



AHCAL Prototype Beam Test Data Analysis

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CEPC: The future Higgs/W/Z factory

- Precise measurement of the Higgs/EW/QCD.
- Calorimetry system requirement:
 - 4% of BMR or better,
 - Jet energy resolution: ~30%/ \sqrt{E} .









Introduction

• Particle Flow Algorithm (PFA) : Baseline option of CEPC detector

- PFA-oriented calorimeter: High granularity (imaging).
- AHCAL and ScW-ECAL (Tatsuki's talk) were tested at CERN in 2022, 2023.





Introduction

- CEPC AHCAL prototype parameter
 - Hadron energy resolution target
 - $60\%/\sqrt{E}$ [10-80 GeV].
 - Geometry
 - 40 sampling layers.
 - 72cm \times 72cm in transversal plane.
 - 120cm in longitudinal direction.

- Absorber

- 2 cm thickness/layer steel.
- Sensitive cells
 - 40mm $\times 40$ mm $\times 3$ mm scintillator tile coupled with SiPM (SiPM-on-tile).
 - $18 \times 18 \times 40$ array.

Journal of Instrumentation, 2021, 16(03): P03001. Journal of Instrumentation, 2022, 17(11): P11034.



Beam Test at CERN in 2022 & 2023

Successful beam test for AHCAL.

- Collaborators
 - China: USTC, IHEP, SJTU,
 - Japan: UTokyo, Shinshu.
- At CERN SPS & PS in 2022, 2023.





SPS H8 beamline

SPS H2 beamline

PS T9 beamline

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• SPS-H8: Oct 19 - Nov 2, 2022:

- μ^+ : 160 GeV (for calibration)
- π⁺: 10, 20, 30, 40, 50, 60, 70, 80, 90, 100, 120 GeV (~1M events each point)
- e⁺: 10, 20, 30, 40, 50, 60, 70, 80, 90, 100, 120 GeV (~0.3M events each point)

• SPS-H2: Apr 26 - May 10, 2023:

- μ^- : 100 GeV (for calibration)
- π⁻: 10, 15, 20, 30, 40, 50, 60, 70, 80, 100, 120, 350 GeV (~1M events each point)
- e⁻: 10, 20, 30, 40, 50, 60, 70, 80, 100, 120, 150, 250 GeV (~0.3M events each point)

• PS-T9: Apr 17 - May 31, 2023:

- μ^- : 10 GeV (for calibration)
- π⁻: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, 12, 15 GeV (~0.5M events each point)
- e⁻: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 GeV (~50K events each point)







Beam Test at CERN in 2022 & 2023





CEPC AHCAL CERN PS Test Beam Pion 10GeV 2023-05-27 01:34:26 CEST





CEPC AHCAL CERN SPS Test Beam Pion @50GeV 2023-05-05 22:03:47 CEST





CEPC AHCAL CERN SPS Test Beam Pion @100GeV 2023-05-05 12:22:03 CEST







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Pedestal

- Pedestal calibration file: generated by a forced external trigger.
- The pedestal of each channel is analyzed.







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Gain Ratio

- Two gain modes in SPIROC2E Chip.
 - The saturation point of the high gain is fitted.
- The gain ratio of the high/low gain is calibrated from pion beam data.
- Each channel is fitted and the parameter is stored.





MIP Spectrum layer0 chip3 cu

MIP Spectrum layer0 chip6 cut

MIP calibration

- Using the landau-gauss function for fitting.
- The fitting is first done for each chip, then each channel is fitted.
- All chips have good fitting for 2023 data.

0.024

0.022

0.02

0.018

0.016

0.008 0.006

0.004

0.002

200

400

600

MIP Spectrum layer0 chip4 cut

MIP Spectrum layer0 chip7 cut



Mean

1400



Fitting for a single channel and MPV for all channels

[ADC]

Fitting for each chip

1000

1200

MP

×10³ 300



Simulation set up

- 2 mm plastic scintillator + 0.25 mm \times 2 ESR + 20 mm Steel.
- Birks effect included in simulation.
- Beam: μ^{\pm} , e^{\pm} , π^{\pm} of 10 120 GeV.
- Digitization:
 - Photon statistics: Poisson distribution concerning #detected photons (light output).
 - SiPM saturation : $response = \# pixel \times e^{-\frac{photon}{\# pixel}}$.
 - ADC error: assume 0.02%, very low.
 - Energy cut: 0.5 MIP.
- SiPM:
 - S14160-1315PS for first 38 layers.
 - EQR15 22-1313D-S for last 2 layers.







https://indico.cern.ch/event/847884/contributions/4831207/



GEANT4 Simulation

- Validation on High/Low Gain 0.5 MIP energy threshold
- Generally fit in High Gain; Need optimization in Low gain saturation correction.



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Validation on shower topology - 0.5 MIP energy threshold

- Several shower topology variables are reconstructed:
 - Shower density: Mean hits number in a 3×3 cell.
 - **Shower length**: Distance between the start of the shower and the layer with maximum RMS of hit transverse coordinates.

- Shower start, Shower Radius, ...

- Generally, MC and Data are close in shower topology.
- Shower topology validation is still on going.





CEPC AHCAL

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Particle Identification

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- We observed contamination in test beams from SPS&PS.
 - Mixture of Pion, Muon and Electron events.
 - Purity of beam collected in 2023 is relatively better.
 - Multiple PID methods are developed.





Particle Identification

- Cut-based PID: FD vs < E_{Hit} > . FD = $\left\langle \frac{\log(R_{\alpha,1})}{\log(\alpha)} \right\rangle$, where $R_{\alpha,1} = N_1/N_{\alpha}$
 - N_{lpha} : number of hits scaled by lpha
 - $< E_{Hit} > = E_{dep}/N_{hit}$



Take $\alpha = 2$ as an example



power on MC samples.

FD Ref: PhysRevLett.112.012001







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ANN-based PID: Taking the advantage of ResNet

ResNet Ref: He K, Zhang X, Ren S, et al. Deep residual learning for image recognition[C]//Proceedings of the IEEE conference on computer vision and pattern recognition. 2016: 770-778.

- Input: energy depositions in AHCAL (Input tensor size: $40 \times 18 \times 18$).
- Output: likelihood of each particle type candidate.





PID based on ANN



ANN Classifier performance in Pion identification

• High performance in differentiating HAD showers from EM showers.



Details on ANN PID will be in my another talk on Oct27:<u>https://indico.ihep.ac.cn/event/19316/contributions/143484/</u>





ANN PID cross-check using Cherenkov detectors

- Two CO2 Cherenkov detectors are available at PS (<15 GeV).
- 20,000 Electron and 20, 000 Pion samples are selected as truth.







• Achieve 90% Pion efficiency and 99% Pion purity at the same time.





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Beam composition is given by ANN classifier

- Trained on pre-selected data also tagged by Cherenkov detector.
- Pion beam purity: around 80% when beam energy is over 30 GeV.
- Electron beam purity: over 80% at each energy point.







Comparison between two PID methods

- Very close in the results of particle type fraction.
- Difference in Pion fraction: within 1%.
- Difference in Electron fraction: within 5%.



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Purified beam data fitting

- ANN classier is first used for purifying the Pion beam.
- Crystal ball function is then used for fitting purified Pion Data.









The energy of 20, 50, 80 GeV.

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Summary and Outlook



Preliminary progress:

☑ Three AHCAL beam tests have been done @CERN.

☆@SPS-H8, Oct-Nov ,2022.

☆@SPS-H2, Apr-May, 2023.

☆@PS-T9, May, 2023.

 \mathfrak{T}^{\pm} of 1-120 GeV and e^{\pm} of 1-250 GeV have been collected.

☑Calibration has been done for pedestal, gain ratio and MIP response.

☑ The PID on CEPC AHCAL test beam data has been done.

The AHCAL prototype achieves preliminary energy

linearity of ± 1.5 % and resolution of $\frac{56.5 \%}{\sqrt{E}} \oplus 2.8 \%$ for

• Plan & On going:

- ▶ SiPM saturation correction.
- ▶ SiPM temperature compensation.

▶ Electronics saturation correction.

▶ GEANT4 MC validation.

▶ The synchronization of AHCAL and ScW-ECAL.

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hadron.



Back up





- The difference between pedestal of 2022 and 2023 is small.







Gain Ratio

- Two gain modes in SPIROCE Chip.
 - The saturation point of the high gain is fitted.
- The gain ratio of the high/low gain is calibrated from pion beam data.







- The AHCAL's average temperature is stable after reaching plateau. (Taking 3-5 days).
- Room temperature changes with a daily cycle (Around 3 ^{o}C).

- On temperature sensors in HBU, temperature differences on different points is with $2^{o}C$.



- Energy: 5, 20, 40, 60,80 GeV
- MC samples
- 20, 000 Electron + 20, 000 Pion
- FD: a linear boundary
- ANN: argmax(likelihood)



FD + E_Mean_hit cut



• Improvement in Efficiency out-weighs losses in Purity





• Top 3 variables in separating between EM showers and HAD showers.

- Z width: The RMS of the z-axis coordinates.
- Shower Radius: The RMS of the distance with respect to the z-axis.
- Shower layers: The number of layers in which the RMS of positions in the x-y plane exceeds 4 cm.





- Cell-based Artificial Neural Networks (ANN) make full use of high-dimensional input ($18 \times 18 \times 40$).
 - Compile layers to extract features.
 - Output is the probability (likelihood) of each particle type candidate.



Prepared test set using Cherenkov detector

• 5GeV Electron data from PS-T9 (Run 133) • Cut: CO=1 & C1=1 & E_dep>20MeV.

Cherenkov Threshold (by Takeshita-san), both C0 and C1 are CO2



No.	Time	Name	Particle	Mom. GeV/c	Event No.	Backup
1	5.28	AHCAL_Run132_20230528_194338.dat	e-	5	217184	Trigger Counter:~2.2k/spill;
2	5.28	AHCAL_Run133_20230528_214827.dat	e-	5	218148	C0:5;C1:0.5;

Prepared test set using Cherenkov detector

5GeV Pion data from PS-T9 (Run 123)

• Cut: CO=1 & C1=0 & E_dep>40 MeV; Cherenkov detectors don't reject Muon.



No.	Time	Name	Particle	Mom. GeV/c	Event No.	Backup
21	5.27	AHCAL_Run118_20230527_141601.dat	Pi-	10	263848	C0:1.5;C1:0.1, supplement
22	5.27	AHCAL_Run120_20230527_161750.dat	Pi-	5	227300	Trigger Counter:~ <mark>17.8k</mark> /spill;
23	5.27	AHCAL_Run121_20230527_174513.dat	Pi-	5	228080	C0:5;C1:0.6;
24	5.27	AHCAL_Run122_20230527_191028.dat	Pi-	5	227427	
25	5.27	AHCAL_Run123_20230527_203428.dat	Pi-	5	244491	
26	5.27	AHCAL_Run124_20230527_220455.dat	Pi-	5	304558	

Cherenkov Threshold (by Takeshita-san), both C0 and C1 are CO2



Signal Purity vs. Signal Efficiency

- 20, 000 5 GeV "Electrons" + 20, 000 10GeV "Pions "
- 99% signal purity can be achieved (ε_e =90%, ε_{π} =90%)

