

Status and News from the HCAL

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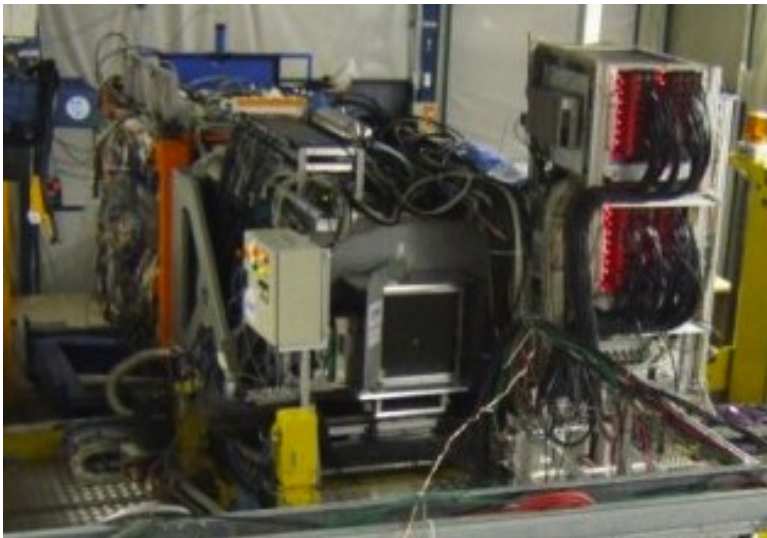
ILD meeting

Whistler, 4 November 2015

AHCAL Status

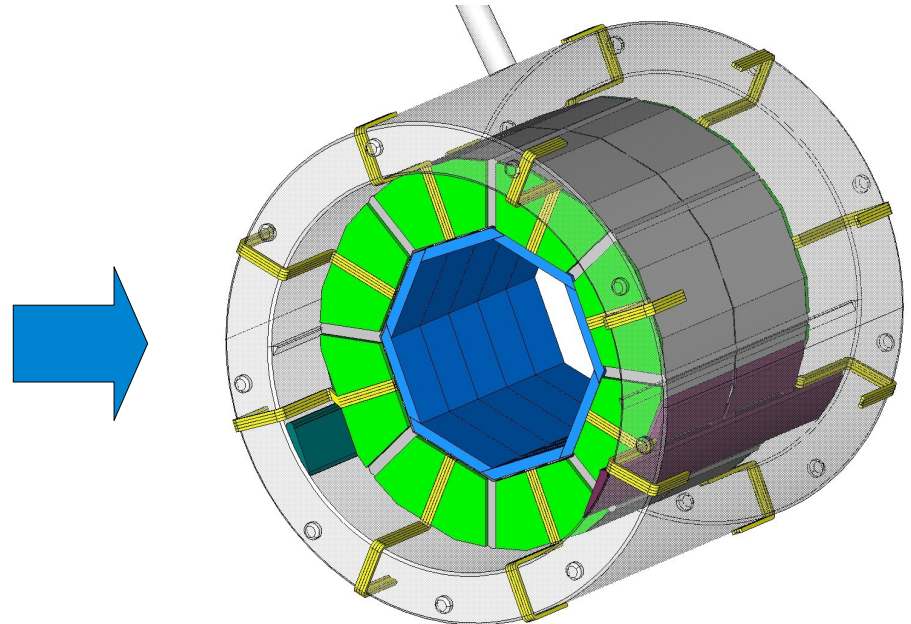
- > capabilities of a highly granular scintillator-steel (or tungsten) calorimeter successfully demonstrated with the “physics prototype”:

- validation of Geant4 simulation
- validation of PFA performance
- 11 journal publications + additional 9 Calice Analysis Notes



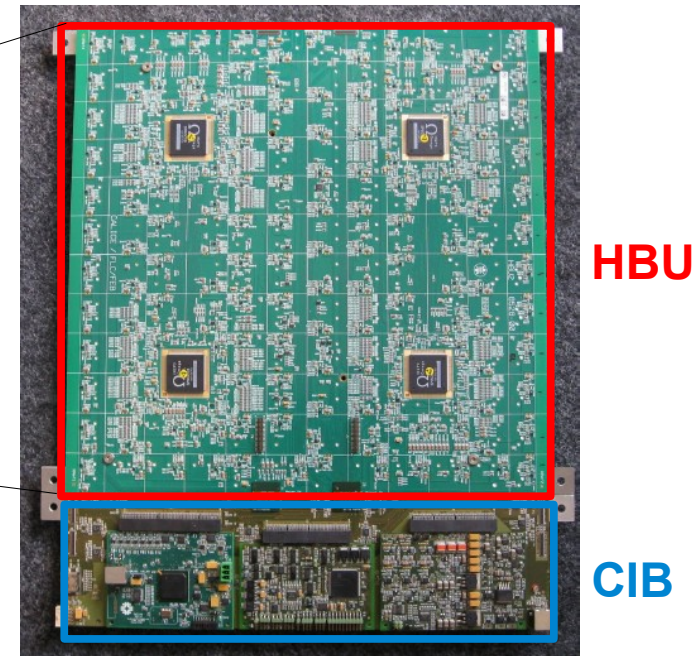
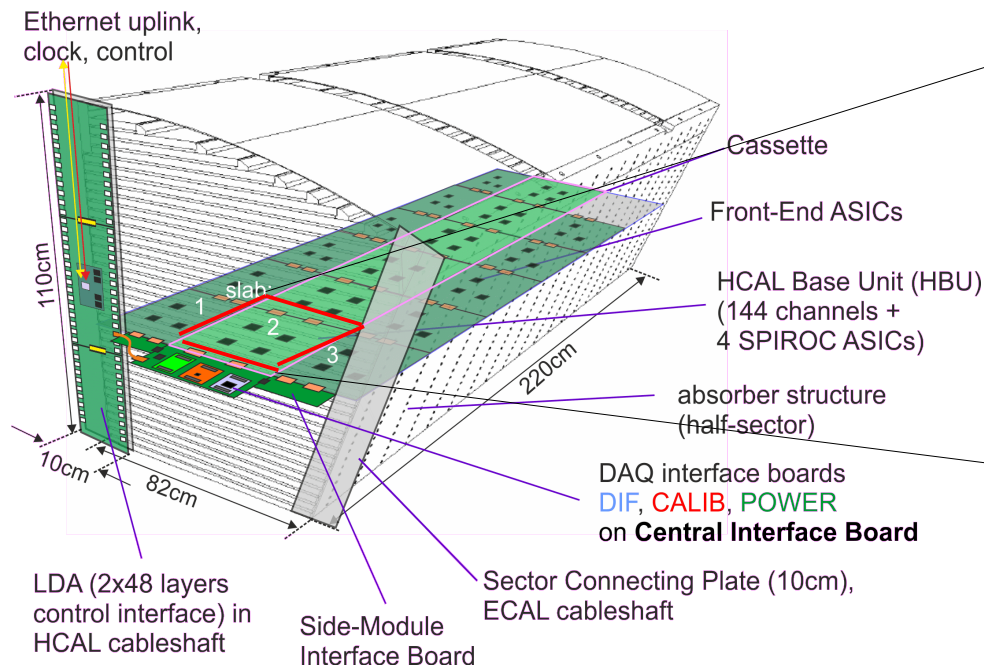
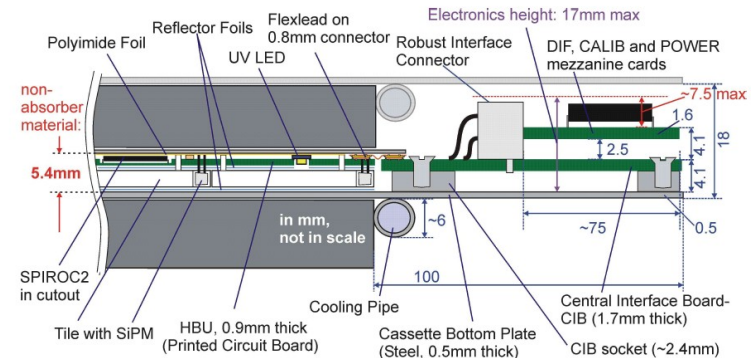
- > goal for the “engineering prototype”: develop, build and test a prototype scalable to the full ILD layout

- integration of electronics into layers
- realistic infrastructure
- easy mass assembly
- detector optimisation (Lan's talk)



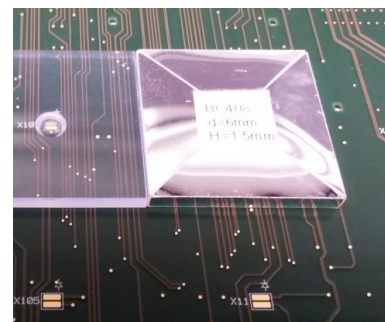
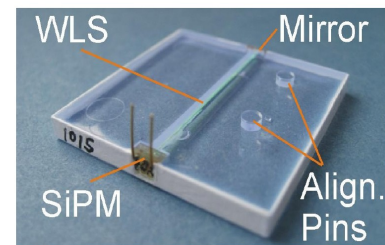
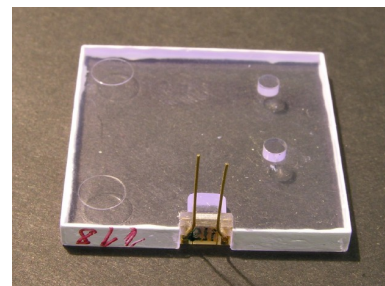
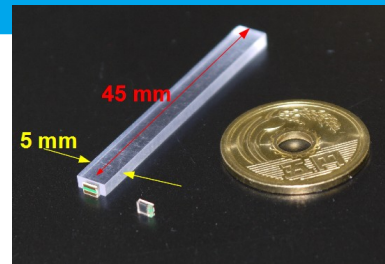
AHCAL engineering prototype: Integrated Electronics

- > **H**CAL **B**ase **U**nit: 36*36 cm², 144 tiles, 4 SPIROC2 readout ASICs
- > **C**entral **I**nterface **B**oard: DIF, Calibration, Power for 1 layer
- > 5.4 mm active layer thickness
- > 1 layer has up to 3*6 HBUs



Tiles/Strips and SiPMs

- > 2 (ECAL) layers with strips
 - Hamamatsu MPPCs with 1600 pixels
 - Hamamatsu MPPCs with 10000 pixels
- > 5 layers with tiles with wavelength shifting fibre
 - CPTA SiPMs with 800 pixels
- > 2 layers with tiles without WLS
 - Ketek SiPMs with 12000 pixels
- > 1 layer with surface mount SiPMs with individually wrapped tiles
 - Hamamatsu MPPCs with 1600 pixels
- > 4 big layers with individually wrapped tiles
 - Ketek SiPMs with 2300 pixels
 - sensl SiPMs with 1300 pixels



- we want to build a fully equipped prototype in the coming years
- experience from testbeams is important input to chose one option

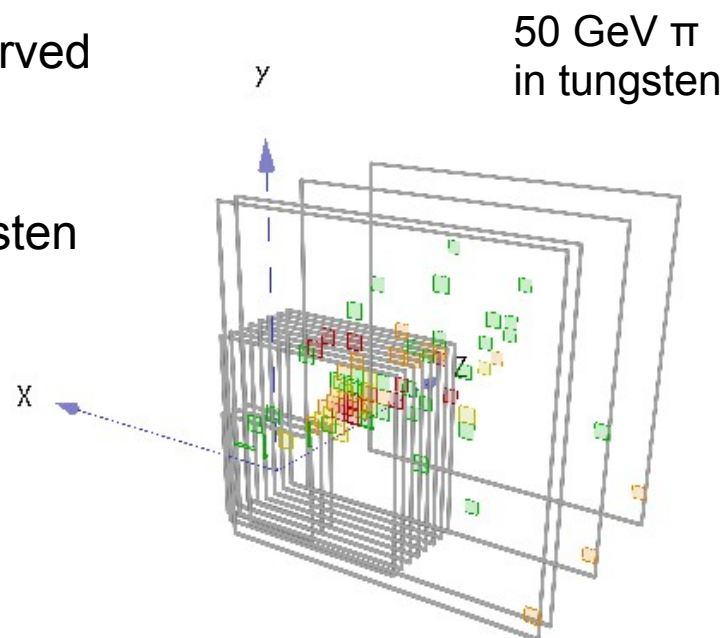
AHCAL testbeams: Goals and Preparation

- > first SPS test beam with 2nd generation electronics and DAQ
 - 2 weeks (8. – 22. July 2015) in EUDAQ steel stack
 - 2 weeks (12.–26. August 2015) in tungsten stack (already used for physics prototype)
- > extensive preparation
 - testbeams at PS in October and November 2014
 - testbeams at DESY in February, April and June 2015
 - tested long term stability of complete setup without beam at DESY
- > system test: scalable DAQ, power distribution and cooling
- > gain experience with variety of tiles and SiPMs
- > new physics possibilities due to timing capabilities of new electronics
 - study shower evolution with time
 - compare steel and tungsten (expect more late hits for in tungsten than in iron)
 - study impact of timing cuts on shower shapes and particle flow reconstruction



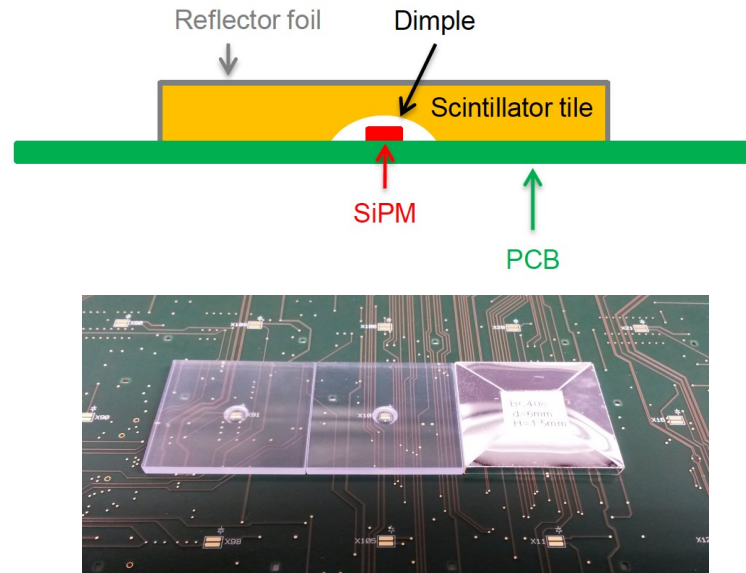
AHCAL Testbeams

- > integration concept for full module successfully tested
- > very stable running of the detector
 - no instabilities in electronics and DAQ observed
 - some layers with old SiPMs developed inefficiencies
 - 5 days without beam from SPS during tungsten data taking
- > collected data sets
 - muons for MIP calibration check
 - energy scan for electrons
 - 10 – 50 GeV for steel
 - only 20 GeV for tungsten
 - energy scans for pions
 - 10 – 90 GeV for both steel and tungsten
- > online data quality monitoring
- > distributed data analysis started



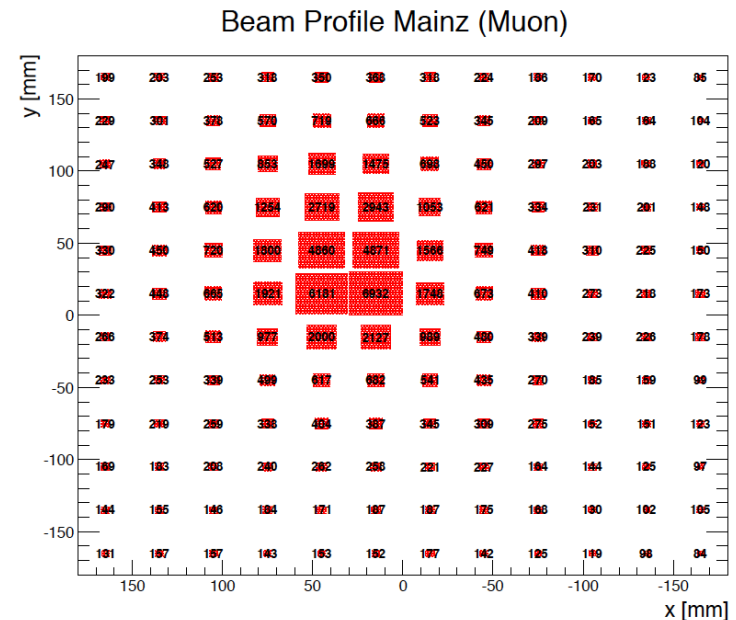
Towards mass production: simplified tile & HBU design

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- > tiles with surface-mount SiPMs fulfil HCAL requirements
 - signal size
 - signal uniformity across tile
- > new HBU design for surface-mount SiPMs:
 - SiPMs mounted directly on PCB
 - individually wrapped tiles
 - mass assembly with pick-and-place machine possible
 - further possible improvements identified, to be tested
- > very positive experience in SPS testbeam



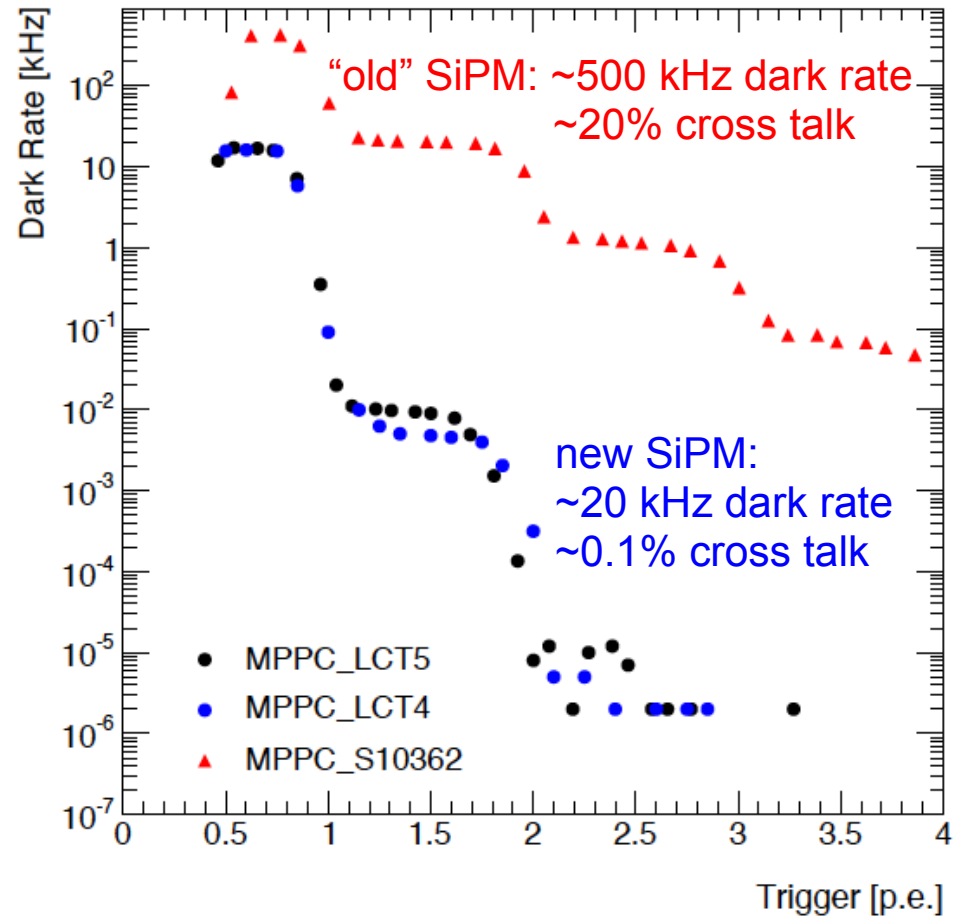
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- very positive experience
 - all channels working
 - very homogeneous gain



New generation of SiPMs

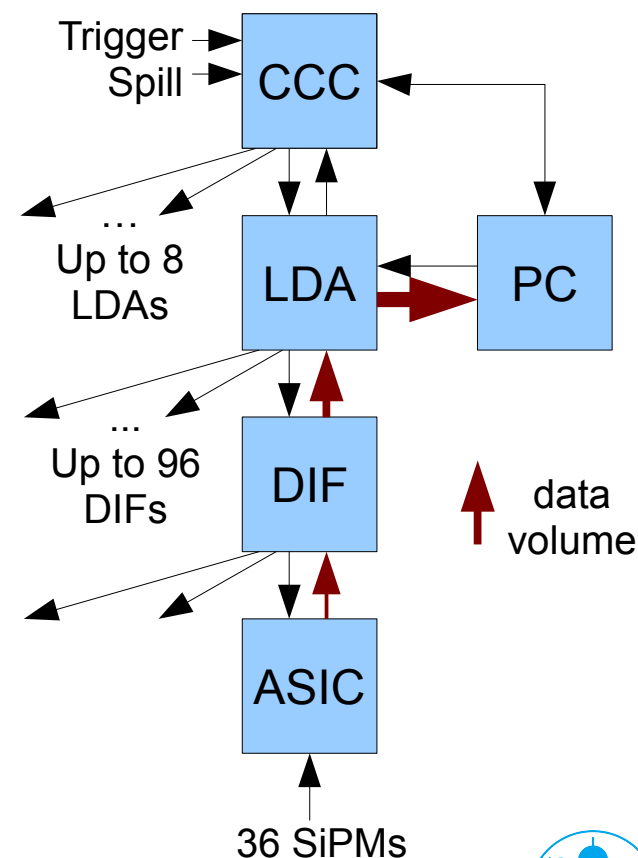
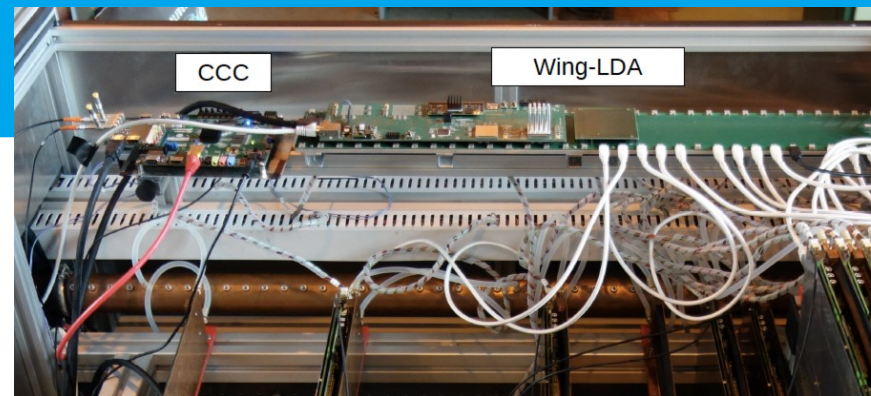
- recent SiPMs show very much improved sample uniformity
 - operating voltage
 - gain
- very recently, SiPMs with trenches between pixels became available
 - slightly reduced geometrical fill factor
 - dramatically reduced dark rate and pixel-to-pixel cross talk
 - for typical trigger threshold of AHCAL (~ 7 p.e) **noise-free**



for comparison: SiPMs in physics prototype
2 MHz dark rate, 30% cross talk

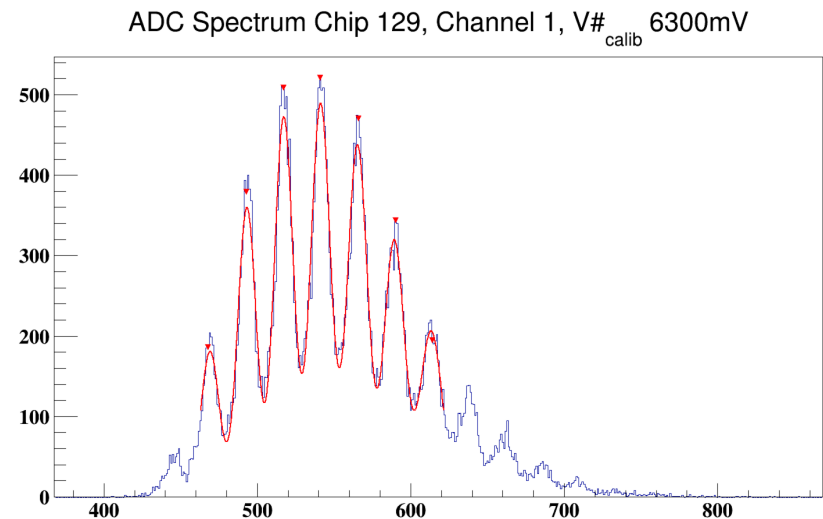
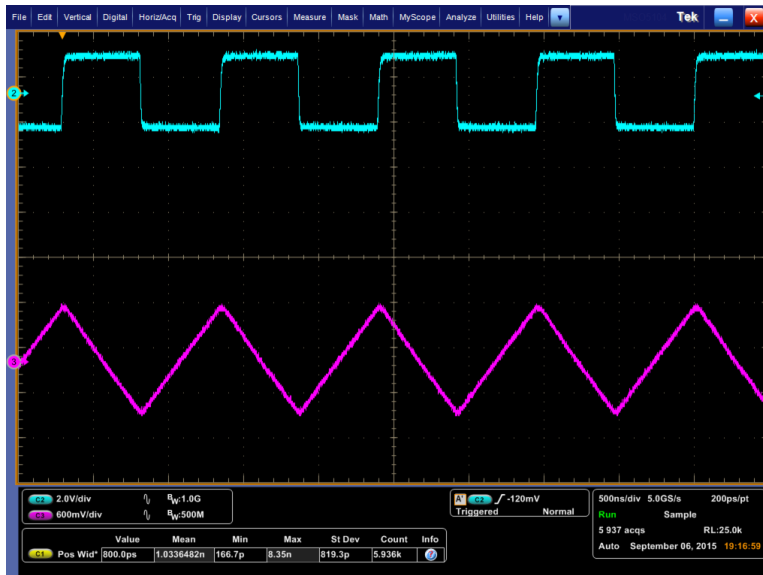
Scintillator DAQ

- successfully operated in beam tests
 - stable running
 - reached ~ 17 readout cycles / s (requirement for ILC: 5)
 - > 250 Hz sustained event rate
 - identified further options for speed-up of factor of ~ 2
- will need adaptation to 3rd generation ASICs
- scalable to full ILD
- common running with SiECAL demonstrated
- CALICE DAQ taskforce: work towards common running of all CALICE calorimeters



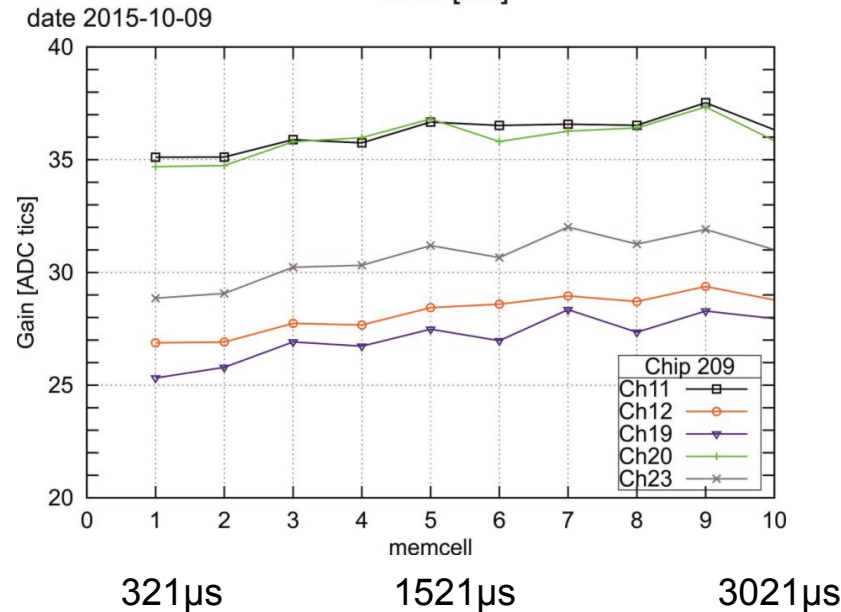
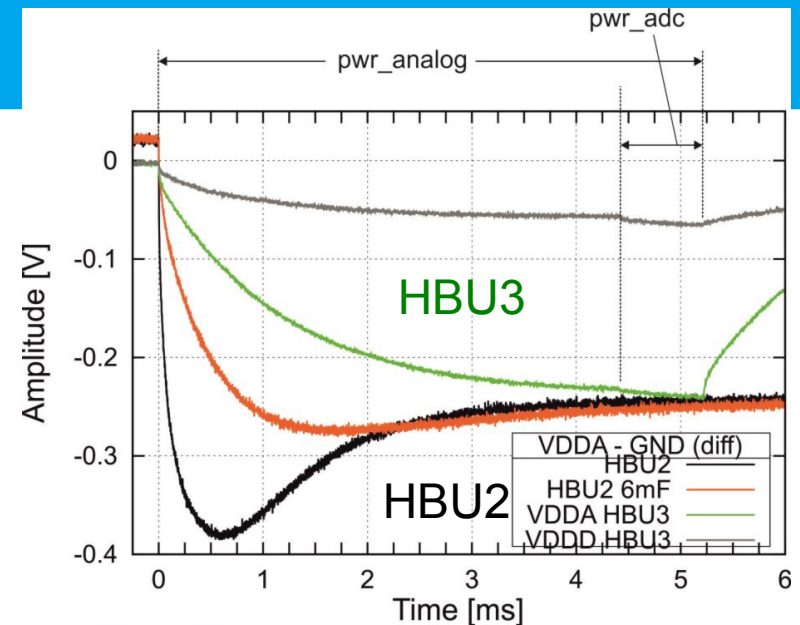
Tests of Spiroc2D

- test modifications before switching to 3rd generation ASIC
- several improvements compared to “working horse” Spiroc2B
 - better pedestal stability
 - improved channel-to-channel uniformity for inDACs (HV settings for SiPMs)
 - new scheme for TDC ramps (improved hit time measurement)
 - different pin-out and slow controls than Spiroc2B → need to gain experience
- first measurements look encouraging



Power pulsing tests with HBU3

- > HBU3: revised version of HBU to improve power pulsing behaviour
- > under test with full-length slab (6 HBUs) in lab now
- > very first results:
 - power consumption looks encouraging (currents on VDDA and VDDD factor of 100 and 10 lower when ASICs are off)
 - single pixel spectra look good for all switch-on times
 - gain seems to still change slightly after switch-on times of 2-3 ms
- > measurement setup and analysis chain established, more results expected soon



several important steps towards ILD-ready detector taken:

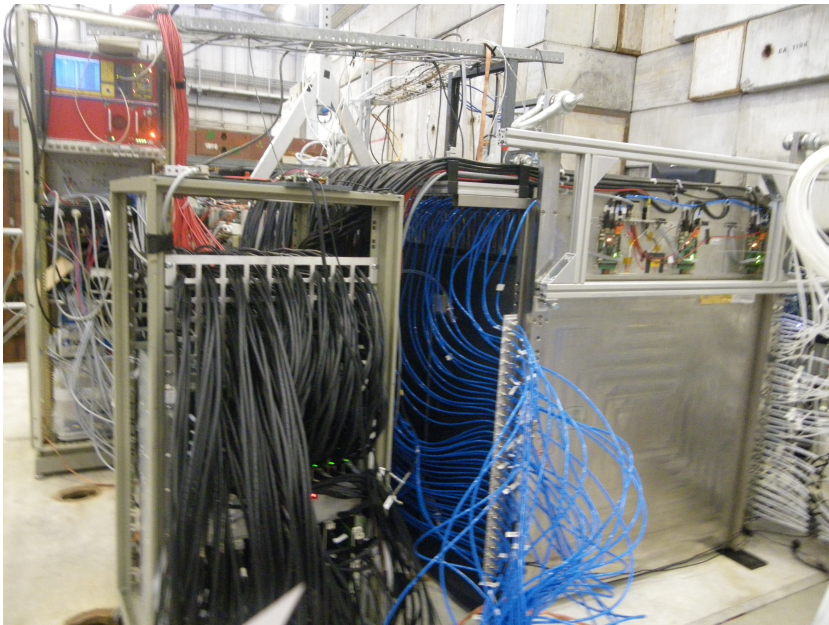
- successful demonstration of the system integration (DAQ, power etc)
- established electronics design with surface mounted SiPM and automated assembly
- latest generation SiPMs are very uniform and practically noise-free

next steps

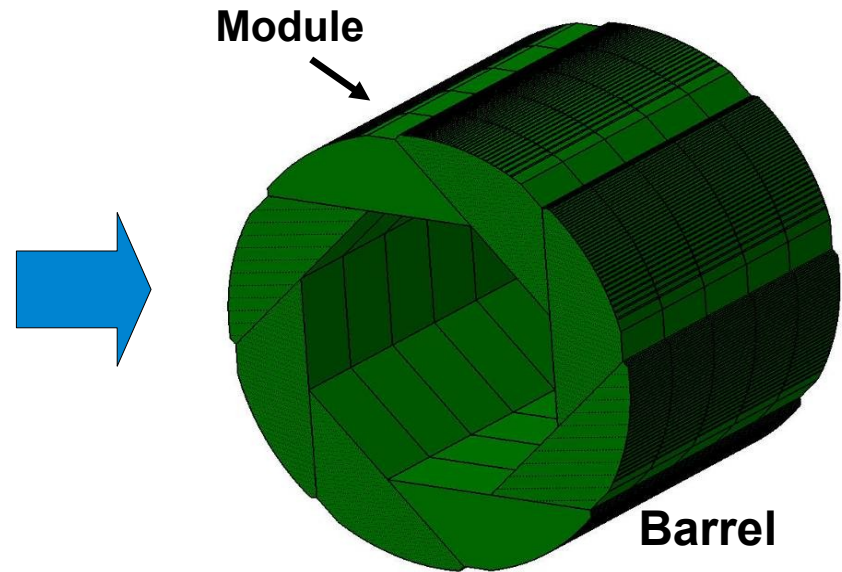
- 2016: test of a 15 layer e.m. stack with high quality photo-sensors at DESY and possibly SLAC: test power pulsing!
- 2017: construction of a big hadronic prototype
- 2018: test with hadrons at CERN

SDHCAL Status

- > 1m³ prototype with 48 GRPC layers realised as technological demonstrator:
 - electronics integrated in active layers
 - power-pulsed
 - data analysis ongoing, first results very satisfactory



- > needed to demonstrate scalability to full ILD layout:
 - large GRPC detectors
 - mechanical structure for Videau geometry
 - optimised PFA



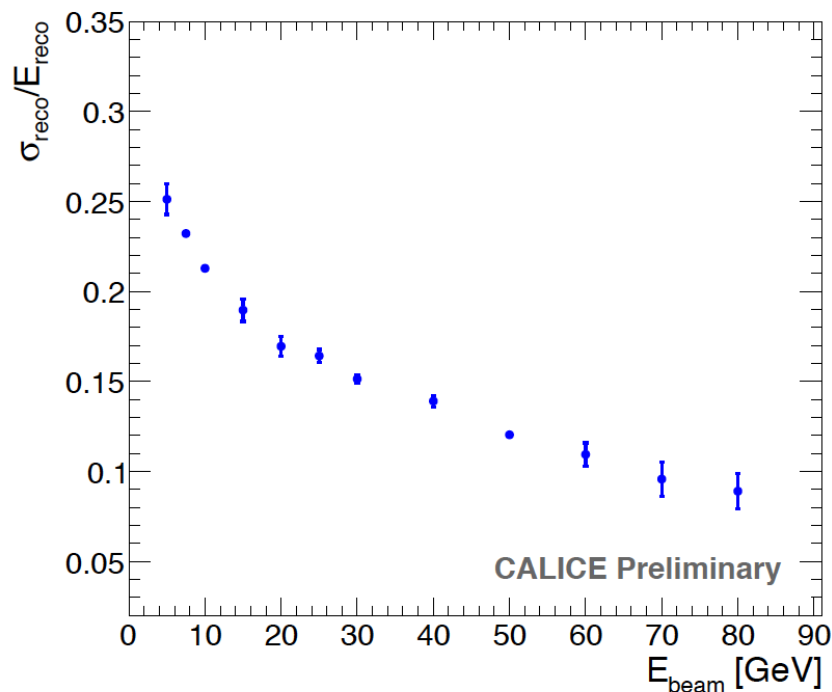
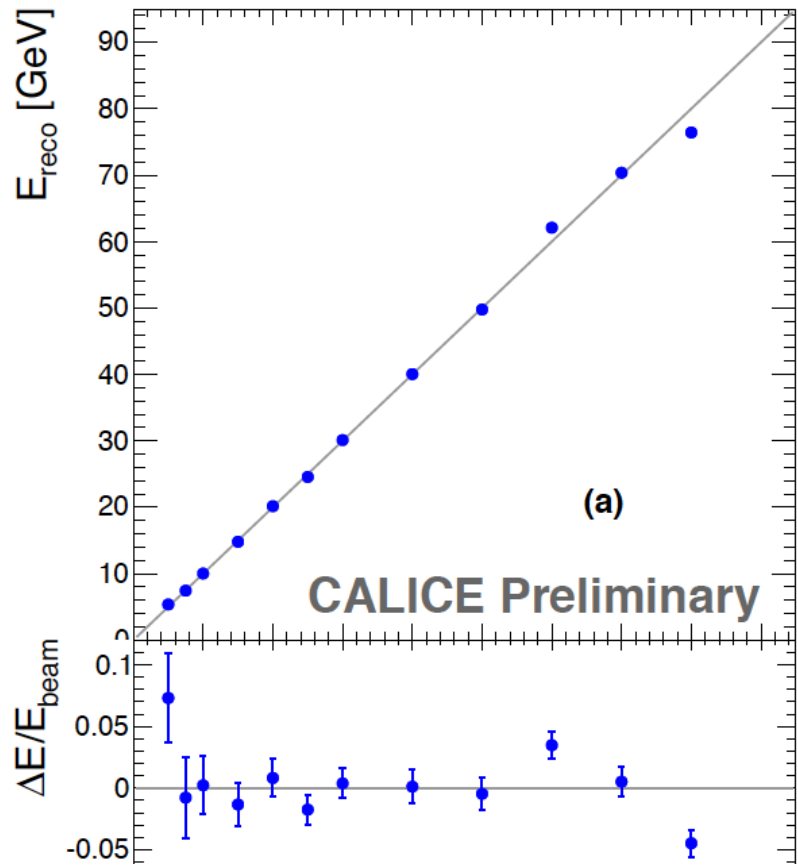
SDHCAL testbeams

- > three periods of TB in 2015
 - SPS 27 April – 13 May 10 – 80 GeV
 - PS 25 May – 3 June 2 – 12 GeV
 - SPS 21 Oct. – 3 Nov.
- > hadron energy scans with different conditions:
 - use temperature-pressure correction → compare with data without this correction
 - apply electronic gain correction (using noise maps) to have more homogenous response and to reduce the DAQ dead time (factor of 2)
 - three angles (0, 10, 20 degrees) of exposition
- > for Neural Network tests: scan of 1 GeV step between 40 and 50 GeV
- > tests of two different values of the first threshold (114 and 142 fC)
- > very efficient testbeam. quick analyses were made during the testbeam but detailed analyses to come in the future.



SDHCAL publications

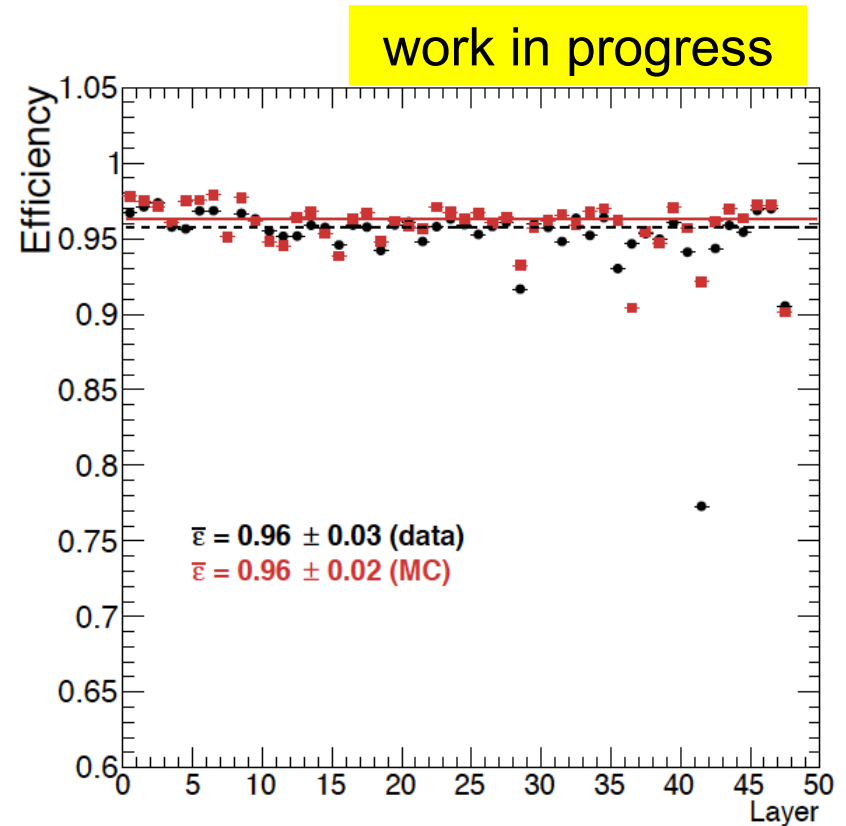
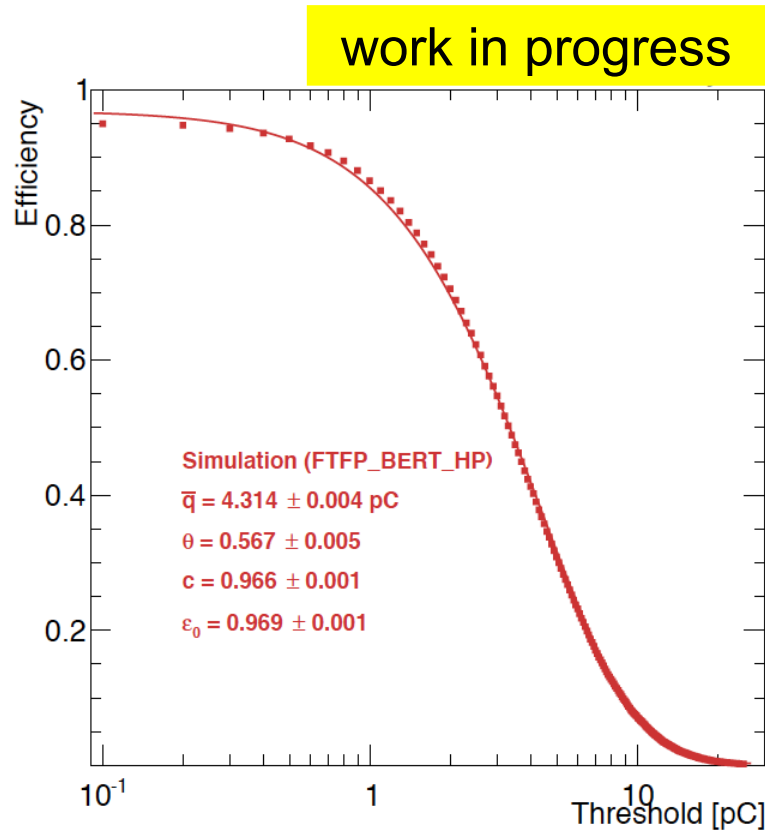
- “Construction and commissioning of a technological prototype of a high-granularity semi-digital hadronic calorimeter” now published in JINST
- energy resolution from 2012 SPS testbeam data
 - analysis note available
 - paper draft well advanced in CALICE publication procedure



SDHCAL simulation

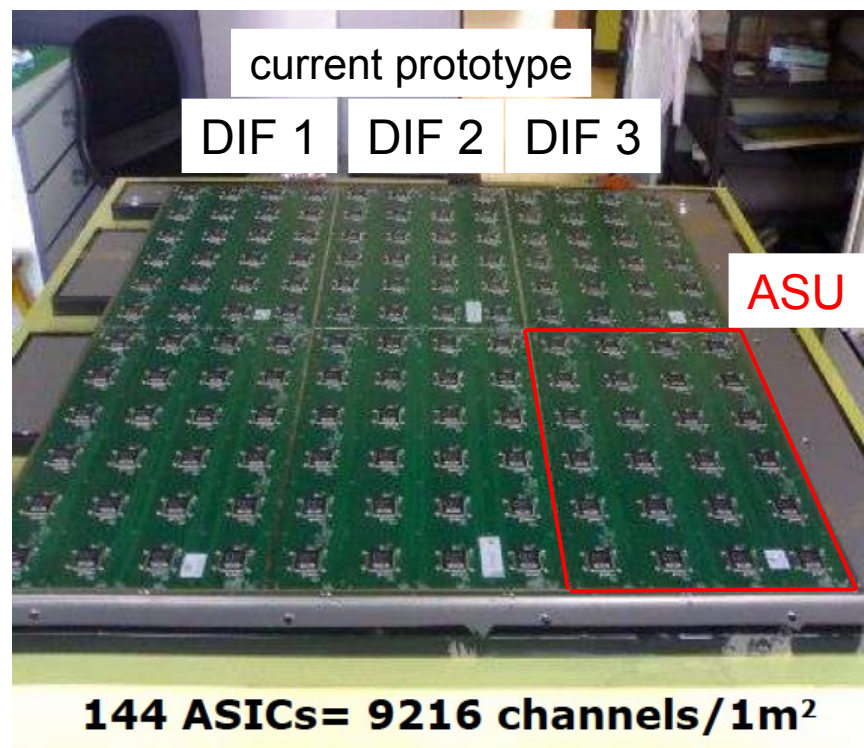
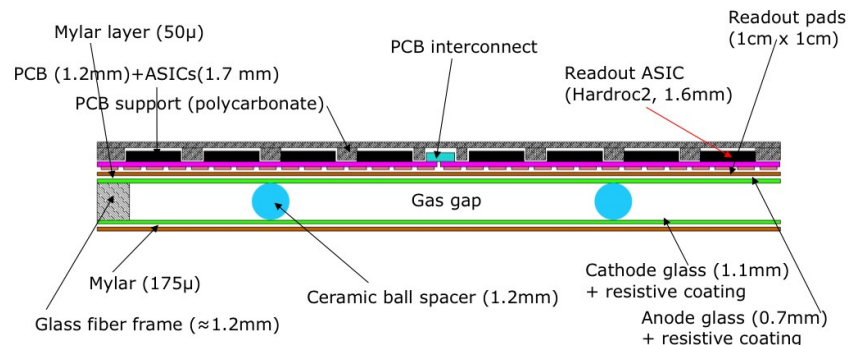
> digitizer is finalized

- parameters tuned using muons and electrons
- detector inefficiencies (dead channels) included

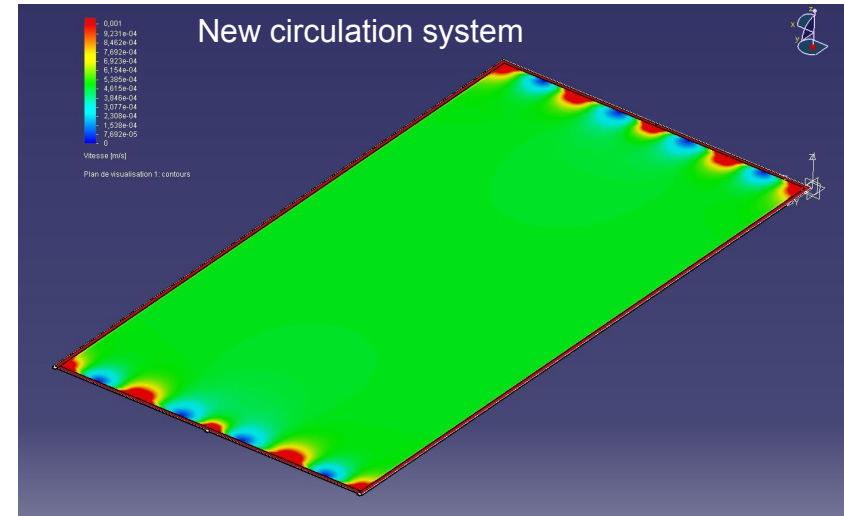
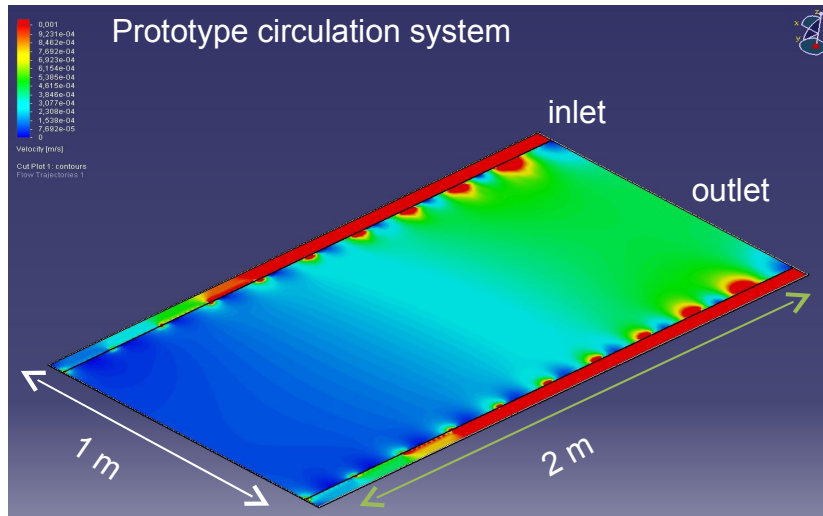


SDHCAL: Current Layer Layout and Plans

- > have demonstrated layers with integrated electronics of 1 m^2
- > next steps:
 - build few very large GRPC detectors ($2\text{--}3 \text{ m}^2$): gas circulation system, thickness...
 - build a small mechanical prototype to host the few large chambers
 - improve on the readout electronics (3rd generation ASICs)
 - design a new ASU capable to read the large GRPC
 - develop a new DIF (low power consumption, reduced size, new functionalities)



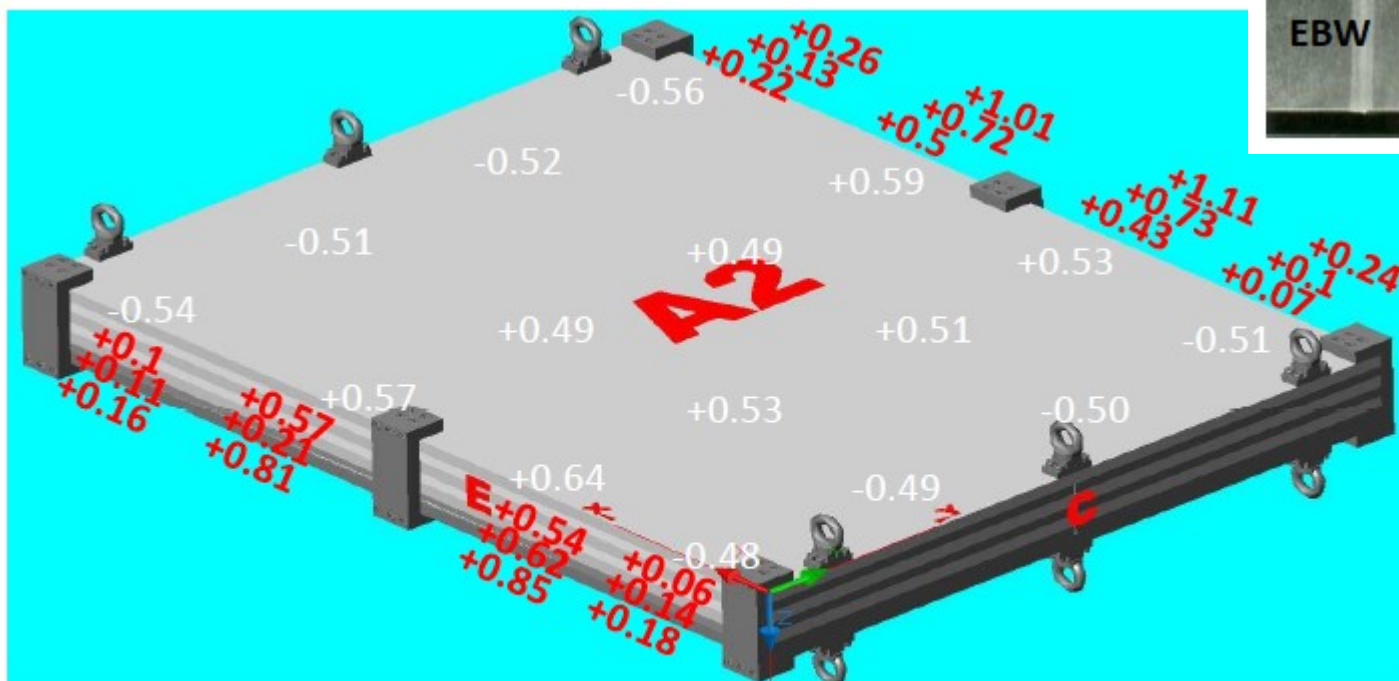
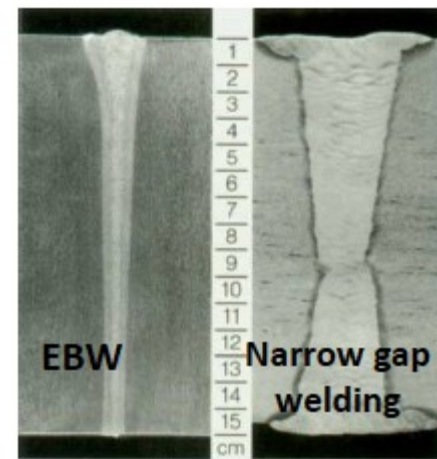
Hardware R&D for next generation of SDHCAL: Gas distribution



➤ new circulation system → homogenous gas flow

Hardware R&D for next generation of SDHCAL: Mechanics

- > electron beam welding allows very narrow welding which should lead to only small deformations
- > first test with 1m² plates showed deformations bigger than expected (up to ~1mm)
- > working on improving the welding sequence



Differences with respect to the initial status of the plate in Z.

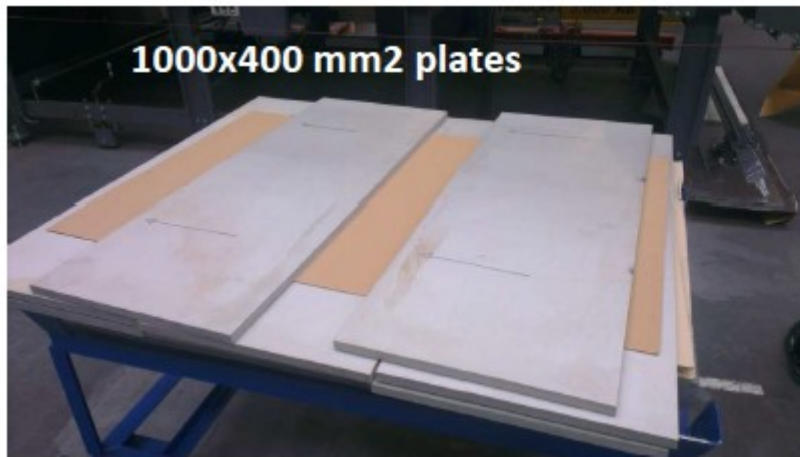
Differences with respect to the initial status of the distance between plates

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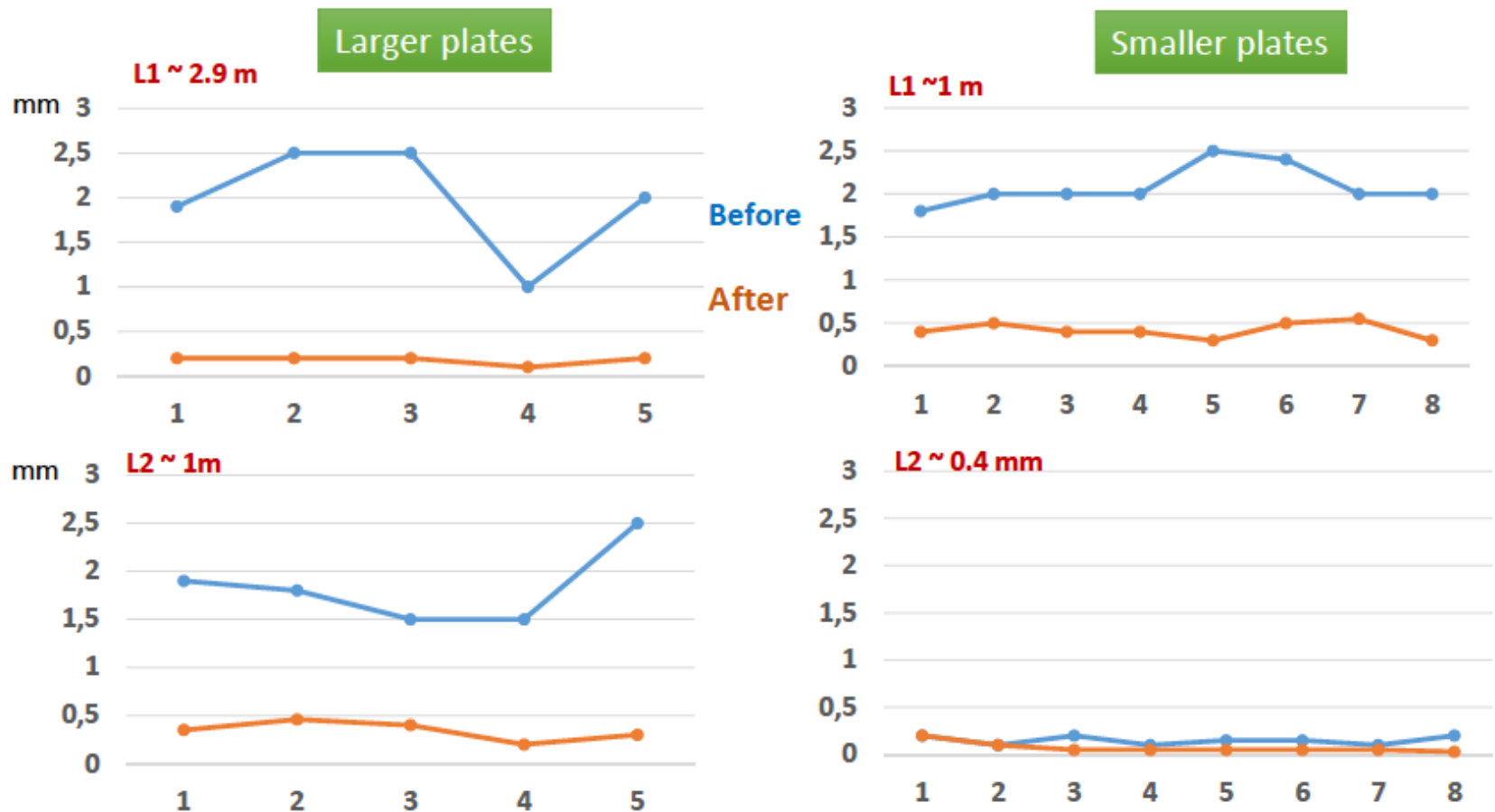
- up to now plates have been obtained by machining
→ time consuming and expensive
- possible solution: roller levelling (already used for AHCAL for ~2m long structures)
- first test with small and big plates in September 2015 at company ARKU



ARKU



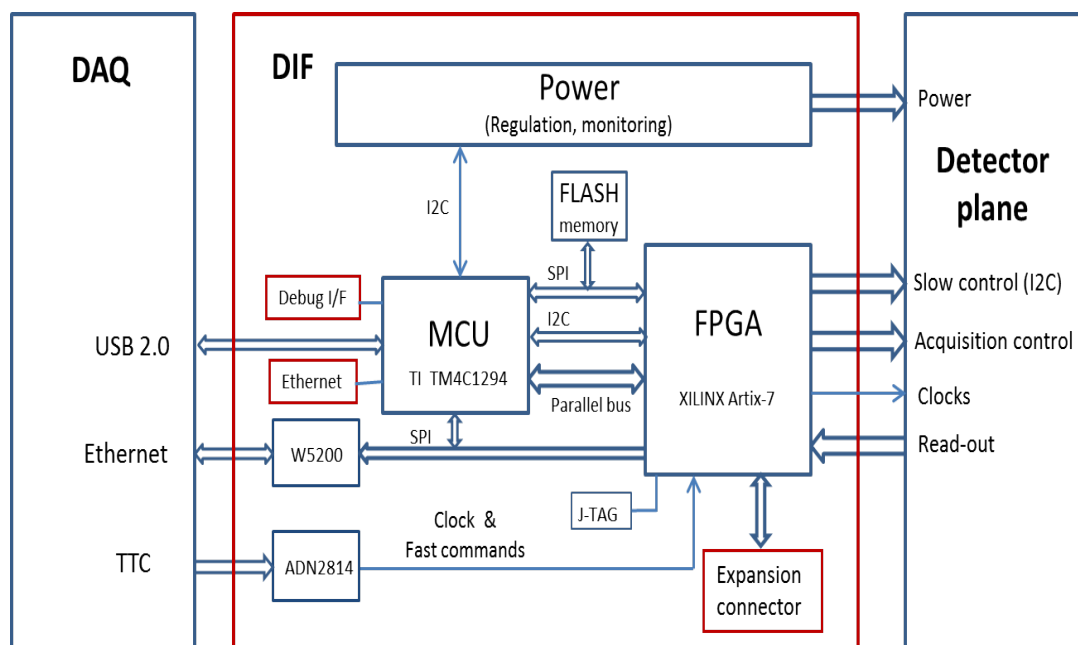
Hardware R&D for next generation of SDHCAL: Mechanics



- results of first measurement done at the company (more precise ones will follow)
- very good flatness (better than the required 1mm)

Hardware R&D for next generation of SDHCAL: Electronics

- > **HARDROC3**: preliminary results confirm that all functionalities are ok.
test of 600 HARDROC3 is in preparation
- > **DIF**: design is in an advanced stage



- > **ASU**: routing is being finalized
 - baseline is 50x33 cm² PCB (24 ASICs)
 - large PCB of 1m width seems achievable

Multi-gap RPCs

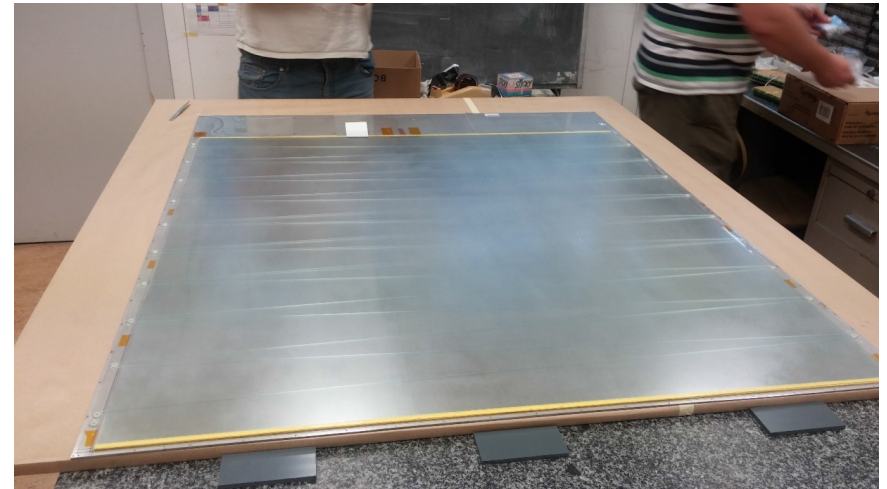
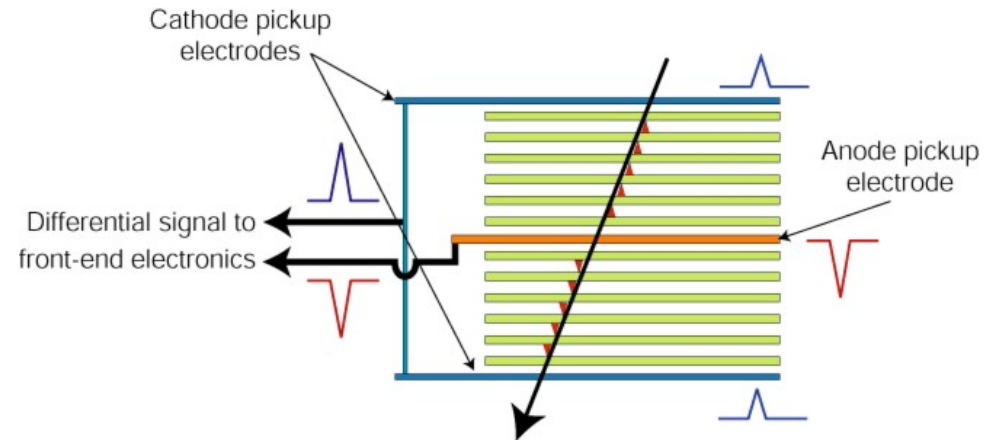
> MRPCs offer

- good rate capabilities: better than 1000 Hz/cm²
- large efficiency plateau with no streamers
- very good time resolution: better than 100 ps
- large areas at a reasonable cost

> used for example in ALICE TOF (160000 channels, built in 2004)

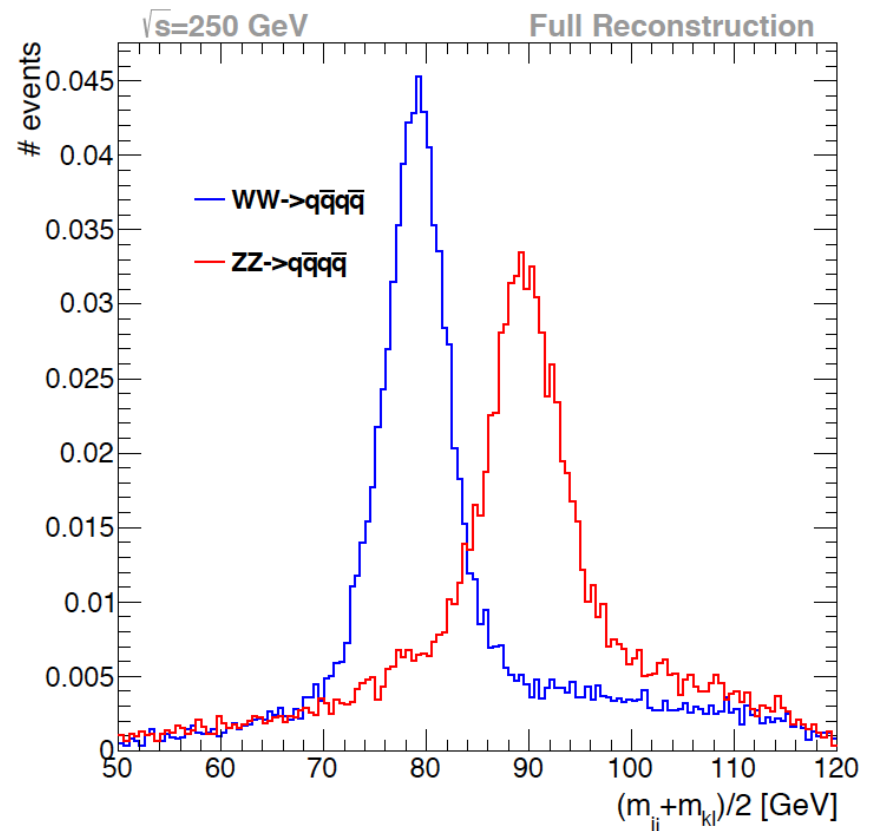
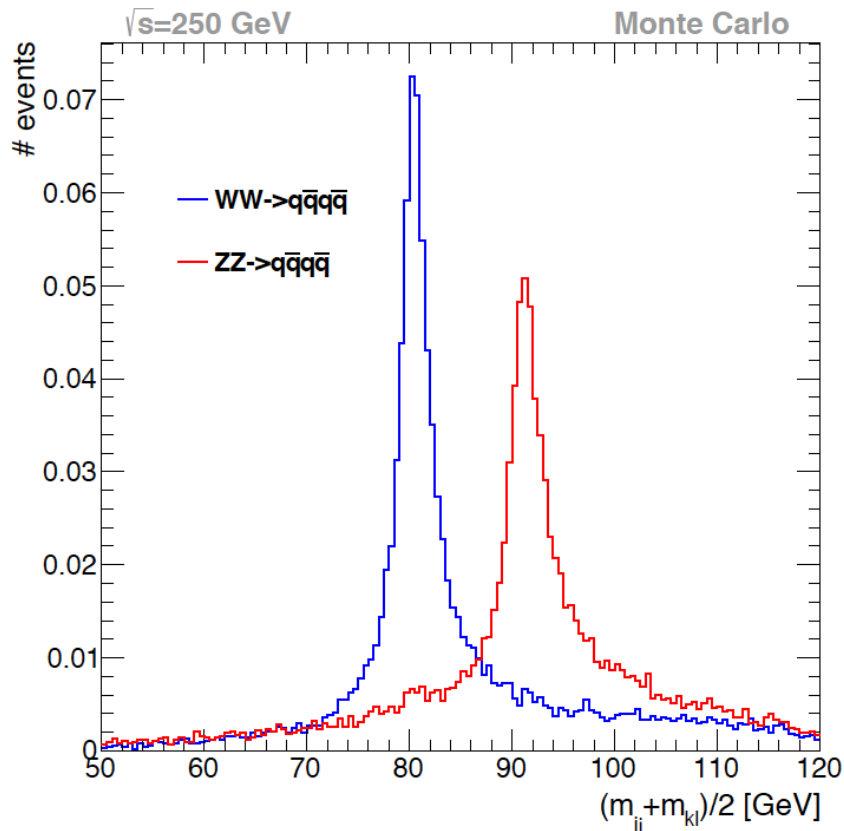
> prototype layer for SDHCAL built

- 1m² in size
- 5 glass layers, 4 gaps
- in testbeam at PS in October 2015: good efficiency (>90%)



SDHCAL performance in ILD simulation

- simulation of 4-jet events from WW or ZZ production at 250 GeV
 - full ILD simulation with SDHCAL, Pandora PFA
 - FastJet run on MC particles or reconstructed particles

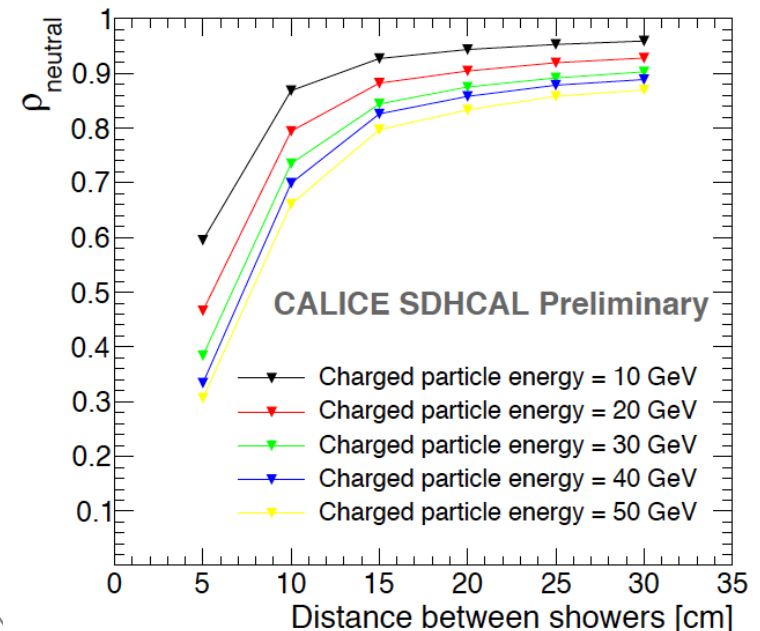
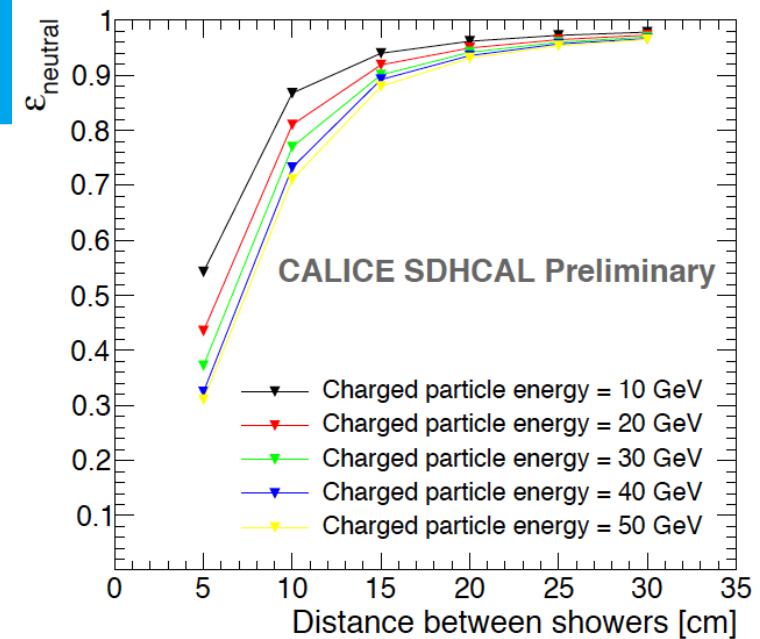


> ArborPFA:

- particle flow algorithm using the tree-like structure of showers
- energy information used in finalising clustering and track association
- modular architecture: uses PandoraSDK toolkit and Marlin framework, available at <https://github.com/SDHCAL/ArborPFA>

> test of cluster separation with SDHCAL pion shower data

- overlay of 2 pion events: 10 GeV “neutral” particle (initial track segment removed) and charged hadron with 10 – 50 GeV at 5 – 30 cm distance
- good efficiency and purity to assign hits to the neutral cluster for distances of 10 cm or more



successful operation of prototype with integrated electronics & power pulsing

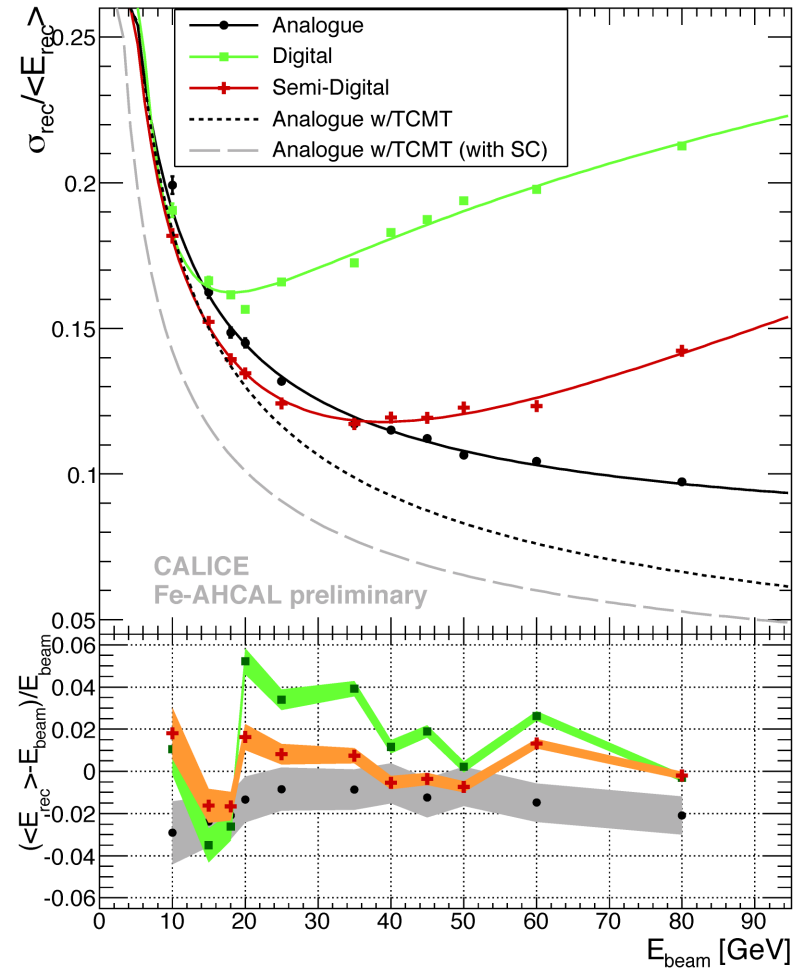
- > preliminary results documented in analysis notes, papers in preparation
 - energy resolution
 - simulation validation
 - advanced energy reconstruction algorithms (Hough transform, Neural Net)
- > ArborPFA: alternative particle flow algorithm

next steps

- > build large chambers
- > demonstrate mechanics: welding and flatness
- > build electronics for 3rd generation readout chips

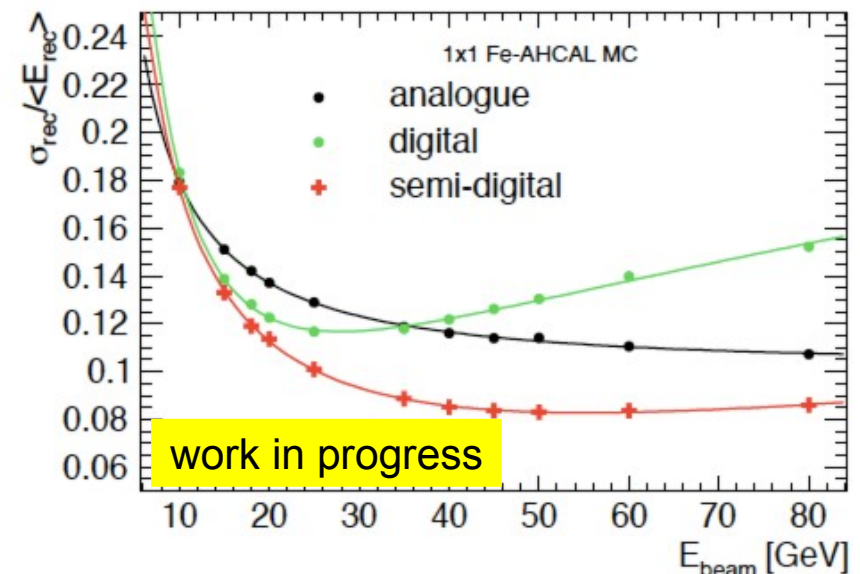
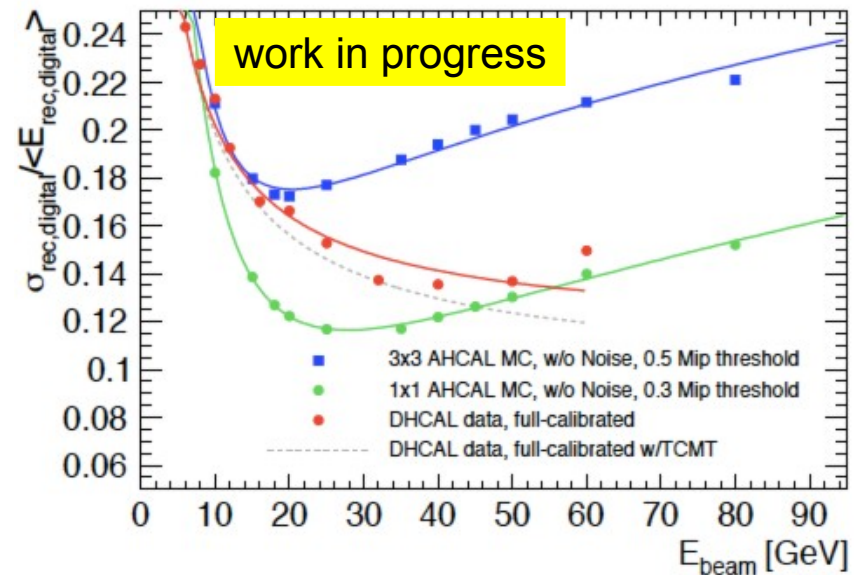
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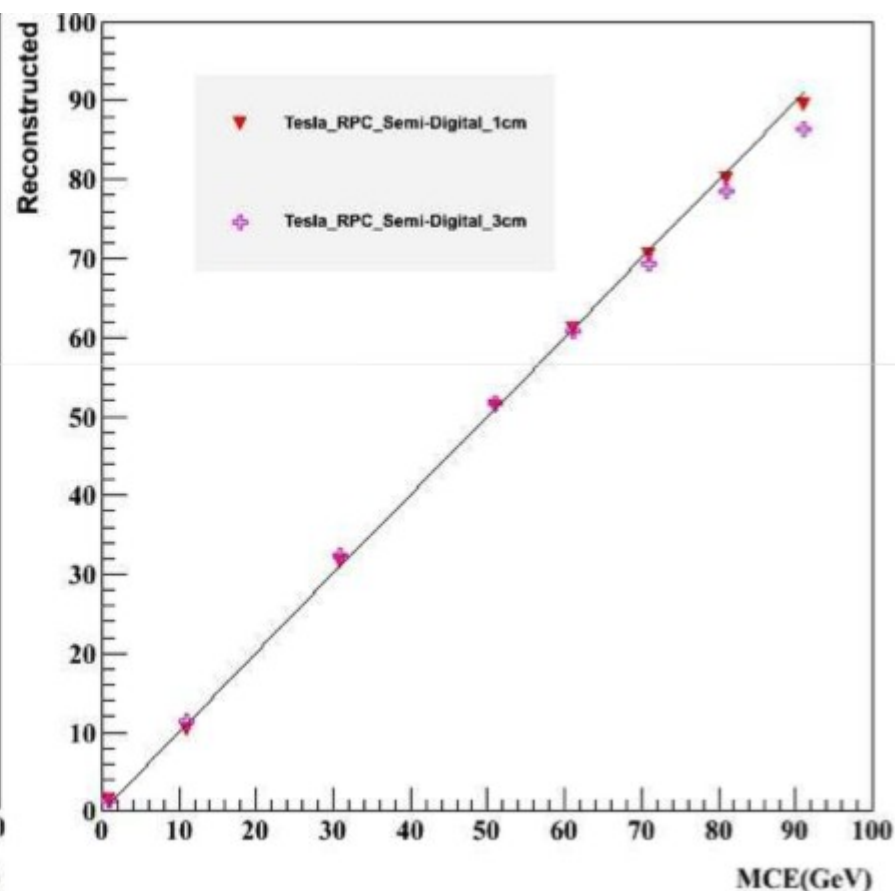
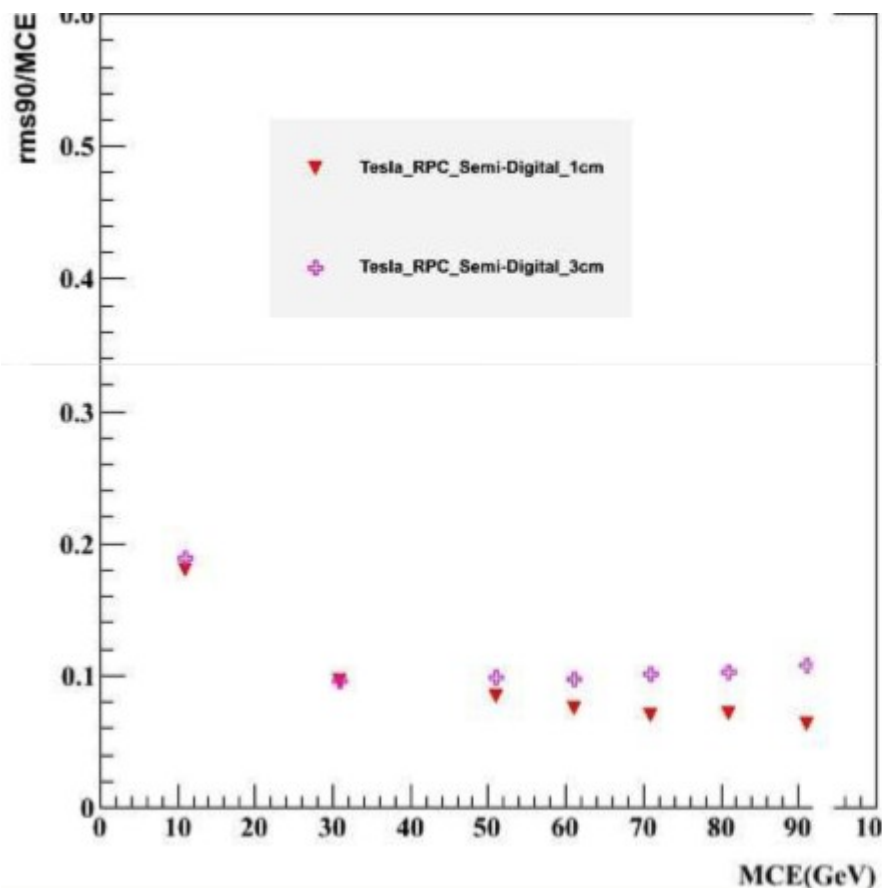
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Towards understanding the differences

- for comparison: K0 starting showering in the ILD SDHCAL, simulation with $3 \times 3 \text{ cm}^2$ and $1 \times 1 \text{ cm}^2$ granularity



Conclusions

AHCAL

- > successful operation of physics prototype, validation of simulation and PFA
- > on the way to an ILD-ready detector:
 - demonstrated system with 2nd generation integrated electronics and scalable DAQ in testbeams
 - demonstrated tile design for large scale production and automatic assembly
 - tests of power pulsing with improved electronics started, testbeams to come

SDHCAL

- > successful operation of prototype with integrated electronics & power pulsing
 - preliminary results available as analysis notes, papers well under way
- > on the way to an ILD-ready detector:
 - development of large GRPCs and mechanics for large chambers ongoing
 - tests of 3rd generation readout chips & corresponding changes in DAQ and electronics started
 - optimisation of PFA



**Many thanks to all AHCAL and SDHCAL colleagues
providing material and feedback!**

More details in talks in muon/calor session:

- **SDHCAL prototype status: M. Fouz Iglesias**
- **ArborPFA: R. Ete**
- **AHCAL prototype status: K. Krüger**
- **Particles up to 150 GeV in the W-AHCAL: E. Sicking, F. Sefkow**
- **SiPM gain studies for adaptive power supply: G. Eigen**

