

# First checks on quality and alignment: test beam 2018 (first run 300118)

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#### Apparatus TB 2018: AGILE + MUonE



The key players...

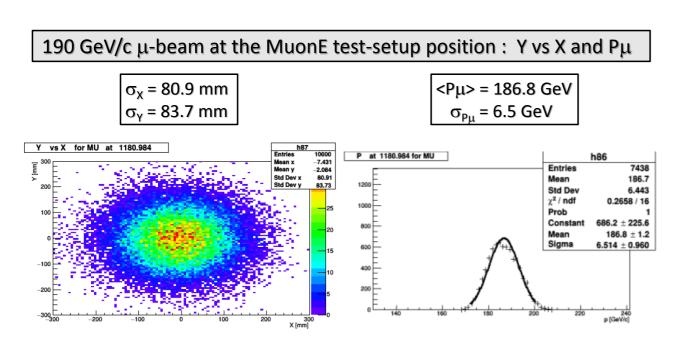


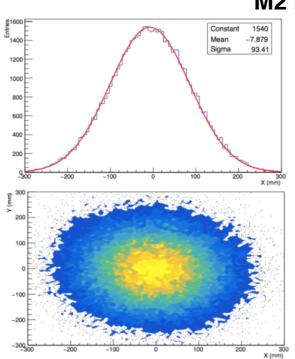
#### **Preliminary simulation of muons behind COMPASS**

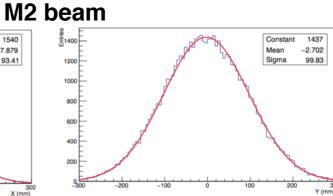
3 beam conditions (with different beam profiles in energy / angular spread):

- muons from modified M2 (two weeks in April);
- muons from nominal M2;
- muons from pi decays.

We must link these conditions to each of our runs.



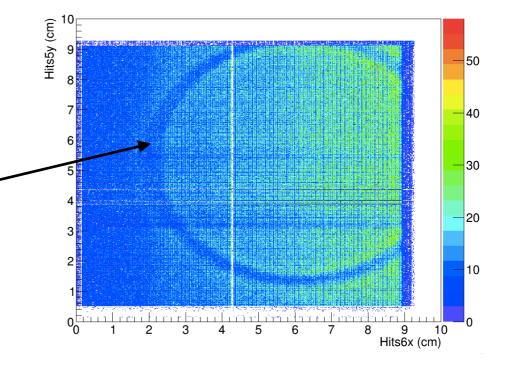




 $\sigma x = 93.4 \text{ mm}; \sigma y = 99.8 \text{ mm}$ Flux for  $10^{13}$  pot/spill ~ $10^{6}$ /cm<sup>2</sup> *Note: Change of scale* 

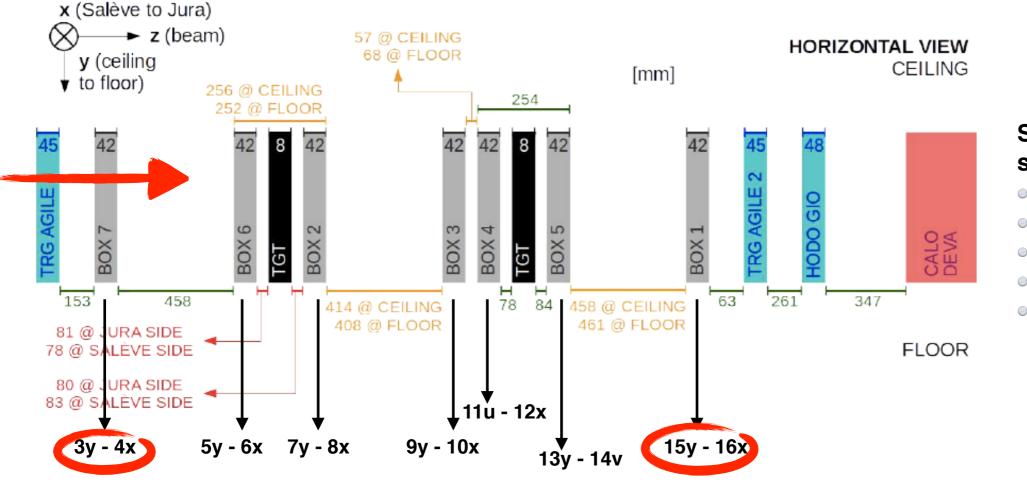
Deflection of beam downstream (due to SM1 and SM2) ~ 30 cm from undeflected beam axis

One of the first nice results of our preliminary analysis: mysterious circles on hits patterns? No, muon radiography of COMPASS TPC!



### First setup, without box 8 (1y-2x) before 7

# muONe installation – 09/04 setup \* from Mattia Soldani



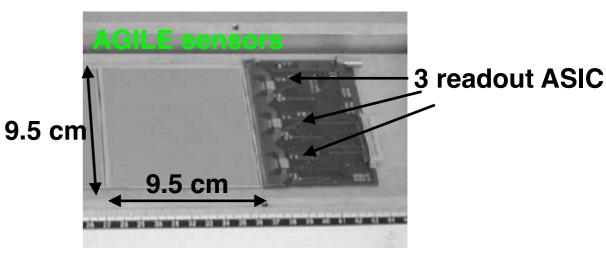
# Some features of AGILE silicon strip detectors:

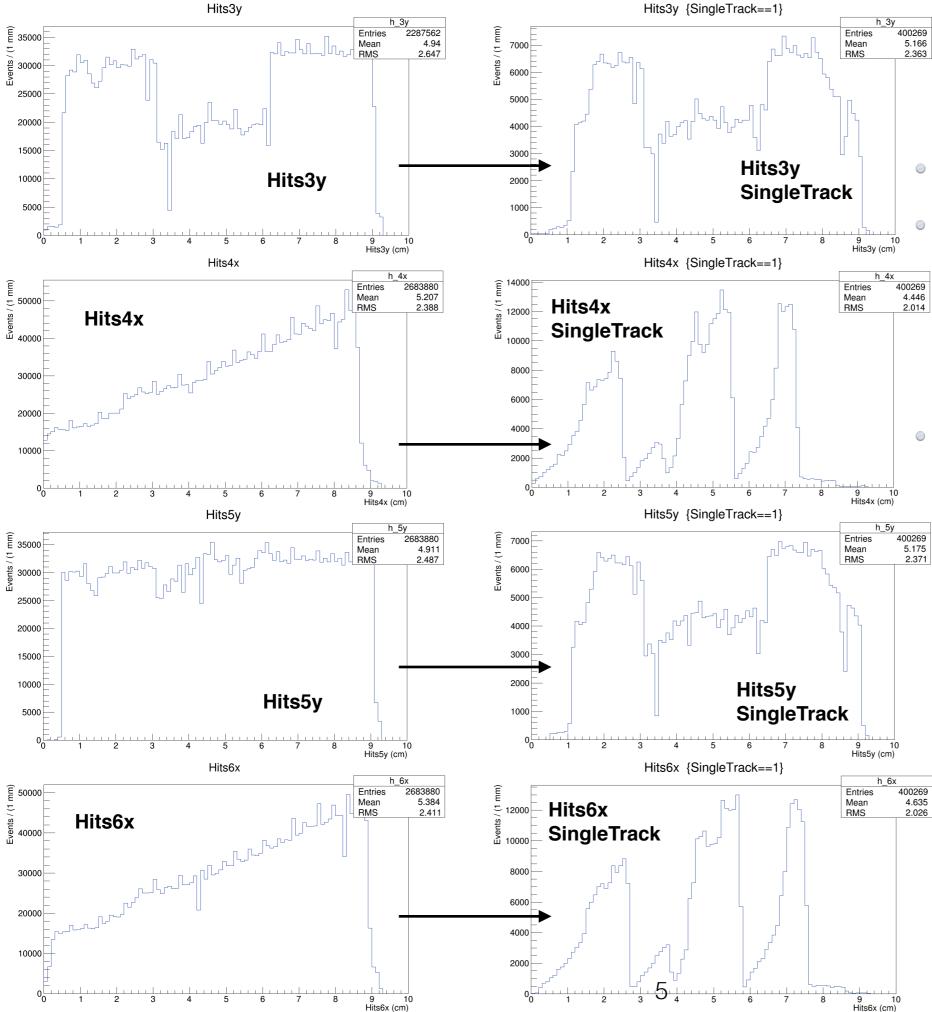
- 7(+1) stations;
- single-sided, AC-coupled;
- thickness: 410 um;
- 9.5 x 9.5 cm<sup>2</sup>;
- readout pitch: 242 um with floating strip.

N.B. Upstream condition: multiplicity 1 or 2 on all x plane (2x, 4x, 6x) and on 5y before first target.

As already discussed with Michela, counting problems with:

- plane 3y (2nd ASIC);
- plane 10x (all 3 ASIC): see next slides.



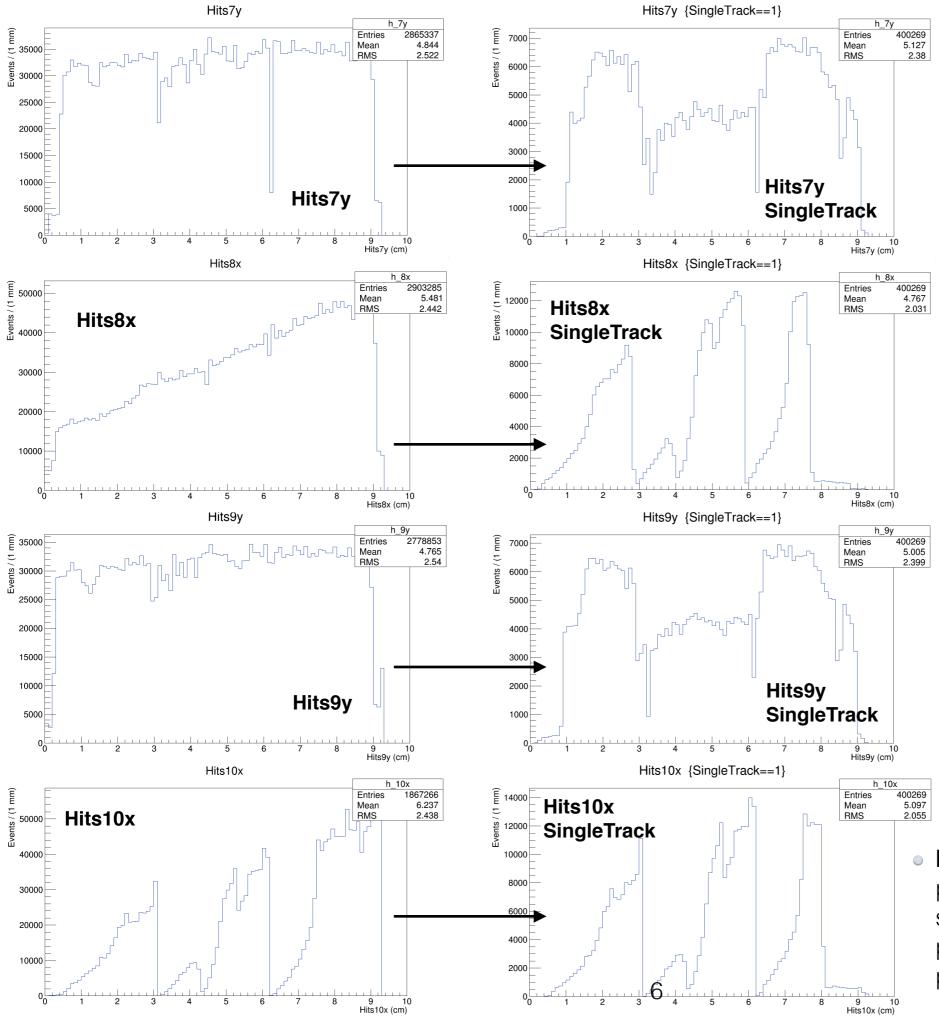


# Un-aligned hits (in cm)

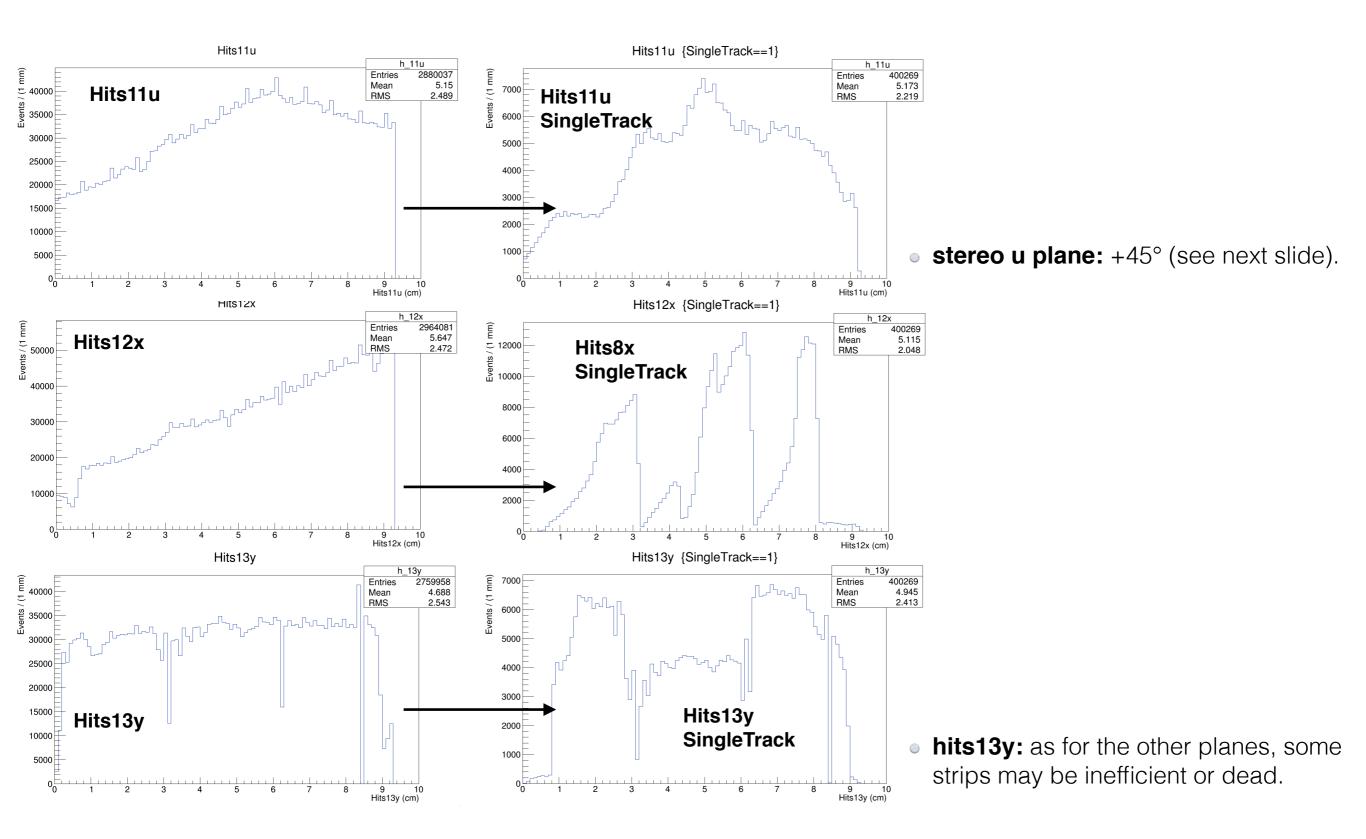
#### SingleTrack: m =1 on all planes.

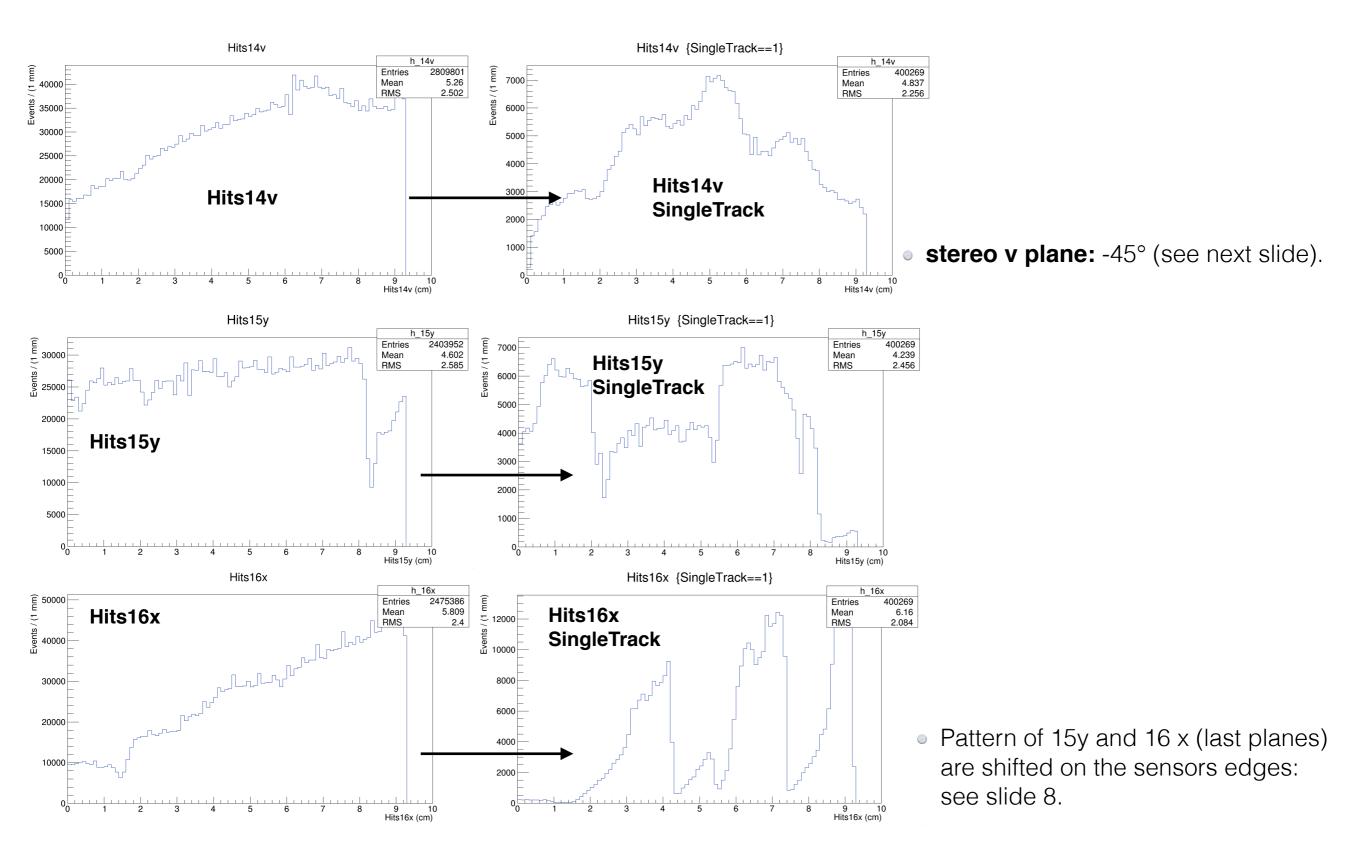
Hits3y have some counting problems (middle ASIC), even not selecting conditions: this inefficiency pattern propagates itself at the all y planes, if singletrack is required.

• **Hits4x** doesn't have problems, but requiring singletrack it acquires pattern of plane **10x**: see next slide.

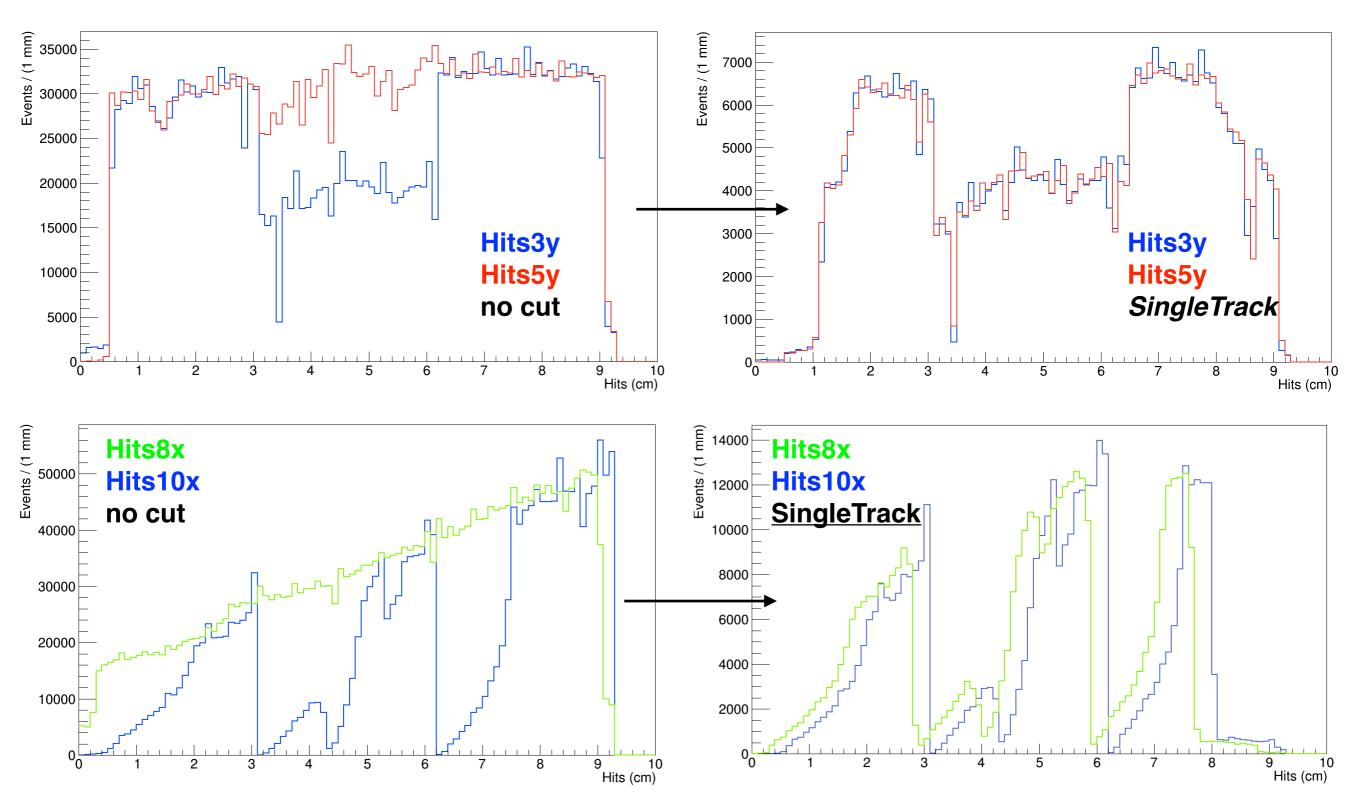


**Hits10x** have some counting problems on all ASIC, even not selecting conditions: this inefficiency pattern propagates at the all x planes, if singletrack is required.



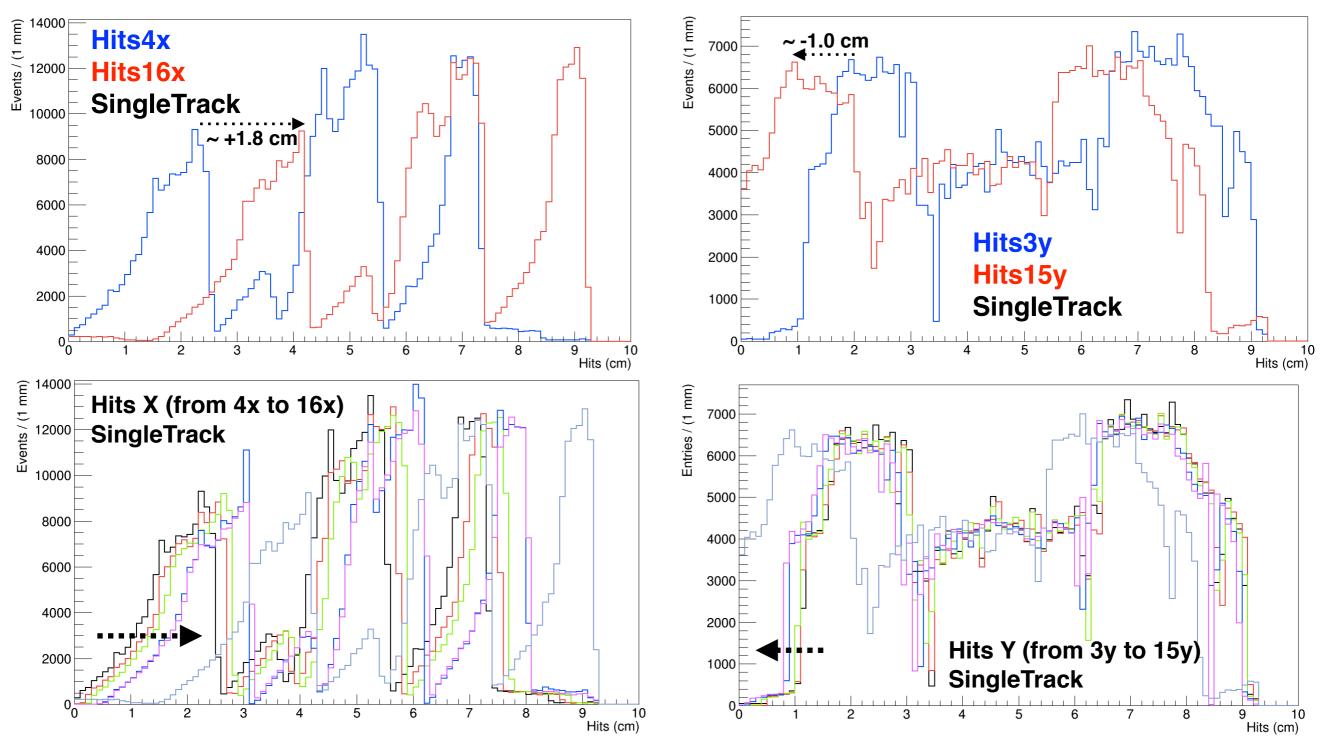


#### **Inefficiency patterns**



• SingleTrack condition correlates all plane x/y: 3y and 10x transmit their patterns to the other ones.

#### Planes shift along z axis



 It seems that efficiency patterns (due to 10x for x hits and to 3y for y) shift proportional to the distances of first reference plane. These hits are un-aligned, but it can be a sign that apparatus is off-axis with respect to the beam or last planes (taken as a reference) are particularly shifted respect to the others.

- Roughly speaking, in x there may be an angle offset of +1.8 cm / 196.30 cm (total x arm) = +9.2 mrad;
- in y: -1.0 cm / 199.6 cm (total y arm) = -5.0 mrad. These offset should be observe after alignment taking 4x-16x and 3y-15y as a references (see slide 11).

#### **Trackers alignment**

Alignment procedure:

- transverse x/y shift correction using residuals means;
- rotations about the z-axis using correlations between residuals along x (or y) coordinate and hits in the y (or x) direction.

Possible transformations, along all 3 axis:

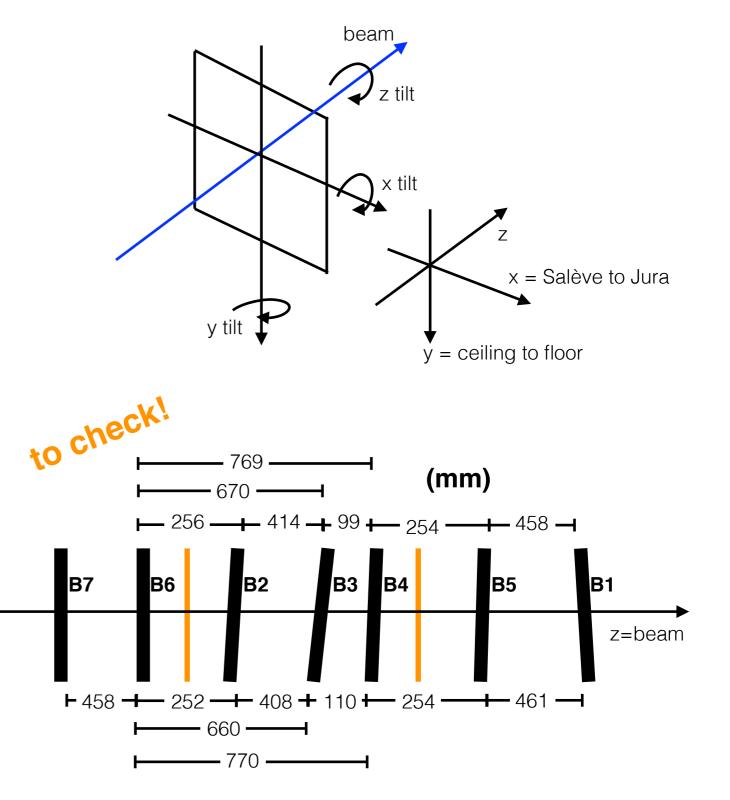
- 3 translations
- 3 rotations

Reading the distances scheme, <u>some boxes</u> <u>are affect of all these transformations except</u> <u>translations along z respect to the nominal</u> <u>distances</u> (we hope so).

Selecting singletrack, I tried to correct only rotations about z-axis and transverse translations along x and y using an iterative code (like the one used for the previous test beam):

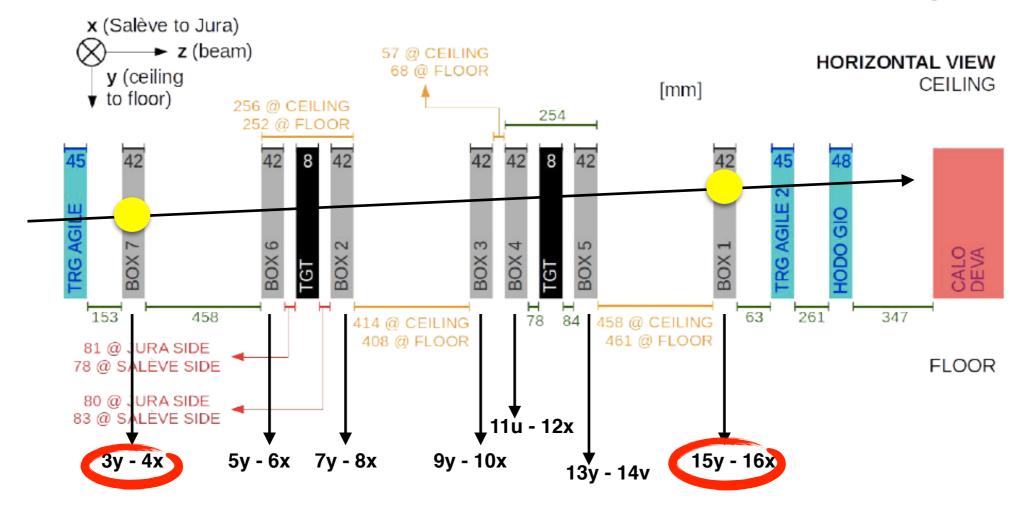
**x'** = **x** - *s\_resx* - *s\_anglex*\***y y'** = **y** - *s\_resy* - *s\_angley*\***x** 

(*s\_res*: sum shifts after n iterations, *s\_angle*: sum angle corrections after n iterations.)



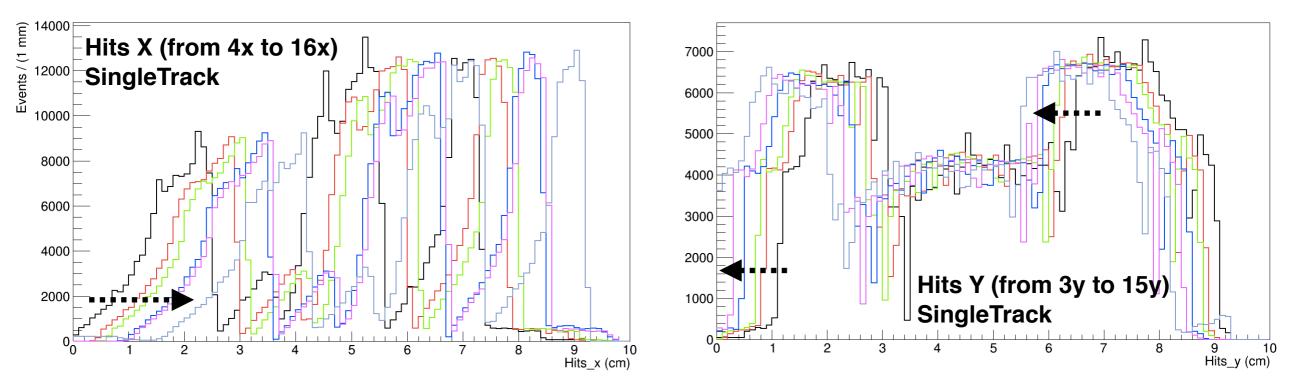
### **Alignment strategy**

# muONe installation – 09/04 setup

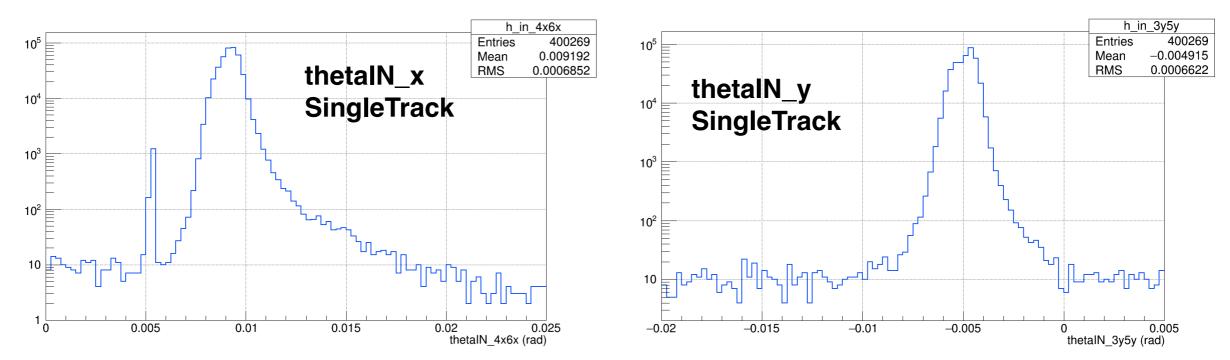


- Y reference planes: 3y 15 y.
- X reference planes: 4x 16x.
- Checking residuals on the other ones and correlations between residuals and hits.
- Also checking possible correlations between some residuals and income direction to looking for possible problems in the z direction.

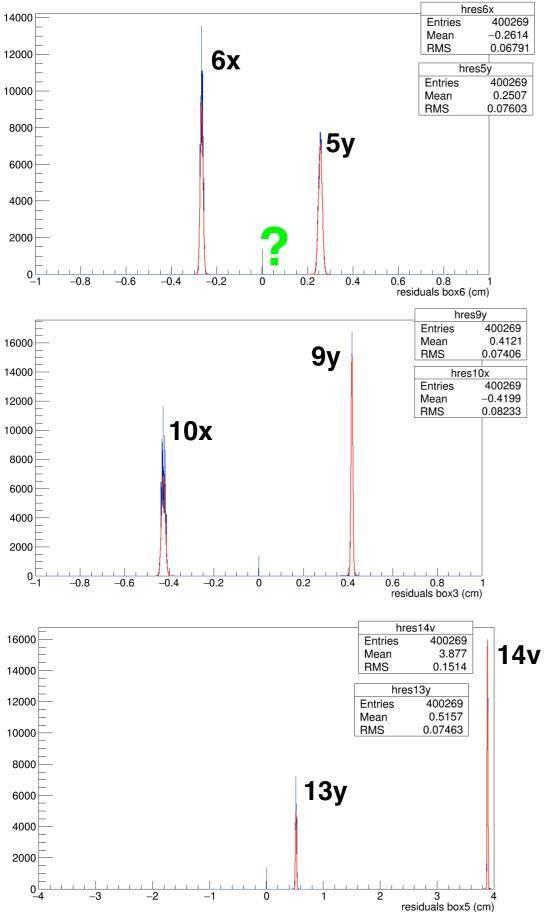
#### Hits post alignment

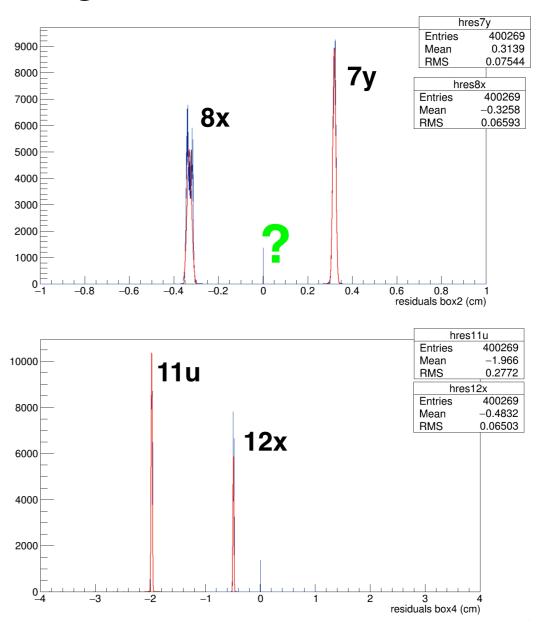


- Patterns shift proportional to z distances, these behaviors are confirmed even after alignment: taking as reference first and last boxes, muon beam should have an angle, compared to the apparatus, of roughly +9.2 mrad in x and -5.0 mrad in y.
- This observation is found in the incoming angle distribution:



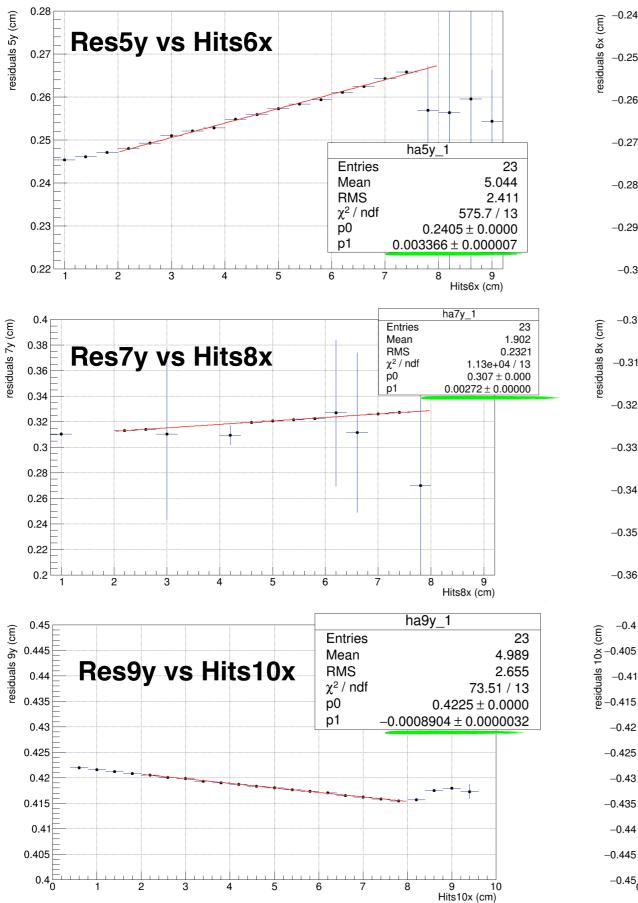
#### **Residuals** before alignment

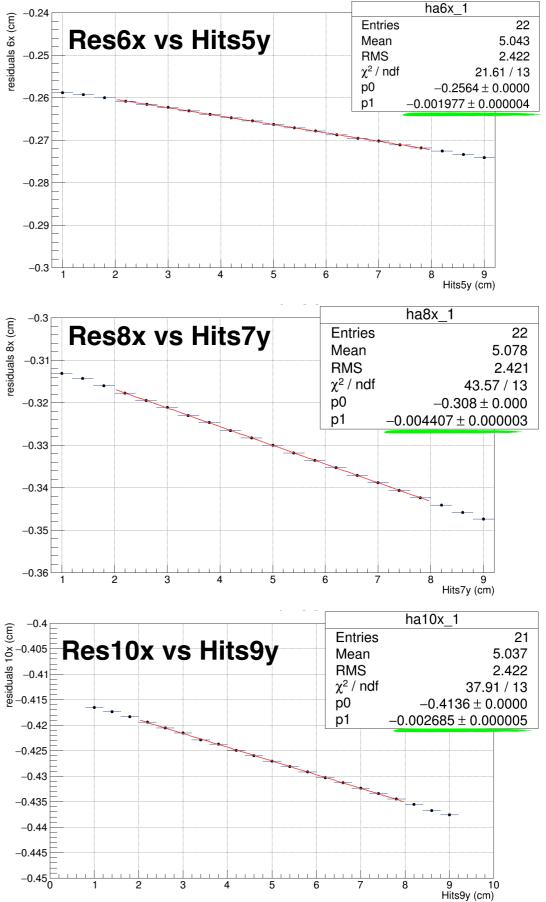




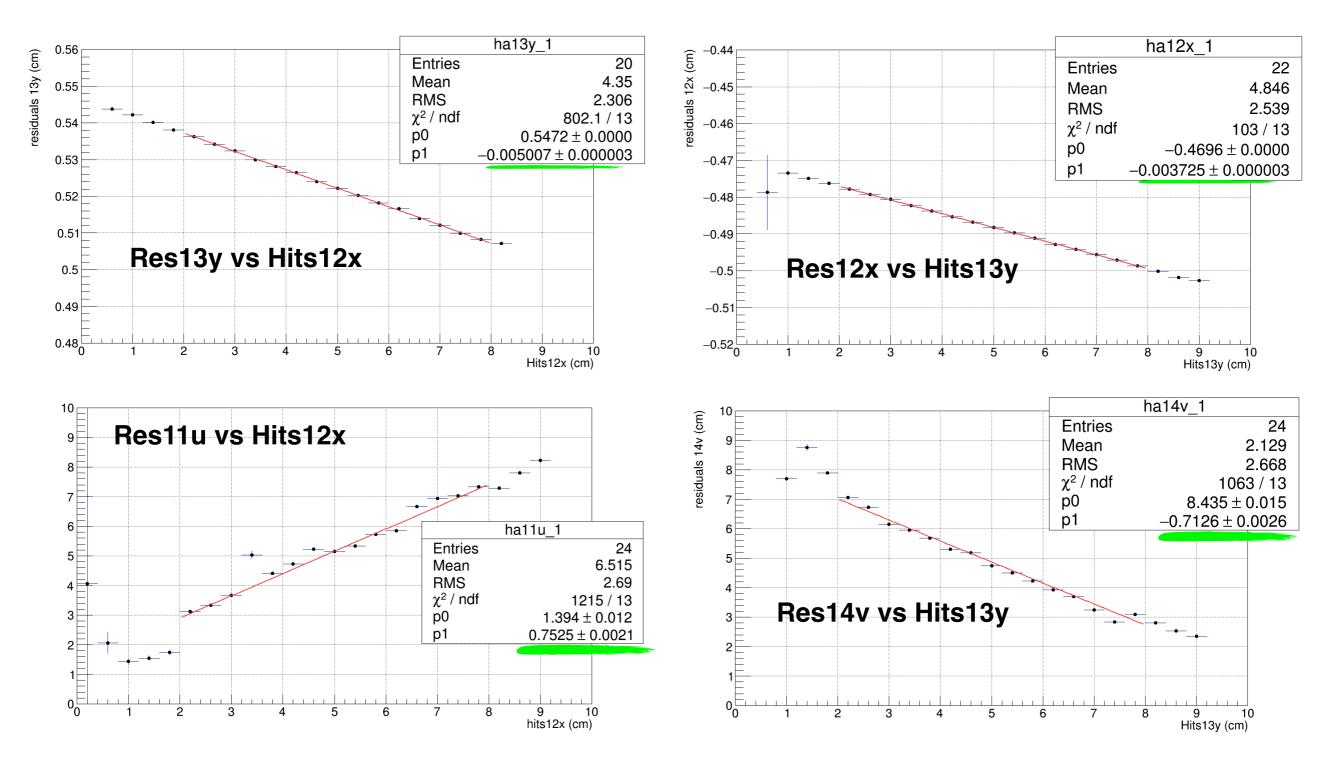
Skipping the stereo planes, which will require a special treatment, <u>all x/y translations are within 5 mm</u>.
In these plot, residuals of uv planes are determined with the reference straight line rotated of +/- 45°.

#### **Residuals vs Hits <u>before</u> alignment**



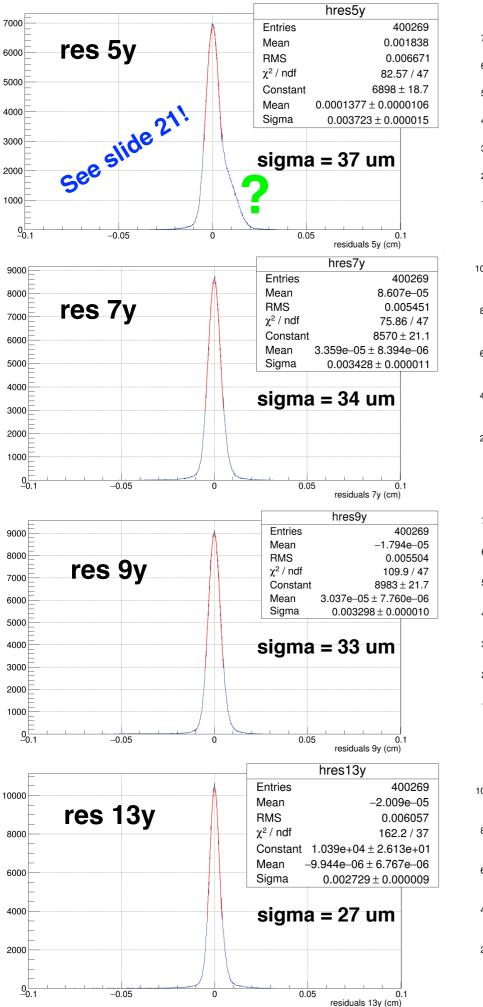


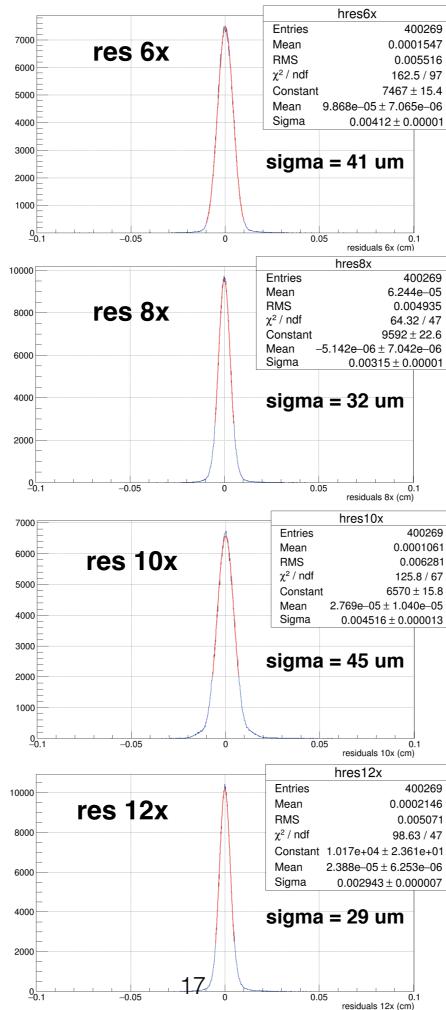
#### **Residuals vs Hits before alignment**



All x/y rotations (along z axis) are within 5 mrad: plane 13y is the one with the highest corrections.

uv planes confirm their angles: <u>roughly</u> +45° for 11u, -45° for 14v.





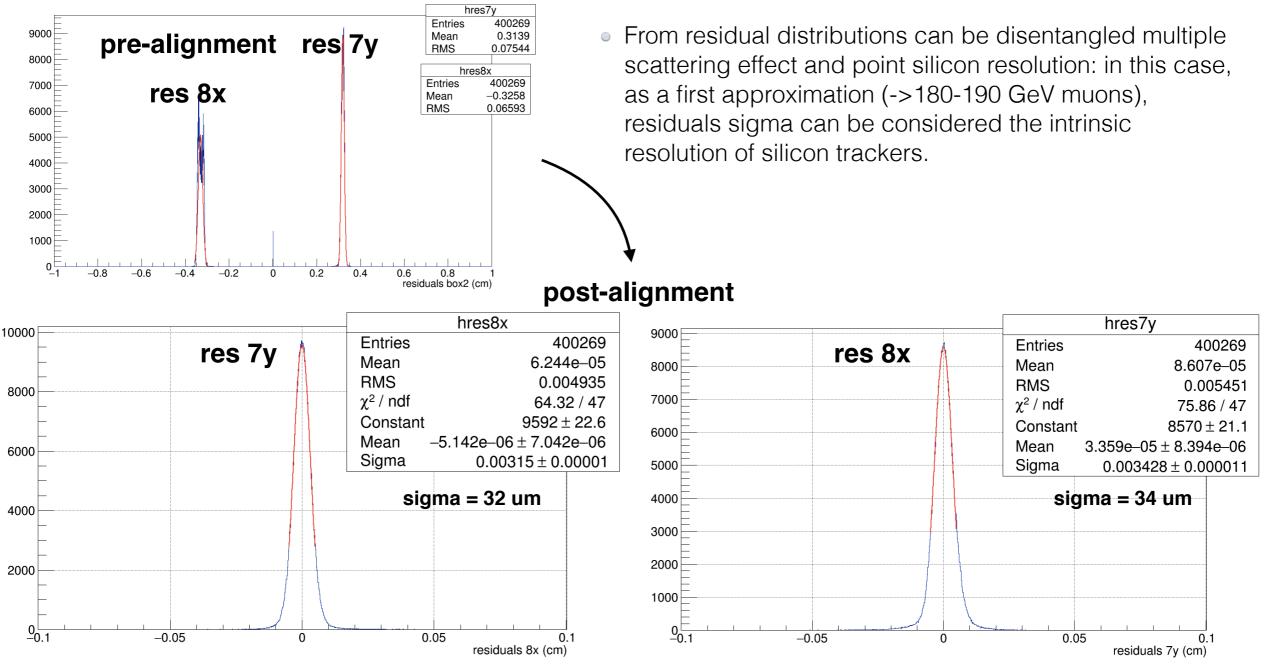
# Residuals <u>after</u> alignment

 Plane 5y surely has <u>some</u> <u>alignment problem or</u> <u>something else</u>: no gaussian shape. Maybe problems with hits of different ASIC->**slide 21**.

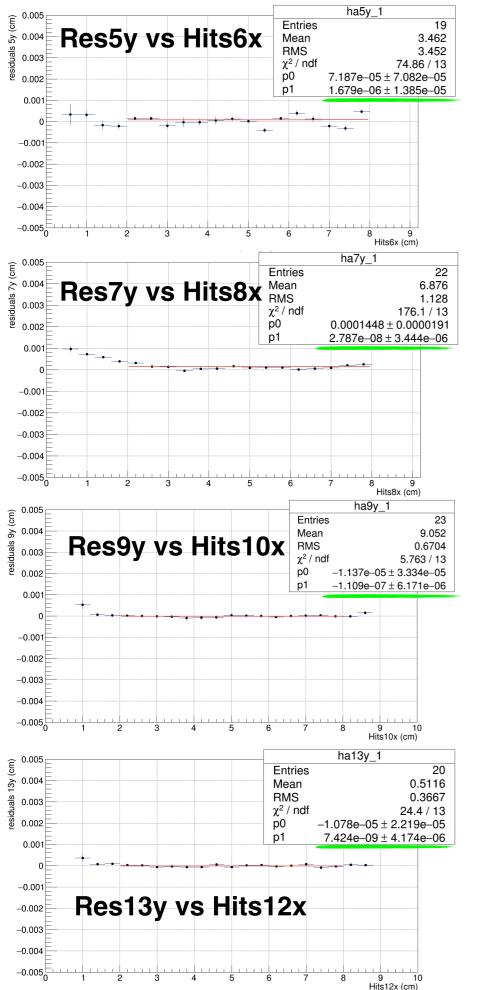
 Residual of plane 10x are wider than the other ones: it may indicate also some alignment problems.

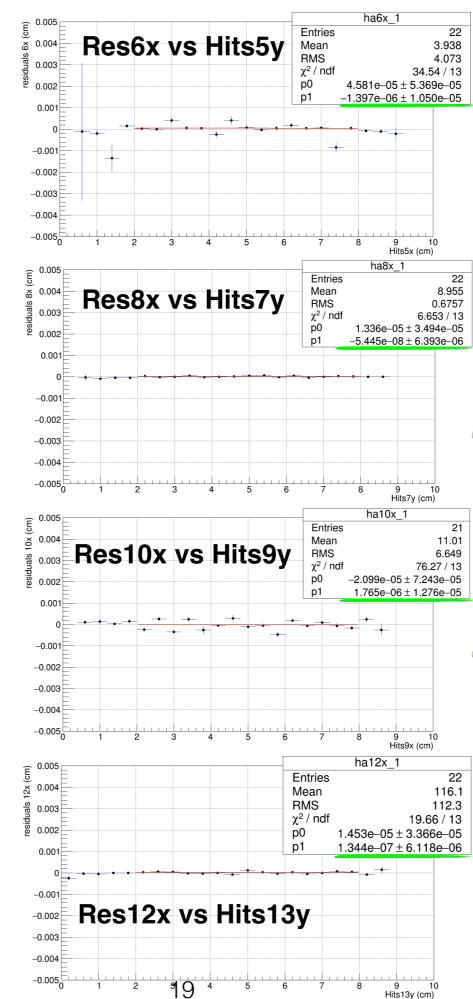
 Anyway with this alignment attempt, residual means show it is possible to go
below 1 um = 1e-4 cm.

#### Intrinsic resolution: residuals analysis



- A position resolution of roughly 37-47 micron is indicated as a reference in (1).
- AGILE readout strip pitch: 242 um with "floating strip" (2).
- So geometrical tracker resolution is: 242/2 / sqrt(12) = **34.9 micron**.
- Residual sigmas from our high energy muon data confirm these numbers and also show us that maybe from the "residuals point of view" we can't do anything much better.
- (1) <u>https://www.lnf.infn.it/acceleratori/public/BTF\_user/AGILE/nima490agile.pdf</u>
- (2) https://www.lnf.infn.it/acceleratori/public/BTF\_user/AGILE/nima501agile.pdf

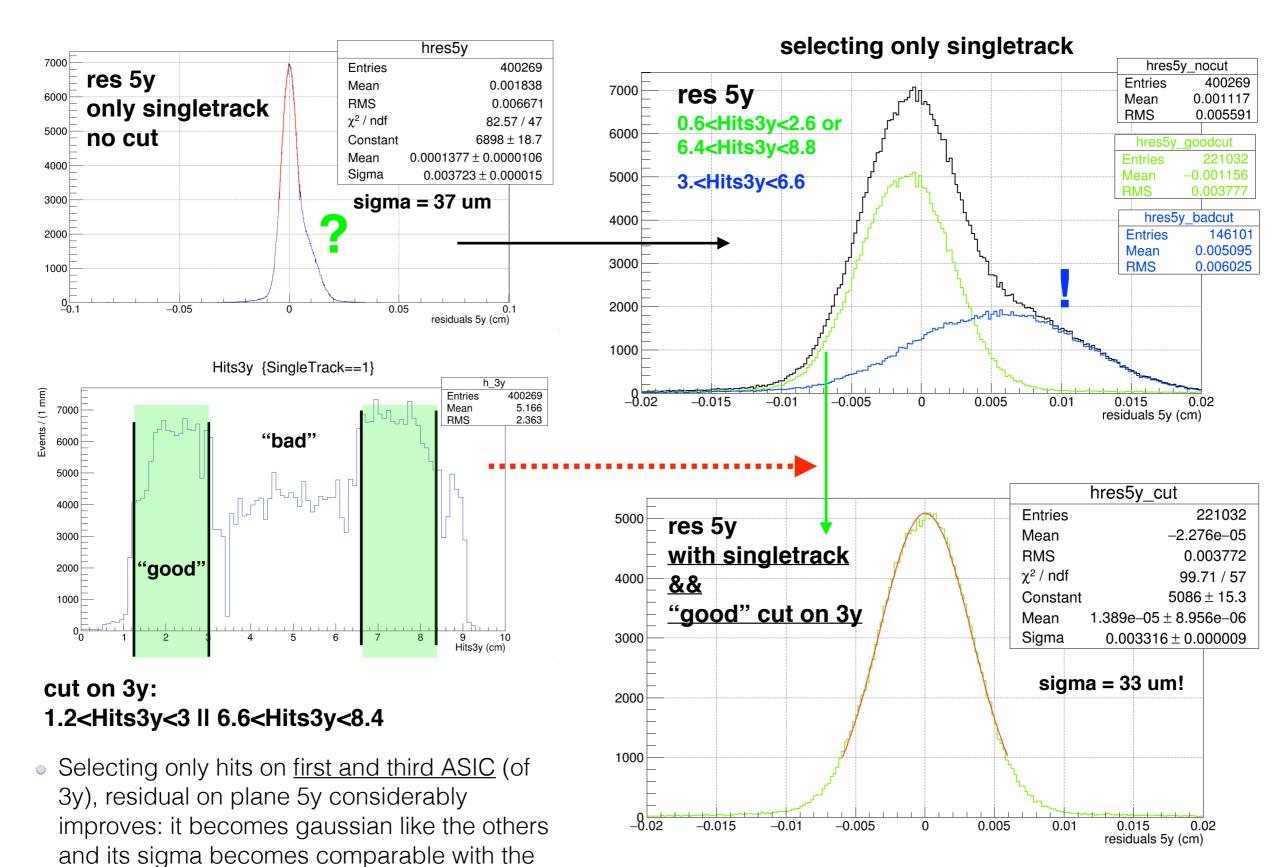




### Residuals vs Hits <u>after</u> alignment

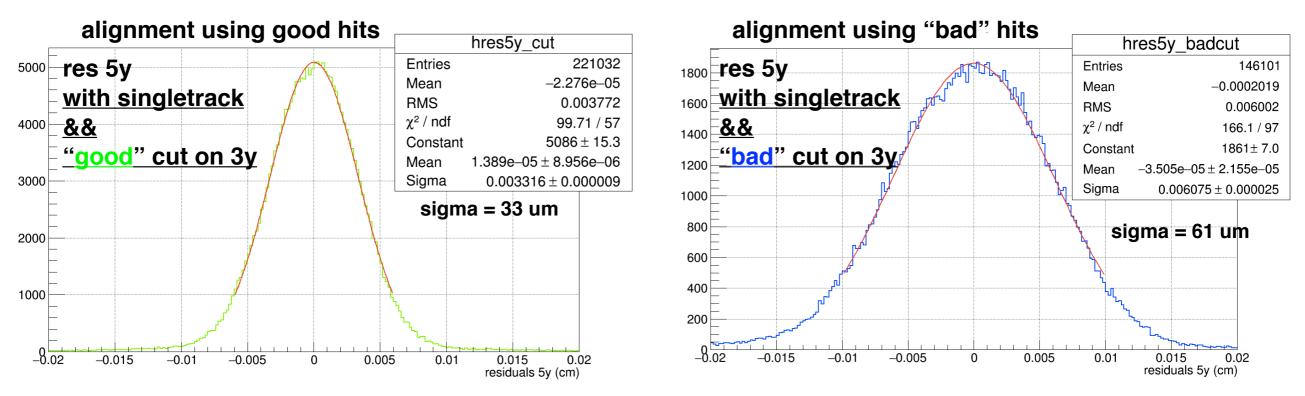
- Planes 5y, 6x, 10x have noisy behaviors; planes 7y has some edge problem. Part of these can be solved with quality cuts (next slides).
- These plots show it is possible to correct rotations along z axis within 0.001 mrad.

### Fiducial cut on 3y (1): solving problems on y



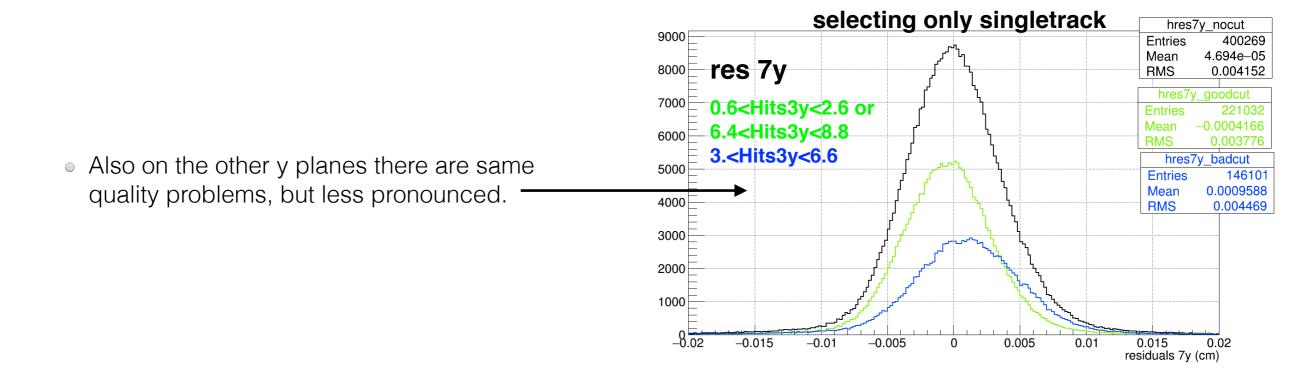
intrinsic limit value.

# Fiducial cut on 3y (2)



Decoupling the two hits groups (1°-3° / 2° ASIC of 3y), they seem to align themselves: the best group (1°-3° ASIC) achieves a good alignment; for the other one, the distribution seems centered, but the sigma is too high.
At first sight, it looks like weird: if we use only "good" hits for alignment, we must check that final alignment

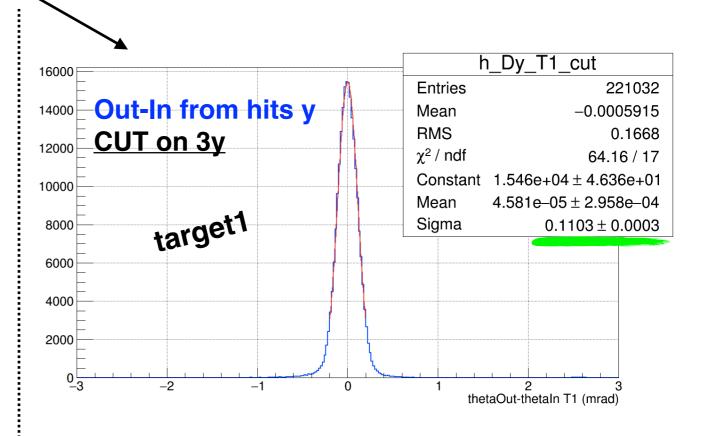
coefficients work well also for the hits group in the middle (not used to extract these coefficients).



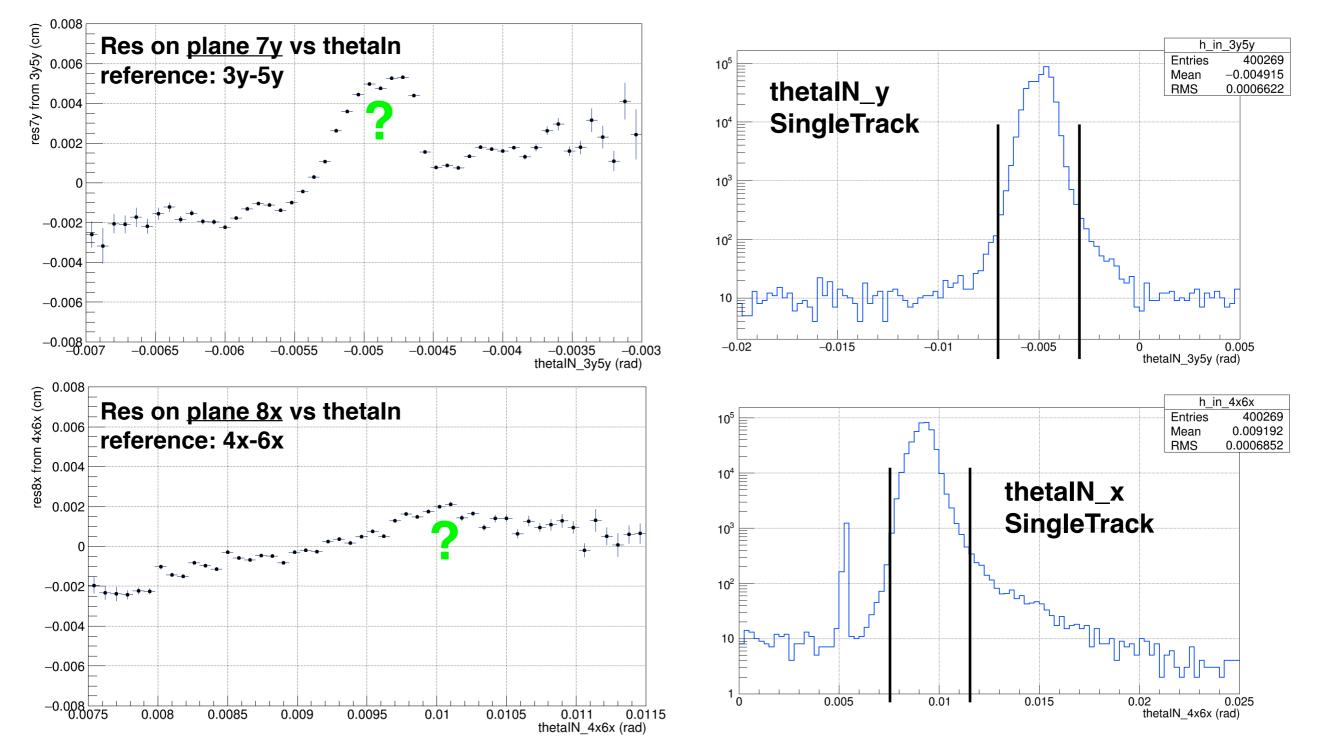
#### Muon deflection distributions on target 1/2, AFTER alignment

(Hits10x-Hits8x)/45.43-(Hits6x-Hits4x)/50.)\*1.e3 (Hits9y-Hits7y)/44.6-(Hits5y-Hits3y)/50.)\*1.e3 h Dx Entries 400269 22000 Out-In from hits x Mean -0.001853 RMS 0.1905 20000 Out-In from hits y  $\chi^2$  / ndf 70.19/17 18000 Constant 2.223e+04 ± 5.355e+01 NO CUT  $-0.0006175 \pm 0.0003291$ Mean 16000 Sigma  $0.137\pm0.000$ h Dv 14000 Entries 400269 target1 12000 -0.0358 Mean RMS 0.211 10000  $\chi^2$  / ndf 230.5 / 17 Constant 2.23e+04 ± 5.43e+01 8000  $-0.01551 {\pm}\ 0.00031$ Mean Sigma  $0.1294 \pm 0.0004$ 6000 4000 2000 -2 \_1 0 thetaOut-thetaIn T1 (mrad) (Hits15y-Hits13y)/49.34-(Hits9y-Hits7y)/44.6)\*1.e3 h DyT2 30000 Entries 400269 0.003031 Mean RMS Out-In from hits y 0.1827 25000  $\chi^2$  / ndf 174.6/17 **NO CUT** Constant 2.923e+04 ± 6.564e+01  $-0.002589 \pm 0.000194$ Mean 20000 Sigma  $0.1007 \pm 0.0002$ 15000 target2 10000 5000 0\_<u>3</u> -2 0 -1 2 thetaOut-thetaIn T2 (mrad)

- Beyond roughly angle definitions, all these distributions look like too wider (for 180-190 GeV muon) and their sigmas are not compatible, in particular the y one shows some problems: although Dx (for T1) and Dy (for T2) have acceptable offsets, within few urad, these plots clearly show the data need more work.
- Plane 5y / 6x / 7y / 10x have something unclear that obviously affects these distributions:
  <u>cutting on Hits3y</u>, angle distributions significantly improve.



#### **Possible directions: check other misalignments?**



These hits are now partially(?) aligned: correlations between residuals on some planes (here taking as a reference first planes before T1) and incoming direction (before T1) can show us there are clearly other corrections to apply. These behaviors, in particular <u>positive -> negative</u> correlations, suggest there may be problems along z axis, for example related to the <u>tilt along x and y axis</u>, declared in the provided diagrams. They particularly afflict planes in box2 and box3.

#### Remarks

- Some silicon sensors have **counting problems** probably due to high beam intensity.
- To recover efficiency (lost in these planes), we will use the other ones, up and downstream: in particular another box has been added to recover 3y.
- An alignment procedure, like that of previous test beam, was performed with good results, for all x/y planes: residual means below 1 um and rotation along z axis within 0.001 mrad seem possible to achieve with a correct alignment.
- Residual distributions from data are compatible with declared intrinsic resolution of AGILE trackers.
- Some unclear points remain, in particular on quality cuts to choose events for alignment; also the questions concerning sensor rotations along x and y axis.
- Once alignment procedure has been established, it will be necessary to figure out how to correctly handle the stereo u/v planes.