

How to Build a Modern Calorimeter - The CALICE (AHCAL) Story

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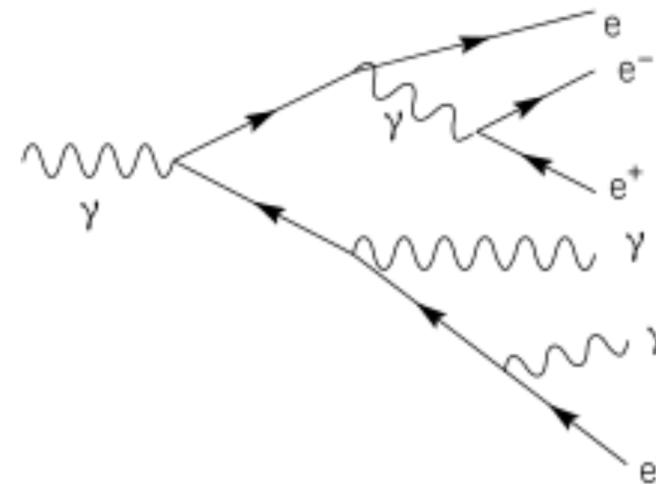
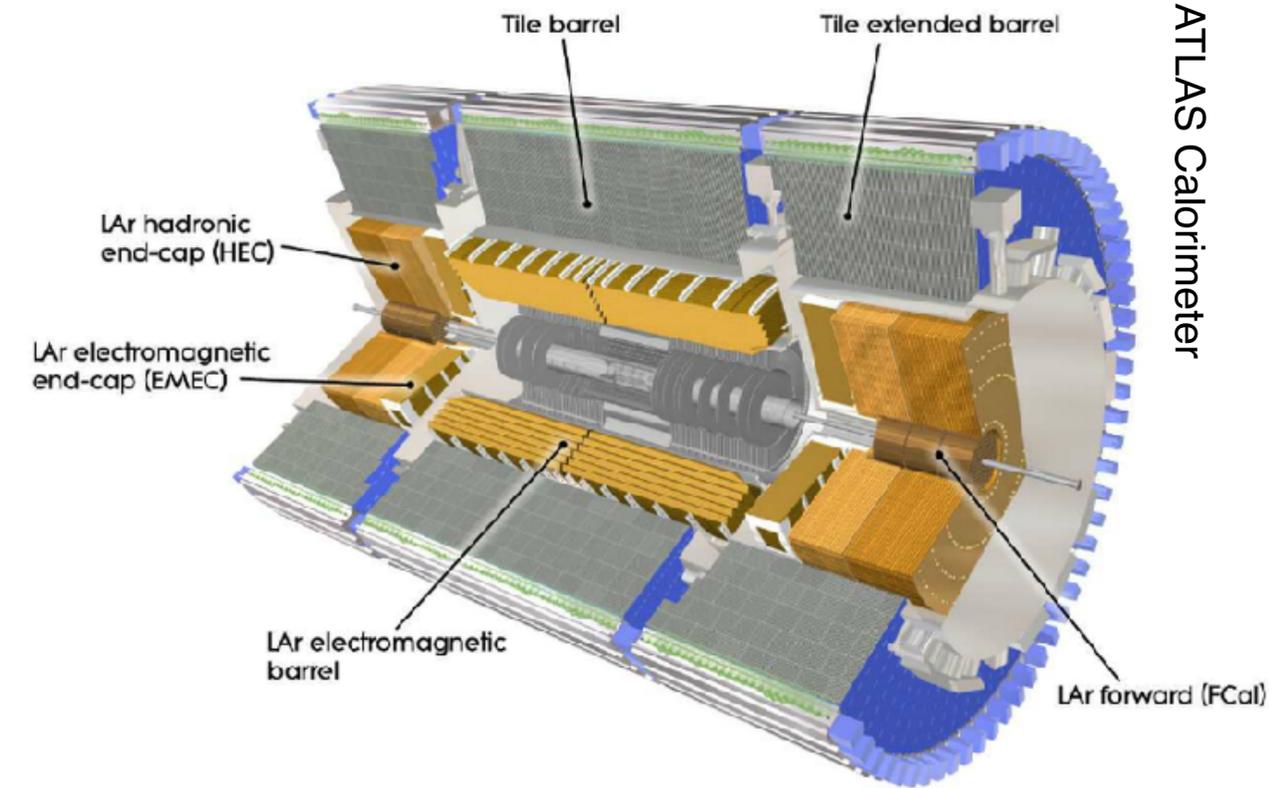
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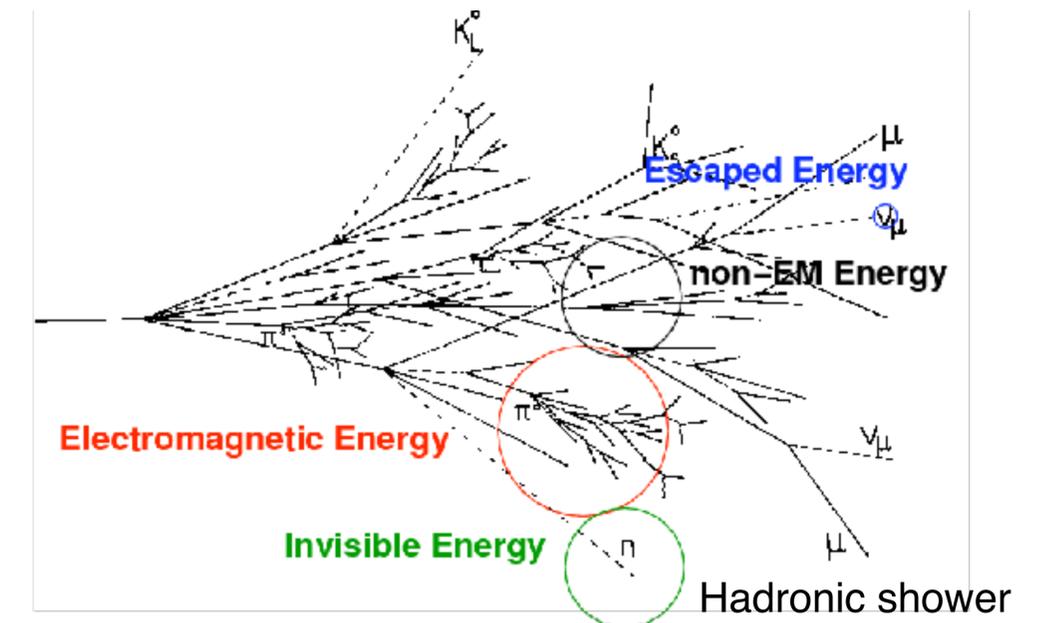
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- **Calorimetry in HEP:** Measure energy by absorption
- Two different length scales for em (X_0) and hadronic showers (λ_I)
- *Electromagnetic and hadronic calorimeter*
- Often: sampling calorimeter
 - Active layer / absorber
 - More compact
 - Cheaper



Electromagnetic shower

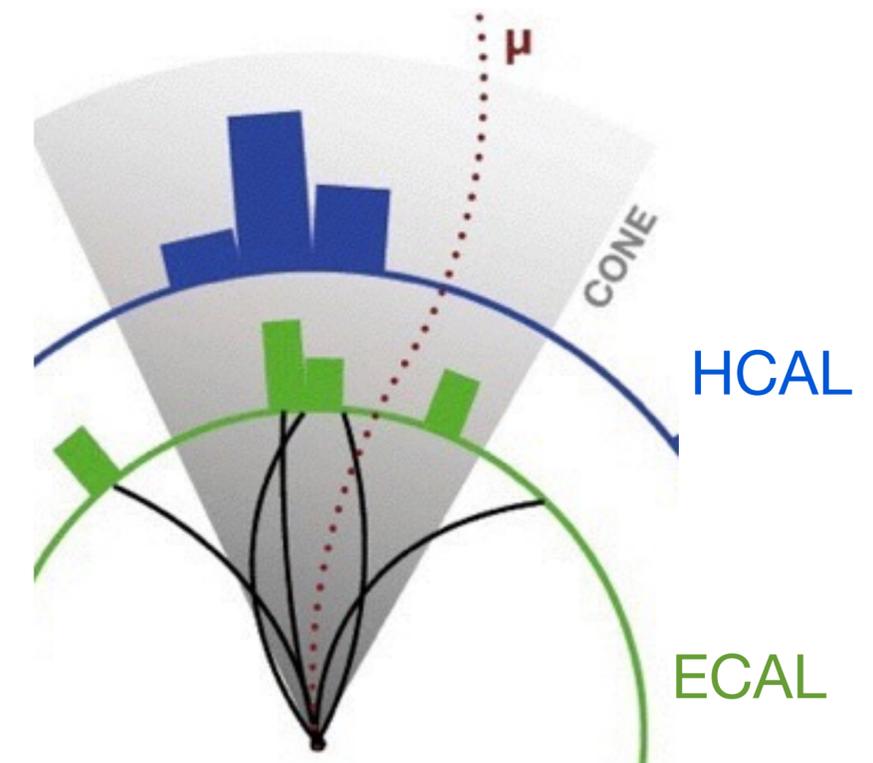


Jet Energy Resolution



- **Jet Energy:** sum up all the energy in a *cone*
- Hadronic calorimeter usually has worst energy resolution
- If we could separate single particles in a jet we can use the best suited detector for each!

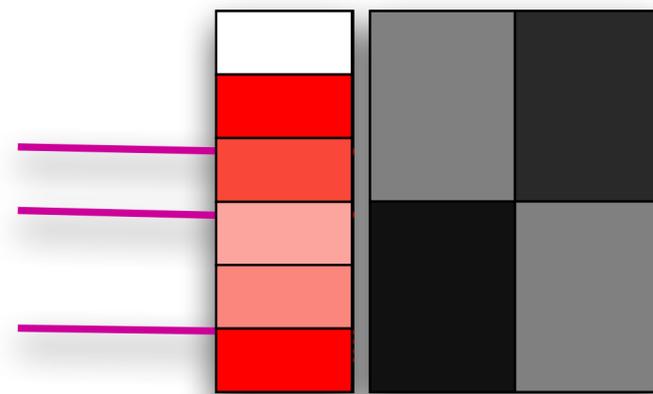
Detector	Particles	ATLAS	CMS
Tracker	Electrons, Muons, Pions, ...	$5 \cdot 10^{-5} p_t$	$5 \cdot 10^{-4} p_t$
Em Cal	Photons, Electrons, Pions, ...	$10\% / \sqrt{E} \oplus 1\%$	$3\% / \sqrt{E} \oplus 1\%$
Had Cal	Neutrons, Pions, Kaons, ...	$50\% / \sqrt{E} \oplus 3\%$	$100\% / \sqrt{E} \oplus 4\%$



- **Particle flow algorithms** may enhance jet energy resolution by using best suited detector
- Charged particles will be measured in the tracker, photons in the ECAL, neutral hadrons in the HCAL
- Each shower in the calorimeters needs to be assigned to the correct track

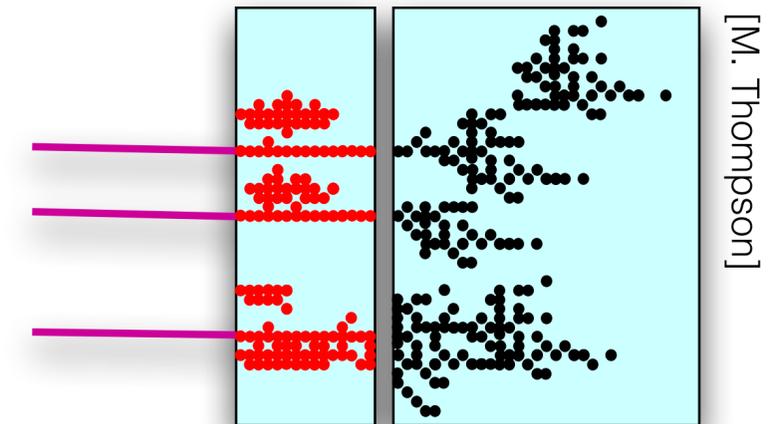
Content of a „typical“ jet:

- 60% charged particles
- 30% photons
- 10% neutral hadrons
- 1% neutrinos



$$E_{\text{jet}} = E_{\text{em}} + E_{\text{had}}$$

Granularity
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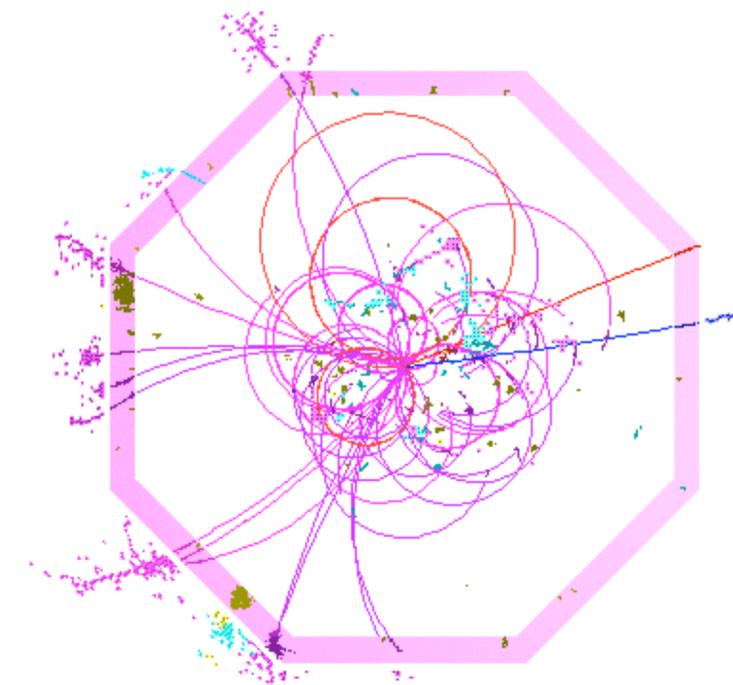
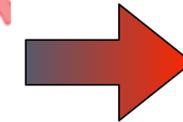
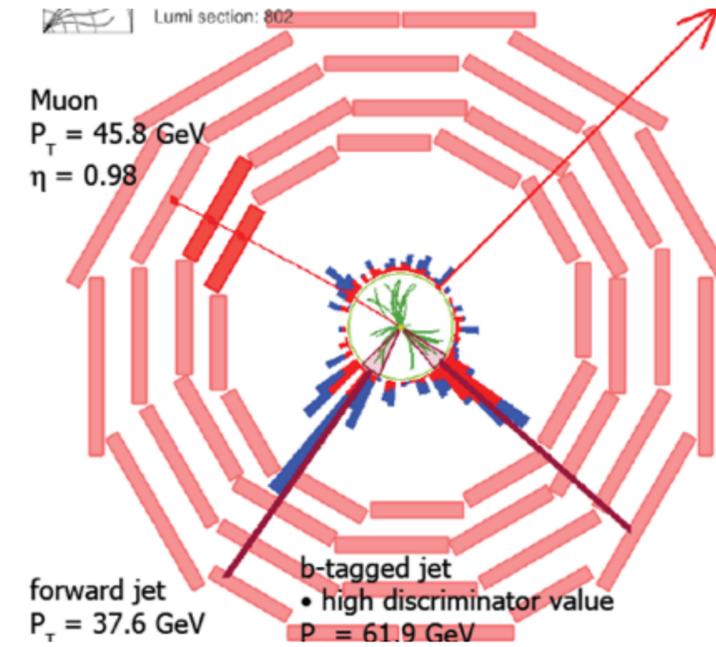


$$E_{\text{jet}} = E_{\text{photon}} + E_{\text{n.had}} + E_{\text{tracks}}$$

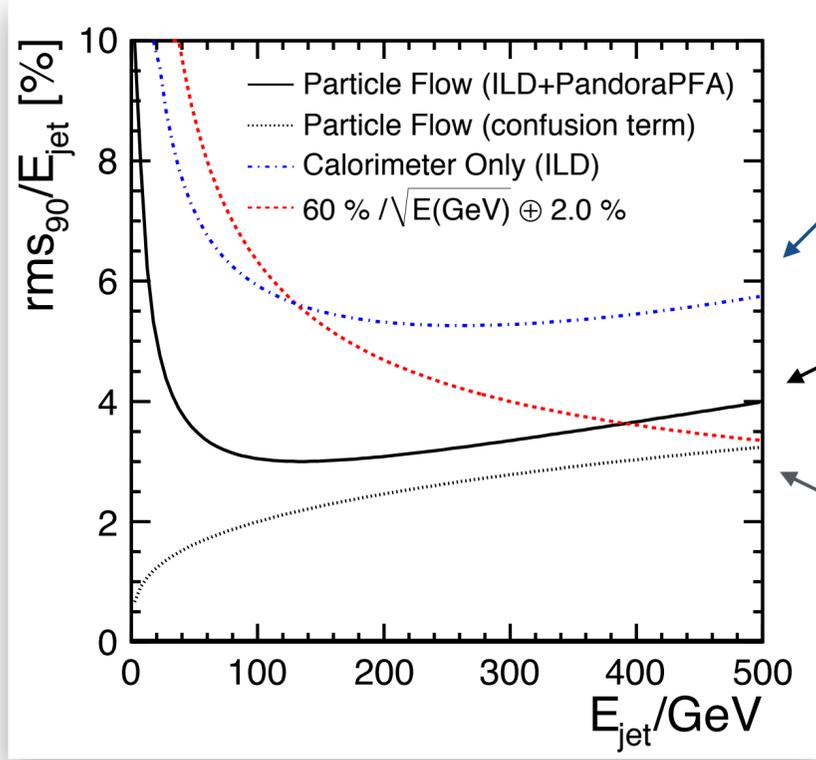
Go with the Flow



- For future e⁺e⁻ colliders: Design detector optimized for particle flow
- "CMS like" detector:
 - Calorimeters inside magnets
 - Strong magnetic field



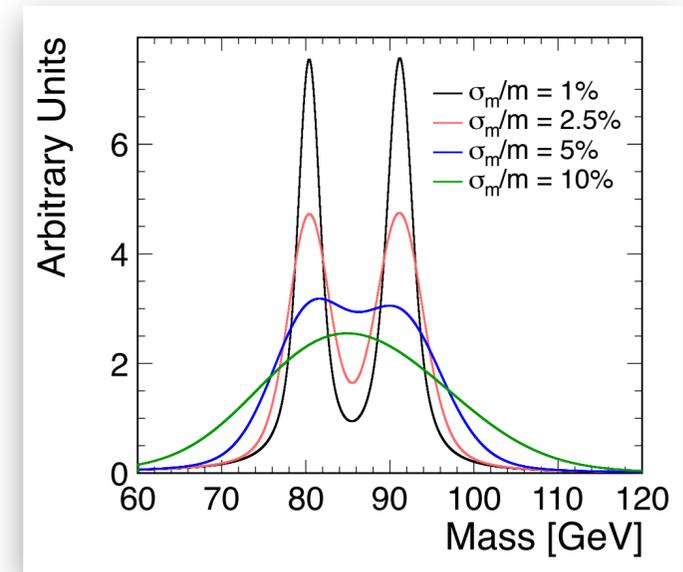
[Thompson, 2009]



realistic calorimeter (no PF)

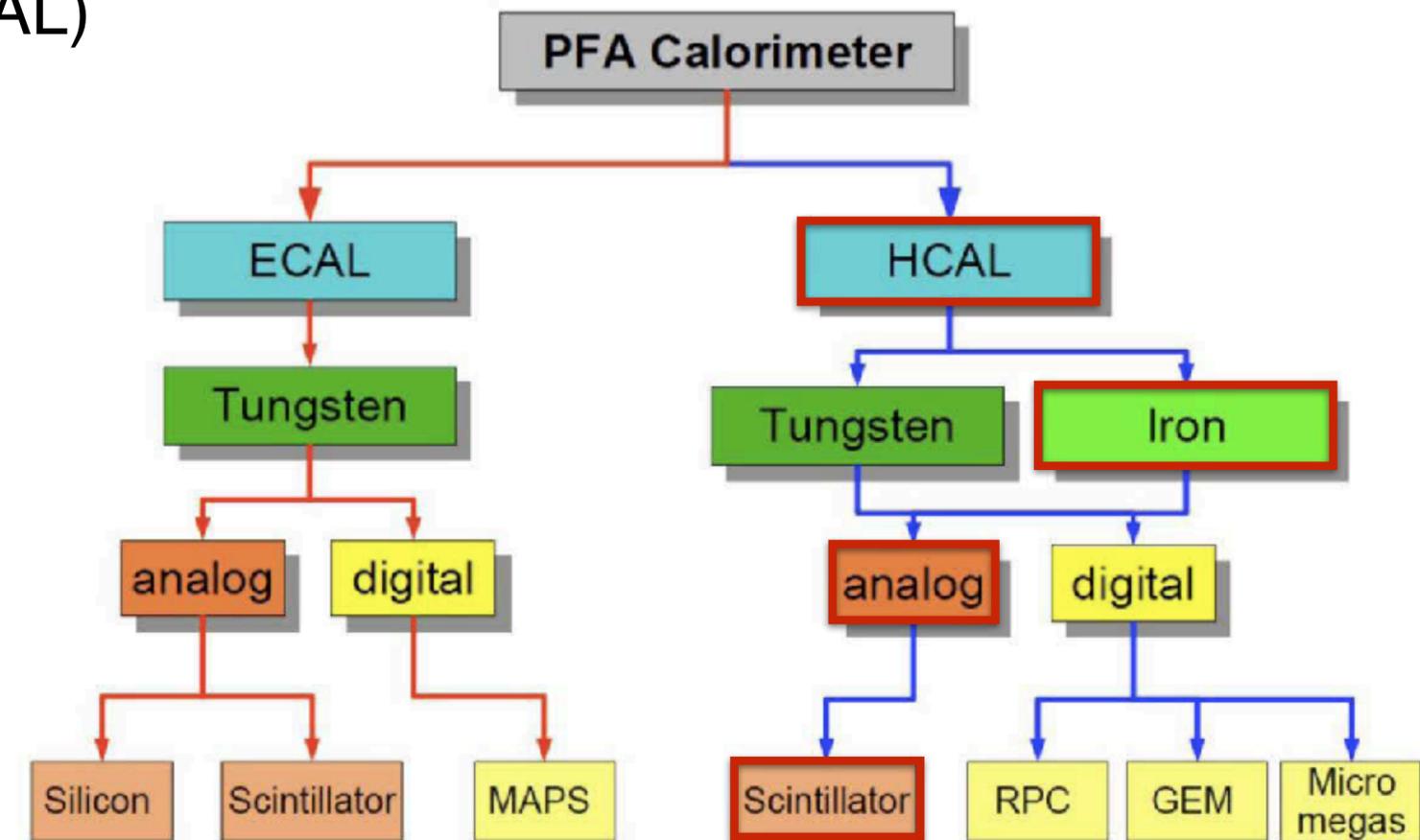
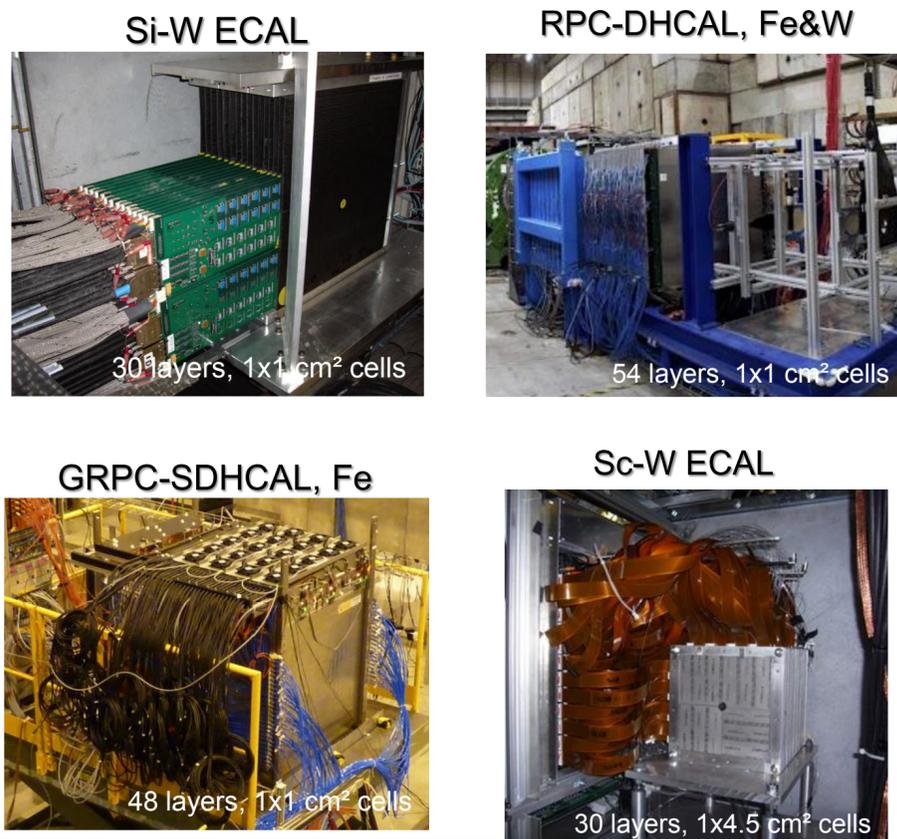
realistic Calorimeter with particle flow

confusion



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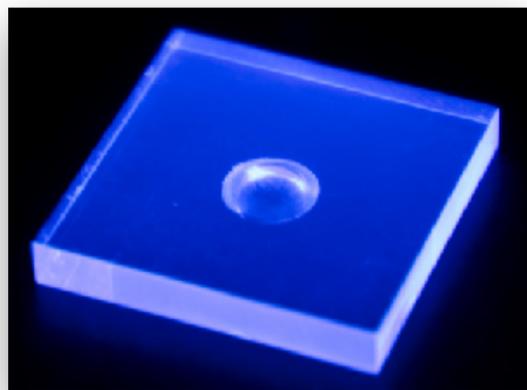
- **Aim:** Development of new technologies for calorimetry with highly granular detectors
- Several technologies under study
- This talk: focus on **analog hadronic calorimeter (AHCAL)**



Silicon Photomultiplier

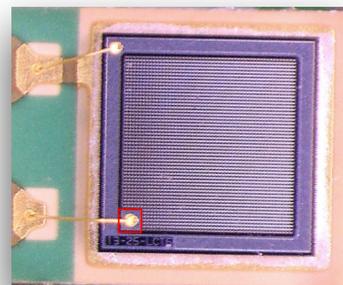


- Silicon Photomultipliers (SiPMs) are a key technology for scintillator based highly granular calorimeters
- Semiconductor photodetectors
 - ✓ Small size
 - ✓ Low costs



Scintillator

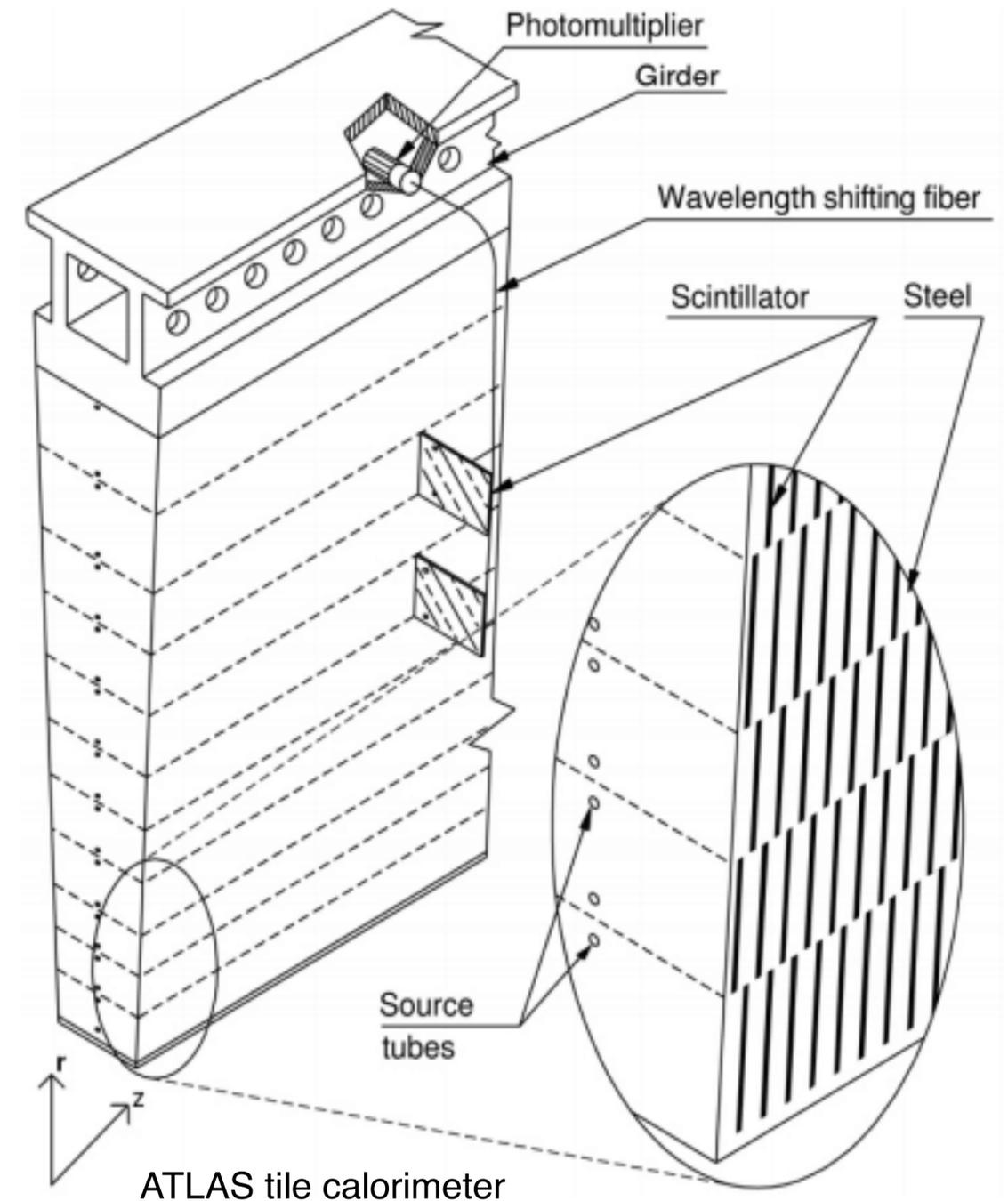
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SiPM



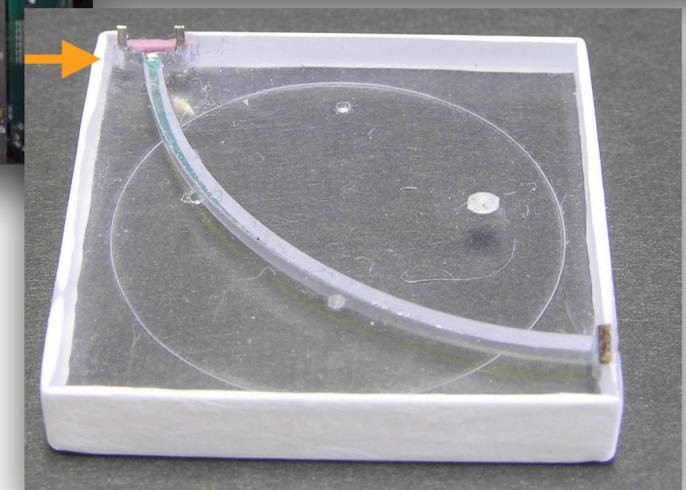
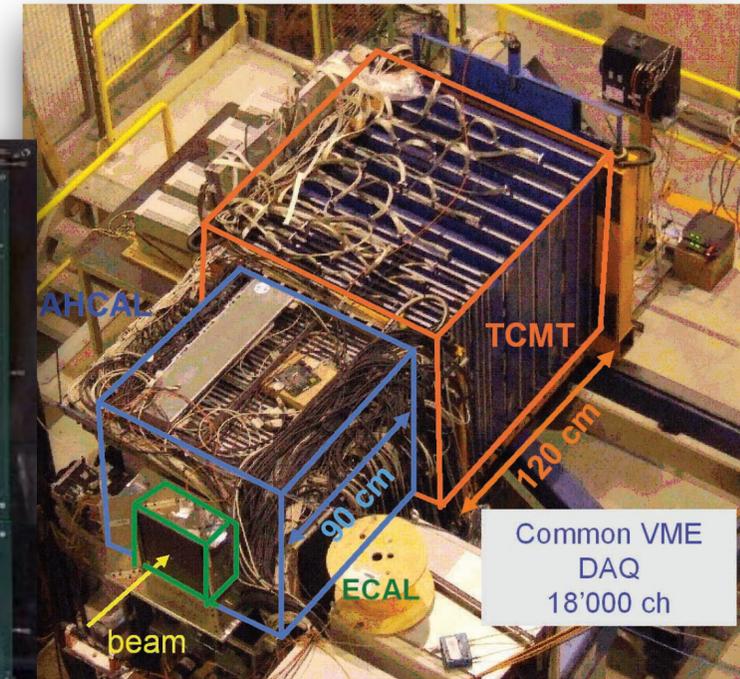
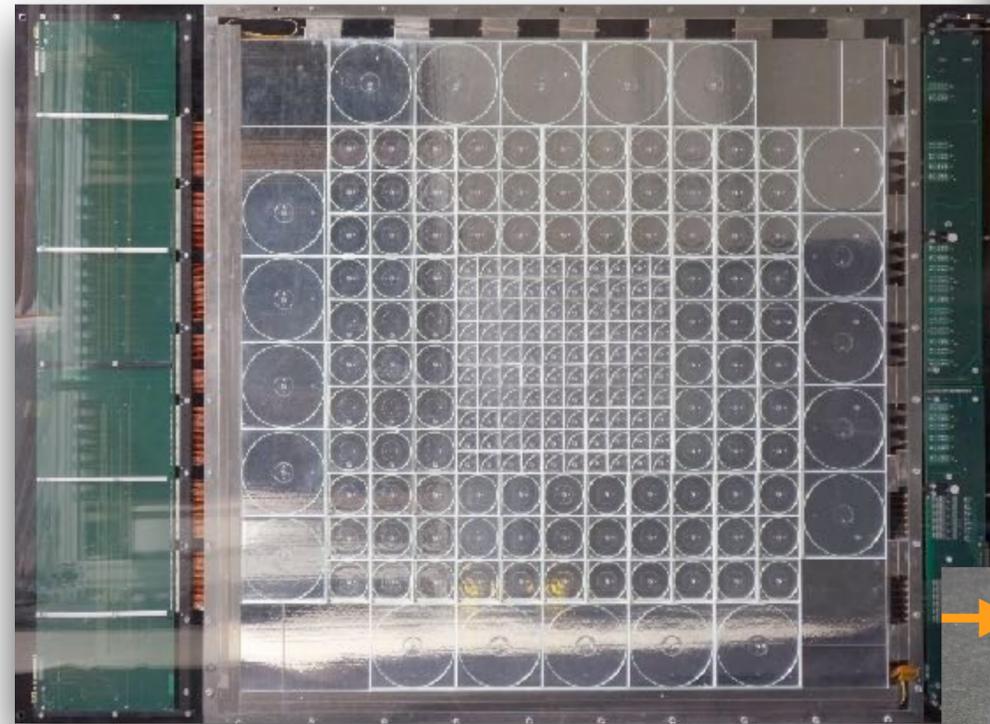
Photomultiplier tube



Physics Prototype



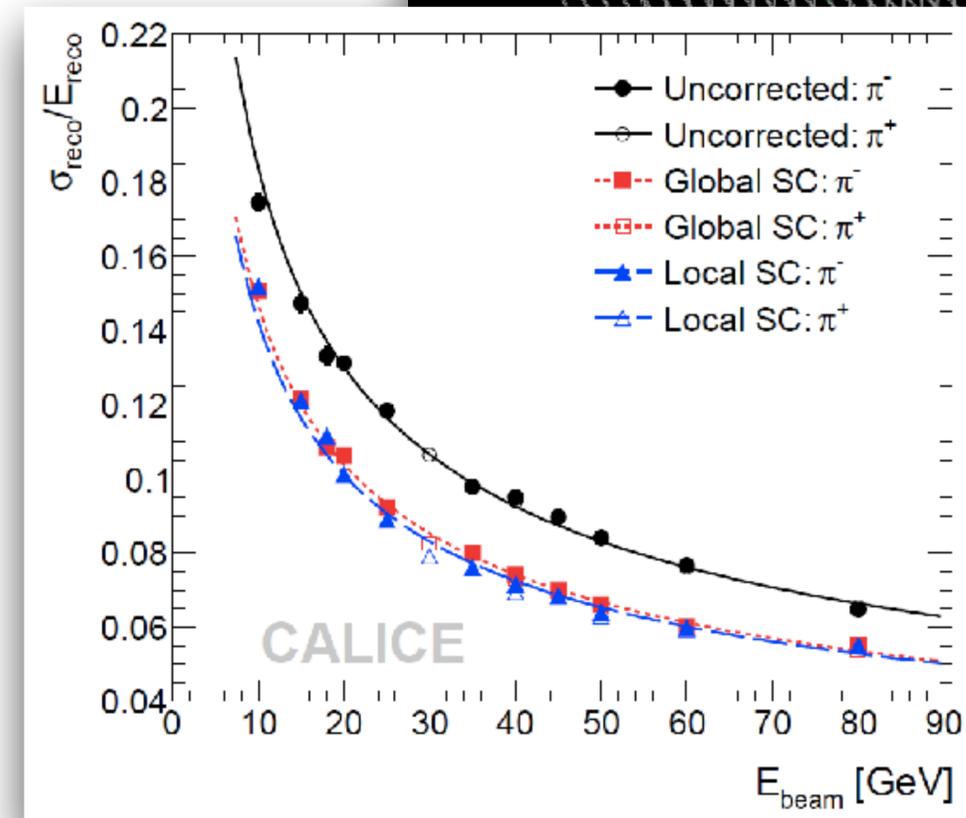
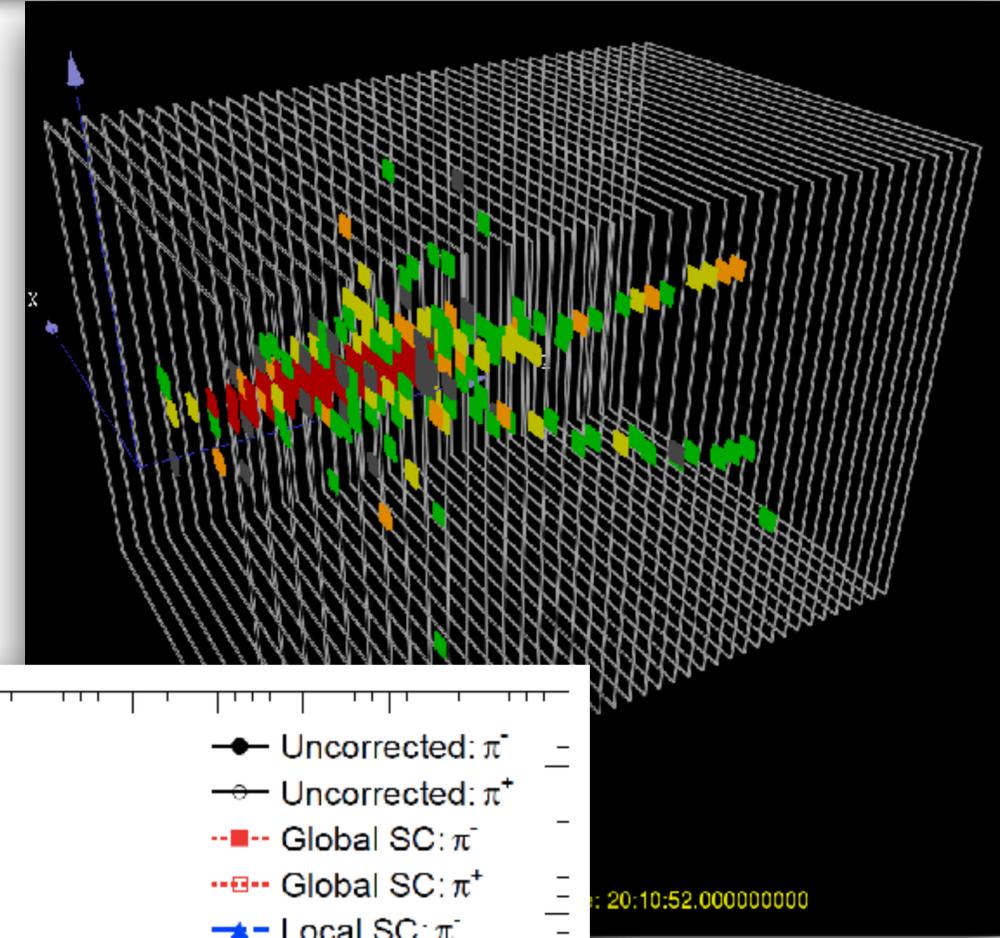
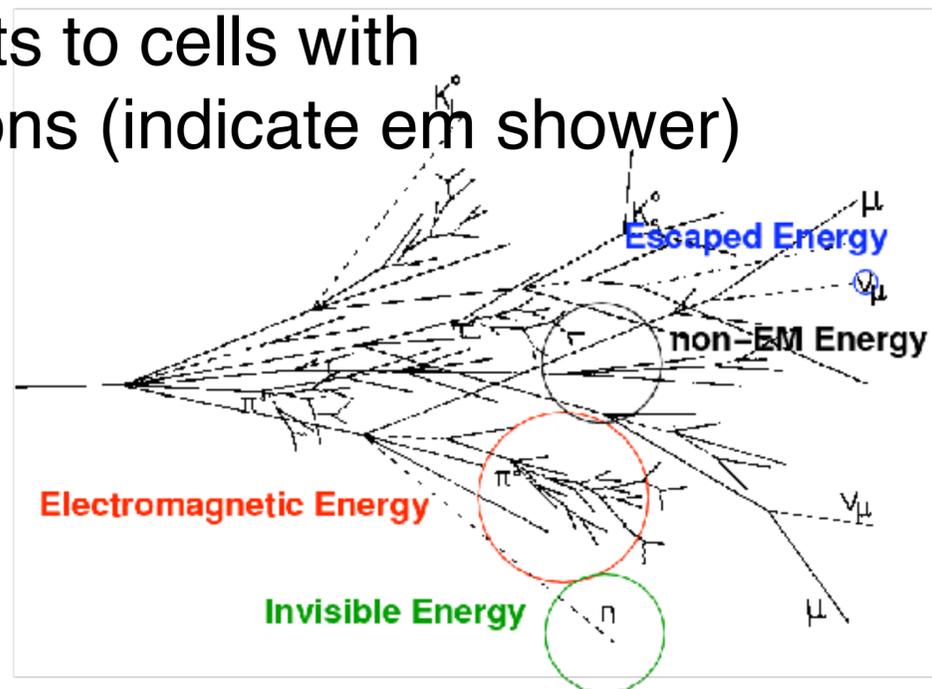
- Scintillator tiles of different sizes
- Read out by wave length shifting fibers
- ~8'000 channels
- Combined test beams with ECAL & Tailcatcher



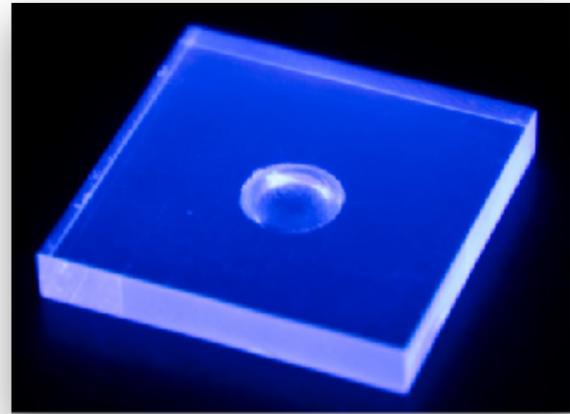
Physics Prototype - Software Compensation



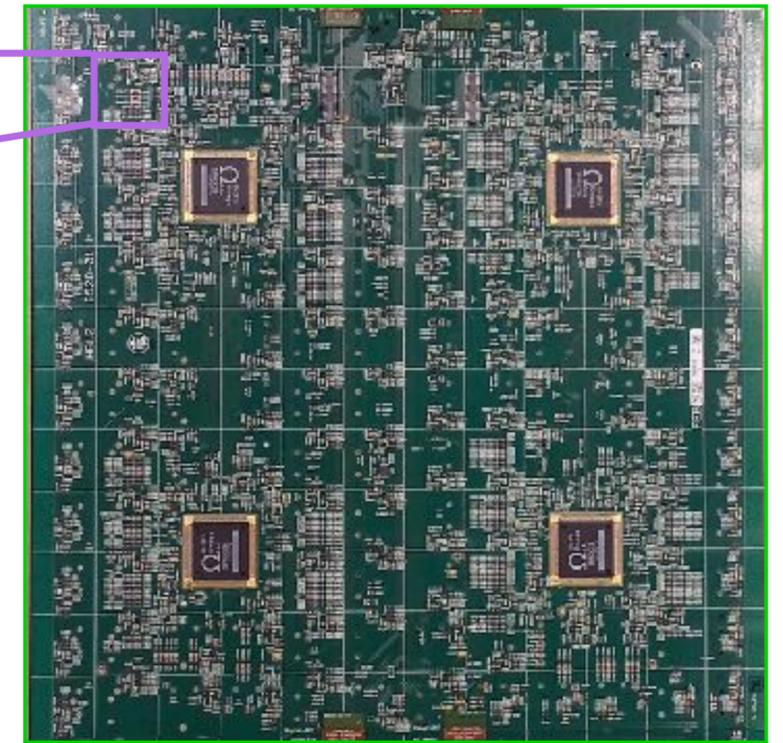
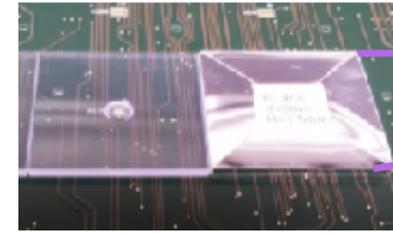
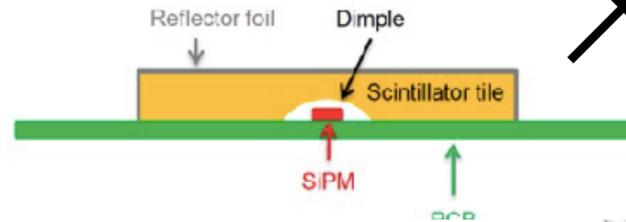
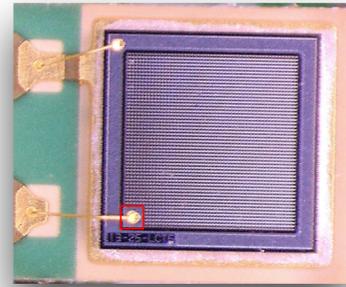
- Enhance energy reconstruction by software compensation
- Non-compensating calorimeters give different response for electromagnetic and hadronic part of shower
- Large fluctuations in fraction of electromagnetic part
- Exploit granularity of detector:
Apply different weights to cells with high energy depositions (indicate em shower)



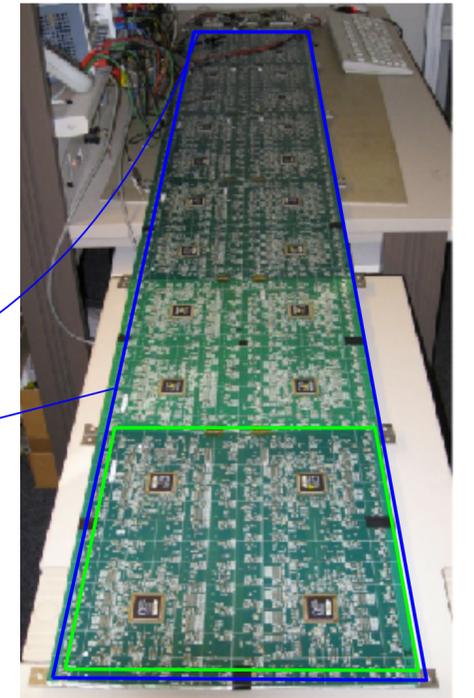
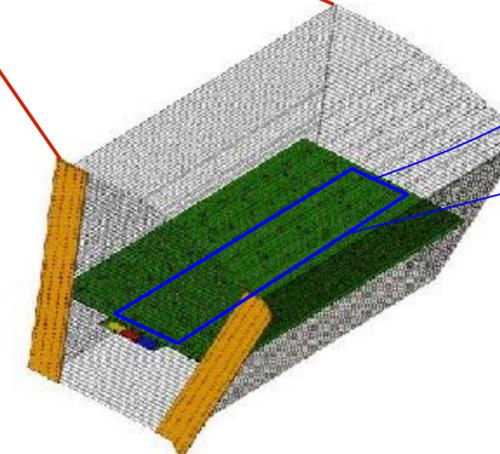
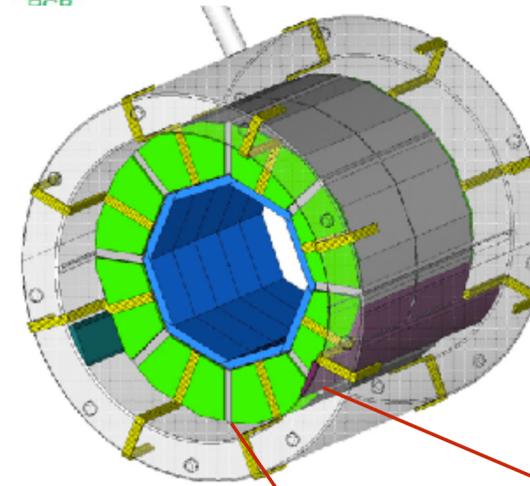
AHCAL - Concept



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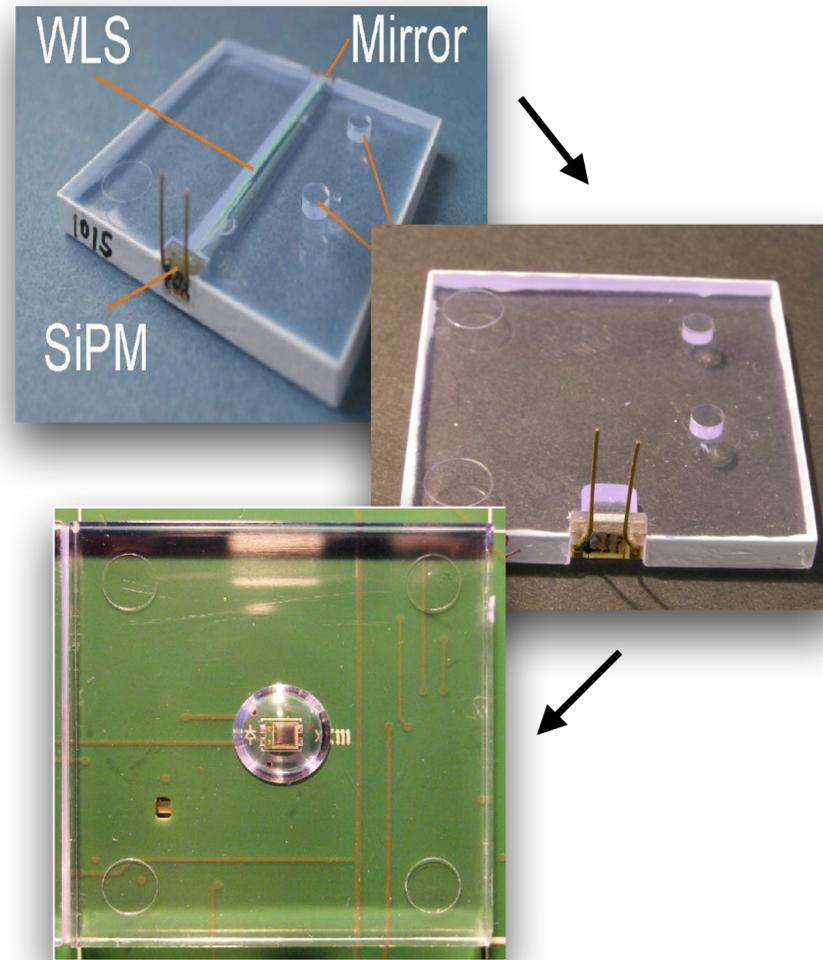
- Sampling calorimeter based on scintillators and silicon photomultipliers (SiPMs)
- Scintillator tiles of size $3 \times 3 \times 0.3 \text{ cm}^3$, dimple for light focussing, wrapped in reflecting foil
- HCAL base unit (HBU) with fully integrated electronics



Technological Prototype

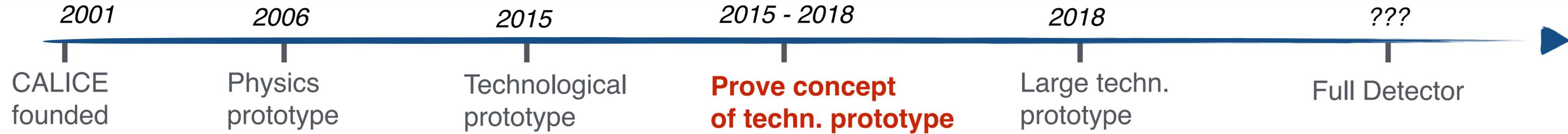


- Build a prototype within the specifications of a *real detector*
 - Integrated electronics
 - Power consumption
 - Cooling
 - Mass production
- Testing different technologies
- Different SiPMs / scintillating tile designs



Technological Prototype

Technological Prototype



- Testing new features:
 - Timing capabilities
 - Power pulsing
 - Temperature compensation
- Test in high magnetic fields

Technical Prototype
in small steel stack

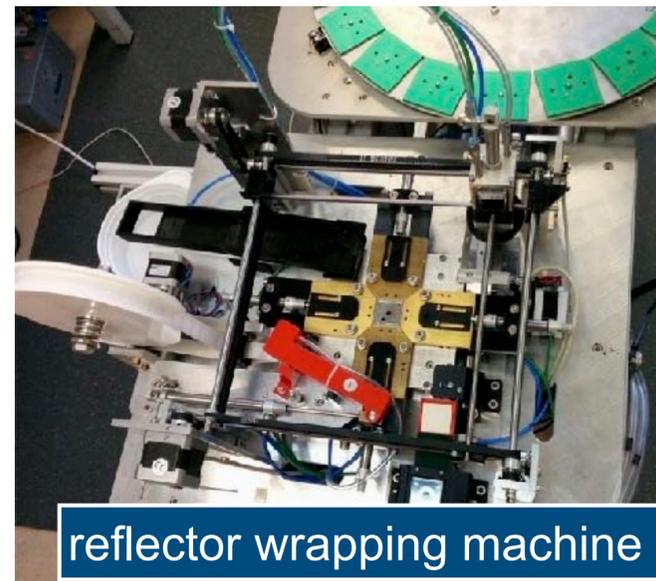


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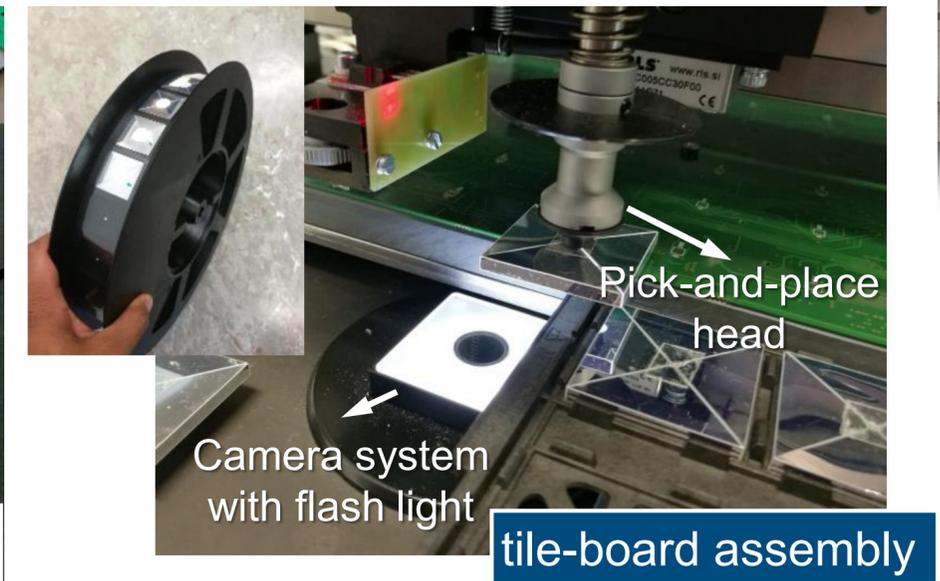
Large Technological Prototype



- Prototype with nearly 22'000 channels in 38 layers
- Large scale production
 - Injection moulded tiles
 - Automated tile wrapping (*start in Oct '17*)
 - Pick and place machine (*start in Nov '17*)
- Two test beam campaigns in May / June at CERN
- Final detector will have ~10M channels

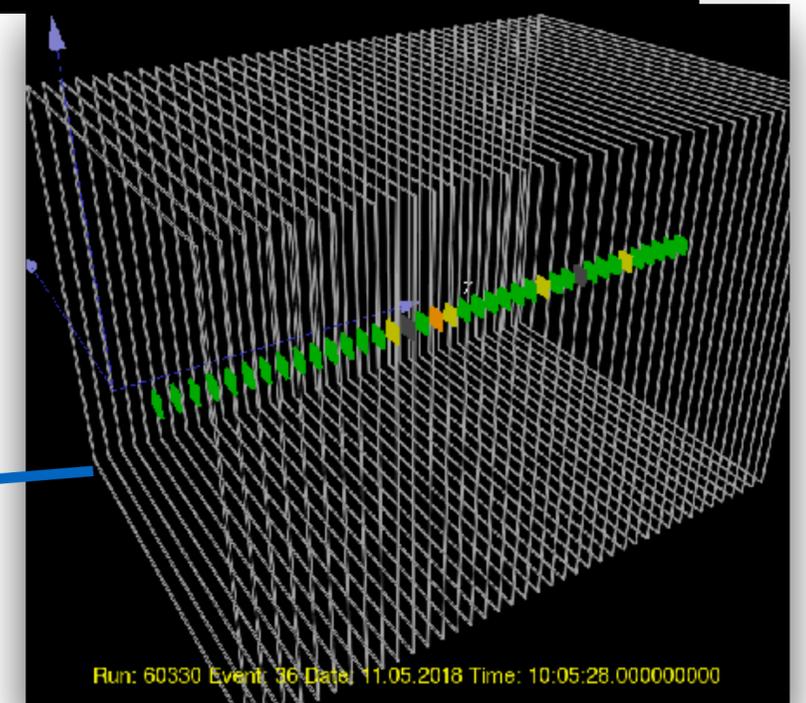
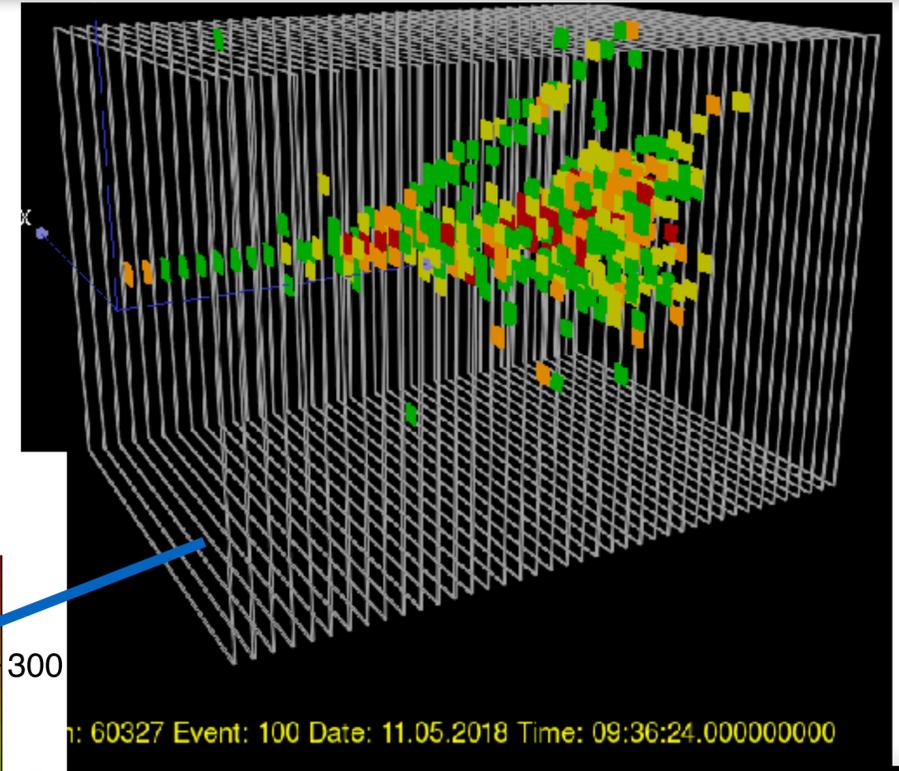
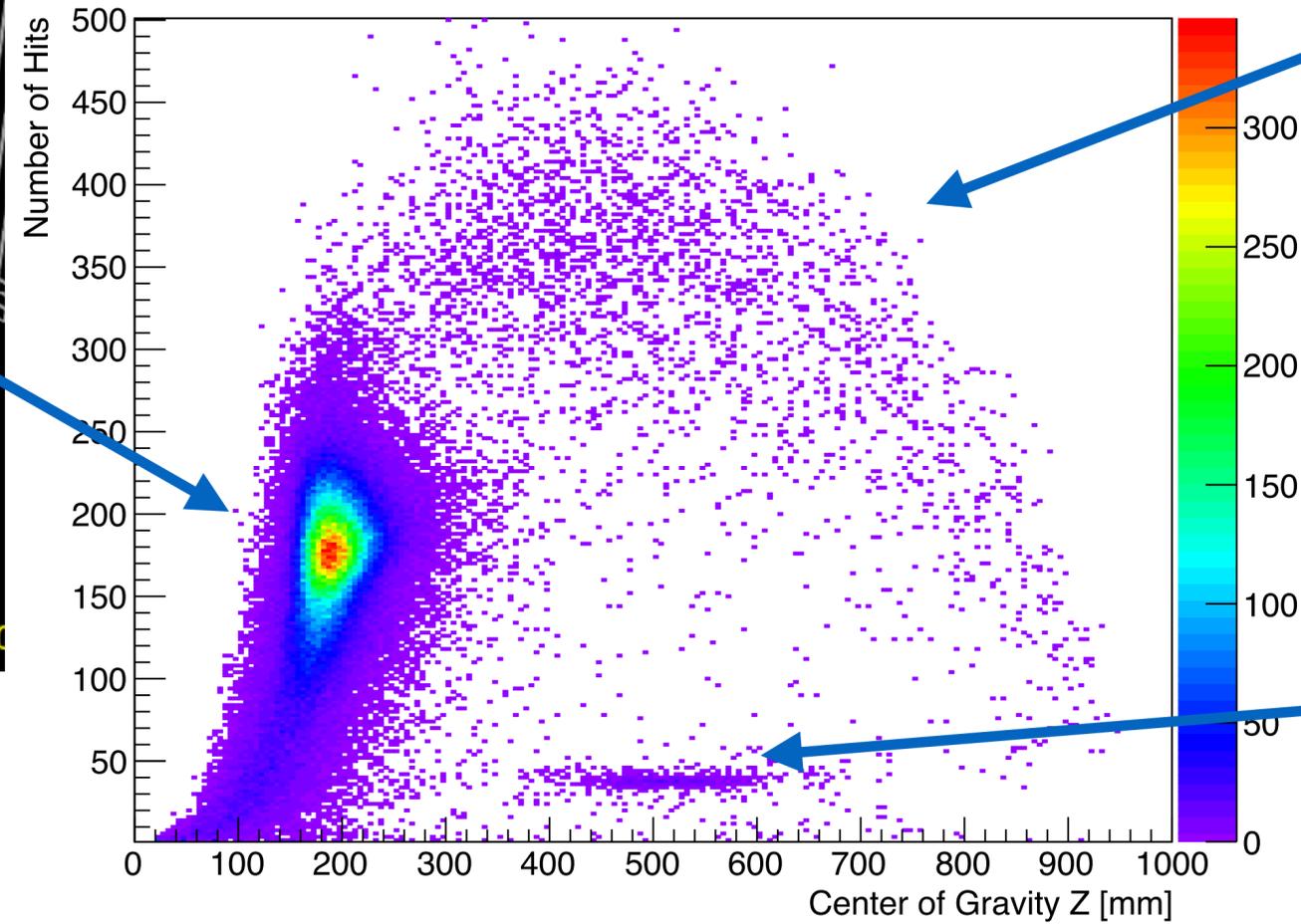
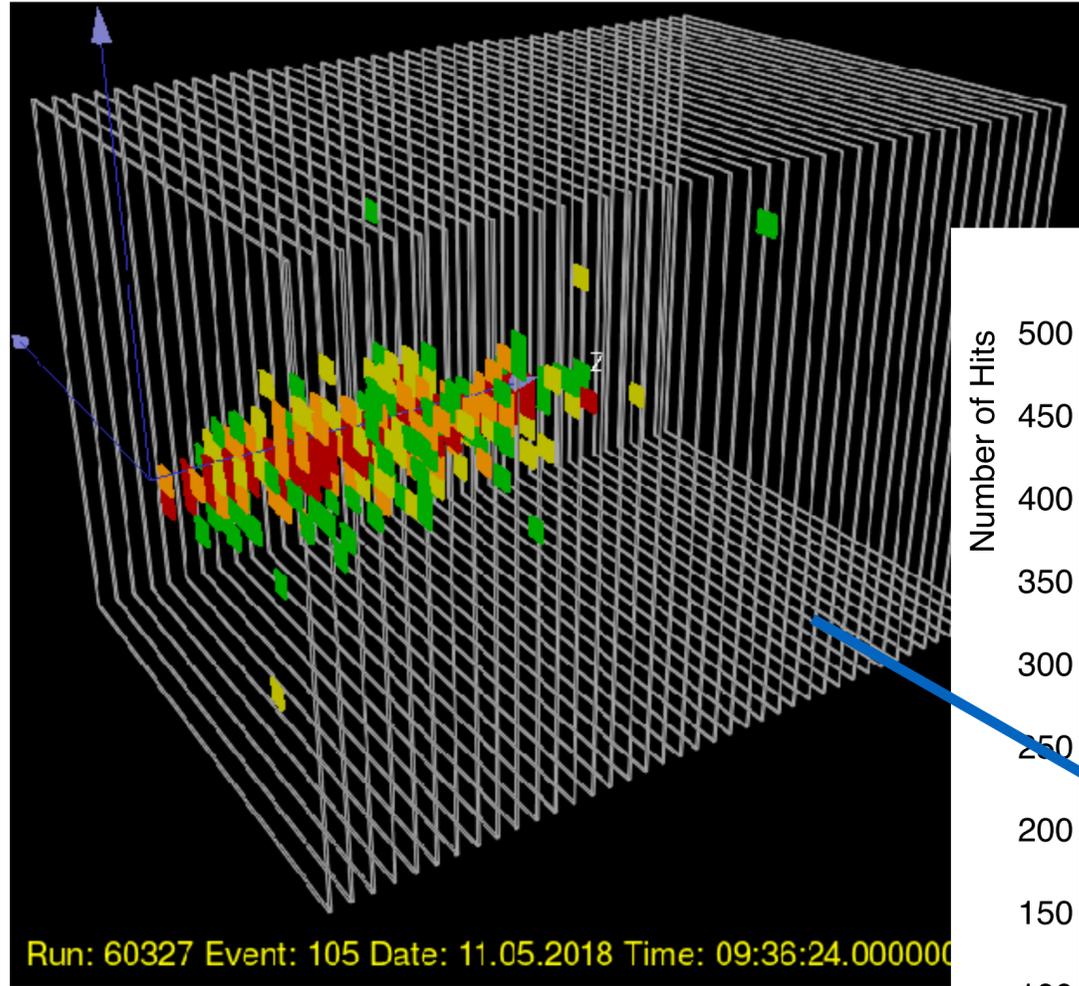


reflector wrapping machine

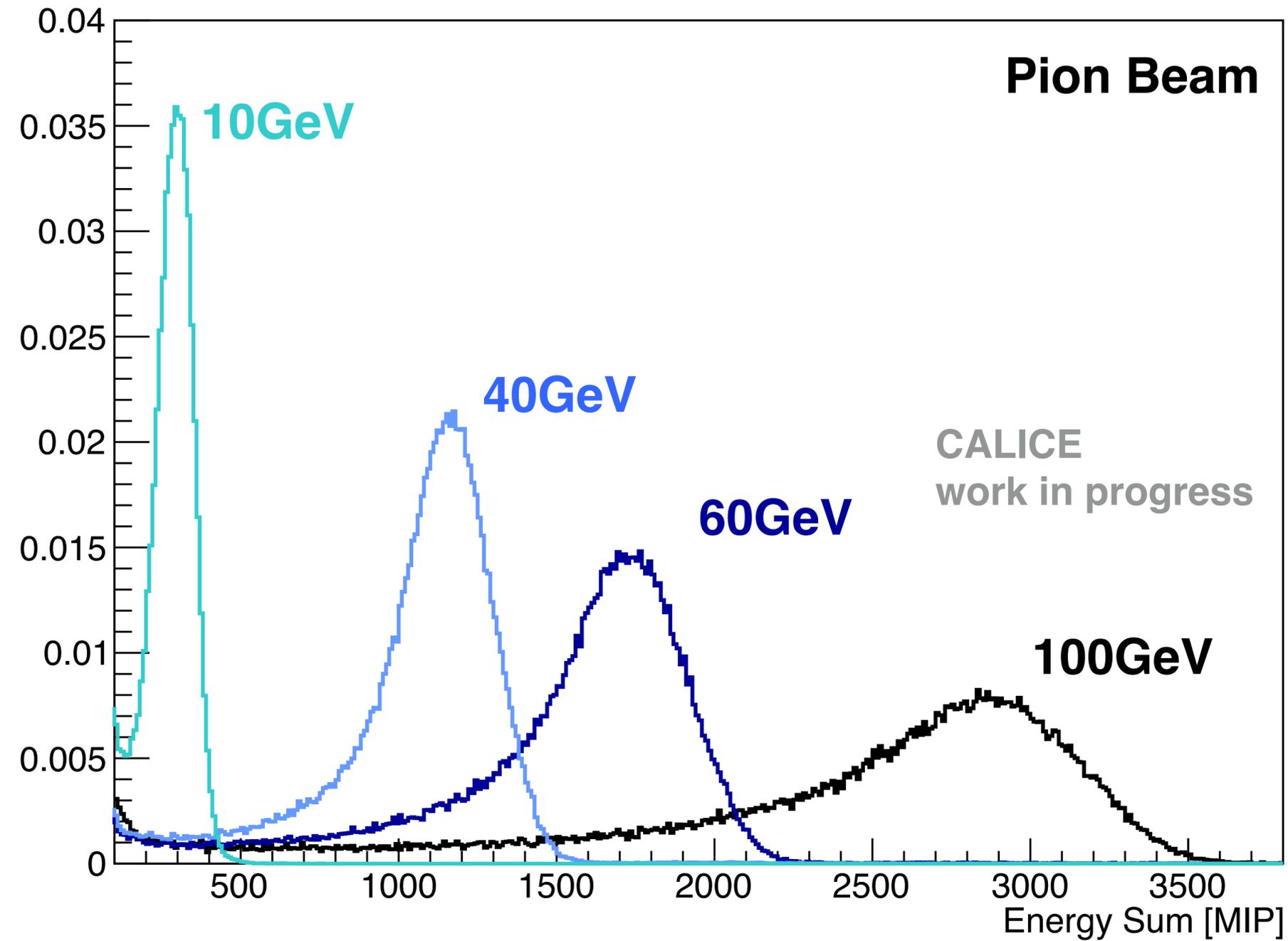


tile-board assembly

First Impressions from Recent Test Beams



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- CALICE develops highly granular calorimeter for particle flow focussed future linear collider experiments
- Technology used / considered in various other experiments:
 - CMS HGCal
 - DUNE
- Two successful test beam campaigns with a large AHCAL technological prototype with nearly 22'000 channels

