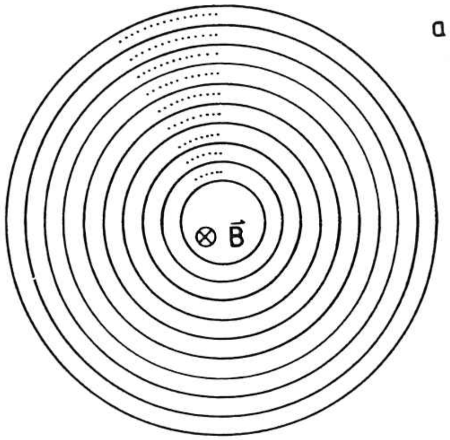
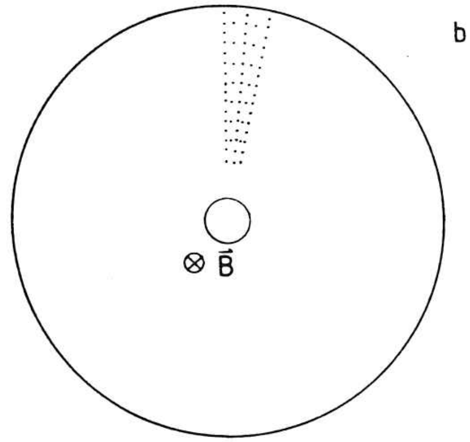
Different Realizations of Ionization Trackers

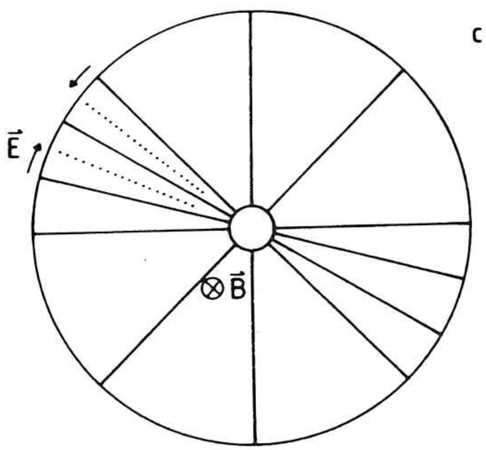
MWPC

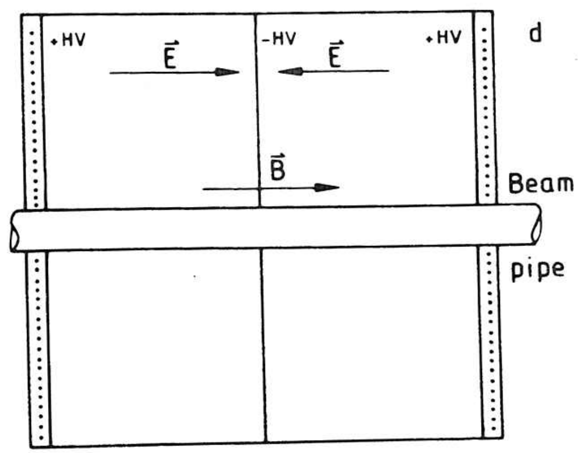




Drift Chamber

Jet Chamber





Time Projection Chamber

Drift Chamber Cell

potential shaping wires

sense wire

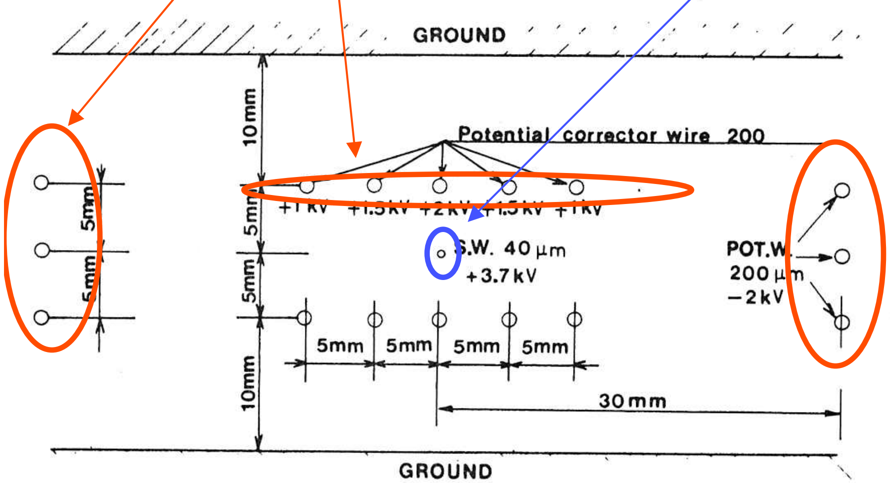


Fig. 11. Cell structure of large area drift chamber [MA 77].

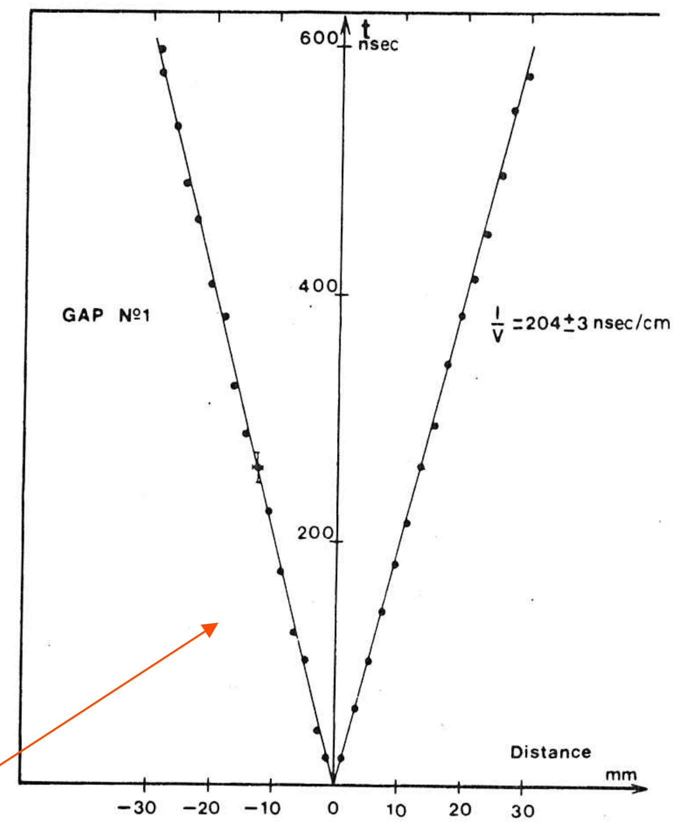
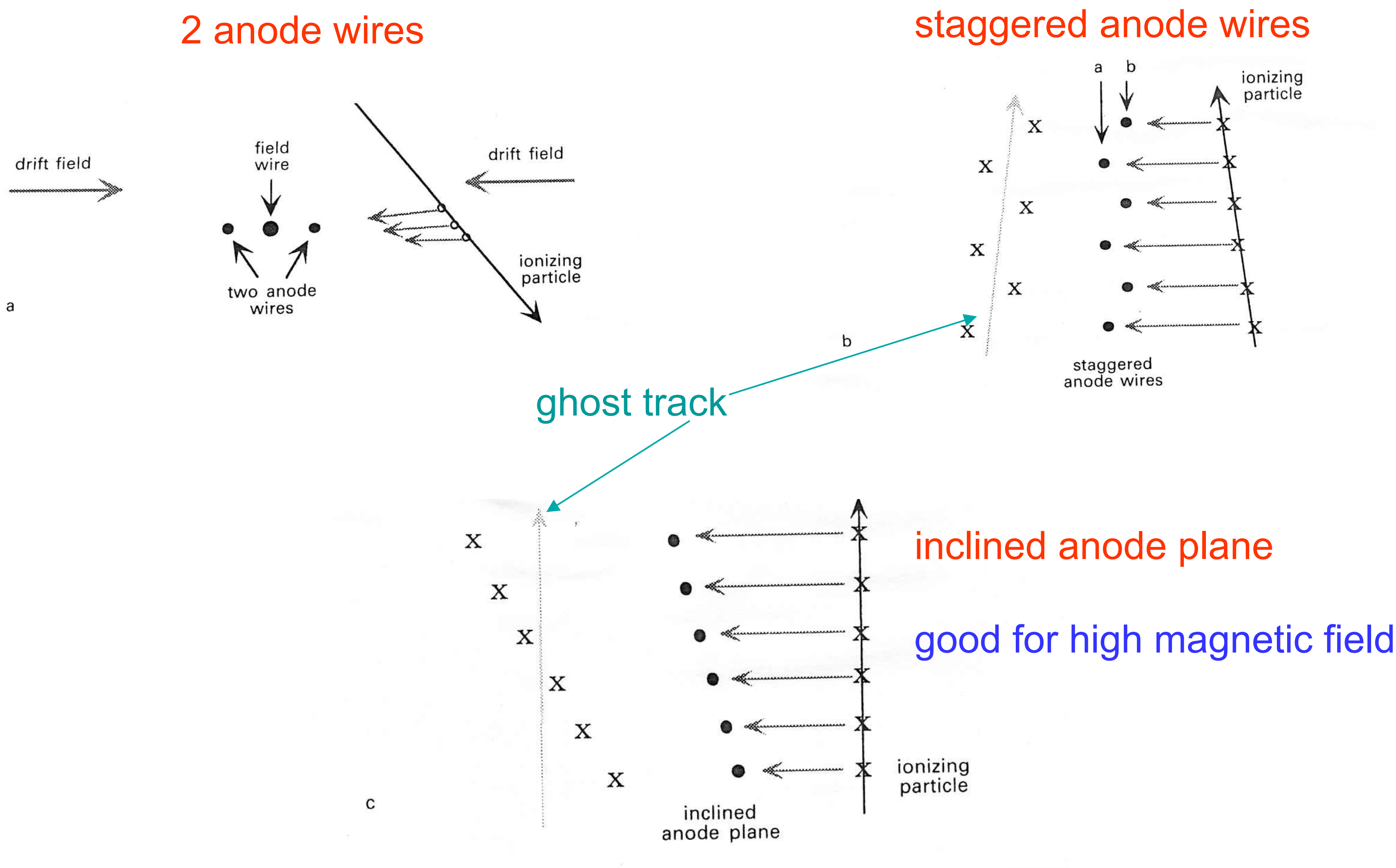


Fig. 12. Linear relation between drift time and position [MA 77].

drift time

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

Left-Right Ambiguity Resolution



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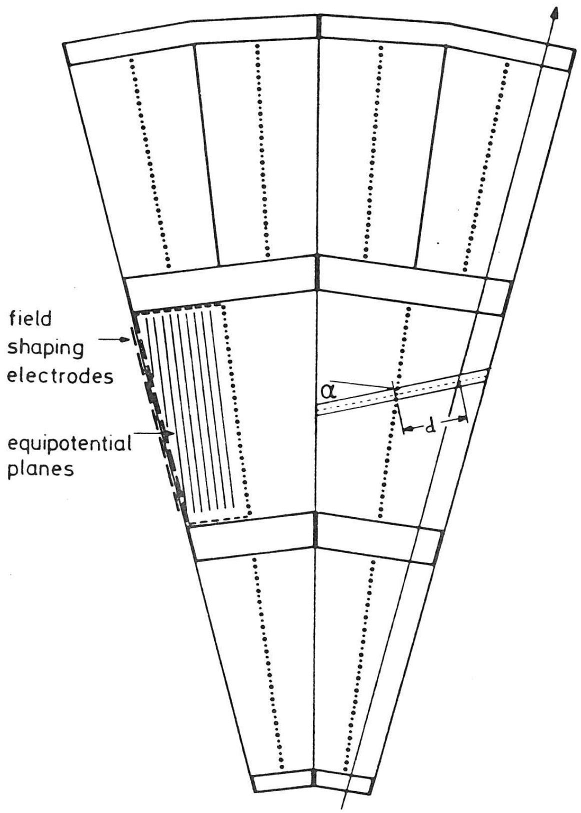
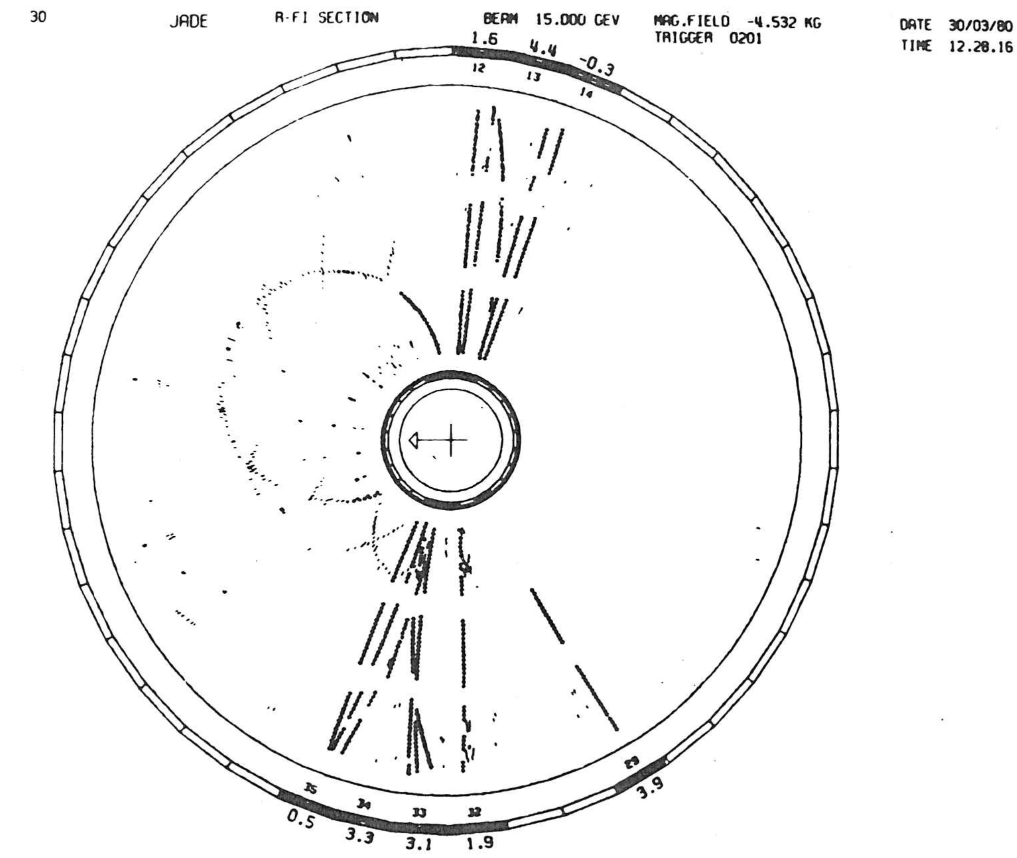




e^+e^- annihilation at 30 GeV

Lorentz Angle – Drift Chamber in Magnetic Field

- Drifting electron will see

  Electric Field $\bar{E}$

  Magnetic Field $\bar{B}$

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

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

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

  - Assume over time

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

acceleration

constant v_D

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

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

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

solution:

(1) *(3)* *(2)*

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

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

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

Lorentz Angle – Drift Chamber in Magnetic Field

solution:

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

- Drift velocity has three components

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

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

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

- If $\overline{E},\overline{B}$ perpendicular $\quad \overline{E} = \left(E_x, 0, 0\right)$, $\quad \overline{B} = \left(0, 0, B_z\right)$

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

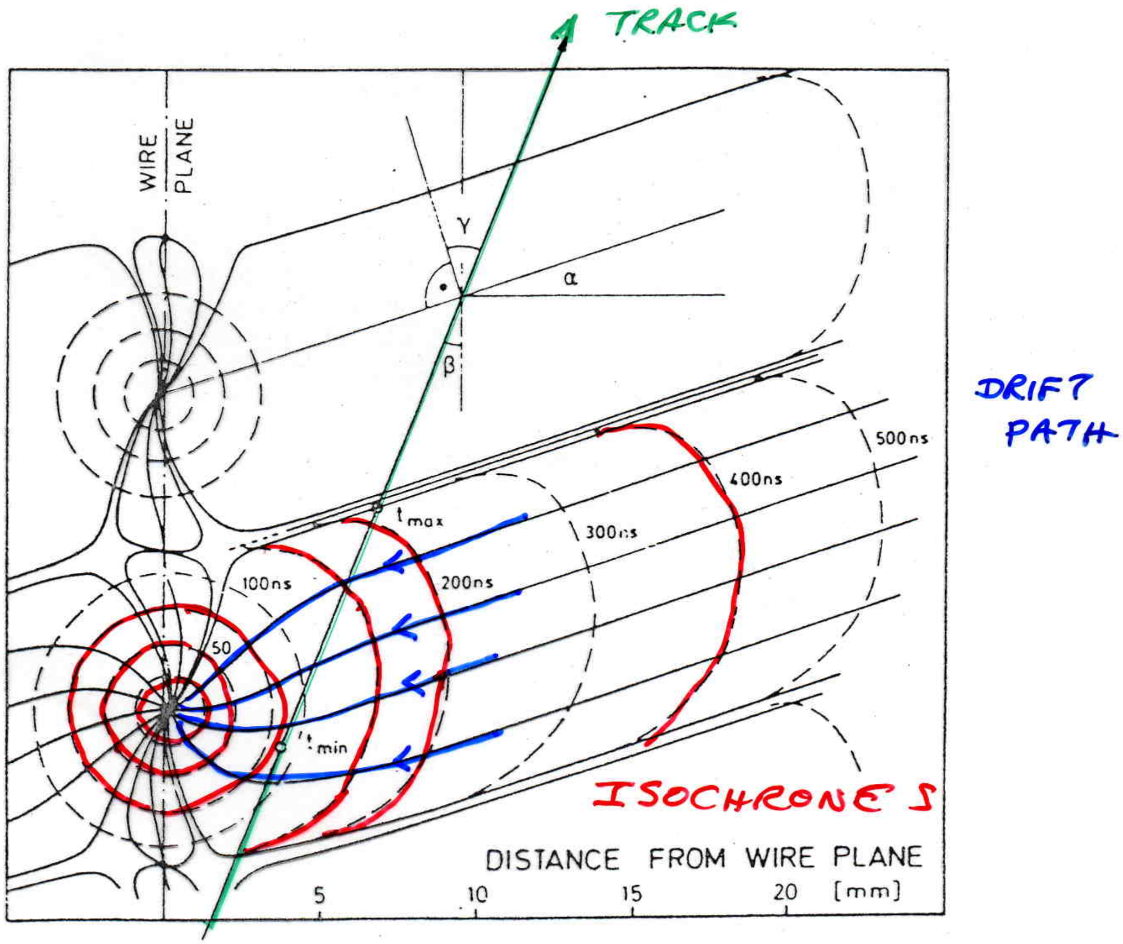
$$v_y = -\mu E_x \frac{\omega\tau}{1+\omega^2\tau^2}$$

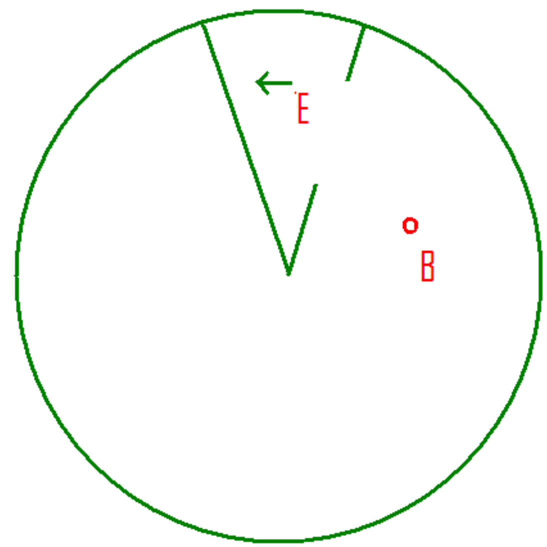
$$v_z = 0$$

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

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

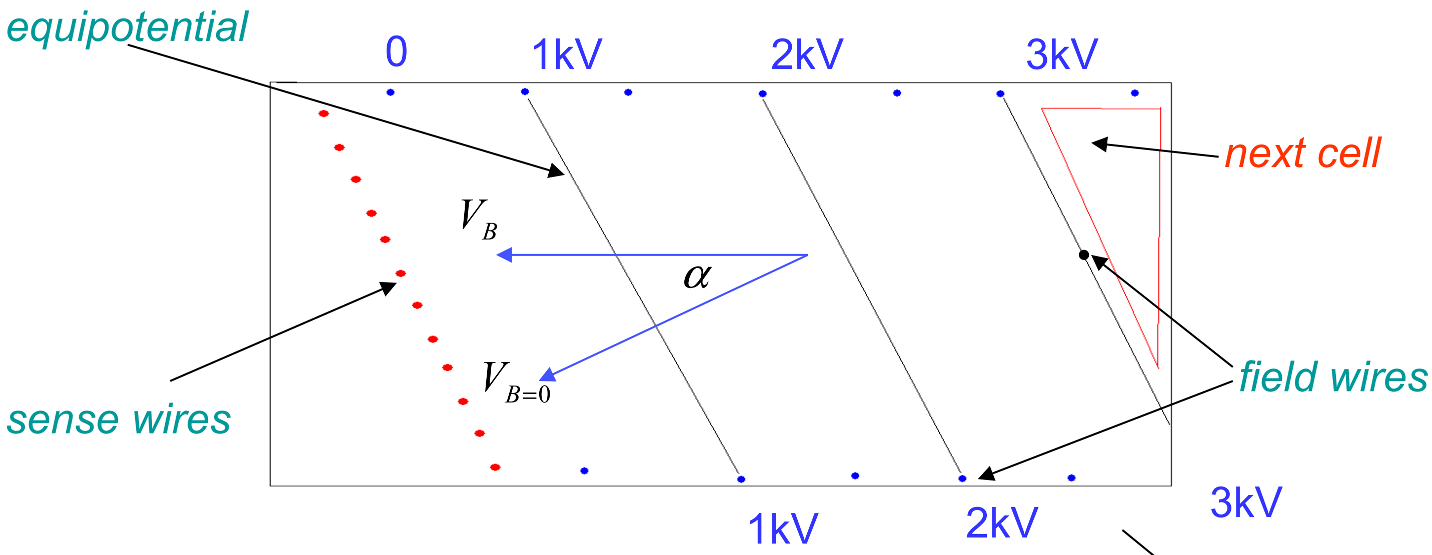
LORENTZ ANGLE

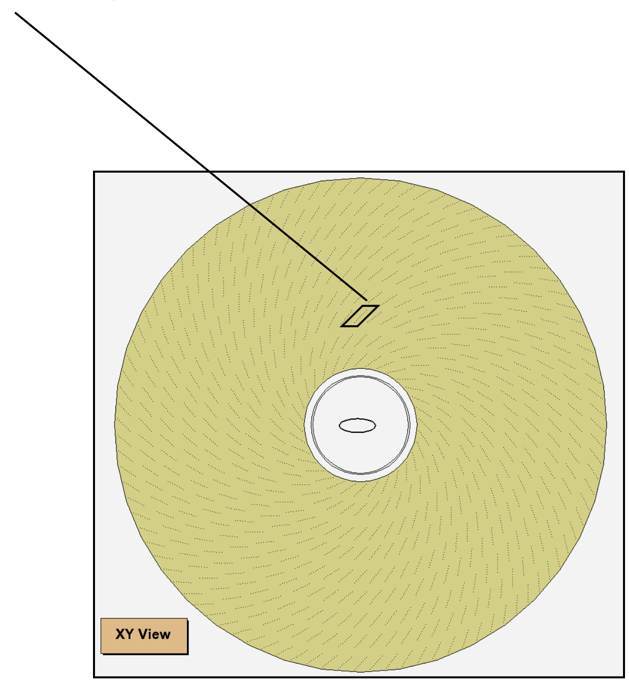




$\bar{E} \times \bar{B}$ v_{DRIFT} DEVIATES FROM ELECTRIC FIELD DIRECTION

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





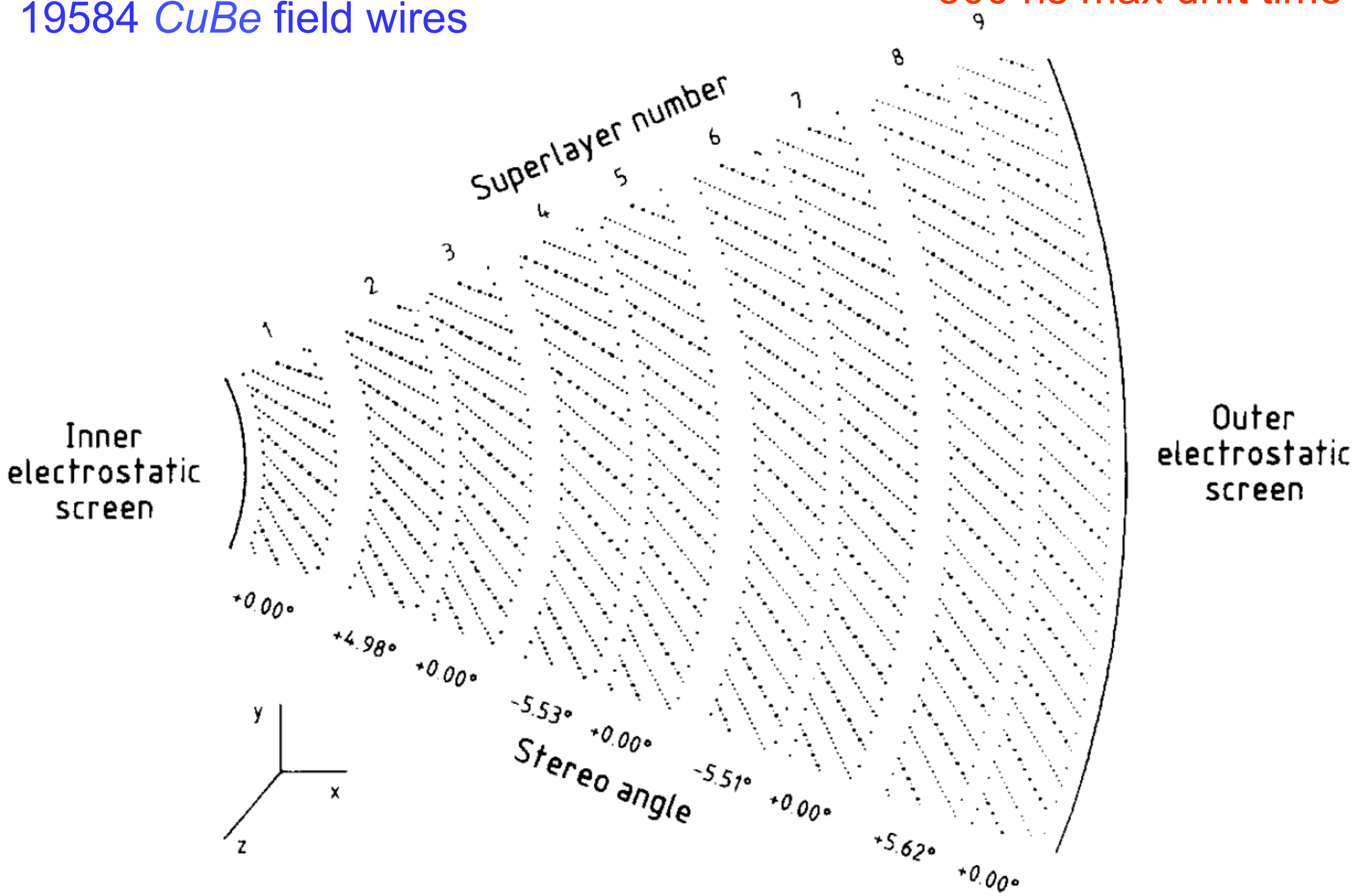
$$\tan\alpha = \frac{v_D}{E} B$$

Compensate for Lorentz angle by tilting electric field in drift cells

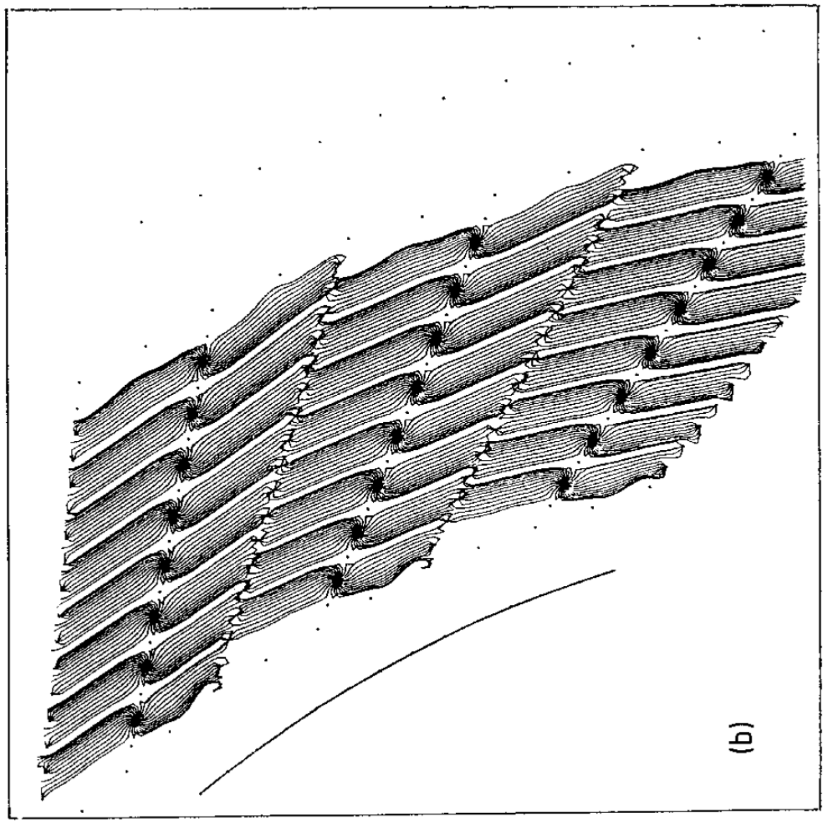
Structure of ZEUS DC

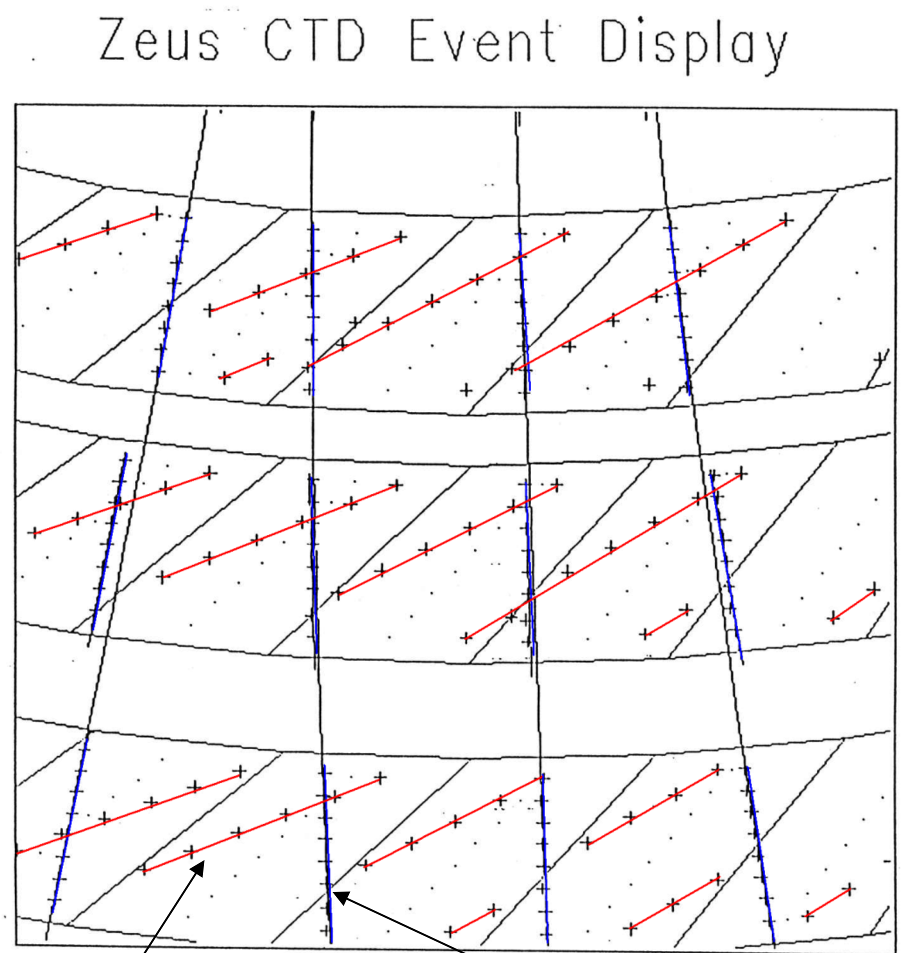
- Total wire tension 12 tons
- 4608 *W* sense wires (30 micron)
- 19584 *CuBe* field wires

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

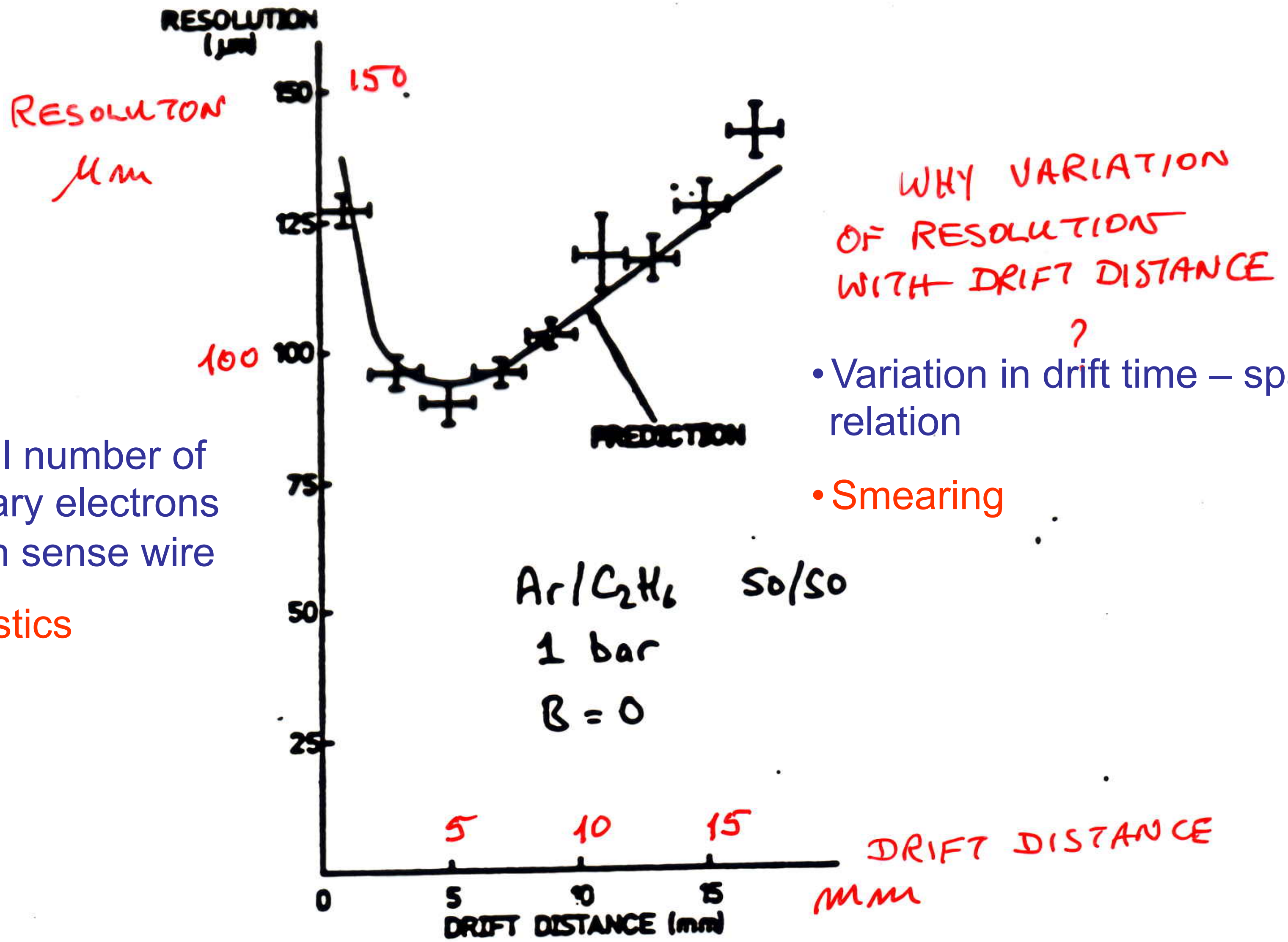


Tilted E Field – R-L ambiguity resolution





Spatial Resolution

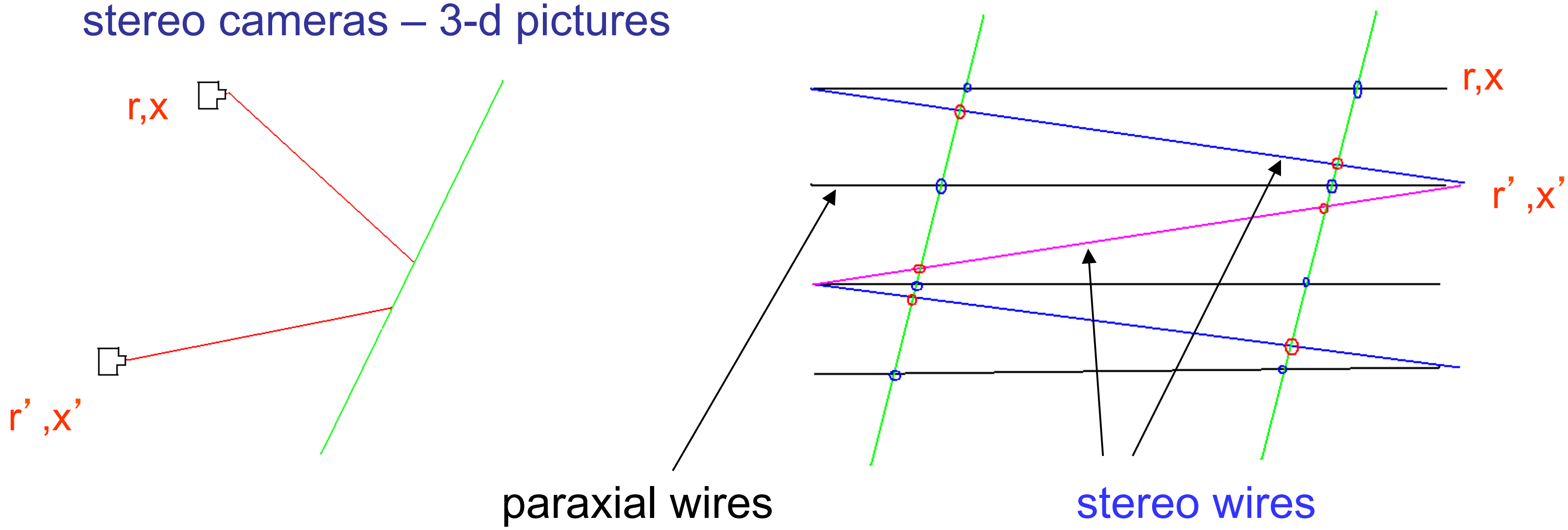


- Small number of primary electrons reach sense wire
- Statistics

- Variation in drift time – space relation
- Smearing

Stereo Wires – 3-d Reconstruction

stereo cameras – 3-d pictures

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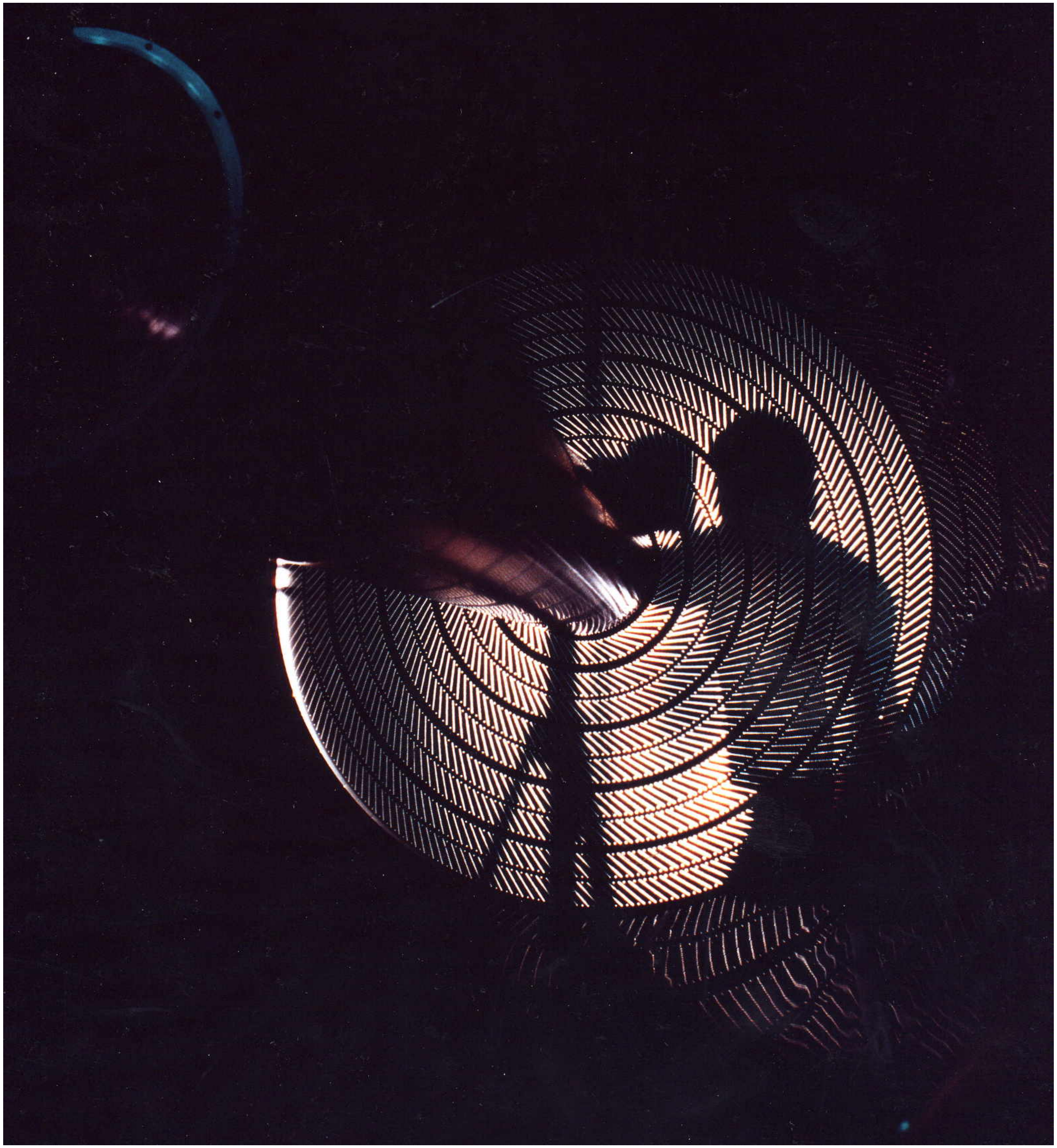
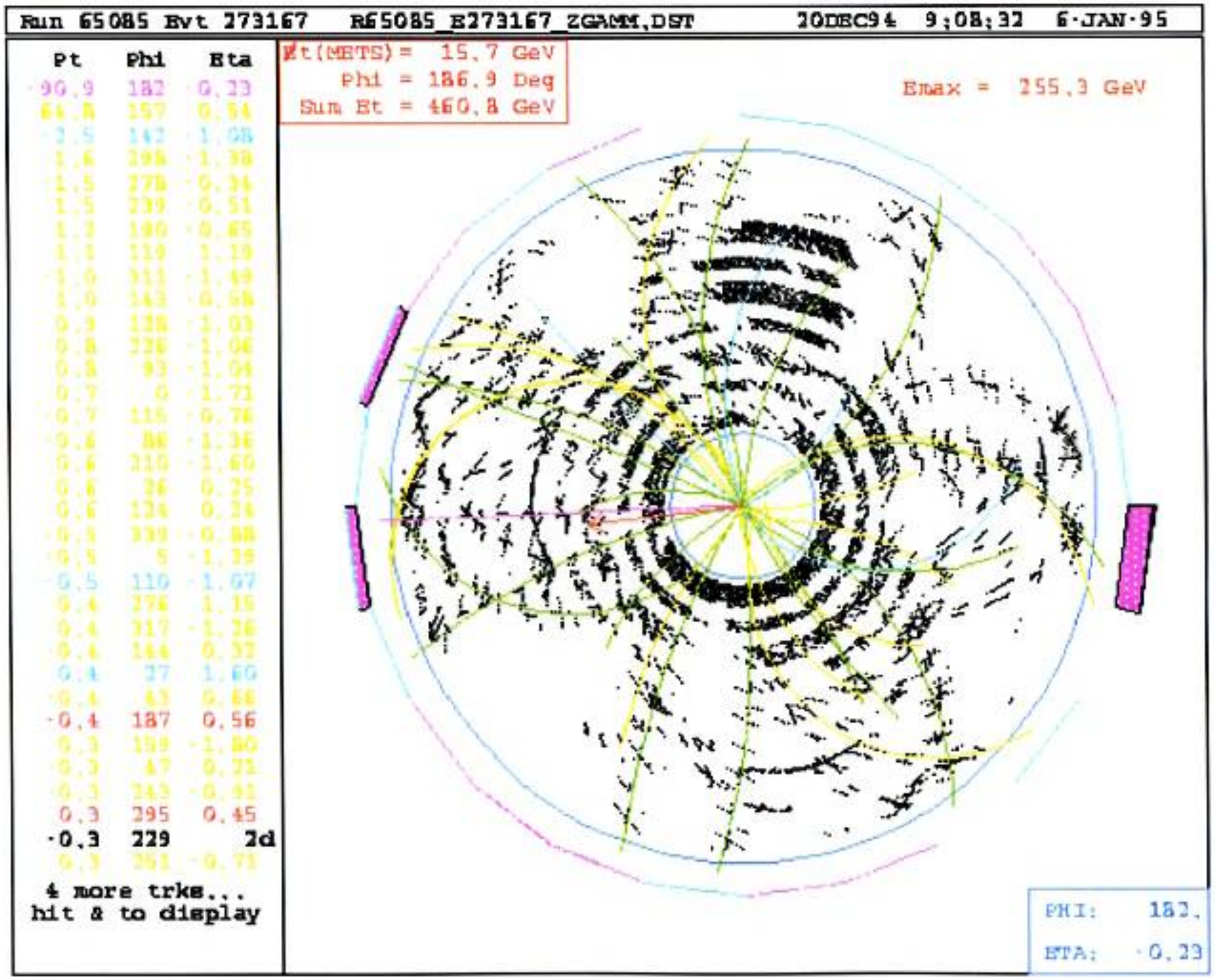
PROTON BEAM

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-0.4 187 0.56
0.3 295 0.45
-0.3 229 2d
4 more trks...
hit & to display
Et(METS) = 15.7 GeV
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Sum Et = 460.8 GeV
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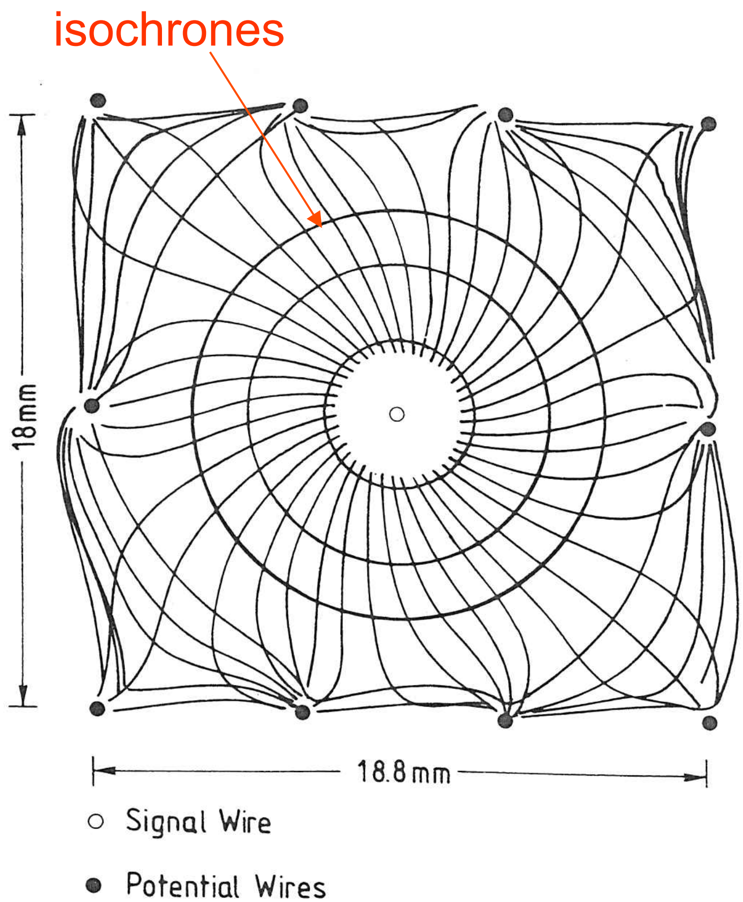
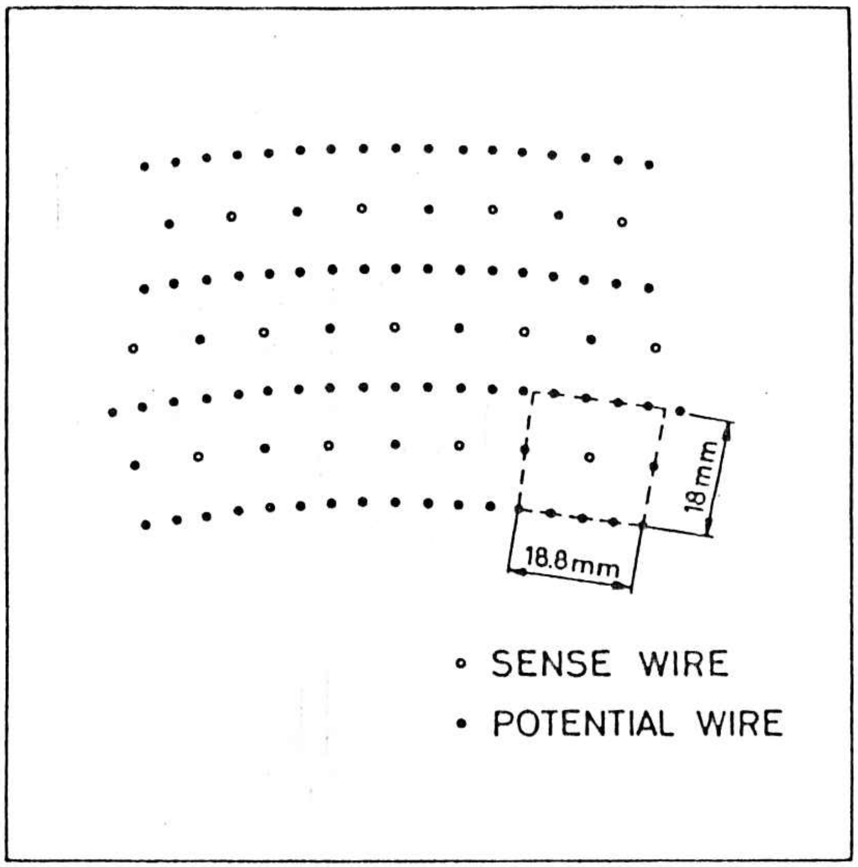
ETA: -0.23

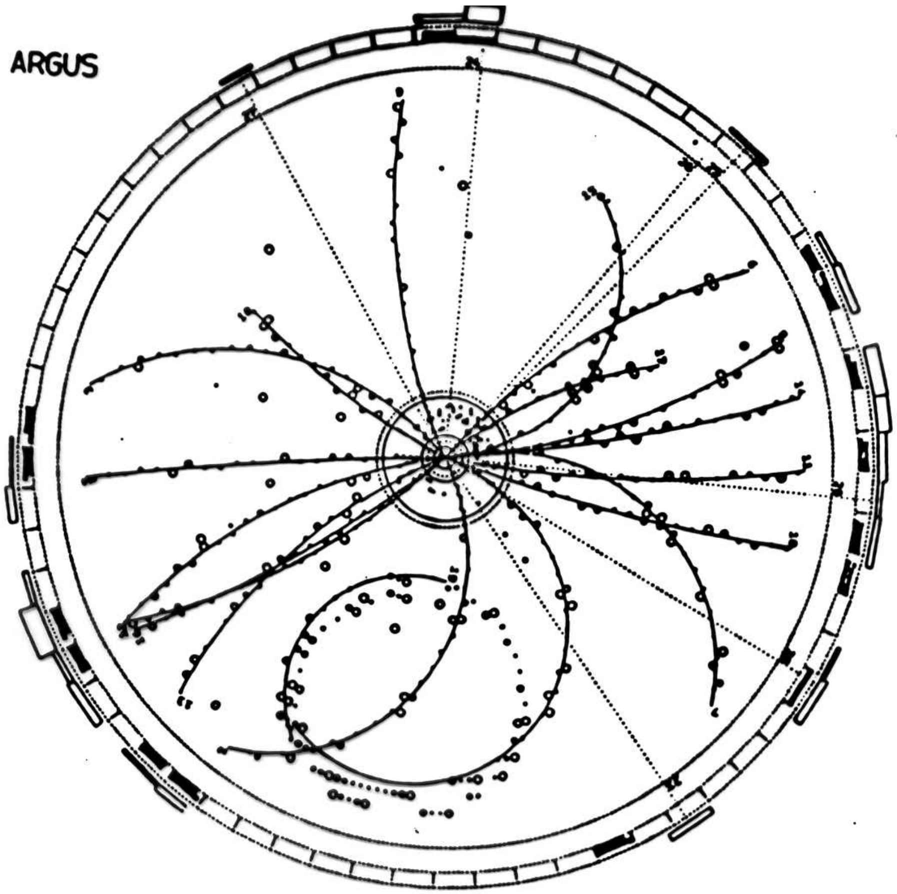
Square Drift Cells - ARGUS

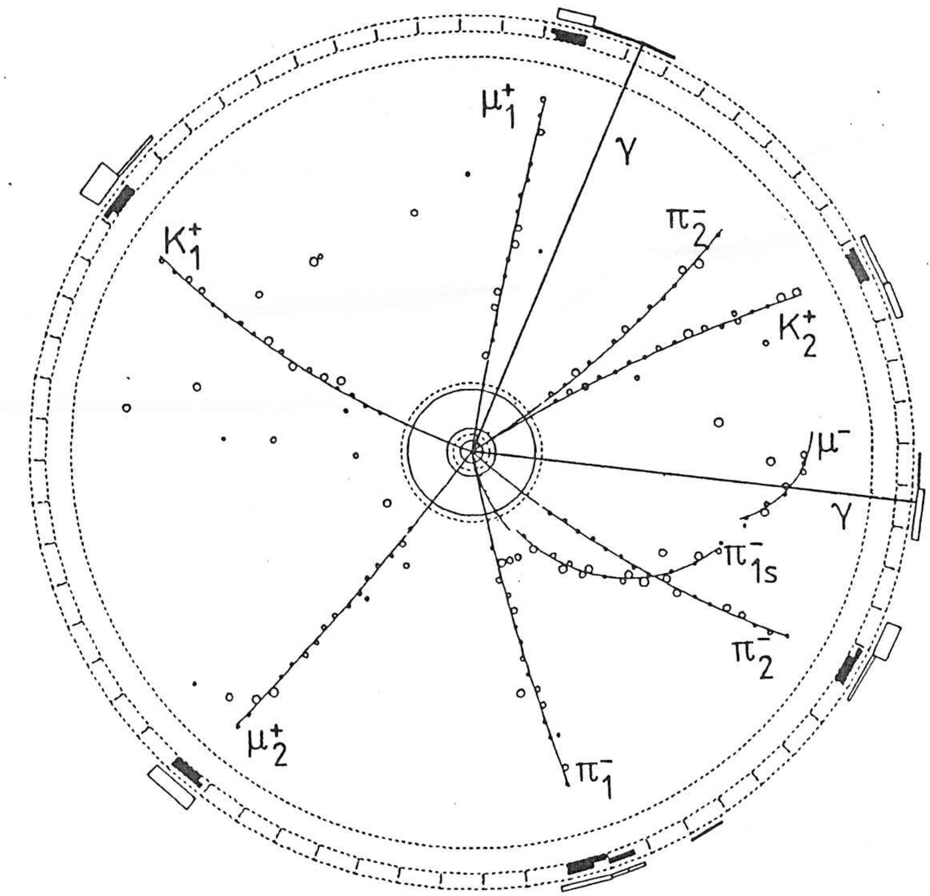




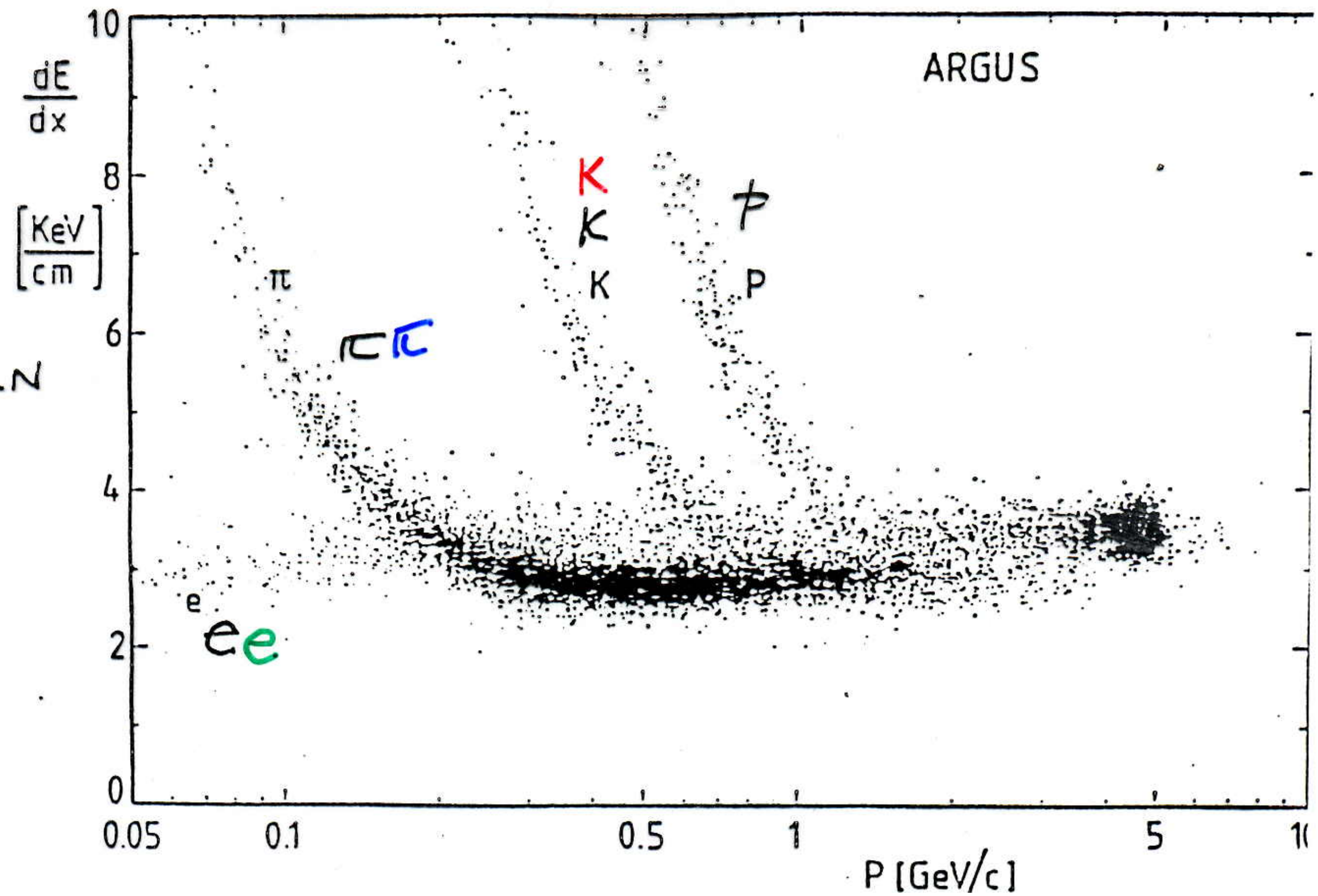
- Precision
- High Density of Information
- Pattern recognition complex ⇨ R-L ambiguity resolved by trying all possible combinations

ARGUS Events



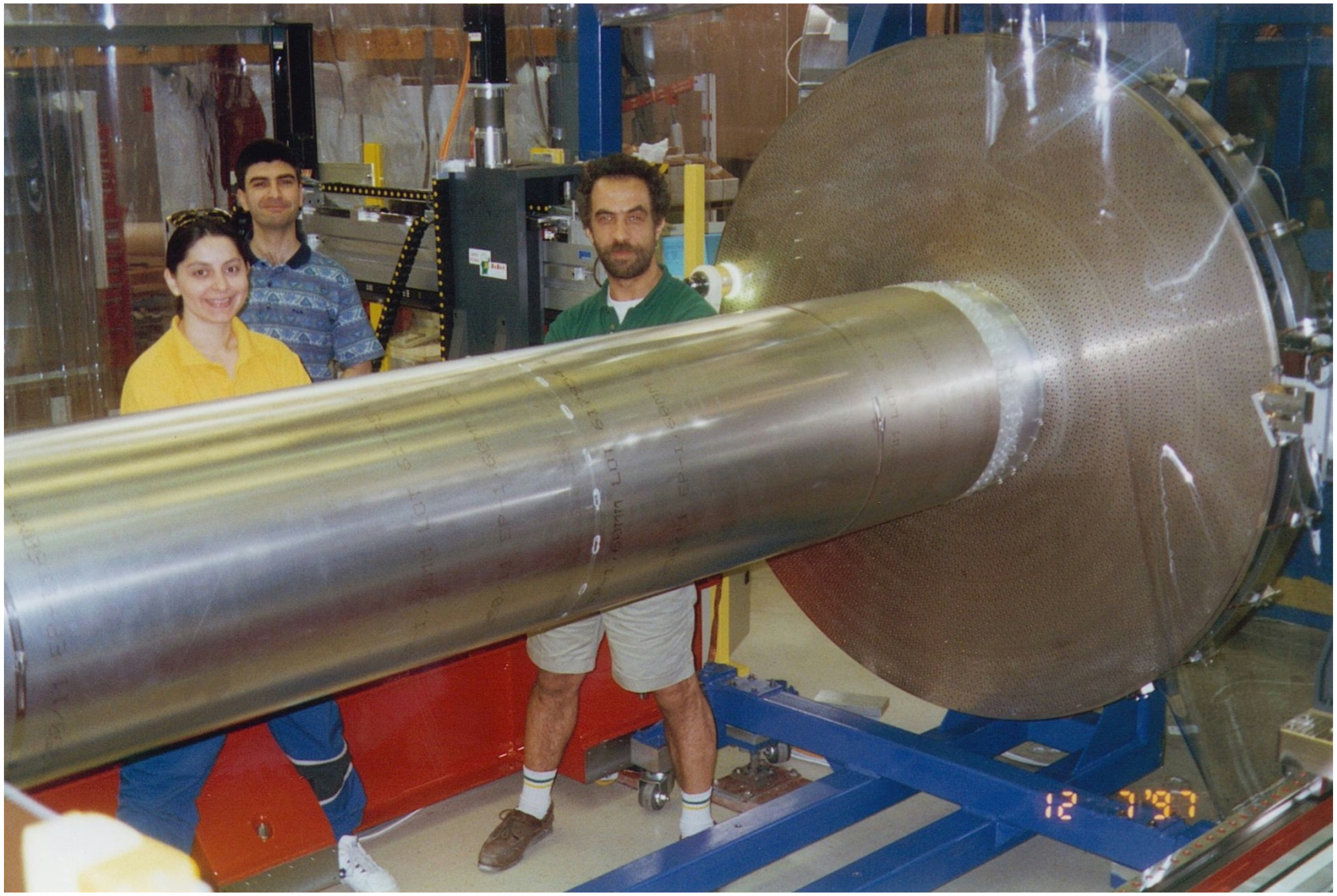


dE/dx Particle Identification



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

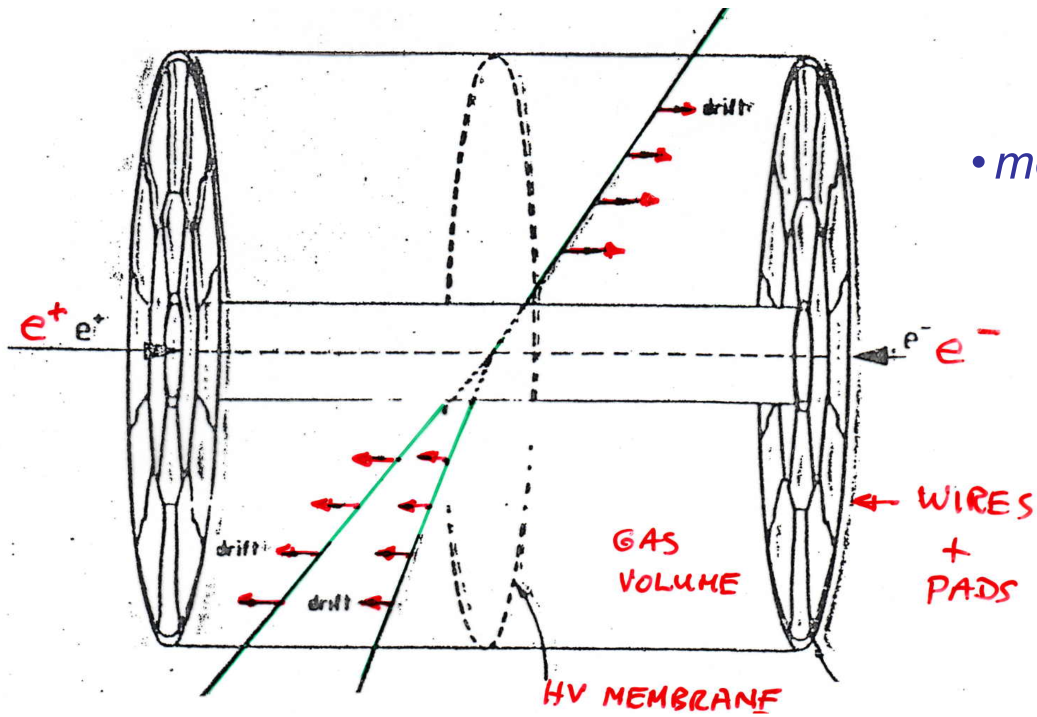
BaBar Drift Chamber



constructed at TRIUMF

Time Projection Chamber

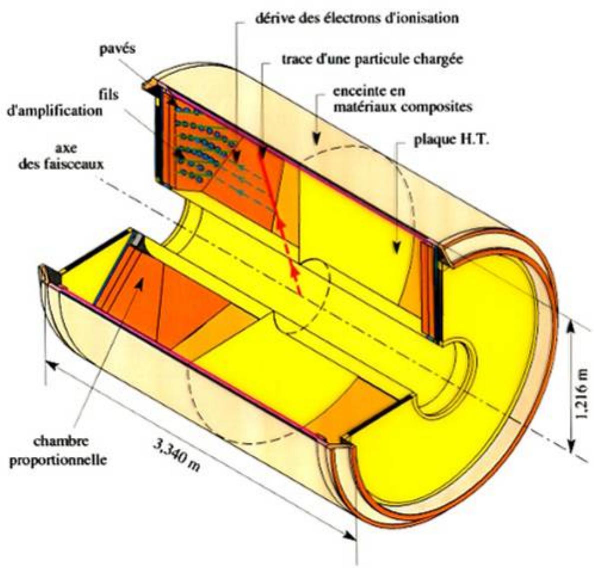
- Only two drift cells
- $\bar{E}$ parallel to $\bar{B}$, so no Lorentz angle

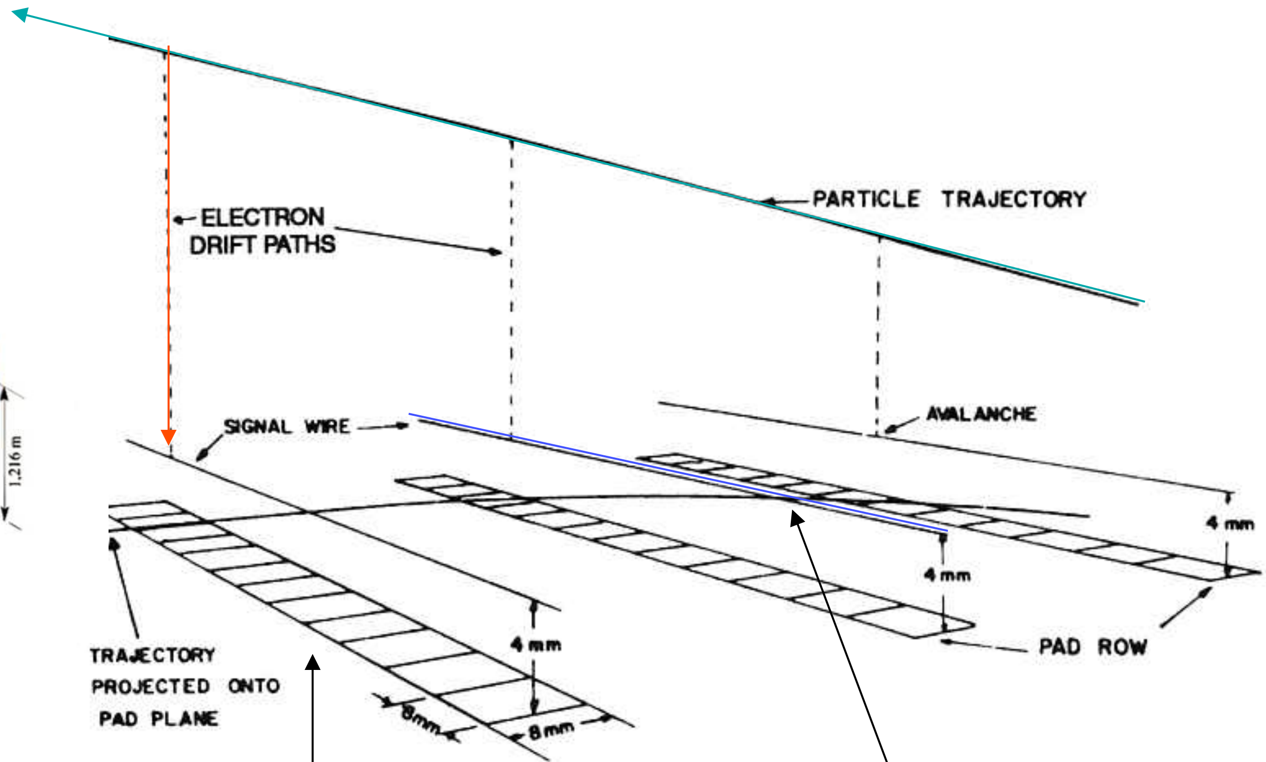


- *measure z, from drift time* $\sigma_{r,\phi}$: 180μ
- *measure r,Φ from pads and wires on endplates* σ_z : 200μ

- Good pattern recognition and precision in medium multiplicity environment ➡ space charge limitation

DELPHI Time Projection Chamber

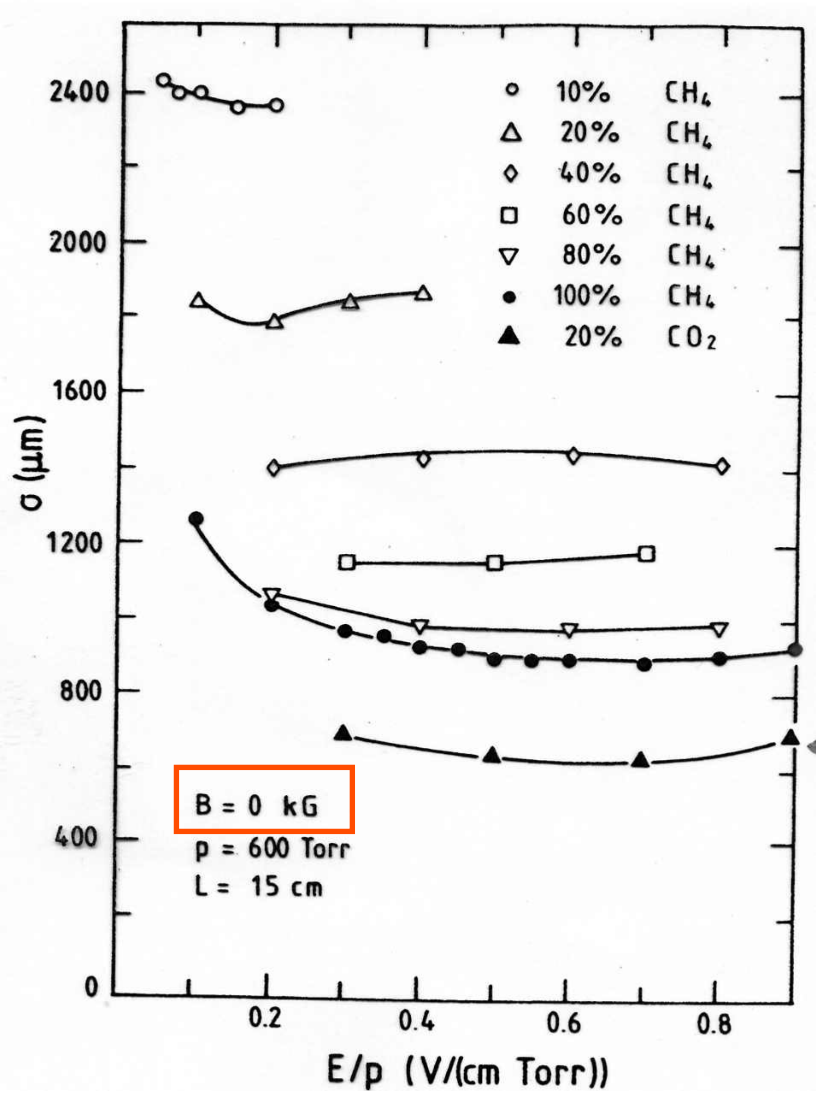




wire – drift time

pad – position on the wire

Diffusion in TPC



Why does diffusion not ruin resolution?

transverse diffusion

Diffusion limits spatial resolution

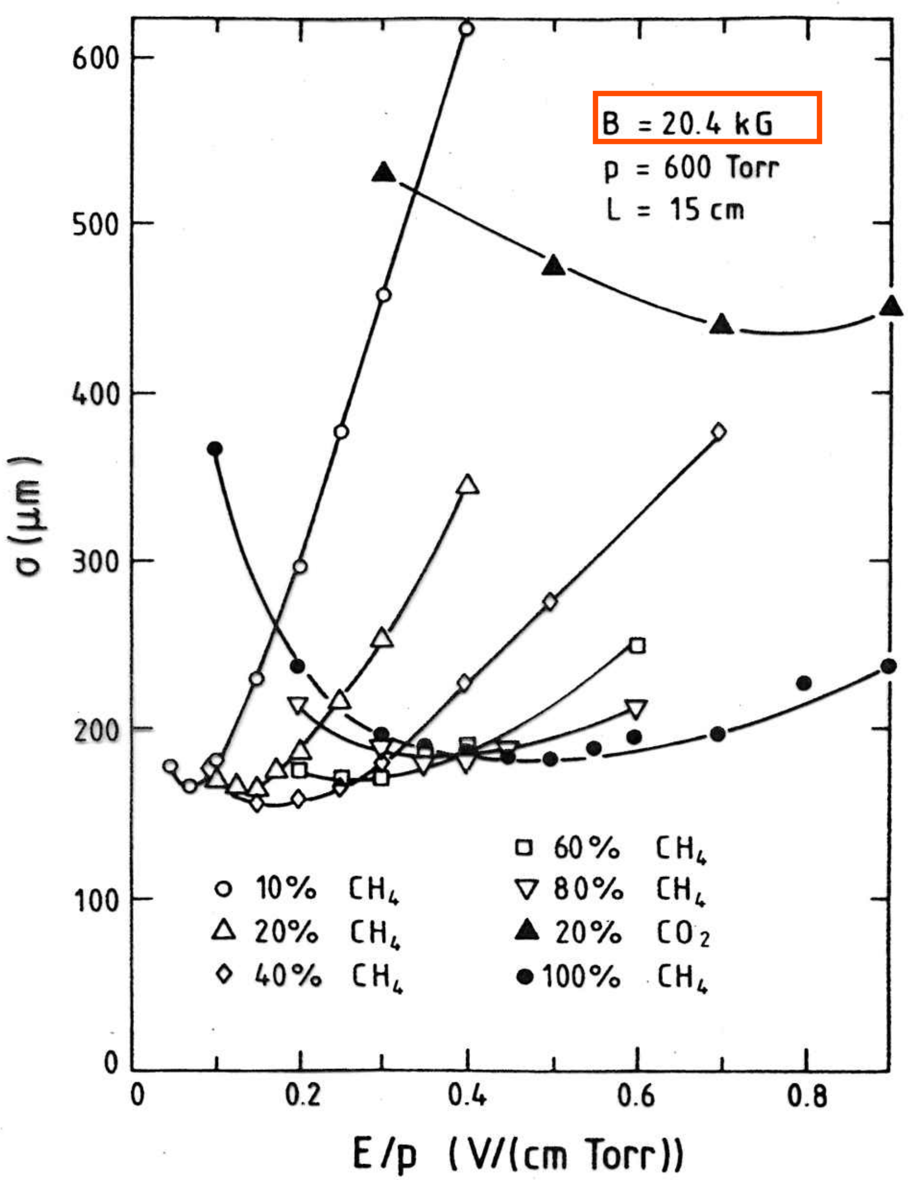
drift length

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

mean free path

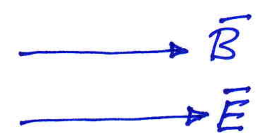
mean electron velocity

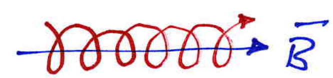
Diffusion in TPC



Compare this to previous plot with B=0

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





particles drift along tight helices

transverse diffusion reduced by

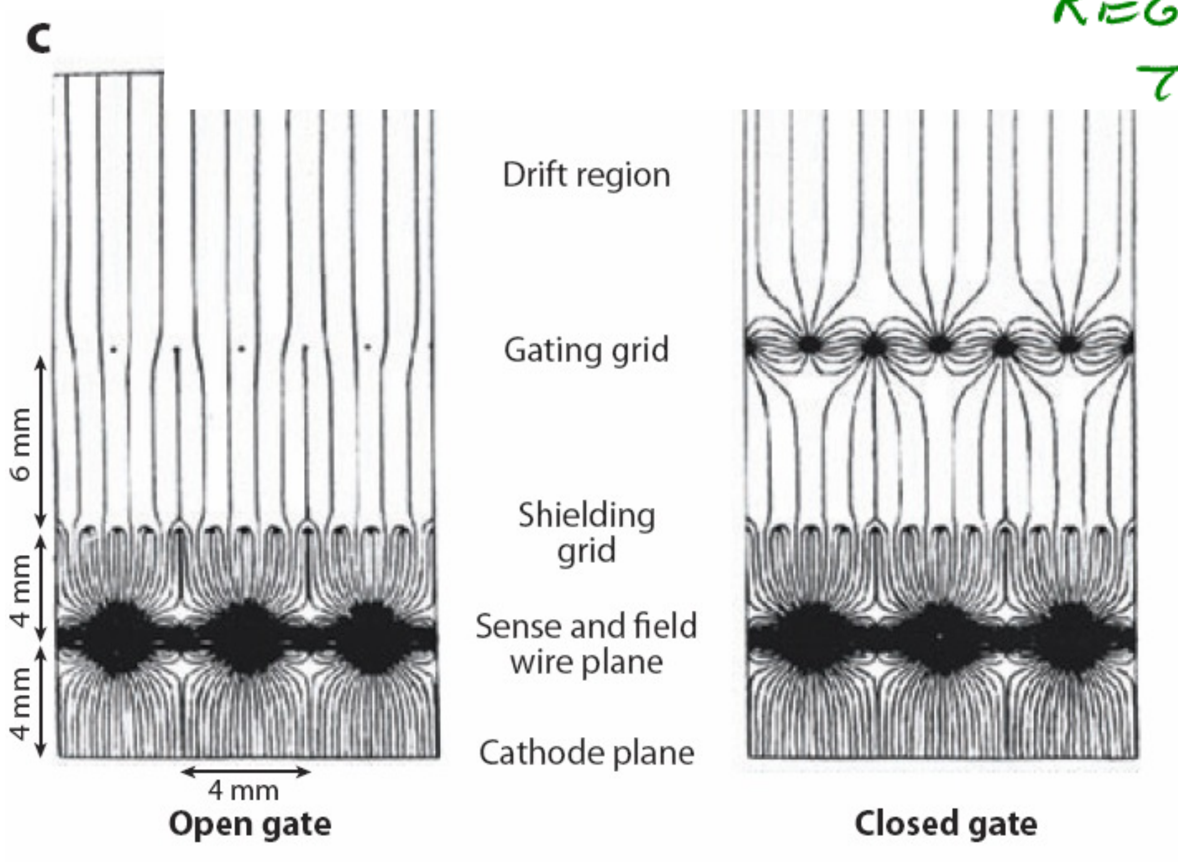
$$\frac{1}{1+\omega^2\tau^2}; \omega = \frac{eB}{m}$$

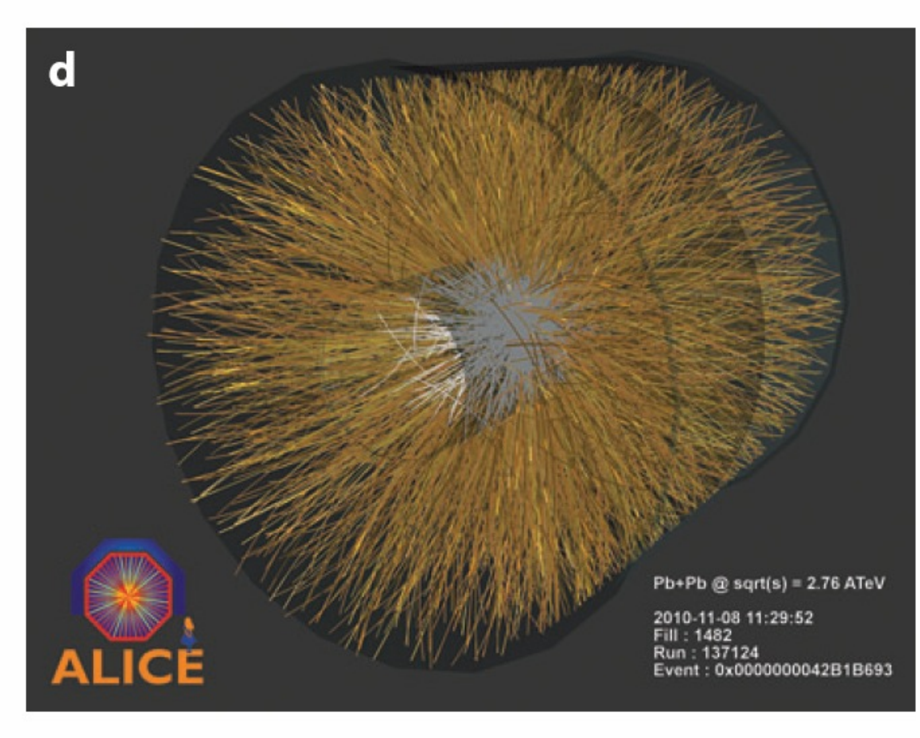
SPACE CHARGE LIMITATIONS

HEAVY IONS PRODUCED BY GAS AMPLIFICATION

→ DISTORT ELECTRIC FIELD

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



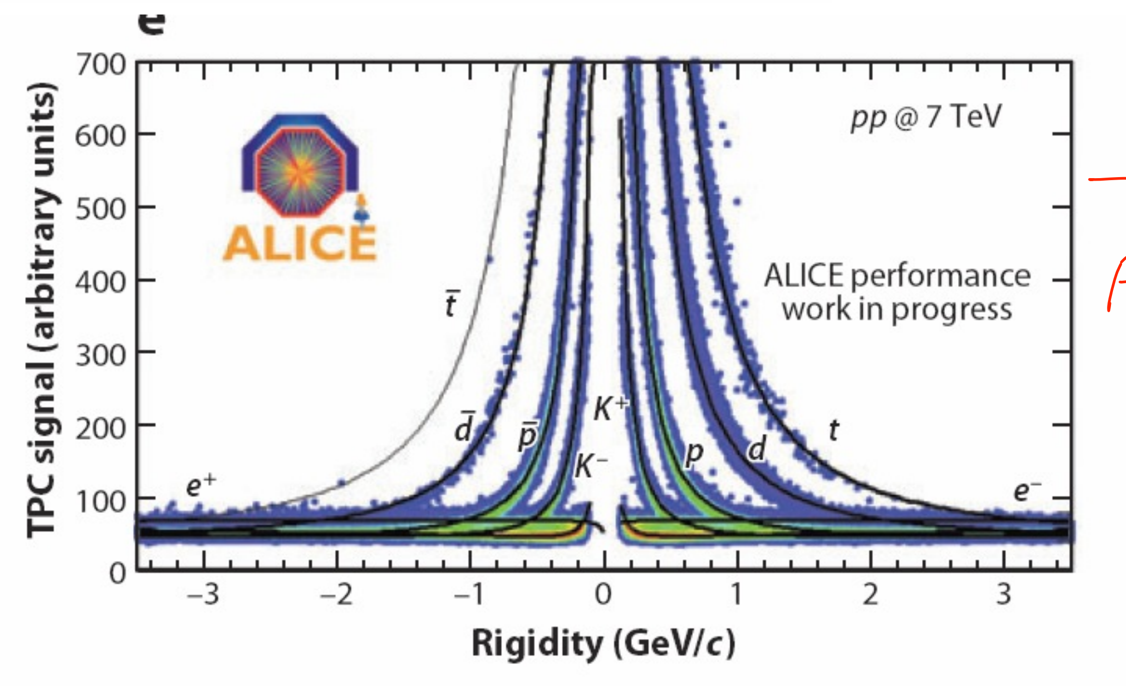


ALICE

TPC → HIGH MULTIPLICITY

GOOD PATTERN RECOGNITION

→ LOW RATE

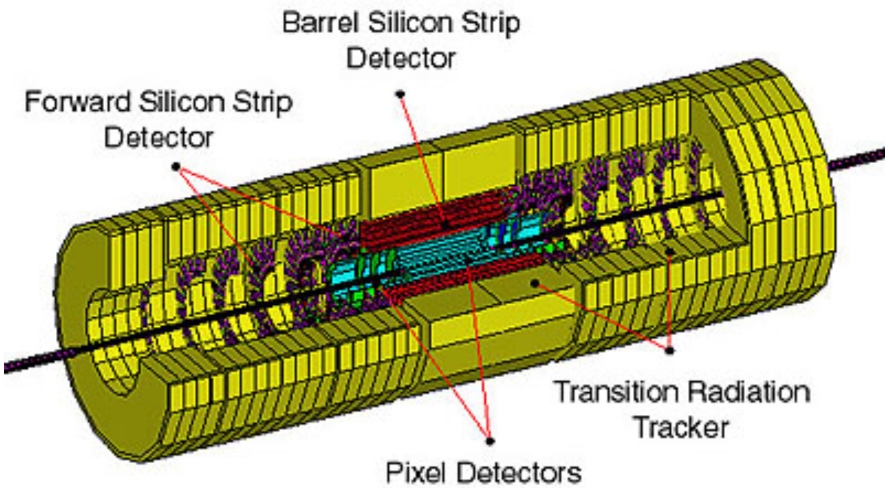


→ GOOD dE/dx

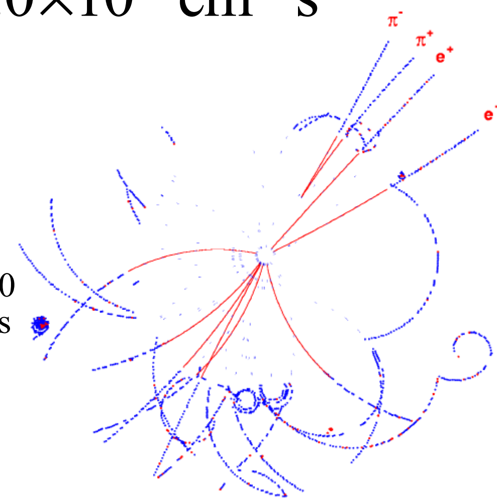
PARTICLE IDENTIFICATION

ATLAS Tracker

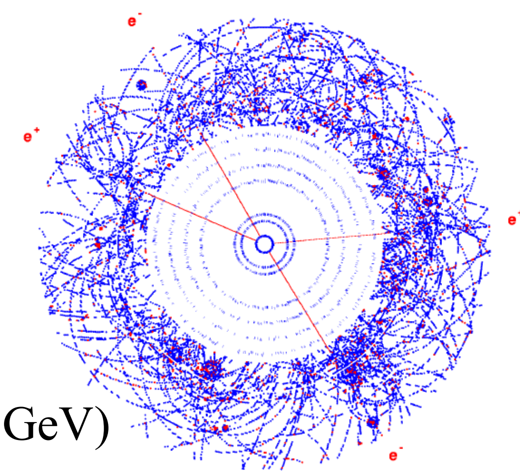
$3.0\times10^{33}\,\mathrm{cm^{-2}s^{-1}}$



$\mathrm{B_d^0 \rightarrow J/\psi\, K_s^0}$



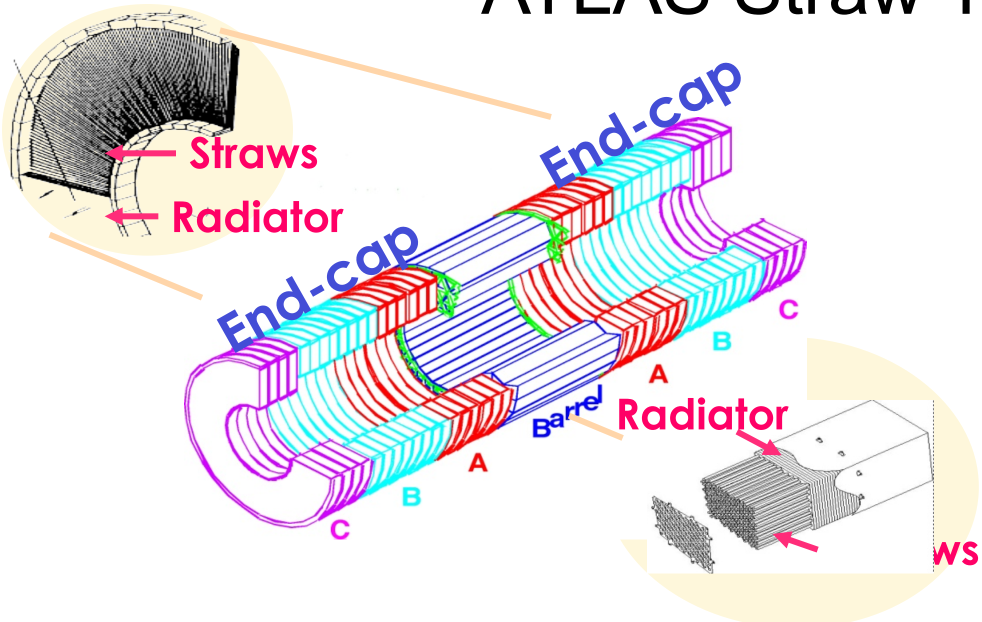
Inner Tracker

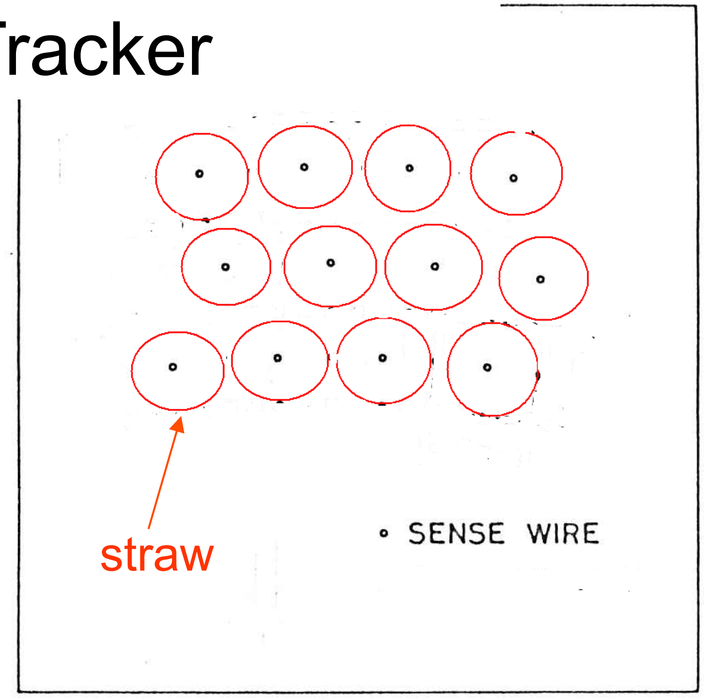


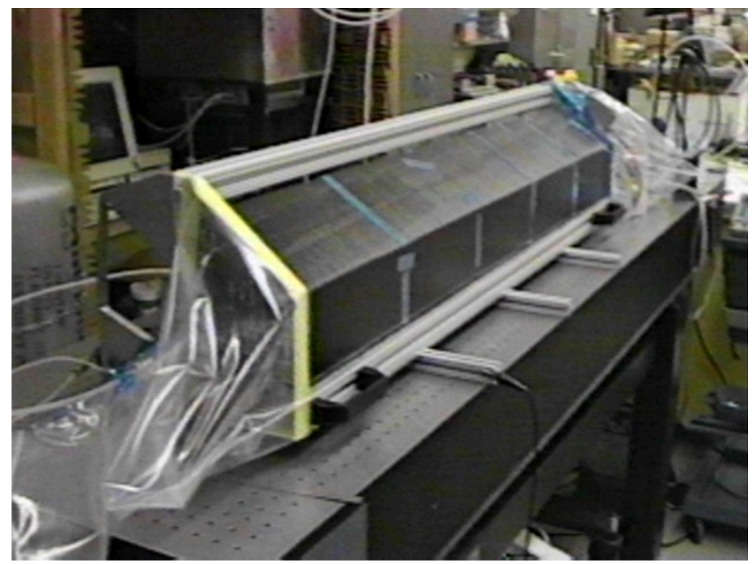
$10^{34}\,\mathrm{cm^{-2}s^{-1}}$

$\mathrm{H \rightarrow ZZ^* \rightarrow e^+e^-e^+e^-}\ \ (m_\mathrm{H} = 130\,\mathrm{GeV})$

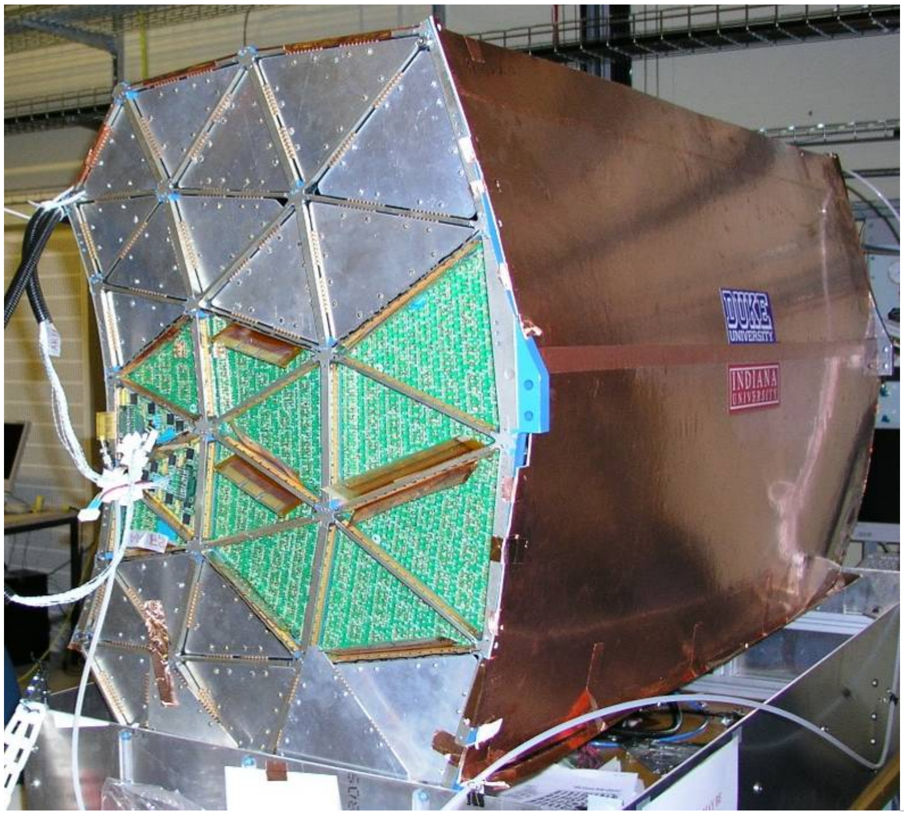
ATLAS Straw Tracker

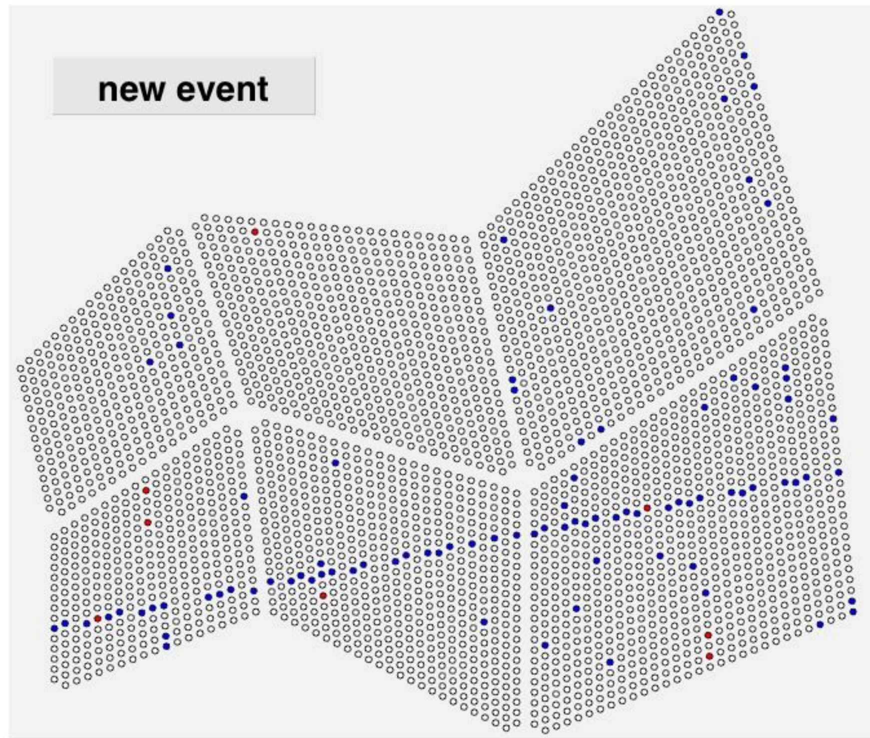




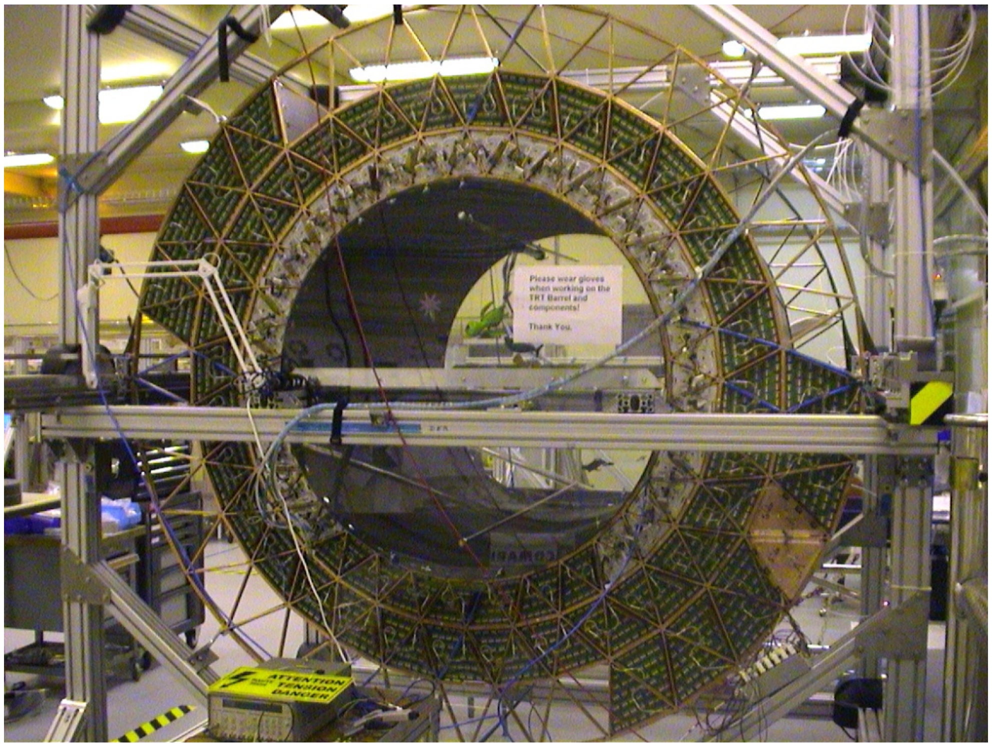


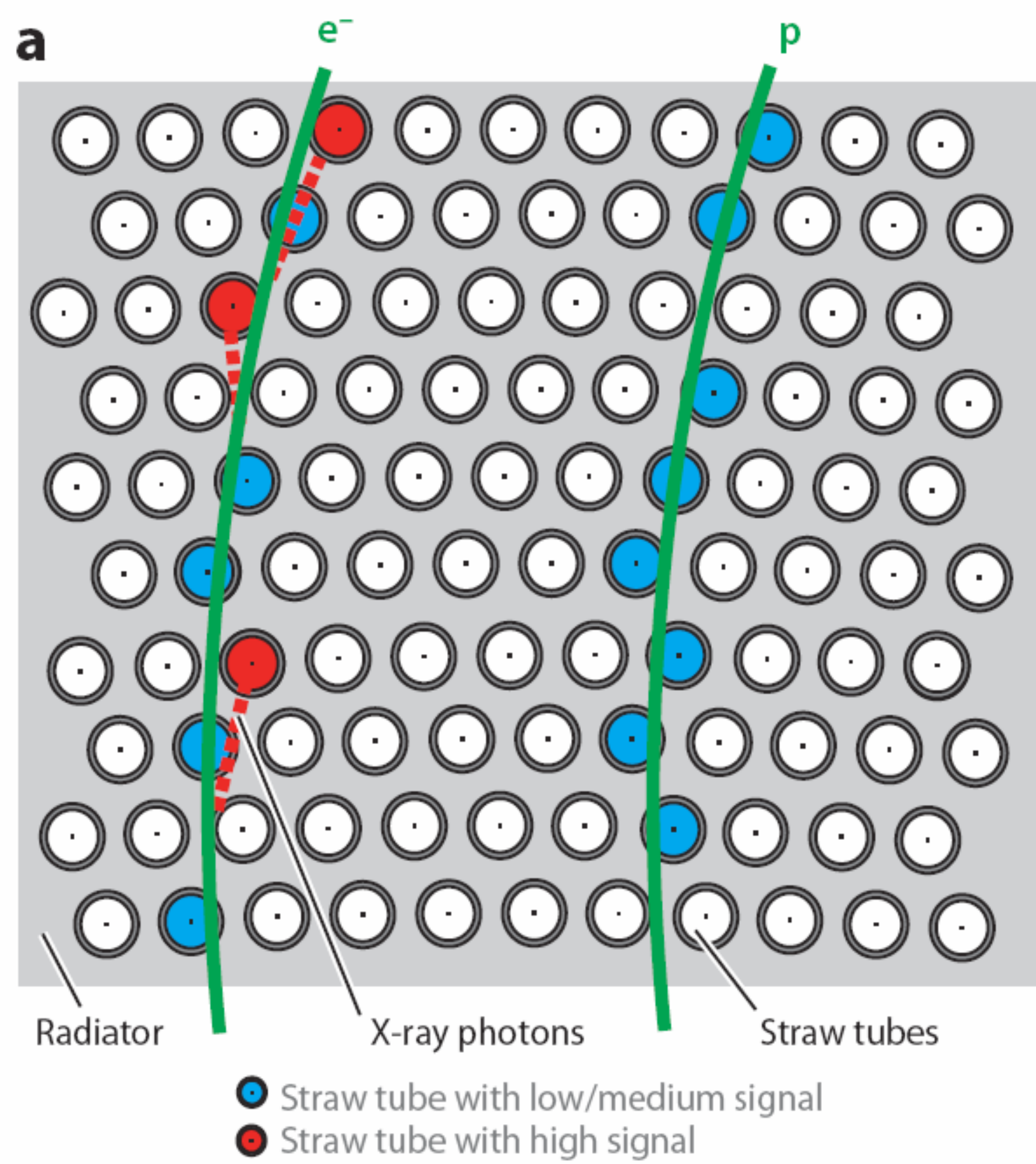
Straw tracker test beam module





Assembly of straw tracker





PARTICLE ID IN ATLAS STRAW TRACKER

→ TRANSITION RADIATION

Inner Detector (ID)

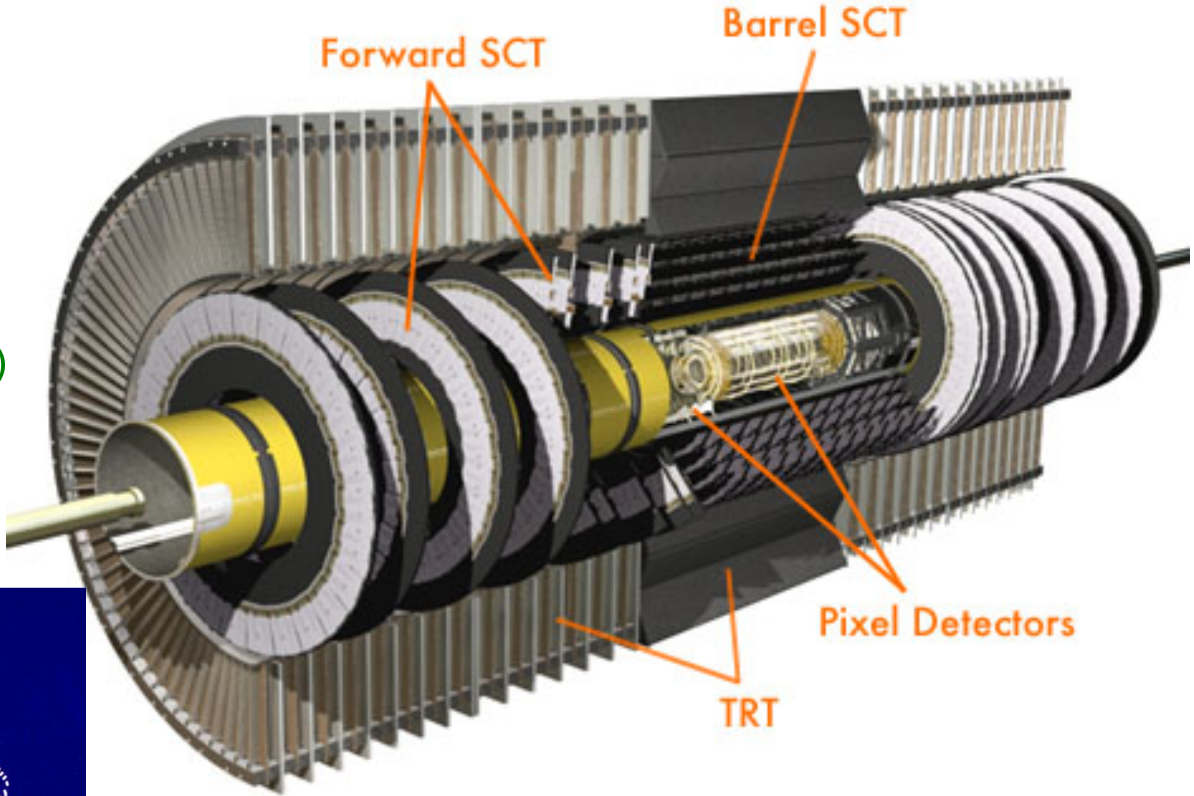
The Inner Detector (ID) comprises four sub-systems:

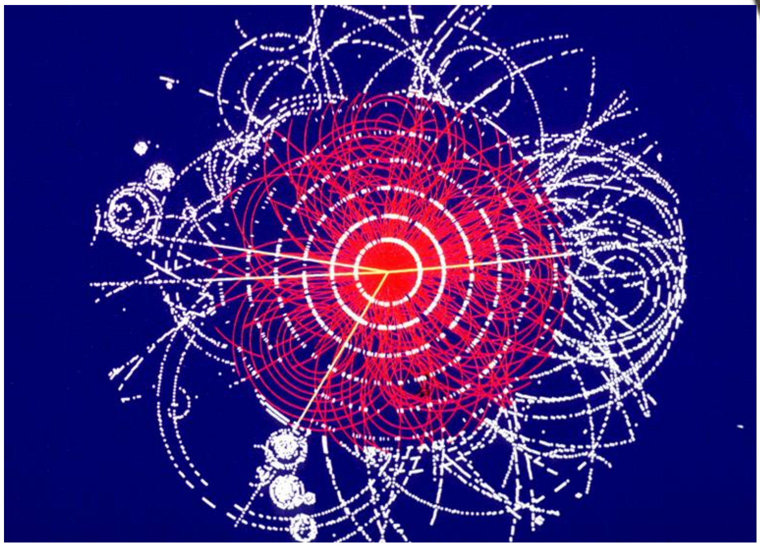
•Pixels (0.8 10^8 channels)

•Silicon Tracker (SCT)
(6 10^6 channels)

•Transition Radiation Tracker (TRT)
(4 10^5 channels)

•Common ID items

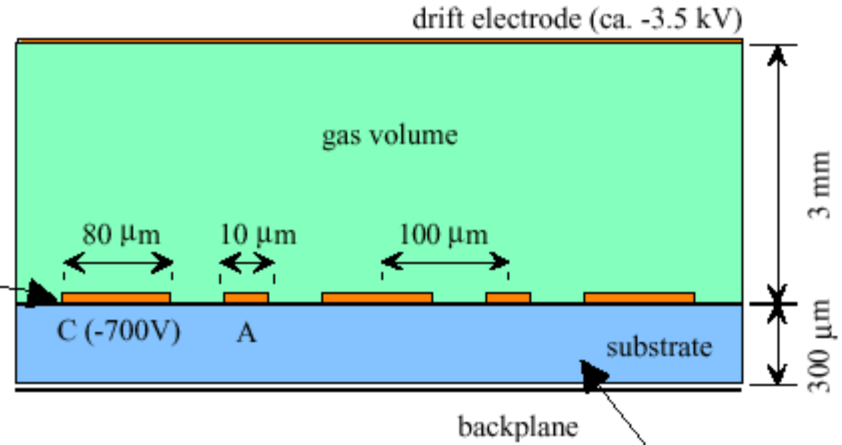




◆ Microstrip gas chambers (A. Oed, NIM A 263 (1988) 352)

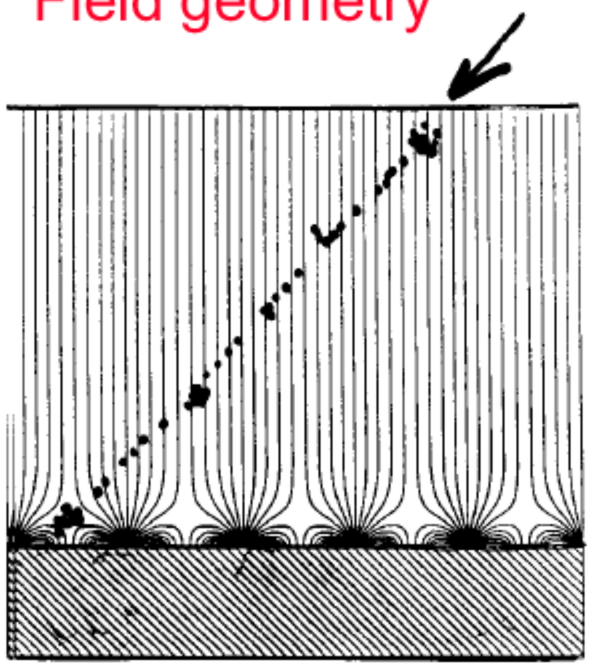
geometry and typical dimensions
(former CMS standard)

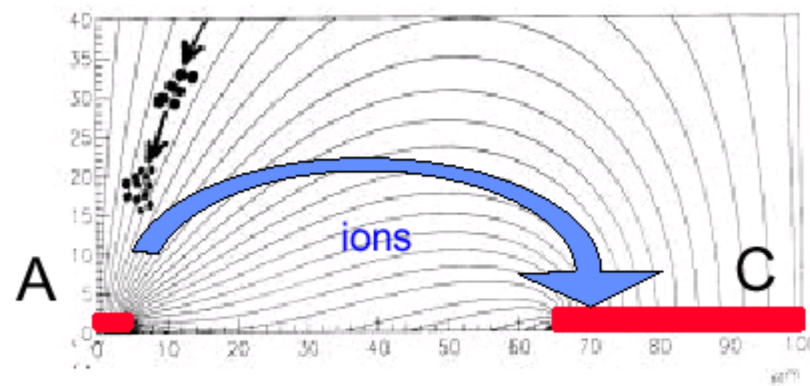
Gold strips
+ Cr underlayer



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

Field geometry





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

CHARGE BUILD UP ON MICROSTRIPS

THE SUBSTRATE ON MICROSTRIPS HAS A HIGH RESISTANCE

IN VERY HIGH RATE ENVIRONMENT

→ CHARGE BUILD UP

→ DISCHARGE

→ DAMAGE

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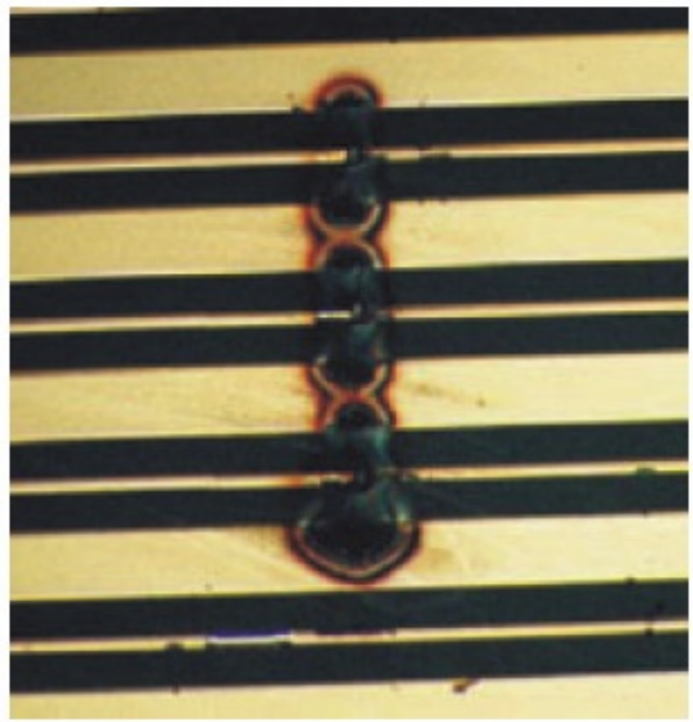
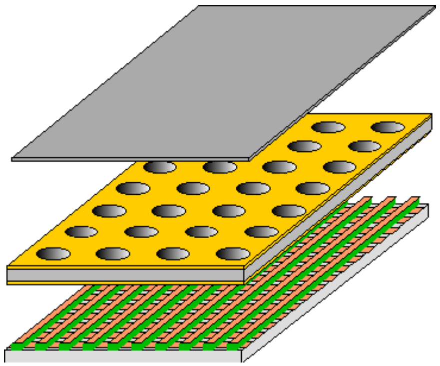
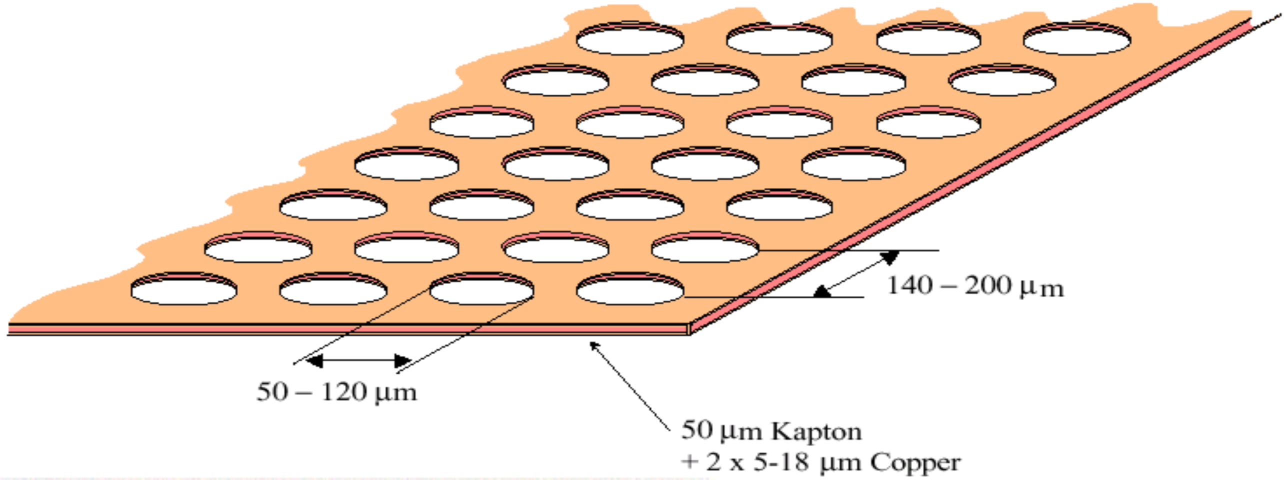
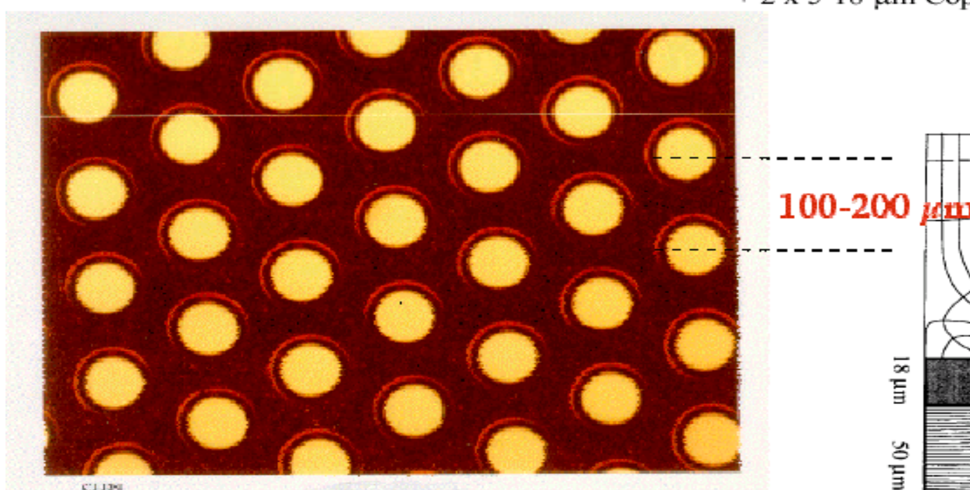


GEM: The Gas Electron Multiplier

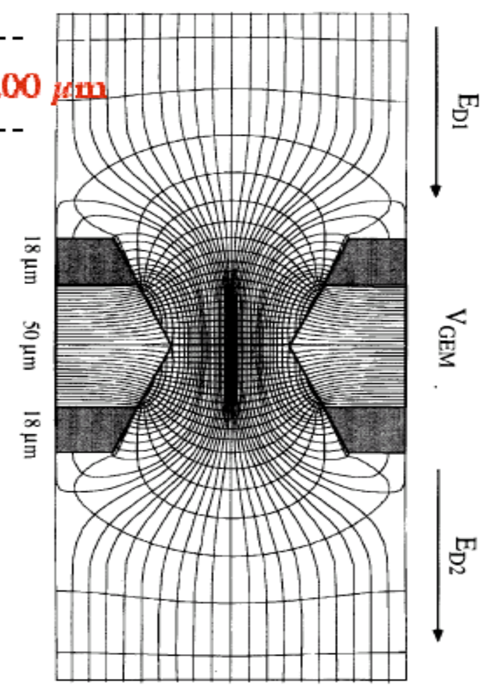
(R. Bouclier et al., NIM A 396 (1997) 50)

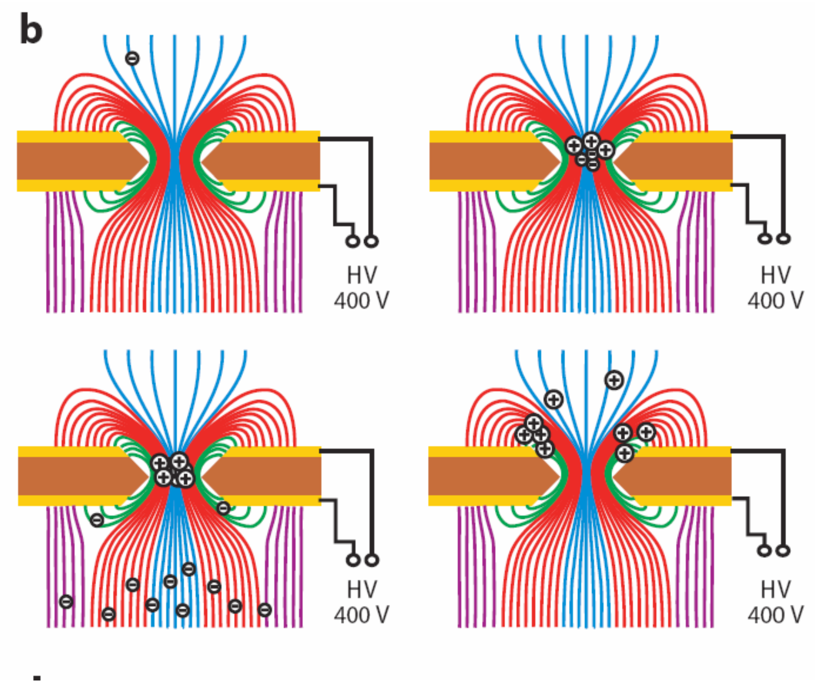


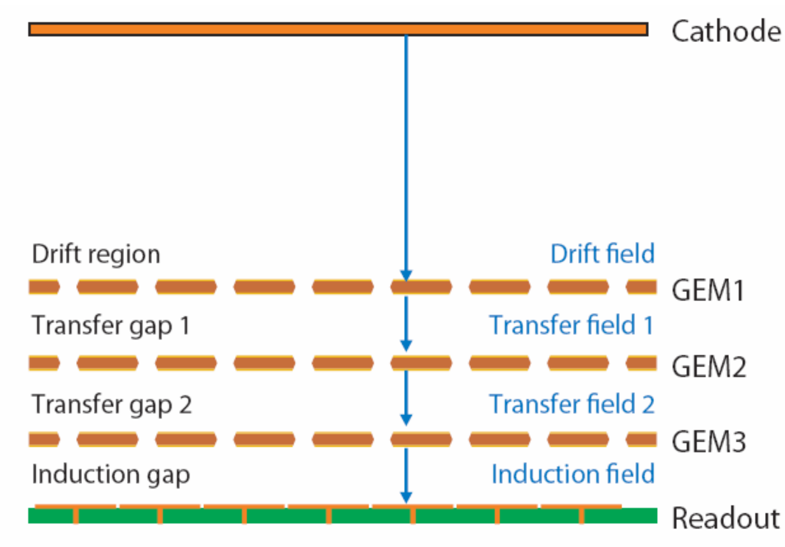




Micro photo of a GEM foil







IN THE GEM

GAS AMPLIFICATION DECOUPLED FROM READ OUT REGION

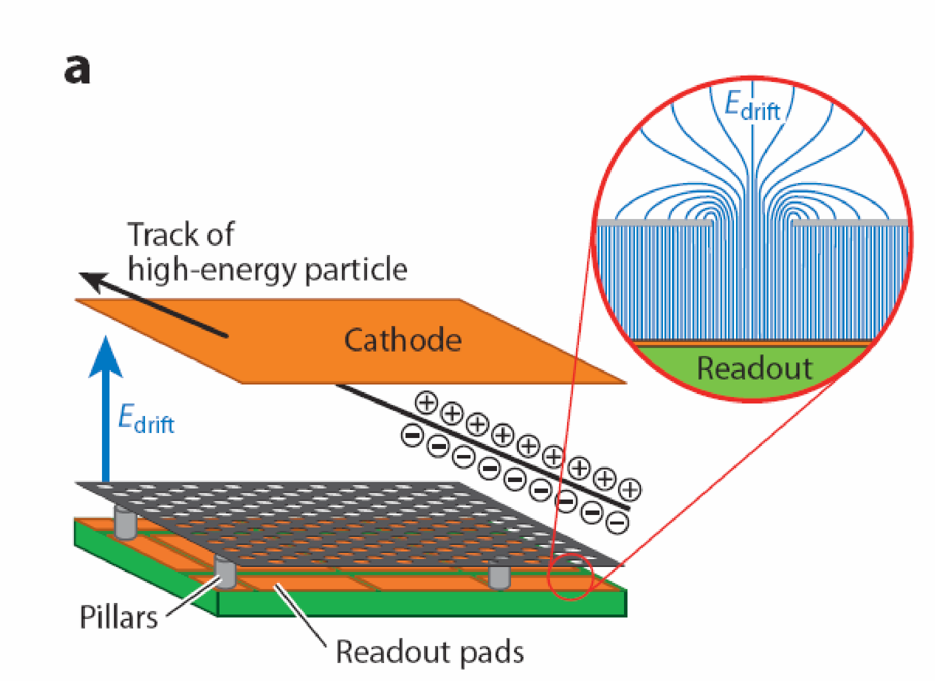
→ HIGH RATE
→ NO SPACE CHARGE
→ NO BREAKDOWN

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

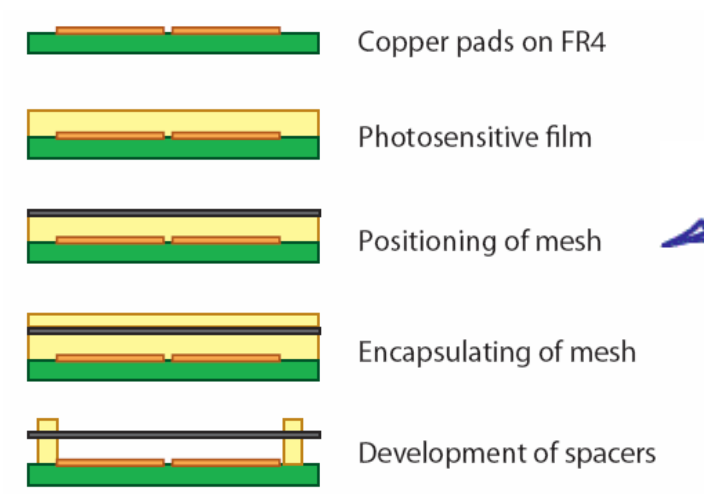
~ 100 V / cm

SMALL AMPLIFICATION REGION

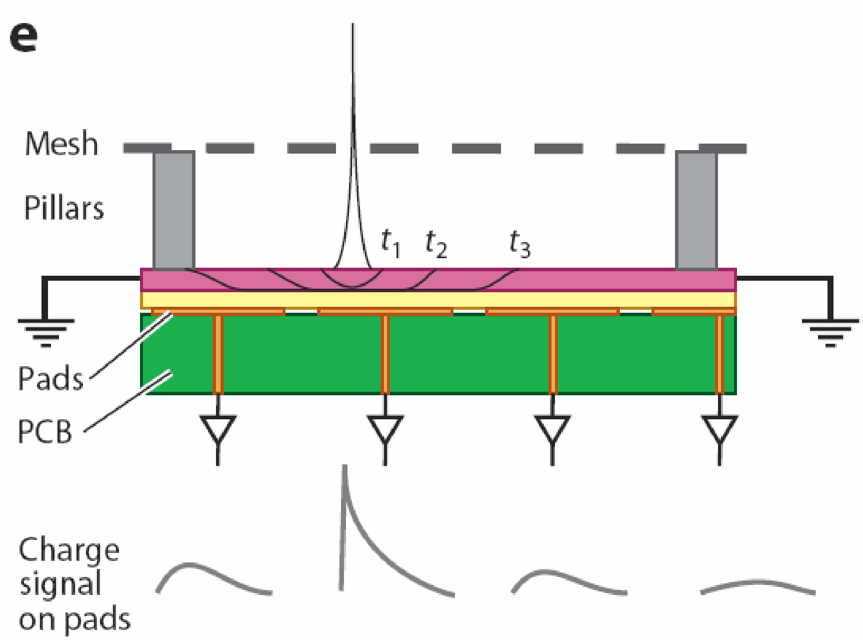
~ 10kV / cm

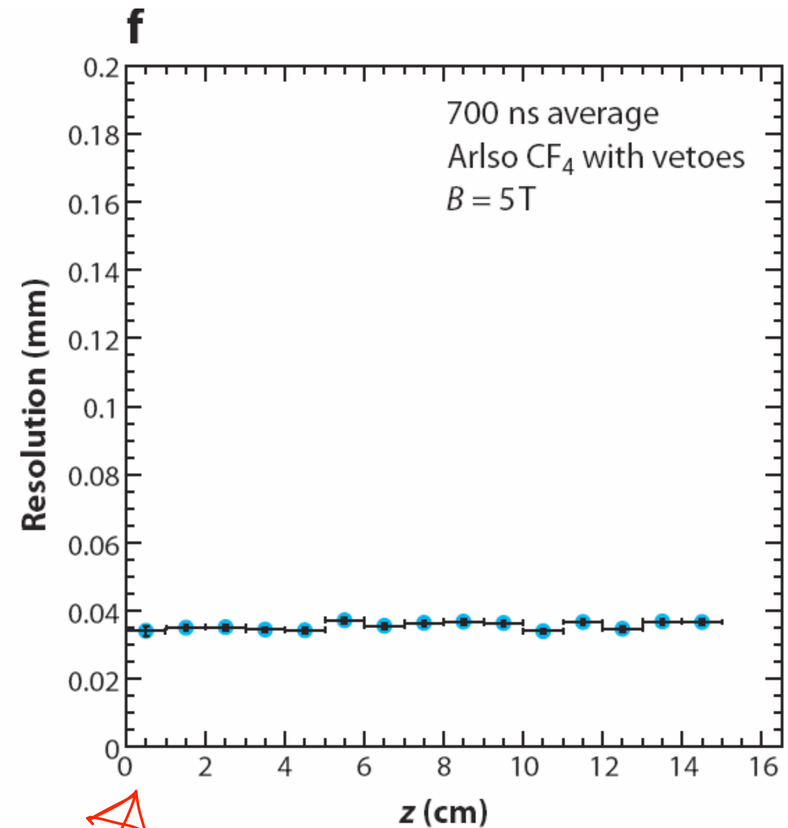
GAS GAIN ~ 10^4

RESOLUTION ~ 70 µm



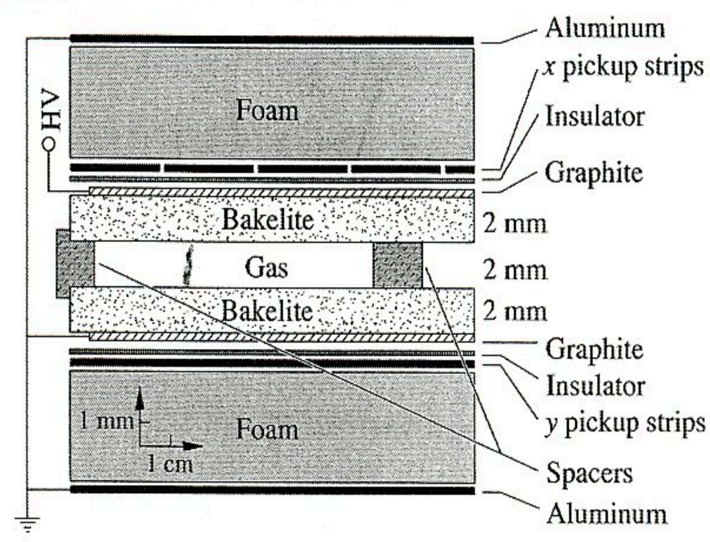
TYPICAL CONSTRUCTION





MICROMEGA USED AS READ OUT IN TPC

→ RESISTIVE PAD CHARGE SHARING FOR IMPROVED SPATIAL PRECISION



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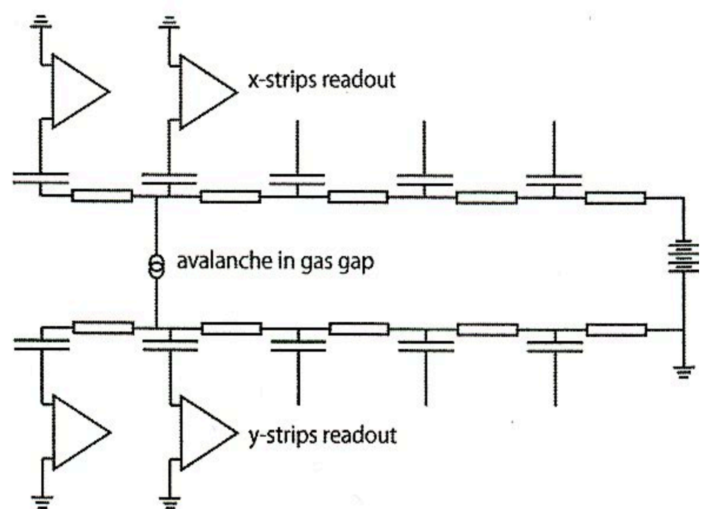

(b)

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