

ATLAS LNF activity Status Report

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on behalf of the ATLAS LNF group



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The ATLAS LNF group

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- Presently, the **LNf group** is deeply involved in **five activities** :

- **H→ZZ→4l** analysis

- **Particle Flow** and Missing transverse energy reconstruction

- **ATLAS upgrade**

- Trigger upgrade with fast tracks reconstructions (**FTK**)

- Muon spectrometer upgrade with the construction of the New Small Wheels (**NSW**)

- **Computing Activities**

- Several member of the group have **responsibility role** within ATLAS

- INFN coordinator for the NSW upgrade project

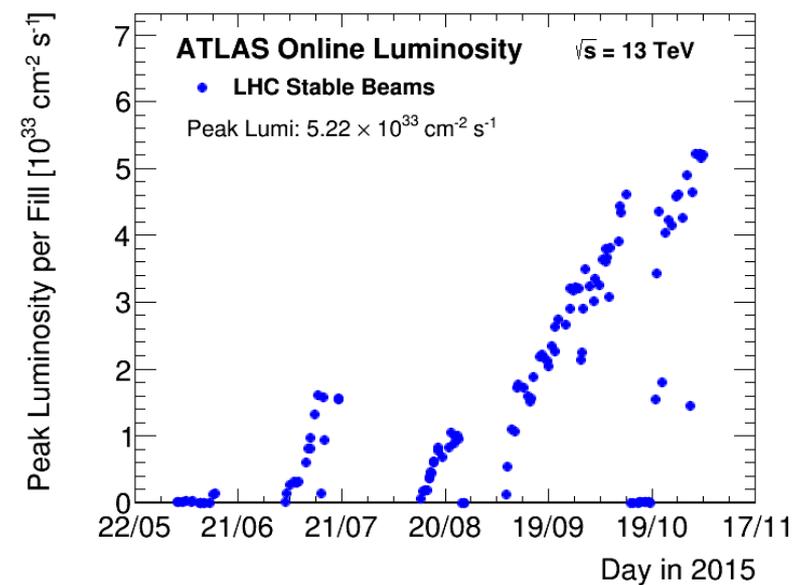
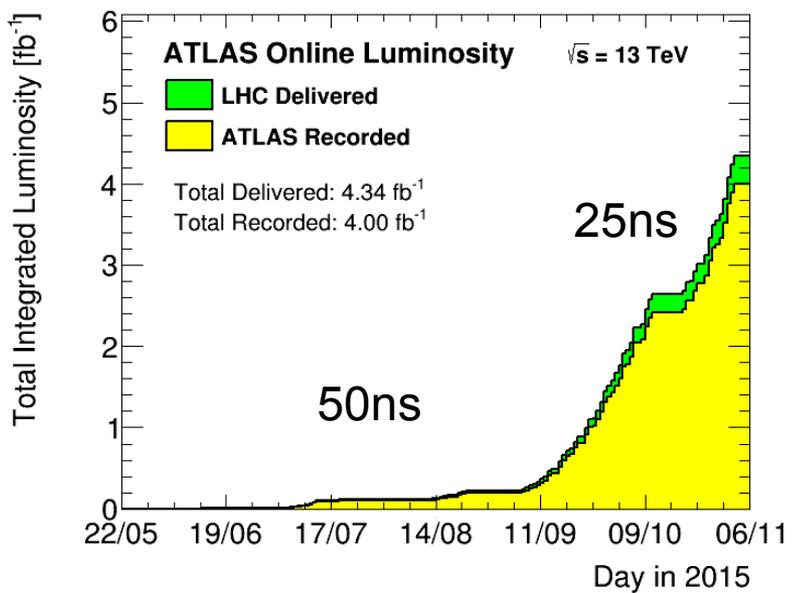
- JET/MET Data Quality coordinator

- HZZ convener

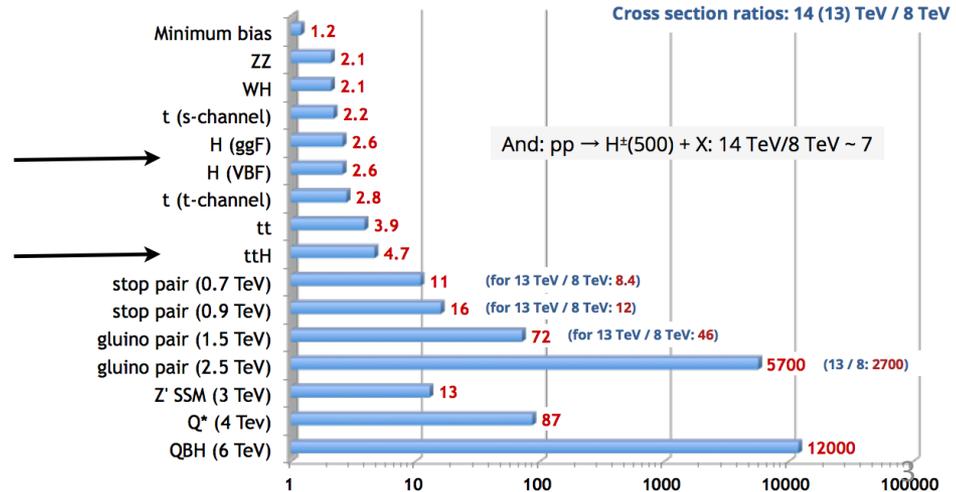


LHC and ATLAS at $\sqrt{s}=13$ TeV

- LHC started the $\sqrt{s}=13$ TeV operation at the beginning of this year
 - 4 fb^{-1} collected in 2015 that can be used already for the analyses!
 - ATLAS data taking efficiency $>\sim 90\%$

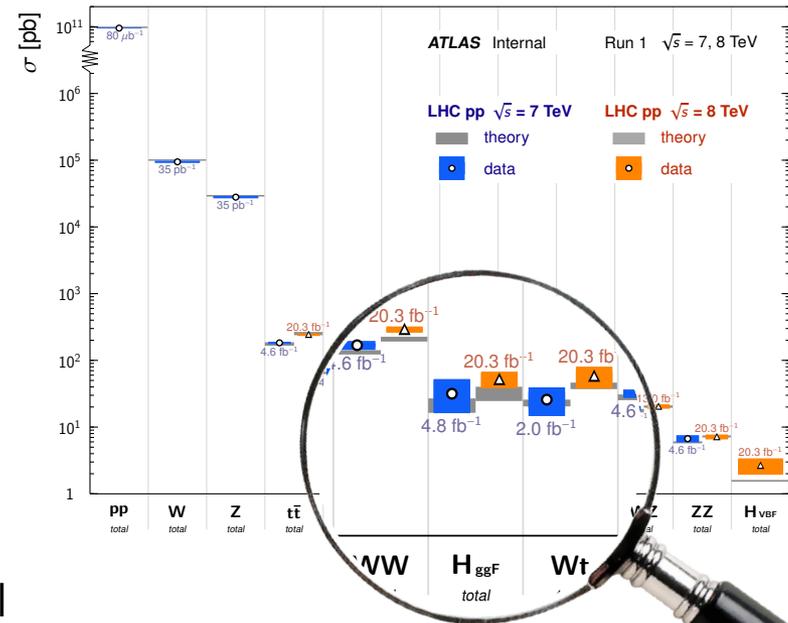


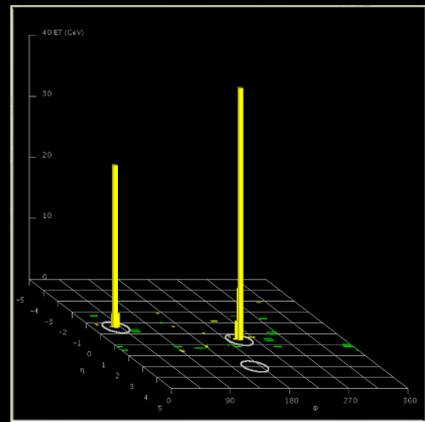
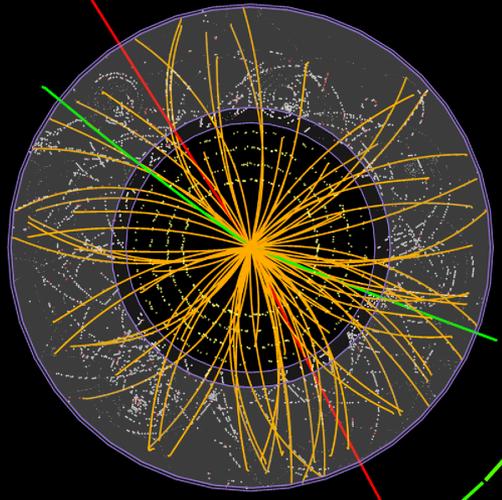
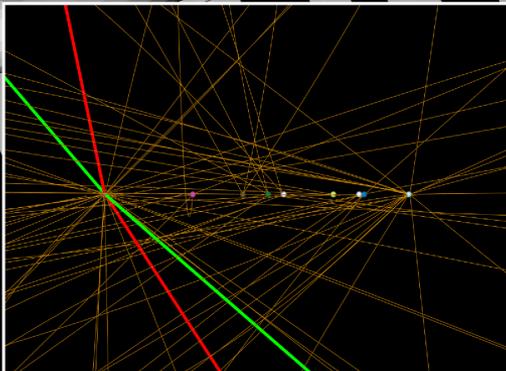
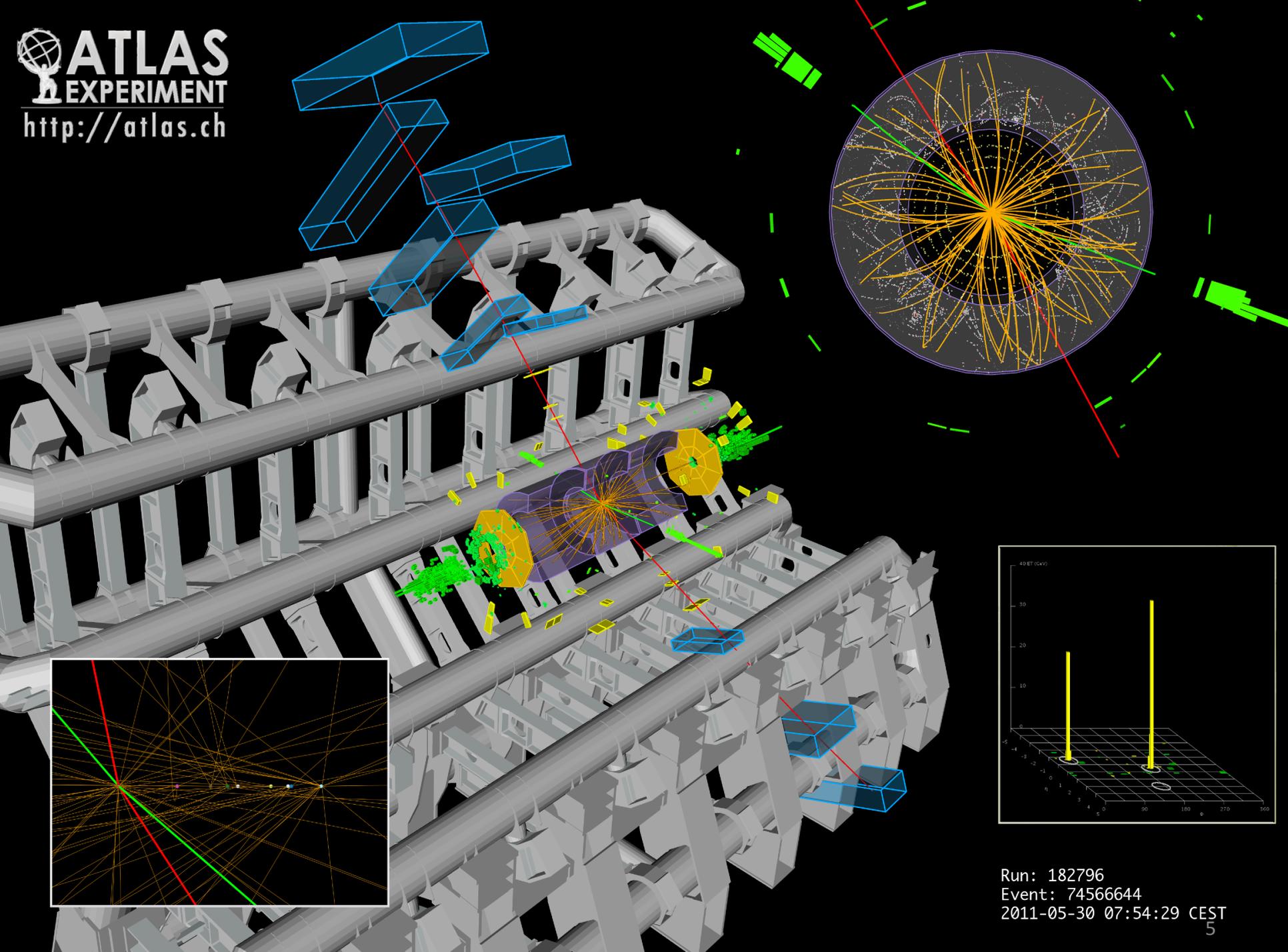
Hugely increased potential for discovery of heavy BSM particles thanks to the higher \sqrt{s}



Physics Analysis in Run1: H->ZZ->4l

- Very successful RUN1 Higgs Program
- After discovery, a clear transition from the 'discovery mode' to (precision) measurements
- Great potential of the H->ZZ*->4l to study the properties of the Higgs boson thanks to the fully reconstructed final state
 - Mass, couplings, spin and parity, differential cross section, off-shell production
- Despite the low BR, signature very clean
 - Two same flavour opposite sign lepton pairs
 - S/B~2
- Fundamental contribution of the LNF ATLAS group to the Higgs boson discovery and to the study of its properties with the H->ZZ->4l



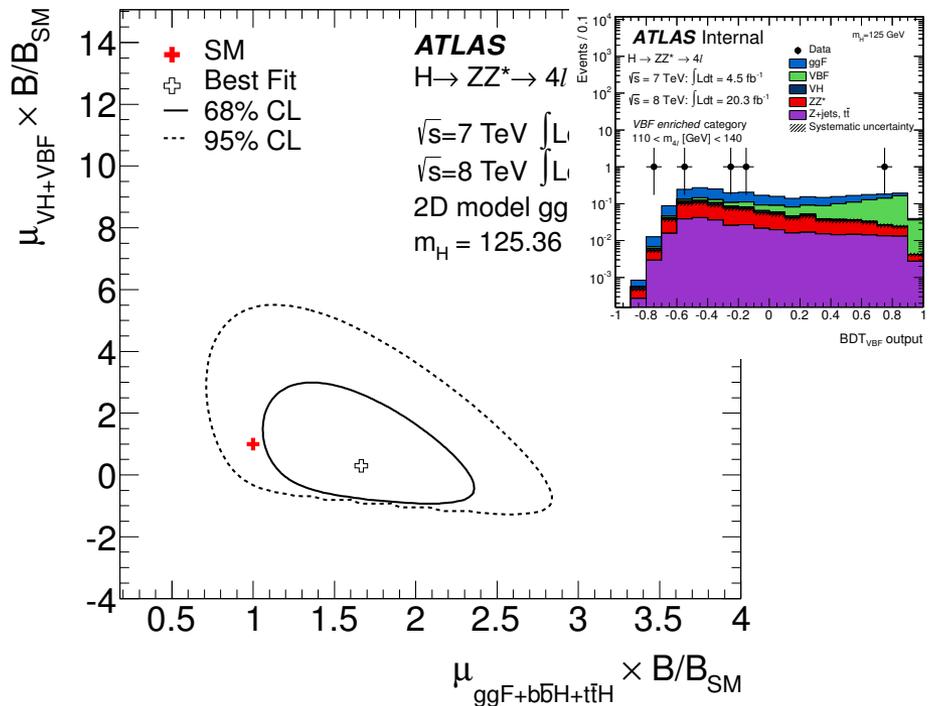
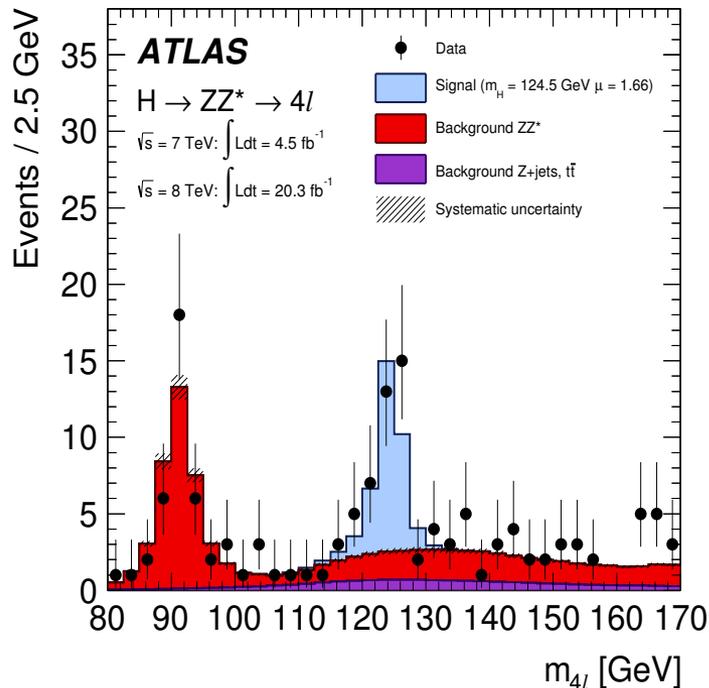


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Mass and couplings

RUN 1 Results:

- Higgs boson mass measurement: $m_H = 124.51 \pm 0.52(\text{stat}) \pm 0.06(\text{sys}) \text{ GeV}$
 - Input for the ATLAS-CMS combination $\rightarrow m_H = 125.09 \pm 0.21(\text{stat}) \pm 0.11(\text{syst}) \text{ GeV}$
- Event categorized as ggF-VBF-VH-like
 - 1 VBF-like event observed



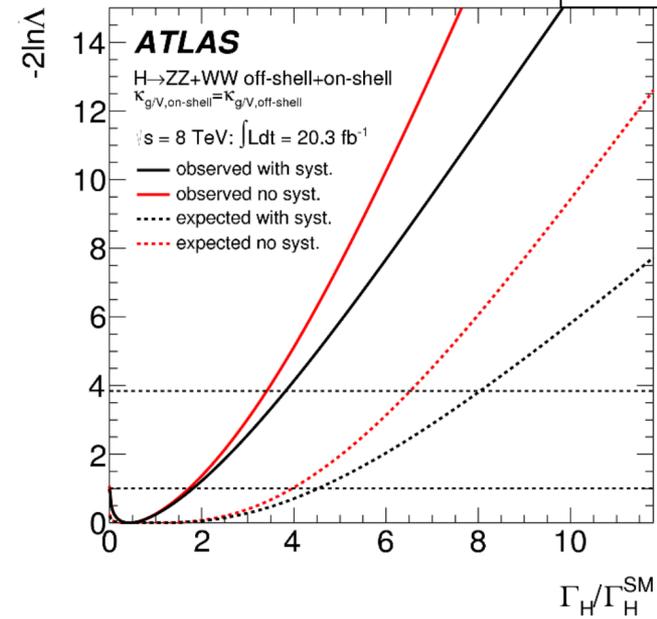
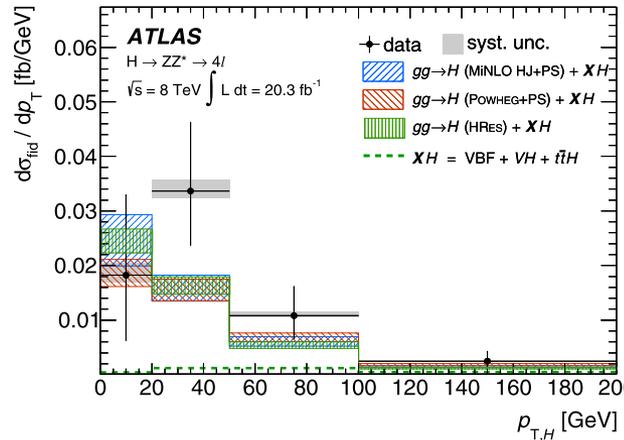
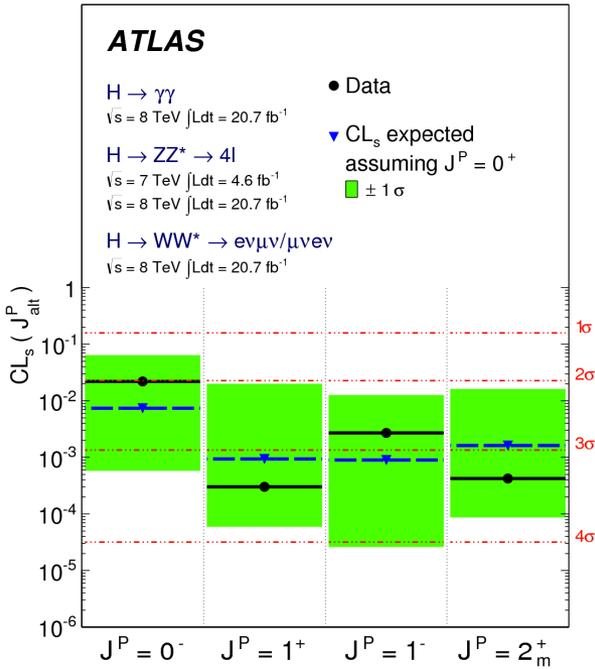
Huge LNF involvement:

- contact editor for: Phys. Lett. B 726 (2013)120, Phys. Rev. D 90 (2014) 052004, PhysRevD.91.012006



Properties measurement

- CP analysis to probe the coupling structure of the HZZ interaction
 - Evidence for the spin-0 nature of the Higgs boson



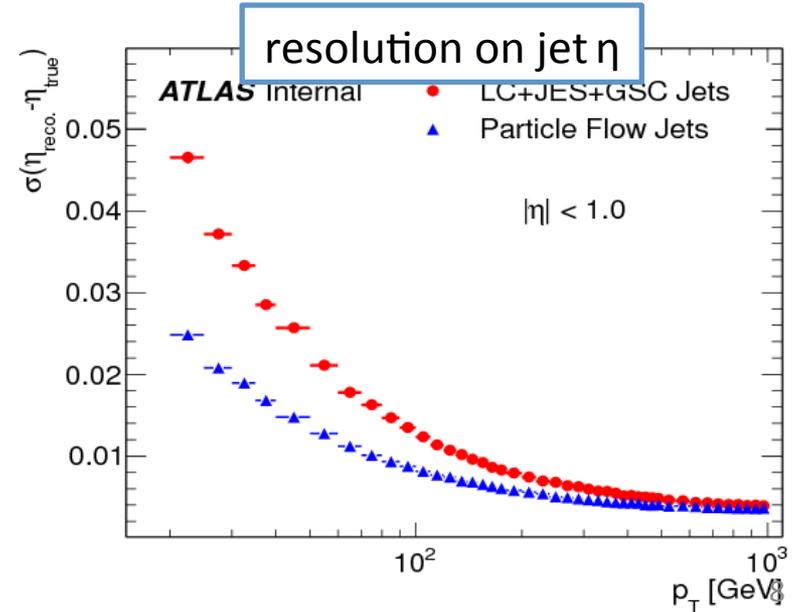
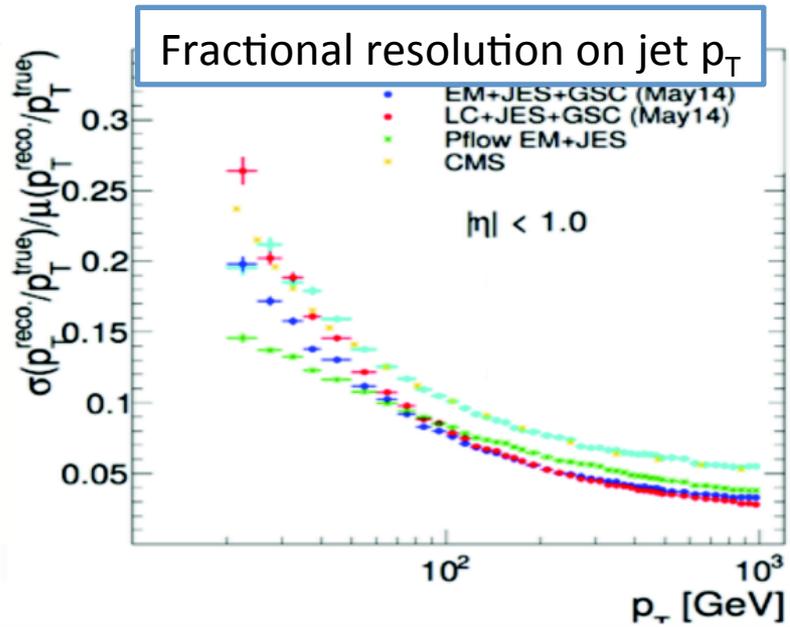
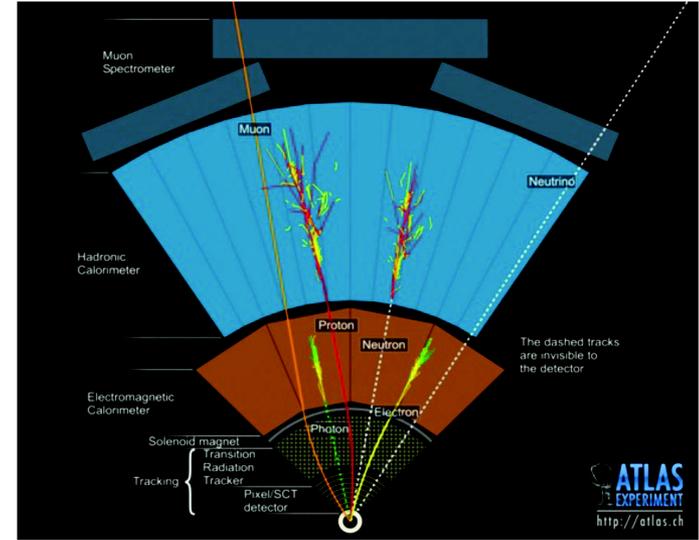
- **Fiducial and differential cross section** to probe several **properties** of the Higgs boson
 - Kinematics, spin and parity, jet activity, production modes
 - Compatible with SM, very powerful measurements for RUN2 and beyond
- Limits on **Off-shell Higgs production** set as well with RUN1 data
 - Assuming same on-shell and off-shell couplings: $\Gamma_H < 23 \text{ MeV}$



- Active contribution of the **Frascati** group also in the **performance** studies, both for near future and for the ATLAS upgrades

Particle flow

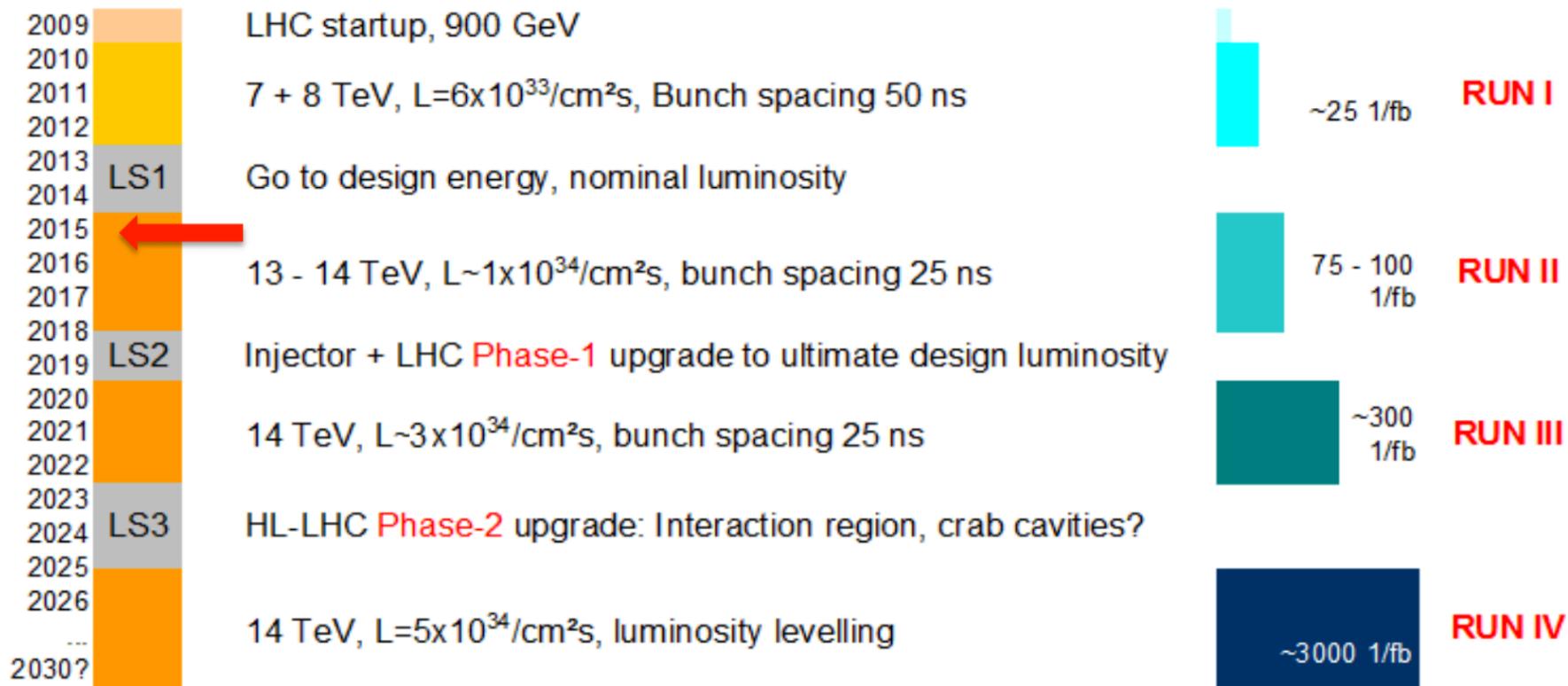
- PF algorithms try to follow the path of individual particles through the detector
- Combined** information of the **sub-detectors**
- Removal of charged pile-up
- Improved** p_T and **angular resolution** of jets
 - Contact editor for foreseen publication



ATLAS Upgrade: the **N**ew **S**mall **W**heel and the **F**ast **T**rack**E**r



The ATLAS upgrade program



- **Phase-0 Upgrade:**

- Consolidation + Insertable B-Layer (IBL) in LS1 already in for Run2

- **Phase-1 Upgrade**

- New Small Wheel, Calorimeter trigger upgrade, FTK

- **Phase-2 Upgrade**

- Inner Tracker, Muon spectrometer (?)

- **LNF group already fully involved in two major Phase1 upgrade (NSW and FTK)**



FTK and NSW timeline and LNF requests

- **NSW requests:**

- 3 FTE technicians for 2 years starting from march 2016

- Infrastructures:

- 1 clean room for assembly (available)
 - 1 clean room for panels refinement (soon available)
 - Cosmic Ray stand for Chamber commissioning

- **some FTE(~1.5) after construction for installation**

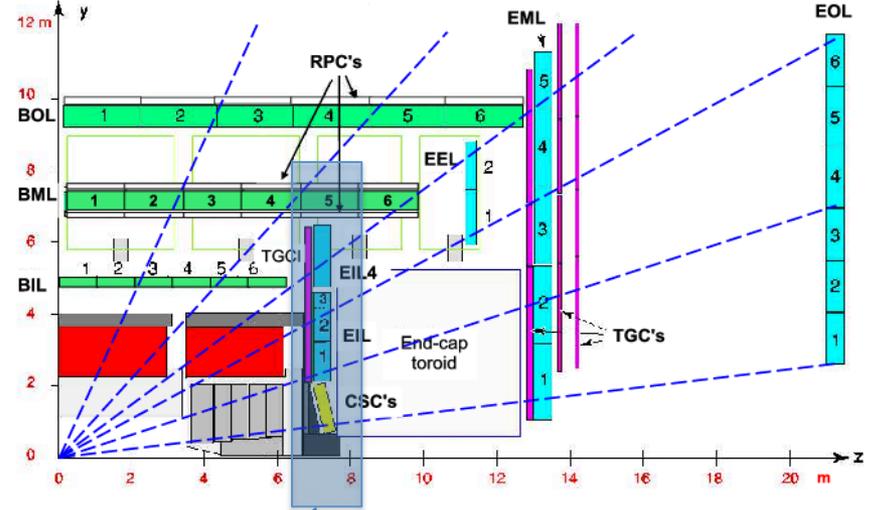
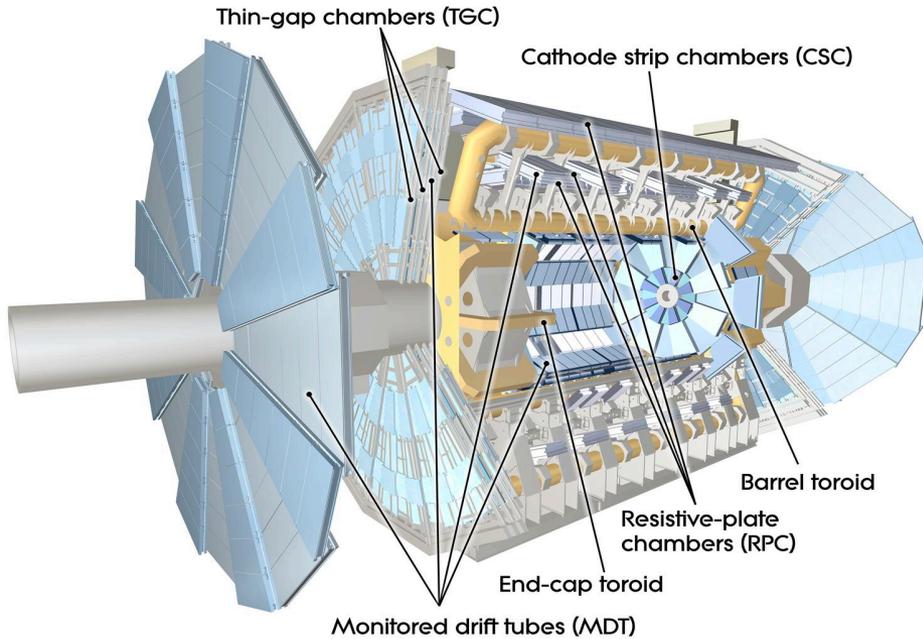
- **FTK**

- Final production of the input Mezzanine, tests of IM and AM06 chip to be done by July 2016

- Need at least 1 FTE to complete mezzanine production and for test of amchip06



NSW and the ATLAS muon spectrometer



- ATLAS muon spectrometer is realized by:
 - RPC(trigger) and MDT (tracking) In the barrel region ($|\eta| < 1$)
 - CSC, MDT (tracking) and TGC (trigger) in the endcap
- The **innermost endcap** muon station (Small wheel) has the **highest background rates** in the Muon Spectrometer
 - Located actually between endcap calorimeter and endcap toroid
- **Challenging** region for LHC **RunIII** ($2 \times L_{\text{design}}$) and **RunIV** ($5-7 \times L_{\text{design}}$)



- **Trigger** and **Tracking** strongly affected when LHC luminosity will be **above the design values**

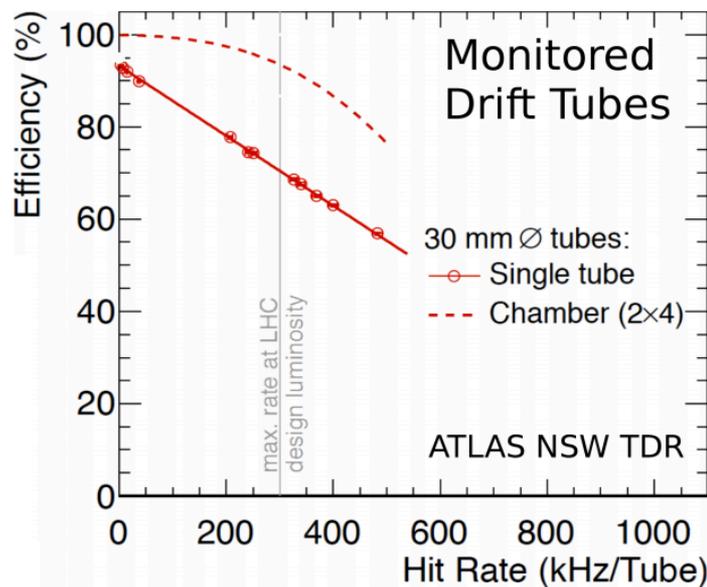
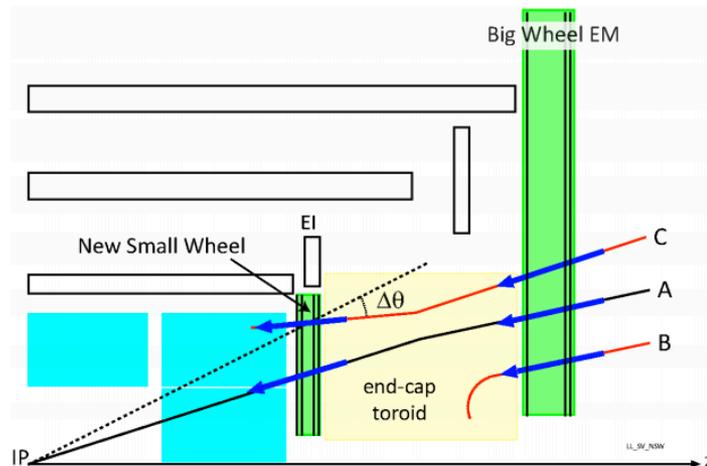
- **Trigger:**

- Current μ -trigger in the EndCap rely only on the Large Wheel information
- In this region L1 trigger is dominated by **fake triggers**
- @ 3×10^{34} pT > 20 GeV estimated trigger rate ~ 60 kHz (available bandwidth ~ 20 kHz)

- **Tracking**

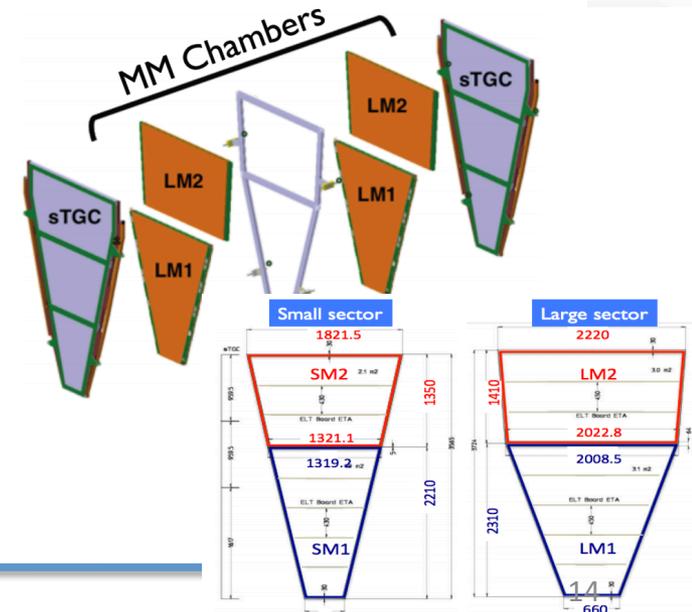
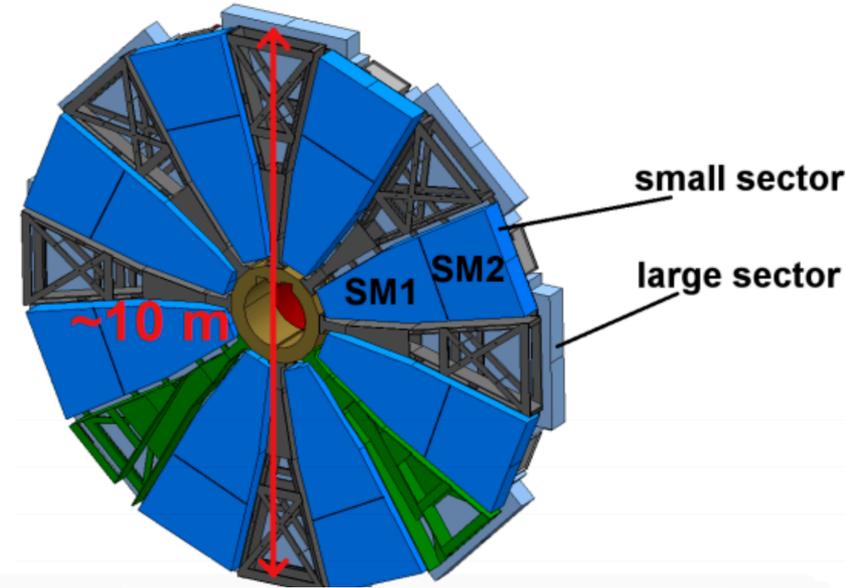
- At HL-LHC luminosity, the hit rate in the fwd region ~ 15 kHz/cm²
- expected ~ 5 MHz /MDT/tube for the current MDT
- > 300 kHz/tube MDT **efficiency drop** due to **deadtime** from bkg hits + resolution decrease due to space charge

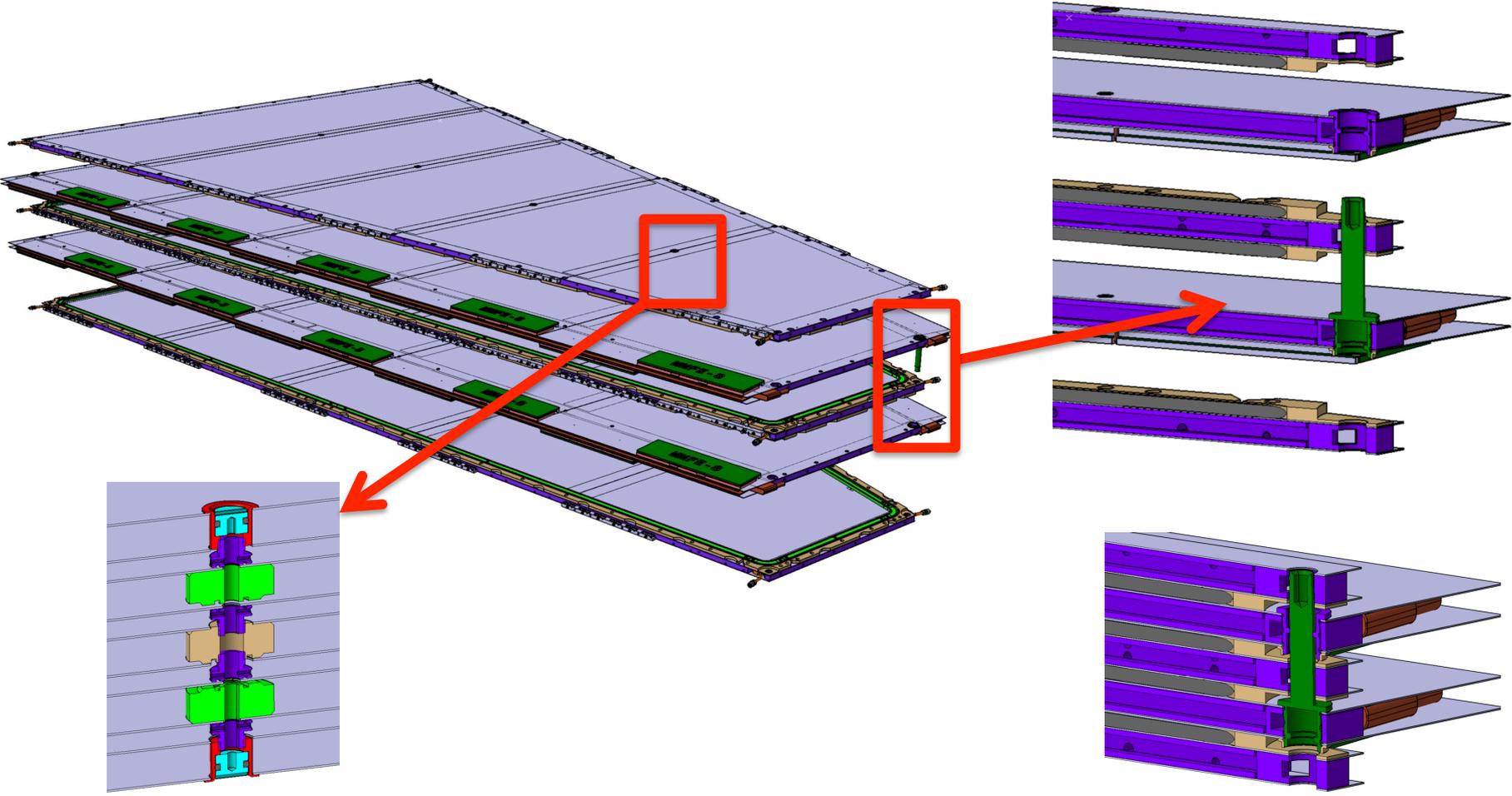
\Rightarrow New Small Wheel needs **trigger** and **high rate capable** new technology



NSW layout

- ⇒ Small-Strip Thin Gap Chambers (**sTGC**) and MICROMESH Gaseous Structures (**Micromegas**)
- Wheel like design
 - 8 large and 8 small sectors
 - Each sector divided in **two modules**
 - 1 module → 2 micromegas quadruplets (main focus: precision tracking) sandwiched by 2 sTGC quadruplets (main focus: trigger)
- NSW and MM **Layout finalized**
 - 4 different chamber types
 - **Production** distributed over **several institutes** and some components from industry
 - Italy(SM1), Germany(SM2), France(LM1), Russia/ Greece/CERN (LM2)
 - Module0 construction started to **fully certify production sites**





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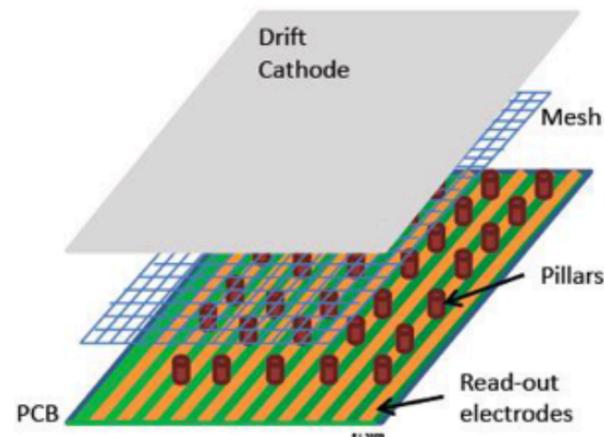
- Concepts and design by LNF Servizio Progettazione Apparati Sperimentali

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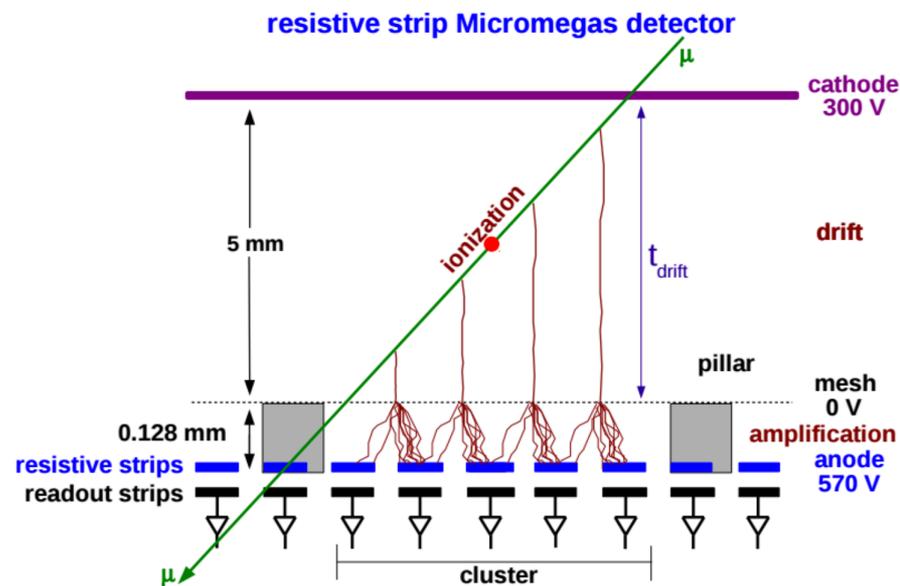


Micromegas technology

- Ionization of about 100 e /cm in Ar:CO 93:7 by muons
- Electron drift velocity 47 $\mu\text{m}/\text{ns}$
- Collection of the avalanche charges on the resistive strips (anode)
- Capacitive coupling between resistive and copper readout strips
- Pulseheight and timing information from signal shape
- Strip width: 300 μm , Strip pitch: 425 to 450 μm
- Resistivity of strips: $\sim 10 \text{ M}\Omega/\text{cm}$

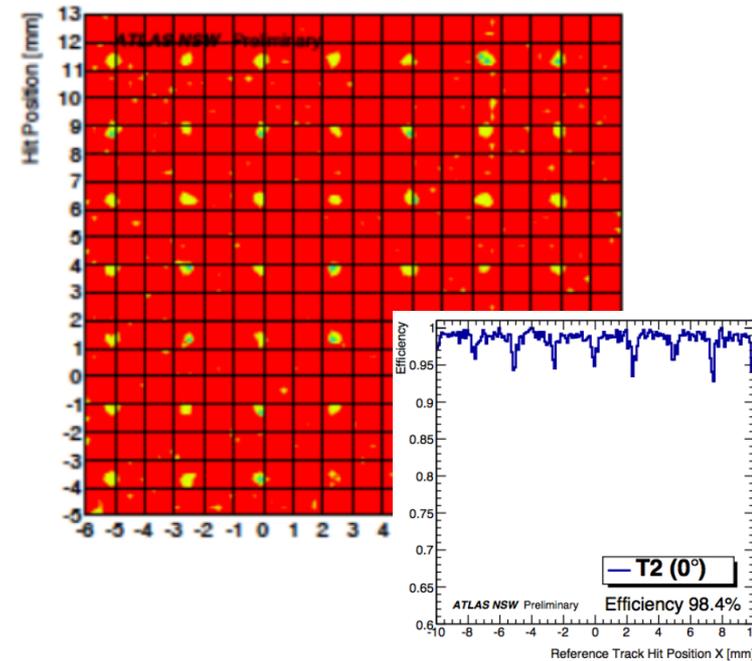


- **Performances requirements** to reach **15% μ momentum resolution @1TeV**
 - strip position along eta $\sim 30 \mu\text{m rms}$
 - Position of strip position along z (orthogonal to the detector plane) $\sim 80 \mu\text{m rms}$

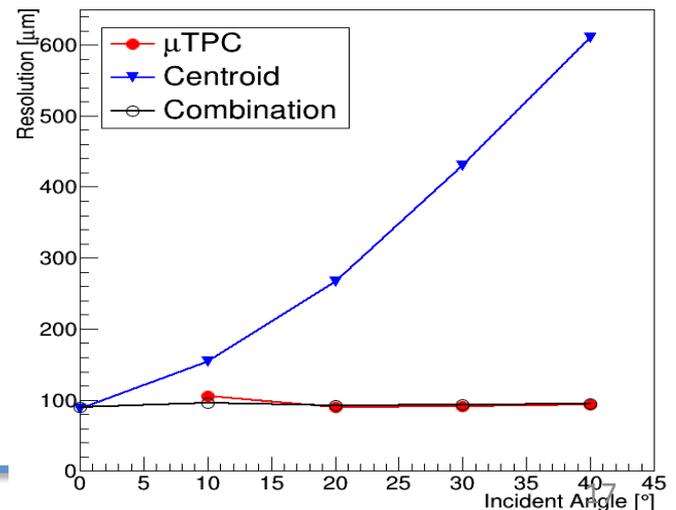


Micromegas performances

- Performances studied with small prototypes with several Test beam campaigns (also @ LNF)
 - **Efficiency 98-99%**, consistent with the dead area from **pillars** supporting the mesh
 - **<100 μm** resolution for perpendicular tracks from charge centroid
 - μTPC mode exploited for incident **angle >10 $^\circ$** , **$\sim 100\mu\text{m}$** resolution
 - Use time information from hit arrival
- Impact of copper-resistive strip misalignment
- Different gas – mixture composition
- Magnetic field effect
- Performances of the RO electronic

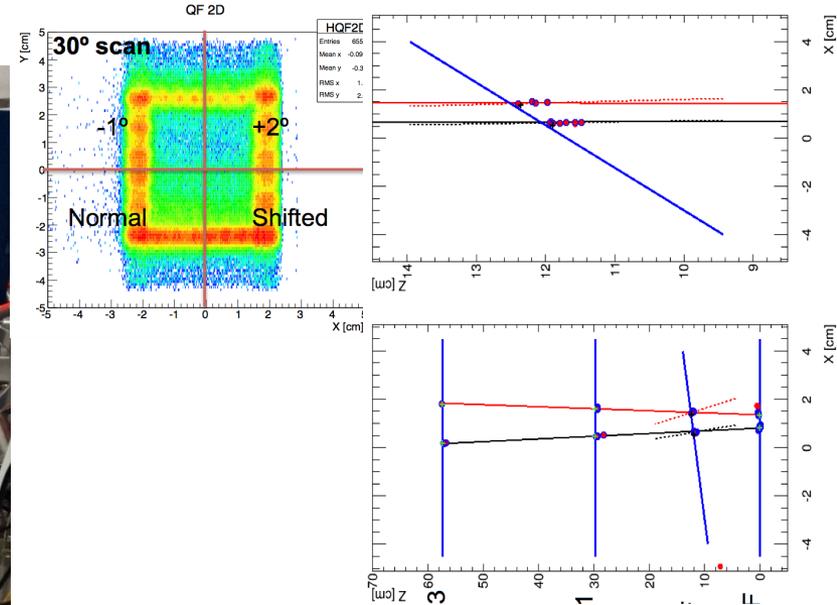
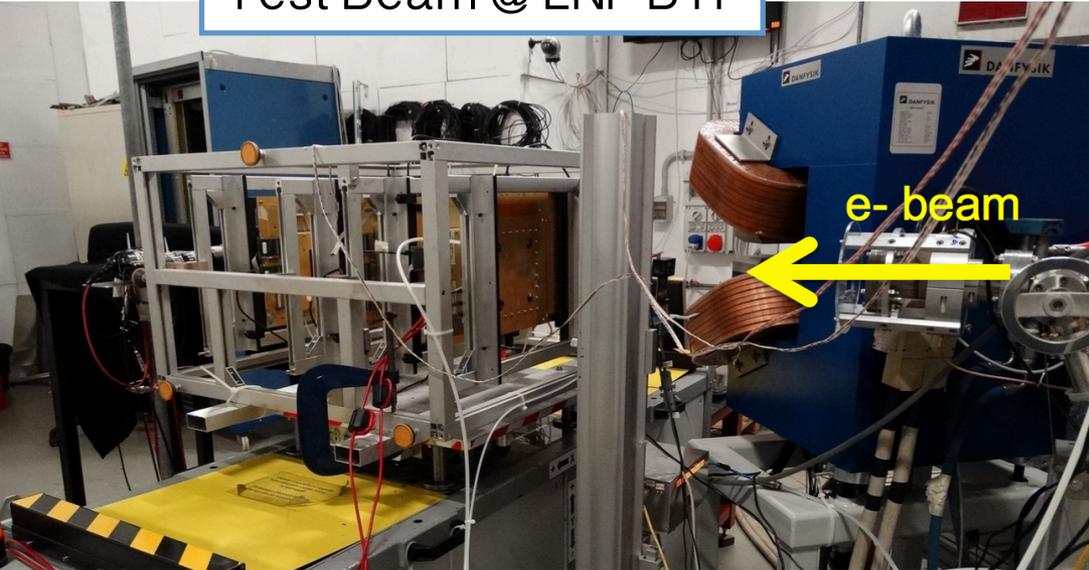


Single Plane Spatial Resolution

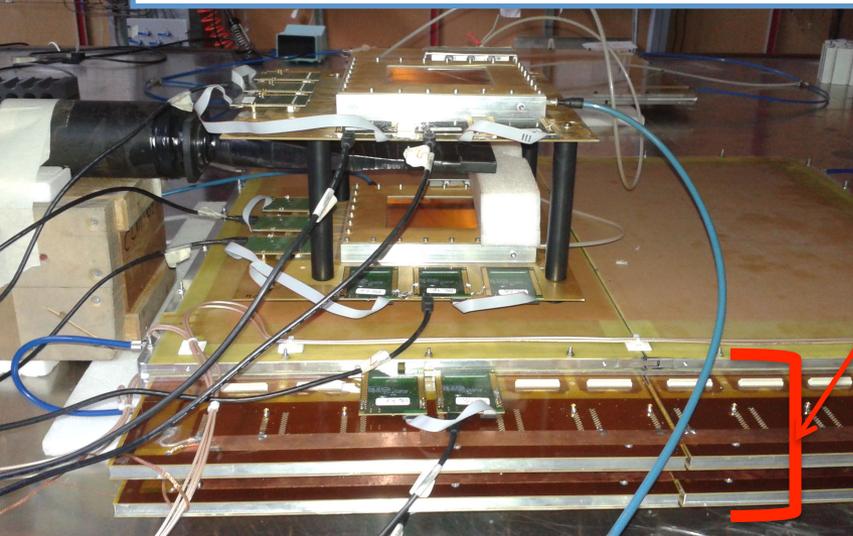


NSW activities @ LNF: from the first prototypes...

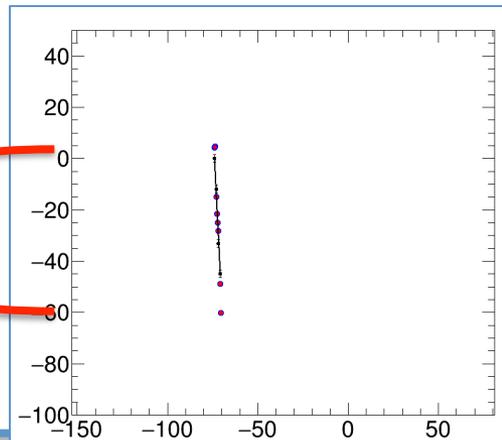
Test Beam @ LNF BTF



Prototype of a quadruplet

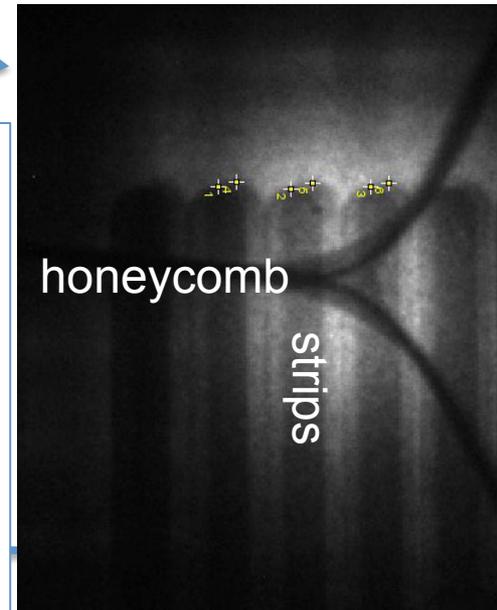


Top-bottom strip alignment verified @50 μ m with Xray



honeycomb strips

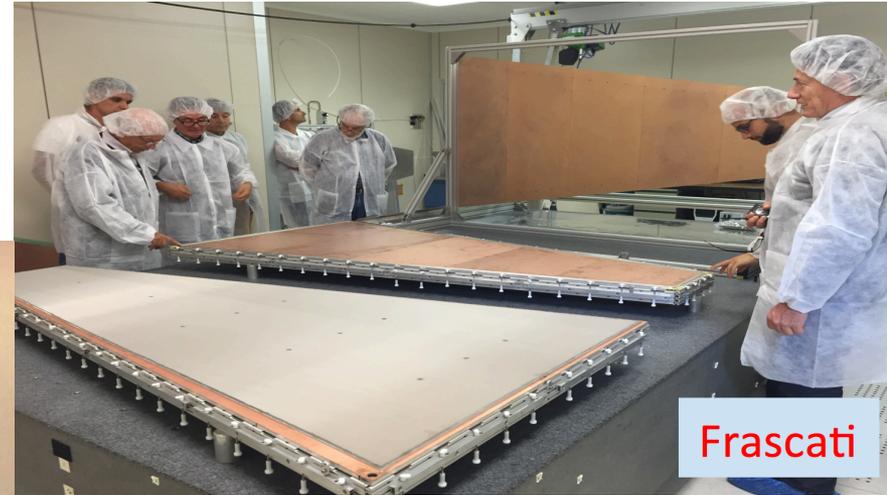
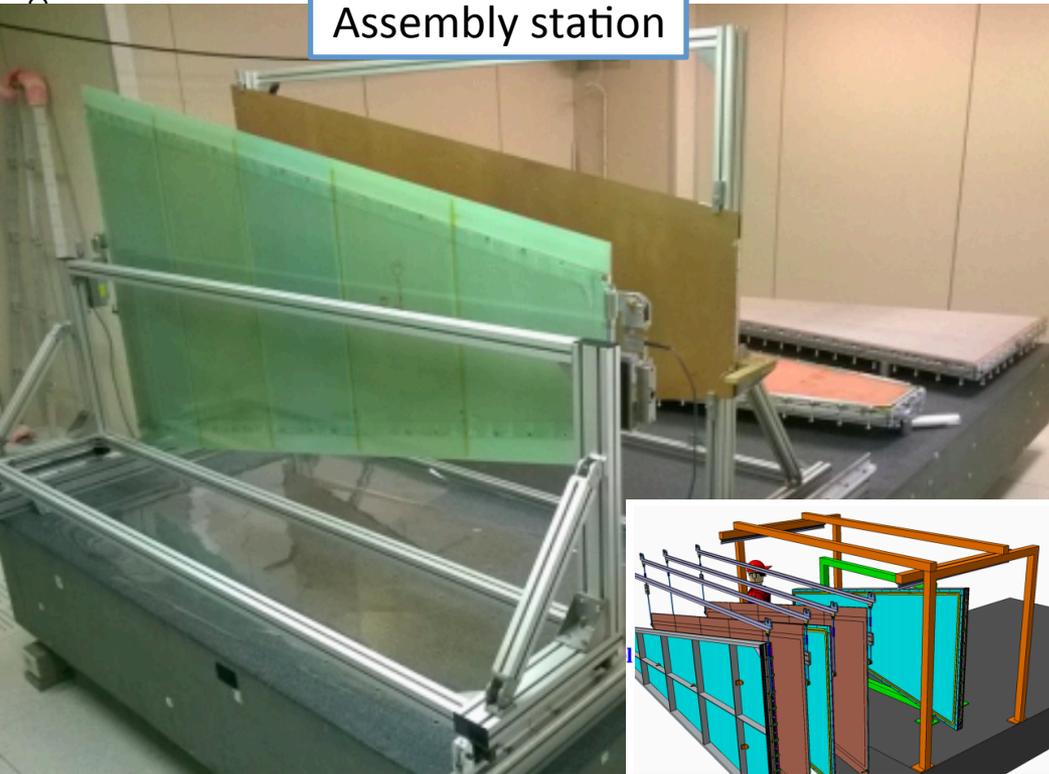
strips



...to the M0 construction

- Planned activities in Frascati within the SM1 production:
 - Drift panels preparation: gas sealing and test, mesh frame and mesh gluing
 - Panels assembly
 - Two panels ready
 - Tests with cosmic rays

Assembly station



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First drift panel completion



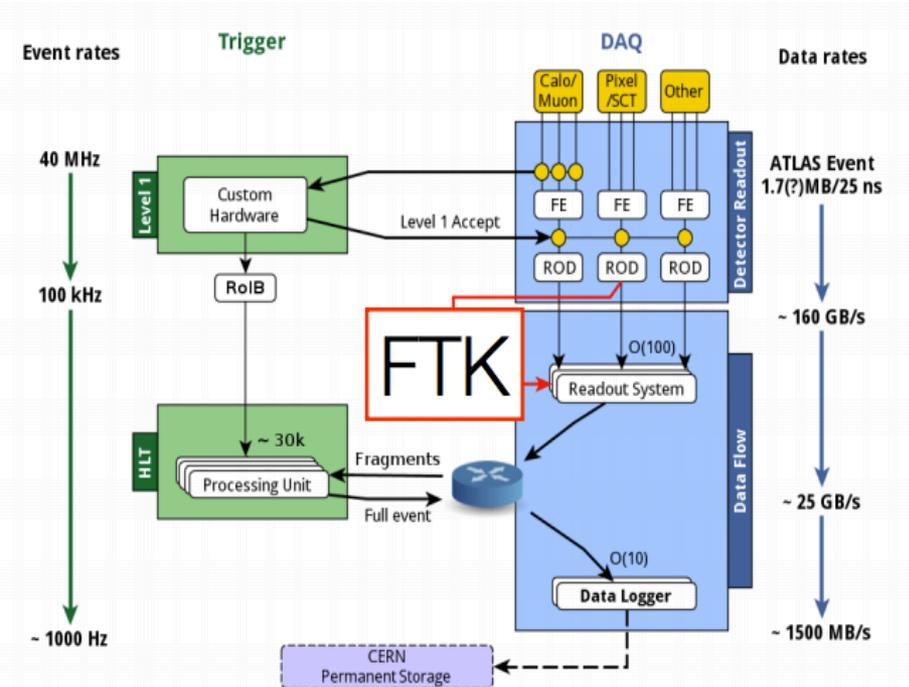
Precise dimension measurements of panels and components from Metrology of Accelerator Division

Fast Tracker system

- higher luminosity foreseen in RUN2, expected $\langle\mu\rangle\sim 40-50$ -> **Triggering** will be more **difficult**
 - **tracking at trigger level** can keep **under control rates** and **keep good efficiency** for relevant physics processes
 - Helps to **resolve complex topologies** with b- and tau-jets -> important for **Higgs** and **BSM** physics
 - Determine the number of vertex and improves the **robustness** in jet and MET selections in events with **pileup**

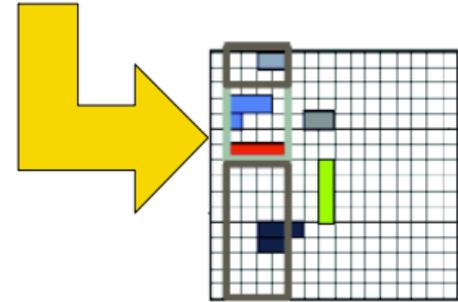
- **FTK is a track trigger**

- system of **custom electronics** (made of ~ 8000 ASICs and 2000 FPGAs) for **global track reconstruction** in the pixel and silicon strip detectors after every level-1 trigger (100 kHz).
- **Rapid pattern recognition** and track fitting for global track reconstruction of all tracks with $p_T > 1$ GeV to be done **in roughly 100 μ s**
- provide the tracks at the beginning of High Level trigger (HLT) event processing.

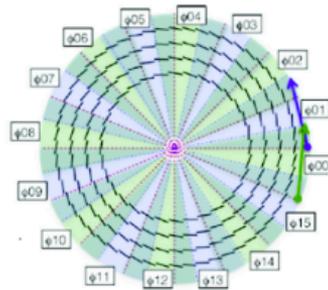


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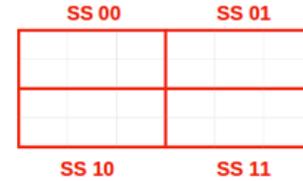
Tracking detectors



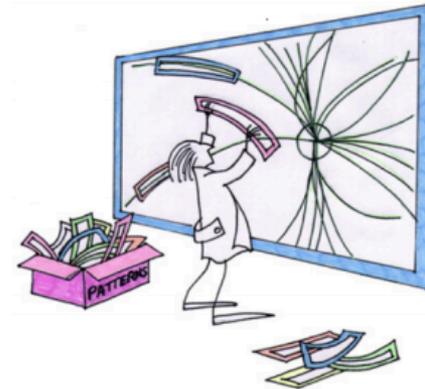
Custom pixel clustering algorithm on FPGAs



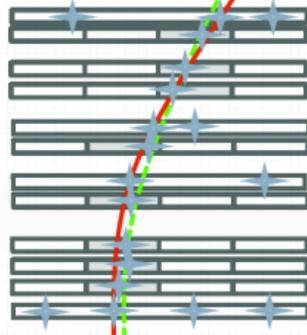
Geometrically grouped data distributed to processing units



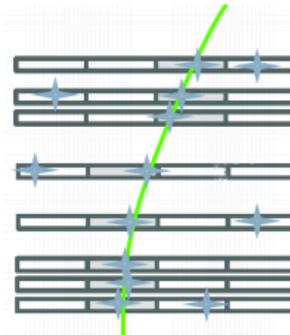
Transformation to coarse-resolution hits



Comparison to reference track patterns at coarse resolution



Precise fitting with good tracks being extrapolated to missing layers



Track fit with full-resolution info for track candidates

HLT

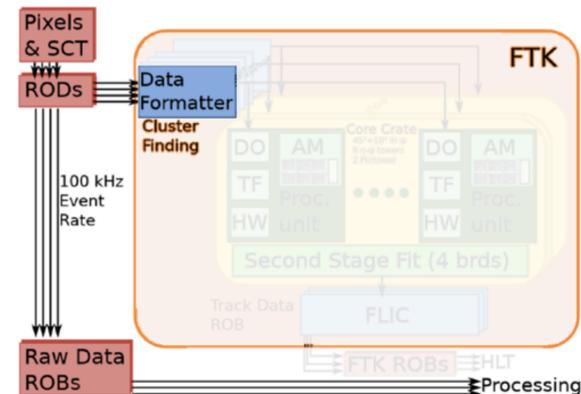


LNF FTK activities: Input Mezzanine

- **Leading activity** in the **Associative Memories** and **Input Mezzanine** production and tests

- **Input Mezzanine:**

- IM Spartan6 (LNF – WASEDA) :FTK Input-Mezzanine based on Xilinx Spartan6 FPGA
- IM Artix7 (LNF):IBL compatible FTK Input Mezzanine (upgrade to Xilinx Artix7 FPGA)
- Receives 4 inputs links from 2 SCT and 2 Pixel or 2 IBL
- **Perform the hit clustering** by FPGA
- **Send** the clustered hit data to **Data Formatter** board (DF) that sort the hits in their FTK η / ϕ towers and delivers them to processing units (PU)
- Spartan6-IM Production
 - **80 board produced** and successfully **tested**, firmware fully developed and tested
- Artix7-IM Production
 - Preproduction completed and tested, bulk production done and tests ongoing

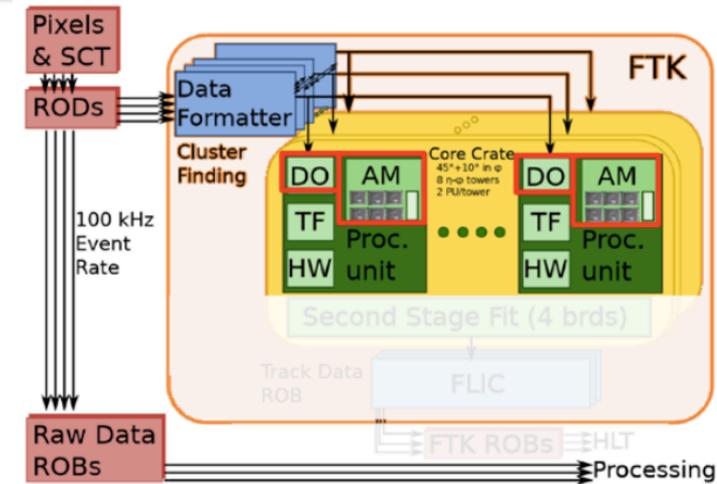


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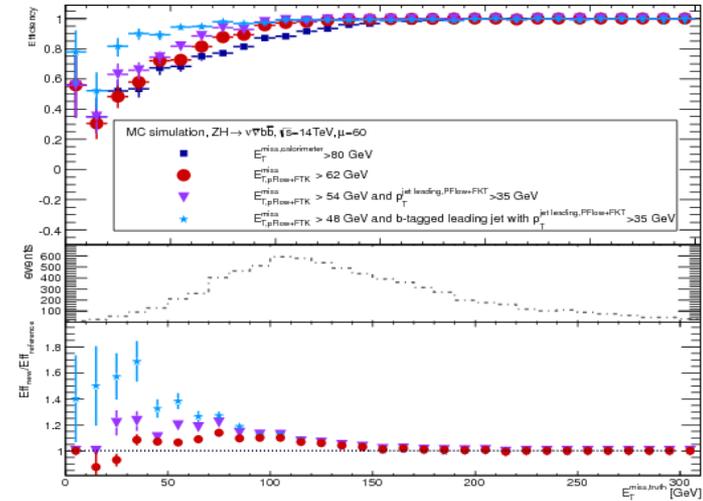
LNF FTK activities: Associative Memories

- **AM06 Chip** (LNF - INFN Milano - LPNHE Paris) 160mm² 65nm ASIC (400M transistors)
 - Track detection:
 - Compare detectors data with **patterns** stored in **memory**.
 - The AM **identifies** the presence of **stored patterns** in the incoming data
 - Consumption: 2.5 W for 128 k patterns
 - Performing **10^{14} parallel comparisons** at 16 bits per second
 - Pre production: **3K chip done** and in test
 - Bulk 11Kchip tested by July 2016
 - **AM06 Test Board (LNF) Test Board for AM06 Chip**
 - 6 boards produced, fully tested and working

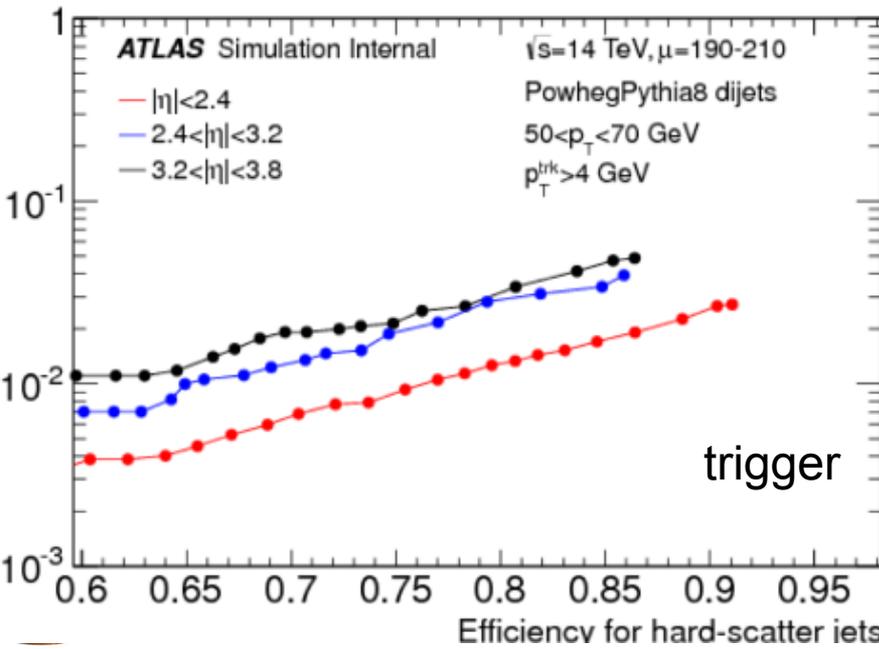


Trigger studies using FTK

- High Level Trigger with FTK for the search of the Higgs Boson in the $ZH \rightarrow \nu b \bar{b}$ channel
 - (LNF master thesis)
- High Potential of FTK tracks in combination with Particle-Flow MissingET trigger
- Increase of signal efficiency $\sim 8\%$, up to 20% at low MET
 - keeping HLT rate constant



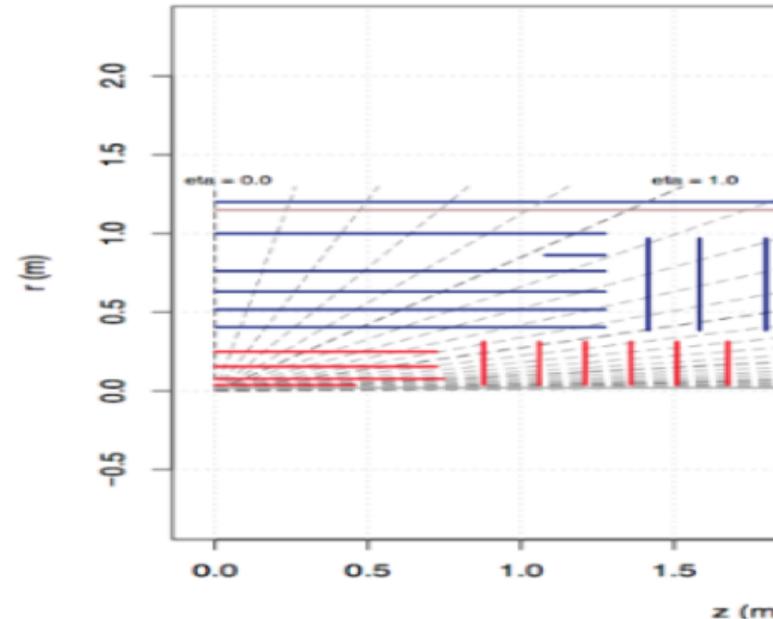
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- Trigger upgrade studies with L1 Track and FTK++ in the context of phase 2 upgrade
- High potential to suppress online pile-up using forward tracking + FTK

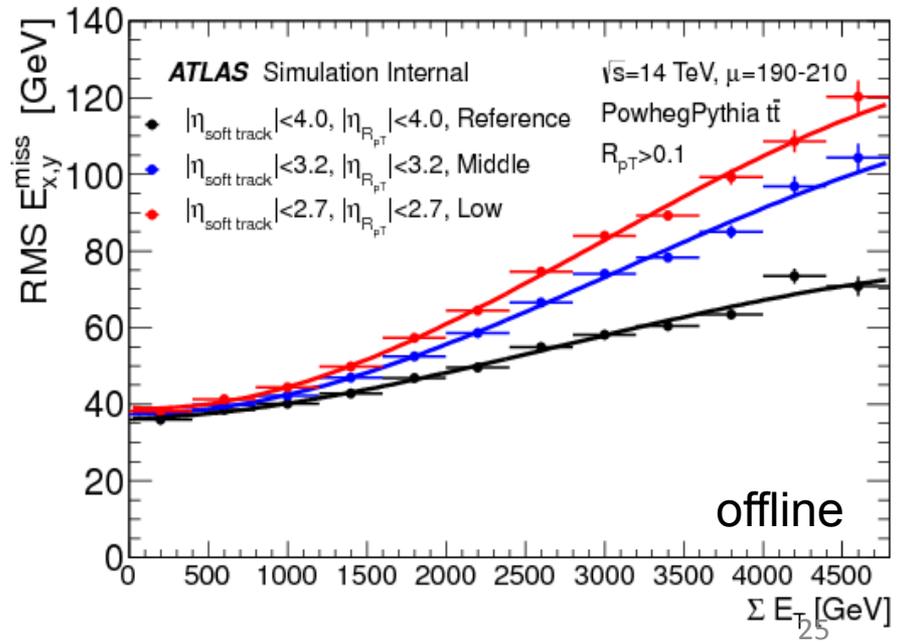
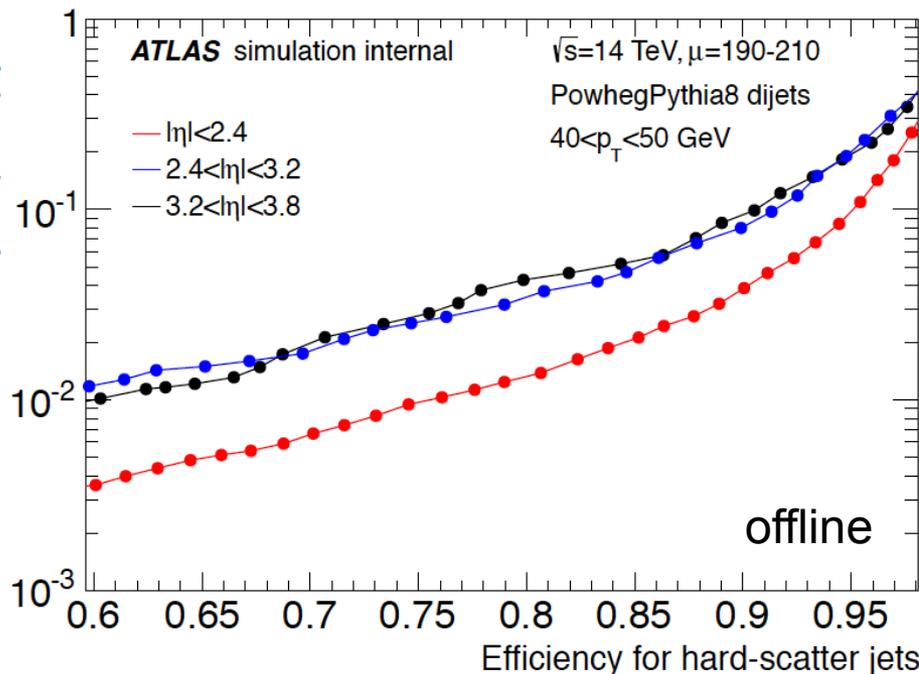
Studies for Phase II upgrade

- One of the main phase 2 upgrade is the ID angular extension
 - 3 scenarios explored: $|\eta| < 2.7$, $|\eta| < 3.2$, $|\eta| < 4.0$
 - High potential for
 - Suppress pile-up forward jets
 - Improve MET resolution
 - Contact editor for the “Large Eta Task Force report)



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Efficiency for pile-up jets

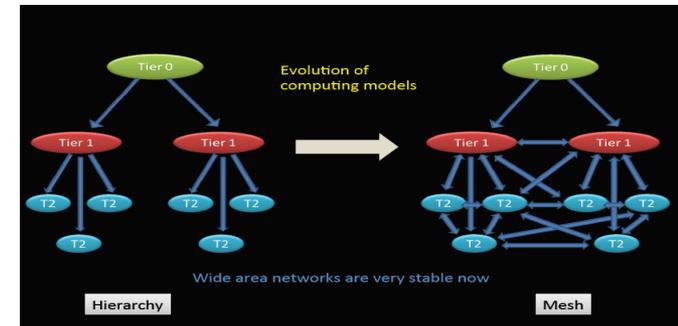


Computing activities



LNF ATLAS computing

- Original ATLAS computing model
 - **Hierarchical** structure based on multi-tier distributed architecture
- Model changed thanks to **the improved network** (WAN) performances
 - Migration to a **mesh model**, with **interconnection** between sites
- Data management also improved
 - **Popularity concept** introduced
- The ATLAS Italian cloud
 - 1 Tier 1 at CNAF
 - 4 ATLAS Tier-2s
 - **Frascati**, Milano, Napoli, Roma 1



The ATLAS LNF Tier-2

- ATLAS Tier-2 and other collaborations
- CPU: 17 kHEPSPEC
 - 84 computing nodes, 168b CPU, 1596 cores, **2056 job slots** (x4 in 3yr)
- Storage: **~1.38 PBr**, ~1 PBn (x4 in 3yr)
 - The head node and 11 disk servers
- Network: 10Gbps WAN connection, 10Gbps LAN (disk servers and rack switches)
- Around 30 servers for various services:
 - Production systems: EMI-3 midlware, Disk Pool Manager (DPM) as SRM, Torque/Maui batch system, Argus /GLExec Auth/Authz, cvmfs for experiments software
 - Testing activities

Since 2014: New computing Room



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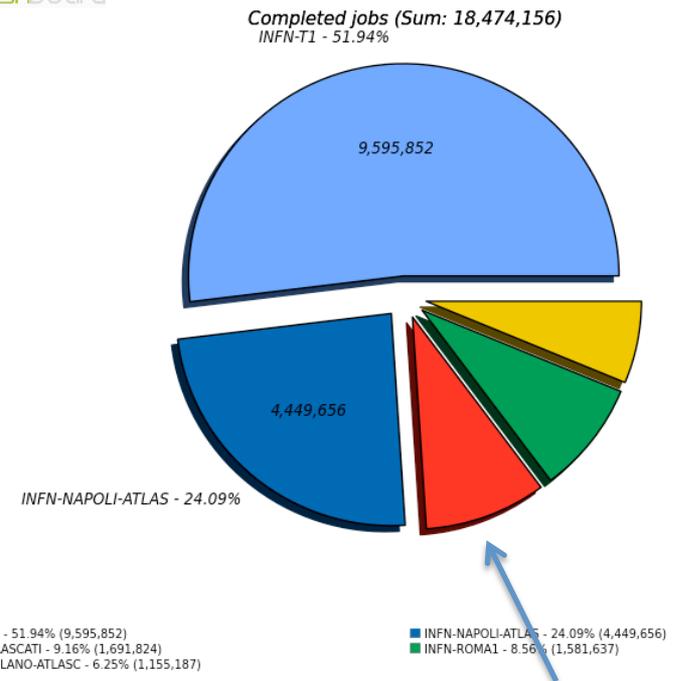
- ATLAS Tier-2: simulation, analysis (end-user, physics groups)
 - High availability and reliability in the last years:
 - **Availability = ~ 95%** **Reliability = ~97%** **Efficiency > 90 %**
- ATLAS VO management
 - Supported also other LHC VOs, Belle2 VO, Km3net and (in the future) CTO

- PRIN_STOA

- PROOF-based user analysis with PROOF on Demand (PoD) on Grid computing nodes.
- User analysis transparently accessing distributed input data through FAX and HTTP federations

- Host of DPM test-bed for testing activity inside DPM collaboration

- Recent collaboration with RM2 and RM3 to setup a regional cloud system



- ATLAS detector worked extremely well during RUN1
 - Huge amount of measurement and papers, exploiting the full potential of data collected up to the end of 2012
 - Fully operational and ready for the $\sqrt{s}=13\text{TeV}$ challenge
 - Activities already ongoing for future (planned and proposed upgrades)

LNF group heavily involved in the ATLAS activities

- **Leading role** in **Higgs analysis** and **performance** studies
- **Fully committed** to the two major **Phase 1 upgrade** of the ATLAS detector
 - Central role in the construction of the NSW with micromegas detector
 - Committed in the finalization and testing of the FTK components (AM and IM) developed in the past years @ LNF

