### CMS HCAL from commissioning stage to physics

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### **CMS HADRON CALORIMETER (HCAL)**



- HCAL Barrel (HB) is 9 meters long, one meter thick and 6 meters in the outer diameter (1.3 < |n|) consisting of two half barrels of 18 wedges each made of brass and scintillator, with WLS readout.</li>
- The two End Caps (HE) are also made of brass and scintillator, with a diameter of 0.8 to 6.0 m. and a thickness of 1.8 meters.
- HB and HE are inside the 4-tesla solenoid ;  $\eta$ - $\phi$  segmentation 0.087 × 0.087 (near  $\eta$  = 3.0, doubled.
- The two forward calorimeters (HF) are made of quarts fibers imbedded in iron cover  $3.0 < \eta < 5.0$ .
- Central shower containment in the region  $|\eta| < 1.26$  is improved with an array of scintillators located outside the magnet in the outer barrel Hadronic calorimeter (HO).





### CMS Commissioning strategy

### on the surface

Before lowering all detectors mounted on the 15 heavy elements were commissioned using

- radioactive sources
- test beams
- cosmic rays

### in situ underground cavern

"Global" commissioning runs (using cosmics)

- Inter-synchronize combinations of sub-detectors
- Deploying larger and larger parts of detectors as infrastructure and logistics allow
- Introducing "as-built" and "as-performing" detector into simulations/analysis
- Preparing for 24/7 operation

#### milestones

•May 5-14, 2008 : Global run with ALL CMS wheels/disks w/o Tracker at zero field for one week. Collected over 30M triggers.

: Global run with ALL CMS wheels/disks with Tracker at zero field for • July 2008: one week. Cosmic run at 4 Tesla, (CMS closed and Field-on)

HCAL: muons for calibration, muon ID and isolation cut studies, cosmic ray rejection algorithms 4

### HCAL activities 2006-2008

#### 2005/2006:

- Installation and commissioning of hardware and readout electronics on the surface (SX5 assembly hall)
- Initial testing of the HCAL readout with LED and Laser systems
- Relative Calibration of all HCAL towers using radioactive source system
- Participation in MTCC (magnet test and cosmic challenge) data taking
  2007
- Lowering of detector elements into underground hall
- Installation of readout and service cables between cavern and underground service cavern
- Establishing power up sequence, timing and calibration procedures
  2008
- Full integration of HCAL with CMS system
- Monitoring of HCAL hardware (pedestals, LED)
- Participation in CMS global runs









**Surface activities** 



The CMS Magnet Test and Cosmic Challenge (MTCC Phase I and II), (CERN/LHCC 2007-011/G-129, 7 March 2007)

cosmic ray muon thru CMS with magnet on (nov 2006, cms surface hall)

Source calibration





HB/HE pre-calibration to ~ 4% HF pre-calibration to ~ 5%

#### MTCC: on the Surface Cosmic muons momentum distribution)



### **CMS Global Runs**

turning set of commissioned subsystems (HCAL, Muon, ECAL, Tracker) into fully integrated detector





## Overview of Cosmic Run at Zero Tesla (Cruzet1, May 5-14, 2008)



- Operated a substantial fraction of the experiment
  - Level-1 Trigger: all muon triggers, ECAL and HCAL coincidence mip triggers, and calibration triggers including ECAL laser pulsing
  - DAQ and HLT: 177 builder unit and 533 filter unit processors
    - High Level Trigger algorithms run, including filters to select enriched cosmic events plus prototype LHC trigger menu
    - Data streams created from HLT bits from 4 storage managers
- best ever data collected by HCAL subsystem, and in general, most interesting CMS data
- HCAL has collected over 23M good quality events with cosmic ray triggers, all Front End Devices were read out, including HCAL Barrel (HB), Endcap (HE), Outer (HO) and Forward (HF)
- Factor of 50 larger data set wrt to previous data sets (Sept 2007 March 2008)
- But at the same time, we have learnt lots of lessons
- Plenty of issues to pursue, probably more than we wished for
- next set of slides show data from Cruzet1,



#### **Examples of signals in individual HCAL towers:** pedestal subtracted ADC counts vs bunch crossing (bx) (0-9) For each trigger, HCAL is reading out information (integrated charge), for ten bunch crossings. Each bunch crossing is 25ns long.



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### DT track distributions (r43434, DT trigger, 10k events)





### Can muons survive ZeroSuppression mode



•Muon energy summed over all towers crossed by DT track (10 bx sum)

•Not corrected for angle of incidence

•No threshold on energy in HCAL (unbiased distribution) !

Caveat:

muons from pp collisions will originate from IP, They will deposit energy only one tower

cosmic ray muons have large Impact Parameter, They deposit energy in multiple towers

### Muon DT and ECAL vs HCAL: eta and phi



#### Muon Signal average (linearized adc counts/25)

#### and wire source averages (normalized at arb. scale)



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Signal (arb. Scale)

### 📥 Cosmic muons (UX5) vs Test Beam comparison (preliminary

not corrected for angle of incidence

UX5: energy defined using multiple towers, 10 bx sums

TB: energy defined using single tower, 2 bx sums



### reconstructed energies from muon trigger Cosmic runs



#### muon trigger vs Random trigger Cosmic runs



### reconstructed Jets from muon trigger Cosmic runs



## Conclusion

- HCAL Calorimeter is fully installed and commissioned
- Hcal is timed in wrt DT,RPC, CSC and ECAL during Global runs
- DT/HCAL and ECAL/HCAL phi&eta correlations are good, trigger studies still going on. All triggers will be further aligned
- HCAL calibration in situ, muon ID and isolation cut, cosmic ray rejection algorithms studies are going on







# Relative calibration of HCAL (2005/06)



- E UNIVERSIFICAL Barrel has over 33 thousand individual scintillator tiles, 2592 readout channels, or lowarely 16(in eta)x72(in phi) readout towers
  - Full readout system was calibrated using 1-4mCi Co-60 radioactive source system
  - Achieved relative calibration of all towers at the level of 3%







# HPD noise rates vs threshold and





Figure 15: HCAL trigger rates using GLOBAL\_OR of 448 HCAL Towers (~10% of detector), as a function of threshold (fC) and High Voltage on HPDs. Nominal operation voltage is 8kV. At 8kV, 10fC is equivalent to approximately 2 GeV energy. Data was taken at B=0T.

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### Example of event from phi=-52 (RM type 3) look like HPD discharges, not light leaks (events are multi-bx, multi-pixel, clustered inside HPD)

