

Detector Concepts for Future Colliders

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I will focus primarily on FCC-ee

Reveal the Secrets of the Higgs Boson

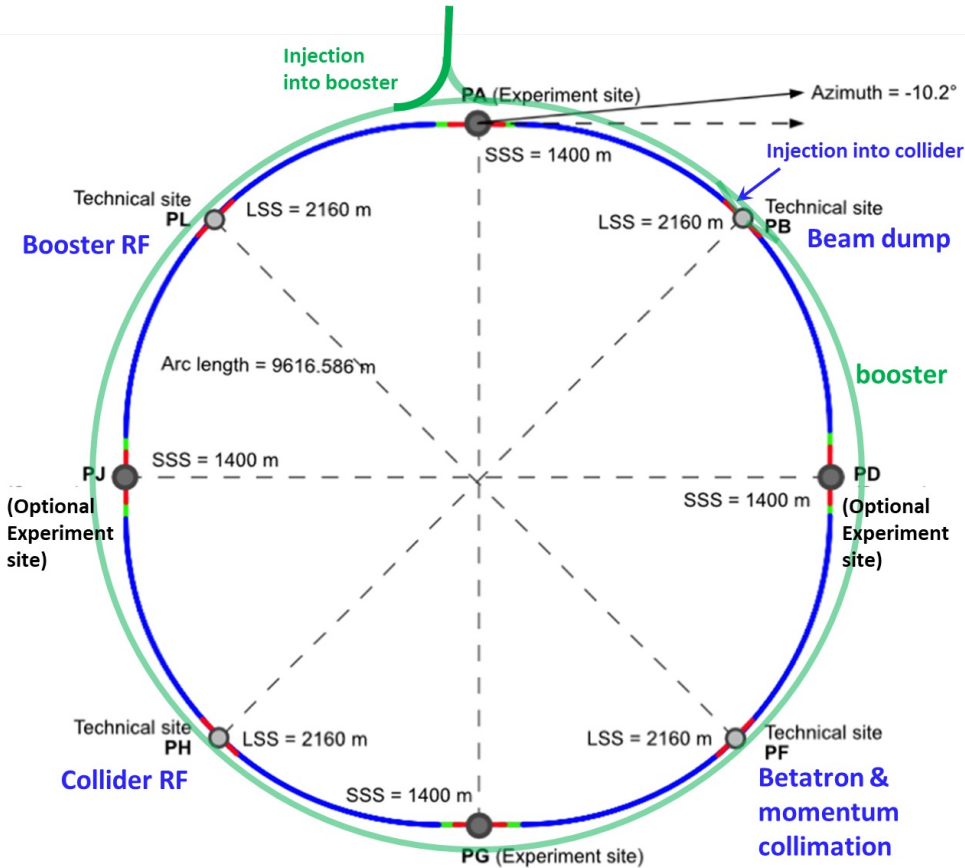
❖ One of the primary science drivers identified in the P5 report.

- Increased Higgs Production rate during the HL-LHC era will certainly facilitate the precision studies of the Higgs properties.
- "Construct a Higgs factory [using e+e- beams], which would allow precision measurements of the Higgs boson properties and searches for exotic decays, possibly into dark matter."
- "Precision studies of the Higgs self-interaction and searches for possible new spinless particles related to the Higgs require much larger energies per fundamental particle (parton) interaction: on the order of 10 TeV or more."

❖ The physics at e+e- colliders allow a broad, multi-faceted exploration:

- Measure a comprehensive set of electroweak and Higgs observables with high precision
- Tightly constrain a large number of SM parameters,
- Unveil, if any, small but significant deviations from SM predictions,
- Evidence for rare processes/particles beyond SM expectations.

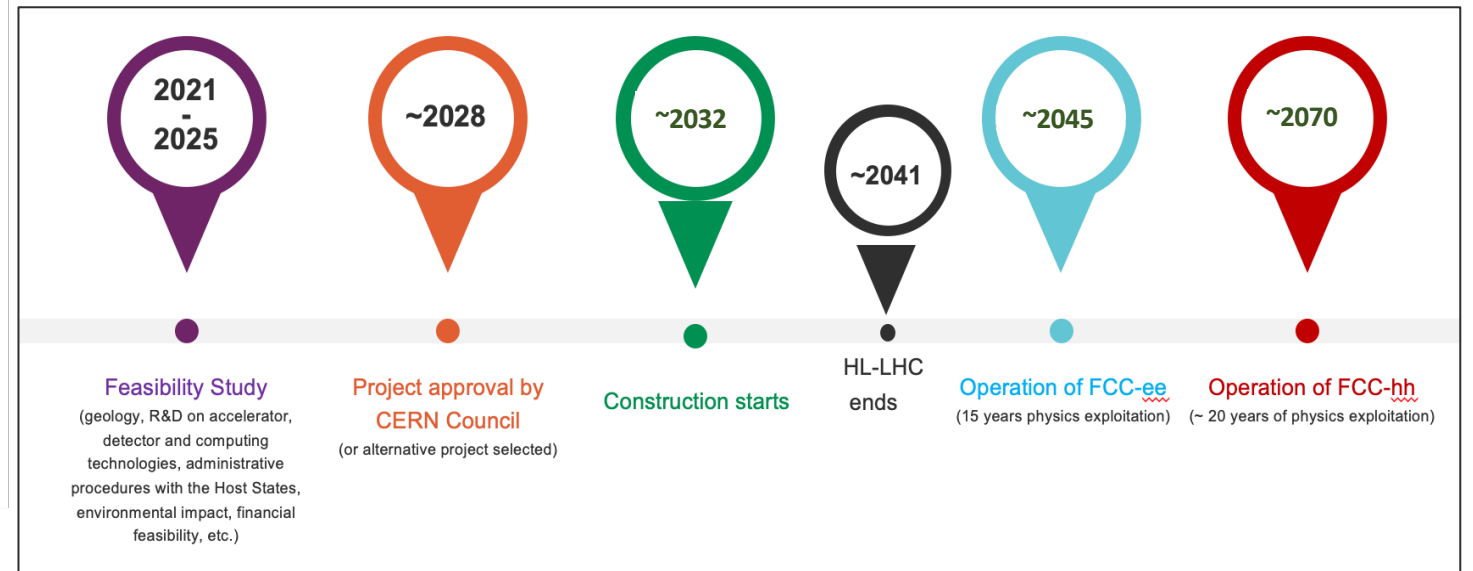
FCC Program



90.7 km ring, 4 Interaction Points

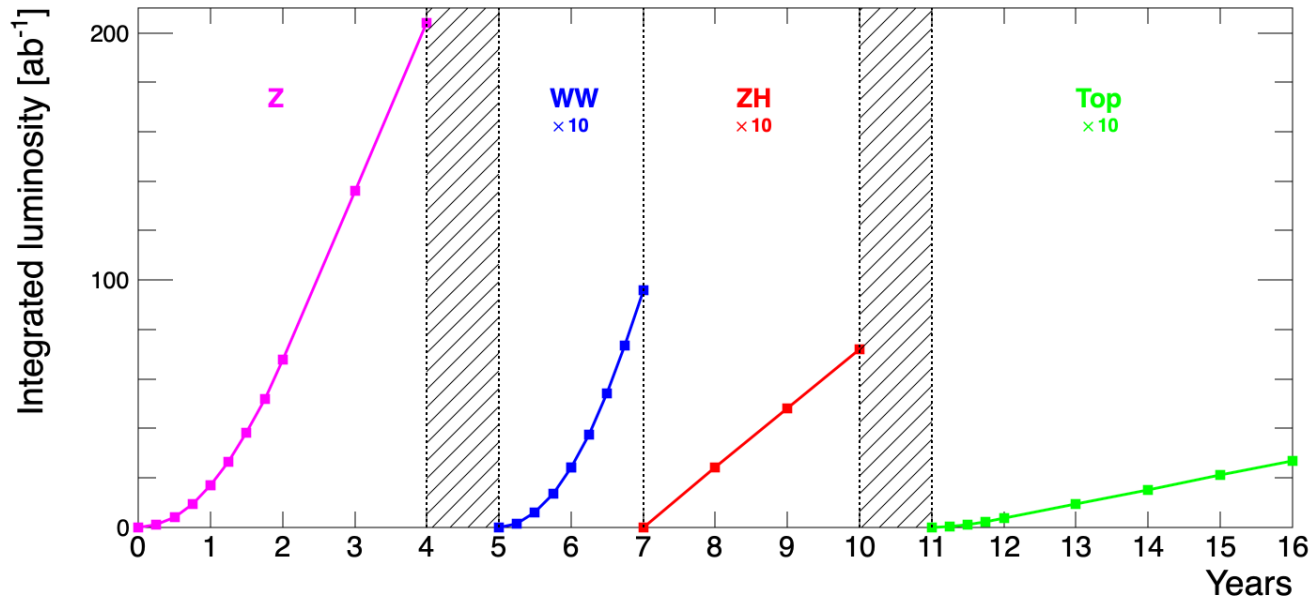
Two stage operation:

- FCC-ee (2045-2060) as Higgs, EW and top factory
- FCC-hh (2070-) continuation with pp, AA collisions



[Details in M. Benedikt presentation](#)

FCC-ee (proposes a 4-stage operation)



Z-pole: 4 –years (5×10^{12} Zs

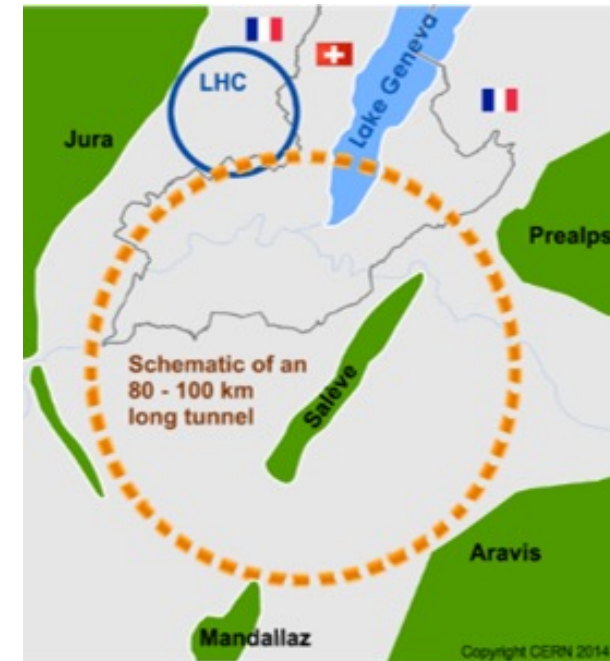
- (ref: LEP 10^7)

WW: 2 years ($> 10^8$ WW)

ZH: 3 years (2×10^6 H)

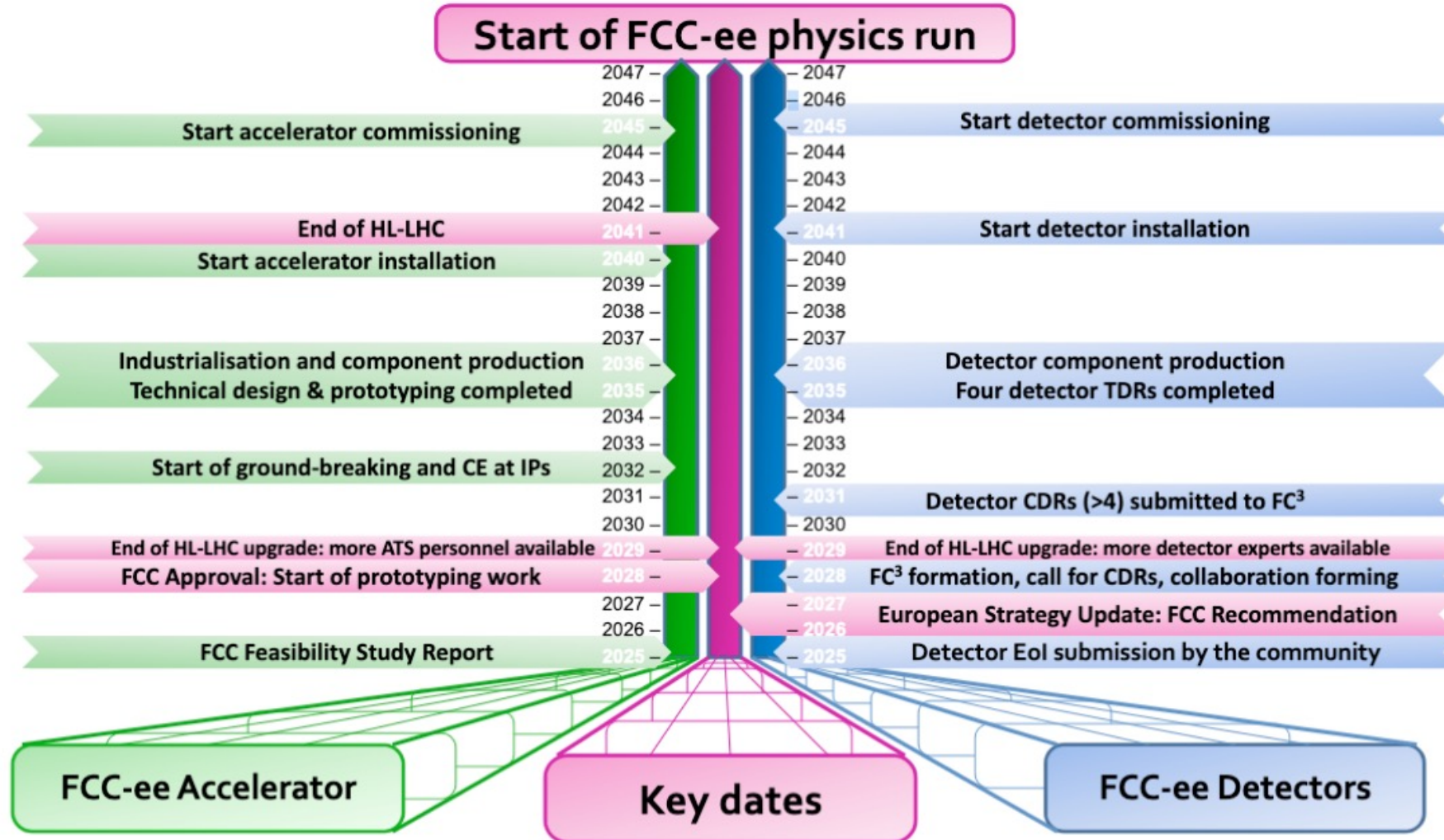
tt: 5 years (2×10^6 $t\bar{t}$ pairs)

| FCC-ee parameters | | Z | W ⁺ W ⁻ | ZH | ttbar |
|-------------------------------|--|----------------|-------------------------------|-----|---------|
| √s | GeV | 91.2 | 160 | 240 | 350-365 |
| Luminosity / IP | $10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$ | 140 | 20 | 5.0 | 1.25 |
| Bunch spacing | ns | 25 | 160 | 680 | 5000 |
| "Physics" cross section | pb | 35,000 | 10 | 0.2 | 0.5 |
| Total cross section | pb | 70,000 | 30 | 10 | 8 |
| Event rate | Hz | 100,000 | 6 | 0.5 | 0.1 |
| "Pile up" parameter [μ] | 10^{-6} | 2,500 | 1 | 1 | 1 |



Timeline

Defines the timescale for completing the R&D and selecting the technologies for detector production



Challenges at FCC-ee

❖ At the Z pole, high beam currents with bunch spacing 20 ns

- Almost continuous beam has implications on power management/cooling, density, readout,...

❖ Extremely high luminosities $L \sim 1.8 \times 10^{36}/\text{cm}^2\text{s}$ at Z-pole

- Require absolute luminosity measurements to 10^{-4} to achieve desired physics sensitivity
- Online/Offline handling of high data rates/total volume.

❖ Physics interaction rate at Z pole ~ 100 kHz

- Implications on detector response time, event size, FE electronics and timing

❖ Beam dynamics

- 30 mrad crossing angle sets constraints on the solenoid field to 2 T \rightarrow larger tracker volume
- Backgrounds from incoherent pair production (IPC) and synchrotron radiation (SR) to a lesser extent (tungsten masks significantly reduces SR toward IP)

❖ High Luminosities

- High statistical precision: Requires control of systematics down to $10^{-6} - 10^{-5}$ level.
- Online and Offline data handling $O(10^{13})$ events
- Physics events up to 100 kHz imposes requirements on detector response time, FE electronics and DAQ.

Detector Requirements

Higgs Factor Program

- 1.2M ZH events at $\sqrt{s} = 240$ GeV
- 75k WW \rightarrow H events at $\sqrt{s} = 365$ GeV
- Higgs Couplings to fermions
- Higgs self-couplings (2-4 σ) via loop diagrams
- Unique possibility to measure electron self-coupling in s-channel $e+e- \rightarrow H$ at $\sqrt{s} = 125$ GeV.



- Momentum Resolution $\sigma_{p_T}/p_T \simeq 10^{-3}$ at $p_T \sim 50$ GeV.
- Jet energy resolution of $30\%/\sqrt{E}$ in multi-jet environment for Z/W separation
- Superior impact parameter resolution for b, c tagging

Precision EW and QCD Program

- 5×10^{12} Z and 10^8 WW events
 - $m_Z, \Gamma_Z, \Gamma_{inv}, \sin^2\theta_W, m_W, \Gamma_W, \dots$
- 10^6 tt events
 - $m_{top}, \Gamma_{top},$ EW couplings
- Indirect sensitivity to new physics



- Absolute normalization of luminosity to 10^{-4} .
- Relative normalization to 10^{-5} (eg Γ_{had}/Γ_l)
- superior momentum resolution, limited by multiple scattering \rightarrow minimize material.
- Track angular resolution < 0.1 mrad
- Stability of B-field to 10^{-6}

Detector Requirements

Heavy Flavor Program

- 10^{12} bb, cc; 1.7×10^{11} $\tau\tau$ produced in a clean environment.
 - CKM matrix, CP measurements, flavor anomaly studies eg $b \rightarrow s\tau\tau$, rare decays, CLFV searches, lepton universality, PNMS matrix unitarity.



- Superior impact parameter resolution
 - Precisely tag and identify secondary vertices and measure lifetimes.
- ECAL resolution at few $\%/\sqrt{E}$
- Excellent π^0/γ separation for tau identification
- Particle ID: K/π separation over a wide momentum range \rightarrow precision timing.

Feebly coupled particles Beyond SM

- Opportunity to directly observe new feebly interacting particles with masses below m_Z .
- Axion-like particles, dark photons, Heavy neutral leptons,
- Long lifetimes LLPs.



- Benchmark study: $Z \rightarrow \nu N$ with N decaying late
- Sensitivity to far detached vertices
 - Tracking: more layer, continuous tracking
 - Calorimeter: granularity, tracking capability
- Large decay length \rightarrow extended decay volume
- Precise timing
- Hermeticity

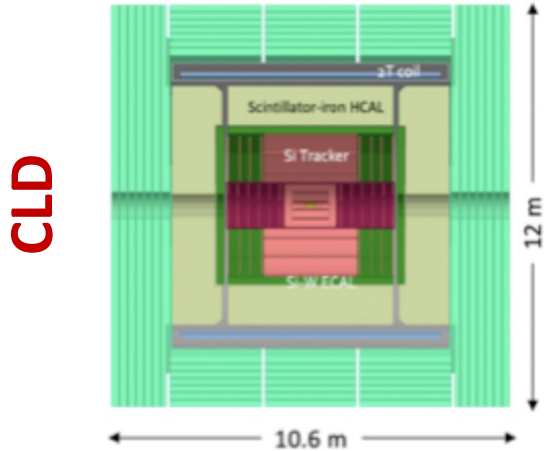
Detector Requirements

❖ In summary, we require:

- Ultra-lightweight material
- Precision momentum ($\sigma(1/p_T) < 3 \times 10^{-5} \text{ GeV}^{-1}$) and angular res. ($< 0.1 \text{ mrad}$)
- Excellent EM resolution with low constant term
- Unprecedented low jet energy resolution to distinguish W/Z/H to dijets.
- Micron-precision b- and c- tagging capability
- Particle ID in a broad momentum range, incl. pico-second timing capability

Several Strawman FCC-ee Detector Benchmarks

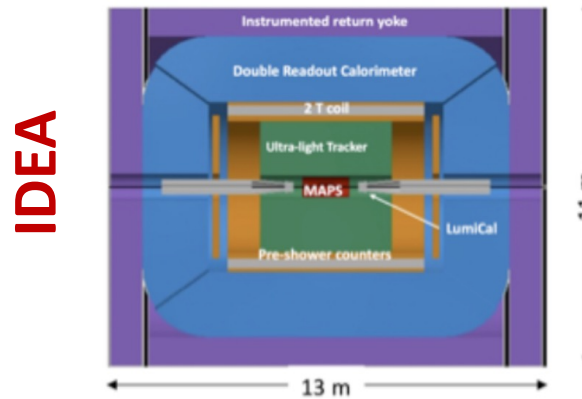
(2 – 4 detectors planned)



Design (ILC/CLIC/Calice)

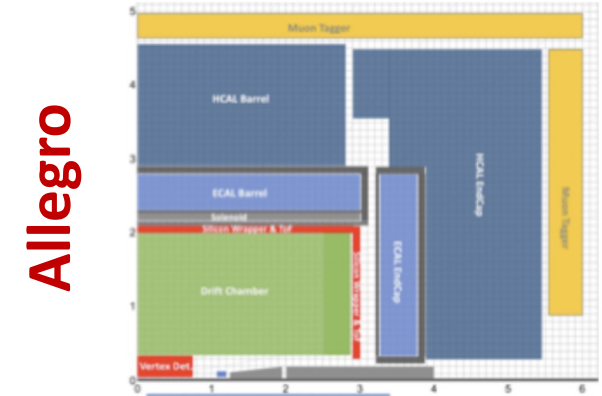
- All silicon tracker (pixels + strips)
- Si-W EM calorimeter
 - $22X_0$, 40 long. layers.
- Steel-Scintillator hadronic calo.
 - SiPM readout
- Solenoid outside calorimeter
- RPC based Muon system

<https://arxiv.org/pdf/1911.12230.pdf>



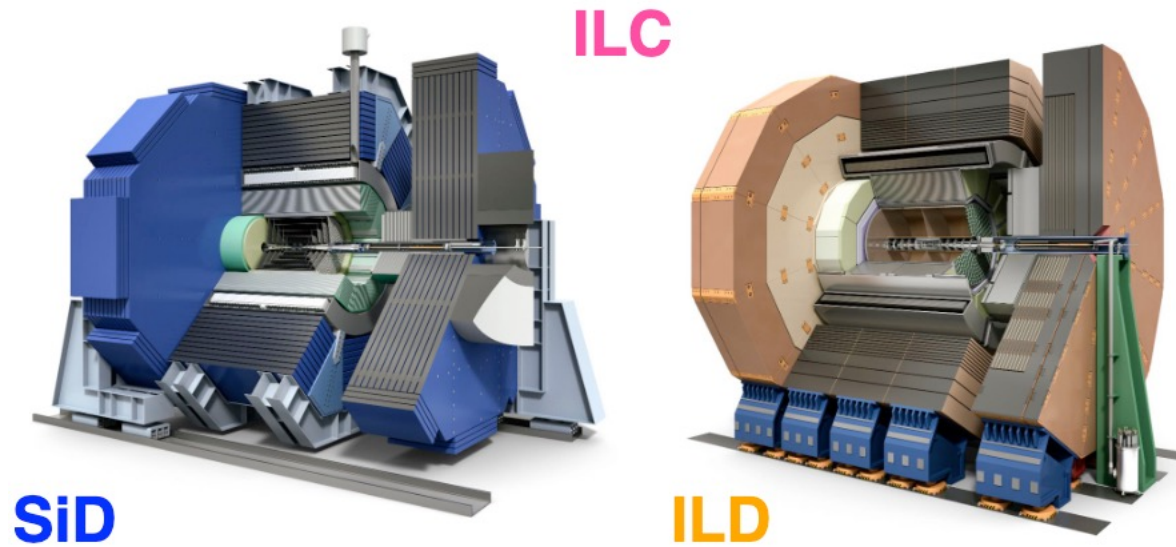
- MAPS based vertex detector ($1\% X_0$)
- High-precision low-mass drift chamber with surrounding Si microstrip ($t_d < 400$ ns).
- pre-shower with MPGD readout
- Lead-Fiber dual readout calorimeter
- Sensitive to both Sci/Cerenkov
 - Hybrid with crystal EM?
- large μ -Rwell muon chambers

<https://inspirehep.net/files/49ec726758c422bc454e270a71f6e59f>



- Includes a highly granular noble liquid calorimeter
- Possible design being explored are lead/steel absorbers ($RM \sim 4$ cm), stacked azimuthally inclined at 50° wrt radial axis with LAr as the active medium.
- Other considerations include Tungsten absorbers and/or Liquid Krypton.
- <https://arxiv.org/pdf/2109.00391.pdf>

Detector Concepts (ILC)

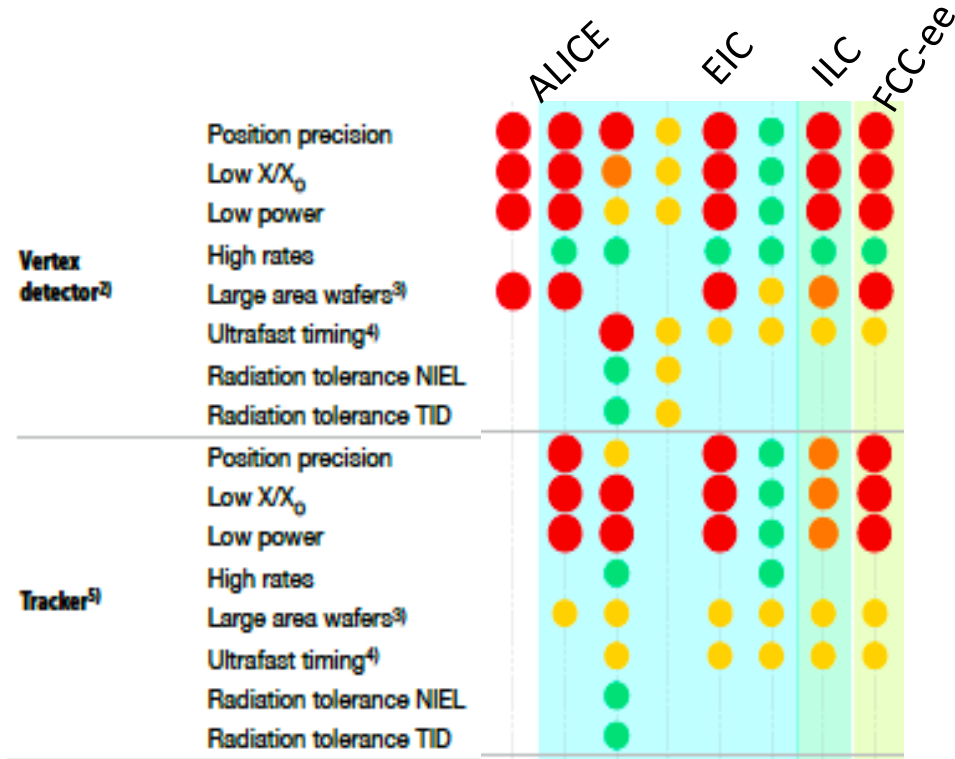


SiD : Compact all-silicon tracking systems with highly granular calorimeters optimized for PFA

ILD: Large detector with PFA calorimeters

- ❖ Large B field enables particle separation and consequently helps with Particle Flow Analysis together with a fine granularity calorimeter. ILC detectors well suited for PFA.
 - FCC detectors constrained in B field, therefore must rely more larger tracker volume and highly segmented calorimeters for PFA.
- ❖ Non-continuous beam structure allows for pulsed powering and therefore has the potential to reduce cooling requirements (less material!)

Tracking Requirements



Ref: ECFA Detector R&D roadmap
<https://indico.cern.ch/event/957057/>

| Detector | Characteristic | FCC-ee/ILC | EIC |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------|--------|
| Vertex | Position (μm) | < 3 | < 3 |
| | X/X_0 (%/layer) | ~ 0.05 | ~ 0.05 |
| | Power mW/cm^2 | ~ 20 | ~ 20 |
| | Rates (GHz/cm^2) | ~ 0.05 | ~ 0.05 |
| | Wafer size (") | 12 | 12 |
| | Timing precision $\sigma(\text{ns})$ | 25 | 25 |
| | Tracker | Position (μm) | ~ 6 |
| X/X_0 (%/layer) | | ~ 1 | ~ 1 |
| Power mW/cm^2 | | < 100 | < 100 |
| Wafer size (") | | 12 | 12 |
| Timing precision $\sigma(\text{ns})$ | | < 0.1 | < 0.1 |
| TOF | Timing precision $\sigma(\text{ns})$ | < 0.01 | < 0.01 |

EIC/ALICE inner tracker development is a prototype for the FCC inner silicon tracker option!

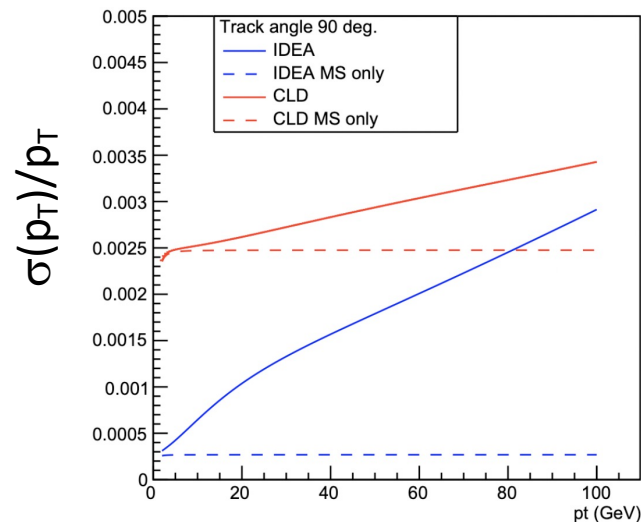
Tracker Options

❖ All Silicon tracker : proposed concept for CLID

- Monolithic CMOS 65 nm technology, an extension of the proposed concept for EIC : which itself replicates the current development for ALICE ITS3.
- 65 nm TJZ, 12" wafers, 20 mW/cm², 0.05% X₀/layer, 3μm hit precision

❖ High-precision low-mass drift chamber (IDEA/ALLEGRO)

- Transparent! Reduced material → minimal multiple interaction → better momentum resl.
- Particle separation through dE/dx or dN/dx, Continuous tracking.

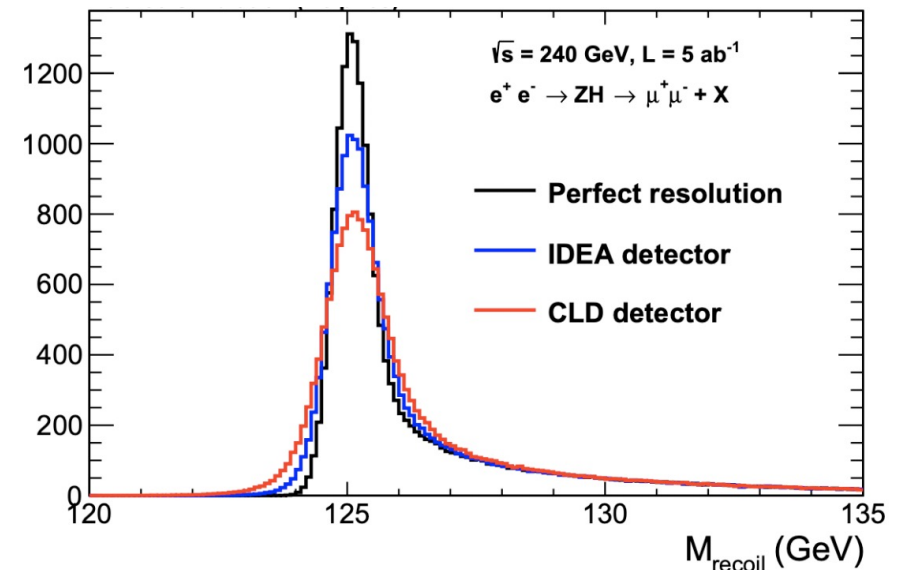


CLID

- All Si Tracker
- total material budget 11%

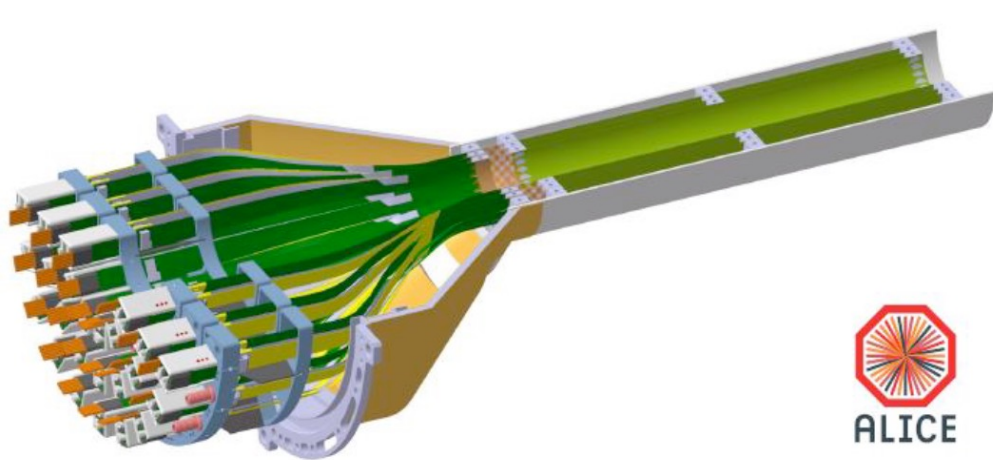
IDEA

- Drift Chamber
- Material budget is < 2%



Synergy with ITS3/EIC

- ❖ Large stitched monolithic CMOS sensors (TPSCo 65 nm) developed for ITS3/EIC
- ❖ Thinned down to 50 μm , curved sensors to reach $< 0.1\%$ X0/layer!!
- ❖ Position resolution $\sim 5\mu\text{m}$
- ❖ Cooling by airflow
- ❖ Radii : 18/24/30 mm, Length 27 cm
- ❖ Promising results ([M. Winter](#))



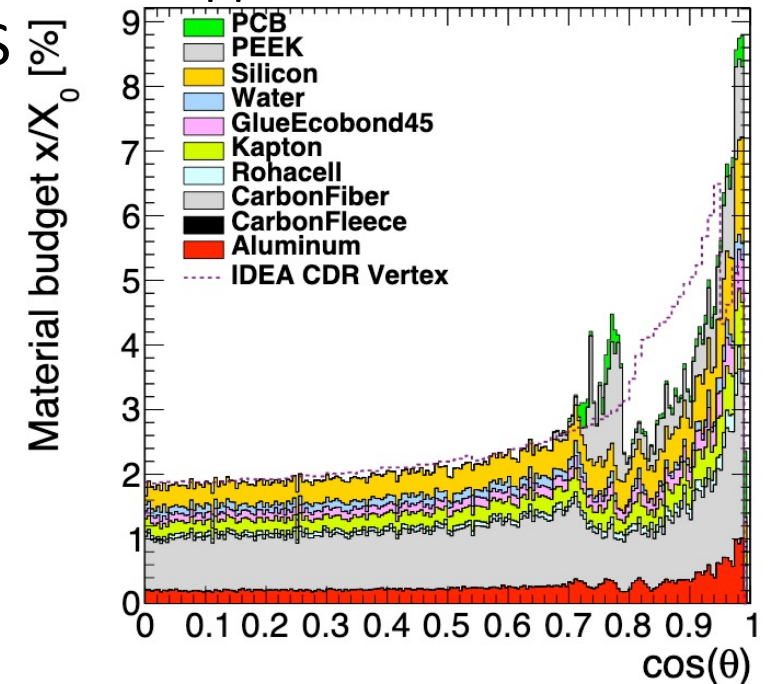
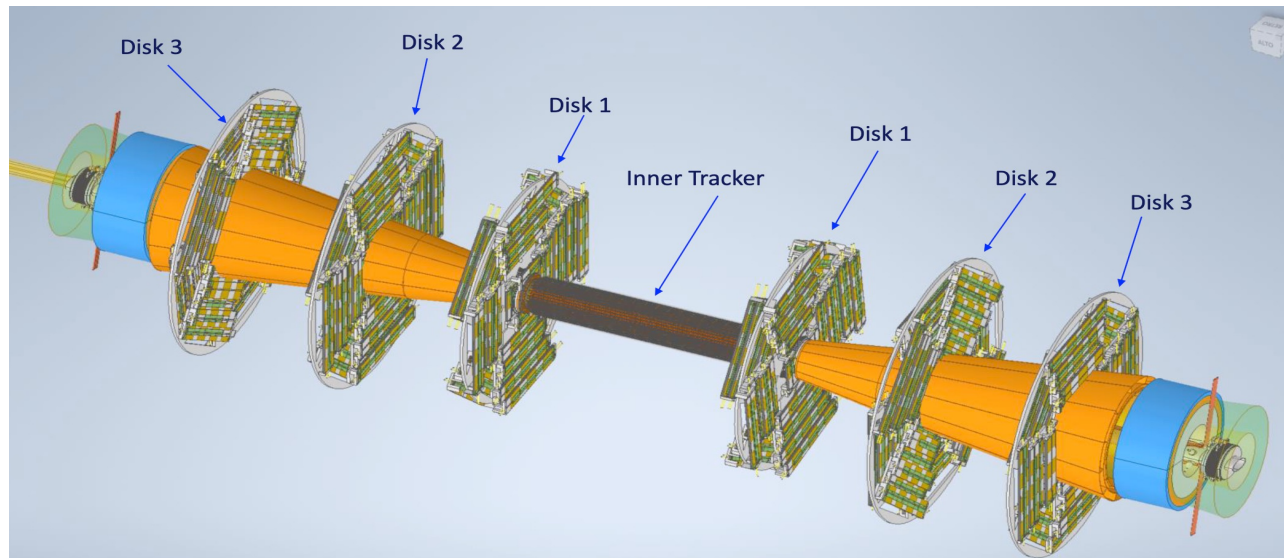
Relative challenges for FCC

- Minimize X/X₀
- Optimize resolution vs X/X₀
- Stitched sensors yield
- Readout architecture design
- System integration

([see ALICE-3/FCC comparison by D. Contadro](#))

Vertex detector, possible integrated design

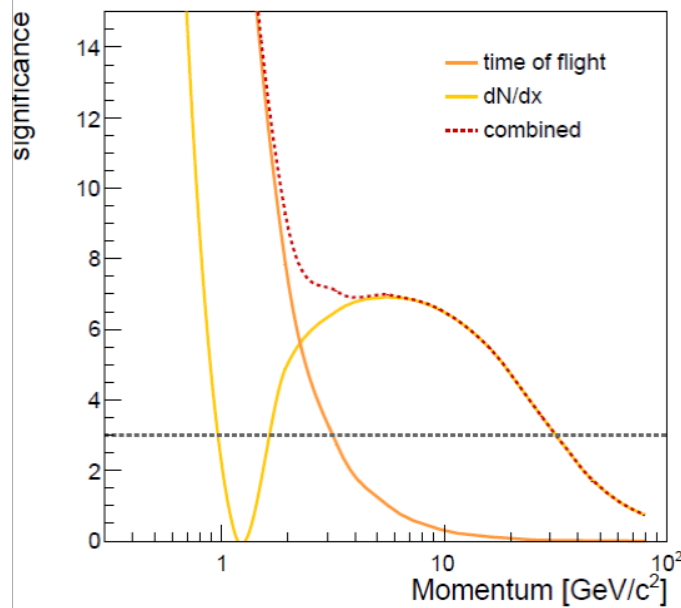
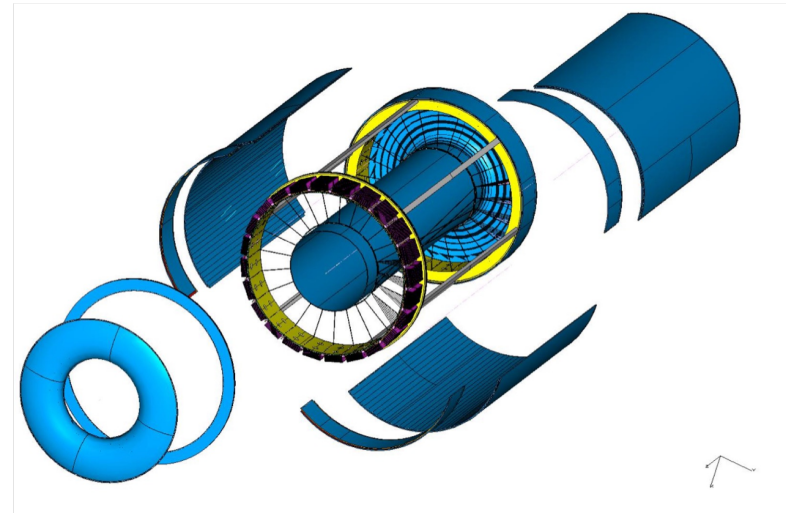
- ❖ Layout of a vertex detector for FCC has recently been engineered ([F. Palla](#))
 - ❖ Integration inspired by ALICE ITS3 experience → but several challenges identified due to different FCC configuration. Material budget kept at 0.3% X/X₀ per layer
 - Inner Layer: (ARCADIA), 110nm Lfoundry, 50 μm thick,, 50mW/cm².
 - Outer Layer and disks: (ATLASPIX3), TSI 180 nm, 50 μm thick, 100 mW/cm²
 - Service cones provide mechanism for air cooling and cable routing
 - Lightweight carbon fiber, honeycomb structures, Al reinforcements support structures
- Plan for lighter design using curved and stitched MAPS



Gaseous Tracking

❖ Drift Chamber tracker proposed in for FCC detector benchmarks (IDEA/ALLEGRO)

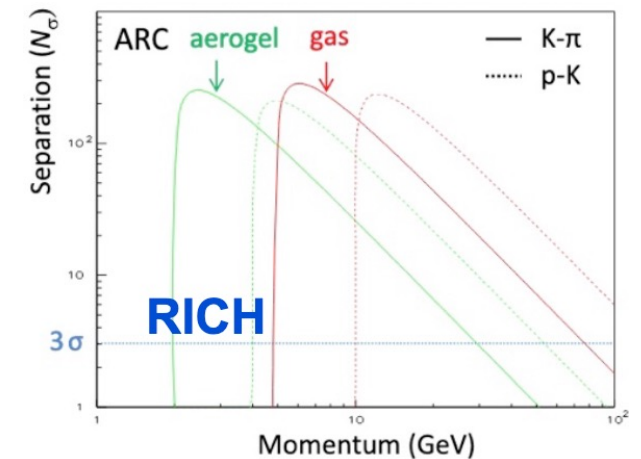
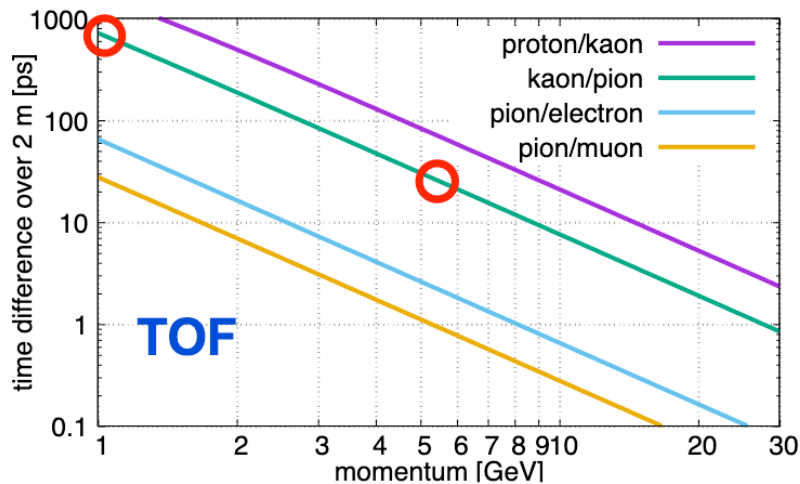
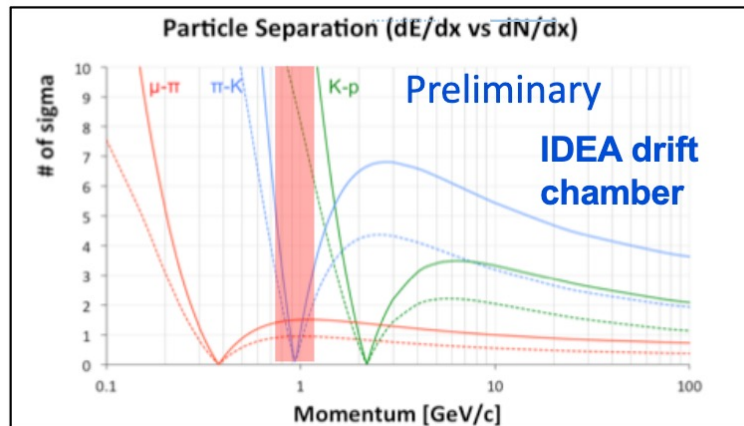
- $R = 0.35 \text{ m} - 2.00 \text{ m}$
- 90% He, 10% $i\text{C}_4\text{H}_{10}$
- 112 layers per 15° azimuth ($\sim 350\text{k}$ wires)
- Max drift time 350 ns
- 1.6% X_0 at 90°



- Large scale mechanical structures and full-size prototypes planned to demonstrate the feasibility of gaseous tracking
- Fast readout electronics to exploit cluster counting techniques
- TPC and other trackers considered, but need to mitigate distortions due to primary ion effects
 - 2×10^{12} primary ions at any time in TPC ($> x2500$ ILC)

Particle ID

- ❖ Particle ID using time of flight, dE/dx , cluster counting is essential for flavor physics studies. (see [FCC-ee analysis](#), [CEPC analysis](#))
- ❖ dE/dx in drift chamber can provide $>3\sigma$ π/K separation up to 50-100 GeV.
 - Non-differentiable for $p \sim 1$ GeV. Mitigated with dedicated TOF systems surrounding tracking volume
- ❖ LGAD based timing layer can provide high precision (~ 10 ps) timing resolution.
 - For a 2m path length (outer radius), $\sigma_t \sim 10$ ps can achieve a 3σ p/K separation for $p < 5$ GeV/c.
- ❖ Pressurized RICH detectors being investigated, can potentially offer 3σ π/K separation 5-80 GeV.



Calorimeter

Reference: [M. Aleksa et. al.](#)

❖ The three detector concepts for FCC-ee have been proposed largely around unique calorimeter designs:

1. ALLEGRO: LAr calorimeter

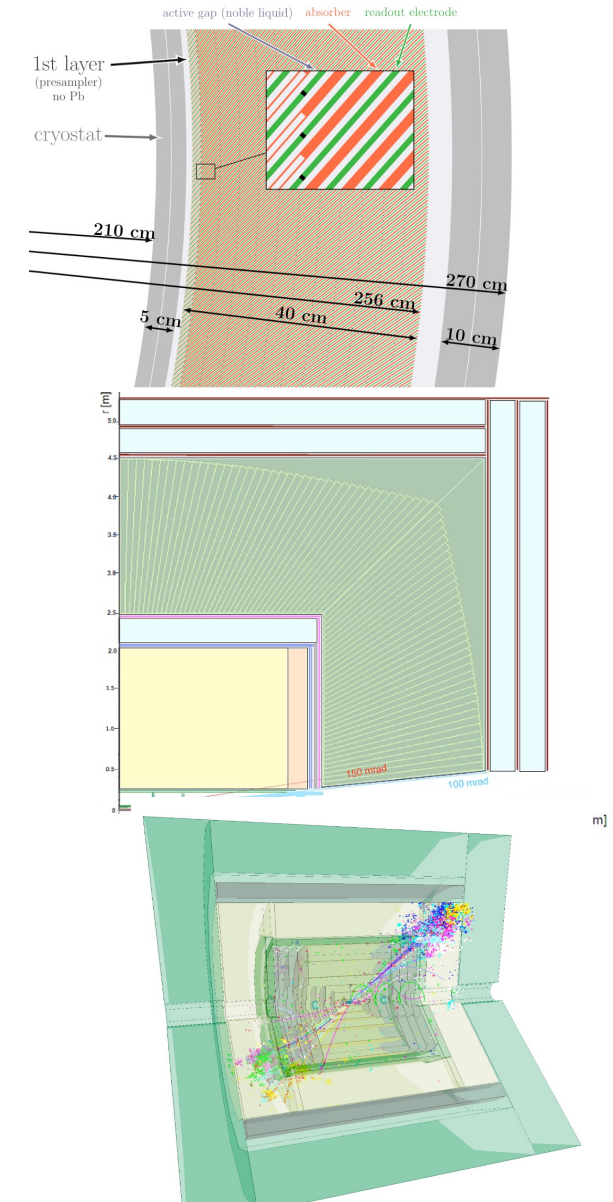
- 2 mm Pb/Steel absorber oriented 50° wrt radial direction and multi-layer readout electrode to offer high granularity readout.
- Finer longitudinal (12 vs. 4 in ATLAS) segmentation and superior ($\sim 5x$) SNR with cold electronics, $22 X_0$, $R_M \sim 4$ cm (with LAr)

2. Dual Readout Fiber calorimeter:

- Copper absorbers with embedded Scintillation and Cerenkov fibers
- 75 towers to ~ 0.1 radian, no physical longitudinal segmentation.
- Dual readout with EM crystal calorimeters offer superior performance

3. Si-W EM calorimeters and Tile-Scintillator hadronic calorimeter with SiPM readout.

- CALICE style proposed for both CLD and ILC.



Nobel Liquid calorimeters

❖ LAr calorimeters have been well demonstrated in a number of HEP experiments.

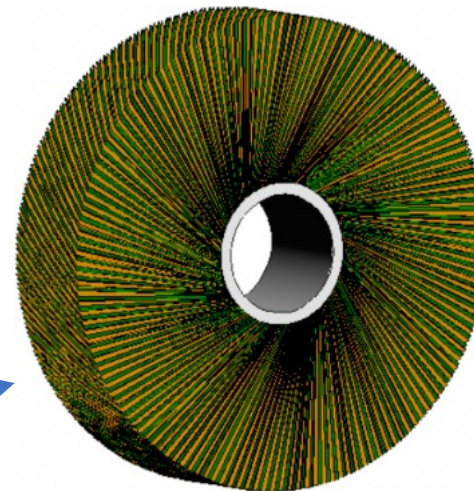
- Also a proposed design concept for FCC-ee:
- Pb/Steel absorbers with 7-layer readout electrode positioned 50° wrt radial direction.
- Possible turbine design option being explored for forward region

❖ High granularity (x10 ATLAS) for better PFA

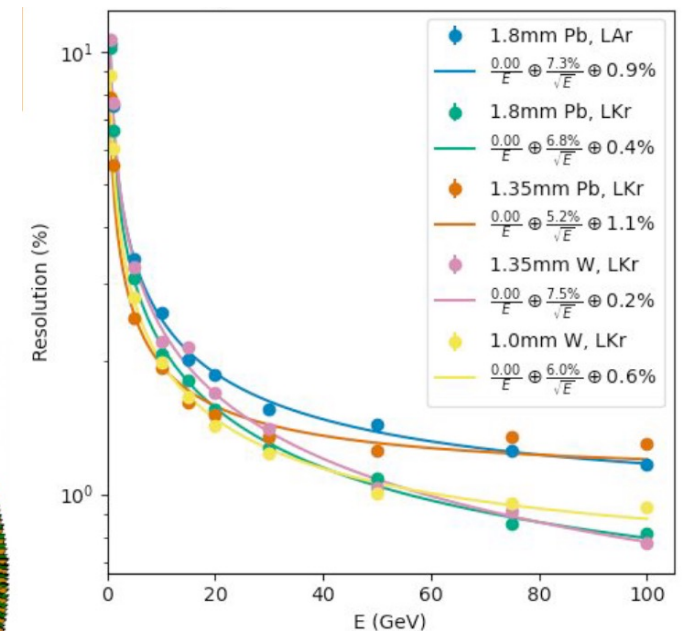
- Prototype with two absorbers and one electrode constructed.
- Plans to build additional prototypes and test in realistic conditions.

❖ Cold digital electronics

- Evolving from what is being used for DUNE Vertical Drift Potential to offer superior x5 S/N performance



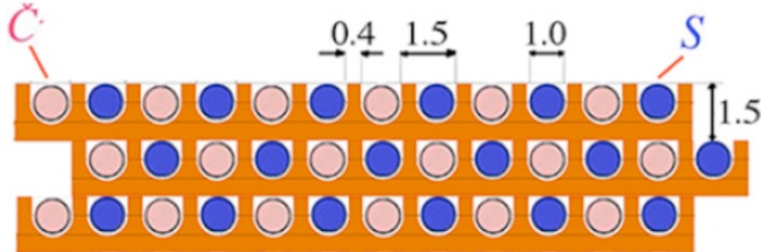
Turbine structure proposed for forward calorimeters



Resolution studies for different active/passive mediums

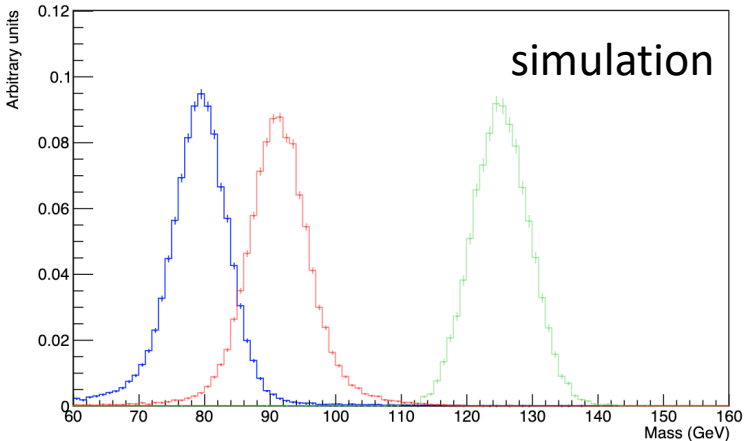
Dual Readout Fiber

Reference: [Snowmass submission](#)

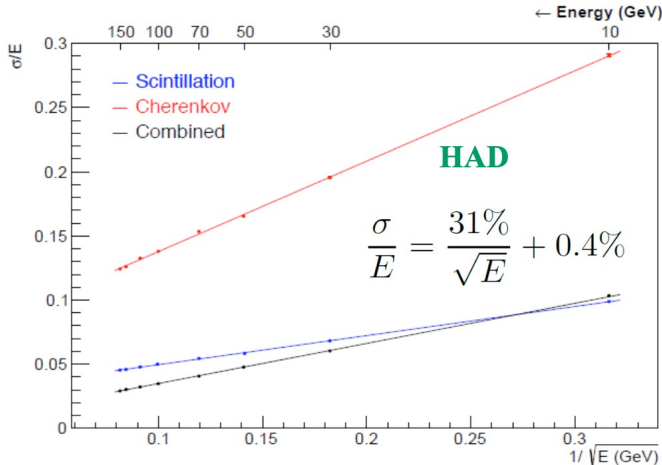
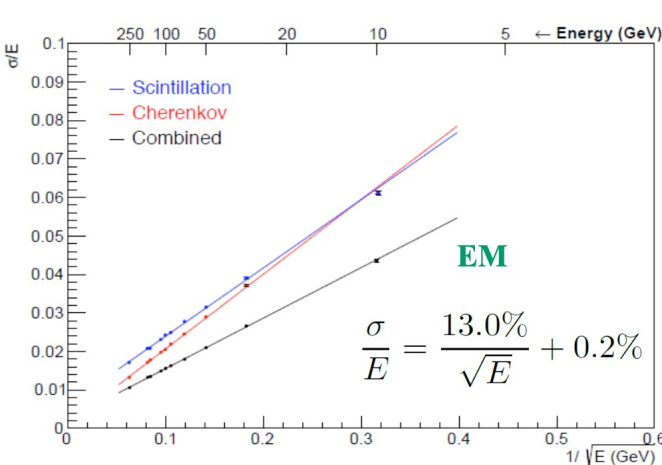


Alternate
Cherenkov fibers
Scintillating fibers

- ❖ Promising results matching earlier simulation studies.
- ❖ Need large scale prototypes with TB verification to demonstrate capabilities.
- ❖ Possibility to use longitudinal segmentation using timing information



W,Z,H → jj using DR



A front face EM crystal calorimeter with a DR will provide both a superior EM resolution ($\sim 3\%/\sqrt{E}$) and a hadronic energy resolution.

Comparison in performance

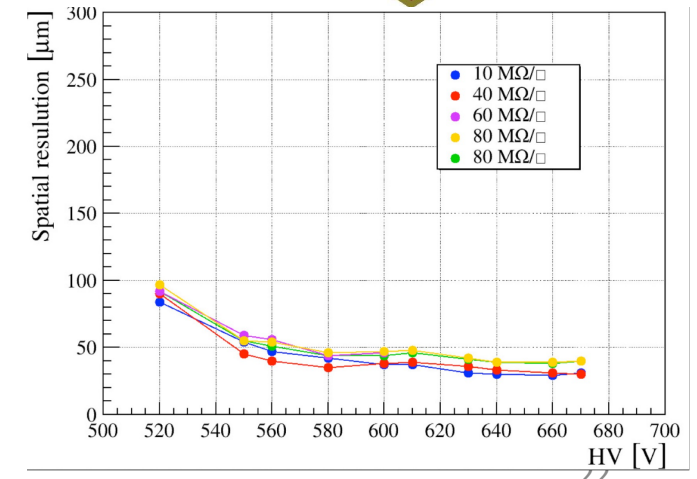
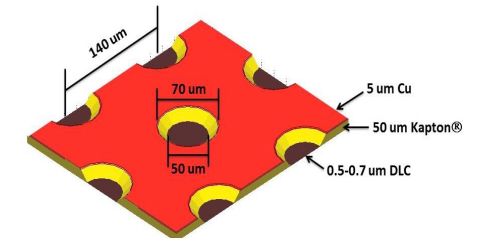
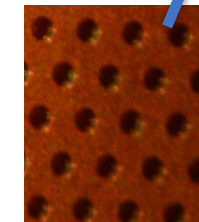
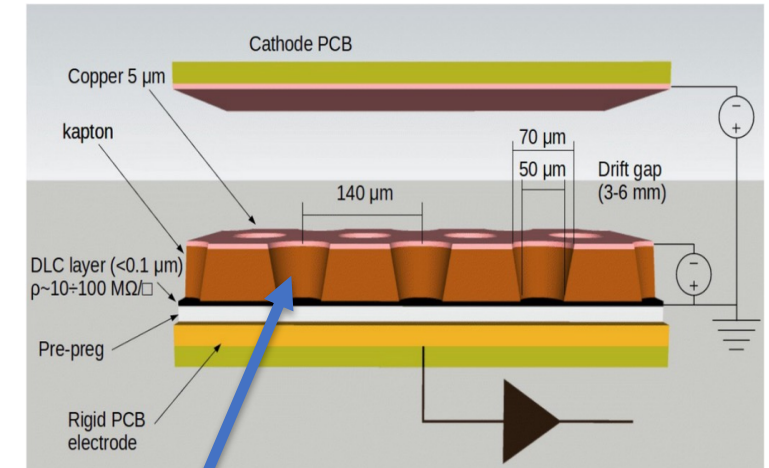
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| Detector Technology | EM Energy Resolution | | Hadronic Energy Resolution | | 50 GeV jets (inc. PFA) |
|---|----------------------|----------|-----------------------------|-------------|------------------------|
| | stochastic | constant | stochastic (single hadrons) | 50 GeV jets | |
| High granularity Si/W (EM) and Tile/Scintillator Had. | 15-17% | 1% | 40-50% | ~6%* | 4% |
| High Granularity LAr (EM) and Tile Scintillator (Had) | 8-10% | < 1% | 40% | ~6%* | 3-4%* |
| Dual Readout (DR) Fiber | 11% | < 1% | 30% | 4-5% | 3-4%* |
| DR with EM crystal | 3% | < 1% | 26% | 5-6% | 3-4% |

* = estimated, no data or simulation exists.

Muon Detectors

- ❖ Several options being considered to provide robust, large-area muon detectors with fast timing and high spatial resolution: Identify muons and search for LLPs
 - Significant experience from ongoing LHC experiments
- ❖ Large area precision drift tube chambers using eco-friendly gases capable of 3D tracking with precision position and timing information.
- ❖ μ Rwell detector technology proposed for IDEA: combines advantages of MPGD and RPC with amplification stage + resistive stage + readout PCB.
 - Early test beam results appear promising offering >90% efficiency and < 100 μ m spatial
- ❖ RPC technology, proposed for CLD, can also be well suited offering fast signals (\sim ns) and good spatial resolution.
- ❖ These technologies must be further developed and demonstrated at large scales.



References: [NIM](#), [EuroPhys](#)

Summary

- ❖ Significant R&D efforts ongoing toward realizing a detector for future e+e- collider.
 - From individual detector systems to integrated designs
 - Several prototyping efforts already under way in a number of areas
 - Many of the technological concepts being proposed already exist but needs to be demonstrated scaled-up.
 - Inner tracker has significant synergies with ongoing efforts in ALICE/ITS3 and EIC.
- ❖ Large synergy between detector requirements for ILC and FCC.
- ❖ Newly organized Detector R&D (DRD) collaborations at CERN offer a vehicle for collaboration and efforts.
- ❖ Targeted detector R&D efforts in U.S. beginning to take shape.
- ❖ Resources to pursue such R&D efforts remain minimal, largely due to other ongoing efforts in HL-LHC upgrades.
- ❖ While challenges remain, there is good progress toward realizing the fundamental concepts that will lead to defining integrated detector concepts for future colliders.