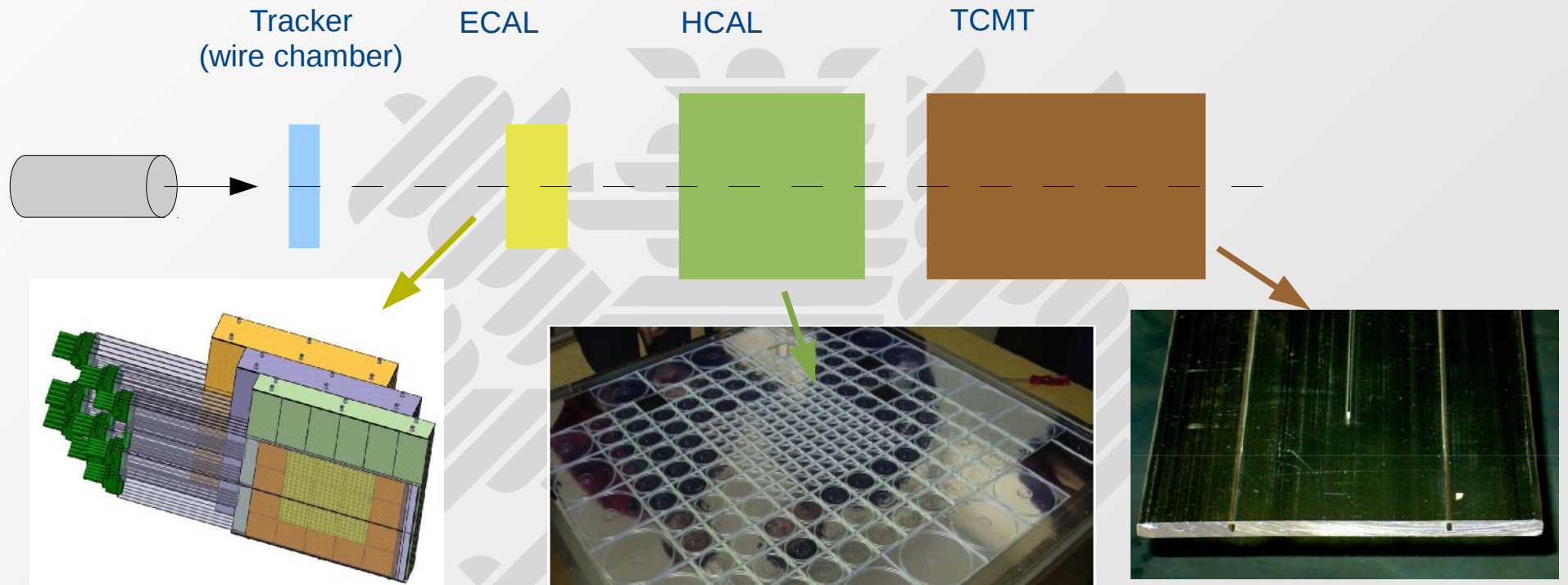


# **Detector alignment for CERN 2007 testbeam runs**

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# CALICE Prototype: testbeam CERN'07



## ECAL

- Si/Tungsten
- 30 layers
- 18x18 „Pads“ of 1cm<sup>2</sup>
- XY-stage
- rotary

## HCAL (38 Lagen)

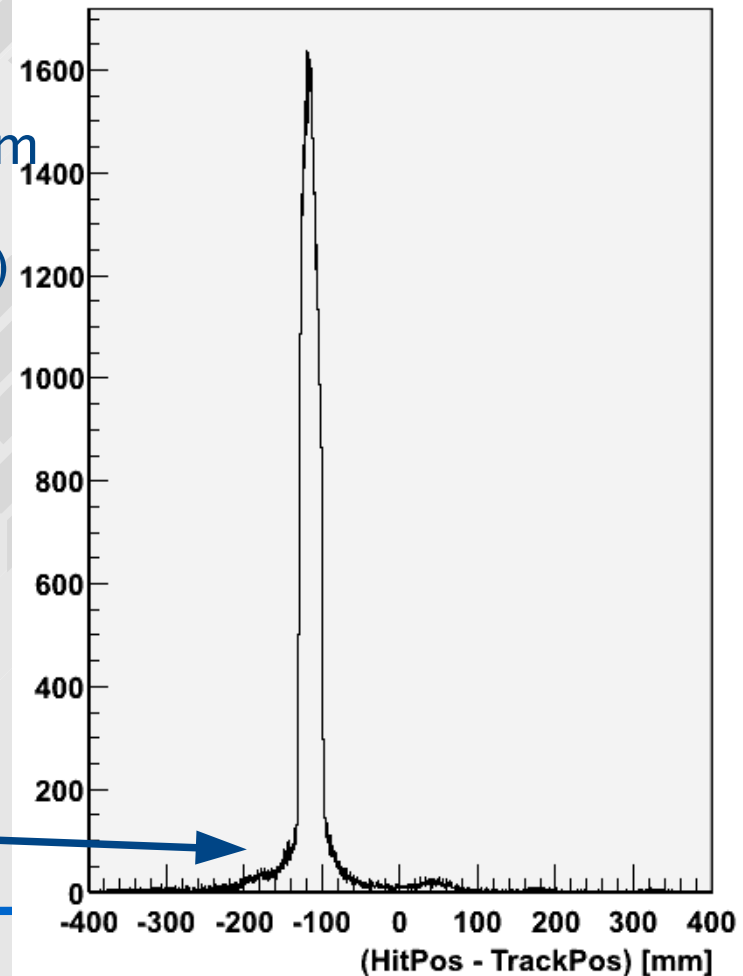
- Steel / Scintillator
- 38 layers
- „tiles“ of 3x3 to 12x12cm<sup>2</sup>
- XY-stage
- Rotary (layer wise)

## TCMT (16 Lagen)

- TailCatcherMuonTracker
- „coarse resolution“ HCAL
- Stripes instead of tiles

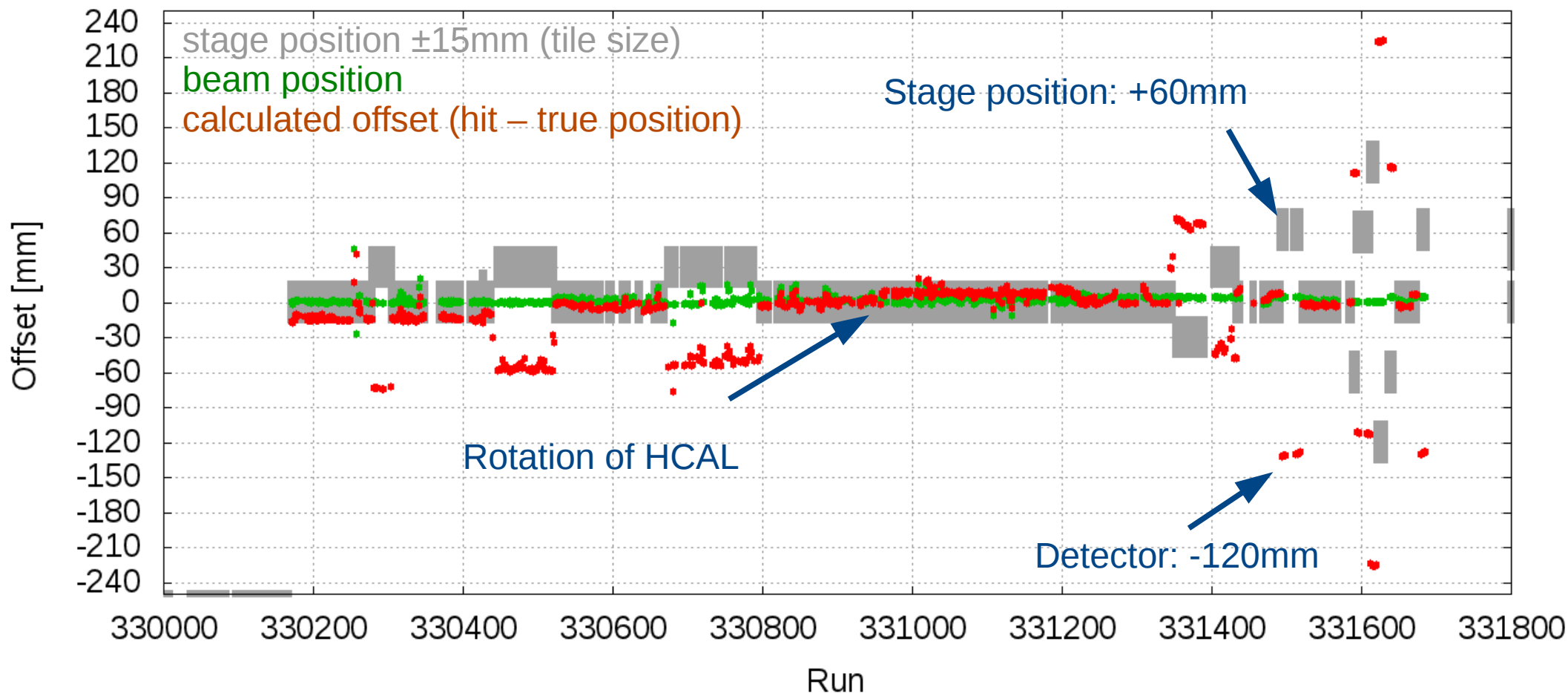
# Global alignment

- Detectors
  - Slight shift against reference coordinate system
  - XY-stage to change impact point
  - Hit coordinates should maintain coordinate system
- Tracker
  - Here: defines reference coordinate system
  - Gives „true position“ of tracks
  - Beam is roughly located at z-axis ( $x, y=0$ )
- First idea:
  - Histogram (Hit – true position) for each direction ( $x, y$ )
  - Just first 5 layers (HCAL) before shower start
  - **Offset directly visible!**
    - *-110mm → something is wrong*



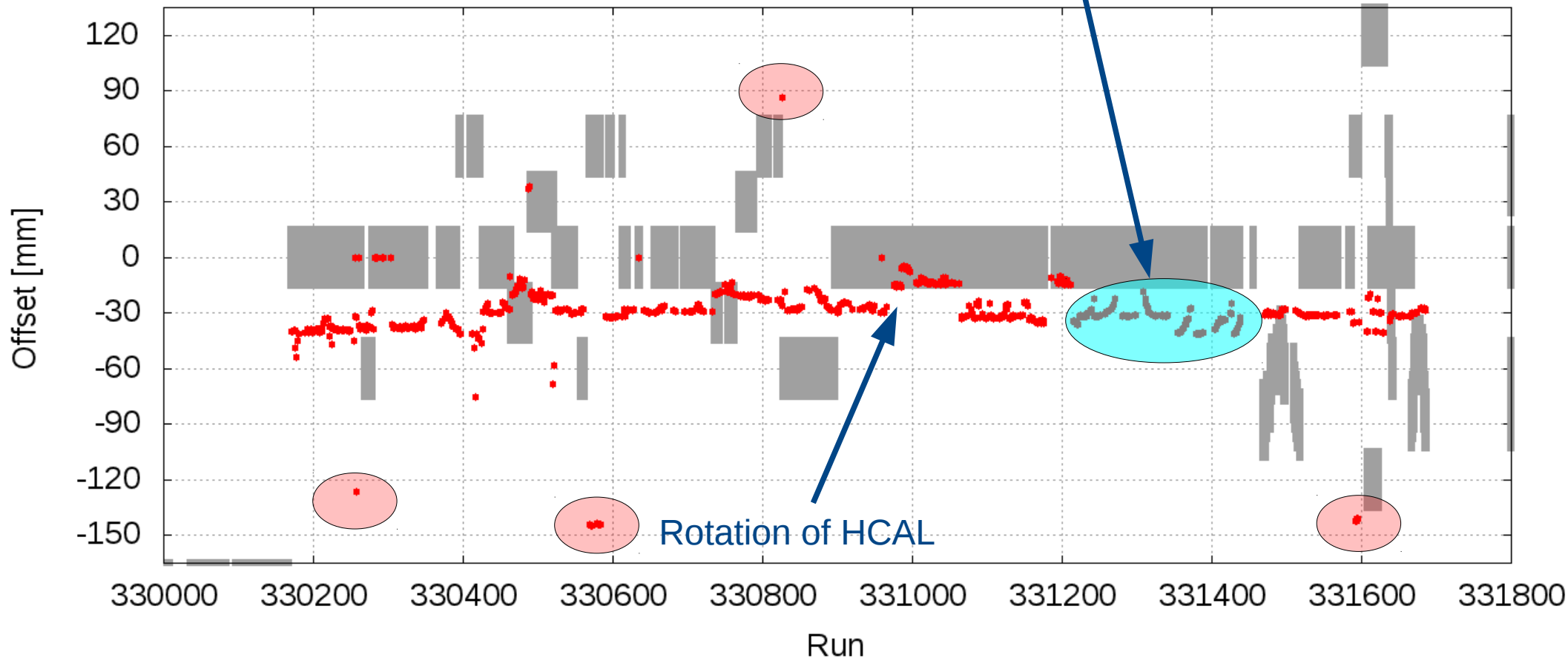
## Global alignment - first look at HCAL (y)

- In general low offset ( $\sim 10$ - $15$ mm)
- Sign error in handling of stage (y-)position
  - This is why alignment is done
- Changes in detector position visible
- **Allows definition of run ranges without change of detector position**



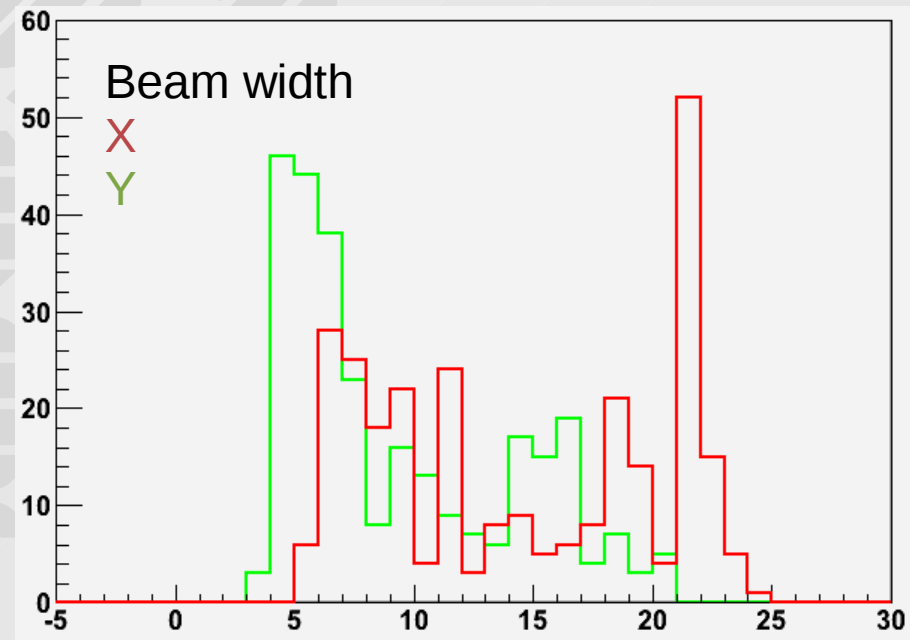
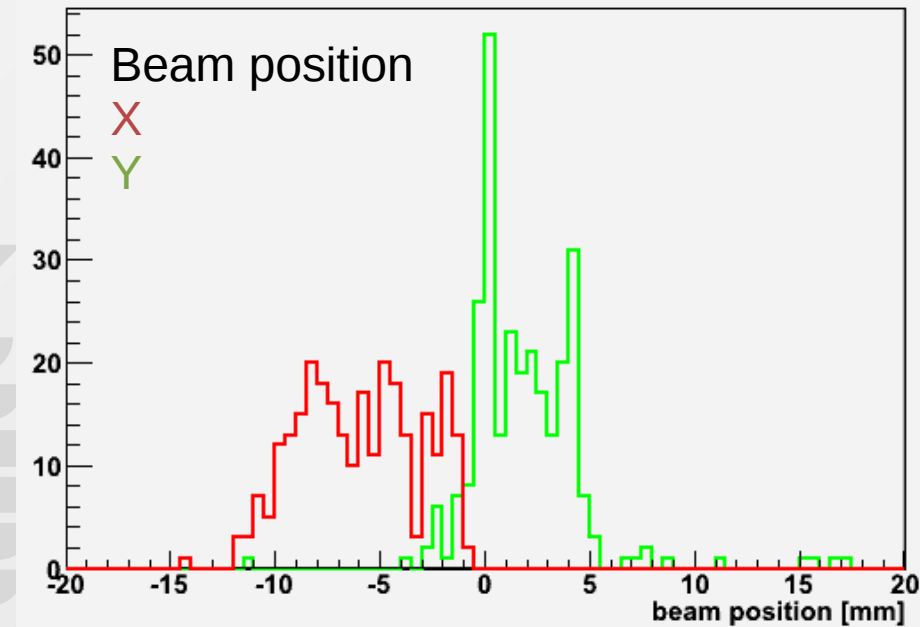
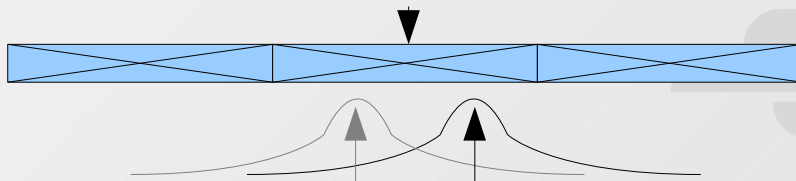
## Global alignment - first look at HCAL (x)

- In general larger offset ( $\sim 30$ - $40$ mm)
- No systematic sign errors
- Still some errors, usually when stage position changed
- **Variation** in offset of adjacent runs visible



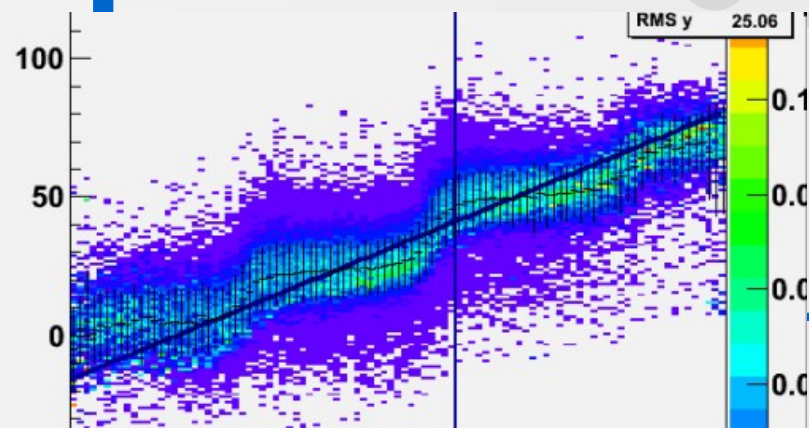
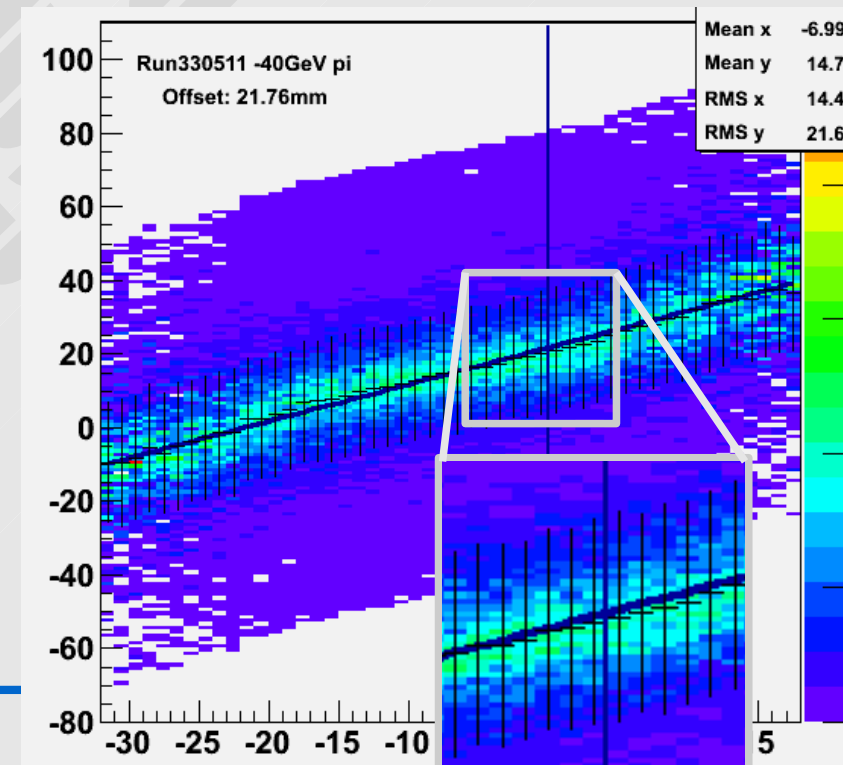
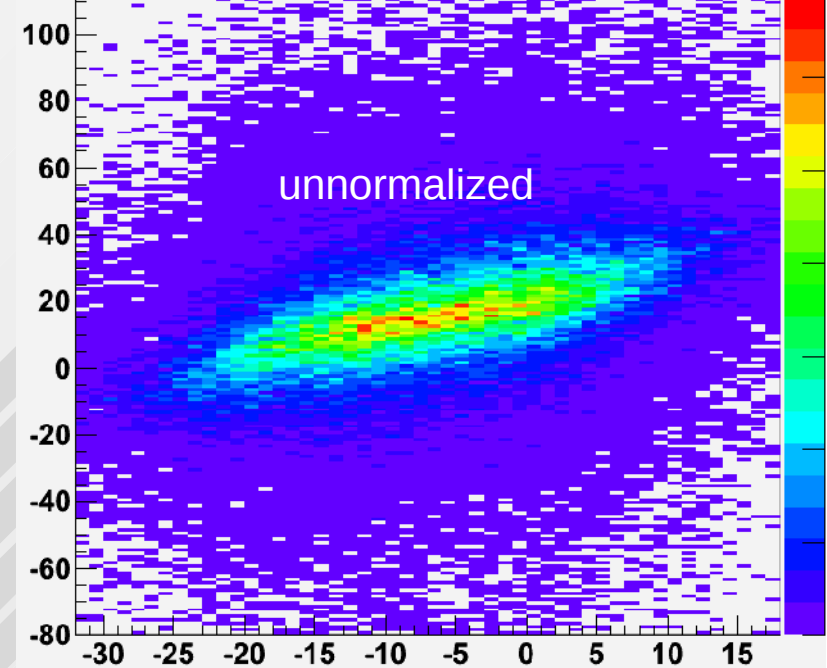
## Variations

- **Effect 1: Particle types**
- Mainly electron runs:
  - shower in ECAL
  - only tail in HCAL
  - Fades to HCAL center for lower Energies as signal vanishes in noise
  
- **Effect 2: Beam properties**
  - beam sweeping  $\sim 10\text{mm}$  over tile gives offset sweeping the same magnitude
  - Dependency on beam width / showers



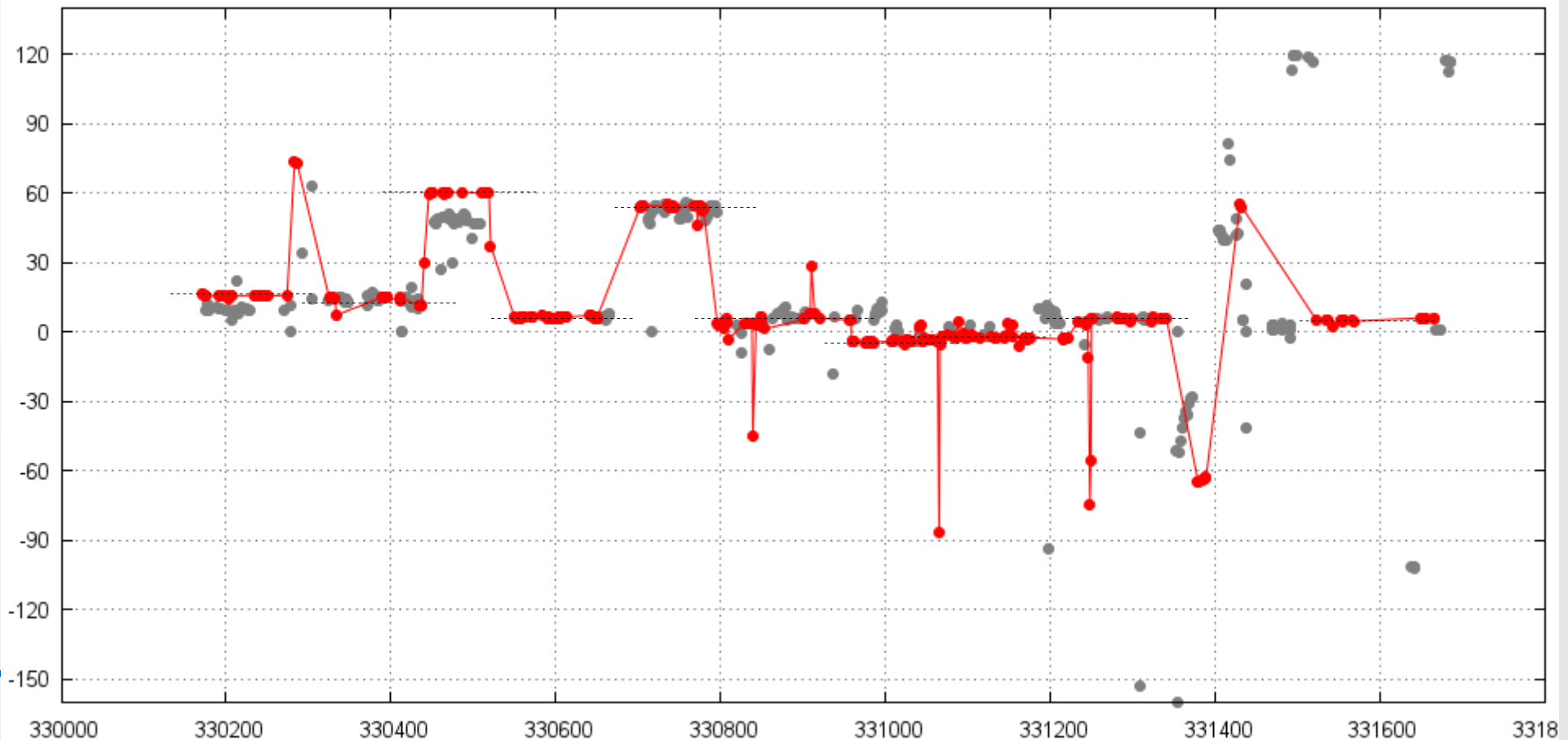
## Improvement:

- Correlation of COG and true position
- Normalized to beam profile
- Almost linear distribution
- Fit with slope 1 to get offset
- Slight effect of discrete tiles (steps) still visible but negligible
- Not satisfying for muons:



## Global alignment (HCAL)

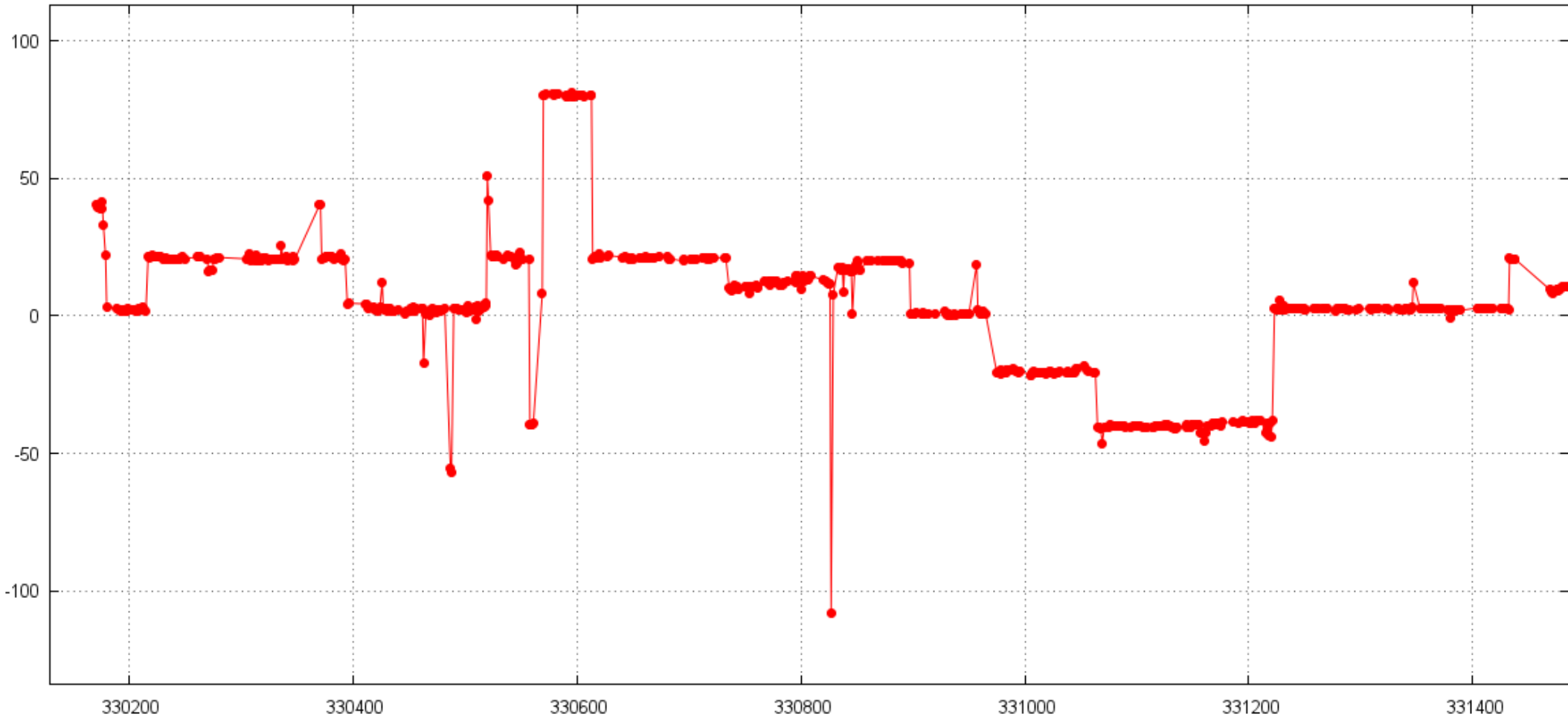
- **Pions** show distribution without large variations
- Sort out garbage runs
- Concatenate runs with same offset to increase statistics
- For comparison: electrons





## Global alignment (ECAL)

- Process transferable to ECAL
- Situation relaxed: Can use all types of particles
- Pad size < beam width
- By now, stage position not taken into account...



## Status of global alignment

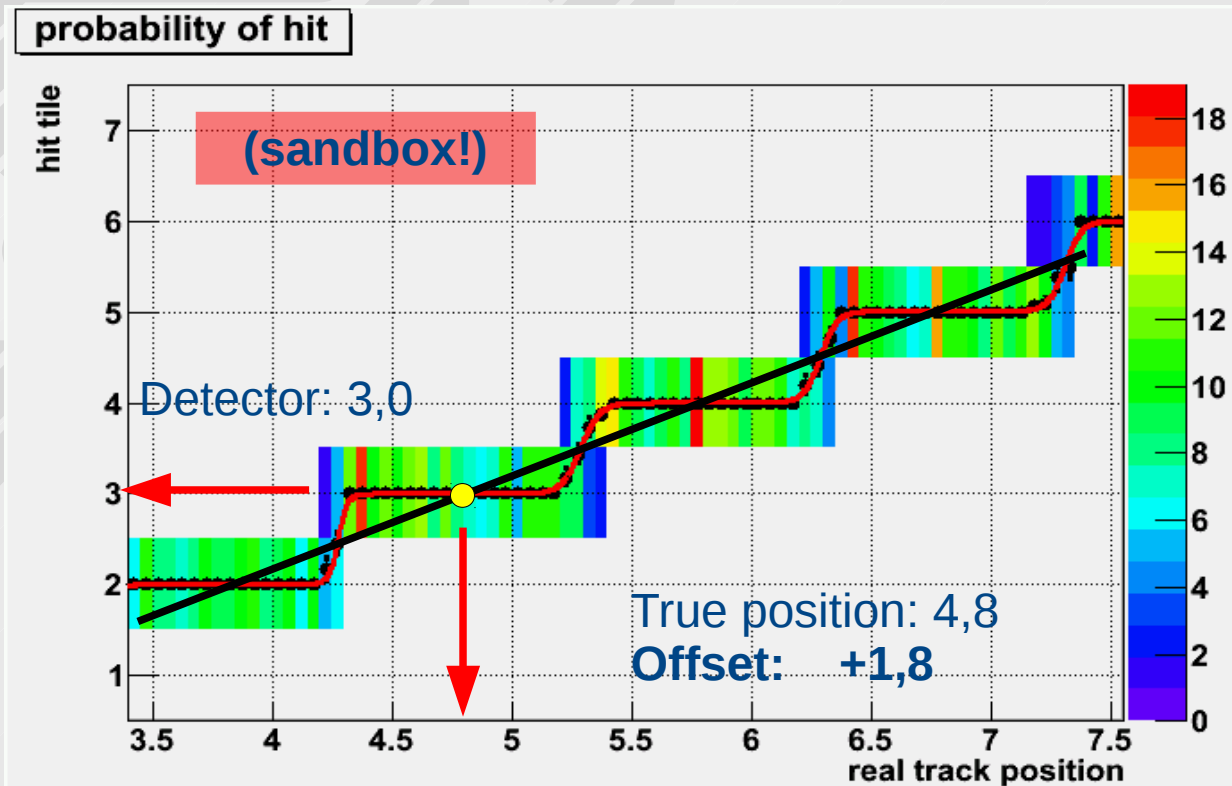
- Analysis has been done for CERN 2007 runs 330xxx-331xxx (ECAL + HCAL)
- Runs 335xxx (HCAL only) still need review
- Todo:
- Concatenate runs with same offsets
- Fix offsets and write to database

# Muon alignment

## Offsets of single layers in HCAL and ECAL

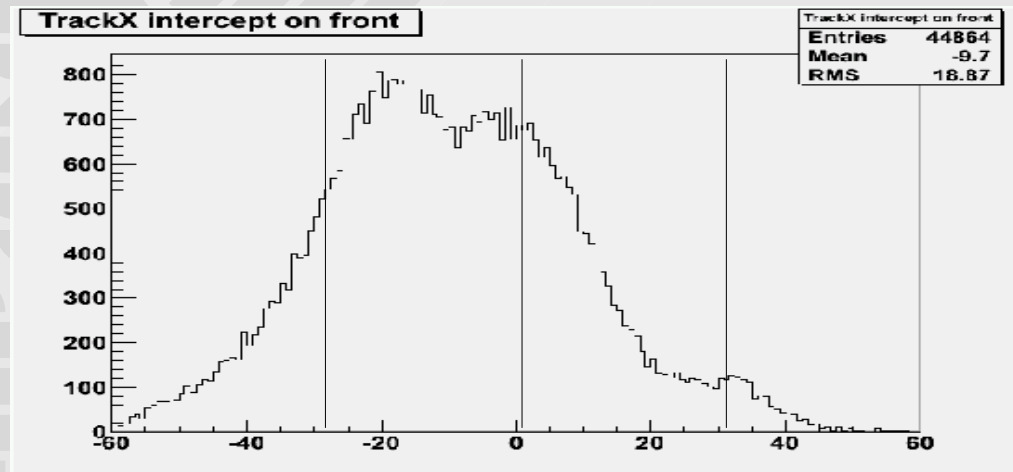
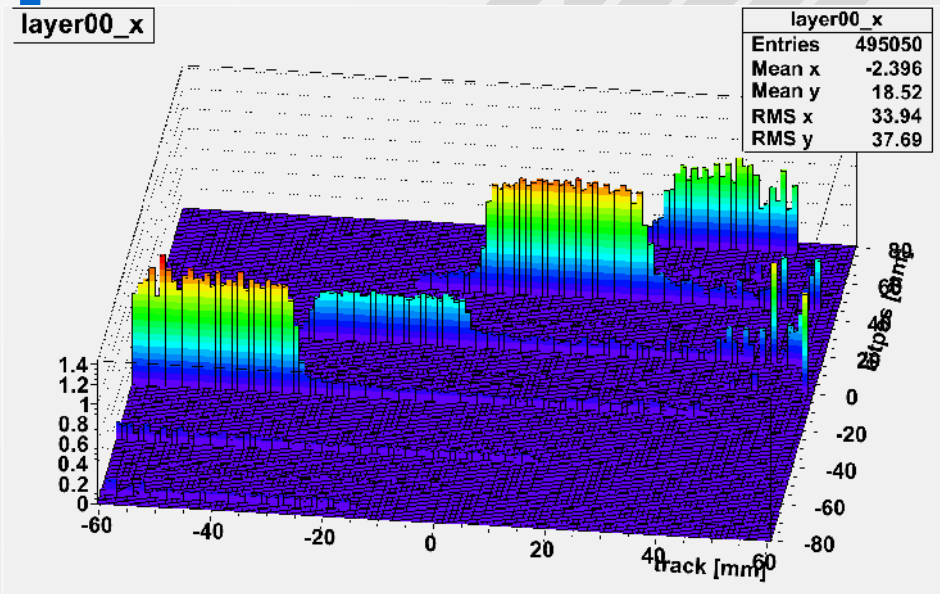
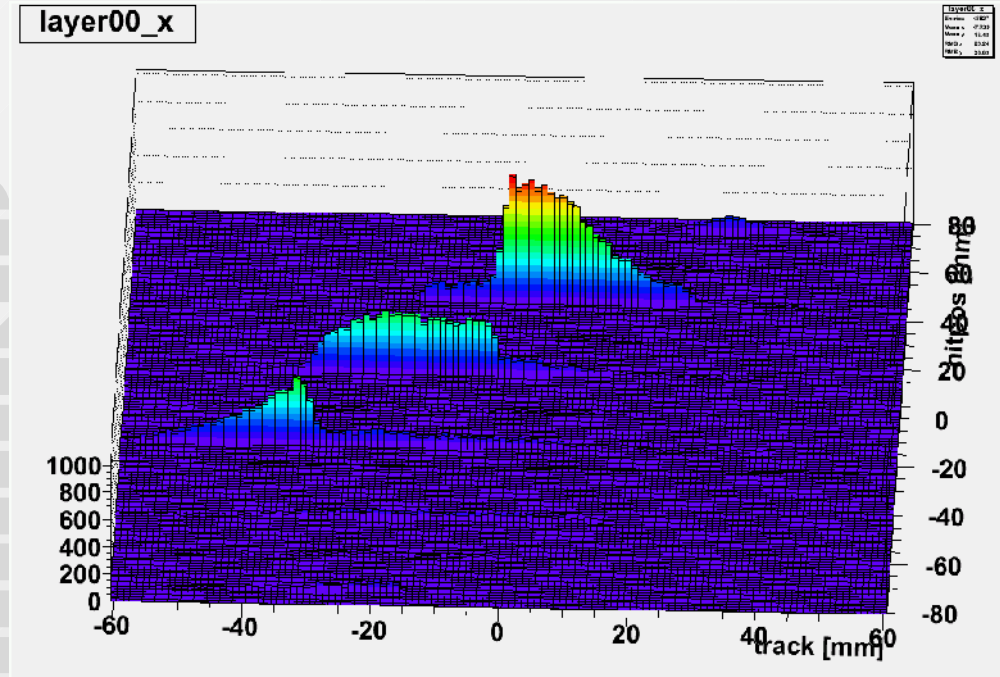
Use muons due to their clean tracks

- Correlation true position  $\leftrightarrow$  Hits in Detector for each direction (x and y)
- Step function due to discrete cell positions
- Fit of s-curves
- Center of cells in between



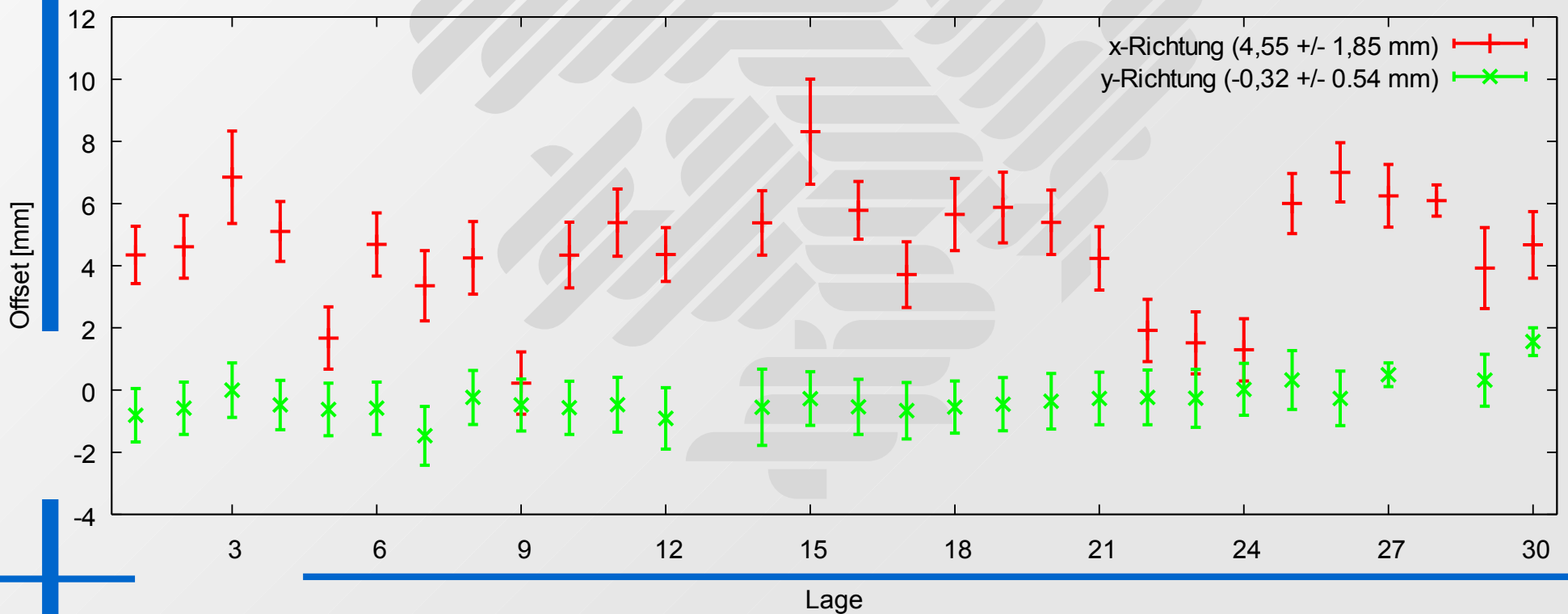
# Testbeam data

- Few steps due to beam profile
- Normalize to beam profile
- ... and to hits per cell



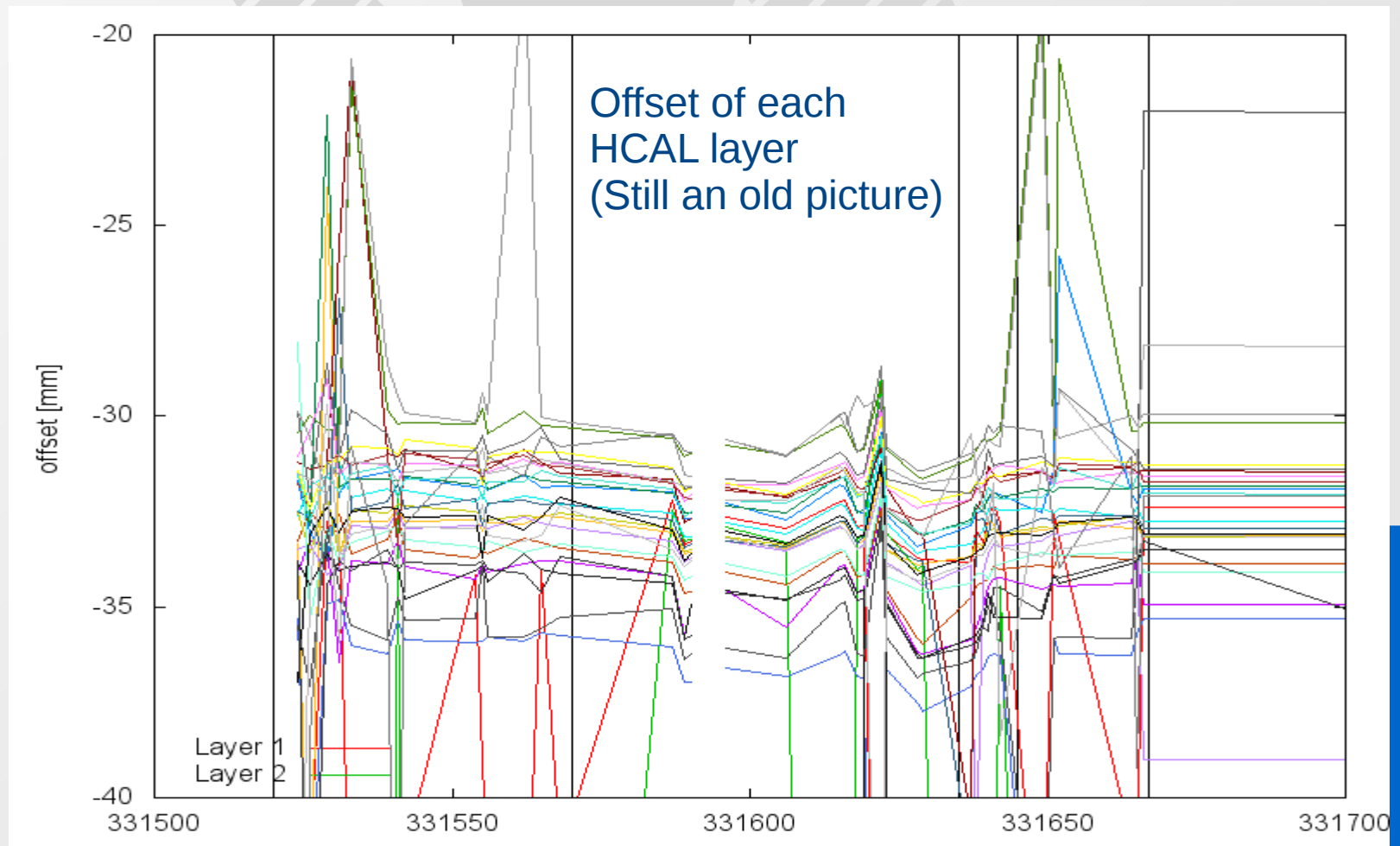
# Muon alignment (HCAL)

- **Horizontal Offset**
  - Spread: 8,1 mm (RMS: 4,6mm)
  - Assembly issue?
- **Vertical Offset**
  - Spread: 1,4 mm (RMS: 0,54mm)



## Muon alignment (HCAL)

- Muon alignment works for many runs – also pion runs!
- Inter-layer-offset almost stable – visible as ribbon
- Still some tuning needed for muon selection



## Status of Muon alignment

- Alignment is working fine for muon runs so far
- Also applicable to pion runs
  - Still needs some tuning
  - Lower statistics
- Identify and concatenate runs with same offsets
- Fix and write to database

## Outlook

- Muon alignment also possible for TCMT
- So far, only ECAL&HCAL of CERN'07 used
  - No track information for FNAL
  - Should be possible to roughly check data
    - *Consider beam at (0,0)*
    - *Compare ECAL ↔ HCAL*