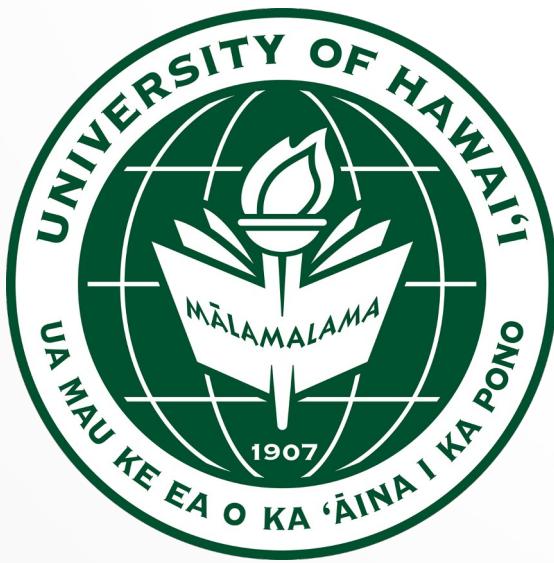


Belle II TOP detector before and after the long shutdown

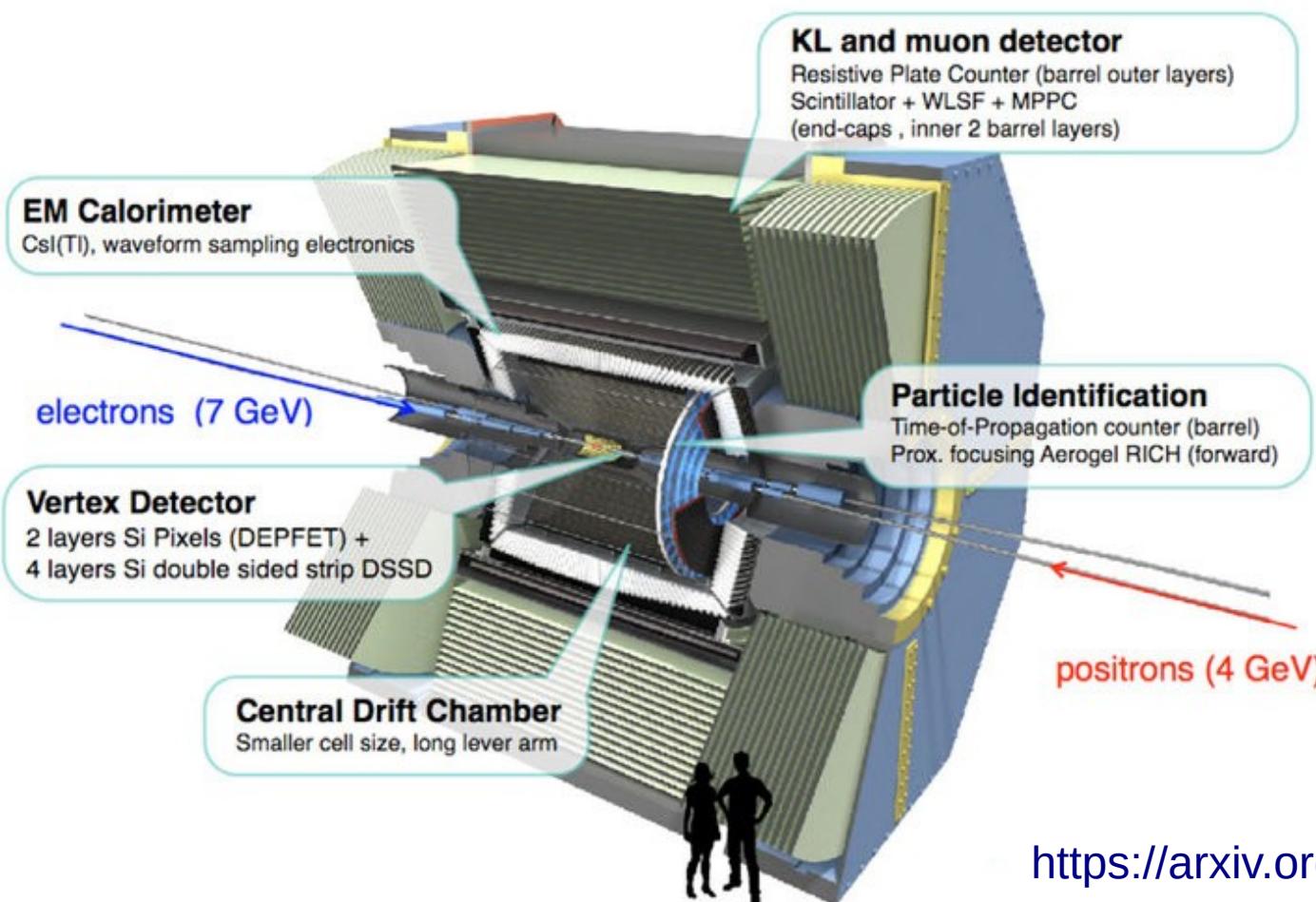


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Belle II

Pisa meeting,
May 27, 2024

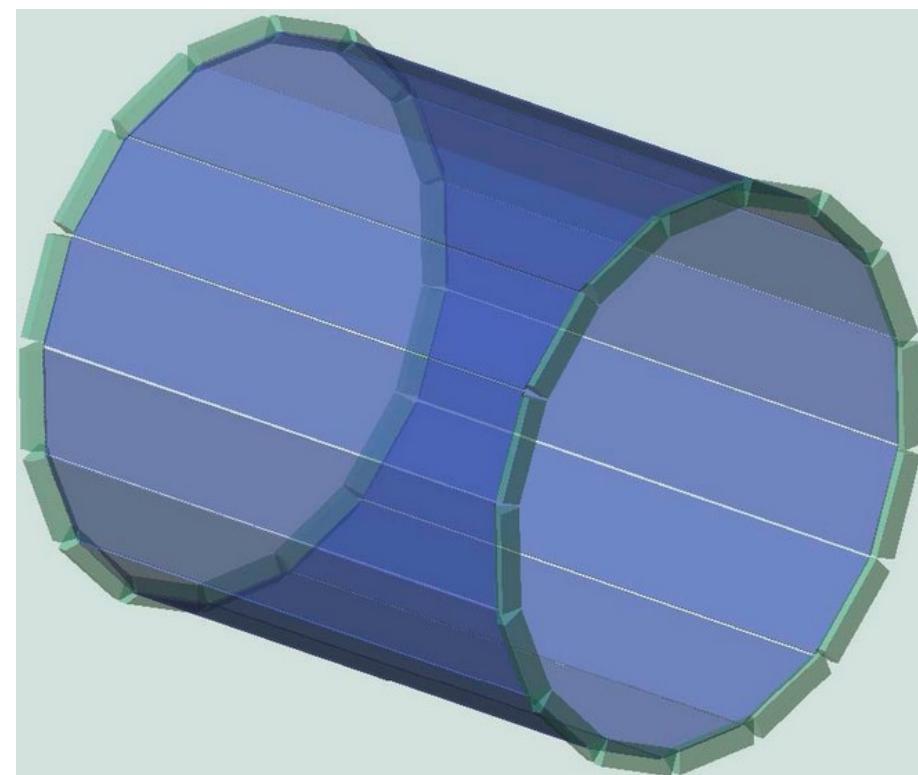
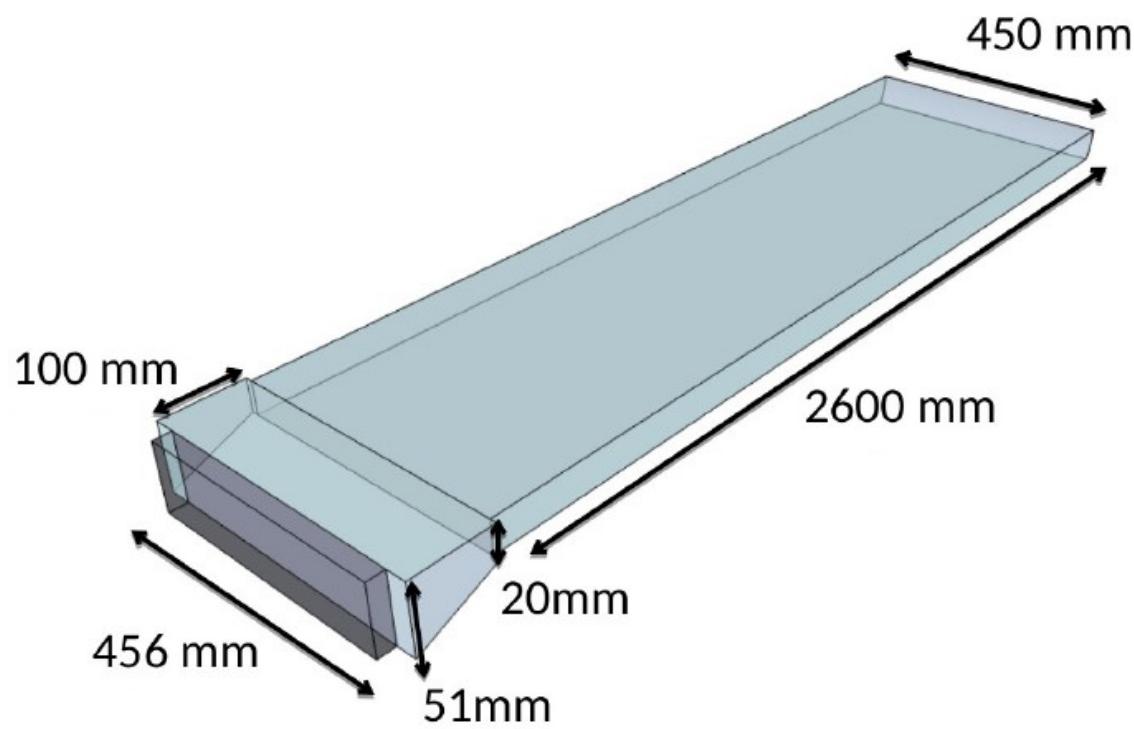
Belle II

- Detector for SuperKEKB B-factory
- Higher luminosity than KEKB: $6\text{E}35/(\text{cm}^2 \text{ s})$ and 50/ab
- More precision, 30 kHz trigger rate, larger tracking detector



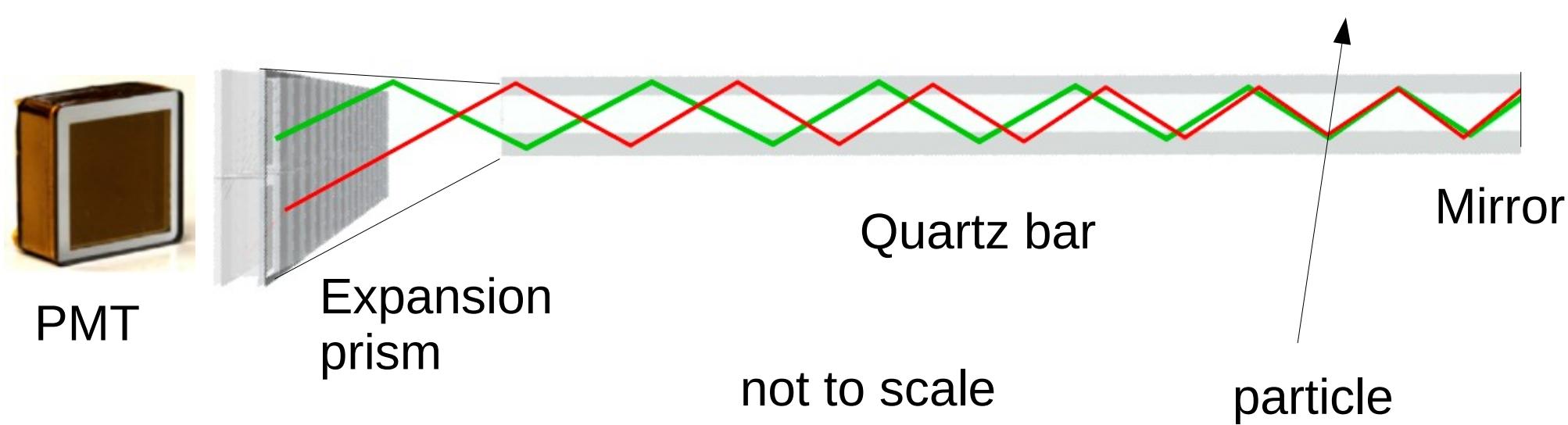
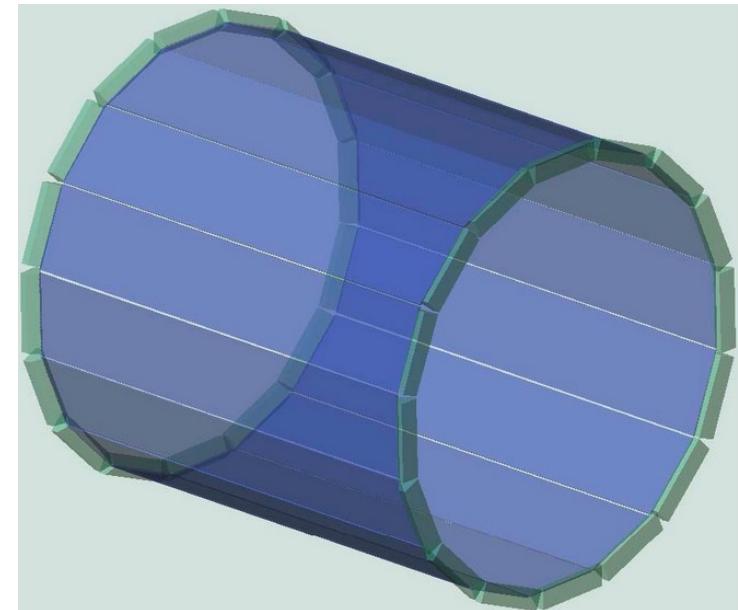
TOP

- imaging **Time-Of-Propagation** detector
- Particle identification in 2 cm
- Cherenkov detector
- Angle reconstructed from position and time of arrival
- 16 modules around interaction point



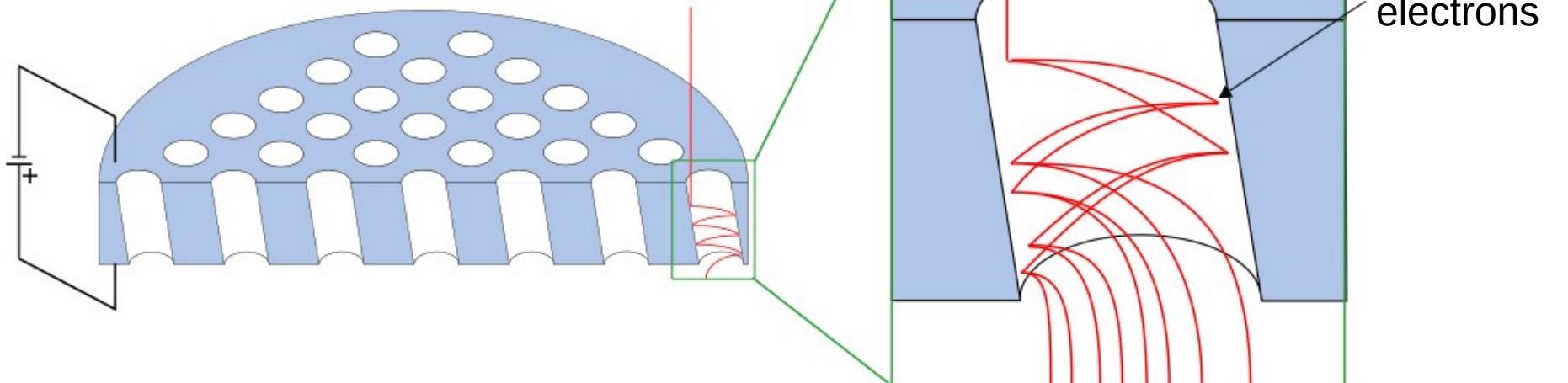
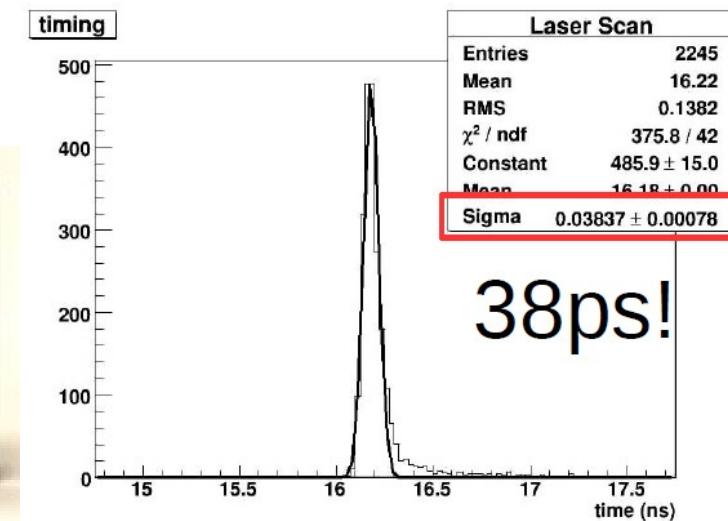
Light path

- Total internal reflection (>100 times)
- Expansion prism at backward side spatial resolution
- Mirror at forward side
- PMTs for detection
- 64x8 pixels per module



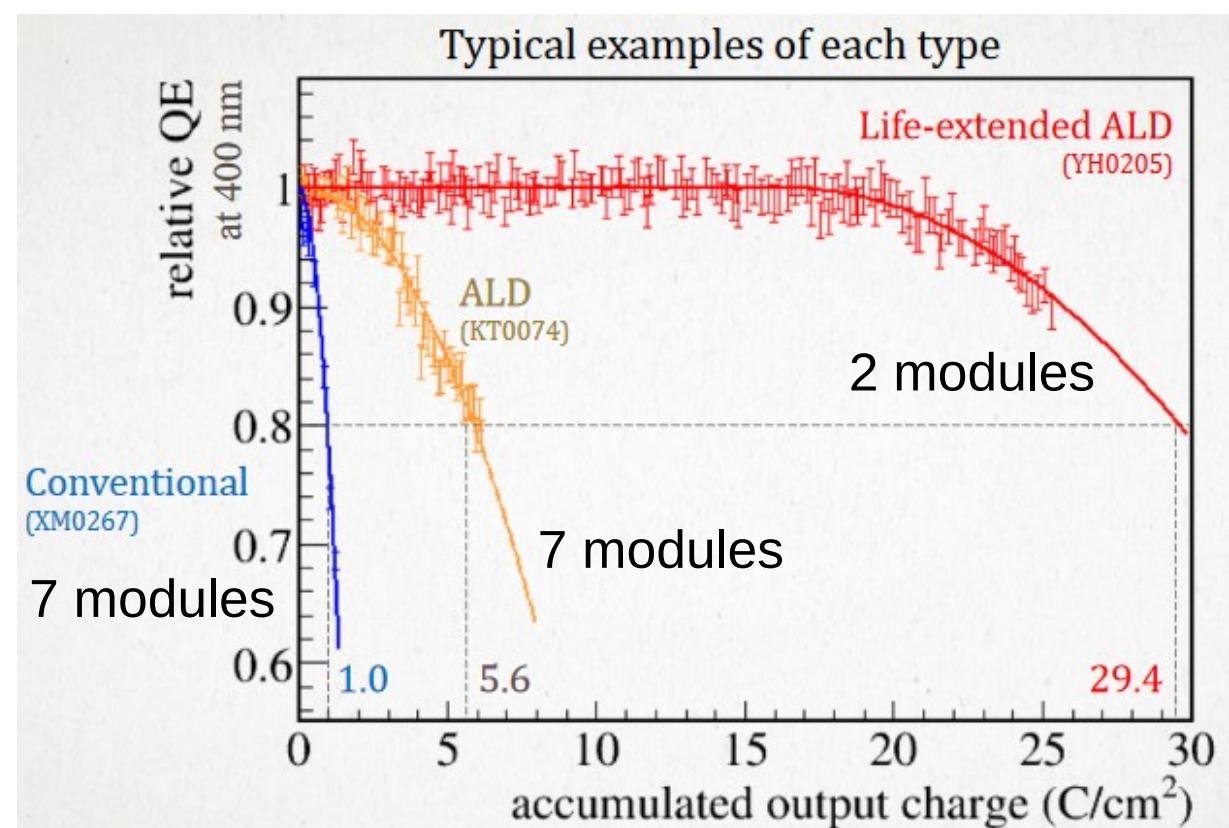
MCP-PMTs

- Microchannel plate PMTs
25 mm x 25 mm
- Single photon sensitivity
- Excellent time resolution
- 16 channels each
- Large sensitive area
- Works in magnetic field (1.5T)
- Can handle MHz hit rates per PMT



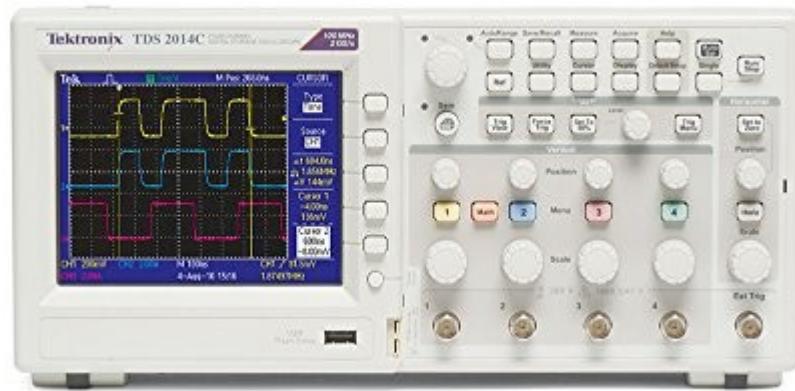
PMT lifetime

- PMTs at 3×10^5 gain accumulate several C/cm²
- Major challenge for MCP-PMTs:
Outgassing reduces efficiency
- Hamamatsu: Improvements during mass production
- Three types installed in initial detector
- Plot shows lifetime test in lab



Digitization

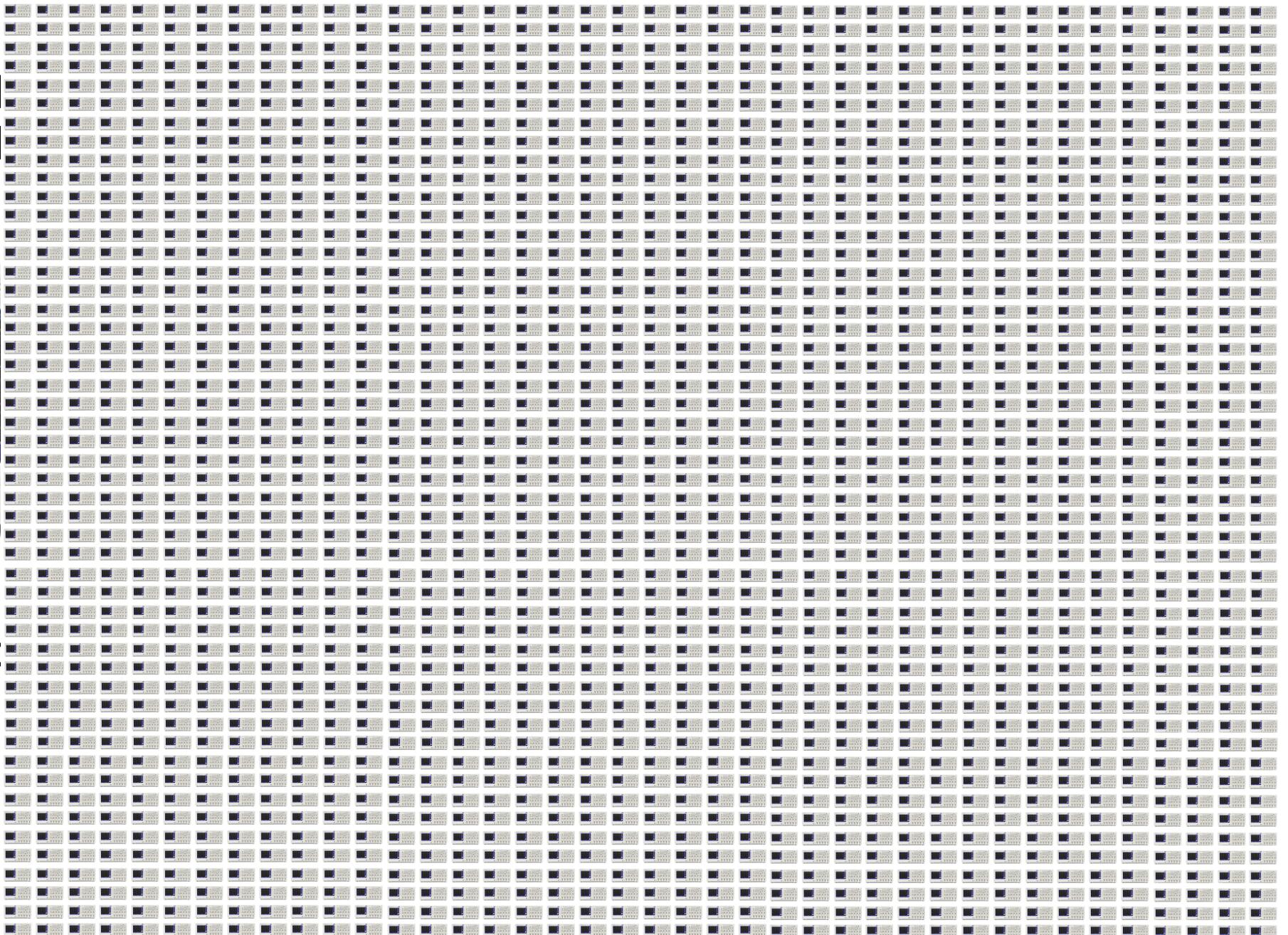
- Need ~100 ps resolution → 2.7 GSamples/s, 12 bit
- Oscilloscopes?
4 channels



- Detector: 8192 channels
multiply: 33 TB/s
- 2000 oscilloscopes?

Digitization

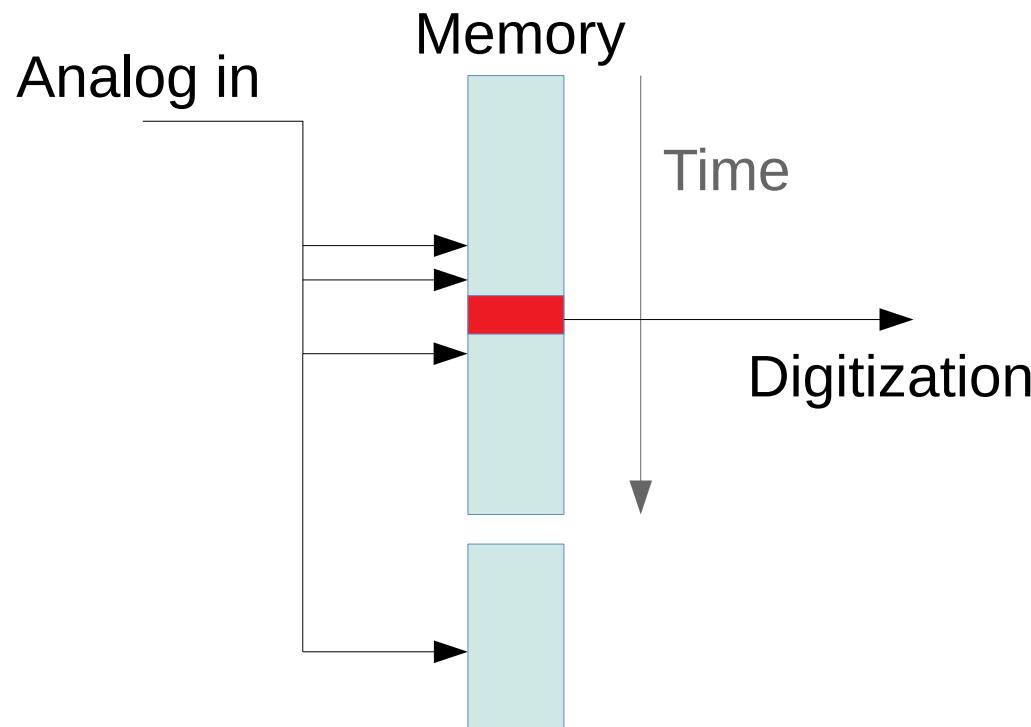
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Readout system: IRSX

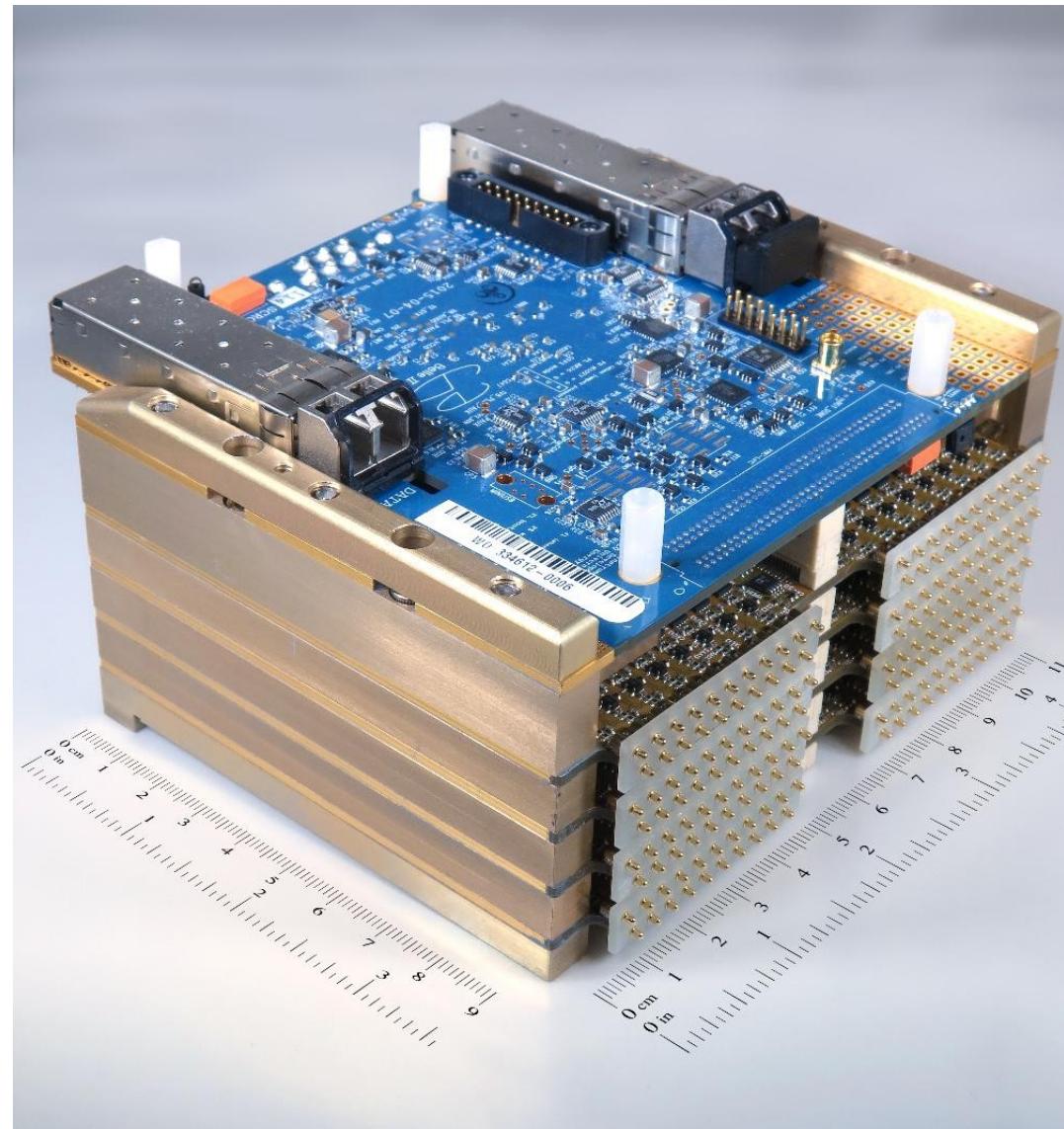
- Custom chips, 8 channels/chip
- Write continuously to analog ring buffer (10 us)
- Internal trigger
 - Flags regions of interest
 - Digitize if there is a global trigger
- Extra memory region to avoid overwriting hits

[https://arxiv.org/
abs/1804.10782](https://arxiv.org/abs/1804.10782)



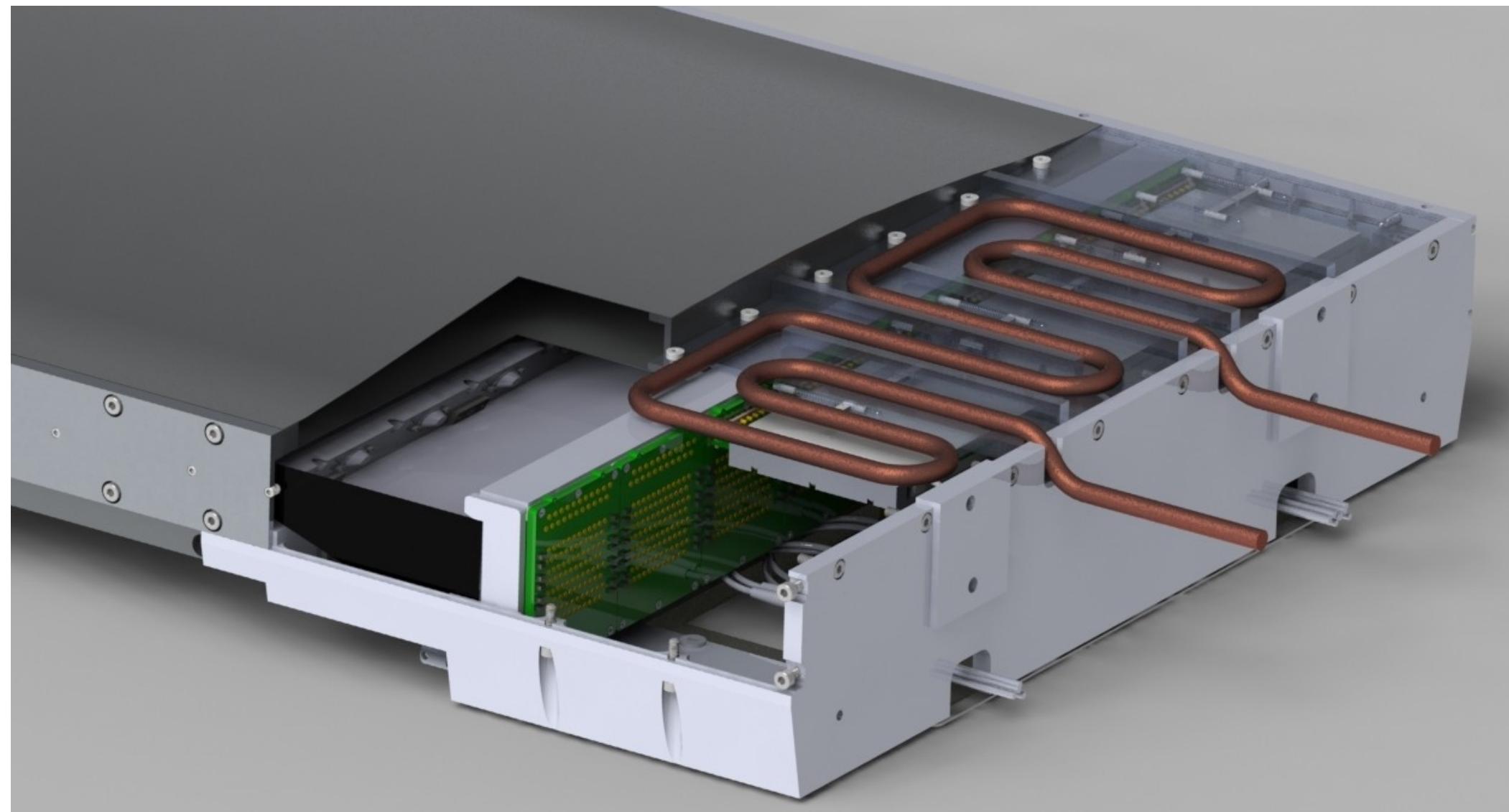
Data processing

- 8 channels per IRSX
- 4 IRSX per carrier PCB
- 4 carriers per boardstack
- Each step collects data from subsystems
- Feature extraction of digitized wave forms (50% constant fraction)
- Hits sorted to form events
- Data sent out with optical link



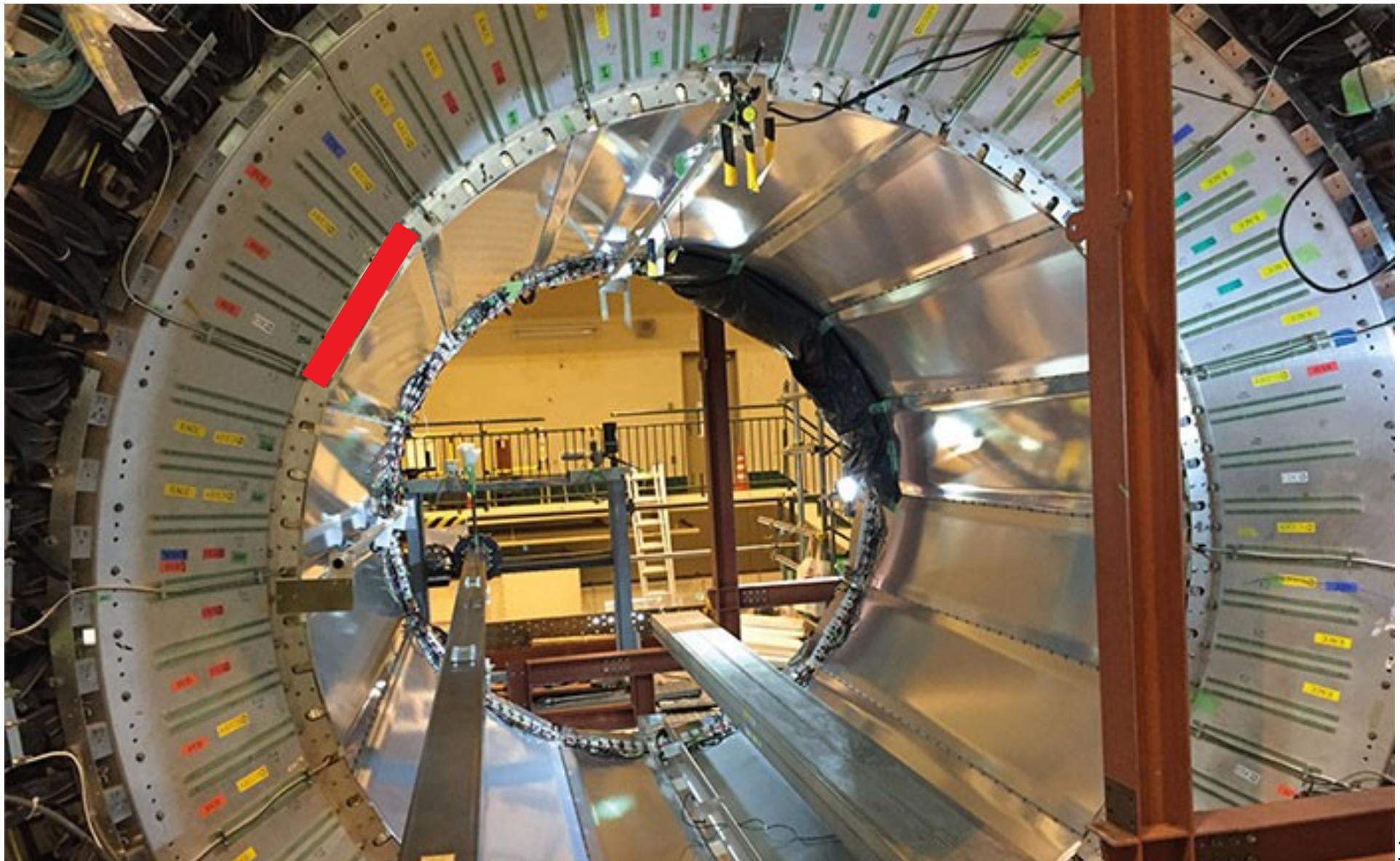
TOP module

4 boardstacks per module



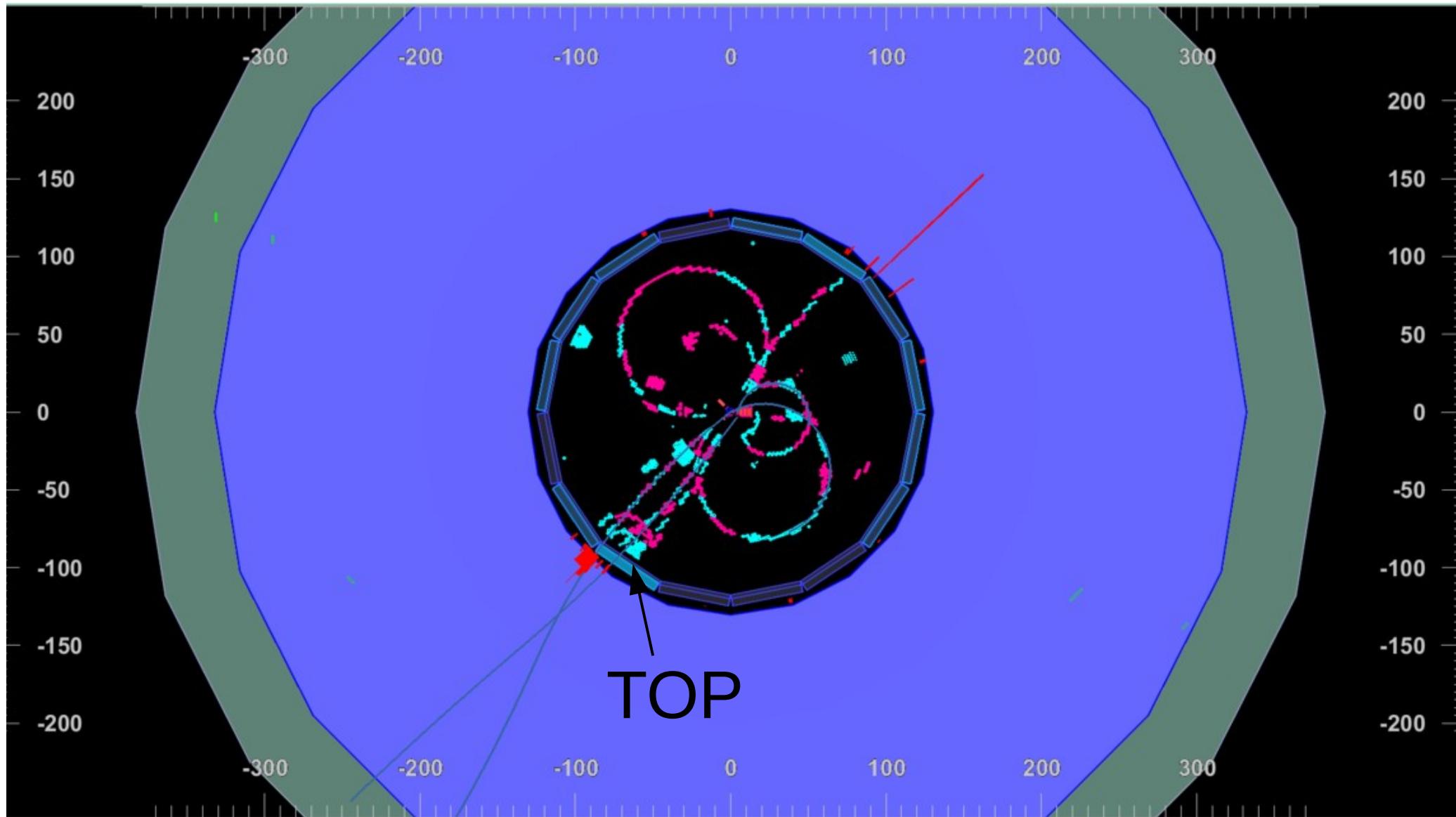
Putting it together...

16 modules



Event display

Data-taking started in 2018



Time calibration

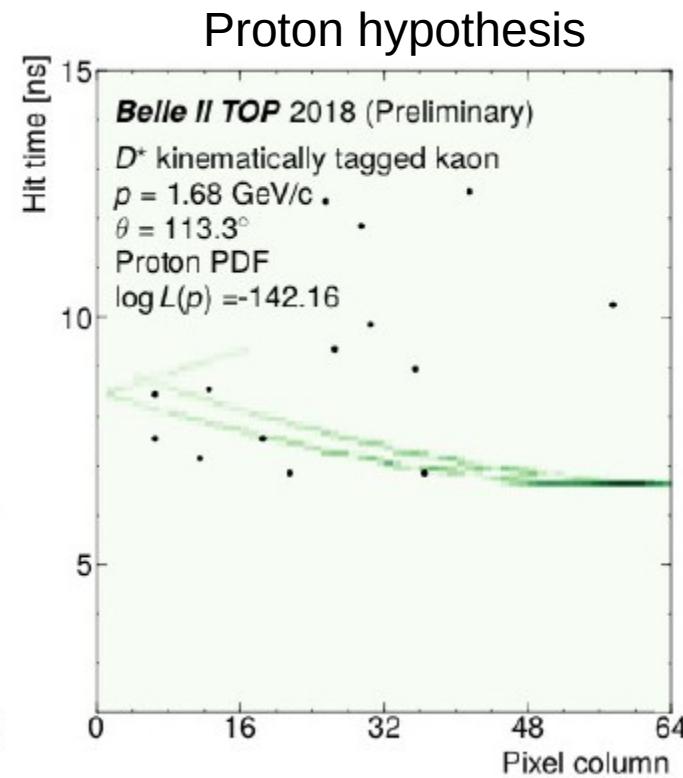
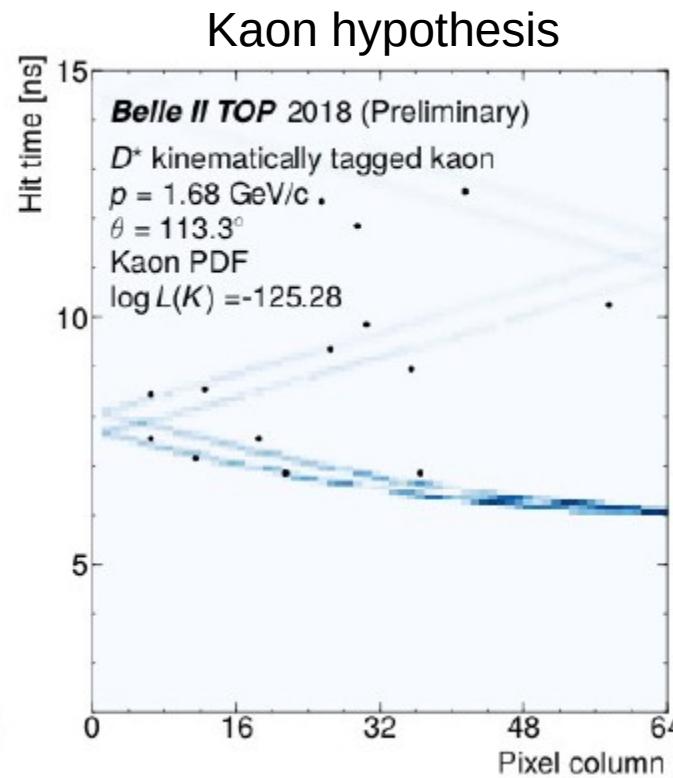
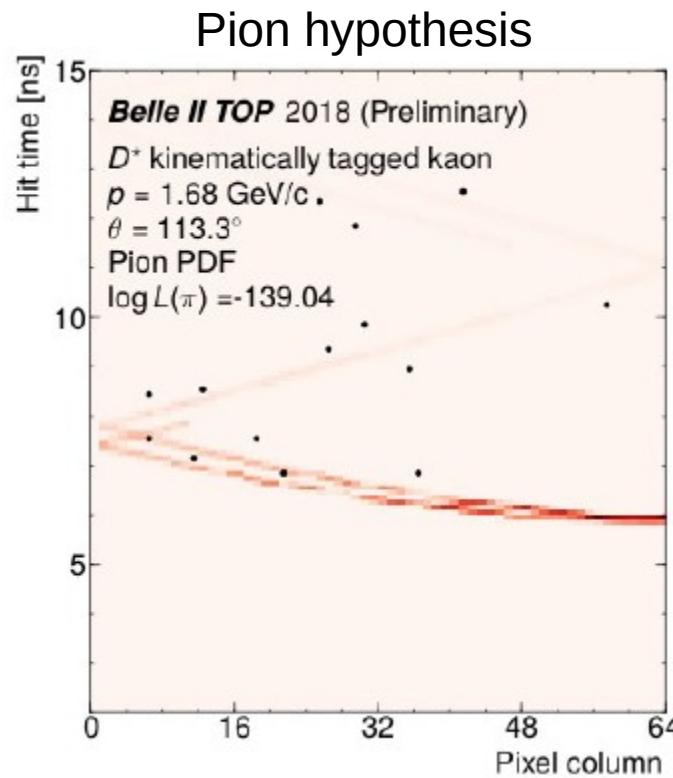
Goal: ~100 ps time resolution

Done in 4 steps:

- Within channels
 - Inject electronic pulses with known delay
- Between channels
 - Inject laser pulses in module
- Between modules
 - Cosmic muons, collision data
- Relative to collision time
 - Collision data
- Geometrical alignment
 - Cosmic muons, collision data

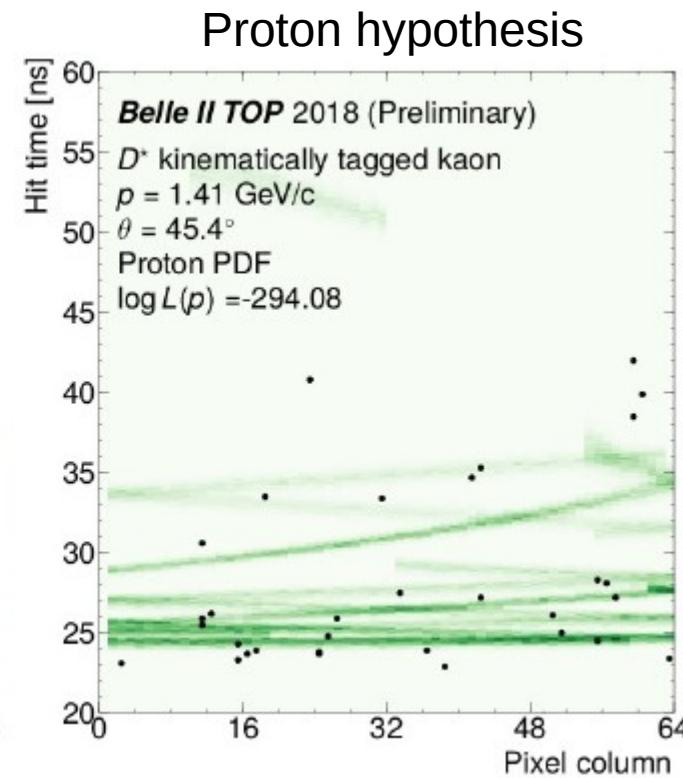
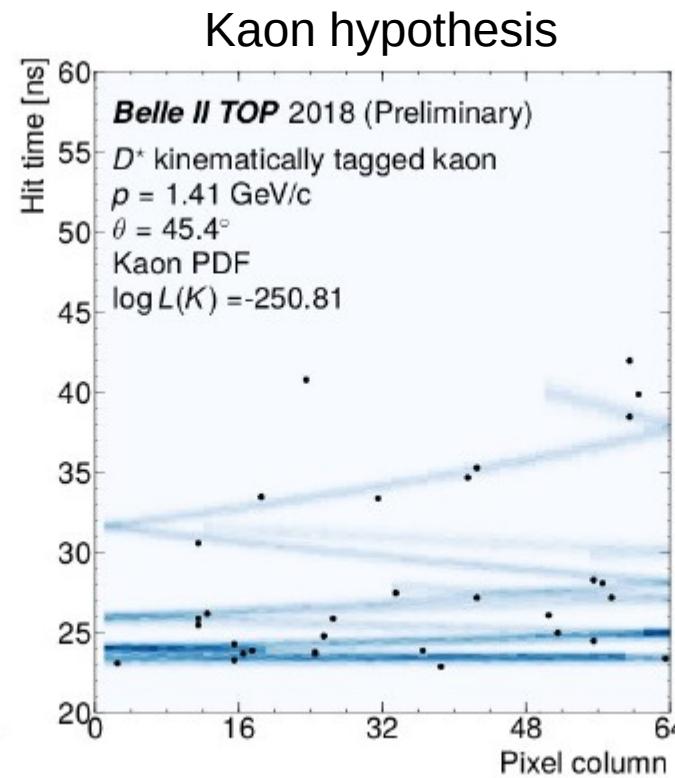
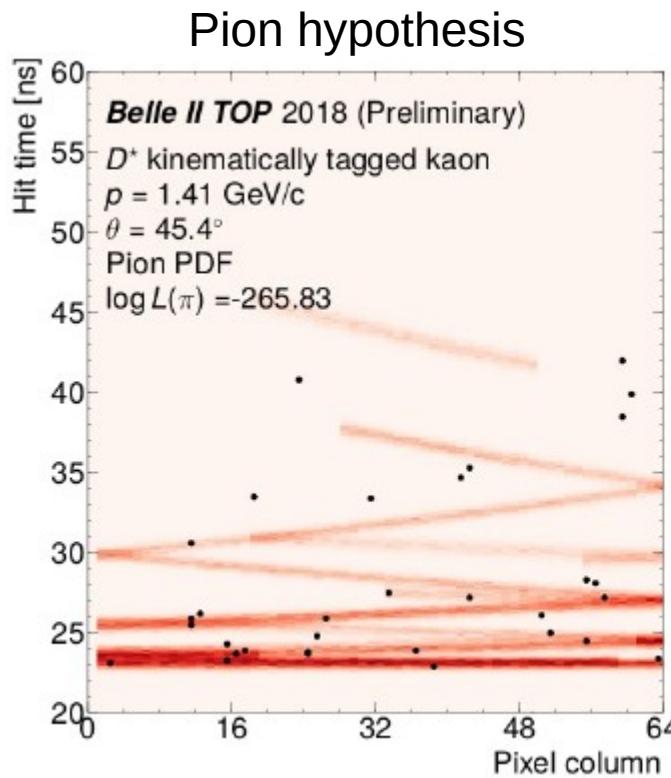
Reconstruction

- Channel: $D^{*+} \rightarrow D^0 \pi_s^+$ with $D^0 \rightarrow K^- \pi^+$
Tagging from π_s^+
- Position vs. time diagram
- Kaon flying towards prism
- PID from time of flight



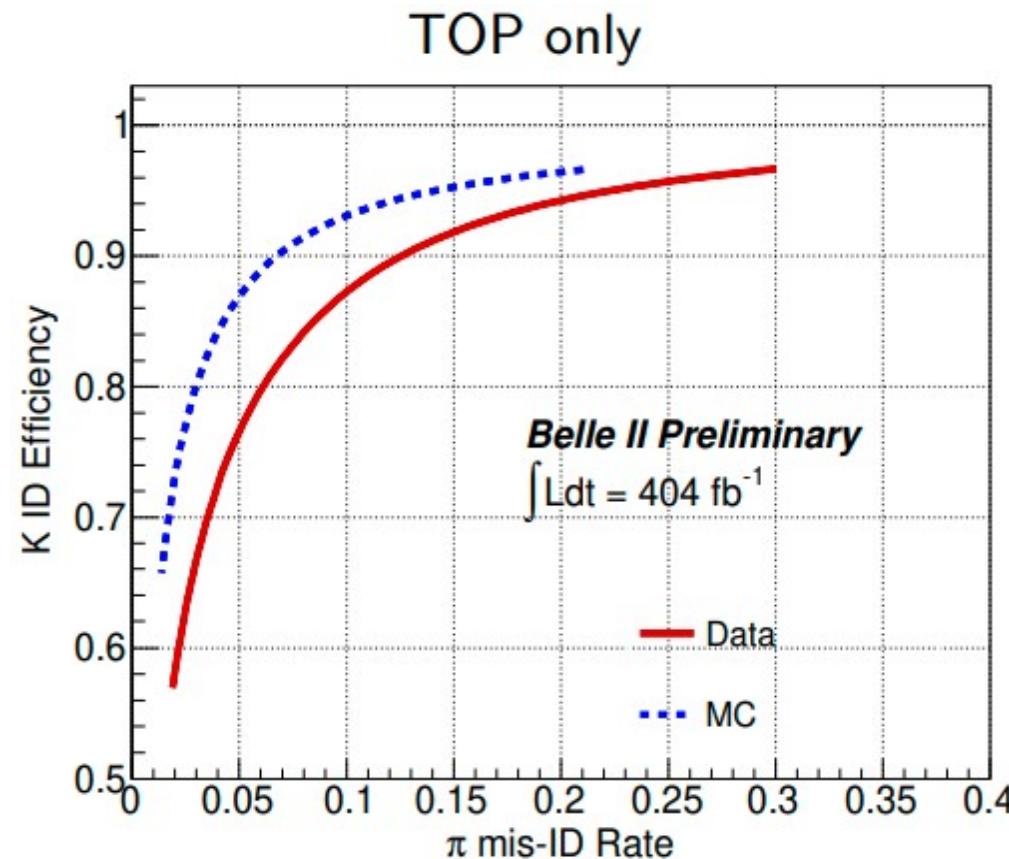
Reconstruction

- Channel: $D^{*+} \rightarrow D^0 \pi_s^+$ with $D^0 \rightarrow K^- \pi^+$
Tagging from π_s^+
- Position vs. time diagram
- Kaon flying away from prism
- PID from pattern of photons



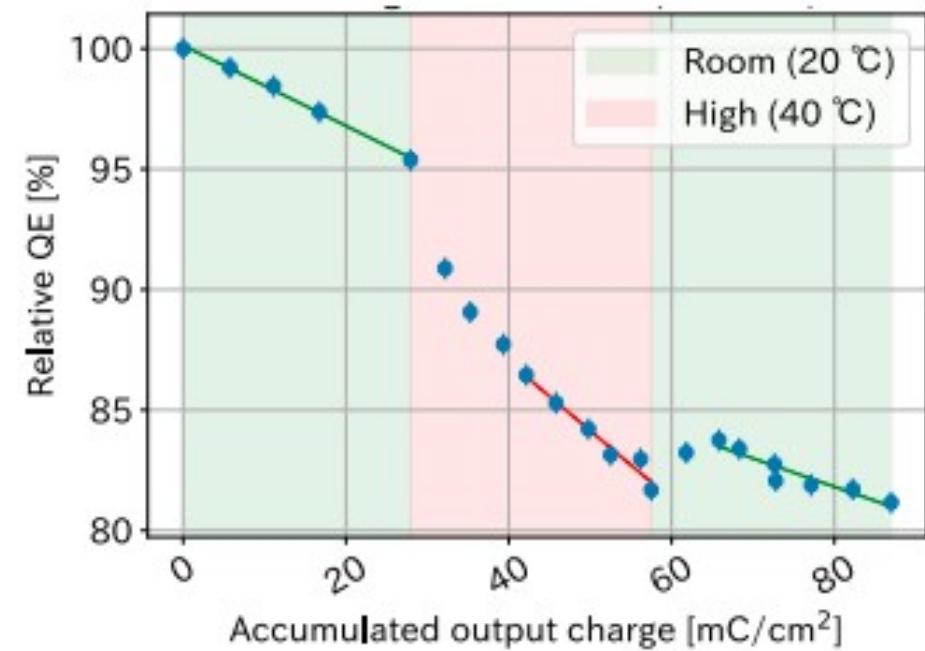
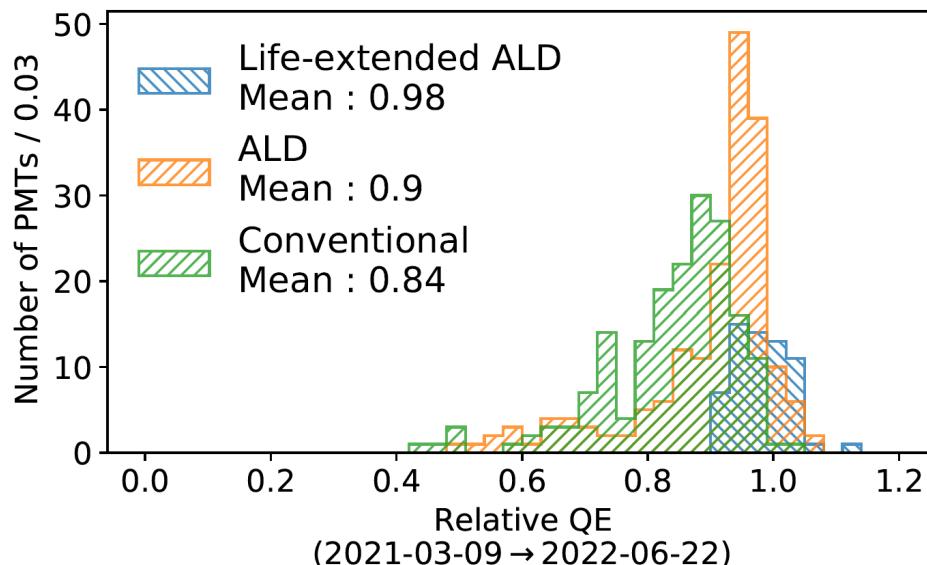
Particle identification

- TOP delivers likelihood ratios
- Combined with other subdetectors
- Selected by each analysis for their needs
- Trade-off between efficiency and mis-identification

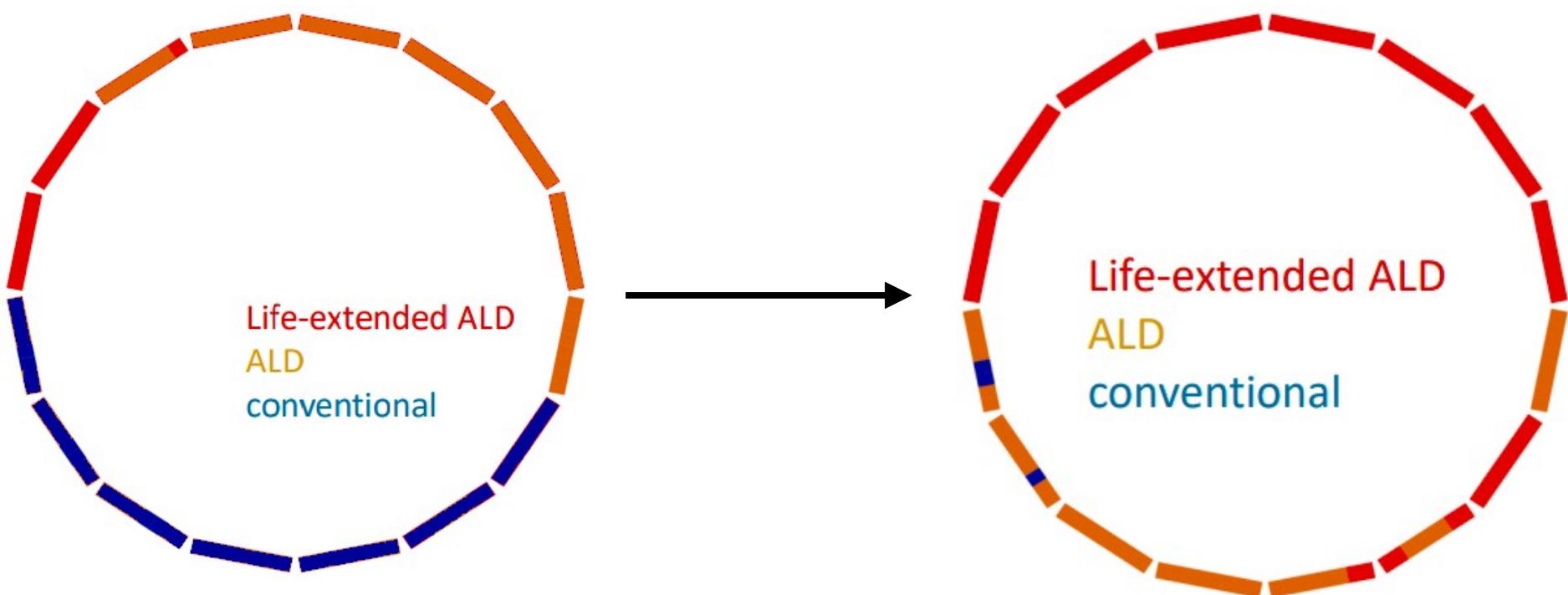


MCP-PMT lifetime

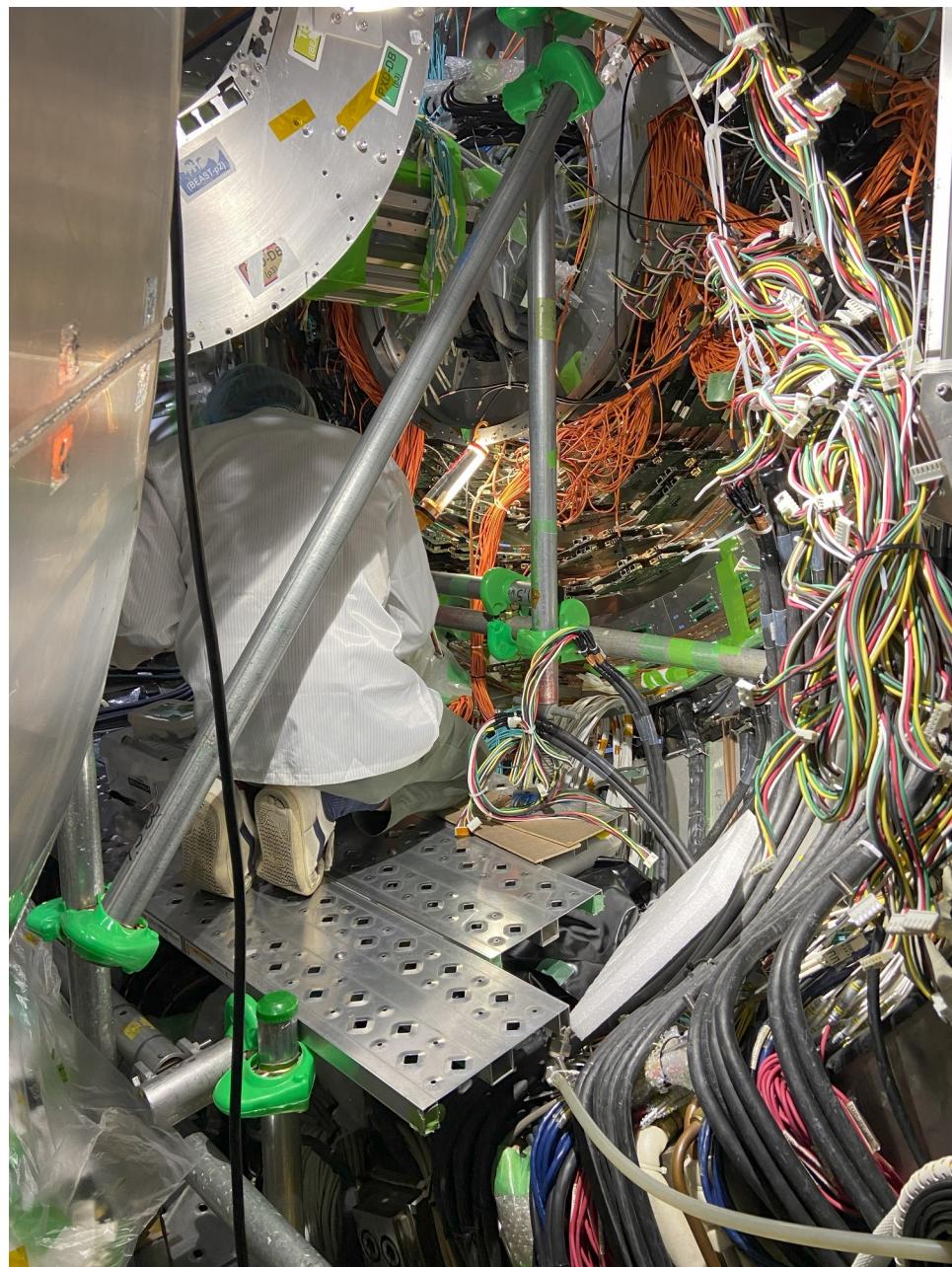
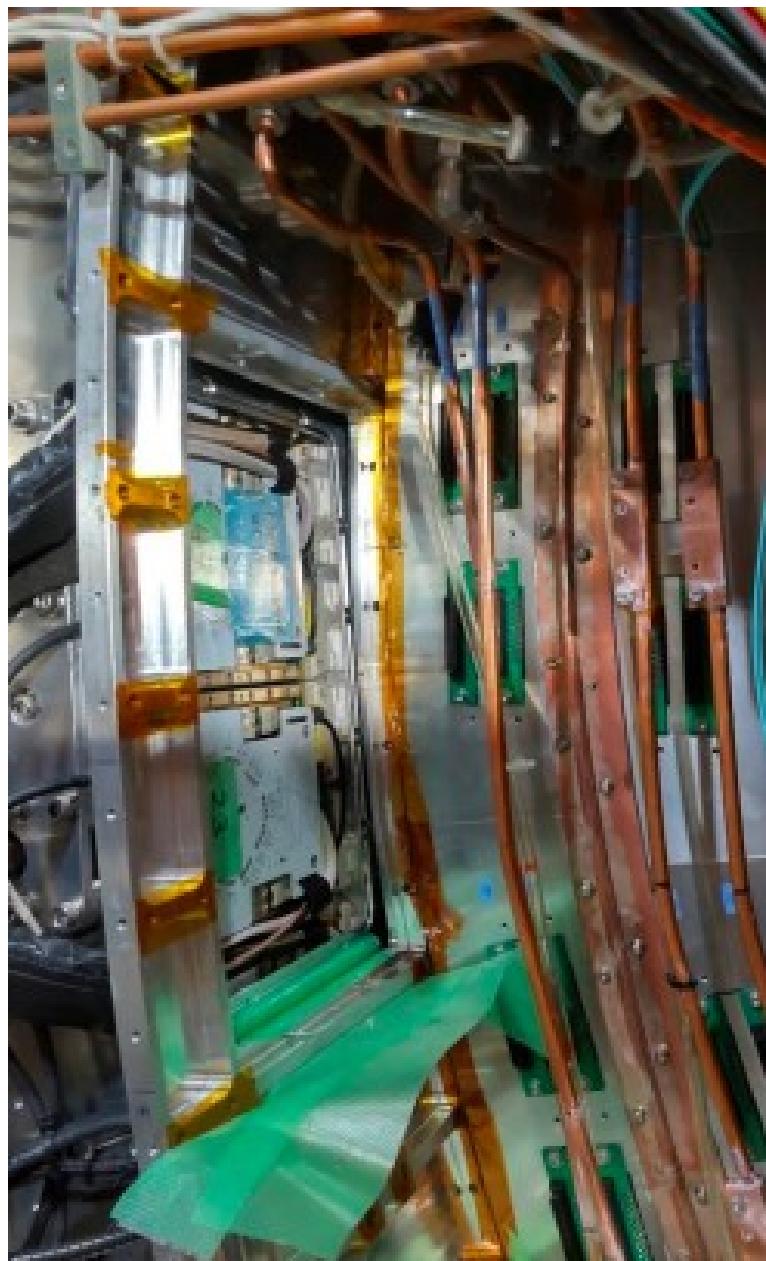
- Detector operation 2018-2022, long shutdown (LS1) 2022-2024
- $0.3\text{-}0.4 \text{ C/cm}^2$ before LS1
- Laboratory tests predicted no/minimal PMT degradation
- Efficiency drop observed in two types
 - no change in life-extended PMTs
- Cause of the difference not yet understood
 - Temperature is one contribution
 - Magnetic field?
 - Years of operation?



- Replaced oldest type with new life-extended PMTs
- Replaced damaged/faulty electronics
- Installed additional temperature sensors
- Remaining ALD PMTs to be exchanged in the future



LS1



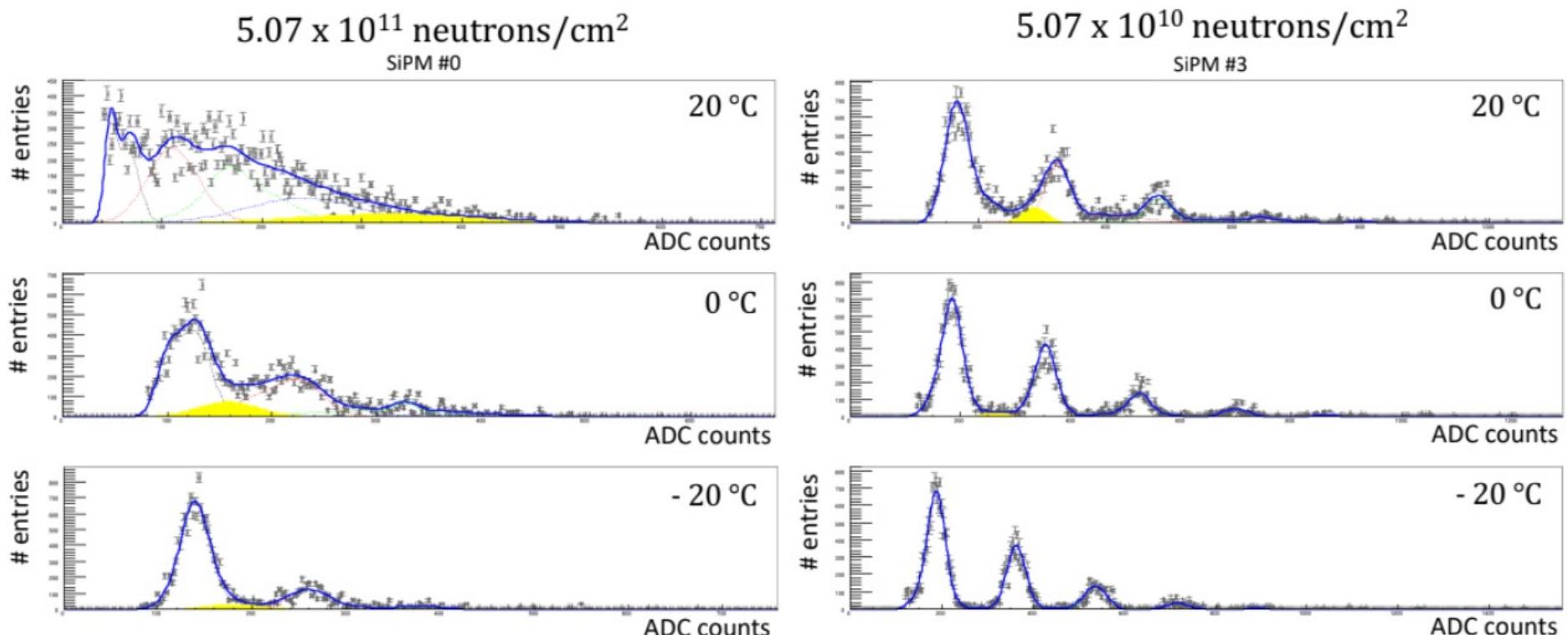
Single event upsets

- Significant neutron background in electronics
- Single event upsets can change data (negligible) or configuration
- Can cause processing system to lock up (~twice/day)
- Exclude boardstack, resume running, power cycle and include back
- Temporary loss of a few hits per track
- Small impact on runtime, tiny impact on data quality
- Plan: Move most processing to DAQ (PCIe40)



Outlook

- PMT lifetime guides future plans
- Baseline: Use life-extended ALD PMTs everywhere
- If necessary: Replace with another set in the future
- Studying lower-power electronics, cooling upgrade
- Upgrade proposal: SiPM and new electronics



Summary

- Belle II: More data, higher precision than Belle
- TOP: New detector type for particle identification
 Imaging + Time Of Propagation
- Excellent time resolution for single photons at high rate
- Particle identification in barrel region

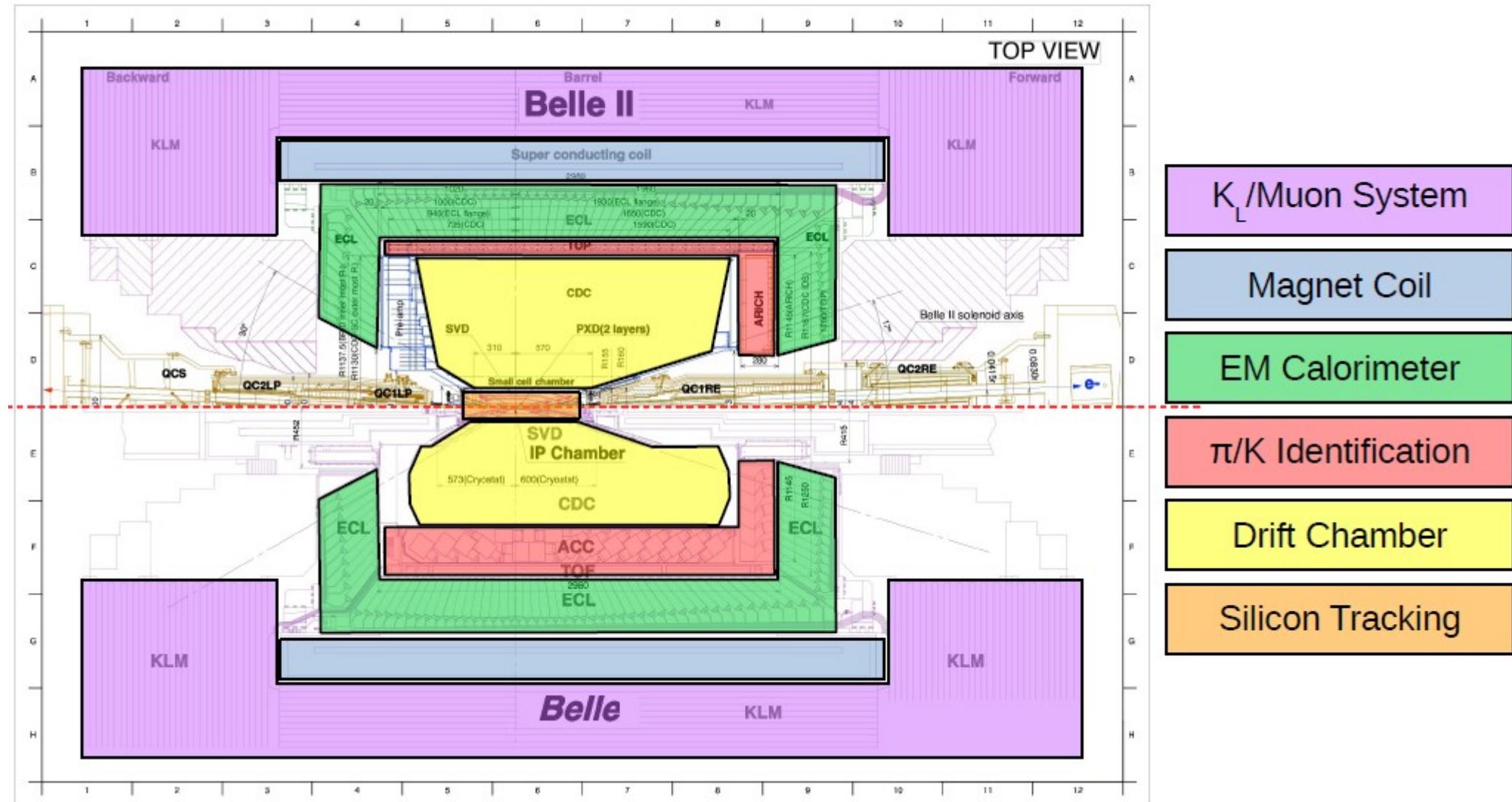
- MCP-PMT lifetime shorter than expected
- Replaced some PMTs and electronics in LS1

- Studying upgrade concepts

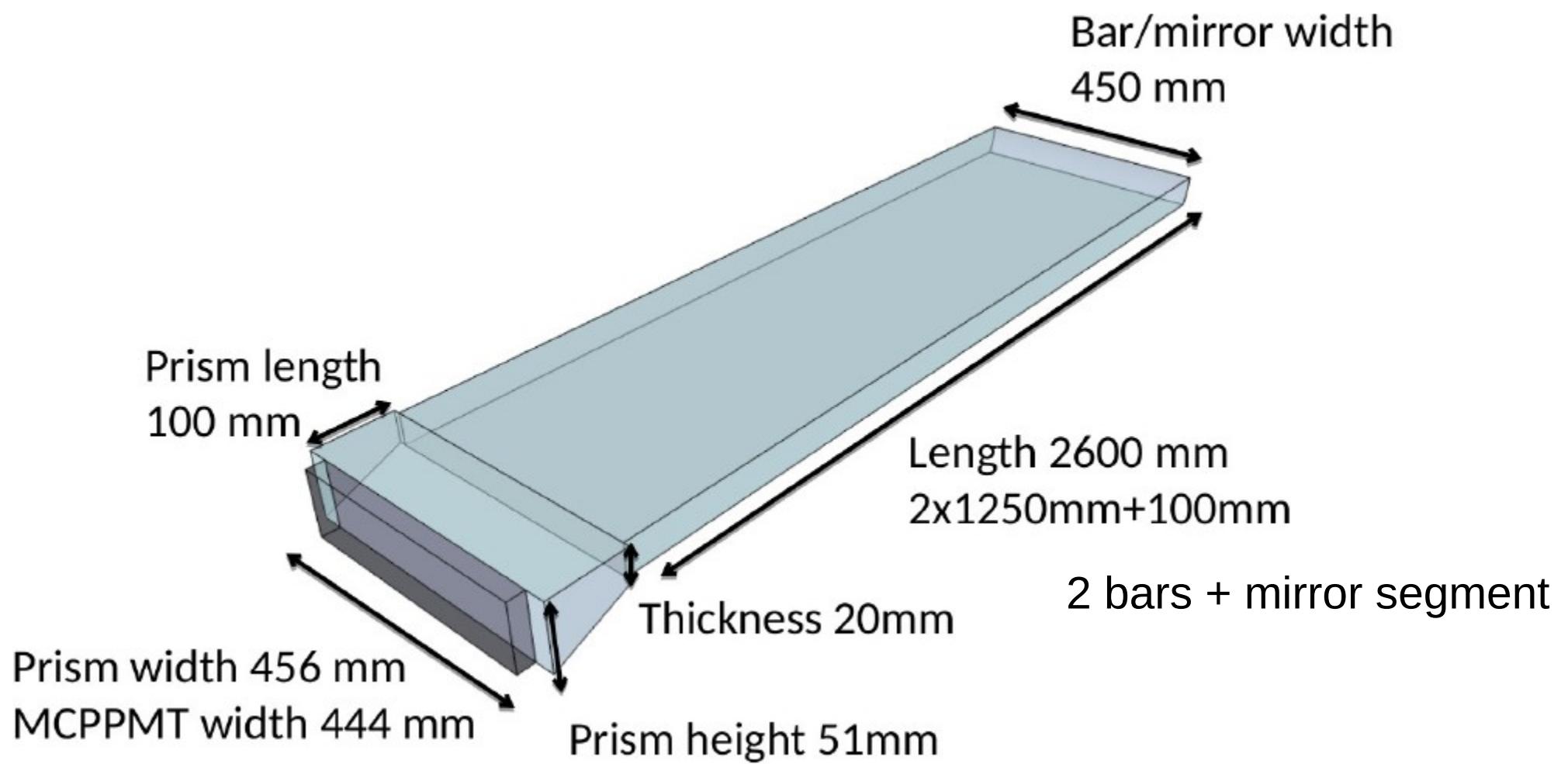


Backup slides

Belle II vs. Belle



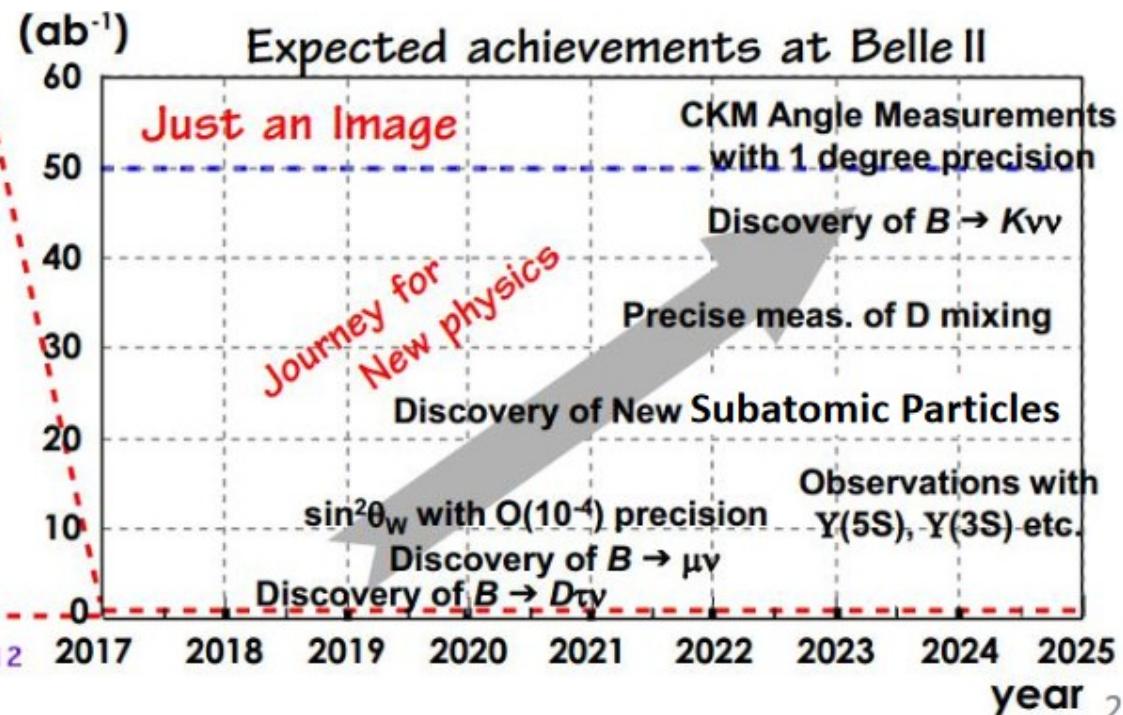
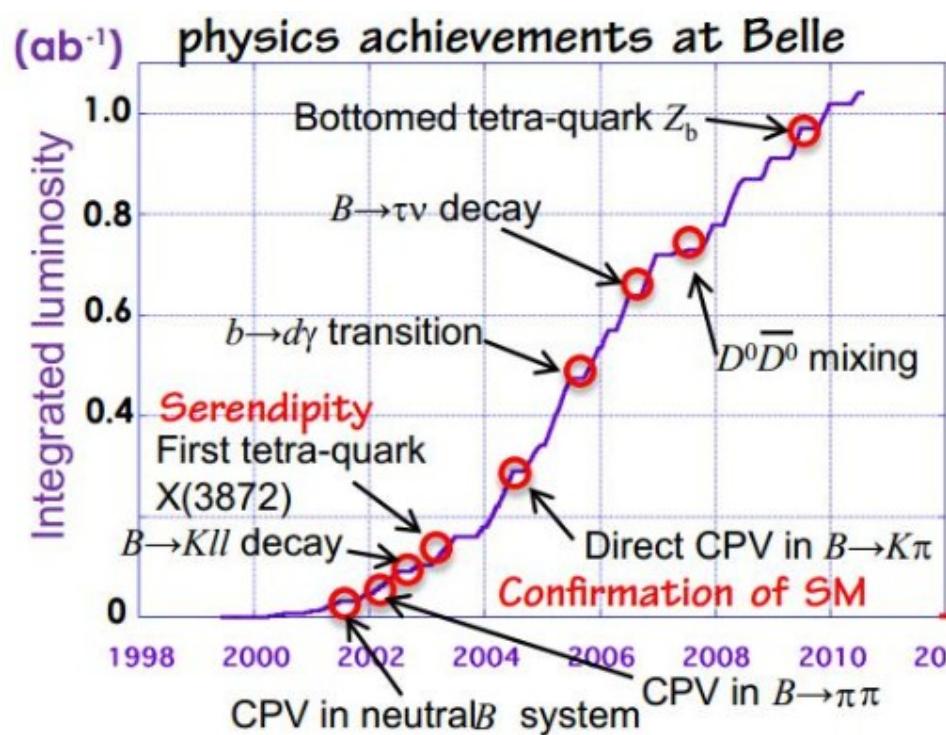
Quartz bar



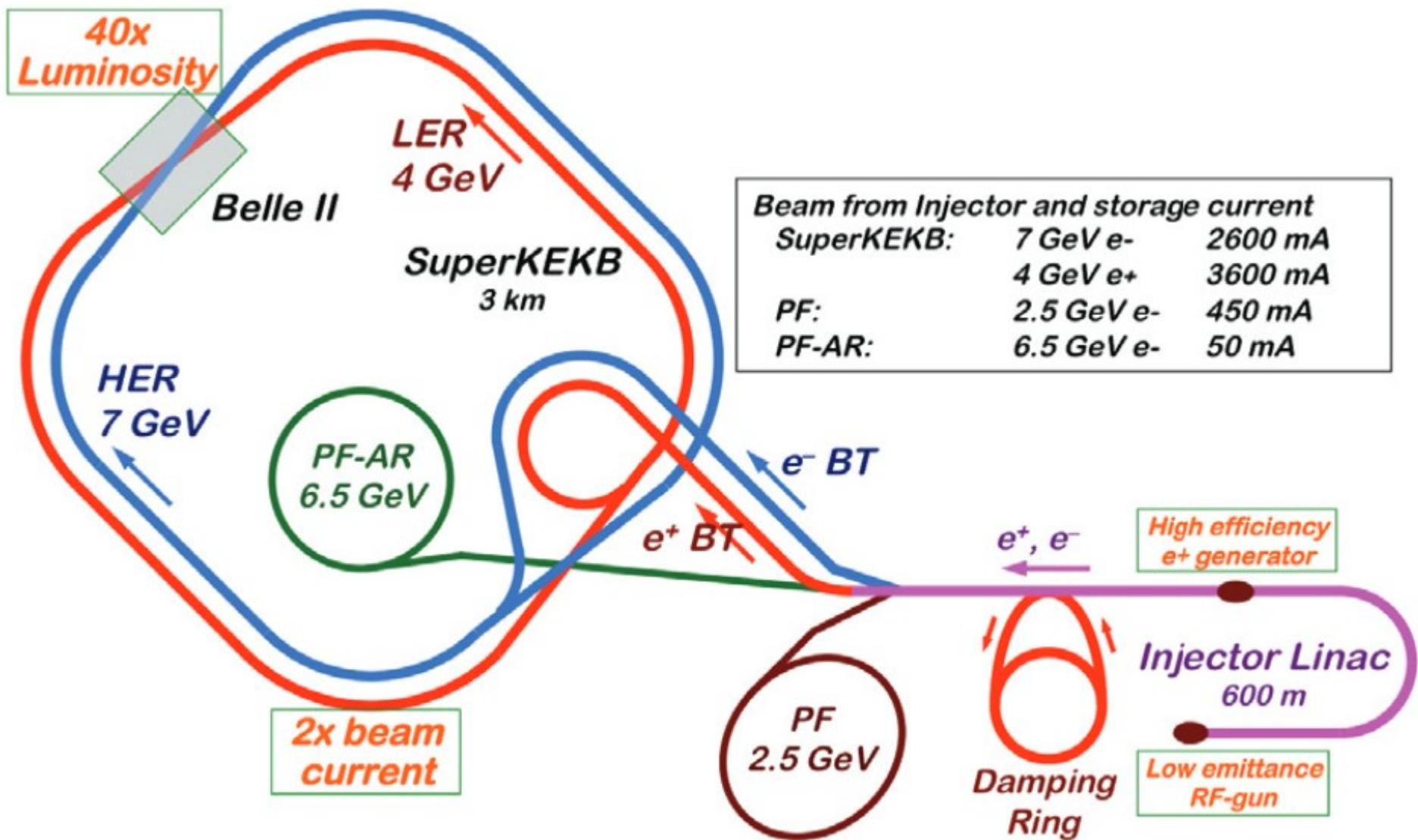
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Comparison: Belle timeline

Hua YE, “Belle & Belle II Activities”, 2016

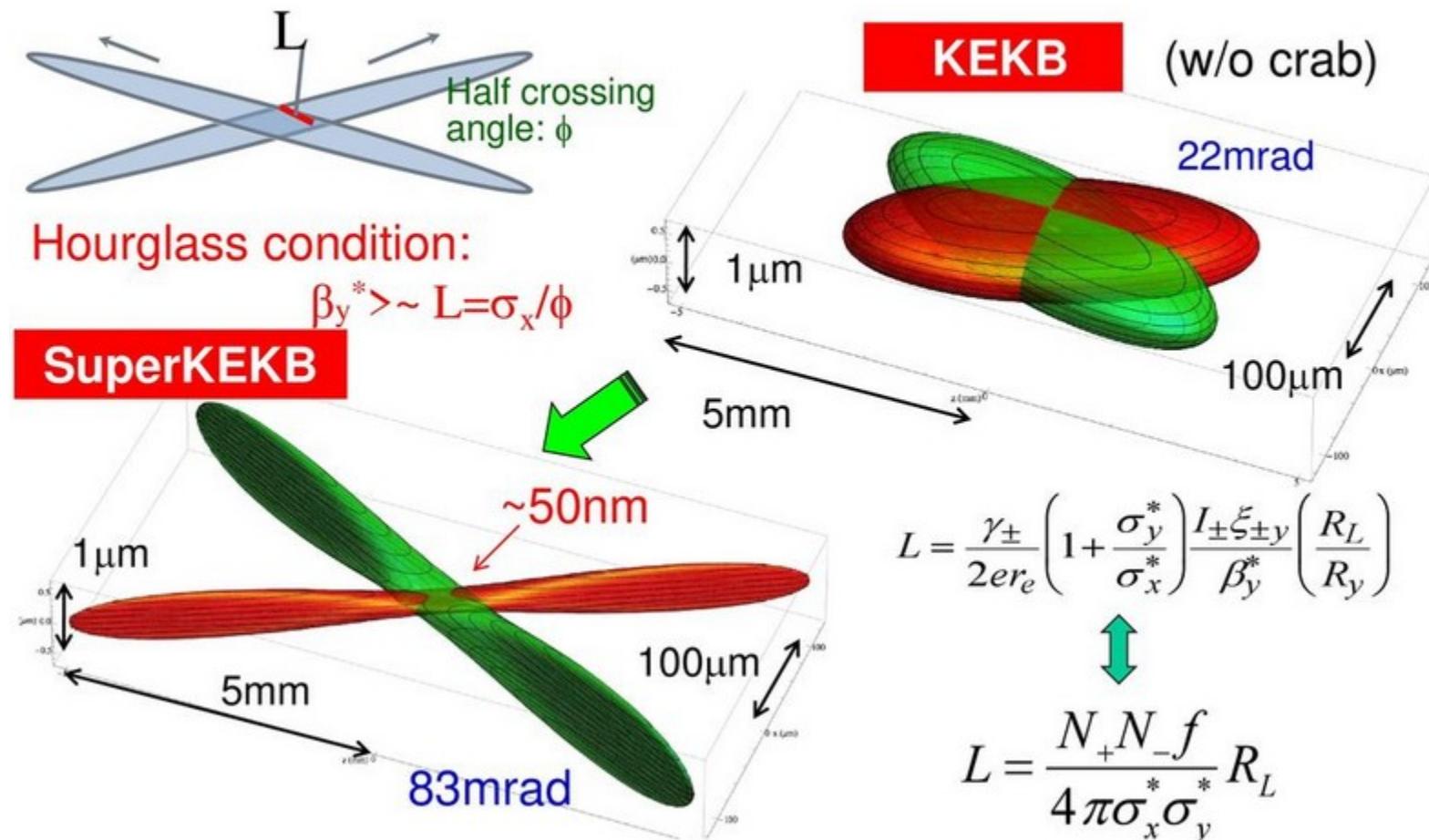


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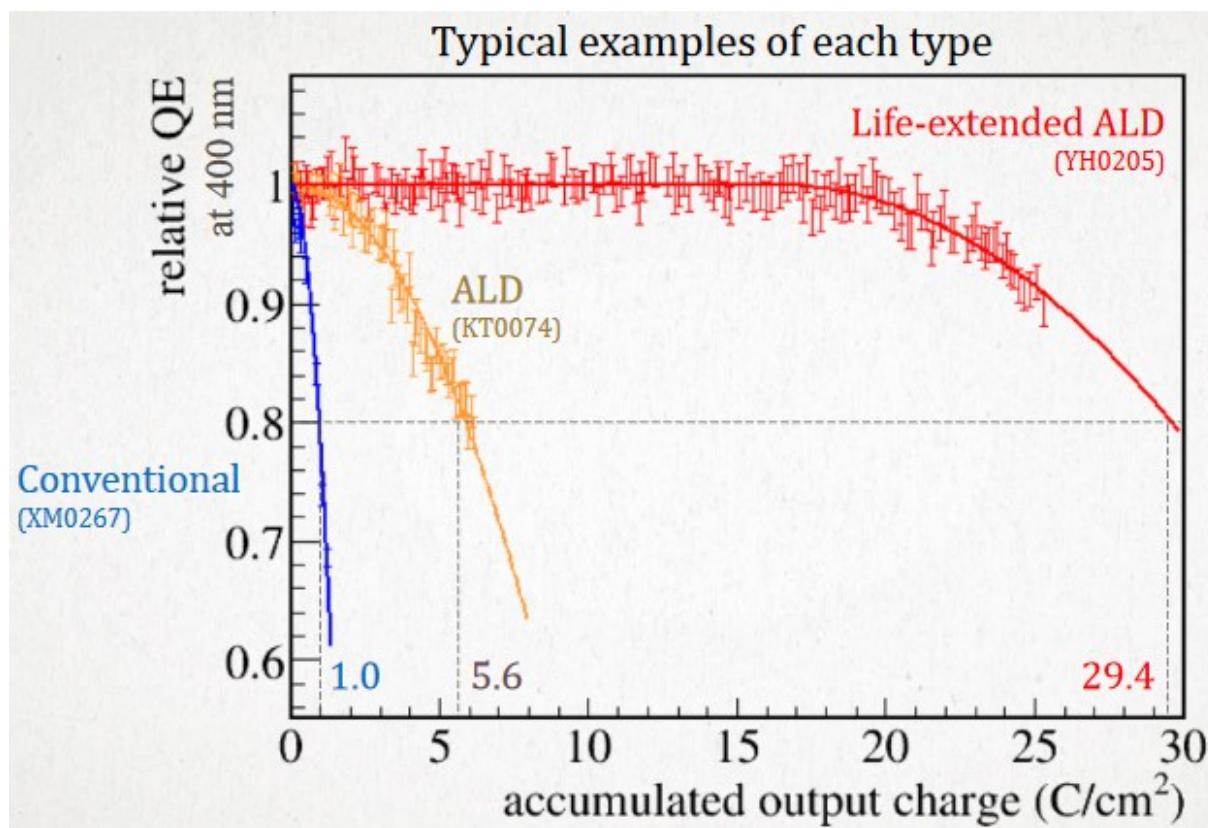
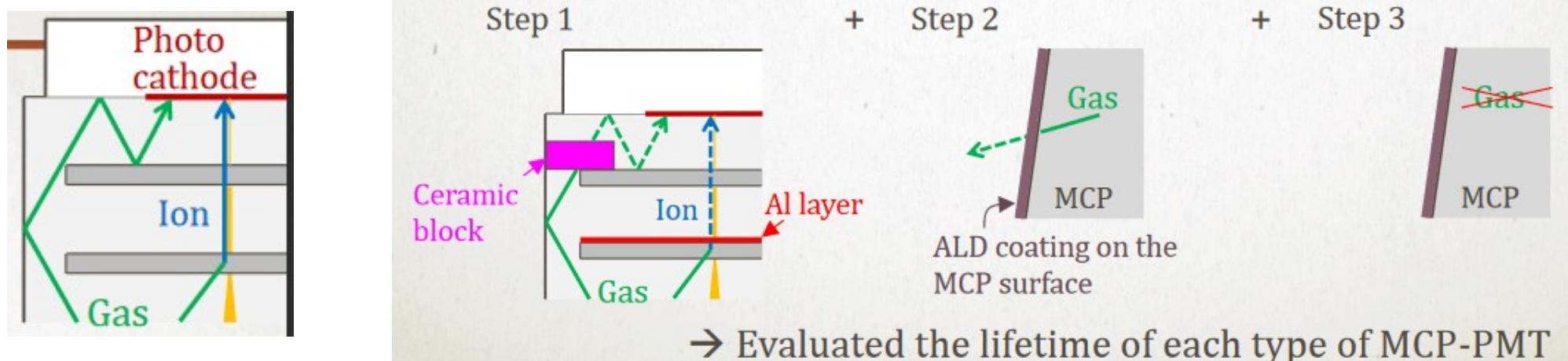
SuperKEKB collisions

Nano-beam scheme

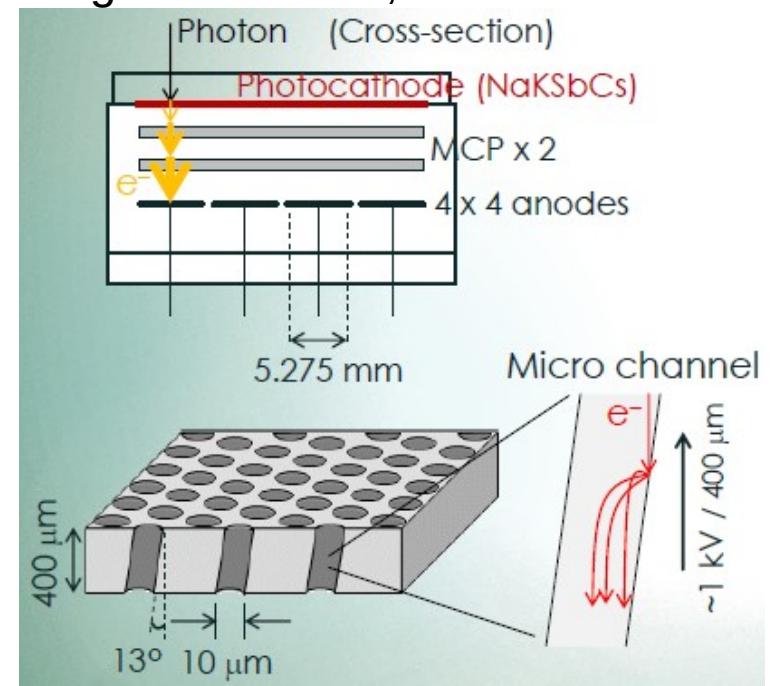


See poster by Luka Šantelj:
“Measurements of Beam Backgrounds at SuperKEKB”

MCP PMT lifetime



Kodai Matsuoka, "Improvement of the MCP-PMT performance under a high count rate", TIPP 2017



Endcap PID: ARICH

