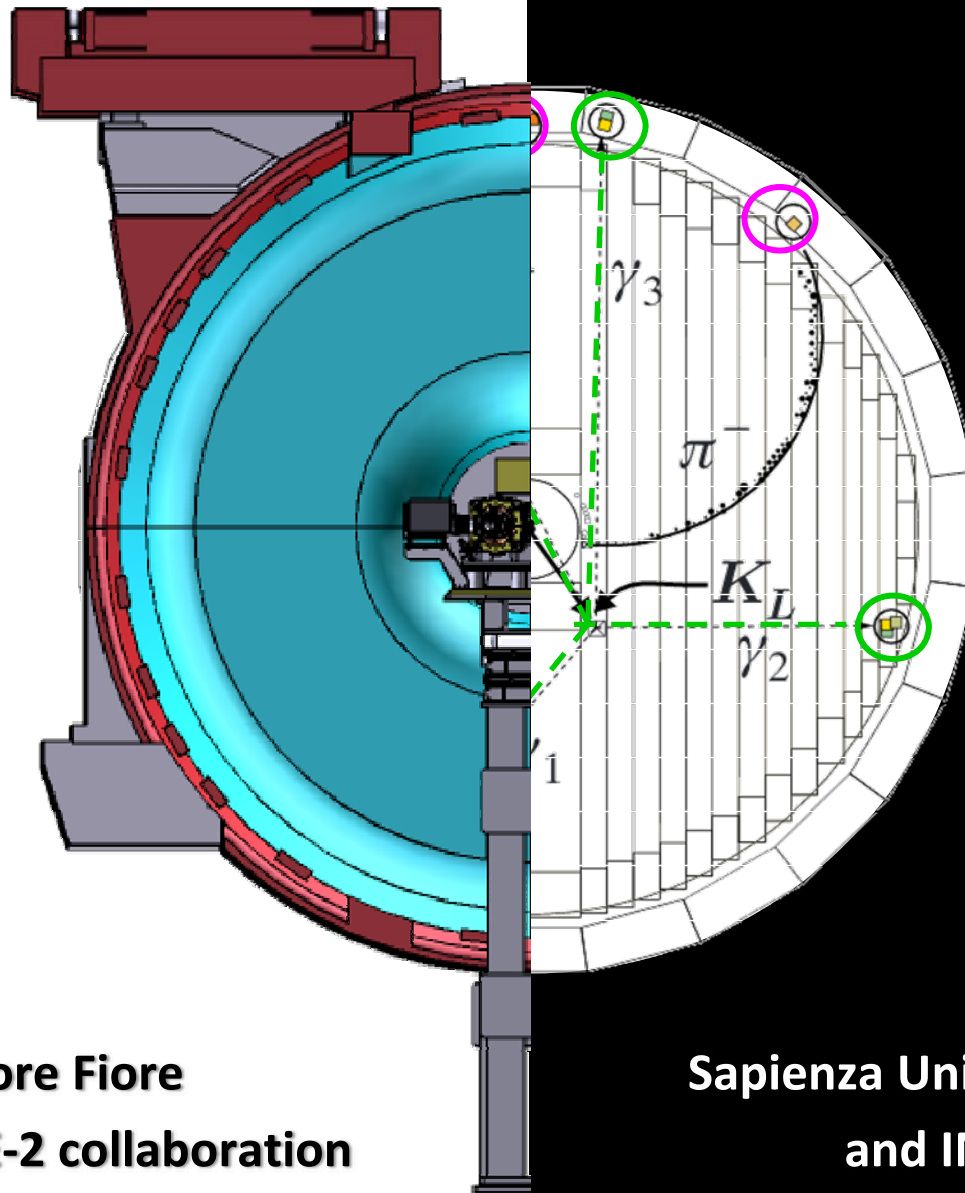


# ***KLOE-2 project at the DAFNE accelerator upgraded in luminosity***



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# The KLOE collaboration

Frascati  $\phi$ -factory DA $\phi$ NE:

an  $e^+e^-$  collider @  $\sqrt{s} = 1019.4 \text{ MeV} = M_\phi$

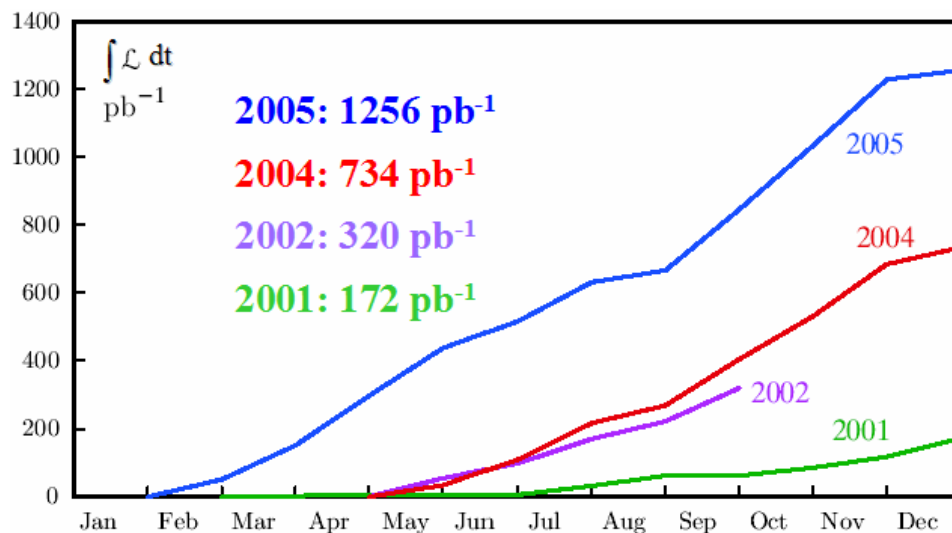
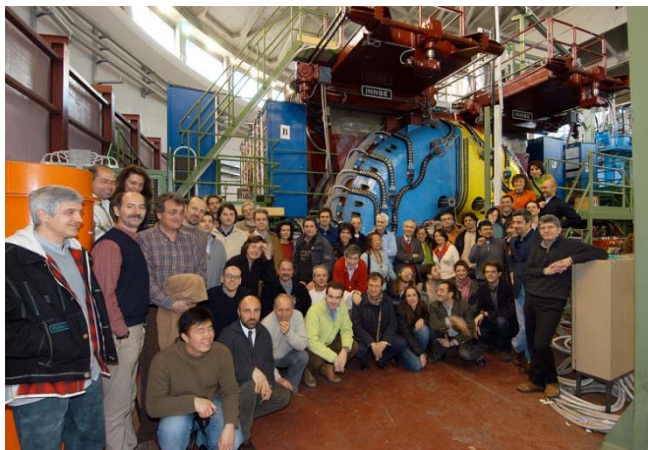
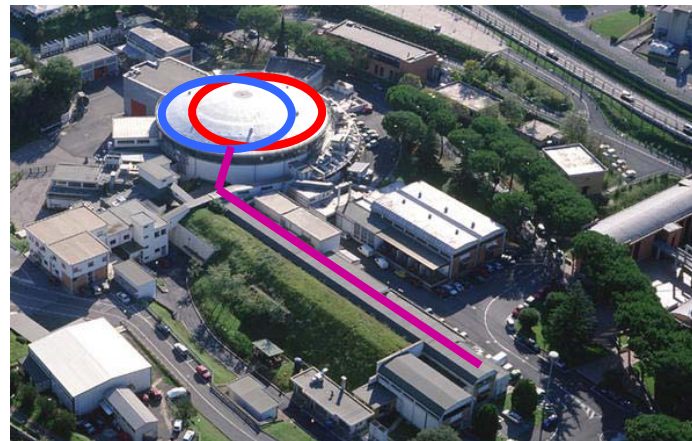
Best performances in 2005:

✓  $L_{\text{peak}} = 1.4 \times 10^{32} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$

✓  $\int L dt = 8.5 \text{ pb}^{-1}/\text{day}$

KLOE has acquired  $2.5 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  @  $\sqrt{s} = M_\phi$  during years 2001-05

+  $250 \text{ pb}^{-1}$  *off-peak* @  $\sqrt{s} = 1 \text{ GeV}$



*In these years tenths of articles have been published, with the contribution of more than 100 researchers*



# The KLOE detector

- 4 m diameter × 3.3 m length
- 90% helium, 10% isobutane
- 12582/52140 sense/tot wires
- All-stereo geometry

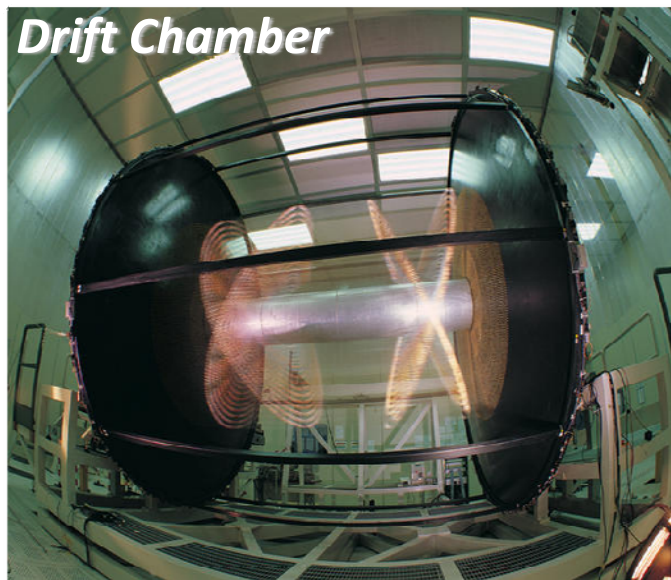
$$\lambda_{KS} = 0.6 \text{ cm}$$

$$\lambda_{KL} = 340 \text{ cm}$$

$$\lambda_{K\pm} = 95 \text{ cm}$$

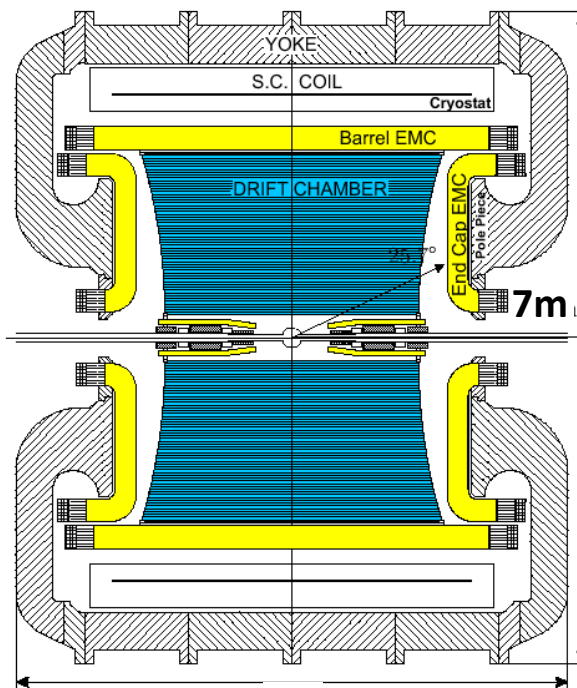
- Lead/scintillating fiber
- 98% coverage of solid angle
- 88 modules (barrel + end-caps)
- 4880 PMTs (two side read-out)

Drift Chamber

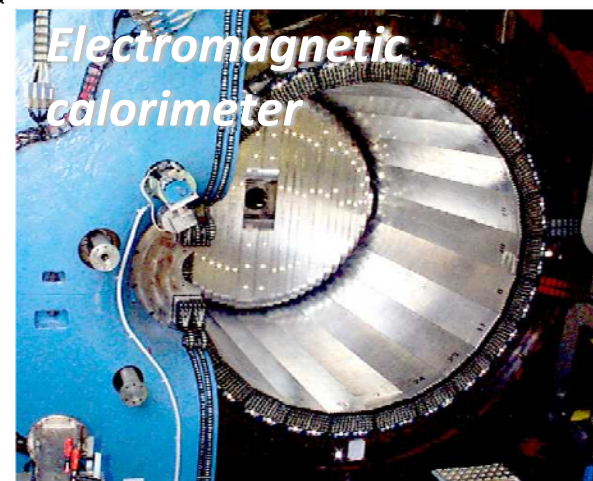


$$\sigma_{r\phi} = 150 \mu\text{m} \quad \sigma_z = 2 \text{ mm}$$

$$\sigma_V = 3 \text{ mm} \quad \sigma_p/p = 0.4\%$$



6 m  
B = 0.52 T



$$\sigma_E/E = 5.7\%/\sqrt{E(\text{GeV})}$$

$$\sigma_t = 54 \text{ ps}/\sqrt{E(\text{GeV})}$$

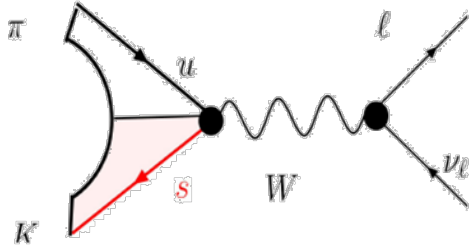
$$\oplus 140 \text{ ps(calib)}$$

# ***Kaon and light hadron physics at KLOE***



# Kaon Physics for $V_{us}$ and universality

$$\Gamma(K_{l3(\gamma)}) = \frac{C_K^2 G_F^2 M_K^5}{192\pi^3} S_{EW} |V_{us}|^2 |f_+^{K^0\pi^-}(0)|^2 I_{Kl}(\lambda_{+,0}) (1 + \delta_{SU(2)}^K + \delta_{em}^{Kl})^2$$



$K_{e3}: K \rightarrow \pi \ell \nu$

Vector transition: only 2<sup>nd</sup> order SU(3) breaking [Ademollo-Gatto]

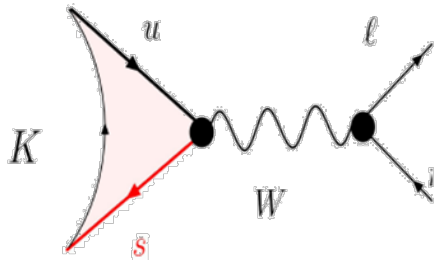
- ❖ Precise determination of  $V_{us}$
- ❖ Test of **Lepton universality**  $Ke3$  vs  $K\mu3$
- ❖ Most precise test of **CKM unitarity**

$$|V_{ud}|^2 + |V_{us}|^2 = 1 \quad |V_{ub}|^2 \text{ negligible}$$

- ❖ **Lepton-Quark universality of weak int.**

$$G_F^2 \equiv G_{CKM}^2 = (|V_{ud}|^2 + |V_{us}|^2) G_F^2$$

$$\frac{\Gamma(K_{\mu 2(\gamma)})}{\Gamma(\pi_{\mu 2(\gamma)})} = \frac{|V_{us}|^2}{|V_{ud}|^2} \times \frac{f_K}{f_\pi} \times \frac{M_K(1 - m_\mu^2/M_K^2)^2}{m_\pi(1 - m_\mu^2/m_\pi^2)^2} \times (1 + \alpha(C_K - C_\pi))$$



$K_{e2}: K \rightarrow \ell \nu$

- ❖ Precise determination of  $V_{us}/V_{ud}$

- ❖ **Test of Physics beyond the SM**

- right-handed contributions to charged weak currents
- charged Higgs exchange (2 Higgs doublet scenarios)

$\Gamma(K_{\mu 2})/\Gamma(\pi_{\mu 2})$

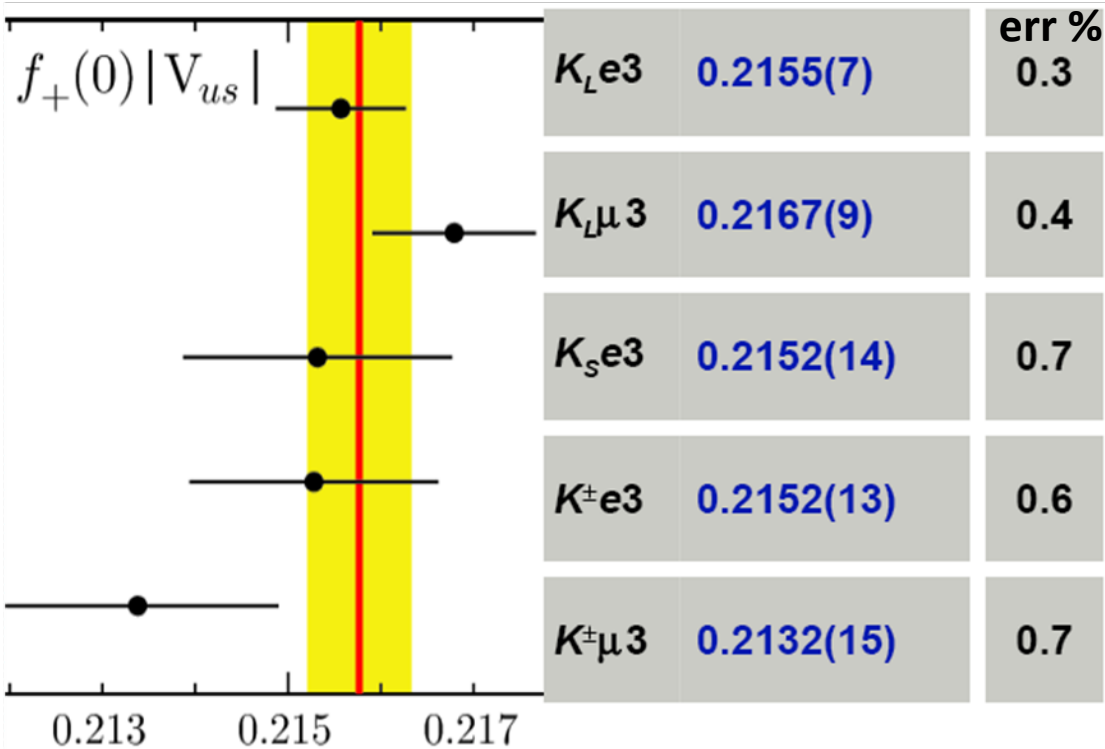
- ❖ **Lepton Flavor Violation test with  $\Gamma(K_{e2})/\Gamma(K_{\mu 2})$**

**KLOE has measured all relevant Inputs for charged & neutral kaons:**

**BR's, lifetimes ( $K_L, K^\pm, K_S$ ), form factors (FFs)**



# $|V_{us}|f_+(0)$ at KLOE



All KLOE exp. inputs  
but  $K_S$  lifetime  
2010 result:

$$\tau_S = 89.56(03)_{\text{stat}} (04)_{\text{syst}} \text{ ps}$$

## Lepton universality

$$r_{\mu e} \equiv \frac{|f_+(0) V_{us}|_{\mu3, \text{exp}}^2}{|f_+(0) V_{us}|_{e3, \text{exp}}^2} = \frac{g_\mu^2}{g_e^2}$$

$$r_{\mu e} = 1.000(8)$$

$\tau$  decays:  $(r_{\mu e})_\tau = 1.0005(41)$  (PDG06)

$\pi$  decays:  $(r_{\mu e})_\pi = 1.0042(33)$

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KLOE average  $|V_{us}|f_+(0) = 0.2157(6)$   $\chi^2/\text{ndf}=7/4$  (13%)

World Average 0.2163(5)

$$|V_{us}| = 0.2237(13)$$

$$1 - |V_{ud}|^2 - |V_{us}|^2 = 9(8) \times 10^{-4}$$

$$f_+(0) = 0.964(5)$$

PRL 100 (2008)

$$|V_{ud}| = 0.97418(26)$$

PRC 77 (2008)



# $|V_{us}|f_+(0)$ : present World Averages

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**Experimental Inputs to be improved**

*From Flavianet Kaon WG arXiv:1005.2323v1*

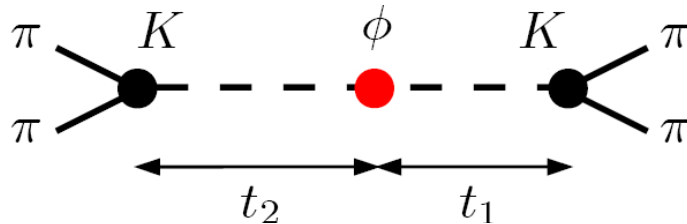


# Kaon Interferometry

Neutral kaon pairs in a pure quantum state: a unique feature of  $\phi$ -factory

Study of quantum interference can probe CPT symmetry and QM at the Planck scale

Sensitivity to interference phenomena for the unique circumstance  $\Delta M \sim \frac{1}{2} \Gamma_S$

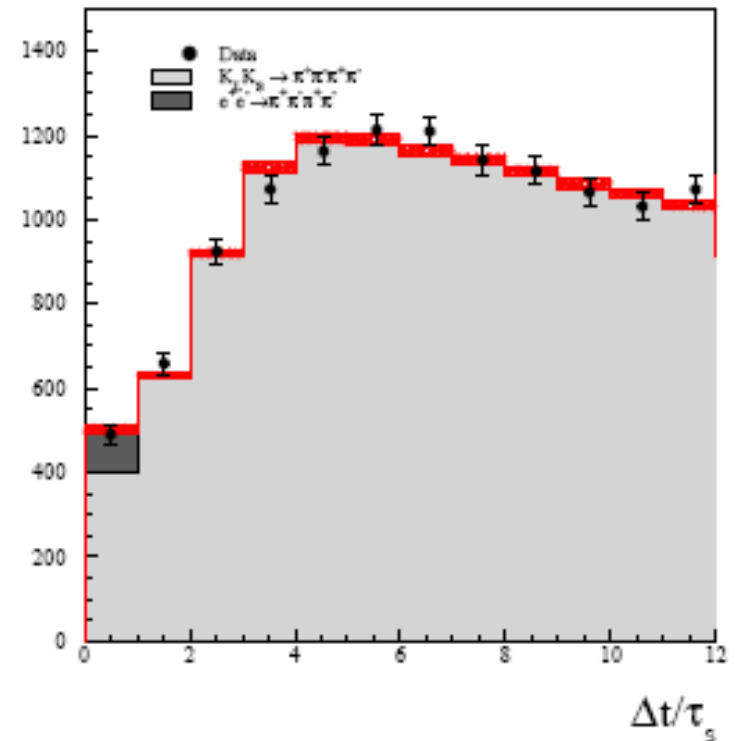


$$\Delta t = |t_1 - t_2|$$

$$I(\pi^+\pi^-, \pi^+\pi^-; \Delta t) \propto [e^{-\Gamma_L \Delta t} + e^{-\Gamma_S \Delta t}] + -2(1 - \zeta_{SL})e^{-(\Gamma_S + \Gamma_L)\Delta t/2} \cos(\Delta m \Delta t)$$

$$\zeta_{SL} = 0 \text{ Q.M.}$$

$$\zeta_{SL} = 0.003 \pm 0.018 \pm 0.006$$



This and other decoherence effects should manifest as a deviation from

$$I(\pi^+ \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^-; \Delta t=0)=0 \text{ QM prediction}$$

*We need better vertex resolution for events close to IP to improve sensitivity at  $\Delta t=0$*





# Low-energy QCD

## $K_S \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$

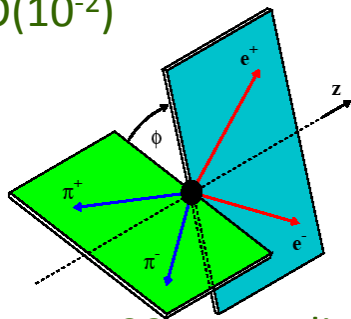
✓ KLOE can tag  $K_S$  by identifying  $K_L$  decays, and measure directly the decay

Presently a  $3\sigma$  discrepancy between KLOE and NA48:

➤ **Need better rejection from  $K_S \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^0$  and more data to clarify**

## $\eta \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- e^+ e^-$

$\eta$  mesons produced by radiative decay  $\phi \rightarrow \eta\gamma$   
 A possible non-CKM CP violating mechanism would result in an observable asymmetry  $A_\phi$  in the angle between the planes containing the pions and the electrons,  $O(10^{-2})$



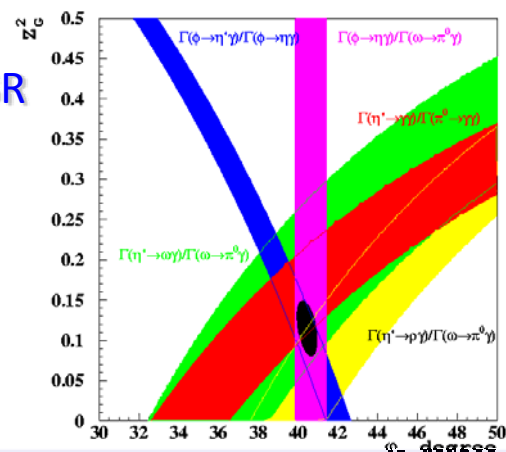
$A_\phi = -(0.6 \pm 2.5 \pm 1.8) \times 10^{-2}$   
 statistical main contrib,  $p_{tmin} = 23 \text{ MeV}$  limits selection efficiency

## $\eta'$ gluonium content

Using the approach by Bramon et al. KLOE extracts the  $\eta'$  gluonium content  $Z_G$  by measuring  $R = \text{BR}(\phi \rightarrow \eta' \gamma) / \text{BR}(\phi \rightarrow \eta \gamma)$

**Gluonium content confirmed at  $3\sigma$**

More statistics could improve  $\eta'$  BR and sensitivity to gluonium





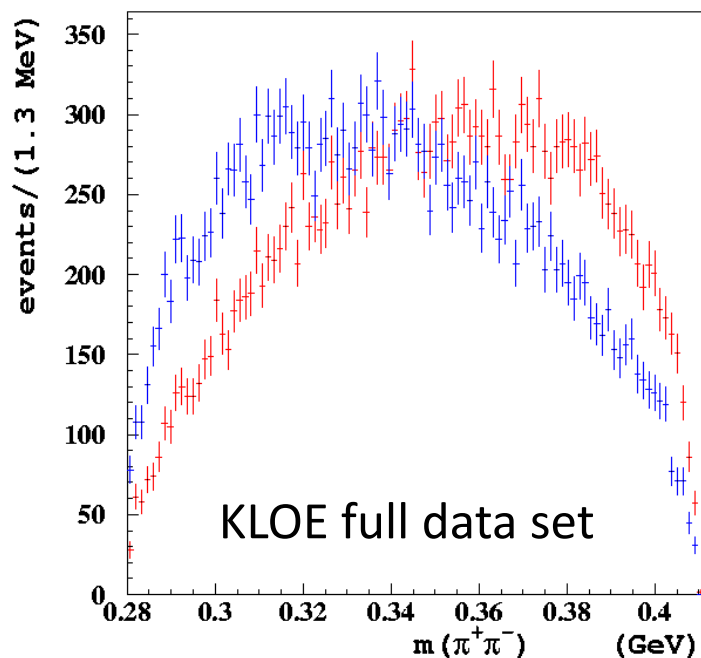
## Search for $\sigma$ meson

- In  $\phi \rightarrow f_0 \gamma \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \gamma$  decay analysis, a contribution from  $\sigma$  meson must be accounted for in the  $\pi\pi$  invariant mass spectrum
- $\eta' \rightarrow \pi\pi\eta$  decay can be mediated by scalar mesons including  $\sigma$ ; studied at KLOE with early data
- golden channel is  $\pi^+ \pi^- \eta$  final state, with  $\eta \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$

Expected  $M_{\pi\pi}$  shape using Faribortz-Schechter model, including analysis efficiency (flat in  $M_{\pi\pi}$  shape).

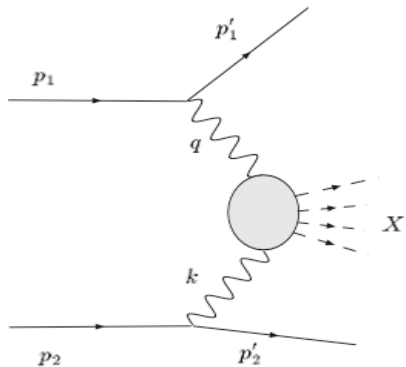
Reconstruction effects not included

**Blue: without  $\sigma(600)$**    **Red:  $\sigma(600)$  included**





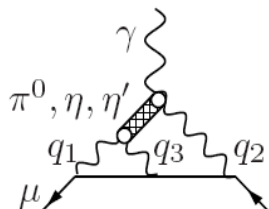
# $\gamma\gamma$ physics with KLOE



“ $\gamma\gamma$  physics” stands for  $e^+e^- \rightarrow e^+e^- \gamma^* \gamma^* \rightarrow e^+e^- + X$   
 $J^{PC} = 0^{\pm\pm}, 2^{\pm\pm}$  final states through  
 quasi-real photons:  $\pi\pi(\sigma), \eta, \eta', f_0, a_0$

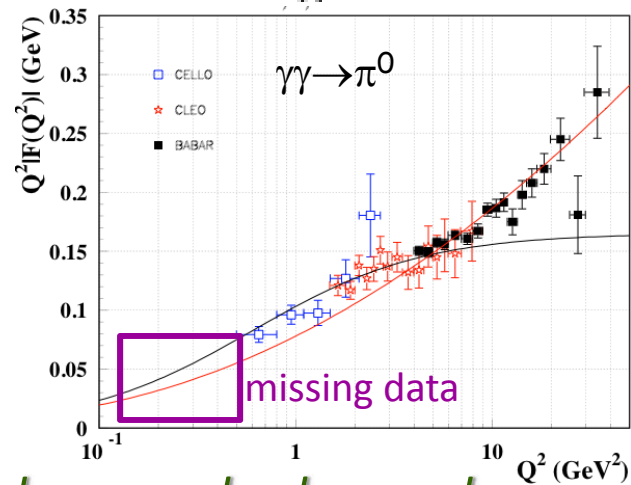
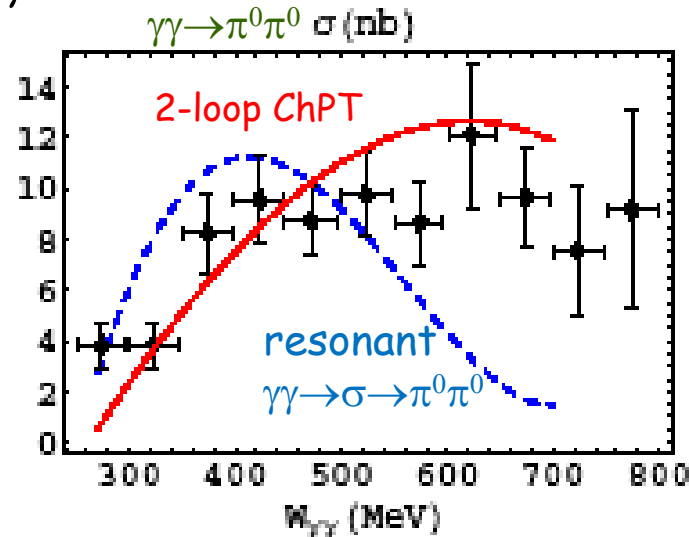
For  $W_{\gamma\gamma} < 1\text{GeV}$ , present experimental  
 situation is unsatisfactory:

- small data samples and large backgrounds
- small detection efficiencies and particle ID for low-mass hadronic states
- ✓ Study of  $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow \pi^0\pi^0$  could tell about the existence and nature of  $\sigma$  meson
- ✓ meson transition form factors through  $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow \pi^0, \eta$  decays : low momentum transfer form factor crucial for light-by-light contribution to g-2



$\gamma\gamma$  events acquired at the  $\phi$  peak would suffer from  $\phi$  decays as background:

- ✓ use KLOE off-peak data @ 1GeV

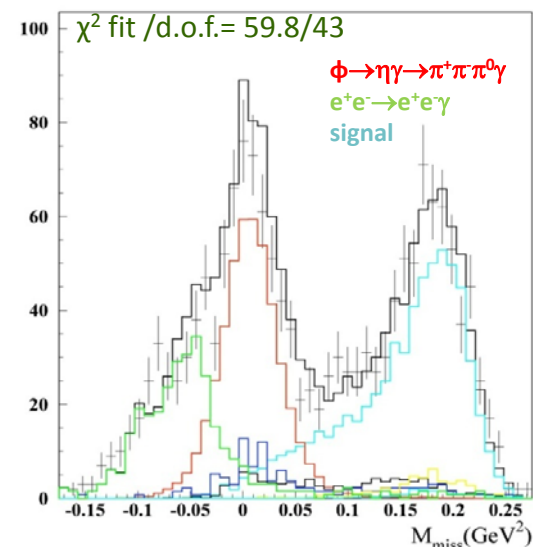




# $\gamma\gamma$ physics at 1 GeV

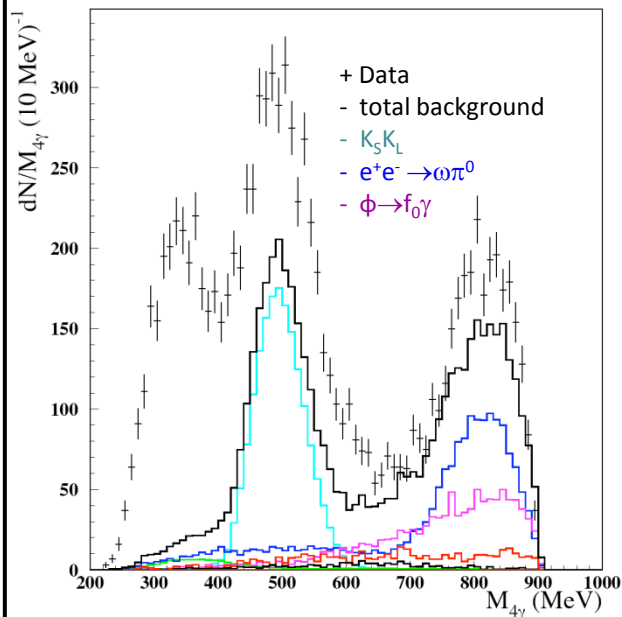
## $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow \eta$

- Data sample: 240 pb-1 @  $\sqrt{s} = 1$  GeV
- Selected channel:  $\eta \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$ ; main background:  $\phi \rightarrow \eta \gamma$  with undetected photon
- Extraction of  $\sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow e^+e^- \eta)$  and  $\Gamma_{\gamma\gamma}$  in progress
- Statistical accuracy on  $\Gamma_{\gamma\gamma}$  comparable with existing measurements



## $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow \sigma \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^0$

- Cleanest channel to assess existence and nature of the  $\sigma$  meson
- $\pi^0 \pi^0$  preferred w.r.t.  $\pi^+ \pi^-$  due to smaller background contamination
- 240 pb-1 @  $\sqrt{s} = 1$  GeV
- Excess of  $\sim 4000$  events w.r.t. known backgrounds in the  $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow \sigma(600) \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^0$  region
- Background subtraction and study of differential cross-section in progress

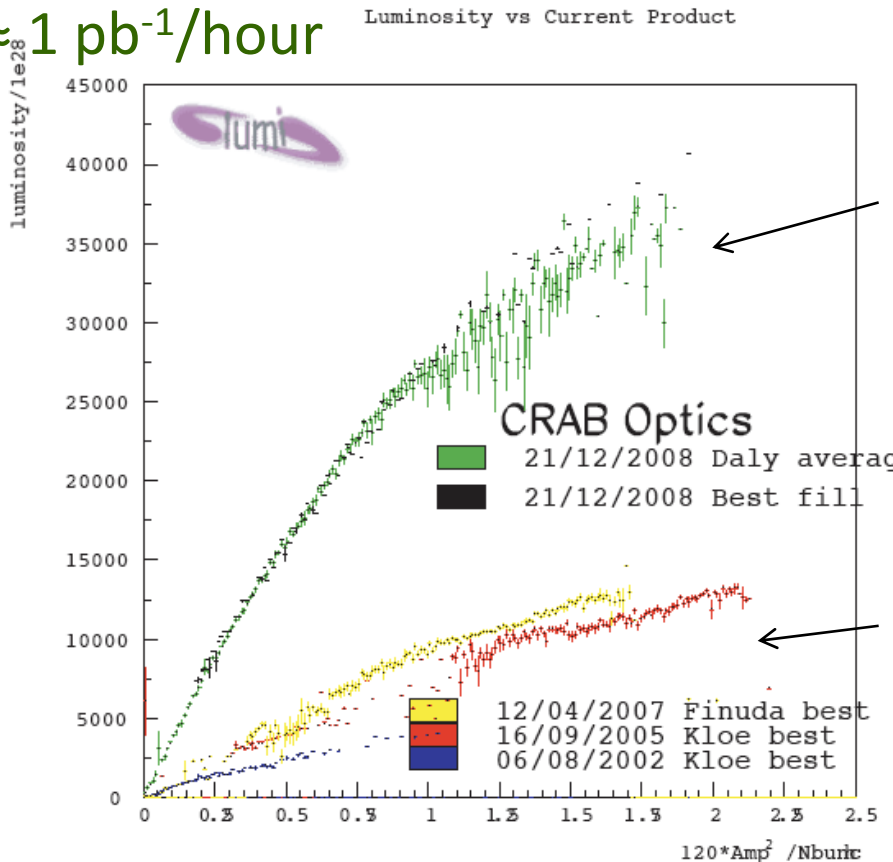


*From KLOE to KLOE-2*



New interaction scheme implemented:

- ✓ large beam crossing angle + crabbed waist sextupoles
- ✓ Luminosity increase factor  $\sim 3$
- ✓  $\int L dt \approx 1 \text{ pb}^{-1}/\text{hour}$



Max  $L = 4.5 \times 10^{32} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$   
SIDDHARTA  
Run (2008/09)

KLOE run  
(2002/05)

We already have now a deeply renewed machine capable of delivering  $\sim 5 \text{ fb}^{-1}/\text{yr}$

KLOE-2 project consists of two phases:

## 1. *STEP-0 phase*, in which we:

- upgraded the detector with **two lepton-tagging systems for  $\gamma\gamma$ -physics** and
- will run for about one year to collect an integrated luminosity of  **$5 \text{ fb}^{-1}$**

## 2. *STEP-1 phase*, in which we:

- will upgrade the detector with **a new Inner Tracking system (IT), a new Quadrupole CALorimeter (QCALT) and Crystal CALorimeter covering low polar angles (CCALT)** and
- will run to collect an integrated luminosity of  **$20 \text{ fb}^{-1}$**

# Present detector upgrades

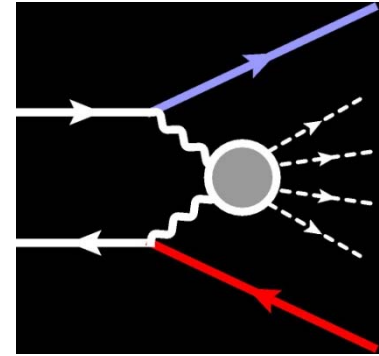


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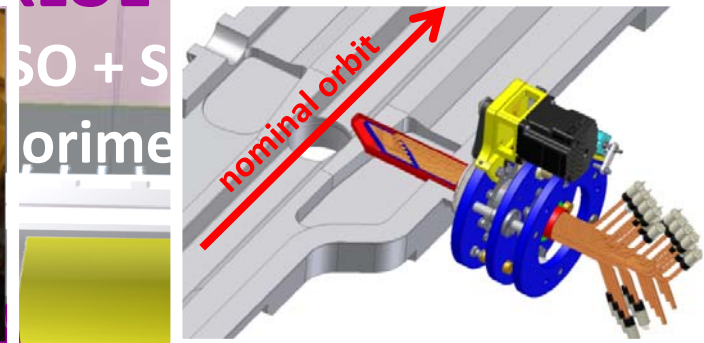
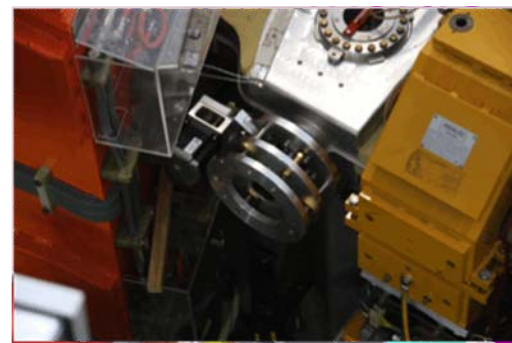
## LET & HET

✓ LYSO+SiPMs & Scint+PMTs



**HET:  $E > 400 \text{ MeV}$ , 11m from IP**

**2 scintillator hodoscopes inserted in DaΦne beam pipe: 2.5 MeV resolution**



**mechanics is ready, detector is ready and electronics is in commissioning phase  
plan to install HET next April**



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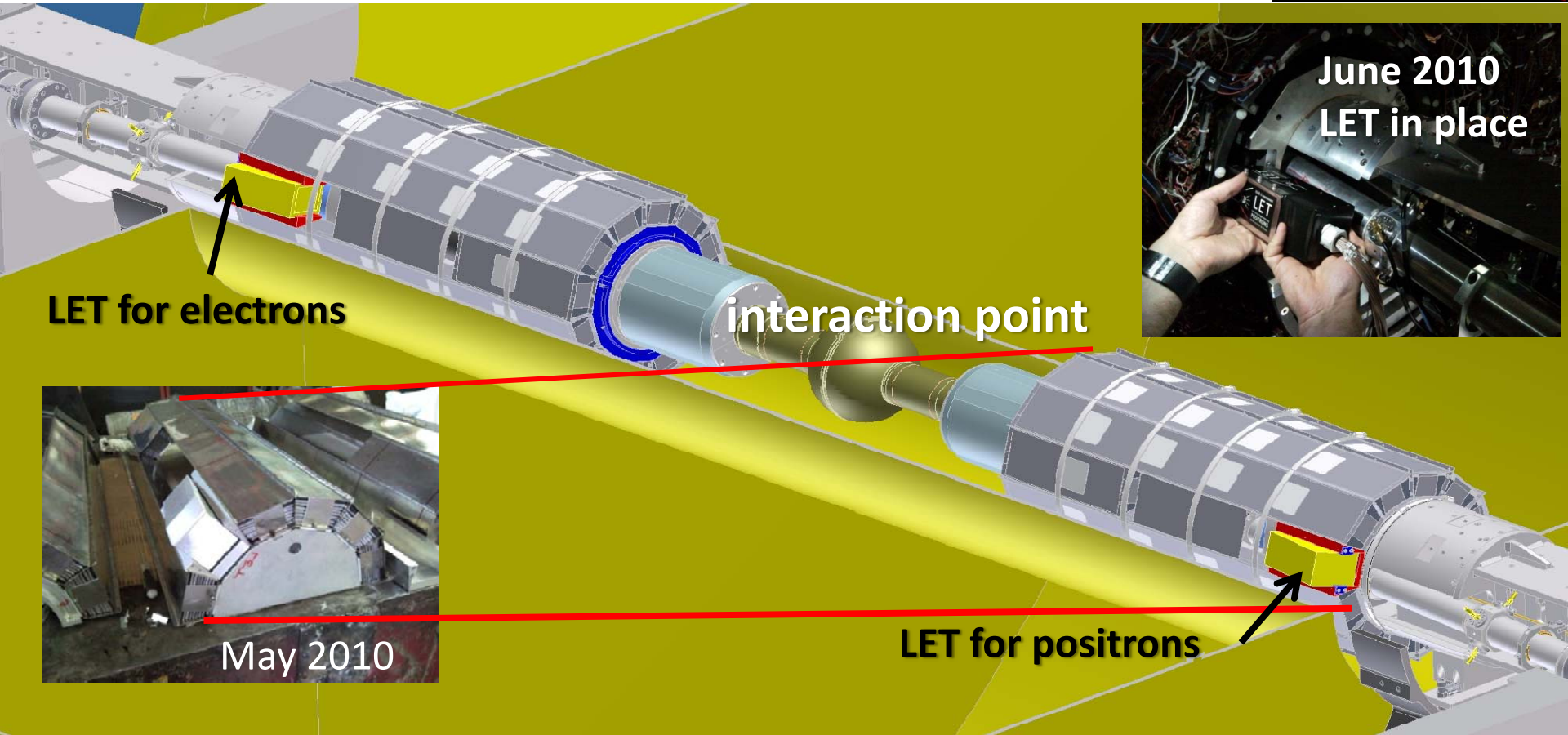
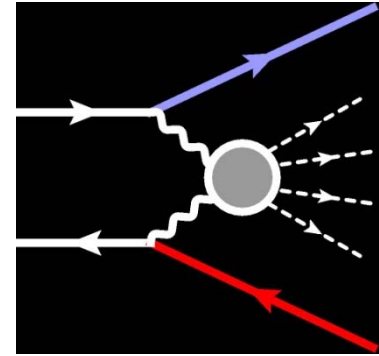


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LET for electrons

interaction point

June 2010  
LET in place

May 2010

LET for positrons

During 2012 new sub-detectors will be added inside KLOE in order to improve its performance:

## CCAL

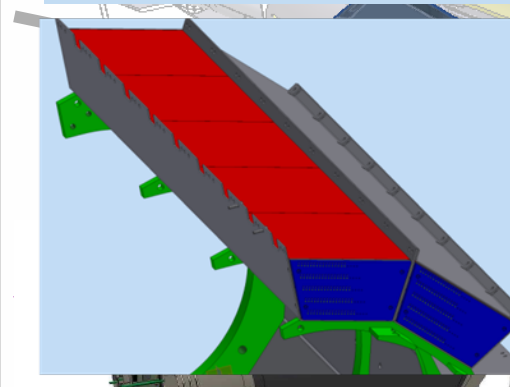
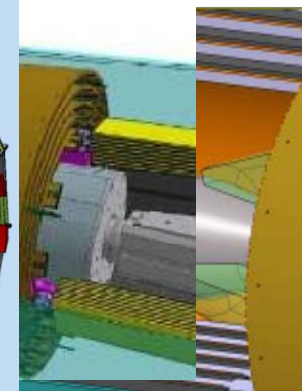
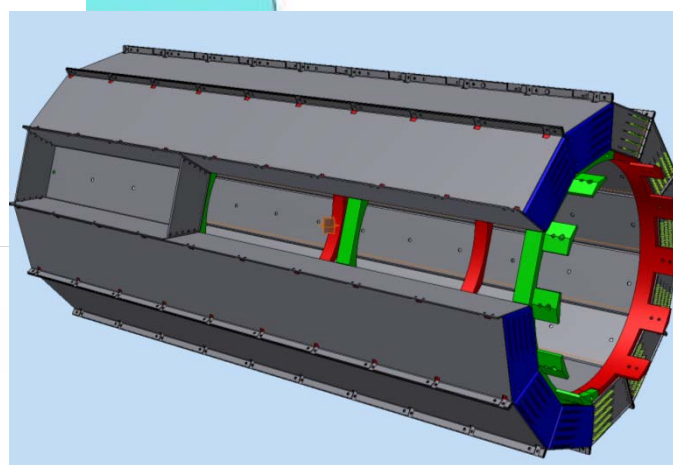
- ✓ LYSO + SiPM
- ✓ Veto for  $\gamma$ 's from IP  
( $21^\circ \rightarrow 10^\circ$  acceptance)

## INNER TRACKER

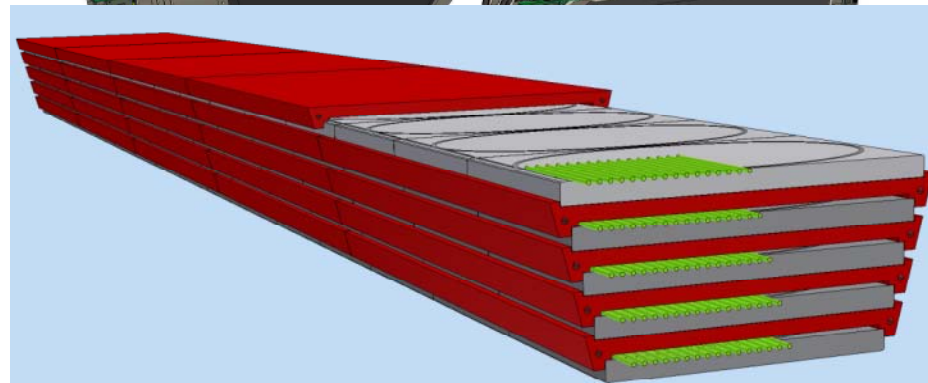
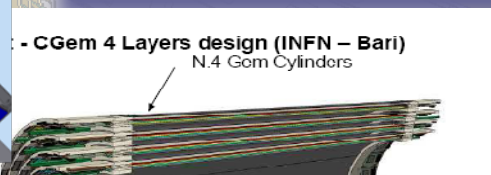
- ✓ 4 layers of cylindrical triple GEM
- ✓ Better vertex reconstruction near IP
- ✓ Larger acceptance for low  $p_t$  tracks

## QCALT

- ✓ W + scintillator tiles + SiPM/WLS
- ✓ quadrupoles coverage for  $K_L \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^0 \pi^0$  decays ( $\gamma$  towards quads.)



Dodecagonal structure of CCALT



Outer radius 220 mm (limited by 30 dimensions)

# $|V_{us}|/f_+(0)$ : present World Averages



$\Delta_{BR}(\tau_{K^0}) = \frac{C_K^2 G_F^2 M_K^5 \Delta S_{EW} / |V_{us}|^2 |V_{cd}|^2 |V_{cs}|^2 |V_{cb}|^2 |V_{cb}|^2}{\Gamma(K^0)} \approx 0.03\%$  is expected adding 5 fb<sup>-1</sup> KLOE-2/step-0 with respect to the published results on the vector FF in KL $\mu$ 3 decays and the vector and scalar FF in KL $e$ 3 decays. x3 improvement with 5 fb<sup>-1</sup> KLOE+2/step-0 with respect to the published results on the vector FF in KL $e$ 3 decays and the vector and scalar FF in KL $\mu$ 3 decays. x2 inserting Inner Tracker, allowing detection of K $^\pm$  tracks closer to the IP, improves accuracy of the decay length technique.

< 0.2% inserting QCAL improving photon reconstruction & control of the systematics from KLOE-2/step-0. 0.3% with 25fb<sup>-1</sup> and Inner Tracker from KLOE-2/step-0. tracking performance for decays close to IP in terms of acceptance and background rejection.



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$$f_+(0) V_{us}$$

Statistical uncertainties on BRs and lifetimes obtained scaling to 7.5 fb<sup>-1</sup> total integrated luminosity

Systematic errors:

conservative estimate based on KLOE published analyses without improvements from the detector upgrade

<b>KLOE today</b> (World Average)	<b>0.28%</b> (0.23%)
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<b>KLOE + Step-0 + WA</b>	<b>0.14%</b>
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$K^\pm \mu3$	0.2132(9)	0.40	<b>0.27</b>	0.05	0.25	0.15

World-average uncertainties for BR( $K_L e3$ ),  $\delta$  and  $I_{Kl}$  from updated Flavianet paper [arXiv:1005.2323v1](https://arxiv.org/abs/1005.2323v1)

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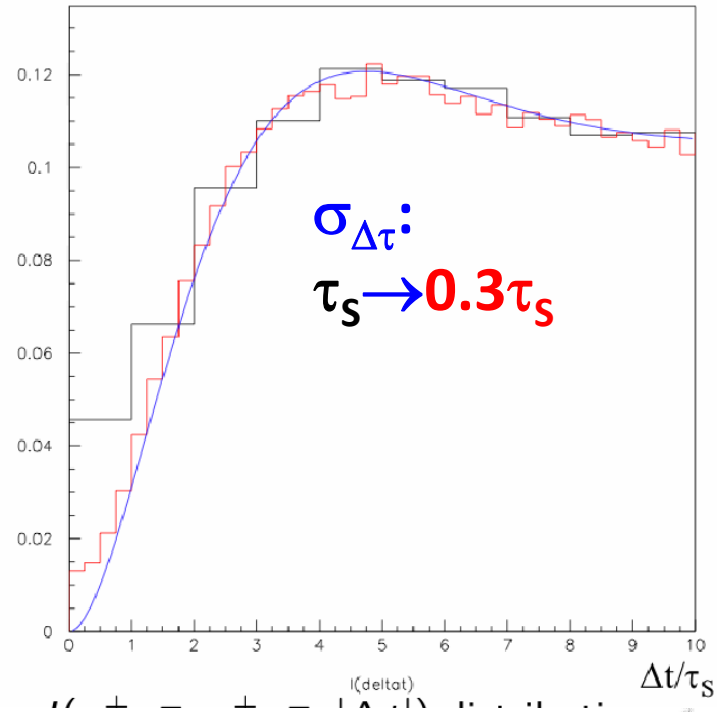


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 Study of quantum interference  
 Sensitivity to interference phenomena

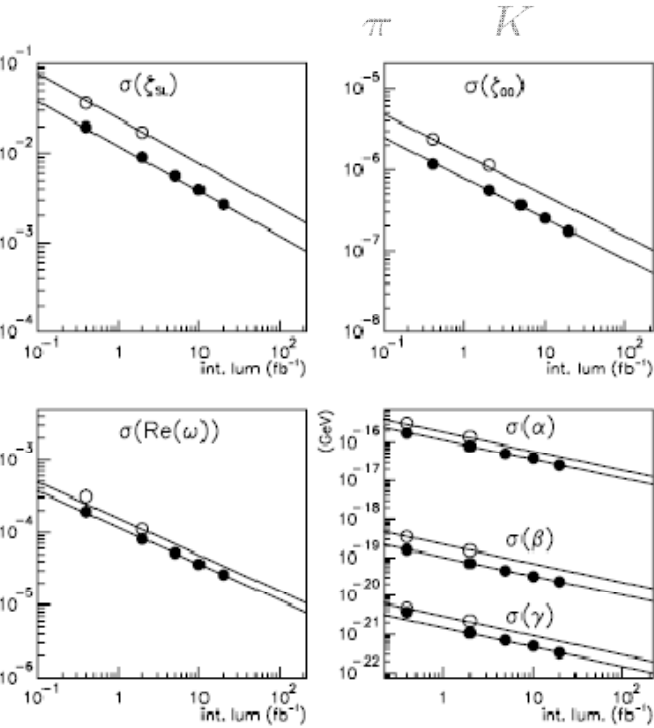


rate of  $\phi$ -factory  
 $+20\text{fb}^{-1}$   
 precision at the Planck scale  
 circumstance  $\Delta M \sim \frac{1}{2} \Gamma_S$

$I(\pi^+\pi^-, \pi^+\pi^-; \Delta t)$  (a.u.)



$$\frac{1}{2} \cos(\Delta m \Delta t)$$



**Sensitivity to decoherence parameters with KLOE (open circles) and upgraded KLOE-2 (full circles)**

*We need better vertex resolution for events close to IP to improve sensitivity at  $\Delta t=0$*

$K_S \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$



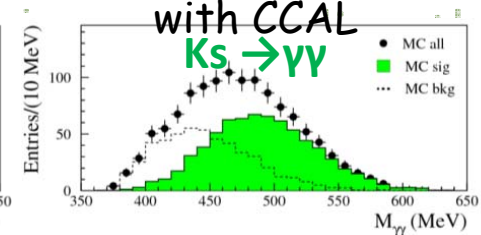
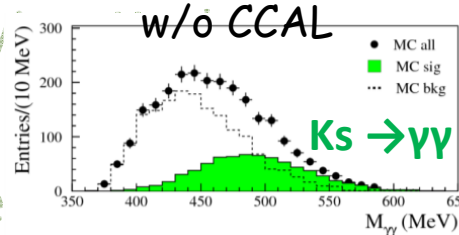
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$+20fb^{-1}$

✓ KLOE can tag  $K_S$  by identifying

Presently a 30% discrepancy between

➤ **Need improved rejection from  $K_S \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^0$  and larger data sample**



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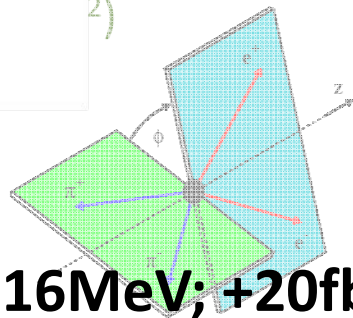
$\eta \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- e^+ e^-$



Inner Tracker

$+20fb^{-1}$

η → π<sup>+</sup>π<sup>-</sup>e<sup>+</sup>e<sup>-</sup> decay  $\phi \rightarrow \eta\gamma$   
 using mechanism  
 asymmetry  $A_\phi$  in  
 s containing the  
 2)



IT:  $p_{tmin} = (0.6 \pm 3.5) \times 10^{-2}$   
 statistical main contrib.  $p_{tmin} = 23 MeV$  limits  
 selection  
**→ 0.8-1% precision on  $A_\phi$**

$\eta'$  gluonium content

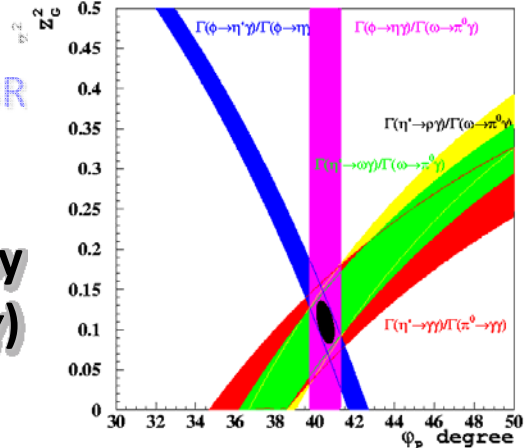
Using the approach by Brannon et al. KLOE extracts the  $\eta'$  content  $Z_G$  by measuring  $R = BR(\phi \rightarrow \eta' \gamma) / BR(\phi \rightarrow \eta \gamma)$

$+5fb^{-1}$

**Gluonium content confirmed at 3σ**

More statistics could improve  $\eta'$ BR and sensitivity to gluonium

**Frac. accuracy on  $BR(\eta' \rightarrow \gamma\gamma)$   
 2% → 1%**



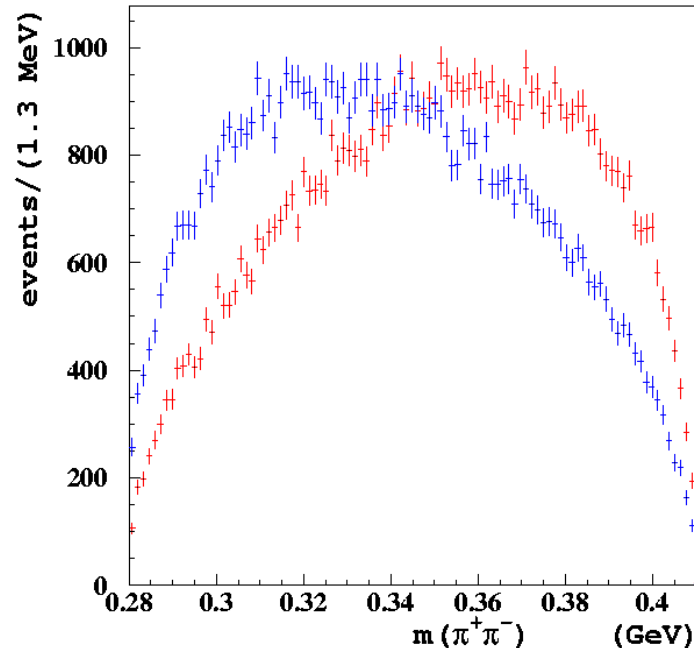
- In  $\phi \rightarrow f_0 \gamma \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \gamma$  decay analysis, a contribution from  $\sigma$  meson must be accounted for in the  $\pi\pi$  invariant mass spectrum
- $\eta' \rightarrow \pi\pi\eta$  decay can be mediated by scalar mesons including  $\sigma$ ; studied at KLOE with early data
- golden channel is  $\pi^+ \pi^- \eta$  final state, with  $\eta \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$

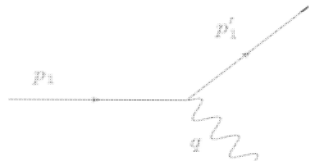
Expected  $M_{\pi\pi}$  shape using Faribortz-Schechter model, including analysis efficiency (flat in  $M_{\pi\pi}$  shape).

Reconstruction effects not included

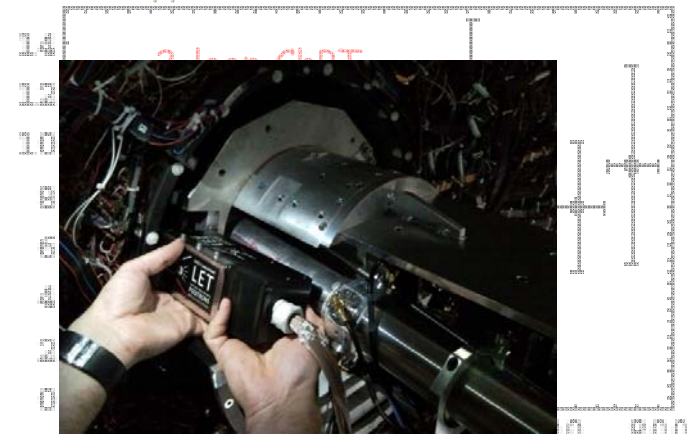
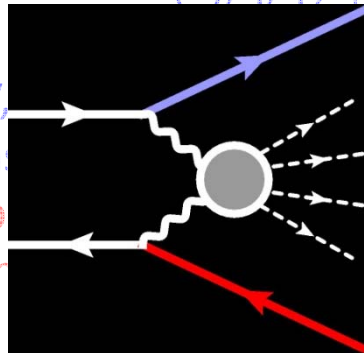
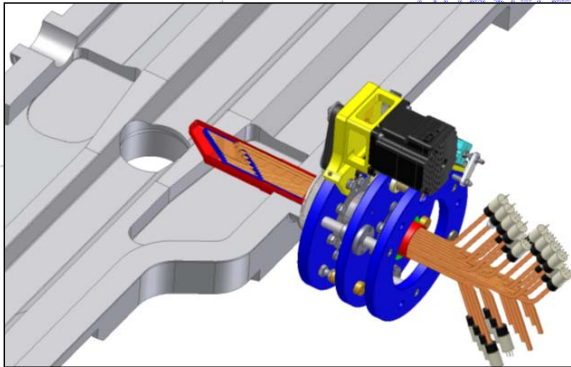
Blue: without  $\sigma(600)$     Red:  $\sigma(600)$  included

**+5fb<sup>-1</sup>**





“ $\gamma\gamma$  physics” stands for  $e^+e^- \rightarrow e^+e^- \gamma^* \gamma^* \rightarrow e^+e^- + X$   
 $J^{PC} = 0^{\pm+}, 2^{\pm+}$  final states through quasi-real photons:  $\pi\pi(\sigma), \eta, \eta', f_0, a_0$   
 $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow \pi^0\pi^0 \sigma$  (nb)



✓ Study of  $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow \pi^0\pi^0$  could tell about the existence and nature of  $\sigma$  meson

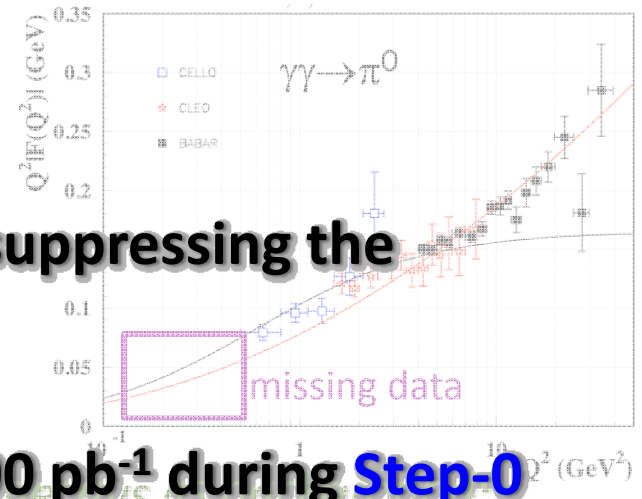
✓ meson transition form factors through  $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow \pi^0, \eta$  decays : low momentum transfer form factor crucial for light-by-light contribution to  $g-2$  ( in  $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow P$  )

## $\gamma\gamma$ taggers

➤ **acquire  $\gamma\gamma$  events at the  $\phi$ -meson peak suppressing the background coming from Kaon decays**

➤ **increase statistics for  $\gamma\gamma$  analysis up to 500 pb<sup>-1</sup> during Step-0**

✓ use KLOE off-peak data @ 1GeV



$\gamma\gamma$  events acquired at the  $\phi$  peak would suffer from  $\phi$  decays as background.



# Detector status: ready to take data



July 2010

B-field ON

First set of DC & EMC calibration

December 2010

Refined DC & EMC calibration

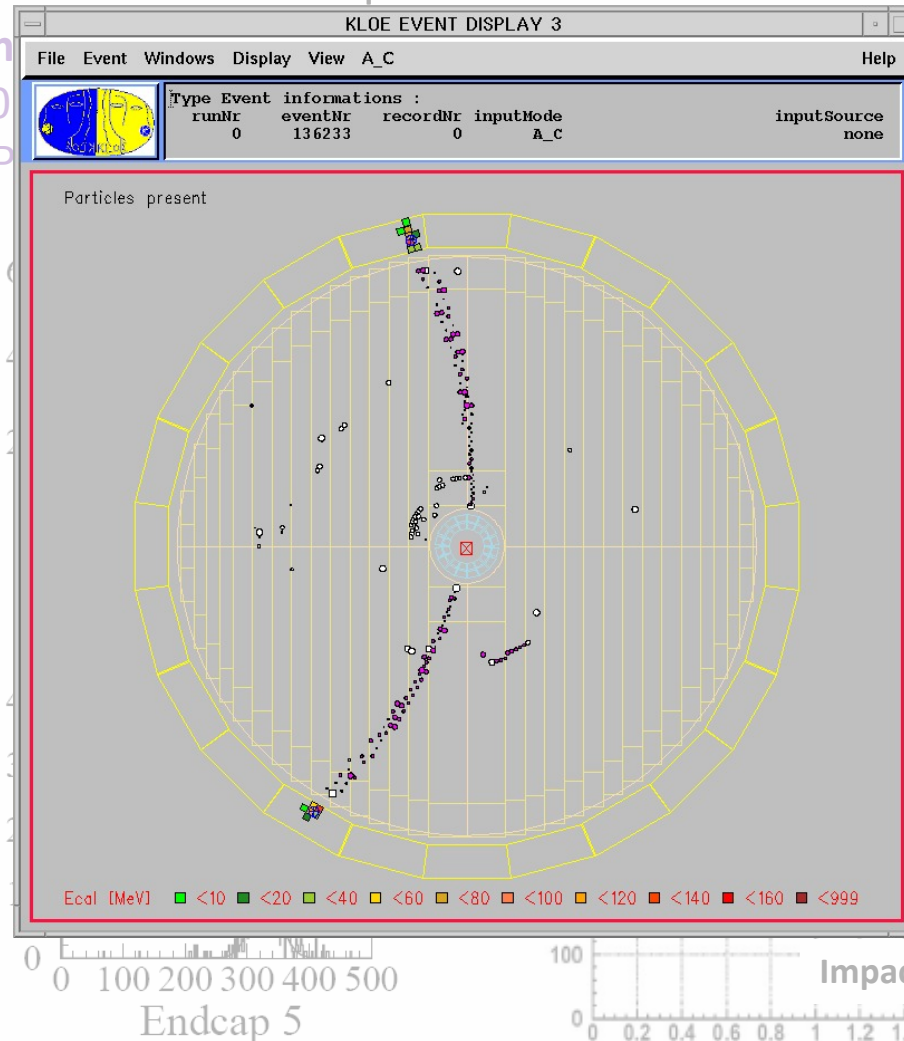
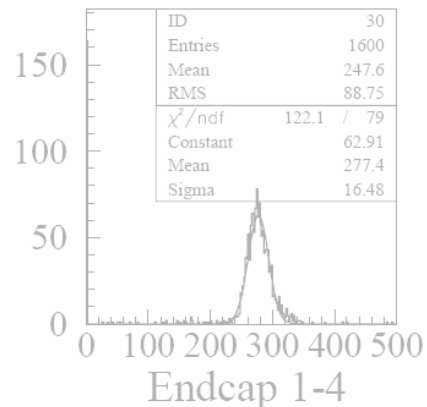
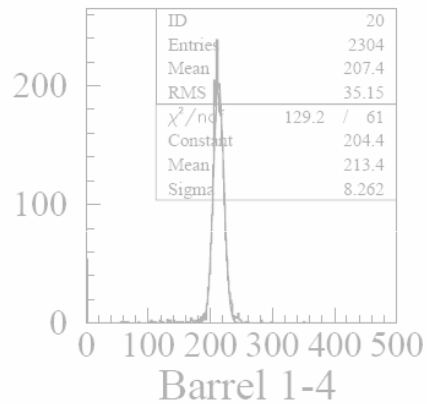
First operation with DAFNE On

March 2011

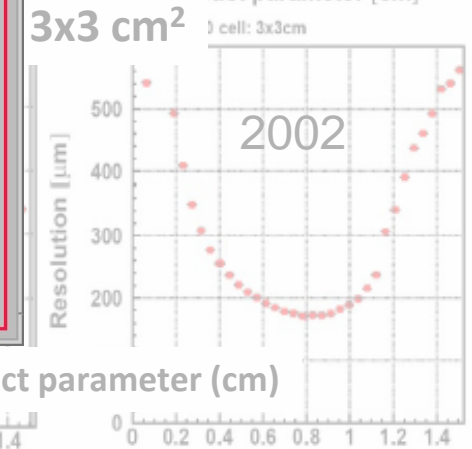
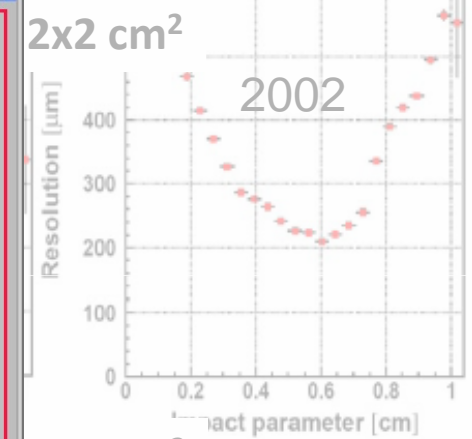
Collisions from DAFNE

## Electromagnetic Calorimetry

- Time calibration: 10-20 ps
- Charge calibration: MIP



0.5 ns precision



KLOE collaboration achieved several precision Kaon and Hadron Physics results

**The KLOE-2 collaboration is ready to start a new enthusiastic data-taking campaign, to pursue a rich physics program including:**

- **Kaon Physics**

- Test of CPT (and QM) in correlated kaon decays
- Test of CPT in  $K_S$  semileptonic decays
- Test of SM (CKM unitarity, lepton universality)
- Test of  $\chi$ PT (KS decays)

- **Spectroscopy of light mesons**

- $\eta, \eta', f_0, a_0, \sigma$  in  $\phi$  radiative decays

- **$\gamma\gamma$  physics**

- Study of  $\Gamma(S/PS \rightarrow \gamma\gamma)$ , test of  $\chi$ PT, existence and properties of  $\sigma(600)$  meson, PS Transition Form Factor

- **Dark Matter searches (light bosons at O(1 GeV))**

**[References : KLOE-2 Collaboration, Eur. Phys. J C 68 \(2010\) 619-681](#)**