



NEW DEVELOPMENTS IN CLOSE RANGE  
PHOTOGRAMMETRY APPLIED TO LARGE  
PHYSIKS DETECTORS

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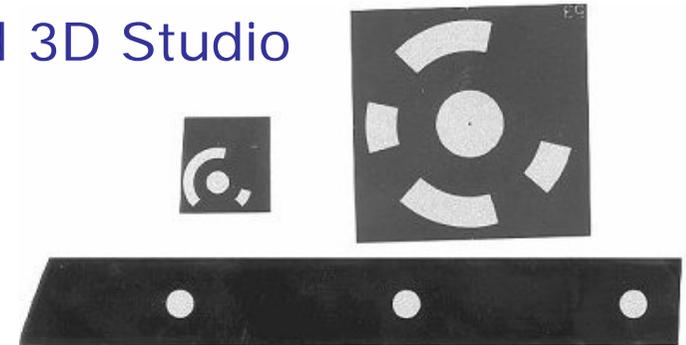
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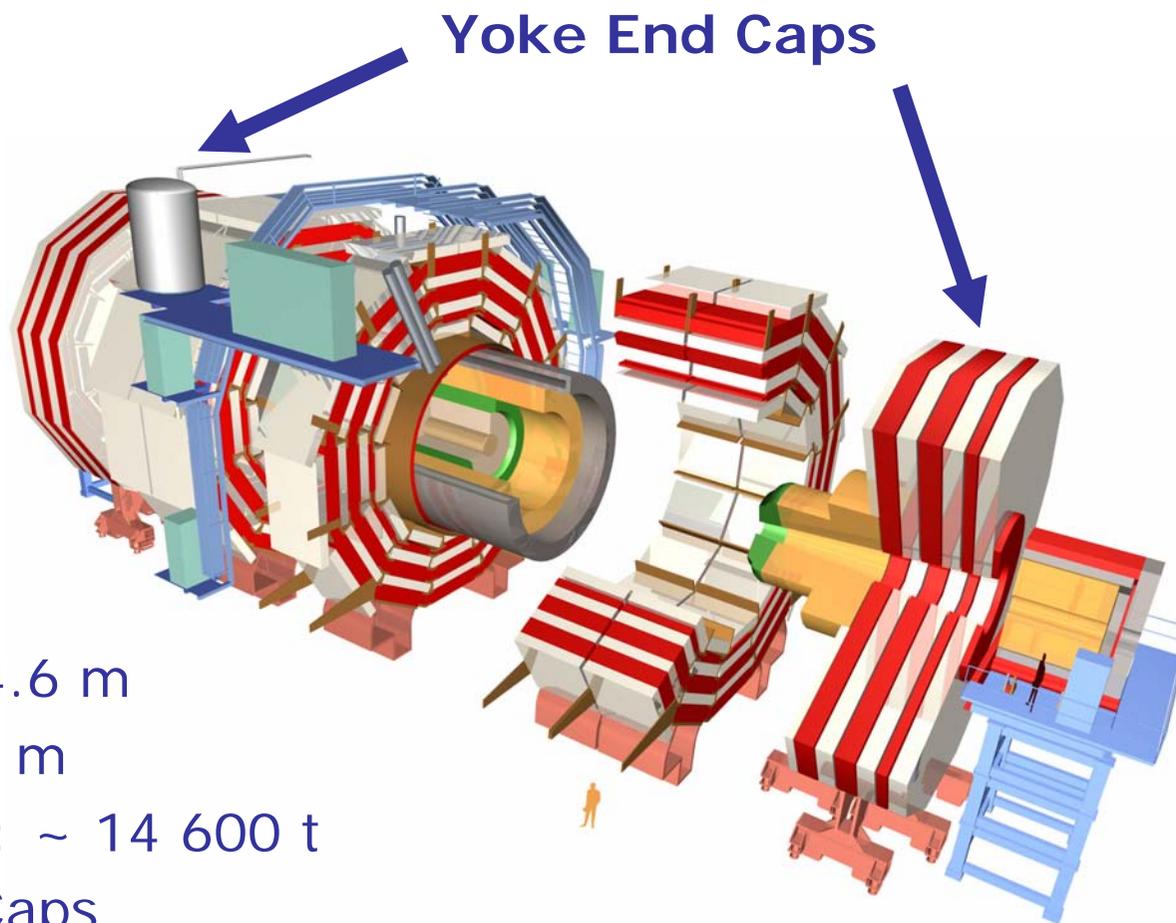
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- ◆ Photogrammetric system
- ◆ Project: CMS Yoke End Cap
- ◆ Movement of principle point
- ◆ Extended calibration model
- ◆ Conclusions

- ◆ DCS460 and DCS660 cameras
- ◆ AICON software packages DPA-Win and 3D Studio
- ◆ Retro-reflective targets
- ◆ Carbon fibre scale bars





- ◆ Diameter: 14.6 m
- ◆ Length: 21.6 m
- ◆ Total Weight: ~ 14 600 t
- ◆ 6 Yoke End Caps

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→ 12 photogrammetric validations in Japan after preassembly

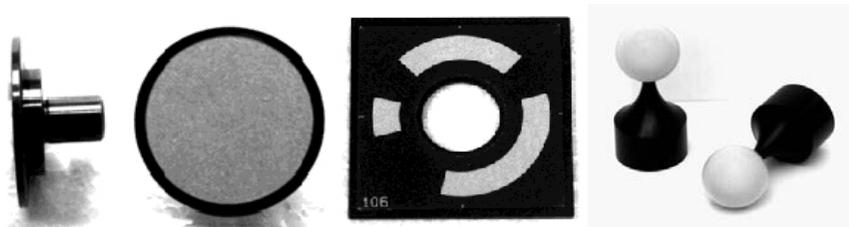
◆ Image acquisition: Japan, Evaluation: CERN

◆ Diameter: 14 m

◆ Thickness: 0.6 m or 0.25 m



- ◆ 108 Reference holes equipped
- ◆ Spherical targets for connection
- ◆ 24 Distance observations
  - ◆ 12 Carbon fibre scale bars, length 1.4 m
  - ◆ 12 Tape measurements, length 5 m - 14 m
- ◆ 90 Images
- ◆ ~ 3 hours





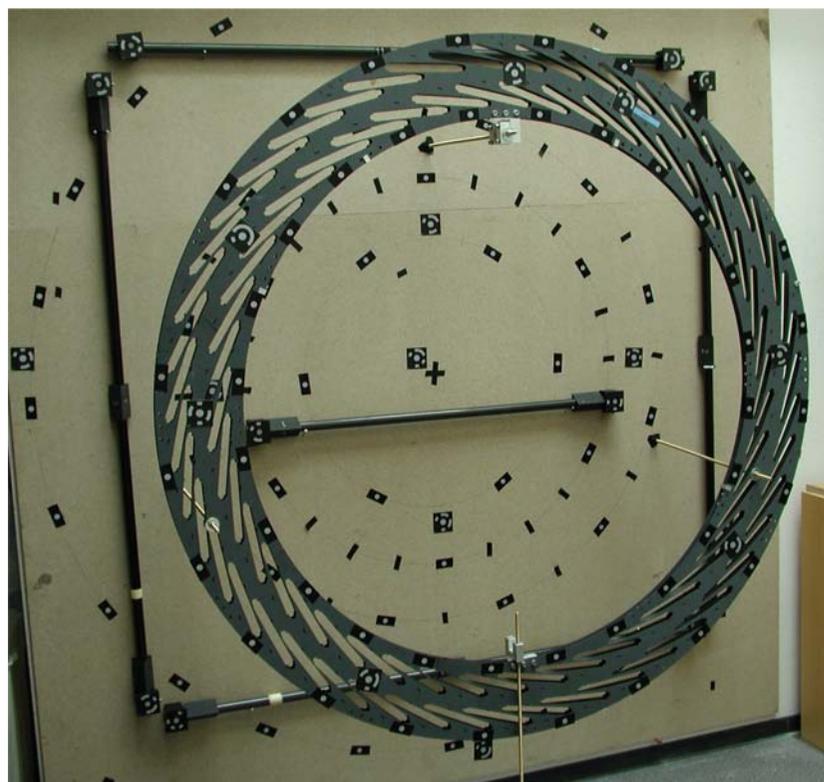
## **Problem: Decreasing quality with conventional calibration model**

## **Possible reason: Instability of interior orientation**

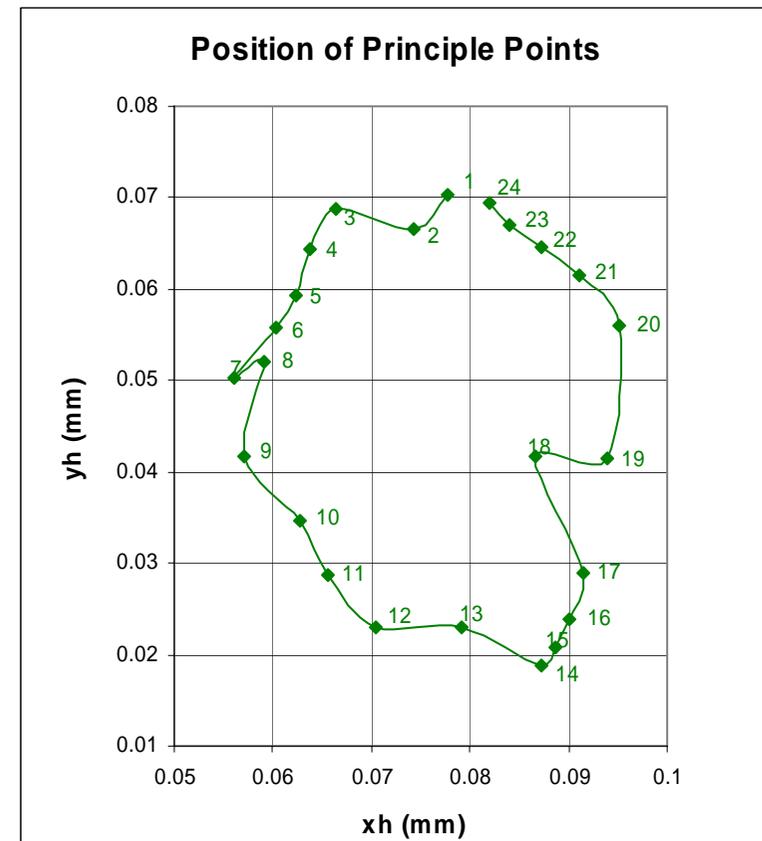
- ◆ Mechanical influences by the user
  - ◆ Hand-held shots
  - ◆ Scaffolding, lifting device
- ◆ Effects of gravity
- ◆ Heating of the camera

## Test: Evaluation of movements of the principle point

- ◆ Circular object
- ◆ Diameter: 2 m
- ◆ Depth: 0.5 m
  
- ◆ Camera in front of wheel
- ◆ Rotated by 15 degrees around optical axis
- ➔ 24 Images



- ◆ Principle point not stable
- ◆ Movement elliptical
- ◆ Amplitude
  - ◆ 40  $\mu\text{m}$  in x-direction
  - ◆ 50  $\mu\text{m}$  in y-direction
- ➔ Effects of gravity
  - ◆ Deformation camera body
  - ◆ Movement of CCD sensor





Possible solution: calculate principle distance /  
principle point for each image

BUT for real objects:

- ◆ Lack of depth
  - ◆ Unfavourable distribution of points
  - ◆ Insufficient number of points
- Weak equation system

**→ Improved mathematical model for  
camera calibration required**



- ◆ **Conventional calibration model extended by  
Institute of Applied Photogrammetry,  
University of Oldenburg (Germany)**
- ◆ **AICON 3D Systems GmbH, Braunschweig (Germany)**
- ◆ **CERN**



## Image-variant interior orientation

- ◆ Parameters introduced as observed unknowns
- ◆ A priori accuracy defined by user
  - No weak equation system
  - Smearing effects caused by correlations minimized

## Radial-symmetric distortion $A_1, A_2, A_3$



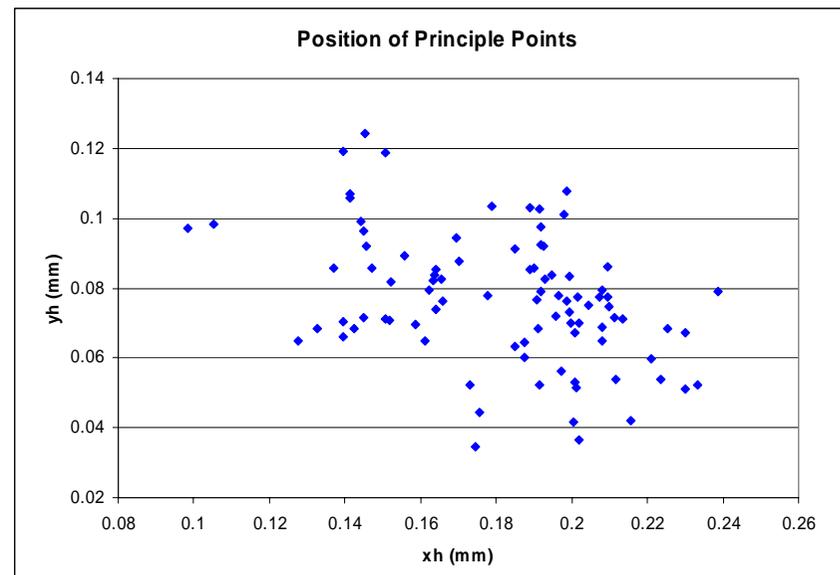
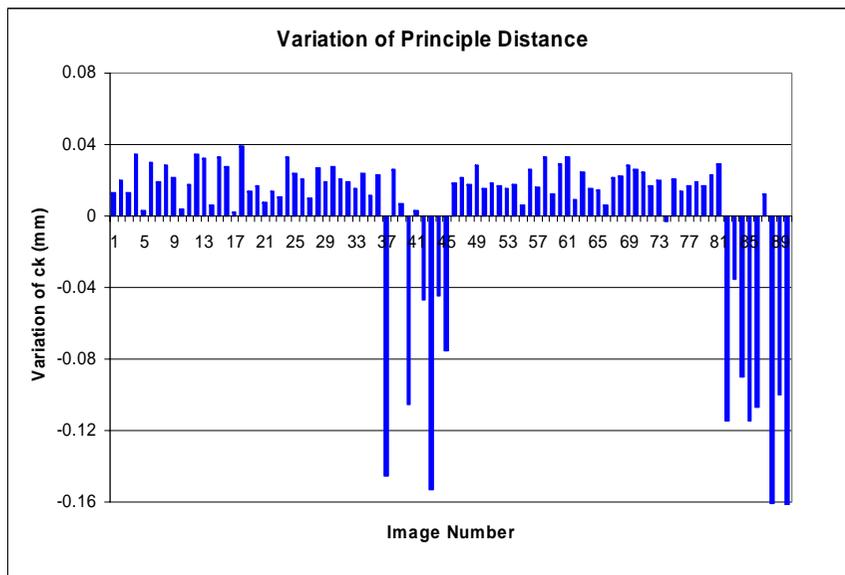
## Finite elements correction grid

- ◆ Correction of
  - ◆ Tangential-asymmetric distortion
  - ◆ Affinity and shearing
  - ◆ Sensor unflatness
  
- ◆ Raster-wise correction grid
- ◆ Correction as plane vector for each grid point
  
- ◆ Curvature constraints as pseudo observations
- ◆ A priori accuracy defined by user
  - ➔ No weak equation system

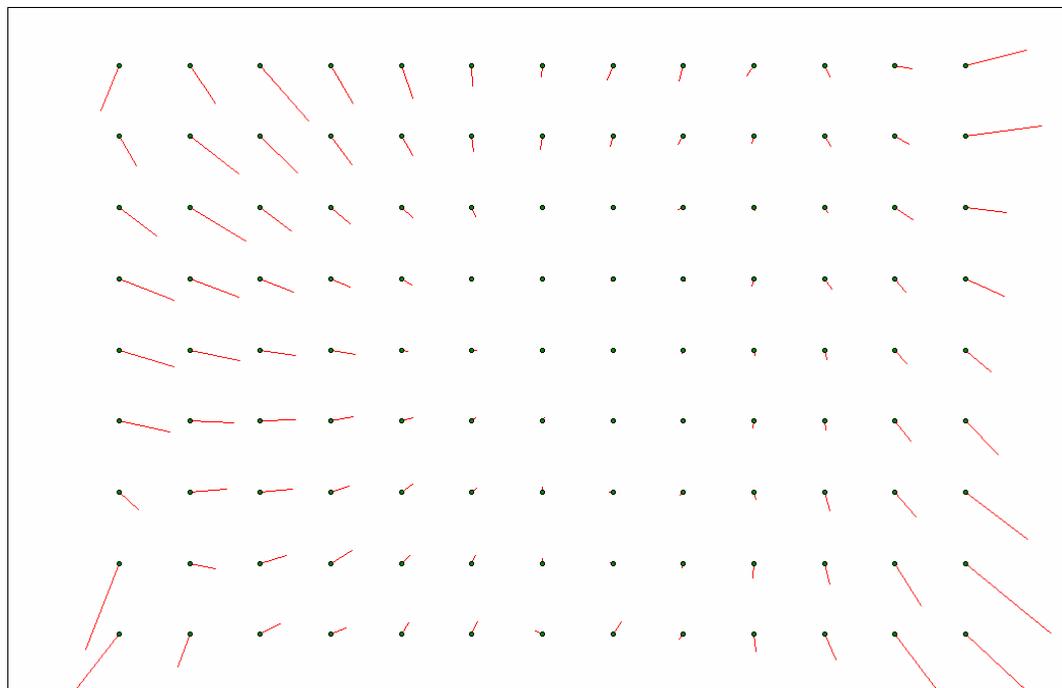
- ◆ Enhancement of relative precision ~ 30 %

Calibration model	Conventional	Extended
<b>RMS<sub>XYZ</sub> (mm)</b>	0.18	0.12
<b>Relative precision by interior accuracy</b>	1 : 80 000	1 : 110 000
<b>Sigma 0 a posteriori</b>	0.8	0.5

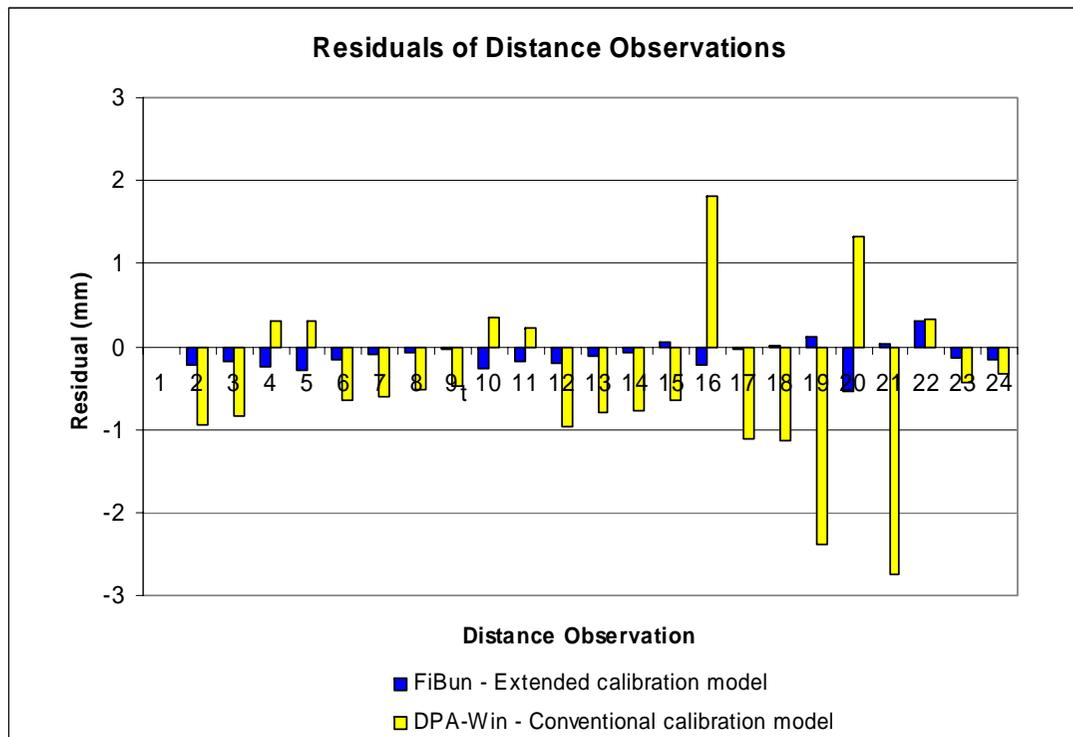
- ◆ A priori accuracy interior orientation: 15  $\mu\text{m}$
- ◆ Variation of principle distance: 200  $\mu\text{m}$
- ◆ Variation of principle point: 140  $\mu\text{m}$  in x-direction  
90  $\mu\text{m}$  in y-direction



- ◆ Raster-width of 2.35mm → 13:9
- ◆ A priori accuracy curvature constraints: 1  $\mu\text{m}$
- ◆ Maximum length of correction vector: 8  $\mu\text{m}$
- ◆ Tangential-asymmetric distortion



- ◆ 1 Long distance information for scale definition
- ◆ Remaining distance observation as external control
  - ➔ 12 Carbon fibre scale bars ( $< 0.02 \text{ mm}, 1 \sigma$ )
  - ➔ 12 Long distance information ( $0.3 \text{ mm}, 1 \sigma$ )



	DPA-Win	FiBun
<b>Range</b>	<b>4.56 mm</b>	<b>0.85 mm</b>
<b>Stdev</b>	<b>0.99 mm</b>	<b>0.17 mm</b>



## Project CMS Yoke End Cap, Japan

Extended calibration model

- Interior and exterior accuracy enhanced
- Possible careless handling by untrained operator

## Evaluation for different projects

Camera careful handled by photogrammetric experts

Extended calibration model

- No clear conclusion possible
- Further investigation how results improve significantly

# Thank you for your attention!

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Photogrammetry  
applied to Large  
Physics Detectors**

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