

# Time Calibration Updates

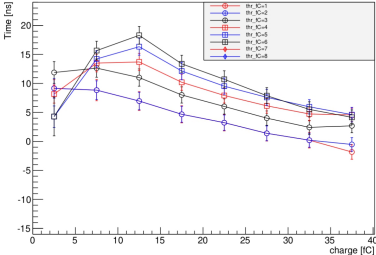
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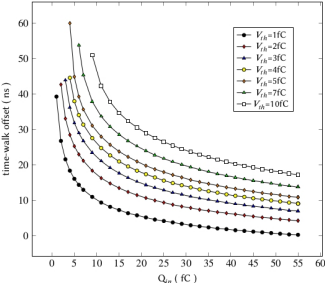
# Motivation

- ▶ Time walk: low Q region disagreement between data and simulation
- ▶ Remove noise at low Q with CgemLineFit

experimental data



simulation data

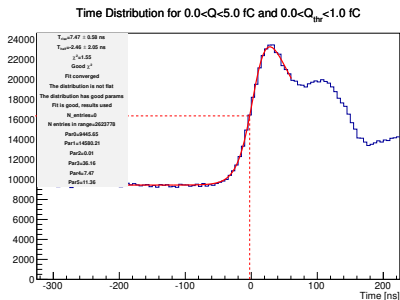
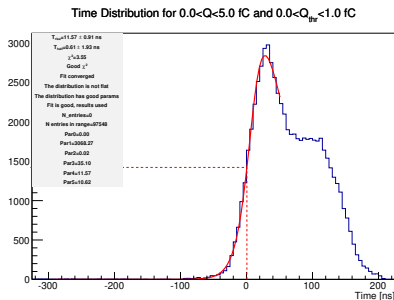


## Testing Time Calibrations with CgemLineFit

- ▶ Only use hits selected by straight line fit
- ▶ Main issue: increases memory and run time substantially
- ▶ Solution: limiting number of clusters per sheet
- ▶ Use 3 as nominal, 1 for debugging
- ▶ Only use run 17 data here - highest purity

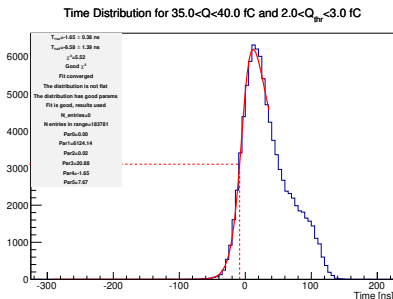
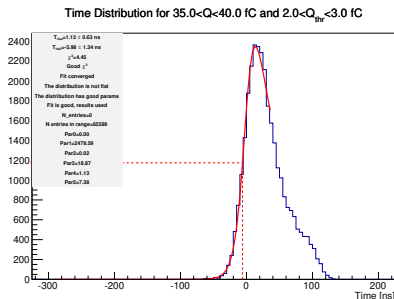
Cluster/Sheet	% Events	Total Time Needed (minutes)
5	53.31%	90.1
4	51.17%	60.2
3	46.65%	35.2
2	37.96%	17.6
1	15.33%	6.4
No fit	-	3.7

# Time Distribution - Time Walk Low Charge



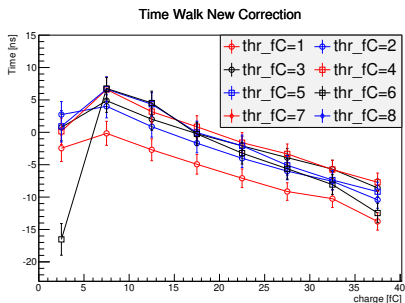
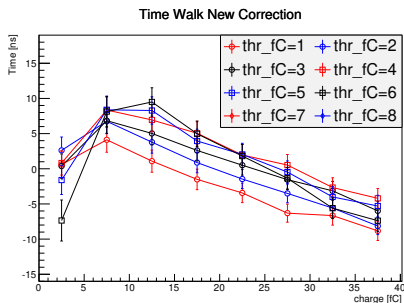
- ▶ Fit removes constant background
- ▶ Also removes events from the second/third peaks
- ▶ Size of the peak is much smaller
- ▶ Times differ by 4 ns ( $11.6 \pm 0.9$  vs  $7.5 \pm 0.6$ )

# Time Distribution - Time Walk High Charge



- ▶ Expect less of an effect
- ▶ Peak is smaller
- ▶ Lump on right side is smaller
- ▶ Time difference is less ( $1.1 \pm 0.6$ ) vs ( $1.65 \pm 0.4$ )

# Time Walk Summary



- ▶ Left for fit, right no fit
- ▶ Corrections at low Q are actually lower with the fit

# Summary

- ▶ Same procedure has been applied to time reference
- ▶ Iteration between time walk and reference has not been done yet
- ▶ Initial results show low Q time walk discrepancy is not due to noise