



# LHC: Status and Outlook

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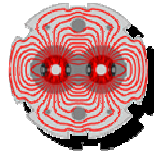


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# Major LHC challenges



## High design Centre-of-mass energy of 14 TeV in given (ex LEP) tunnel

- Magnetic field of 8.33 T with superconducting magnets
- Helium cooling at 1.9 K
- Large amount of energy stored in magnets
- “Two accelerators” in one tunnel with opposite magnetic dipole field and ambitious beam parameters pushed for very high of **luminosity of  $10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$**
- **Many bunches with large amount of energy stored in beams**

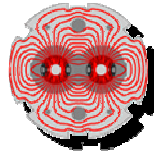
## Complexity and Reliability

- Unprecedented complexity with 10000 magnets powered in 1700 electrical circuits, complex active and passive protection systems, ....

- **Emittance conservation**  $\epsilon_N = \beta \gamma \epsilon$ , related to phase space density conservation, Liouville constant “intrinsic” normalized emittance  $\epsilon_N$ , real space emittance  $\epsilon$  decreases with energy
- **in absence of major energy exchange in synchrotron radiation / rf damping**
- **clean, perfectly matched injection, ramp, squeeze, minimize any blow up from: rf,**
- **kicking beam, frequent orbit changes, vibration, feedback, noise,..**
- **dynamic effects - persistent current decay and snapback**
- **non-linear fields (resonances, diffusion, dynamic aperture, non-linear dynamics )**



## Beam parameters, LHC compared to LEP



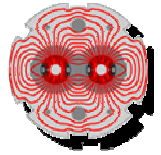
	LHC	LEP2
Momentum at collision, TeV/c	7	0.1
Nominal design Luminosity, $\text{cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$	1.0E+34	1.0E+32
Dipole field at top energy, T	8.33	0.11
Number of bunches, each beam	2808	4
Particles / bunch	1.15E+11	4.20E+11
Typical beam size in ring, $\mu\text{m}$	200 – 300	1800/140 (H/V)
Beam size at IP, $\mu\text{m}$	16	200/3 (H/V)

- **Energy stored in the magnet system:** 10 GJoule Airbus A380, 560 t at 700 km/h
- **Energy stored in one (of 8) dipole circuits:** 1.1 GJ  
(sector)
- **Energy stored in one beam:** 362 MJ  
20 t plane
- **Energy to heat and melt one kg of copper:** 0.7 MJ

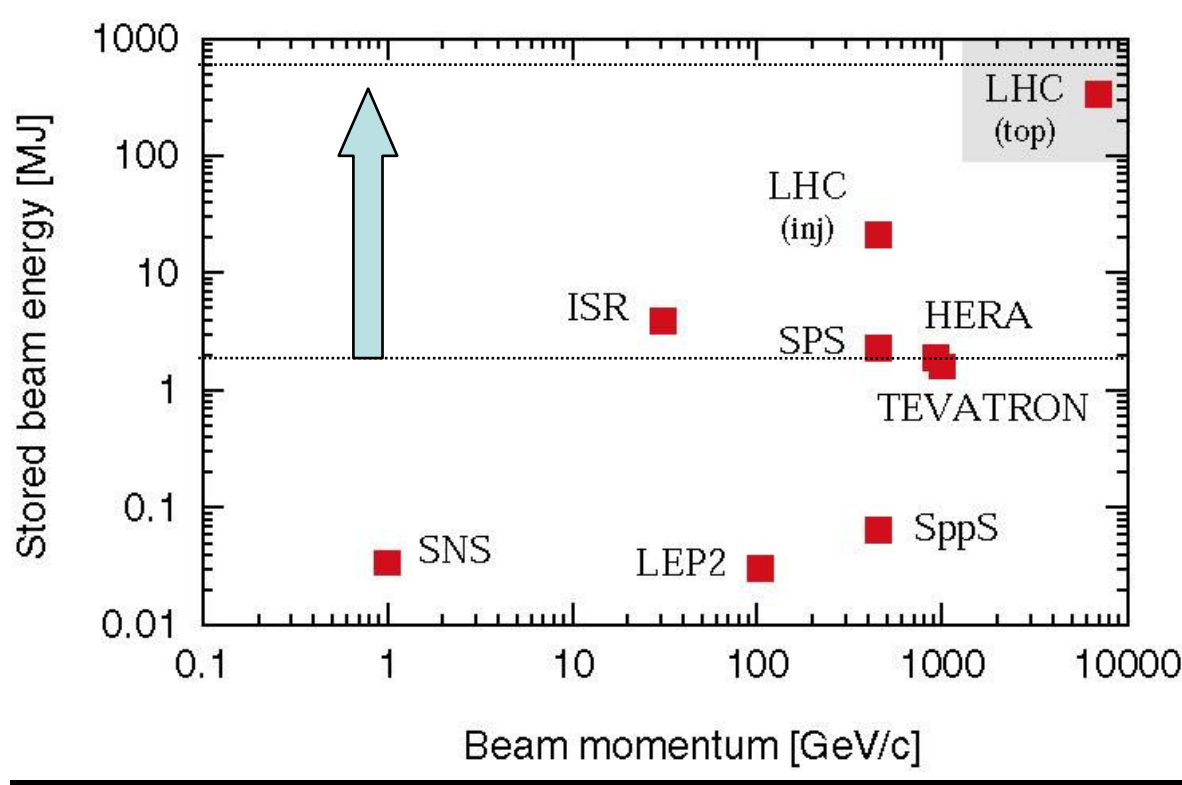
the LEP2 total stored beam energy was about 0.03 MJ



# The total stored energy of the LHC beams



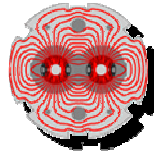
Nominal LHC design:  $3.2 \times 10^{14}$  protons accelerated to 7 TeV circulating at 11 kHz in a SC ring



**LHC:  $> 100 \times$  higher stored energy and small beam size:  $\sim 3$  orders of magnitude in energy density and damage potential. Active protection (beam loss monitors, interlocks) and collimation for machine and experiments essential. Only the specially designed beam dump can safely absorb this energy.**



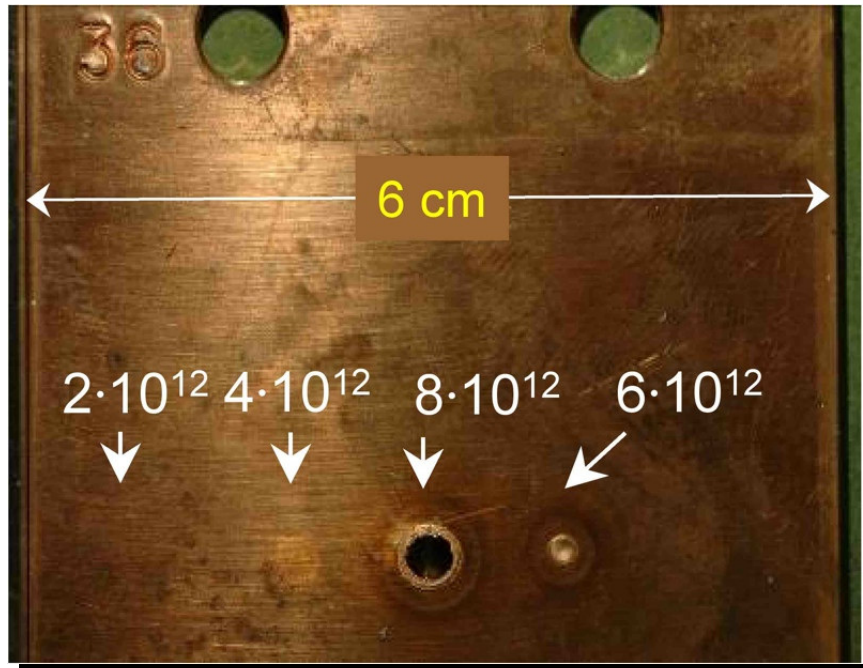
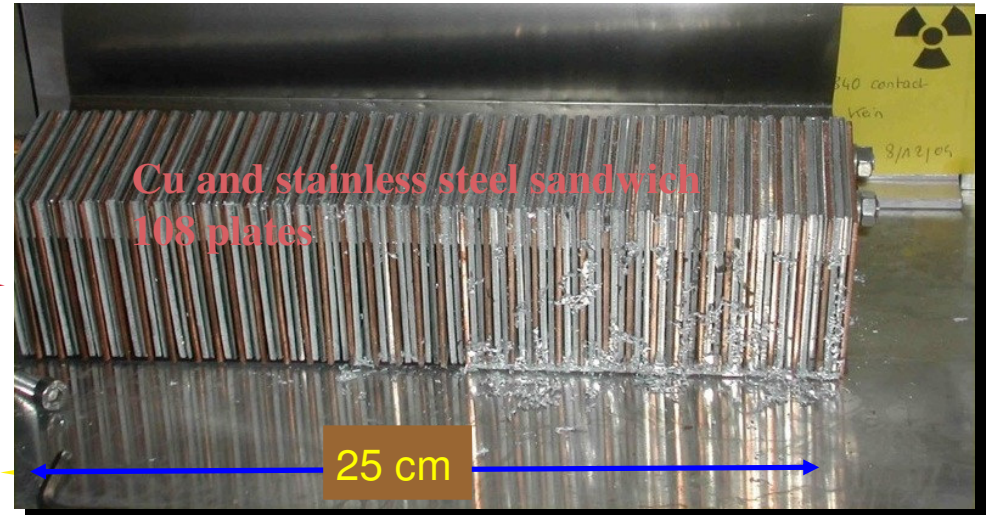
# Damage potential : confirmed in controlled SPS experiment



controlled experiment with beam extracted from SPS at 450 GeV in a single turn, with perpendicular impact on Cu + stainless steel target

450 GeV protons →

r.m.s. beam sizes  $\sigma_{x/y} \approx 1$  mm



**SPS results confirmed :**

$8 \times 10^{12}$  clear damage  $2 \times 10^{12}$  below damage limit

for details see V. Kain et al., PAC 2005 [RPPE018](#)

**For comparison, the LHC nominal at 7 TeV :**

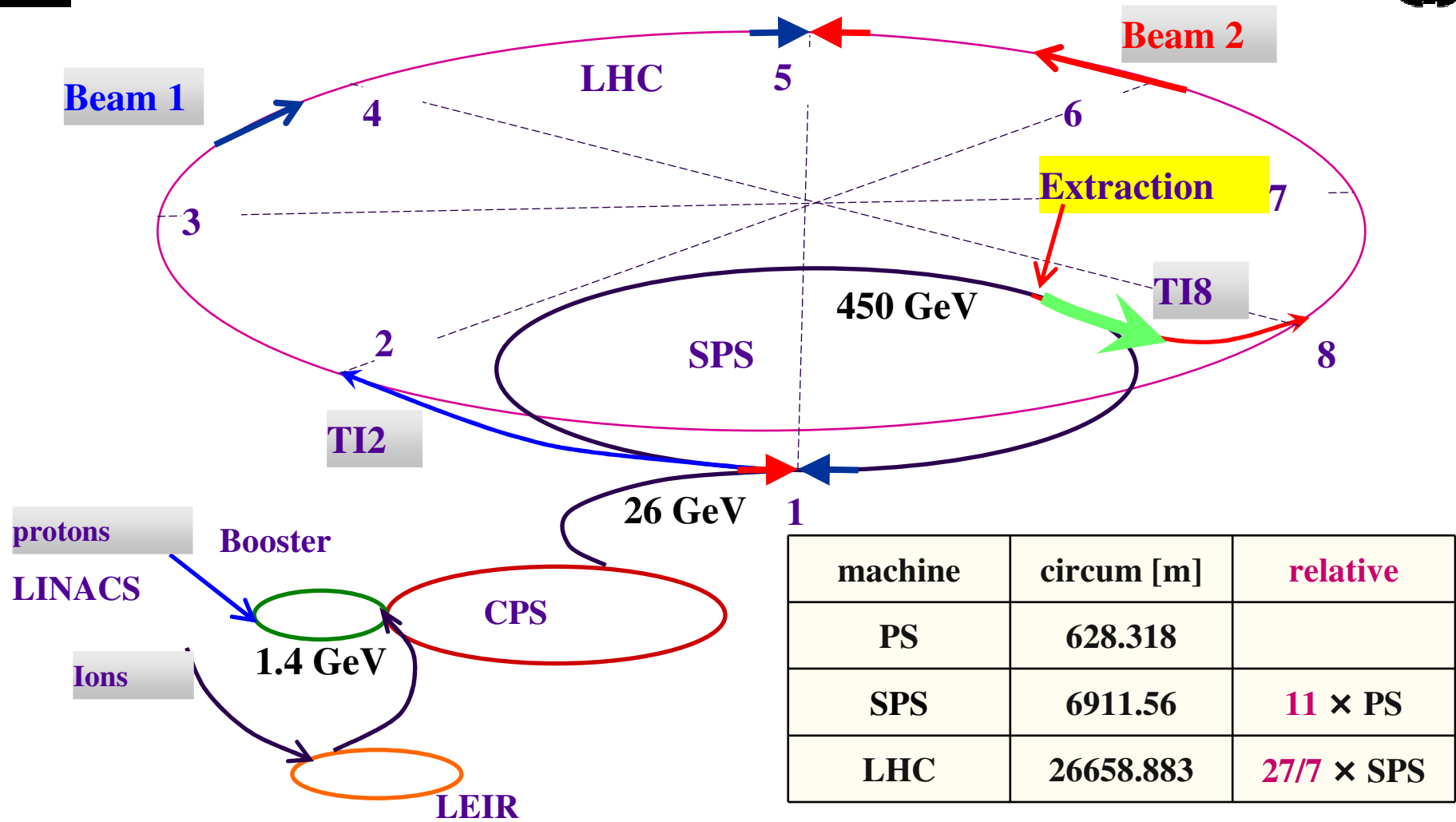
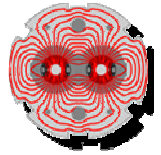
$2808 \times 1.15 \times 10^{11} = 3.2 \times 10^{14}$  p/beam

at  $\langle \sigma_{x/y} \rangle \approx 0.2$  mm

**over 3 orders of magnitude above damage level for perpendicular impact**



# The CERN accelerator complex : injectors and transfer

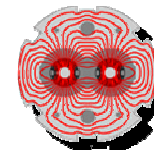


machine	circum [m]	relative
PS	628.318	
SPS	6911.56	11 × PS
LHC	26658.883	27/7 × SPS

simple rational fractions for **synchronization**

Beam size of protons decreases with energy : area  $\sigma^2 \propto 1/E$  on a single frequency  
 E  
 at injection

Beam size largest at injection, using the full aperture



## Past

- QRL cryo-line (He supply)
- DFB power connections, warm to cold transition
- Triplet quadrupoles - differential pressure

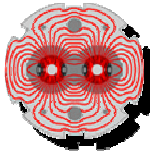
## More recent

- **PIM** plug in module with bellow, systematically checked / repaired after warm up using “ping-pong” ball with RF-emitter : polycarbonate shell,  $\varnothing$  34 mm, 15 g, 2h battery powered, 40 MHz emitter, signals recorded by LHC BPM
- Vacuum leaks, condensation - humidity sector 3/4
- Magnet powering check / correct : min/max, cabling - polarity
- Single event upset, radiation to electronics, shielding etc
- Magnet re-training magnets quenching below what was reached in SM18





10 September 2008

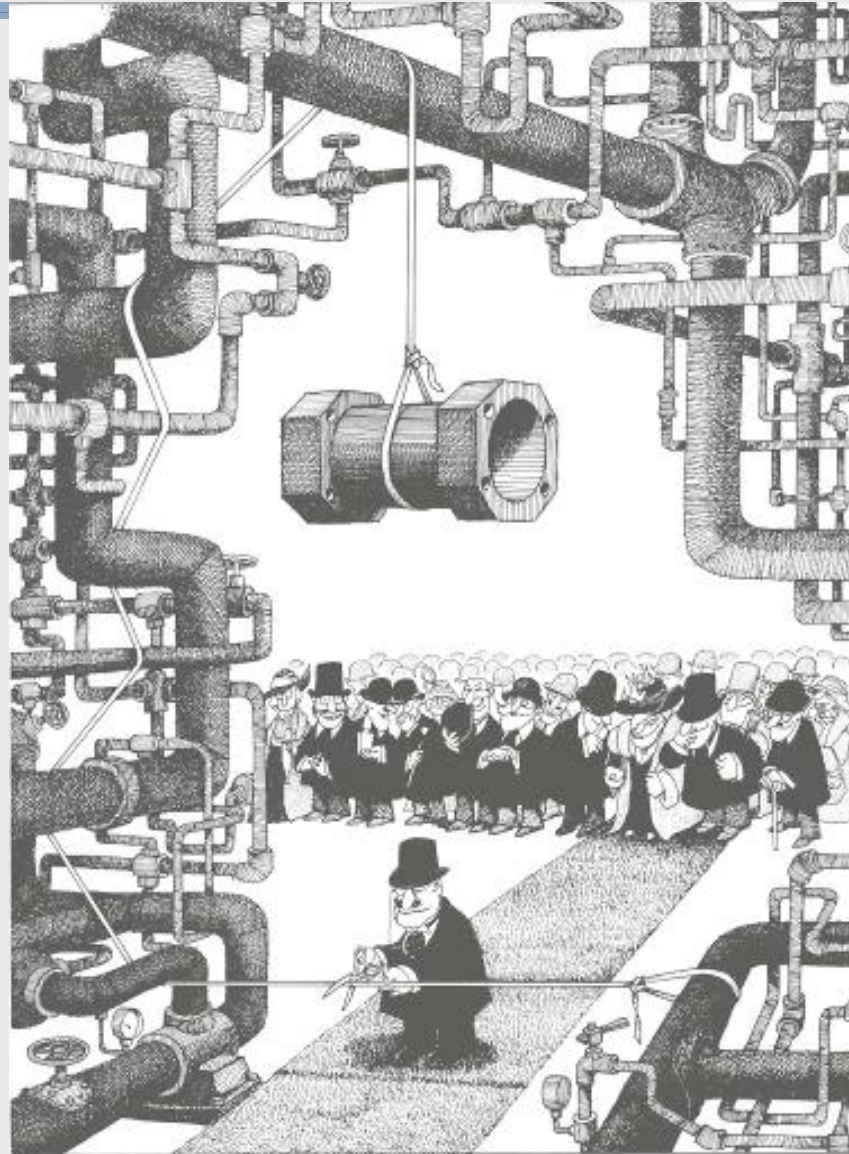


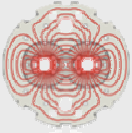
10:30 beam 1 3 turns  
15:00 beam 2 3 turns  
22:00 beam 2 several 100 turns



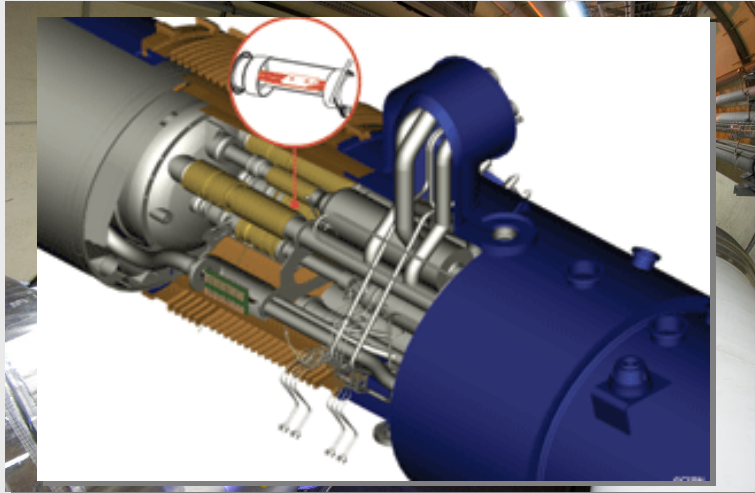


few days later...

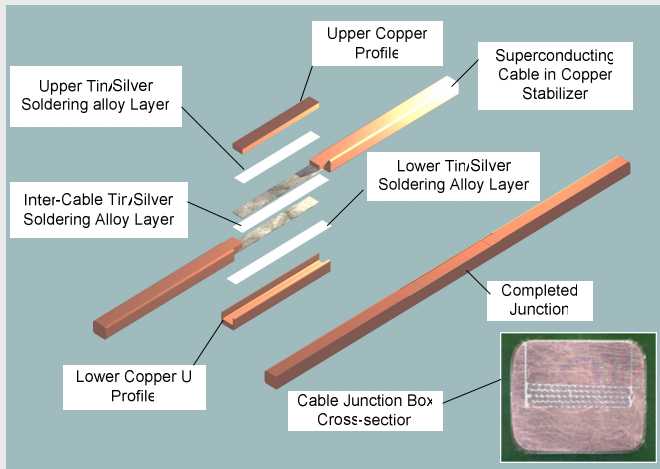




# September 19, 2008: incident in sector 3-4



The incident was traced to a faulty electrical connection between segments of the LHC's superconducting cable (busbars)  
High impact was caused by collateral damage



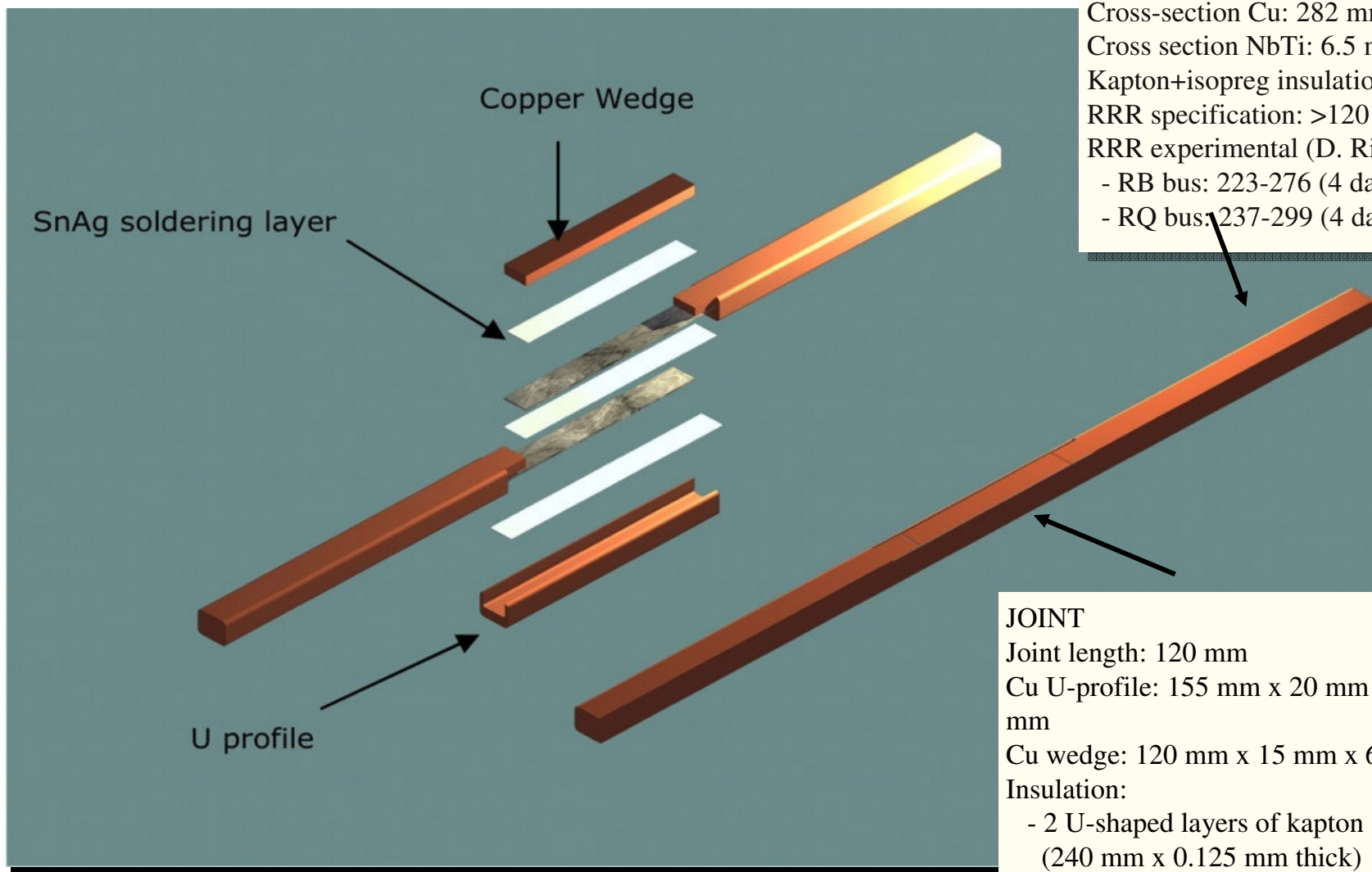
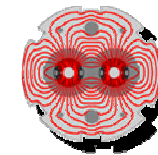
2 most severely damaged interconnects

53 Magnets (along a zone of about 700 m) to be removed from tunnel and repaired/exchanged (a few % of entire LHC)





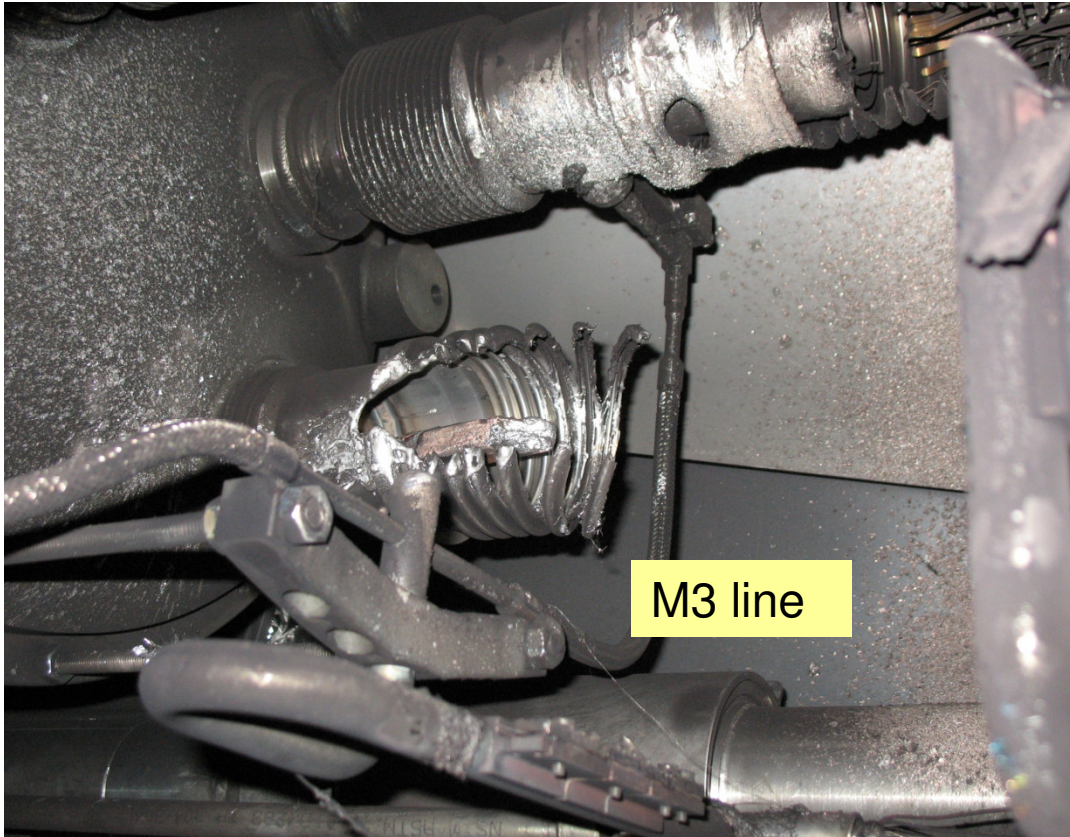
# Busbar Splice



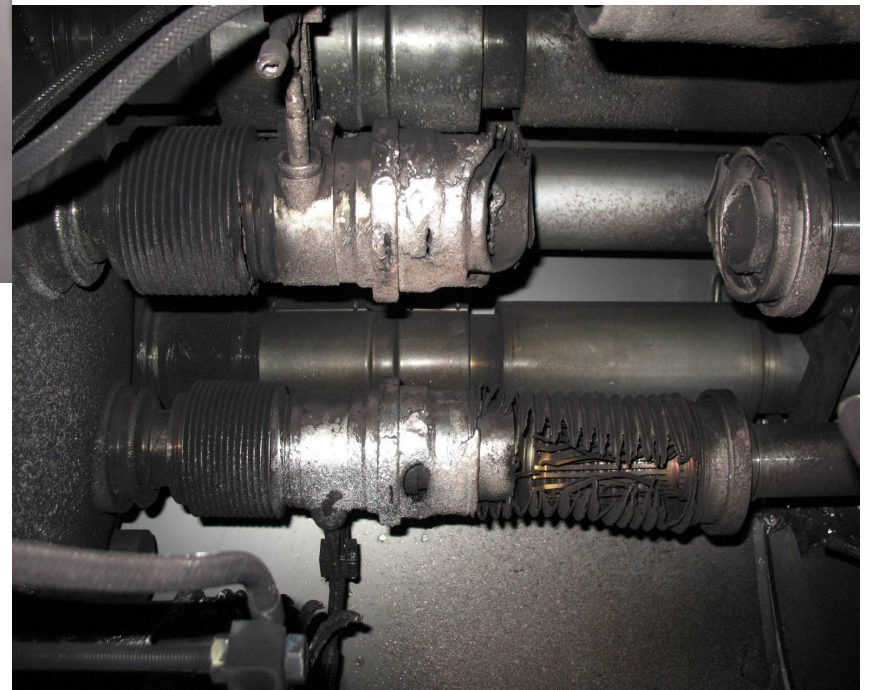
**BUS**  
Cross-section Cu: 282 mm<sup>2</sup>  
Cross section NbTi: 6.5 mm<sup>2</sup>  
Kapton+isopreg insulation  
RRR specification: >120  
RRR experimental (D. Richter)  
- RB bus: 223-276 (4 data)  
- RQ bus: 237-299 (4 data)

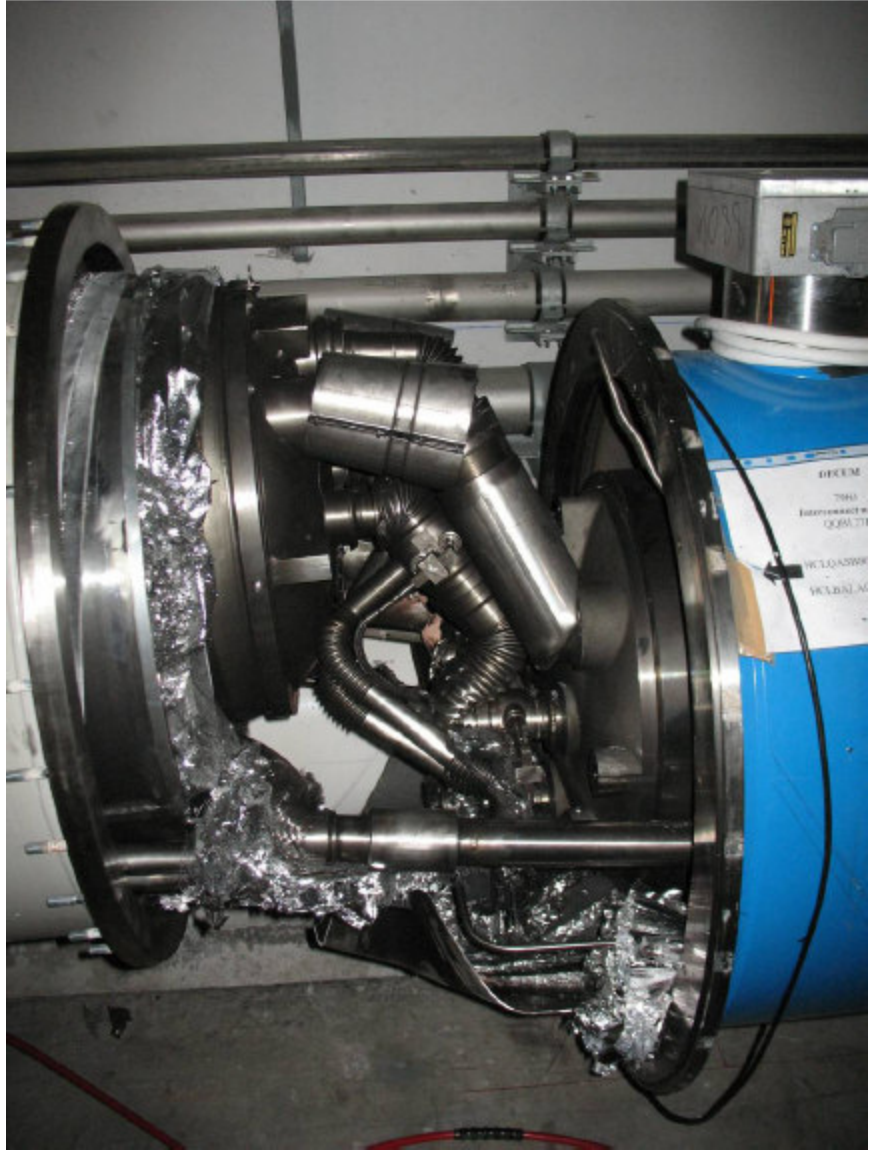
**JOINT**  
Joint length: 120 mm  
Cu U-profile: 155 mm x 20 mm x 16 mm  
Cu wedge: 120 mm x 15 mm x 6 mm  
Insulation:  
- 2 U-shaped layers of kapton (240 mm x 0.125 mm thick)  
- 2 U-shaped layers of G10 (190 mm x 1 mm)

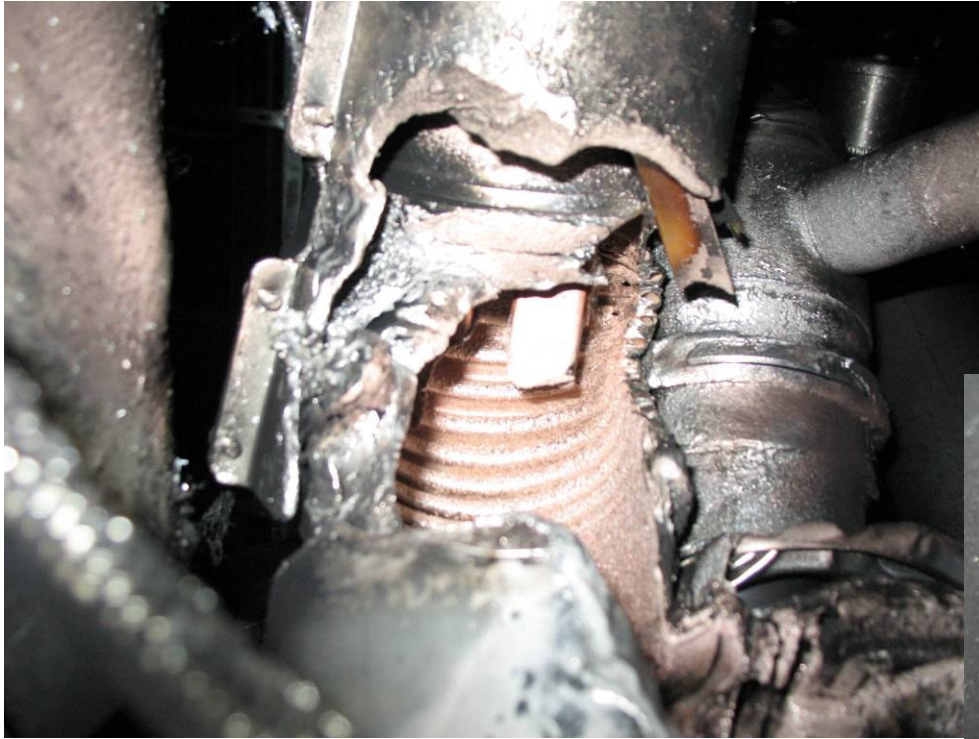
# Electrical arc between C24 and Q24



V lines







QQBI.27R3 M3 line

QBBI.B31R3 M3 line



# Bringing back the LHC: how was it done?

## **Five Phases:**

**1.Repair of sector 34**

**2.Consolidation and Avoidance of collateral damage**

**3.Hardware Commissioning**

**4.Preparations for Beams (long term)**

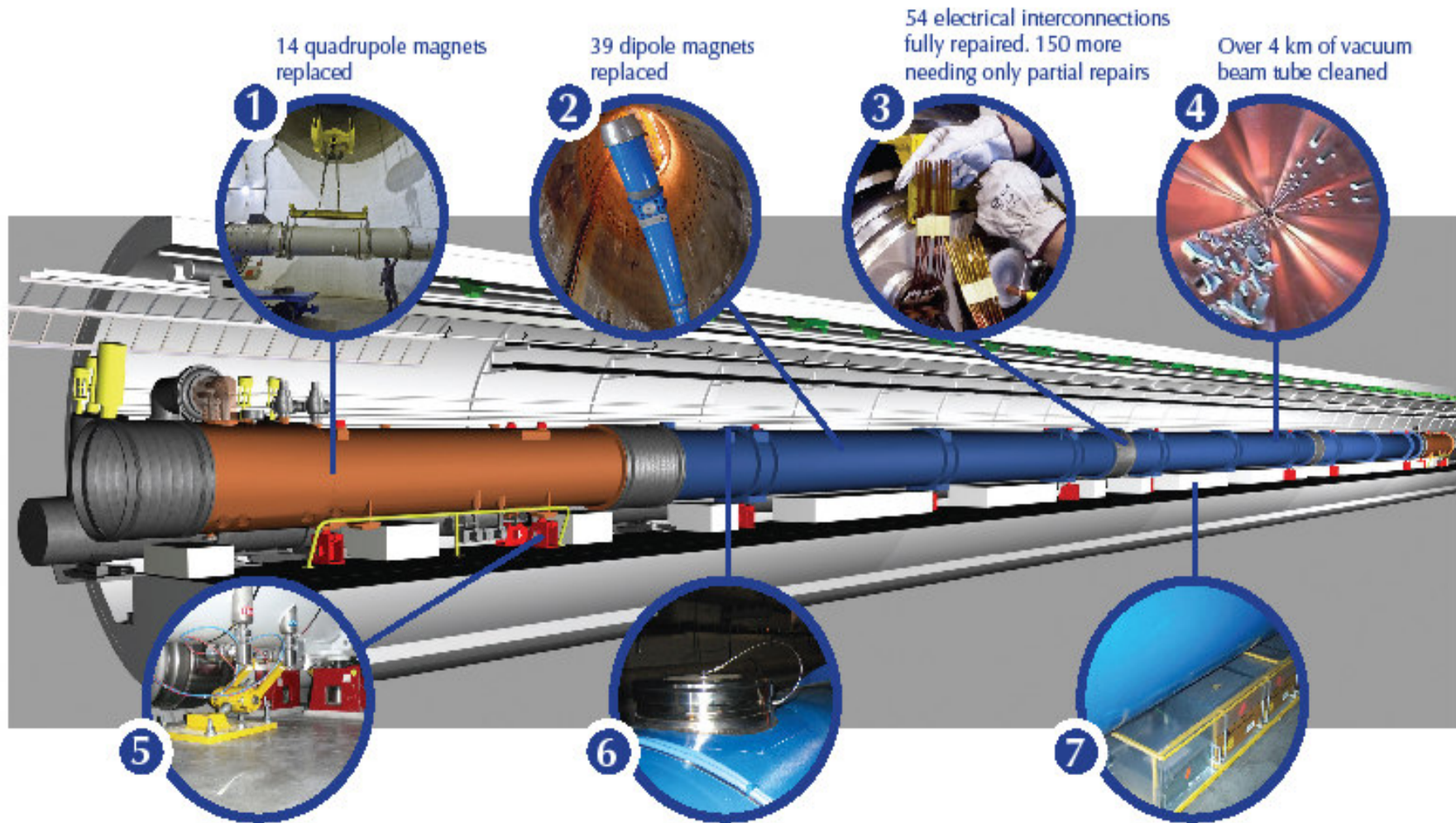
**5.Operation with Beams**

# **Phase 1 and 2 Repair and Consolidation**



# Phase 1 +2

## The LHC repairs in detail



+ cryogenics!

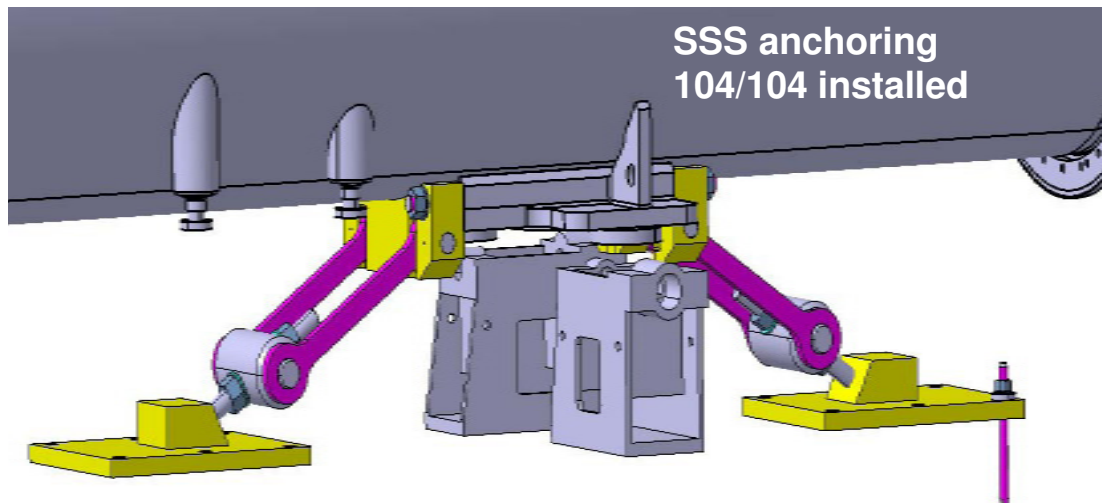
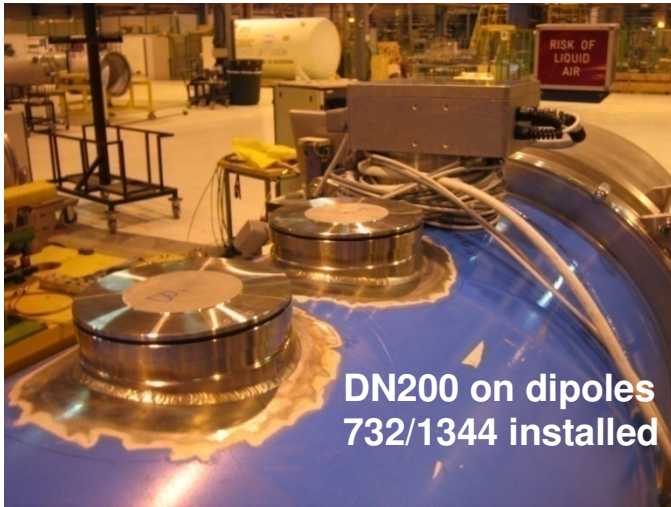
## sector 3-4 : Magnet repair in SMI2



Last Repaired Magnet (SSS) going down (30/4/2009)

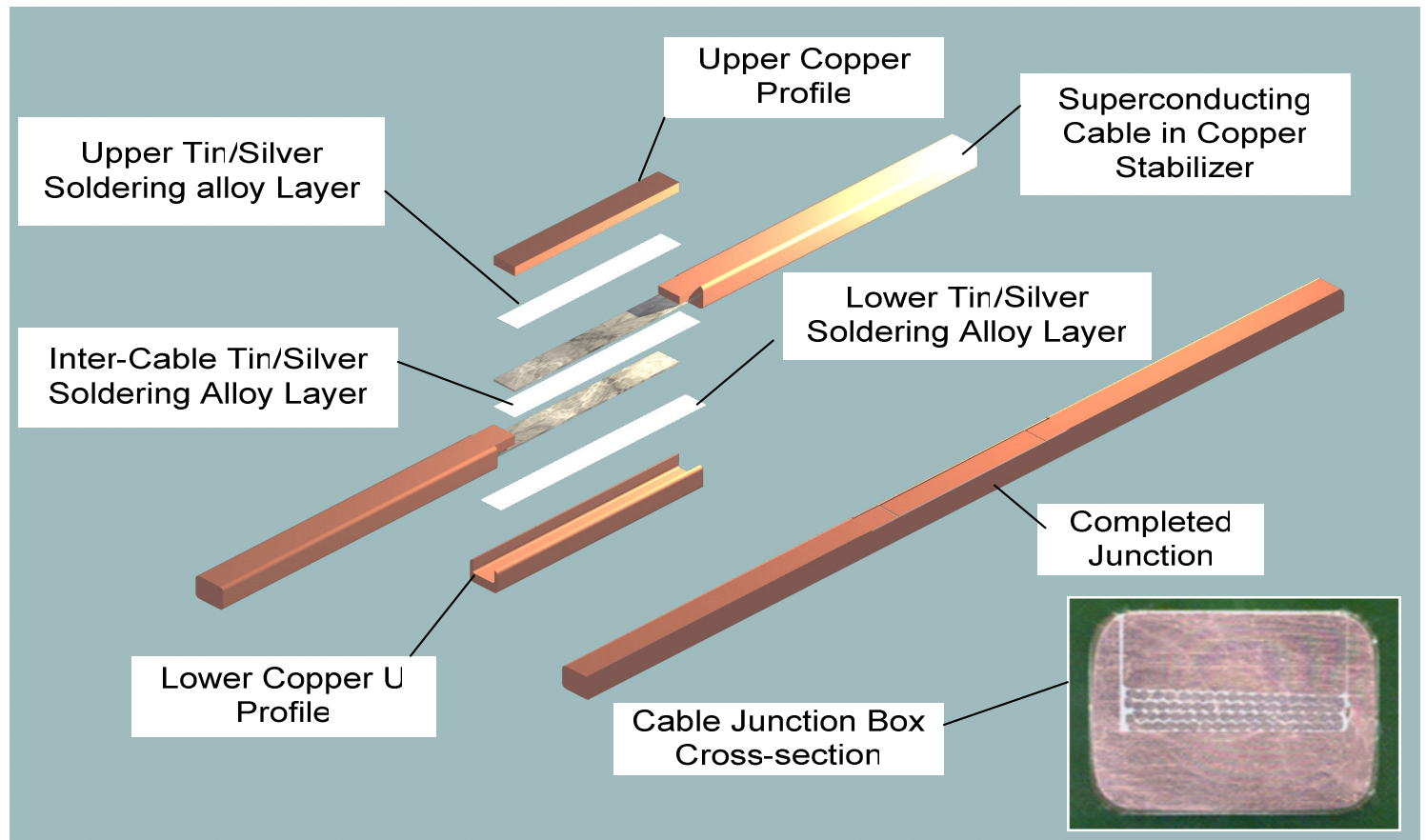


# Magnet protection and anchoring



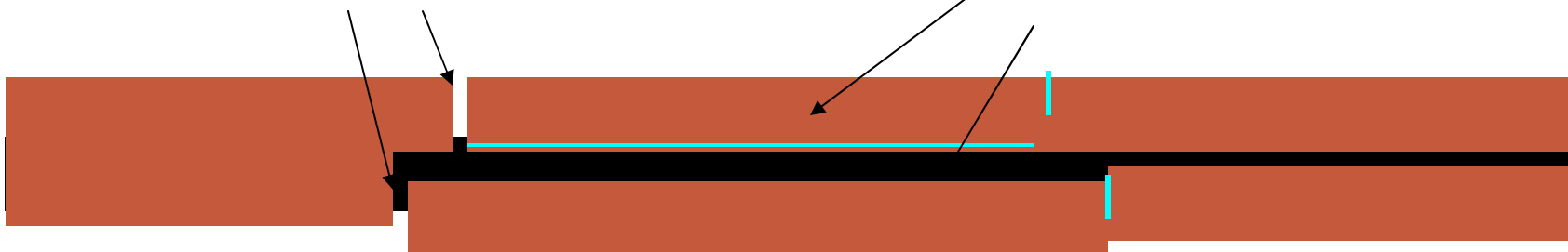


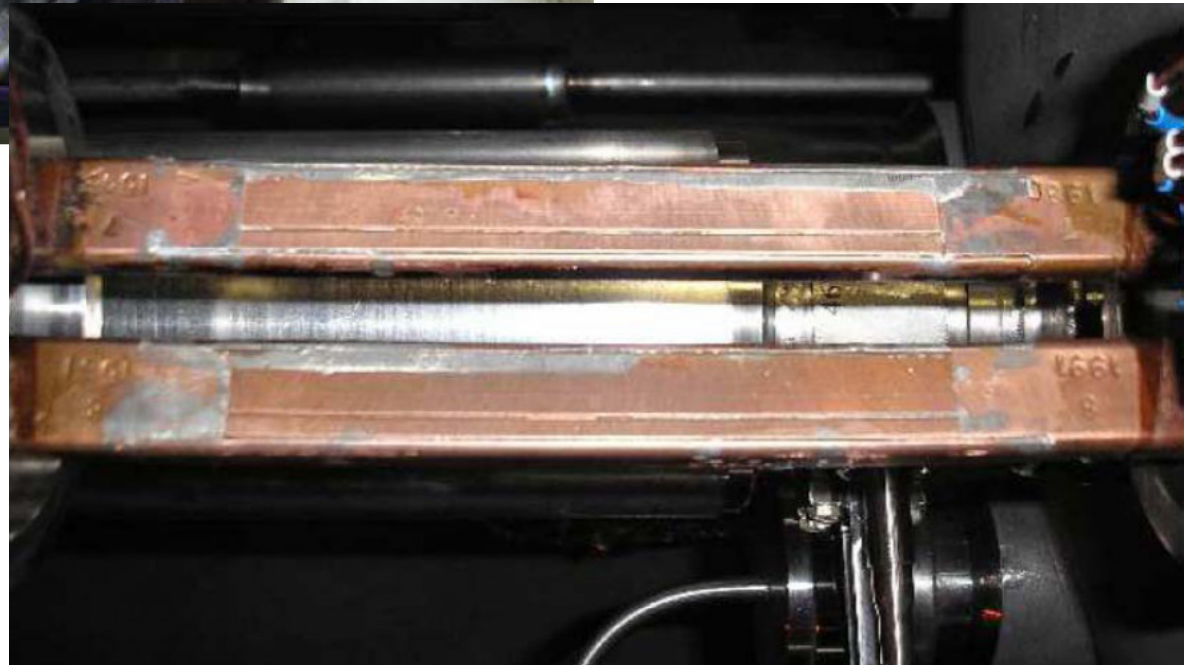
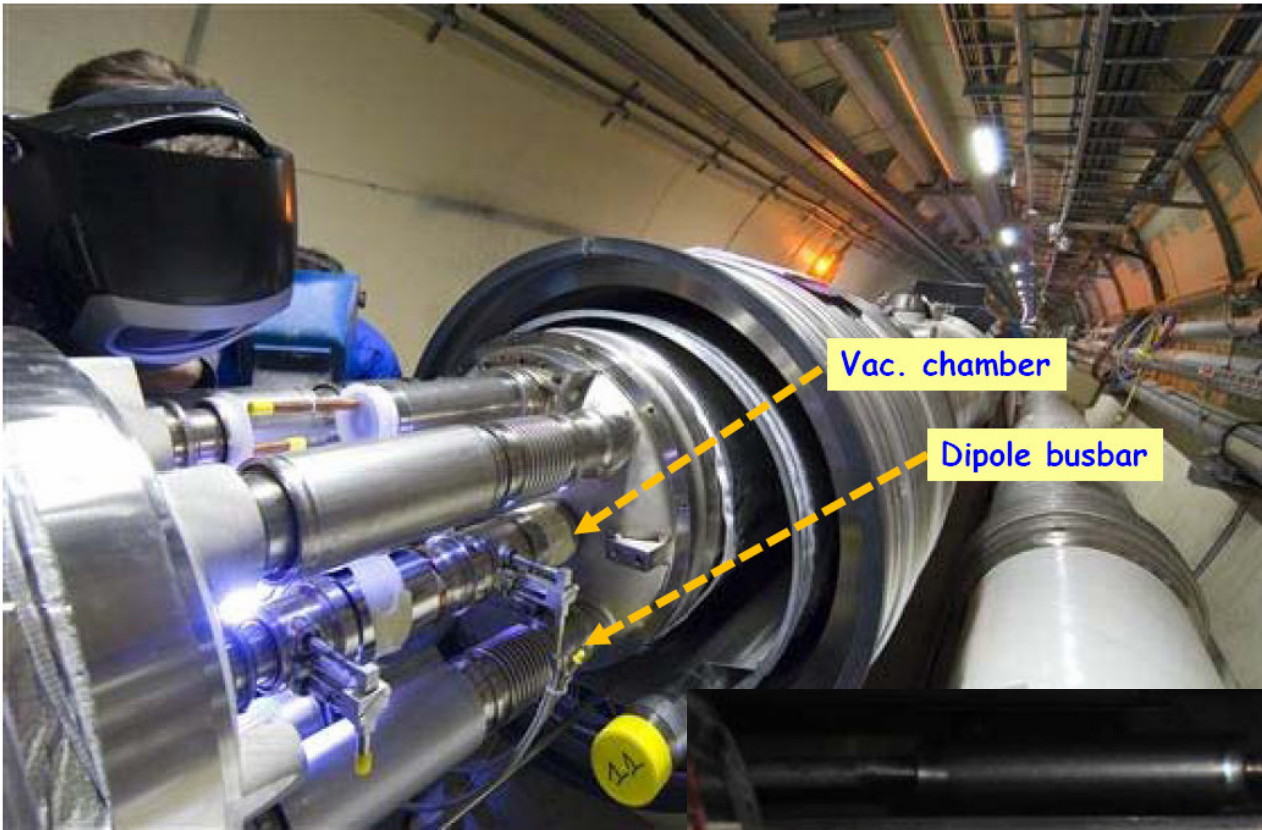
Show sample



missing electrical contact on at least one side of the connection

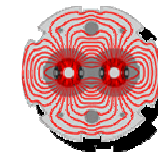
lack of solder within the joint



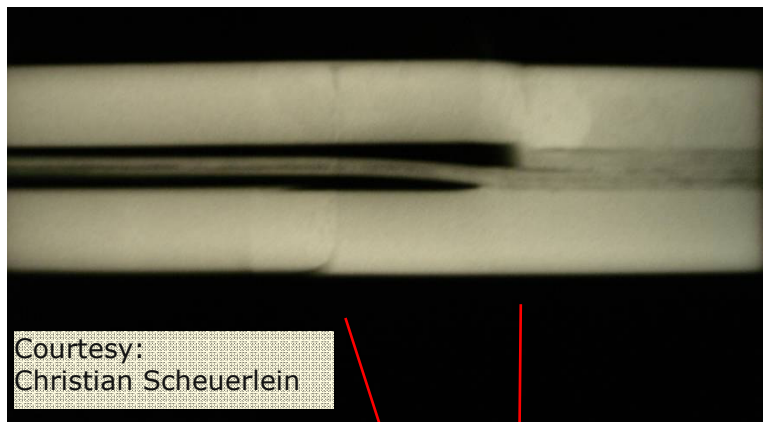




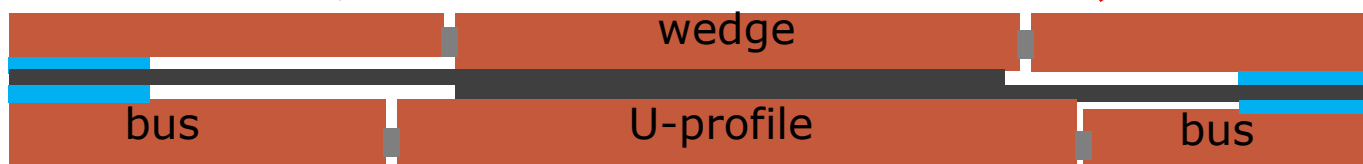
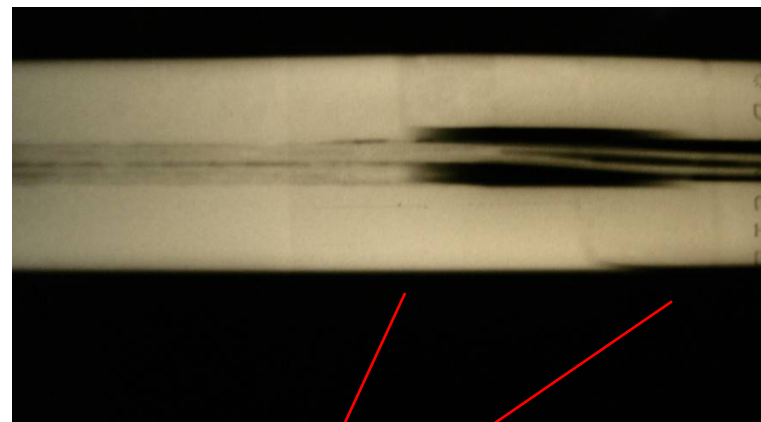
# Busbar Splice



normal conducting, soldered electrical connection between SC cables  
1684 units  $\times$  6  $\approx$  10 000 splices at magnet interconnects; 1/3 dipole, 2/3 quads



Courtesy:  
Christian Scheuerlein



possible problems in soldering :

overheating - SnAg loss

too cold - SnAg unmelted, poor connection

Now possible to diagnose : X-ray, ultrasound, resistance measurement.

Most reliable : resistance measured at room temperature

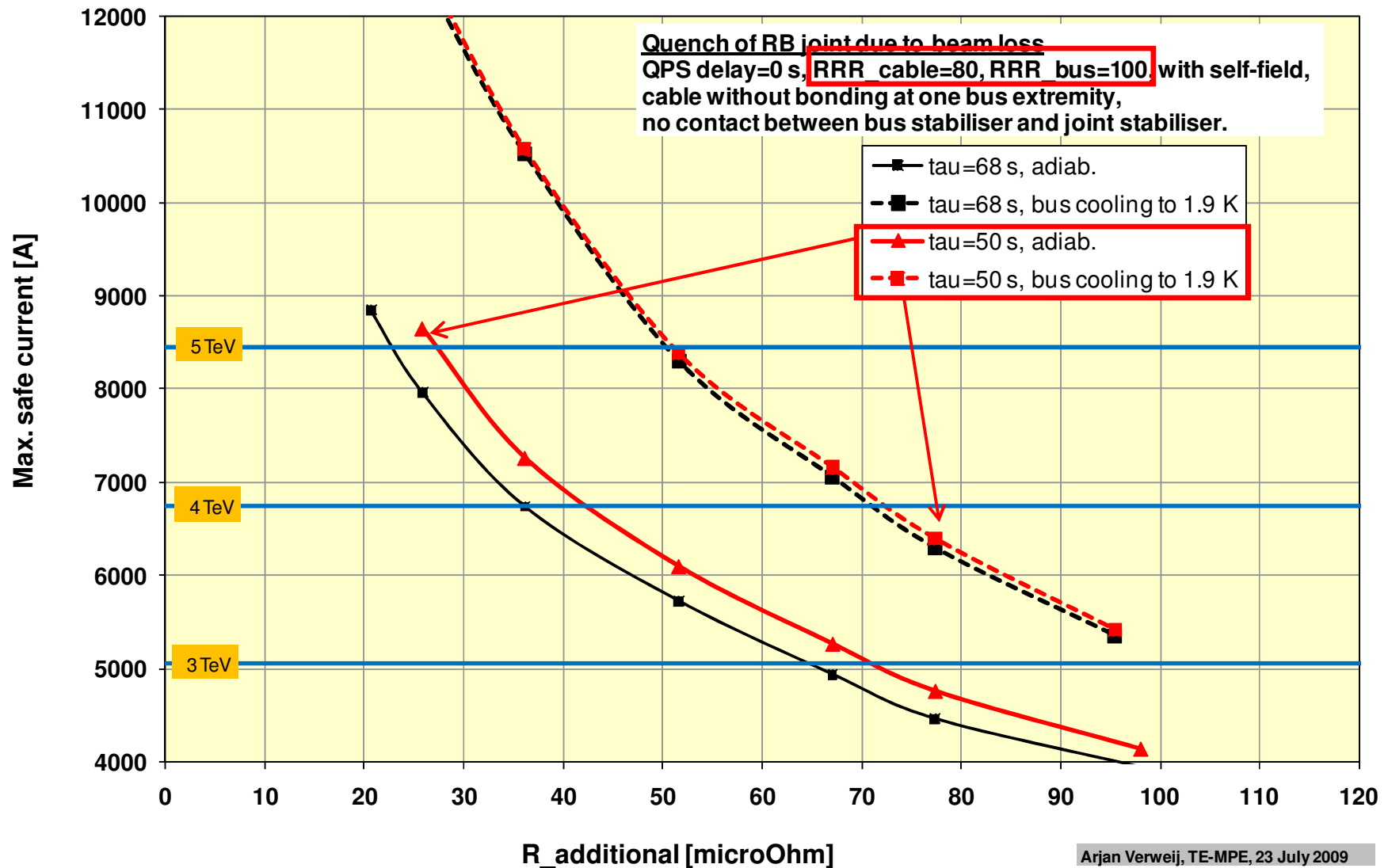
good :  $10 \mu \Omega$  dipole (RB) ,  $17 \mu \Omega$  quadrupole (RQ).

Measured in 5 sectors which were warmed up. Fixed all above  $\sim 40 \mu \Omega$  . Other sectors measured at 80 K

A. Siemko et al. LMC 5/08/09



# RB: case 1 (instantaneous quench in busbar/magnet)



# Thermal propagation time (for case 2)

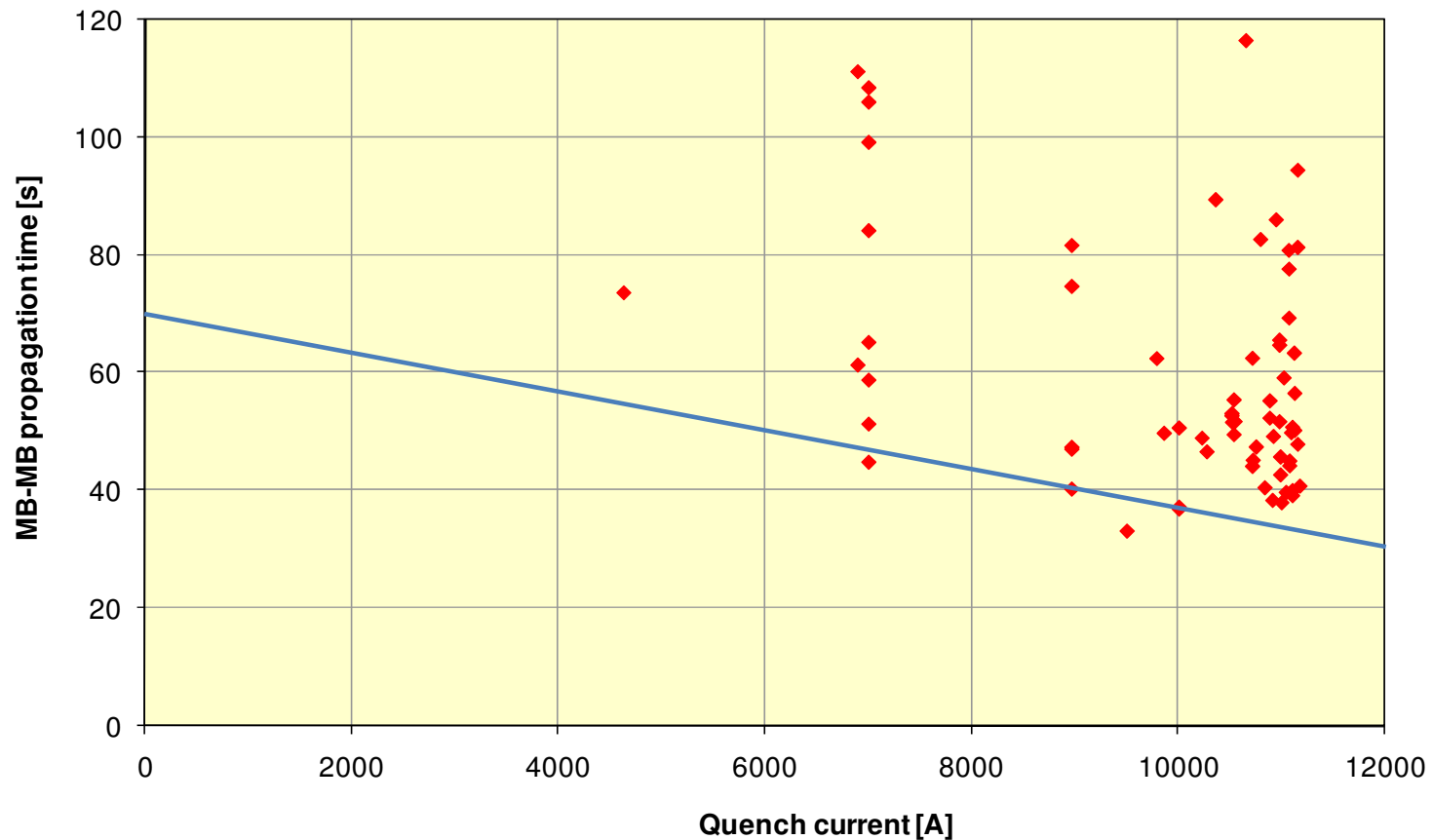
Experience from HWC for RB quenches at 7-11 kA.

Assume that the joint quenches after half the MB-MB thermal propagation time,

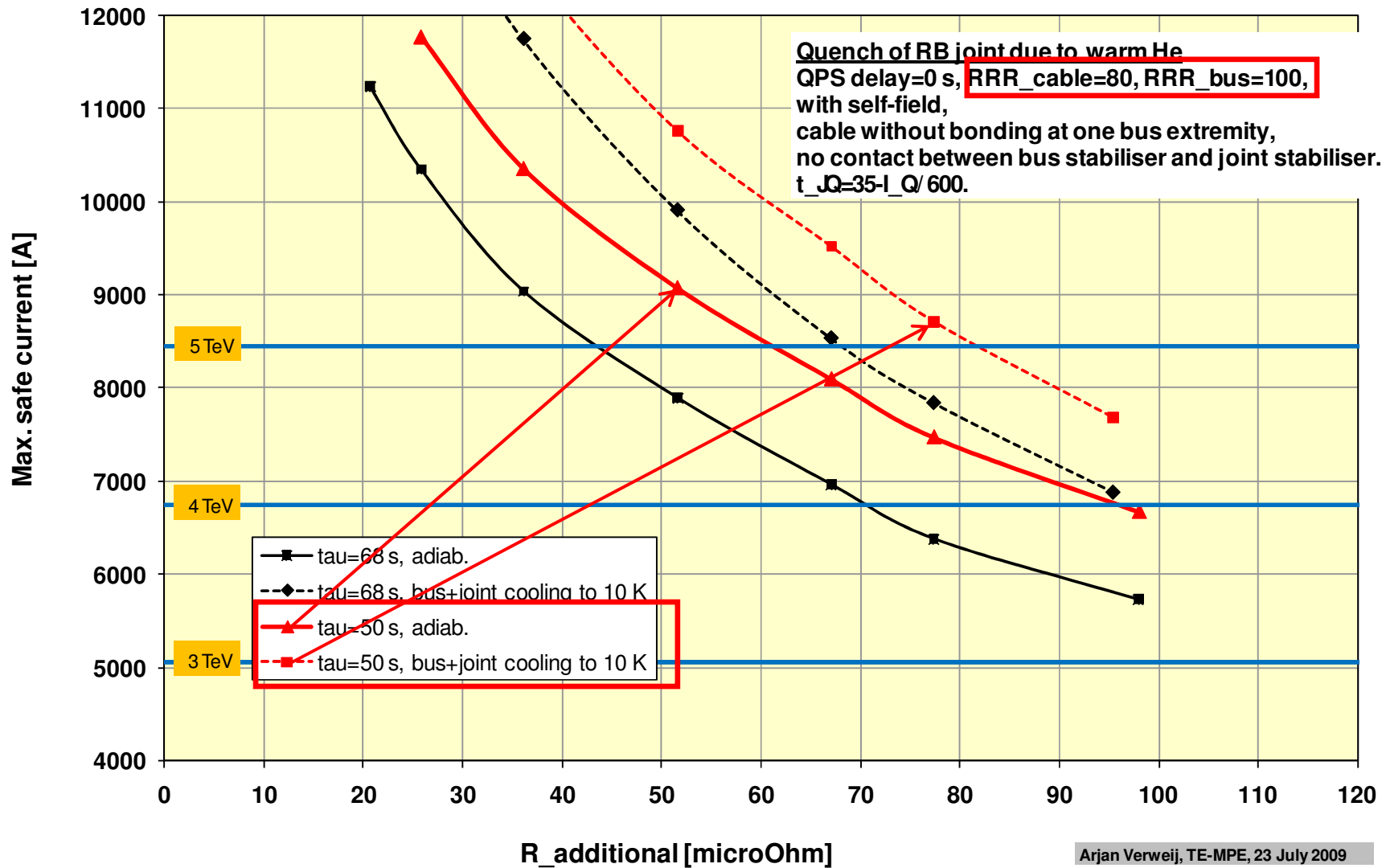
$$\text{so } t_{JQ} = 0.5 * (70 - I_Q / 300)$$



Maybe possible to get more accurate value from thermal analysis.....



# RB: case 2 (quench propagation from magnet to busbar)



# Enhanced QPS

# Role of the Enhanced QPS System

- To protect against the new ‘problems’ discovered in 2008
  - The Aperture-Symmetric Quench feature in the Main Dipoles and
  - Defective Joints in the Main Bus-bars, inside or in-between the magnets.

Reminder

## QPS Upgrade also allows

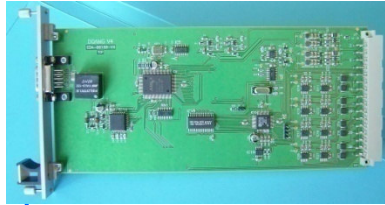
- precision measurements of the joint resistances **at cold** (sub-n $\Omega$  range) of every Busbar segment. This will allow complete mapping of the splice resistances (the bonding between the s.c. cables).
- To be used as the basic monitoring system for future determination of busbar resistances **at warm** (min. 80 K), to measure regularly the continuity of the copper stabilizers.

# The nQPS project



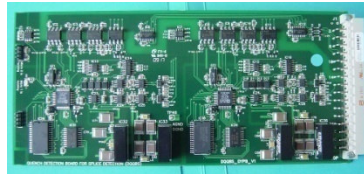
For installation in  
Phase 2

DQQTE board for ground voltage  
detection  
(total 1308 boards, 3 units/crate)



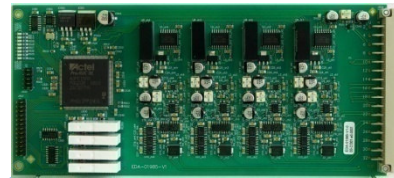
DQAMG-type S controller board  
1 unit / crate, total 436 units

DQLPUS Power Packs  
2 units / rack (total 872 units)

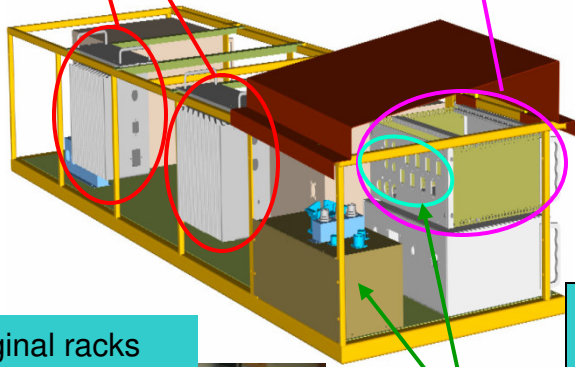


DQQBS board for busbar splice detection  
5 such boards / crate, total 2180 units

DQLPU-type S crate  
total 436 units



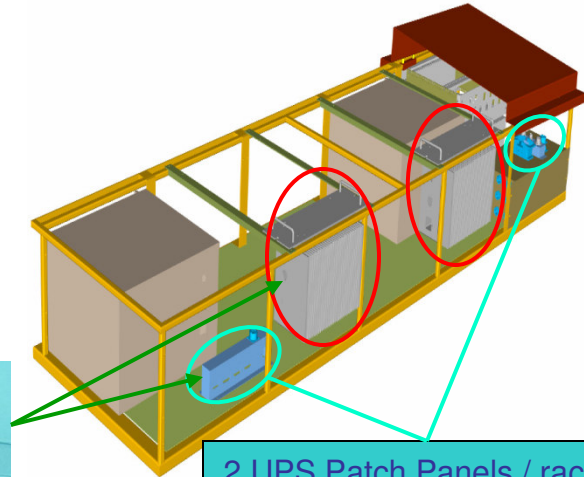
DQQDS board for SymQ  
detection  
4 boards / crate, total 1744



Original racks

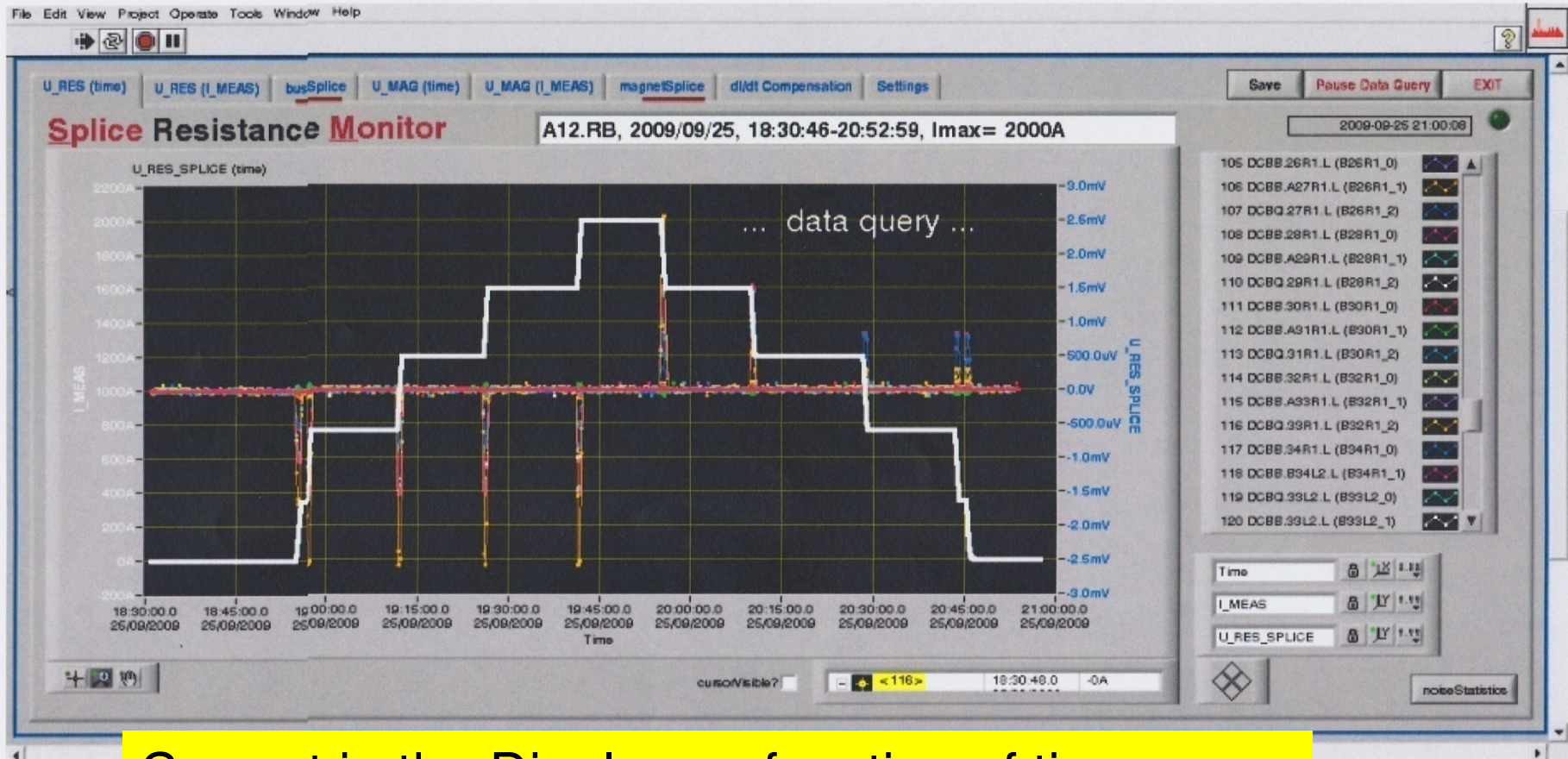


'Internal' and 'external' **cables** for  
sensing, trigger, interlock, UPS  
power, uFIP (10'400 + 4'400)



2 UPS Patch Panels / rack &  
1 Trigger Patch Panel / rack  
total 3456 panel boxes

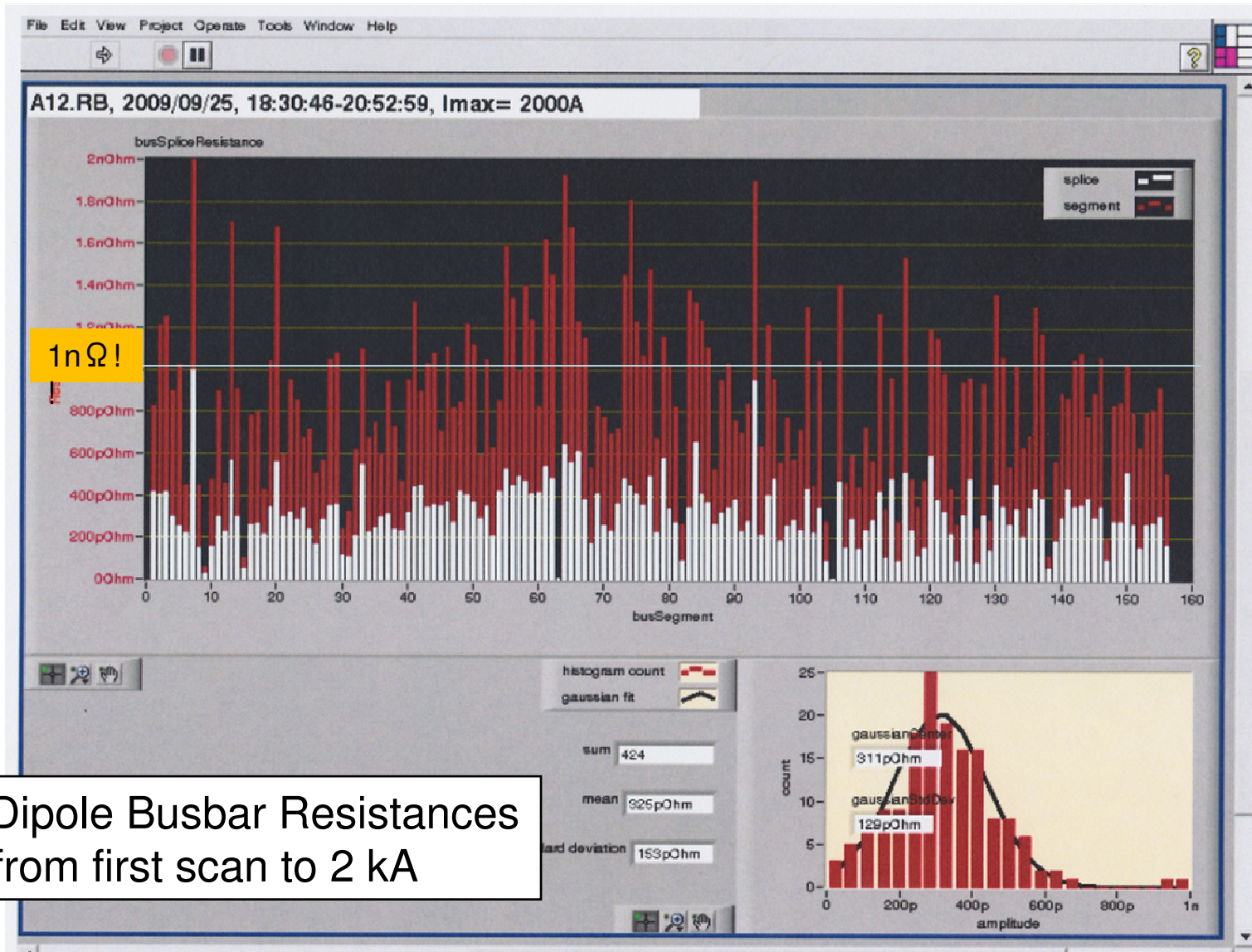
# Pyramid for Splice Mapping



Current in the Dipoles as function of time

# Splice Mapping of Dipoles

QPS team

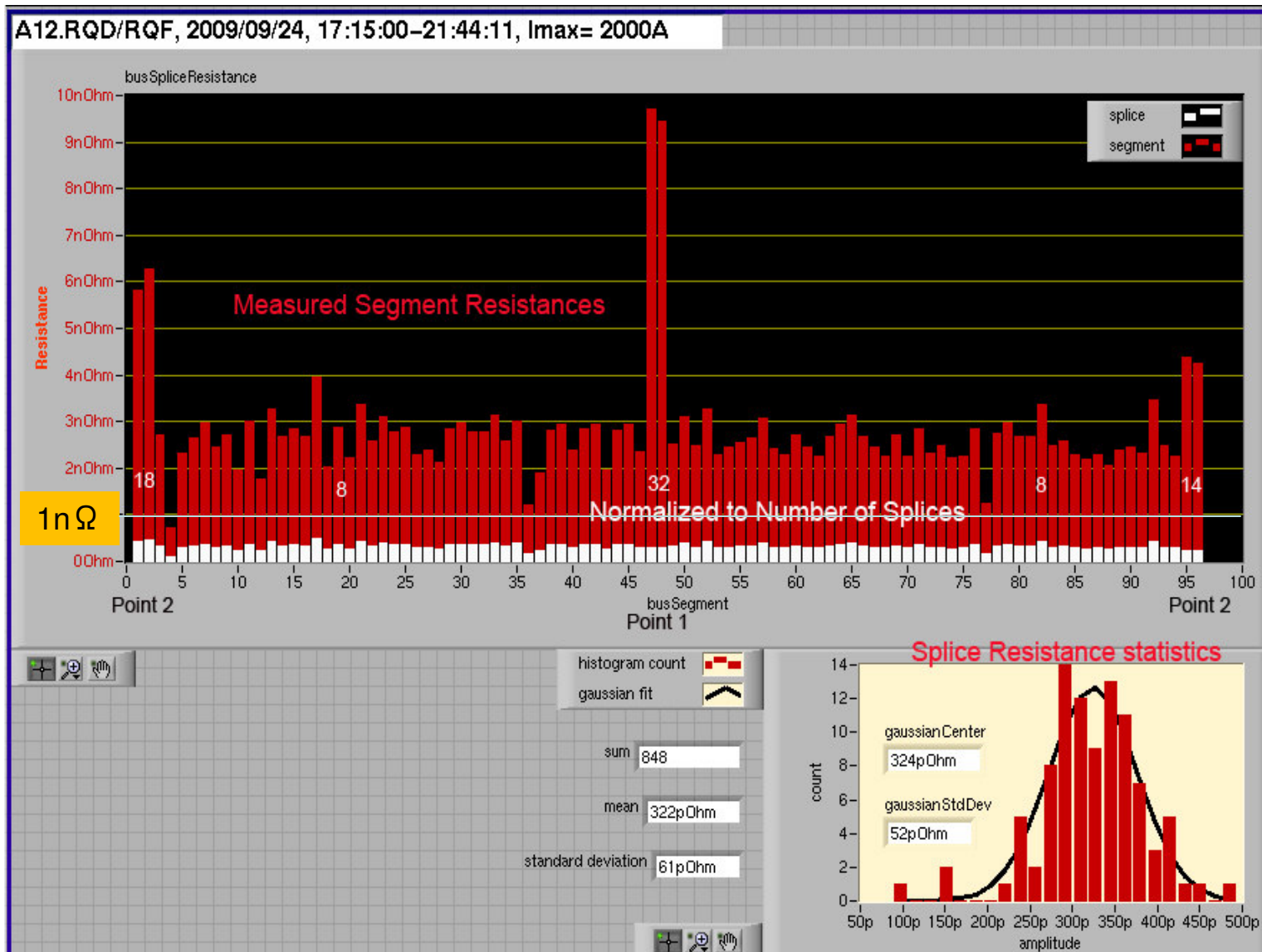


First Dipole Busbar Resistances  
from first scan to 2 kA



# Splice Mapping of Quadrupoles

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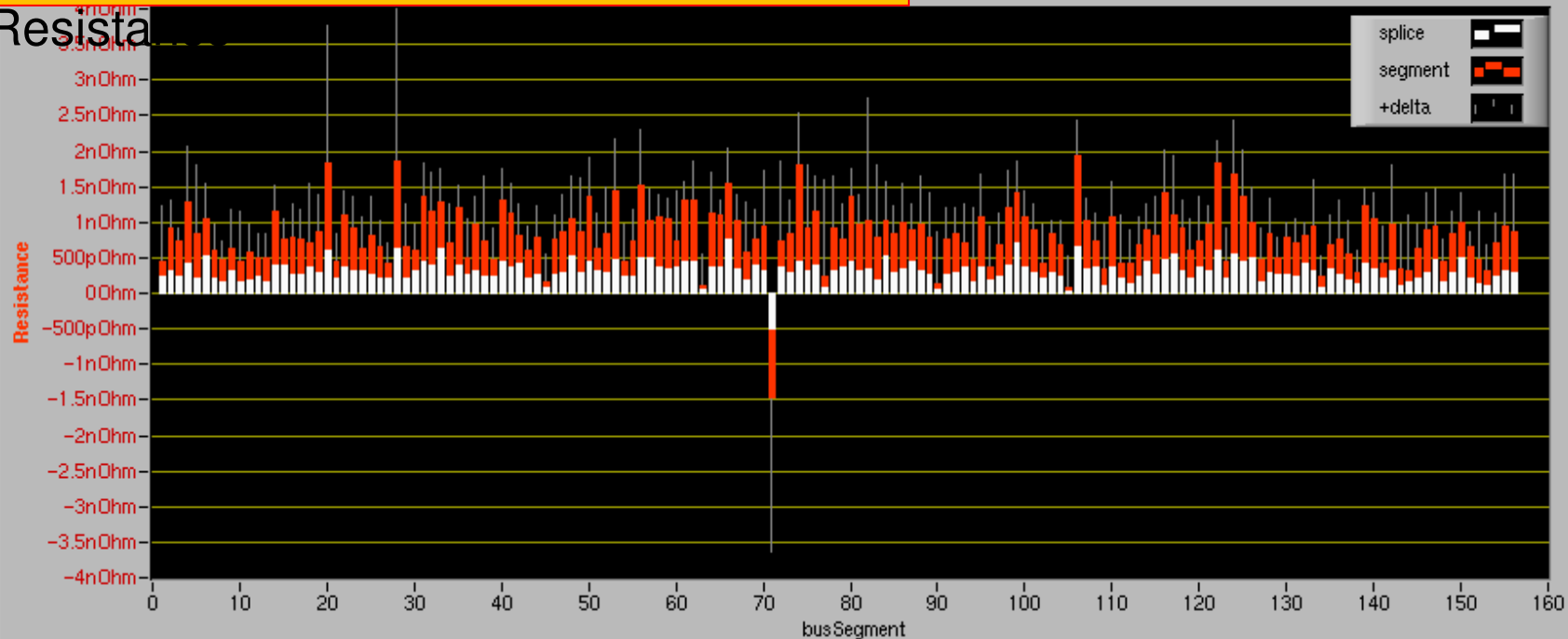


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# A78.RB: Normalized Bus Segment

## Resistance



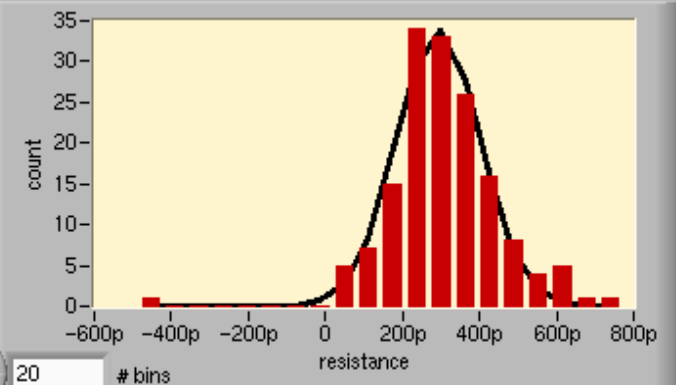
Rexcess =  $R_{bus} - N_{splice} * R_{splice}$   show excess?

Every single sc splice has now been measured

1				
2				
3				
4	DCBB.11L8.R	3	-1.29E-9	7.64E-10
5	DCBB.A12L8.R	4	-8.41E-10	9.50E-10
6	DCBB.B12L8.R	2	-1.04E-9	5.10E-10
7	DCBB.13L8.R	3	-6.11E-10	3.60E-10
8	DCBB.A14L8.R	3	-4.81E-10	2.54E-10
9	DCRR.R14L8.R	2	-6.26E-10	5.51E-10

histogram count  
 gaussian fit

sum 424  
 mean 309pOhm  
 stdDev 147pOhm  
 gaussianCenter 293pOhm  
 gaussianStdDev 109pOhm



weight?  # bins 20

# LHC: a spectacular comeback!

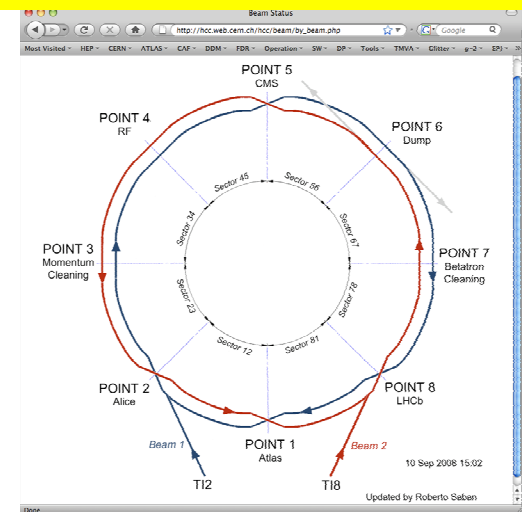
Friday November 20

## 18:30 Beam 1

- 19.00 beam through CMS (23, 34, 45)
  - beam1 through to IP6 19.55 Starting again injection of Beam1
  - corrected beam to IP6, 7, 8, 1 **2h10 for 27km: 12.5km/h average speed**
- 20.40 **Beam 1 makes 2 turns**
  - Working on tune measurement, orbit, dump and RF
  - Beam makes several hundred turns (not captured)
    - Integers 64 59, fractional around .3 (Qv trimmed up .1)
- 20.50 Beam 1 on beam dump at point 6
- 21.50 Beam 1 **captured**

## 22:15 Beam2

- 23.10 Start threading Beam2
  - Round to 7 6 5 2 1 **1h25 for 27km: a bit faster**
- 23.40 **First Turn Beam2**
  - Working on tune measurement, orbit, dump and RF
  - Beam makes several hundred turns (not captured)
    - Integers 64 59, fractional around .3 (Qv trimmed up .05)
- 24.10 Beam 2 **captured**

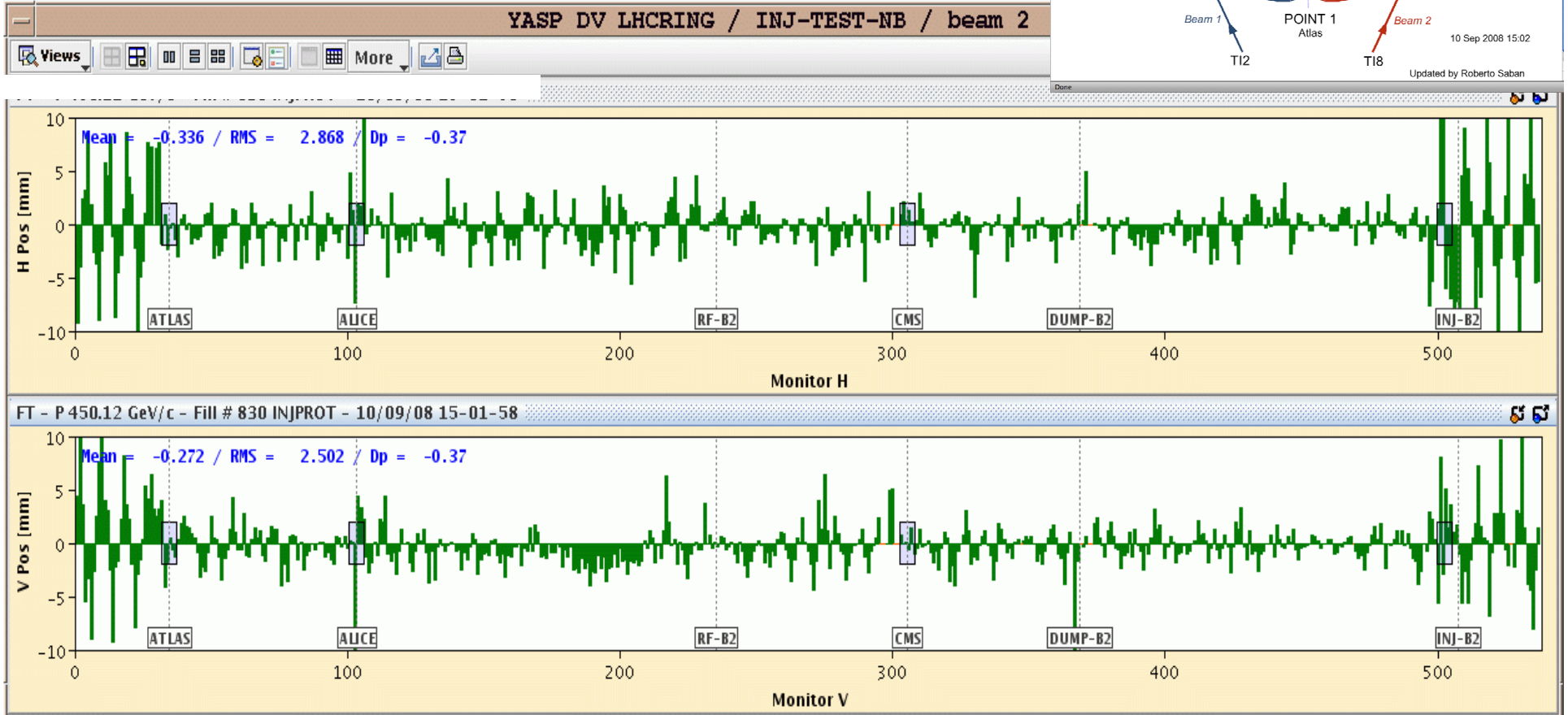
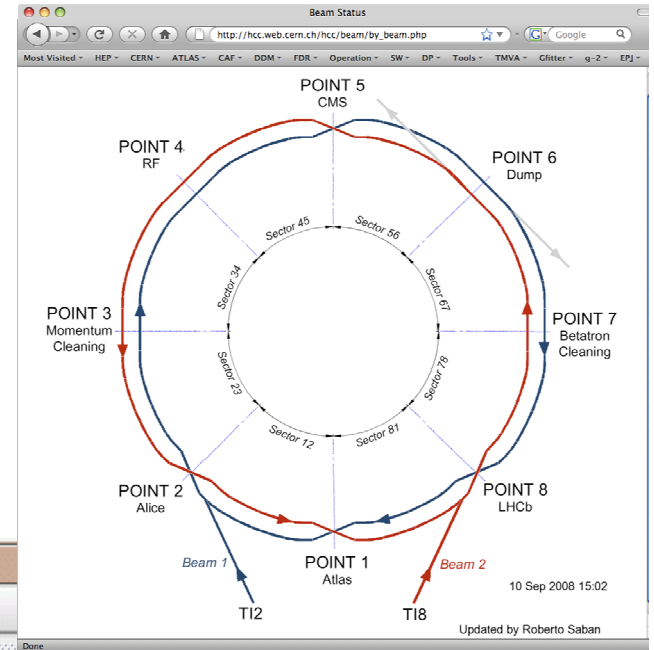


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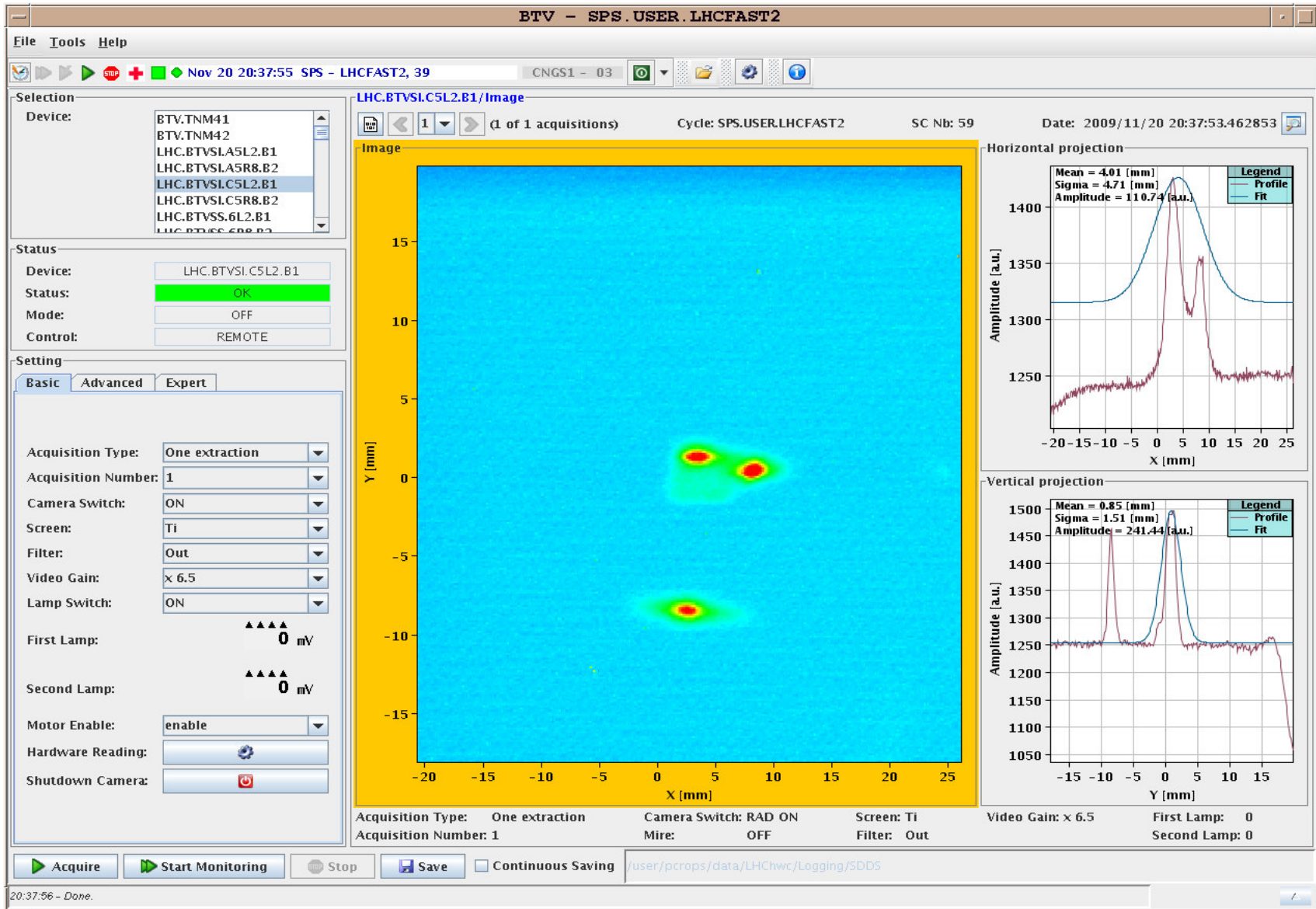
## Threading by sector:

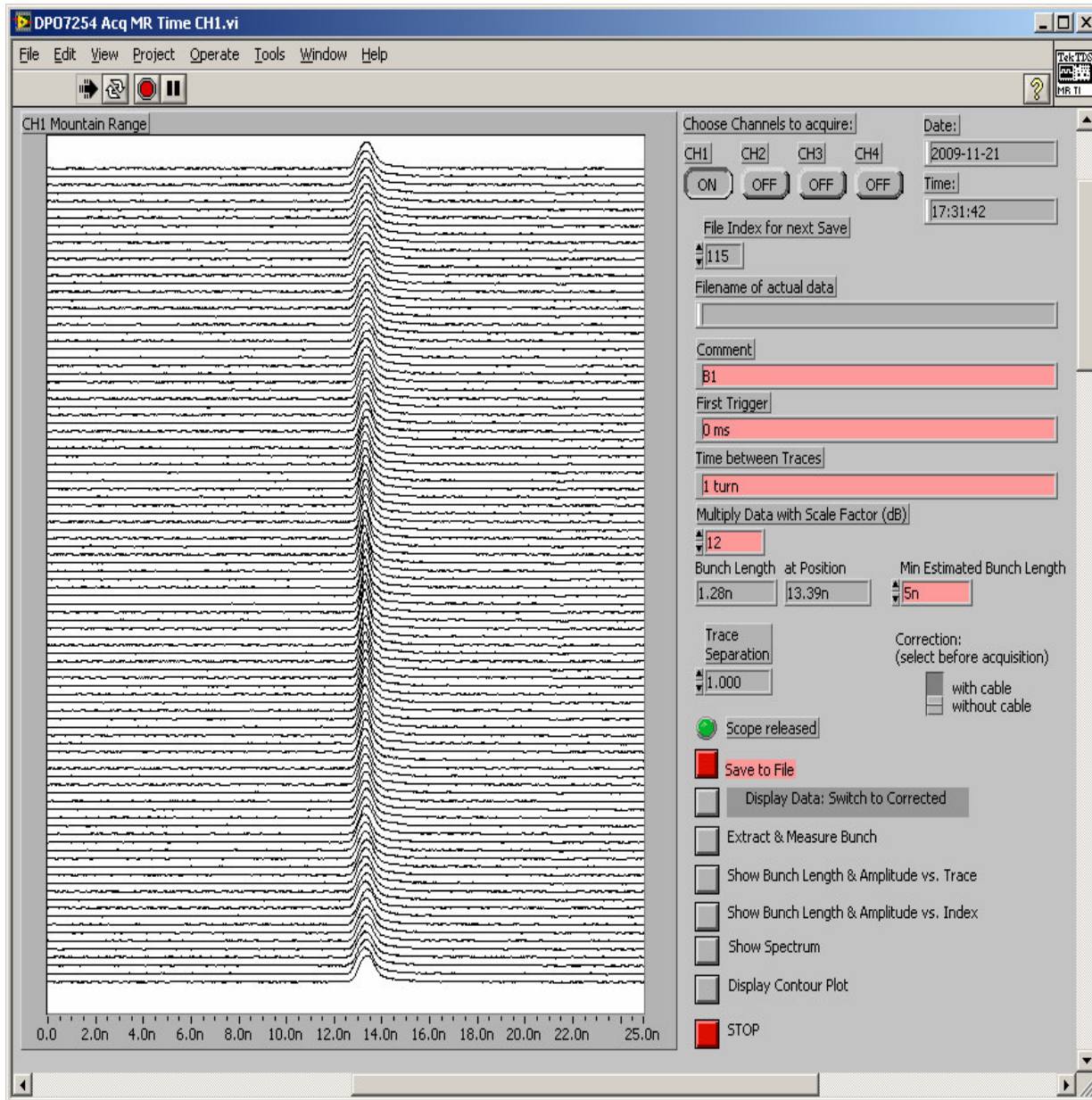
- ❑ One beam at the time
- ❑ Beam through 1 sector (1/8 ring), correct trajectory, open collimator and move on.

## Beam 2 threading



# Friday: 8:15pm: Beam 1 First 2 turns

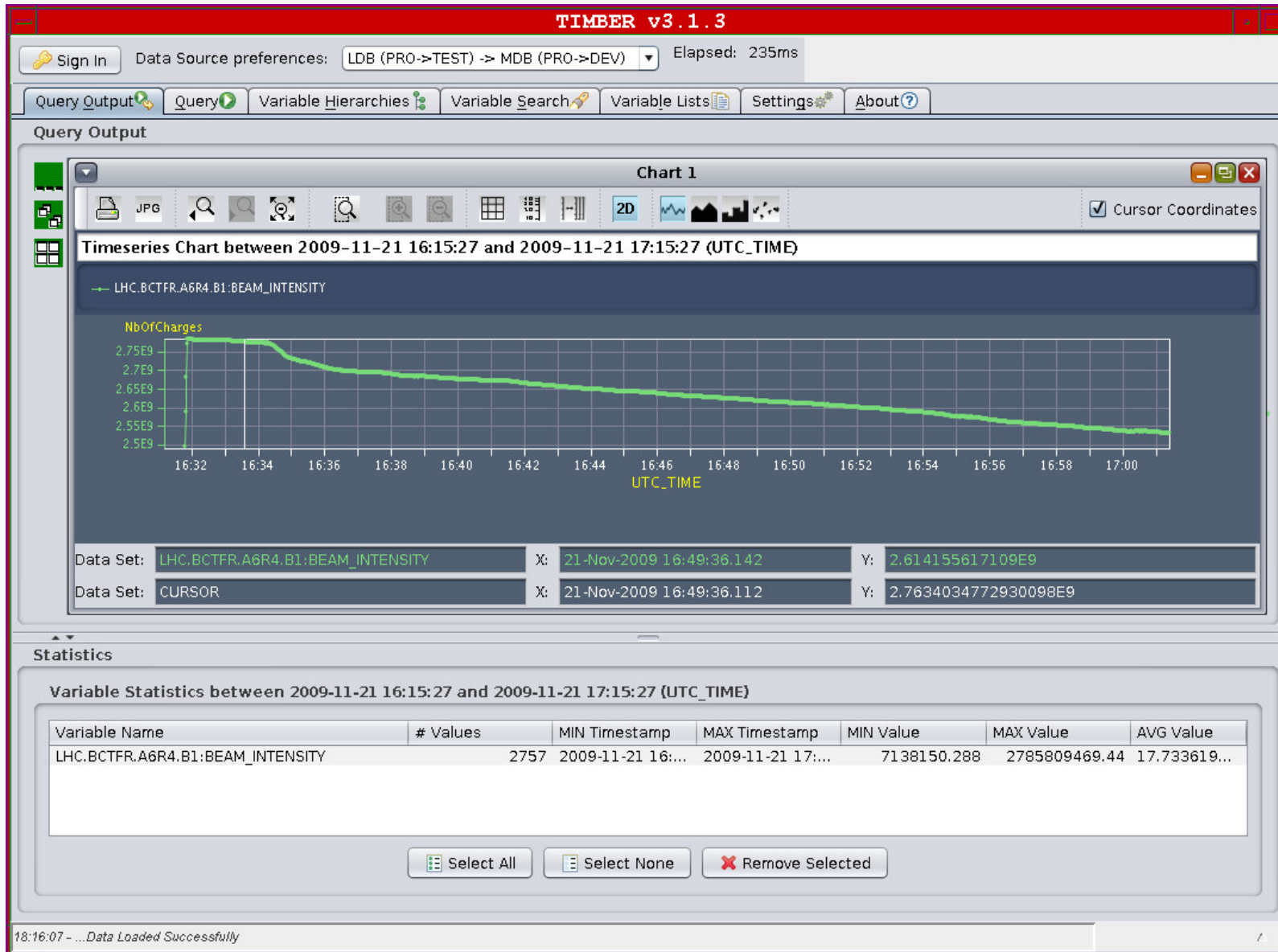




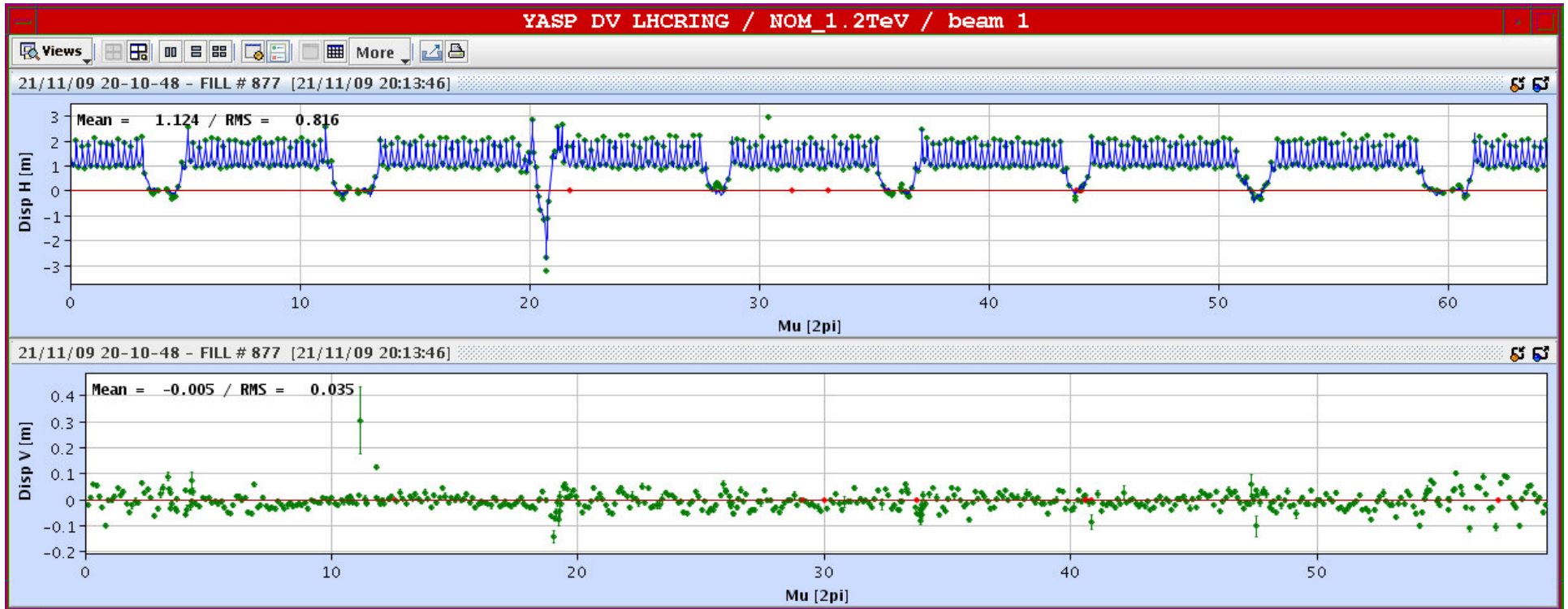
Beam is circulating and stable

- magnets
- power supplies
- vacuum
- RF
- cryogenics
- all infrastructure
- optics
- injection

# BCT – lifetime around 10h

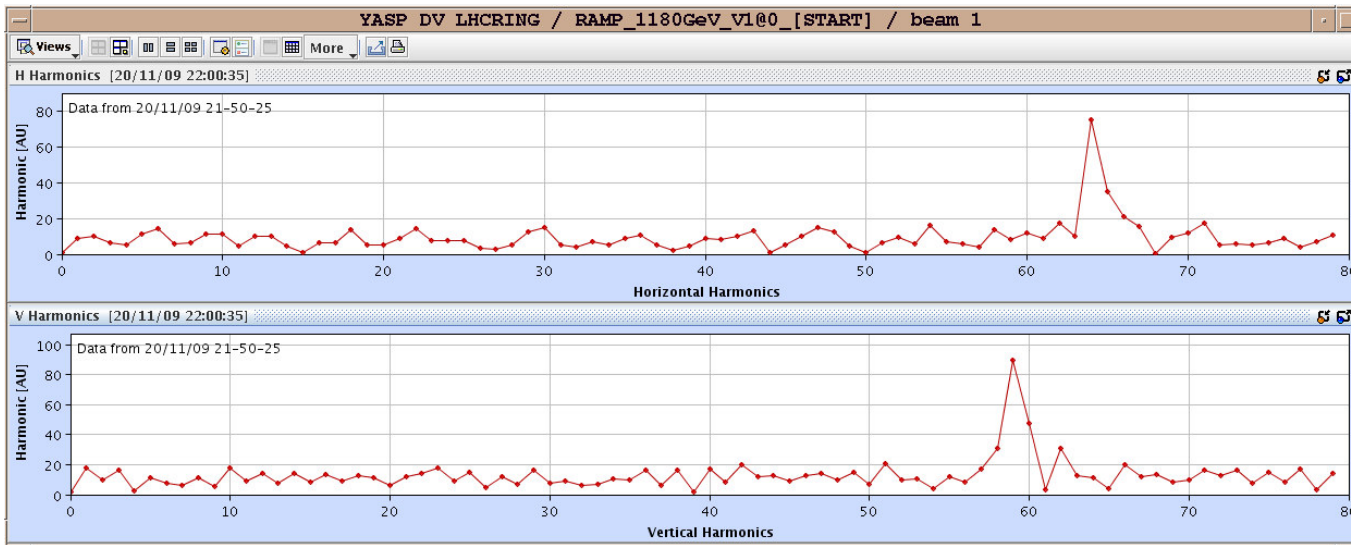


# Dispersion B1



Green dots are measured: blue line calculated





# Tunes

Integer

Non-Integer

Tune viewer - LHC - On-demand B1 (FFT2.B1)

File Edit Run Timing Configure Help

RBA: lhcop User: LHC FFT On-demand B1 (FFT2.B1) OPSU

Info FFT PLL DataSets FB/Trim Orbit Graph Mag H V I Misc ACQ# 0 Misc

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horizontal amplitude [dB]

frequency [frev]

Graph Mag H V I Misc ACQ# 0 Misc

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vertical amplitude [dB]

frequency [frev]

Q-FPGA  
Tune Measurements

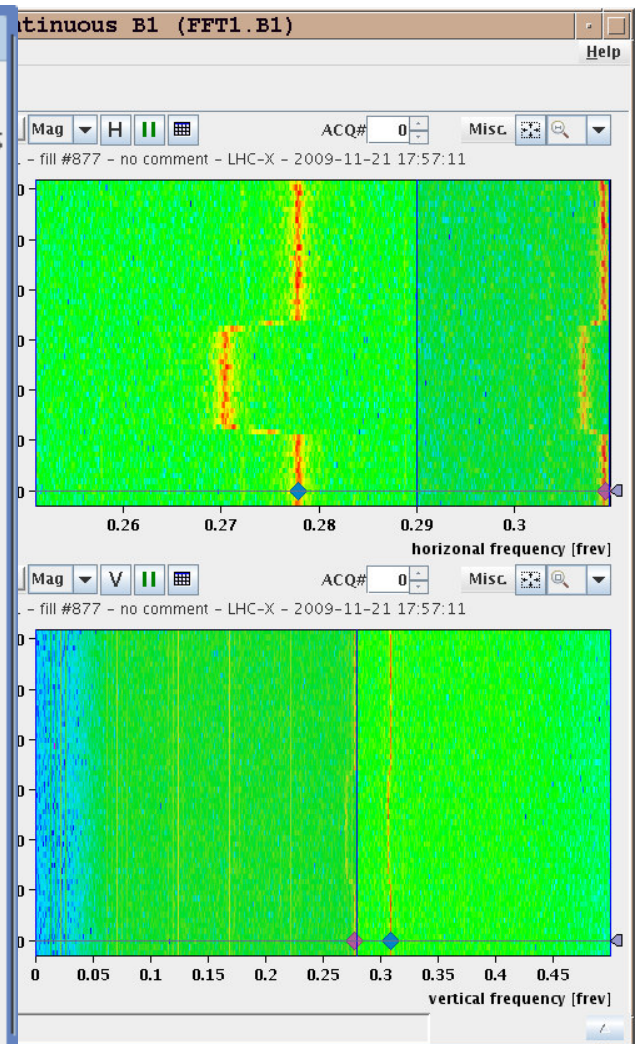
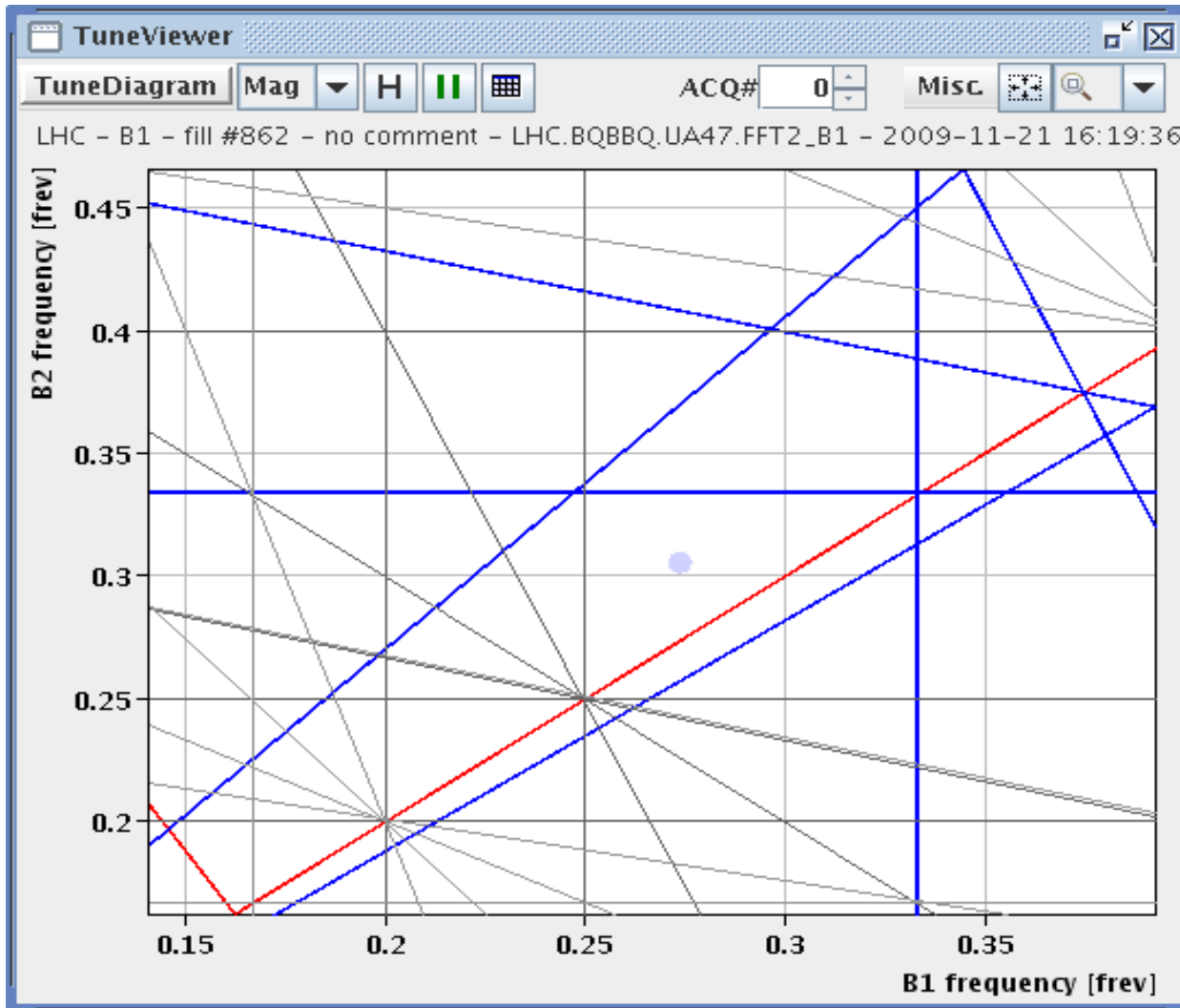
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2009-11-20 21:07:32  
RAW&FFT: 512 turns@1.0Hz  
no excitation  
Q1 = .298517 Qx = ???  
Q2 = .402807 Qy = ???  
|C-| = ??? E = 450.0 GeV  
Q'x = ???  
Q'y = ???

Spawn TuneViewer Display

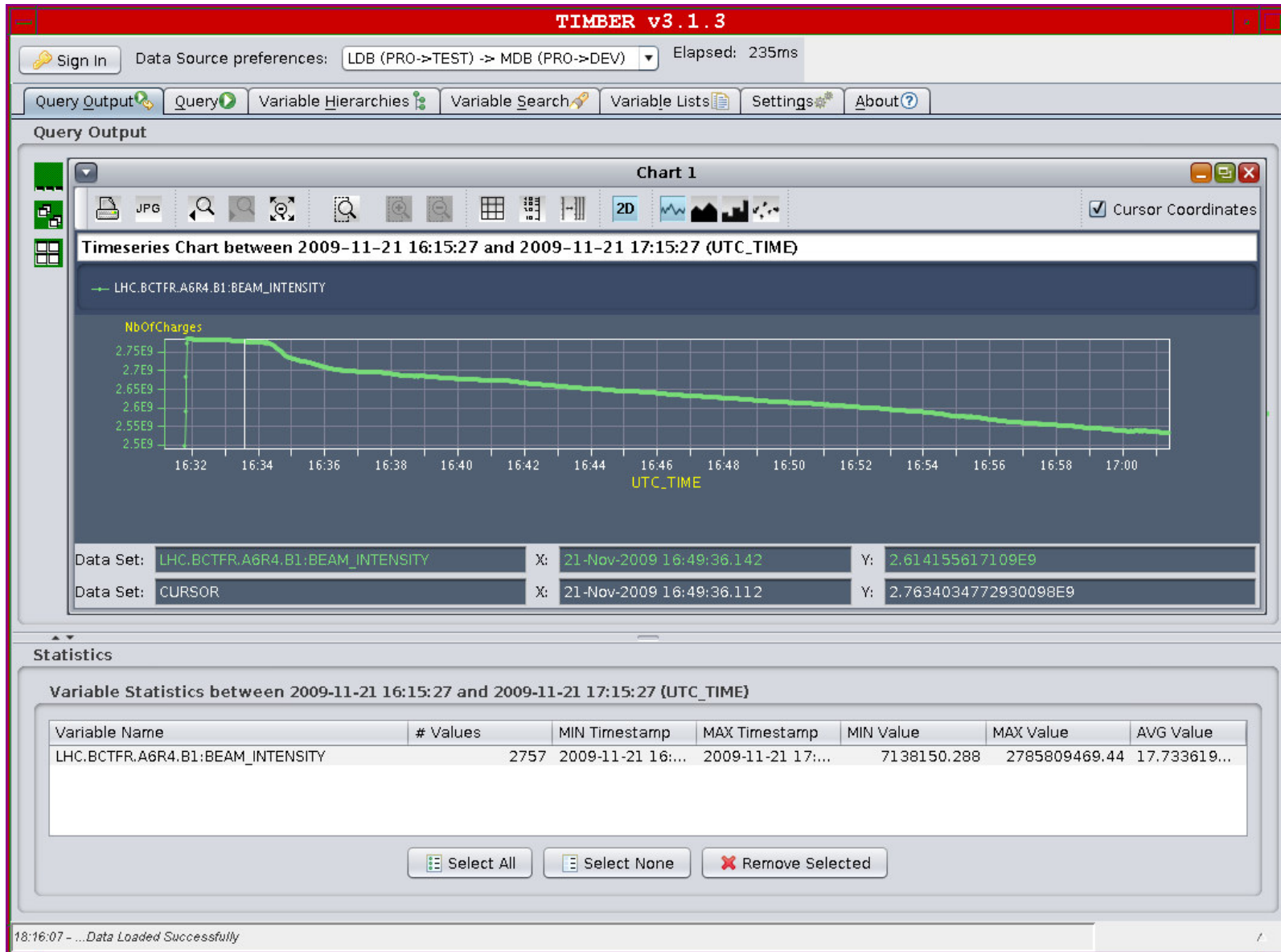
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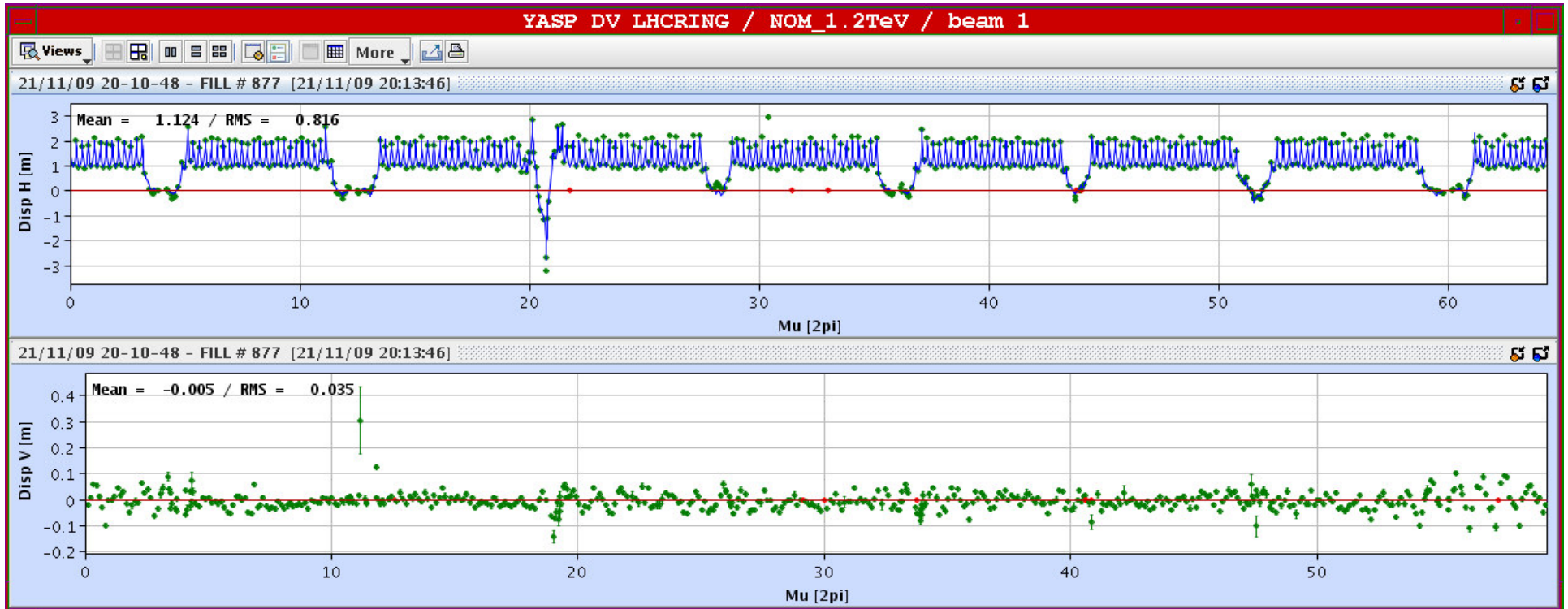
# Tune measure and trim



# BCT – lifetime around 10h



# Dispersion B1



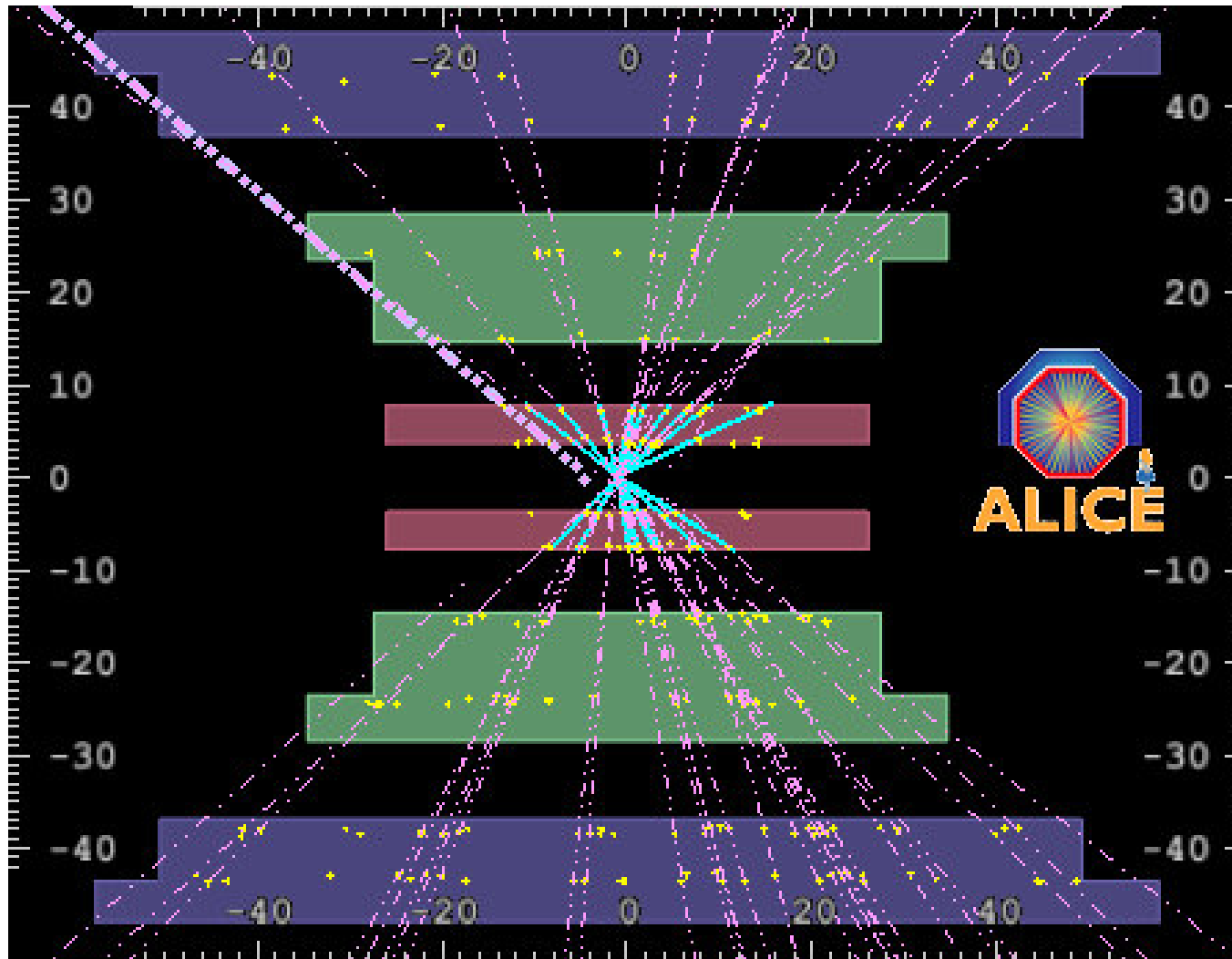
Green dots are measured: blue line calculated

# Monday afternoon

- **Both beams circulating in LHC. Hands off by OP for half an hour.**
- Transverse Steering into collision using BPMs through 1 and 5.
- **Hands off by OP for half an hour**
- **Recorded collision events in ATLAS and CMS**
- From 16:00
  - Two beams in LHC at buckets 1 and 8911
  - **Quiet beams for ALICE**
  - Then 2 beams in LHC at buckets 1 and 26701
  - **Quiet beams for LHCb**
- **Recorded collision events in ALICE and LHCb**
- From 19.00
  - Beam 2 back in bucket 1
  - 2 beams in for collimation set up
  - Quickly steer IR5 (with new knob) and IR1
  - **Quiet beams for 15' for CMS and ATLAS**

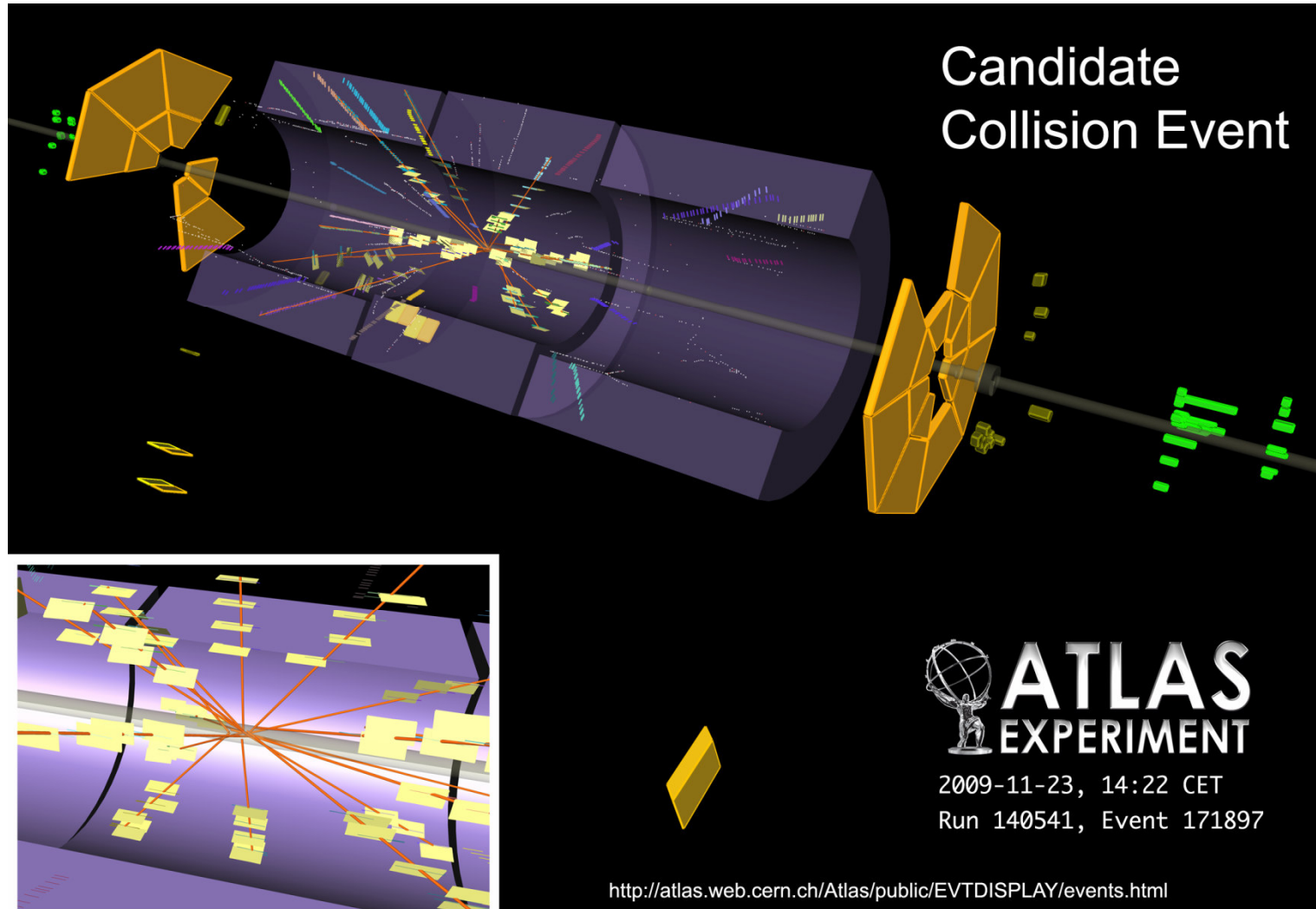
# ALICE

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# ATLAS

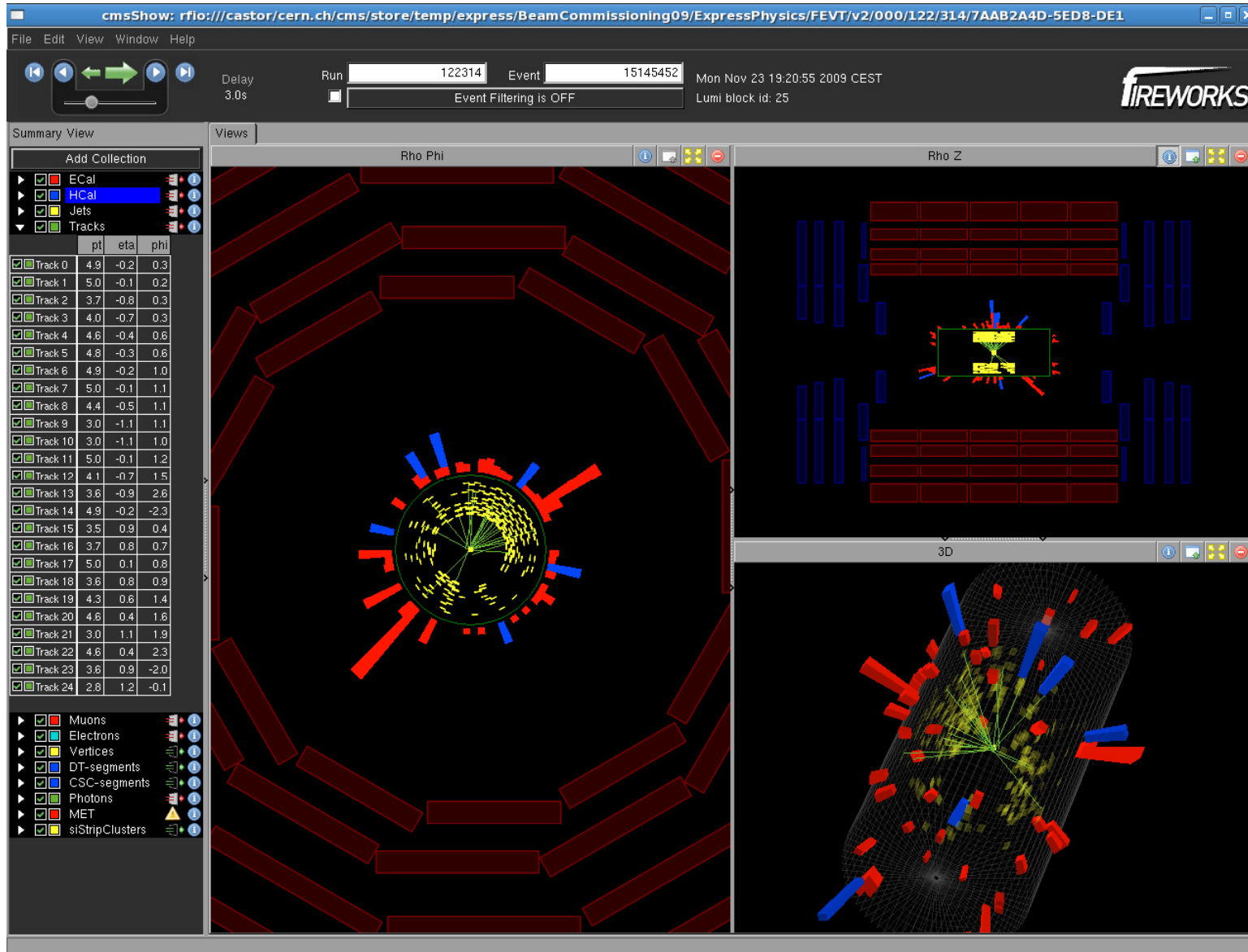
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# CMS

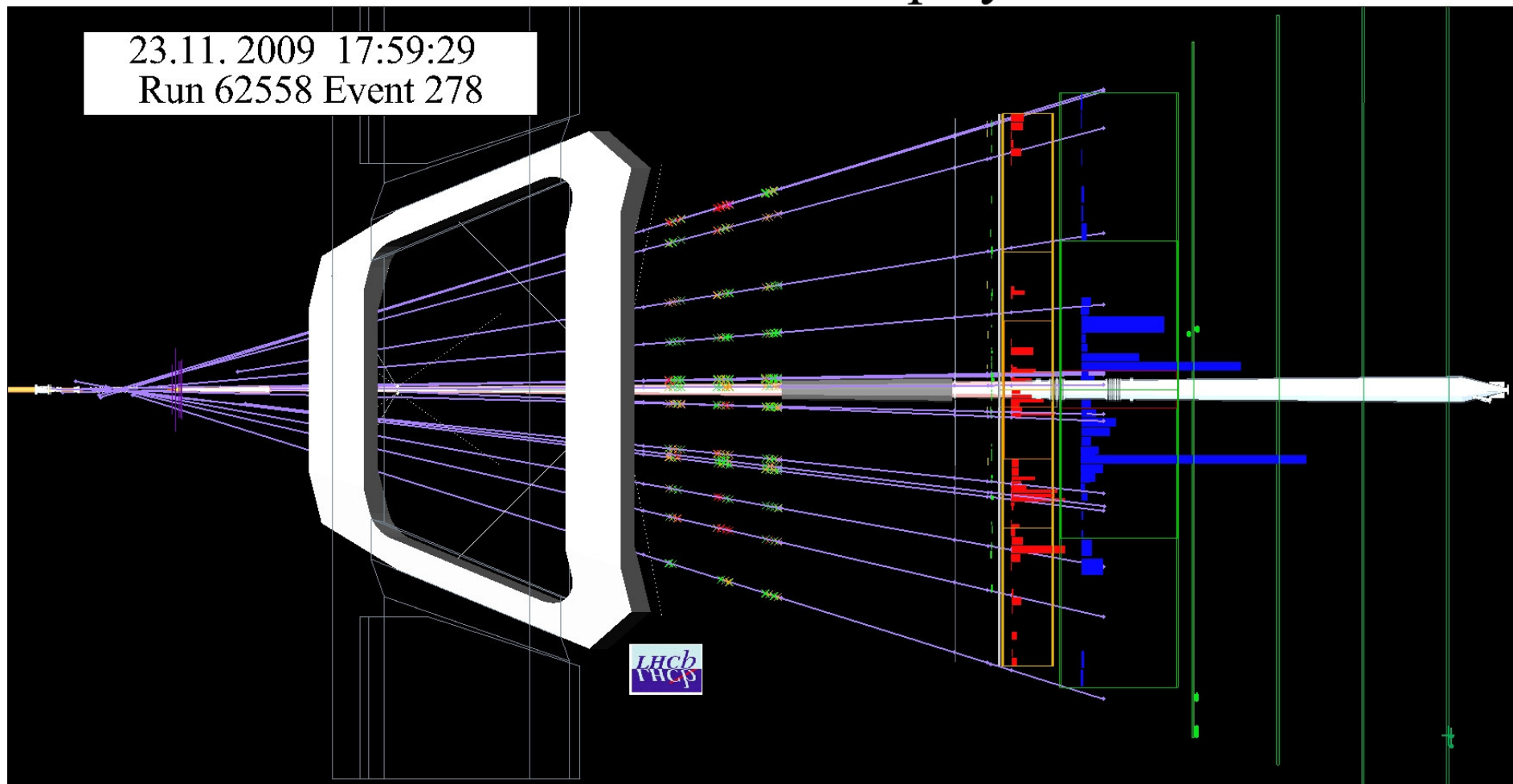
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# LHCb

## LHCb Event Display



# Monday November 30

Both beams accelerated at 1.18 TeV!



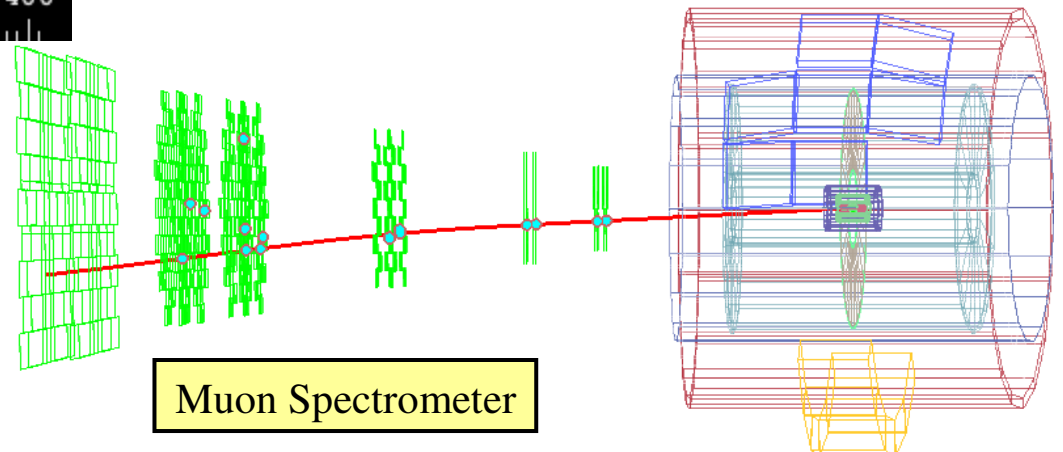
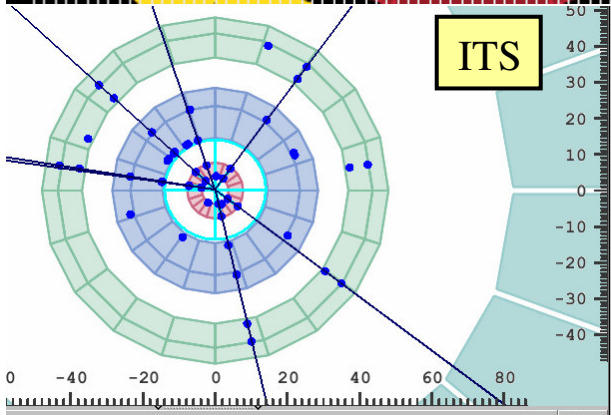
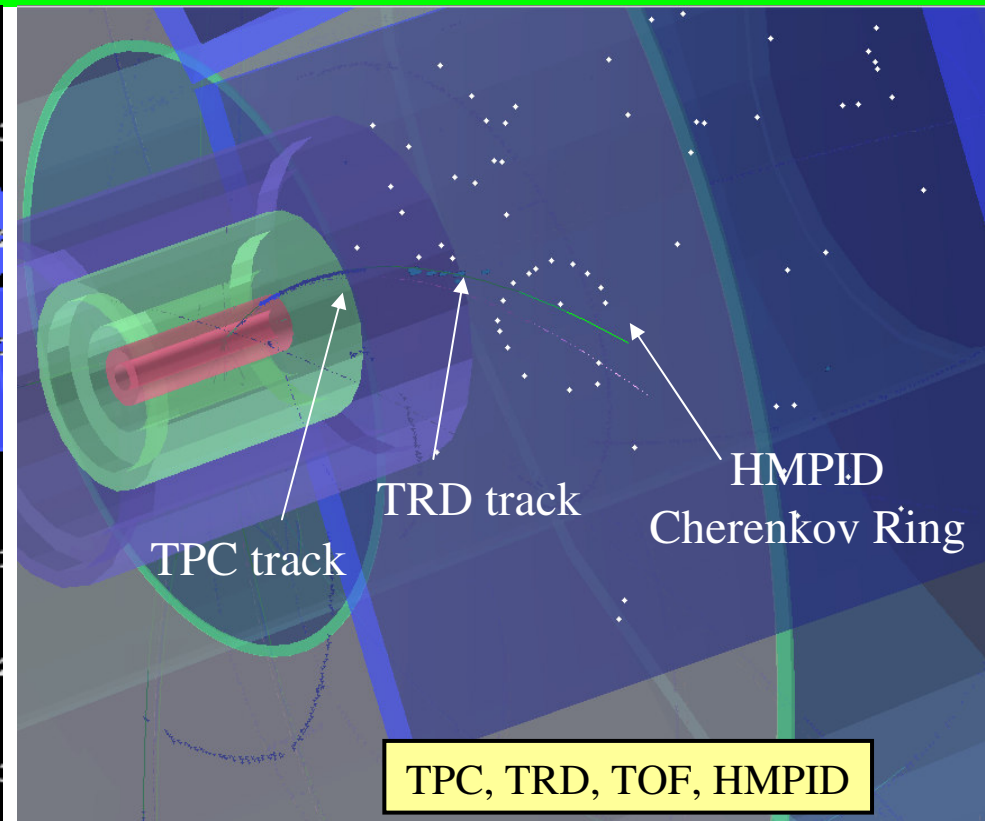
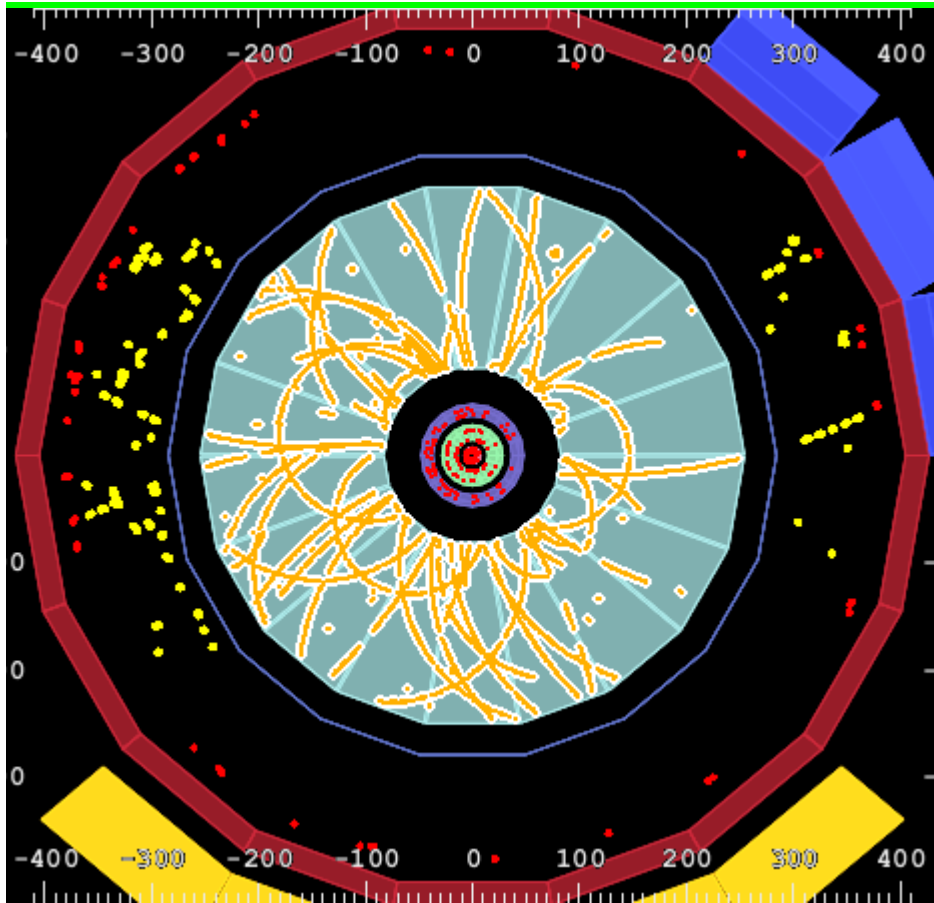
# LHC experiments: a spectacular start as well!

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- Experiments showing their readiness
- Excellent experiment-machine interface
- Very encouraging news from the side of the backgrounds.
- Fast data turnaround times

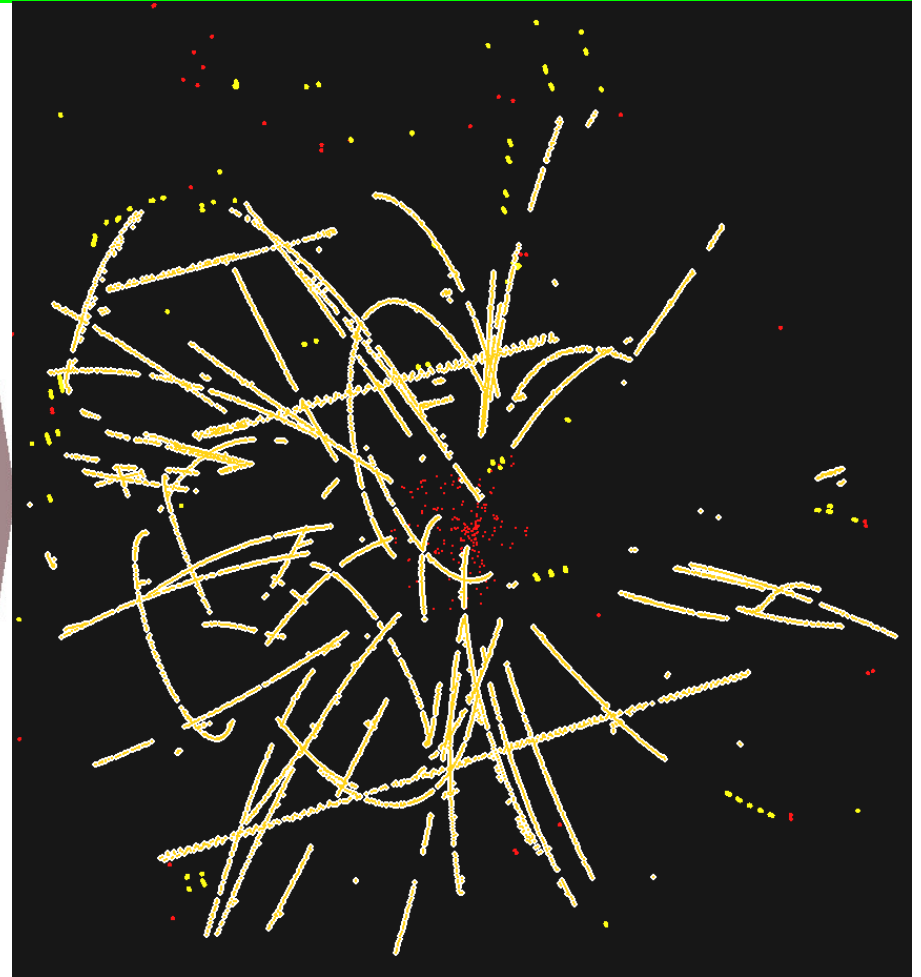
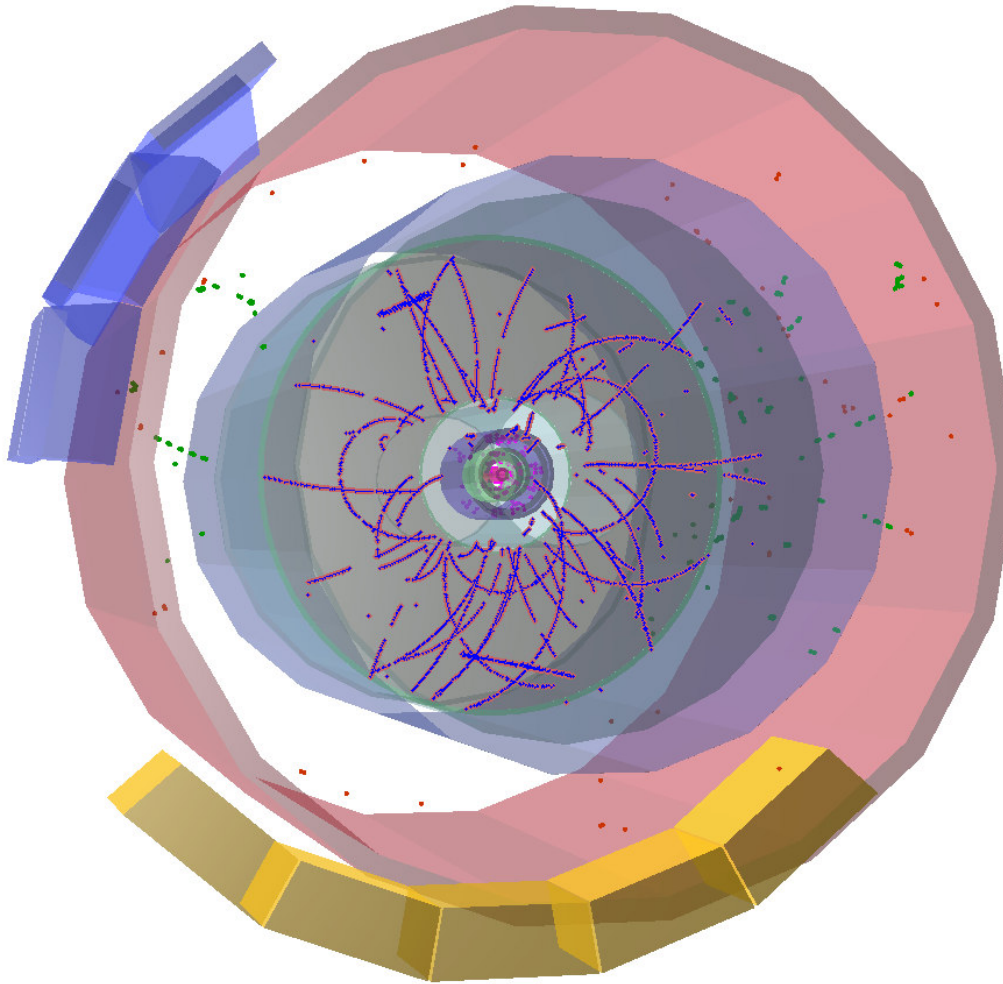
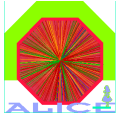


# Event Displays



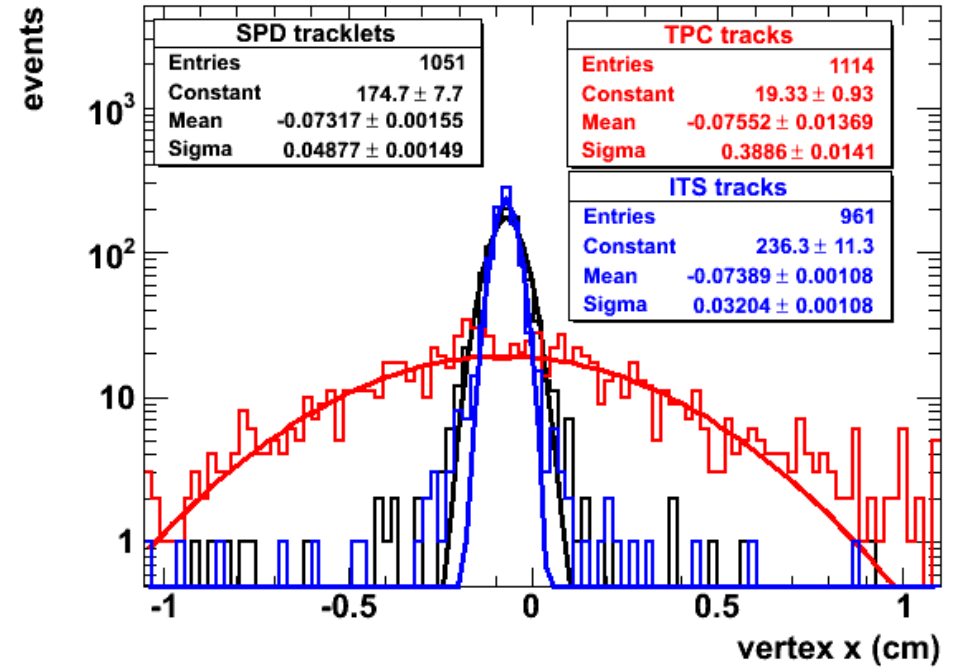
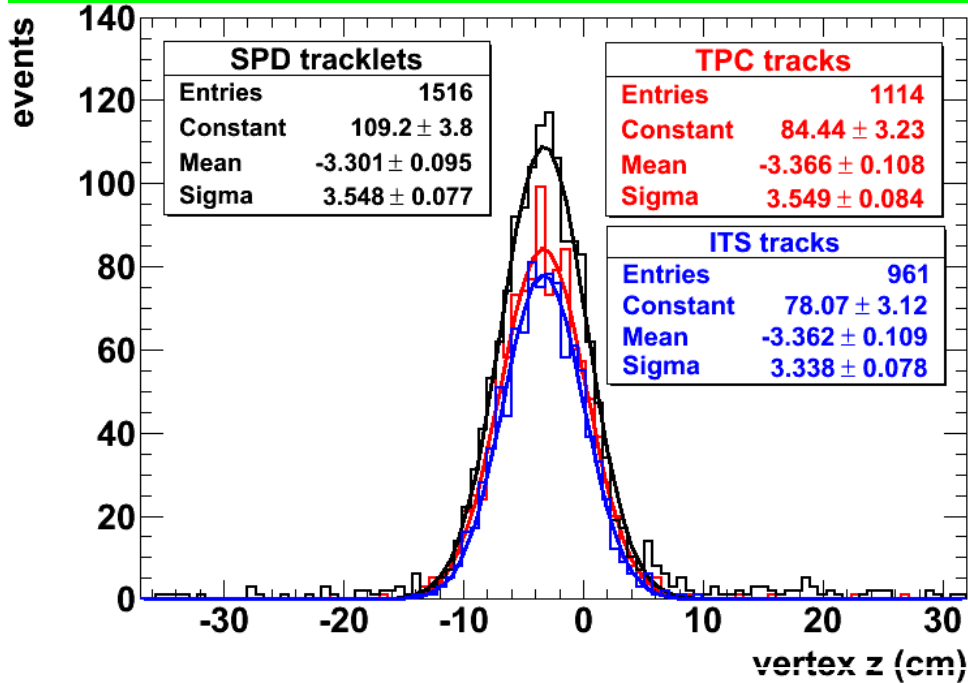
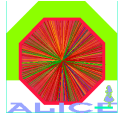


# More Event Displays..





# Vertex reconstruction

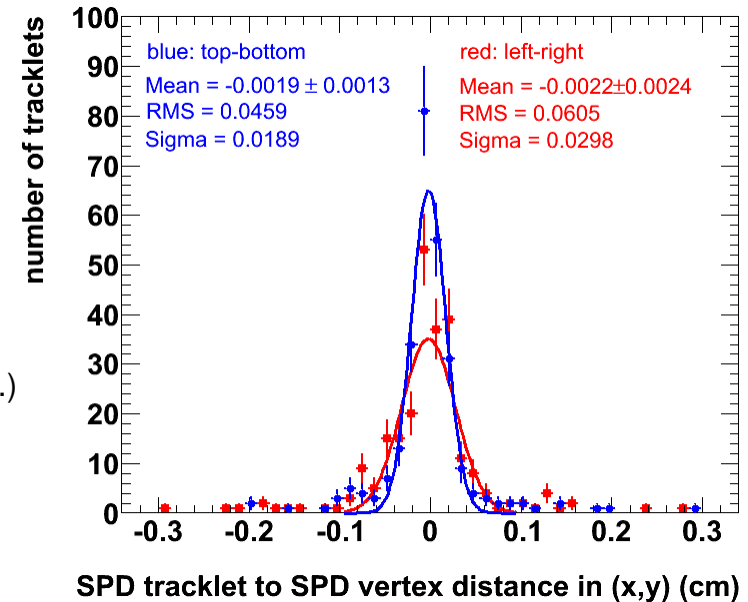


3 ways of reconstruction the vertex:

Pixels only; all ITS; TPC only.

TPC standalone resolution is of course much worse than the ITS, but gives the same position; i.e. the relative alignment is ok.

The x resolution is for all momenta and track multiplicities; the actual beamspot (after unfolding) is slightly less than 200 micron.

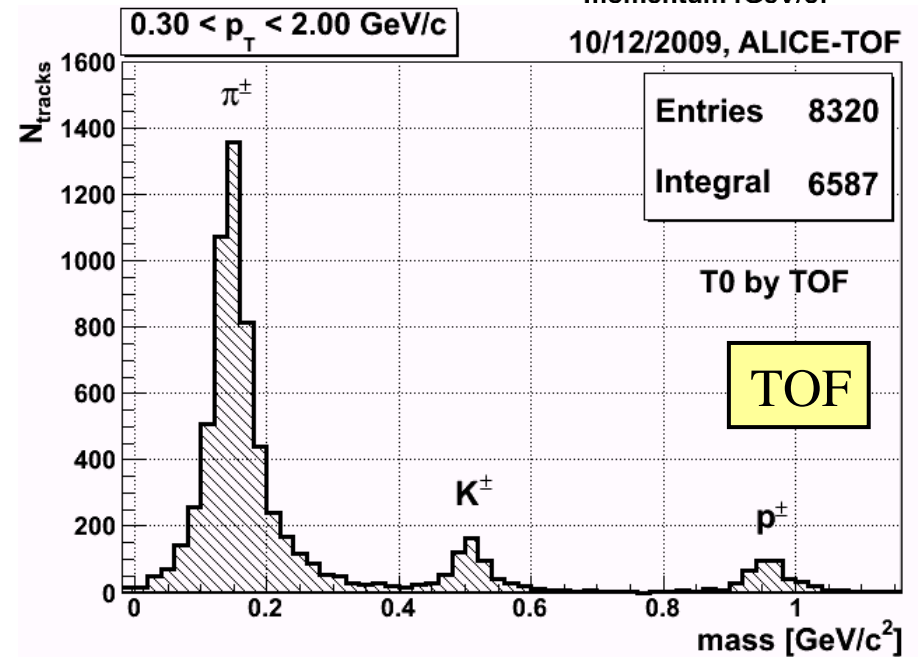
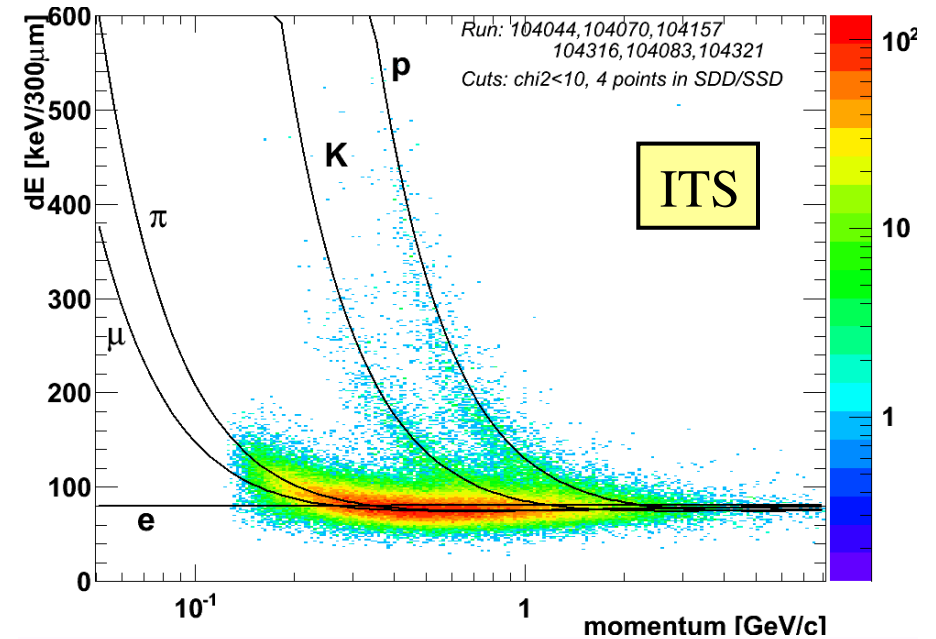
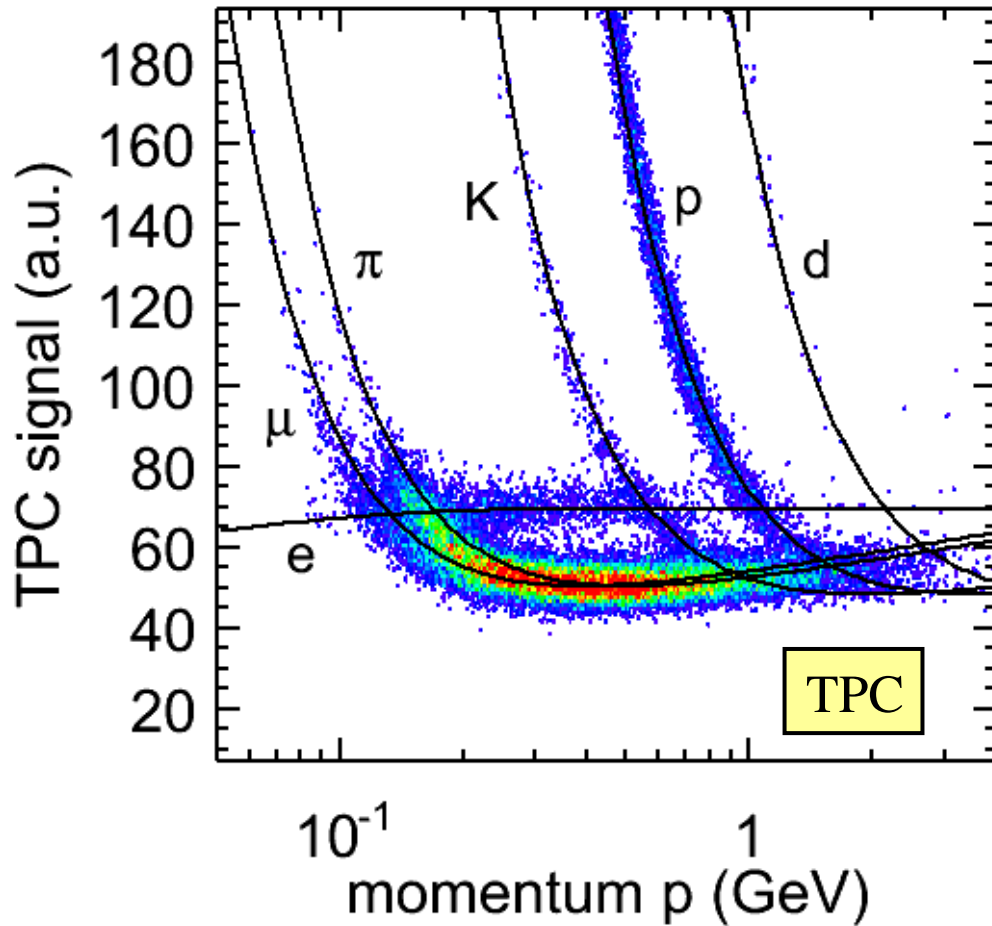
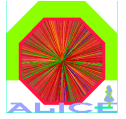


Impact parameter distribution (DCA) of SPD tracklets to the found vertex. Sigma is about 190 micron for horizontal tracklets (all momenta and multipl.) (alignment error contribution < 15 micron).

It is worse for vertical tracklets (less statistics from cosmics available for alignment, to be done with collision events)

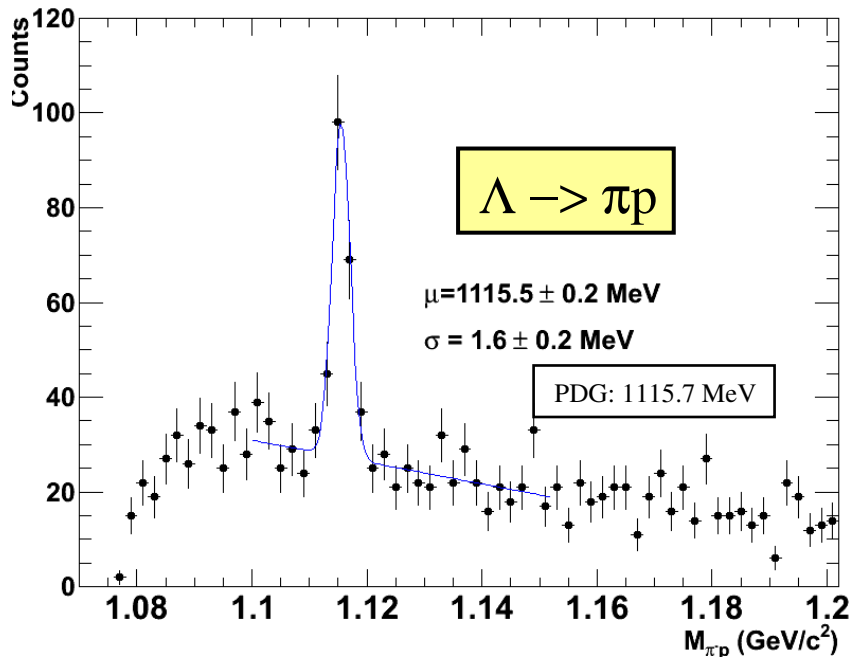
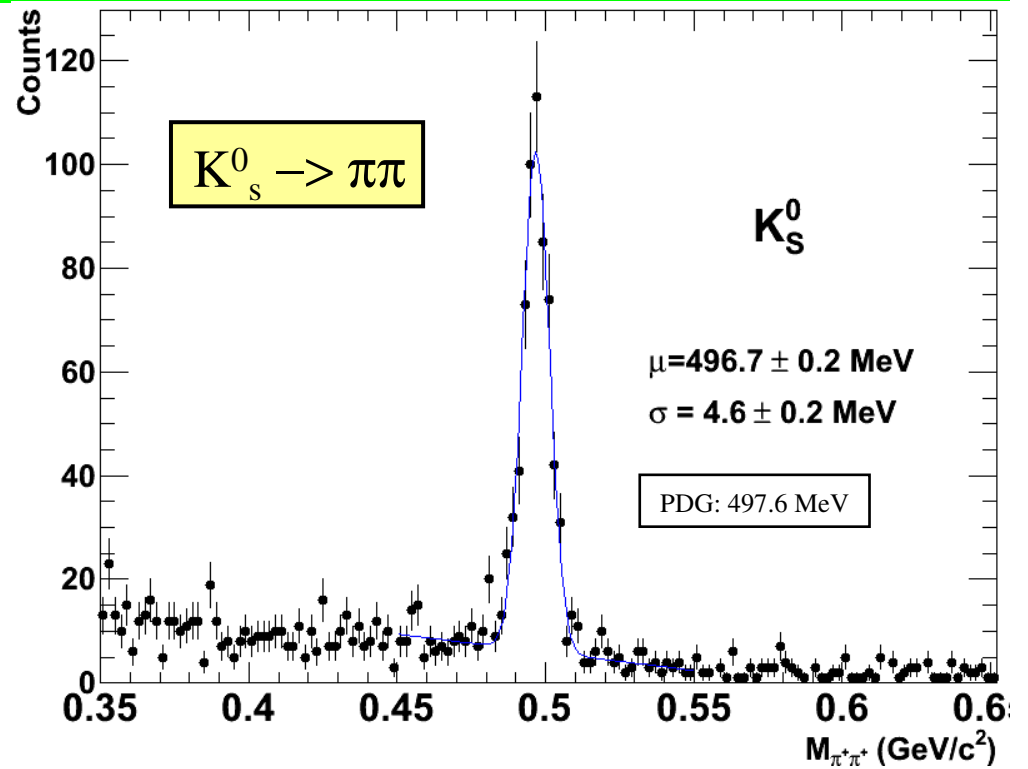
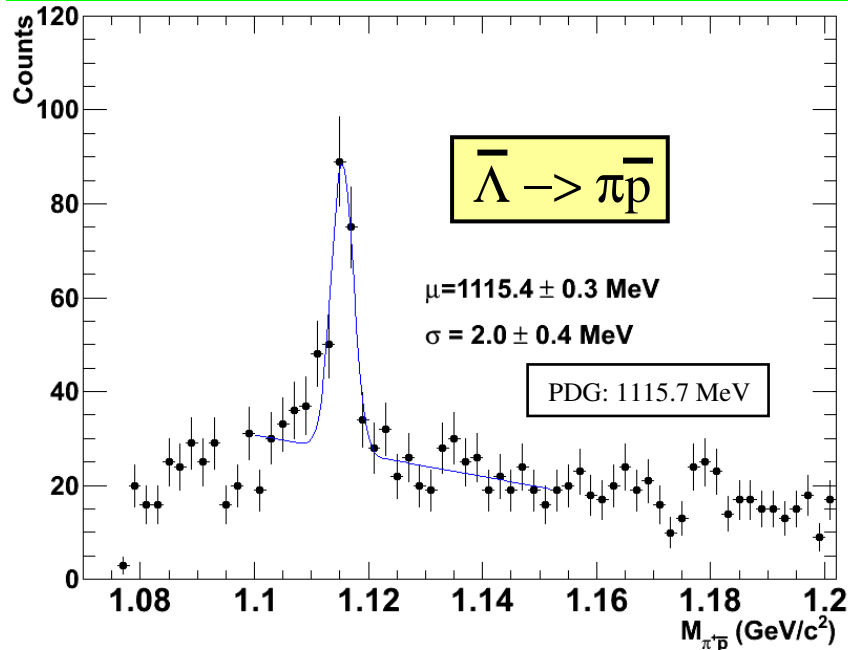
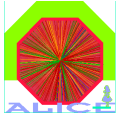


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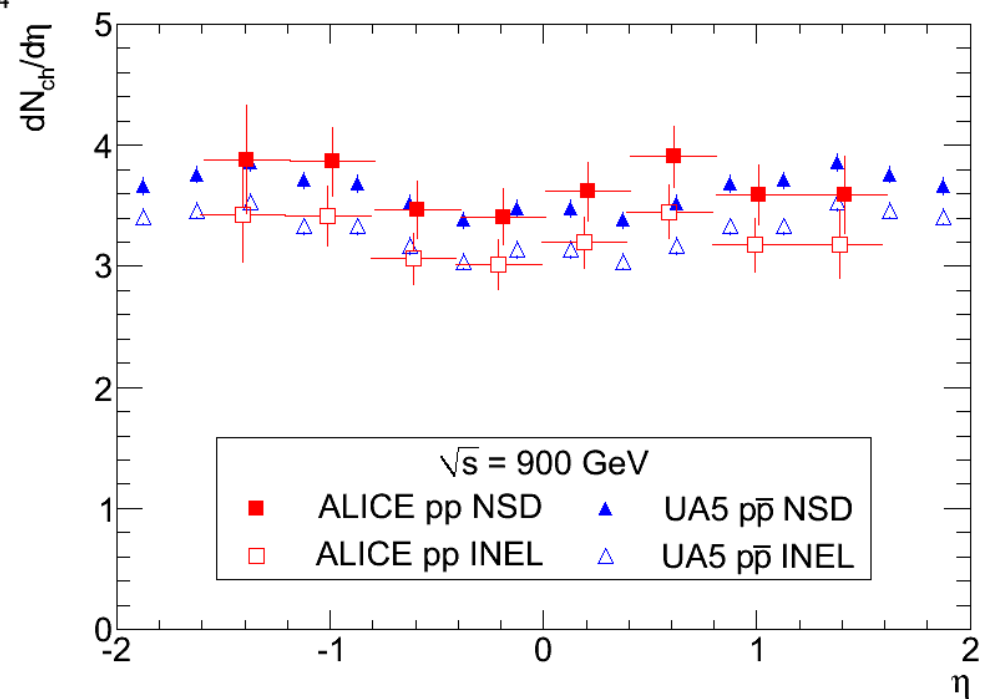
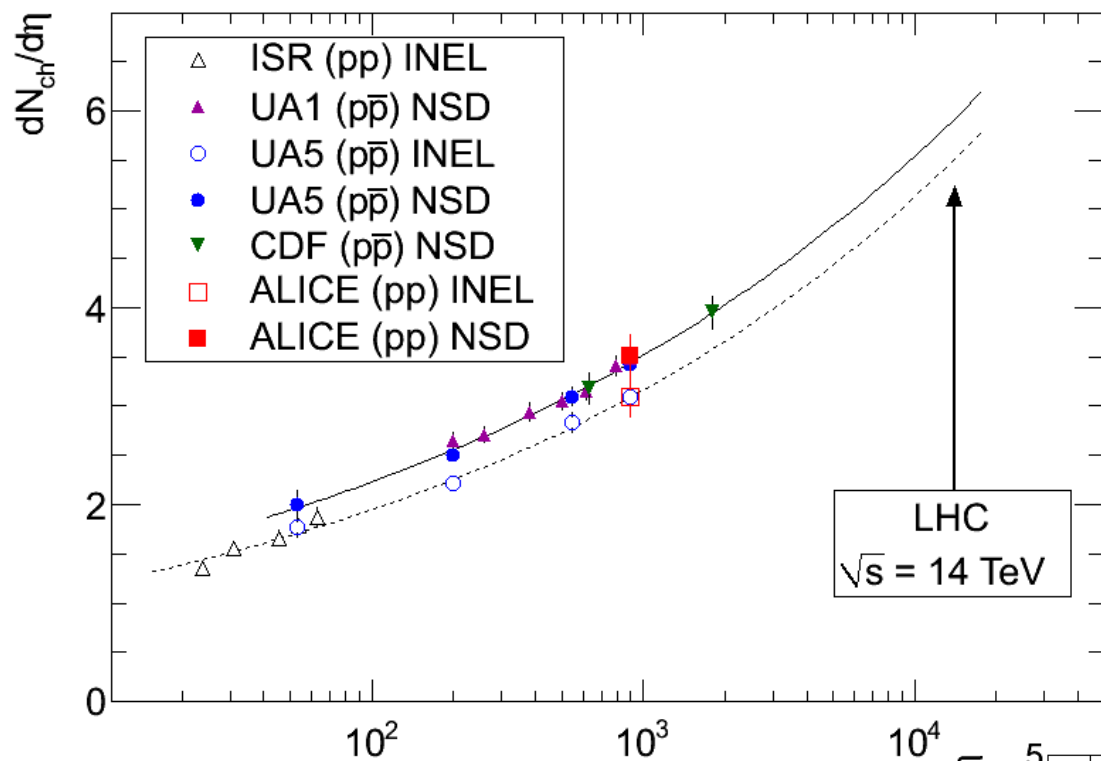




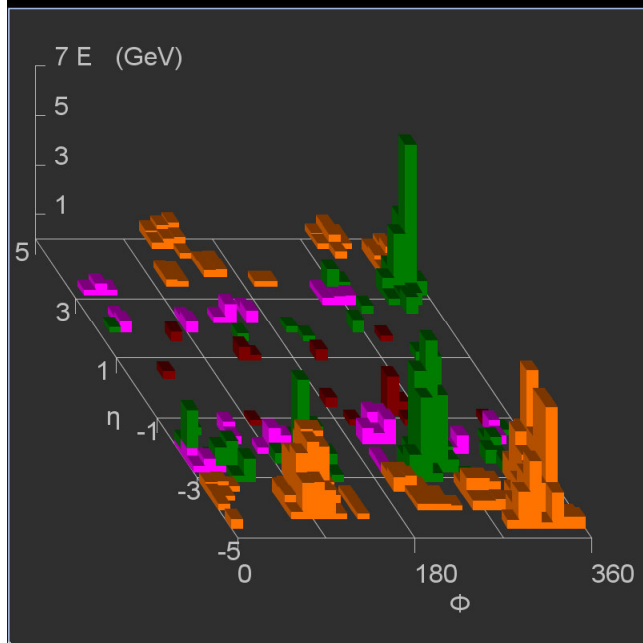
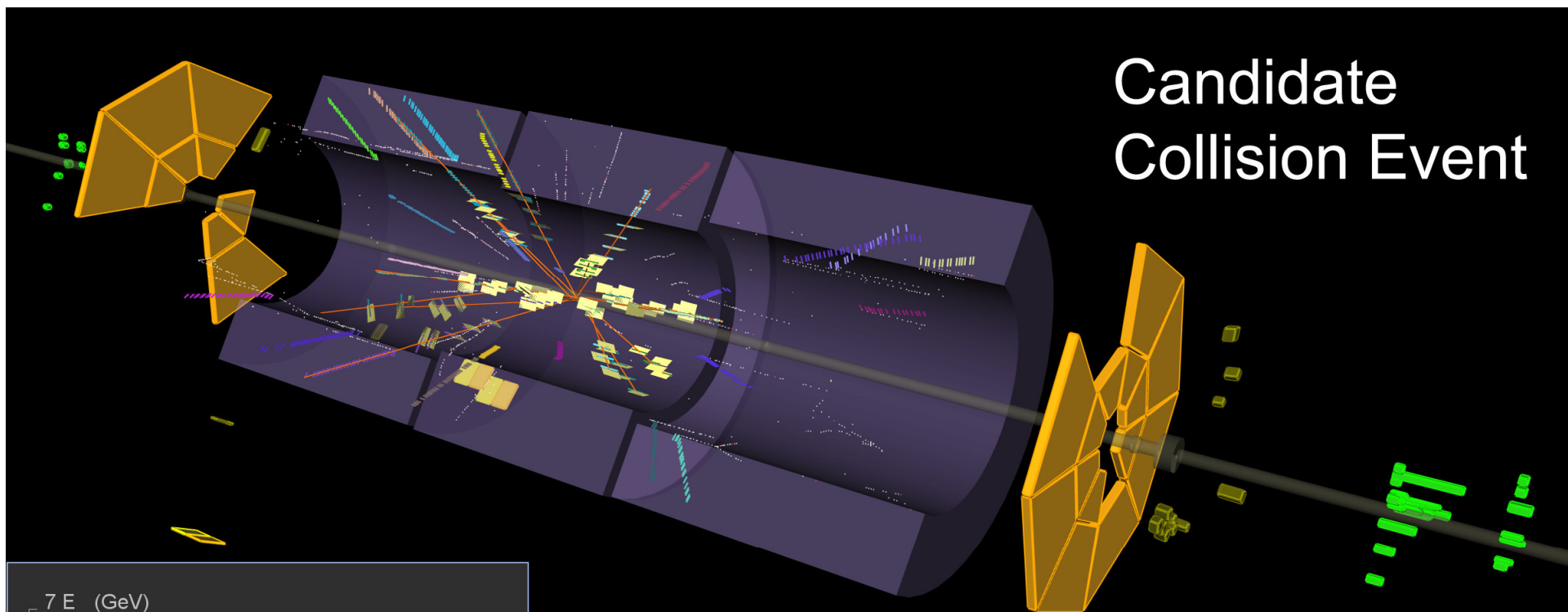
# Decay Reconstruction







# Candidate Collision Event

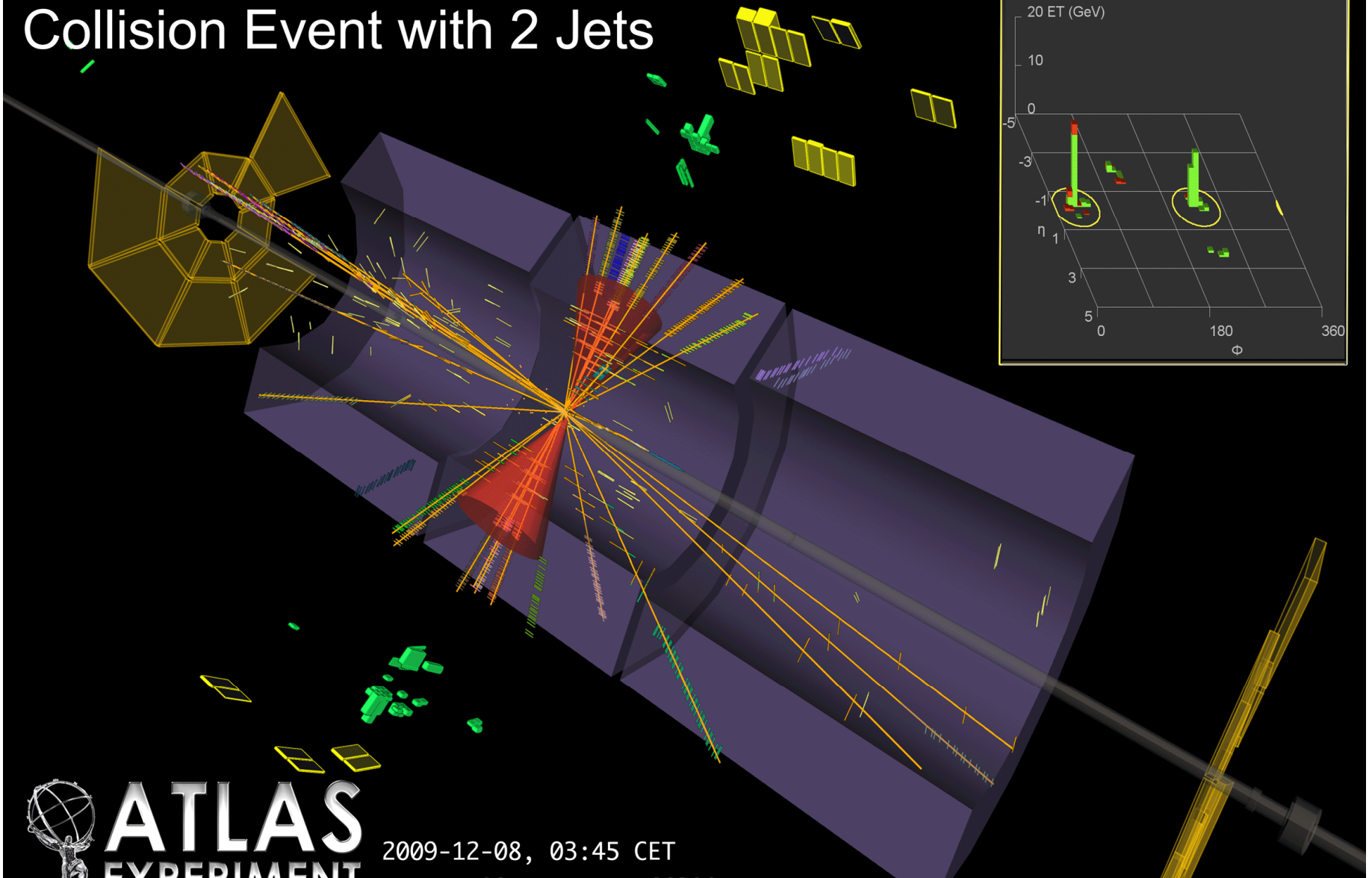


 **ATLAS**  
EXPERIMENT

2009-11-23, 14:22 CET  
Run 140541, Event 171897

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# Collision Event with 2 Jets

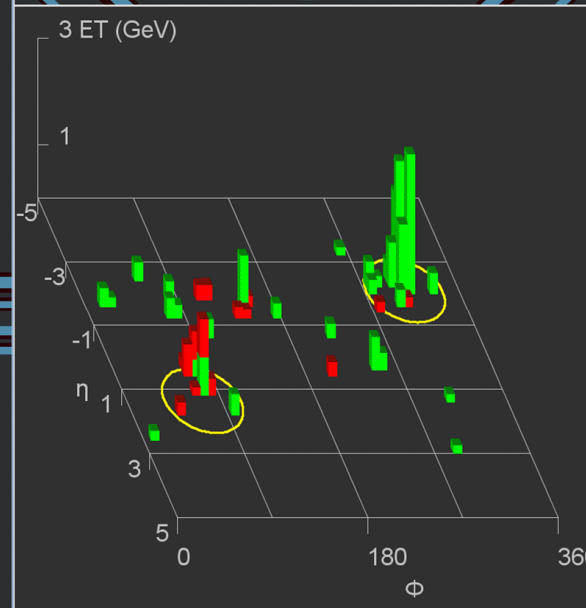
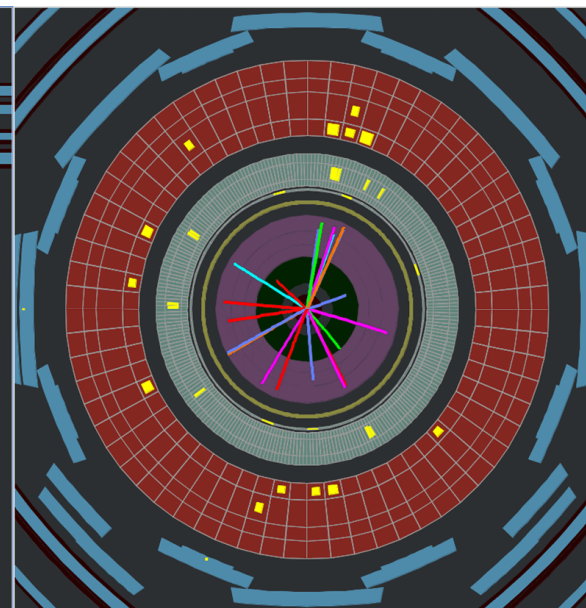
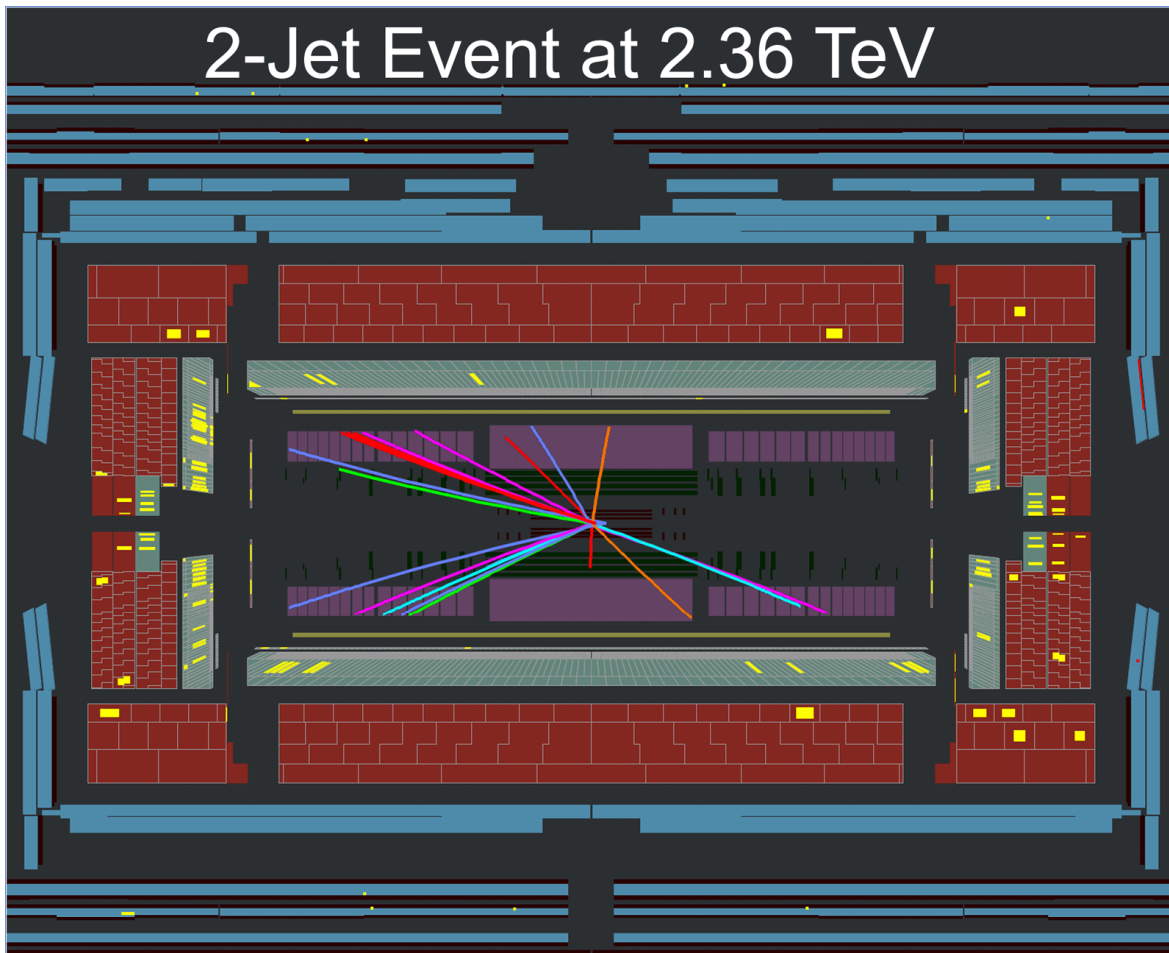


**ATLAS**  
EXPERIMENT

2009-12-08, 03:45 CET  
Run 141994, Event 566308

Uncalibrated  $E_T \sim 55$  GeV for both jets  
Both jets at  $\eta = -0.2$  ;  $\sim$  no missing  $E_T$

# 2-Jet Event at 2.36 TeV



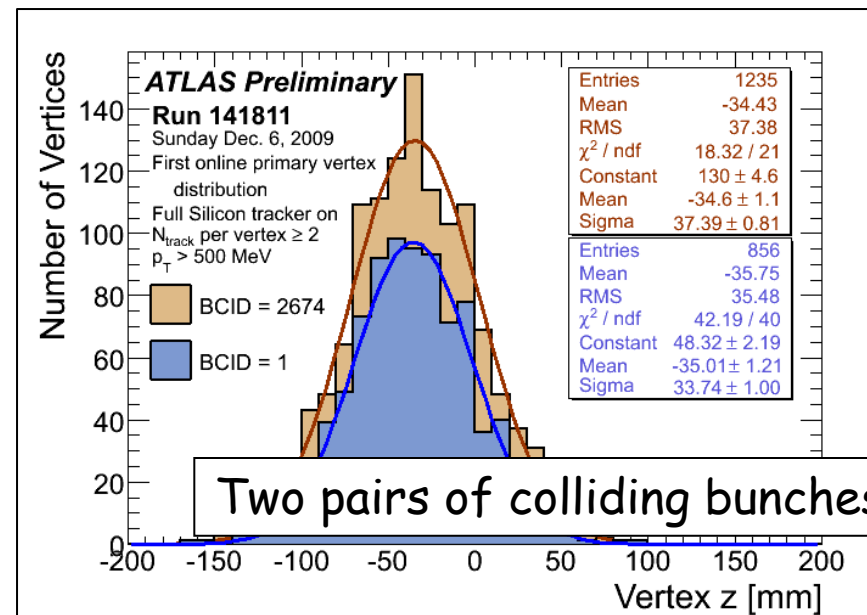
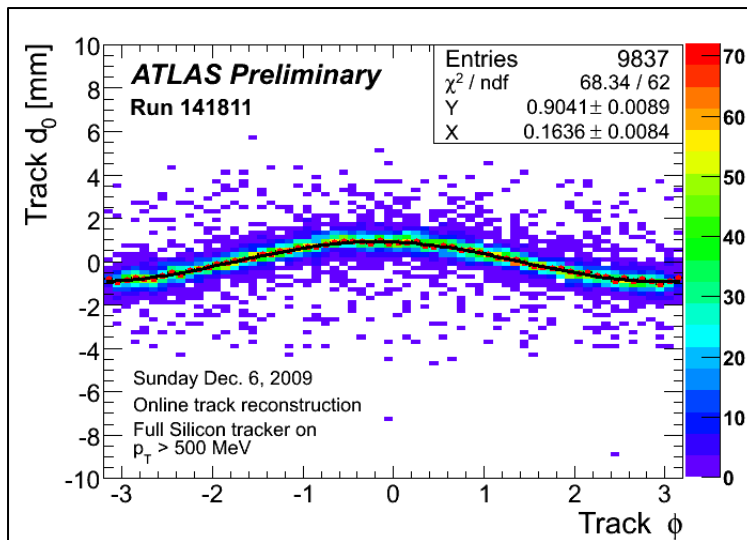
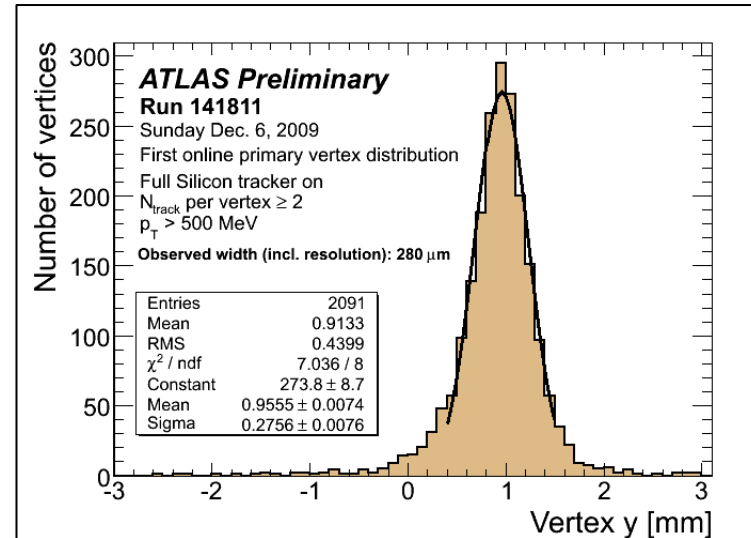
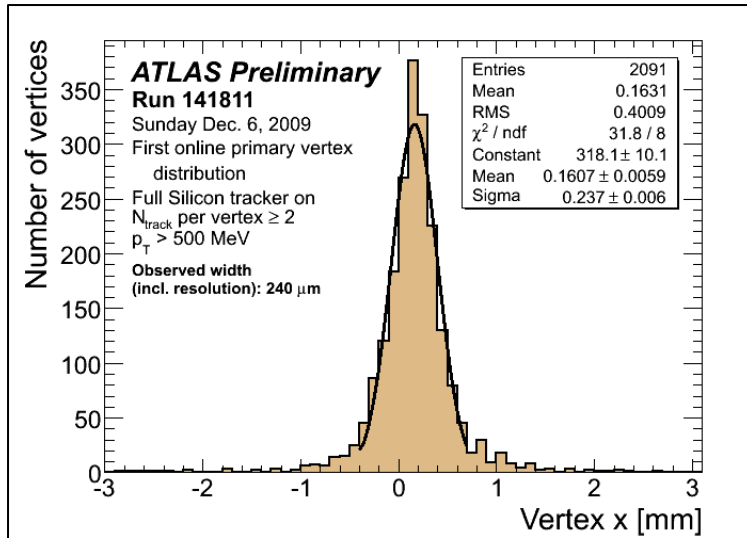
 **ATLAS**  
EXPERIMENT

2009-12-08, 21:40 CET  
Run 142065, Event 116969

Jet1: uncalibrated  $E_T \sim 22$  GeV,  $\eta = -2.1$   
Jet2: uncalibrated  $E_T \sim 11$  GeV,  $\eta = 1.4$

# Online determination of the primary vertex and beam spot using the Level-2 trigger algorithms

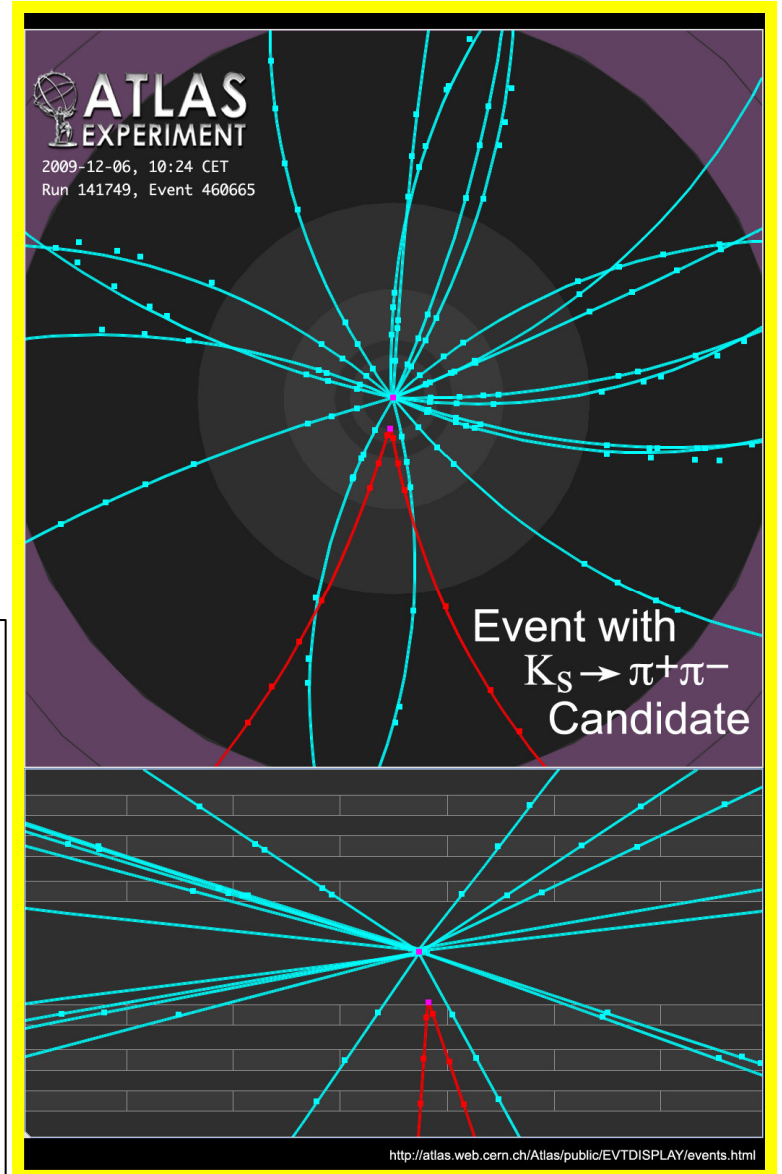
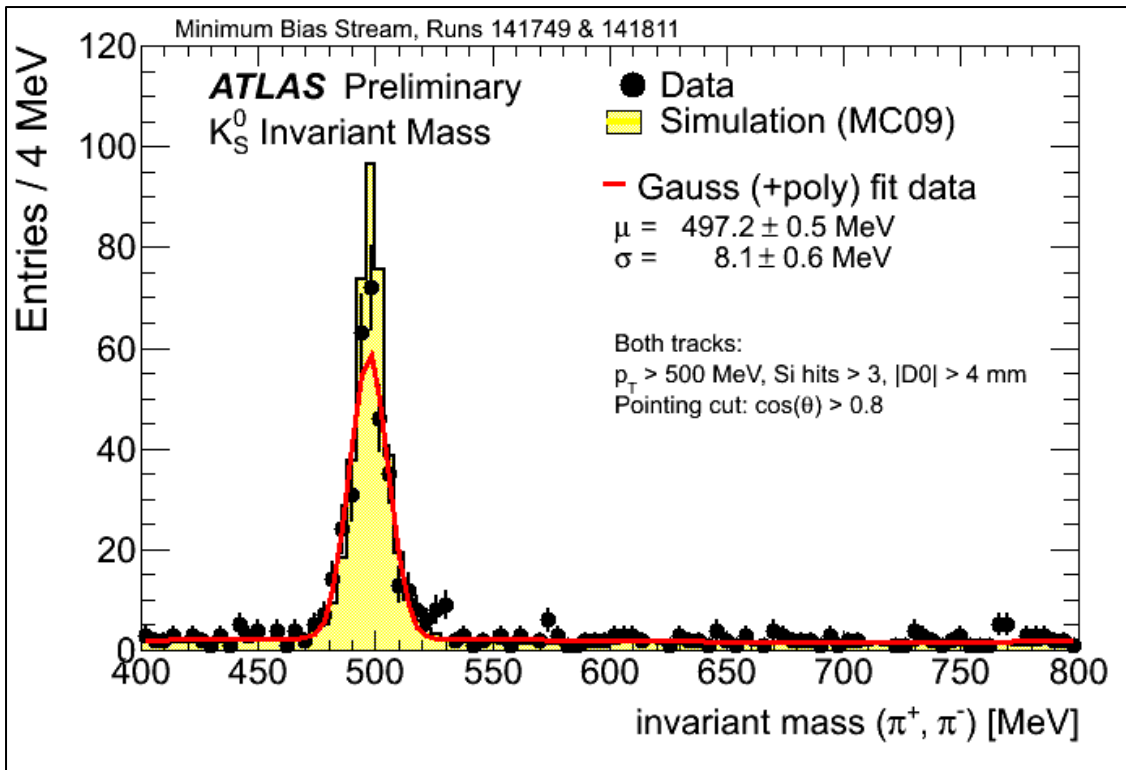
High-Level Trigger running with > 150 chains





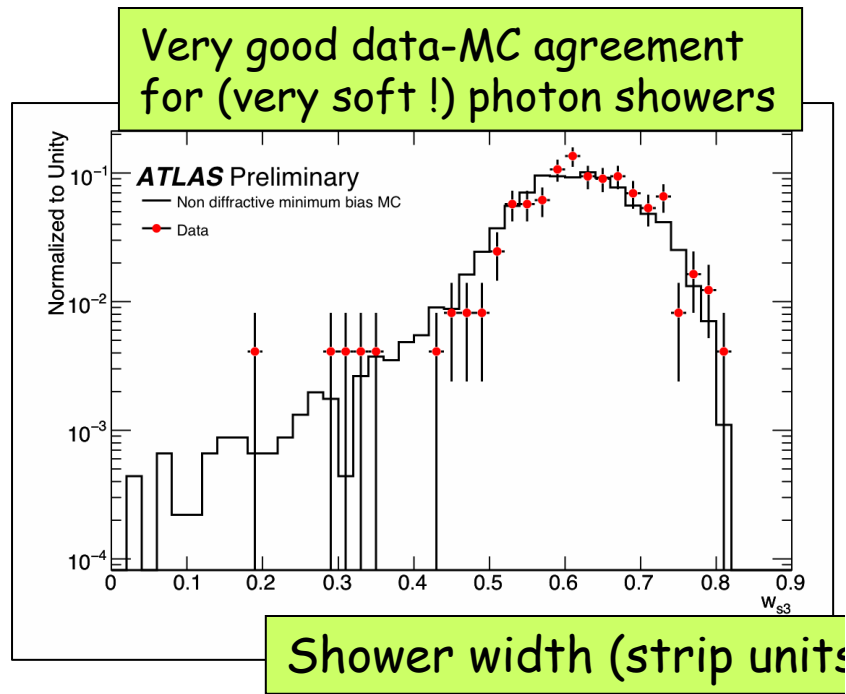
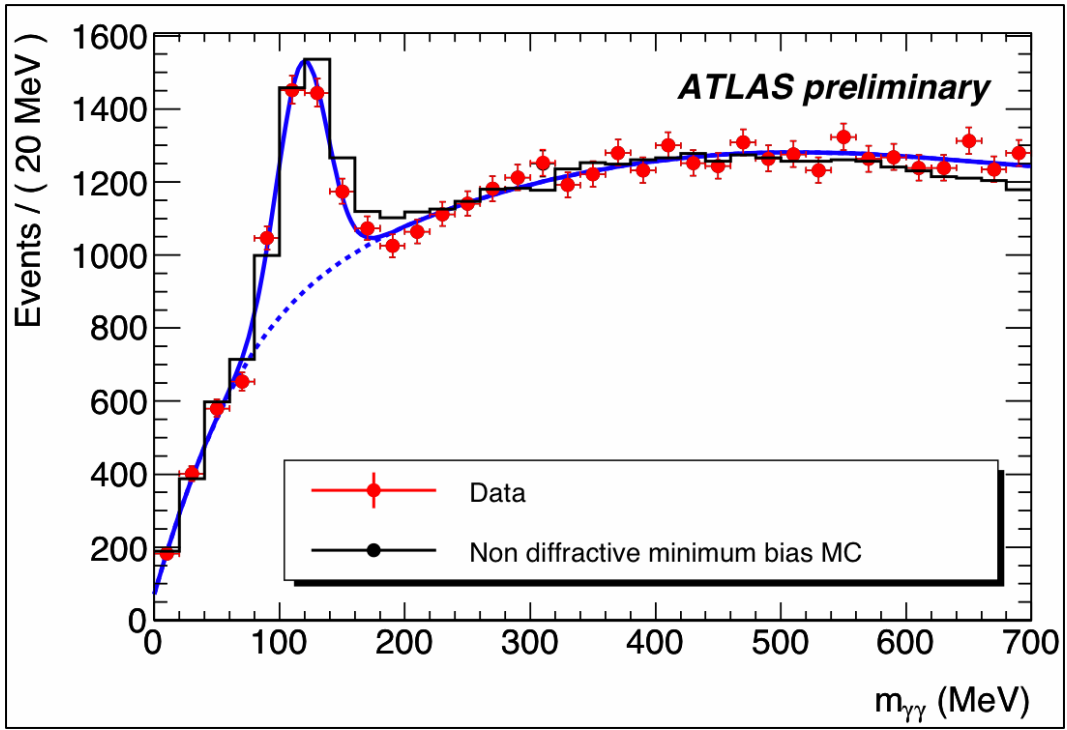
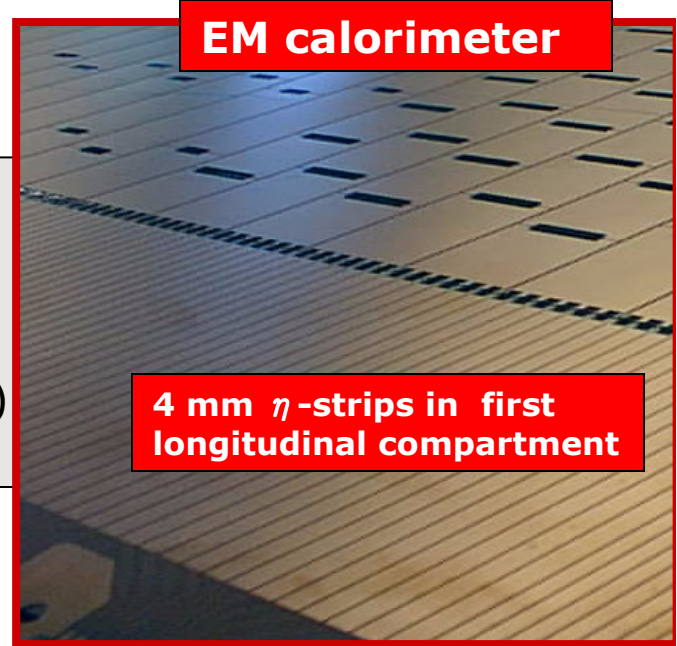
2 opposite-sign tracks:

- $p_T > 500$  MeV
  - originating from common vertex
  - impact parameter  $d_0 > 4$  mm
  - momentum sum along flight direction
- Data and MC normalized to the same area

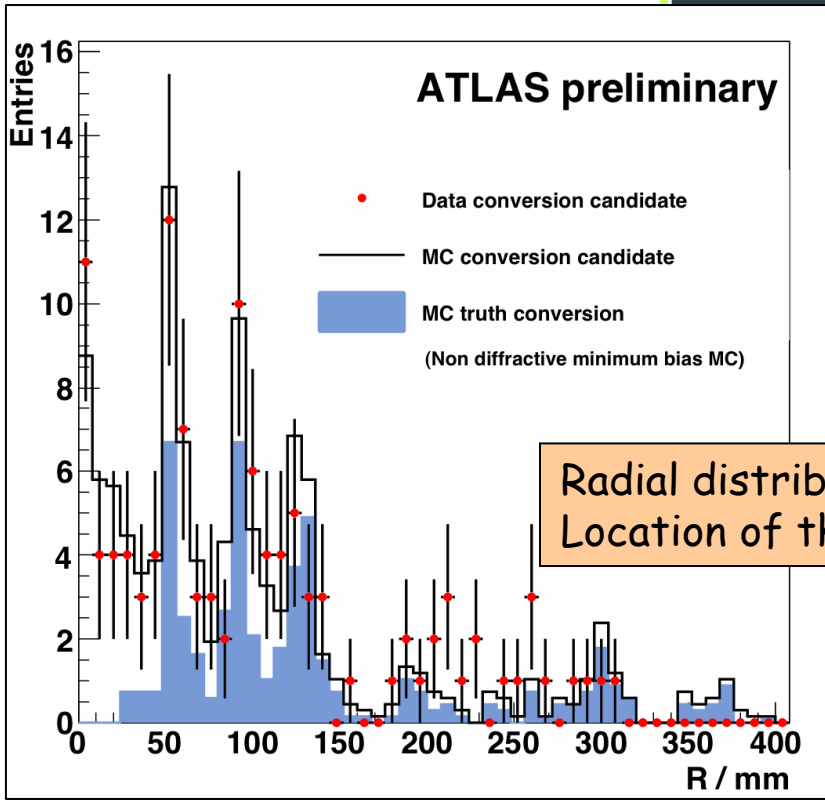
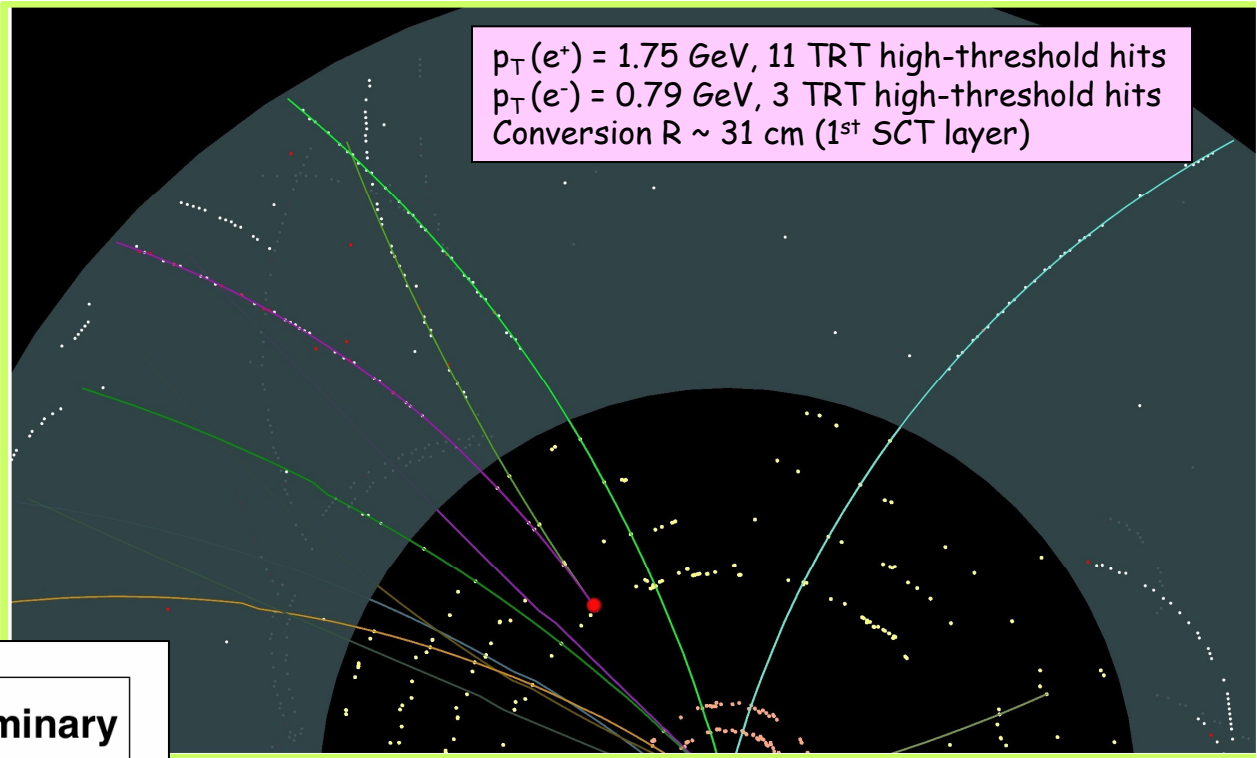


$$\pi^0 \rightarrow \gamma \gamma$$

- 2 photons with  $E_T(\gamma) > 300 \text{ MeV}$
  - $E_T(\gamma \gamma) > 900 \text{ MeV}$
  - shower shapes compatible with photons
- All combinations plotted.  
 No correction for upstream dead material ( $\sim 2.5 X_0$  at  $\eta=0$ )  
 Data and MC normalised to the same area



# $\gamma \rightarrow e^+e^-$ conversions

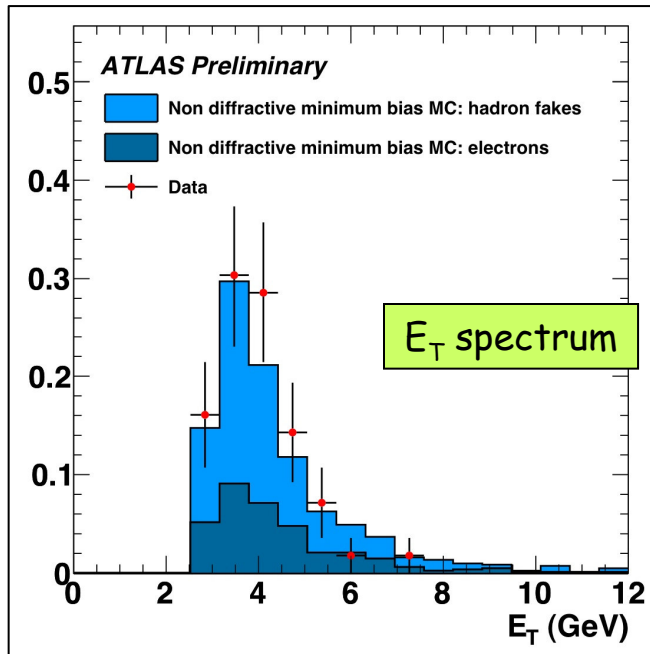


Radial distribution of conversions occurring in Si layers. Location of the pixels layers at  $R=50, 90, 120 \text{ mm}$  is clearly visible

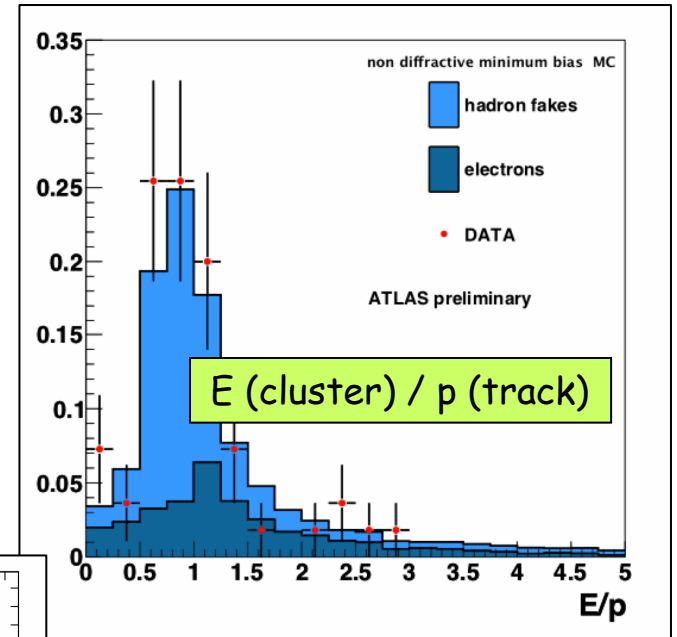


# Electron candidates

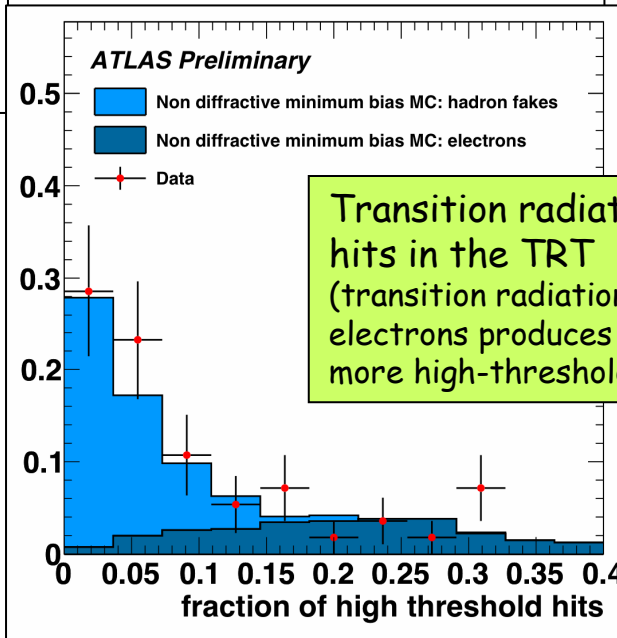
EM clusters  $E_T > 2.5$  GeV matched to a track  
 → 47 candidates in 20000 minimum-bias events  
 Data and MC normalised to the same area

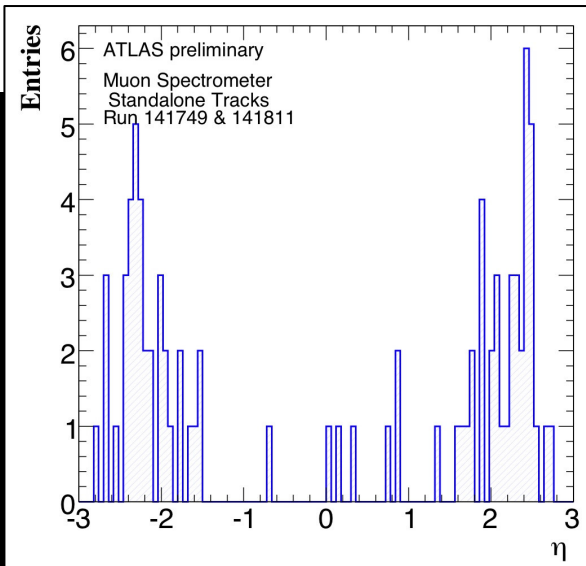


According to MC:  
 ■ Sample dominated by hadron fakes  
 ■ Most electrons from  $\gamma$ -conversions

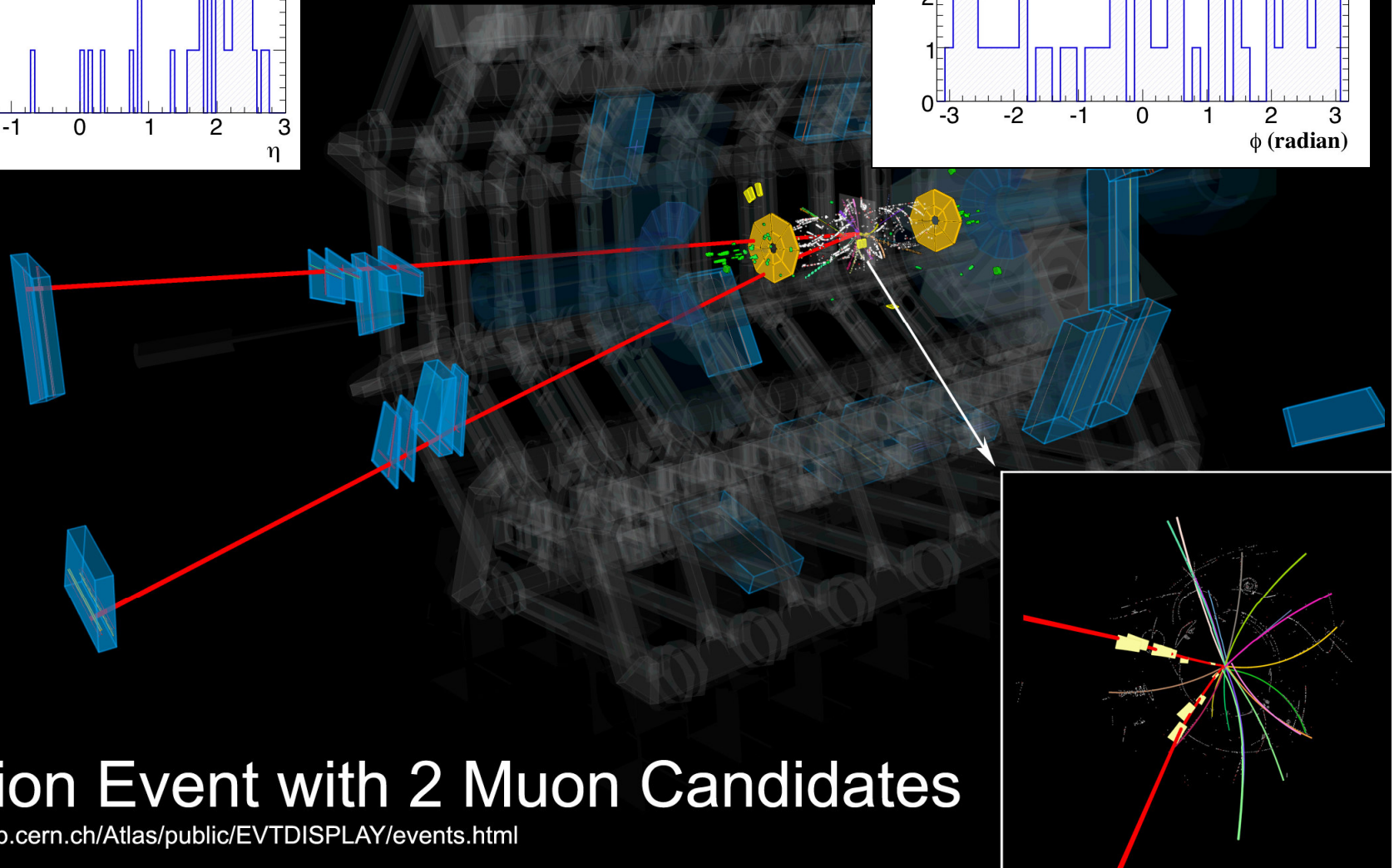
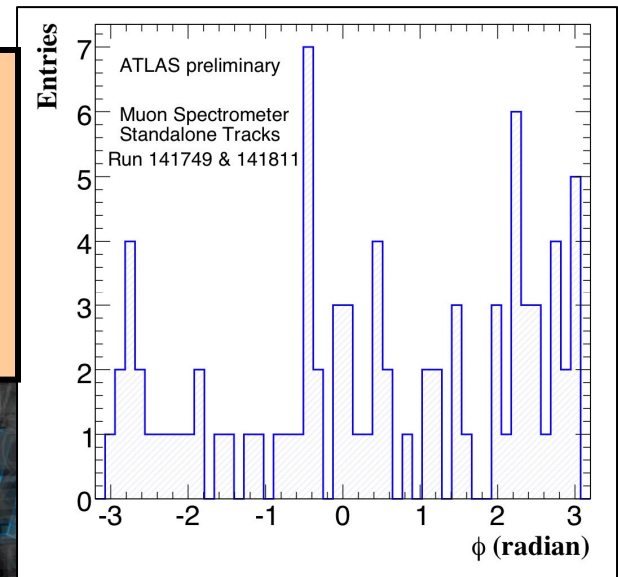


Very good data-MC agreement for (soft!) electrons and hadrons





$\eta$  and  $\phi$  distributions of (very low momentum  $p \sim 3$  GeV) muon candidates are compatible with particles produced in the collisions (mainly coming from  $K/\pi$  decays)

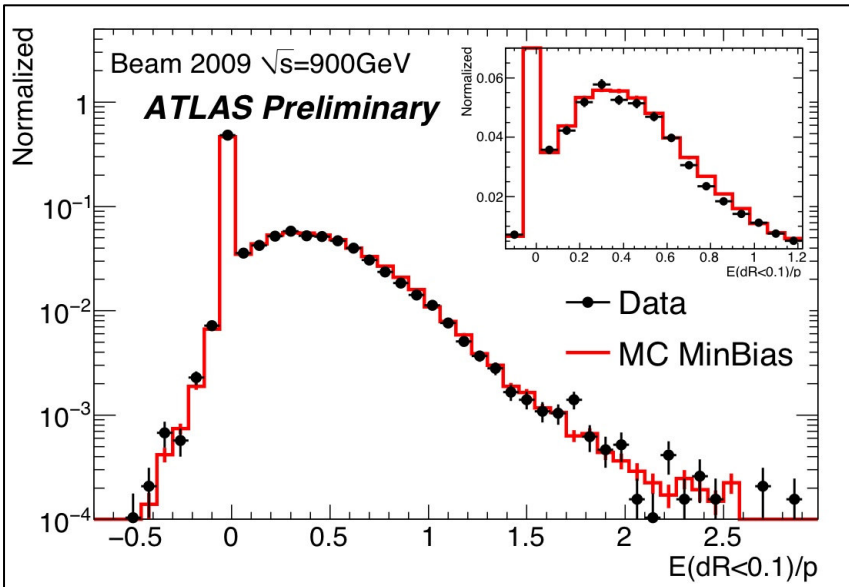
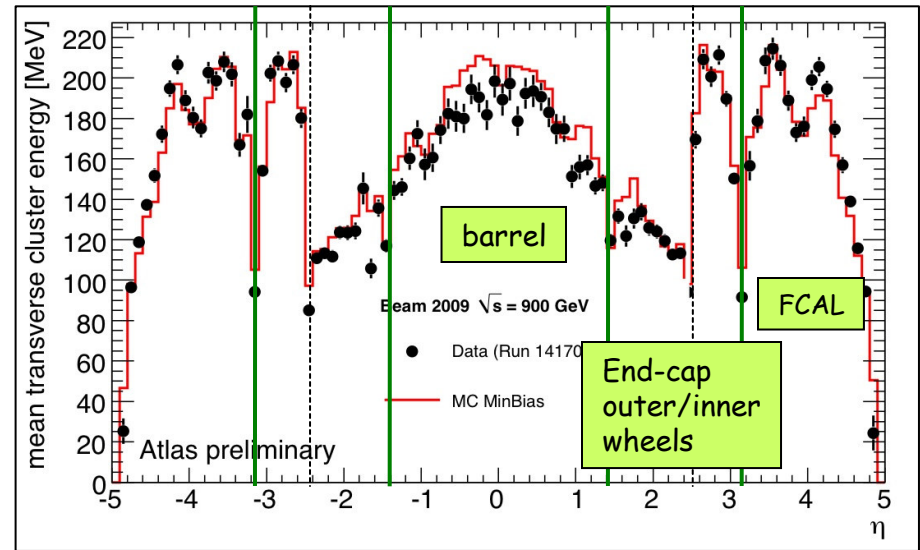
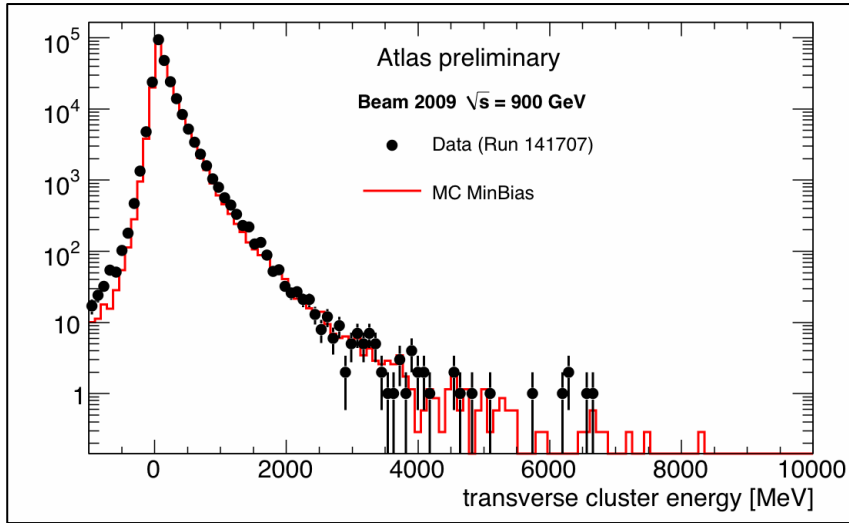


# Collision Event with 2 Muon Candidates

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# Energy flow in calorimeters ...

# Uncalibrated clusters (topological clusters with noise suppression)

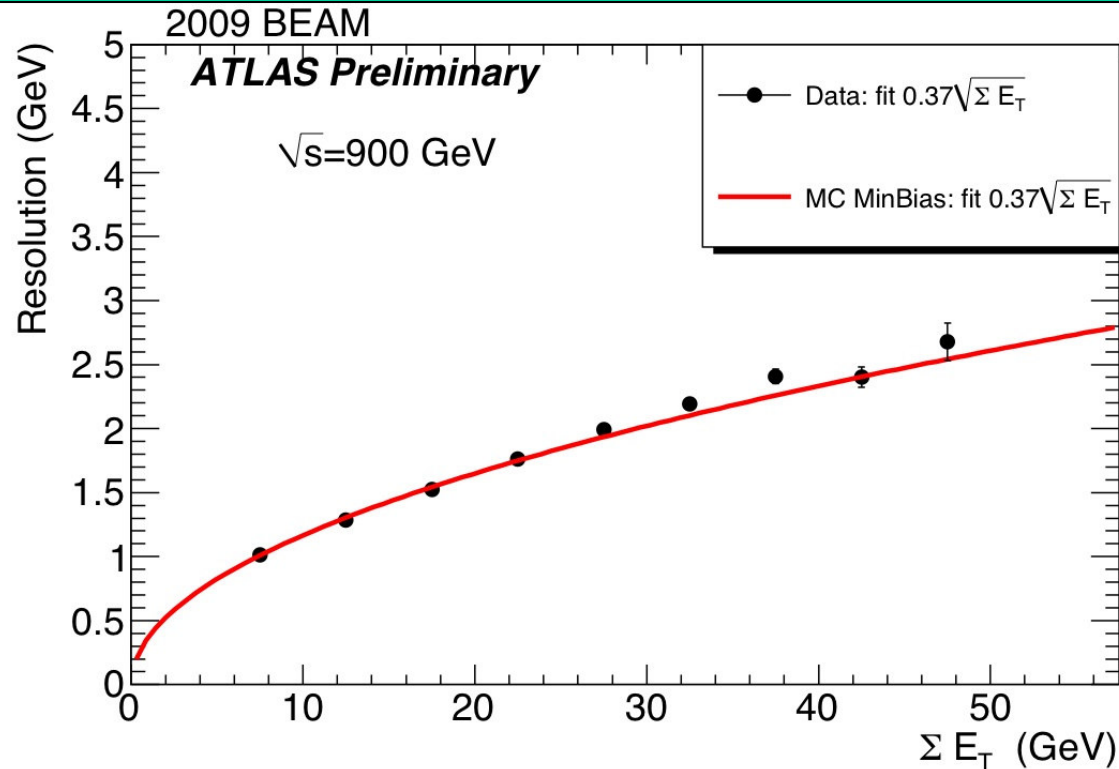


$$\frac{E(\text{calorimeter})}{p(\text{tracker})}$$

for isolated tracks with  $|\eta| < 0.8$   
and  $0.5 < p_T < 10$  GeV (average  $\sim 0.8$  GeV)  
Cluster energy at EM scale

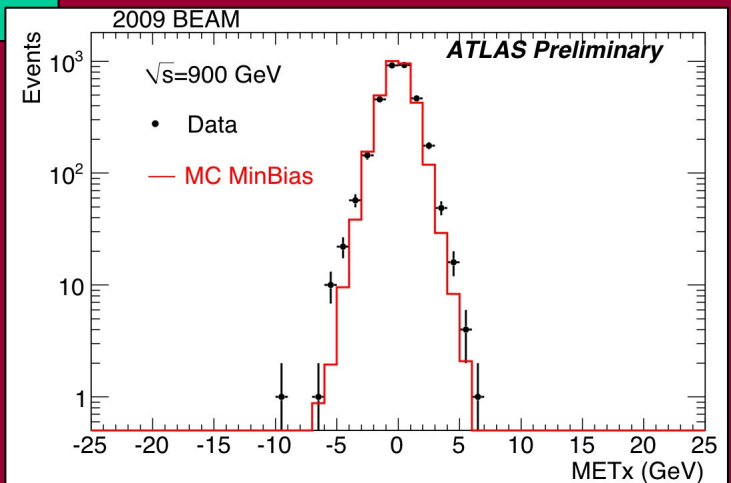
Excellent agreement data-MC at such low energies indicates very good description of material in simulation and G4 shower modeling

## ... and missing transverse energy resolution



Energy resolution of the two components ( $MET_x$ ,  $MET_y$ ) of the missing  $E_T$  vector vs the total transverse energy in the calorimeters

- Measurement over full calorimeter coverage,  $|\eta| < 5$ ,  $\sim 200000$  cells
- Calculated using clusters at EM-scale
- Noise contribution (from random triggers): 0.5 GeV

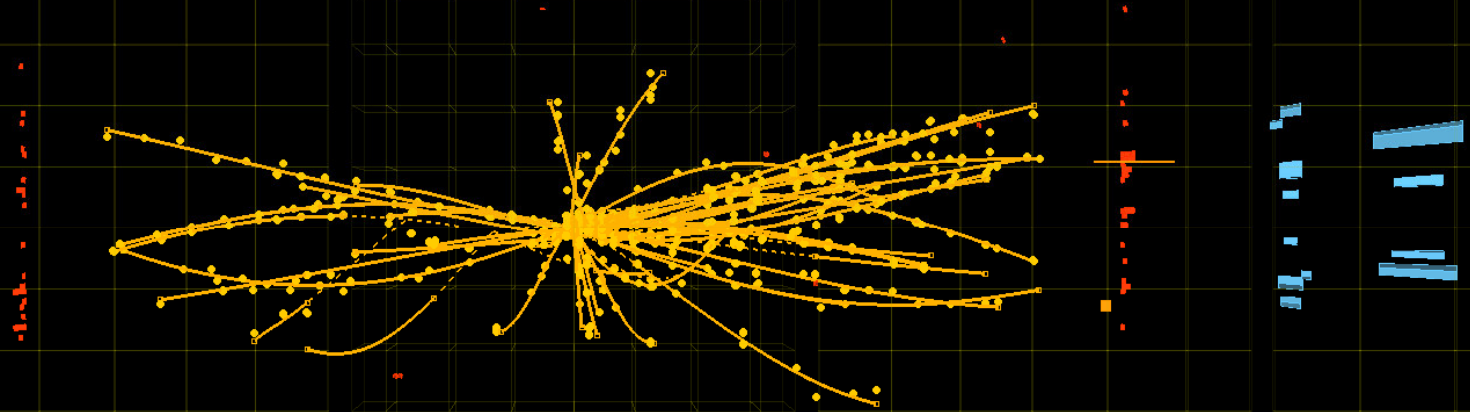




## CMS Experiment at the LHC, CERN

Data recorded: 2009-Dec-06 04:14:38.495160 GMT  
Run: 123592  
Event: 2003169  
Lumi section: 13  
Orbit: 12844863  
Crossing: 51

CMS Experiment at the LHC, CERN  
Date Recorded: 2009-11-23 19:21 CET  
Run/Event: 122314/1514552  
Candidate Collision Event

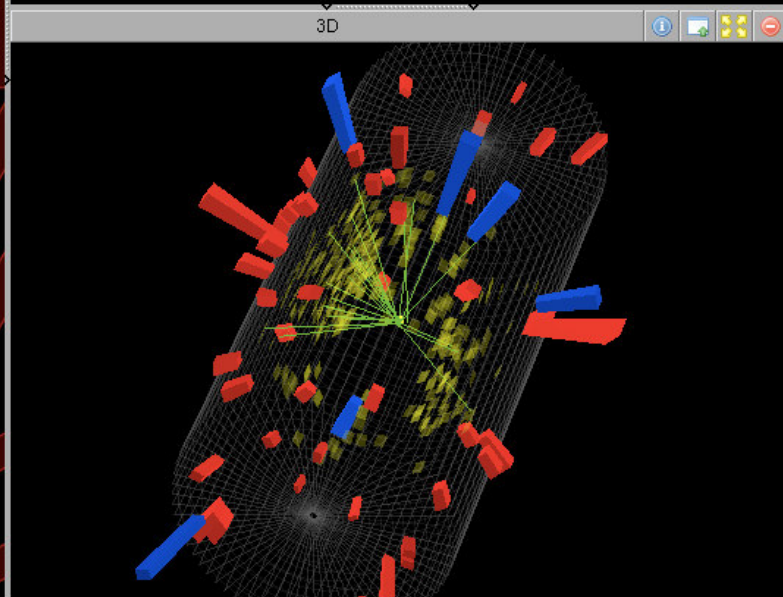
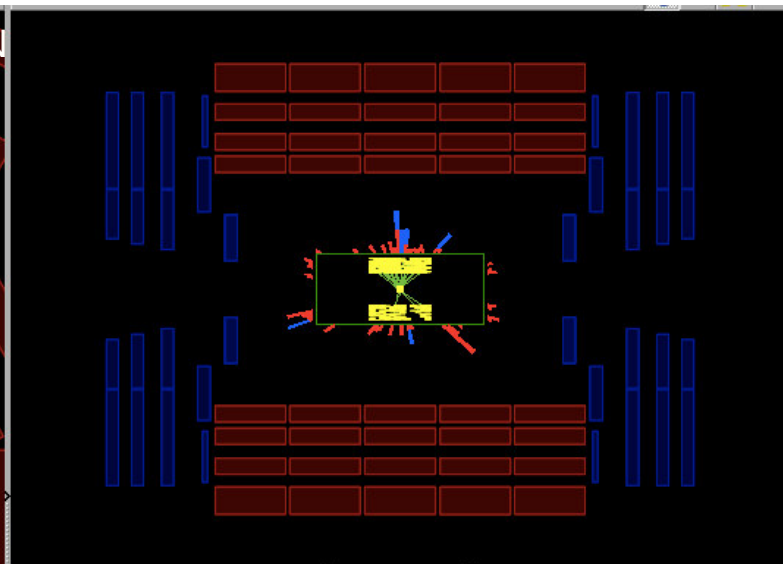
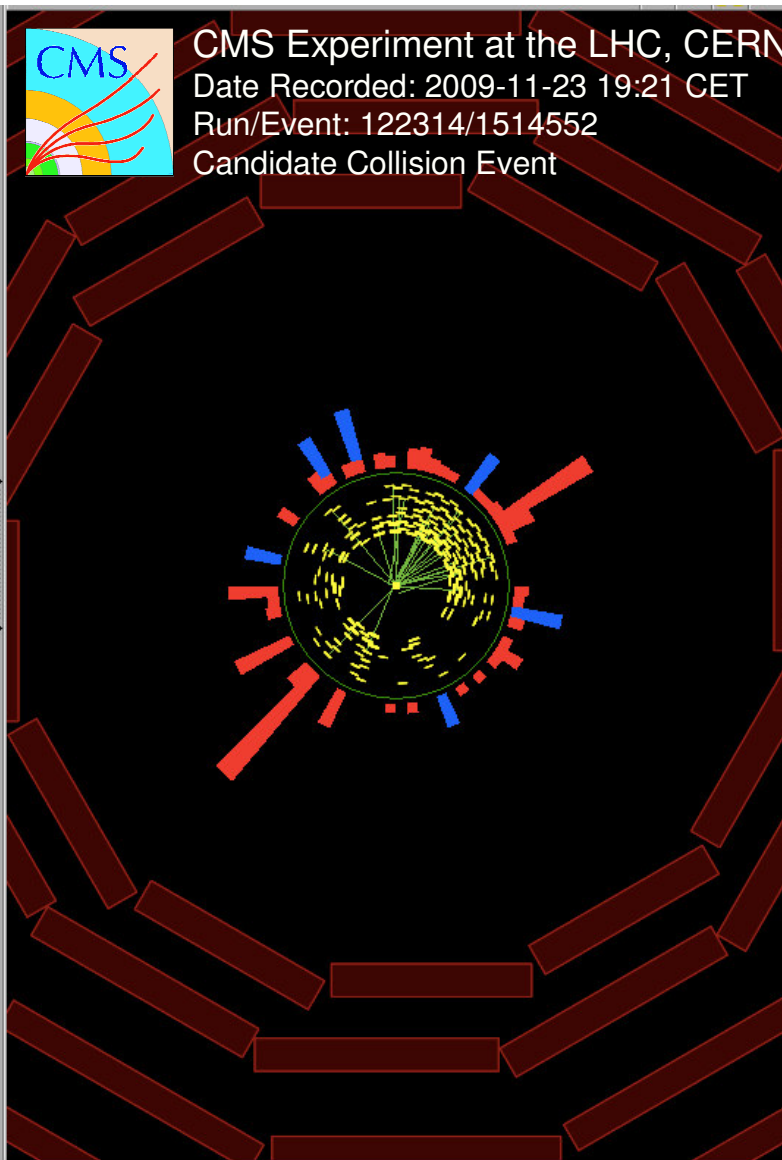




# Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> November



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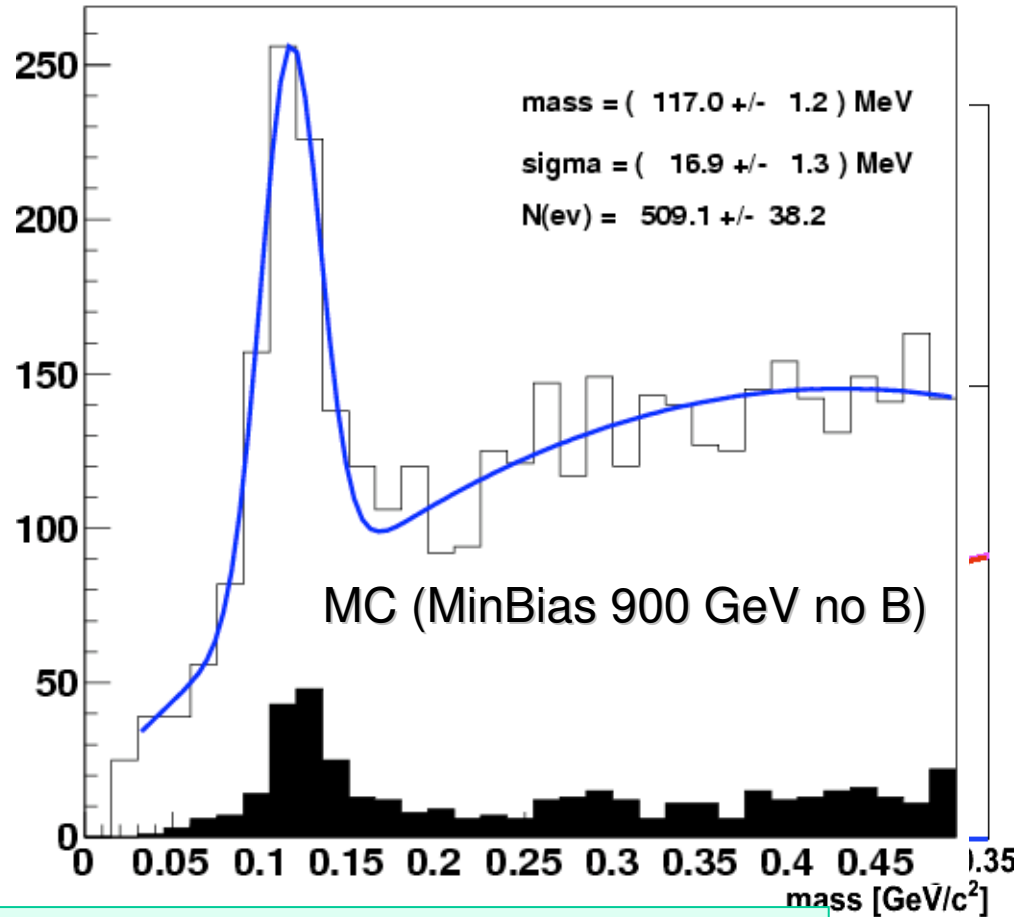
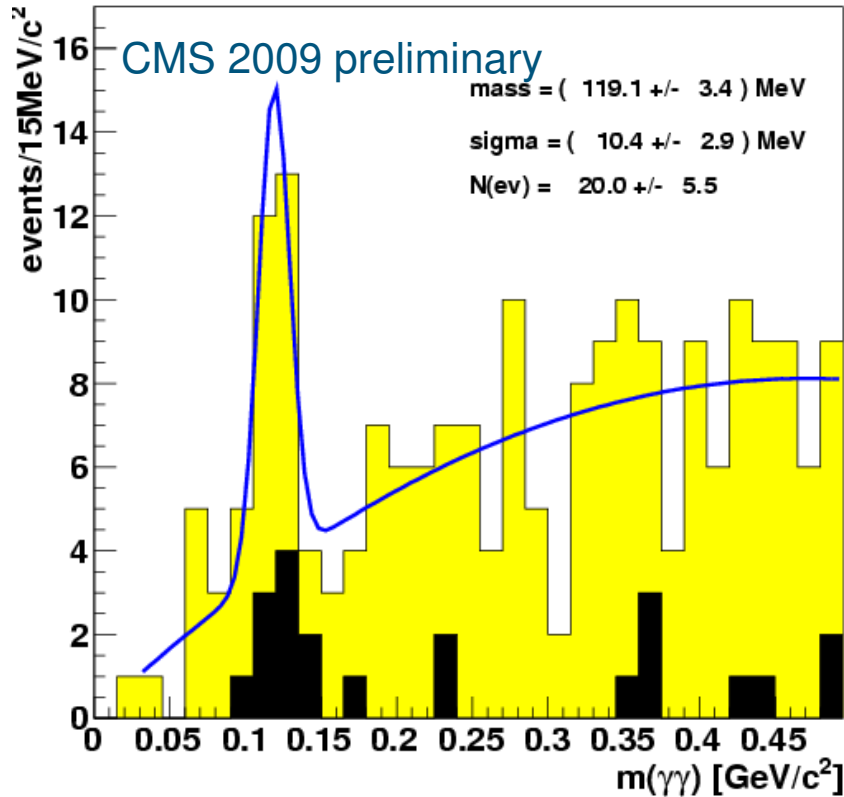




# First Di-photon Distribution in CMS

Shown on Thursday 27th

CMS 2009 Preliminary  
Uncorrected Distributions



- $M(\pi^0)$  is low in both data and MC
- Mostly due to the readout threshold (100 MeV/Crystal).
- Conversions: part of the energy is deposited upstream of ECAL.
- Event timing is consistent



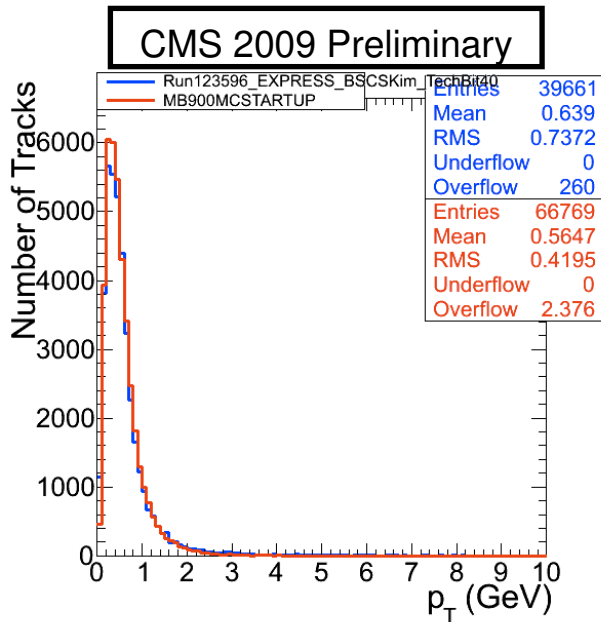
# Machinery in Place for Rapid Analysis

**Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> Early Morning First: "Physics" Fill**  
4x4 bunches,  $\Sigma \sim e10$  protons Stable Beam Flag set for the first time

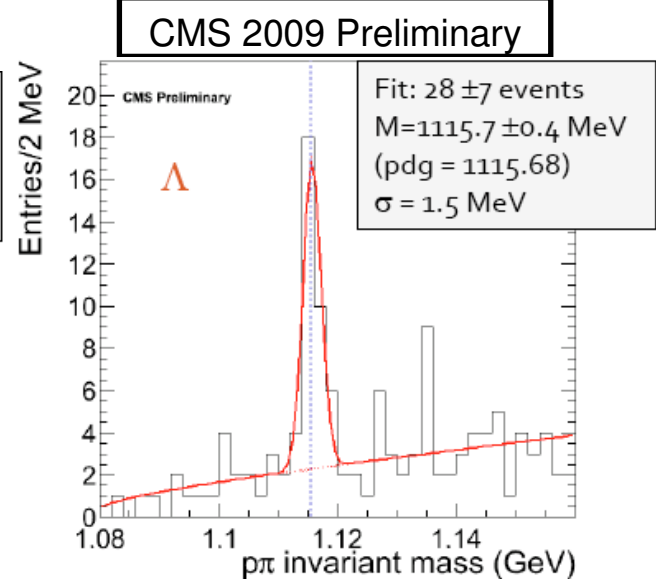
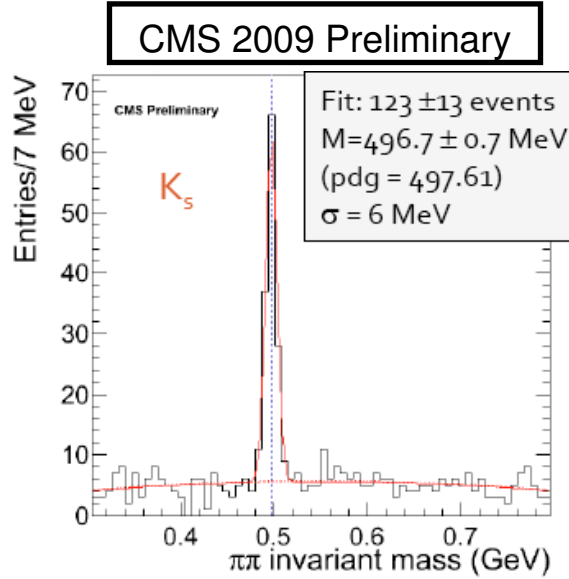
All CMS ON

**Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> : 9am**

**Monday 7<sup>th</sup> : 9am**



**Charged particle  $p_T$  spectrum**  
produced a few hours after the first fill and compared with MC.

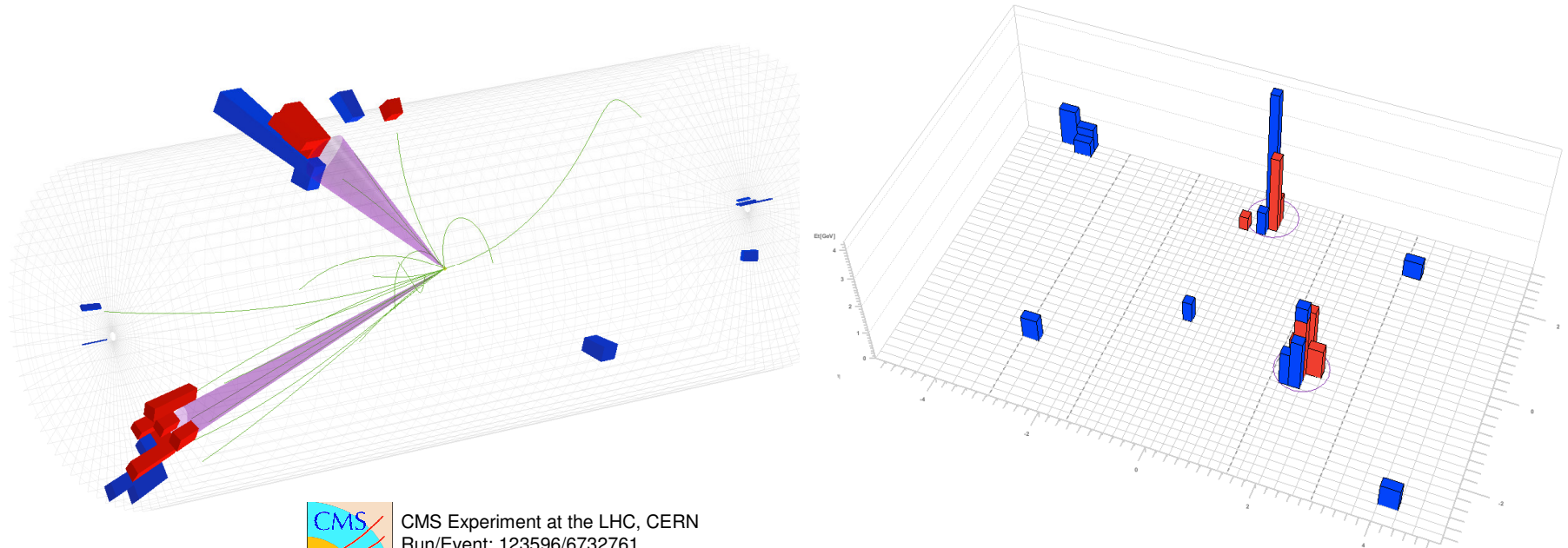


**$K^0$  and  $\Lambda$**  ( $\eta$  and  $\phi$  have also been observed)  
Secondary vertex and track reconstruction in good shape,  
 $p/K$  hypotheses checked with Si  $dE/dx$ ,  
magnetic field map is good





# Jets



CMS Experiment at the LHC, CERN  
Run/Event: 123596/6732761  
Candidate Di-Jet Event

Anti- $K_T$  algorithm with cone size  $R=0.7$

	Jet 1	Jet 2
Corrected $p_T$ (GeV)	24	26
$\eta$	0.3	2.0
$\phi$	2.5	-0.7
EM Energy Fraction	0.5	0.6

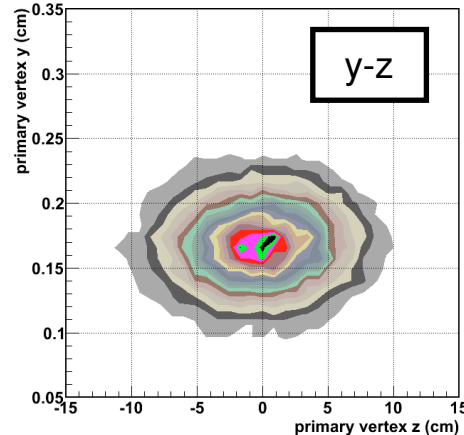
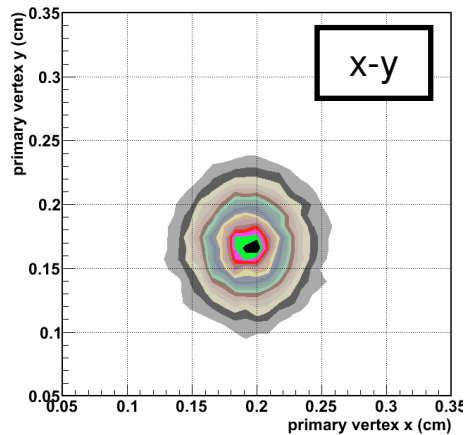
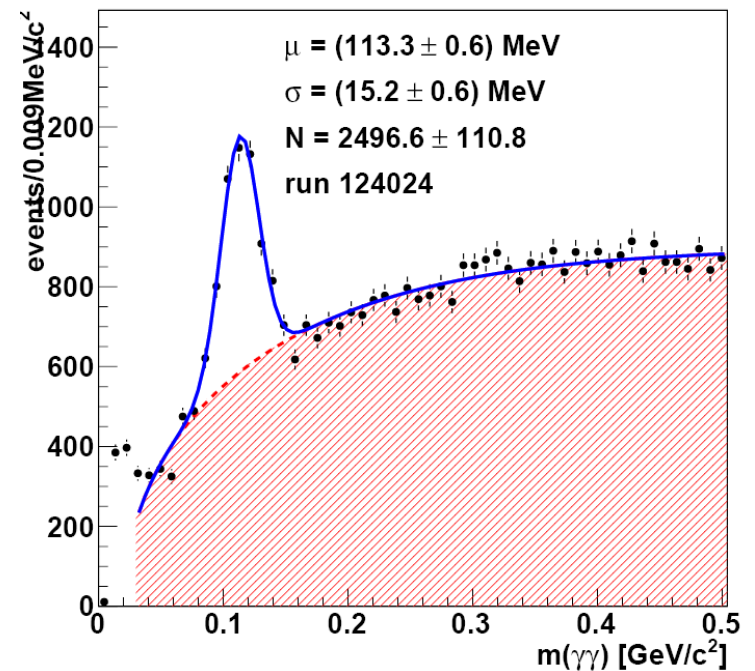
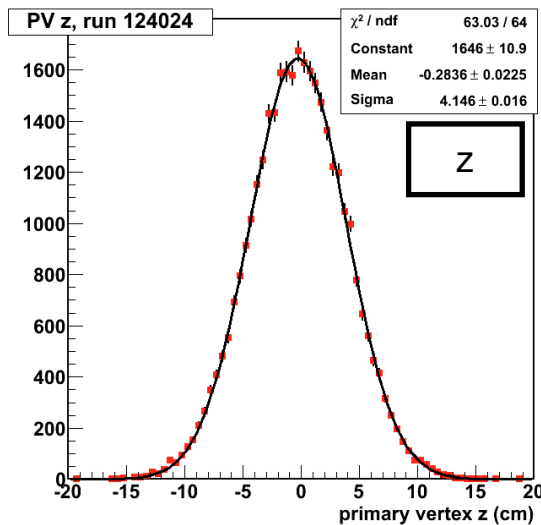


# Calibration and Monitoring: Examples

**Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> : “Physics” Fills (250k minbias events)**

**Reconstructed Primary Vertex Distributions**  
Beam scan yielded a factor 3 increase in rate at CMS!

CMS 2009 Preliminary



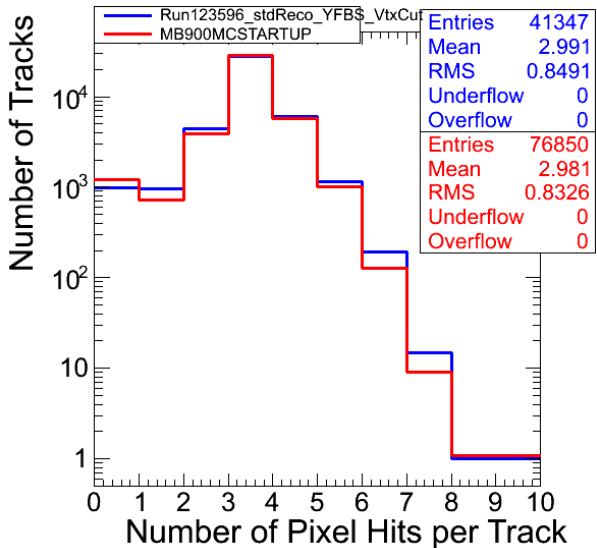
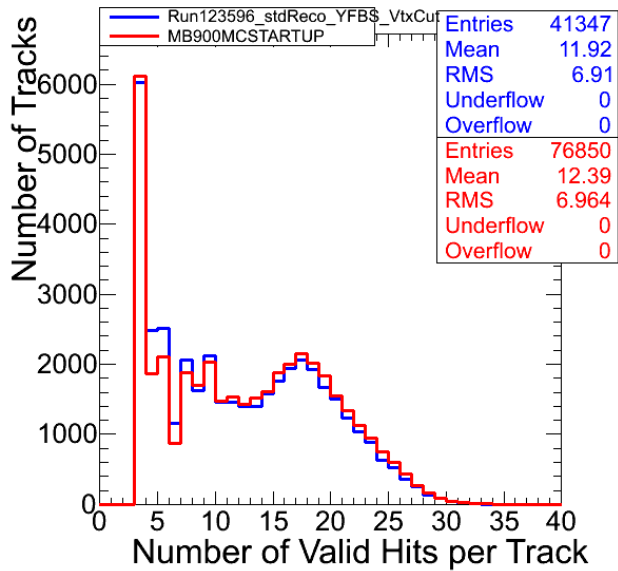
**Run 124024**  
Taken on Sat 12<sup>th</sup> 14:57-17:06  
Workflow for ECAL calibration  
Plot produced after a few hours



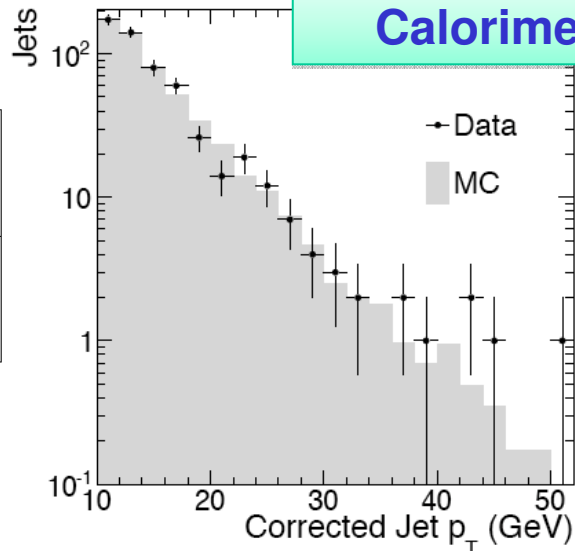
# Performance of CMS

## Good agreement with MC Expectation

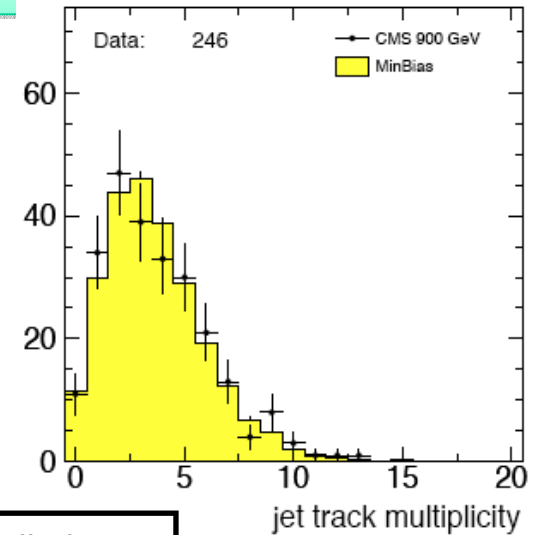
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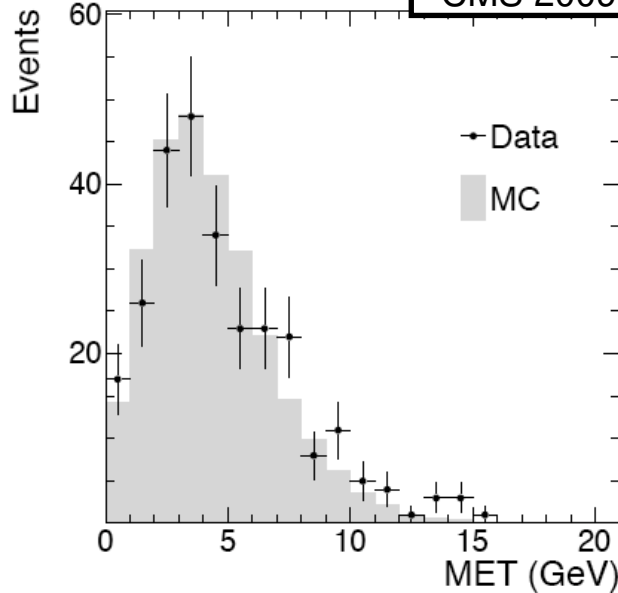
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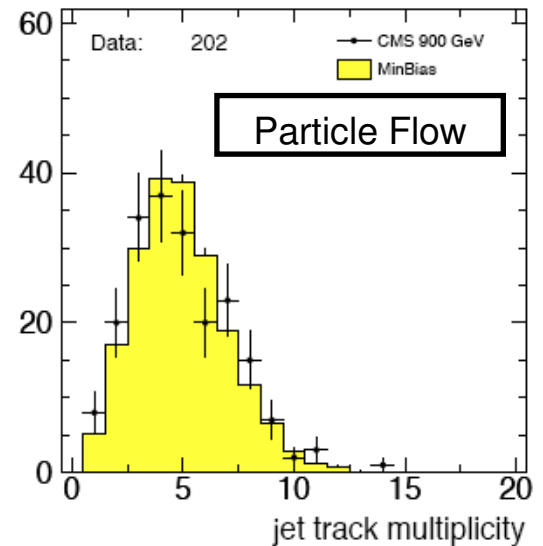
### CaloJets



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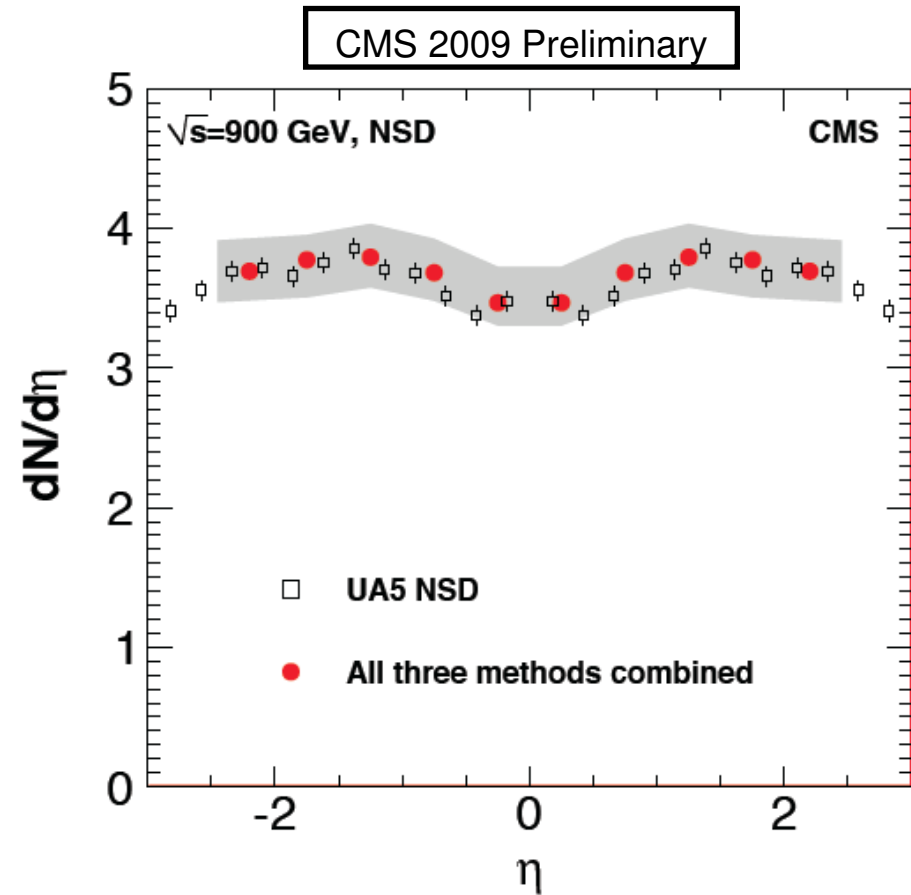
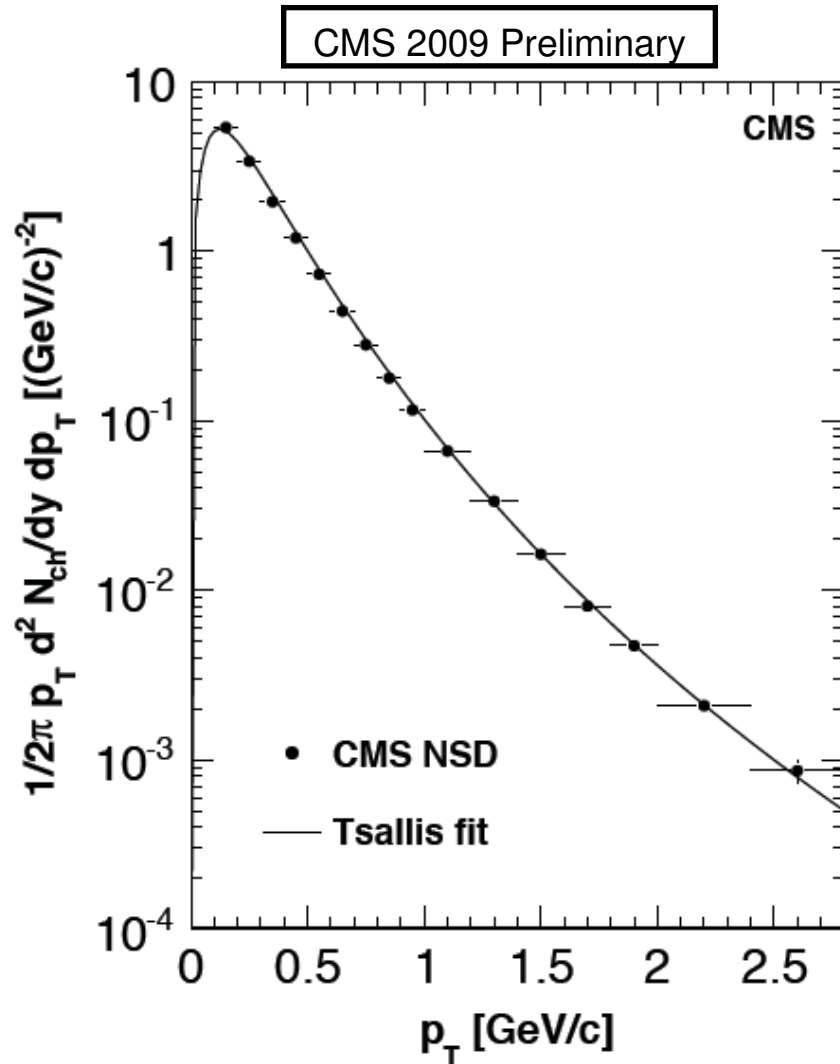


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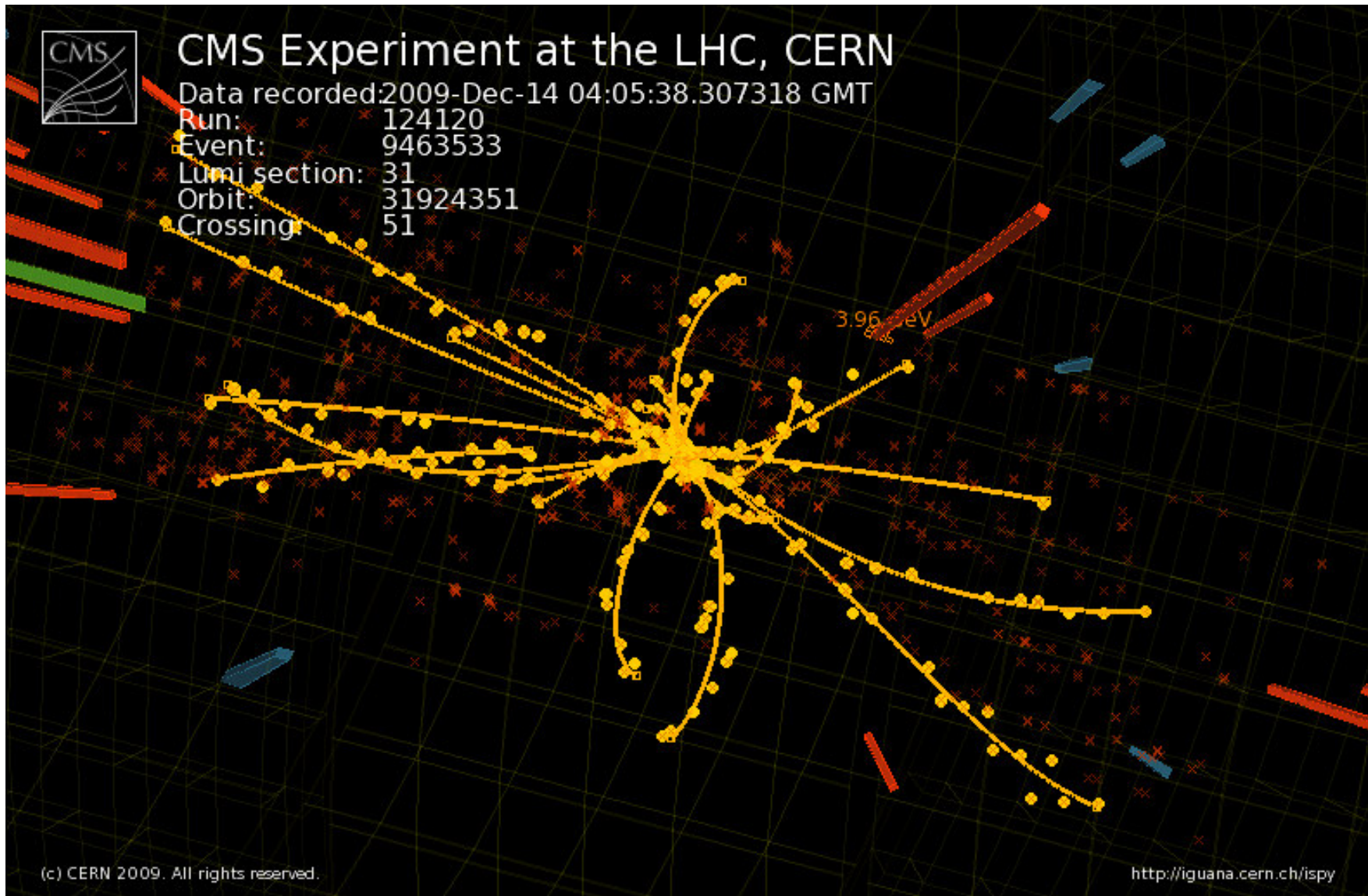


# First Physics Distributions





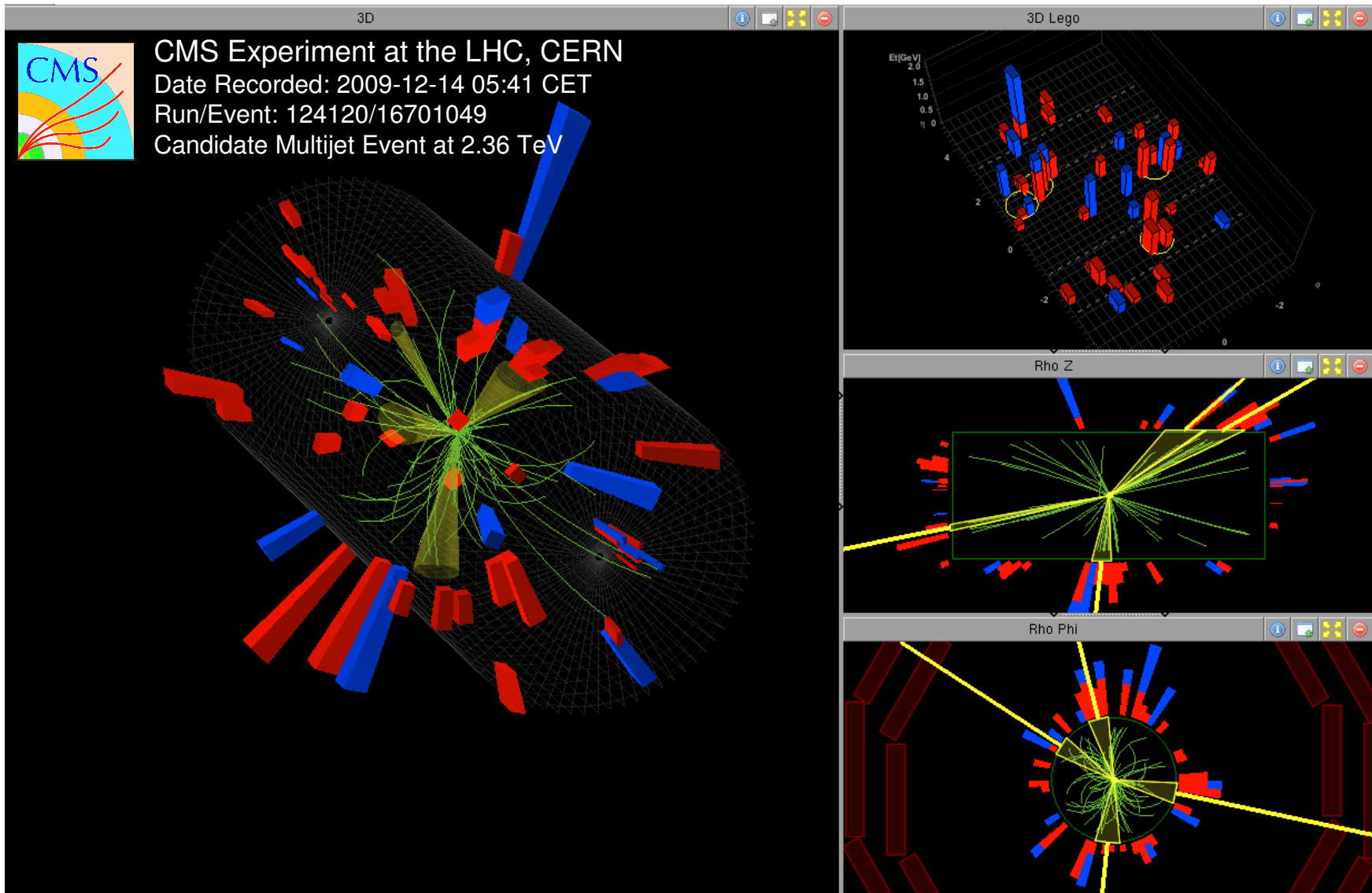
# Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> December @ 2.36 TeV



Ran from 4:17 to 5:49: Around 15k events taken



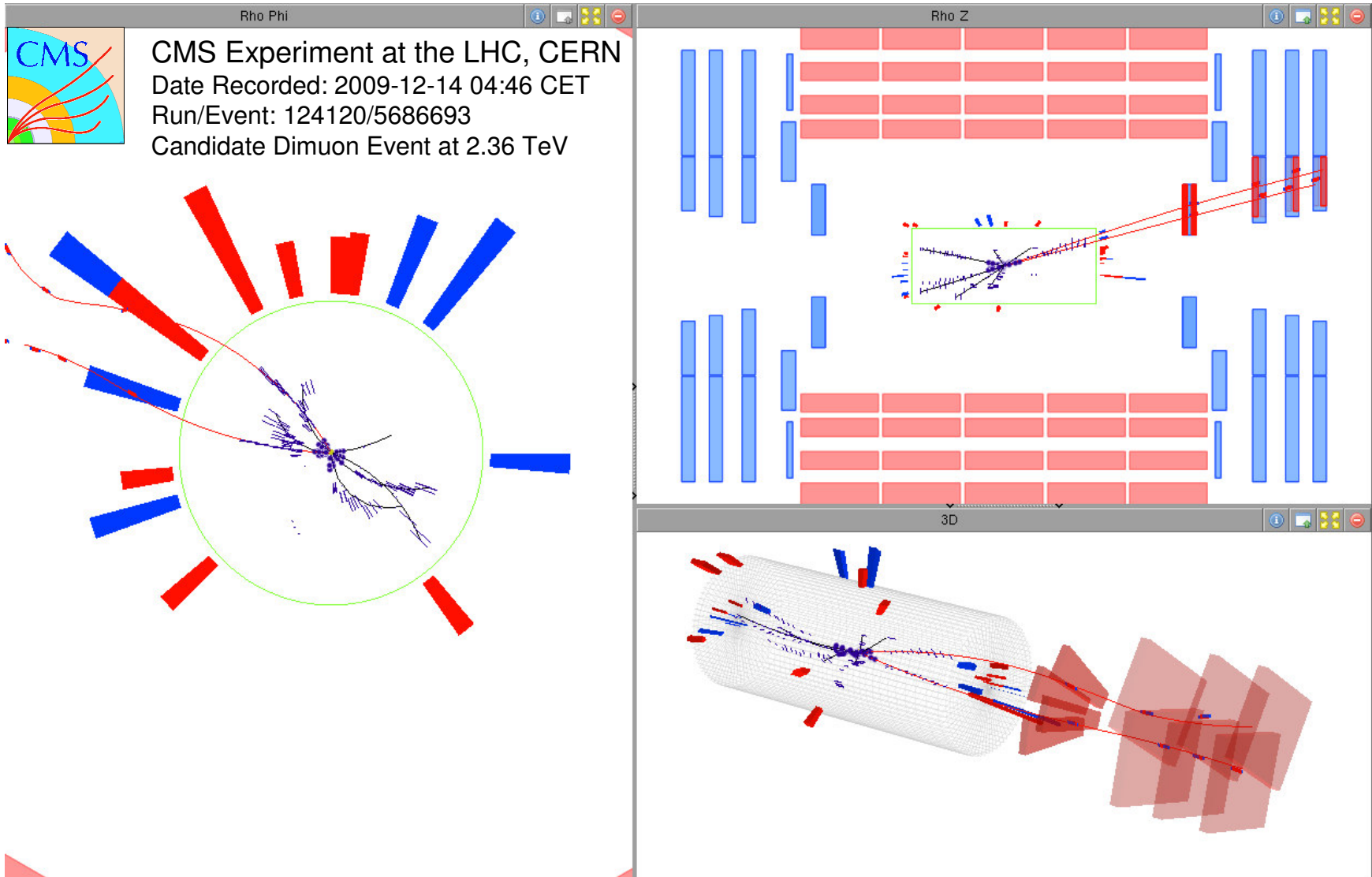
# MultiJet Event at 2.36 TeV



4 PFlow Jets  $E_T > 7$  GeV,  $p_T$  cut on tracks displayed  $> 0.4$  GeV

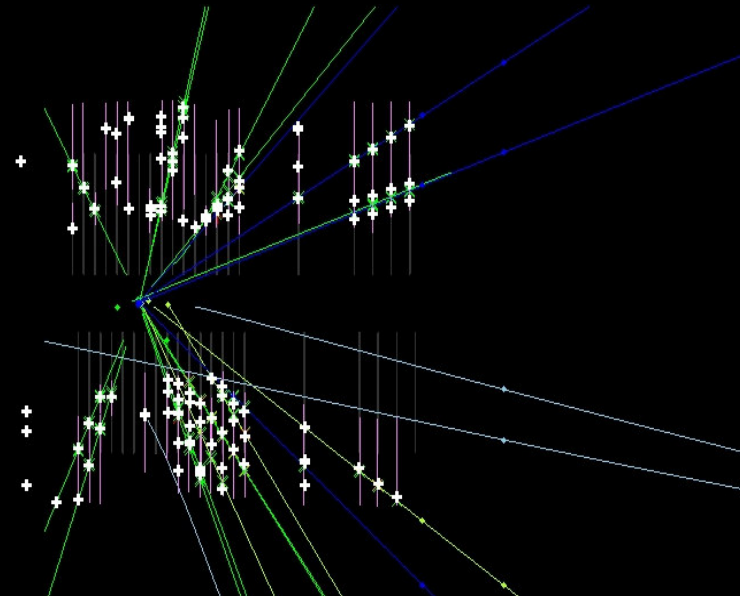
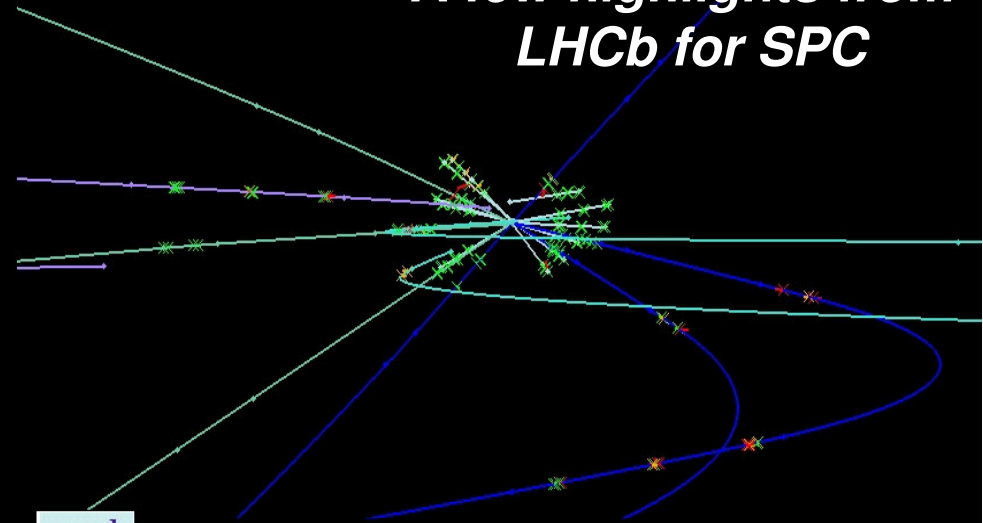
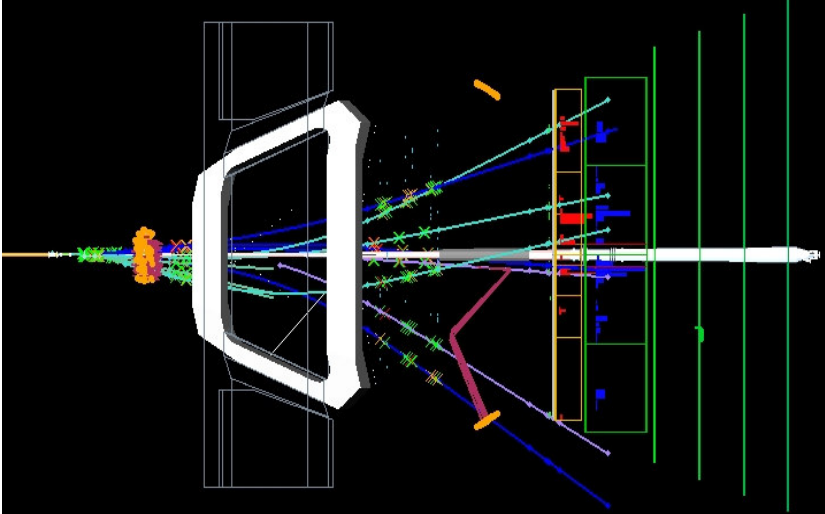


# Dimuon Event at 2.36 TeV



$$p_T(\mu_1) = 3.6 \text{ GeV}, \quad p_T(\mu_2) = 2.6 \text{ GeV}, \quad m(\mu\mu) = 3.04 \text{ GeV}$$

*A few highlights from  
LHCb for SPC*



11.12.2009 5:50:50  
Run 63691 Event 472 bId 2209



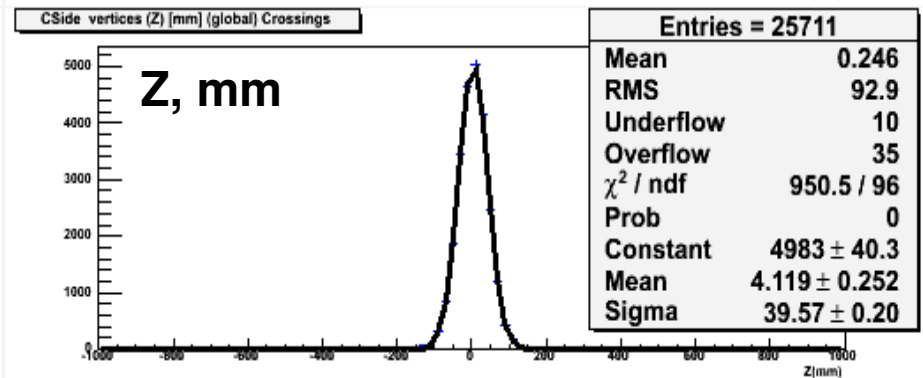
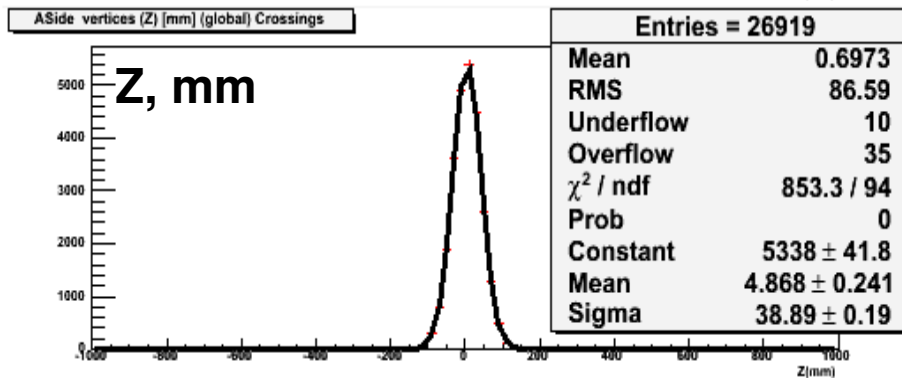
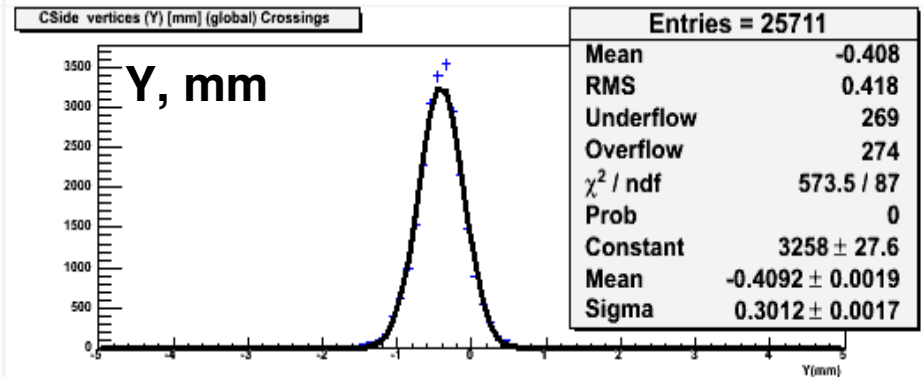
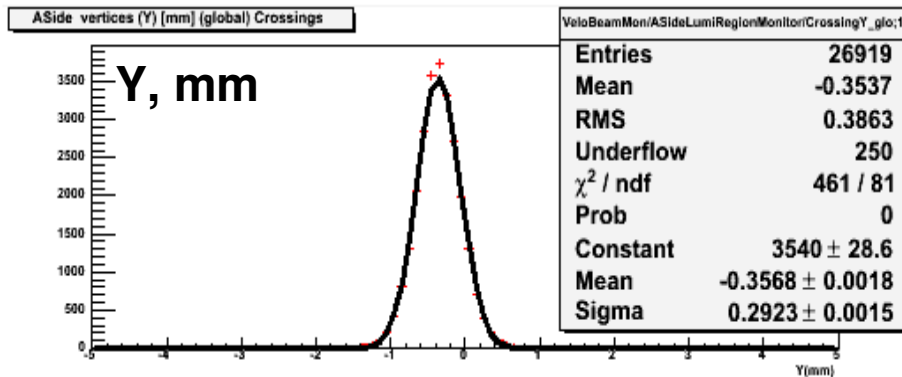
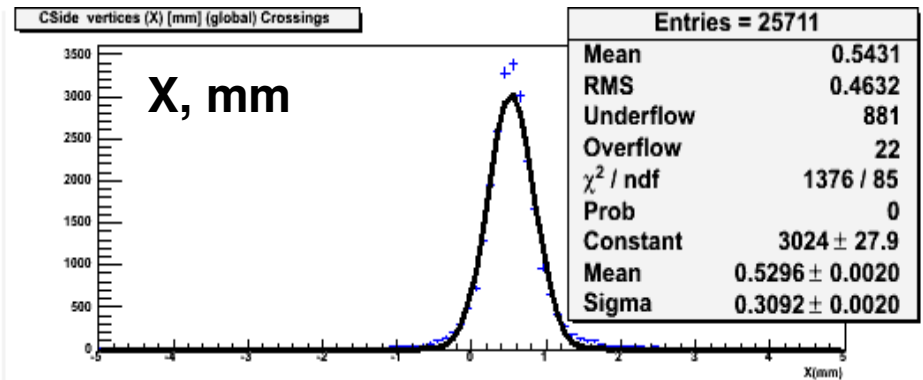
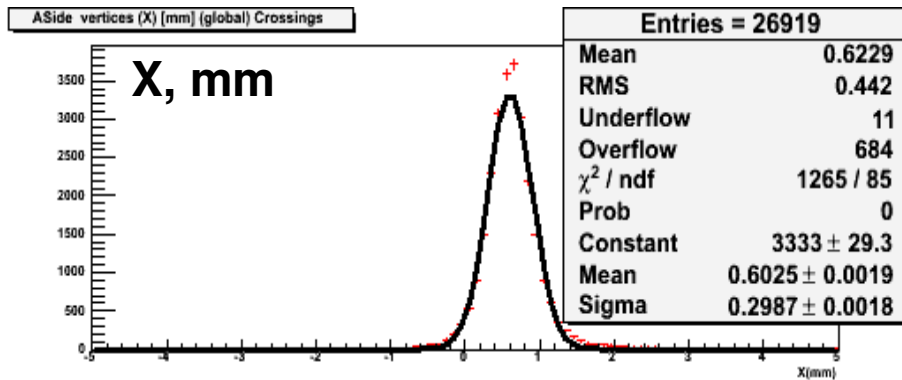


# pp interaction vertex as seen by VELO

(VELO is halfway to nominal operation position:  
each side is 15 mm away from the nominal position)

## A-side

## C-side



# VELO + Outer Tracker + Silicon Tracker

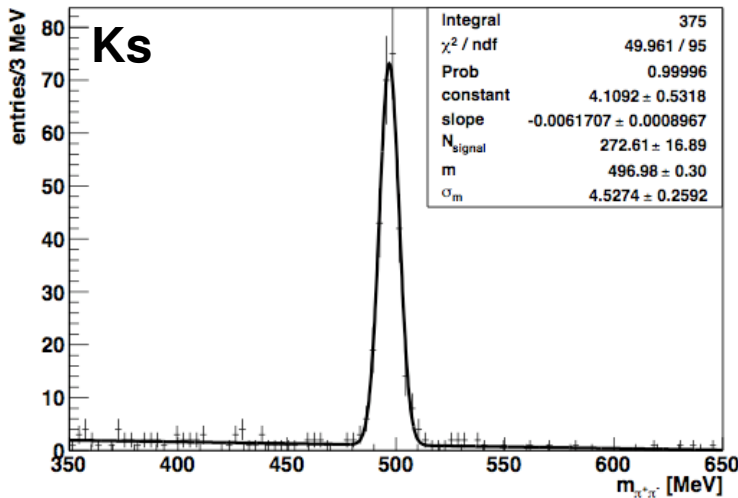
see  $K_S$  and  $\Lambda$



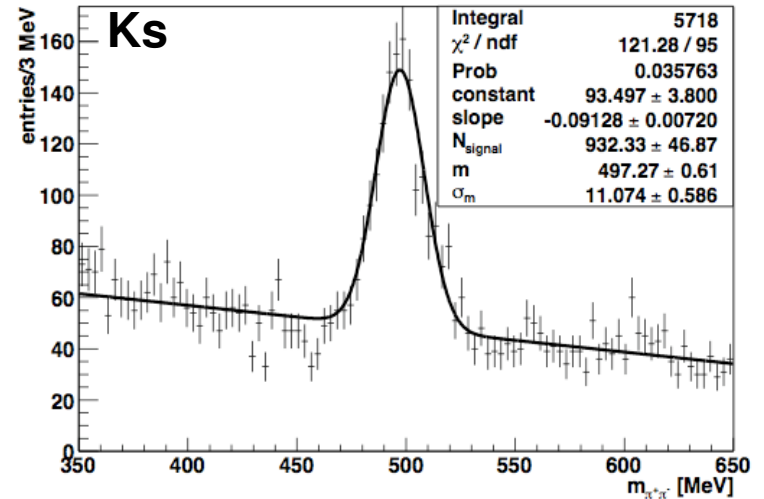
Using all tracking power,  
especially VELO !!!

Tracking without VELO

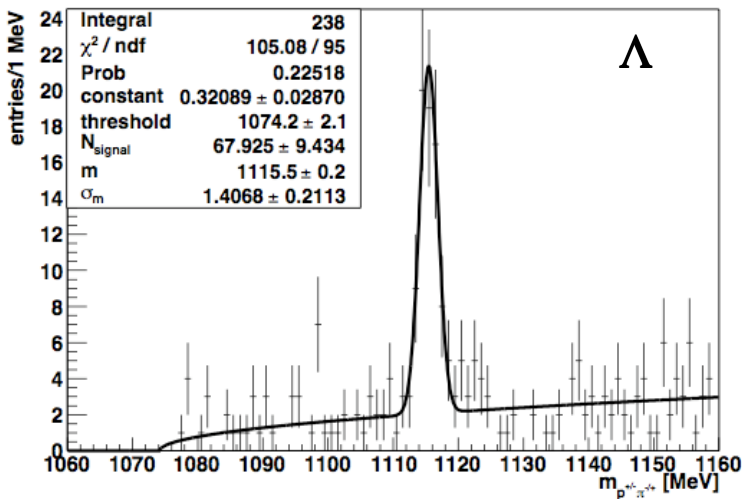
$\pi^+ \pi^-$  invariant mass (LHCb 2009 data, preliminary)



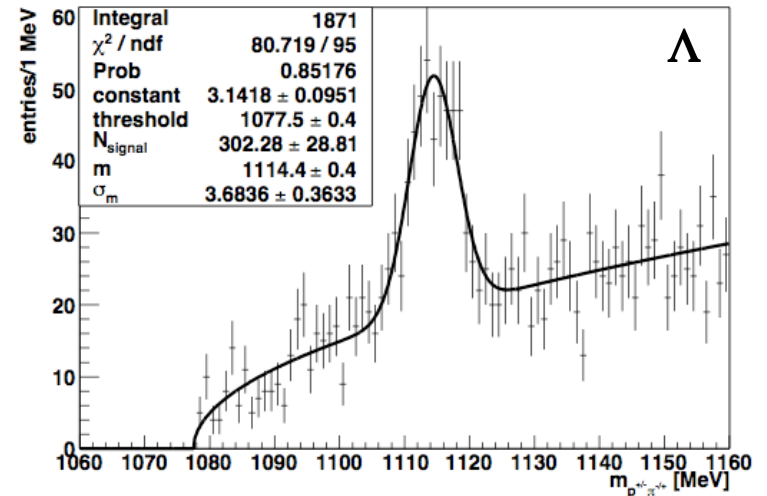
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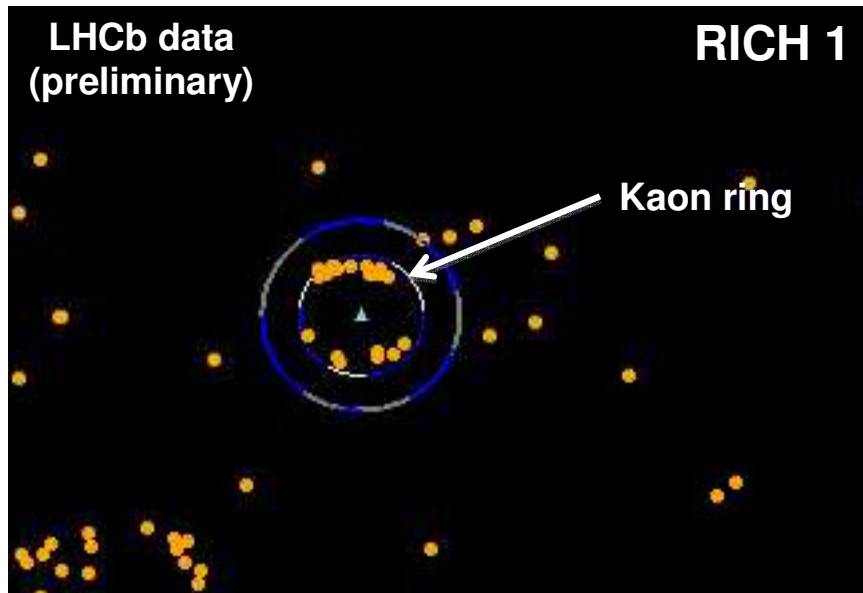
$p^+ \pi^-$  invariant mass (LHCb 2009 data, preliminary)



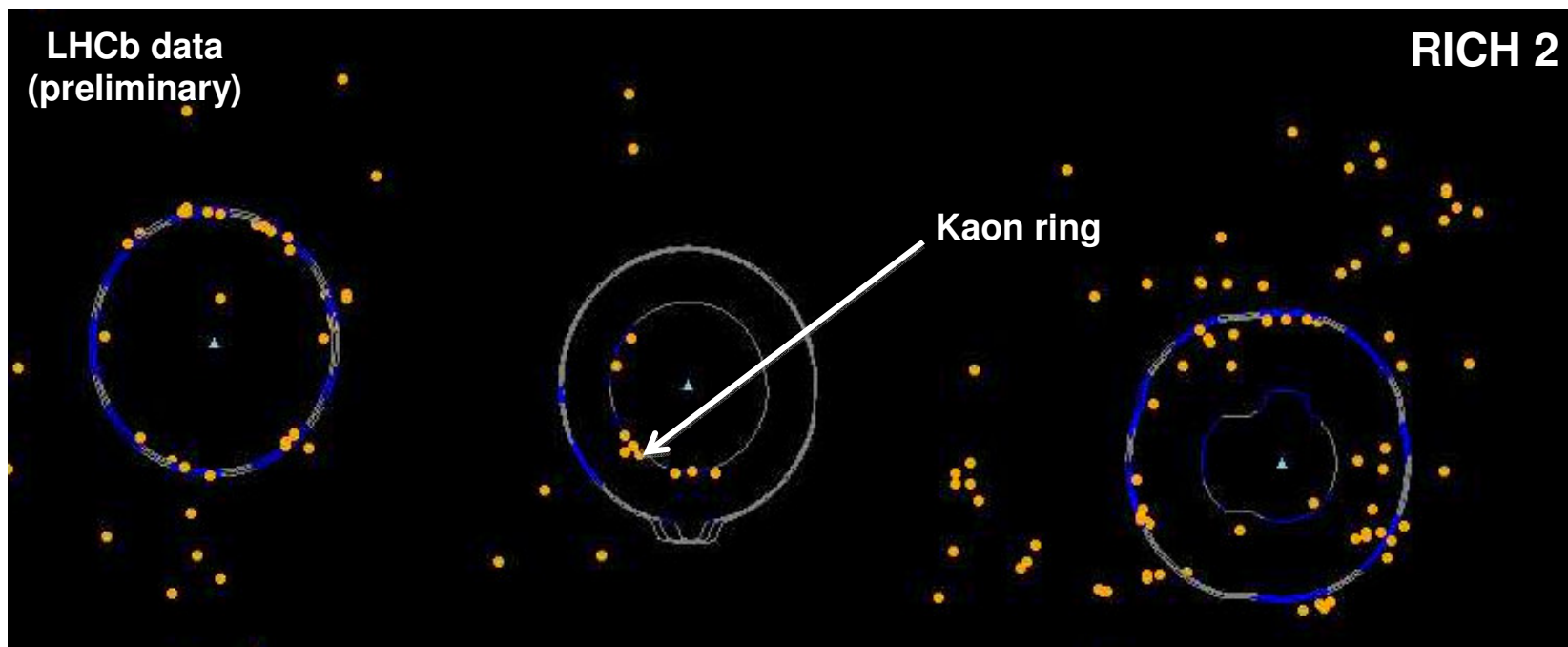
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# RICH identifies kaons



*Orange points – photon hits*  
*Continuous lines – expected distribution for each particle hypothesis (proton below threshold)*



# ECAL reconstructs $\pi^0$ signal

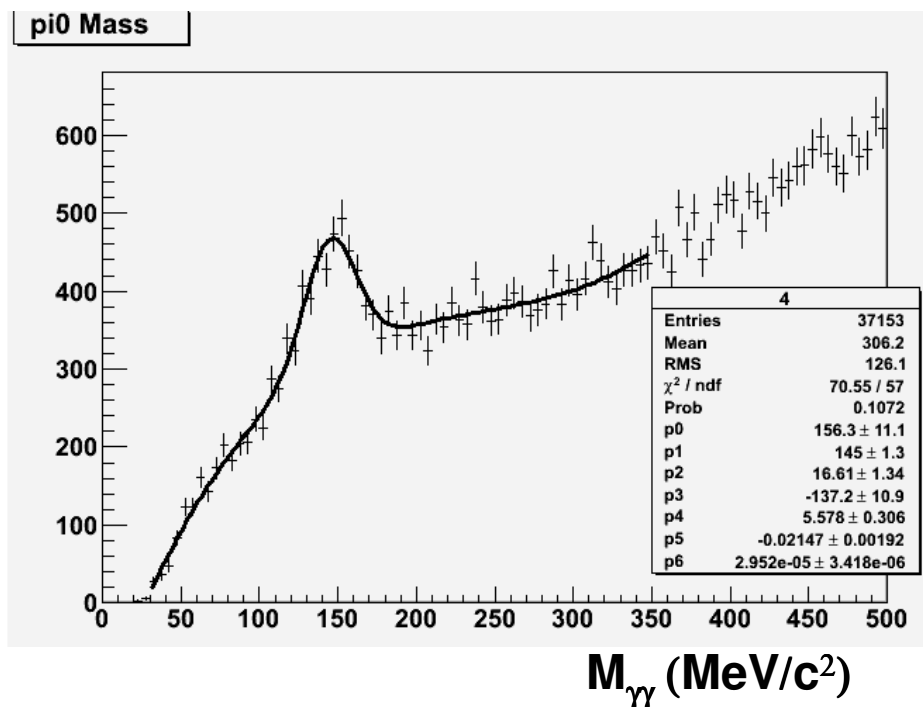
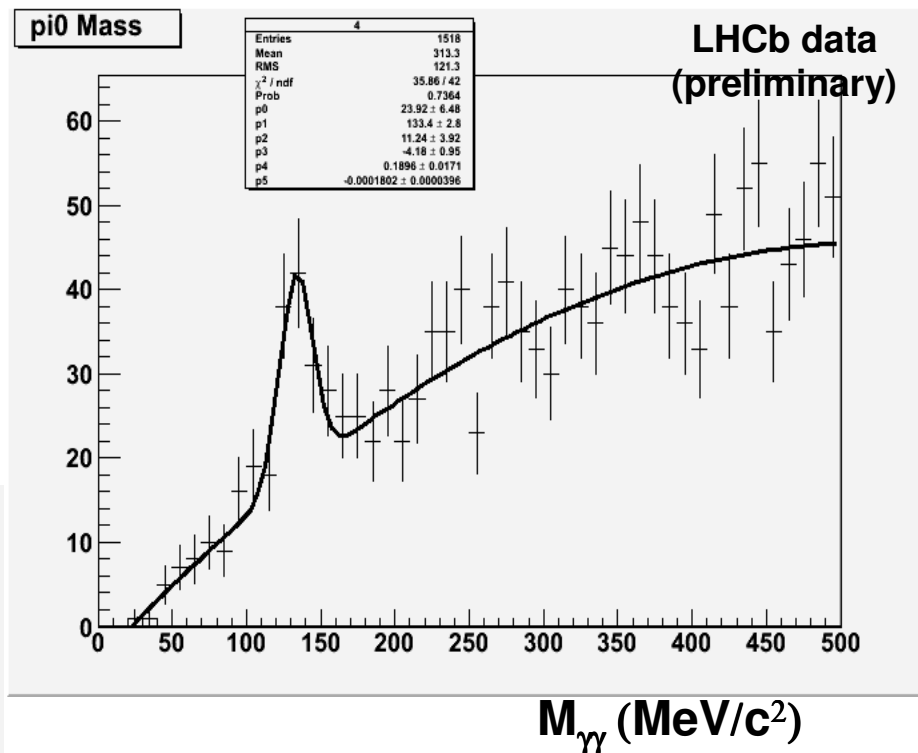


First data : 23 November 2009, No B-field

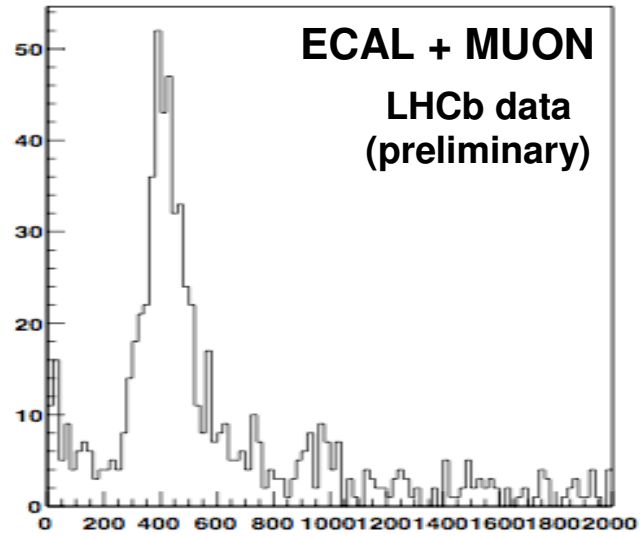
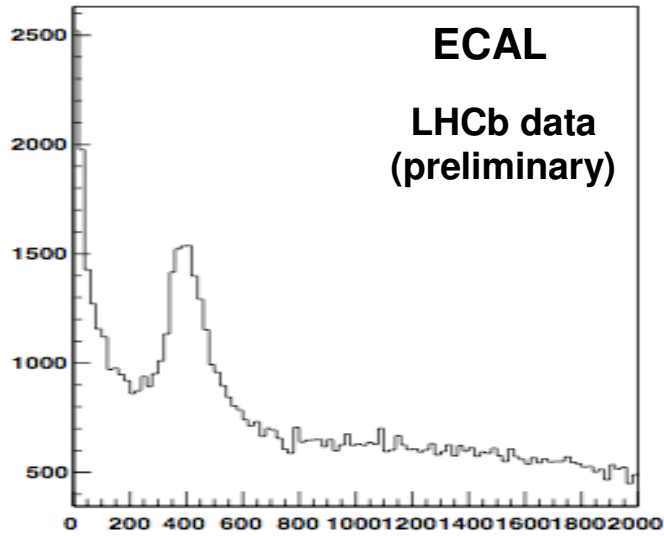
$$\langle m \rangle = (133 \pm 3) \text{ MeV}/c^2$$

$$\sigma = (11 \pm 4) \text{ MeV}/c^2$$

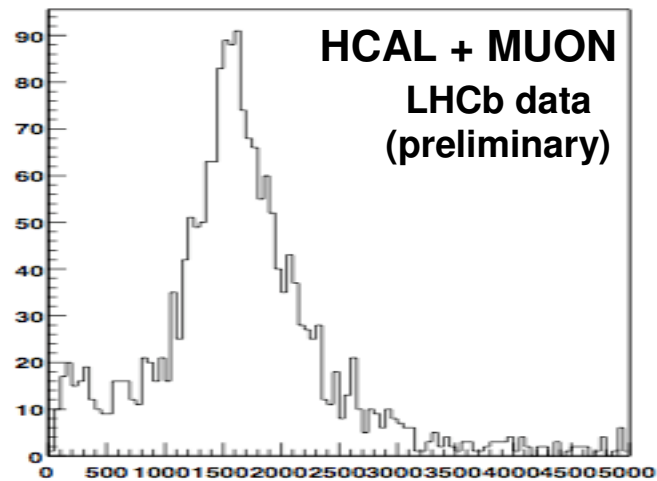
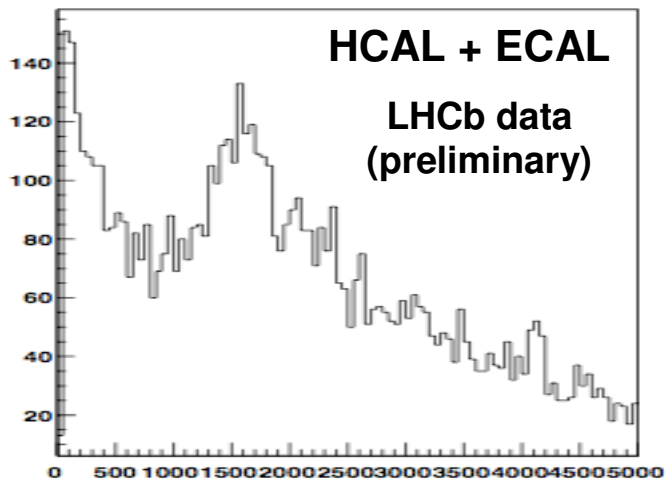
Now  $\pi^0$  peak can be routinely monitored on-line:



# MIP identification using ECAL, HCAL & Muon



$E_{ECAL}$  (MeV)

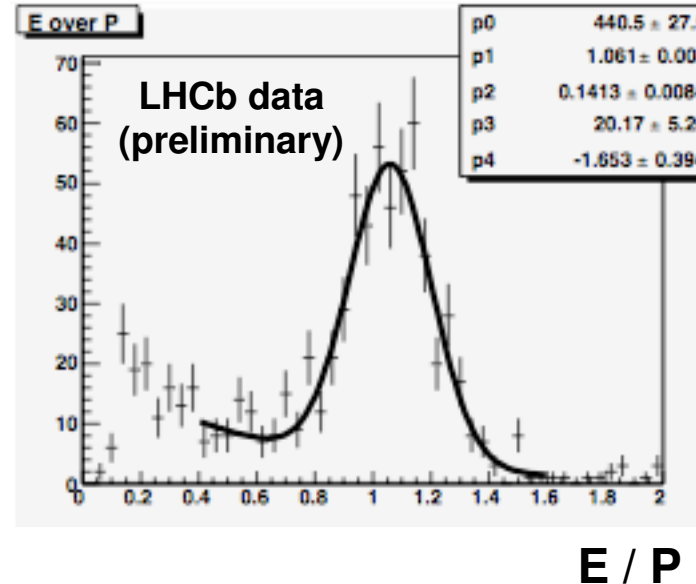


$E_{HCAL}$  (MeV)

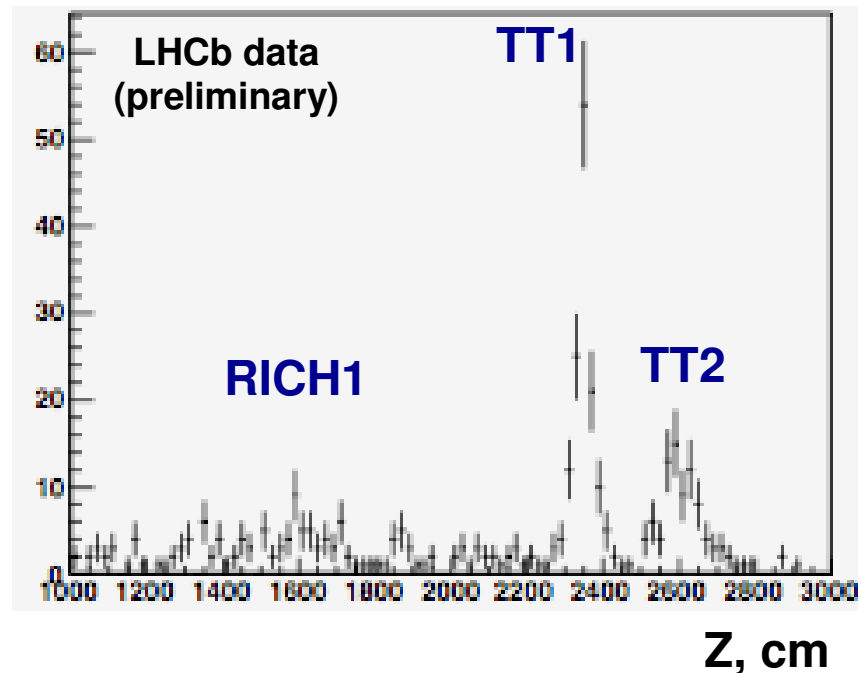
# First glance at the material distribution using $\gamma$ conversions upstream the magnet: Tracker system and ECAL



$M(e^+e^-) < 200 \text{ MeV}/c^2$  for any pair of the oppositely charged tracks



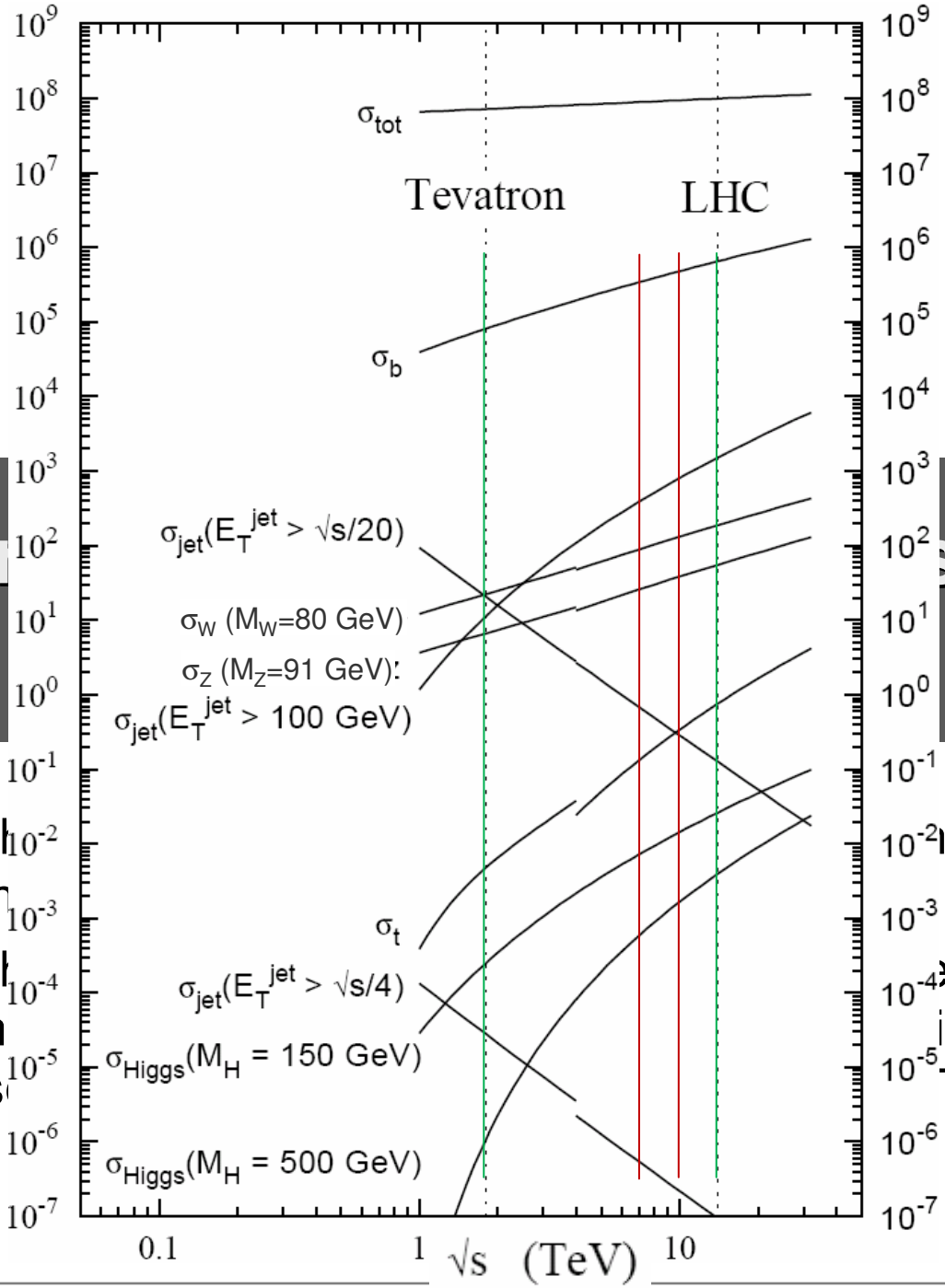
Z positions of the vertices reconstructed from 2 tracks with  $M(ee) < 200 \text{ MeV}$  &  $E/p > 0.7$  strongly peak at the location of the 2 stations of the Trigger Tracker: TT1 & TT2



Integr

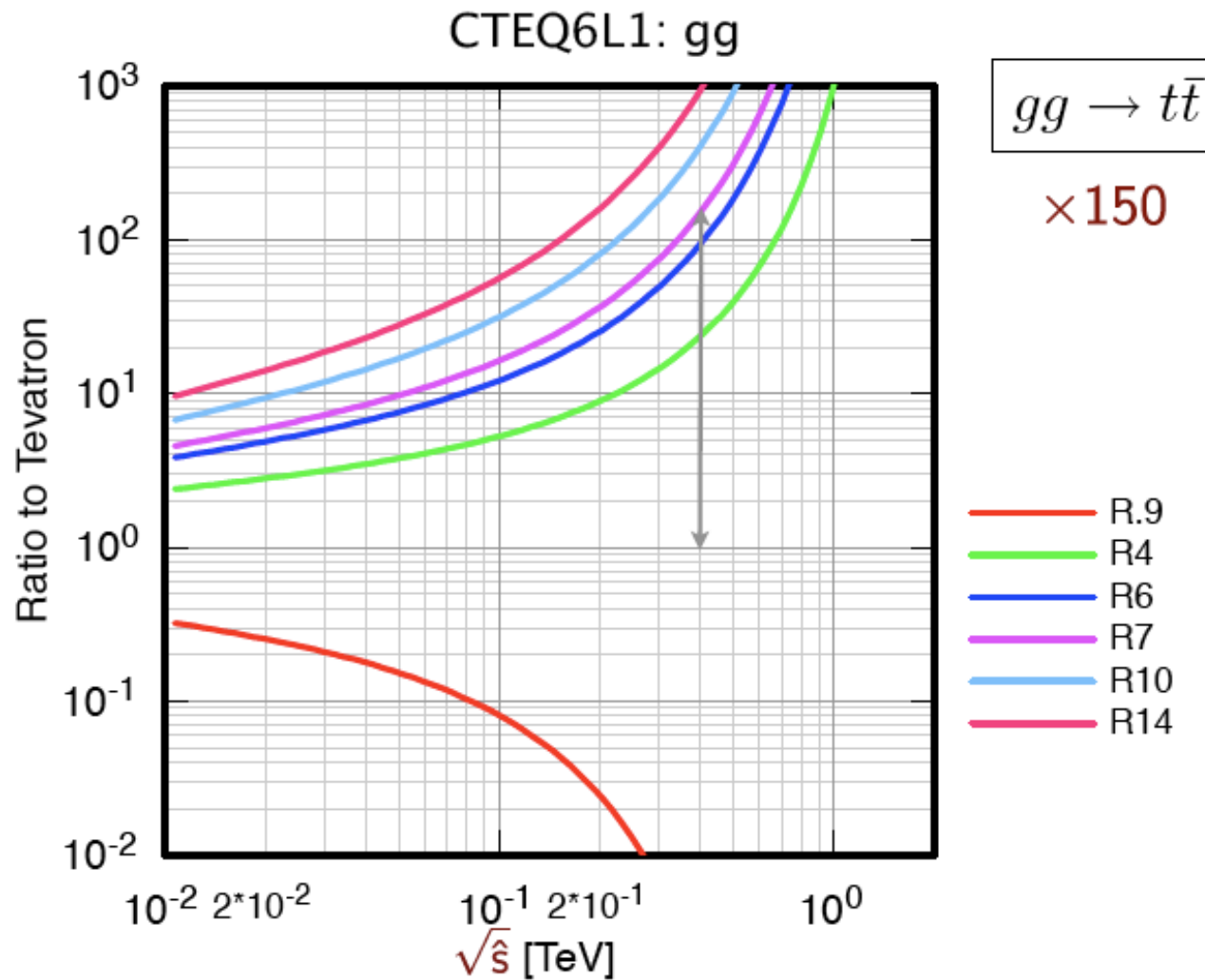
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- $W$
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ics run  
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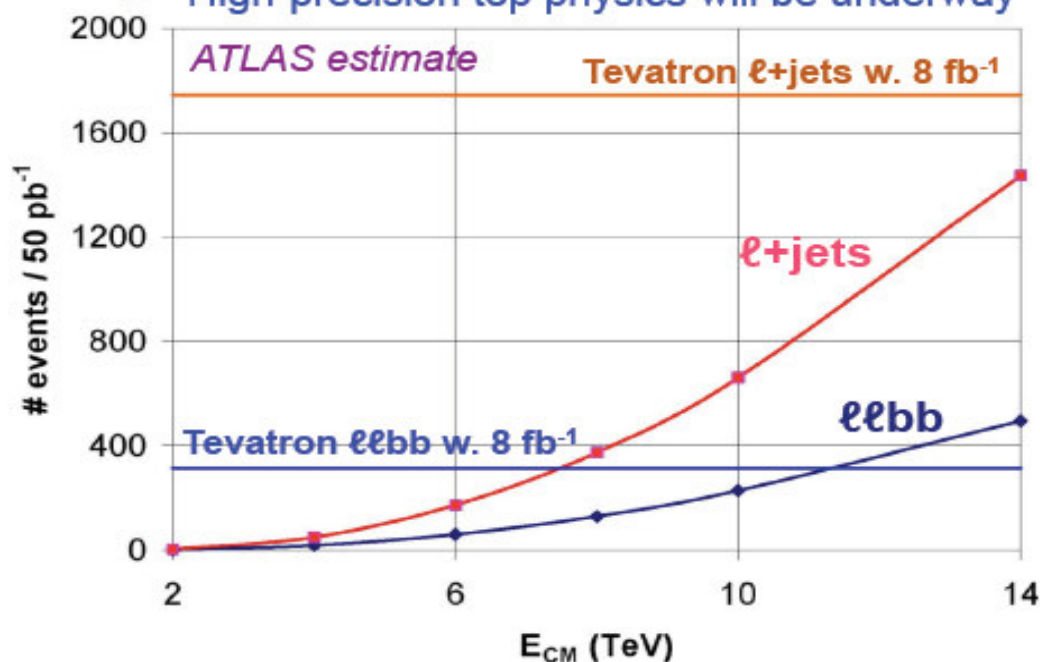
# Luminosity Ratios





# Top quark

- Background to new physics searches – must measure cross-section & properties in data
- Expected Tevatron statistics provide a benchmark:
  - Cross-section statistical precision will then be comparable to other uncertainties
  - High-precision top physics will be underway



- ~50 pb<sup>-1</sup>@14 TeV would match full Tevatron sample
  - lose ~factor 2 in cross-section dropping to 10 TeV
  - lose ~another factor 2 dropping to 8 TeV

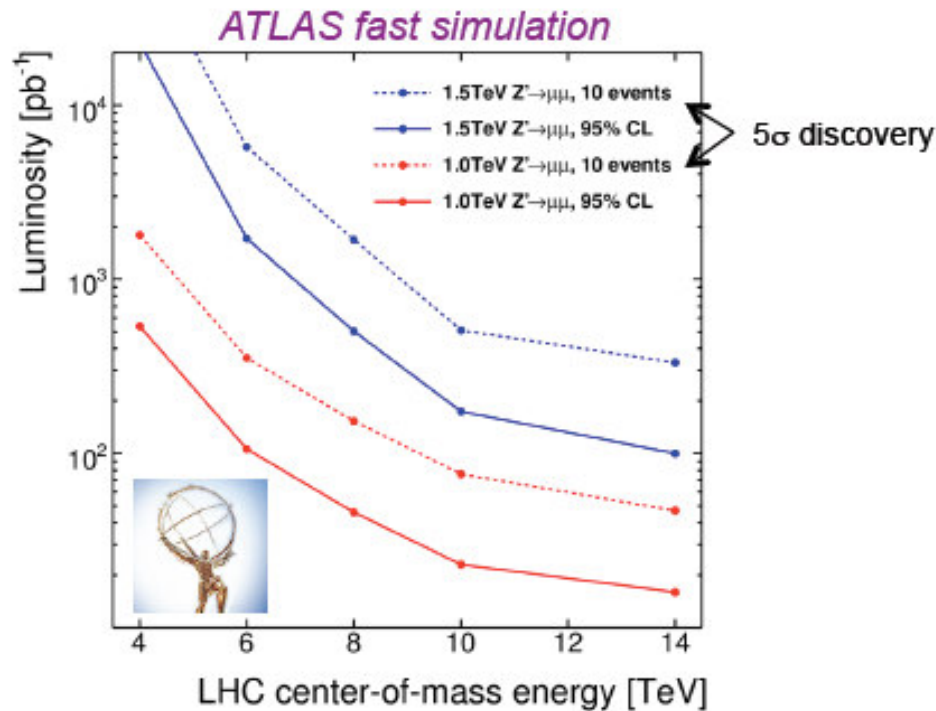
Below 8 TeV samples will be rather small, with a few tens of pb<sup>-1</sup>

Catch up with Tevatron with  $s^{1/2} = 8-10$  TeV and  $\sim 200-100$  pb<sup>-1</sup> g.d.

# Z'

## Z': Heavy partner of the Z (SSM)

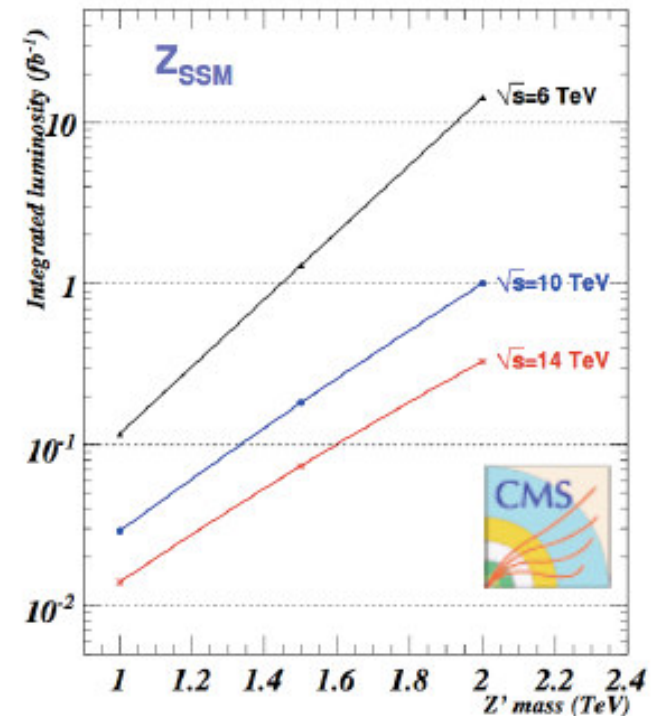
- Very clean experimental signal:  $Z' \rightarrow \ell\ell$
- Tevatron 95% CL limit at  $m_{Z'} = 1$  TeV



Needed luminosity for 95%CL exclusion at  $m_{Z'} = 1$  TeV :

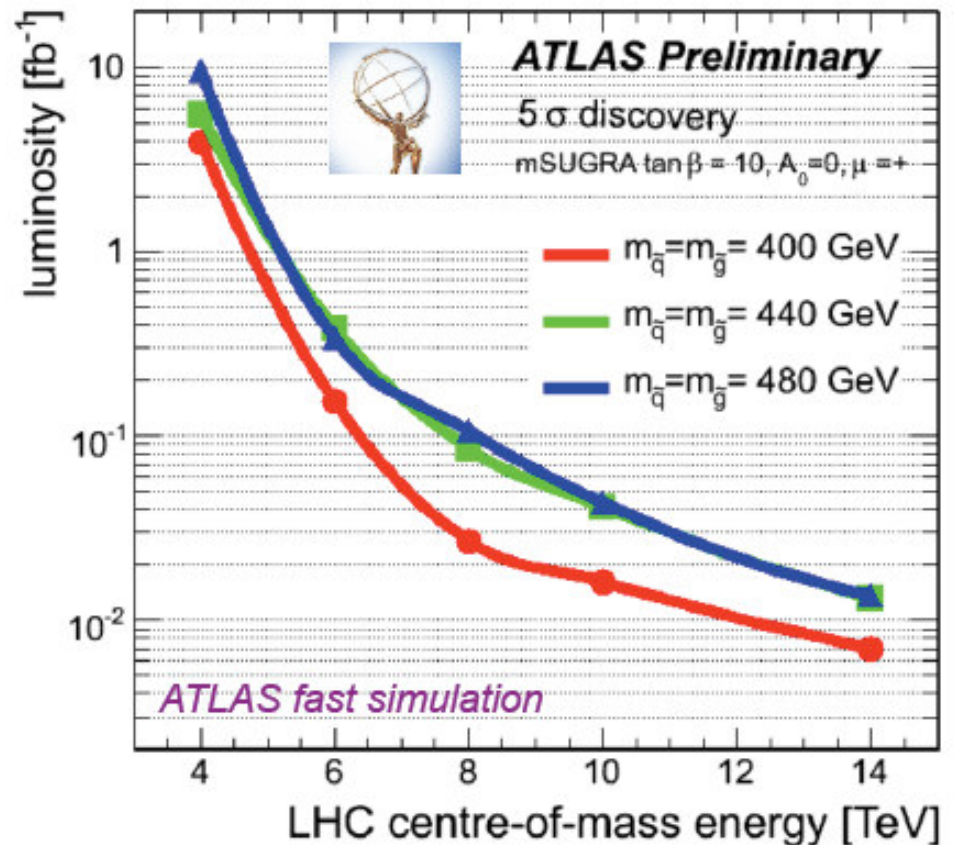
$$s^{1/2} : 14 \rightarrow 10 \rightarrow 6 \text{ TeV}$$

$$\text{Lumi: } 13 \rightarrow 30 \rightarrow 110 \text{ pb}^{-1}$$



# SUSY, an example

- $\ell$ +jets+missing- $E_T$  channel
  - Not most sensitive, but will be usable before inclusive jets +missing- $E_T$  analysis
- Tevatron limit currently is 380 GeV in this model ( $m_{\tilde{q}} = m_{\tilde{g}}$ )
  - plot shows 3 masses above this
- We will be sensitive to a region overlapping with ultimate Tevatron reach
- Below  $E_{cm} \approx 8$  TeV, the sensitivity collapses

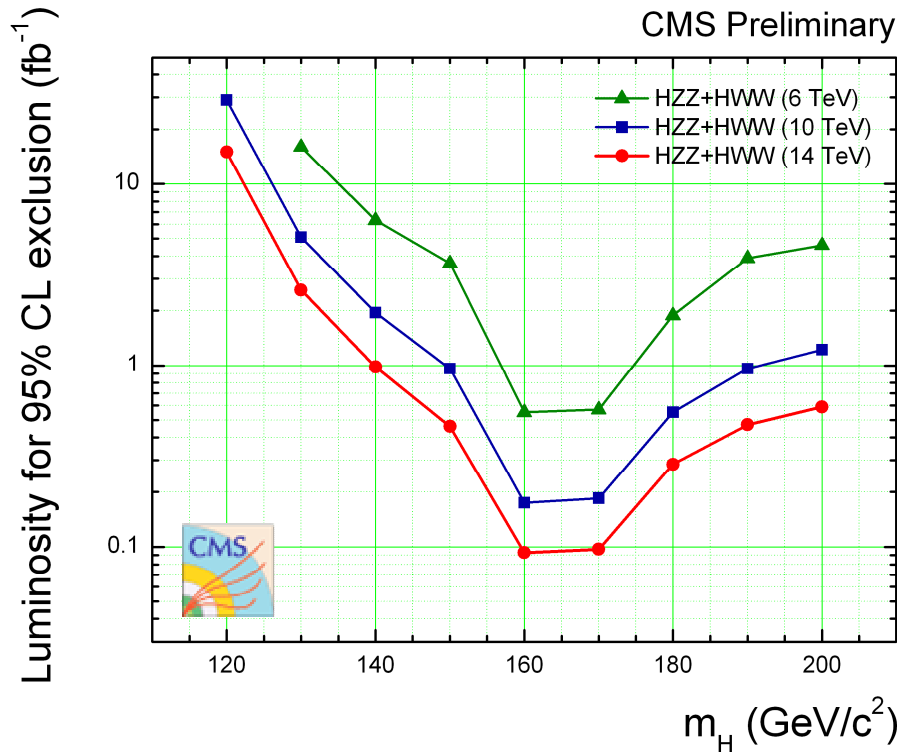


5 $\sigma$  discovery beyond current Tevatron limits is possible with  
 $s^{1/2} = 8-10$  TeV and  $\sim 30-15 \text{ pb}^{-1}$  g.d.

# Higgs 95% CL at LHC GPD , $H \rightarrow$ weak bosons, indicative

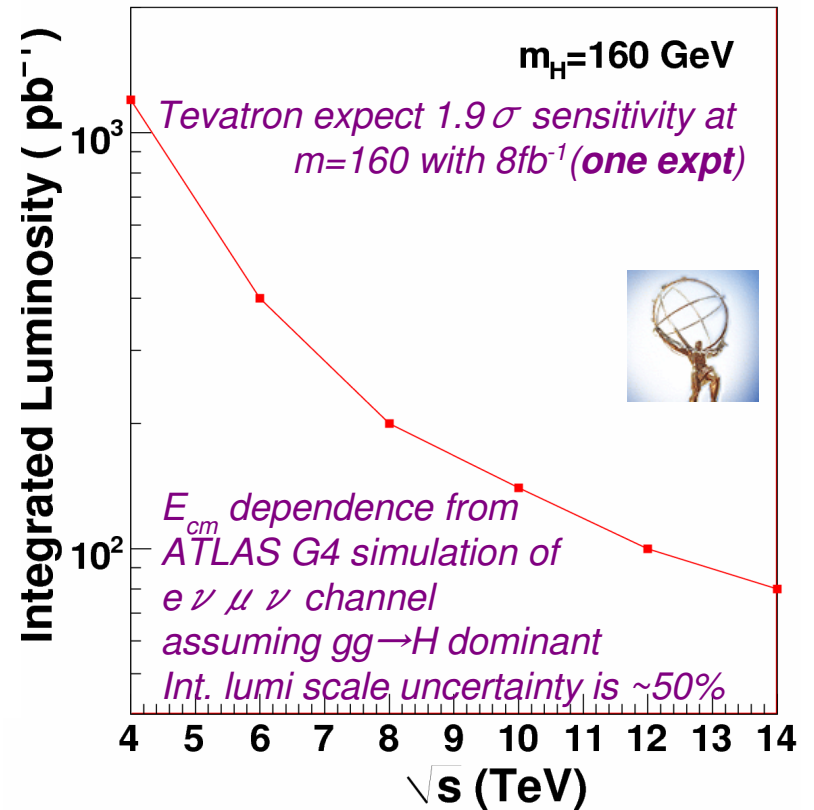
Combined  $H \rightarrow WW + H \rightarrow ZZ$ : lumi for 95% CL

CMS Preliminary



- Energy  $s^{1/2}$  14  $\rightarrow$  10  $\rightarrow$  6 TeV
- Lumi needed 0.1  $\rightarrow$  0.2  $\rightarrow$  0.6 fb<sup>-1</sup>

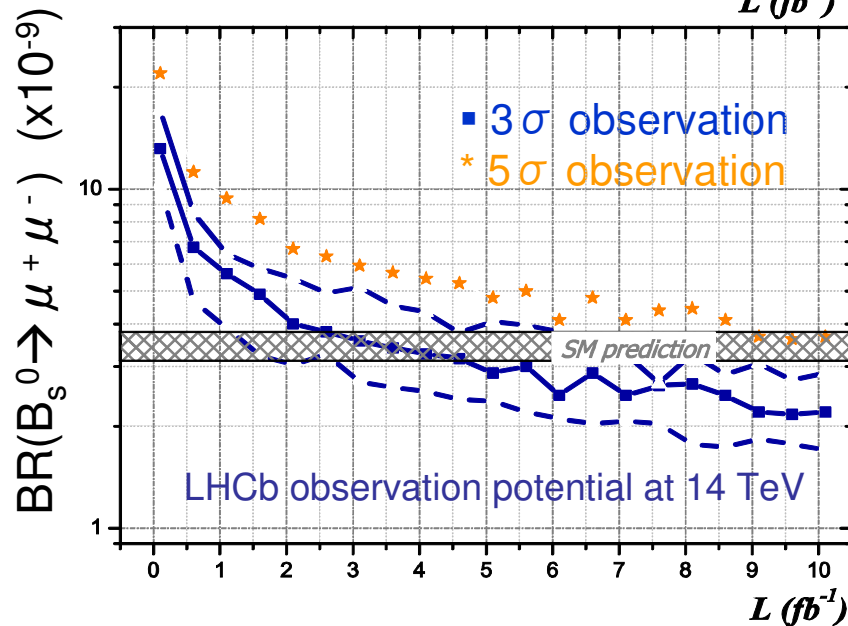
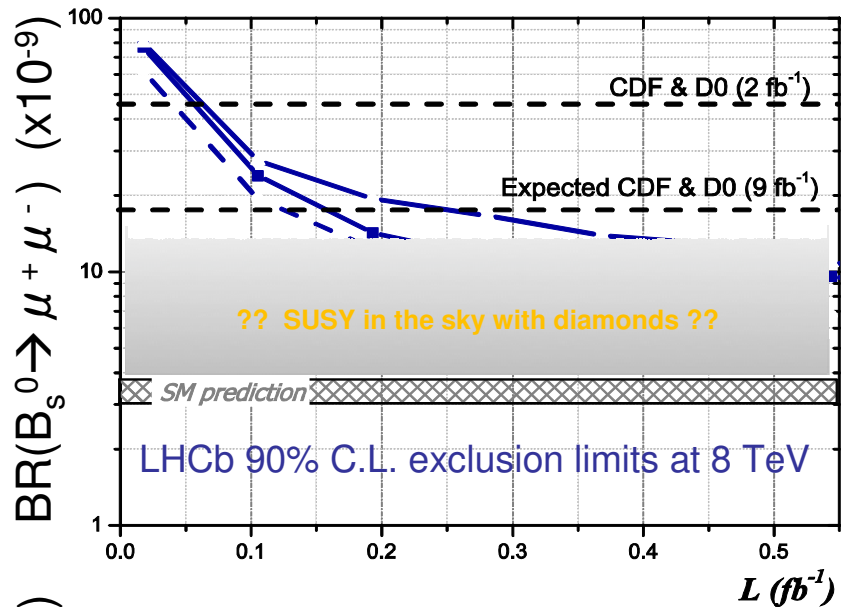
Compare sensitivity to Tevatron with 8 fb<sup>-1</sup>  
( only  $H \rightarrow WW \rightarrow l\nu l\nu$  )



- Massive loss of sensitivity below 6 TeV

To challenge Tevatron with  $s^{1/2} = 7-10$  TeV, we need  $\sim 300-200$  pb<sup>-1</sup> g.d.

# Physics reach for $BR(B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-)$



- as function of integrated luminosity (and comparison with Tevatron)



At  $\sqrt{s} = 8 \text{ TeV}$ , need  $\sim 0.3\text{-}0.5 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  g.d. to improve on expected Tevatron limit

Collect  $\sim 3 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  for  $3\sigma$  observation of SM value

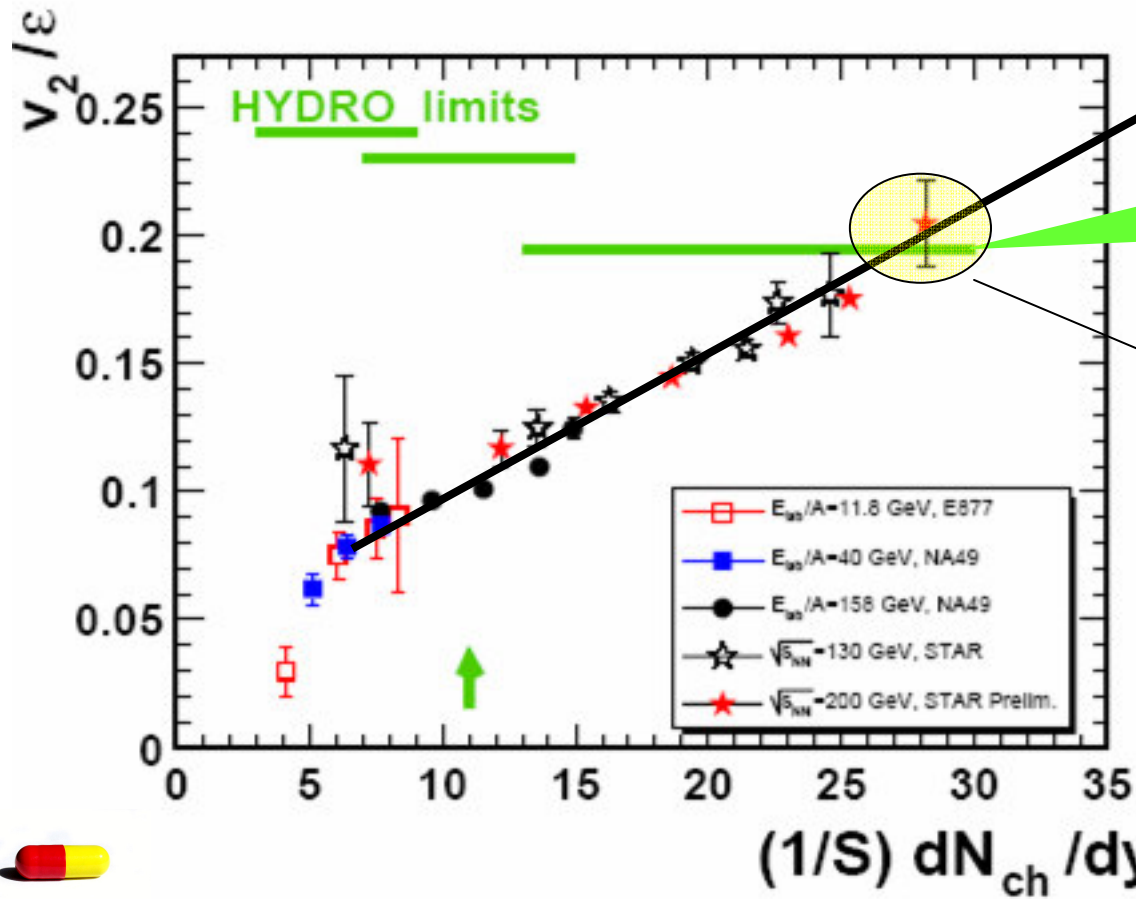
# Heavy Ions: Flow at LHC



- one of the first and most anticipated answers from LHC
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> RHIC paper: Aug 24, 22k MB events, **flow surprise** ( $v_2$ )
    - Hydrodynamics: **modest rise** (Depending on EoS, viscosity, speed of sound)

LHC ?

increase of flow



BNL Press release, April 18, 2005:  
**Data = ideal Hydro**  
**"Perfect" Liquid**  
 New state of matter more remarkable than predicted – raising many new questions

**LHC will either**  
**confirm the RHIC interpretation**  
**(and measure parameters of the QGP EoS)**  
**OR**  
 .....



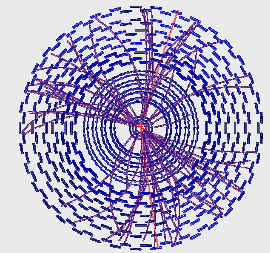
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LHC:

the present and the (near) future



# LHC Physics in 2010-2011



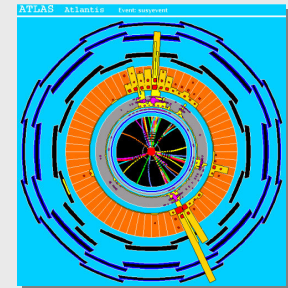
First beams: very early physics - **rediscover SM physics**

Detector synchronization, in-situ alignment and calibration

10 pb<sup>-1</sup>: Standard Model processes

measure jet and lepton rates, observe W, Z bosons

first look at possible **extraordinary signatures...**



30 pb<sup>-1</sup>

**Measure Standard Model Processes** (at 10TeV need ~ 30pb<sup>-1</sup>):

~ 10<sup>4</sup> Z → e+e- (golden Z's for detector studies (1%))

~ 10<sup>5</sup> W → eν

~ 10<sup>3</sup> ttbar (measure σ to 10%)

Background for new physics

Need to understand very well

Initial Higgs searches and searches for physics beyond the SM

> 200 pb<sup>-1</sup>

**Entering Higgs discovery era and explore large part of SUSY and new resonances at ~ few TeV**





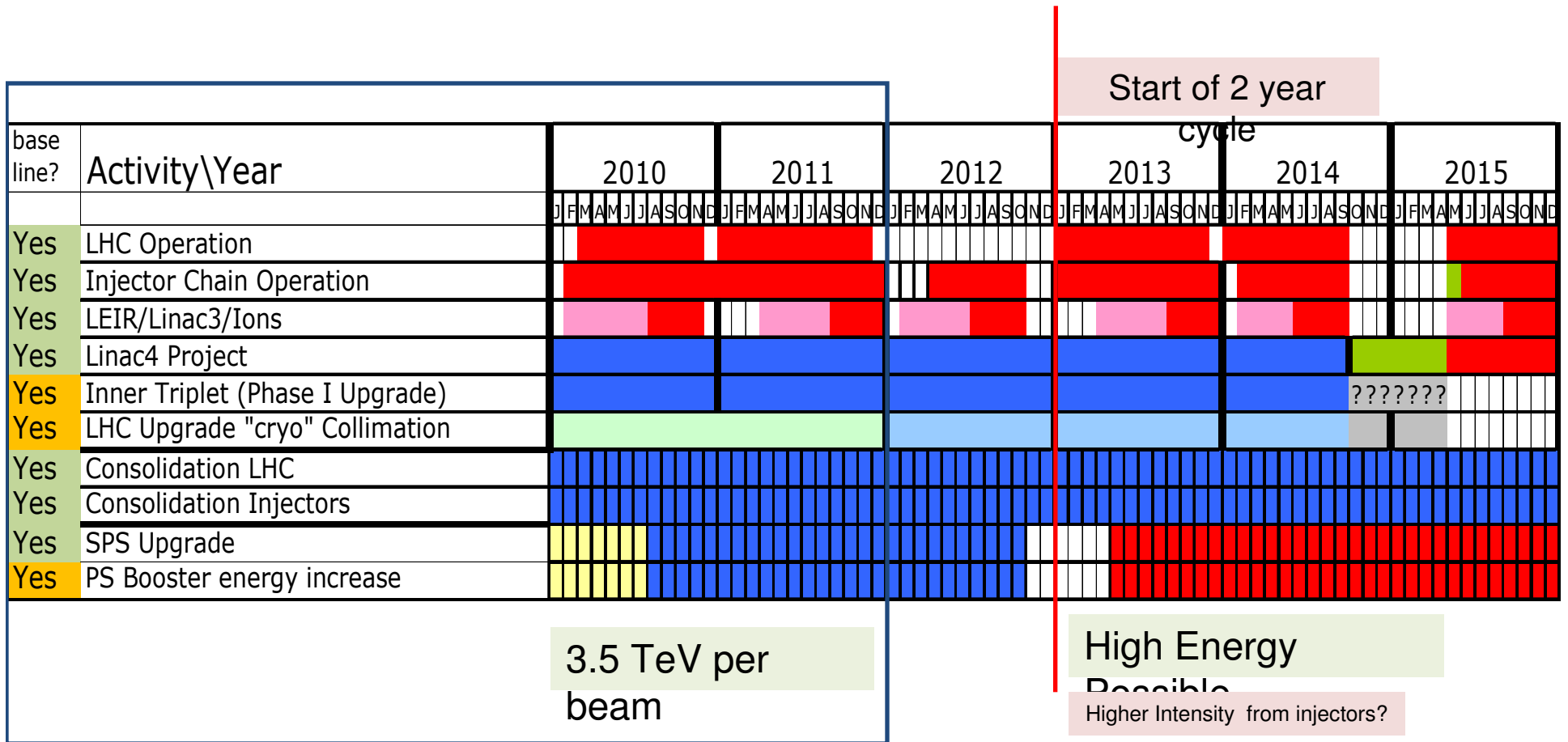
# Beam Energy; Chamonix

- Simulations for safe current used pessimistic input parameters (RRR.....) but have no safety margins
- For 2010, **3.5 TeV is safe**
  - **Measure the RRR (asap) to confirm the safety margin for 3.5TeV/beam**
- Without repairing the copper stabilizers, **5 TeV is risky**

Decision from Management/detectors following  
Chamonix

- Run at 3.5 TeV/beam up to a predefined integrated luminosity with a date limit. Then consolidate the whole machine for 7TeV/beam.

# Time lines (Very Preliminary)



Next year we talk about the far future!

# Luminosity

$$L = \frac{N^2 k_b f}{4\pi\sigma_x\sigma_y} F = \frac{N^2 k_b f \gamma}{4\pi\epsilon_n \beta^*} F$$

- Nearly all the parameters are variable (and not independent)

- Number of particles per bunch  $N$
- Number of bunches per beam  $k_b$
- Relativistic factor ( $E/m_0$ )  $\gamma$
- Normalised emittance  $\epsilon_n$
- Beta function at the IP  $\beta^*$
- Crossing angle factor  $F$ 
  - Full crossing angle  $\theta_c$
  - Bunch length  $\sigma_z$
  - Transverse beam size at the IP  $\sigma^*$

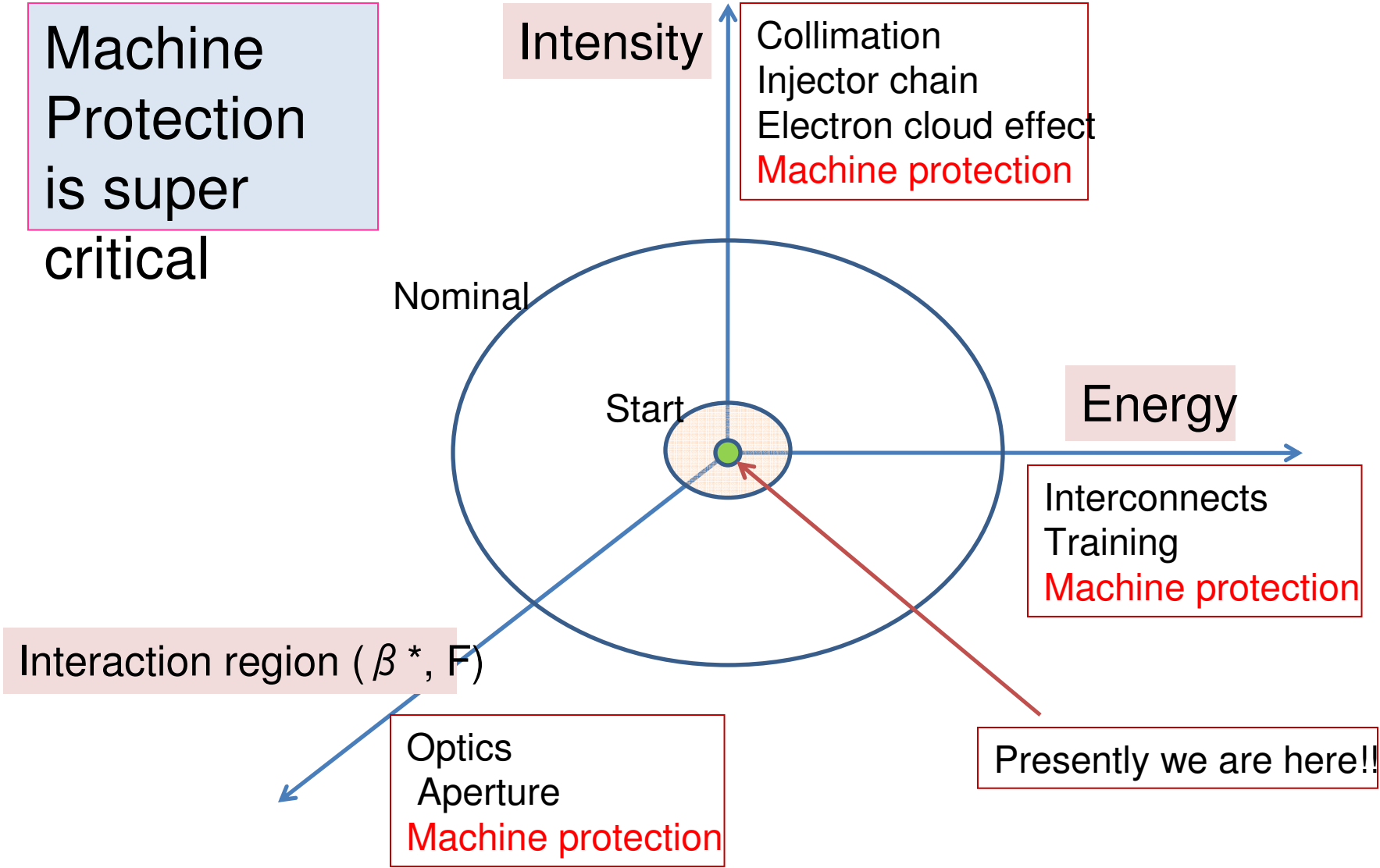
} Intensity

- Energy

} Interaction Region

$$F = 1 / \sqrt{1 + \left( \frac{\theta_c \sigma_z}{2\sigma^*} \right)^2}$$

# LHC performance drivers/limiters

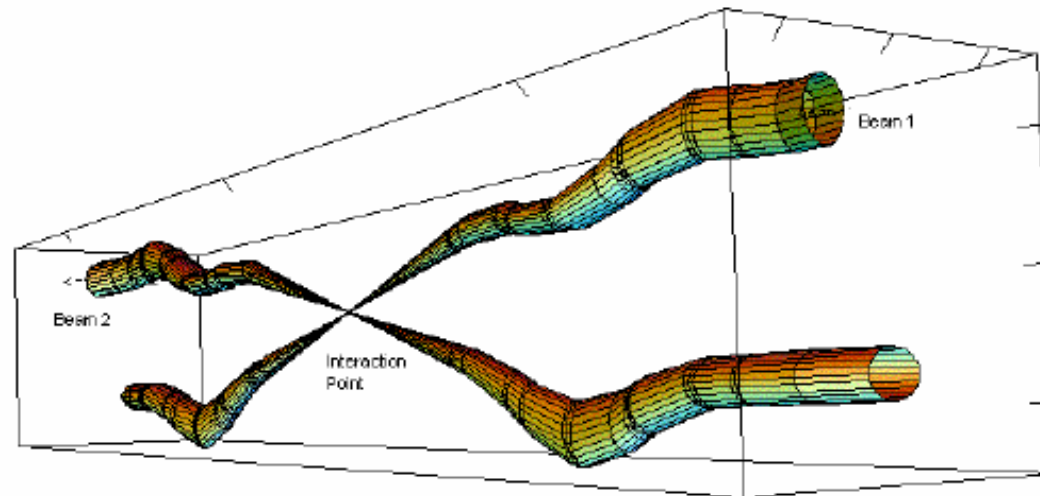
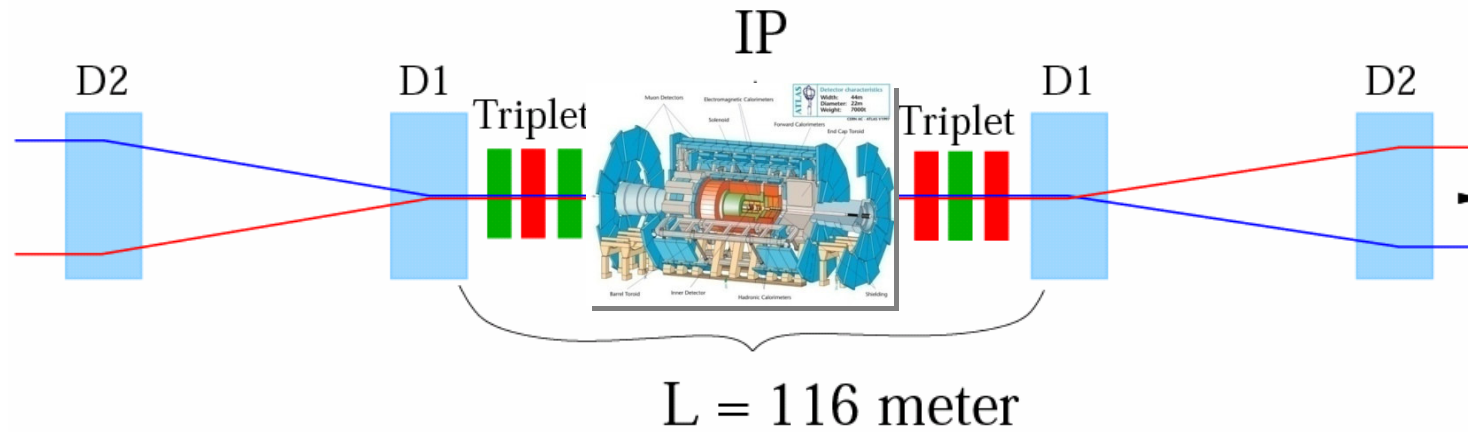


# $\beta^*$ and F in 2010

- Lower energy means bigger beam  $\epsilon_n = \epsilon\gamma$   $\sigma = \sqrt{\epsilon\beta}$ 
  - Less aperture margin
  - Higher  $\beta^*$
- > 150 bunches requires crossing angle (beam-beam)
  - Requires more aperture
  - Higher  $\beta^*$
- Targets for 3.5TeV
  - 2/2.5 m without/with crossing angle in 2010
  - 2m with crossing angle in 2011

At  
max

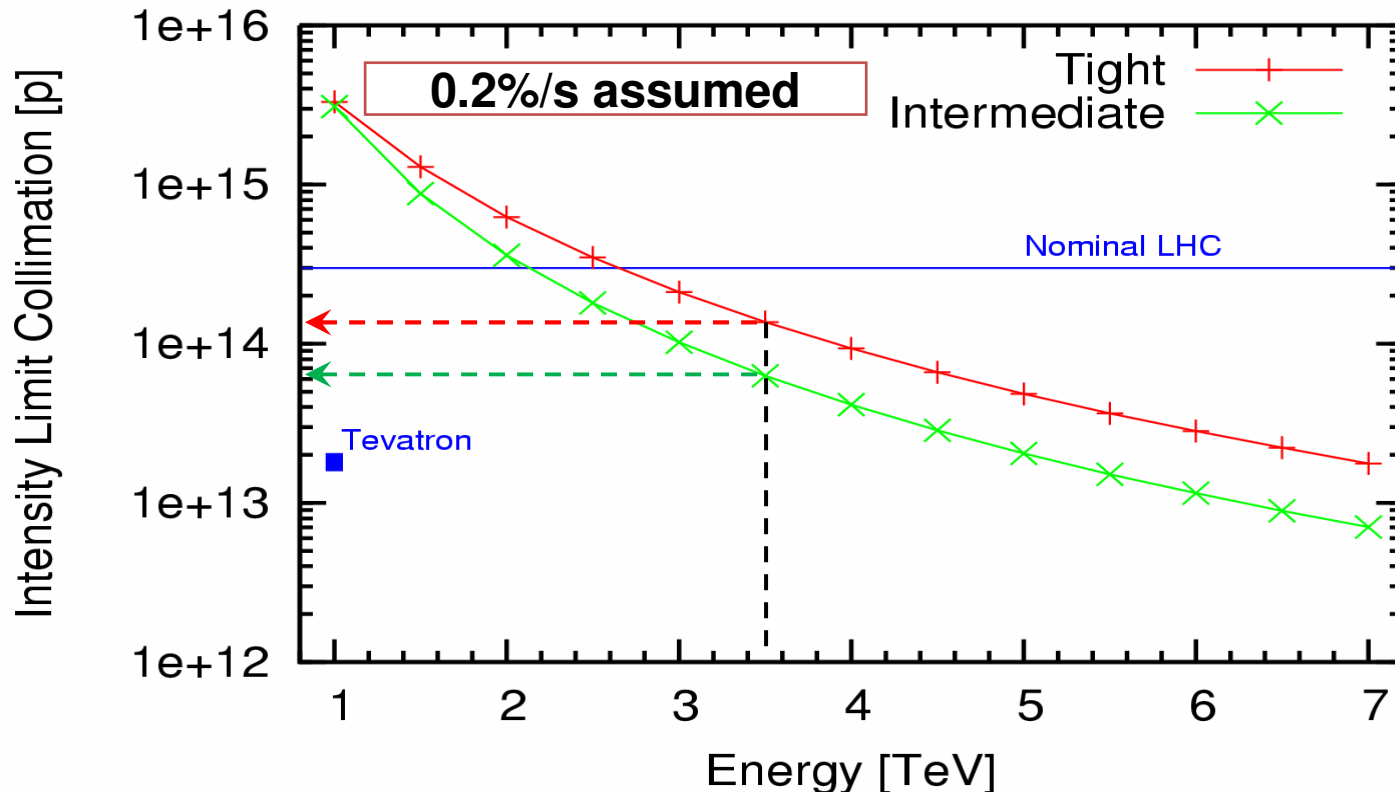
# Interaction Region - F



Relative beam sizes around IP1 (Atlas) in collision

**With  $> 150$  bunches per beam, need a crossing angle to avoid parasitic**

# “Intensity limits” Collimation (2010)



Collimator “limit” around  $6 \cdot 10^{13}$  protons per beam at 3.5TeV with “intermediate” settings (about 20% nominal intensity)

**33.6 MJ stored beam energy**

Soft limit, not yet well defined, 0.2%/s loss rate totally arbitrary (8 minute

lifetime)

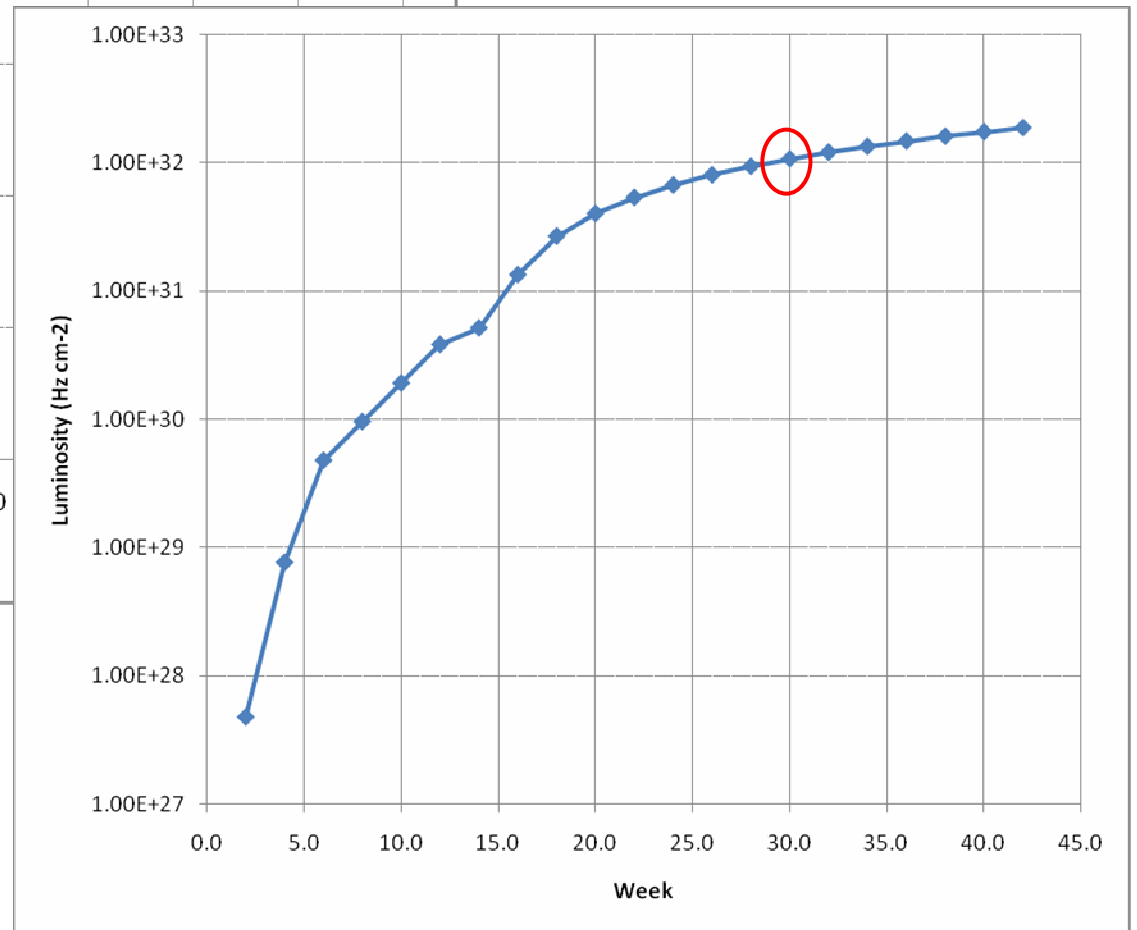
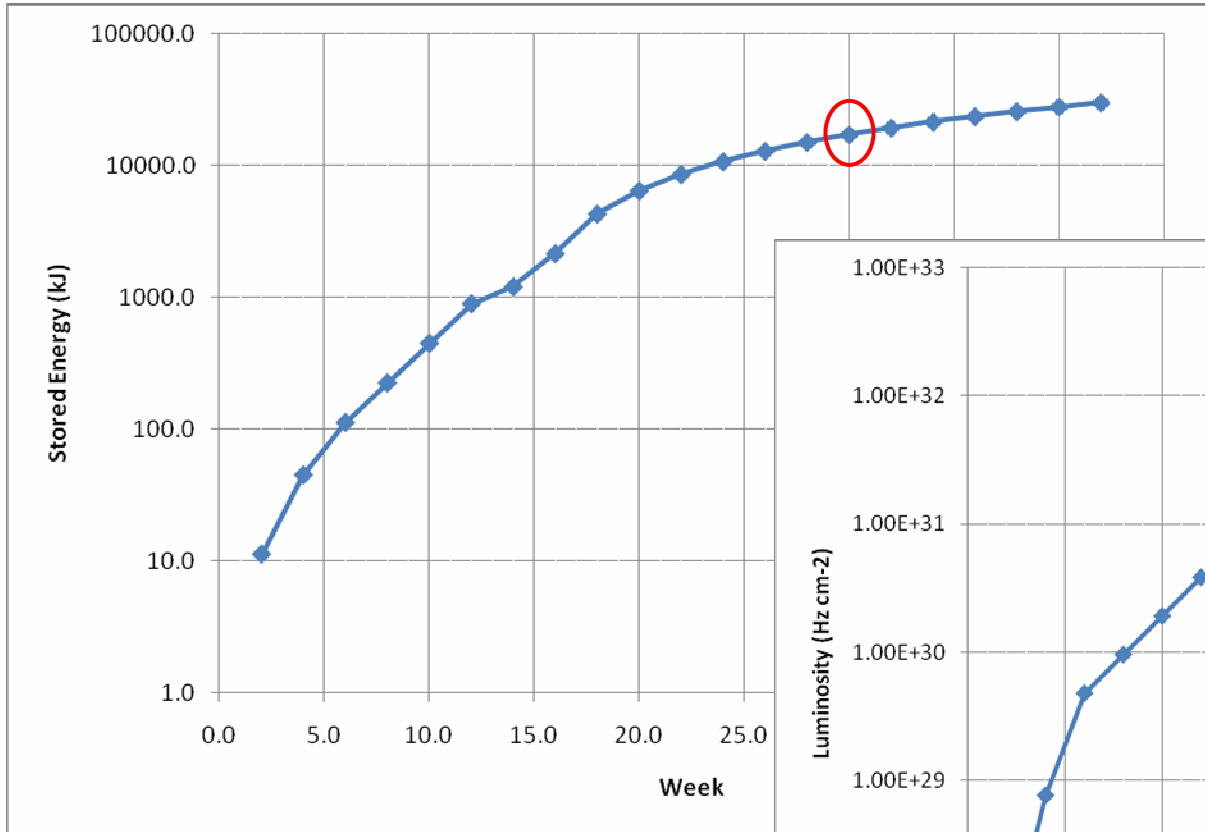
# Strategy for Increasing the Beam Intensity

- The magic **number for 2010/11 is  $1 \text{ fb}^{-1}$** . To achieve this, the LHC must **run flat out at  $2 \times 10^{32} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$  in 2011**,
  - Correspond to  $8 \times 10^{10}$  ppb, 700 bunches, **with a stored energy of 35 MJ** (with  $\beta^* = 2 \text{ m}$  and nominal emittance).



# Progression (2)

□ After 30 weeks:  $\sim 1E32 \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$ , 12 MJ.

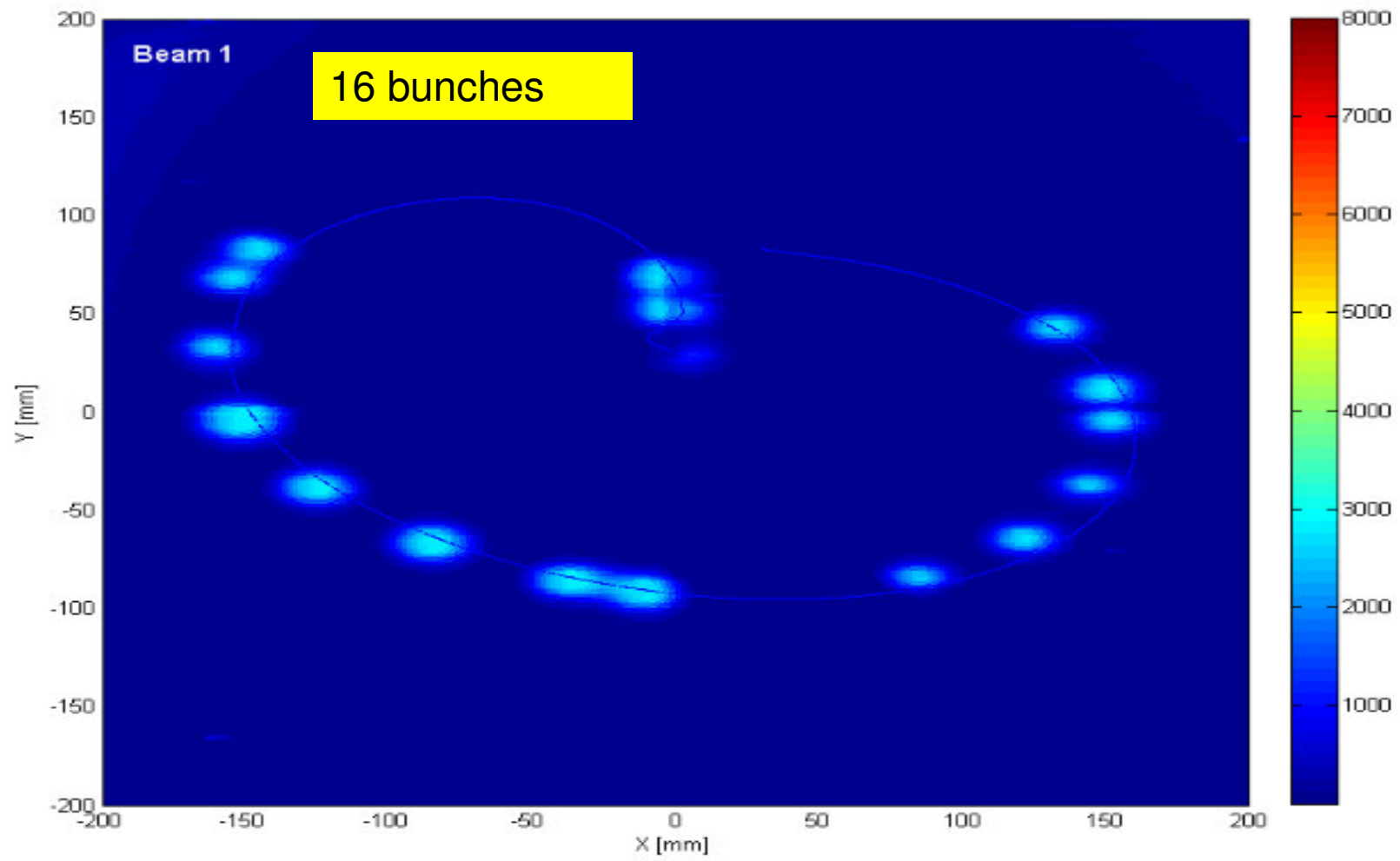


# 2011

## 3.5 TeV: run flat out at $\sim 100 \text{ pb}^{-1}$ per month

	No. bunches	ppb	Total Intensity	Beam Stored Energy (MJ)	beta*	Peak Lumi	Int Lumi per month
50 ns	432	7 e10	3 e13	17	2	1.3 e32	$\sim 85$
Pushing intensity limit	720	7 e10	5.1 e13	28.2	2	2.2 e32	$\sim 140$
Pushing bunch current limit	432	11 e10	4.8 e13	26.6	2	3.3 e32	$\sim 209$

With these parameters we should be able to deliver  $1 \text{ fb}^{-1}$



# In summary

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- **We are finally entering the LHC era**
- **Ready to rediscover all the Standard Model**
- **..and use it for “calibration”**
- **An entire new space of parameters opens up for the discovery of the “known unknown”..**

## In summary

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**...and there might be welcomed surprises**

...without forgetting that....

**...the only place in which **SUCCESS** comes  
before **work** is in the dictionary**

