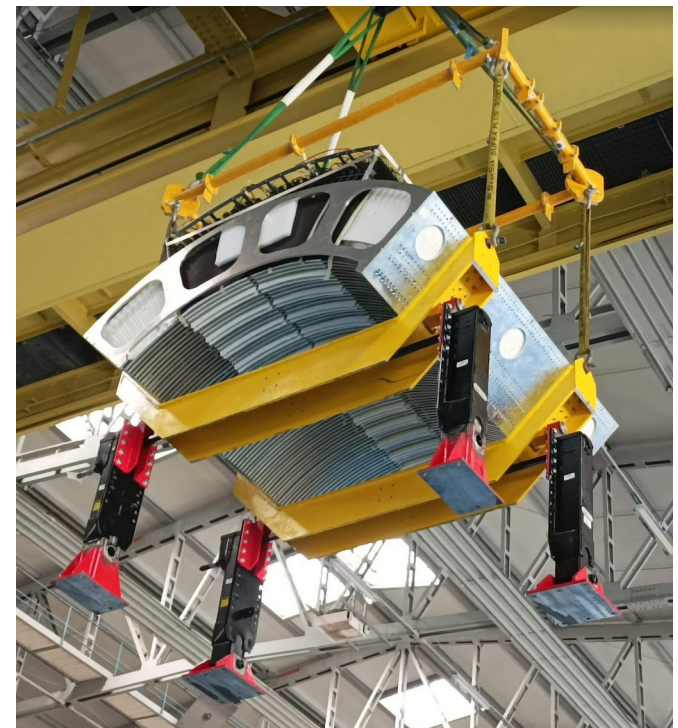


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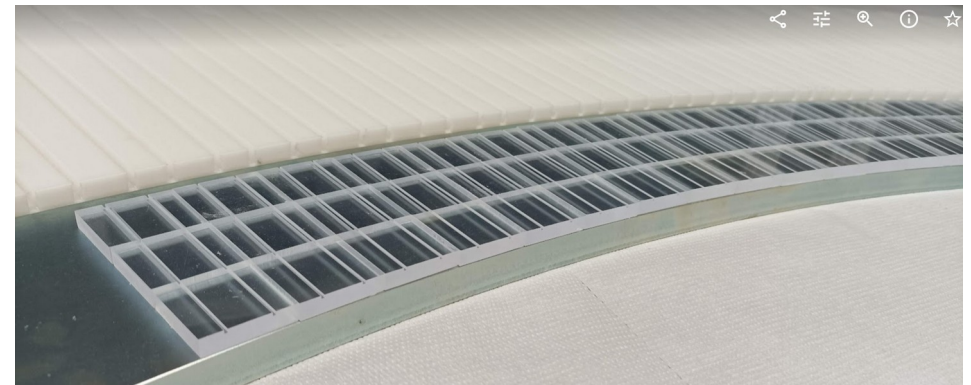
Padova Univ. and INFN
on behalf of the ENUBET Coll.

CERN- SPSC, 7 May 2024



Outline

- Summary of achievements, new studies
- Towards an implementation proposal: new directions within “Physics Beyond Colliders”

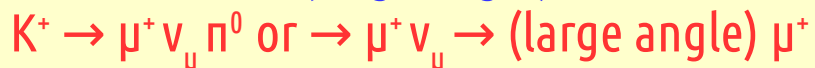
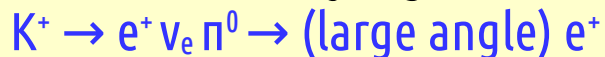


Monitored neutrino beams

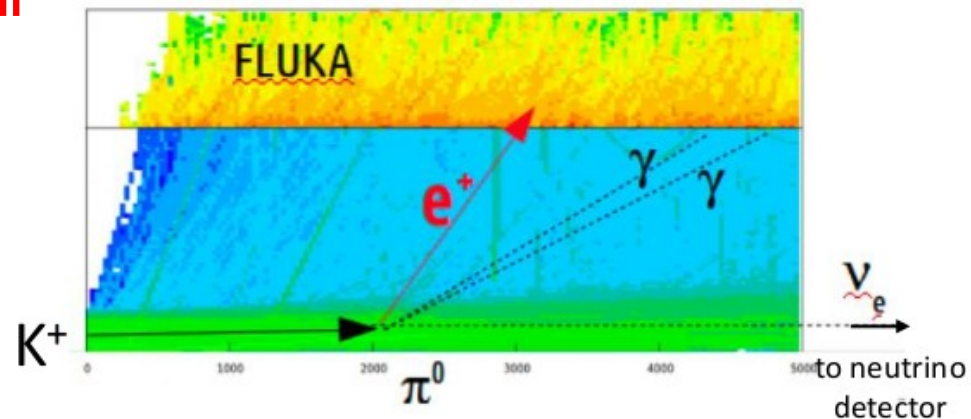
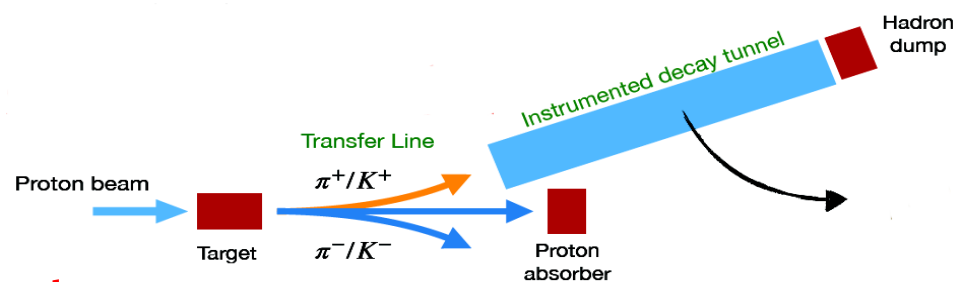
ENUBET the first “monitored neutrino beam”:

the production of neutrino-associated leptons is monitored at single particle level in an instrumented decay region

- Instrumented decay region



- ν_e and ν_μ flux prediction from e^+/μ^+ rates



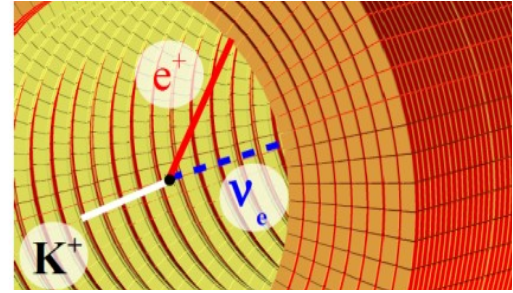
- Needs a collimated momentum-selected hadron beam → **only the decay products hit the tagger**
→ manageable rates and irradiation in the detectors
- Needs a “short”, 40 m, decay region : ~all ν_e from K, only ~1% ν_e from μ (large flight length)

NB: it requires a specialized beam, not a “pluggable” technology for existing super-beams (unfortunately!)

Project development

- A dedicated short baseline neutrino beam with a 1% precision in ν_e and ν_μ fluxes aimed to a refined near detector
- Reduce the dominant systematics on flux → precise cross section measurements → consolidate the long-baseline program with high quality experimental inputs

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ERC project 6/2016- 12/2022

Enhanced NeUtrino BEams from kaon
Tagging ERC-CoG-2015, G.A. 681647,
PI A. Longhin, Padova University, INFN



PI: A. Longhin, F. Terranova. Techn. Coord: V. Mascagna

- CERN Neutrino Platform:
NP06/ENUBET
- Physics Beyond Colliders →

Present collaboration: 74 auth, 17 institutions

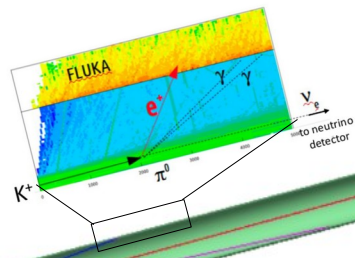


The ENUBET hadron beamline

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The name of the game: collimation and reduction of backgrounds from stray beam particles (“only decay products in the tagger”)

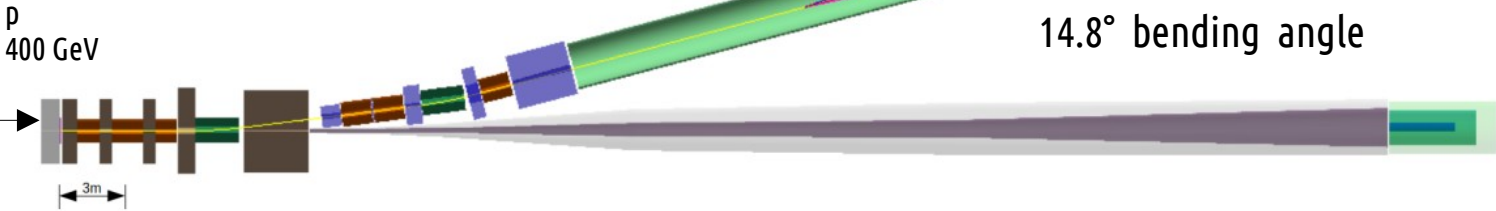


Design and performance of the ENUBET monitored neutrino beam

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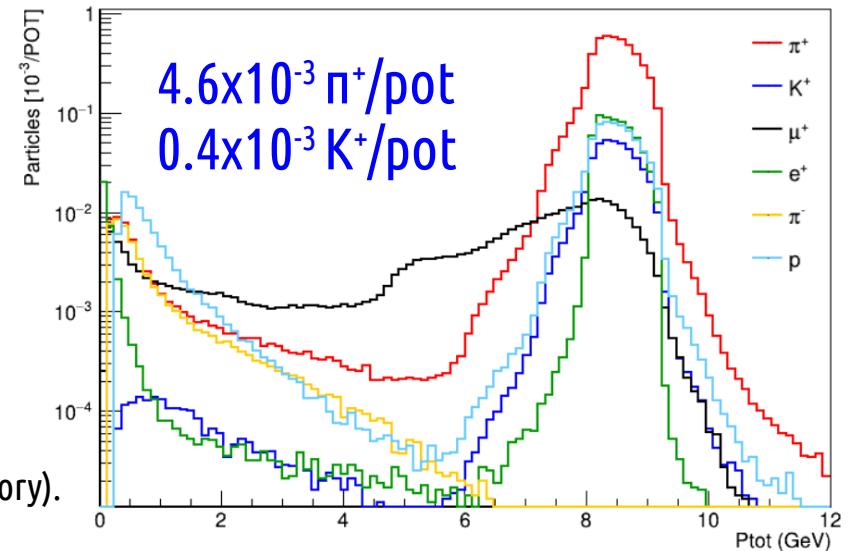
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- The baseline design has been documented in EPJ-C 83, 964, 2023
 - Uses existing standard (warm) magnets
 - Focuses 8.5 GeV +/- 10% pions and kaons (drives the ν spectrum!)
 - Target: graphite $L = 70$ cm, $r = 3$ cm (optimized)
 - W foil: downstream of target to absorb background from e^+
 - Inermet optimized absorber @ tagger entrance
 - p-dump: three cyl. layers (graphite core \rightarrow aluminum \rightarrow iron)
 - H-dump: \sim p-dump to reduce back-scattering in the tunnel
 - Simulation: optics optimization (TRANSPORT).
 - Particle transport, interactions: G4beamline.
 - Irradiation (FLUKA). Systematics (GEANT4, fully parametric, access to particle history).

Particles at Tunnel Entrance

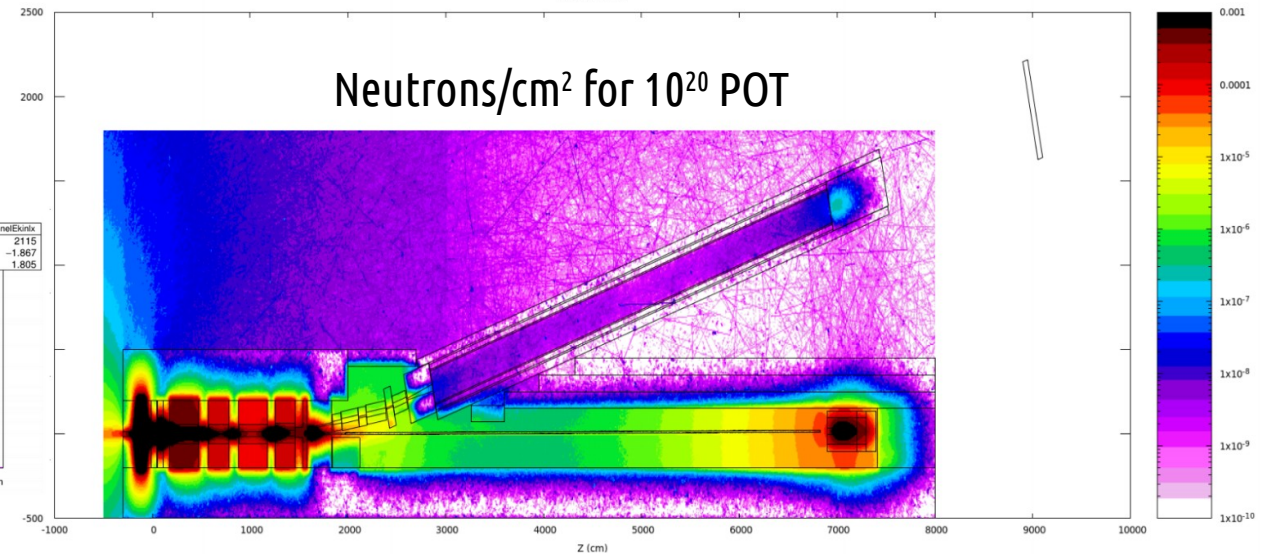
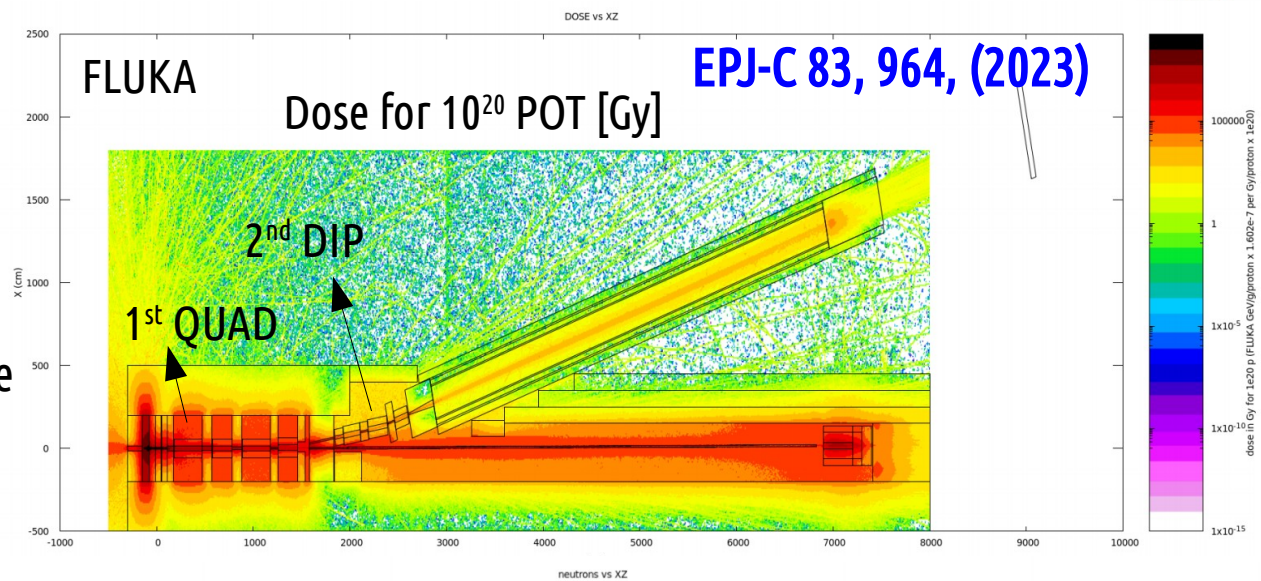
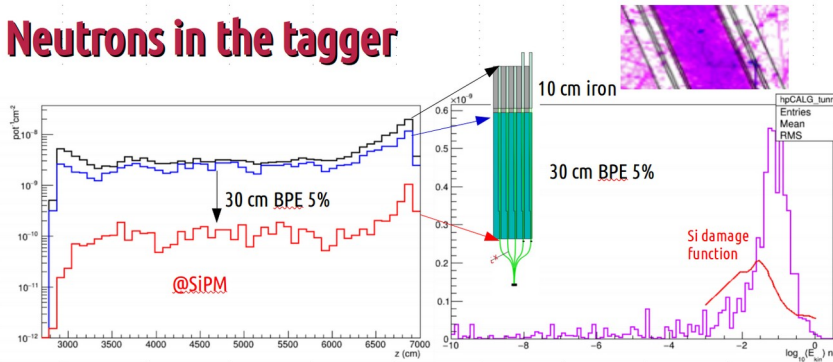


Irradiation/detectors

Dose is sustainable by magnets even in the hottest regions (<300 kGy/10²⁰ pot).

Neutrons simulations guided the design of the instrumentation → 30 cm of Borated PE (5%) added to protect the Silicon Photomultipliers. Good lifetime (7e9 n/cm²/10²⁰ pot). Accessible eventually.

Neutrons in the tagger

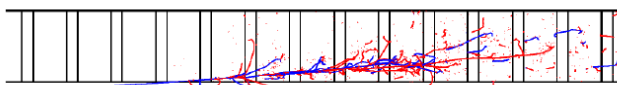


The lepton tagger

Light r/o (SiPM)

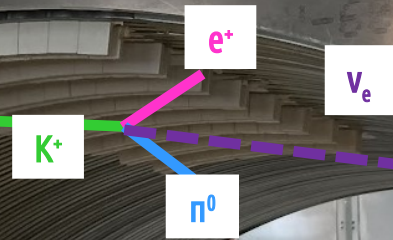
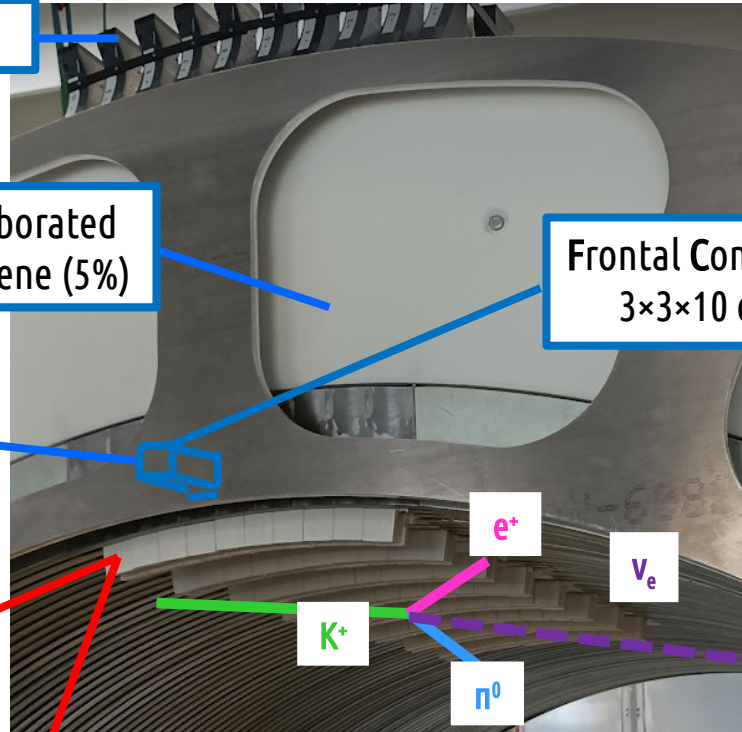
Calorimeter

Longitudinal segmentation
 Plastic scintillator + Iron absorbers
 Integrated light readout with SiPM
 → $e^+/n^{\pm}/\mu$ separation



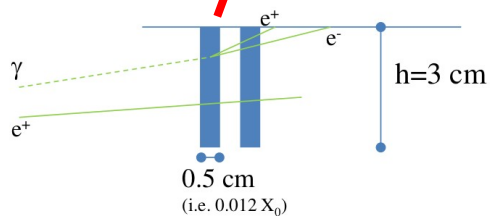
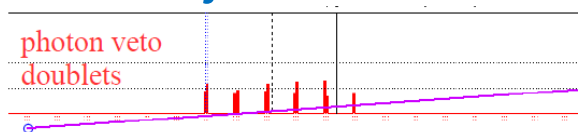
30 cm of borated polyethylene (5%)

Frontal Compact Module
 $3 \times 3 \times 10 \text{ cm}^3 - 4.3 X_0$



Integrated photon veto

Plastic scintillators rings of $3 \times 3 \text{ cm}^2$ pads
 → n^0 rejection



Lepton reconstruction in the tagger

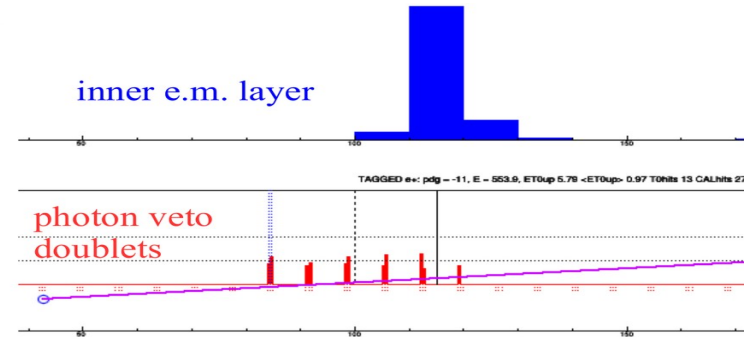
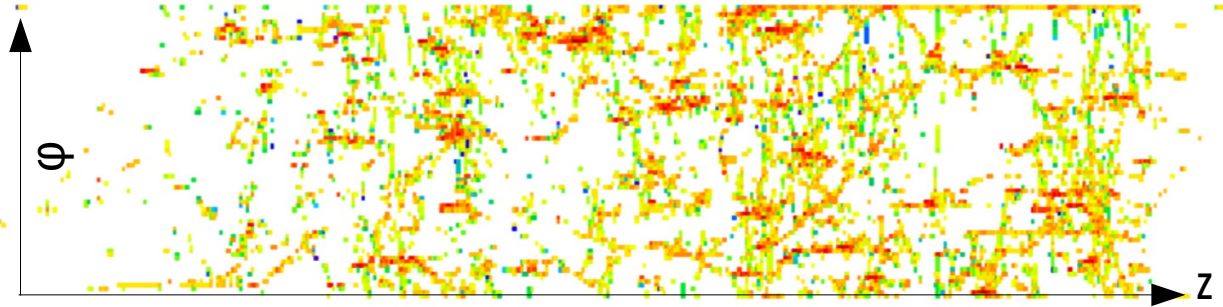
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GEANT4 simulation of the detector, validated by prototype tests at CERN

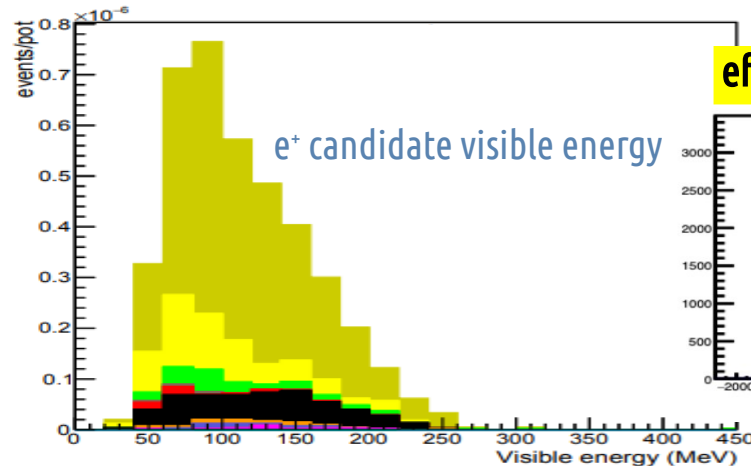
Event building: clustering of cells in space and time (accounting for pile-up) → PID with a Multilayer Perceptron.

Hit map for e^+

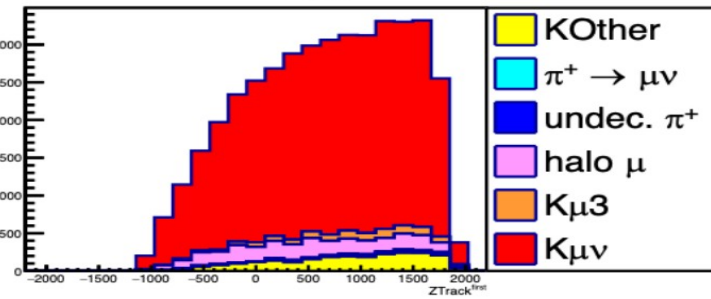


$K_{e3} e^+$: efficiency $\sim 22\%$, S/N of ~ 2

Half of efficiency loss is geometrical



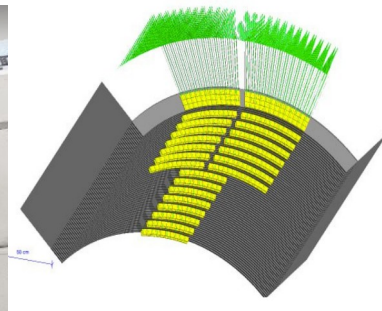
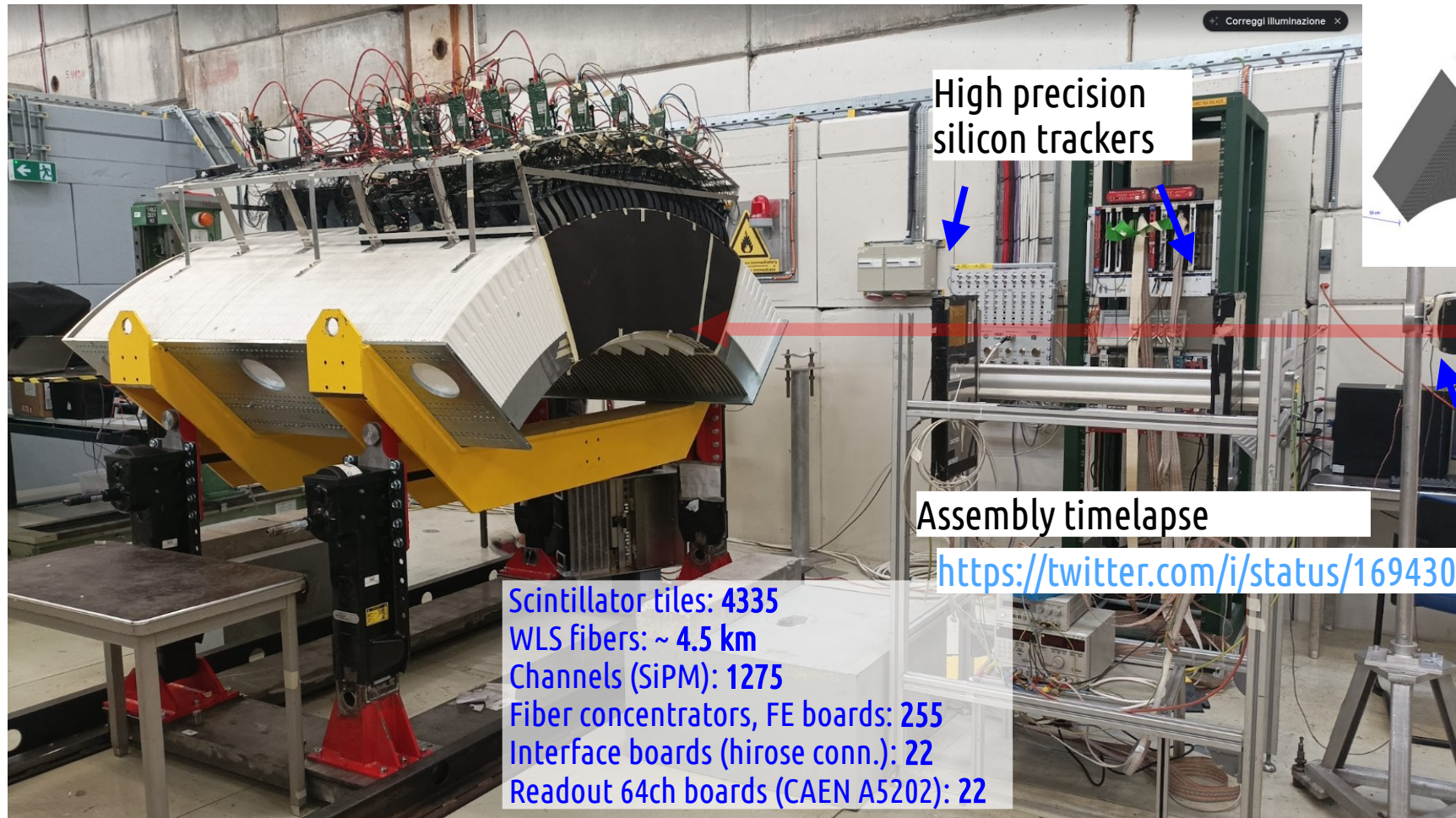
efficiency 34% ($K_{\mu 2}$) and 21% ($K_{\mu 3}$) S/B ~ 6.1



μ^+ candidate z coord (cm)

The ENUBET tagger demonstrator

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e, π, μ (0.5-15 GeV)

Trigger scint.

High precision silicon trackers

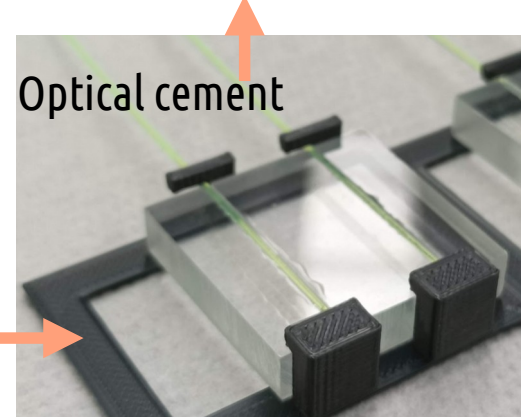
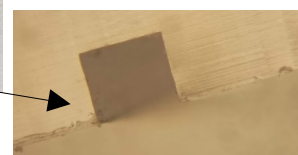
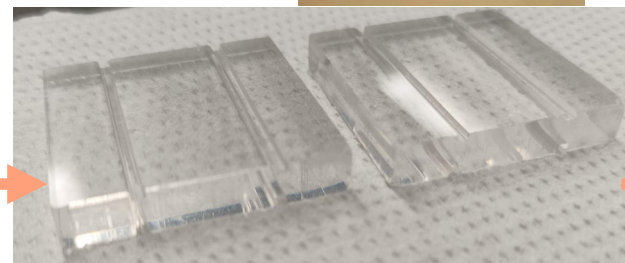
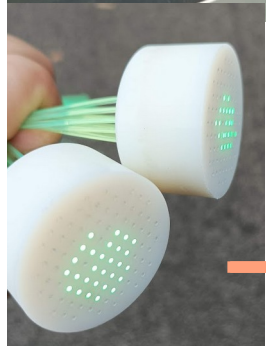
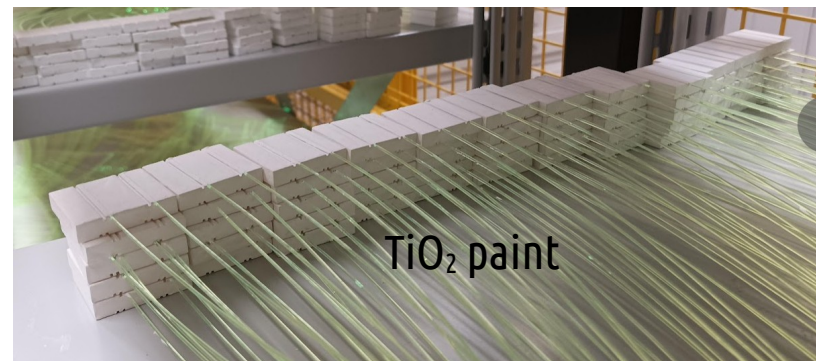
Assembly timelapse

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- Scintillator tiles: 4335
- WLS fibers: ~ 4.5 km
- Channels (SiPM): 1275
- Fiber concentrators, FE boards: 255
- Interface boards (hirose conn.): 22
- Readout 64ch boards (CAEN A5202): 22

The demonstrator detector technology

Commercial scintillator slabs + cutting/milling in Italy. Polishing, fiber gluing, tiles painting with personnel from the collaboration @ INFN-LNL



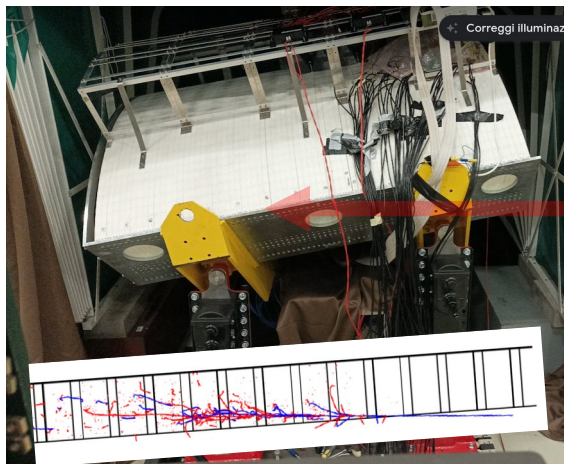
Polished WLS

Milled grooves

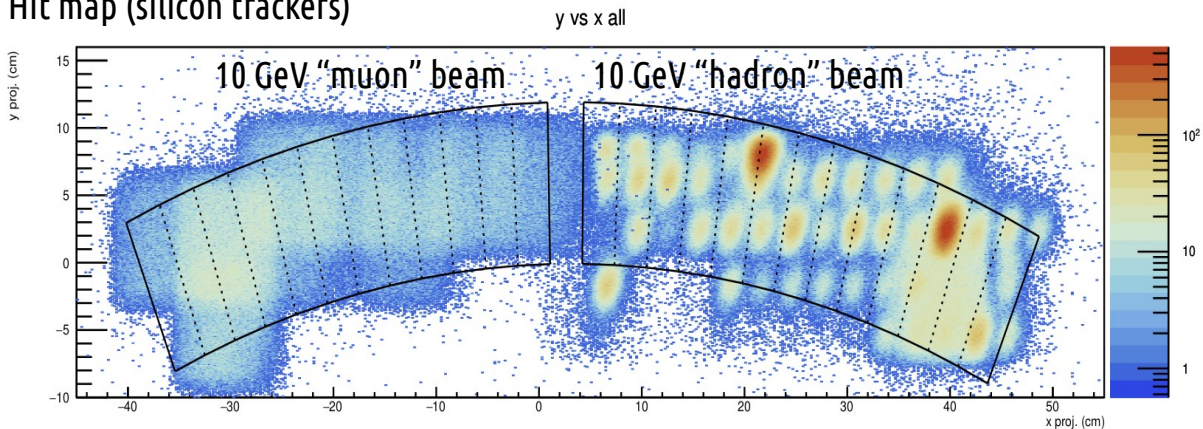
Optical cement

Examples: inclined and calibration runs

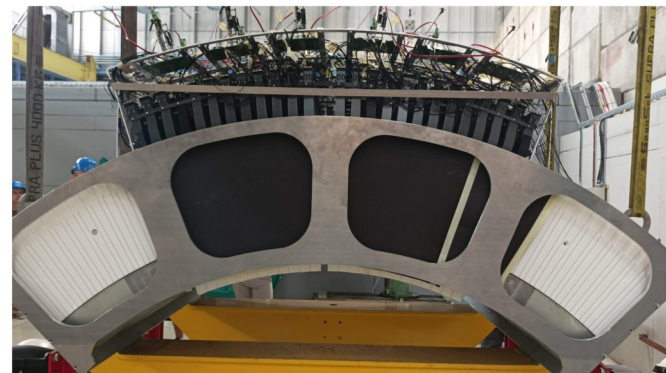
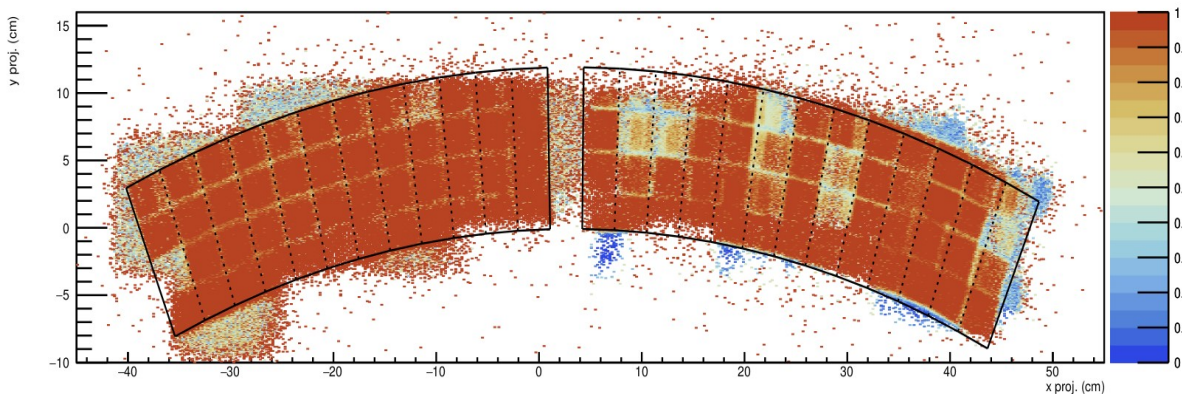
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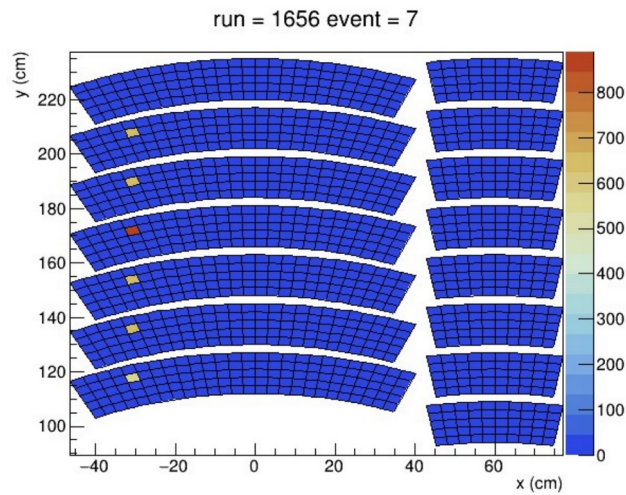
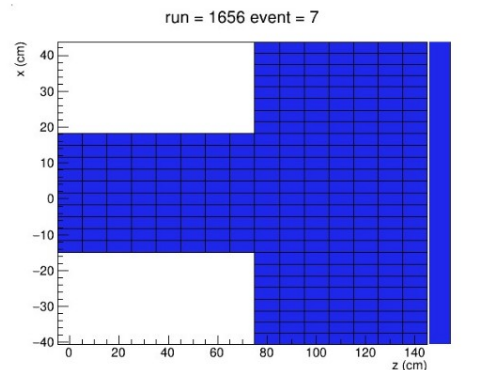
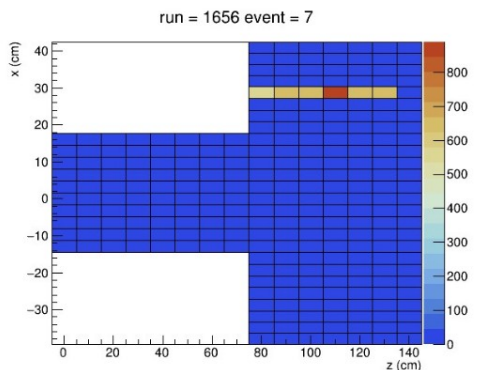
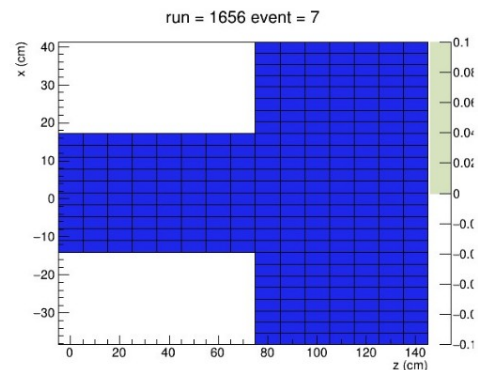
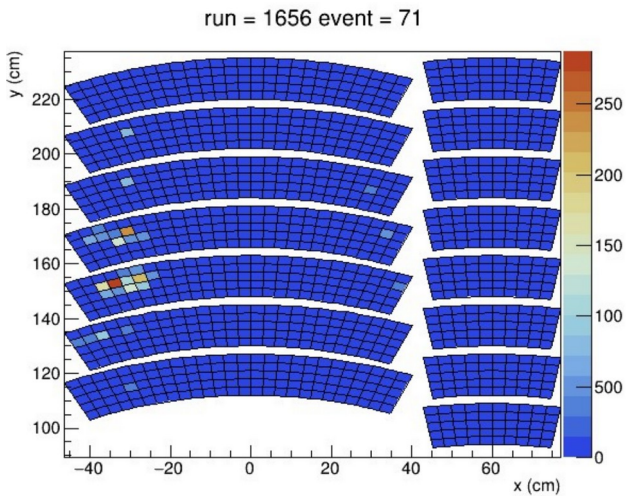
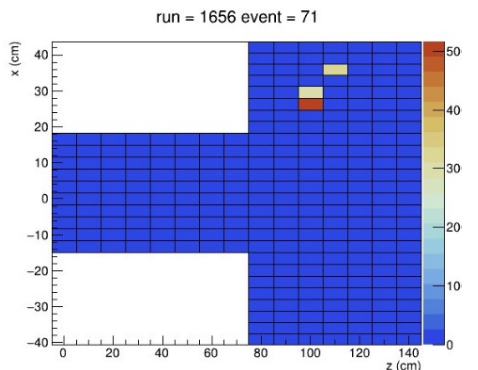
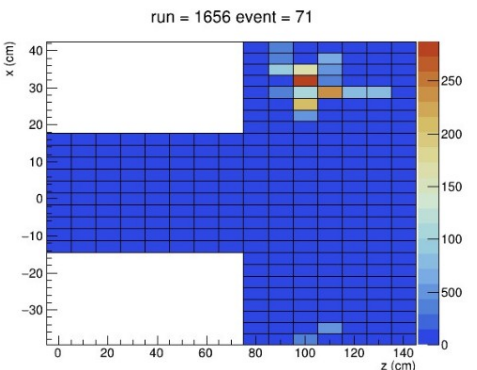
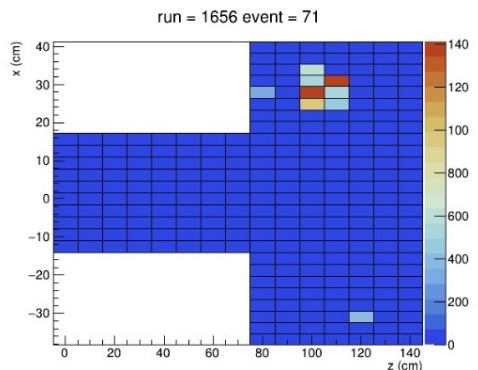
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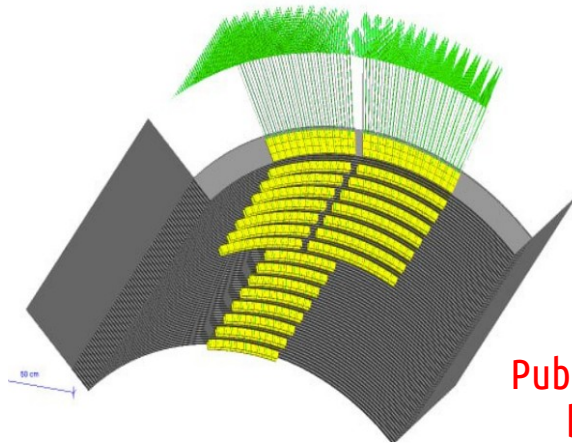
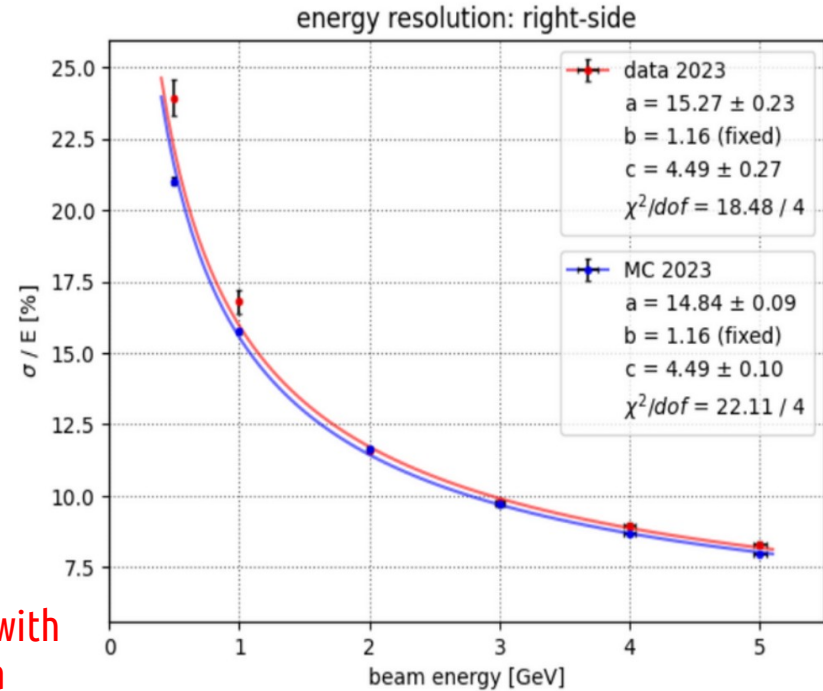
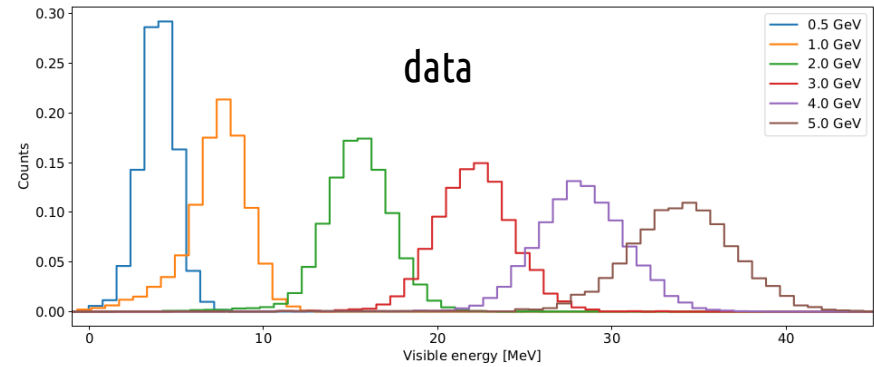
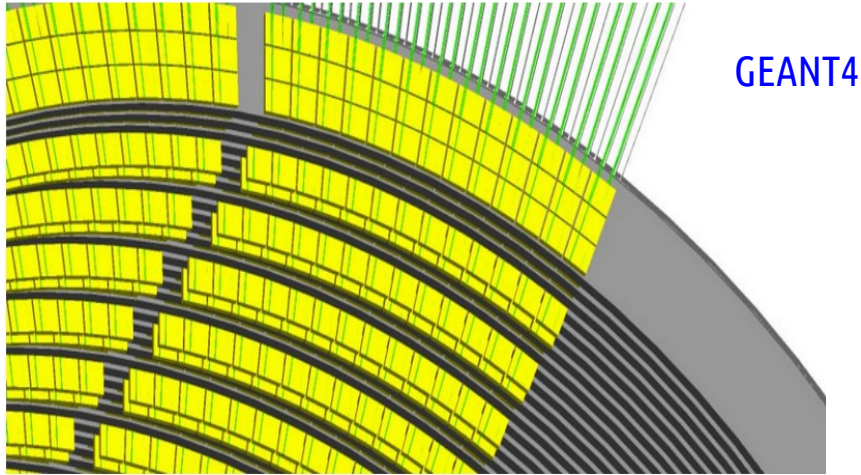
Efficiency map



Event display (10 GeV hadrons and muons)



Electron energy resolution

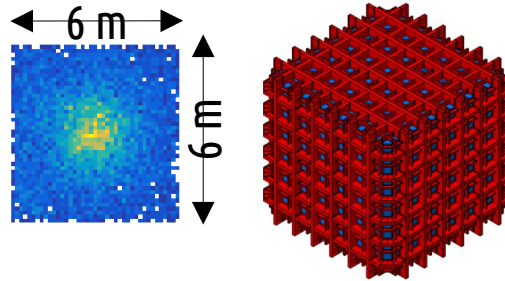
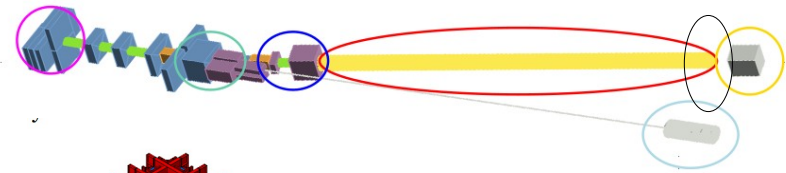


Publication in the pipeline with both 2022 and 2023 data

ν_{μ}^{CC} spectra at detector

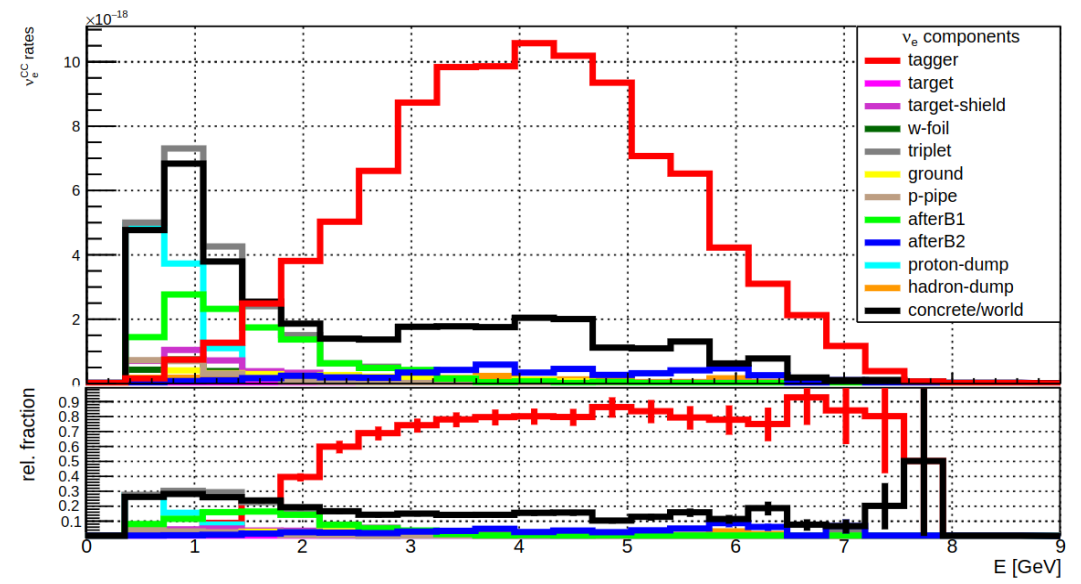
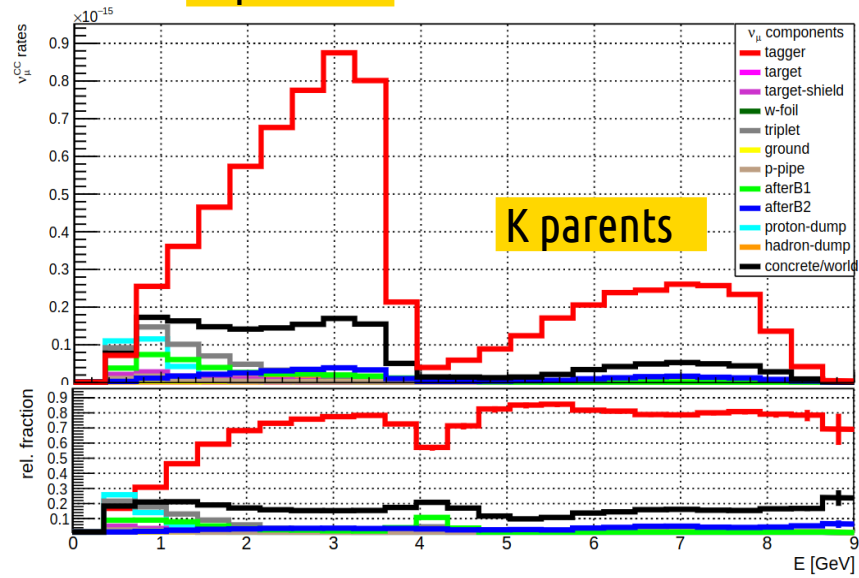
500t @ 50 m after the hadron dump
 @ 400 GeV \rightarrow $0.7 \text{ M} \nu_{\mu}^{CC}$ with $1e20$ POT

\rightarrow $10000 \nu_e^{CC}$ with $\sim 1e20$ POT

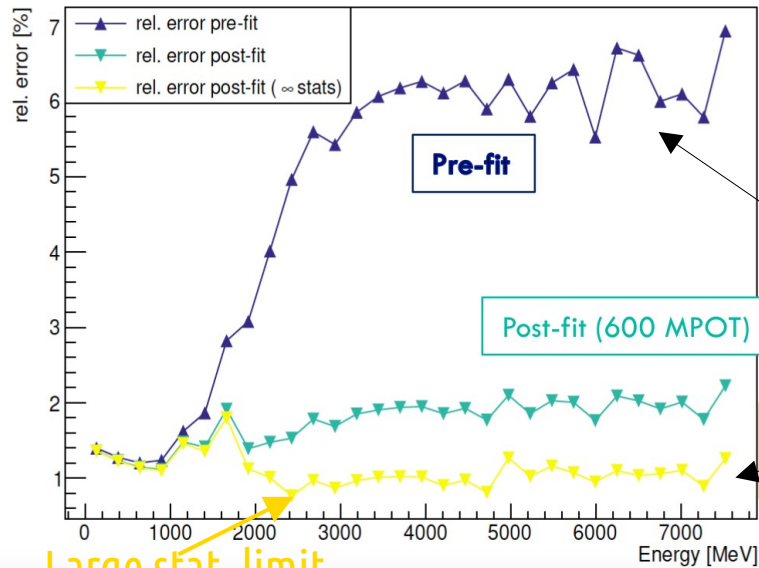
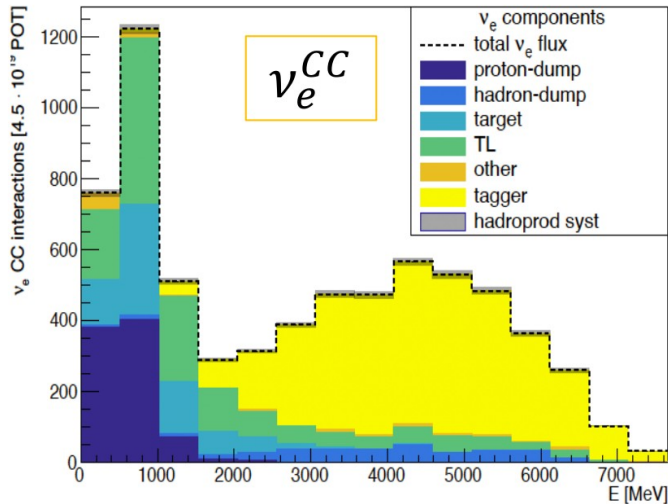


The protoDUNE(s) could be such a detector (an evident asset for a possible siting at CERN)

π parents



ν flux constraint



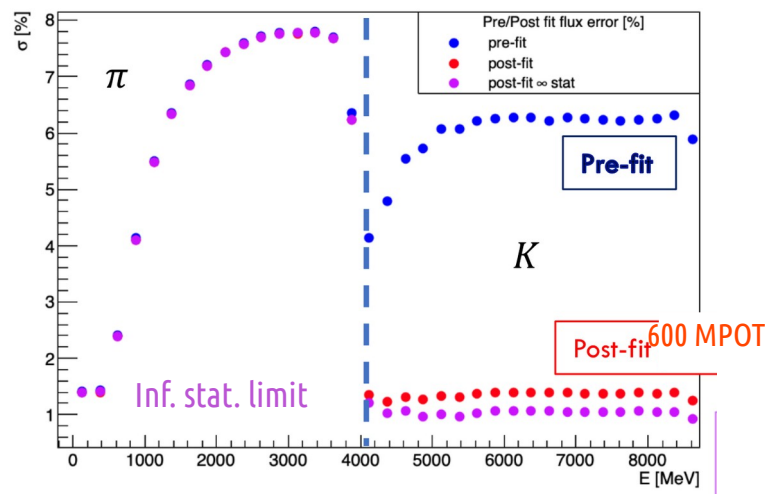
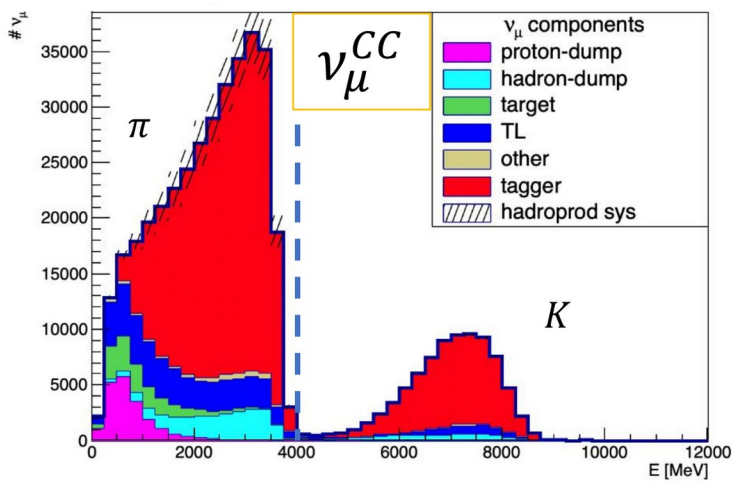
Before constraint:

sys. budget from HP (NA56/SPY data): **~6%**

After constraint (fit to lepton rates measured by the tagger):
Down to ~1%!

Large stat. limit

Full simulation data (beamline, detector, reconstruction)



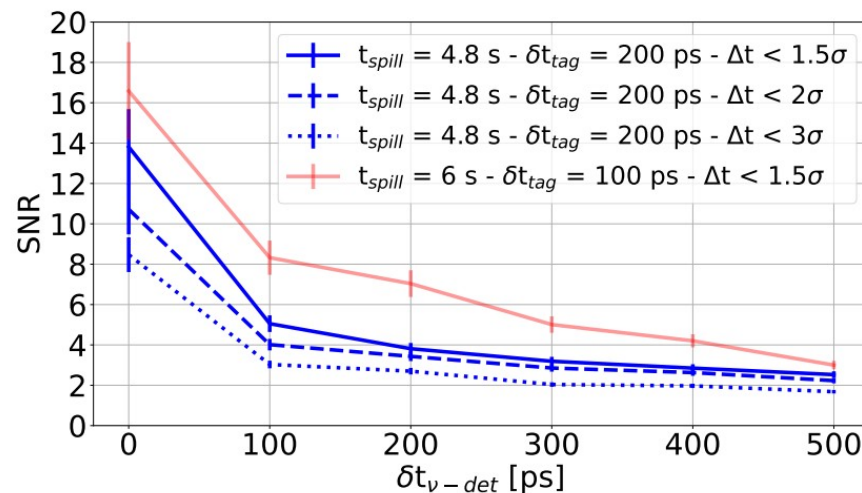
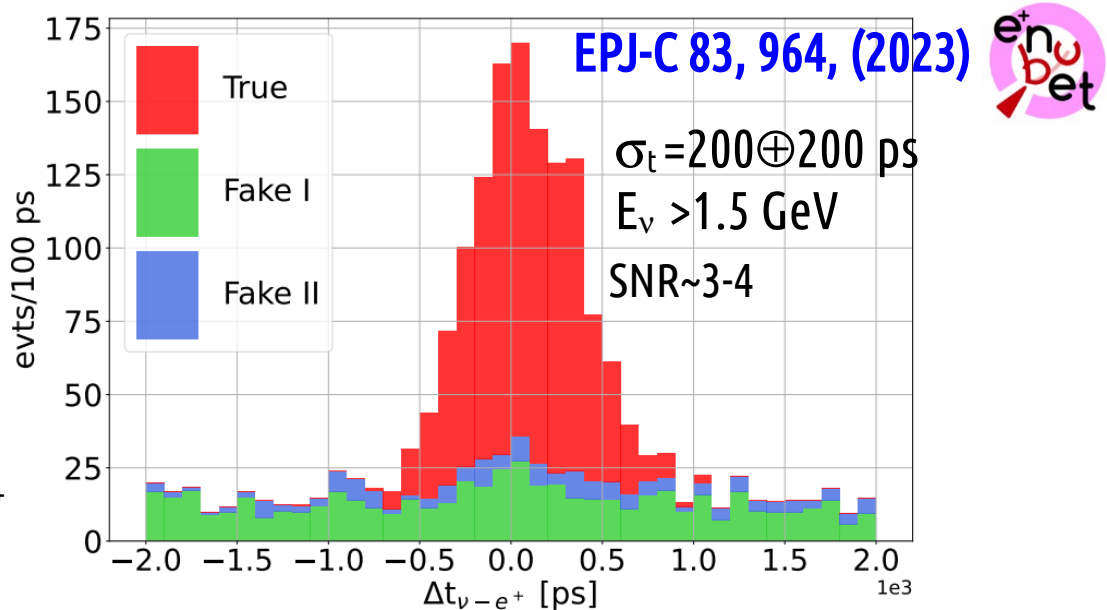
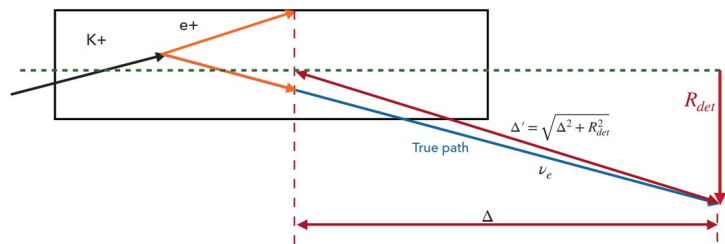
Reduction of hadroproduction systematics working for both ν_e and ν_μ

ENUBET & time-tagging

Exploit the **time coincidences** → improve the purity of the sample of associated e^+ for the subsample of the decays in which a ν_e^{CC} is observed.

By applying a cut on the Δt between the ν_e and e^+ candidates the SNR passes from ~ 2 (for the inclusive e^+ sample) up to ~ 10 (depending on the assumptions on the timing resolutions of the tagger and neutrino detector and the slow extraction spill duration)

$$\Delta t = t(\nu_e) - [t(e^+) + \Delta'/c]$$

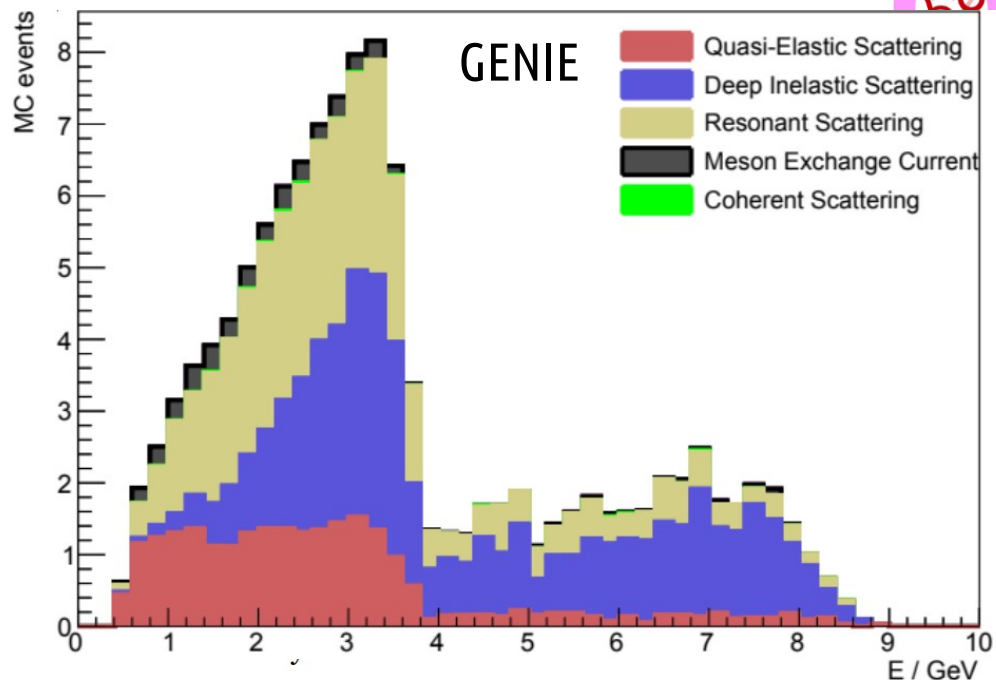


ν detector studies (ENUDET)

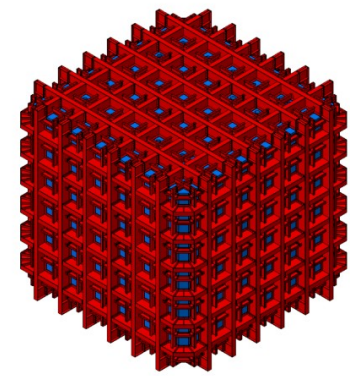
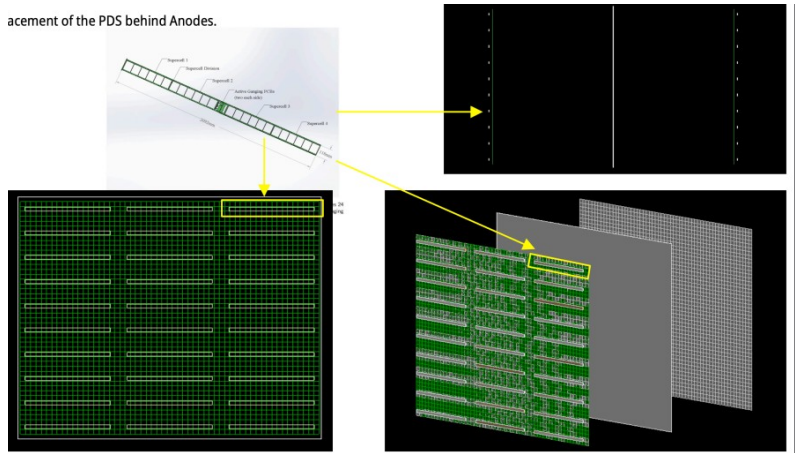
R&D being pursued by ENUBET together with the DUNE-SOLAR Coll.
 → instrumental in **exploiting LAr in a tagged neutrino beam.**

Dedicated task force (ENUDET) addressing:

- the **achievable σ_t of ProtoDUNE** overhauled for DUNE Phase II.
- **Enhanced photon detection system.** Improve time resolution for GeV neutrinos below 1 ns with larger light yield.
- **Simulation of neutrino interactions (GENIE)** and reconstruction effects (i.e. role of cosmic rays background). Assess the physics reach on the cross section for specific channels.



Placement of the PDS behind Anodes.



The PBC-SBN study group

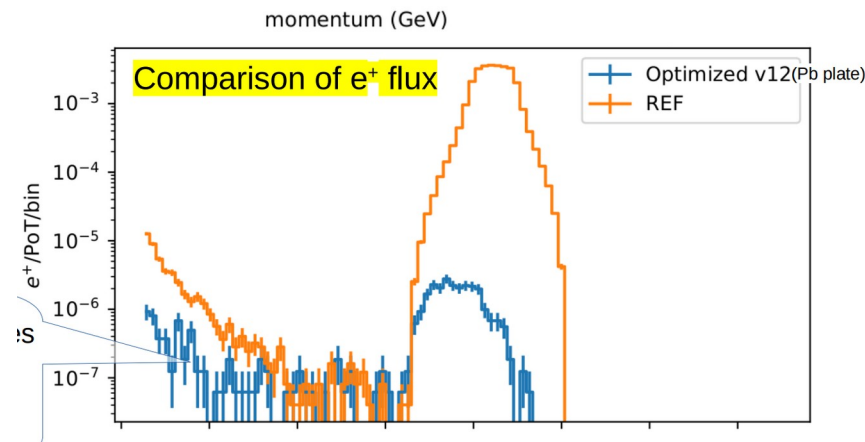
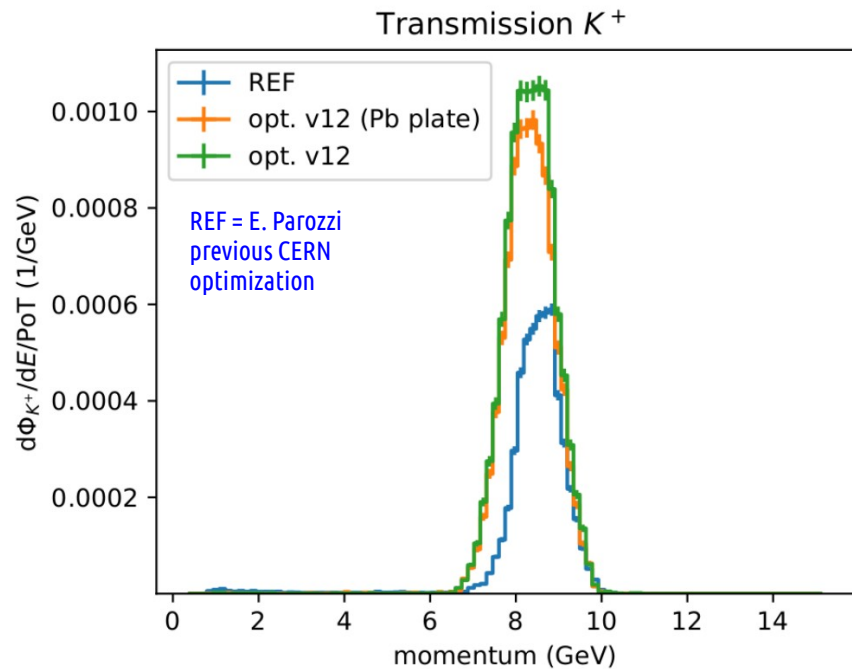
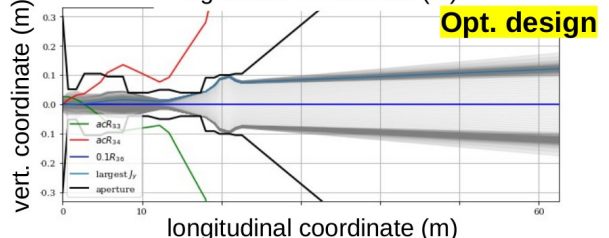
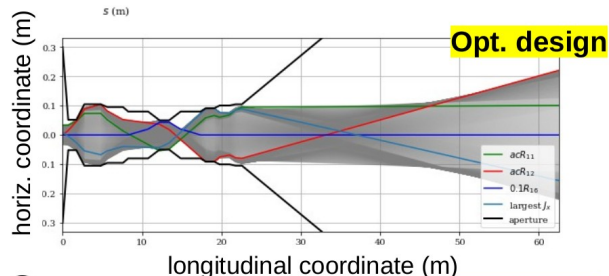
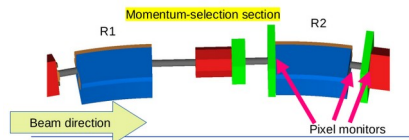
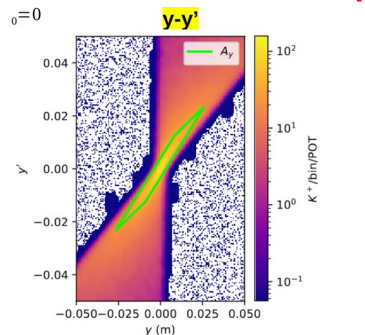


CERN Physics Beyond Colliders – short baseline neutrino (PBC-SBN) started in full swing in 2023
Inspired by the achievements of NP06/ENUBET. It **enhances its physics reach** by addressing:

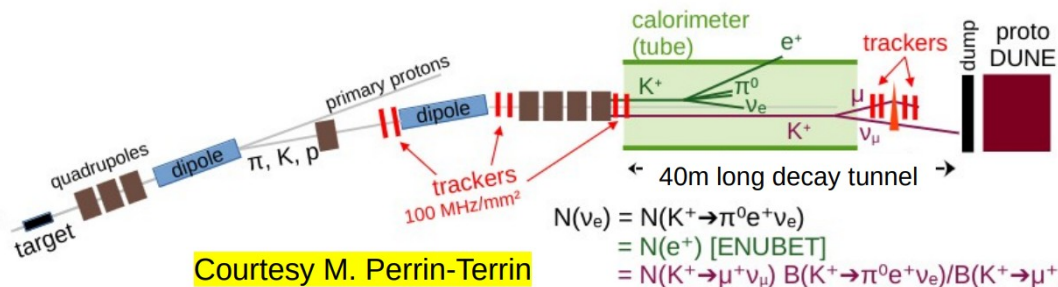
- A conceptual level feasibility study: possible locations at CERN, constraints, costs
→ a beamline **compatible with the CERN fixed target programme** (more ν with less p)?
- High-precision measurements of E_ν through meson tracking inside the beamline: **NUTAG**
meson tracking using fast silicon trackers (NA62 and HL-LHC technologies) to enhance the energy resolution for ν_μ down to a few %, especially where NP06/ENUBET is less performing
- An extension of the monitored flux down to **O(1) GeV**
- These points motivated a **redesign of the beamline**:
 - more “**cost-effective**” in terms of proton economics.
 - flexible for focusing mesons **lower than 8.5 GeV**
 - **regions at lower track density** where NUTAG trackers could be safely operated.
 - The ENUBET beamline was using existing North-Area quadrupoles with apertures < 15 cm while for this new study we assume slightly **more “ambitious” magnets**
→ solution could pay off in terms of a shorter data taking.

The PBC-SBN beamline optimization

- [link to the talk at the PBC annual meeting by M. Jebramcik 26/03/24](#)
- Analyzed 16 targets, 7 drift spaces, 18 quad. parameters (6 magnets with different length, aperture, gradient) → **26 free parameters**
- **Multiple (3) objectives:** K⁺ & n⁺ transmission as possible and the beam size has to be as small as possible in the momentum selection and the decay tunnel
- 1) Linear optimization with **multi-objective genetic algorithm (MOGA)**
- 2) Verification with a start-to-end BDSIM simulation
- Optimized beamline **7 m shorter** (from 30 to 23 m). Uses a CNGS-like target
- 1.2 cm lead foil in the middle of momentum selection to suppress e⁺
- **1.41x10⁻³ K⁺/pot → 3.5x improvement. Huge gain! → tuning of backgrounds with the full chain is in progress (→ iteration)**



NUTAG: pushing on σ_t (tagger) and $\sigma(E_\nu)$



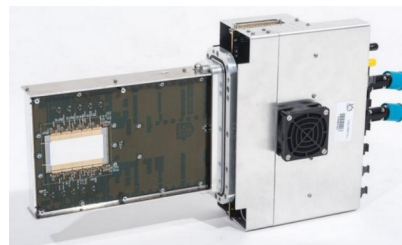
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NuTag: proof-of-concept study for a long-baseline neutrino beam

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	Available	Max. Radiation	Max. Flux
NA62-GTK	since 2015	$10^{14} n_{eq}/cm^2$	2 MHz/mm ²
HL-LHC	before 2028	$10^{16-17} n_{eq}/cm^2$	10-100 MHz/mm ²

NP06/ENUBET can associate **decay leptons** on an event by event basis.

NUTAG: use state-of-the-art silicon trackers with excellent timing ("4D") to also **tag the parent decaying K/pi**

Ideally suited for 2-body decays ($\pi_{\mu 2}, K_{\mu 2}$) to reconstruct E_ν

$p_{\pi/K}$ (parent momentum): tracking before and after a dipole
 θ_ν (with the interaction vertex in ProtoDUNE or WCTE)

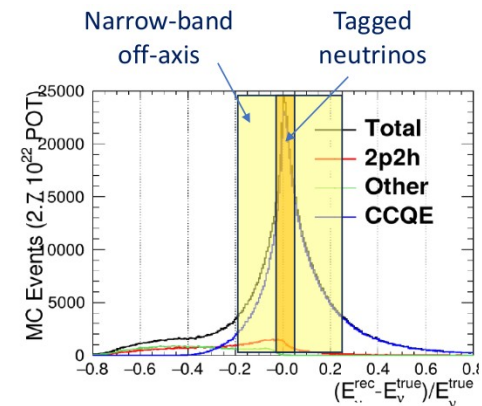
$$E_\nu = \frac{(1 - m_\mu^2/m_\pi^2) p_\pi}{1 + \gamma^2 \theta_\nu^2}$$

~ all ν_μ and $\bar{\nu}_\mu$ from 2-body dec. of $\pi, K \rightarrow$ large stats. **Low intensity runs.**

Flux of ν_e : inferred from knowledge of B.R.($K_{\mu 2}$)/B.R.($K_{e 3}$)

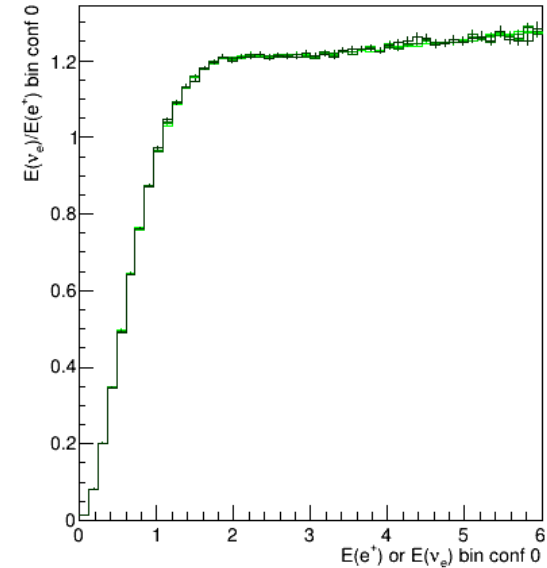
Challenging! Could provide E_ν resolutions at the % level.

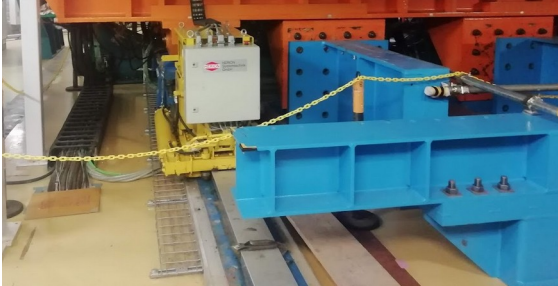
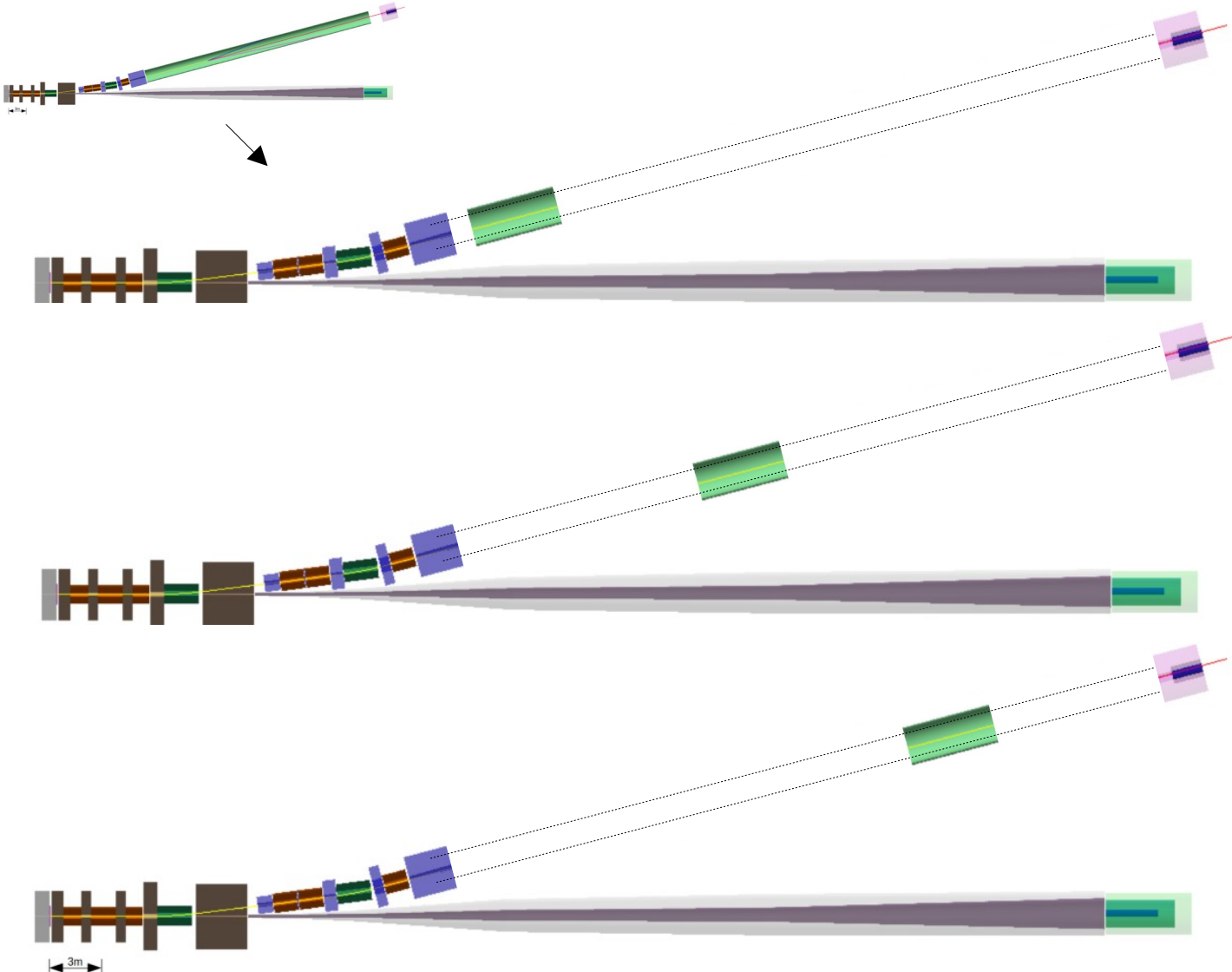
Work in progress towards a common ENUBET+NUTAG facility (\rightarrow PBC)



Remaining tasks (24-25)

- **Systematics reduction**
 - assess subdominant effects other than hadroproduction:
 - detector response (calibration and aging)
 - Beamline uncertainties (currents, material budget)
- Work is well underway. Publication by end of 2024.
 - will allow exploring the possibility of **instrumenting only a portion of the decay tunnel** instead of the entire 40 m
- Possibly with a displace-able detector to monitor - asynchronously - most of the decay region.



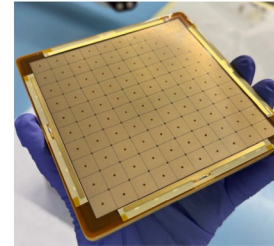
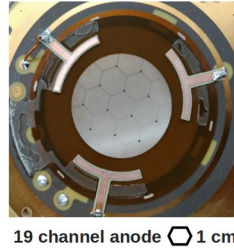
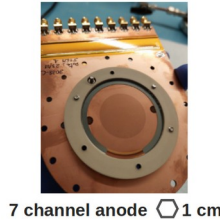
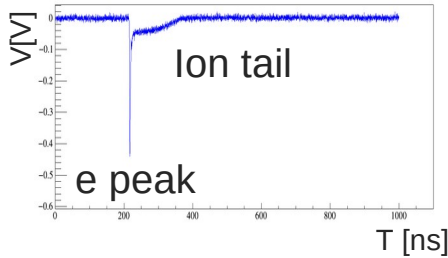


UA1/NOMAD/T2K magnet rail system

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Collaboration Meeting in Milano (Jan 2024)

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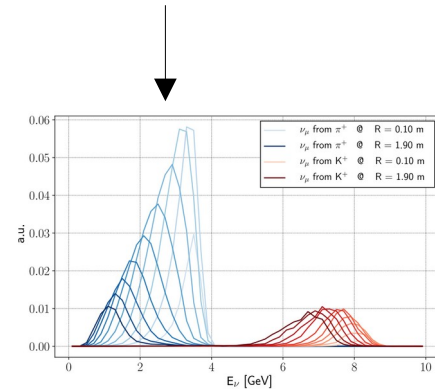
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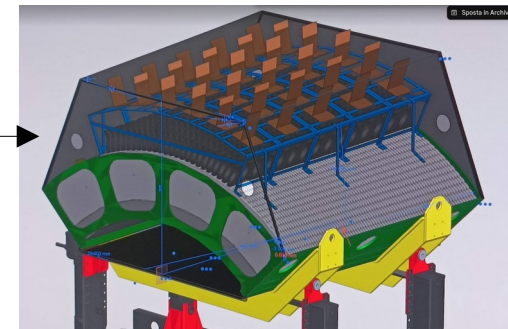
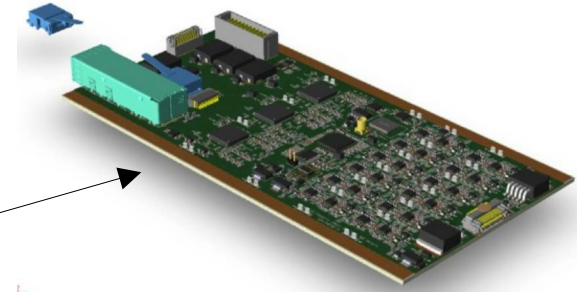
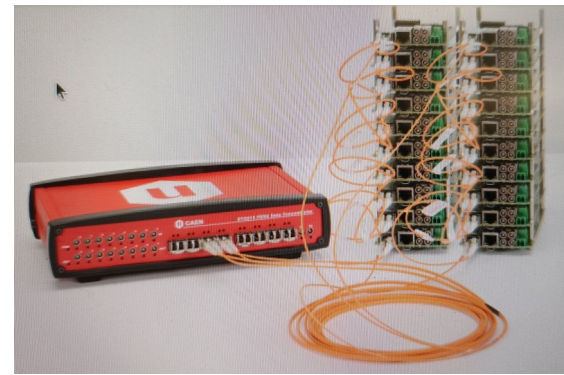
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- **Instrumentation of the forward region:** observe μ from π decays in the forward region \rightarrow **constrain low-E ν_μ component**
- Development of the instrumented hadron dump PIMENT (**P**ico**s**ec**o**nd **M**icrom**E**gas for e**N**ub**e**T), funded by the French ANR for 2022-25.
- Prototype will be tested **at T9 (ENUBET) & North Area (RD51) in 2024.** SPSC assigned 2-weeks in T9 for ENUBET in August 2024. We have requested the SPS coordinator to change this period to avoid a conflict with the RD51 tests.
- A joint task force for ENUBET@CERN and **ESSvSB+WP6** established in Feb 23: Athens, CNRS, INFN, Thessaloniki, Zagreb



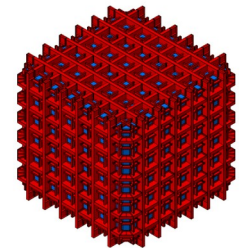
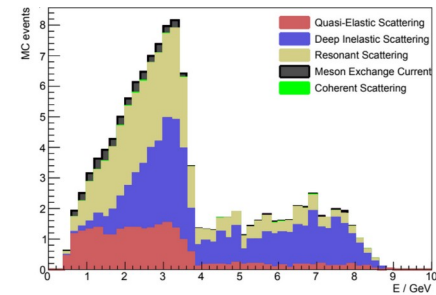
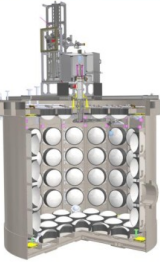
Remaining tasks (24-25)

- **Improvements on the Demonstrator**
 - **DAQ:** simultaneously read all LCMs, unlike in 2023 when we could only read 50% of the channels at a time (CAEN data concentrator).
 - a new **digitizer**
 - developed for the CTA+ SiPM camera at INFN-Padova.
 - Meets the cost and scaling criteria for both ENUBET and SBN@PBC.
 - Test on a subset of channels.
 - Improved **darkening with plastic box.**



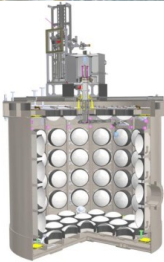
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- Given the remarkable success of the NP06 R&D, the potential **implementation of this technique at CERN** is being investigated by PBC
- also motivated by the anticipation of the European Strategy.
- **White Paper** for a new generation of high-precision cross-section experiments to be submitted to the **Strategy in 2025**.
- To achieve this objective, the ENUBET collaboration has intensified its endeavors to **assess the physics capabilities of the ProtoDUNEs for cross-section measurements**, with the intention of publishing a dedicated paper in 2025.



Conclusions

- Since our last year **lots improvements have happened**
- The results of ENUBET have been **consolidated**
 - **Beamline design → published**
 - **The demonstrator has been completed** (→ writing publication)
 - **Reduction of systematics works!** (working on publication)
- **Implementation study at within CERN-PBC**
 - ENUBET(+NUTAG) would be a **killer facility for cross sections**
 - Huge progress in terms of **reducing required protons** and simulation of the LAr **far detector**
 - Going towards a **robust proposal** within the **EU strategy timeline in 2025**



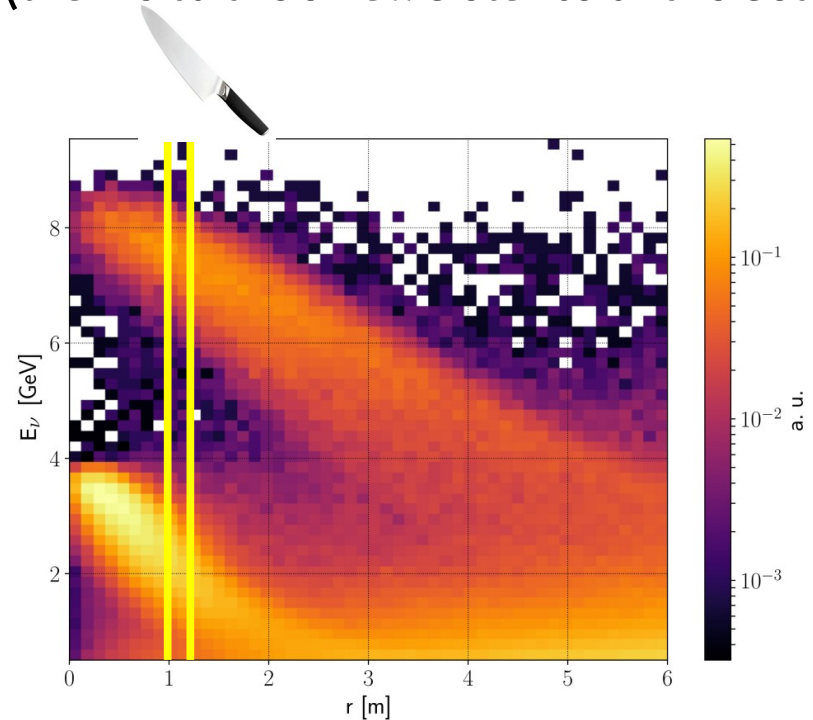
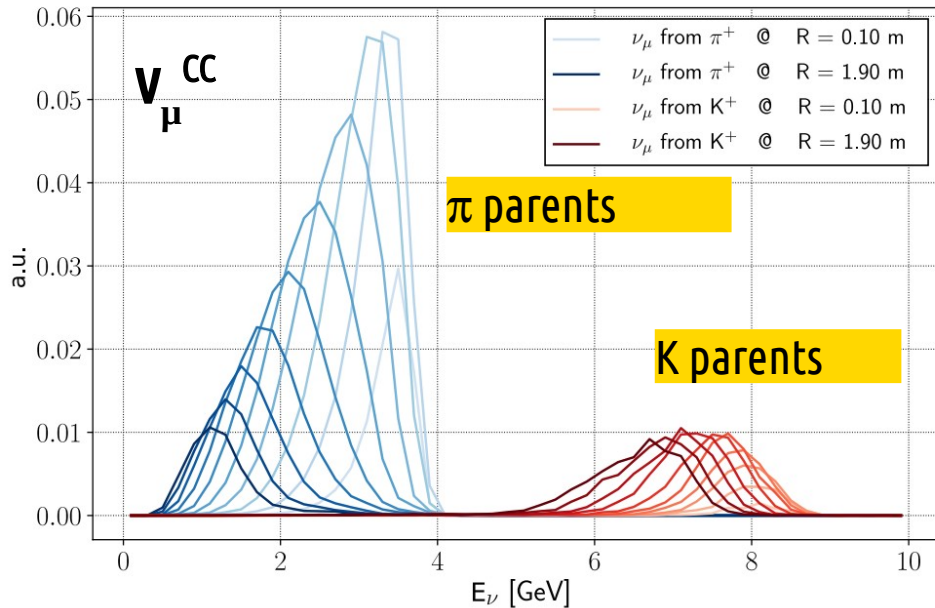
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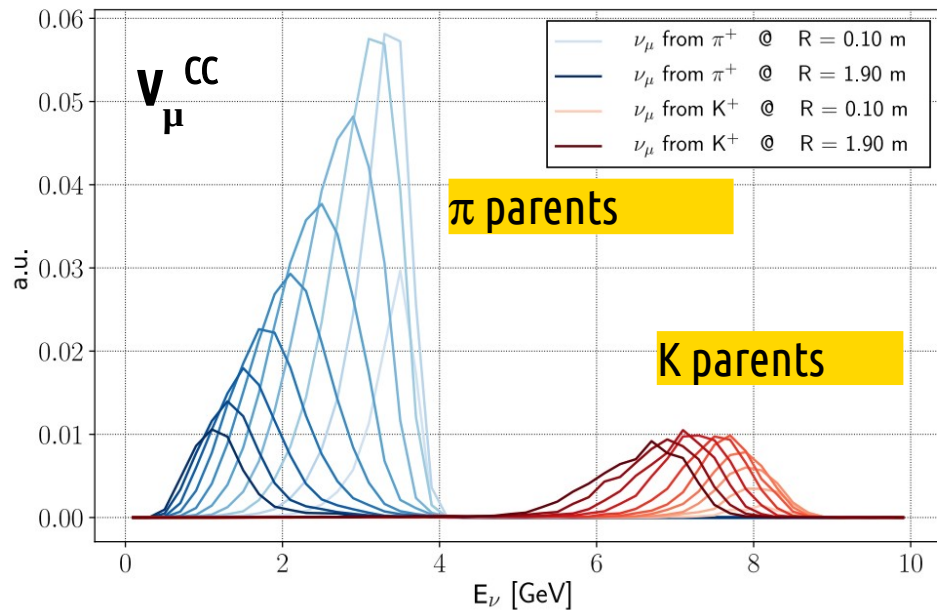
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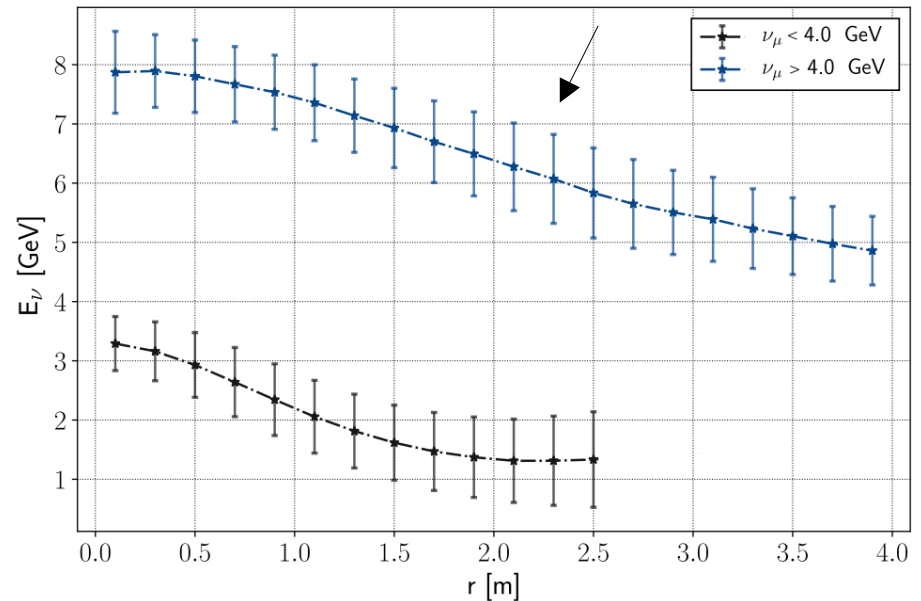


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Error bands visualize the rms of the energy distributions



Flux constraint from lepton rates → systematics reduction

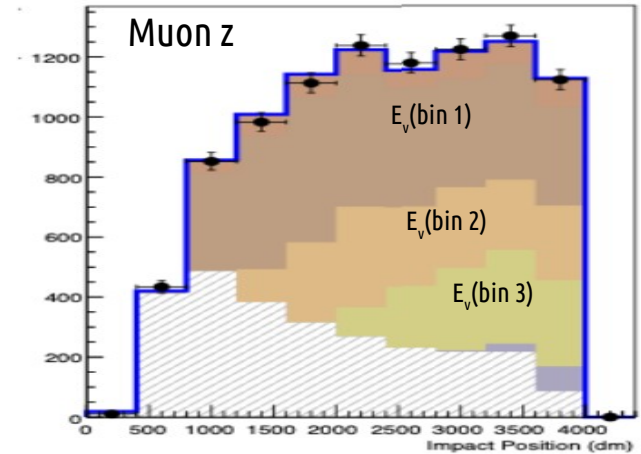
- Build S+B model to fit lepton observables
 - 2D distributions in $z(\text{lepton})$ and reconstructed-energy
- include hadro-production (HP), transfer line (TL), detector systematics as nuisance parameters (α, β, \dots)

$$L(N|N_{\text{exp}}) = P(N | N_{\text{exp}}) \cdot \prod_{\text{bins}} P(N_i | \text{PDF}_{\text{Ext.}}(N_{\text{exp}}, \vec{\alpha}, \vec{\beta})_i) \cdot \text{pdf}_{\alpha}(\vec{\alpha} | 0,1) \cdot \text{pdf}_{\beta}(\vec{\beta} | 0,1)$$

→ Extended Maximum Likelihood fit

Use a parametric model fitted to hadro-production data from **NA56/SPY experiment**:

- compute variations (“envelopes”) using multi-universe method (“toy exp”) for the lepton observables and the flux of neutrinos
- evaluate “post-fit” variance of the expected flux



Each histogram component corresponds to a bin in E_{ν}

ENUBET & time-tagging

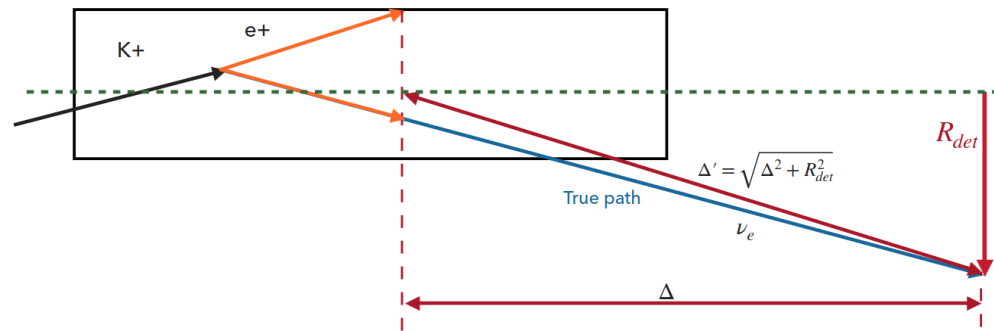
The goal of ENUBET (monitored beam): get a sample of associated leptons to constrain the flux. To do this an event-by-event information is needed. Timing has to be “just” good enough to limit the pileup (not too aggressive).

In the last EPJ paper we studied the time correlation btw K_{e3} e^+ and ν_e candidates with the full simulation (reconstruction, backgrounds) →

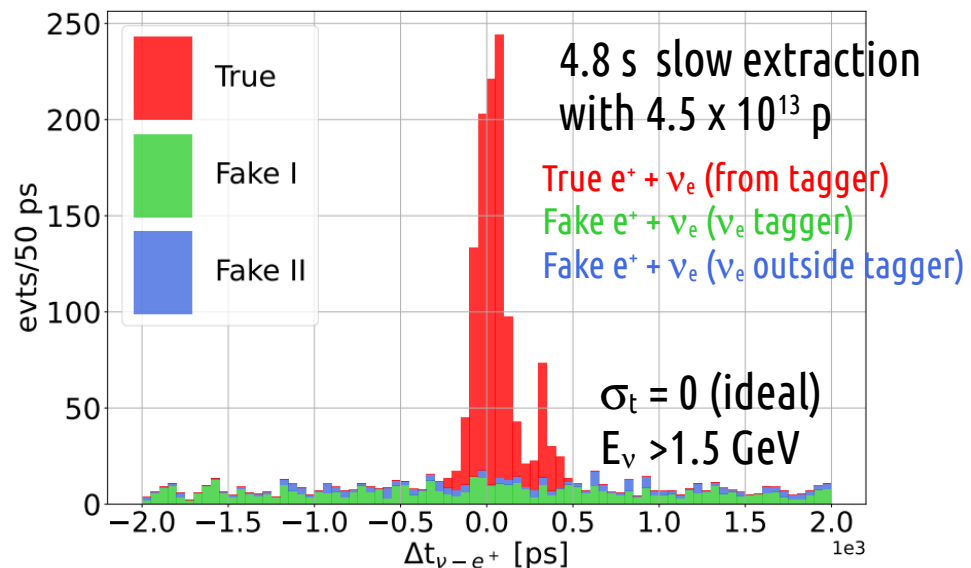
Difference in path between the e^+ and ν_e (decay vertex position is unconstrained → we assume e^+ and ν_e to be collinear) → “irreducible” time spread: $\sigma_{\Delta t} = 74 \text{ ps}^*$

(*) already corrected for the position of the neutrino vertex
 (**) could improve decreasing the tagger radius

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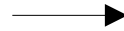


$$\Delta t = t(\nu_e) - [t(e^+) + \Delta'/c]$$



PIMENT and ESSnuSB+

New funding: PIMENT
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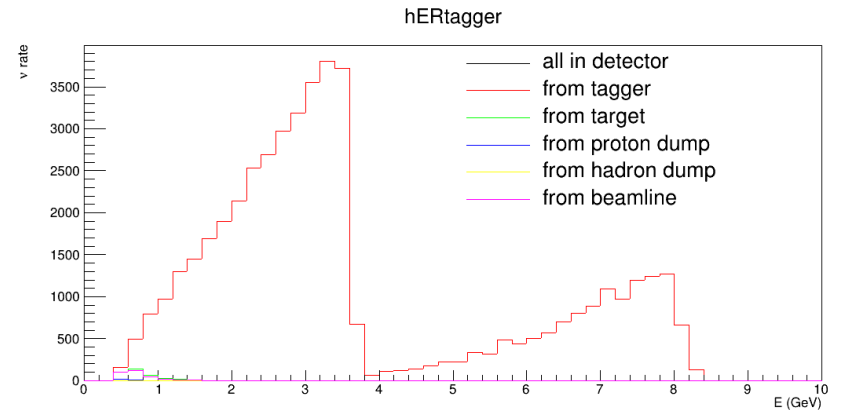
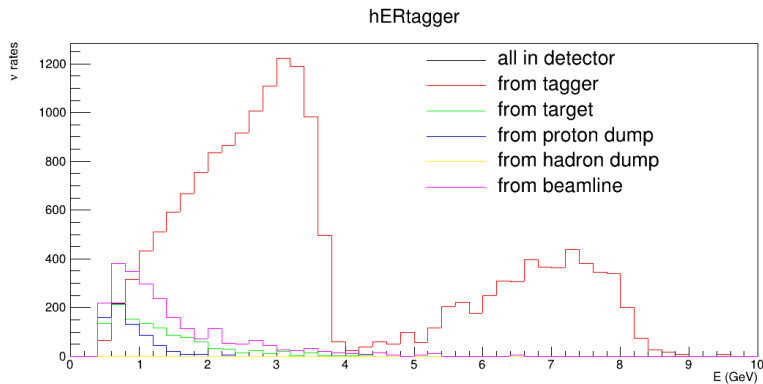
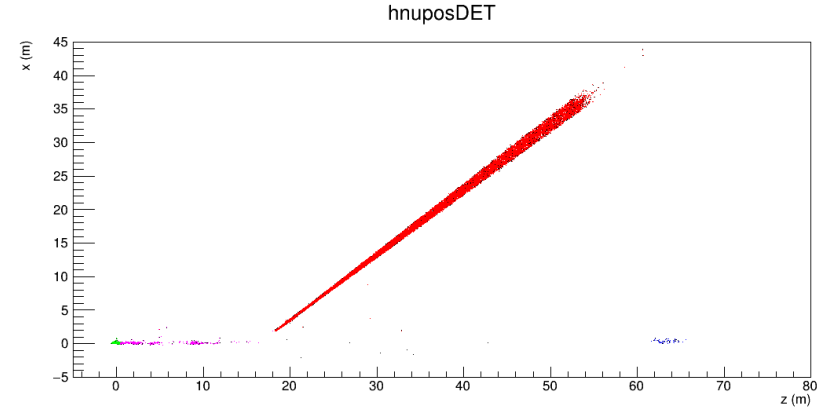
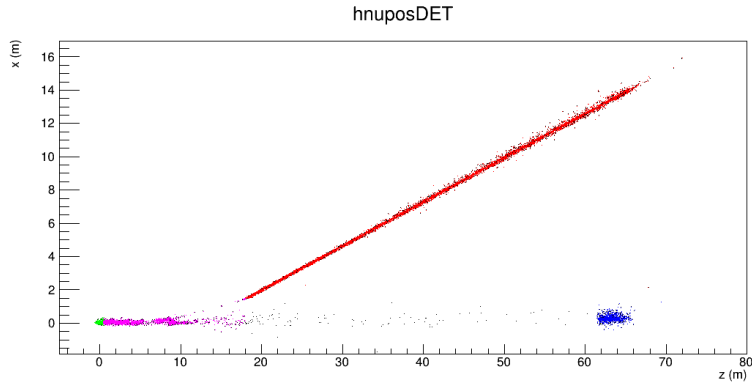
ESSnuSB+ WP6: could the idea of ENUBET be exploited also at the ESS proton driver using pions monitoring ($E_{\text{prot}} = 2 \text{ GeV}$) ? See dedicated talk at the dedicated workshop here:

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ν_{μ}^{CC} spectra at detector

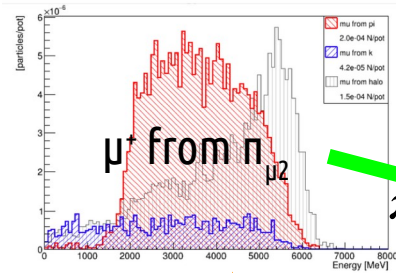
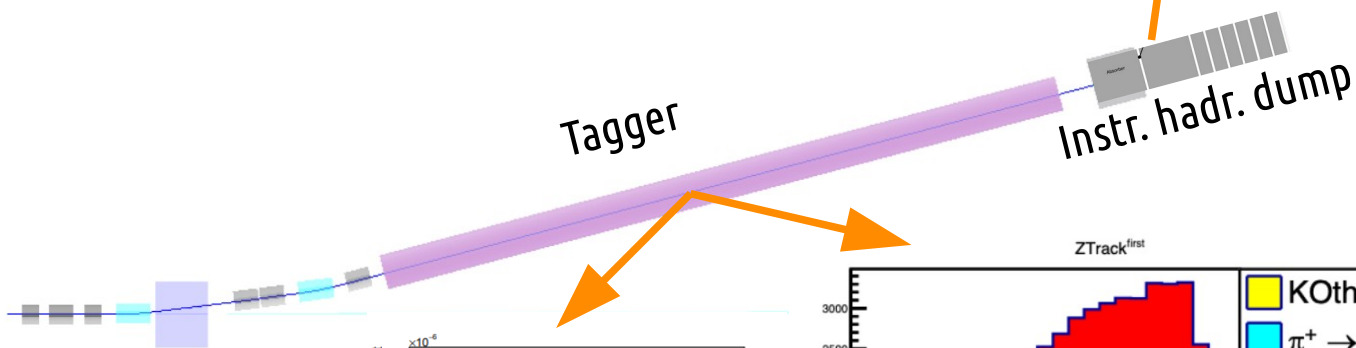
With a SC second dipole

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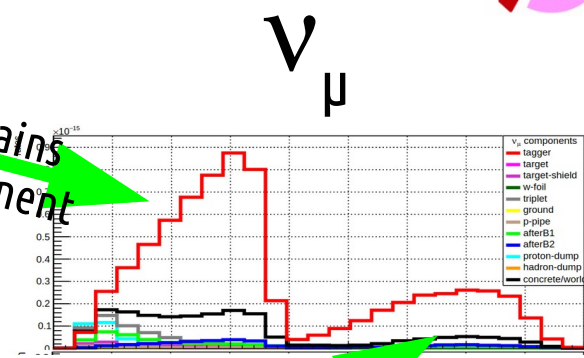


Overview on lepton monitoring at 400 GeV

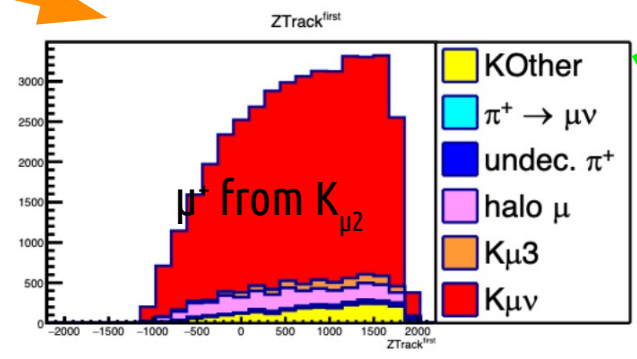
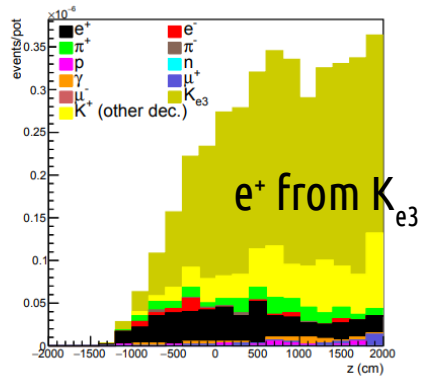
Tagger: leptons from K (ν_e and high-E ν_μ)
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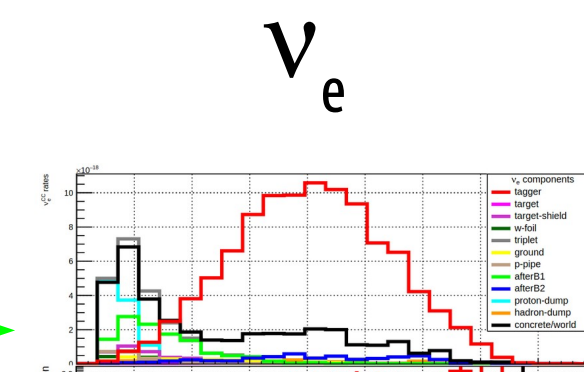
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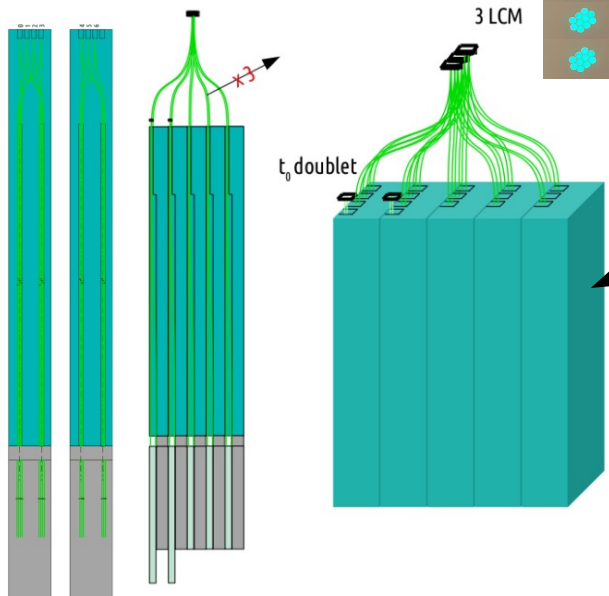


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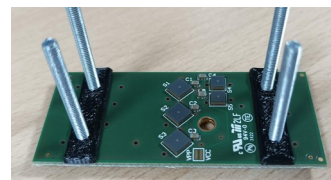
The demonstrator

WLS routing



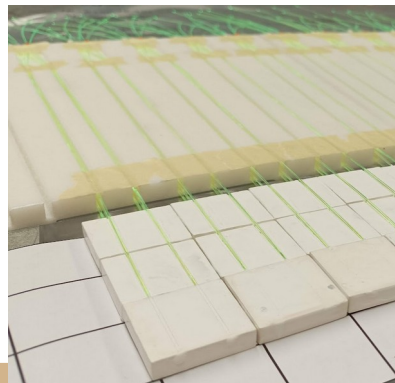
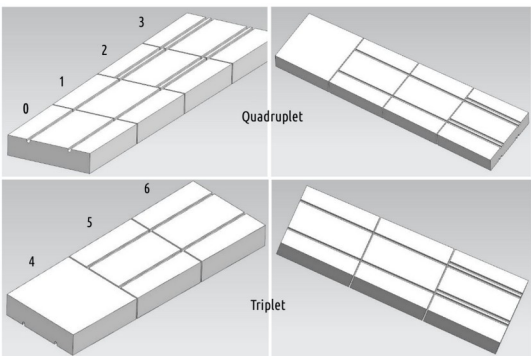
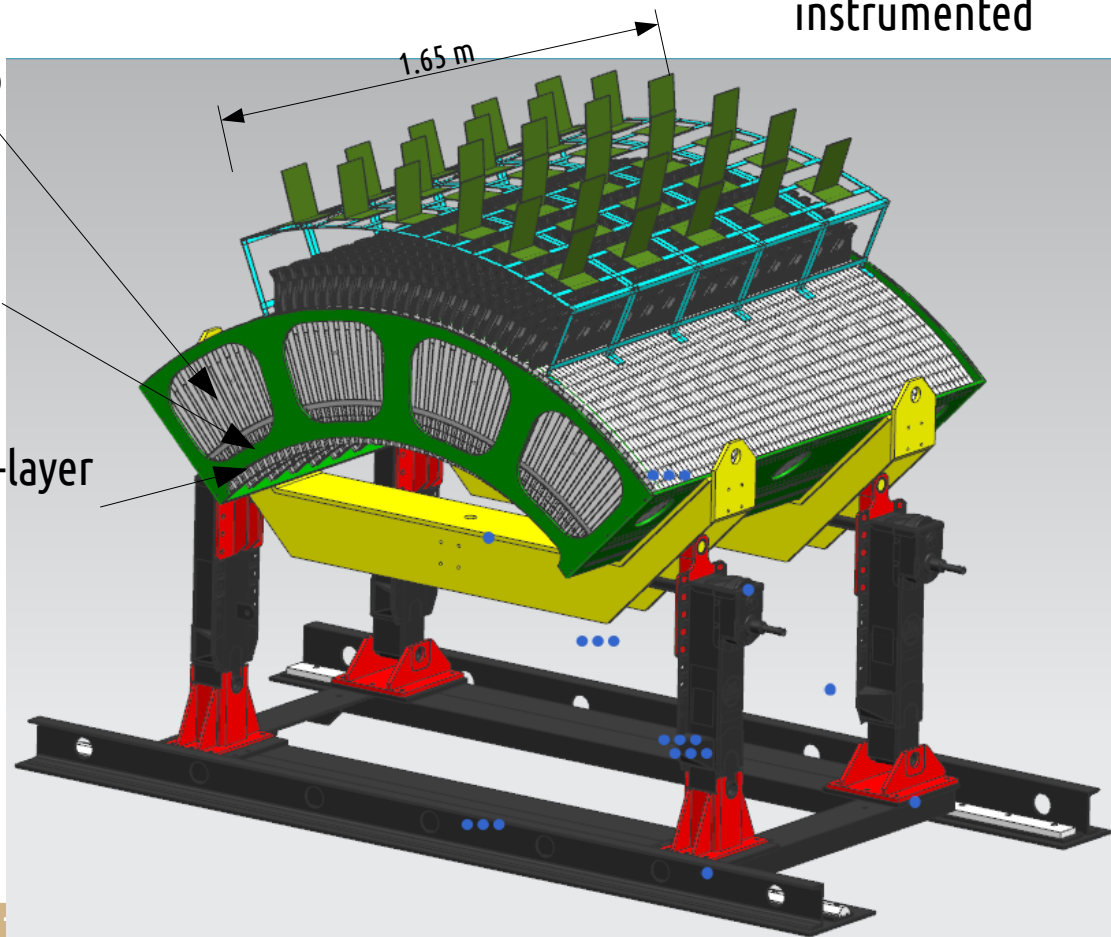
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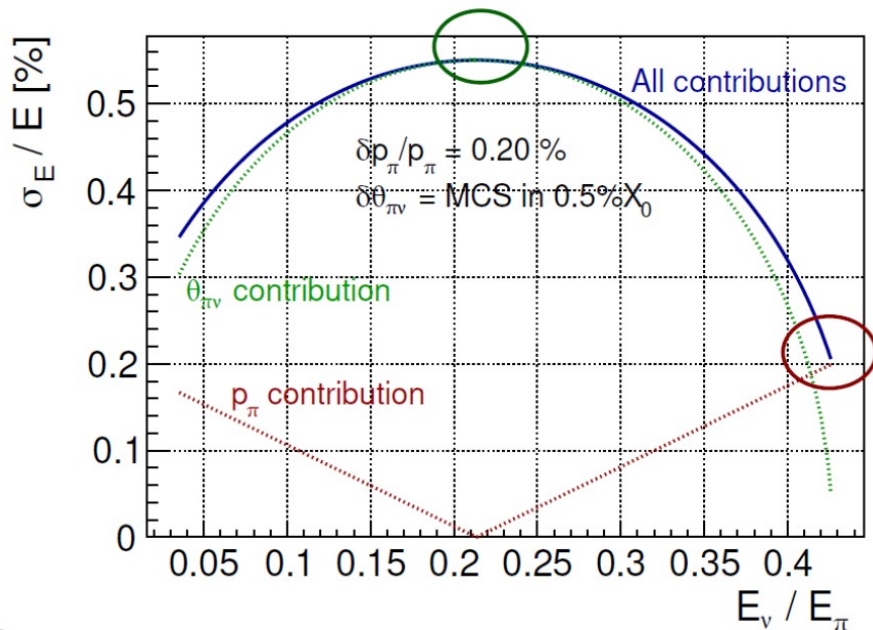
Sampling iron/scint calo



Demonstrate detector performance (PID, homogeneity, eff.), scalability, cost effectiveness...

90°, partially instrumented



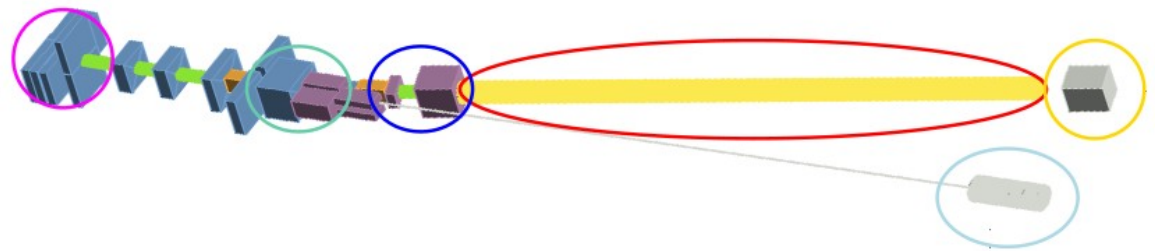
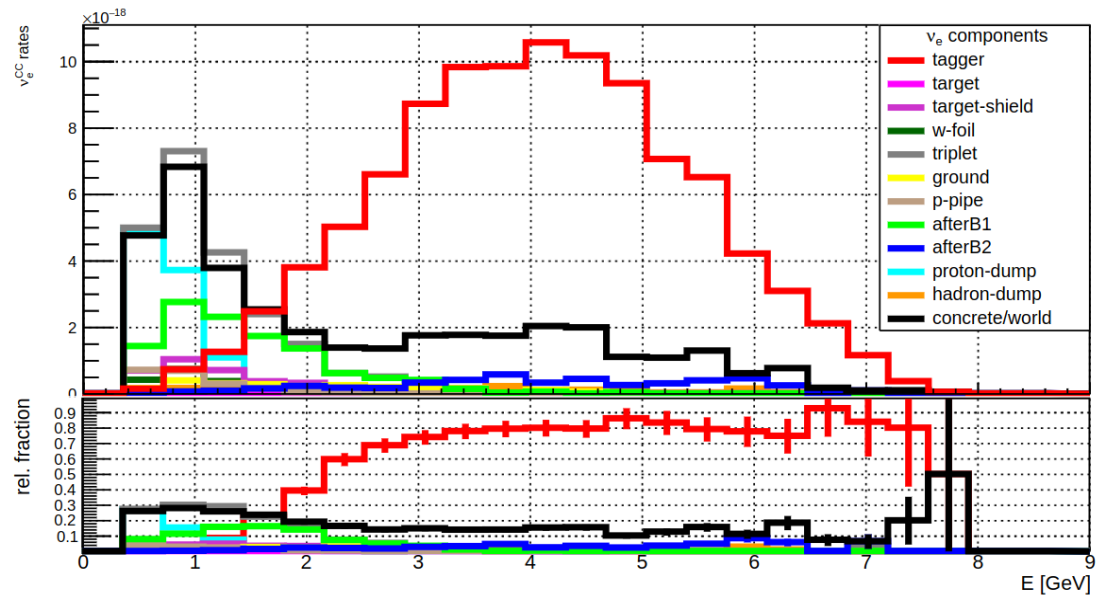


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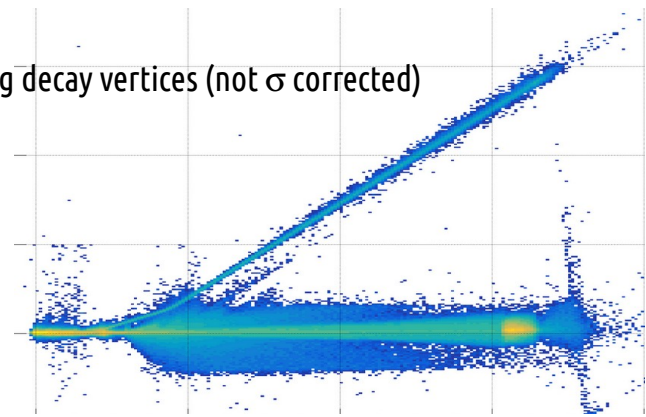
ν_e^{CC} spectra at detector

500t @ 50 m after the hadron dump
 @ 400 GeV \rightarrow 10000 ν_e^{CC} with $9e19$ POT (2-3 y)

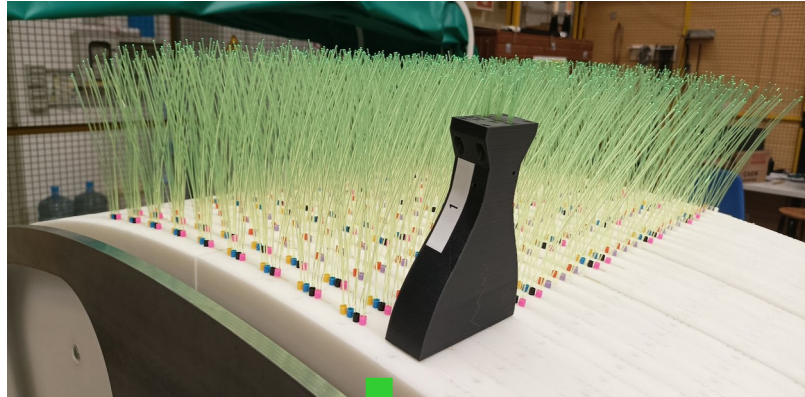
- ν_e from $K^{+/-}$ in the **instrumented region**
- ν_e from $K^{0+/-}$ in the **proton/hadron dump**
- \rightarrow reduce by tuning the dump geometry/location
- ν_e from $K^{+/-}$ in front of the tagger
 (after **1st bend**/**2nd bend**) contamination \rightarrow accounted for with simulation (~geometrical).



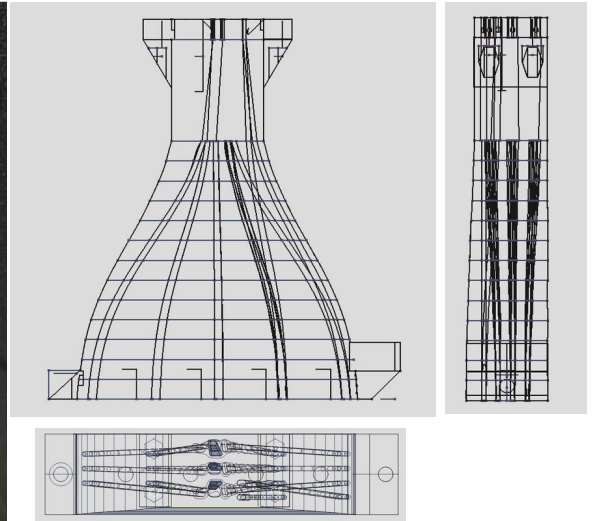
ν producing decay vertices (not σ corrected)



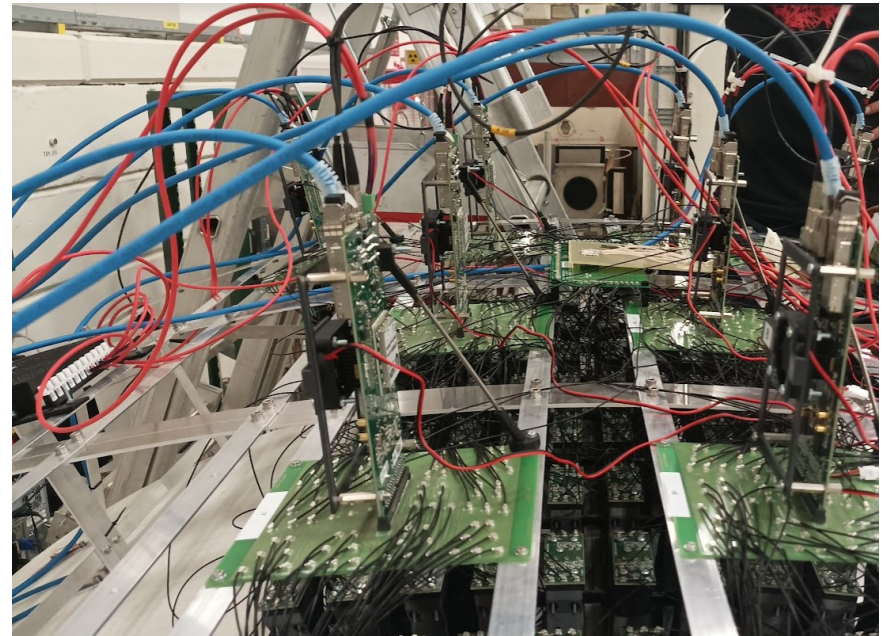
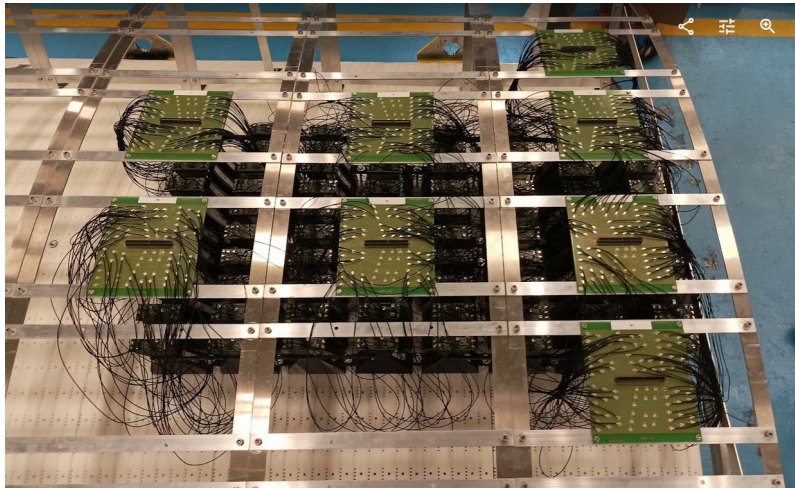
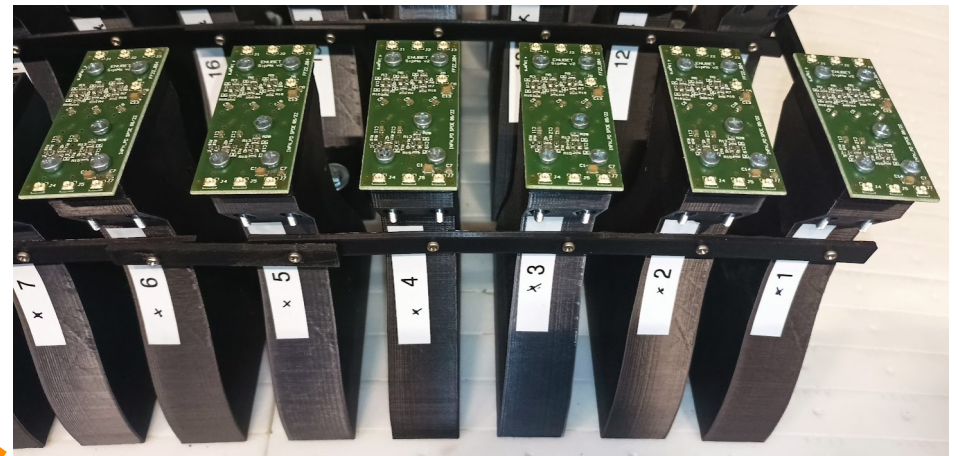
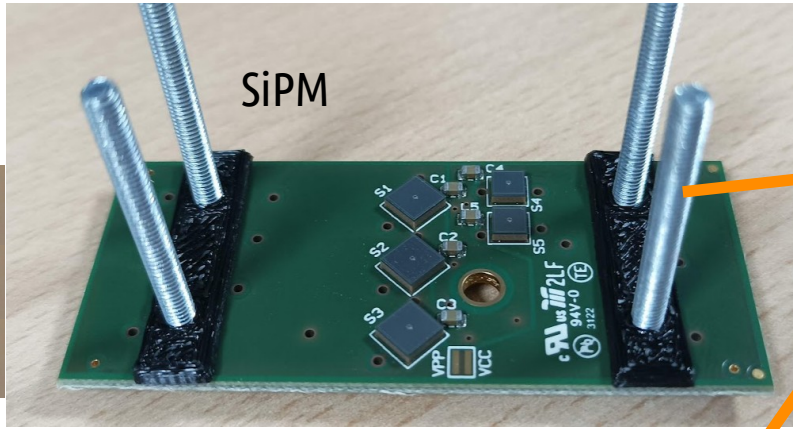
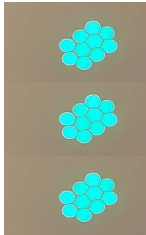
Fiber bundling with “concentrators”



bundling of the WLS fibers with 3D printed “fiber concentrators” + in situ polishing

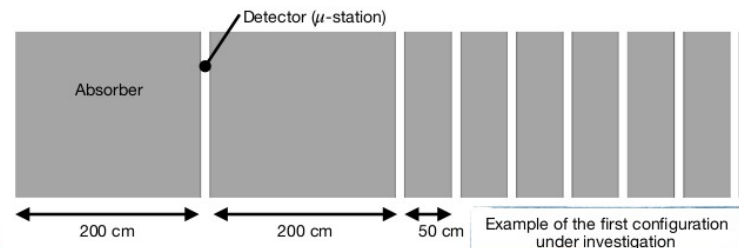
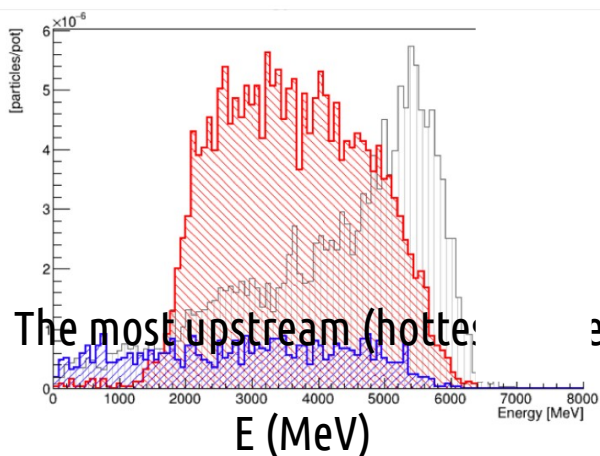
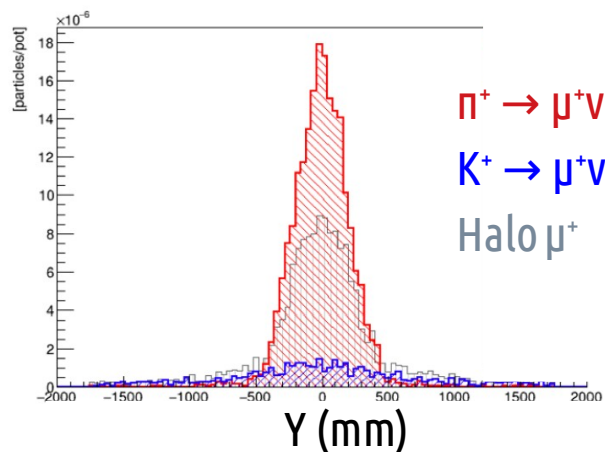


Readout scheme

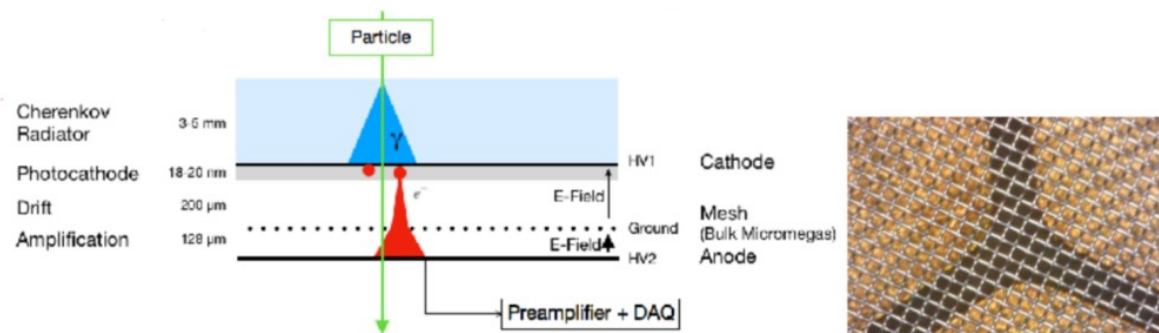


Forward region muons reconstruction

Range-meter after the hadron dump. Extends the tagger acceptance in the forward region to constrain $\pi_{\mu 2}$ decays contributing to the low-E ν_{μ} .



ector needs to cope with a muon rate of ~ 2 MHz



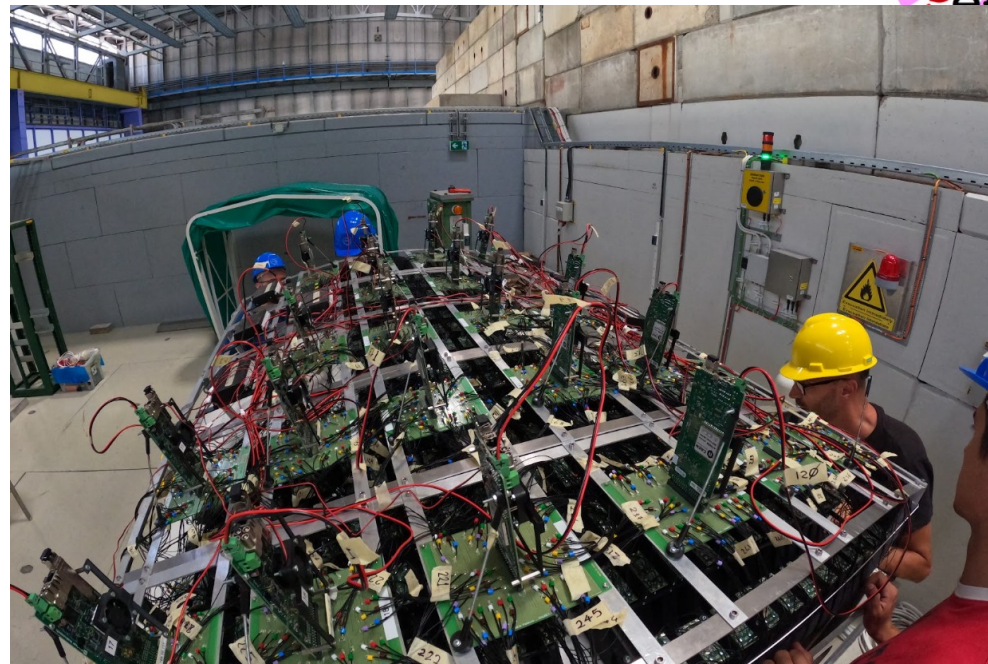
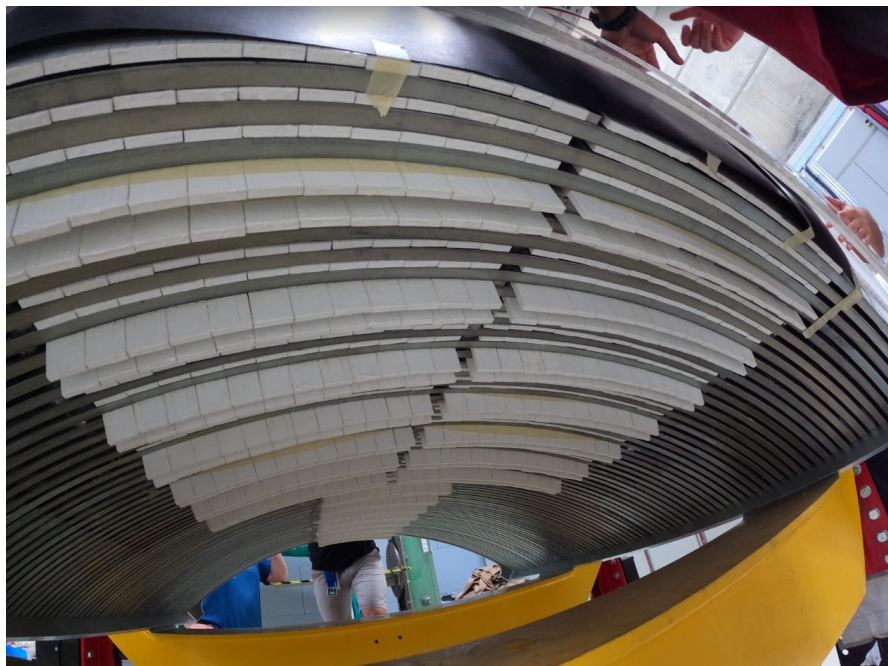
Micromegas detectors employing Cherenkov radiators + thin drift gap ?
 Bonus: cutting-edge timing ($O(10)$ ps).

→ PIMENT project ! →

ENUBET: demonstrator

Assembly timelapse

<https://twitter.com/i/status/1694308753514889350>



Event displays

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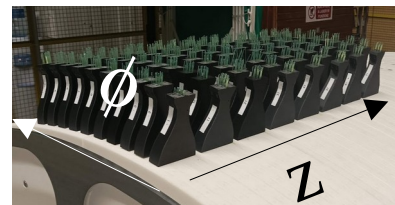


e-like

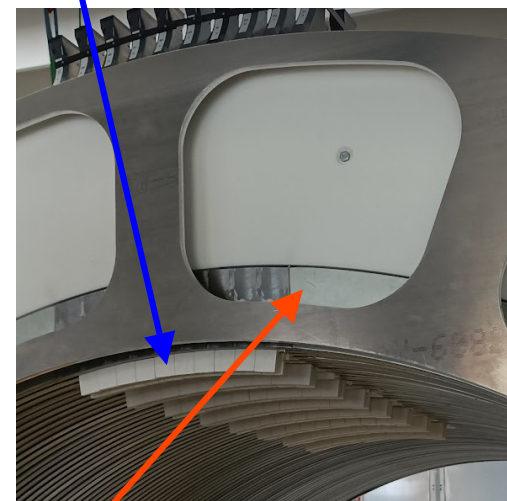
mip-like in t_0 -layer

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mip-like in 1 layer of calo



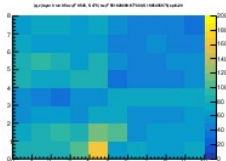
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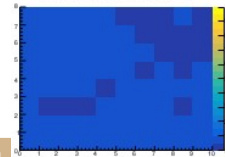
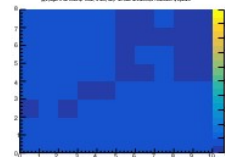
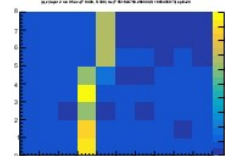
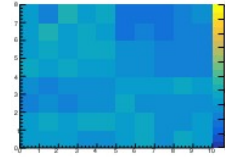
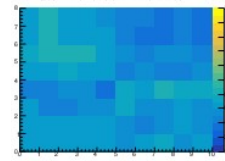
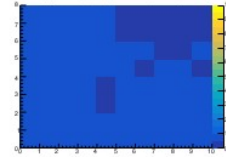
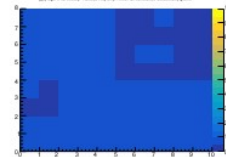
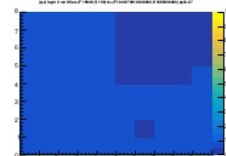
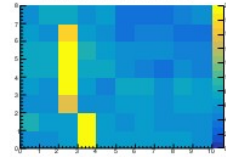
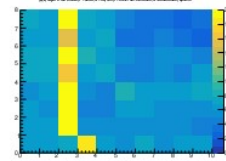
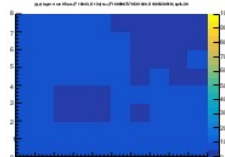
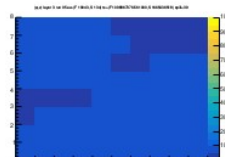
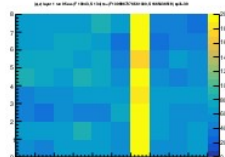
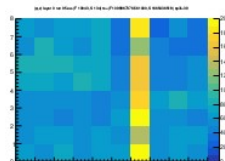
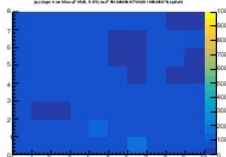
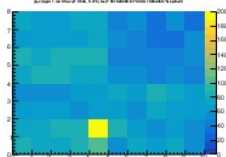
calorimeter layers

NB: here channels not equalized with mips.

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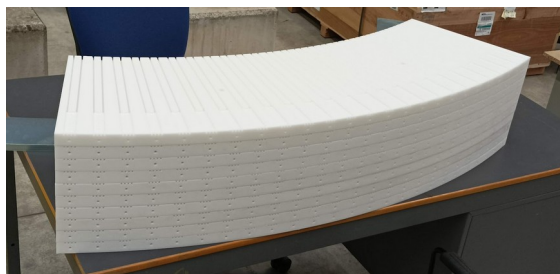
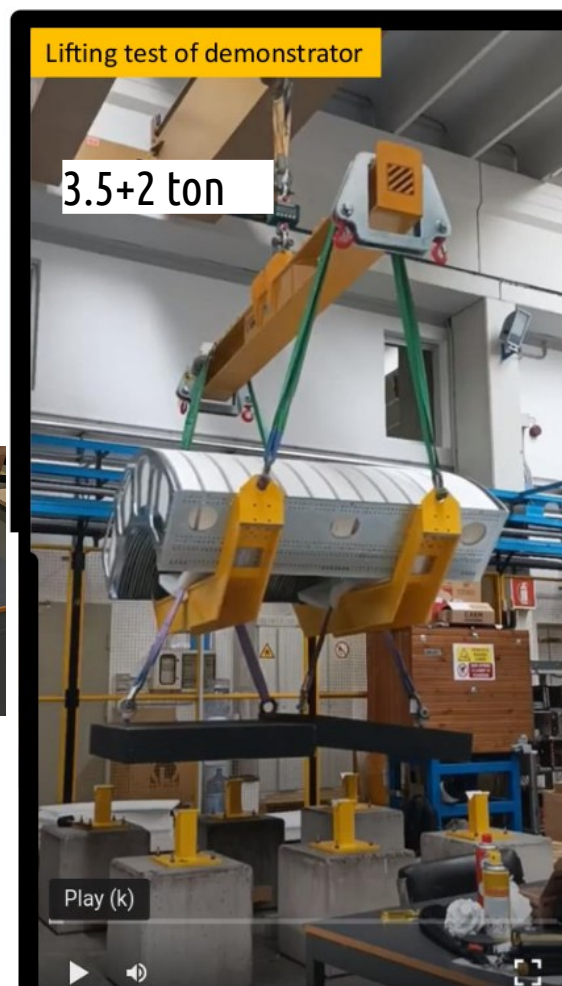
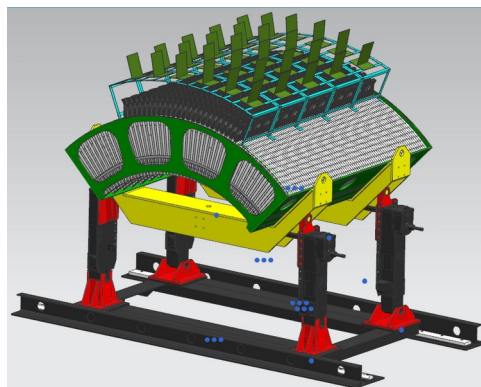


The ENUBET demonstrator in numbers

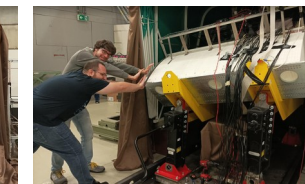
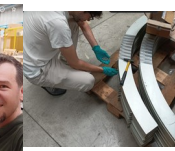
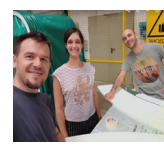
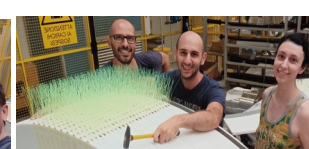
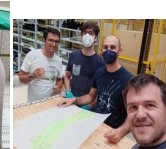
- Scintillator tiles: 1360
- WLS: ~ 1.5 km
- Channels (SiPM): 400
 - Hamamatsu 50 μm cell
 - 240 SiPM 4x4 mm² (calo)
 - 160 SiPM 3x3 mm² (t_0)
- Fiber concentrators, FE boards: 80
- Interface boards (hirose conn.): 8
- Readout 64 ch boards (CAEN A5202): 8
- Commercial digitizers: 45 ch
- hor. movement ~1m
- tilt >200 mrad



Demonstrator construction at LNL-INFN labs



Group pictures



ENUBET takes off !!!



3 Oct 2022 @ building 157,
CERN Meyrin PS East Hall
T9 area



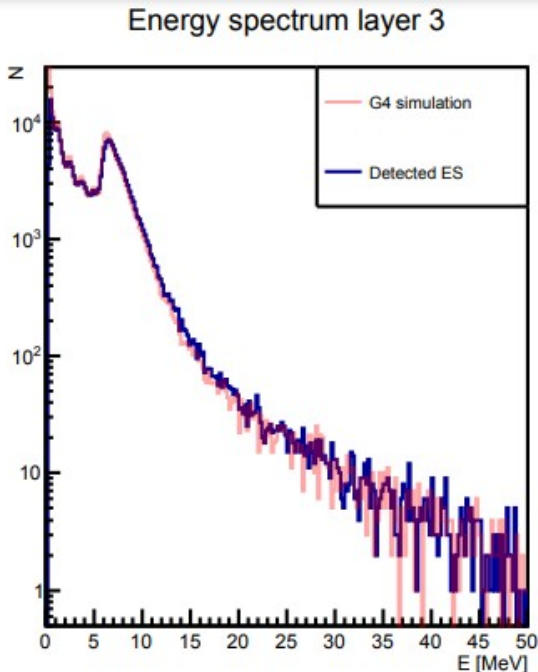
Movable platform “landing
site” @ T9 test beam area.



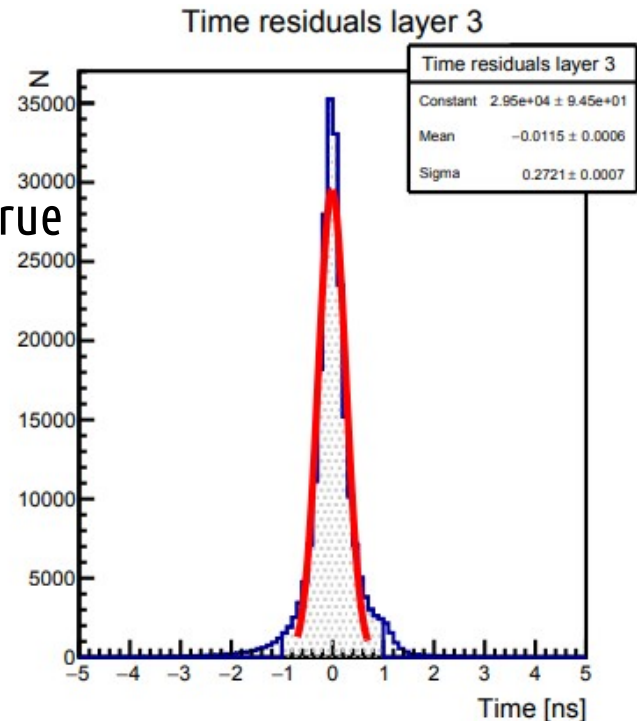
Event pile-up analysis

The energy is now reconstructed as it will happen for real data i.e. considering the **amplitudes digitally-sampled signals at 500 MS/s**. Pile-up effects treated rigorously by “fitting” superimposing waveforms.

Matching between true level energy deposits from GEANT4 and fully reconstructed waveforms



Matching between true and rec. time (500 MS/s). 270 ps.

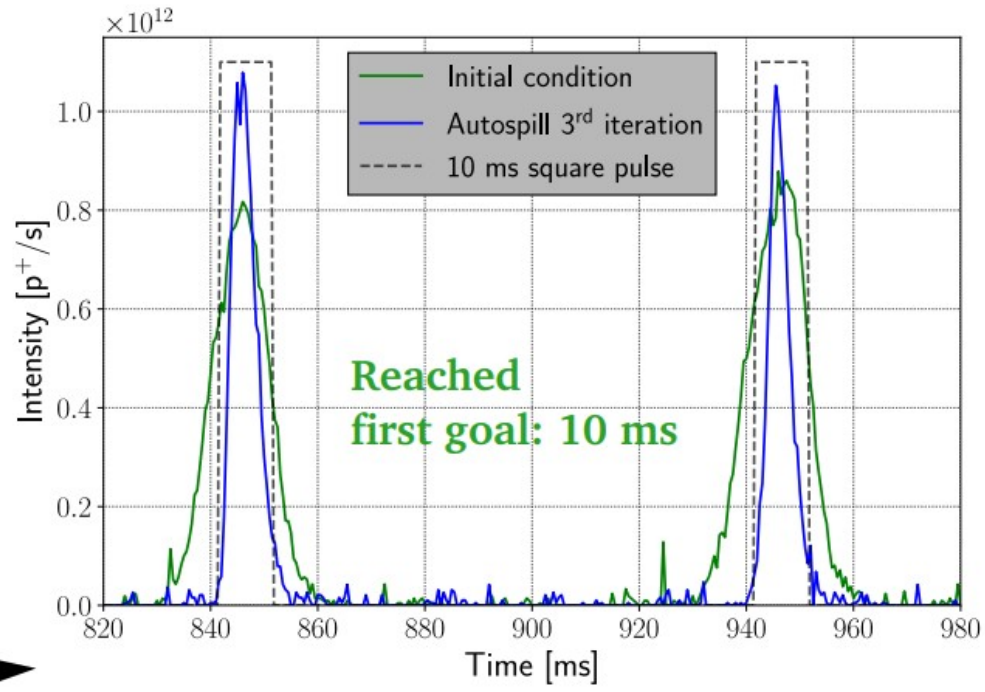
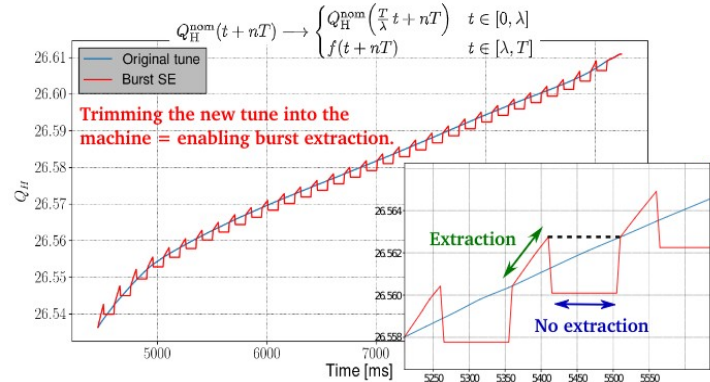
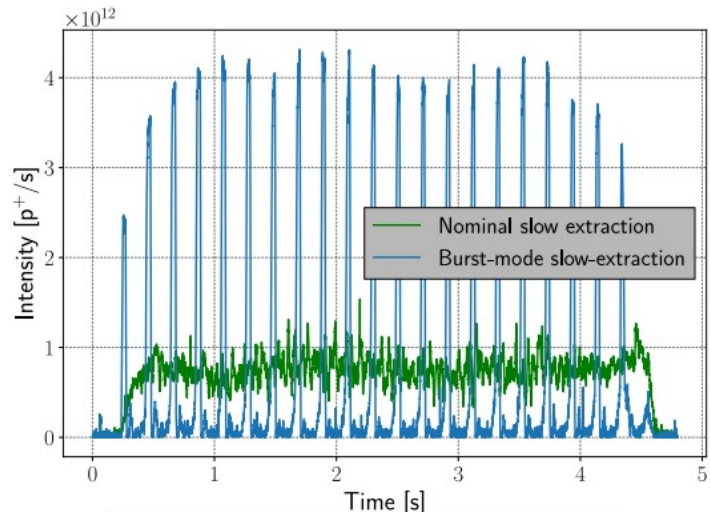


With 4.5×10^{13} POT in 2s

- 1.1 MHz rate in the hottest channels
- Peak finding efficiency = 97.4 %

Proton extraction R&D for horn focusing

before LS2: burst mode slow extraction achieved at the SPS. Iterative feedback tuning allowed to reach ~10 ms pulses without introducing losses at septa

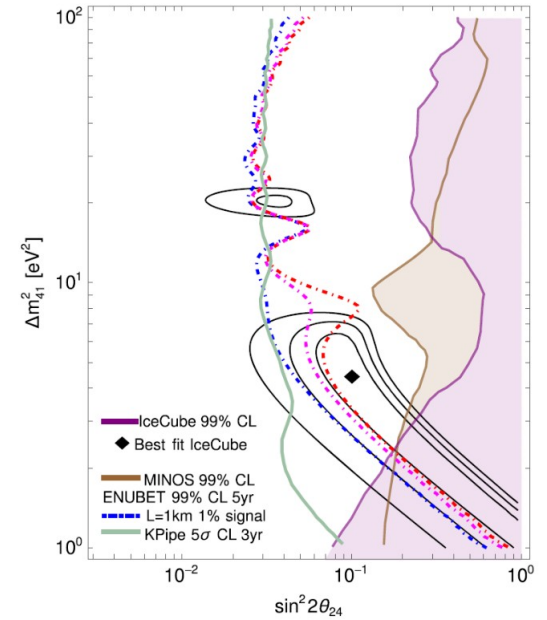
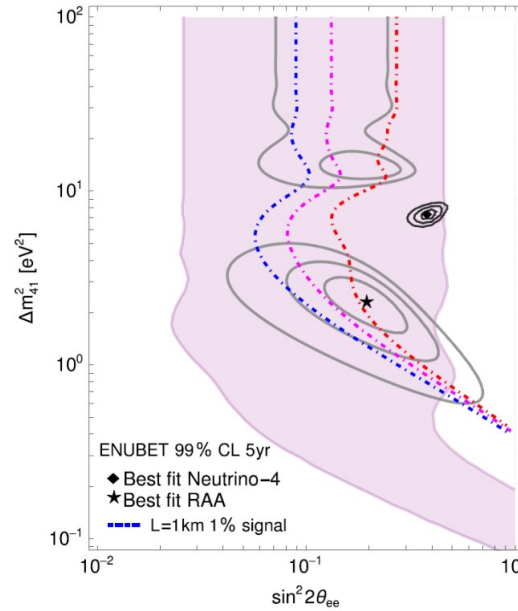


PhD thesis of M. Pari (UniPD + CERN doctoral).
Defended 23/2/21.

BSM

Sterile neutrinos: some results already available

L.A. Delgado, P. Huber, PRD 103 (2021) 035018



Instrumented proton and hadron dump:

P. S. Bhupal Dev, Doojin Kim, K. Sinha, Yongchao Zhang, Phys. Rev. D 104, 035037 [ALP]
J. Spitz, Phys. Rev. D 89 (2014) 073007 [KDAR]

Work ongoing for studies of **Dark Sector** and **non-standard neutrino interactions** to assess potential of SBL versus Near detectors:

- **Pros:** energy control of the incoming flux. Outstanding precision on flux and flavor
- **Cons:** limited statistics

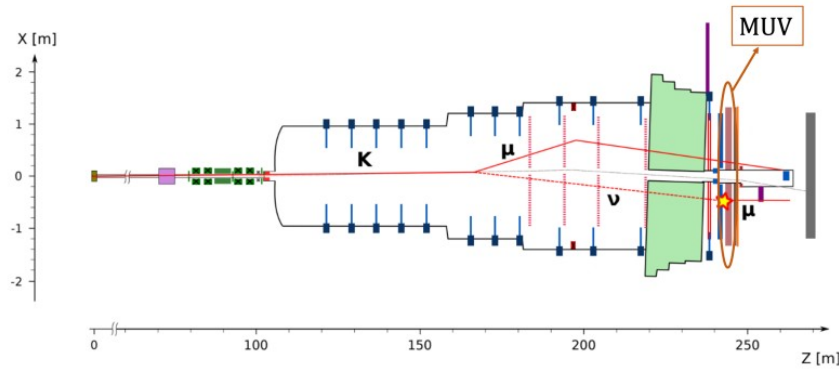
For the first time at nufact2023

https://indico.cern.ch/event/1216905/contributions/5448754/attachments/2702123/4690877/NuFACT_NuTagging_DeMartino.pdf

Bianca De Martino (NA62)

S/B=5.5, 2 candidates

Muon from K decay + neutrino interaction in Xe calorimeter in an existing experiment!



Event Display - Event B

- $p_{\mu^+} = 18.74 \text{ GeV}/c$
- $E_{\nu} = 57.5 \text{ GeV}$

