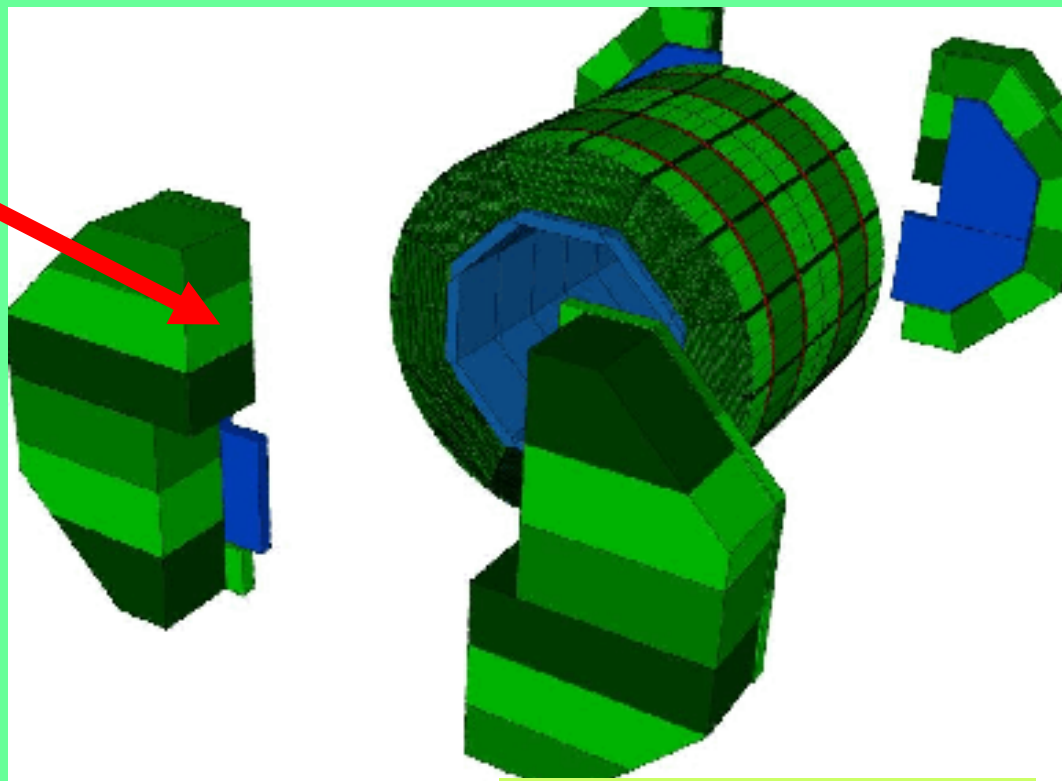
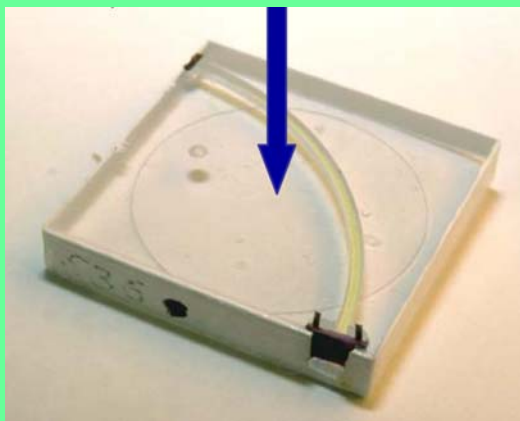
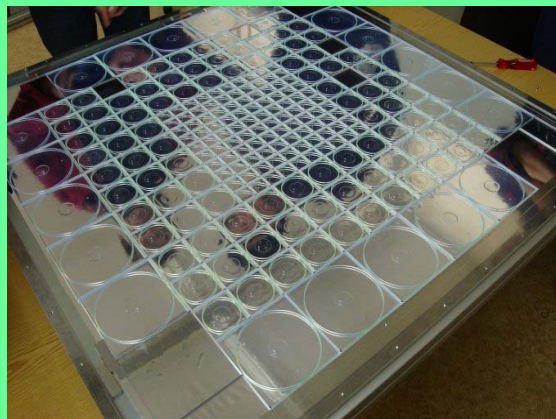
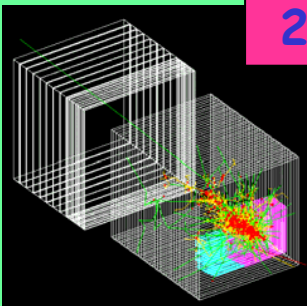


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# Future for the Tile HCAL ??

8000 active cells

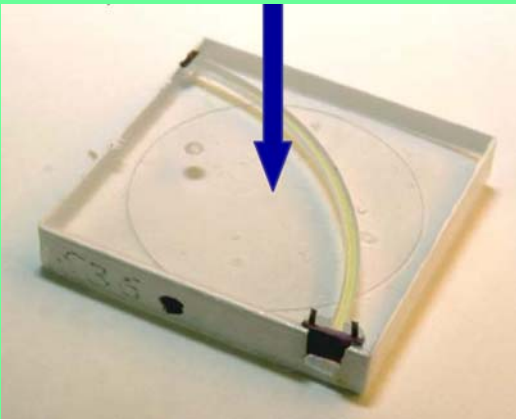
1000 times more cells



*New era for scintillator-based detectors:  
High granularity at relatively low cost*

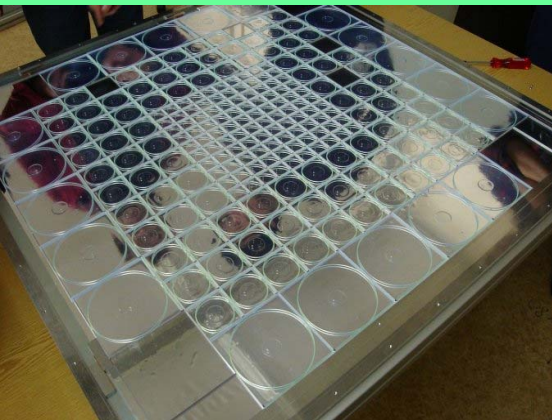
Our vision in Year 2000 .....>>>> 2008?

# Scintillator tiles



## Scintillator

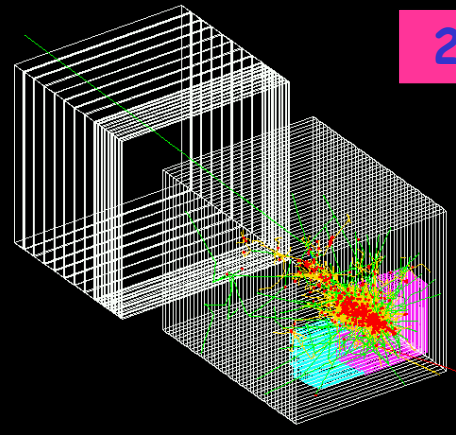
- optimize pad lateral size (!!!!)
  - thinner tiles (e.g. 3mm), (!!!) ?
  - Other material for absorber ??
  - cheaper scintillator material (!!!!)
  - extrusion, no further treatment any more
  - No WLS-fibre, try for direct light RO?
  - Mega tiles (!!!), ~ m<sup>2</sup> size?, Pad separation ?
  - Single tiles (??!!)
  - Combination of both (???)
- 
- Or large grids made from reflector material, to be filled with tiles, get rid of tolerances
  - Need blue sensitive larger area photodetectors
  - Need cheap direct optical coupling



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## Future: Photodetectors

SiPM Applications increasing:  
PET, night vision, Astronomy,  
Space technologies, Safety Monitoring,...



--Boris Dolgosheim: "Progress report on SiPM development its applications"

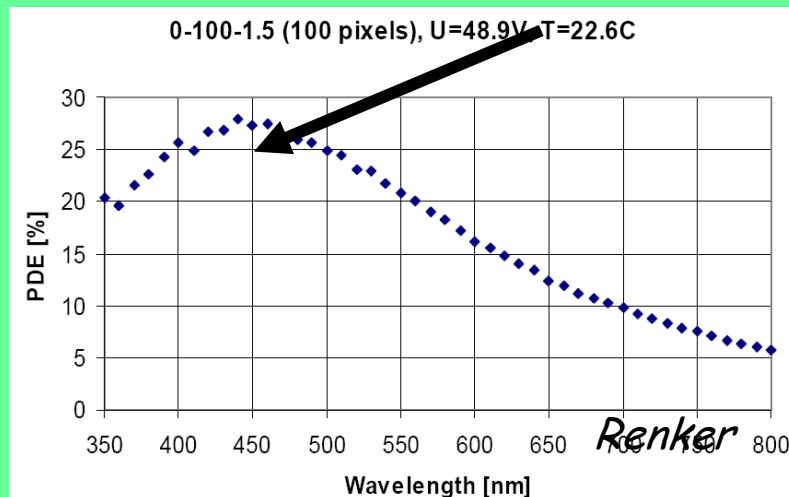
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CALICE Main Meeting, October 12.-14. 2005

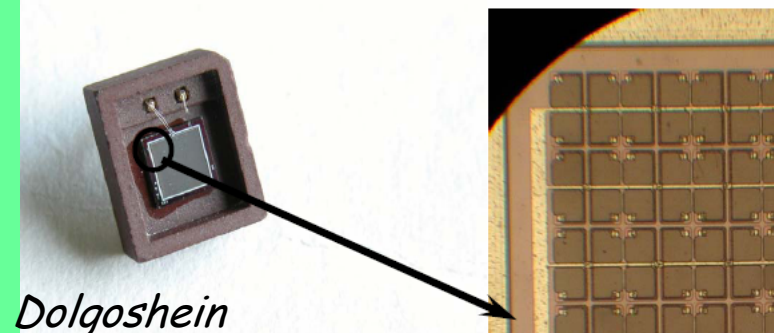
--D. Renker, ETH Zuerich  
at Beaune Conf. on Photodetectors, June 2005

Development now at:

- MEPHI/Pulsar (Moscow)
- CPTA, Obninsk, (GUS)
- JINR, DUBNA (GUS)
- SensL, Ireland, EU R&D-funding, GlueX-BCAL
- MPI- Muenchen
- Hamamatsu (Japan)



SiPM 3x3 mm<sup>2</sup>, 5625 pixels



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## Future: SiPMs, 2

### Ongoing Si-PM R&D:

#### to reduce:

- noise rate, self triggering
- X-talk, resolution
- Operation bias voltage spread, cost/power
- Bias voltage ?? Power

#### to increase:

- geometrical efficiency,
- optical efficiency, in range of scintillation light,
- larger gain would need less preamp power

More robust,

larger pixel size from 20 to 100 $\mu\text{m}$  ?

larger detector size, from 1x1 to 2x2 mm<sup>2</sup> ?

Optimize the dynamical range needed for your experiment

Increase stability, reduce/manage T and V dependence ?

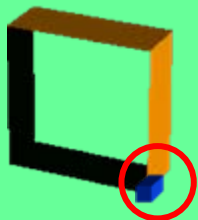
>>Can we read the scintillation light directly, without WLS?  
(this requires larger PD area)

>>Reduce costs to the a few Euro level for large quantities

# Direct coupling of SiPM and scintillator

2 examples, others could be possible

Study on the 3cm x 3cm x 0.5cm tile

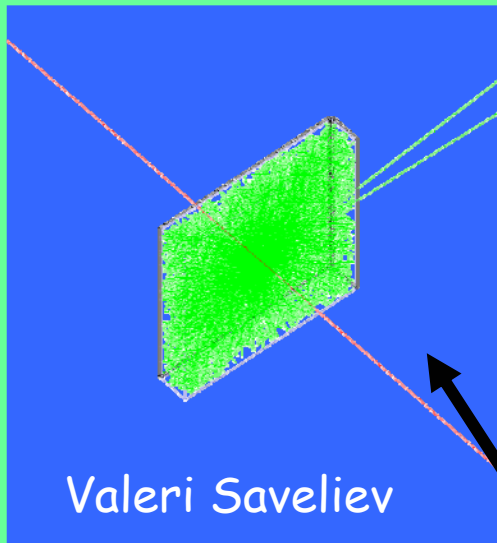


**Where?** Distribution of the emitted light from the scintillator: **HOMOGENEITY**

**How?** Technological improvement of the SiPM: **EFFICIENCY**



# Light distribution studies

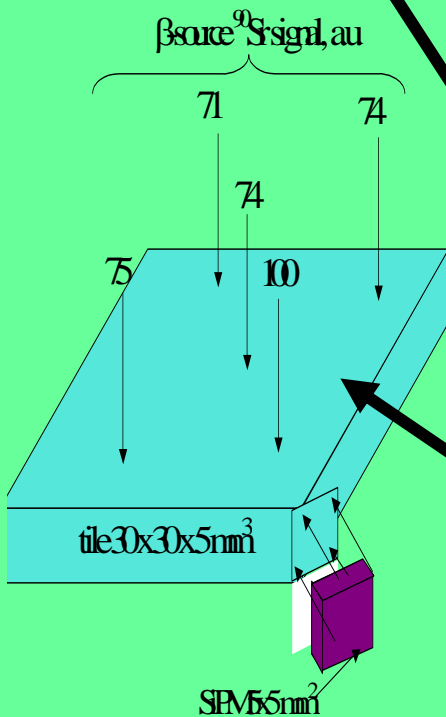


Geant 4 full simulation of the light propagation in the scintillation tile/photosensor module

6 GeV muons cross the tile

The light emitted on the surface is a factor 3 less than the one emitted on the edge

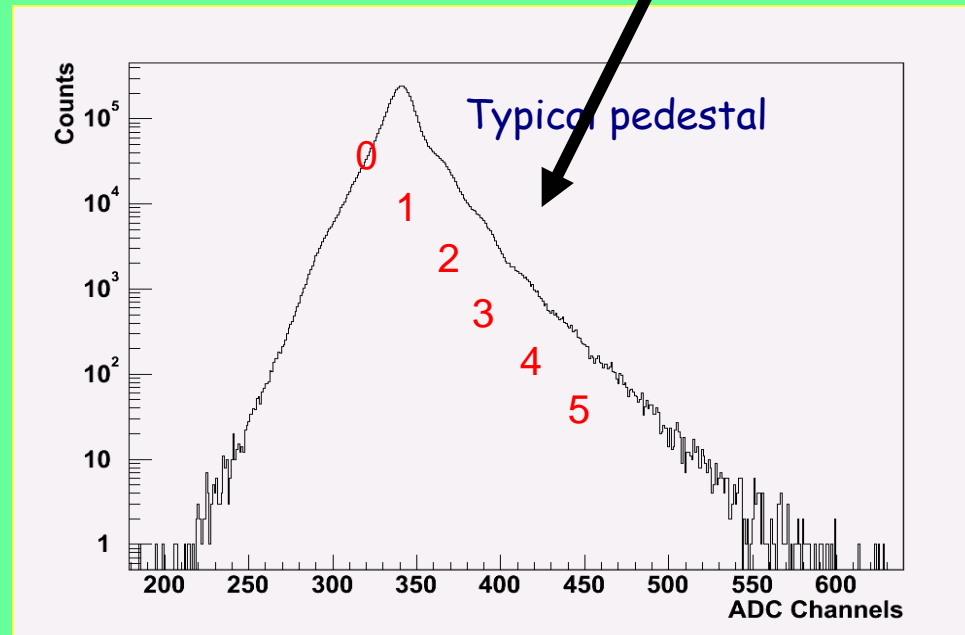
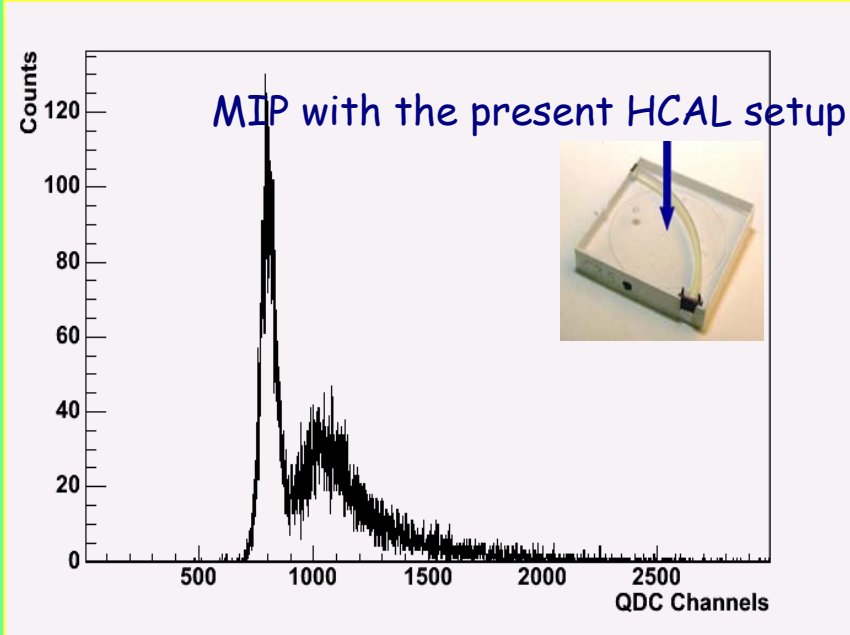
Setup for experimental verification of the MC studies in preparation



get rid of the local response non-uniformities

# The reality

Cross talk)



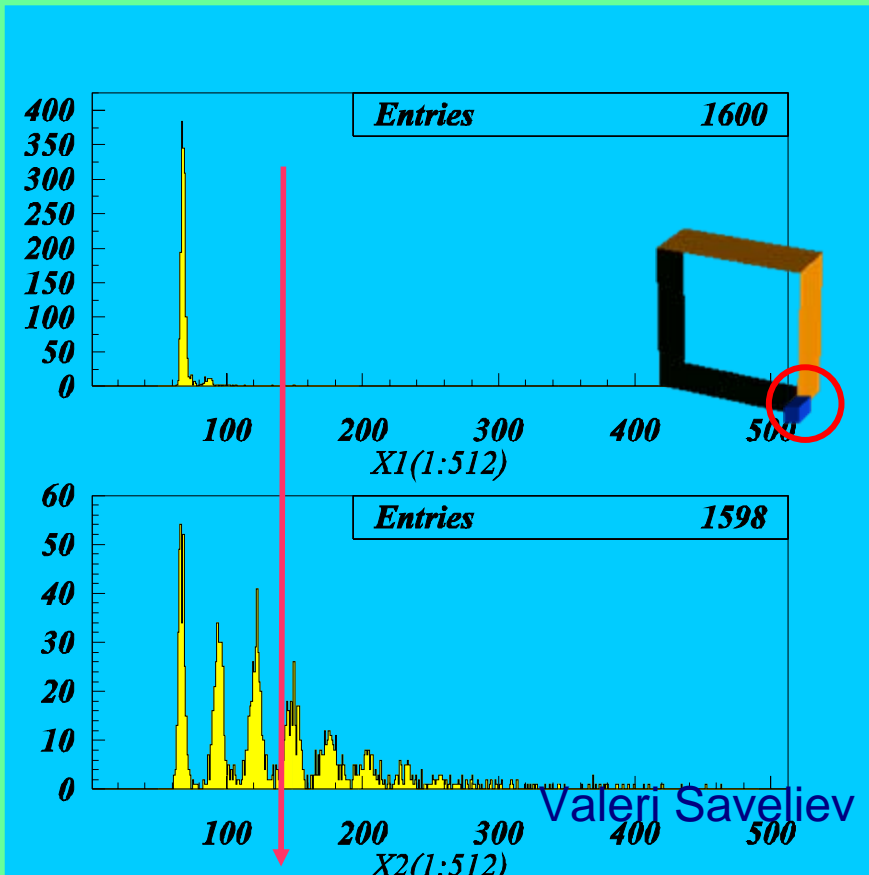
Minimization of the influence of the background noise  
(caused by dark rate and cross talk)

Pure Poisson statistics, with no cross-talk:

**95% efficiency with mean 5 p.e./MIP and a threshold cut at 1.5 p.e.**

WANTED: In practice  $> 5$  p.e./MIP

# Increase of the area of the SiPM



Direct readout of blue emitting scintillation tile (3x3 cm, 5mm) with Teflon reflectors by "green sensitive" SiPM size 1x1 mm ~1100 microcells  
(CPTA Moscow)

Cosmic Muons

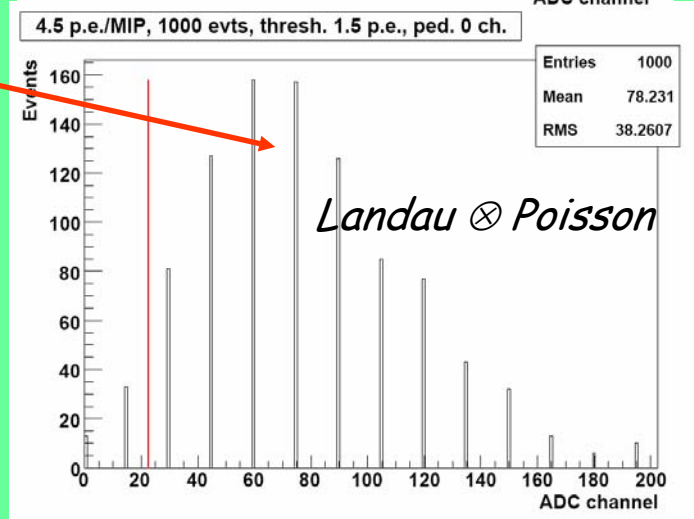
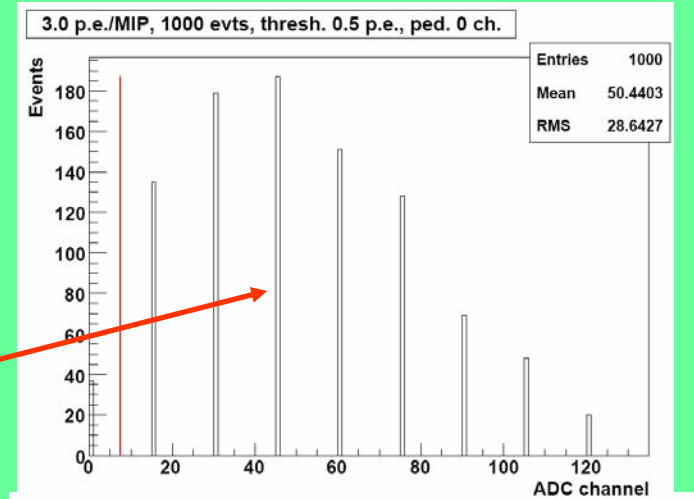
Mean value is 1.8 photoelectrons/mip  
(from Poisson Distribution)

3 x more light connection needed  
(AREA)



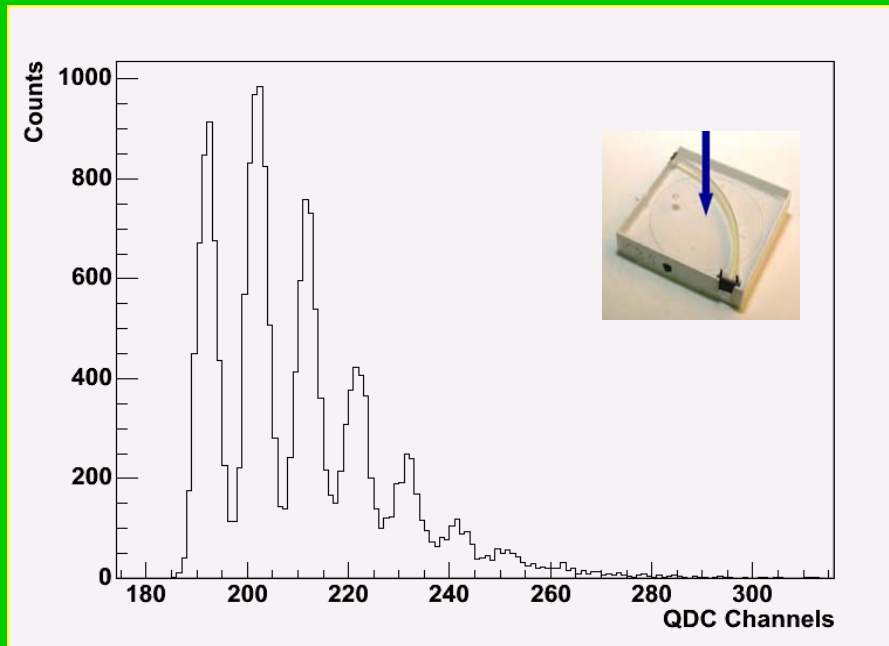
# Light yield limits

- Even with the best SiPM need minimum light yield
- Need 95% MIP efficiency with Poisson statistics
- No dark rate, no cross talk
  - Cut at 0.5 ph.e., need 3 ph.e / MIP
- Dark rate, but no cross talk
  - Cut at 1.5 ph.e, need 4.5 ph.e / MIP
- In practice
  - Finite peak width
  - Safety margin for robust fit
- Will need ~ 7-8 ph.e. / MIP



# New Hamamatsu SiPMs :

after few production iterations, General features



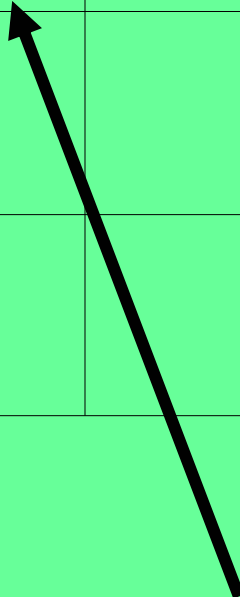
400 pixels, larger, 1 x 1 mm<sup>2</sup>

Standard wavelength shifter  
green fiber coupling (HCAL)

Higher efficiency in the green:  
Due to  
change in the technology

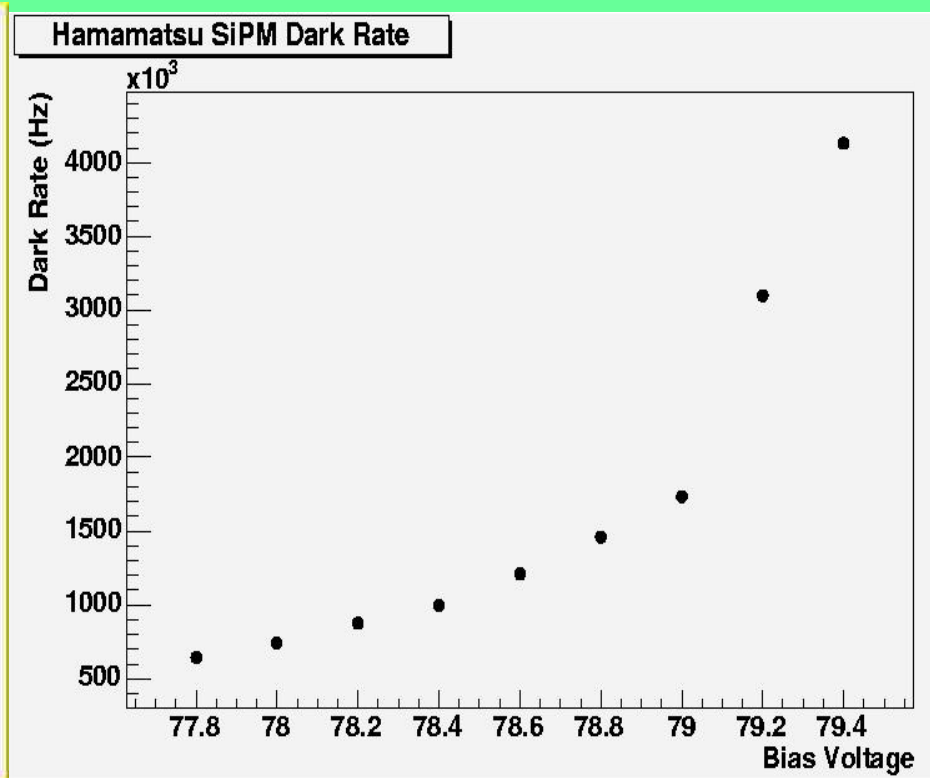
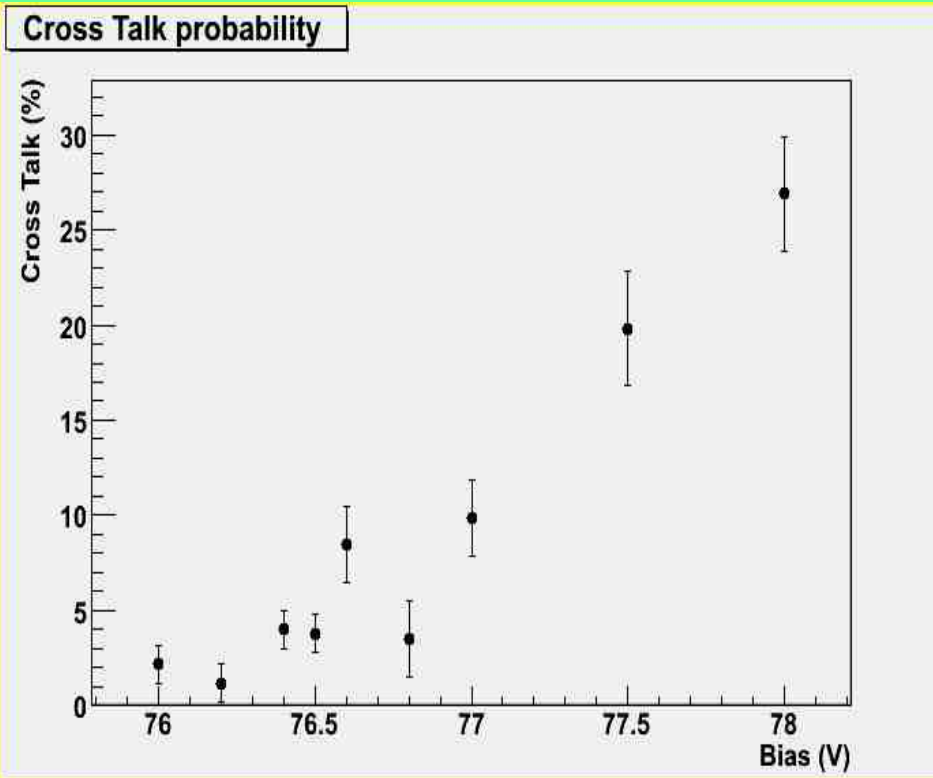
## The results from the last Batch

	311-32A-003-DESY-2 (69V)	320-32A-007-DESY-1 (78V)	320-32A-007-DESY-2 (78V)
MIP response (px/MIP)	23.2(1)	36.6(3)	32.7(2)
Gain (ADC ch./px)	14.1(3)	21.5(3)	21.2(4)
dG/dU/G (%/V)	75(2)	47(1)	46(1)



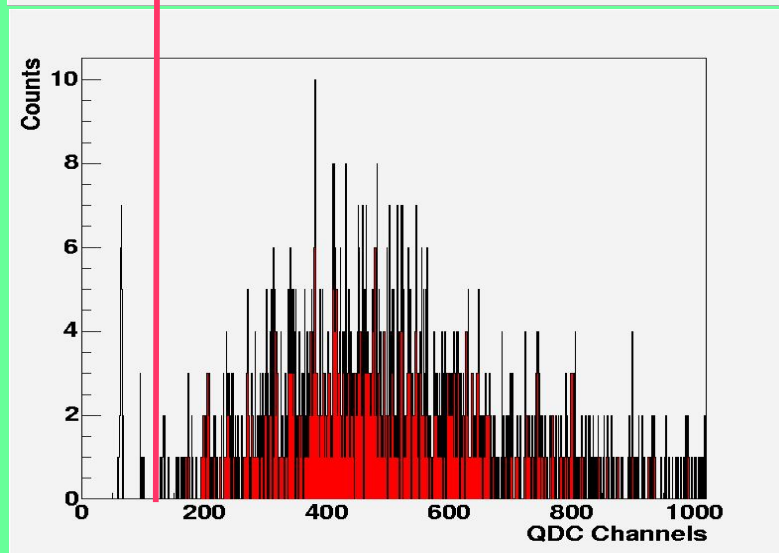
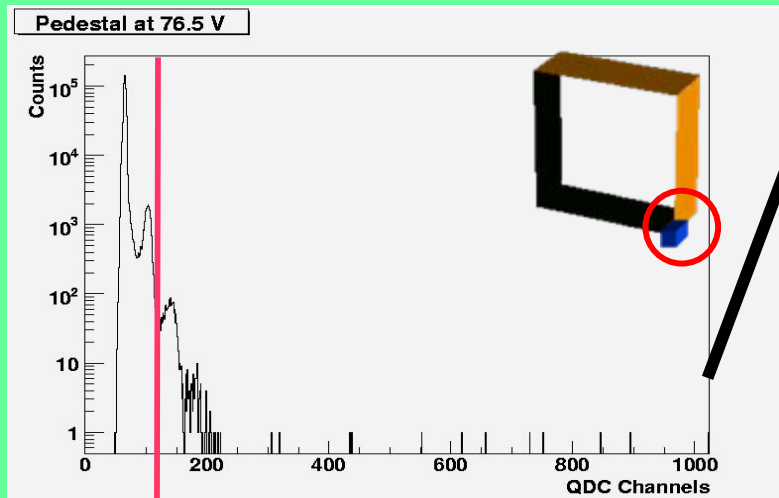
MEPHI Type was about 16 pixels/MIP

# Further studies on Hamamatsu SiPMs



The cross talk probability is the deviation from the Poisson distribution, decreases your resolution  
Cross Talk <10%, Dark Rate <500 KHz, Gain up to  $6 \times 10^5$  @ <77V

# Hamamatsu SiPMs: blue sensitivity!



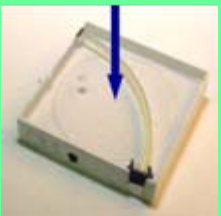
Direct coupling with a blue emission scintillator. No optical medium between.

Cosmic muons setup gives:  
13.38(+ -0.09) Pixels/MIP

95% MIP efficiency, with a cut @1.5 pixels.

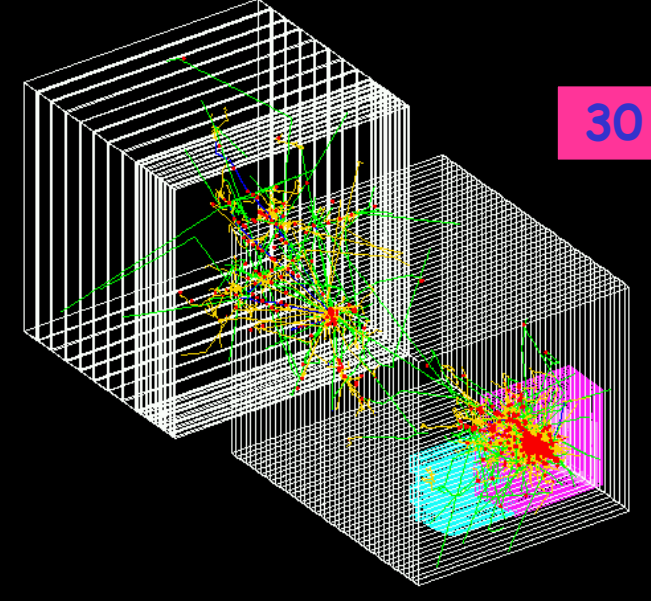
# To conclude... **direct coupling**: where and how?

At the moment: green SiPM coupled with green fiber  
 15 pixels/MIP, ~1100 pixels -> ~80 MIP range  
 (NOISE !!!)



<p>Green sens.                  ~1100 pixels                  (CPTA)</p>	<p>~1.8 pixels/MIP                  factor 3 area needed                  ~200 MIP range (TOO MUCH!)</p>	<p>0.6 pixels/MIP (simulation)                  factor 9 area needed                  ~200 MIP range (TOO MUCH!)</p>
<p>Blue sens.                  ~400 pixels                  (HPK)</p>	<p>~13 pixels/MIP                  ~29 MIP range                  (TOO FEW!)</p>	<p>~5 pixels/MIP (simulation)                  ~80 MIP range                  AT THE LIMIT (~ x2 needed)</p>





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Future, Calibration

### Calibration and monitoring

Do we need the LED/PIN system  
with light injection by fibres?

What is the precision in energy resolution we get  
if we **use MIPs only ??**

MIPs from:

- a) Halo
- b) Cosmic
- c) Branches in real events shower trees.

Simulation studies available, test beam results valuable!

# How many MIPs or muons do we need for calibration?

threshold: 3 p.e.

repeats: 10000

$N_{\text{p.e.}}/\text{MIP}$	$N_{\text{evt}}$	MIP efficiency (%)	MIP resolution (%)
15	100	100.000 ± 0.000	2.65 ± 0.21
	500	99.988 ± 0.000	1.77 ± 0.29
	1000	99.989 ± 0.000	1.24 ± 0.14
	5000	99.988 ± 0.000	0.55 ± 0.03

10	100	99.354 ± 0.008	3.59 ± 0.52
	500	99.361 ± 0.004	2.22 ± 0.35
	1000	99.365 ± 0.003	1.56 ± 0.17
	5000	99.359 ± 0.001	0.67 ± 0.03

8	100	97.285 ± 0.016	5.06 ± 1.36
	500	97.244 ± 0.007	2.2 ± 0.24
	1000	97.256 ± 0.005	1.8 ± 0.2
	5000	97.252 ± 0.002	0.78 ± 0.04

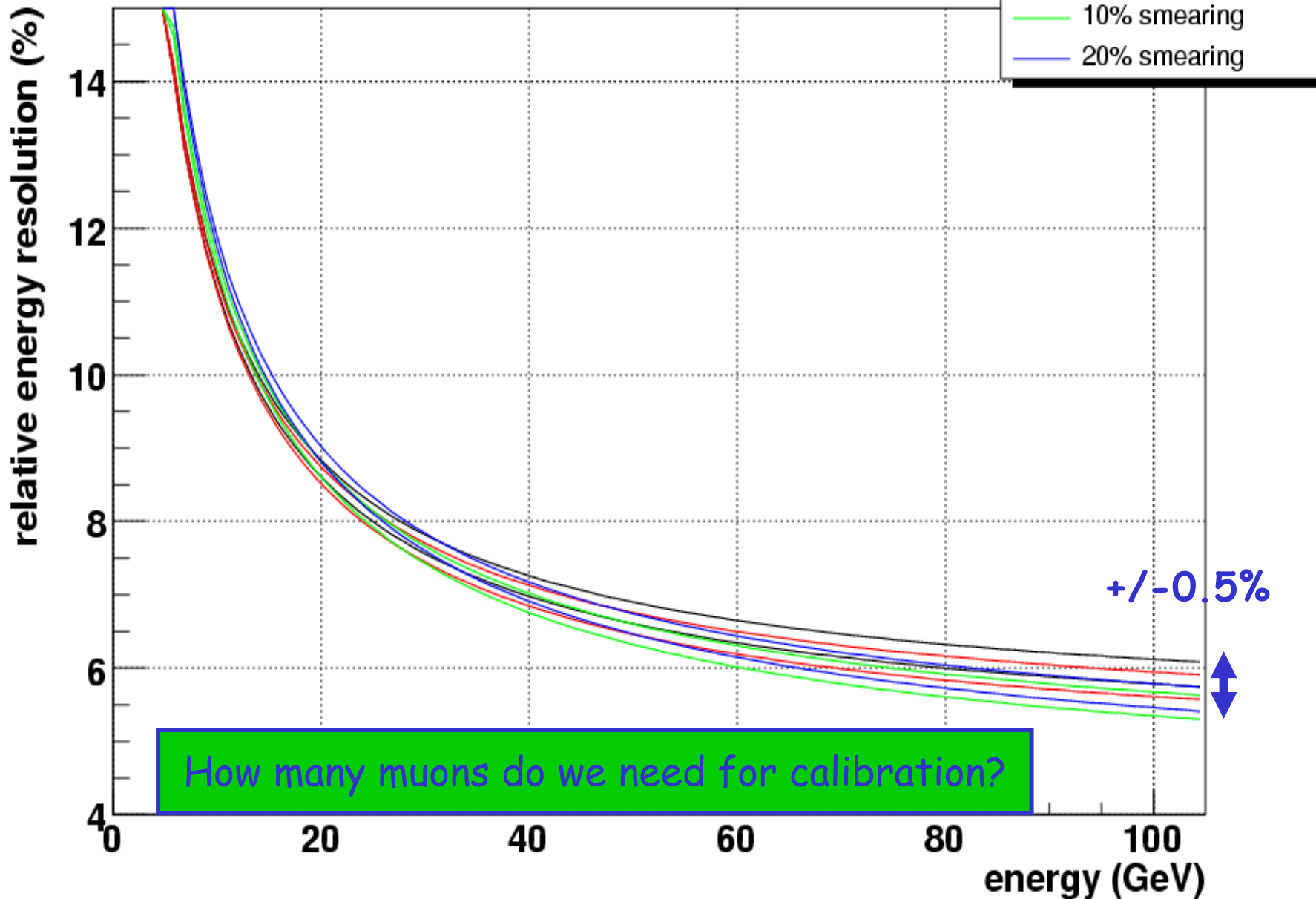
6	100	no fit possible because of threshold	
	500	89.547 ± 0.014	4.35 ± 1.56
	1000	89.537 ± 0.010	2.94 ± 0.67
	5000	89.534 ± 0.004	1.24 ± 0.12

Many cells contribute to each single event

» calibration precision statistically reduced

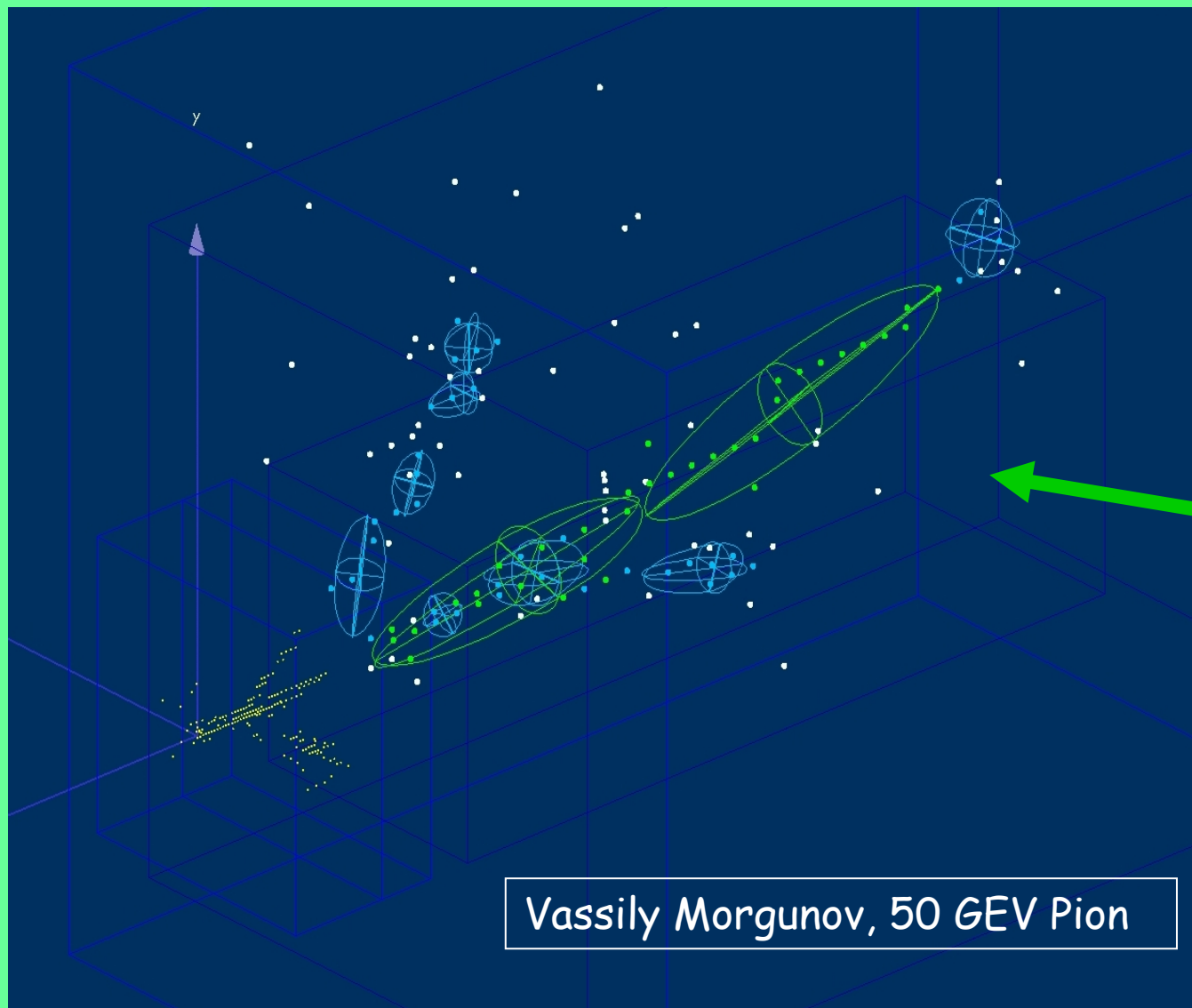
Need MIPs for best Calibration, thus Efficiency should be high

# Energy resolution AHCAL $\pi^+$



How many muons do we need for calibration?

# Calibration with MIPs

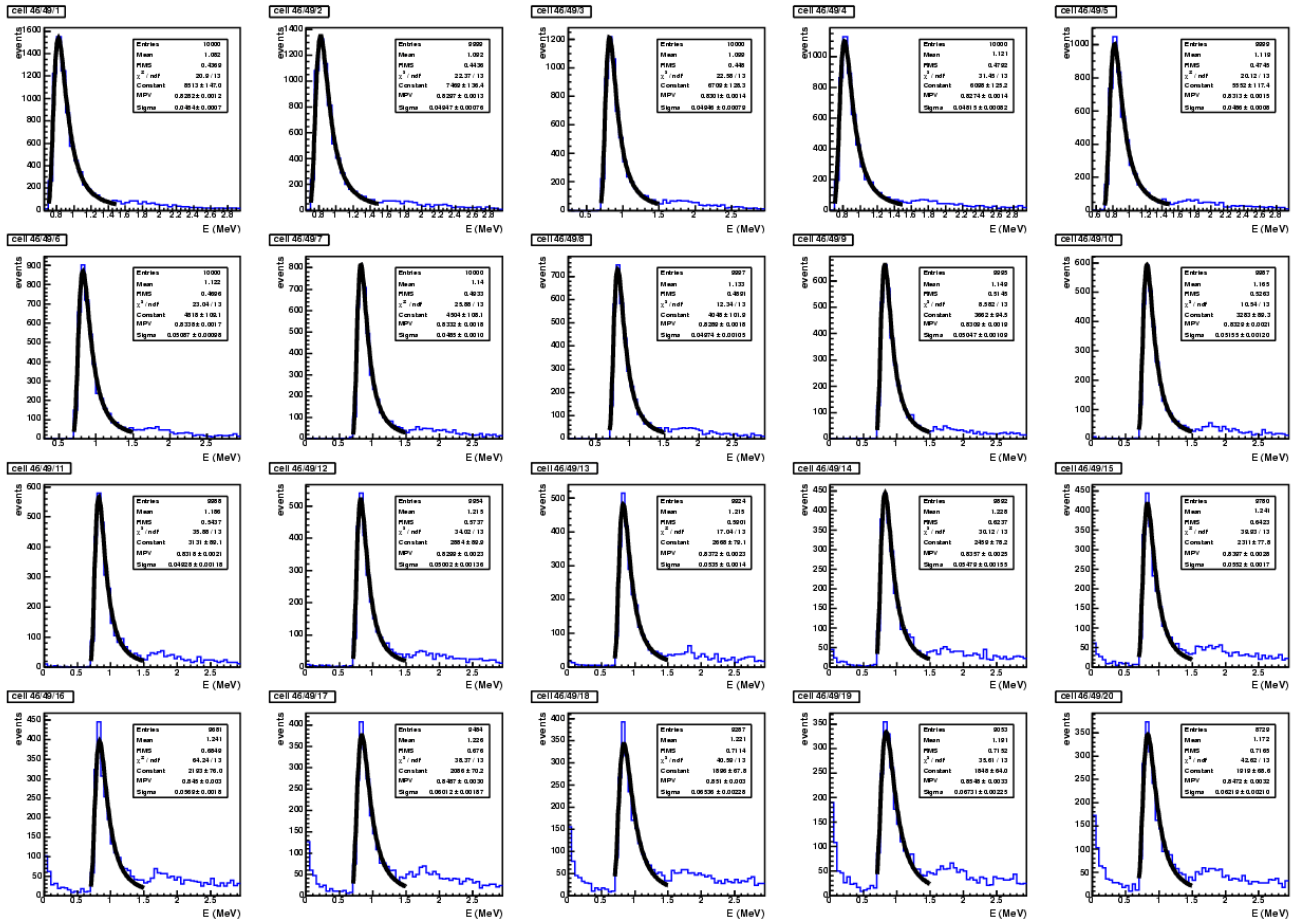


MIPs

Vassily Morgunov, 50 GEV Pion

# Calibration with MIPs

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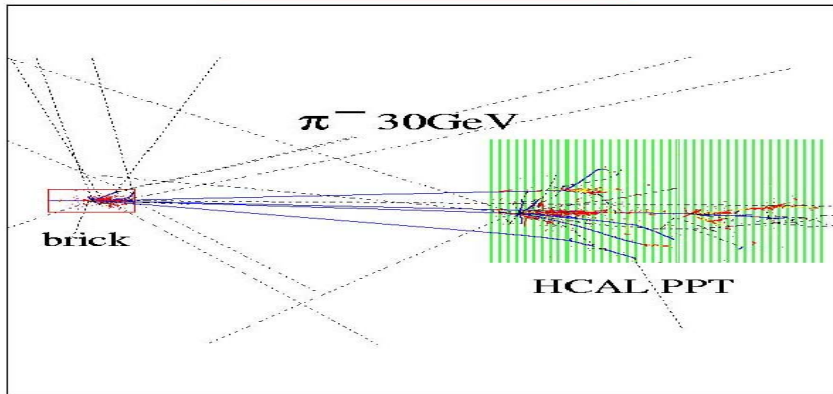


50 GeV  
pions,  
1 hit/plane

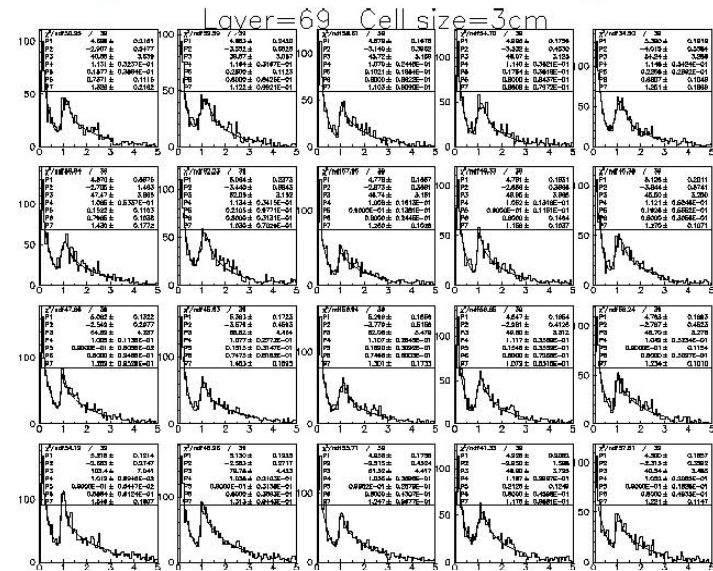
# Cell Calibration with MIPs

## Proposed Experimental Setup

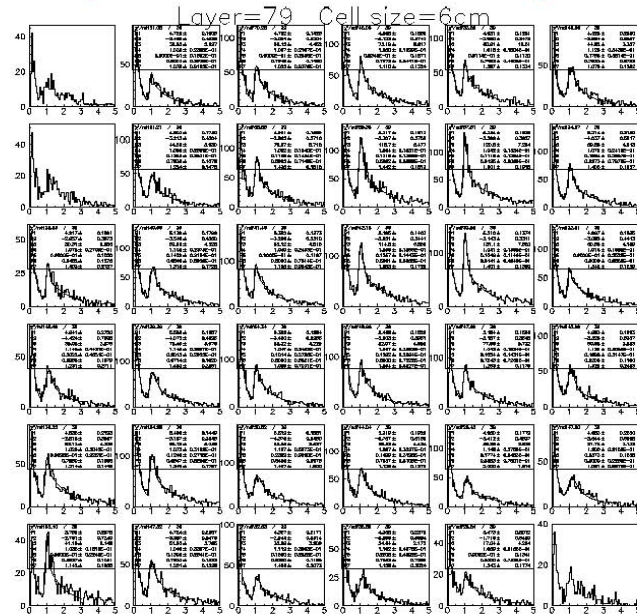
(Illustration)



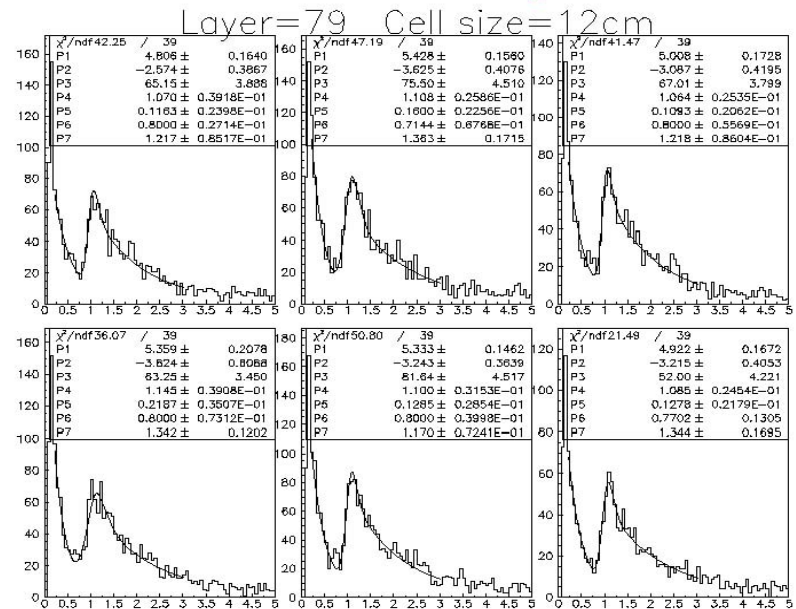
## Hit spectra 3x3 cm<sup>2</sup> cells of one quadrant



## Hit spectra 6x6 cm<sup>2</sup> cells of one quadrant



## 12x12 cm<sup>2</sup> cells of one quadrant





## Spectrum of fitted MIP peaks

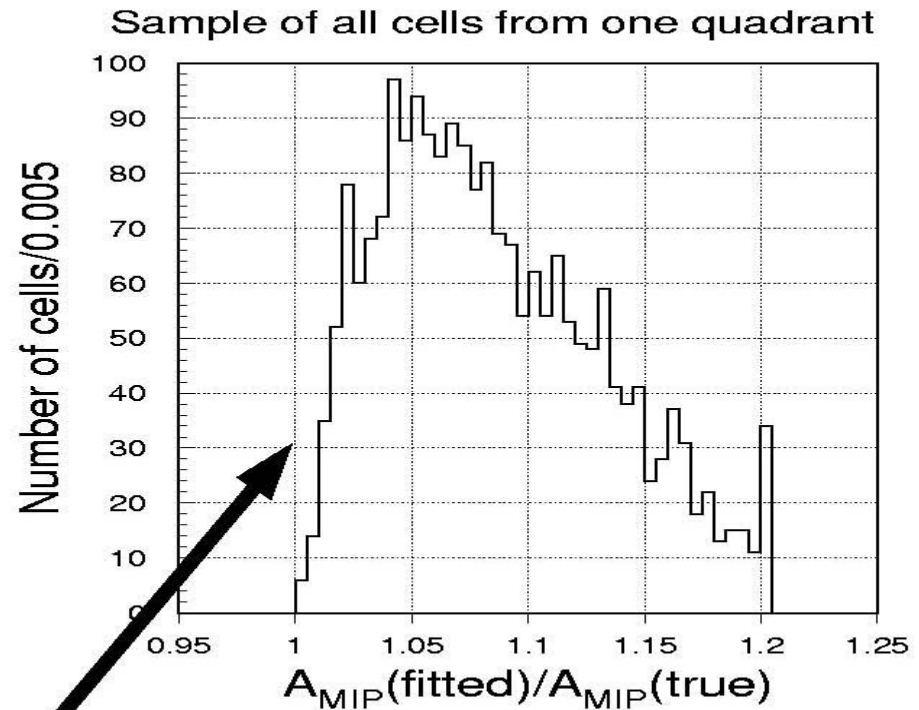
*MIP peak extracted by fitting hit spectrum is defined in units of true MIP*

*True MIP – peak in the distribution produced by MIP particle penetrating cell @ angle  $90^\circ$*

*Shift in peak value w.r.t. true*

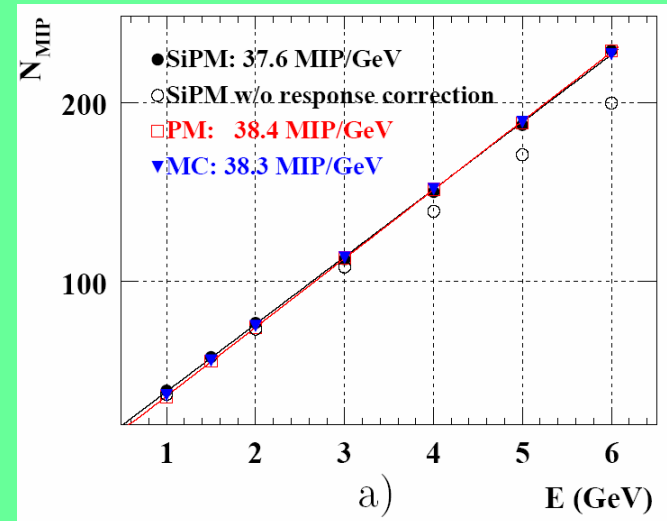
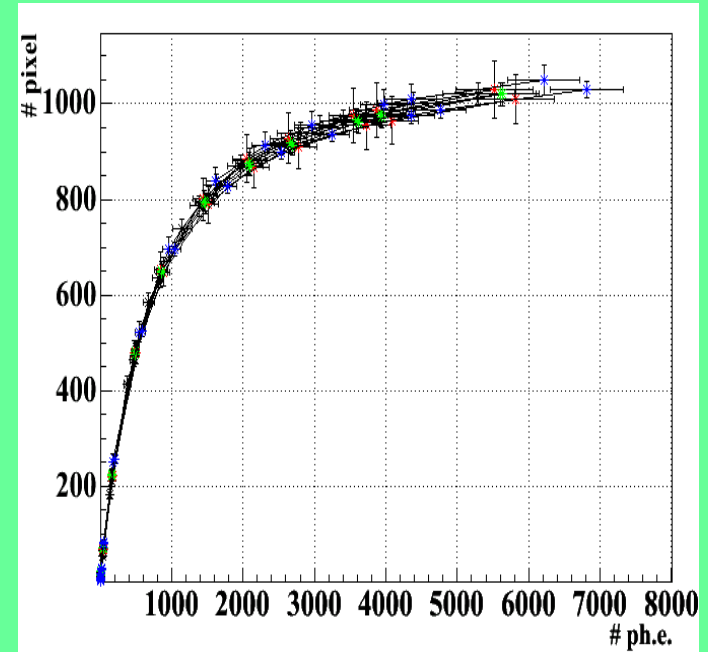
*MIP position due to arbitrary angles ( $\neq 90^\circ$ )*

*at which MIP particles penetrate cells  $\rightarrow$  source of systematics?*



# Dynamic range, non-linearity

- Required dynamic range is  $\sim 50 - 100$  MIP
- Required calibration accuracy
  - $\sim 20\%$  for purely statistical variations
  - $< 5\%$  for systematic shifts
- Non-linearity  $< 5\%$  ( $< 10\%$  of pixels fired) translates into  $\sim 10'000$  pixels (for  $LY = 15$  px / MIP)
- We correct for non-linearity
  - Using uniform response function  $px = f_{\text{resp}}(\text{ph.e})$
  - Individual light yield of tile in px / MIP
- Successfully exercised with minical prototype



## The new SiPMs from Hamamatsu

Based on our now many years of experience with the first SiPMs Hamamatsu encourage us to do more detailed systematic measurements

- Bias voltage spread
- Increase of blue sensitivity
- noise (dark rate) reduction, we plan for a self-triggering detector
- Minimized inter-pixel cross-talk
- Gain vs preamp gain
- light yield (the response to a minimum ionizing particle (MIP) traversing the tile, measured in units of fired pixels), which provides a relative measure of photon detection efficiency
- Saturation, dynamic range
- Temperature dependence
- Radiation hardness, gammas (DESY, LINAC) and neutrons (Geesthacht??)
- Field test with a complete 216 channel calorimeter cassette
- **Due to our very heavy duty in the 1m<sup>3</sup> PT test, we invite collaborators to help us.**
- **All equipment is available for performance comparison**

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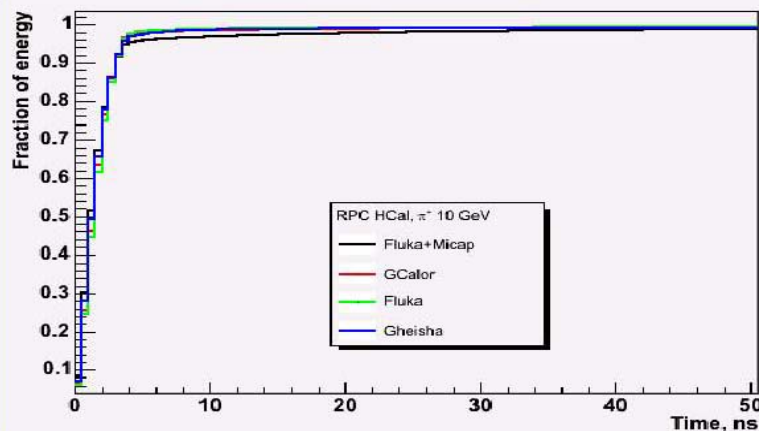
Future, Time measurement??

### Time measurement in cells ?

- SiPM have excellent timing performance, few psec level.
- Scintillator- has larger shower radius than Gas-Calo.
- Due to slow neutron component which fires single cells, time measurement to exclude such hits.

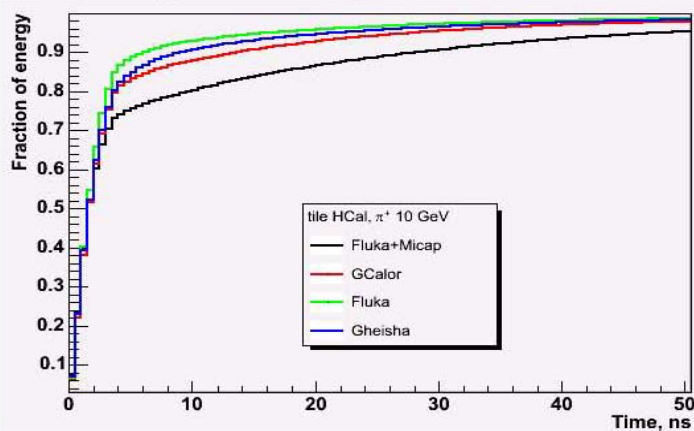
### RPC HCAL

Digital Timing profile in HCAL



### Tile HCAL

Analog Timing profile in HCAL



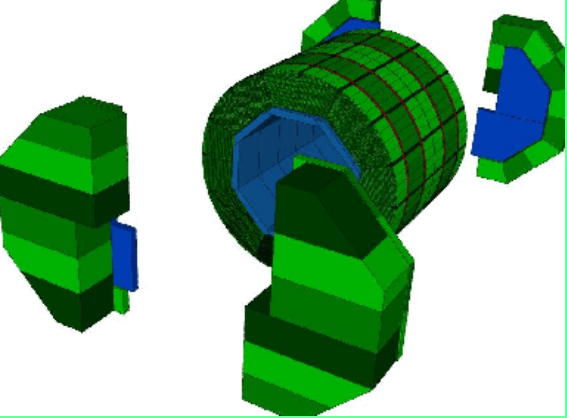
Timing profile has fast component  $\sim 5$ ns and tail

Fraction of visible deposited energy in the tail :

2% for RPC HCAL and 10-25% for tile HCAL

Reason : lower sensitivity of RPC gas to slow neutrons

# A ROB concept to be studied



ROB, housing:

SiPM

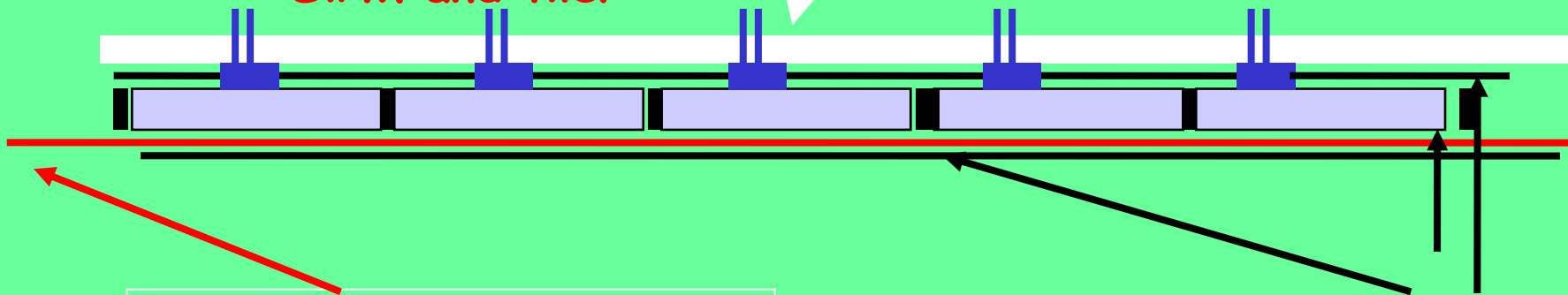
Bias voltage

Preamps, shaper and S&H memory

18 fold?

Clock for time measurement?

**Problem!**  
Light contact between  
SiPM and tile!



1mm thick quartz fibre,  
Type party fibre,  
Injects light in 1 row of tiles

3M Super reflector,  
Glued on a grid,  
To house the tiles,  
Gets rid of the tile tolerances

**Advantage:** ROB can be fully equipped on a test bench,  
housing a reference tile array and reference quartz fibres