



High-D

R&D for highly segmented multidimensional detectors for future experiments

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The High-D consortium

First large scale coordinated effort on detector development in HEP and SMuK

Mandate:

- Research on new generation **high-precision detectors** with unprecedented spatial, temporal, and energetic resolution, for applications at future accelerator-based experiments at both the **Energy Frontier** as well as the **Intensity Frontier**

Members:

10 universities + 4 research centers in Germany

Program:

Fundamental research on 5D detectors with **extreme granularity** and on **novel reconstruction techniques**

The High-D research overview

Higher segmentation is achieved by:

- novel microelectronic technologies
- novel semiconductor designs
- new segmentation concepts
- novel readout electronics

to ensure optimal reconstruction precision these must be accompanied by:

- novel algorithms that effectively utilize 5D information
- integration of all components of a detector system (“particle flow” approach)

Consortium divided in 4 interconnected work packages:



- Two main pillars: **4D tracking** and **5D calorimetry**
- Two cross-linking packages

High-granular Multi-dimensional detectors

Receive BMBF funds

Receive other funds

AP1: 4D tracking

Garutti

Fast timing layers

AP1.1
Highly segmented sensors
Galatyuk, Quadt

AP1.2
Timing layer application
Garutti, Gregor

AP1.3
Ultimate time resolution
Galatyuk, Gregor, Hofmann

AP1.5
CPS response to ions
Masciocchi, Stachel

AP2: 5D calorimetry

Lacker

Scint. / Cherenkov

AP2.1-3
WOM – LS
Bretz, Lacker, van Waasen, Fischer, Schumann, Wurm

AP2.4
CheapCal
Lacker, Issever, Brinkmann, Büscher, Wanke, Paul

AP2.5
SplitCal
Büscher, Wanke

AP3: Cross-disciplinary activities

AP3.1
Reconstruction algorithms for Md detectors (ML)
Garutti, Paul , Sefkow, Simon

AP3.3
Scintillating-Fiber-Tracker
Aumann, Paul

AP3.2
Digital ECAL
Issever, Worm

AP3.6
High-throughput DAQ
Fischer, Paul, Schumann

AP3.5
Multi-purpose ASIC
receiver chain
van Waasen, Bretz

AP3.4
New Materials
Brinkmann

AP3.7
SiPM research
Bretz, Garutti

AP4: Radiation effects

AP4.1
Simulation and measurements of N_{eff} CPS, LGAD, SiPM
Deveaux, Garutti, Stroth

AP4.2
Measuring SEE in CPS and Optical transceiver
Deveaux, Stroth

Products

- P1 Portable timing layer
- P2 High granular Trigger module
- P3 Low-budget calorimeters
- P4 Multi-purpose ASIC receiver chain

4D tracking

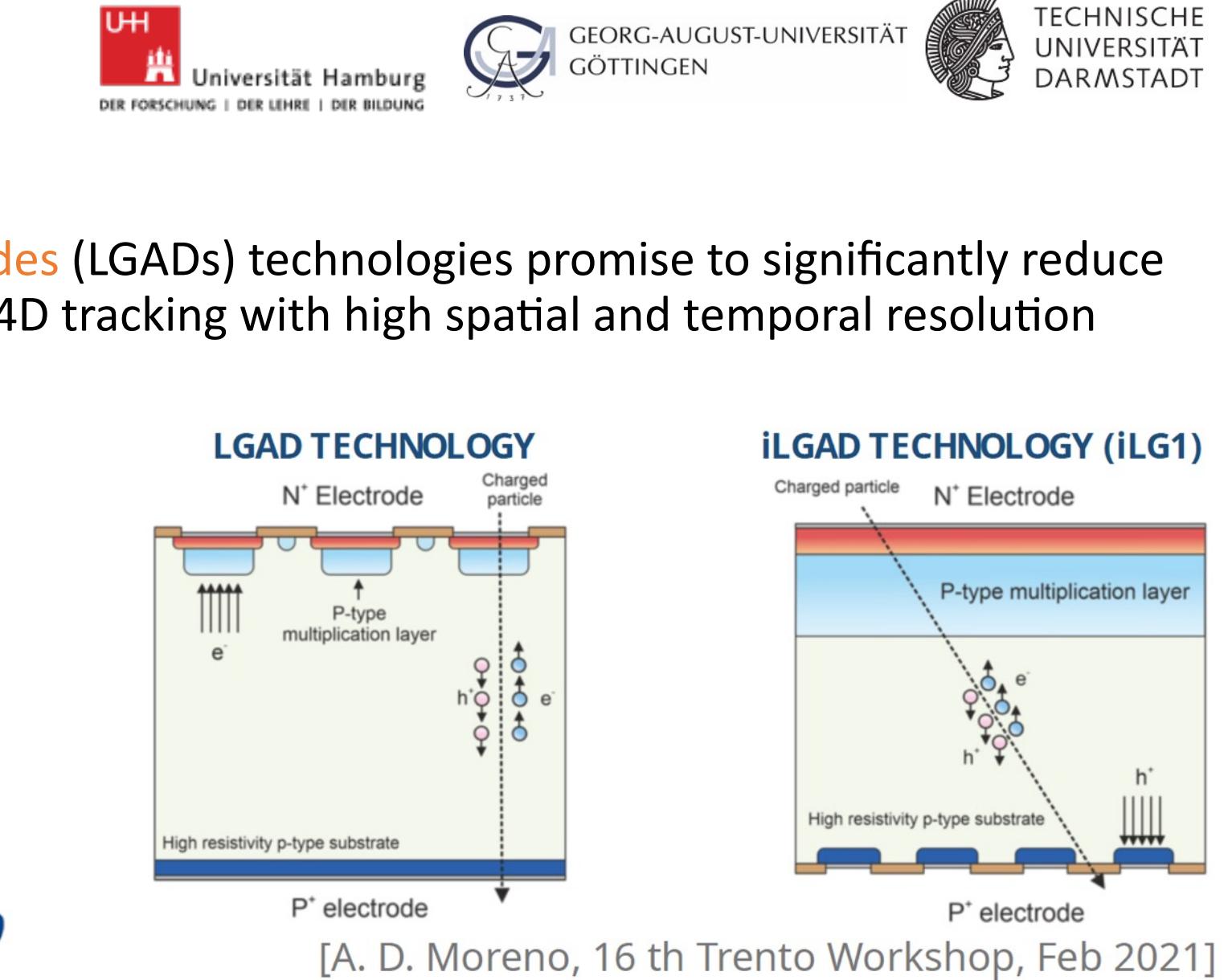
Highly segmented sensors

New **Low Gain Avalanche Diodes** (LGADs) technologies promise to significantly reduce the inter-pad gap needed for 4D tracking with high spatial and temporal resolution

Novel LGADs investigated:

- iLGAD
- trench LGAD
- AC-LGAD

Sensors are produced in collaboration with



[A. D. Moreno, 16 th Trento Workshop, Feb 2021]

4D tracking

Timing layer application

- LGAD to measure space and time coordinate of test beam tracks
- **Fast timing requires:**
 - 30-50 μm thickness
 - gain $O(10)$
 - improved S/N
- **Goal:** equip EUDET-like telescopes with a LGAD layer to satisfy the increasing users demand for fast timing measurements



4D tracking

Ultimate time resolution



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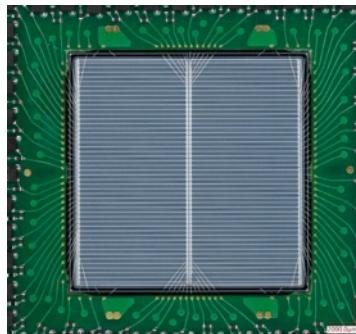


Development of fast readout electronics for a large area LGAD-based detector: **ExHiLo-ASIC**

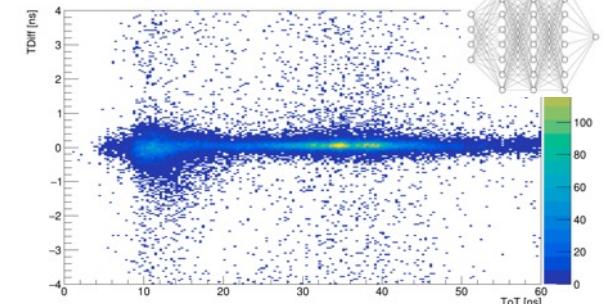
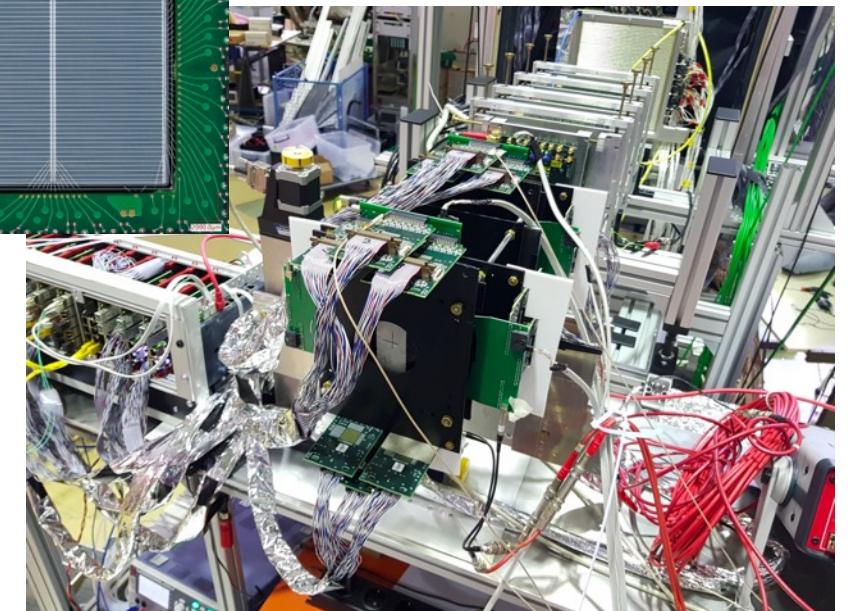
Extreme High-SensiOvity / Low-Pitch – radiaOon hard readout-ASIC for LGAD Sensors

- Concept for corrections on the basis of AI and in real time implemented either directly in an FPGA or at the event builder level
- Develop a second generation of the discreet FEE for larger sensors ($2 \times 2 \text{ cm}^2$) utilizing larger number of channels $\sim O(100)$ and rate capability ($\sim 10 \text{ MHz}/\text{strip}$)

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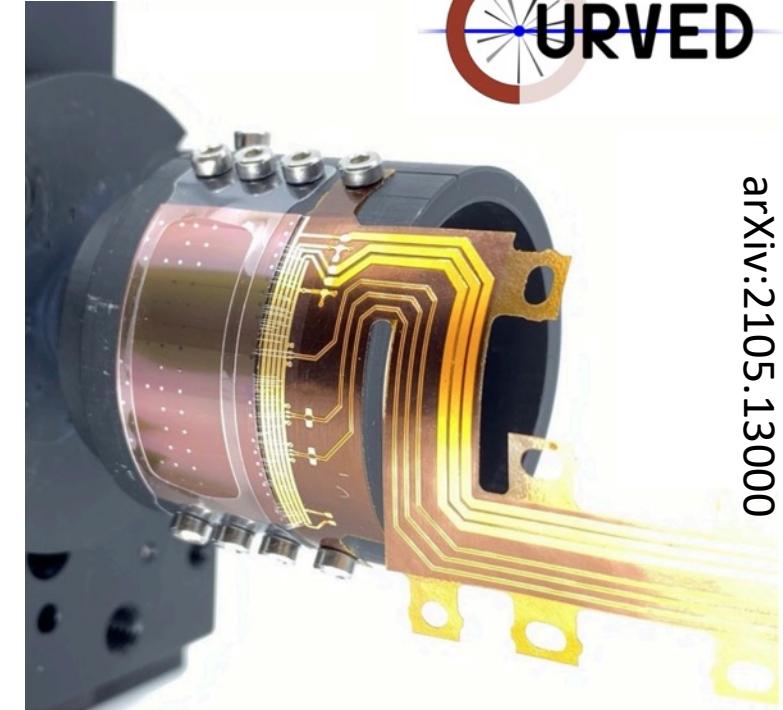
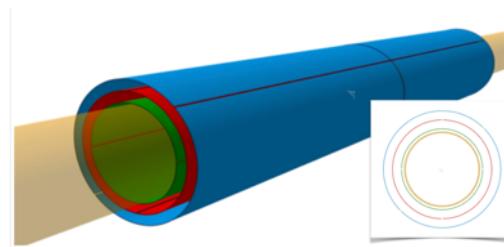




(4)D tracking & Radiation effects

CMOS pixel sensors for Ultra-light, high-Resolution VErtex Detectors

- Monolithic Active Pixel Sensors in 180 nm CMOS technology (ALPIDE chip) bent to cylindrical geometry
→ ultimate minimization of **material budget**
- Development of pixel sensors in *65 nm technology*
→ next frontier in point **resolution**
with *stiching* on 30 mm wafers
→ large area
- Test of radiation hardness of 65nm tech. devices



arXiv:2105.13000

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(4)D tracking & Radiation effects

CMOS pixel sensor MIMOSIS-1

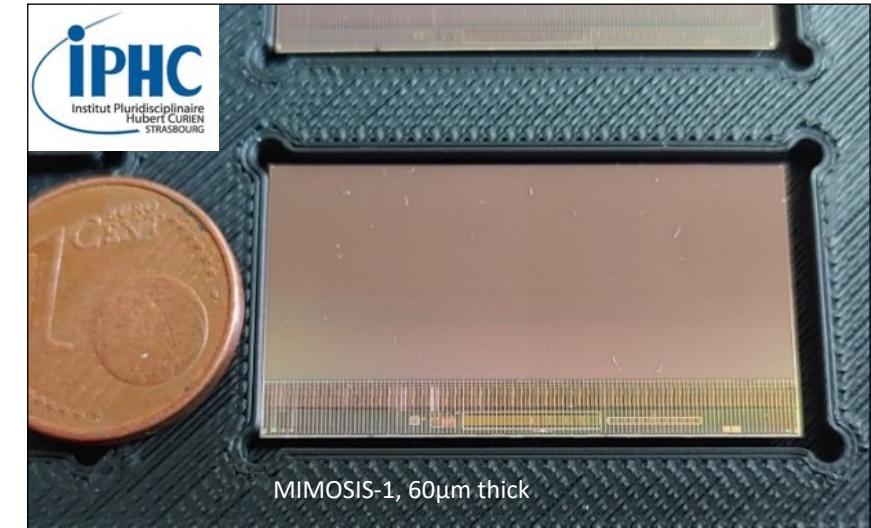
MIMOSIS (design IPHC, test GSI/GU):

Aim for

- $\Delta x \approx 5\mu\text{m}$, $\Delta 5\mu\text{s}$, $0.05\% X_0$
- $< 100\text{mW/cm}^2$ at 20 MHz/cm^2
- $\geq 10^{14}\text{ n}_{\text{eq}}/\text{cm}^2$

Target application: CBM@FAIR

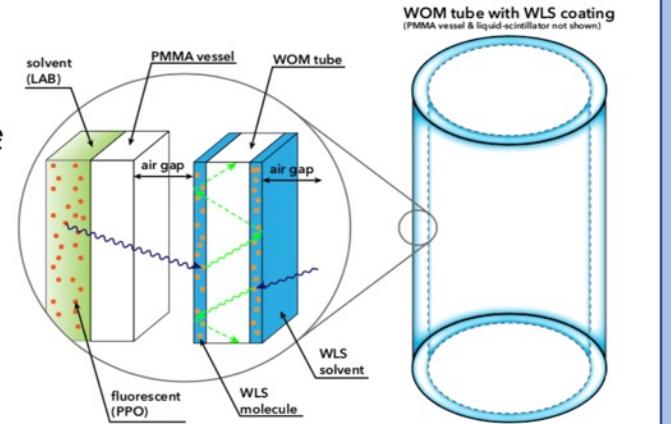
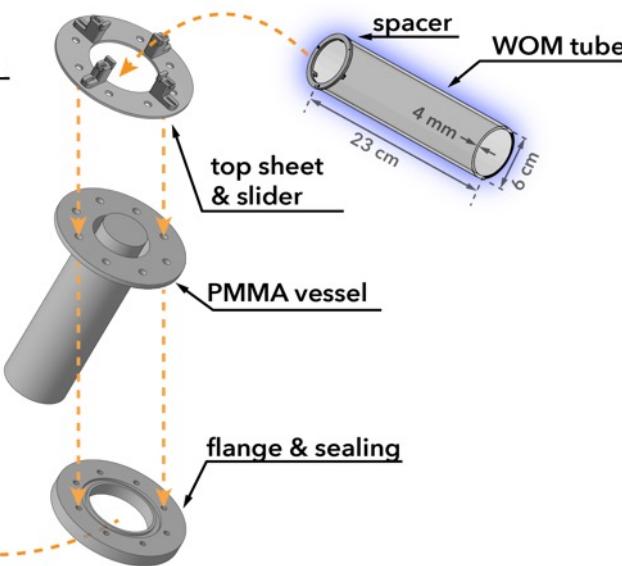
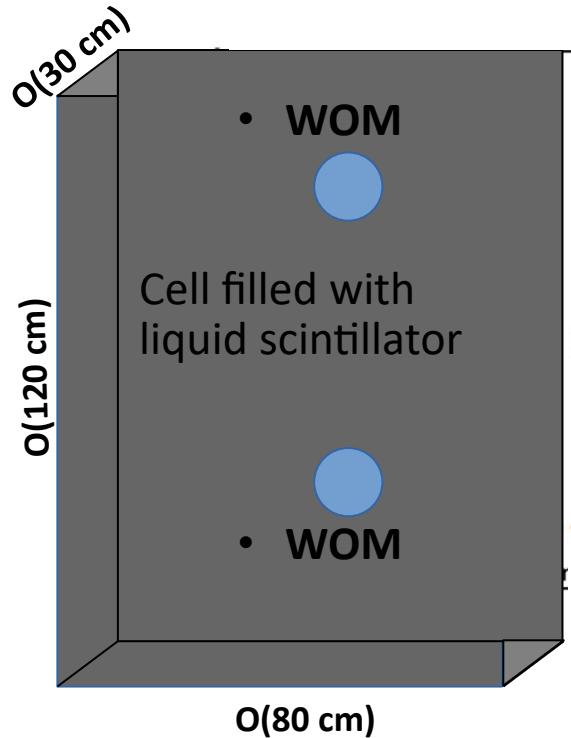
Open for other users/applications



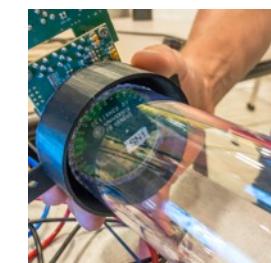
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5D Calorimetry

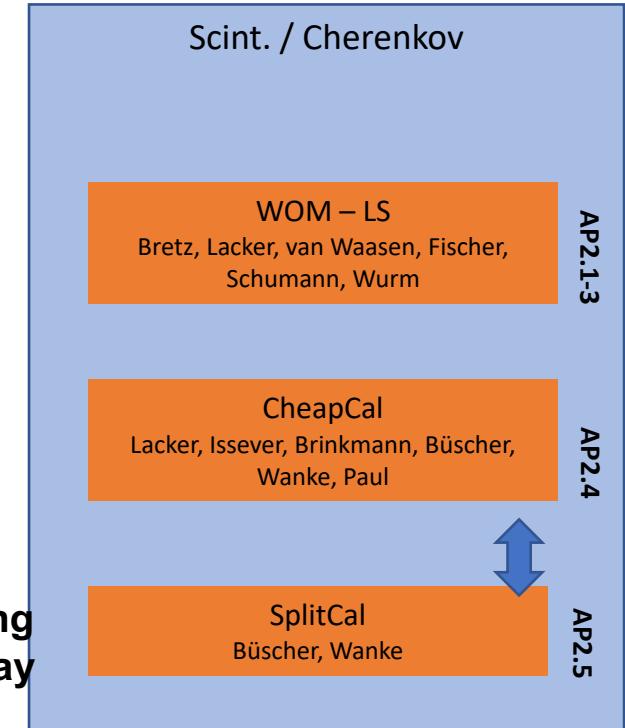
- WOM-based large area/volume Liquid-Scintillator (LS) detector principle



Optical coupling
to 40-SiPM array



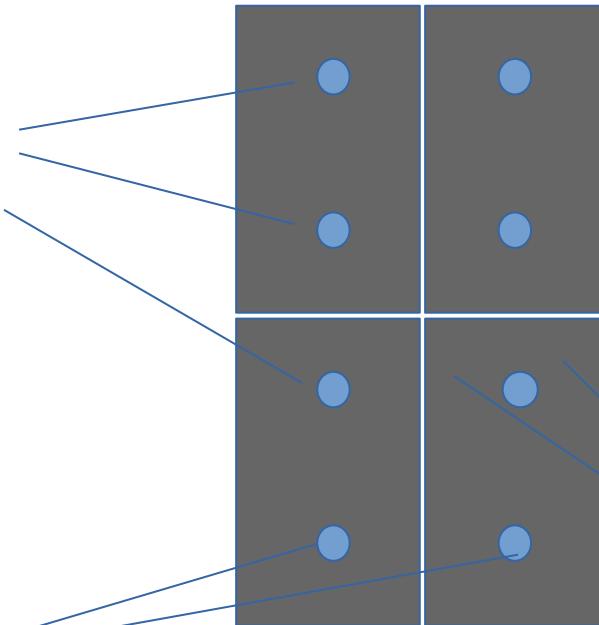
* WOM: Wavelength-Shifting Optical Module
(first proposed for IceCube ext.)



5D Calorimetry

- Goal: First multiple-cell WOM-LS prototype

Energy deposition,
ns time resolution,
spatial information
from
2 WOMs in one cell
or in adjacent cells



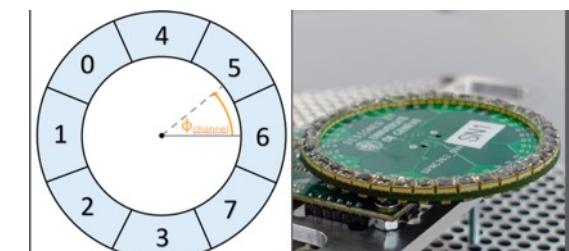
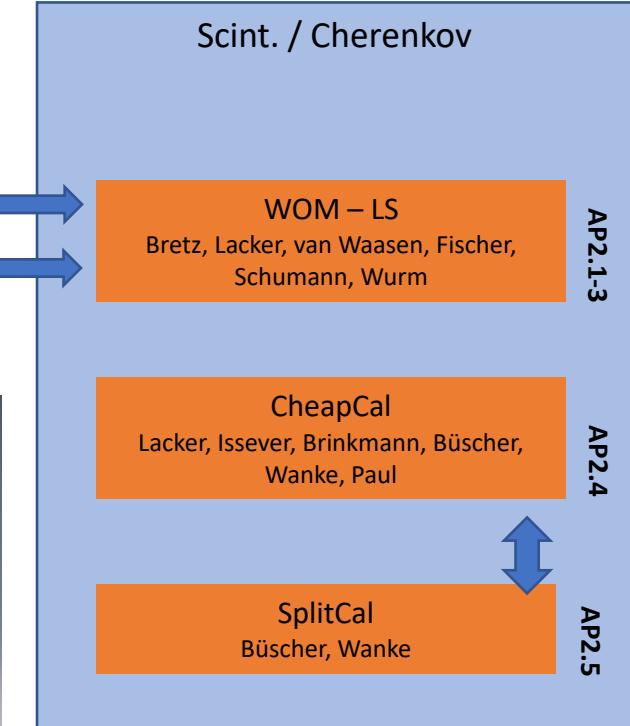
Particle incident angle
from
→ signal arrival times
→ light-yield share

btw adjacent cells

- e/ γ vs μ/π separation:
- e.m. preshower in detector steel wall



Resolving
Left-Right ambiguity
using light-yield distr.
over SiPM array



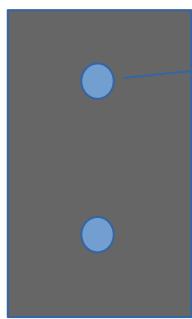
5D Calorimetry



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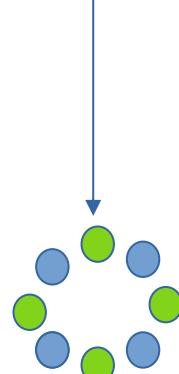
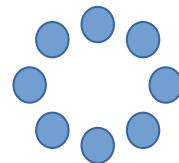
WOM segmentation to improve spatial info

Resolving Left-Right ambiguity:
Secondary WOM light-yield distr.
over SiPM array diluted wrt
primary light direction



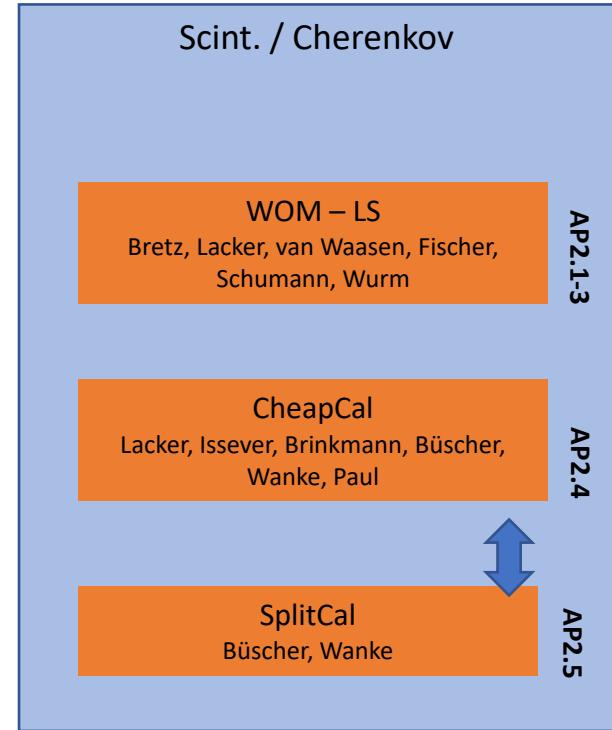
Replace
large-diameter
WOM tube

by several
small-diameter
WOM rods



LS v detectors look for ways to separate
Cherenkov and scintillation light

Will study new Ansatz here:
Wavelength separation using different
WOM wavelength shifters



5D Calorimetry

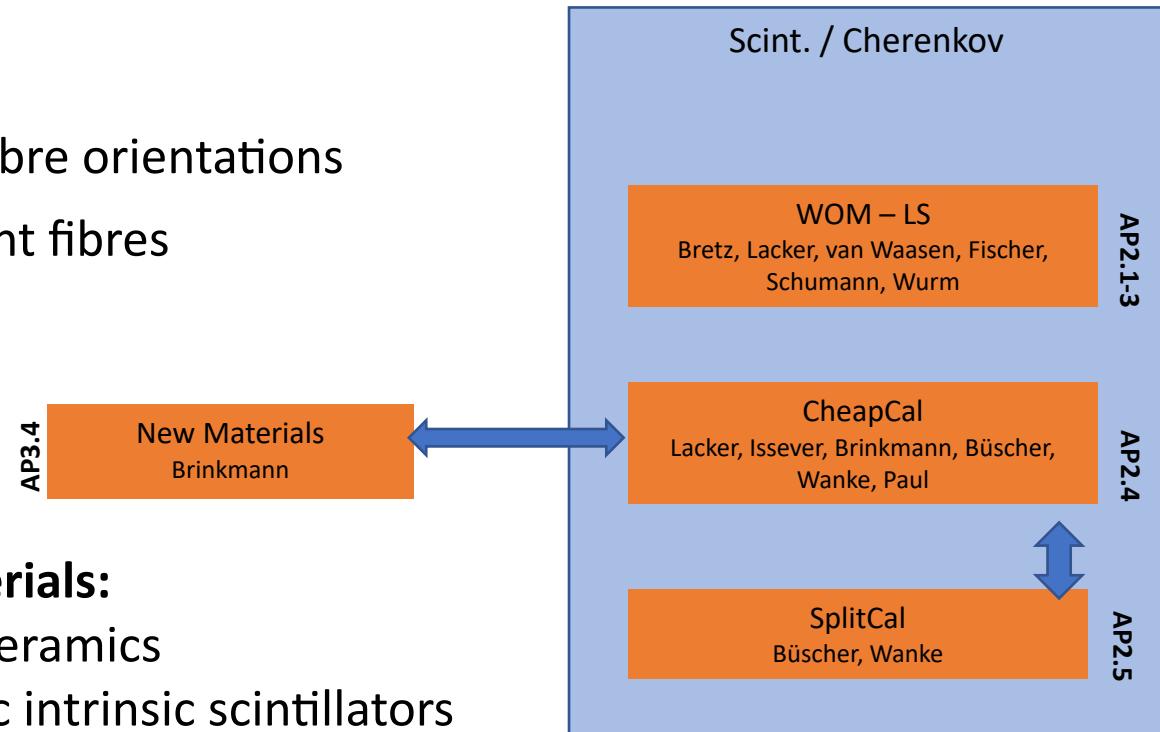
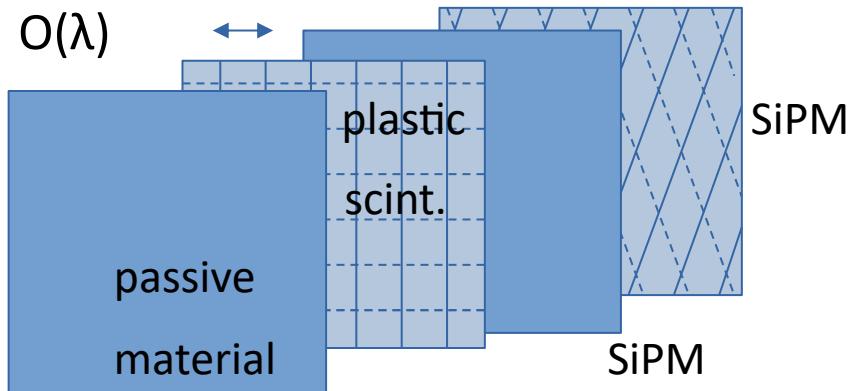


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“CheapCal”

- Large plates of extruded plastic scint. ($\lambda = \text{few cm}$)
- structured on front and back side with different WLS fibre orientations
- Spatial point/track: hit fibres & light-share btw. adjacent fibres in consecutive planes



New Materials:

- Glass ceramics
- Organic intrinsic scintillators

Goal: Prototypes for

- Low-budget calo/tracker/muon detector/hodoscope
- Possibly pointing capability (e.g. for SplitCal: $\text{ALP} \rightarrow \gamma \gamma$)

5D Calorimetry

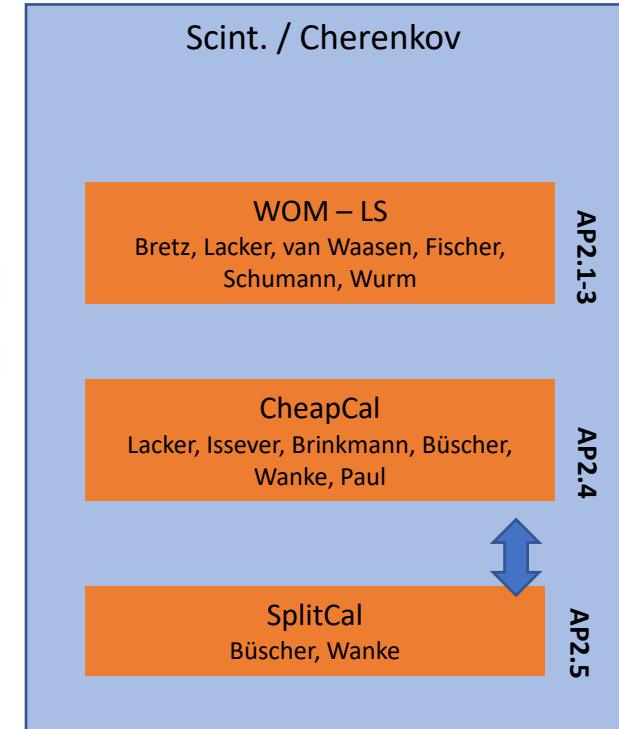
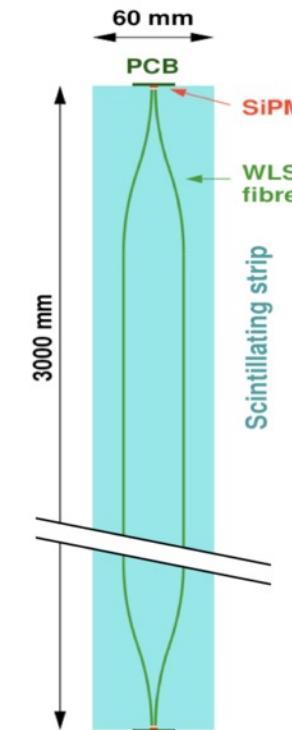
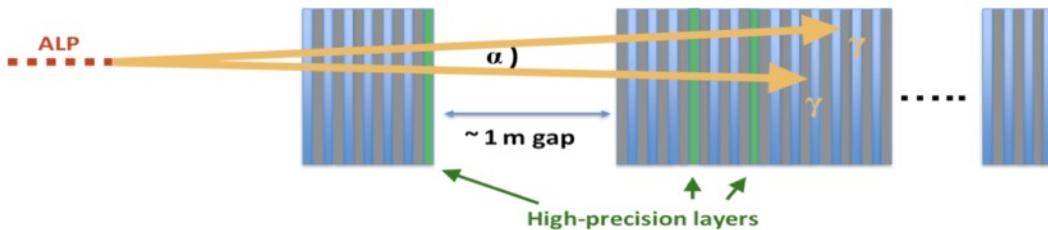


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- “**SplitCal**”

Large-scale low-budget calorimeters (ECAL & HCAL).

- ▶ **Absorber-scintillator sandwich calorimeter.**
- ▶ Long **scintillating strips** ($2\text{-}3 \text{ m} \times 6 \text{ cm} \times 1 \text{ cm}$), light readout with **WLS fibres** and **SiPMs**.
- ▶ SiPM readout & digitization with ASICs (similar to Calice AHCAL).
- ▶ Possibly **high-precision layers** for measurement of shower directions ($X \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ decays).



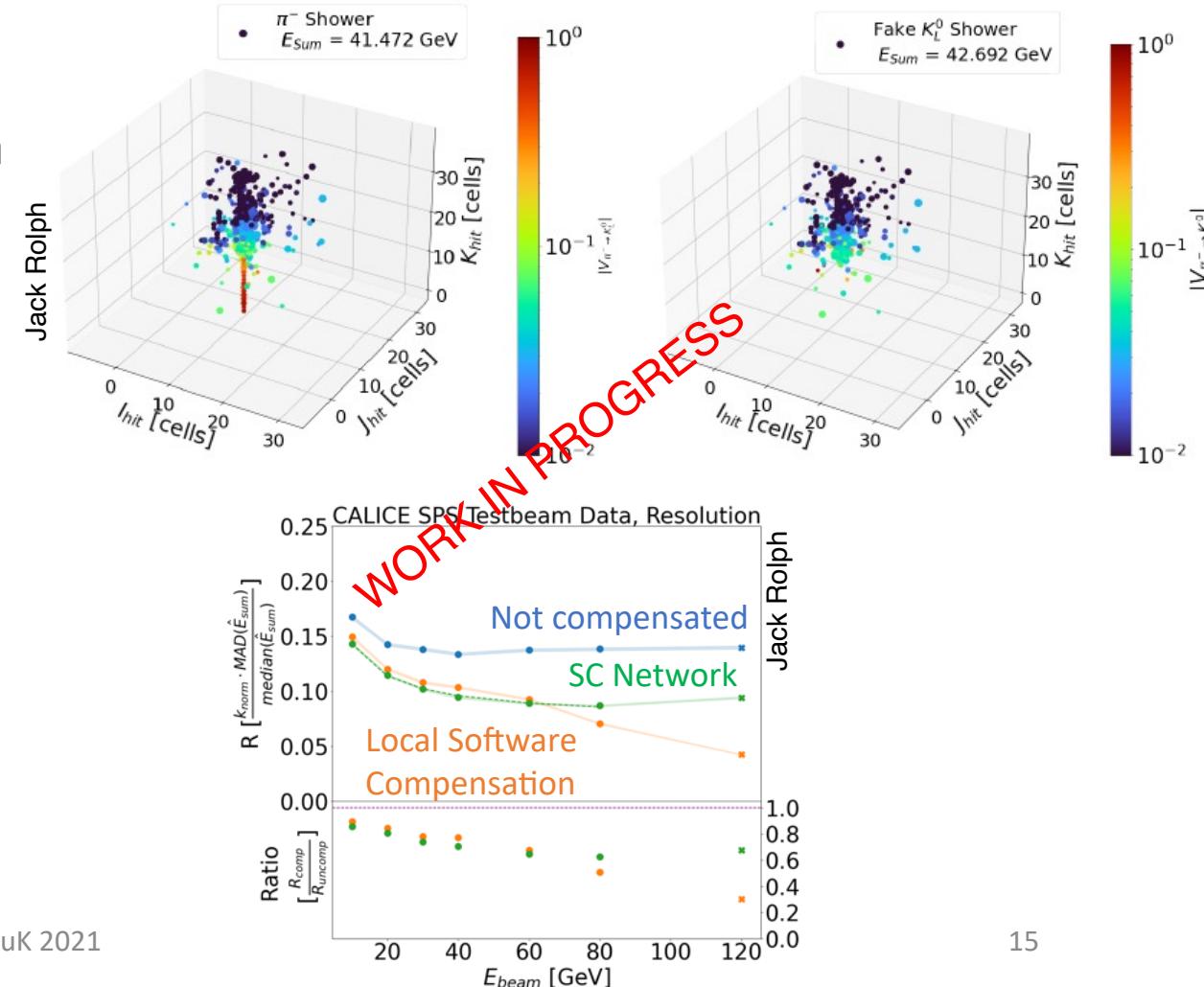
Cross-disciplinary activities

Machine learning based reconstruction algorithms



Some selected examples:

- Unsupervised Background Classification using Generative Adversarial Networks:
Learn difference between charged pion and neutral kaon showers
- Use of energy density and timing in energy reconstruction extending software compensation to machine learning techniques



Cross-disciplinary activities

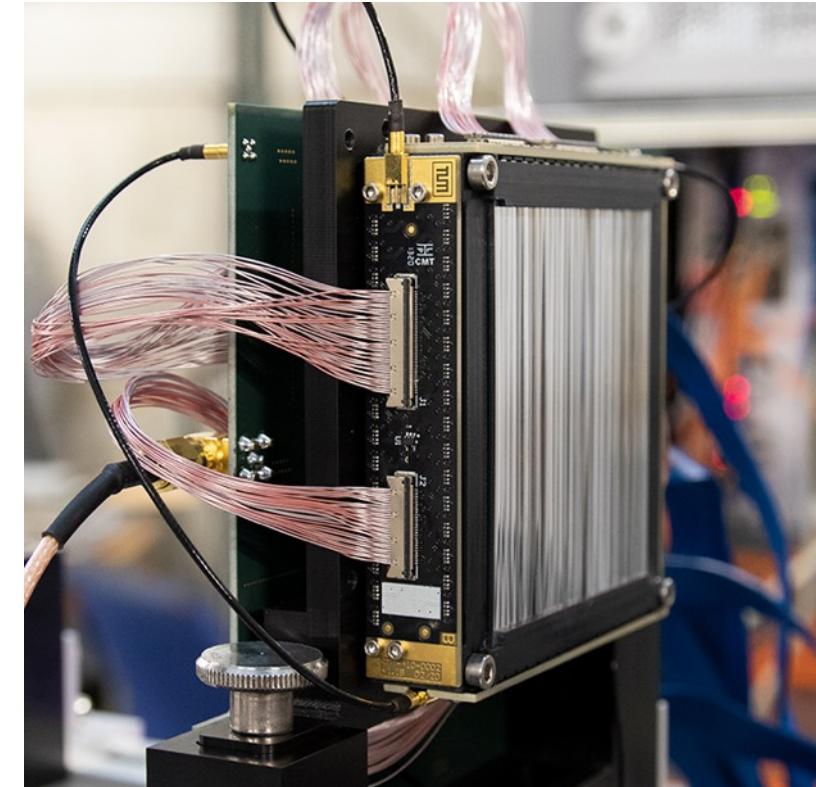
Scintillating-fiber tracker

Fast, scalable, and inexpensive ‘5D’ tracking detectors:

- Position resolution down to <200 µm in 2/3 dimensions
- Time resolution << 1 ns
- Focus of research: energy (loss) resolution with fiber thicknesses of 200 µm and 500 µm
- Coincident readout with two SiPMs per channel to suppress dark counts and to lower energy threshold
- $\sigma \sim 10^3$ to 10^5 channels per detector with ultra-low mass budget

Use as

- Track information for multidimensional high-level trigger
- Tracking calorimeter with PID for ground and space applications

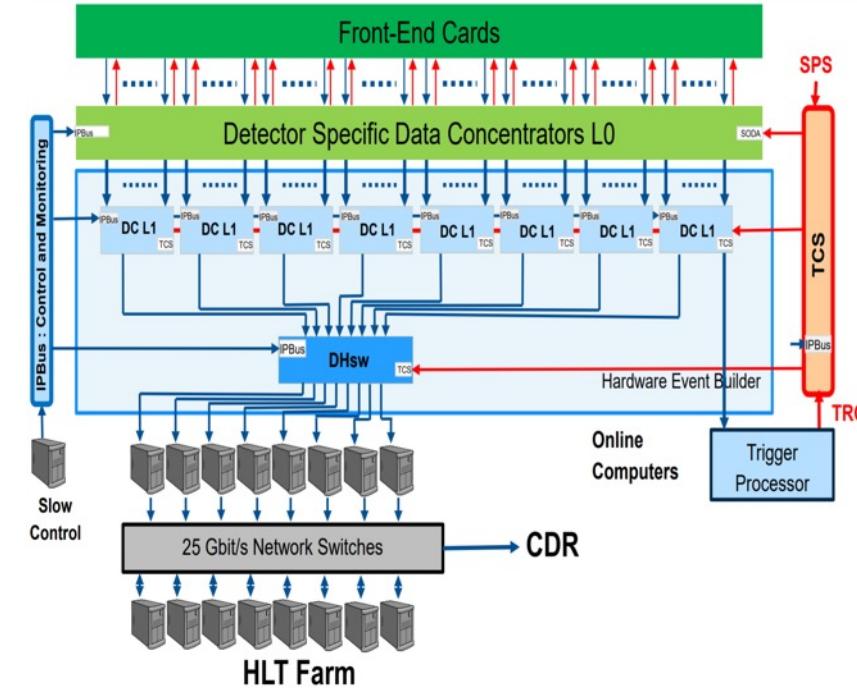
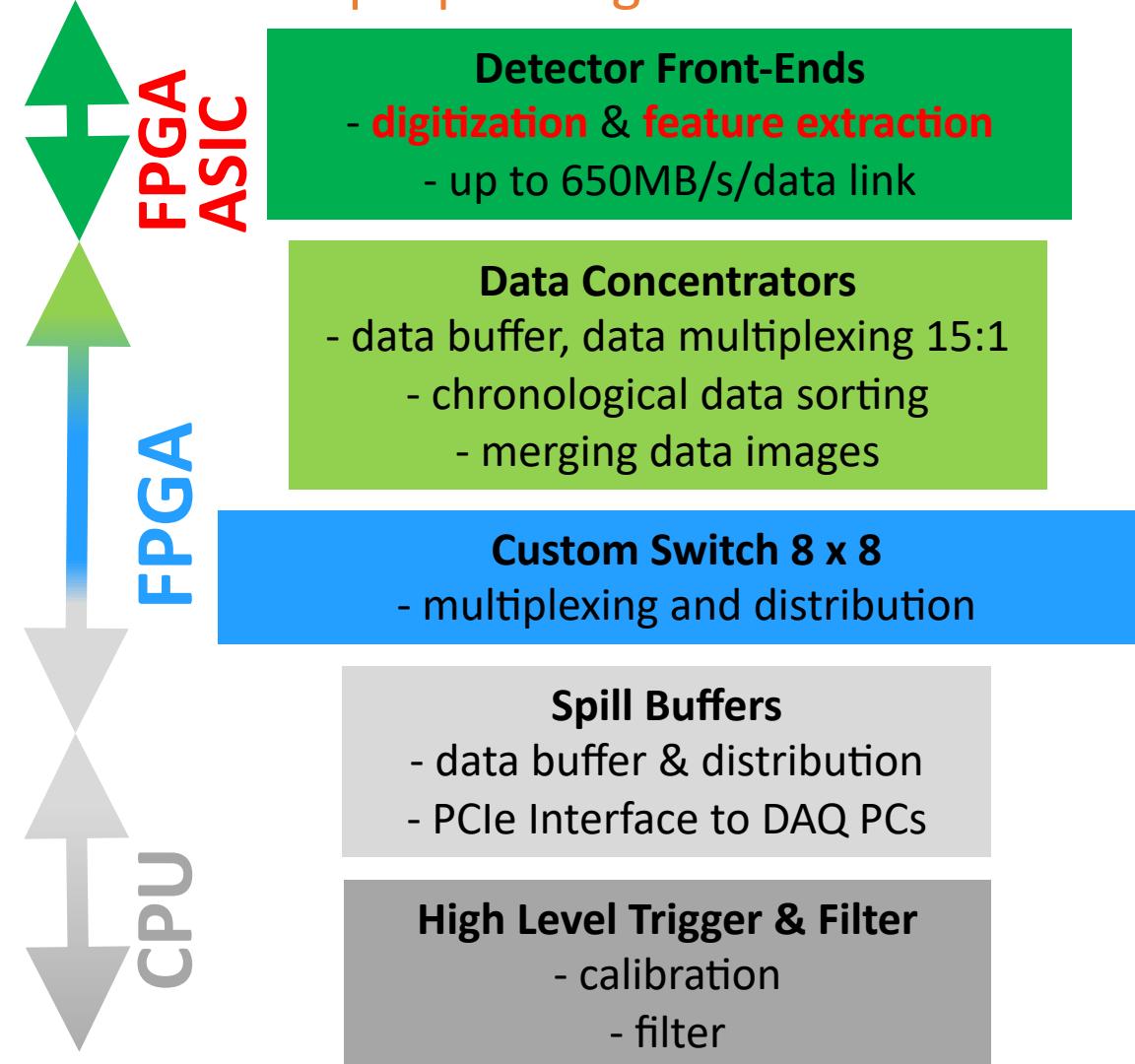


Tracking calorimeter with 2-mm fibers

→ Scalable high-throughput DAQ, SiPM radiation hardness, reconstruction algorithms

Cross-disciplinary activities

Multi-purpose signal receiver & scalable high-throughput DAQ developments

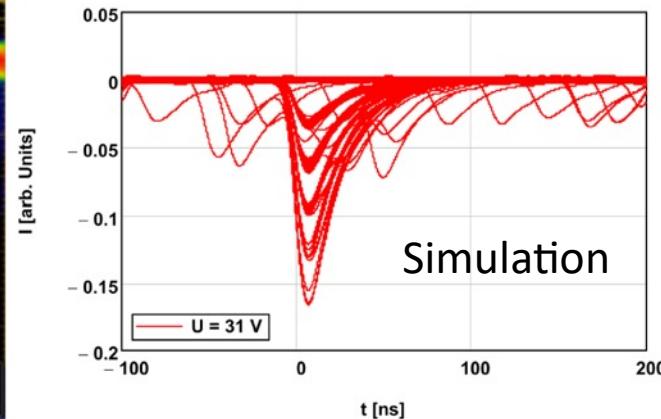
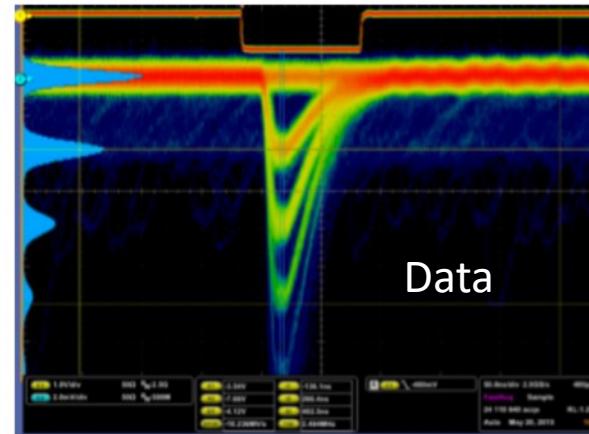


- ASIC Development for Detector Front-Ends**
- 500 MS/s sampling ADC
 - programmable input impedance and gain
 - daisy chained data concentrator
 - smart feature extraction, triggerless operation
 - high voltage for SiPM biasing

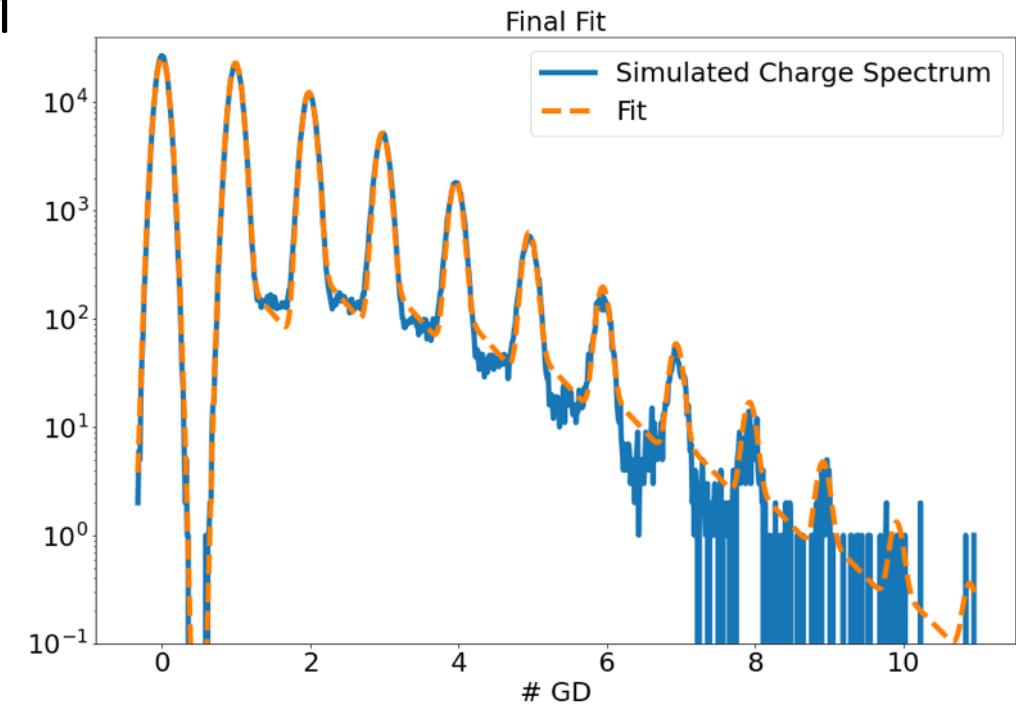
Cross-disciplinary activities

SiPM research

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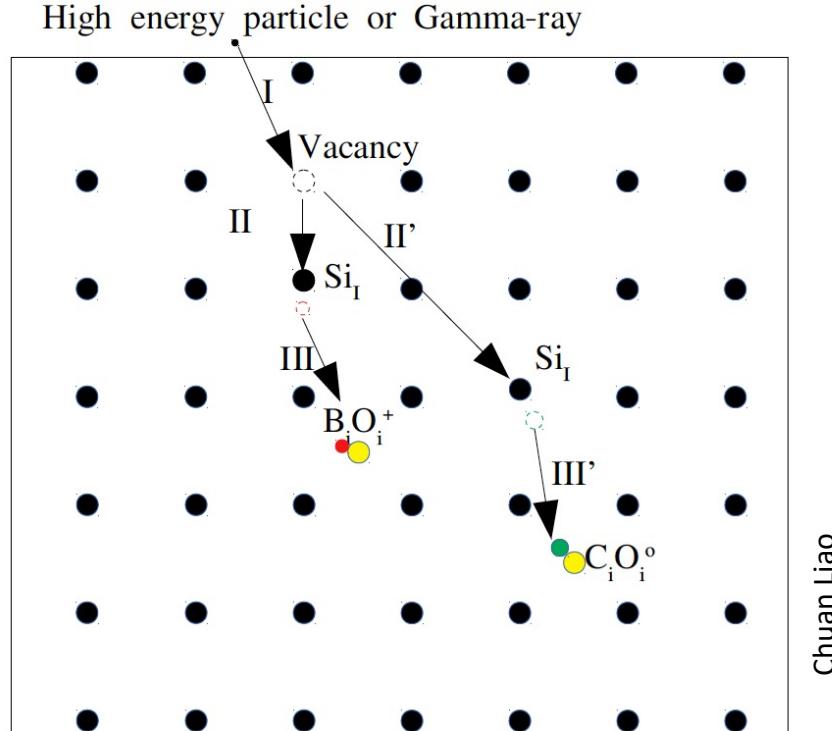
- Characterization, modelling, simulation of SiPM
- Calibration of SiPM response function
- Increase SiPM dynamic range
- Investigation of radiation damage in SiPM



Jack Rolph

Radiation effects

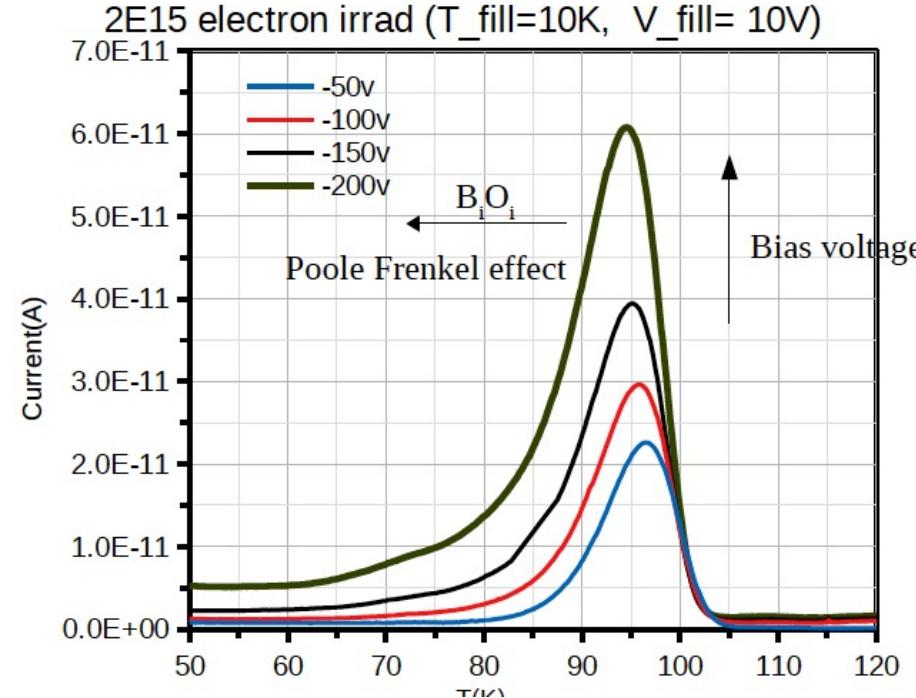
Simulation and measurements of N_{eff} CPS, LGAD, SiPM



Radiation damage of p-type silicon is initially dominated by Boron removal:
 B^- turn to $\text{BiO}i^+$

- Study of radiation damage caused by light, proton, neutron and heavy ions (no data exists so far)

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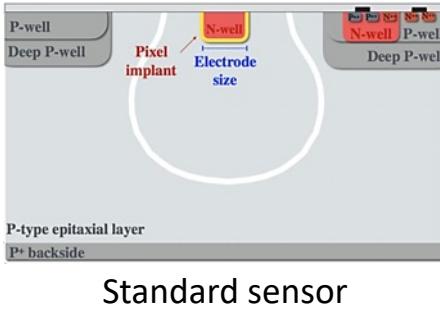
Investigate introduction rate and annealing of $\text{BiO}i^+$ defect

Boron removal is the main cause of gain loss in irradiated LGAD.

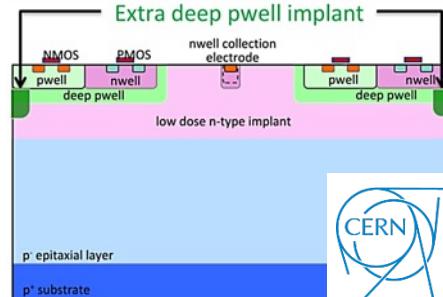
It also affects SiPM and CPS performance after irradiation

Radiation effects

Studies on CPS and damage by heavy ions



Standard sensor



Improved sensor
Thanks to CERN (*)

Full depletion possible with modified sensing volume.
HV > 20V (top + back bias)

Will performance change due to acceptor removal (?)

⇒ Test & simulate in synergy with SiPM/LGAD (E. Garutti)

⇒ Consider radiation damage in sensor response simulation.



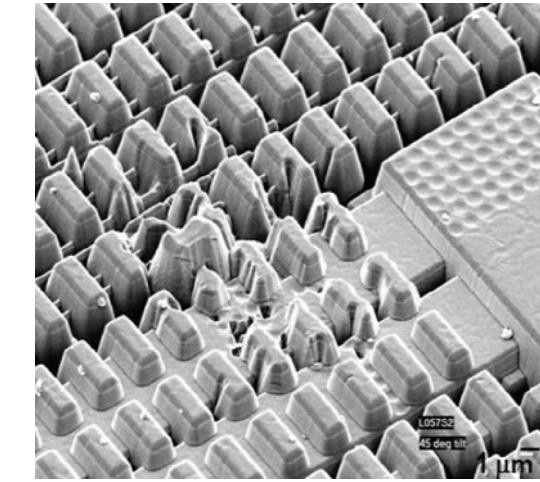
Heavy ions may cause:

Single event latch-up:

- Reversible short circuit
- May burn device if not power cycled

Bit-flips:

- May modify status registers



⇒ Test and establish hardening procedures.

⇒ Make procedures and GSI-HI beams available for interested partners.

Concluding remarks

High-D

is a consortium to coordinate the effort on detector development in HEP and SMuK

It covers cutting-edge research on highly-segmented detectors with unprecedented resolution in space, time and energy measurements

Not all projects received support by BMBF, but

all scientific activities remain part of the High-D research portfolio

Further scientific connections to enlarge the consortium are welcome

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