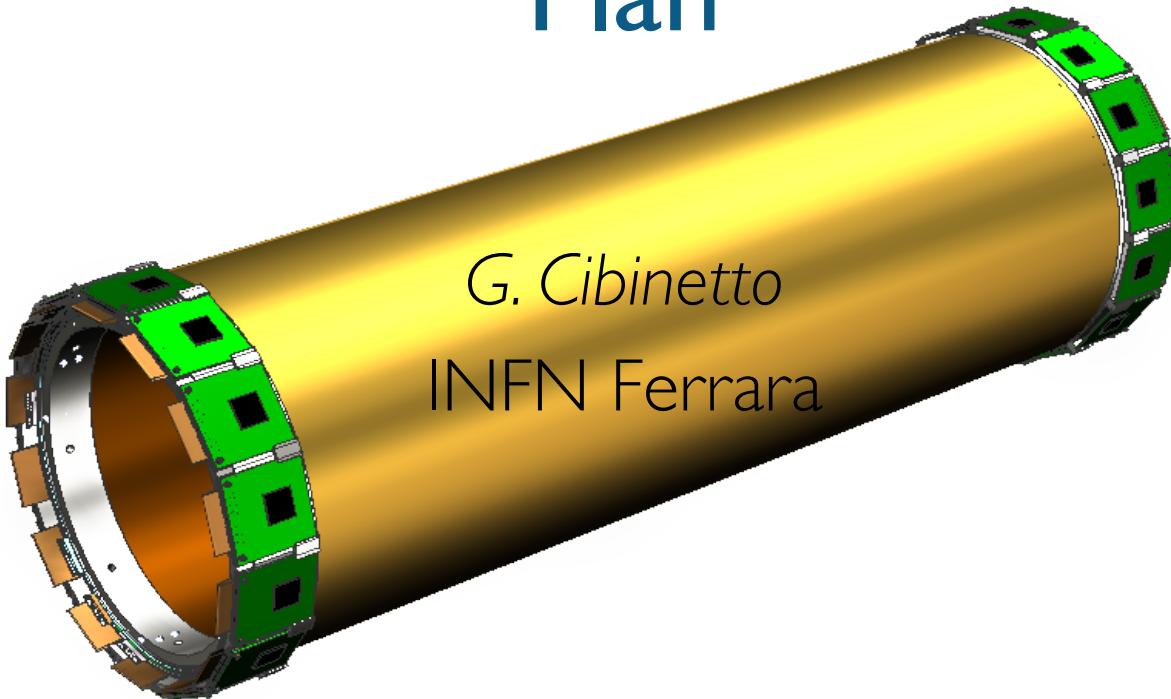




# Few words about the Beam Test Plan



# Outline

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- Why
- What
- Where
- How
- When
- Who



# Why

# Purpose of beam test(s)

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- Validate GEM analog readout in magnetic field.
- Validate Garfield simulation and extract useful information for hit digitization.
- Validate the BESIII anode.

# What

# Some possible measurements to perform

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- Spatial resolution as function of the magnetic field
- Cluster size as function of the magnetic field
- Perform the same measurements at different gain
- Other measurements:
  - efficiency
  - different gas mixture

# Where

# RD51 common test beam infrastructure at H4 CERN beam line

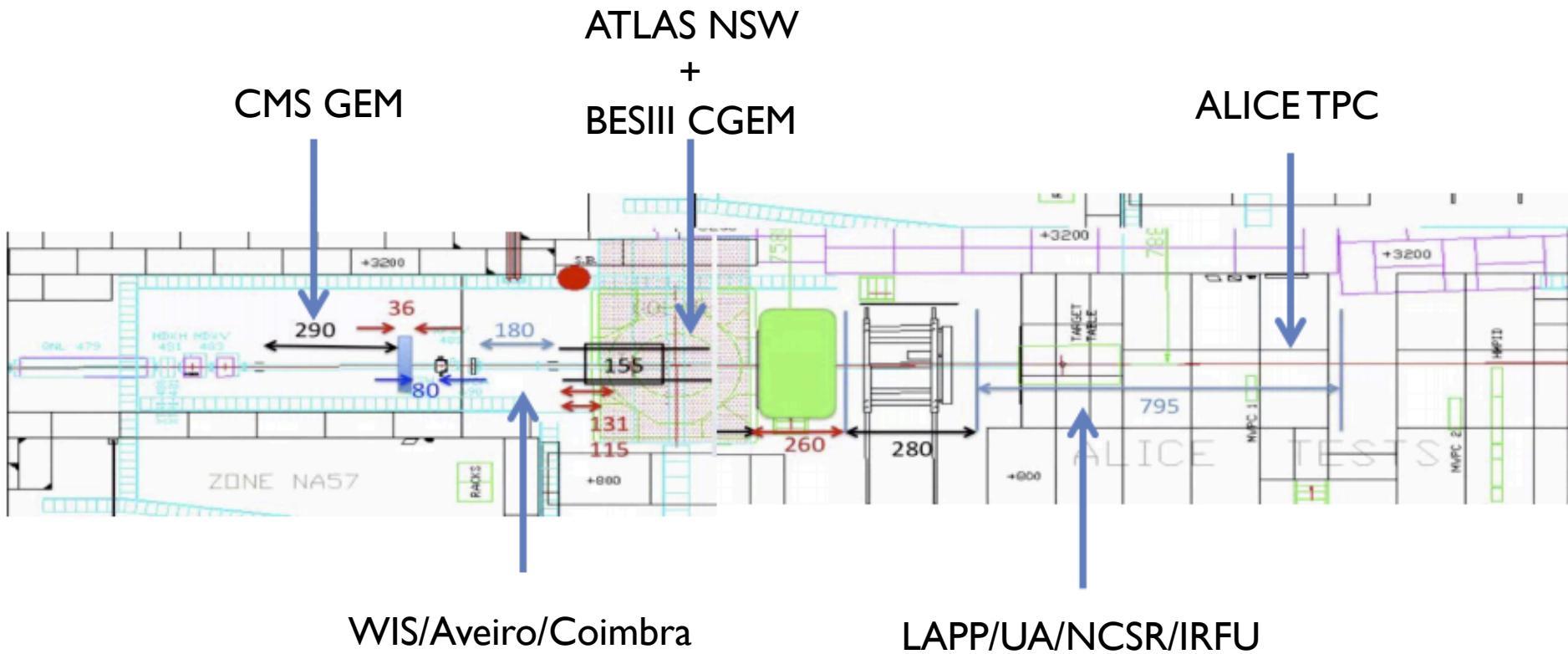
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- In H4 beam line, used a few weeks per year

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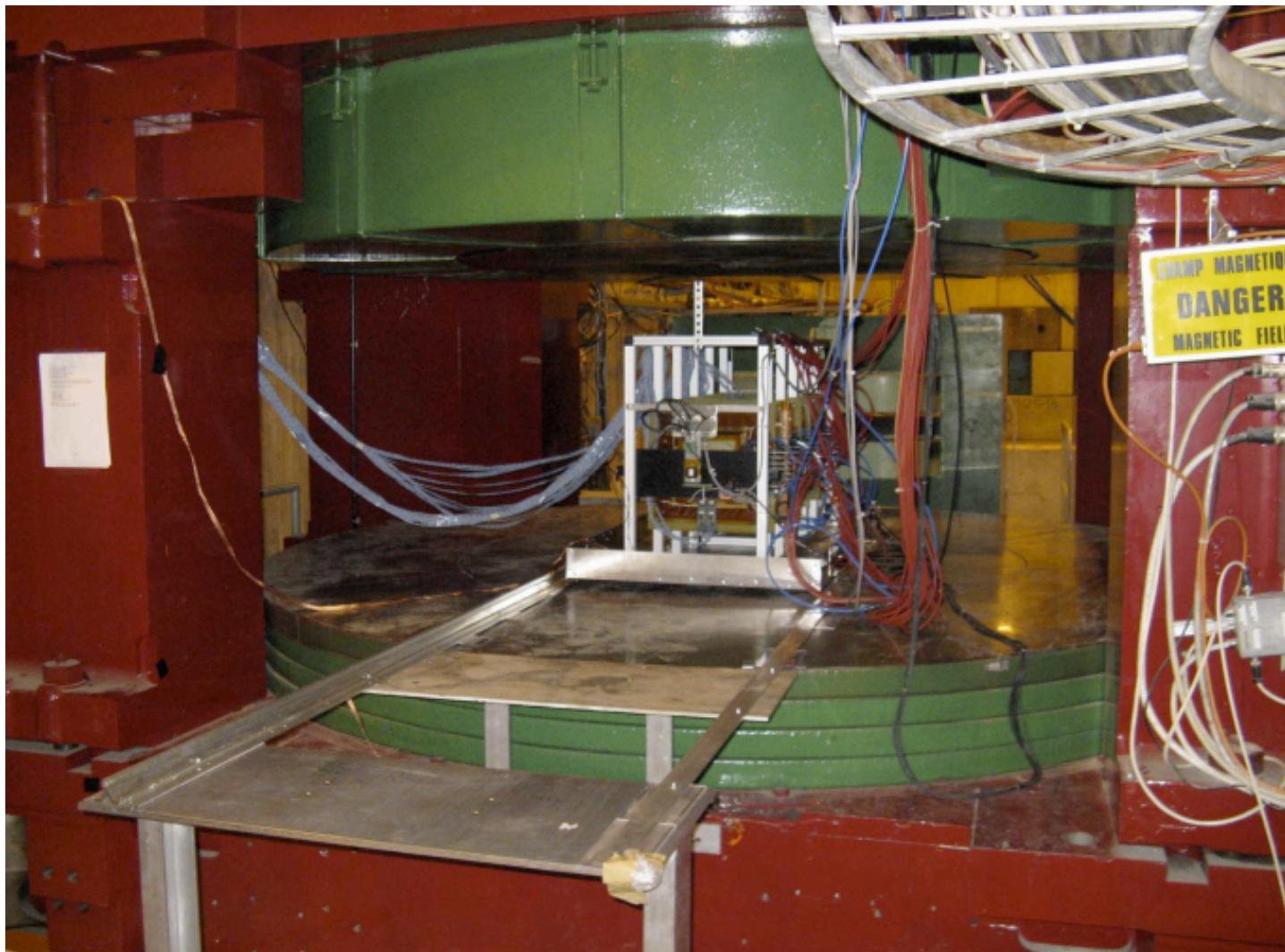
- Support mechanics
- Large magnet (Goliath)
- Gas system
- Cables, trigger
- Reference tracker
- HV, Electronics

# Preliminary layout



# H4 line

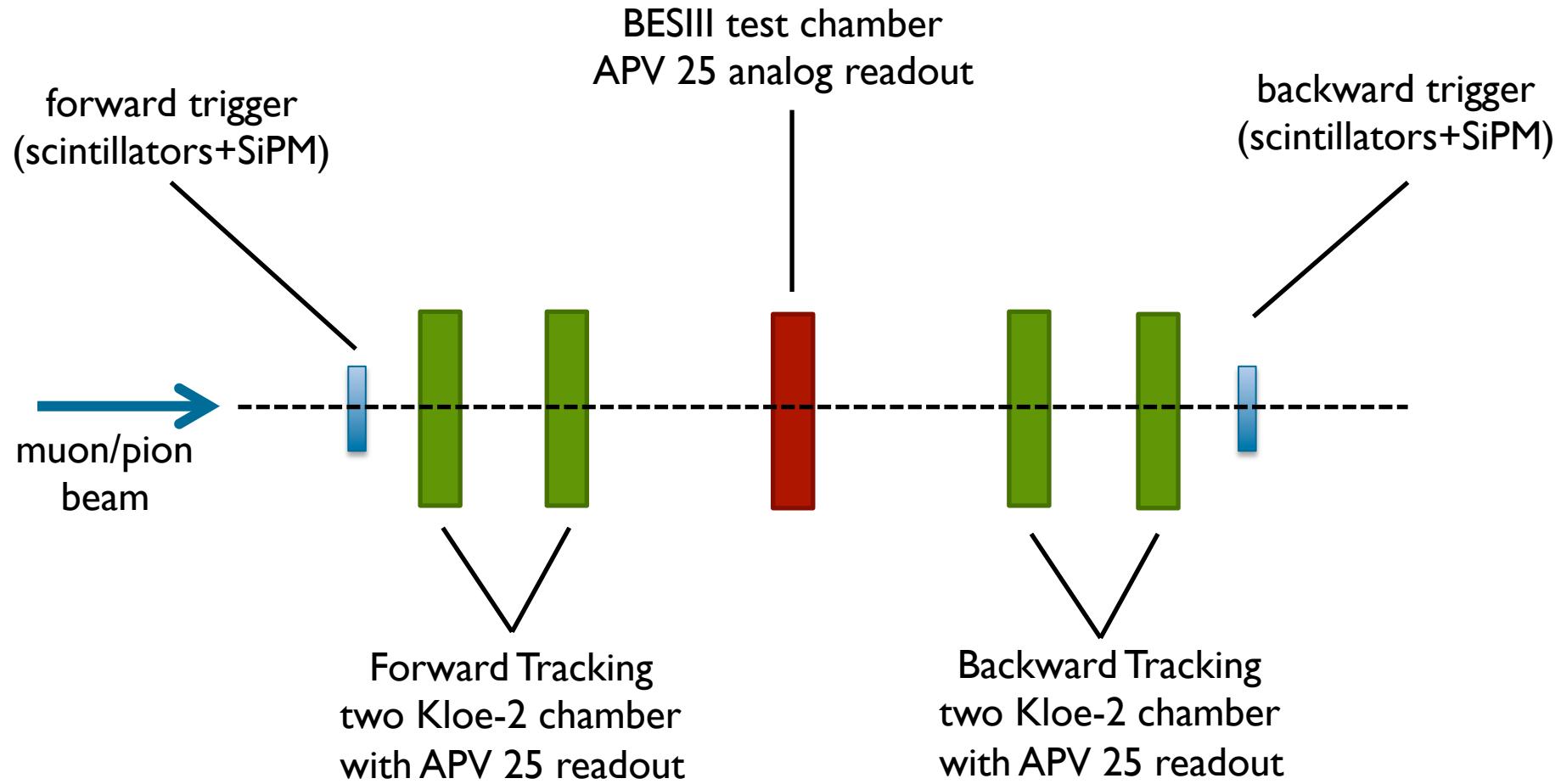
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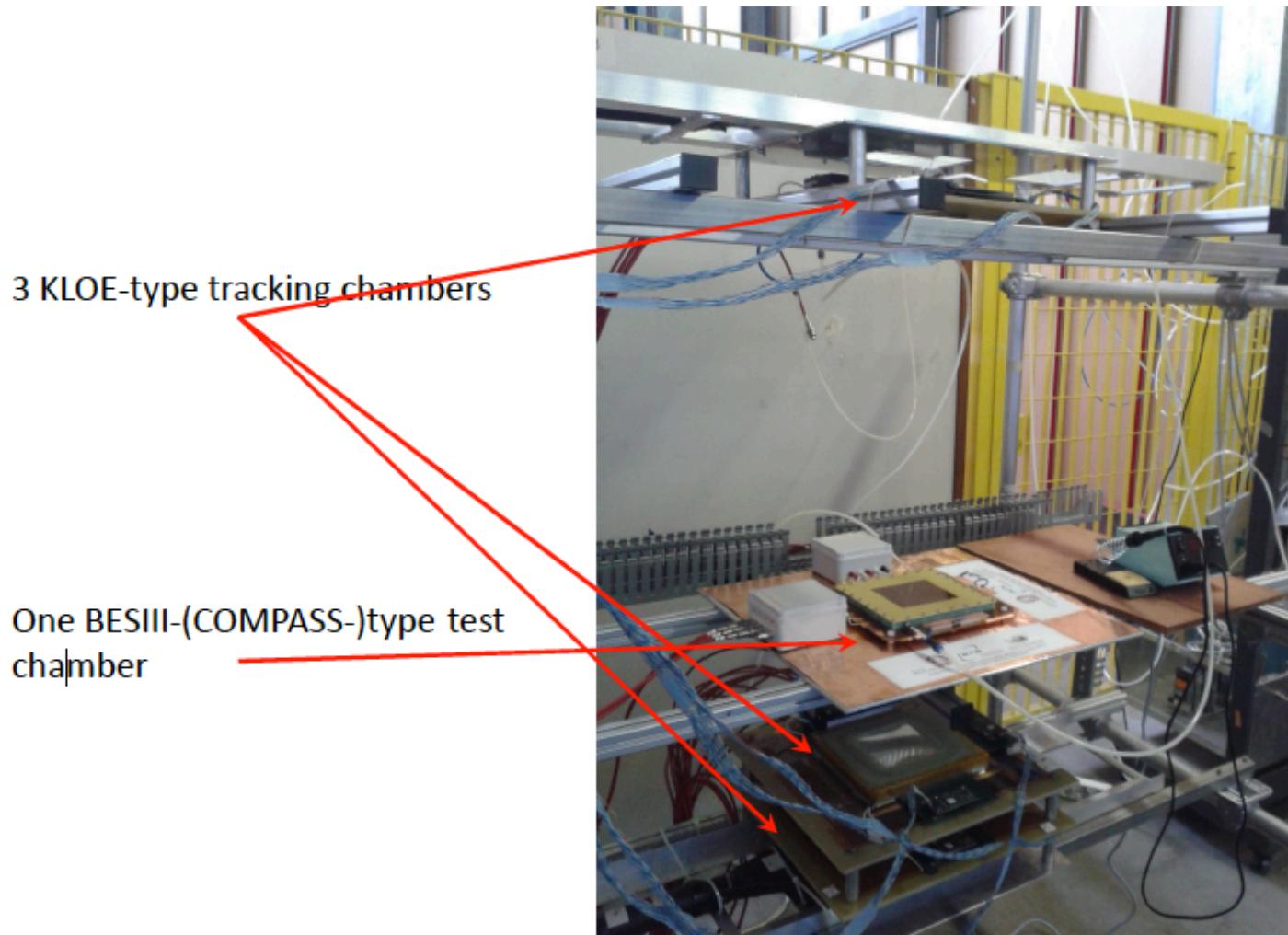
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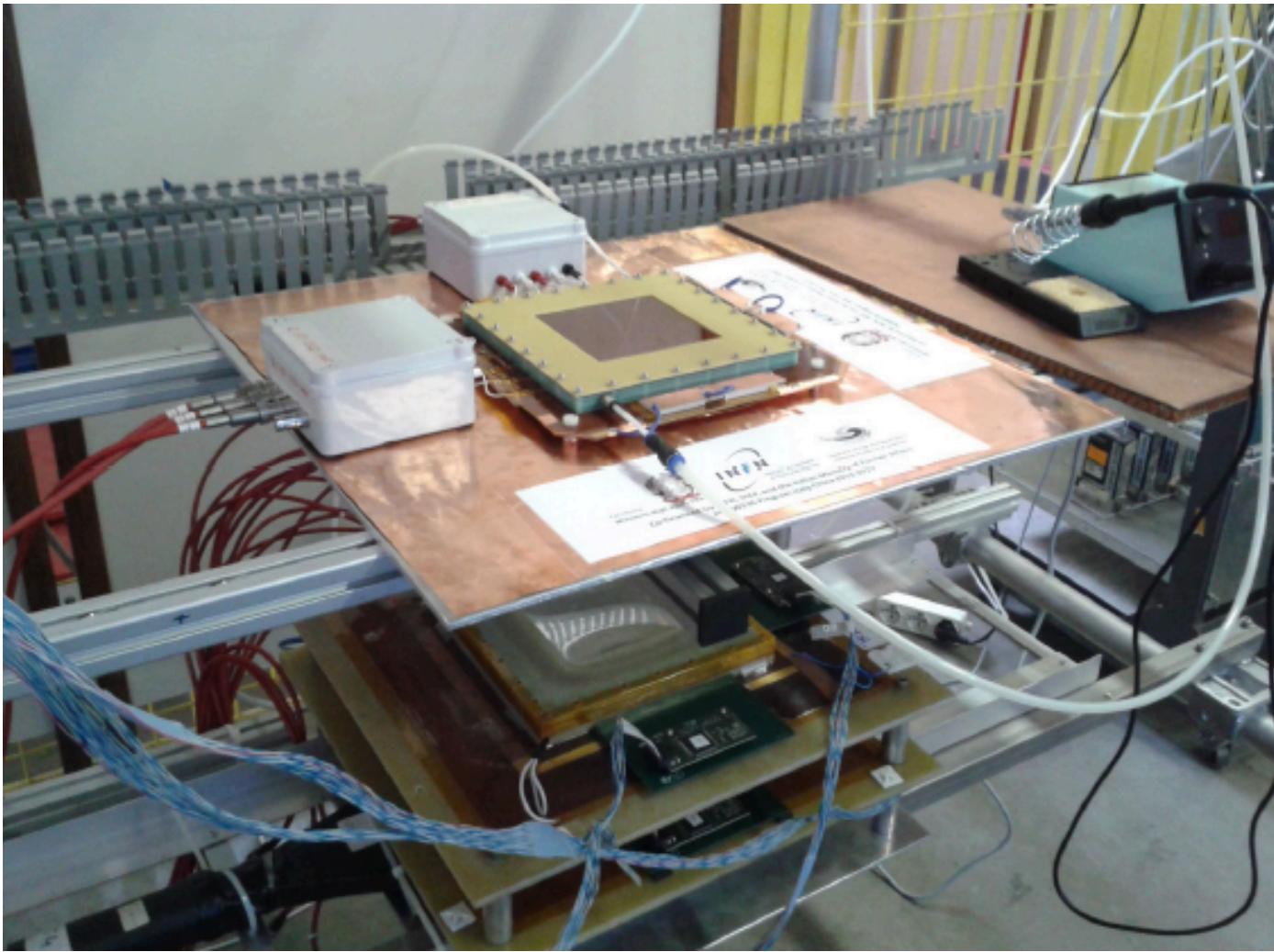
# BESIII beam test setup



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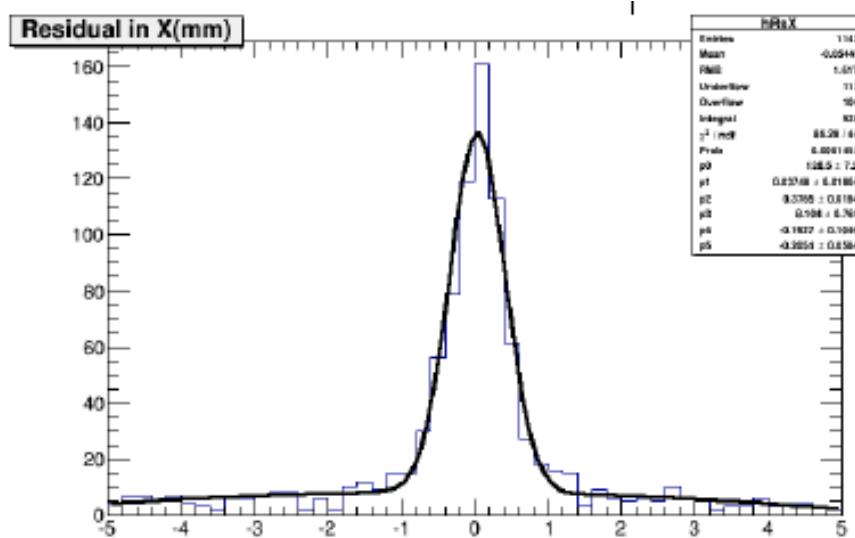


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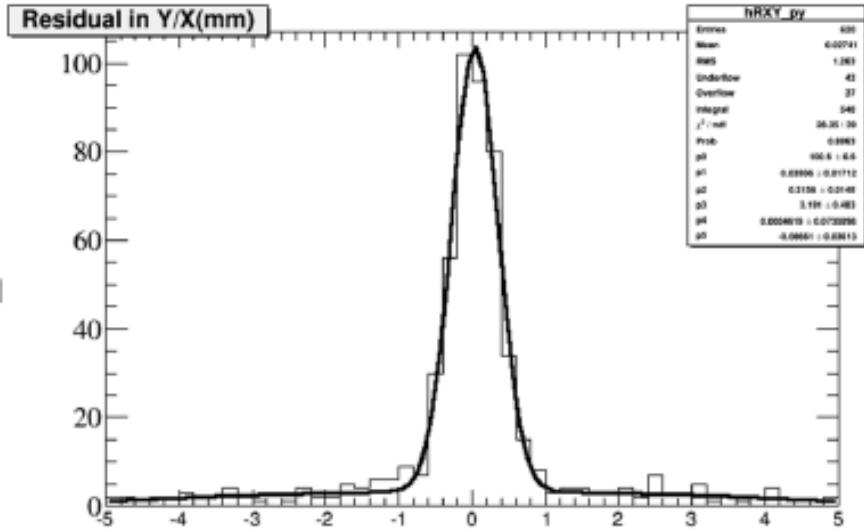


# Cosmic data: Spatial resolution

with digital readout



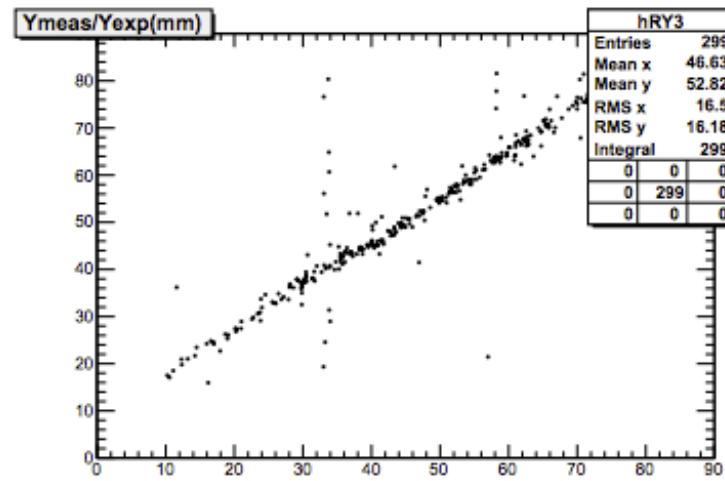
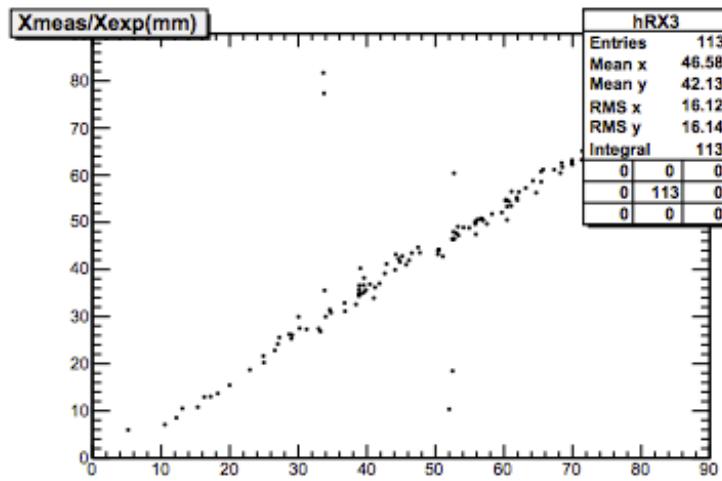
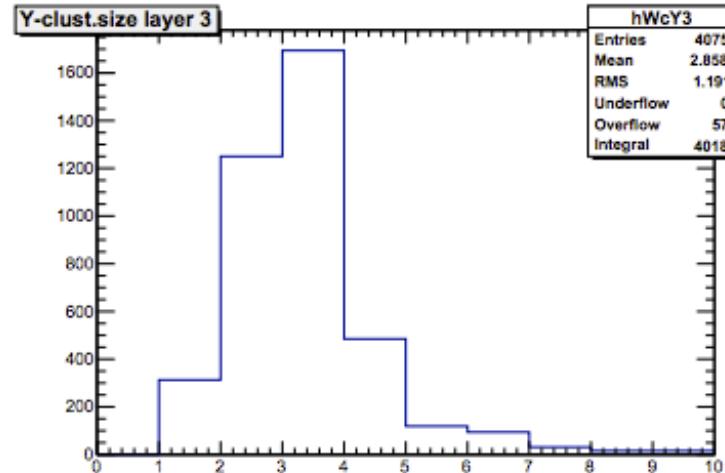
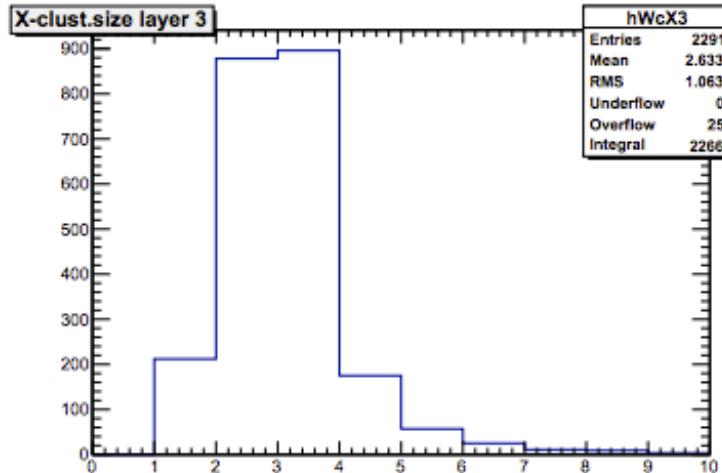
$$\sigma_x = (402 \pm 23) \mu\text{m}$$



$$\sigma_y = (316 \pm 15) \mu\text{m}$$

courtesy of Sandro Calcaterra

# Cosmic data: Cluster size



courtesy of Sandro Calcaterra

# When/Who

# Beam Test Schedule

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- Beam test will start on Nov 26 and end on Dec 14.
- Frascati and Ferrara are involved in the installation and data taking.