

# Physics and design of the eh detector

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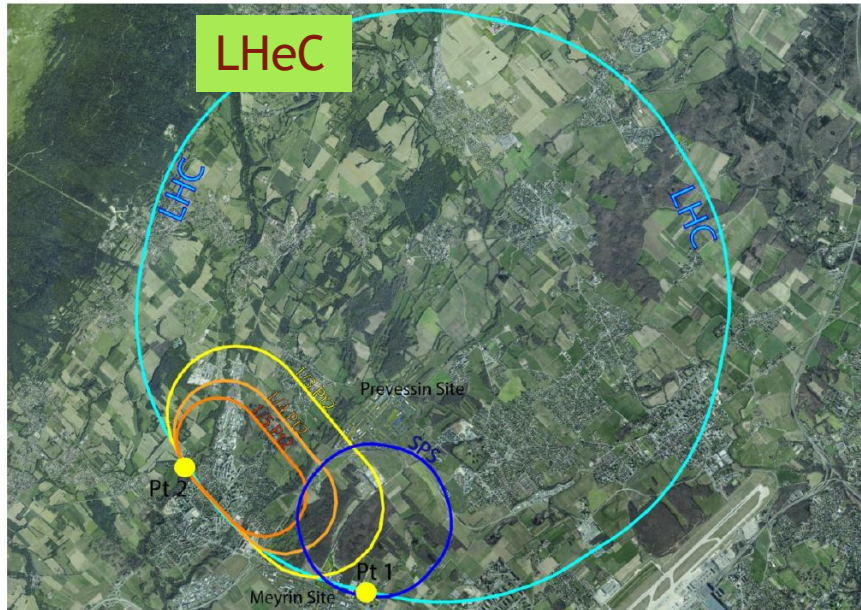
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# This talk

- $ep/eA$  physics, collision kinematics and detector requirements
  - for DIS and for Higgs / EW / Top / BSM physics
- Detector for FCC-eh: extension from LHeC baseline detector
  - IP and Magnet
  - Central tracker and beam pipe
  - (Calorimetry, Muon System, Forward/backward detectors, LHeC version, in backup)
- Challenges and possible improvements for FCC-eh

# The LHeC and FCC-eh accelerators

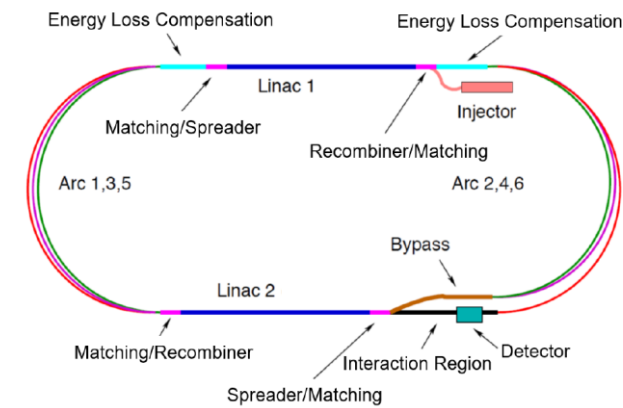
- Electrons from dedicated Energy Recovery Linac (ERL)
- Hadrons from LHC/FCC rings



LHeC baseline:

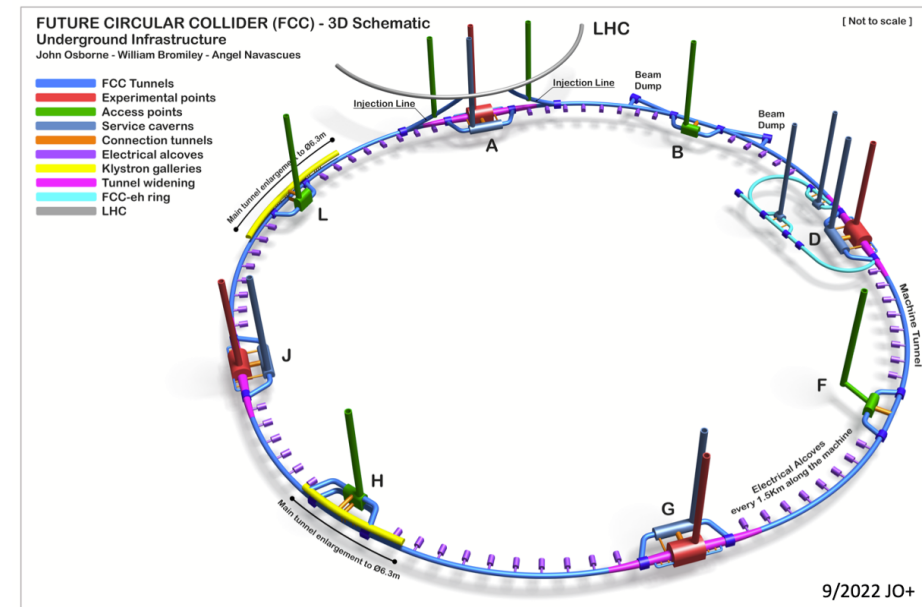
50 GeV(e)  $\times$  7 TeV (p) 2.76 TeV/nucl. (A)

- $\sqrt{s} = 1.18$  (p) or = 0.74 (A) TeV
- $10^{33} - 10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$
- Electrons via 3-track ERL  
~1/4 of LHC circumference



FCC-eh

CDR: 8 point FCC: point D



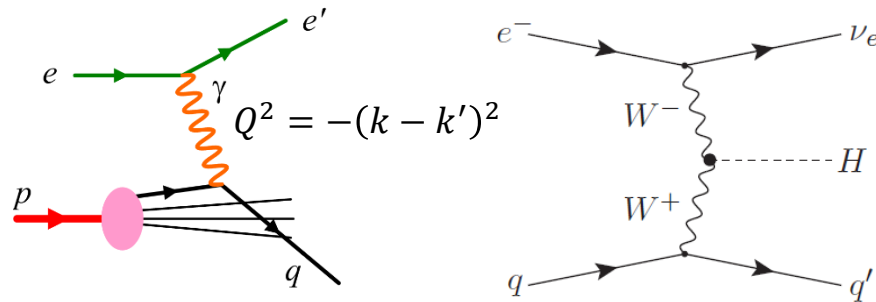
60 GeV(e)  $\times$  20 - 50 TeV (p)

7.9 - 19.7 TeV/nucl. (A)

- $\sqrt{s} = 2.2 - 3.5$  (p) or 1.4 - 2.2 (A) TeV
- $10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$

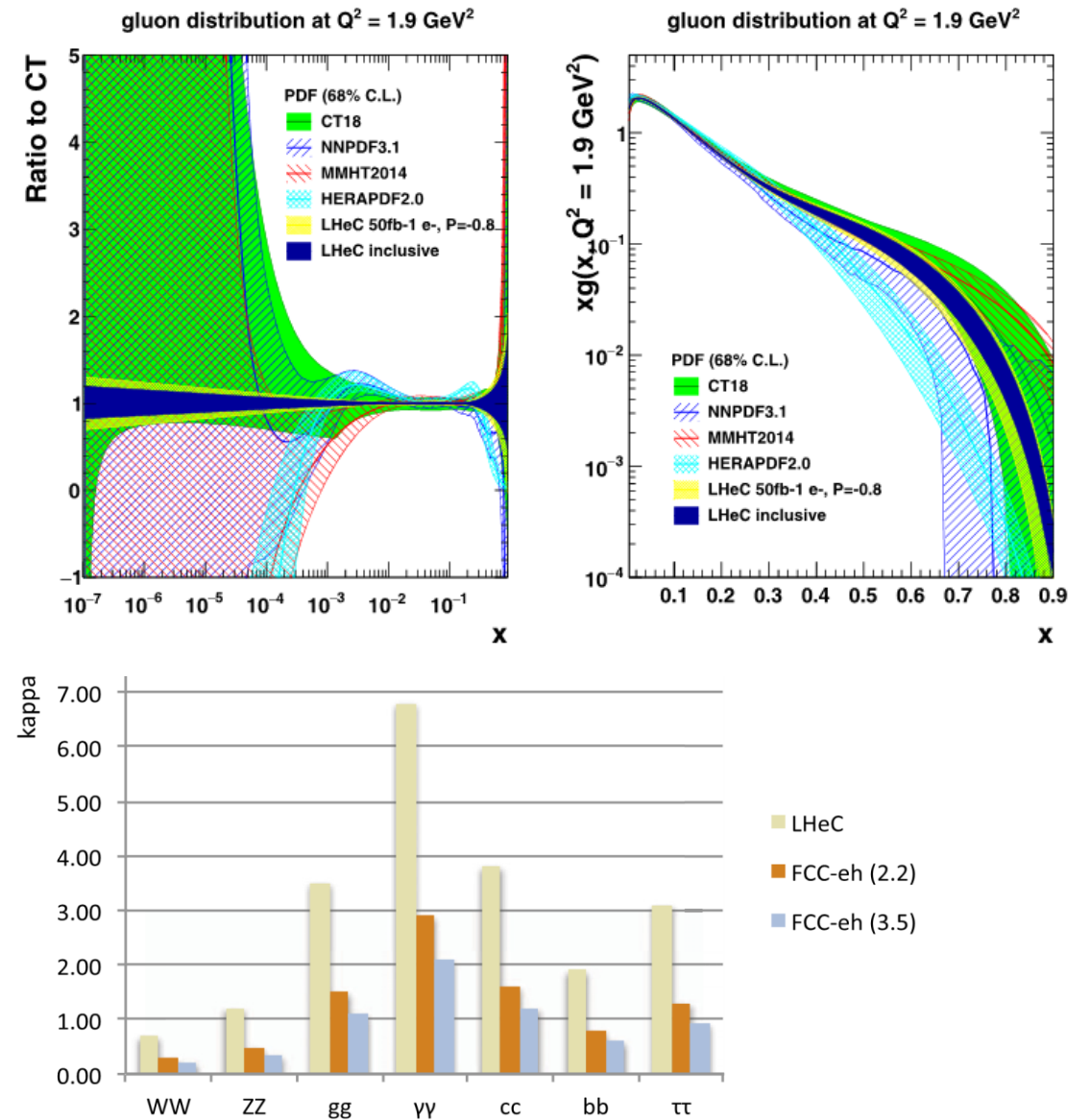
# High-energy $ep/eA$ collisions

- Structure of nucleon and nuclei through DIS
- Higgs couplings
- Precision EW and QCD physics
- BSM physics
  - Leptoquarks, heavy neutrinos, ...



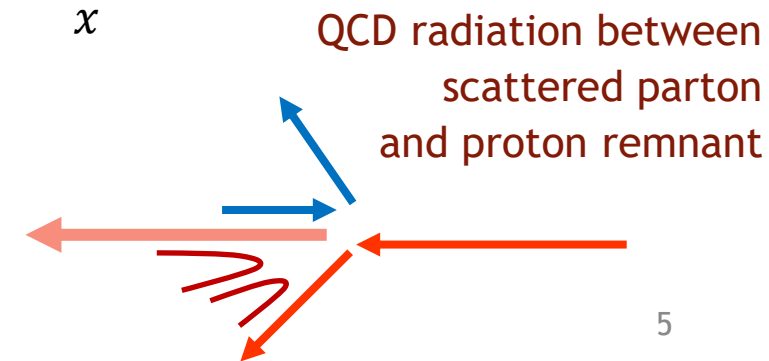
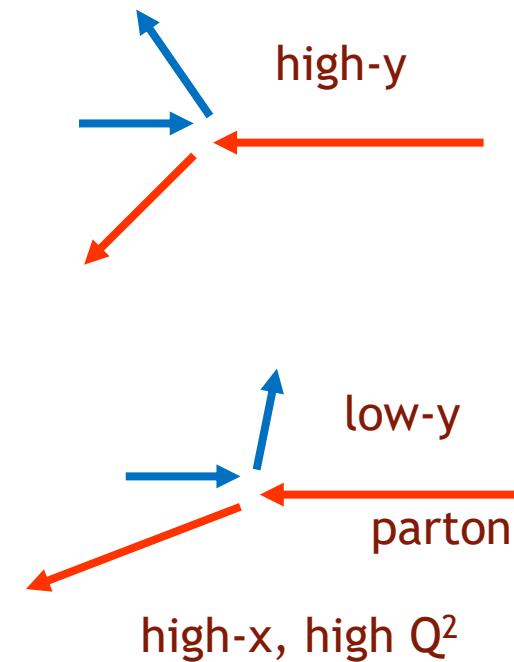
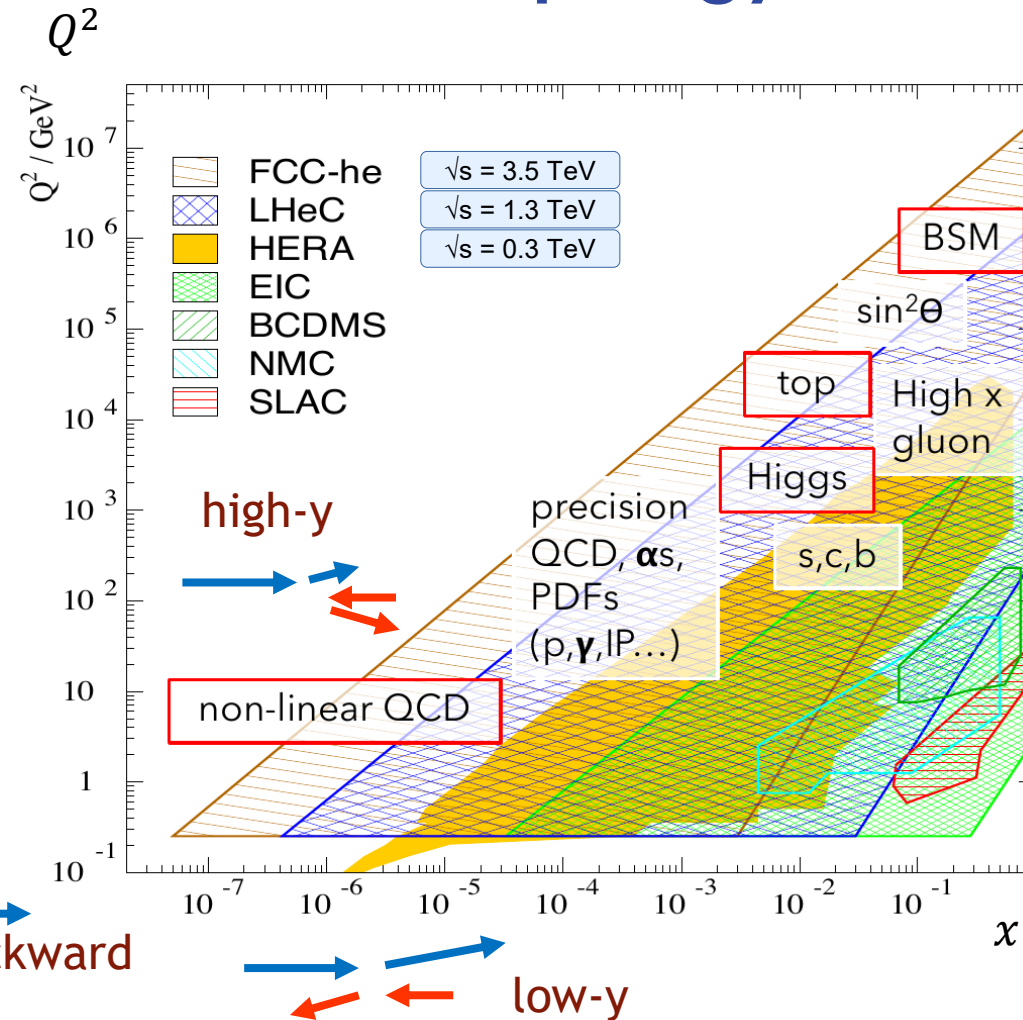
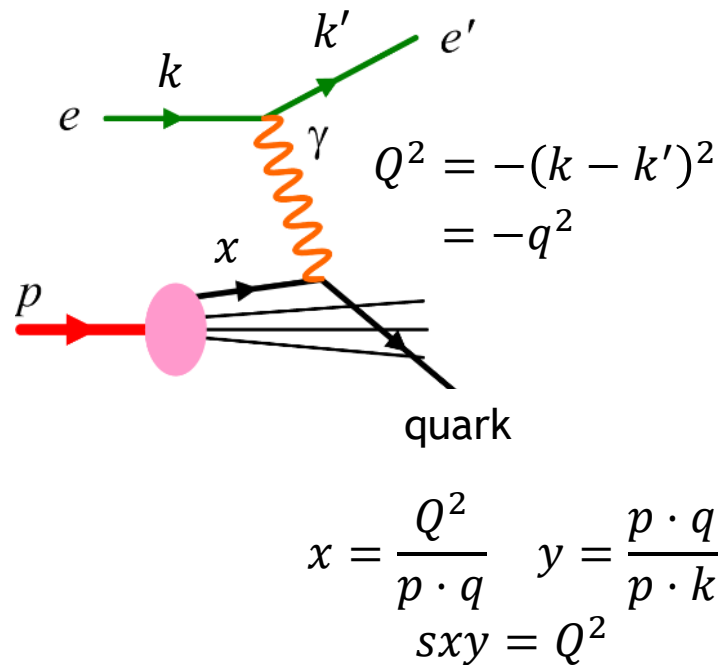
All measured with small pile-up  
and well-controlled detector

- redundant kinematics from e and jet:  
also for calibration



**Figure 106.** Summary of uncertainties of Higgs couplings from  $ep$  for the seven most abundant decay channels, for the LHeC (gold), the FCC-eh at 20 TeV of proton energy (brown) and for  $E_p = 50$  TeV (blue).

# DIS kinematic plane and event topology



- Assymmetric energy flow
  - particles go to incoming proton direction (forward),  $e$  to backward
- But they go to **everywhere** in practice, especially in small angles



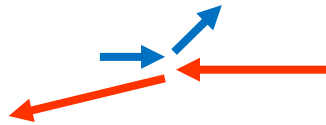
# Processes & Challenges (1): Neutral Current (NC) $ep \rightarrow eX$

low- $x$  / low- $Q^2$  events



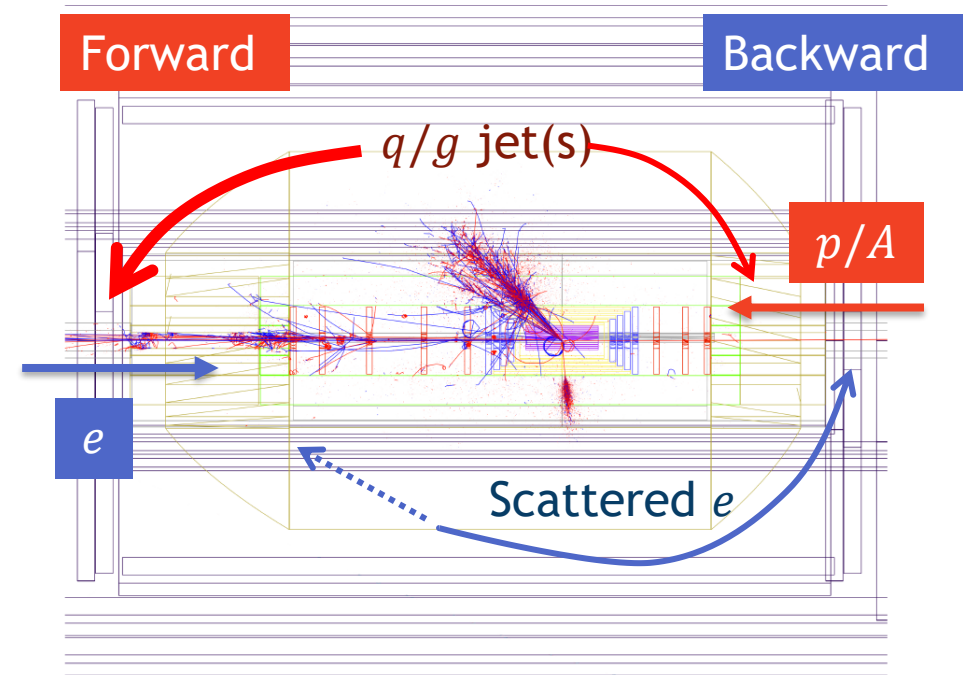
- Scattered electron ( $e$ ) towards small angle ( $< 179^\circ$ )
- Hadrons ( $X$ ) go to forward (low- $y$ ) OR backward (high- $y$ )
- High- $y$  = small energy  $e$  to be distinguished with  $\pi^\pm/\pi^0$  from photoproduction events  $\gamma p \rightarrow X$
- $b/c$  tagging for decomposing pdf beyond  $\eta = 3$

high- $x$  / high- $Q^2$  events

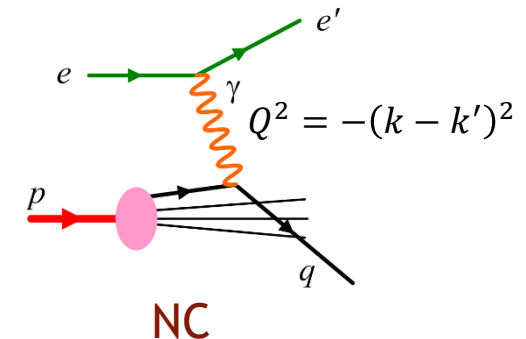


- electrons almost everywhere
- very high-energy jets ( $O(\text{TeV})$ ) also everywhere, especially in forward

- Hermetic and thick EM and Hadron calorimetry
  - Fine granularity for  $e/\pi$  separation (esp. backward =  $e$  direction)
- Fine-pitch + small  $X_0$  tracking for vertexing
  - for heavy-flavour tagging (esp. forward)



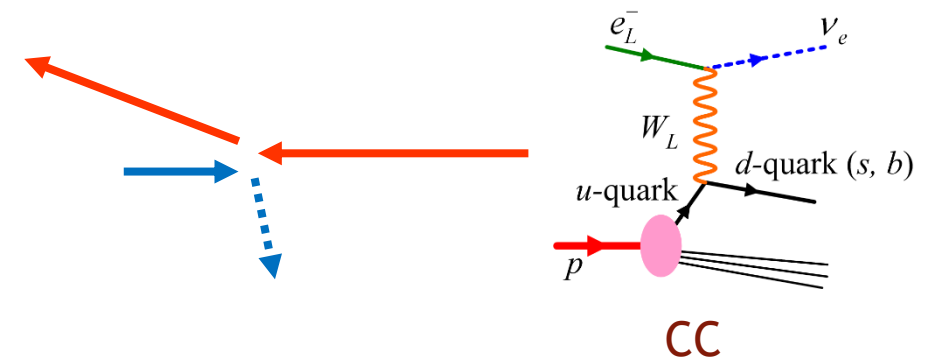
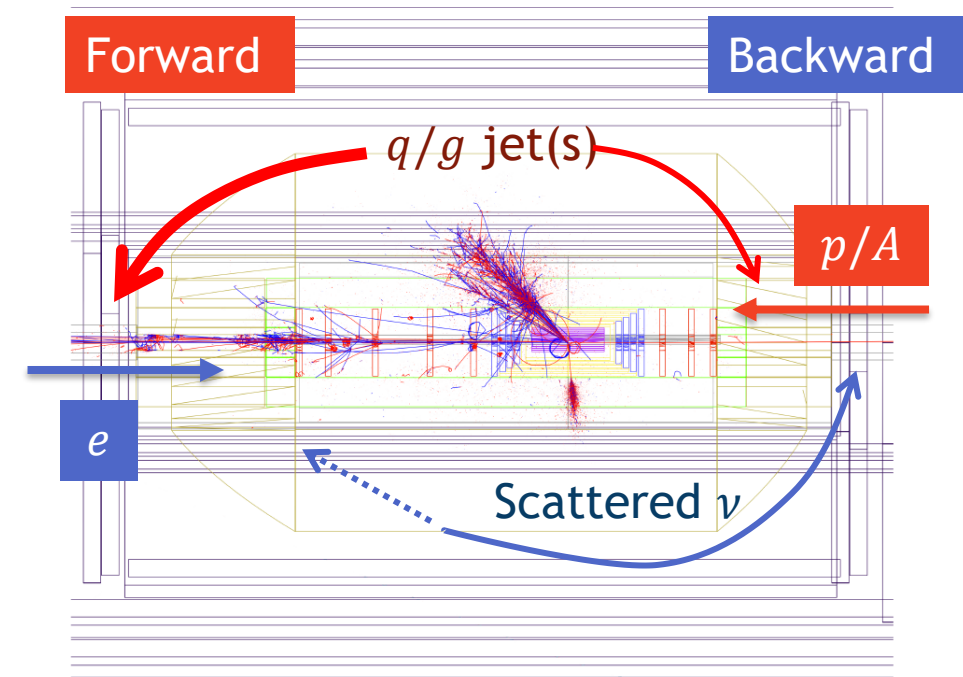
An NC (leptoquark) event at LHeC



## Processes & Challenges (2): Charged Current (CC) $ep \rightarrow \nu X$

- Final state: a jet (like high- $x$  / high- $Q^2$  NC), but w/o scattered  $e$ 
  - Kinematics should be reconstructed only from the hadronic system angle and missing  $p_T$
- This also helps for:
  - QCD studies with jets
    - including photoproduction ( $e \rightarrow e'\gamma$ ,  $\gamma p \rightarrow X$ )
  - detector cross-calibration using NC DIS:
    - two energies and angles ( $e$  and hadronic system): over-constrained

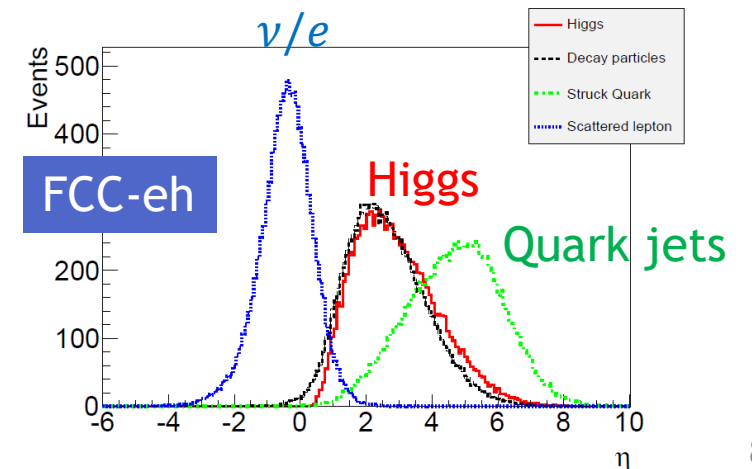
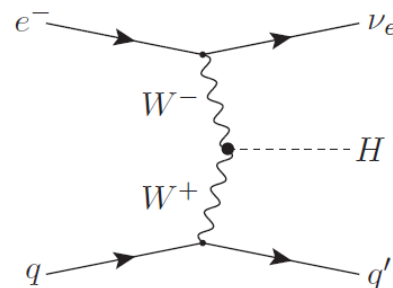
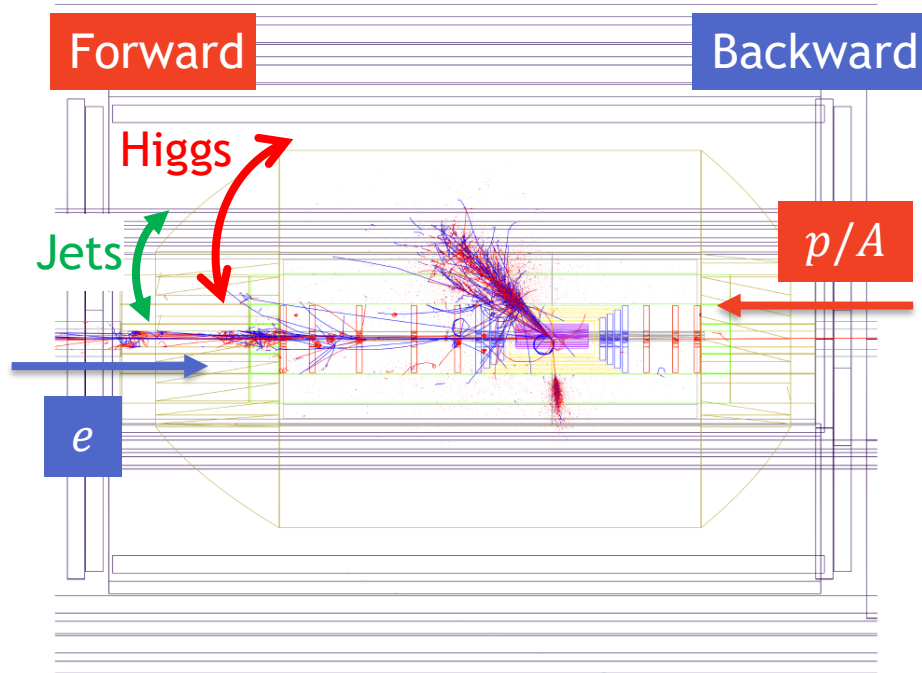
- Hermeticity (esp. forward)
- good HadCal resolution ( $e/h$  etc.)
  - tracking should help (particle flow algorithm)



# Processes & Challenges (3) Higgs / EW / top / BSM

- Higgs
  - Thru WW fusion in CC or ZZ in NC:
    - need to detect forward “VBF jet”
  - Precise coupling to  $b\bar{b}$ ,  $c\bar{c}$ , and  $\tau\tau$  :
    - Need very good flavour tagging in forward direction
    - Jet resolution for mass reconstruction
- EW and top physics
  - similar mass range:
    - similar requirement for flavour and jets
- BSM physics
  - high-mass  $\rightarrow$  large- $x$  events

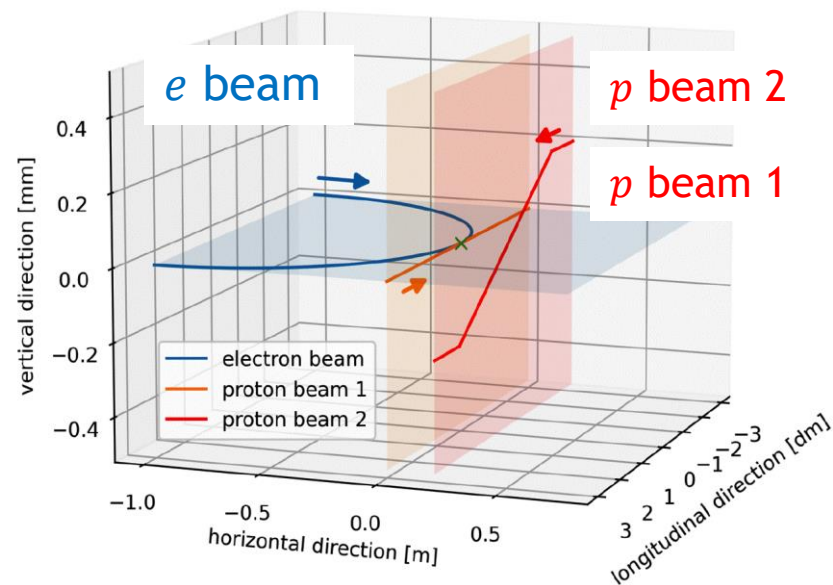
■ generic detector for high- $Q^2$  NC/CC should also serve for these processes



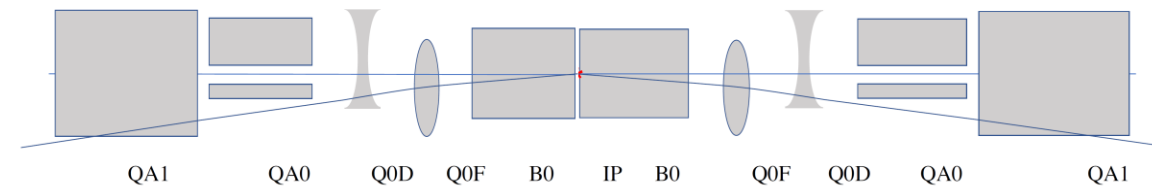
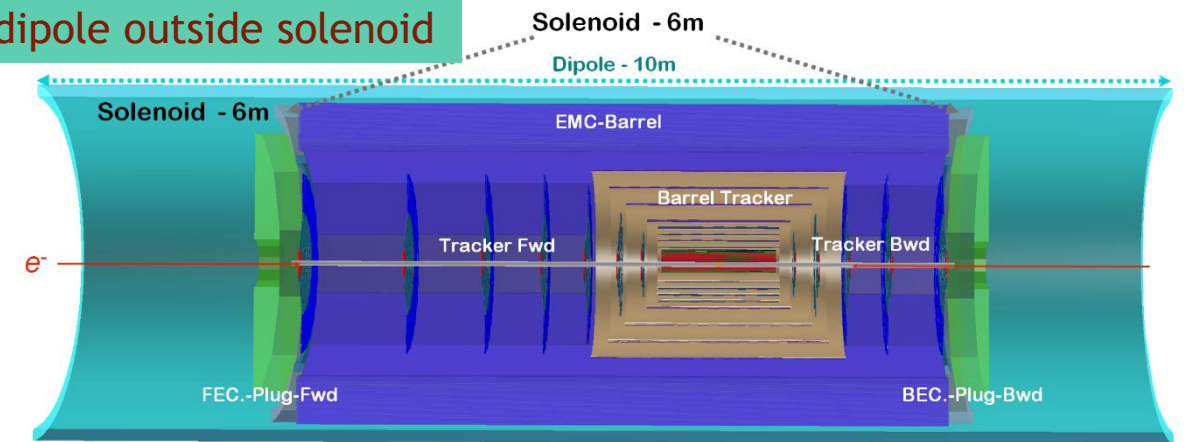


# Machine-detector interface: IP and magnets (from LHeC)

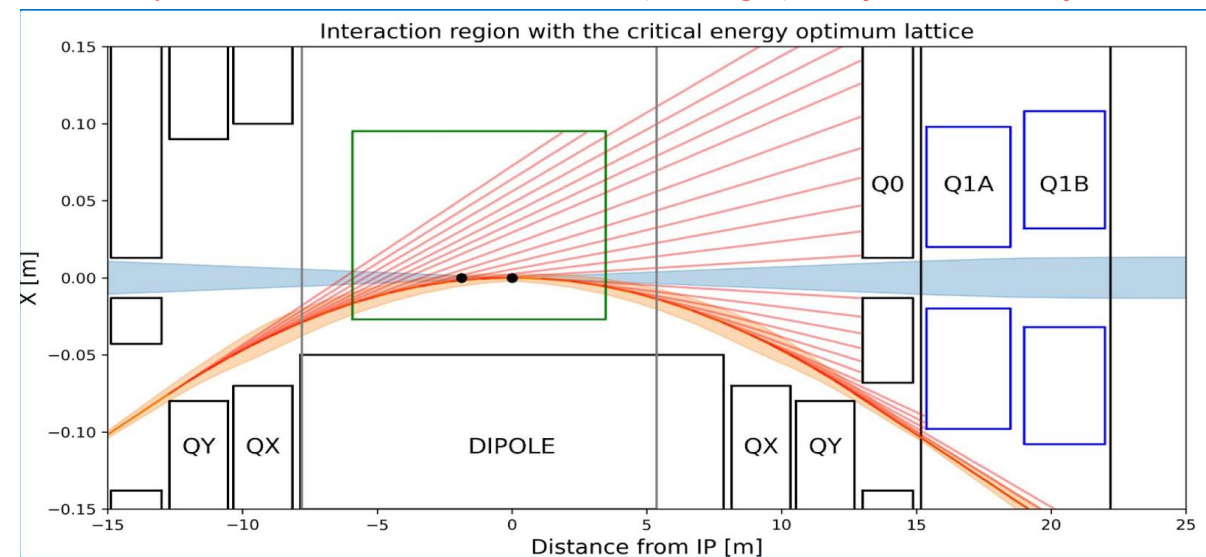
- Dipole magnet integrated in the detector to bend electron beam
  - Beam-2  $p$  and  $e$  brought in head-on collisions
  - Beam-1 in a different plane
- Detector needs to be away and shielded from the synchrotron radiation fan



Green: dipole outside solenoid



Synchrotron radiation fan (orange) - optimised optics



courtesy Daniel Hanstock from his master thesis

LHeC: New IR design for both  $eh$  and  $hh$  collisions at IR2

# The baseline LHeC detector

Covering from 1 to 179 degrees

- All-silicon tracker with extended forward wheels  

Covering wide  $\eta$  with small  $X_0$
  - EM calorimeter  

fine segment EM calo

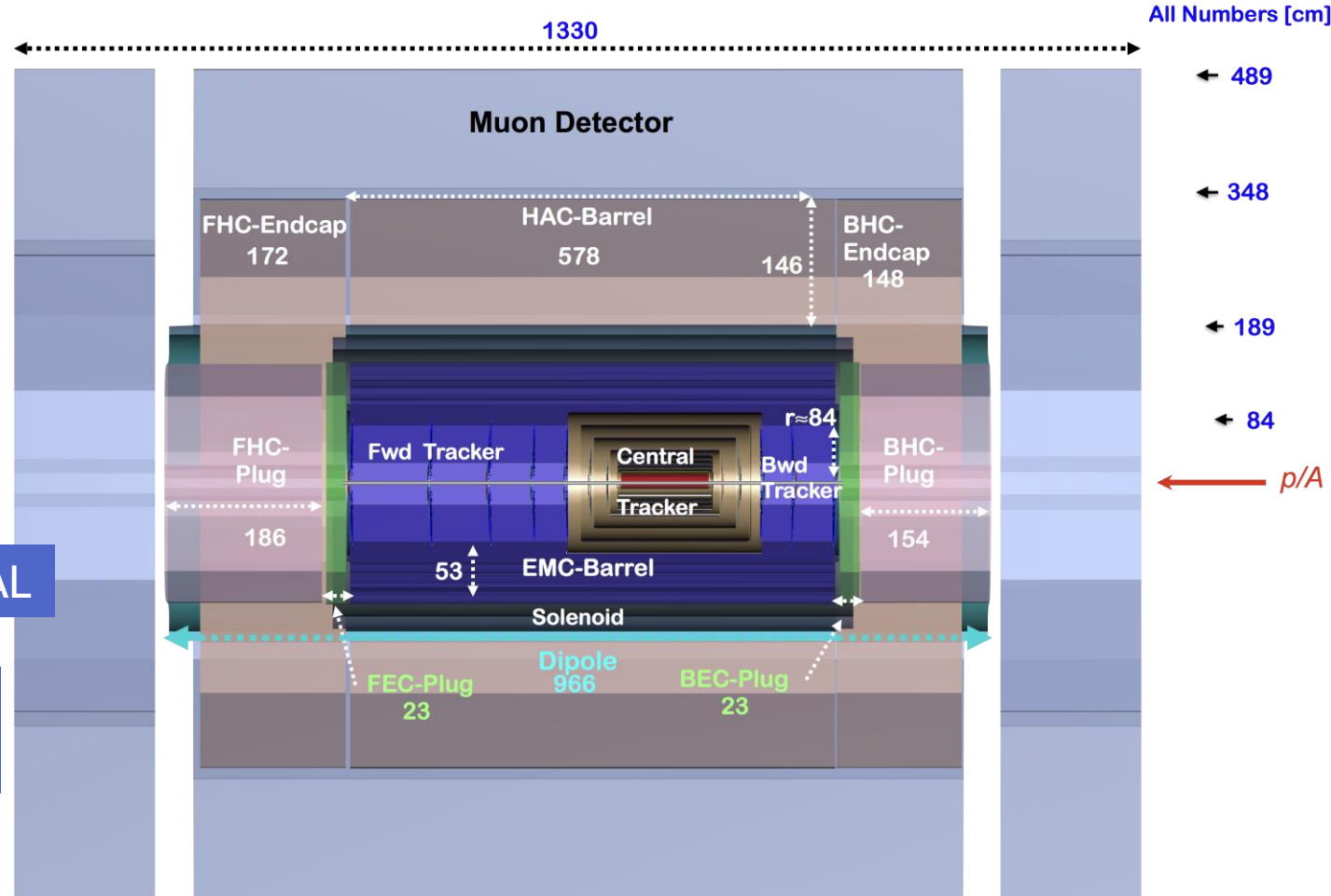
    - LAr (barrel) or Si-Pb / Si-W
  - Solenoid and dipole
  - HCAL  

Good resolution for HCAL

    - Fe/Pb-sci. or Si-W
    - Si-W (endcap forw.)

rad-hard for very forward Calo
  - Muon system  
    - embedded in return yoke
- + Forward/backward detectors along beamline

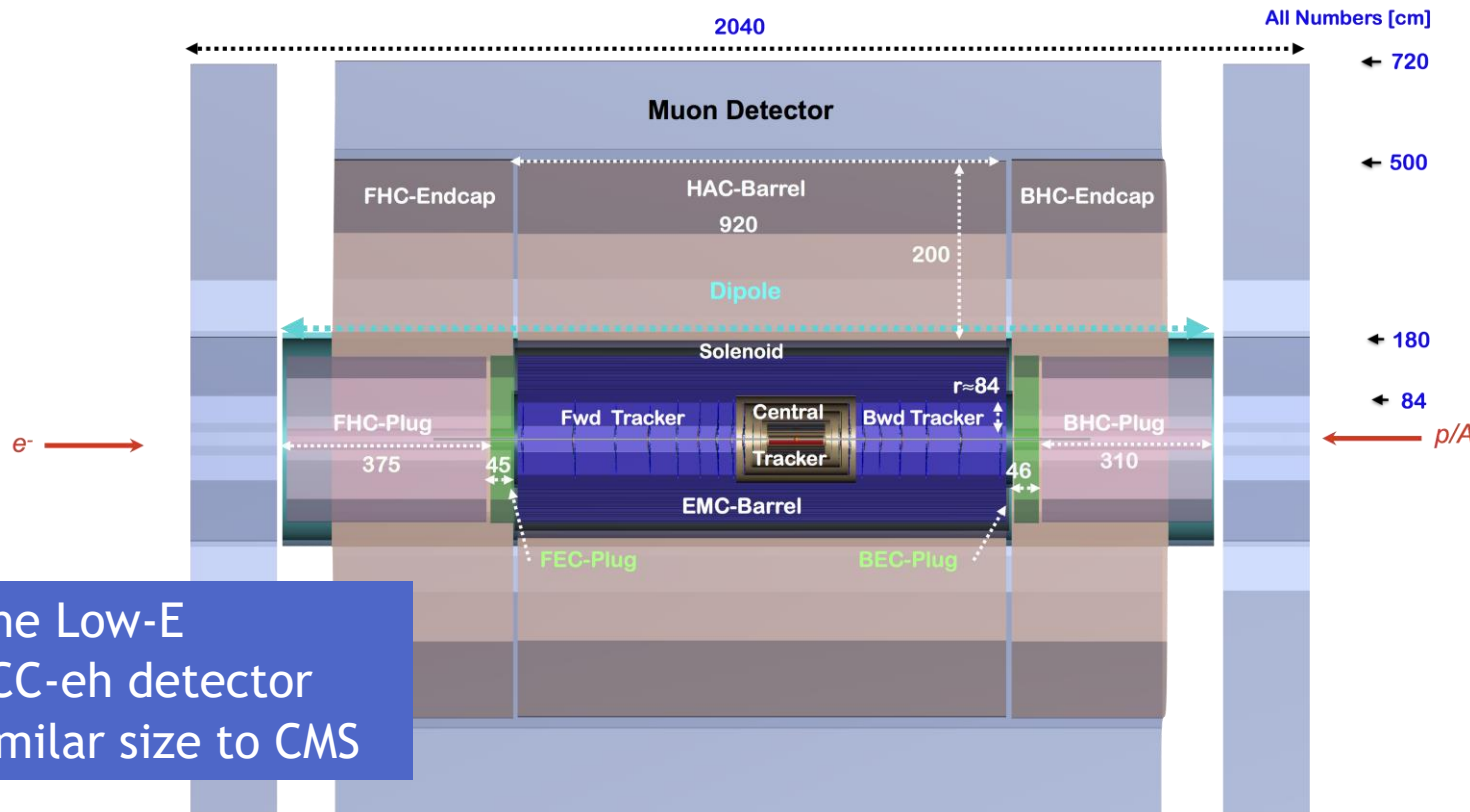
Place for compensating solenoids not shown



Aiming for compact, modular and very hermetic detector  
Fulfilling the requirements

# Detector design for FCC-eh – extension of the LHeC detector

- Proton 20 and 50 TeV, electron 60 GeV
  - Almost no change in low-mass event properties (e.g. Higgs) while new high-mass objects would be detected in very forward rapidities
- Design for LHeC with extended volume / layers will serve also for FCC-eh
  - **Forward/Central: scales in  $\sim \log E_{had}$  for calo**



The Low-E  
FCC-eh detector  
similar size to CMS

Total length 13.3 → 20.4m

Radius 4.9 → 7.2m

Central tracker also with (possibly tilted) wheels

Fwd tracker 4 → 8 disks

Bwd 2 → 6 disks

HadCal:

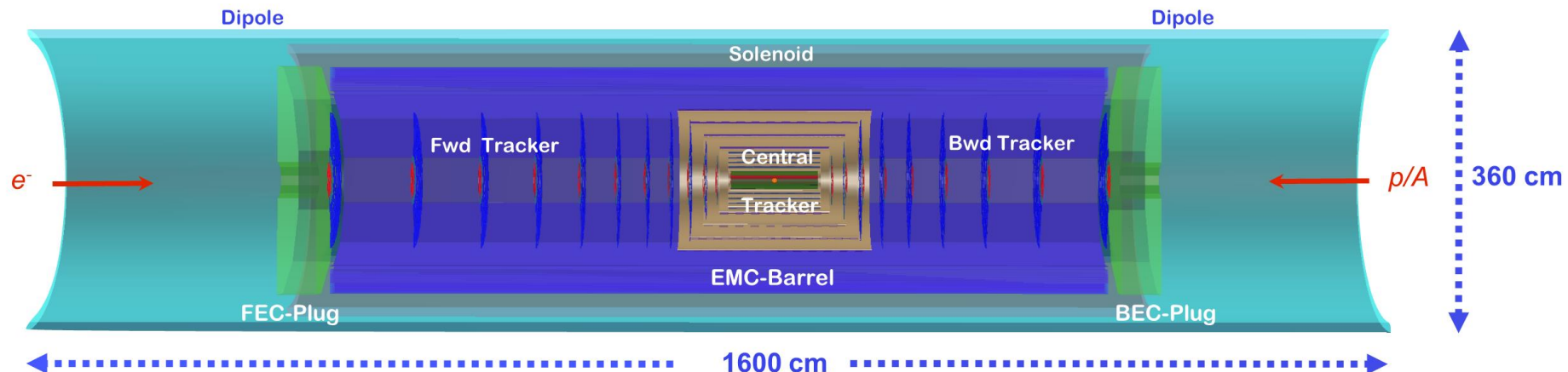
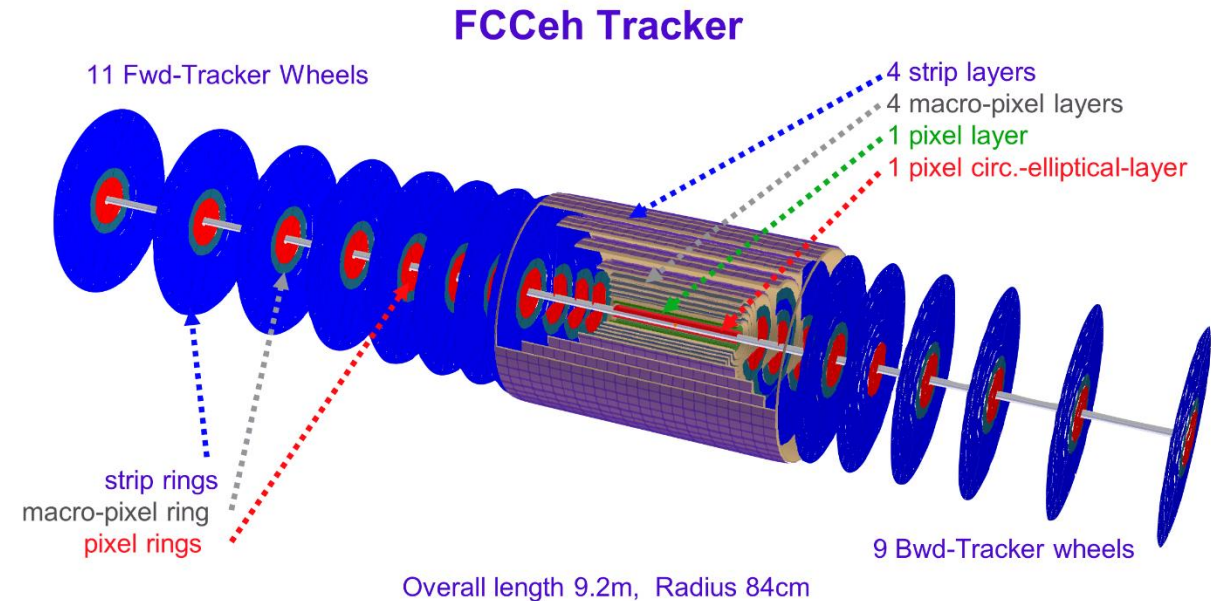
12-15 interaction lengths

Most demanding: forward detectors

# Central tracker extension for FCC-eh

- More layers in Forward / Backward
  - 6m (LHeC) to 9.2m in length, rapidity coverage  $5.3 \rightarrow 5.6$
  - # of forward disk:  $4 \rightarrow 7$  or  $8$
- Planar (cost) and inclined (performance) options being considered
  - Inclined option:  $< 10\%$  of  $X_0$  achieved all over
- Area of rapid development: the final design would be further optimised

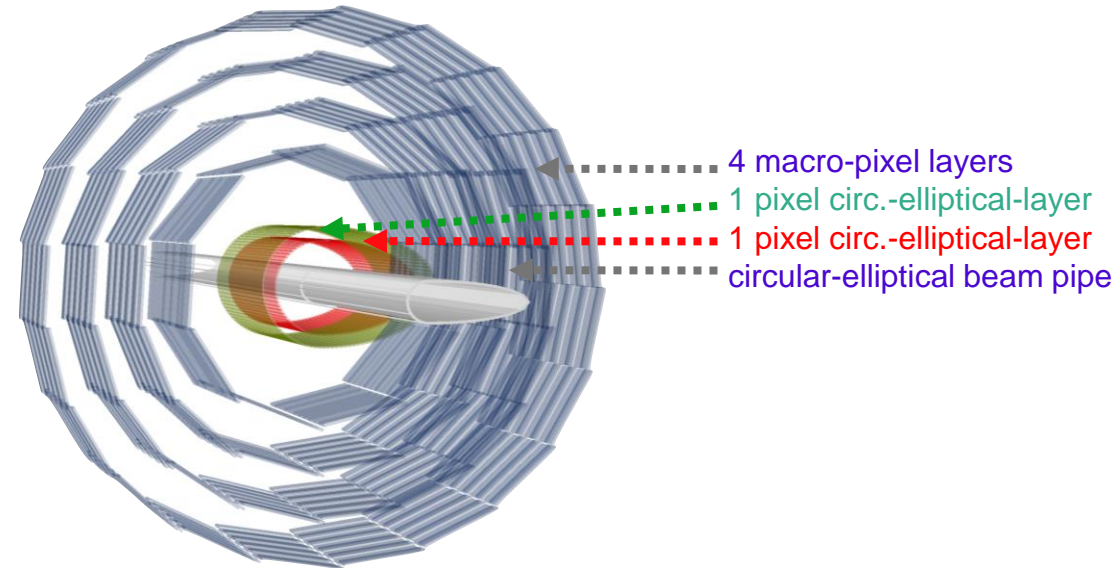
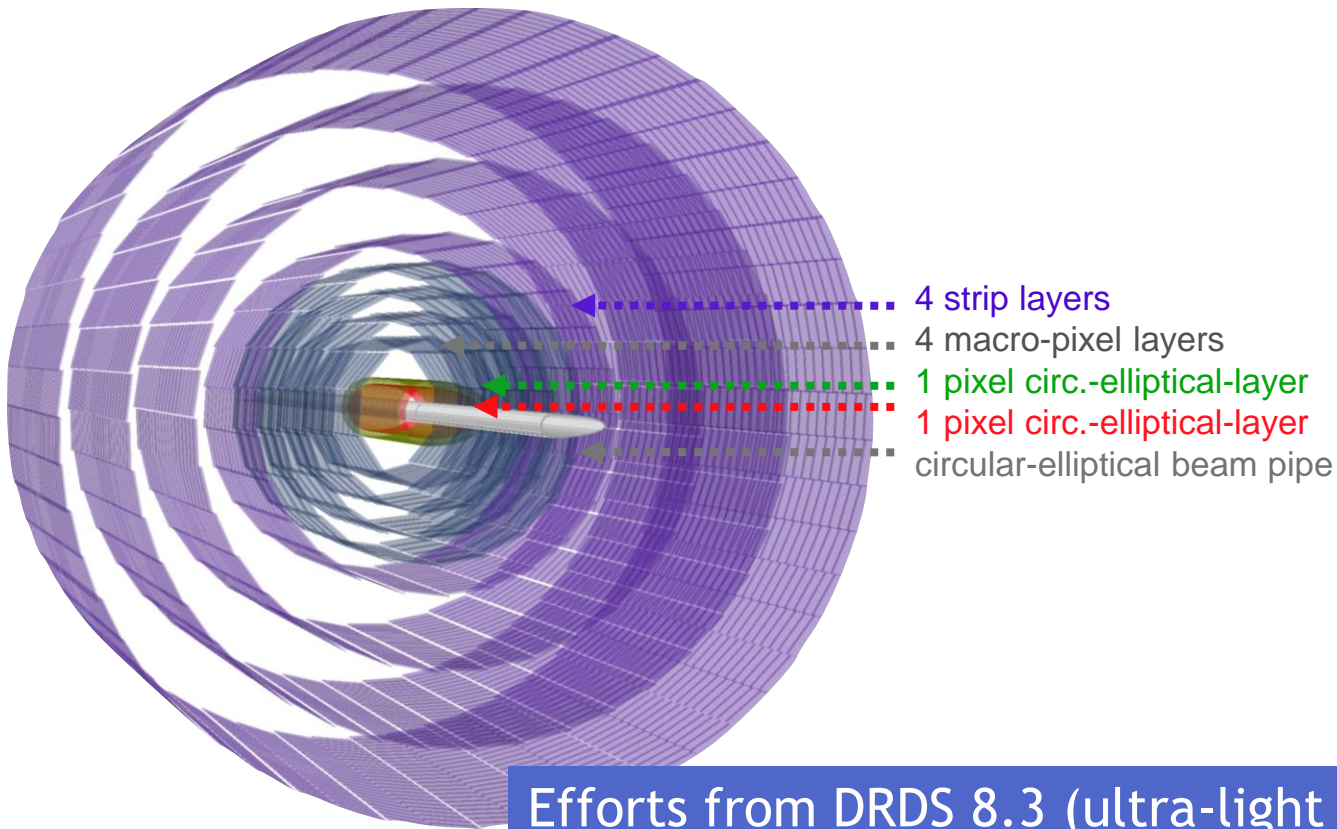
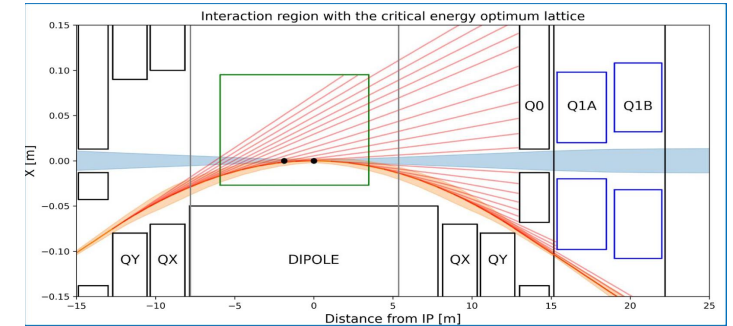
Pitch ( $\mu\text{m}$ )	$r\phi$	$z$
pixel	25	50
macro pixel	100	400
strip	100	10-50mm





# Barrel sensors and beampipe (version LHeC)

- Elliptical beampipe to accommodate synchrotron radiation fan
- Innermost layers are bent (developed for ALICE)



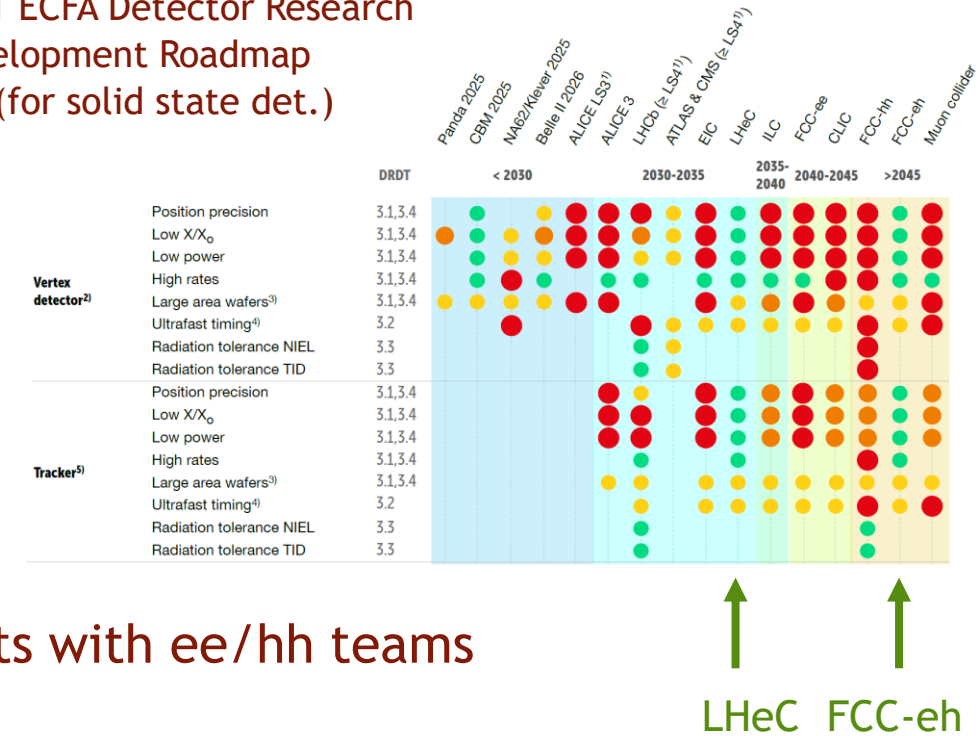
Efforts from DRDS 8.3 (ultra-light stable high precision mechanics, Machine-detector interfaces) should be persued

# Detector challenges for FCC-eh

The 2021 ECFA Detector Research and Development Roadmap  
Fig. 3.1 (for solid state det.)

Officially the detector is thought to be relatively "easy"

- cross section 1/1000 of  $pp$  collisions:  
radiation ~ lower by > 2 digits
- almost no pile-up



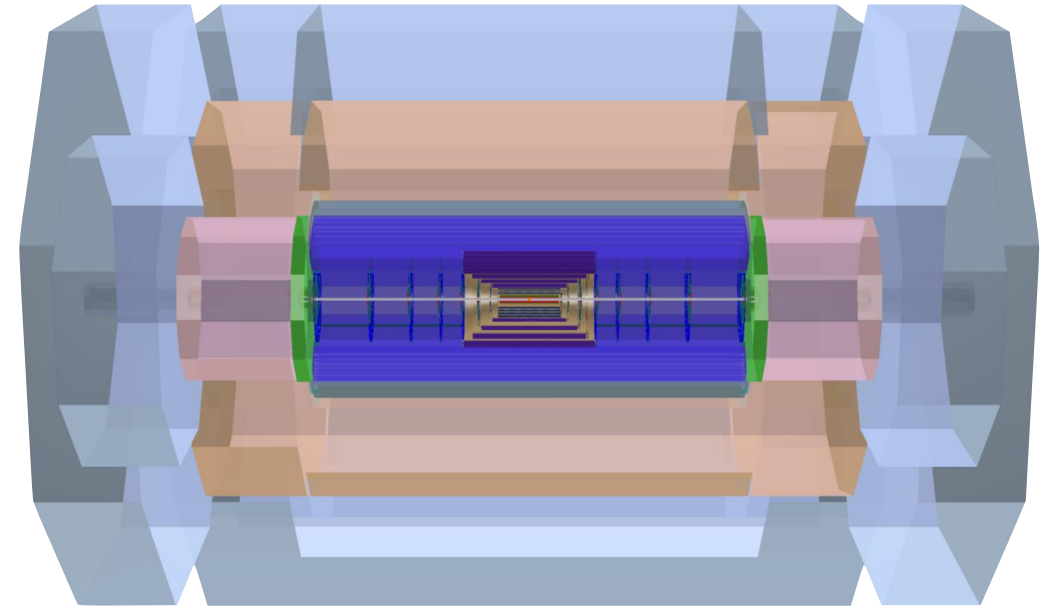
But there are many points of improving, worth joint efforts with ee/hh teams

- New development on mechanics & MDI
- Better resolution for jets by barrel Calo: CC precision
- Imaging calorimeter for backward ( $e/\pi$  separation), **forward (energy flow for  $\eta > 3$ )**
- Targeting track resolution at  $5\mu\text{m}$  or better, also in as forward region as much
- Tracker closer to the beam pipe, with secondary vacuum vessel
- Rad-hard technology for very forward detectors e.g. Zero-degree Calo (50 TeV neutrons)
- ...



# hh collisions at the FCC-eh IP

- The eh detector is optimised for precision measurement
- low-pileup  $pp$  collisions for precision SM physics at the FCC-eh IP may perform better
  - with higher acceptance to lower  $p_T$  (moderate B field)
  - with high- $\eta$  detectors chosen for precision rather than radiation
  - ... and detectors will be better calibrated through DIS events
- Physics from  $pp$  at the FCC-eh detector
  - QCD measurements with calibrated detector are interesting
  - EW and top measurements:  
maybe not much items left after FCC-ee and eh runs?  
There may well be benefits in  $ep$  : to be studied.



A symmetrized  
LHeC detector

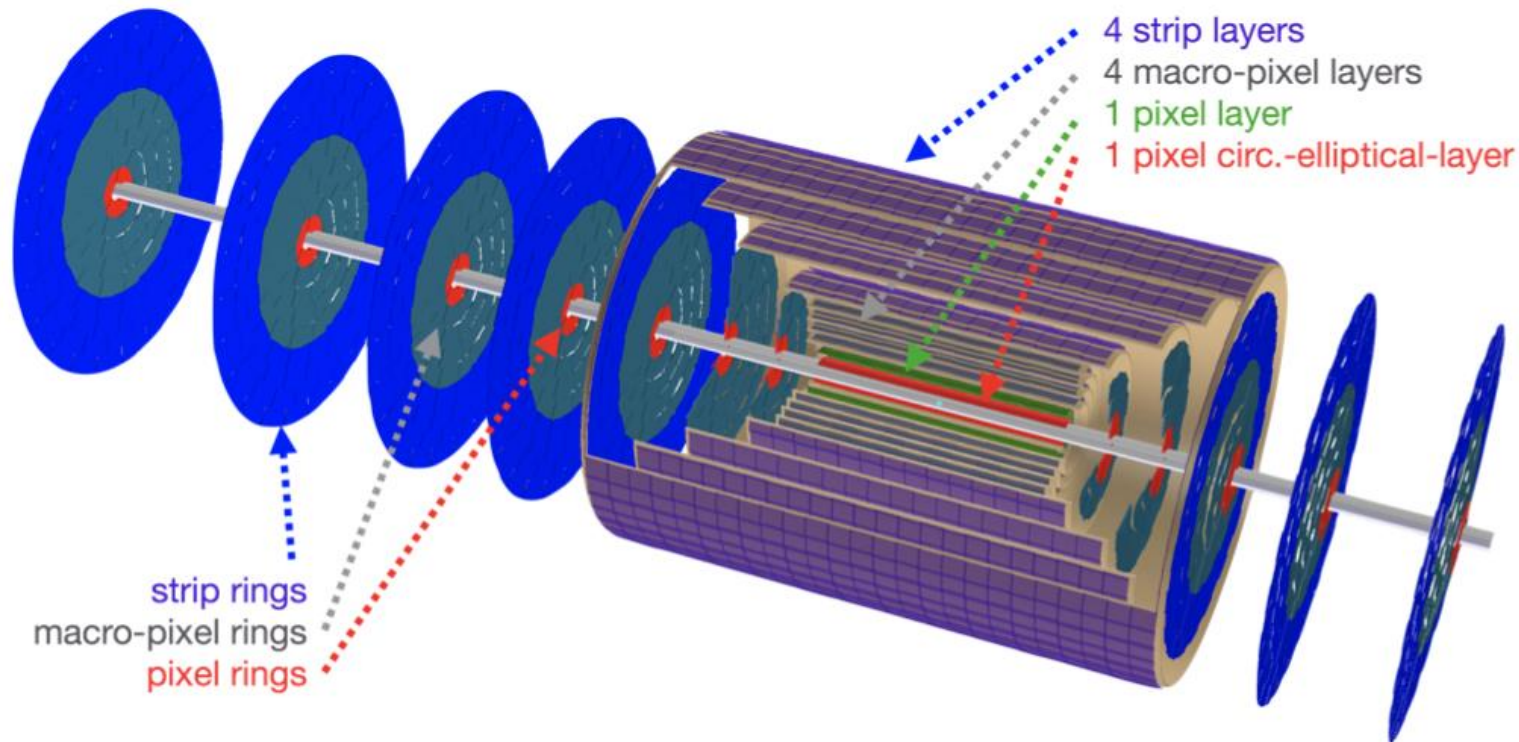
# Summary

- A short review on DIS kinematics and detector challenges for FCC-eh
  - Most requirements quite similar to that for LHeC
  - Forward detectors are more demanding
- A version of the FCC-eh baseline detector
  - extension of the LHeC detector, which performs well also for FCC-eh
- The detector does not have to be ready today
  - more ambitious options for precision  
e.g. E resolution, calorimeter imaging, low- $X_0$  tracker, timing and PID ...
  - and with less impact to environment: reduced cost, power consumption ...

**BACKUP**

# Detector design studies for LHeC and FCC-eh

- Detector designs for future highest-energy  $ep/eA$  colliders
  - very detailed studies in LHeC CDR 2012 [LHeC Study Group, 2012 J. Phys. G: Nucl. Part. Phys. 39 075001](#)
  - for FCC-eh detector in FCC CDR vol. 3 [EPJ Special Topics 228, 755-1107\(2019\)](#)
- CDR update in 2020 ( [P Agostini et al 2021 J. Phys. G: Nucl. Part. Phys. 48 110501](#) ) motivated by:
  - Accelerator design optimisation (ERL 60  $\rightarrow$  50 GeV, higher lumi etc.)
  - **Physics (e.g. Higgs)**, technology advancement + variation
  - Low-E FCC-eh detector design also presented
- OFFSHELL-2021 – The virtual HEP conference on Run4@LHC
  - Accepted as a contribution with a reviewed paper, published in EPJC [Eur.Phys.J.C 82 \(2022\) 1, 40](#)
  - Extension to  $hh$  collisions discussed
- Further development in IP design in 2021/2022 for concurrent  $eh/hh$  operation



Inner Tracker

Rapidity to  $\sim 5$

$r_0 = 60$  cm

impact resolution  
5-10  $\mu\text{m}$

40.7 m<sup>2</sup> Si

# LHeC Trackers

$\eta_{\text{max}}, \eta_{\text{min}}$

Wheels

Modules/Sensors

Total Si area [m<sup>2</sup>]

Read-out-Channels [10<sup>6</sup>]

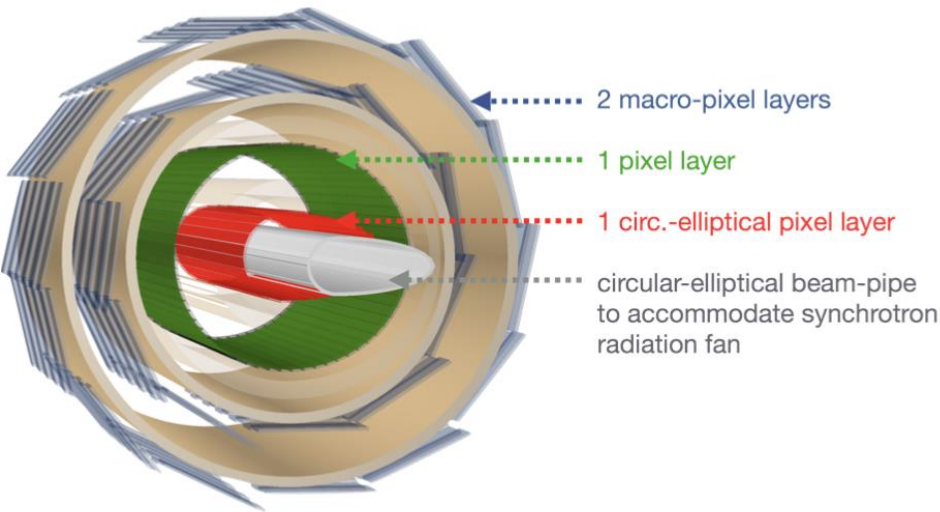
pitch <sup>$r-\phi$</sup>  [ $\mu\text{m}$ ]

pitch <sup>$z$</sup>  [ $\mu\text{m}$ ]

Average  $X_0/\Lambda_I$  [%]

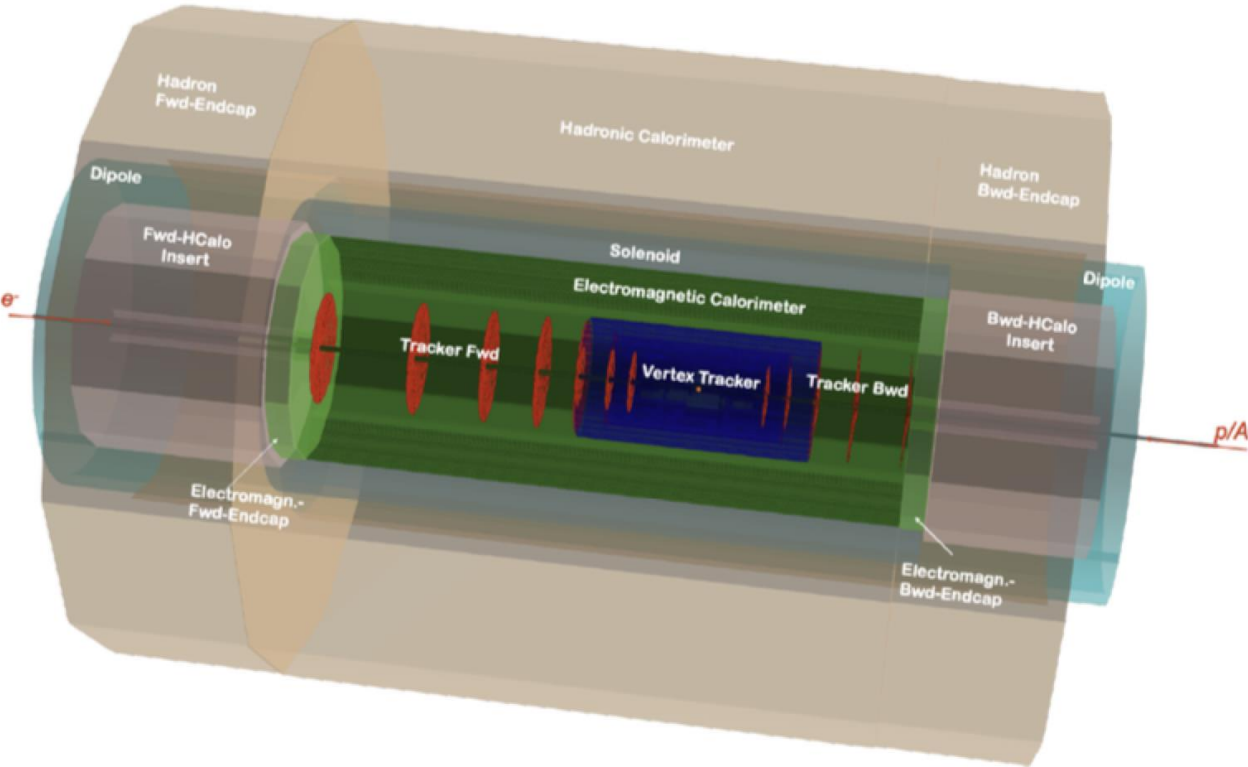
incl. beam pipe [%]

LHeC Tracker Part		$\eta_{\text{max}}$	$\eta_{\text{min}}$	#Layers <sub>Barrel</sub>
Inner Barrel	pix	3.3	-3.3	2
	pix <sub>macro</sub>	2.	-2.	4
	strip	1.3	-1.3	4
				#Rings <sub>Wheels</sub>
End Caps	pix	4.1/-1.1	1.1/-4.1	2
	pix <sub>macro</sub>	2.3/-1.4	1.4/-2.3	1
	strip	2./-0.7	0.7/-2.	1-4
Fwd Tracker	pix	5.2	2.6	2
	pix <sub>macro</sub>	3.4	2.2	1
	strip	3.1	1.4	4
Bwd Tracker	pix	-2.6	-4.6	2
	pix <sub>macro</sub>	-2.2	-2.9	1
	strip	-1.4	-2.5	4
Total $\eta_{\text{max/min}}$		5.2	-4.6	





# LHeC Calorimeters



Complete coverage to  $\pm 5$  in (pseudo)rapidity

Central Region: 2012: LAr, 2020 Sci/Fe option.

Forward Region: dense, high energy jets of few TeV

$H \rightarrow b\bar{b}$  and other reactions demand resolution of HFS

Backward Region: in DIS only deposits of  $E < E_e$

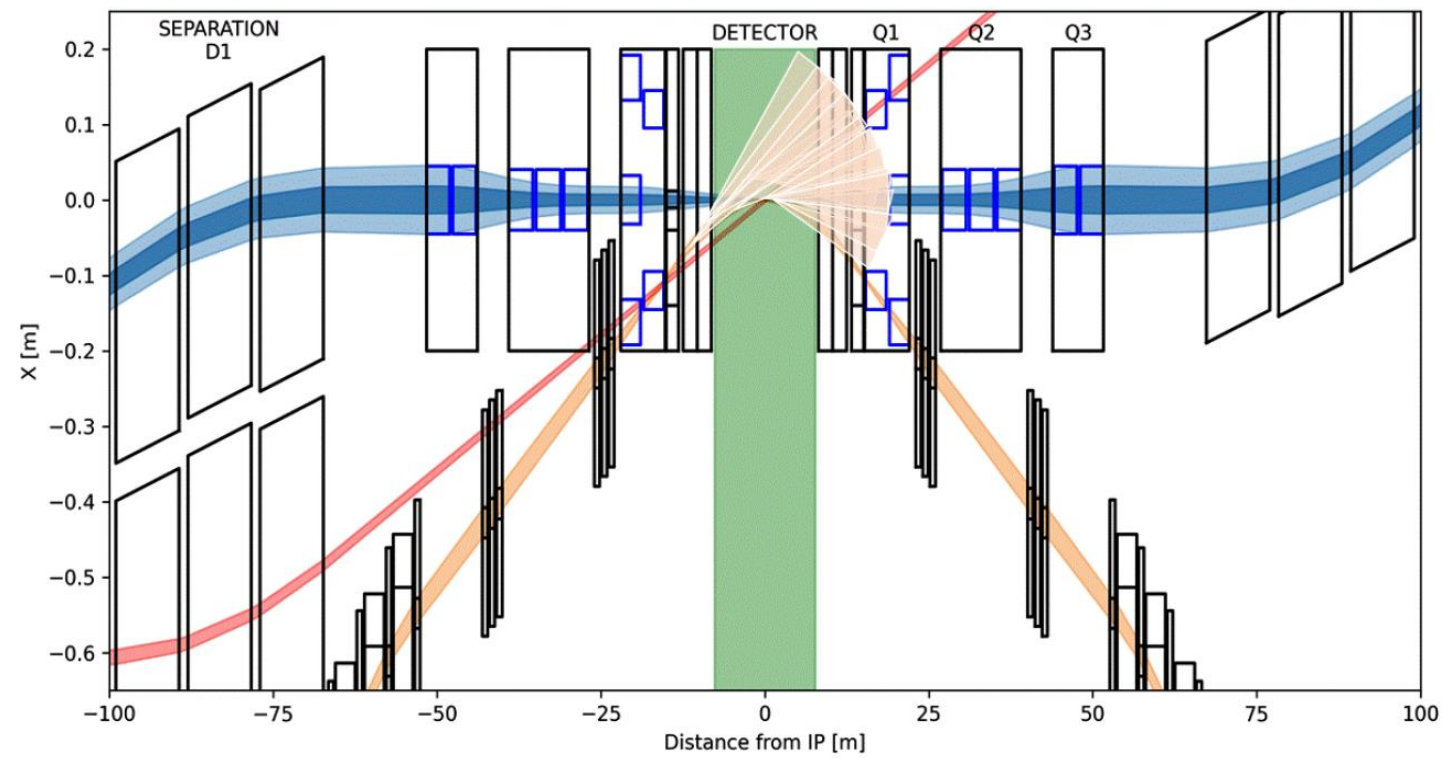
## Barrel Calorimeters

Calo (LHeC)	EMC		HCAL	
	Barrel	Ecap Fwd	Barrel	Ecap Bwd
Readout, Absorber	Sci,Pb	Sci,Fe	Sci,Fe	Sci,Fe
Layers	38	58	45	50
Integral Absorber Thickness [cm]	16.7	134.0	119.0	115.5
$\eta_{\max}, \eta_{\min}$	2.4, -1.9	1.9, 1.0	1.6, -1.1	-1.5, -0.6
$\sigma_E/E = a/\sqrt{E} \oplus b$ [%]	12.4/1.9	46.5/3.8	48.23/5.6	51.7/4.3
$\Lambda_I / X_0$	$X_0 = 30.2$	$\Lambda_I = 8.2$	$\Lambda_I = 8.3$	$\Lambda_I = 7.1$
Total area Sci [m <sup>2</sup> ]	1174	1403	3853	1209

## Forward/Backward Calorimeters

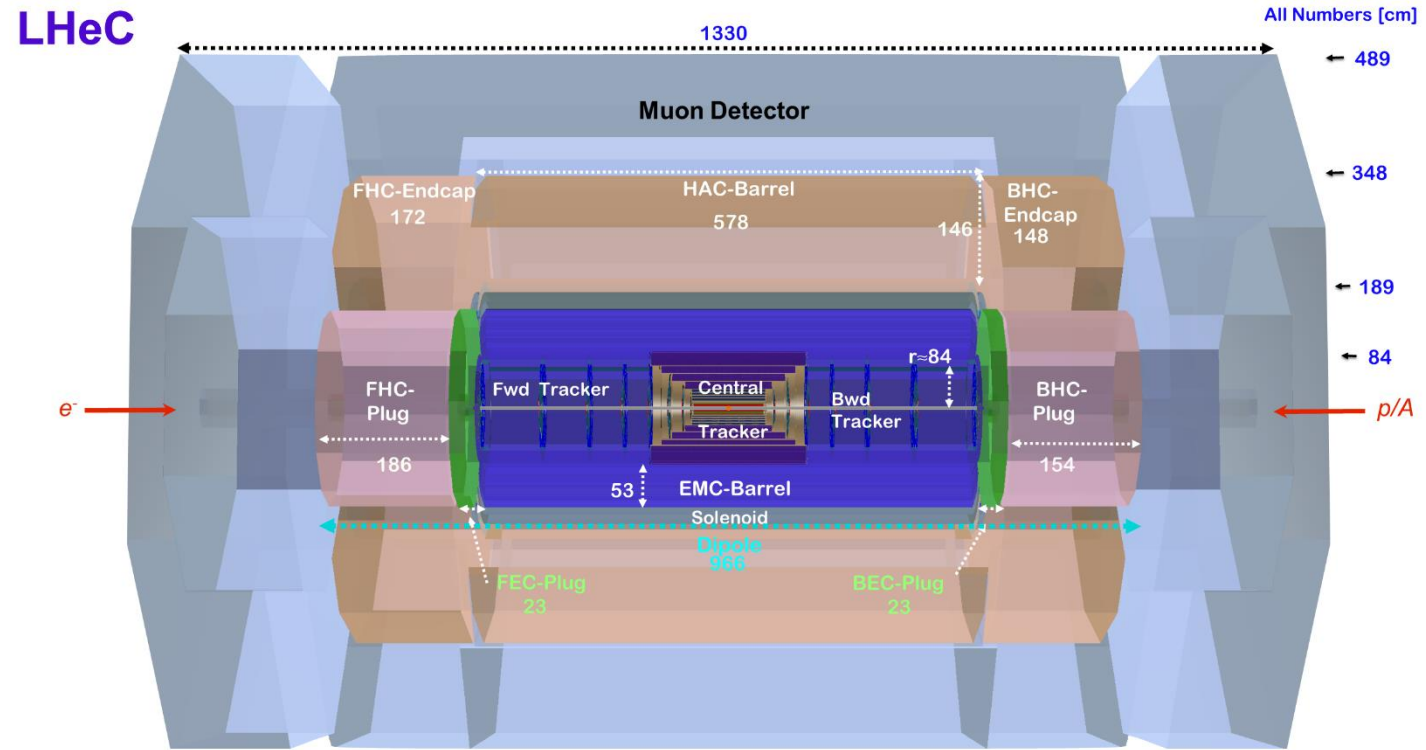
Calo (LHeC)	FHC	FEC	BEC	BHC
	Plug Fwd	Plug Fwd	Plug Bwd	Plug Bwd
Readout, Absorber	Si,W	Si,W	Si,Pb	Si,Cu
Layers	300	49	49	165
Integral Absorber Thickness [cm]	156.0	17.0	17.1	137.5
$\eta_{\max}, \eta_{\min}$	5.5, 1.9	5.1, 2.0	-1.4, -4.5	-1.4, -5.0
$\sigma_E/E = a/\sqrt{E} \oplus b$ [%]	51.8/5.4	17.8/1.4	14.4/2.8	49.5/7.9
$\Lambda_I / X_0$	$\Lambda_I = 9.6$	$X_0 = 48.8$	$X_0 = 30.9$	$\Lambda_I = 9.2$
Total area Si [m <sup>2</sup> ]	1354	187	187	745





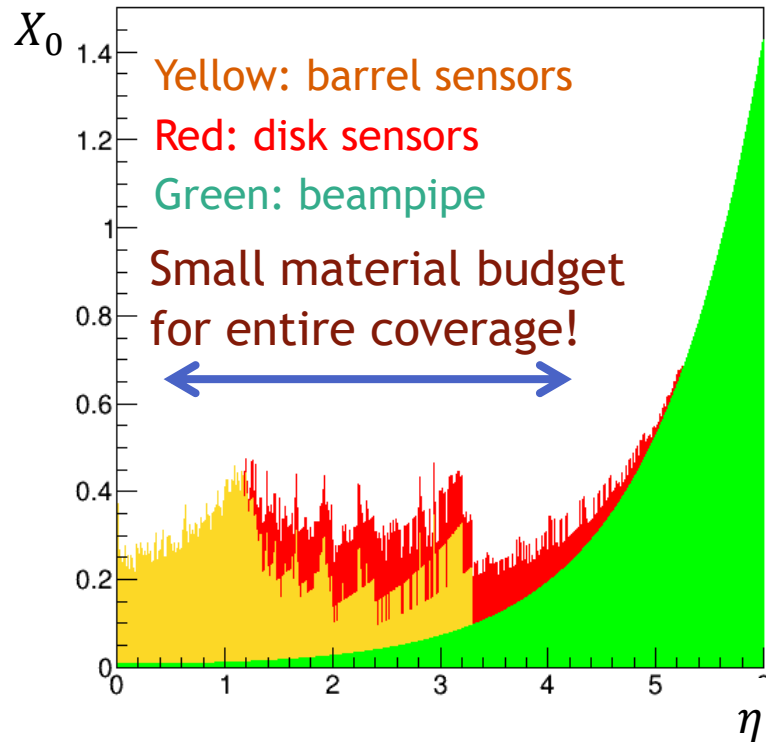
# Radiation environment

- The luminosity: similar to LHC ( $O(10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1})$ )
- Total cross section:  $< 1/200$
- Expected # of interactions / second: **1/1000** of the LHC pp
  - # of pileups per bunch  $\langle \mu \rangle \simeq 0.1$   
No need for pile-up correction  
Can use PFA and calorimeter variables without correction (e.g. missing  $p_T$ , rapidity gap...)
  - # of integrated dose in forward region  $\ll 10^{14} \text{ 1MeV } n_{eq}$
- LHeC detector technology is based on HL-LHC upgrade, but
  - that developed for less severe environment (e.g. ILC) is also applicable
  - More aggressive options for performance and price can be used e.g. very thin Si detector with integrated readout

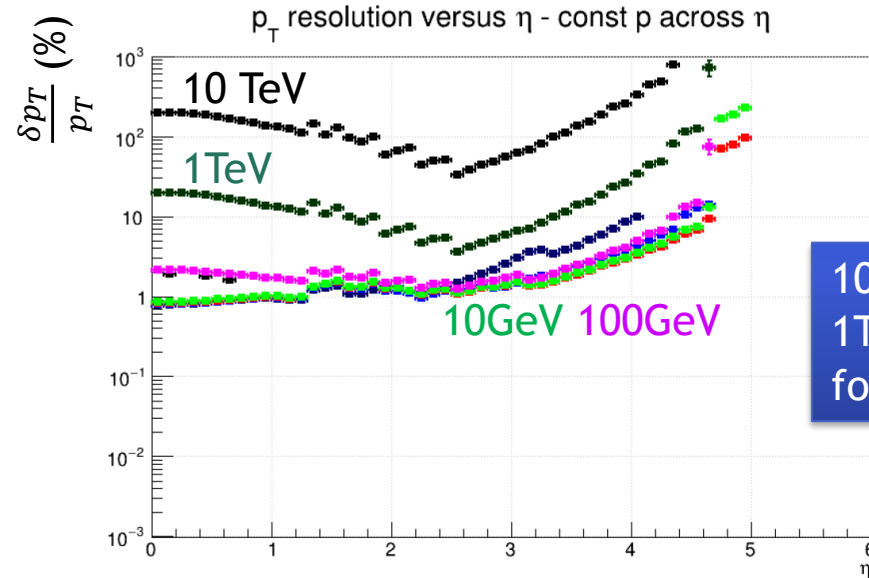


# Central tracker: performance

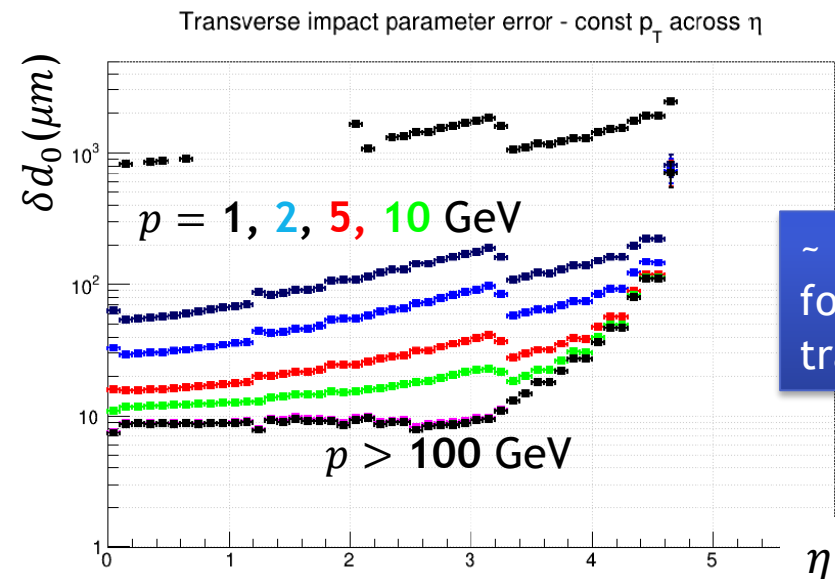
Radiation Length by Category



- Possible further improvements
  - backward beam pipe with smaller diameter (SR fan thinner there)
  - innermost layer in vacuum?



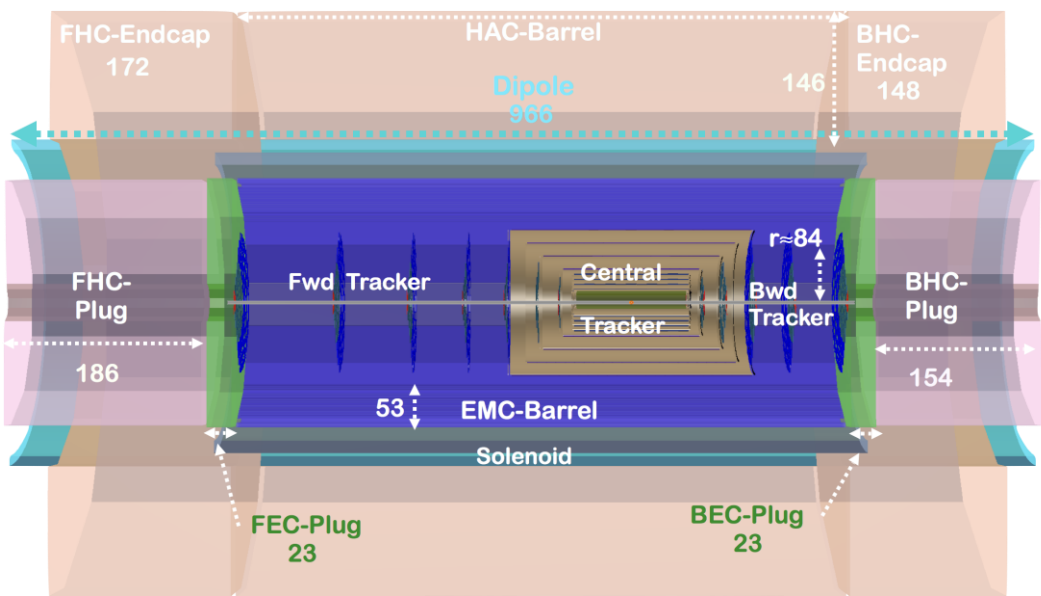
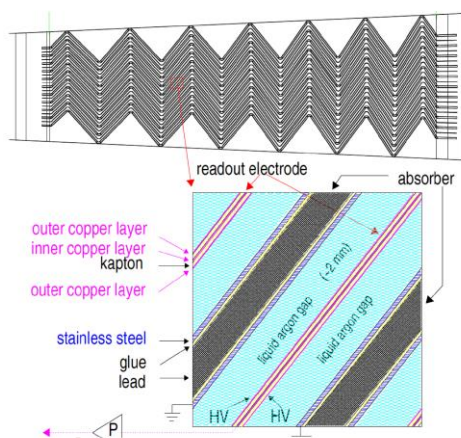
100 MeV - 100 GeV: 1-3%  
1 TeV: 5-30%  
for  $\eta < 4$



~ 30  $\mu m$  resolution  
for high momentum  
tracks at  $\eta \sim 4$

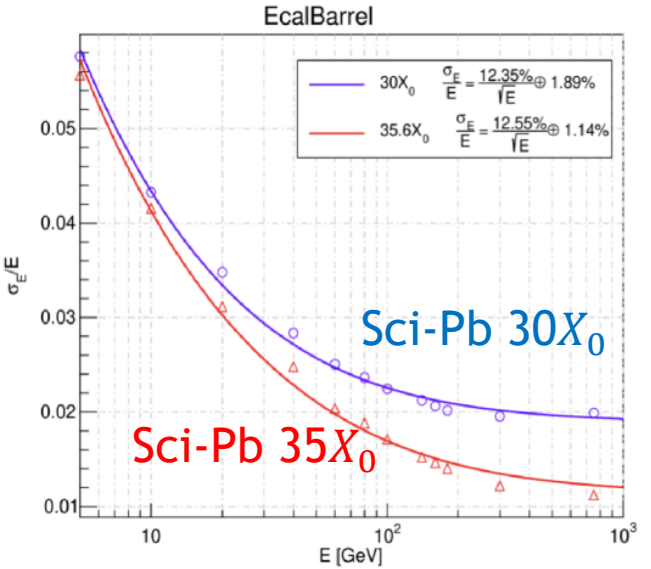
# Calorimetry

- High-performance barrel ( $|\eta| < 2.8$ )
  - Baseline: LAr EM inside solenoid with shared cryostat
  - R&D ongoing to make the barrel layer thinner, also cryostat (goal: a few % of  $X_0$ )
  - Plastic scintillator for good e/h for HadCal
- Fine-segmented plugs with compact shower with Si sensor
  - technology developed for ILC / FCC-ee
- "warm" option
  - Sci-Pb  $\rightarrow$  modular (easy install inside the L3 magnet)
  - Comparable performance: LAr still advantageous for resolution, segmentation, radiation stability



LAr ( $\sim 25X_0$ )	$8.47/\sqrt{E} \oplus 0.32\%$
Sci-Pb ( $30X_0$ )	$12.55/\sqrt{E} \oplus 1.89\%$

Baseline configuration		$\eta$ coverage	angular coverage
EM barrel + small $\eta$ endcap	LAr	$-2.3 < \eta < 2.8$	$6.6^\circ - 168.9^\circ$
Had barrel+Ecap	Sci-Fe	(~ behind EM barrel)	
EM+Had very forward	Si-W	$2.8 < \eta < 5.5$	$0.48^\circ -$
EM+Had very backward	Si-Pb	$-2.3 < \eta < -4.8$	$-179.1^\circ$



# Calorimeter extension for HE-LHeC / FCC-eh

- Solenoid and dipole outside barrel EM calorimeter, similarly as LHeC
- Endcap plugs should be thicker by order of a few  $\Lambda_I$  for  $7 \rightarrow 20 \rightarrow 50$  TeV steps
  - $9.6 \rightarrow 12.7 \Lambda_I$  (forward endcap) for  $7 \rightarrow 20$  TeV
- Challenging: shower separation in very forward rapidity regions

ALICE FoCal pixel ALPIDE (MAPS) test beam data (from FoCAL TDR CERN-LHCC-2020-009)

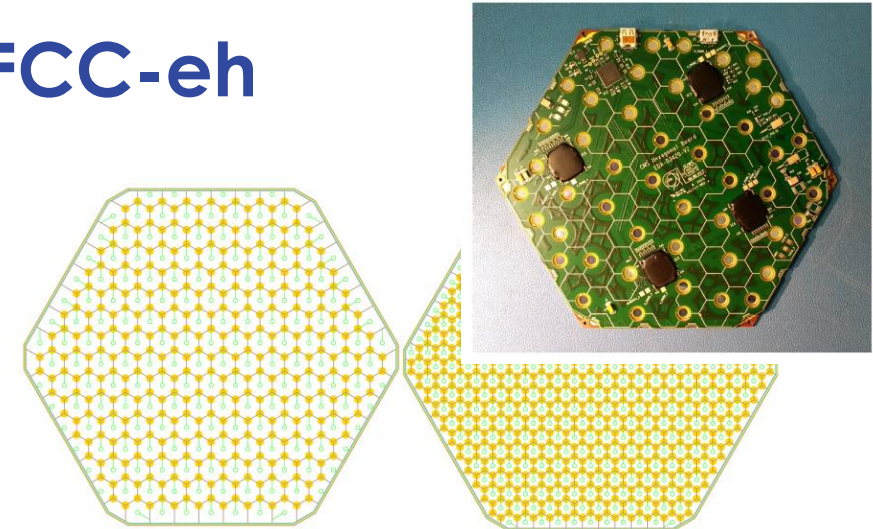


Figure 2.4: Drawing of hexagonal 8" silicon wafers, with layout of large,  $1.18 \text{ cm}^2$ , sensor cells (left), and small,  $0.52 \text{ cm}^2$ , cells (right).

CMS HGCAL 6-inch module  
cell size  $1.18/0.52 \text{ cm}^2$  (from TDR)

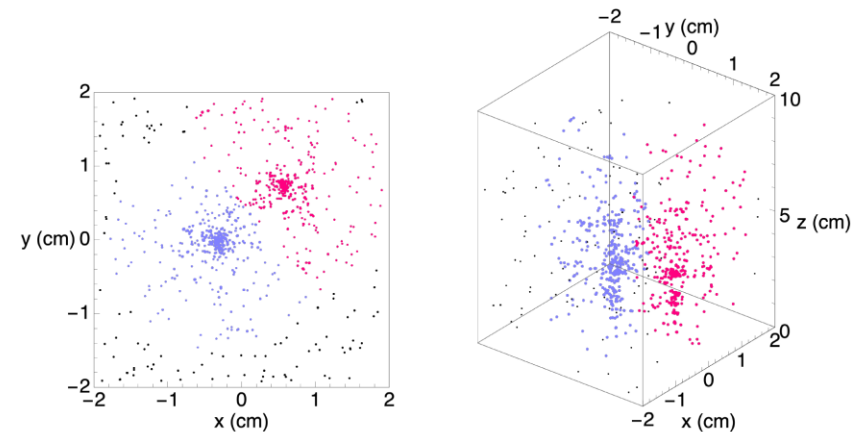
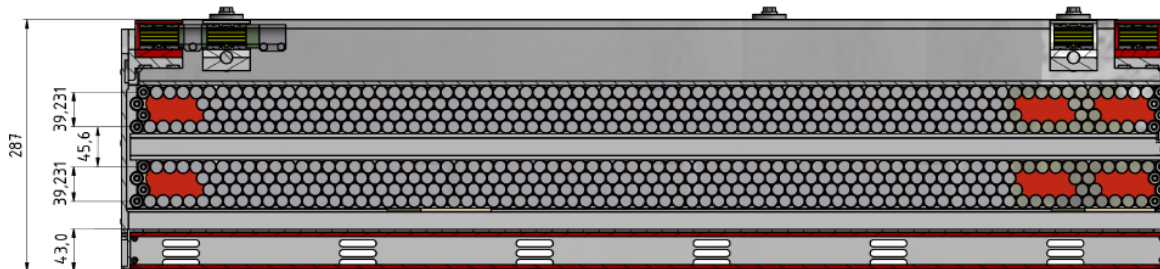
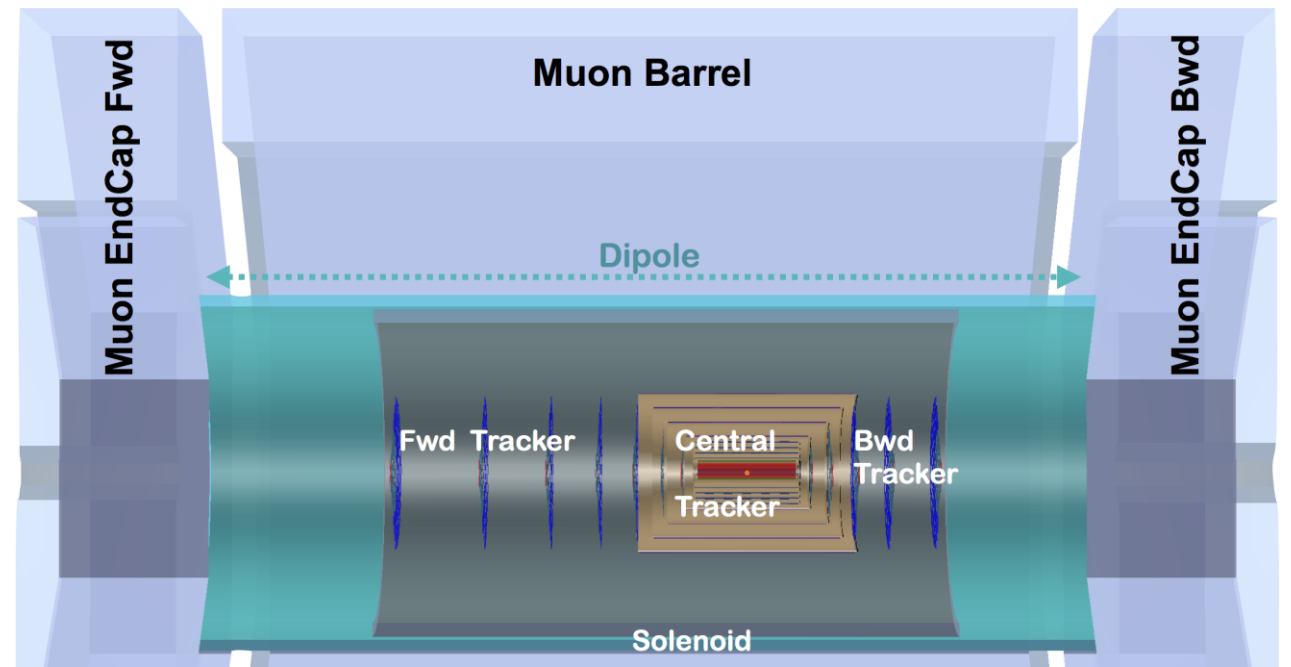


Fig. 54: Different projections of a single-event measurement (hit pixels) of two electrons of  $E = 5.4 \text{ GeV}$  from a test beam in the pixel prototype. The left panel shows the transverse distribution summing longitudinally over all layers, the right panel shows a side view of the same event. The hits that are within 15 mm of either of the two shower centers are colored in blue and red; the black points indicate hits that are further from the shower center.



# Muon system

- Baseline: no dedicated magnetic field (solenoid return thru iron only)
  - Momentum by central tracker
  - Good tagging + fast trigger
  - 3-stations, each with  $\geq$  double layer
- HL-LHC technology serves for that
  - Very thin RPC (1mm gas gap) for higher rate capability and timing ( $<1\text{ns}$ )
  - sMDT:  $\phi = 1.5\text{cm}$  drift tubes for precise position measurement
- Possible extensions
  - Dedicated forward toroid or outer solenoid



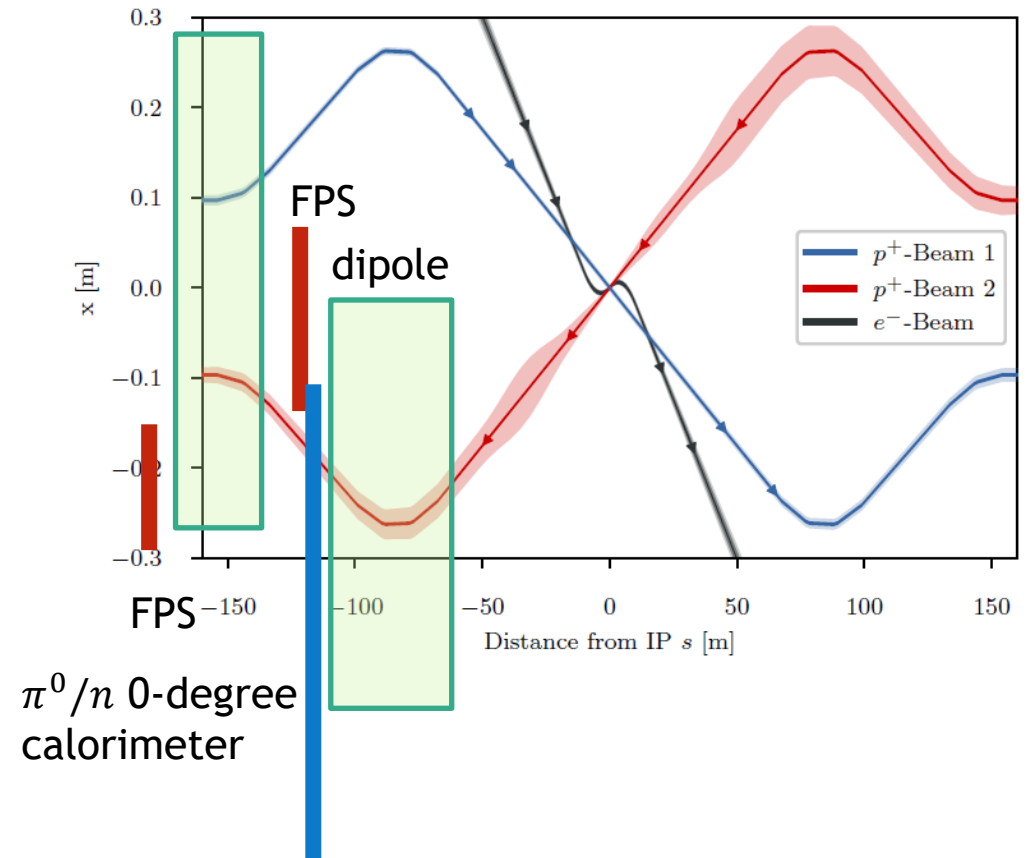
ATLAS Phase-I  
RPC-MDT assembly

sMDT Multilayer 2  
sMDT Multilayer 1  
thin-RPC Triplet



# Around zero-degrees

- Backward  $e$  tagger + photon tagger
  - for photoproduction and luminosity ( $ep \rightarrow ep\gamma$ )
- Forward Proton spectrometer following the LHC design apart from stations close to IP
- IP design ( $eh$ -only scheme 2020) allows to place a ZDC
  - Transvers size  $\pm 30$  cm: shower leak moderate
  - Aperture very big: 0.35 mrad or **2.4 GeV in  $p_T$**
- ZDC Technology candidate: Si-W
  - Need  $< 1$ mm resolution for  $p_T$  resolution  $\ll 100$  MeV for 7 TeV neutron i.e. very fine segmentation (e.g. ALICE FoCal)
  - Radiation dose: O(10MGy) or more
    - Much less than LHC, possibility to use silicon

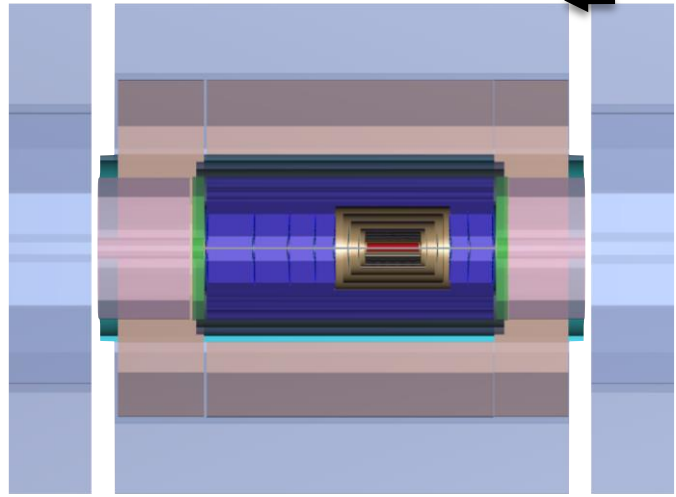


IP design 2020 and the candidate places for forward detectors

# LHeC – HE-LHeC – FCC-eh

LHeC

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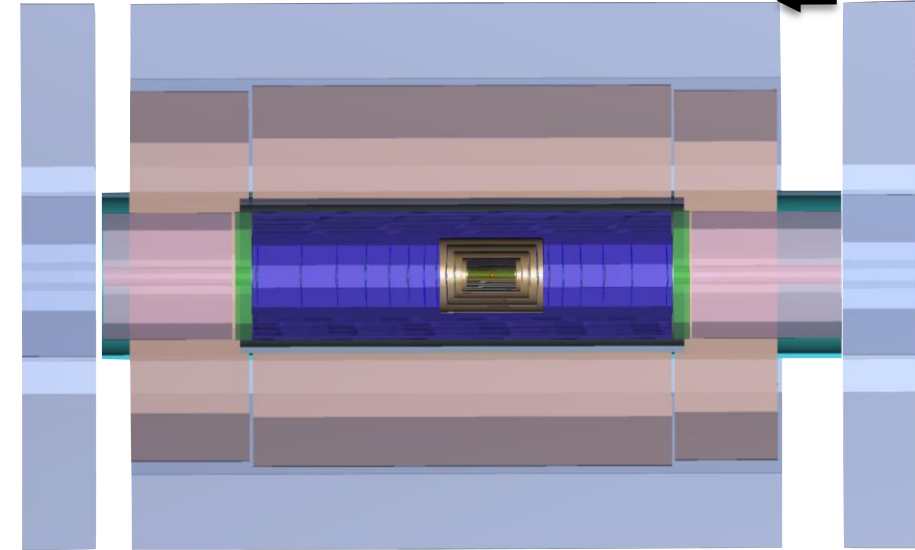
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All Numbers [cm]

HE-LHeC

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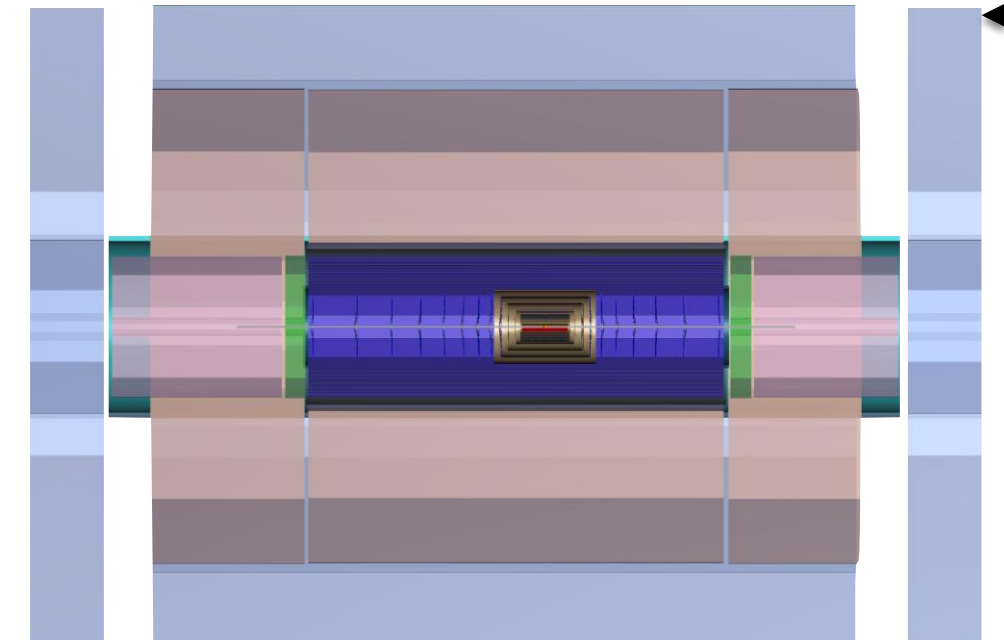


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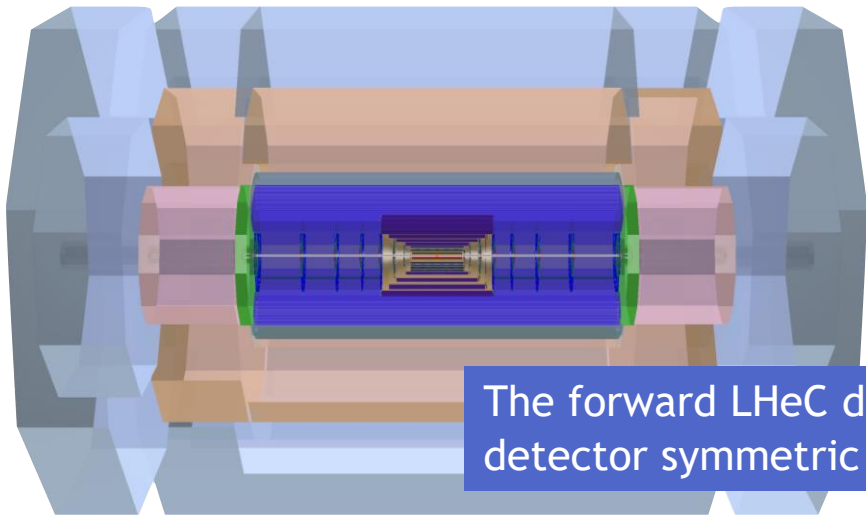


HE-LHeC still fits  
inside the L3 magnet!

# Running the LHeC detector for $hh$ collisions

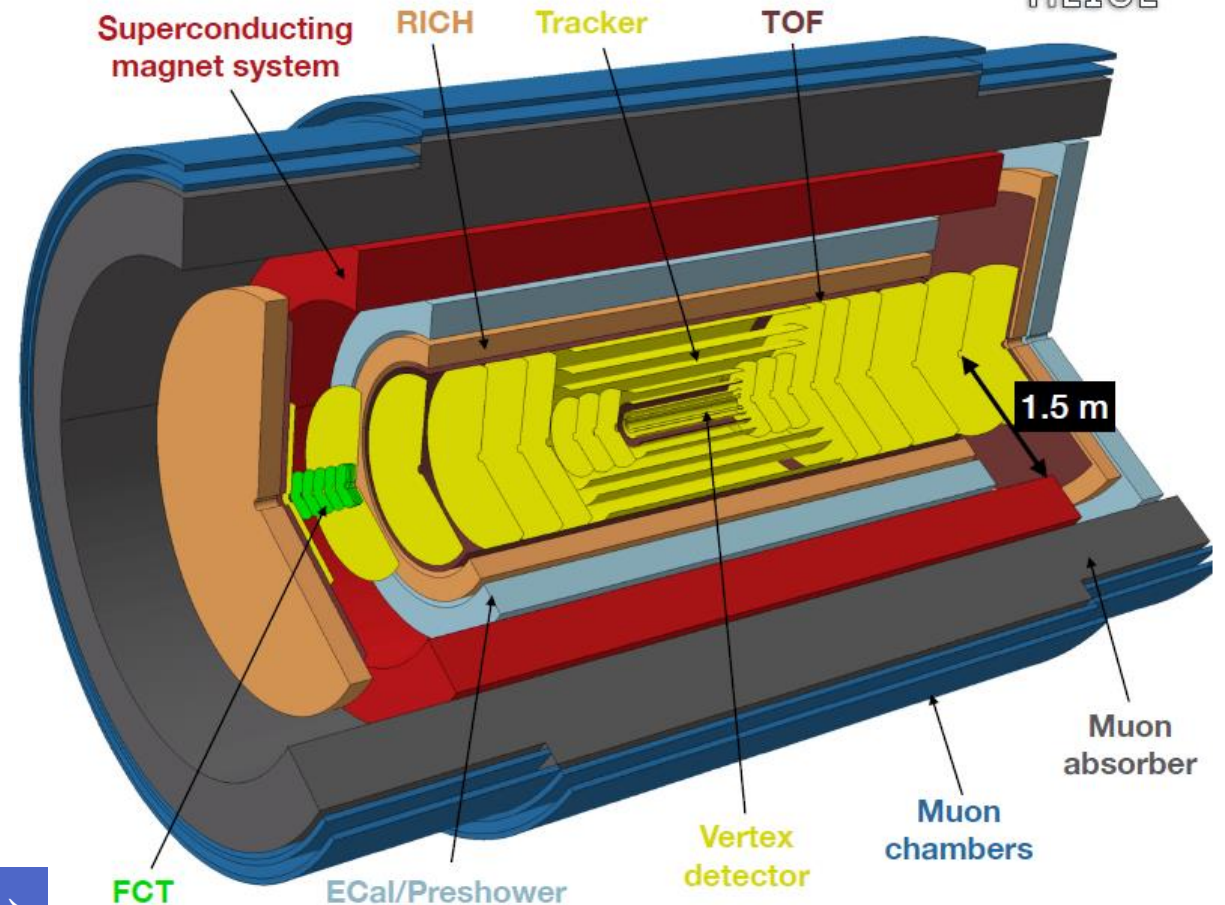
The LHeC detector is very similar to:

- the general purpose LHC detectors
  - covering beyond  $|\eta| < 5$
  - even more if symmetrised
- ... and the proposed ALICE3 detector
  - the tracker under similar concept
  - even more if adding outer subsystems
  - TOF also desired for LHeC



The forward LHeC detector mirrored → detector symmetric for  $hh$ -interactions

from <https://indico.cern.ch/event/1063724/>,  
talk “ALICE 3 overview” by M. van Leeuwen



# The symmetrised LHeC

- Barrel tracker enlarged (already in baseline LHeC detector)
- Bonus: more acceptance to small angle for electron
  - for low- $Q^2$  / low- $x$

