# Status and perspective of the TOTEM experiment at LHC.

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## **TOTEM Physics goals**

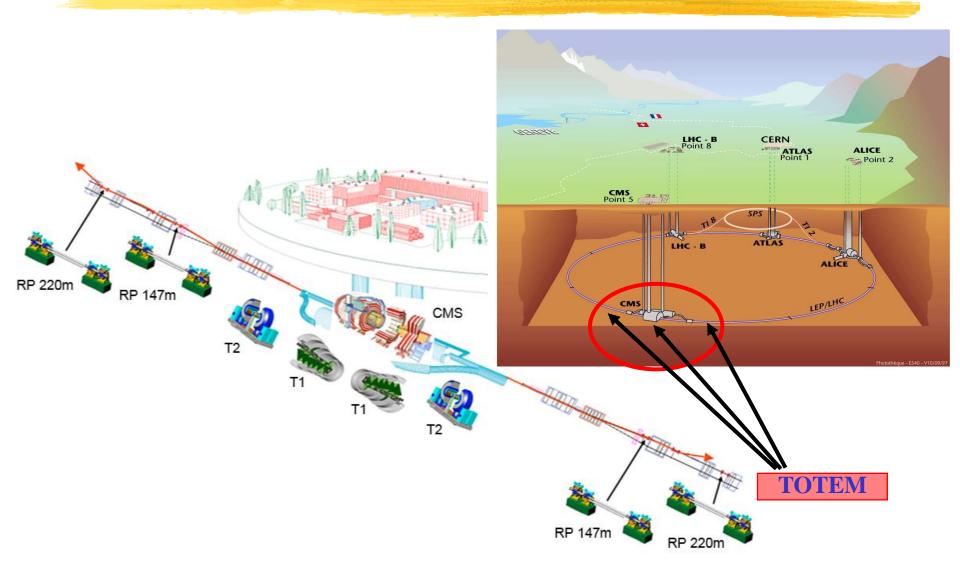
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• 
$$N_{el}$$
 down to -t  $\sim 10^{-3}$  GeV<sup>2</sup>

$$\sigma_{tot}^2 = \frac{16\pi}{1+\rho^2} \frac{\mathrm{d}\sigma_{el}}{\mathrm{d}t}|_{t=0}, \ \ \sigma_{inel} = \sigma_{tot} - \sigma_{el}.$$

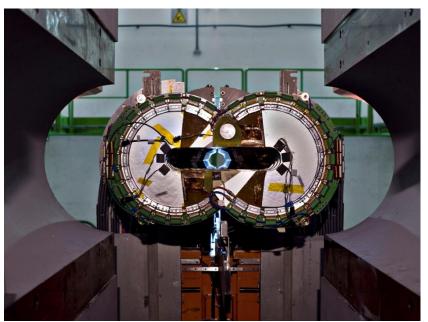
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# **TOTEM Experiment LHC Run I**

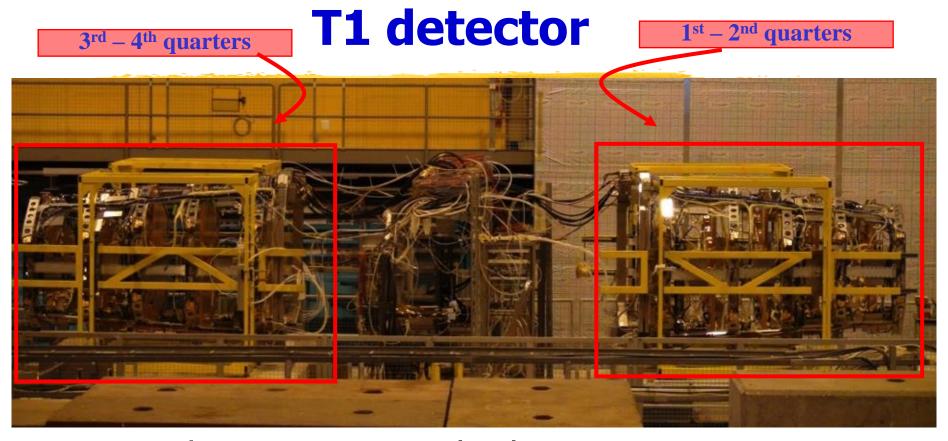


## **T2 Detector**

 T2 telescope is based on GEM chambers.

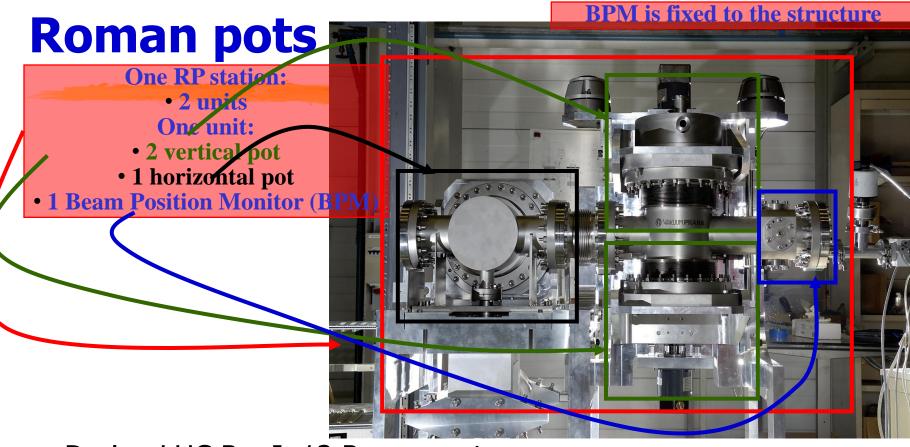




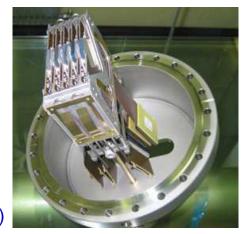


 T1 telescope uses cathode strip chambers (CSC)

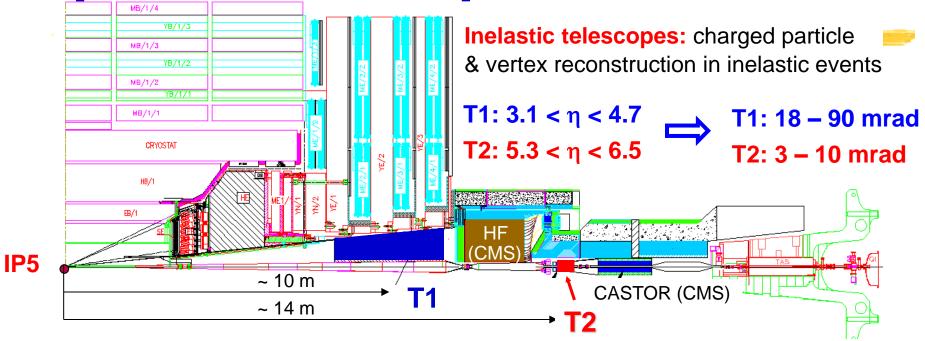




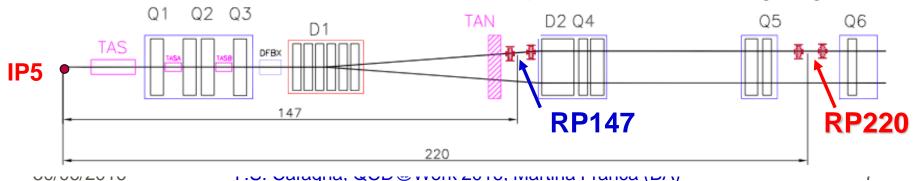
- During LHC RunI, 12 Roman pots, distributed in 4 stations at ±220 and ±147 m.
- Each RP is equipped with a stack of 10 silicon strip detectors, designed with the specific objective of reducing the insensitive area at the edge facing the beam to only a few tens of  $\mu m$



# **Experimental Setup @ IP5 LHC Run I**

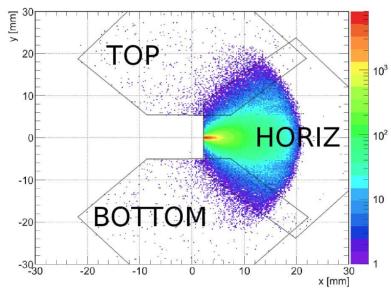


Roman Pots: measure elastic & diffractive protons close to outgoing beam



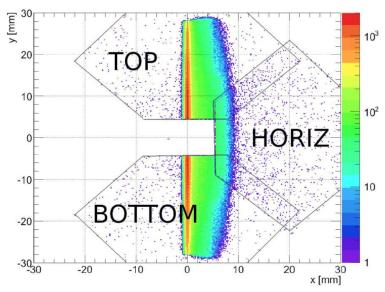
## **LHC Optics**

### $\beta^* = 0.55 \text{ m} \text{ (low } \beta^* = \text{standard at LHC)}$



- Diffractive protons are mainly in the horizontal pot
- Elastic protons in the vertical pot near X~0

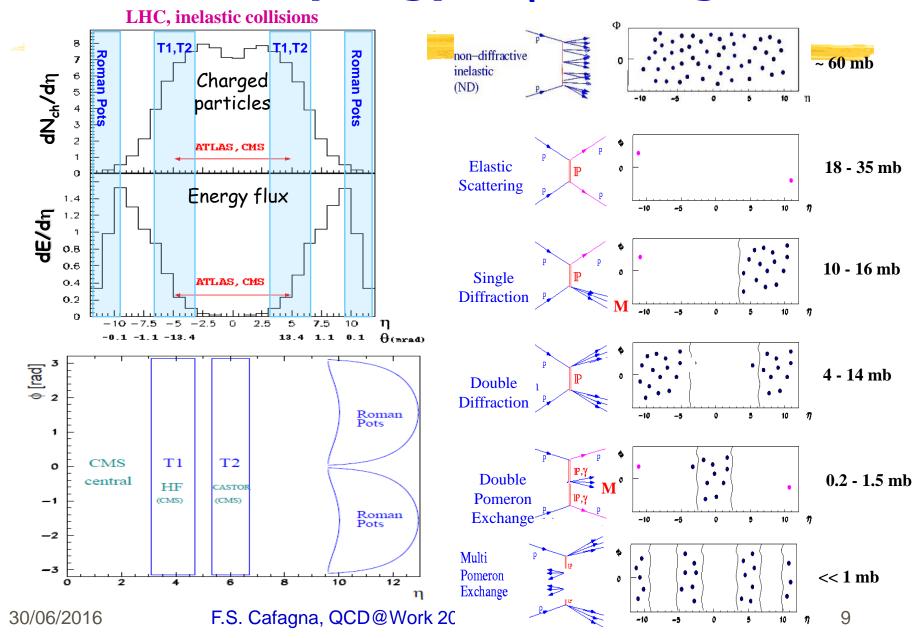
#### $\beta$ \* = 90 m (special optic for RP runs)



- Diffractive protons are mainly in the vertical pot.
- Elastic protons in a narrow band at X~0

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# **Event Topology & η coverage**

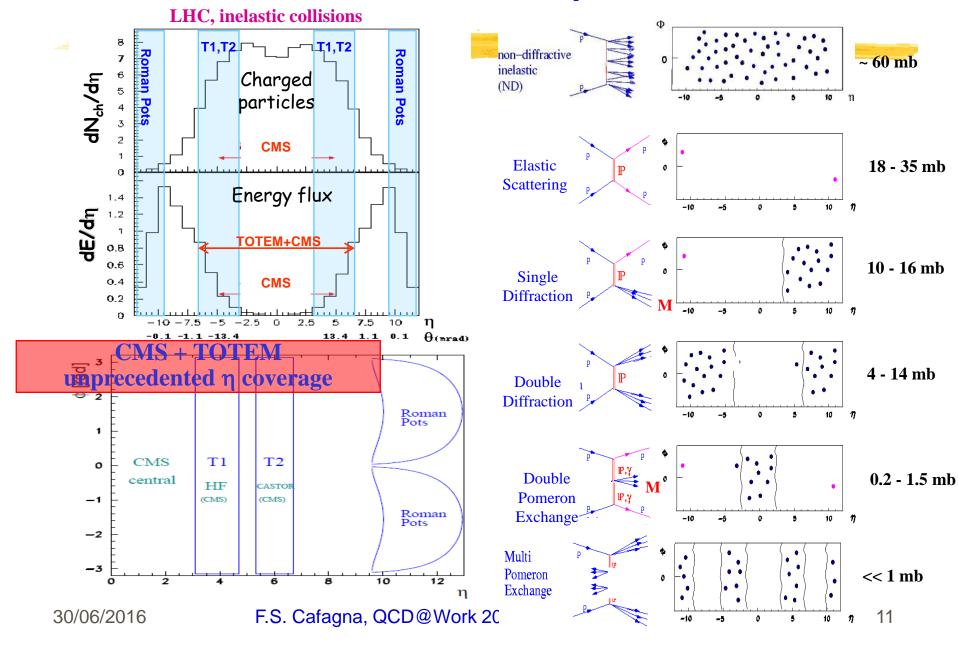


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    - N<sub>inel</sub> with losses < 3%

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- TOTEM & CMS
  - Soft and hard diffraction in SD and DPE (production of jets, bosons, h.f.)
  - Central exclusive particle production
  - Low-x physics
  - Particle and energy flow in the forward region 30/06/2016, Martina Franca (BA)

# **Event Topology & η coverage**



## **Cross-sections**



$$\sigma_{\text{tot}}^{2} = \frac{16\pi}{1 + \varrho^{2}} \frac{1}{\mathcal{L}} \frac{dN_{\text{el}}}{dt} \Big|_{0}$$
June 2011 (EPL96):  $\sigma_{\text{tot}} = (98.3 \pm 2.8) \text{ mb}$ 
Oct. 2011 (EPL101):  $\sigma_{\text{tot}} = (98.6 \pm 2.2) \text{ mb}$ 

$$\sigma_{\text{tot}}$$

*o*-independent:

$$\sigma_{\text{tot}} = \frac{1}{\mathcal{L}} (N_{\text{el}} + N_{\text{inel}})$$
$$\sigma_{\text{tot}} = (99.1 \pm 4.3) \text{ mb}$$

luminosity-independent:

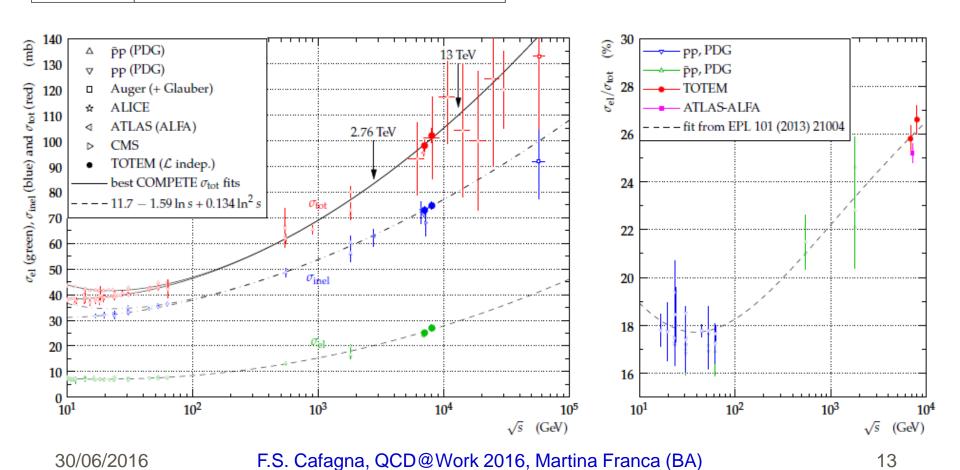
$$\sigma_{\text{tot}} = \frac{16\pi}{1 + \varrho^2} \frac{dN_{\text{el}}/dt|_0}{N_{\text{el}} + N_{\text{inel}}}$$

 $\sigma_{tot} = (98.0 \pm 2.5) \text{ mb}$ 

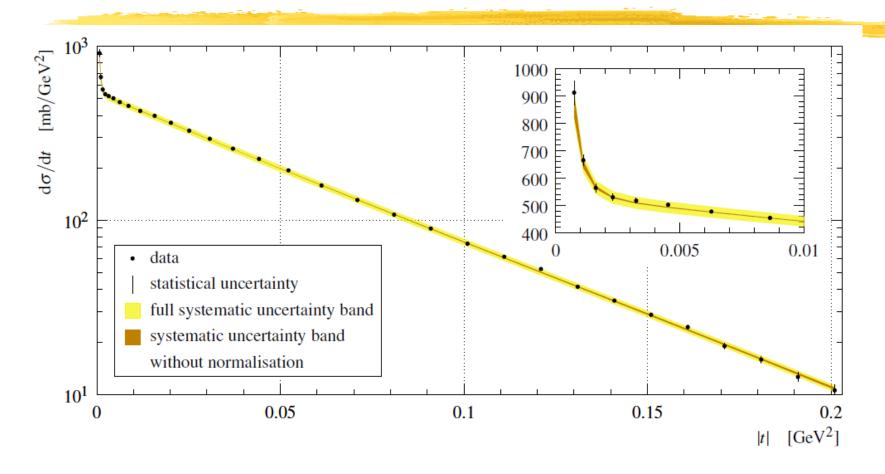
- At  $\sqrt{s} = 7$  TeV: all 3 methods consistent;
- Only lumi-independent method at  $\sqrt{s} = 8$  TeV;
- Analysis on-going for  $\sqrt{s} = 2.6 \& 13 \text{ TeV}$ ;

	${\mathscr L}$ independent at	${\mathscr L}$ independent at				
	$\sqrt{s} = 7 \text{ TeV, eq. } 1.1$	$\sqrt{s} = 8 \text{ TeV}, \text{ eq. } 1.1$				
$\sigma_{tot}$ (mb)	$98.0 \pm 2.5$	$101.7 \pm 2.9$				
σ <sub>inel</sub> (mb)	$72.9 \pm 1.5$	$74.7 \pm 1.7$				
$\sigma_{el}$ (mb)	$25.1 \pm 1.1$	$27.1 \pm 1.4$				
	$\sqrt{s} = 7 \text{ TeV}, 4.7 <  \eta_{min}  < 6.5$					
$\sigma_{DD}$ ( $\mu$ b)	116 ± 25					

# TOTEM total cross-section

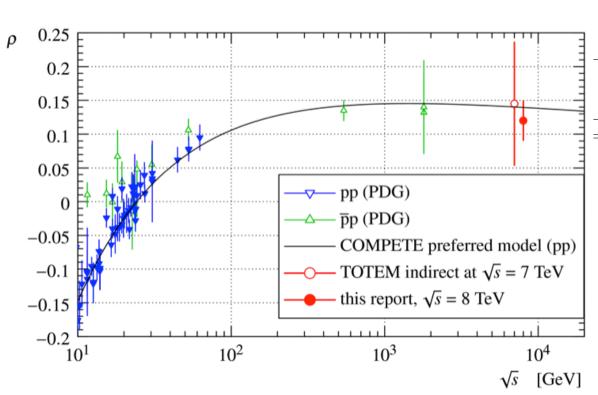


## **Coulomb Nuclear interference region**



- Measurement down to  $|t| \sim 6 \times 10^{-4} \text{ GeV}^2$ :
  - $\beta^* = 1000 \text{ m optics};$
  - Roman Pot at 3σ from the beam;

# **Coulomb Nuclear interference:** p



	KL, constant	KL, peripheral
step 1: $\chi^2$ /ndf	25.7/25 = 1.03	25.0/25 = 1.00
step 2: $\chi^2$ /ndf	57.5/56 = 1.03	57.6/56 = 1.03
$a \text{ [mb/GeV}^2]$	$549 \pm 24$	$549 \pm 24$
$b_1$ [GeV <sup>-2</sup> ]	$20.47 \pm 0.14$	$19.56 \pm 0.13$
$b_2$ [GeV <sup>-4</sup> ]	$8.8 \pm 1.6$	$-3.3 \pm 1.5$
$b_3 [\text{GeV}^{-6}]$	$20\pm6$	$-13 \pm 5$
ρ	$0.12 \pm 0.03$	$0.12 \pm 0.03$
$\zeta_1$		800
K		2.311
v [GeV <sup>-2</sup> ]		8.161
$\sigma_{ m tot}$ [mb]	$102.9 \pm 2.3$	$103.0 \pm 2.3$

- First LHC determination from Coulomb-hadronic interference at  $\sqrt{s}=8$ TeV:  $\rho=0.12\pm0.03$ .
- Cross-section measurements compatible with lumi-independent

# Ruling out SWY approach

• High-statistics data with  $\beta^*=90m$  at  $\sqrt{s}=8$  TeV, can be used to compare differential elastic cross-section, with a pure exponential  $d\sigma/dt \propto |F^{C+H}|^2 = Coulomb + hadronic + "interference"$ 

from QED

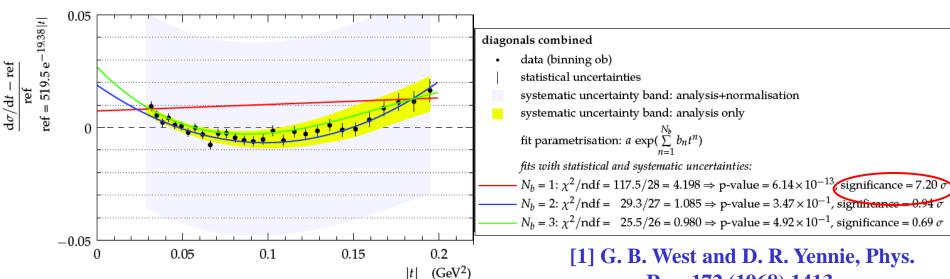
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constrained by measured e^{-B(t)}

B(t) = b_1 t + b_2 t^2 + ...

N_b = \# parameters in exp.
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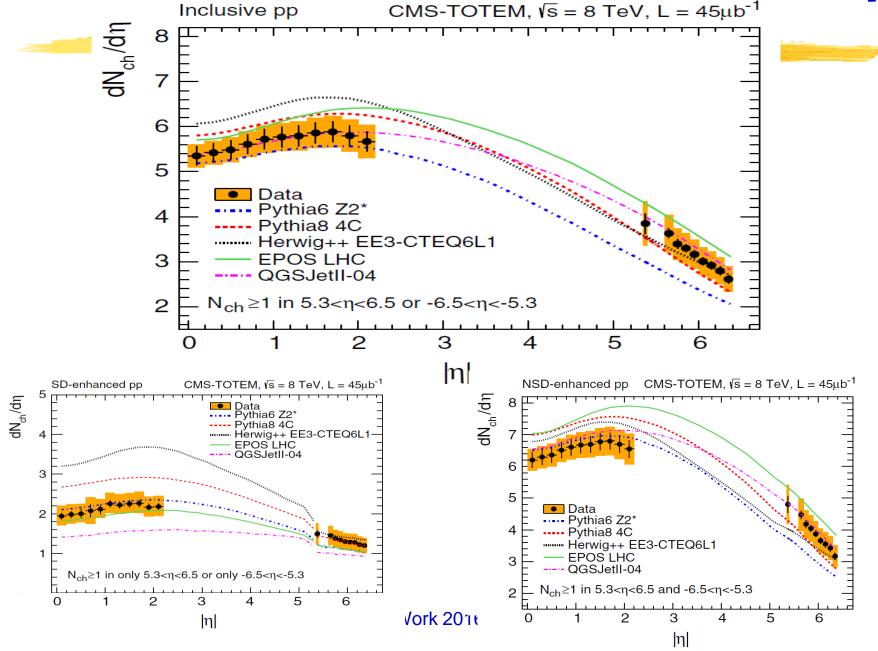
**Simplified West-Yennie (SWY)** [1]: often used "standard", only compatible with pure exponential amplitude & constant phase

Now exclude Coulomb-hadronic interference with constant phase & constant exponential slope for hadronic amplitude (N<sub>b</sub>= 1) at >7σ using same data ⇒ ruling out SWY approach

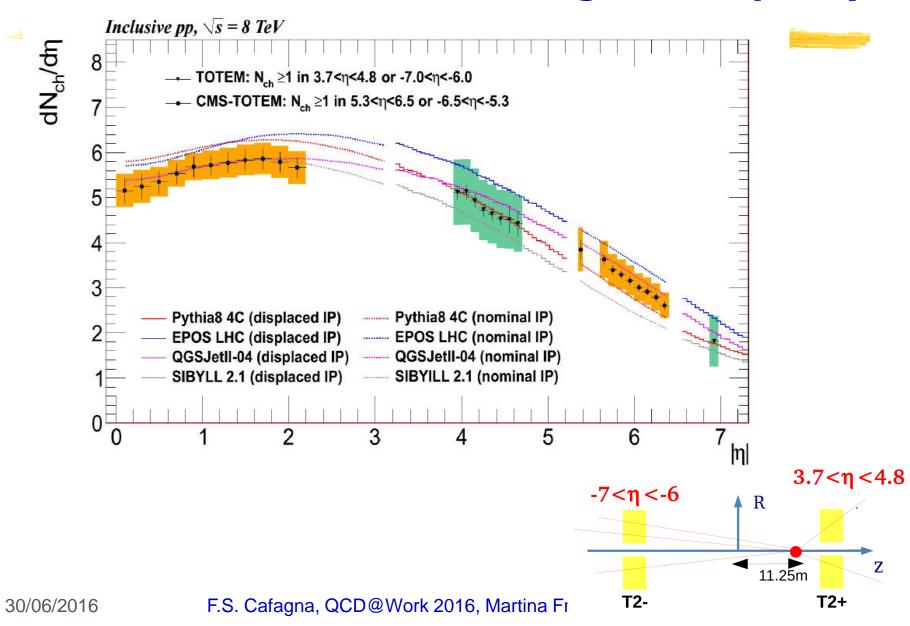


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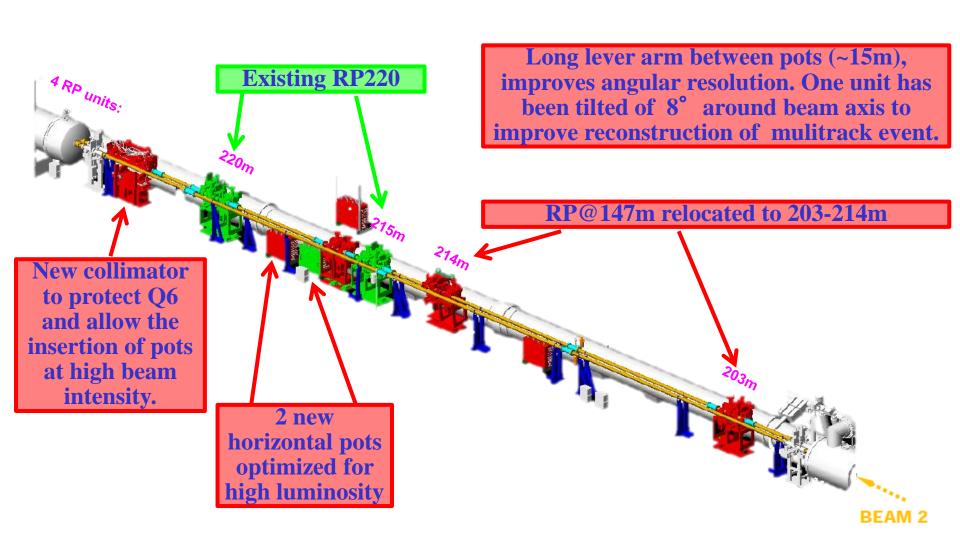
## **CMS-TOTEM Forward Charged Multiplicity**



## **TOTEM Extended Forward Charged Multiplicity**



# **TOTEM Program for RUN II**

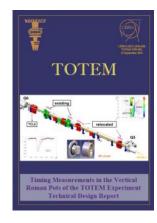


# Roman Pot new layout for Run II

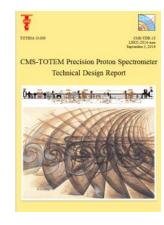


## **Two TDRs**

- Two TDR released, two complementary projects:
  - Timing Measurements in the Vertical Roman Pots of the TOTEM Experiment
    - High β\* (90 m), special runs, low luminosity;
    - All vertical RPs with one equipped with timing detectors (TOTEM R&D);
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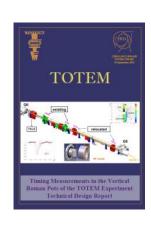


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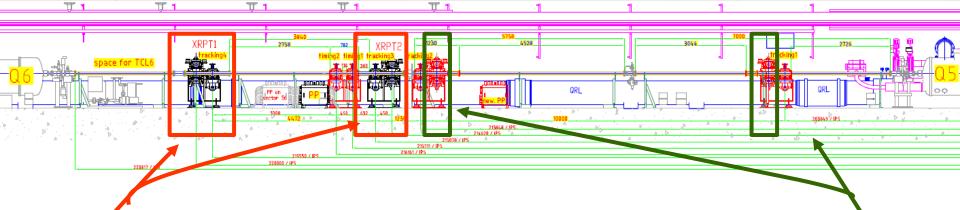


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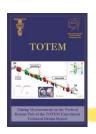






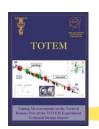


- In this measurements all TOTEM tracking detectors in all vertical RPs will be used, i.e. existing RP at 220 m and relocated RP at 203-213 m.
- New timing detector will be installed in a vertical RP.



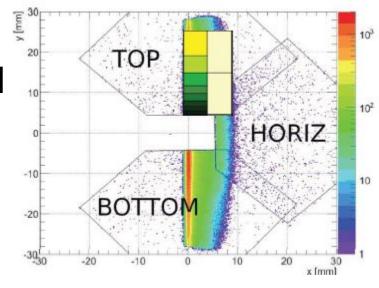


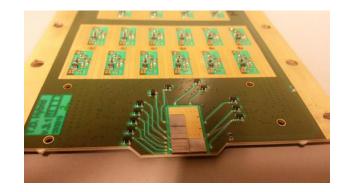
- Scientific objectives:
  - Exclusive central diffraction;
  - Low mass resonances and glueball states;
  - Exclusive charmonium state;
  - Search for missing mass and momentum candidates;
  - Exclusive jet production.
- The integrated luminosities, required by the cross-sections of the processes, imply a pileup from ~10% up to ~50% -> TIMING detectors are needed above 15%.

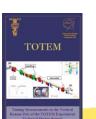


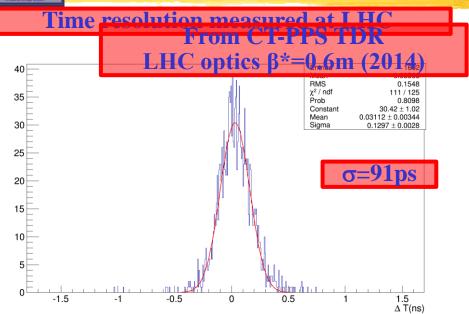


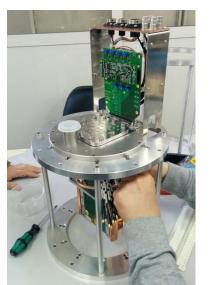
- Timing detectors in the relocated vertical RPs:
  - Limited space available -> Solid State Detectors: Diamond
  - Time resolution & performances: 50 ps per pot (~100ps per detector), reduce PU by a factor 4 (50% ->~ 12%).
  - One RP with 4 diamonds planes , with final front end and digitization (SAMPIC) electronics has been installed in the LHC during the technical stop 3 (2015).















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## The CT-PPS TDR

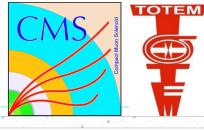


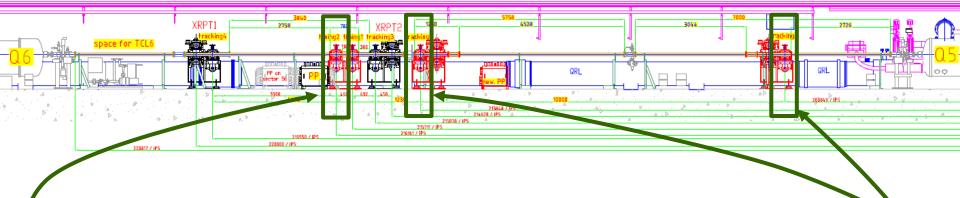
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# The CT-PPS layout

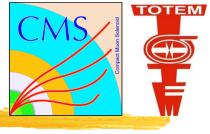




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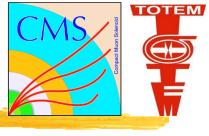
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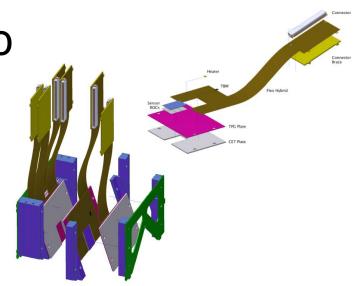
- Scientific objectives:
  - Study of Central Exclusive Production (CEP) in p-p collision during standard low-β\* runs at high luminosity.
    - EWK: LHC used as photon-photon collider:
      - Measure  $\gamma\gamma$  -> W+W-, e+e-,  $\mu^+\mu^-$ ,  $\tau^+\tau^-$ ;
      - Searche for AQGC with high sensitivity;
      - Search for SM forbidden ZZγγ, γγγγ couplings
    - QCD:
      - Exclusive two and three jet events, with M up to ~ 700-800 GeV.
      - Test of pQCD mechanisms of exclusive production.
      - Gluon jet samples with small component of quark jets
    - BSM: Search for new resonances in CEP
      - Clean events (no underlying pp event)
      - Indemendent mass measurement from pp system
      - J^PC quantum numbers 0++, 2++



## The CT-PPS TDR



- Tracking detectors in the two relocated horizontal RPs:
  - Baseline: 3D silicon sensors (FBK), 6 planes/RP;
  - PSI46dig ROC.
- Timing detectors in new horizontal RP:
  - Baseline: Solid State detectors: Ultra Fast Silicon Detector (UFSD) or TOTEM diamond detectors;



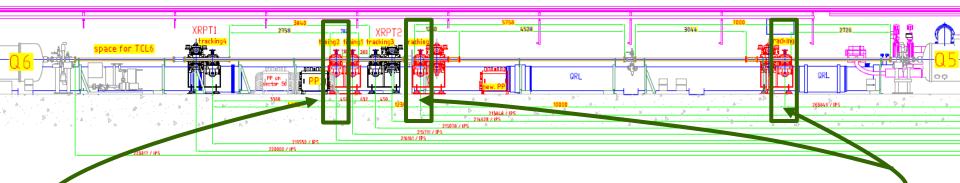
## The quest for diphoton resonance

- CT-PPS can anticipate running operations in 2016.
  - γγ candidate at 750 GeV could be produced exclusively and seen in CT-PPS
    - Fichet, von Gersdorff, Royon (arXiv:1601.01712, arXiv:1512.05751)
    - Csaki, Hubisz, Terning (arXiv:1512.05776, arXiv:1601.00638)
    - Harland-Lang, Khoze, Ryskin (arXiv:1601.07187)
- CT-PPS physics can start one year earlier than foreseen.



## The CT-PPS 2016 strategy





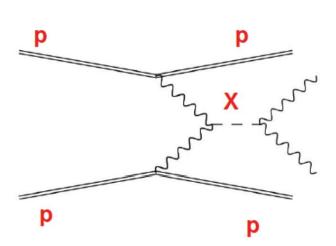
- Leverage the fact that the **relocated horizontal RP**, are qualified for high intensity run and **use current Totem Si Strip detectors**, while the new 3D pixel are under production (installation scheduled in 2017). An estimate of correct working over 10 fb-1 per telescope. Two groups of telescopes are available to get up to 20 fb-1 of integrated luminosity before loosing tracking efficiency.
- Since no high  $\beta^*=90m$  medium luminosity run is foreseen in 2016, we decided to install 2 TOTEM diamond detector packages, developed for the vertical Roman Pots, in the **new cylindrical horizontal one** during TS1. In addition to the TOF, they will give some proton tagging with enough  $\xi$  resolution to complement Si strip, when they would loose efficiency.

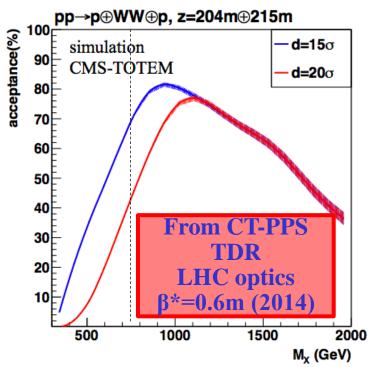
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Expected LHC luminosity in 2016 is around 20-30 fb<sup>-</sup>

 Exclusive cross section of the production of a 750 GeV resonance, via photon-photon fusion, in the diphoton decay channel is estimated ~0.3-0.6 fb (under the hypothesis that the resonance is dominantly produced

in  $\gamma\gamma$  fusion).







# **TOTEM-CMS DAQ integration**



#### Apr 27th

Apr 6th

- 1st MiniDAQ readout test at 10Hz with emulated data
- Files available to offline/dgm
- Slink data transfer error identified and fixed
  - ReSync fast-command

1st MiniDAQ high rate

test ok w. emulated data

~90kHz rate limit reached w/o errors

- 1<sup>st</sup> MiniDAQ test with Si-Strip ON
- ReSynch fast-command test OK

May 2nd

- · RAW data mode tested
- Zero-suppr. mode tested lowering the VFAT's thresholds

May 4th

 Si-Strip in global running with CMS
 Stress test 90k rate w. periodic ReSync OK May 18th

Si-Strip timed w. LHC beam and CMS global trigger

Feb 9th

- 1st meeting with CMS DAQ
- Documentation opened
- System requirements identified

Activity in Hor. POTs per BX all activity per BX Entries Mean 239.5 Std Dev 34.61 Entries 20 10 300 180 200 220 240 260 **Event BX** 



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## Run Summary WAN HONTORING



All times are in UTC.
TRIGGERS and L1 triggers numbers are the total pre-deadtime triggers, including Calibration and Random ones.

RUN	LUMI_NB_LIVE_DELIV	SEQUENCE	TRIGGER_MODE	L1_KEY	HLT_KEY	STARTTIME	STOPTIME	TRIGGERS BFIELD	TIER0 COMPONENTS
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# The Si-Strip integration



#### 20<sup>th</sup> May

1st MiniDAQ test with Si-Strip ON
 Si-Strip in global run with CMS

 Si-Strip timed w. LHC beam and CMS global trigger

#### 3<sup>rd</sup>June

 RPs reached their nominal position (15σ)

#### June 2<sup>nd</sup> half

- Reconstruction SW fully merged in CMSSW80X
- >3/fb collected!

Apr 2<sup>nd</sup> half

- 1st MiniDAQ high rate test
- Beam based alignment of RP
- RP Insertion commissioning at high luminosity

May

1st half

- 1st MiniDAQ readout test at low rate
- Files available for SW validation

Mar

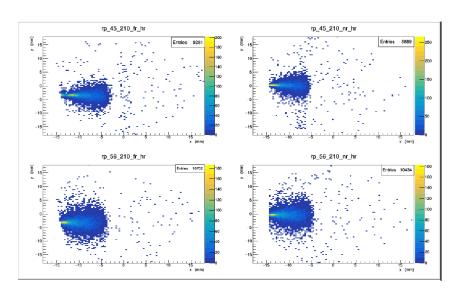
- Existing Reconstruction SW refactorized in CMSSW81X
- SW Integration started

Apr

1st half

 CTPPS "accelerated" approved by the two collaborations

Feb





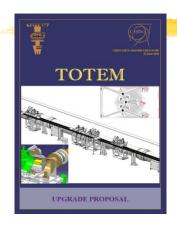
## **Conclusion**

- Stay tuned for more results from TOTEM and CMS from Run I and Run II in 2015.
- TOTEM DAQ increased an average of 50 times the Run I trigger rate. A lot more statistics is available for analysis.
- CT-PPS project is anticipating data taking in 2016, using TOTEM strip detectors, to look for diphoton resonance.
- Integration, of DAQ and detectors, with CMS has been achieved in very short time scale, and common data taking at high luminosity, is on going.
- A very promising channel, with very low background, can be investigated by CT-PPS.

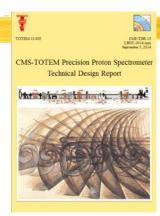
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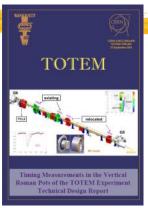
## **Spares**

## **ROMAN POT: Milestones**









**June 2013** consolidation & upgrade

January 2014 **CMS-TOTEM** MoU

September 2014 **TOTEM timing TDR CT-PPS TDR** 

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**March 2015 Restart LHC** Run 2

#### LHC LS1 access for RP installation

ENGINEERING CHANGE REQUEST

**March 2013** 

Installation and Renaming of Absorbers for Physics Debris (TCL type collimators) on both sides of IP1 and IP5 in front of D2/Q4

ENGINEERING CHANGE REQUEST

**Installation of Physics Debris Absorbers** (TCL) on both sides of IP1 and IP5 in front of the Q6 Quadrupole

It is proposed to install TCL, physics-debin solilimators, on both sides of IP1 and IP5 in front of the Q6 Quadrupole (TCL6). This request follows the ECR EDMS Doc. 12838G7 where the preparation of the TCL6 infrastructure was proposed and approved. This proposal to install the TCL6 is now brought forward taking into account the latest

ENGINEERING CHANGE REQUEST

#### **TOTEM Consolidation Project**

The TOTEM Roman Pot (RP) stations that were installed on the outgoing beam at these stations to 210 m (between Q5 and Q6) on both sides of IP5, so that after LS1 the TOTEM setup will contain a new 210 m station with a near and far unit in addition to the existing 220m station. The new 210 m far unit will be rotated by 8° around the axis of the beam. To foresee the later addition of timing detector units, TOTEM proposes to add one piece of dummy beam pipe between the existing near and far units of the 220m station

ENGINEERING CHANGE REQUEST

#### TOTEM Upgrade Project

**DP Si operation** & RP movement

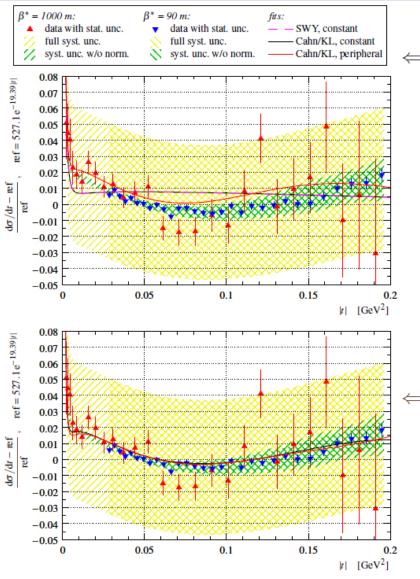
> **RP** operation with DAQ

All Components integrated in the LHC beam line by August 2014

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30/06/2016

### Elastic scattering : Coulomb interference - Fits



#### purely-exponential hadronic amplitude

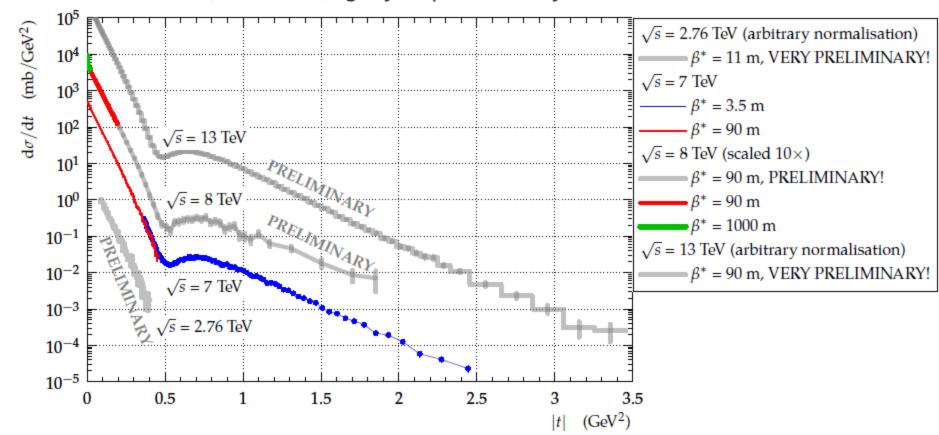
- constant phase excluded (with both SWY and KL formulae) ⇒ application of SWY formula excluded too
- peripheral phase not excluded by data, but disfavoured
  - ρ value outside a consistent pattern of other fits and theoretical predictions
  - number of theoretical reasons for non-exponential hadronic amplitude

#### non-exponential hadronic amplitude

both constant and peripheral phases compatible with data ⇒ centrality not necessity

## Elastic scattering : $p + p \rightarrow p + p$

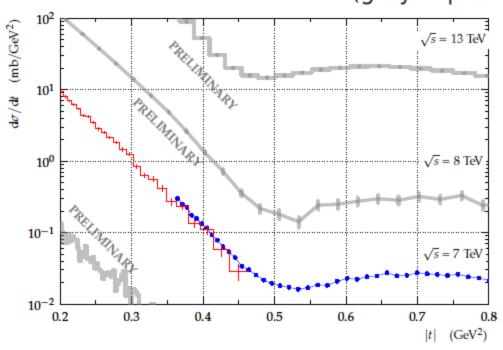
- selection: two anti-collinear protons from the same vertex
- (almost) purely data-driven analysis
- data overview (selection), gray = preliminary

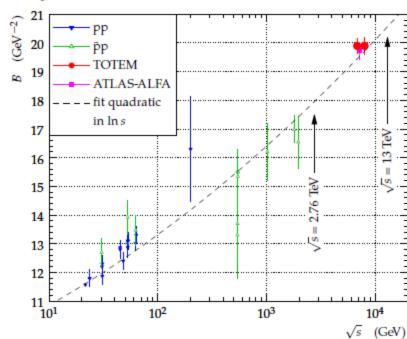


different |t| probe different physics regimes - from lowest to highest |t|:
 Coulomb interference, diffractive cone, dip-bump, transition to pQCD

## Elastic scattering : *Trends*

(gray = preliminary)





- dip position
  - $\sqrt{s}$  = 8 TeV: limited statistics
  - $\circ \sqrt{s} = 7 \rightarrow 13$  TeV: dip moves to lower |t|
    - 13 TeV results preliminary! (the yet missing unfolding correction likely to move the dip to lower |t|)
- forward slope  $B = \frac{d}{dt} \ln \frac{d\sigma}{dt}\Big|_{t=0}$ 
  - increase wrt. previous experiments

## Elastic scattering : Coulomb interference

- 8 TeV data with  $\beta^* = 1000$  m optics
  - $\circ$  RPs very close to the beam:  $\approx$  3  $\sigma_{
    m beam}$
  - $|t|_{\text{min}} \approx 6 \cdot 10^{-4} \text{ GeV}^2$

