

# CMS HGCAL cosmic test stand

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# The CMS HGCAL: Key Features I

## Radiation Tolerance:

The CMS HGCAL uses silicon sensors for the electromagnetic section of the calorimeter, as well as for those parts of the hadronic section that are exposed to the highest radiation levels.

Plastic scintillator tiles with direct (on-tile) SiPM readout are used for those sections of the hadronic calorimeter that will be exposed to less than  $\sim 5 \times 10^{13} \text{ n/cm}^2$  after  $3'000 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ .

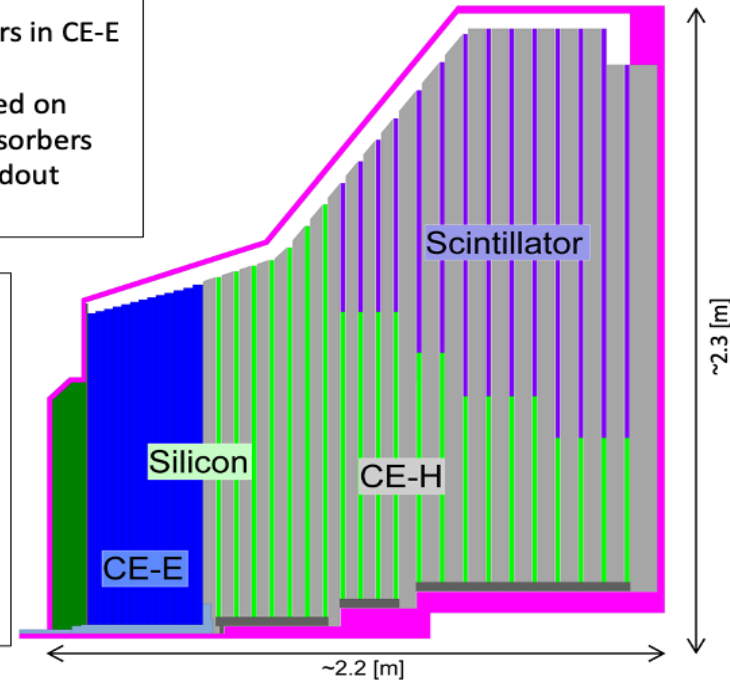
Both Si sensors and readout SiPMs require to operate at -35 deg. to reduce radiation induced electronic noise

### Active Elements:

- Hexagonal modules based on Si sensors in CE-E and high-radiation regions of CE-H
- “Cassettes”: multiple modules mounted on cooling plates with electronics and absorbers
- Scintillating tiles with on-tile SiPM readout in low-radiation regions of CE-H

### Key Parameters:

Coverage:  $1.5 < |\eta| < 3.0$   
 $\sim 215$  tonnes per endcap  
 Full system maintained at  $-35^\circ\text{C}$   
 $\sim 620 \text{ m}^2$  Si sensors in  $\sim 30000$  modules  
 $\sim 6 \text{ M}$  Si channels,  $0.5$  or  $1 \text{ cm}^2$  cell size  
 $\sim 400 \text{ m}^2$  of scintillators in  $\sim 4000$  boards  
 $\sim 240 \text{ k}$  scint. channels,  $4\text{-}30 \text{ cm}^2$  cell size  
 Power at end of HL-LHC:  
 $\sim 125 \text{ kW}$  per endcap



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 Hadronic calorimeter (CE-H): **Si** & **scintillator**, steel absorbers, 21 layers,  $\sim 8.5\lambda$

# The CMS HGICAL: Key Features II

## High Granularity:

The longitudinal segmentation is driven by Energy Resolution requirements

The need to track effects of radiation damage and maintain ability to calibrate with MIPs dictates small read-out cell transverse size

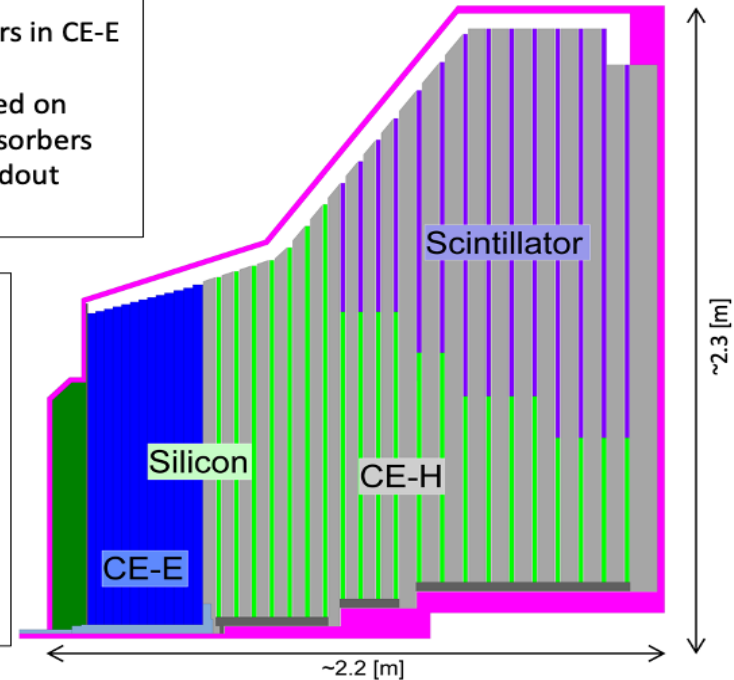
**The CMS HGICAL employs ~600m<sup>2</sup> of silicon sensors with ~6M readout channels, and close to 370m<sup>2</sup> of plastic scintillator with about 240'000 readout channels.**

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 ~240k scint. channels, 4-30cm<sup>2</sup> cell size  
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Si sensor timing vs S/N 2016 beam tests  
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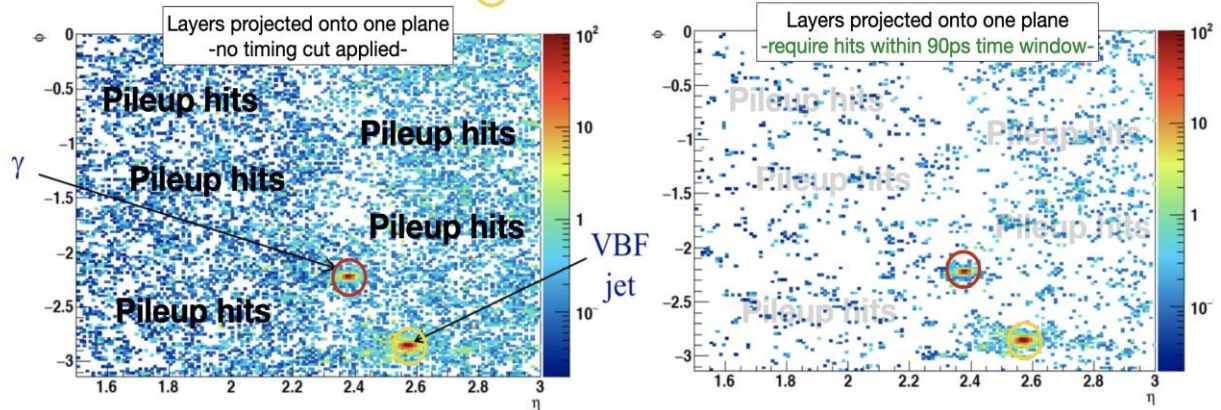
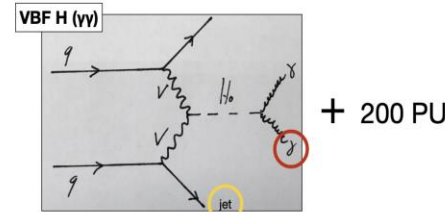
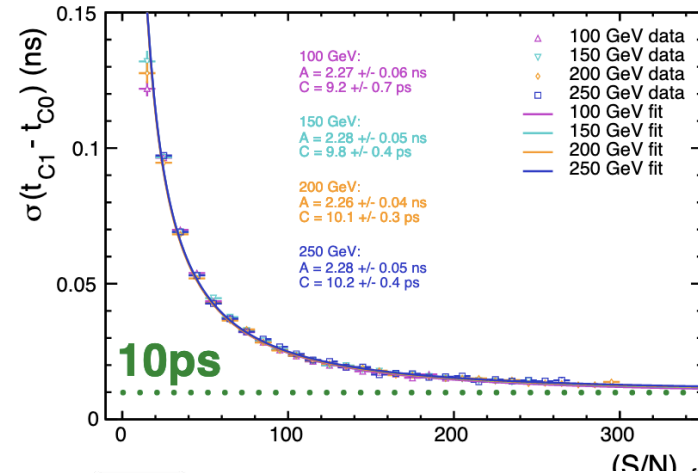
## High Granularity and Precision

### Timing:

In addition to each cell providing an energy measurement, individual silicon sensor pads with more than a few MIPs equivalent energy deposit will also provide precise timing information, down to ~20ps

⇒ **HGCAL will be the first large scale 5D calorimetric imaging detector**

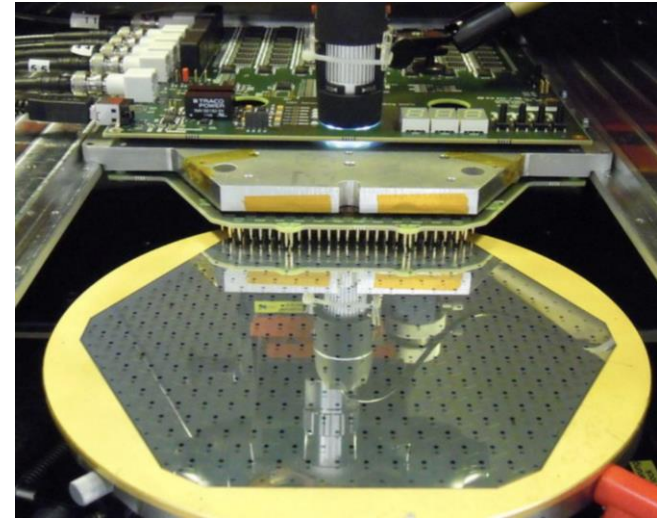
High granularity and precise timing will allow to resolve individual showers, characterise jet (sub-)structure, and mitigate effect of the 140~200 pile-up collision within single bunchcrossing



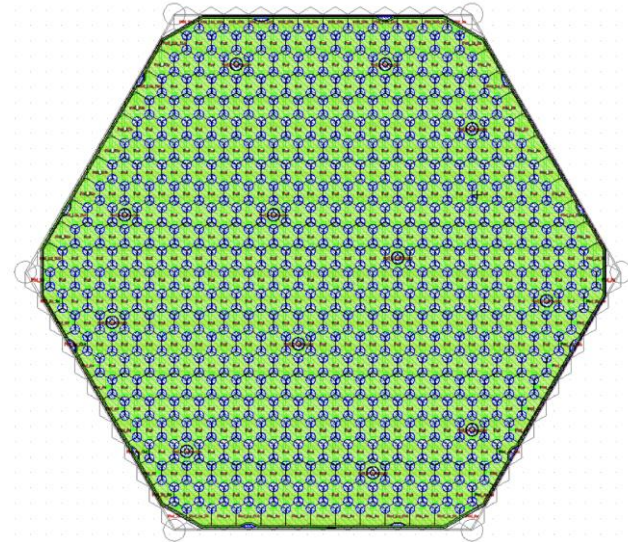
The silicon sensors are of hexagonal shape, the largest tile-able polygon, which allows the most efficient use of the sensor wafer: **in combination with the use of 8" wafers this minimizes the number of modules** to be assembled and integrated into the system, **reducing it by well over a factor two** compared to the more usual square sensors produced on 6" wafer sensors.

There are three different sensor thickness: **300um, 200um and 120um** to optimize performance as function of radiation, which varies from  $5 \times 10^{13} \text{n/cm}^2$  at the Silicon-Scintillator interface up to close to  $1 \times 10^{16} \text{n/cm}^2$  towards the inner radius of the CEE.

There are two different pad sizes:  $\sim 1 \text{cm}^2$  for the 300um and (most of) the 200um sensors (LD), and  $\sim 0.5 \text{cm}^2$  for the 120um sensors (HD), in order to limit the pad capacitance and leakage current, so as to **ensure sufficient S/N for MIP calibration** over the full HL-LHC operation of the HGCAL.



LD 192 x 1.18cm<sup>2</sup> sensor cells\*

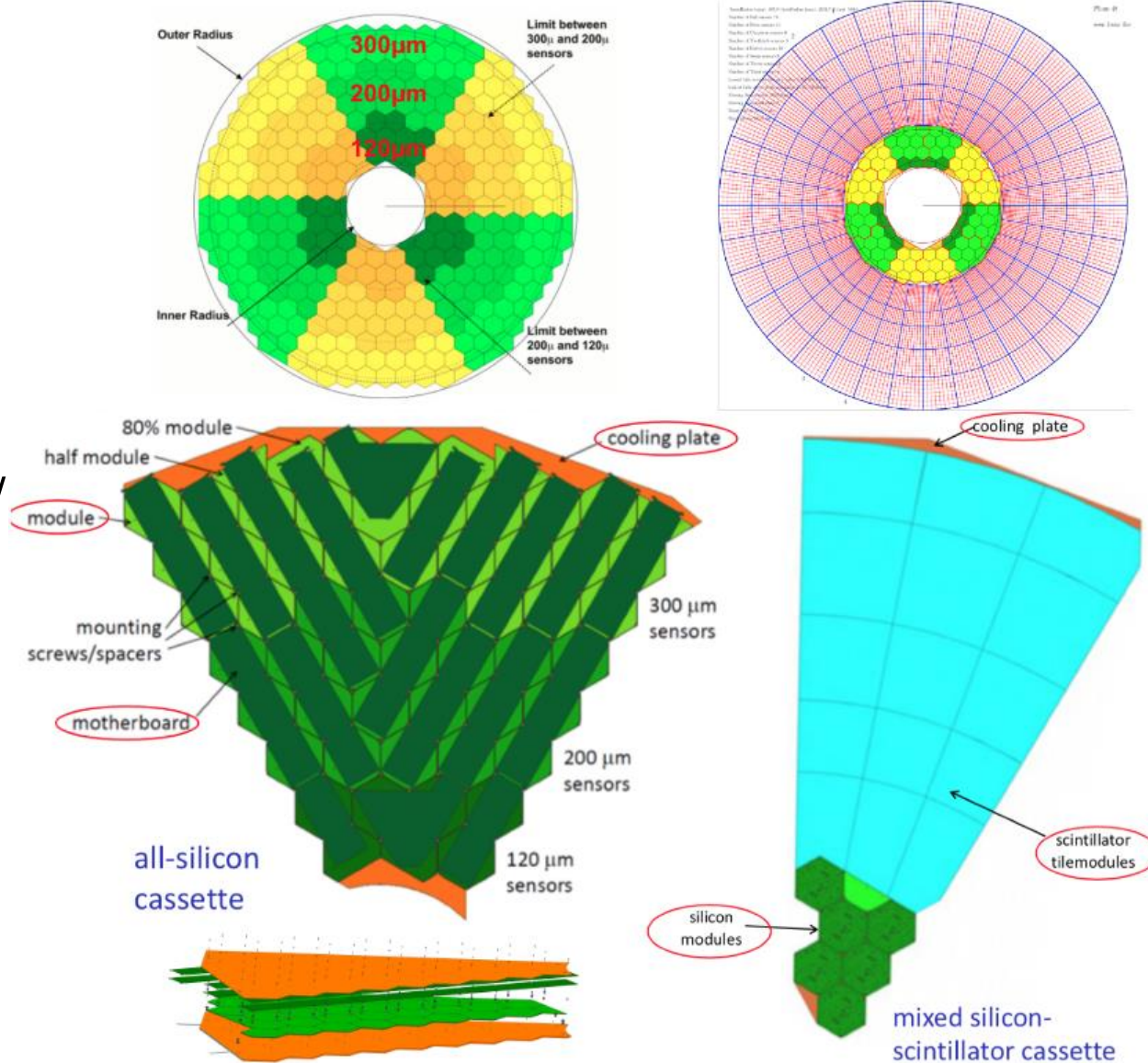


HD 432 x 0.52cm<sup>2</sup> sensor cells\*

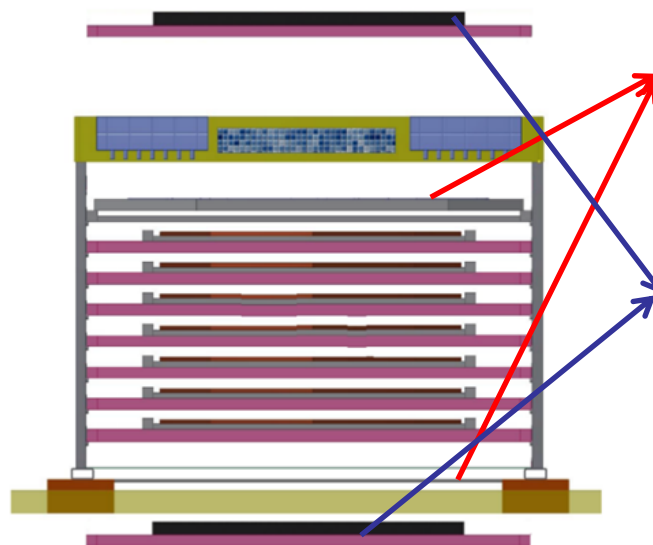
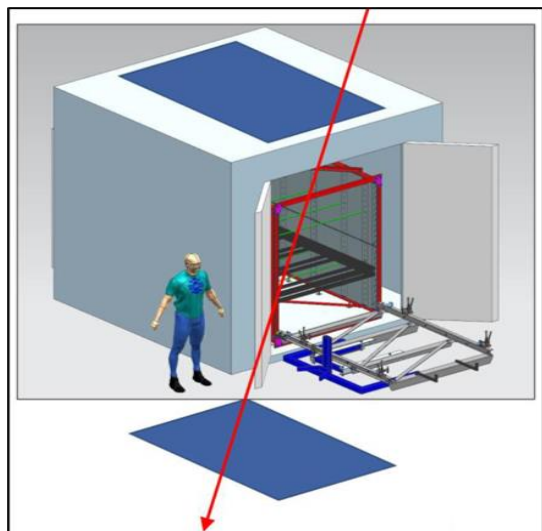
# The CMS HGICAL cassettes

Each layer is constructed using 60 or 30 deg cassettes:

- ⇒ Silicon and scintillator modules assembled into cassettes
- ⇒ Supported and cooled by copper cooling plate
- ⇒ Data from modules collected by motherboards
- ⇒ Cassettes house all services and DC2DC converters
- ⇒ Cold testing of the cassettes with cosmic muons is the main task of the HGICAL test stand



# HGCal cassettes test stand in cold room with cosmic rays

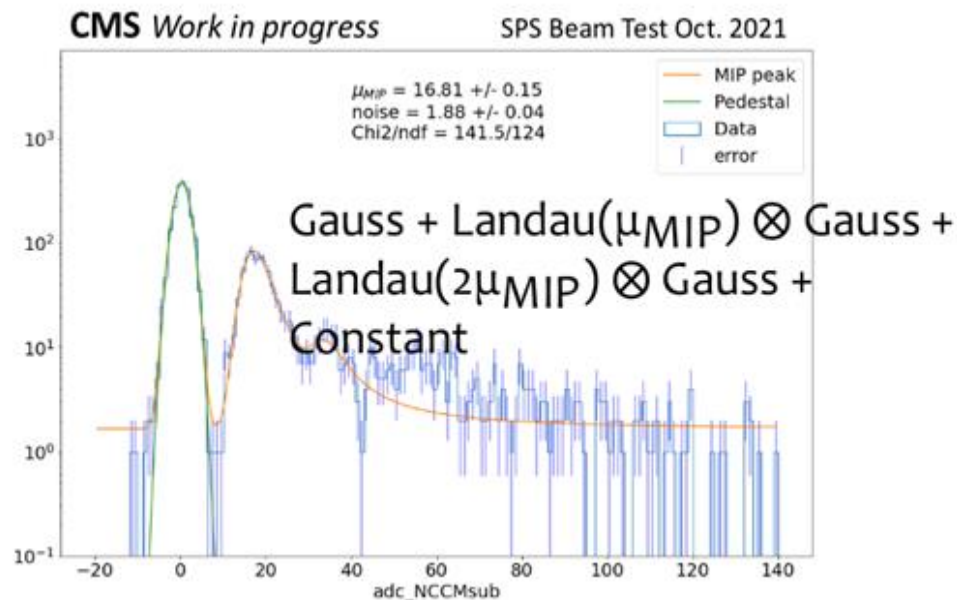


Trigger option 1 (inside cold room).  
More efficient with smaller trigger plane size

Trigger option 2 (outside cold room).  
Requires large trigger planes, less efficient. But WLS fibers are sensitive to freezing cycles.

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- ❑ Cold Room with trigger planes and CE-E cassette stacks (up to 10 cassettes at a time). CE-H cassettes can be tested if needed as well
- ❑ Necessary statistics from 1000 to 1500 events for each cell to be reached in 2 weeks. Two Cold Rooms are required to match time lines.
- ❑ The energy calibration should provide intercalibration precision of 3%.
- ❑ Initial S/N requirement for MIP for different active thickness is from 11 to 4.5 (from 300  $\mu\text{m}$  to 120  $\mu\text{m}$ ). N and S correspond to the standard deviation of the noise amplitude (pedestal  $\sigma$ ) and MPV for MIP signal (S) measured by an individual cell.
- ❑ Setup characterization/optimization with dedicated MC using realistic cosmic muons spectra (energy-angle).









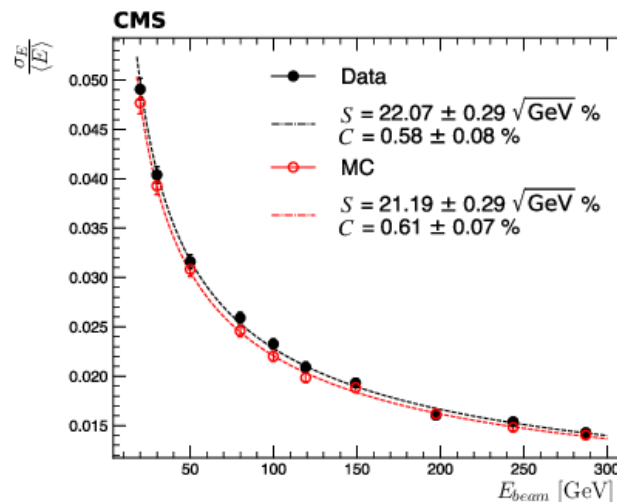


# Recent testbeam results of the CMS HGCAL



## Testbeam results for positron beam (arXiv:2111.06855)

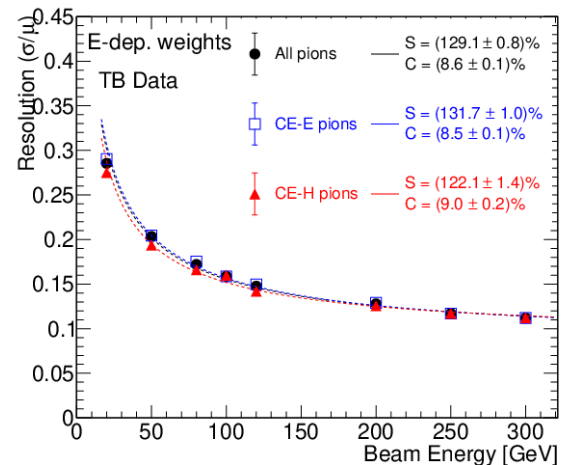
Stochastic term is 22%  
 Constant term of 0.6%  
 Linearity within 3%  
 Good agreement between data and simulation,  
 also for angular resolution



## Energy resolution for positron beam

## Testbeam results for pion beam (arXiv:2211.04740)

Stochastic term is 129%  
 Constant term of 9%  
 Good agreement between data and simulation,  
 also for linearity



## Energy resolution for pion beam

# Summary and Outlook

- HGICAL will be the first large scale calorimeter with Si and SiPM-on-tile technologies providing unprecedented granularity and time resolution.
- Beam tests confirm expected performance
- Timeline:
  - mass-production to start in 2023 (sensors, scintillator tiles, electronics)
  - module assembly to start beginning of 2024
  - **cassette assembly to start beginning of 2025** <- start of cold room testing
  - **cassette assembly finished late summer 2026**
  - first endcap ready for lowering March 2027
  - second endcap ready for lowering July 2027

