

CMS

Overview

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Physics Motivation

LHC

Civil Engineering

Magnet

Tracker

Calorimetry

Muons

Trigger and DAQ

Physics Potential

Conclusion

Compact Muon Solenoid



Open Problems of SM



- **SM contains many apparently arbitrary features**
e.g. why are there 6 quarks?
- **SM has a “missing element ”**
i.e. mechanism to generate the observed masses of the known particles
(Higgs, Kibble, Brout, Englert ?)
- **SM gives “nonsense” at very high energies**
 $W_L W_L$ scattering probability becomes larger than 1 at energies above ~ 1 TeV
- **SM is logically incomplete**
Gravity is not incorporated



Need to:

Find the Higgs

Find clues for physics beyond the SM



Open Problems of SM



- **What is the origin of mass?**
Why is the Z boson massive whereas the related photon massless?
- **Is there a new symmetry ; SUSY?**
Grand Unification of all fundamental forces?
Is a fundamental particle responsible for the dark matter in the universe?
- **Origin of matter-antimatter asymmetry?**
Does the answer lie in CP violation?
- **Does a new form of matter exist?**
Quark-Gluon Plasma?
- **Do elementary particles of today have substructure?**
- **Are there only 3 families of quarks and leptons?**

??? + ???

The LHC program will address all these issues

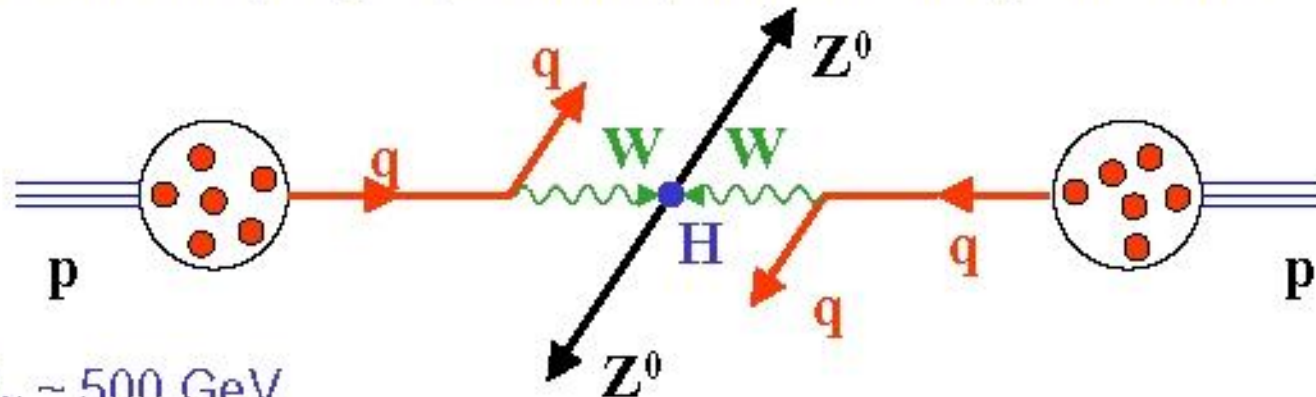


Hadron Colliders



Hadron colliders are broad-band exploratory machines

May need to study W_L - W_L scattering at a cm energy of ~ 1 TeV



- $\Rightarrow E_W \sim 500$ GeV
- $\Rightarrow E_{\text{quark}} \sim 1$ TeV
- $\Rightarrow E_{\text{proton}} \sim 6$ TeV

\Rightarrow **pp collisions at 7 + 7 TeV**

Event Rate = $L \cdot \sigma \cdot BR$

e.g. $H(1 \text{ TeV}) \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow 2e+2\mu$ or $4e$ or 4μ

For $L \sim 10^{34}$, Evt/yr = $10^{34} \cdot 10^{-37} \cdot 10^{-3} \cdot 10^7 \sim 10$ /yr !!



SM + New Physics

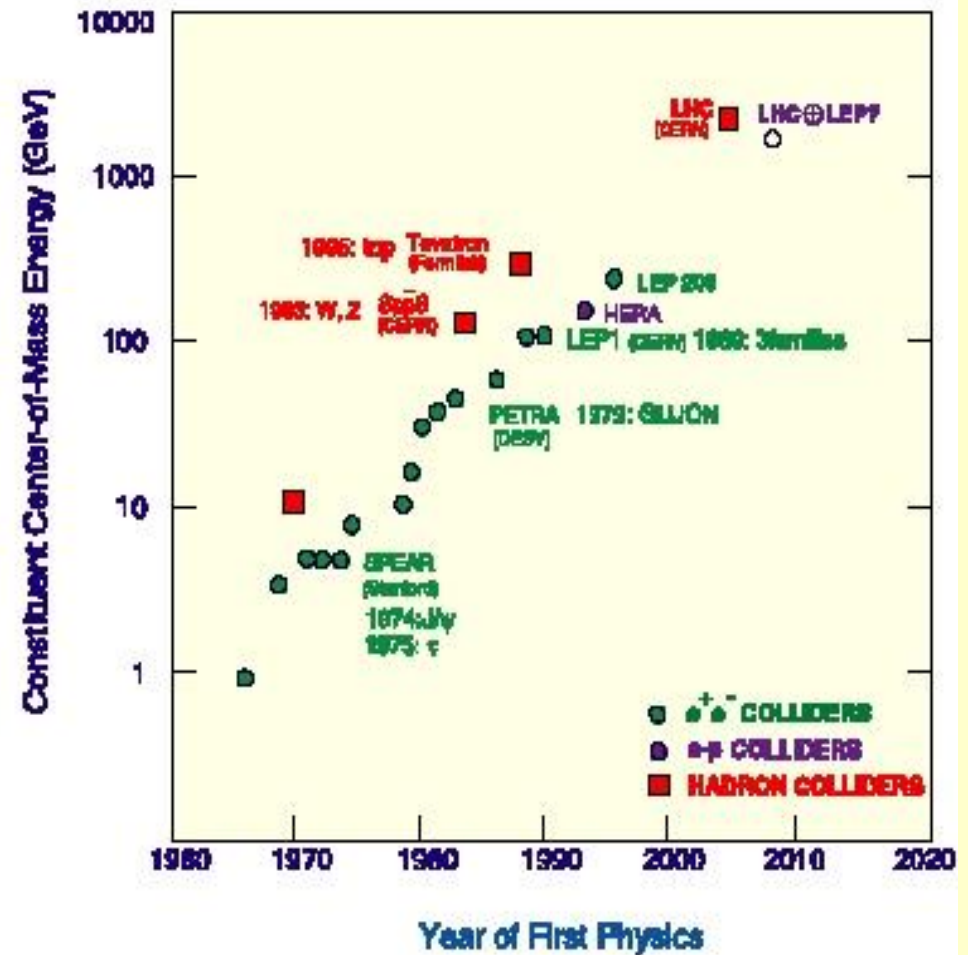


New Energy Domain

Search for the unexpected
Cover domain ~ 1 TeV in which SM without the Higgs (or equivalent) gives nonsense

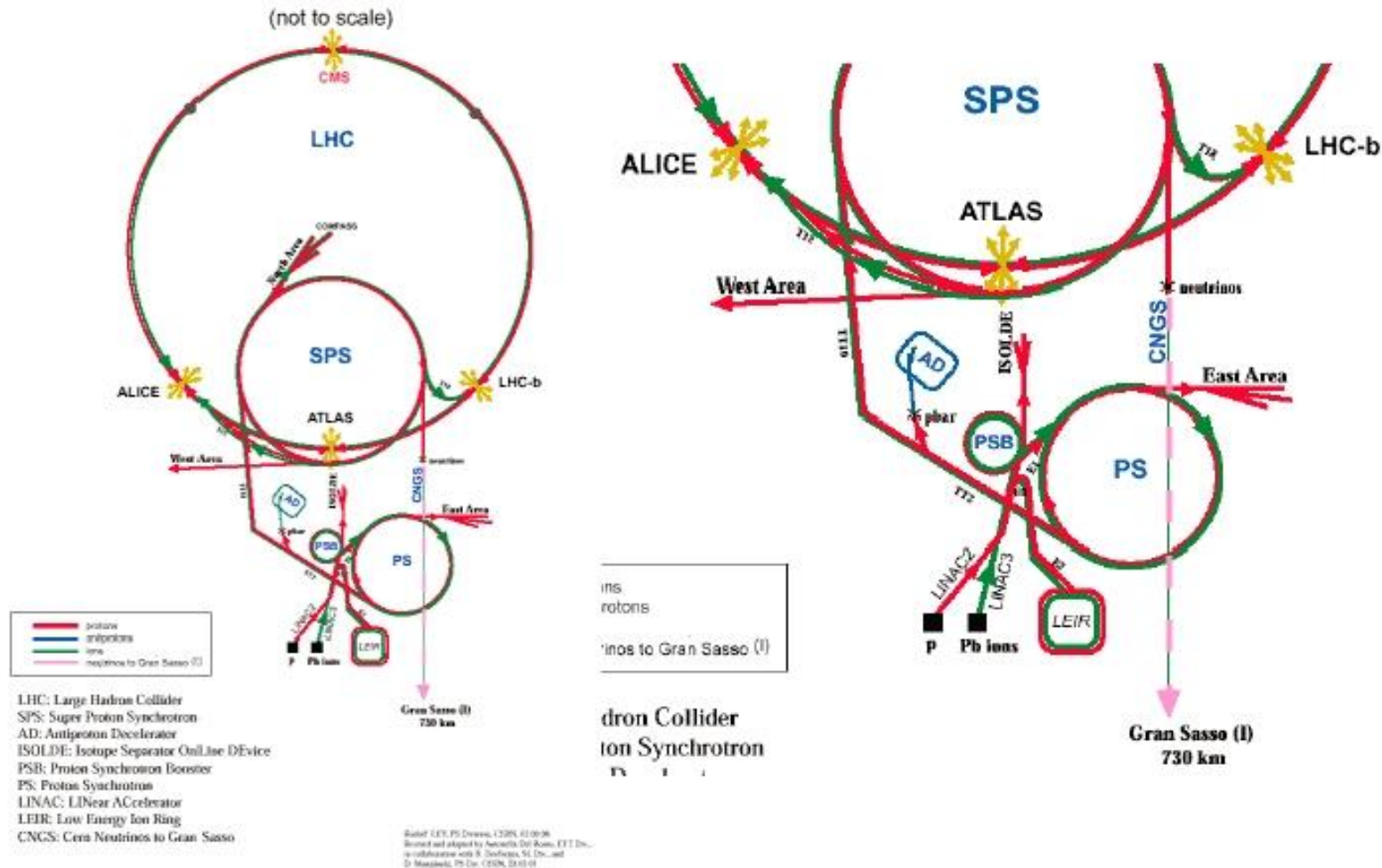
Exploratory machine required

\Rightarrow hadron-hadron collider with:
Largest possible primary energy
Largest possible luminosity





CERN Accelerators





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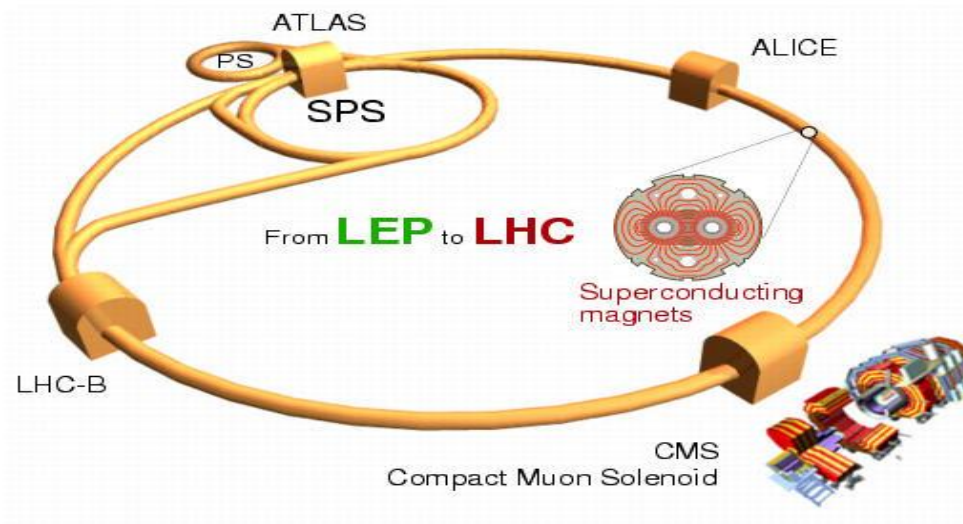
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LHC



The Large Hadron Collider (LHC)



	Beams	Energy	Luminosity
LEP	e ⁺ e ⁻	200 GeV	10 ³² cm ⁻² s ⁻¹
LHC	p p Pb Pb	14 TeV 1312 TeV	10 ³⁴ 10 ²⁷

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CERN & LHC



LHC parameters



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

- f revolution frequency
- k_b no. of bunches
- N_p no. of protons/bunch
- ϵ_n norm transverse emittance
- β^* betatron function
- F reduction factor xing angle

Magnetic Field

p (TeV) = 0.3 B(T) R(km)
 For $p=7$ TeV, $R=4.3$ km
 \Rightarrow **B = 8.4 T**

Beam-beam tune shift $\xi = \frac{Nr_p}{4\pi\epsilon_n}$

Energy at collision	E	7	TeV
Dipole field at 7 TeV	B	8.33	T
Luminosity	L	10^{34}	$\text{cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$
Beam beam parameter	ξ	3.6	10^{-3}
DC beam current	I_{beam}	0.56	A
Bunch separation		24.95	ns
No. of bunches	k_b	2835	
No. particles per bunch	N_p	1.1	10^{11}
Normalized transverse emittance (r.m.s.)	ϵ_n	3.75	μm
Collisions			
β -value at IP	β^*	0.5	m
r.m.s. beam radius at IP	σ^*	16	μm
Total crossing angle	ϕ	300	μrad
Luminosity lifetime	τ_L	10	h
Number of evts/crossing	n_c	17	
Energy loss per turn		7	keV
Total radiated power/beam		3.8	kW
Stored energy per beam		350	MJ

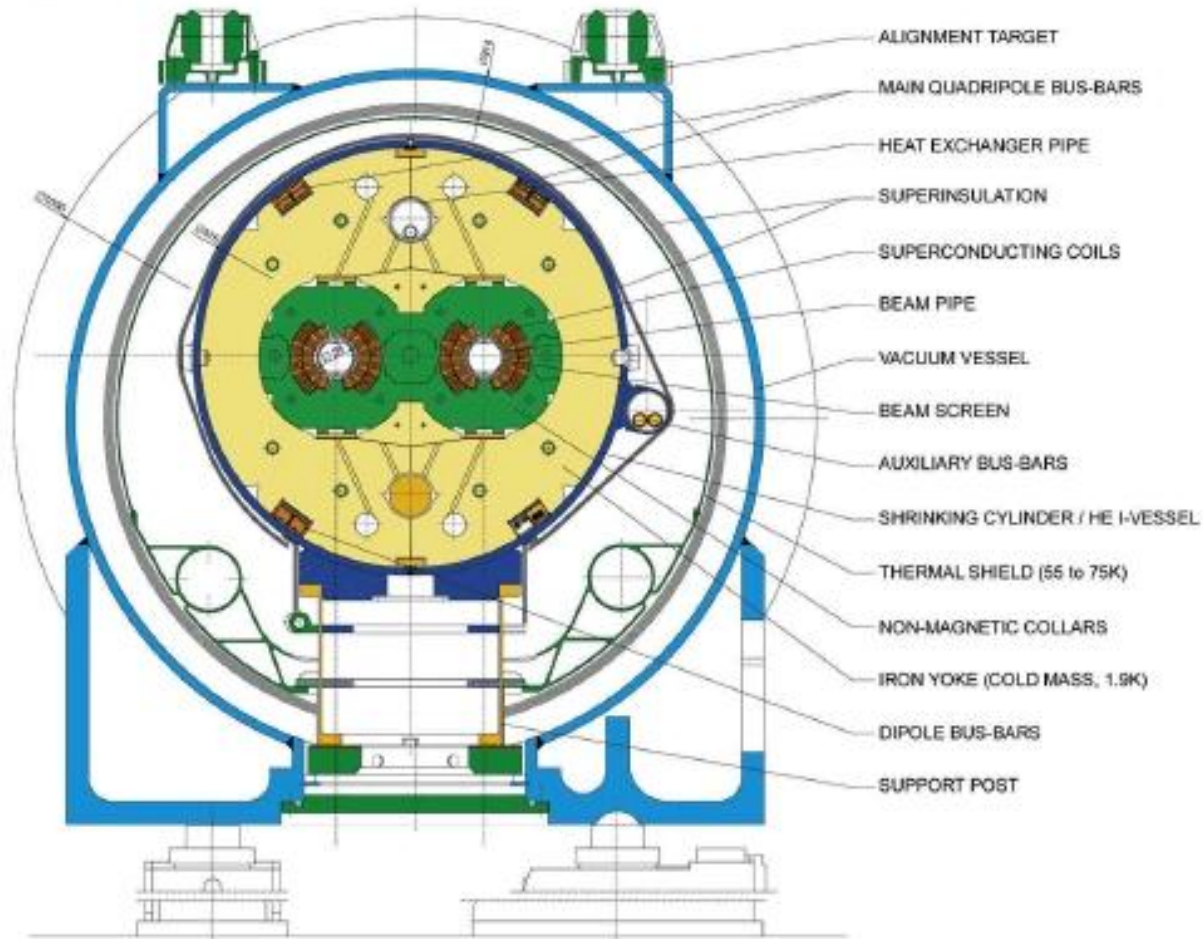


LHC DIPOLE



LHC DIPOLE : STANDARD CROSS-SECTION

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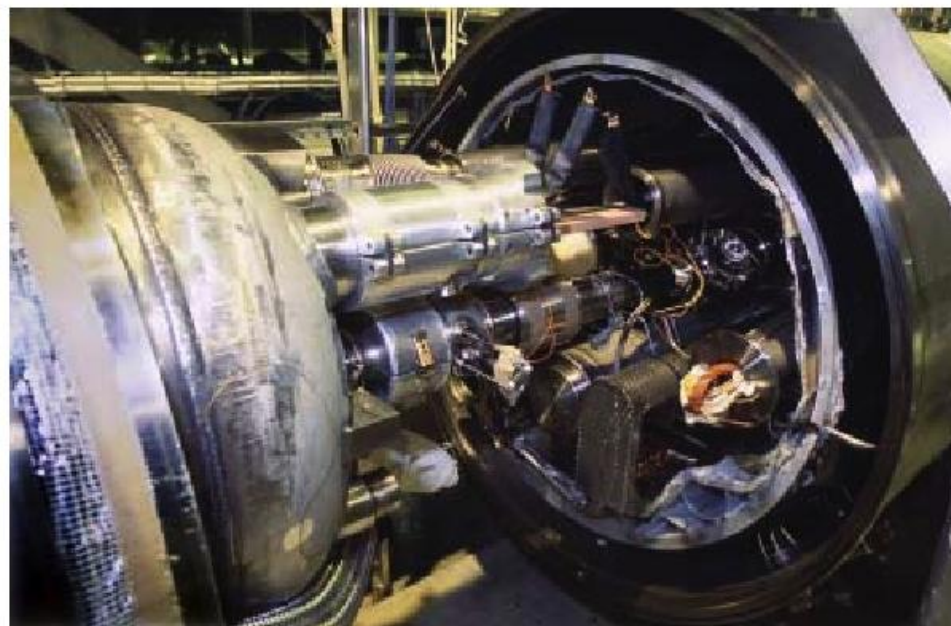




LHC Dipoles

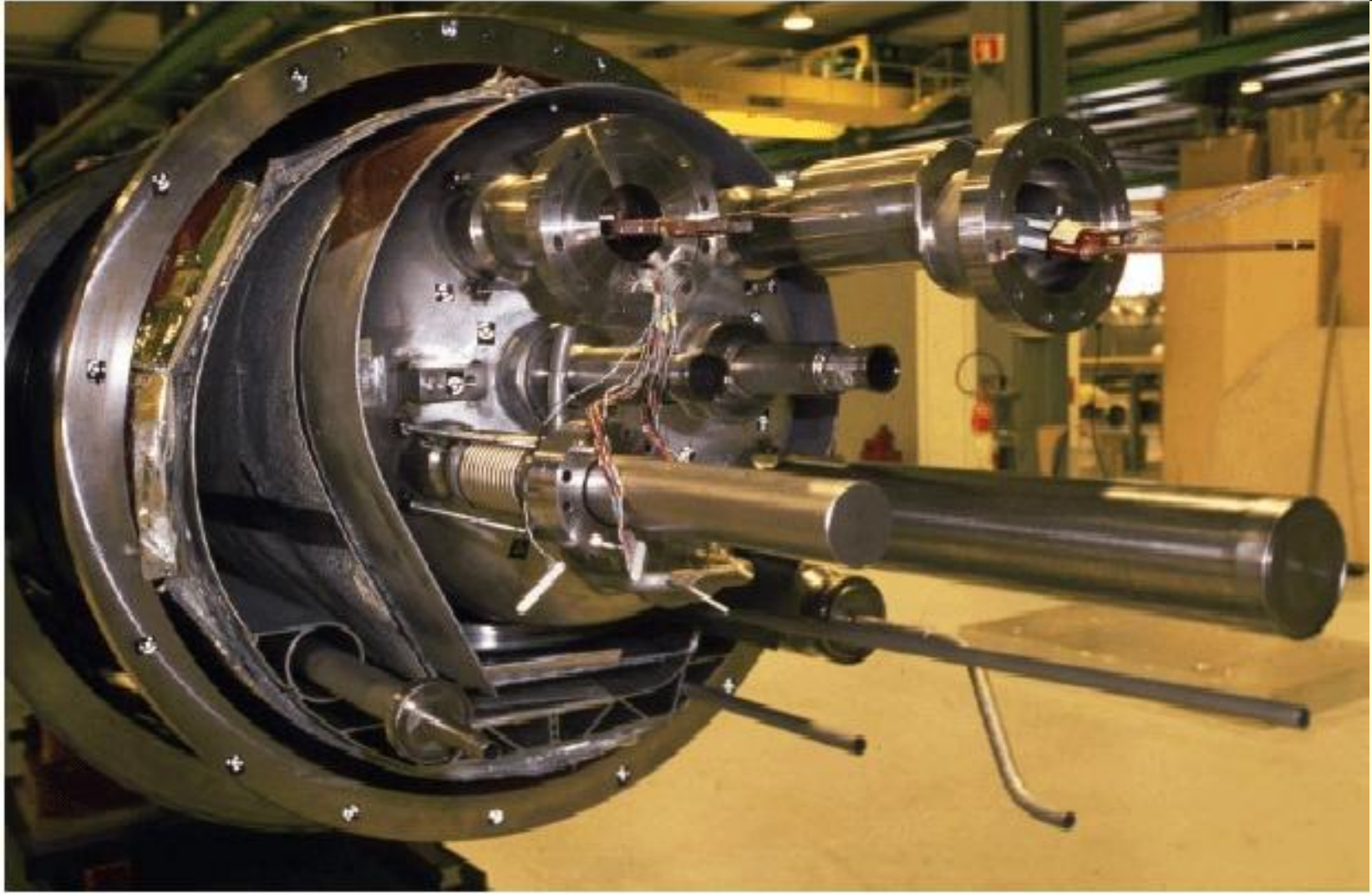


Alstom LHC Dipole No. 1





LHC superconducting dipole



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LHC magnet string

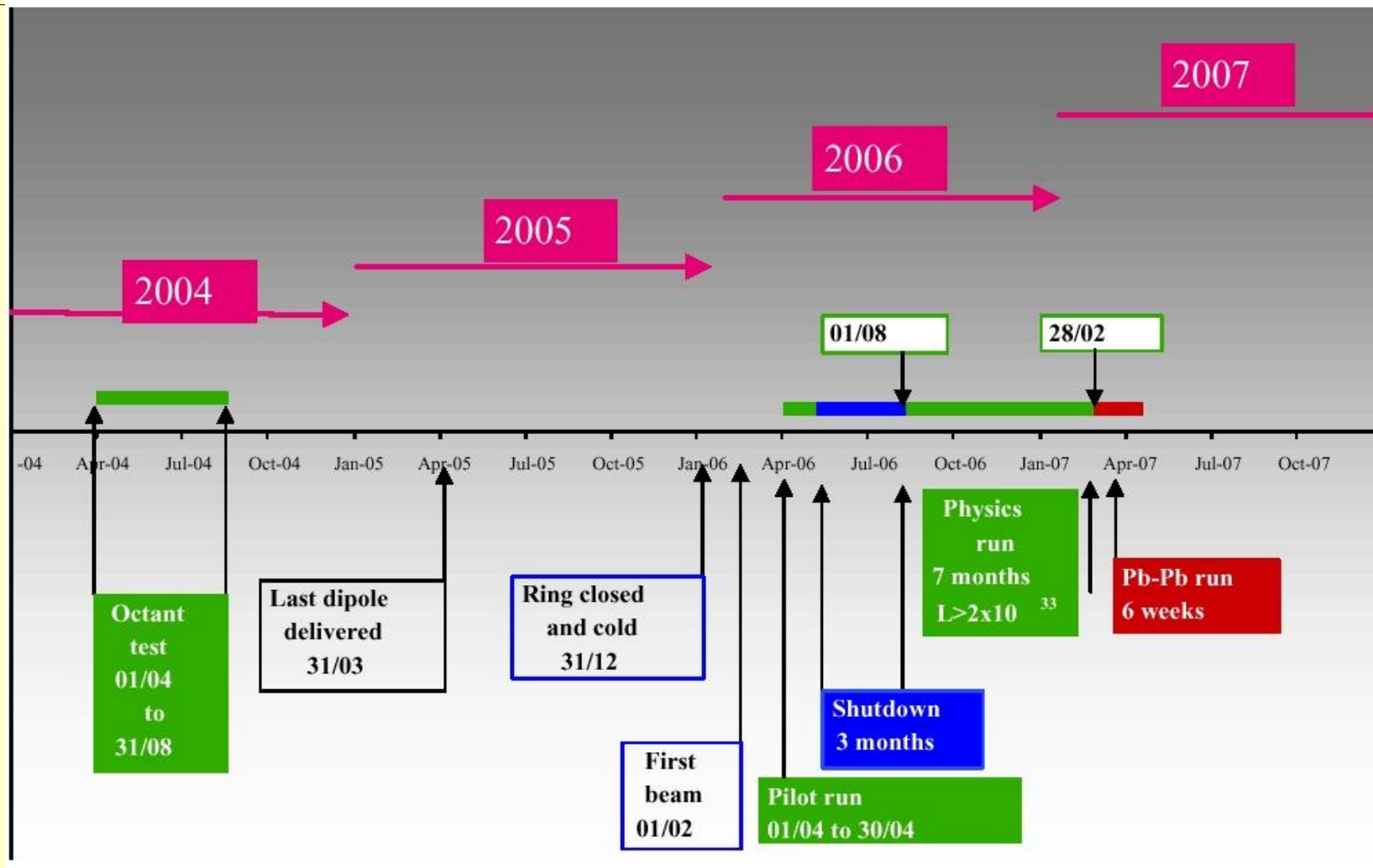


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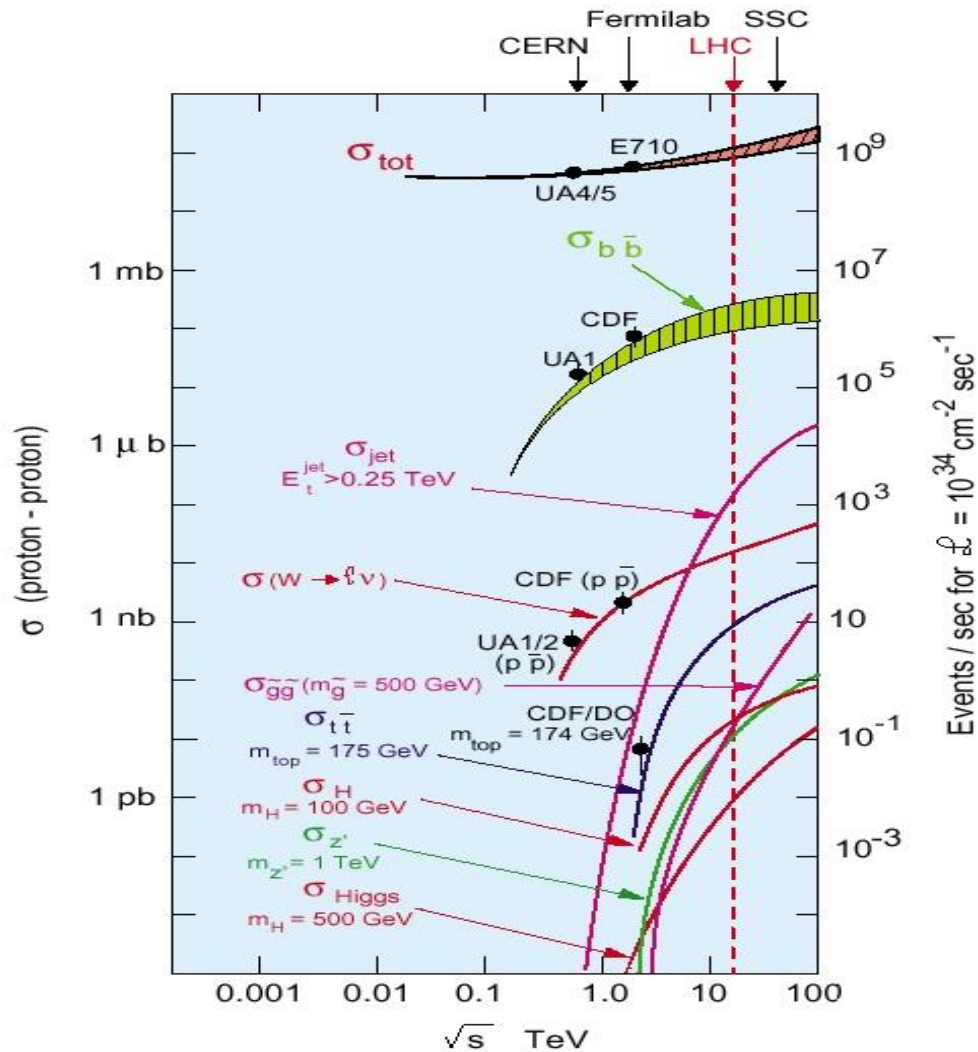


LHC schedule





pp cross-sections





Detector requirements



High Interaction Rate

pp interaction rate 10^9 interactions/s
data for only ~ 100 out of the 40 million crossings can be recorded per sec
Level-1 trigger decision will take $\sim 2-3$ ms
 \Rightarrow electronics need to store data locally (pipelining)

Large Particle Multiplicity

$\sim \langle 20 \rangle$ superposed events in each crossing
 ~ 1000 tracks stream into the detector every 25 ns
need highly granular detectors with good time resolution for low occupancy
 \Rightarrow large number of channels

High Radiation Levels

\Rightarrow radiation hard (tolerant) detectors and electronics



Detector requirements



Very good muon identification and momentum measurement

trigger efficiently and measure sign of a few TeV muons

High energy resolution electromagnetic calorimetry

$\sim 0.5\%$ @ $E_T \sim 50$ GeV

Powerful inner tracking systems

factor 10 better momentum resolution than at LEP

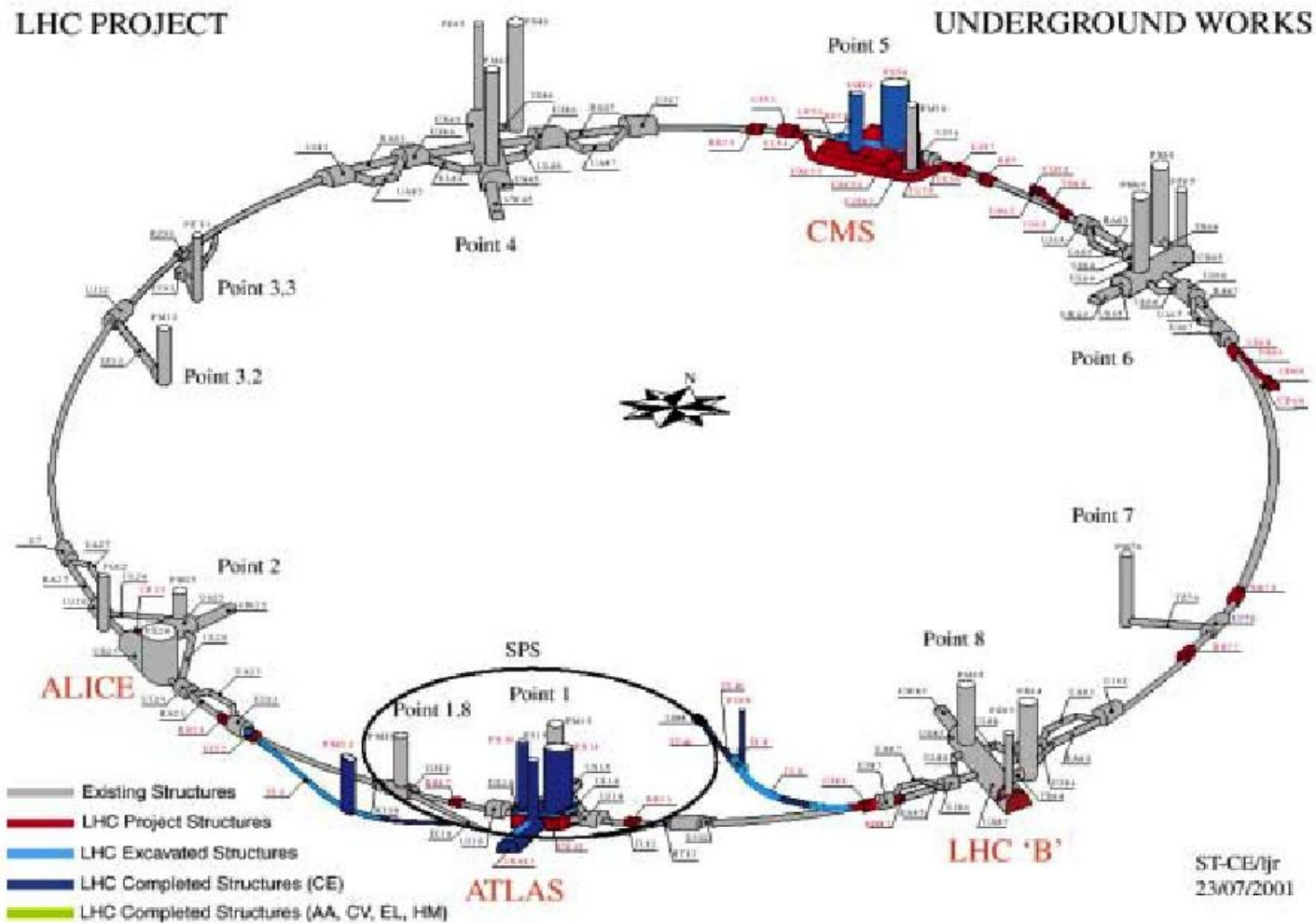
Hermetic calorimetry

good missing E_T resolution

(Affordable detector)



LHC





CMS Detector



31 Nations, 150 Institutions, 1870 Scientists

TRIGGER & DATA ACQUISITION

Austria, CERN, Finland, France, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Korea, Poland, Portugal, Switzerland, UK, USA

TRACKER

Austria, Belgium, CERN, Finland, France, Germany, Italy, Japan*, Switzerland, UK, USA

CRYSTAL ECAL

Belarus, CERN, China, Croatia, Cyprus, France, Italy, Japan*, Portugal, Russia, Switzerland, UK, USA

PRESHOWER

Armenia, Belarus, CERN, Greece, India, Russia, Taiwan (PC), Uzbekistan

RETURN YOKE

Barrel: Czech Rep., Estonia, Germany, Greece, Russia
Endcap: Japan*, USA

SUPERCONDUCTING MAGNET

All countries in CMS contribute to Magnet financing in particular:
Finland, France, Italy, Japan*, Korea, Switzerland, USA

FEET
Pakistan
China

FORWARD CALORIMETER

Hungary, Iran, Russia, Turkey, USA

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Barrel: Bulgaria, India, Spain*, USA
Endcap: Belarus, Bulgaria, Russia, Ukraine
HO: India

MUON CHAMBERS

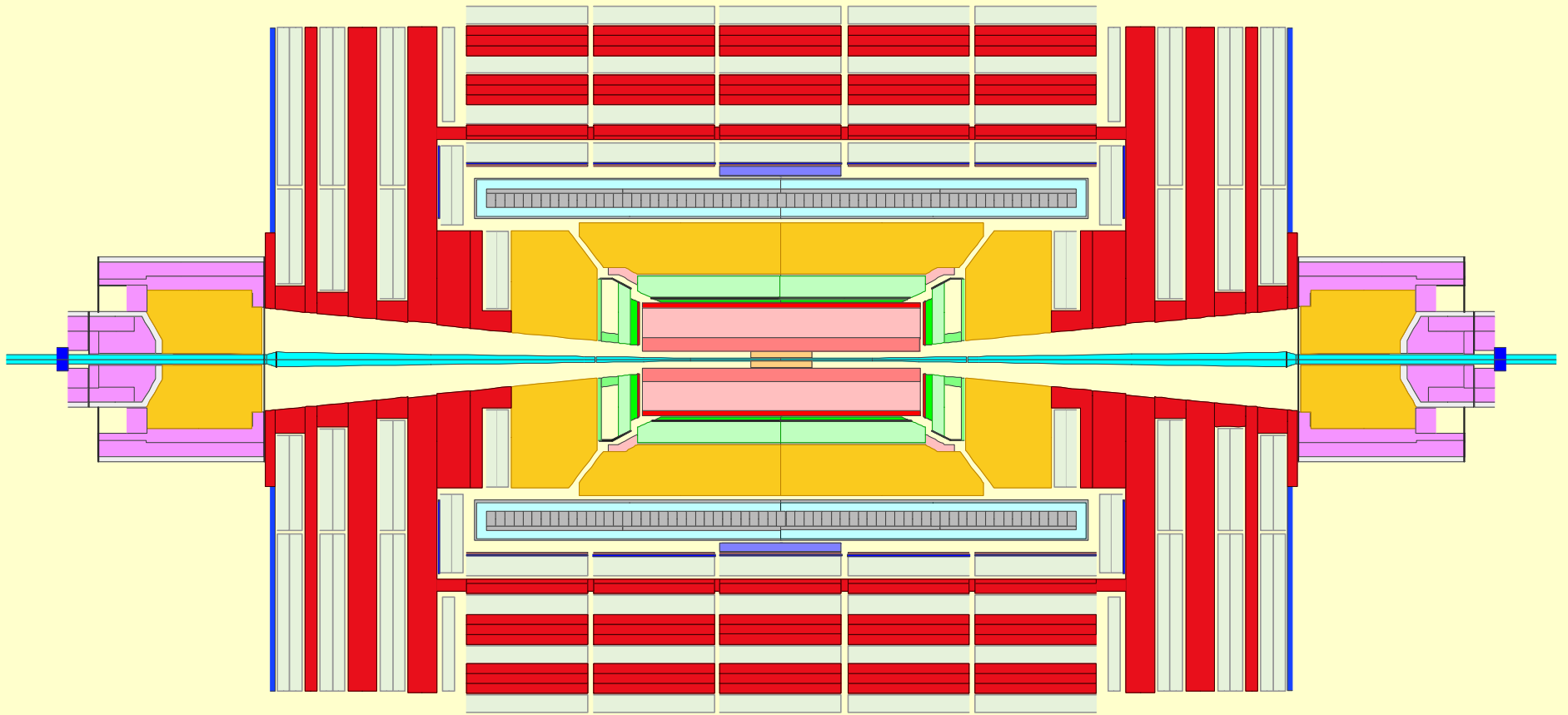
Barrel: Austria, Bulgaria, CERN, China, Germany, Hungary, Italy, Spain,
Endcap: Belarus, Bulgaria, China, Korea, Pakistan, Russia, USA

* Only through industrial contracts

Total weight : 12500 T
Overall diameter : 15.0 m
Overall length : 21.5 m
Magnetic field : 4 Tesla

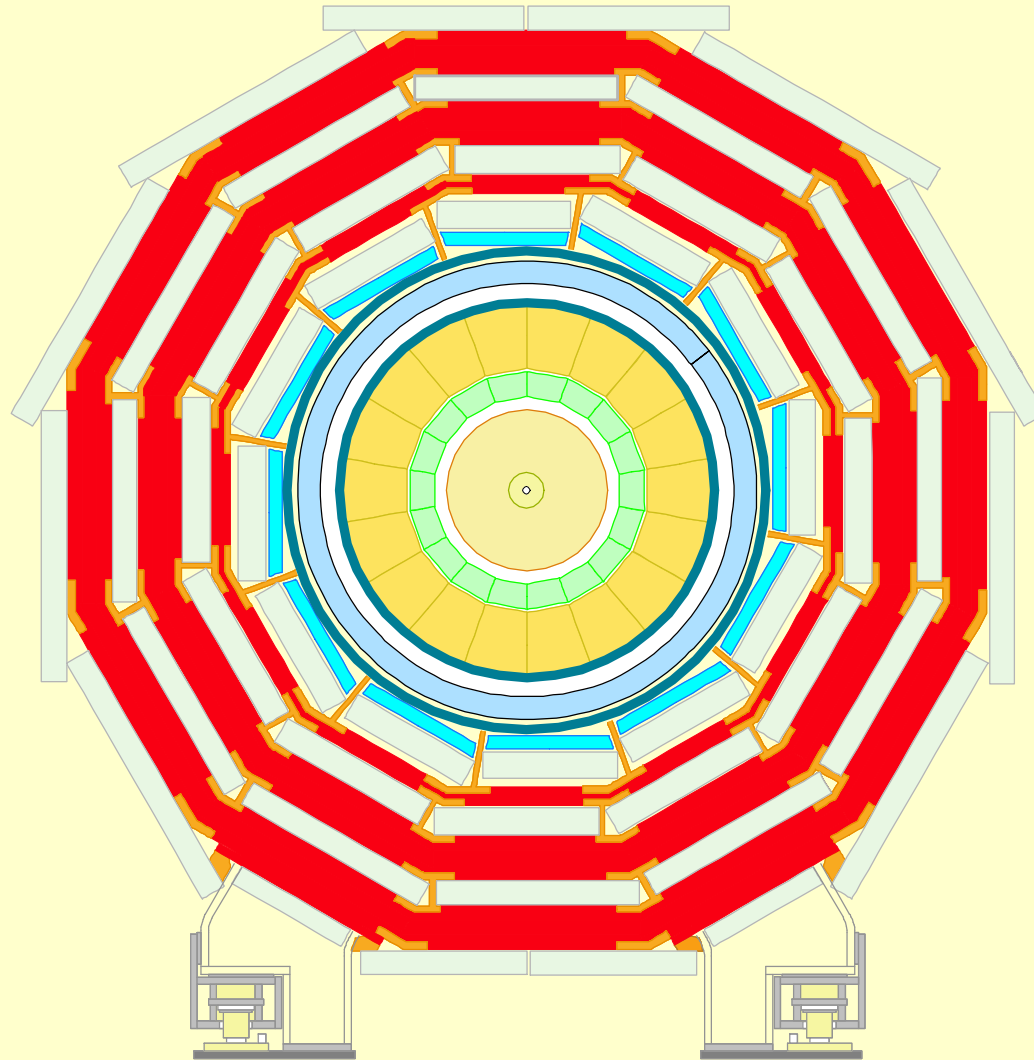


CMS Longitudinal view



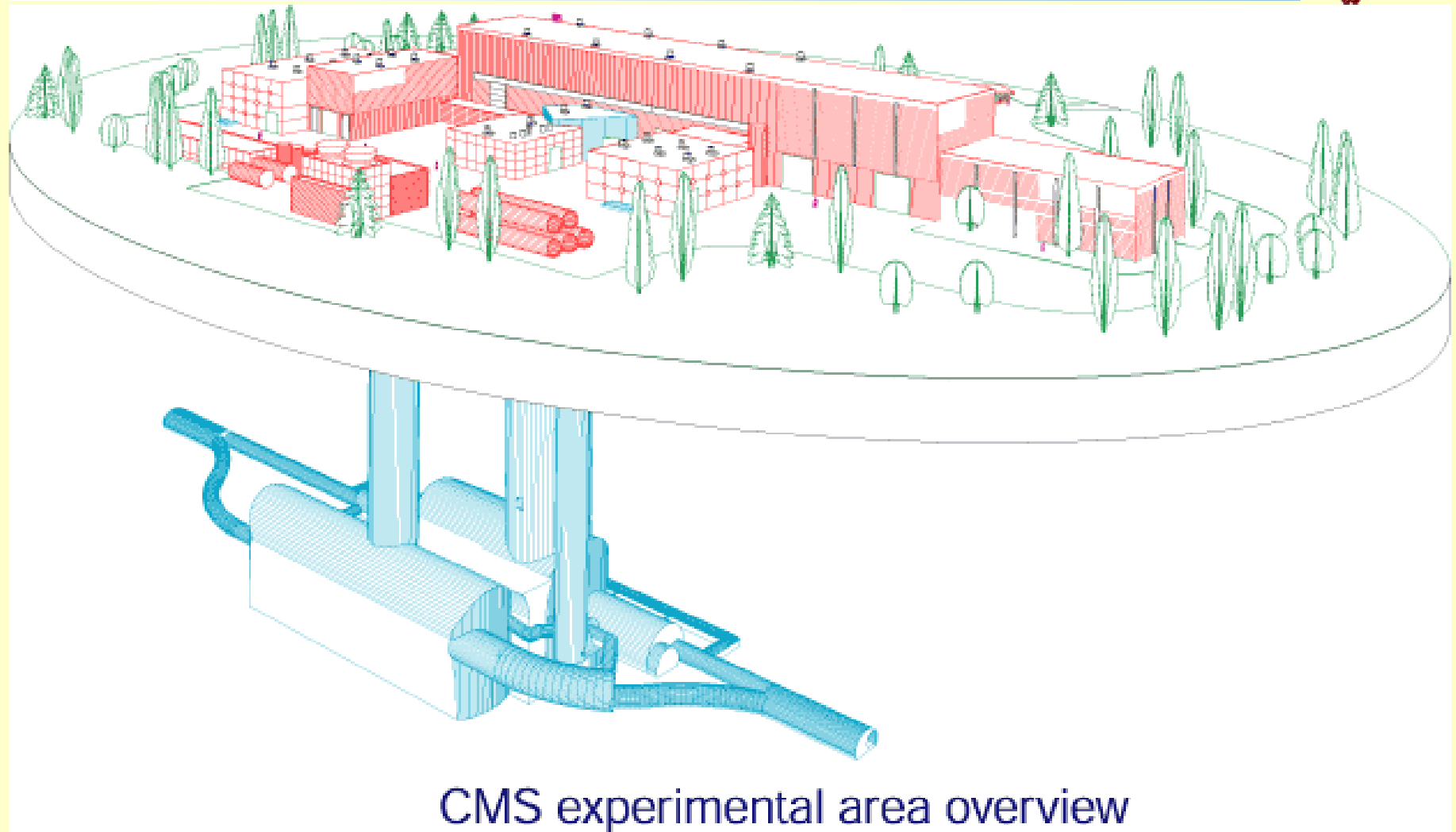


CMS Transversal view





CMS experimental Area



CMS experimental area overview



LHC Point 5

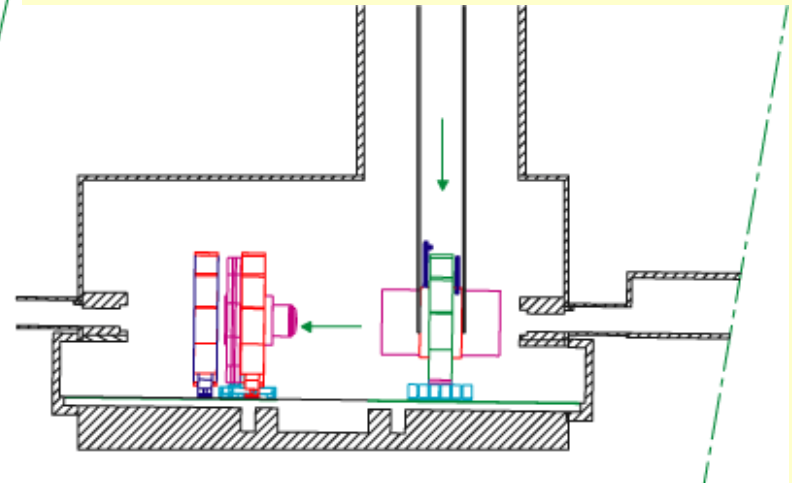
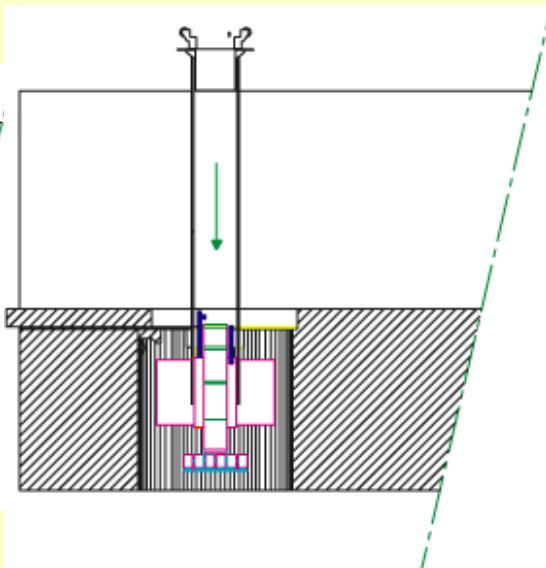
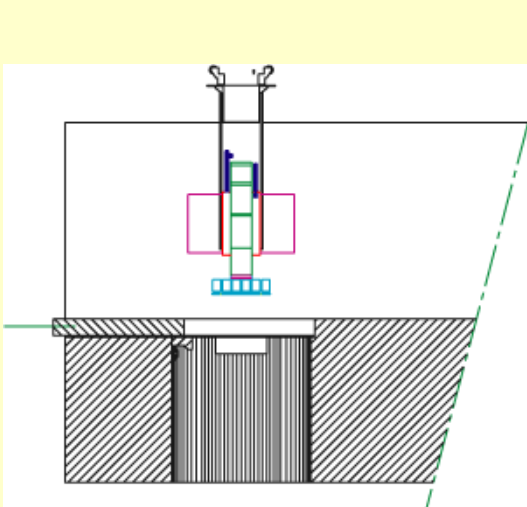
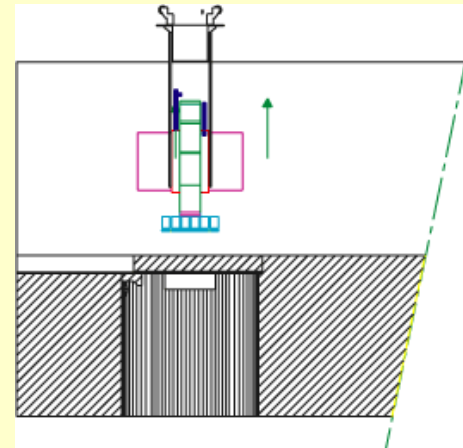
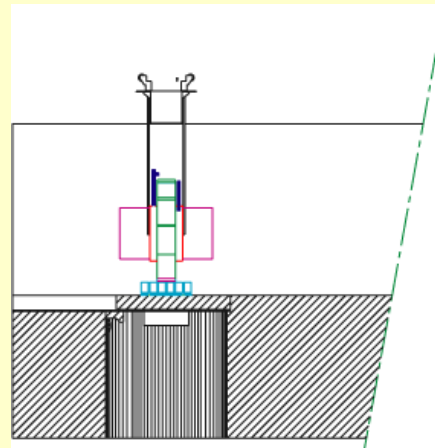
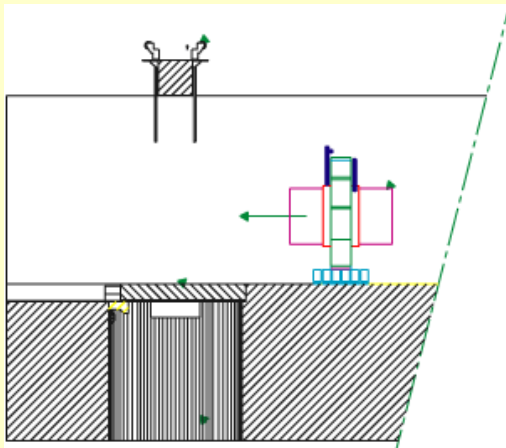


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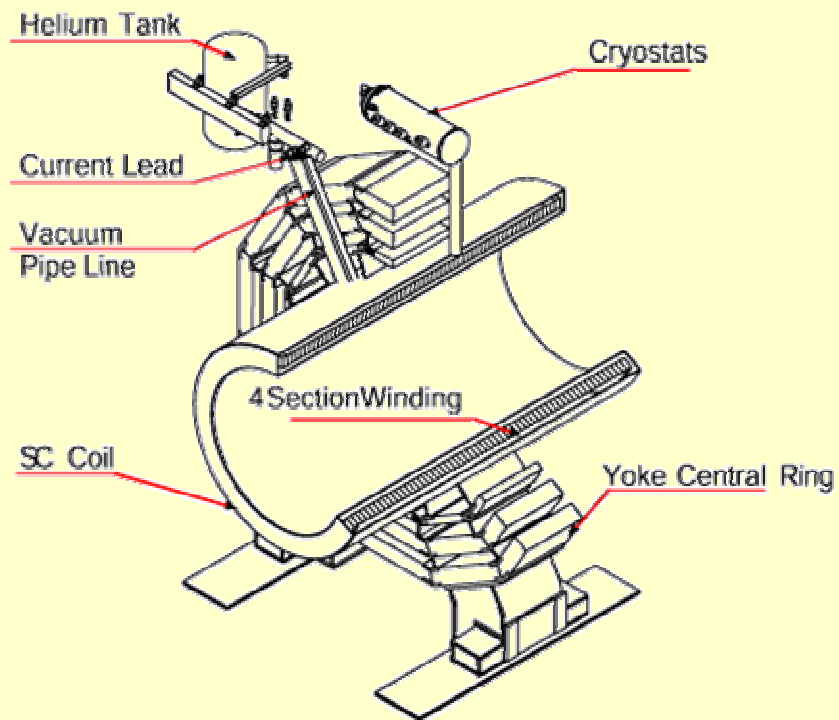


CMS Installation





CMS Magnet





Magnet Return Yoke



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Magnet Endcap



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CMS Coil



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Magnet

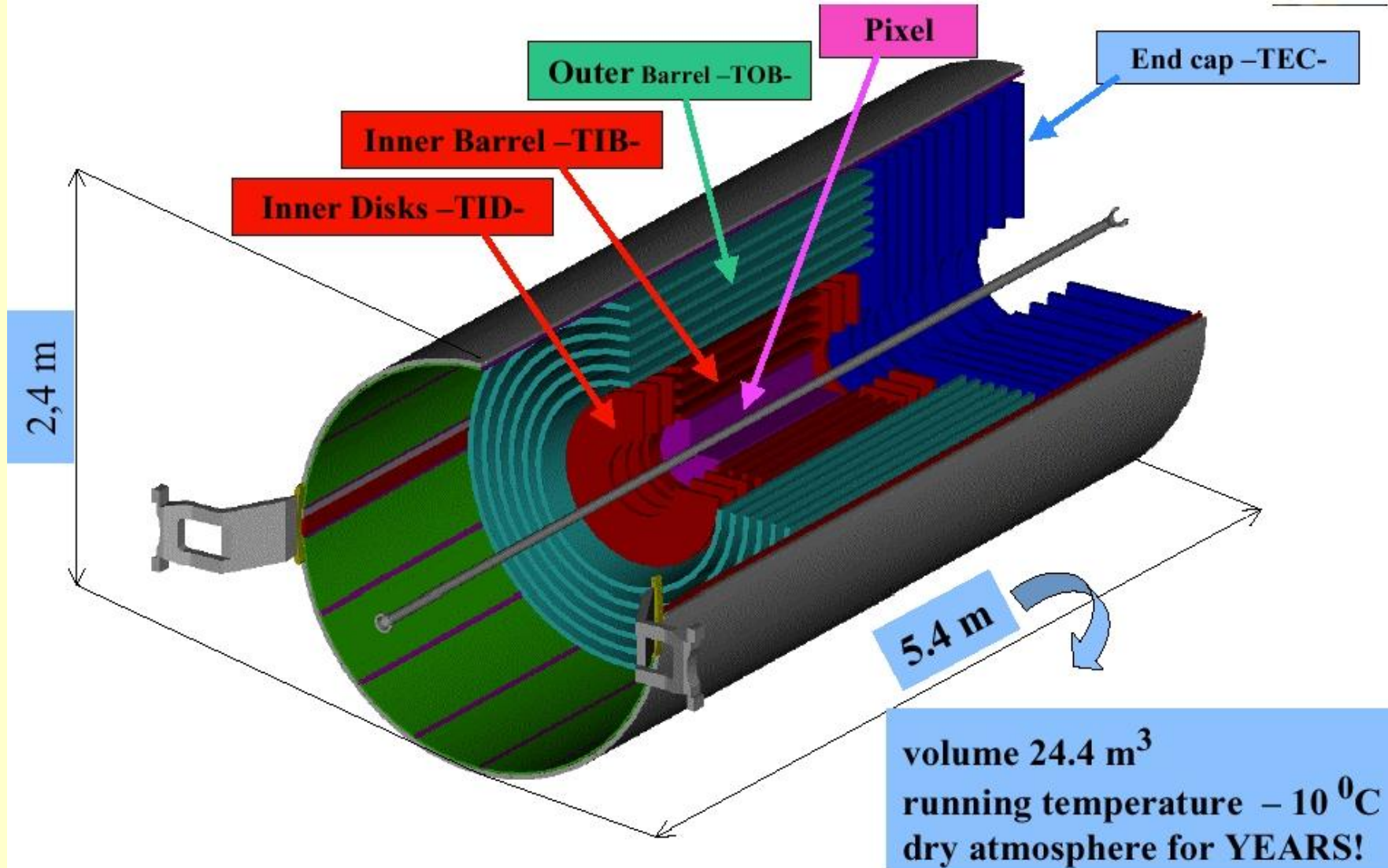


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Central Track Detector





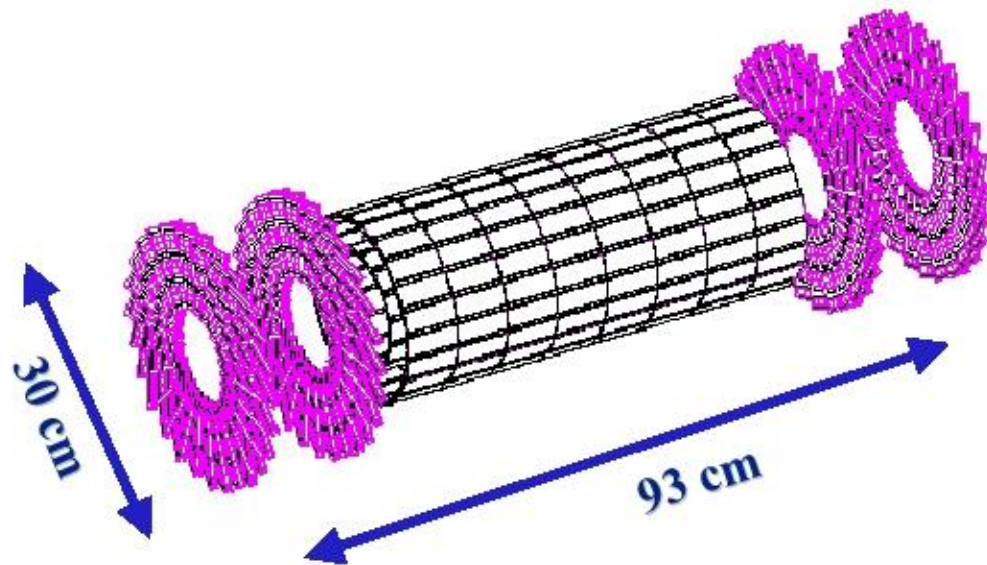
Central Pixel Detector



Still in R&D phase. Construction starts at end of 2003

Challenge: low mass, rad-hard, fast and efficient readout, large production yield, bump bonding

Today: integration with beam pipe and SST, installation scheme, services



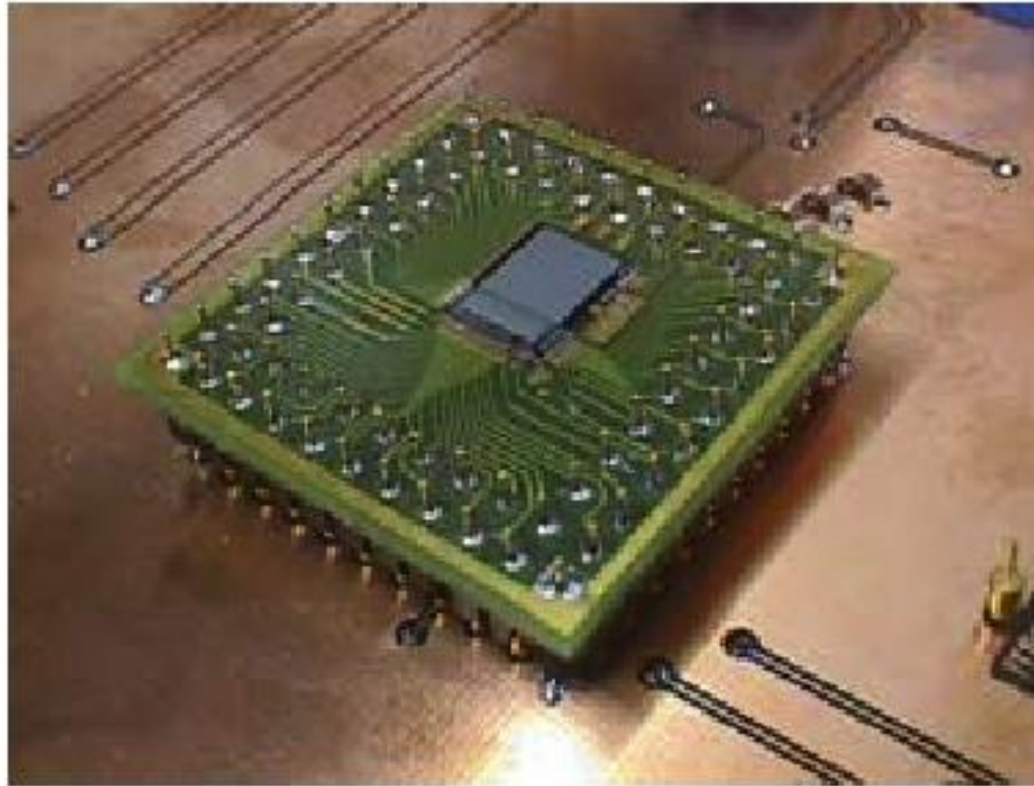
39 10^6 pixels

14.192 chips

Occupancy 10^{-4}



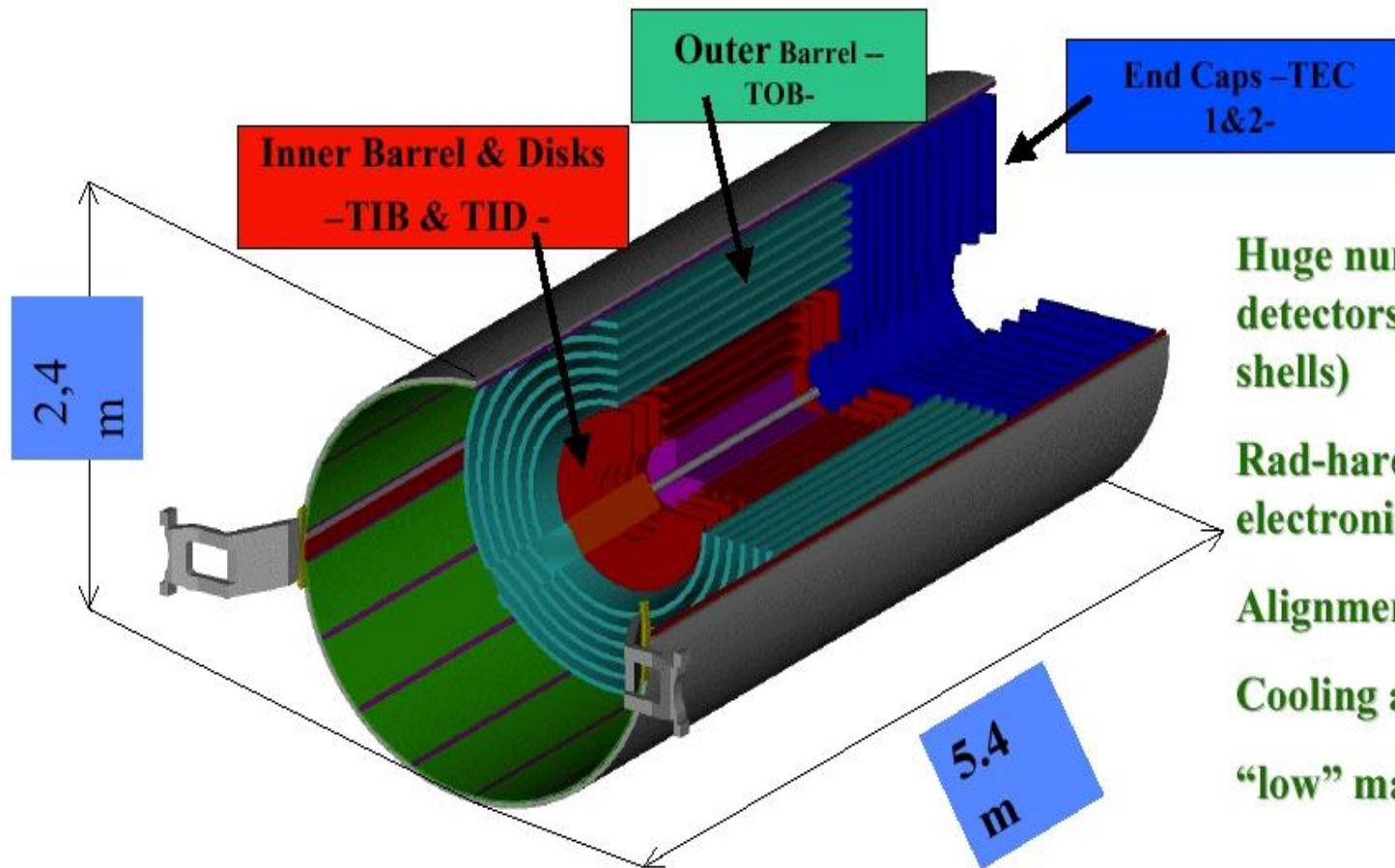
Pixel Chip



- 36x40 pixel chip
- chip size 8.4mm x 6.3mm
- pixel size 150 μ x 150 μ



Central Microstrip Detector



Huge number of silicon detectors (rods, petals, shells)

Rad-hard modules and electronics

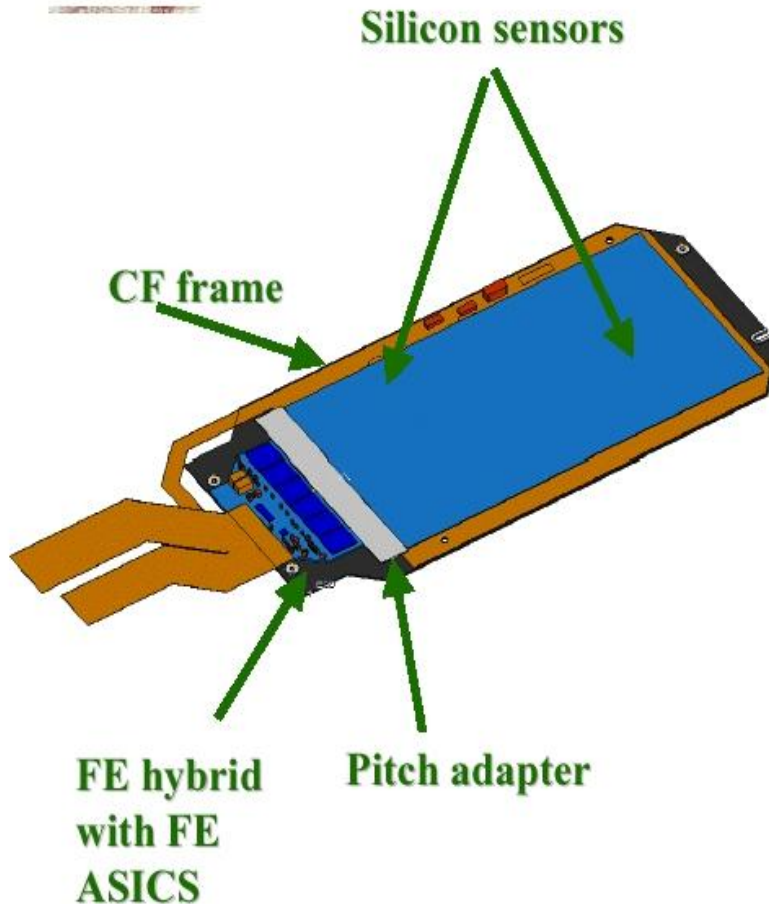
Alignment

Cooling and $-10\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$

“low” mass



Silicon Microstrip Module



6,136 Thin sensors
18,192 Thick sensors

6,136 Thin detectors (1 sensor)
9,096 Thick detectors (2 sensors)

3112 + 1512 Thin modules (ss +ds)
5496 + 1800 Thick modules (ss +ds)

9,648,128 strips \equiv electronics channels

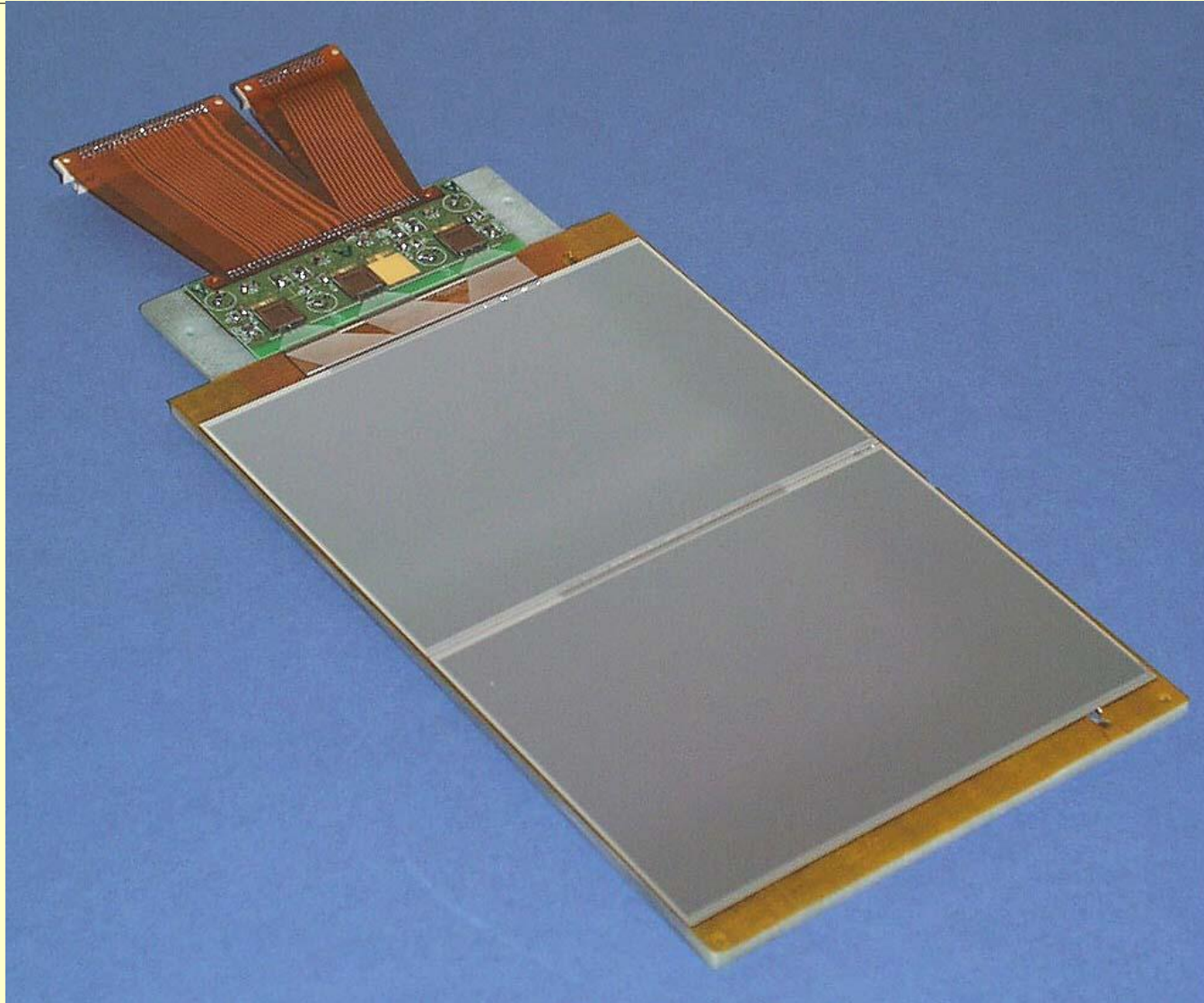
75,376 APV chips

25,000,000 Bonds

440 m² of silicon wafers
210 m² of silicon sensors (162m² + 48m²)



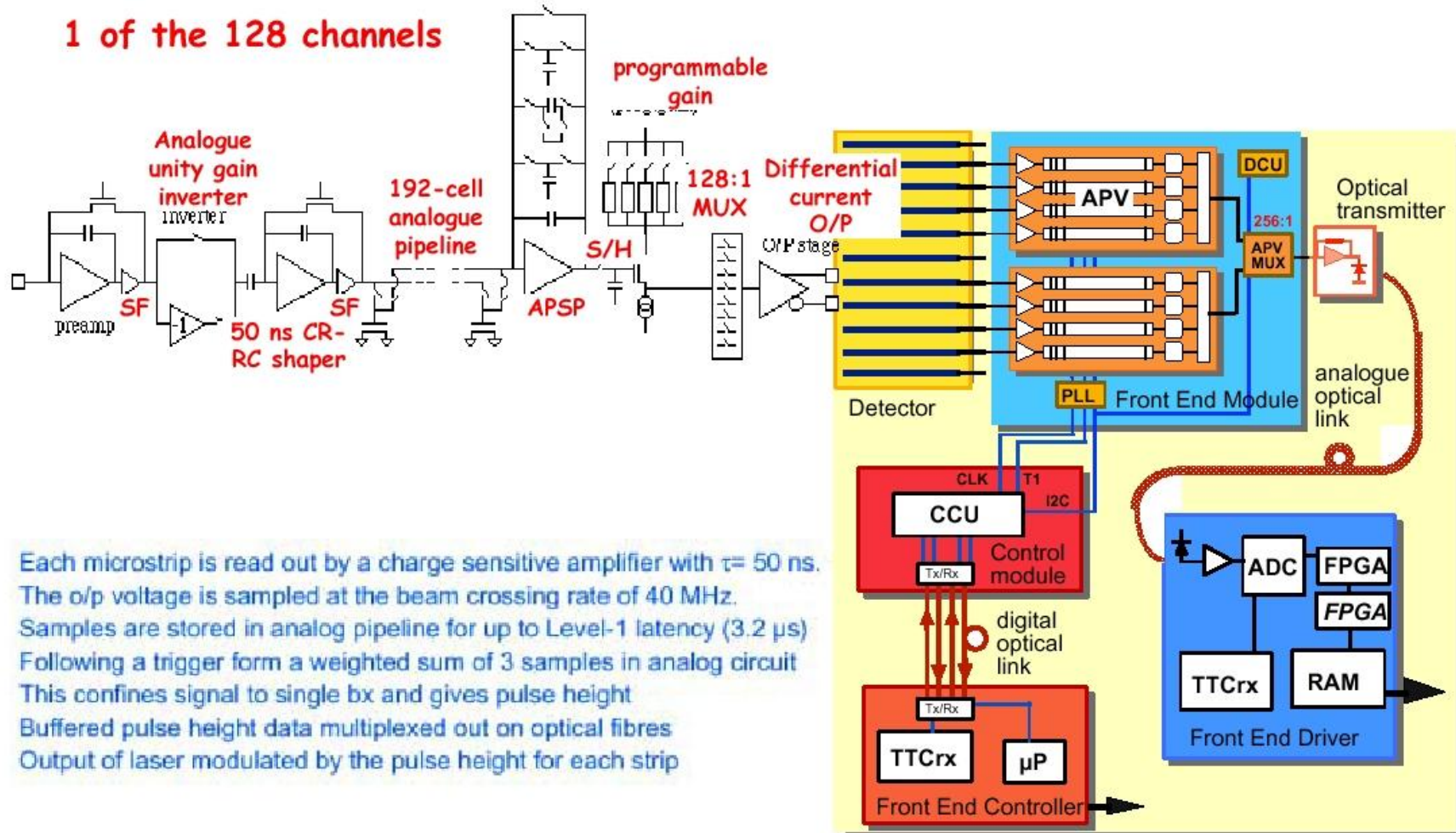
Silicon Microstrip Sensor



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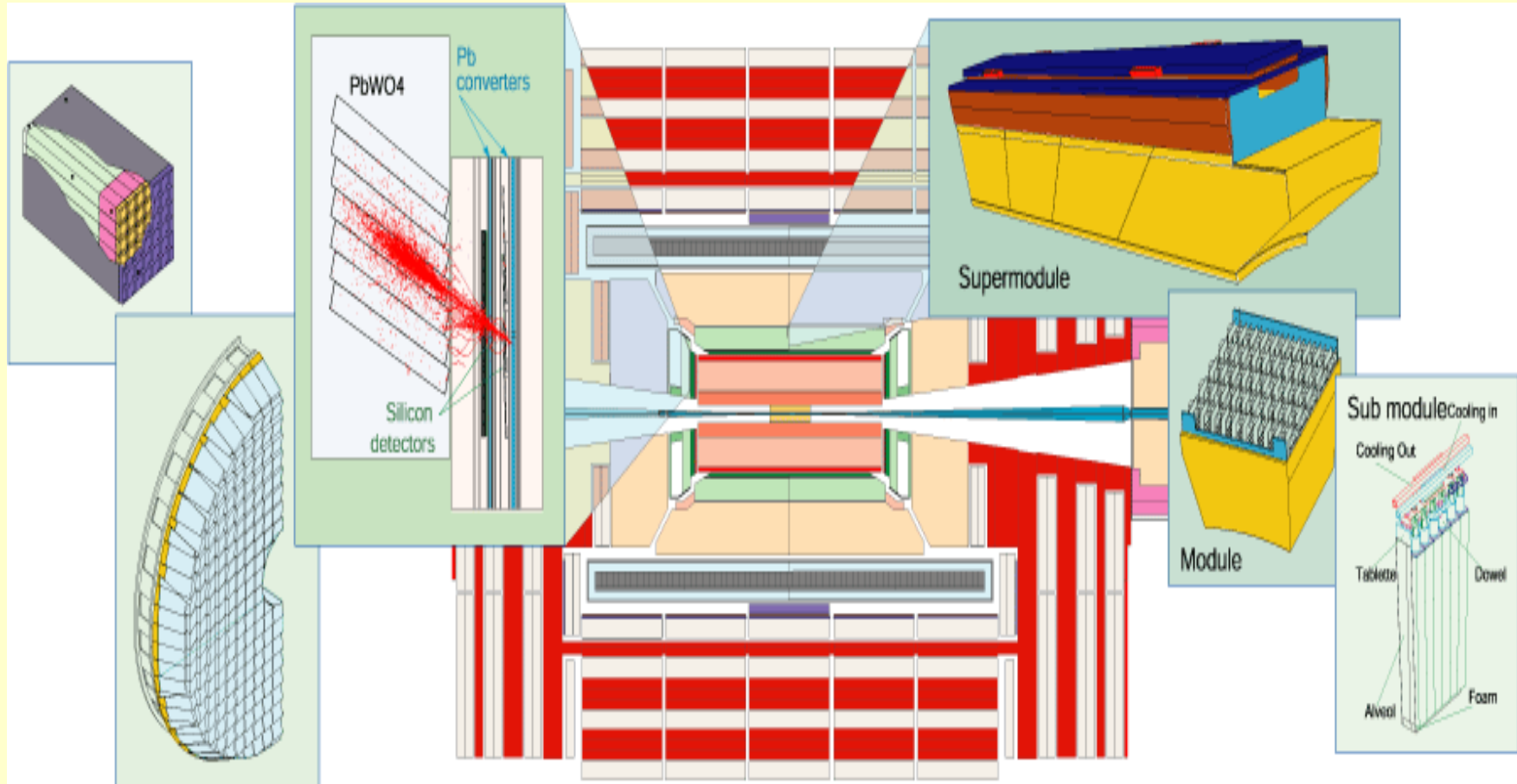
1 of the 128 channels



Each microstrip is read out by a charge sensitive amplifier with $\tau = 50$ ns. The o/p voltage is sampled at the beam crossing rate of 40 MHz. Samples are stored in analog pipeline for up to Level-1 latency ($3.2 \mu\text{s}$) Following a trigger form a weighted sum of 3 samples in analog circuit This confines signal to single bx and gives pulse height Buffered pulse height data multiplexed out on optical fibres Output of laser modulated by the pulse height for each strip



ECAL Overview

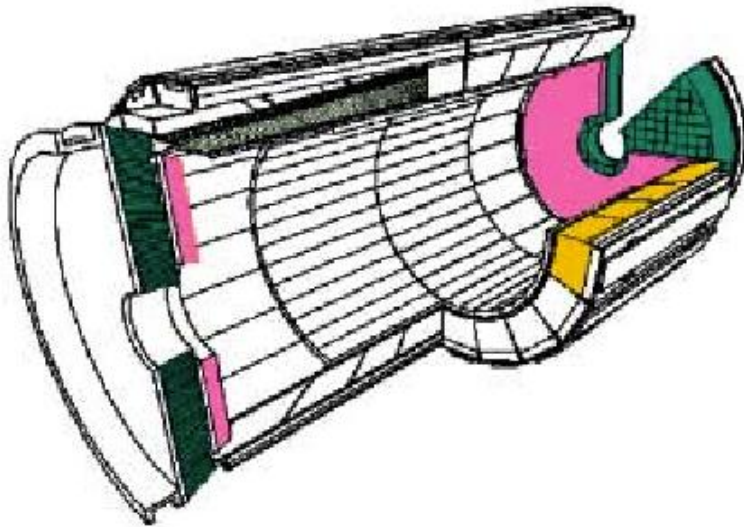




ECAL



ECAL: PbWO_4 crystals



Parameter	Barrel	Endcap
η coverage	$ \eta < 1.48$	$1.48 < \eta < 3.0$
Granularity ($\Delta\eta \times \Delta\phi$)	0.0175×0.0175	varies in η
Crystal Dims. (cm^3)	$2.18 \times 2.18 \times 23$	$2.85 \times 2.85 \times 22$
Depth in X_0	25.8	$24.7 (+3X_0)$
No. of crystals	61,200	14,950
Crystal Volume (m^3)	8.14	3.04
Photodetector	APDs	VPTs
Modularity	36 supermodules	4 Dees

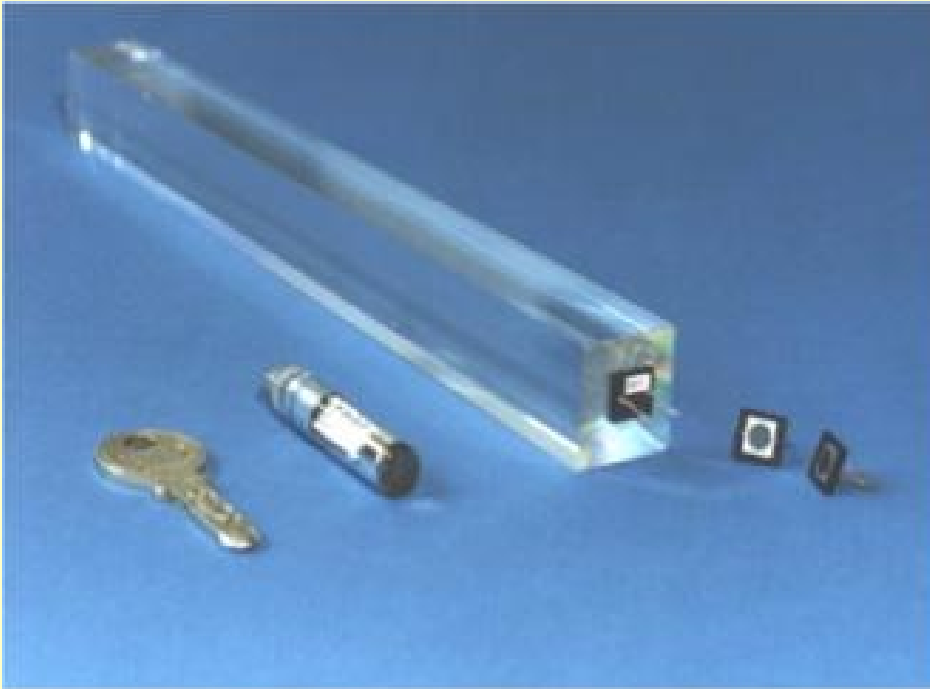
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Central Region ($|\eta| < 3$): Brass/Scintillator with WLS fibre readout, projective geometry, granularity $\Delta\eta \times \Delta\phi = 0.0875 \times 0.0875$

Forward Region ($3 < |\eta| < 5$): Fe/Quartz Fibre, Cerenkov light



PbWO₄ crystals



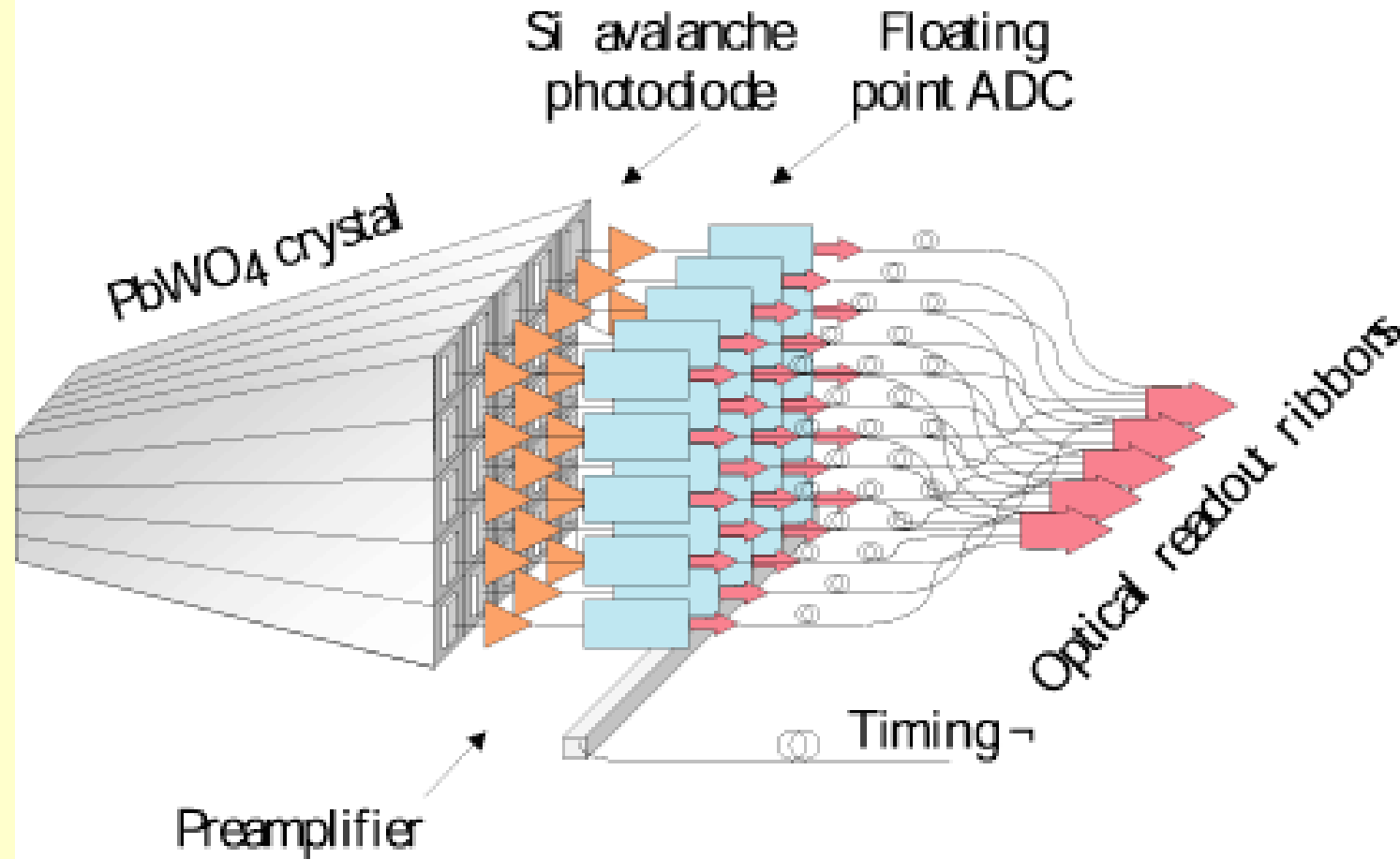


ECAL module



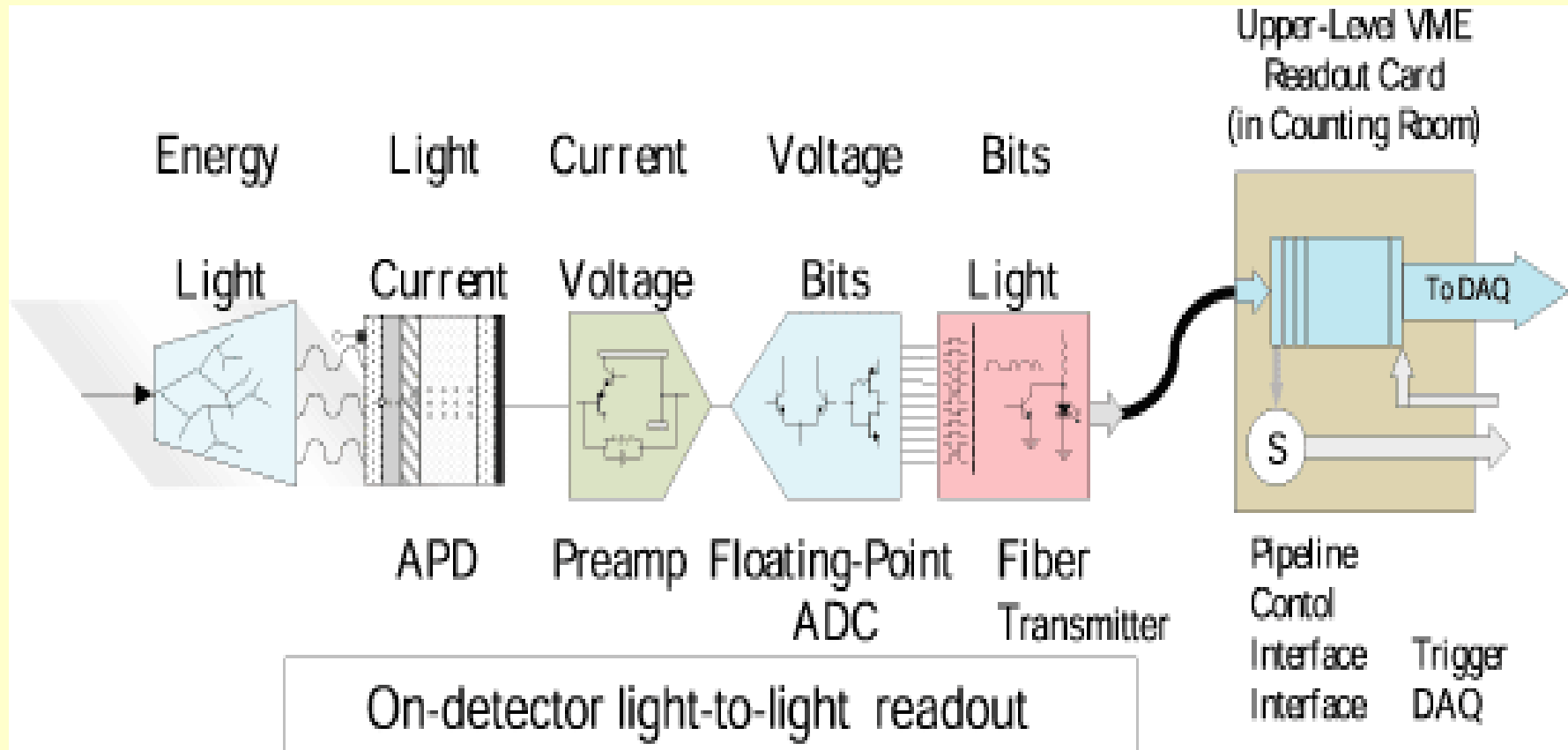


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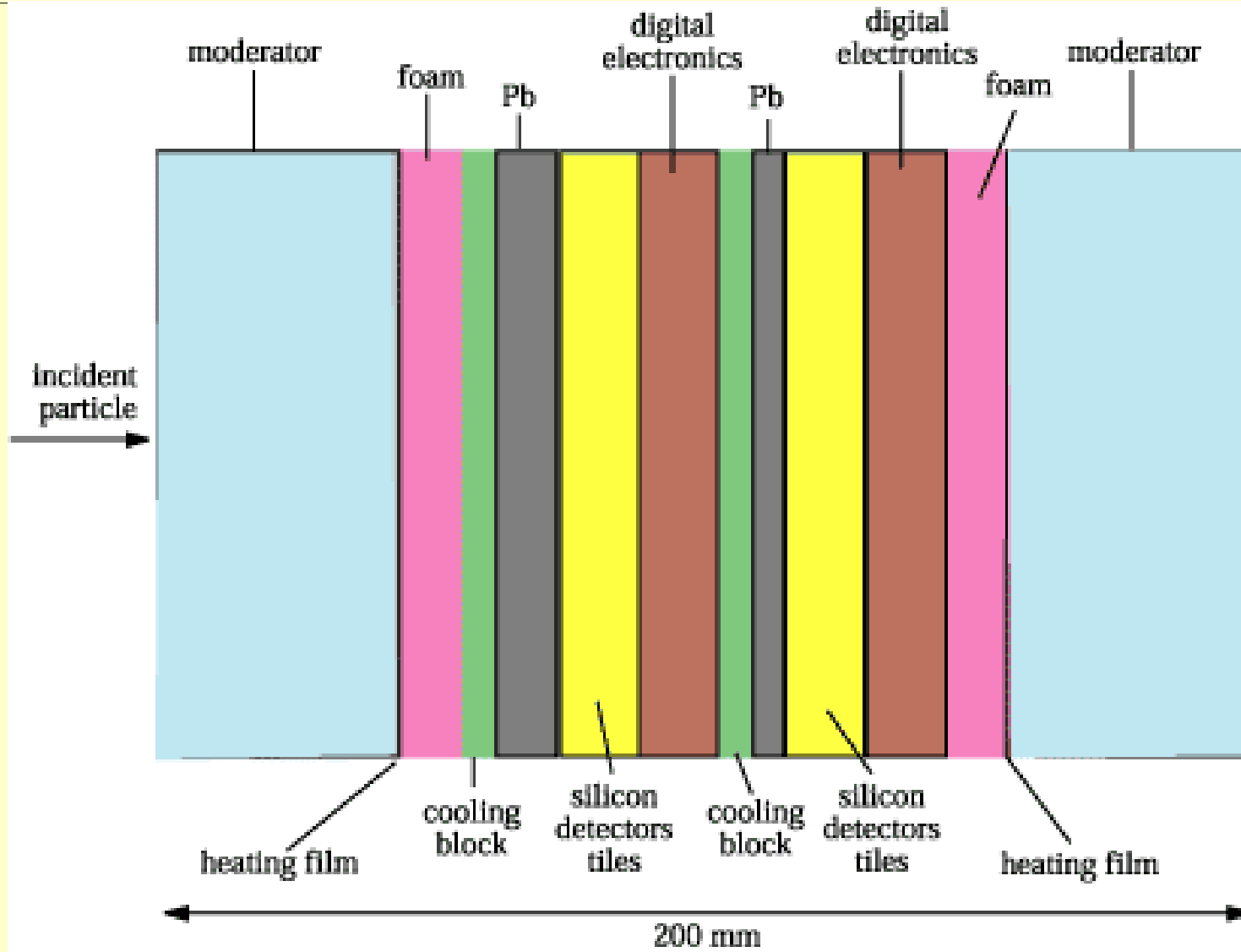


ECAL readout



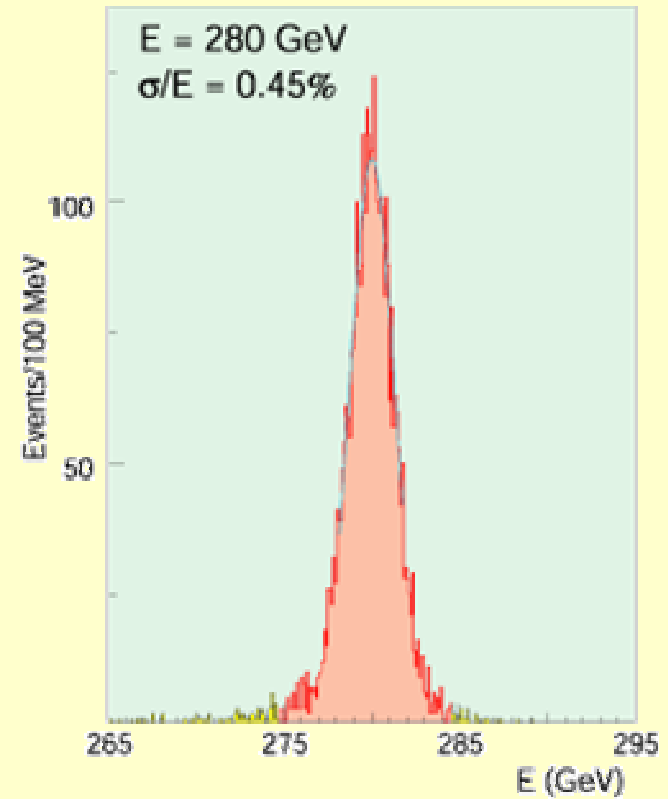
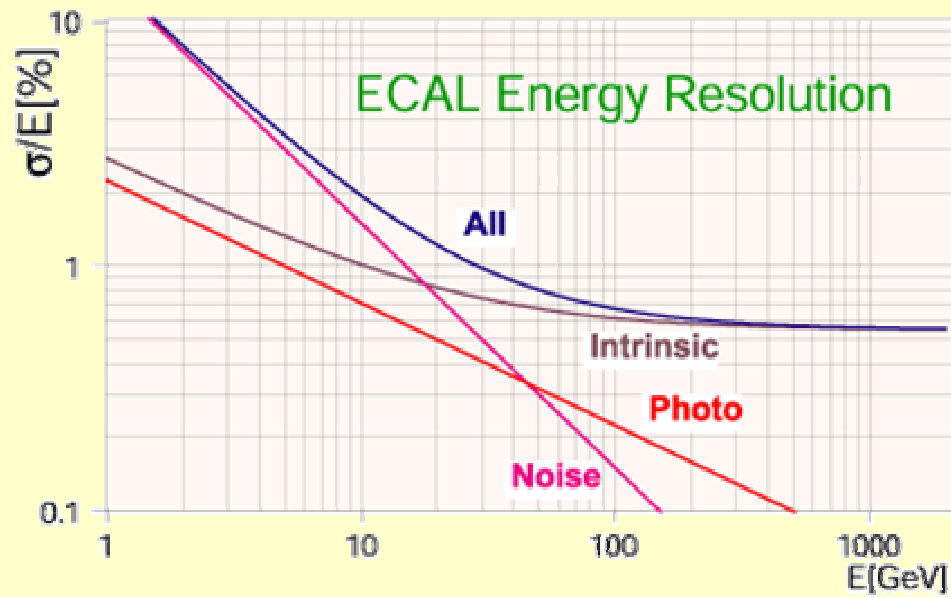


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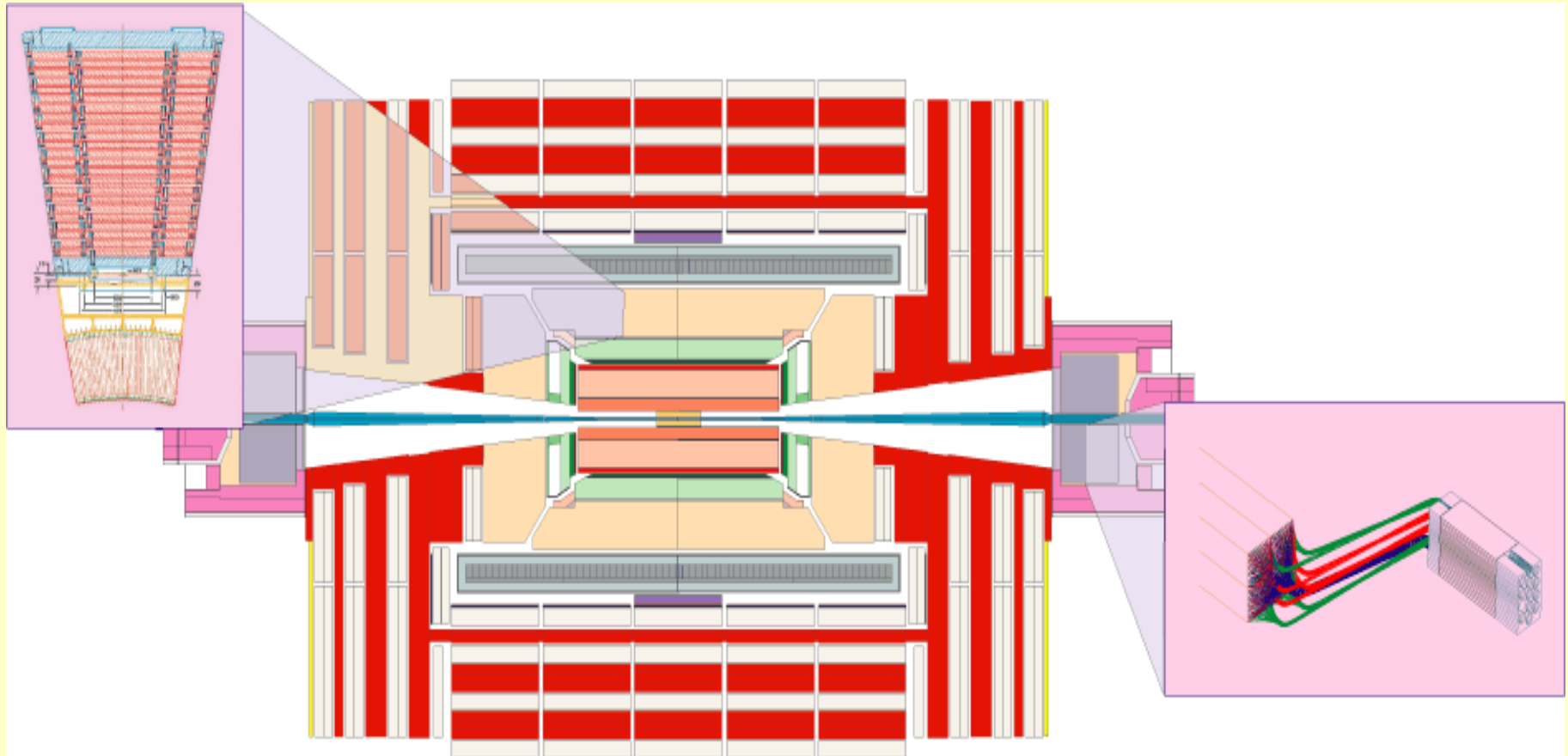


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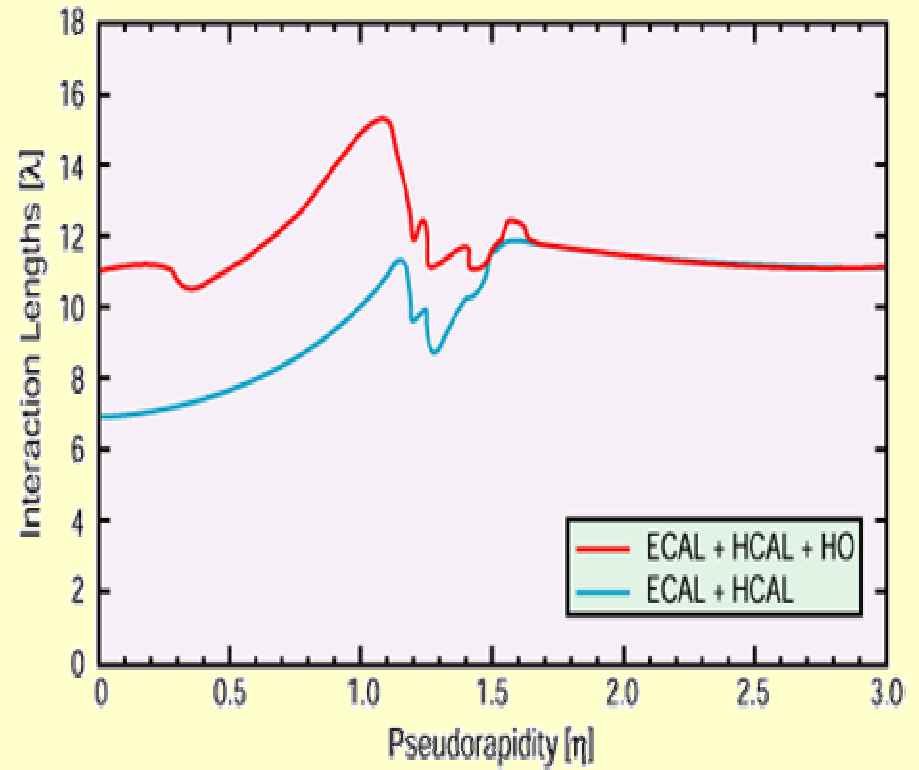
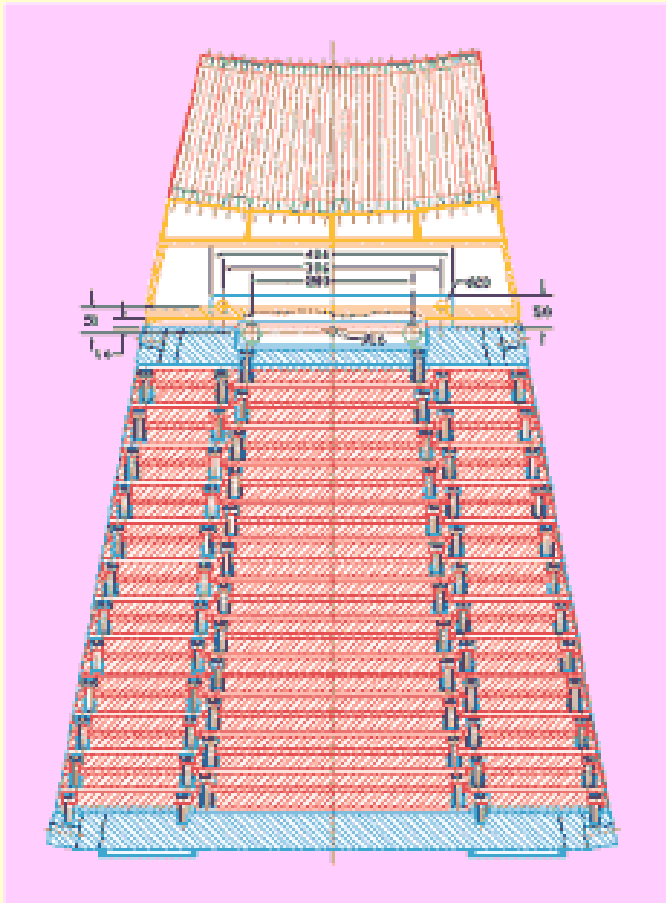


HCAL overview





HCAL wedge





HCAL barrel wedge

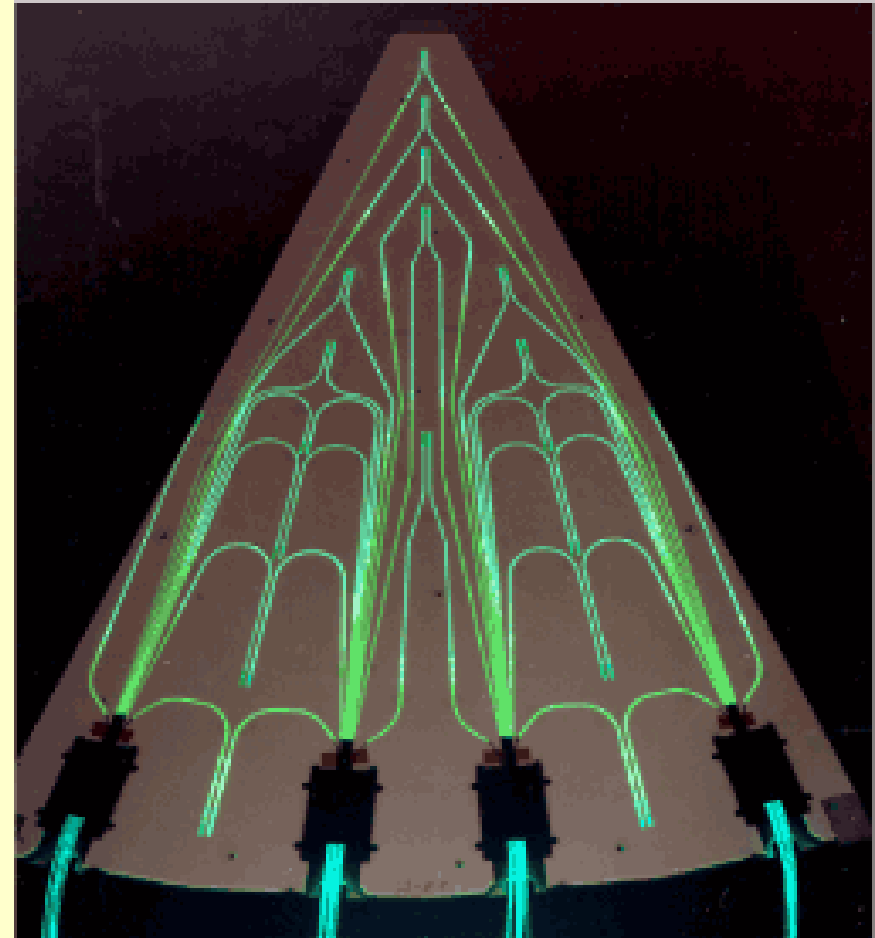
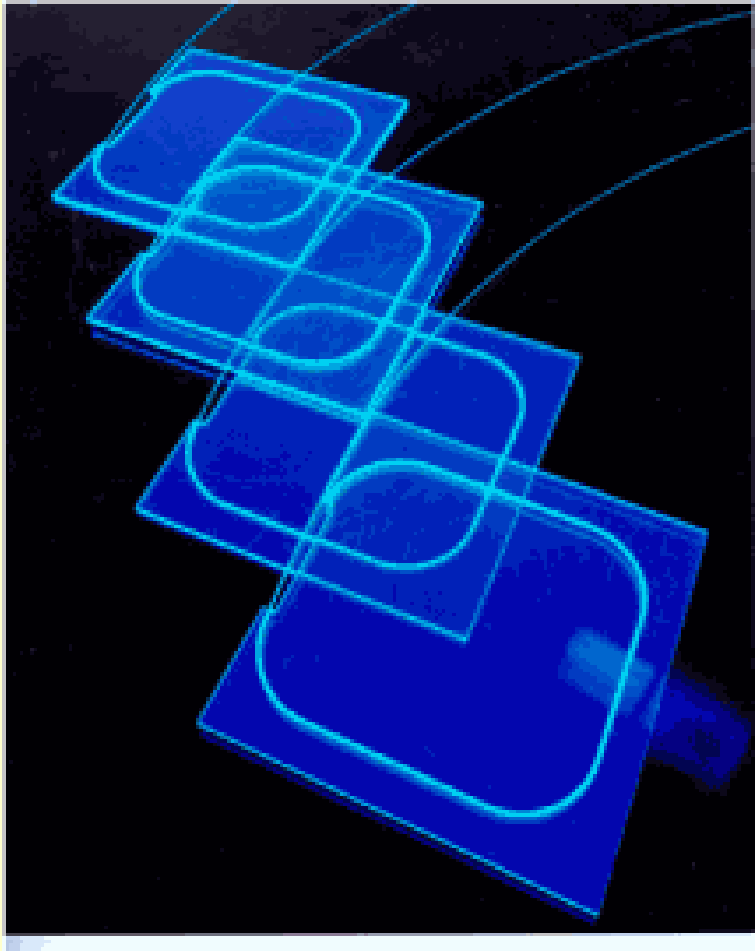


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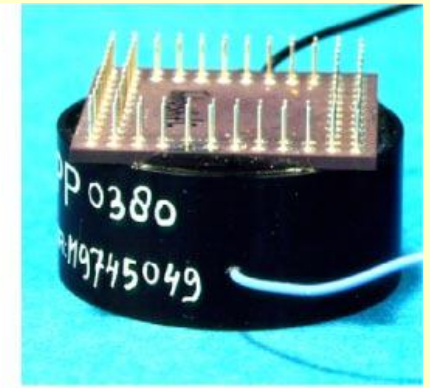
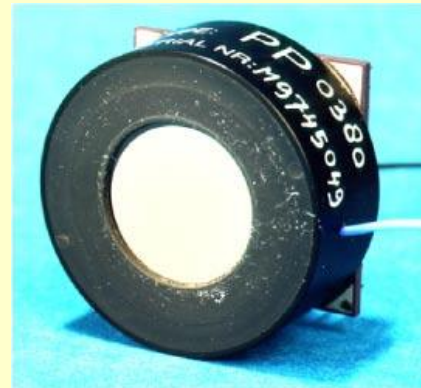
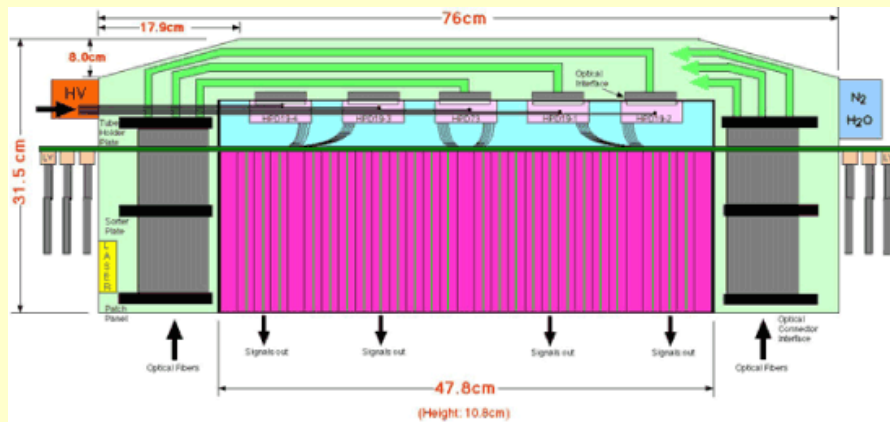


HCAL Scintillators



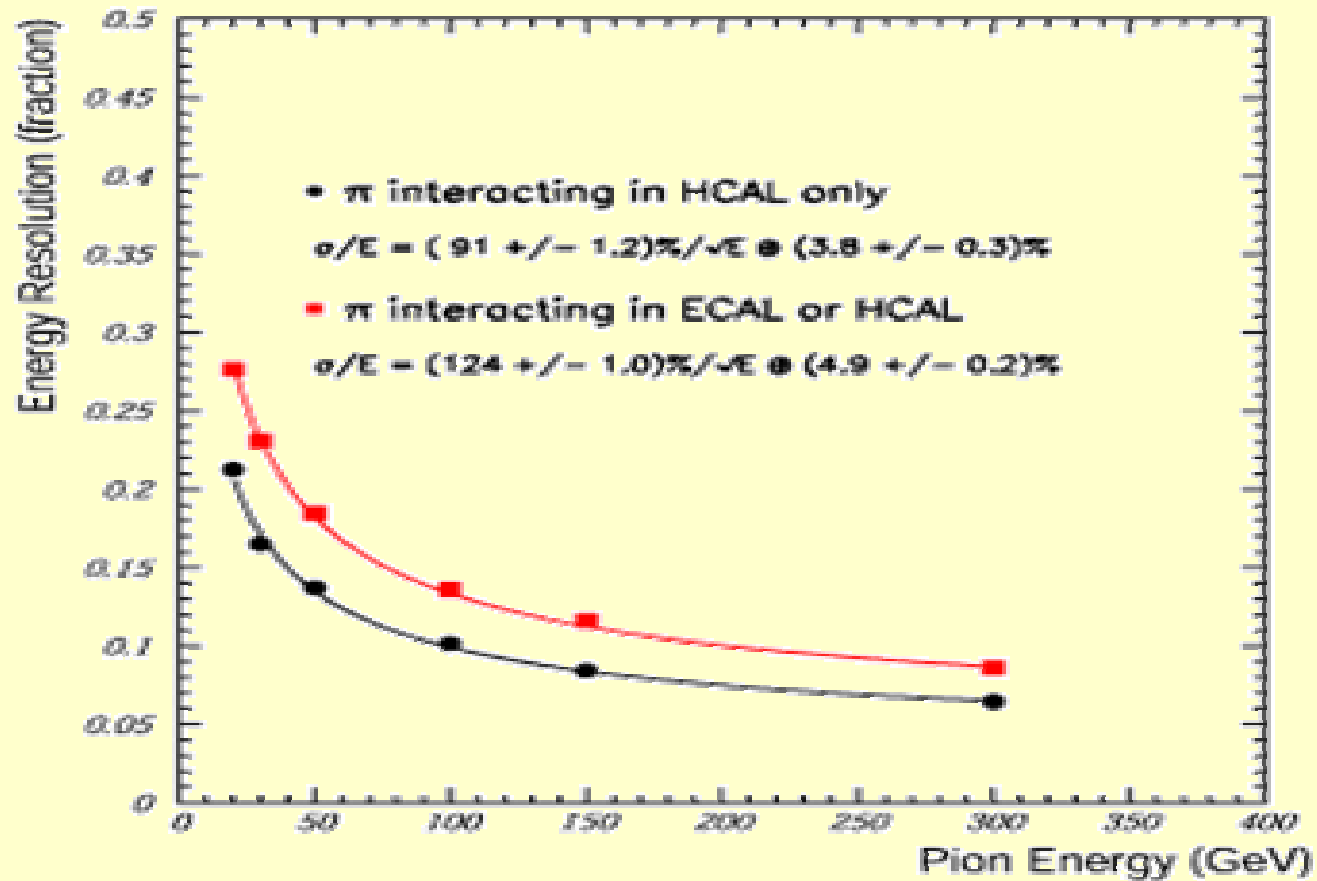


HCAL readout





HCAL energy resolution



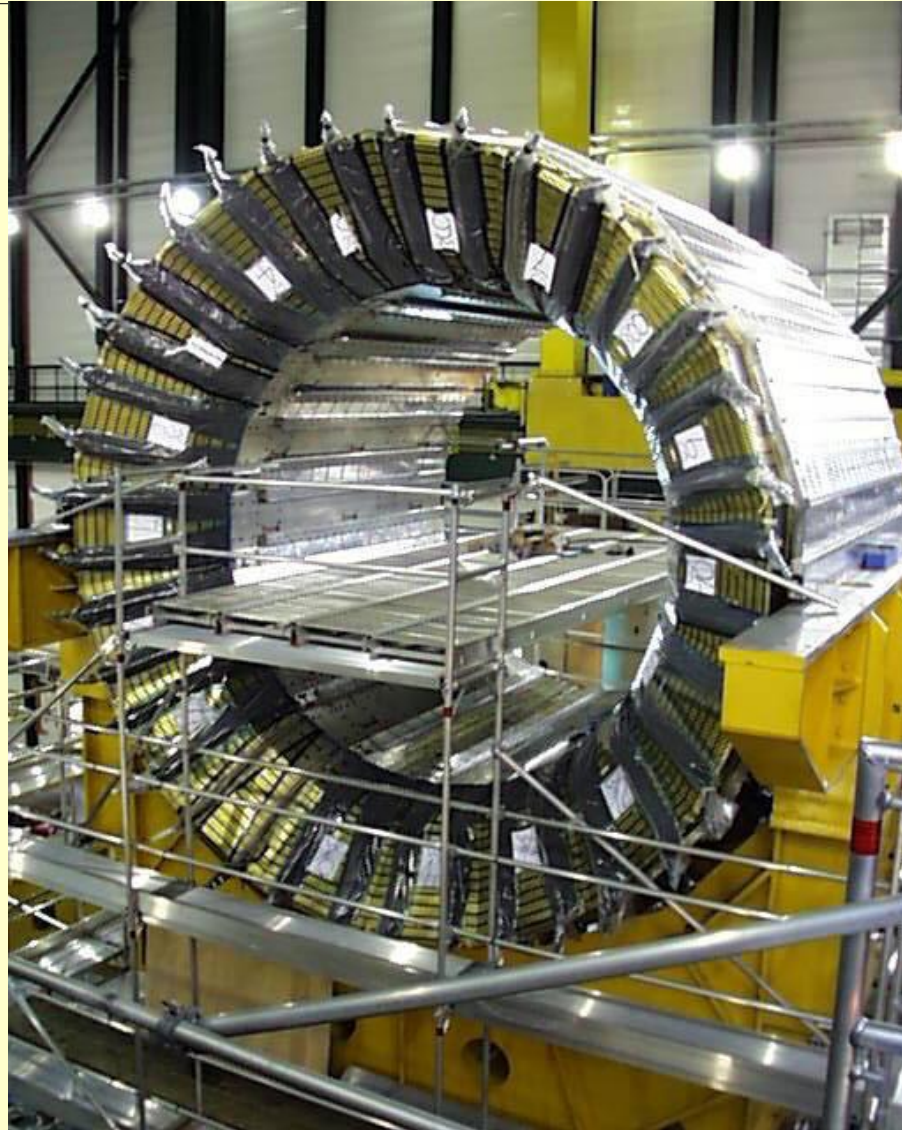


HCAL assembly





HCAL Barrel



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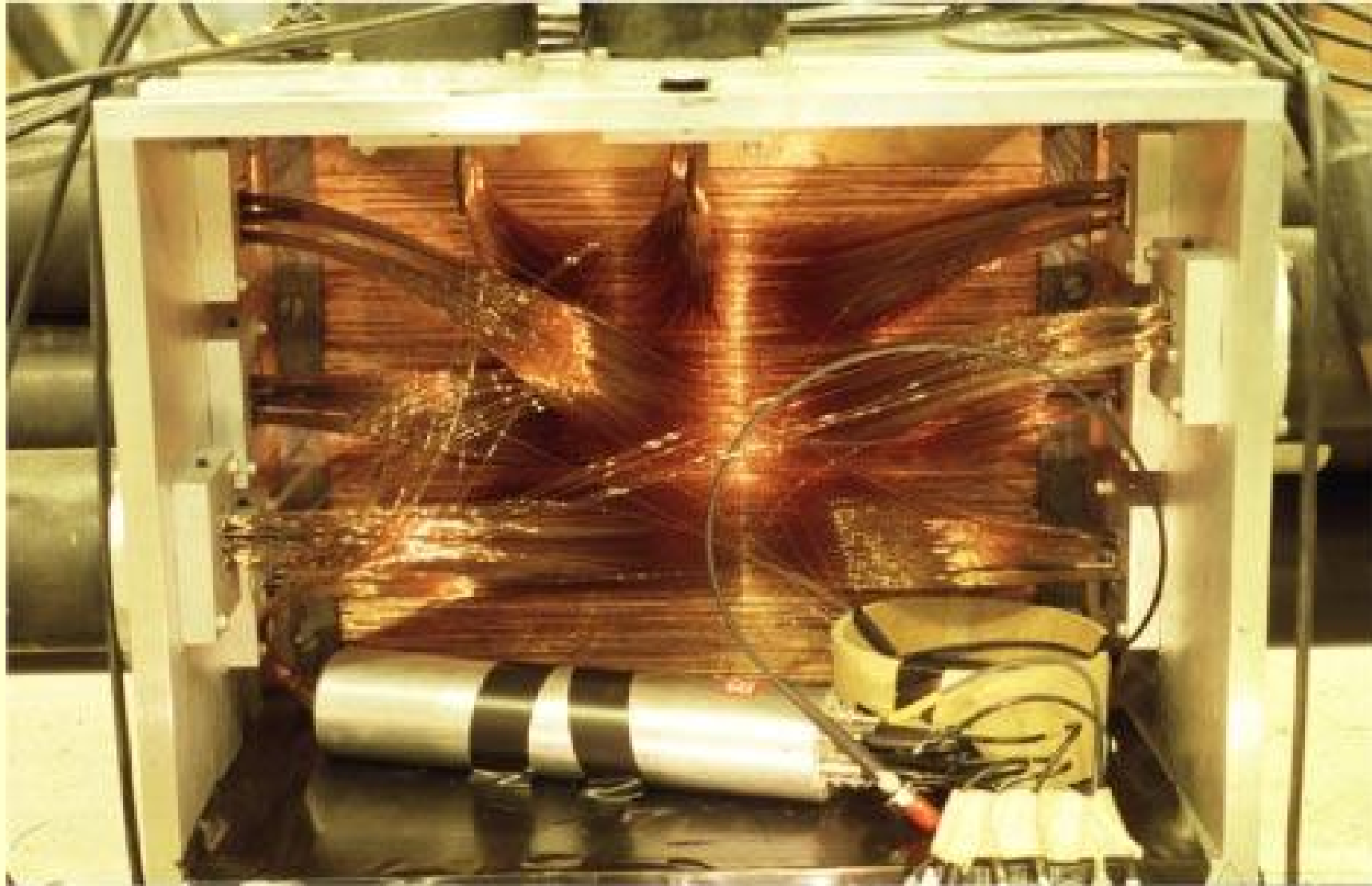


HCAL Endcap





VFHCAL



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VFHCAL module

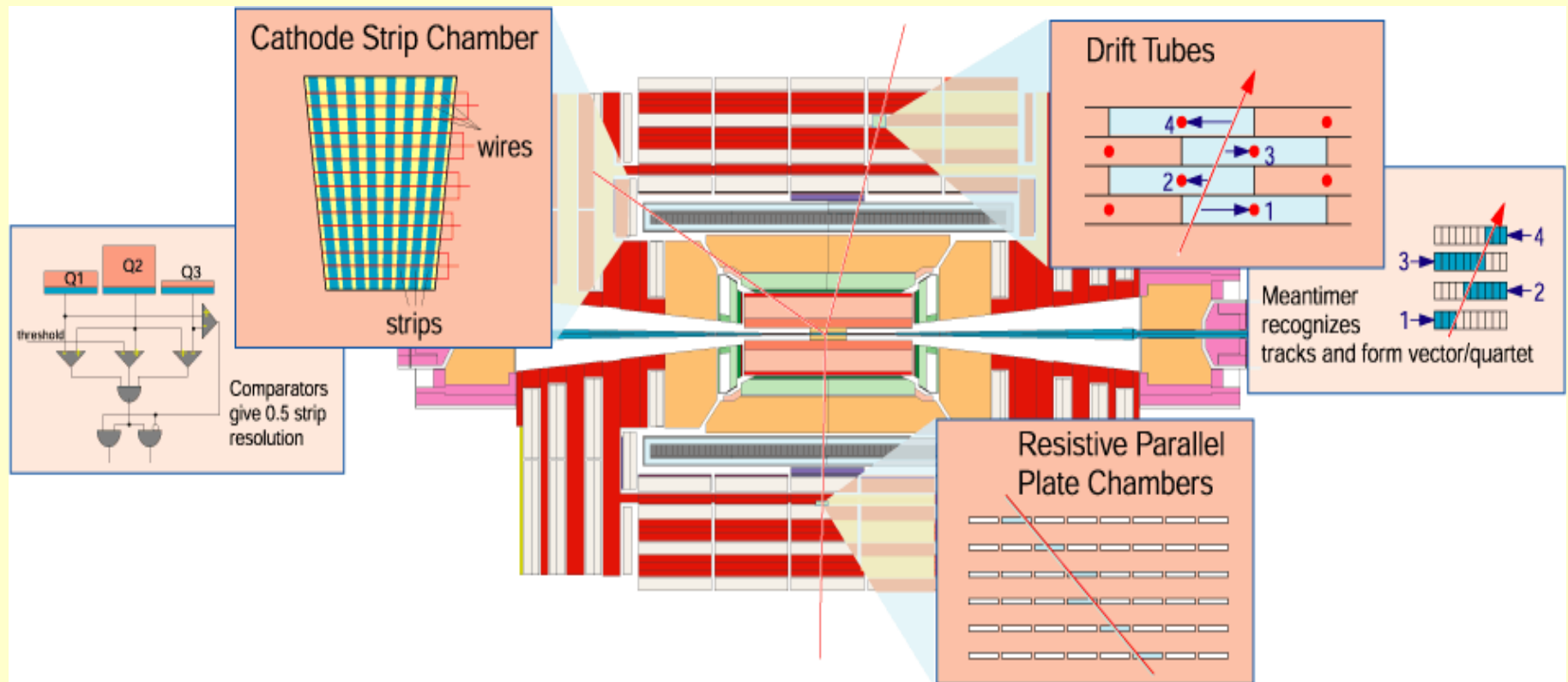


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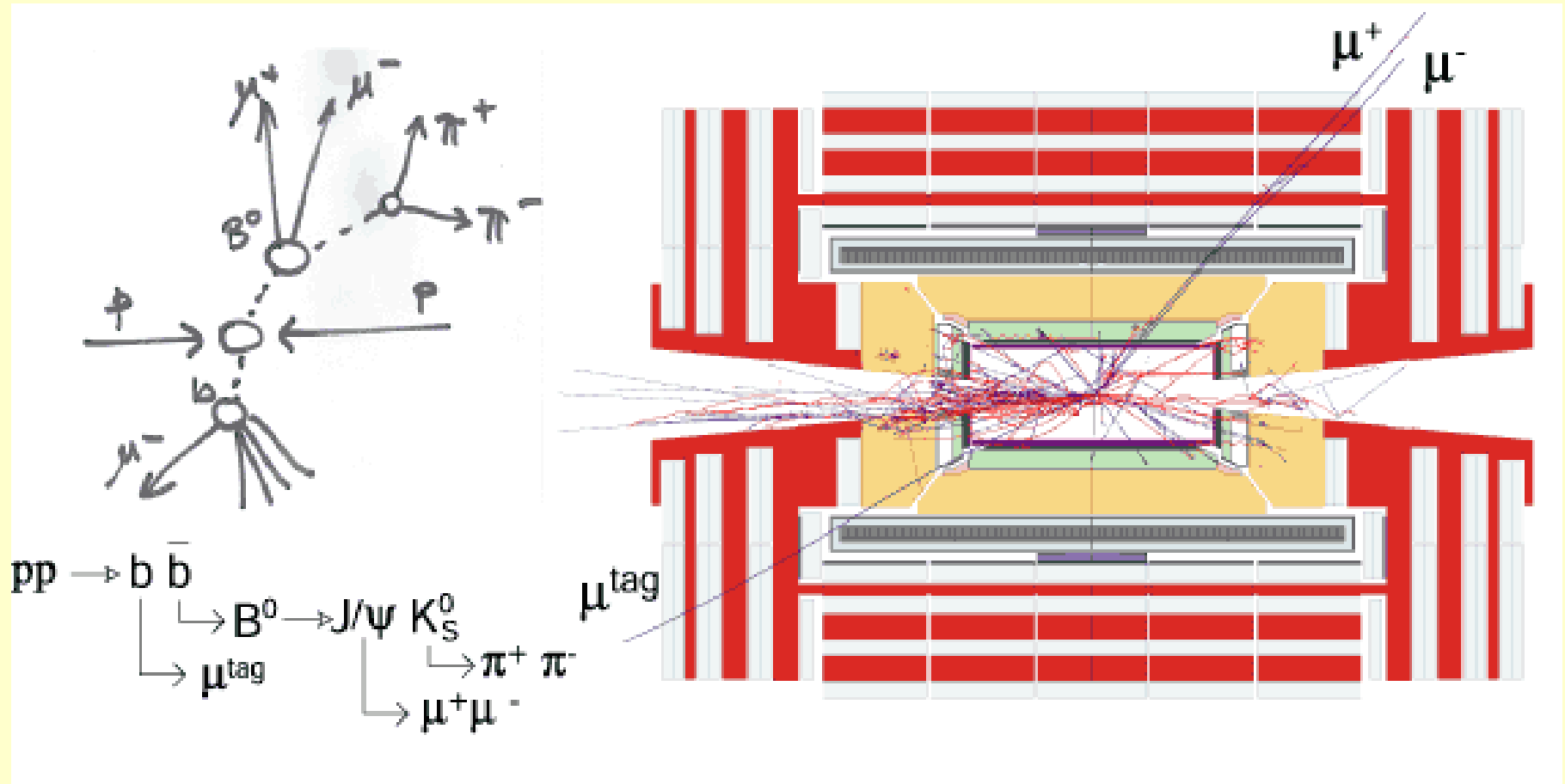


Muon system



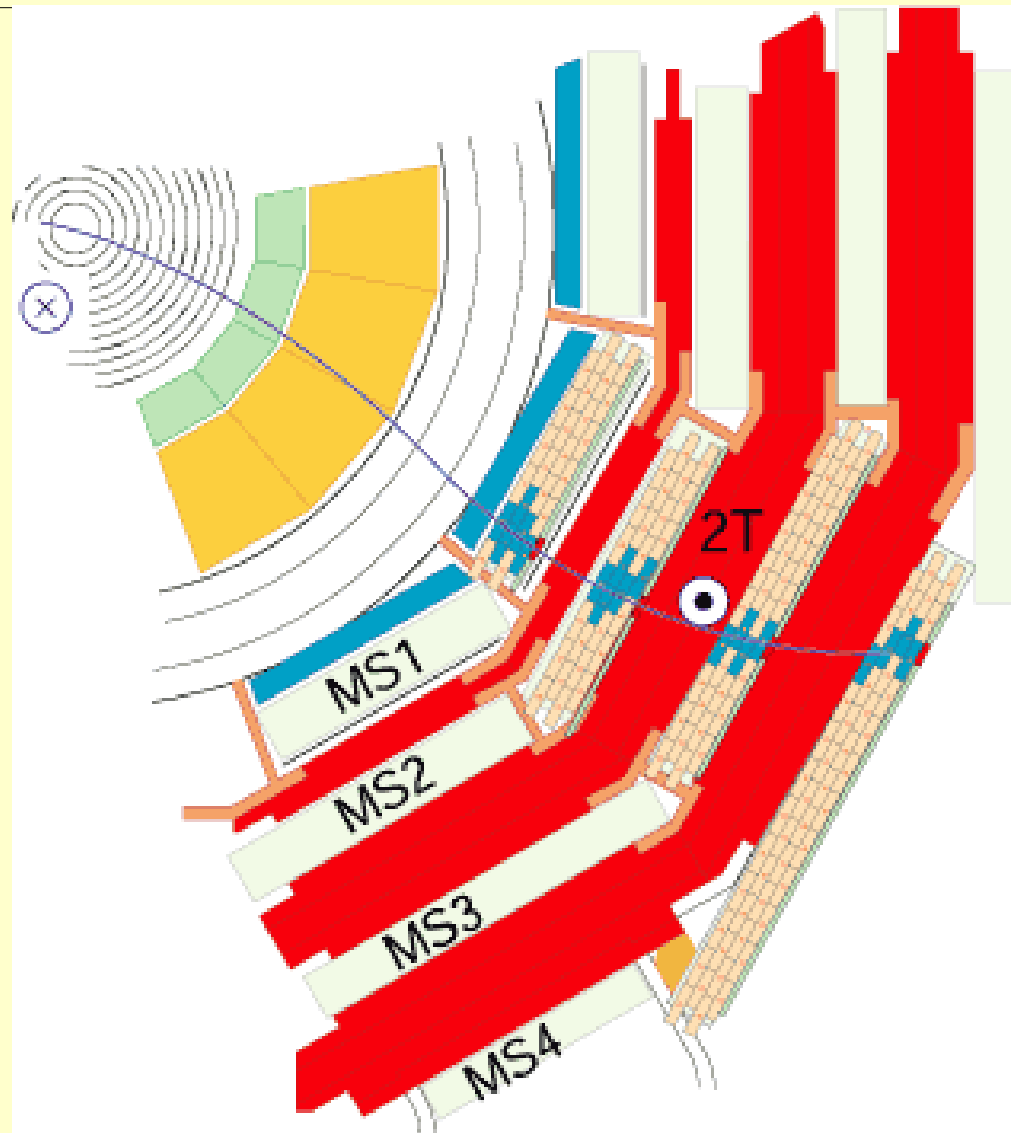


Muon Detector





Muon Stations





Drift Tubes

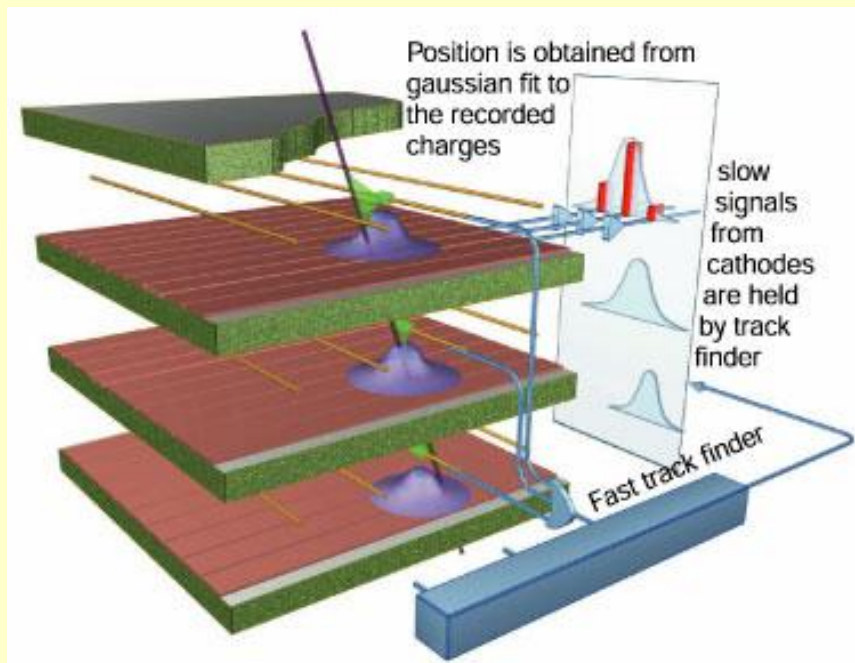


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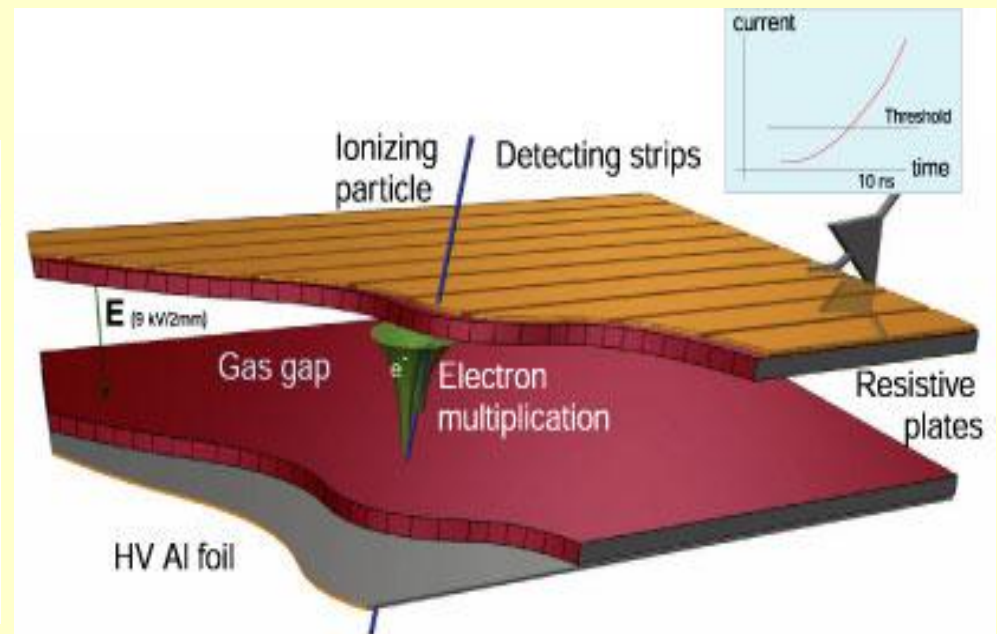
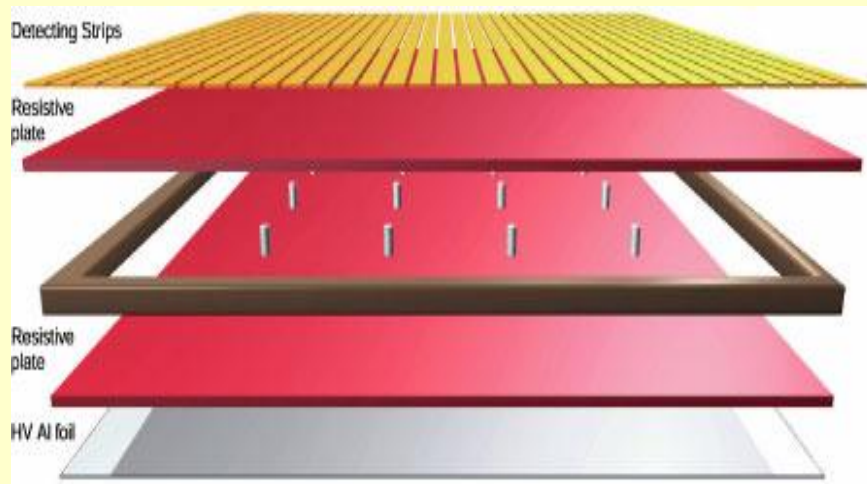


Cathode Strip Chambers



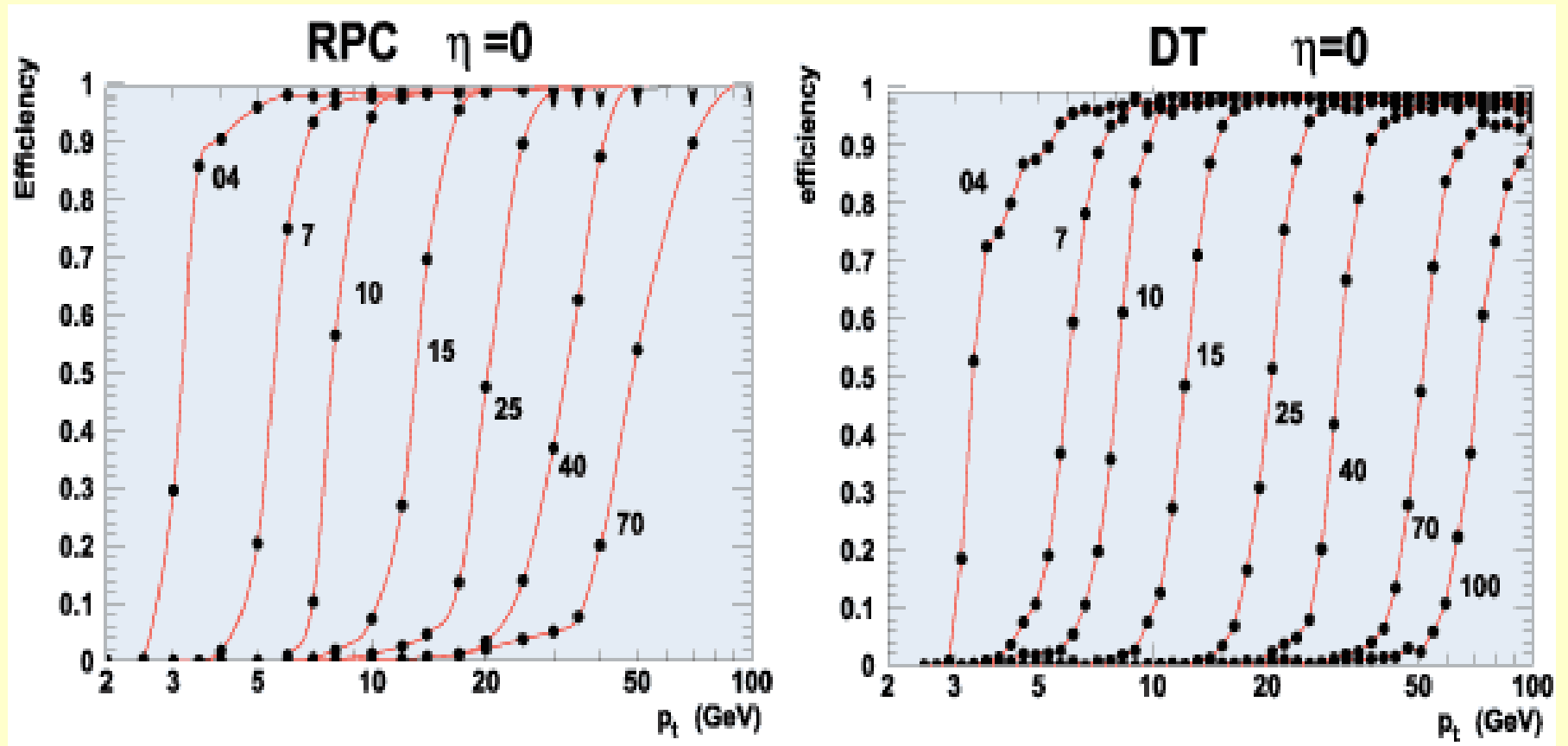


Resistive Plate Chambers



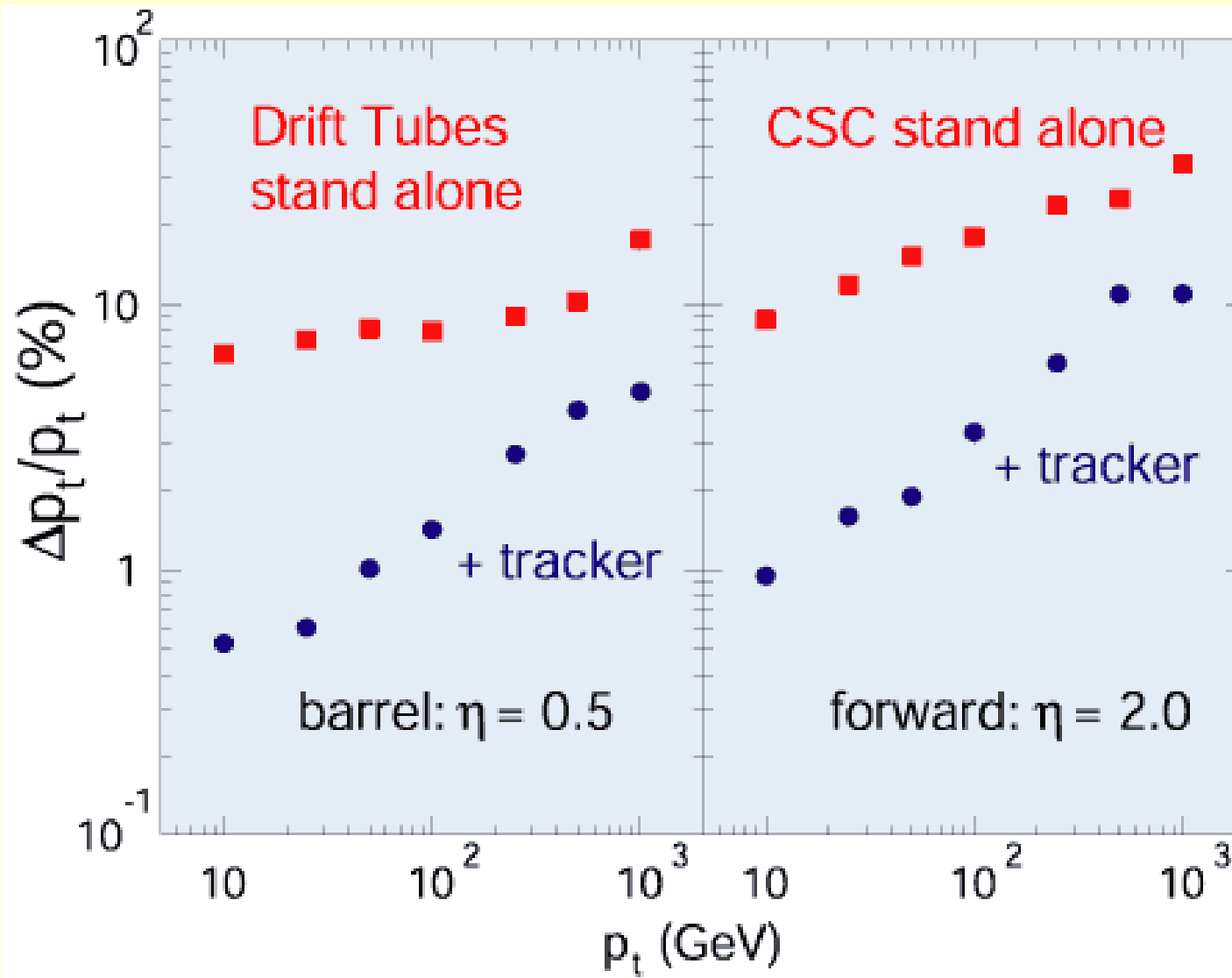


Chambers Efficiency





Momentum Resolution



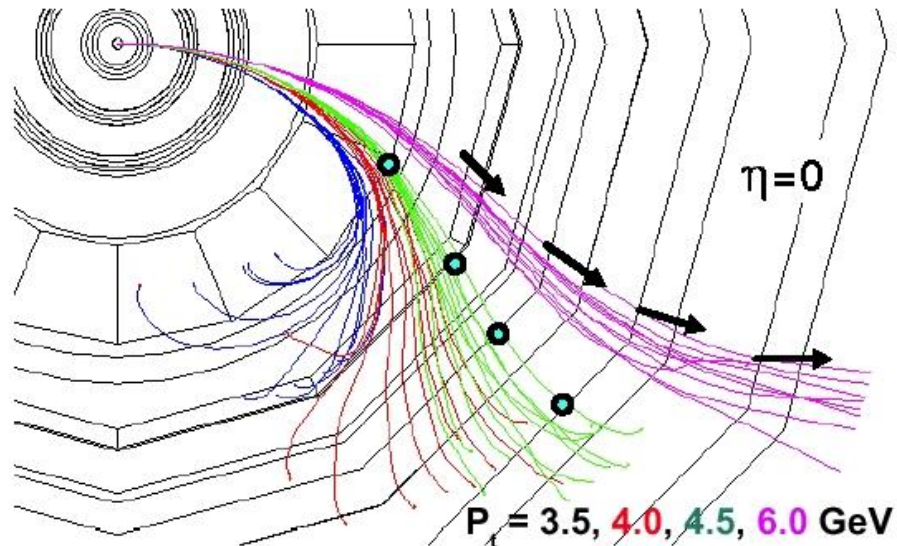


Muon Trigger



Trigger based on tracks in external muon detectors that point to interaction region

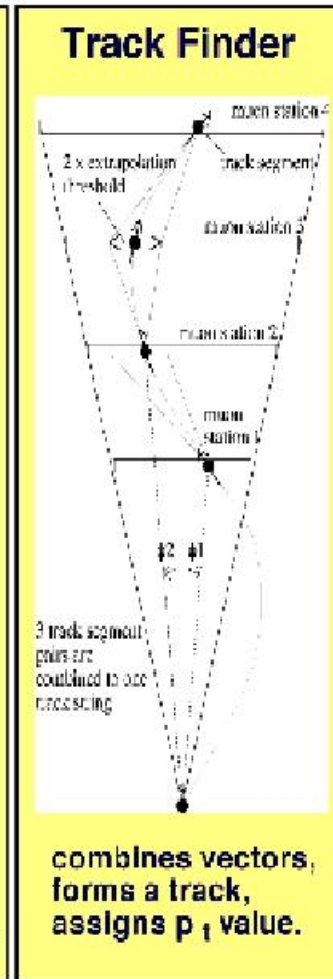
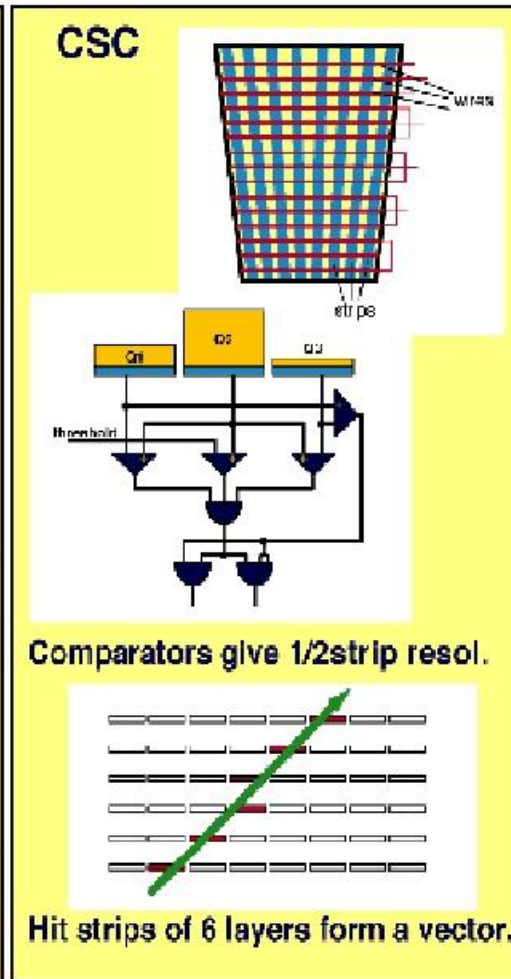
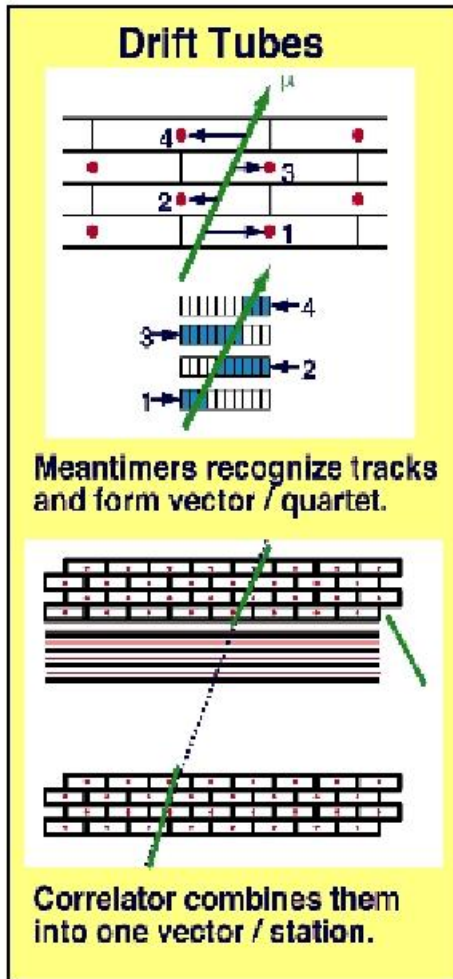
- Low- p_T muon tracks don't point to vertex
 - Multiple scattering
 - Magnetic deflection
- Two detector layers
 - Coincidence in "road"



Detectors:
RPC (pattern recognition)
DT(track segment)



Muon trigger



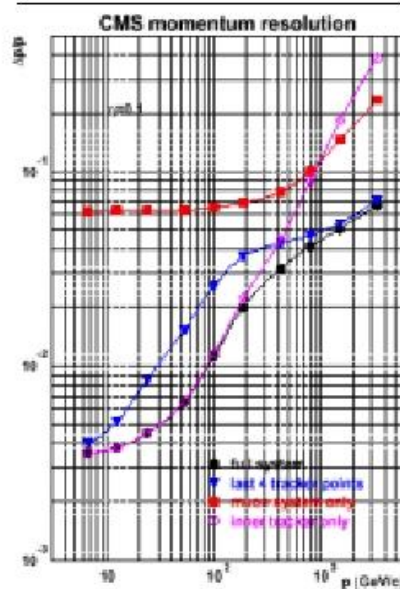


Trigger



Muon Momentum Resolution

Spatial resolution
 $\lesssim 100 \mu\text{m}/\text{station}$



$\delta p_t / p_t - 10\%$
at $p_t = 500$ GeV at $\eta = 2$

SOLENOID B = 4 Tesla, R=3m

Radius of tracking cavity = 1.3 m

High Granularity Tracker

Track Finding Efficiency

$$p_t > 2 \text{ GeV}, |\eta| < 2.5$$

isolated μ tracks	98%
isolated h^\pm tracks	92%
trks in 300 GeV b-jets	90%

b - tagging

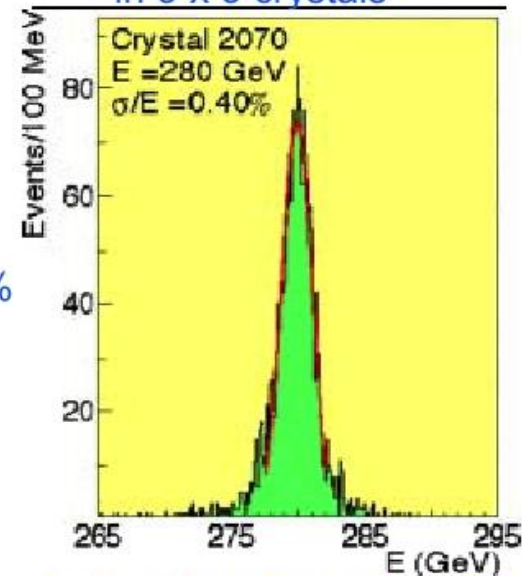
50% efficiency for a
rejection factor of 100
against u, d and s jets

Momentum Resolution

$$\Delta p_t / p_t - 0.15 p_t \oplus 0.5\% (p_t \text{ in TeV})$$

PbWO₄ CRYSTAL ELECTROMAGNETIC CALORIMETER

Energy reconstructed
in 3 x 3 crystals

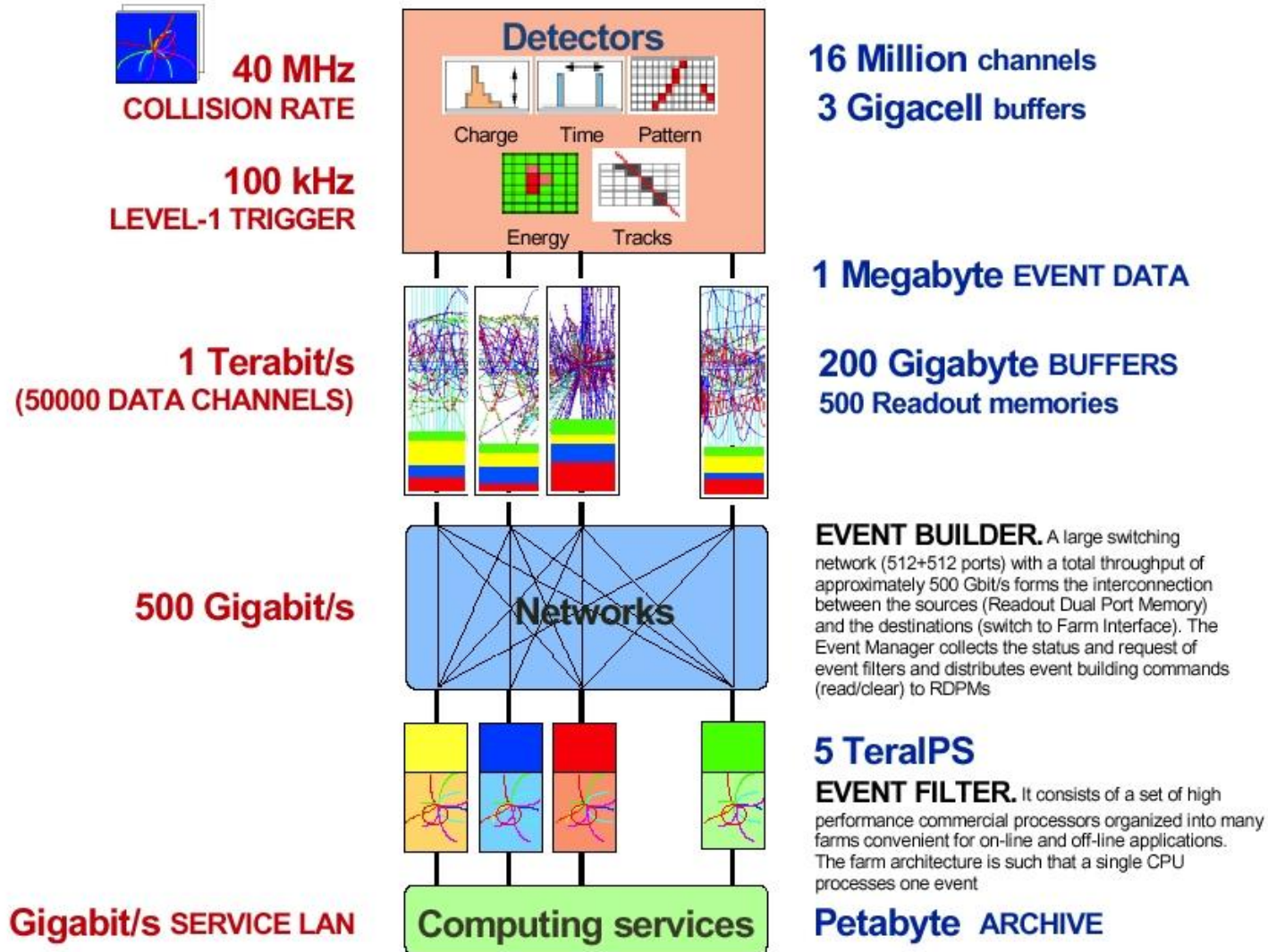


$$\sigma / E - 2.7\% / |E| \oplus 0.5\% \oplus 20\%/E$$

(E in GeV)

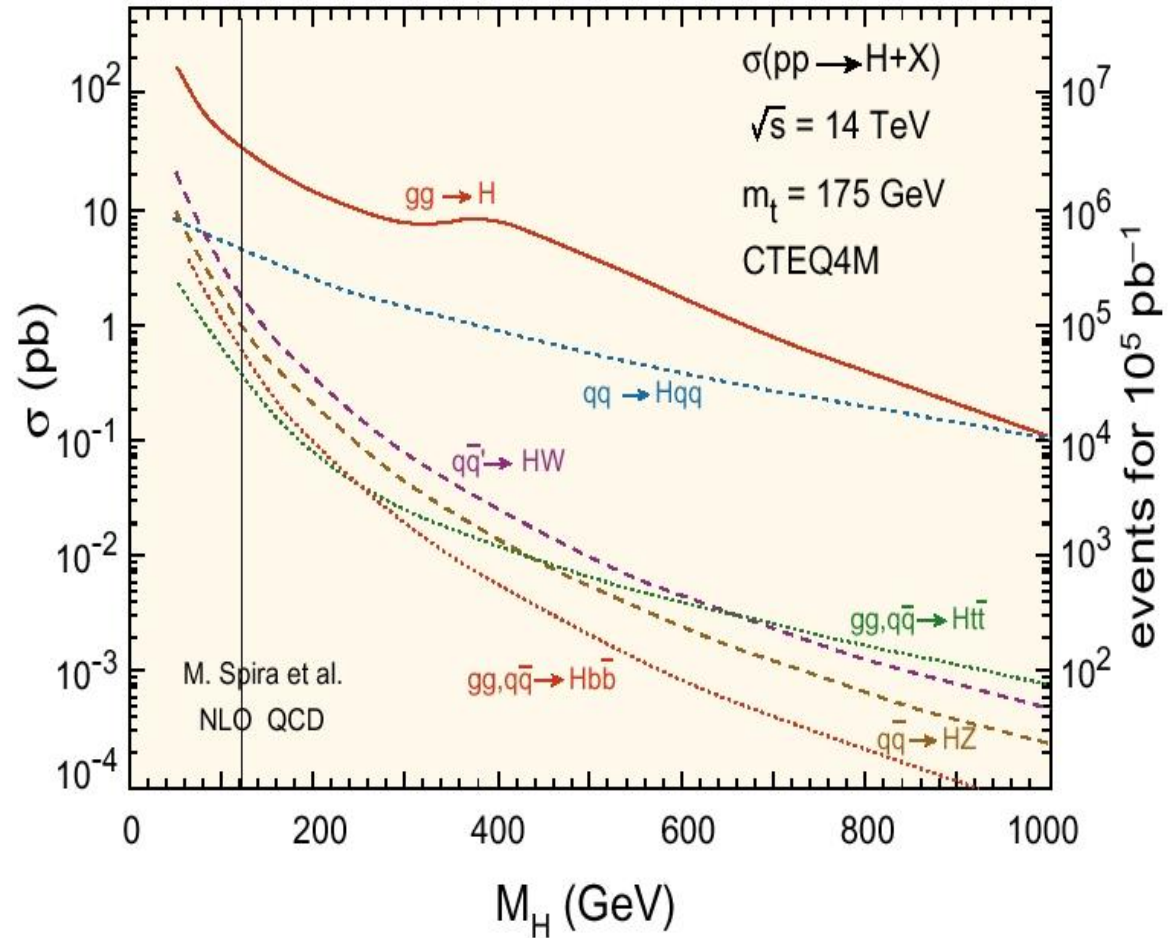
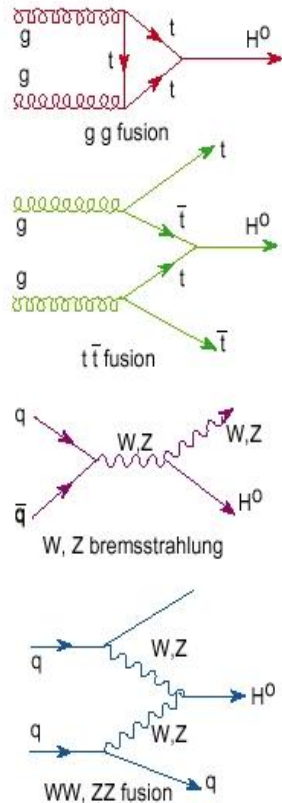


DAQ





SM Higgs Boson Search



- $gg \rightarrow H$: $K=1.6-1.9$
- residual uncertainties on NLO cross-sections (PDF, NNLO, etc.) $\leq 20\%$ (except $t\bar{t}H$)



SM Higgs Boson Search



■ Decays & discovery channels

- Higgs couples to m_f^2

Heaviest fermion (b quark) always dominates

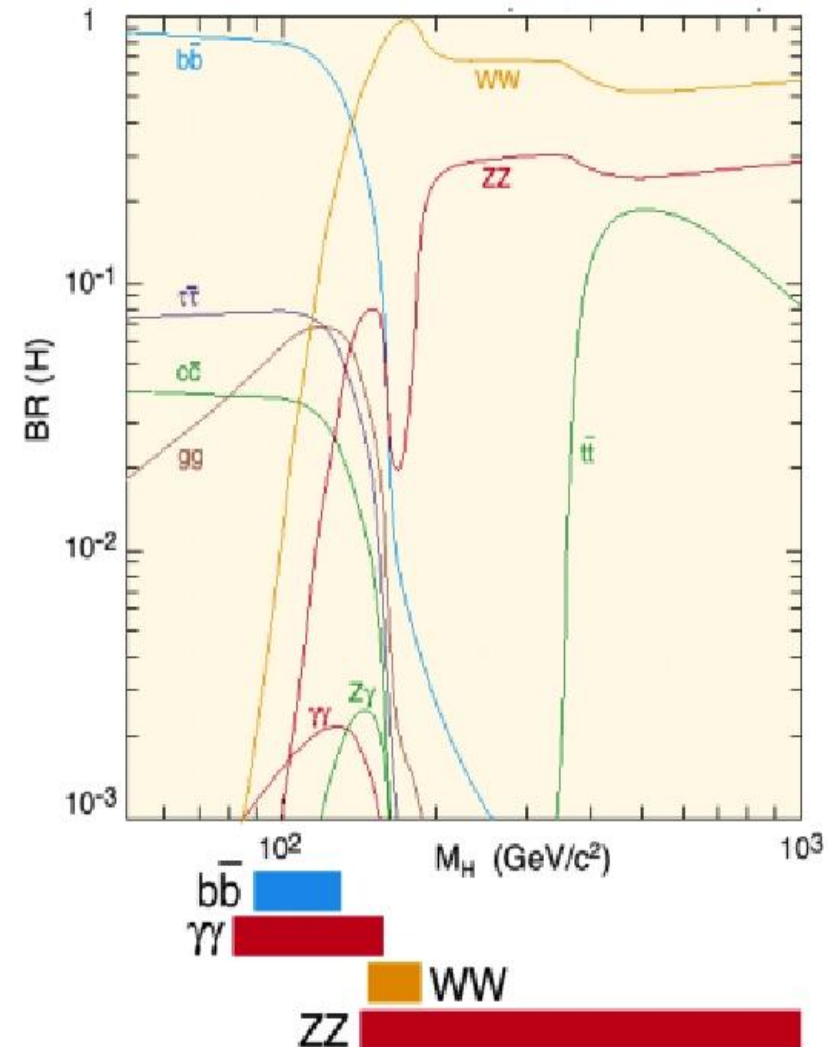
Until WW, ZZ thresholds open

- Low mass: b quarks \rightarrow jets; poor resolution $\sim 15\%$

Only chance is to use ECAL (use $\gamma\gamma$ decay mode)

- Once $M_H > 2M_Z$, use ZZ mode

W decays to jets or lepton+neutrino (missing E_T)

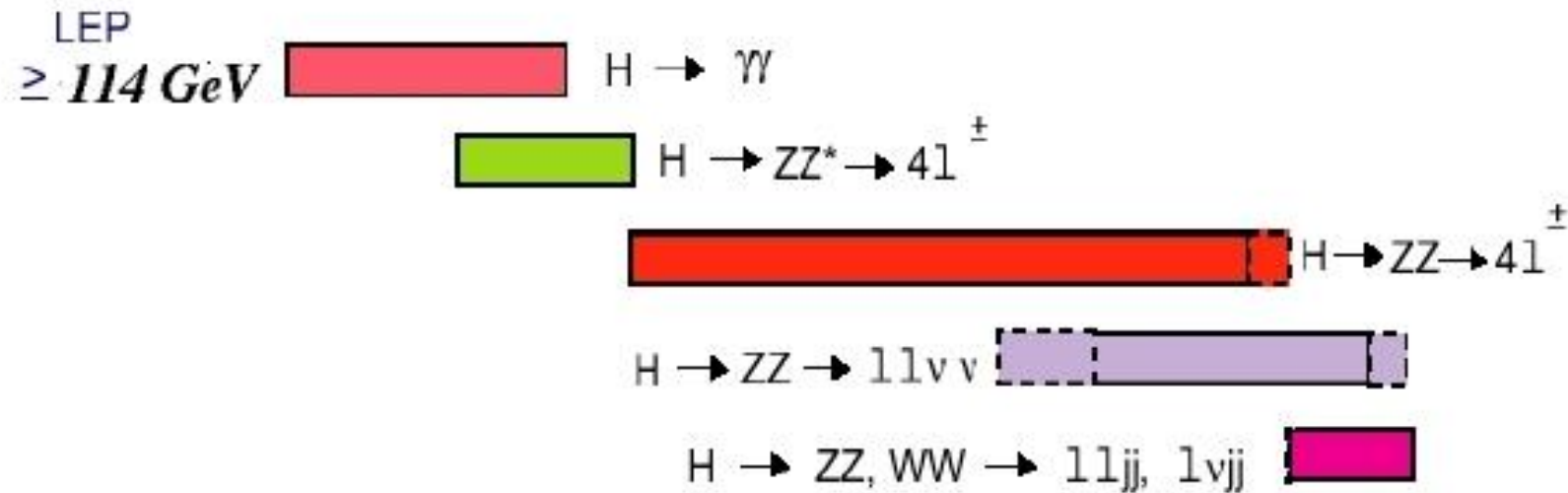




SM Higgs Boson Search



Explorable mass range at $\sqrt{s} = 14 \text{ TeV}$ with 10^5 pb^{-1}
taken at $10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$





SM Higgs Boson Search



Fully hadronic final states dominate but cannot be used due to large QCD bkg.
⇒ look for final states with isolated leptons and photons despite smaller BR

Region 1: Intermediate mass region (LEP limit $< m_H < 2 m_Z$)

$m_H < 120$ GeV: $pp \rightarrow WH \rightarrow l\nu bb$ or $tt H \rightarrow l\nu X bb$

$m_H < 150$ GeV: $H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma, Z\gamma$

$130? < m_H < 2 m_Z$: $H \rightarrow WW^* \rightarrow l\nu l\nu$

$130? < m_H < 2 m_Z$: $H \rightarrow ZZ^* \rightarrow ll ll$

Region 2: High mass region ($2 m_Z < m_H < 700$)

$H \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow ll ll$

Region 3: Very high mass region ($700 < m_H < 1$ TeV)

$H \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow ll \nu\nu, H \rightarrow ZZ^* \rightarrow ll$ jet-jet

$H \rightarrow WW \rightarrow l\nu$ jet-jet

forward jet tagging

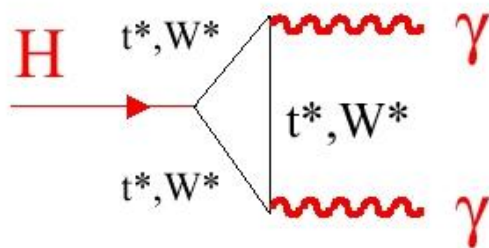
Recently: $qq \rightarrow qqH$ with $H \rightarrow \tau\tau$ ($m_H \sim 130$ GeV), $H \rightarrow WW$ etc.



H → $\gamma\gamma$



Most promising channel in the range $m_H < 150$ GeV



($\sigma \cdot B \sim 50 \cdot 10^{-3}$ pb @ $m_H \sim 150$ GeV)

$\sigma \cdot B$ can be modified by heavy undiscovered fundamental fermions or bosons

Backgrounds are large (2pb/GeV), H natural width is small (\sim MeV)

⇒ **excellent mass resolution** required

$$\sigma_m/m = 0.5 [\sigma_{E1}/E_1 \oplus \sigma_{E2}/E_2 \oplus \cot(\theta/2)\Delta\theta]$$

⇒ energy resolution and precise vertex localisation

Typical Cuts

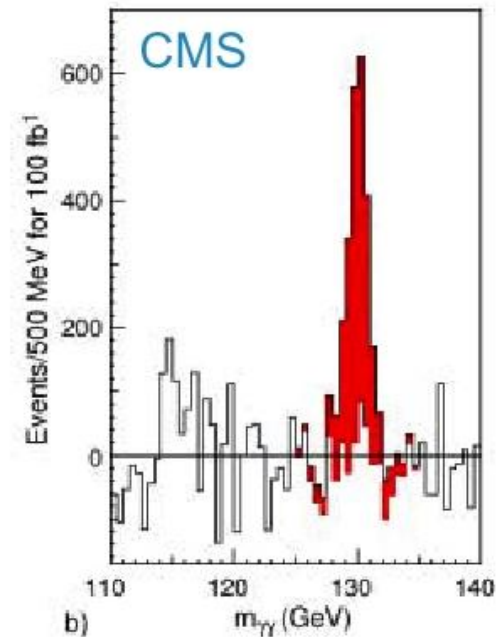
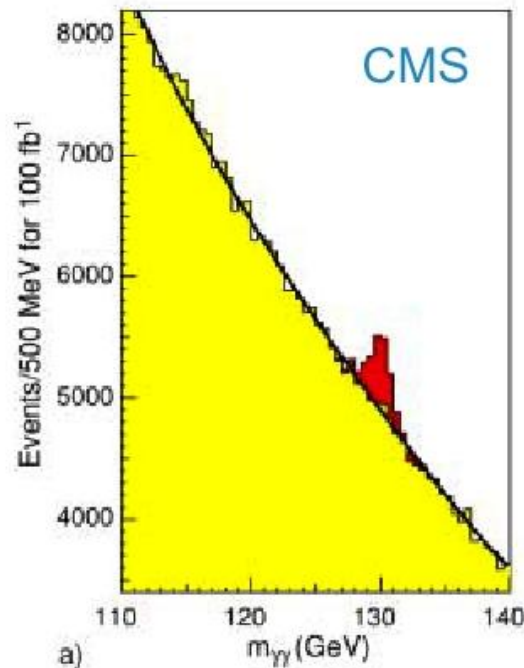
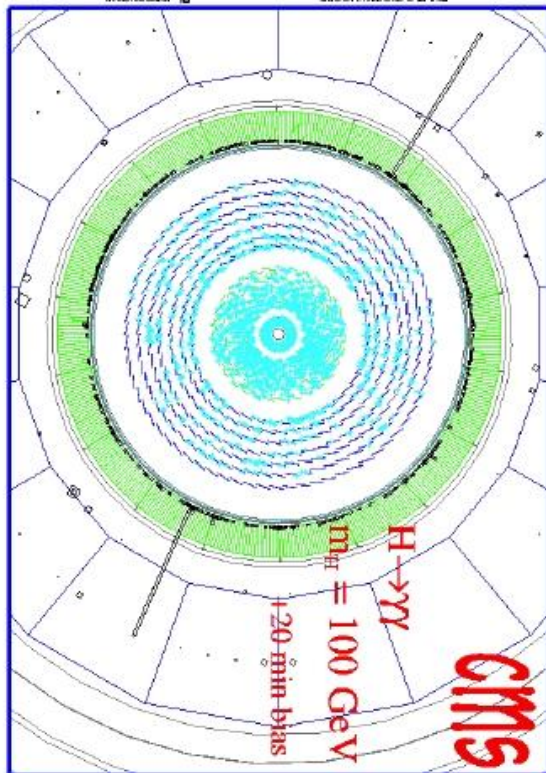
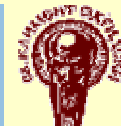
2 isolated photons – $p_T > 25, 40$ GeV with $|\eta| < 2.5$

No track or em cluster with $p_T > 2.5$ GeV in a cone size $\Delta R = 0.3$ around γ s

Signal: ~ 1000's of events



H → $\gamma\gamma$ signal in CMS



ATLAS, 100 fb⁻¹

m_H (GeV)	120	130	150
S (evts)	1280	1200	650
S/B	0.03	0.035	0.03
S/\sqrt{B}	6.5	6.5	4.3

ATLAS + CMS

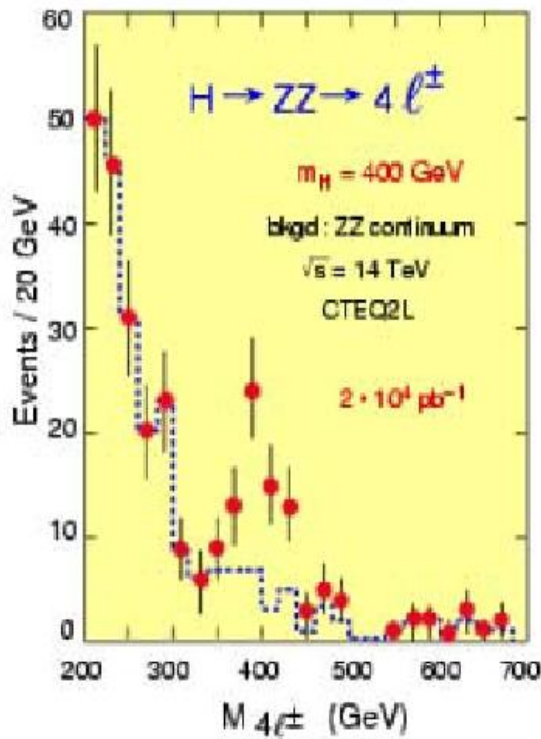
S/\sqrt{B} 30 fb ⁻¹	5.8	5.9	3.9
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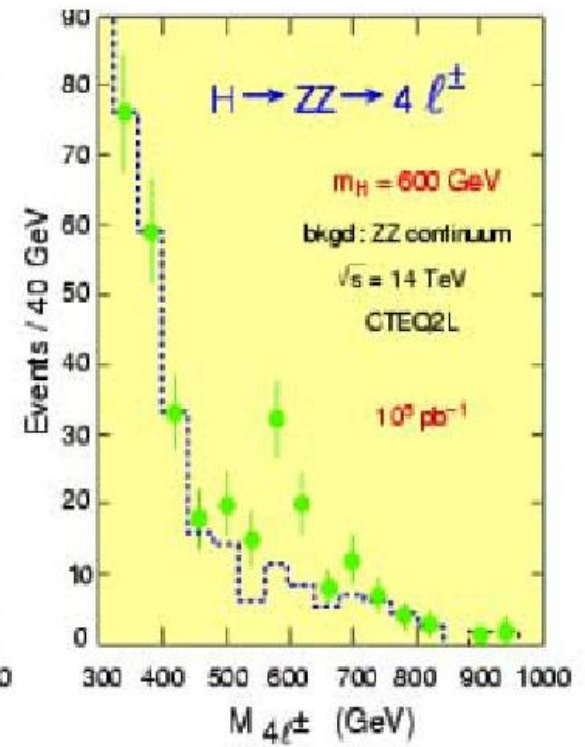
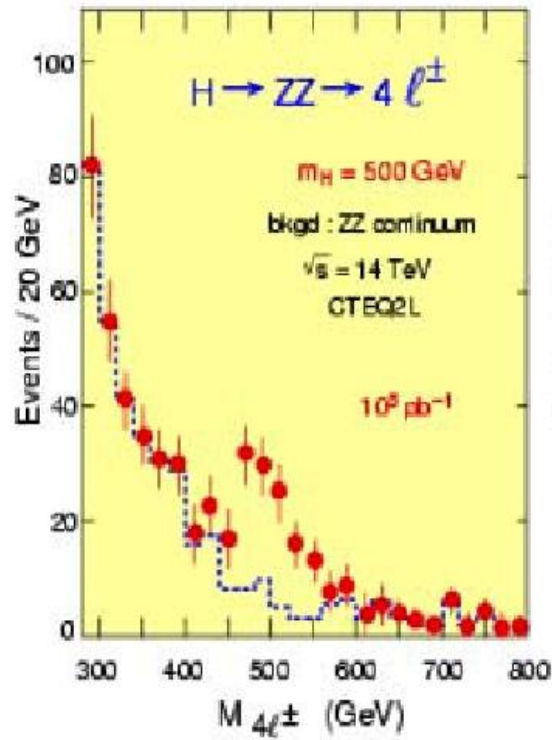
SM Higgs Boson Search



20 fb⁻¹



100 fb⁻¹





SM Higgs Boson Search



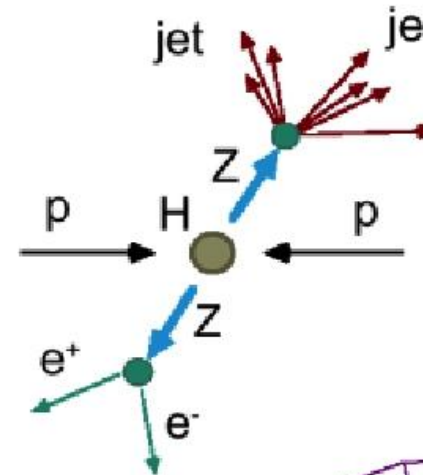
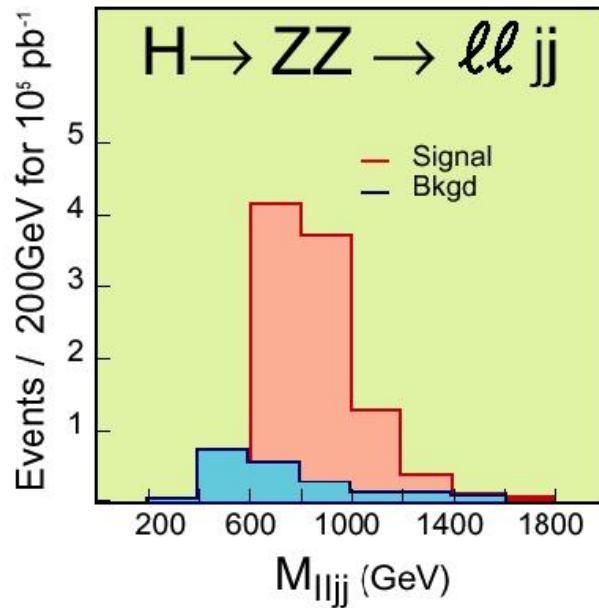
Typical Cuts

2 isol l : $p_T^l > 50$ GeV, $p_T(Z) > 150$ GeV

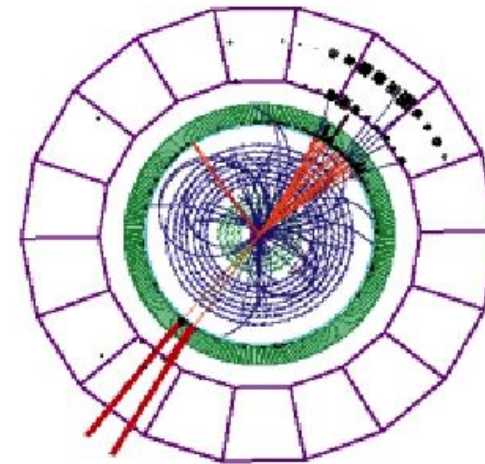
$M_{ll} = m_Z - 10$ GeV

i.e. 2 central jets $E_T^j > 40$ GeV in $|\eta| < 3$

2 tagging jets $E_T^j > 400$ GeV, $E_T > 20$ GeV



CMS





SM Higgs Boson Search - summary

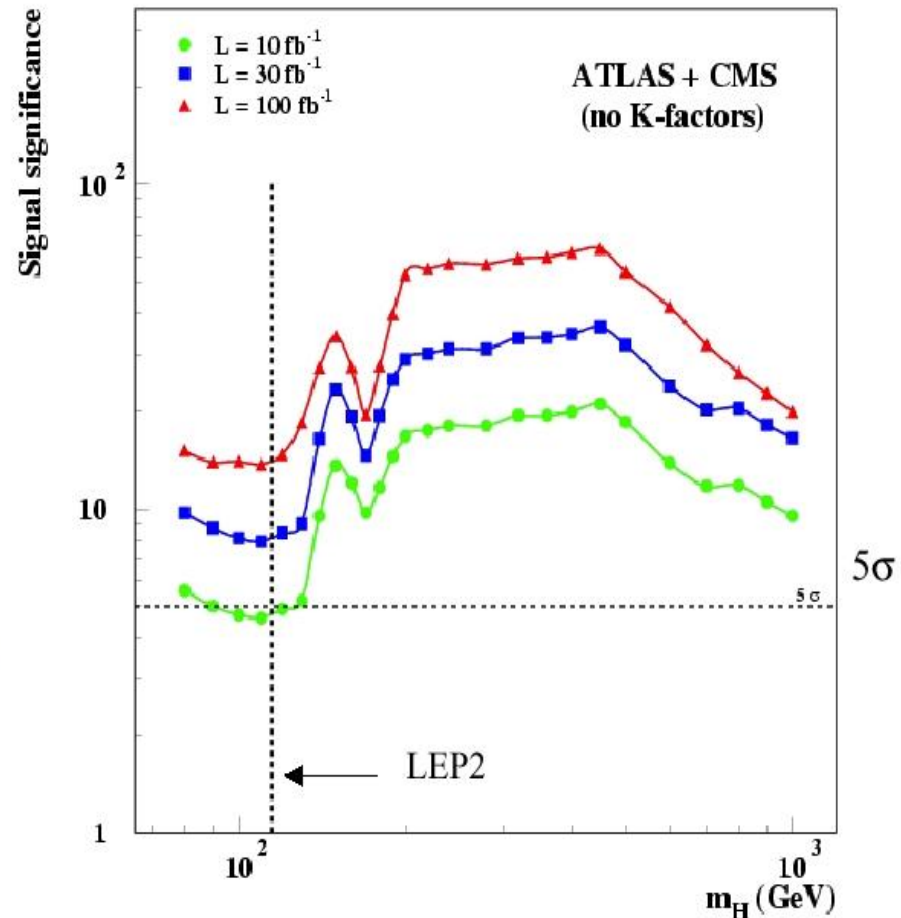


SM Higgs boson can be **discovered** at $\approx 5\sigma$ after 1 year of operation (10 fb^{-1} /experiment)
excluded at 95% CL after 1 month of running at $10^{33} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$.

Results are conservative:

- no K-factors
- simple cut-based analyses
- conservative assumptions on detector performance
- channels where background control is difficult are not included
e.g. $WH \rightarrow \ell \nu b \bar{b}$ (large systematics)

L is per experiment





SUSY Higgs search



Plane fully covered (no holes)
 at low L (30 fb^{-1}). Main channels :

$$h \rightarrow \gamma\gamma, b\bar{b}, \quad A/H \rightarrow \mu\mu, \tau\tau, \quad H^\pm \rightarrow \tau\nu$$

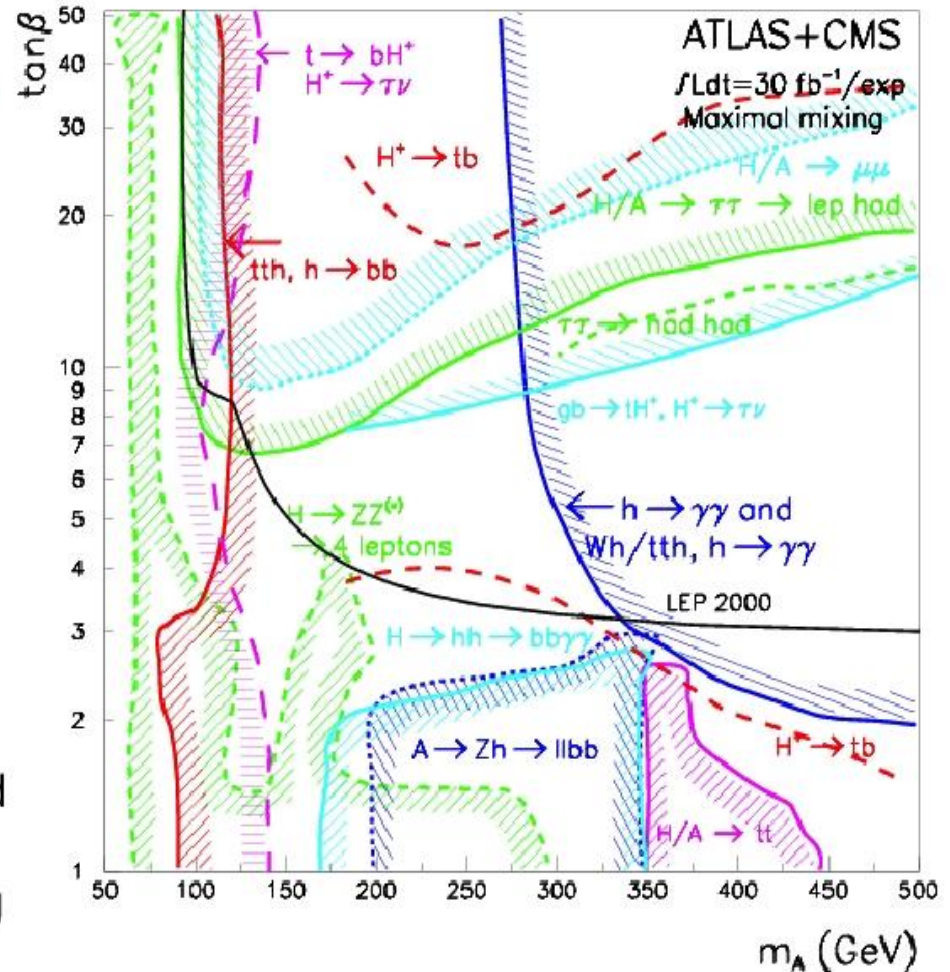
Two or more Higgs can be observed
 over most of parameter space \Rightarrow
 can disentangle SM / MSSM

LHC will observe h, A, H, H^\pm for $m_A < 400 \text{ GeV}$

Uncertainties : $\Delta m_A \approx \pm 30 \text{ GeV}$ (e.g. from $\Delta m_h \sim 3 \text{ GeV}$), $\Delta \tan\beta \approx \pm 0.7$

Impact of mixing on couplings studied for minimal mixing

but not for all possible mixing (evolving theory predictions)



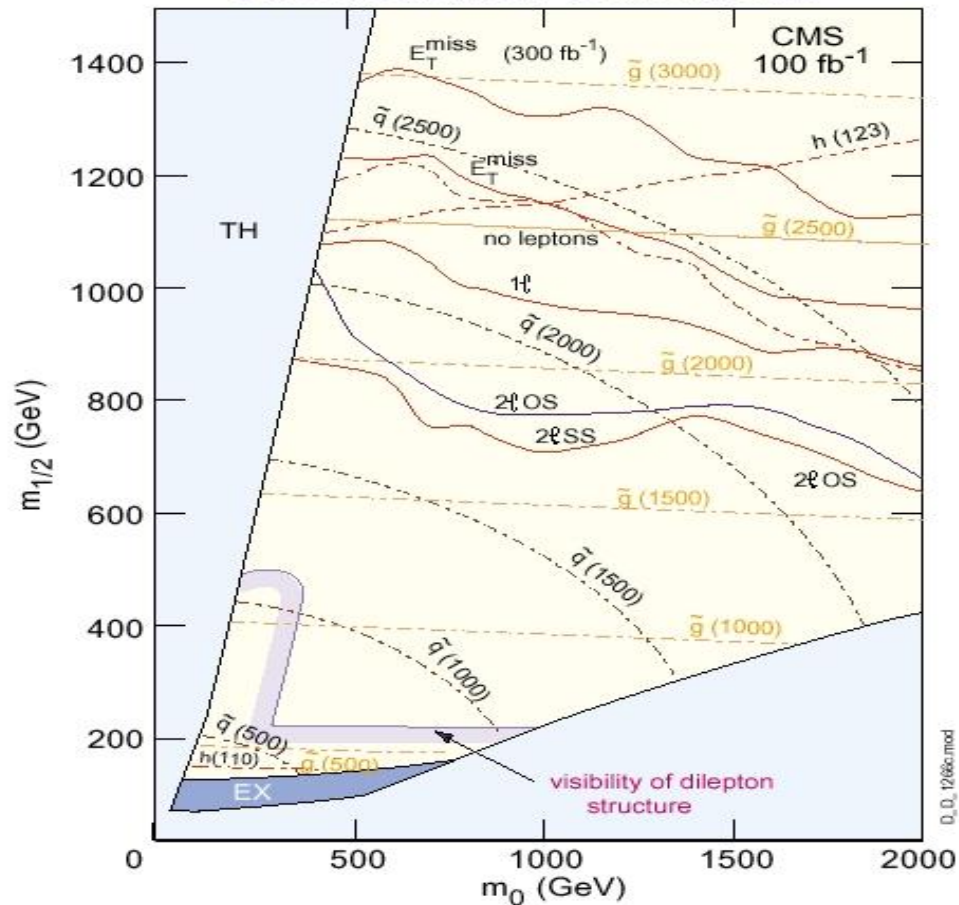


SUSY Searches



Explorable domain in \tilde{q}, \tilde{g} searches
in n leptons + $E_t^{\text{miss}} + \geq 2$ jets final states

m SUGRA, $A_0 = 0$, $\tan \beta = 35$, $\mu > 0$
 5σ contours ; non - isolated muons





SUSY Searches



- The ultimate SUSY reach in terms of squark/gluino masses is 2.5 - 3 TeV (mSUGRA) with 300 fb^{-1} ; in the worst case of degenerate gaugino masses (and heavy squarks and sleptons) the gluino mass reach is still expected to be $\sim 1.5 \text{ TeV}$.
- The cosmologically preferred region of mSUGRA parameter space ($0.1 < \Omega h^2 < 0.3$) is found to be within the LHC ultimate reach.
- Large domain of mSUGRA parameter space where $\tilde{\chi}_2^0$ decays into leptons (direct 3-body decay or cascade one via sleptons) is explorable in 2(3) leptons ($+ \cancel{E}_T + \text{jets}$) channels with corresponding observation of dilepton mass edge used in various mass reconstruction methods.
- With integrated luminosity of 100 fb^{-1} the \tilde{l}_L mass reach in 2 leptons + no jets + \cancel{E}_T channel is $\sim 340 \text{ GeV}$ (up to 440 GeV if $m_{\text{LSP}} \sim (0.45 - 0.6) \cdot m_{\tilde{l}_L}$).



SUSY Searches



- For moderate values of $\tan\beta$ the range of $\tilde{\chi}_2^0$ mass explorable in 3 leptons + no jets + \cancel{E}_T reaches 150-155 GeV with 100 fb^{-1} .
- Decay of the lightest SUSY Higgs into $b\bar{b}$ can be observed with S/B ratio of ~ 1 in a wide range of mSUGRA parameter space (where $\tilde{\chi}_2^0 \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_2^0 h$).
- With integrated luminosity of 100 fb^{-1} stau mass in the minimal GMSB model (for high $\tan\beta$, $M/\Lambda = 200$, $\Lambda = 50 - 300 \text{ TeV}$) can be measured in the range from 90 to 700 GeV. The $\tilde{\chi}_1^0$ lifetime can be measured from 1cm to 1 km for $\sigma_{\text{SUSY}} > 100 \text{ fb}^{-1}$.
- In a R-parity violation scenario with $\lambda_{ijk} \neq 0$ (purely leptonic decay) the parameter region explorable with integrated luminosity of 10 fb^{-1} extends up to masses of squark/gluino of $\sim 1.5-1.8 \text{ TeV}$.



Extra Dimensions



Two fundamental scales:

- Electroweak — $M_{EW} \sim 10^2\text{-}10^3 \text{ GeV}$
- Planck — $M_{Pl} \sim 10^{19} \text{ GeV}$

Observation:

- M_{EW} is established experimentally
 - EW interactions are tested down to distances $1/M_{EW} \sim 10^{-17} \text{ cm}$
- M_{Pl} is just a number
 - gravity tested only down to $\sim 1 \text{ mm}$, far away from $1/M_{Pl} \sim 10^{-35} \text{ m}$

Solution: cut the Gordian Knot!

- There is only one fundamental scale: M_{EW}
- M_{Pl} is just an effective constant
- Its high value is caused by additional spatial dimensions, compactified at radius $R \sim 1 \text{ mm}$



Extra Dimensions



Antoniadis, Benaklis, Quiros, PL B460, 176(1999)

Consider :

- **p** dimensions of $R_1 \sim 0.1 \text{ mm}$
- **n-p** dimensions of $R_2 \sim \text{TeV}^{-1}$

$$M_{\text{Pl}}^2 = M_{\text{S}}^{n+2} R_1^p R_2^{n-p}$$

- gravity in all **n** extra-dimensions
- SM in **n-p** extra-dimensions $R_2 \Rightarrow \sim \text{TeV}$ excitations of γ, W, Z, g

Build your favourite model:

- put each of $SU(3)_C, SU(2)_L, U(1)_Y$ in any subset of dimensions
- put **higgses** in standard dimensions, extra dimensions or both
- put **fermions** at “our wall”, stack at other walls or let them propagate in more dimensions (in the bulk)
- **study implications for LHC** — **will be very different !**



Extra Dimensions



Consider the simplest case:

- one TeV^{-1} dimension
- all SM in extra dimensions (bulk)
- all fermions at our wall

LHC searches:

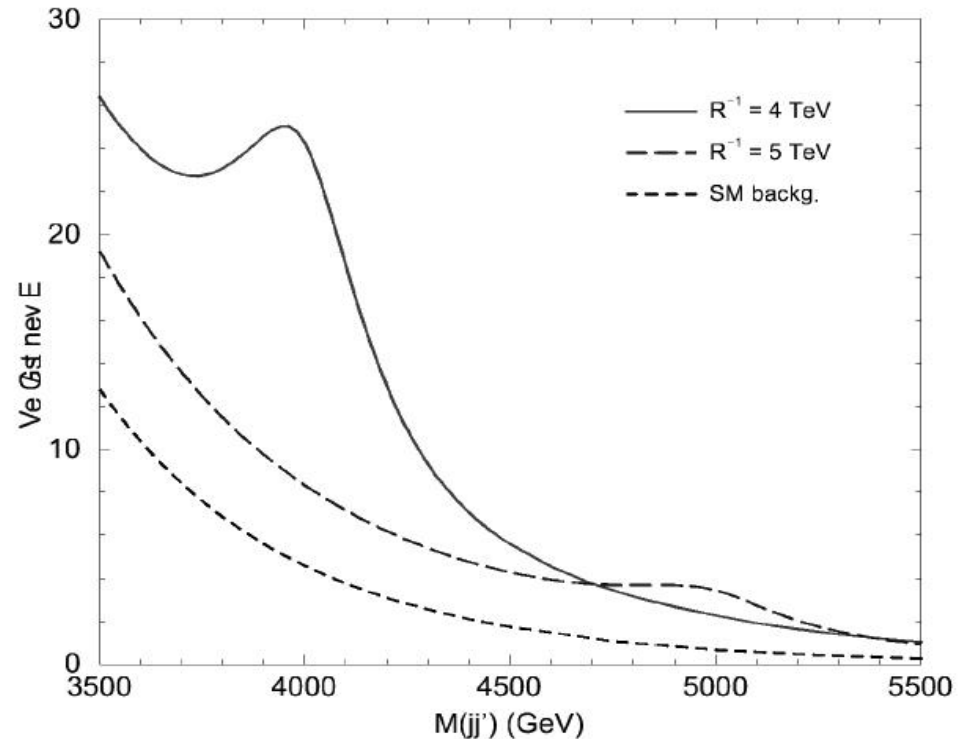
only the first resonance accessible

- $qq \rightarrow \gamma^{(1)} / Z^{(1)} \rightarrow l^+ l^-$
- $qq \rightarrow W^{(1)} \rightarrow l^+ \nu^-$
- $qq \rightarrow g^{(1)} \rightarrow gg$

Current limit:

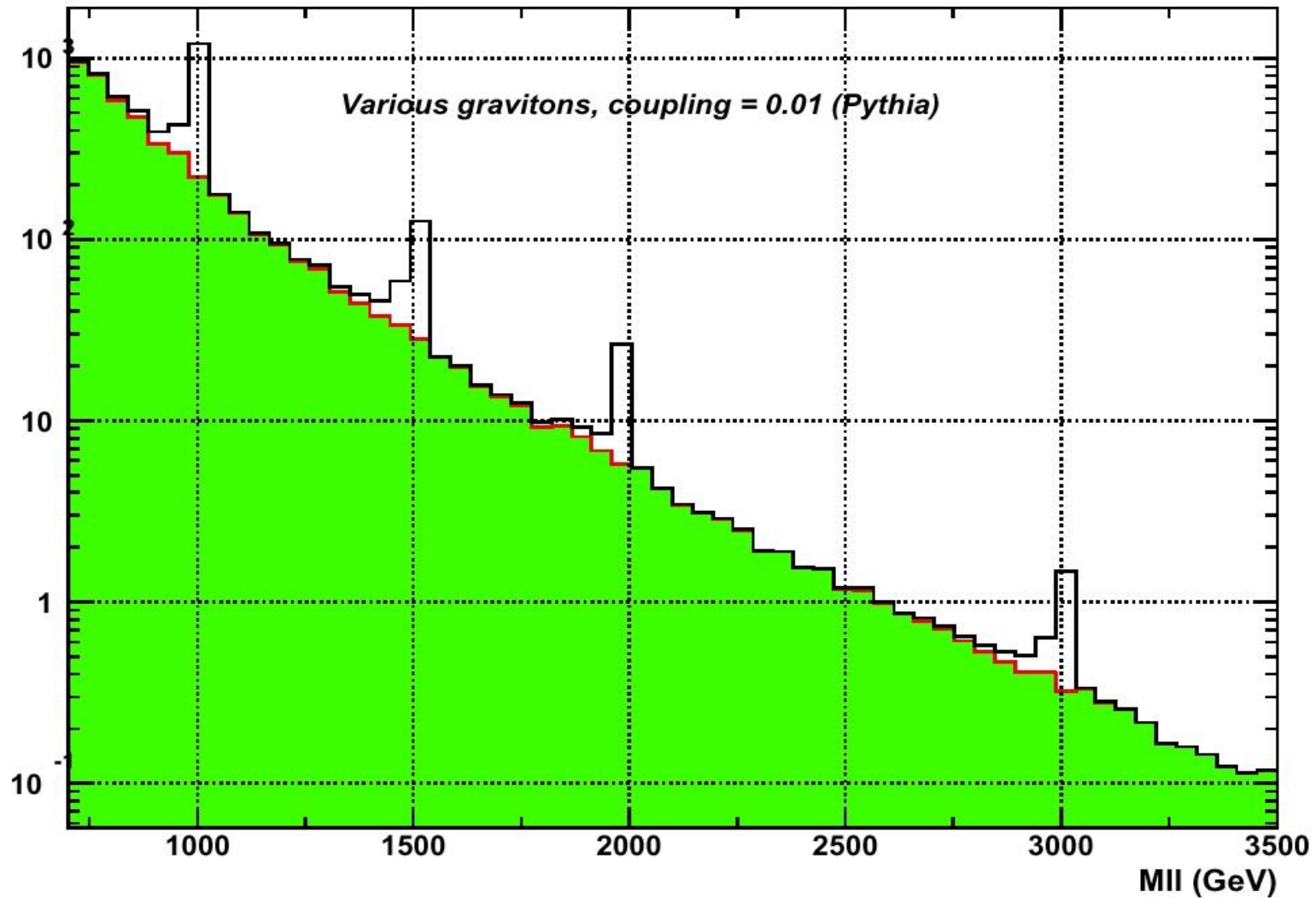
Tevatron:

- $1/R_2 > 0.8 \text{ TeV}$



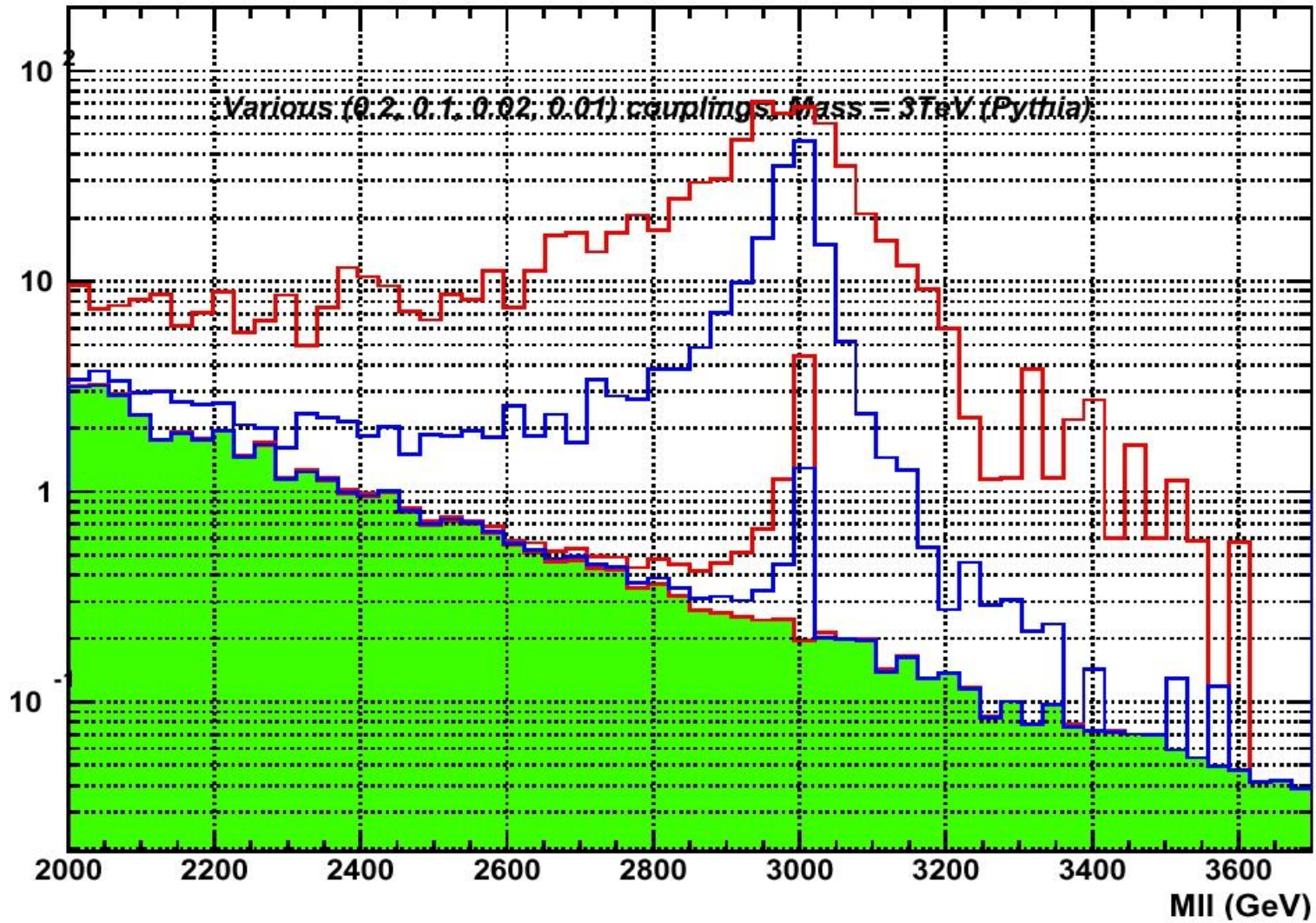


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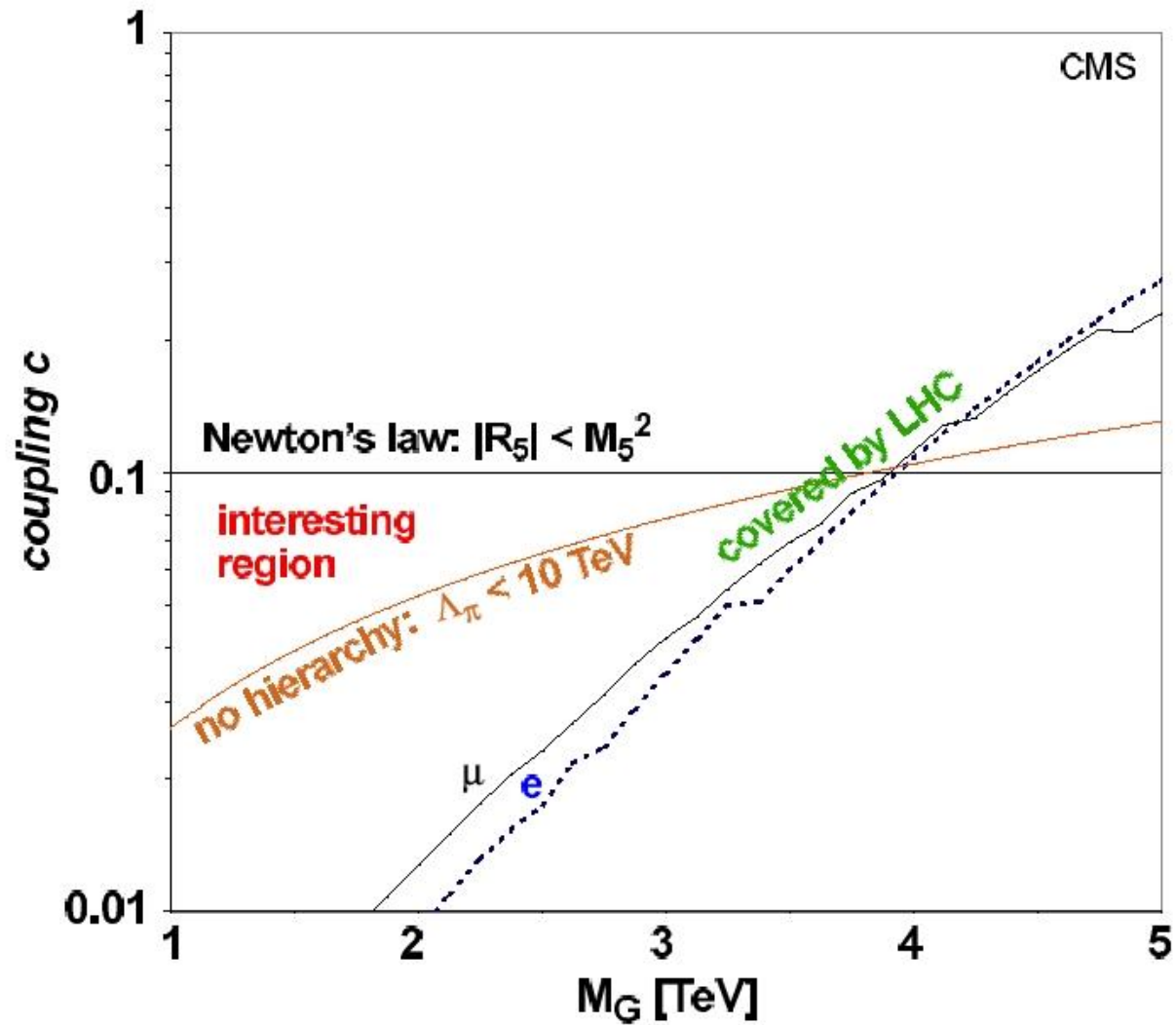


Extra Dimensions





Extra Dimensions



Extra dimension perspectives

Models with extra dimensions can

- **unify all interactions**
- **solve the hierarchy problem**
- **link String Theory to Standard Model**
- **make Quantum Gravity and String Theory accessible at LHC**

like Prometheus made the divine fire accessible for people

Perhaps it is only a dream...

But I wish you and me this dream to come true!



Conclusions



Higgs is still missing

Symmetry Breaking in the SM (and beyond!) still not understood
LHC and ATLAS/CMS designed to find it
Numerous challenges, mostly “solved”

Physics at the LHC will be extremely rich

SM Higgs (if there) in the pocket

Now turning to measurements of couplings, etc.

Supersymmetry (if there) ditto

Can perform numerous accurate measurements

Large com energy: new thresholds

Compositeness, new bosons, large extra dimensions within reach

LHC++?

Just need to build machine/experiments.