

# Preliminary results from winter data

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B= 1T runs. Data from december 2008. z absolute values are under-estimated by 11mm

Z = 5.4, 11.1, 21.1, 31.1, 41.1, 51.1

Peaking time 100 ns, 200ns, 500ns, 1μs, 2μs

Zbeam vs Shaping Time

NOTE: 287, 288, 304, 305 : Before changing TPC angle !!

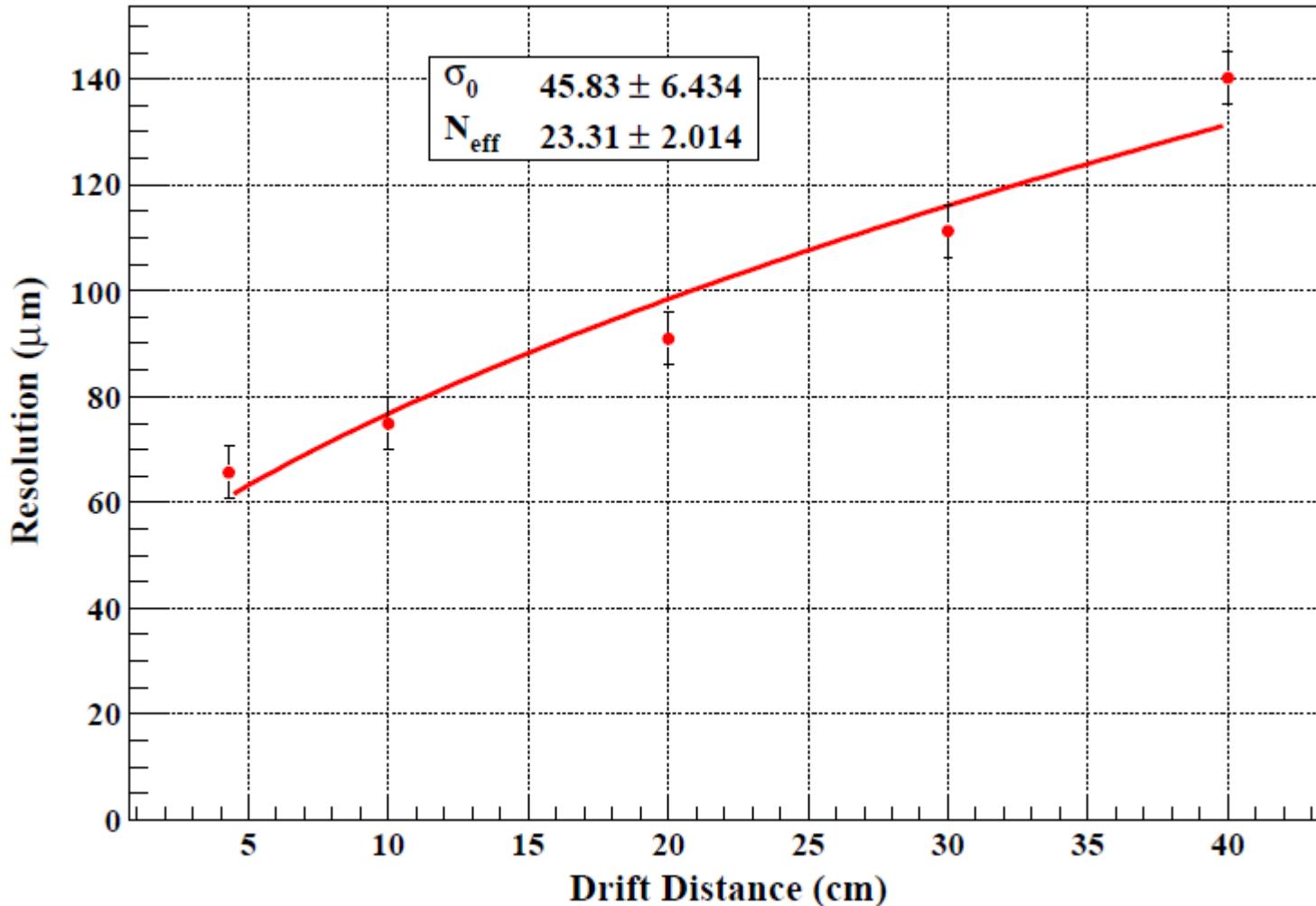
Standard (Edrift=230 V/cm)						Low diffusion (E=140 V/cm)					
	100	200	500	1000	2000		100	200	500	1000	2000
4.3	311	309	310	* 287	* 288		308	307	* 304	* 305	
10	395	396	397	398	399		407	408	409	410	411
20	353	354	355	356	357		363	364	365	366	367
30	329	333	334	335	336		330	343	344	345	346
40	373	374	377	378	379		385	386	387	388	389
50	312	313	314	315	316		326	430	431	432	433

C\_D for standard conditions at B=1T :

94 μ/√cm in standard conditions and

71 μ/√cm in low-diffusion conditions

# Result for TIPP09 : $\sigma_0=46\pm6 \mu\text{m}$



This was with rows 5-21, and the point at 50 cm was not in the fit

# Resolution slightly better at longer shaping

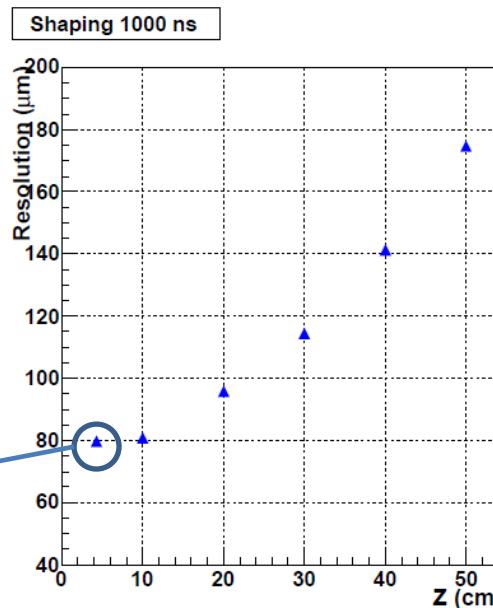
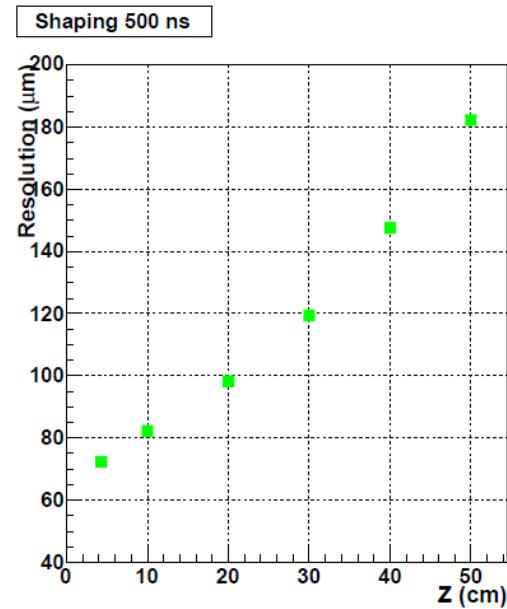
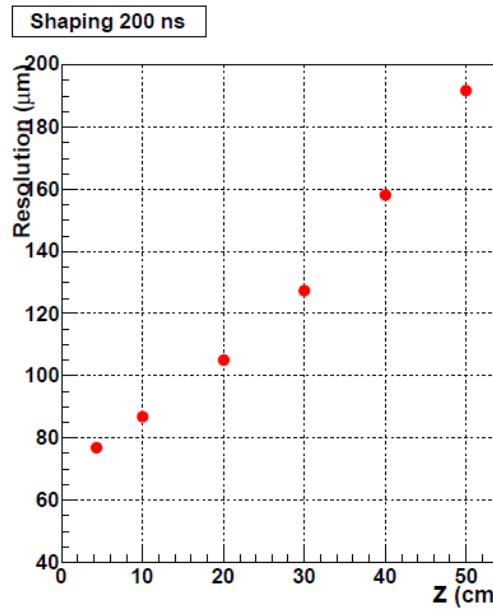
However not the expected  $\sqrt{z}$  behaviour.

Apparent loss of  $N_{eff}$

What can be the reason?

- distortions? (E, B inhomogen.)

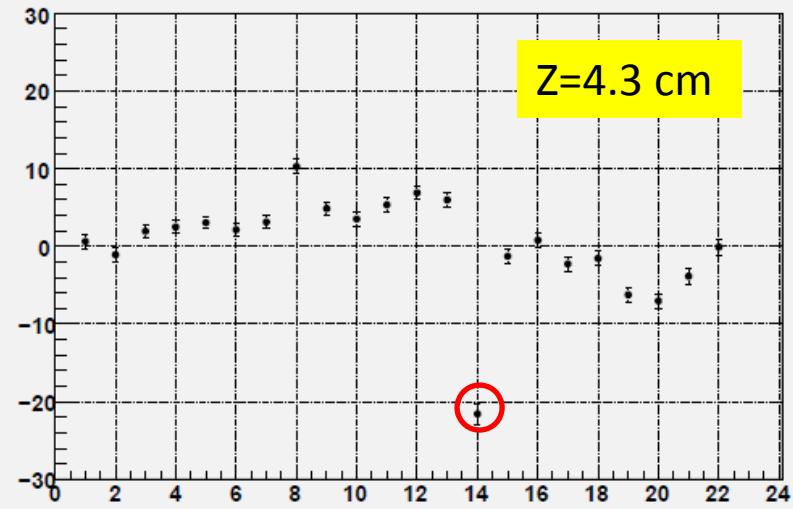
- loss of electrons due to longitudinal diffusion



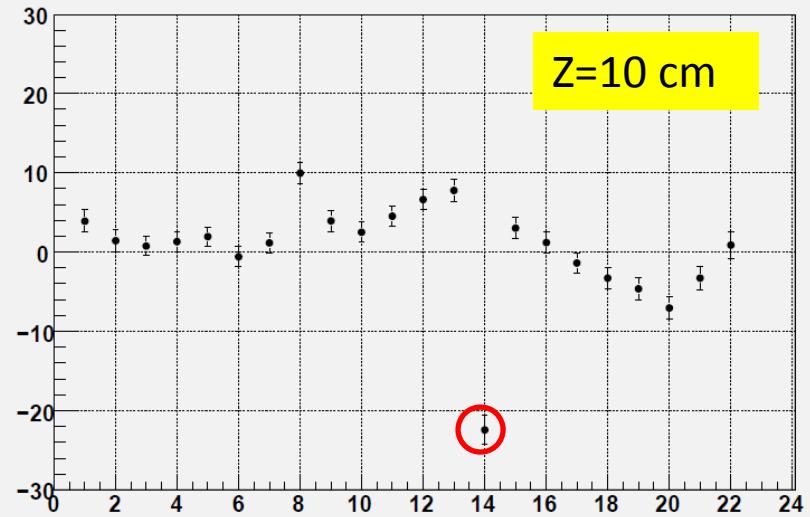
TPC was rotated

# DISTORTIONS : LOOK AT MEAN RESIDUALS wrt CIRCULAR TRACK FIT

Residual Means (run=310)



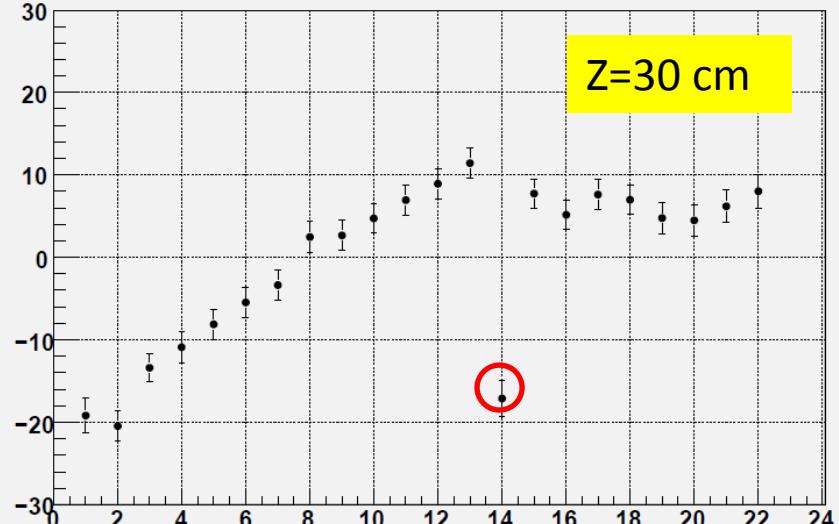
Residual Means (run=397)



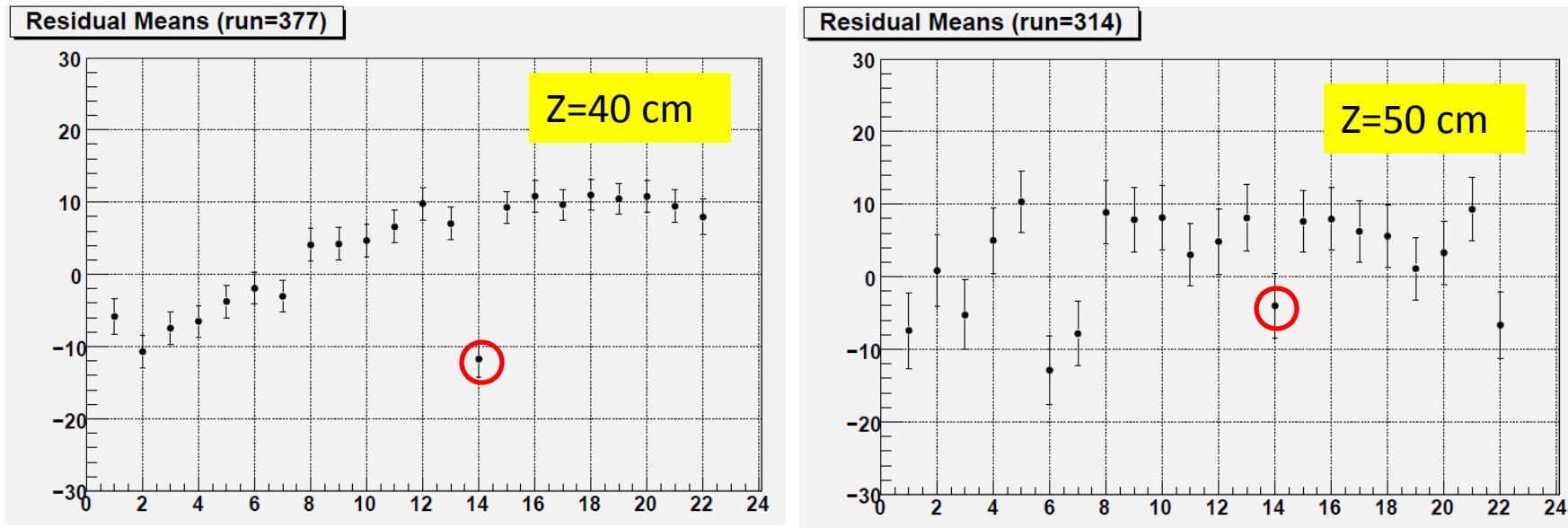
Residual Means (run=355)



Residual Means (run=334)



## DISTORTIONS : LOOK AT MEAN RESIDUALS wrt CIRCULAR TRACK FIT



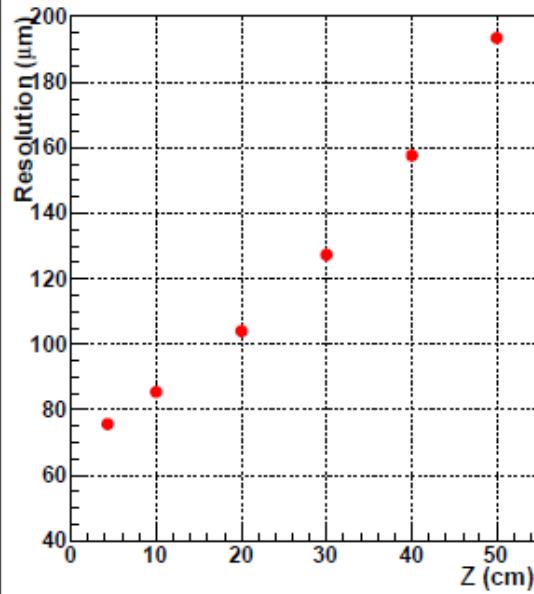
Row 14 systematically off by 20-25 microns

Distortions are very low (few microns) at small distances but reach 10-20 microns at large distances

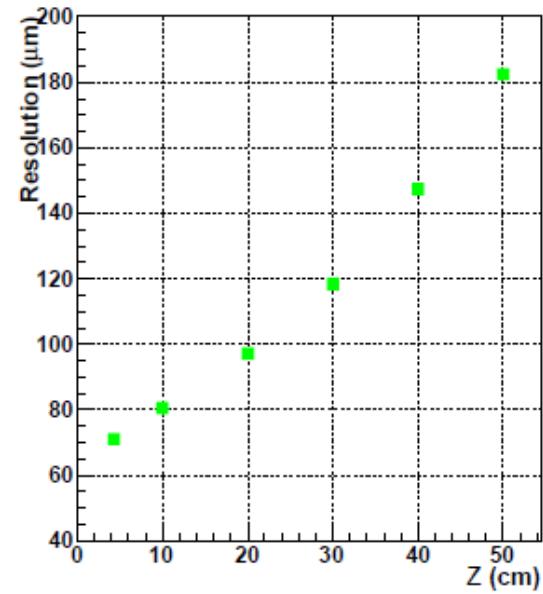
We NEED the moving table to keep the TPC in the homogeneous part of the magnet

Removing row  
14 improves a  
little but still  
positive  
concavity

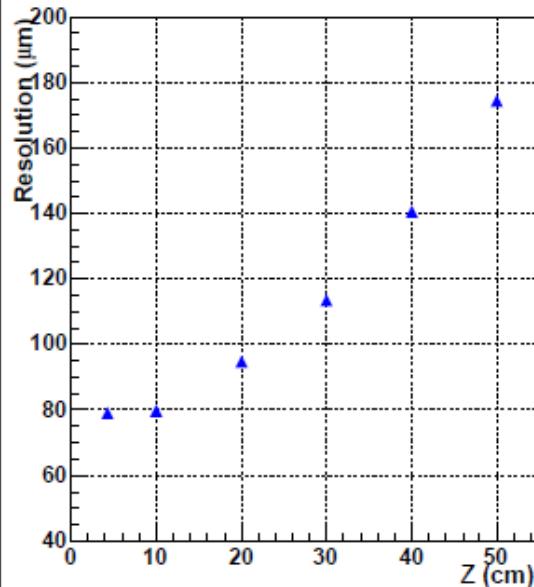
Shaping 200 ns



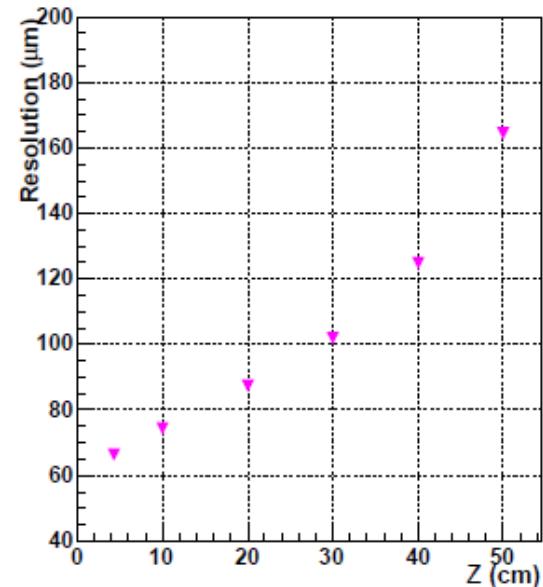
Shaping 500 ns



Shaping 1000 ns

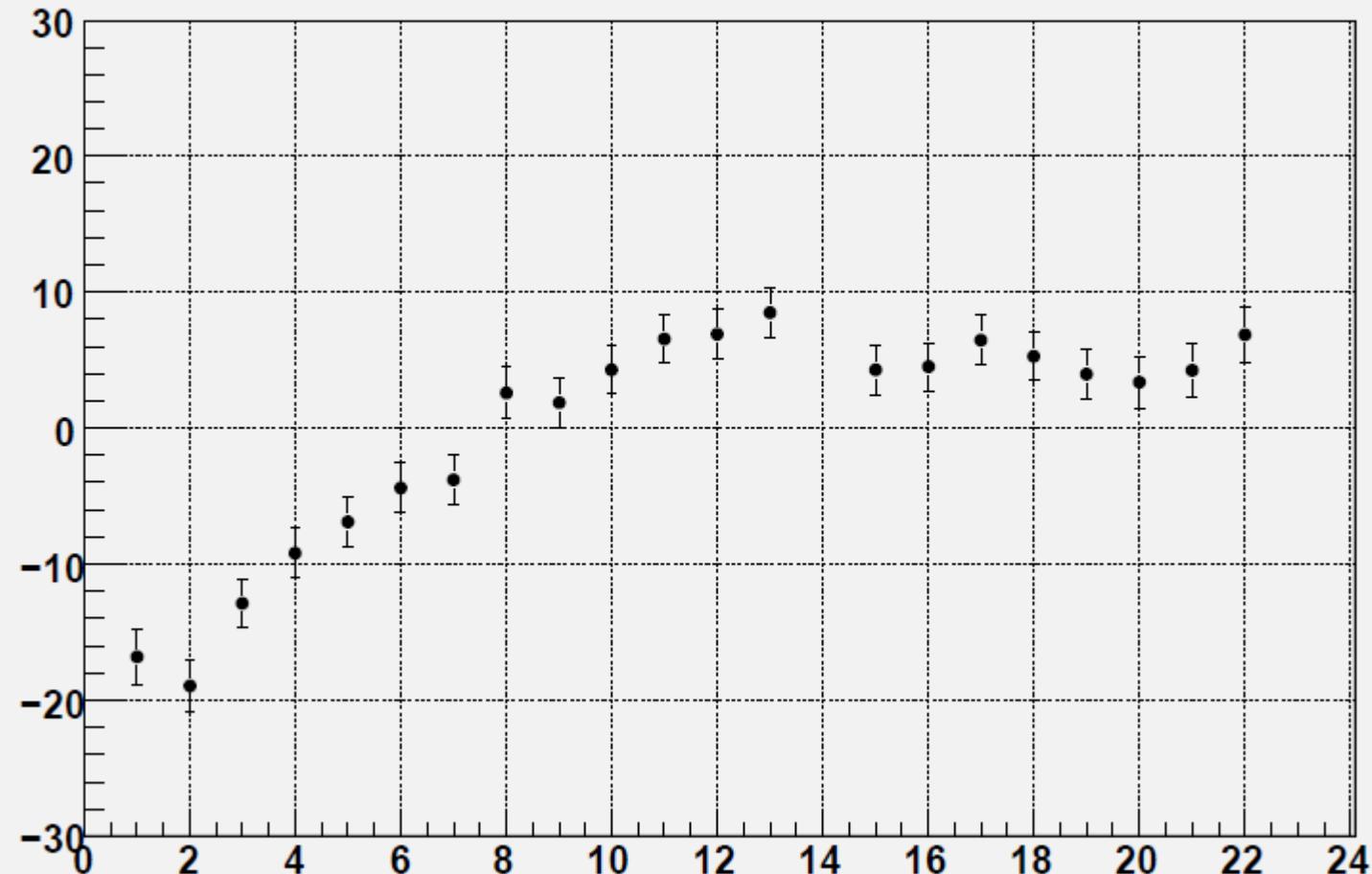


Shaping 500 ns



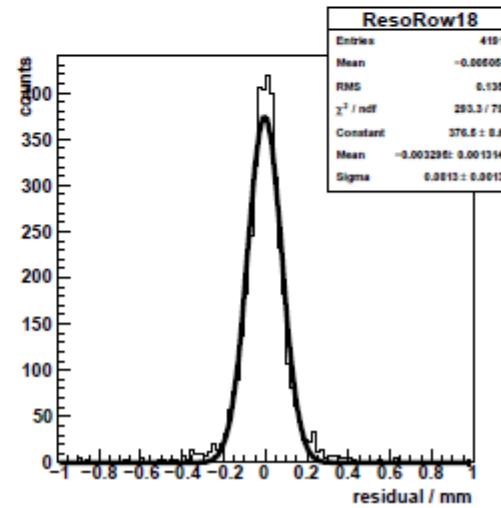
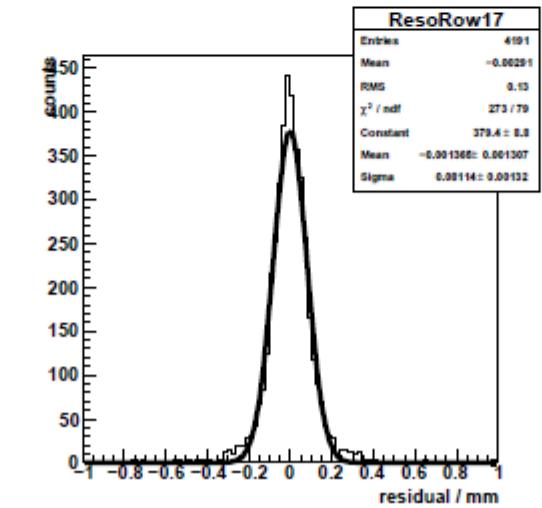
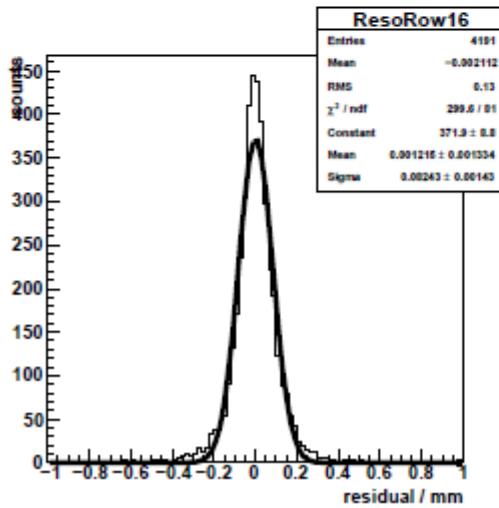
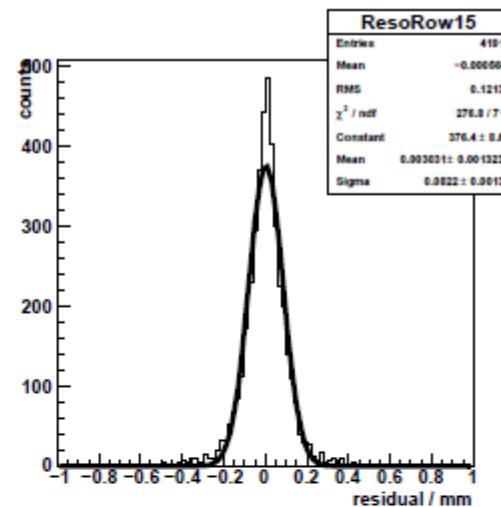
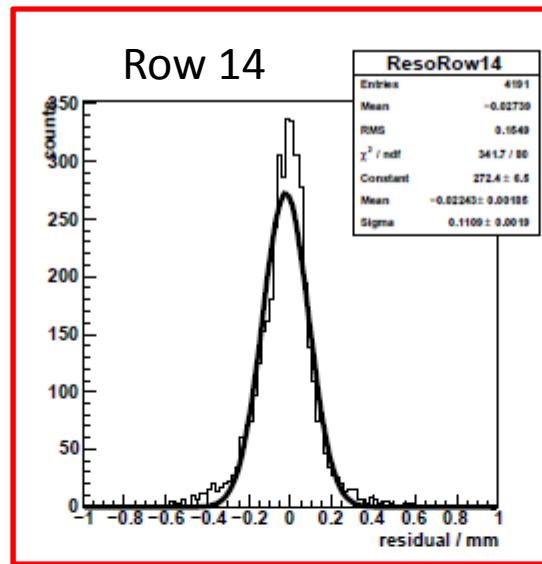
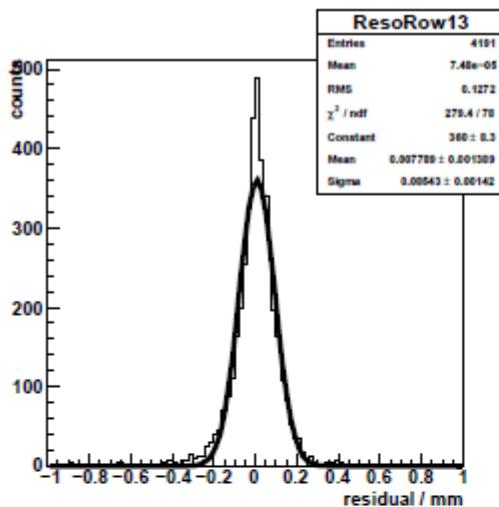
B=1T – transverse displacement vs row, z(beam)= 30cm, **row 14 excluded**

### Residual Means (run=334)



Removing row 14 from the track does no change the picture

# RESIDUALS PER ROW



# News from the May run

- Smooth data taking (not full rate, rather 30% of December, but read more time bins and more pads)
- Very nice data monitoring (once mirror of Dew point device cleaned by Oliver, even H<sub>2</sub>O reasonable : 45-70 ppm H<sub>2</sub>O, 40 ppm O<sub>2</sub>)
- Worry on the field cage currents
  - Resistance (1st to 7th strip) = 5 MΩ should be 6 (short?)
  - Resistance (1st strip to cathode) = 208±1 MΩ should be 210
  - We lost one MΩ at z<0, maybe one more at z>0
  - Since when? Seems to be after GEM run, before mM run