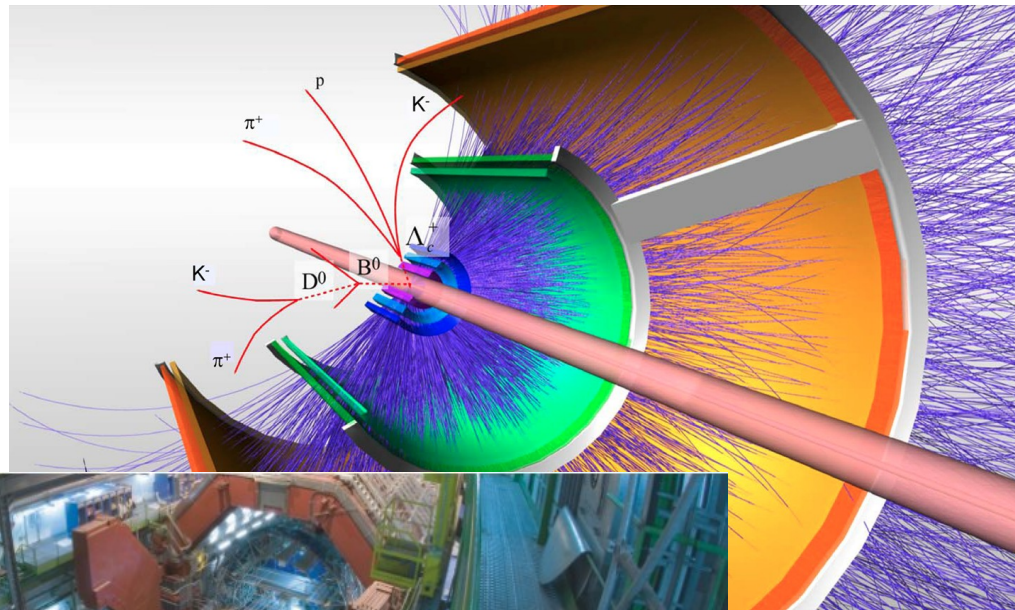


Towards a QCD+QGP physics at HL-LHC with ultra-low p_T detection :

ALICE ITS3 + “all-Si experiment”



Foreword

1. - Apologies for my short stay here...

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Cristinel Diaconu	Exp	e [±] p, ATLAS	TbD	...
You ?

2. - Thinking in progress...

look for contradictors
to forge one's opinion

Outline

- A. Basic unit : MAPS
- B. ≥ 2021 , Run 3 (*ITS2 reminder*)
- C. ≥ 2026 , Run 4 (*ITS3*)
- D. ≥ 2031 , Run 5 (*All-Si experiment*)

References

ITS2 :

ITS3 : 1) *LHCc 2019-06 ALICE*, M.Mager ITS3 + 2) *Eol ITS3*, *ALICE-PUBLIC-2018-013*

LS4+ : 1) *Eol LS4+*, *arXiv:1902.01211* + 2) *SQM 2019 L.Musa* indico.cern.ch/e/755366/c/3428151/

LHC direct alternative : * CMS MTD, 1) *Lol CERN-LHCC-2017-027* + 2) *TDR CERN-LHCC-2019-003*
3) *Seminar IPHC, Chang-Seong Moon* : indico.in2p3.fr/e/19269/

* *LHCb, Eol upgrade LS4*, *arXiv:1808.08865*

Part A – the basic tool

I.1 – Pixel detectors : Monolithic Active vs Hybrid techno.

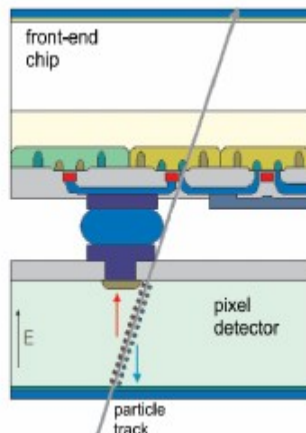
Hybrid pixel sensor →

CMOS pixel sensor →

sens. layer → q-collect → ampli → analog treat → A-D conv → digital proc



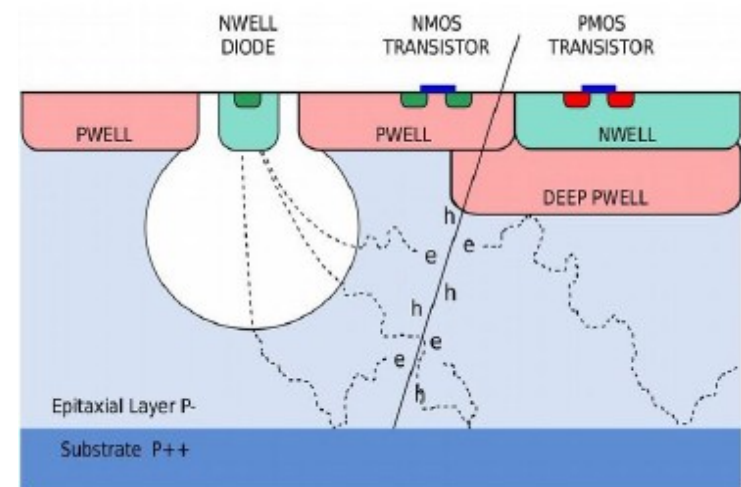
Hybrid pixel sensor



Advantages :

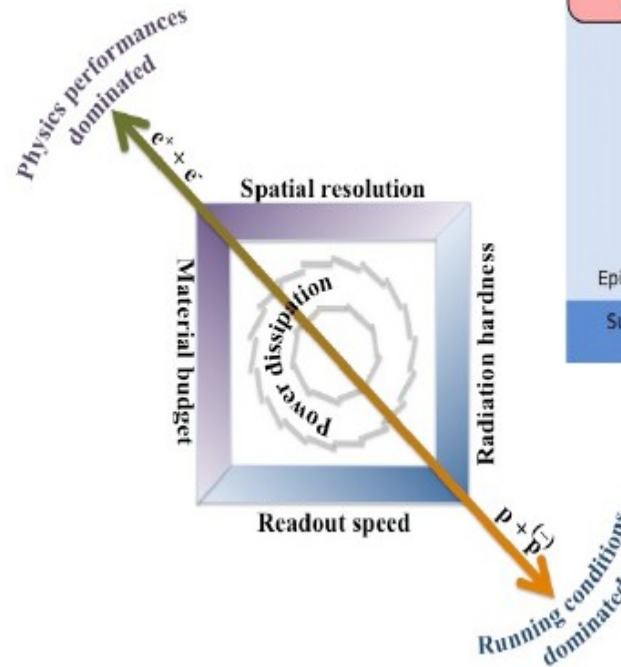
- faster readout
- better radiation-hardness
- ...

CMOS pixel sensor



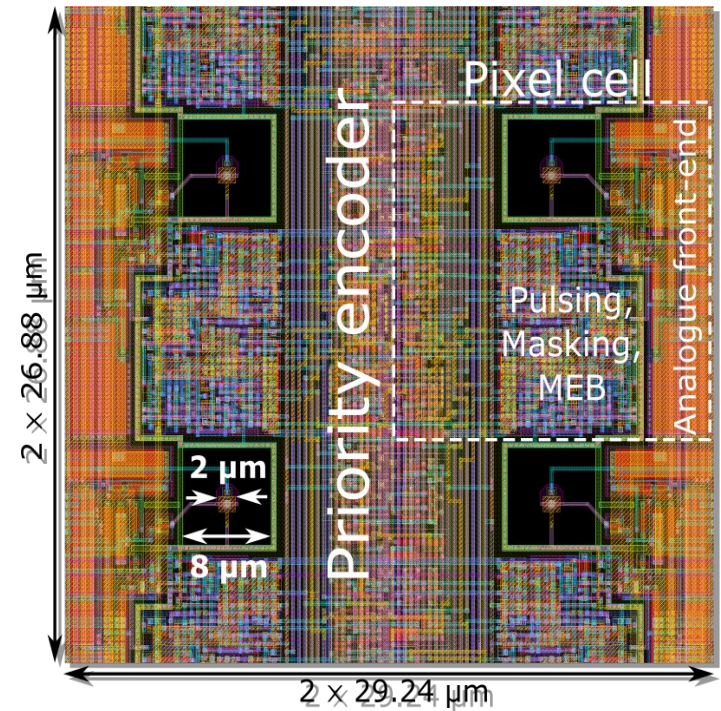
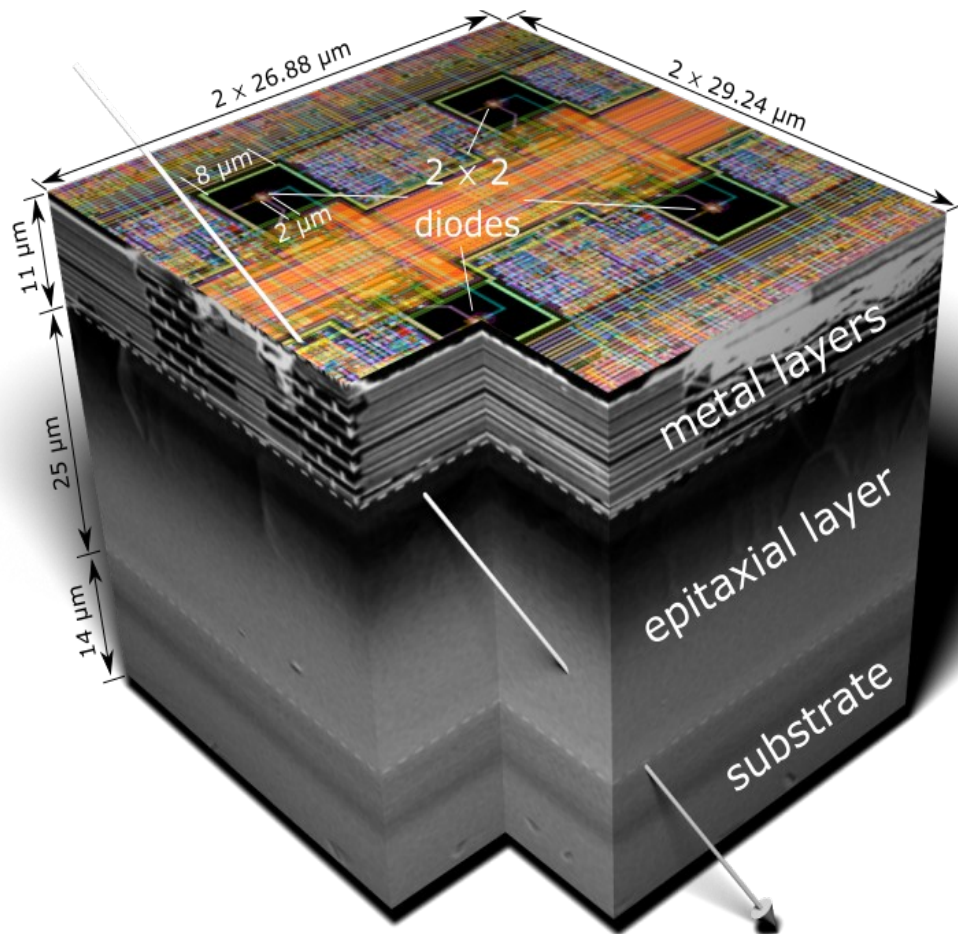
Advantages :

- thinner
- smaller pixel size accessible
- lower power consumption
- cheaper to produce
- ...



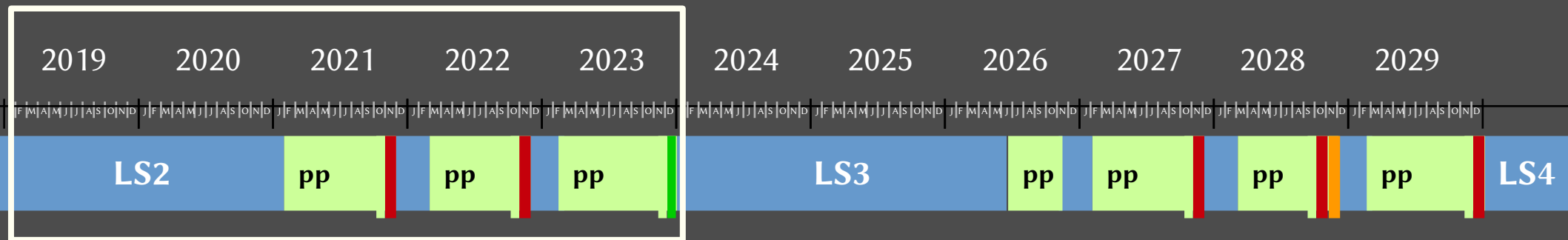
I.2 – Pixel detectors : ALPIDE chip

Sensor using
TowerJazz 0.18 μm CMOS Imaging Process



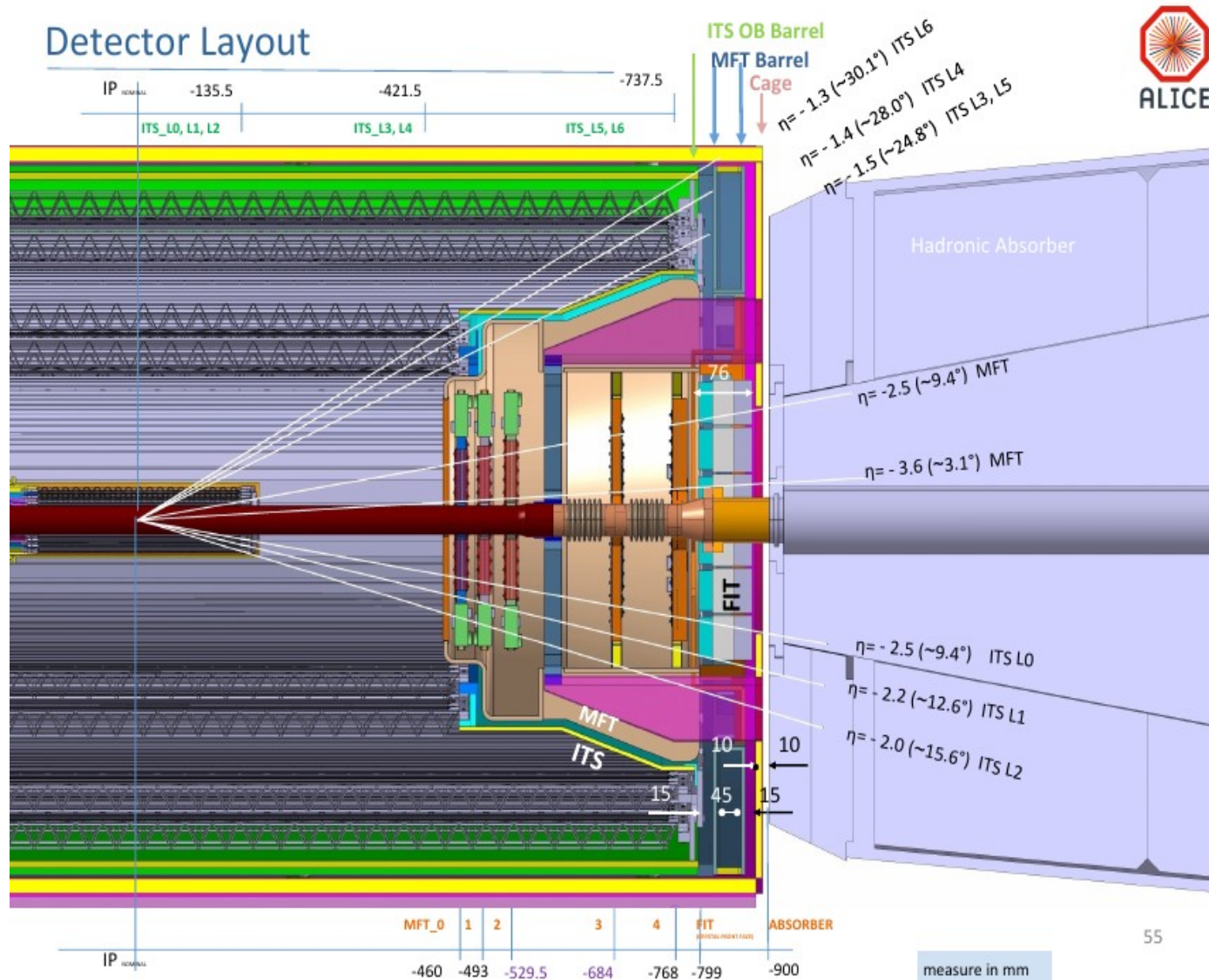
ALPIDE – 3D and 2D views of 2x2 pixels
(Here, in the 50- μm -thick version...)

Part B – ITS-2 = after LS2 (≥ 2021 , Run 3)



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II.1 – ITS-2 + MFT : MAPS-based detector

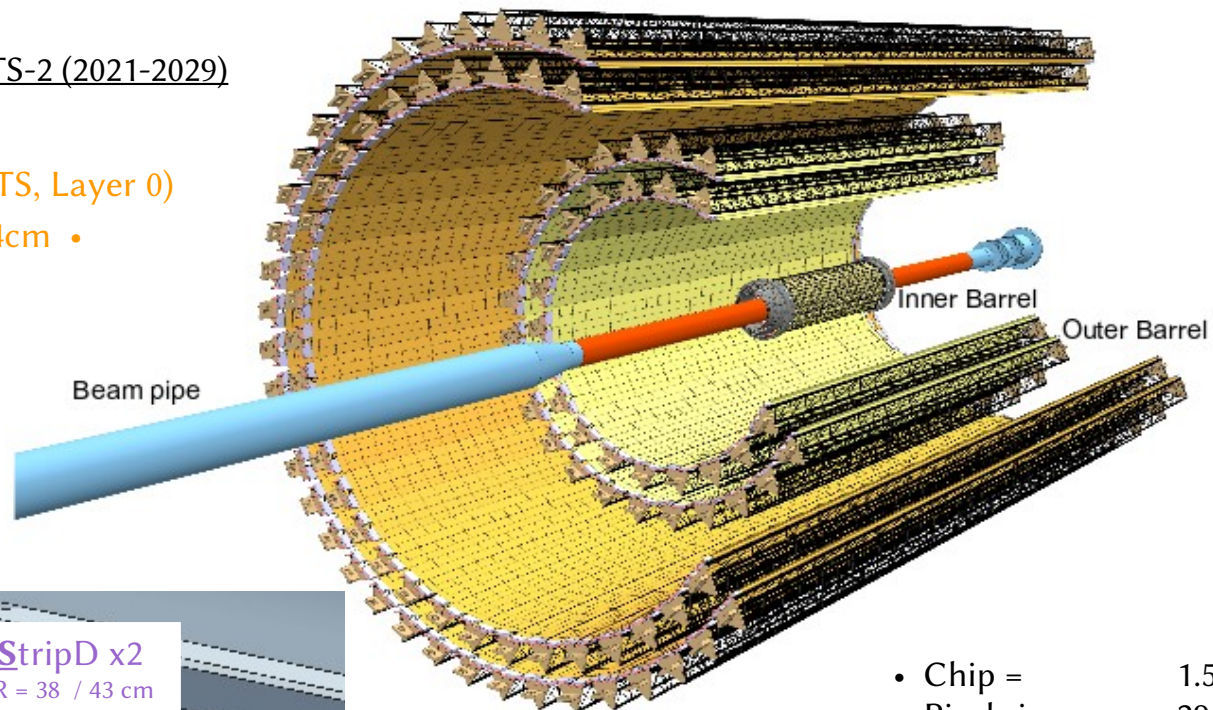


II.2 – ITS2 : ALICE upgrade ITS, few figures

ITS-2 (2021-2029)

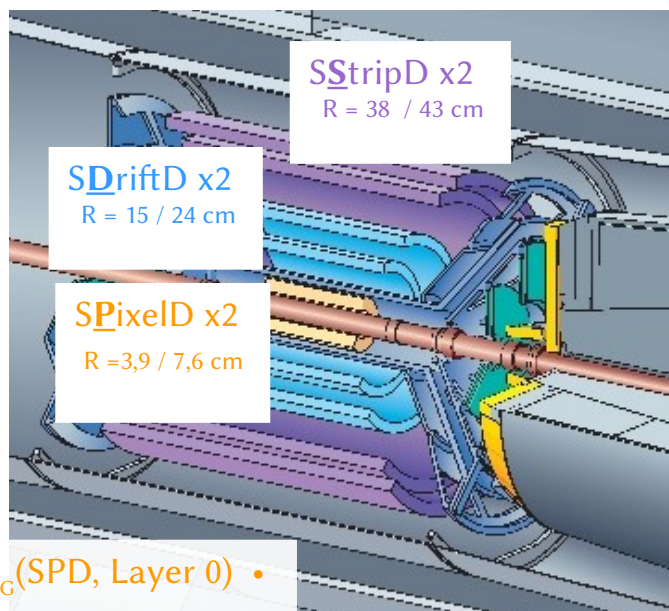
R_{AVG} (uITS, Layer 0)
= 2.34cm •

Beam pipe : $R_{upgrade} = 1.82$ cm •



- 7 pixel-only layers
- 12.6×10^9 pixels,
- ~ 10 m² in total
- 13.6 x10⁶ CHF (0.18- μ m CMOS technology by TowerJazz)

ITS-1 (2009-2018)



SStripD x2
R = 38 / 43 cm

SDriftD x2
R = 15 / 24 cm

SPixelD x2
R = 3,9 / 7,6 cm

R_{AVG} (SPD, Layer 0) •
= 3.9 cm

• Beam pipe :
 $R_{current} = 2.9$ cm

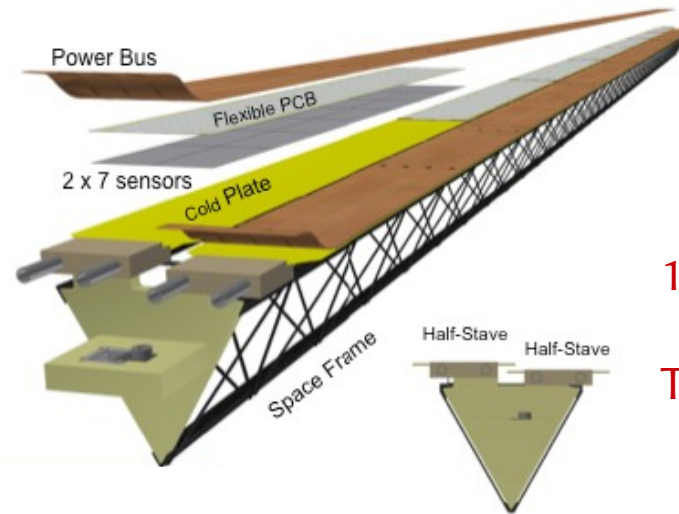
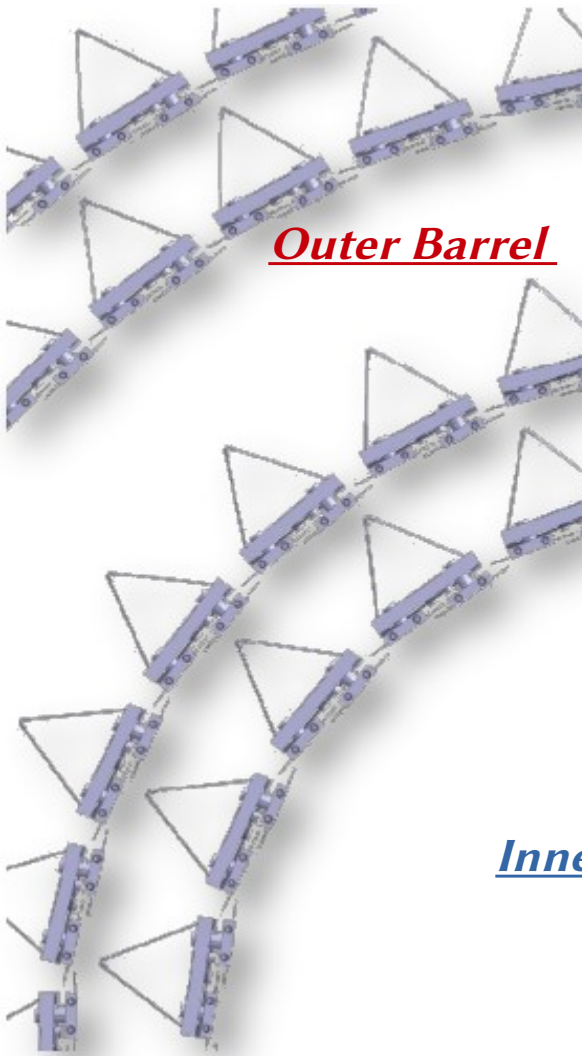
- Chip = 1.5 x 3 cm²
- Pixel size = 29x27 μ m²
(current SPD : 50 x 425 μ m²)

Note :

No dE/dx information,
binary pixel readout “0/1”

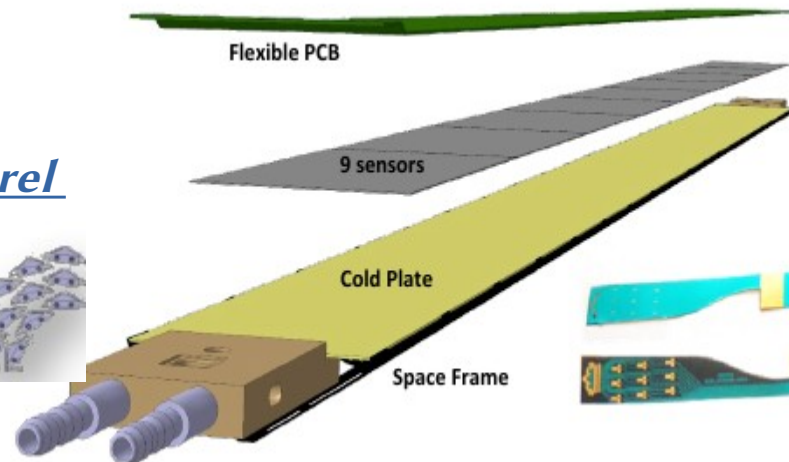
Unlike “past” ITS-1 with SDD, SSD...

II.3 – ITS2 : “(half)-stave of modules of chips”



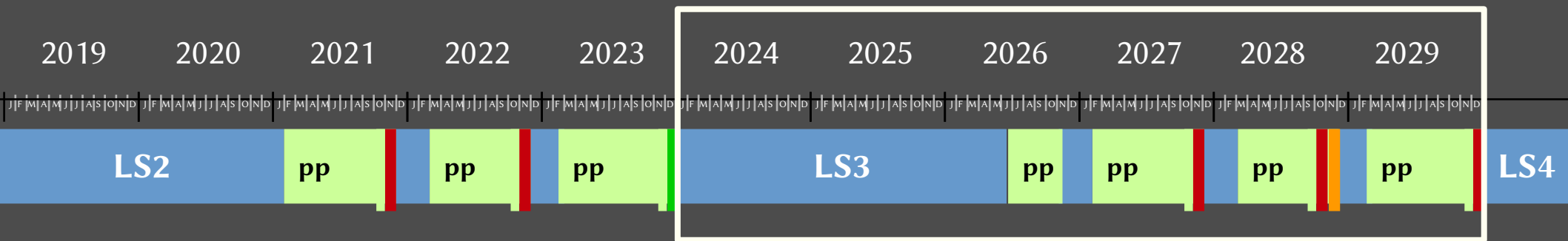
1 module = 2x7 chips
≈ 3 cm x 21 cm ,
Then, up to 7 modules to build half-stave

Inner Barrel



1 module
= 9 chips in a raw,
≈ 1.5 cm x 27 cm
directly put on stave

Part C – ITS-3 = after LS3 (≥ 2026 , Run 4)



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III.1 – ITS-3 : first expression of interest

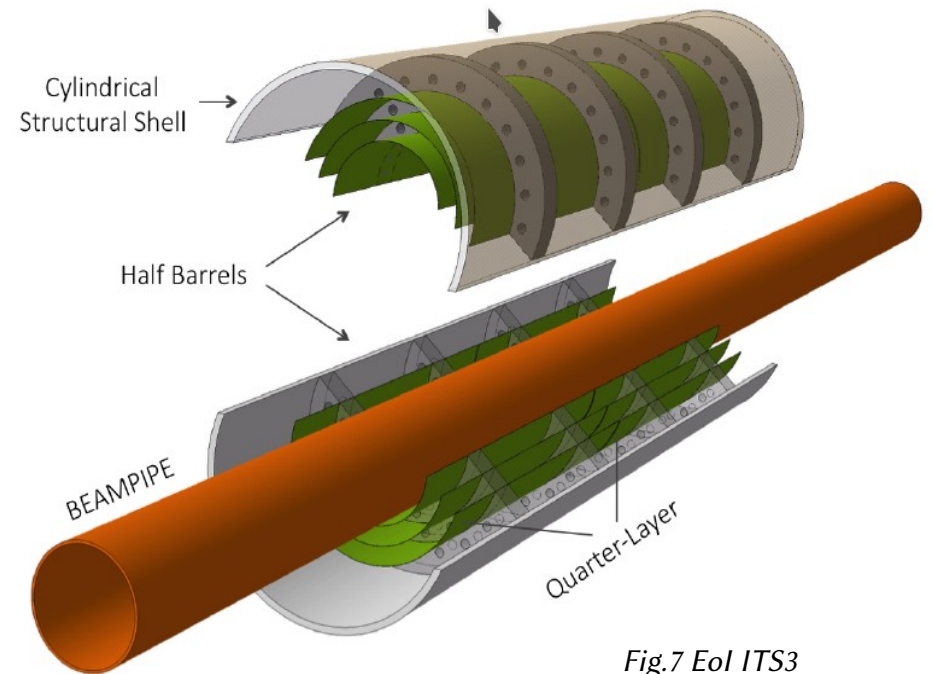
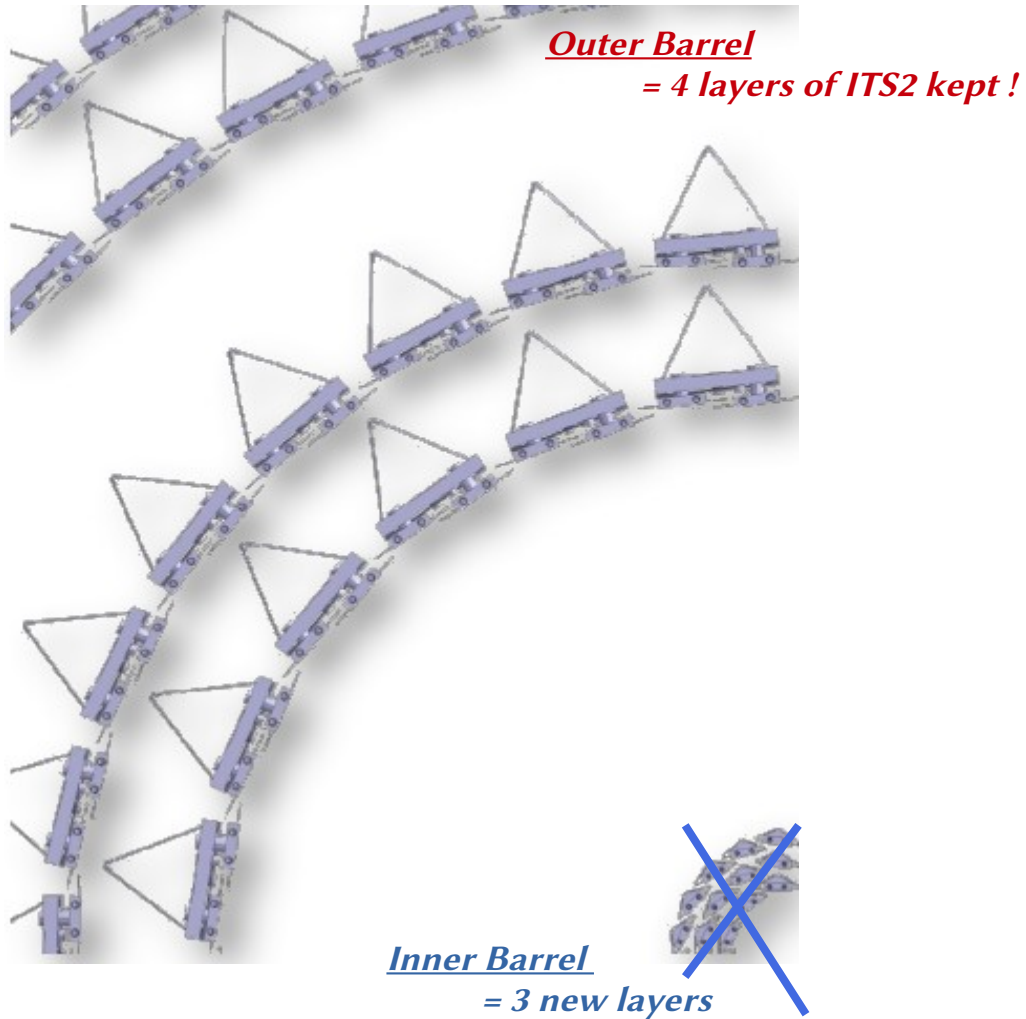
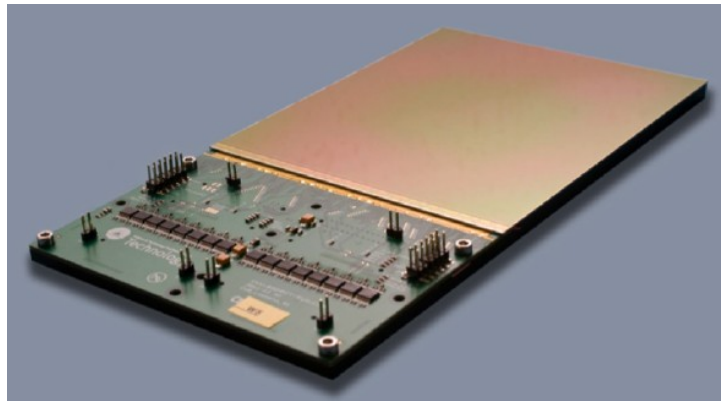


Fig.7 EoI ITS3
ALICE-PUBLIC-2018-013

III.2 – ITS-3 : key foreseen features, “closer + lighter”

Keys :

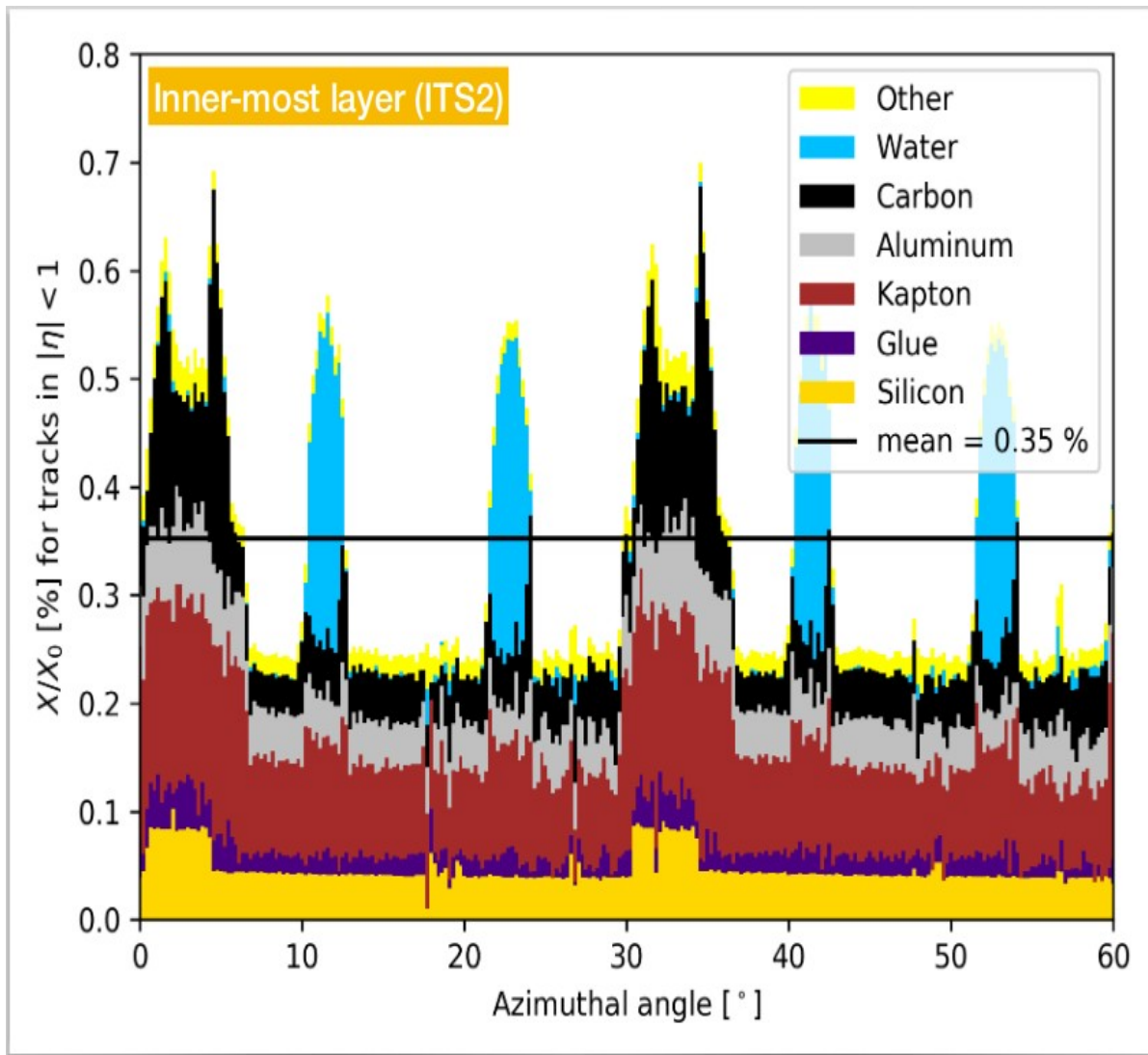
- (1) - shrunk beam pipe ($r_{\text{beam pipe}} = 1.6 \text{ cm}$)
→ inner most layer at $r_{L0} = 1.8 \text{ cm}$
- (2) - reticle-size sensor ($O[15 \times 10 \text{ cm}^2]$) + (3) - ultra-thin Si CMOS (20- μm thick)
→ circuitry pushed to periphery (*stitching*), ~no extra services required
→ can be curved
→ homogeneous 0.05% X/X° per layer



X-ray detector 13.9 x 12 cm² TowerJazz 0.18- μm



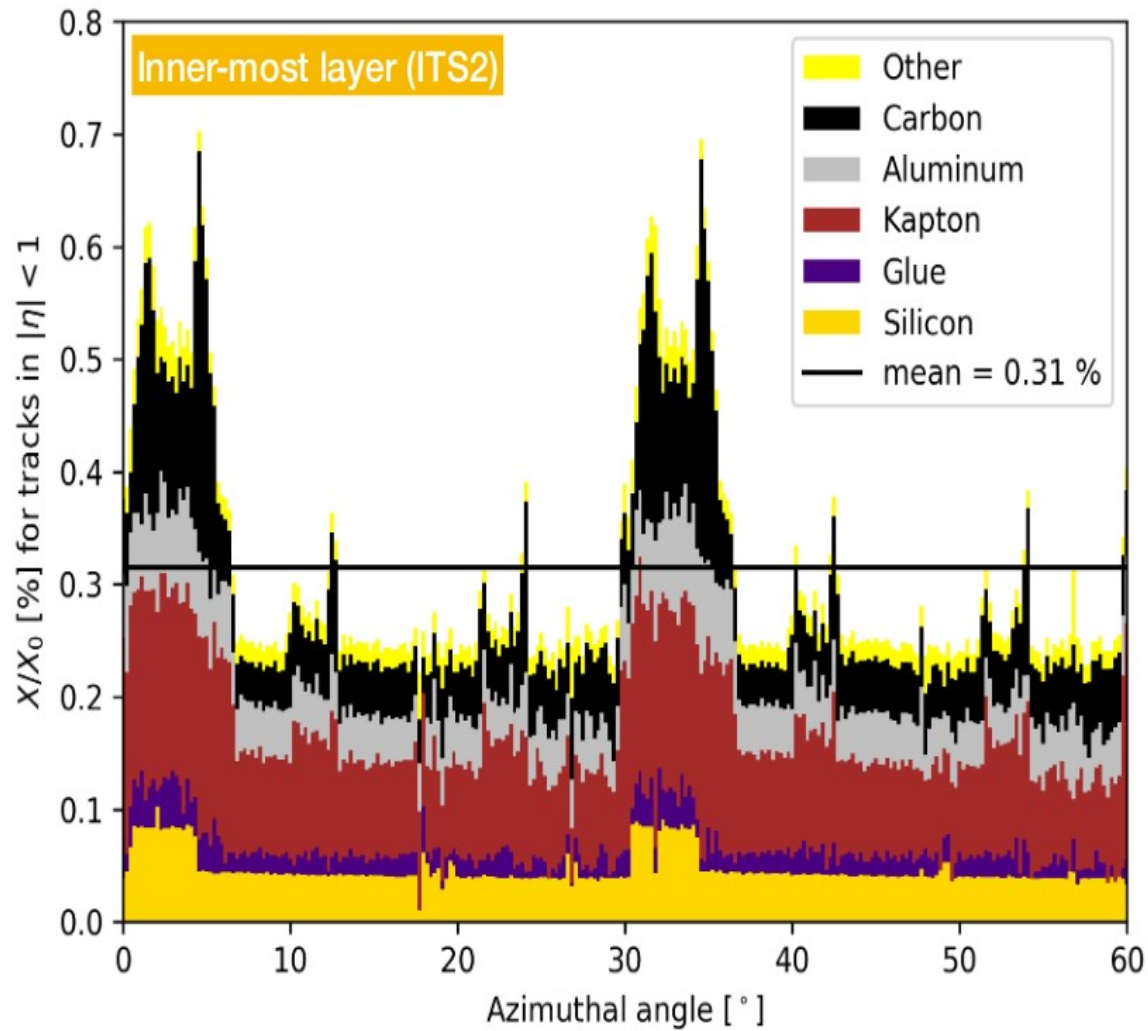
III.3 – ITS-3 : skimming material budget of ITS-2



→ Si only 1/7th of total material

→ irregularities due to overlaps + support/cooling

III.3 – ITS-3 : skimming ITS-2



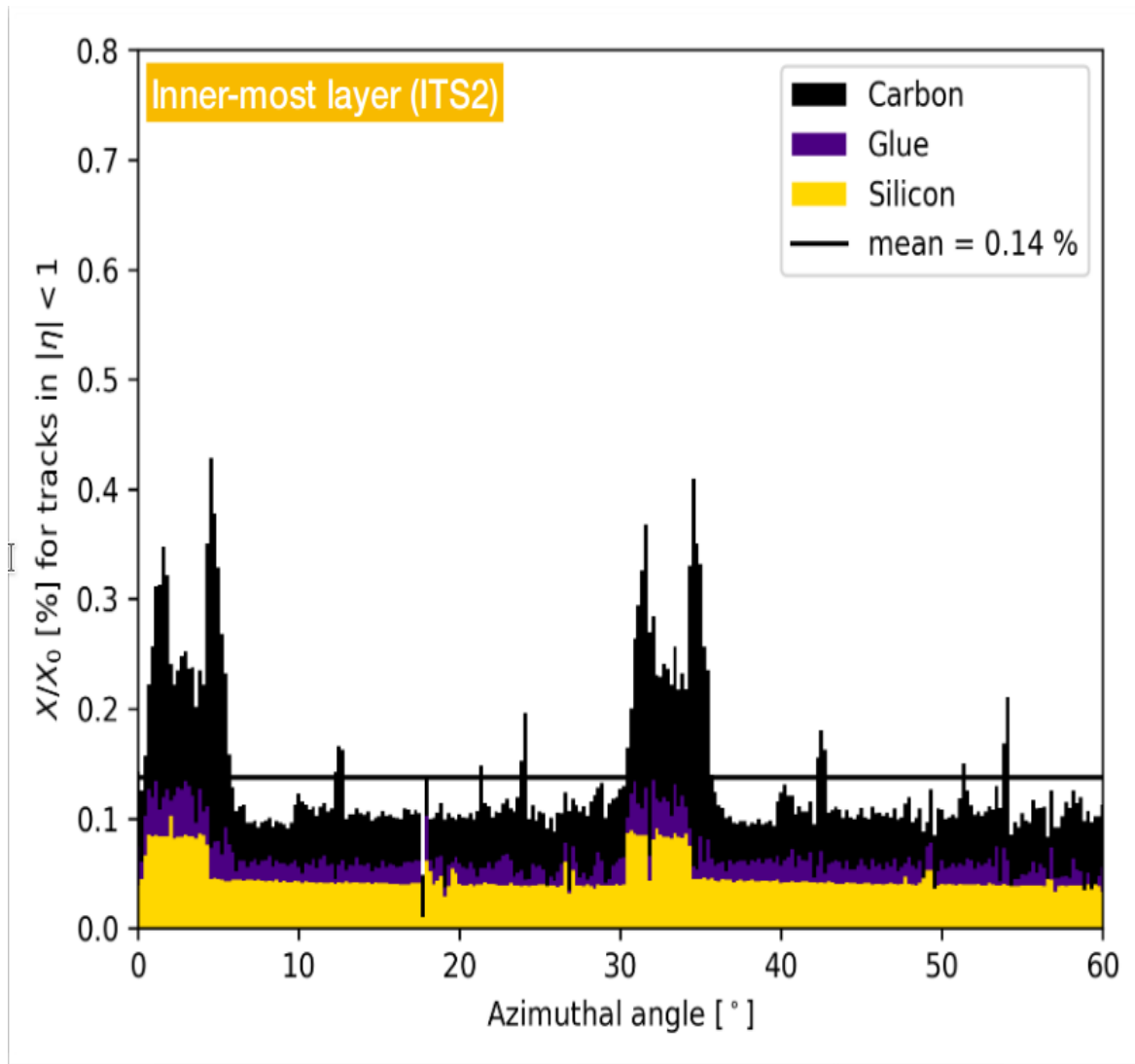
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→ possible by reducing power consumption in fiducial volume to $<20 \text{ mW/cm}^2$

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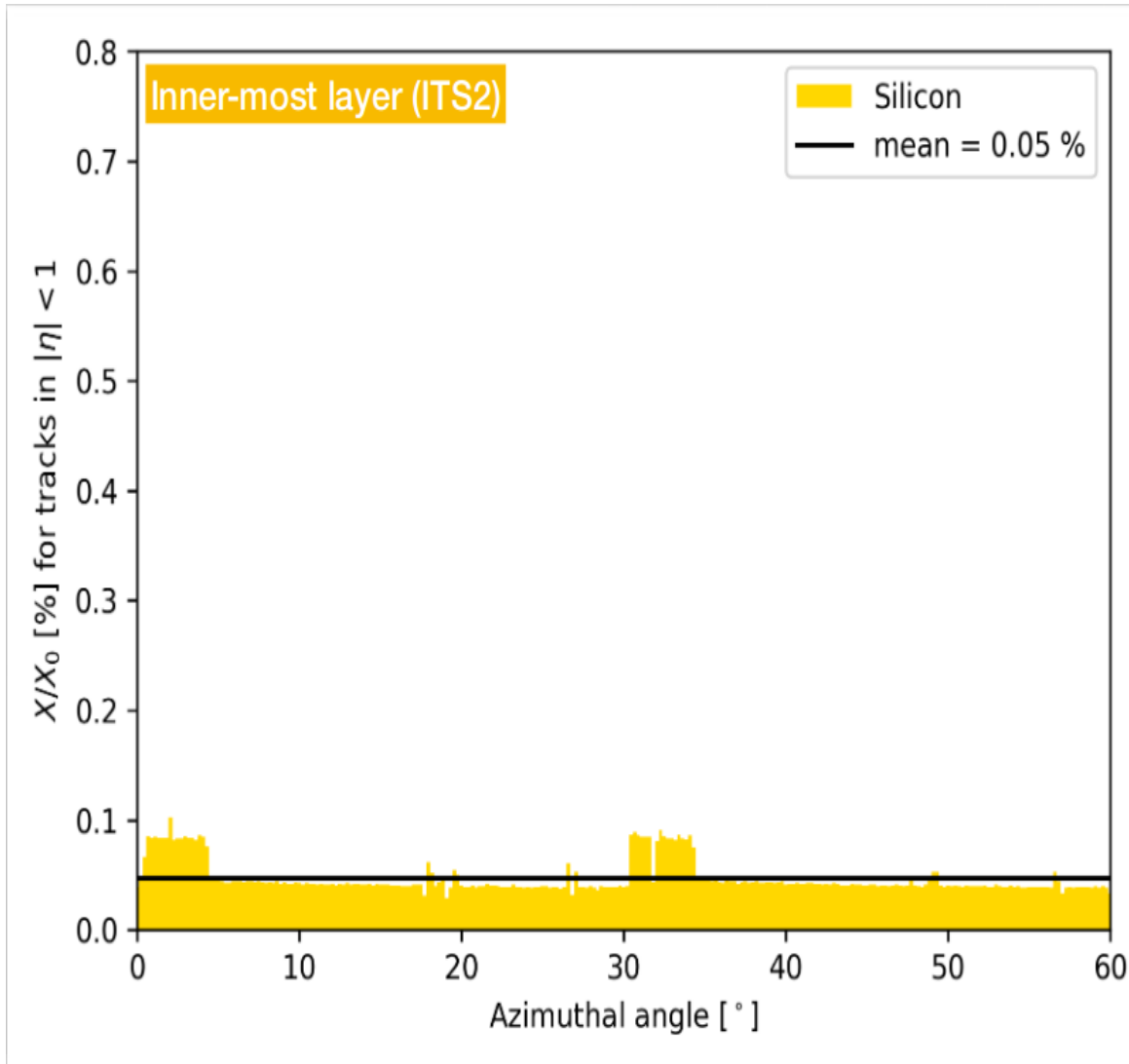
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⇒ move mechanical support outside acceptance

⇒ benefit from increased stiffness by rolling Si wafers

III.4 – ITS-3 : 5.3 kCHF up to 2025

R&D 2020-2023

⇒ Wafer thinning+bending

- ⇒ 2019: contact to industry
- ⇒ 2019-2020: first prototypes with ALPIDE chips and wafers
- ⇒ later: continue with specific prototypes

⇒ Stitched sensor development

- ⇒ 2019-2020: technology test structures
- ⇒ 2020-2022: prototyping chips
- ⇒ 2022-2023: full-scale prototype + final chip

Technical Design Report 2022

Construction 2024-2025

Cost breakdown

Item	R&D (kCHF)	Construction (kCHF)	Total Cost (kCHF)
Total	2000	3300	5300
Beampipe	600	900	1500
Pixel CMOS Sensors	700	700	1400
Sensor test	100	150	250
Thinning & dicing	200	300	500
Hybrid printed circuit	100	100	200
Mechanics	150	350	500
Assembly & test	50	200	250
Installation tooling	0	200	200
Air cooling	100	150	250
Services	0	100	100
Patch panels	0	150	150

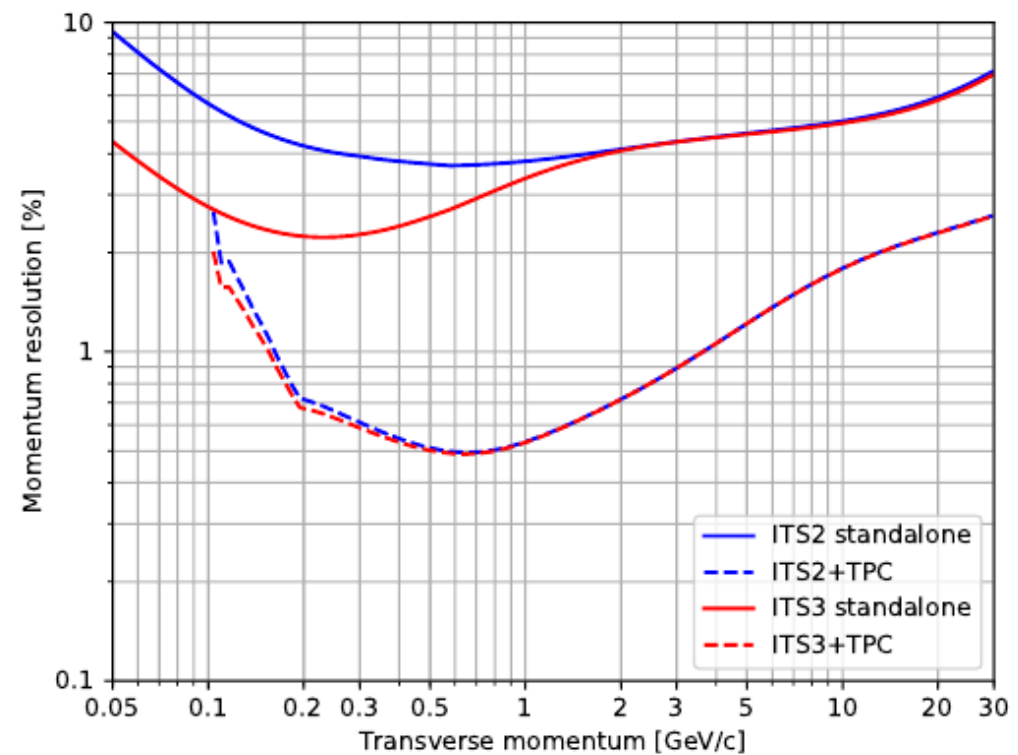
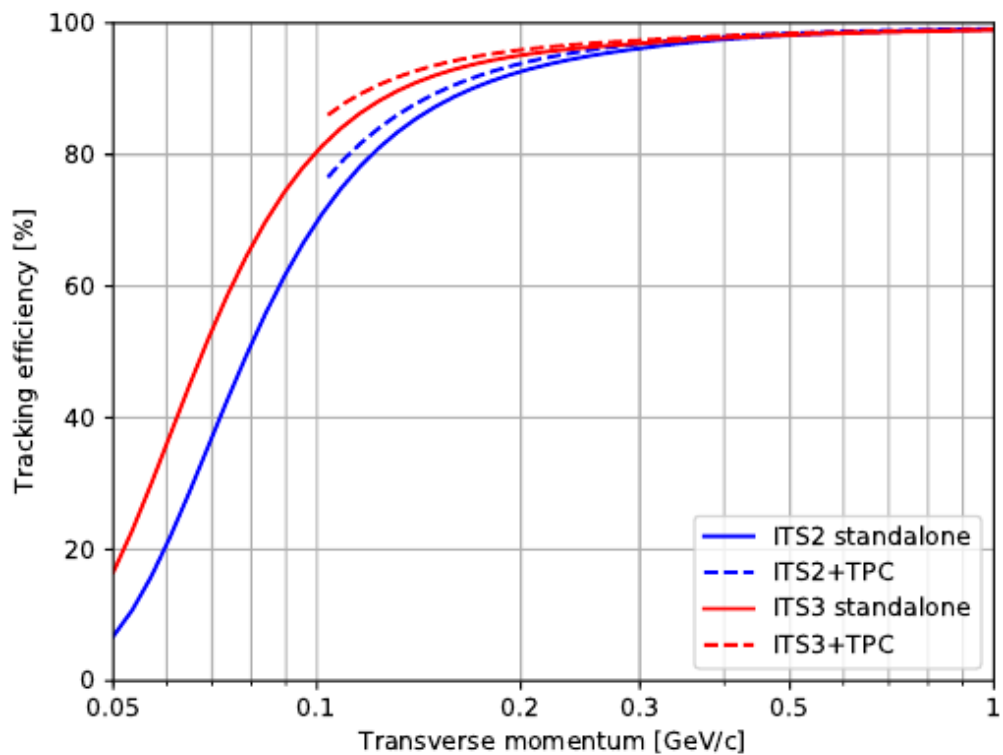
NB: ~40% is R&D

III.5 – ITS-3 : synoptic table

	ITS1 (SPD = 2 inner)	ITS2 (3 inner)	ITS3 (3 inner)
Beam pipe inner radius/thickness	3.0 cm/0.09 cm	1.82/0.08 cm	1.6/0.05 cm
First-layer radius	3.9 cm	2.3 cm	1.8 cm
X/X° per layer	1.1 %	0.35 %	0.05%
$ \eta $ coverage	> 1.4	> 2.0	> 2.0
Number of Sensors per layer	80+160	108+144+180	2 to 4
Technology	Hybrid pixels	CMOS	CMOS
Trigger ?	yes	no	Not foreseen
Pixel size $r_\phi \times z$	$\approx 50 \times 425 \mu\text{m}^2$	$\approx 30 \times 30 \mu\text{m}^2$	$\approx 10 \times 10 \mu\text{m}^2$
Intrinsic resolution r_ϕ / z	12 μm / 100 μm	5 μm / 5 μm	3 μm / 3 μm
Readout frequency Pb-Pb	< 3 MHz > 300 ns (SPD)	< 50-100 kHz > 20-10 μs	$\approx \leq 200 \text{ kHz}$ $\approx \geq 5 \mu\text{s}$
Power dissipation in the pixel matrix	$\approx 550\text{-}736 \text{ mW/cm}^2$ i.e. liquid cooled	$\sim 40 \text{ mW/cm}^2$, i.e. liquid cooled	$\sim 7 \text{ mW/cm}^2$, i.e. air flow

III.6 – ITS-3 : why would you invest into it ?

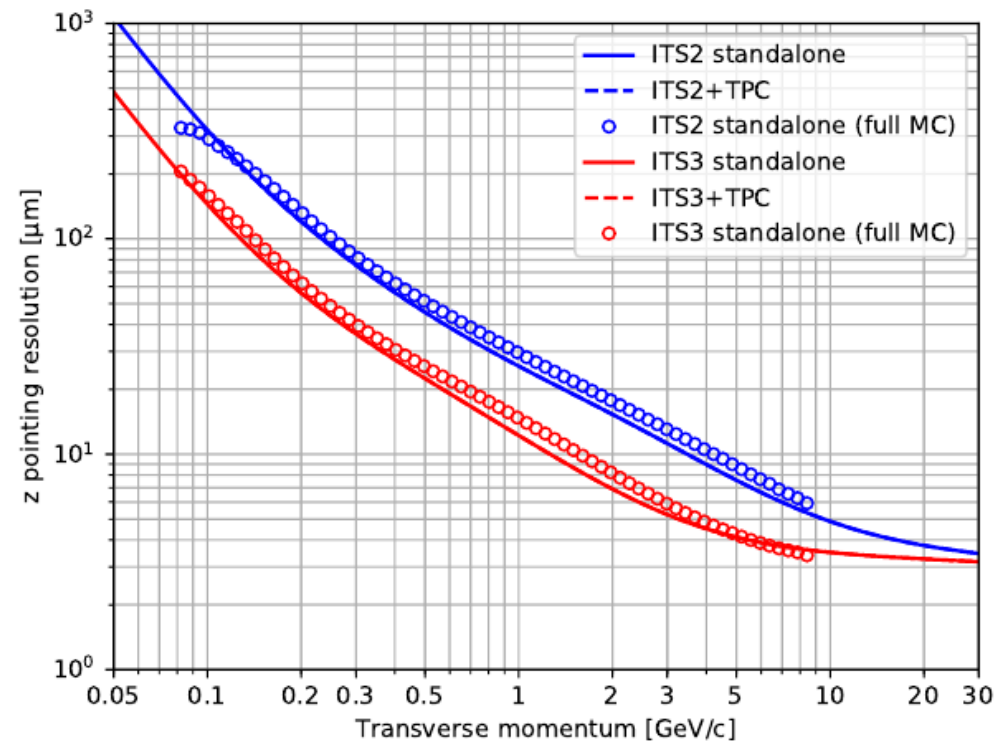
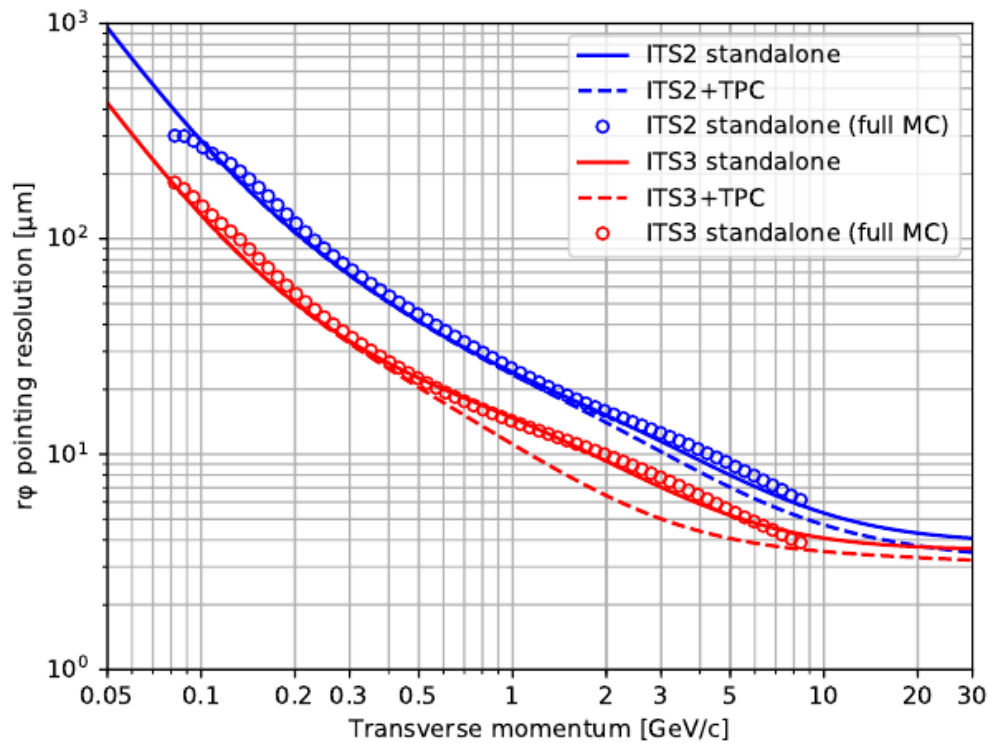
Fig.12, EoI ITS-3, ALICE-PUBLIC-2018-013



Pb-Pb 0-10% $\sqrt{s_{NN}} = 5.5$ TeV
(Fast MC tracking tool...)

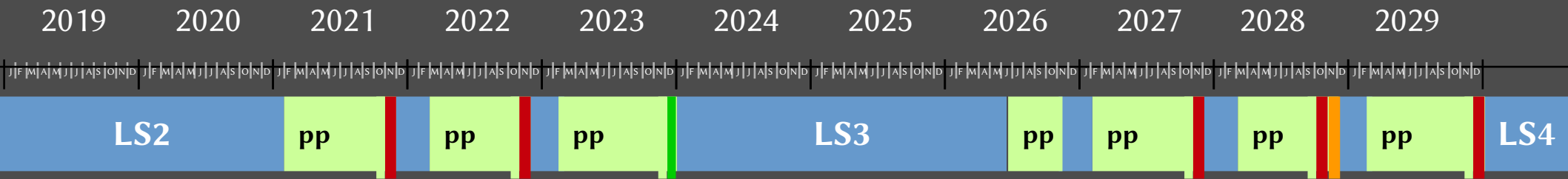
III.6 – ITS-3 : why would you invest into it ?

Fig.11, EoI ITS3, ALICE-PUBLIC-2018-013



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Part D – why all that ?

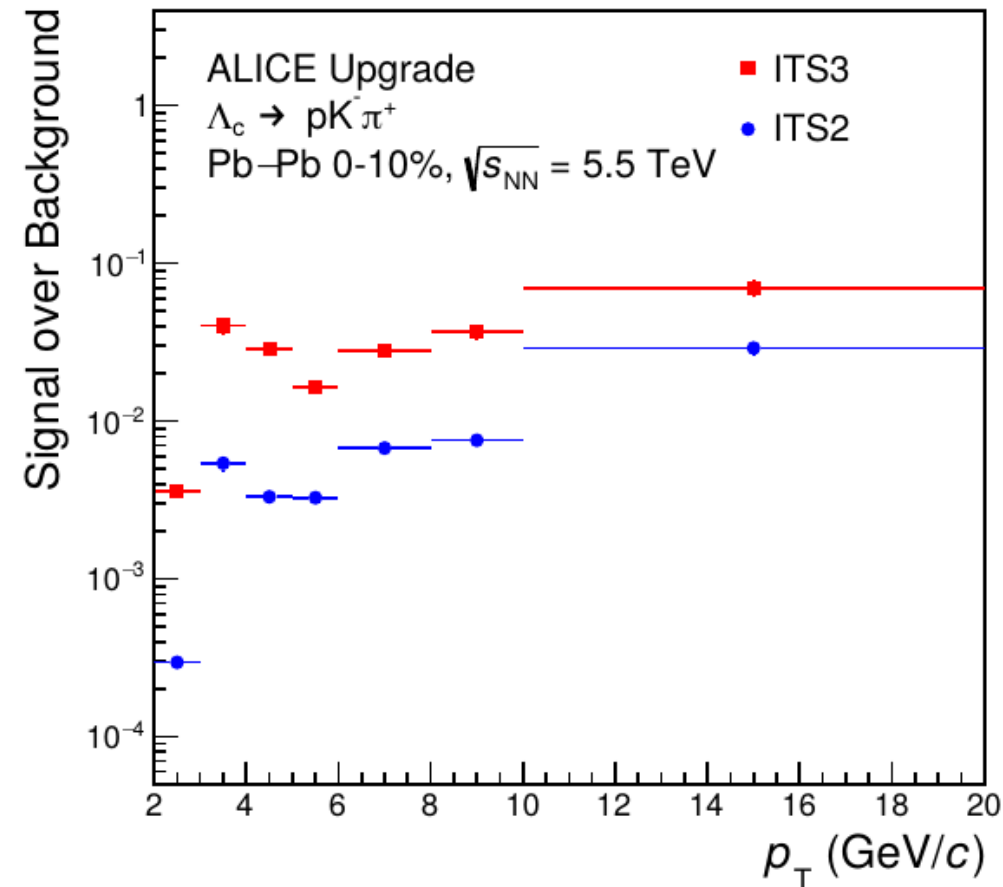
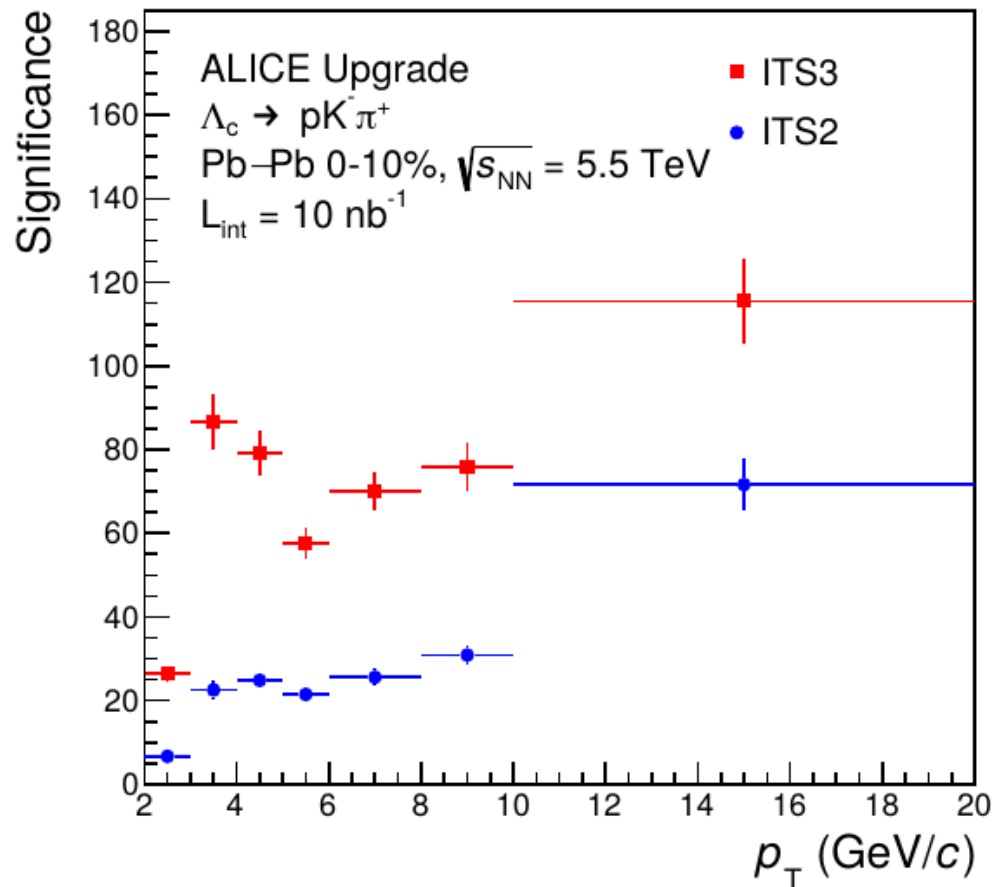


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IV.1 – ITS-3 : why would you invest into it ?

Fig.13, EoI ITS3, ALICE-PUBLIC-2018-013

Λ_c^+ ($m = 2.286 \text{ GeV}/c^2$ / $c\tau = 60 \mu\text{m}$)



See also QM 2019, *G.-M. Innocenti* for ITS-1 Pb-Pb or pp physics of Λ_c^+ ...

IV.2 – ITS n : admittedly... but, in more concrete terms, “why” ?

ALICE :

- for “low p_T charmed hadrons and baryons (Λ_C^+ to Ω_{ccc}^{++})”
- for “thermal radiation by the QGP via virtual photons (low-mass e^+e^- $m_{ee} < 2 \text{ GeV}/c$)” !

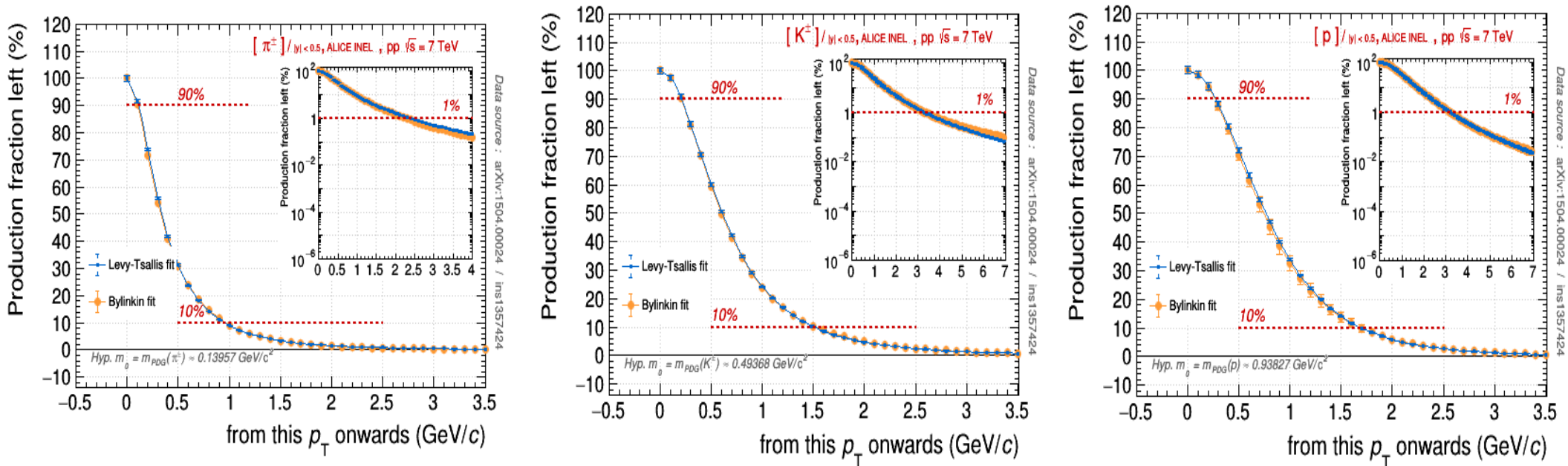
(Wo)man on the HEP street : “Seriously, that’s your physics case to be sold ?!”

→ Consider them as litmus tests :

if one is able to do those two type of measurements,
then you can do many things on top of that.

= Focus given to “ultra low p_T ” detection threshold ($\geq 20\text{-}50 \text{ MeV}/c$),
i.e. push the logic of “scrutinise what is yet abundant” far to the end
in contrast to CMS/ATLAS strategy to fight for the “unseen/rarity”

IV.3 – ITS n : why low p_T ? Simple examples of π, K, p

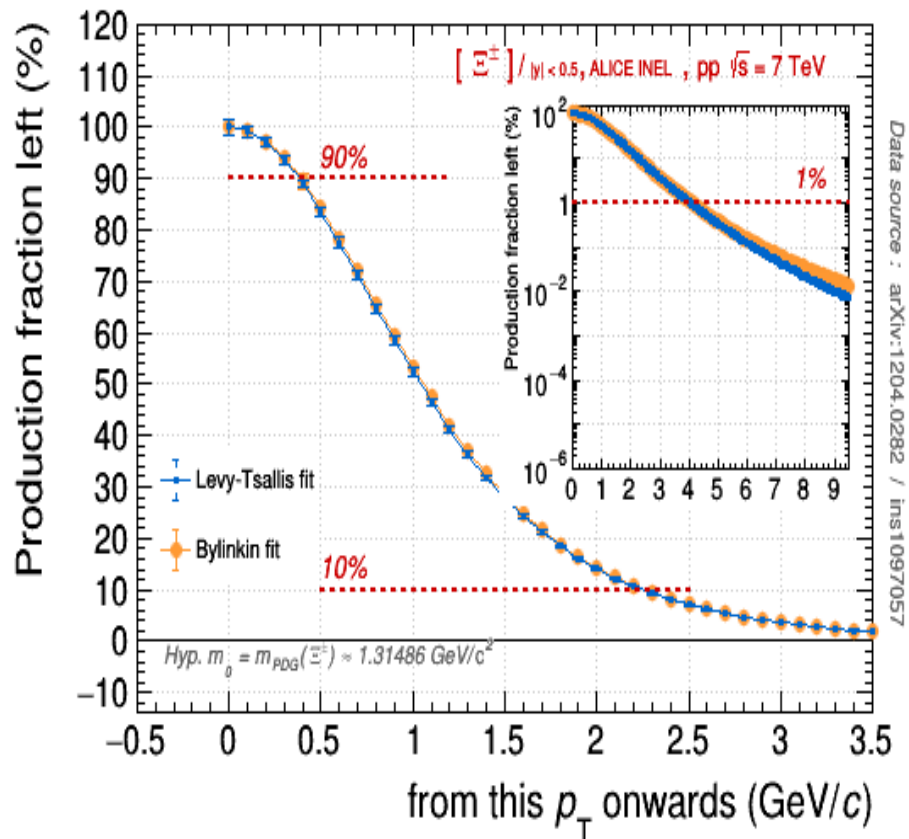


If your $\pi^+(u\bar{d}) / K^+(u\bar{s}) / p(uud)$ measurements start above 0.0, 0.1, 0.2 ... GeV/c, you miss $x\%$ of the total dN/dy in pp .

For a given particle type of interest, can you claim a “precision measurement” if you indeed miss $x\%$ of production ?
 → yes or no ? to be decided, case by case, but...

NB : ALICE arXiv:1504.0024 = $h^\pm > 0.15$ GeV/c // $\pi^\pm > 0.1$ GeV/c / $K^\pm > 0.2$ GeV/c, $p > 0.3$ GeV/c...

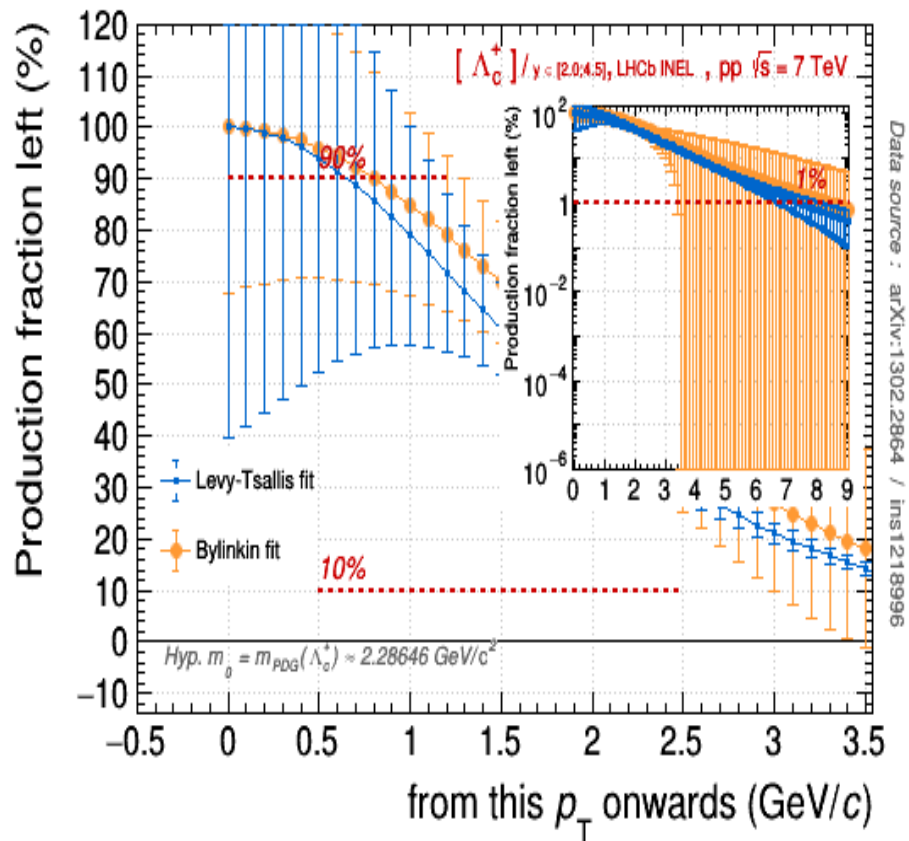
IV.4 – ITS n : why low p_T ? Example Ξ^\pm



If your $\Xi^\pm(dss)$ measurement starts above 0.0 / 0.6 / 1.2 GeV/c, you miss x% of the total dN/dy in pp

NB : ALICE [arXiv:1204.0282](https://arxiv.org/abs/1204.0282), $\Xi > 0.6 \text{ GeV}/c$ in $|y| < 0.5$

IV.5 – ITS n : why low p_T ? Example of Λ_c^+

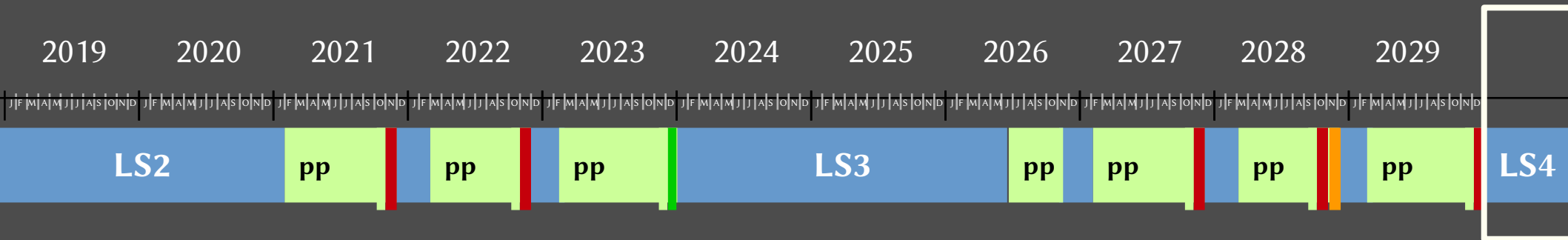


If your $\Lambda_c^+(udc)$ measurement starts above 0.0 / 1.0 / 2.0 GeV/c, you miss x% of the total dN/dy in pp

NB :

LHCb pp [arXiv:1302.2864](https://arxiv.org/abs/1302.2864), $\Lambda_c^+ > 0.0$ GeV/c
 ALICE pp [arXiv:1712.09581](https://arxiv.org/abs/1712.09581), $\Lambda_c^+ > 1.0$ GeV/c

Part E – All-Si = after LS4 (≥ 2031 , Run 5)



V.1 – All-Si : “LS4+” = “ITS4” = “ANGHIE”

A new experiment based on a “all-silicon” detector

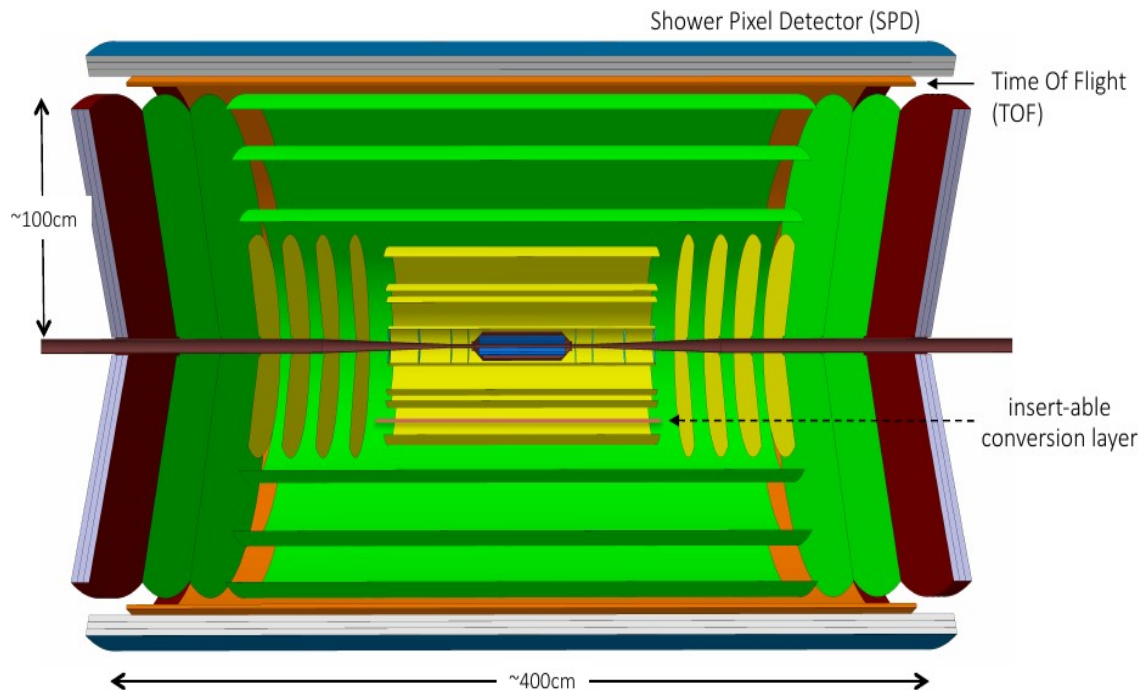


Tracker: ~10 tracking barrel layers (blue, yellow and green) based on CMOS sensors

Particle ID:

- TOF with outer silicon layers (orange)
- Shower Pixel Detector (outermost blue layer)

Extended rapidity coverage: **up to 8 rapidity units**



Magnetic Field

- $B = 0.5$ or 1 T

Spatial resolution

- Innermost 3 layers: $\sigma < 3\mu\text{m}$
- Outer layers: $\sigma \sim 5\mu\text{m}$

Vertex material thickness

- $X/X_0 \sim 0.05\%$ / layer

Time Measurement

Outermost layer integrates high precision time measurement ($\sigma_t \sim 20\text{ps}$)

V.2 – All-Si : LHC alternative options possibly on the table

In Run 4+5, beware CMS opportunities...

CMS MTD = “pile-up tagger”, Fig 1.5 + Fig 5.23 - TDR CERN-LHCC-2019-003

a) CMS cool extra-things after LS3 :

- very large η coverage as well ($|\eta| < 4$)
- unique calorimetry (PbW₀₄ EmCal + HCAL SiPM sampling)

NB : all this, really expensive (quite more than the All-Si exp...),

but ~funded already

b) Assuming (i) material budget

could be ~bearable for our “low- p_T ” purpose

(plan : < 20 % X/X° cumulated on the whole tracker for HL-LHC Vs

≈ 30-40% X/X° currently),

CMS with pile-up tagger MTD

(LGAD in endcap or SiPM in barrel → $\sigma_{\text{time stamp}} \approx 30$ ps),

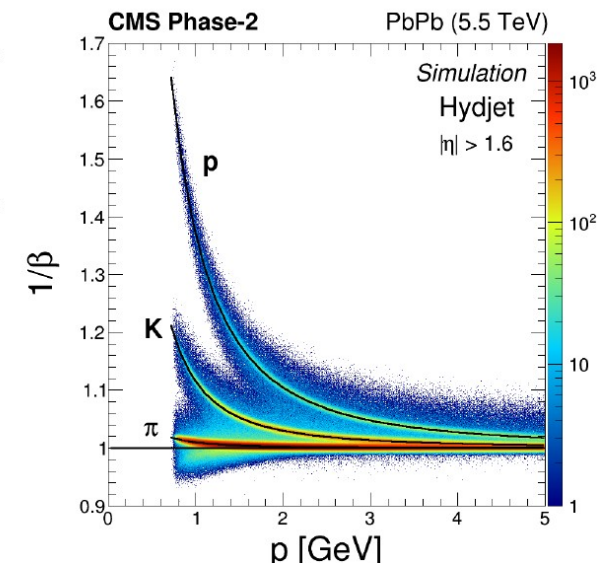
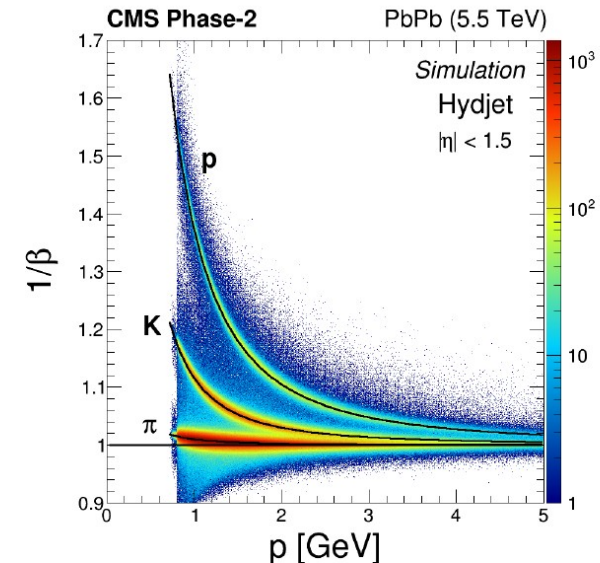
in (ii) any or low (?) pile-up condition (= Pb-Pb)

+ preferentially (iii) moderate B field,

MTD = a TOF detector...

→ Decisive but open questions :

- influence of pile-up (pp) / running time negotiated within CMS in (very) low pile-up ?
- running with (B field < 3.8 T) Vs max. number of hysteresis cycles authorised for the CMS magnet ?



V.3 – All-Si : LHC alternative options possibly on the table

In Run 5, beware LHCb opportunities...

LHCb, Eol upgrade LS4, arXiv:1808.08865

- a) Profiting from boost for forward geometry,
→ LHCb will remain a serial heavy-flavour tagger...
Sitting forward makes life easier than at mid-rapidity in that respect
- b) Readout/tracking/PID capabilities likely to work by then
in all systems (pp, p-O, Ar-Ar, Xe-Xe, ...)
and under any event activity (Pb-Pb 0-5%)...

V.4 – All-Si : some physics cases (GT03 input after 1st discussions...)

- **Évolution de la température au long de la collision AA** : accessible avec la radiation thermique de photons virtuels émis au fil de l'avancement de la collision, sous forme de di-électrons de basses masses ($0 < m_{e^+e^-} < 2 \text{ GeV}/c^2$).
- **Nature de la transition de phase et des degrés de liberté dans le QGP** : mesures des moments d'ordres supérieurs ($m_n, n \in [2;6]$) de la production nette, intégrée en p_T , de baryons ($\bar{p}-p, \dots$), de l'étrangeté ($K^+-K^-, \bar{\Lambda}-\Lambda, \dots$) à $\mu_B = 0$ (Sec. 3.3 in [4]) ; cela quantifie les fluctuations événement par événement de nombres quantiques globaux, donnant accès à des comparaisons directes avec les prédictions *ab initio* de la QCD sur réseau vis-à-vis des transitions de phases (déconfinement et symétrie chirale) [5].

V.5 – All-Si : some physics cases (GT03 input after 1st discussions...)

- **Hydrodynamique aux limites relativistes** : à $y \approx 0$, un tel détecteur doit offrir la possibilité de mesure des harmoniques de Fourier pour les hadrons non-identifiés, $v_n(h^\pm)$, jusqu'à des p_T faiblement relativistes, $p_T < 0,05 \text{ GeV}/c$ ($\beta^{\pi^\pm} \approx 0,34$). Repousser les limites basses de la mesure correspond à une avancée majeure pour la compréhension du *bulk* (à $|\eta| < 0,8$, $\sqrt{s_{NN}} \text{ O}(\text{TeV})$, 10 % de la production h^\pm est situé entre $[0 ; 0,2] \text{ GeV}/c$, 70 % entre $[0 ; 0,5] \text{ GeV}/c$; cela permet une mesure sans extrapolation aux bas p_T et de suivre l'entrée de l'hydrodynamique d'un secteur non-relativiste vers celui relativiste (comportement d'abord linéaire puis quadratique des $v_n(h^\pm)$ avec les p_T croissants).
- **Interactions entre les partons durs et les constituants du milieu** :
 - modifications intra-jets (*jet shapes, jets structures*, reconstruits à l'aide des particules chargées) avec des incertitudes systématiques fortement réduites (<2-5%) grâce à une forte granularité et un accès aux traces qui composent les jets jusqu'à des bas p_T^{trace} .
 - di-jets étiquetés en saveurs (reconstruction complète des mésons lourds dans les jets) en vue de mesures sur les pertes d'énergie du charme et de la beauté.
- **Quarks lourds (c,b) face à la collectivité** :
 - section efficace totale du charme pour $p_T > 0$ et $y < 3-4$ [mésons et baryons : $D^0(c\bar{u})$, $D^+(c\bar{d})$, $D_s^+(c\bar{s})$, $\Lambda_c^+(udc)$ et quarkonia $c\bar{c}$ [η_c , J/ψ , $\psi(2S)$, χ_{cJ} ...]
 - exploration des baryons (multi-)charmés (et étranges en surcroît) [$\Lambda_c^+(udc)$, $\Xi_c^+(usc)$, $\Xi_c^0(dsc)$, $\Omega_c^0(ssc)$, $\Xi_{cc}^{2+}(ucc)$, ..., $\Omega_{ccc}^{2+}(ccc)$] et des baryons beaux [$\Lambda_B^0(udb)$, ...]. L'objectif est notamment de tester les mécanismes de recombinaison des quarks charmés et leur sensibilité au milieu (hydrodynamisation, équilibration chimique, thermalisation / coefficients de transport). Un tel objectif exige une augmentation drastique de la signification du signal reconstruit et de la précision spatiale (paramètre d'impact des traces, notamment) pour reconstruire des topologies de désintégration de plus en plus complexes, allant typiquement de 2 à 6 corps.

Conclusion

Now +10-year horizon = blur ?

→ future of QCD/QGP physics = via precision measurements for sure.

No escape.

ALICE choice : roadmap paved with LS2 upgrades (≥ 2021)

with a stress given to :

i) PID and low p_{\perp} ($0 < p_{\perp} < 10 \text{ GeV}/c$)

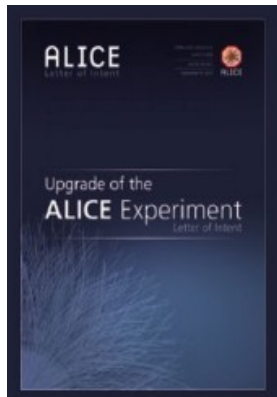
ii) flavour mapping (Light/Heavy Flavours : differences ? Similarities ?)

Such a physical roadmap = proposed to be extended with ITS3 (≥ 2026),
in order to bridge a gap towards an all-Si experiment (≥ 2030)

NB: such an all-Si experiment could also play on other experimental grounds if people want it so,
complementing the “ALICE-like perspectives” for such a lightweight experiment
(*e.g.* \exists some BSM searches at low- p_{\perp} , R&D very close to $e+e-$ experiments, ...)

Appendices

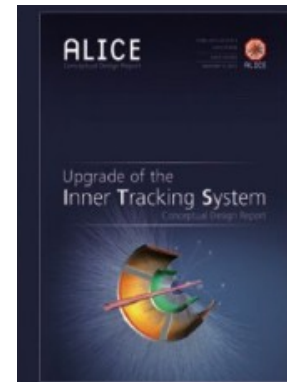
A.1 – Beyond LS2 : TDRs for run 3+4 detectors



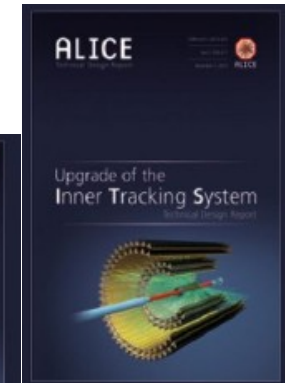
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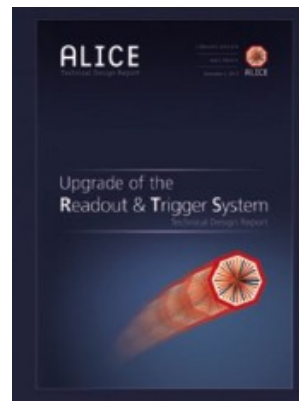
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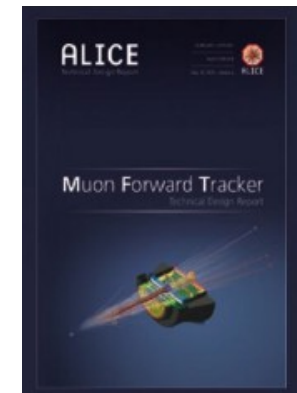
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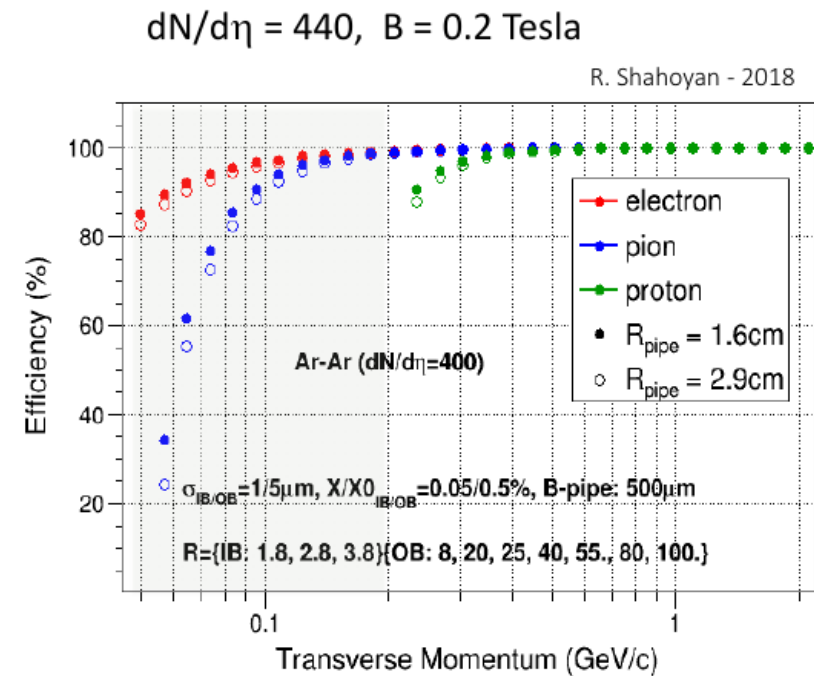
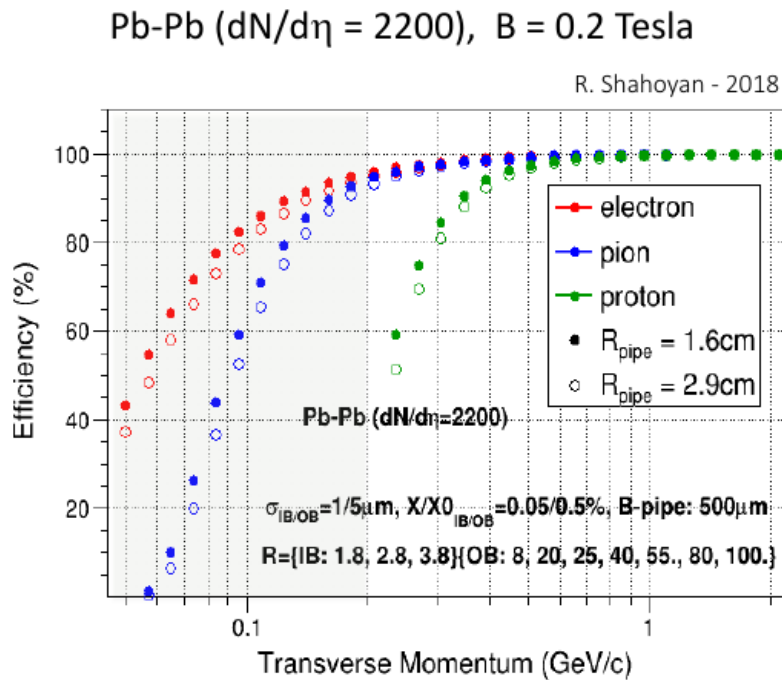
B.1 – ANGHIE : In2p3 prospectives, GT03 contribution

	ITS-2 [3]	ITS-3 [6]	ANGHIE [8]
Période LHC	Run III + IV (2021-29)	Run IV (2026-29)	≥ Run V (>2030)
Nombres de couches	3+4	3 (+4 ITS-2)	O(3+7)
R_{tube}	1,82 cm	1,6 cm	1,6 ou 2,9 ²
$r_{L0} / r_{L1} / r_{L2} \dots r_{\text{Last}}$ (cm)	2,3 / 3,2 / 3,9 ... 39,3	1,8 / 2,4 / 3,0 ... 39,3	1,8 / ... ≈ 100
Champ magnétique $B_{\text{solénoïde}}$	0,2 ou 0,5 T	0,2 ou 0,5 T	0,2 à 1 T
Matière par couche (x/ X_0)	0,3 % à 0,8 %	0,07 % à 0,8 %	0,05 % à 0,5 %
Taille d'un pixel (μm^2)	≈ 30 x 30	≈ 15 x 15 (+ 30 x 30)	≈ 10 x 10 (+ 30 x 30)
Résolution temporelle	≥ 2-5 μs	2-5 μs	≤ 1 μs
Résolution spatiale	5 μm	5 μm	≈ 3-5 μm
Couverture en η	$ \eta < 2,0$ à 1,3	$ \eta < 2,0$ à 1,3	$ \eta < 4,0$
$\varepsilon_{\text{tracking}}(p_T(h^\pm) = X \text{ GeV}/c)$	1 0,1 0,05	1 0,1 0,05	1 0,1 0,05
	98 % 60 % 10 %	98 % 75 % 20 %	98 % 75 % 20 %
Coûts totaux (R&D + Constr.)	≈ 10 MCHF	5,3 MCHF	≈ 80-100 MCHF
Nb d'instituts / Nb de pays	30 / 16	30 / 16	(>399 signataires)👏

B.2 – ANGHIE : tracking efficiencies



Operation at reduced B field for tracking low p_T particles



Efficiency requiring that all particles reach the outermost layer at 1m (10 layers)

⇒ optimization possible (e.g. using only layers up to 40cm)

⇒ improvement for lower $dN/d\eta$

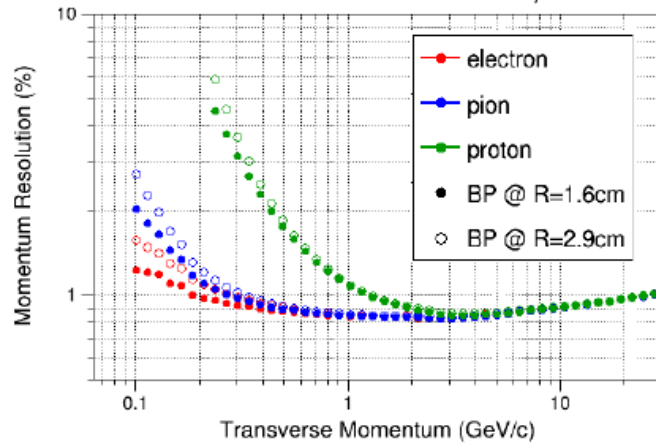
Further layout optimization possible!

B.3 – ANGHIE : momentum resolution

Compared to ALICE in Run3, same performance at high p_T , some improvement at very low p_T

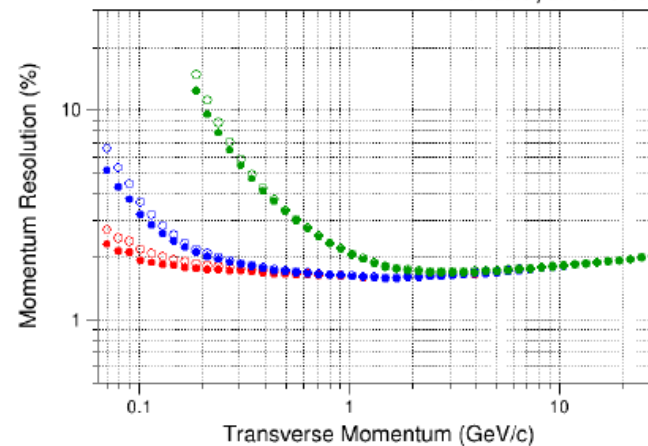
B = 1 T

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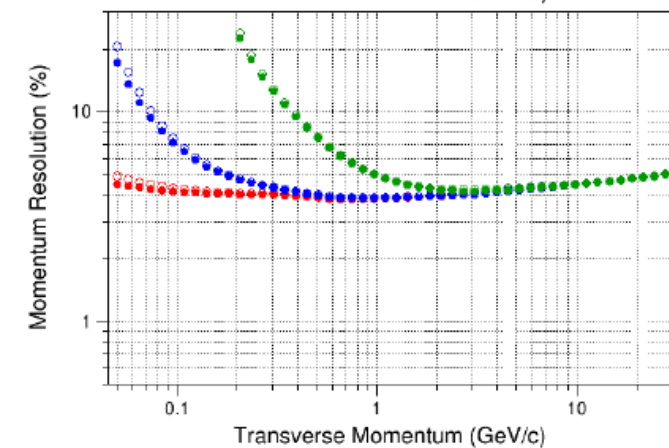
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B = 0.2 T

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momentum resolution for 1GeV/c pions: $\approx 0.8\%$ (1 T), $\approx 1.6\%$ (0.5 T), $\approx 4\%$ (0.2 T)

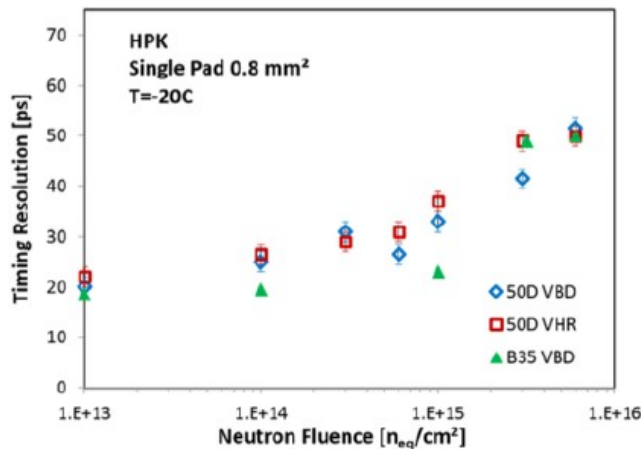
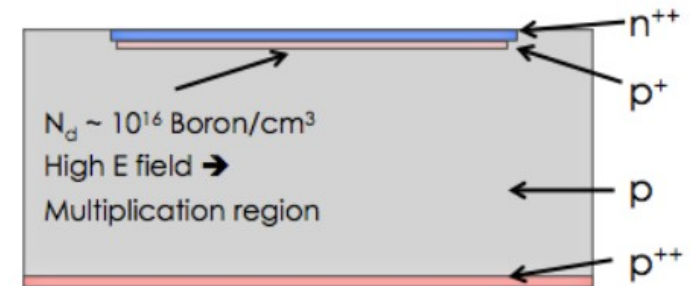
B.4 – ANGHIE : Particle Identification

Electron and hadron ID with TOF



LGAD (Low Gain Avalanche Diode)

- Technology proposed for ATLAS and CMS LS3 upgrades (timing layer)
- Developed for high radiation environment ($10^{14} - 10^{15}$ 1MeV n_{eq}/cm^2)
- Currently low granularity $O(1 \text{ mm}^2)$
- Add a thin layer of doping to produce low controlled multiplication
- Several vendors: Hamamatsu, FBK, CNN



Time resolution vs. neutron fluence of LGAD produced by HPK with a thickness of 50 μ m (50D) and 35 μ m (35D)

Resolution of 20-30ps demonstrated

Cost (CMS estimate) \sim 50 CHF/cm²

Can such a gain layer be implemented using CMOS? \Rightarrow large cost saving

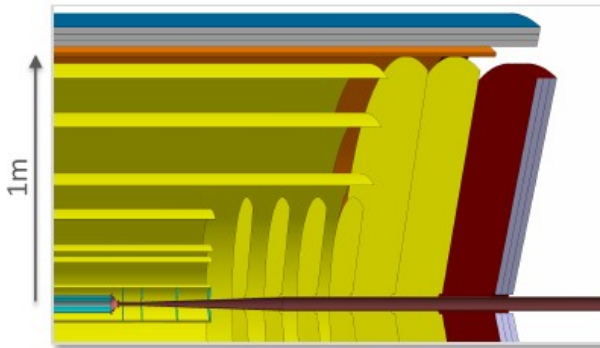
\Rightarrow Single Photon Avalanche Diodes (SPADs)

B.5 – ANGHIE : TOF

Electron and hadron ID with TOF



TOF PID – few barrel layers instrumented with LGAD or high-granularity SPAD sensors



SPAD Sensors (Single Photon Avalanche Diode) ^{def} arrays of avalanche photodiodes reverse-biased above their breakdown voltage

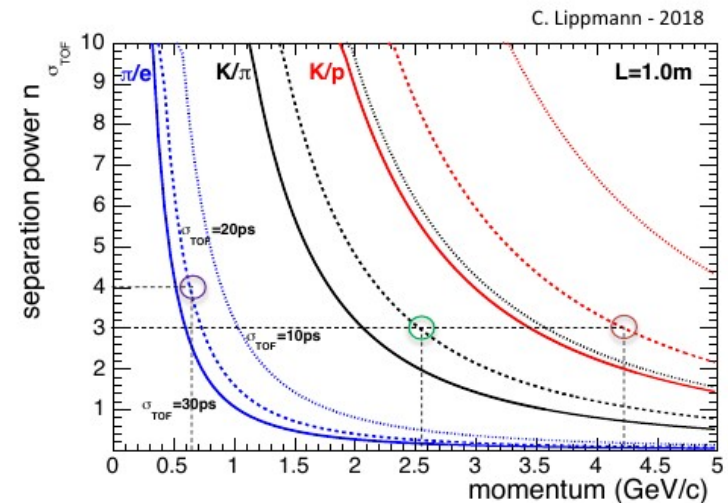
SPAD detectors of recent generation feature a time jitter of tens of picoseconds

Number of layers will depend on time resolution and spatial fill factor achieved in the single layer

Ideal track length and p measurement for 3 scenarios (10ps, 20ps, 30ps) are shown in figure

For $\sigma_{\text{TOF}} = 20\text{ps}$

- e/π (4σ) separation $\lesssim 650\text{ MeV}/c$
- π/K (3σ) separation $\lesssim 2.6\text{ GeV}/c$
- K/p (3σ) separation $\lesssim 4.2\text{ GeV}/c$



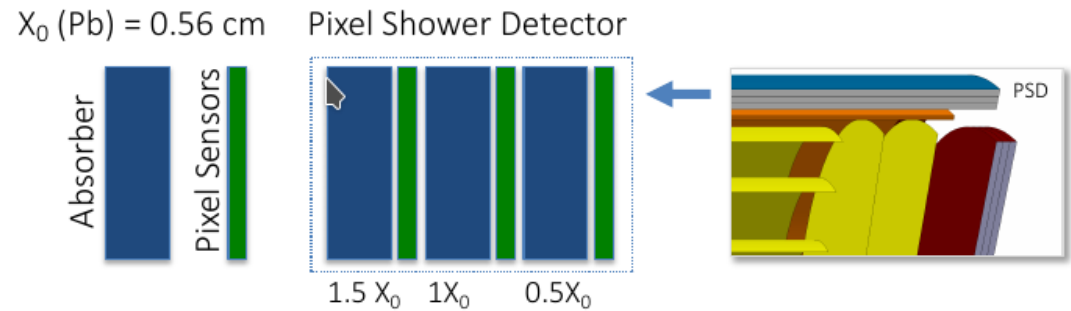
B.6 – ANGHIE : electron pre-shower, PSD...

Electron ID with Pixel Shower Detector



Shower Detector ($3 X_0$) based on high-granularity digital calorimetry (CMOS pixel sensors)

⇒ great potential to identify electrons down to few hundred MeV by detailed imaging of the initial shower (particle counting, geometry)



Work in progress – A first look

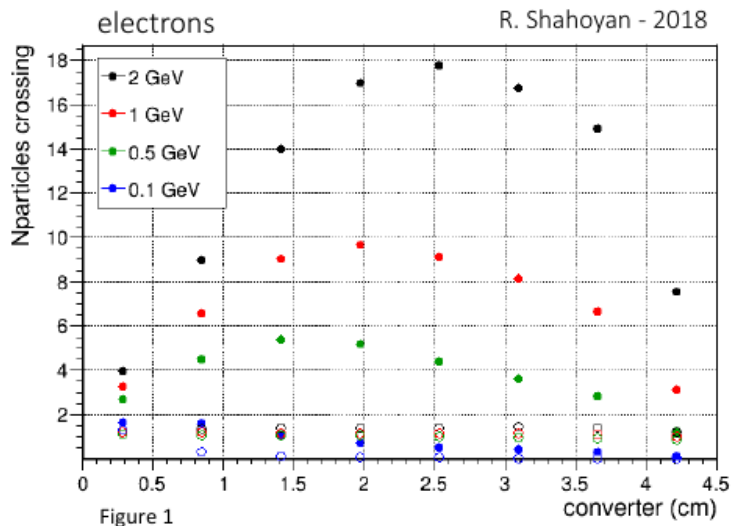


Figure 1

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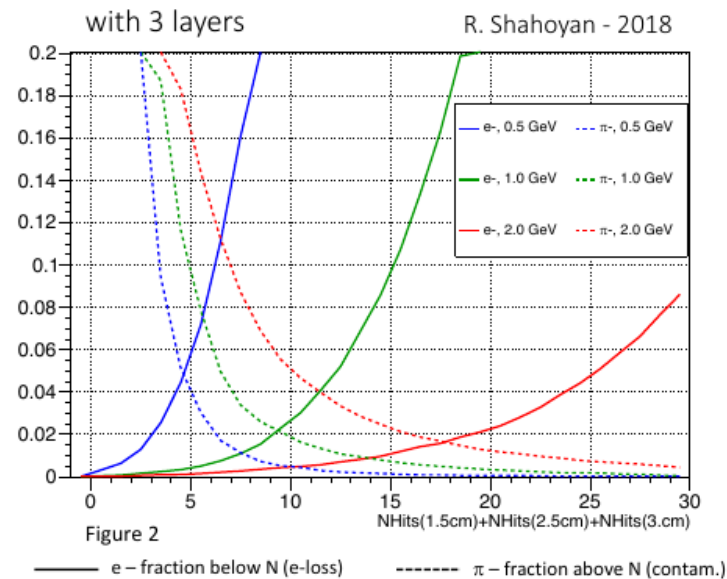


Figure 2

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