



Calice TCMT beam test Status Report

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The CALICE TCMT prototype

All 16 layers fully instrumented
(8 fine + 8 coarse)

Alternate x,y orientations

Fine section (~ 2cm absorber)

Coarse section (~ 10cm absorber)

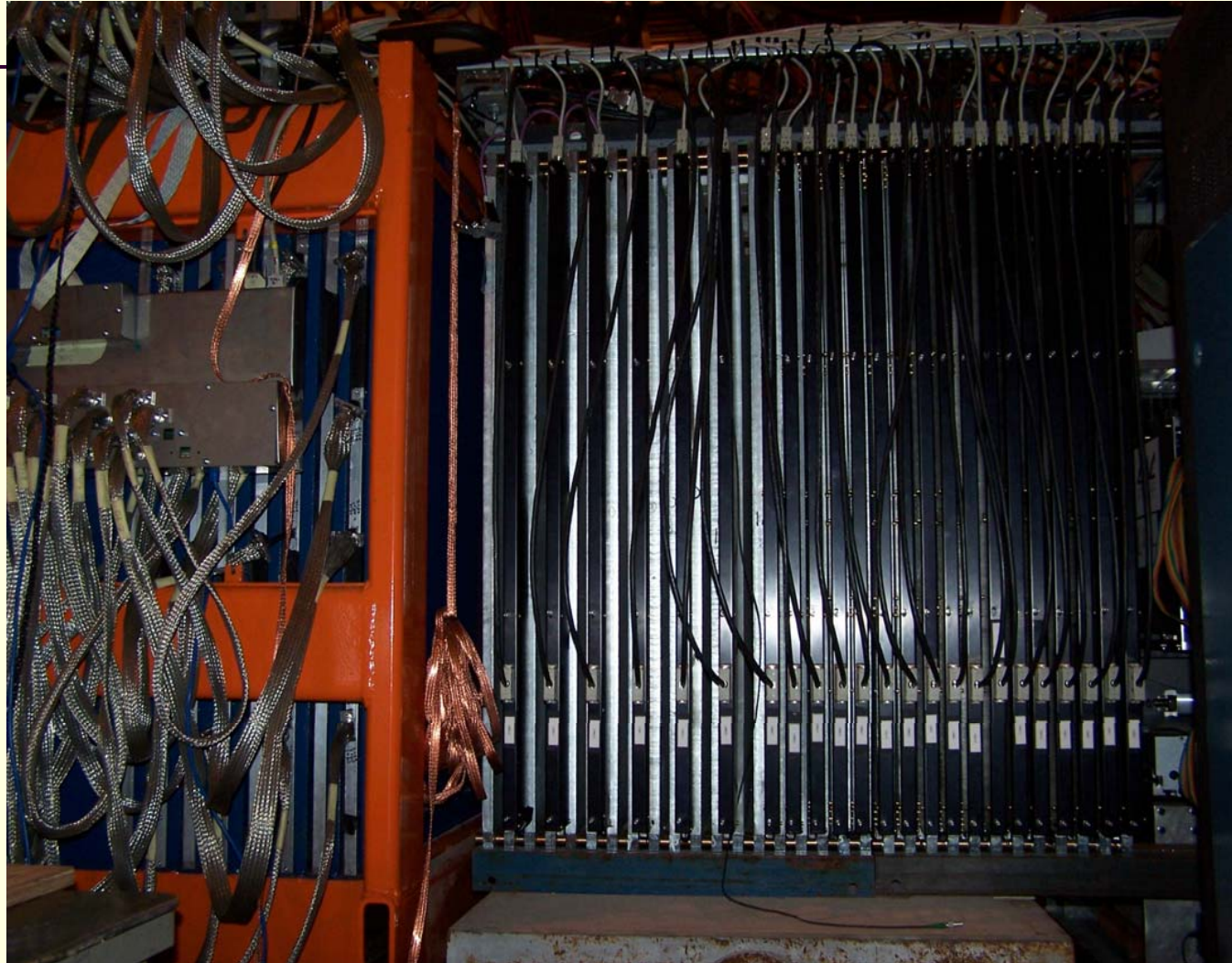
20 channels (strips) / cassette
Each strip is $100 \times 5 \times 0.5$ cm³,
beam



HCAL

TCMT

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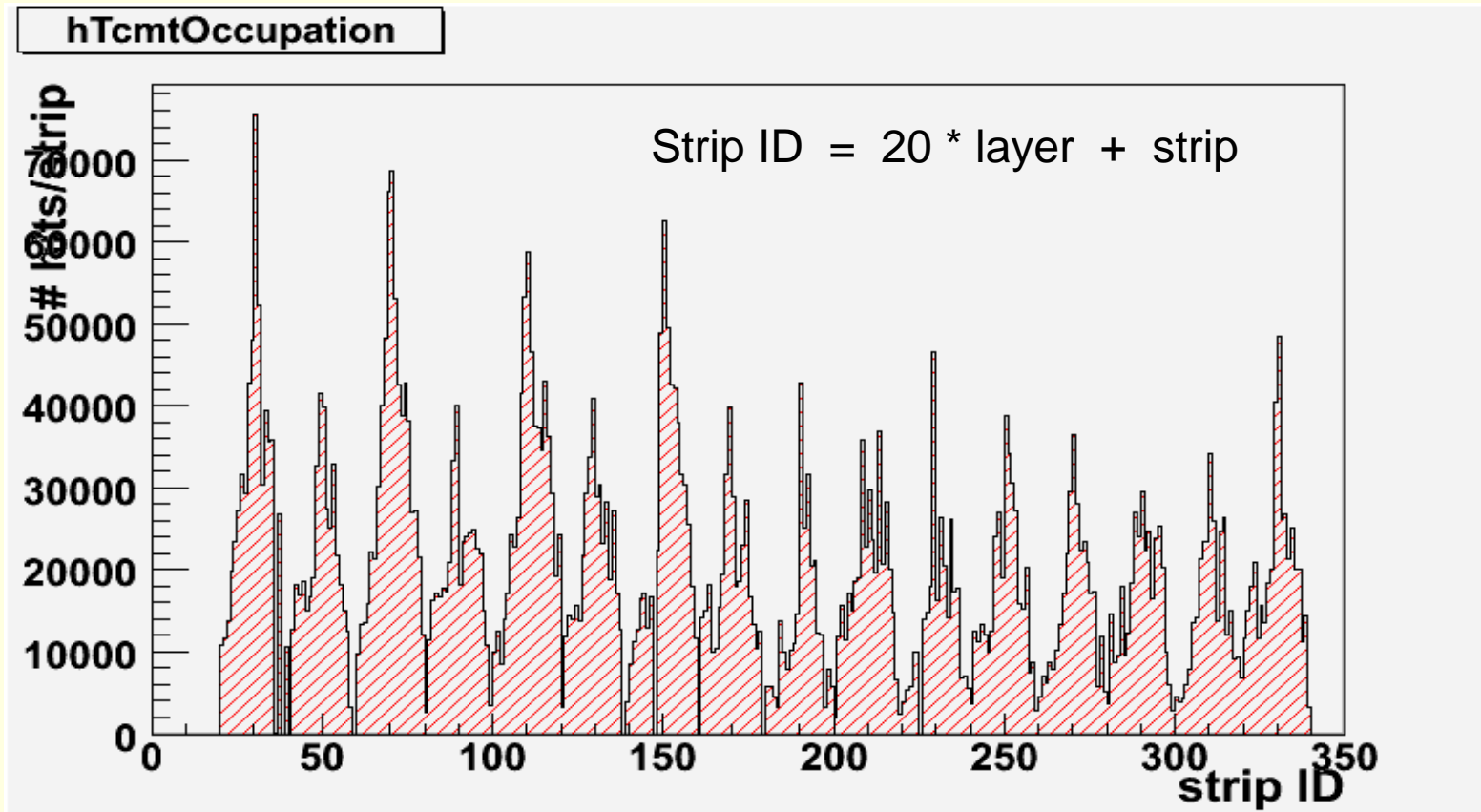
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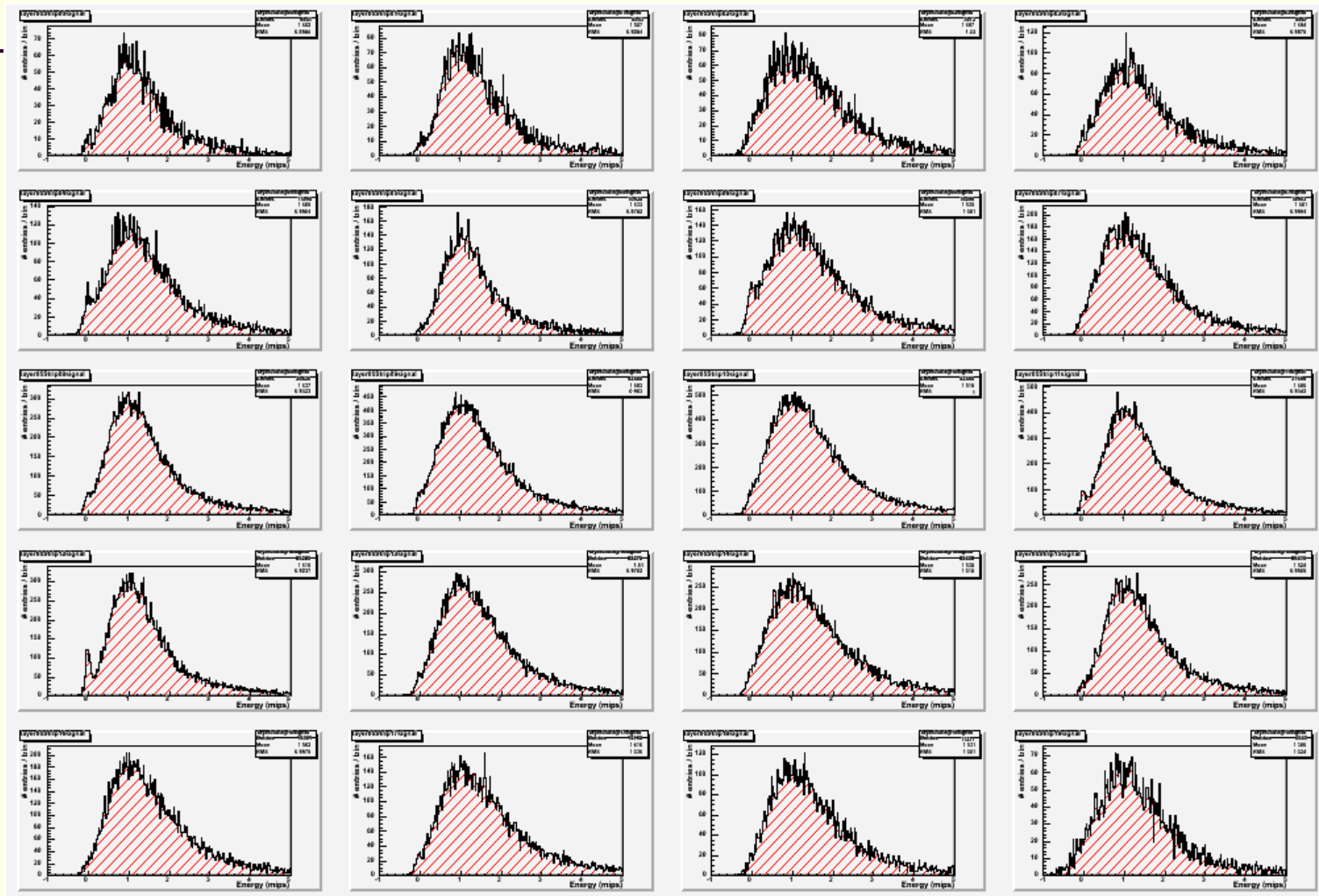
First Look at Data

- Basic sanity checks
- Tuning hit selection requirements:
 $E_{hit} > 0.5 E_{mip}$ and $E_{hit} > 2\sigma(\text{pedestal})$
- Calibration:
 - MIP: Using muon samples
 - calibrated hit energies in terms of E_{mip}
- Preliminary looked at some pion samples (30 and 80 GeV)

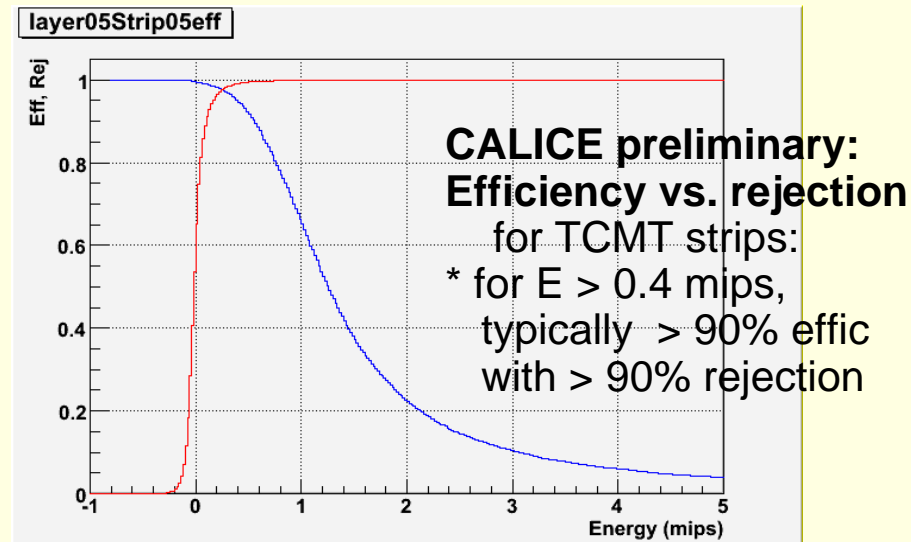
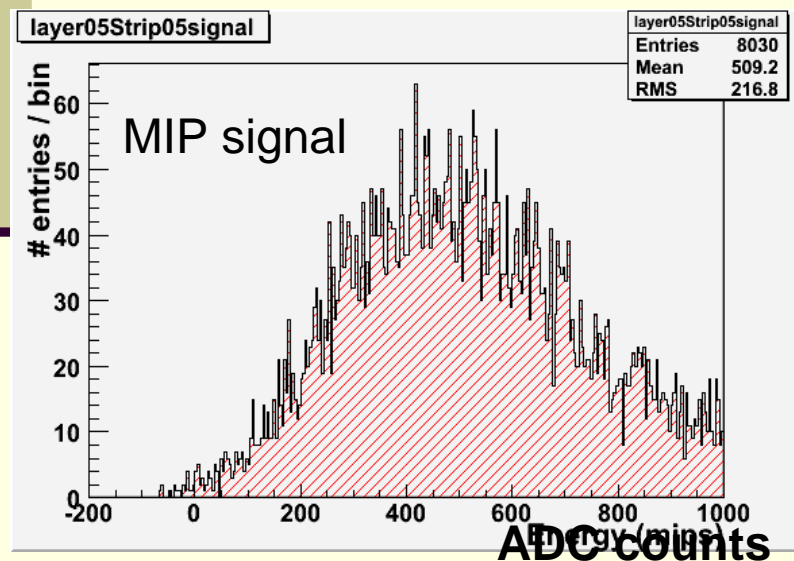
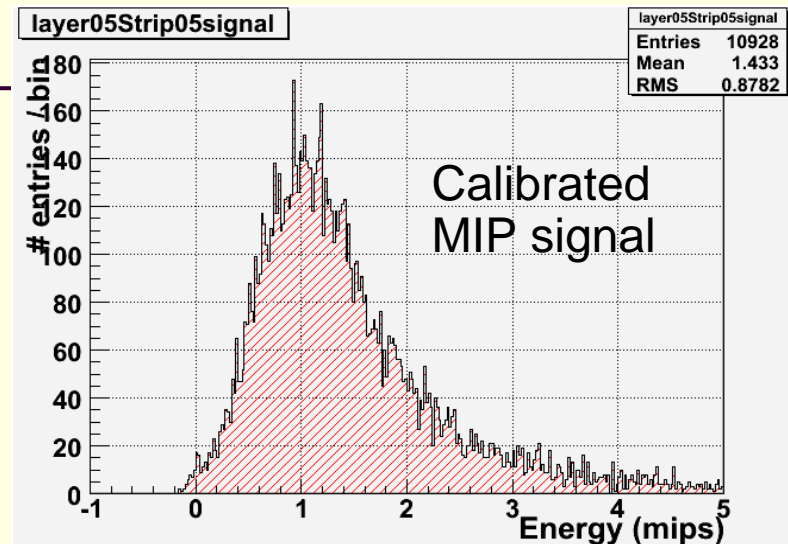
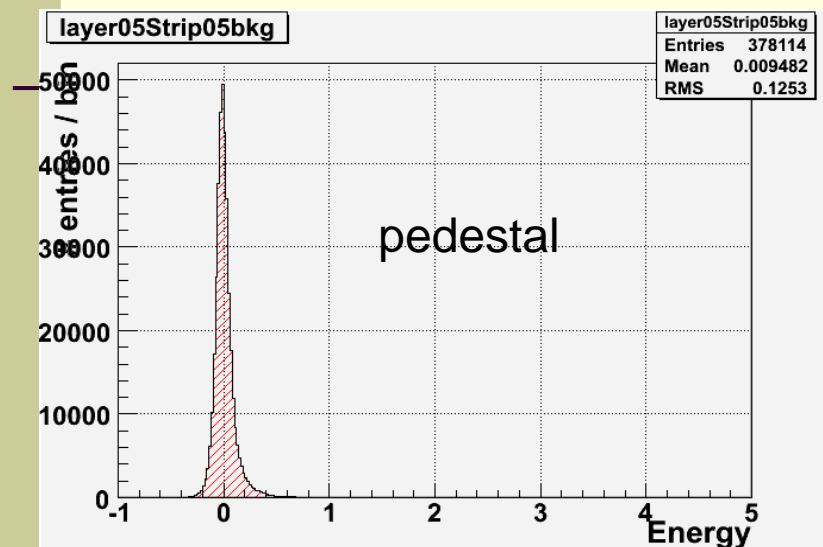
Muon run: occupation and beam profile



Layer 5: mips on each channel



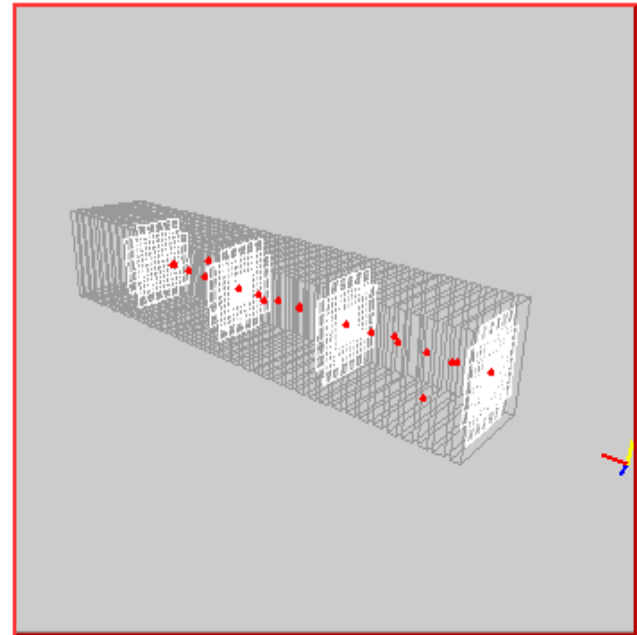
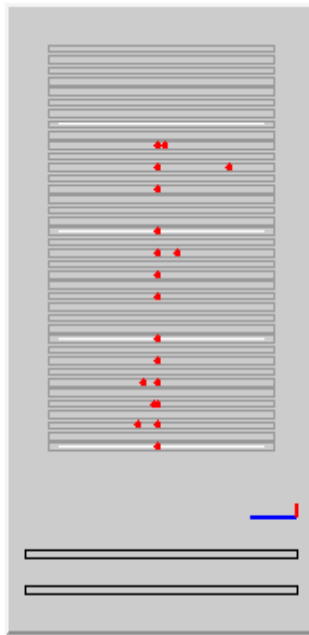
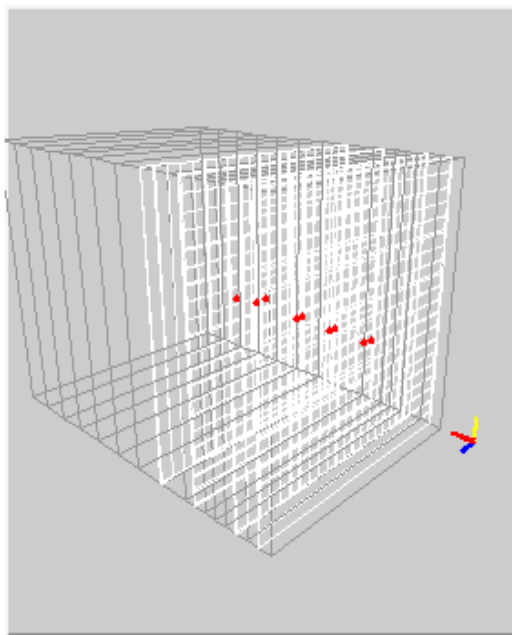
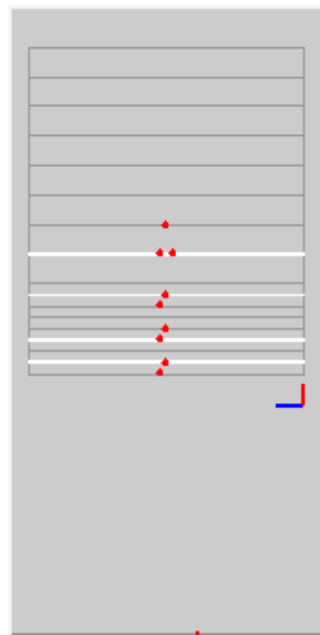
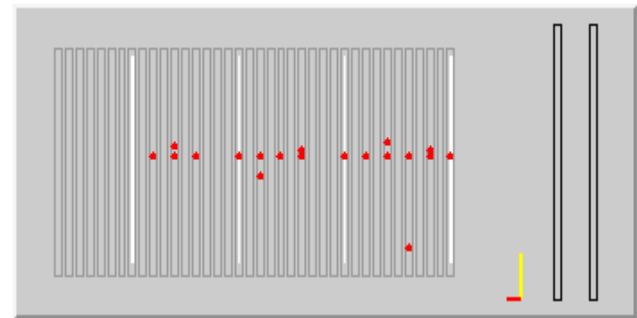
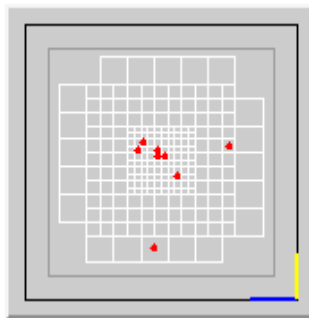
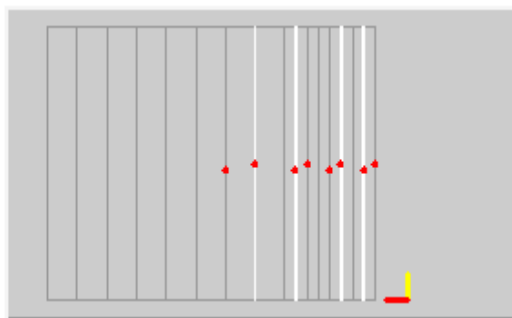
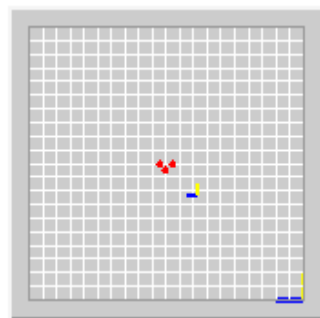
A closer look into a TCMT strip



Muon Event

TCMT

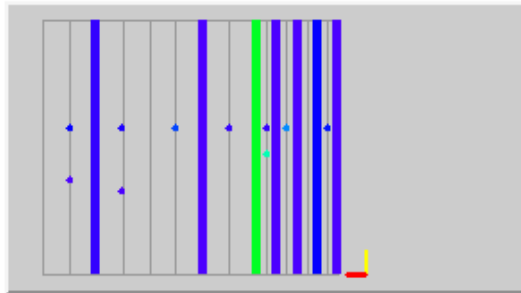
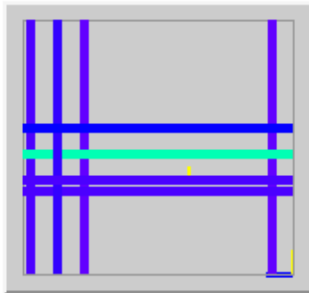
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Updated event display (muons)

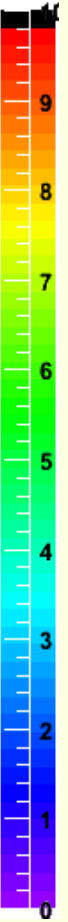
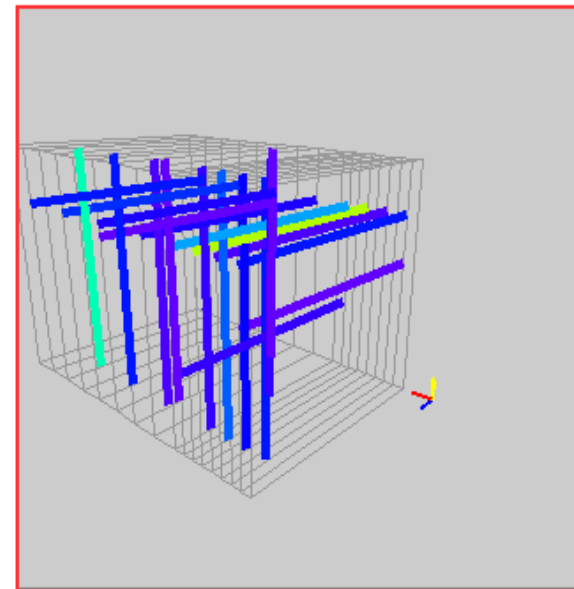
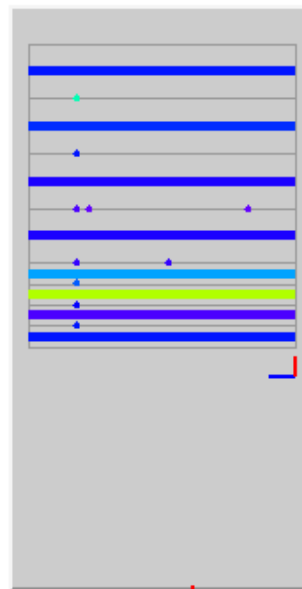
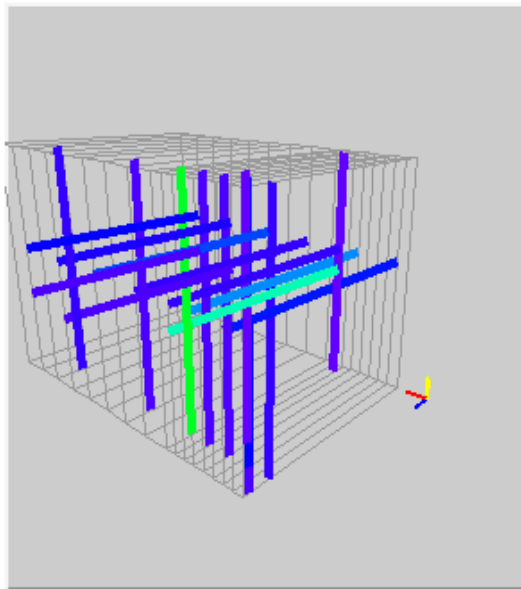
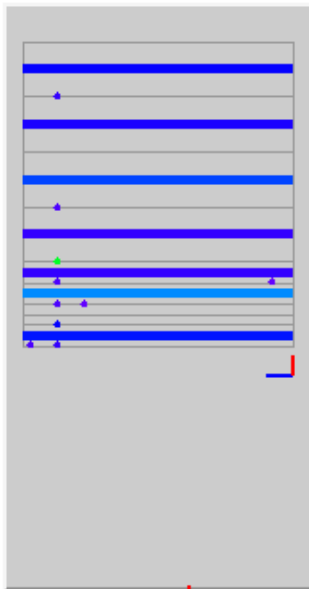
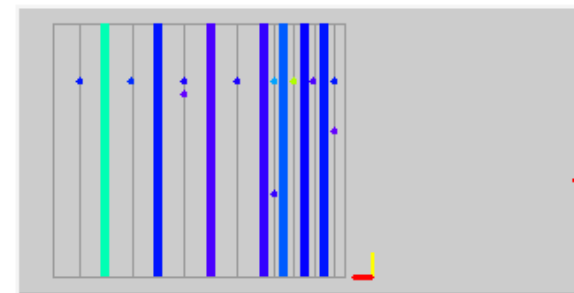
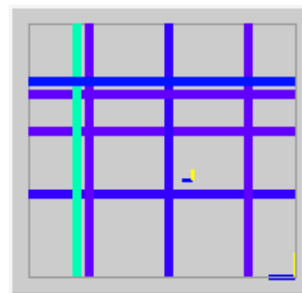
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Time: 04:34:32:261:664 Fri Oct 13 2006
Hits: 20 Energy: 27.6692 mip

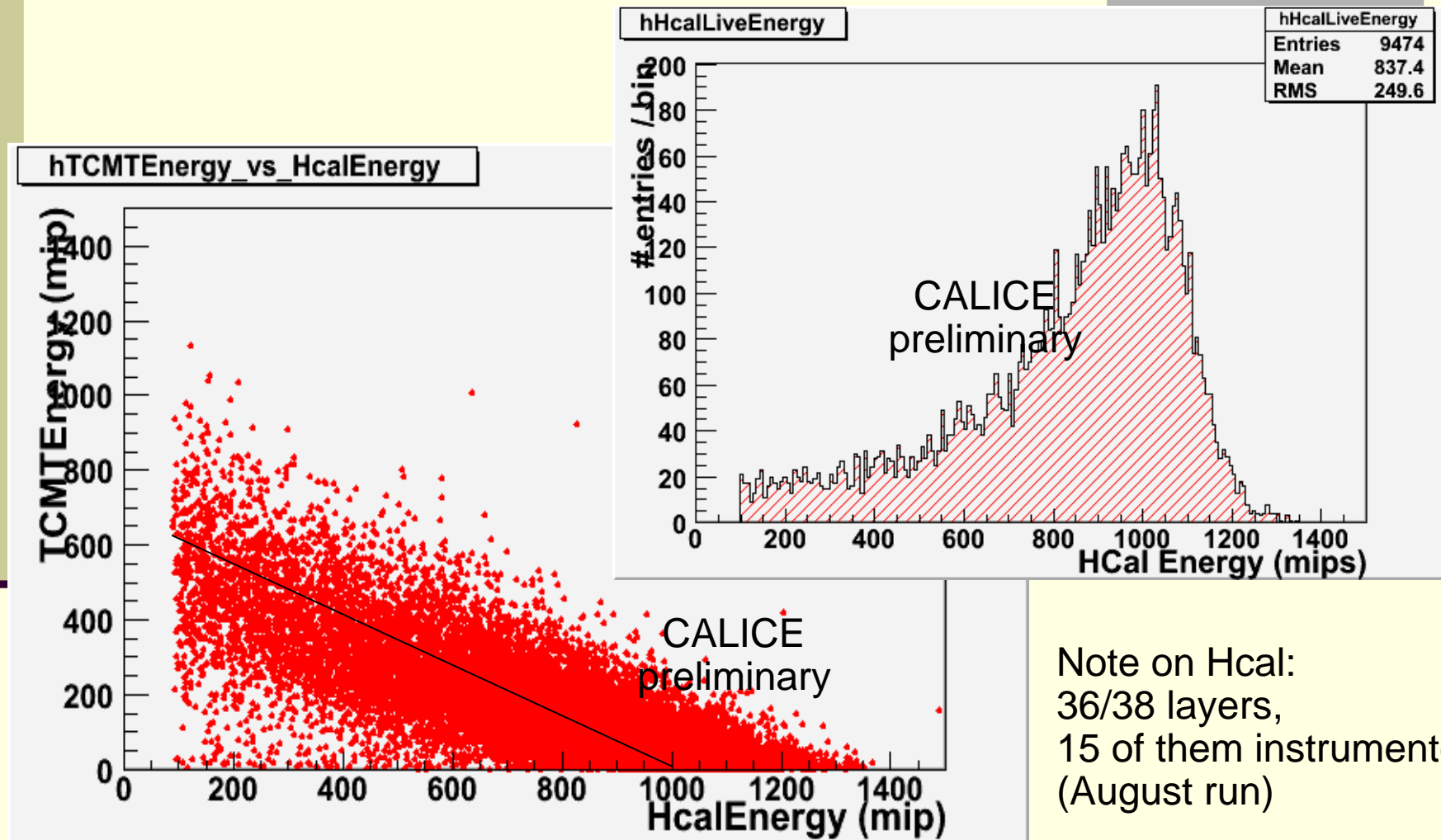


Run 300517:0 Event 1740

Time: 04:34:33:245:537 Fri Oct 13 2006
Hits: 21 Energy: 33.3748 mips



80 GeV pions: Hcal x TCMT correlation



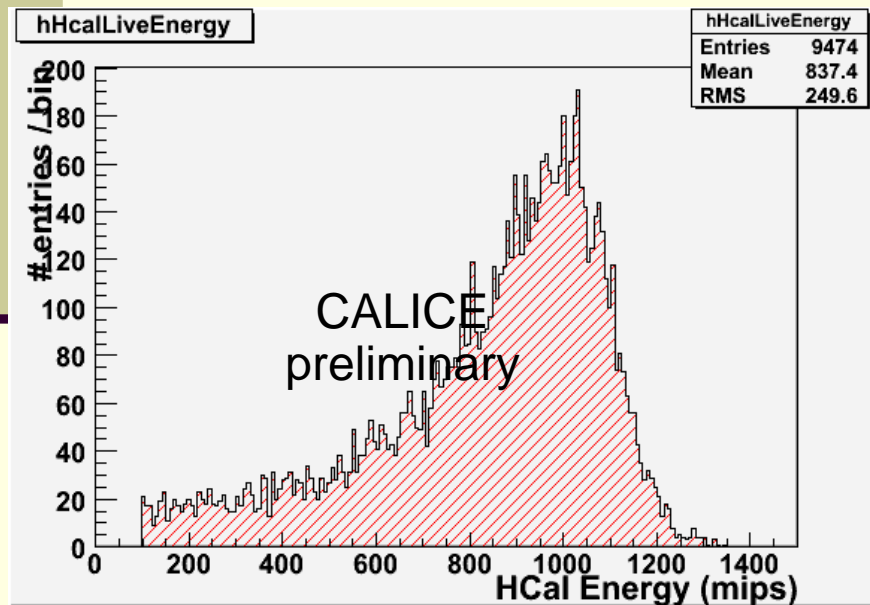
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(August run)

80 GeV Pions – adding TCMT energy

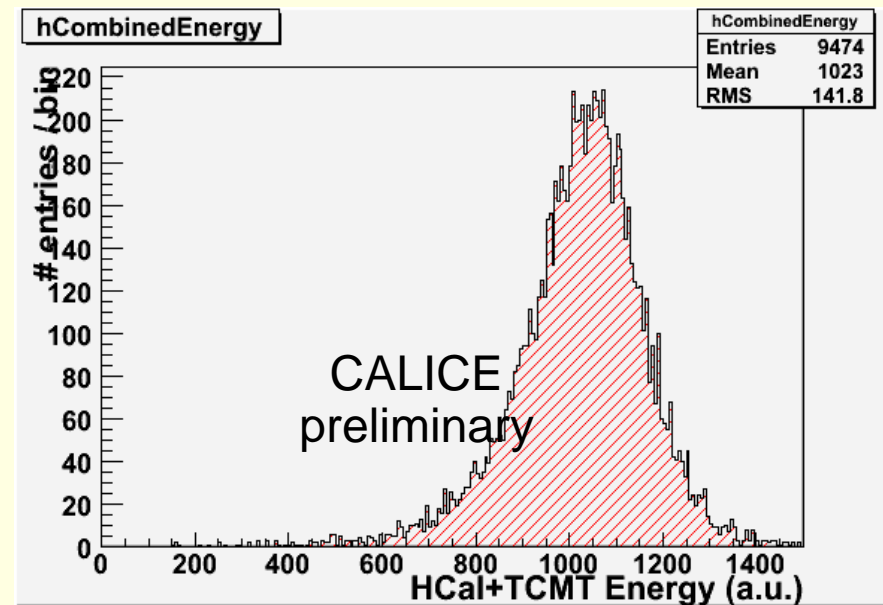
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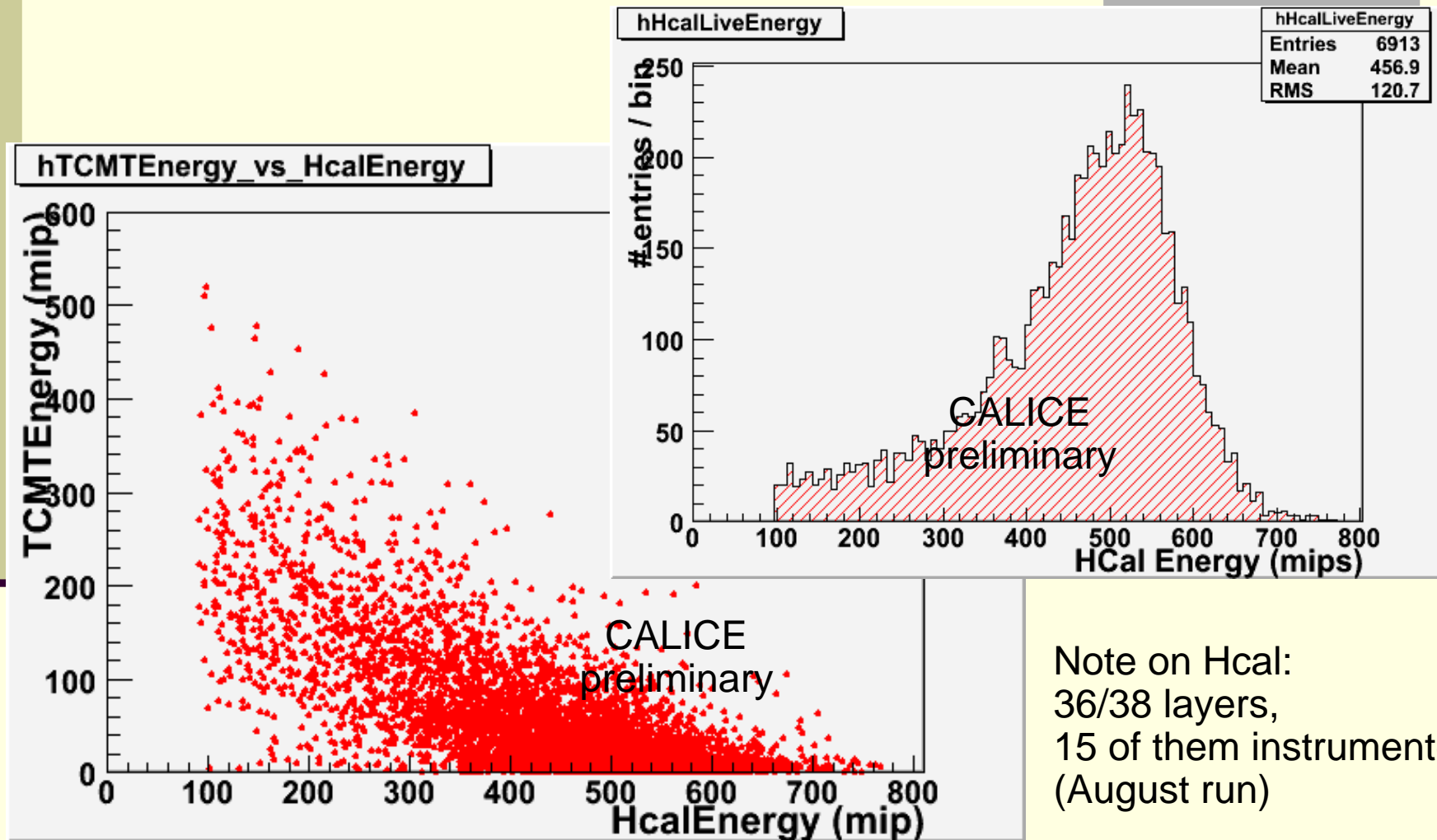
HCal only



HCal + TCMT



30 GeV pions: Hcal x TCMT correlation



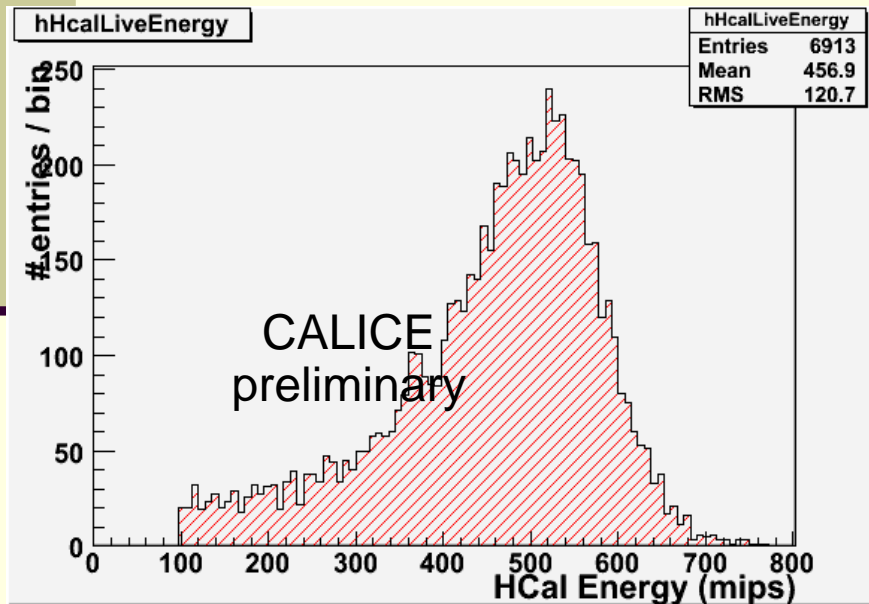
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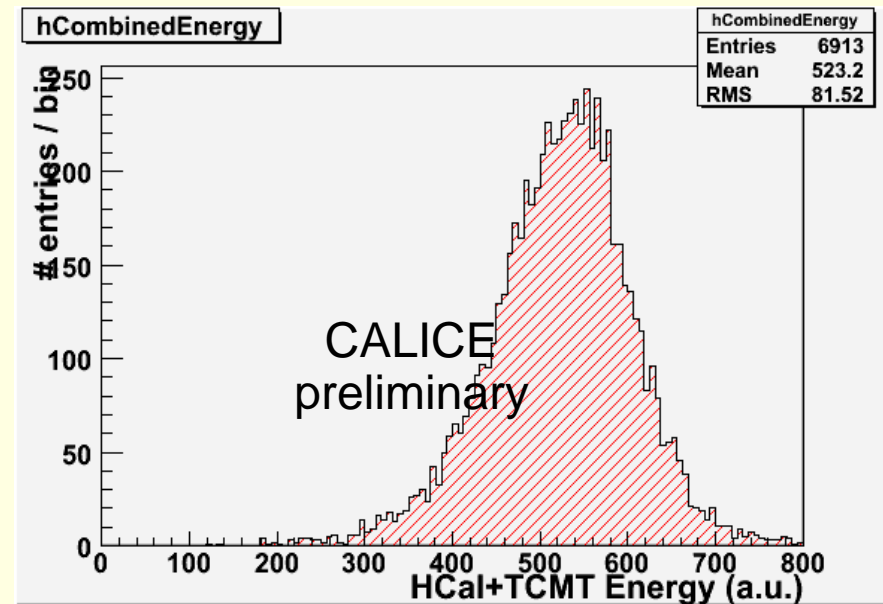
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Summary

- Valuable experience with a TCMT prototype with a few hundred cells
- Preliminary results are very encouraging, more data analysis is in progress
- Software development: TCMT reconstruction into the official Calice software framework, and final TCMT geometry into Mokka (v6.2)
- Data taking under way at CERN until next week
- **For the DCR**, we suggest using the plots for the TCMT efficiency vs. rejection and the TCMT+HCal energies combined.