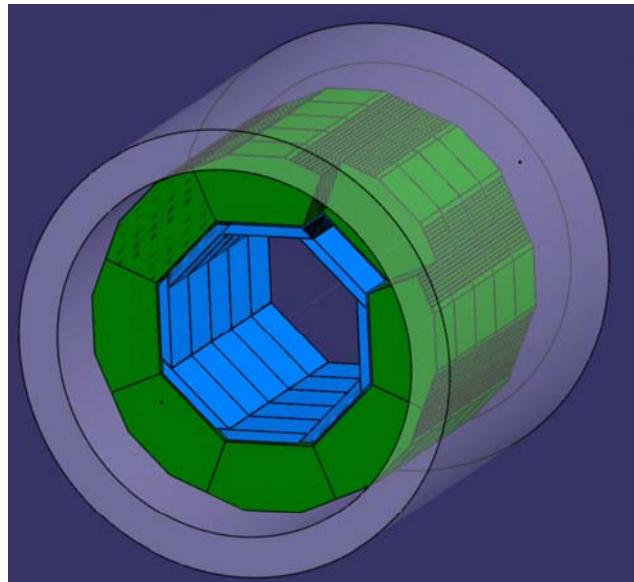




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Topics



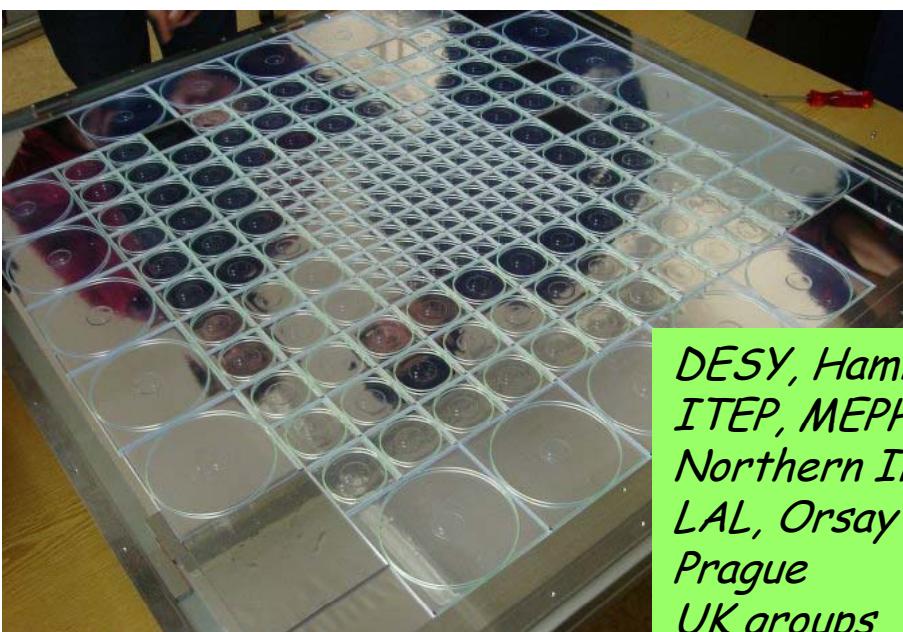
- Scintillator HCAL test beam prototype and analysis directions
- Towards a realistic technical prototype: electronics integration concepts



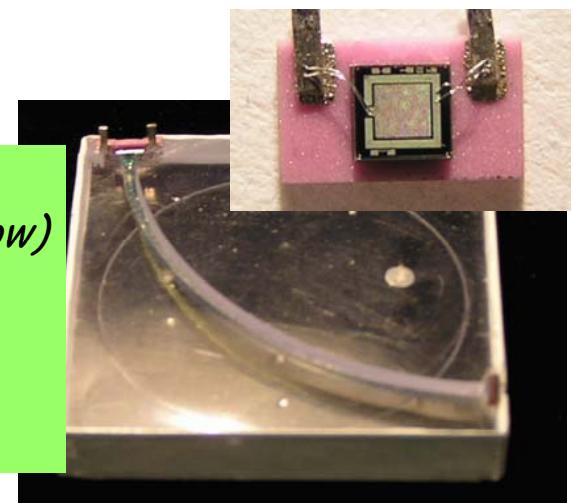
Tile HCAL testbeam prototype



- 1 cubic metre
- 38 layers, 2cm steel plates
- 7608 tiles with SiPMs
- CALICE electronics and DAQ
- Versatile LED calibration system
- SiPM (MEPHI/PUSAR)
 - Gain $\sim 10^6$, Eff (green) $\sim 15\%$, quenching R $\sim 1 - 10 \text{ M}\Omega$
- SiPM tile fibre system (ITEP)
 - 3x3x0.5 cm³ tiles from UNIPLAST, Russia
 - WLS fibre Kuraray Y11(300) 1mm
 - 2% light xtalk per edge
 - Faces covered with 3M mirror foil



*DESY, Hamburg U,
ITEP, MEPHI, LPI (Moscow)
Northern Illinois
LAL, Orsay
Prague
UK groups*



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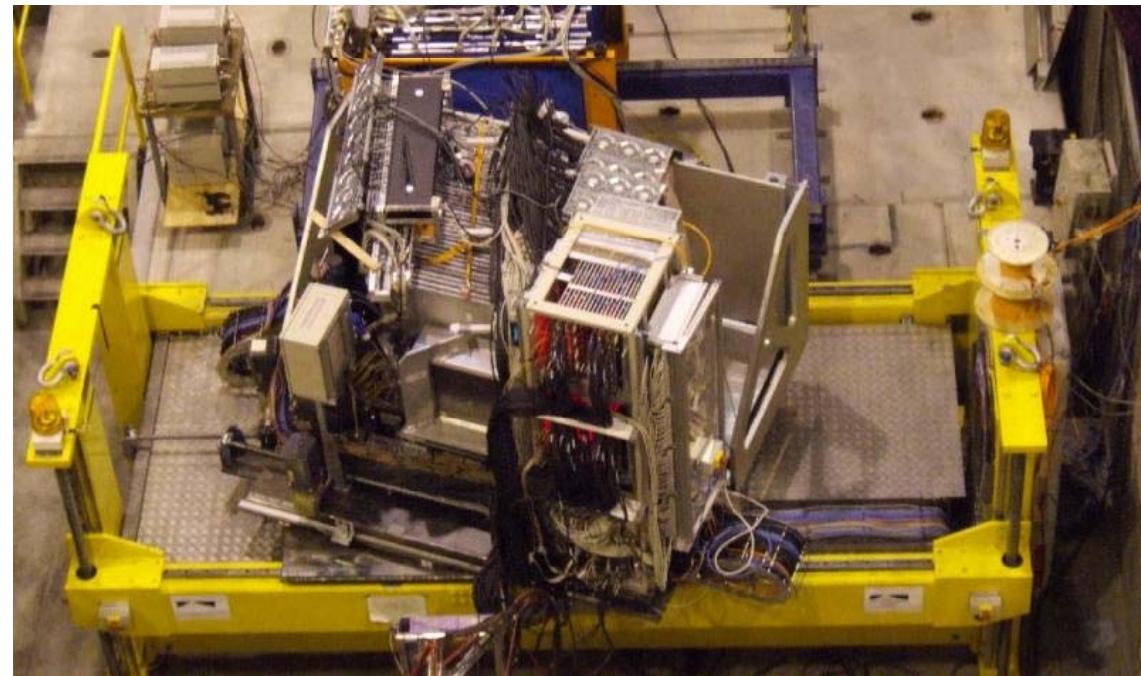
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Test beam installation



- 2006: first 23 layers in the CERN beam line
- June 2007: all HCAL active layers completed (8000 SiPMs)
- Movable stage completed, fully functional
 - Transverse and rotational scans



*See F. Salvatore's talk in
the test beam session*

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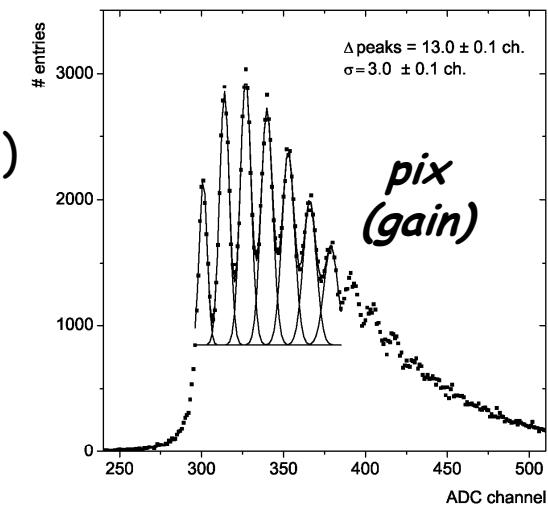
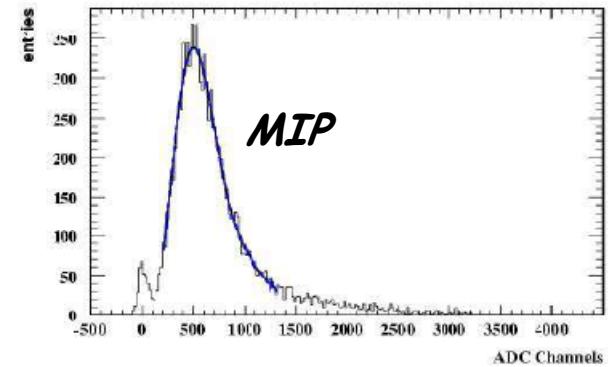
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Operational experience, noise



- Robust and stable: ~ 95% up-time
- Only 1.6% dead channels
 - Mostly bad soldering contacts
- Calibration needs 2 scales: MIP and SiPN pix
 - $E[\text{MIP}] = A/A_{\text{MIP}} * F(N_{\text{pix}})$; $N_{\text{pix}} = A/A_{\text{pix}}$
 - F is non-linearity correction (test bench)
- Operation:
 - MIP to set noise threshold (1/2 MIP, offline)
 - Pixel to verify working point (15 pix/MIP)
- Noise hit occupancy
 - 10^{-3} in 2006, $E / \text{hit} \sim 0.8 \text{ MIP} \sim 0.025 \text{ GeV}$
 - 2×10^{-3} in 2007 (non-optimal working point)

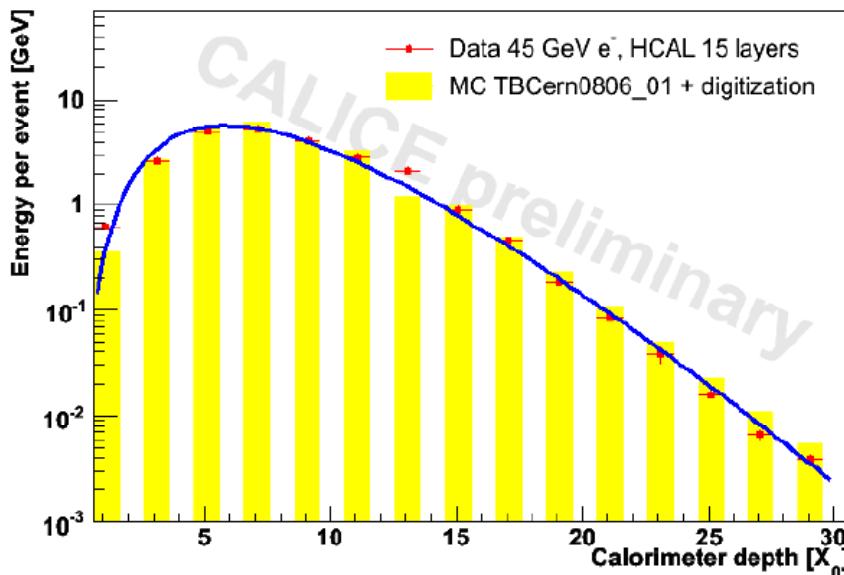




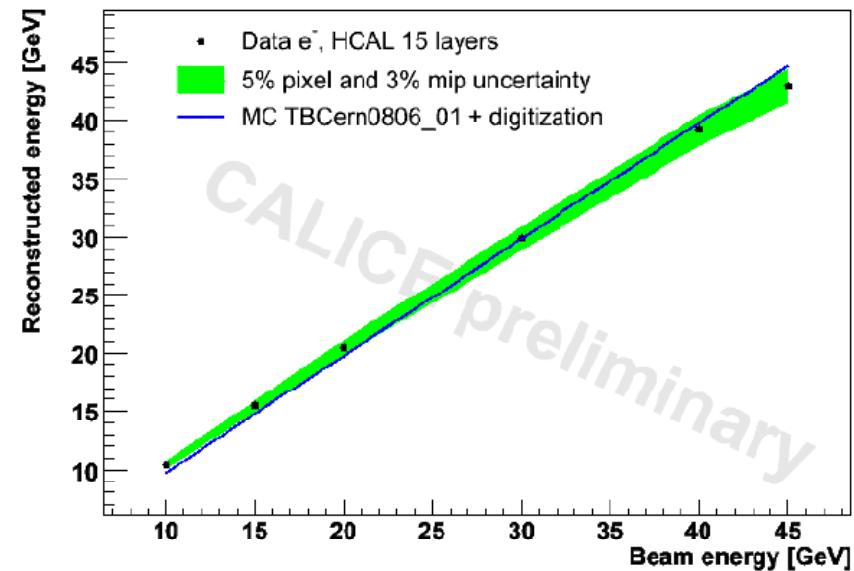
Electron data



- Check detector understanding (MC) and calibration
- Profile: data shower earlier, as already seen in ECAL
- Linearity: not perfect yet, but sufficient for hadron analysis
- 2007 analysis in progress, sanity checks OK
 - Probe different detector regions and angles



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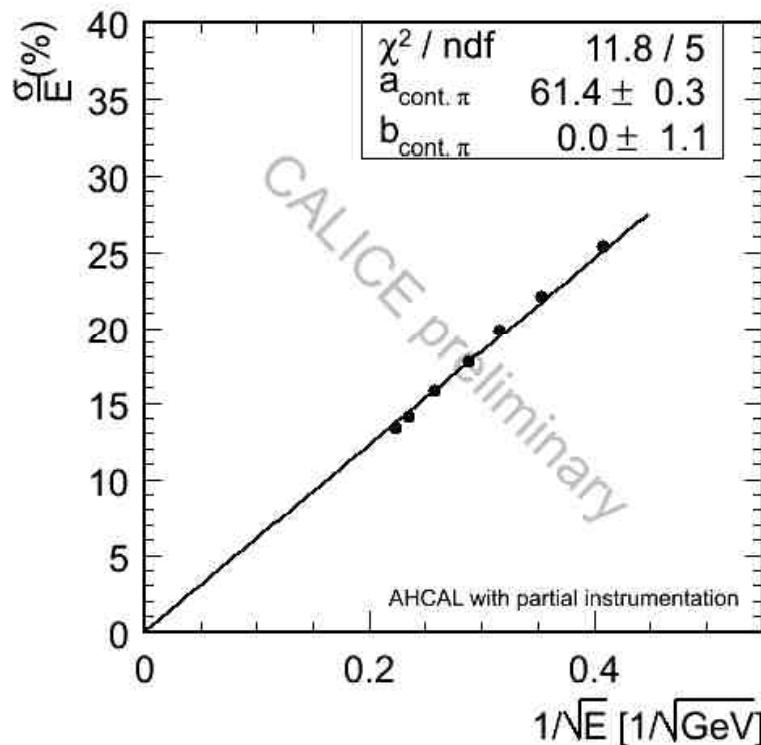
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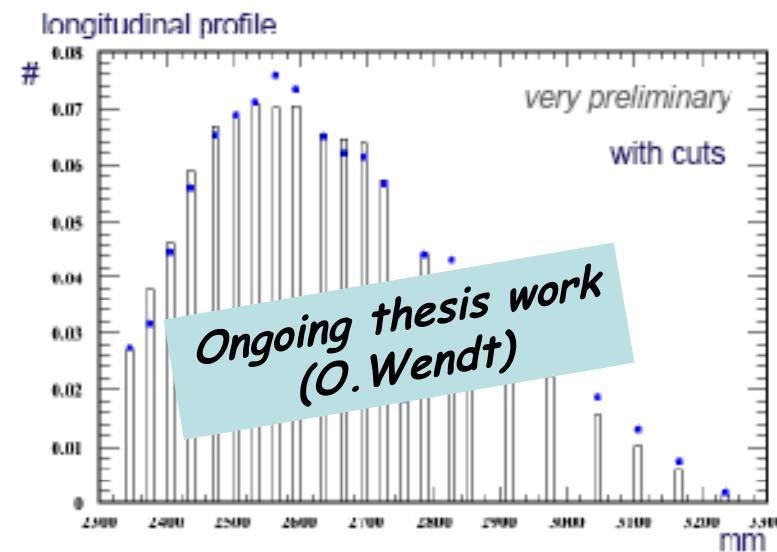
Hadron data



- Hadron data: linearity and resolution "within expectations"
 - Whatever this means: HCAL not complete yet, MC not digitized yet
 - Small constant term for contained showers ☺



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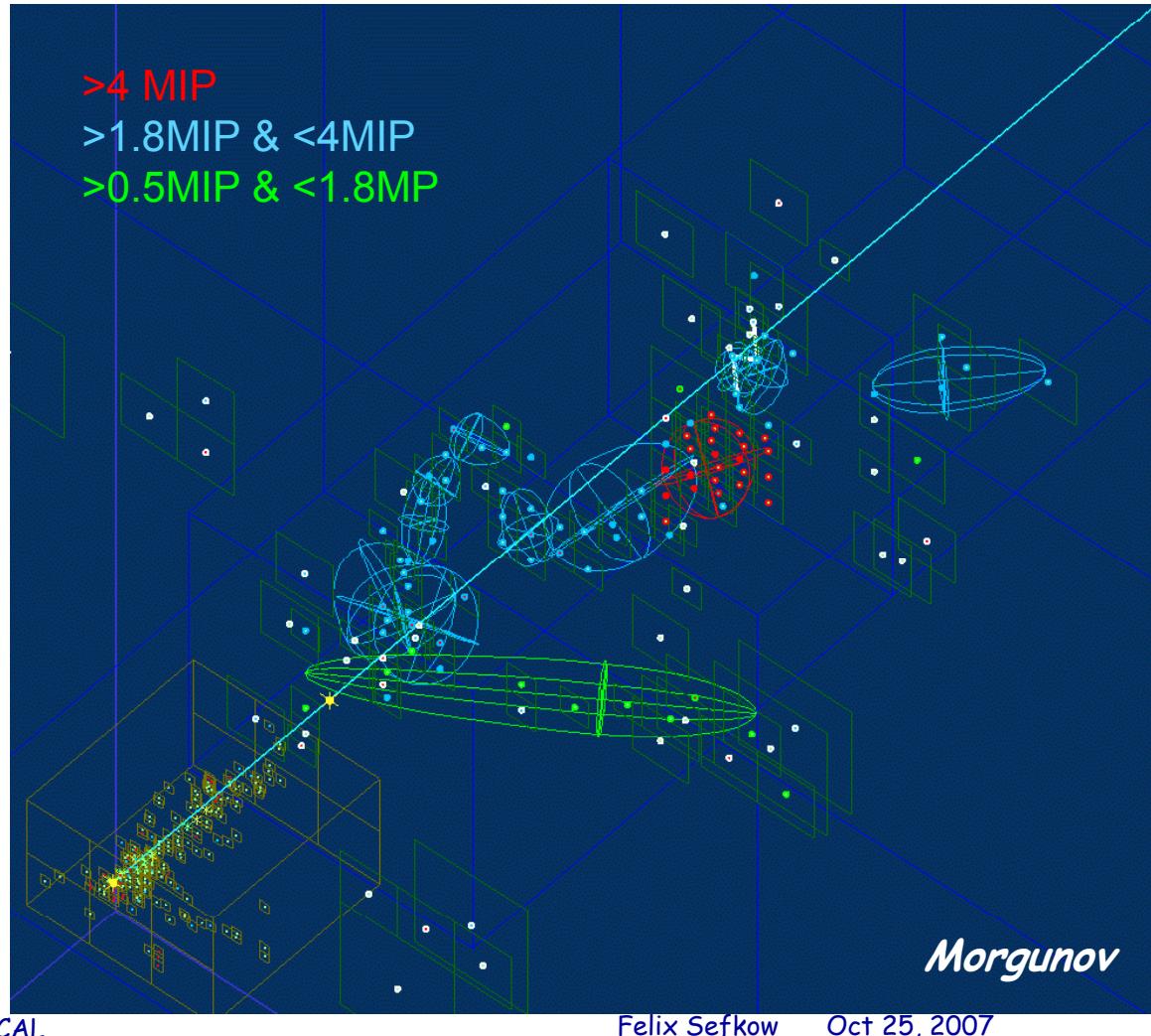
Comparisons with digitized
MC (Geant 4) underway



Imaging HCAL



- Substructure visible
- Classification according to amplitude and topology
 - MIP like
 - Hadron like
 - EM like
- Starting point for weighting procedures

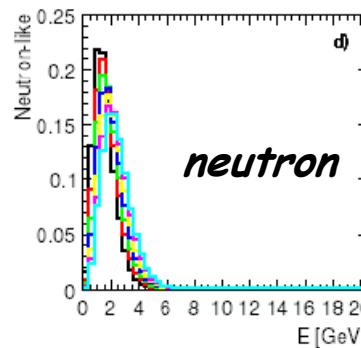
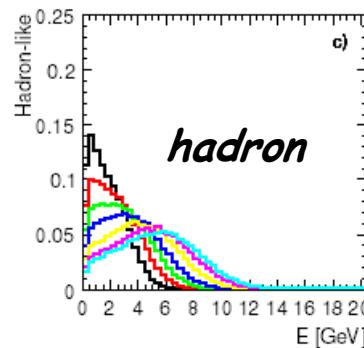
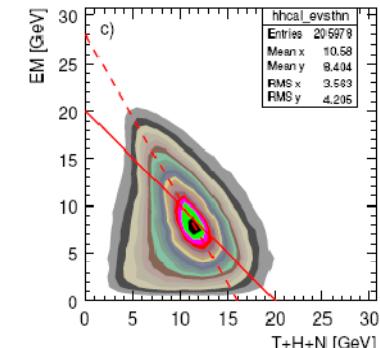
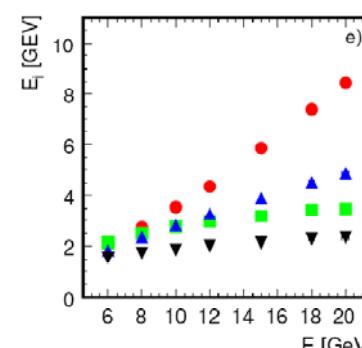
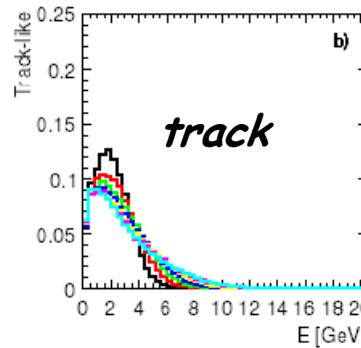
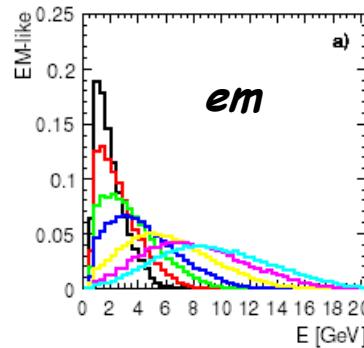




"Deep analysis"



- Ideas V.Morgunov, first steps M. Groll (PhD thesis)
- Shower decomposition, using energy and topology



Energy dependence, correlation

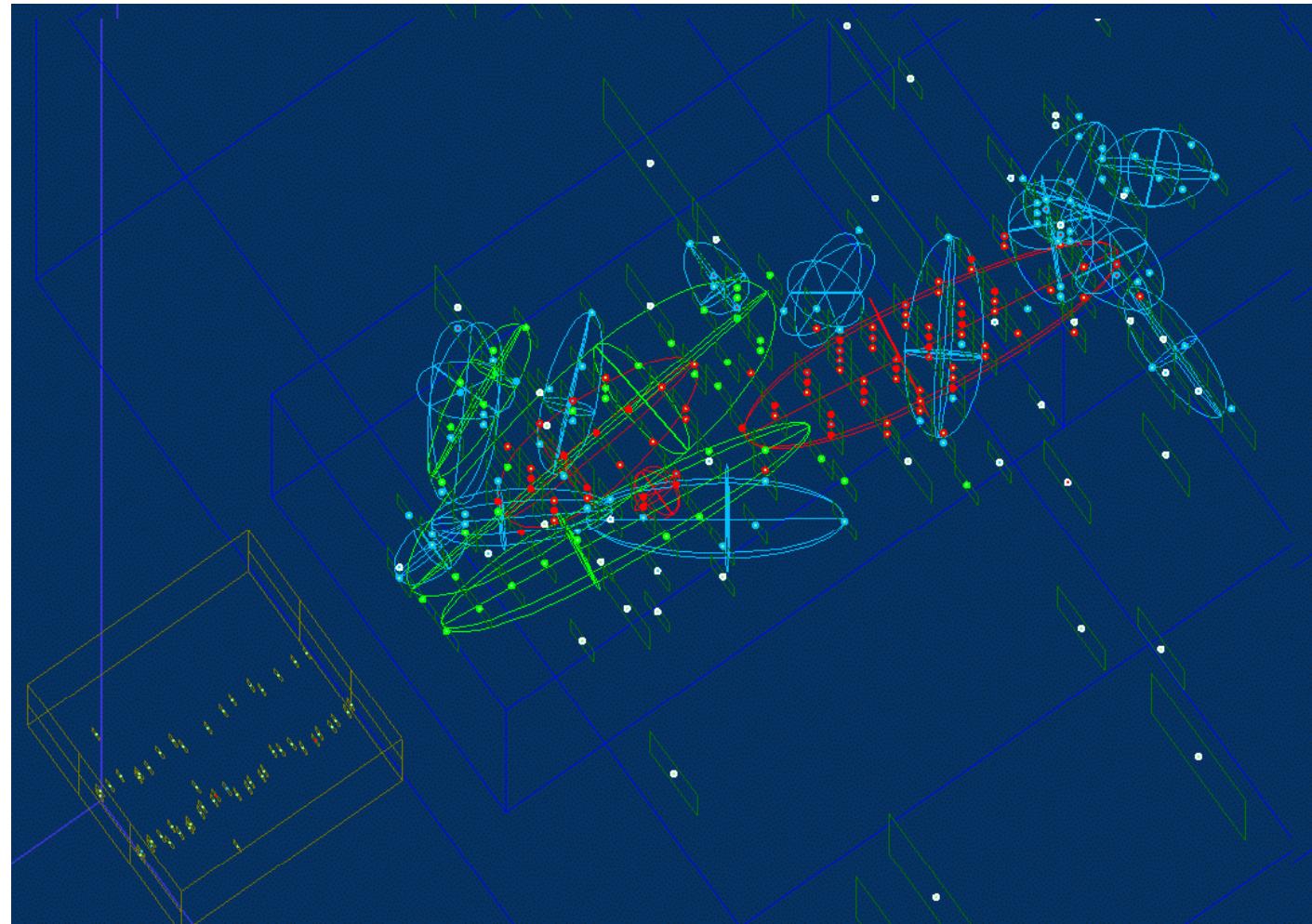
*Novel quality of input to
shower model development*



Two hadrons



- Starting point for particle flow studies
 - Event overlays
 - Fragments
 - ...



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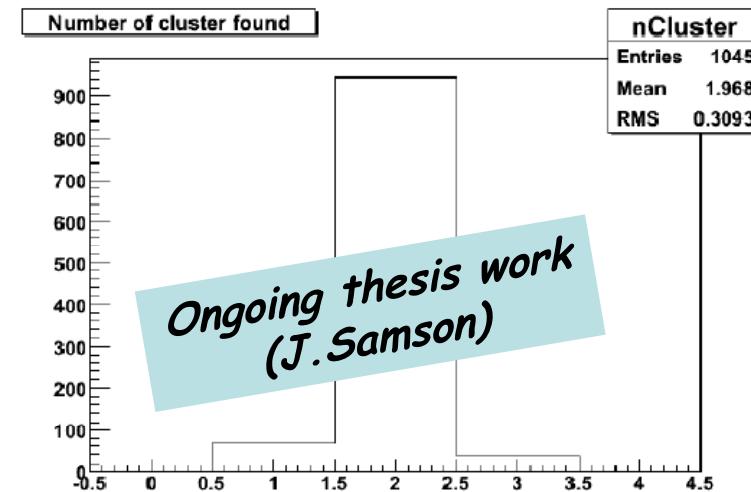
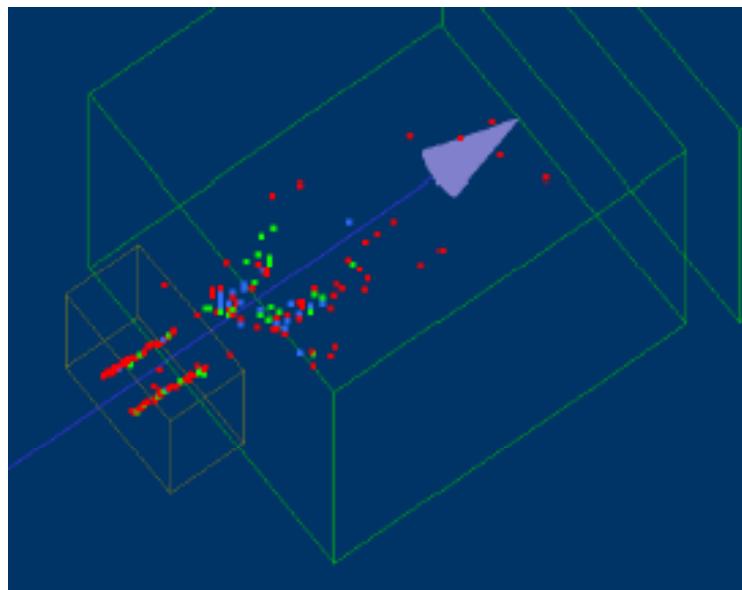
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Event overlays



- Thanks to low occupancy, can use "event mixing" techniques
- Measure the confusion term - in data and MC



*Towards benchmarking
the PFLOW performance*



Physics prototype:



- So far - so good!
- Detector construction, commissioning and operation a truly enjoyable success
- A rich potential for data analysis
 - Needs time and a well organized software framework
- Looking forward to FNAL test beam 2008-09
 - Low energy 1-10 GeV
 - Combined analysis with different ECALs
 - Comparison with gaseous HCAL



Technical prototype

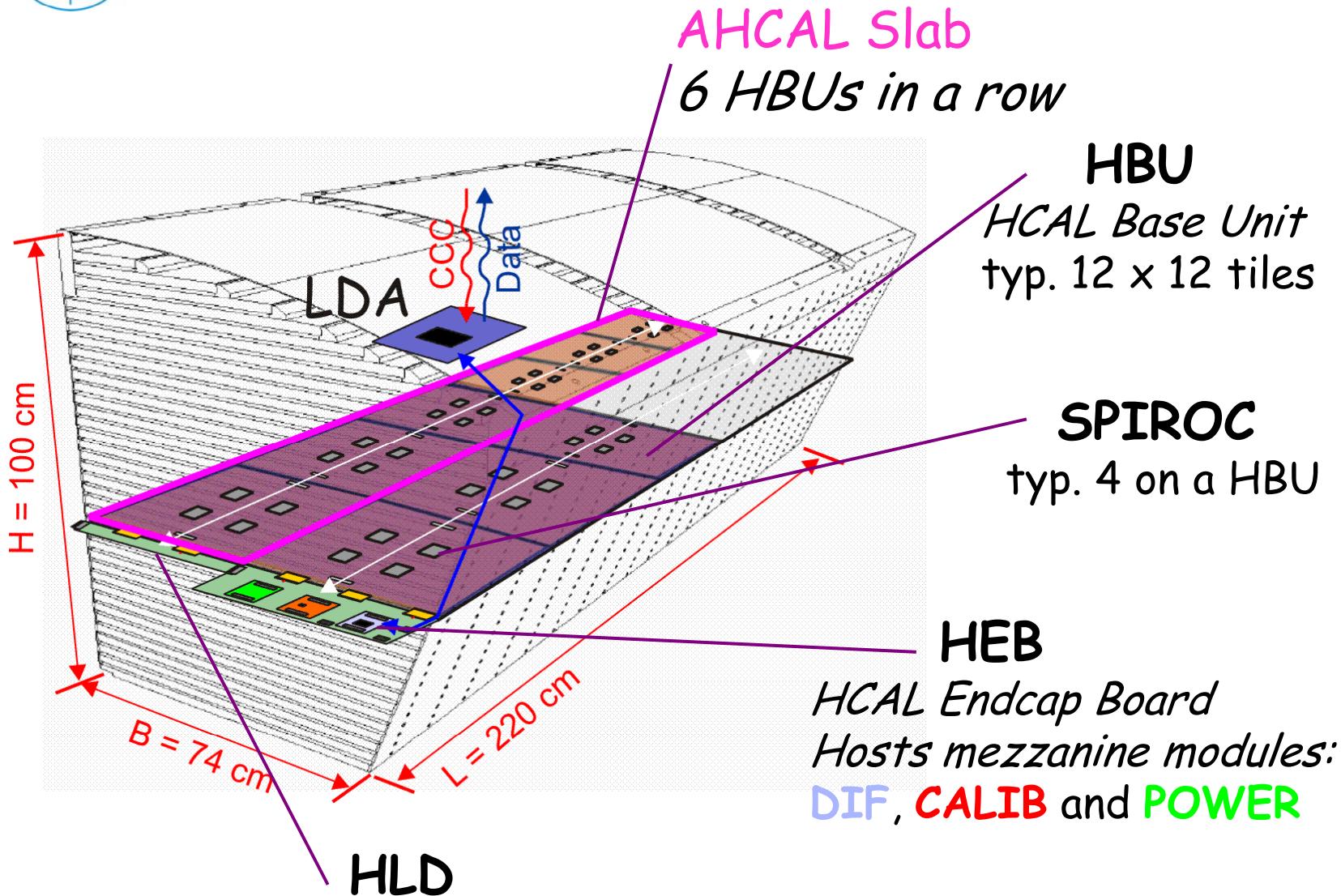


- Goal: A compact and realistic (i.e. scaleable) scintillator HCAL structure with embedded electronics
- Integration issues
 - Readout architecture
 - Ultra-low power ASICs
 - Calibration system
 - Tile and SiPM integration
 - Absorber mechanical structure
- Feed-back from test beam essential
 - Calibration concept
 - Overall detector optimization



AHCAL Half Sector - Integration

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HCAL Layer Distributor

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Slabs of an AHCAL layer

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Number of channels per layer not constant!

24 SPIROCs in chain

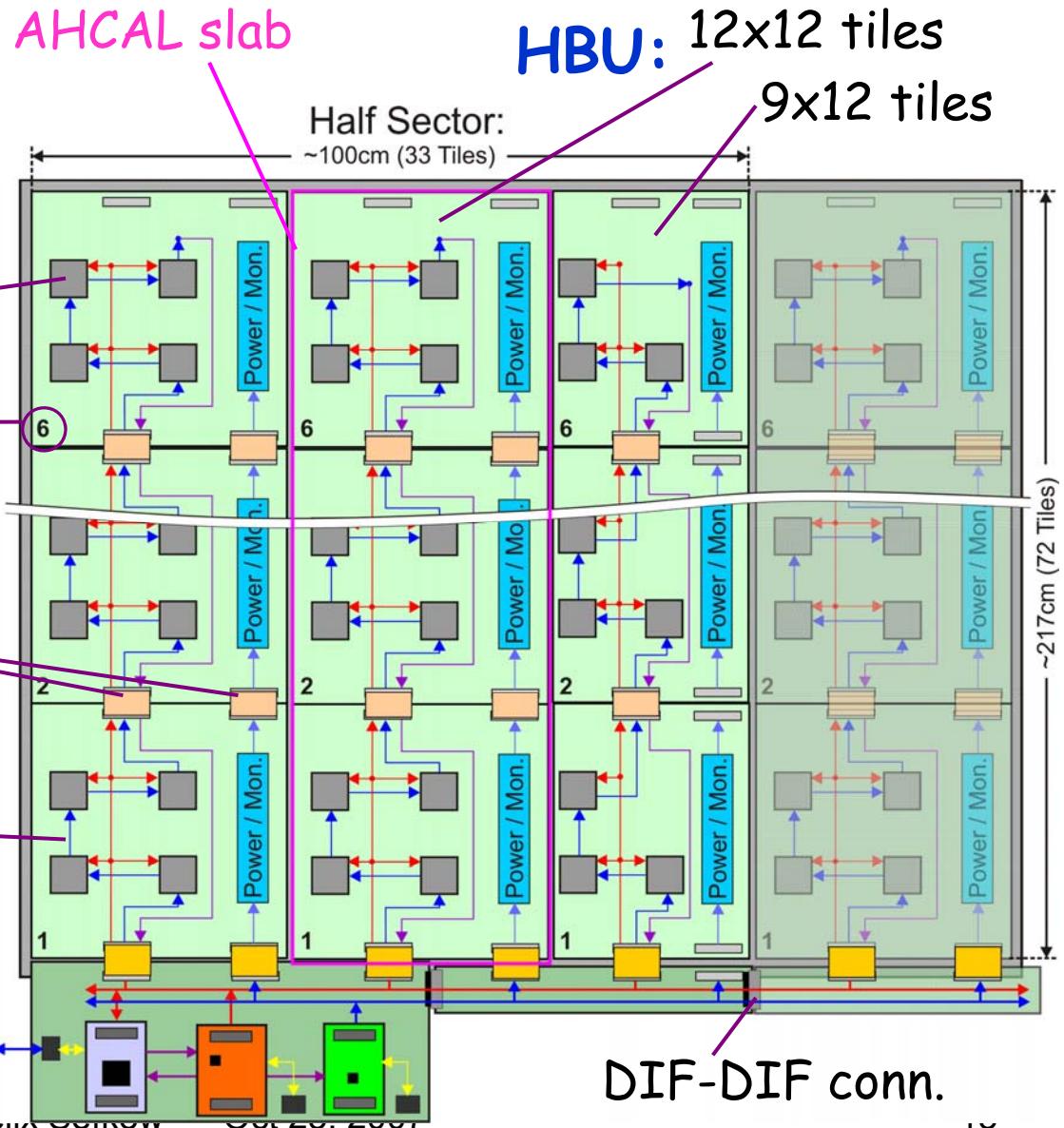
6 HBUs in a row

Two flexleads for interconnection

Slow-Control and Readout token

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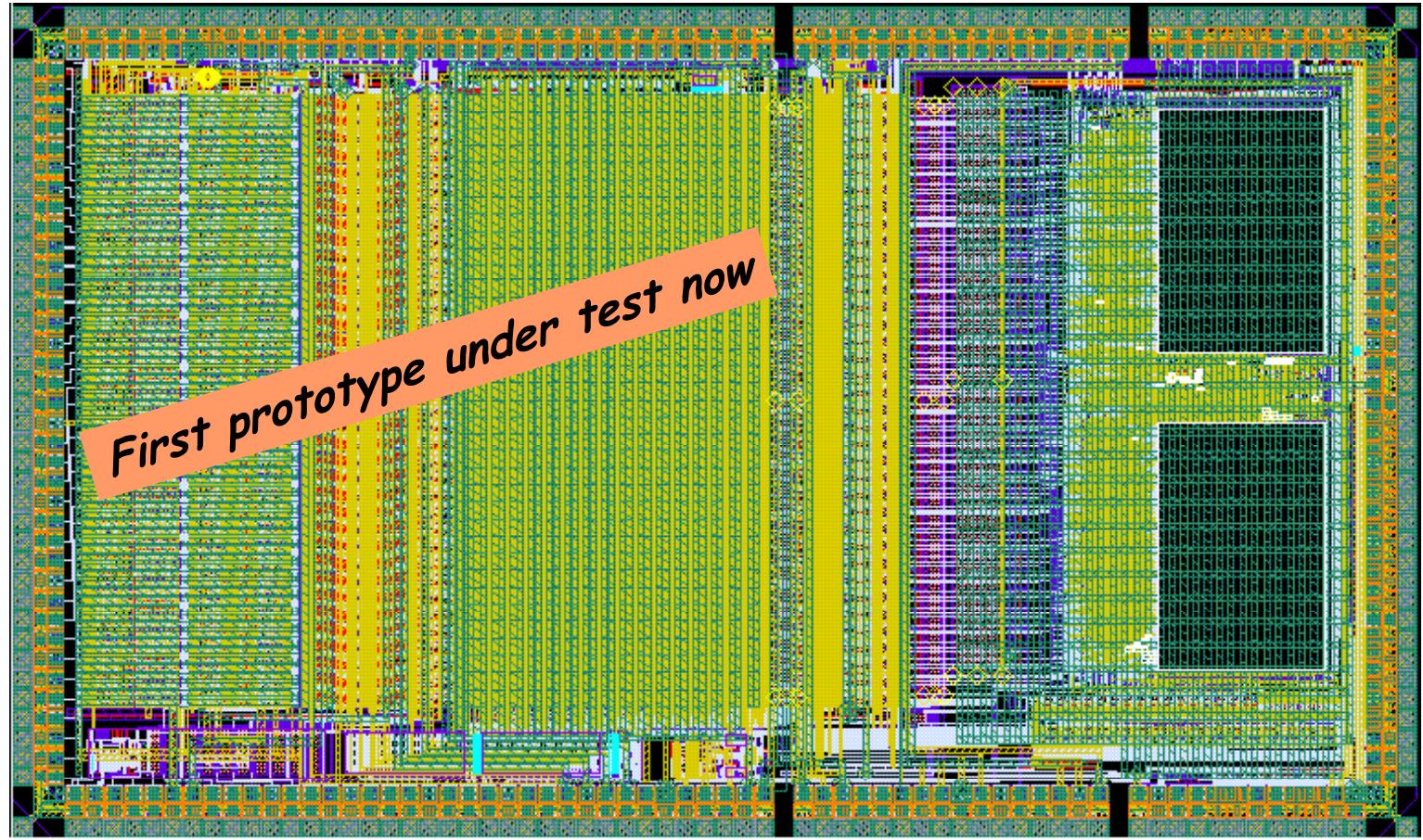
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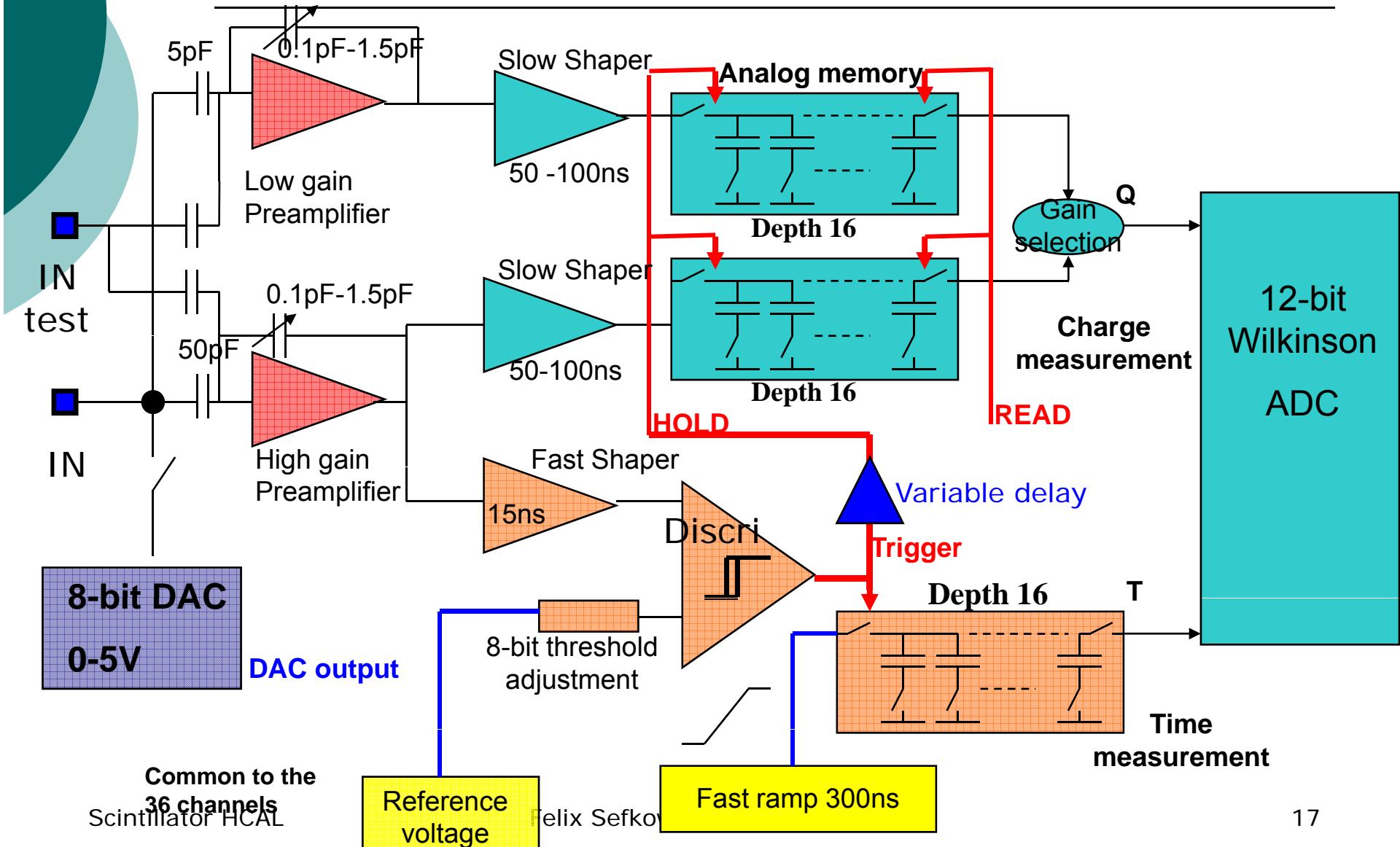
Second generation chip for SiPM : SPIROC



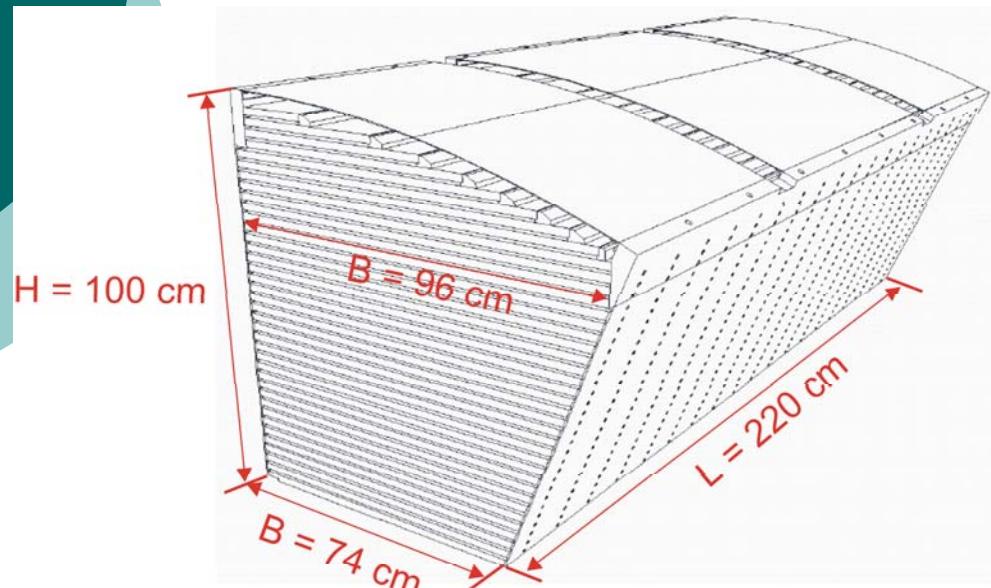
SPIROC has been designed to read out the CALICE AHCAL technical prototype



SPIROC: One channel schematic



From P. Göttlicher (DESY)



No. channels: $1100 / \text{m}^2$

Pow. Diss.: $40\mu\text{W} / \text{channel}$
($25\mu\text{W ASIC}, 15\mu\text{W HV},$
 $3A / \text{layer during bunch train}$)

Time constant of heat effects:
 $\alpha = 6 \text{ days}$

Temperature at far end (ΔT):
 $\Delta T \approx 0.3 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$

Power pulsing and a good thermal connection (cooling)
enables a stable operation!



Calibration system approaches

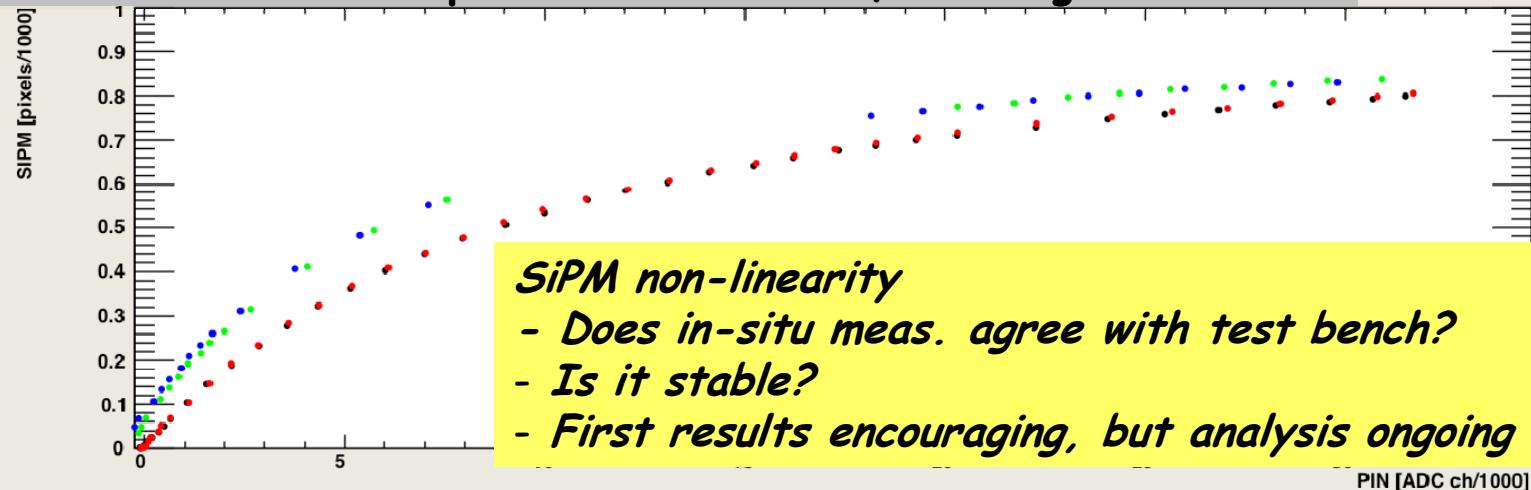


- Optical signal distribution
 - central pulse driver (one or few per layer)
 - Minimized cross-talk to readout (photo-sensors and FEE)
 - Monitoring of light source stability for reference possible
 - Most frequently made choice, experience
- Electrical signal distribution
 - Many pulse drivers, one per single or few channels
 - Avoids optical coupling problems (stability, uniformity)
 - Can work with very small electrical and optical pulses
 - Not yet tried until now

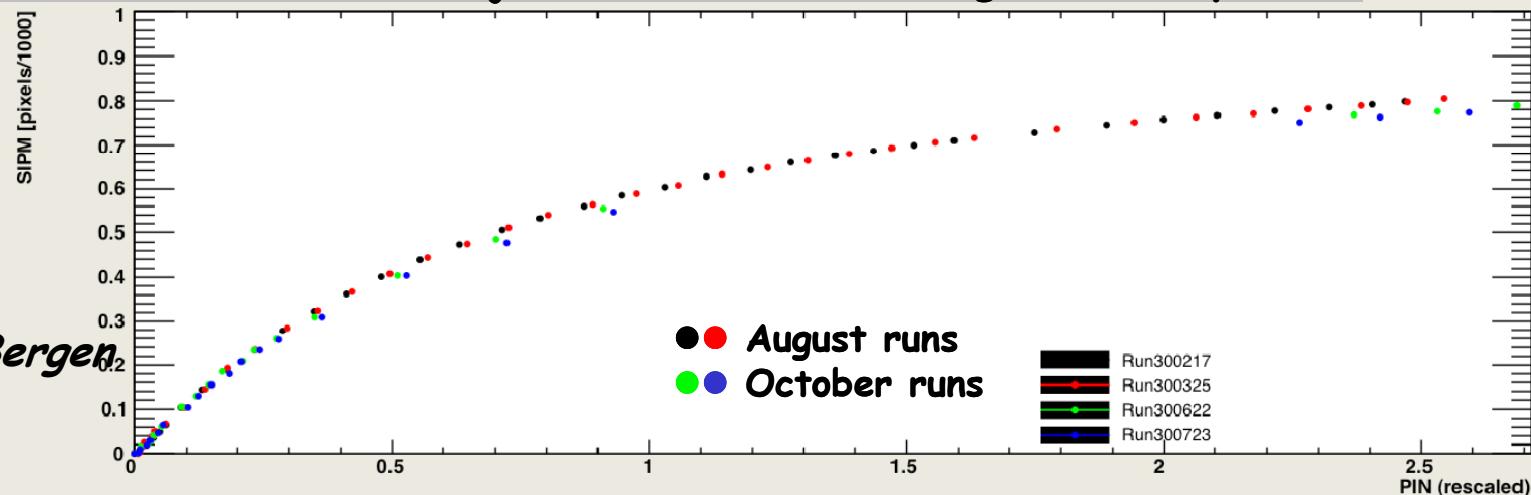
Saturation Curves for Module 13, 5-6

- Compare 4 runs from August & October

Saturation curve after pedestal subtraction, PIN & gain correction



Saturation curve after adjustment to common origin with slope one

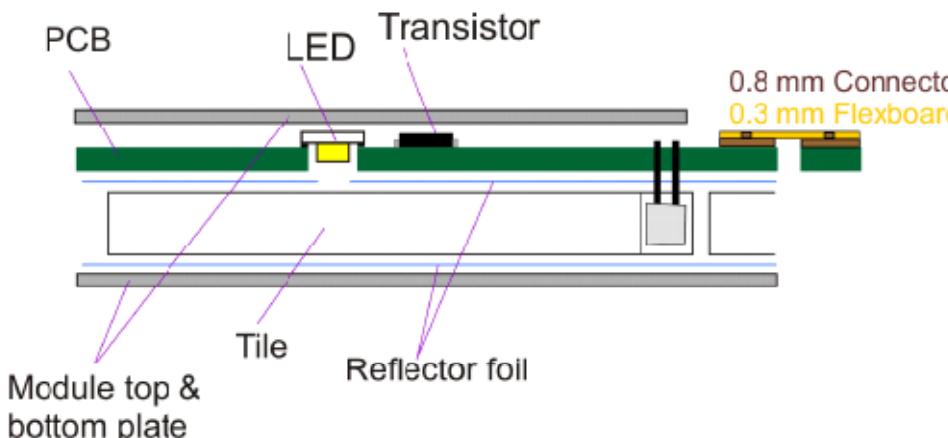




LED on board

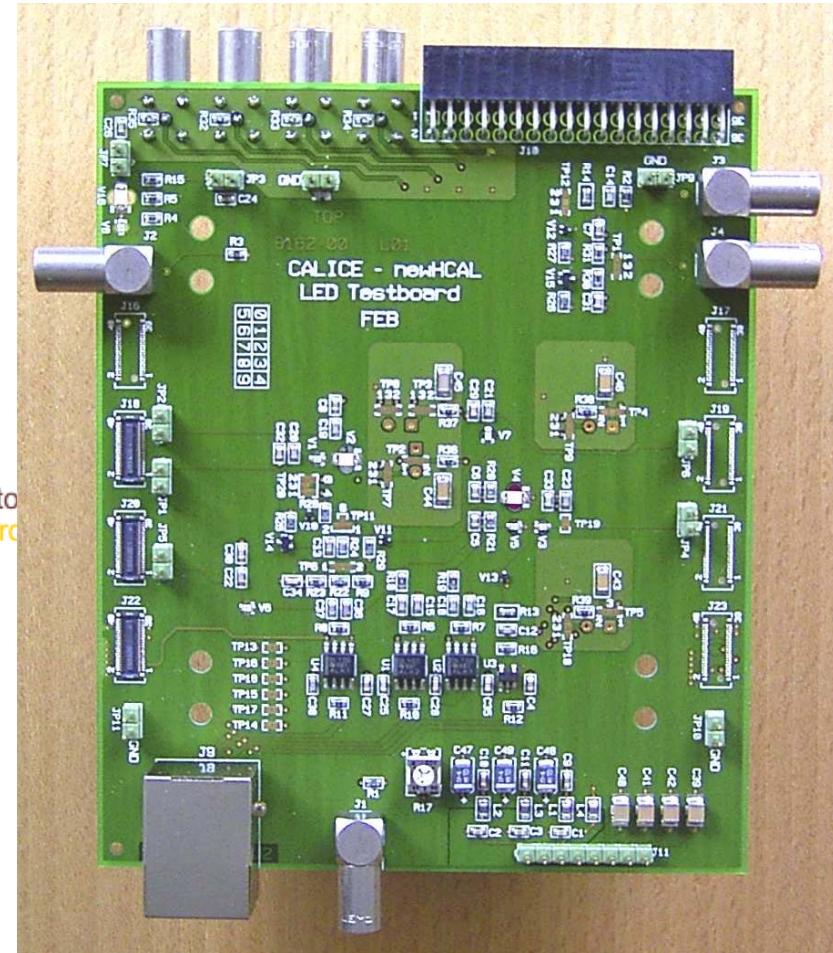


- Proof-of-principle, check for cross-talk, uniformity
- Test also
 - Different driver schematics
 - Small connector
 - SiPM coupling



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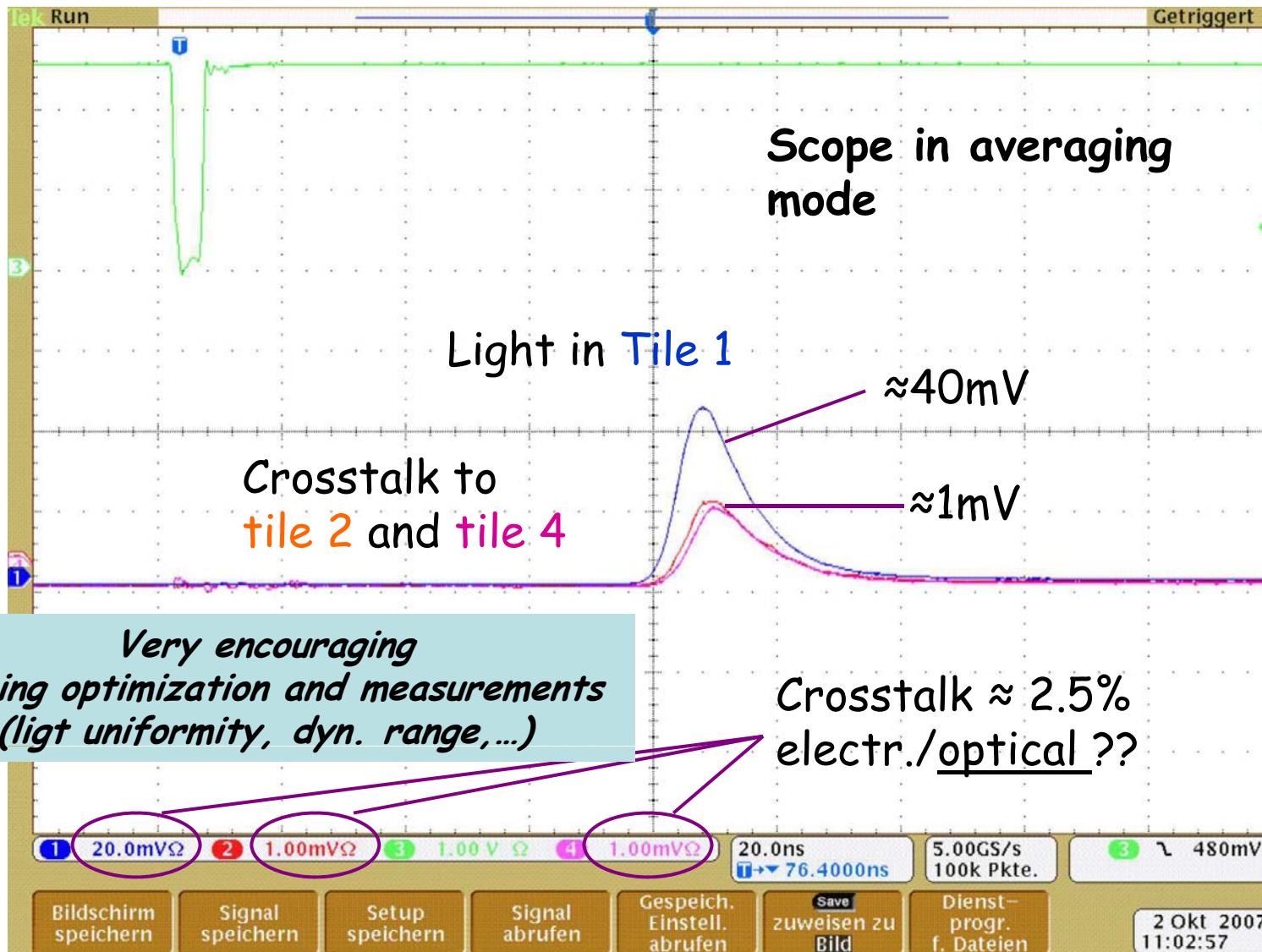
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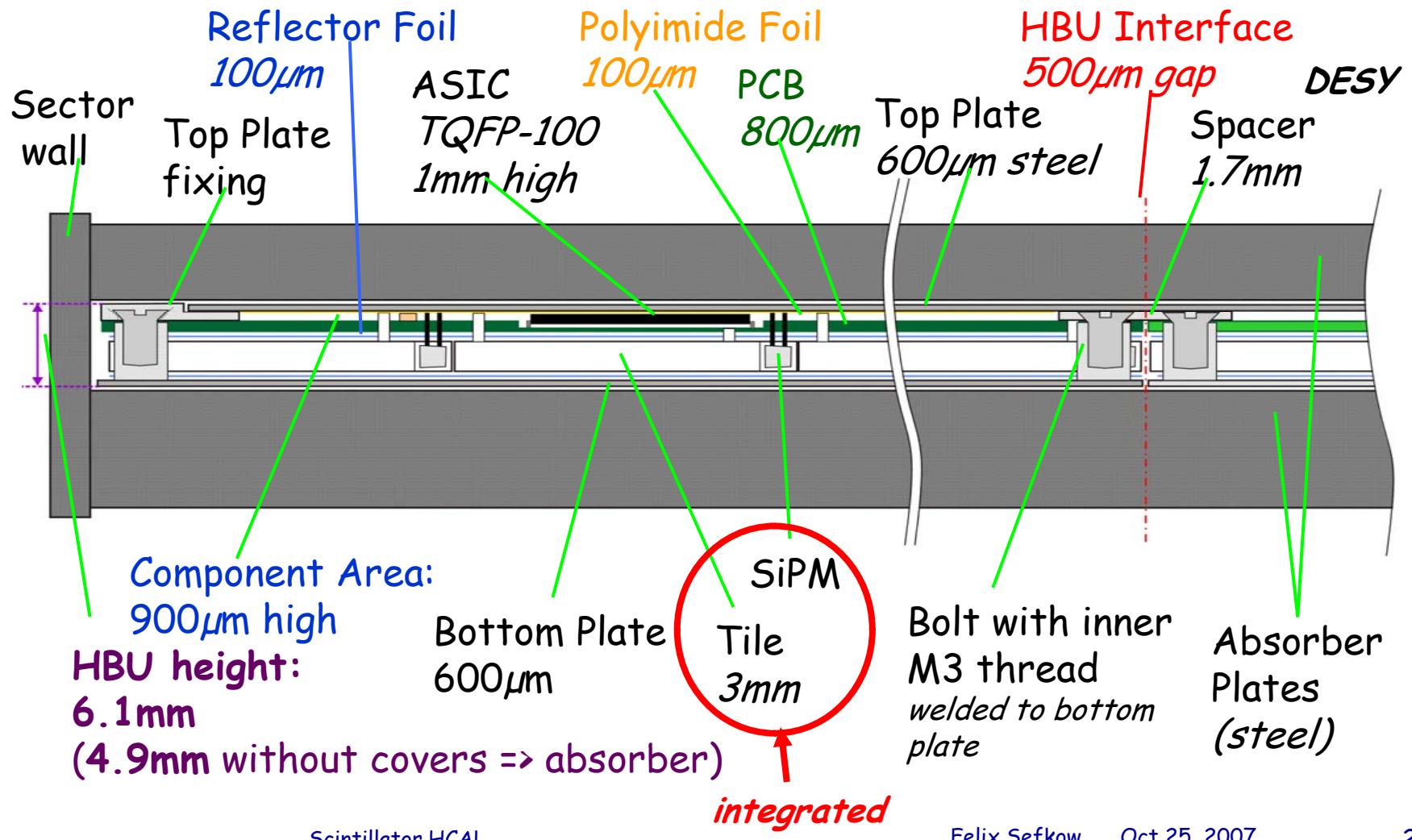
Estimate Crosstalk

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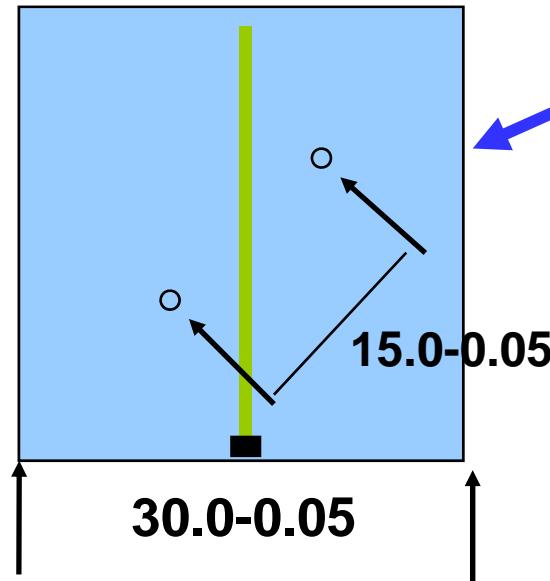


Integrated layer design

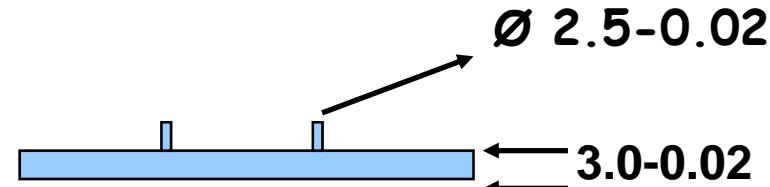


TILE

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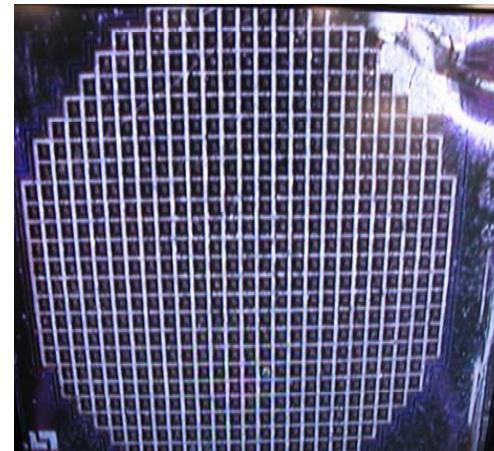
Chemically treated edges for light reflection



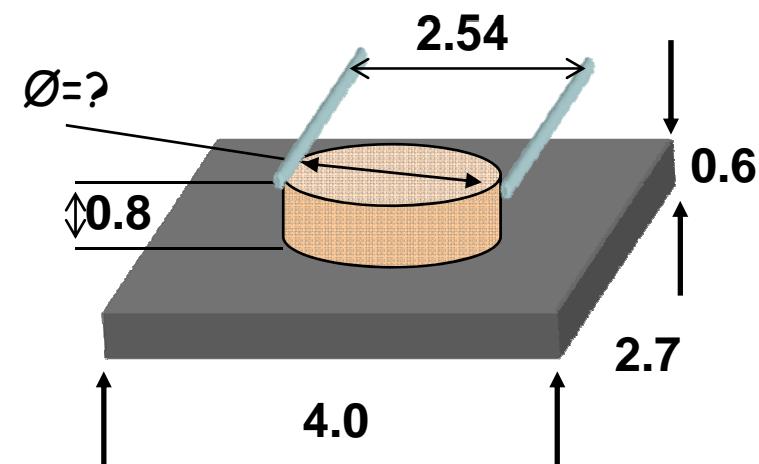
Schedule OK:
Tiles for electronics unit in 2008
For complete layer / small test stack in 2009

MGPD

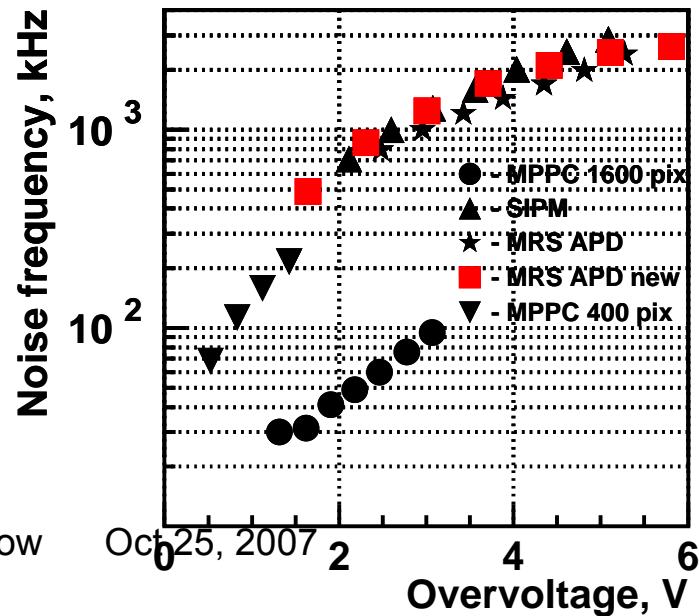
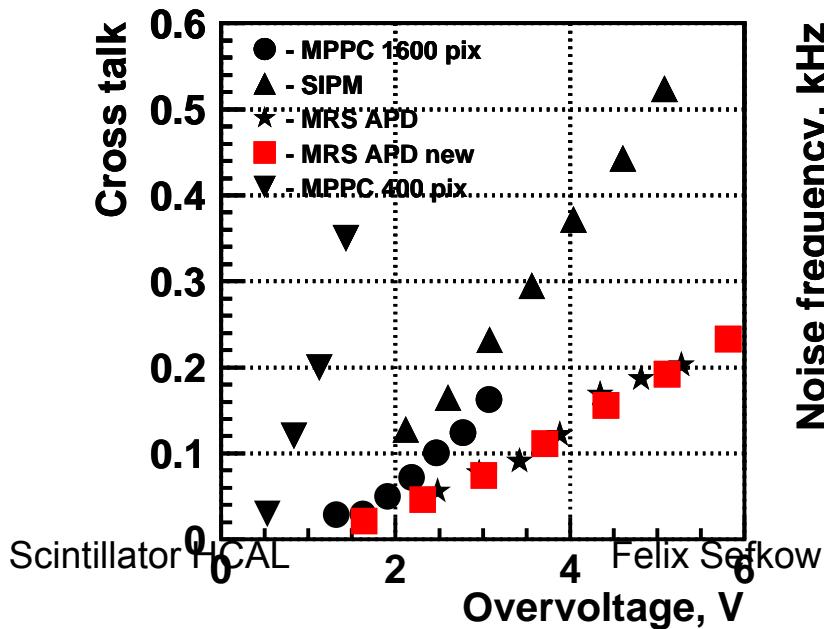
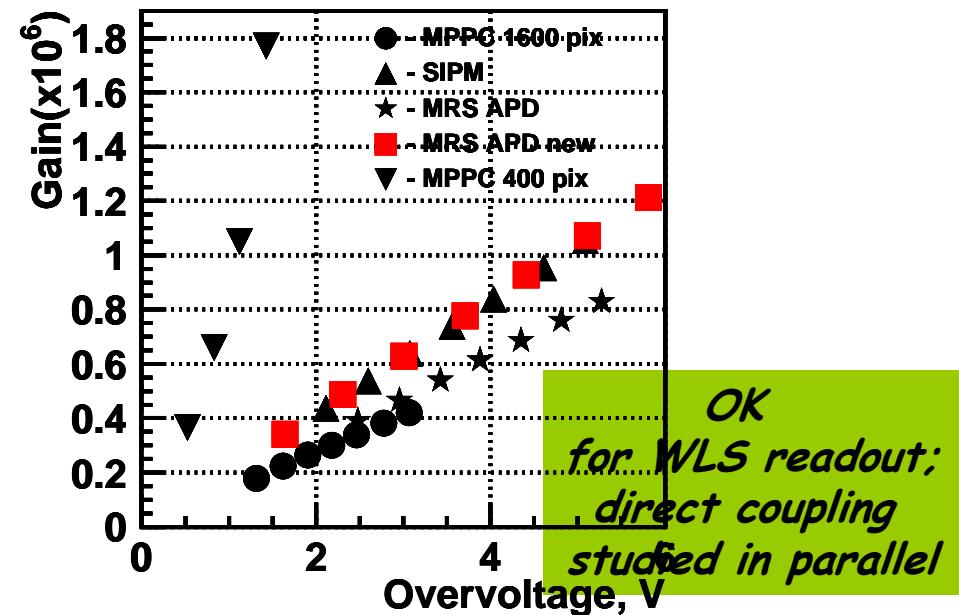
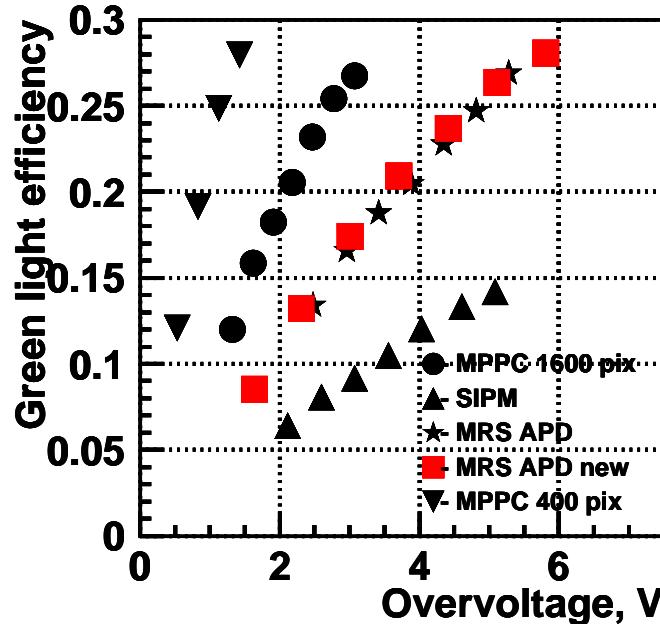
556 cells, Ø1mm
CPTA, Moscow



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MGPD PROPERTIES



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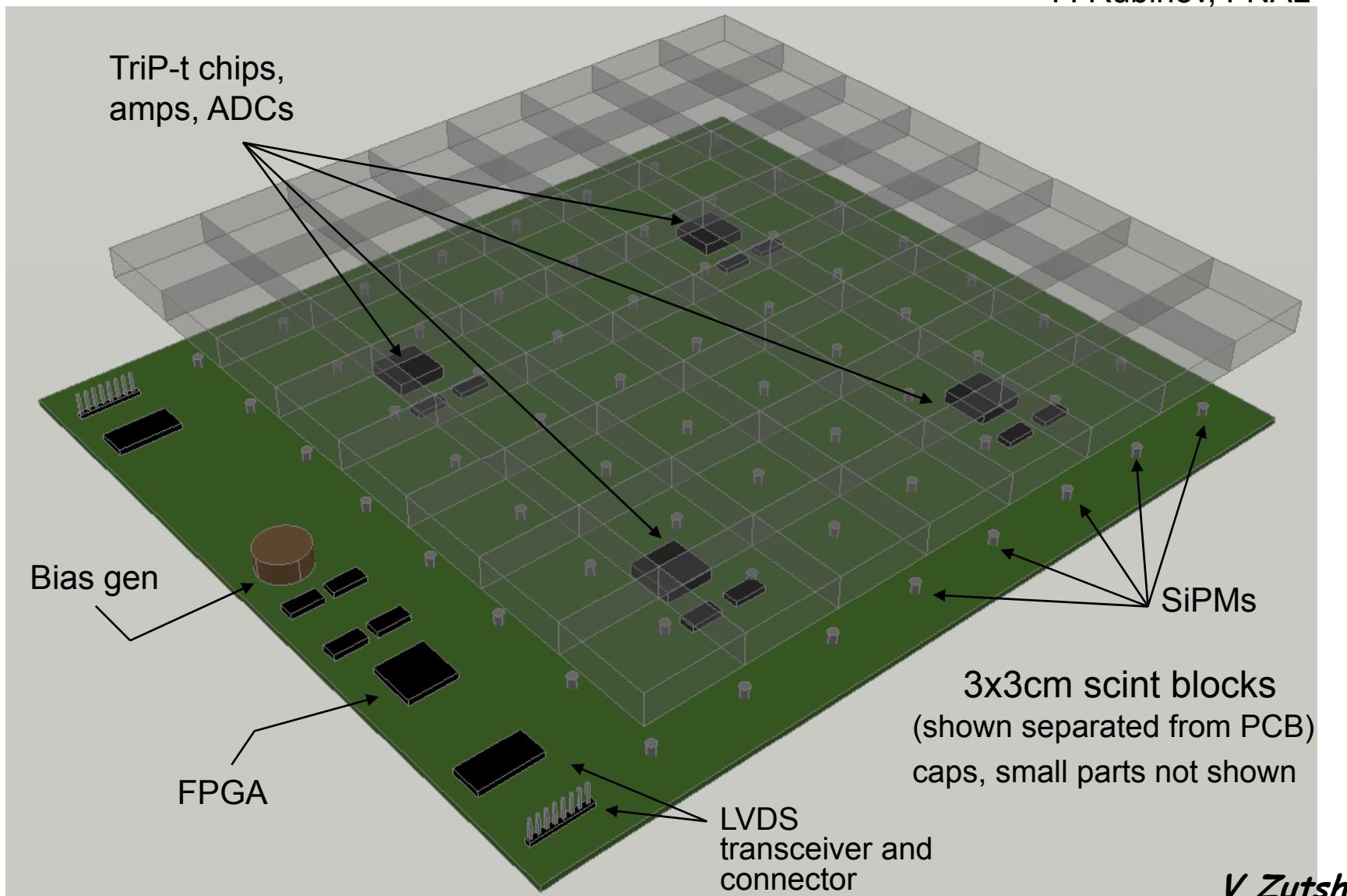
Scint - MGPD - PCB integration



- Two possibilities:
 1. Photo-sensor scintillator unit \Leftrightarrow PCB with VFE
 2. Scintillator \Leftrightarrow PCB with photo-sensor and VFE
- Option 1, based on the good experience with TB prototype
 - Stable optical connection
 - Early and easy single channel quality control
 - independent of final electronics (schedule)
- Option 2 is followed by NIU and FNAL
 - Advantage: automated SMD technology for photo-sensor mounting

- First prototype IRL:
 - Staged approach utilizing components as they become available
 - For now use 4 TriP-t chips (with external ADC): 16 ch each
 - Place bias generation and control, LVDS communications links along the edge of the IRL (requires ~2.5cm to 3cm strip)
 - One FPGA per board, 64ch per board
- Advantages of this approach:
 - Allows the study and optimization of electro-mechanical integration required in a realistic setting
 - A truly integrated board- low voltage power and LVDS data link in, LVDS data link out, everything else done on the board
 - Reuse existing Minerva technology (bias generator, FPGA, ADCs, TDCs, LVDS protocol, etc)
 - TriP-t chips exist (several hundred extra available)

V.Zutshi



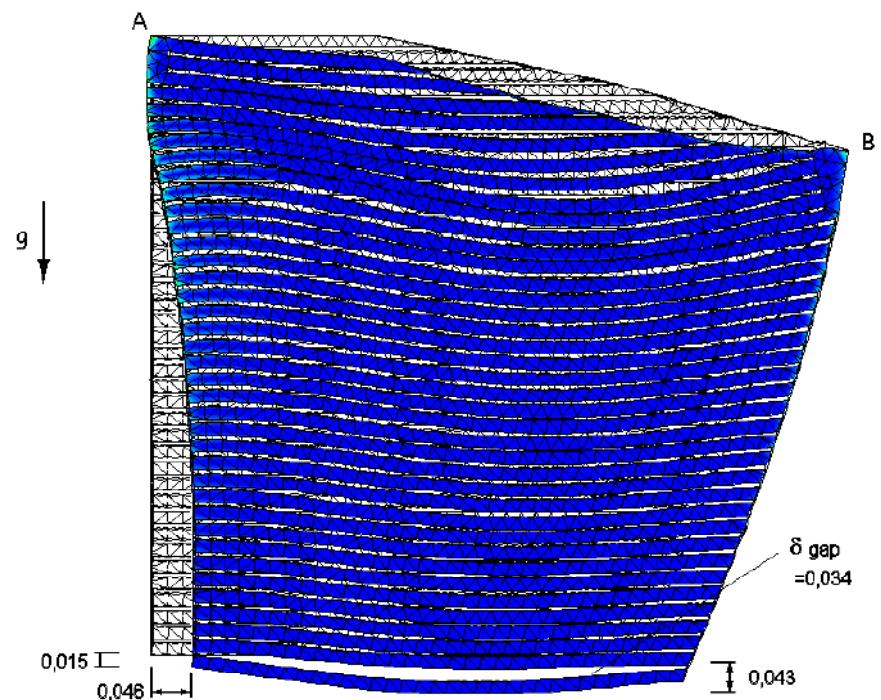
On the fabricated board the electronics will be on the underside of the board



Mechanical design



- Modular approach
- Cassette:
 - Evolve test beam prototype design
- Absorber structure:
 - Start with re-evaluation of TESLA design
 - Very ambitious concept with minimized dead material
 - Scrutinize idealizations





Conclusion



- Things are starting to fall into place
- A nice concept is emerging - looking forward to the design phase
- Many open issues still - modular approach leaves room for new ideas and options



Back-up slides



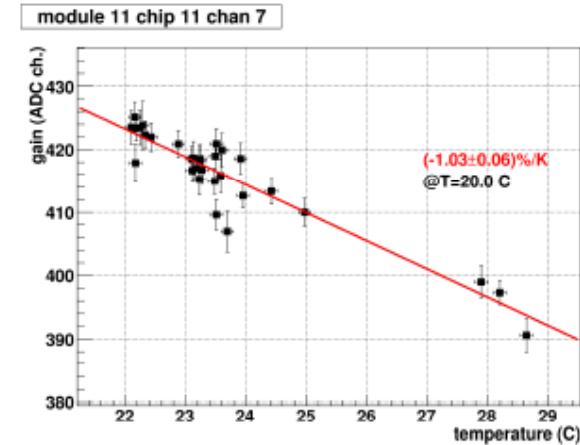


Test beam calibration

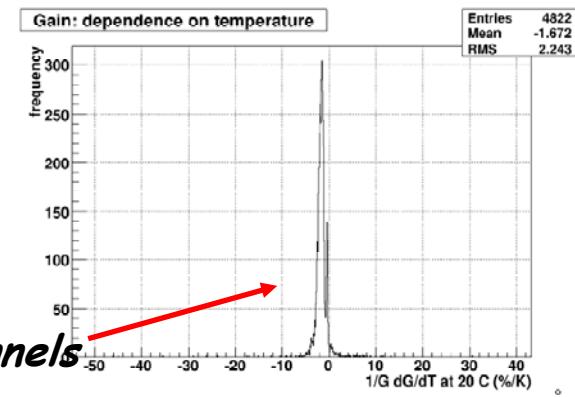


- Calibration is done with MIPs (muons)
 - To be established for ILC: simulations
- Monitoring with
 - Temperature sensors
 - LED reference pulses (problematic)
 - Direct observation of SiPM gain
- Calibration electronics developed and built in Prague
 - Redundancy for cross-checks
 - Large dynamic range
- Calibration data analysis: DESY, Bergen
- Tools for multi-channel studies developed

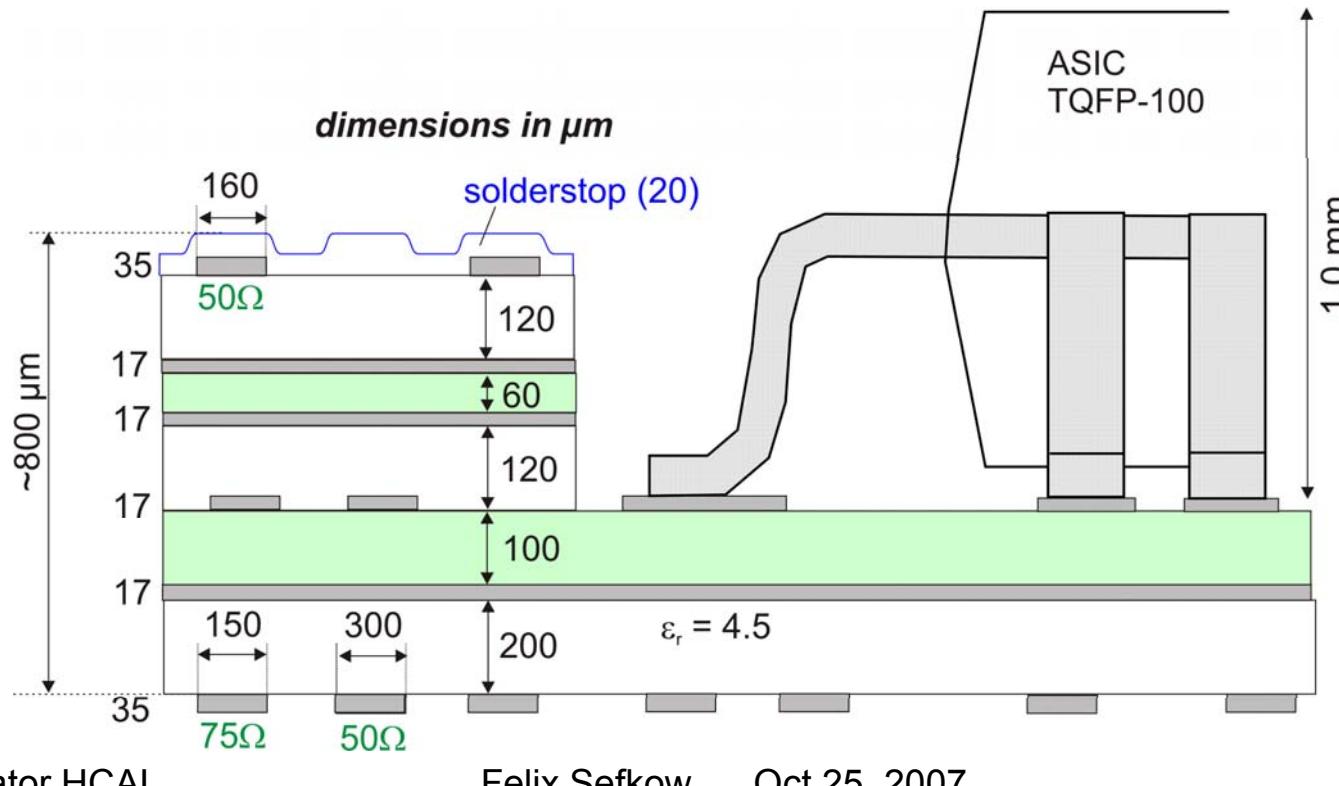
Example: temp. dependence of gain for 5000 channels



S.Schaetzel, DESY



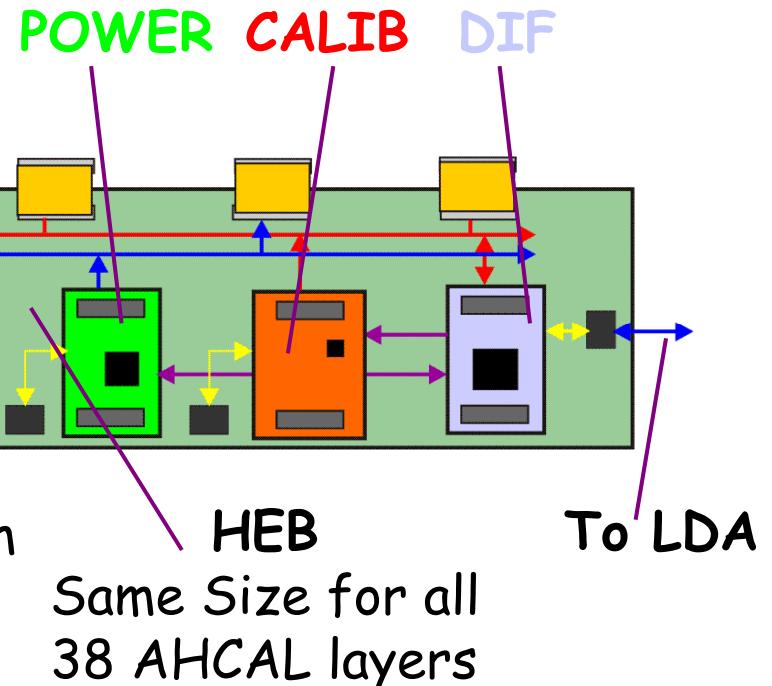
- 6 layer design with cut-outs for ASICS and connectors
- 75Ω Lines for high-gain SiPM setup
- Two signal layers for impedance-controlled routing
- Total height (PCB + components): 1.5mm
- Two companies agreed on structure at reasonable costs!!



Flexlead and 80-pin connector
Interconnection to AHCAL-
Layer (HBU)

DIF-DIF conn.
Redundancy against
failures of LDA

HLD
Changes Size from
Layer to layer



DIF

- *Detector Interface (Configuration and Operation)*

CALIB

- *Light and/or Charge calibration and monitoring*

POWER

- *Layer power and temperature monitors*

Mezzanine setup allows independent development of different groups.



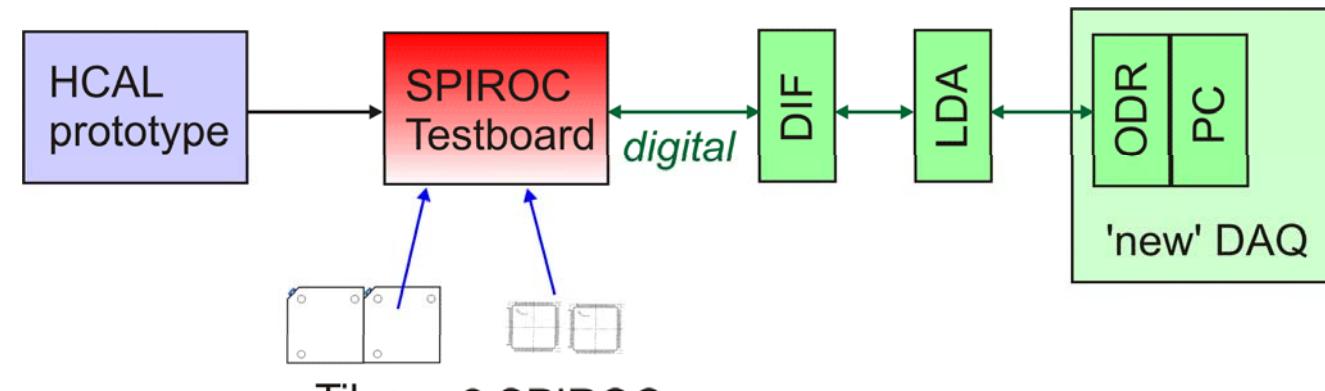
Testboard II : ASIC + Integration

FEB

SPIROC Testboard (HBU prototype):

- Assembly (Tiles, PCB, ASICs, LEDs), Cassette Construction
- Performance in the dense HBU setup:
Noise, gain, crosstalk, power and signal integrity
- DAQ Interface
- LCS with LEDs on board.

Tile integration to HBU : [see M. Danilov's talk \(alignment pins\)](#)



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Tiles 2 SPIROCs

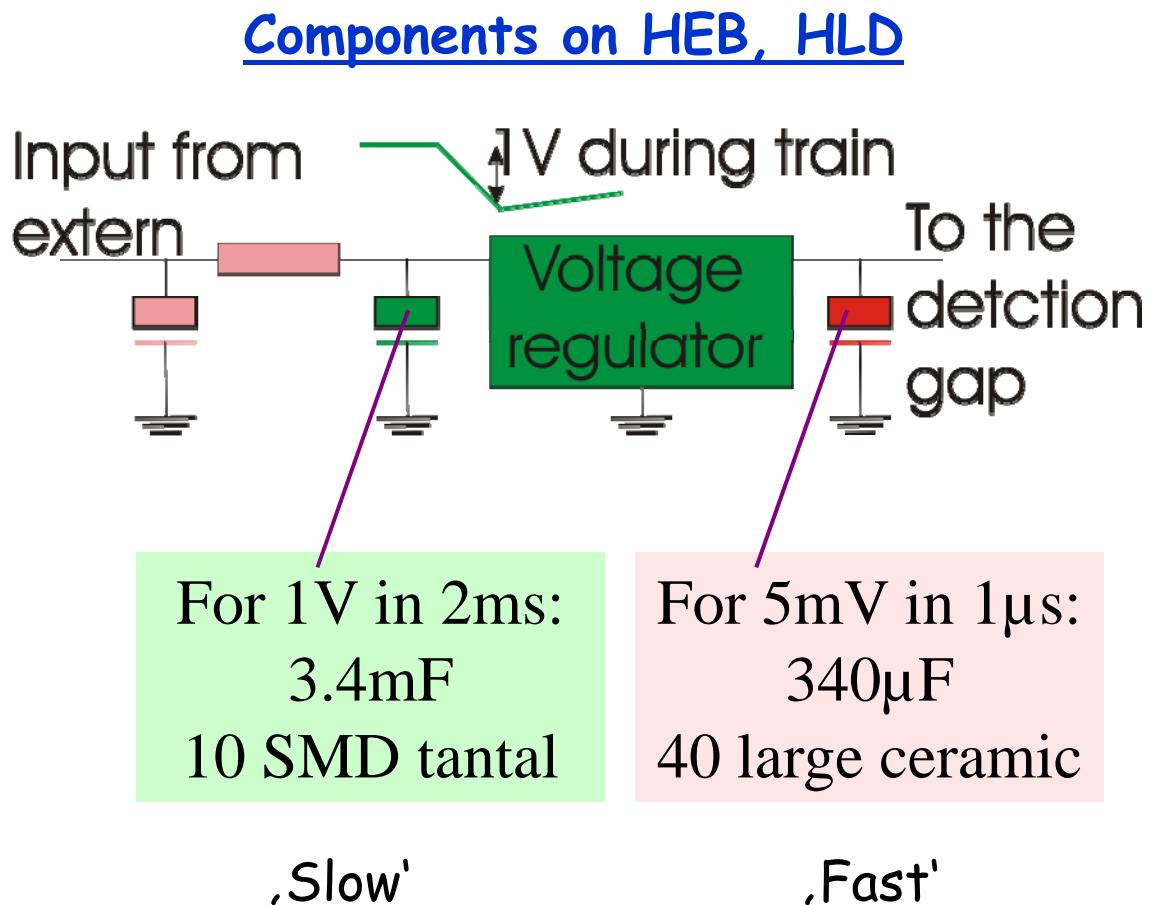
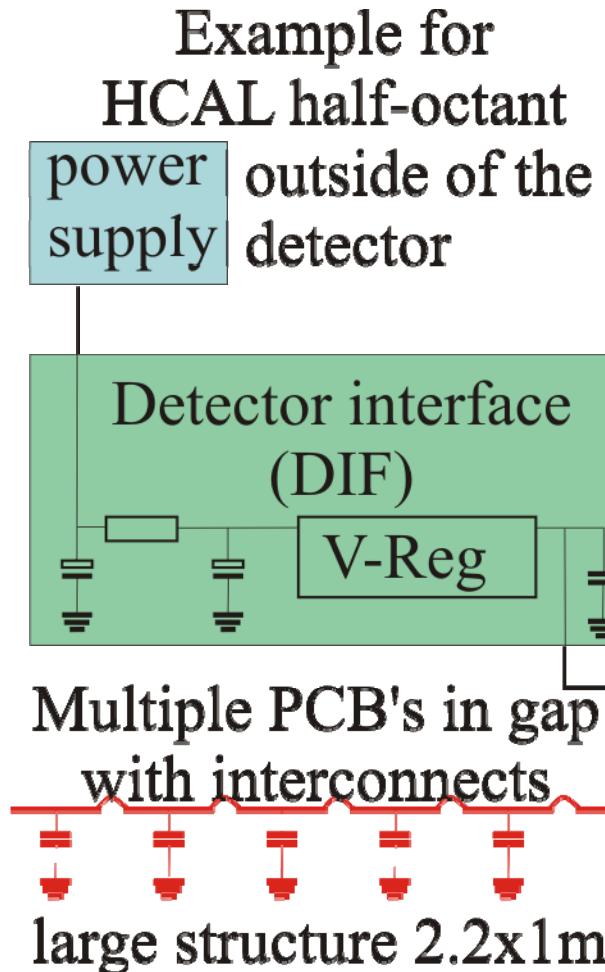
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Test Power-Ground System (2.20m)

- Oscillations when switching?
- Voltage drop, signal integrity (traces, connectors)?
- SPIROC performance @ far end (blocking caps sufficient)?

