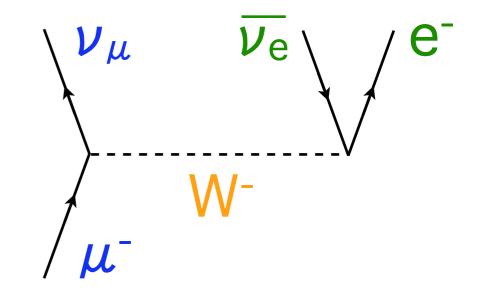
Muon Decay in SM (2)

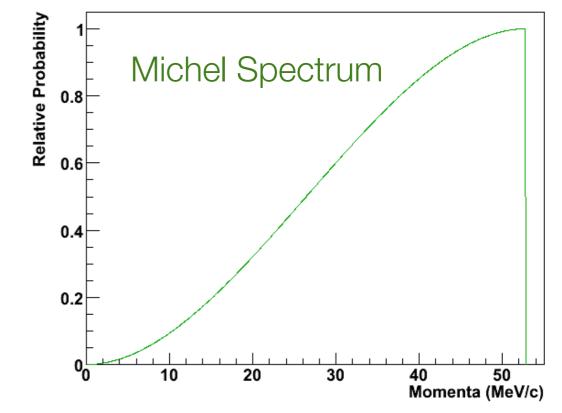
• Michel Decay : $\mu^- \rightarrow e^- \nu_\mu \overline{\nu_e} / \mu^+ \rightarrow e^+ \overline{\nu_\mu} \nu_e$

$$\mathcal{M} = -\frac{4G_F}{\sqrt{2}} \sum_{\substack{\gamma = \mathrm{S}, \mathrm{V}, \mathrm{T}\\\epsilon, \mu = \mathrm{R}, \mathrm{L}}} g_{\epsilon\mu}^{\gamma} \left\langle \bar{\mathrm{e}}_{\epsilon} \right| \Gamma^{\gamma} \left| (\nu_{\mathrm{e}})_n \right\rangle \left\langle (\bar{\nu}_{\mu})_m \right| \Gamma_{\gamma} \left| \mu_{\mu} \right\rangle$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\mathrm{d}^2 \Gamma}{\mathrm{d}x \mathrm{d}(\cos \theta)} &= \frac{m_{\mu}}{4\pi^3} W_{\mathrm{e}\mu}^4 G_F^2 \sqrt{x^2 - x_0^2} \\ &\times \left[\mathcal{F}_{IS}(x) + P_{\mu} \cos \theta_{\mathrm{e}} \mathcal{F}_{AS}(x) \right] \\ &\times \left[1 + \vec{P}_{\mathrm{e}}(x, \theta_{\mathrm{e}}) \cdot \hat{\zeta} \right] \end{aligned}$$

$$\mathcal{F}_{IS} = x(1-x) + \frac{2}{9}\rho(4x^2 - 3x - x_0^2) + \eta x_0(1-x),$$
$$\mathcal{F}_{AS} = \frac{1}{3}\xi\sqrt{x^2 - x_0^2} \left[1 - x + \frac{2}{3}\delta\left(4x - 3 - \left(1 - \sqrt{1 - x_0^2}\right)\right)\right]$$

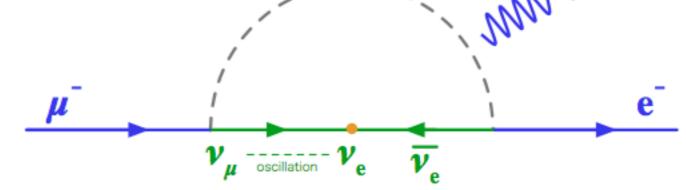






Muon Decay in SM (3)

- Lepton Flavour Violation (LFV)
 - Lepton Family Number Conservation in SM
 - Neutrino-Oscillation
 - Charged Lepton ???



- Muon Rare Decay Search
 - e.g. $\mu \rightarrow e\gamma$ Decay

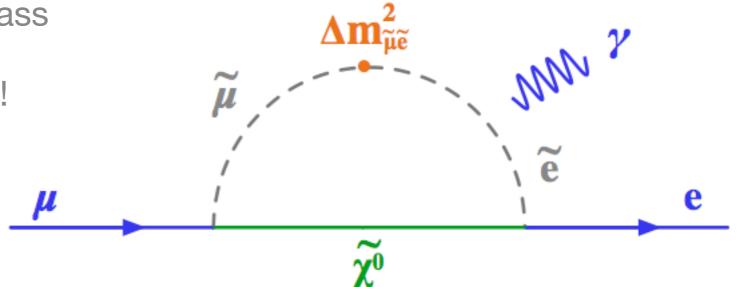




$\mu \rightarrow e\gamma$ in SUSY (1)

LFV is expected to be enhanced by SUSY !!

- Brand-New Candidate of LFV Source
- Without Suppression by ν-mass
- The First Evidence of SUSY !!
- Muon is Suitable Probe
 - e.g. $\mu \rightarrow e\gamma$ Decay

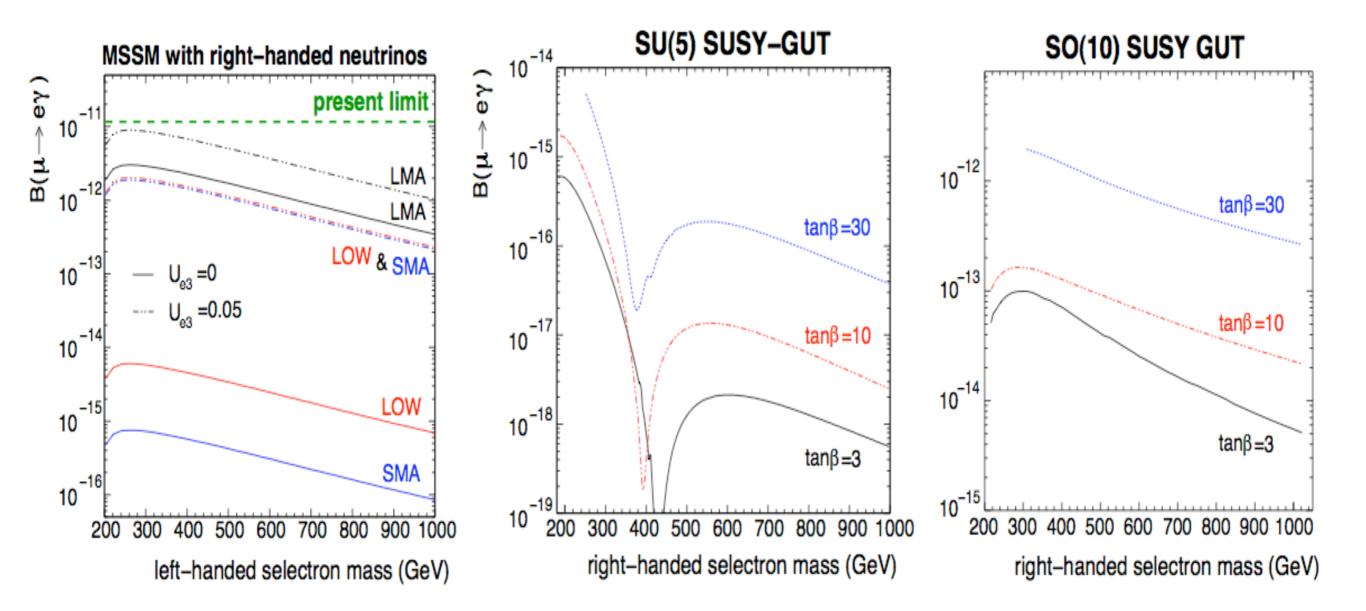


$$\mathcal{B}(\mu \to \mathbf{e}\gamma) \simeq \frac{\alpha^3 \pi \theta_{\tilde{e}\tilde{\mu}}^2}{G_F^2 \tilde{m}^4} \implies 10^{-15} \sim 10^{-11} \, !!$$



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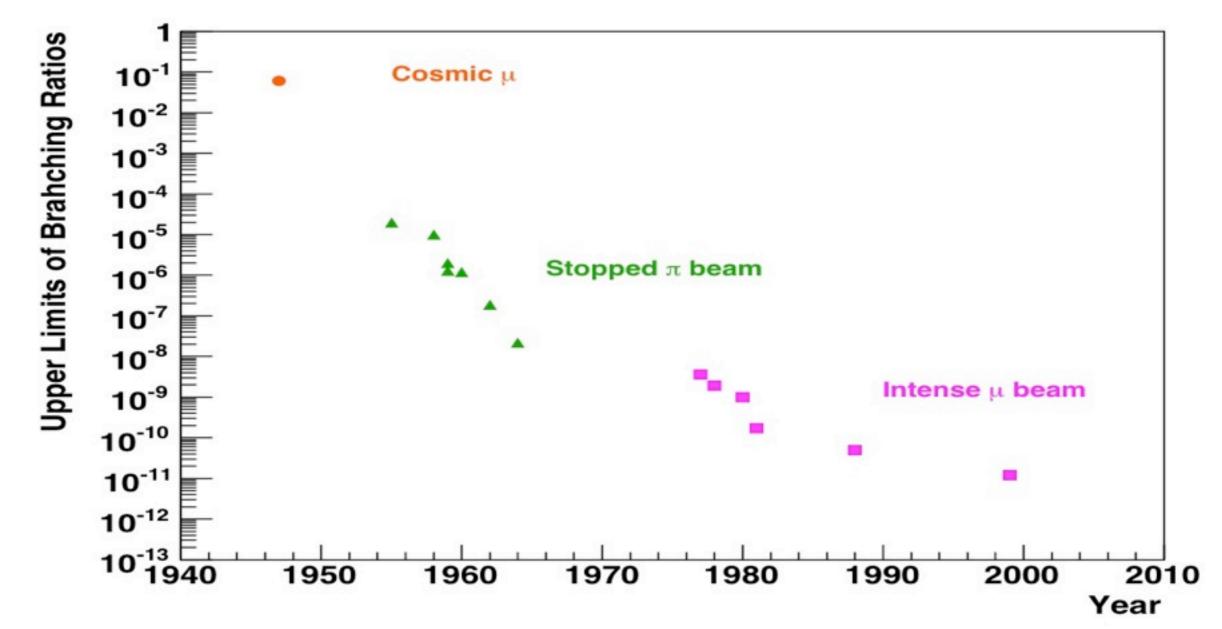
• Many SUSY-based models predict large $B(\mu \rightarrow e\gamma) \parallel$





$\mu \rightarrow e\gamma$ Search Experiment

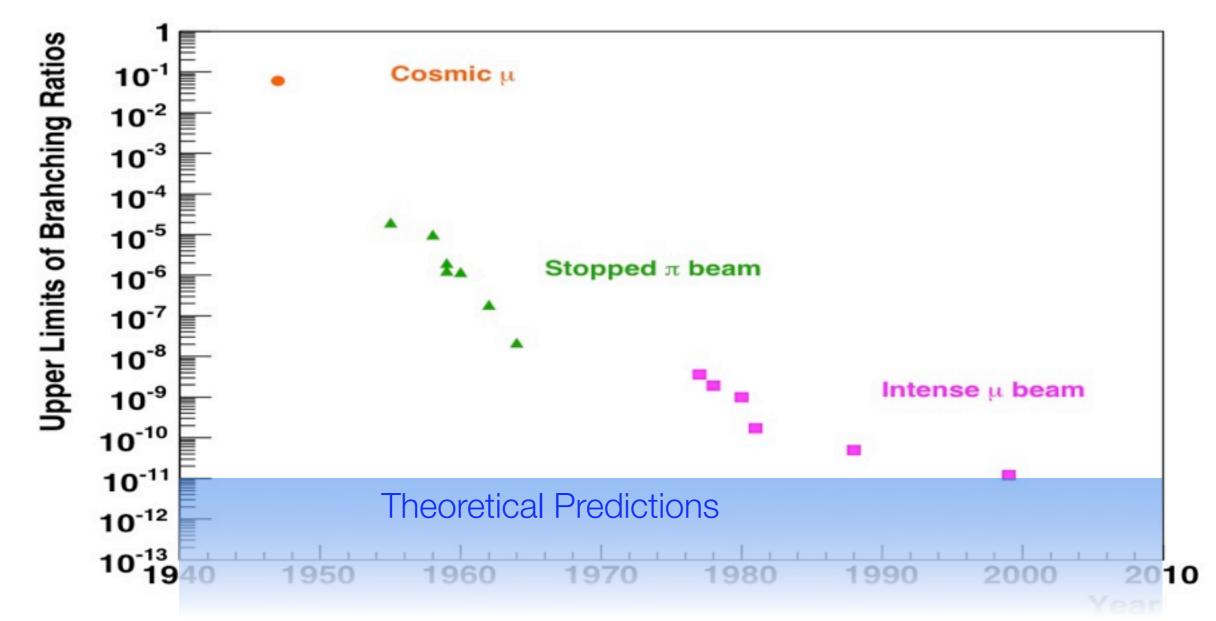
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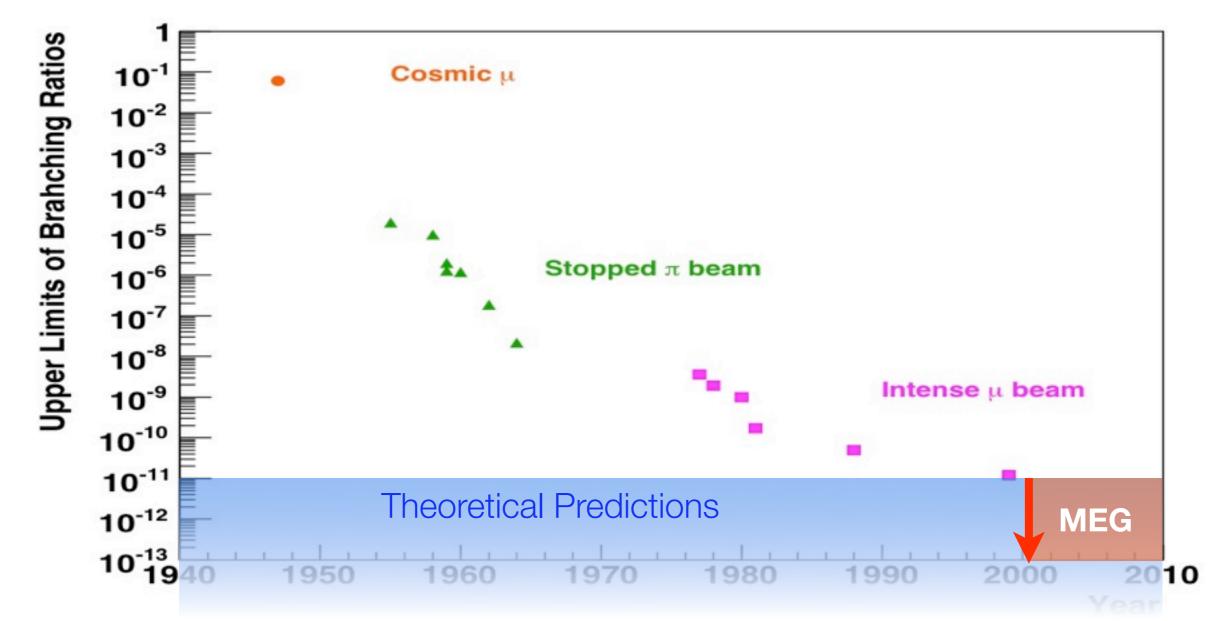
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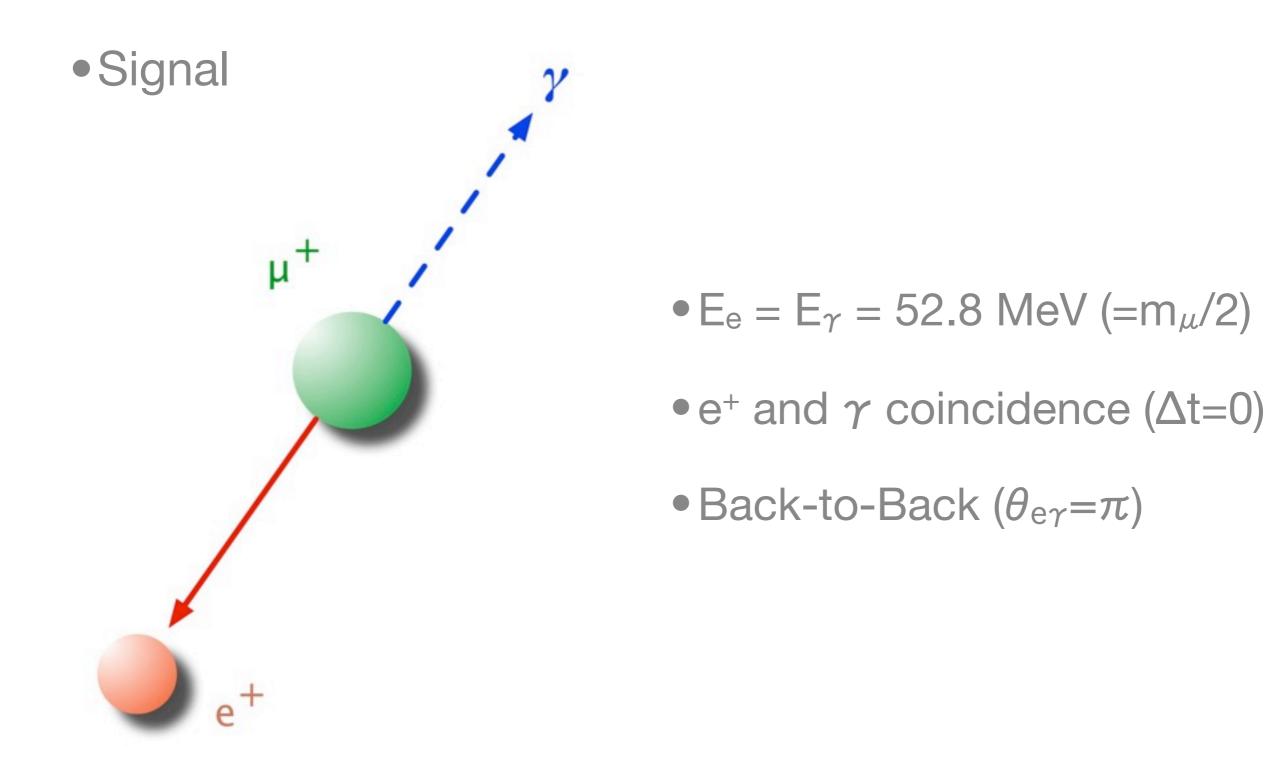
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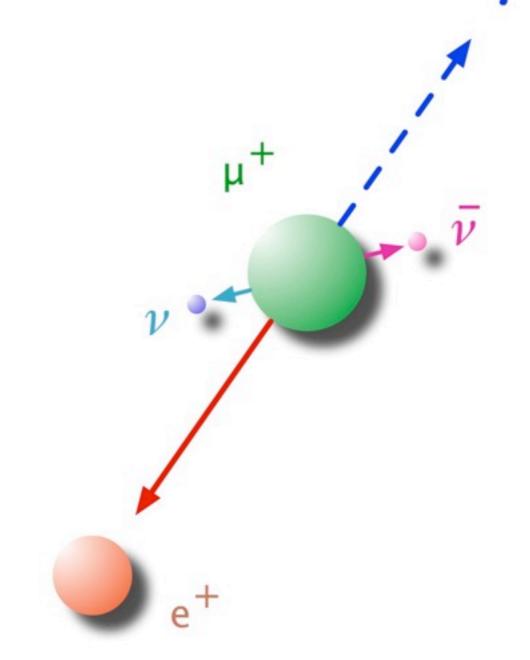
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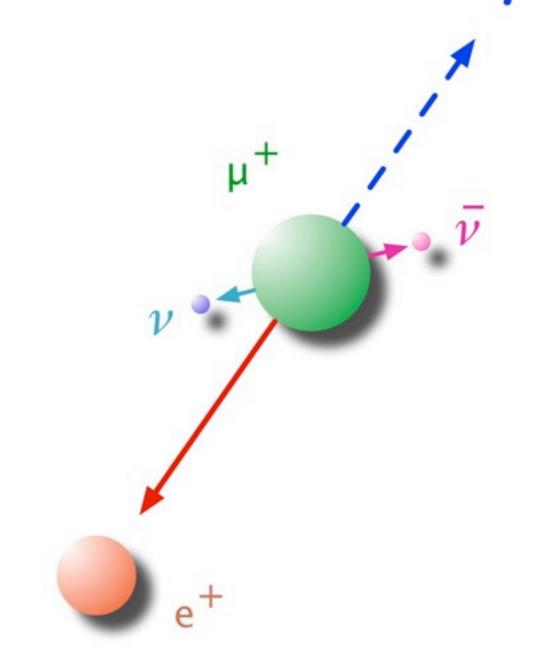


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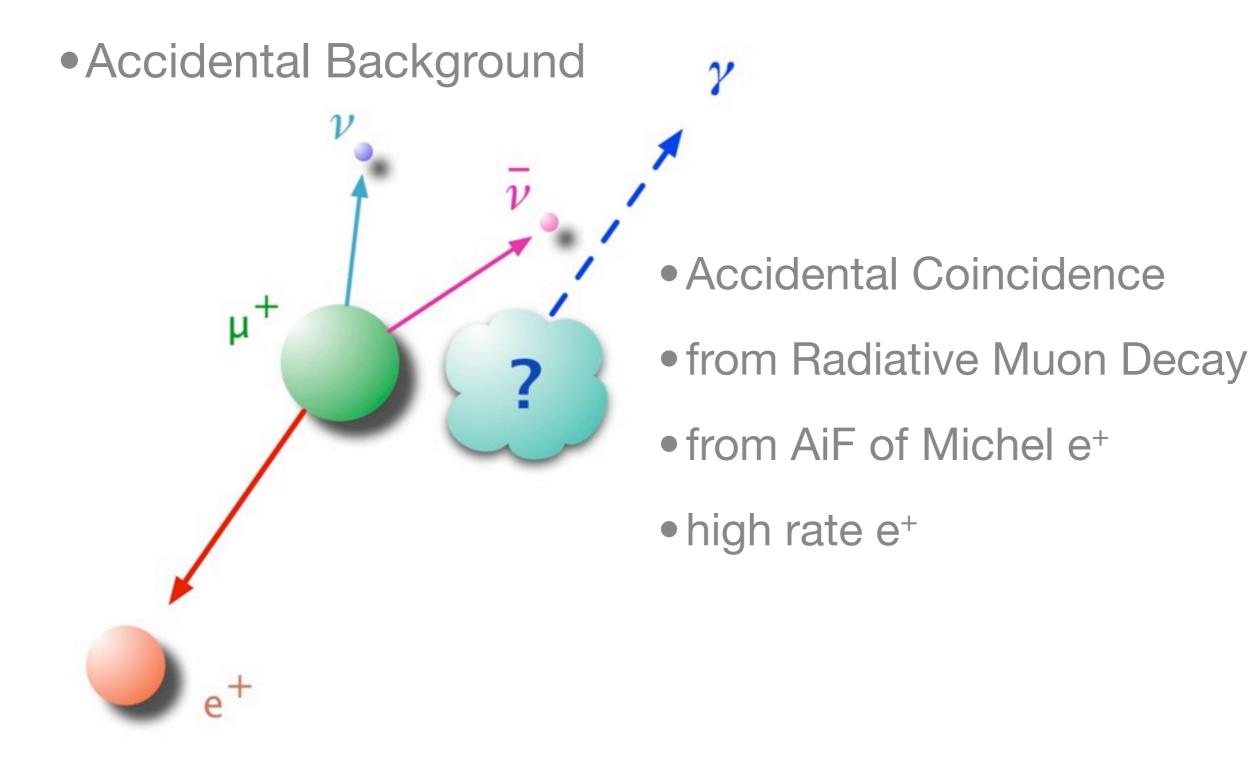


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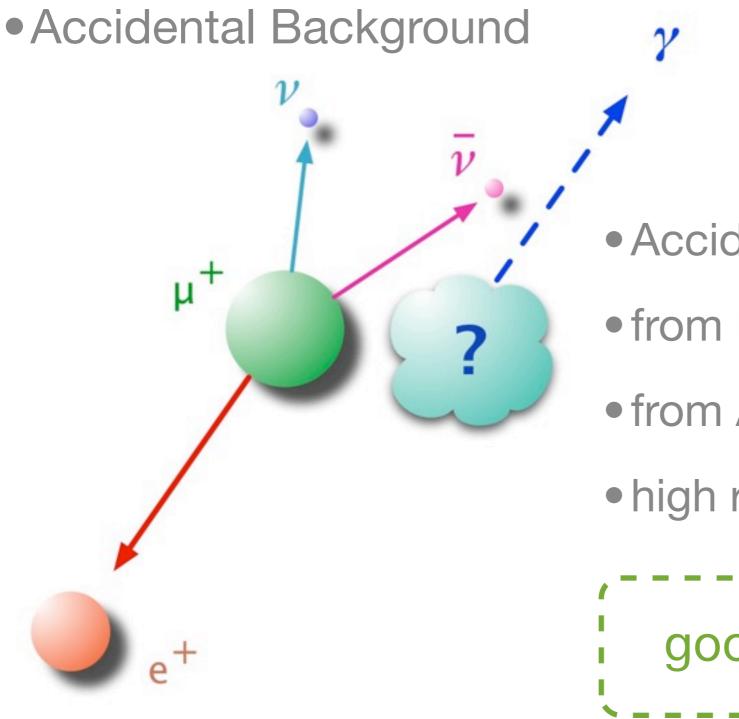


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Accidental Coincidence

from Radiative Muon Decay

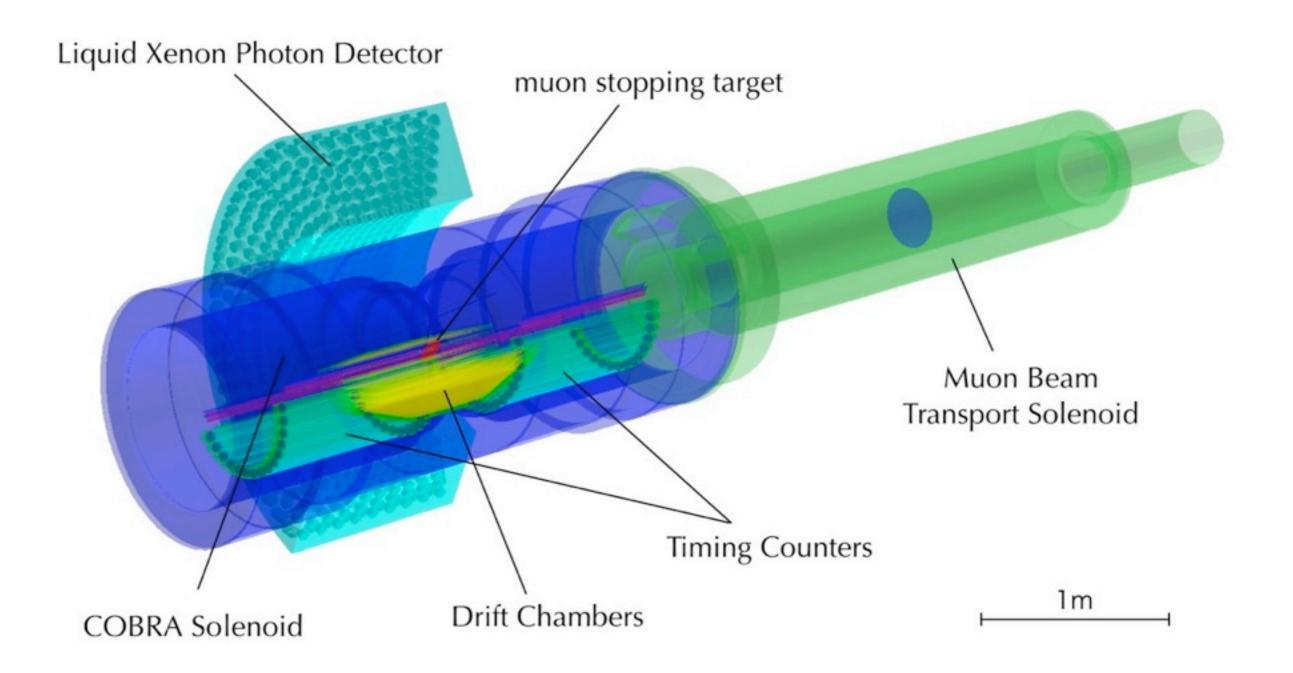
• from AiF of Michel e⁺

high rate e⁺

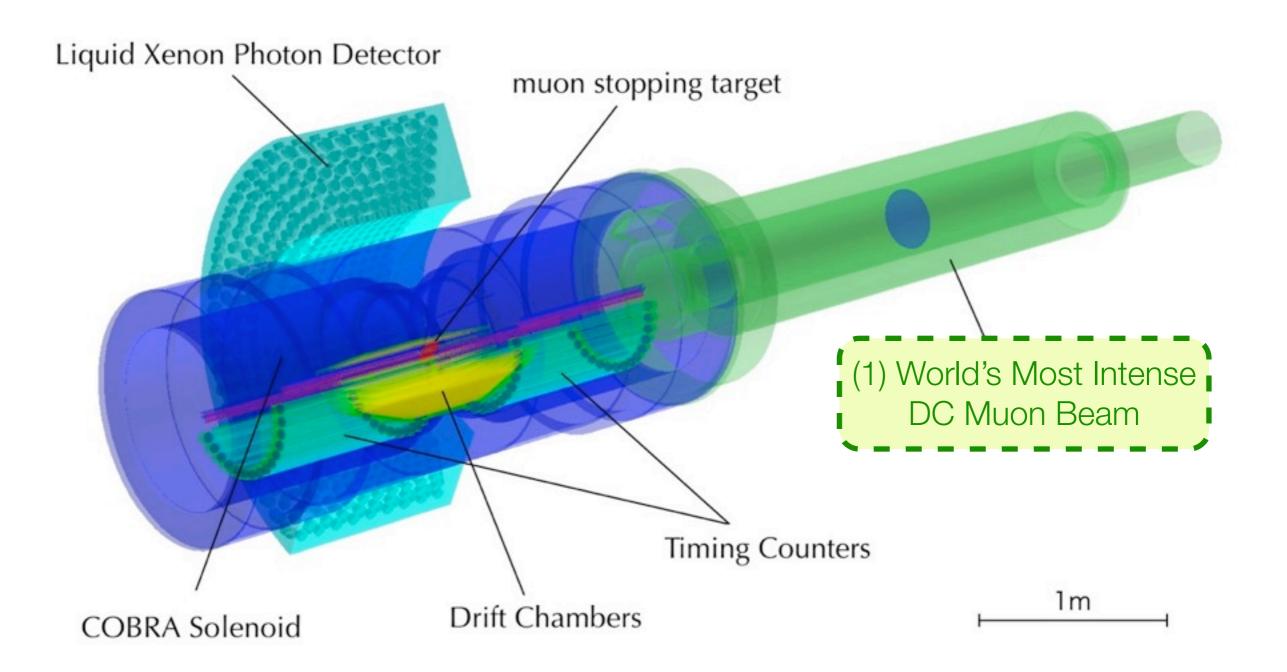




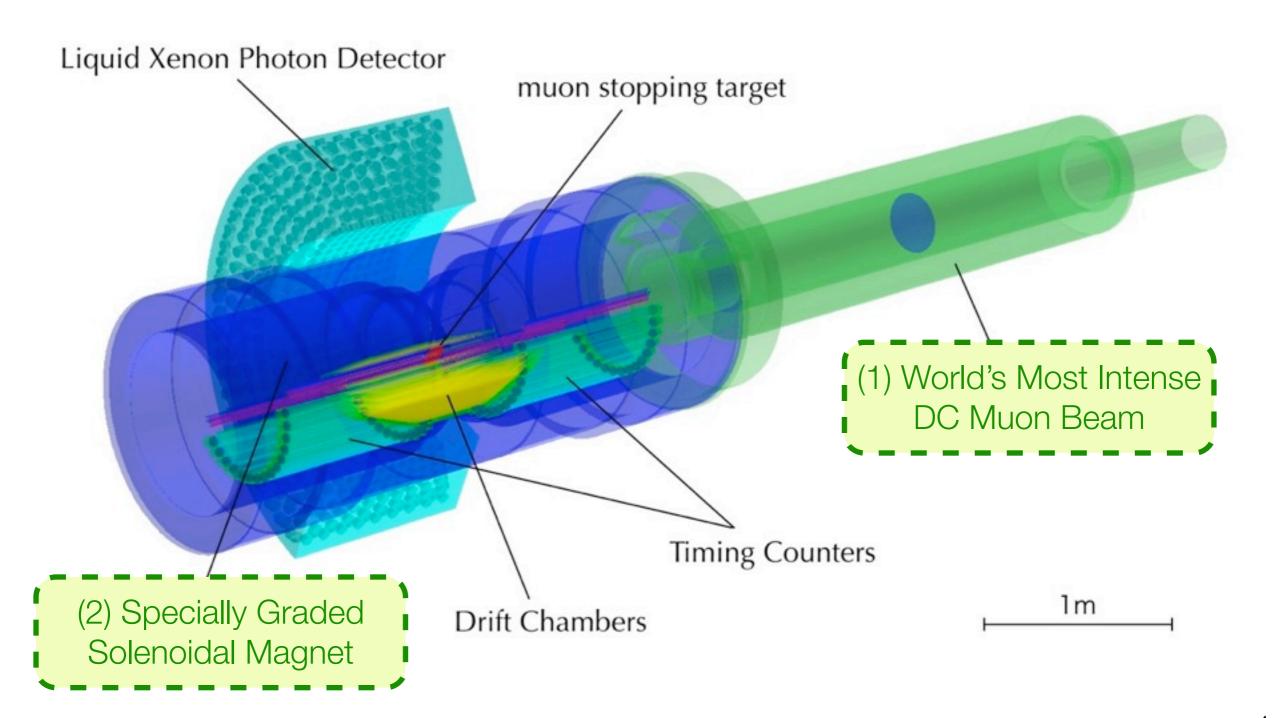




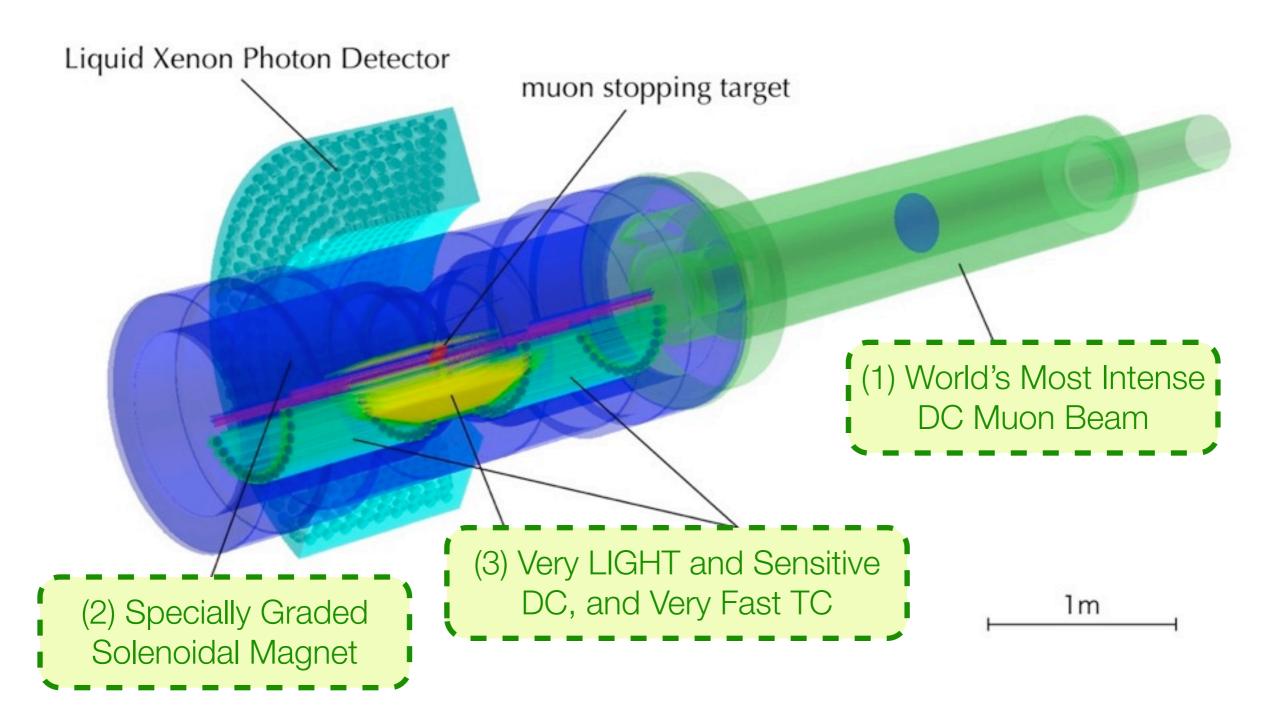




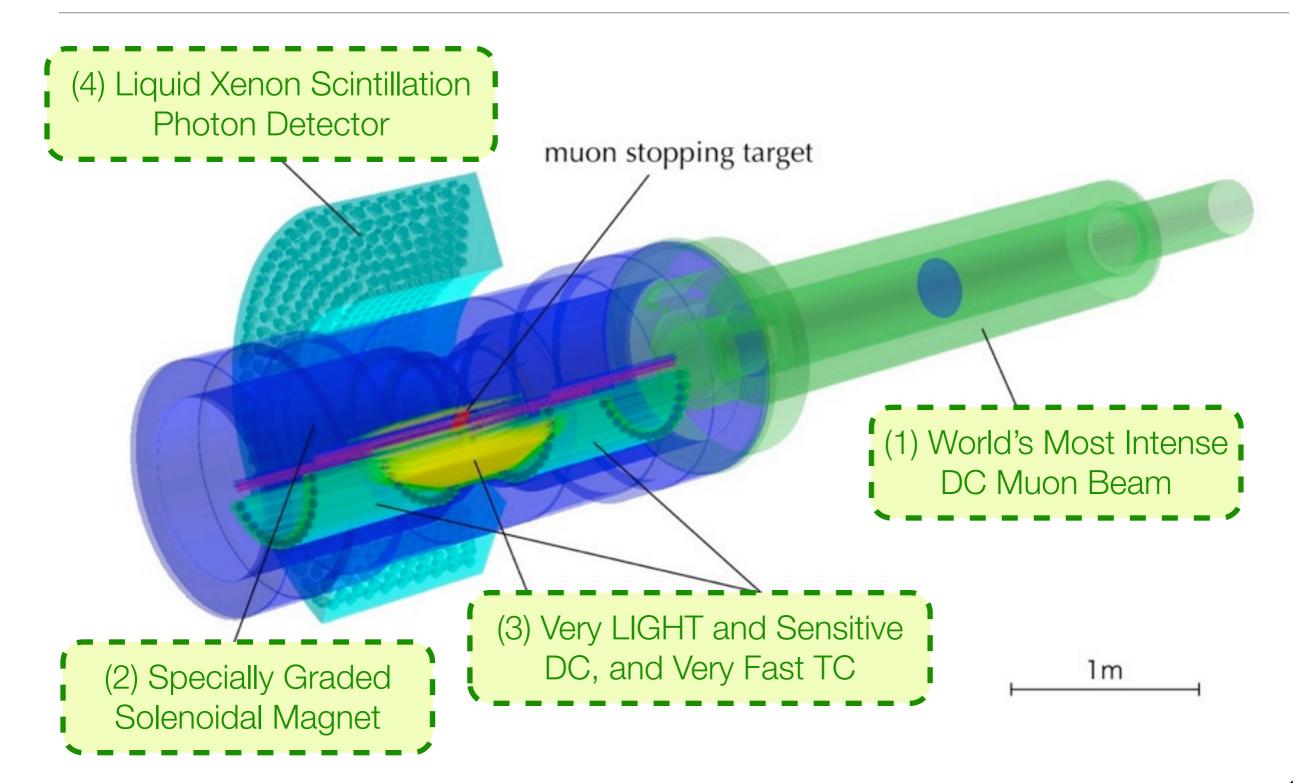




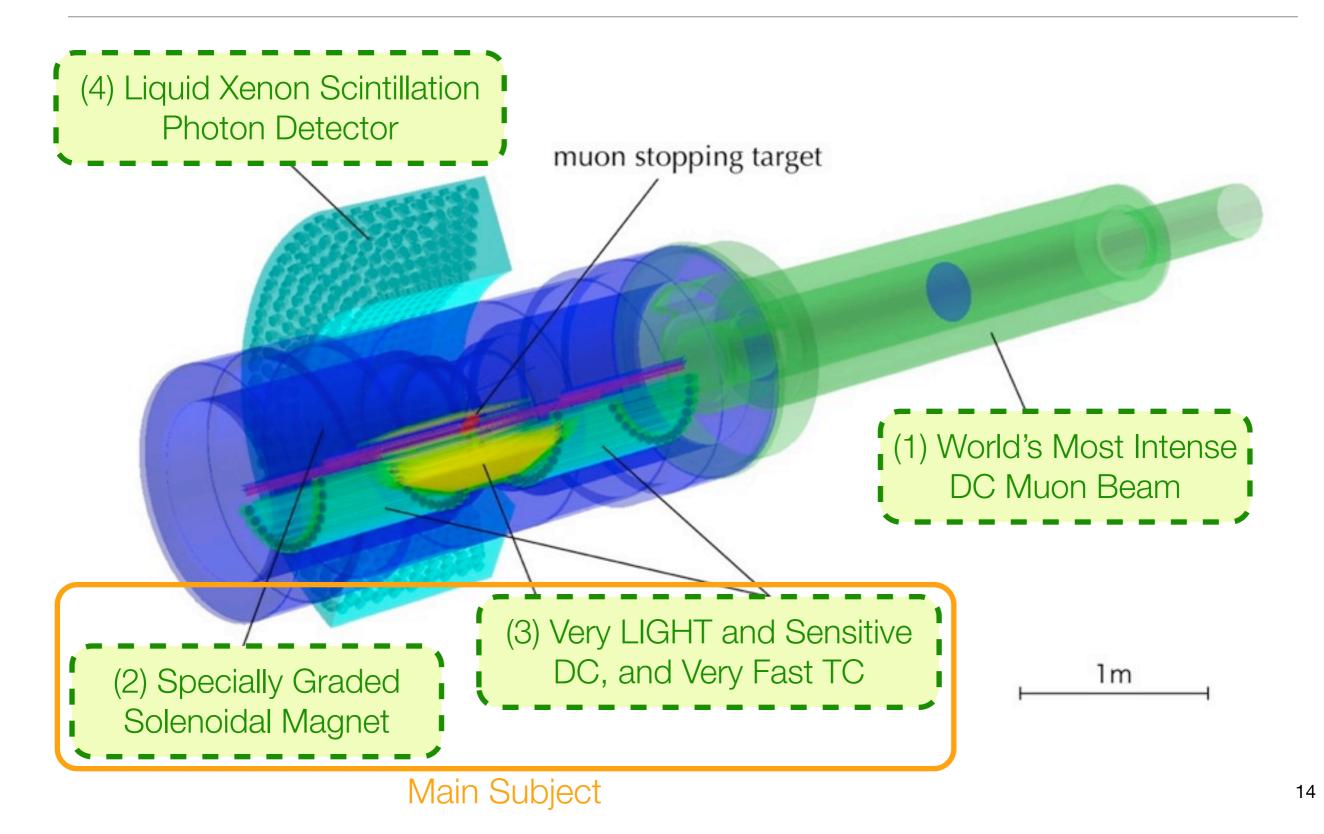






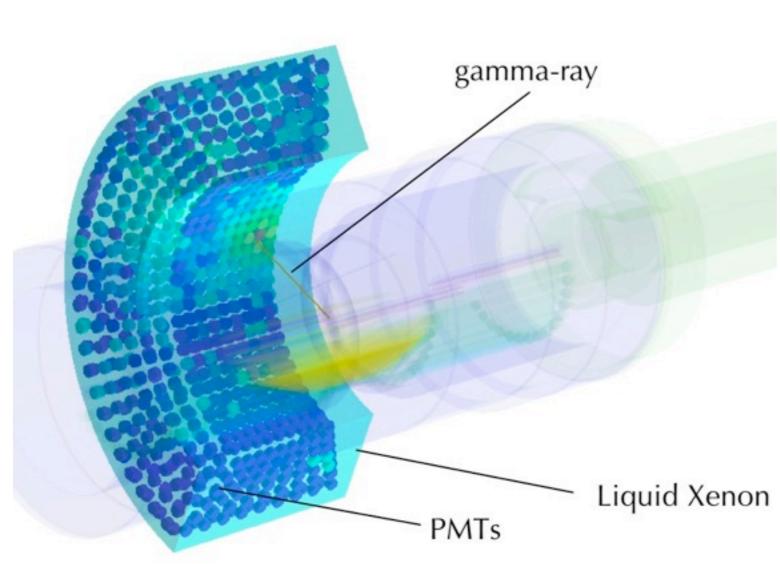






<u>MEG Experiment</u>

Photon Detector

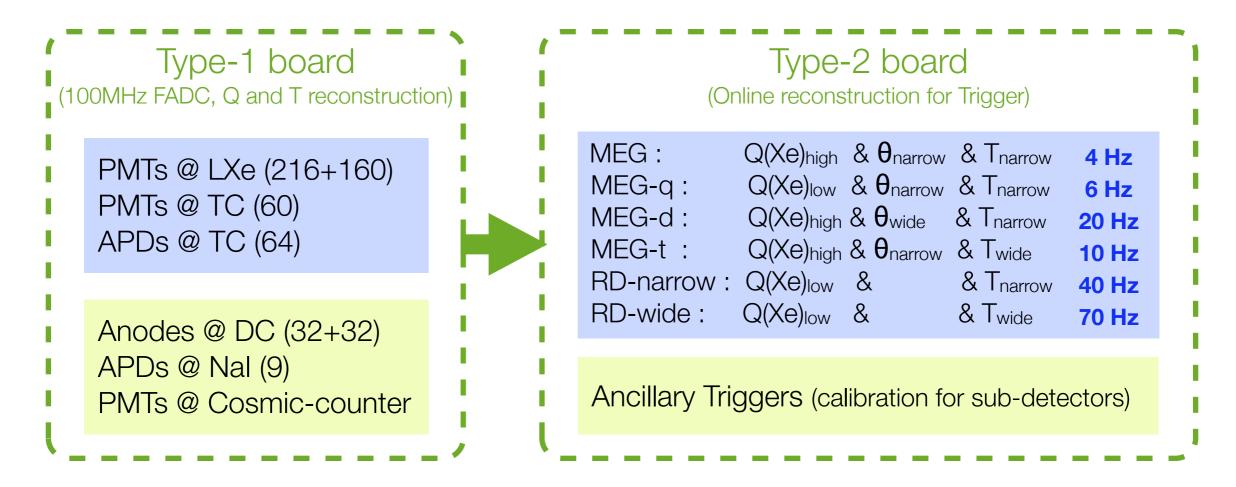


- Liquid Xenon Scintillation **Photon Detector**
- Very Heavy (2.98g/cc)
- High Light Yield (80% Nal)
 - Good Resolutions (E, x)
- Fast Decay Time
 - Good Timing Resolution
 - Operational @ High Rate
- Liquid Xenon Liquid
 - Uniform, Easy Design



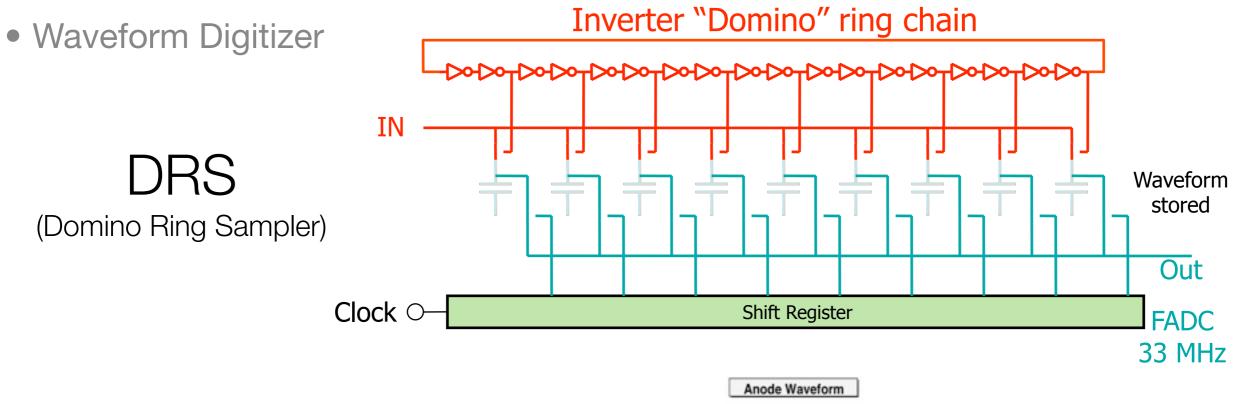
Trigger and DAQ (1)

• Trigger based on FADC and FPGA

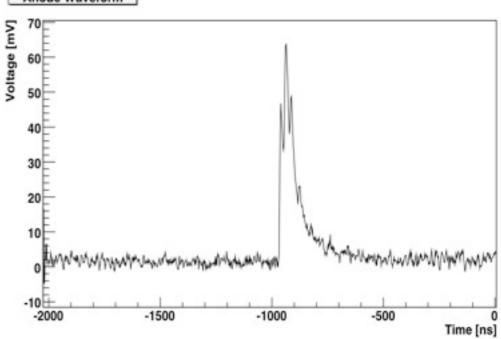


- All PMTs and APDs (LXe and TC) are sampled with 100MHz by Type-1 board and converted to Charge and Timing information.
- Type-2 receives Q/T from Type-1 and completes reconstruction. Energy / Angle / Time.
- µ→eγ Trigger is provided by "Q(LXe)" && "e⁺-γ Direction" && "e⁺-γ Coincidence"
- In the engineering run 2007, expected trigger rate has been confirmed.

Trigger and DAQ (2)



- ALL OUTPUTS are Recorded in Sampler
- 1024 capacitive sampling cells
- 1024 cells SCA
- 0.5 4 GHz sampling is available
- 1.8GHz for Xenon/TC and 500MHz for DC







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new sensitive & light DC

<u>e⁺ Spectrometer</u>

COBRA Spectrometer

- Lateral View -- Cross-sectional View -Target **COBRA** Solenoid Target Drift Chamber **Timing Counter Drift Chamber** Solenoid **Timing Counter** superconducting solenoid 2-layers of scintillators segmented radially (16 sectors) gradient B-field (0.5-1.7 T) helium:ethane (50:50) - scintillator bars (outer) very thin conductor and - scintillator fibres (inner) opened-frame cryostat wall (0.2X₀) very thin cathode foil with pads



COBRA Concept (1)

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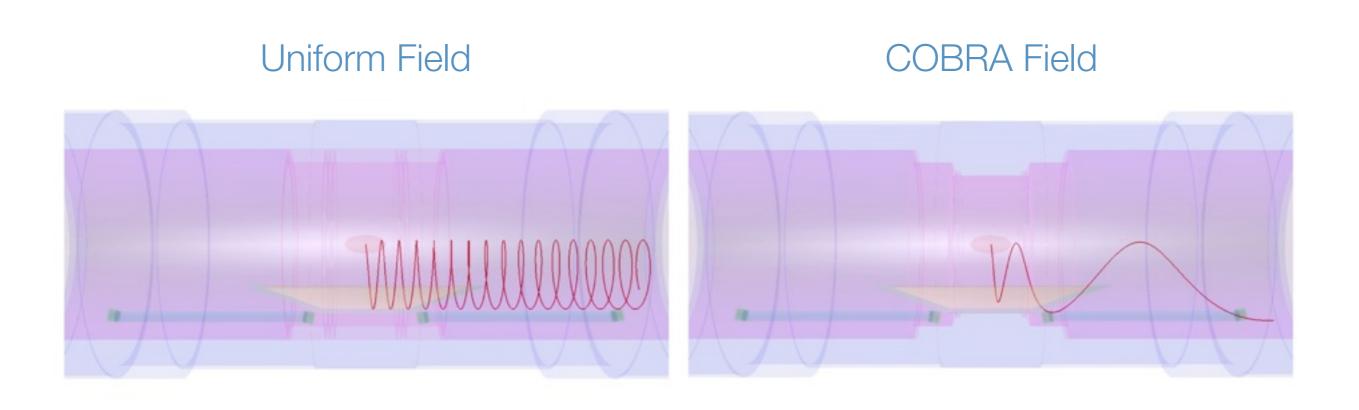


COBRA Concept (1)

 Uniform Field
 COBRA Field



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- Michel e⁺ can be swept away very quickly
- Wire-chamber based tracker is operational



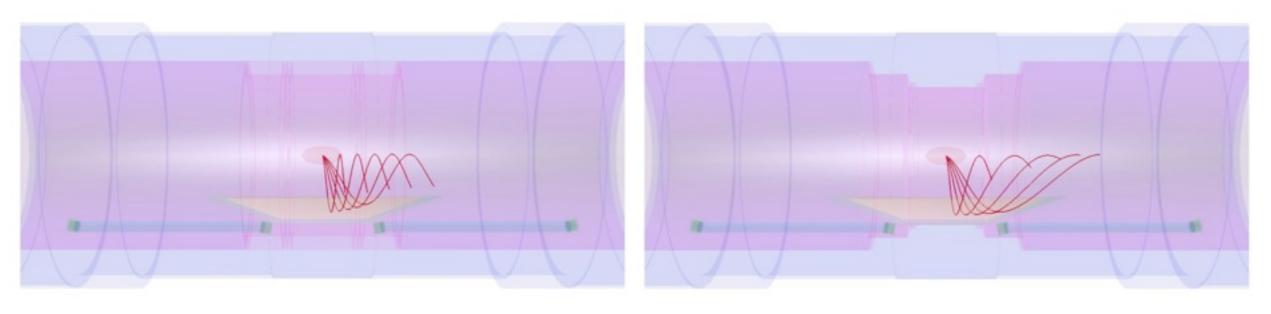
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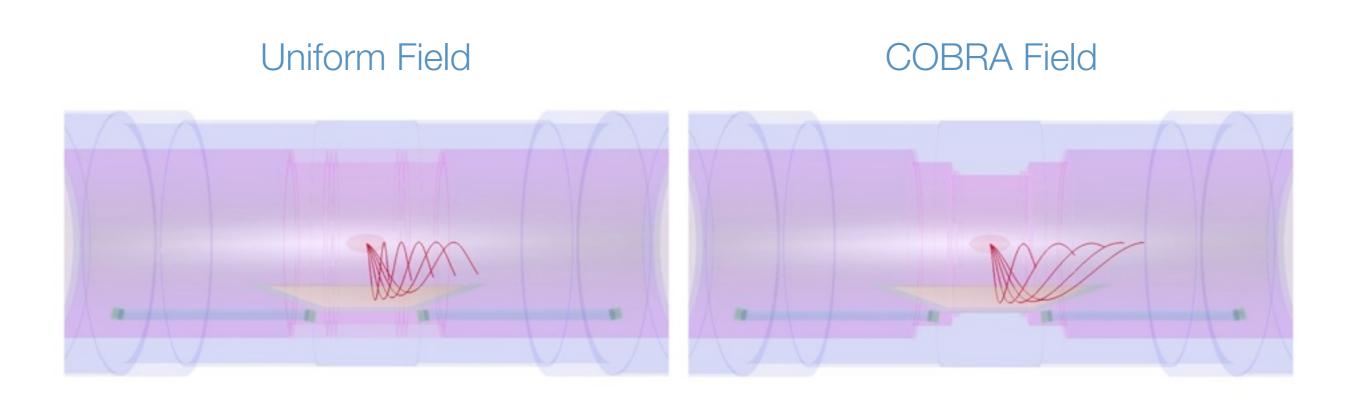
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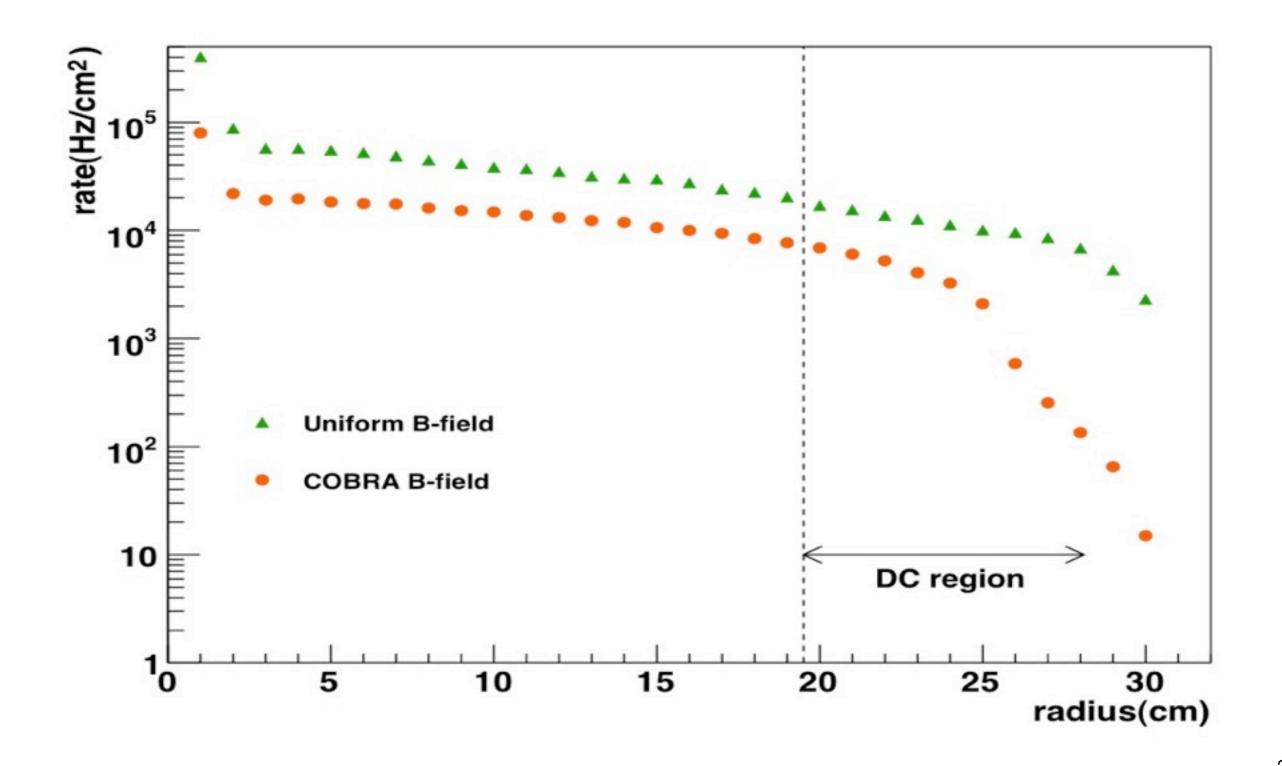
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- COnstant Bending RAdius is Possible
- DC is placed at larger-radii region only
- DC is sensitive to high-p region only, blind to most of Michel e⁺

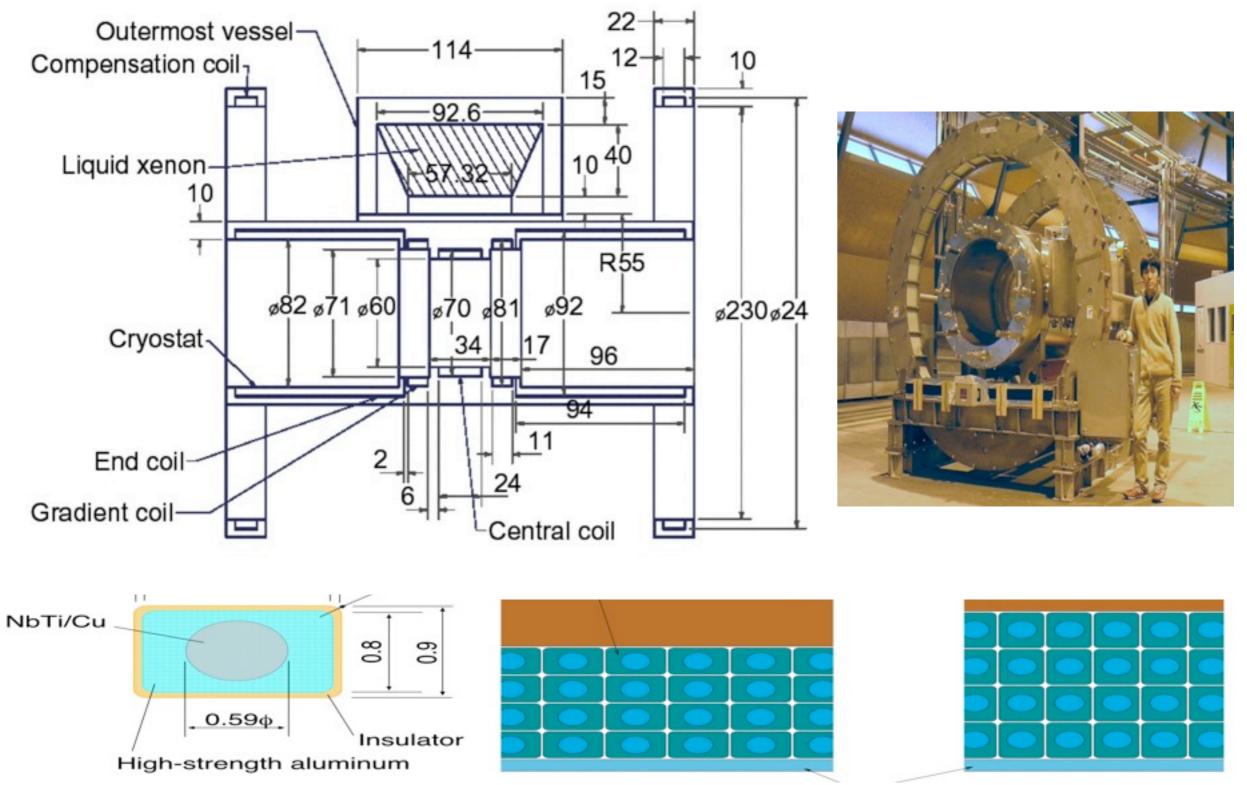


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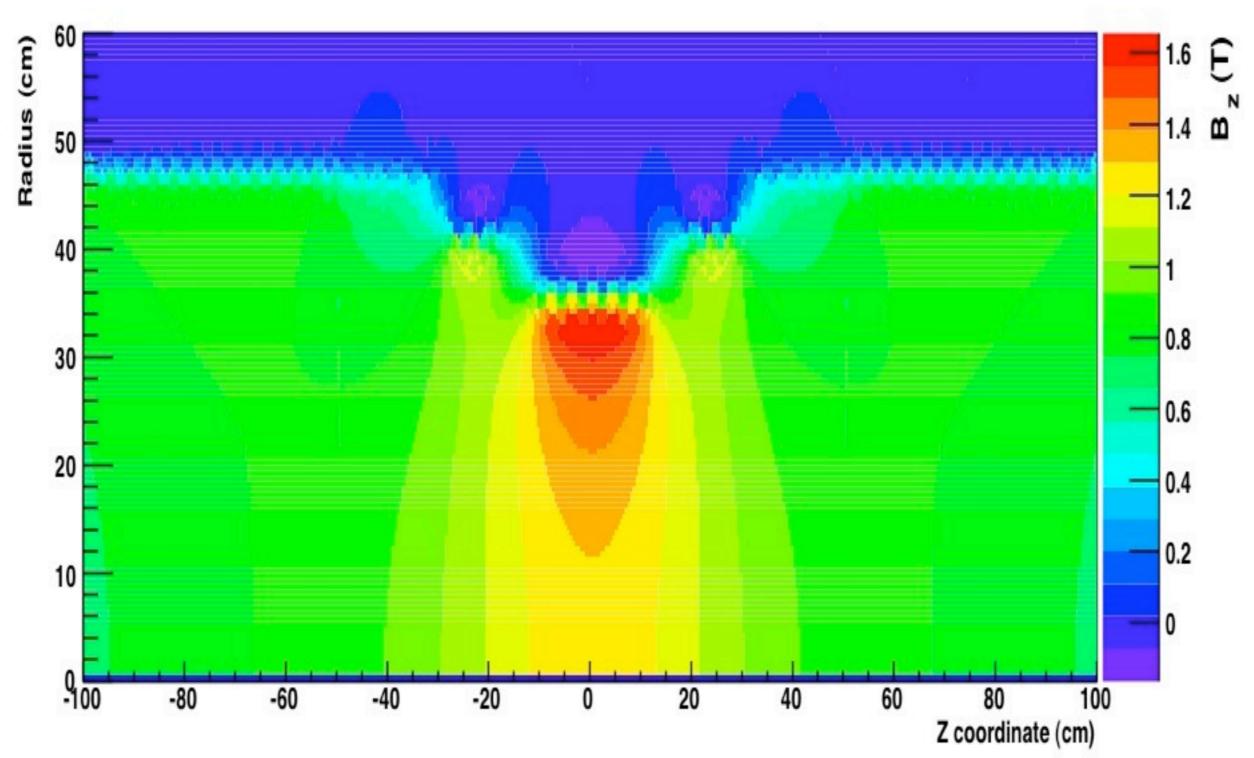


COBRA Magnet



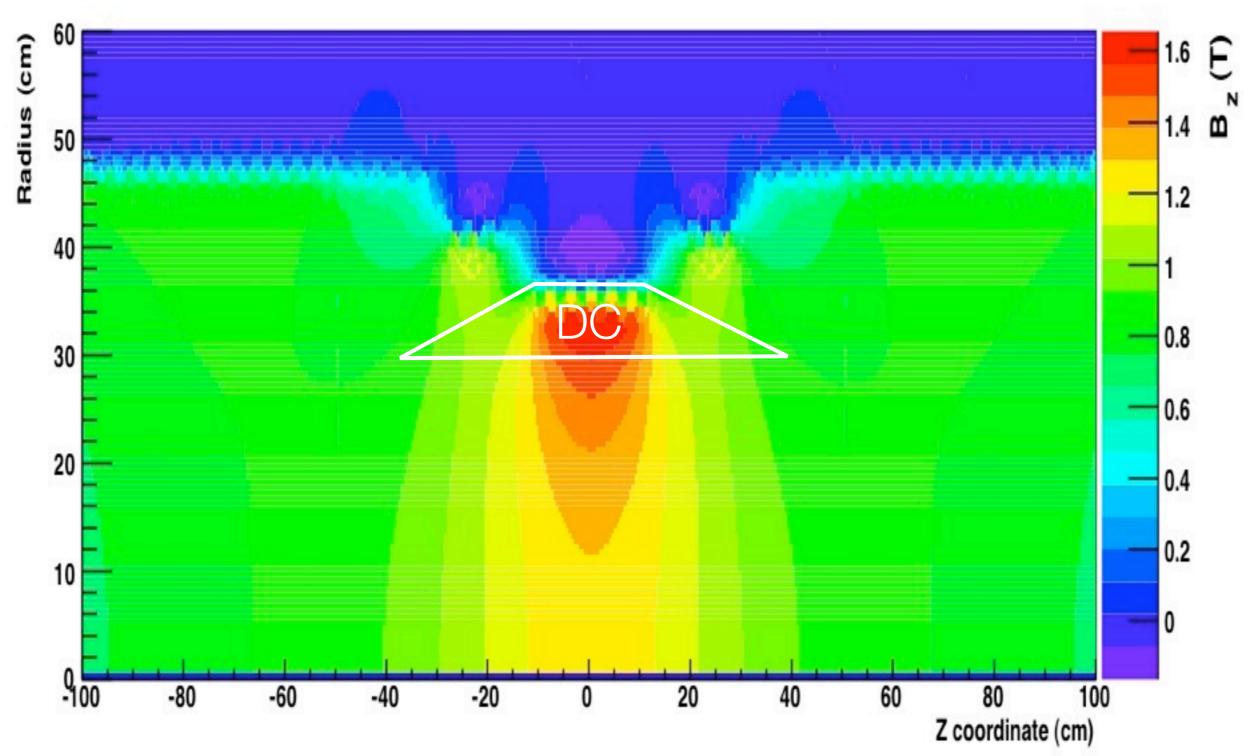
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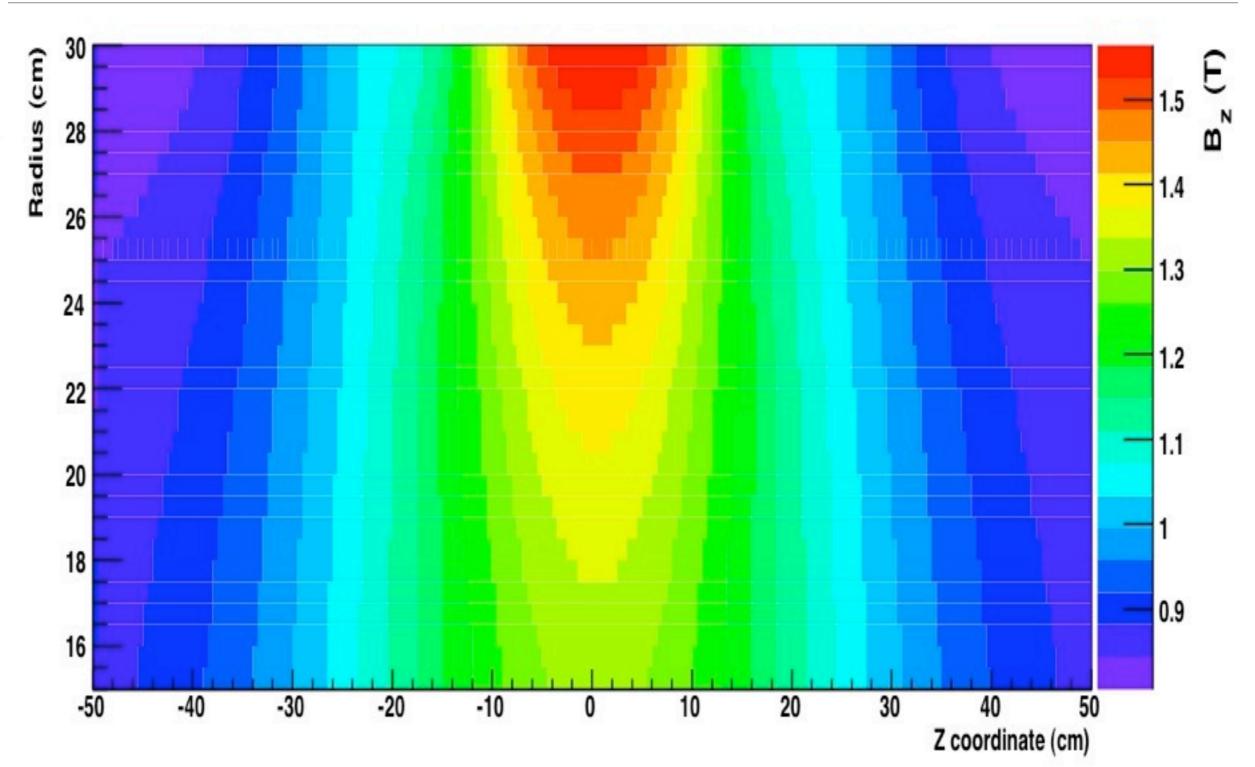
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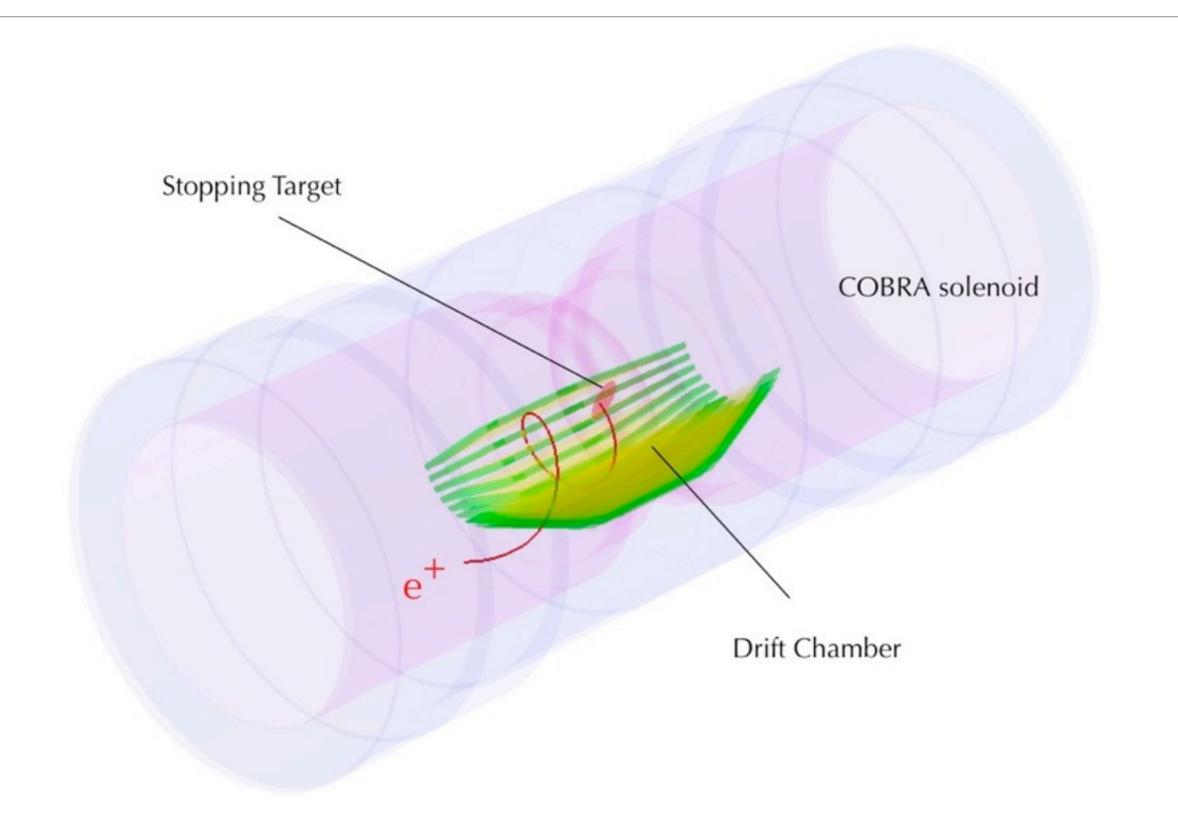




<u>e+ Spectrometer</u>

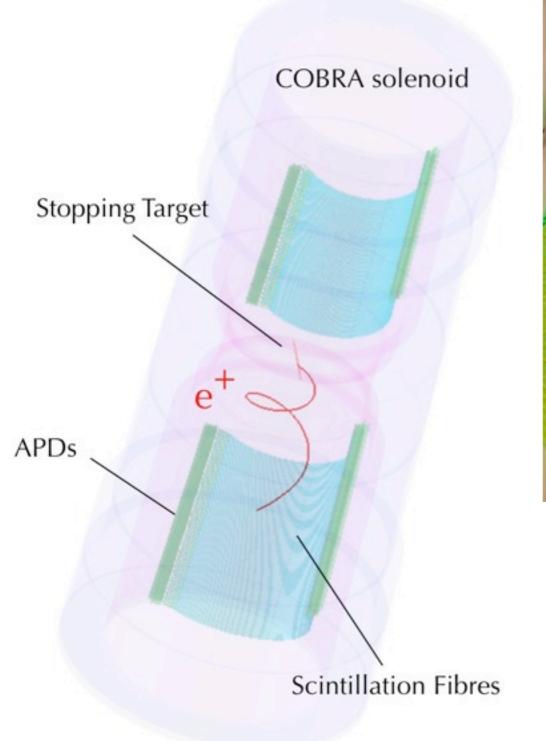


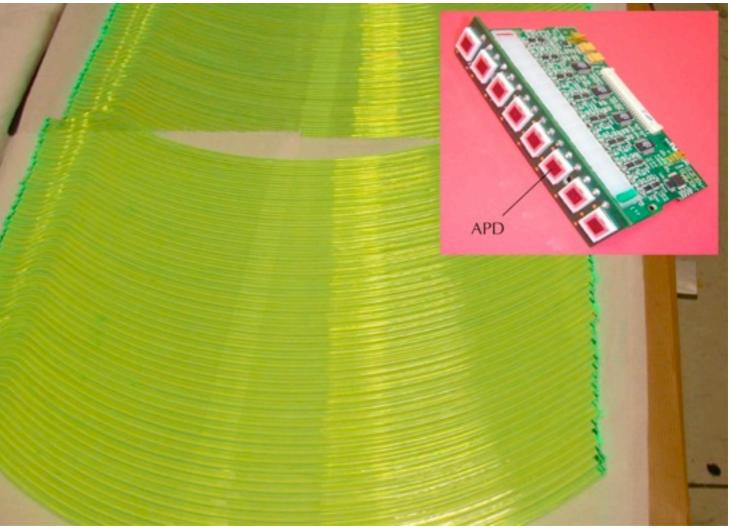
Positron Detection (DC)



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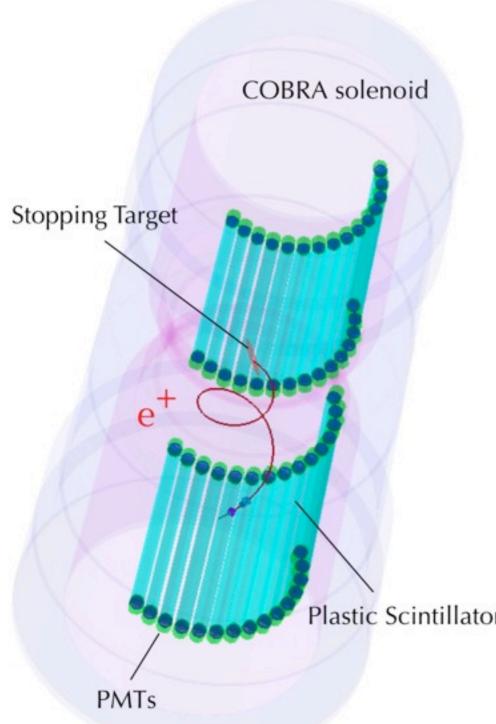


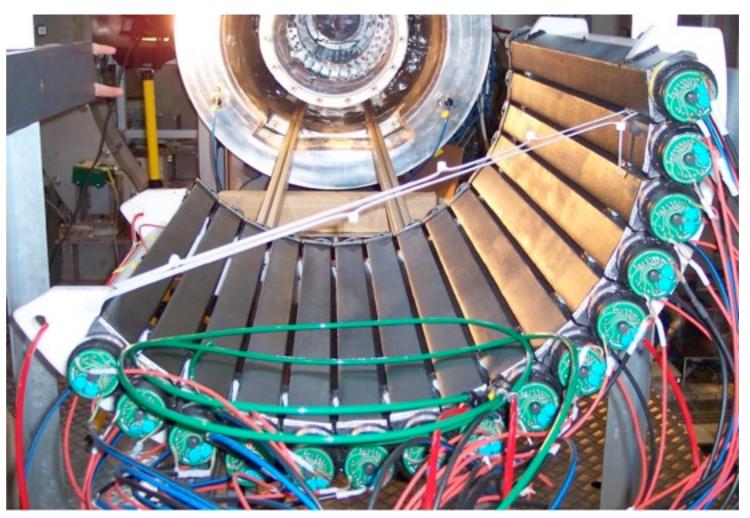


- 256 Plastic Scintillation Fibres (6x6mm², BCF-20)
- Both-end APDs (S8664-55), called z-counter
- Used for z-trigger

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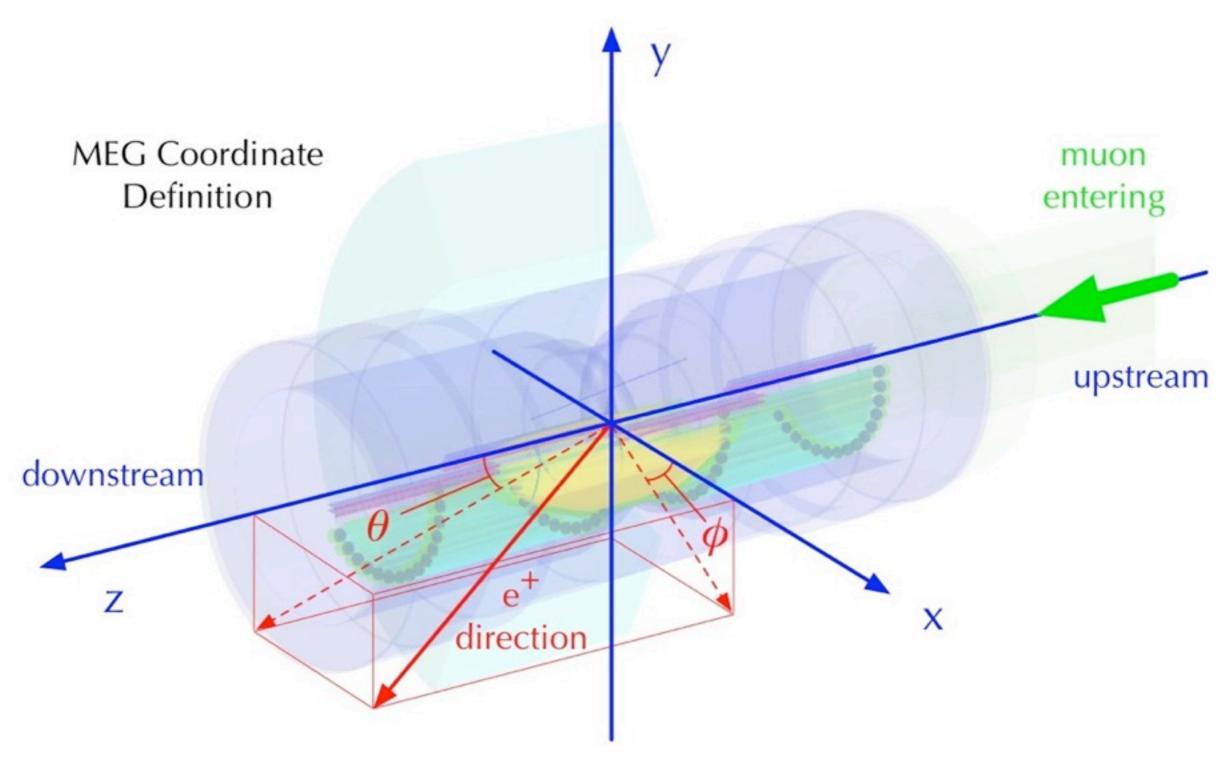




- 30 Plastic Scintillator Bars (4x4x90cm³, BC404)
- Plastic Scintillators Both-end PMTs (R5924), called phi-counter
 - Used for Trigger and Timing Measurement



Global Coordinate System







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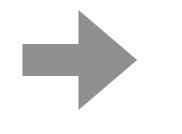
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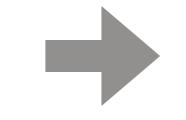
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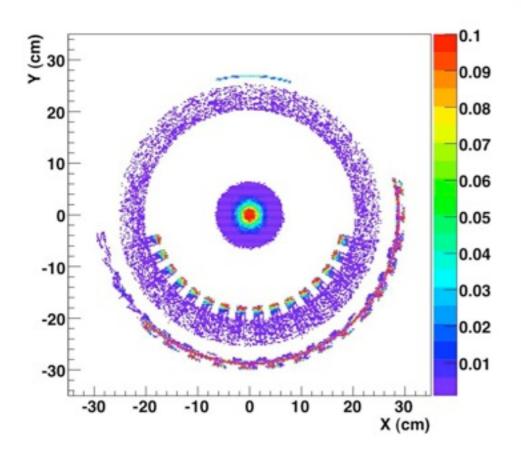


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- Ultimate-Low-mass
- Thin-cathode foil with Vernier pads
- Min.- readout channel

Overview

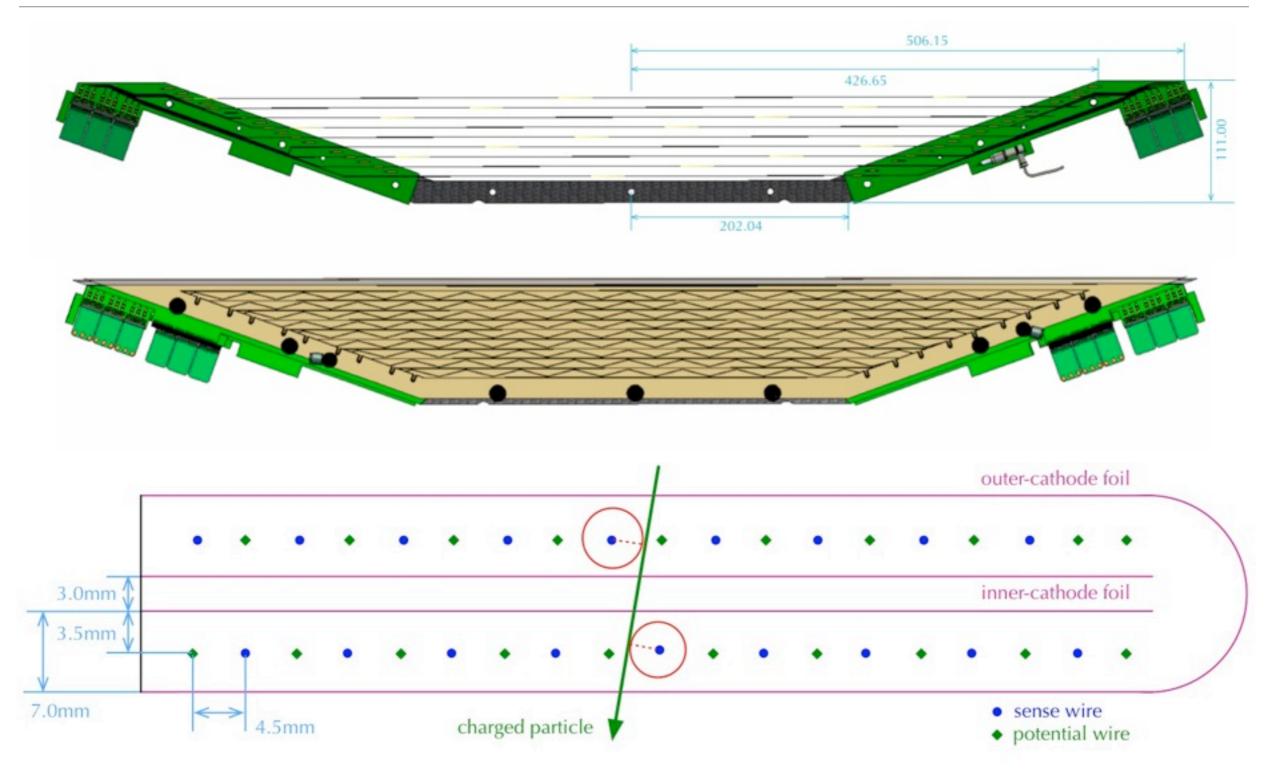




- 16 Segmented Module Structure
- Helium-Ethane gas mixture
- 2 Layers of axial wires
 - staggered sense and potential
 - without stereo wire
- carbon-fibre frame
 - open-structure
 - trapezium shape
- ultra-thin cathode foil
 - vernier-pad mechanism

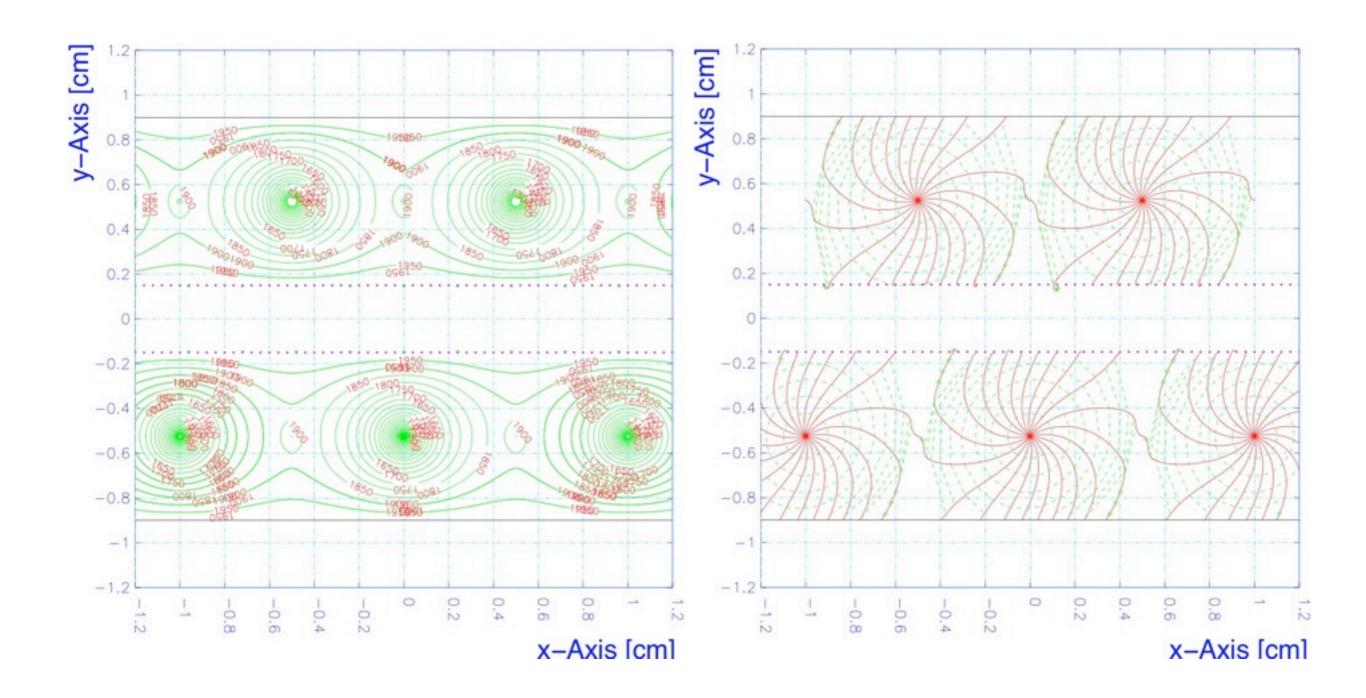
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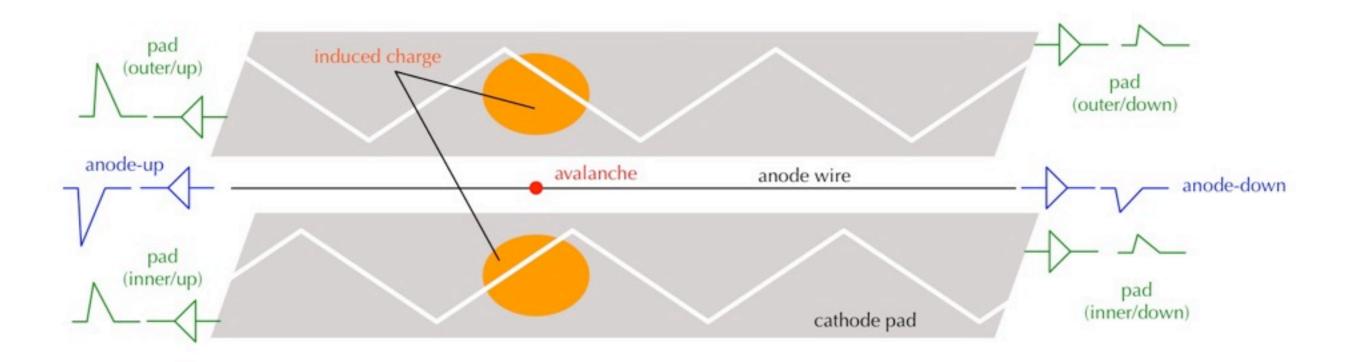
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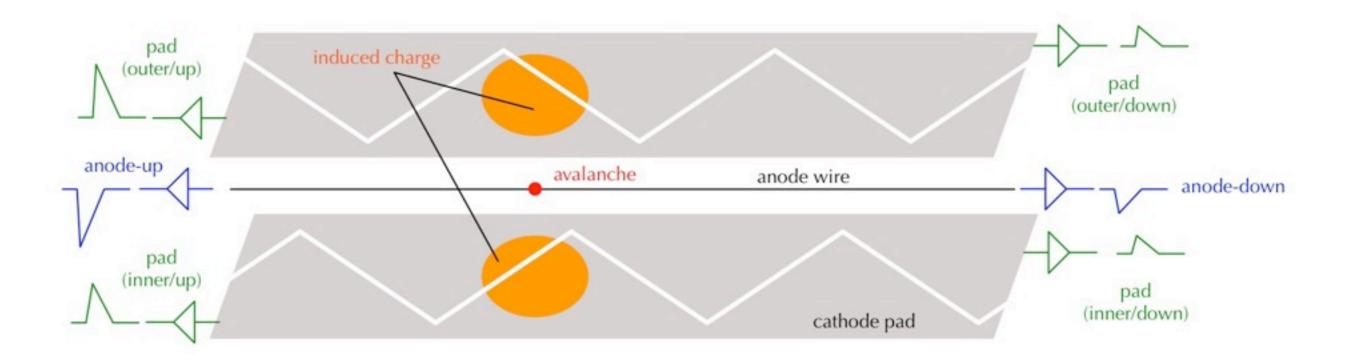




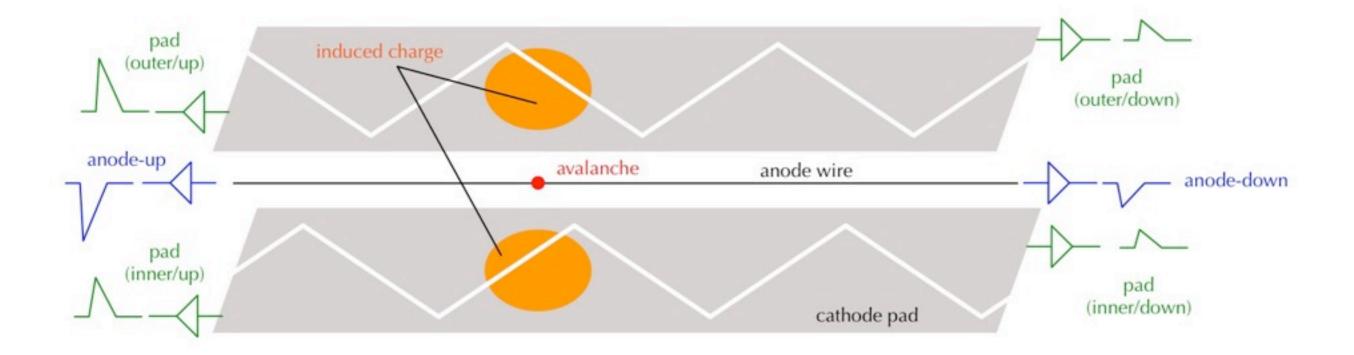
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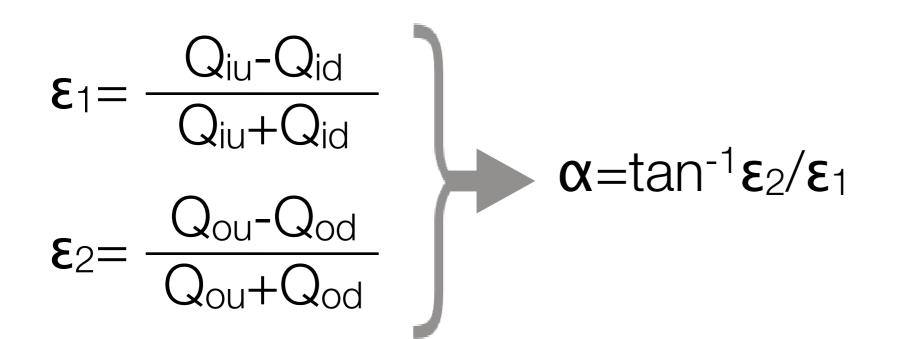


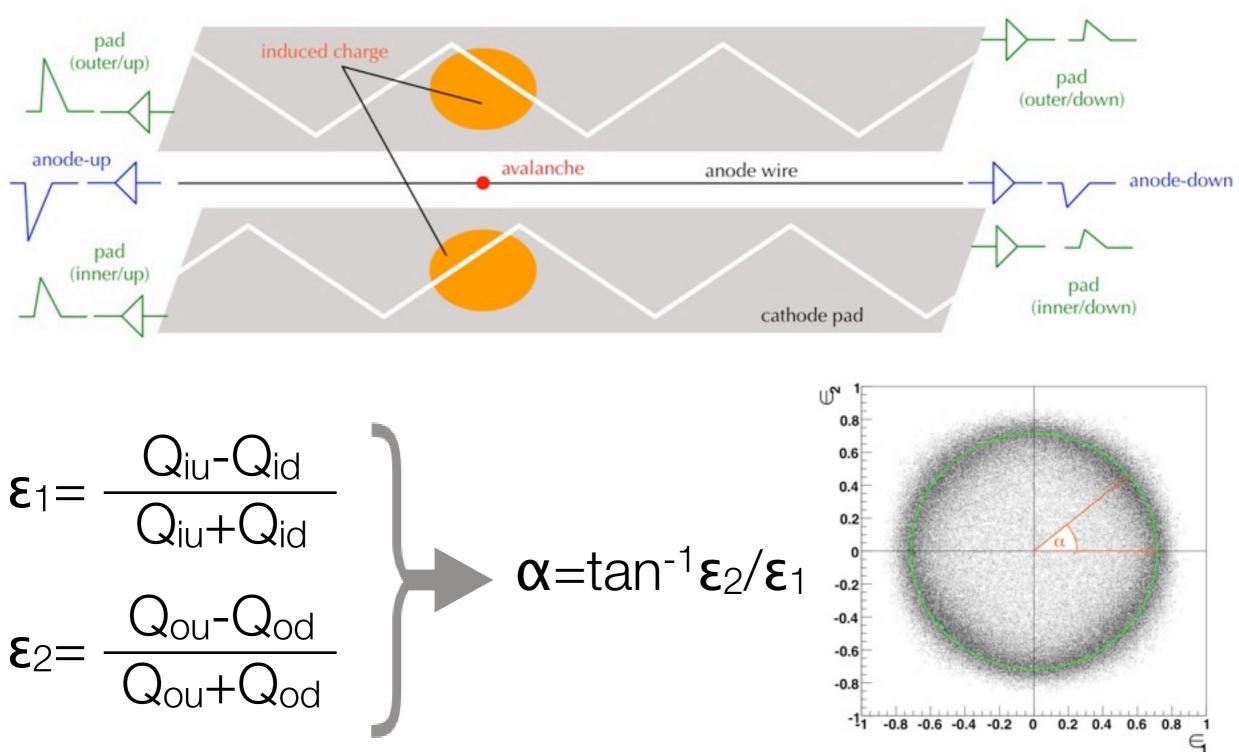




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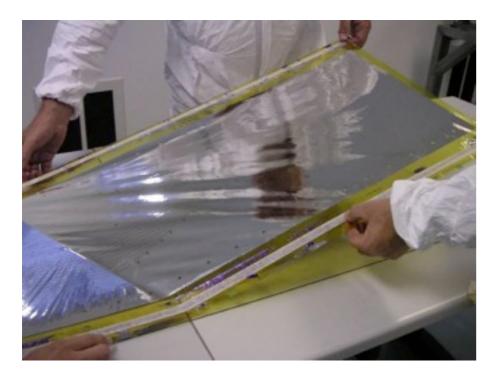


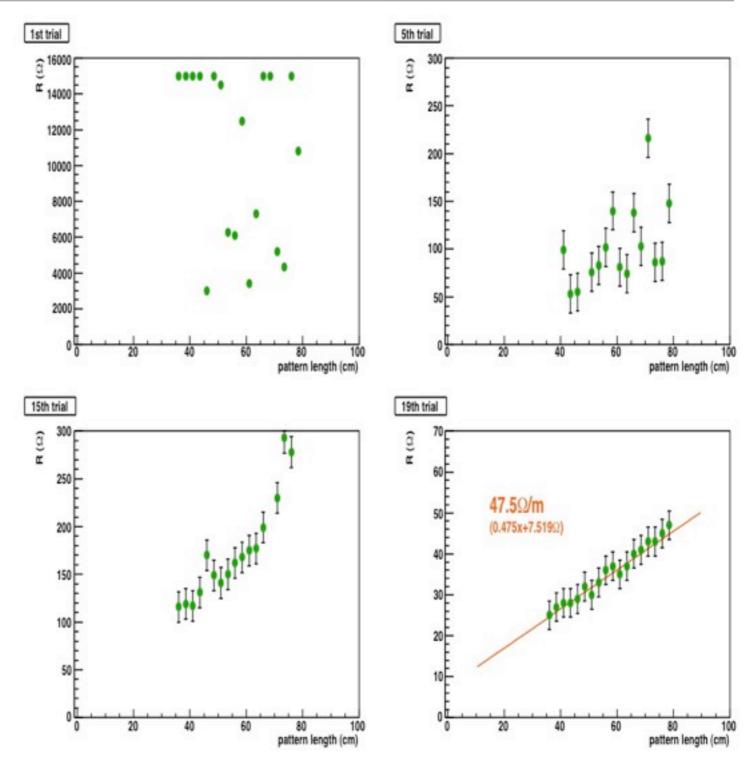




Cathode Foil

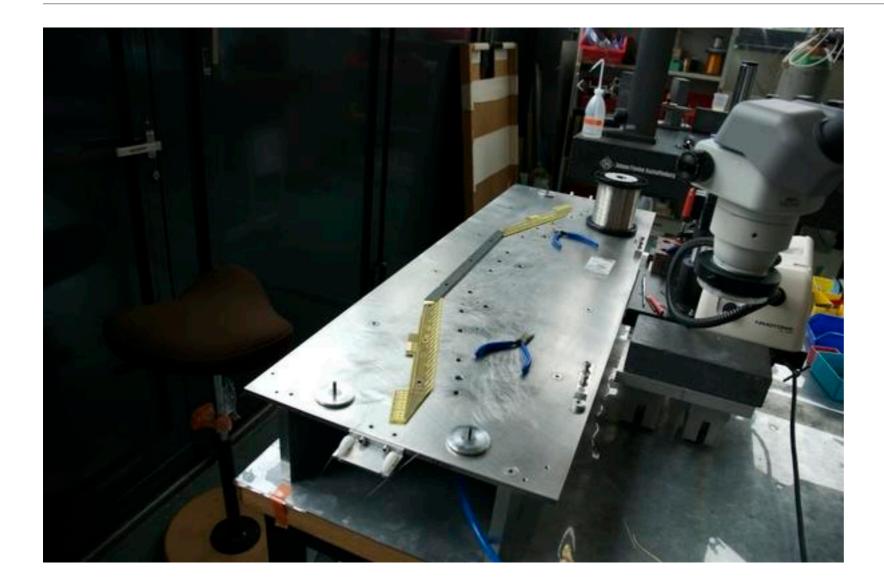
- 12.5 µm UPILEX with 400 nm Aluminum Deposition
- Uniform Resistivity and Ultrathin foil are incompatible
- Excellent Print Accuracy is also incompatible
- 250 nm of effective thickness



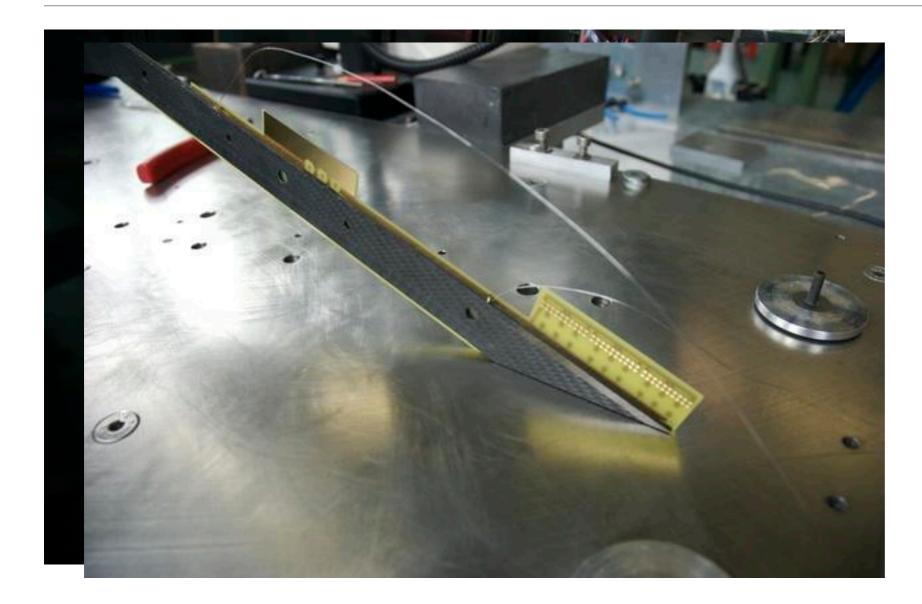




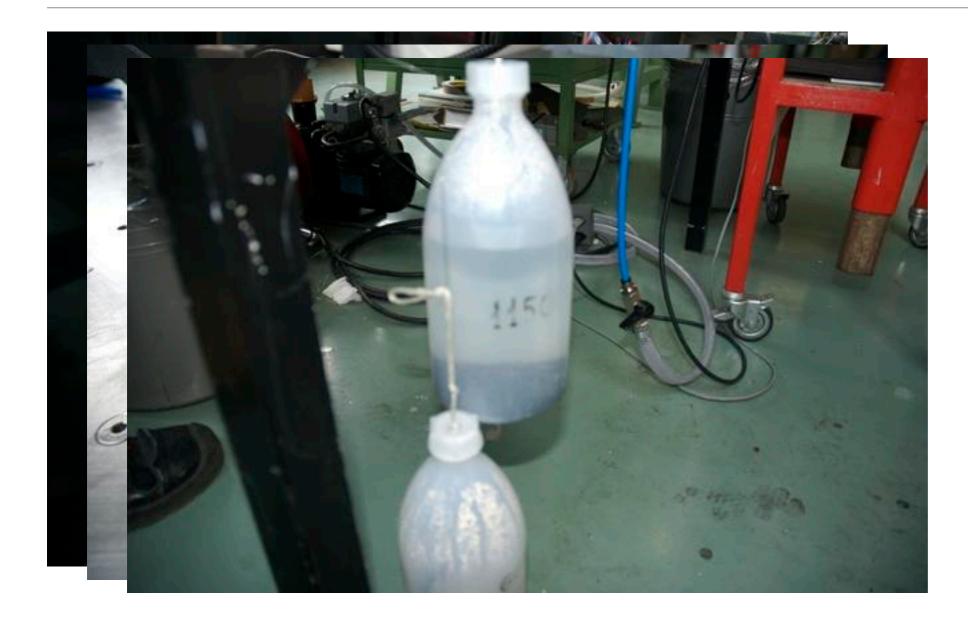




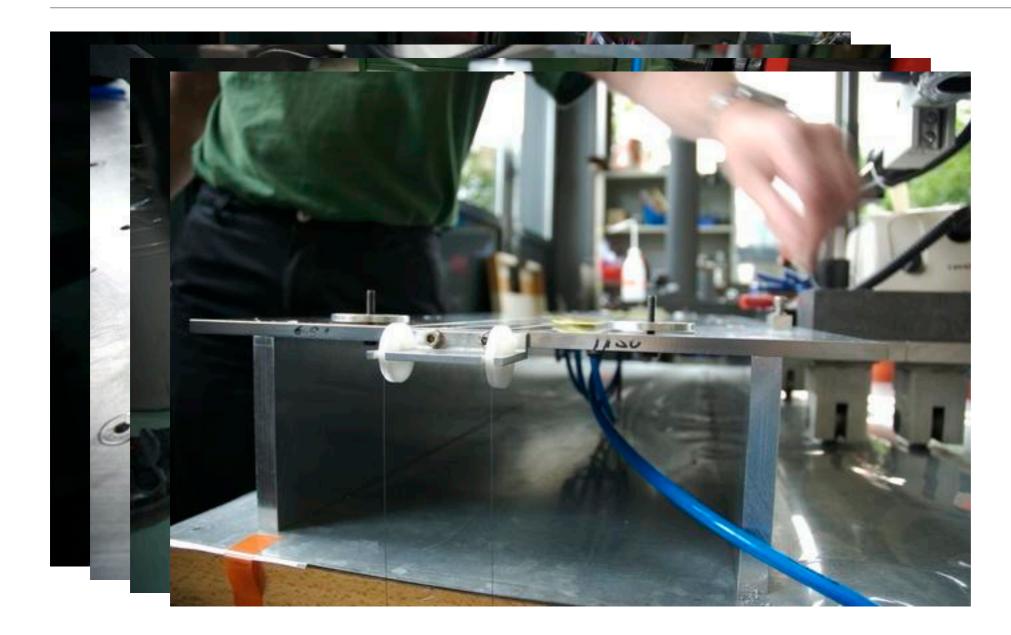




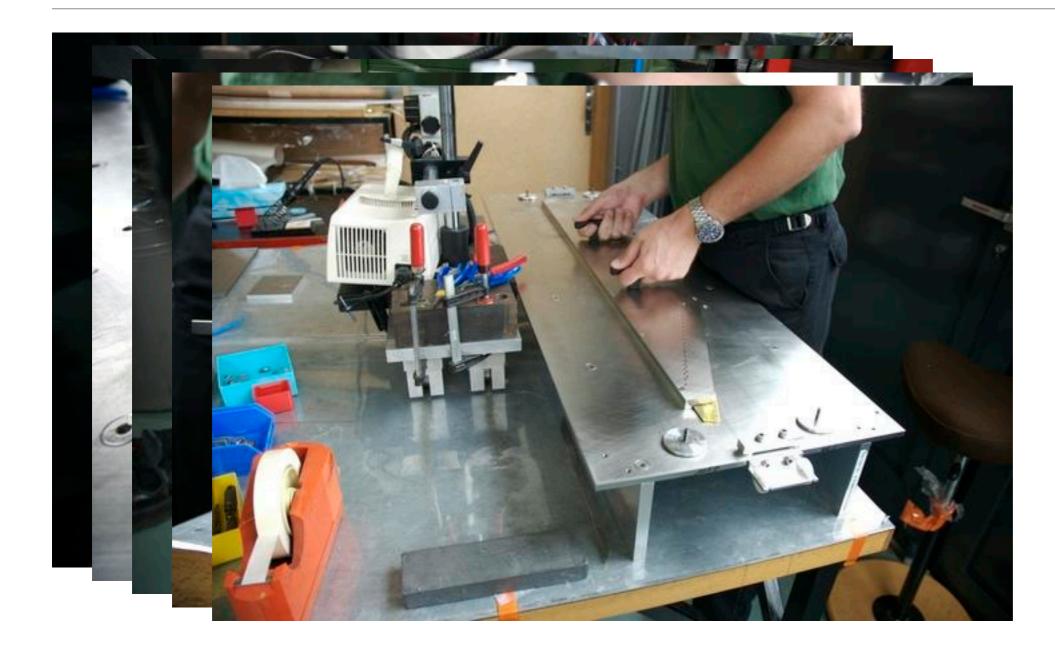








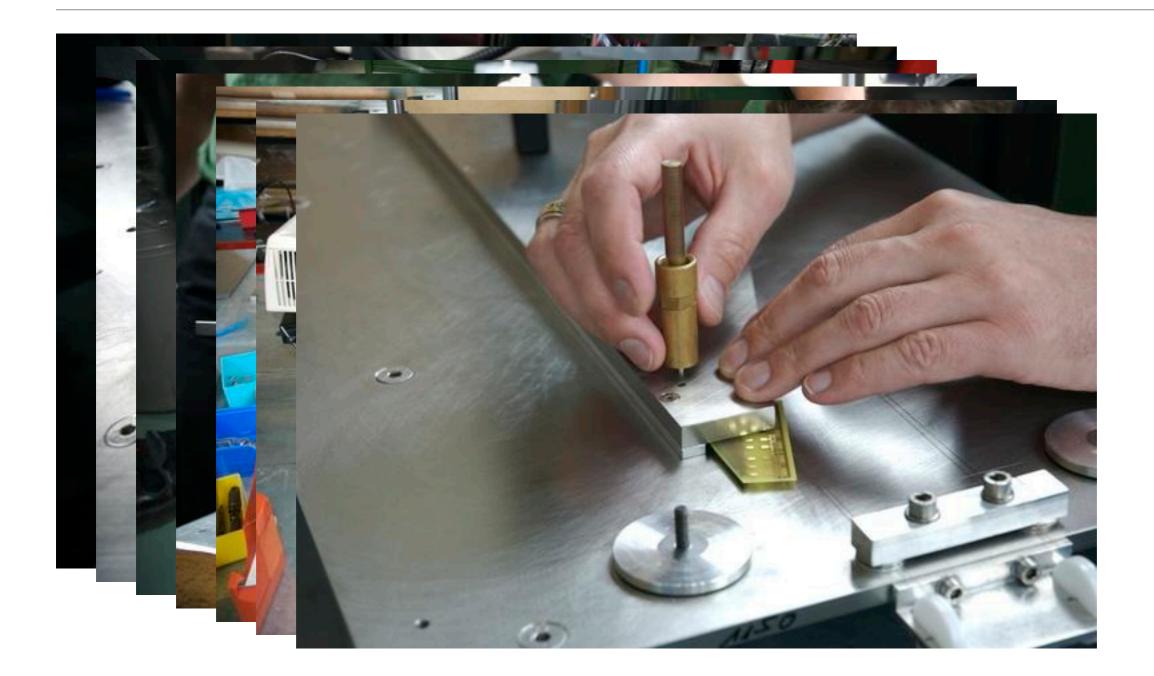




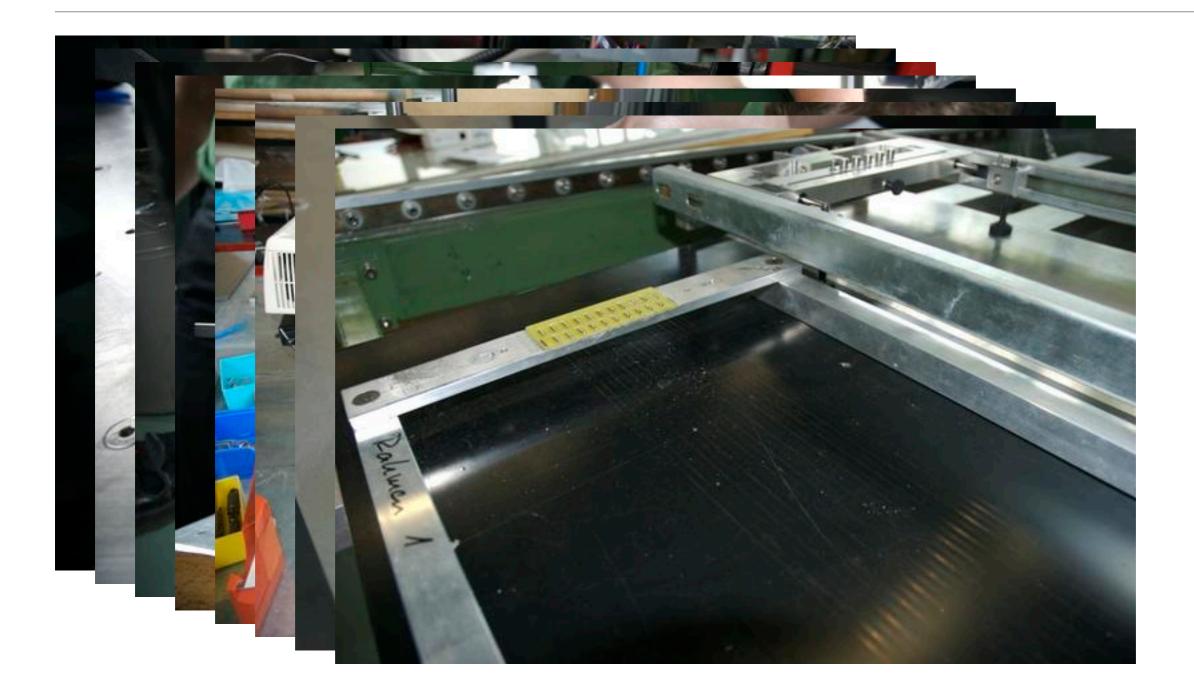








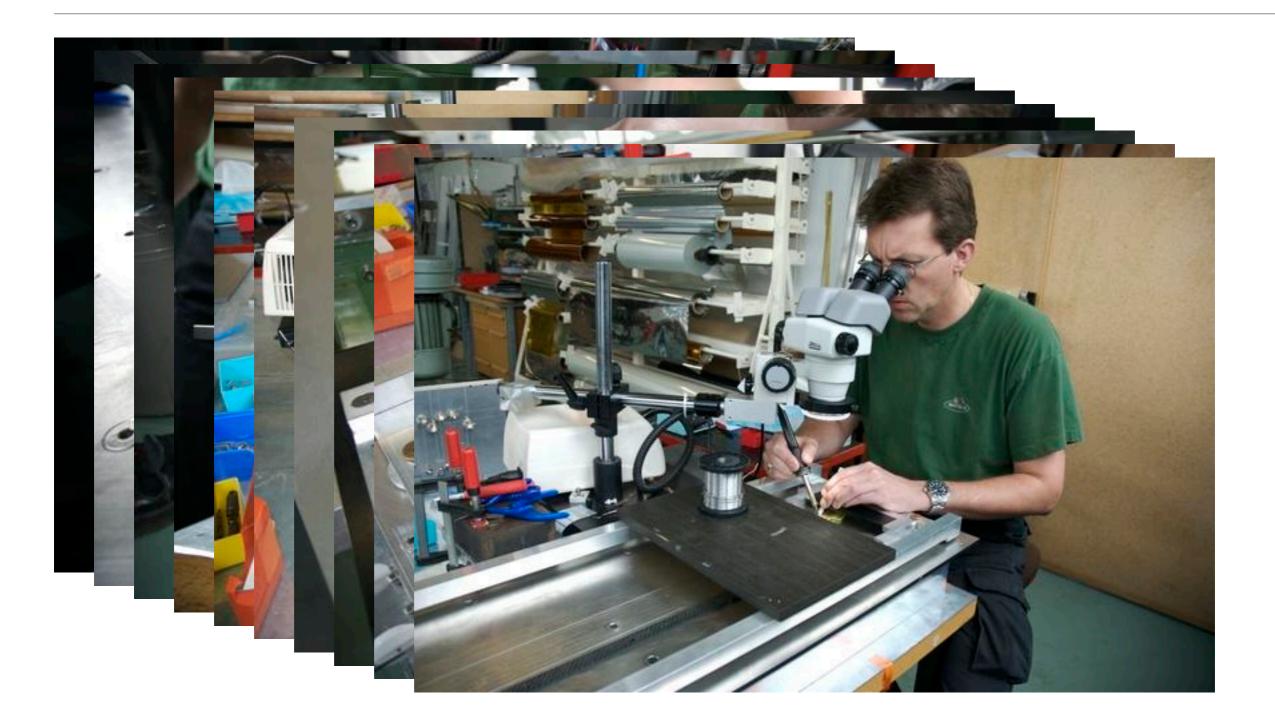
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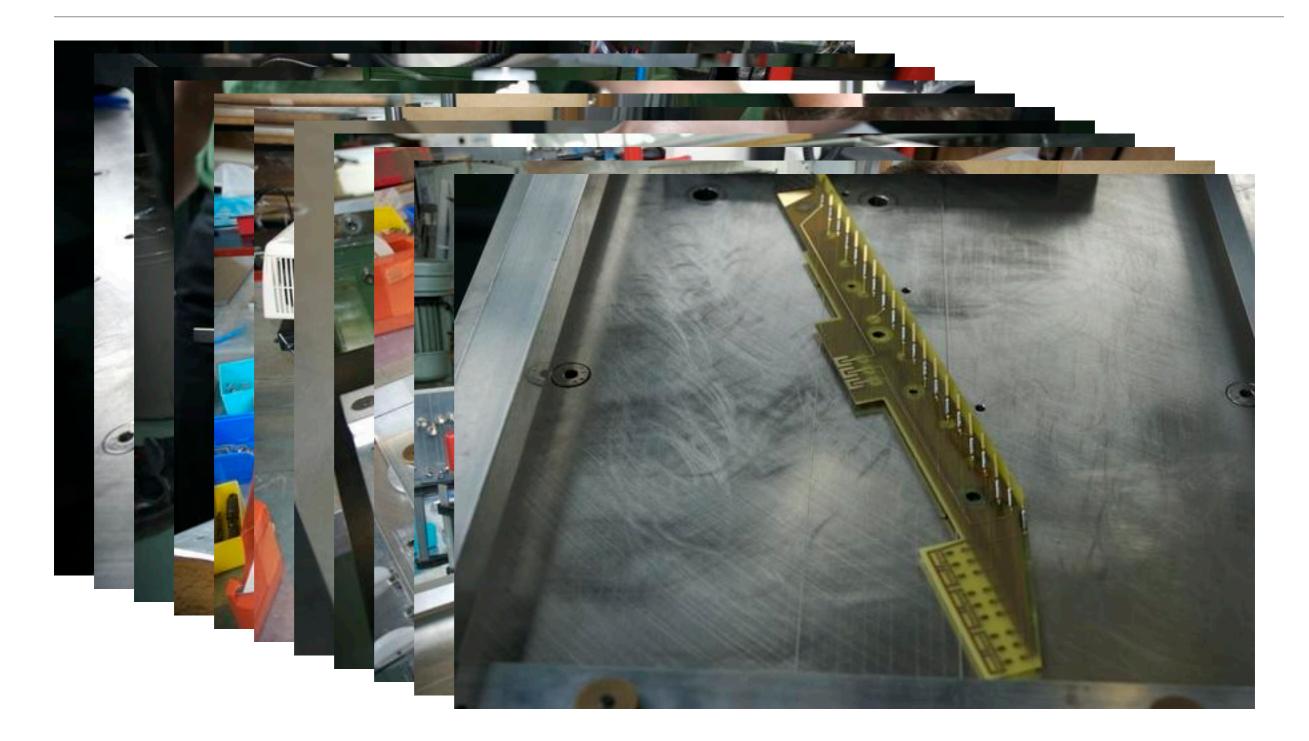
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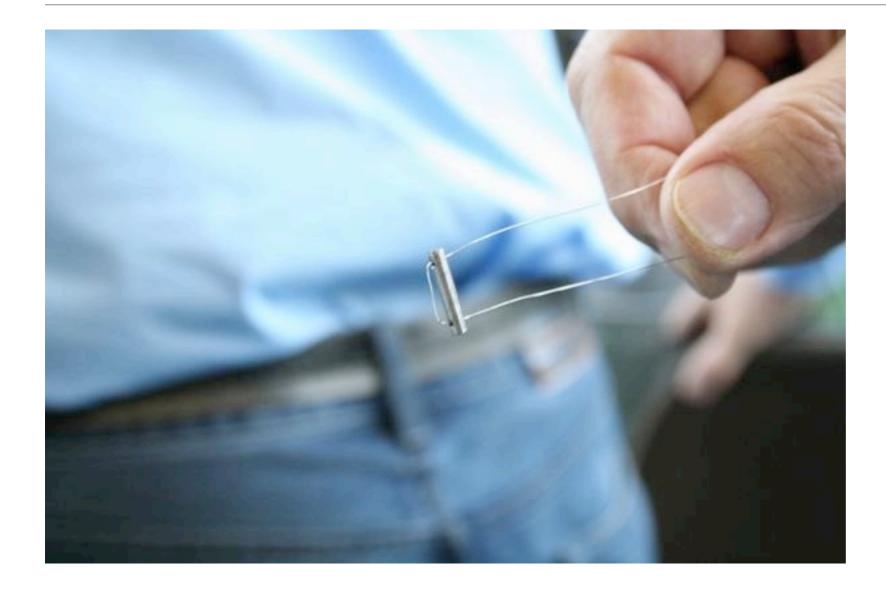
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Assembly (2) - cathode -





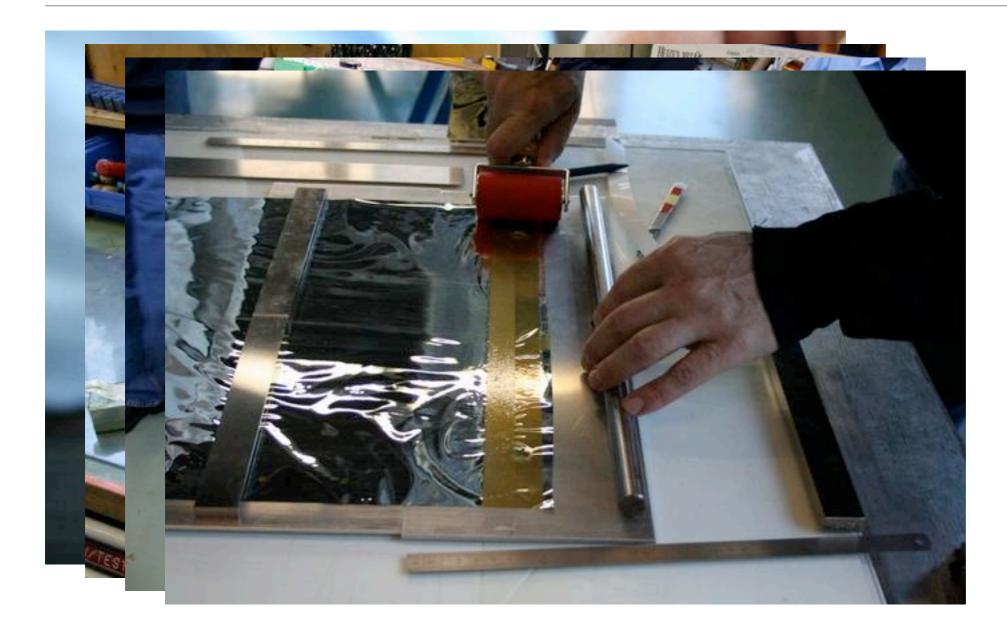




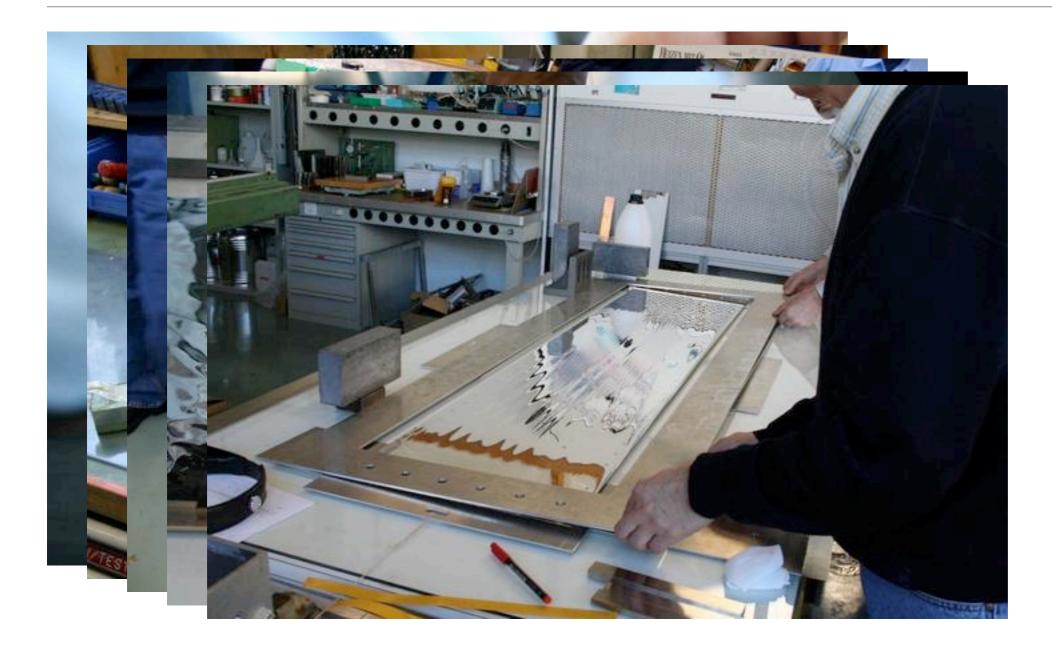








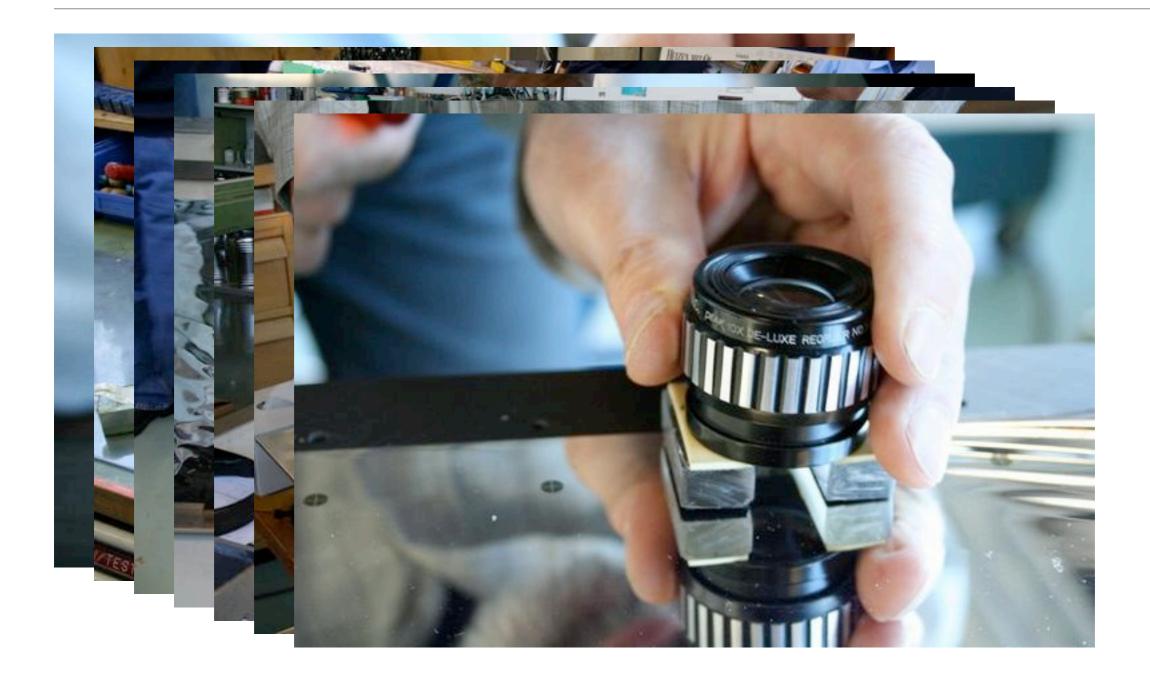




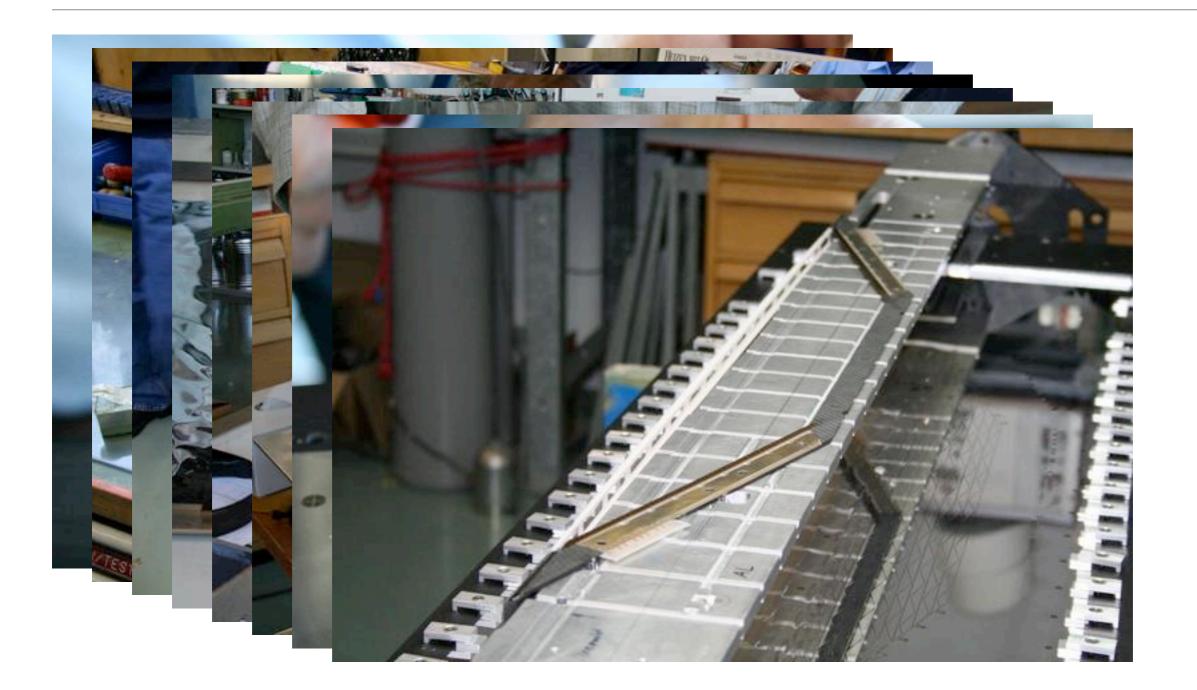




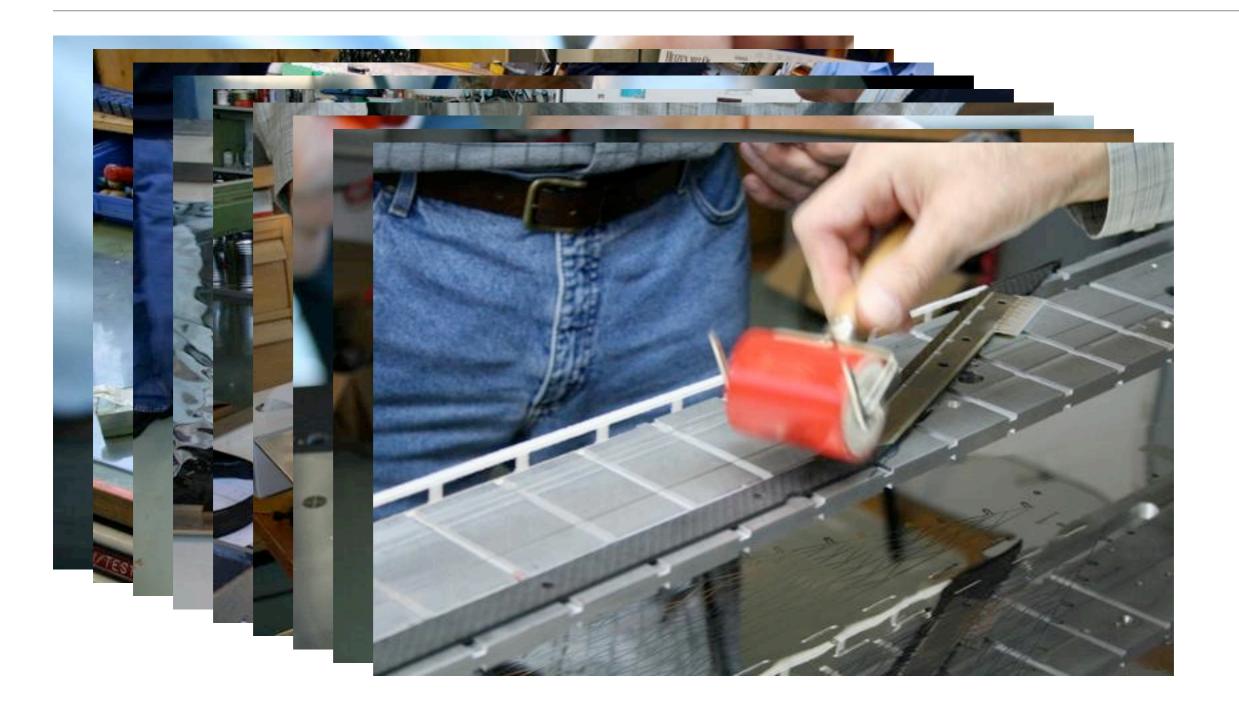
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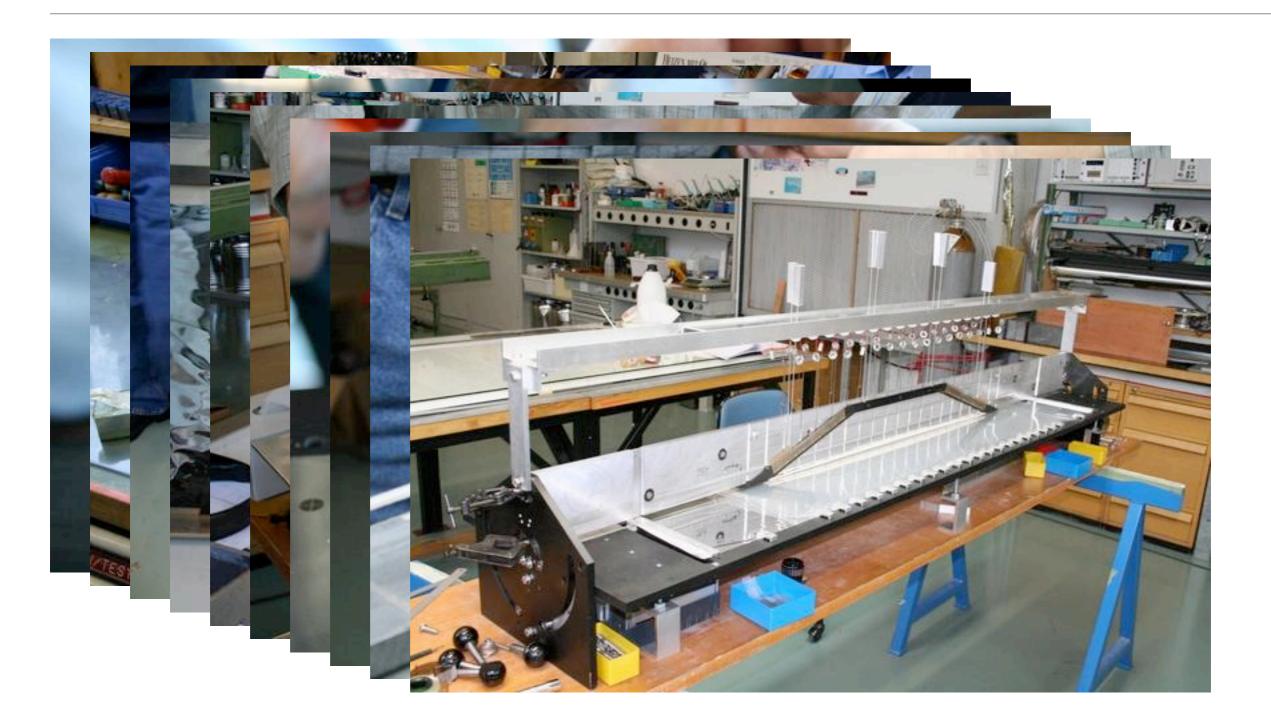
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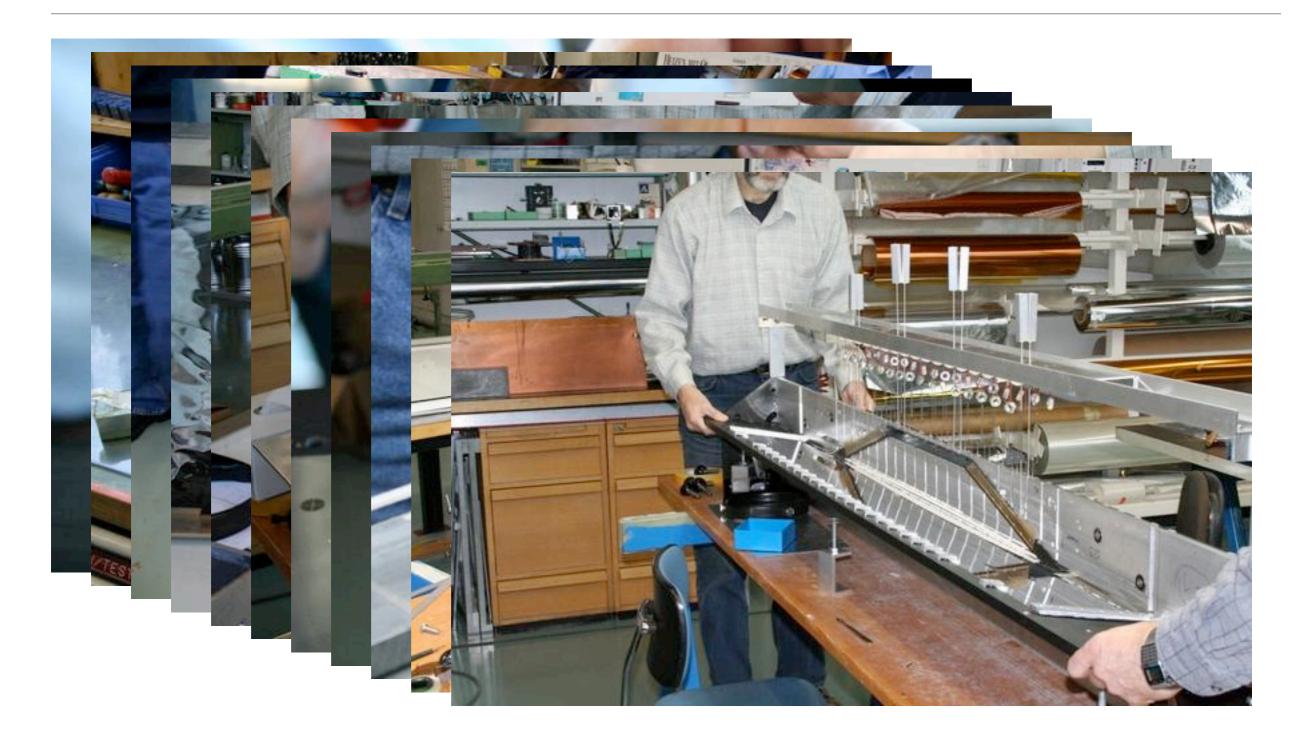
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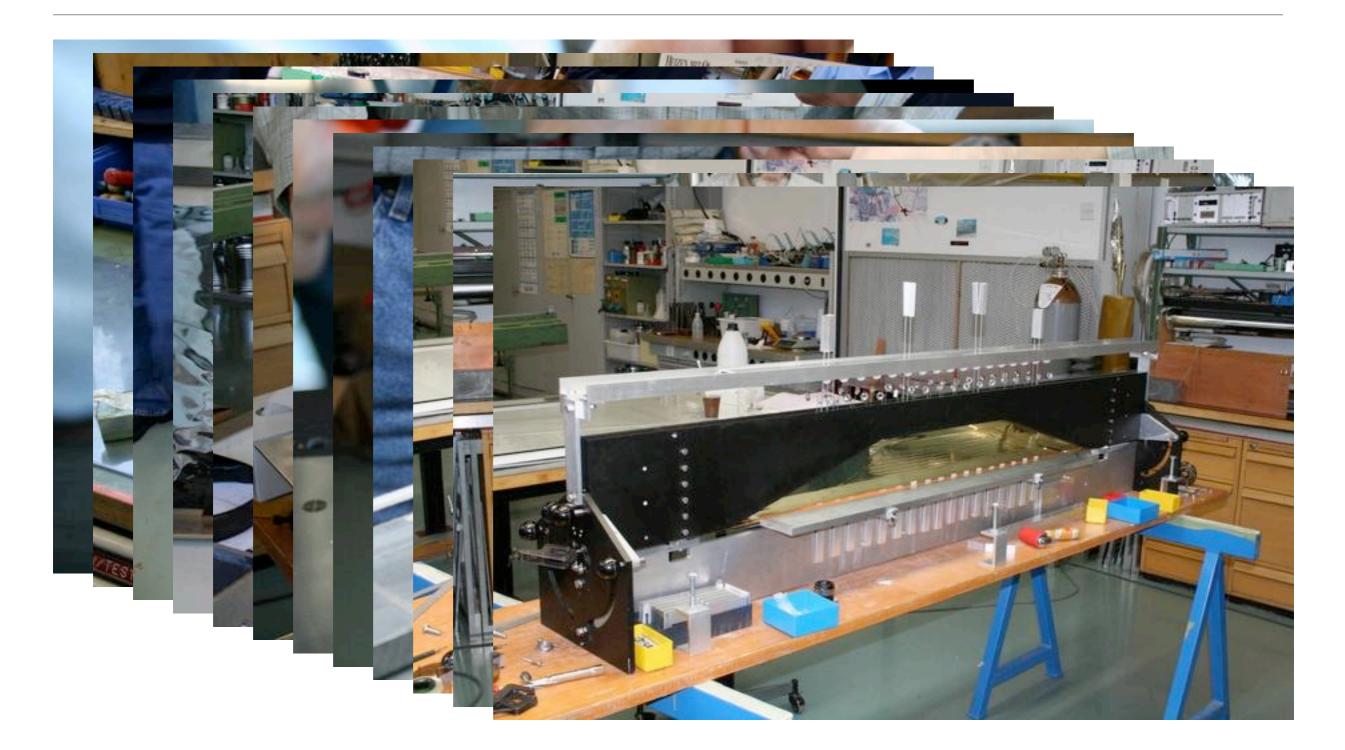
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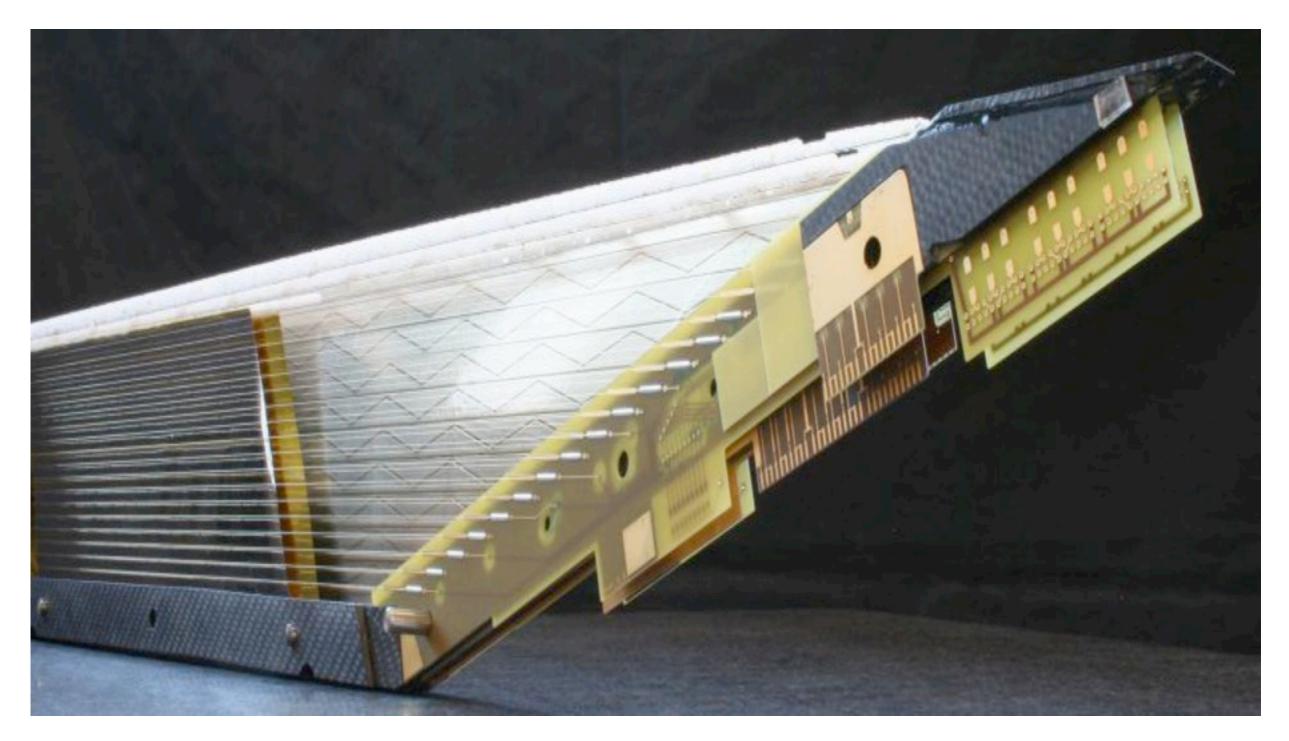


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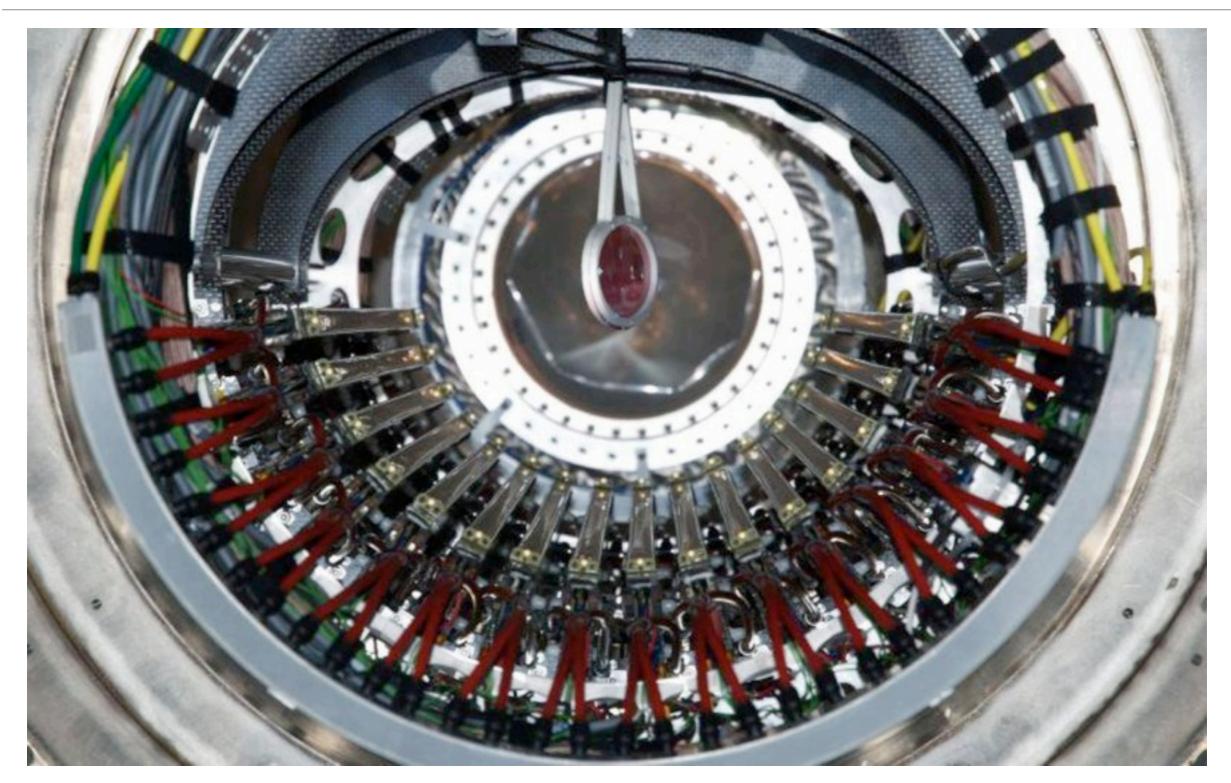


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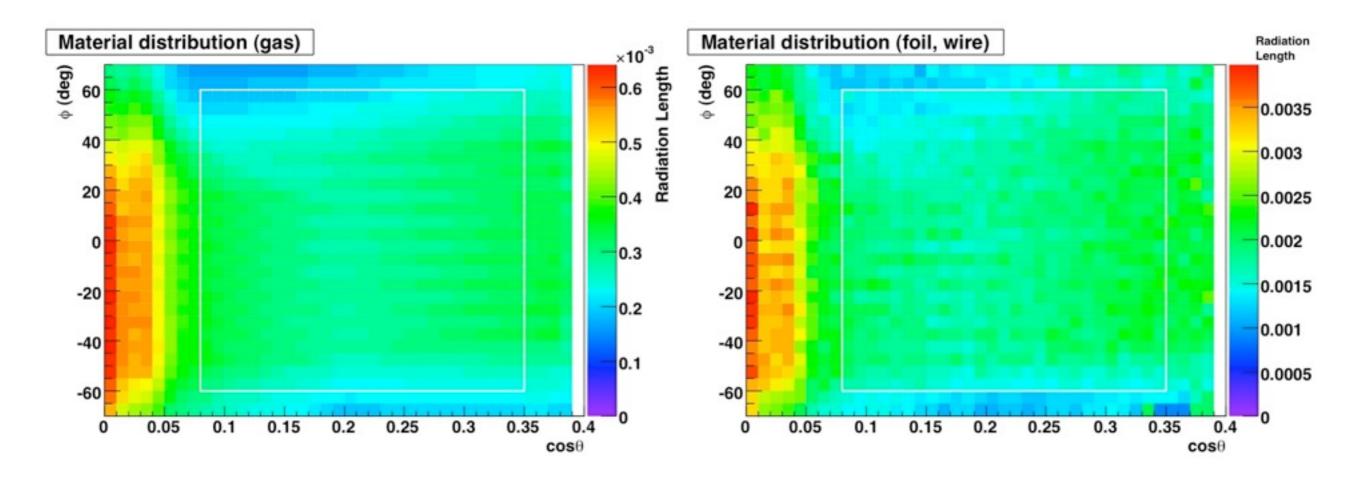


Mounting / Installation





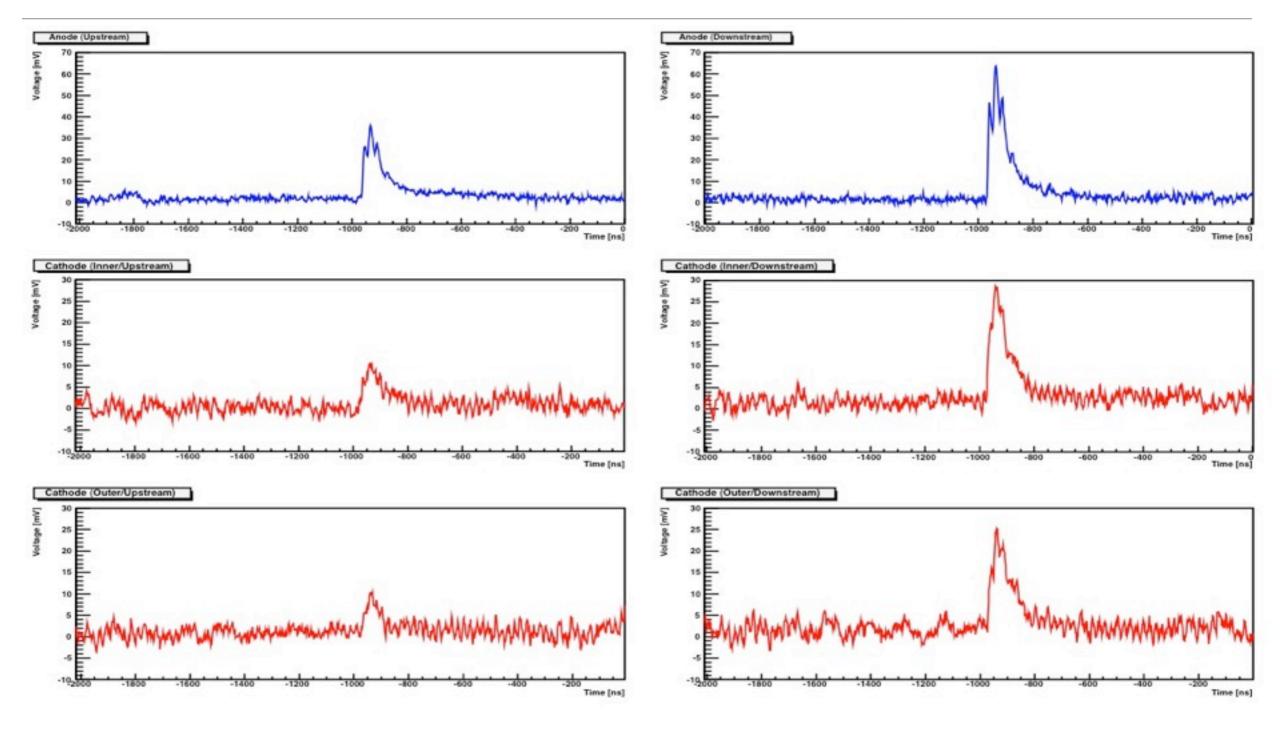
Material Amount



Total Radiation Length in Tracker Fiducial Volume : 0.002 X₀



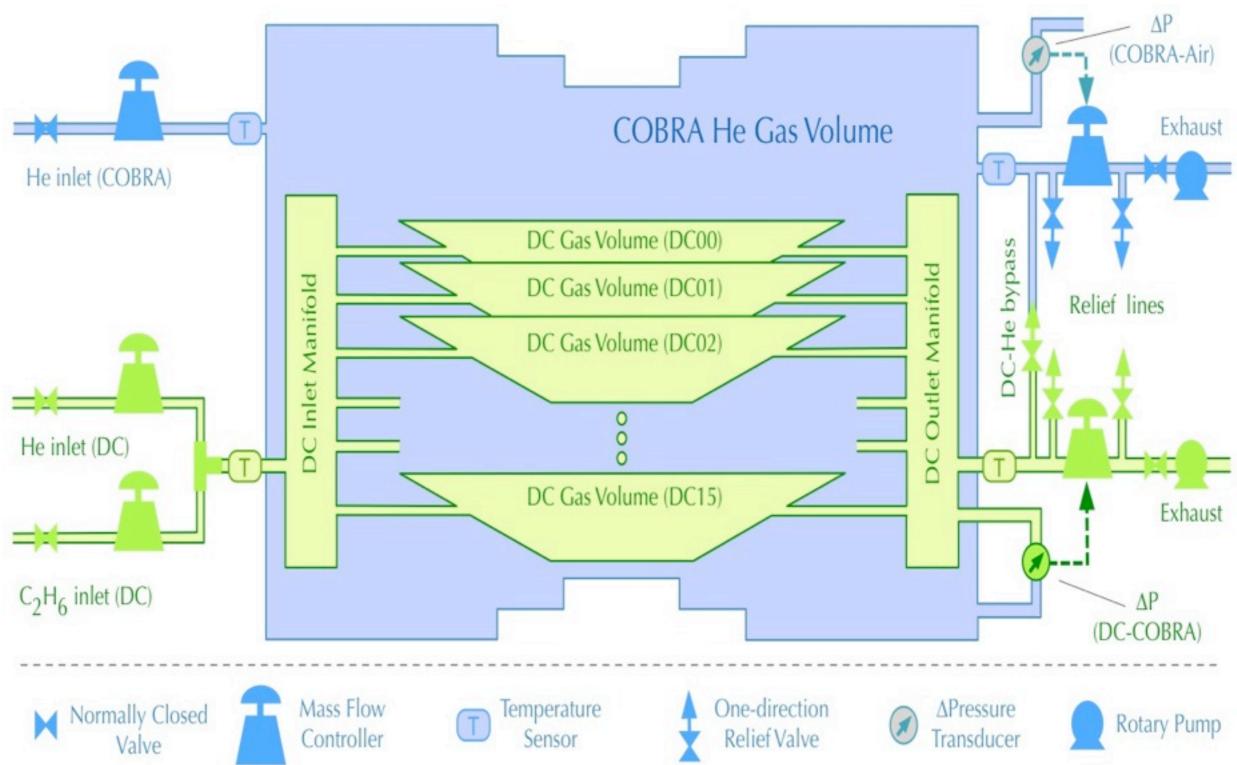
Readout Electronics



• "6 channel / cell" x 288 wires = 1728 channels

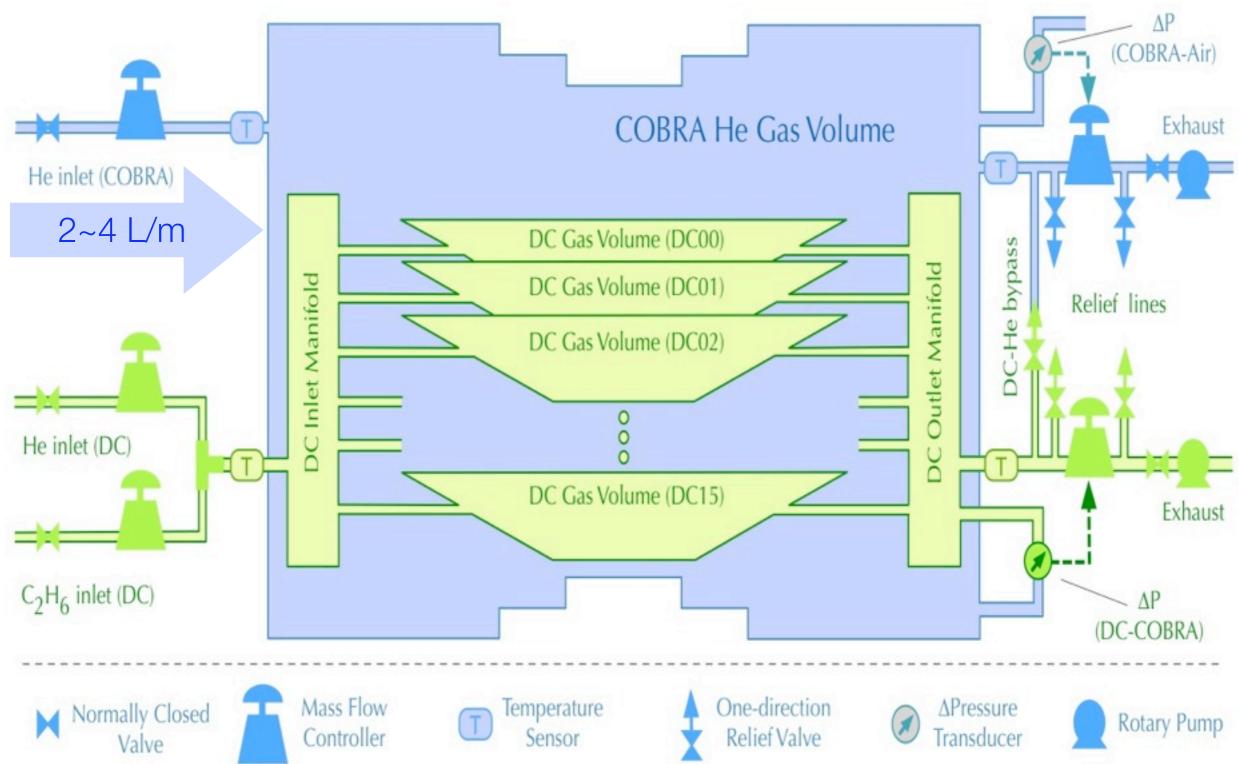


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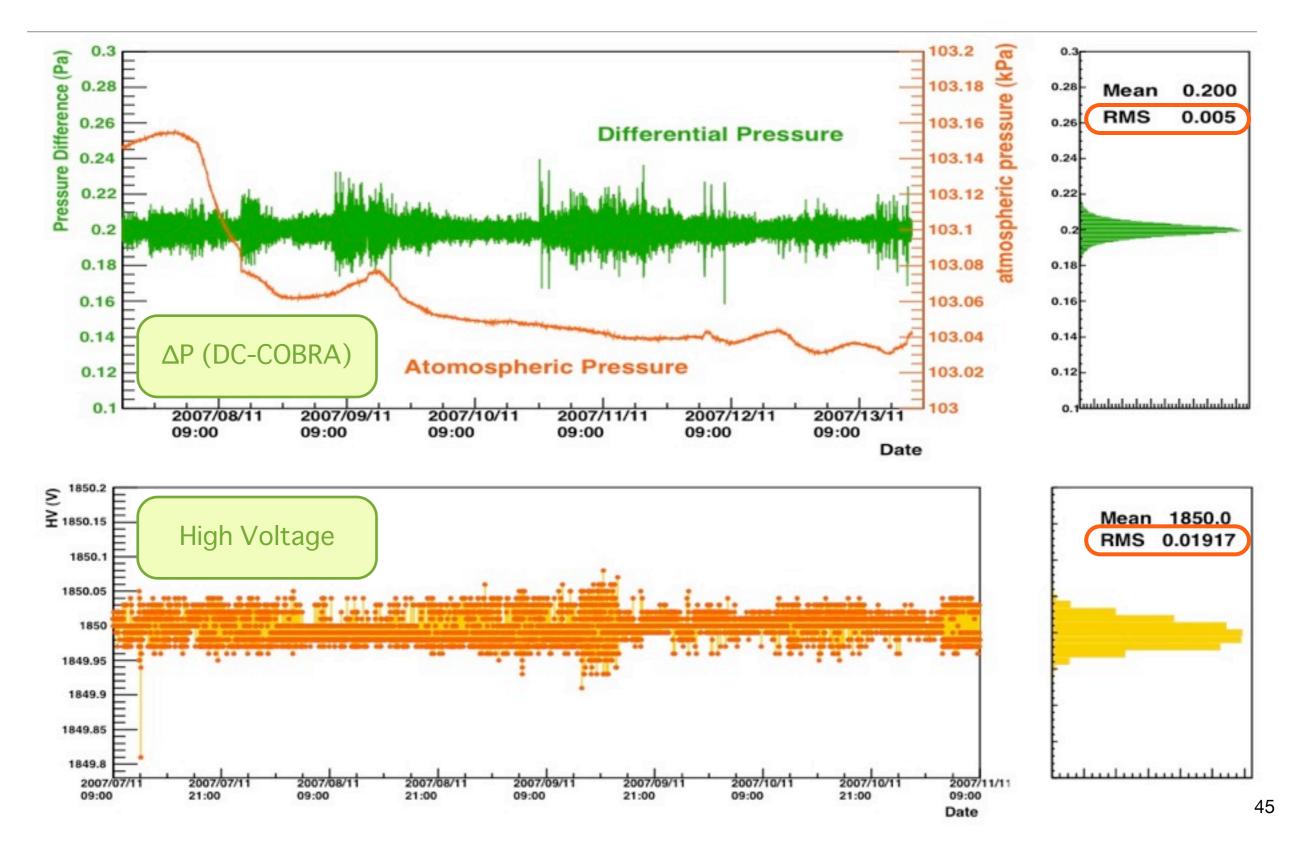


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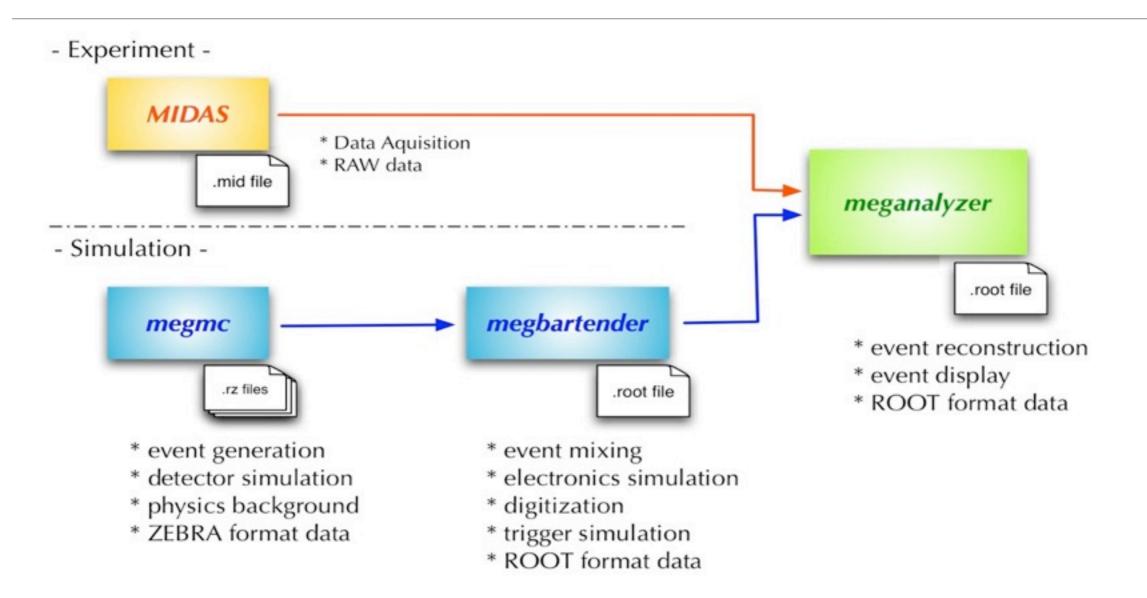
Slow-Control Stability





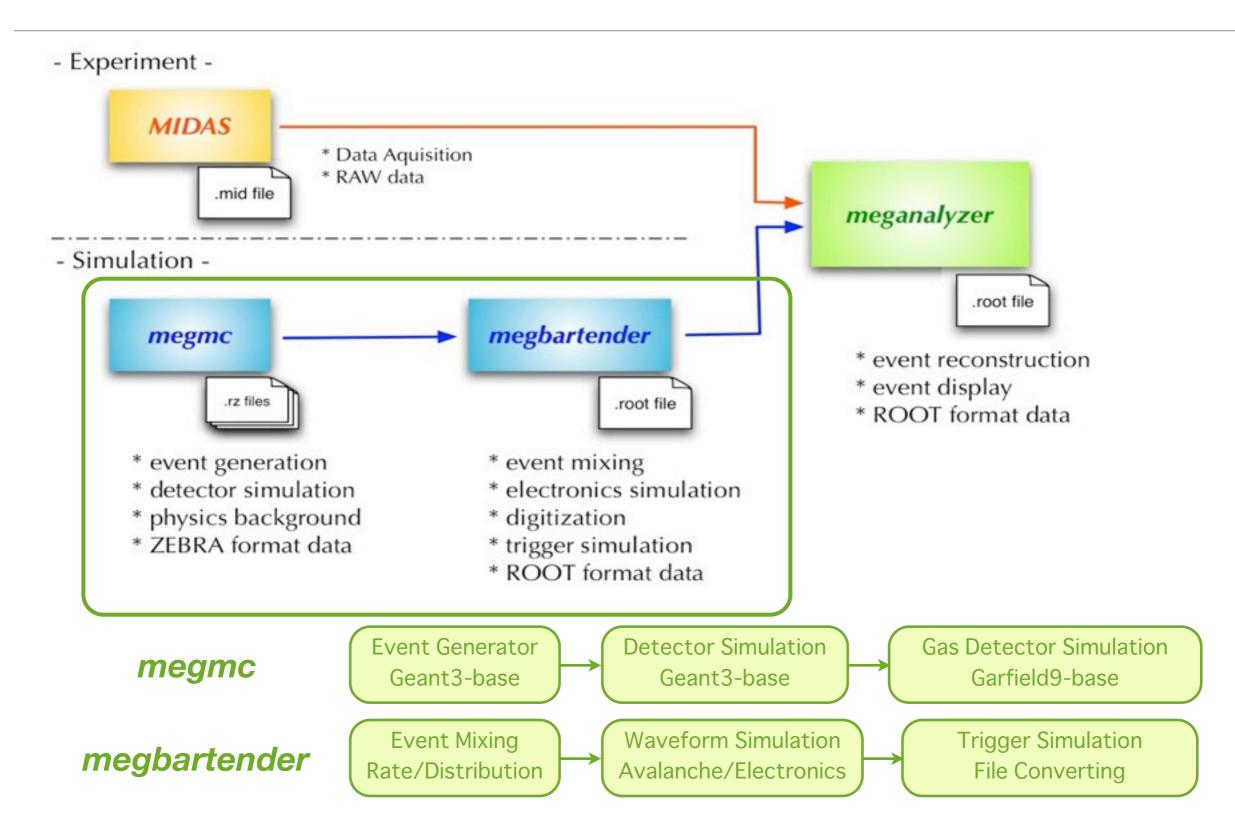


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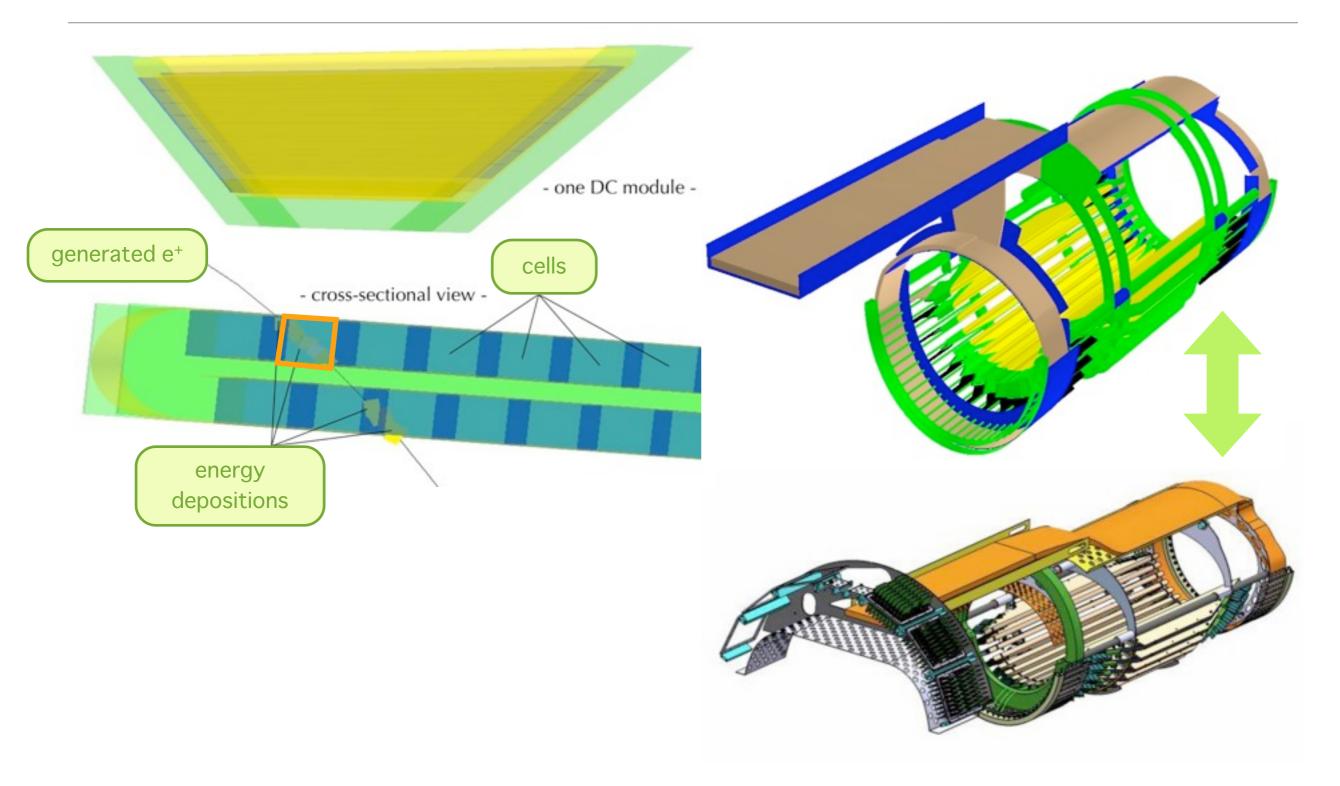


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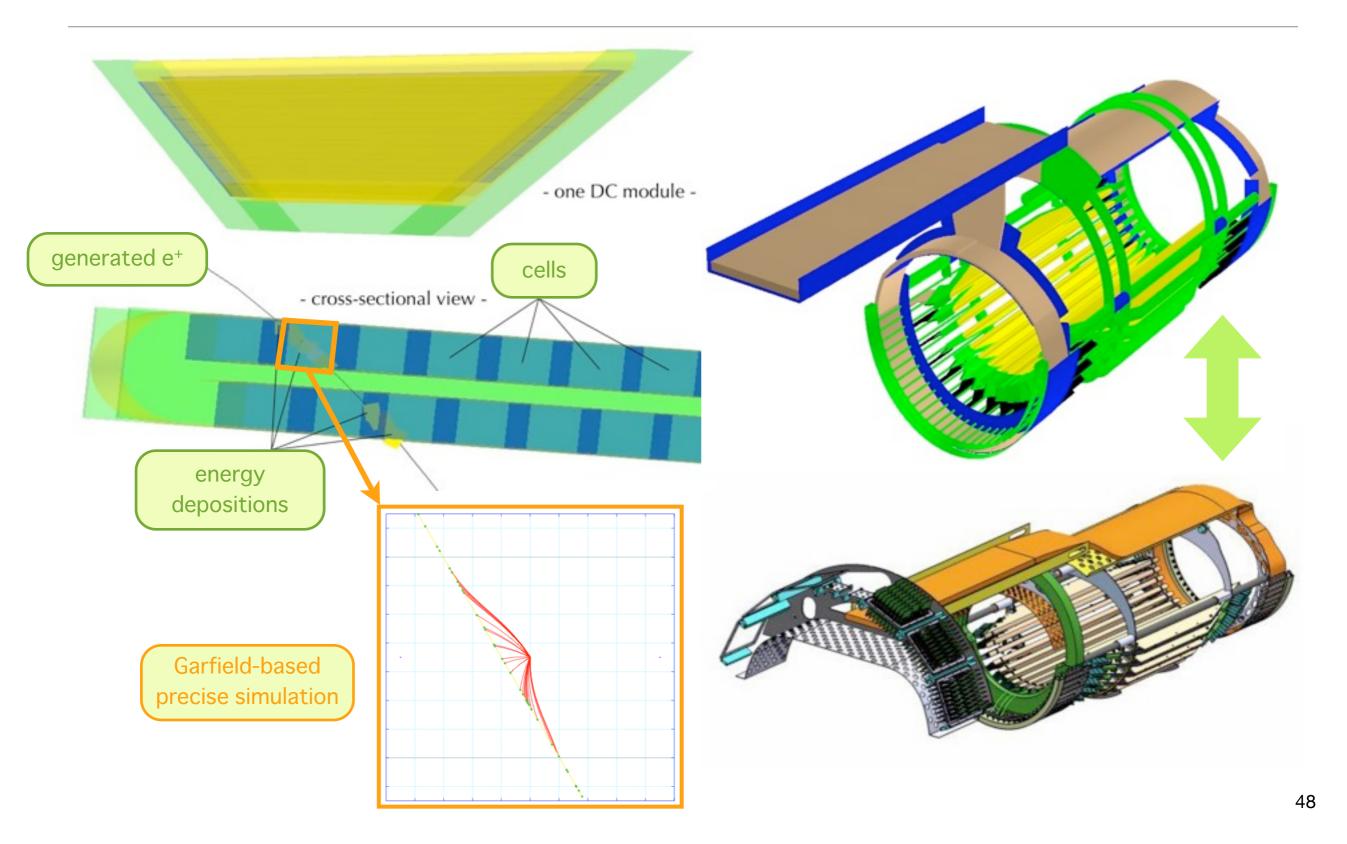


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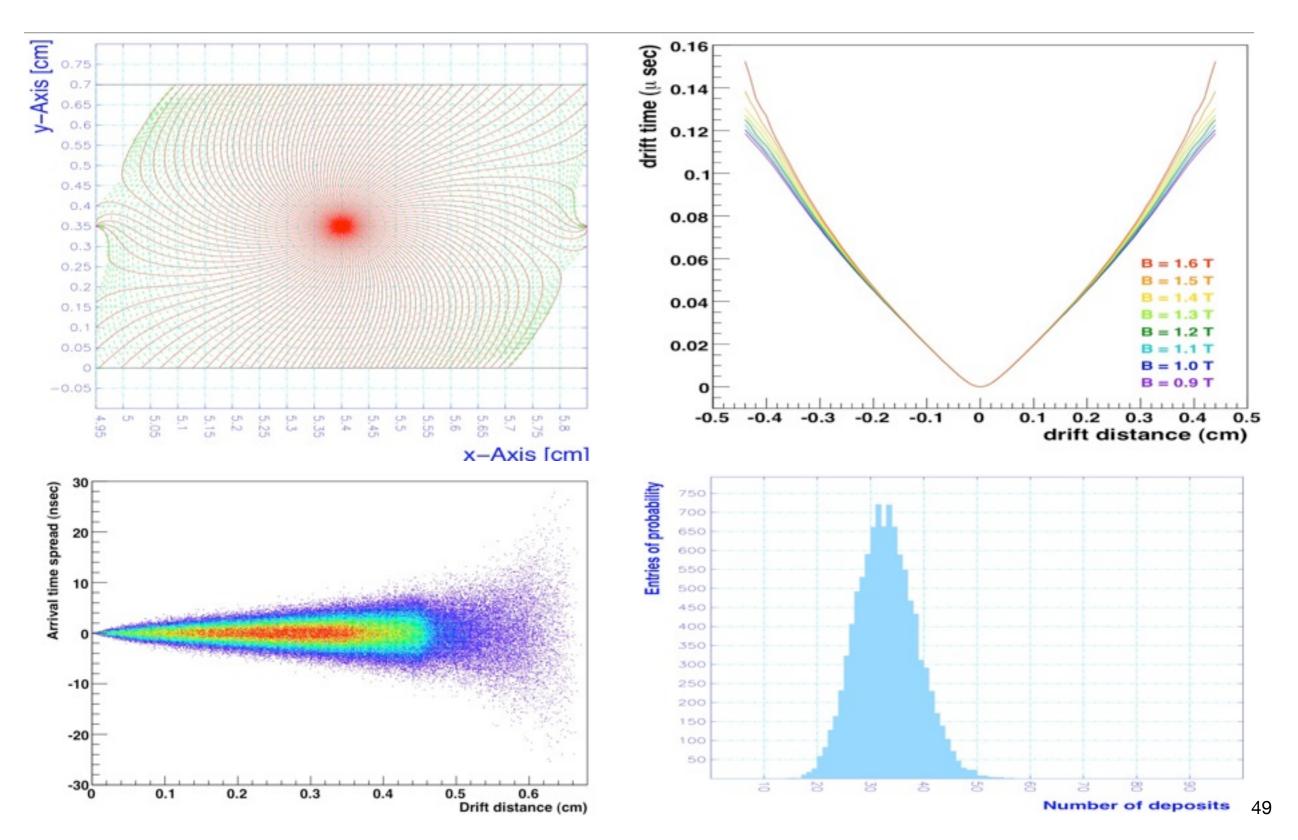


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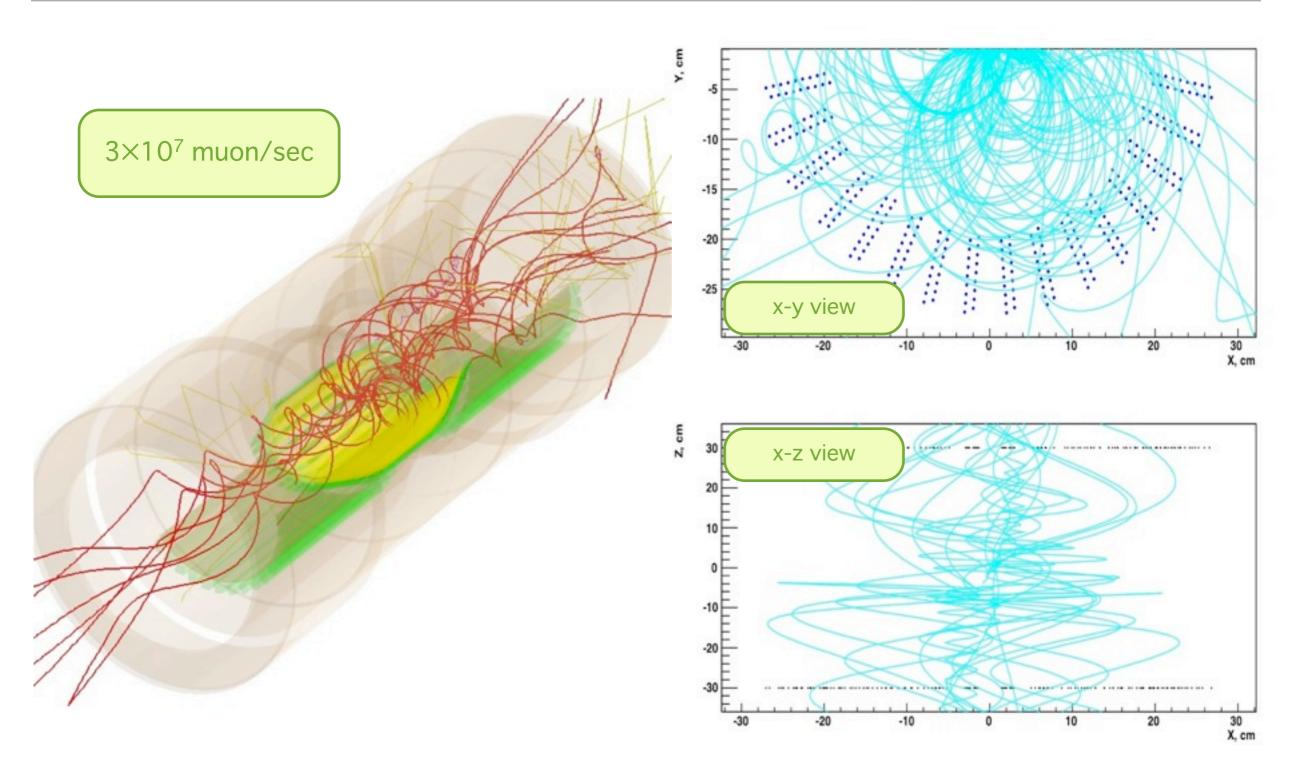


Gaseous Detector Simulation



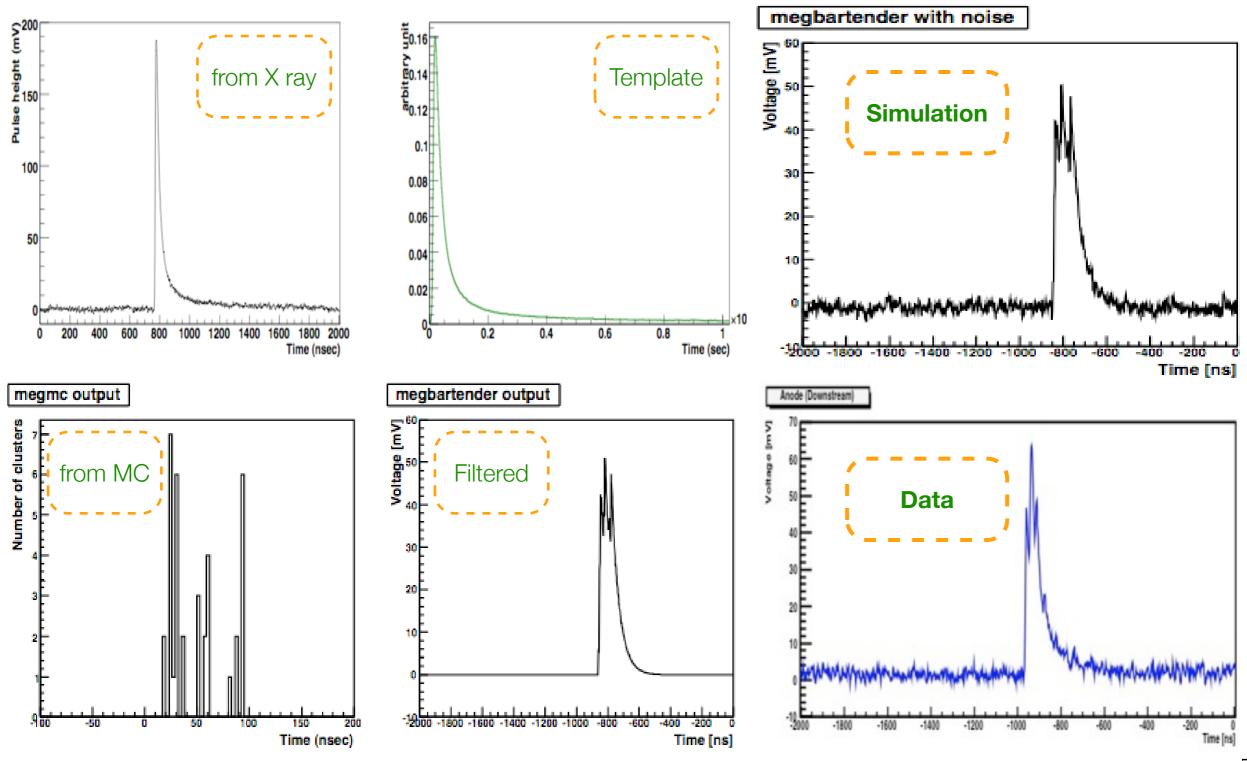


Event Mixing



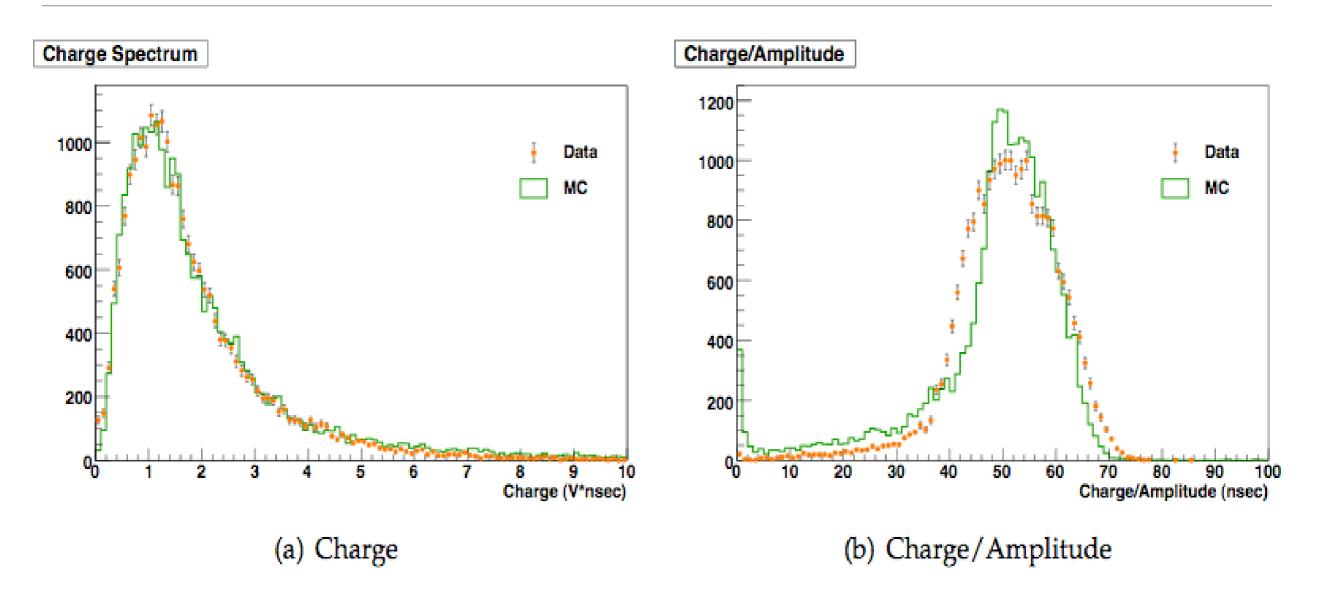
Simulation

Waveform Simulation (1)



Simulation

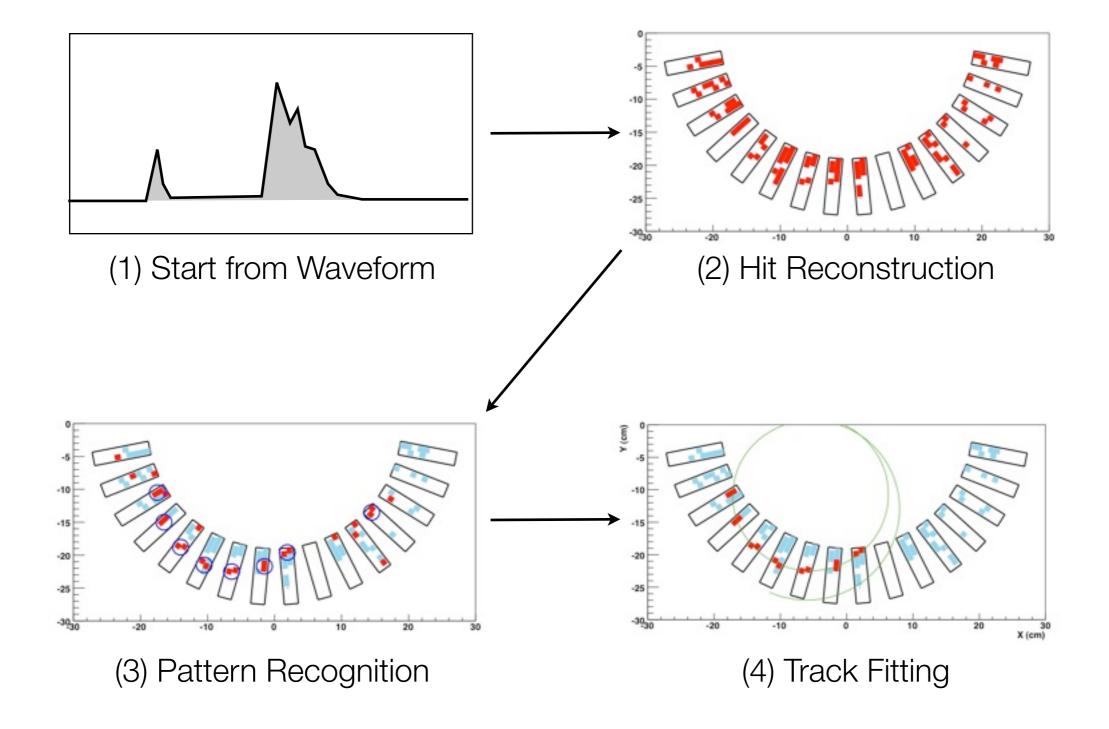
Waveform Simulation (2)



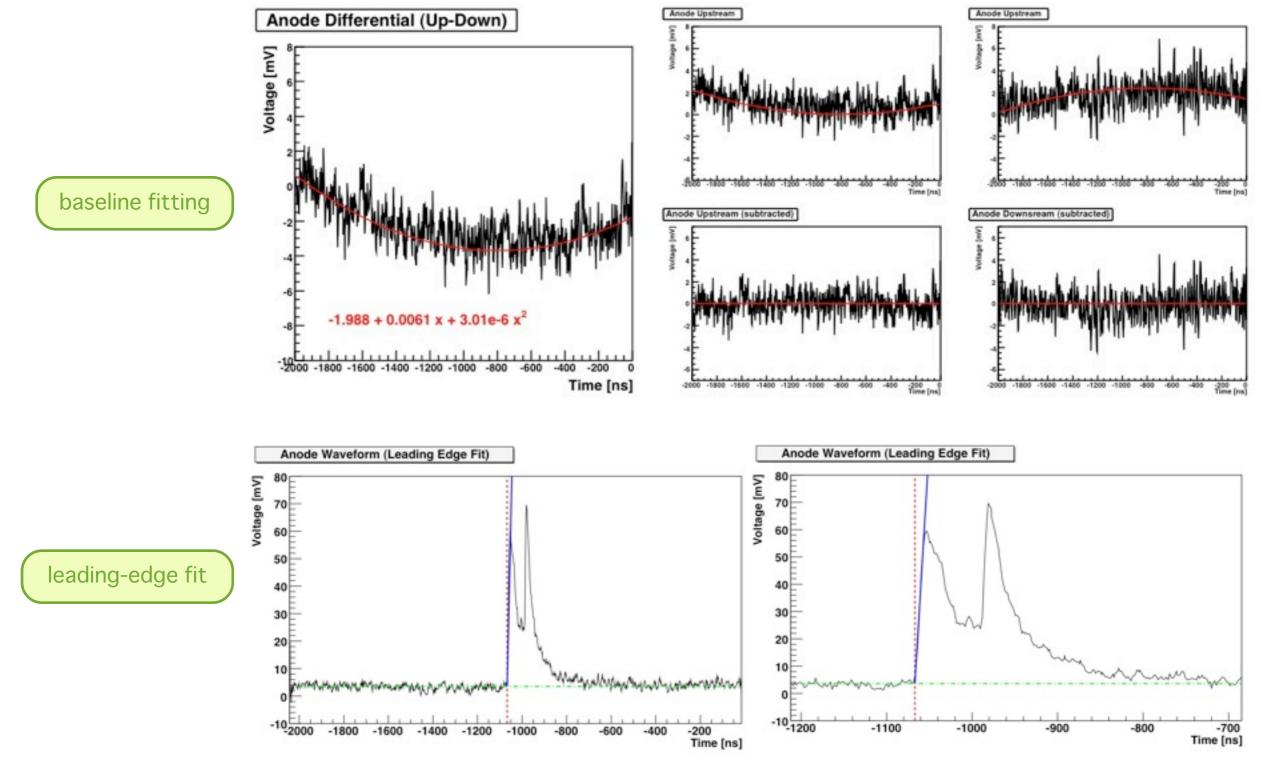
- Waveform Reproducibility
- "Charge" ~ "Height", "Charge/Amplitude" ~ "Width" or "Shape"



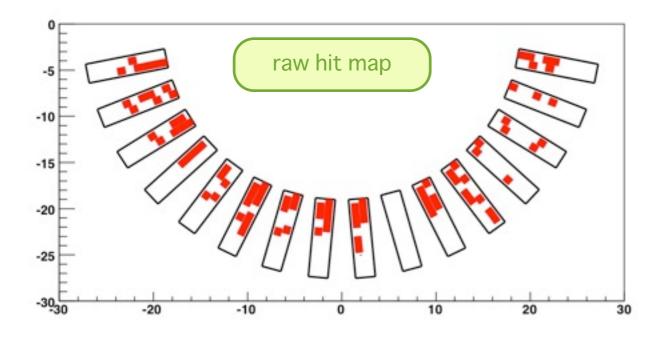
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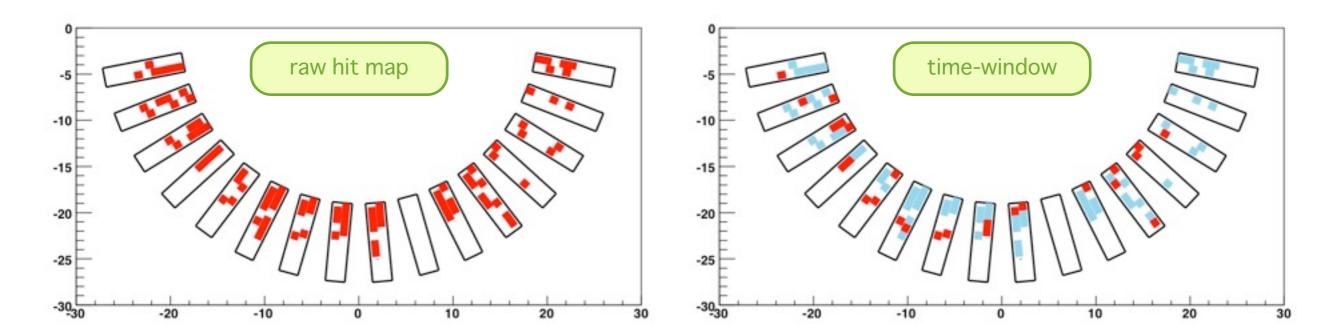


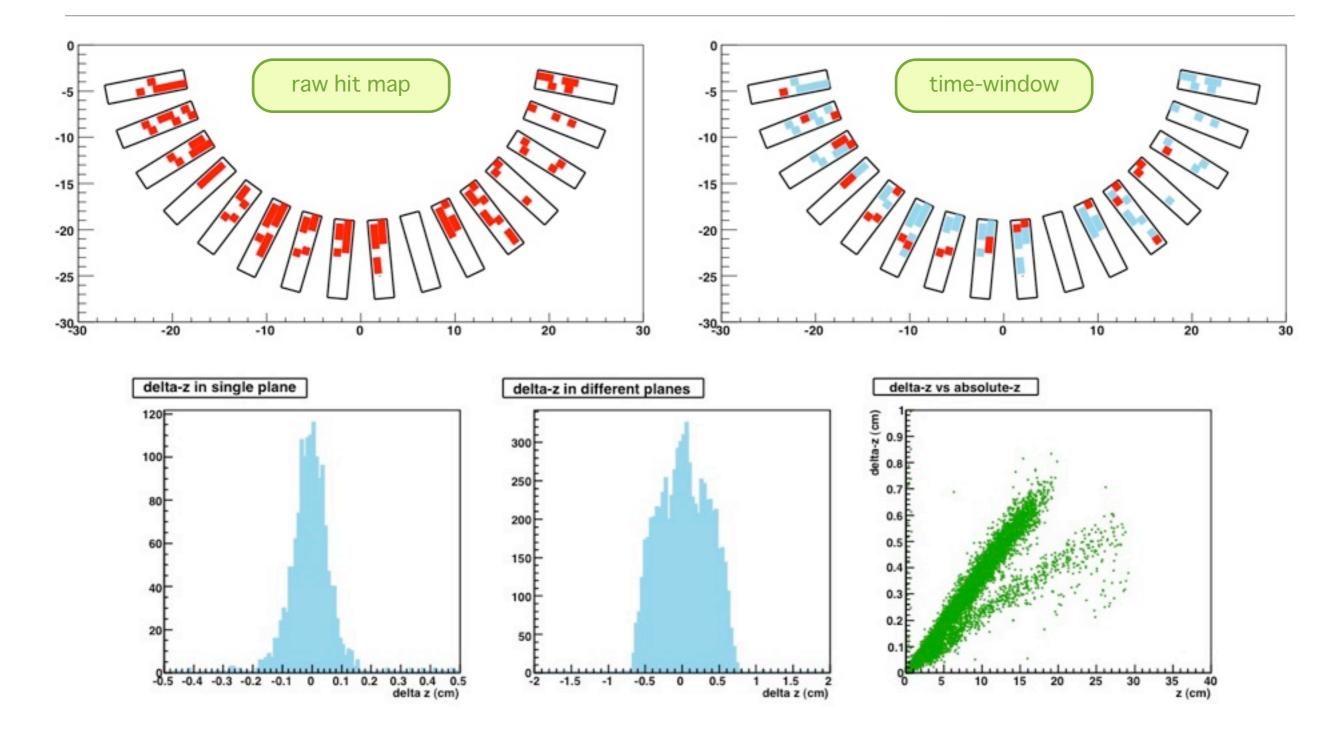
Hit Reconstruction

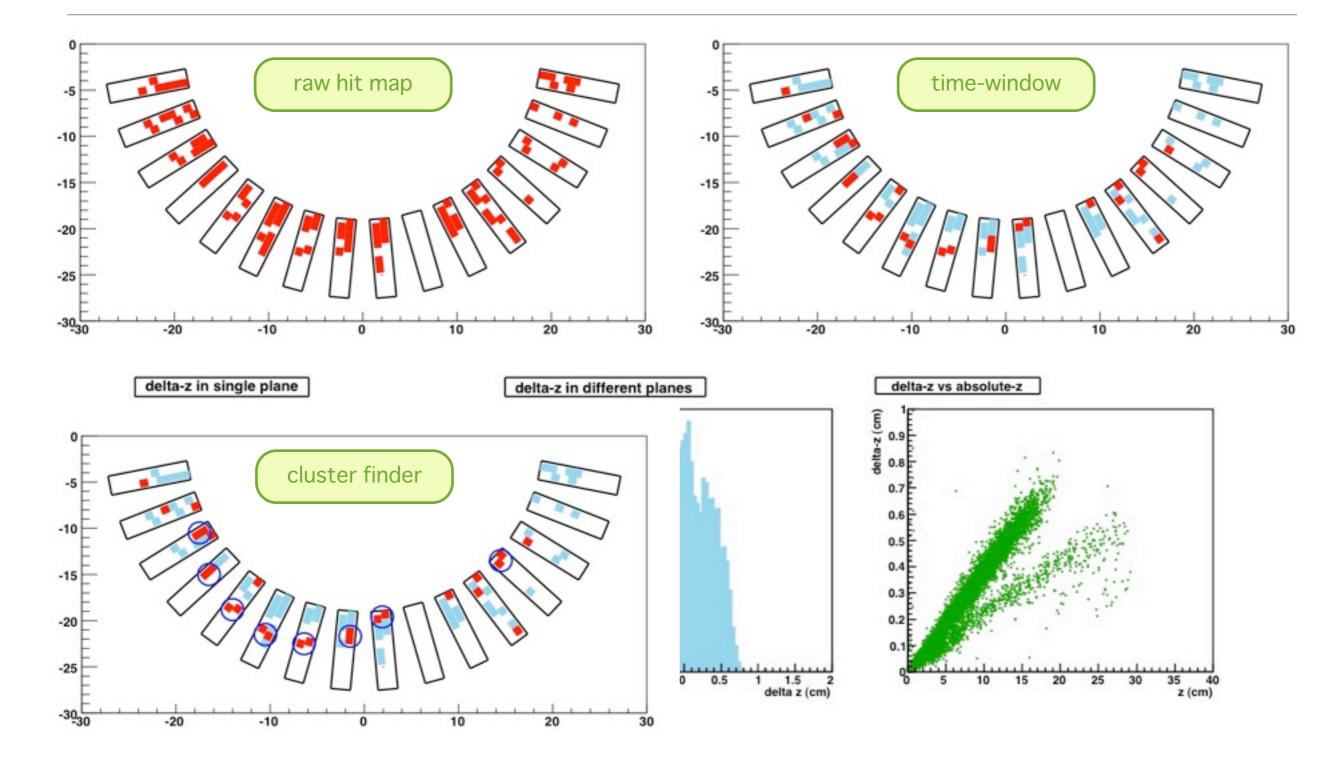


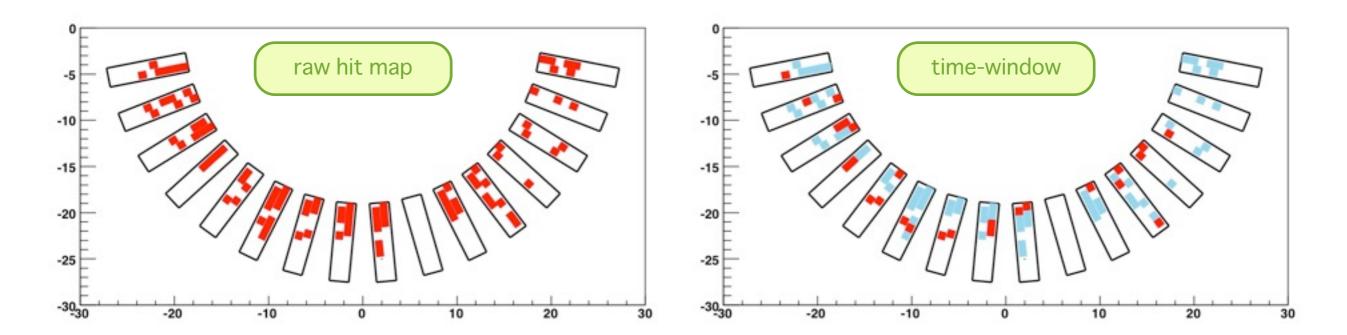


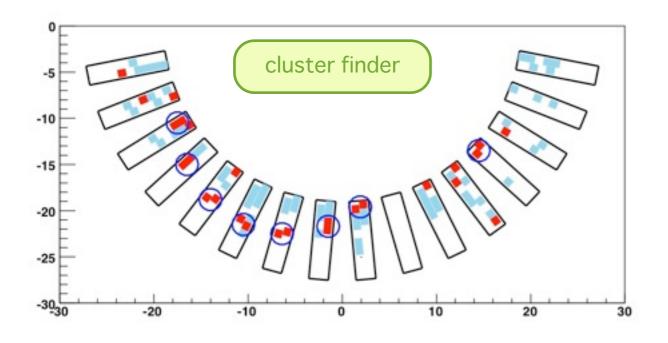


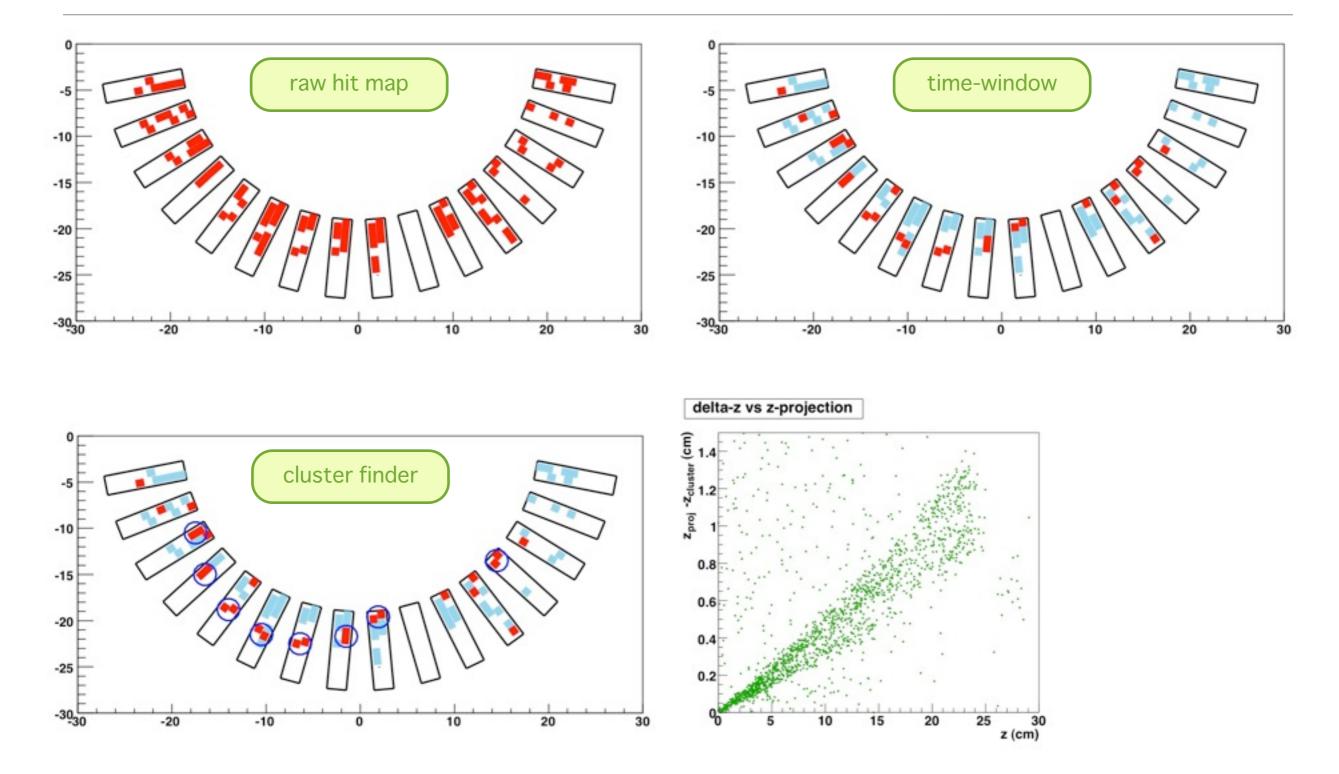


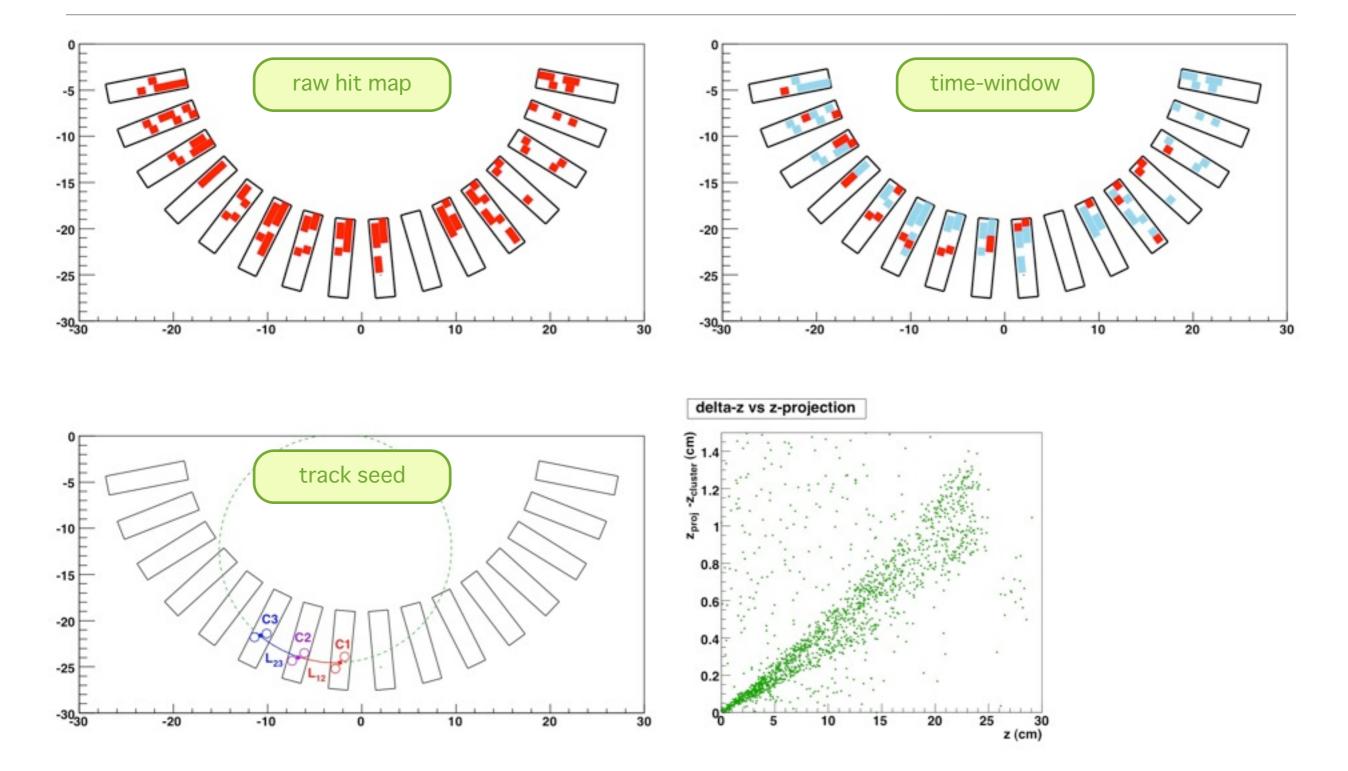


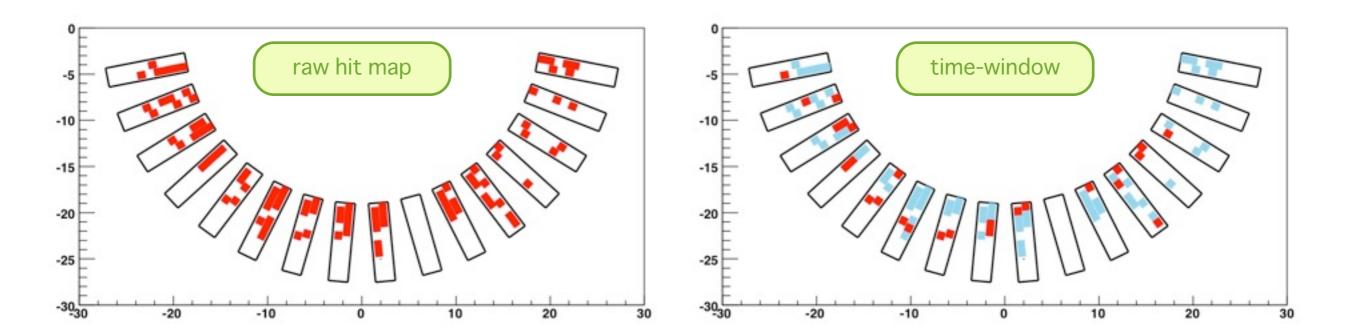


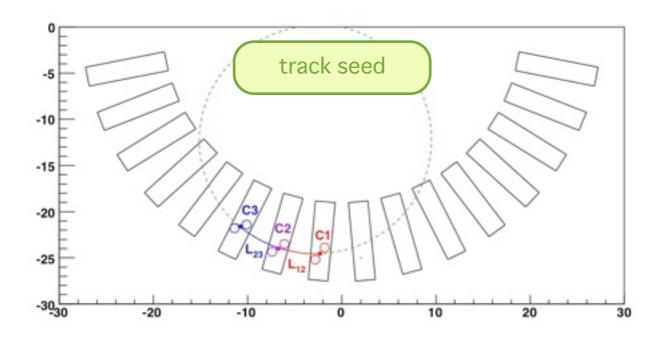


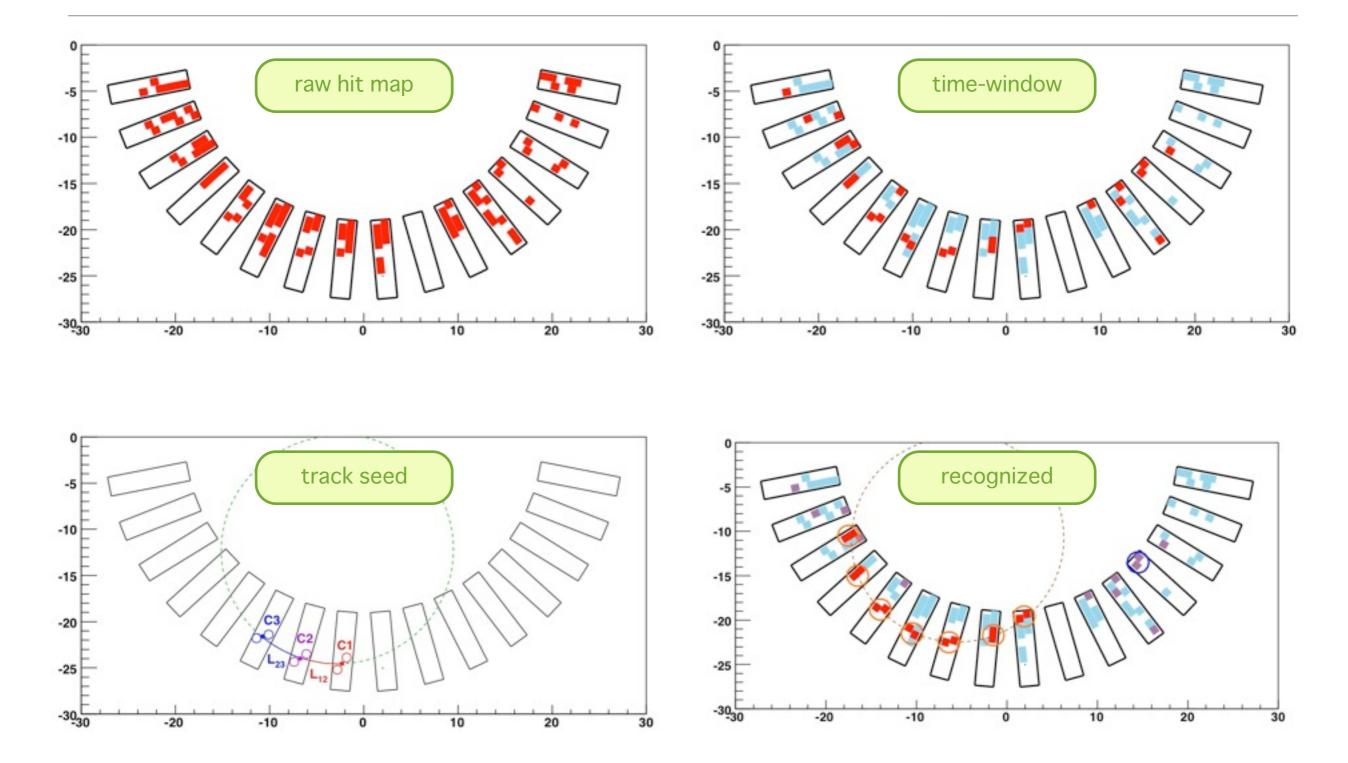


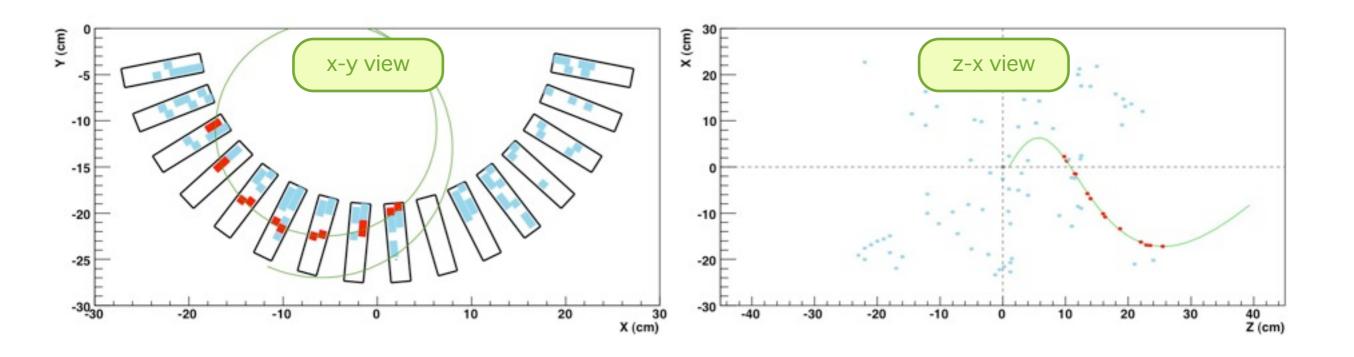






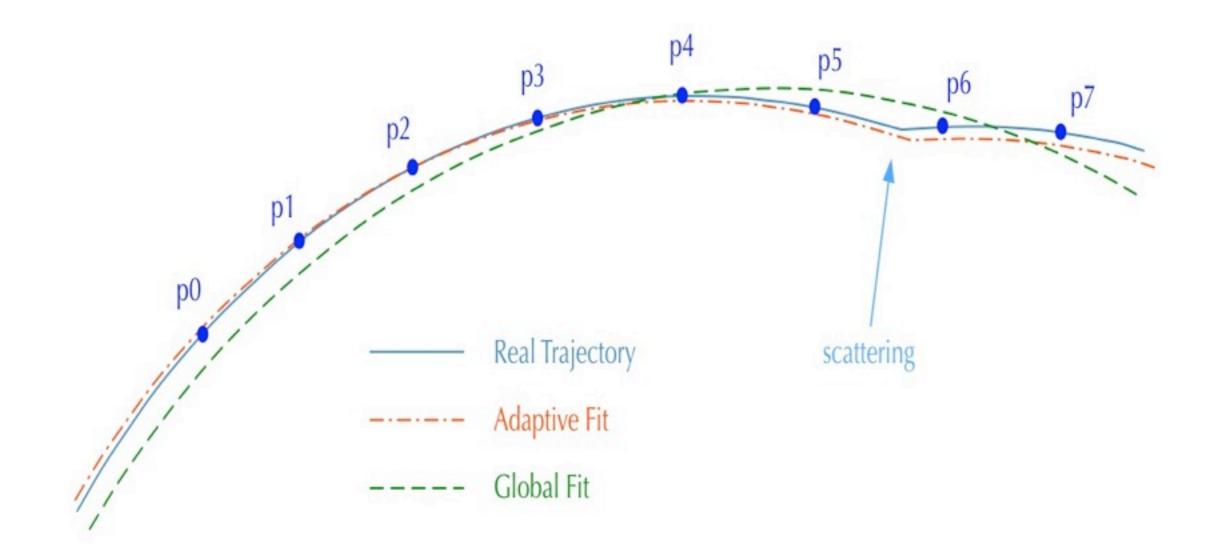






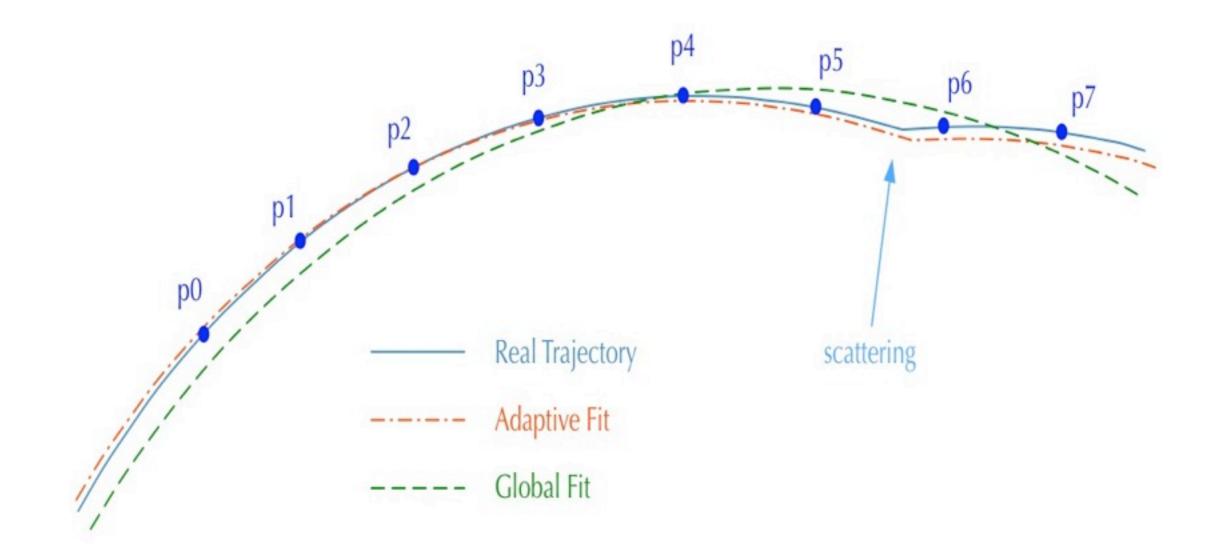
- Waveform Information Available
- 3-dimensional hit coordinates help a lot
- without adaptive filtering, very effective, very fast

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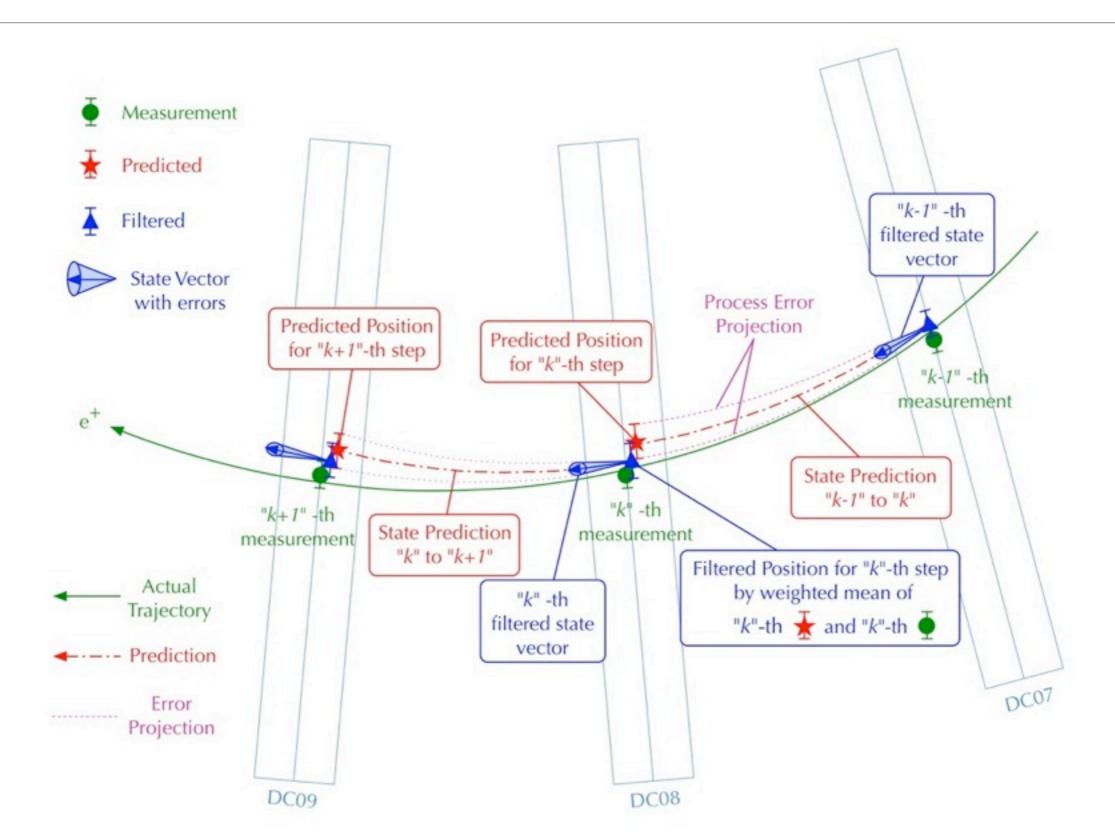
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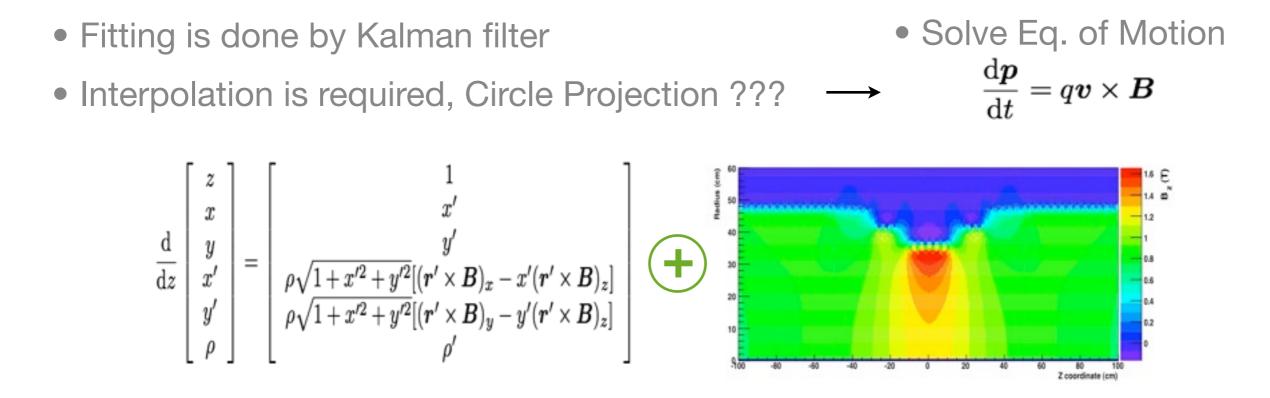
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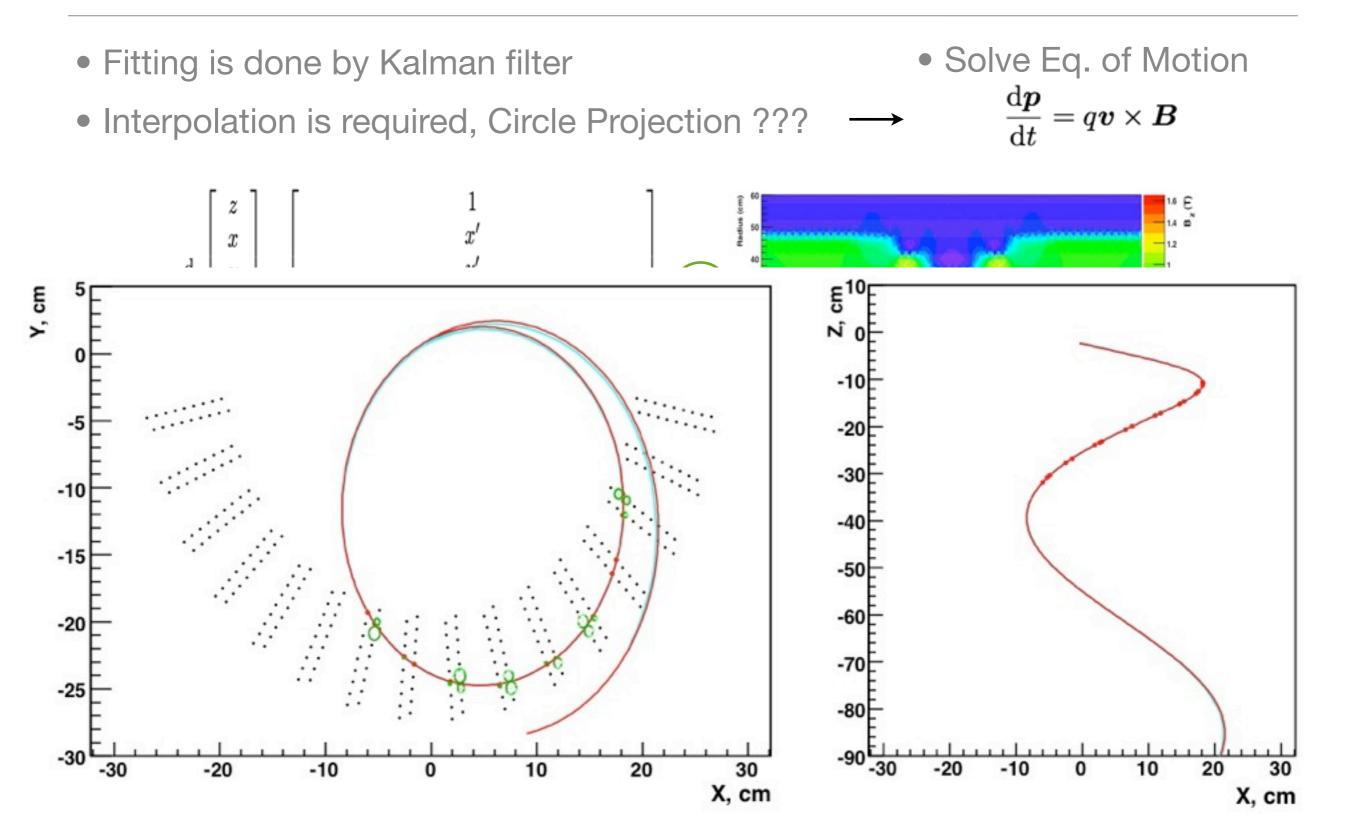
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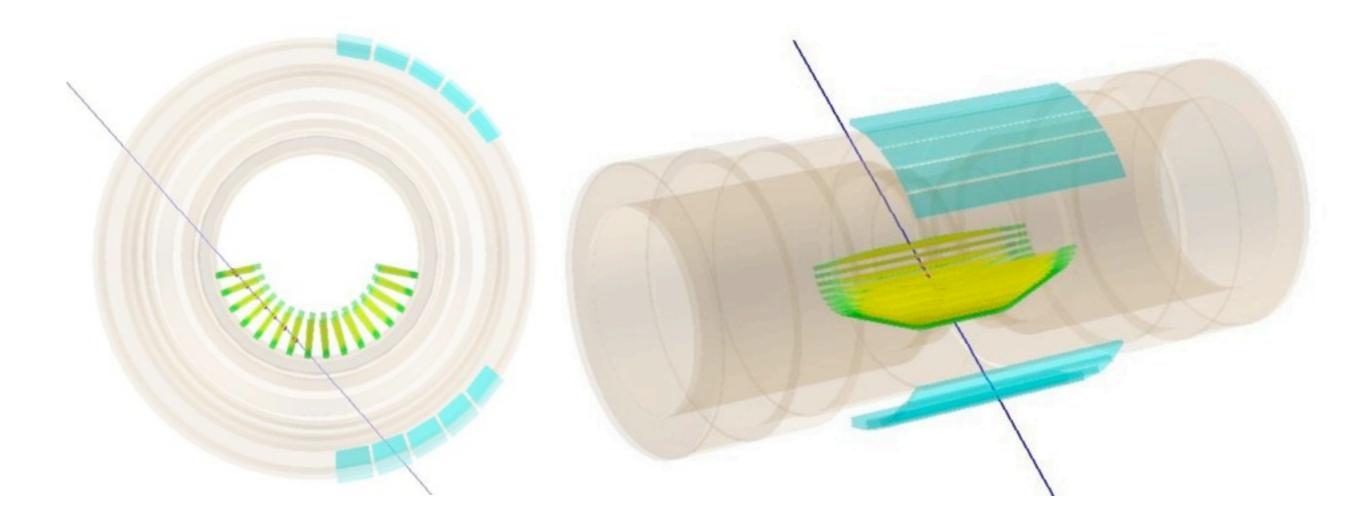






Calibration Runs (1)

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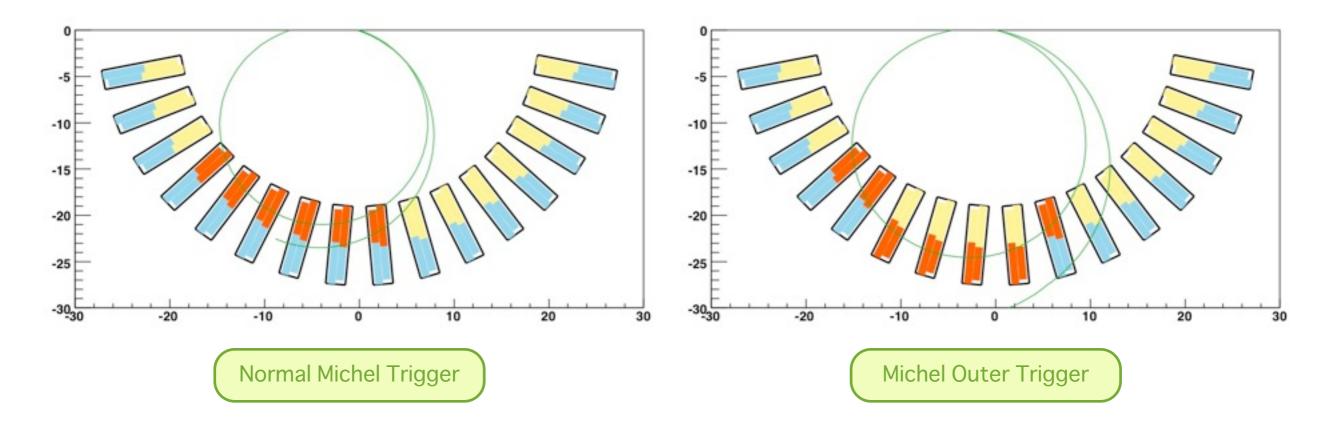


• Wire Alignment, *z*-Coordinate Calibration, (Timing Pedestal)



Calibration Runs (2)

• Michel Positron Trigger (DC self-trigger)

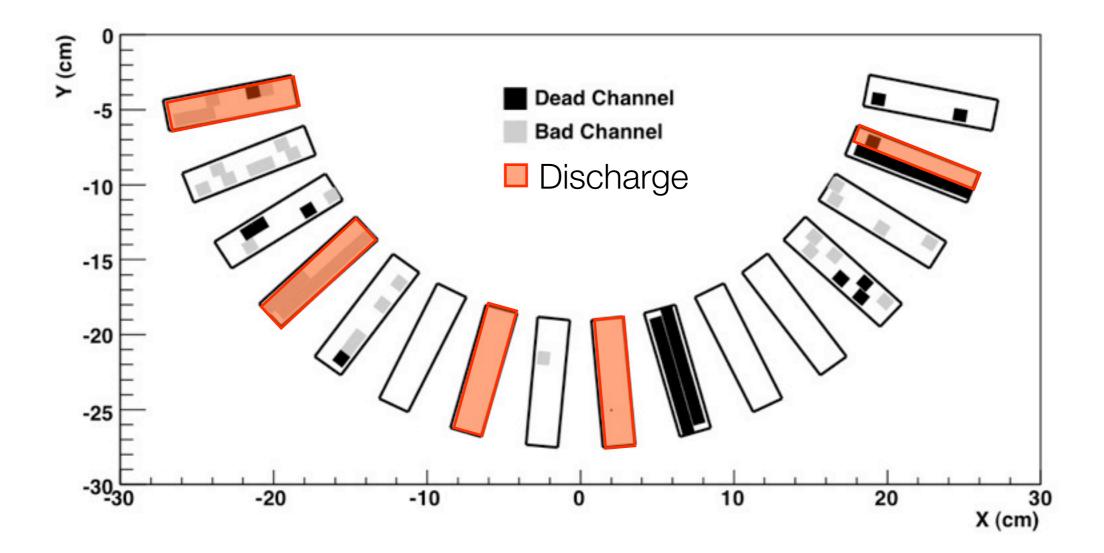


- Time-to-Distance Calibration, (z-Coordinate Calibration)
- Detector Performance Estimation



Calibration Runs (3)

• For the Run 2007, several chamber was badly conditioned

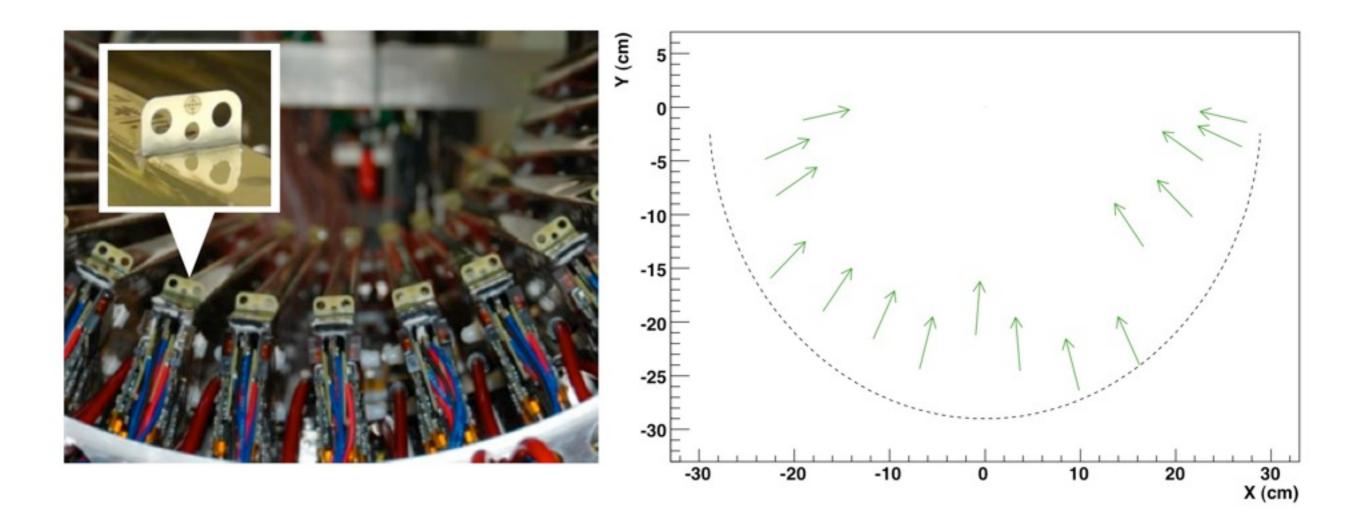


- "Feed-through Problem"
- "Discharge" Problem

• all problems are repaired during winter shutdown 2007-2008

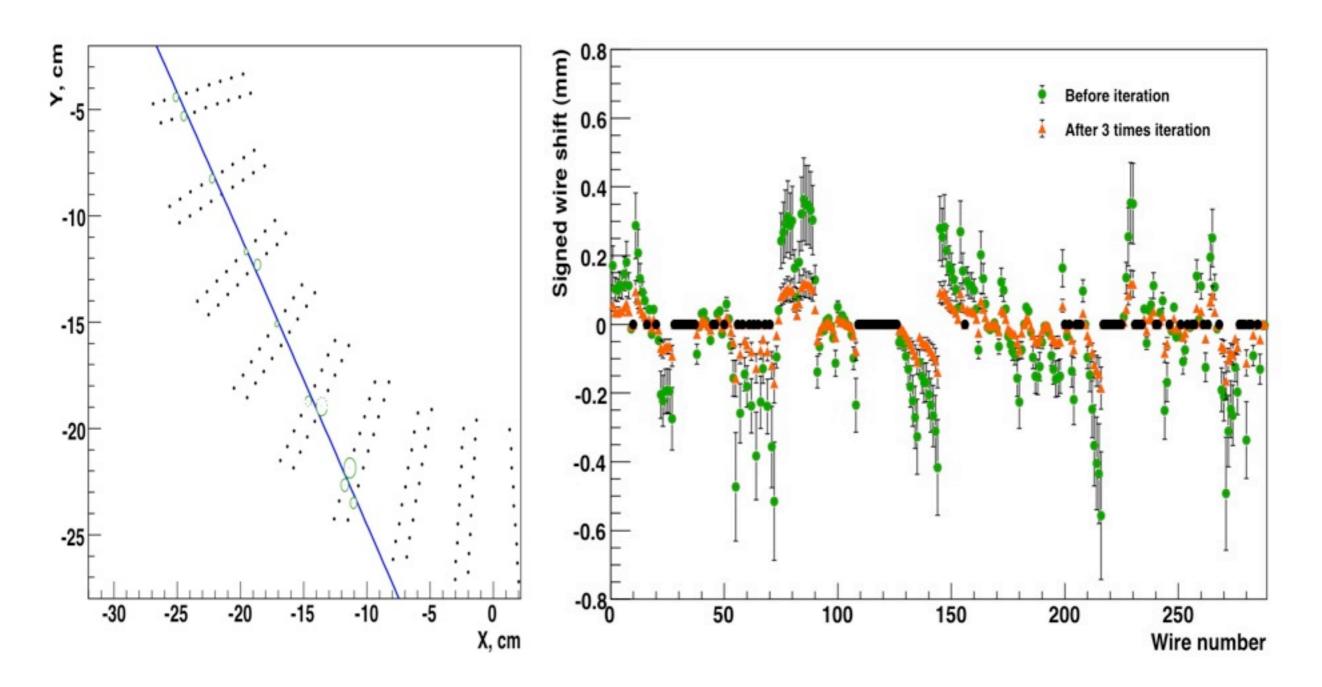


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relatively aligned with 47.3µm of accuracy



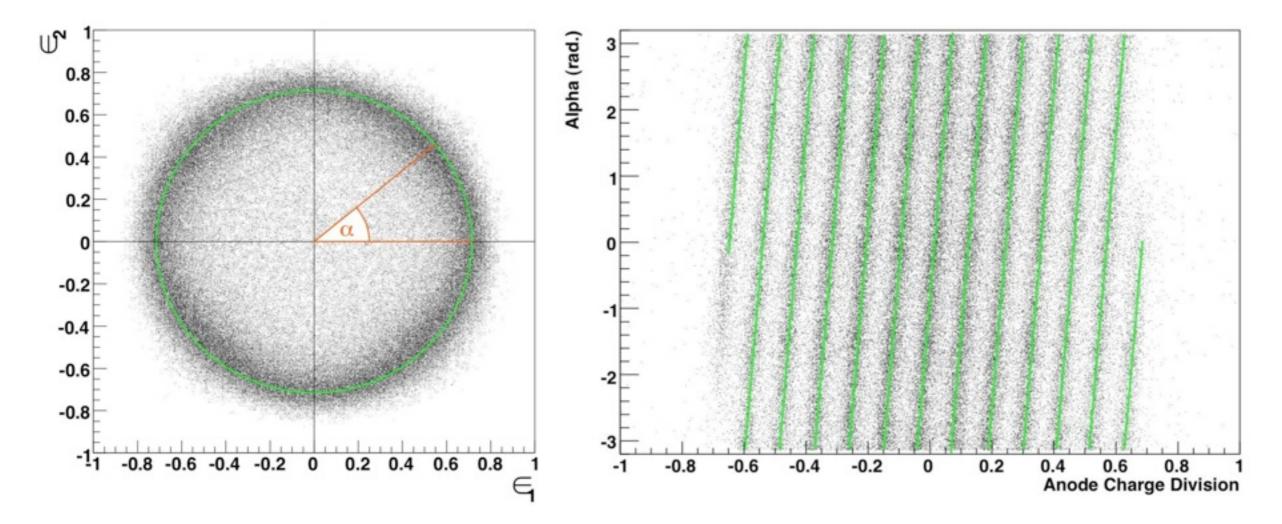
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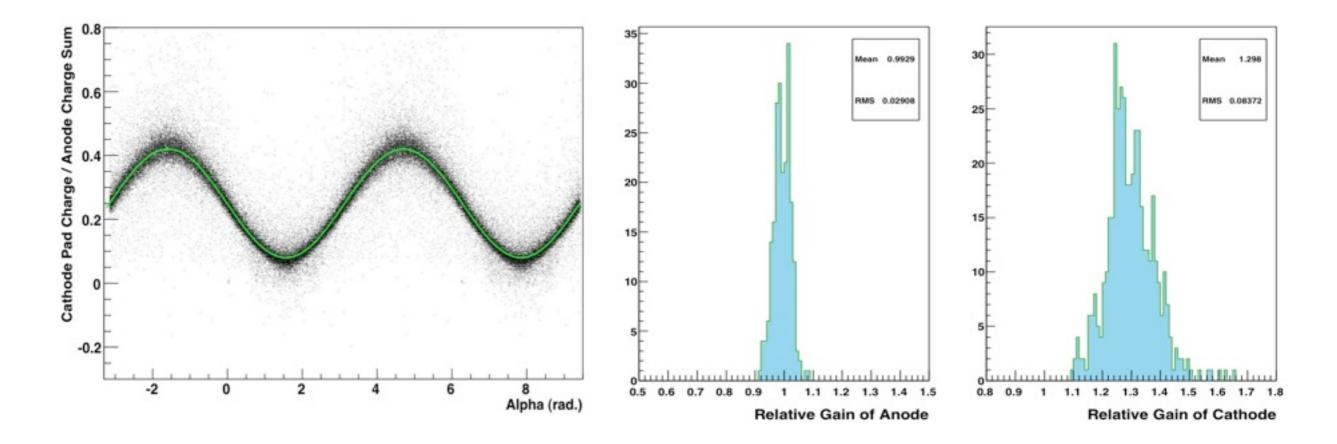


• "Vernier Period" (=5cm) can be a good position reference in z-coordinate



z-Coordinate Calibration (2)

- Iterative Method : "zcathode" <-> "Zanode"
- z-Coordinate Calibration ≈ Relative Gain Calibration

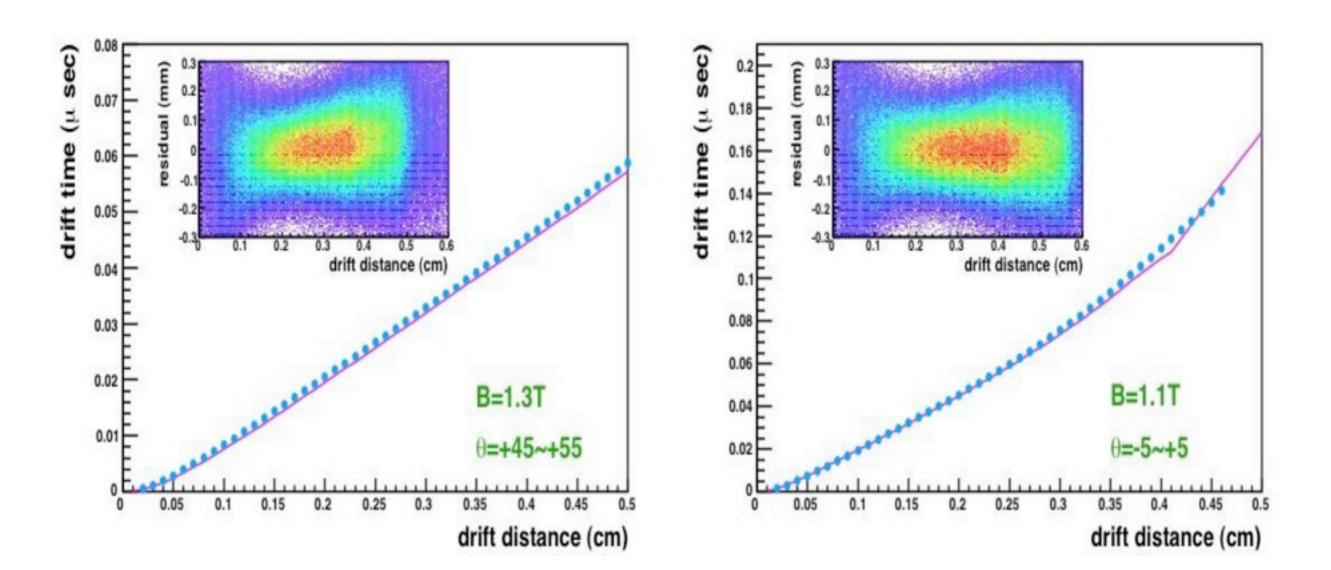


• z-alignment is also performed here, 100µm of z displacement are corrected

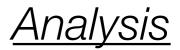


Time-to-Distance Calibration

- XT-map are corrected so that the *residual* is minimized
- All Cells should be calibrated individually due to B-variation







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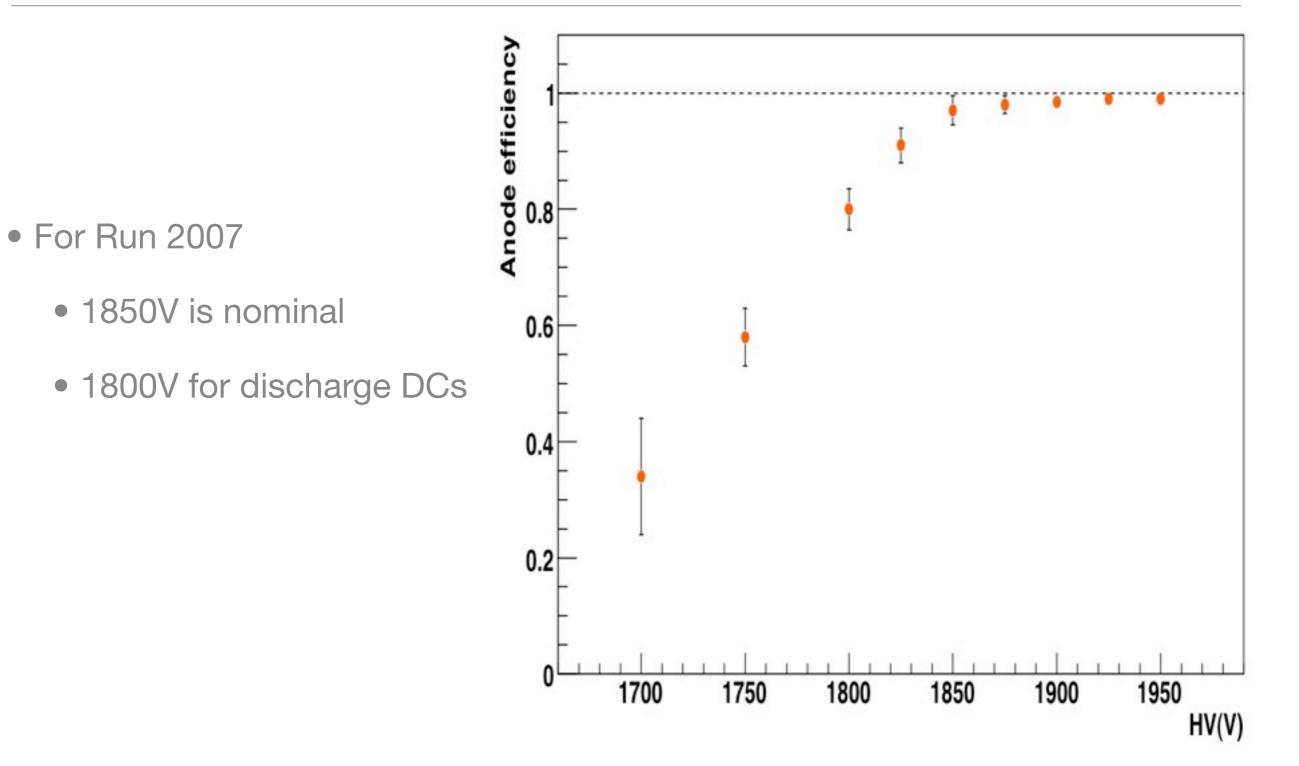








Single Hit Efficiency

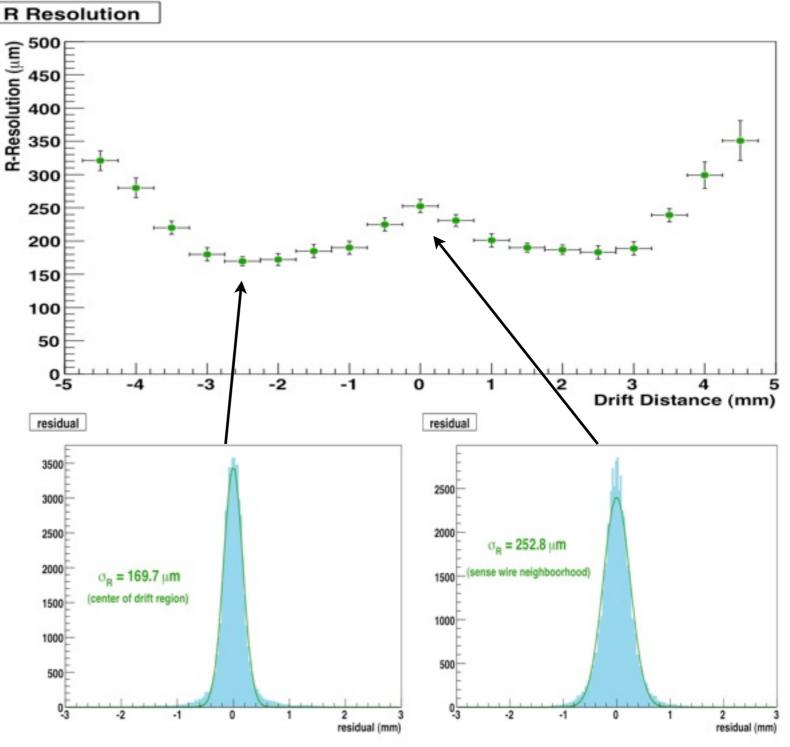




Spacial Resolution (Transverse, "r")

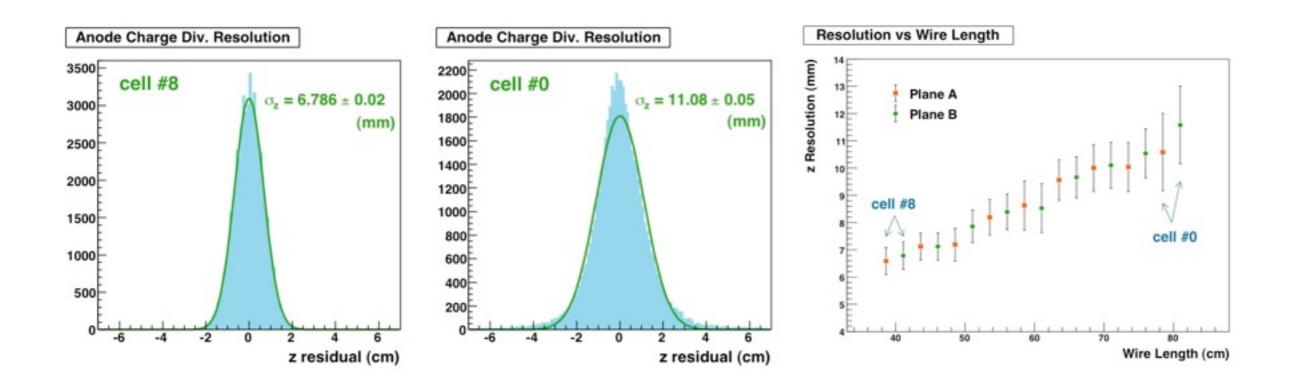


- Slice by 0.5 mm intervals in drift distance, position dependence of R resolution is studied.
- 170~350 micron in sigma is achieved (good DC).

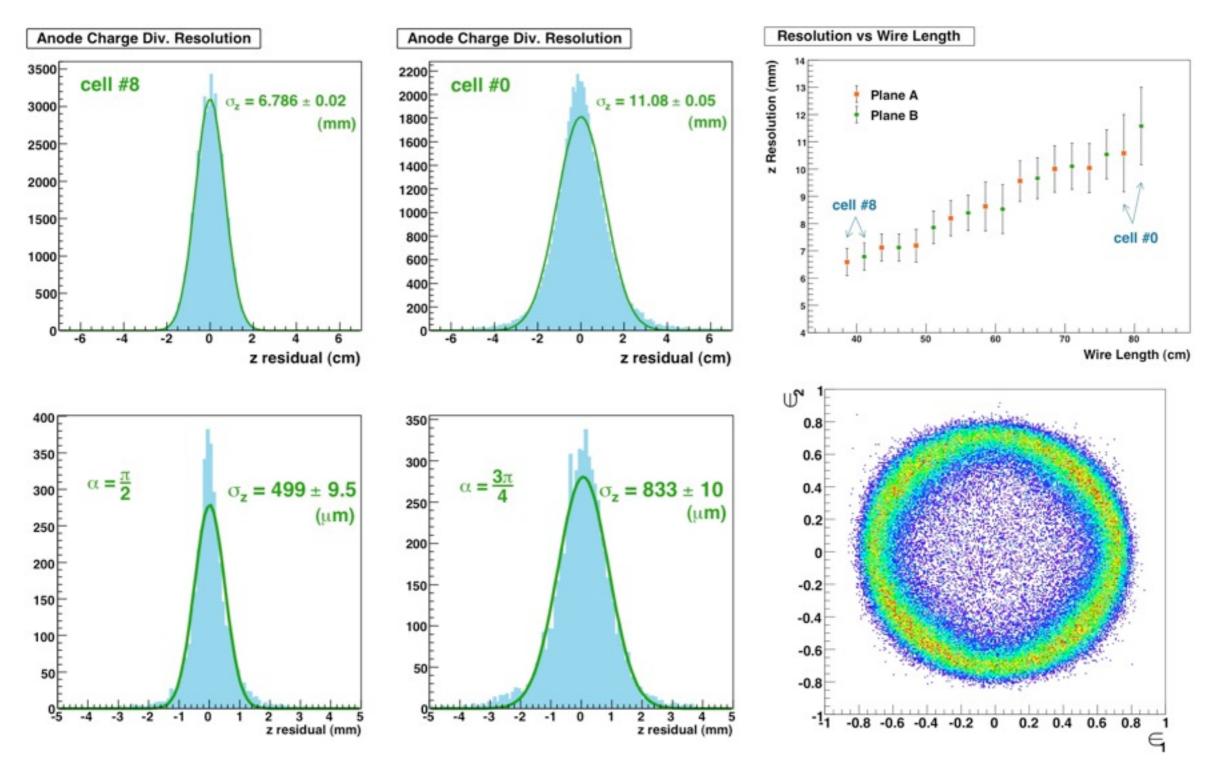




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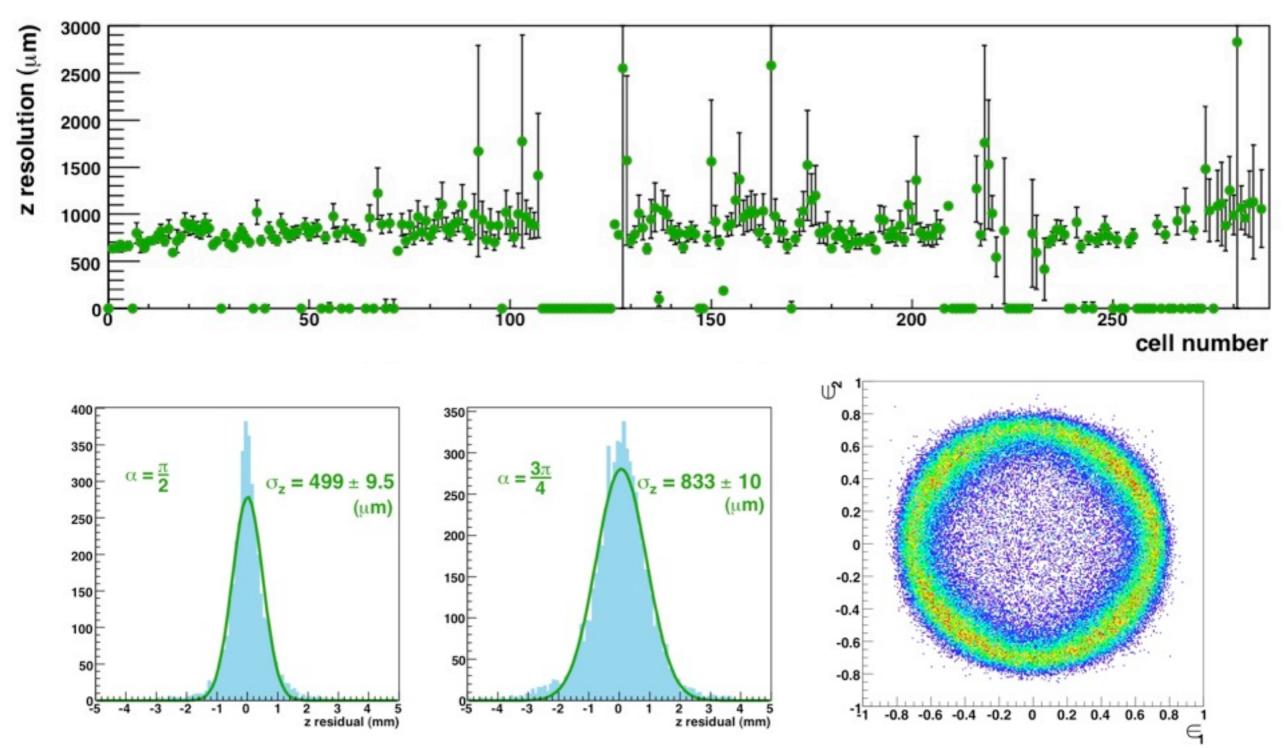


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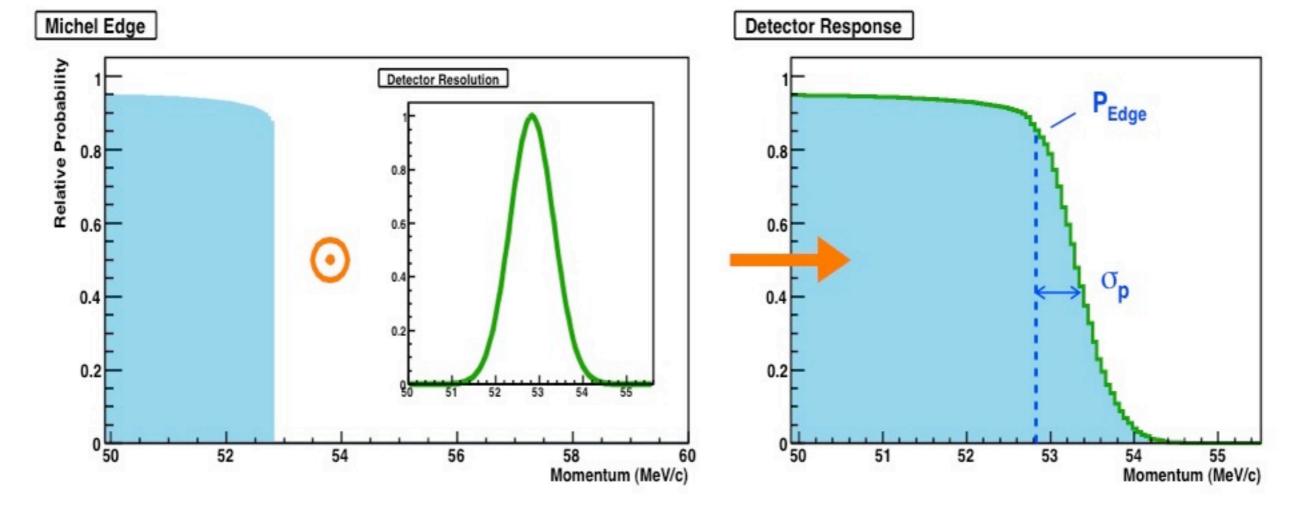
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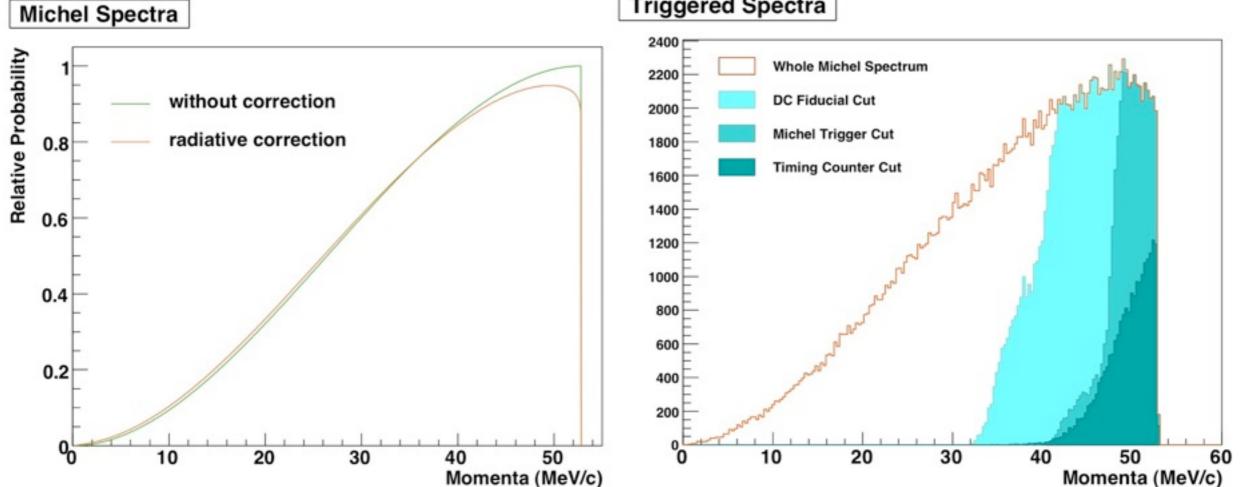
- Michel-Edge Fitting
 - Absolute Momentum Calibration
 - Momentum Resolution Estimation





Momentum Resolution (2)

- Michel-Edge Deformation
 - Radiative Corrections to the Michel Spectrum
 - Trigger Condition Dependences

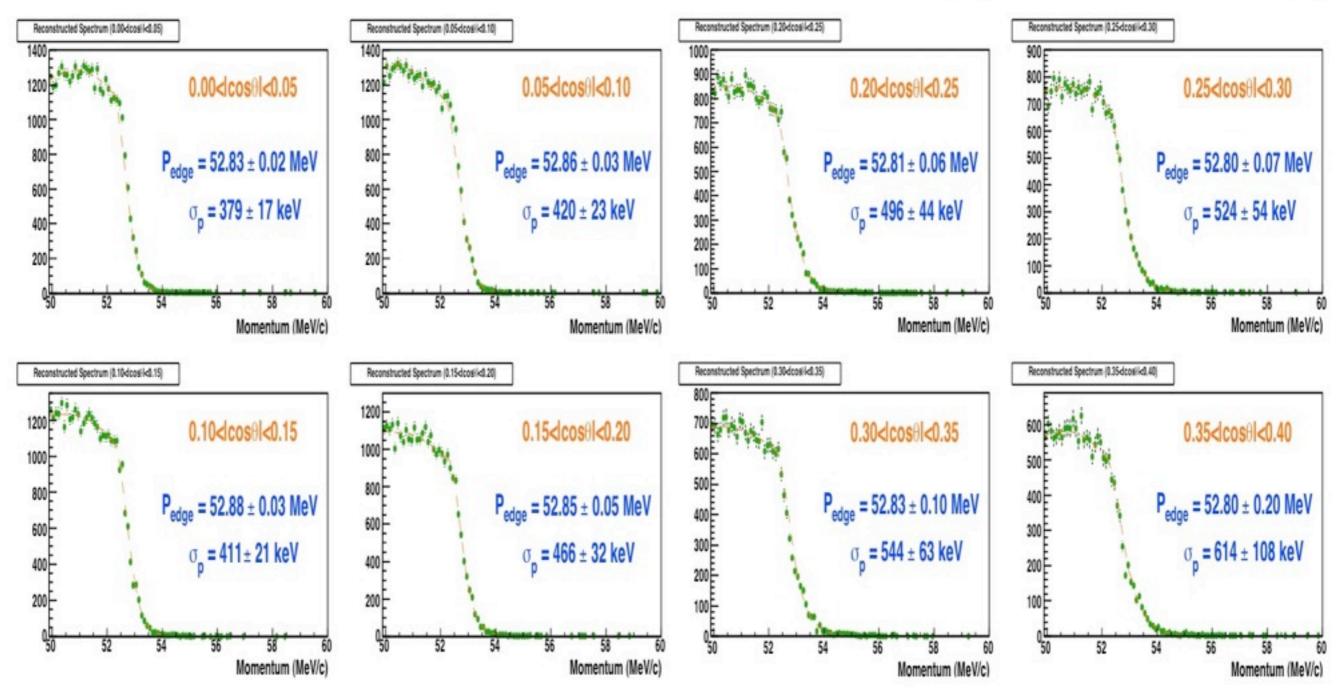


Triggered Spectra



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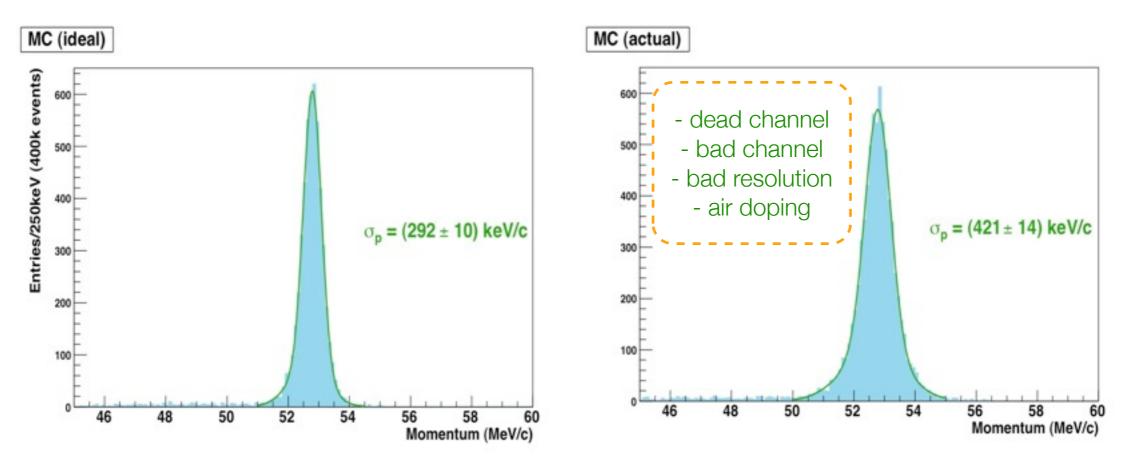
• Michel-Edge Fitting is done with several angular slices



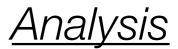


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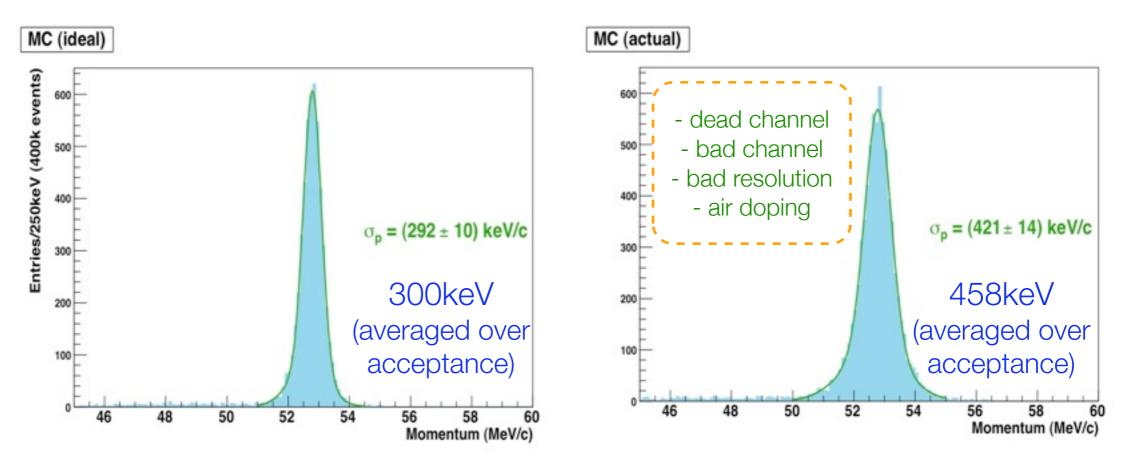


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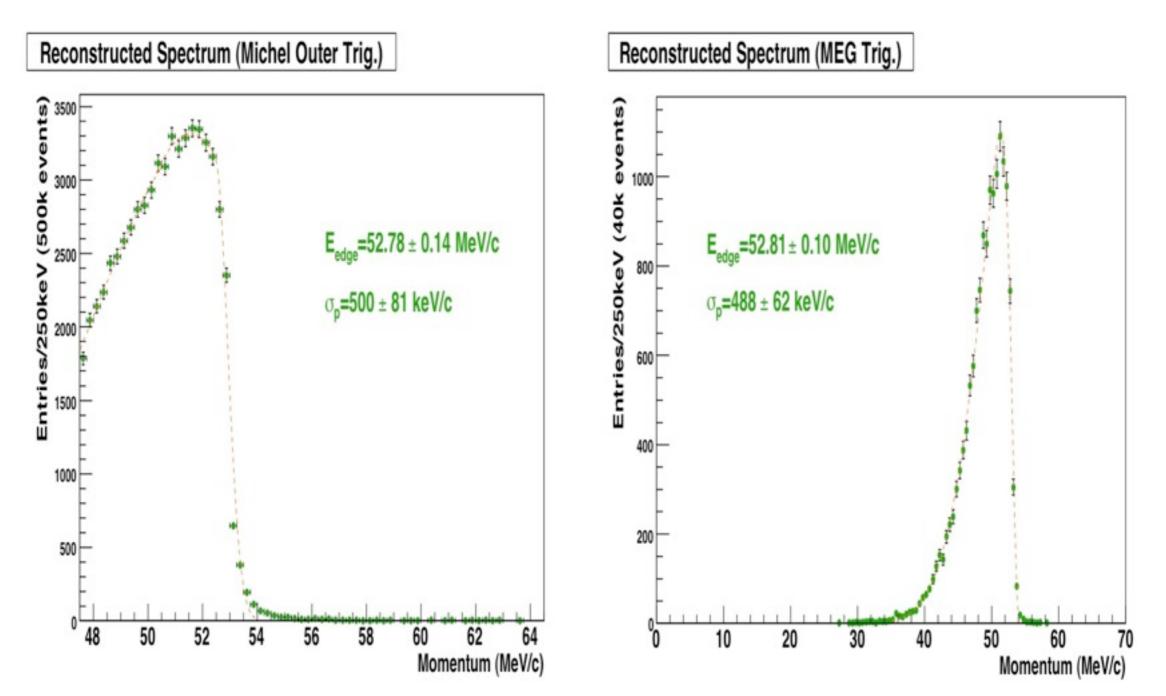


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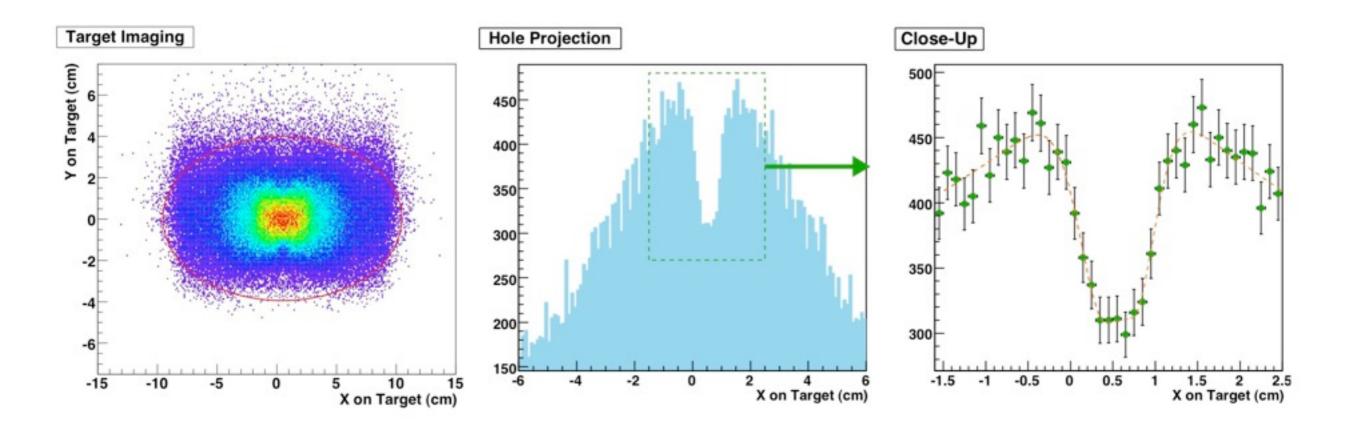
• Rate Dependence / Trigger Dependence





Vertex Resolution

• Hole on Target can be used

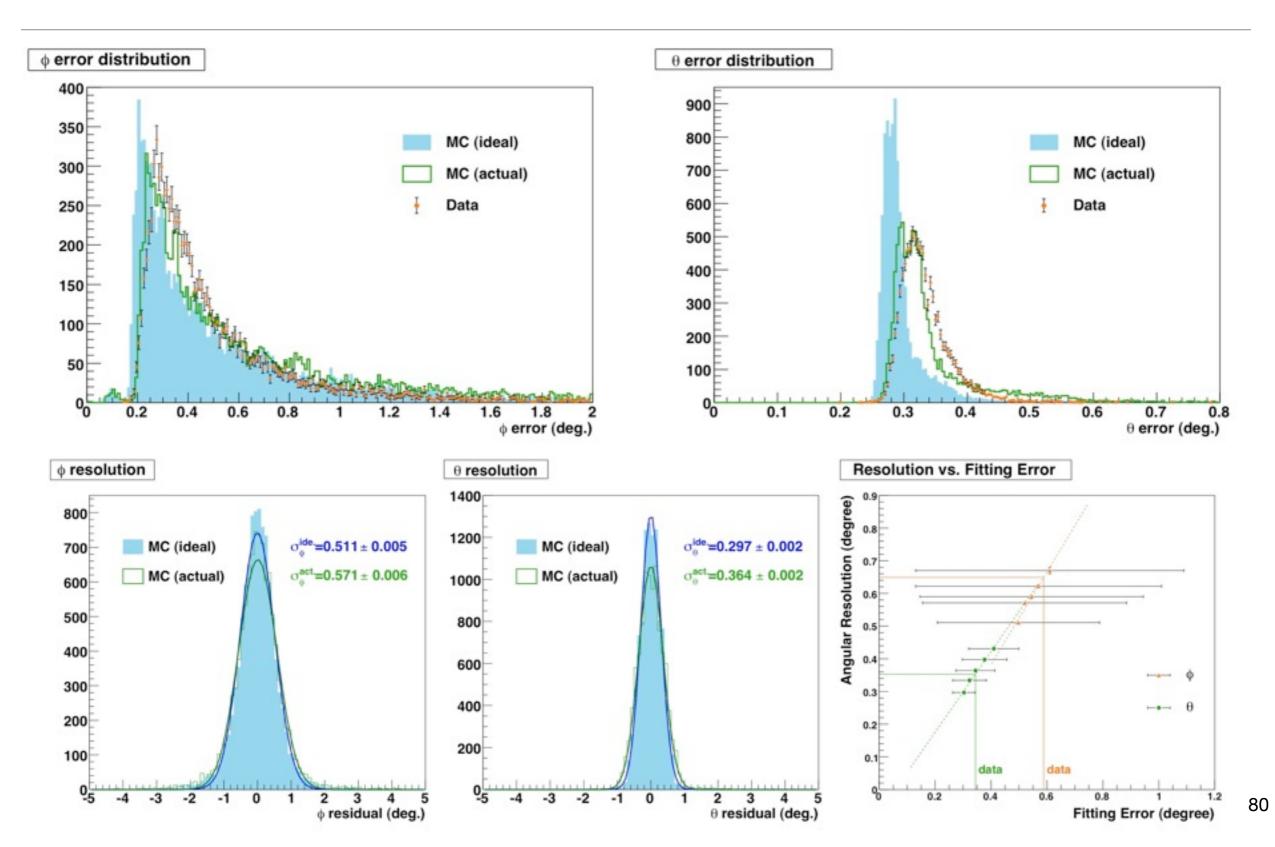


• $\sigma_x = 1.8 \text{ mm} / MC_{ideal}$: $\sigma_x = 1.1 \text{ mm}$

• 5.3 mm misalignment of target position can be seen



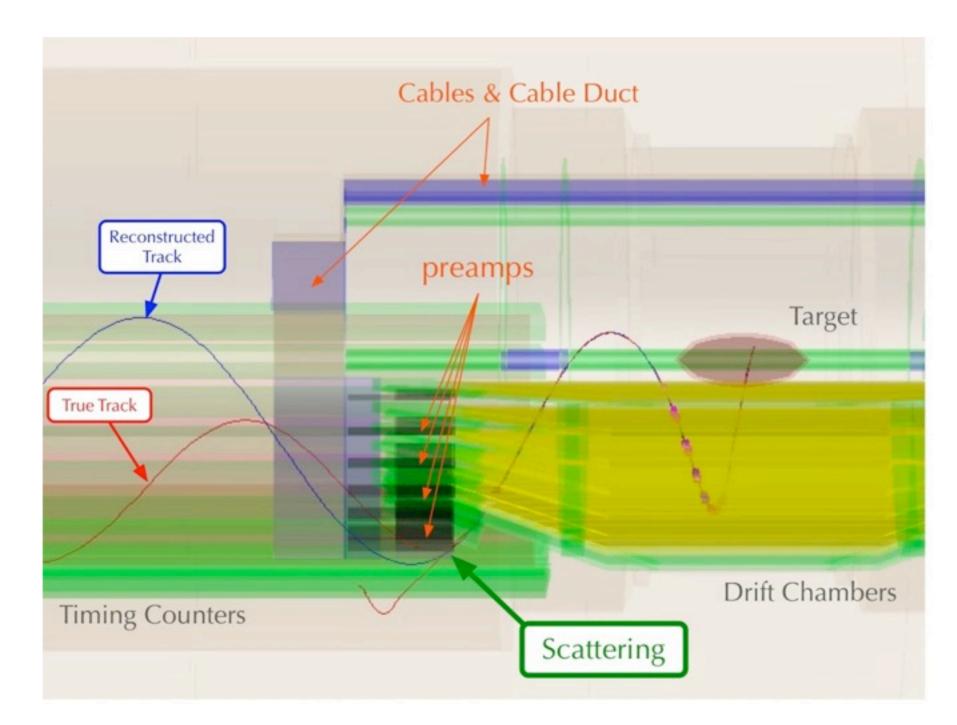
Angular Resolution





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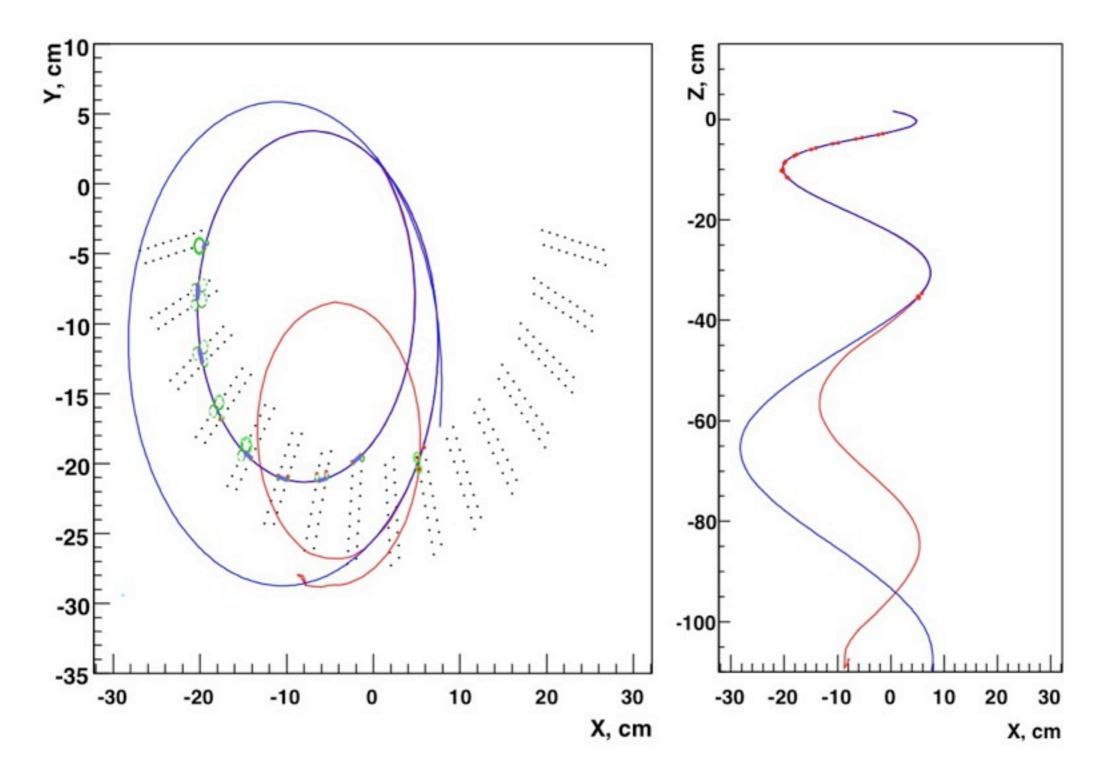
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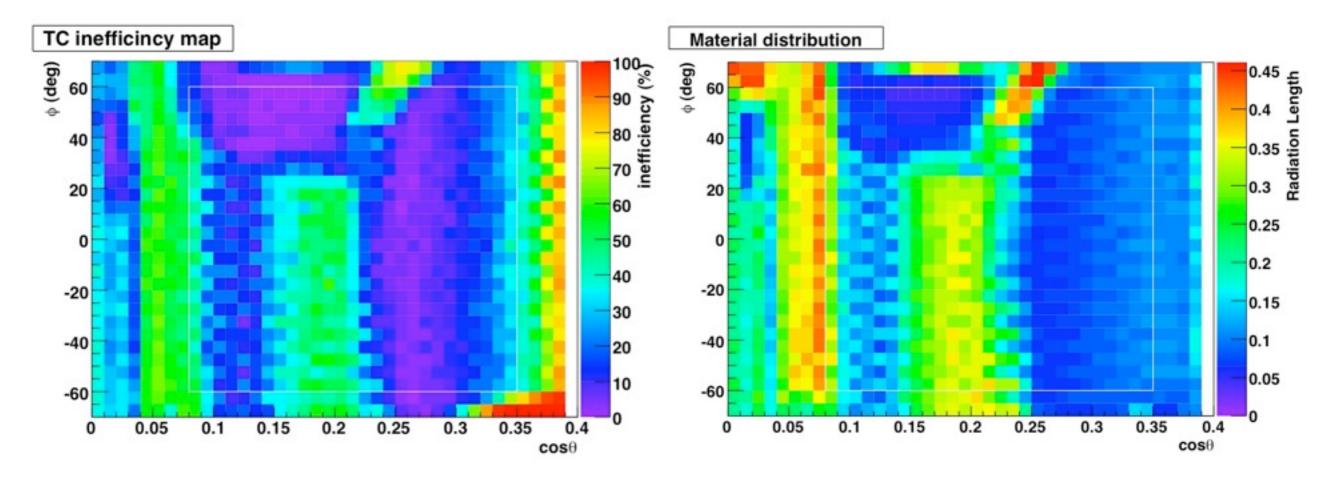
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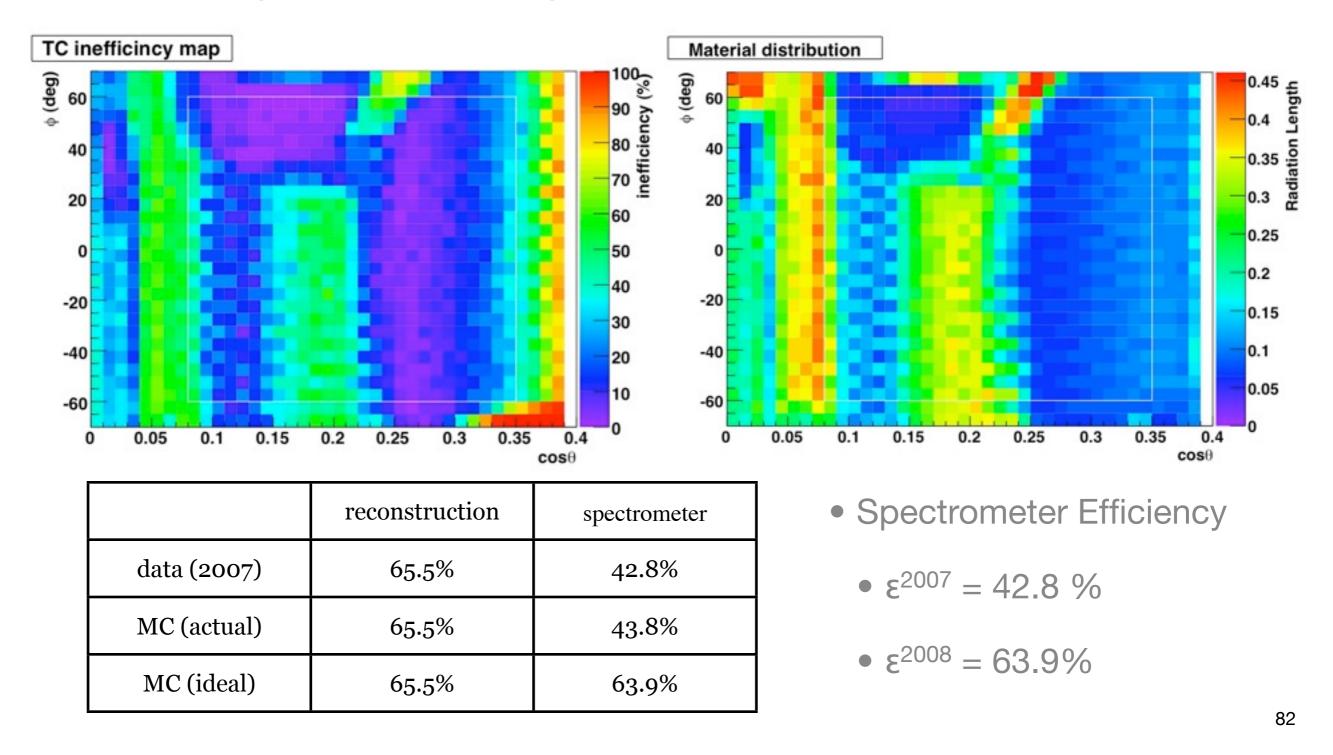
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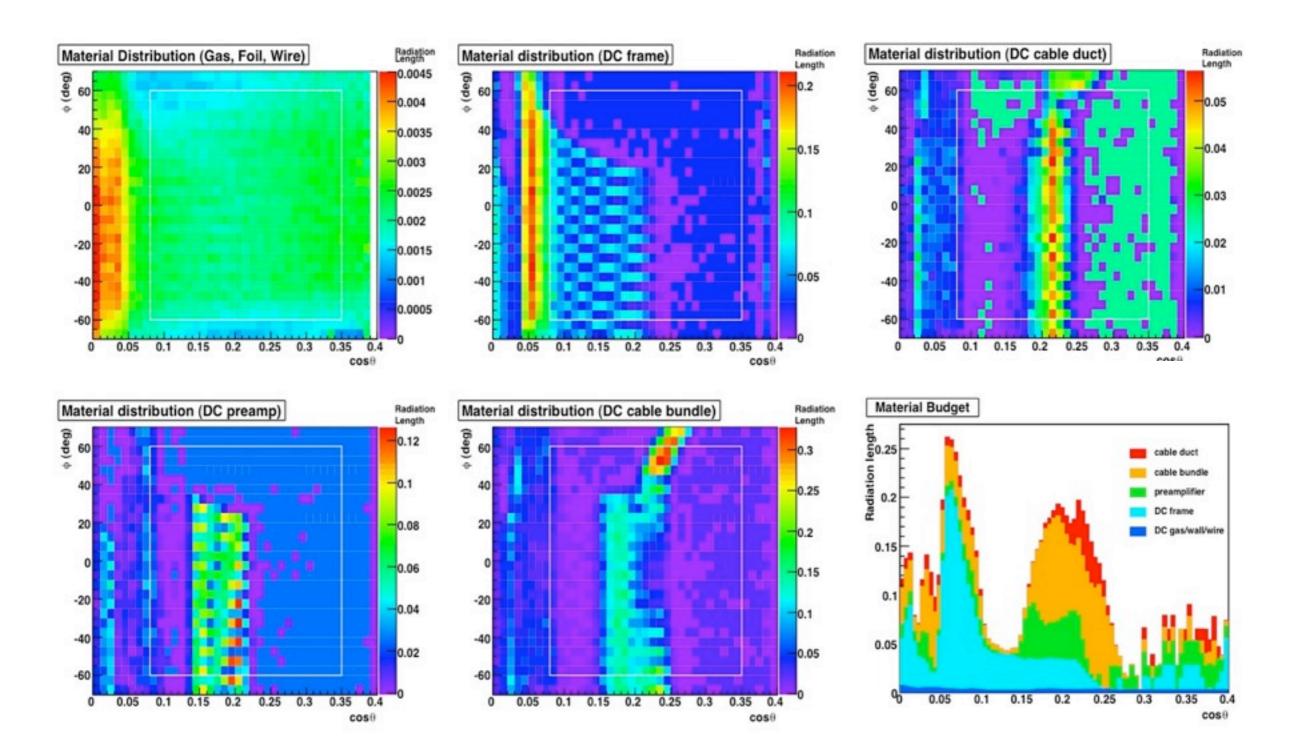


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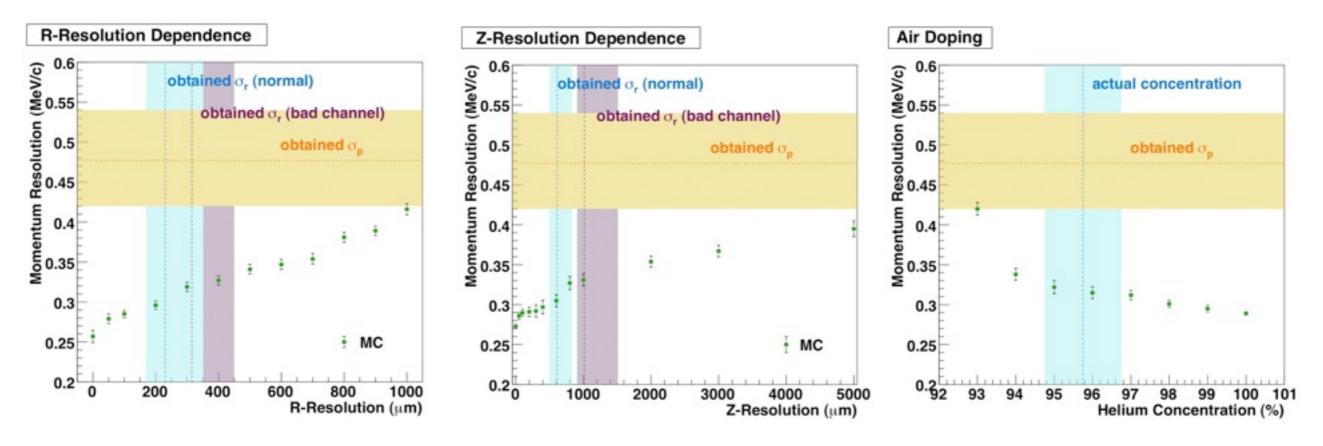
• DC Spacial Resolution

| Resolutions | Effect | Uncertainty | |
|---|----------------------------------|-------------|--|
| | High Voltage | ± 0.40 | |
| | Gas Pressure | ± 0.25 | |
| | Timing Determination | ± 76.4 | |
| Transverse Spacial Resolution 169 - 351 μm (data,2007) | Alignment (r) | ± 33.5 | |
| | Electron Diffusion | ± 90.1 | |
| | Multiple Scattering | ± 125 | |
| | Total in quadrature | ± 175 | |
| | DRS Fake Pulse | ± 138 | |
| | Alignment (z) | ± 92 | |
| | Relative Gain Fluctuation | ± 199 | |
| Longitudinal Spacial Resolution 499 - 833 µm (data,2007) | Baseline Noise | ± 109 | |
| | Multiple Scattering | ± 175 | |
| | Charge Distribution | ± 354 | |
| | Total in quadrature | ± 484 | |



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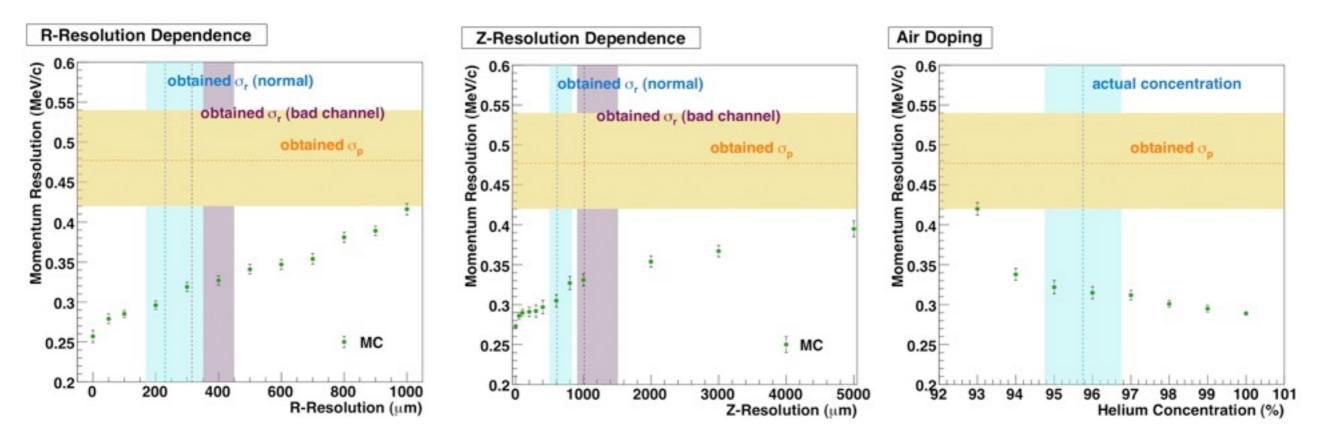
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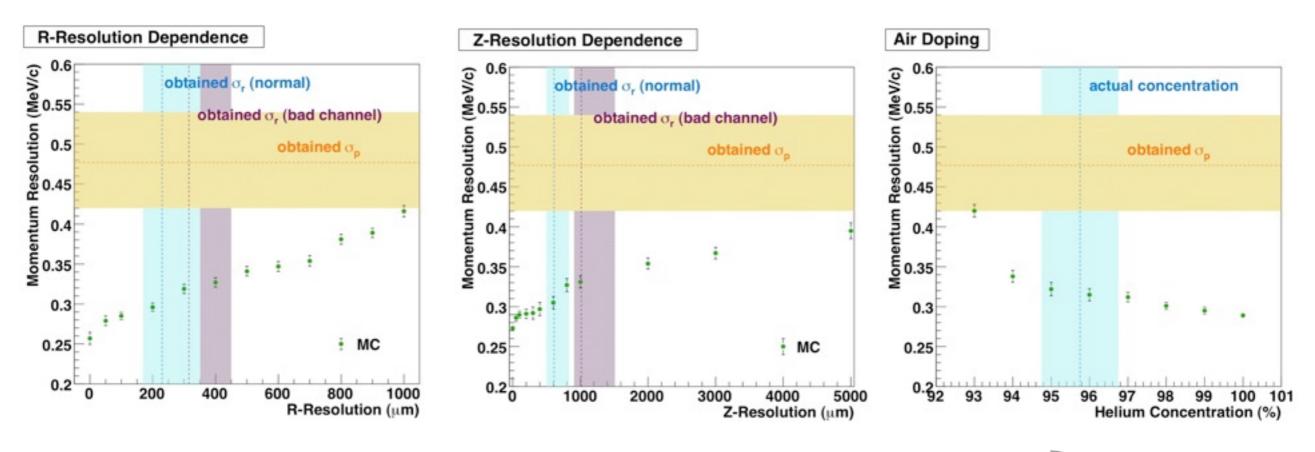


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(in uniform B field)

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 - Contribution from Air Contamination (factor 1.48) : ± 121 keV (125 keV, MC^{actual})
 - Contribution from Missing Channels (factor 1.88) : ± 224 keV (249 keV, MC^{actual})



MEG Sensitivity (1)

• Detector Performances

| Quantity | Engineering Run 2007 | Physics Run 2008 | |
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| e ⁺ Momentum Resolution (%) | 2.2 | 1.5 | |
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| e ⁺ Timing Resolution (ps) | 127 | 103 | |
| γ Energy Resolution (%) | - 5.0 | | |
| γ Spacial Resolution (mm) | - | 9.0 150 | |
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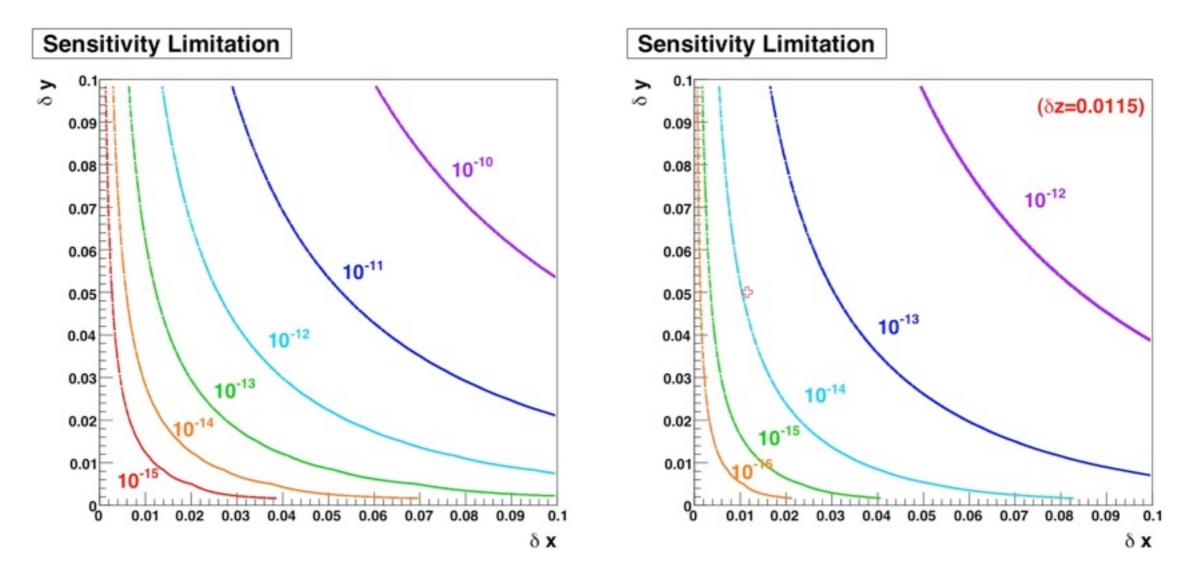
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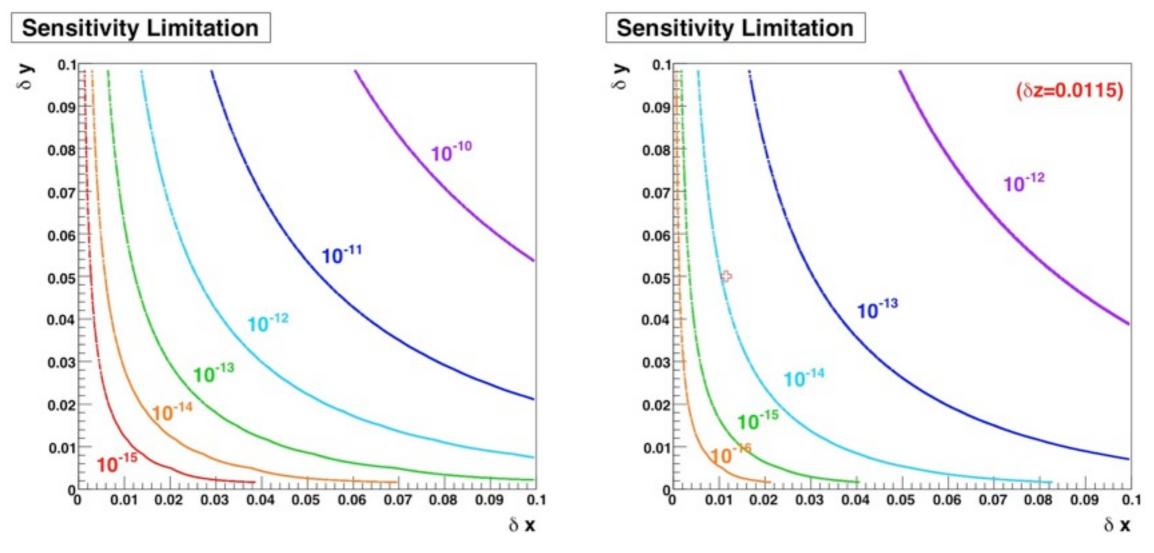
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$$d\mathcal{B}(\mu \to e\nu\overline{\nu}\gamma) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(\mu \to e\nu\overline{\nu})} \int_{1-\delta x}^{1} dx \int_{1-\delta y}^{1} dy \int_{0}^{\min\left[\delta z, 2\sqrt{(1-x)(1-y)}\right]} dz \frac{d\Gamma(\mu \to e\nu\overline{\nu}\gamma)}{dxdydz}$$

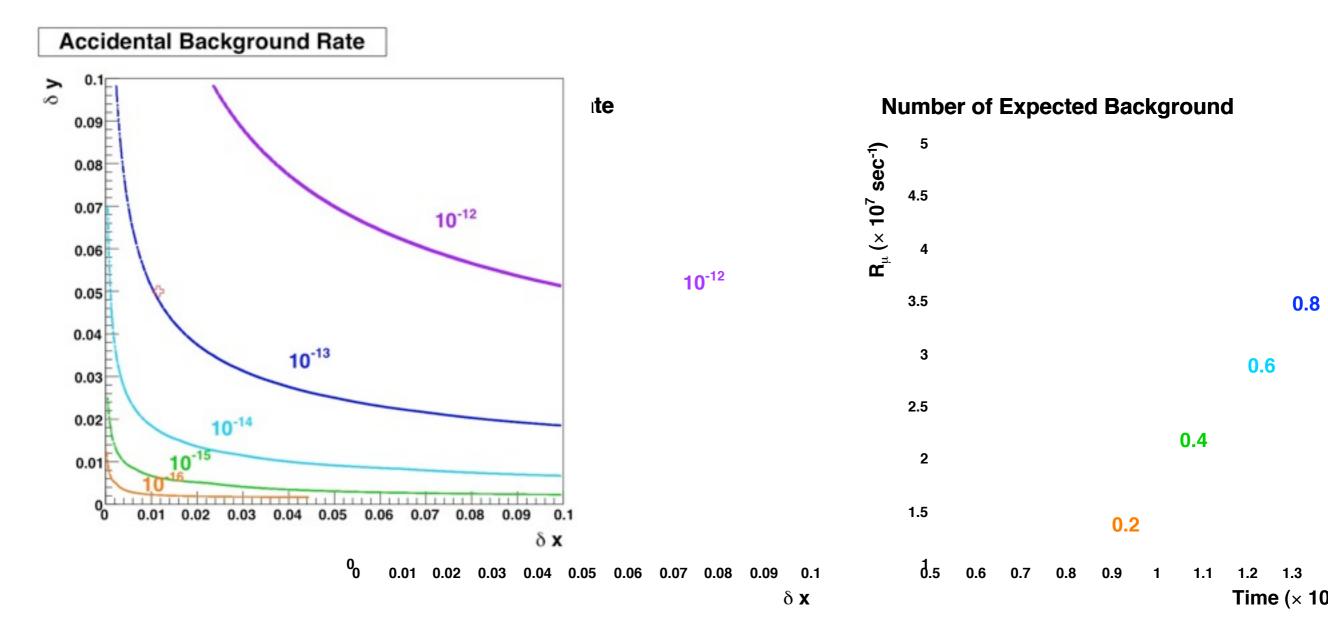


• For MEG 2008, Physics Background < 1.1×10⁻¹⁴

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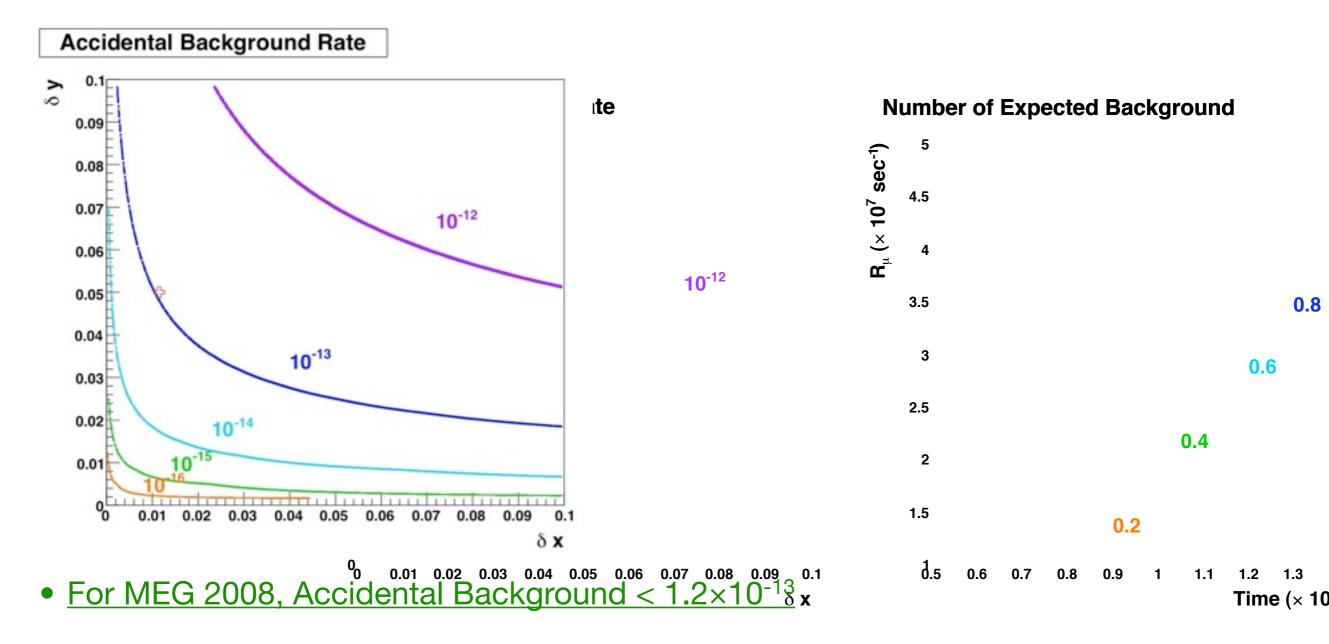
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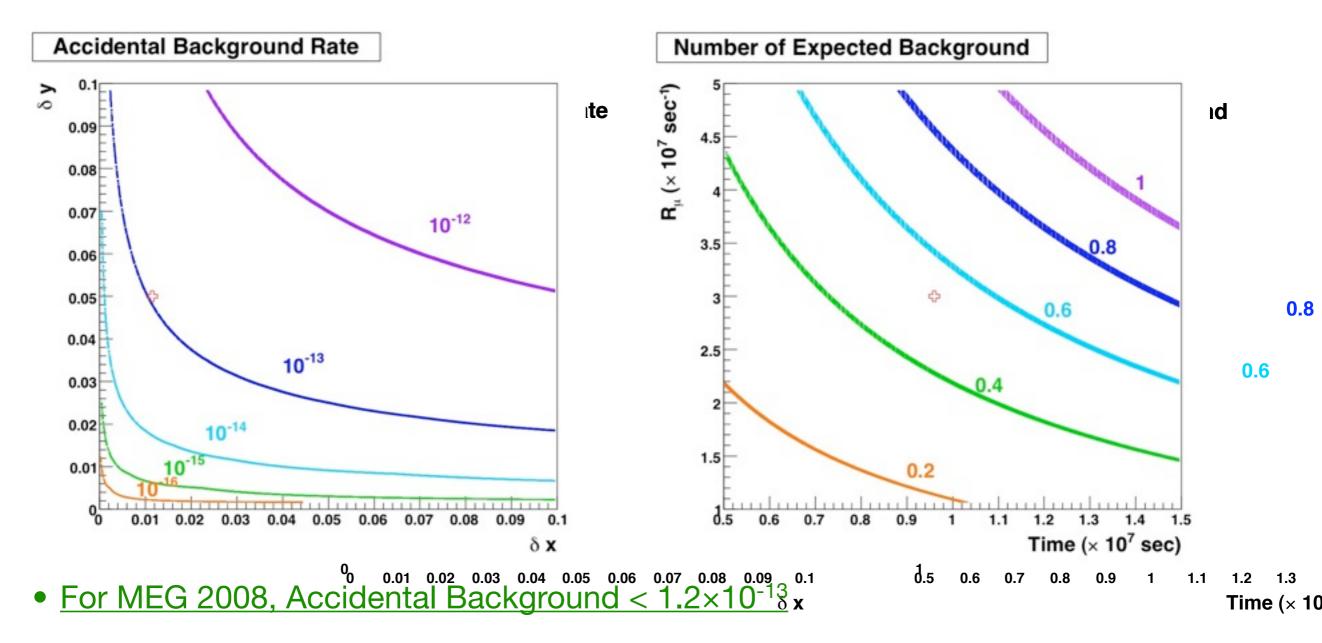
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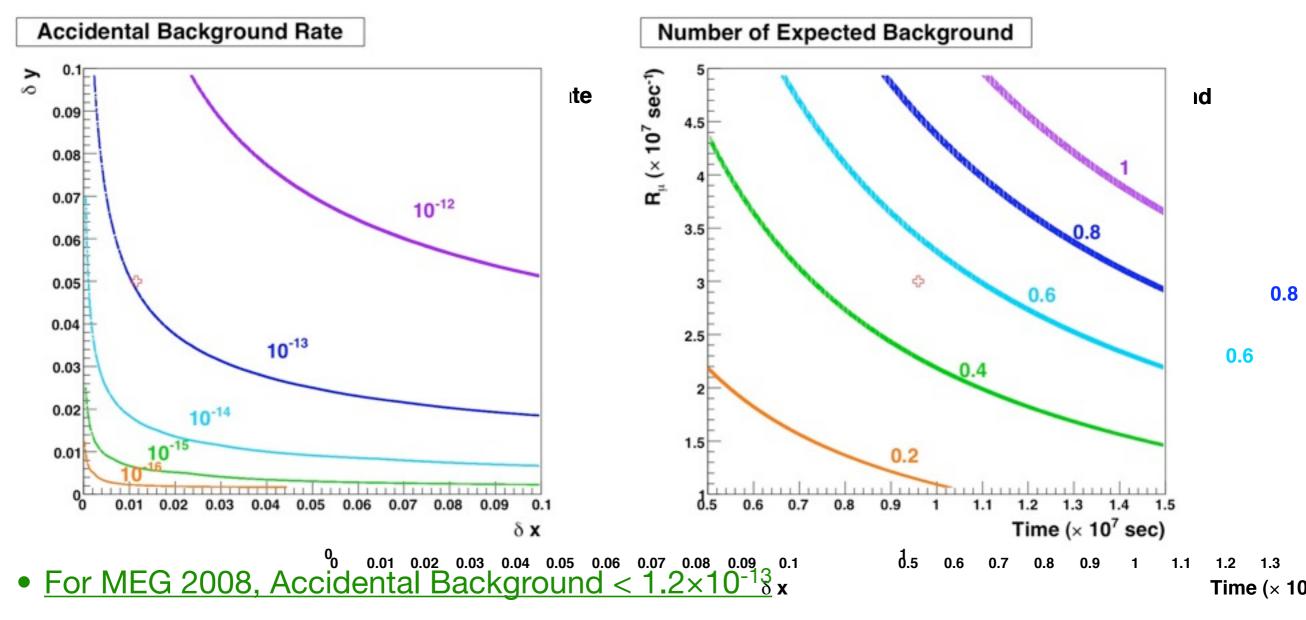
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For MEG 2008, Number of Expected Background Event = 0.60



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• For MEG 2008, Feasible Upper-limit

 $B^{2008}(\mu \rightarrow e\gamma) < 7.4 \times 10^{-13} (90\% \text{ C.L.})$



- An Innovative Positron Spectrometer has been Developed for MEG experiment
 - Highly Graded Magnetic Field
 - Very Light & Sensitive Drift Chamber System
 - Very Fast Timing Counter System
- Challenging Development on Hardware and Software both has been done
- Detector Construction was completed in summer 2007
- Engineering run (detector conditioning, beam commissioning, detector calibration) have been carried out in September December 2007
- All the Calibration Procedures are established for Positron Spectrometer
- Positron Spectrometer worked well in high intensity muon beam with COBRA
- However, several components were not conditioned well; it made a serious deterioration.
- \Im In consequence, we obtained 0.9% of σ_p and 6 mrad of σ_{θ} for 52.8 MeV/c positron
- Frese performances can be improved up to 0.5% of σ_p and 4 mrad of σ_{θ}
- Solution MEG Physics Run 2008 can achieve B($\mu \rightarrow e\gamma$) < 7.4×10⁻¹³ (90% C.L.)



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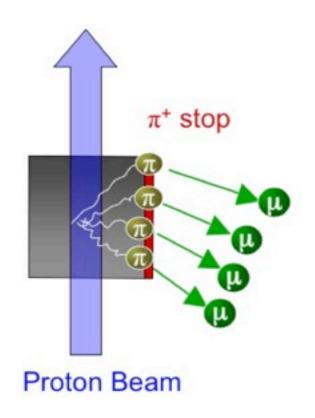
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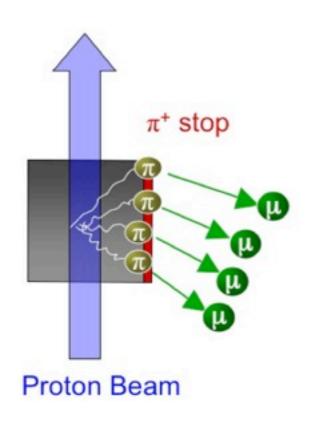
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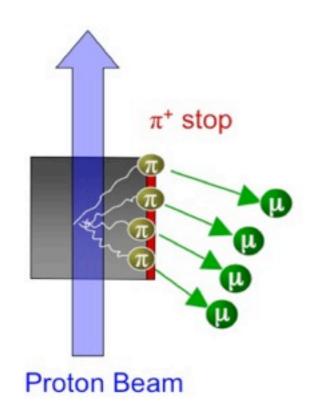
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Paul Scherrer Institut (PSI) is the BEST Experiment Site

(1) 1.2 MW proton cyclotron
(2) Up to 2mA proton beam
(3) World Most Intense Surface Muon Beam

πE5 Beam Channel

10⁸ /sec surface muon is available



Muon Stopping Target

- Requirements
 - Light Material

Thin

(Plastic)

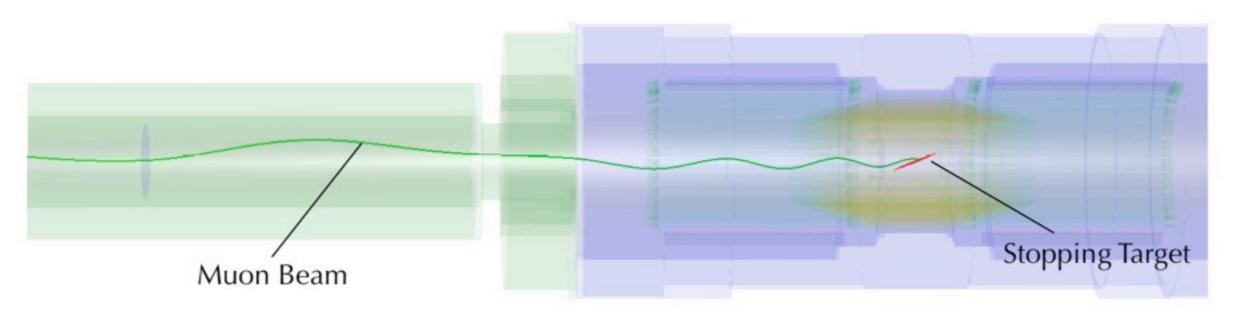


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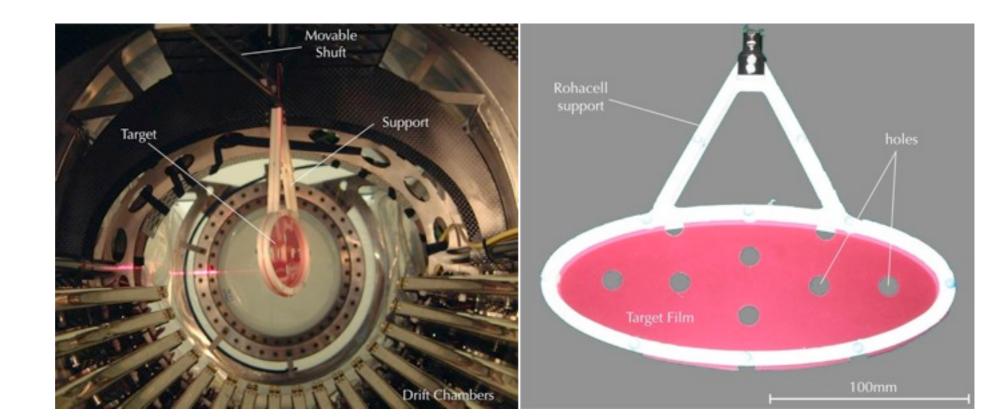
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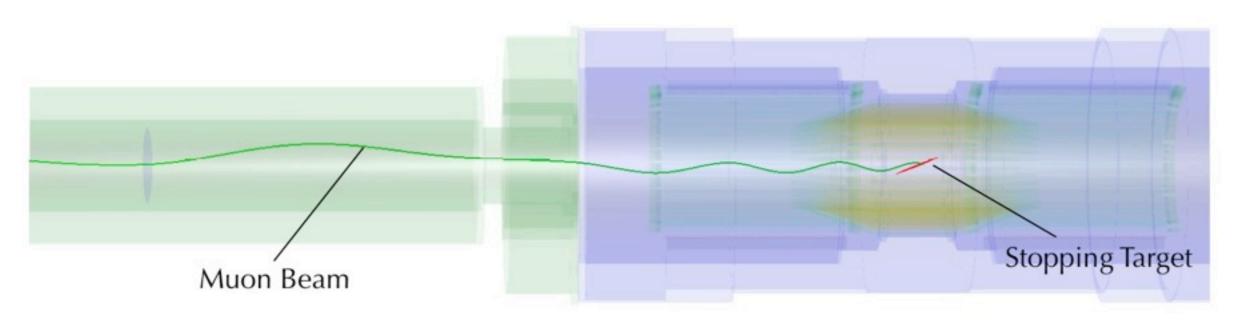
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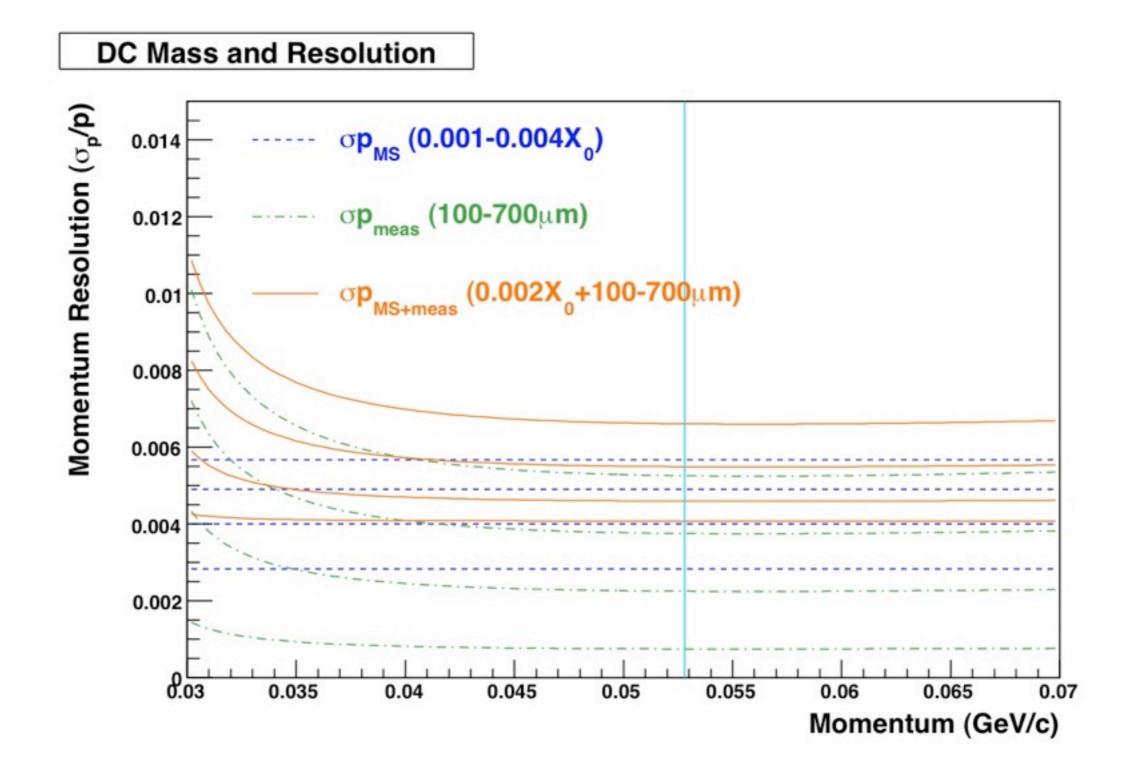
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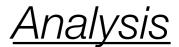




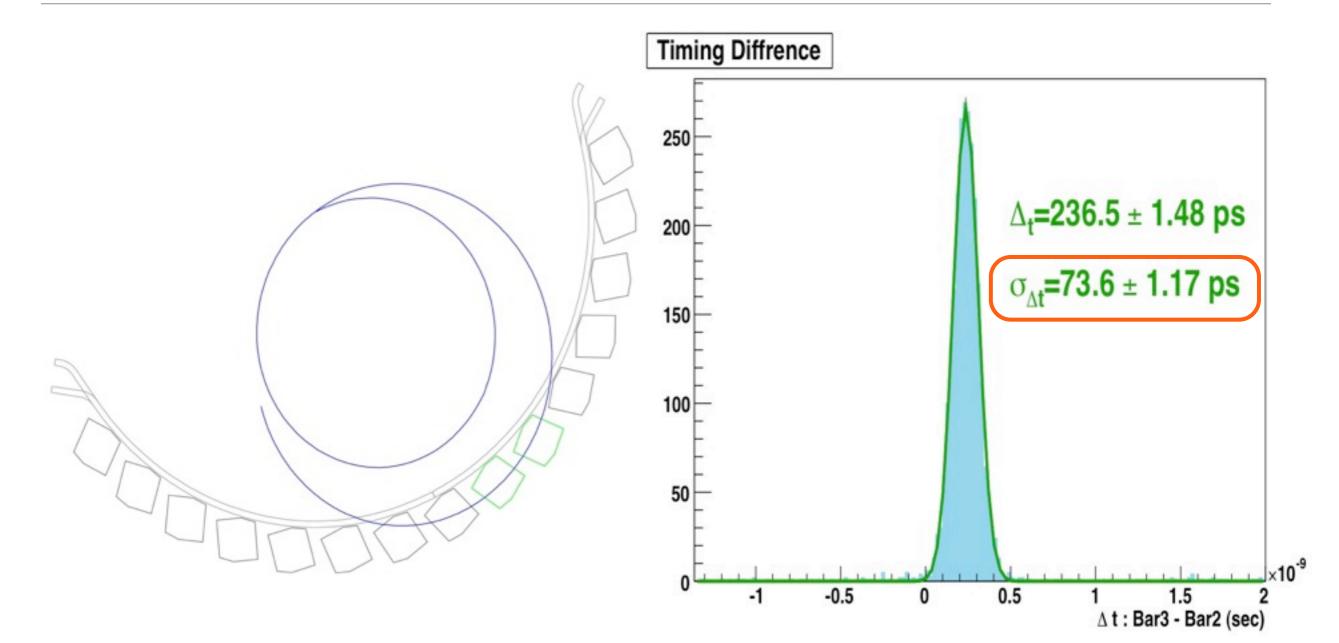
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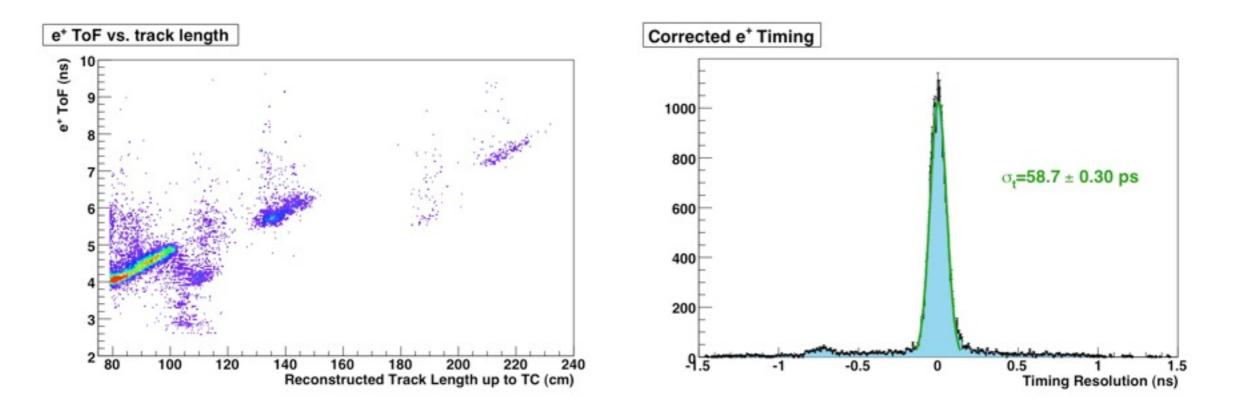
"Intrinsic" Timing Resolution



- Time Difference b/w two ϕ -counter
- 52 ps of timing resolution

Timing Resolution

- TC impact timing should be converted to e⁺ time of flight (decay timing)
- Can be evaluated indirectly by the combination of MC and Data



- Spectrometer Timing Resolution = 58.7 ps
- Timing Uncertainty caused by Track Length Error ≈ 27 ps



Spectrometer Efficiency (1)

• Spectrometer Efficiency = <u>Tracking Efficiency</u> \otimes <u>Counting Efficiency</u>

| Track Finding Eff. | | | | | |
|----------------------------------|----------------|--------------|--------------------------------------|----------------|--------------|
| Low Rate (5×10^6 /sec) | | | Normal Rate (3×10 ⁷ /sec) | | |
| | cluster finder | track finder | | cluster finder | track finder |
| data (2007) | 99.9% | 97.9% | data (2007) | 99.9% | 97.1% |
| MC (actual) | 99.9% | 98.1% | MC (actual) | 99.9% | 98.0% |
| MC (ideal) | 100% | 99.9% | MC (ideal) | 100% | 99.7% |

Track Reconstruction Eff.

| Low Rate (5×10^6 /sec) | | Normal Rate (3×10 ⁷ /sec) | | | |
|----------------------------------|---------|--------------------------------------|-------------|---------|---------------|
| | fitting | $\chi^2 cut$ | | fitting | $\chi^2 cut$ |
| data (2007) | 77.8% | 66.1% | data (2007) | 75.1% | 65.3% |
| MC (actual) | 80.4% | 67.2% | MC (actual) | 80.2% | 66.9% |
| MC (ideal) | 99.5% | 97.9% | MC (ideal) | 99.2% | 97.5% |