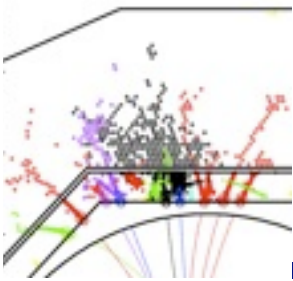


Particle Flow Calorimetry: Experimental Status and Technical Developments

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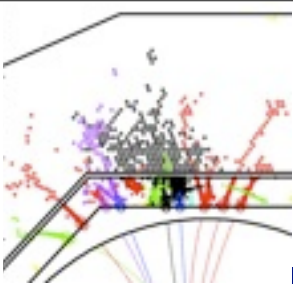


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What we learnt from CALICE:

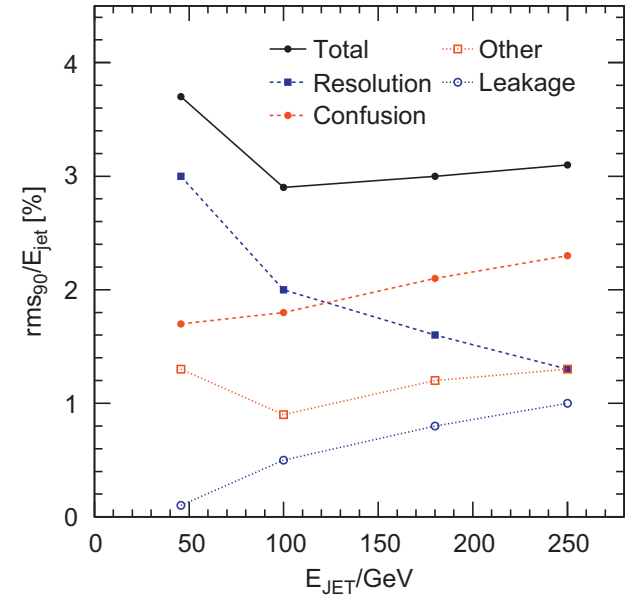
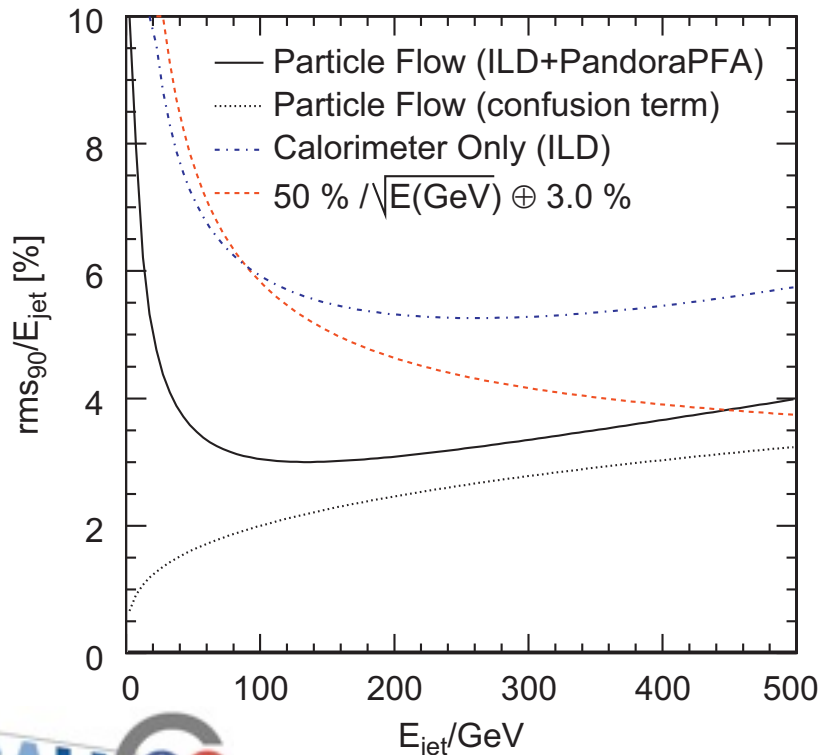
- Introduction:
 - testing PFLOW calorimetry
- In real terms:
 - Validate simulation
 - test algorithms
 - test technologies and establish feasibility



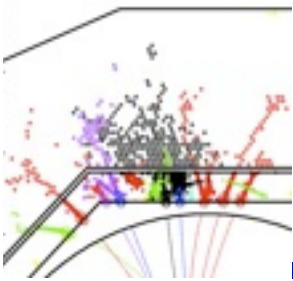
Understand particle flow performance

$$\frac{\sigma_E}{E} = \frac{21}{\sqrt{E}} \oplus 0.7 \oplus 0.004E \oplus 2.1 \left(\frac{E}{100} \right)^{+0.3} \%$$

Resolution Tracking Leakage Confusion

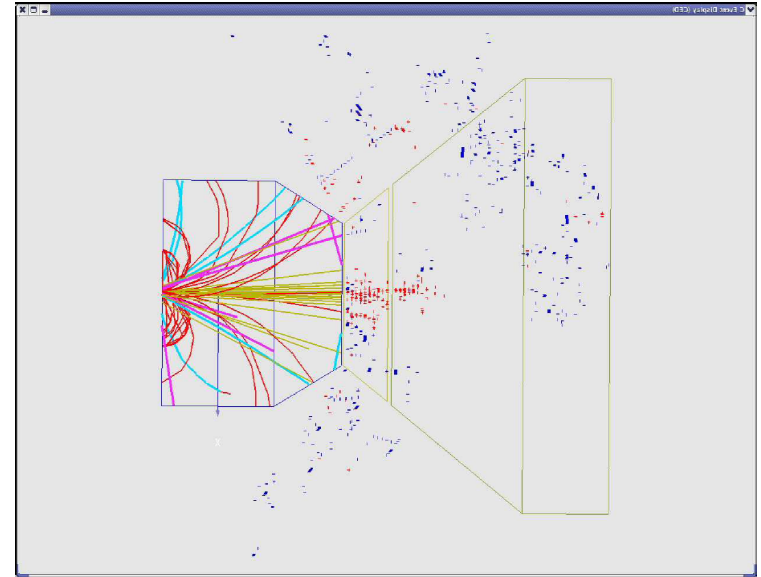


- Particle flow is always better
 - even at high jet energies
- HCAL resolution does matter
 - also for confusion term
- Leakage plays a role, too

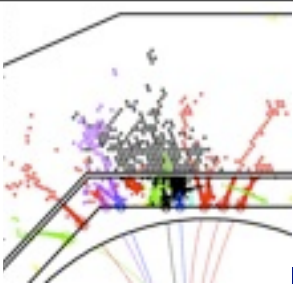


How to test it experimentally?

- “Jets” from thin targets?
 - Would require magnet spectroscopy and large acceptance ECAL + HCAL
 - Simulation study
 - Multi-million \$ experiment
 - and still inconclusive
 - need to control target losses and acceptance losses at 1-2% level
 - model dependence
- Factorize the problem: check the ingredients
 - simulation
 - algorithms
 - technical performance

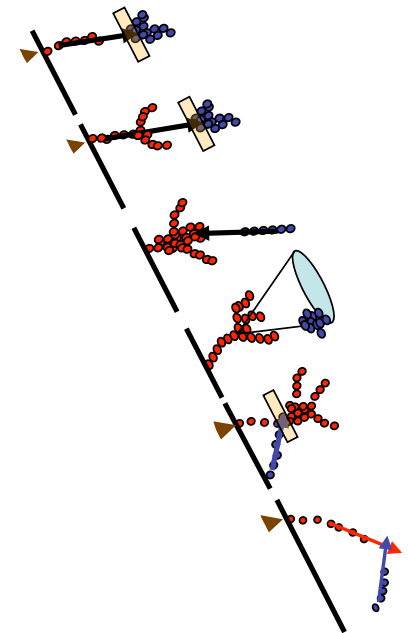
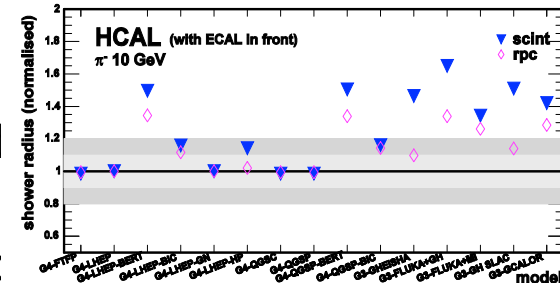


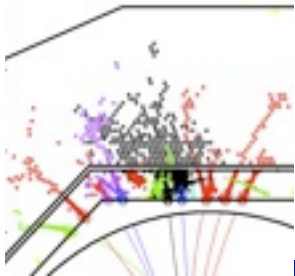
20 GeV pion, 0.8 T



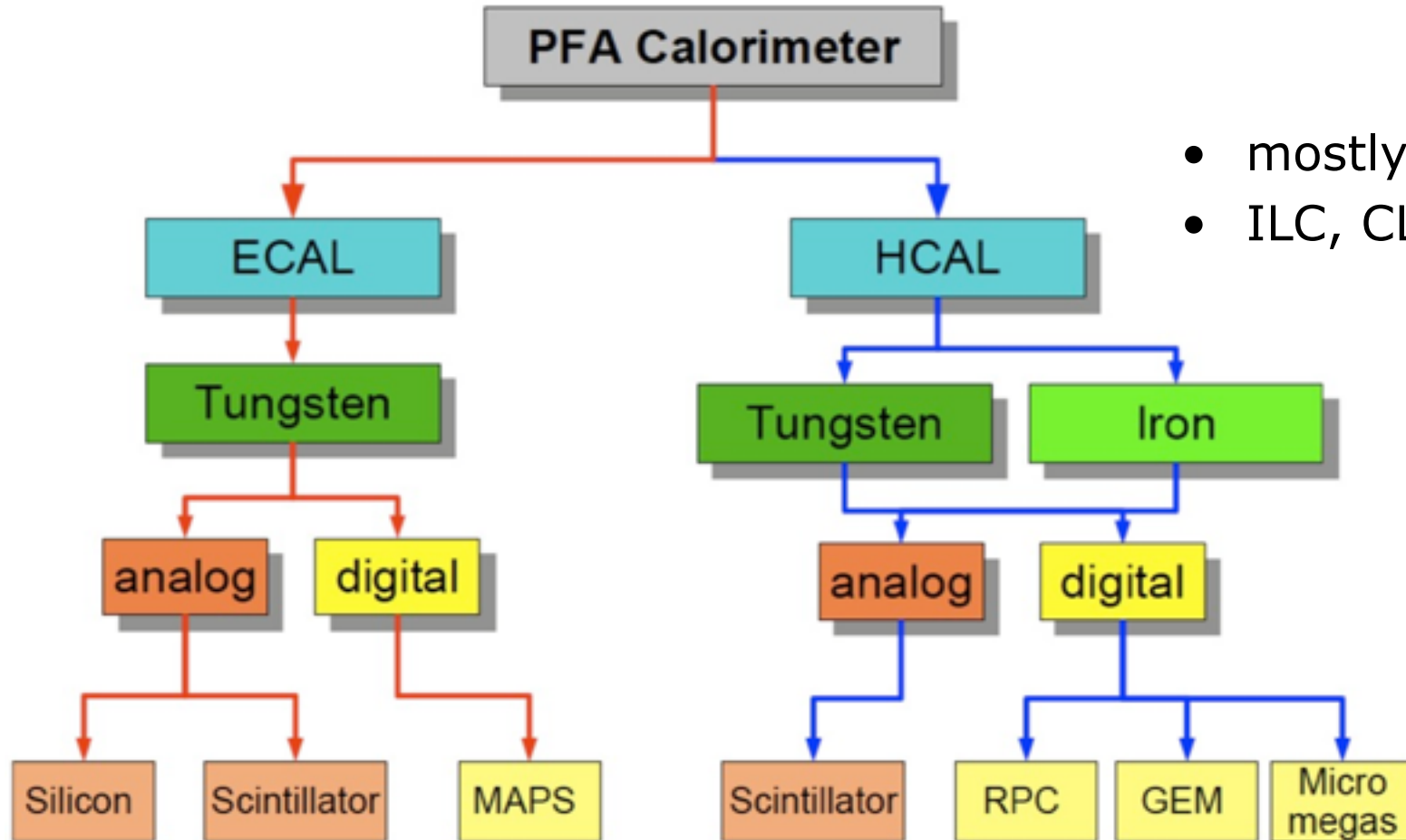
Critical questions

- Are the basic detector **performance** predictions confirmed?
- Are the **shower parameters** well enough simulated to predict PFLOW?
- Is the **substructure** actually there and well modeled?
- Can one realize the potential of **software compensation** for gain and linearity?
- Can we verify the "**double track resolution**" of a tracking calorimeter?
- Are **detector effects** under control?
- Can we **calibrate** millions of cells and control stability?
- Can we build the detector without spoiling it by **dead material** everywhere?
- What are the relative merits of **different technologies** for PFLOW?



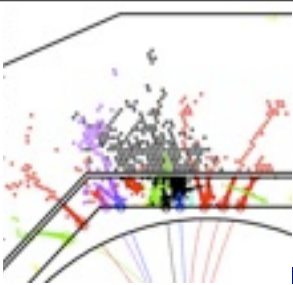


Technology tree



- mostly ILD, SiD
- ILC, CLIC

Overall status



- Major test beam campaigns at DESY, CERN and Fermilab
- 1st generation “physics” prototypes
- Mostly combined set-ups ECAL-HCAL

- Si W ECAL 2005-08
- Scint W ECAL 2007-09
- Scint Fe HCAL 2006-09
- RPC Fe HCAL to start end 2010

- 2nd generation “technical” prototypes: construction and commissioning ongoing, single or few layers
- Complete detectors to start with RPC-Fe HCAL 2011
- ECAL, Scint Fe HCAL later

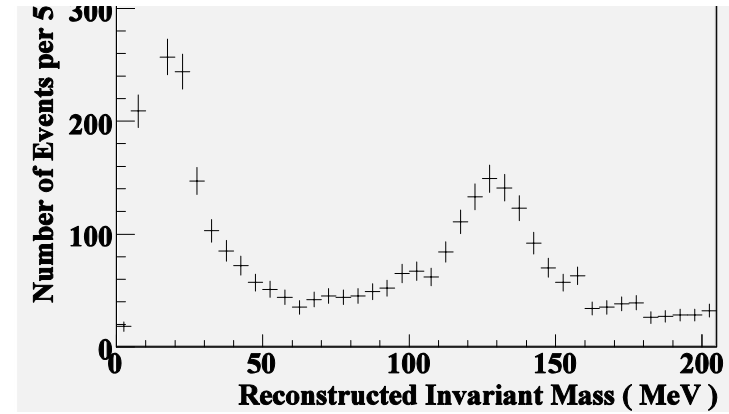
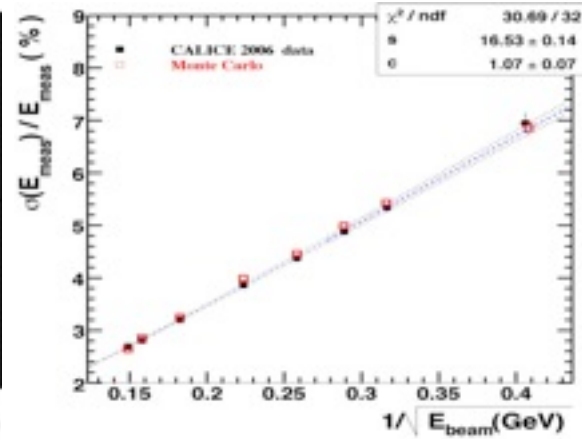
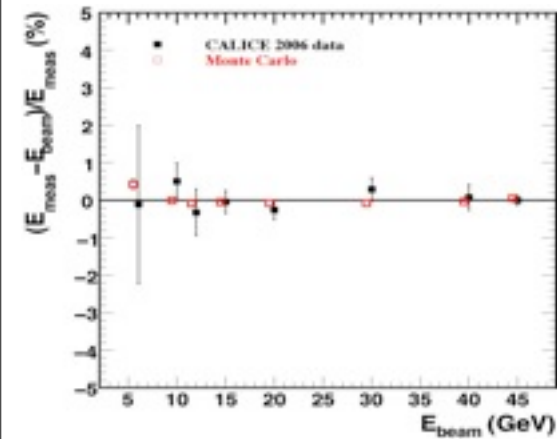
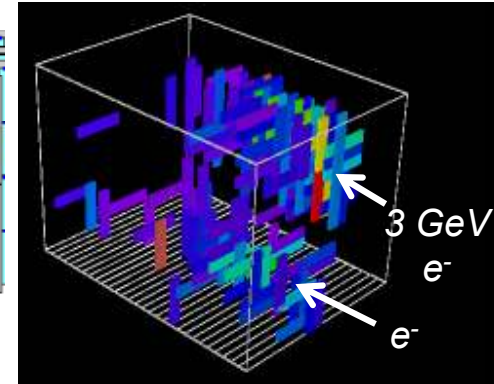
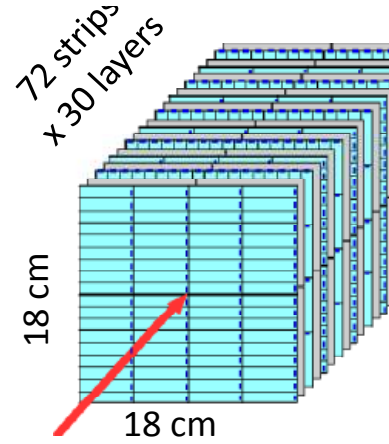
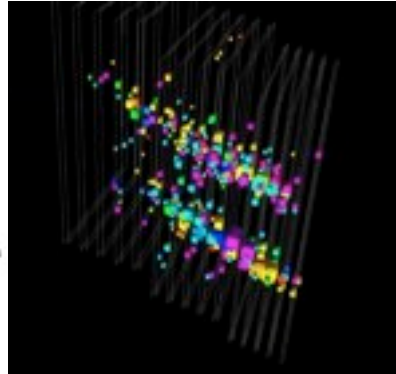
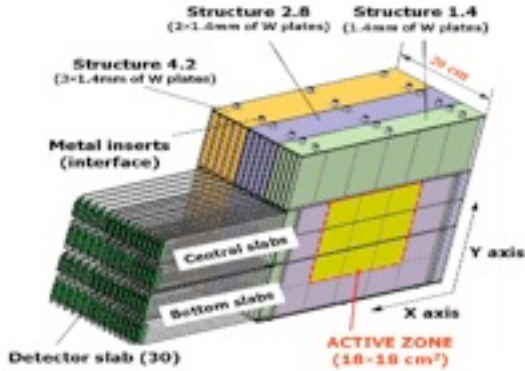
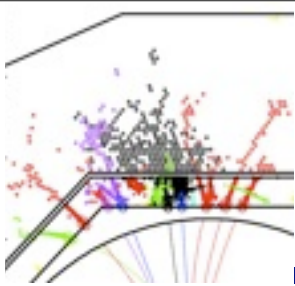


Validation of the simulations

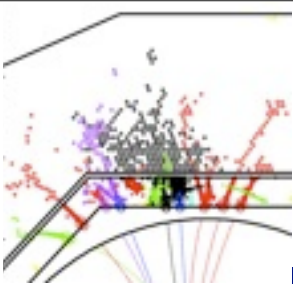
detector performance

shower models

ECAL options

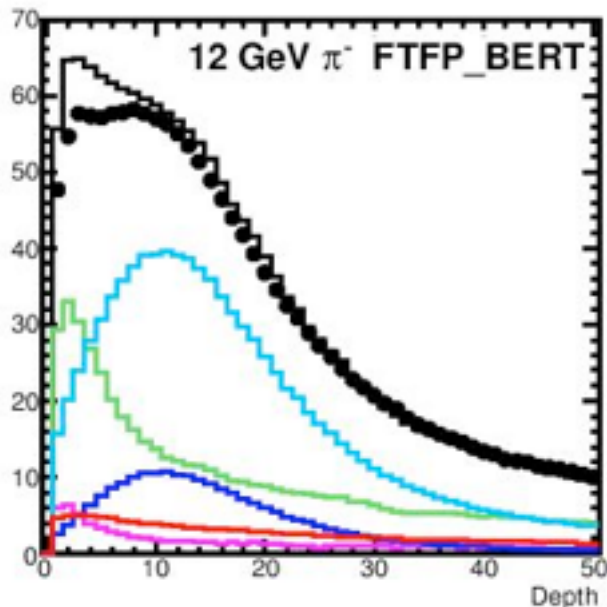
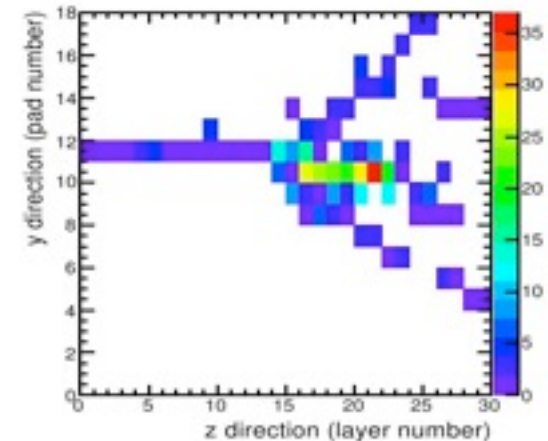


- W Si or Sci: common mechanics, similar electronics



Pions in the SiW ECAL

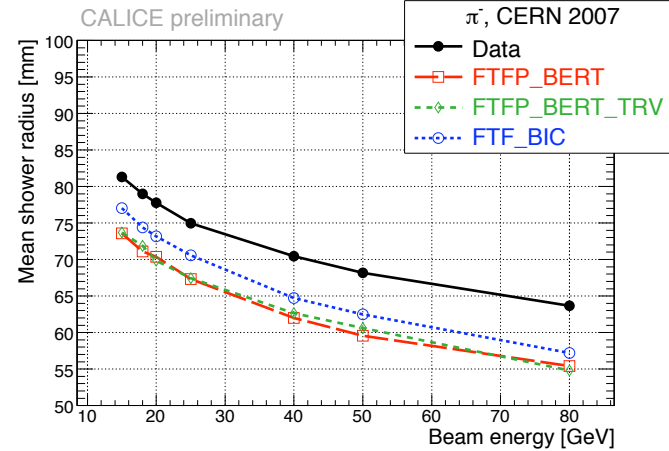
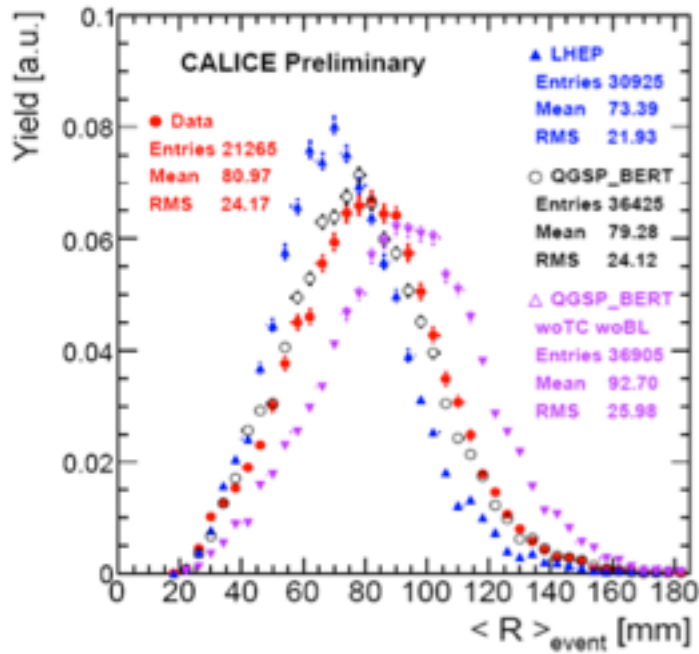
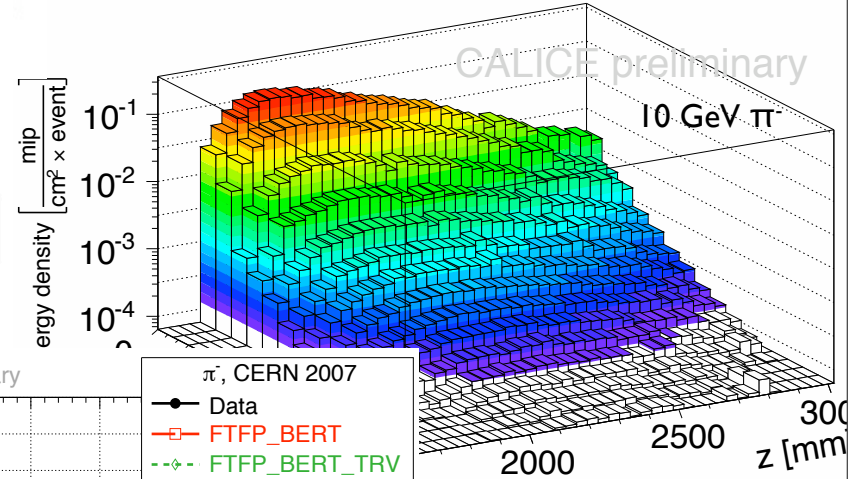
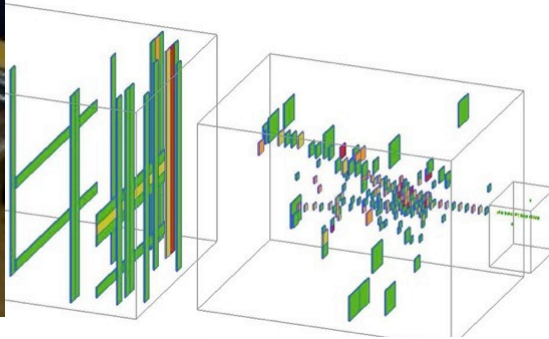
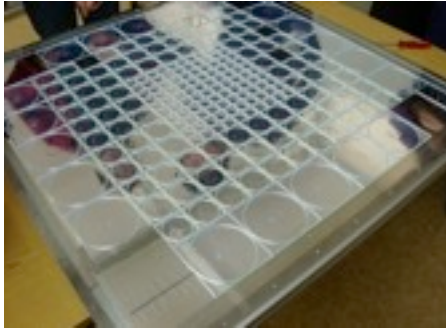
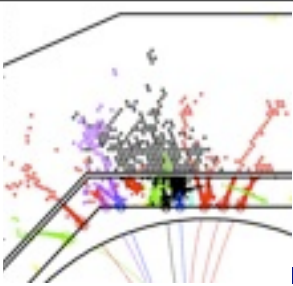
- test Geant 4 predictions with 1 cm² granularity
- sensitive to shower decomposition
- favor recent G4 physics lists
- certainly not perfect - certainly not bad either!



Shower Components:

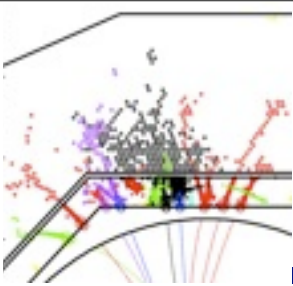
- electrons/positrons
knock-on, ionisation, etc.
- protons
from nuclear fragmentation
- mesons
- others
- sum

Fe Scint tile HCAL

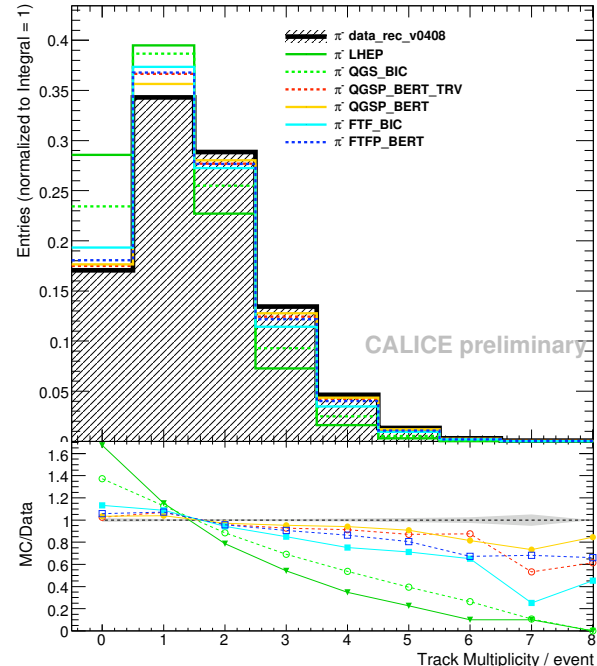
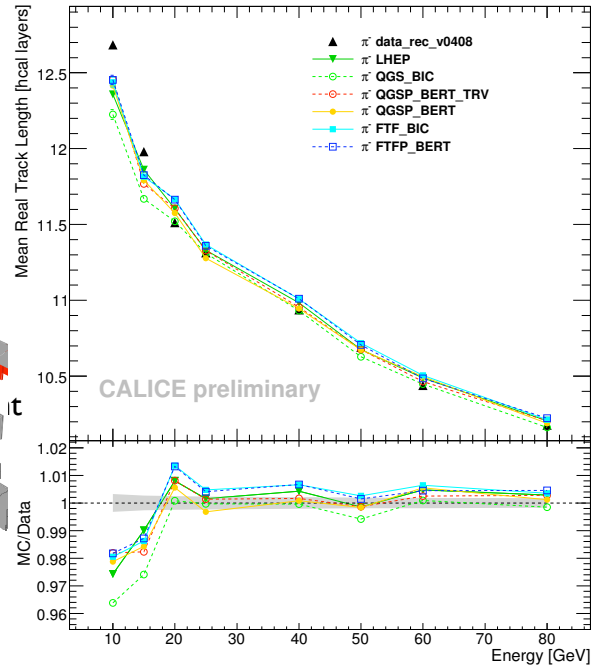
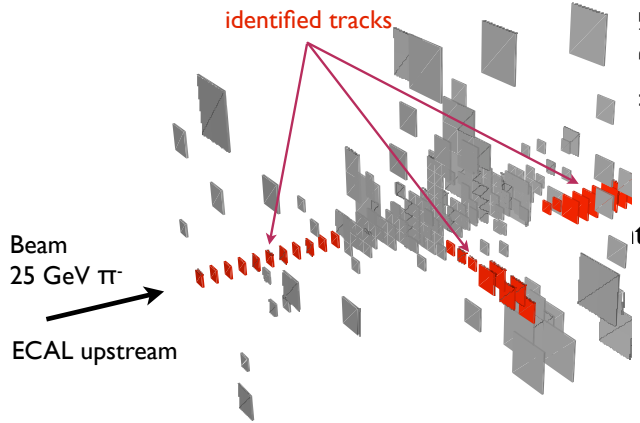


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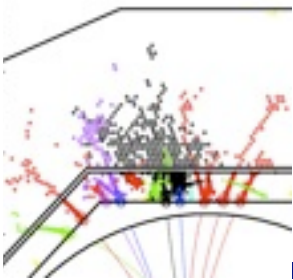
- Present-day simulation quality requires good detector understanding to discriminate
- Fluctuations also well reproduced



Shower fine structure



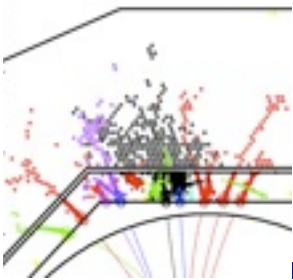
- Could have the same global parameters with “clouds” or “trees”
- Powerful tool to check models
- Surprisingly good agreement already



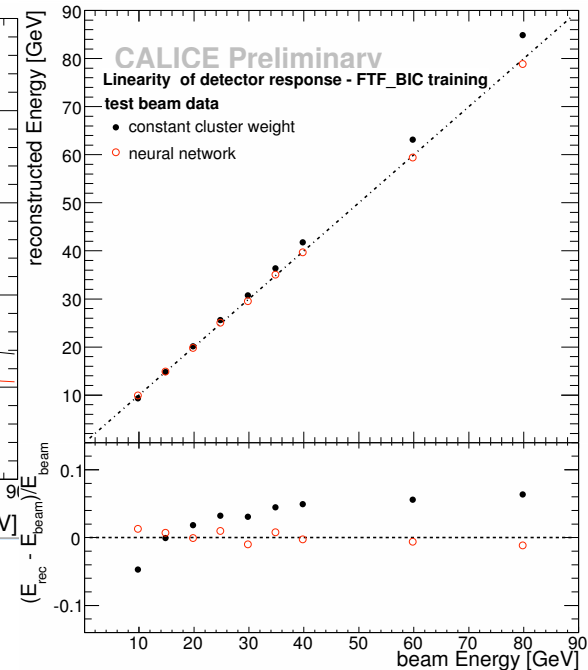
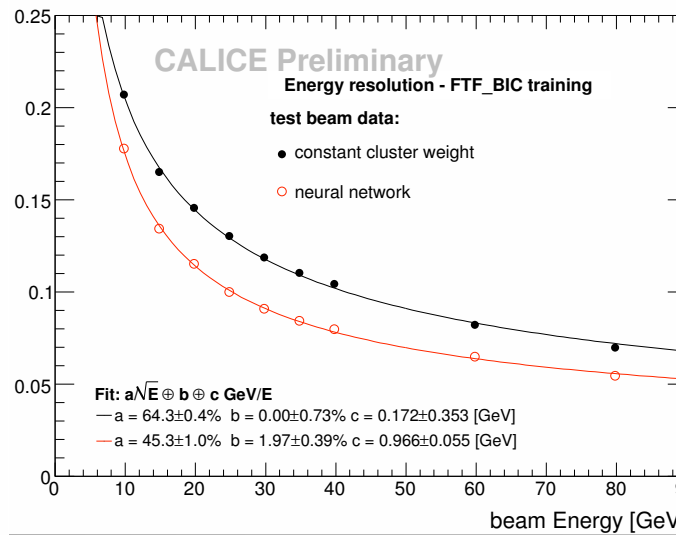
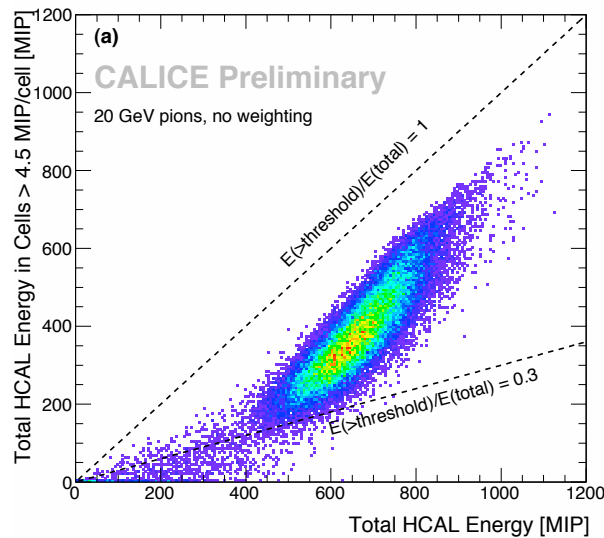
Summary on validation:

- The particle flow detectors perform as expected
 - support predictions for full-scale detector
- Geant 4 simulations not perfect, but also not as far off as feared a few years ago
 - fruitful close cooperation with model builders ongoing
- Predicted shower sub-structure is seen
 - detailed checks possible, benefits for all calorimeters

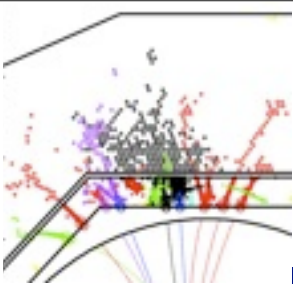
Test the algorithms
with real data



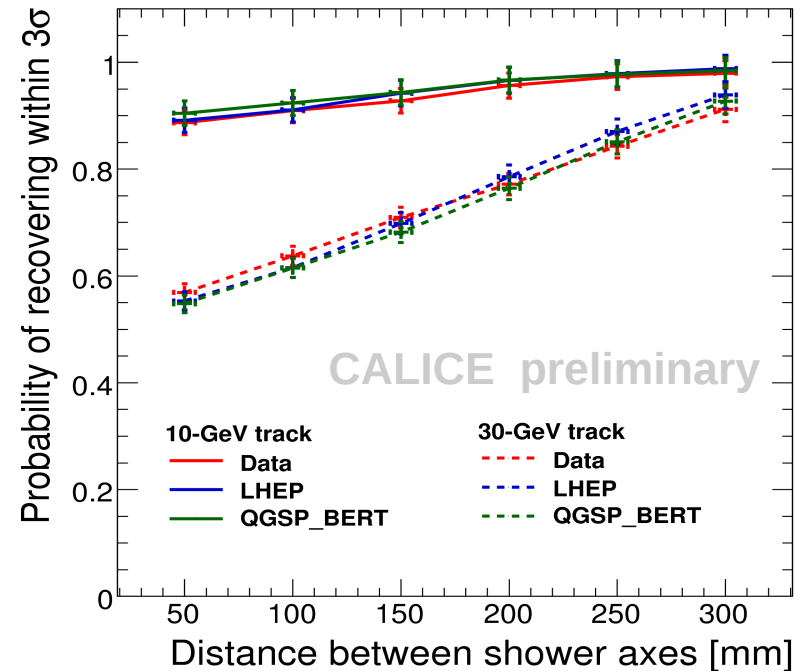
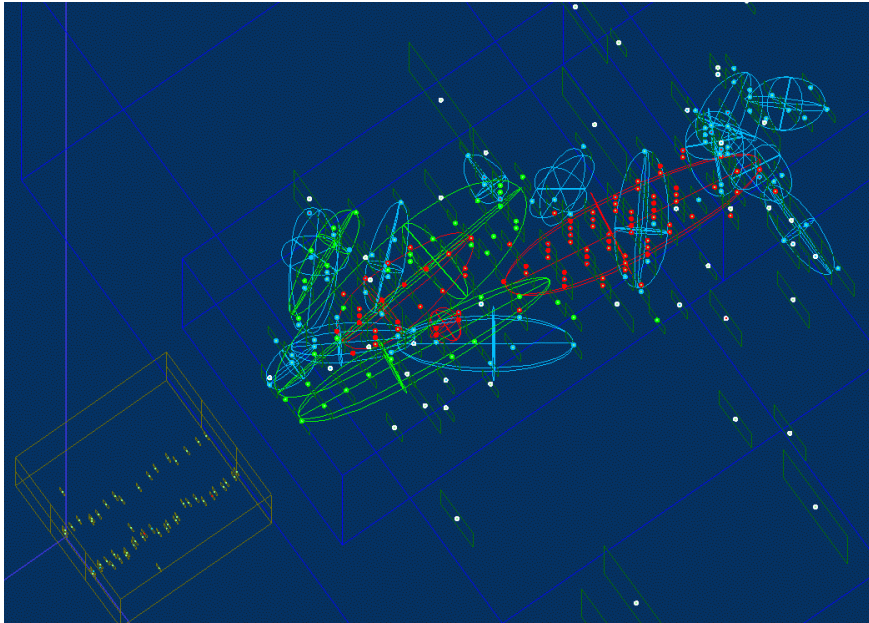
Software compensation



- Poor man's dream
- Significantly improved resolution AND linearity
- High granularity - many possibilities

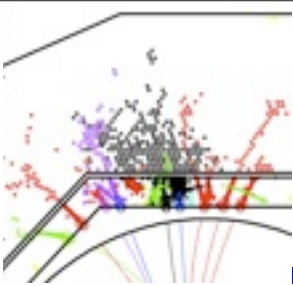


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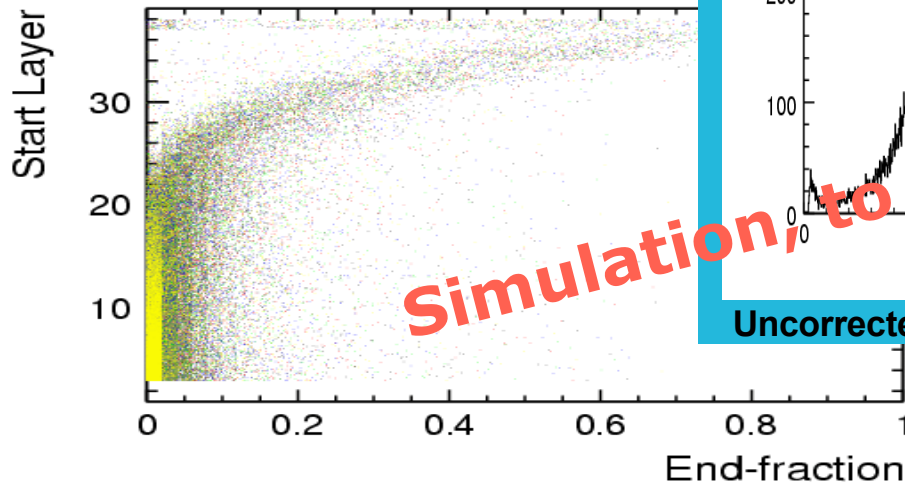
- The “double-track resolution” of an imaging calorimeter
- Small occupancy: use of event mixing technique possible
- Important: agreement data - simulation
 - sharing the same limitations

to be done with photons, too

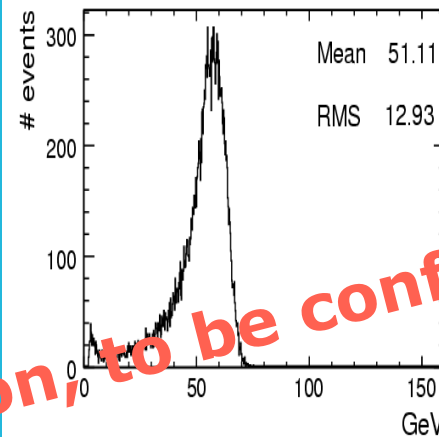


Leakage estimation

2D projection

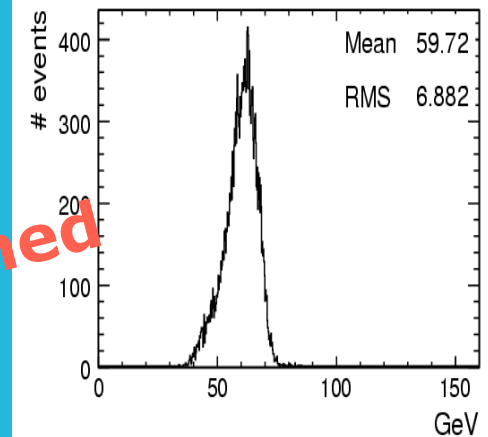


Total energy ECAL+HCAL



Uncorrected

Total energy corrected

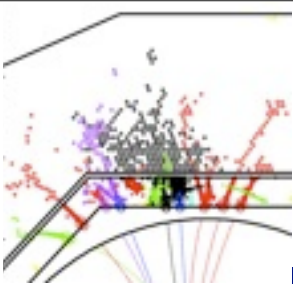


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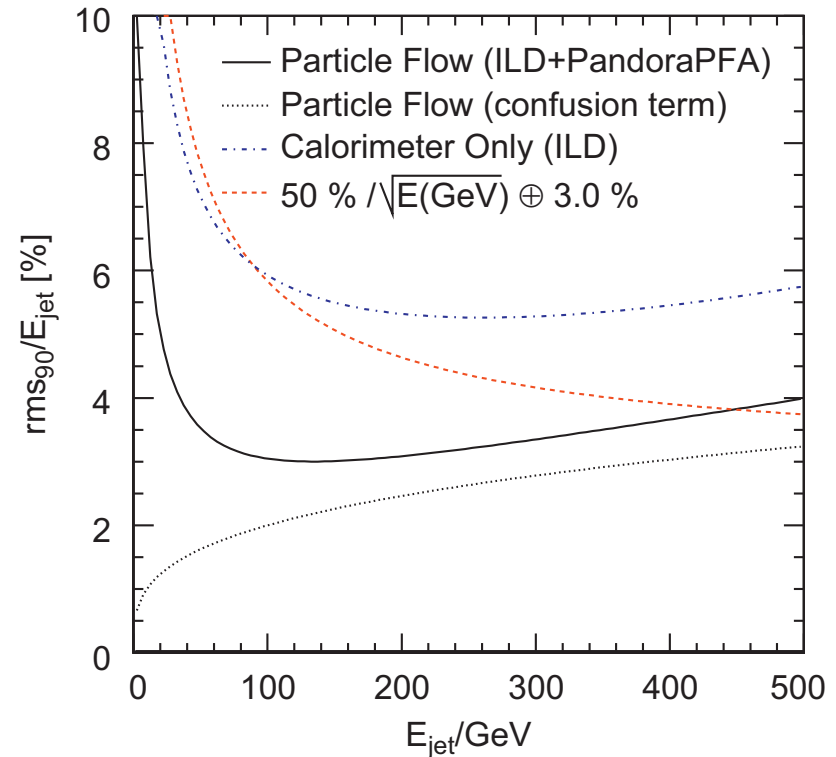
Simulation, to be confirmed

- Infer leakage from seen part of shower topology and energy
- multivariate techniques; striking potential
- implications for detector optimization: implement in Pandora

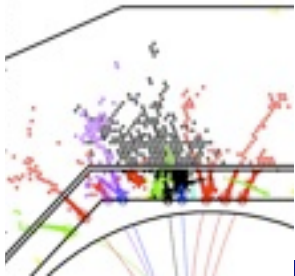


Summary on algorithms

- Granularity is extremely powerful
- Energy resolution and imaging capabilities verified with data at sub-structure level
 - the main drivers of PFLOW performance
- Leakage estimation and software compensation not yet implemented in present Pandora

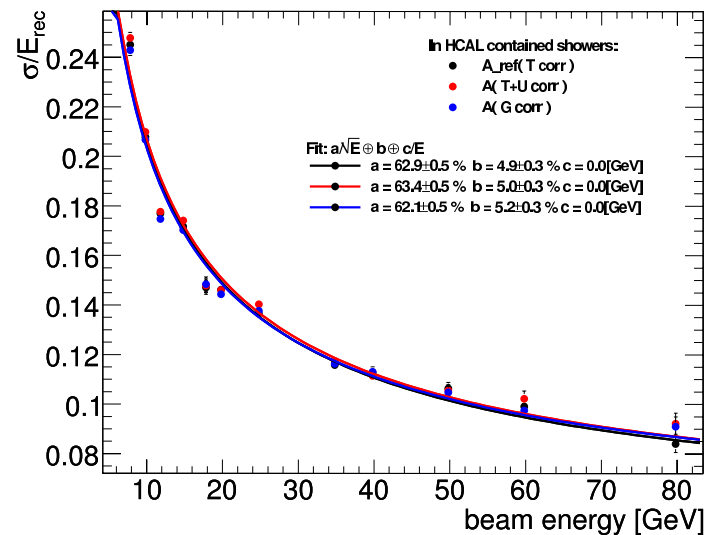


Test the technologies
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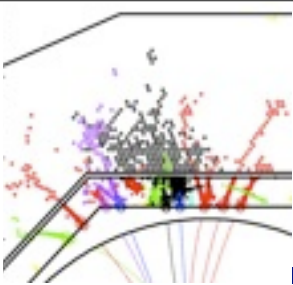


Calibration

- Study triggered by review of LC detector LOI
- Can you calibrate millions of channels and maintain stability?
 - not really a worry for Si, but could be an issue for scintillator
- 1. Simulate impact of statistic (uncorrelated) and systematic (correlated) calibration errors, find $\int L$ for in-situ calibration
 - PFLOW performance VERY robust w.r.t. channel-to-channel variations; coherent effects easy to control
- 2. Exercise in-situ methods (SiPM auto-calib, track segments) with test beam data from CERN and FNAL
 - transport calibration across the ocean and restore performance



Integration



- Sensor technology, precision mechanics
- Next: system engineering
- Industrialized ASIC development using common building blocks
- New operational challenges
 - power pulsing
 - on-detector zero suppression
 - real-time threshold monitoring
 - time measurement

SDHCAL

Scint E/HCAL

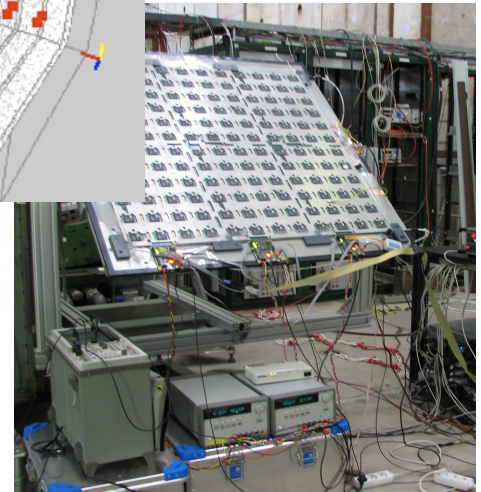
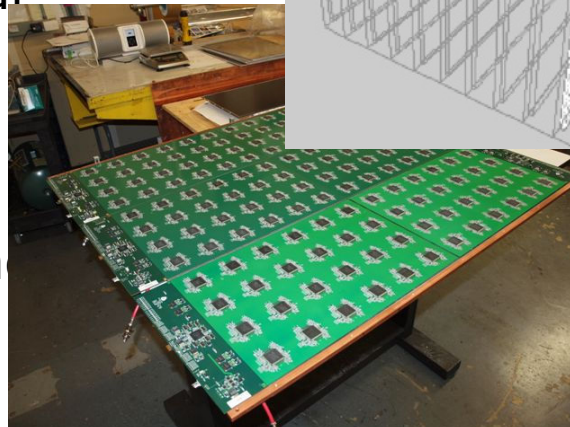
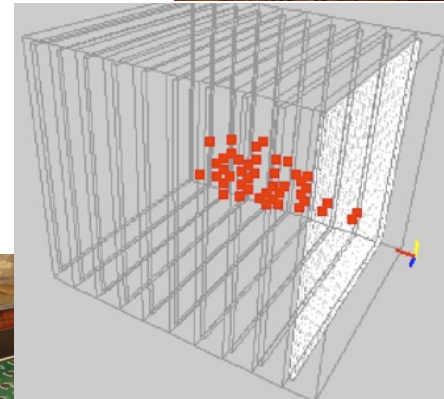
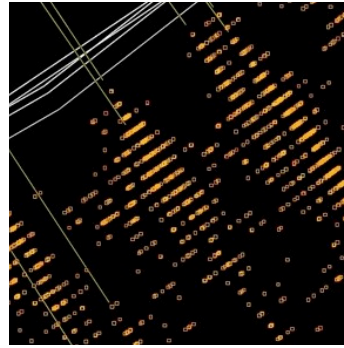


spin-off

Si ECAL

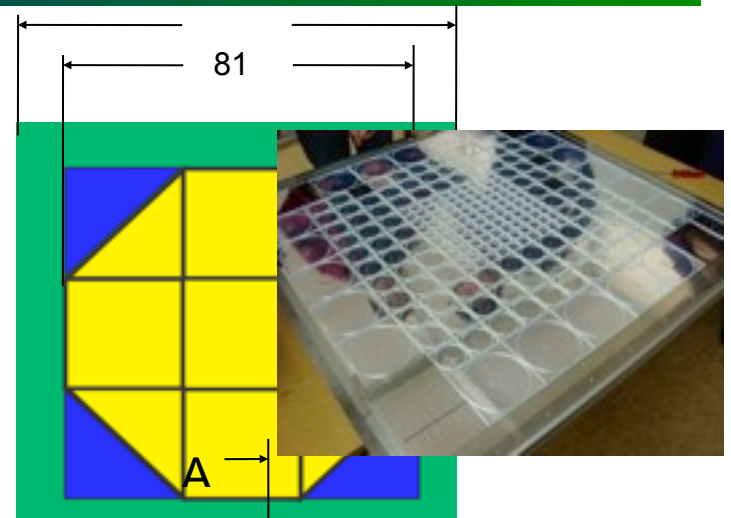
Digital calorimetry

- MAPS DECAL: Tera-pixel
 - 1st sensor tests in e showers
- Digital and semi-digital hadron calorimeter
 - even higher granularity
 - suppress dE/dx fluct.
 - reduced n sensitivity
 - limited at high E ?
- Small RPC proto successful
- Full-size RPC based prototypes underway
- Promising tests of GEM and MicroMEGAS based read-out modules

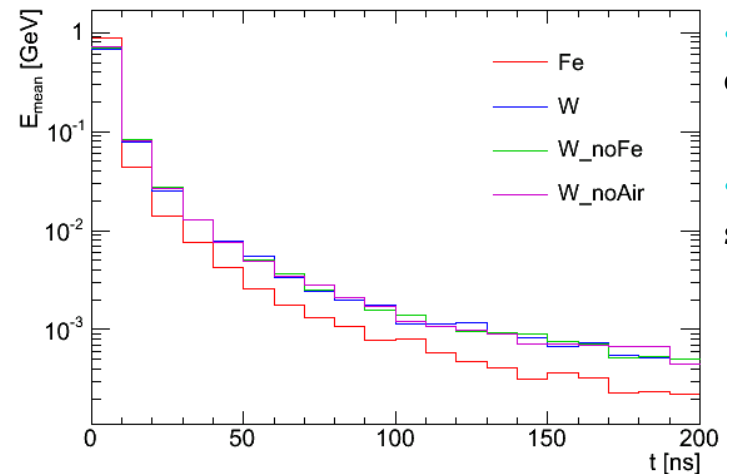


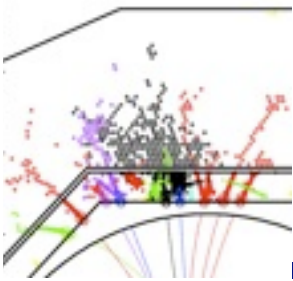
High energy

- Particle flow also a promising option for CLIC energies
- Leakage expected to limit PFLOW performance
 - need 1λ ECAL + 7λ HCAL
- Tungsten absorber cost-competitive with larger coil - and less risky
- Test beam validation with scintillator and gas detectors
- More neutrons:
 - different model systematics
 - timing measurements



Time Development, 30 GeV π^+ ,

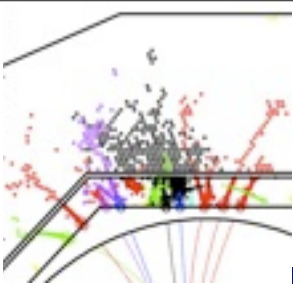




Summary on technologies

- a leap in several orders of magnitude in channel count
- new sensor technologies, new integration concepts
 - the latter is part of the feasibility demonstration
- progress towards realism:
 - realistic designs
 - realistic simulations
 - realistic cost
 - realistic proposal
- Digital calorimetry ready for exploration

Conclusion



- Particle flow calorimetry does not solve the inherent problems of hadron calorimeters
- But it holds the promise of providing a highly performant work-around

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- Substantiated by test beam data
- Can be built

