

Forward Calorimeter (FoCal) Upgrade Project in ALICE for LHC Run-4

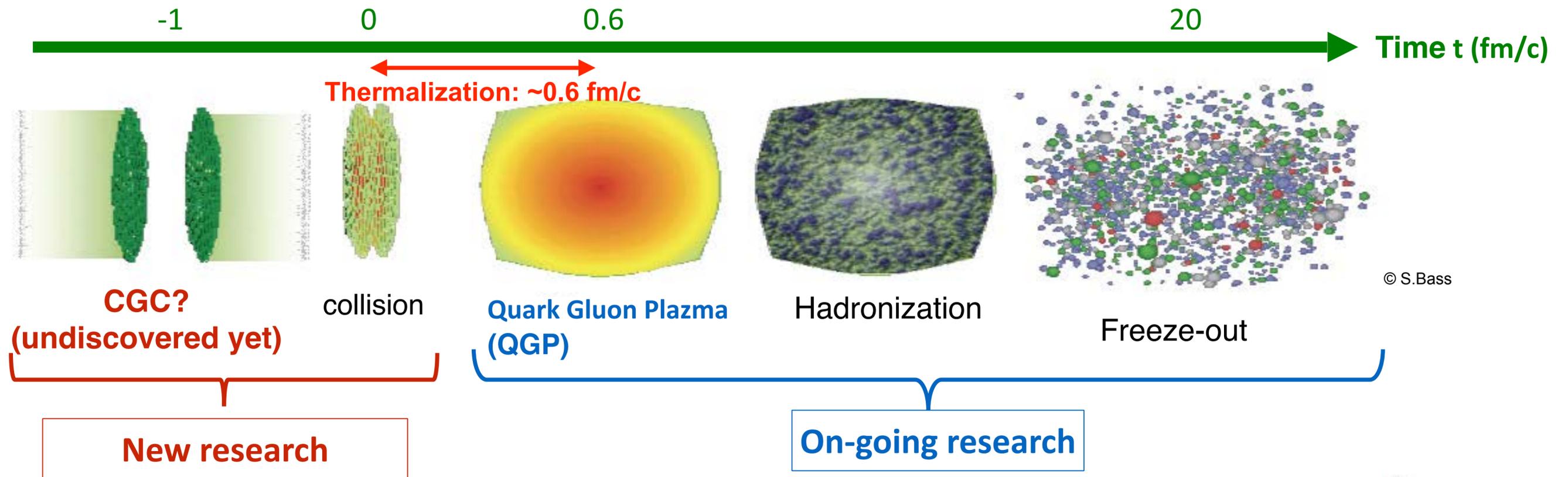


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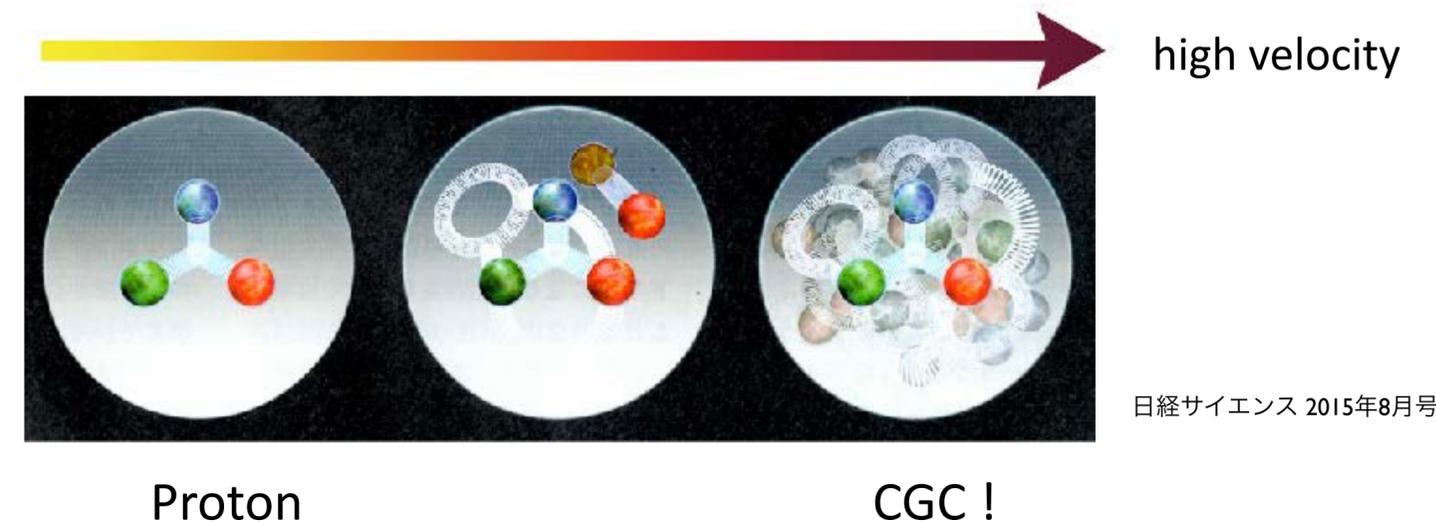
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How QGP is created?



Three Open Questions

- Q1) What is the origin of QGP?
- Q2) Why QGC rapidly thermalized?
- Q3) Does Color Glass Condensate exist?



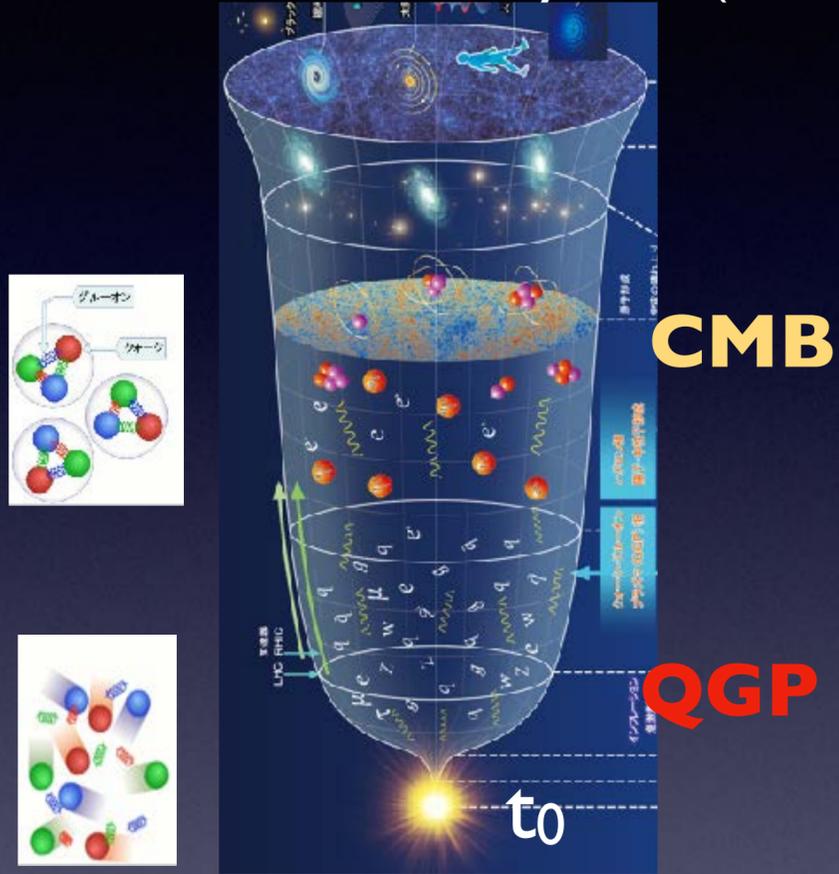
What is Color Glass Condensate (Gluon Saturation)?

- Predicted by QCD, a **universal state of matter** can be unveiled at high energy, **Undiscovered yet!**
- No. of gluons increase \rightarrow Gluon fusion at some point \rightarrow **Gluon Saturation** \rightarrow **Color Glass Condensate**

Early universe vs. high energy heavy ion collisions

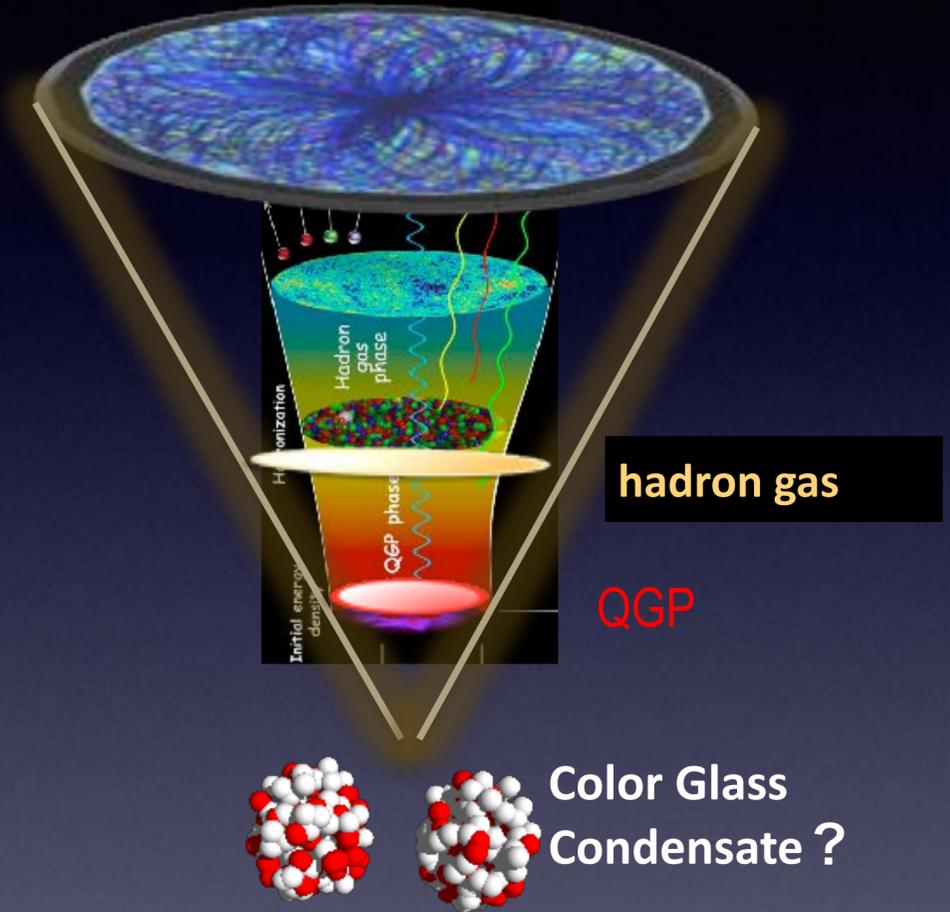
Big bang

$t_0 + 137 \times 10^8$ years (now)

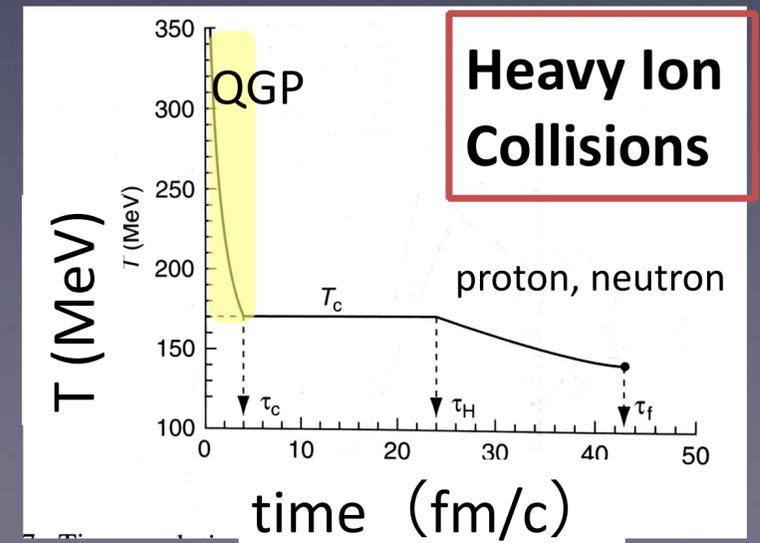
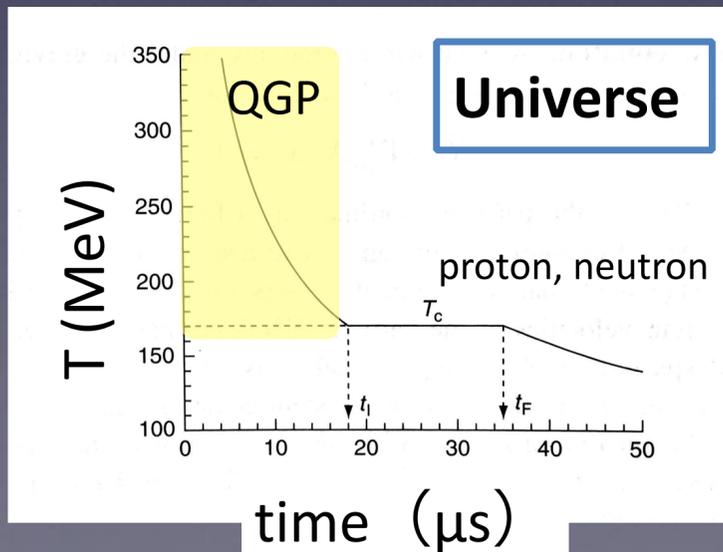


Little bang

$t_0 + 3 \times 10^{-23}$ sec. duration



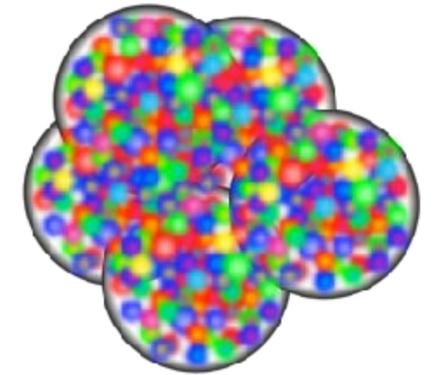
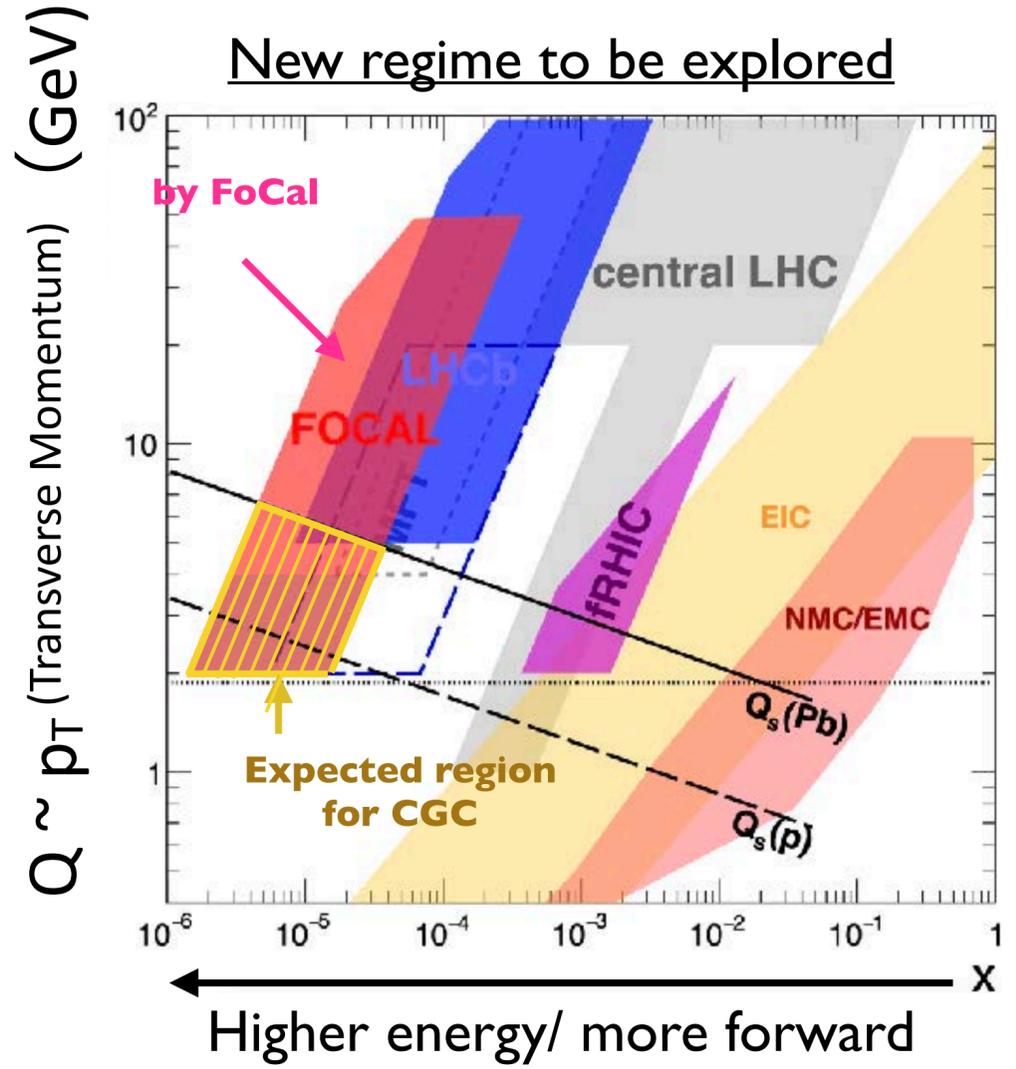
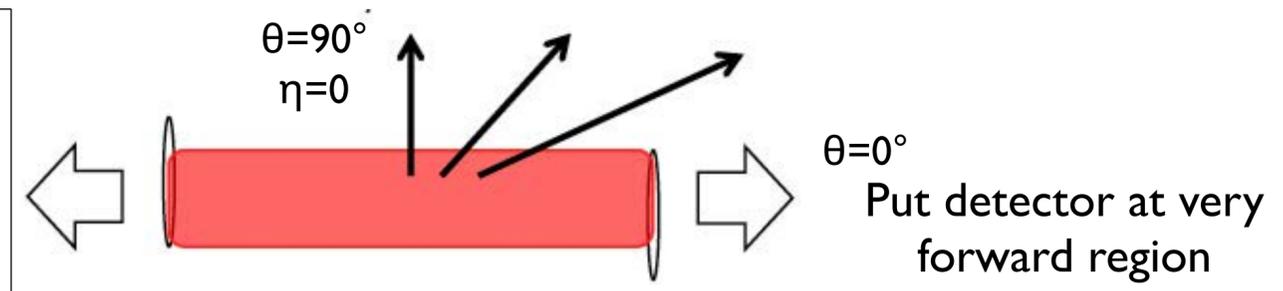
Same?



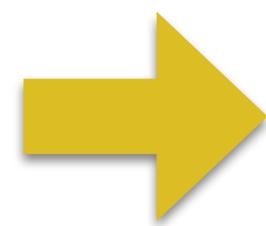
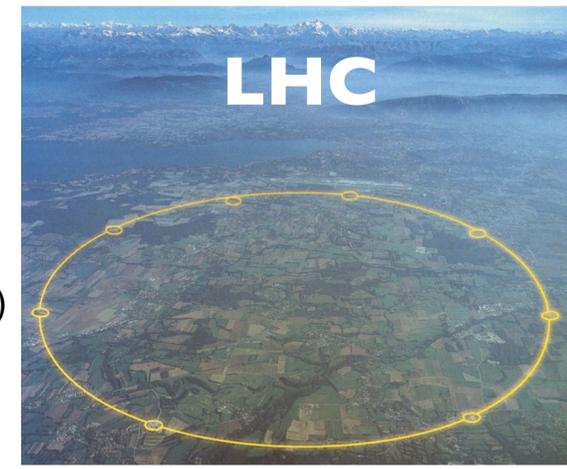
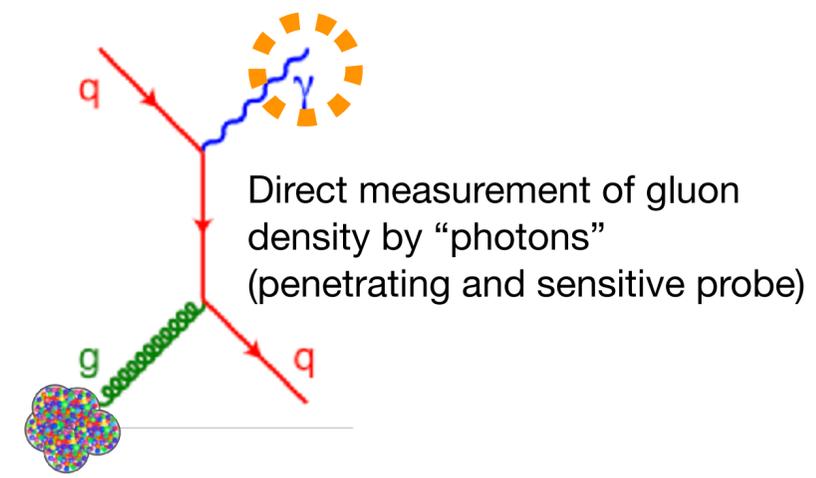
New physics explored by zero degree frontier at high energy

• To Find CGC...

- ① Forward → Zero degrees
- ② Higher energy → Highest collision energy at LHC
- ③ Sensitive probe → Photons
- ④ proton < Lead → Heavy ion acceleration at LHC



6 times faster to create CGC by using Lead nucleus



**Satisfied all 4 points,
Access to the new regime
to detect CGC clearly
for the first time
→ Physics case is compelling**

$$x \approx \frac{2p_T}{\sqrt{s}} \exp^{-\eta}$$

FoCal: Physics goals

1. Quantify nuclear modification of the gluon density at small-x

- Isolated photons in pp and pPb collisions

2. Explore non-linear QCD evolution

- Azimuthal π^0 - π^0 and isolated photon- π^0 (or jet) correlations in pp and pPb collisions

3. Investigate the origin of long range flow-like correlations

- Azimuthal π^0 -h correlations using FoCal and central ALICE (and muon arm?) in pp and pPb collisions

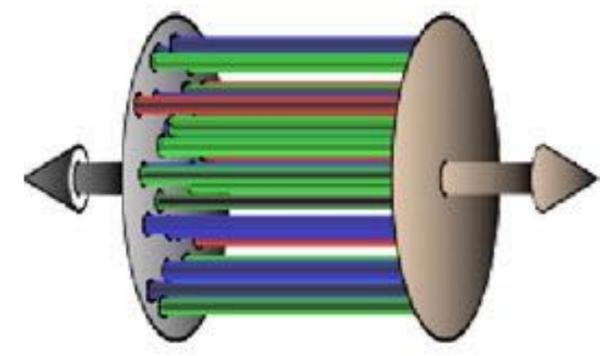
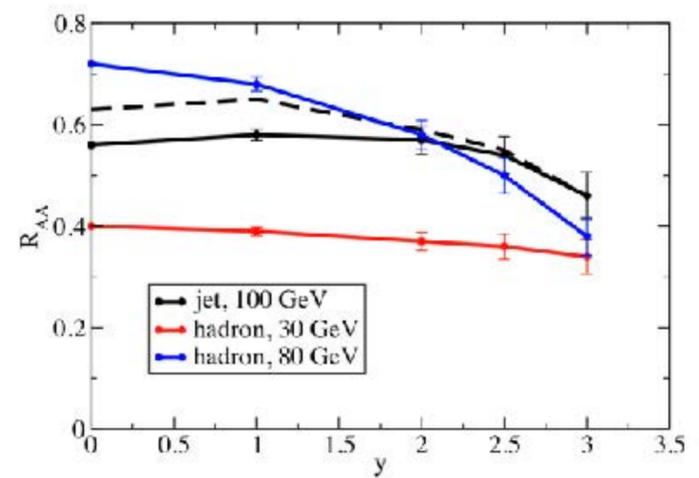
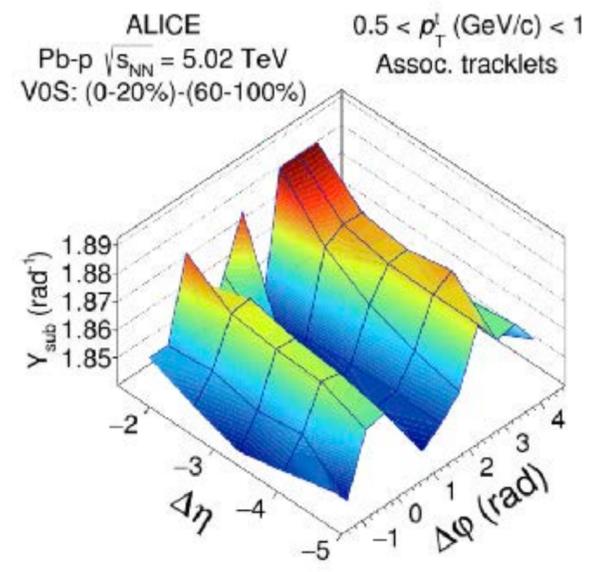
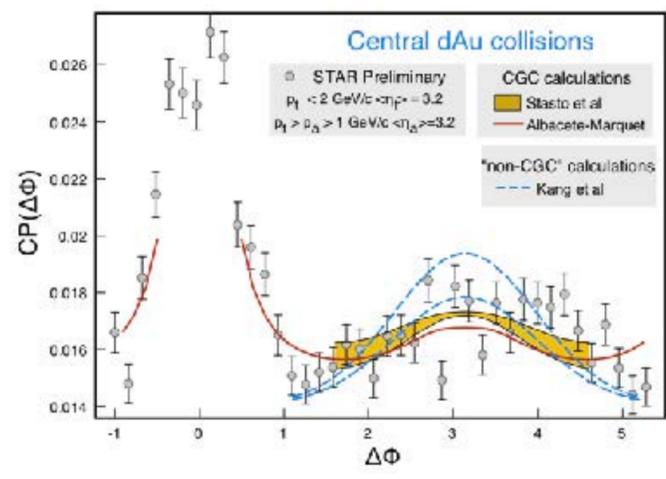
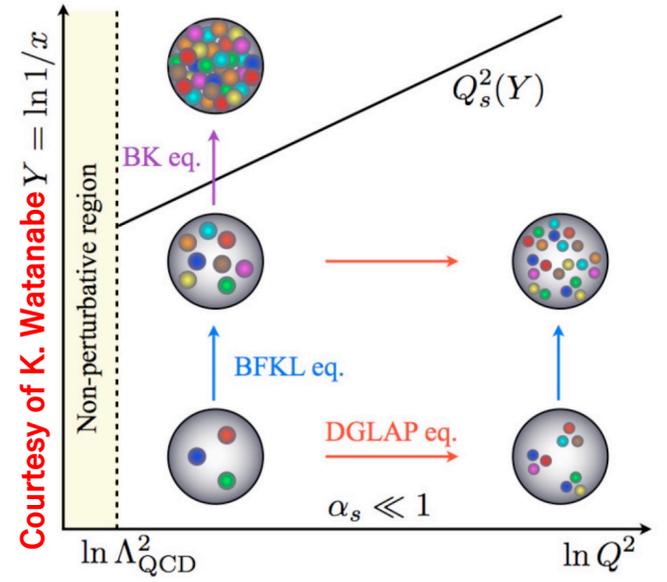
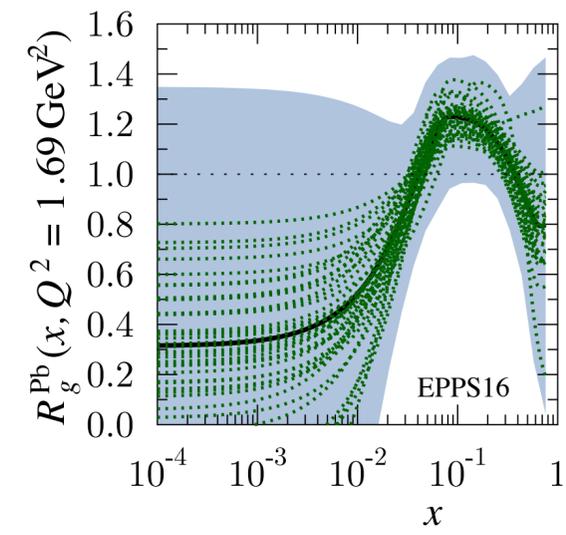
4. Explore jet quenching at forward rapidity

- Measure high p_T neutral pion production in PbPb



Access to an unexplored small-x and low Q^2 region:

- Direct photon, π^0 and jet (+correlations) measurements at very forward rapidity in pp and p-Pb @ LHC



The FoCal project

Physics Goal: unravel nucleus structure at small-x

Observables in $3.4 < \eta < 5.8$ @ LHC:

- π^0 (and other neutral mesons)
- Isolated (direct) photons
- Jets (and di-jets)
- etc...

FoCal

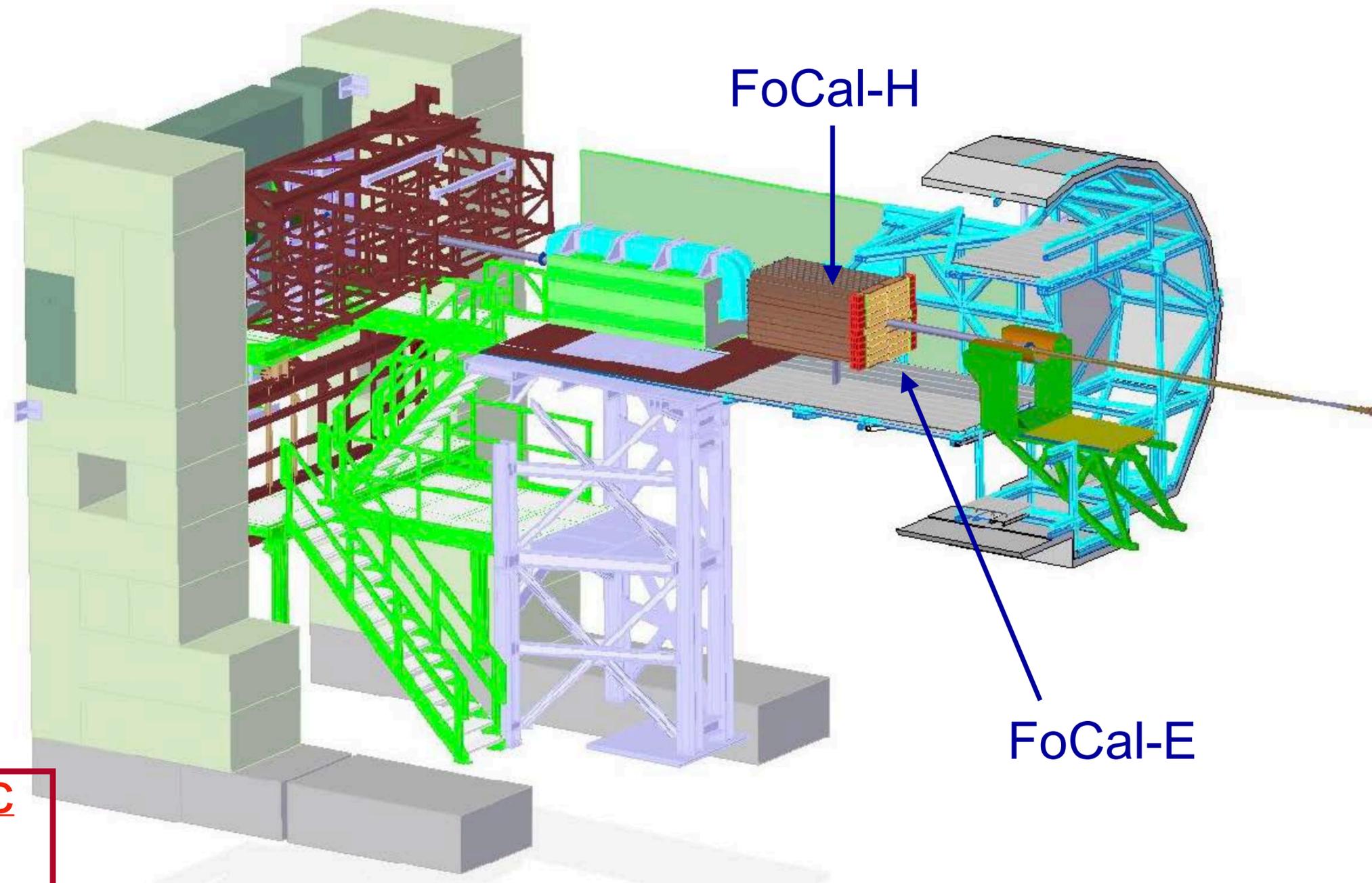
FoCal-E: high-granularity Si-W sampling calorimeter for photons and π^0

FoCal-H: conventional metal-scintillator sampling calorimeter for photon isolation and jets

FoCal Lol has been approved by LHCC on June 5, 2020

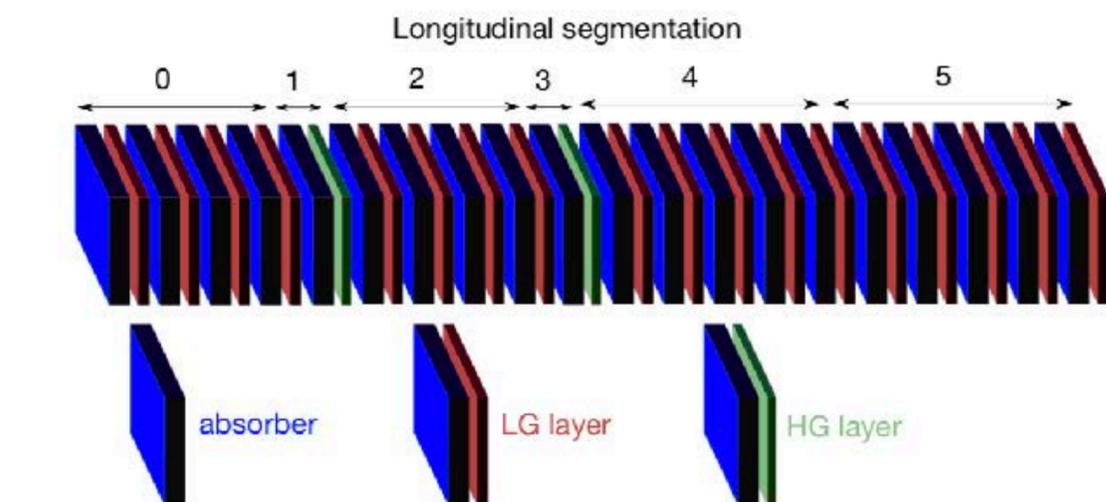
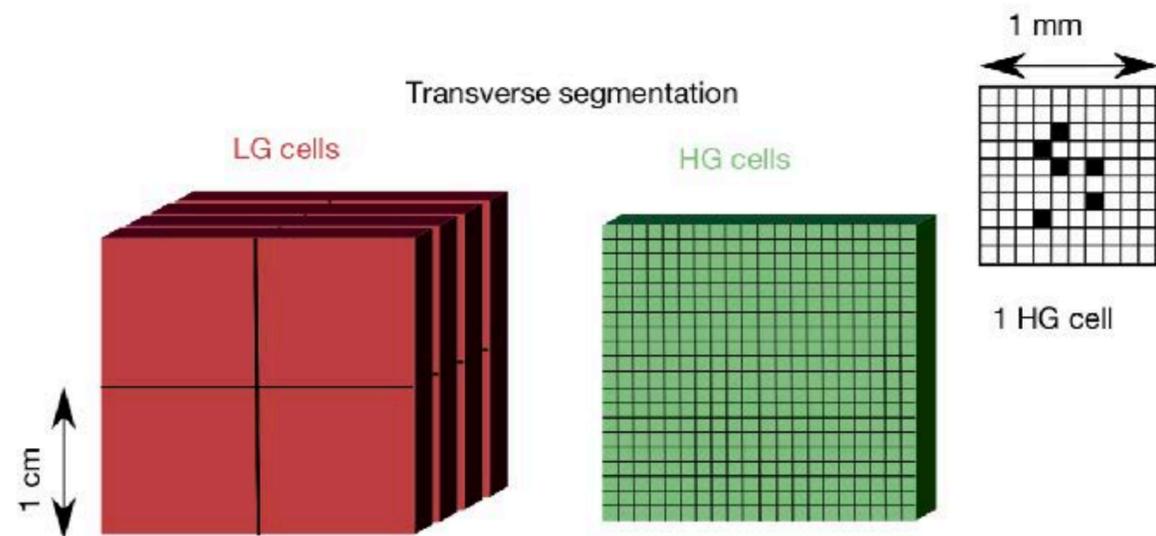
Public Note (Lol) : [CERN-LHCC-2020-009](#)

- Test beam: 2021 - 2022
- TDR submission : 2022

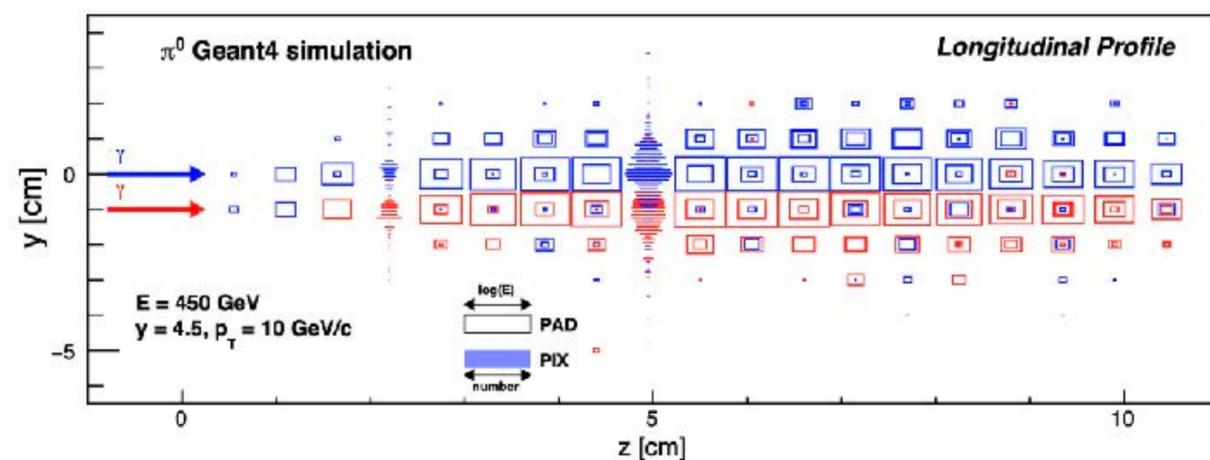


$3.4 < \eta < 5.8$
(baseline design @ 7m from IP)

Conceptual design



Longitudinal profile (2 γ showers)



FoCal-E

20 layers of W(3.5 mm \approx 1X₀) + silicon sensors:

Two types: **Pad (LG)** and **Pixel (HG)**

- Pad: shower profile and total energy
- Pixel: position resolution to resolve overlapping showers

Separate γ/π^0 at high energy

Two photon separation from π^0 decay (p_T=10 GeV, η =4.5) \sim 5mm

- Requires small Molière radius and high granularity readout
- Si-W calorimeter with effective granularity \approx 1mm²

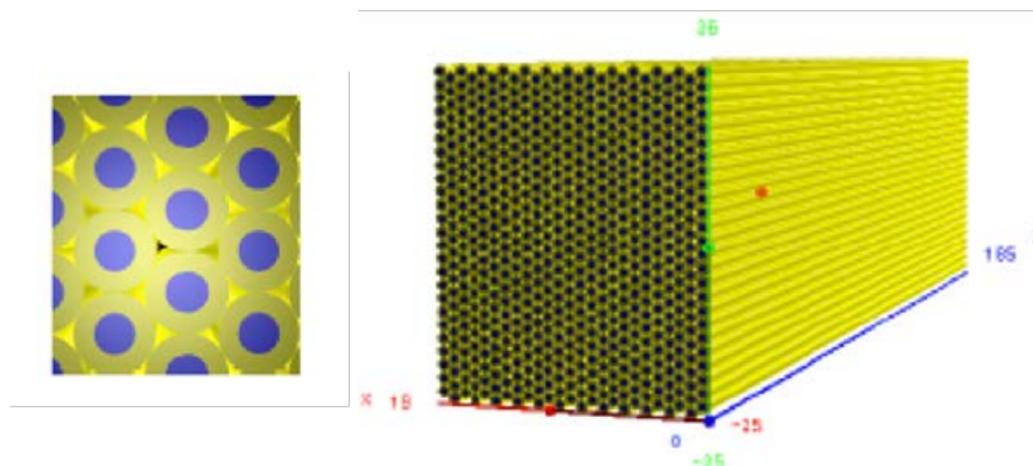
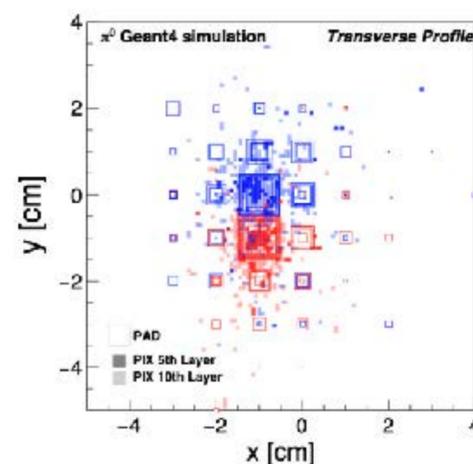
FoCal-H

Conventional metal-scintillator design

Sampling / tower structure not yet defined

No longitudinal readout required

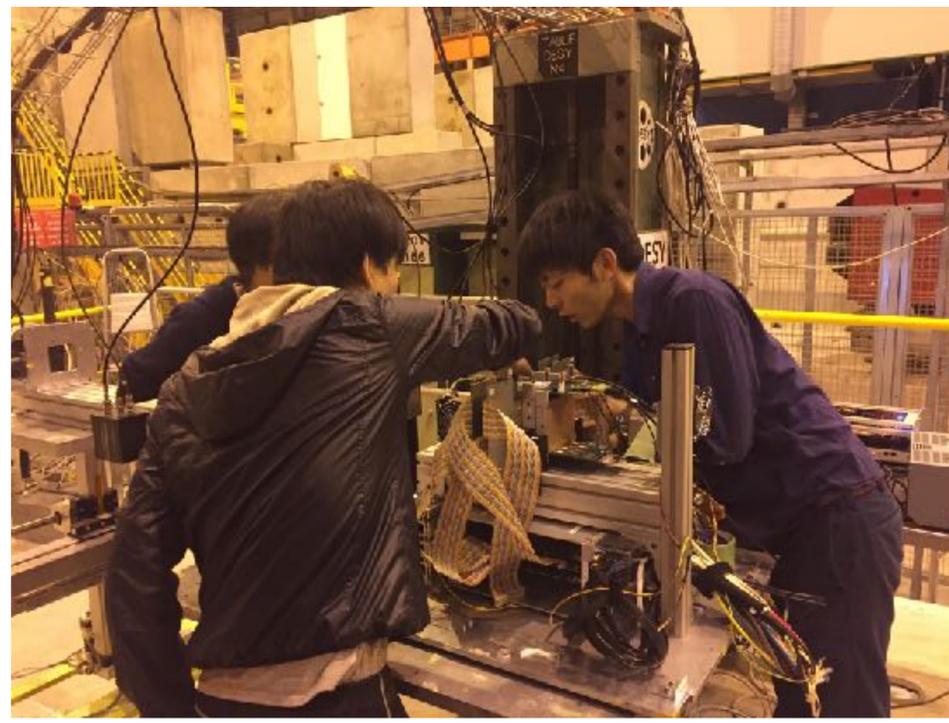
Trans. profile



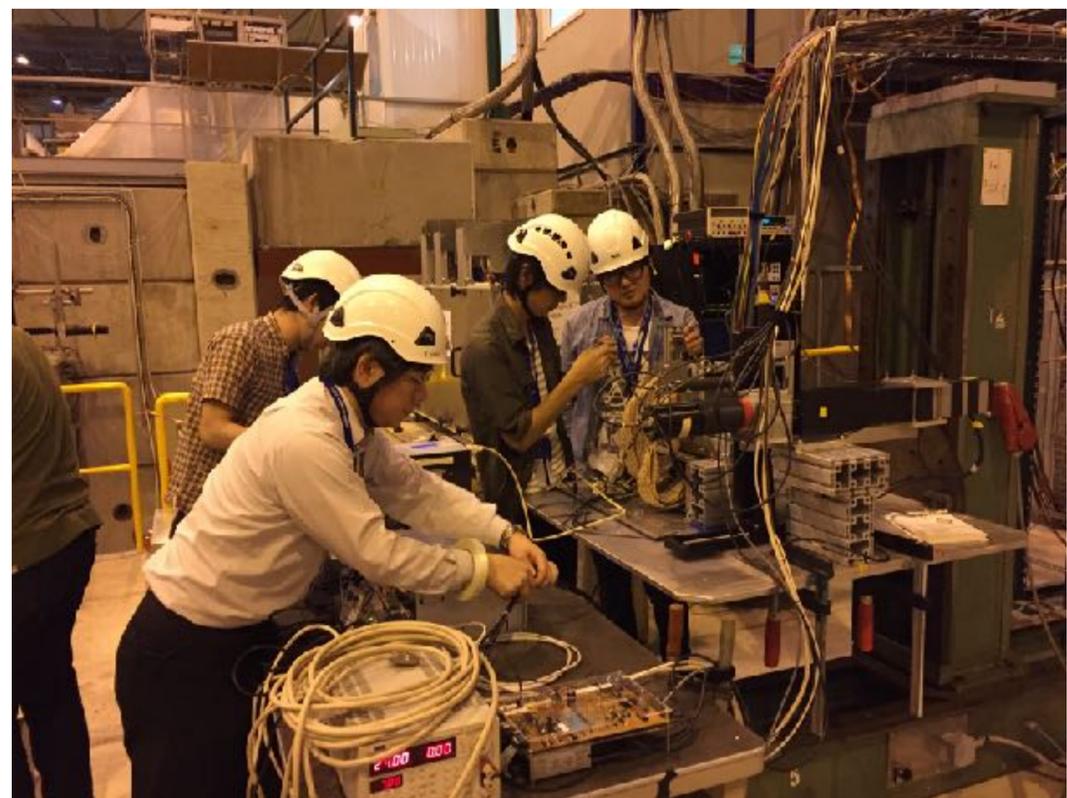
Detector R&D



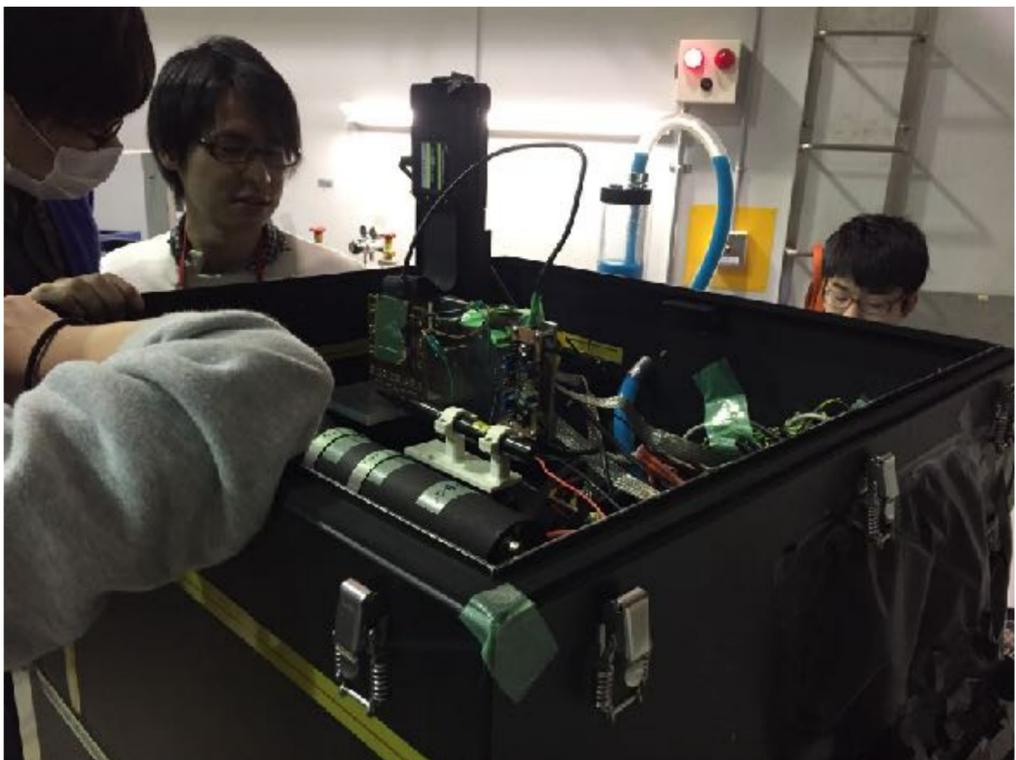
CERN PS/SPS (2014)



CERN SPS (2015)



CERN SPS (2016)



ELPH (2017)

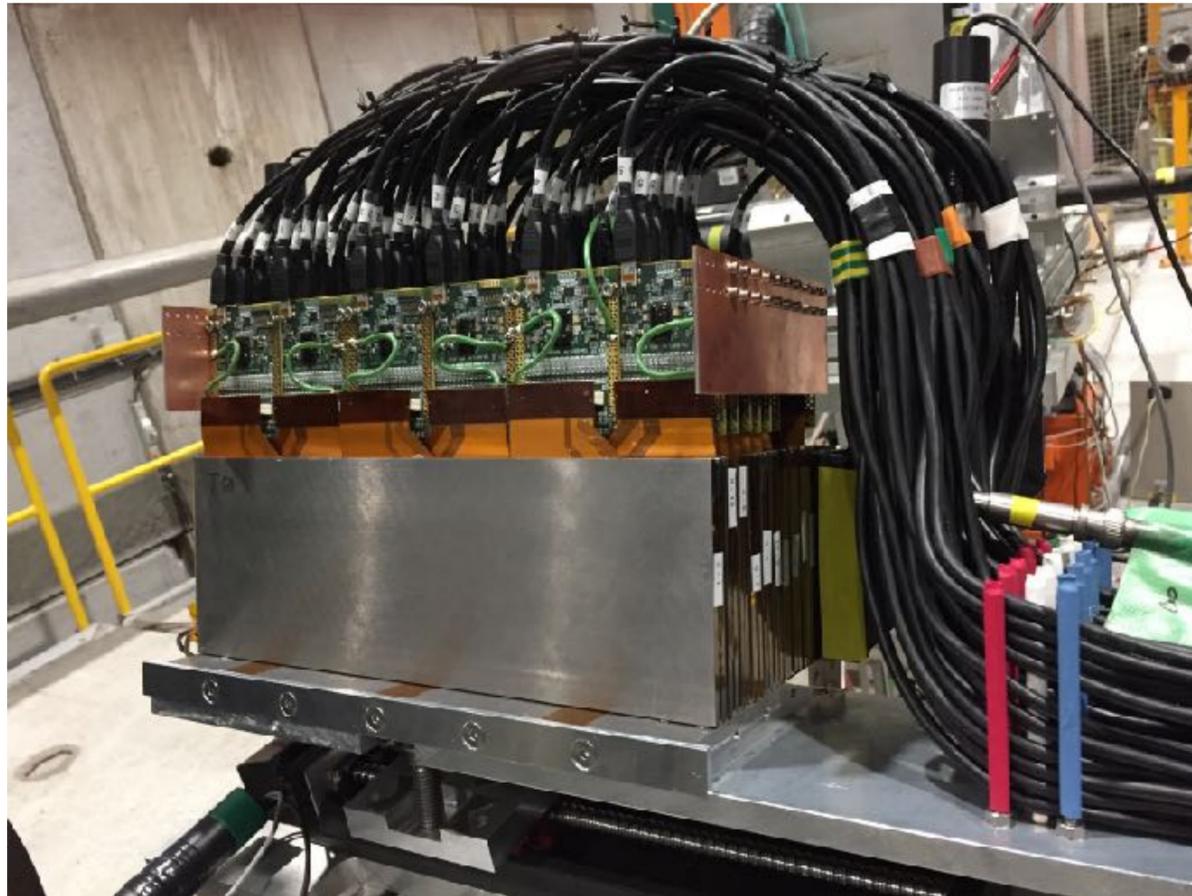


CERN PS/SPS (2018)

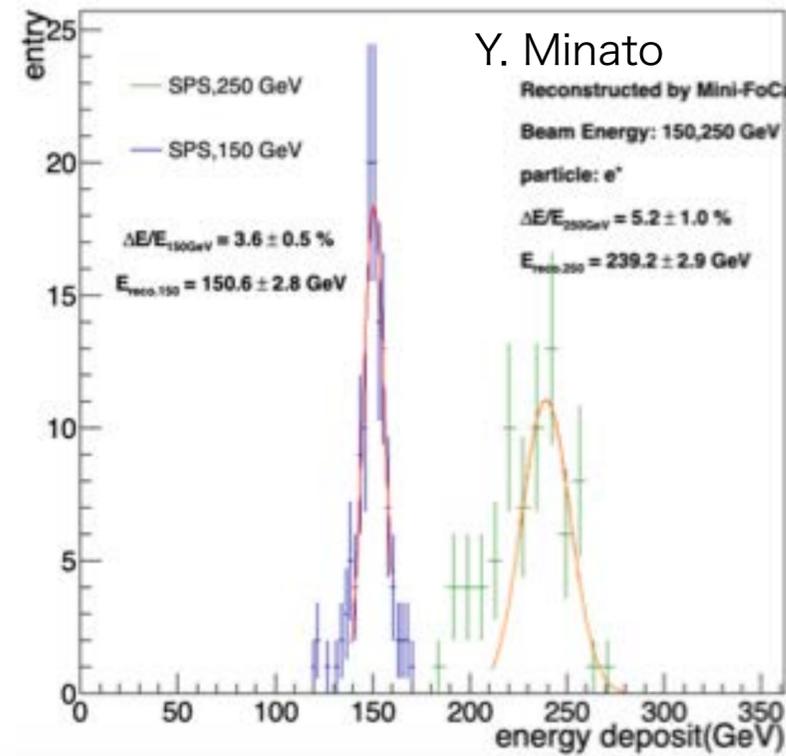


ELPH (2021.02 & 07)

Full module mini-FoCal at PS, SPS, LHC (2018)

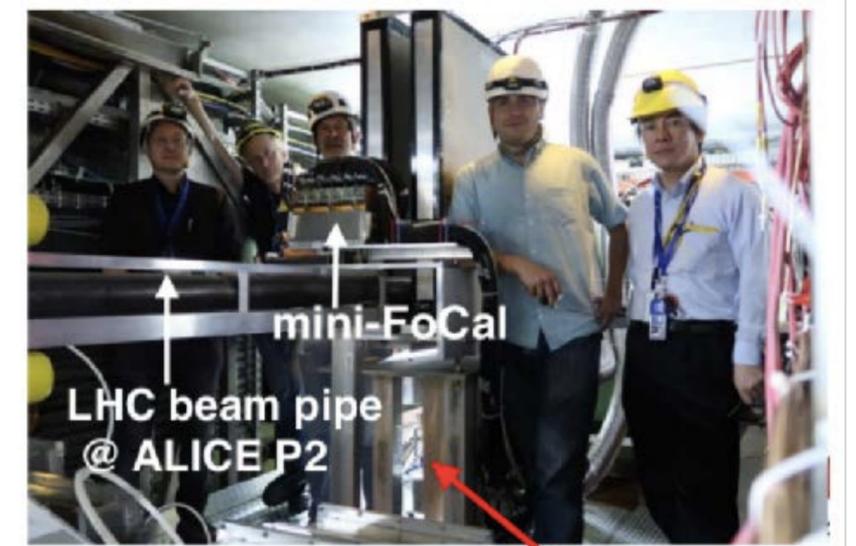


Test beam analysis results



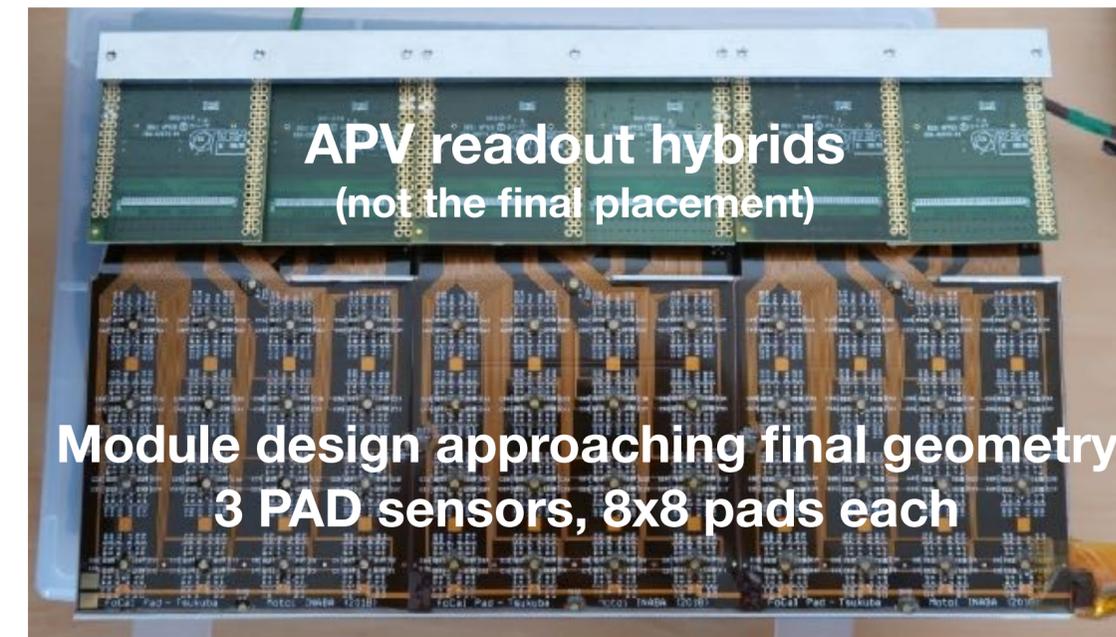
$\Delta E/E = 3.6 \%$

@ 150 GeV/c , e⁻ (SPS)



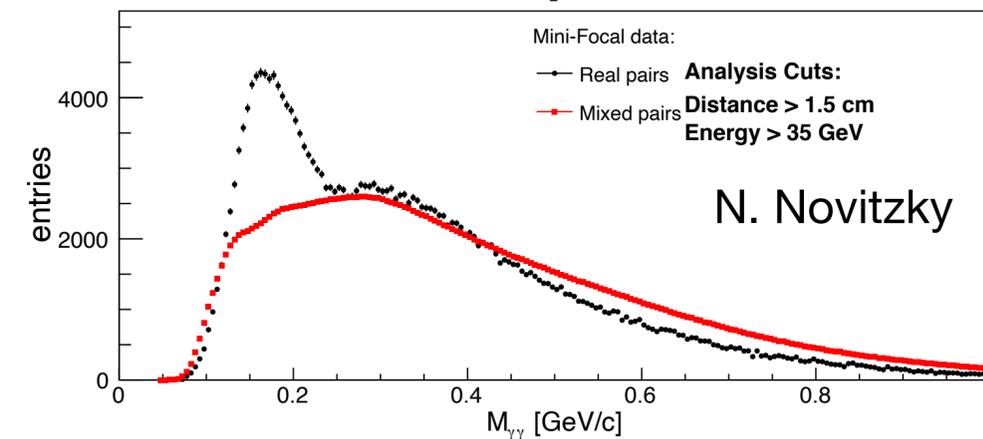
SRS system under the table

p+p @ $\sqrt{s} = 13$ TeV collisions in ALICE



- 60 instrumented pad sensor wafers
- ~3600 channels
- APV25 hybrid + SRS readout
- built in Tsukuba
- beam tests at CERN (PS, SPS, ALICE)

π^0 peak

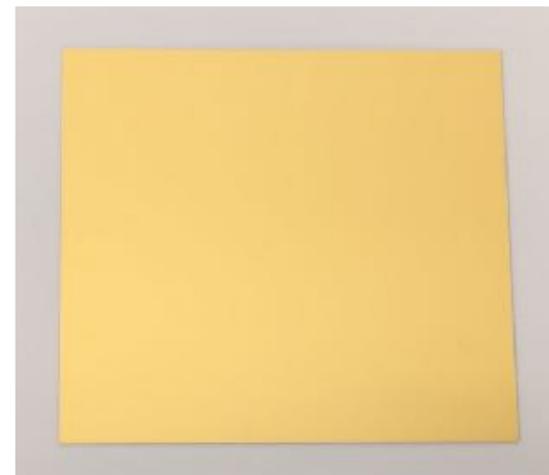


FoCal-E PAD: main sensor (8x9, p-type, 320um)

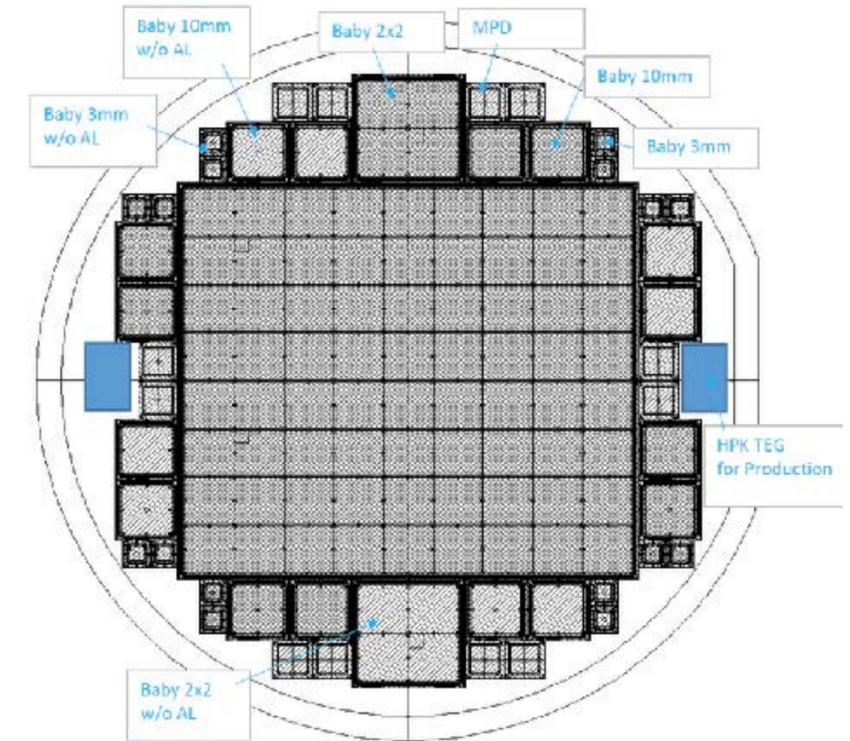


front side (w/ Al)

Hamamatsu S16211-0813
p-sub, 320 um, w/ Al,
1 cm² pad cell size



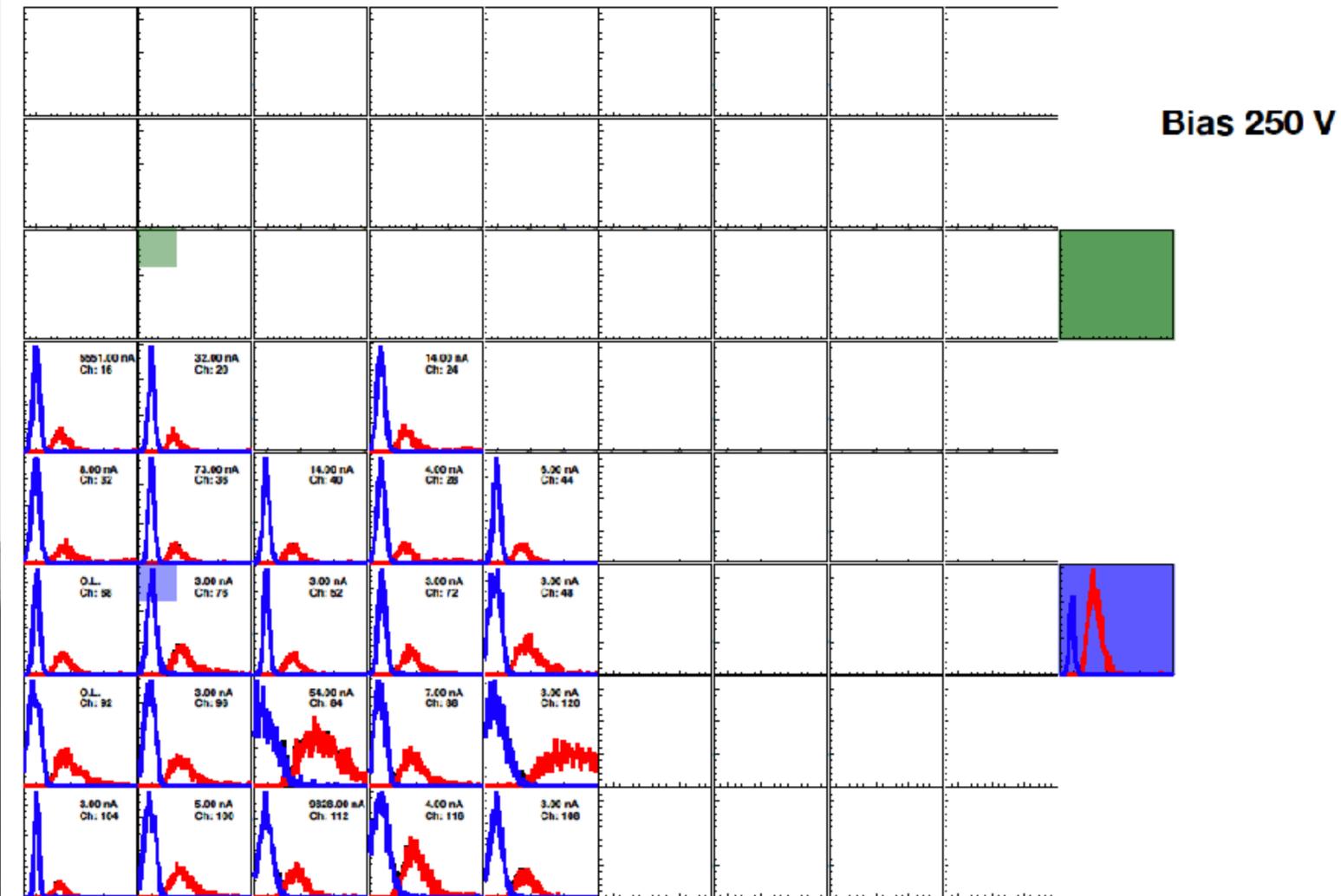
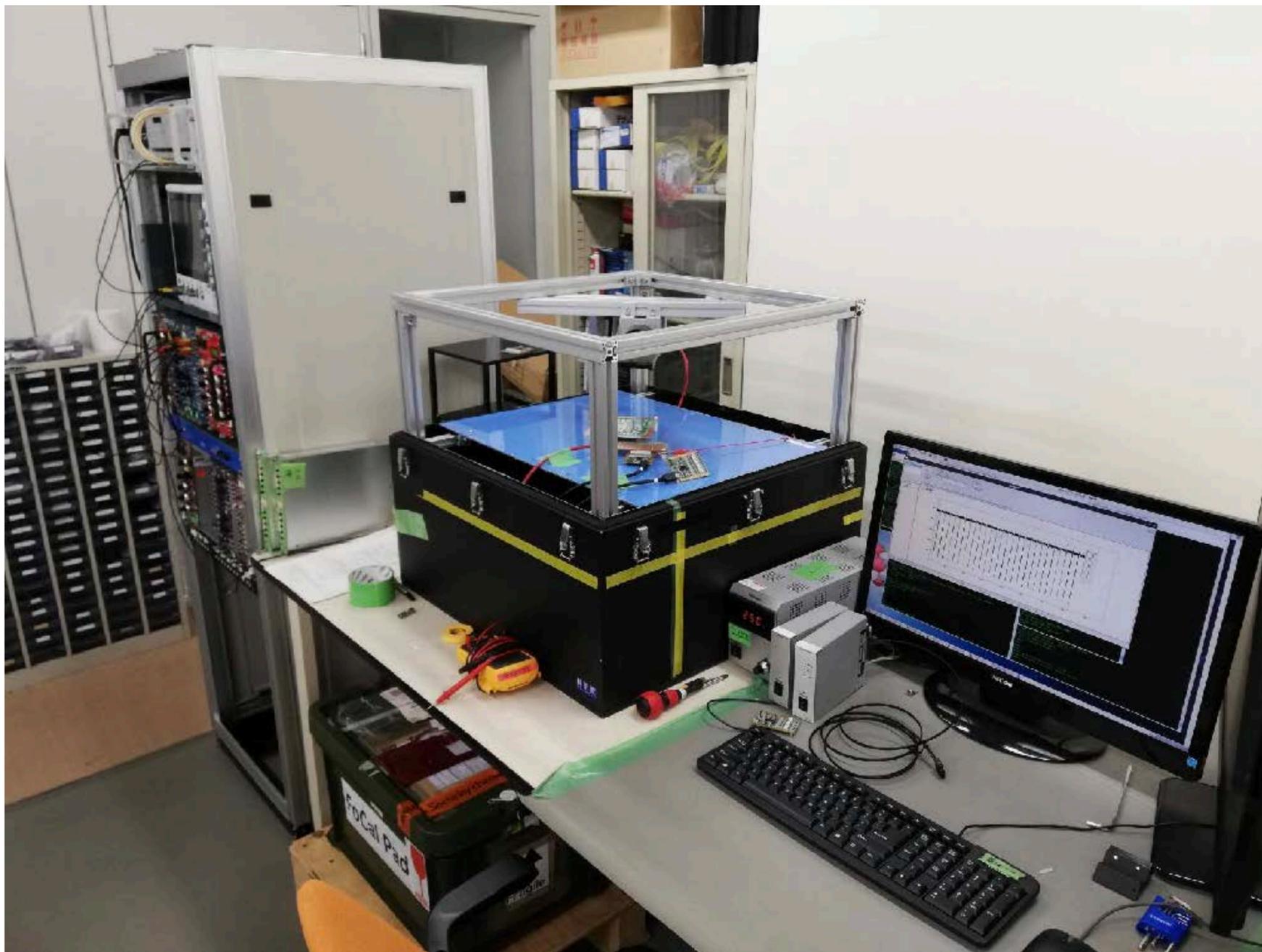
back side (Au)



First time use of p-type for FoCal

- 8x9 cells + calibration cells (w/Al), produced 30, and delivered.
- More rad. hard than n-type.
- Compatible with HGCR0C (readout ASIC for final detector).

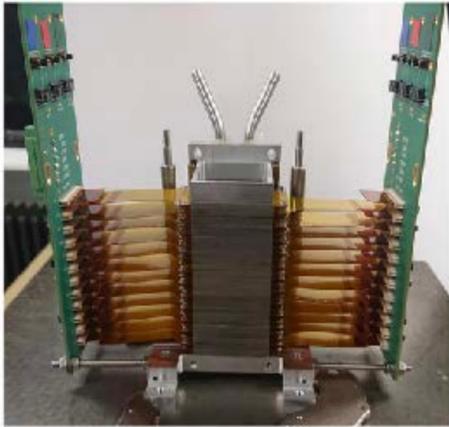
Cosmic test bench for FoCal-E pad



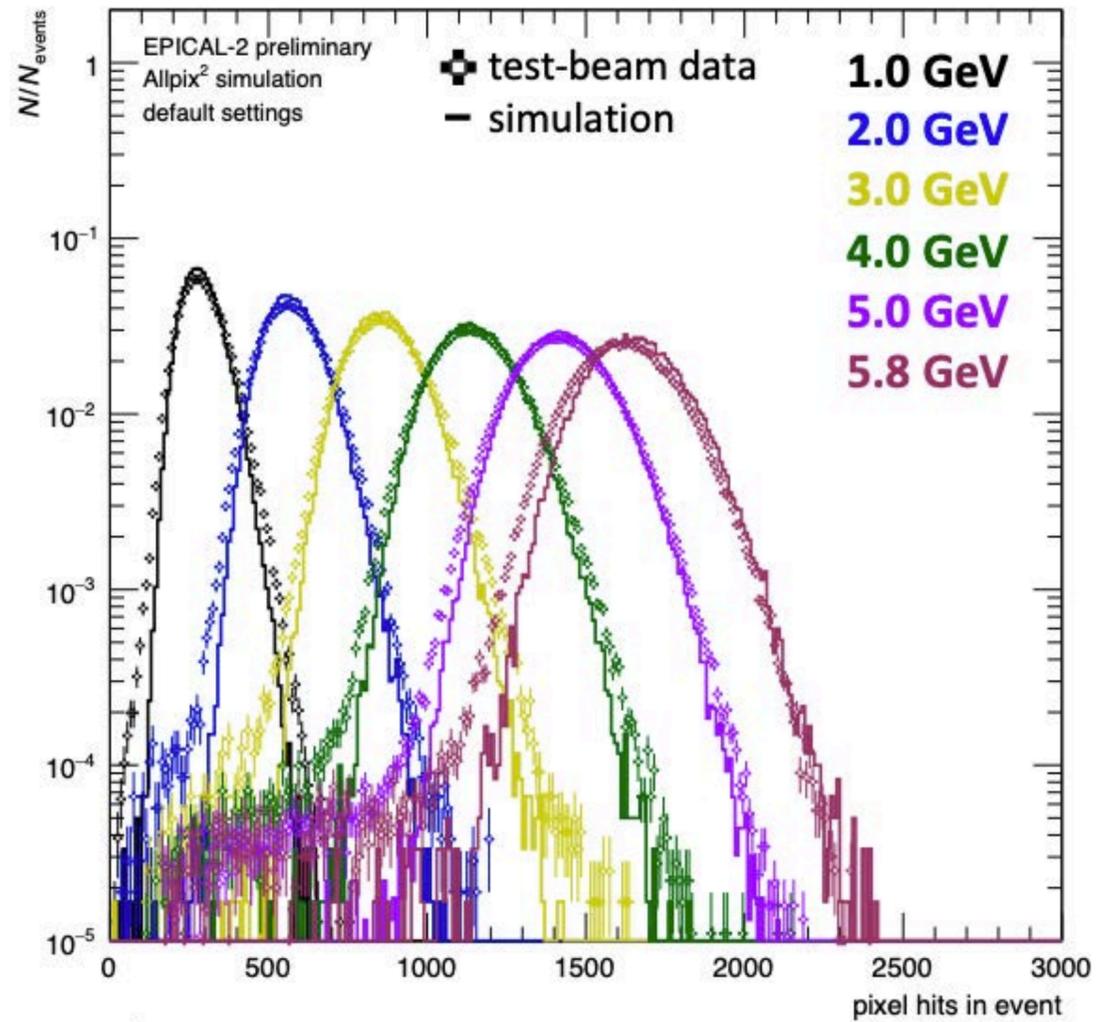
N. Novitzky

- Clear MIP signals seen by the cosmic ray data taking for 8x9 main sensor.
- Plan: will order new design of p-type main sensors (20) and n-type (20) in 2021.

EPICAL-2 test beam at DESY (2019/2020)

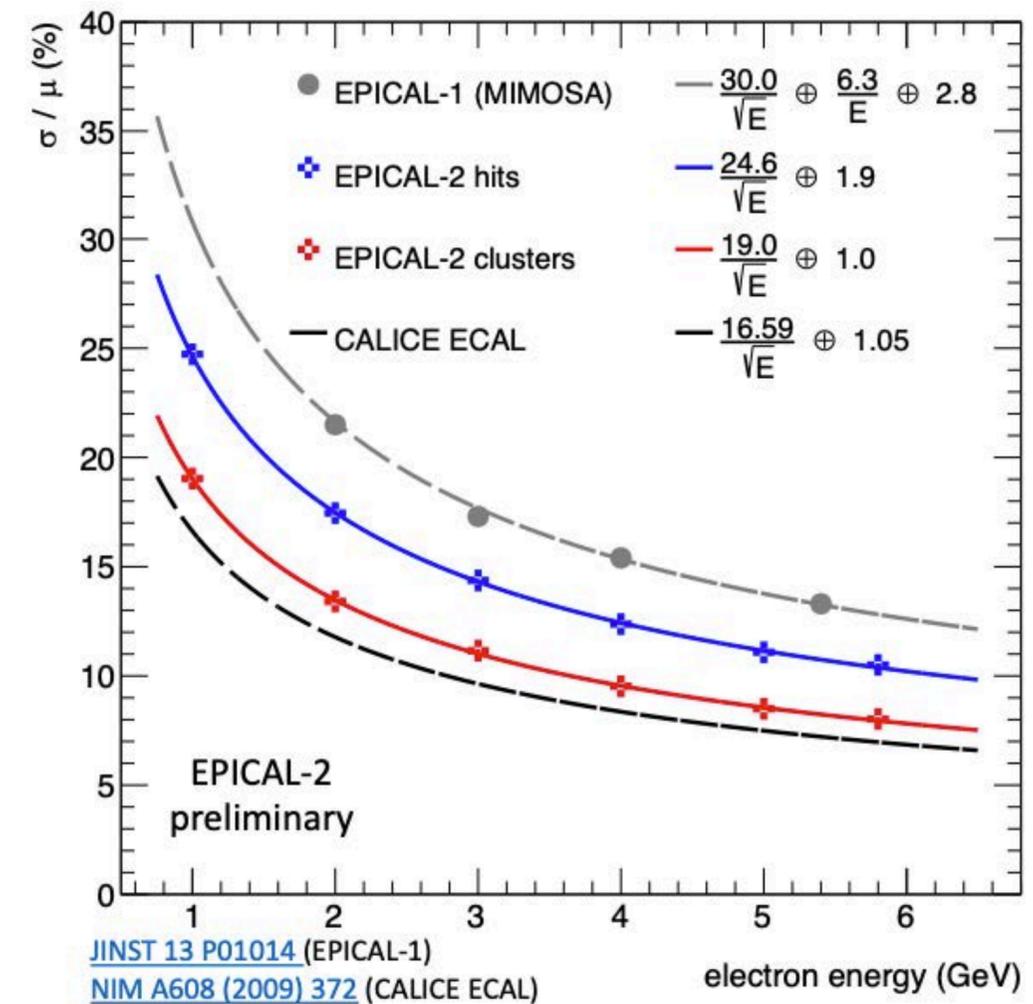


Number of pixel hits



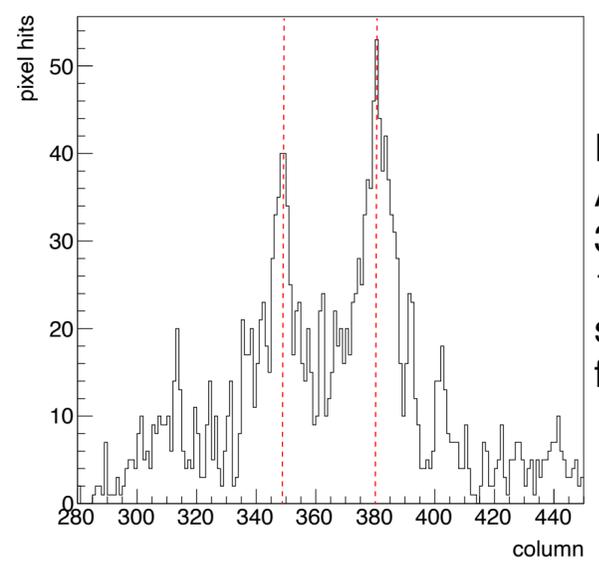
Detailed response simulations with AllPix²

Energy resolution

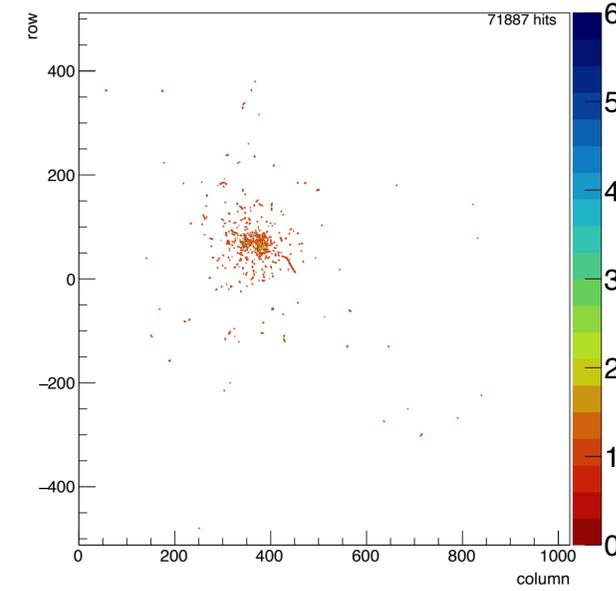


Cluster counting provide better energy resolution than hit counting

Two shower separation



EPICAL-2 preliminary
Allpix² simulation
30 GeV e⁻ + 250 GeV e⁻
1.2 mm separation
single event
first 6 layers integrated



Two-shower separation down to 1 mm should be possible

Digital pixel calorimetry: good energy resolution and excellent spatial resolution

FoCal test beam experiments in 2021/2022

(1) SPS test beam:

- H6 beam line, up to ~120 GeV
- Sep-Oct. in 2021, and another one in 2022.

FoCal-E

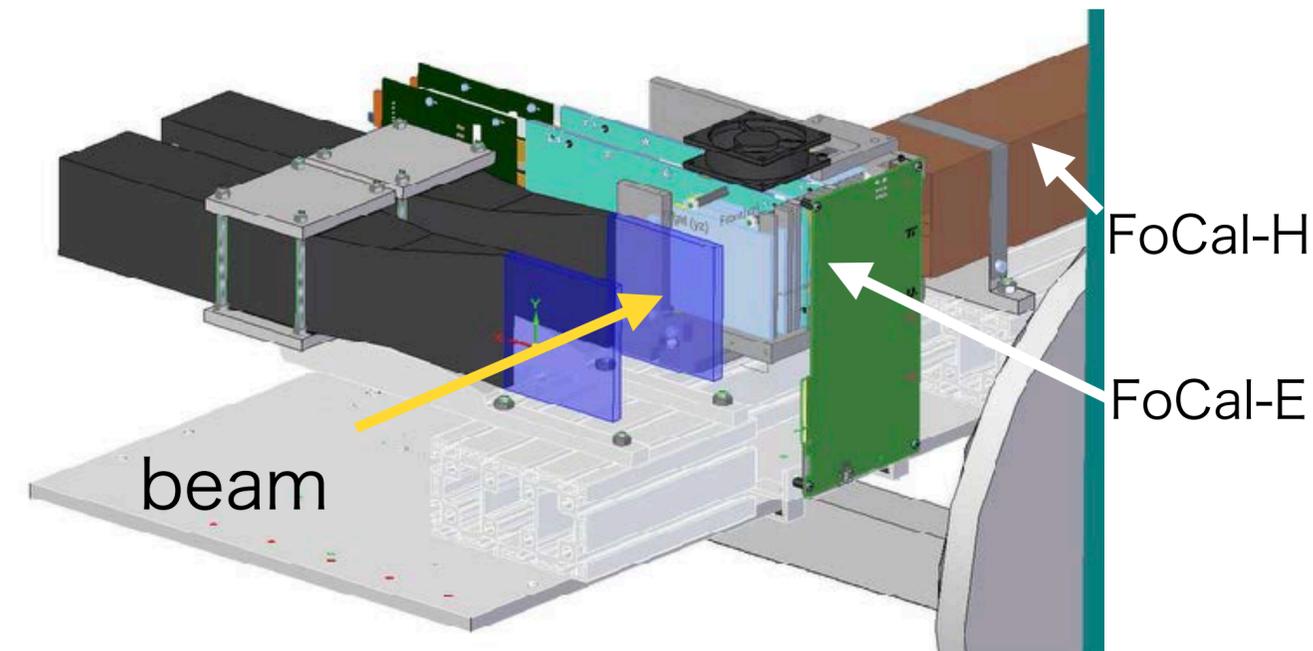
- 2 single pad (2021), and 2 pixel layers
- 18 single pad (2022), and 2 pixel layers
- Use final readout: HGCROC for PAD

FoCal-H

- 10 x10cm² area, 60-80cm depth (TBD)

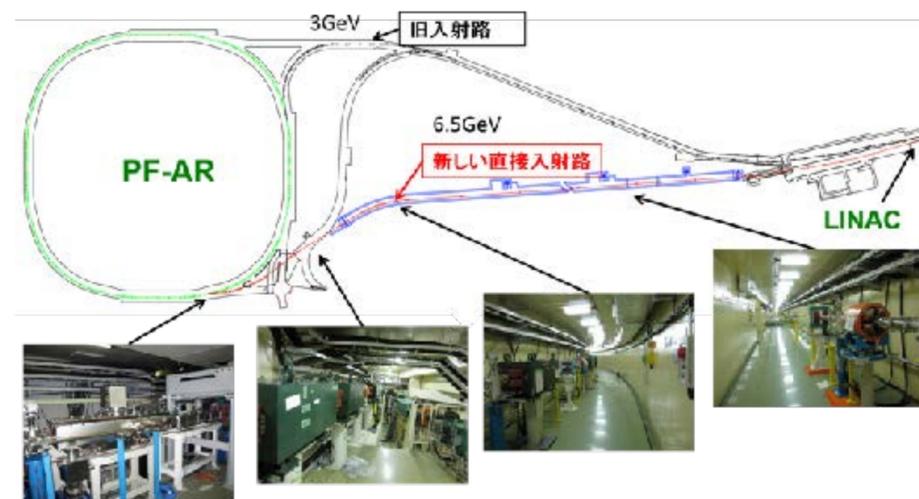
(2) Irradiation test @ RIKEN RANS

(3) Beam test @ KEK PF-AR (under construction)

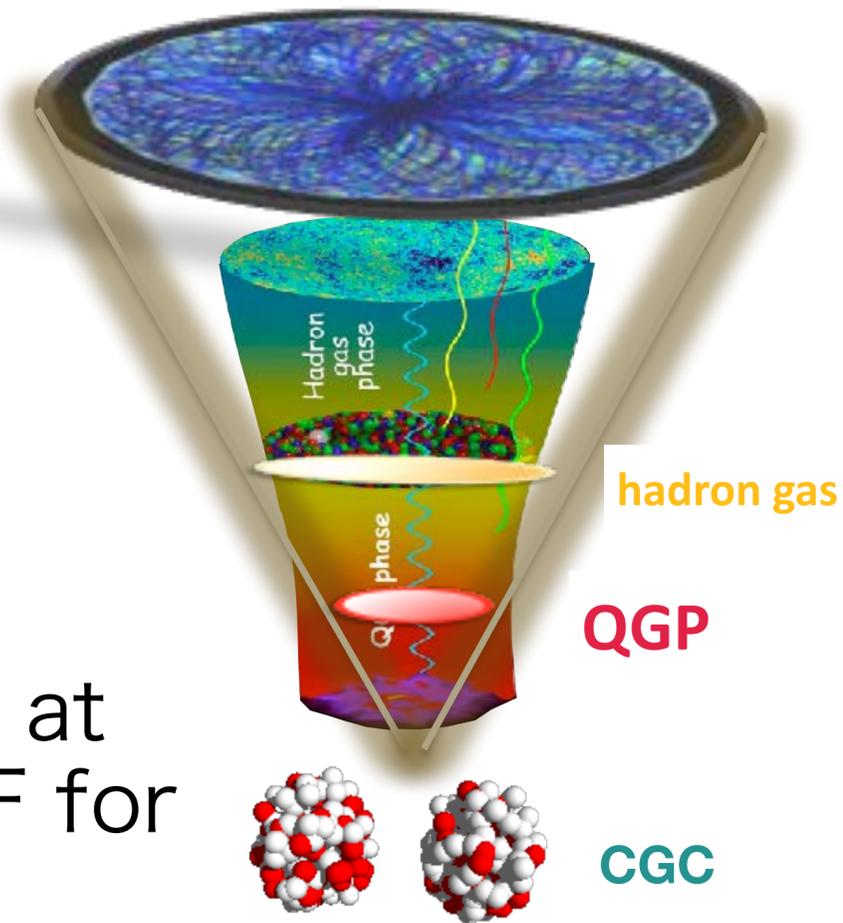
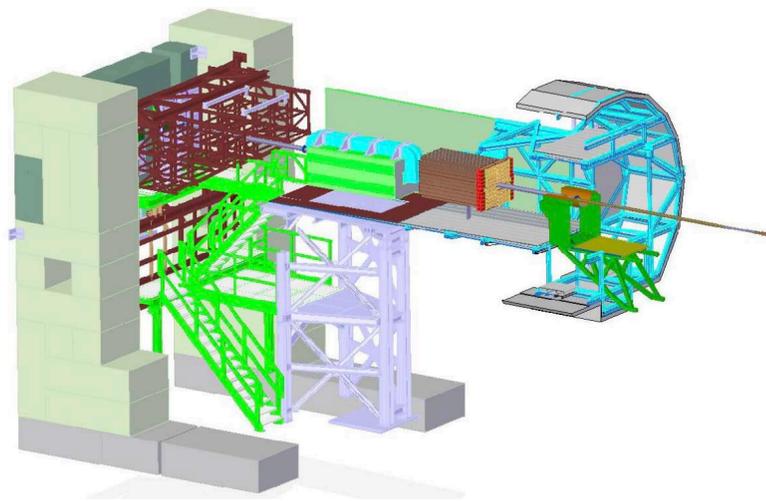


TEST module of FoCal-E pad with HGCROC

To be shipped to CERN for test beam in Sep. 2021



Summary



- Unique capability to access the origin of QGP creation.
 - Isolated photon & π^0 measurements in forward region at LHC, for CGC search and determination of nuclear PDF for gluons.
- Silicon-tungsten + PIXEL hybrid detector for EM Calorimeter part, conventional hadronic calorimeter for hadronic part.
- Endorsed towards Technical Design Report (TDR) by LHCC in 2020 as a LHC Run-4 upgrade project (2027-).
- Final R&D and evaluations are ongoing.

FoCal Japanese Institutes, partners

- **University of Tsukuba:**

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- **Tsukuba University of Technology:**

- Motoi Inaba

- **Hiroshima University:**

- Toru Sugitate

- **Nara Women's University:**

- Maya Shimomura, Takashi Hachiya, (B4 student)

- **RIKEN:**

- Yuji Goto, Itaru Nakagawa, Ralf Seidl, Minho Kim, Shima Shimizu, (Kumaoka, JRA D2)

- **Nagasaki Institute of Applied Science:**

- Ken Oyama

- **Saga University:**

- Takahito Fusayasu



Cooperative Institutes

- **Grenoble LPSC:** Guernane, Bourrion, Rabi, ...
- **Utrecht Univ. / Nikhef:** Peitzmann, van Leeuwen (CiC research unit invitation)
- **KEK Silicon Platform (B) :** Tojo, Togawa et al.

List of institutes participating in FoCal (from Lol)

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Bergen	University of Bergen, Bergen, Norway	D. Roehrich
Bose	Bose Institute, Kolkata, India	S. Das
CCNU	Central China Normal University	D. Zhou
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Yonsei	Yonsei University, Seoul, Korea	Y. Kwon

**Thank you for your
attentions!**

Irradiation test at RIKEN

- RIKEN (Wako) RANS, (**RIKEN** **A**ccelerator driven compact **N**eutron **S**ource)
- **RANS**: Proton 7MeV, $100\mu\text{A}$, 6×10^{13} proton/s, Be target, Neutron 5MeV max., 10^{12} neutron/s from the target.
- **RANS-II**: Proton 2.49MeV, $100\mu\text{A}$, Li target, Neutron 0.7MeV max.
- RIKEN/ Tsukuba/ Tsukuba Tech.
- Plan: IV, CV measurements for n-type, p-type sensor with neutron monitor (Kyushu Univ.)

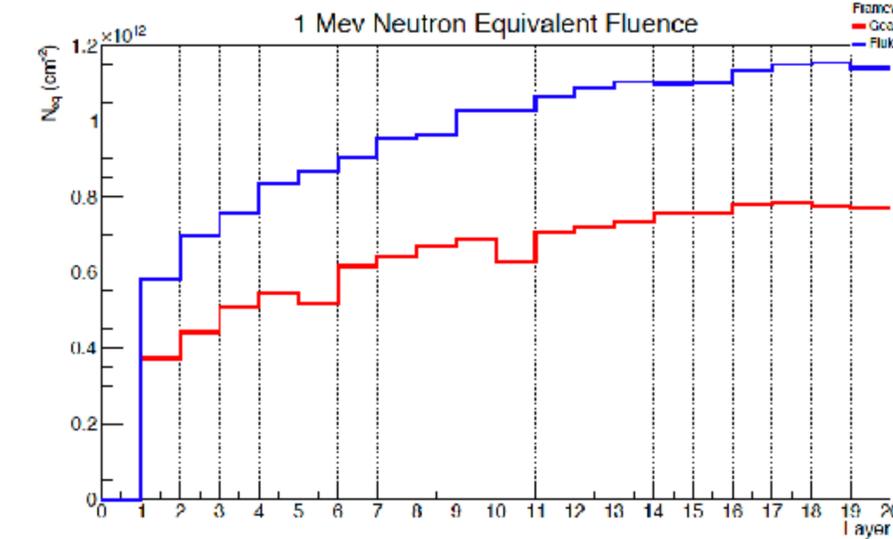


Figure 12: NIEL weighted 1 MeV Neutron equivalent fluence for an integrated luminosity of 10 nb^{-1} Pb-Pb | 50 nb^{-1} p-Pb | 6 pb^{-1} pp for each layer in FoCAL.

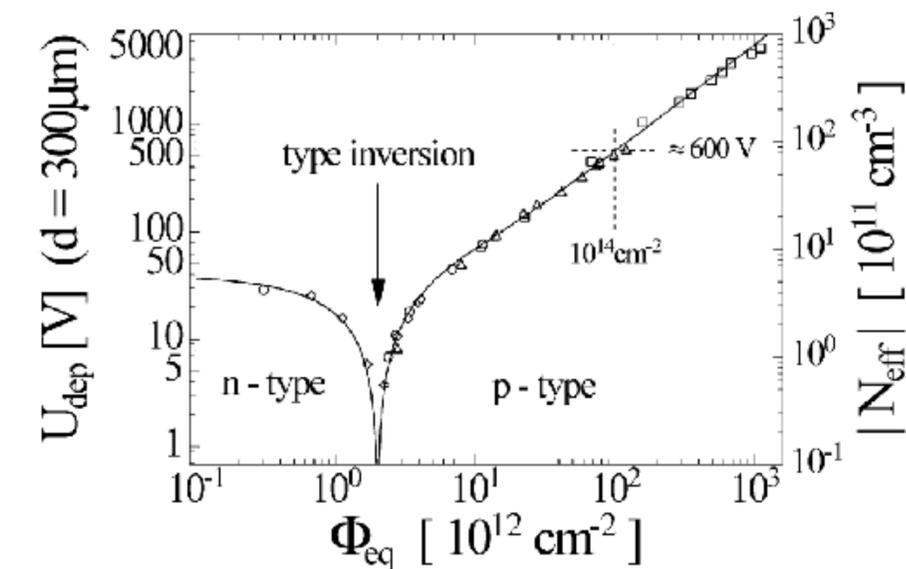
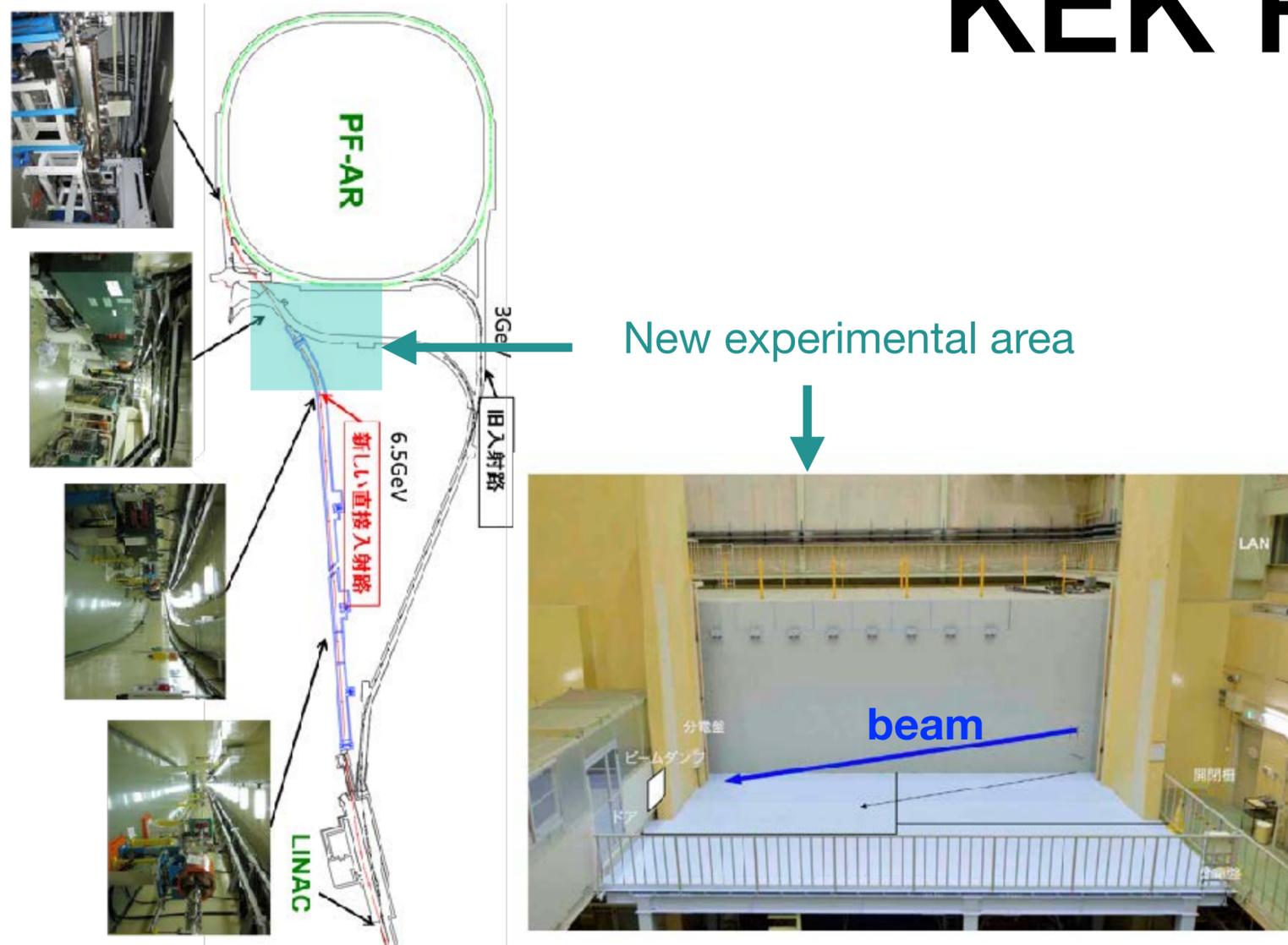


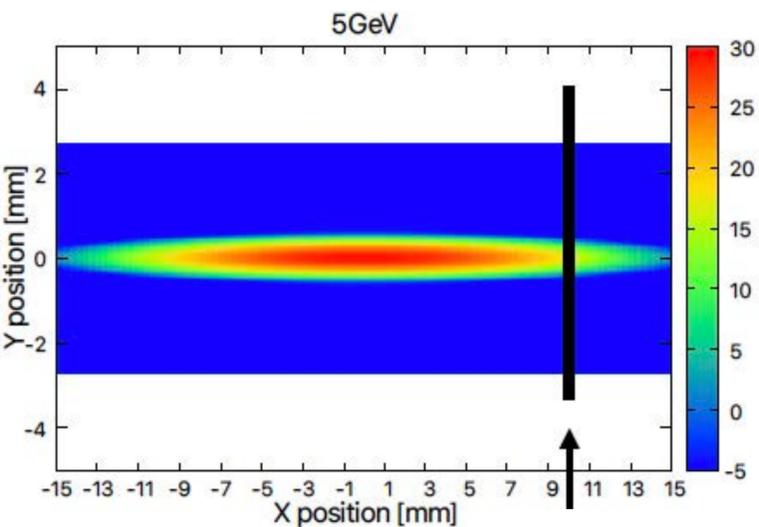
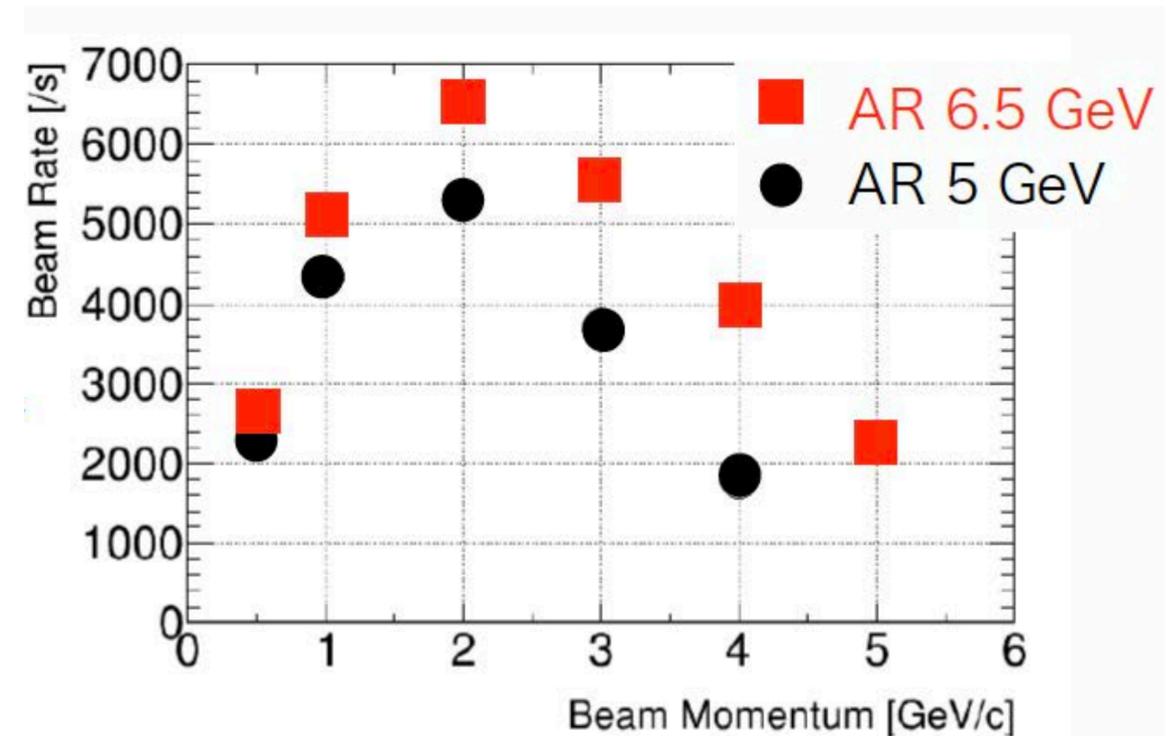
Fig. 4. Change in the bulk material as measured immediately after irradiation [20].

KEK PF-AR

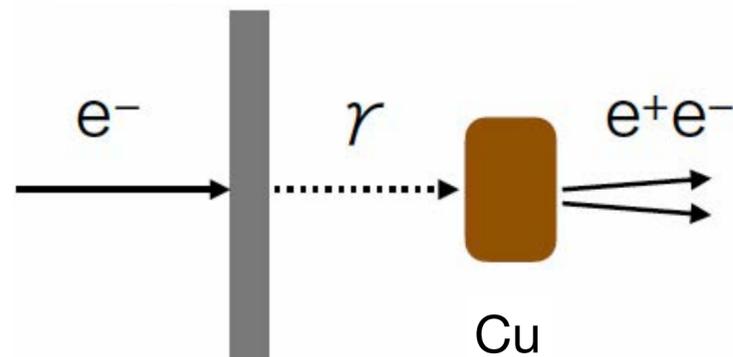


Photon Factory Advance Ring (PF-AR)

- 6.5 GeV and 5 GeV operation
- 1.3 μ s cycle (single bunch)



100 μ m ϕ carbon wire



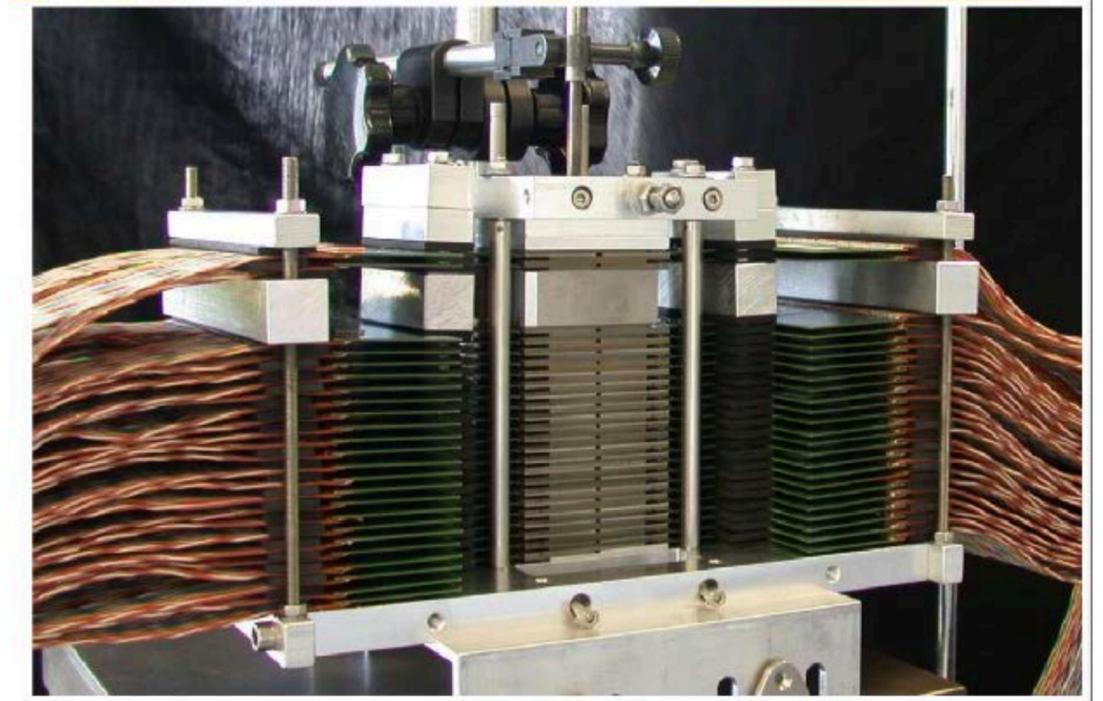
carbon wire to beam halo

- Beam optics committing during the summer shutdown, July-Sep. 2021
- In mid-October, the first beam expected.
- Together with Kyushu Univ, we are going to make beam monitor
- We are potentially a main user of this beam line after commissioning.
- Good for FoCal final R&D and calibration etc.

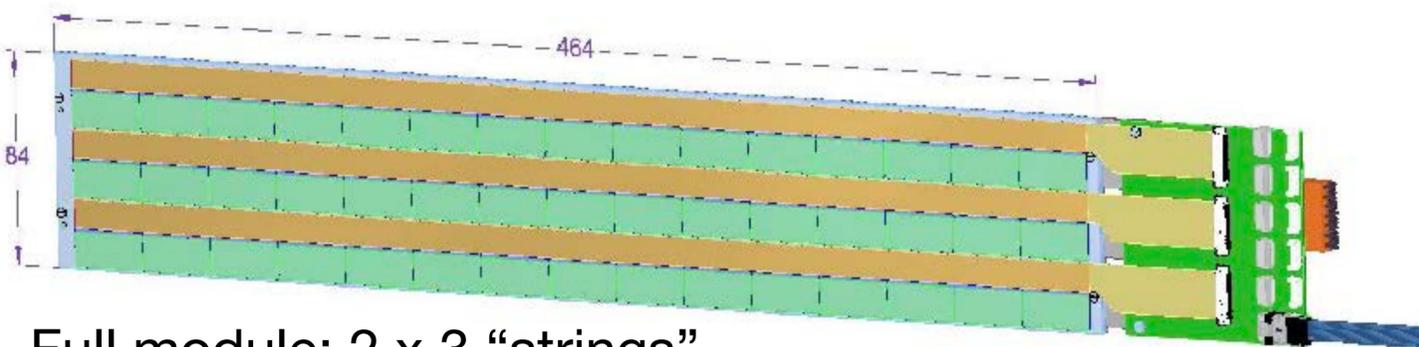
FoCal-E PIXEL



9 ALPIDE chips on a flex cable:
30 x 1.5 cm²
(developed for pCT application)

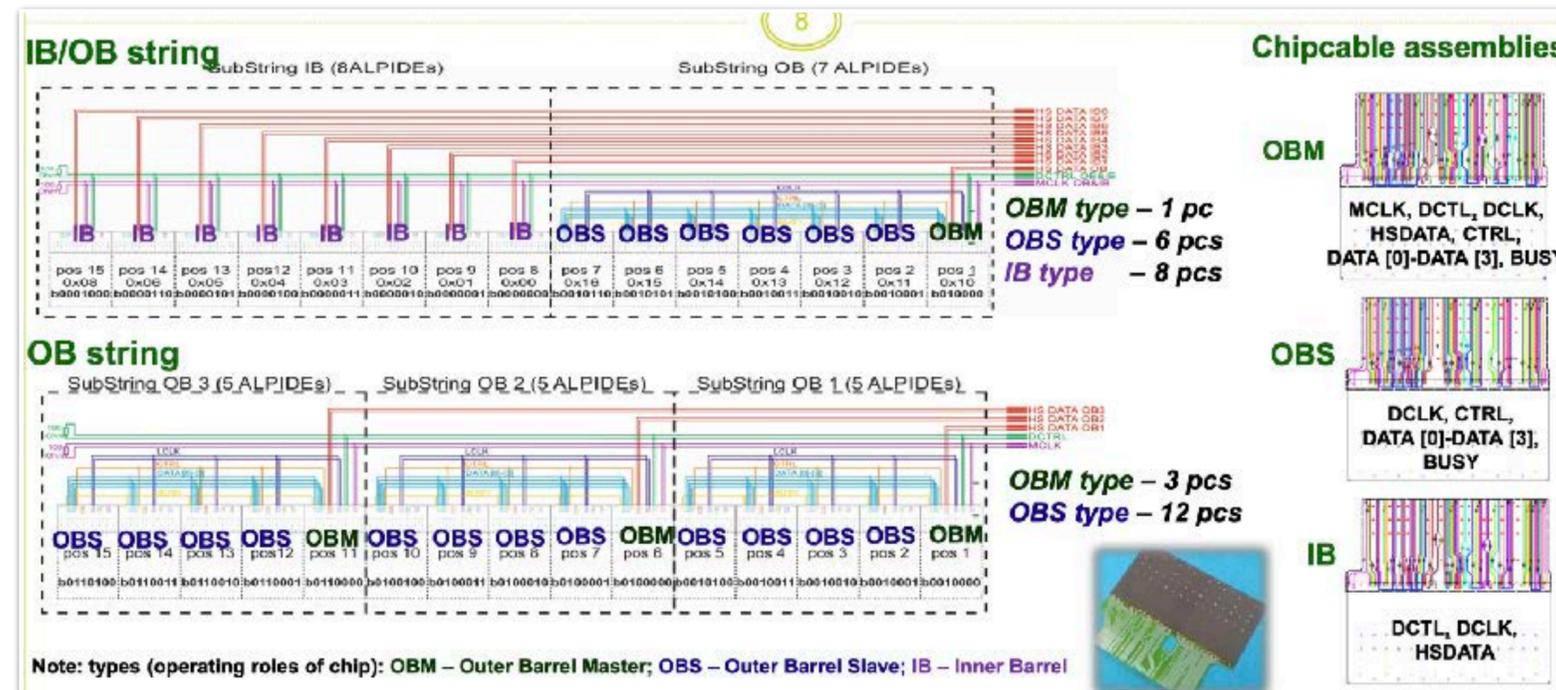


MIMOSA pixel calorimeter

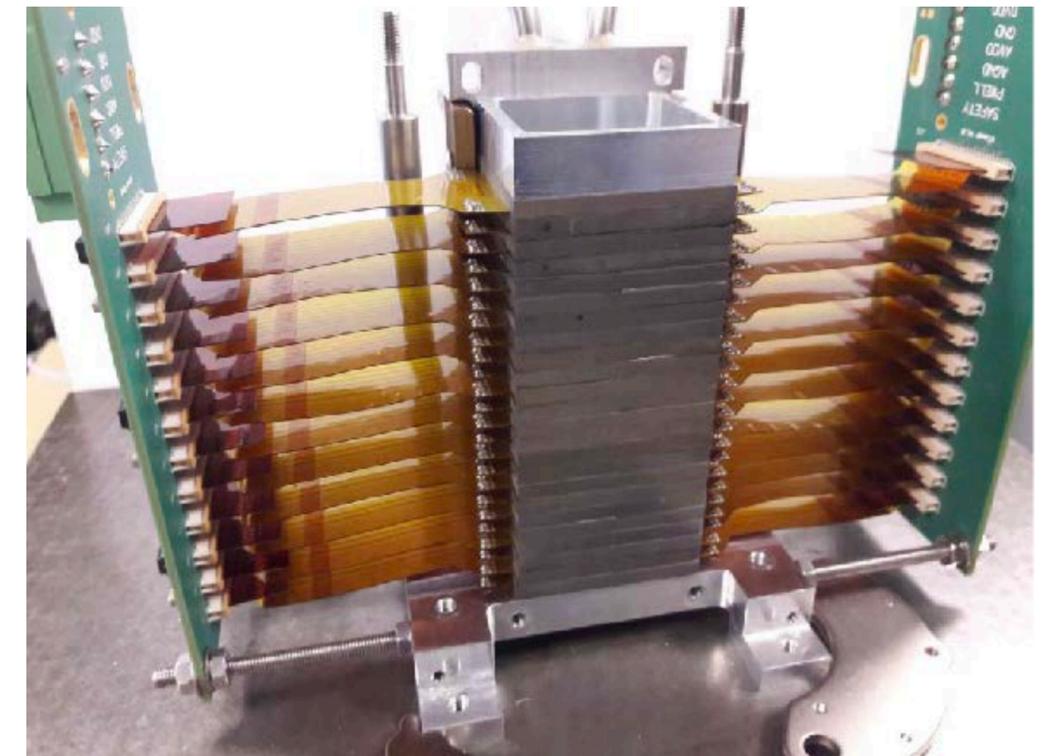


Full module: 2 x 3 “strings”
→ FoCal design: 15-chip flex cables

Flex cable design is progressing



(Bergen, Utrecht / Nikhef, LTU, Kharkov)



EPICAL: (sm)all-pixel E-cal prototype

Timeline

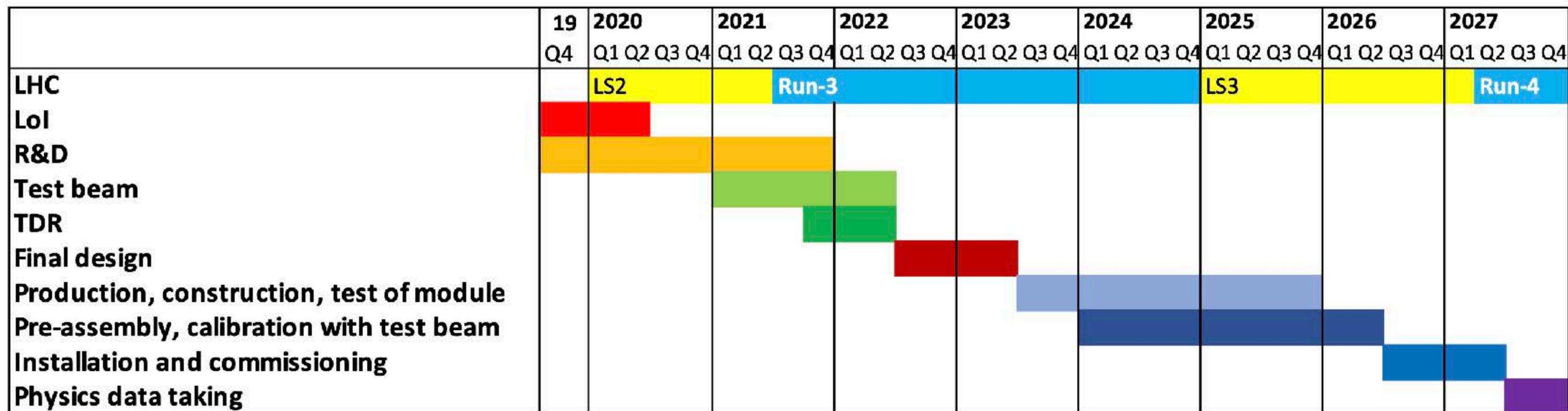


Table 6: Project timeline

Year	Activity
2016–2021	R&D
2020	Letter of Intent
2020–2022	final design
	Technical Design Report design/technical qualifications
2023–2027	Construction and Installation
2023–2025	production, construction and test of detector modules
2024–2025	pre-assembly calibration with test beam
2026	installation and commissioning
06/2027	Start of Run 4

- Next important step: Entering the engineering phase towards testbeam(s) 2021/22 and TDR
- Production estimated to fit well into 24 months
 - Plus half a year of "learning curve"

(not adjusted for Covid-19 changes)

FoCal-H

Plan for test beam (2021)

- HCal prototype based on Cu capillary tubes
- Fibers and tube samples acquired

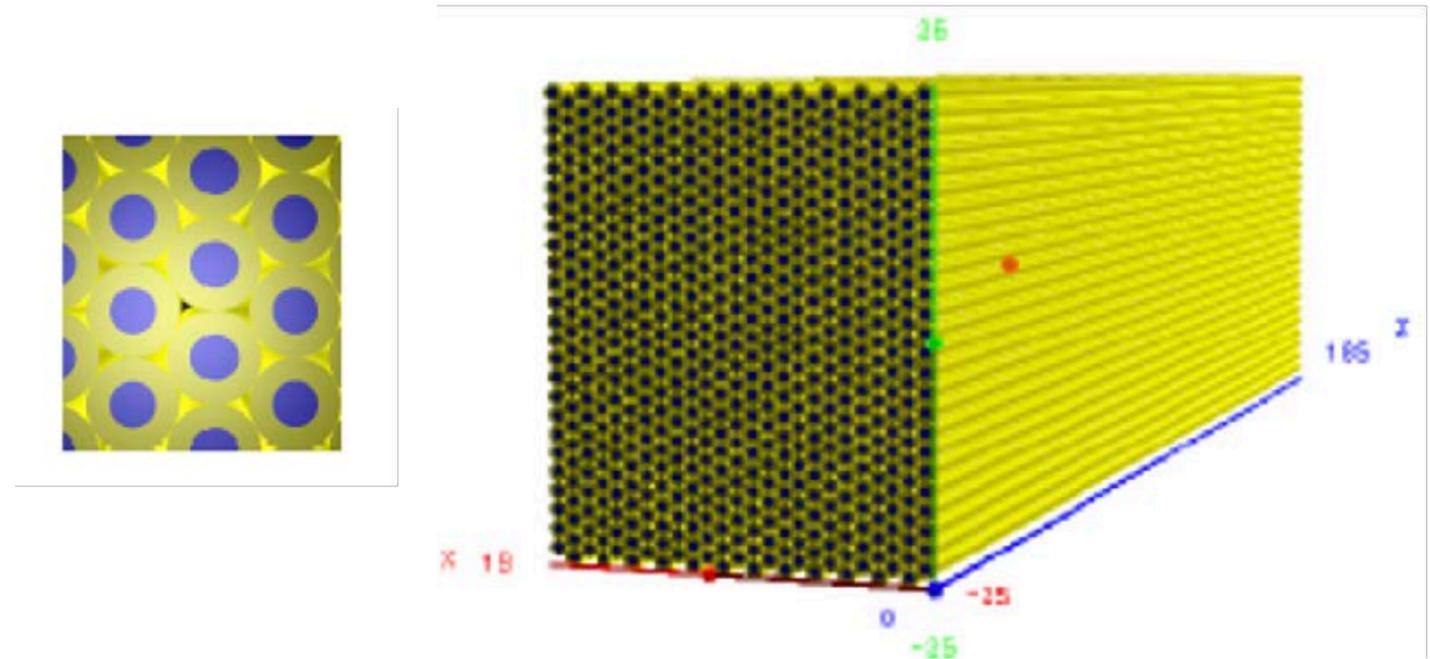
Performance/resolution simulations (on-going)

- Optimize performance, e.g. optimal ratio of active-passive material, granularity.
- large run time in had. shower simulation, but solutions being worked out

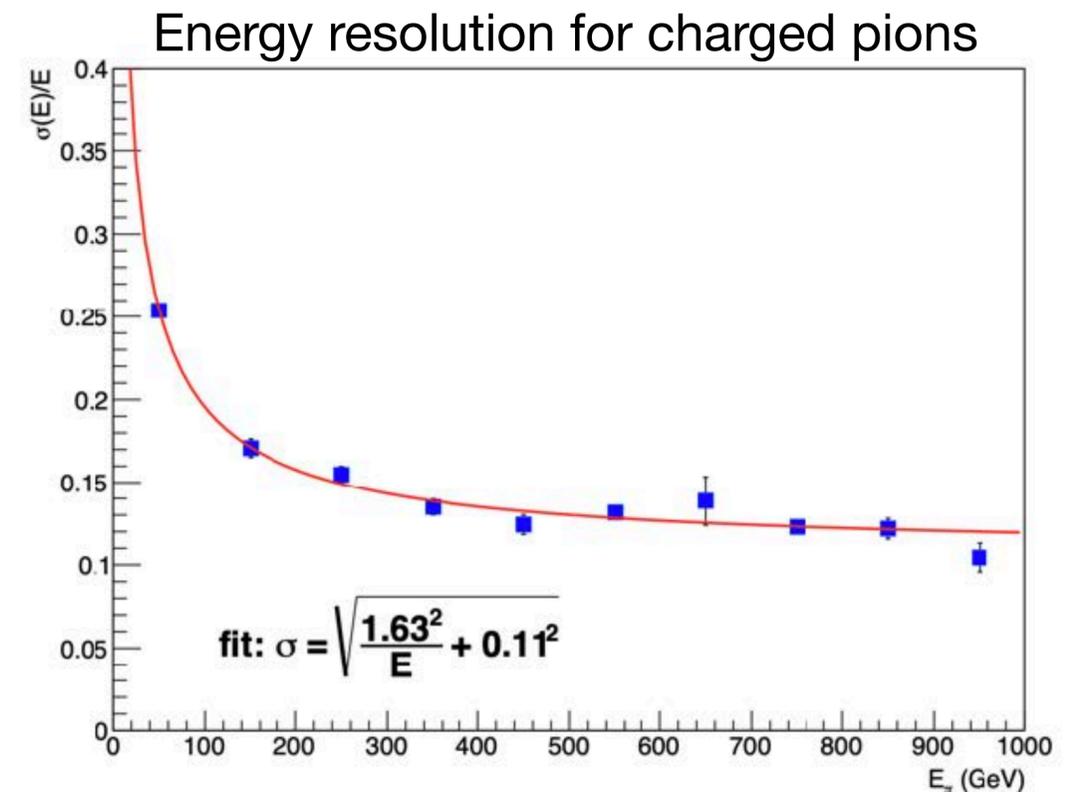
Choice of readout (SiPM/APD)

- SiPM being explored: more cost-effective and HGCR0C compatible version exists

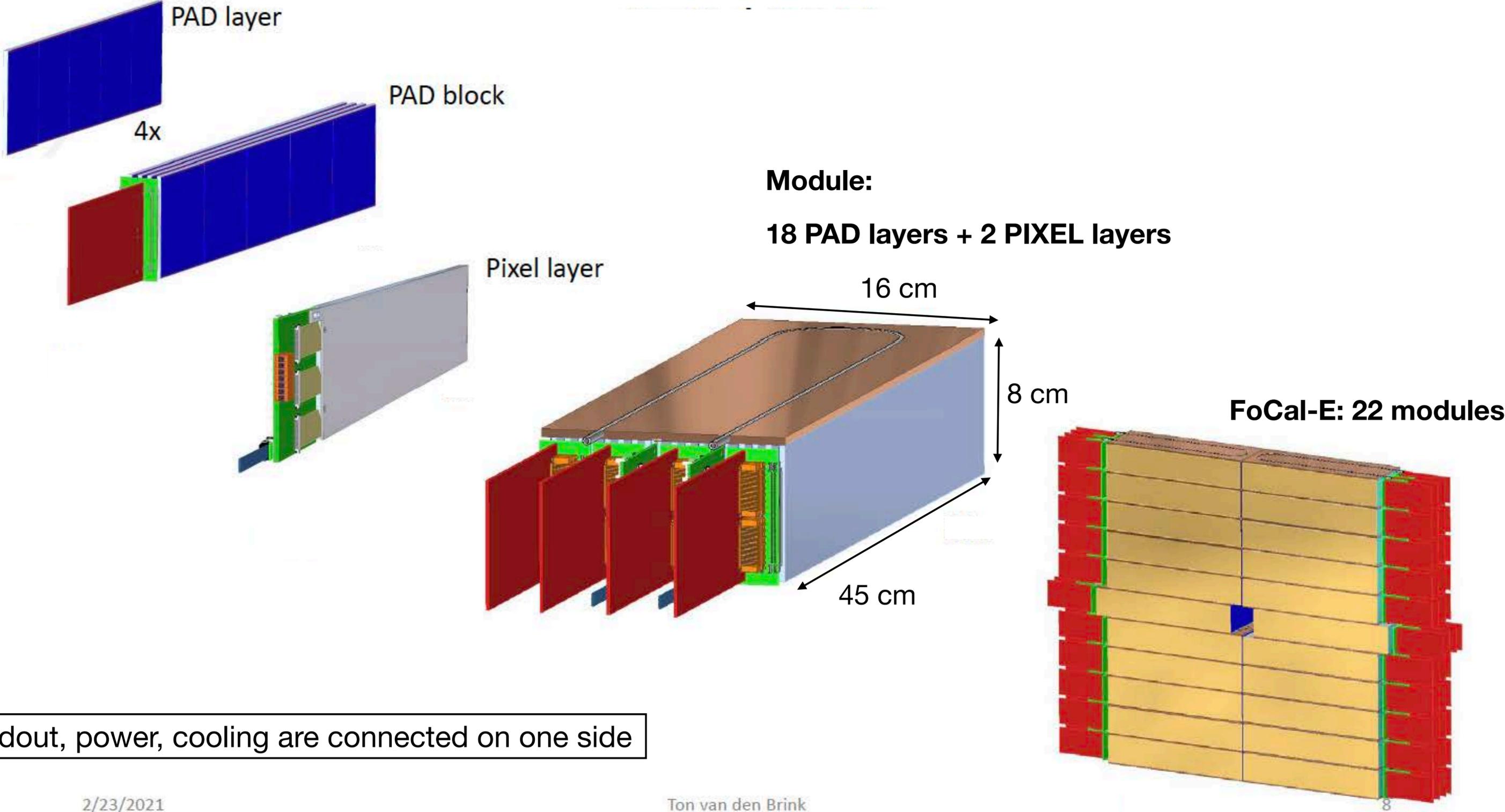
(Copenhagen)



(Similar approach suggested and being tested by IDEA collaboration in Oct 2020, e.g. see [talk](#))



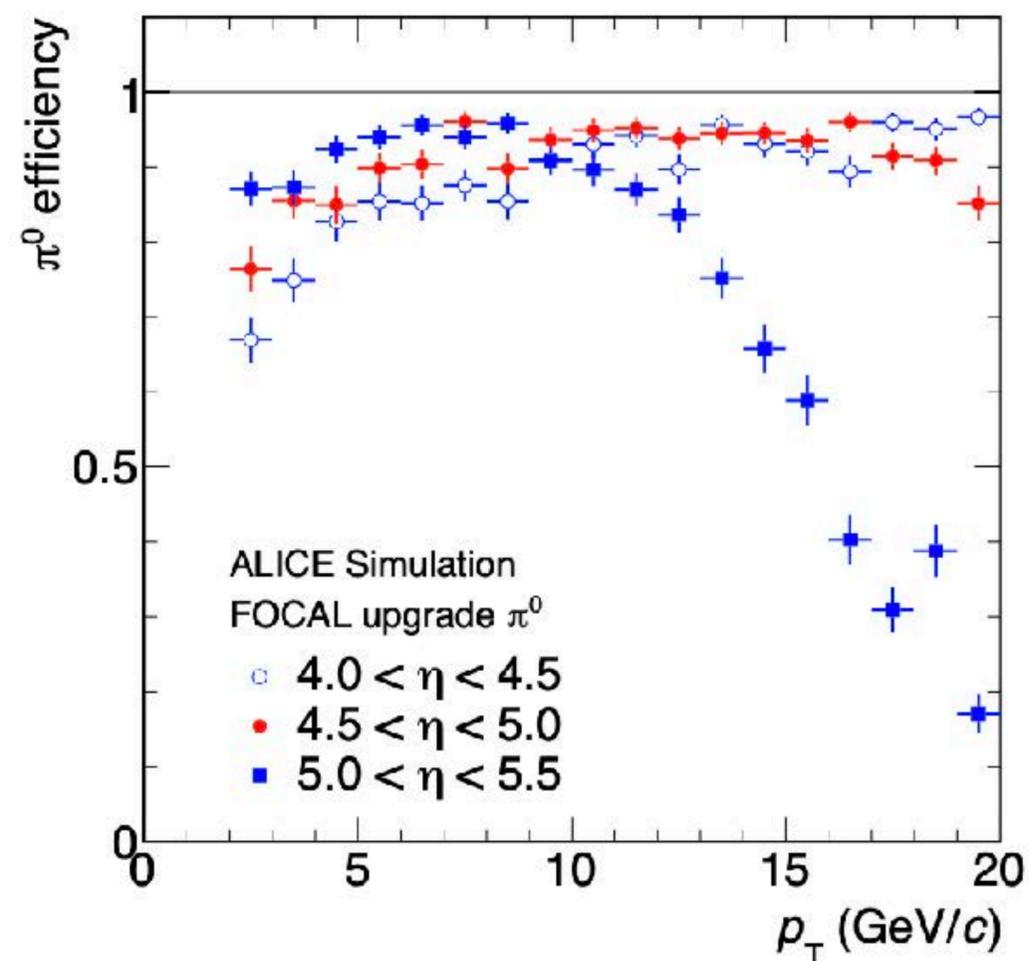
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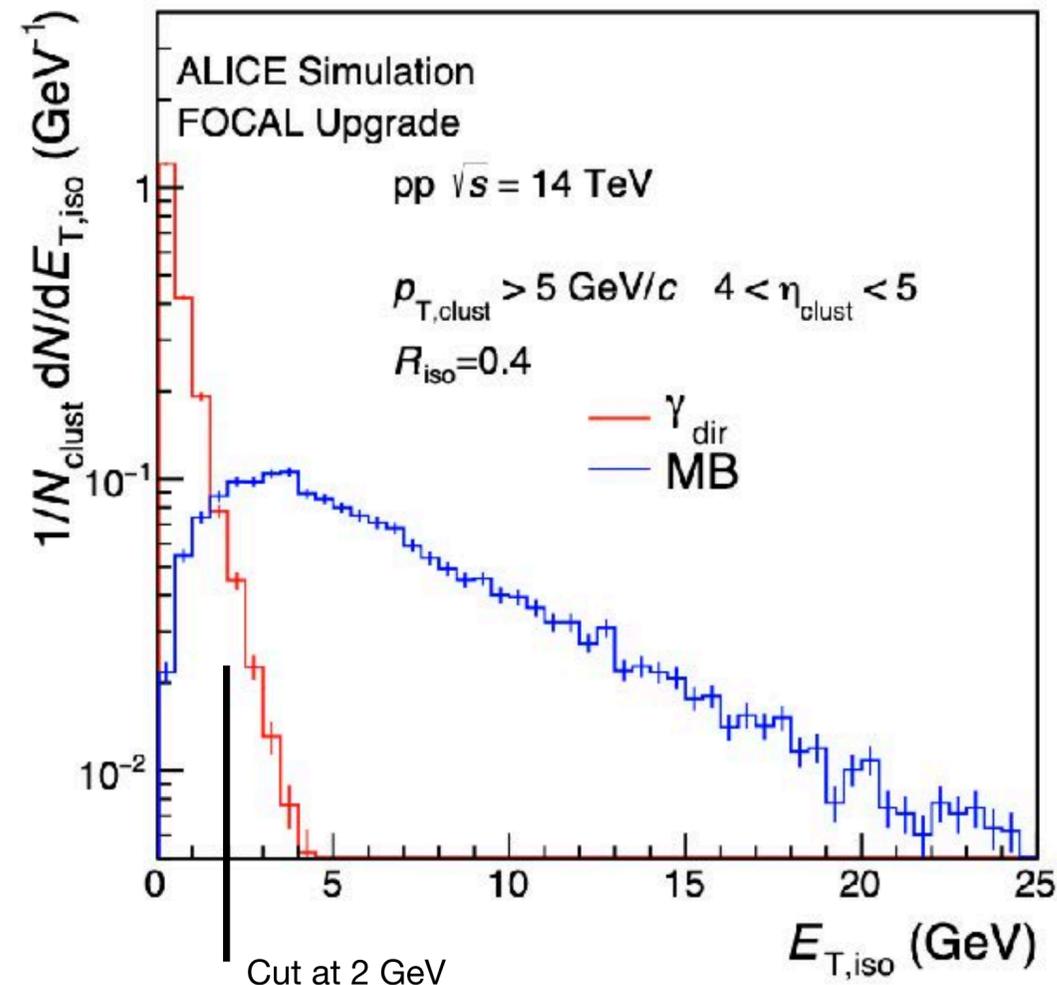
Readout, power, cooling are connected on one side

Key ingredients for isolated photon measurement

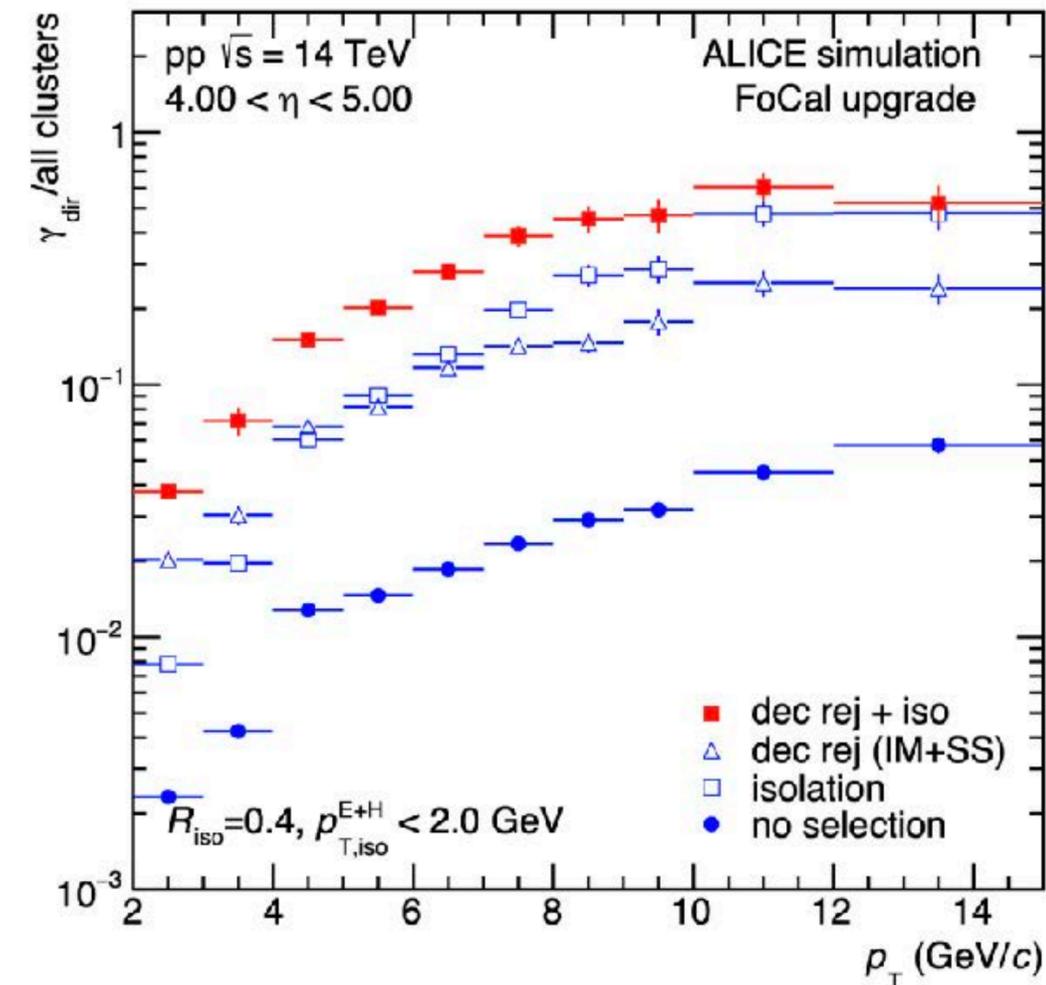
π^0 reconstruction efficiency



Isolation energy distribution



Direct γ /all cluster ratio



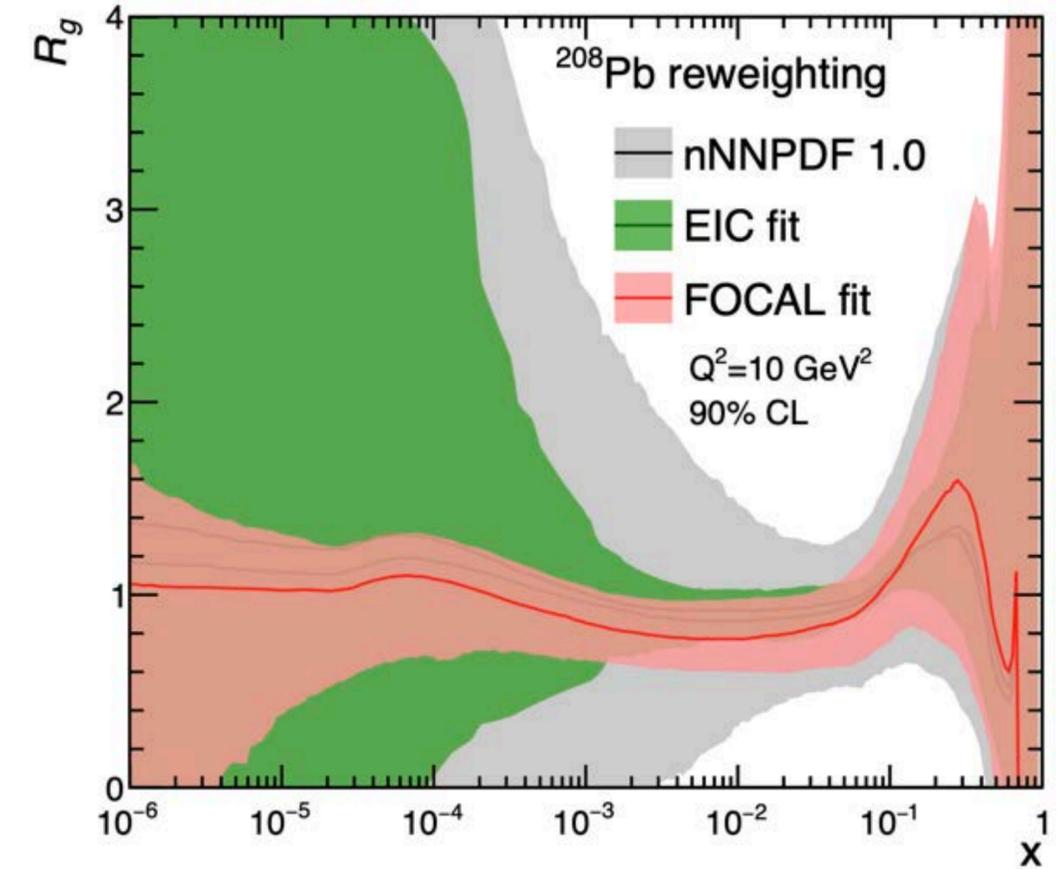
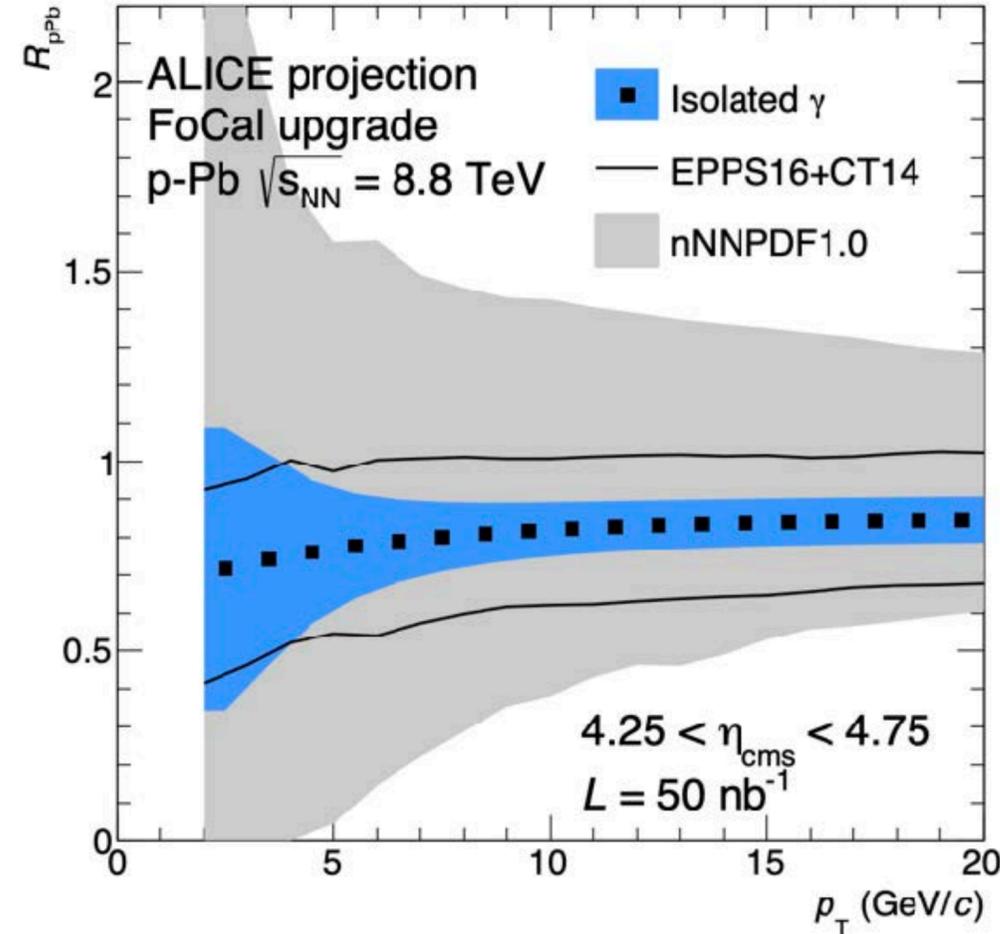
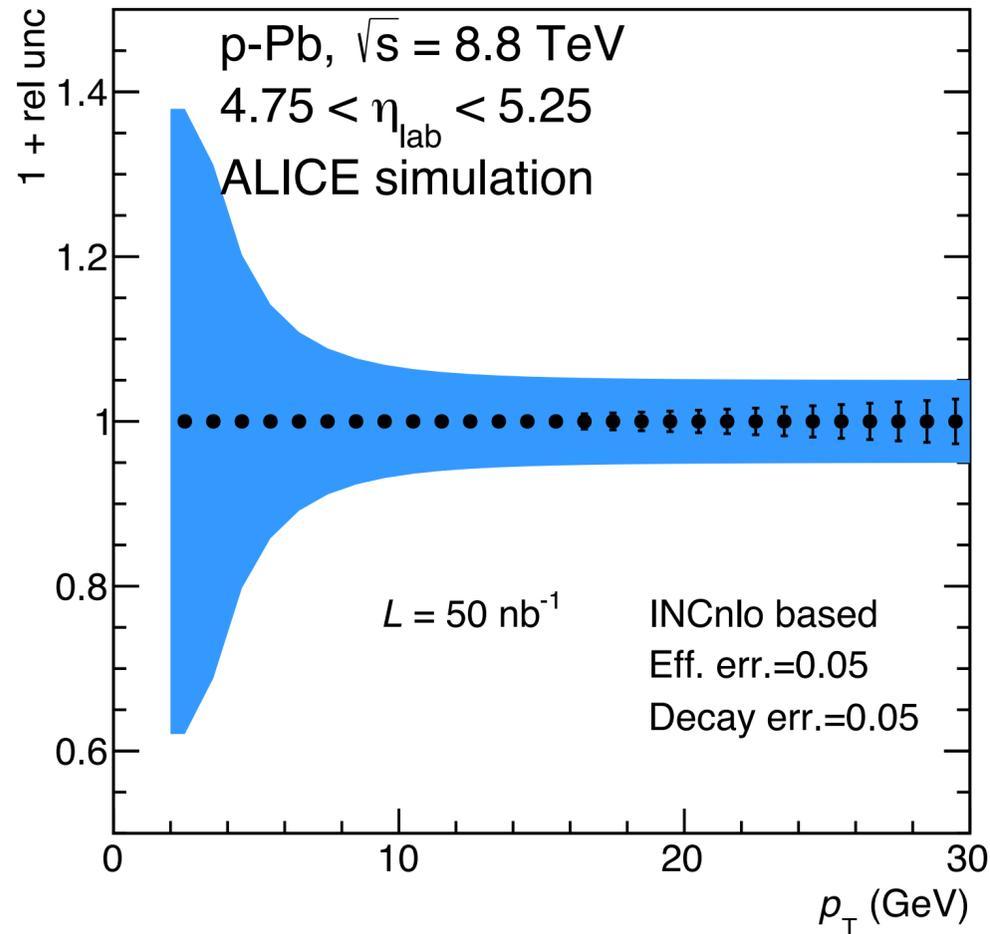
Main ingredients for direct photon identification

- π^0 reconstruction efficiency: measure background
- Isolation cut (EmCal + HCal)
- Rejection of decays by invariant mass reconstruction

Improvement in signal fraction by factor ~ 10 to $\sim 0.1-0.6$

Expected performance and impact on nPDF

R. Khalek et al.,
arXiv:1904.00018



- Systematic uncertainty $\sim 20\%$ at $\sim 4 \text{ GeV}$
- Below $\sim 6 \text{ GeV}$, uncertainty rises due to remaining background

- Significant improvement (up to factor 2) on EPPS16 gluon PDF
- Similar improvement as from open charm
 - Test factorization/universality
- Below 4 GeV : challenging regime
 - Also measure direct photons by statistical subtraction

- Recent nuclear PDFs: nNNPDF from DIS and minimal theoretical assumptions
- No constraints for $x < 10^{-2}$ from DIS
 - FOCAL provides significant constraints over a broad range: $\sim 10^{-5} - 10^{-2}$
 - Outperforming the EIC for $x < 10^{-3}$