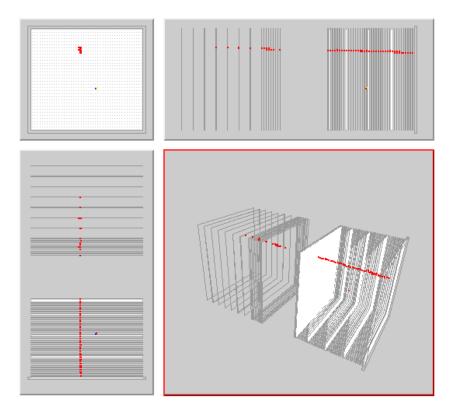
# **Analysis of Muon Events in the DHCAL**





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# **DHCAL Analysis Strategy**

### Noise measurement

- Determine noise rate
- Identify (and possibly mask) noisy channels
- Provide random trigger events for overlay with MC events

### **Measurements with muons**

- Align layers in x and y
- Determine efficiency and multiplicity in 'clean' areas
- Simulate response with GEANT4 + RPC\_sim (requires tuning)
- Determine efficiency and multiplicity over the whole 1 x 1  $\ensuremath{\text{m}}^2$
- Compare to simulation and tune MC
- Perform additional measurements, such as scan over pads, etc...

### **Measurement with positrons**

- Determine response
- Compare to MC and tune  $4^{\text{th}}$  (d $_{\text{cut}}$ ) parameter of RPC\_sim
- Perform additional studies, e.g. software compensation...

## Measurement with pions

- Determine response
- Compare to MC (no more tuning) with different hadronic shower models
- Perform additional studies, e.g. software compensation, leakage correction...

# **The DHCAL Project**

Argonne National Laboratory Boston University Fermi National Accelerator Laboratory IHEP Beijing University of Iowa McGill University Northwestern University University of Texas at Arlington

DCHAL Collaboration	Heads
Engineers/Technicians	22
Students/Postdocs	8
Physicists	9
Total	39

...and integral part of



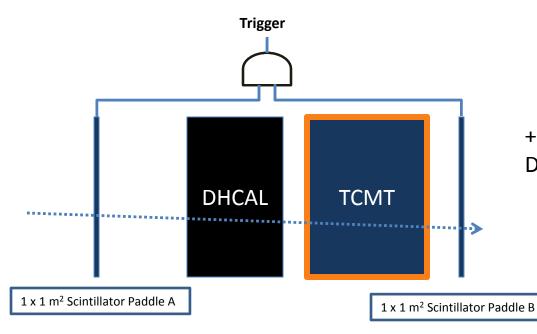
# The DHCAL in the Test Beam

	Date	DHCAL layers	RPC_TCMT layers	SC_TCM T layers	Total RPC layers	Total layers	Readout channels
Run I –	10/14/2010 - 11/3/2010	38	0	16	38	54	350,208+320
	1/7/2011 – 1/10/2011	38	0	8	38	46	350,208+160
Run II -	1/11/2011 – 1/20/2011	38	4	8	42	50	387,072+160
	1/21/2011 – 2/4/2011	38	9	6	47	53	433,152+120
	2/5/2011 – 2/7/2011	38	13	0	51	51	470,016+0





# **Beam and Trigger for Muon events**



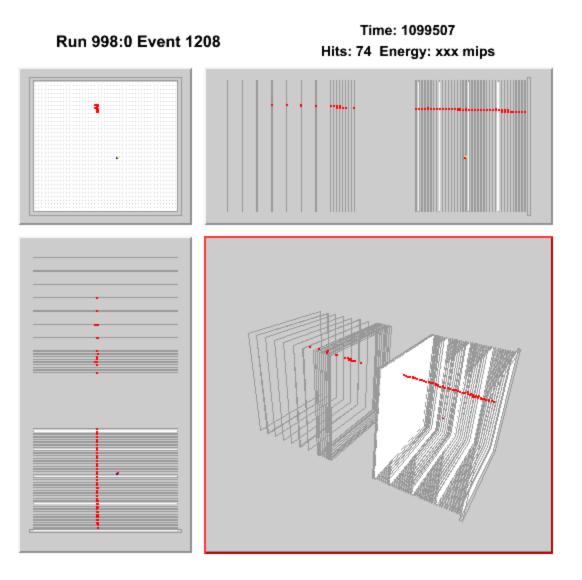
## +32 GeV/c secondary beam + 3m Fe DAQ rate typically 500/spill

Run	# of muon events
October 2010	1.4 Million
January 2011	1.6 Million



## Some cute muon events

Note: Consecutive events (not selected) Look for random noise hits



# Analysis strategy

### A) Establish track parameters and average response away from troubled areas

#### a) Select clean muons

apply cleaning cuts (1 cluster in layer 0, not more than 3 hits in layer 0) fit track to straight line (omitting layer to be measured) select clean tracks (cut on slope, Chi2, points on track) extrapolate to layer to be measured

### b) Align the boards in x and y



#### c) Measure track parameters

measure impact point on layer 0 measure slope in both x and y

### d) Cut out troubled areas in layer to be measured

dead areas regions between RPCs regions around fishing lines edges in x high multiplicity layer

#### e) Measure spectrum of number of pads hit

for all layers for each layer separately

#### f) Scan across pads

measure average number of hits/multiplicity





### B) Simulate muons

a) Use 20 GeV/c muons



#### b) Compare track parameters

adjust impact point on layer 0 so it matches the data adjust slope in both x and y so it matches the data

#### c) Cut out troubled areas in layer to be measured (apart from 'dead areas' same as data

regions between RPCs regions around fishing lines edges in x

d) Measure spectrum of number of pads

for all layers

#### e) Adjust RPC\_sim parameters

adjust RPC\_sim parameters to reproduce the measured spectrum of number of pads







### C) Compare muon response everywhere

#### a) Select clean muons

apply cleaning cuts fit track to straight line (omitting layer to be measured) select clean tracks extrapolate to layer to be measured

### b) Measure spectrum of number of pads in regions of x and y (squares)

for all layers only cutting out dead areas

### c) Compare to simulation

adjust simulated geometry to reproduce measurement

- thickness of fishing line
- thickness of borders
- corners?

#### d) Compare each layer to average response

determine  $c_{ij} = \langle hit \rangle_{layer ij} / \langle hit \rangle_{total}$  i = layer number, j = 1,2,3 for top, middle and bottom RPC

### $\rightarrow$ These are the calibration constants!





### D) Detailed muon studies I

#### a) Select clean muons

apply cleaning cuts fit track to straight line (omitting layer to be measured) select clean tracks extrapolate to layer to be measured

#### b) Measure efficiency/multiplicity as function of position on pads

Compare to simulation

#### c) Determine position resolution of extrapolated track positions

Look at response as function of y

- Identify gas barriers
- Identify gaps between RPCs



### E) Detailed muon studies II

#### a) Select clean muons

apply cleaning cuts fit track to straight line (omitting layer to be measured) select clean tracks extrapolate to layer to be measured

### b) Measure efficiency/multiplicity

Perform systematic studies of track selection

# Tracking

### **Clustering of hits**

Performed in each layer individually Use close neighbor clustering (one common side) Determine unweighted average of all hits in a given cluster (x<sub>cluster</sub>, y<sub>cluster</sub>)

### Loop over layers

for layer irequest that all other layers have  $N^{j}_{cluster} \leq 1$ request that number of hits in tracking clusters  $N^{j}_{hit} \leq 4$ , otherwise don't use this cluster for trackingrequest at least 10/37 layers with tracking clustersfit straight line to  $(x_{cluster}, z)$  and  $(y_{cluster}, z)$  of all clusters j not in layer icalculate  $\chi^{2}$  of track

$$\chi^{2} / N_{track} = \sum_{j \neq i} \frac{(x_{cluster}^{j} - x_{track}^{j})^{2}}{1} + \sum_{j \neq i} \frac{(y_{cluster}^{j} - y_{track}^{j})^{2}}{1}$$

request that  $\chi^2/N_{track} < 1.0$ inter/extrapolate track to layer i search for matching clusters in layer i within

$$R = \sqrt{\left(x_{cluster}^{i} - x_{track}^{i}\right)^{2} + \left(y_{cluster}^{i} - y_{track}^{i}\right)^{2}} < 2.5cm$$

record number of hits in matching cluster

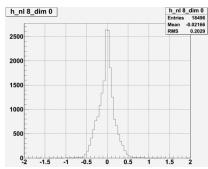
# Alignment

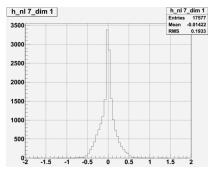
For each layer i plot residual in x/y

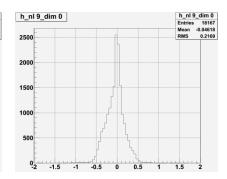
## Dimensions in [cm]

 $R_{x}^{i} = x_{cluster}^{i} - x_{track}^{i}$  $R_{y}^{i} = y_{cluster}^{i} - y_{track}^{i}$ 

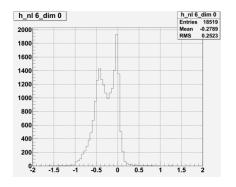
### Most distributions look OK (Dimensions in [cm])



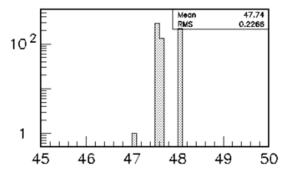




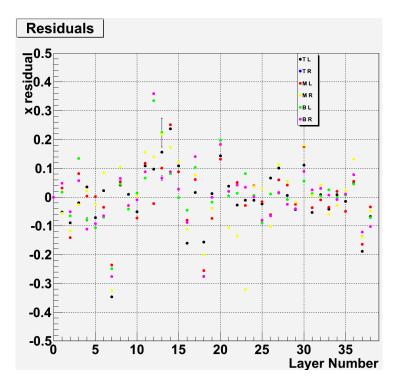
## Few have double peaks







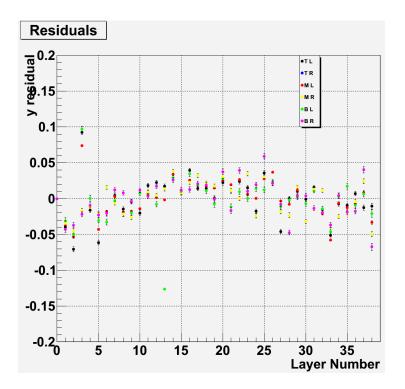
# **Residuals for each Front-end board versus layer#**



## Mean of residual distributions

### x-residual

Variations of < 3 mm Alignment of layers by hand Correlation between boards within a layer



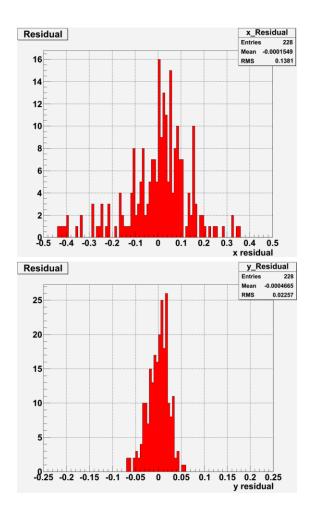
### y-residual

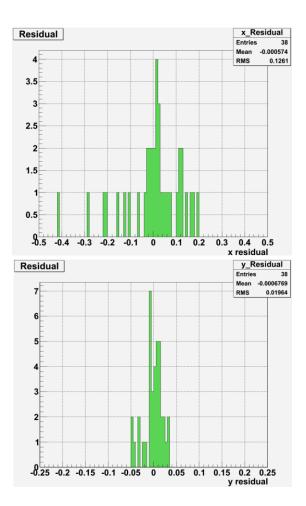
Variations of <0.5 mm

Cassette resting on CALICE structure

Systematic trend compatible with cassettes being lower in center of stack

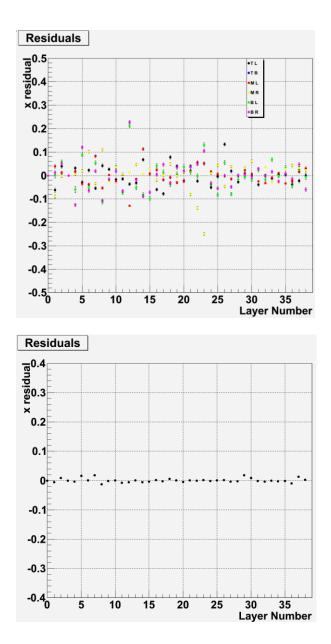
## **Residuals for each Front-end board or layer**

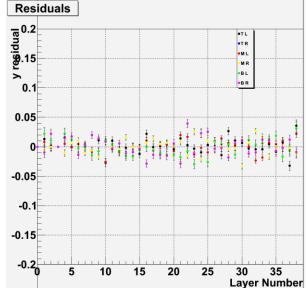




Note: mean by construction close to 0

## Use average residual to align layers





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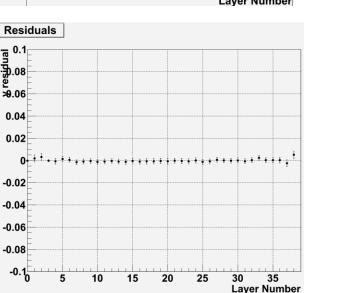
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0.02

-0.02

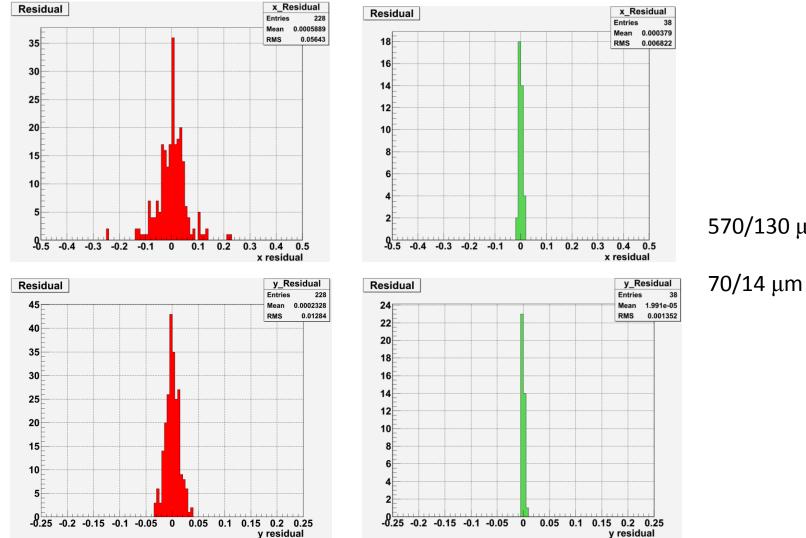
-0.04

-0.06 -0.08



## Works nicely!

## **Remaining residuals after alignment**

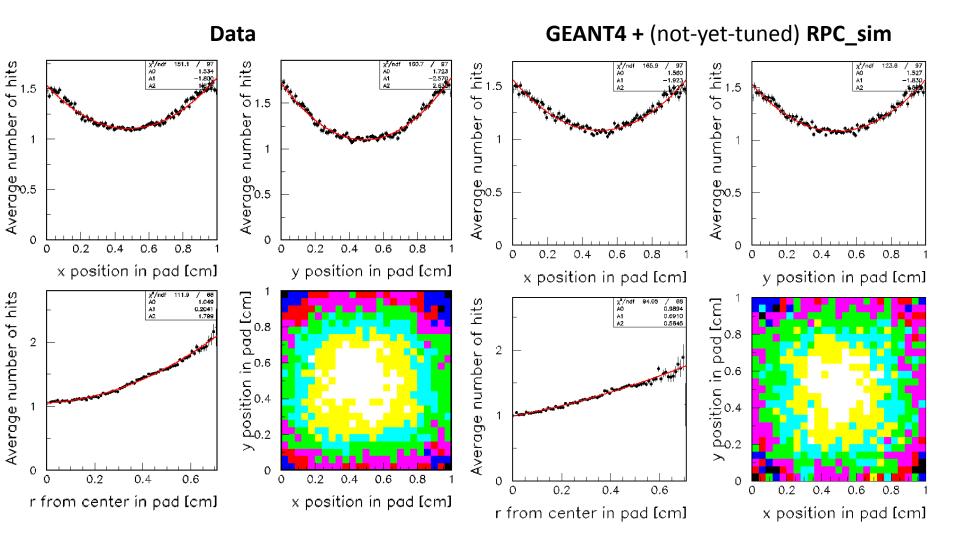


### 570/130 µm for FEBs

### 70/14 $\mu$ m for layers

Scan across pad

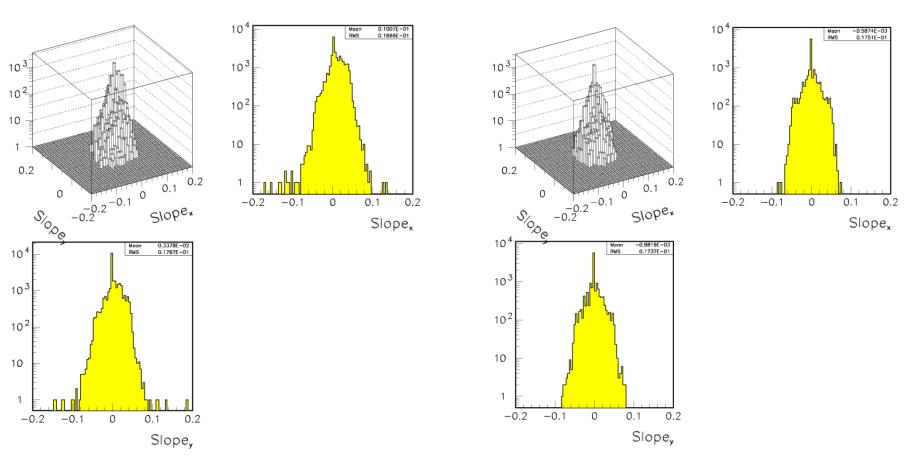
 $x = Mod(x_{track} + 0.5, 1.)$  $y = Mod(y_{track} - 0.03, 1.)$ 



#### Note:

These features not implemented explicitly into simulation Simulation distributes charge onto plane of pads... Tracking resolution to be determined (using fishing lines e.g.)

## **Angles of muon tracks**



### Data

Good enough!

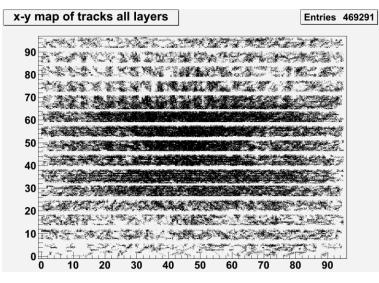
### GEANT4 + (not-yet-tuned) RPC\_sim

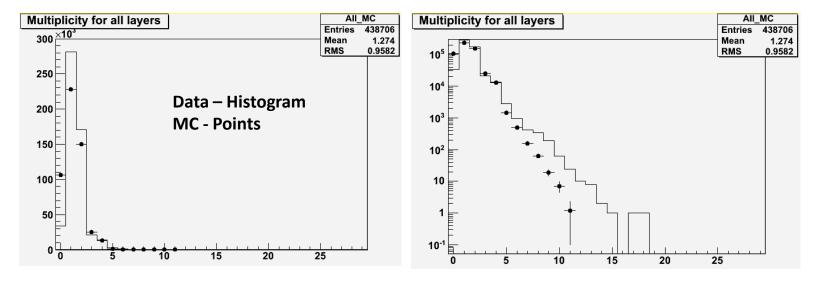
# Efficiencies, multiplicities

### Select 'non – problematic' regions away from

- Dead ASICs (cut out 8 x 8 cm<sup>2</sup> + a rim of 1 cm)
- Edges in x (2 rims of 0.5 cm)
- Edges in y (6 rims of 0.5 cm)
- Fishing lines (12 rectangles of ±1 cm)
- Layer 27 (with exceptionally high mulitplicity)

### Measure average response





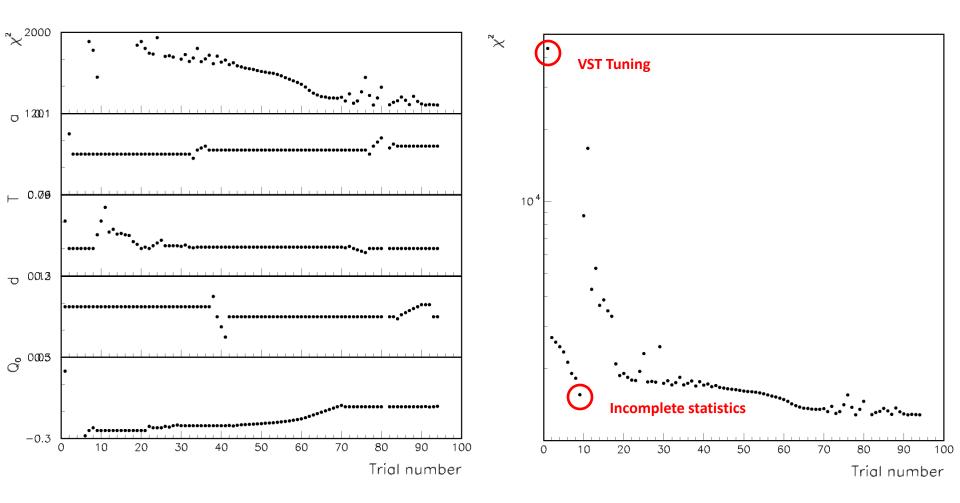
Efficiency, multiplicity

### Note:

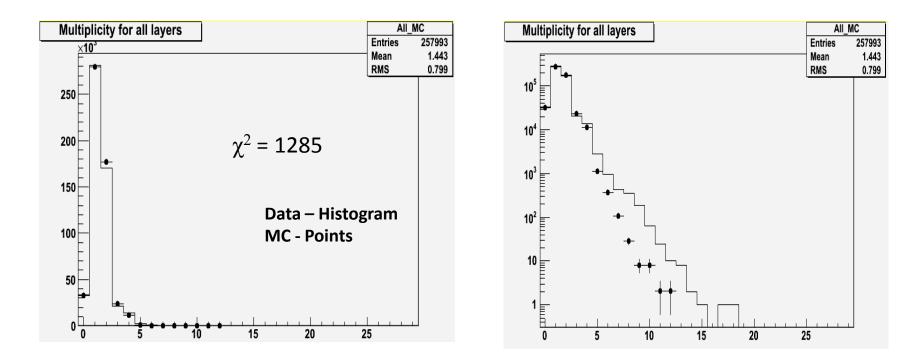
Simulation of RPC tuned to Vertical Slice Test DHCAL shows higher efficiency and lower multiplicity (thinner glass)

## Tuning, tuning, tuning...

# $\chi^2$ comparison of normalized histograms of multiplicity



## **Current best fit**



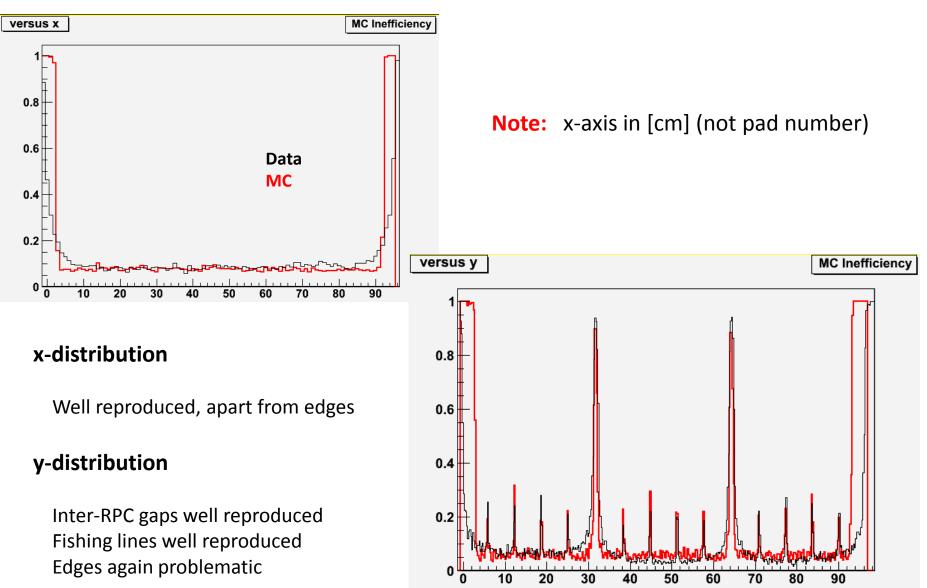
Note: High statistics (error bars « dots) Efficiency well reproduced Low multiplicity well reproduced Tail problematic (excess of 0.6% in the data)

To further improve need different function to distribute charge in plane of readout pads

Efficiency =	93.6% in data
	93.8% in MC
Multiplicity =	1.563 in data
	1.538 in MC
Mean =	1.4614in data
	1.443 in MC

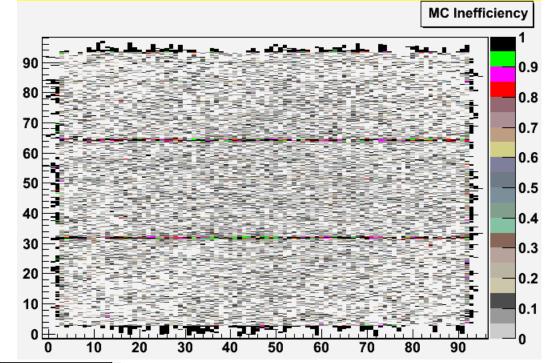
## **Response over the entire plane I**

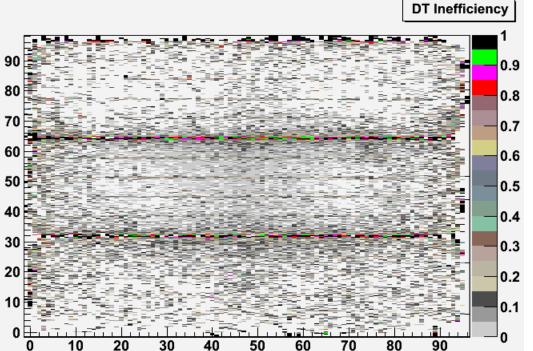
Implemented dead areas of data in MC (delete corresponding hits)



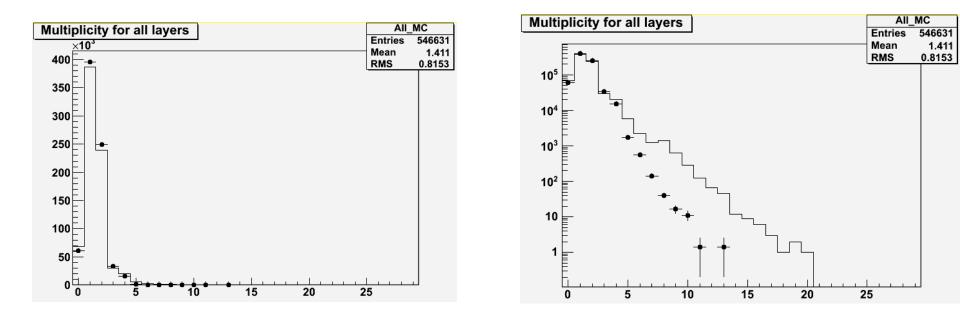
Response over the entire plane II

**Note:** distribution of tracks not the same in data and MC





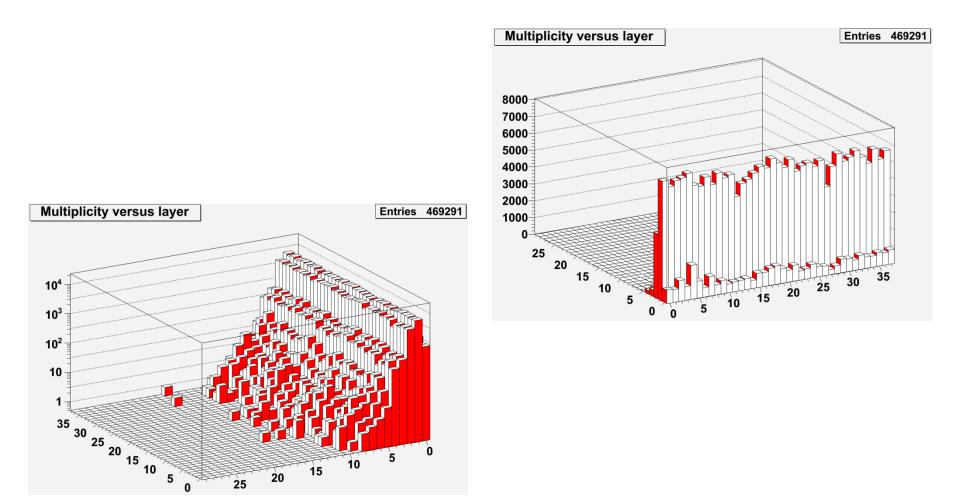
## Average response over the entire plane

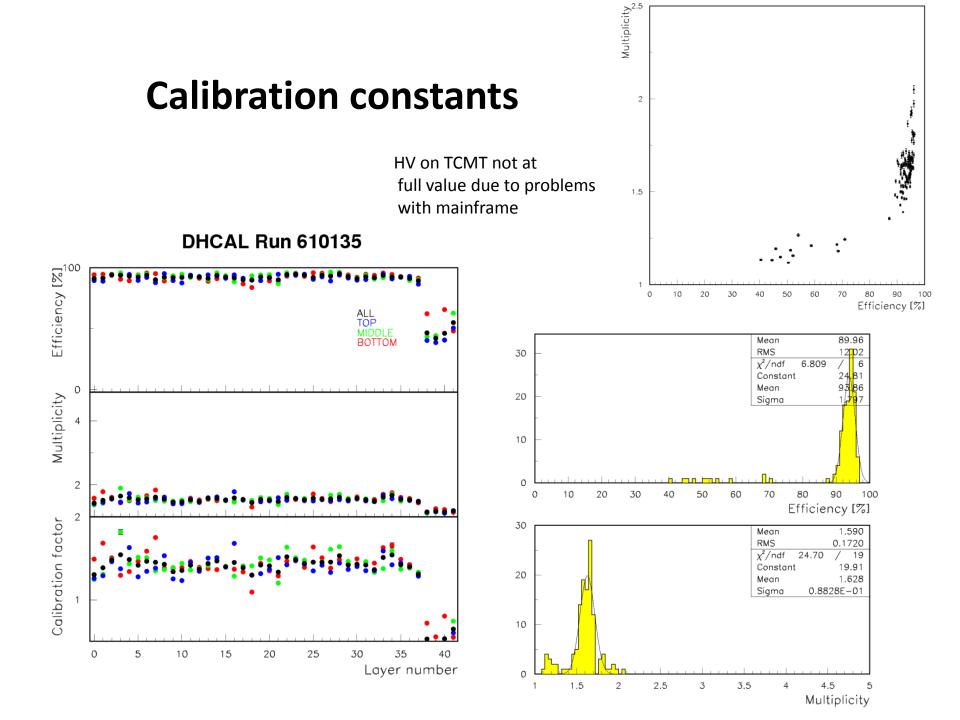


Note:	There are systematic uncertainties → due to track selection → still need to be studied	Efficiency =	90.9% in data <mark>92.1%</mark> in MC
	These number include the dead areas	Multiplicity =	1.611 in data <mark>1.535</mark> in MC
	Some tuning of the MC still needed	Mean =	1.464 in data <mark>1.411</mark> in MC

## **Response versus layer number**

Dead areas, fishing lines, and edges are excluded





# **Calibration constants as function of time**

## **Track segment analysis**

Analysis by Burak Bilki (University of Iowa)

## **Track Segments Algorithm**

• Use clusters in two layers (source clusters) to measure a third layer (target cluster):

- Use Layer\_2 and Layer\_3 to measure Layer\_1
- Use Layer\_36 and Layer\_37 to measure Layer\_38
- Use Layer\_(i-1) and Layer\_(i+1) to measure Layer\_i

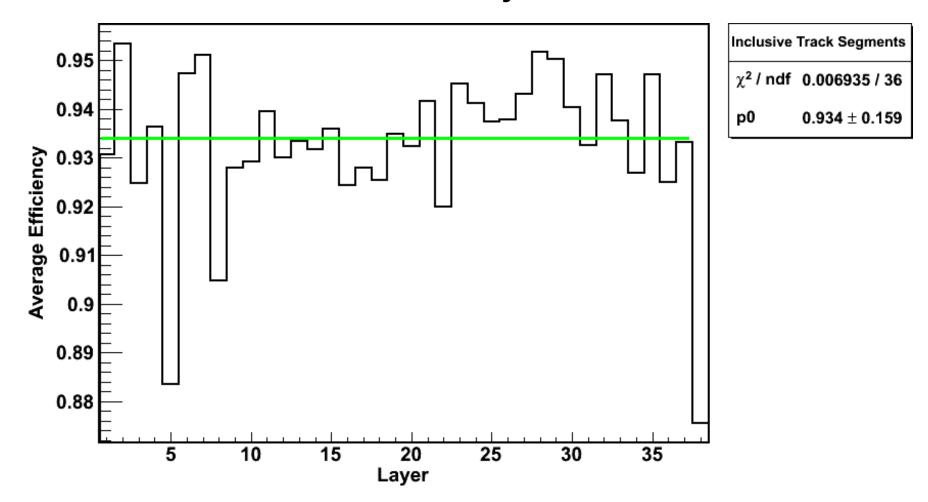
• Require size of the source clusters be less then 4 hits and the distance between their centers of mass be less than 3 cm.

- Require the isolation of the source clusters in a 7 cm-radius circular area.
- Search for target clusters within 2 cm of the point predicted by the source clusters.

• Use Layer\_(i+1) and Layer\_(i-2) to measure Layer\_i if the interpolated pad is in an inefficient region of Layer\_(i-1).

• Similarly, use Layer\_(i-1) and Layer\_(i+2) to measure Layer\_i if the interpolated pad is in an inefficient region of Layer\_(i+1).

## Track Segments Algorithm Results Efficiency



## Track Segments Algorithm Results Pad Multiplicity

