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### **General HCAL Parameters**

Barrel

Inner Radius: 1420 mm Outer Radius: 2370 mm Length in Z: ± 2780 mm Absorber Thickness: 20 mm Gap Thickness: <8 mm

EndCap Inner Radius: 200 mm Outer Radius: 1410 mm Length in Z: ± 1820 mm to 2780mm Absorber Thickness: 20 mm Gap thickness: <8 mm



## **RPC HCAL**





#### ANL, Boston, Chicago, FNAL, Iowa

## **RPC Slice Test @ MTBF**

July 2007 at MTBF 9 chambers (20cm x 20cm) 256 channels/chamber Steel-Cu absorber PVC plates for rate studies

Beam-dump muons Positrons (1-16 GeV) Pions (1-16 GeV) 120 GeV Protons



### **Beam Events**



Muon event

#### Electron event





#### Pion events







#### Hits along fishing lines



### Performance



### Positrons



### **Muons and Pions**



## **RPC Plans**

- Continue analysis of test beam data
- Move towards the 1 m<sup>3</sup> prototype
- This involves amongst other things:

Prototyping larger RPC's cheaper front-end and pad boards final data concentrator boards

See talks by J. Repond and L. Xia

# **GEM HCAL**



## **GEM Test Beam**



Slice test 19x19cm<sup>2</sup> counter 30x30cm<sup>2</sup> Slice te GEM 19x19cr chamber ( counter **3 Slice** test finger counters

Spring 2007 120 GeV proton and 8 GeV pion efficiency, occupancy, rate.....

# **120 GeV protons**



### Efficiency and Multiplicity



## GEM DHCAL Chamber(s)



Both chambers did not see signal above noise New delrin spacers are suspected

### **GEM Plans**

- Complete analysis of collected data
- Resolve GEM-DCAL/kPiX issues
- Beam tests in Nov. at Fermilab
- Study 1m x 30cm GEM chambers to develop designs for 1m x 90cm planes



### **CALICE Scintillator HCAL**





#### DESY, Hamburg, ITEP, MEPhI, LPI, NIU, Prague, LAL,UK

## CALICE Testbeam @ CERN





2006

2007

~ 19 Tbyte of data collected, available on the grid now electron, pion, proton and beam dump muons energies 6-180 GeV available angle of incidence in the  $0-30^{\circ}$  range





Above threshold of 0.5 MIP, occupancy is 10<sup>-3</sup>

### **Hadron Showers**



## **Energy Reconstruction**

Effort to include detector effects in MC underway



## **Direct Coupling**



#### Looks promising with enough light and good uniformity

### Integrated Readout Layer



#### Sensor in tile

Sensor in PCB Direct Coupling w/ engineering help from Fermilab



PCB inside the detector which supports/positions the tiles, connects directly to the sensors and carries the necessary electronics

## **Scintillator HCAL Plans**

- Continue analysis of copious test beam data
- Continuation of test beam program at Fermilab next year with focus on low energy hadrons
- Prototyping of integrated readout layer and associated electronics

See talks by A. Dyshkant and F. Sefkow

## **Moving Forward**

SiD Detector - Hadron Calorimeter Plan for LOI and Beyond

Andy White, Vishnu Zutshi Developed from 2006-7 HCal Plan (Jerry Blazey, Andy White)

## Towards the Lol

- Baseline choice with possible alternates
- The LoI should serve as the mechanism by which SiD arrives at a baseline design
- Especially relevant for HCAL as multiple technologies are being pursued
- Series of hardware and software benchmarks that the technologies have to address for inclusion in the LoI
- Operationally propose a series of reviews...
- Who reviews ?

### **Performance Criteria**

- MIP efficiency/pad
- Hit multiplicity/MIP
- Uniformity of response
- Need for, or ease of calibration
- Recovery time
- Discharge rates
- Magnetic field issues
- Track-cluster separability
- PFA jet resolution

# **Technology Issues**

- Reliability
- Availability of components
- Active layer thickness
- Segmentation achievable
- Scalability
- Aging
- Cost

### **Proposed HCAL Reviews**

January 2008 all available information on potential technologies assessed against performance and technological criteria preliminary mechanical design for all options identify needed information for second review

March 2008 updates from all technology options basis for decision on baseline

May 2008 presentation of the recommendations of the review writing starts

## HCAL Mechanical





Supported from solenoid Removable detector modules Services come out at end of barrel

K. Krempetz and V. Guarino

# Summary

- All HCAL technologies have been making good progress
- Lots of data already on disk
- Need to organize ourselves for the LoI process
- Testbeam data analysis combined with PFA studies and prototyping results should provide a sound (though inevitably incomplete) basis for making a baseline choice for the SiD LoI