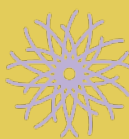


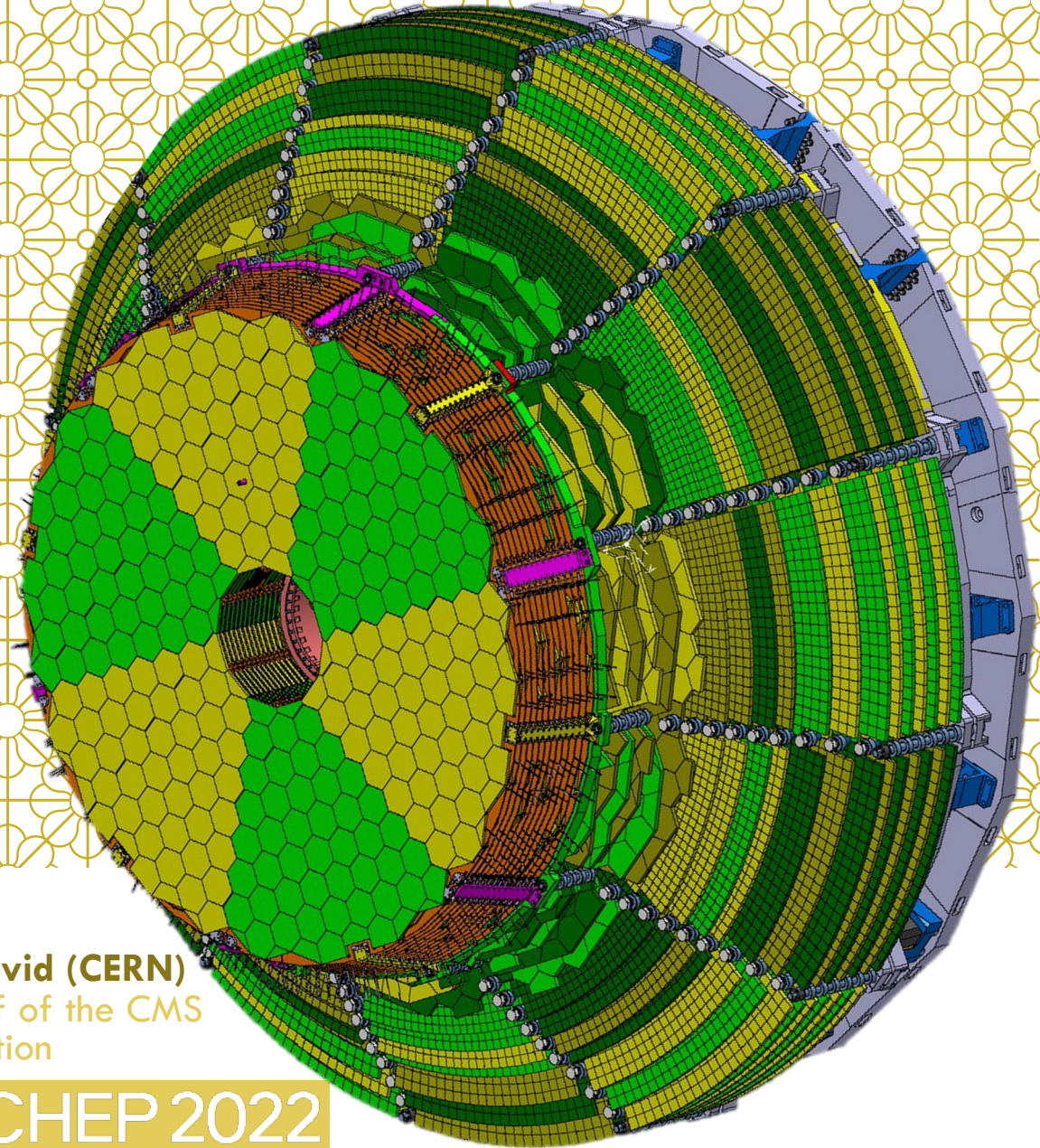


PERFORMANCE OF THE CMS HGCal FOR LHC PHASE 2

André David (CERN)
On behalf of the CMS
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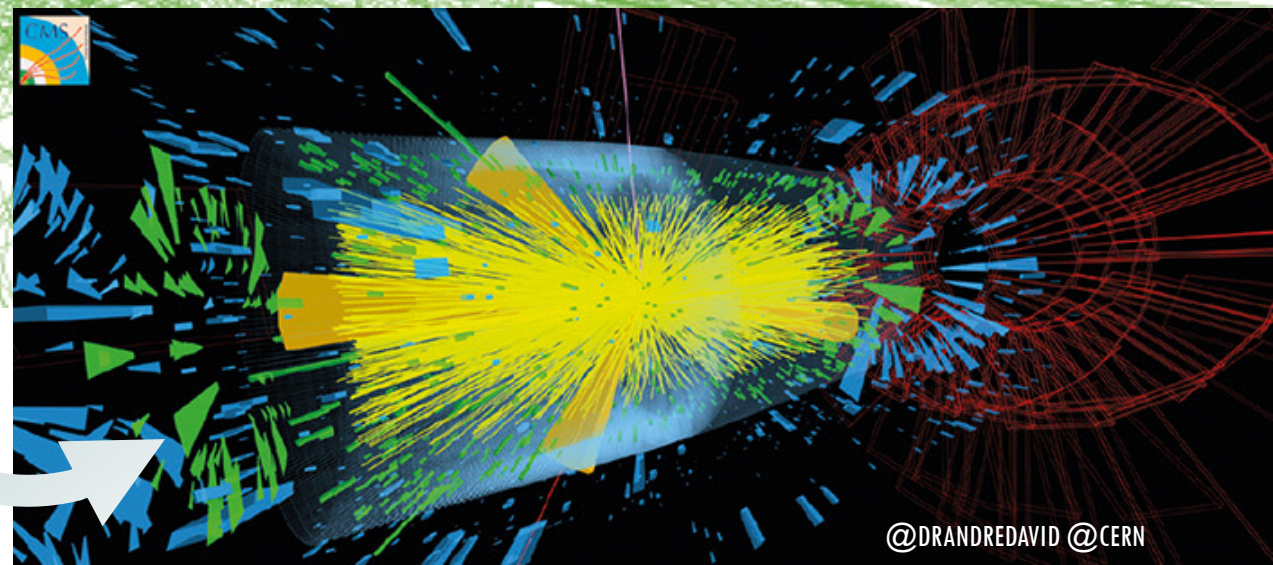
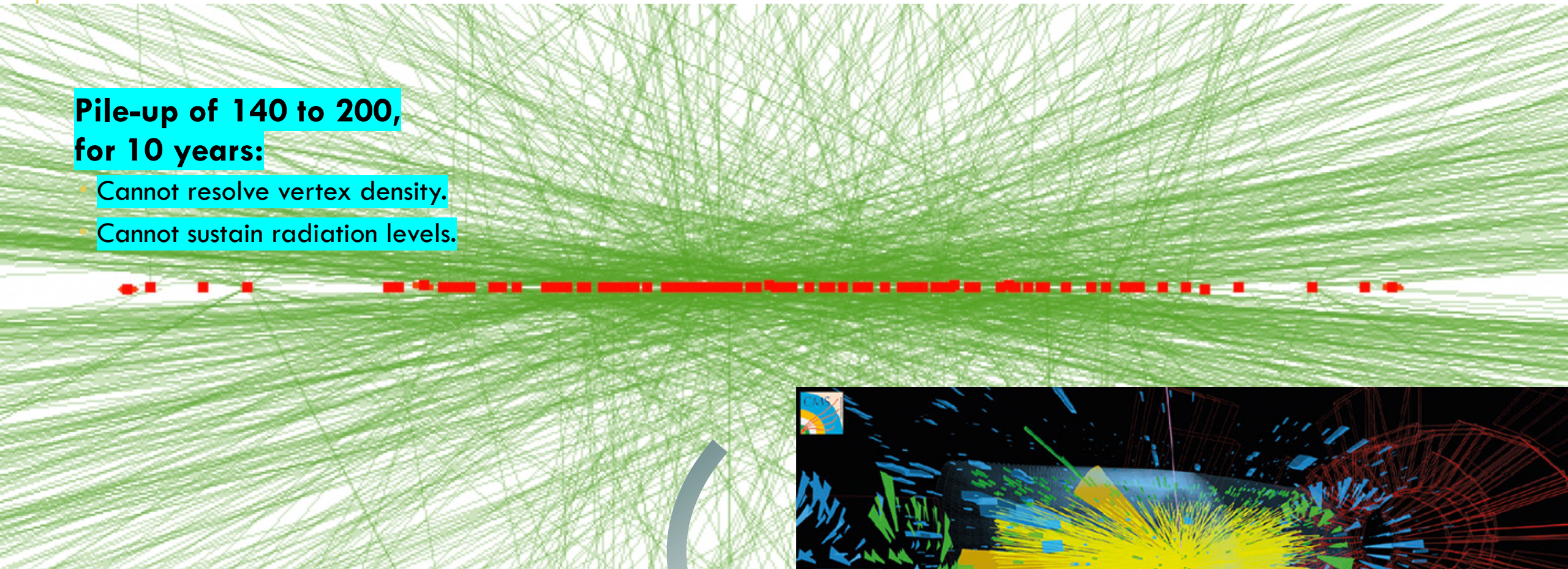
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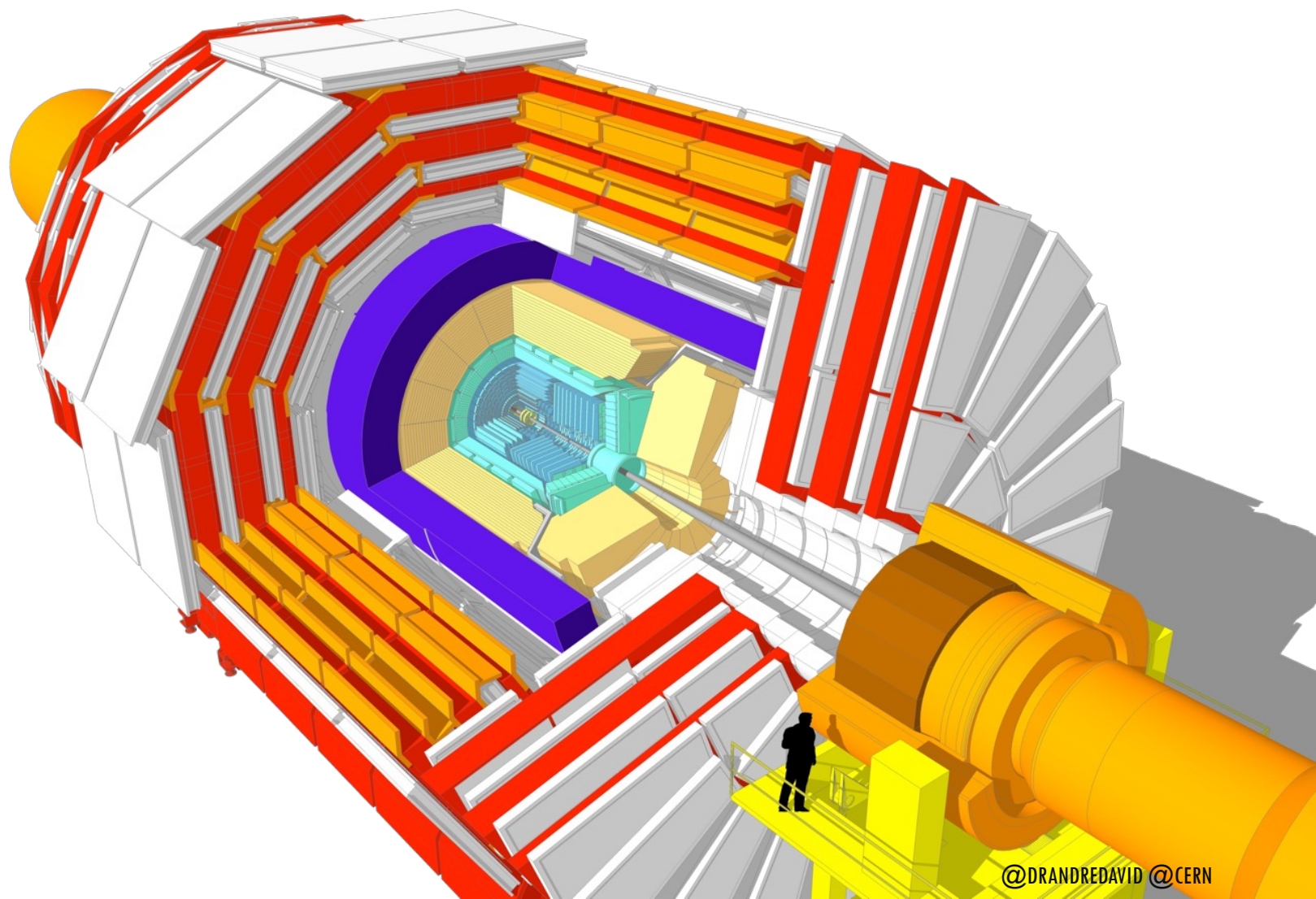
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Reined in through:

- **Higher radiation tolerance.**
- Better **3D granularity.**
- **Sub-100-ps** timing precision (3D \rightarrow 4D).
- **More information at trigger level.**



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Si and Si+Scintillator layers in back (hadronic) section.

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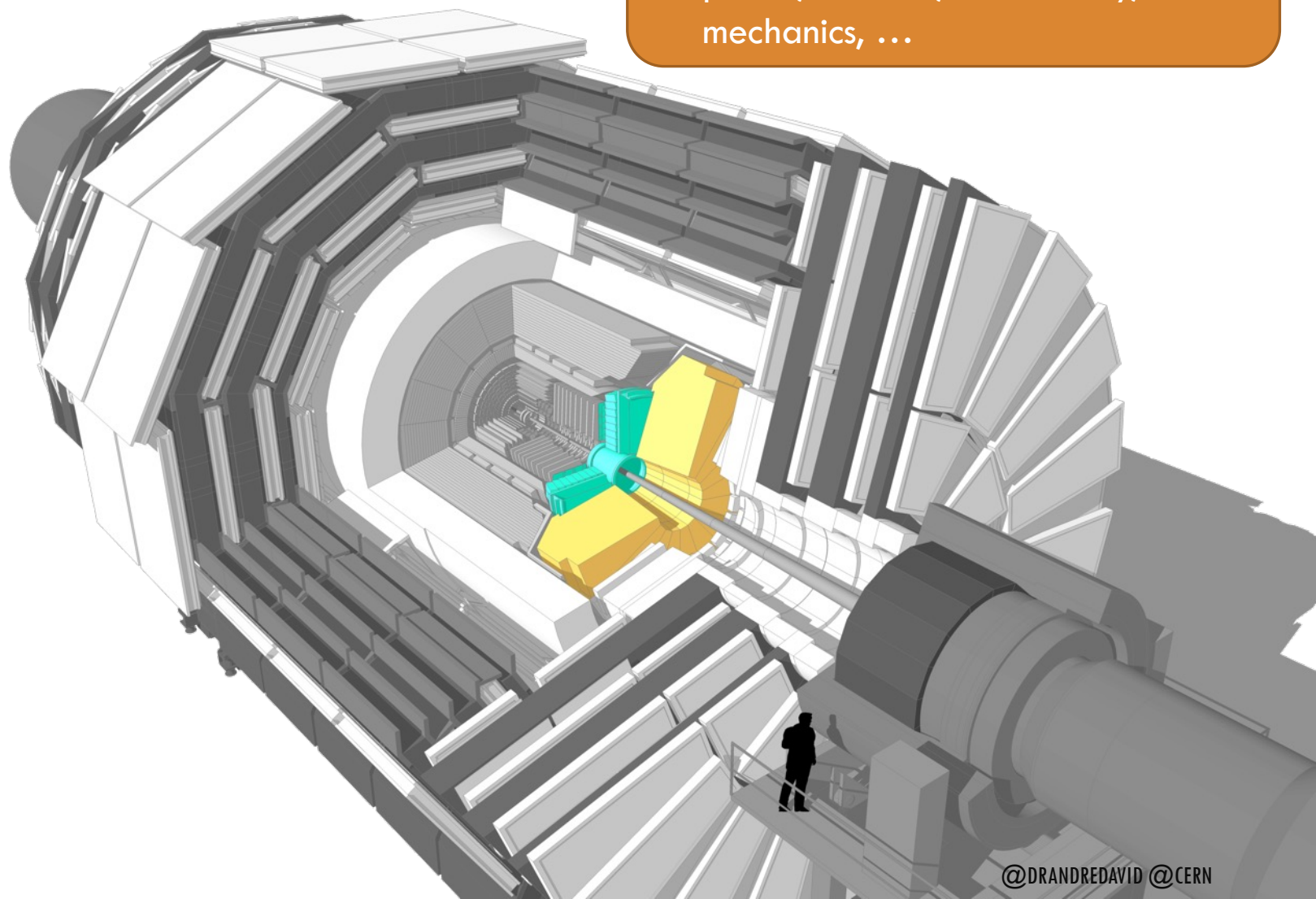
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Key challenge:

- Channel density \Rightarrow ASIC design, power, services, connectivity, mechanics, ...



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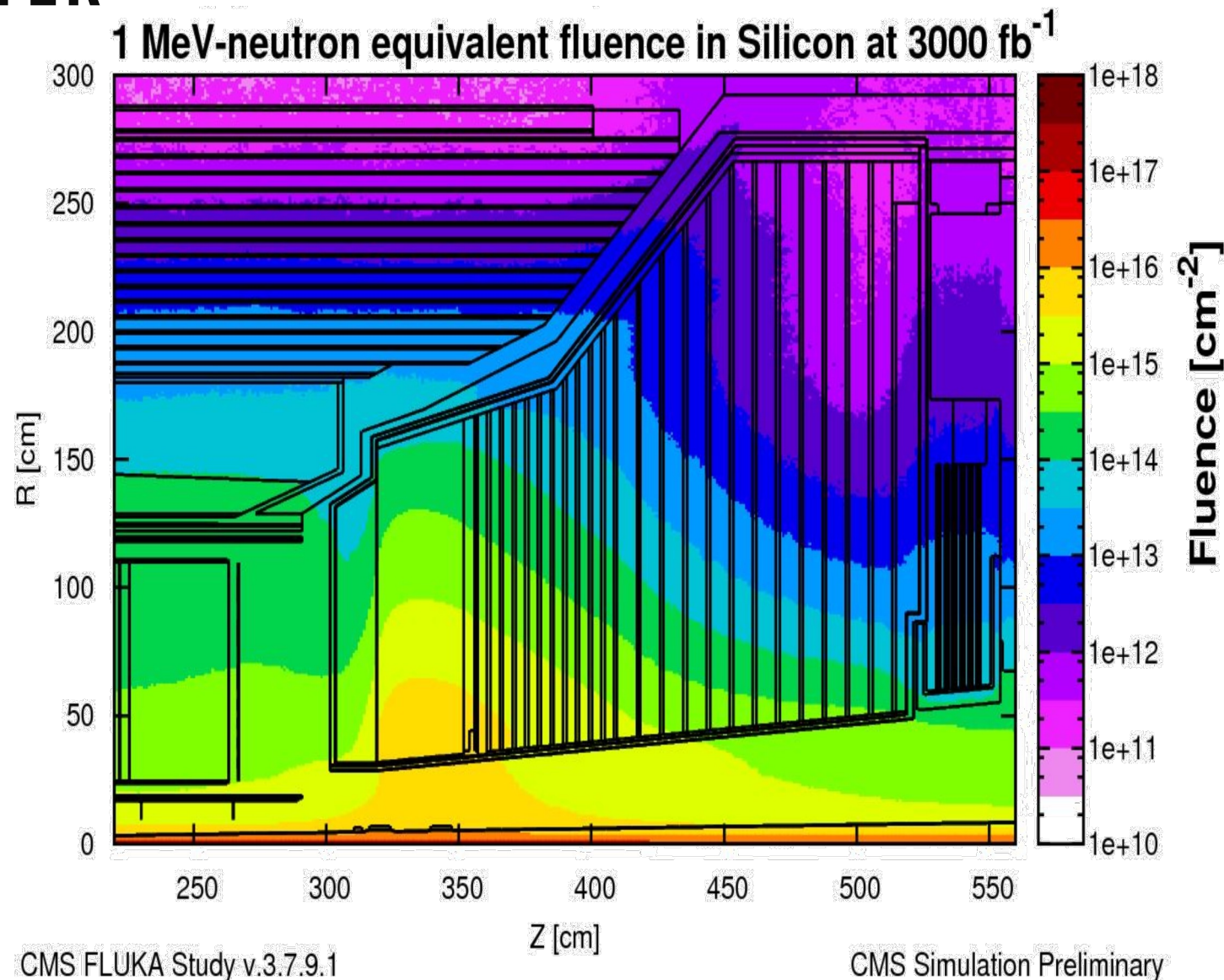
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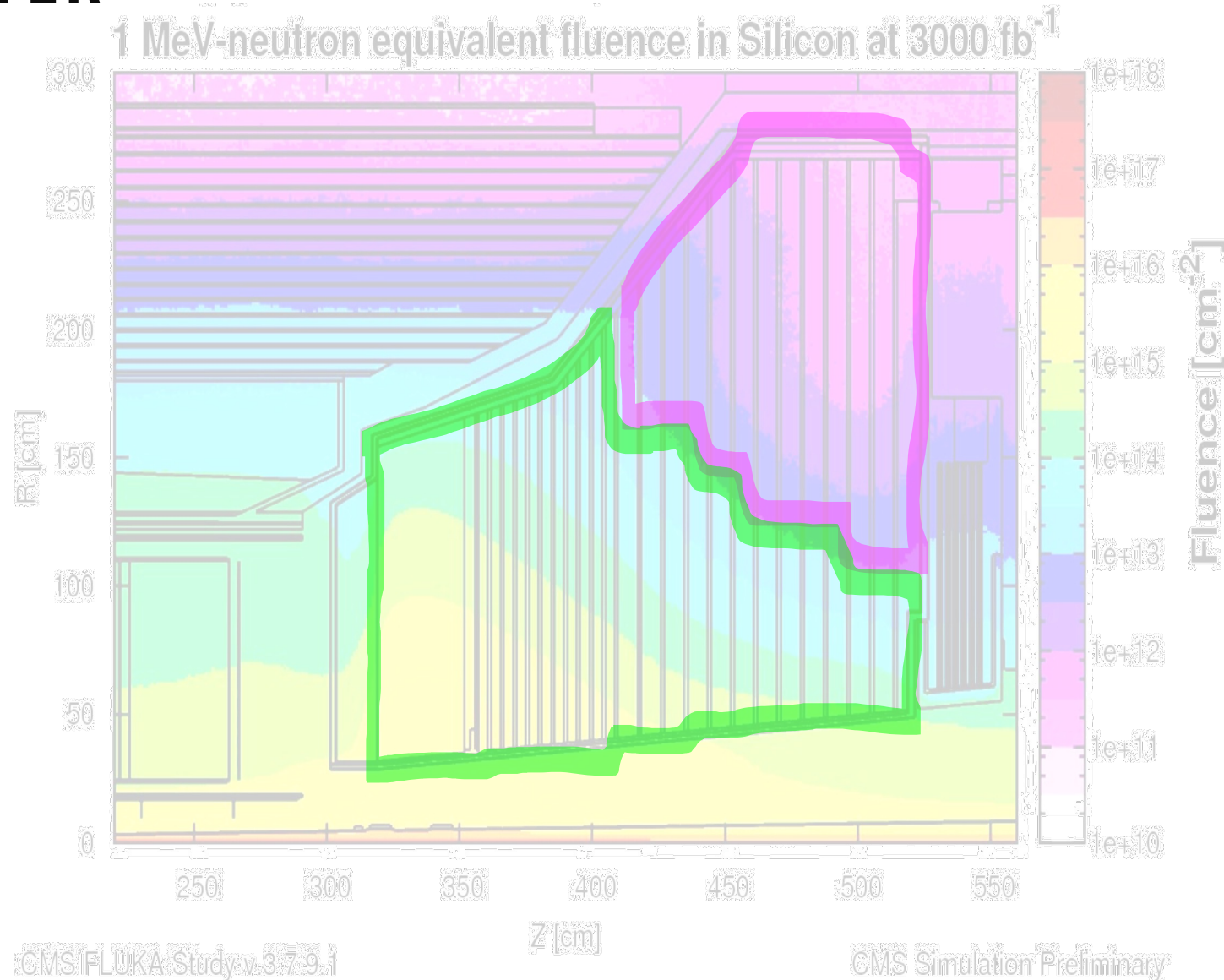
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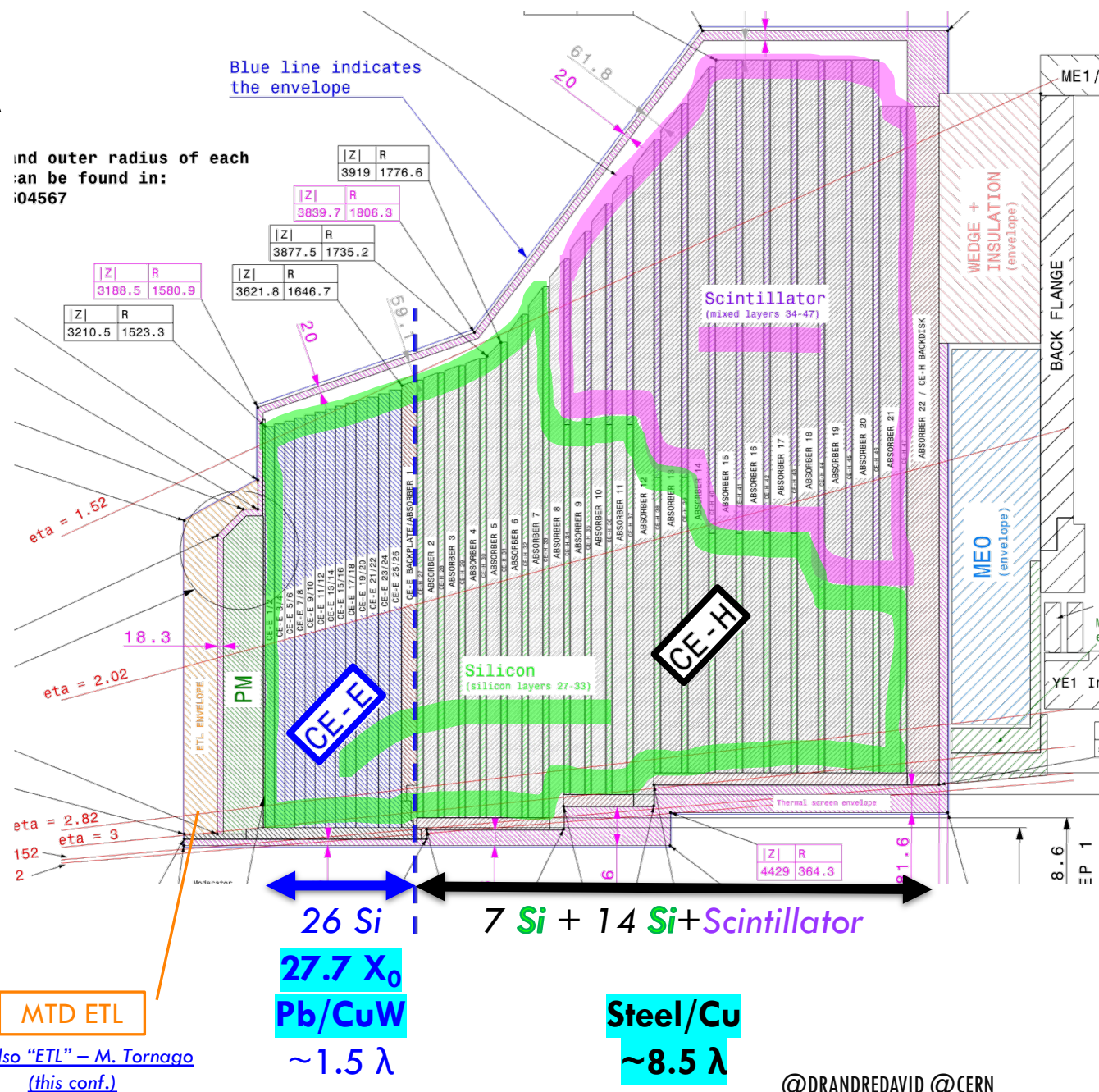
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HIGH-GRANULARITY IN 5D – CHALLENGES

Calorimetric **energy** measurement

- ~50k dynamic range:
 - **Calibrate on single MIP.**
 - $O(10k)$ MIP in particle showers.

Imaging **spatial** granularity

- 6M channels in $\sim 40 \text{ m}^3$.
 - **~10 channels per cell phone volume.**
- Cell sizes from 4 to 30 cm^2 .

Precise **timing** for showers

- **$O(25 \text{ ps})$** per channel energy above $O(10)$ MIPs.

Bringing all **5D** together

- Reconstruction **algorithms for a new era in calorimetry.**

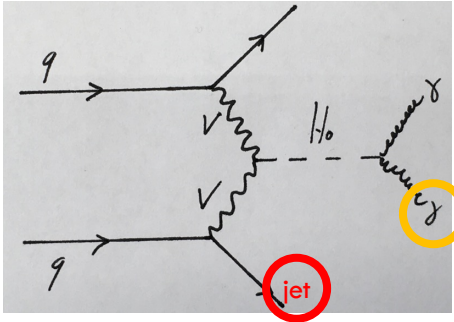
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...BUT HGICAL HAS THREE

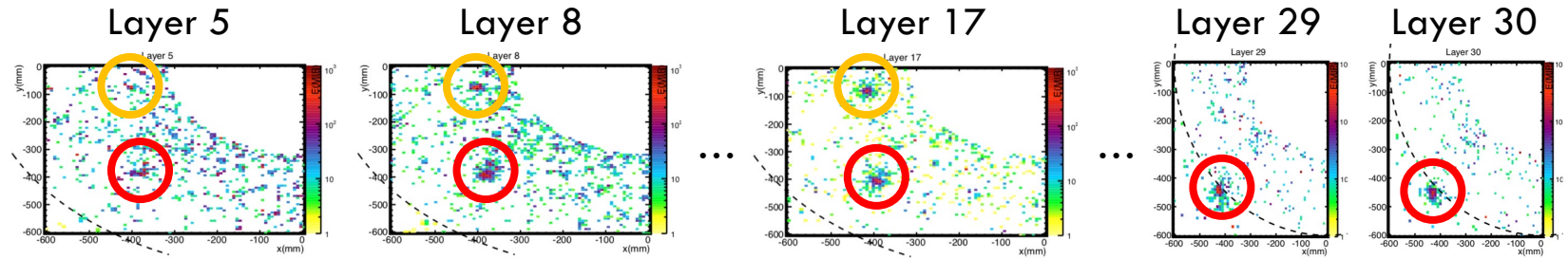


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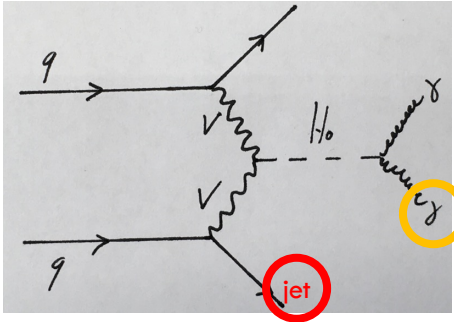
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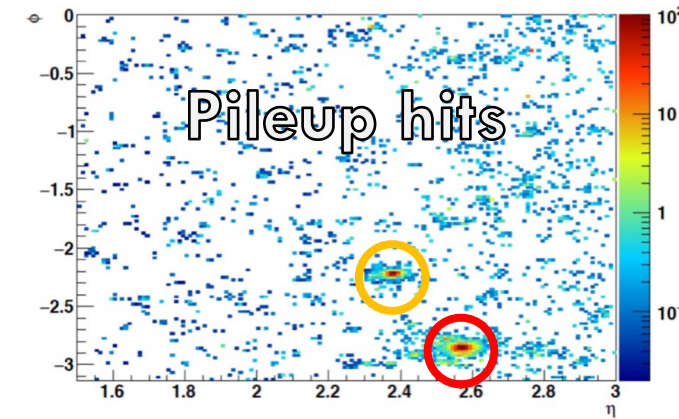
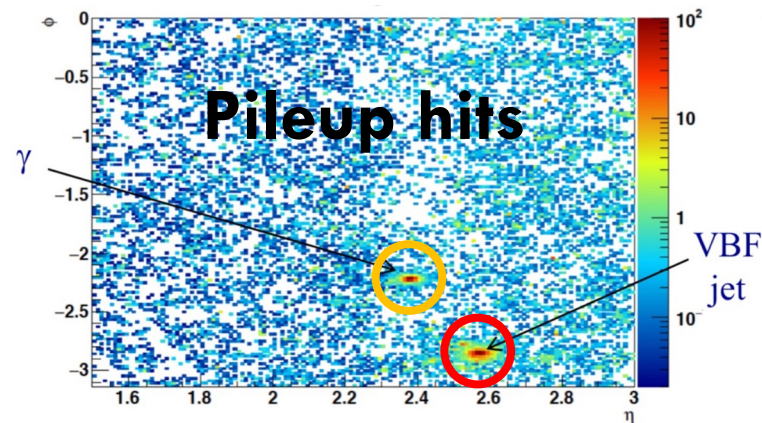
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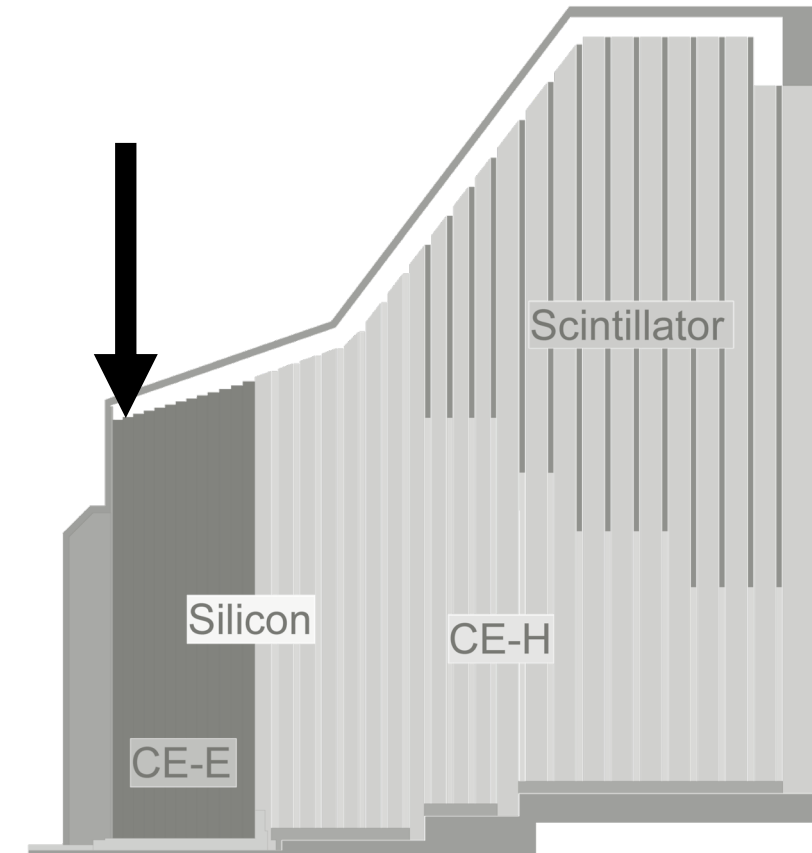
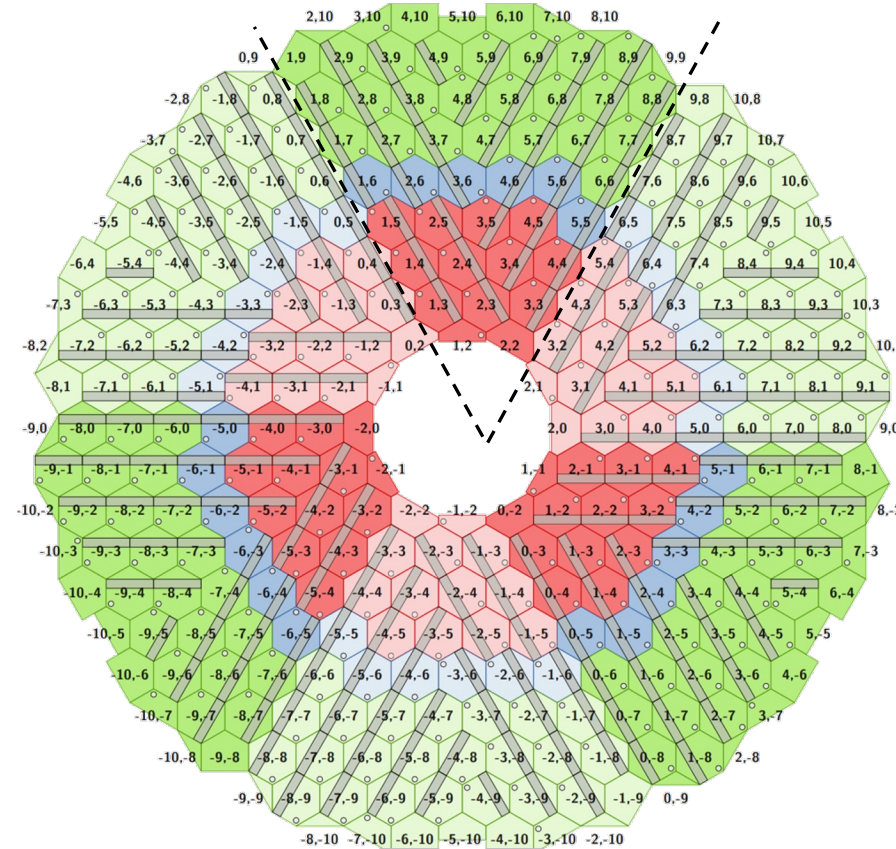


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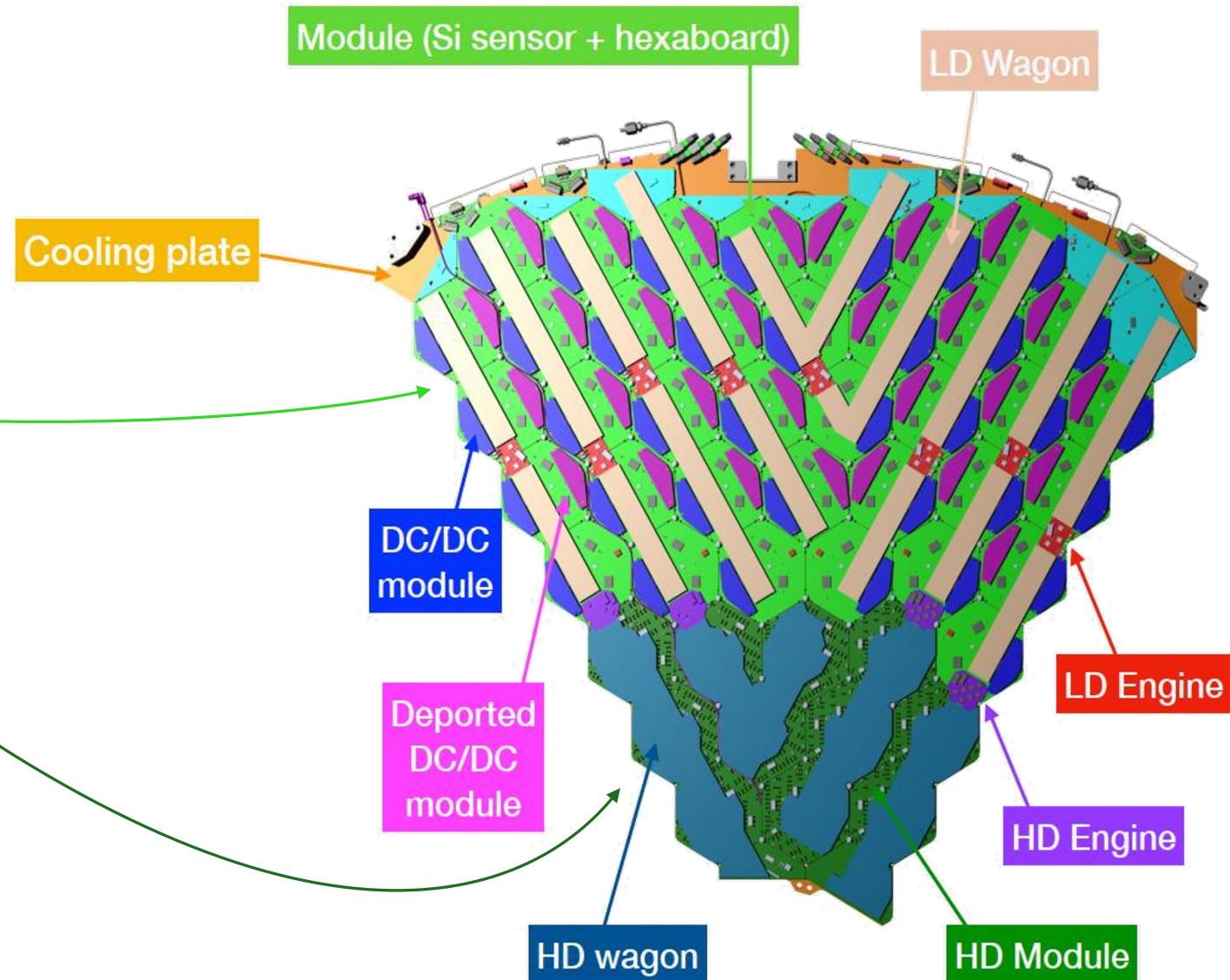
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- High-density silicon modules
 - 120 μm thick



“MOBILE PHONE” INTEGRATION CHALLENGES

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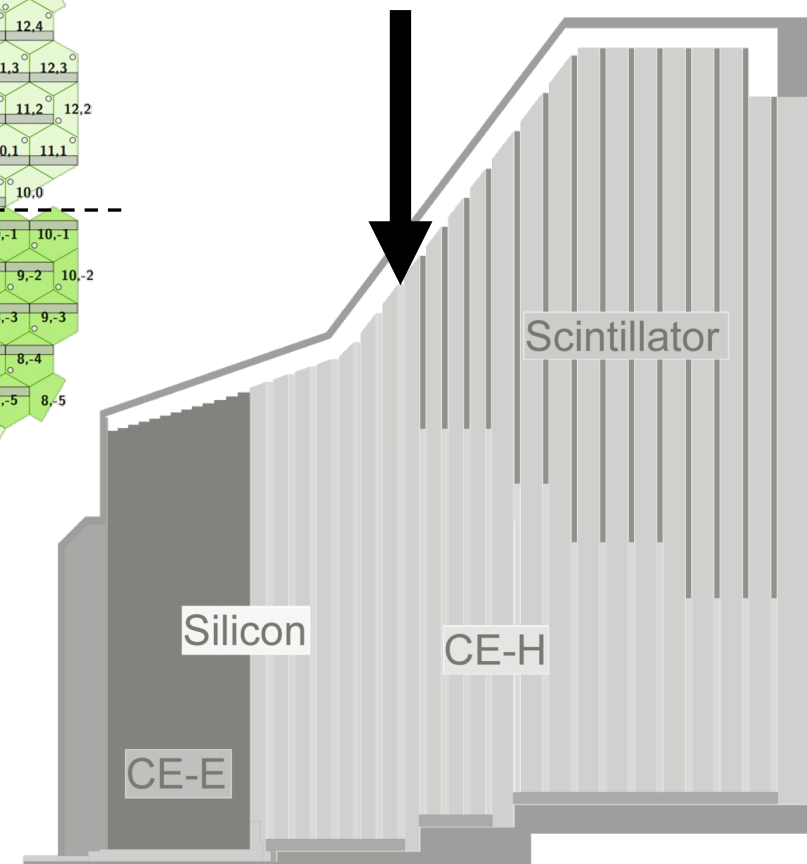
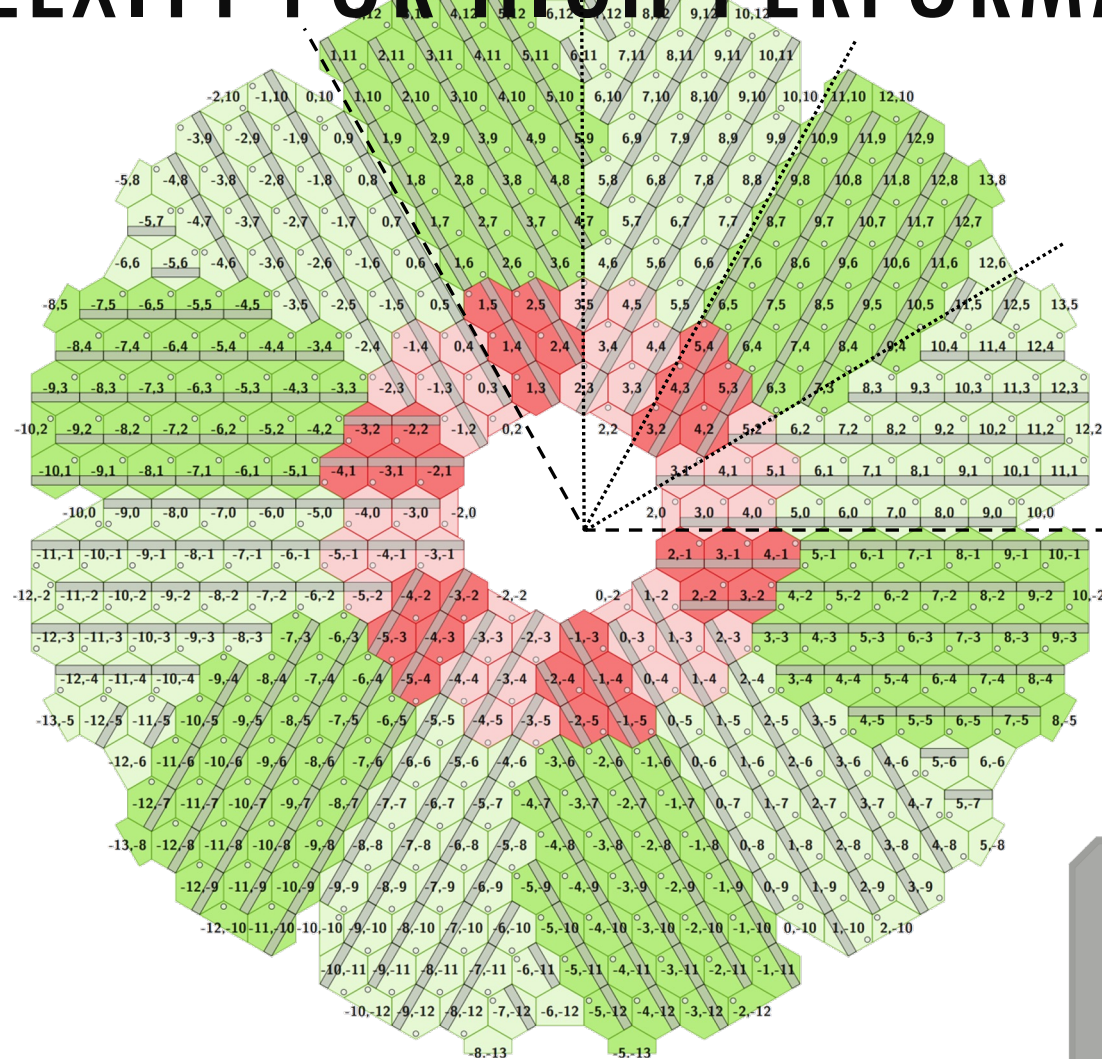
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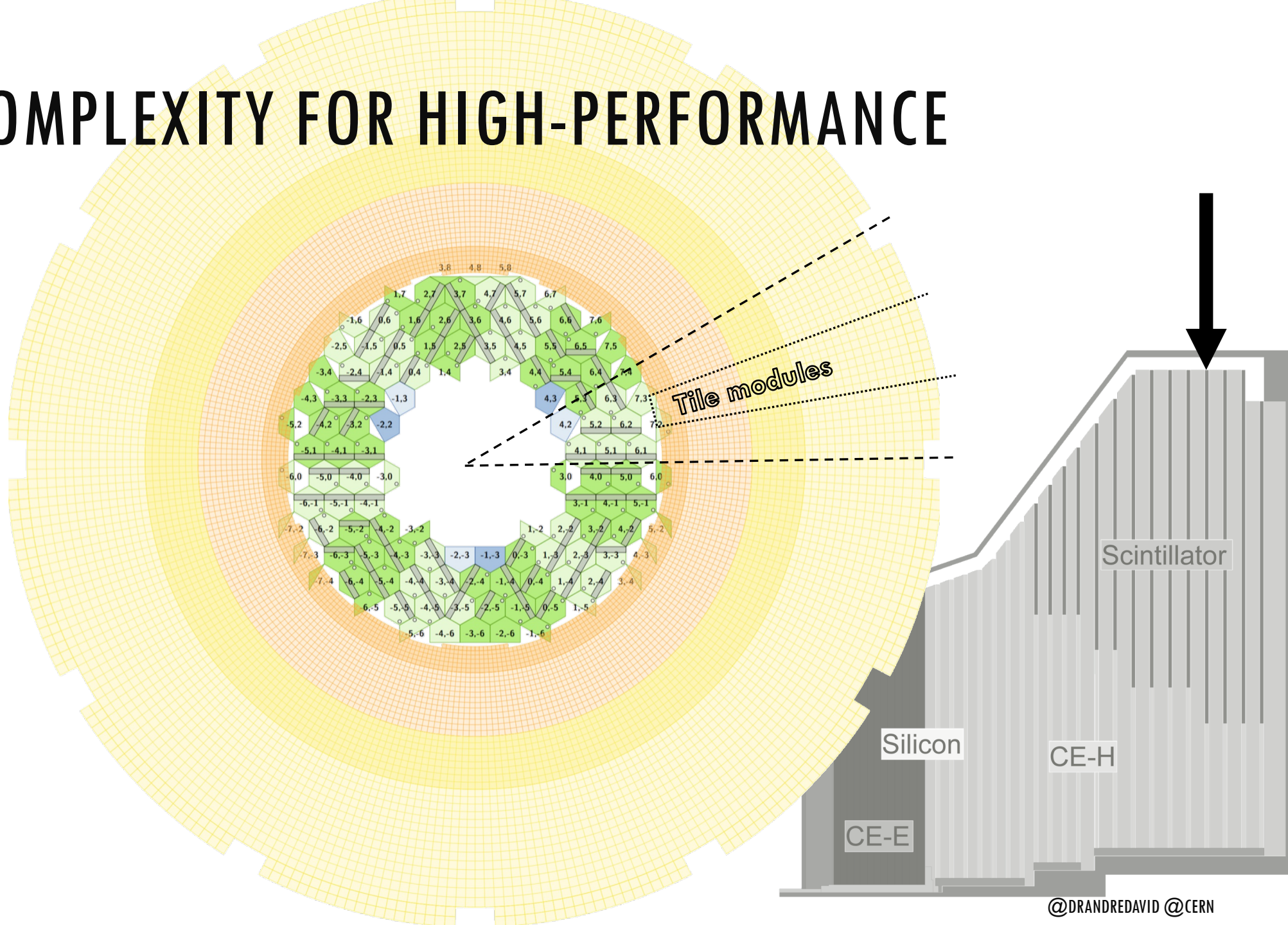
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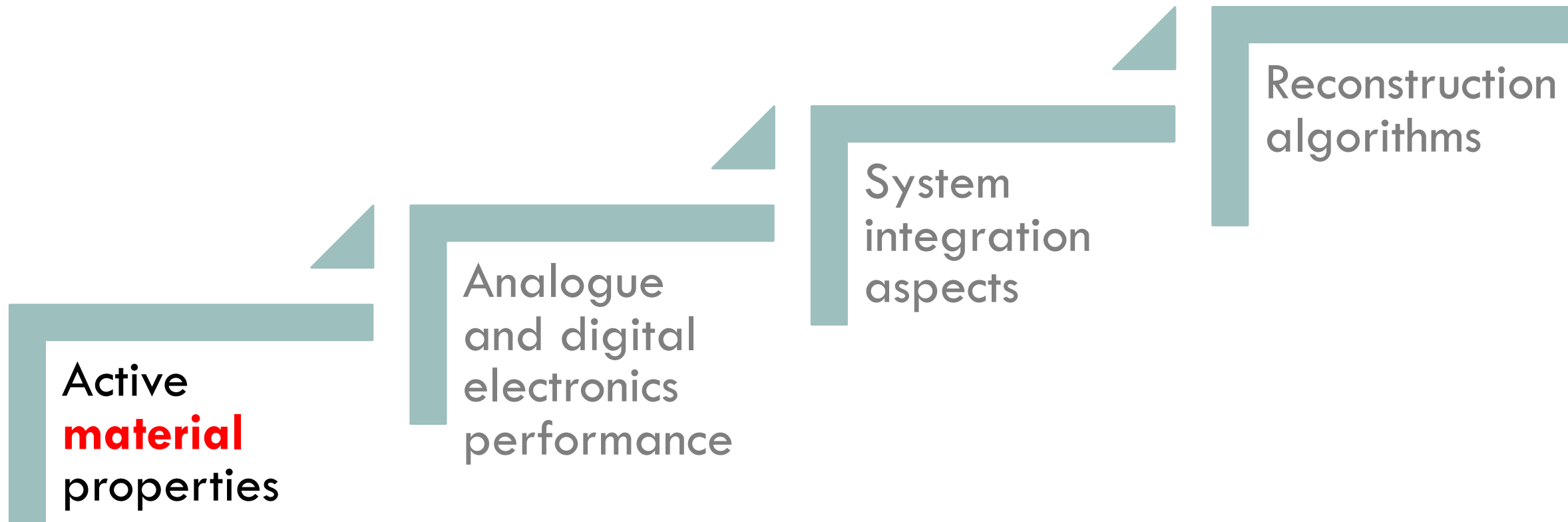
SPATIAL COMPLEXITY FOR HIGH-PERFORMANCE

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- Scintillating-tile modules
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ELEMENTS OF THE PERFORMANCE CHAIN



THE BUILDING BLOCKS – SILICON MODULE

“Hexaboard” PCB

- Connects sensor to readout ASIC (HGCROC).
- Connects to motherboard for control and data transfer.

Silicon sensor

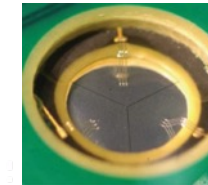
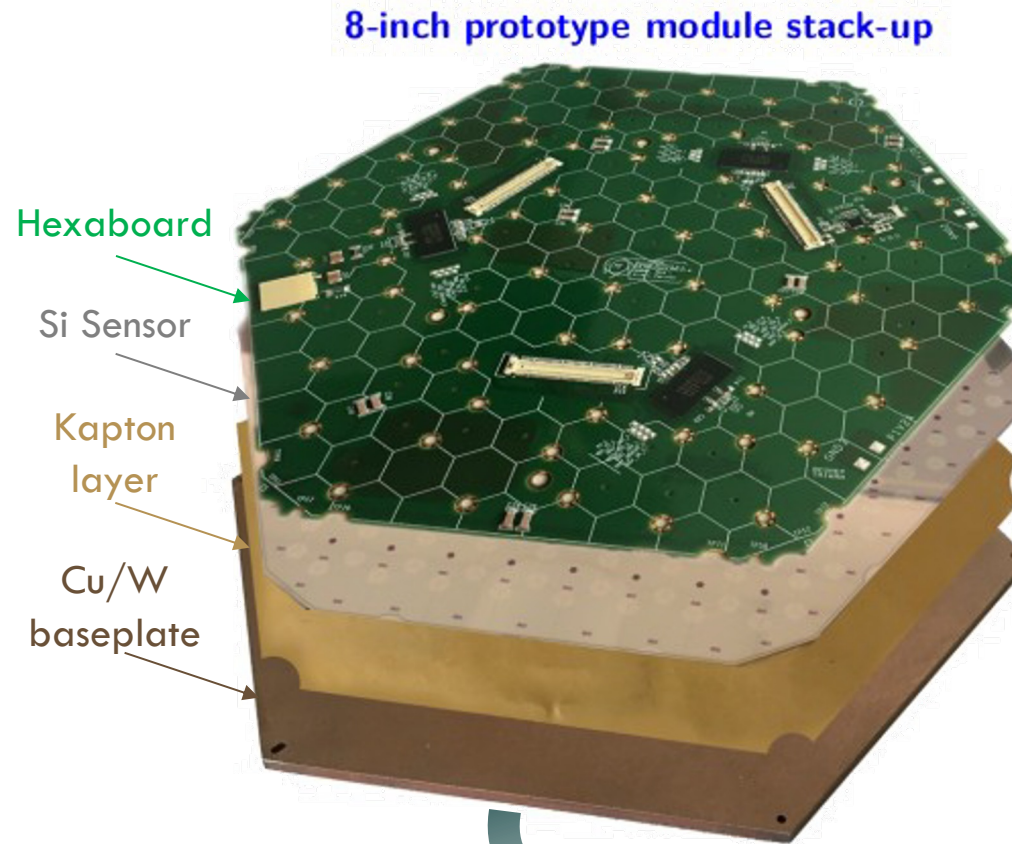
- New 8” process !

Metalized kapton sheet

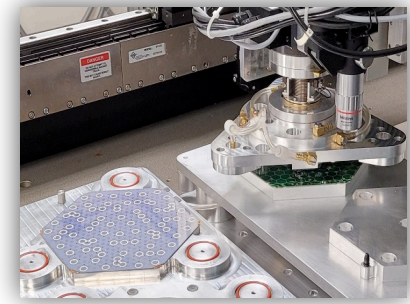
- Bias supply to sensor back side.
- Insulation from baseplate.

Copper-Tungsten baseplate

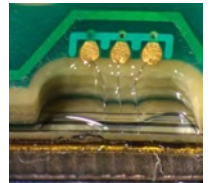
- Rigidity, contributes to absorber material.



Si pads bonded to PCB



HV bias contacts



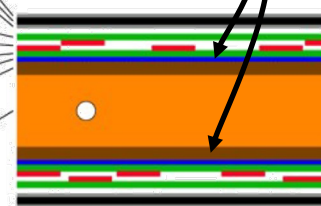
Guard ring contacts

Stainless-steel clad
Pb absorber
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PCB motherboard
ASICs etc.
PCB sensor board
Silicon
CuW baseplate

Cu cooling plate

EM section
layers have
modules on
both sides.



[Don't miss "Si sensors" – C. Yuan \(tomorrow\)](#)

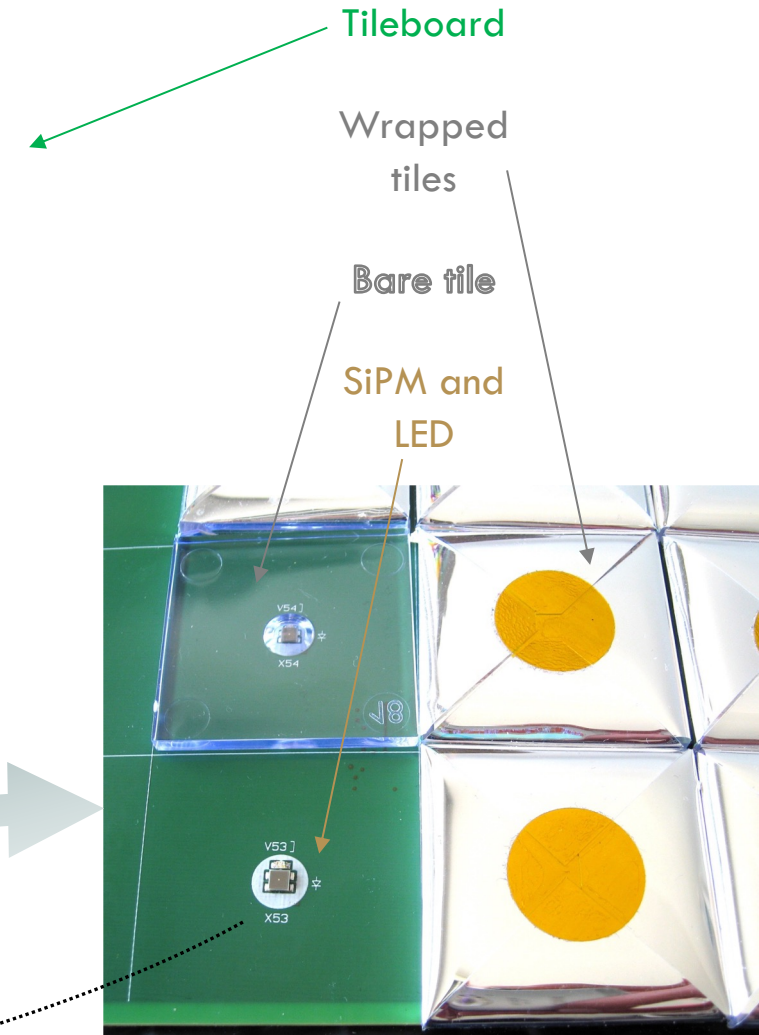
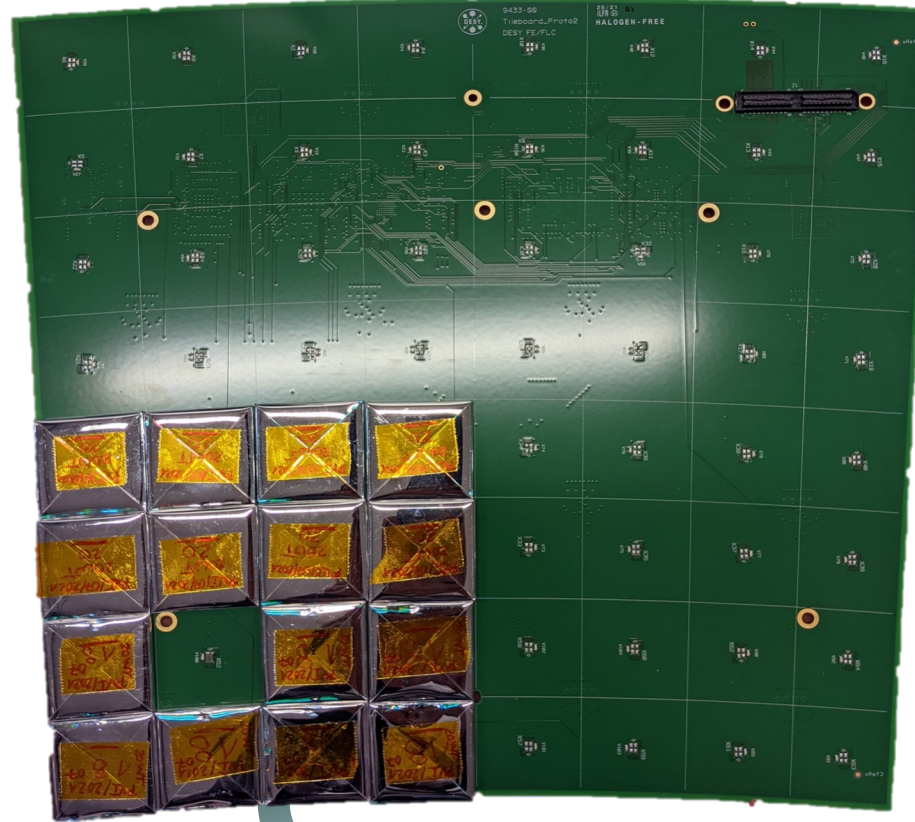
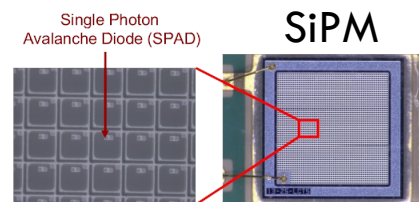
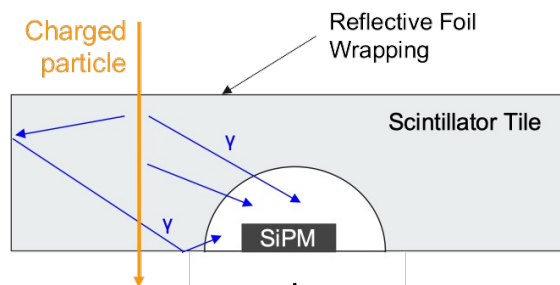
THE BUILDING BLOCKS – SCINTILLATING TILE MODULE

“Tile board” PCB

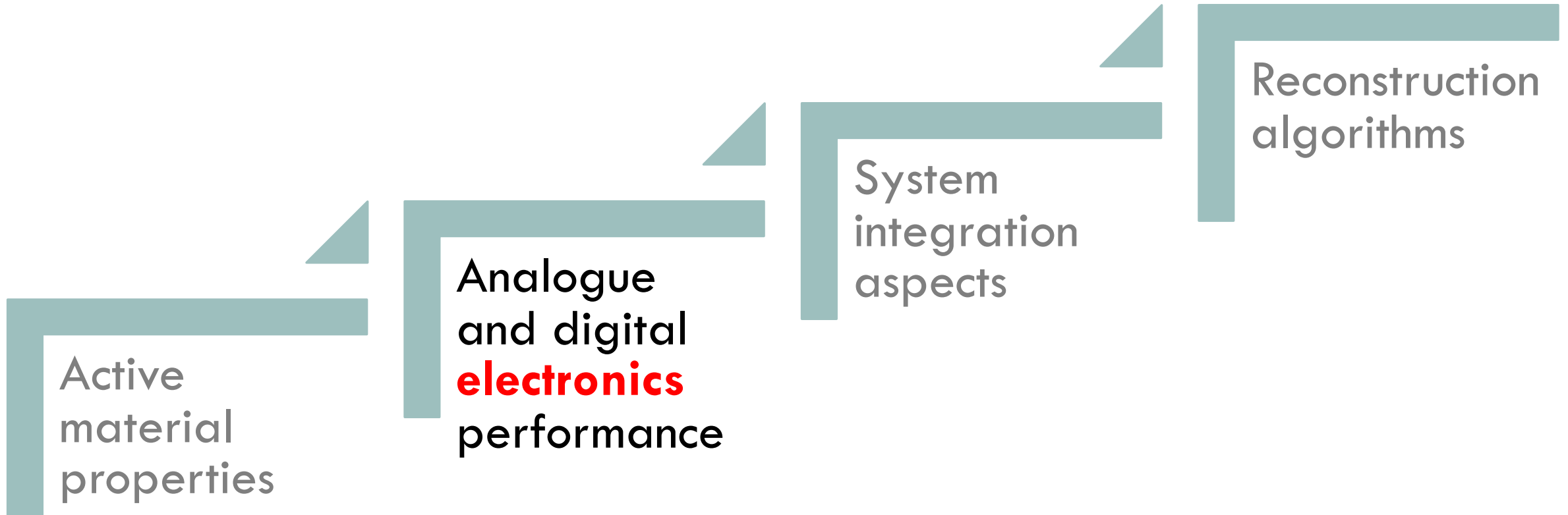
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Wrapped scintillating tiles

- Reflective foil wrapping.
- Light collected by SiPM.
- Light injection LED.



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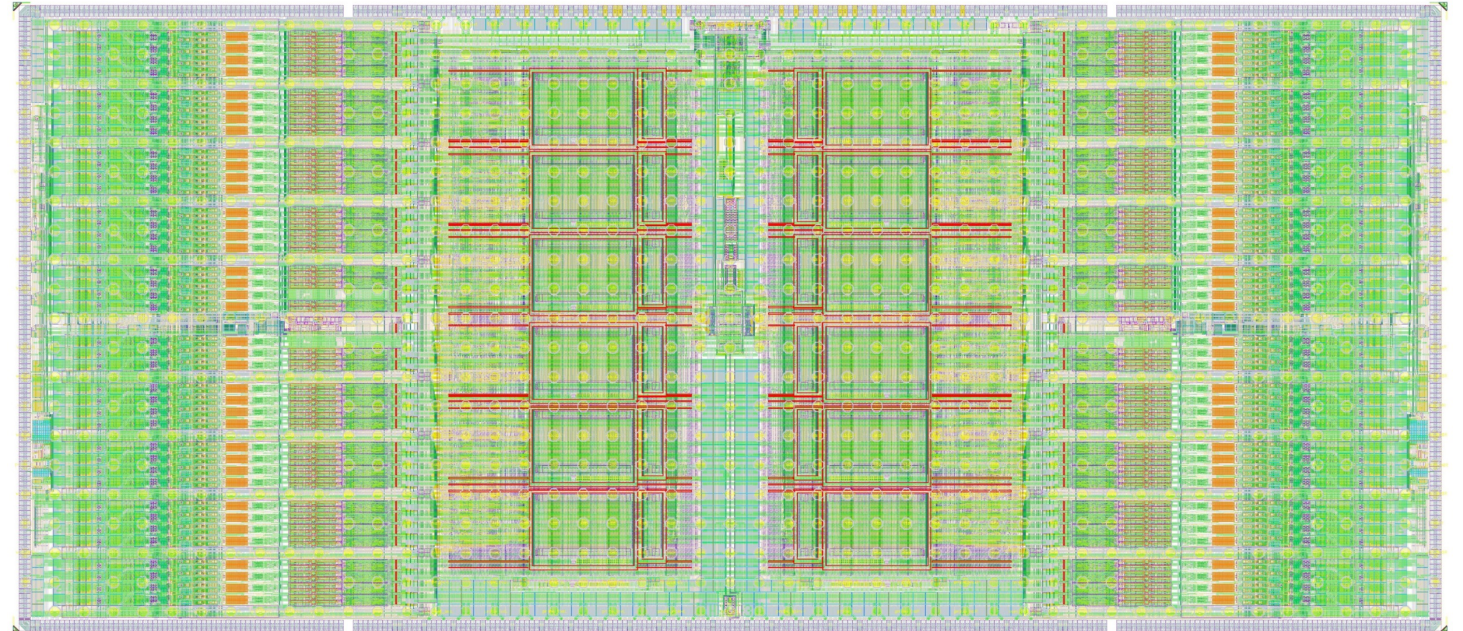
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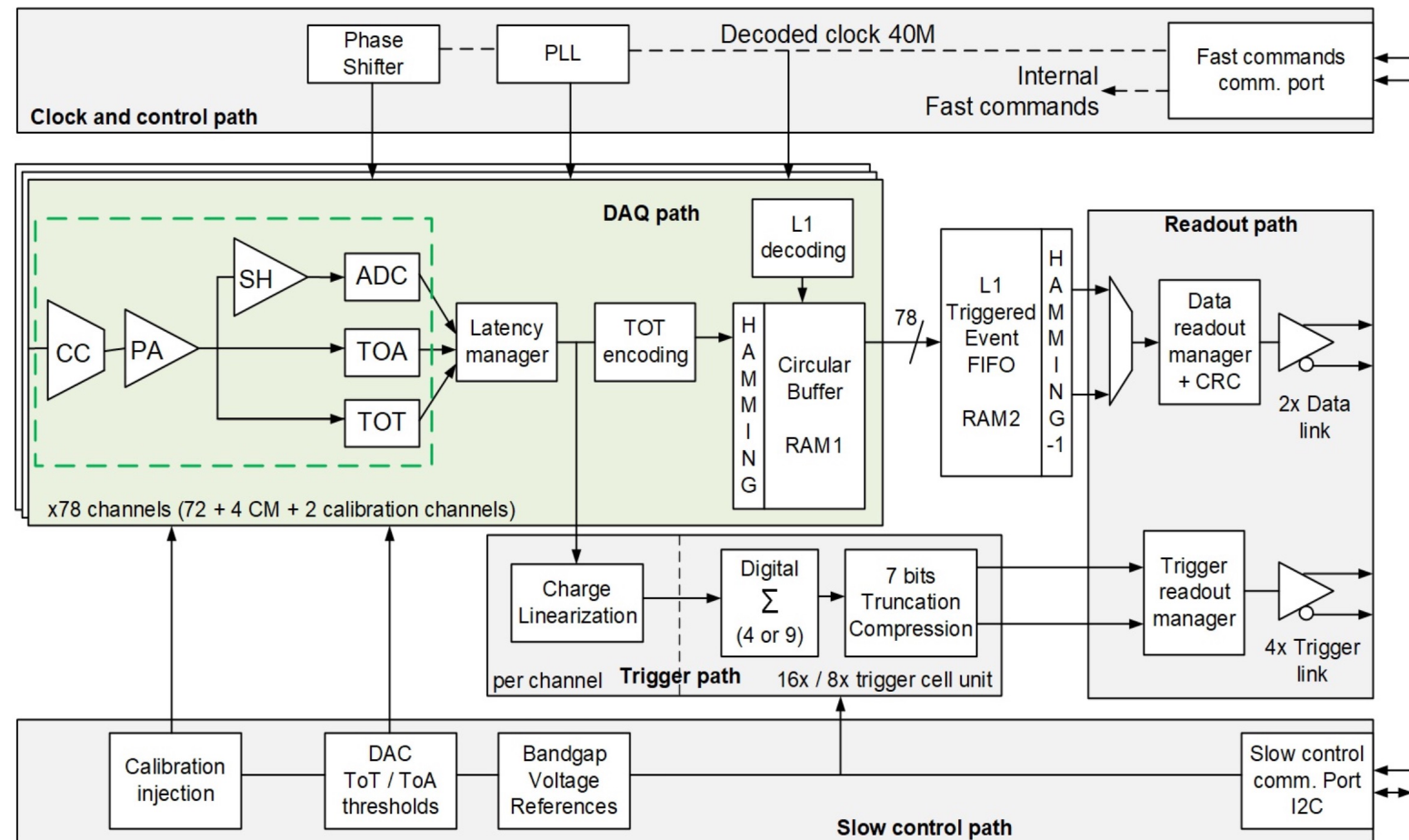
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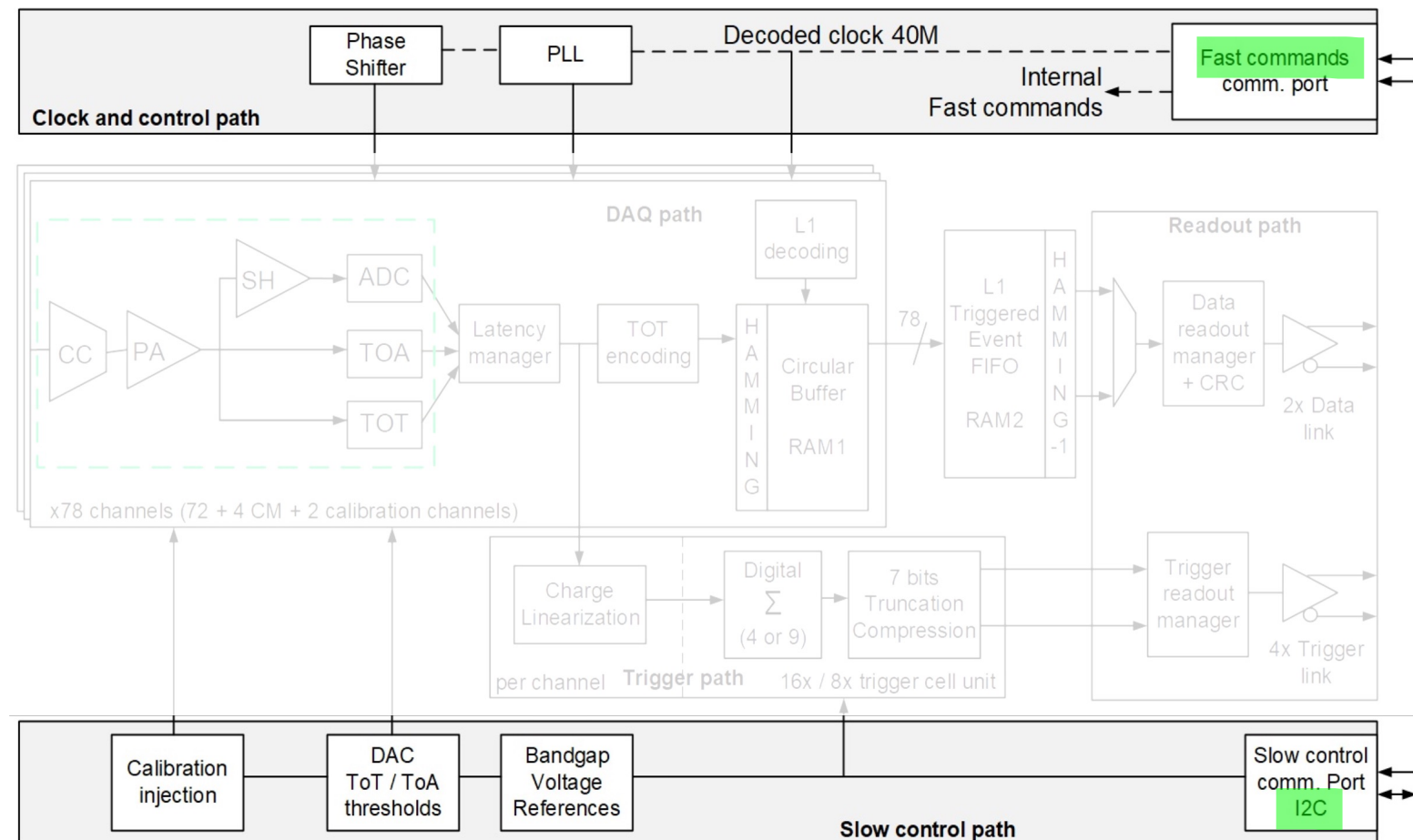
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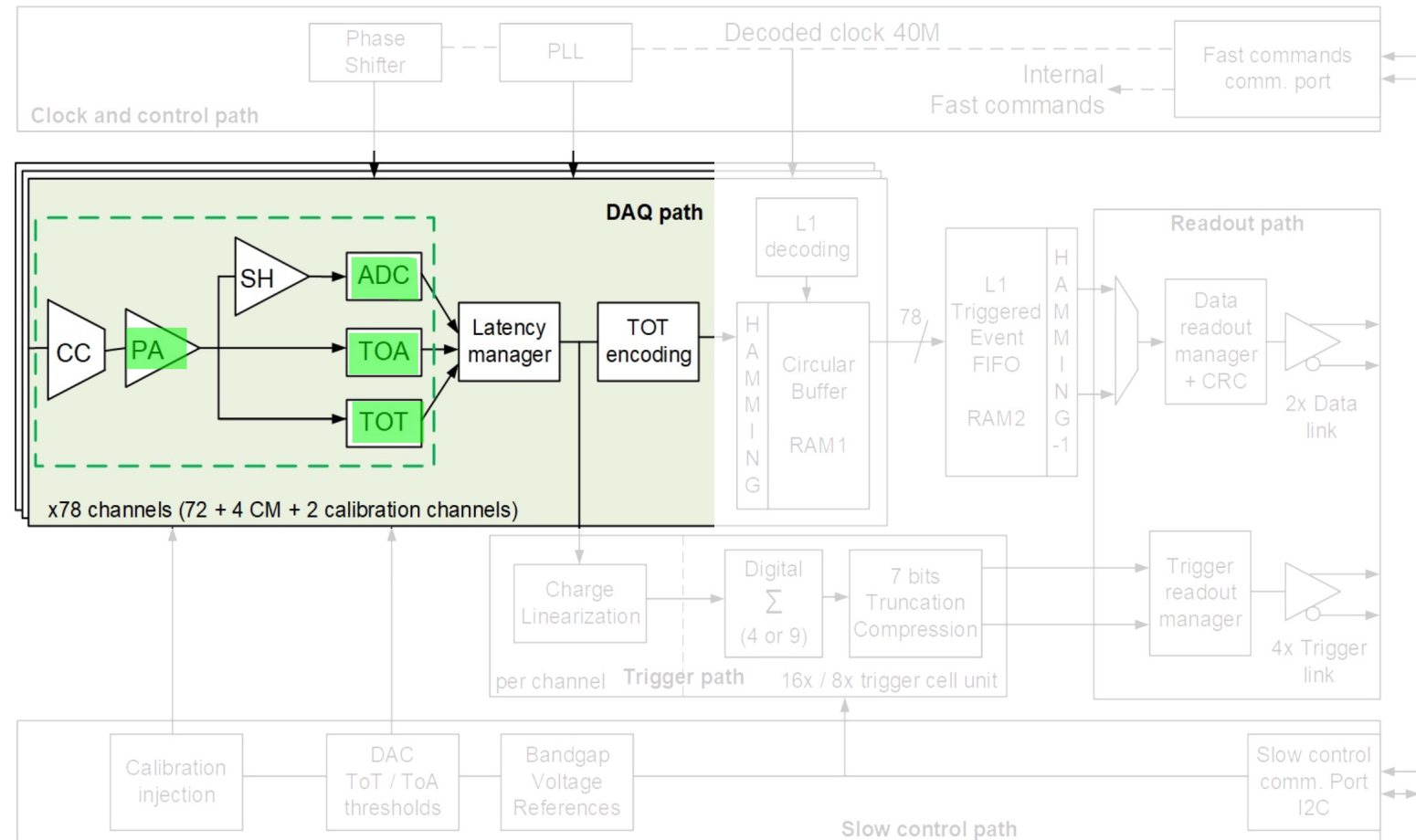
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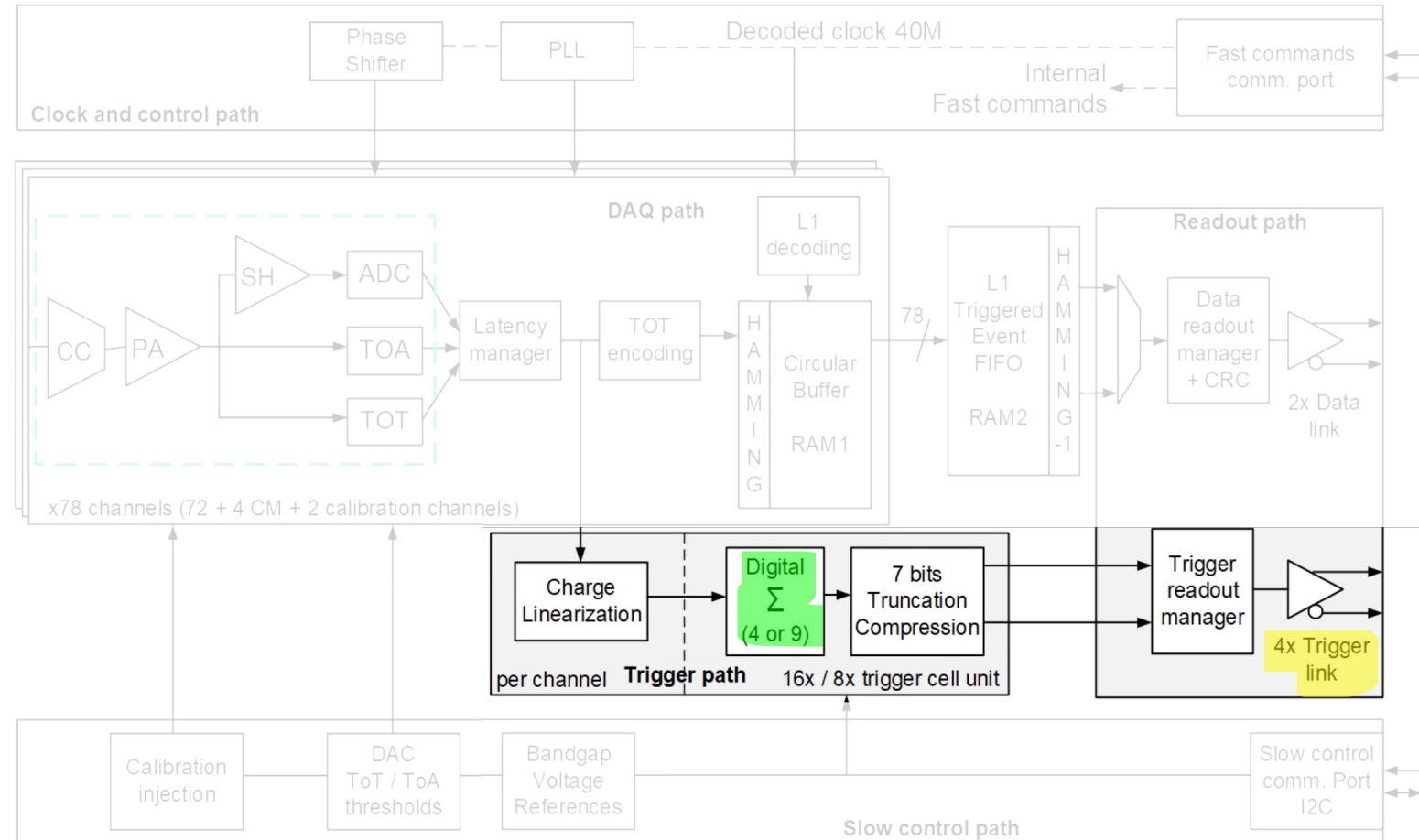
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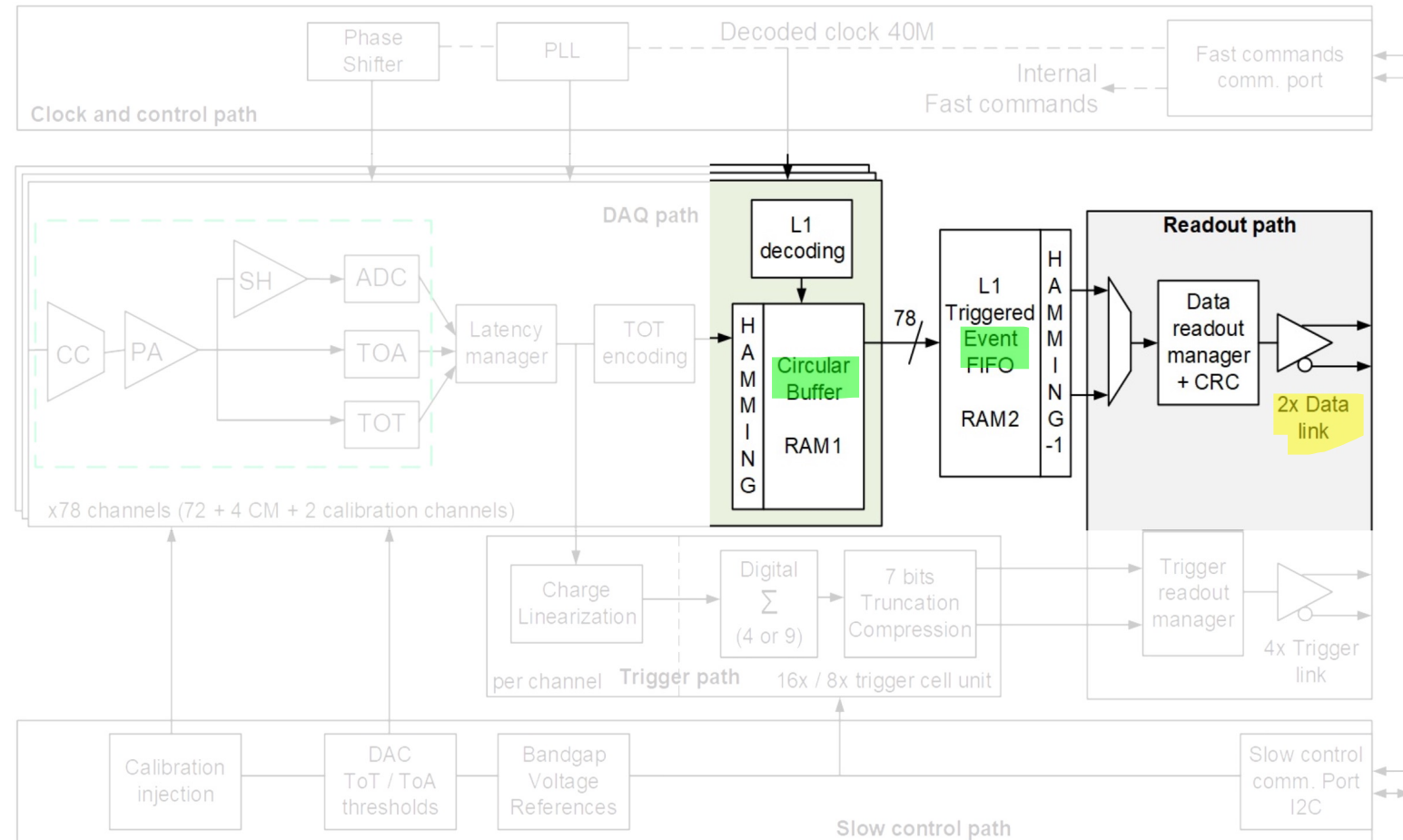
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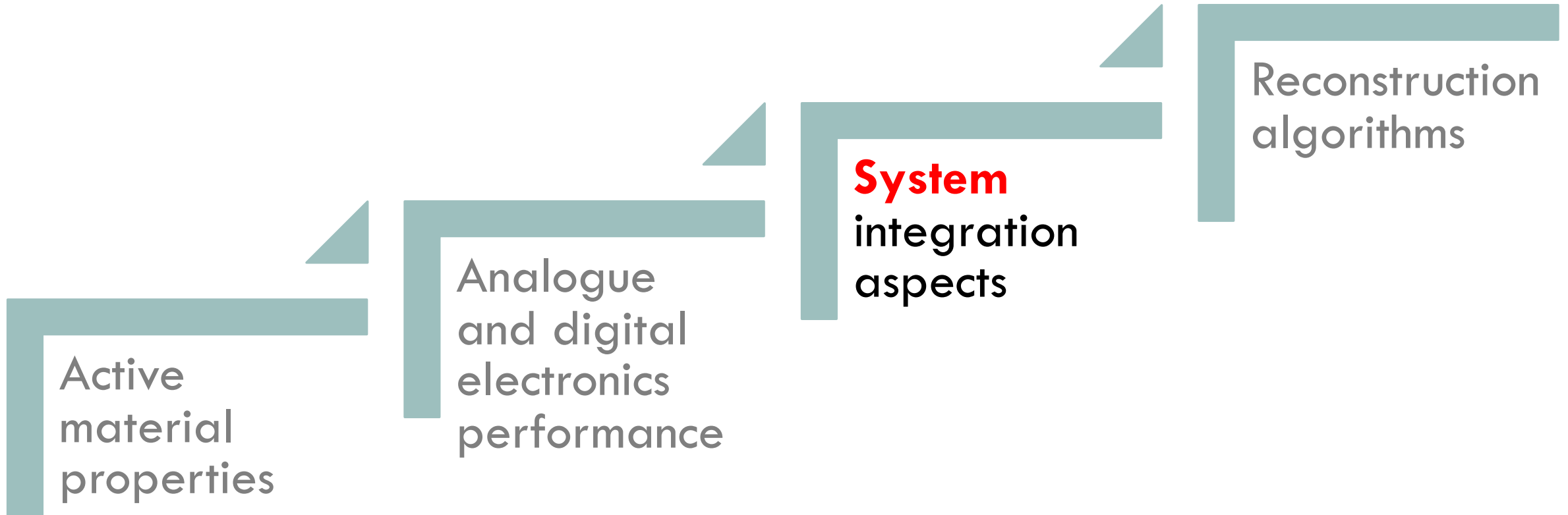
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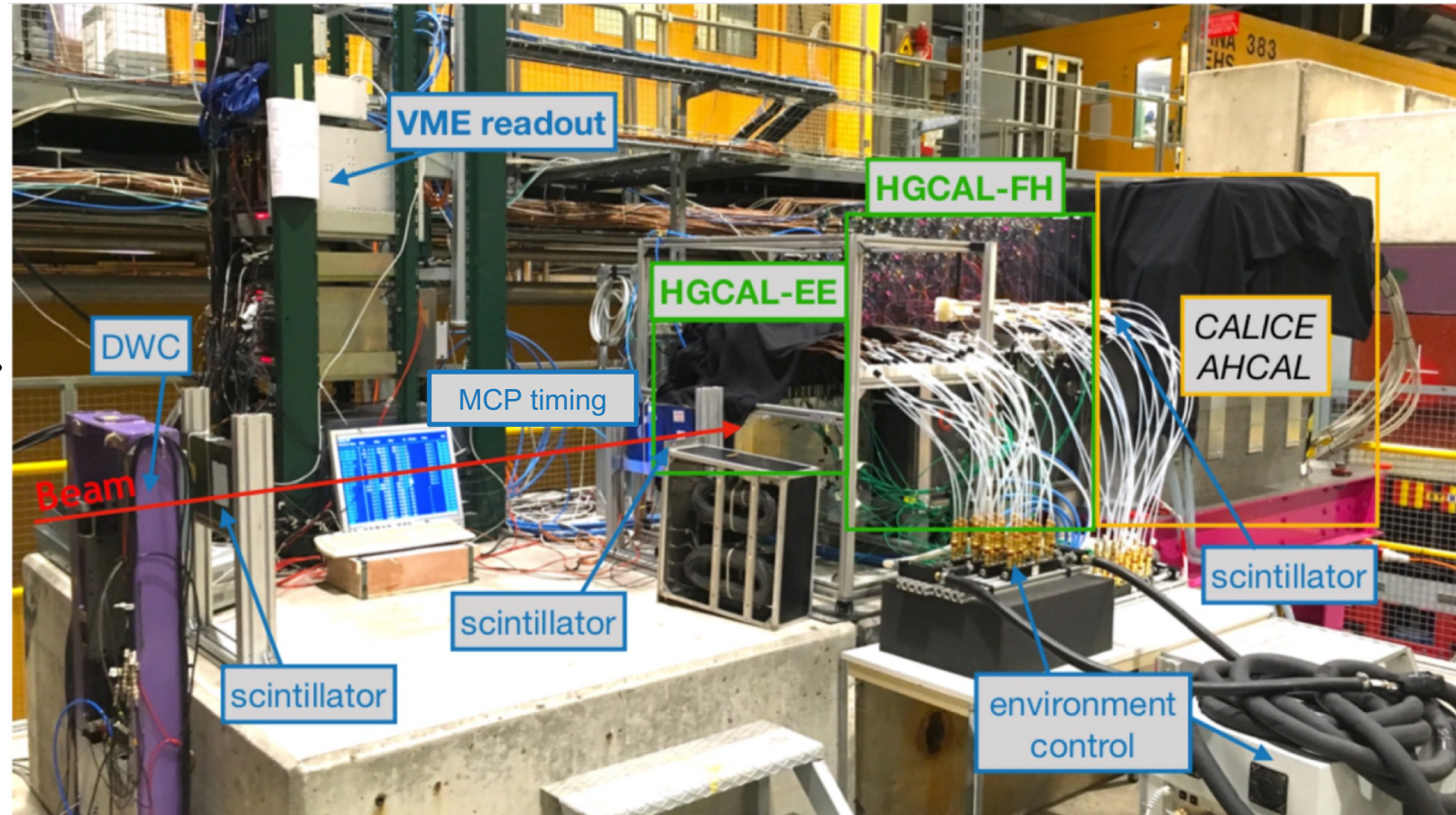
2018 PROTOTYPE

Large-scale prototype in SPS H2

- **HGCAL EM and Hadronic** sections:
 - 94 prototype 6" silicon modules.
 - 12'000 silicon pad channels.
- **CALICE AHCAL** scintillator section.

Beams: e^+ , μ^- , π^- up to 300 GeV/c.

- Full in-situ MIP and timing calibration.
- Performance comparison to GEANT4 simulation.



See also “CALICE AHCAL” – A. Irles (tomorrow)

2018 PROTOTYPE ELECTROMAGNETIC PERFORMANCE

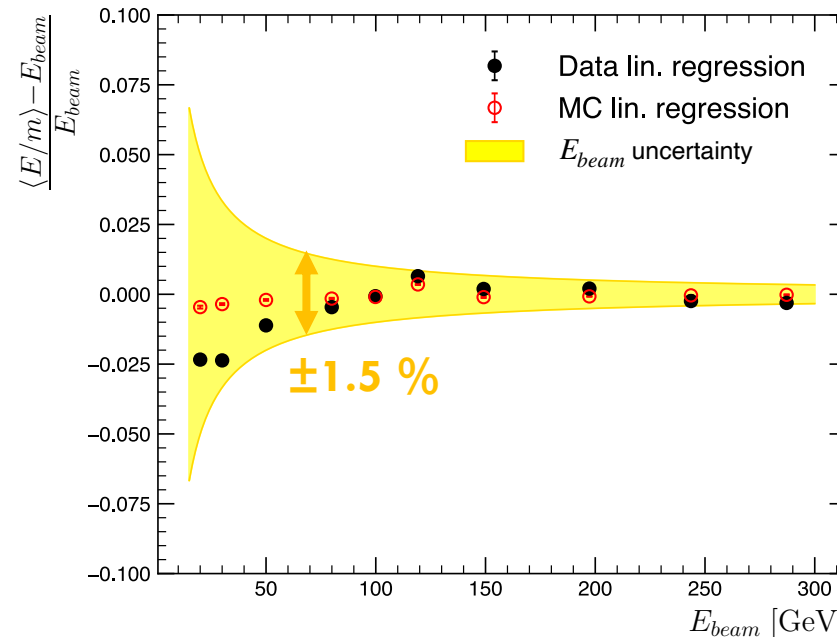
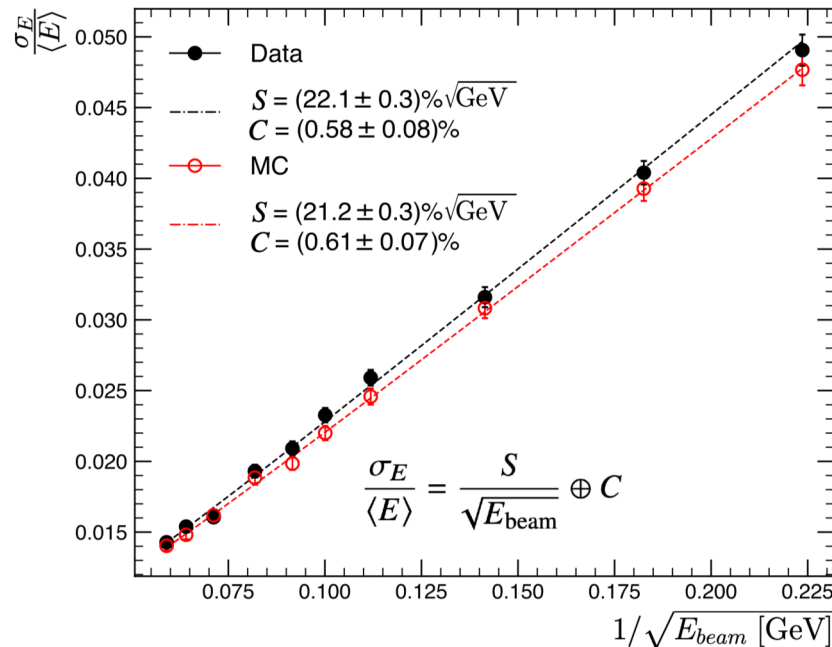
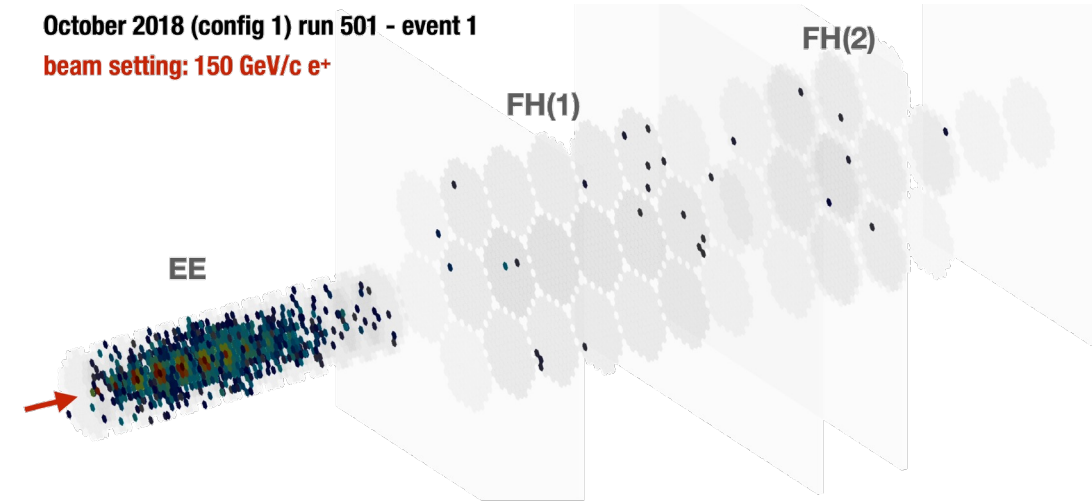
Good energy resolution

- 0.6% local constant term.
- 22% stochastic term.

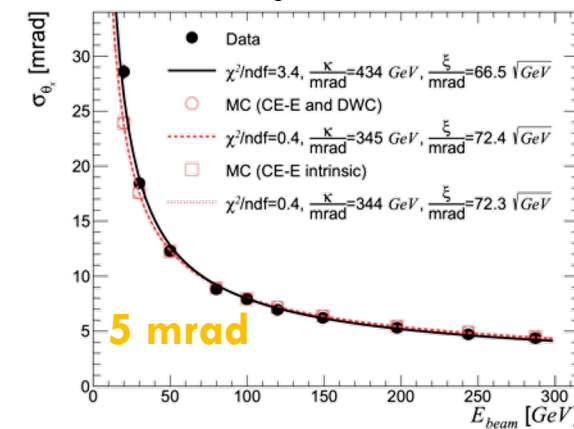
Good linearity for $E > \sim 50\text{GeV}$.

Good pointing resolution.

October 2018 (config 1) run 501 - event 1
beam setting: 150 GeV/c e^+



Shower axis angular resolution

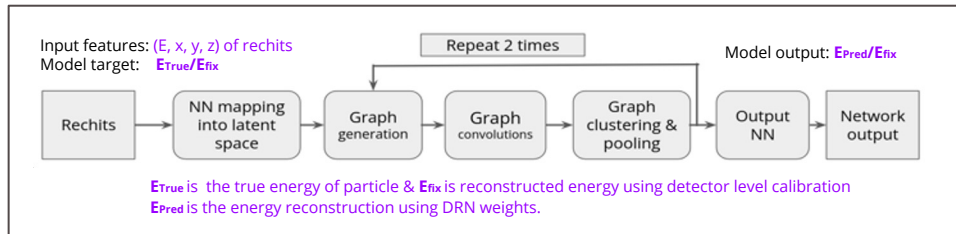


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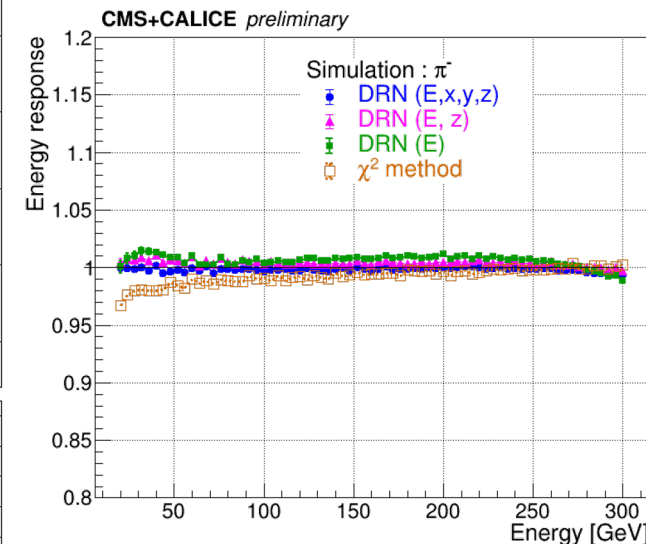
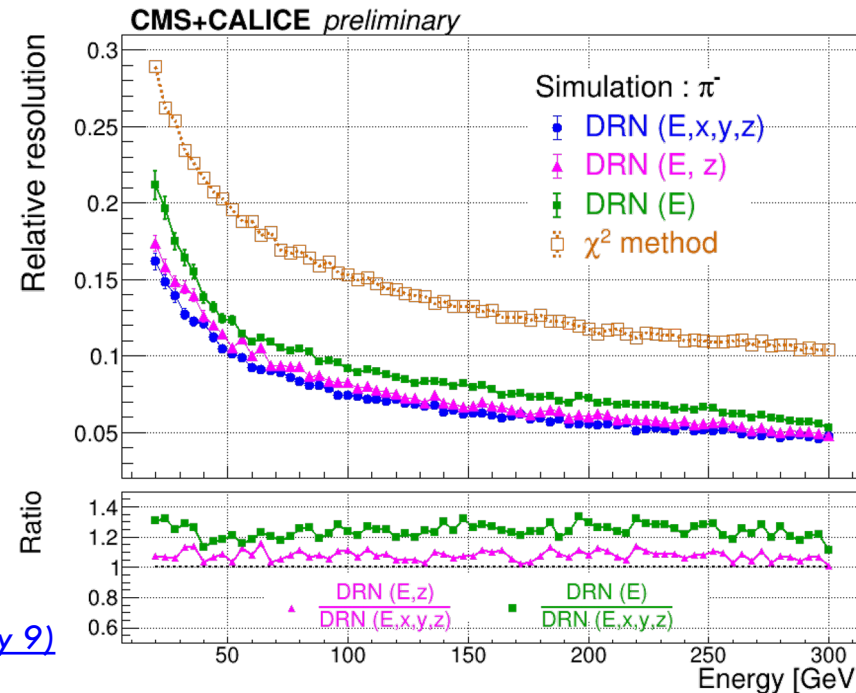
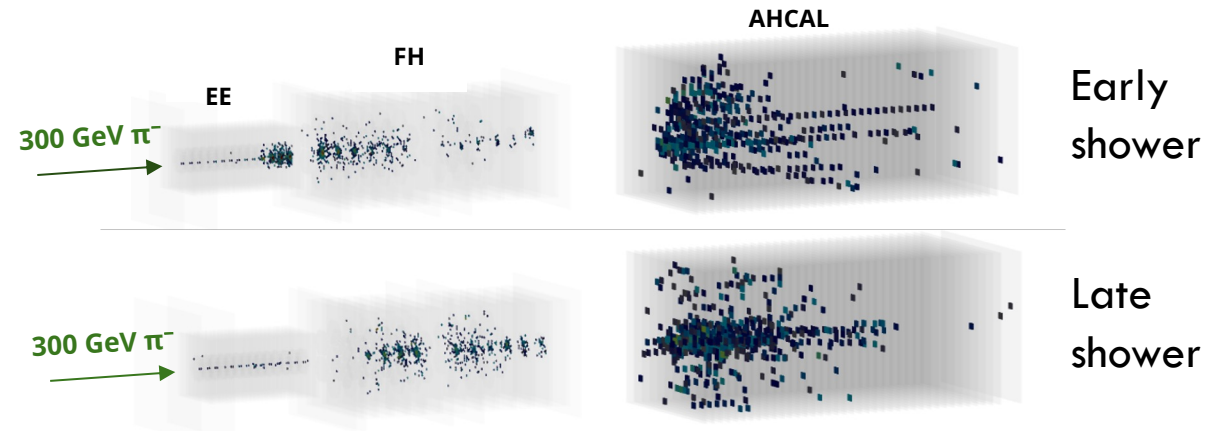
Hadronic showers have large variability.

Exploratory work on energy regression

- Dynamic Reduction Network (DRN).
- Comparison with per-layer weighted energy.
 - Good data-simulation agreement.
 - Promising resolution and linearity performance.
 - Developing understanding of performance.



Don't miss "GNN reconstruction" – S. Rothman (July 9)

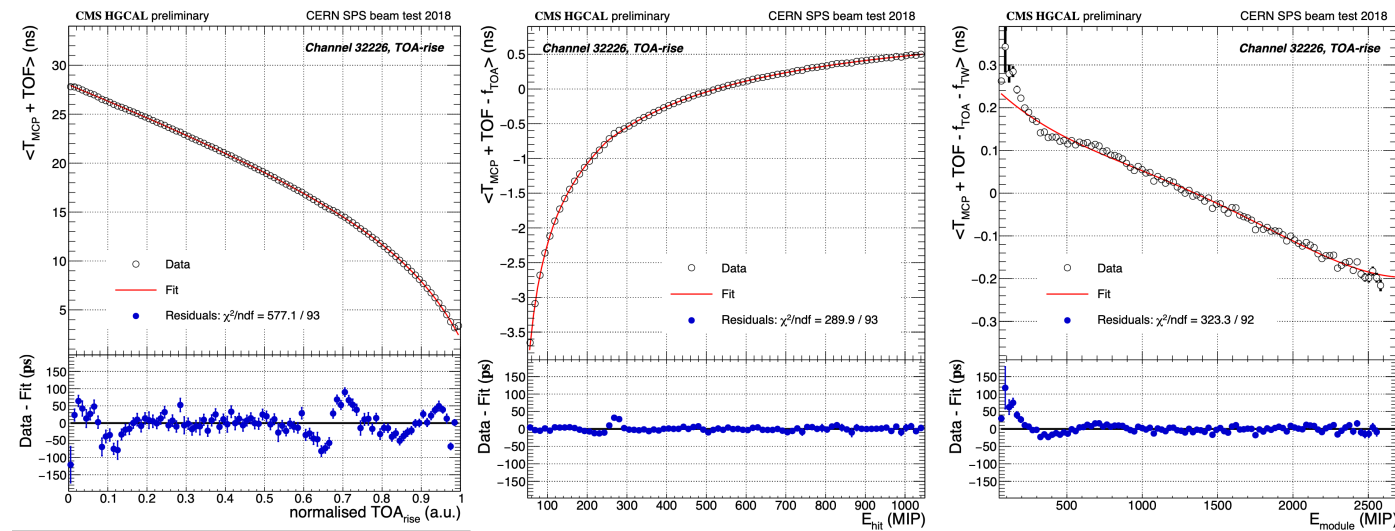


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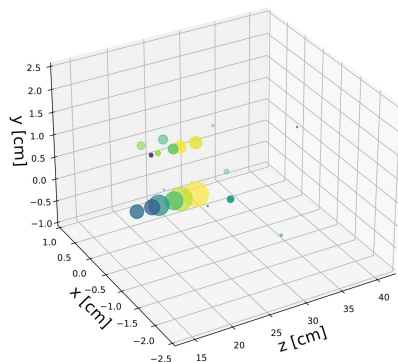
Calibration³

- Response non-linearity: ~ 10 ns
- Discriminator time-walk: ~ 1 ns
- Module-energy corrections: ~ 0.1 ns

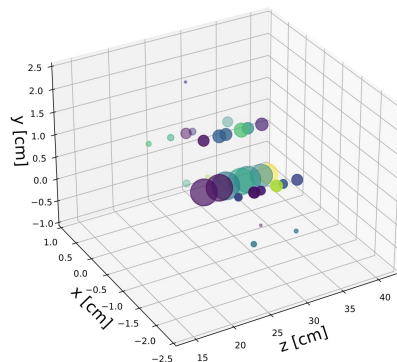
Resolved the time development of real particle showers!



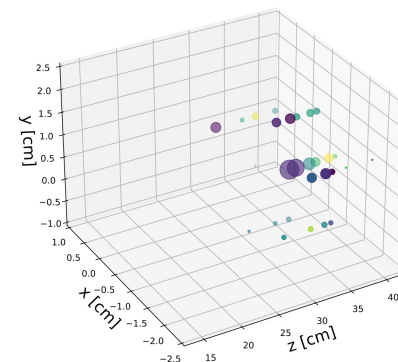
250 GeV/c e^+ : 0.0-0.4 ns



250 GeV/c e^+ : 0.4-0.8 ns



250 GeV/c e^+ : 0.8-1.2 ns



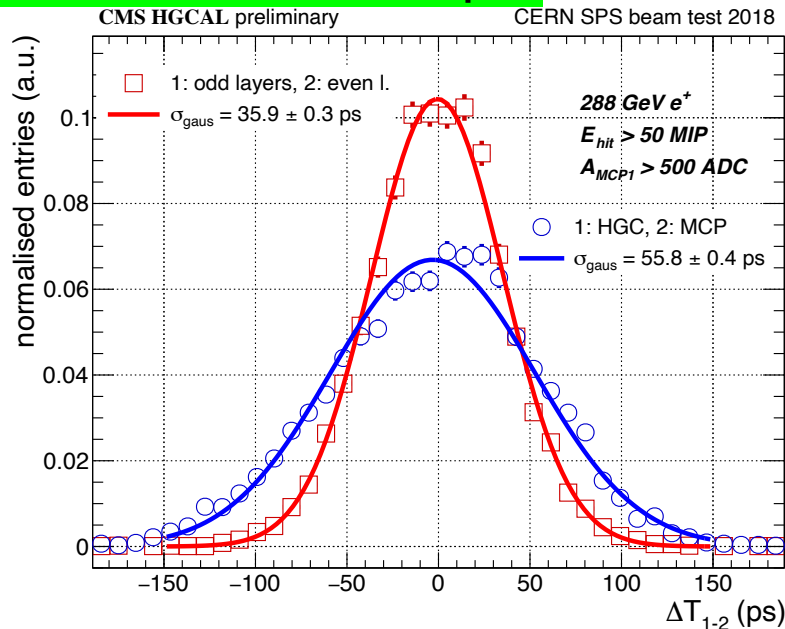
Early hit \longrightarrow Late hit

2018 PROTOTYPE **TIMING** PERFORMANCE

Complex set of measurements

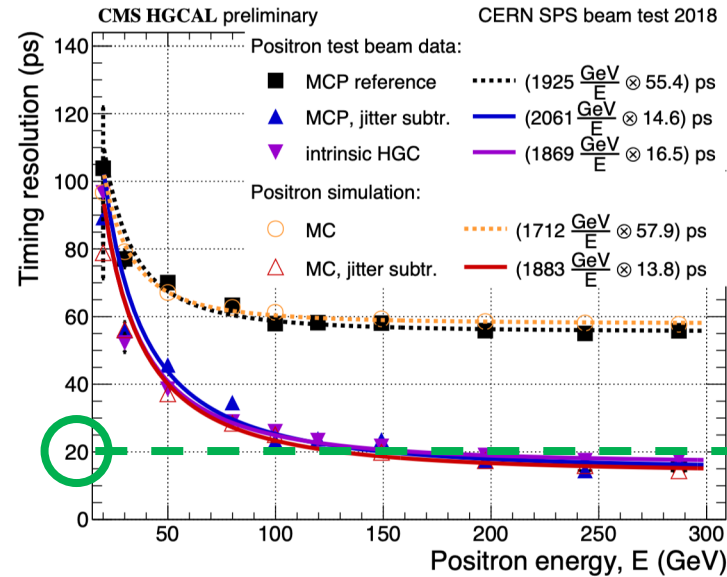
- Cross-checks with MCP detector reference.
- Est. MCP-HGCAL correlated jitter $O(50 \text{ ps})$.

High-energy shower
time resolution $< 20 \text{ ps}$!

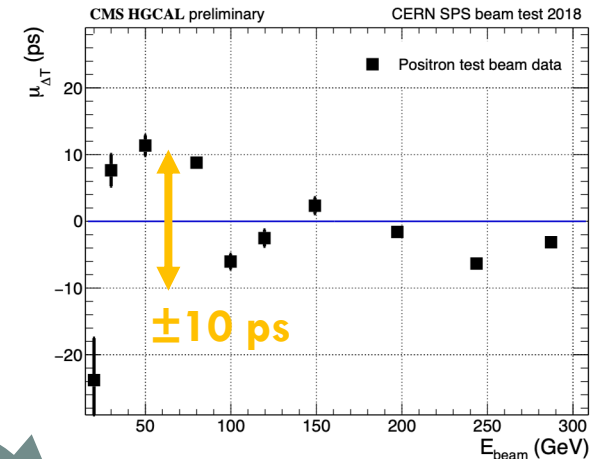


HGCAL odd vs even
layers: $\sim 36 \text{ ps}$

HGCAL-MCP: $\sim 56 \text{ ps}$
(incl. global jitter)

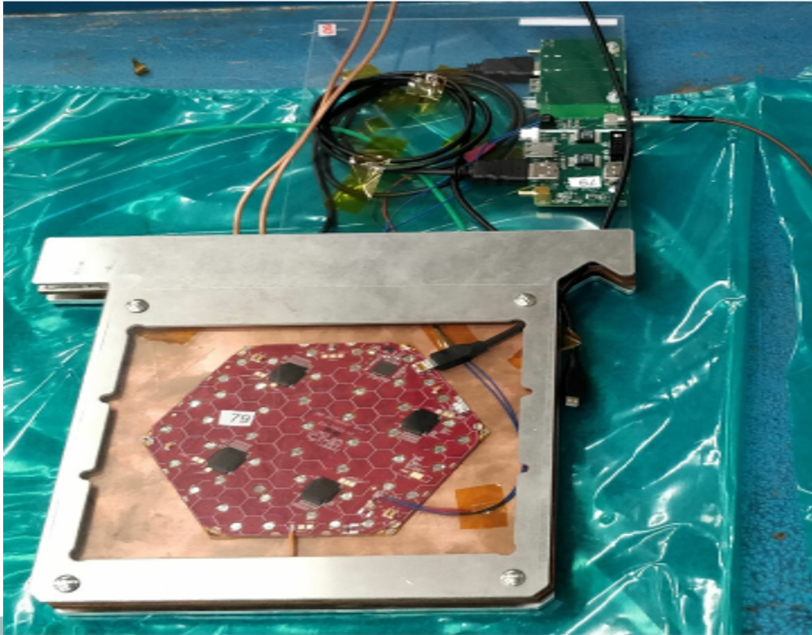


Resolution-weighted average of timing of
shower hits: $< 20 \text{ ps}$ for $E > 200 \text{ GeV}$.



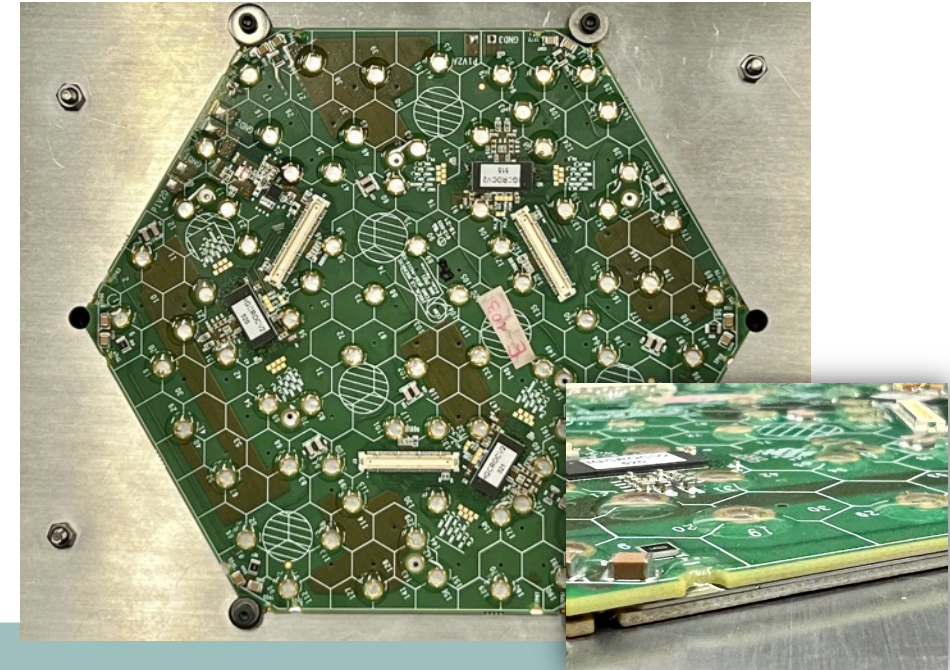
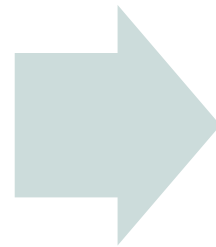
Accuracy w.r.t. MCP
reference within $\pm 10 \text{ ps}$
for $E > 50 \text{ GeV}$.

PERFORMANCE IN MORE RECENT SYSTEMS



2018 prototype

- 6" sensor and module
- SKIROC2-CMS ASIC



2021 prototype

- 8" sensor and module
- HGCROCv3 ASIC

2021 SILICON MODULE PERFORMANCE

300 μm silicon sensor module with latest components

- HGCROCv3
- Hexaboard PCB

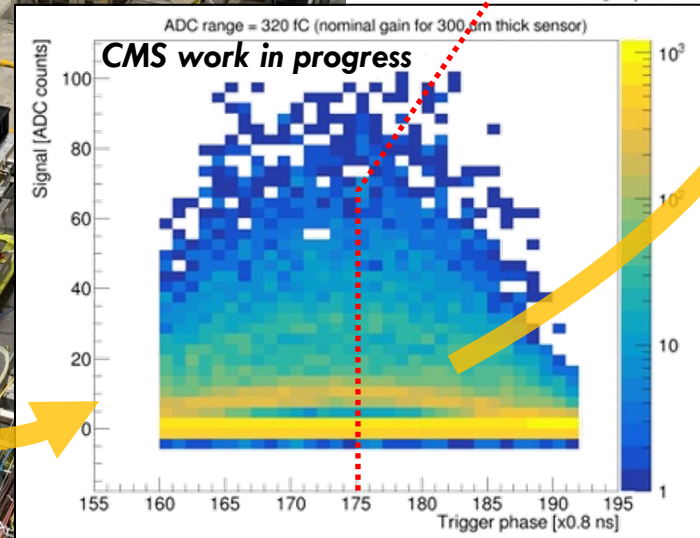
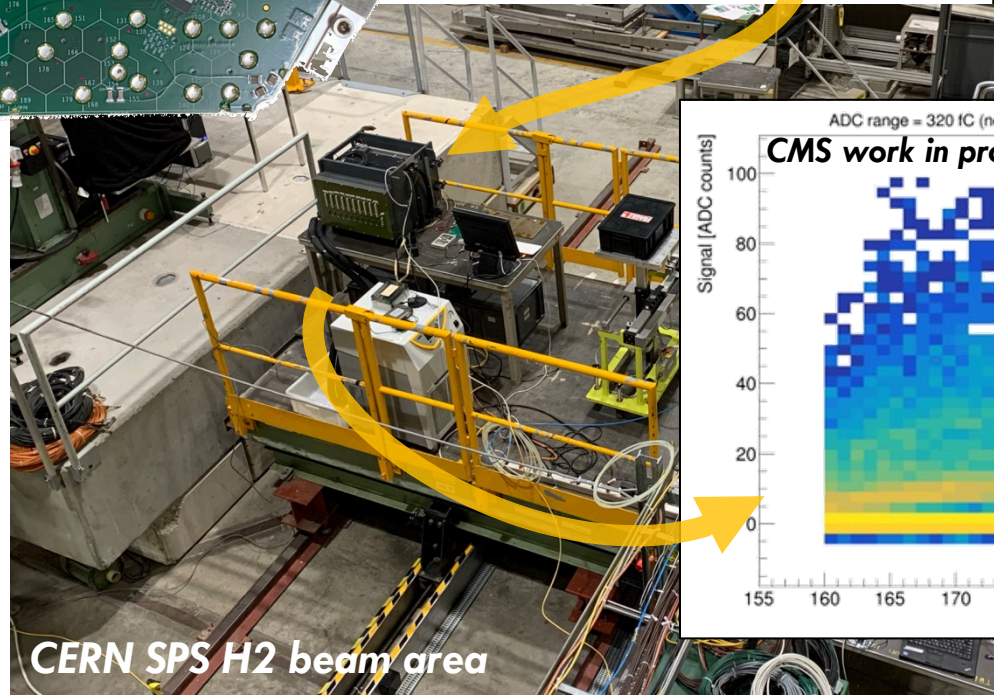
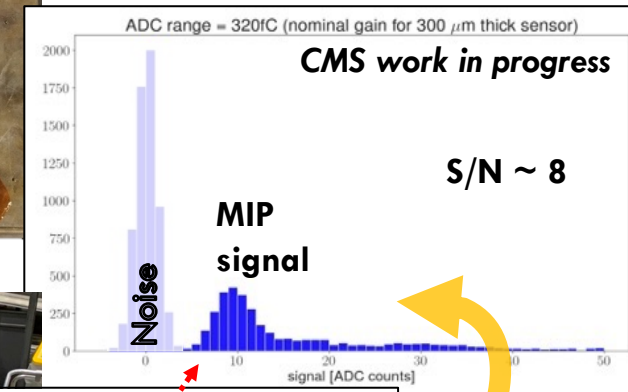
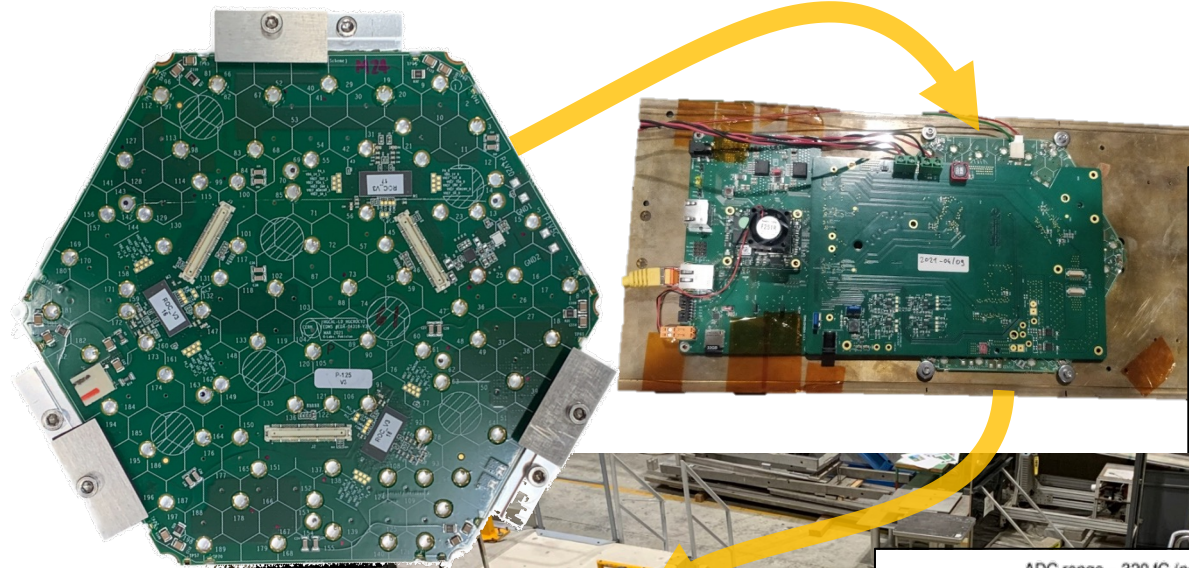
Very fast turnaround:

- Jul. 2021: ROC ASICs received.
- *(debug, fix, assemble)*^{~3}
- Oct. 2021: module in beam.

Asynchronous beam trigger

- Trigger phase resolution
~ 0.8 ns.

Clear MIP signal peak with almost-final components !



Select events with **beam particles in time** with 40 MHz ADC sampling clock

CERN SPS H2 beam area

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2022 **SIPM**-ON-TILE PERFORMANCE

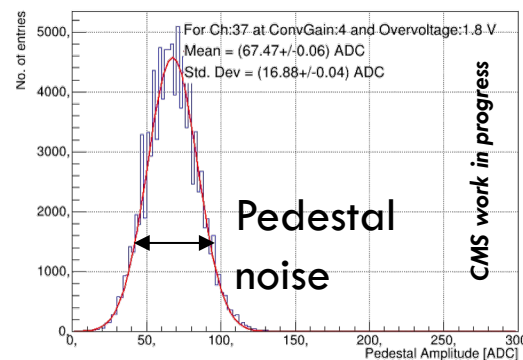
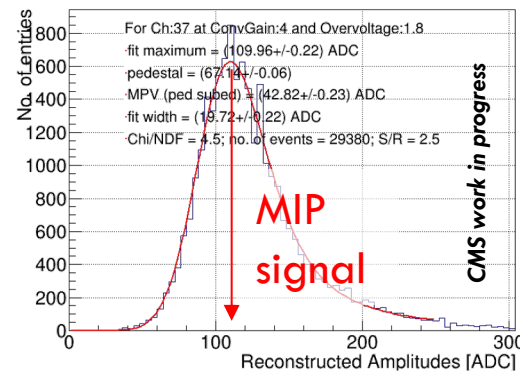
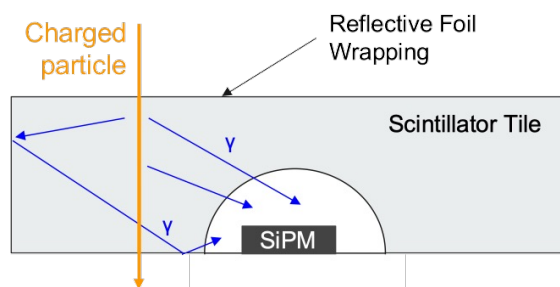
Performance of irradiated SiPMs

- Irradiated to $2 \times 10^{12} \text{ n}_{\text{eq}}/\text{cm}^2$.
- Beam tests at DESY II in April 2022.
- Shared readout system with Silicon module.

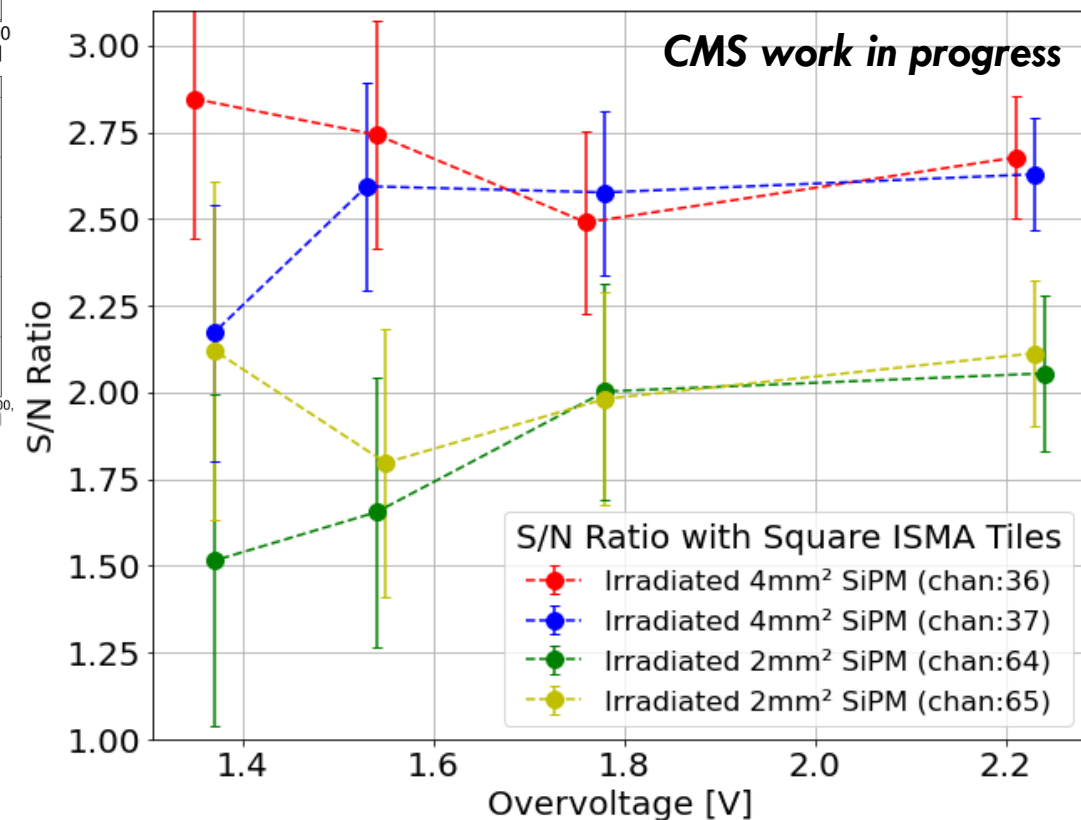
S/N ratio relatively independent from overvoltage.

Confirms end-of-life S/N performance with final SiPMs.

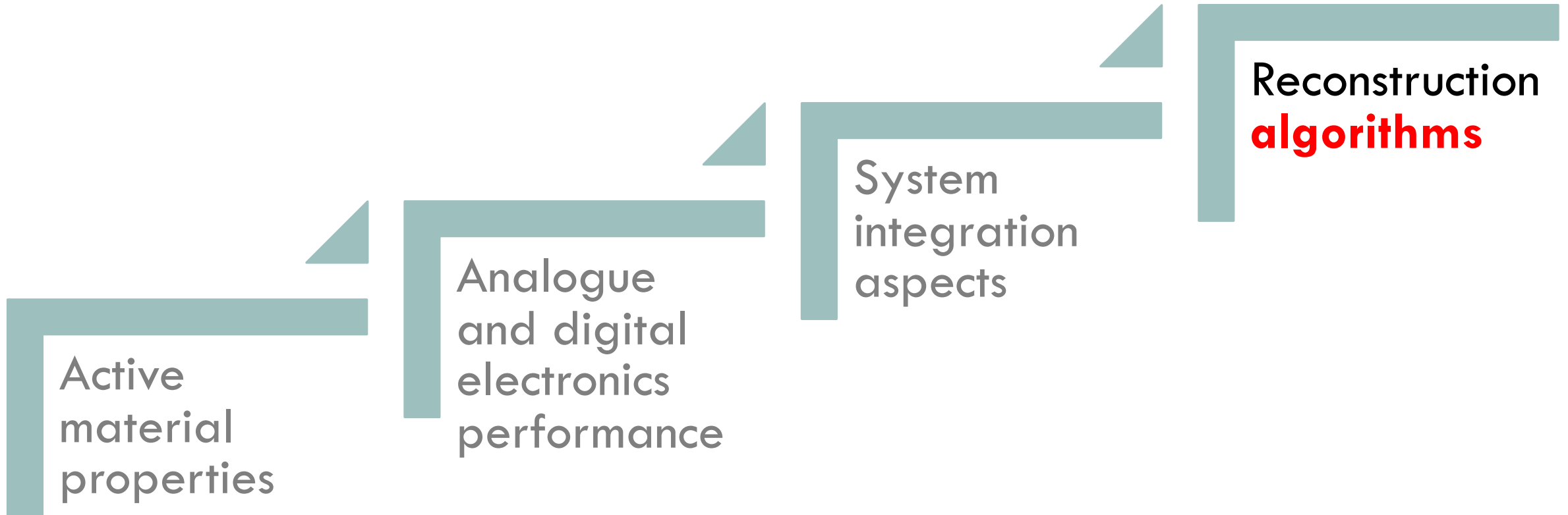
- S/N ~ 2.0 for 2 mm^2 SiPMs, and
- S/N ~ 2.5 for 4 mm^2 SiPMs.



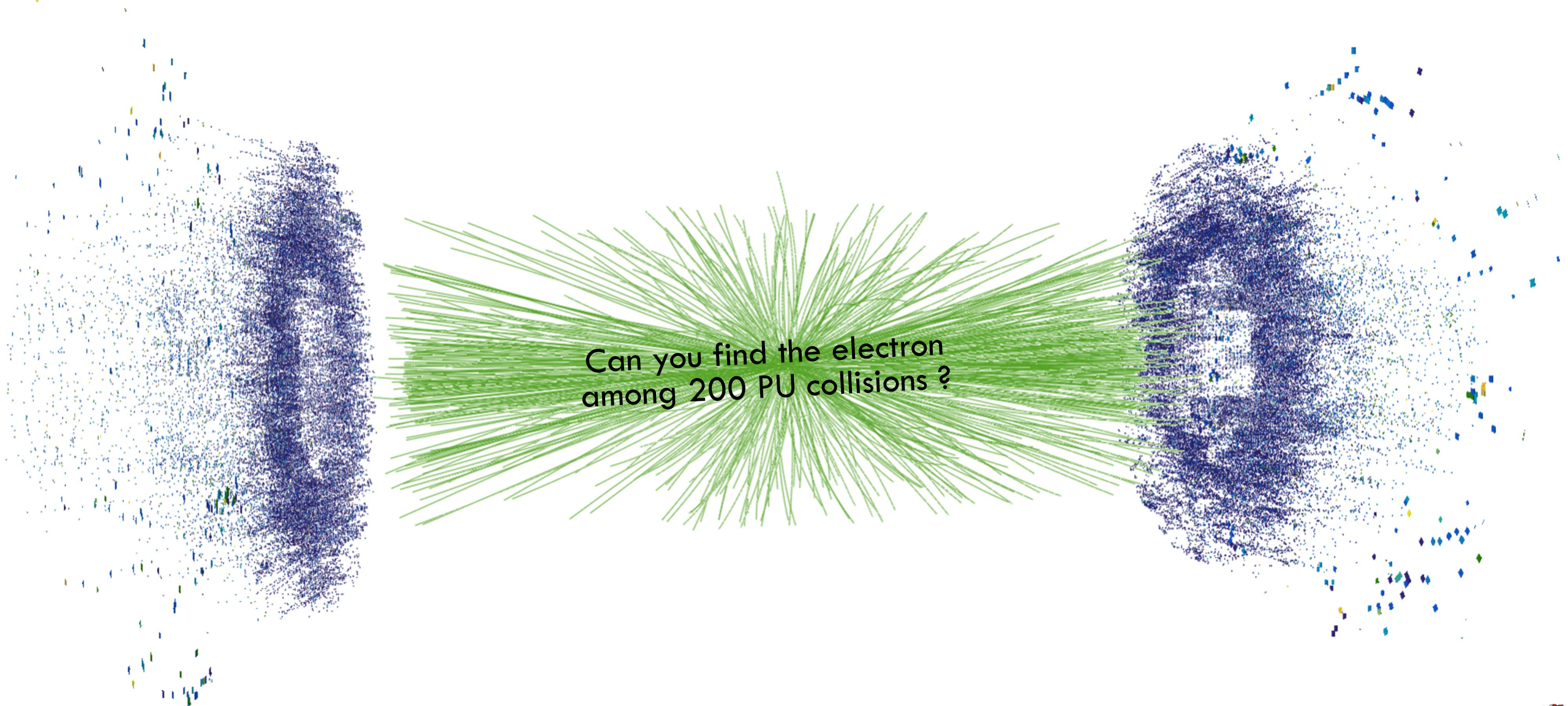
4 irradiated SiPMs



ELEMENTS OF THE PERFORMANCE CHAIN



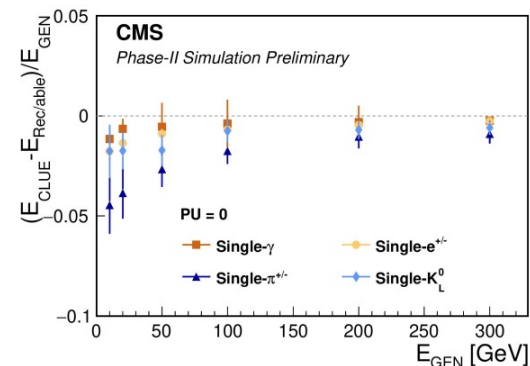
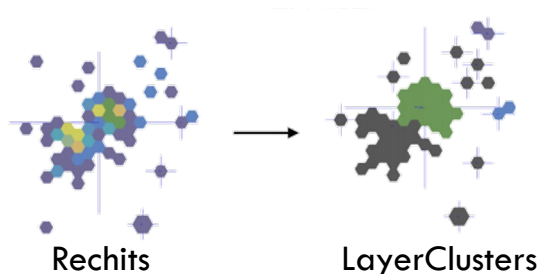
BRINGING THE 5D PERFORMANCE TO FRUITION



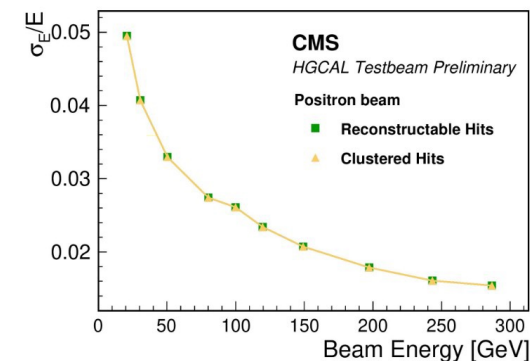
CLUSTERING-BASED RECONSTRUCTION

CLUE – algorithm for energy clustering

- Combinatorics reduced $10\times$ by making 2D energy clusters.
- Parallelized, runs on GPUs.
- Tested with testbeam data.



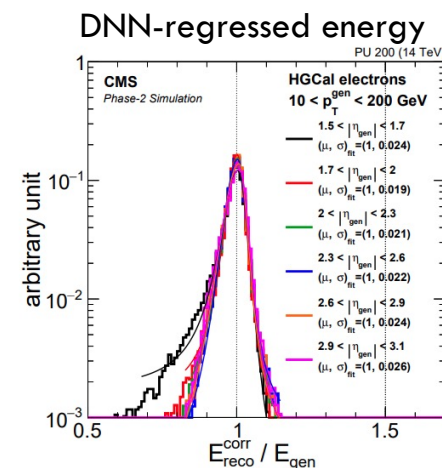
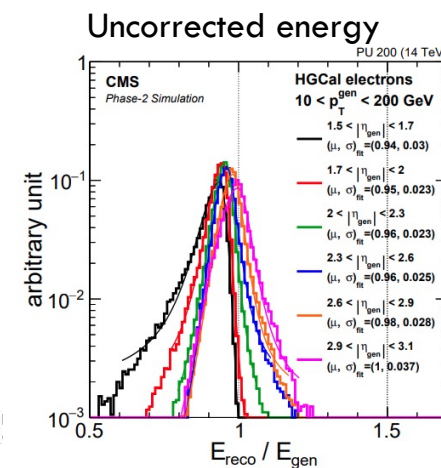
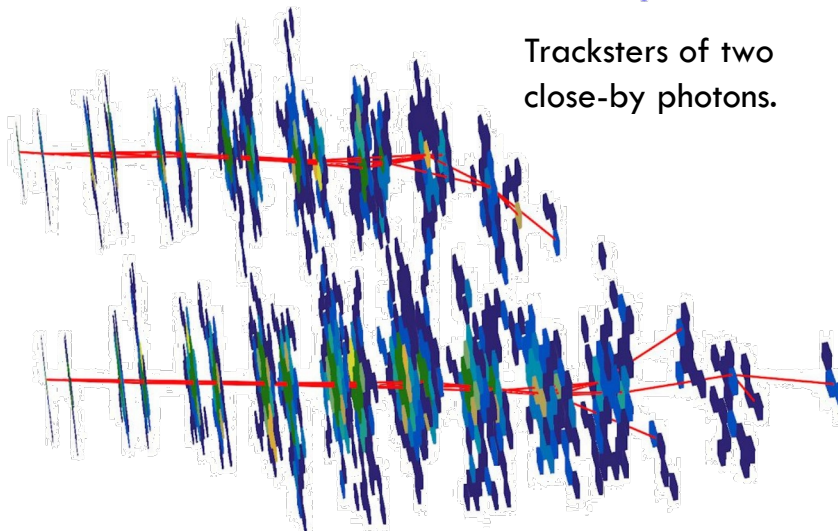
CLUE loses O(1%) energy



CLUE in beam test data

TICL – The Iterative Clustering

- Interacting particles create “Rechits”.
- CLUE: Rechits \rightarrow 2D LayerClusters.
- Link LayerClusters across layers into Tracksters (showers/particles).
- Trackster information regressed with ML techniques.



END-TO-END MACHINE LEARNING RECONSTRUCTION

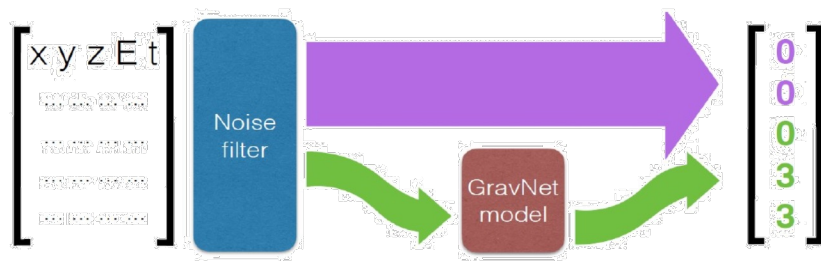
Directly use Rechits.

Two-stage model with:

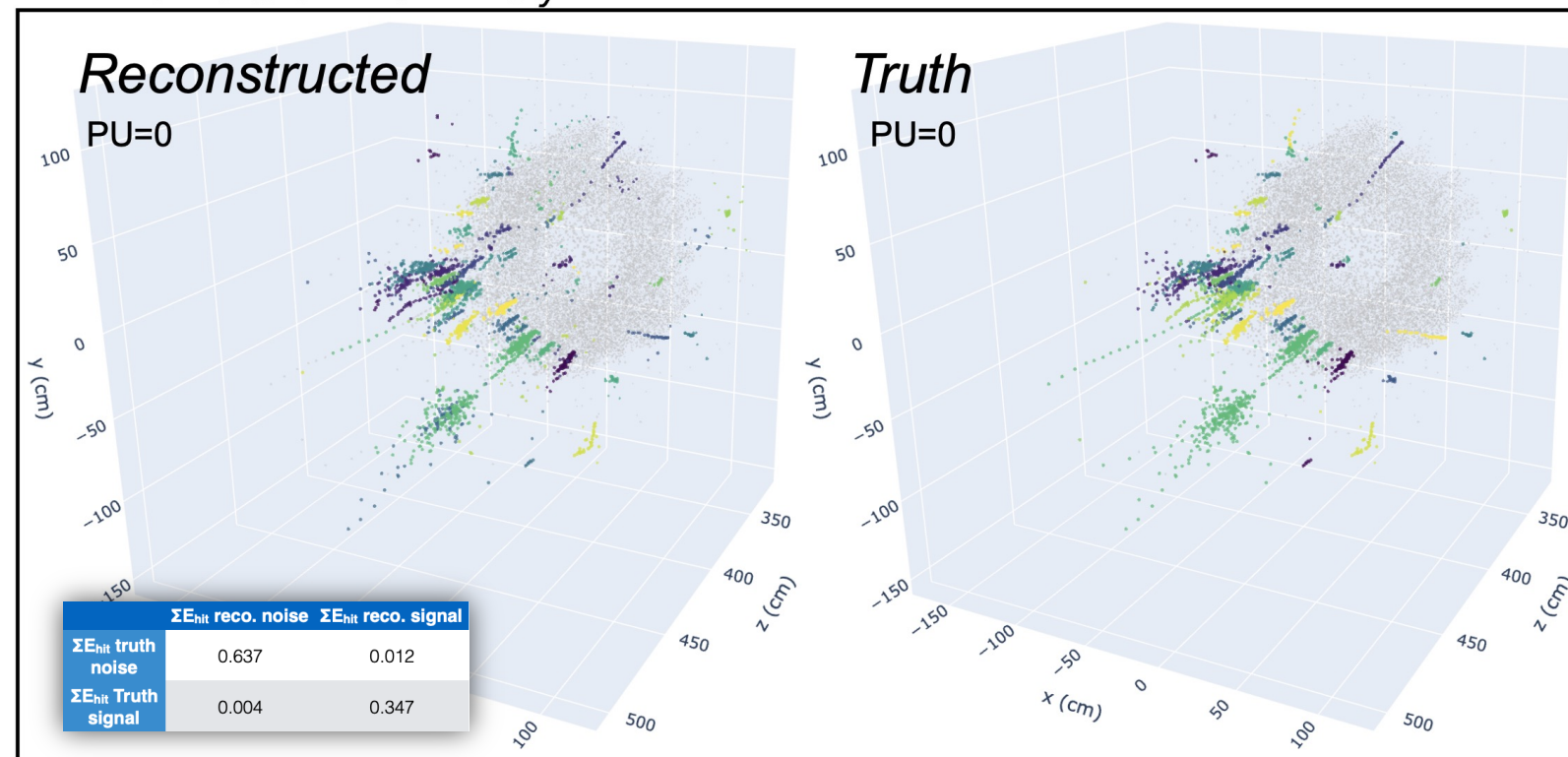
- **Noise filter** to identify bulk of (uninteresting) hits.
- **GravNet** graph neural network performs clustering on cleaned data.

Promising performance

- Studying physics performance on single particles.



CMS *Simulation Preliminary*



A zero pileup example with two tau leptons decaying hadronically (to 3π , and $\pi+\pi^0$, respectively) in one HGCal endcap.

OUTLOOK

On the way to **excellent 5D performance**

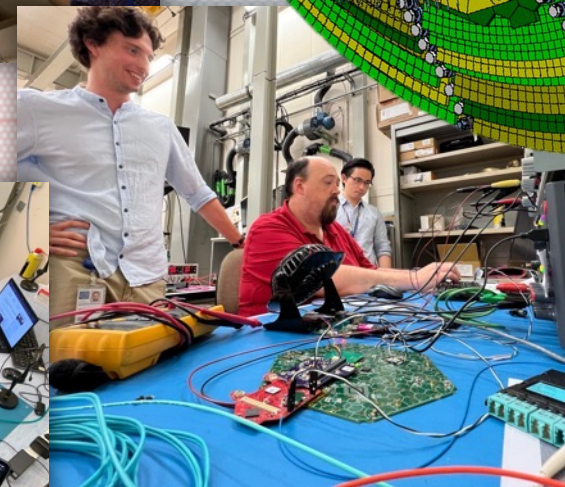
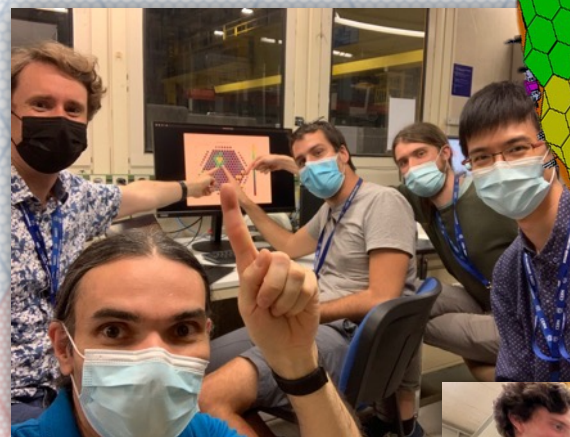
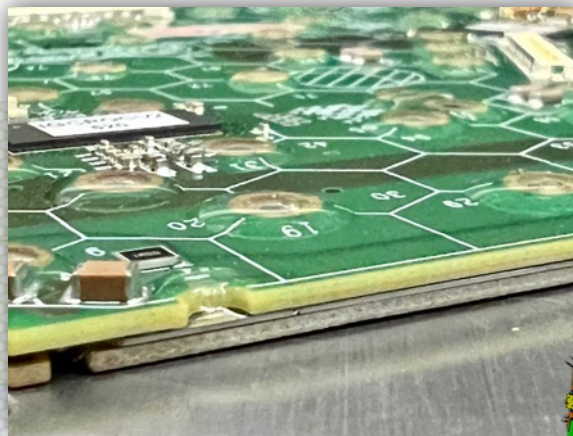
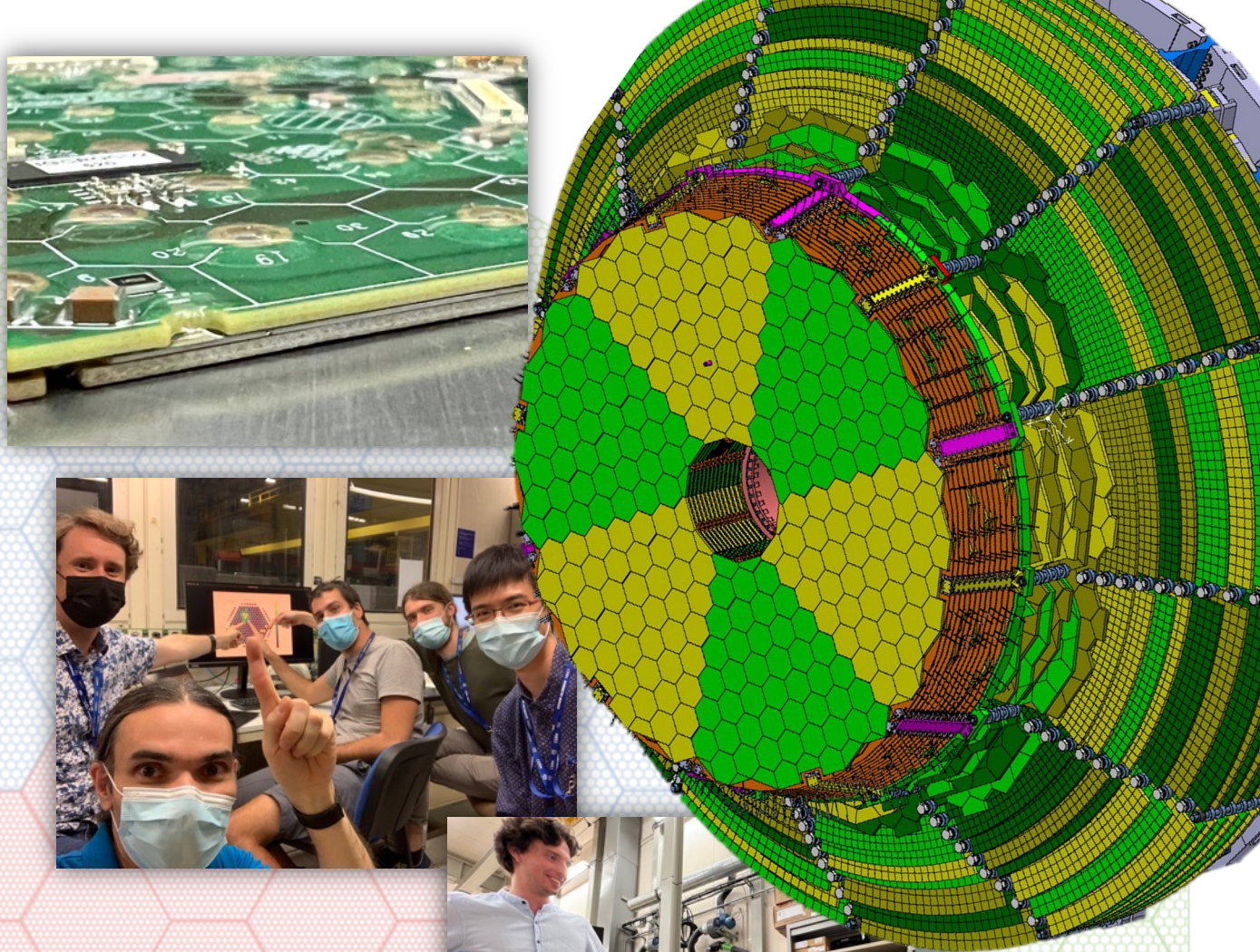
- **Spatial** integration in small volume.
- 20-ps **timing** precision over 600 m² of detector.
- **Energy** linearity from single MIP to showers.

Online and offline challenges

- Full system integration under way.
- Next-generation reconstruction algorithms.

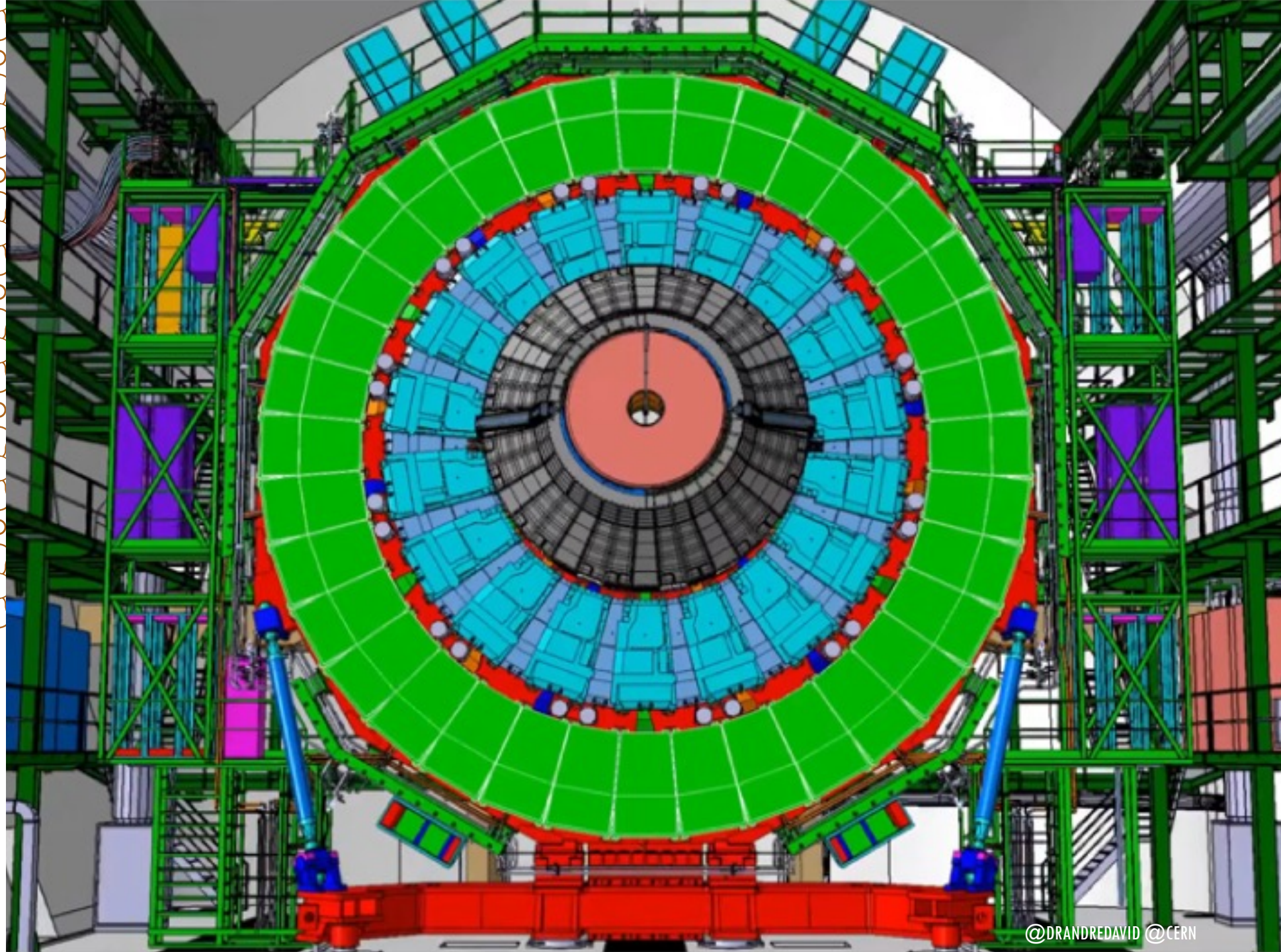
All are welcome to join in the fun !

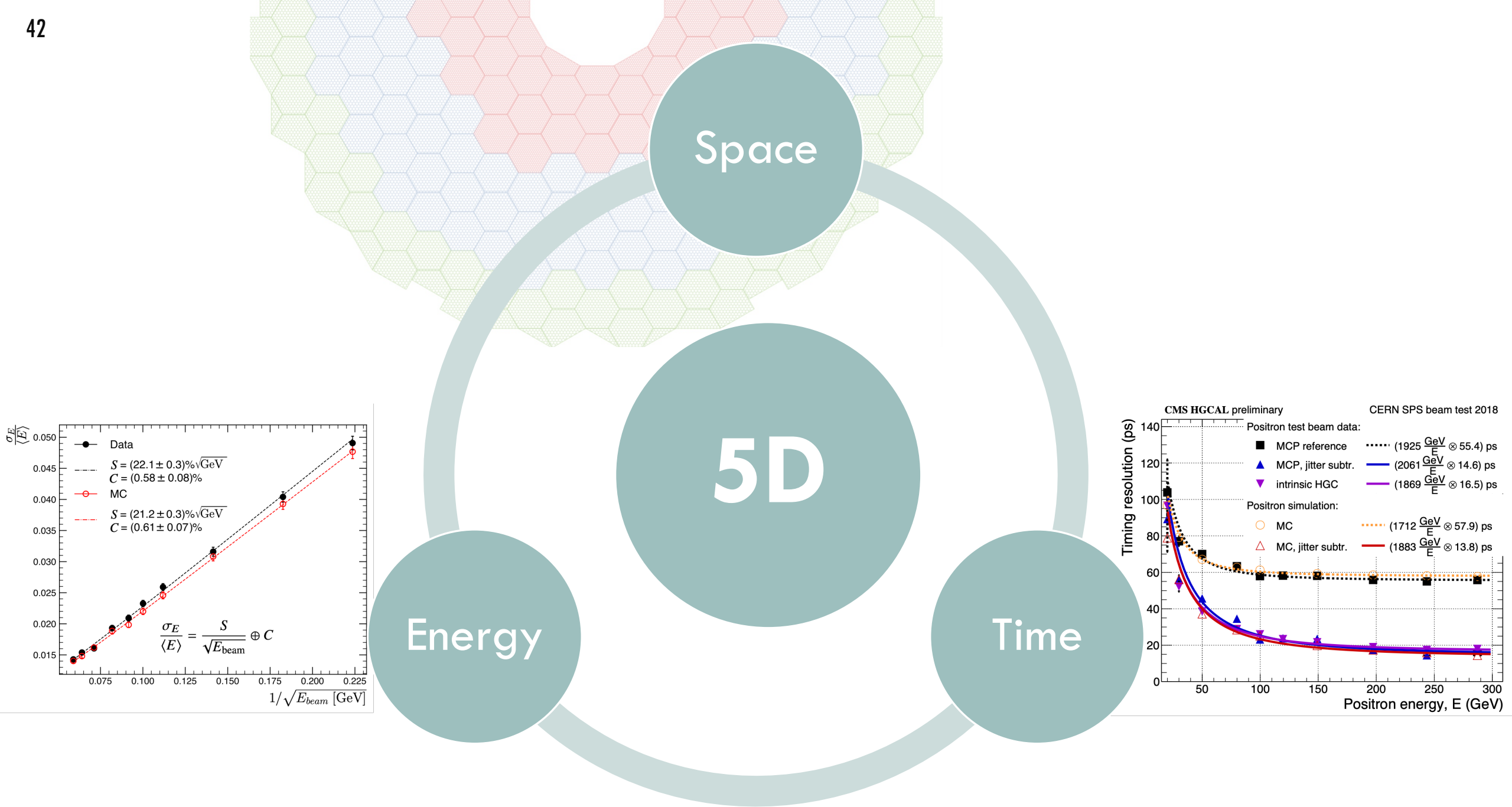
#LifeWithHexagons in HGCal is creating the blueprints for future detectors.





THANK YOU!





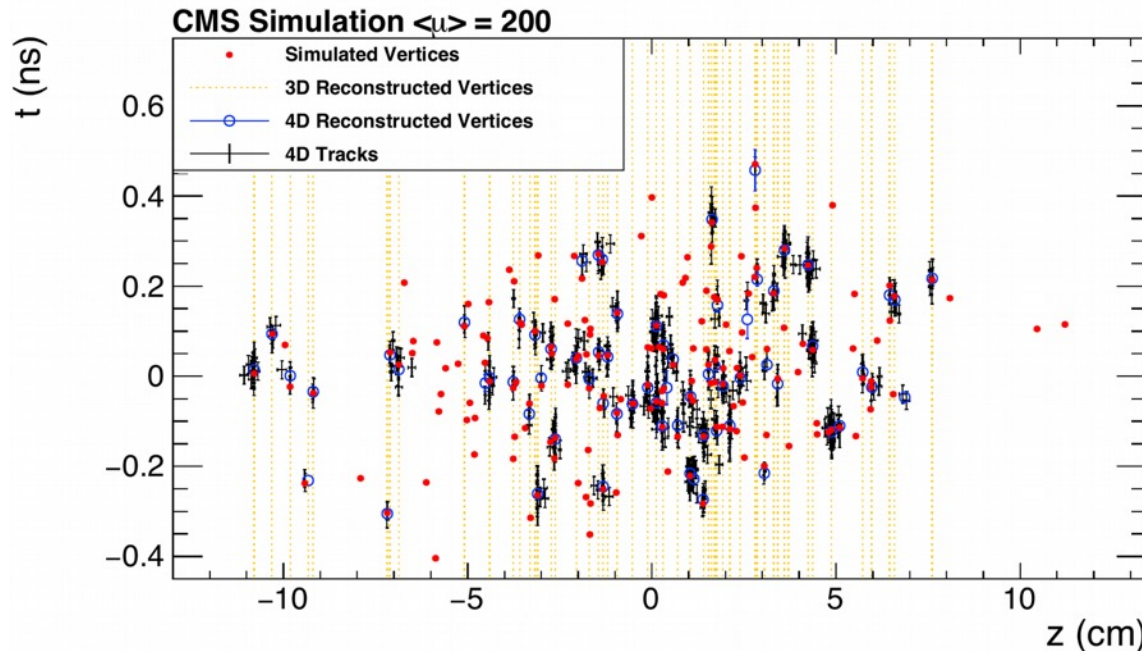
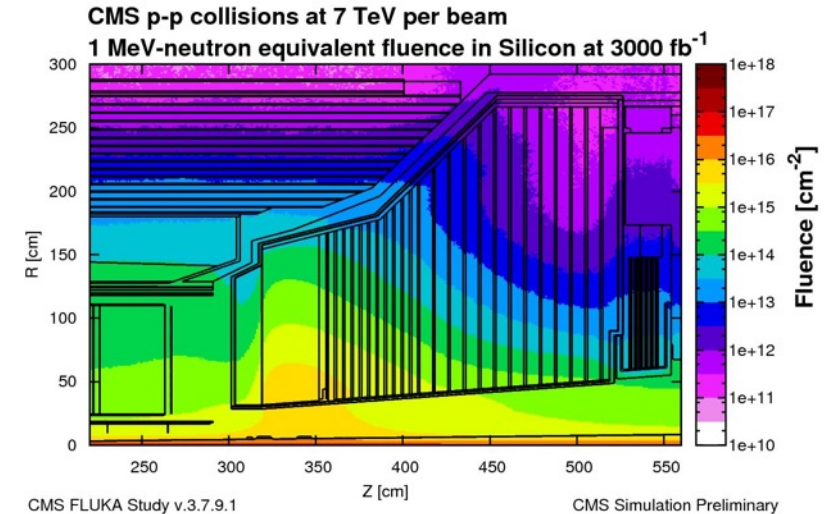
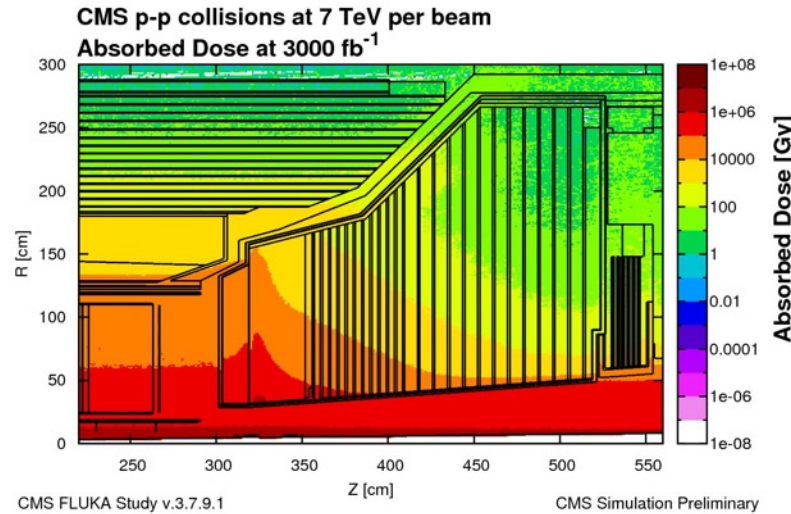
REQUIREMENTS

Radiation hardness

- Fluences from $1 \times 10^{12} \text{ n}_{\text{eq}}/\text{cm}^2$...
- ... to $1 \times 10^{16} \text{ n}_{\text{eq}}/\text{cm}^2$.
- Dose from 10 Gy to 1 MGy.

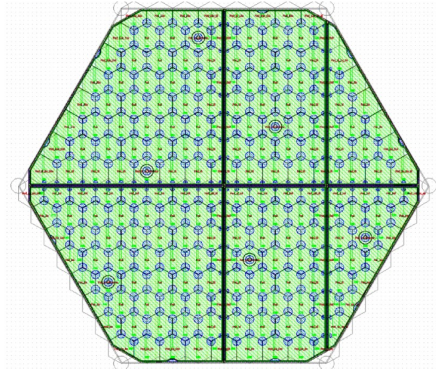
Spatial and time resolution

- Resolve energy deposits originating from pile-up vertices spread over $O(10 \text{ cm})$ and $O(100 \text{ ps})$.

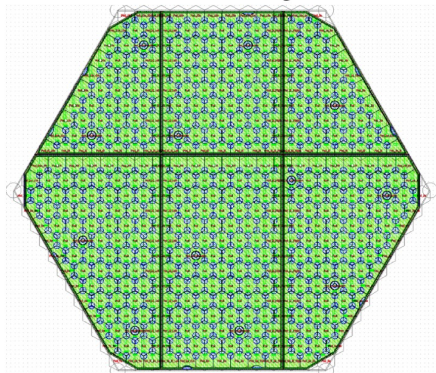


“HEXAGONATURE” OF THE CIRCLE

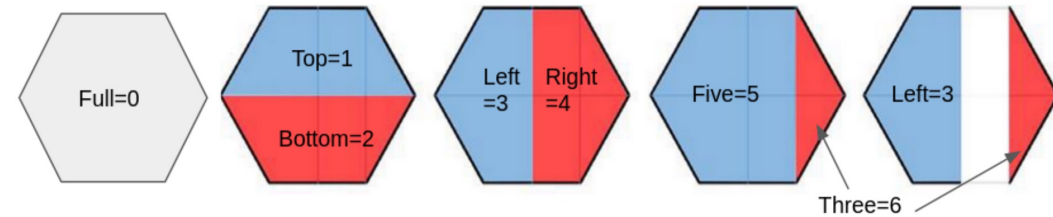
Low Density
Multi-Geometry Wafer



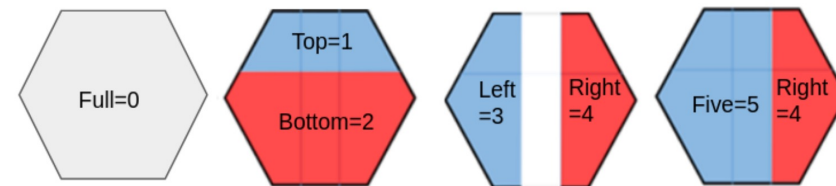
High Density
Multi-Geometry Wafer



LD partial sensor layout names



HD partial sensor layout names

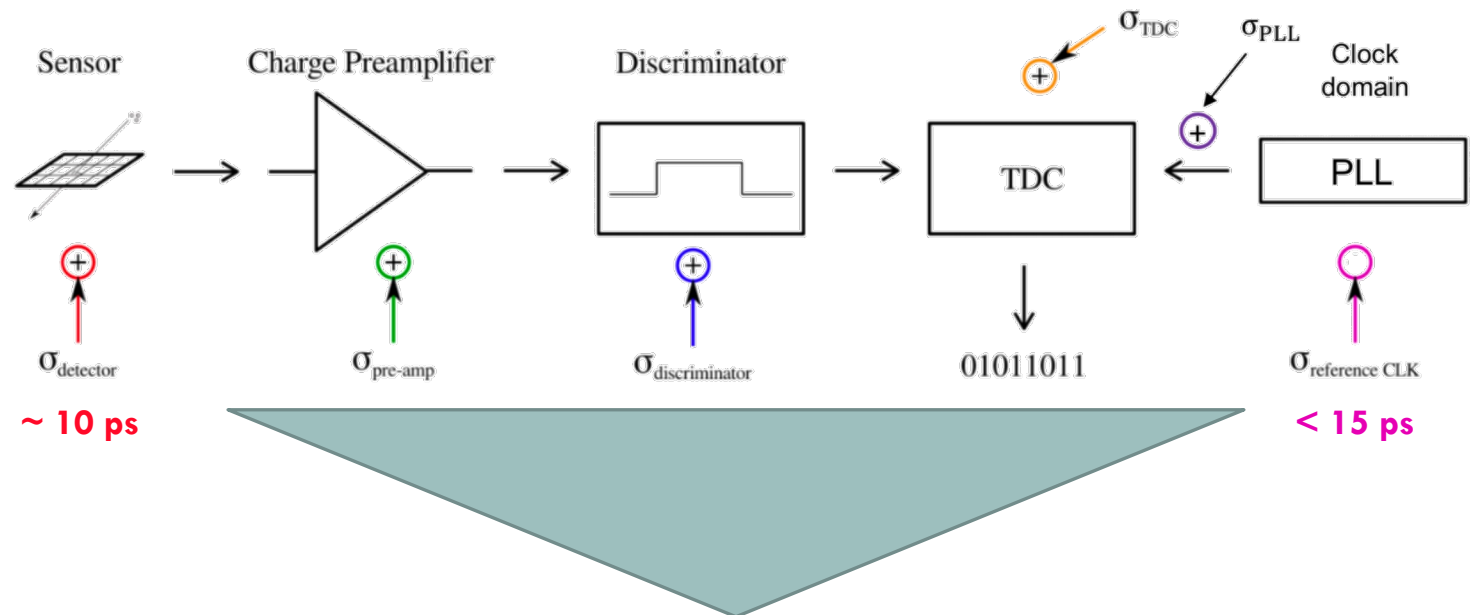


TIMING PERFORMANCE

Many contributions.

Crucial aspects:

- Front-end readout ASIC performance.
- Calibration procedure.



$$\sigma_t^2 = \underbrace{\left(\frac{t_{\text{rise}}}{S/N}\right)^2}_{\text{Preamplifier}} + \underbrace{\left(\left[\frac{t_{\text{rise}} V_{th}}{S}\right]_{\text{RMS}}\right)^2}_{\text{Time walk}} + \underbrace{\left(\frac{TDC_{bin}}{\sqrt{12}}\right)^2}_{\text{TDC quantization}} + \underbrace{([TDC]_{\text{RMS}})^2}_{\text{noise and linearity}} +$$

HGCAL

Active Elements:

- Hexagonal modules based on Si sensors in CE-E and high-radiation regions of CE-H
- “Cassettes”: multiple modules mounted on cooling plates with electronics and absorbers
- Scintillating tiles with on-tile SiPM readout in low-radiation regions of CE-H

Key Parameters:

Coverage: $1.5 < |\eta| < 3.0$

~215 tonnes per endcap

Full system maintained at -30°C

~620m² Si sensors in ~26000 modules

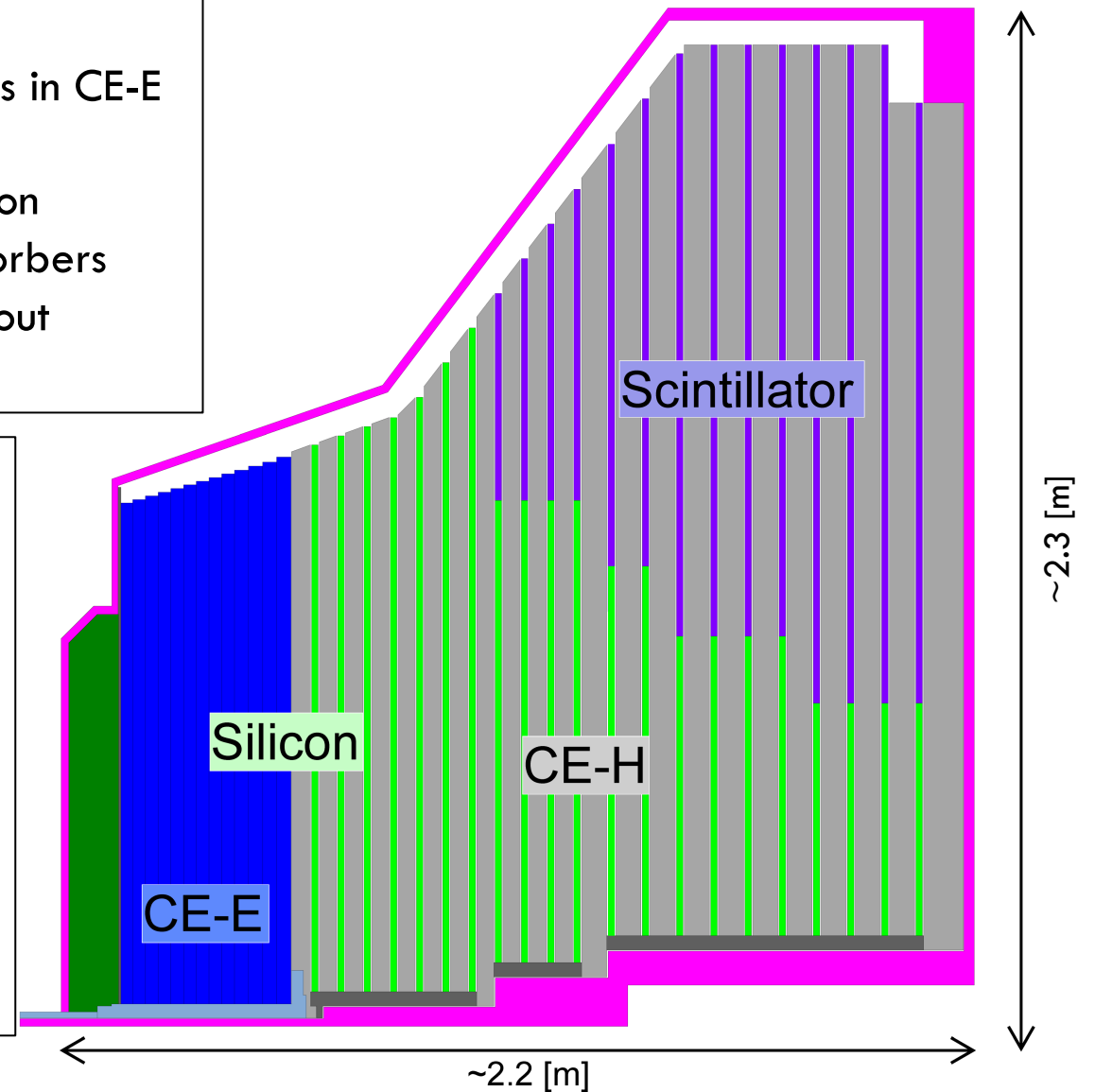
~6M Si channels, 0.6 or 1.2cm² cell size

~370m² of scintillators in ~3700 boards

~240k scint. channels, 4-30cm² cell size

Power at end of HL-LHC:

~125 kW per endcap



Electromagnetic calorimeter (**CE-E**): **Si**, Cu & CuW & Pb absorbers, 26 layers, $27.7 X_0$ & $\sim 1.5\lambda$

Hadronic calorimeter (**CE-H**): **Si** & **scintillator**, steel absorbers, 21 layers, $\sim 8.5\lambda$