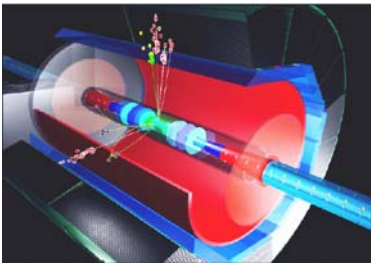


The scintillator HCAL testbeam prototype

Felix Sefkow
DESY
CALICE collaboration

LCWS 05 at Stanford
March 18-22, 2005

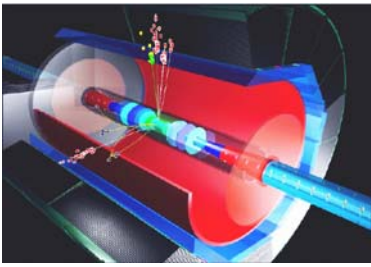


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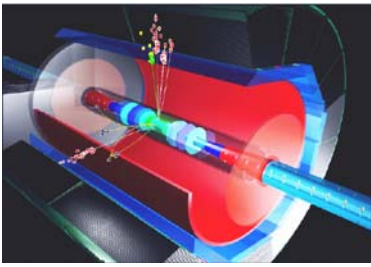
Mikhail Danilov (ITEP, Moscow)

who had to cancel his contribution to this conference
due to delays in visa procedures



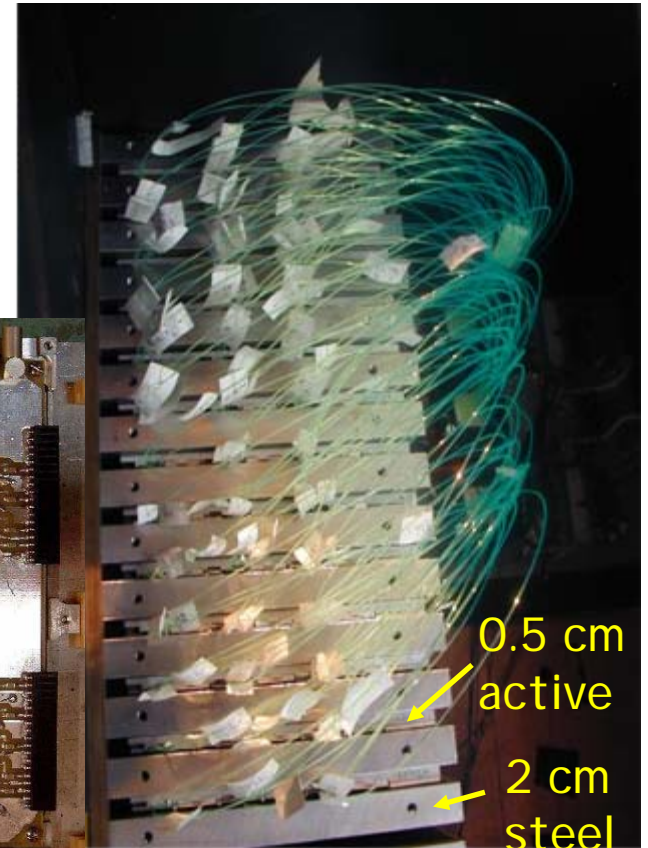
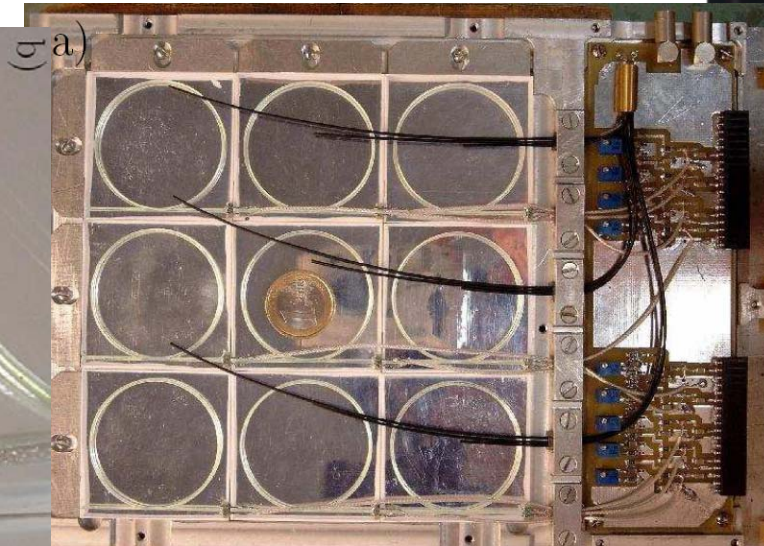
Outline

- The “Minical” experience, final results
- The testbeam prototype, goals and design considerations
- Readout electronics, SiPMs and scintillators, mechanics
- More talks by J.Blazey, E.Garutti, G.Martin, J.Cvach and R.Poeschl

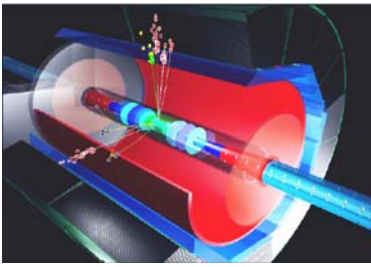


The “minical” pre-prototype

- DESY 6 GeV e beam 2003-2004
- 108 scintillator tiles (5x5cm)
- Readout with Silicon PMs on tile, APDs or PMTs via fibres

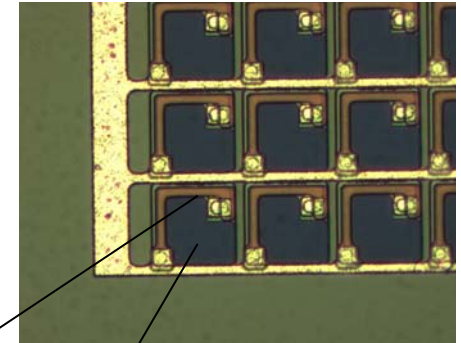


DES Y, Hamburg U, I TEP, LPI, MEPHI, Prague

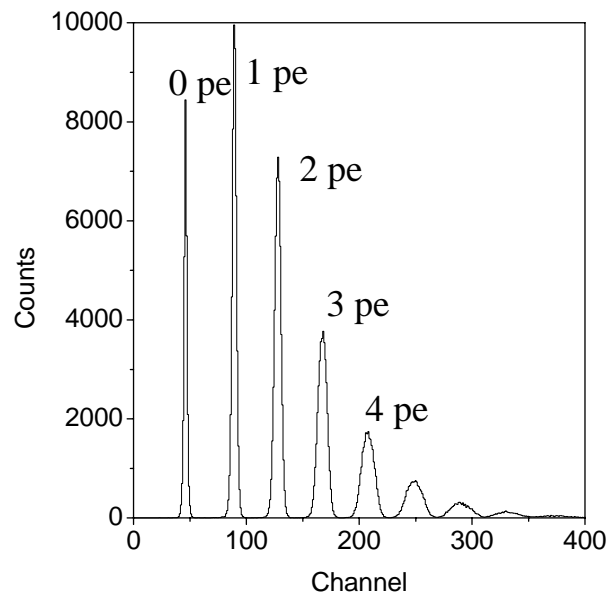


The Silicon Photomultiplier

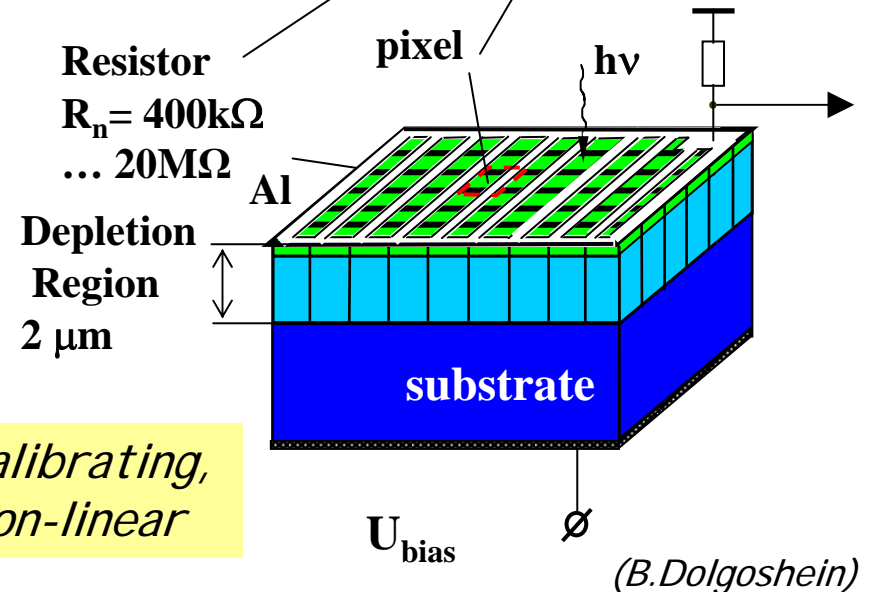
- A pixilated solid state Geiger counter
 - 1000 pixels on 1mm²
 - Gain $\sim 10^6$, efficiency 10...15%
 - At 60 V typ. bias voltage

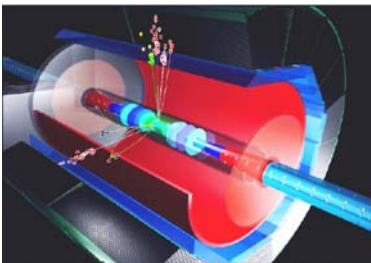


*MEPHI
with Russian industry*



*Auto-calibrating,
but non-linear*

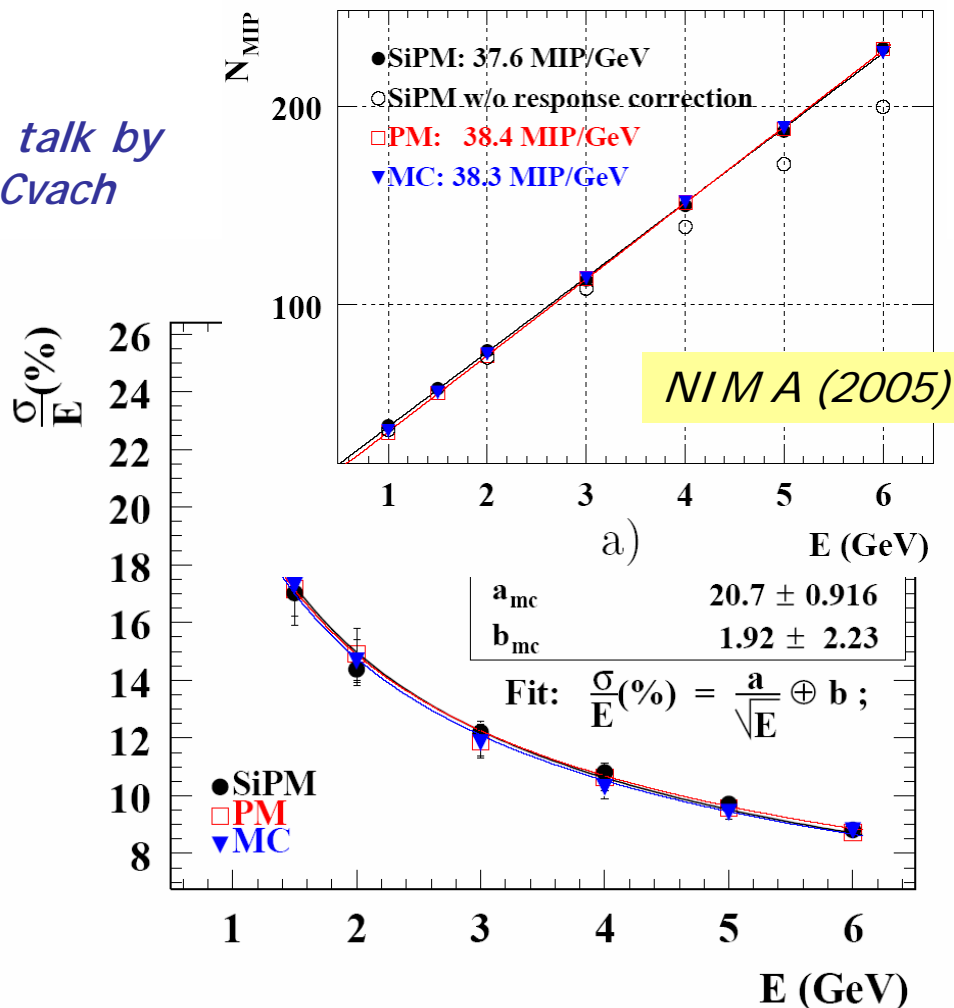


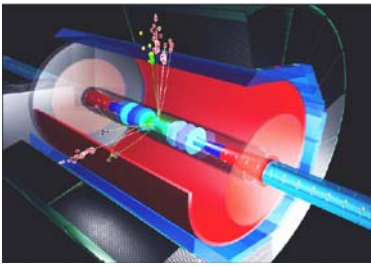


Testbeam results

- Resolution as good as with PM or APD*
- Non-linearity can be corrected (at tile level)
 - Does not deteriorate resolution
 - Need to observe single photon signals for calibration
- Well understood in MC
- Stability not yet challenged

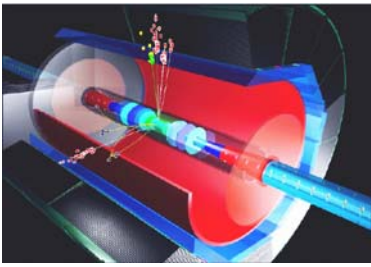
**see talk by J. Cvach*





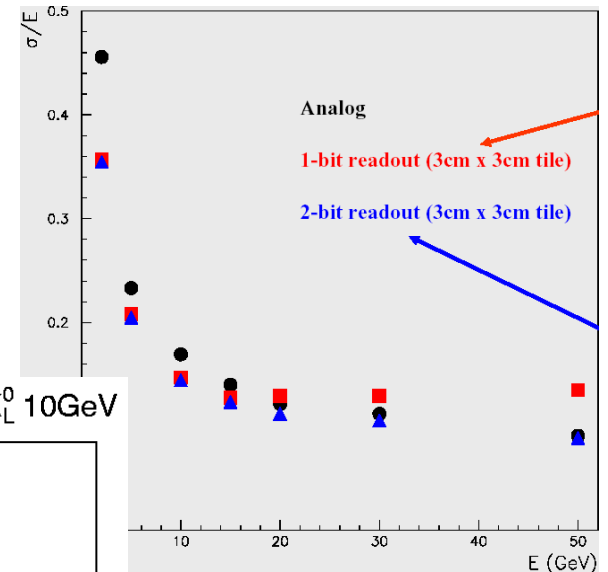
Minical conclusions

- The SiPM has been established as photo-sensor for calorimetric applications
- It opens up new possibilities for highly granular scintillator-based calorimeters



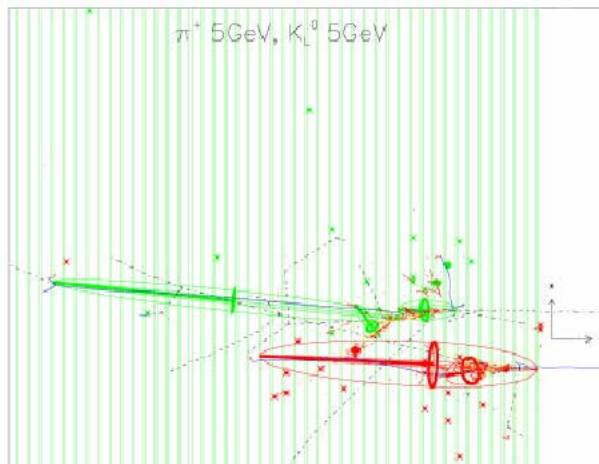
1m³ Hadron beam prototype

- Test the analog and semi-digital scintillator based HCAL concept
- High granularity core with 3cm tiles
- 8000 channels in total



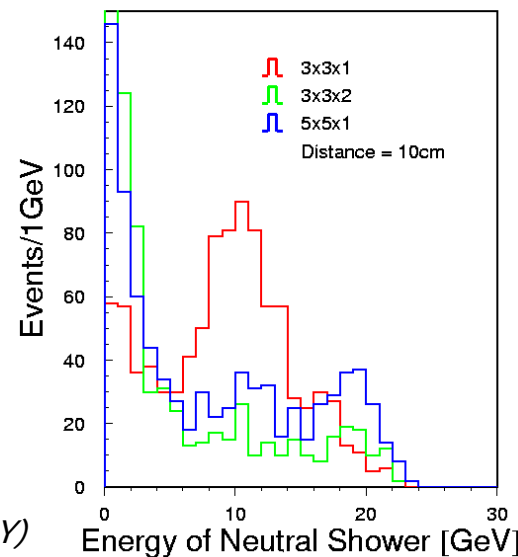
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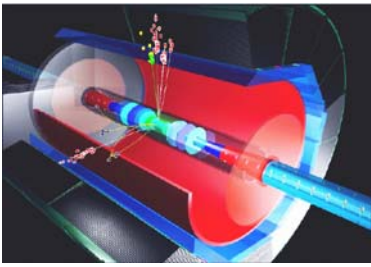
Reading every layer essential



A.Raspereza (DESY)

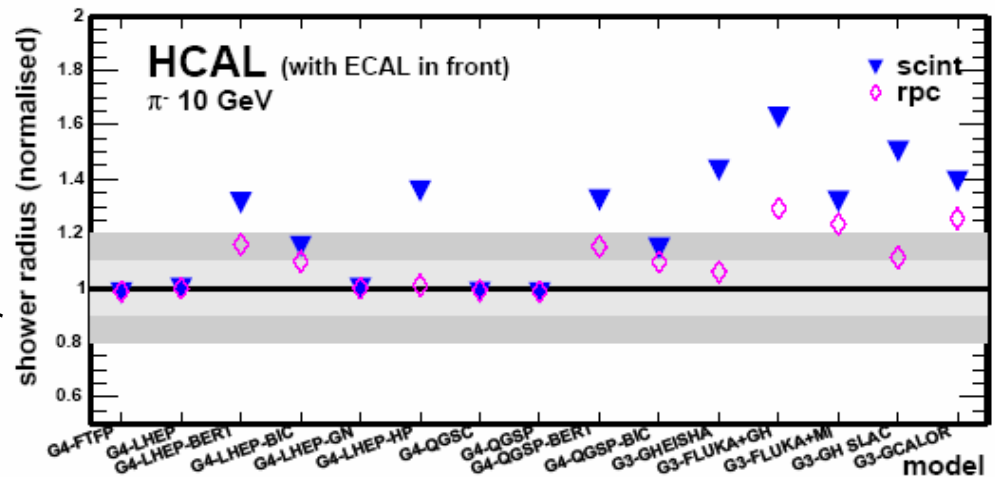
Two showers : π^+ 10GeV, K_L^0 10GeV



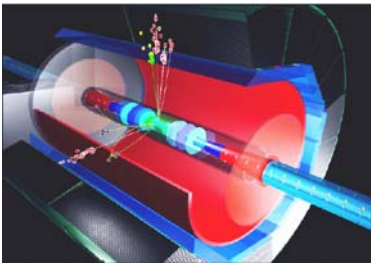


HCAL testbeam goals

- **Technology:** Gain large scale, long-term experience with a SiPM readout detector
 - Identify critical operational aspects to optimize photo-detector, electronics and calibration system
- **Physics:** Collect data samples ($\sim 10^8$ evts) to
 - Explore hadron showers with unprecedented granularity
 - Validate hadronic shower models
 - Develop particle flow algorithms



G.Mavromanolakis

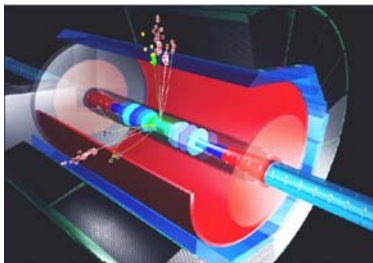


Prototype design challenges

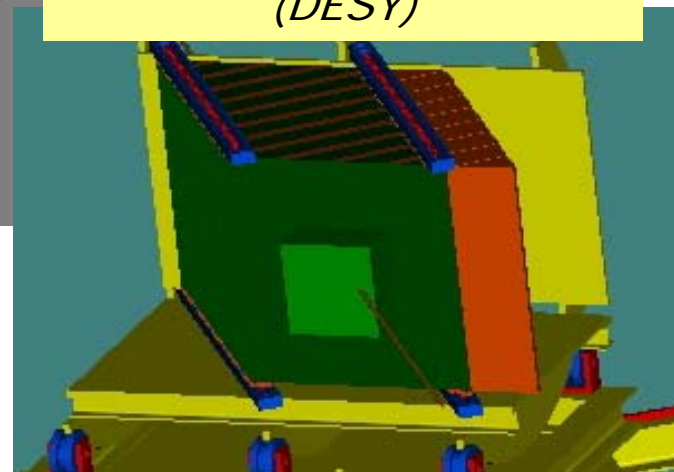
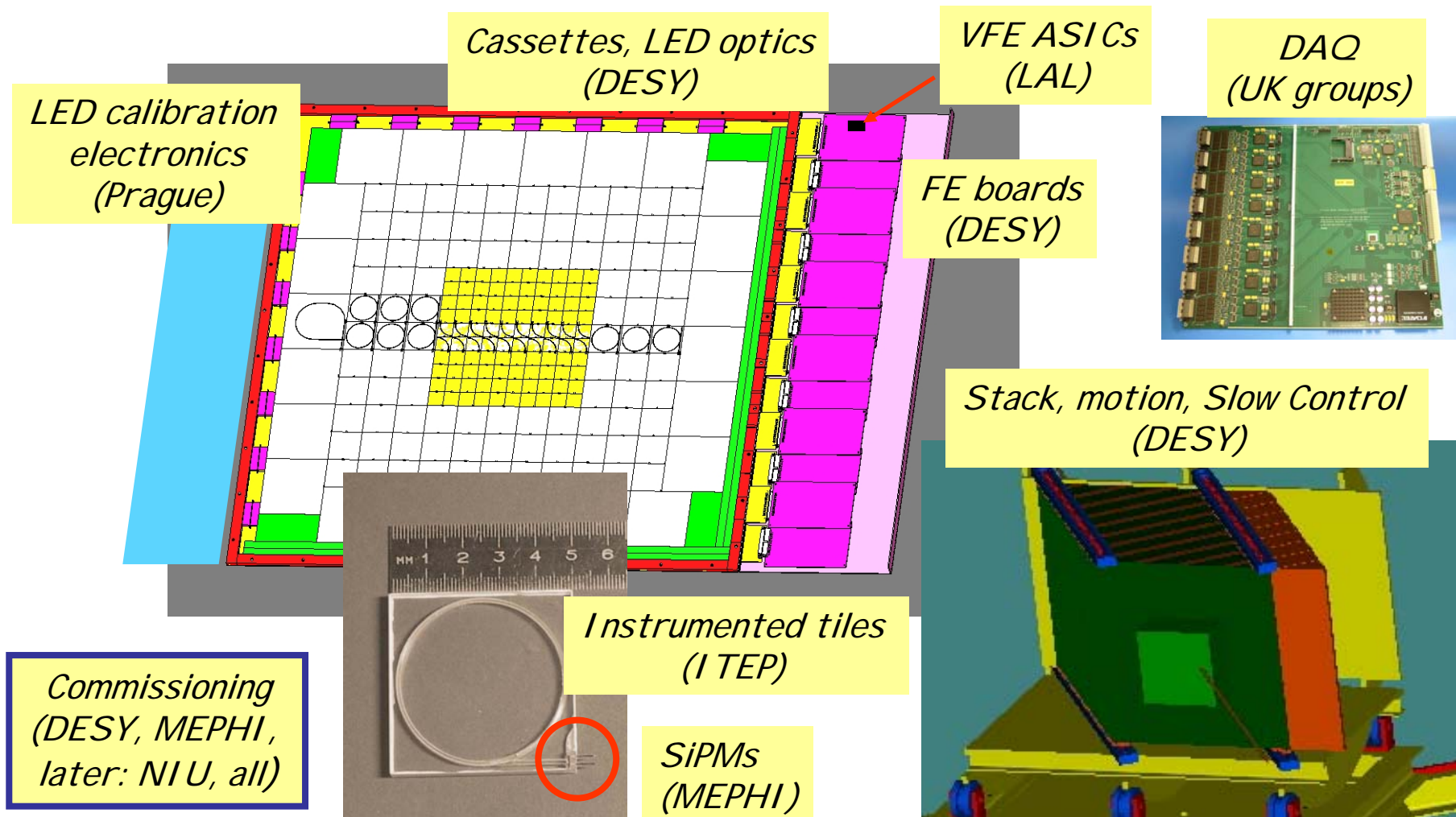
- Design based on minimal experience (SiPM, scintillator, cable) – but...
- Industrialize SiPM and tile production – scale by two orders of magnitude
- 8k channel bias supply and readout electronics for beam test with ECAL
- Versatile calibration & monitoring system
- Modular mechanical design

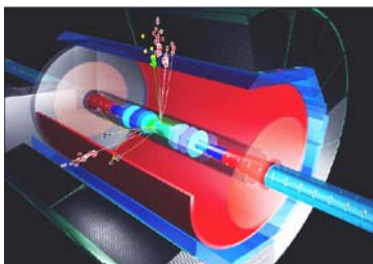
***NOT** a prototype
for an ILC detector*





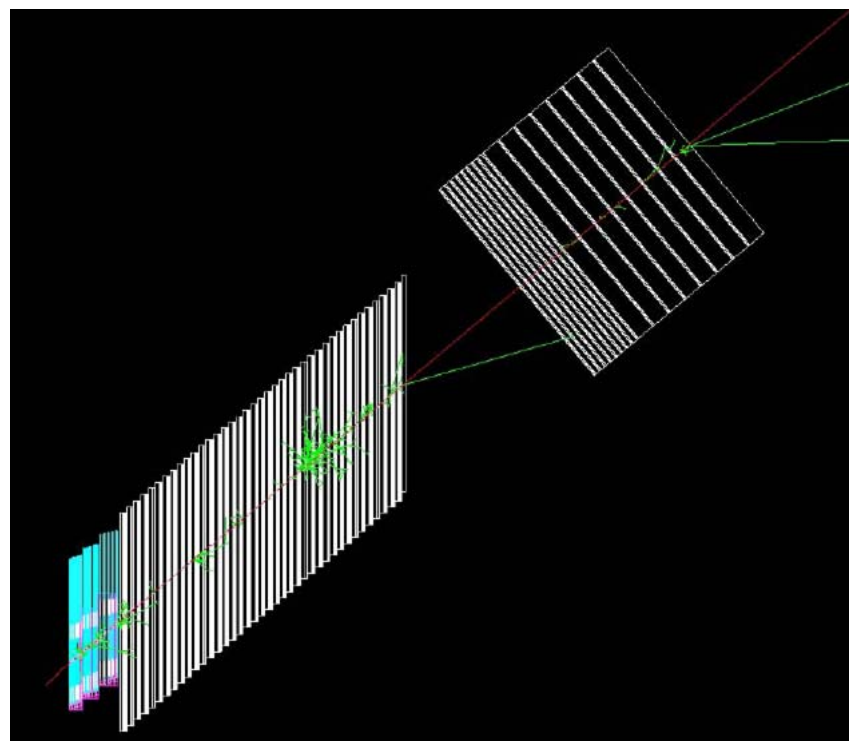
Collaborative effort

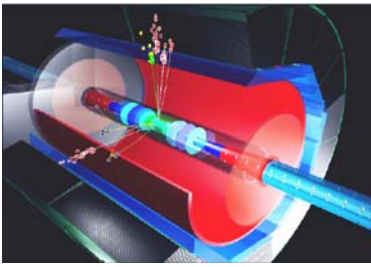




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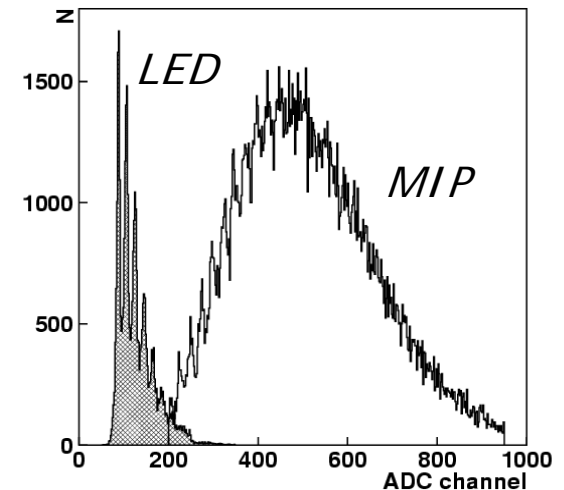
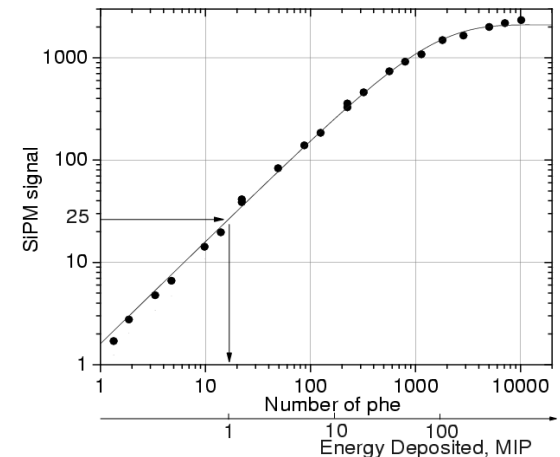
- No time to cover the software side
- Using the (inter-regional) LCI O data model
 - For physics studies and simulations
 - Also for calibration and conditions data
 - See R.Poeschl's talk

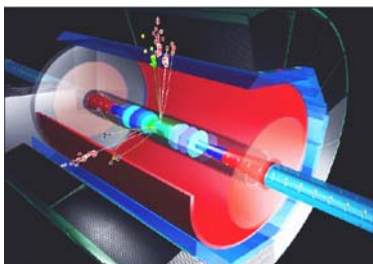




Calibrating & monitoring SiPMs

- Challenge: control a non-linear detector
- Energy scale is set by MIP response
- Non-linearity correction requires observation of single photo-electron signals
 - By-product: directly observe SiPM gain
- Temperature sensitivity (at $g=10^{*6}$)
 - Gain 1.7 % / K, total signal 4.5% / K
- Redundant calibration and monitoring system
- See talk by E.Garutti

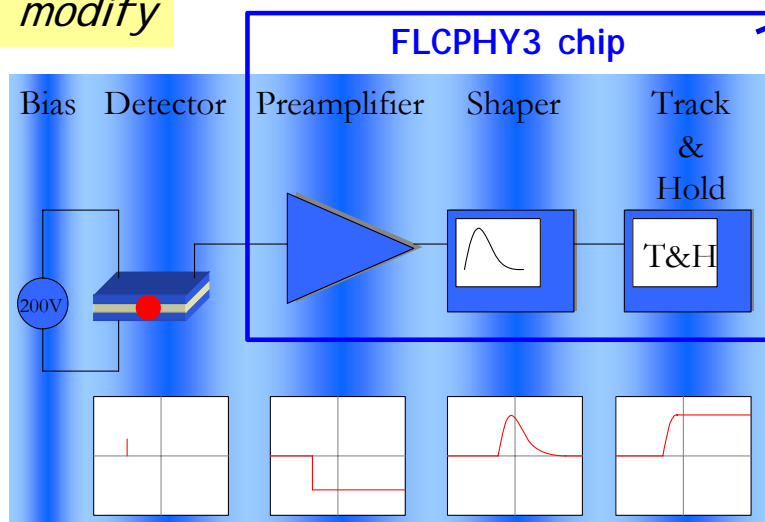




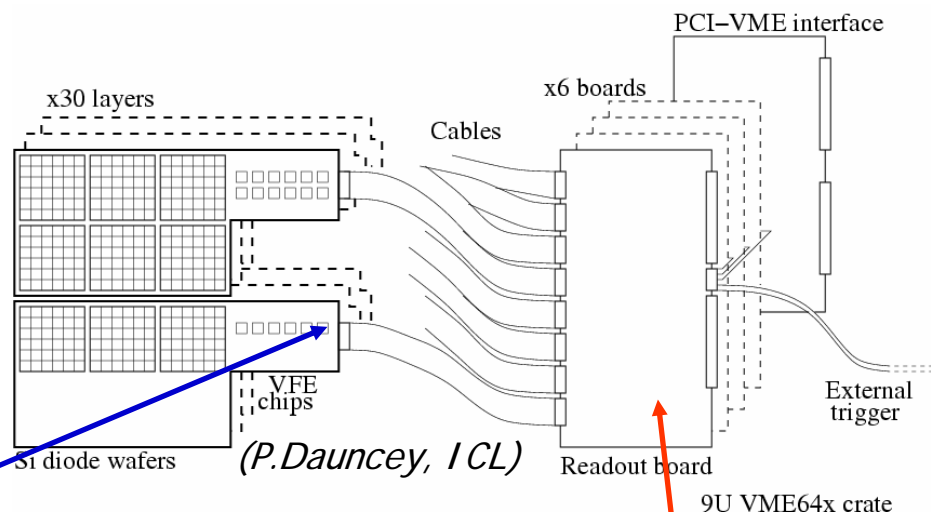
ECAL based electronics concept

- Similar number of analogue channels
- To eventually meet same rate and latency requirements

modify



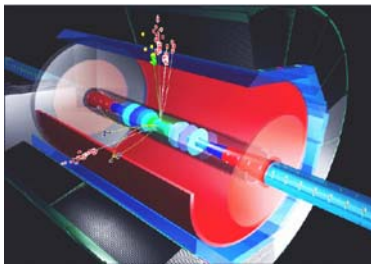
Ch. De la Taille, LAL



5 more

CERC (CALICE ECAL r/o card)

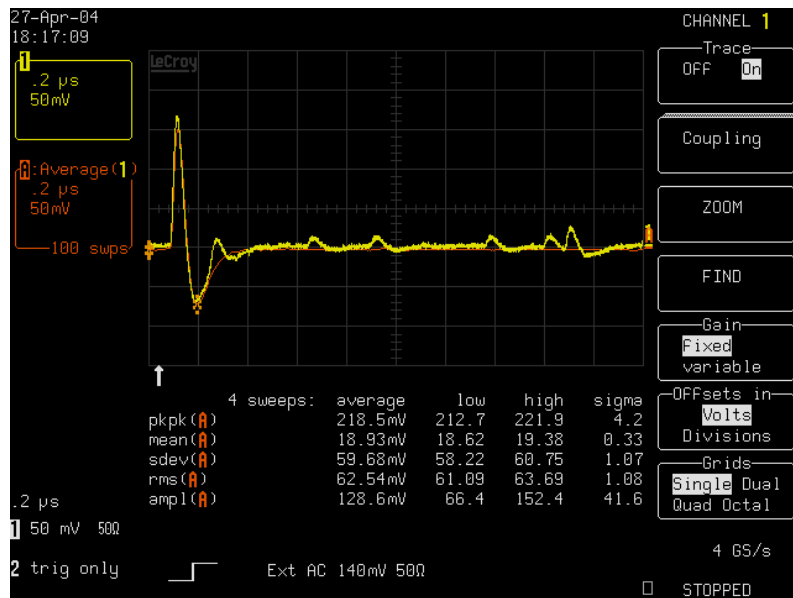
- 8x12 ADCs (16 bit)
- 8 MB memory (2k events)
- DAQ rate 1 kHz peak, 100Hz average
- 180 ns trigger latency



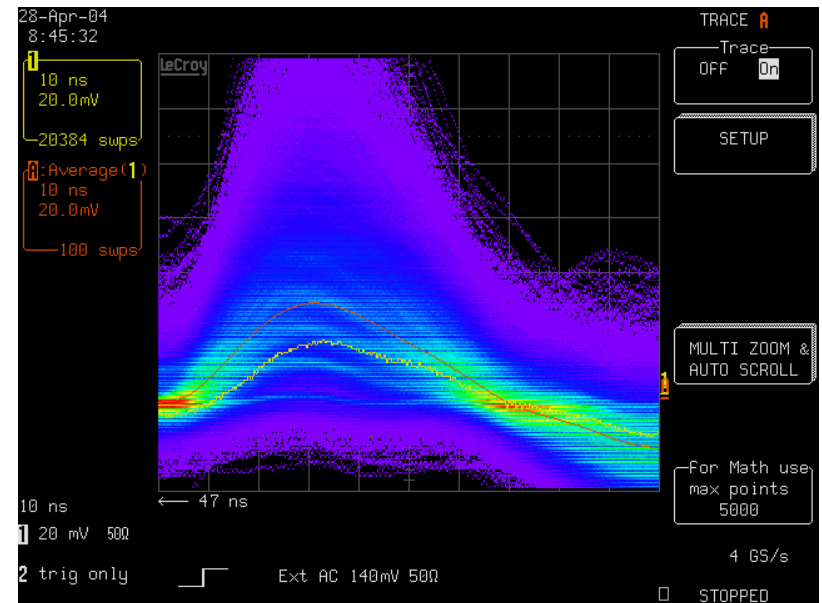
Slow and fast shaping

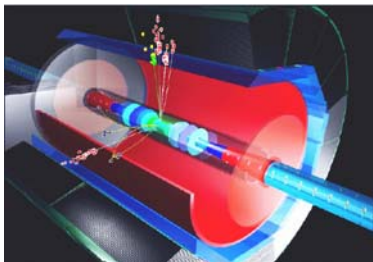
- With (slow) 180 ns shaping and single pixel noise rate of 2 MHz observation of single photon peaks hampered by pile-up
- Add fast shaping for calibration (no trigger latency required)

tests with SiPM minical cassette at LAL (during LCWS 04)

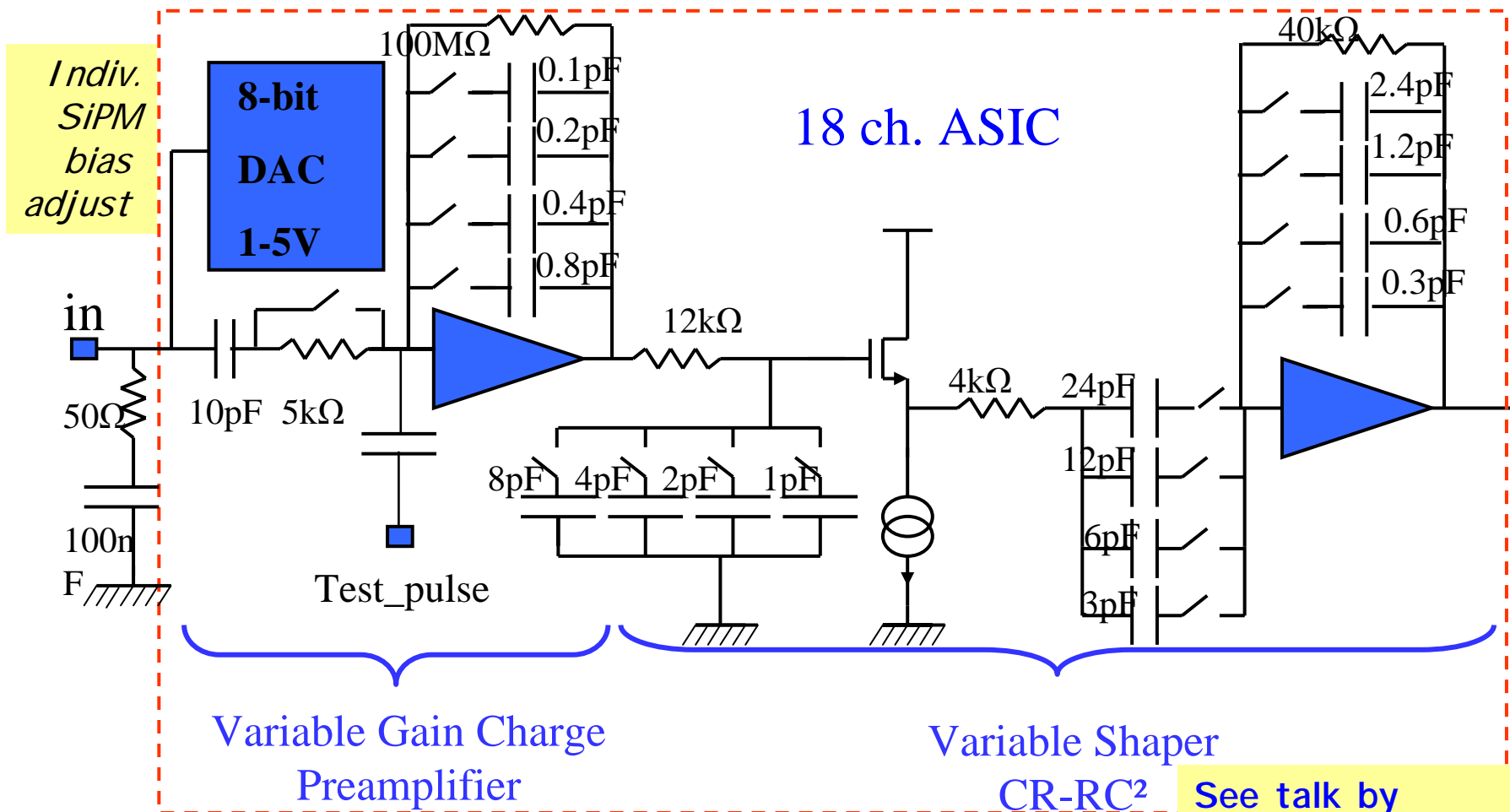


26ns peaking time

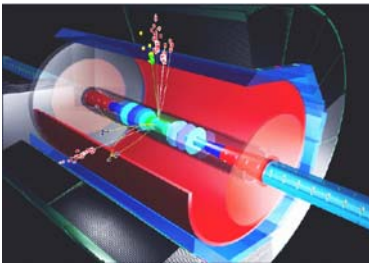




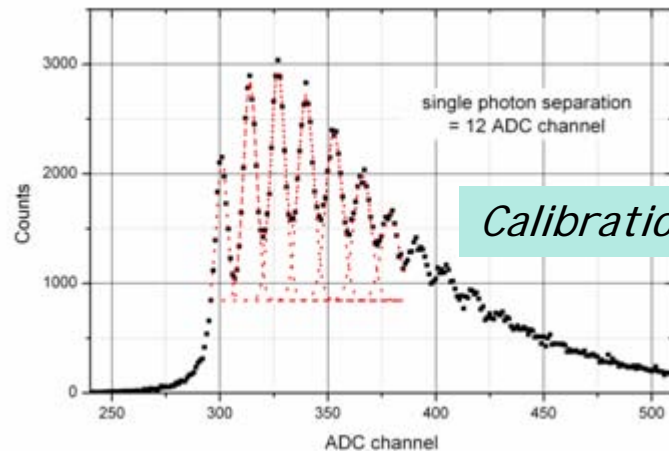
Front end chip I LC_SiPM



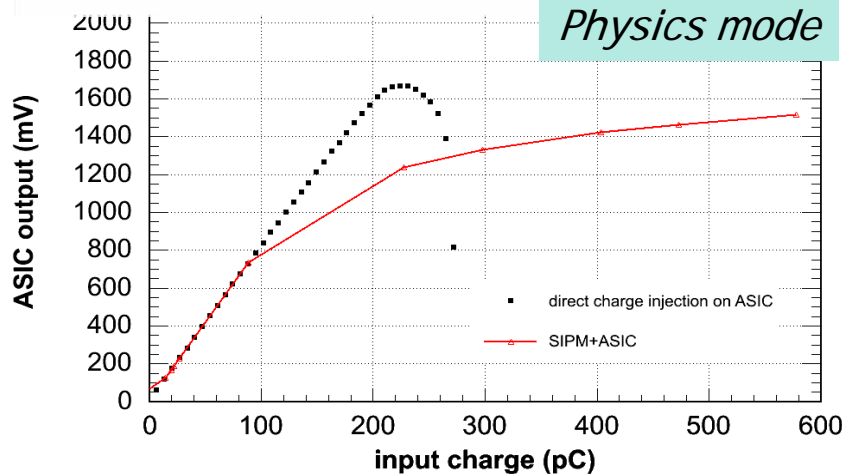
From L. Raux (LAL)



ASIC commissioning with SiPM

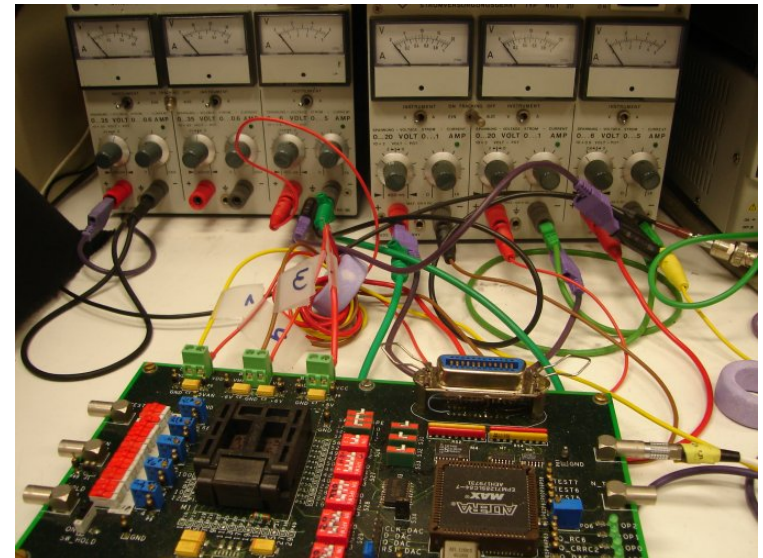


Calibration mode

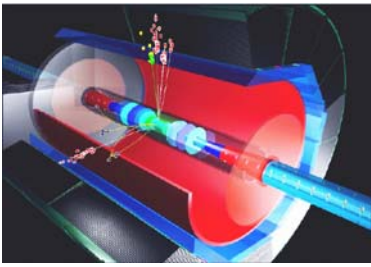


Input light (MIP units) → ~200

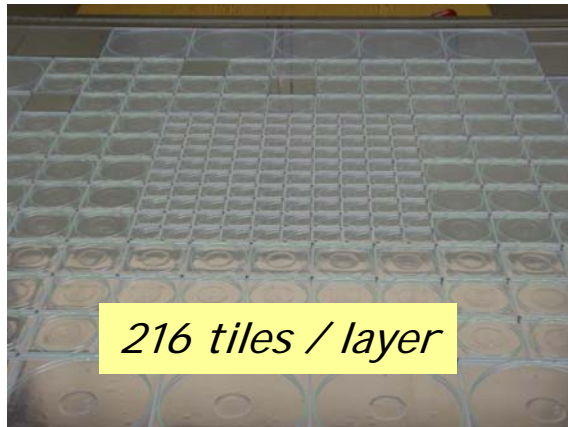
- Optimize readout chain
- Thanks to LAL: proliferation of test boards (and know-how)



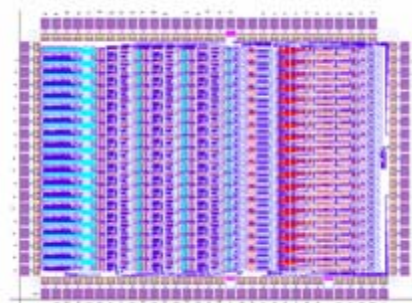
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HCAL readout architecture



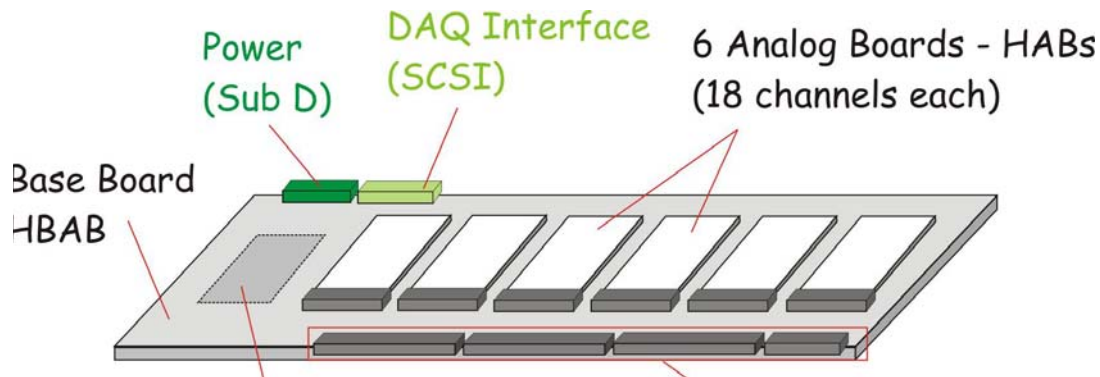
216 tiles / layer



18 analog channels / chip

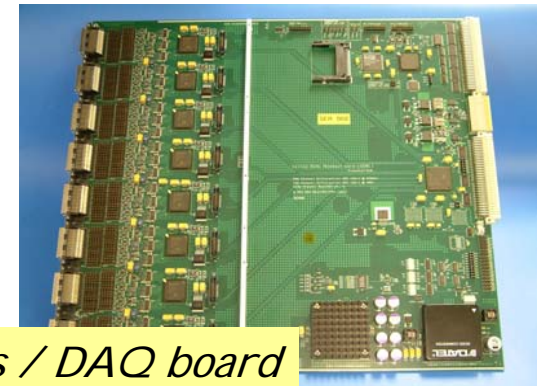


*ILC_SiPM
chip*

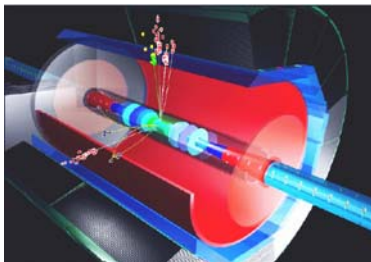


2 base boards (12 piggy backs) / layer

*CRC
CALICE Readout Card*



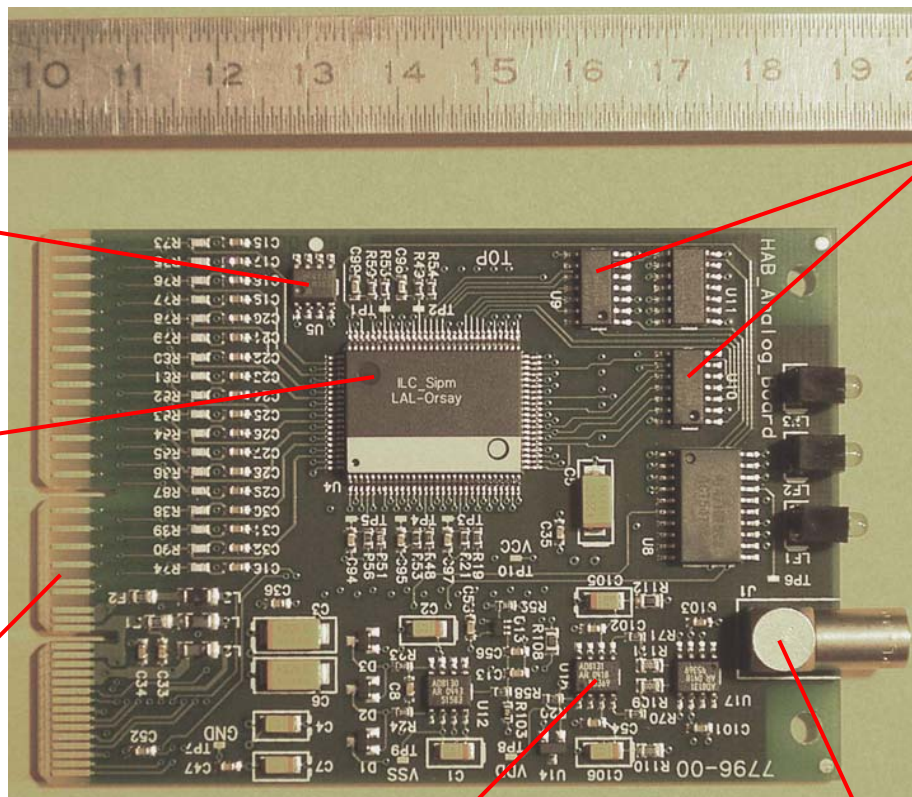
8 layers / DAQ board



HAB ("piggy back")

Temperature Monitor

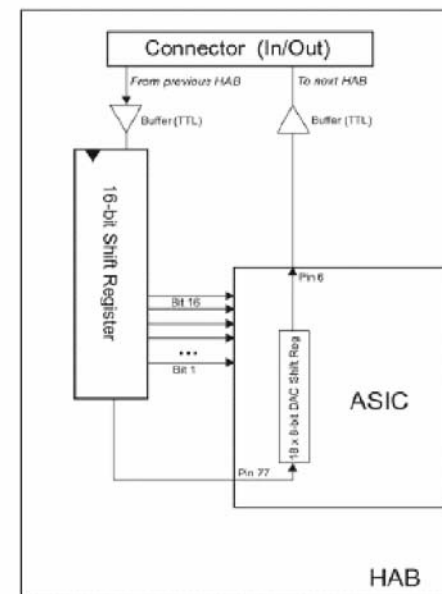
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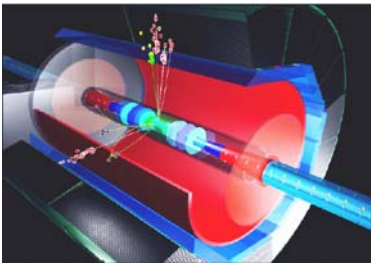
Analog Line Driver

Analog Test Output

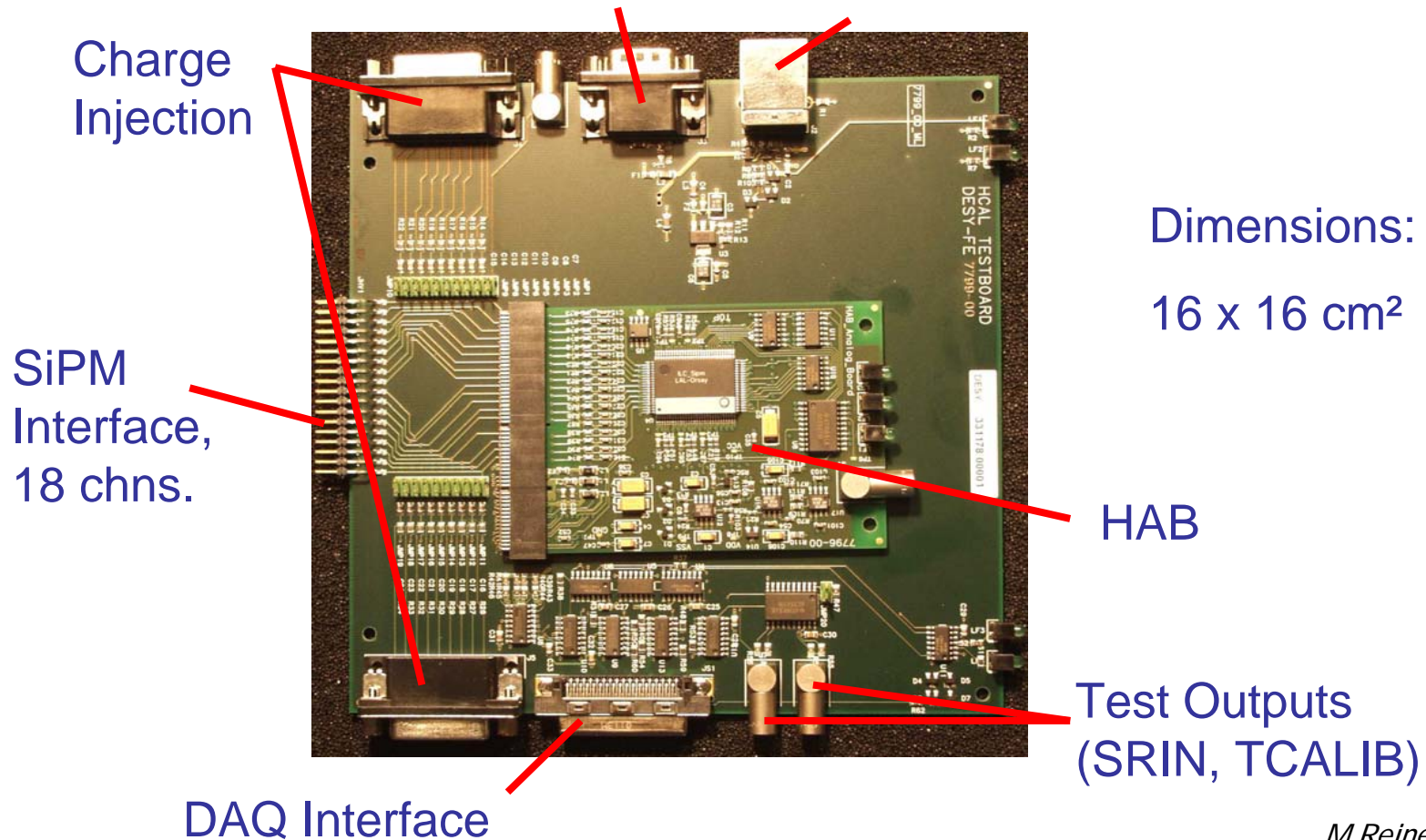
Parameter Shift-Reg



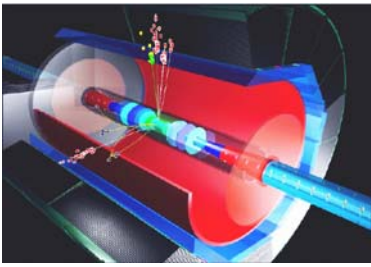
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Front end test board



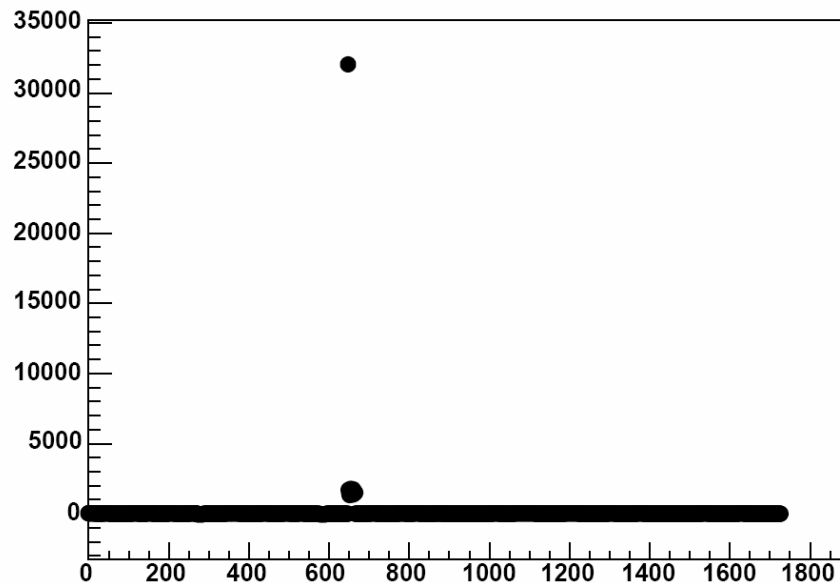
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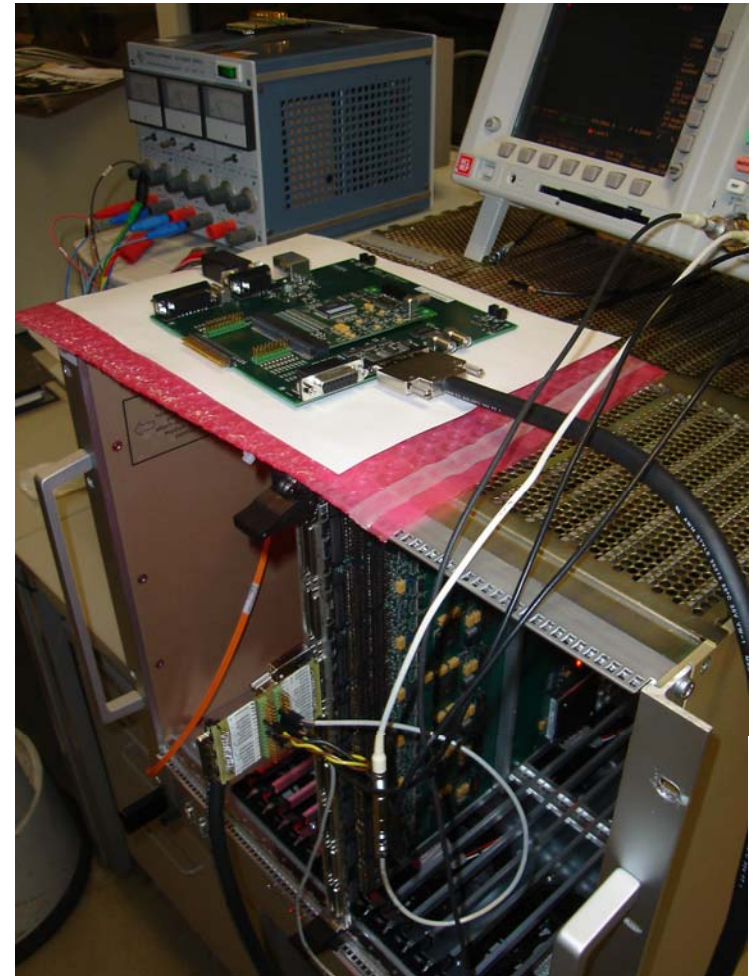
ASIC commissioning with DAQ

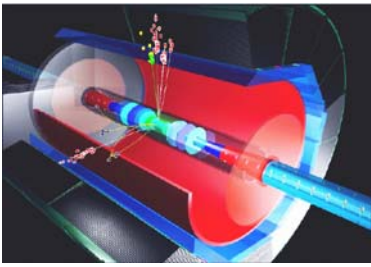
- Connected to CRC
- Load shift registers
- Test using charge injection

SER0255, Slot 12, Pedestal vs FE/Chip/Chan



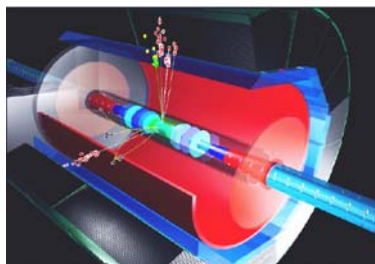
Now developing software tools





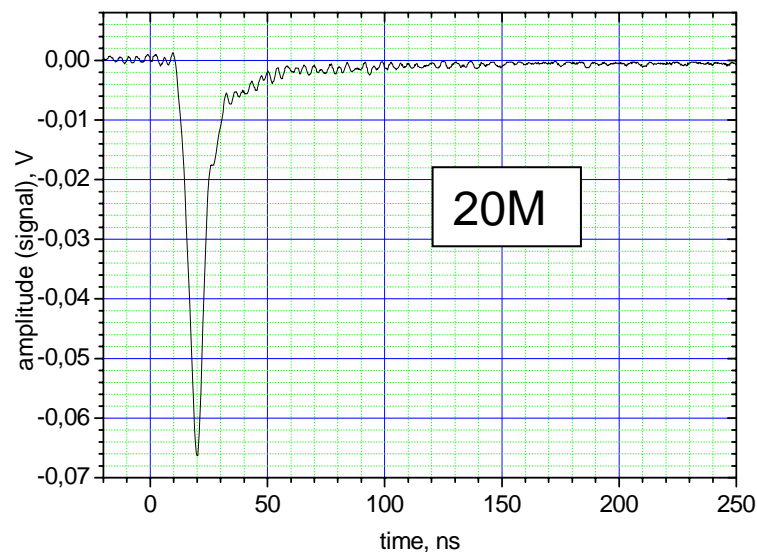
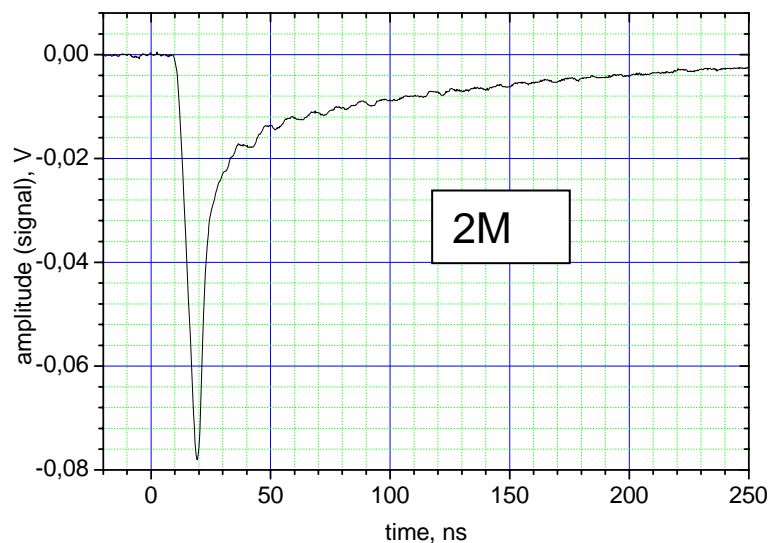
Readout electronics

- Unified ECAL and HCAL readout concept developed
- Sample and hold type solution for SiPMs found
- 18 ch ASIC developed and mass-produced in less than 1 year
- Commissioning of readout boards ongoing, in parallel with detector construction. (Base boards not yet tested.)
- Same system to be used for tail catcher / muon tracker

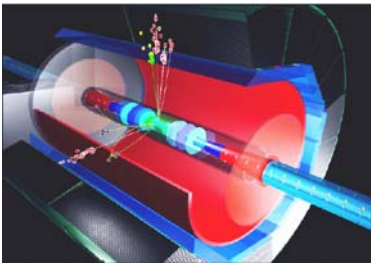


SiPM optimization

- Quenching resistor larger than in minical SiPMs
- Advantages:
 - Better pixel uniformity, gain stability
 - Reduced sensitivity to shape of calibration light pulse
 - Safer production process

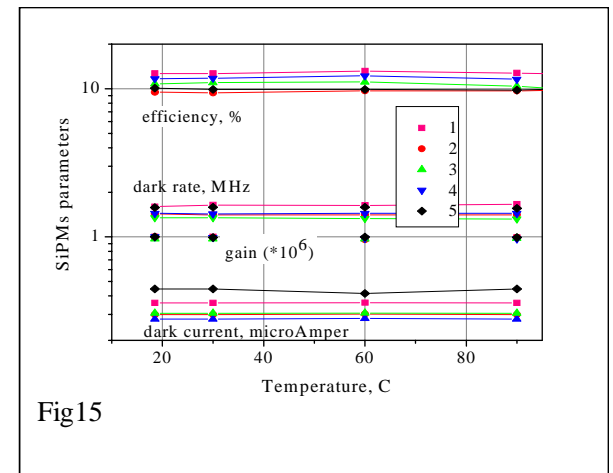
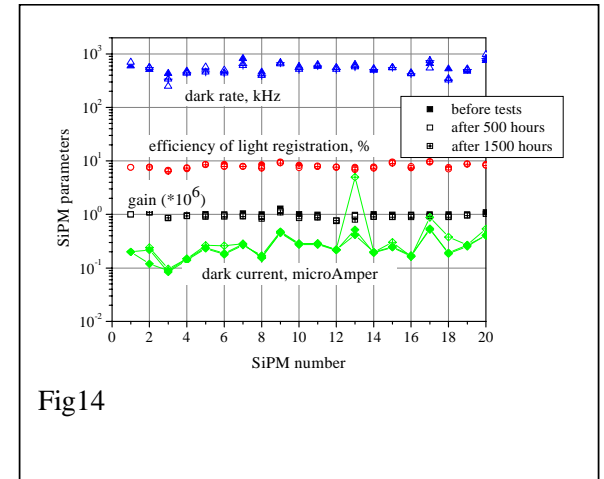


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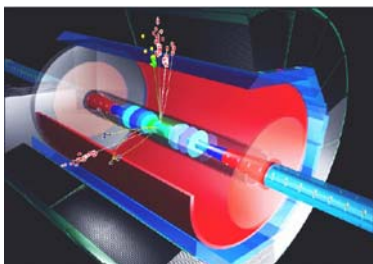


SiPM ageing studies

- Tested 20 SiPMs for 1500 hours
- 5 SiPMs up to 90°C
- No parameter changes observed
- More studies with higher statistics needed – and underway
- Be the first to know...



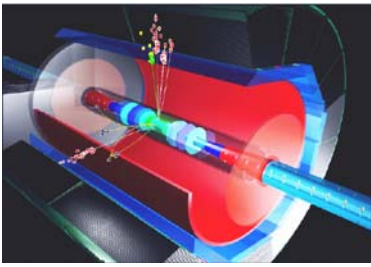
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SiPM production

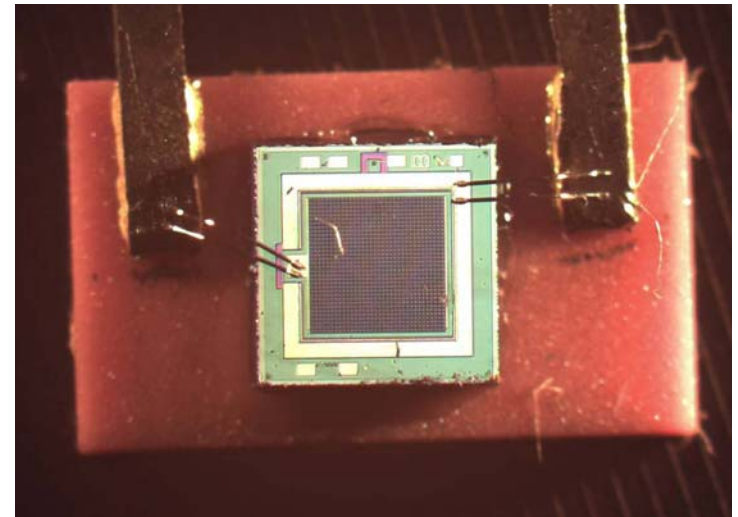
- Still a pioneer endeavor (MEPhi , PULSAR)

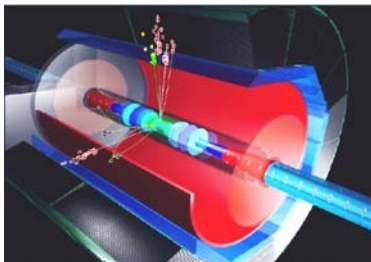
	Date	SiPMs on wafer total amount	Delivered to ITEP
1) Test batch with different resistivity of a quenching SiPM pixels resistors (from 2M to 20M)	May 2004	3000	840
2) Main batch	Yuly 2004	15000	No delivering - bad wafer quality
3) Repeated main batch resistivity	February 2005	10000	Under semiautomatic probe selection
<i>Latest news from Moscow: seems OK</i>			



SiPM tests, mounting

- Two-stage test procedure:
 - On wafer, probe station at MEPHI , fast
 - On mounting plate; test bench at ITEP
- First half ready in May
- Some difficulties with support plate, under improvement
- Biggest unknown: yield of main batch; may need another cycle

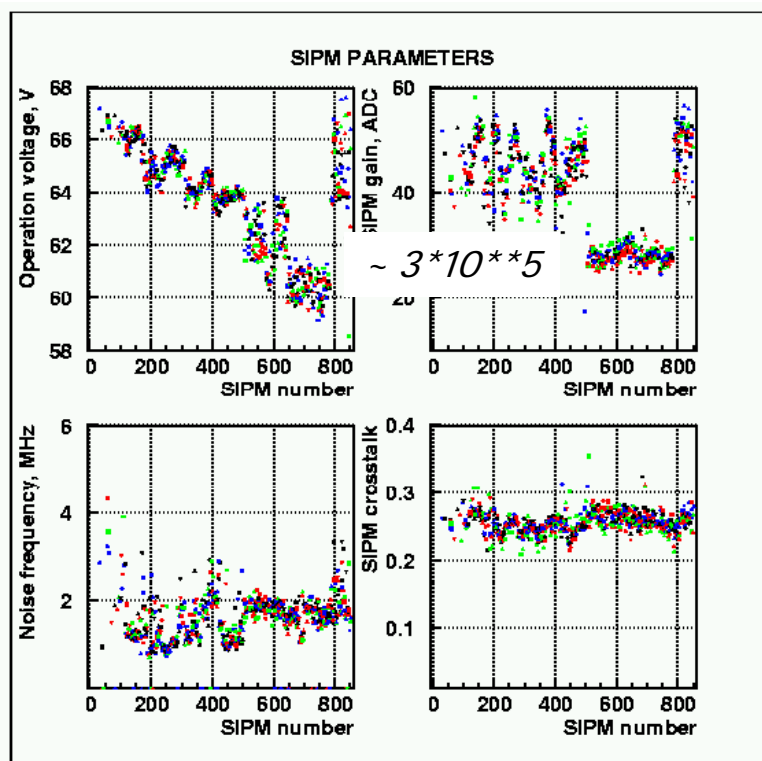




SiPM tests - stage 2

- Semi-automatic test bench: equalize light yield
- Measure "all" parameters and select

Pilot batch

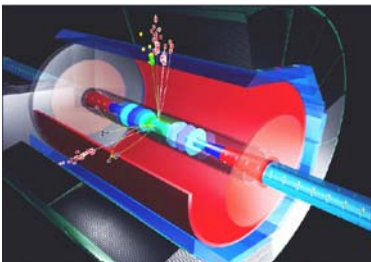


2M

20M

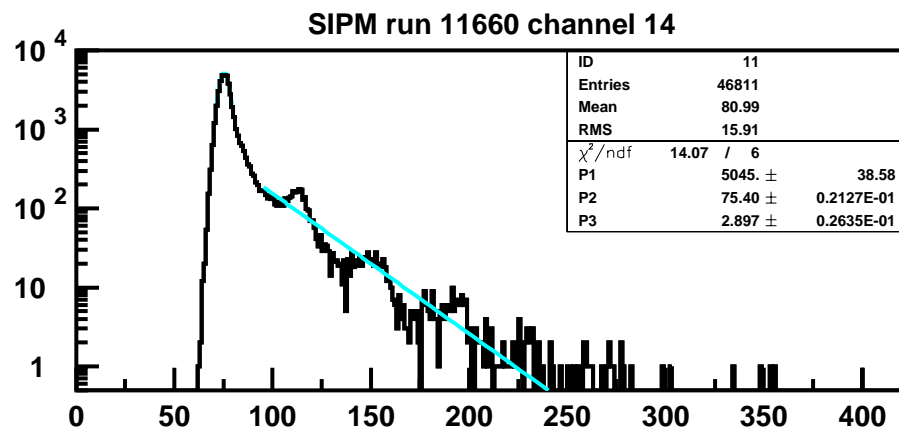
obtained	840
tested	830
good	712 <i>85%</i>
bad	118
a) high noise	90
b) low gain (no signal)	7
c) single p.e. peak width	21
broken	10

E. Tarkovsky, ITEP

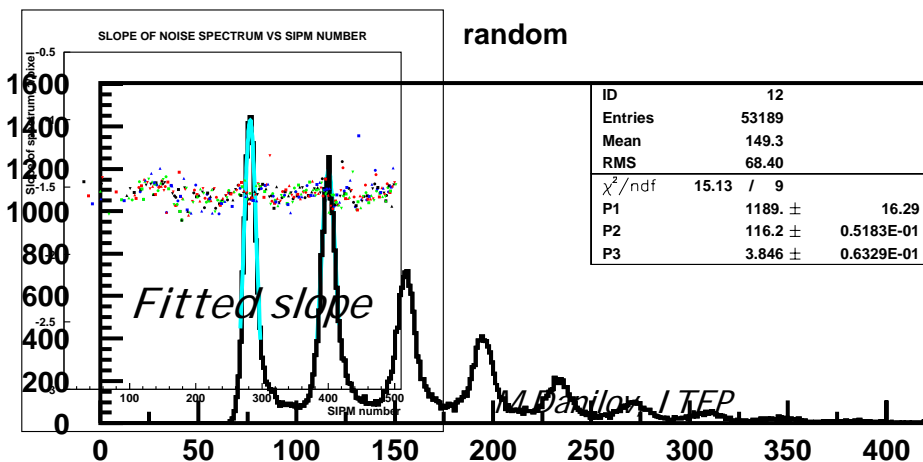
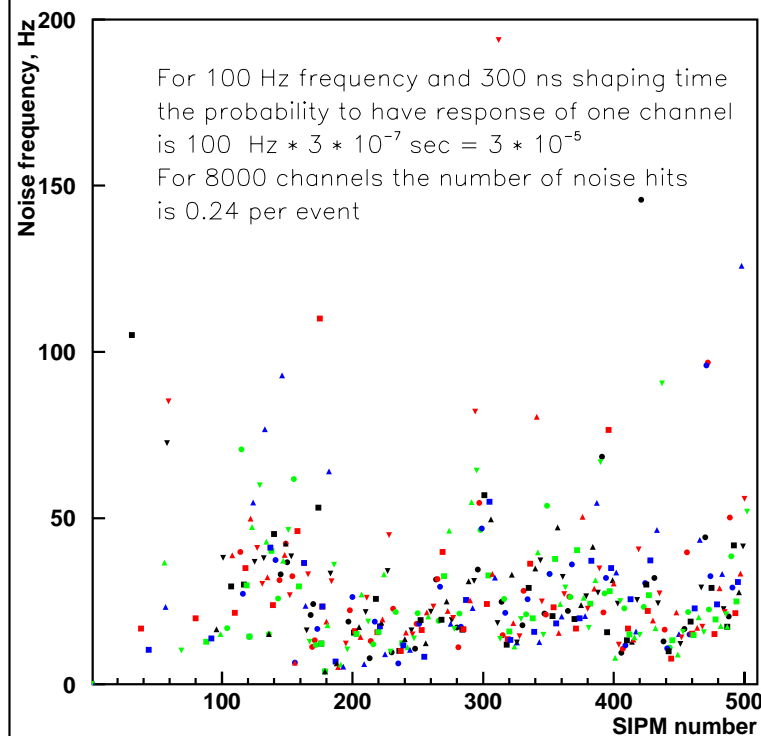


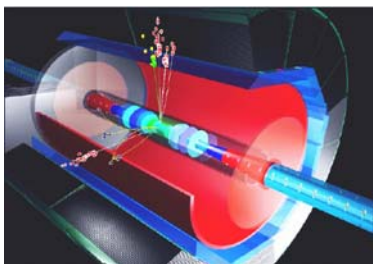
SiPM noise

- Noise drops like $\exp(-1.5 \cdot N_{px})$



NOISE FREQUENCY AT HALF MIP THRESHOLD VS SIPM NUMBER

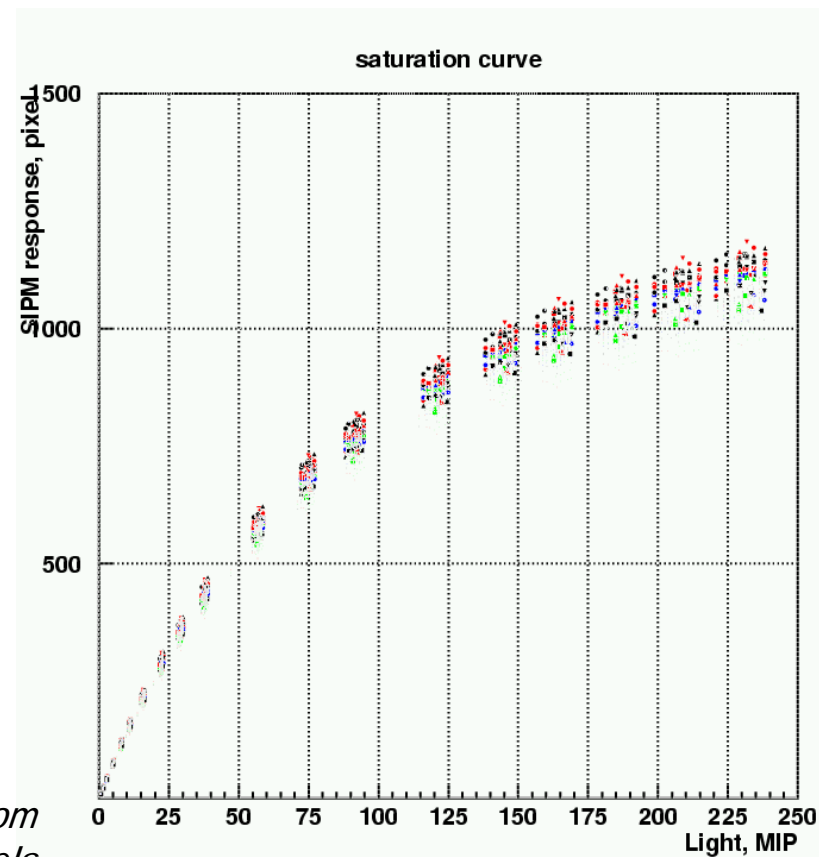




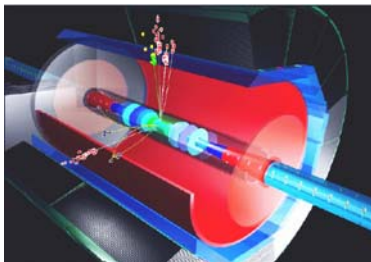
SiPM parameters

- Adjust bias voltage to 15 px/MIP
- SiPM parameters:
 - gain
 - noise frequency at zero pixel and at $\frac{1}{2}$ MIP levels
 - cross talk
 - Efficiency
 - width of single p.e. peak
 - dark current
 - saturation curve
 - SiPM temperature during test
- To data base

*Differences mostly from
different test bench channels
(colors/markers)*



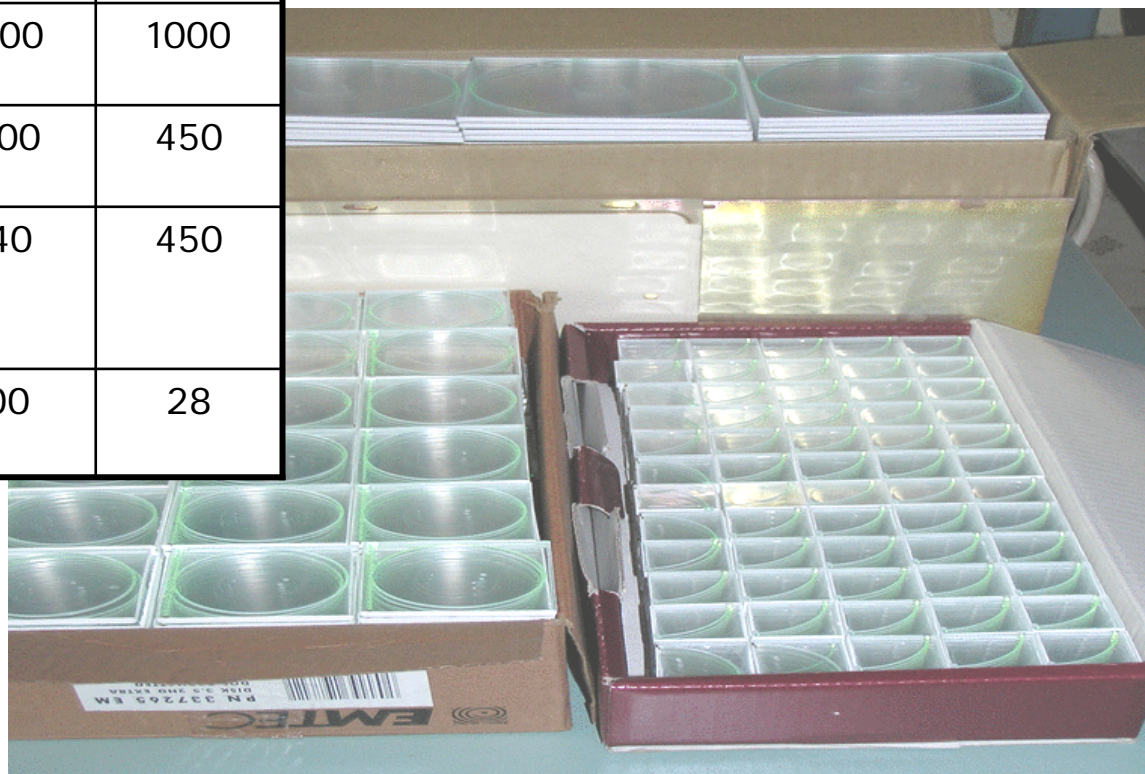
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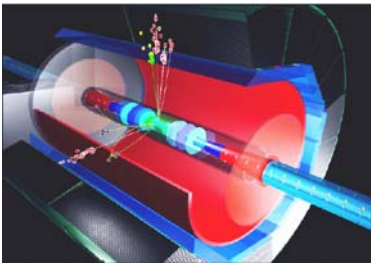


Scintillator tile production

	3x3 cm ²	6x6 cm ²	12x12 cm ²
to be produced	3500	3500	1000
mold	3500	3500	1000
edge mated	1500	1500	450
groove milled and fiber installed	850	840	450
shipped to DESY	100	100	28

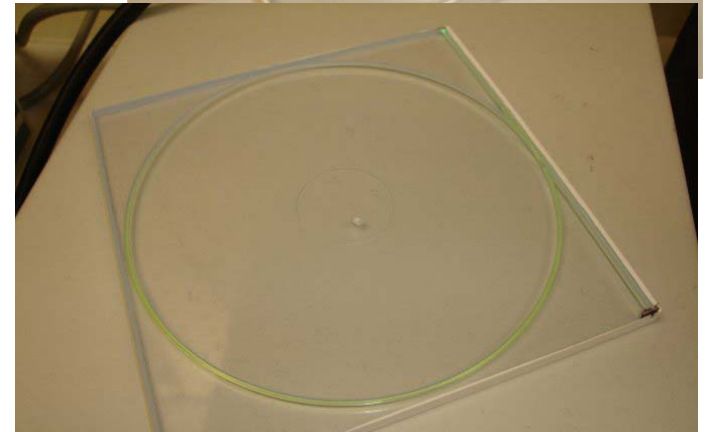
Bending loops for 60mm tiles is most time consuming step

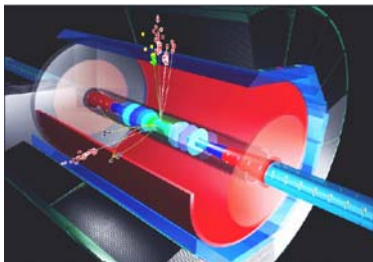




Instrumented tiles

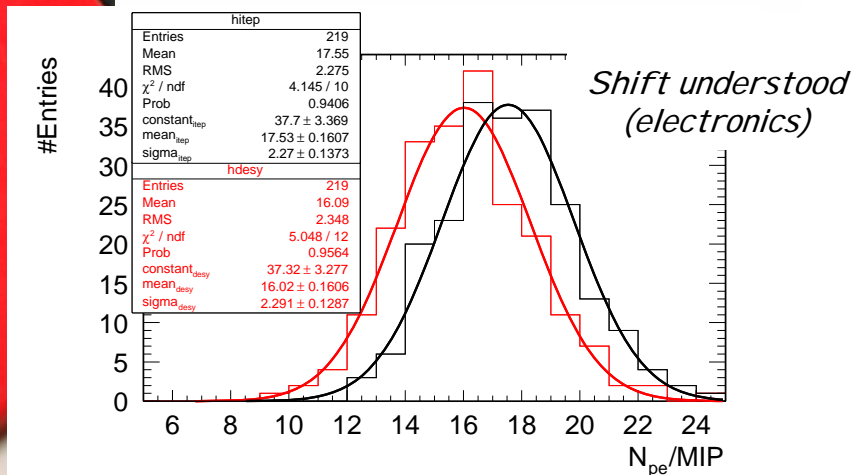
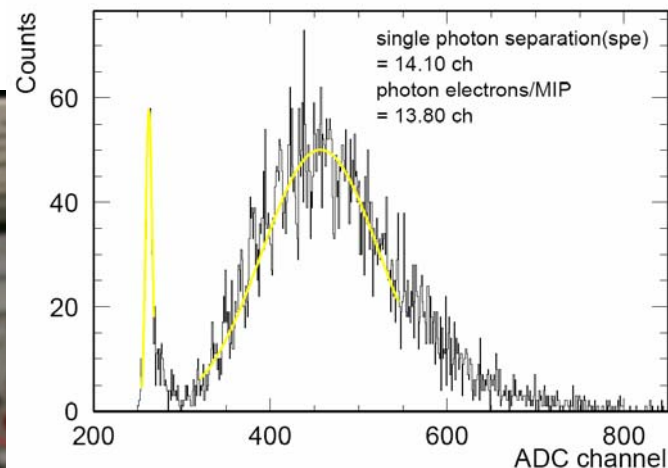
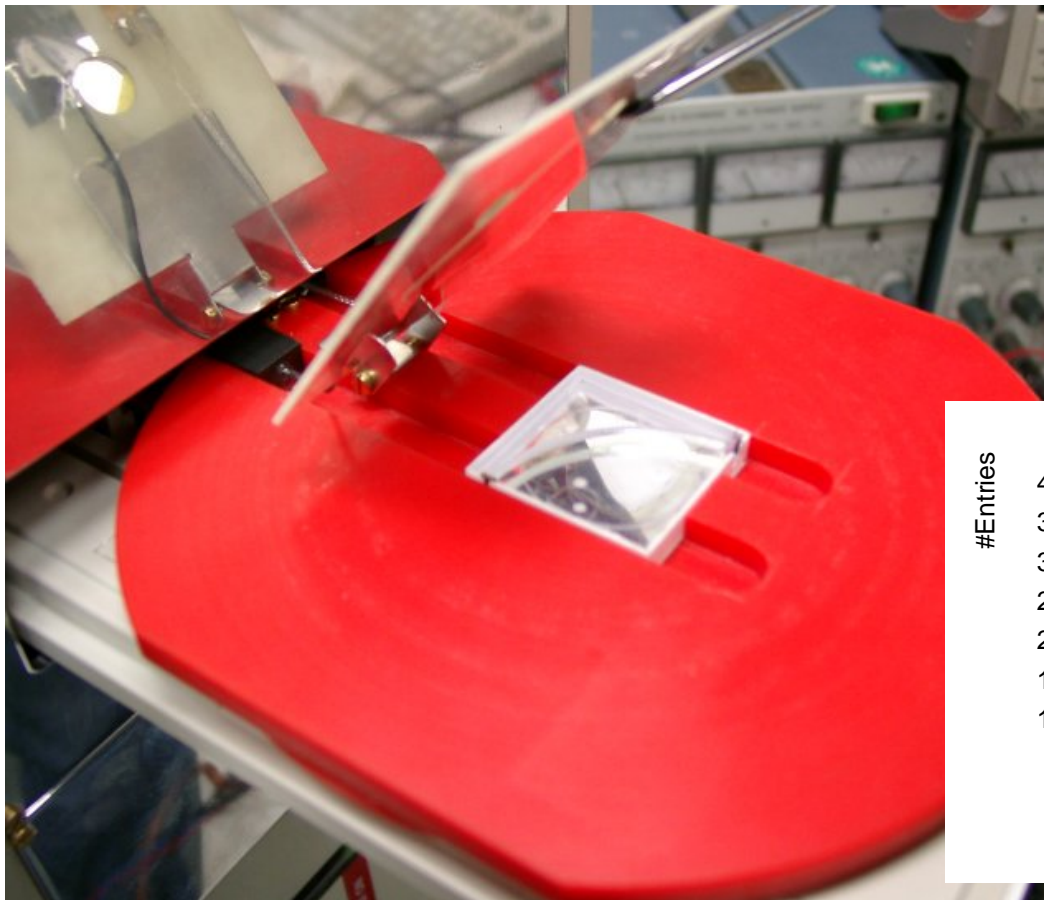
- Scintillator production well advanced
- Semi-automatic test bench for SiPM tile system almost ready
 - Measure light yield in px/MIP
- Ready for mass production of SiPM tile systems with data sheet
- Tiles for cassette no. 2 shipped this week



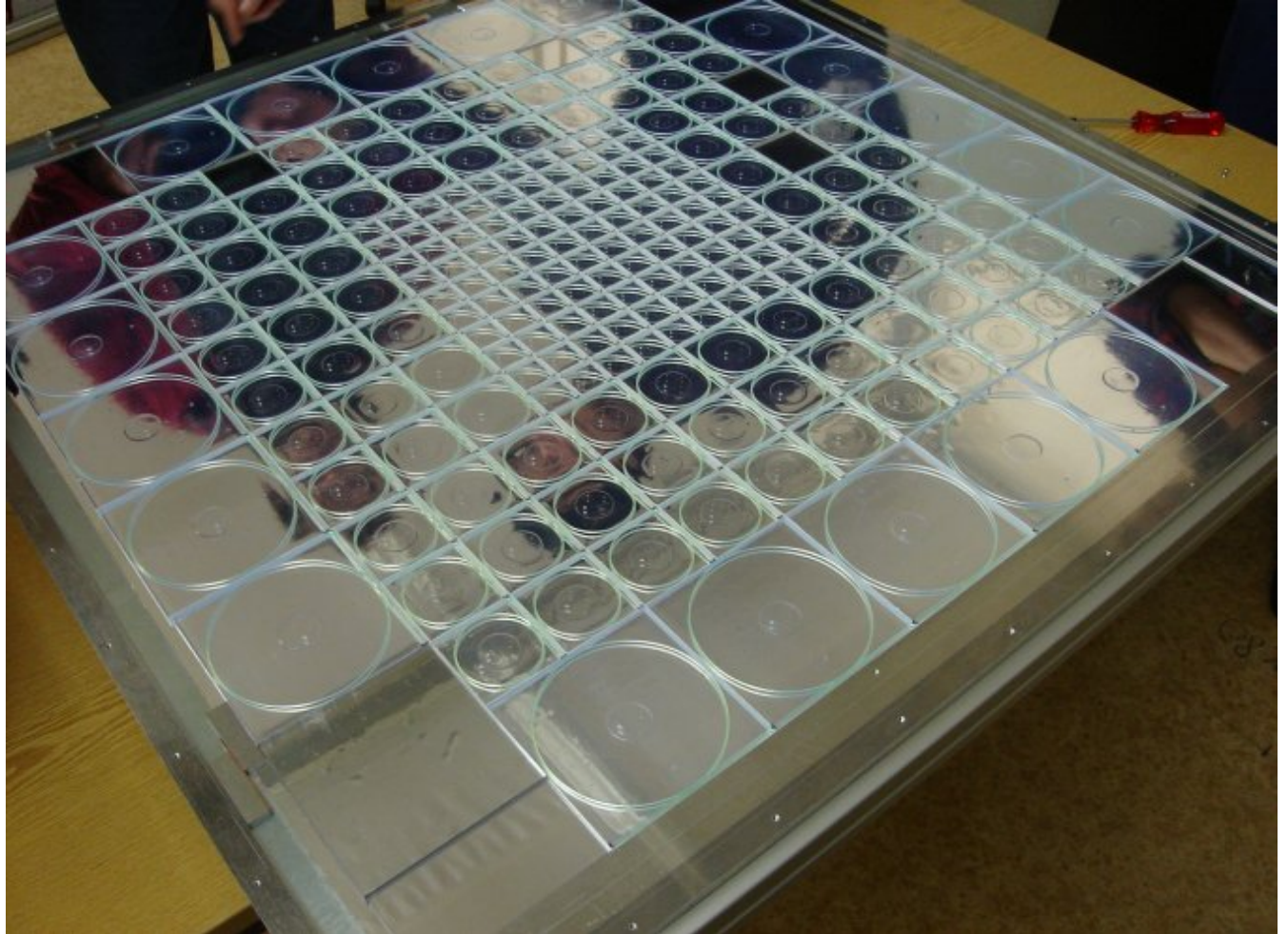
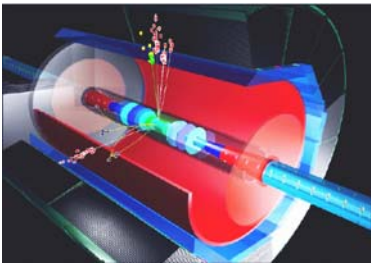


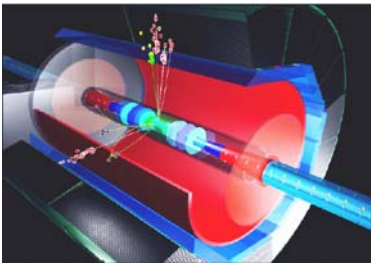
Tile tests at DESY

- Check after transport



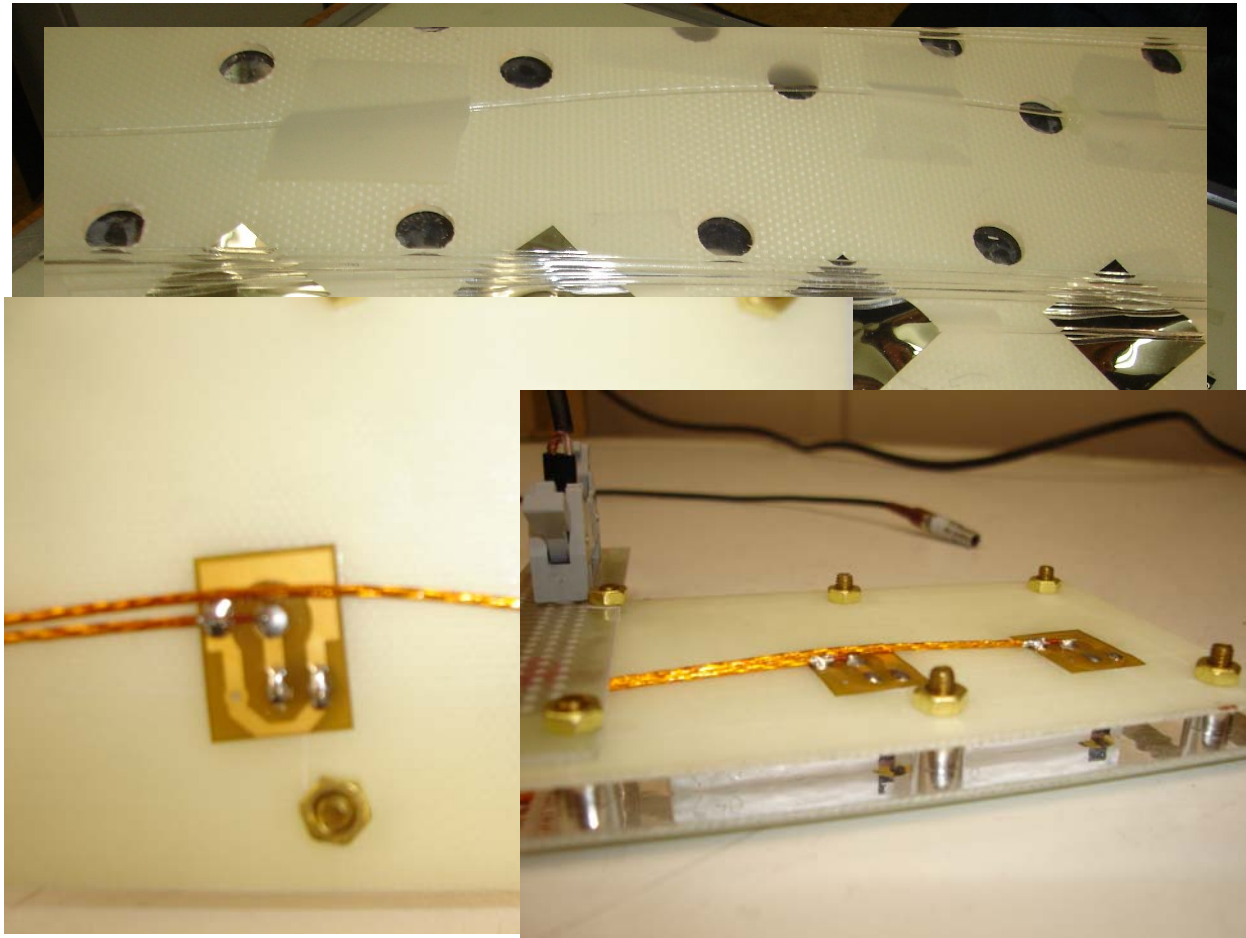
Cassette assembly

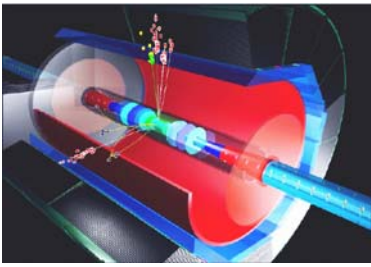




Next steps: fibers and wires

- Measure SiPM positions
- Drill FR4 board, check
- Fiber routing, test
- Done
- Glue flex prints
- Solder cables
- Test
- Number One ready in April

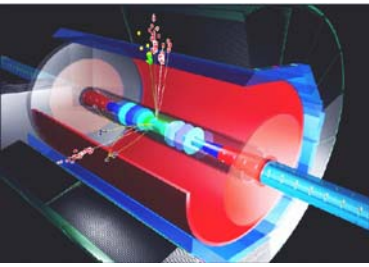




Outlook

Still considerable risks and unknowns. – Yet, if all goes well:

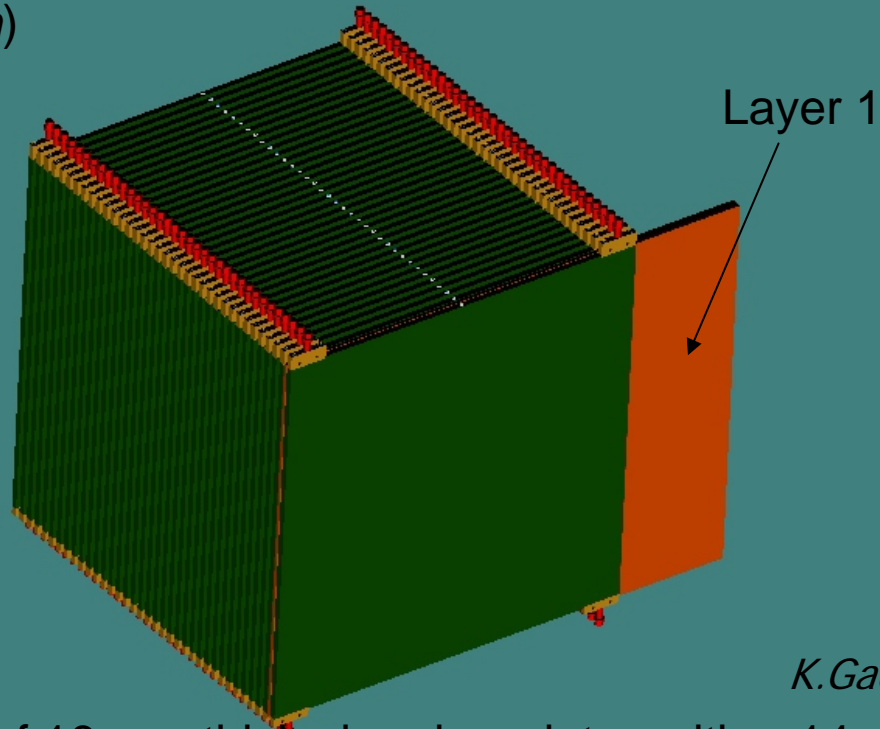
- Establish electronics chain Spring
- Beam test cassette Number One Summer
 - With ECAL at DESY
- Several (few...many) cassettes with final electronics and monitoring system Fall
- Movable stage built & fully cabled up Winter
- Hadron beam Spring



HCAL stack

(CMB not shown)

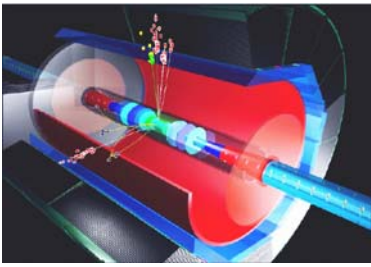
*Adjustable gaps
Should also hold
gaseous DHCAIL*



K.Gadow, DESY

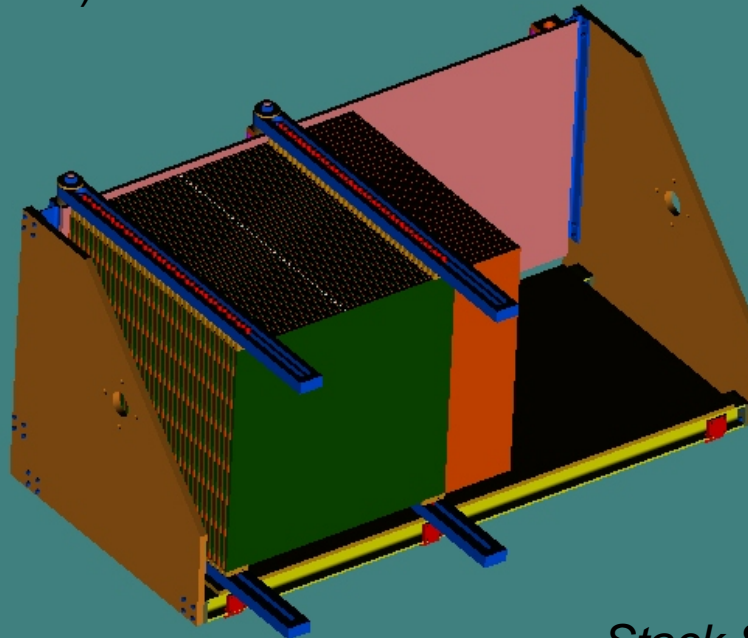


38 pieces of 16 mm thick absorber plates with a 14 mm gap between the plates forms the *Absorber Stack*



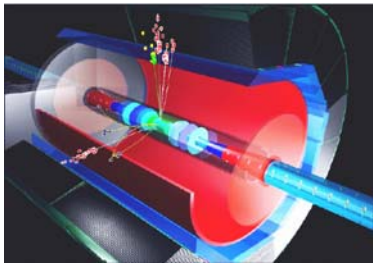
Stack support

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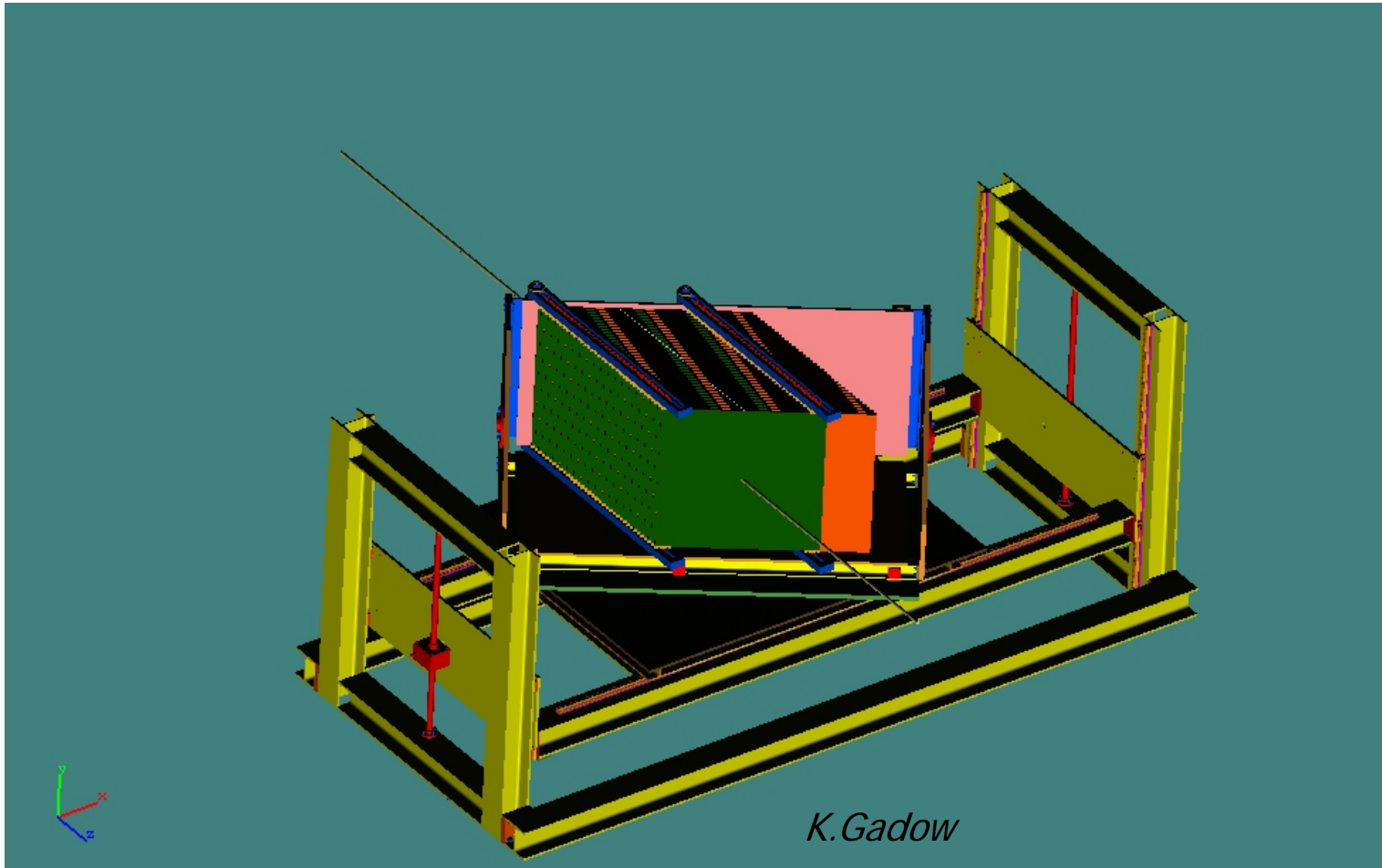


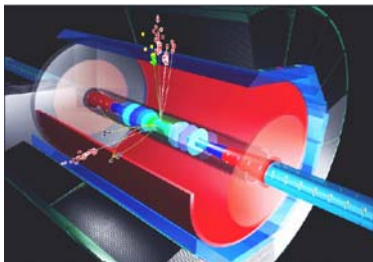
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Stack Support
max. dimensions (x/y/z)
2560 x 1300 x 1600 mm³

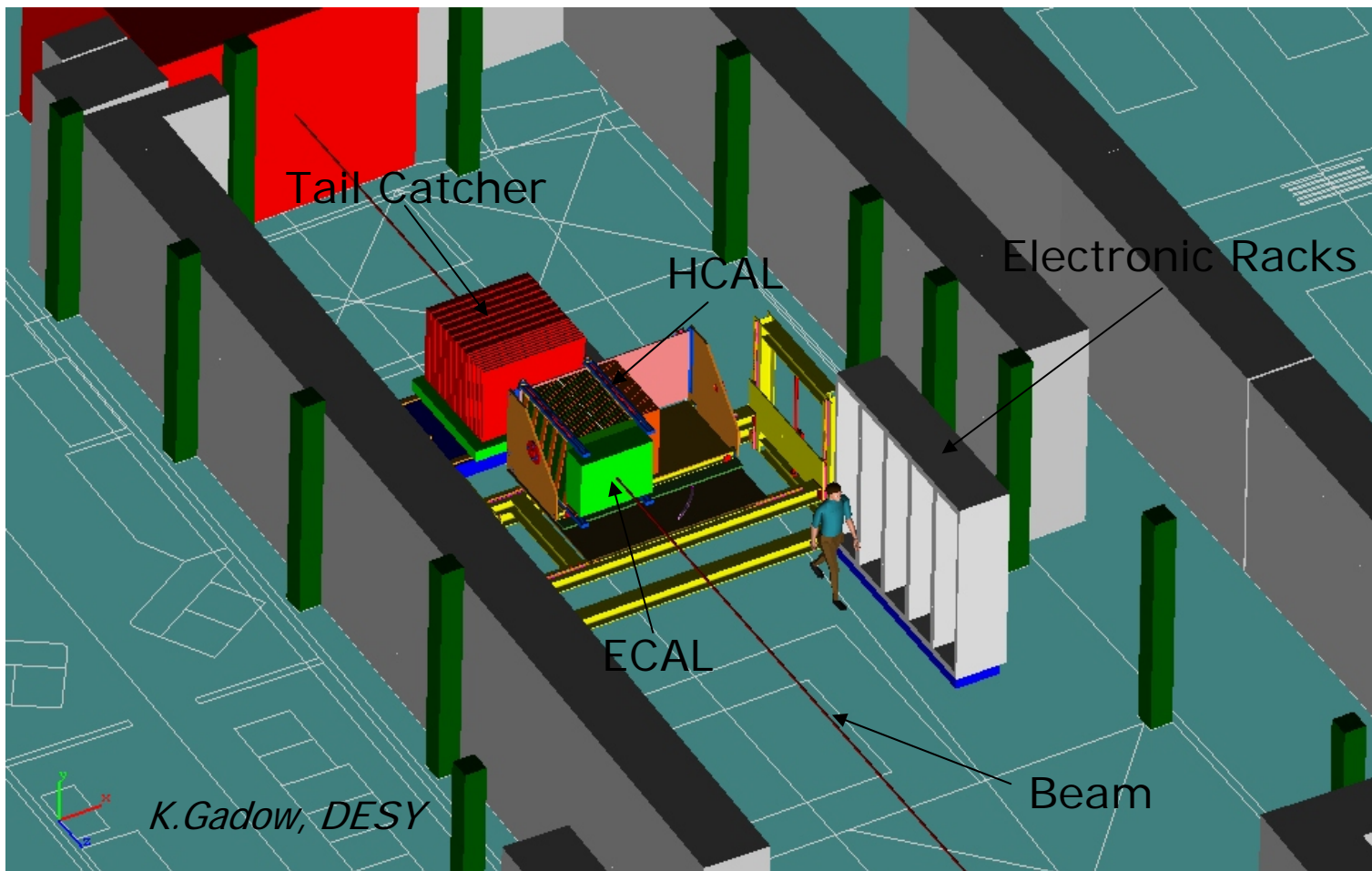


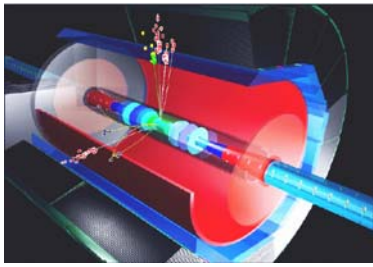
Movable table





Testbeam set-up





No conclusion

... as we are in full swing

We are serious about testbeam.