

Polarisation Measurement and Spin Tracking at the ILC

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Polarisation for Physics.

Longitudinal polarisation $P_z = \frac{N_R - N_L}{N_R + N_L}$

with $N_{R,L}$: number of right-/left-handed particles in bunch

- SM & BSM: left- and righthanded particles couple differently
 - polarised cross-sections are important observables carrying **qualitatively** new information!
 - beam polarisation can suppress background / enhance signal

- wanted for physics: **luminosity weighted average polarisation**

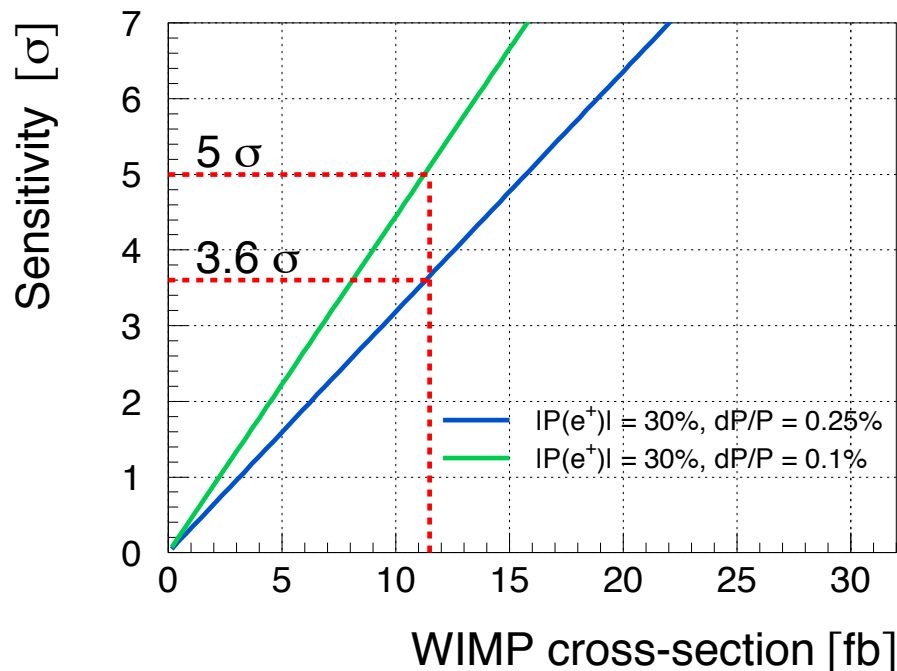
at the IP, $\langle P_z \rangle_{IP} = \frac{\int P_z(t) \mathcal{L}(t) dt}{\int \mathcal{L}(t) dt}$

- Note: most physics studies sofar assume this average is known exactly and independently for e^- and e^+ beam.

$P \equiv P_z$ in the following.

Impact of Polarisation Uncertainty.

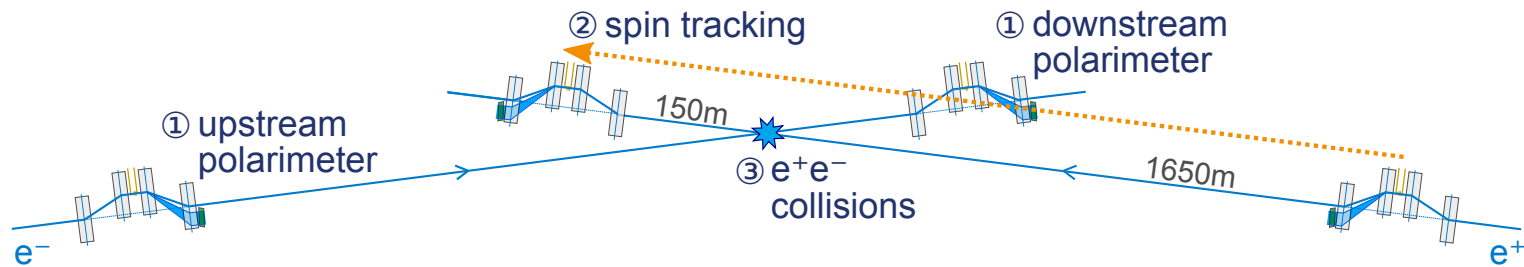
- SM precision measurements, eg. A_{LR} at Z pole will be limited by polarisation knowledge
→ simultaneous extraction of A_{LR} and $\langle P_{\text{eff}} \rangle_{IP}$
- BSM example: WIMP Dark Matter Search



- 500 fb^{-1} at 500 GeV,
 $|P(e^-, e^+)| = (0.8, 0.3)$
- ILD full simulation incl. systematics
- $dP/P = 0.25\%$
→ “evidence for”
- $dP/P = 0.1\%$
→ “discovery of”

Polarimetry concept for the ILC.

Goal for ILC polarimetry: **per mille level precision** by combining



- ① **Compton polarimeter measurements** upstream and downstream of the e^+e^- interaction point
- ② **Spin tracking studies** to relate these measurements to the polarization at the e^+e^- interaction point
- ③ Long-term average determined from e^+e^- collision data as absolute scale calibration

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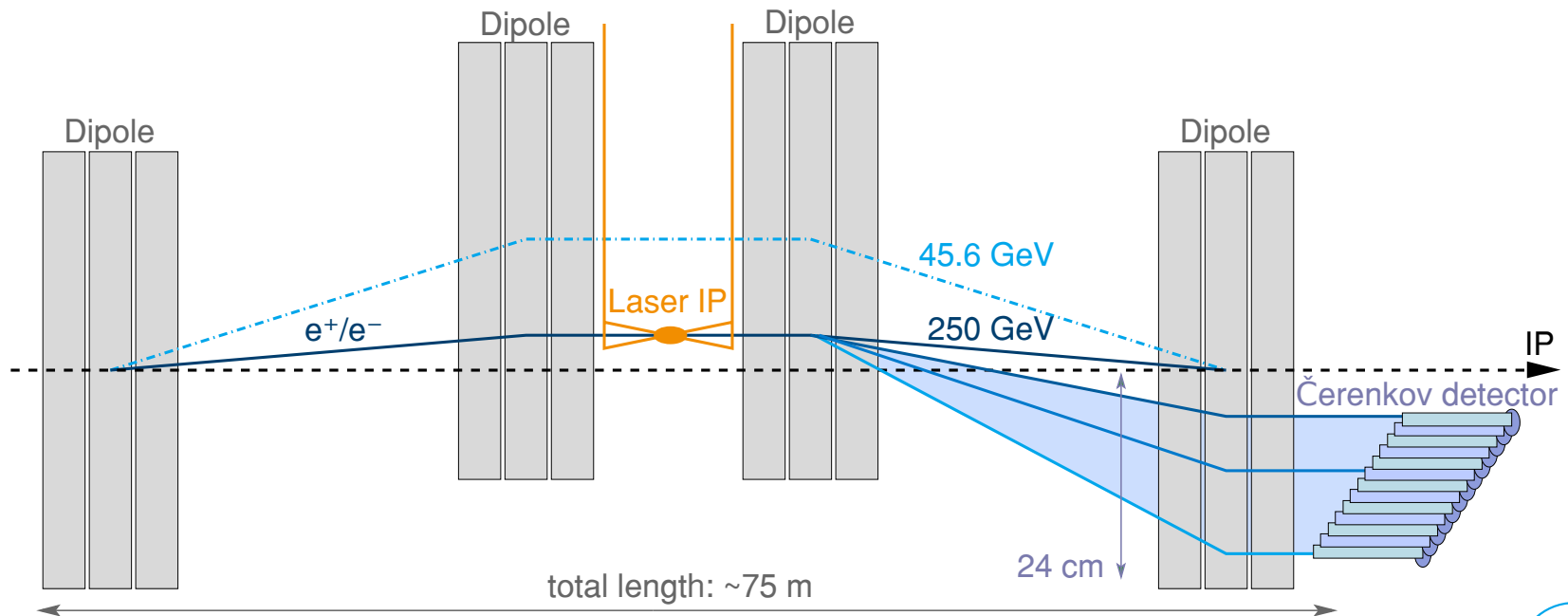
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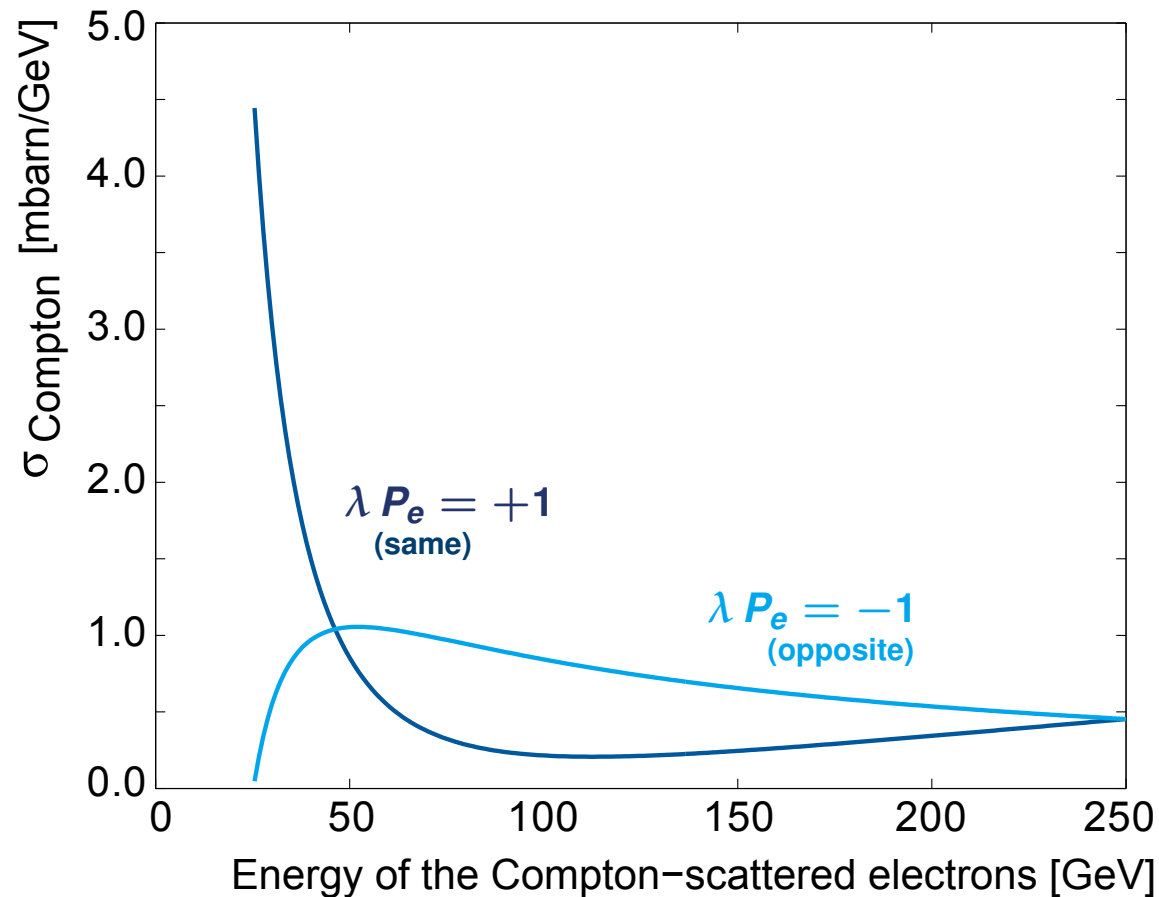
Compton polarimeters.

- $\mathcal{O}(10^3)$ Compton scatterings/bunch
- Energy spectrum of scattered e^+/e^- depends on polarisation
- Magnetic chicane: energy distribution \rightarrow position distribution
- Measure number of e^+/e^- per detector channel



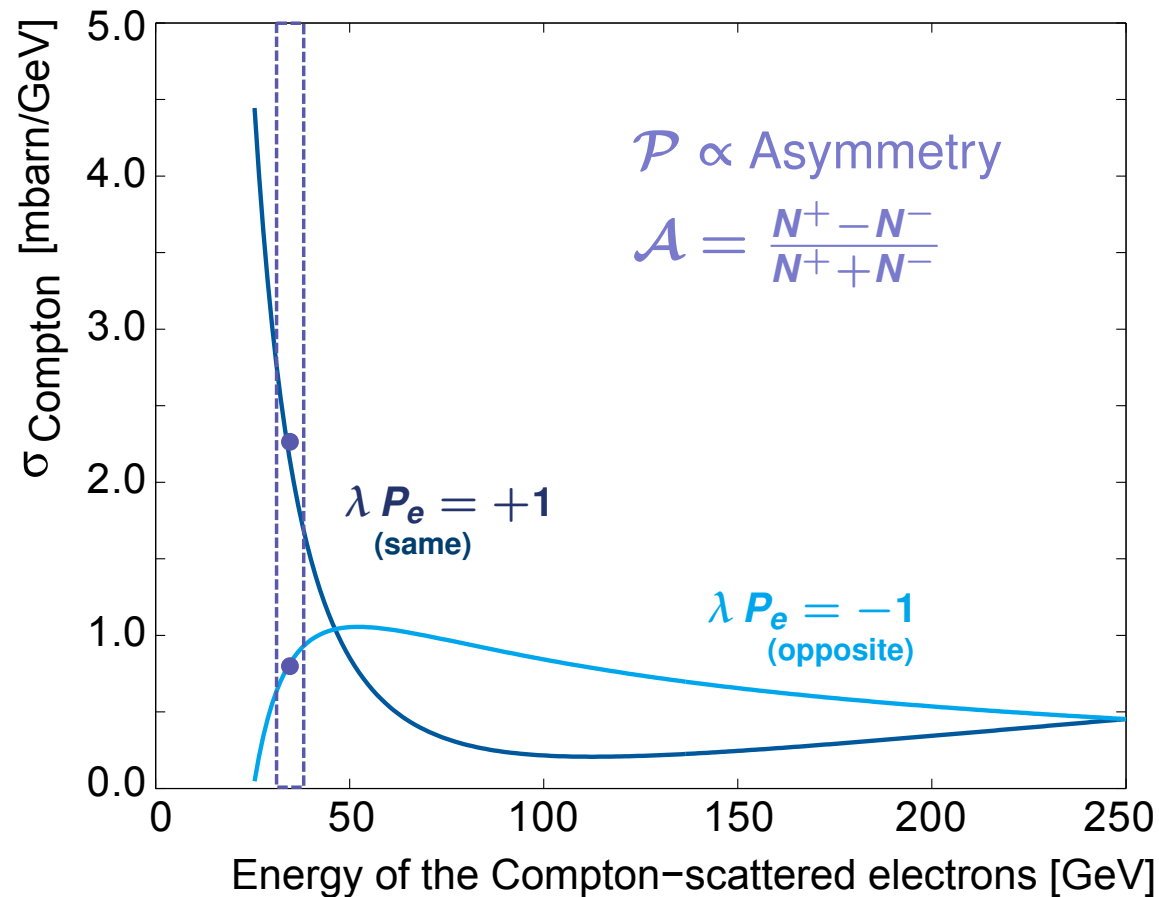
Measurement principle (1)

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Measurement principle (2).

Magnetic Chicane...

- transforms energy spectrum into spatial distribution
- behind chicane: ~ 20 cm wide
- detect Compton electrons over this area

Detector requirements:

- Total ionising dose up to 100 Mrad / year
- read out signals of 1000-2000 Compton electrons (25-250 GeV) **every** bunch crossing
- either very linear response or “counting” electrons
- alignment to ~ 100 μm and ~ 1 mrad
- suppression of background from low energetic particles

Detector Options.

Simple, robust, fast: Cherenkov detectors

- Cherenkov light emission proportional to number of electrons
- independent of electron energy (once relativistic)
- successfully used in best polarimeter sofar at SLC
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Goal: total uncertainty $\Delta P/P \approx 0.25\%$, of which

- laser: 0.1 %
- analysing power (i.e. asymmetry at $\mathcal{P} = 1$): 0.2 %
⇒ Cherenkov detector design
- detector linearity: 0.1 % ⇒ photodetector calibration

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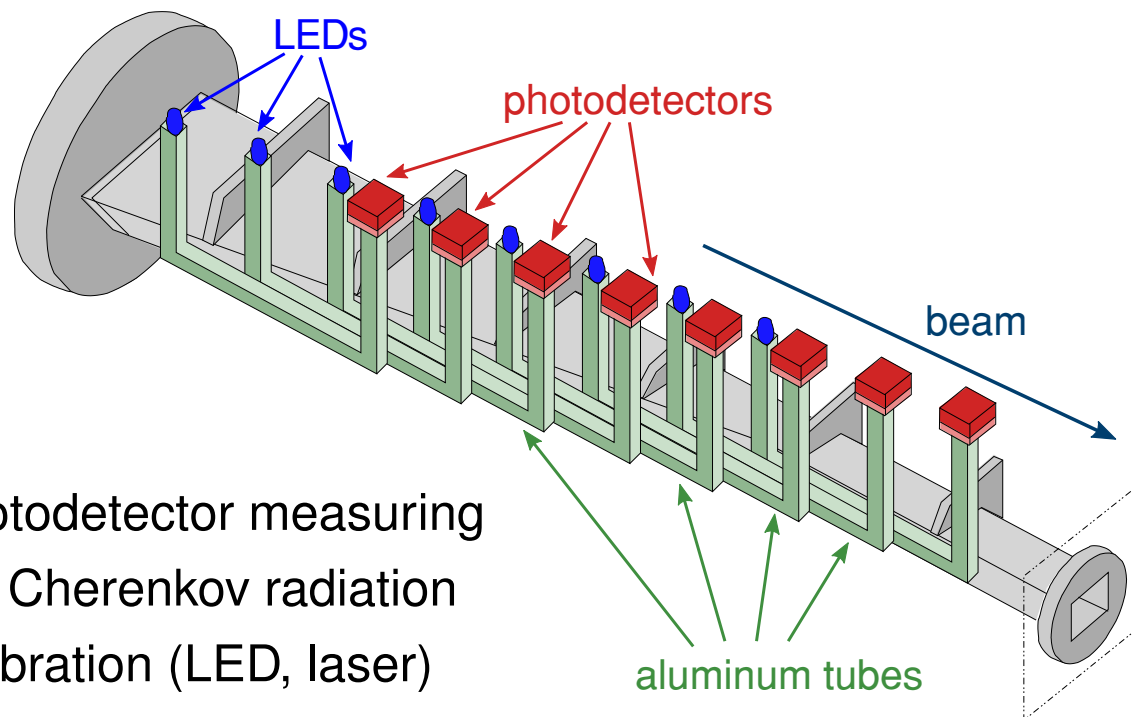
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Gas Cherenkov detector.



- **hind U-leg:** photodetector measuring the Cherenkov radiation
- **front U-leg:** calibration (LED, laser)

Alignment: locate Compton edge in the spectrometer

Segmented photodetectors: Tilt alignments via asymmetries

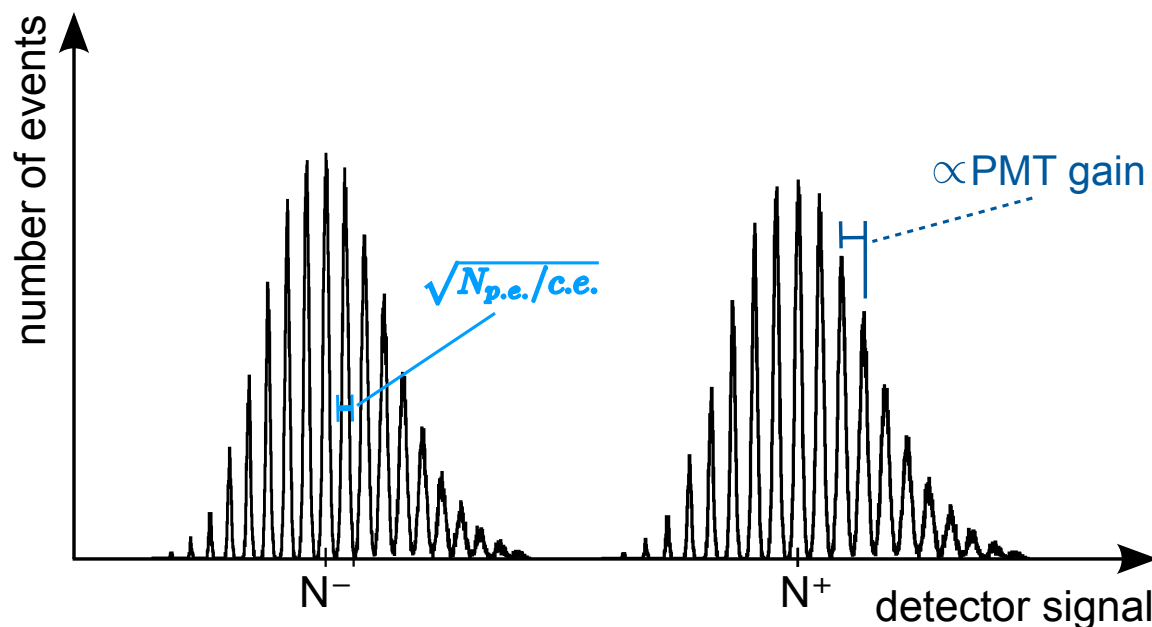
2-channel prototype tested at ELSA [JINST 7, P01019 (2012)]

⇒ tilt alignment of 0.1° , nearly fulfils alignment requirements

Quartz Cherenkov detector.

Alternative detector concept: quartz detector

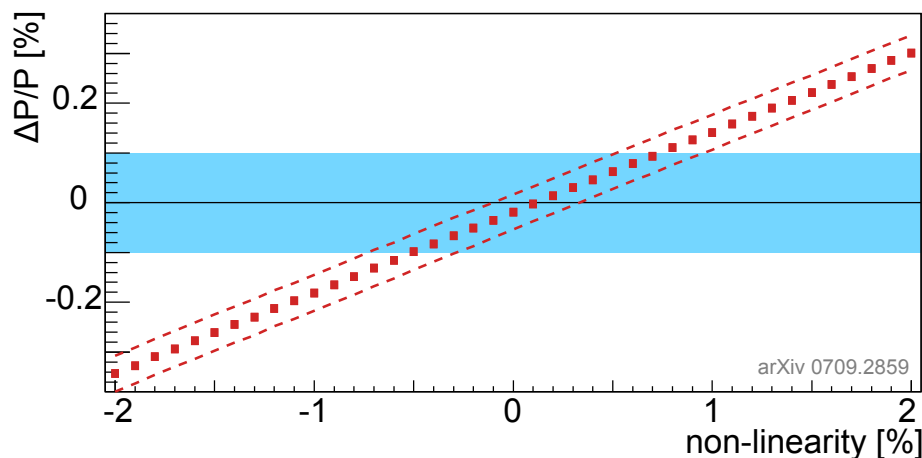
- Higher refractive index \rightarrow higher photon yield
- For enough photons per Compton e^- :
 \rightarrow calibrate gain directly from the data



4-channel prototype operated at DESY II testbeam this year.

Calibration of detector non-linearity.

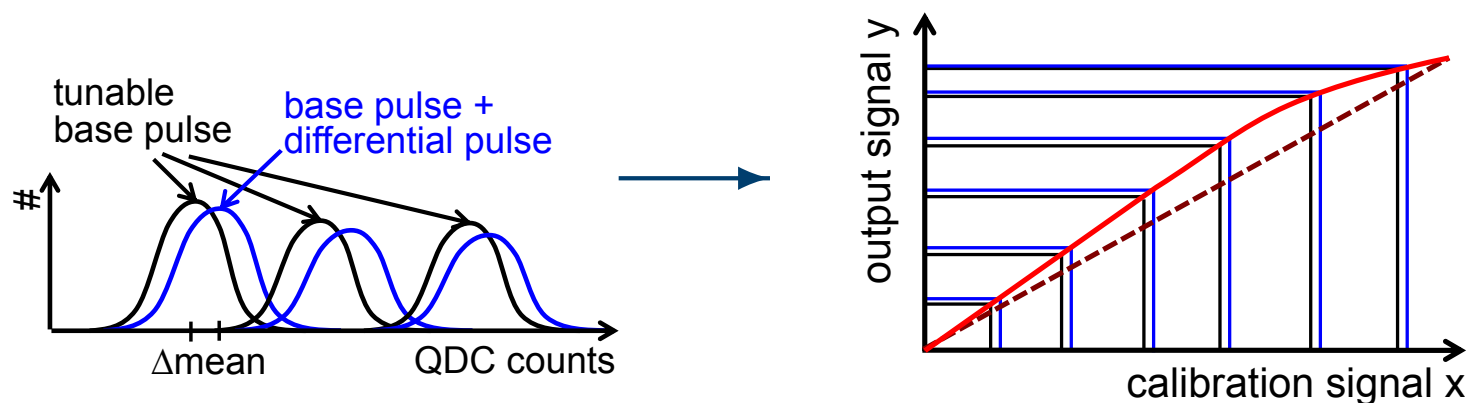
Goal: contribution to overall uncertainty $< 0.1\%$



PMTs have to be calibrated to non-linearity $< 0.5\%$.

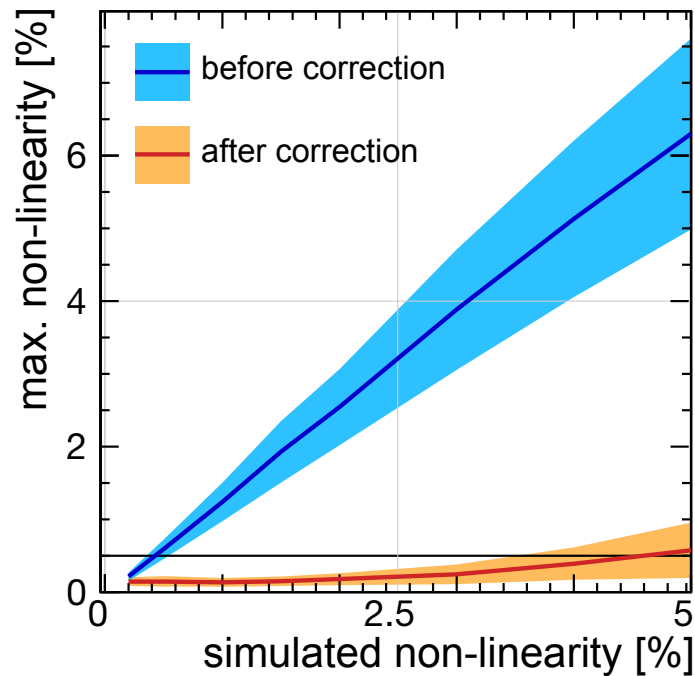
$\mathcal{P} \propto \frac{N^+ - N^-}{N^+ + N^-}$: no absolute calibration needed.

→ Differential calibration method using two LEDs:



Test of non-linearity correction.

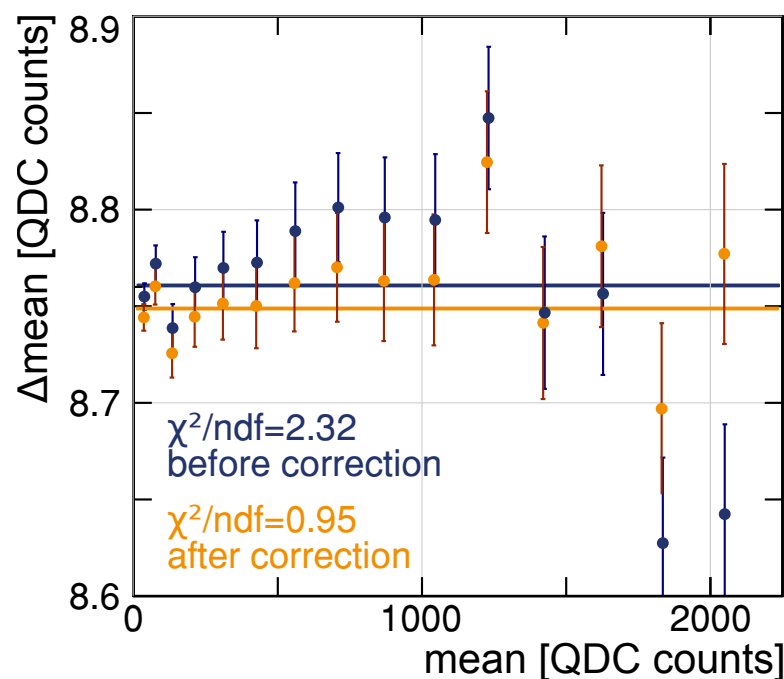
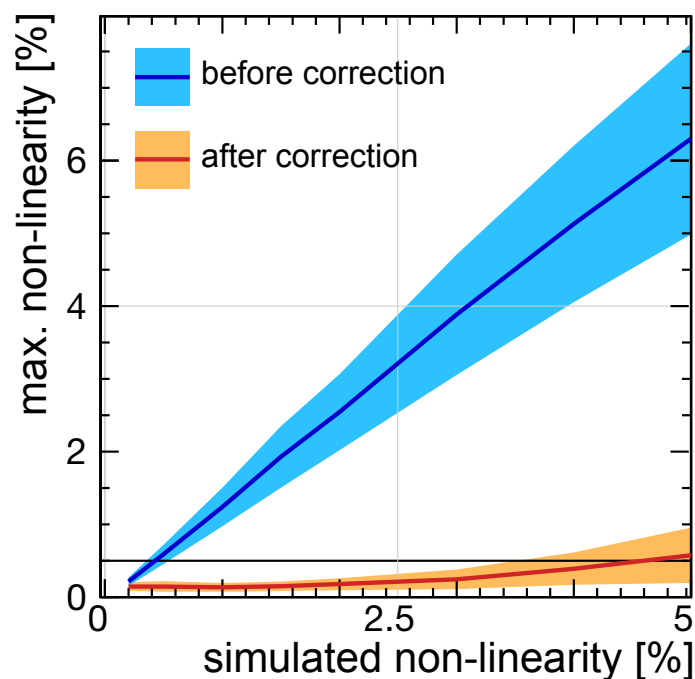
Simulations: Corrections of non-linearities up to 4 % possible.



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Applied method to one of the photodetectors used in testbeam:



⇒ Reached non-linearity $< 0.2\%$ in the expected dynamic range, in single polarimeter channels even smaller.

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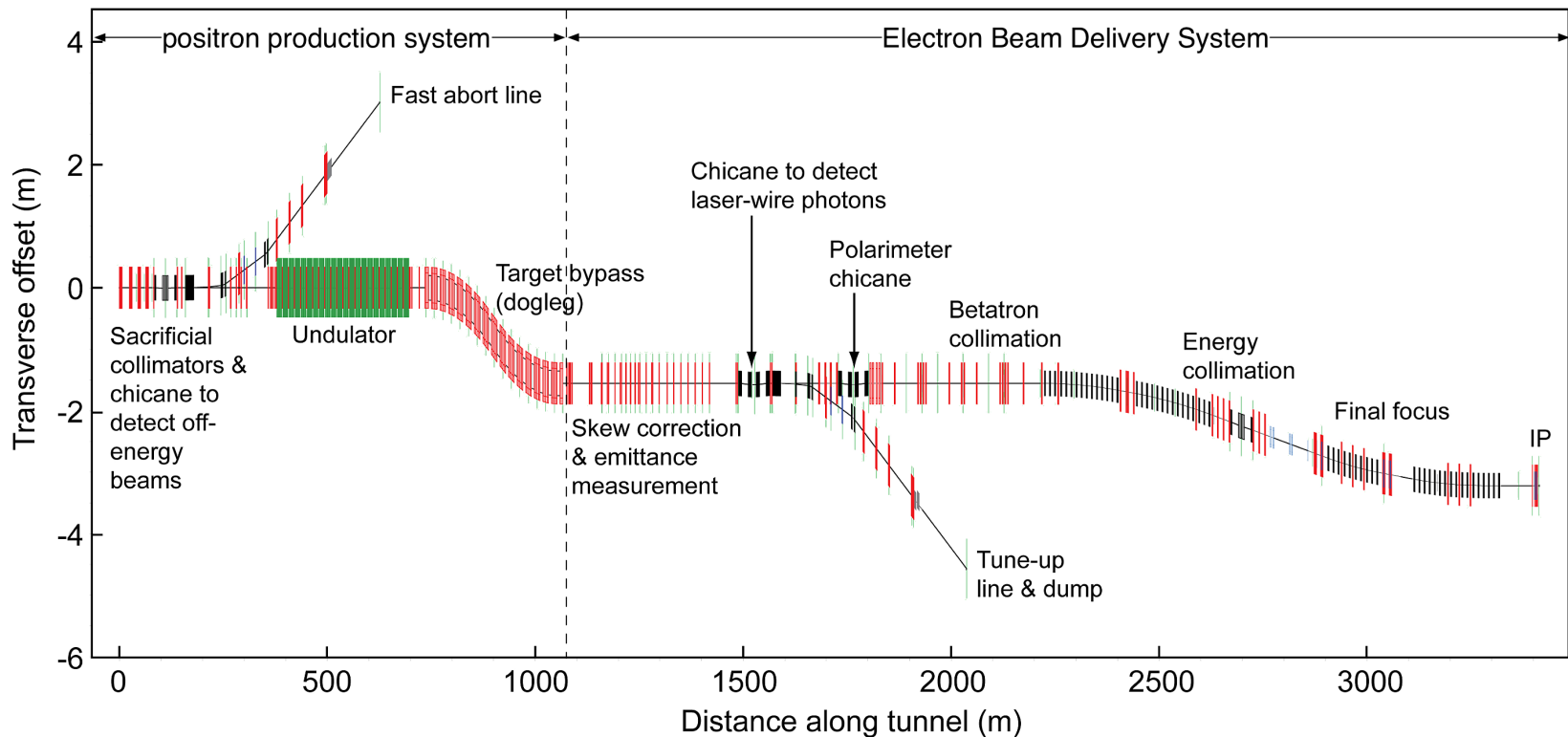
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Spin Tracking along the BDS.

The Beam Delivery System in the TDR

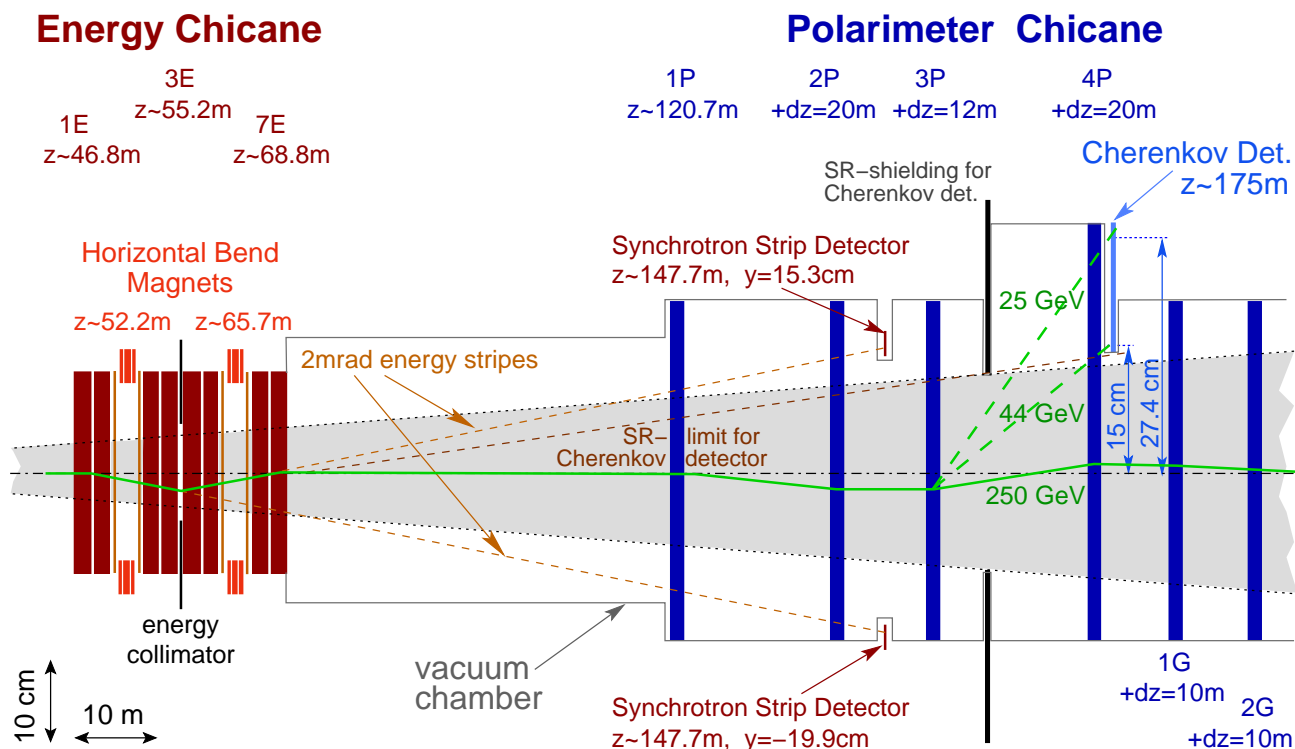
- upstream polarimeter separated from emittance measurement
- behind the tune-up dump extraction line



Extraction Line.

Downstream Polarimeter

- located at secondary focus
- 6-magnet chicane kicks Compton e^\pm out of synchrotron fan



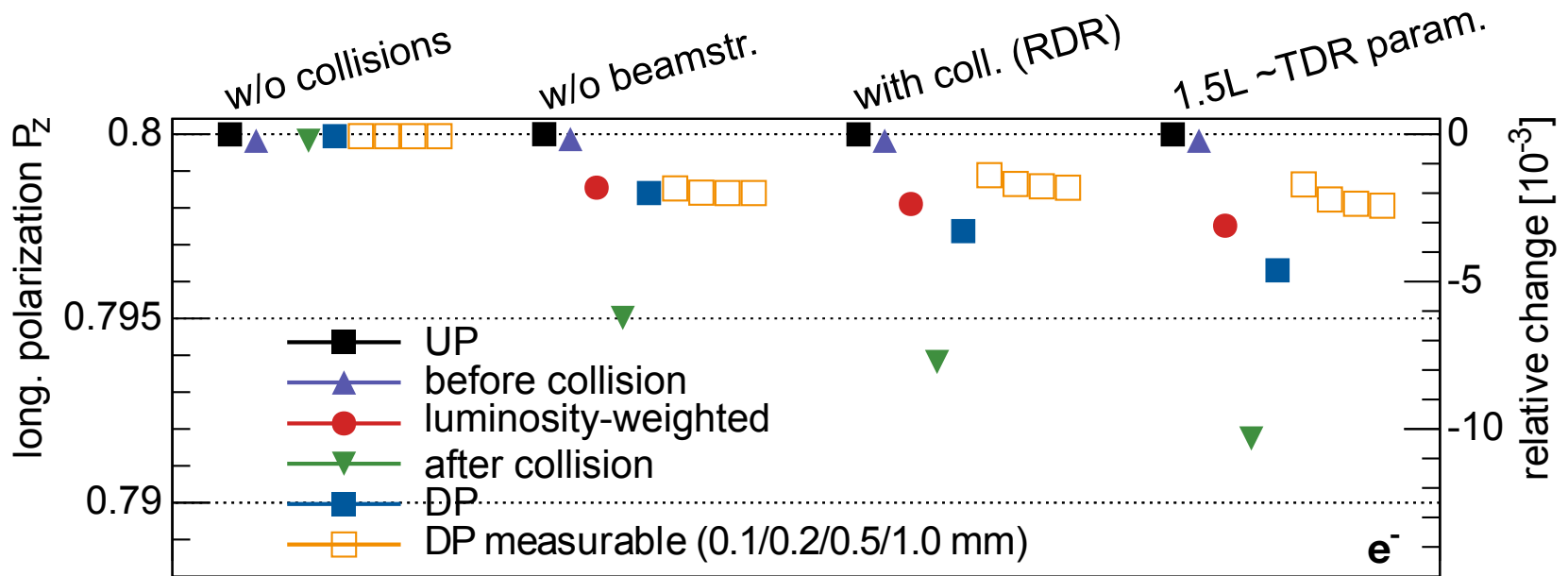
Cross-calibration of Polarimeters.

Without Collisions:

predict value at downstream location from upstream measurement

	effect on $P [10^{-3}]$
Beam and detector alignment at polarimeters ($\Delta\theta_{bunch} = 50 \mu\text{rad}$, $\Delta\theta_{pol} = 25 \mu\text{rad}$)	0.72
Variation in emittances	0.03
Crabbing	< 0.01
Detector magnets	0.01
Emission of synchrotron rad.	0.005
random misalignments (10 μm)	0.43
Total	0.85

Collision Effects.



- Without beamstrahlung: extraction line optics retrieves $\langle P \rangle_{IP}$ at downstream polarimeter
- With increasing beamstrahlung (energy loss!): difference to $\langle P \rangle_{IP}$ increases to few permille
- Effect doubles from RDR \rightarrow TDR parameters

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Conclusions.

Per mille-level precision on lumi-weighted average polarisation at IP required by physics, needs combination of

- scale calibration from $e^+ e^-$ collision data
- upstream (UP) and downstream (DP) polarimeters
 - **UP**: time resolution
 - **DP**: collision effects
 - **combined**: cross-check, lumi-weighted polarisation @ IP
- spin tracking and understanding of collision effects

Compton Polarimeters:

- beam-detector alignment & detector linearity crucial
- R&D well underway
- cross-calibration without collisions: $\sim 0.1\%$ from alignment
 - esp. orbit and spin at UP and DP locations (2 km apart)



Next Steps.

Polarisation from collision data:

- systematic evaluation of various approaches → combination?

Luminosity-weighted average polarisation:

- collision effects with TDR beam parameters and lattice
- how to combine polarimeter measurements, luminosity measurement and collision data?

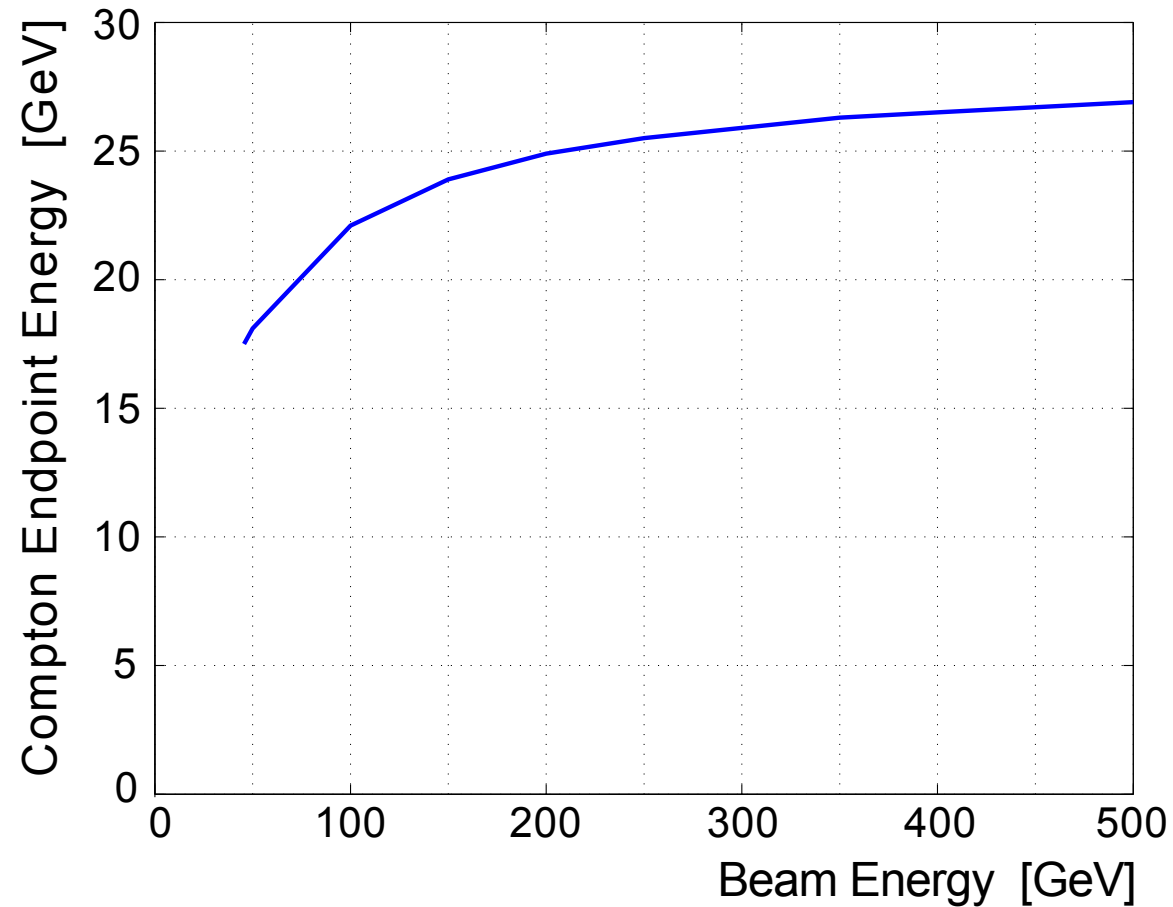
Realisation:

- site specific misalignments, ground motion etc
- revisit laser systems (site specific, new laser technologies...)
- design chicane magnets and vacuum chamber (wide!)
- detectors: prototypes → full-scale, DAQ, ...

Backup Slides .

Compton edge.

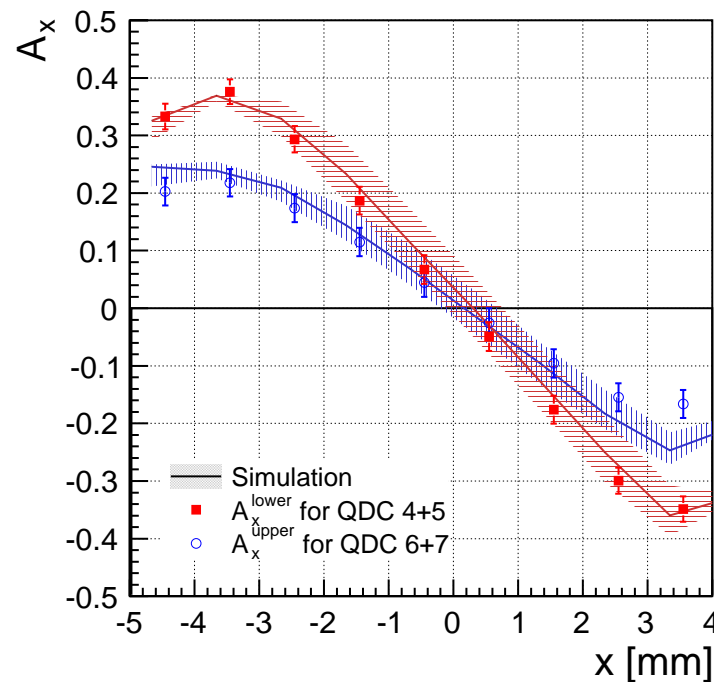
Compton edge position nearly independent of beam energy



Gas Cherenkov detector: Alignment.

If the detector is tilted

- beam path through the detector varies \Rightarrow different light path
- different light pattern on the photocathode
 \Rightarrow alignment via spatial assymetries possible:

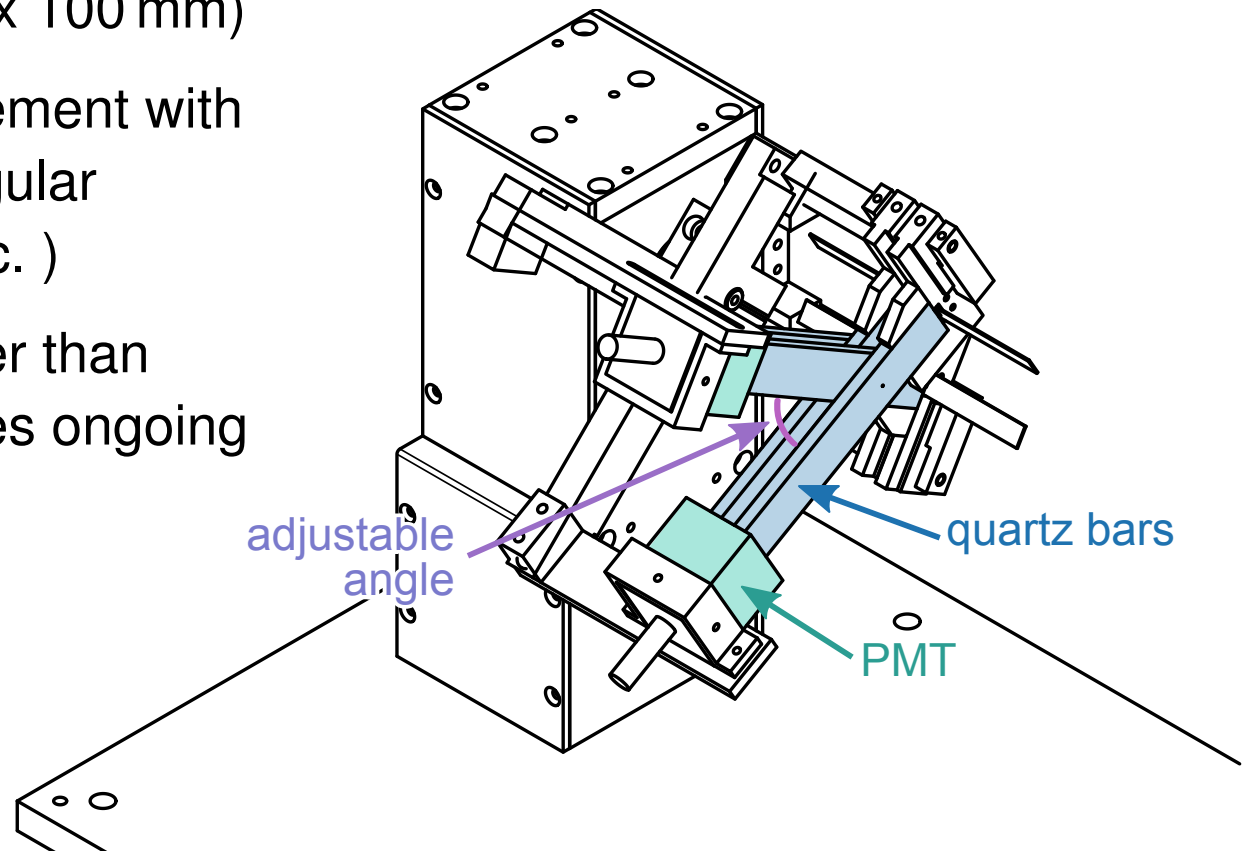


\Rightarrow Reached a tilt alignment of 0.1° . [JINST 7, P01019 (2012)]

Quartz Cherenkov detector prototype.

4-channel prototype operated at DESY II testbeam this year

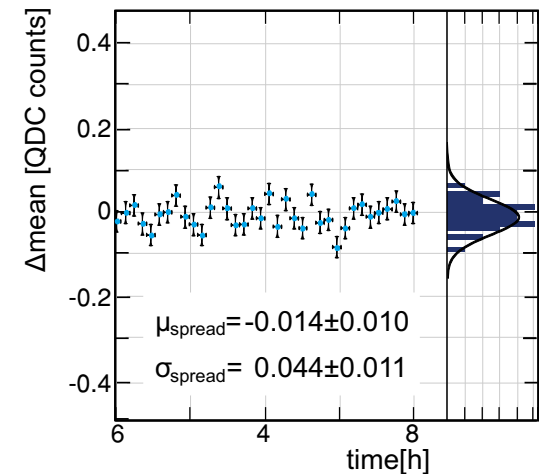
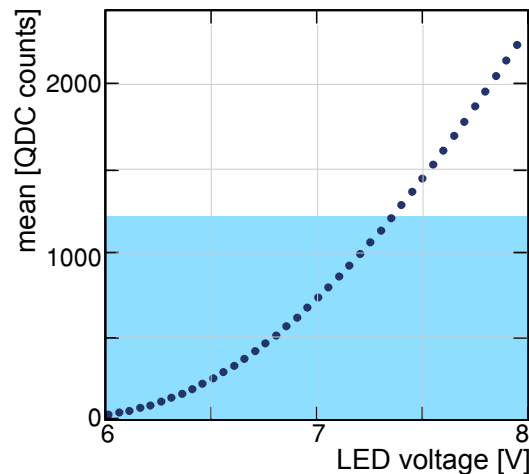
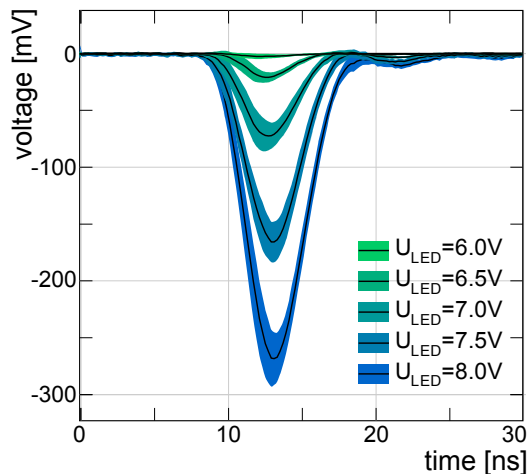
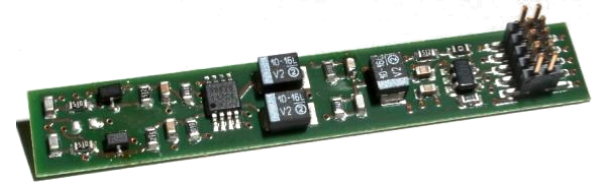
- ▶ channels: quartz bars (5 mm x 18 mm x 100 mm)
- ▶ qualitative agreement with simulations (angular dependence, etc.)
- ▶ light yield smaller than predicted, studies ongoing



Calibration source requirements.

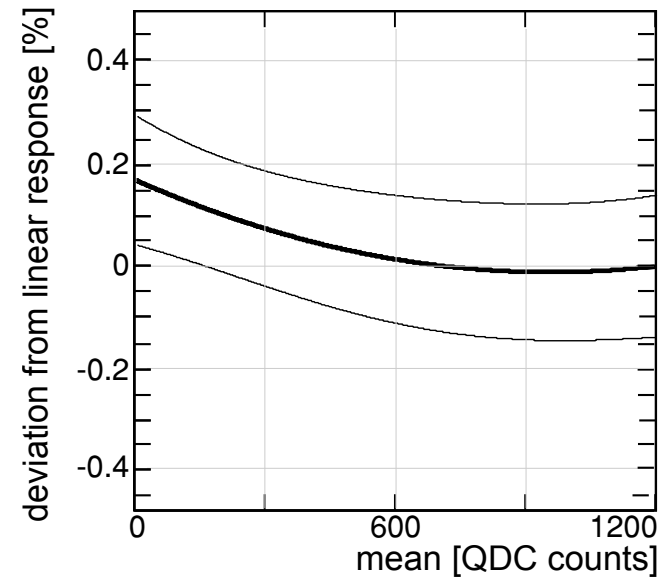
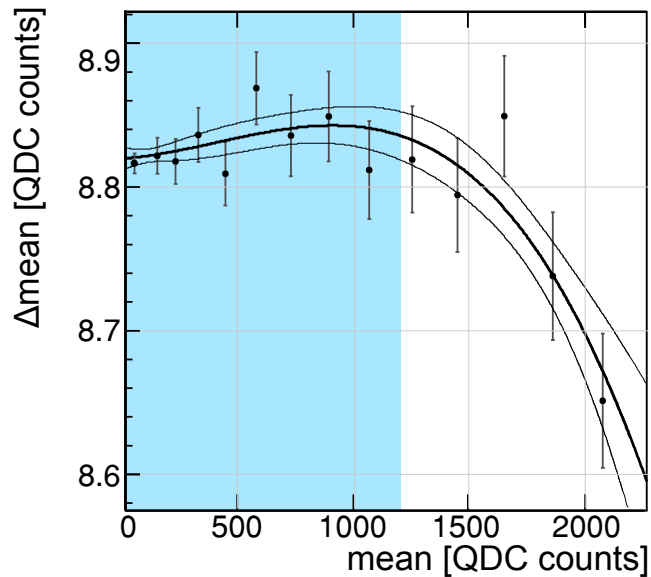
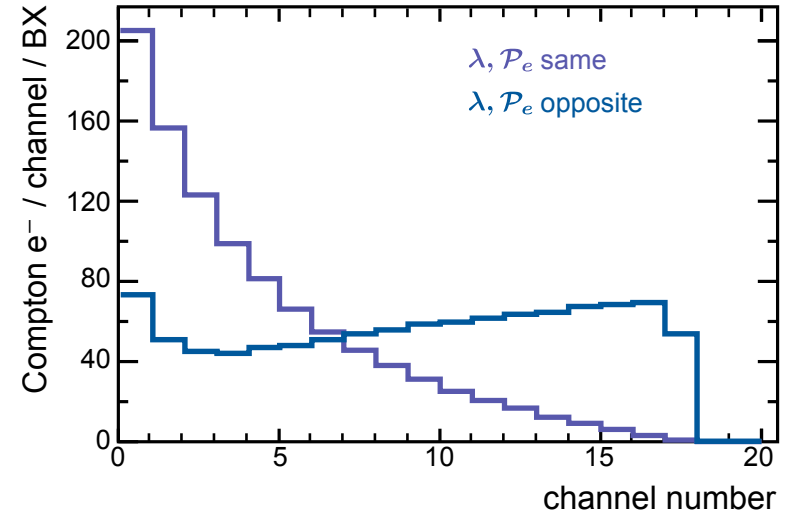
Requirements on the LED driver:

- wave length in UV range ($\lambda = 405 \text{ nm}$)
- applicable in detector design \rightarrow small
- short light pulses ($< 10 \text{ ns}$)
- coverage of the whole dynamic range of the expected signal
- reproducible and stable light pulses



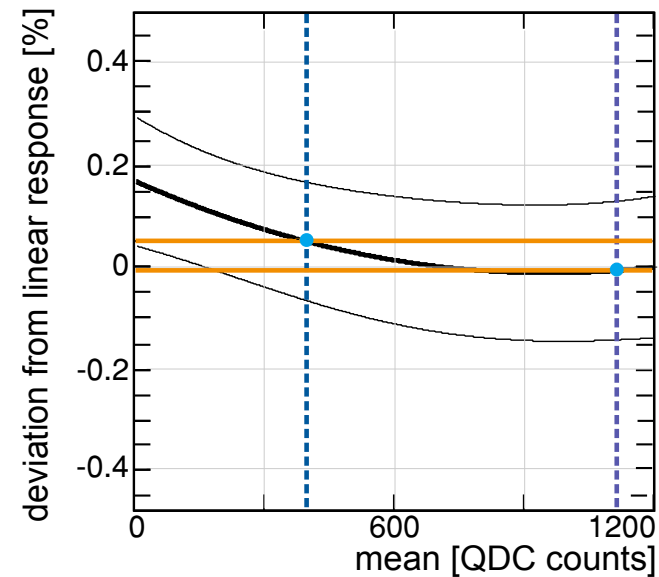
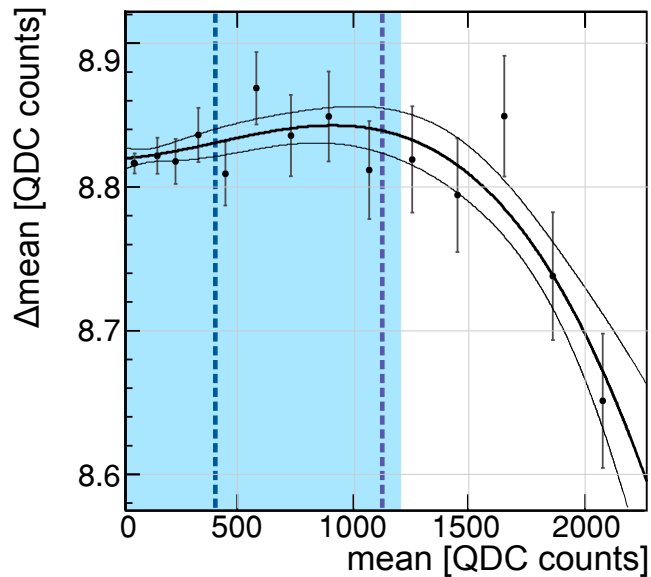
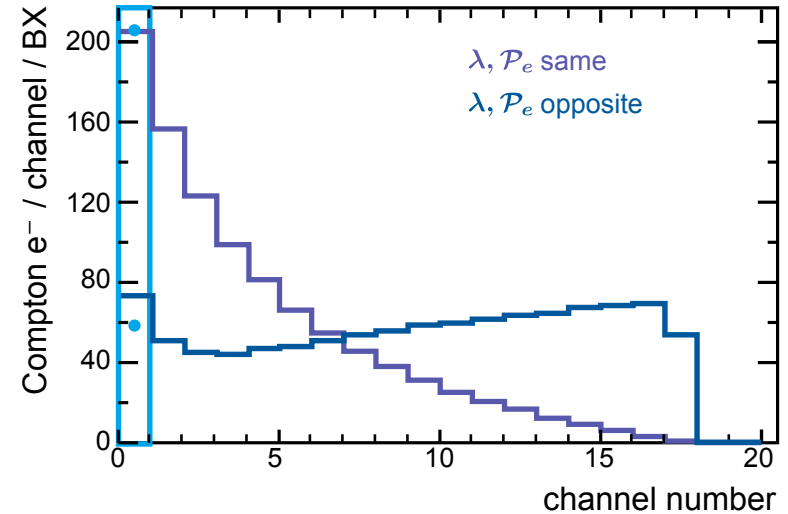
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- up to 210 Compton e^- (~ 1200 QDC counts)
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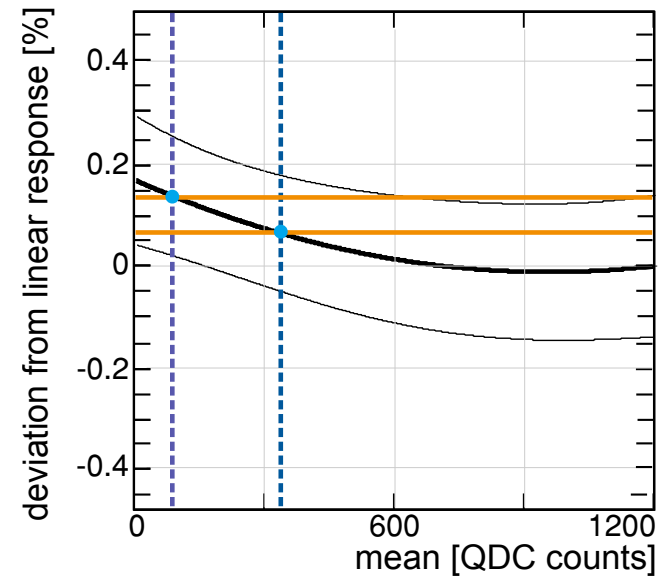
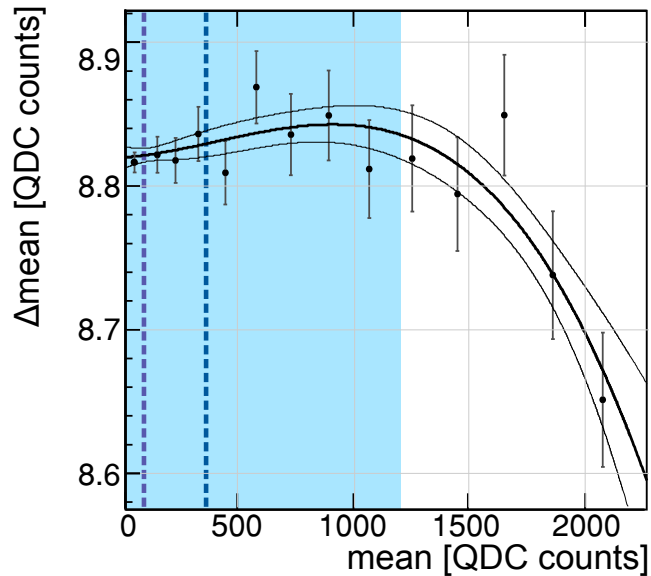
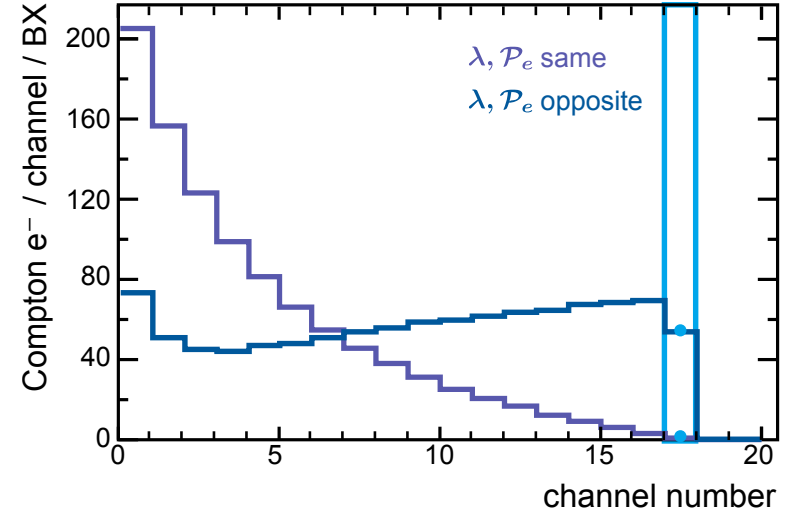
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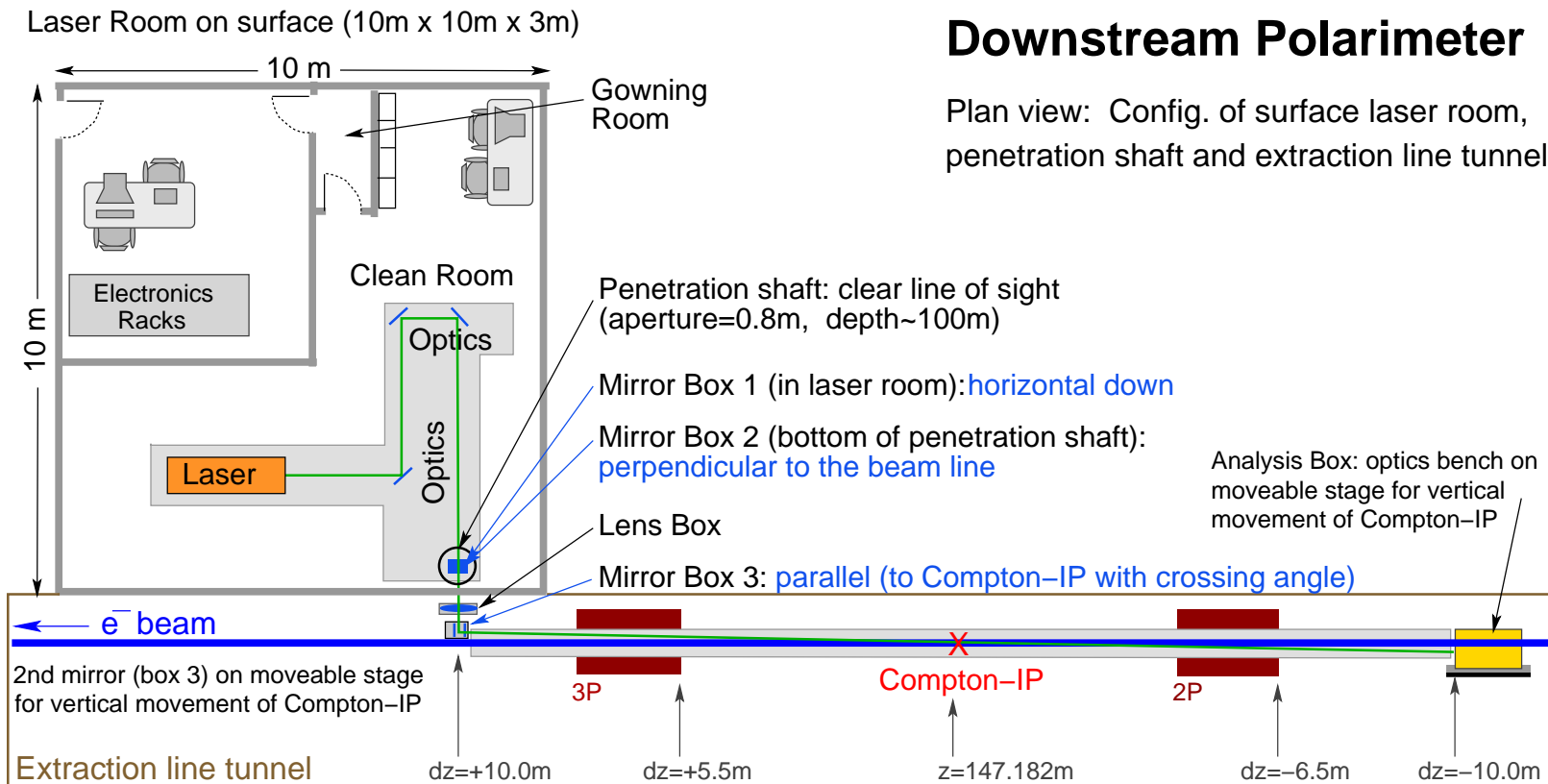


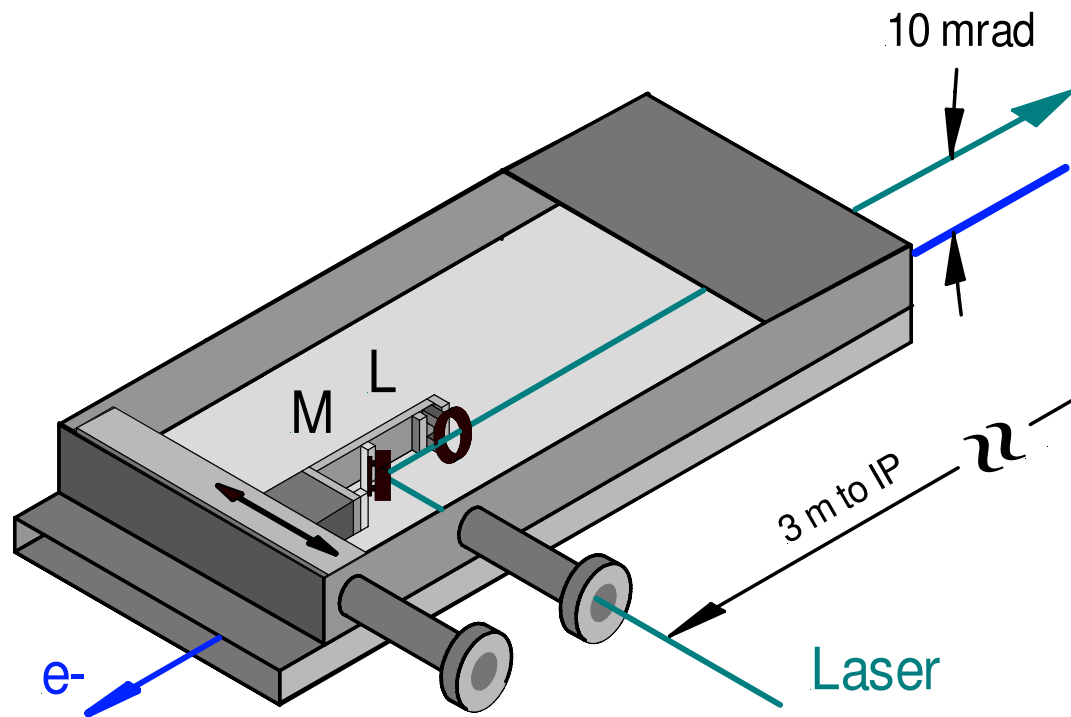
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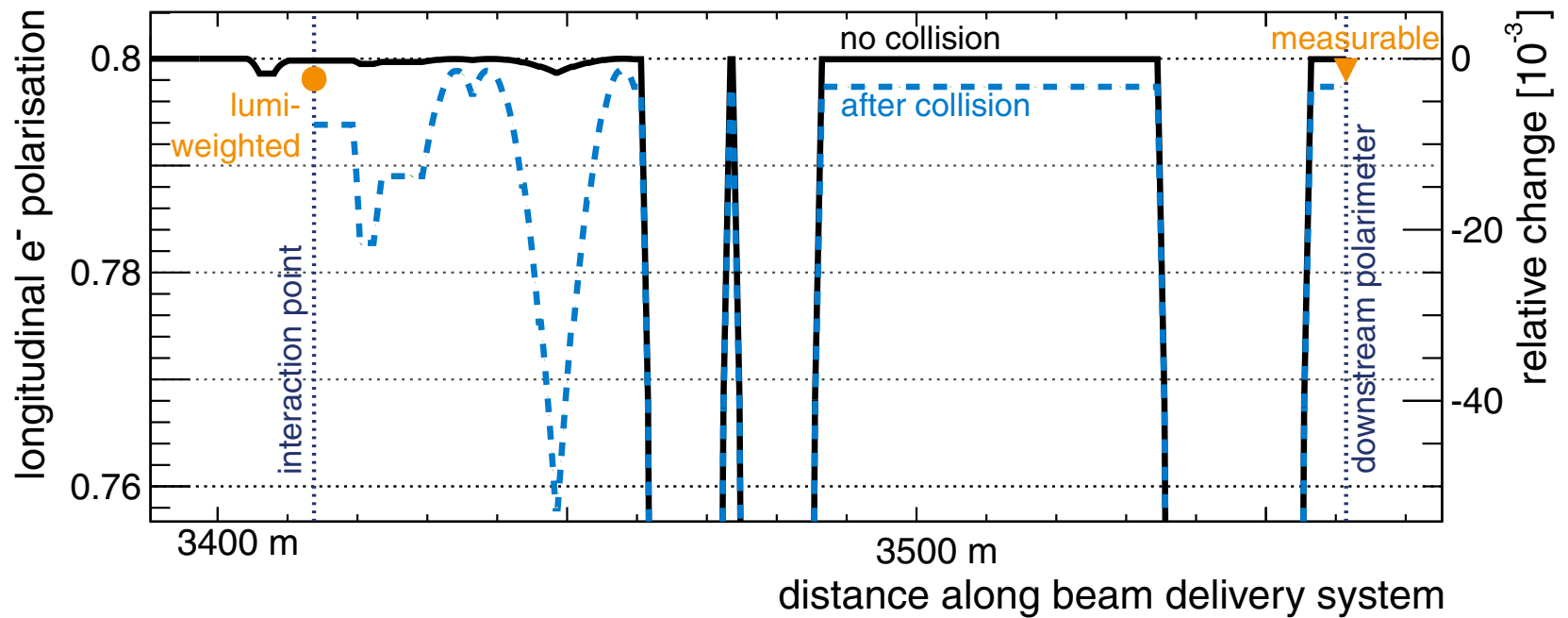
Laser Room.



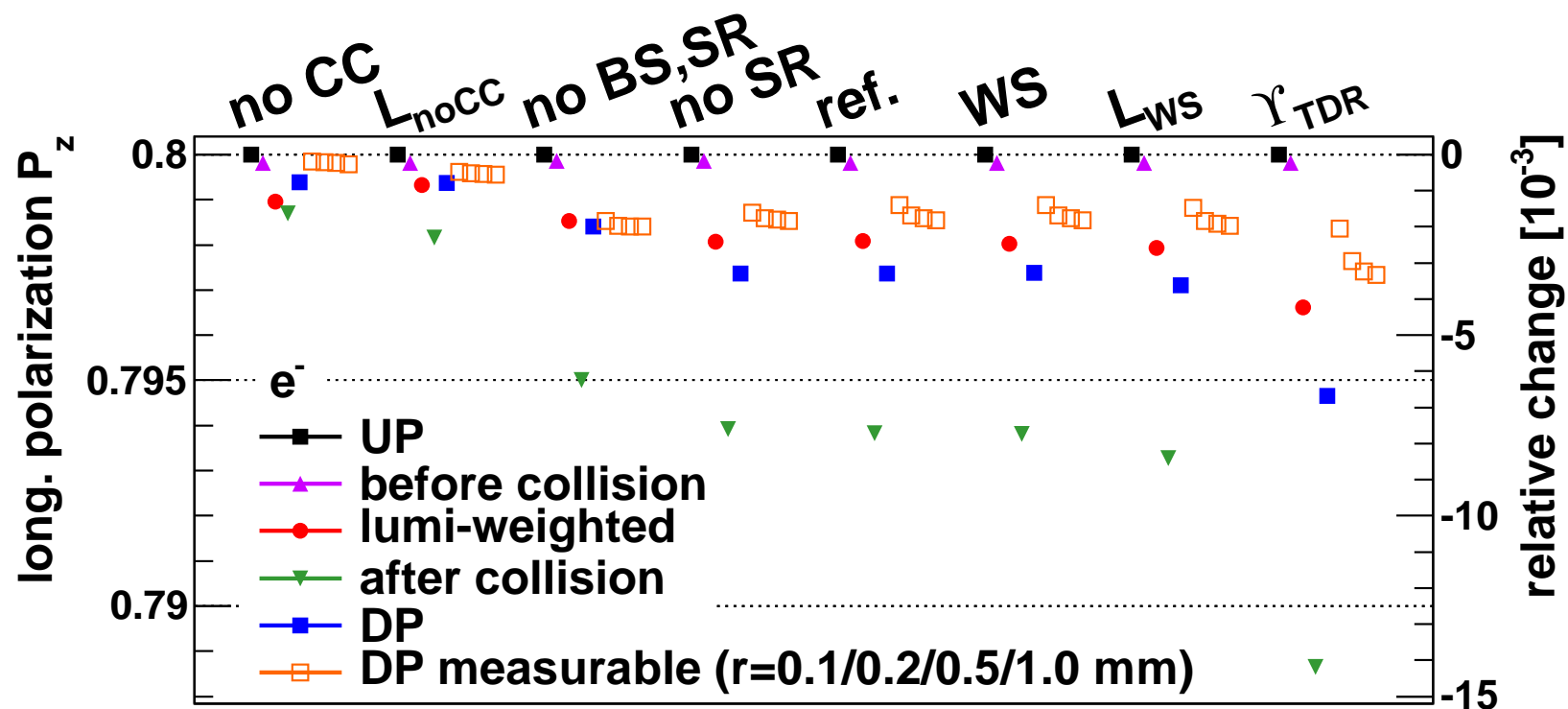


Movable Laser Beam

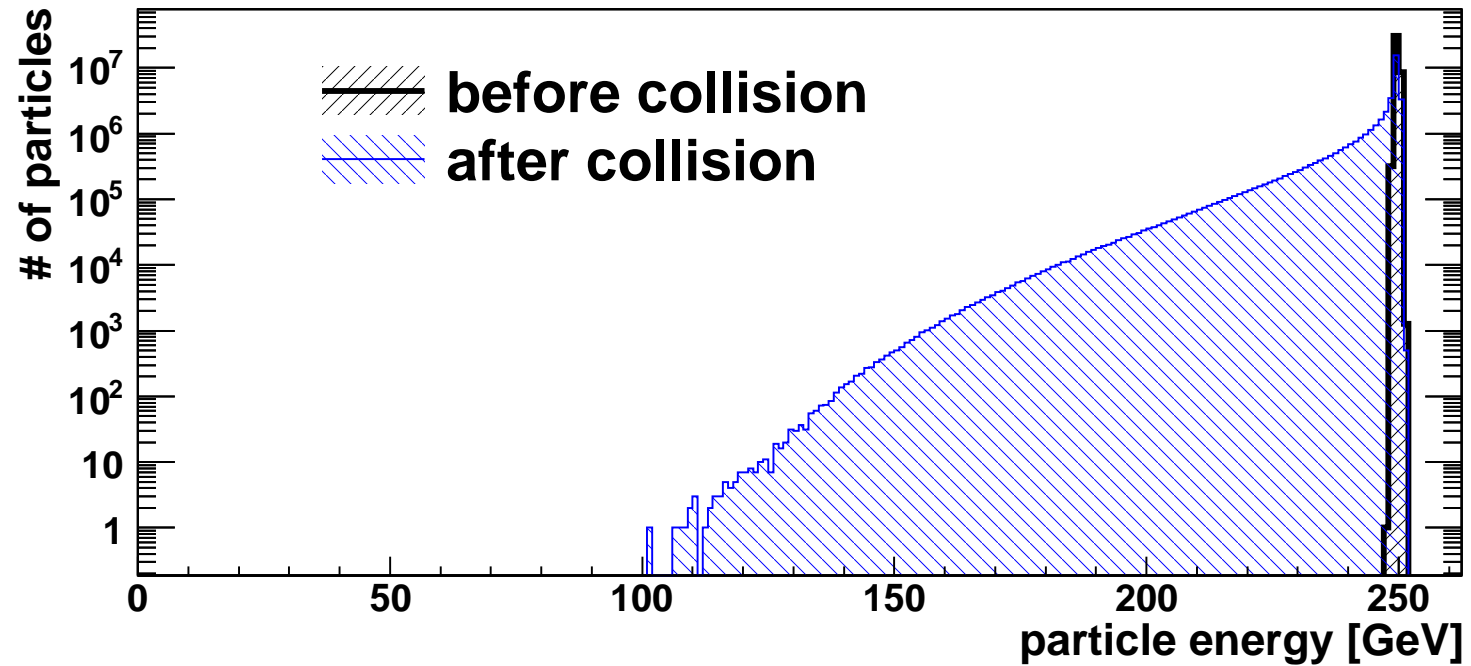
Spin transport.



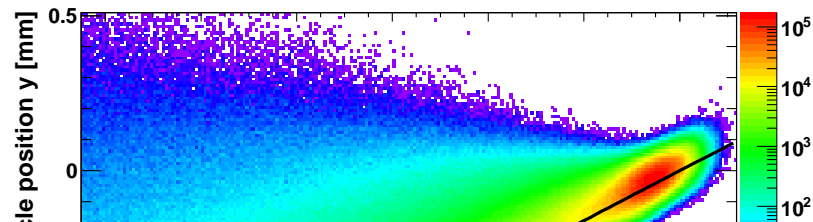
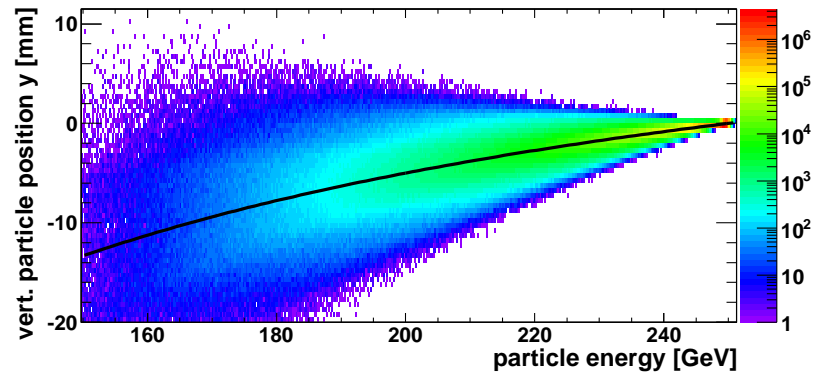
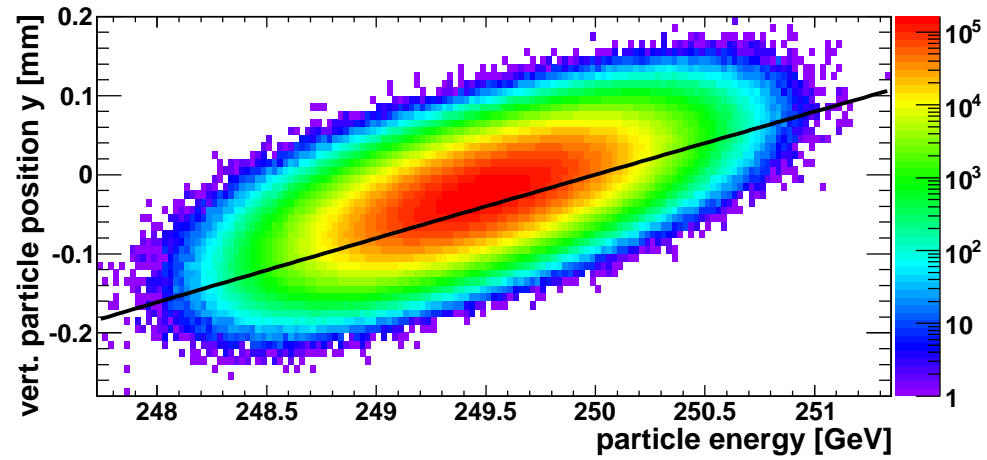
Spin tracking (more).



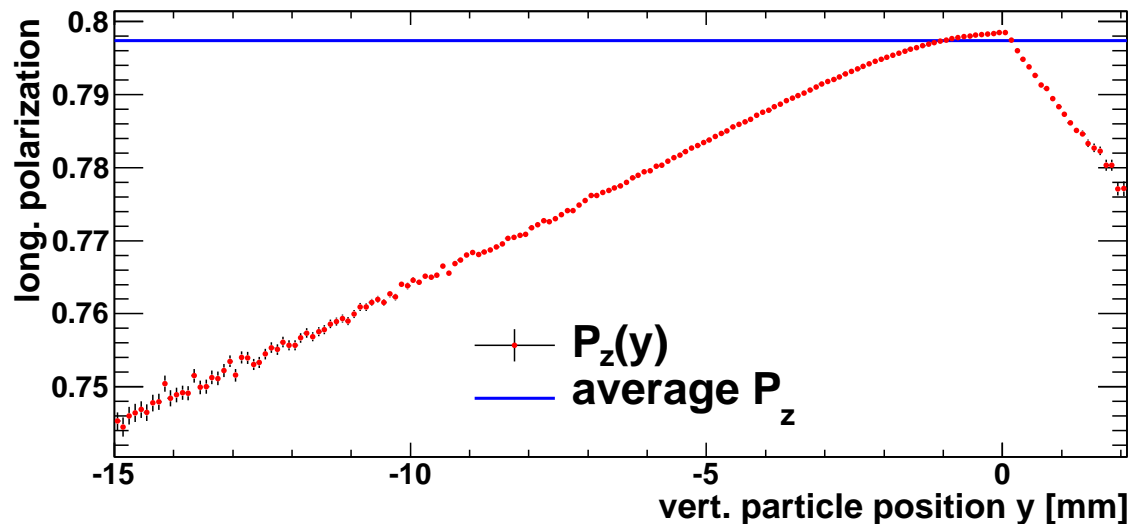
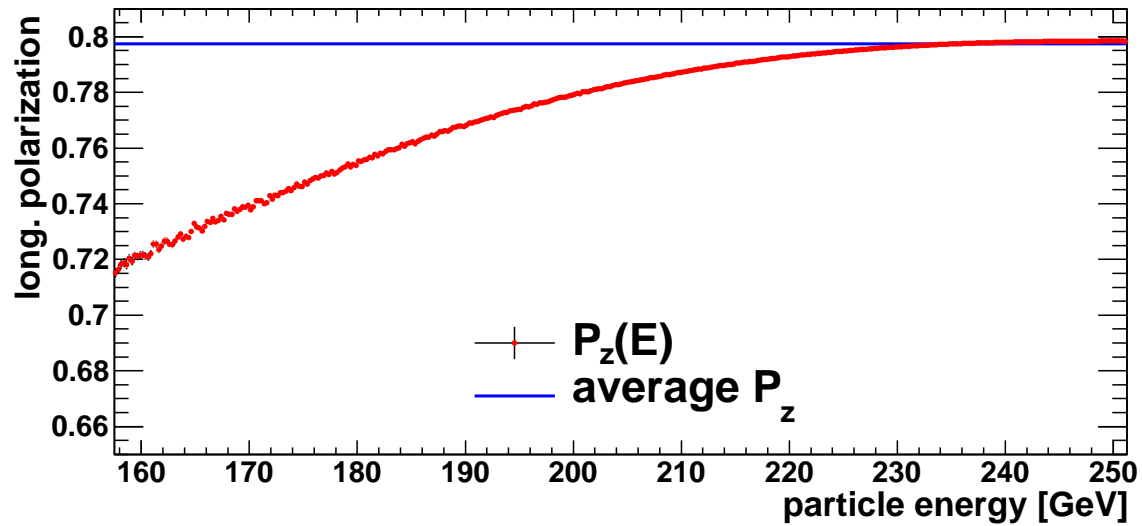
Beam Energy Spectrum After Collision.



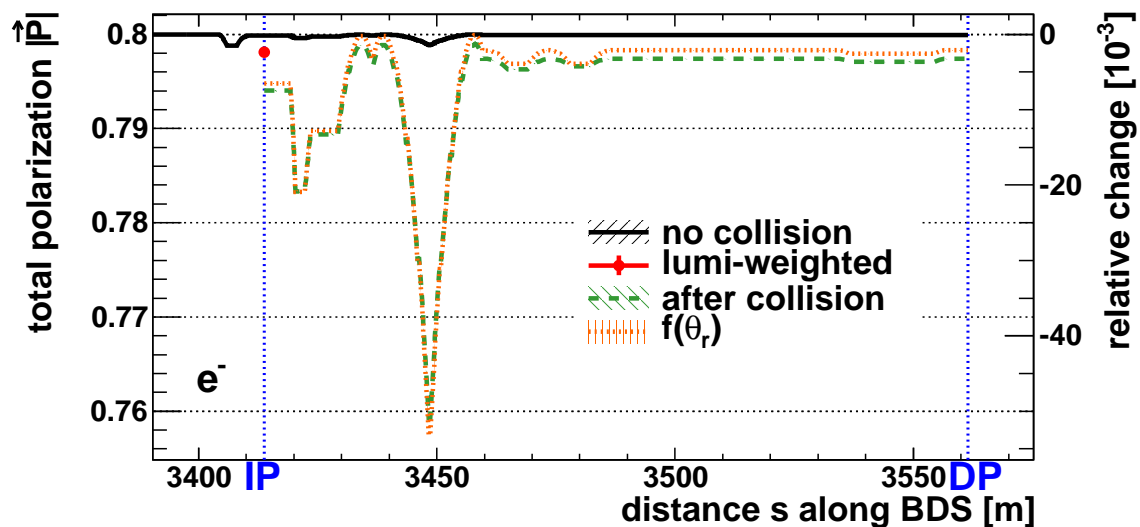
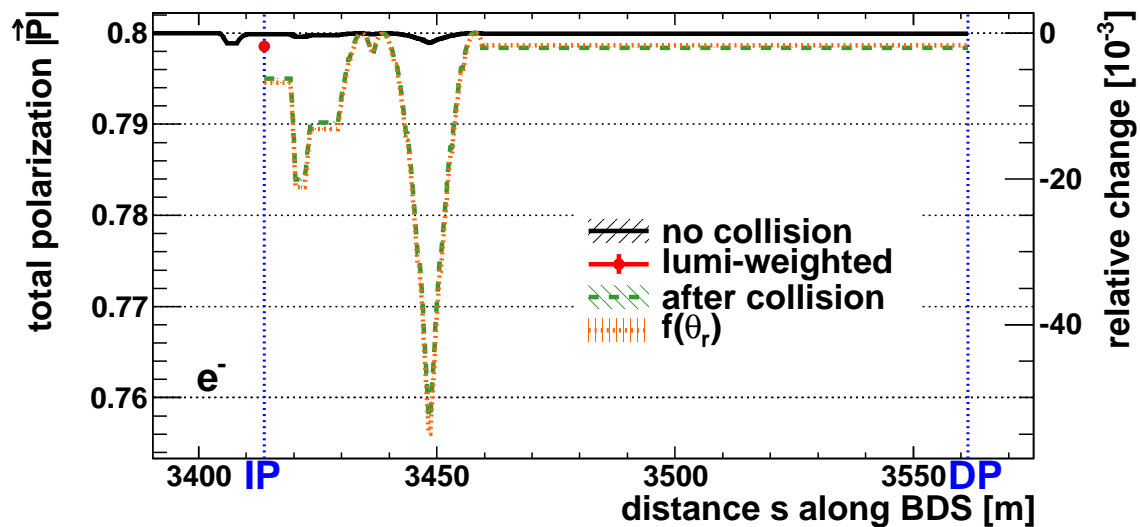
Downstream Polarimeter: y vs E .



Downstream Polarimeter: P_z vs E , P_z vs y .



Total Polarisation IP \rightarrow DP



Polarised Cross-sections.

$$\sigma_{P_{e^-} P_{e^+}} = \frac{1}{4} \left\{ \begin{aligned} &(1 + P_{e^-})(1 + P_{e^+})\sigma_{RR} + (1 - P_{e^-})(1 - P_{e^+})\sigma_{LL} \\ &+ (1 + P_{e^-})(1 - P_{e^+})\sigma_{RL} + (1 - P_{e^-})(1 + P_{e^+})\sigma_{LR} \end{aligned} \right\}$$

processes with s-channel Z/γ exchange only:

- $\sigma_{RR} = \sigma_{LL} = 0$
- $4\sigma_{P_{e^-} P_{e^+}} = (1 - P_{e^-} P_{e^+})(\sigma_{LR} + \sigma_{RL})[1 - P_{\text{eff}}^- A_{LR}]$
- with $P_{\text{eff}}^- = 1 - \frac{P_{e^-} - P_{e^+}}{1 - P_{e^-} P_{e^+}}$ and $A_{LR} = \frac{\sigma_{LR} - \sigma_{RL}}{\sigma_{LR} + \sigma_{RL}}$

general case:

- $\sigma_{RR} \neq \sigma_{LL} \neq 0$
- $4\sigma_{P_{e^-} P_{e^+}} = (1 + P_{e^-} P_{e^+})(\sigma_{LL} + \sigma_{RR})[1 + P_{\text{eff}}^+ A_{LLRR}] + \text{above}$
- with $P_{\text{eff}}^+ = 1 + \frac{P_{e^-} + P_{e^+}}{1 + P_{e^-} P_{e^+}}$ and $A_{LLRR} = \frac{\sigma_{LL} - \sigma_{RR}}{\sigma_{LL} + \sigma_{RR}}$

Polarisation Averages.

Absolute cross-section measurements require:

- $\langle P_{e^\pm} \rangle_{IP} = \frac{\int P_{e^\pm}(t) \mathcal{L}(t) dt}{\int \mathcal{L}(t) dt}$
- $\langle P_{e^-} P_{e^+} \rangle_{IP} = \frac{\int P_{e^-}(t) P_{e^+}(t) \mathcal{L}(t) dt}{\int \mathcal{L}(t) dt}$
- correlations between lumi and polarisation?!

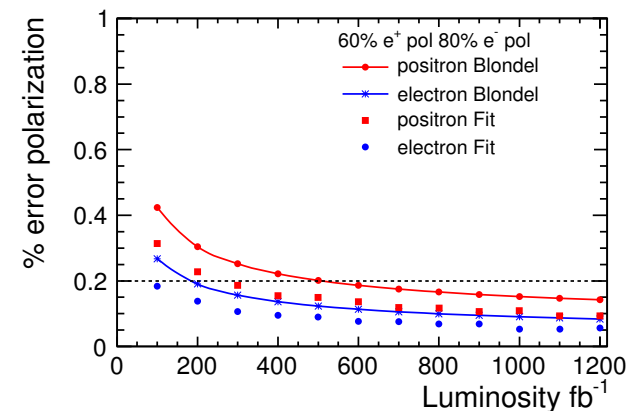
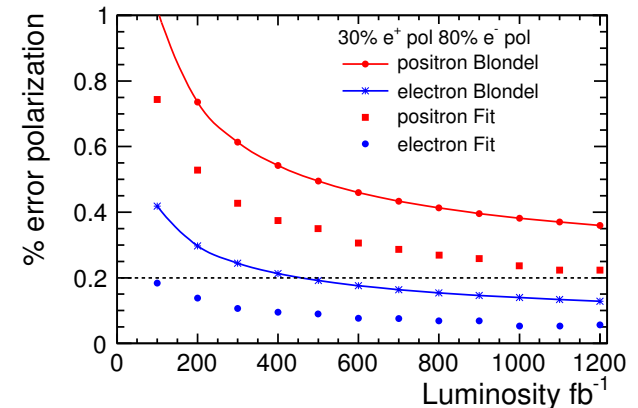
Direct extraction from collision data

- any abundant, well-known, polarisation dependent process:
- $\langle | P_{e^\pm} | \rangle_{IP} = \sqrt{\frac{(\sigma_{-+} + \sigma_{+-} - \sigma_{--} - \sigma_{++})(\pm\sigma_{-+} \mp \sigma_{+-} + \sigma_{--} - \sigma_{++})}{(\sigma_{-+} + \sigma_{+-} + \sigma_{--} + \sigma_{++})(\pm\sigma_{-+} \mp \sigma_{+-} - \sigma_{--} + \sigma_{++})}}$
- σ_{+-} is total cross-section for $P(e^-, e^+) = (+x\%, -y\%)$, etc.
- assumes $P_+(e^-) = -P_-(e^-)$ and $P_+(e^+) = -P_-(e^+)$

Polarisation Average from Collision Data.

Methods studied sofar

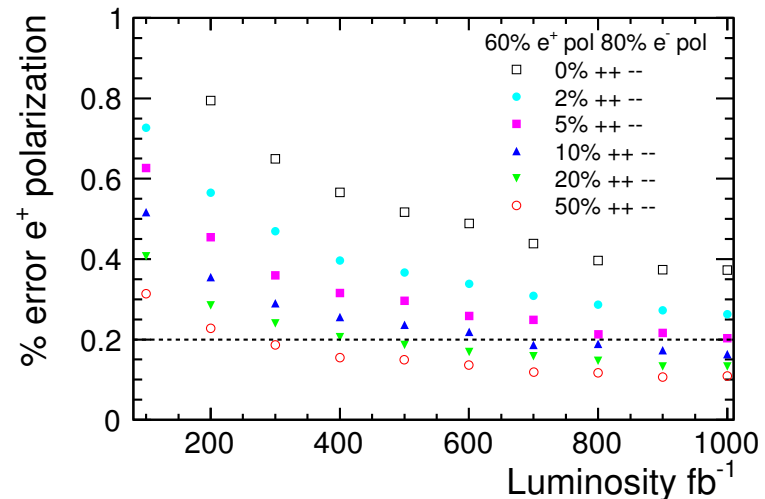
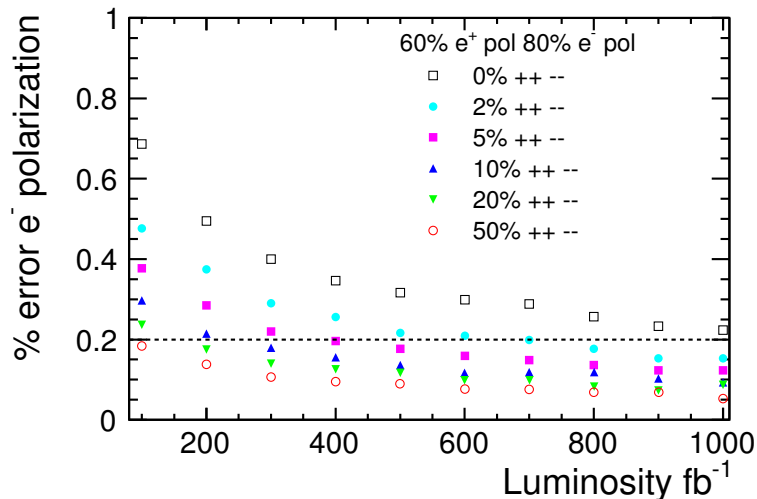
- **total** cross-sections:
 - **WW at 500 GeV** and 1 TeV (ILD, full sim)
 - single *W* etc at 3 TeV (CLIC, cross-section level)
- **single-differential** cross-sections:
 - **WW at 500 GeV** and 1 TeV (ILD, full sim)
- **double-differential** cross-sections:
 - **WW at 1 TeV** (SiD, full sim)



Luminosity Sharing.

How much running time needed for $++$ and $--$?

- like-sign combinations less interesting for SM physics
- 10% to 20% like-sign lumi rather close to optimum (50%)
- even 2% halves already total lumi needed for 0.2% precision



Unequal Polarizations.

What happens if $P_+(e^-) \neq -P_-(e^-)$ and $P_+(e^+) \neq -P_-(e^+)$?

Measure enough cross-sections to determine all polarizations:

- eg single W, Z, γ with $++, --, +-, -+, +0, -0, 0+, 0-$
- precision significantly worse than for equal $|P|$ assumption

[cf. G. Wilson, LCWS 2012]

Assume $|P|$ equal up to $2\epsilon^\pm$ – measure ϵ^\pm with polarimeters:

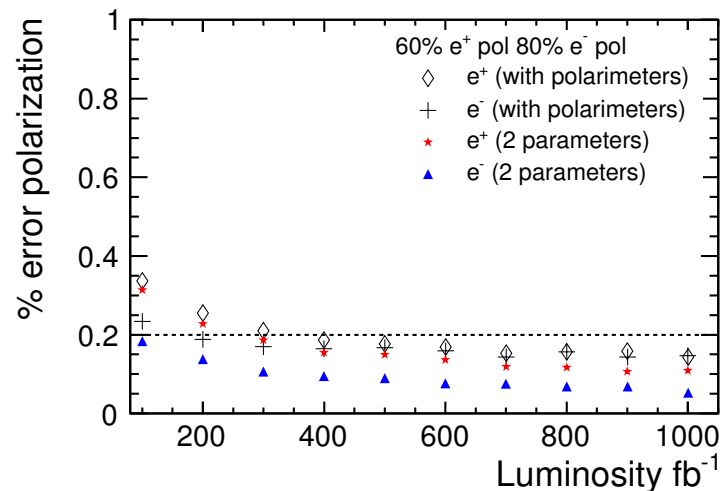
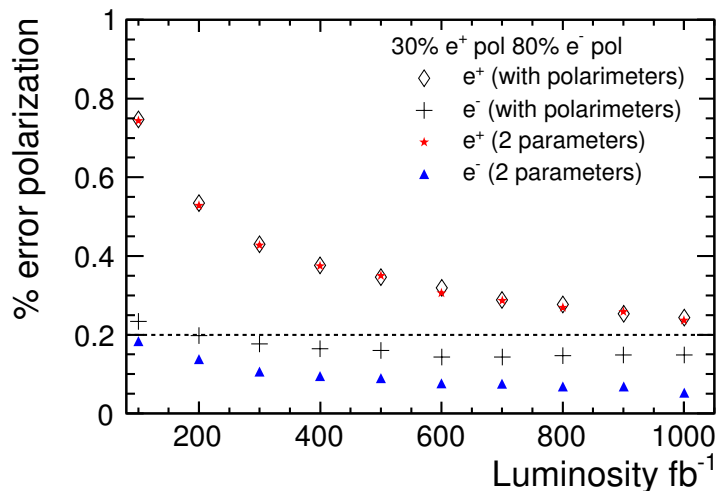
- $P_+(e^\pm) = P^\pm + \epsilon^\pm$ and $P_-(e^\pm) = P^\pm - \epsilon^\pm$
- $\delta P_+(e^\pm)$ (or δA_{LR}) same order of magnitude as $\delta\epsilon^\pm$ and ϵ^\pm

⇒ need polarimetry at permille-level
and fast helicity reversal for both beams

Impact of Polarimeter Precision.

What happens if $P_+(e^-) \neq -P_-(e^-)$ and $P_+(e^+) \neq -P_-(e^+)$?

- let all P vary independently $\Rightarrow \delta P / P$ in *percent regime*
- better: difference to $\pm \delta P / P|_{pol} = 0.25\%$ with polarimeters
- limits ultimate precision on $P(e^-)$!



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Fast helicity reversal.

... for both beams:

- collect data for all helicity configurations **simultaneously**
- roughly equal polarisation (absolute) values for all data sets
- cancellation of time dependent effects - also in main detector!

Counter example HERA:

- **slow** helicity reversal:
weeks between flips
- differences in $\langle P_e \rangle_{IP}$:
rely on polarimeters
- uncertainty $\sim 2\%$

Collisions	$P_e[\%]$	$\mathcal{L}[\text{pb}^{-1}]$
$e^+ p$	+32	98
$e^+ p$	-38	82
$e^- p$	+37	46
$e^- p$	-26	103

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Correction to modified Blondel scheme.

$$P_+(e^\pm) = P^\pm + \epsilon^\pm \text{ and } P_-(e^\pm) = P^\pm - \epsilon^\pm$$

