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Alignment of the CMS Tracker at LHC Run-II

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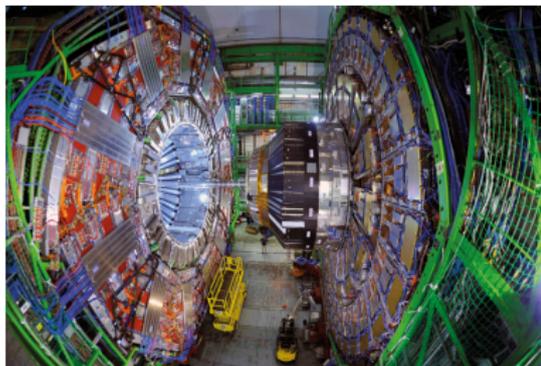
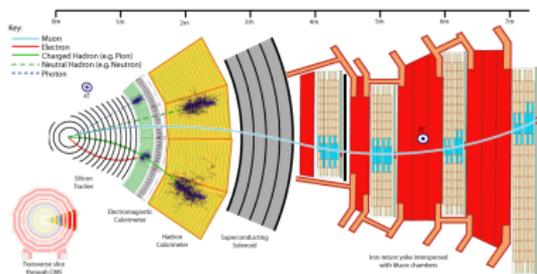
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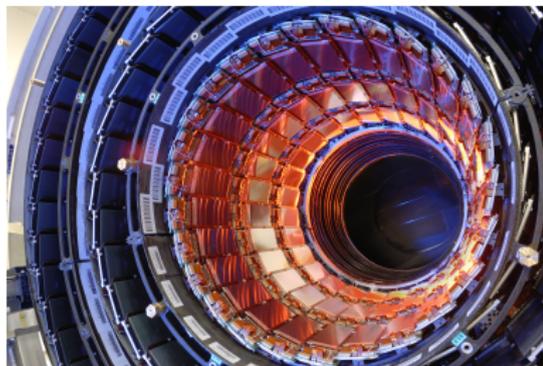
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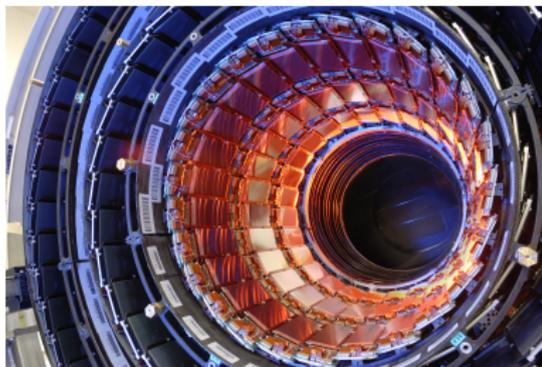
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(during mounting of the tracker)

Typically, the precision at mounting is such that

$$\sigma_{\text{align}} \gg \sigma_{\text{hit}}$$

Compute a correction to the mounting of the modules such that

$$\sigma_{\text{align}} \approx \sigma_{\text{hit}}$$



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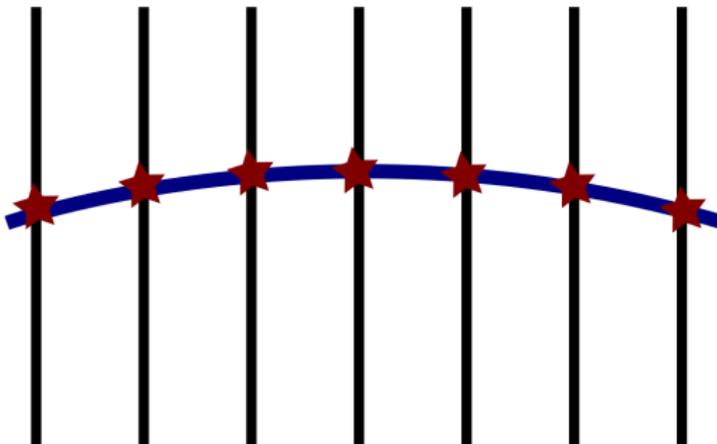
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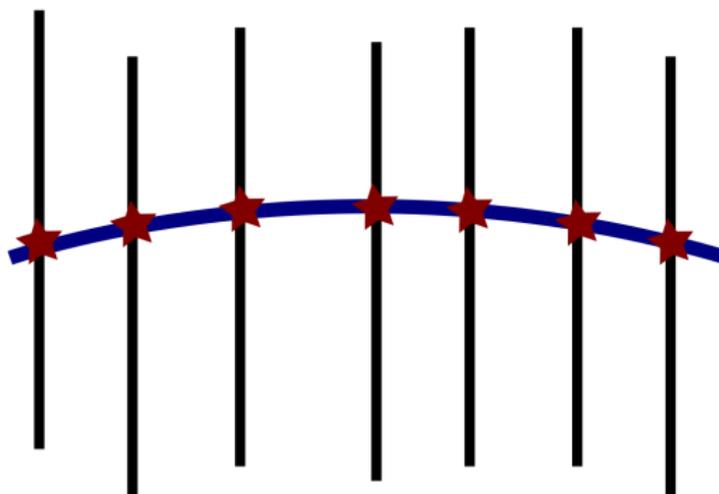
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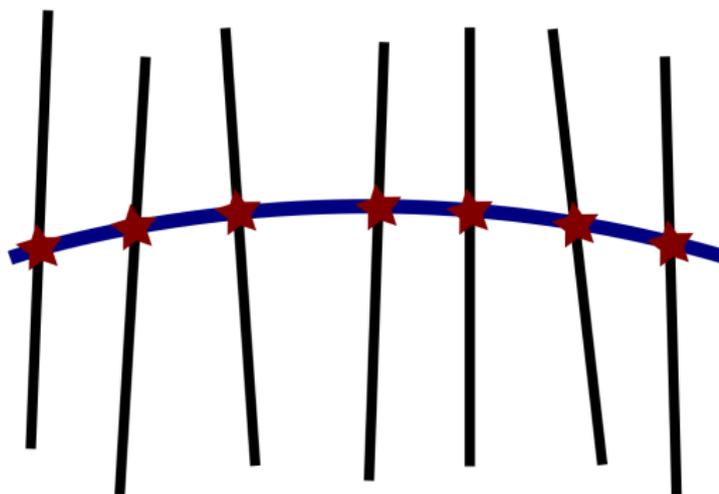
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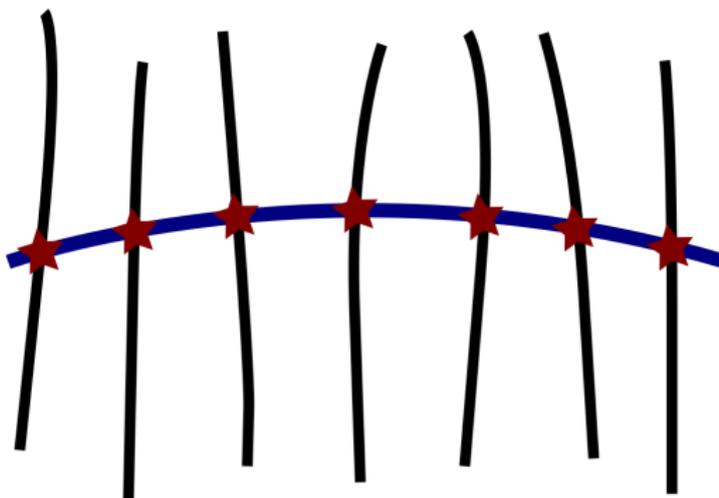
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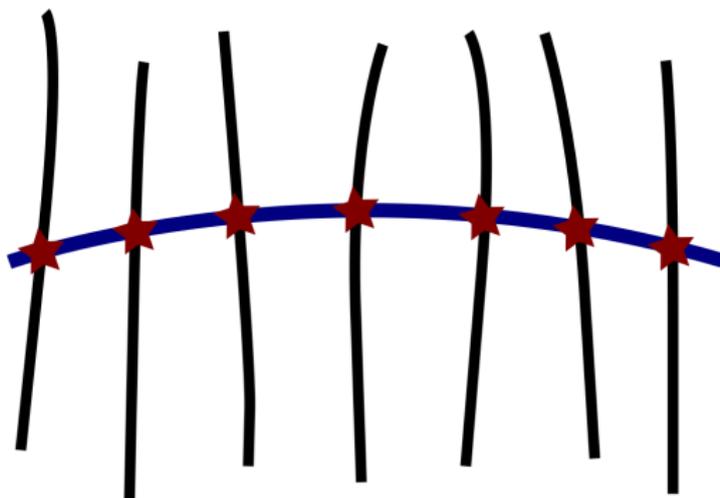
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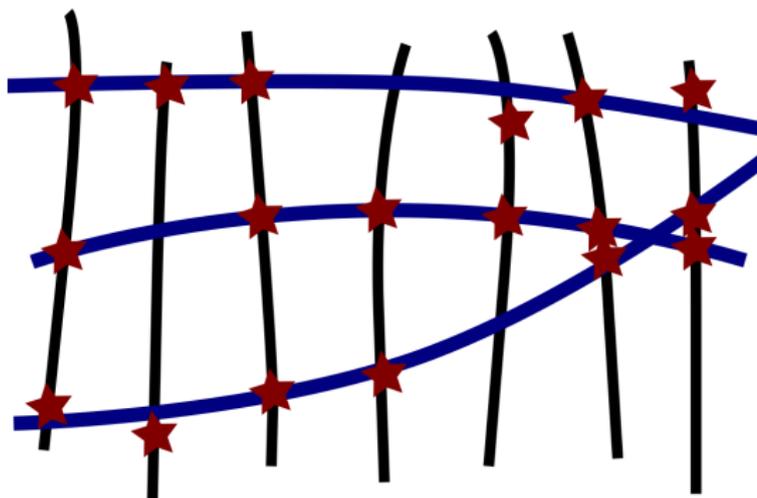
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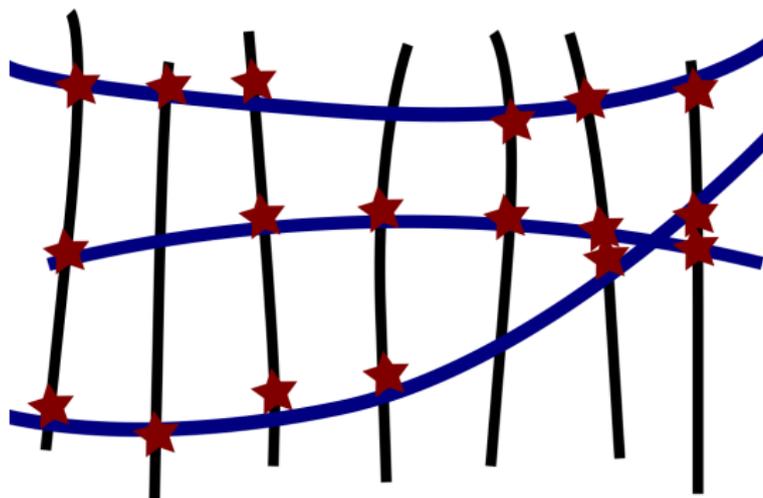
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In addition, tracks are **distorted**
by the misalignment.

→ $O(10^5)$ parameters

Track-based approach

Linearisation of least-square minimisation of the track fit [1, 2]

$$\chi^2(\mathbf{p}, \mathbf{q}) = \sum_j^{\text{tracks}} \sum_i^{\text{hits}} \left(\frac{m_{ij} - f_{ij}(\mathbf{p}, \mathbf{q}_j)}{\sigma_{ij}} \right)^2$$

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MillePede-II



- global-fit approach (large linear equation system)
- minimise residuals and refit the tracks together
- take into account all correlations
- demanding in term of memory

NB: MillePede-II is an project independent from CMS [3].

HipPy

- local-fit approach
- remove track parameters from the χ^2
- iterative procedure
- used for fine tuning

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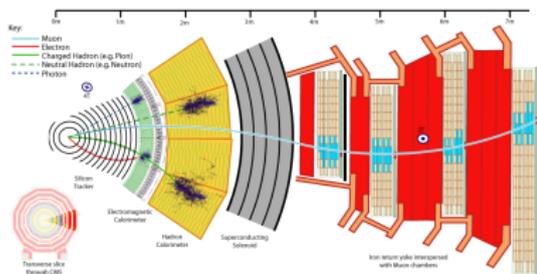
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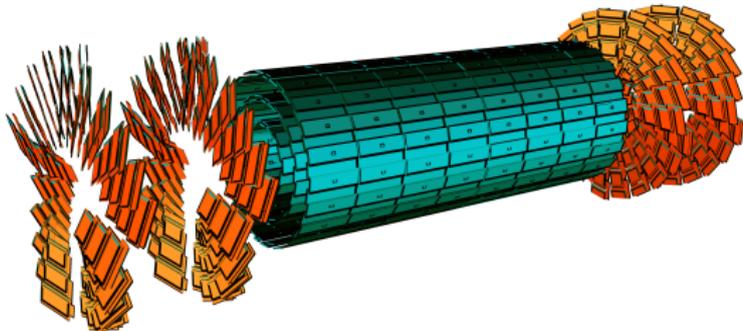
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- Several levels of alignment:
 - high-level structures ($O(1 \text{ mm})$)
 - when the statistics is limited
 - modules ($O(10 \mu\text{m})$)
 - requires larger statistics
 → *alignables*
- positions, rotations and deformations can be aligned
 - all parameters of alignables can be activated separately



(Sketch of the barrel and forward pixel subdetectors)

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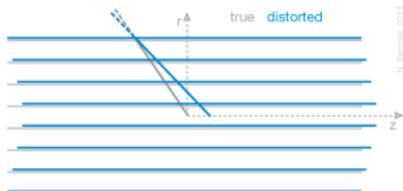
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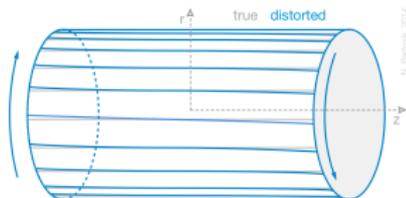
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N. Bartosik, 2014

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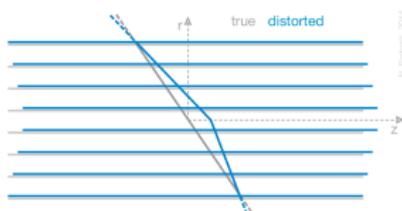
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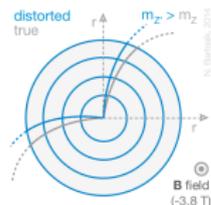
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cosmic rays other topology

 $Z \rightarrow \mu\mu$ momentum constraint on the two outgoing muons

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Align separately:

- *absolute* positions of **high-level structures** with time-dependence;
- *relative* position of **modules** to the high-level structure without time-dependence.

→ include time dependence but keep large statistics

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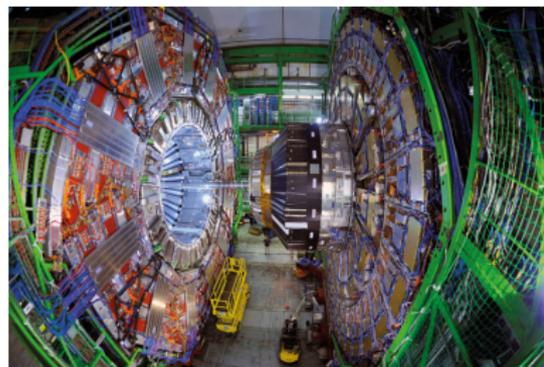
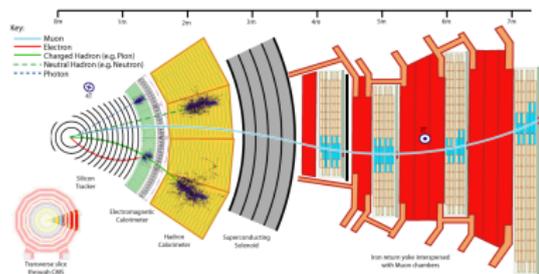
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Note: 150 GB of RAM and around 30 h are needed to run MillePede

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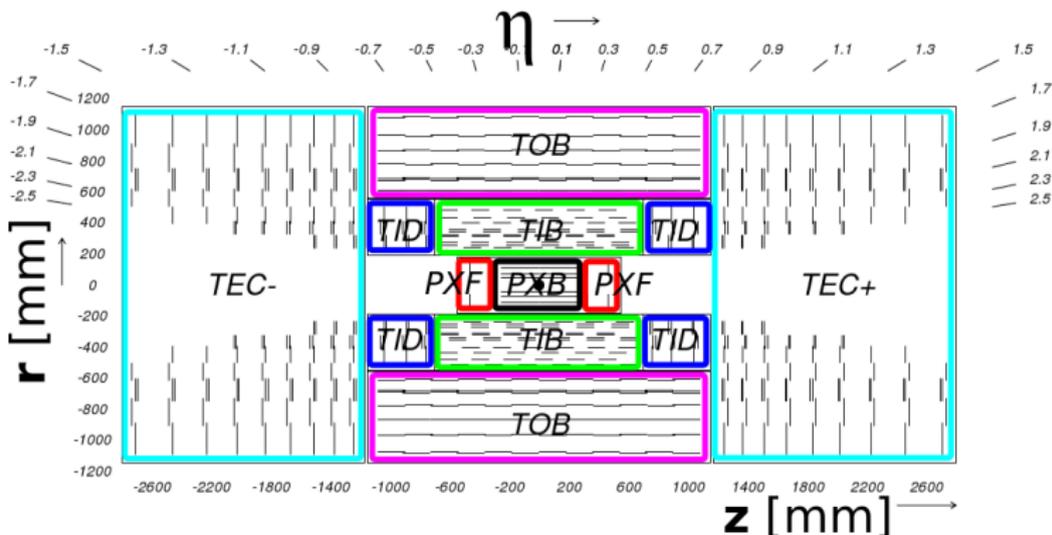
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PXB PiXel Barrel

PXF PiXel Forward

TIB Tracker Inner Barrel

TOB Tracker Outer Barrel

TID Tracker Inner Disks

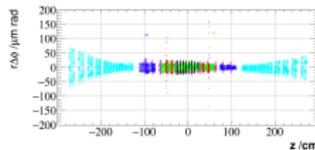
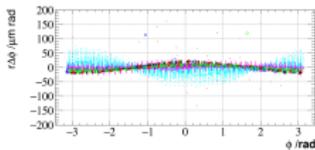
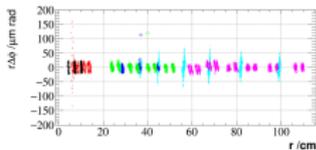
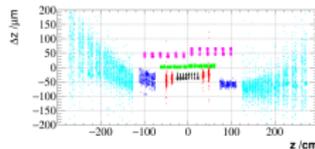
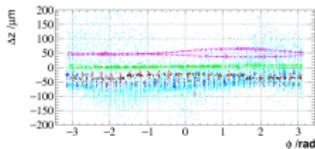
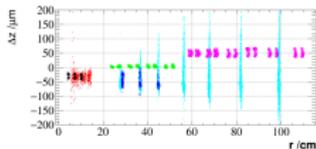
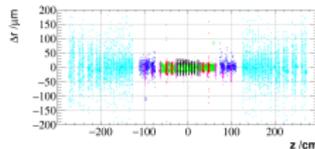
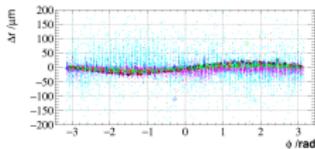
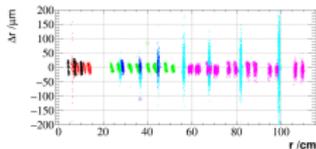
TEC Tracker Endcaps

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Alignment: cosmic rays + collisions
X-axis: tracker in data taking
Y-axis: tracker in data taking - aligned tracker

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- Each point represents a module; colour is related to the high-level structure.
- One can see the movement $Y(\Delta r, \Delta z, r\Delta\phi)$ of a module initially at position $X(r, z, \phi)$.

→ clear movements between the **tracker in data-taking** and **aligned tracker**.

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In the next slides, we show the effect of the alignment on various physical quantities between

- **tracker in data-taking**
- **aligned tracker**

and for reference, we show in addition:

- **MC simulation (no misalignment)**



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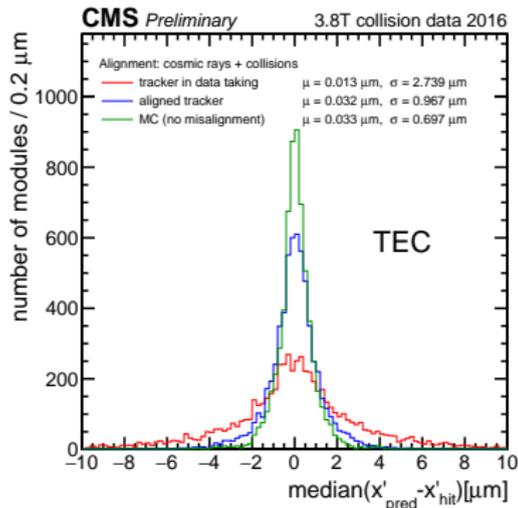
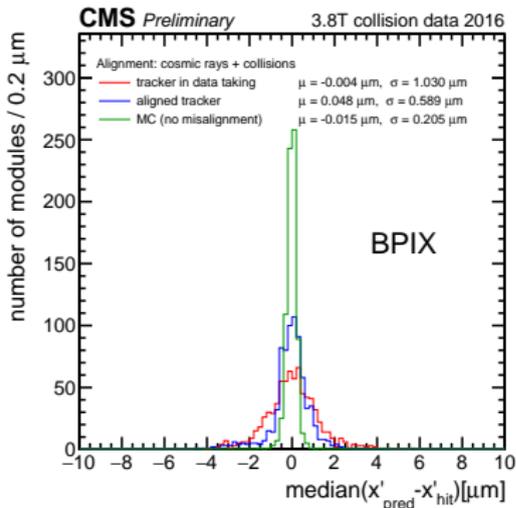
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- For each module, the median of the residuals is computed and histogrammed.
- **Optimally aligned detector** has smallest width
→ lower limit on width determined by statistical precision.
- Sensitive to local alignment precision.

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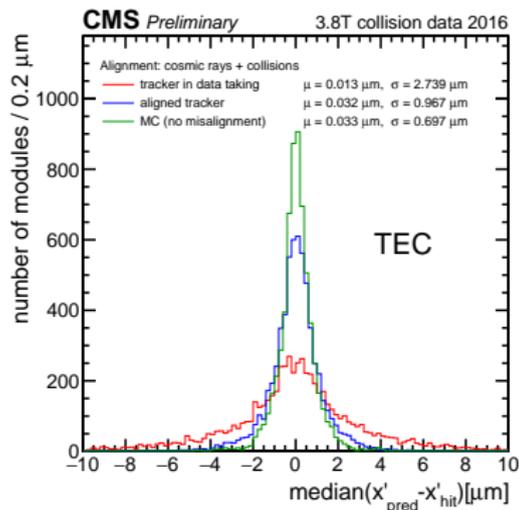
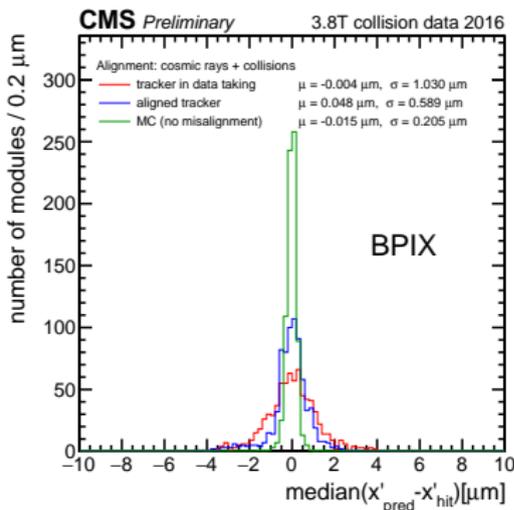
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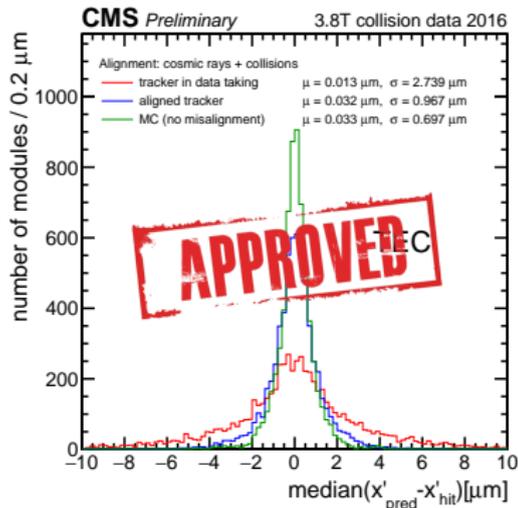
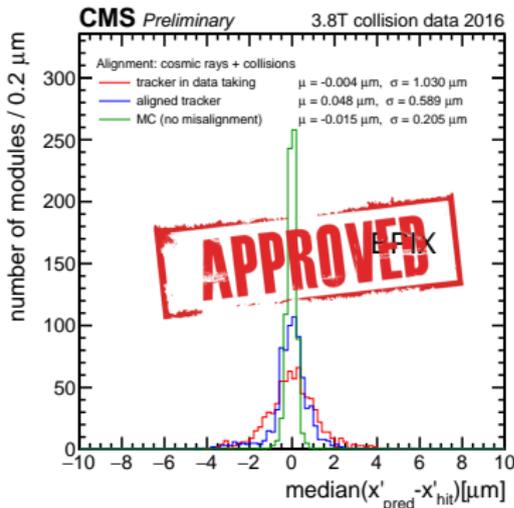
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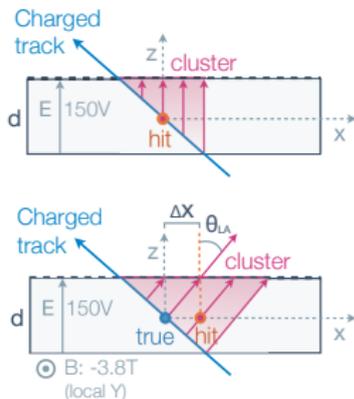
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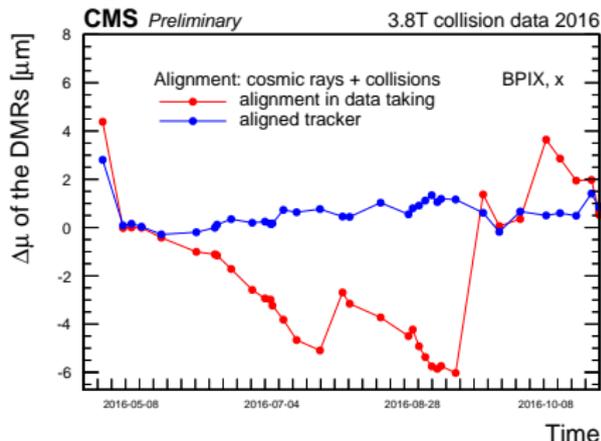
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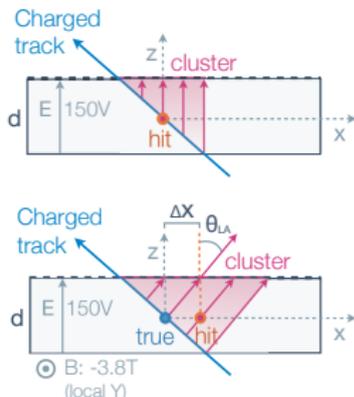
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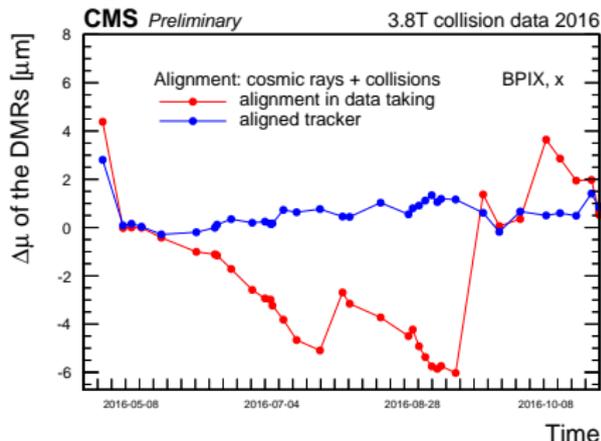


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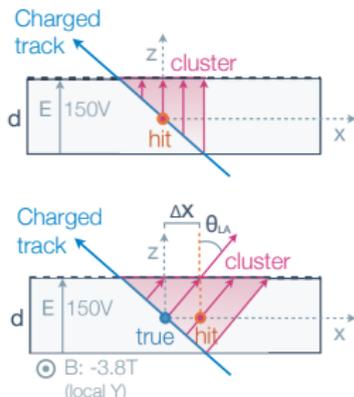
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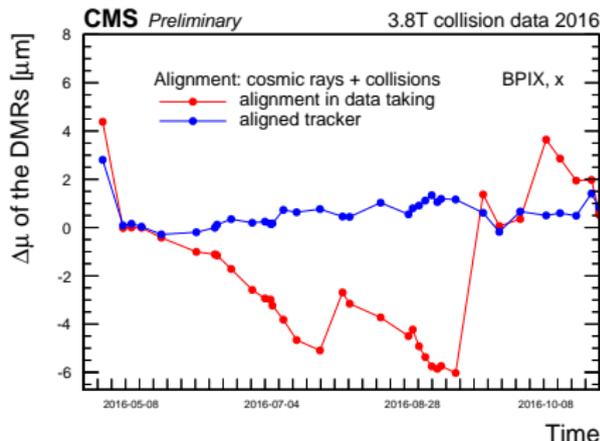
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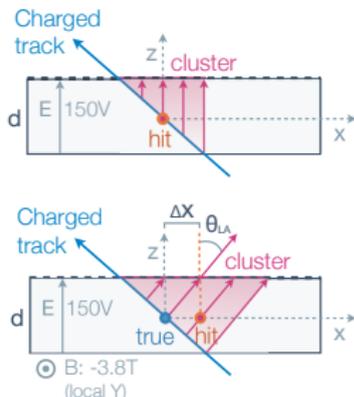
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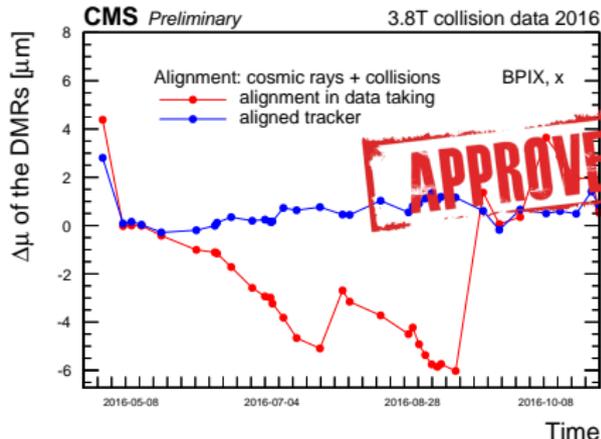
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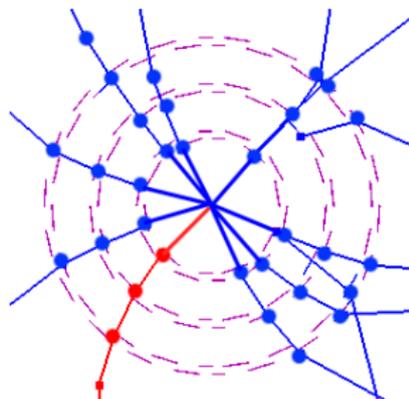
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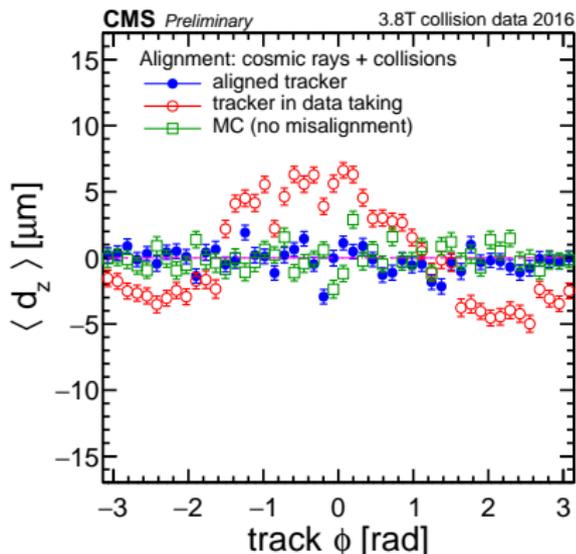
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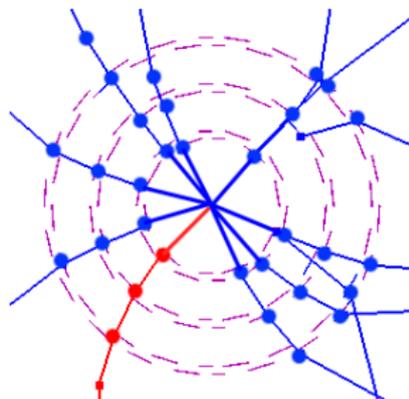
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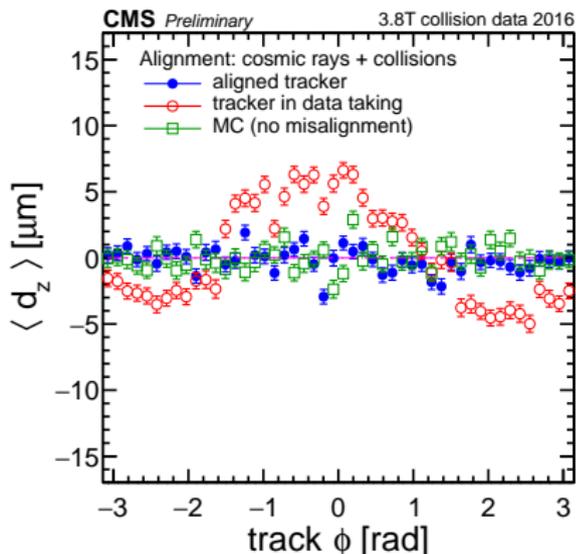
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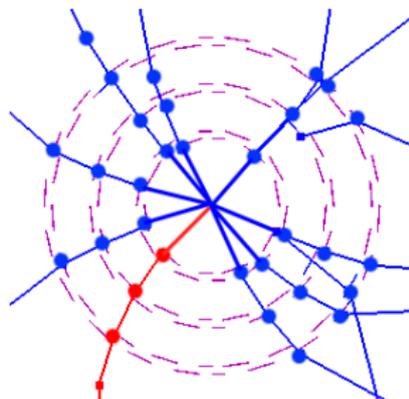
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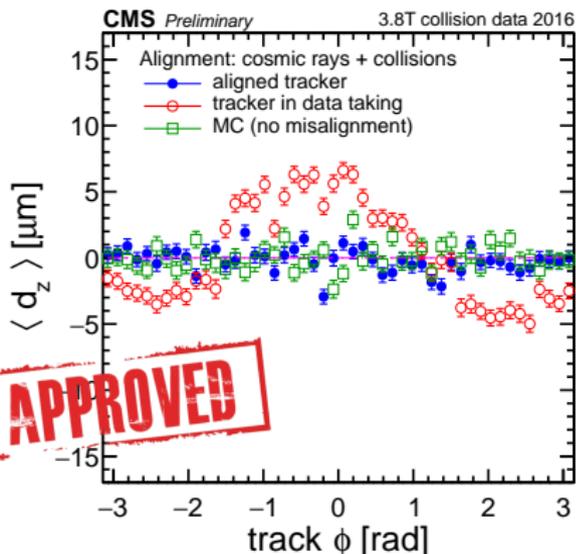
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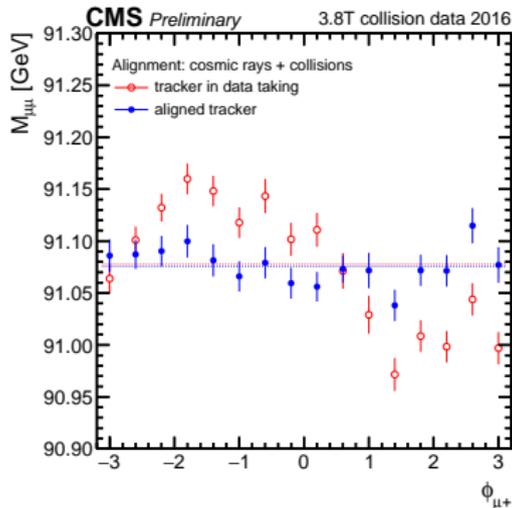
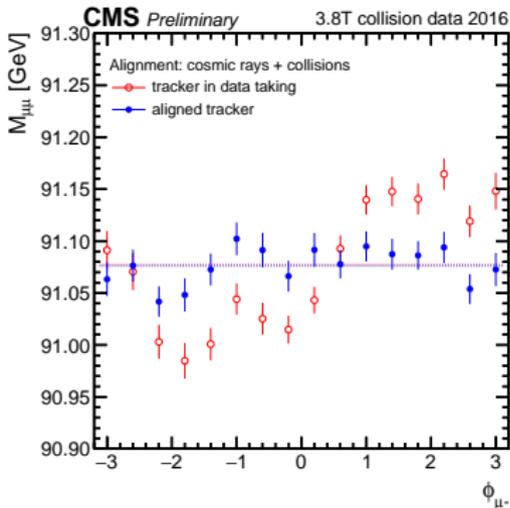
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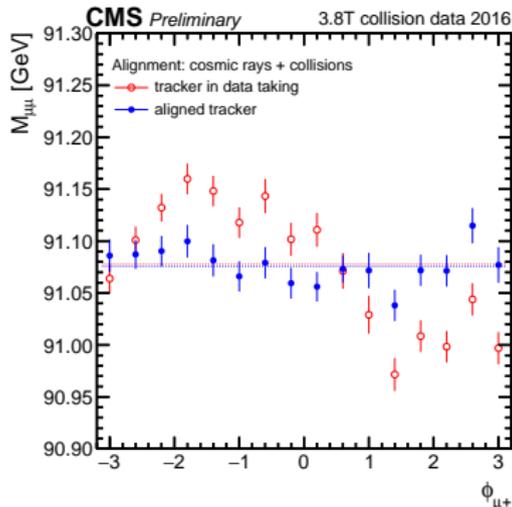
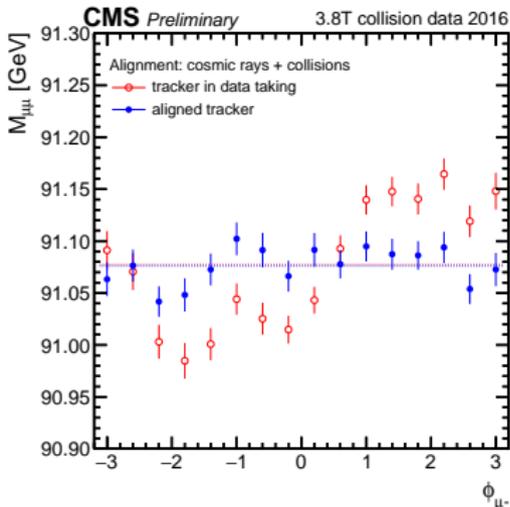
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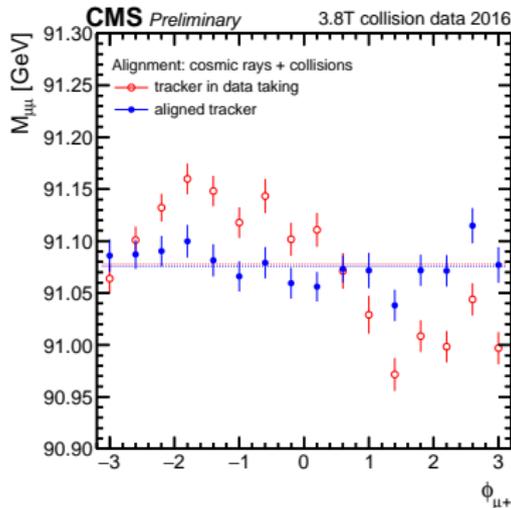
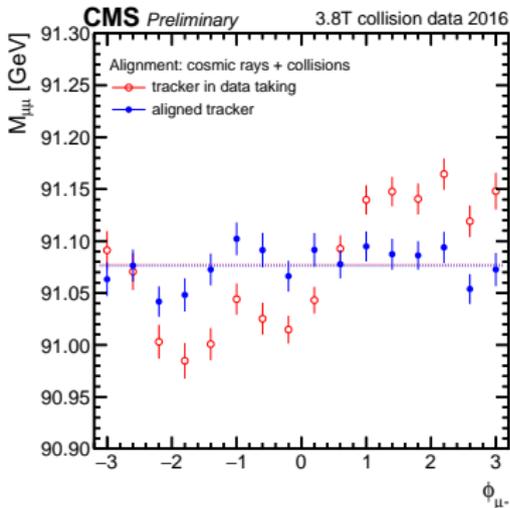
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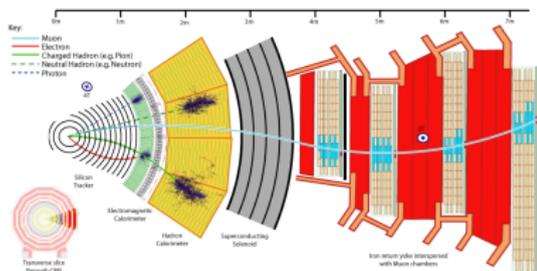
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- Linearisation of the χ^2 allows to make use of linear algebra:

$$\mathbf{C} \times (\Delta\mathbf{p} \ \Delta\mathbf{q}) = \mathbf{b}$$

- Partition of the matrix \mathbf{C} into blocks for local and global parameters allows to reduce drastically the size of the matrix to invert:

$$\mathbf{C}_j \Delta\mathbf{q}_j = \mathbf{b}_j \quad \text{local parameters}$$

$$\mathbf{C}' \Delta\mathbf{p} = \mathbf{b}' \quad \text{global parameters}$$

where \mathbf{b}' can be determined from $\Delta\mathbf{q}_j$ and \mathbf{C}' from \mathbf{C}_j^{-1} and some additional blocks in \mathbf{C} describing correlations between local and global parameters

- MillePede = Mille + Pede

Mille determination of all the values needed to calculate the global χ^2
 $\rightarrow \mathbf{p}, \mathbf{q}, \mathbf{m}, \sigma$, local $df/d\mathbf{q}$ and global $df/d\mathbf{p}$ parameters

Pede determination of local (track) refits to construct the linear equation system, then determination of global (alignment) parameters

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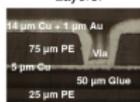
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Pixel Barrel Module

Kaptoncable (DYCONEX)

- connects module and endpoint
- impedance matched ($Z \sim 40 \Omega$)
- glued & wirebonded to HDI

Layers:



HDI (HIGHTEC MC)

High Density Interconnect Board:

- flexible, low mass PCB
- glued to sensor
- rad hard SMD components
- TMB glued & wirebonded

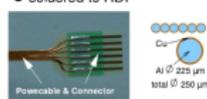
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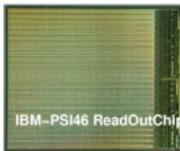
- lamination of cable in house
- soldered to HDI



ROC's (IBM)

Read Out Chip IBM-PSI46:

- 0.25 μm DeepSubMicron process
- 52x80 pixels of 150x100 μm
> 66 kpixel/module
- power consumption $\sim 28 \mu\text{W}/\text{pixel}$
- chips thinned to 170 μm
=>reduced MB-contribution



Sensor (CIS)

- 285 μm thickness
- n-on-n devices
- moderated p-spray
- DOFZ-silicon in <111>-orientation
- resistivity of 3.7 k Ωm
- processed on both sides



Overall Dimensions:

- Sensor 66.6 x 18.6 mm^2
- Baseplate 65 x 26 mm^2

Weight:

- Module $\sim 2.2 \text{ g}$
- Cables $\sim 1.3 \text{ g}$

Power consumption:

 $\sim 2 \text{ W}$ per full module

Baseplate

- 250 μm Si-Nitride material
- two small strips glued to ROC's
=>reduced MB-contribution



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Principle

The *Distributions of the medians of the residuals* are a measure of the local precision.

- Deviations from 0 indicate possible biases.
- The width is also sensitive to the statistics¹.

Procedure

- Each track is reconstructed for different geometries.
- The hit prediction x'_{pred} for each module is obtained from all other track hits. The median of this
- The residuals $x'_{\text{pred}} - x'_{\text{hit}}$ is histogrammed for each module.
- For each high-level structure, the median of the residuals is histogrammed and plotted.

In order to avoid statistical correlations, we use independent samples for alignment and validation.

¹In the next plots, we took care of having comparable statistics for MC and data.

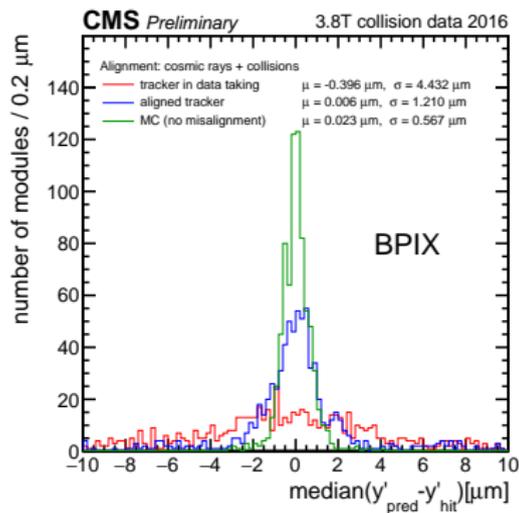
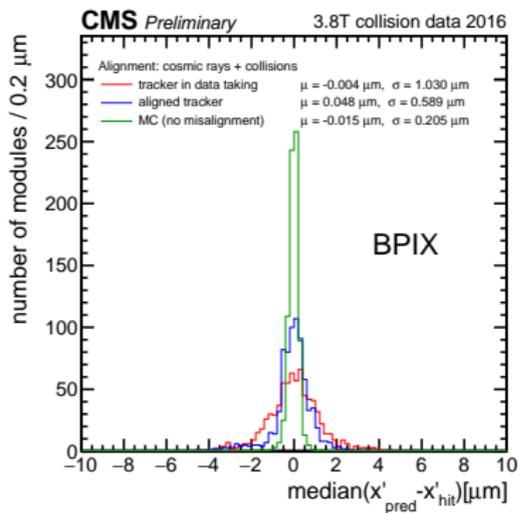


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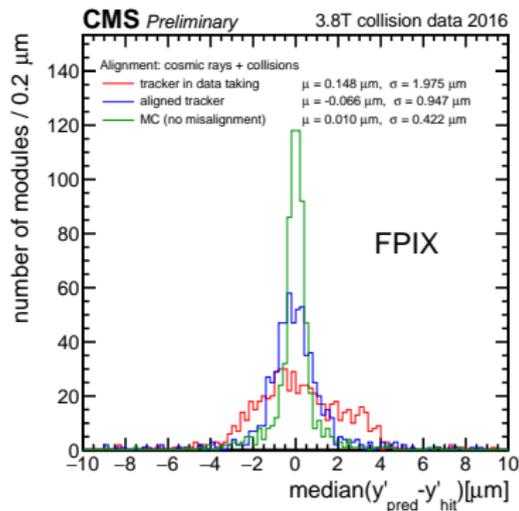
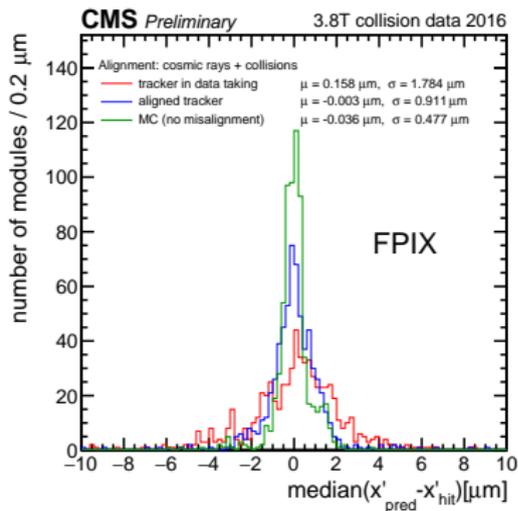
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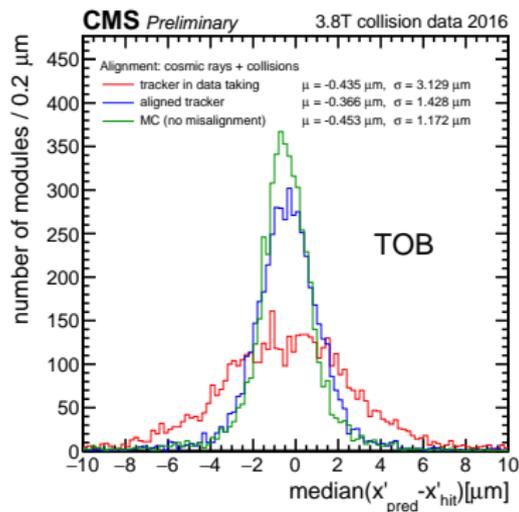
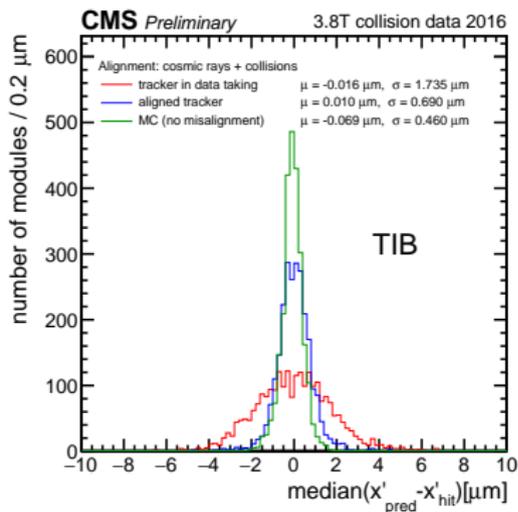
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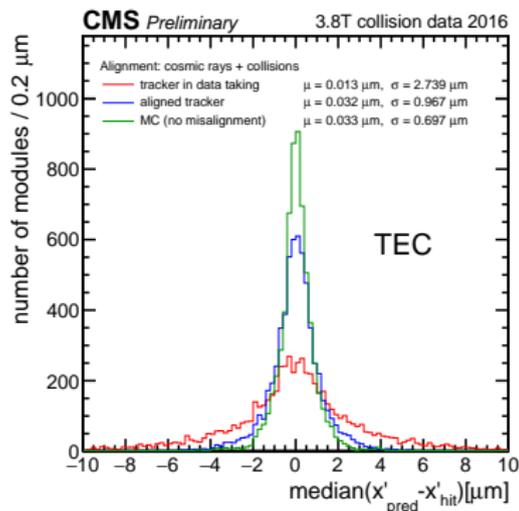
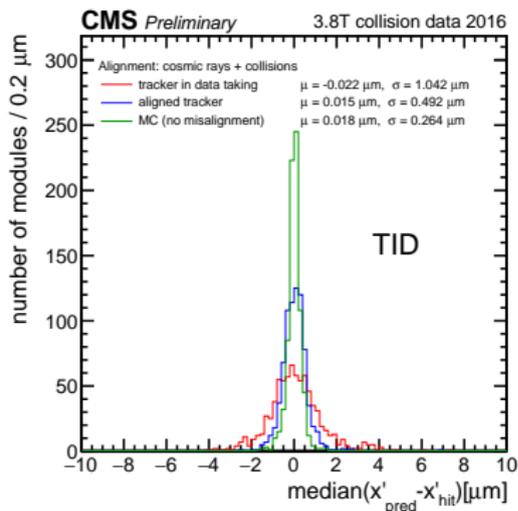
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Selection

Vertex

- minimum-bias events,
- at least four d.o.f. in the vertex fit,

Tracks

- at least six hits in the tracker, of which at least two in the pixel detector,
- at least one hit in the first layer of the Barrel Pixel or the first disk of the Forward Pixel,
- $\chi_{\text{track}}^2 / \text{n.d.o.f.} < 5$

Principle

- We consider one given track from a given vertex.
- The vertex is refitted without the track under scrutiny.
- The longitudinal and transversal projections of the impact parameter $\langle d_{xy} \rangle$ and $\langle d_z \rangle$ of the track are computed and plotted as a function of the track η and ϕ .

Biases

Random misalignments increase the spread.

Systematic misalignments bias the mean (pattern depend on misalignment).



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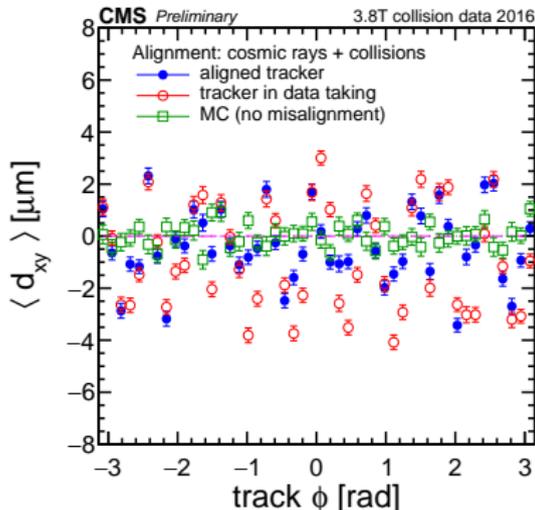
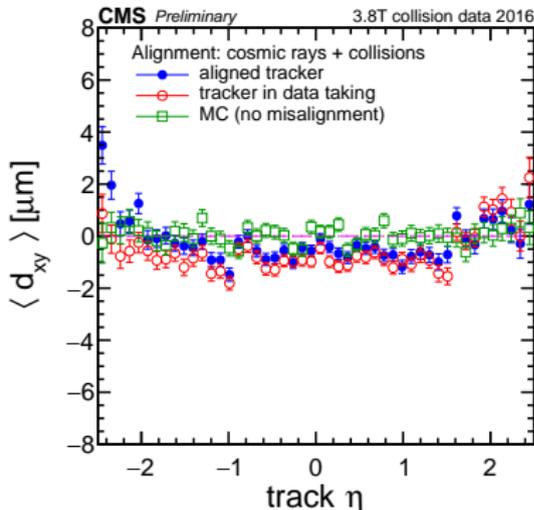
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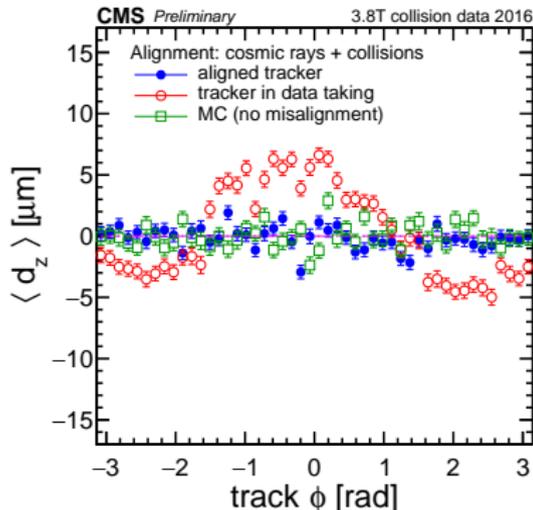
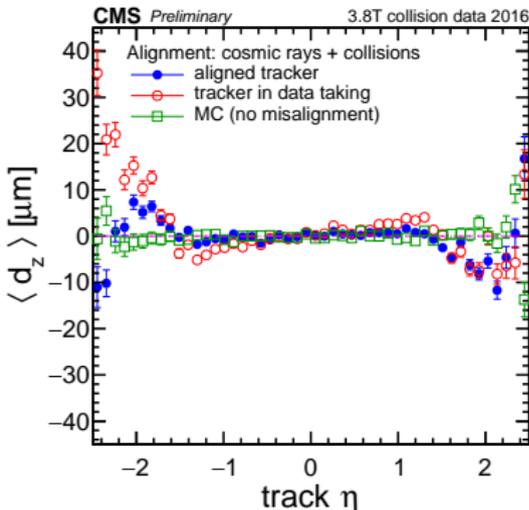
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Longitudinal impact parameter



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Idea

- Data-driven method to investigate distortions in the geometry.
- Distortions in the geometry may degrade the kinematics of the two outgoing muons coming from the decay of a Z boson.
- The reconstruction of the Z boson is thus investigated by measuring its mass as a function of the kinematics of the muons.

Selection of the muons

- $p_T > 20 \text{ GeV}/c$
- $|\eta| < 2.4$
- $80 < M_{\mu\mu} < 120 \text{ GeV}/c^2$

NB: muons are reconstructed with both the tracker and the muon system, but only the geometry of the tracker is updated in the next slides.



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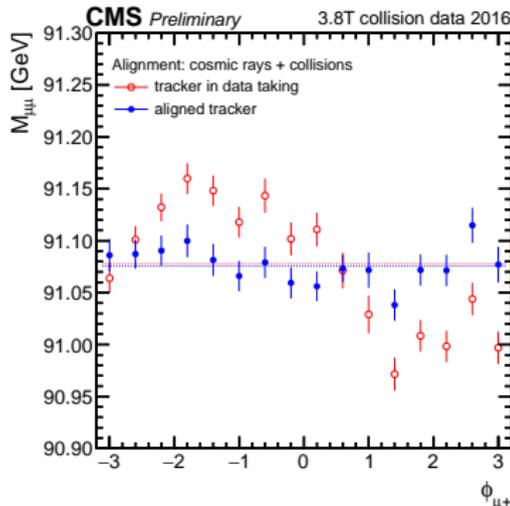
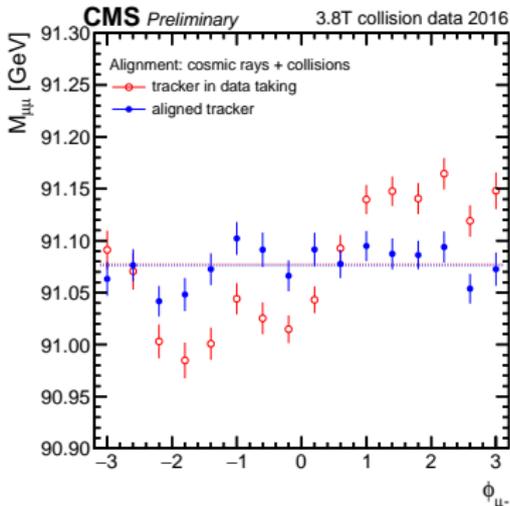
Procedure

- The Z -boson mass is reconstructed with a Voigtian function² with fixed decay width for the Breit-Wigner component.
- The background is reconstructed with a exponential function.
- The mass is then estimated from the mean of the Voigtian function as a function of different variables:
 - the azimuthal angles $\phi_{\mu\pm}$ of each of the muons,
 - the rapidity separation $\eta_{\mu+} - \eta_{\mu-}$,
 - the cosine of the angle of the boson $\cos\theta_{CS}$ in the Collins-Soper frame.

Fit of the mass

Ideally, the mass should not depend on any of these variable. In order to illustrate this, a horizontal line is fitted to the distribution of the reconstructed masses (dashed lines).

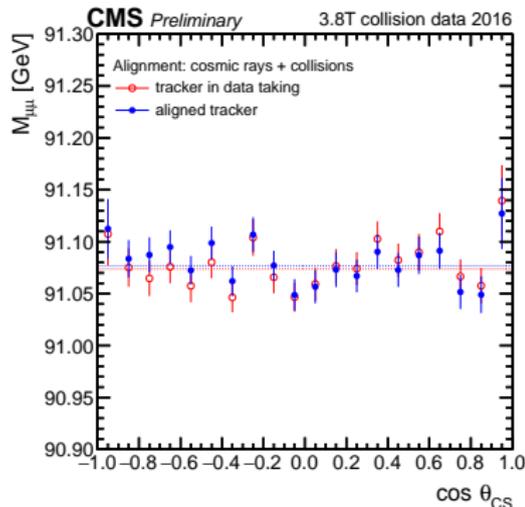
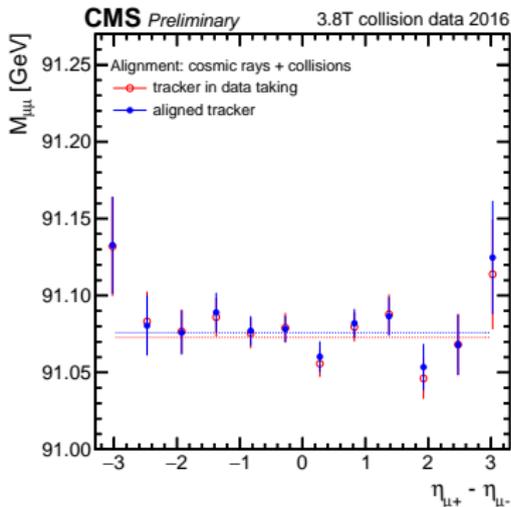


$Z \rightarrow \mu\mu$ validation

	χ^2/ndf	p -value
tracker in data taking	15.99	< 0.01
aligned tracker	1.39	0.14

	χ^2/ndf	p -value
tracker in data taking	15.76	< 0.01
aligned tracker	1.33	0.17



$Z \rightarrow \mu\mu$ validation

	χ^2/ndf	p -value
tracker in data taking	1.31	0.22
aligned tracker	0.80	0.61

	χ^2/ndf	p -value
tracker in data taking	1.43	< 0.09
aligned tracker	1.25	0.21



Prompt calibration

- High-level structures in the pixel detector can be promptly aligned during data-acquisition.
- Prompt calibration was applied from 16 August to 5 December 2016 ($\mathcal{L} = 16.4 \text{ fb}^{-1}$).

We show in the next slides the variations of the corrections to the position and orientation of the high-level structures over time:

- Calibration is triggered as soon as large movements are observed in any position (depending on the coordinate)

Alignment updates vertical dashed lines

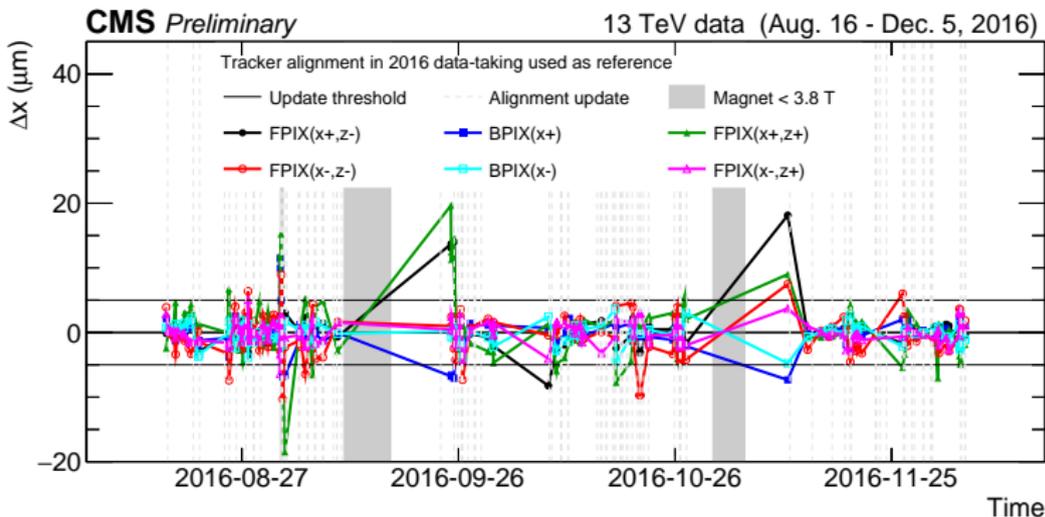
Update threshold horizontal continuous lines

- One can clearly correlate movements in the pixel with magnet cycles (grey bands)
 - $\Delta x \lesssim 50 \mu\text{m}$
 - $\Delta y \lesssim 50 \mu\text{m}$
 - $\Delta z \lesssim 150 \mu\text{m}$

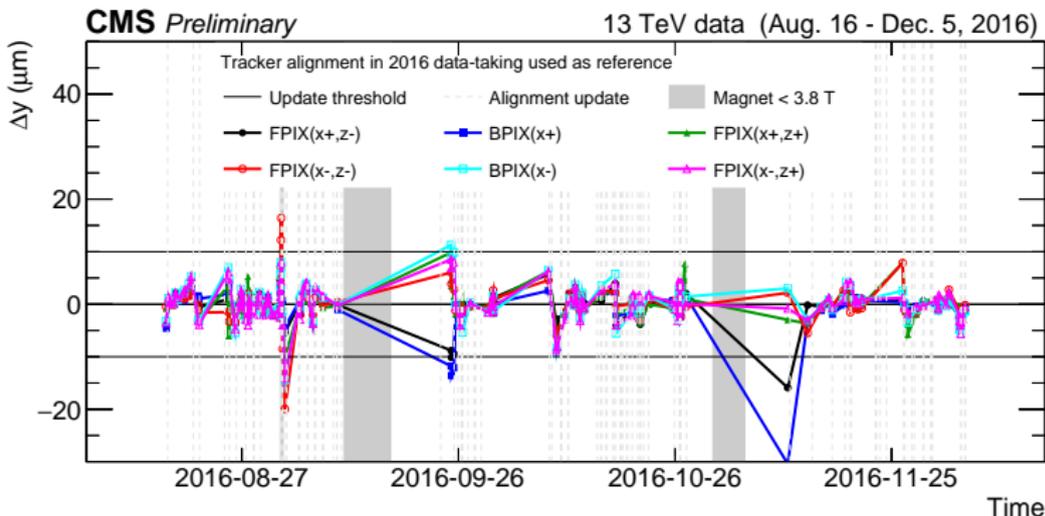
NB: At least 20k minimum-bias events must be used to perform the prompt calibration.



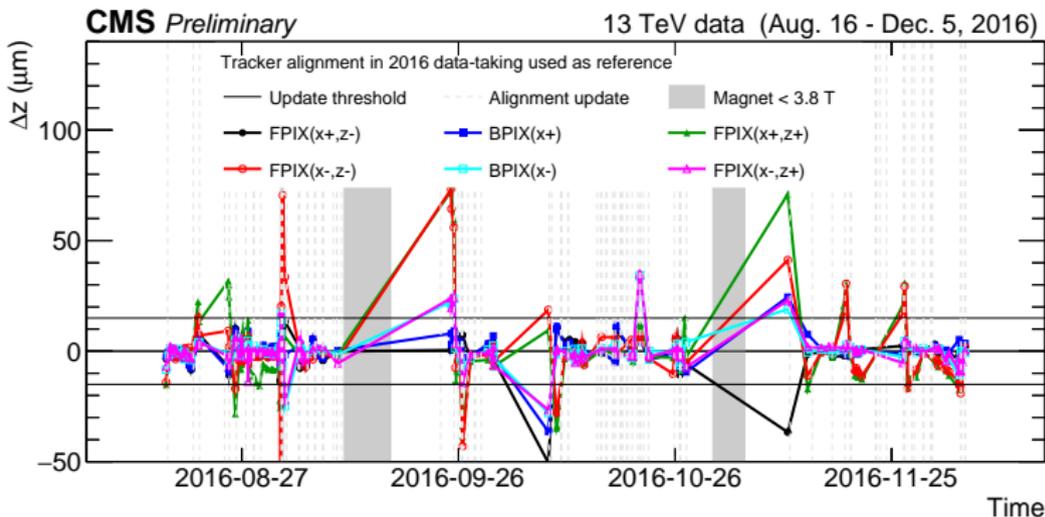
Corrections to the position in global x direction



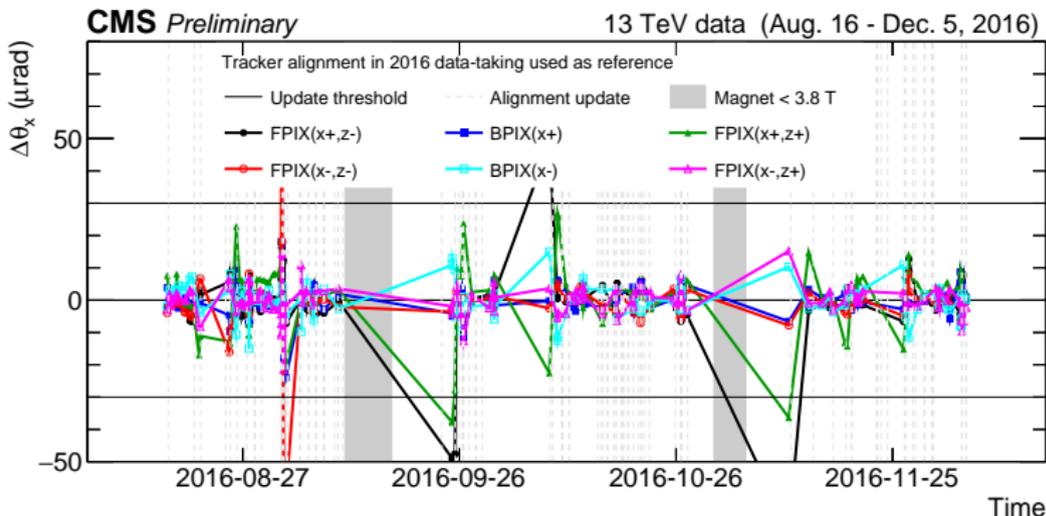
Corrections to the position in global y direction



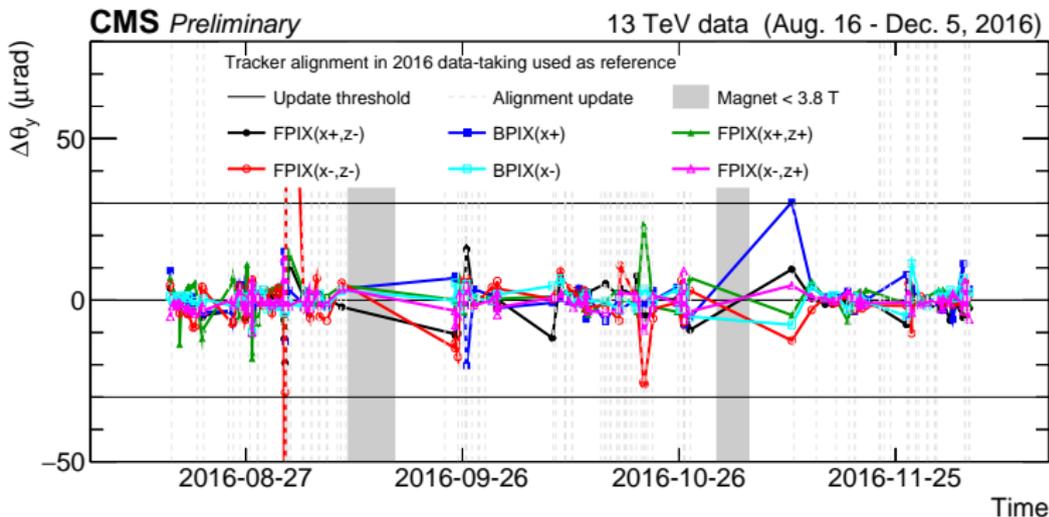
Corrections to the position in global z direction



Corrections to the orientation in global x direction



Corrections to the orientation in global y direction



Corrections to the orientation in global z direction

