

# Future Circular Collider

The Future Circular Collider study (FCC) is developing designs for the next generation of higher performance particle colliders that could take over from the Large Hadron Collider (LHC)

## IDEA Drift Chamber



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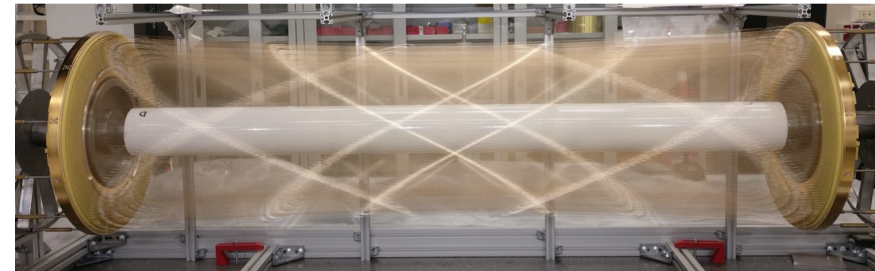
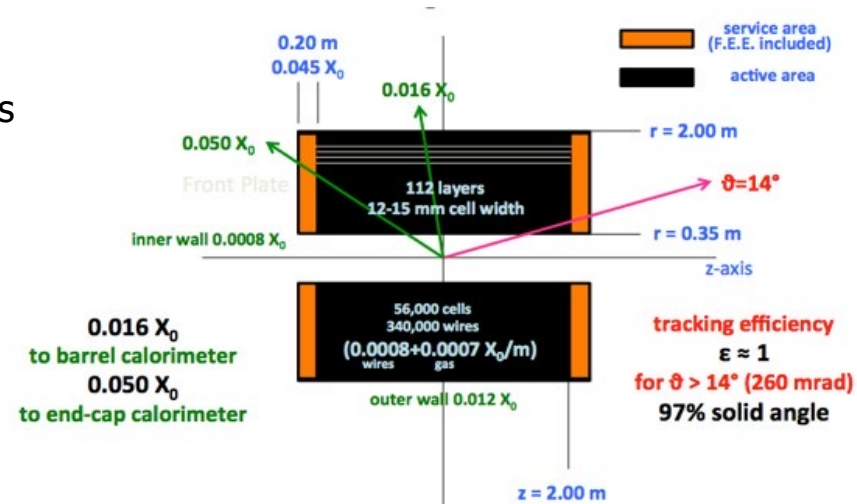


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# The IDEA Drift Chamber

## The DCH is:

- a unique-volume, high granularity, fully stereo, low-mass cylindrical
- **gas:** He 90% -  $iC_4H_{10}$  10%
- **inner radius**  $R_{in} = 0.35m$ , **outer radius**  $R_{out} = 2m$
- **length**  $L = 4m$
- **drift length**  $\sim 1\text{ cm}$
- **drift time**  $\sim 150ns$
- $\sigma_{xy} < 100\ \mu m$ ,  $\sigma_z < 1\text{ mm}$
- **12÷14.5 mm wide square cells**, **5 : 1 field to sense wires ratio**
- **112 co-axial layers**, at alternating-sign stereo angles, arranged in 24 identical azimuthal sectors, with frontend electronics
- **343968 wires in total:**
  - sense wires:** 20  $\mu m$  diameter W(Au)  $\Rightarrow$  56448 wires
  - field wires:** 40  $\mu m$  diameter Al(Ag)  $\Rightarrow$  229056 wires
  - f. and g. wires:** 50  $\mu m$  diameter Al(Ag)  $\Rightarrow$  58464 wires
- the wire net created by the combination of + and - orientation generates **a more uniform equipotential surface**  $\rightarrow$  better E-field isotropy and smaller ExB asymmetries )
- thin wires  $\rightarrow$  increase the chamber granularity  $\rightarrow$  reducing both multiple scattering and the overall tension on the endplates



# Challenges for large-volume drift chambers

- **Electrostatic stability** condition:  $\frac{\lambda^2 L^2}{4\pi\epsilon w^2} < \text{wire tension} < YTS \cdot \pi r_w^2$

$\lambda$  = linear charge density (gas gain)  
 $L$  = wire length,  $r_w$  wire radius,  $w$  = drift cell width  
 $YTS$  = wire material yield strength

The proposed drift chambers for FCC-ee and CEPC have lengths  $L = 4 \text{ m}$  and plan to exploit the **cluster counting** technique, which requires gas gains  $\sim 5 \times 10^5$ . This poses serious constraints on the drift cell width ( $w$ ) and on the wire material ( $YTS$ ).

⇒ **new wire material studies**

- **Non-flammable gas / recirculating gas systems**

Safety requirements (**ATEX**) demands stringent limitations on flammable gases; Continuous increase of **noble gases cost**

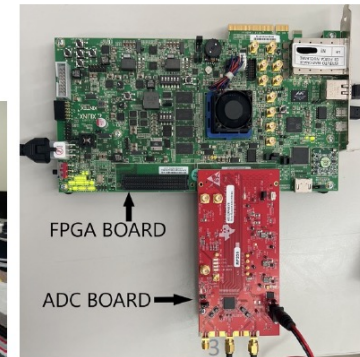
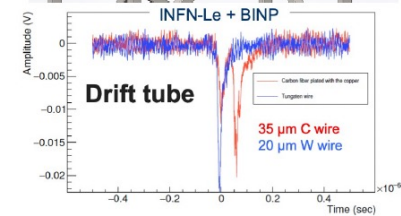
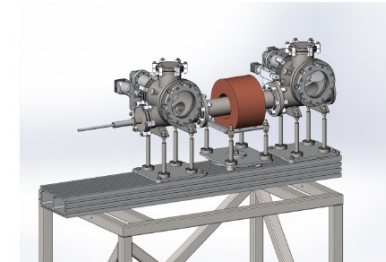
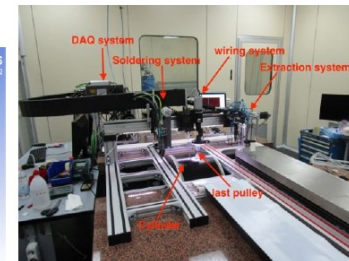
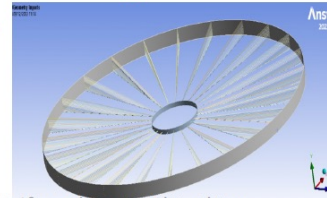
⇒ **gas studies**

- **Data throughput**

Large number of channels, high signal sampling rate, long drift times (slow drift velocity), required for **cluster counting**, and high physics trigger rate ( $Z_0$ -pole at FCC-ee) imply data transfer rates in excess of  $\sim 1 \text{ TB/s}$

⇒ **on-line real time data reduction algorithms**

- **New wiring systems for high granularities / new end-plates / new materials**



...going through **few** most recent studies

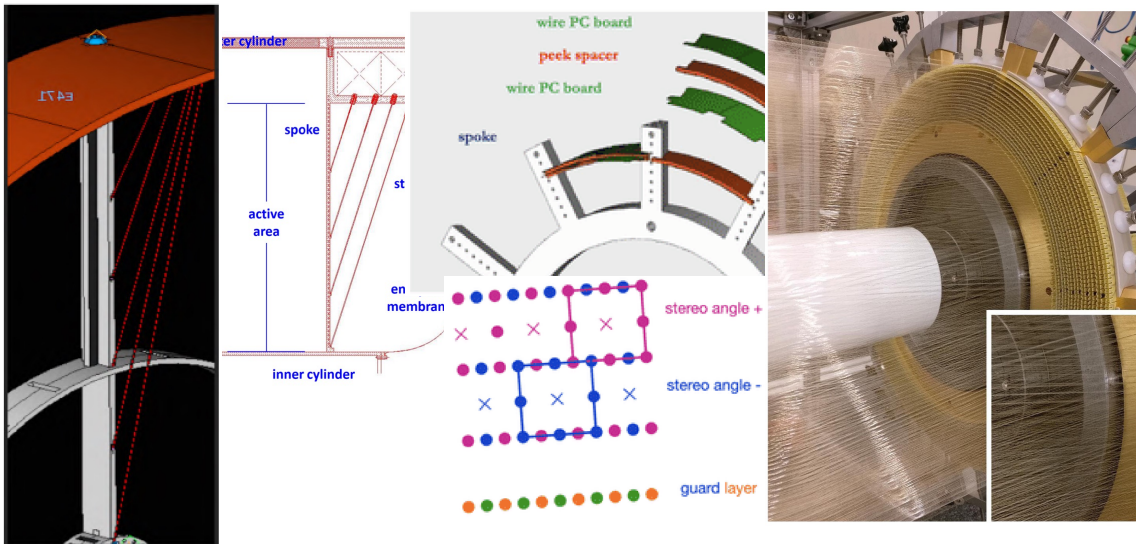
# Mechanical design of the DCH



# Mechanical structure: wire cage

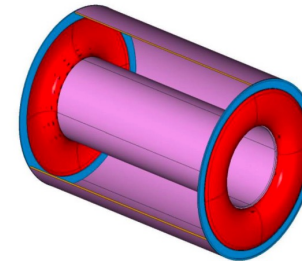
New concept of construction allows to reduce material to  $\approx 10^{-3} X_0$  for the barrel and to a few  $\times 10^{-2} X_0$  for the end-plates.

- separation of functions



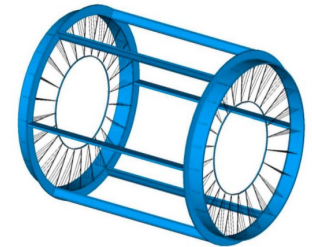
## Gas containment

Gas vessel can freely deform without affecting the internal wire position and mechanical tension.



## Wire cage

Wire support structure not subject to differential pressure can be light and feed-through-less



## Challenges:

- the accuracy of the position has to be in the range of 100-200  $\mu\text{m}$
- the position of the anodic wire in space must be known with an accuracy better than 50 $\mu\text{m}$  at most
- the anodic and cathodic wires should be parallel in space to preserve the uniformity of the electric field
- a 20 $\mu\text{m}$  tungsten wire, 2m long, will bow about 100  $\mu\text{m}$  at its middle point, if tensioned with a load of approximately 30gr  $\rightarrow$  30gr tension for each wire  $\rightarrow$  10 tons of total load on the endcap  $\rightarrow$  simulation studies with FEM

# Mechanical structure: prestressing

**Goal:** minimizing the deformation of the spokes using prestressing force in the cables

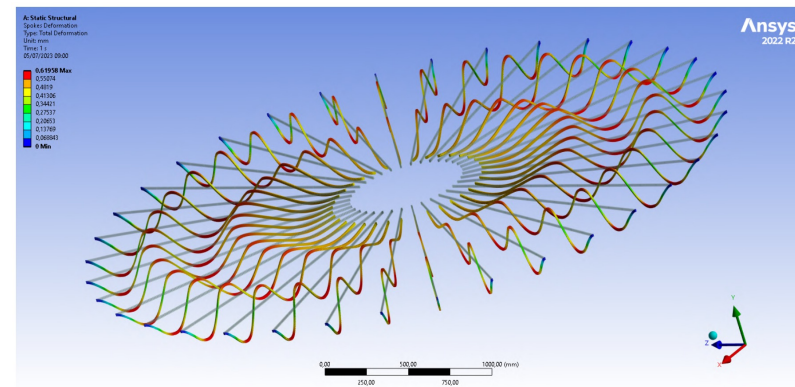
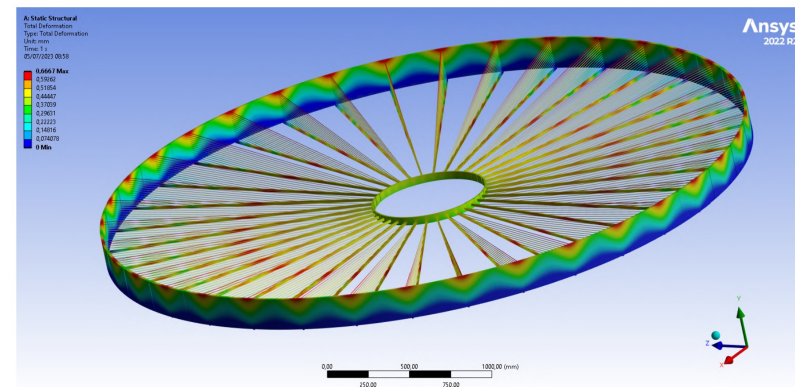
Finding the correct prestressing force in 14 cables → solving 15 dimensional optimization problem

Total deformation (mm) of the drift chamber with the edge of the outer cylinders fixed			
No prestress		Prestress in the cables	
Spokes	Outer cylinder	Spokes	Outer cylinder
14.099	0.63	0.62	0.67

**N.B.**

- Prestressing not yet optimized
- 24 → 36 spokes considered for this study

The structure exhibited a deformation of 600  $\mu\text{m}$  but our goal was to limit the deformation of the spokes to 200  $\mu\text{m}$  while ensuring the structural integrity.



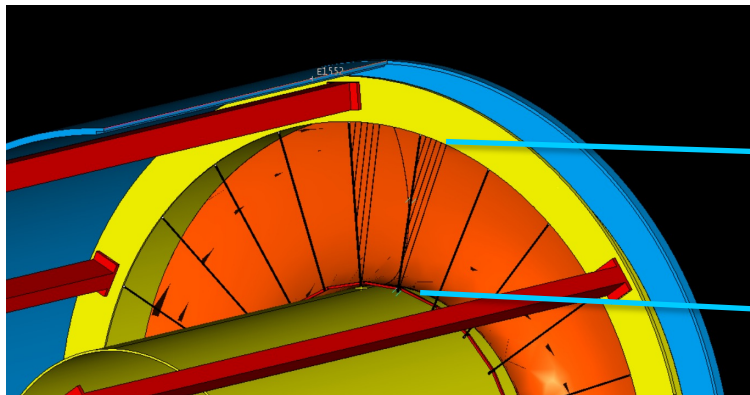
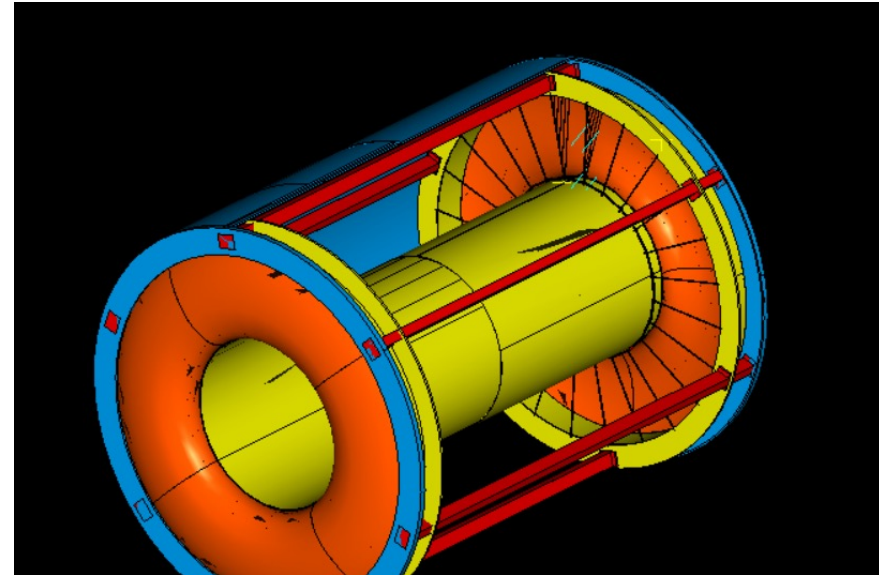
# Mechanical structure: a complete model

A realistic complete model almost ready:

- mechanically accurate
- precise definition of the connections of the cables on the structure
- connections of the wires on the PCB
- location of the necessary spacers
- connection between wire cage and gas containment structure

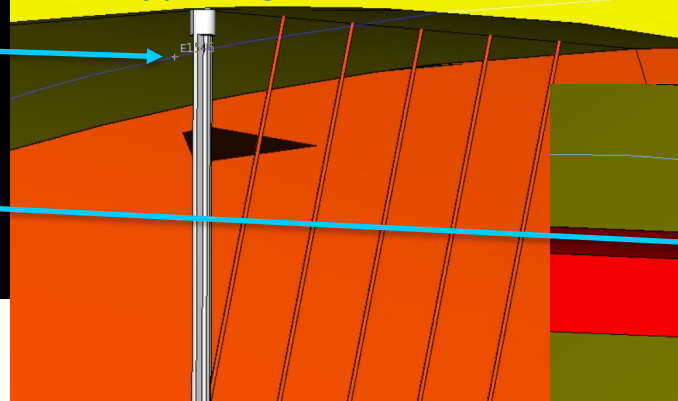


the final project will be ready by the end of 2023

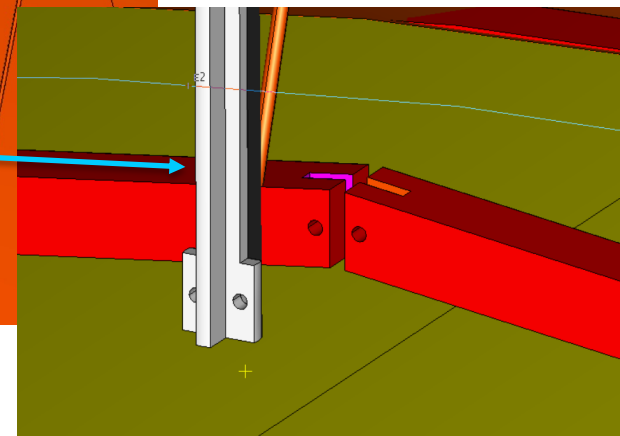


Plan to start the construction of a DCH prototype full length, one sector, next year.

Upper junction: cross profile spoke and supporting cables



Lower junction: joint design



# Testbeam data analysis

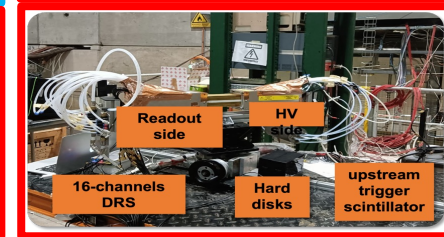
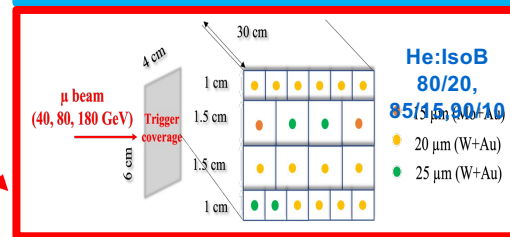
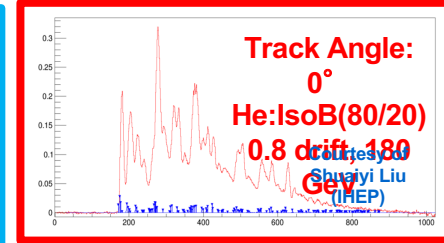
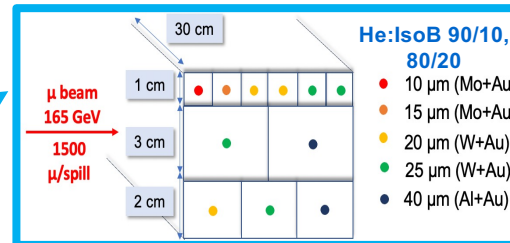
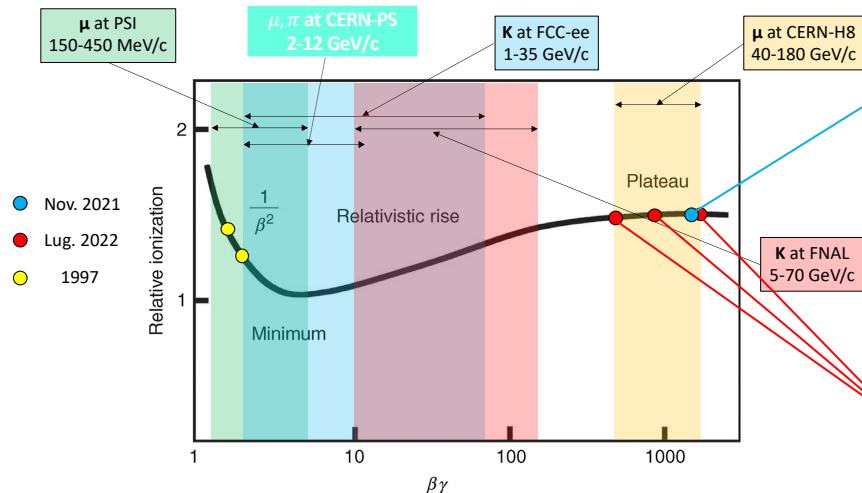
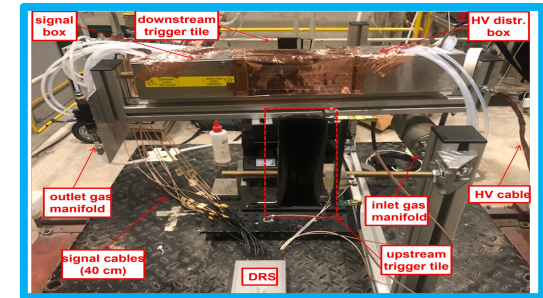


# Beam tests in 2021, 2022 and 2023

Beam tests to experimentally assess and optimize the **performance of the cluster counting/timing** techniques in strict collaboration with the **IHEP Beijing** group:



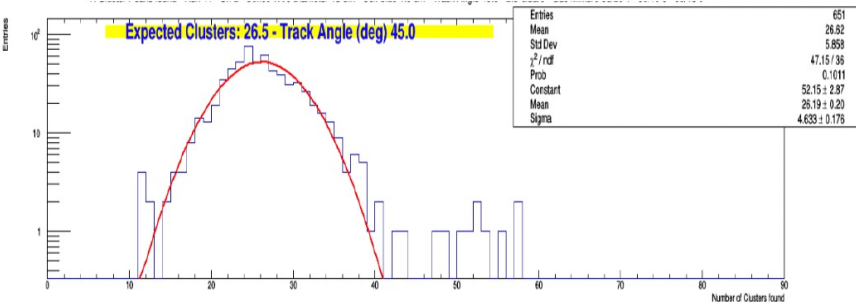
- Two muon beam tests performed at CERN-H8 ( $\beta\gamma > 400$ ) in Nov. 2021 and July 2022.
- A **muon beam test** (from 4 to 12 GeV momentum) in 2023 performed at **CERN**.
- Ultimate test at **FNAL-MT6** in 2024 with  $\pi$  and **K** ( $\beta\gamma = 10-140$ ) to fully exploit the relativistic rise.



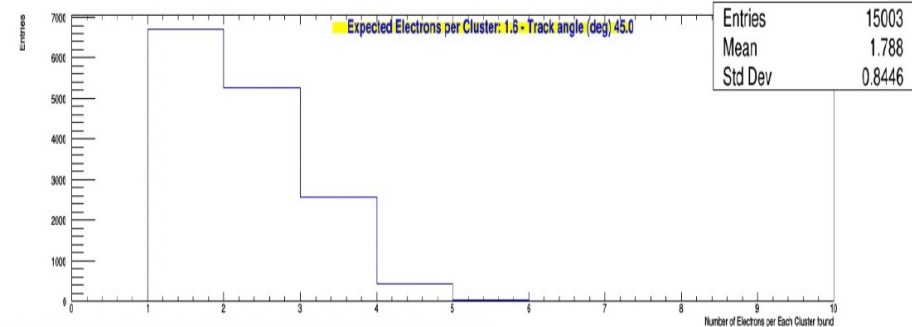
# 2021/2022 testbeam: number of clusters

Sense Wire Diameter  $15\ \mu\text{m}$ ; Cell Size  $1.0\ \text{cm}$ ; Track Angle  $45^\circ$ ; Sampling rate  $2\ \text{GSa/s}$ ; Gas Mixture He: IsoB 80/20

Poissonian distribution for the number of clusters



Electrons per cluster distribution



Expected number of cluster =  $\delta$  cluster/cm (M.I.P.) \* drift tube size [cm] \* 1.3 (relativistic rise) \*  $1/\cos(\alpha)$

$\alpha$  = angle of the muon track w.r.t. normal direction to the sense wire.

$\delta$  cluster/cm (mip) changes from 12, 15, 18 respectively for He: IsoB 90/10, 85/15 and 80/20 gas mixtures.

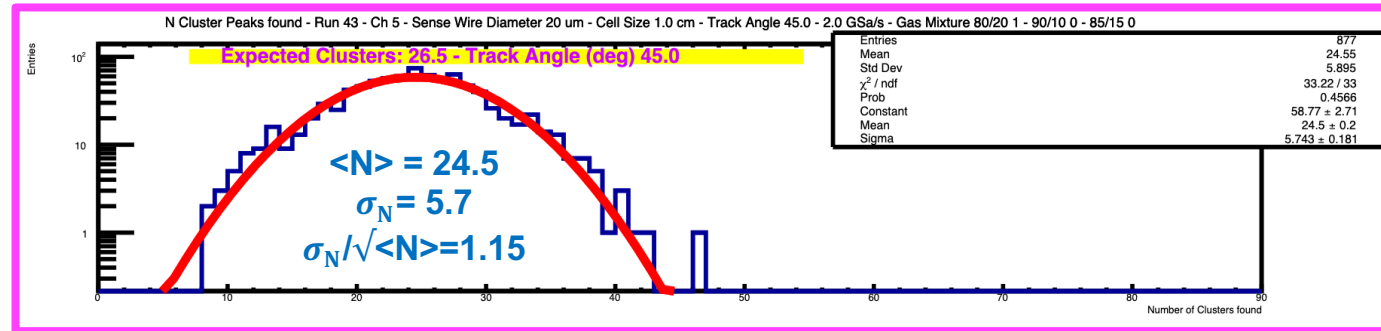
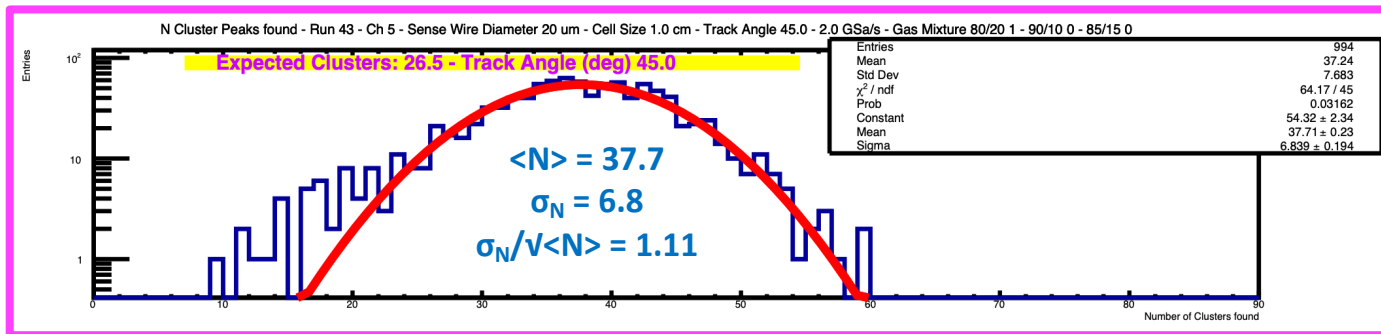
drift tube size are 0.8, 1.2, and 1.8 respectively for 1 cm, 1.5 cm, and 2 cm cell size tubes.

Poissonian distribution of the number of clusters and cluster size in acceptance with the expectation

## Space charge + attachment + recombination effects affect the experimental CC efficiency!

- The **loss of efficiency at small angles** is due to the partial shielding of the electric field due to the space charge.
- The **loss of efficiency at large angles** is partially due to the fact that increasing the number of clusters in the same drift time, increases the probability of pileup, then decreasing the counting efficiency.
- The **lower counting efficiency in 2cm** tubes compared to 1cm ones is only partially explained by the effects of recombination and attachment; other possible effects under investigation

# Beam test results: applying corrections



Cuts on the derivative algorithm, which were optimized without including the recombination and attachment effects, need to be reformulated.

Also, these corrections, strongly depend on the drift length and, therefore, on the drift tube size and must be calculated for each different drift tube configuration.

First attempt of re-tuning cuts on the DERIV algorithm for a 1 cm cell size drift tube

# Sinergies with French groups

# Drift Chamber for the DRD1

## DRD1 WP 2 – Inner and Central Tracking with Particle Identification Capability – Drift Chambers

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INFN, Bari (INFN-BA)

INFN, Lecce (INFN-LE)

INFN, Rome (INFN-RM)

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The project aims to cover strategic R&D towards the development of **large-volume drift chambers proposed as tracking and particle identification devices for the next generation of lepton colliders both at FCC-ee (CERN) and at CEPC (IHEP China)**. Analogous proposals exist for the next generation of flavor factories SCTF (Russia, China) and could easily be adapted for Electron-Ion Colliders. Drift chambers provide high-precision tracking even at low transverse momentum thanks to the high transparency, and excellent particle identification by profiting from the cluster counting information. Key aspects for the R&D challenges are related to the mechanics, the electronics and the choice of gas mixture, as pointed in the table below.

# Drift Chamber for the DRD1: tasks

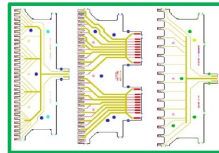
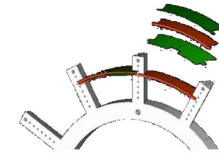
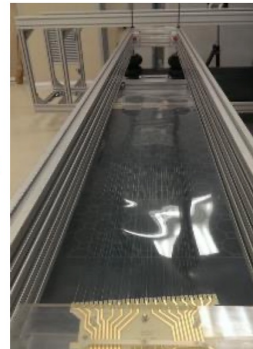
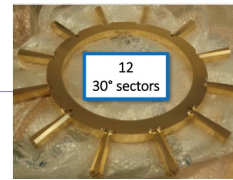
#	Task	Performance goal	DRD1 WGs	ECFA DRDT	Main developments covered	Deliverables next 3 y	Institutes
T1	Front-end ASIC for cluster counting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- High bandwidth</li> <li>- High gain</li> <li>- Low power</li> <li>- Low mass</li> </ul>	WG5, WG7.2	1.1 1.2	achieve efficient cluster counting and cluster timing performances	full design, construction and test of a first prototype of the front-end ASIC for cluster counting	INFN-BA, INFN-LE, BNL, FIT, U. Michigan, IHEP-CAS
T2	Scalable multichannel DAQ board	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- High sampling rate</li> <li>- Dead-time-less</li> <li>- DSP and filtering</li> <li>- Event time stamping</li> <li>- Track triggering</li> </ul>	WG5, WG7.2	1.1 1.2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- FPGA based architecture</li> <li>- ML algorithms-based firmware</li> </ul>	working prototype of a scalable multichannel DAQ board	INFN-BA, INFN-LE
T3	<div style="border: 1px solid red; padding: 2px;">Mechanics: wiring procedures</div> New endplate concepts	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- feed-through-less wiring procedures</li> <li>- More transparent endplates (&lt; 5% X<sub>0</sub>)</li> <li>- transverse geometry</li> </ul>	WG3 3.1C	1.1 1.3	Separate the wire support function from the gas containment function	Conceptual designs of novel wiring procedures Full design of innovative concepts of endplate	INFN-BA, INFN-LE, U. Mass Amherst, Michigan, Irvine, Tufts U., IHEP-CAS, IJCLab-IN2P3.
T4	<div style="border: 1px solid red; padding: 2px;">High rate</div> <div style="border: 1px solid red; padding: 2px;">High granularity</div>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- smaller cell size and shorter drift time</li> <li>- higher field-to-sense ratio</li> </ul>	WG3 3.2E, WG7.2	1.3	higher field-to-sense ratio allows to increase the number of field wires, decreasing the wire contribution to multiple scattering	Measurements of performance on prototypes of drift cells at different granularities and with different field configurations	INFN-BA, INFN-LE, INFN-RM, IHEP-CAS, USTC, IMP-CAS, Nankai U., Wuhan U., Jilin U., IJCLab-IN2P3
T5	<div style="border: 1px solid red; padding: 2px;">New wire materials and wire metal coating</div>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Electrostatic stability</li> <li>- High YTS</li> <li>- Low mass, low Z</li> <li>- High conductivity</li> <li>- Aging</li> </ul>	WG3 3.1C	1.1 1.2	Develop contacts with companies producing new wires List companies Metal coating of carbon wires	construction of a magnetron sputtering facility for metal coating of carbon wires	INFN-LE, INFN-BA, INFN-RM, IJCLab-IN2P3.
T6	<div style="border: 1px solid red; padding: 2px;">Ageing of new wire types</div>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Establish charge collection limits for carbon wires as field and sense wires</li> </ul>	WG3 3.2B WG7.3,4	1.1 1.2	Build prototypes of drift chamber with new wires as field and sense wires	Tests of prototypes built with new wire types at beams and irradiation facilities Measurement of performance on total integrated charge	INFN-LE, INFN-BA, INFN-RM, IJCLab-IN2P3, USTC, IMP-CAS, Bose.
T7	Gas mixing, recuperation, purification and recirculation systems	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Non-flammable gas</li> <li>- High quenching power</li> <li>- Low-Z</li> <li>- High radiation length</li> <li>- High primary ions</li> </ul>	WG3 3.1B 3.2C WG4, WG7.4	1.3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- ATEX and safety requirements</li> <li>- cost of gas</li> <li>- Hydrocarbon-free mixtures</li> </ul>	Performance of hydrocarbon-free gas mixtures full Design of a recirculating system	INFN-LE, INFN-BA, INFN-RM, U. Florida, Tufts U., U. Wisconsin, U. Michigan, IHEP-CAS, Bose.

# Drift Chamber: wiring procedure/robot

## MEG II CDCH: Wiring Procedure

The basic element is a **multiwire layer** made of 32 parallel wires

- **end-plates** numerically machined from solid Aluminum (mechanical support only);
- **Field, Sense and Guard wires** placed azimuthally by Wiring Robot with better than one wire diameter accuracy;
- **wire PC board layers** (green) radially spaced by spacers
- **spacers** (red) numerically machined peek blocks (accuracy < 20 μm);
- wire tension defined by homogeneous winding and wire elongation ( $\Delta L = 100\mu\text{m}$  corresponds to  $\approx 0.5 \text{ g}$ );
- Drift Chamber assembly done on a **3D digital measuring table**;
- build up of layers continuously checked and corrected during assembly
- End-plate gas sealing done with glue.

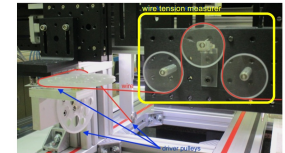
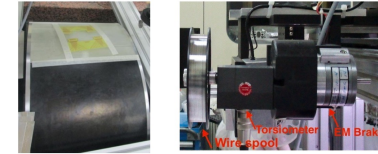


### WIRING SYSTEM (*Klotho and Lachesis*)

The wiring system is composed of:

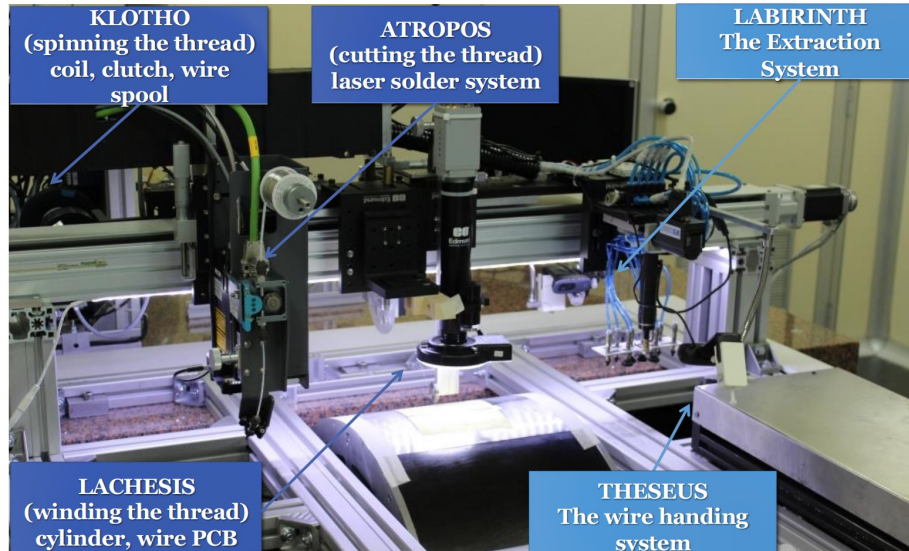
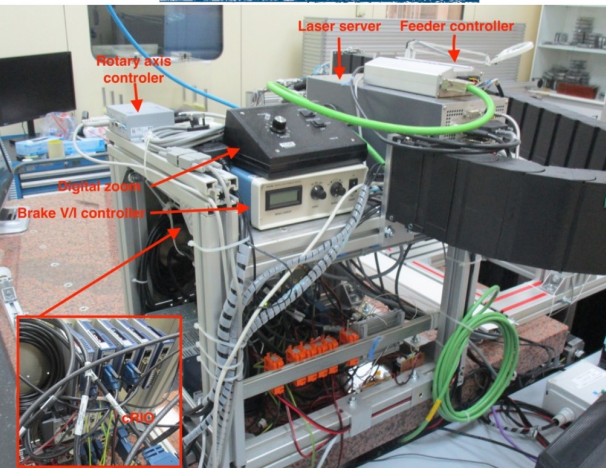
- a rotating cylinder
- a wire spool holder
- a system of pulleys.

The wiring system has the task of distributing the wire along a **helical trajectory (32 parallel wires)** with high precision and with a constant pre-defined mechanical tension.



## MEG II CDCH: The wiring robot

### Hardware



**The wiring robot manages the positioning of a large quantity of wires with precise alignment and mechanical tension.**

# Summary/Conclusions

Good progress on:

- mechanical structure project
- testbeam data analysis
- data reduction and pre-processing
- simulation (geometry, performance, cluster counting)

Plenty of areas for collaboration:

- wire studies, wiring machine
- detector design, construction, beam test, performance
- local and global reconstruction, full simulation
- physics performance and impact
- etc.

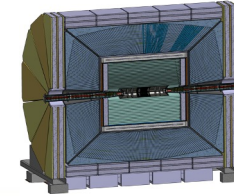
Effort to build international collaboration on going (in some areas well advanced) and to be enforced

Manpower, funding under continuous discussion



# Backup

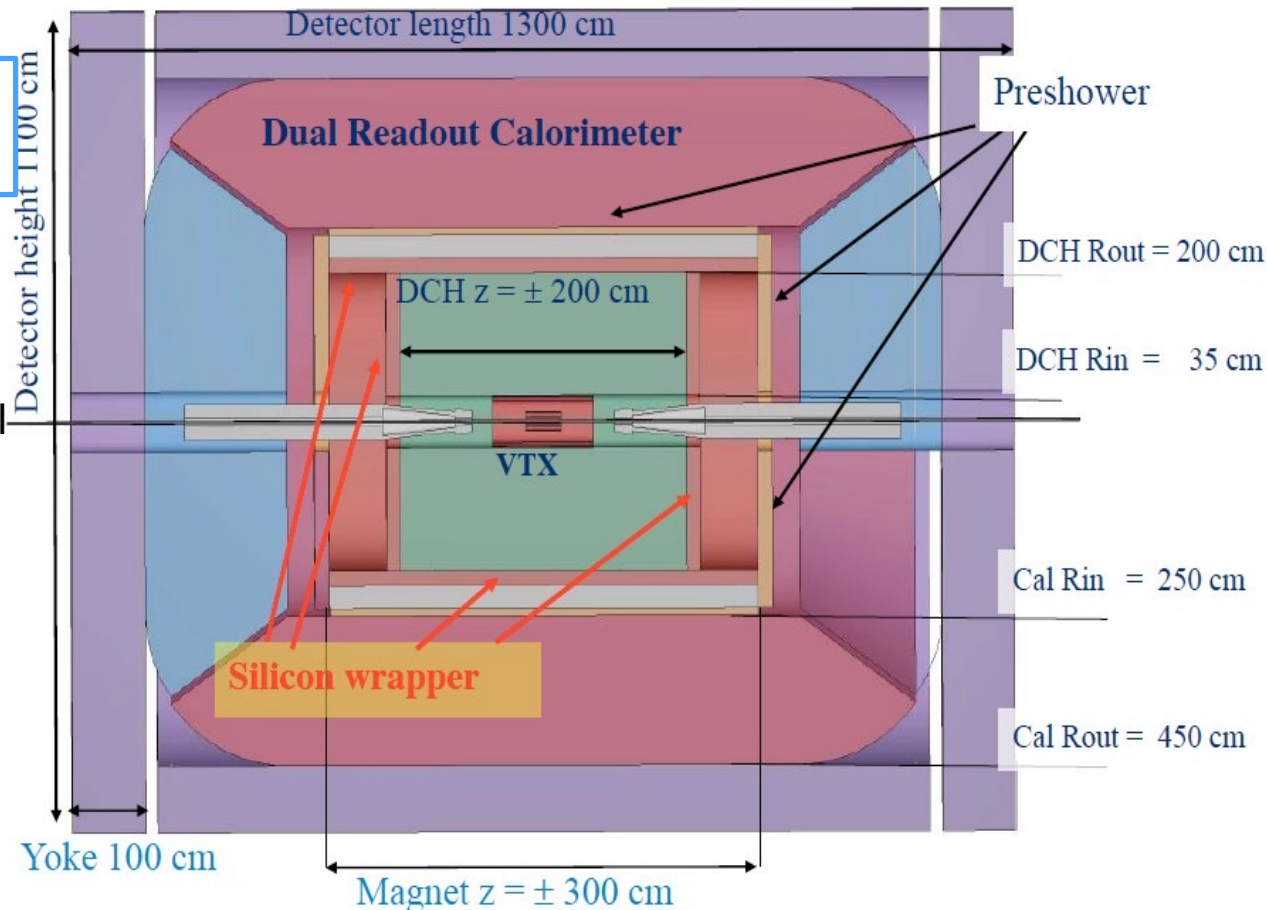
# The IDEA detector at $e^+e^-$ colliders



## Innovative Detector for E+e- Accelerator

IDEA consists of:

- a silicon pixel vertex detector
- a large-volume extremely-light **drift chamber**
- surrounded by a layer of silicon micro-strip detectors
- a thin low-mass superconducting solenoid coil
- a preshower detector based on  **$\mu$ -WELL technology**
- a dual read-out calorimeter
- muon chambers inside the magnet return yoke, based on  **$\mu$ -WELL technology**



Low field detector solenoid to maximize luminosity (to contain the vertical emittance at Z pole).

→ optimized at 2 T

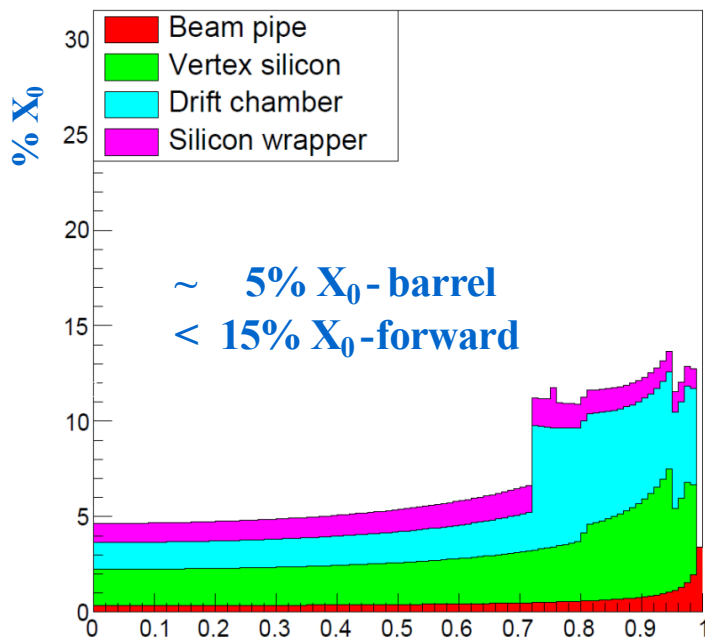
→ large tracking radius needed to recover momentum resolution

# Design features of the IDEA Drift Chamber

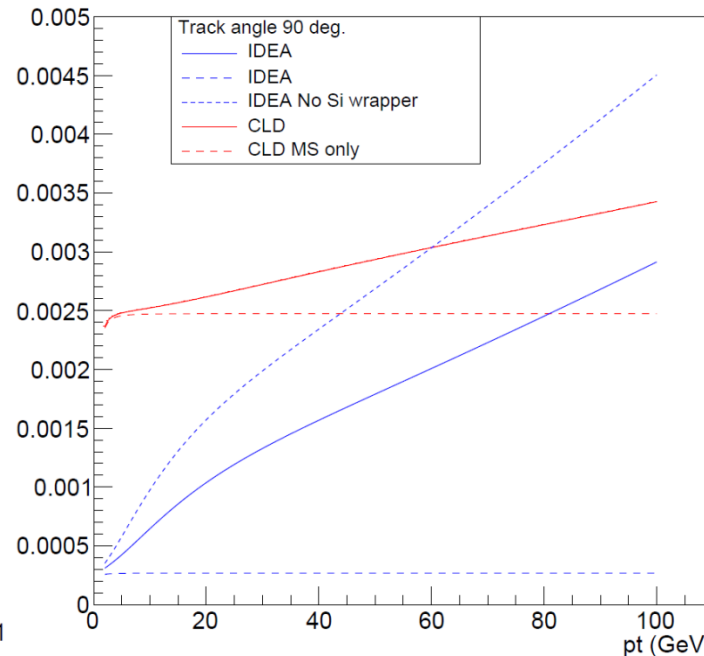
For the purpose of **tracking and ID** at low and medium momenta mostly for heavy flavour and Higgs decays, the IDEA drift chamber is designed to cope with:

- **transparency** against multiple scattering, more relevant than asymptotic resolution
- a high precision momentum measurement
- an excellent particle identification and separation

IDEA: Material vs.  $\cos(\theta)$



$\sigma_{pt}/pt$



Particle momentum range far from the asymptotic limit where MS is negligible

$$\frac{\Delta p_T}{p_T} \Big|_{res.} \approx \frac{12 \sigma_{r\phi} p_T}{0.3 B_0 L_0^2} \sqrt{\frac{5}{N+5}}$$

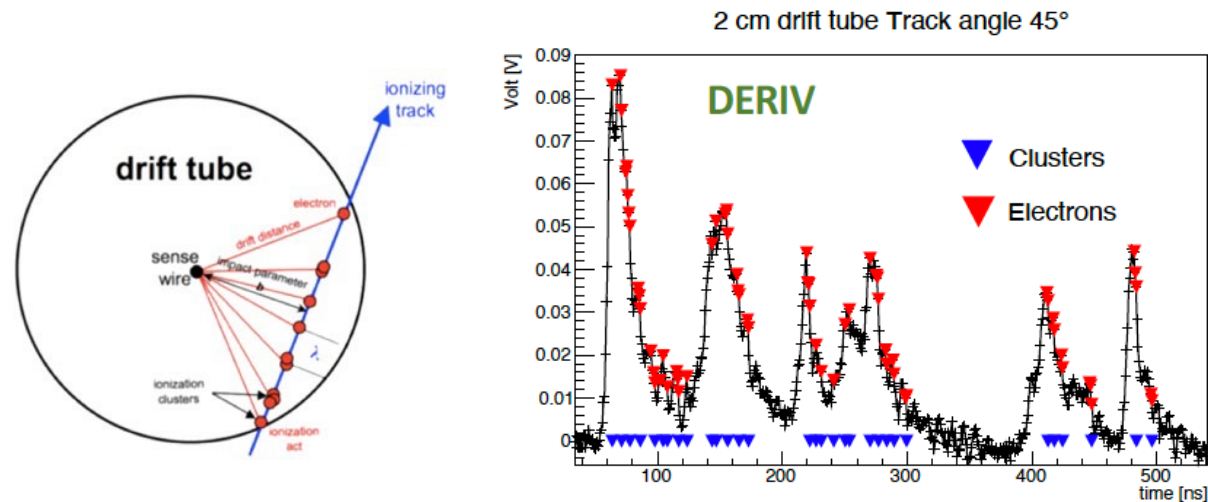
$$\frac{\Delta p_T}{p_T} \Big|_{m.s.} \approx \frac{0.0136 \text{ GeV}/c}{0.3 \beta B_0 L_0} \sqrt{\frac{d_{tot}}{X_0 \sin \theta}}$$

Drasal, Riegler, <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.nima.2018.08.078>

# The Drift Chamber: Cluster Counting/Timing and PID

**Principle:** In He based gas mixtures the signals from each ionization act can be spread in time to few ns. With the help of a fast read-out electronics they can be identified efficiently.

- By counting the number of ionization acts per unit length ( $dN/dx$ ), it is possible to identify the particles (P.Id.) with a better resolution w.r.t the  $dE/dx$  method.



- collect signal and identify peaks
- record the time of arrival of electrons generated in every ionisation cluster
- reconstruct the trajectory at the most likely position

- Landau distribution of  $dE/dx$  originated by the mixing of primary and secondary ionizations, has large fluctuations and limits separation power of PID → primary ionization is a Poisson process, has small fluctuations

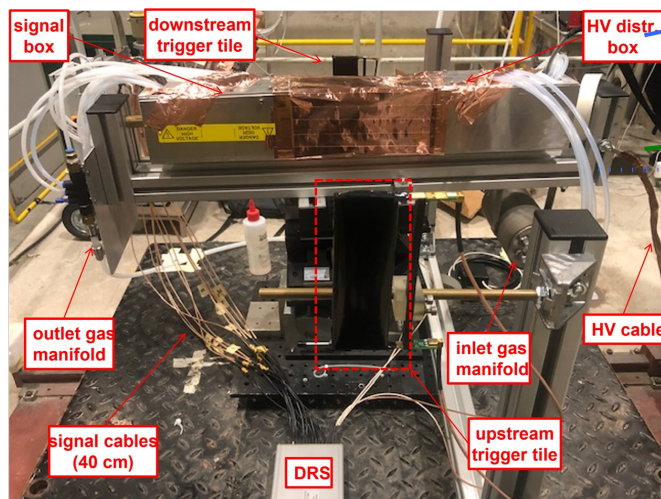
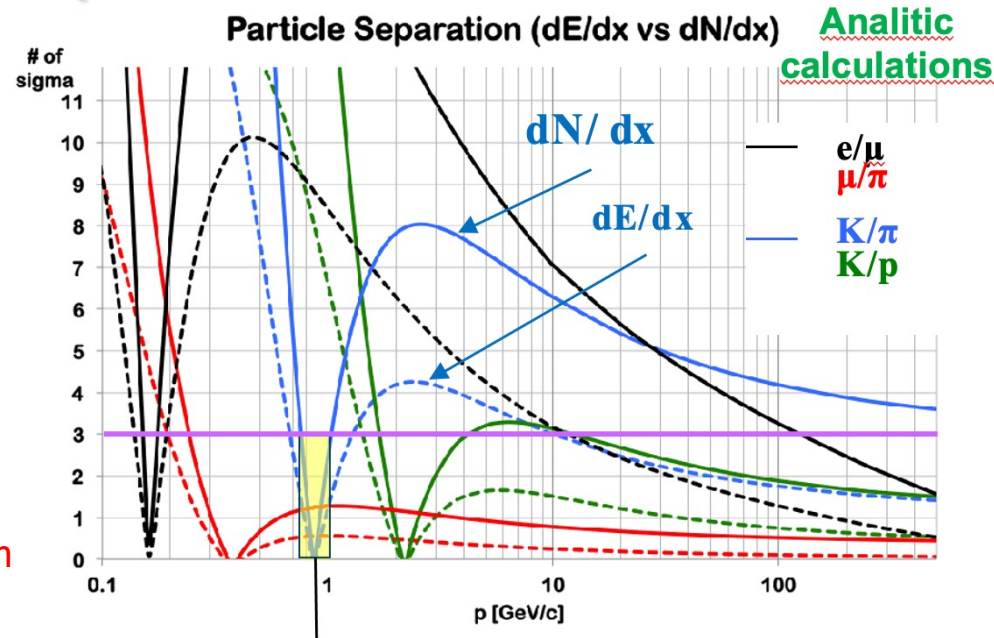
- The cluster counting is based on replacing the measurement of an ANALOG information (the [truncated] mean  $dE/dx$ ) with a DIGITAL one, the number of ionisation clusters per unit length:

$dE/dx$ : truncated mean cut (70-80%), with a 2m track at 1 atm give  $\sigma \approx 4.3\%$

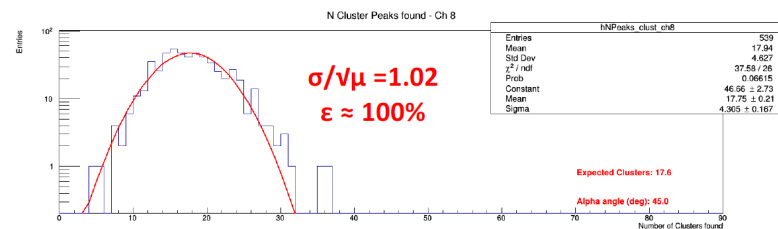
$dN_d/dx$ : for He/iC<sub>4</sub>H<sub>10</sub>=90/10 and a 2m track gives  $\sigma_{dN_d/dx} / (dN_d/dx) < 2.0\%$

# The Drift Chamber: Cluster Counting/Timing and PID

- **Analytic calculations:** Expected excellent  $K/\pi$  separation over the entire range except  $0.85 < p < 1.05$  GeV (blue lines)
- **Simulation with Garfield++ and with the Garfield model ported in GEANT4:**
  - the particle separation, both with  $dE/dx$  and with  $dN_{cl}/dx$ , in GEANT4 found considerably **worse** than in Garfield
  - the  $dN_{cl}/dx$  Fermi plateau with respect to  $dE/dx$  is reached at **lower values of  $\beta\gamma$  with a steeper slope**
  - finding answers by using real data from **beam tests**



90%He-10% $iC_4H_{10}$   
nominal HV+20, 45°,  
Gas gain  $\sim 2 \cdot 10^5$ ,  
165 GeV/c

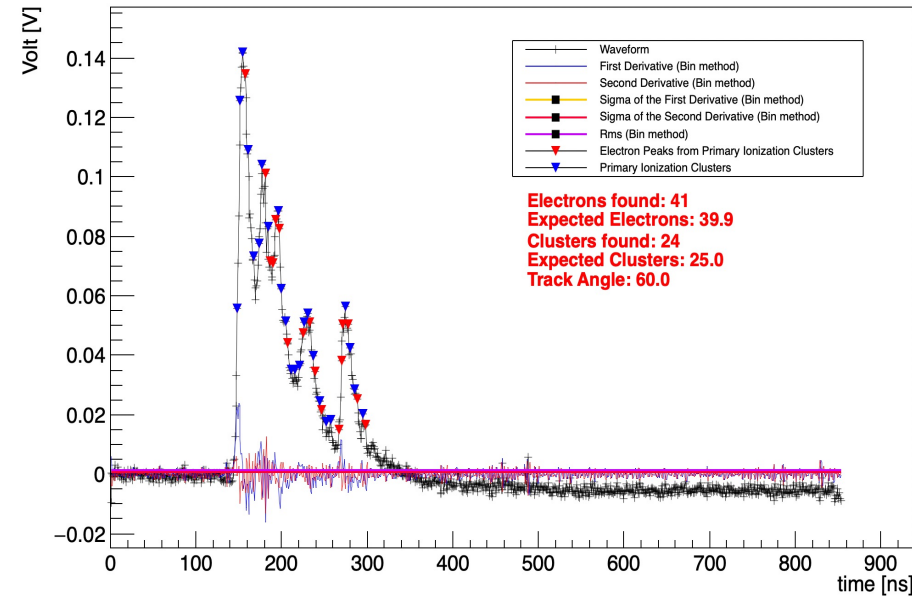


- Poissonian behaviour of the number of clusers
- Measurements vs predictions about the number of clusters are in very good agreement
- Same results in independent drift tubes

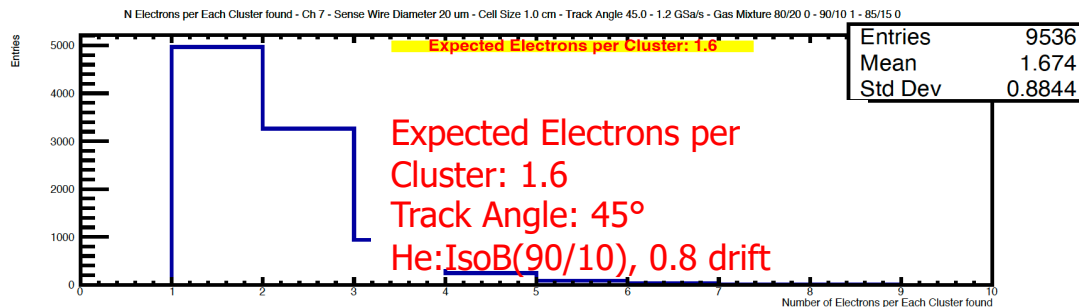
# 2021/2022 testbeam: clusterization

## CLUSTERIZATION algorithm: Reconstruction of Primary Ionization Clusters

- Merging of electron peaks in consecutive bins in a single electron to reduce fake electrons counting
- Contiguous electrons peaks which are compatible with the electrons' diffusion time (it has a  $\sim\sqrt{t_{ElectronPeak}}$  dependence, different for each gas mixture) must be considered belonging to the same ionization cluster.
- Position and amplitude of the clusters corresponds to the position and height of the electron having the maximum amplitude in the cluster.  $\rightarrow$  Poissonian distribution for the number of clusters!



## Electron per Clusters Distribution

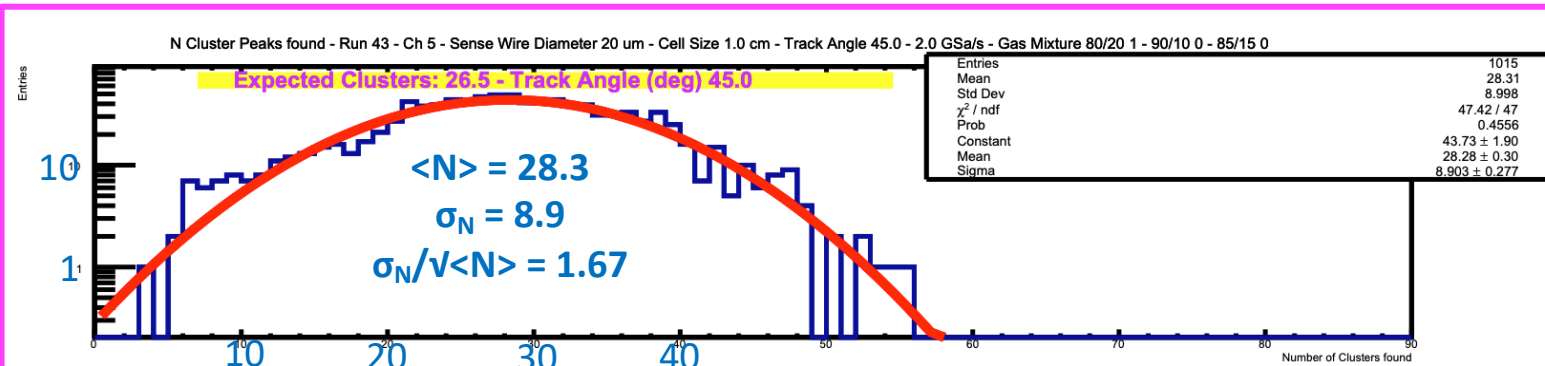


Sense Wire Diameter 20  $\mu\text{m}$  – Cell Size 1.0 cm – Track Angle 60° – 1.2 GSa/s – Gas Mixture He:IsoB 90/10 – 165 GeV

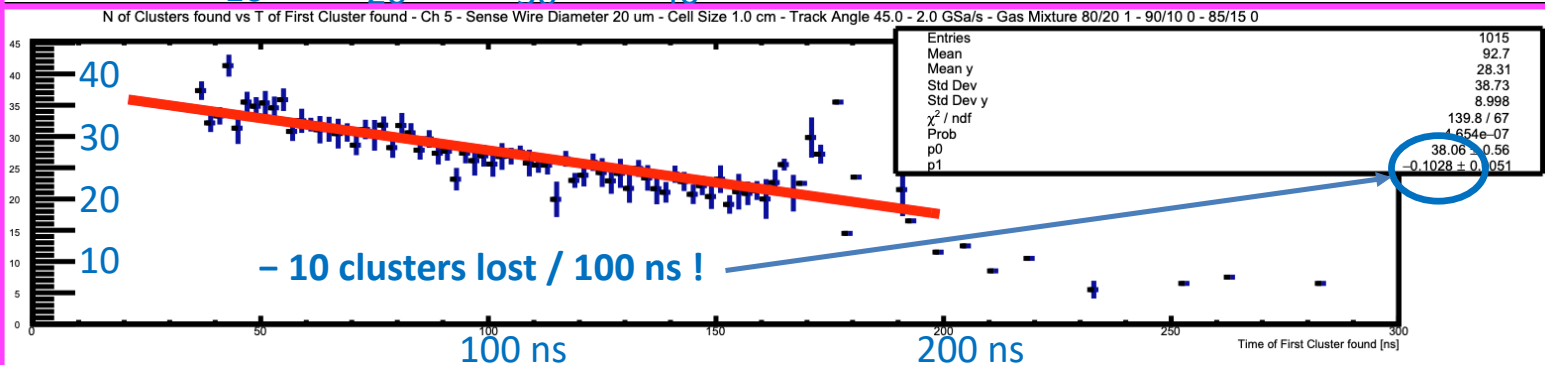
# Beam test results: recombination and attachment

## Space charge + attachment + recombination effects affect the experimental CC efficiency!

- The **loss of efficiency at small angles** is due to the partial shielding of the electric field due to the space charge.
- The **loss of efficiency at large angles** is partially due to the fact that increasing the number of clusters in the same drift time, increases the probability of pileup, then decreasing the counting efficiency.
- The **lower counting efficiency in 2cm** tubes compared to 1cm ones is only partially explained by the effects of recombination and attachment; other possible effects under investigation



Number of Clusters found by DERIV+CLUSTER algorithms



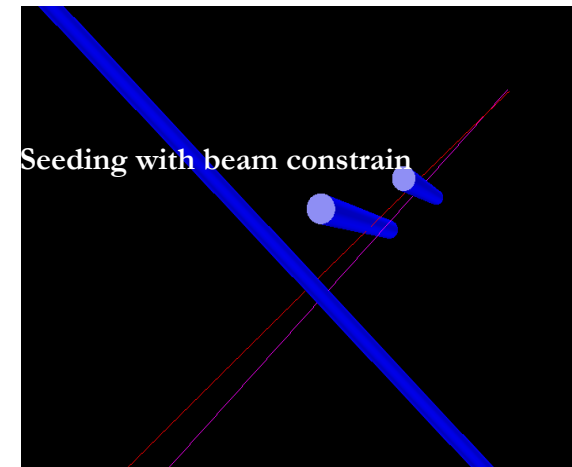
Average Number of Clusters found (@drift time) vs drift time

Combined action of recombination, electron attachment and E-field suppression due to space charge

# Track finding – local method for DCH only

## Seeding from 3 hits in different layers with origin constraint

- Take any 2 free hits from different stereo layers with a gap (4 or 6 layers)
- Cross Point of 2 wires give Z-coordinate
- Select nearest free hits at middle (+-1) layer
- 2 hits from same stereo layer give initial angle in Rphi
- origin added with sigma  $R\phi \sim 1\text{mm}$   $Z \sim 1\text{mm}$
- Seeds constructed for all  $2 \times 2 \times 2 = 8$  combination of Left-Right possibilities
- Checked that at -4 (+-1) layer are available free hits with  $\chi^2 < 16$
- Extrapolate and assign any compatible hits (by  $\chi^2$ ) from last to first hits
- Refit segment to reduce beam constraint
- Check quality of track segment:
  - $\chi^2/\text{NDF} < 4$
  - number of hits found ( $\geq 7$ )
  - number of shared hits ( $< 0.4N_{\text{found}}$ )



**Large combinatory:**  
local compatibility over  
different layers,  
+ 1 from different stereo  
view



# Mechanical structure: the FEM analysis

## Studies made by using the **Finite Element Method**:

- **Element to test**: surface body modelled with Shell element, spokes with Beam element and cables with Truss element
- **Load to apply**: uniformly distributed line pressure
- **Boundary conditions**: fixing the surface of the outer cylinder (undeformable) or fixing the edge of the outer cylinder (deformable)
- **Parametric study on mesh size**

Design No	Mesh Size	Total deformation Model	Equivalent Stress Maximum in Outer Cylinder			Equivalent Stress Average in Outer Cylinder			Maximum Axial Force Spokes	Equivalent Stress Maximum Cables	Mesh Min Quality	Mesh Average Quality	Solution Elapsed Time	Number Mesh Elements	
			OuterCylinder	Averaged	Unaveraged	Nodal diff	Averaged	Unaveraged							Nodal diff
DP 0	50	142.993	16.637	1763	3233	2932	223	286	201	12132	3197	0.13	0.80	5	189
DP 1	45	145.261	17.378	821	1824	1694	219	273	190	12139	2992	0.34	0.89	7	206
DP 2	40	139.848	15.347	1777	3293	2996	226	282	200	12126	3204	0.39	0.92	12	216
DP 3	35	139.495	15.478	1329	3262	2937	213	261	197	12145	3184	0.47	0.93	7	251
DP 4	30	138.848	15.258	1273	2367	2069	212	253	178	12219	2880	0.46	0.92	12	266
DP 5	25	142.349	16.348	1259	2249	1939	194	228	141	12175	2853	0.44	0.95	9	320
DP 6	20	139.726	15.968	2028	2994	2603	157	180	104	12233	3056	0.68	0.97	17	425
DP 7	15	130.568	14.311	1750	3104	3007	162	177	81	12559	3146	0.04	0.96	27	607
DP 8	10	135.217	15.275	2376	2497	2058	143	151	52	12368	3227	0.67	0.99	22	1120
DP 9	5	135.033	14.734	1976	2386	1908	140	144	34	12294	3246	0.60	0.99	77	3838
DP 10	4	133.568	15.002	1860	2249	2043	137	141	30	12476	3221	0.60	0.99	324	5900
DP 11	3	134.377	14.570	2042	2683	2330	139	141	26	12311	3225	0.67	0.99	291	10228
DP 12	2	137.256	15.212	1681	2156	1998	136	139	24	12243	3275	0.67	0.99	2149	22337
DP 13	1	133.266	13.931	2472	2570	1981	131	132	7	12283	3152	0.59	1.00	12892	85442

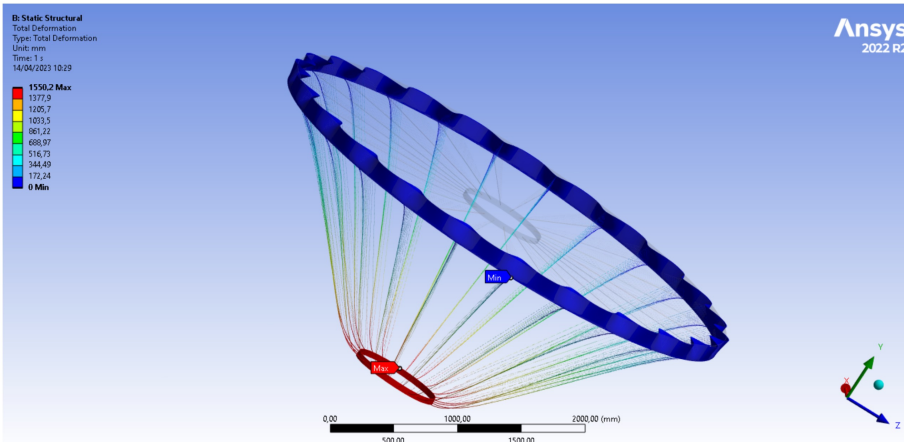
# Mechanical structure: the FEM analysis

A **full scale model** is built with **ANSYS** Workbench and loaded with uniformly distributed line pressure.

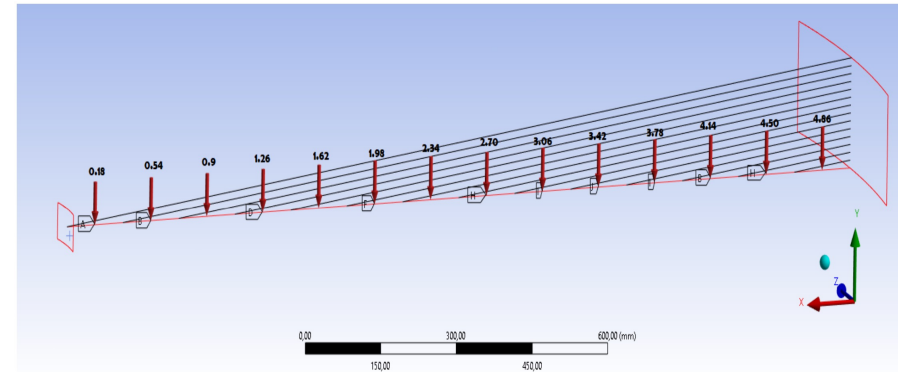
**Materials:** carbon for spoke, stainless steel for cables

Linear analysis

HP: small deformations

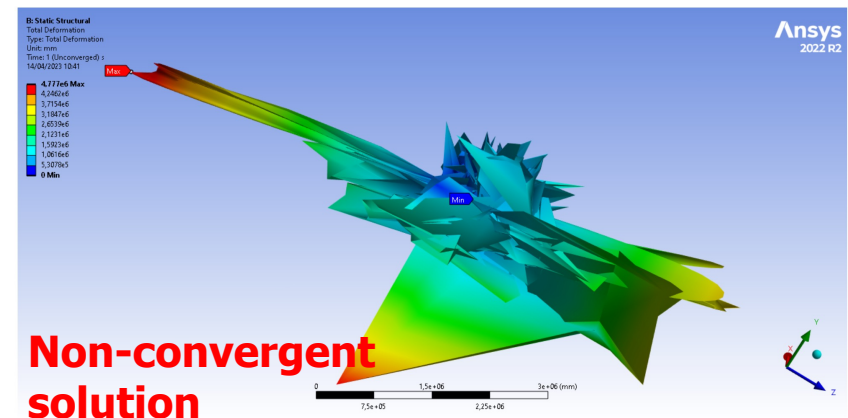


The maximum deformation occurs on inner cylinder **1550,2 mm (not realistic)**



Non-Linear analysis

HP: Large strain, rotation, stress stiffening

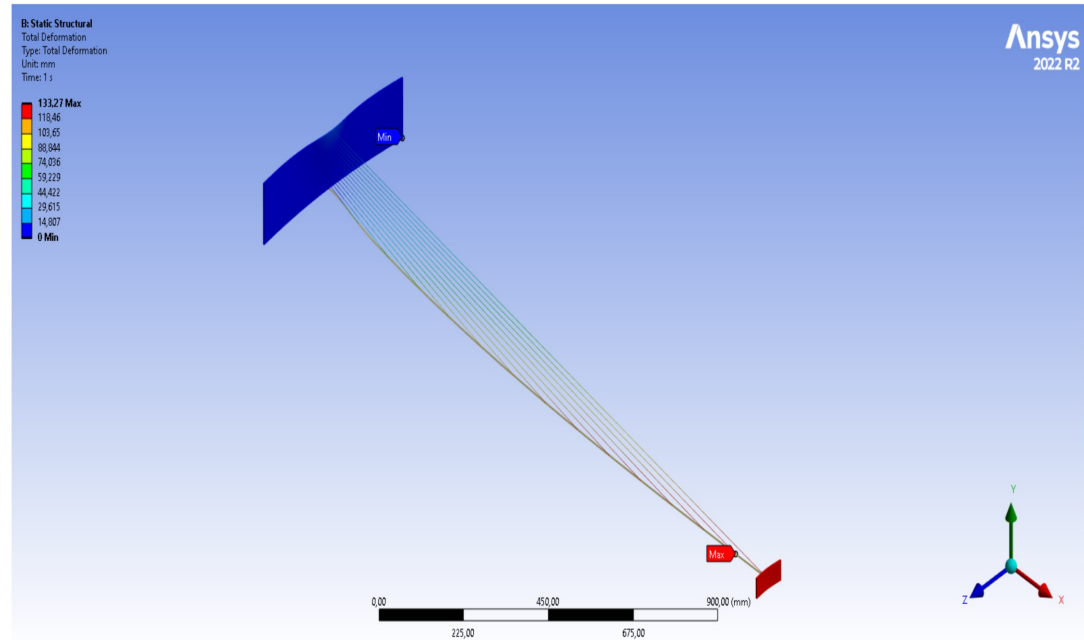


# Mechanical structure: the FEM analysis

## Time stepping algorithm:

- the time step size are automatically determined in response to the current state of the analysis under consideration.
- estimate the next time step size  $\Delta t_{n+1}$ , based on current  $t_n$  and past analysis  $\Delta t_n$  conditions, and make proper load adjustments

**The maximum deformation occurs on inner cylinder**  
**133,27 mm (more realistic)**



# Mechanical structure: the FEM analysis

The model developed was validated with 3 different configurations:

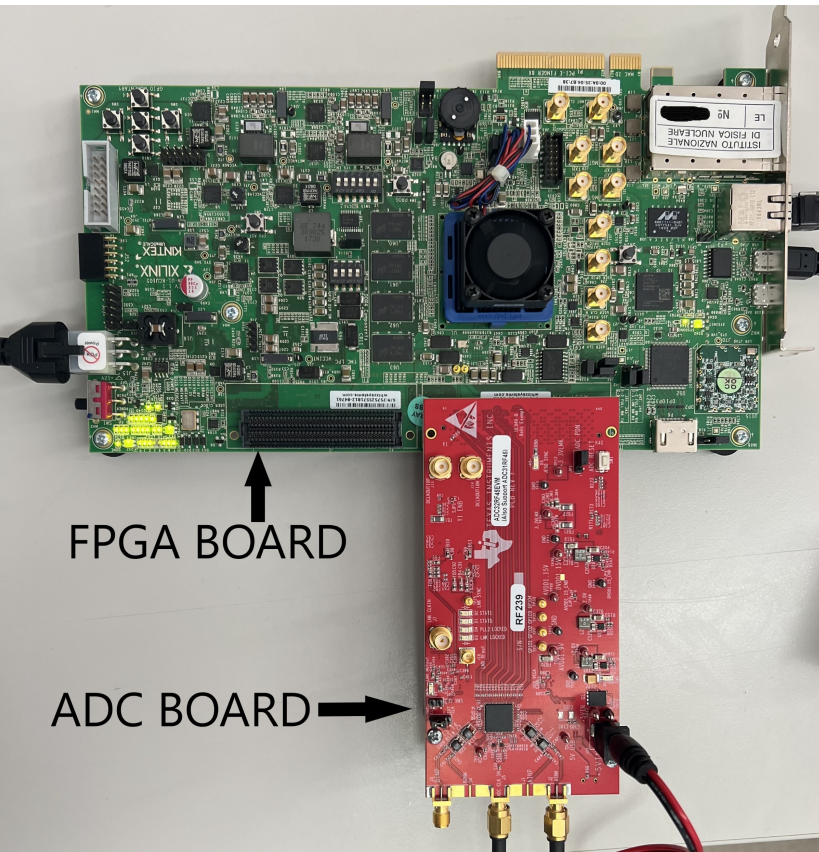
1. Materials: composite for spokes and steel for cables  
Boundary conditions: fixing the lower edge of the outer cylinder.
2. Materials: composite for spokes and steel for cables  
Boundary conditions: fixing the surface of the outer cylinder.
3. Materials: Structural steel  
Boundary conditions: fixing the lower edge of the outer cylinder

	Edge fixed	Face fixed	Edge fixed
Material type	Composite and steel	Composite and steel	structural steel
Max. Total deformation in model (mm)	135.03	96.83	108.37
Max. Total deformation in outer cylinder (mm)	14.73	-	7.84
Min. Axial force in Spokes (N)	-365.87	-1957.80	-1312.40
Max. Axial force in Spokes (N)	12294.00	13497.00	13103.00
Max. Equivalent stress in Cables (MPa)	3245.70	3350.90	3330.50
Avg. Equivalent stress in Cables (MPa)	71.49	89.95	82.88
Max. Equivalent stress in Inner cylinder (MPa)	1646.70	1885.20	1952.90
Avg. Equivalent stress in Inner cylinder (MPa)	280.11	317.02	335.90
Max. Equivalent stress in Outer cylinder (MPa)	1976.00	-	1618.30
Avg. Equivalent stress in Outer cylinder (MPa)	139.77	-	224.33
Mass (kg) per sector	0.69587	0.69587	2.7773
Volume (mm <sup>3</sup> ) per sector	3.54E+05	3.54E+05	3.54E+05

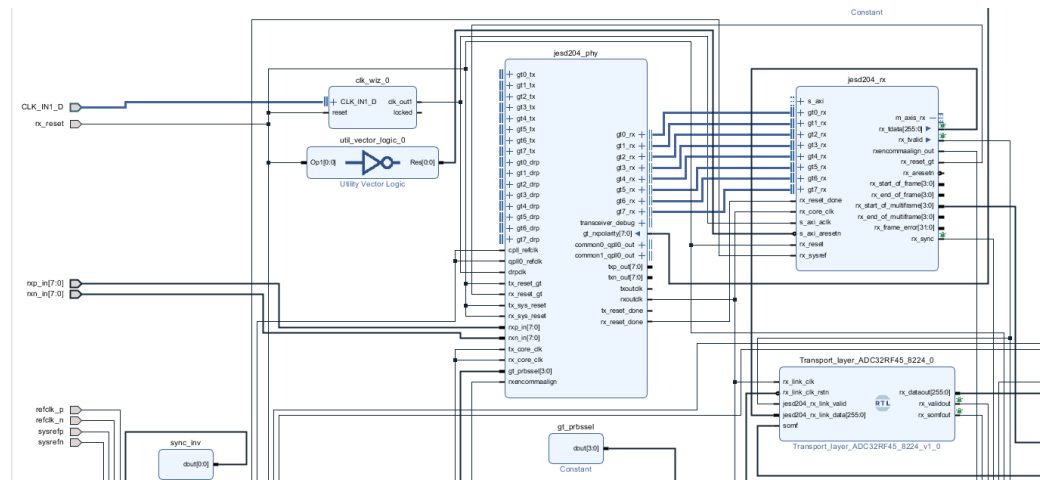
Best configuration



# Cluster counting on a KCU105 + ADC ADC32RF45

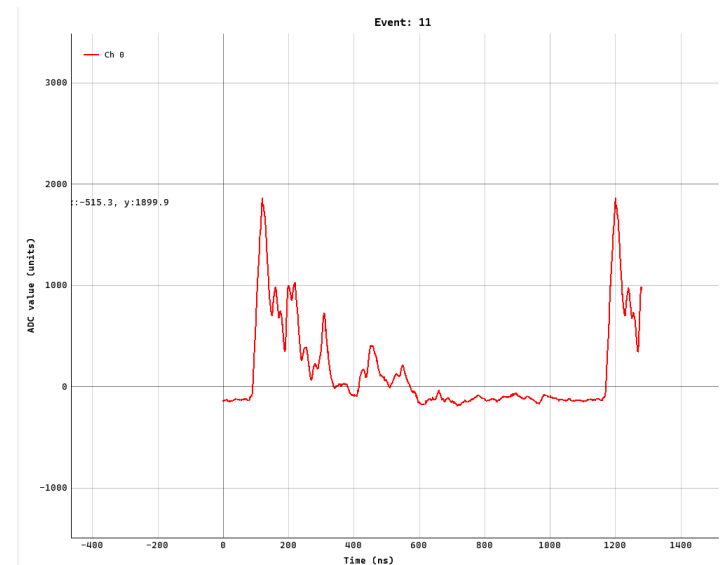
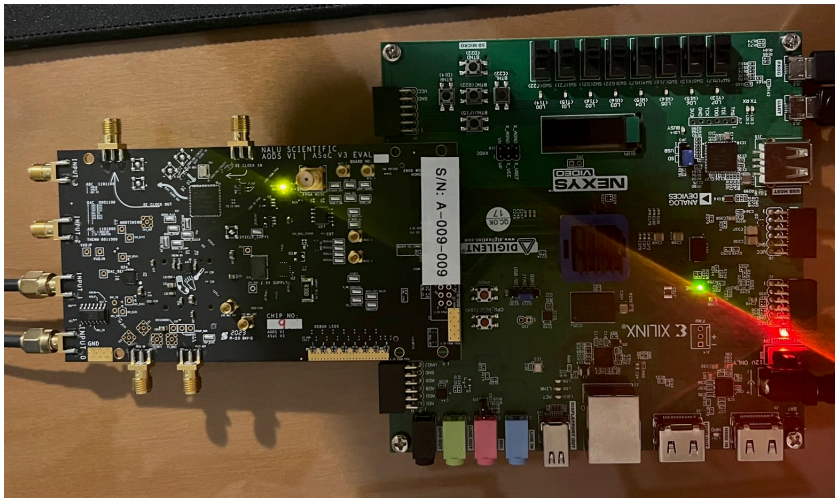


- We have transferred the old code of the single channel ADC made in the old framework to the xilinx new frameworks
- The communication with the new ADC was carried out and some simulations on timing and power consumption (next slide)
- We are developing the code to use SFP + connections for the 10Gb standard
- The integration between the CCT algortymus block have to be terminated



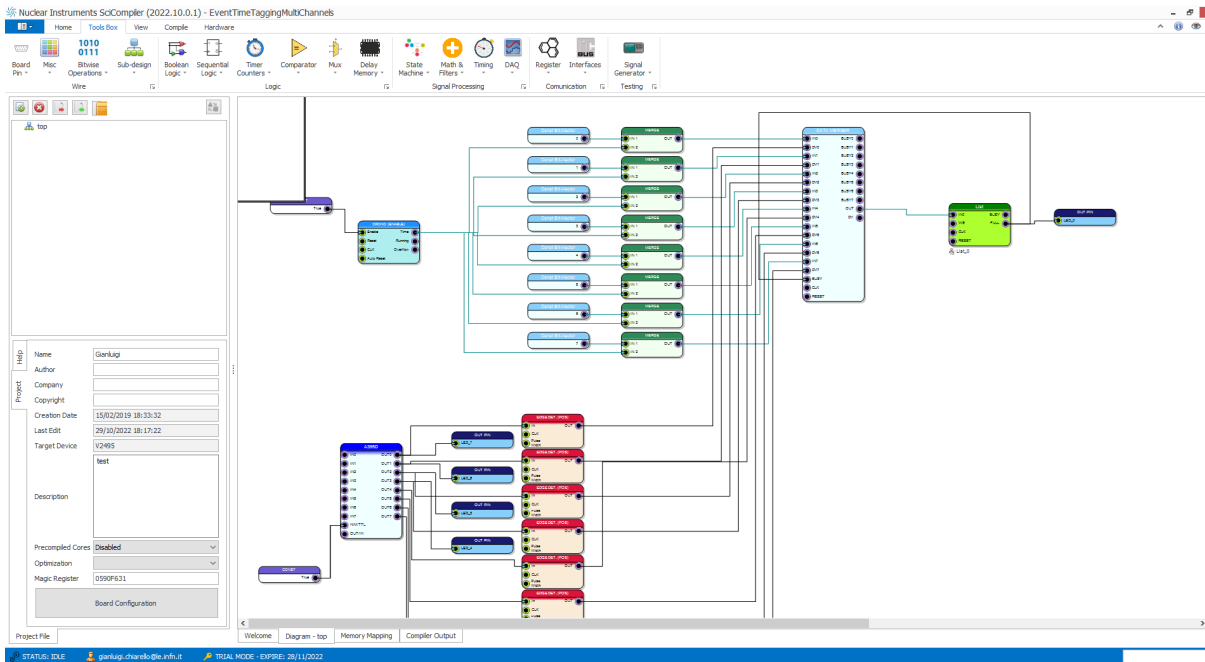
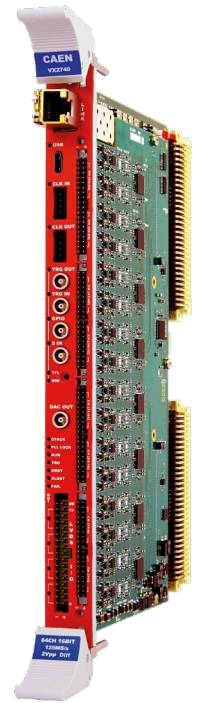
# Cluster counting on a Naluscientific ASoCV3

- At the end of June we received the board with the ASoCv3, We are currently testing it with a pulse generator
- The next step is to connect it to the LMH6522 amplifier (4 channel amplifier) to do some tests with some tubes
- Currently we cannot implement the algorithm directly because we do not have some IP of the source code, we are in contact with Naluscientific. We use their software to collect the signal (Naloscope)

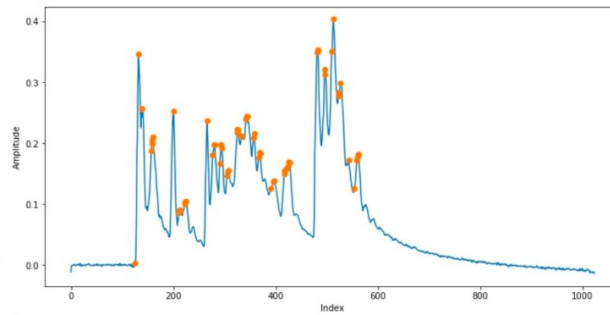
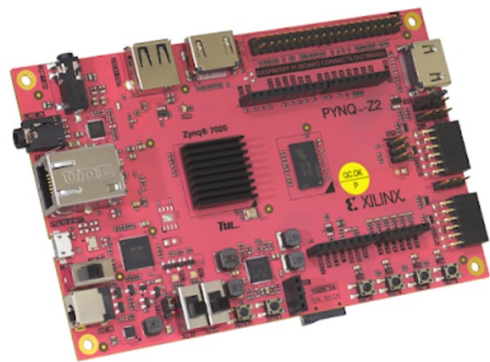
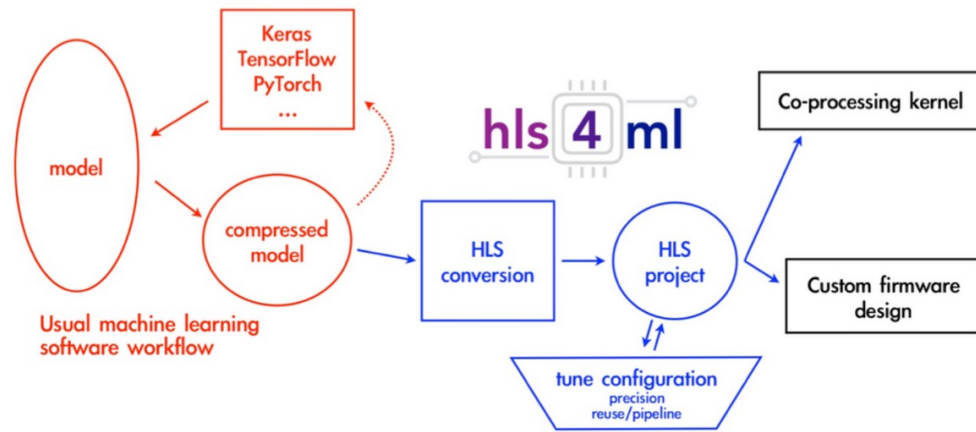


# Cluster counting on a Caen VX2740

- At the end of June we also received the CAEN digitizer (not in the version we need because it is still under development)
- We are becoming familiar with the openFPGA SCICompiler software (released a few days ago) and we have a trial license with a timebomb that does not allow us to do excessive development.
- We are waiting for Caen to have a full license



# Board for cluster counting: new idea ML algorithm



The first step required for the implementation of the neural network on the FPGA is the conversion of the high-level code used for the creation of the network (QKeras) into an High-Level Synthesis (HLS)

To accomplish this task, the hls4ml package will be used.

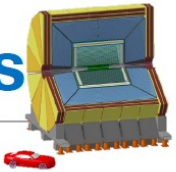
A schematic workflow of hls4ml is illustrated in the figures.

1. The parts red indicates the usual software steps required to design a neural network for a specific task.
2. The blue section of the workflow is the task done by hls4ml, which translates the model into an HLS project that can be synthesised and implemented to run on an FPGA.



# Data reduction and preprocessing

# Data reduction and pre-processing of DCH signals



High speed digitization (2 GSa/s) for CC  $\Rightarrow$  Transfer rate of TB/s



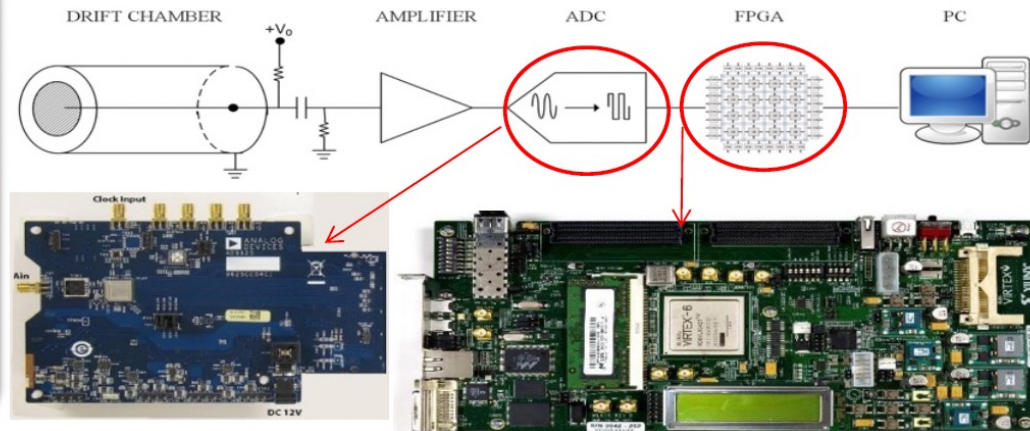
- **Data reduction strategy:** transfer, for each hit drift cell, only the minimal information relevant to apply the **Cluster Counting/Timing (CCT) techniques**, i.e. the **amplitude** and the **arrival time of each peak** associated with **each individual ionisation electron**  $\Rightarrow$  **CCT algorithms!**
  - ▶ Use of a **FPGA** for the **real-time data analysis** of drift chamber signals **digitized by an ADC**. Acquire the signals converted  $\Rightarrow$  process with cluster counting algorithms (aimed also at **reducing the data throughput**)  $\Rightarrow$  send the processed information to a back-end computer via an Ethernet interface.
- A fast read-out CCT algorithm has been developed as **VHDL/Verilog** code implemented on a **Virtex 6 FPGA** (**maximum input/output clock switching frequency of 710 MHz**). The hardware setup includes also a **12-bit monolithic pipeline sampling ADC** at conversion rates up to **2.0 GSPS**.

## Goal

To implement on FPGA more sophisticated peak finding algorithms for the **parallel pre-processing** of many ADC channels:

- **reduce costs** and **system complexity**
- **gain on flexibility in determining proximity correlations** among hit cells for track segment finding and triggering purposes.

Implementend using a **single channel ADC**

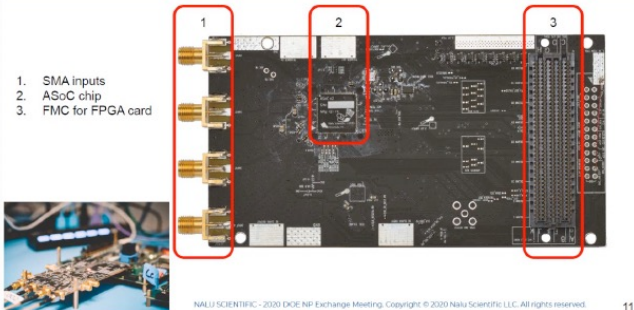


# Cluster counting on a FPGA

- We implemented successfully the CCT technique on a **single-channel ADC**
- To implement the multi-channel DCH signals reading, different digitizers are under test:

- 1) ADC TEXAS INSTRUMENT **ADC32RF45**
- 2) CAEN **digitizer**
- 3) NALU SCIENTIFIC **ASoCv3**

## ASoC Eval Card

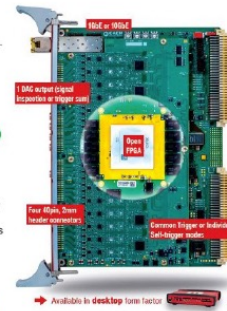


4 Channel and Analog Bandwidth 850 MHz

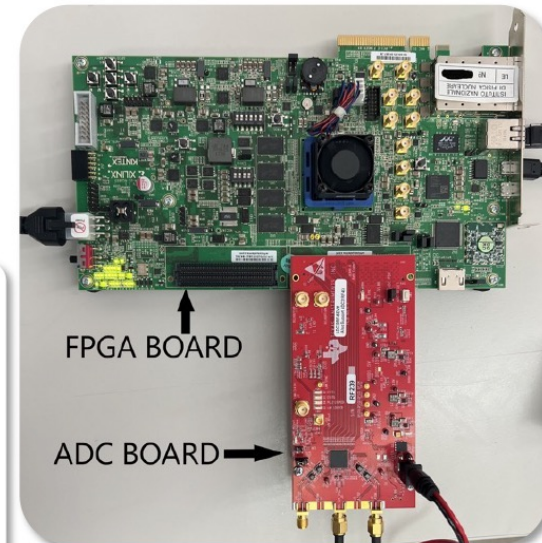


## VX2740: the first of a kind

- 64 channel, 125 MS/s, 16 - bit waveform digitizer
- High channel density spectroscopy
- Good fit for Neutrino and Dark Matter experiment
- **Open FPGA:** SCI-Compiler tool for beginners (**COMING SOON**) or advanced firmware template
- Four 40-pin, 2 mm header connectors with DIFF or SE inputs
- 1 GbE, 10 GbE, USB 3.0 and CONET 2.0 (optional) connectivity
- Common Trigger (waveforms) or Individual Self-trigger modes
- DPP options: PHA, QDC, PSD, CFD
- Advanced Waveform Readout modes: ZLE, DAW
- DT2740, 64 channels in Desktop form factor (**COMING SOON**)



OPEN FPGA system



Xilinx Kintex UltraScale **FPGA**  
KCU105 Evaluation Kit + **ADC dual channel ADC32RF45EVM**

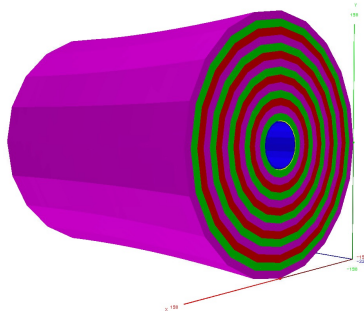
- Understand how to best implement the data transfer to the DAQ, using **optical fiber with SFP + connectors** or **SFP + to RJ45 adapters** to use the new **10Gbit/s standard** (especially for (1) and (2)).
- Investigate the best way **to save information before the transfer** (we need it if a bottleneck during the transfer happens).

# Simulation of the DCH and performance

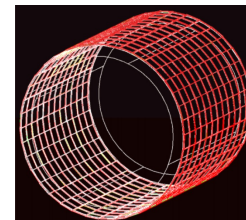
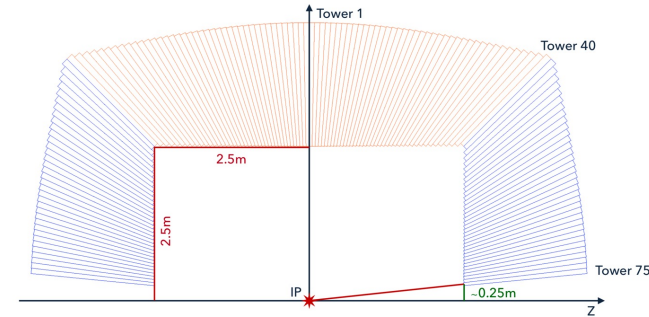
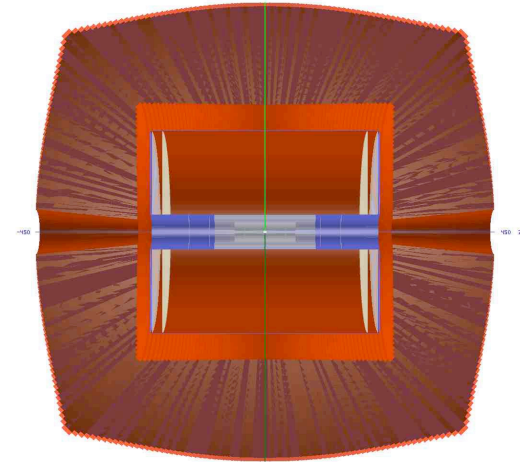
# Detector simulation for IDEA

Geant4 and DD4HEP simulations of the IDEA geometry are available

- The **DCH** is simulated at a good level of geometry details, including detailed description of the endcaps; hit and digi creation (while track reconstruction code available in Geant4)



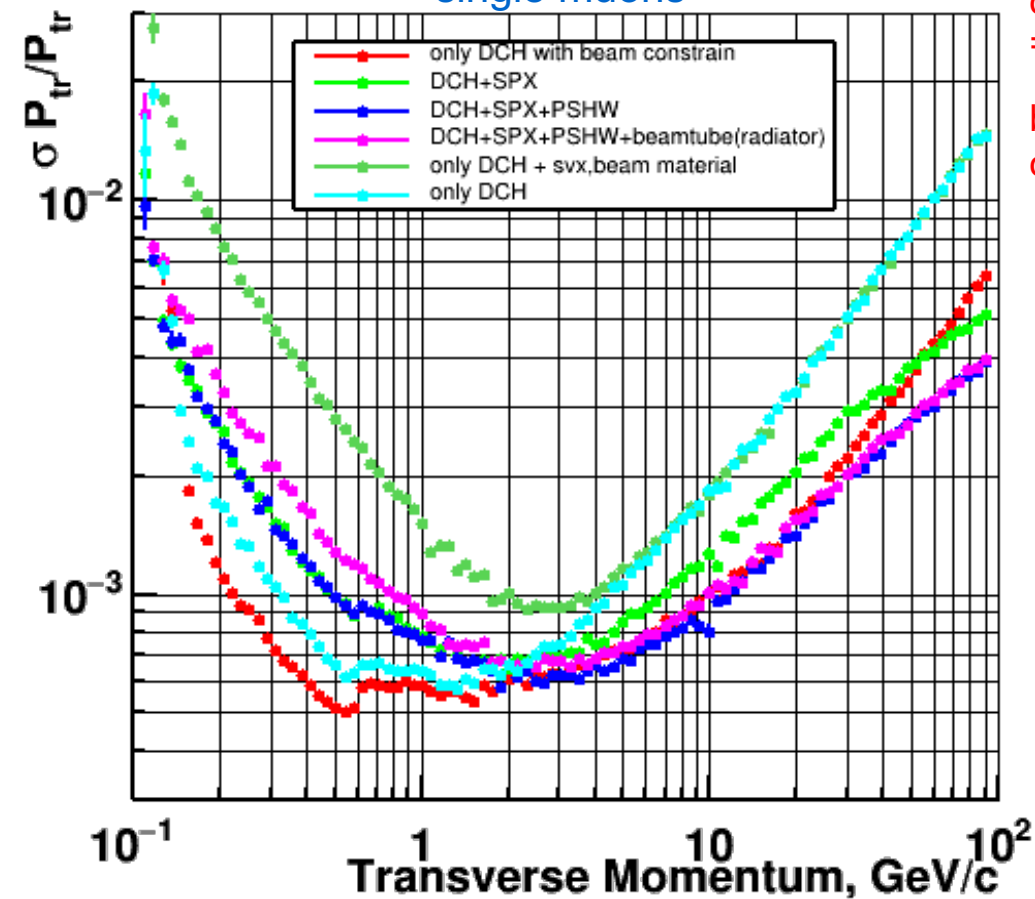
- **SVX** and **Si wrapper** are simulated too
- solenoid is also simulated in a simple way
- **Dual readout** calorimeter simulated combining DR fibers and crystals (in a fully compensating segmented calorimeter)
- **Muon detector**: simulated with a cylindrical geometry



# Track finding: performance of the current IDEA

For the **Geant4** based simulation framework code:

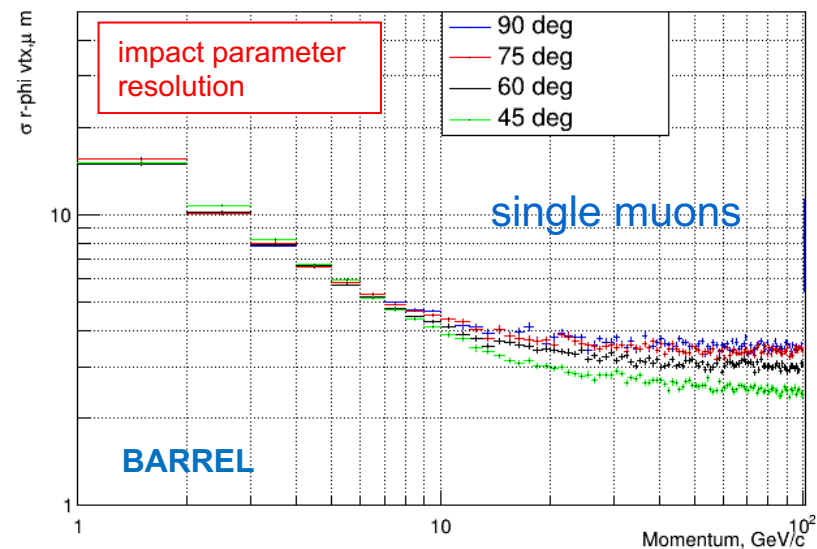
### Transverse Momentum Resolution single muons



$$\sigma(p_t)/p_t (100 \text{ GeV}) = 3 \times 10^{-3}$$

but new studies  
ongoing

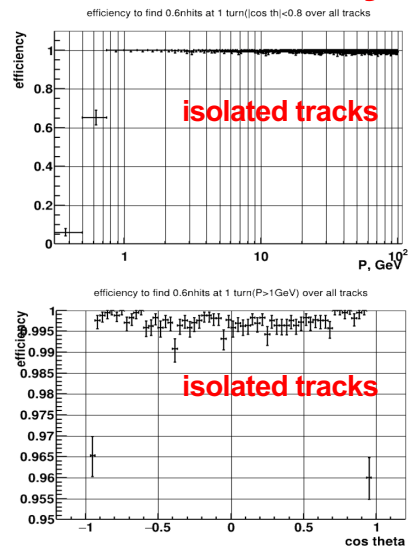
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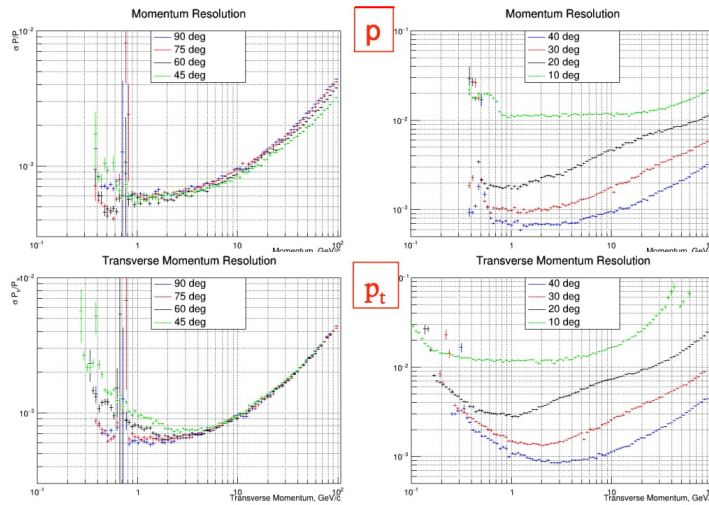
$$\sigma(d_0) (100 \text{ GeV}) = 2 \mu\text{m}$$

# Performance of the tracking with DCH

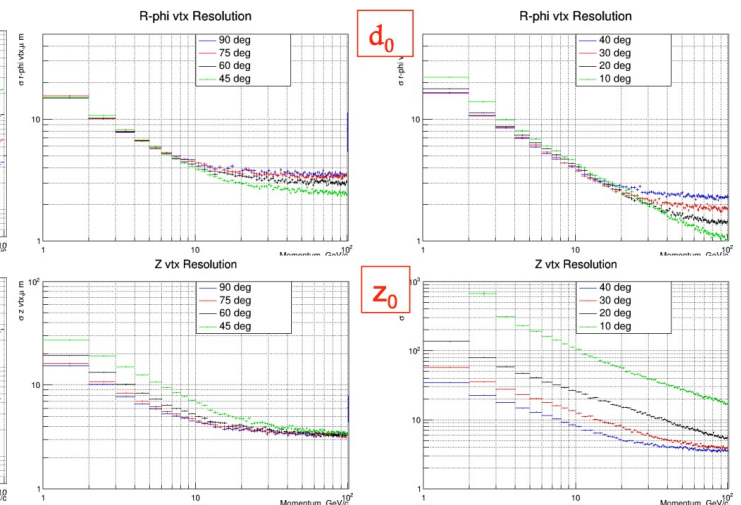
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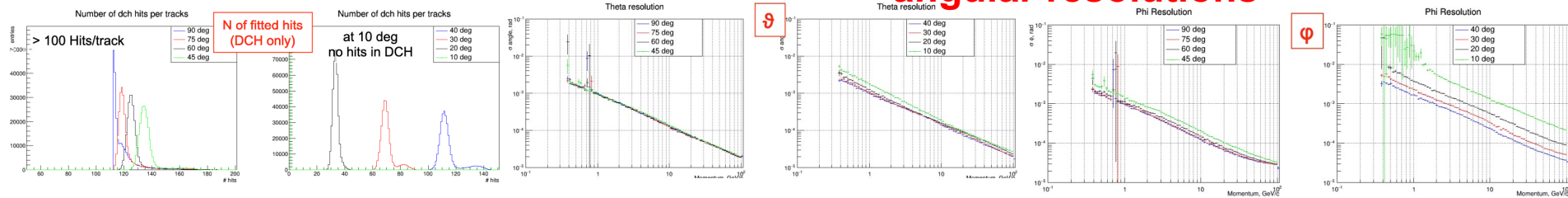
## momentum resolution



## vertex resolution



## angular resolutions

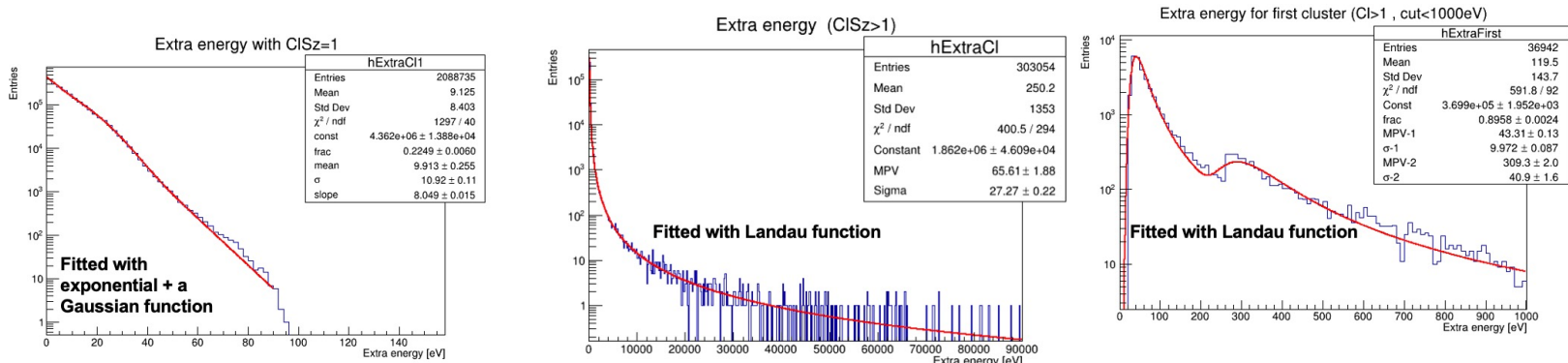


# Cluster counting/timing simulation

<https://doi.org/10.48550/arXiv.2105.07064>

The basic idea is to develop an algorithm which can use the **energy deposit** information provided by Geant4 to reproduce, in a fast and convenient way, the **clusters number distribution and the cluster size distribution**.

- The algorithm starts from Garfield++ simulations.
- Firstly, we analyse the distribution of the kinetic energy for clusters that have a **cluster size equal to 1** (left), and clusters that have **cluster size higher than 1** (middle) and the distribution of clusters with a **cluster size higher than 1 up to a 1 keV**, which is a cut equivalent to the single interactions range cut set by default in Geant4.

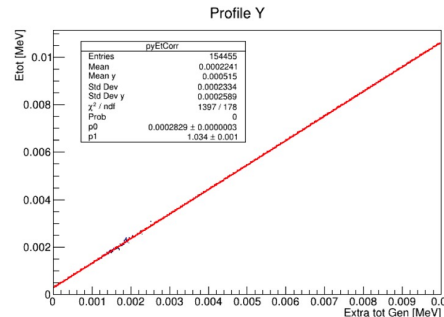


Then we focused on the evaluation of the maximum kinetic energy spent to create clusters with cluster size higher than one. (**maxExEcl**).

➤ To extract this parameter, named **maxExEcl**, we studied the correlation plot, between the total energy loss by particles traversing the gas mixture and the total kinetic energy of clusters with cluster size higher than 1; moreover we evaluated the parameter named **ExSgm** to take into account the smearing around the mean value of the total energy loss. The profile plot is fitted with a linear function and the formula for evaluating the **maxExEcl** is:

$$\text{maxExEcl} = \frac{E_{tot} - p_0 + \text{Random}(\text{Gaus}(0, \text{ExSgm}))}{p_1}$$

where  $p_0$  and  $p_1$  are the fit parameters of the linear fit and  $E_{tot}$  is the total energy loss by the particles traversing the 200 cells of gas.



More details will be given by W. Elmetenawee at **ECFA workshop in Paestum**