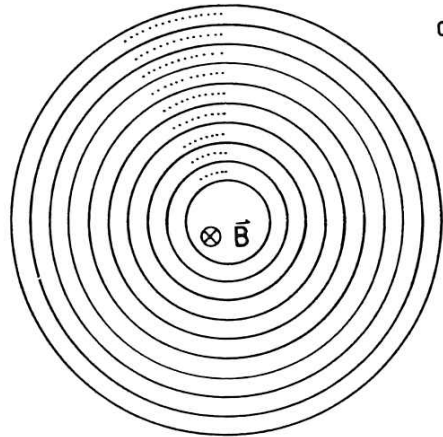


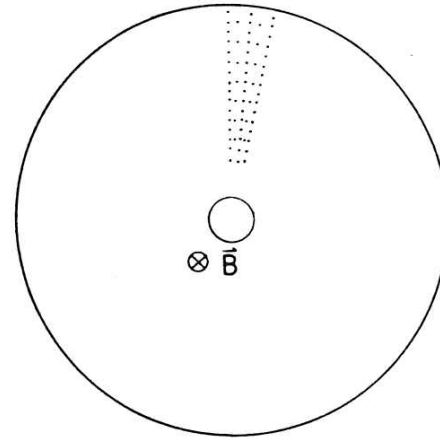
# Different Realizations of Ionization Trackers

MWPC



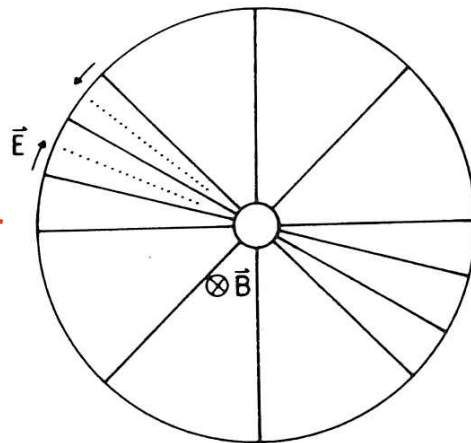
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Drift Chamber



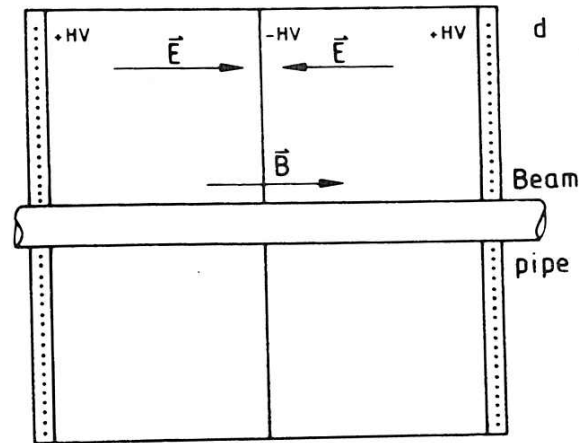
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Jet Chamber



c

Time Projection Chamber



Beam pipe

# Drift Chamber Cell

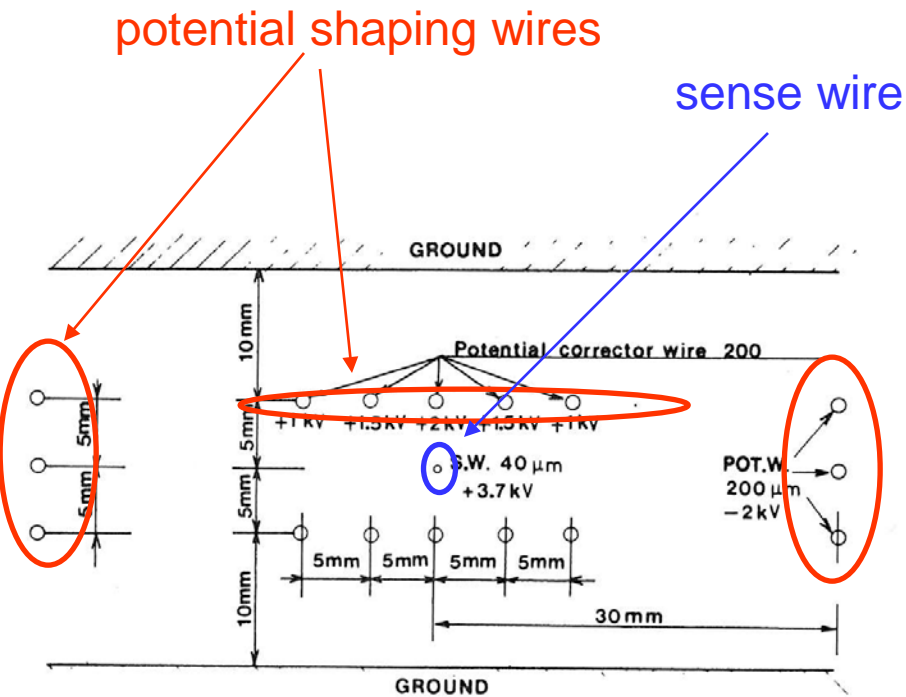


Fig. 11. Cell structure of large area drift chamber [MA 77].

- Carefully shape potential (field lines)
- Optimize drift time – space relation

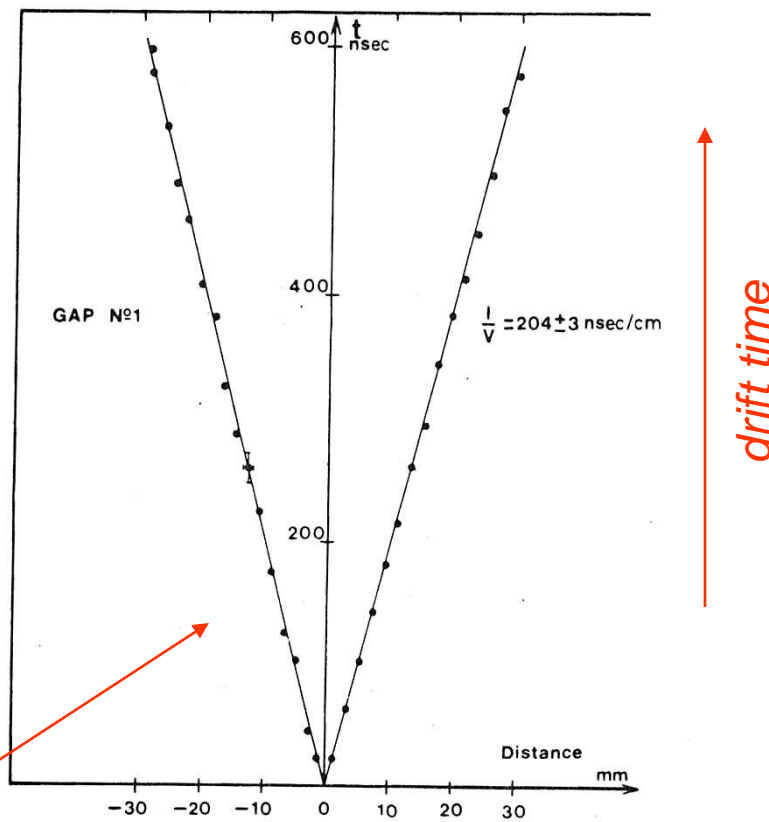
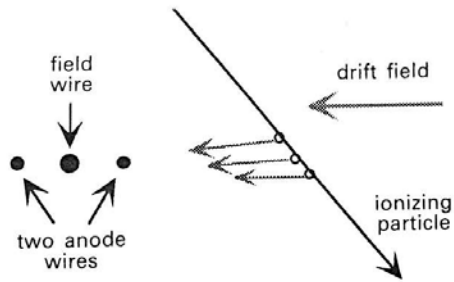


Fig. 12. Linear relation between drift time and position [MA 77].

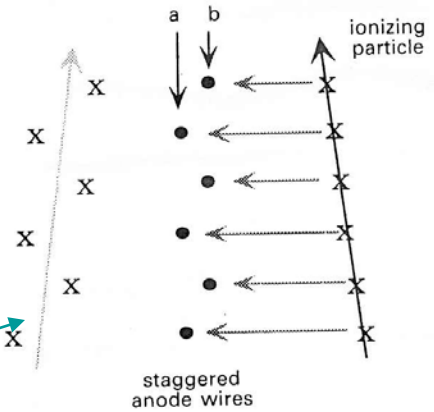
# Left-Right Ambiguity Resolution

2 anode wires

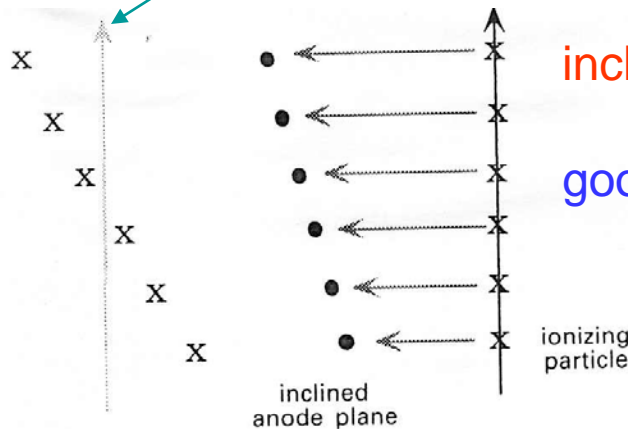
staggered anode wires



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ghost track

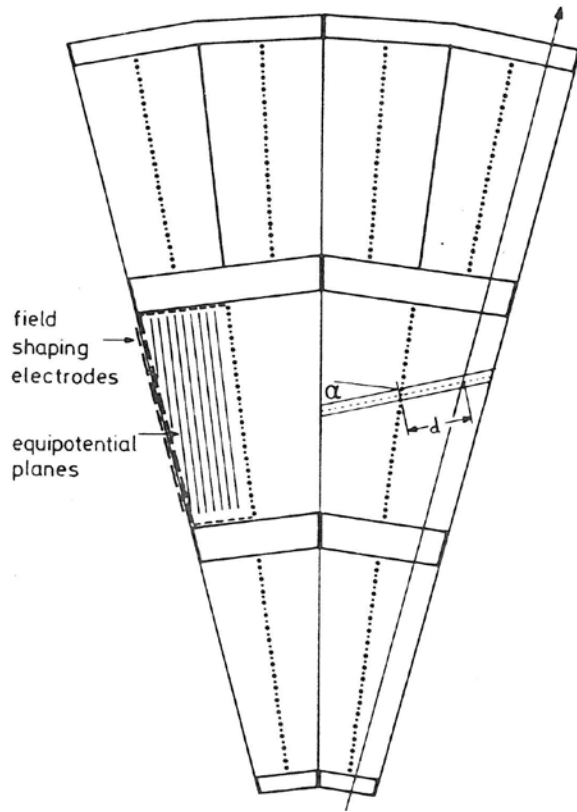


inclined anode plane

good for high magnetic field

c

# Jet Chamber



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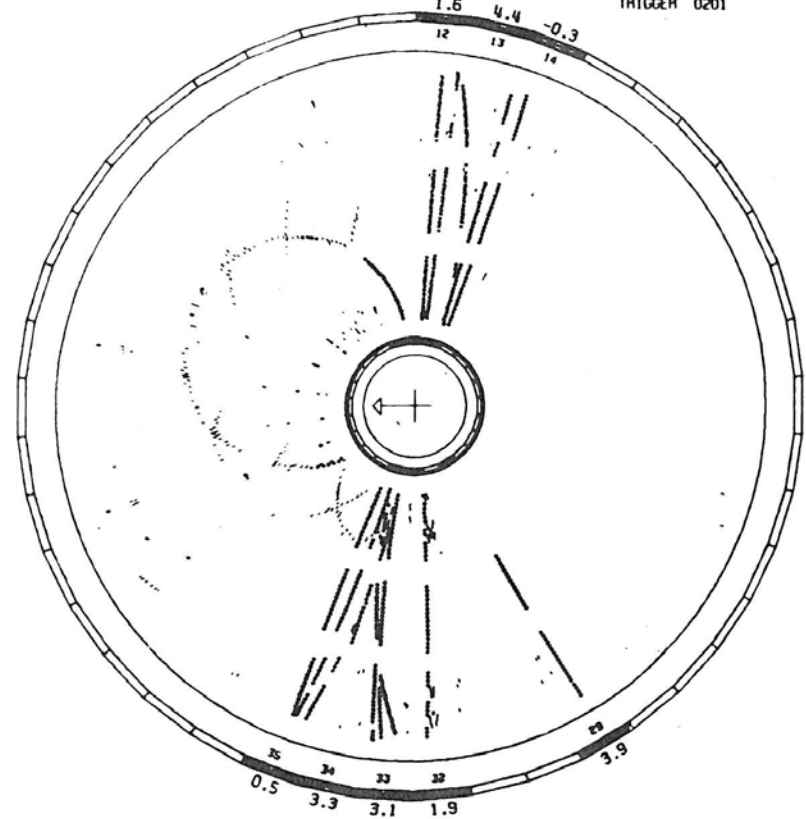
JADE

R-F1 SECTION

BEAM 15.000 GEV

MAG. FIELD -4.532 KG

DATE 30/03/80  
TIME 12.28.16



$e^+e^-$  annihilation at 30 GeV

# Lorentz Angle – Drift Chamber in Magnetic Field

- Drifting electron will see

Electric Field  $\bar{E}$

Magnetic Field  $\bar{B}$

$$m\dot{\bar{v}} = q(\bar{E} + \bar{v} \times \bar{B})$$

$$A(t) \rightarrow \frac{v_D}{\tau} \text{ mean time between collisions}$$

$$\frac{\bar{v}_D}{\tau} - \left( \bar{v}_D \times \frac{q\bar{B}}{m} \right) = \frac{q\bar{E}}{m}$$

- Will also see stochastic force due to collisions with gas molecules

$$m\dot{\bar{v}} = q(\bar{E} + \bar{v} \times \bar{B}) + mA(t)$$

*solution:*

$$\bar{v}_D = \frac{\mu}{1 + \omega^2 \tau^2} \left( \begin{matrix} (1) \\ \bar{E} + \frac{\bar{E} \times \bar{B}}{B} \omega \tau + \frac{(\bar{E} \cdot \bar{B}) \cdot \bar{B}}{B^2} \omega^2 \tau^2 \end{matrix} \right)$$

- Assume over time

$\bar{E}, \bar{B}$  = stochastic acceleration retardation

constant  $v_D$

$$\dot{\bar{v}}_D = \mathbf{0} = \frac{q\bar{E}}{m} + \left( \bar{v}_D \times \frac{q\bar{B}}{m} \right) - \langle A(t) \rangle$$

$$\mu = \frac{q\tau}{m} \text{ electron mobility}$$

$$\omega = \frac{q\bar{B}}{m} \text{ cyclotron frequency}$$

# Lorentz Angle – Drift Chamber in Magnetic Field

*solution:*

$$\bar{v}_D = \frac{\mu}{1 + \omega^2 \tau^2} \left( \overset{(1)}{\bar{E}} + \frac{\overset{(3)}{\bar{E}} \times \bar{B}}{B} \omega \tau + \frac{\overset{(2)}{(\bar{E} \cdot \bar{B}) \cdot \bar{B}}}{B^2} \omega^2 \tau^2 \right)$$

- Drift velocity has three components

(1) parallel to  $\bar{E}$

(2) parallel to  $\bar{B}$

(3) perp to plane of  $\bar{E}, \bar{B}$

- If  $\bar{E}, \bar{B}$  perpendicular  $\bar{E} = (E_x, 0, 0)$   
 $\bar{B} = (0, 0, B_z)$

$$v_x = \mu E_x \frac{1}{1 + \omega^2 \tau^2}$$

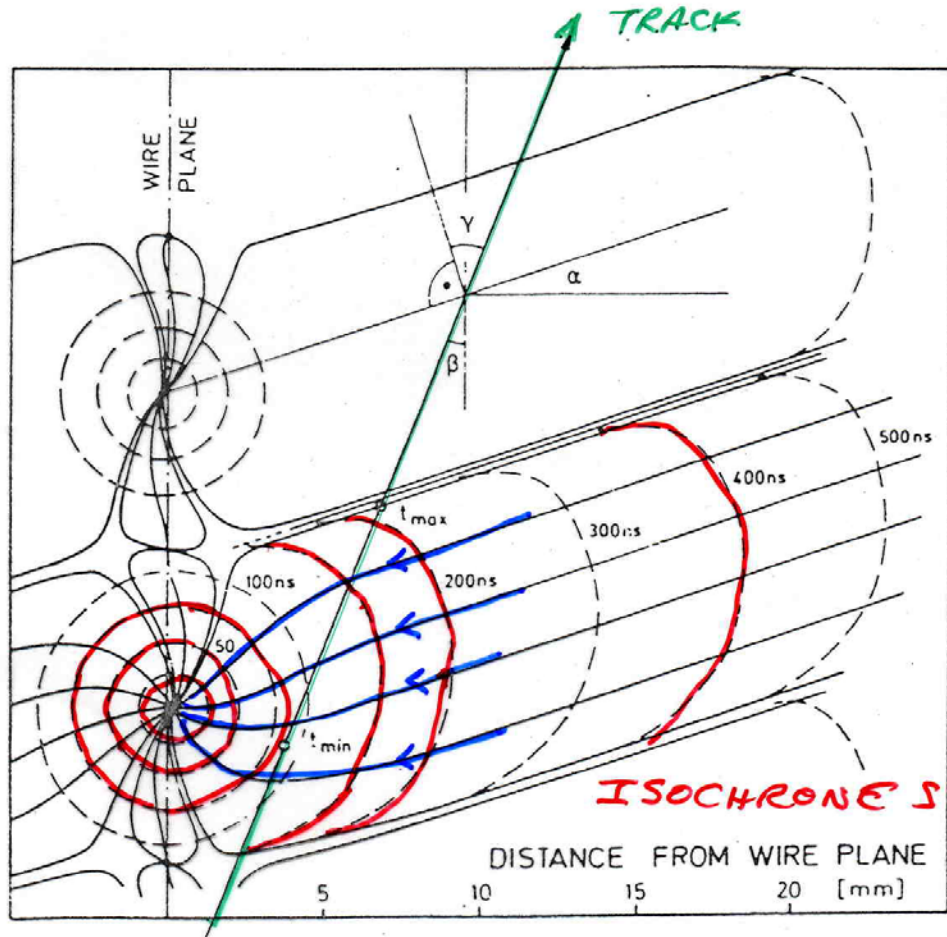
$$v_y = -\mu E_x \frac{\omega \tau}{1 + \omega^2 \tau^2}$$

$$v_z = 0$$

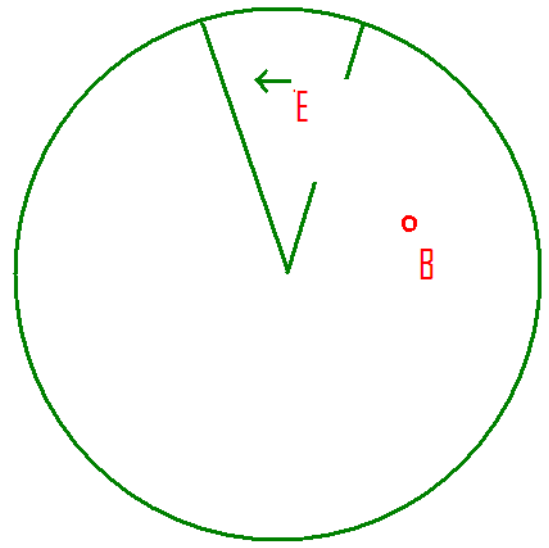
$$\tan \alpha = \omega \tau = \frac{v_y}{v_x}$$

$$\tan \alpha = \omega \tau = \frac{q \bar{B}}{m} \frac{m \mu}{q} = \mu B = \frac{v_D}{E} B$$

# LORENTZ ANGLE

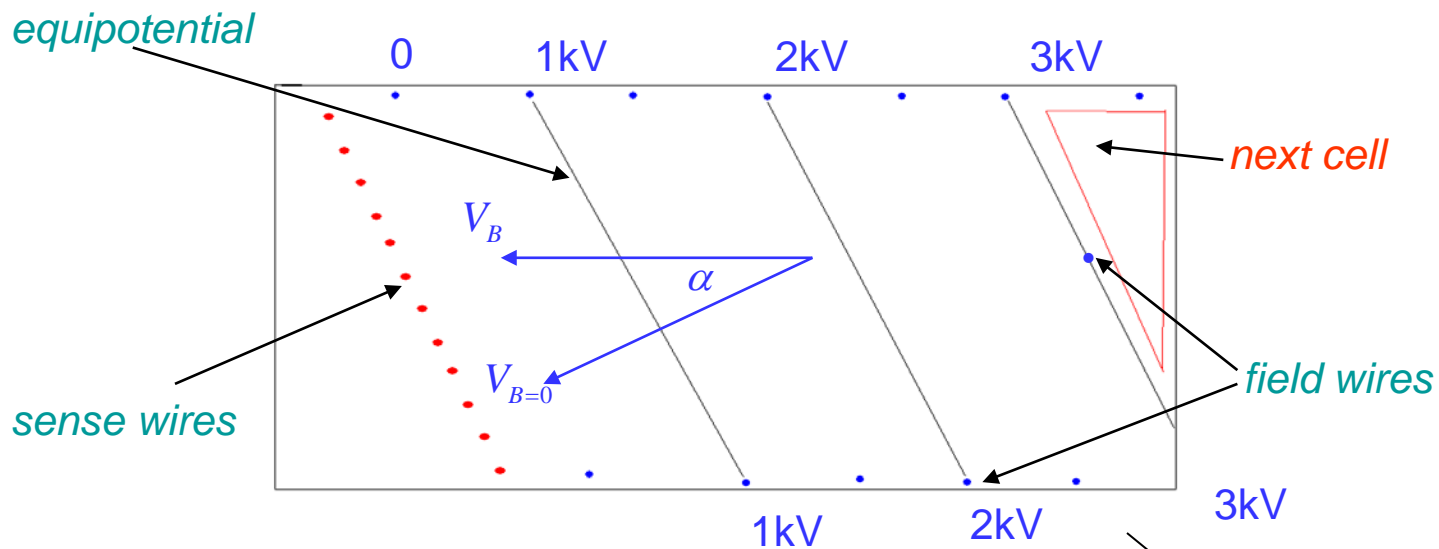


DRIFT PATH



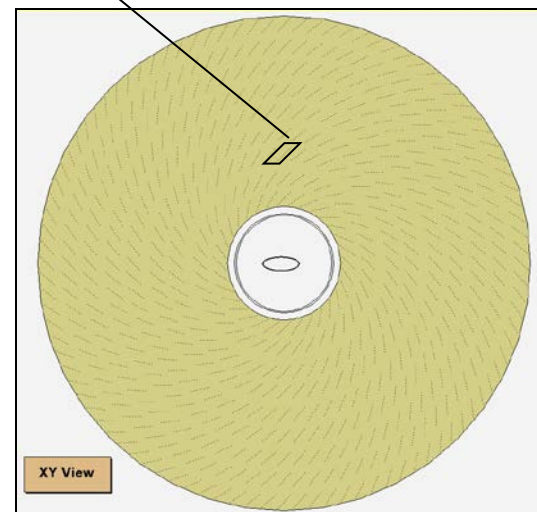
$\vec{E} \times \vec{B}$   $v_{DRIFT}$  DEVIATES FROM ELECTRIC FIELD DIRECTION

$$\tan \alpha = \frac{v_D}{E} B$$



$$\tan \alpha = \frac{v_D}{E} B$$

Compensate for Lorentz angle by tilting electric field in drift cells

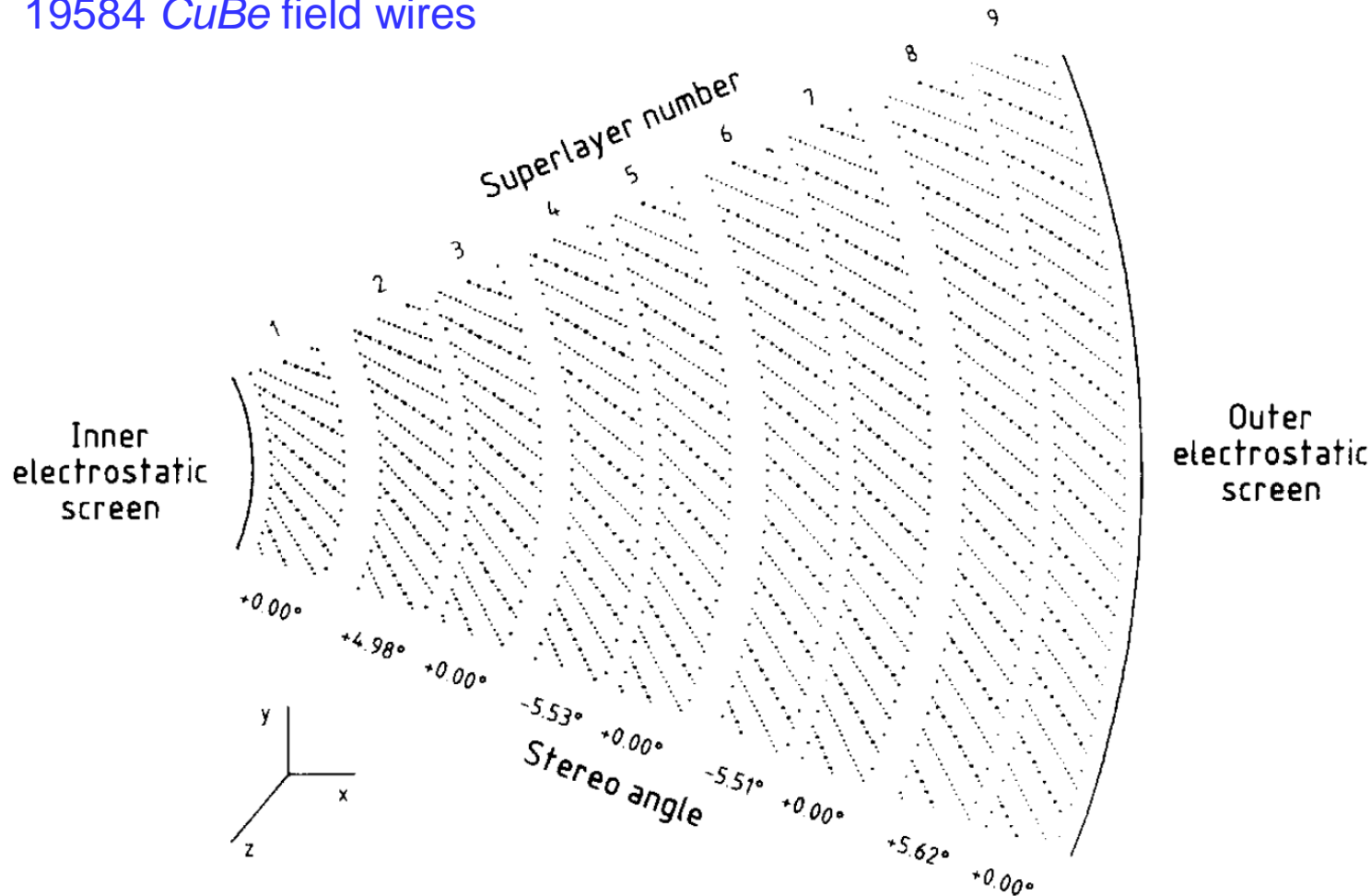




# Structure of ZEUS DC

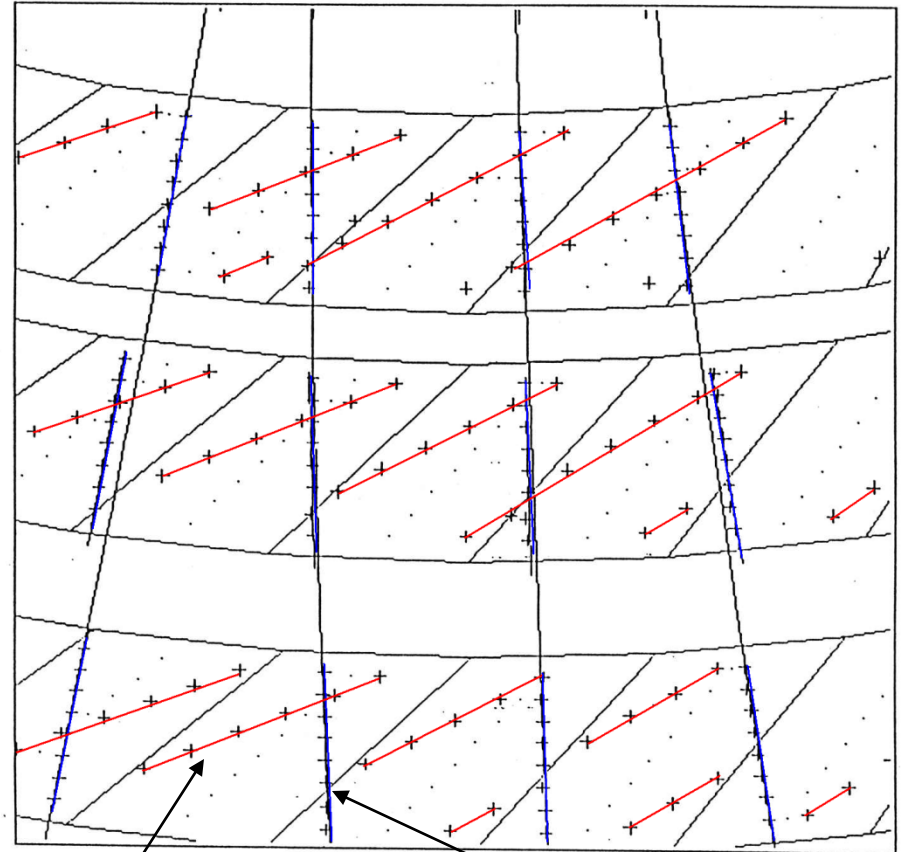
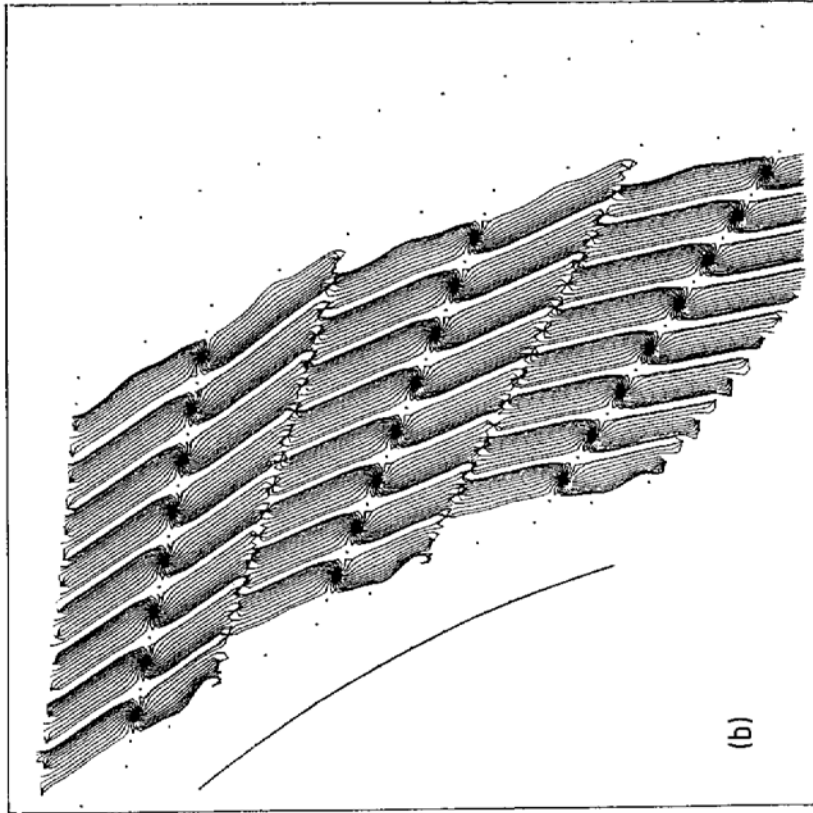
- Total wire tension 12 tons
- 4608 *W* sense wires (30 micron)
- 19584 *CuBe* field wires

- 120 micron space resolution
- 2.5mm 2 track resolution
- 500 ns max drift time



# Tilted E Field – R-L ambiguity resolution

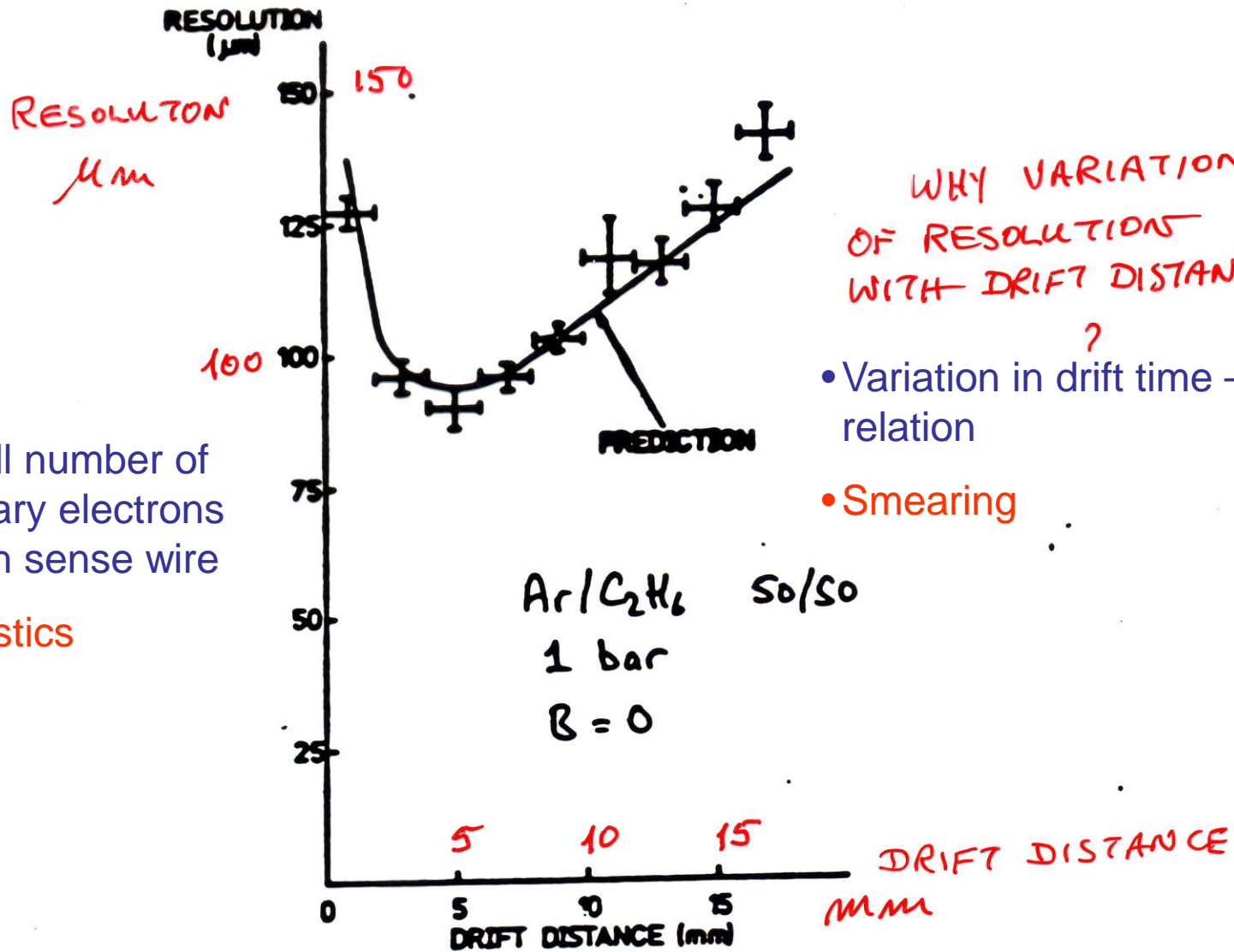
Zeus CTD Event Display



reflected ghost segments

real track segments

# Spatial Resolution



WHY VARIATION  
OF RESOLUTION  
WITH DRIFT DISTANCE

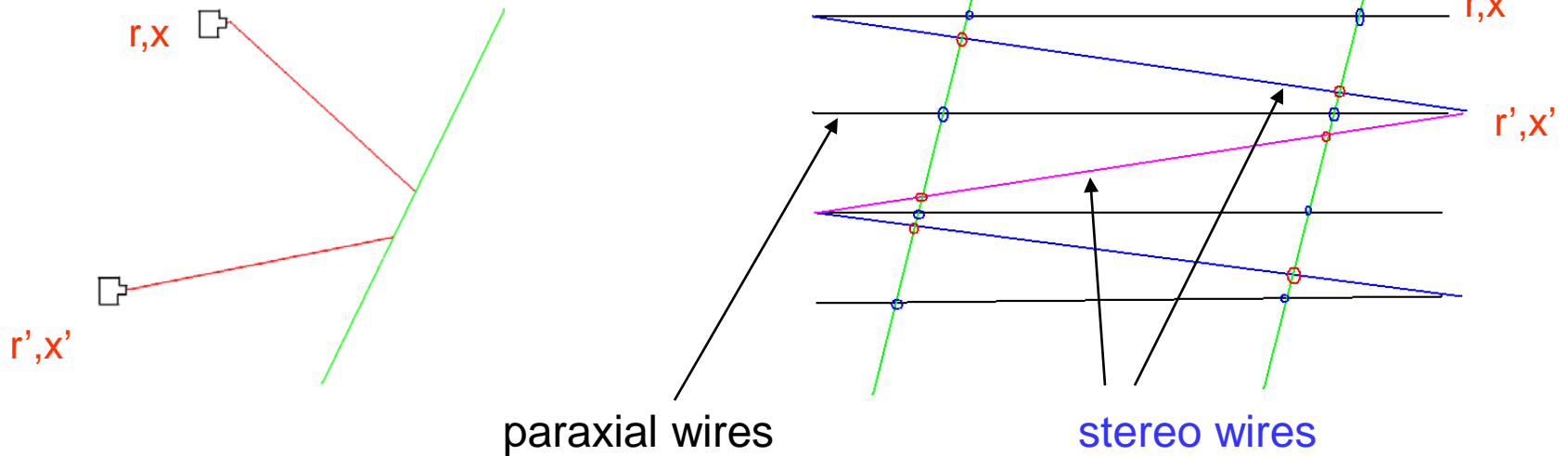
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- Variation in drift time – space relation
- Smearing

- Small number of primary electrons reach sense wire
- Statistics

# Stereo Wires – 3-d Reconstruction

stereo cameras – 3-d pictures







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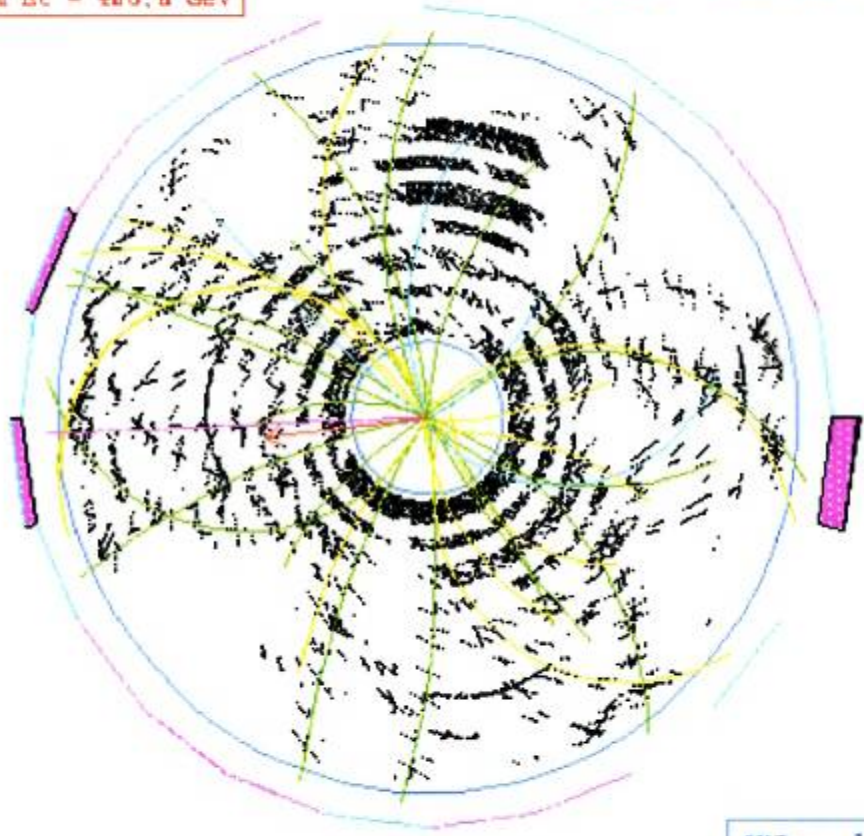
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22

Run 65085 Evt 273167 R65085 E273167 ZGAMM.DST 20DEC94 9:08:32 6-JAN-95

Pt	Phi	Eta
90.9	182	0.23
64.8	157	0.54
3.5	142	-1.08
1.6	198	-1.38
1.5	178	-0.34
1.5	239	-0.51
1.2	190	-0.85
1.1	119	-1.19
1.0	311	-1.49
1.0	143	-0.88
0.9	138	-1.03
0.8	228	-1.08
0.8	93	-1.04
0.7	0	-1.71
0.7	118	-0.78
0.6	88	-1.38
0.6	210	-1.40
0.6	34	0.25
0.6	124	0.24
0.5	238	-0.88
0.5	5	-1.29
0.5	110	-1.07
0.4	278	-1.15
0.4	317	-1.28
0.4	144	0.37
0.4	27	1.60
0.4	43	0.68
-0.4	187	0.56
0.3	188	-1.80
0.3	47	-0.71
0.3	243	-0.41
0.3	295	0.45
-0.3	229	2d
0.3	251	-0.73

$\sqrt{s}(\text{MBTS}) = 15.7 \text{ GeV}$   
 $\Phi = 186.9 \text{ Deg}$   
 $\text{Sum Et} = 460.8 \text{ GeV}$

$E_{\text{max}} = 255.3 \text{ GeV}$

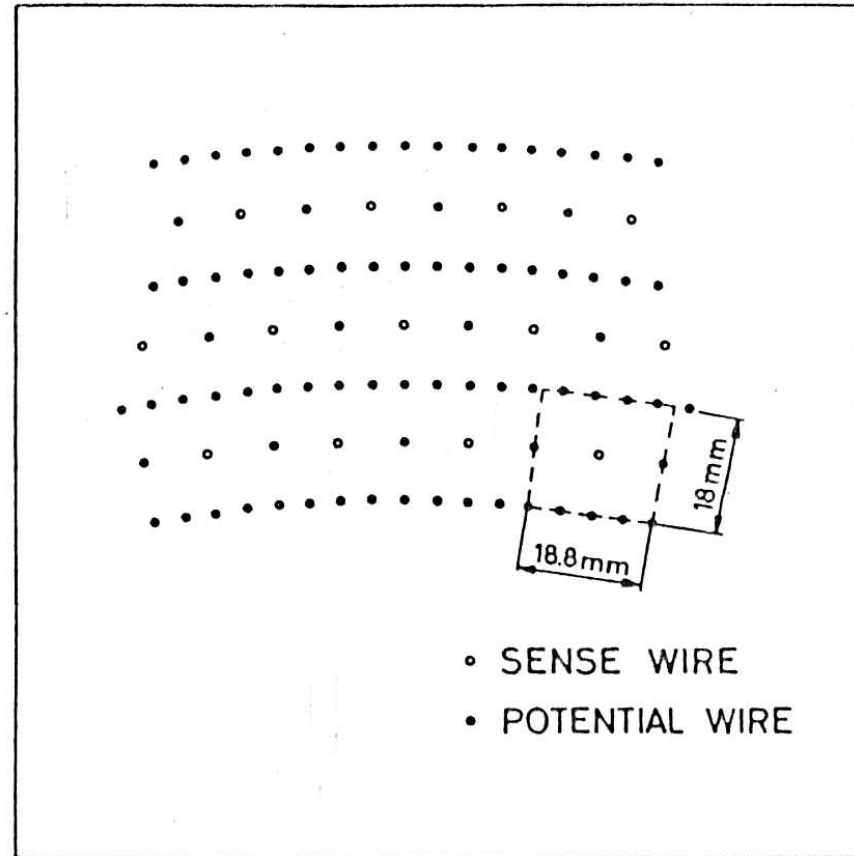
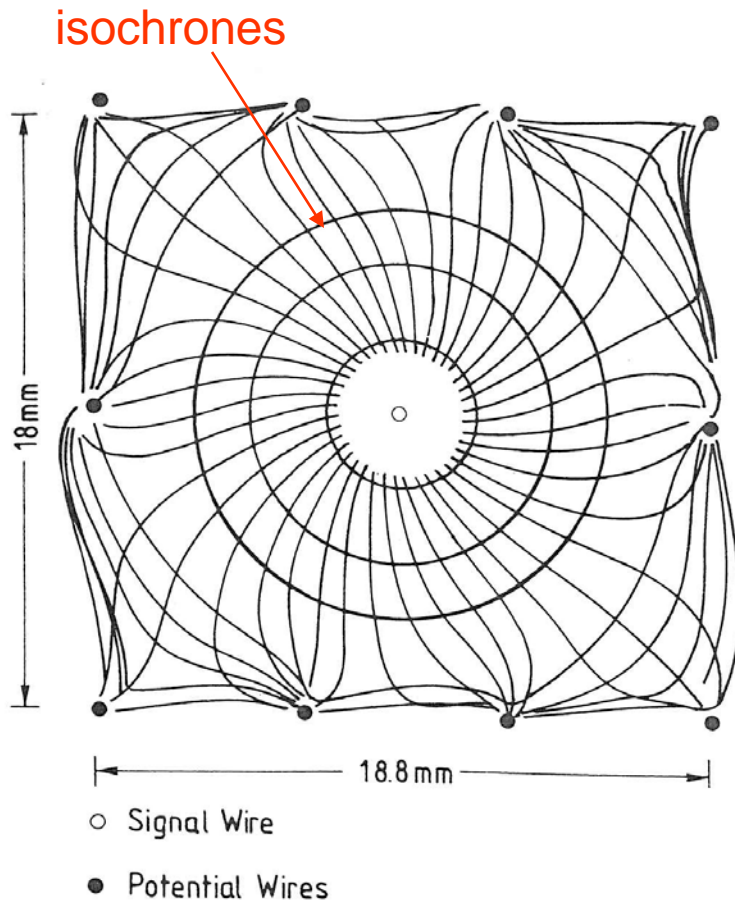


4 more trks...  
hit & to display

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ETA: -0.23

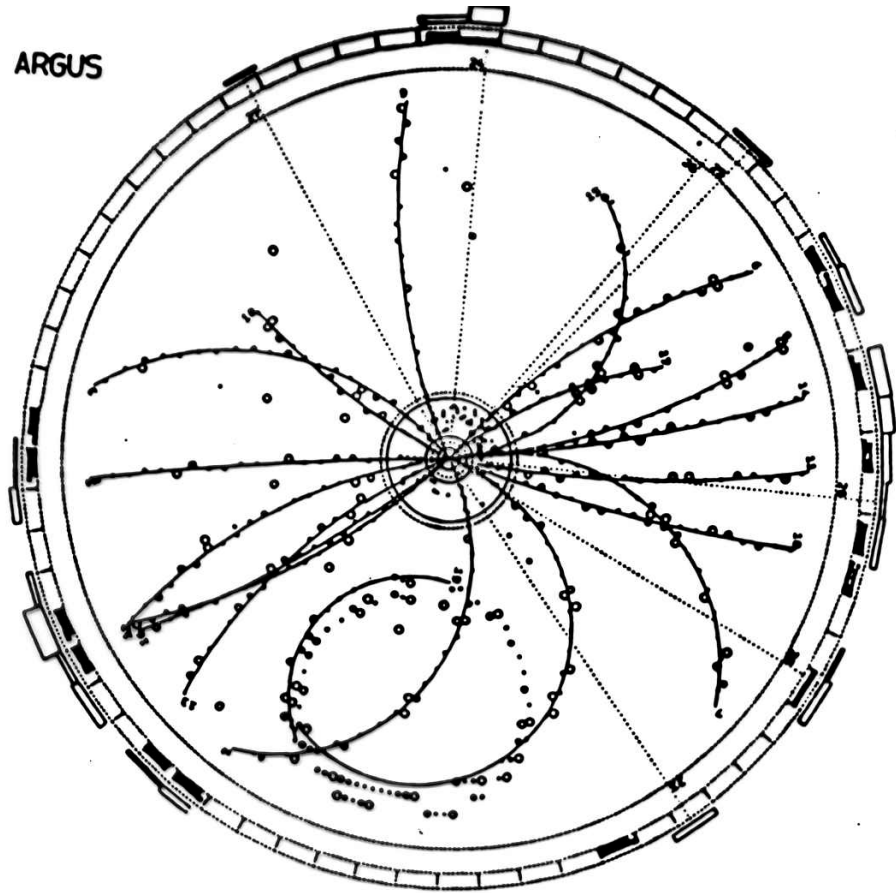


# Square Drift Cells - ARGUS

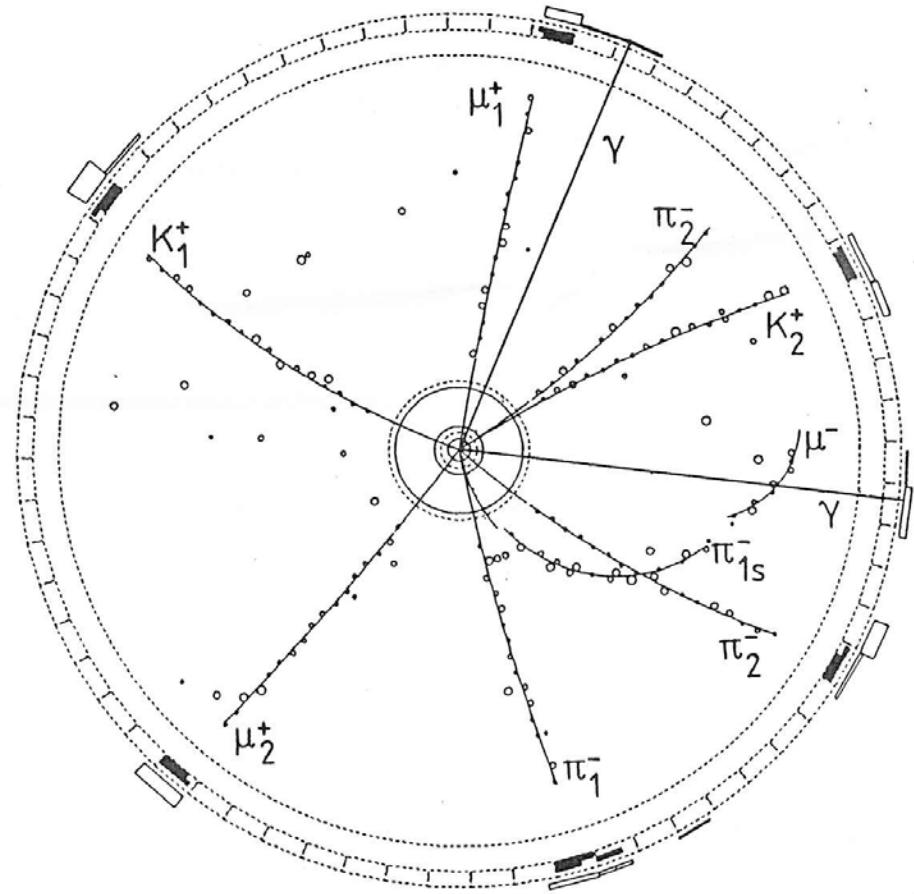


- Precision
- High Density of Information
- Pattern recognition complex → R-L ambiguity resolved by trying all possible combinations

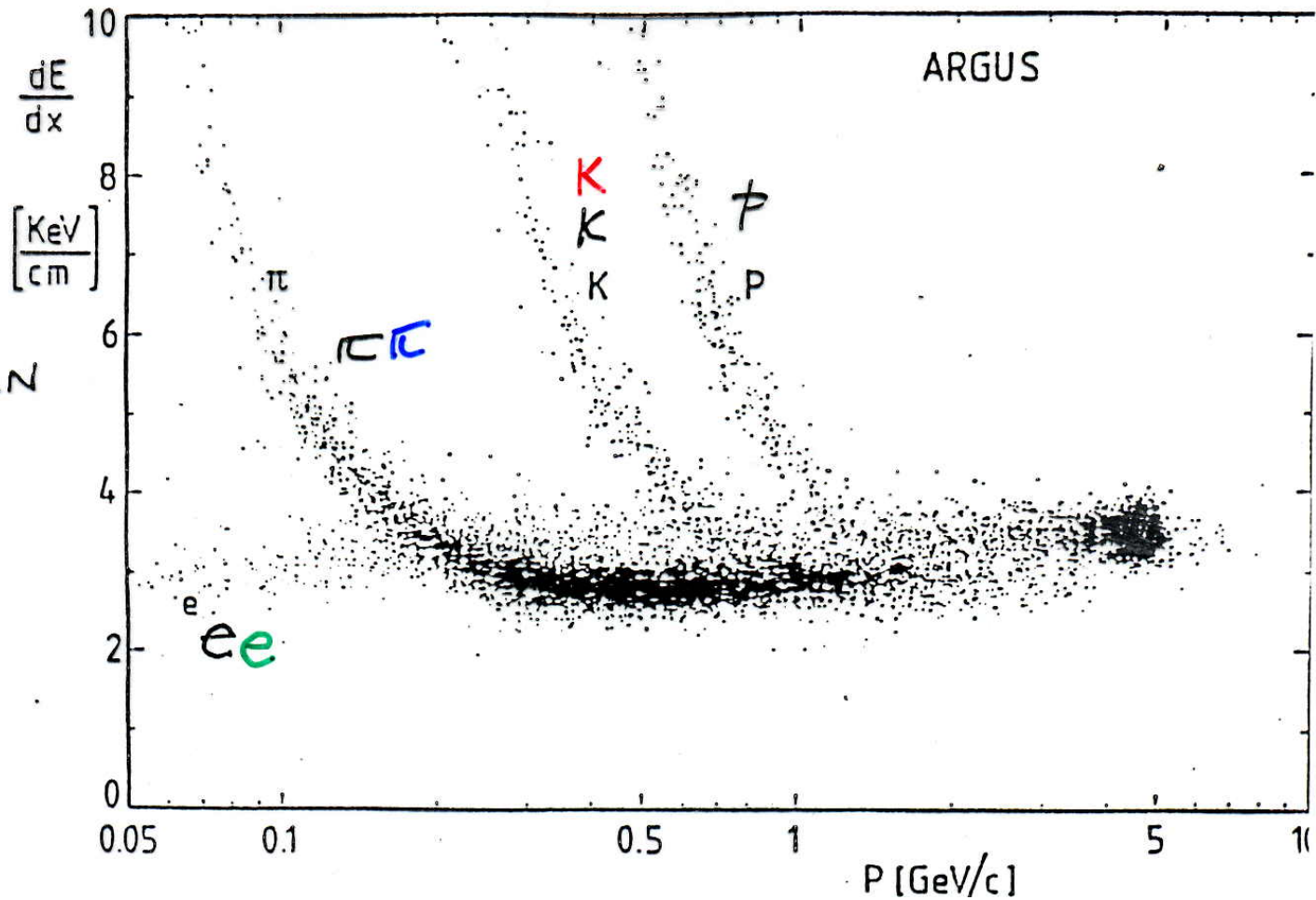
ARGUS



# ARGUS Events

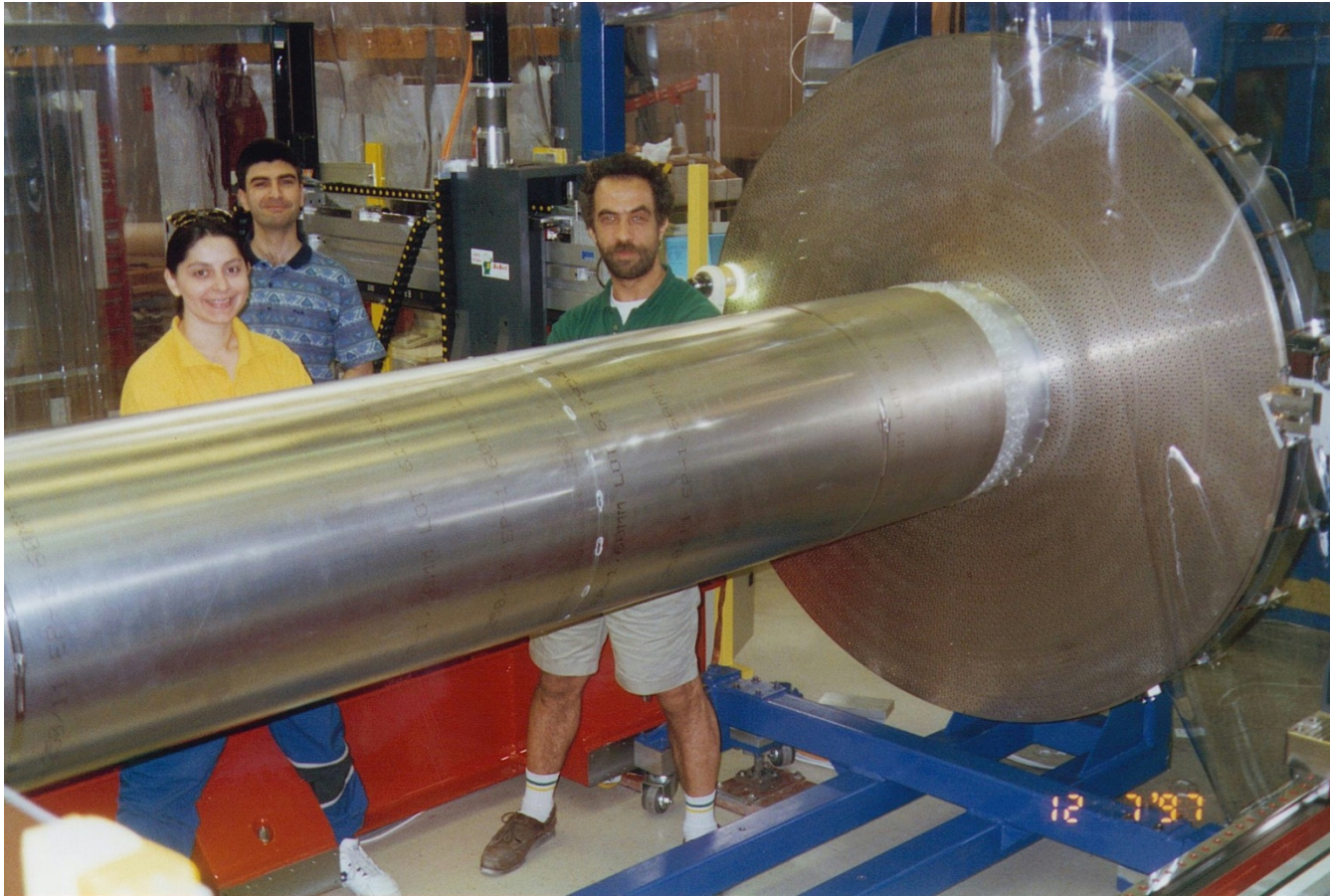


# dE/dx Particle Identification



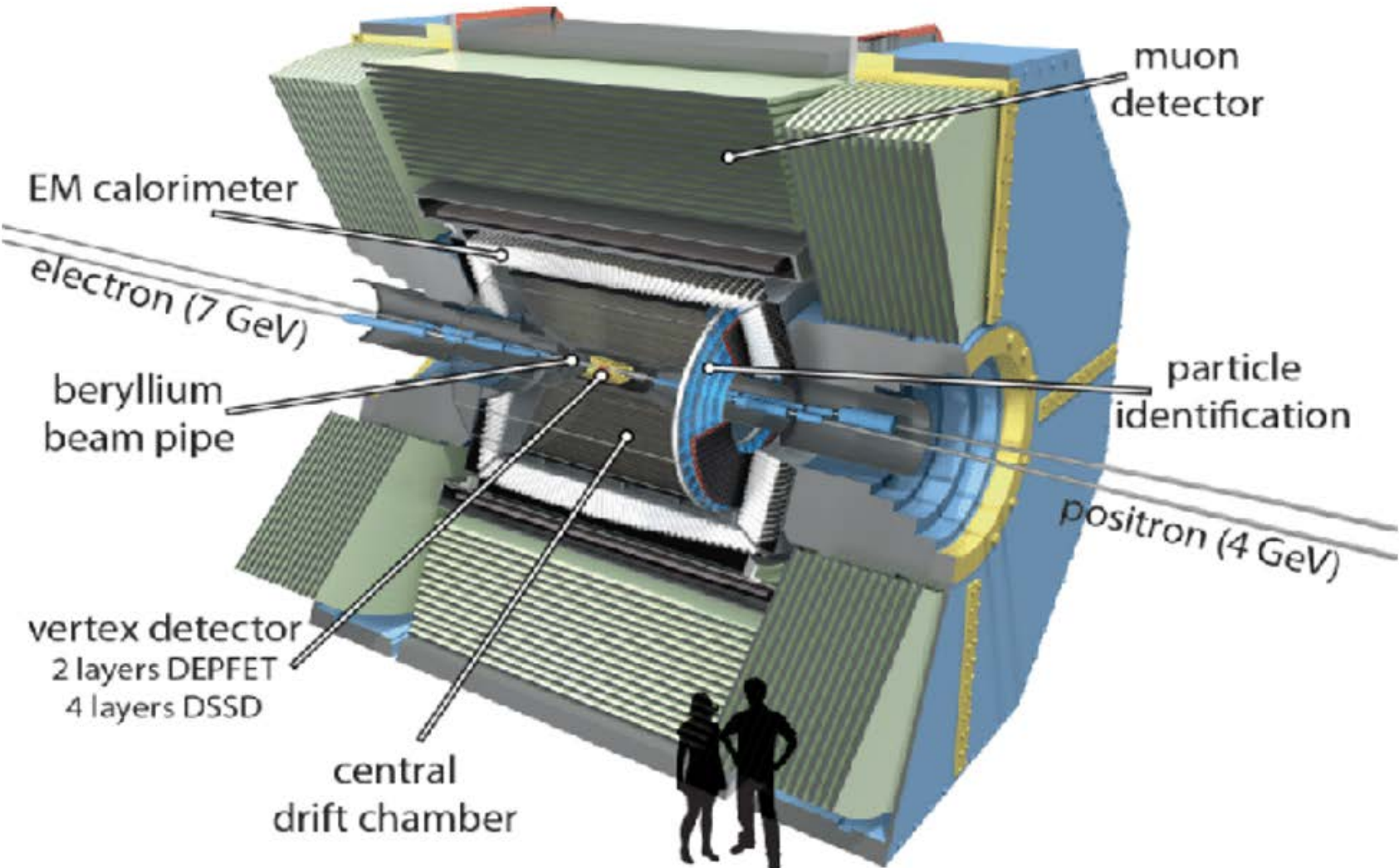
$\frac{dE}{dx}$  RESLN  
 $\sim 5\%$

# BaBar Drift Chamber

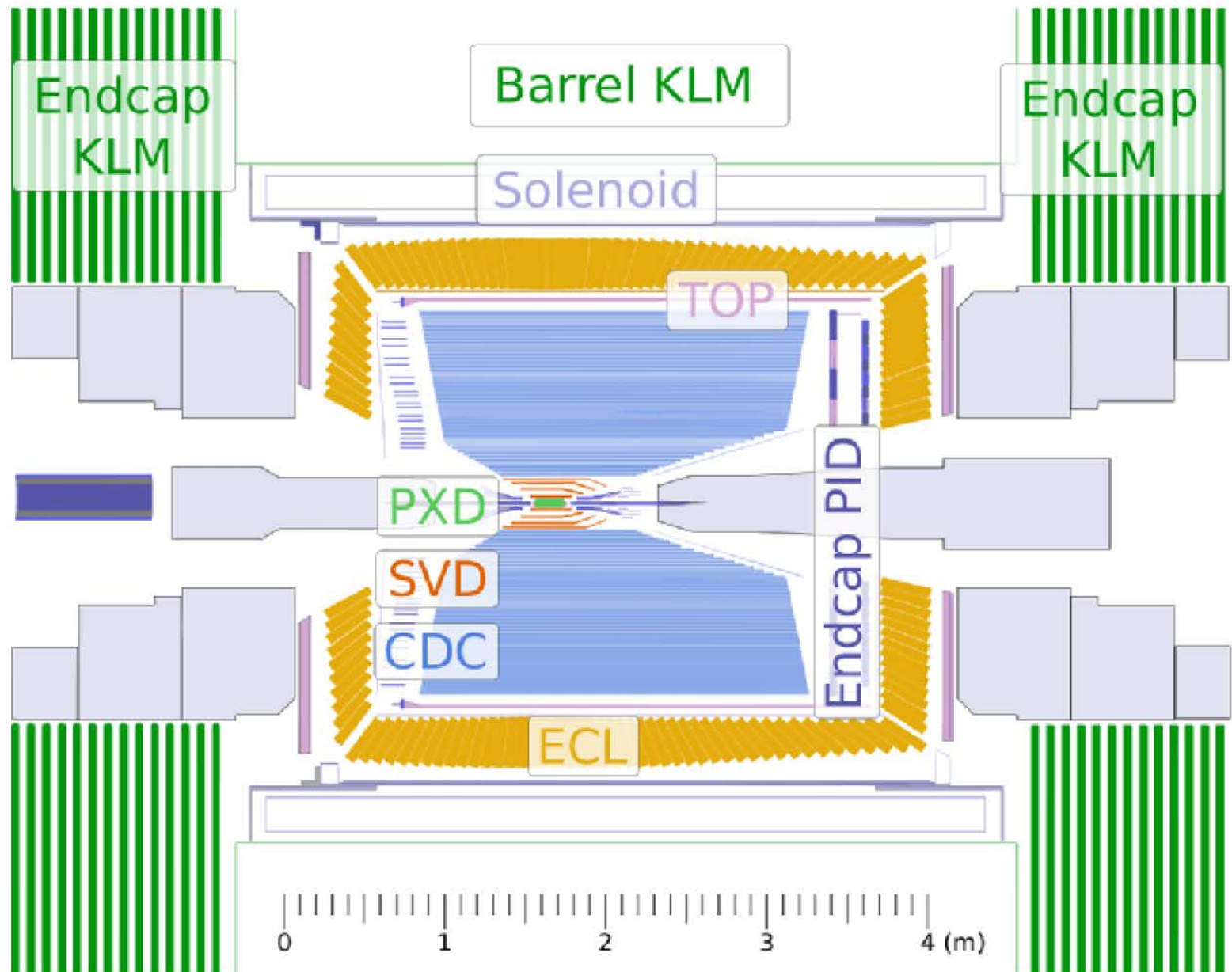


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# Belle II



# The Belle 2 detector



# CDC in pictures

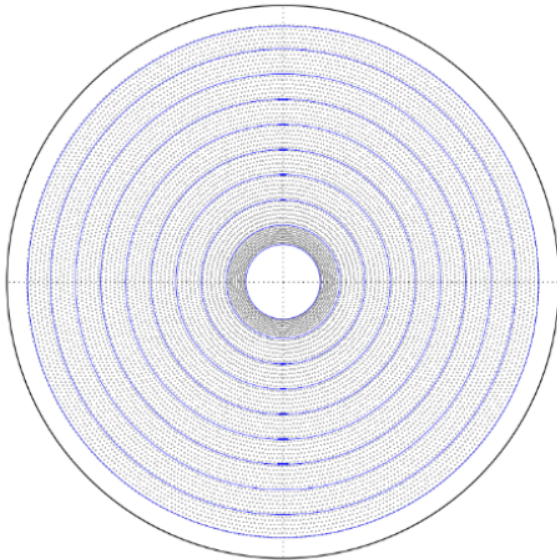


# CDC and CDC wires

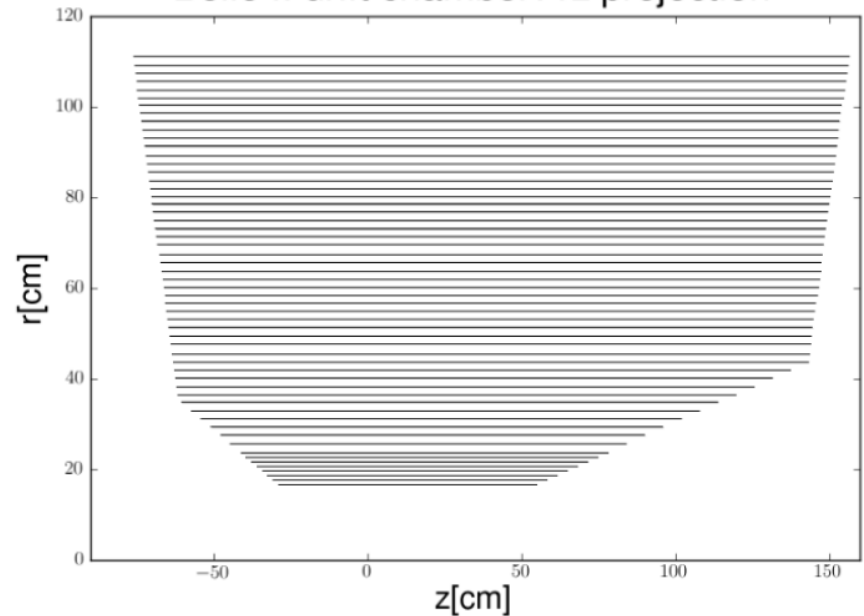
CDC is composed of:

- 9 super layers which consist of
- 56 layers (grouped to 1x8 and 8x6)
- 14336 wires (160 - 384 wires in a layer).

Belle II drift chamber  $r\phi$  projection

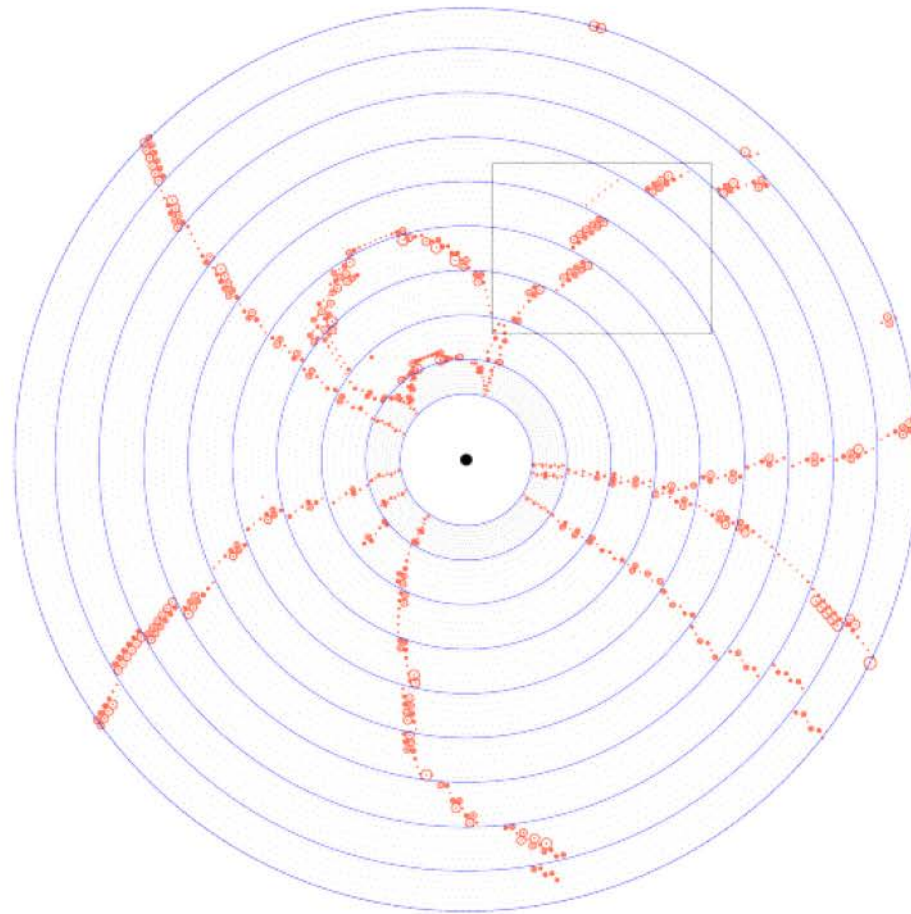


Belle II drift chamber:  $rz$  projection





An example typical event of  $\Upsilon(4S)$  decay (no beam background)



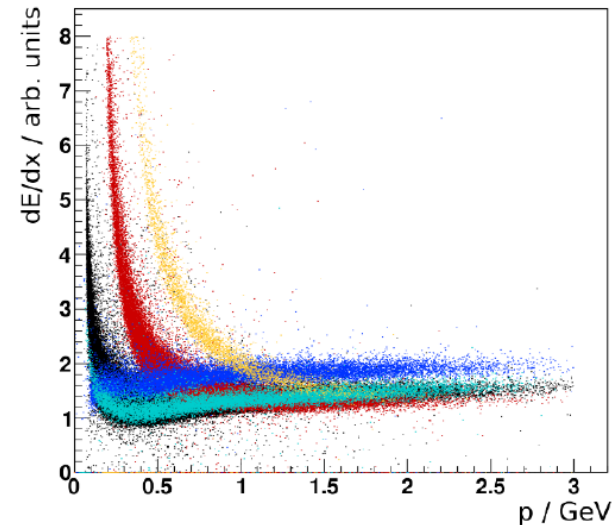
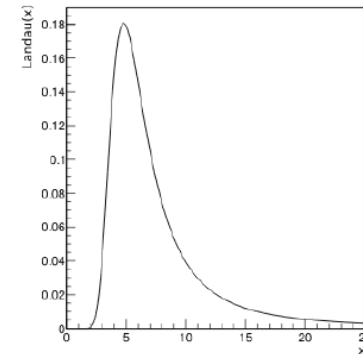
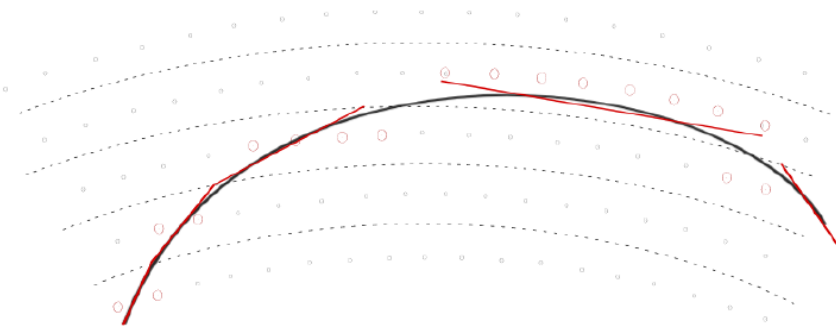
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# dE/dx measurements and PID

Ionisation is  $\sim$  distance traversed, so charge/distance is used:

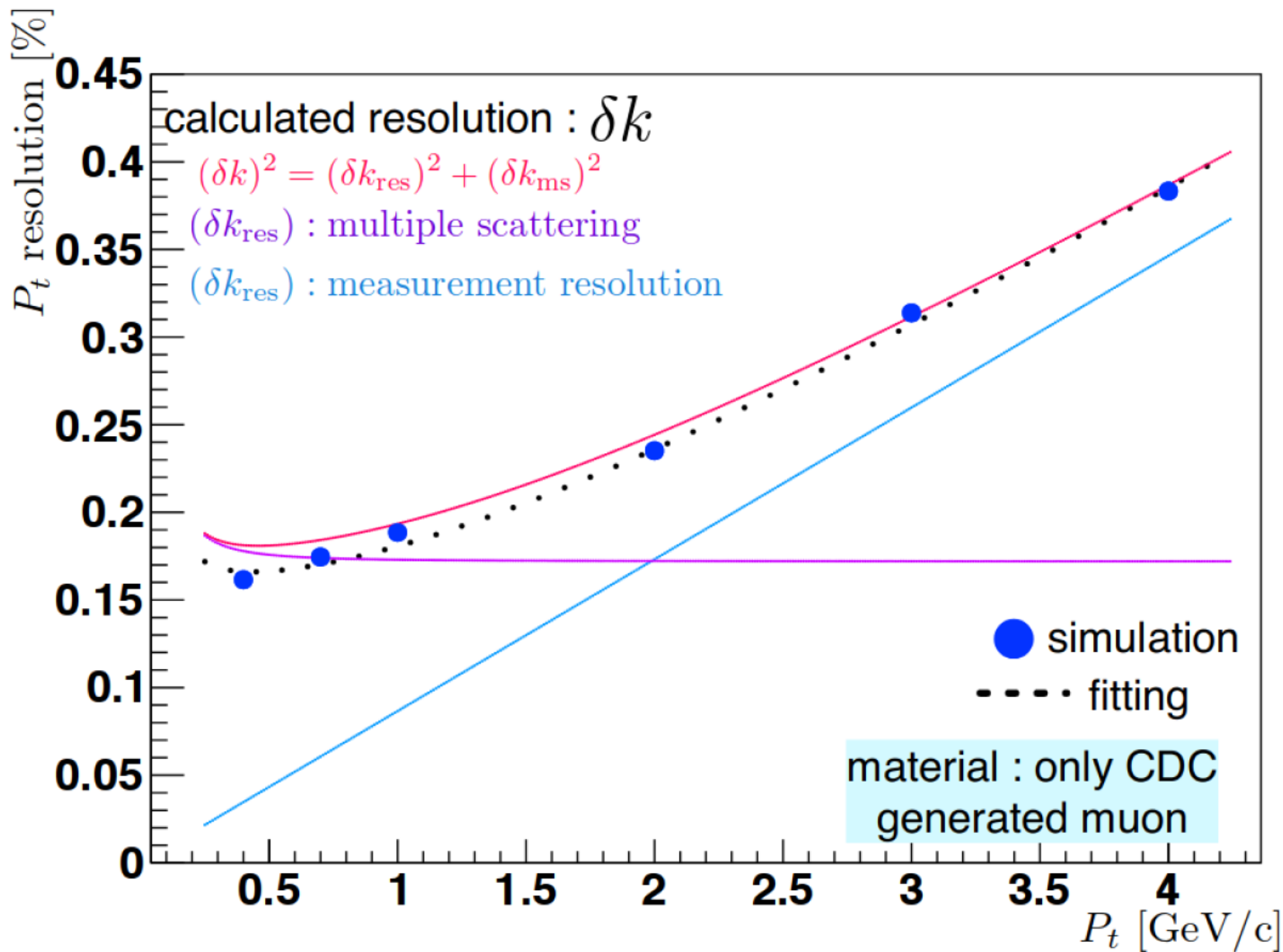
- Charge in each layer summed.
- Distance approximated as straight line to next layer.

$dE/dx$  - extracted as avg ionisation:



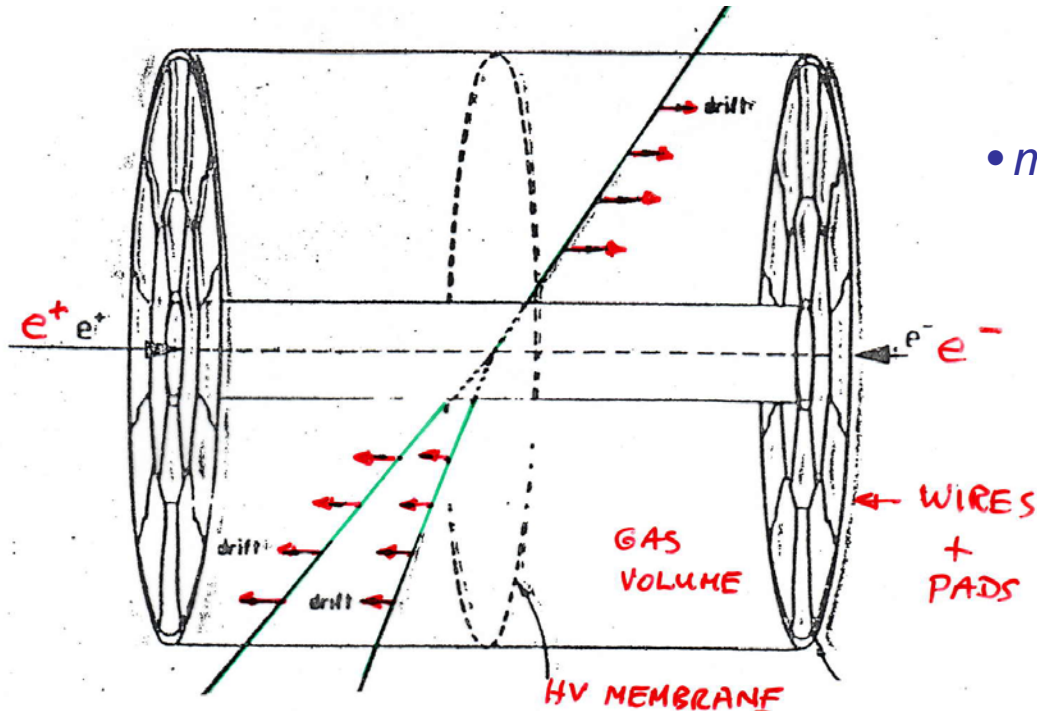
electrons, muons, pions, kaons, protons.

→ PID possible by comparing with distributions.  
& combining with  $dE/dx$  from PXD/SVD.



# Time Projection Chamber

- Only two drift cells
- $\vec{E}$  parallel to  $\vec{B}$ , so no Lorentz angle

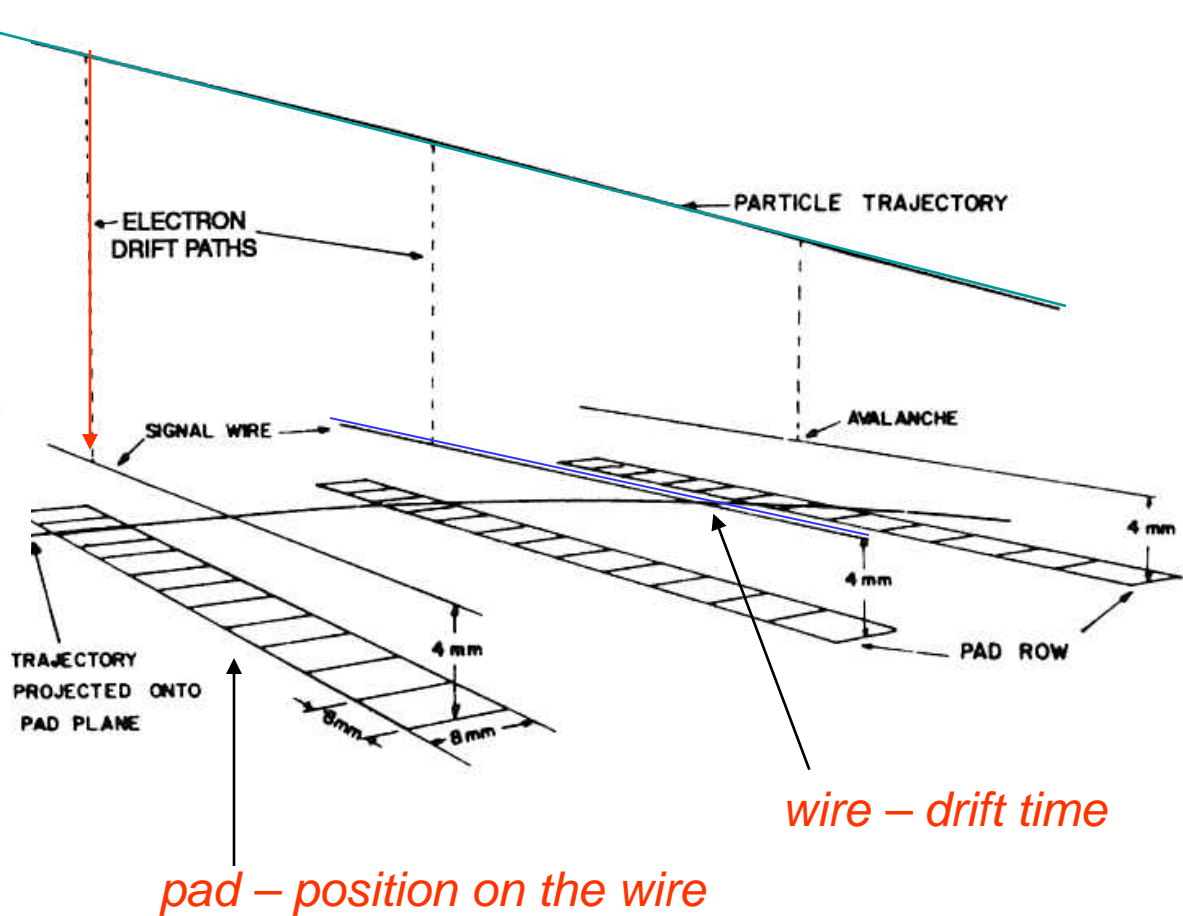
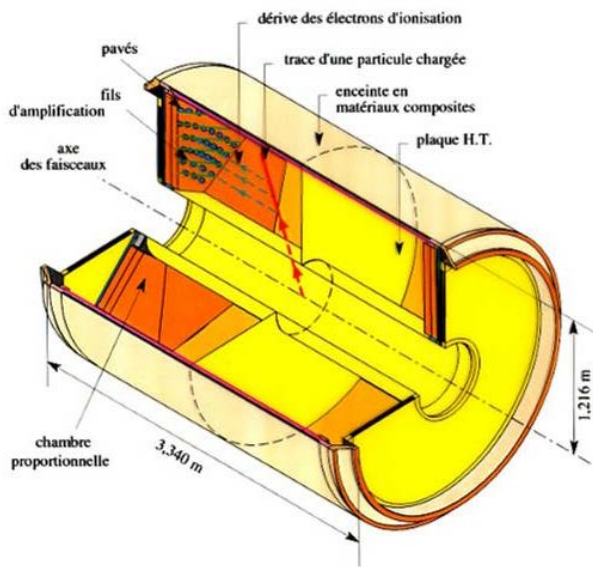


- measure  $z, \theta$  from drift time  $\sigma_{r,\phi} \sim 180\mu$

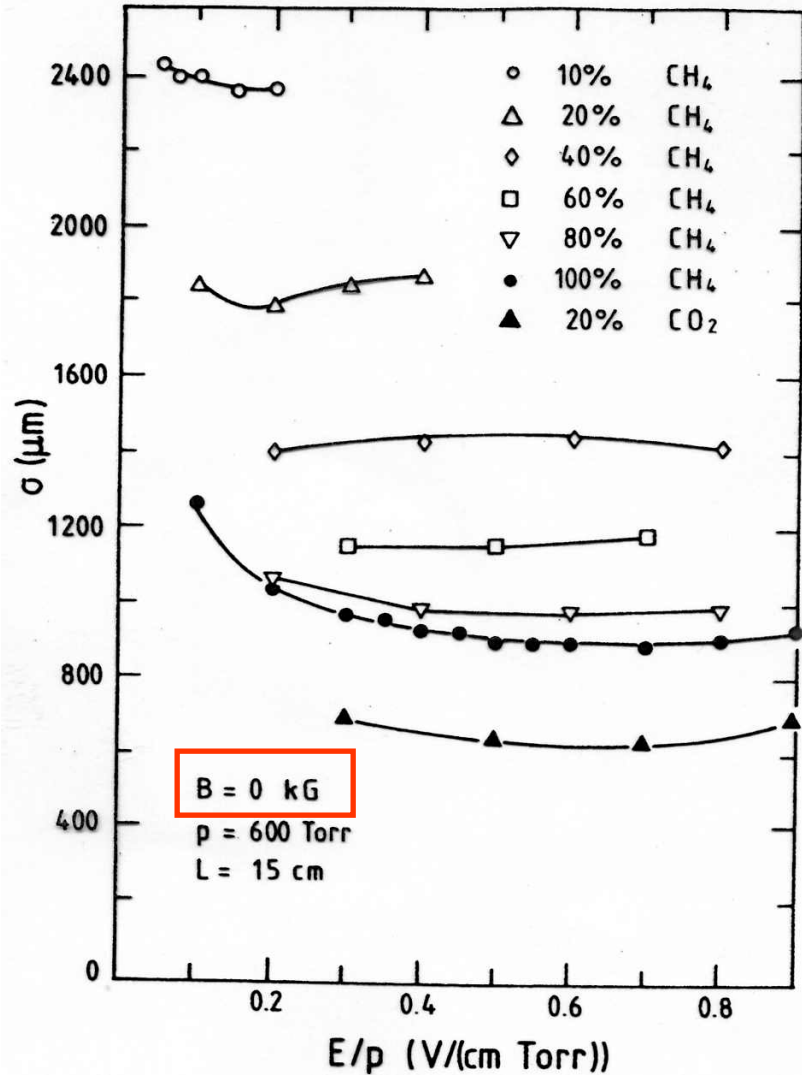
- measure  $r, \Phi$  from pads and wires on endplates  $\sigma_z \sim 200\mu$

- Good pattern recognition and precision in medium multiplicity environment  $\rightarrow$  space charge limitation

# DELPHI Time Projection Chamber



# Diffusion in TPC



Why does diffusion not ruin resolution?

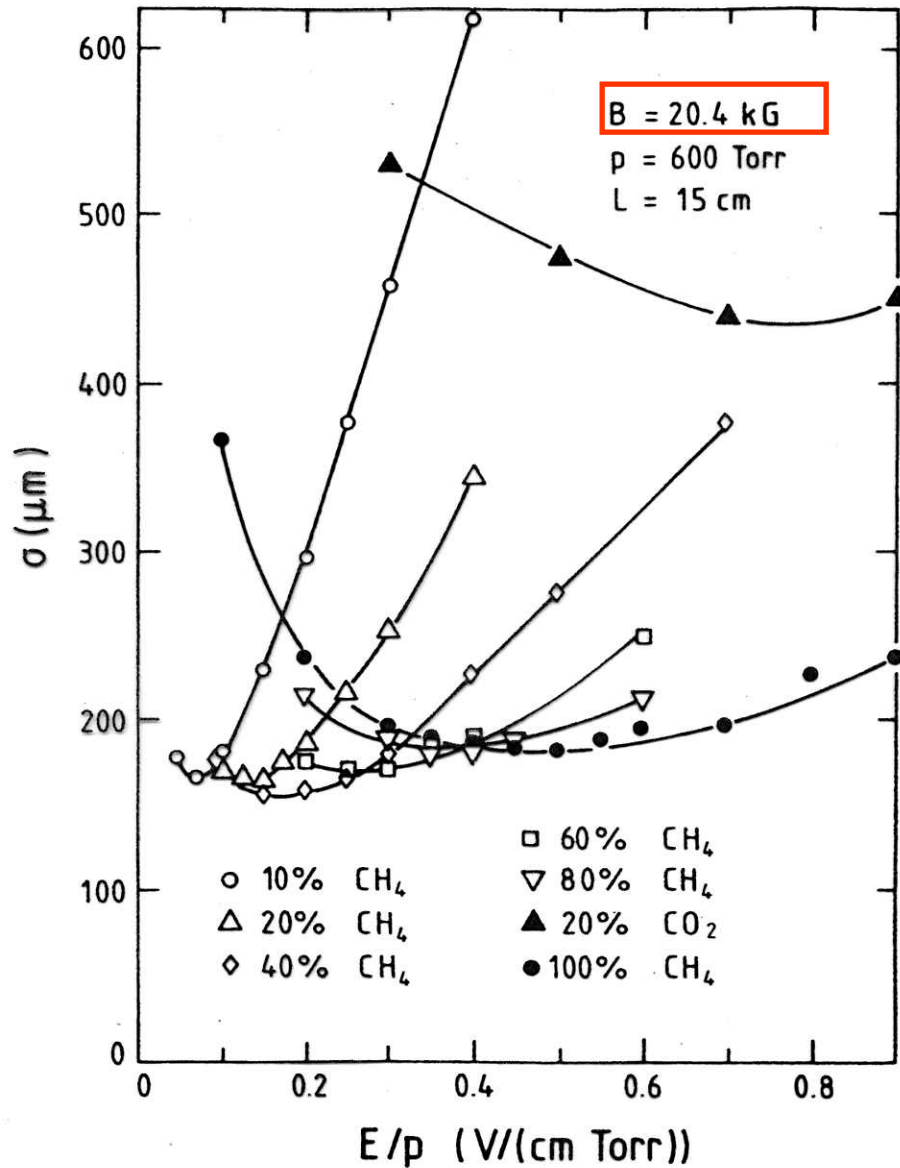
*transverse diffusion*

Diffusion limits spatial resolution

$$\sigma = \sqrt{\frac{2L}{3v_D} u \lambda}$$

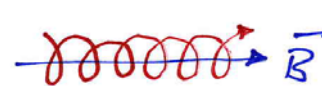
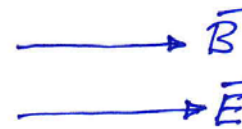
*drift length* (points to  $2L$ )  
*mean electron velocity* (points to  $v_D$ )  
*mean free path* (points to  $\lambda$ )

# Diffusion in TPC



Compare this to previous plot with  $B=0$

$\vec{B} \neq 0$  reduces diffusion if  $\vec{E} \times \vec{B} = 0$



*particles drift along tight helices*

transverse diffusion reduced by

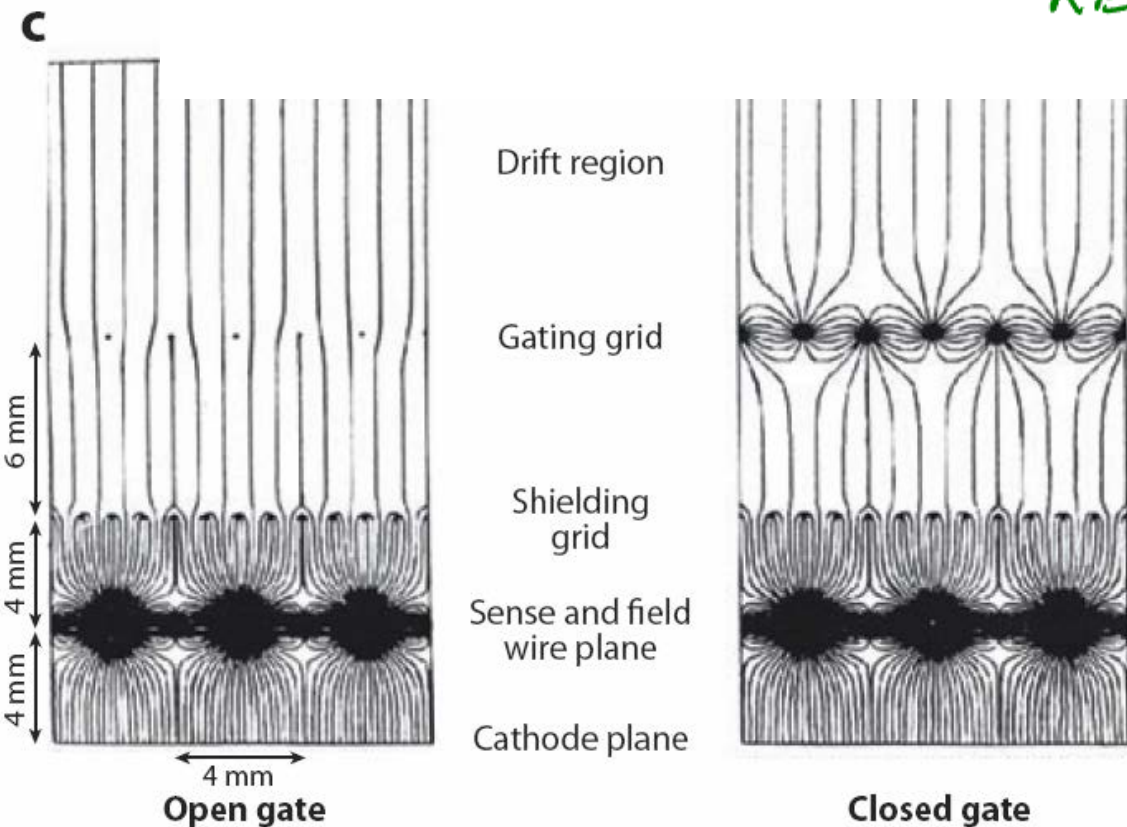
$$\frac{1}{1 + \omega^2 \tau^2}; \omega = \frac{eB}{m}$$

# SPACE CHARGE LIMITATIONS

HEAVY IONS PRODUCED BY GAS AMPLIFICATION

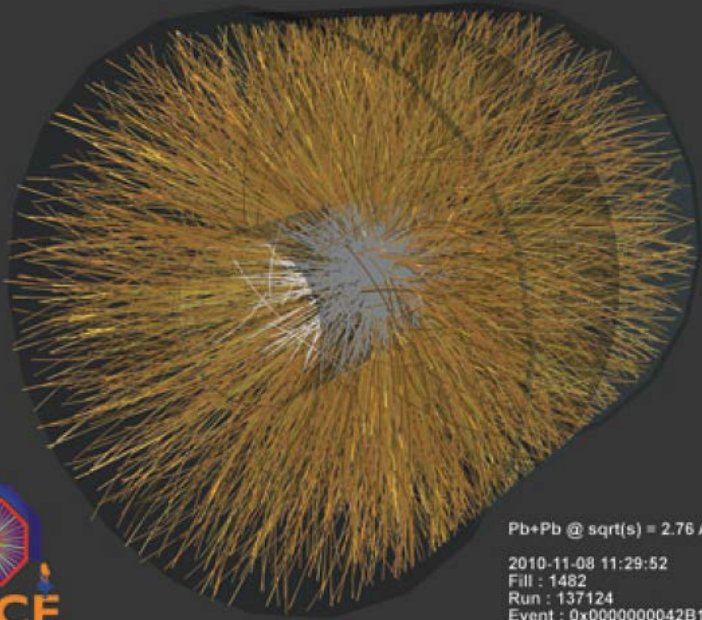
→ DISTORT ELECTRIC FIELD

USE GATED GRID → ONLY ALLOW ELECTRONS  
INTO AMPLIFICATION  
REGION FOR GOOD  
TRIGGERS



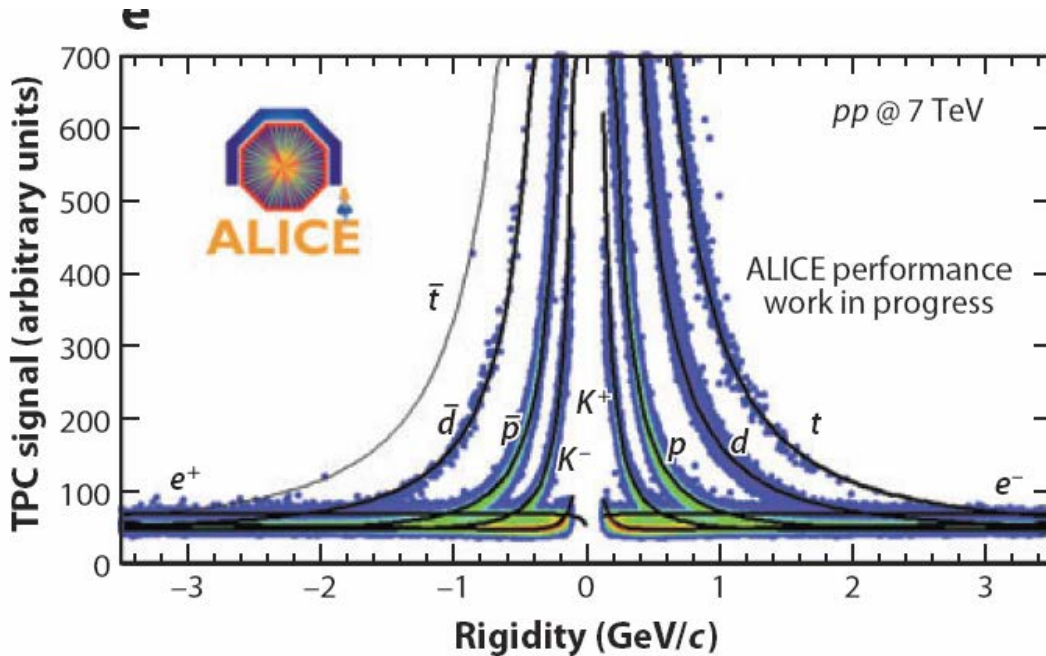


d



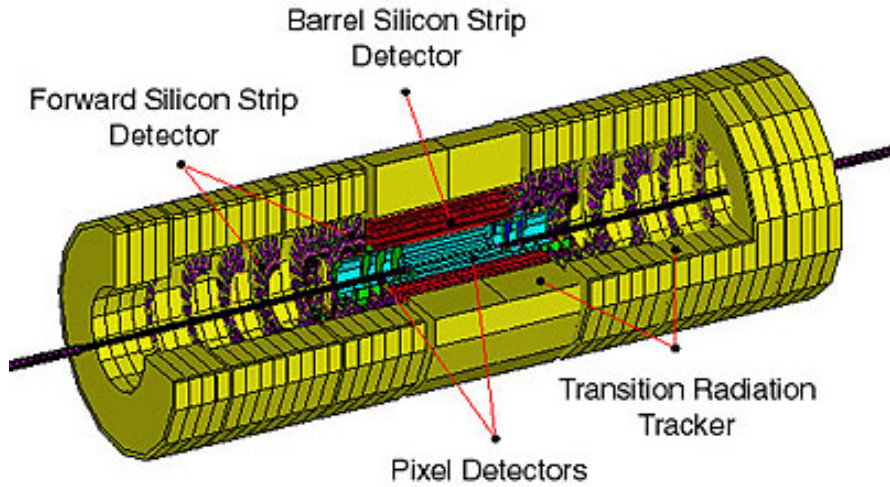
Pb+Pb @ sqrt(s) = 2.76 ATeV  
 2010-11-08 11:29:52  
 Fill : 1482  
 Run : 137124  
 Event : 0x0000000042B1B693

ALICE  
 TPC → HIGH MULTIPLICITY  
 GOOD PATTERN RECOGNITION  
 → LOW RATE

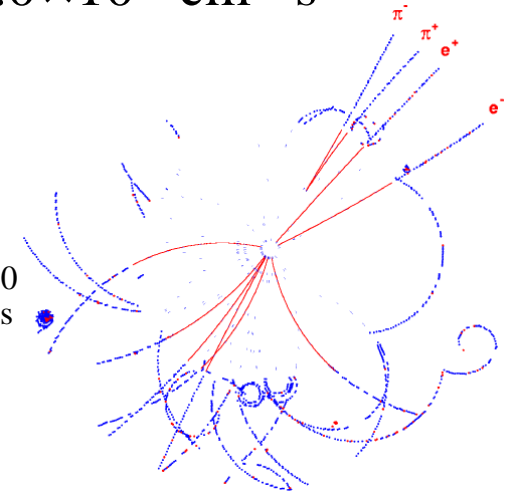
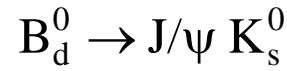


→ GOOD  $dE/dx$   
 PARTICLE  
 IDENTIFICATION

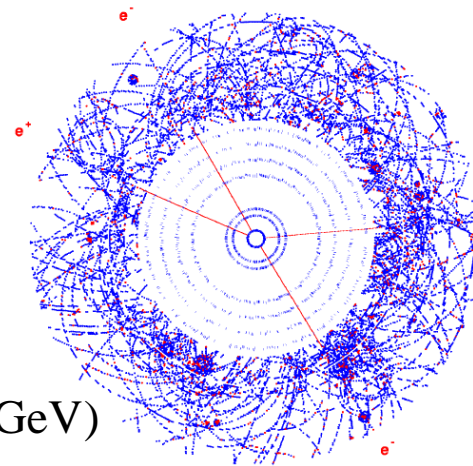
# ATLAS Tracker



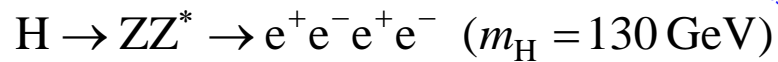
$$3.0 \times 10^{33} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$$



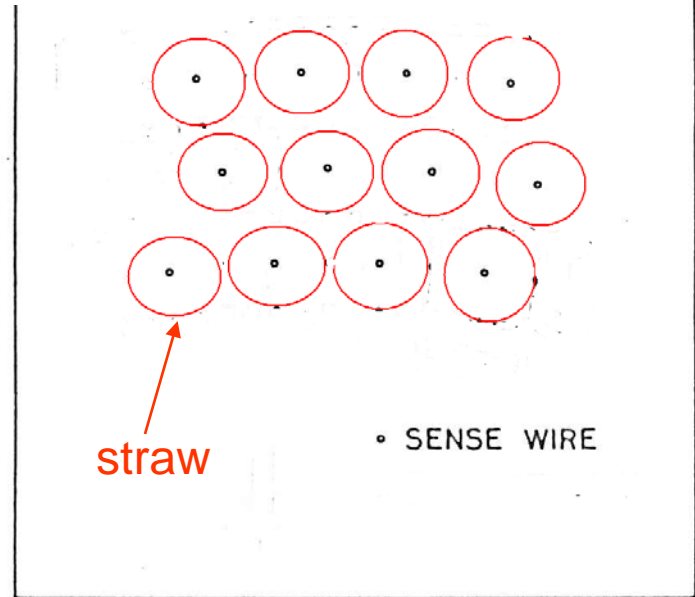
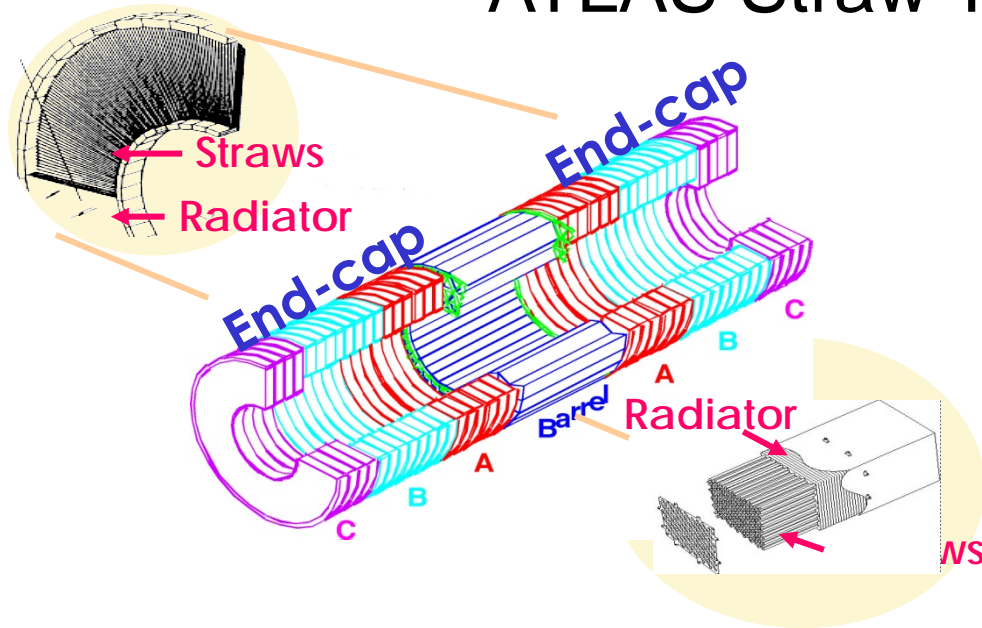
Inner Tracker



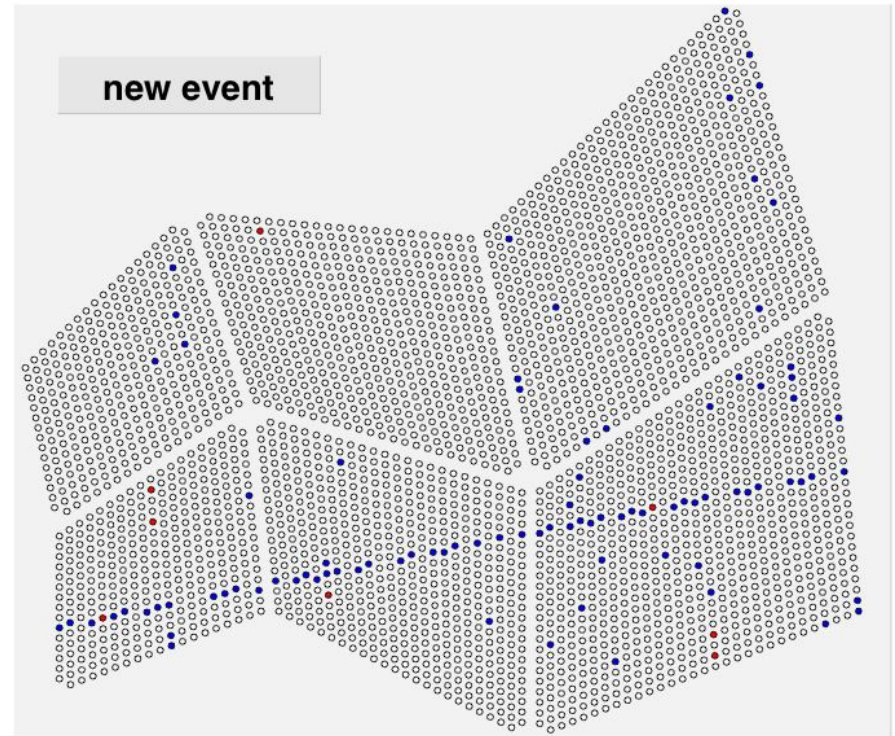
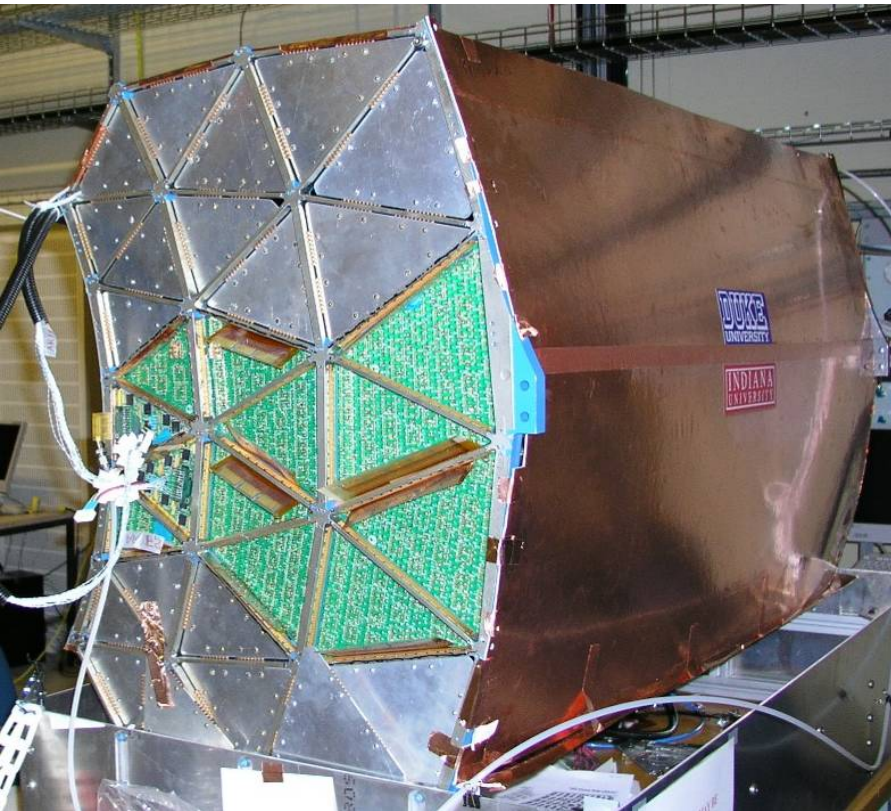
$$10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$$



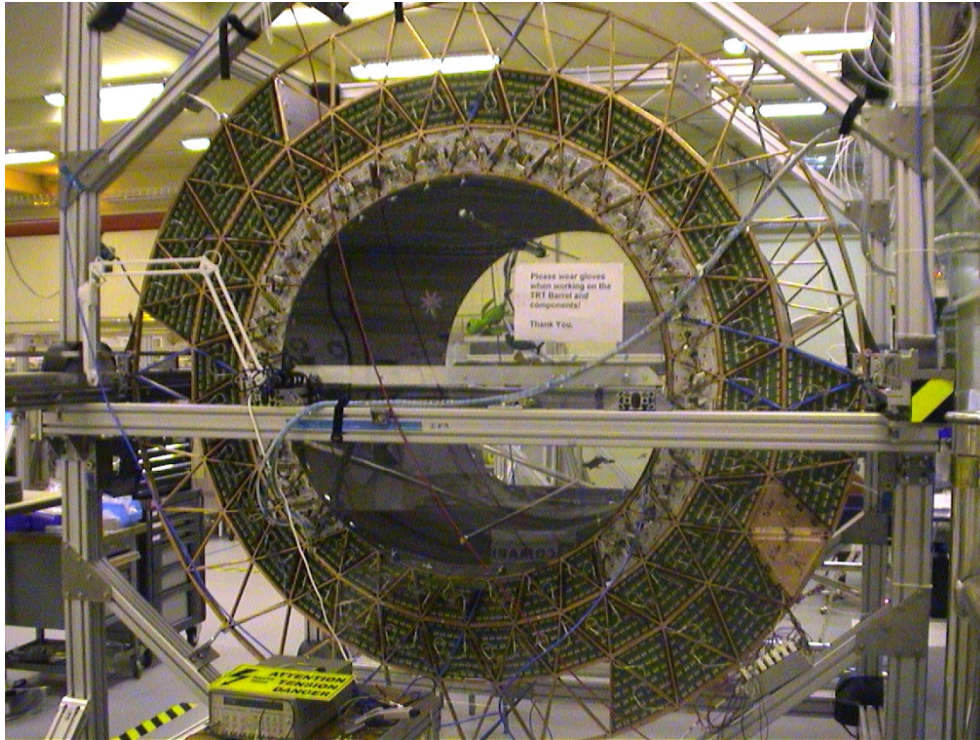
# ATLAS Straw Tracker

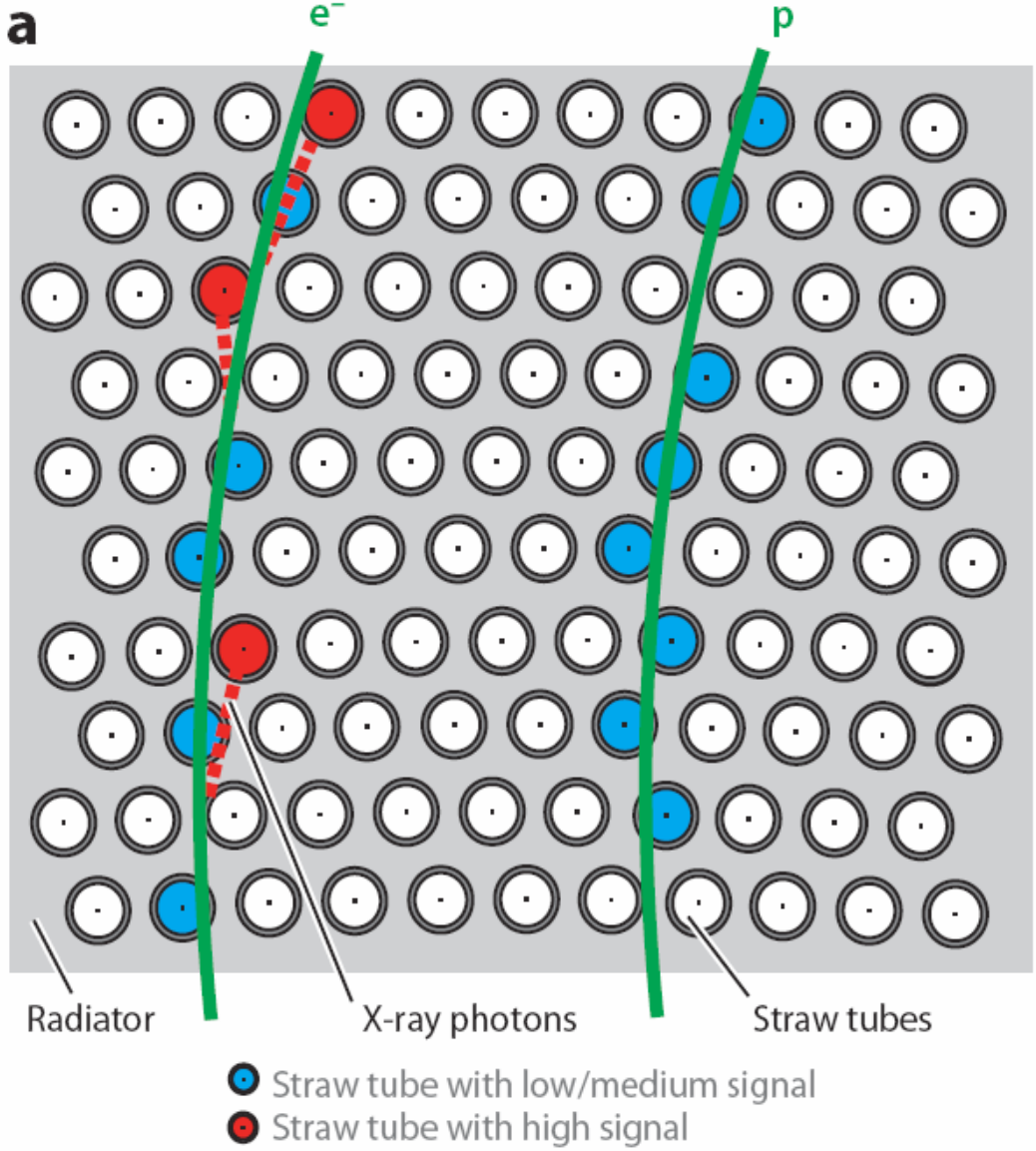


# Straw tracker test beam module



# Assembly of straw tracker





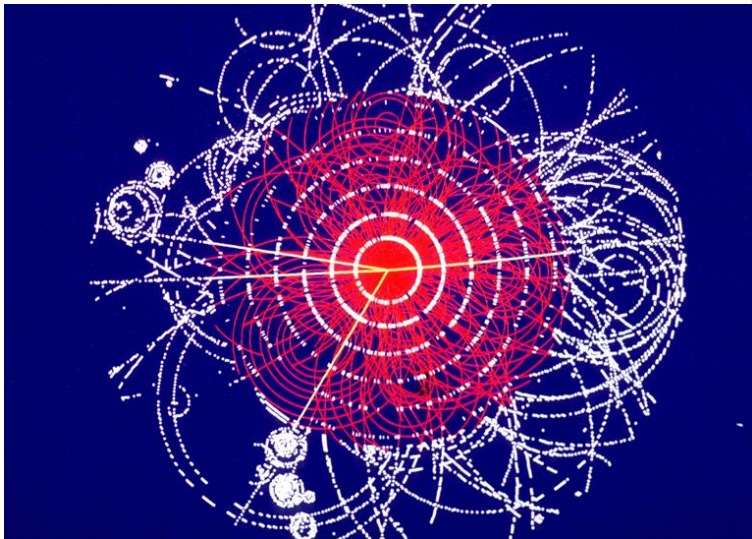
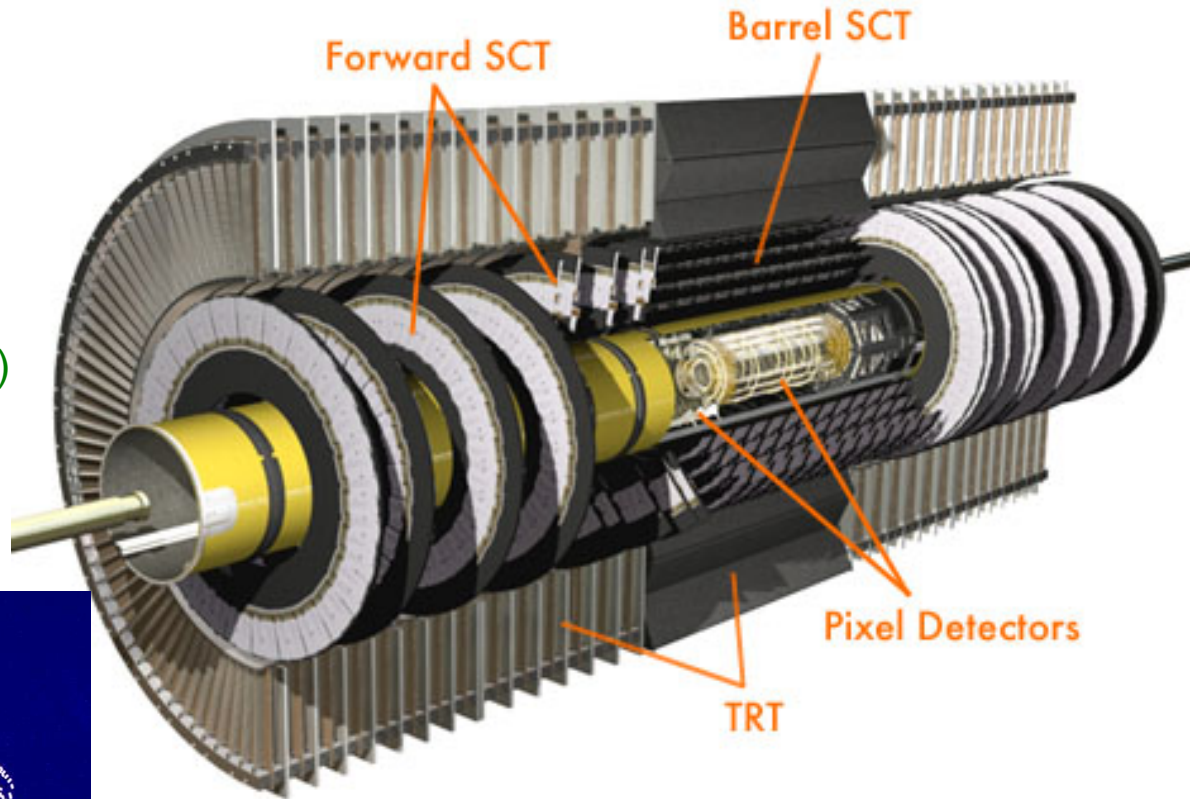
PARTICLE ID IN  
ATLAS STRAW TRACKER

→ TRANSITION  
RADIATION

# Inner Detector (ID)

The Inner Detector (ID) comprises four sub-systems:

- Pixels ( $0.8 \cdot 10^8$  channels)
- Silicon Tracker (SCT) ( $6 \cdot 10^6$  channels)
- Transition Radiation Tracker (TRT) ( $4 \cdot 10^5$  channels)
- Common ID items

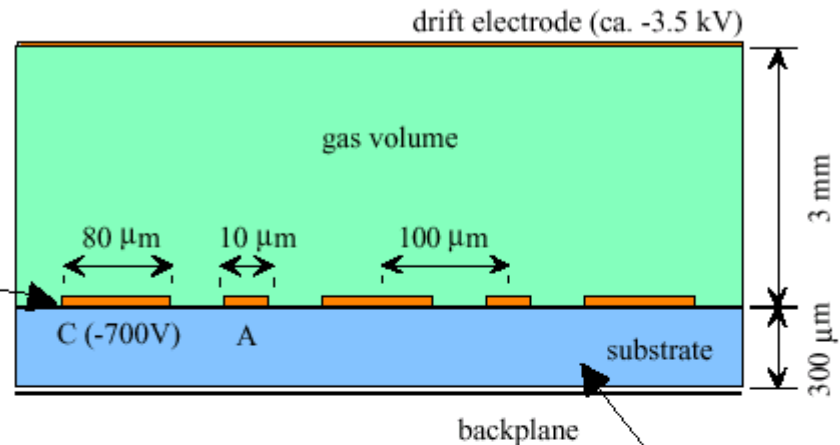


# ◆ Microstrip gas chambers

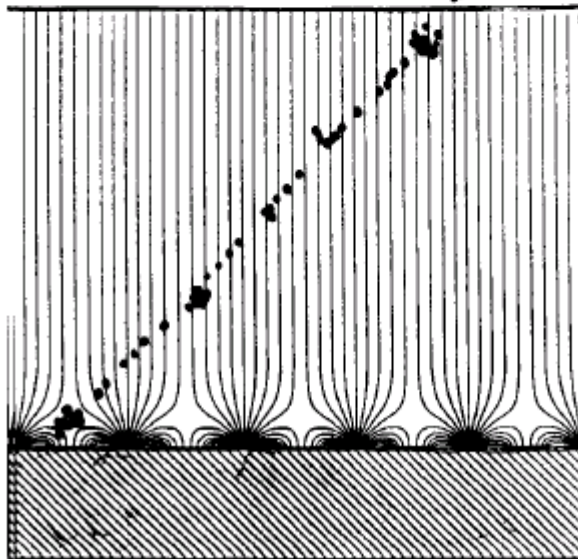
(A. Oed, NIM A 263 (1988) 352)

geometry and typical dimensions  
(former CMS standard)

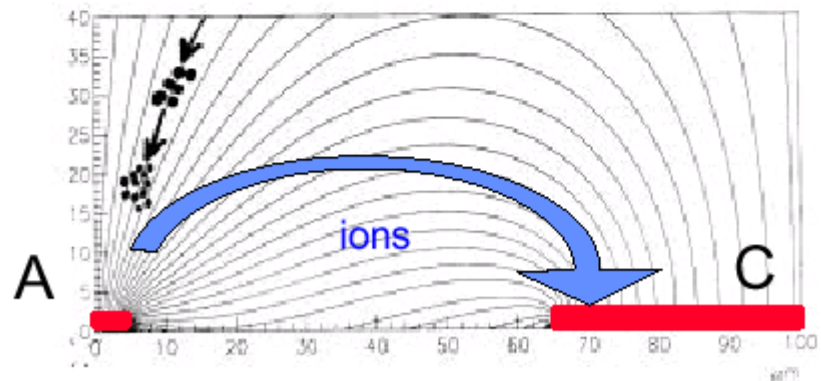
Gold strips  
+ Cr underlayer



Field geometry



Glass DESAG AF45 + S8900  
semiconducting glass coating,  
 $\rho=10^{16} \Omega/\square$



Fast ion evacuation  $\rightarrow$  high rate capability  
 $\approx 10^6 /(\text{mm}^2 \cdot \text{s})$



## CHARGE BUILD UP ON MICROSTRIPS

THE SUBSTRATE ON MICROSTRIPS HAS A  
HIGH RESISTANCE

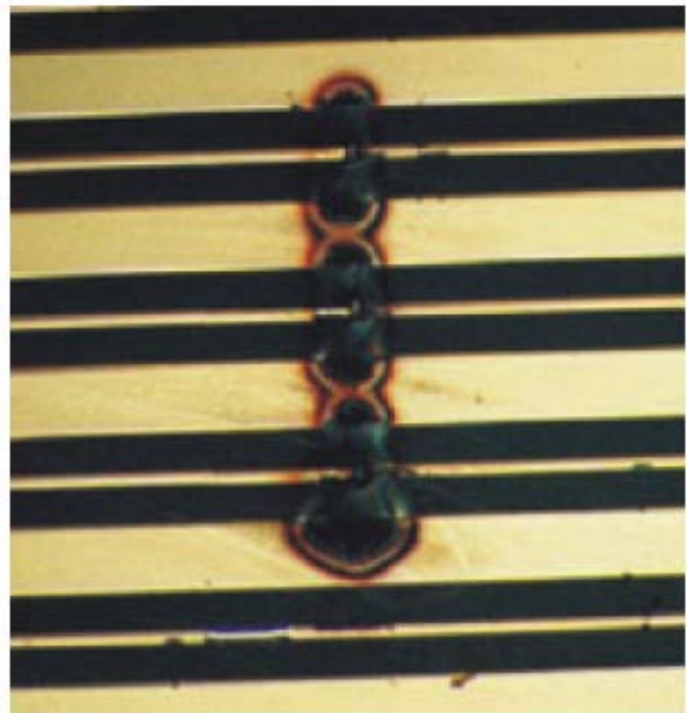
IN VERY HIGH RATE ENVIRONMENT

→ CHARGE BUILD UP

→ DISCHARGE

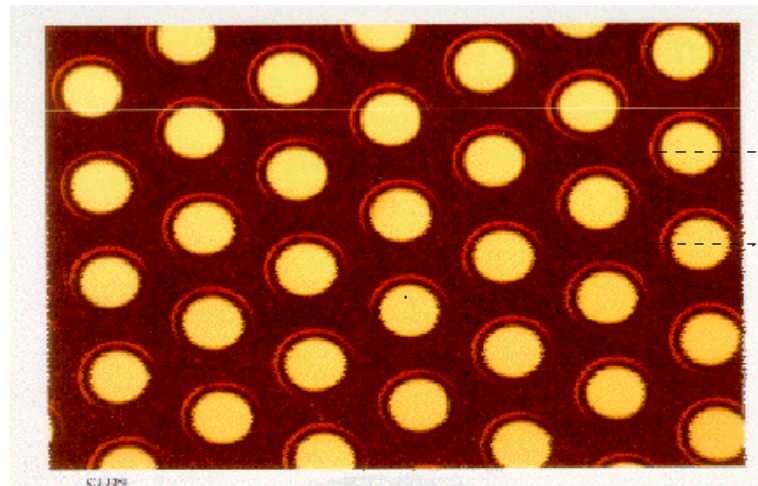
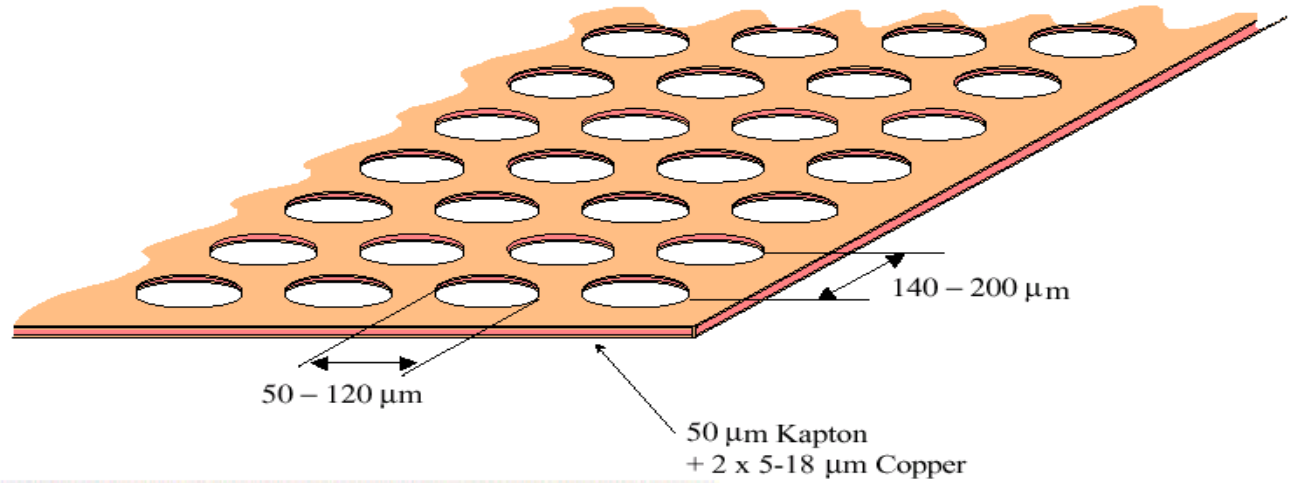
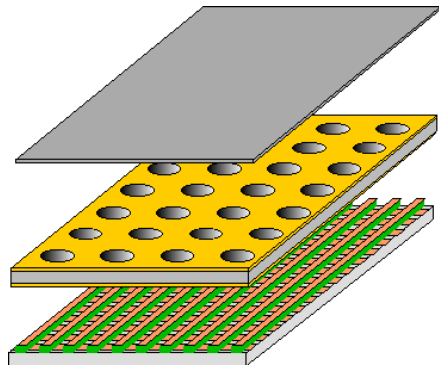
→ DAMAGE

**b**

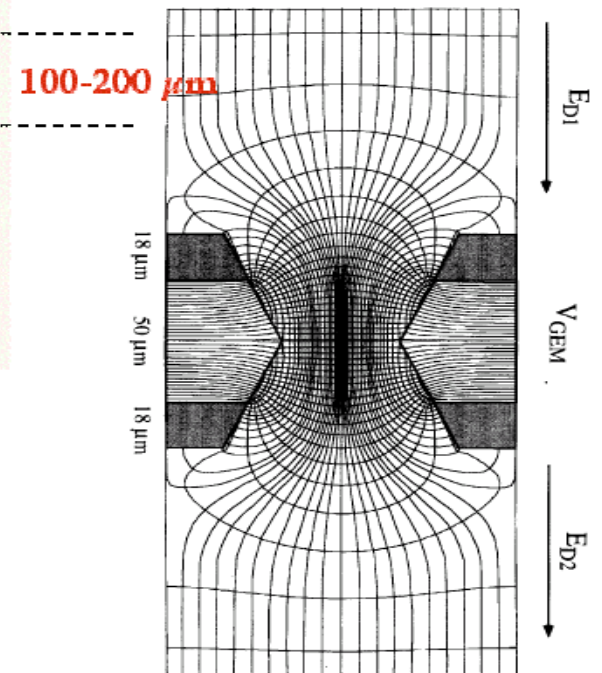


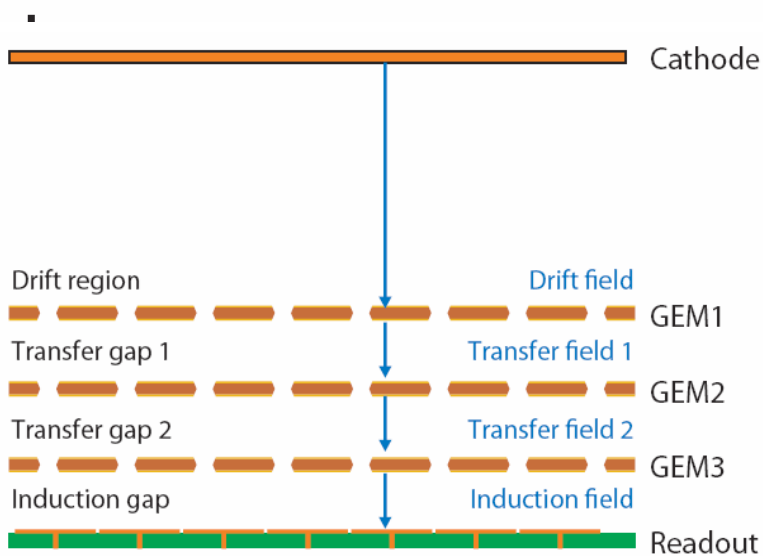
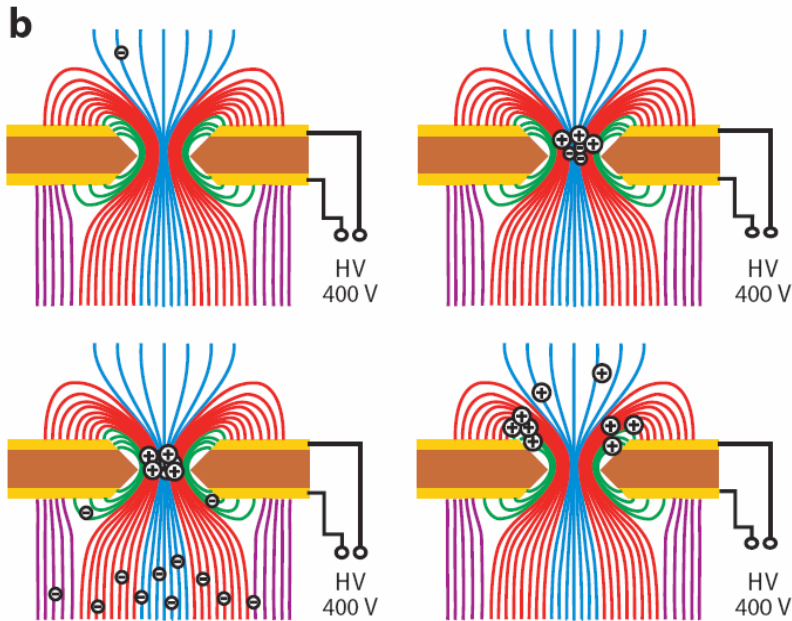
# ◆ GEM: The Gas Electron Multiplier

(R. Bouclier et al., NIM A 396 (1997) 50)



Micro photo of a GEM foil





IN THE GEM

GAS AMPLIFICATION  
DECOUPLED FROM

READ OUT REGION

→ HIGH RATE

→ NO SPACE CHARGE

→ NO BREAKDOWN

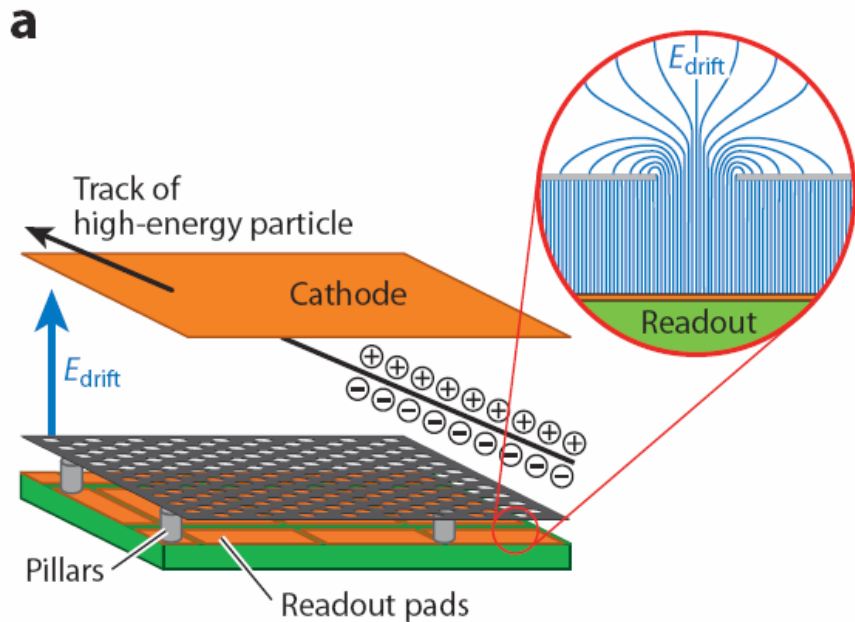
BECAUSE IONS DO NOT  
PENETRATE GEM FOIL

CAN CASCADE FOILS

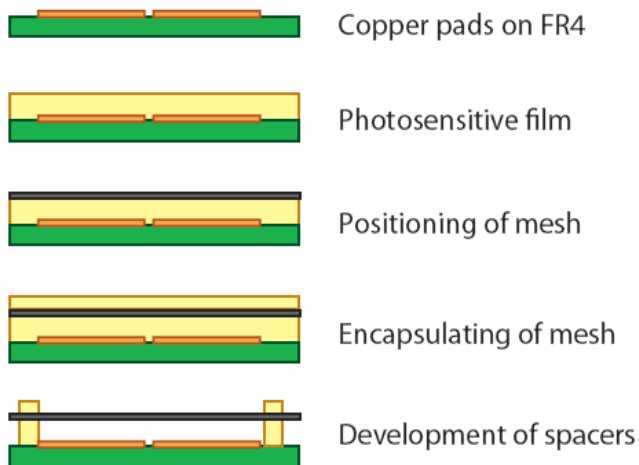
TO GET LARGE ENOUGH  
GAIN

$\sim 10^4$

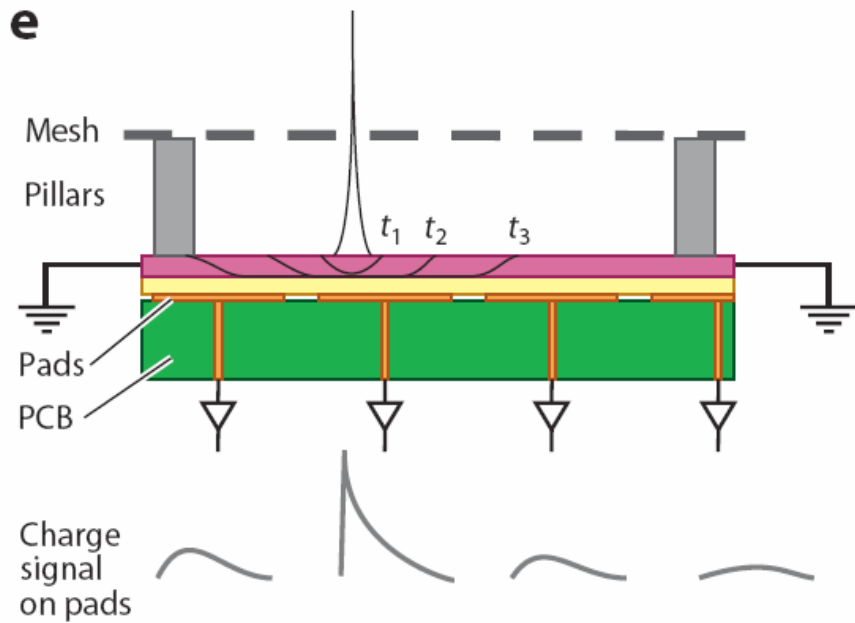
# MICRO MEGA



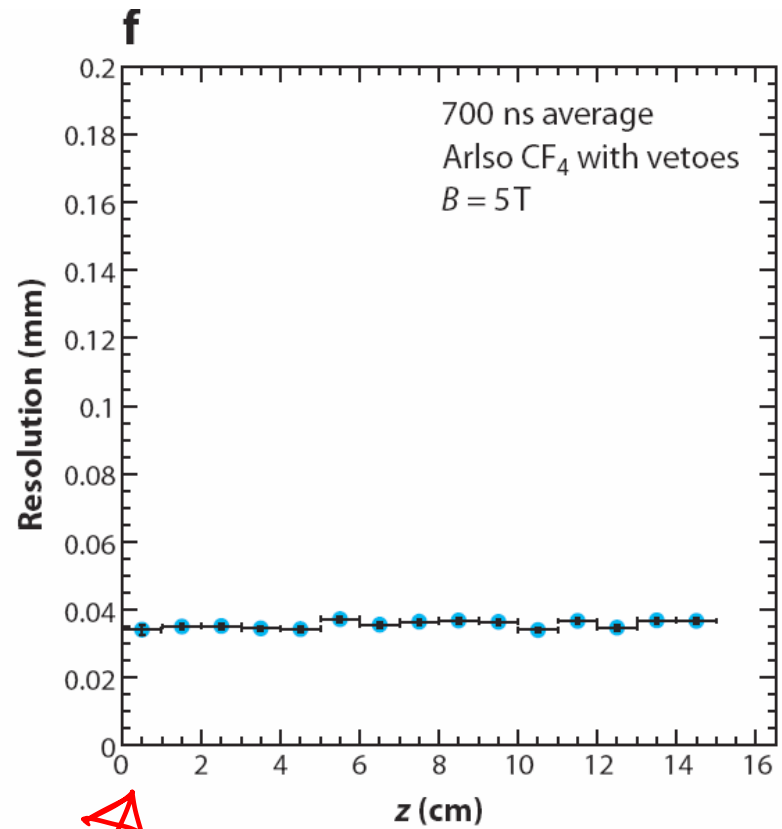
TWO STAGE DETECTOR  
LARGE DRIFT REGION  
 $\sim 100 \text{ V/cm}$   
SMALL AMPLIFICATION REGION  
 $\sim 10 \text{ kV/cm}$   
GAS GAIN  $\sim 10^4$   
RESOLUTION  $\sim 70 \mu\text{m}$

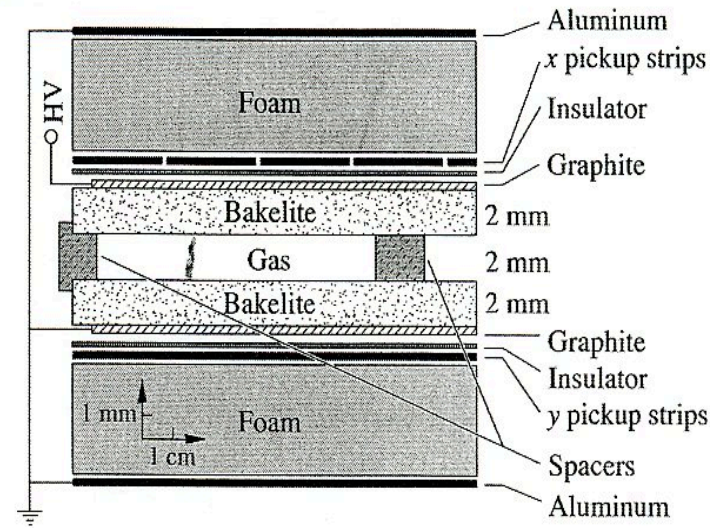


← TYPICAL CONSTRUCTION

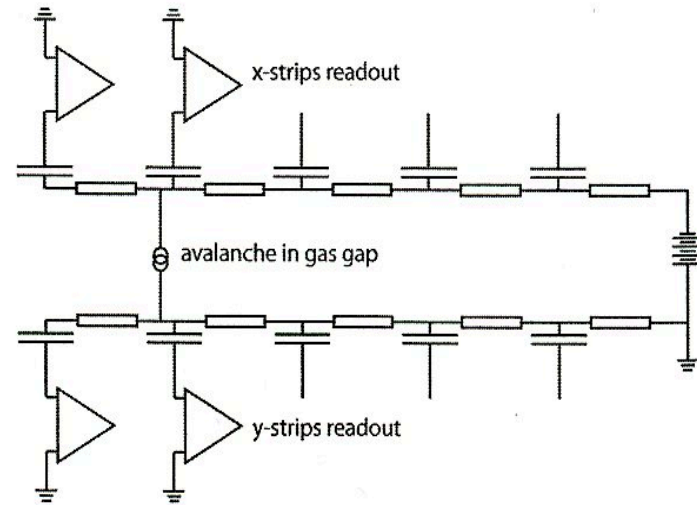


MICROMEGA USED AS  
READ OUT IN TPC  
→ RESISTIVE PAD CHARGE  
SHARING FOR IMPROVED  
SPATIAL PRECISION





(a)



(b)

**Fig. 4.25** (a) Typical structure of a resistive plate chamber (RPC). Figure from Ref. [6] in Chap. 1, with permission. (b) Equivalent electric circuit representing the readout of an RPC