

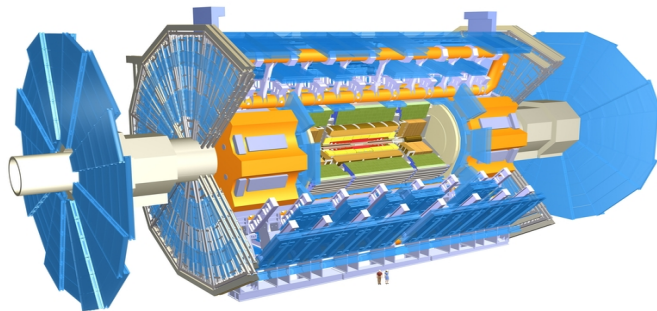
ATLAS Detector Status and Performance



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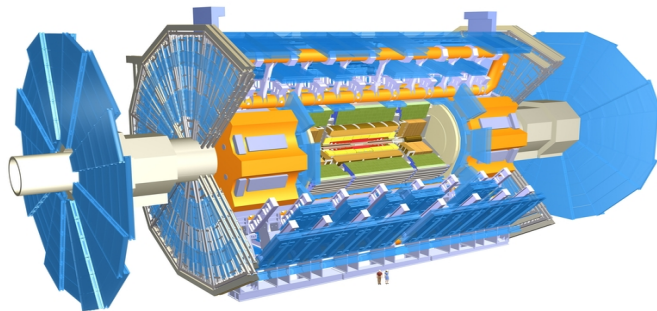
**on behalf of the ATLAS
collaboration**

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10-16 June 2012**



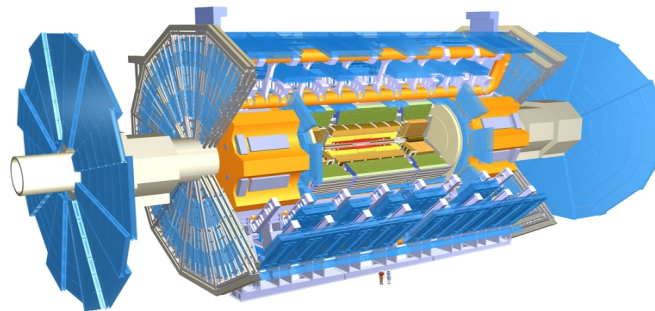
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Many talks to ICFP 2012 from our ATLAS Colleagues:

- *Sally Seidel : Highlights of ATLAS Experiments*
- *Lucio Cerrito: Top*
- *Stephanie Adomeit: QCD*
- *Nick Charles Edward: W, Z, and diboson physics*
- *Visili Mitsou: SUSY*
- *Serhan Mete: New physics searches*
- *Steve Hillier: Upgrade*



Outline:

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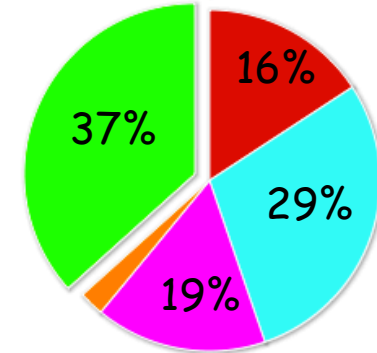
LHC @ CERN



LHC Run Efficiency

Mode: Proton Physics
Number of Fills: 189
Time in SB: 16 days 22 hrs 20 mins

2012



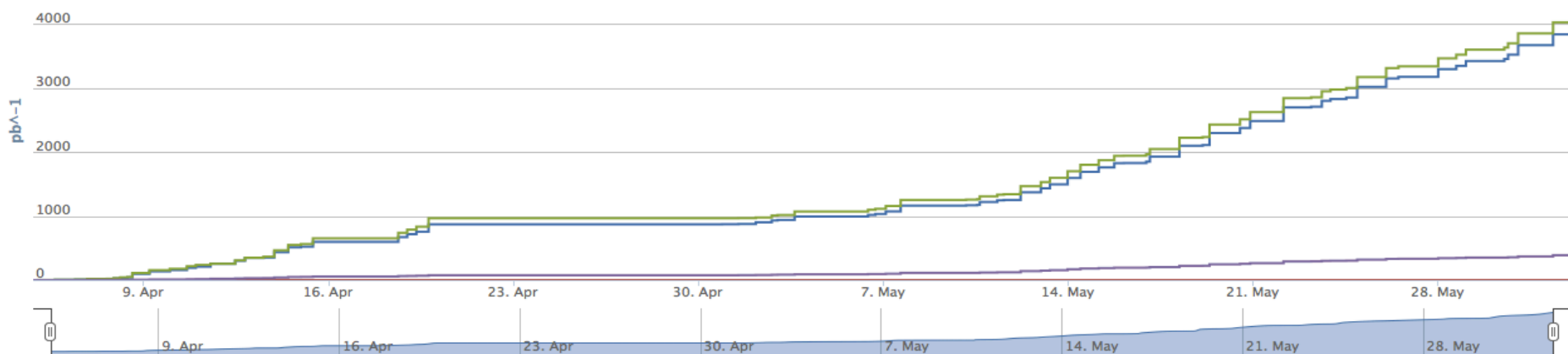
Access - No beam : 15.79%	Machine setup : 28.94%
Beam in : 16.25%	Ramp + squeeze : 2.34%
Stable beams: 36.68%	

Integrated Luminosity Evolution

Zoom 1wk 2wk 1m ALL

— ATLAS — ALICE — CMS — LHCb

L2



Online Integrated Luminosity

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ALICE: 692.59 nb⁻¹

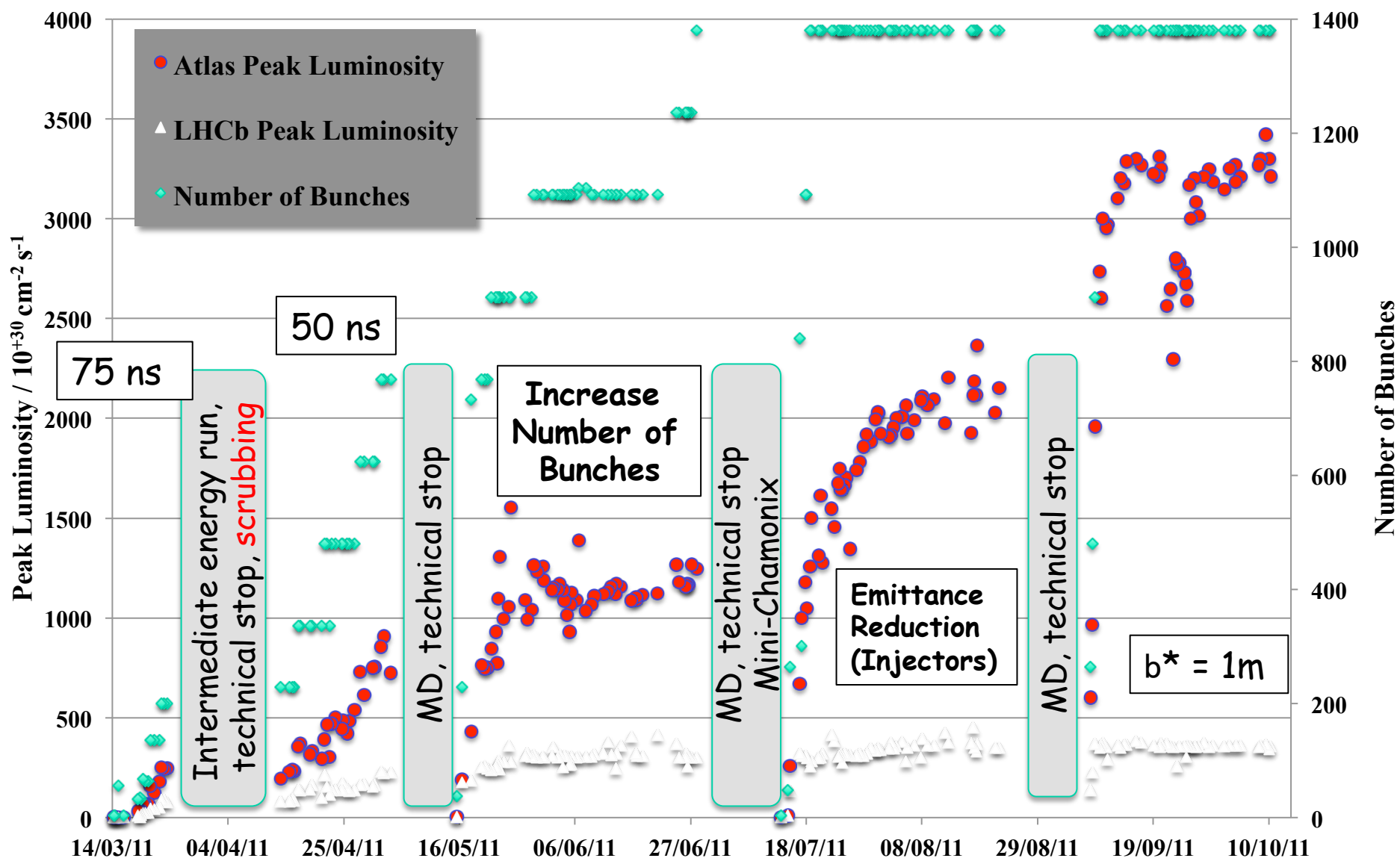
ATLAS: 4.08 fb⁻¹

CMS: 4.27 fb⁻¹

LHCb: 418.81 pb⁻¹



A quick look back: 2011 at a glance





2011 to 2012

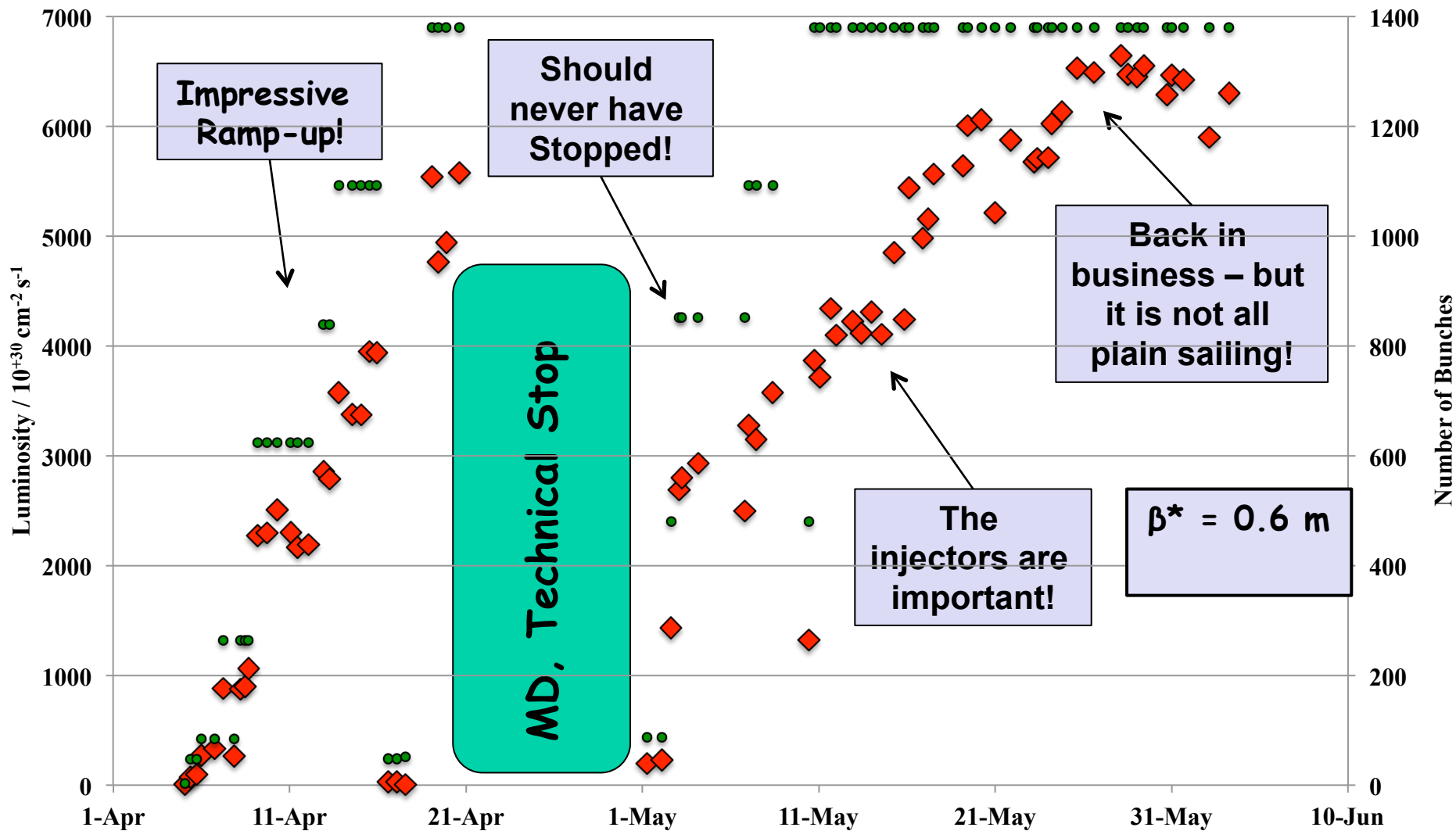


- Well organized, productive **Xmas technical stop**
 - Lot of R2E related work
 - Plus consolidation and improvements of many systems
- **Vacuum** consolidation to address successfully diagnosed causes of instabilities in 2011
- **Injection collimators** issues diagnosed and understood - spare in preparation - fingers crossed in the meantime
- **Cool-down** of machine exactly on schedule
- Very smooth **hardware commissioning** including careful quench-less commissioning of main circuits to 4 TeV
- **Well oiled Machine checkout** final tests and preparation for beam



Peak Luminosity Evolution (so far)

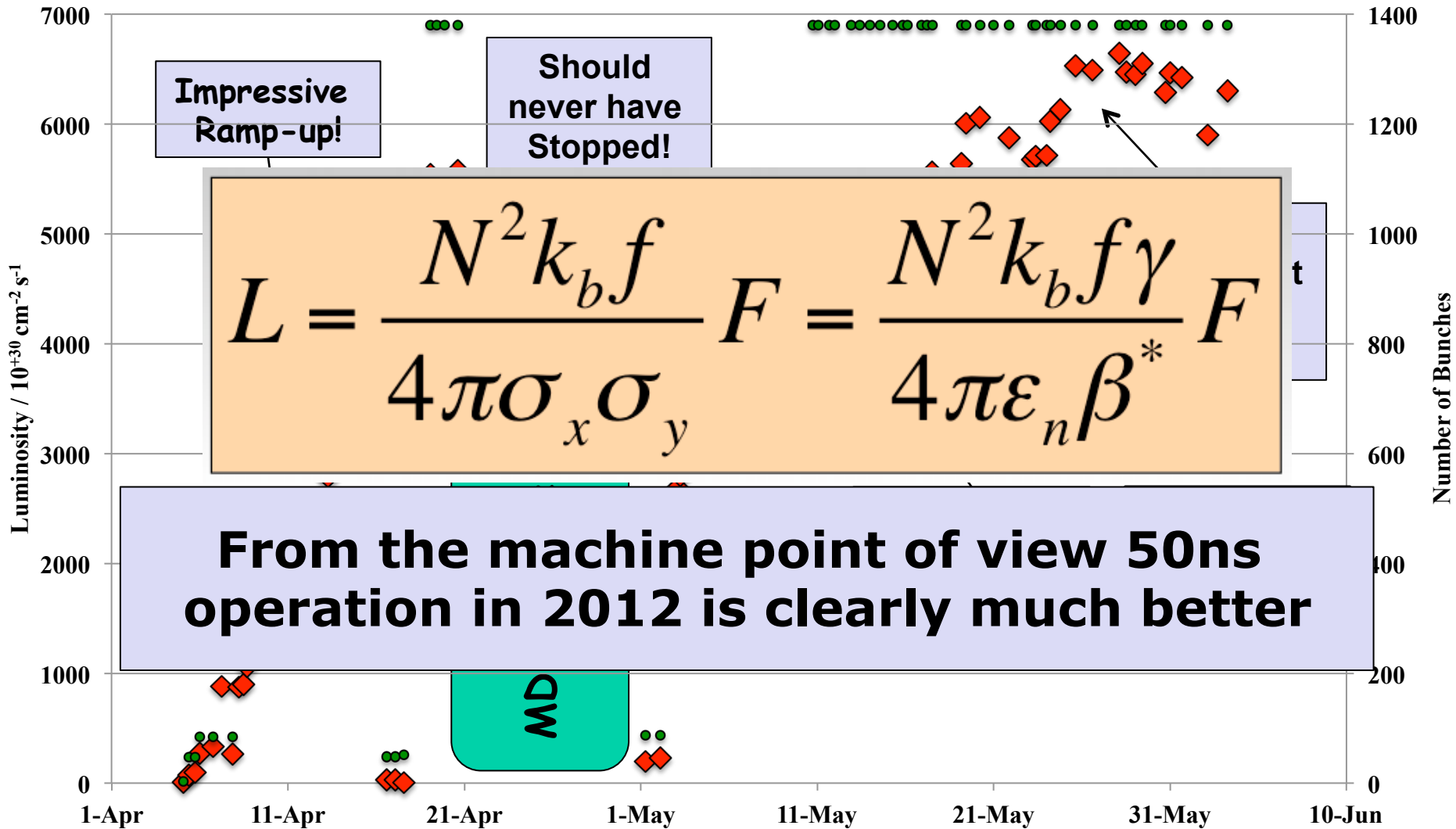
Peak Luminosity in Atlas





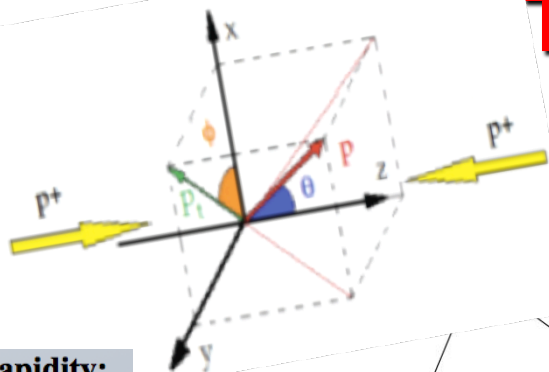
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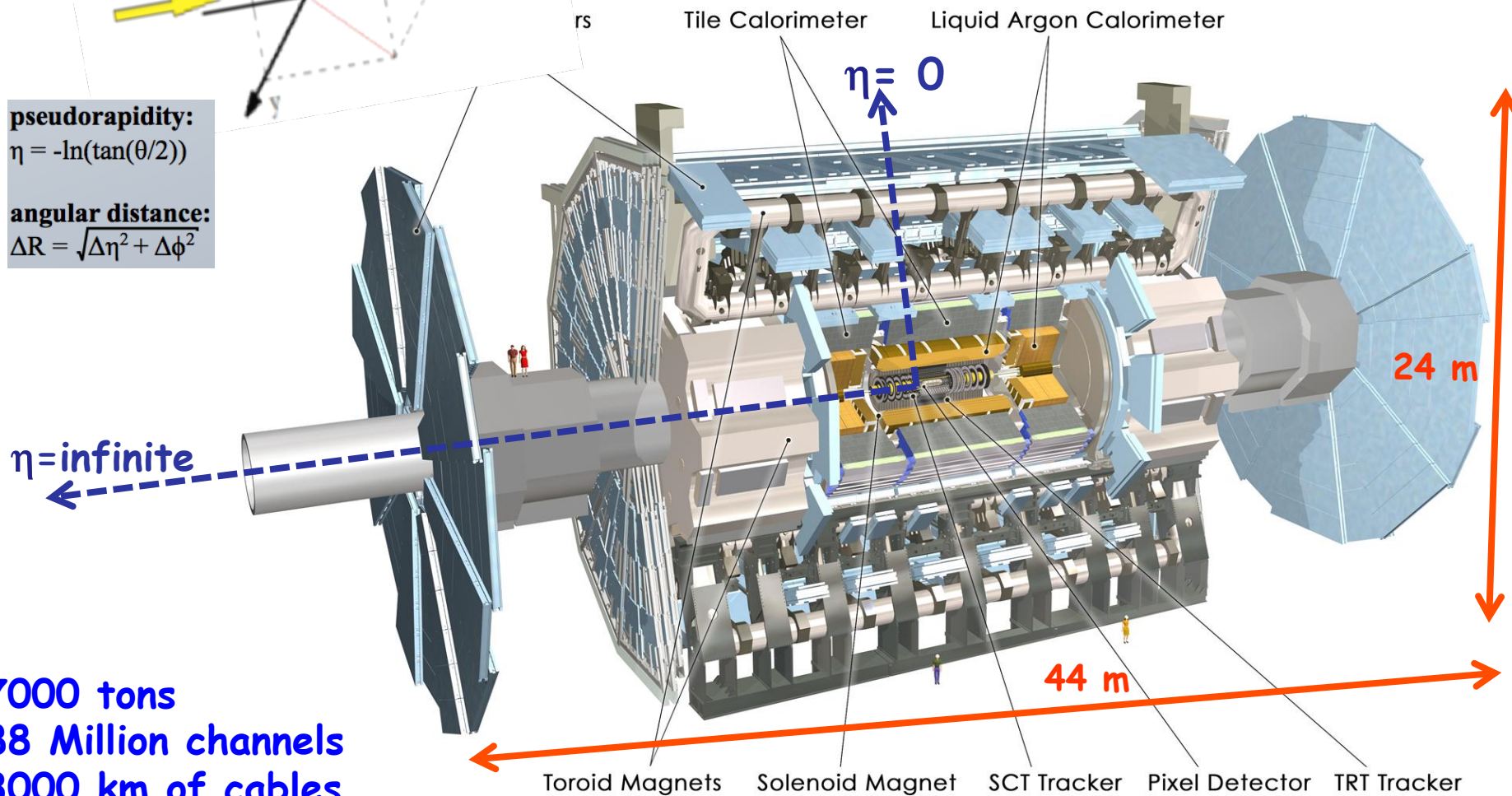


The ATLAS detector



pseudorapidity:
 $\eta = -\ln(\tan(\theta/2))$

angular distance:
 $\Delta R = \sqrt{\Delta\eta^2 + \Delta\phi^2}$



7000 tons
88 Million channels
3000 km of cables
2T solenoid
Toroid (B ~ 0.5T in barrel; ~1T end-cap)



ATLAS Status in Brief



	Jan 2012	Today
Recorded luminosity (pp)	5.2 fb ⁻¹ @ 7 TeV	+ 3.9 fb ⁻¹ @ 8 TeV
Peak luminosity	3.6x10 ³³	6.6x10 ³³
Max pile-up	~ 24	~ 38
Data-taking efficiency (pp)	~ 93.5 %	~ 94.5 %
DQ (all CP flags good)	~90% (after reprocessing)	~ 90%
N. of submitted collision-data papers	105	156
N. of CONF-notes	266	318
Talks at conferences since beg year	18	~ 230

In addition: lot of progress on Upgrade; process to prepare ATLAS input to ES in place

- ❑ Hope to record ~ 5 fb⁻¹ by next MD +TS (19 June)
→ to be used (as much as possible) for Higgs and other results for ICHEP
- ❑ ATLAS and CMS luminosities seem to be ~ similar in 2012
CMS got ~ 8% more integrated luminosity in 2011



The ATLAS Hardware status



Sub-detector	Number of Channels	Appr. Operational Fraction
Pixels	80M	95.9%
SCT Silicon strips	6.3M	99.3%
TRT Transition Radiation Tracker	350k	97.5%
LAr EM Calorimeter	170k	99.9%
Tile Calorimeter	9.9k	99.5%
Hadronic Endcap LAr Calorimeter	5.60k	99.6%
Forward LAr calorimeter	3.50k	99.8%
LVL1 Calo Trigger	7.15k	100%
LVL1 Muon RPC Trigger	370k	99.5%
LVL1 Muon TGC Trigger	320k	100%
MDT Drift Tubes	350k	99.7%
CSC Cathode Strip Chambers	31k	97.7%
RPC Barrel Muon Chambers	370k	97.1%
TGC Endcap Muon Chambers	320k	99.7%

98.94% !!



ATLAS Readiness after 2011-12 Shutdown



Example **Liquid-Argon calorimeter:**

- 10 front-end boards repaired and 12 new LVPS installed:
- ➔ bad channels decreased from 385/182468 to 106/182468 (0.06%)



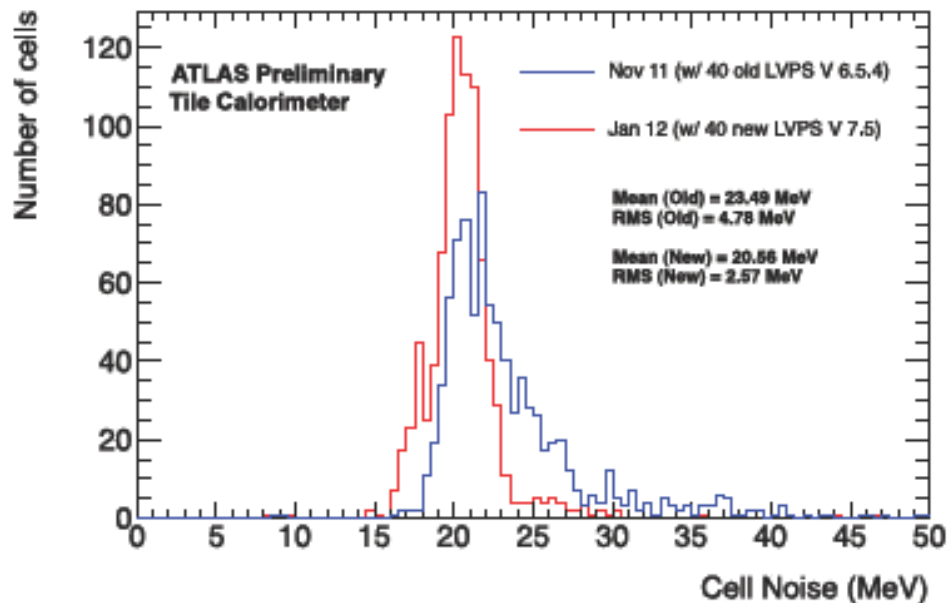
LAr front-end boards

Example **Tile Hadronic calorimeter:**

- 45/256 on detector “drawers” opened for refurbishment
- 40/256 new low voltage power supplies replaced, reduce trip rates and noise
- ➔ bad cells: before shutdown 5% to 0.5% today

Example **infrastructure:**

- Cryogenics: NEW main compressor
- Maintenance cryogenics, gas, cooling, access systems and consolidation of the electrical system





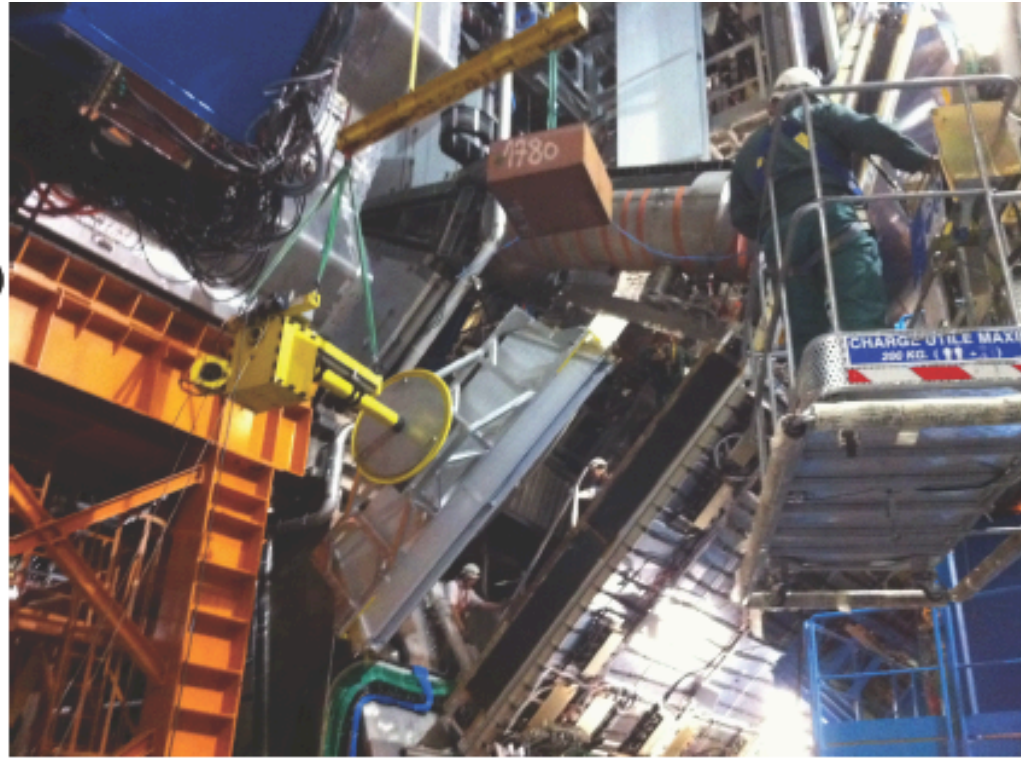
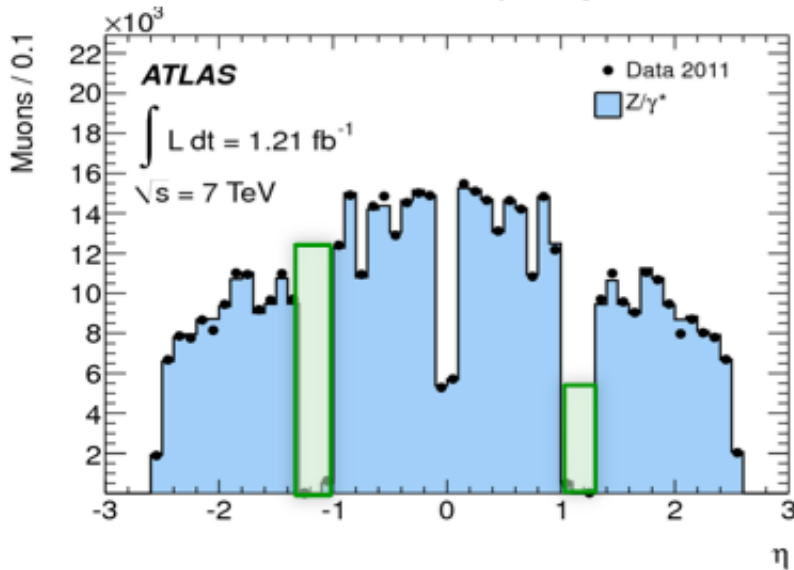
ATLAS Readiness after 2011-12 Shutdown



NTUA participated

Muon Spectrometer:

- Installation MDT EE
(precision MS tracking at $|\eta| \sim 1.2$):
 - ➔ Side C: completed, 31 modules
 - ➔ Side A: 7 EELs (completion 2013)



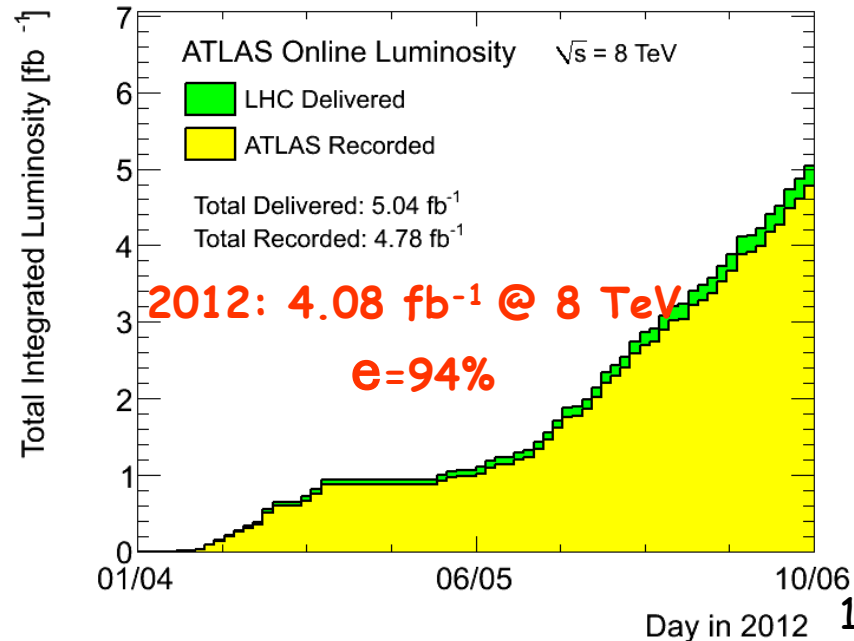
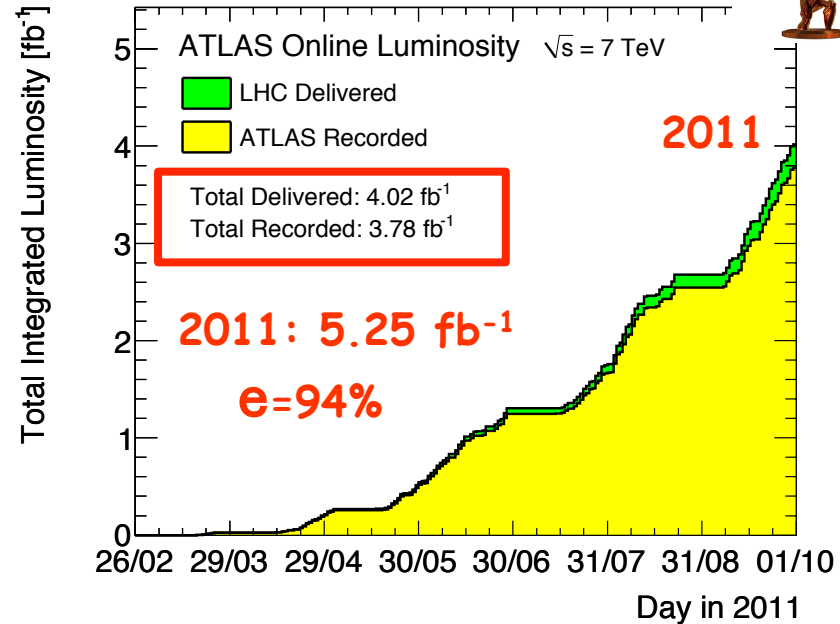
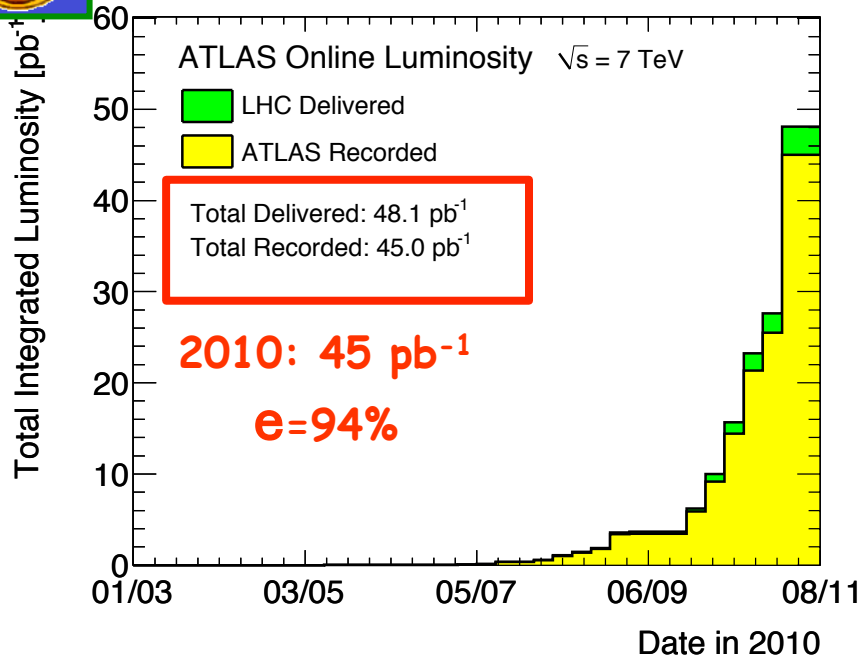
New shielding at $|Z| \sim 7$ m:

- reduction of large plume of photons in Muon Spectrometer





ATLAS Data Taking



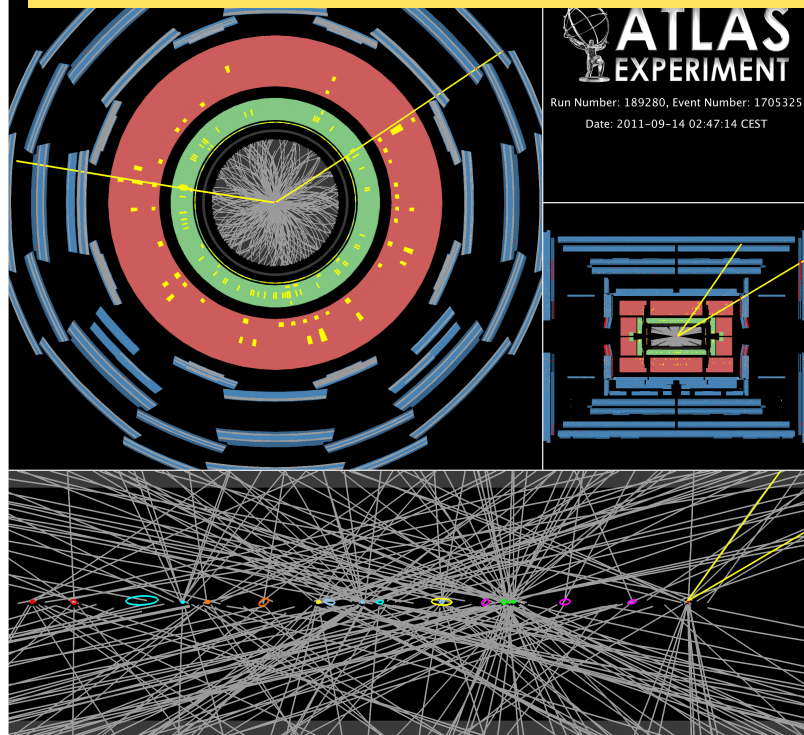
- 4.08 fb⁻¹ pp @ 8 TeV in 2012, $L=6.6 \times 10^{33}$
- 5.25 fb⁻¹ pp data in 2011 (45.0 pb⁻¹ 2010)
- Up to 110 pb⁻¹ /day (x2 more than all 2010)
- 9.2 mb⁻¹ Pb-Pb in 2010
- 94% efficiency (94% in 2010)
- Max peak $L = 3 \times 10^{33} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$
- (>10 times more than in 2010)



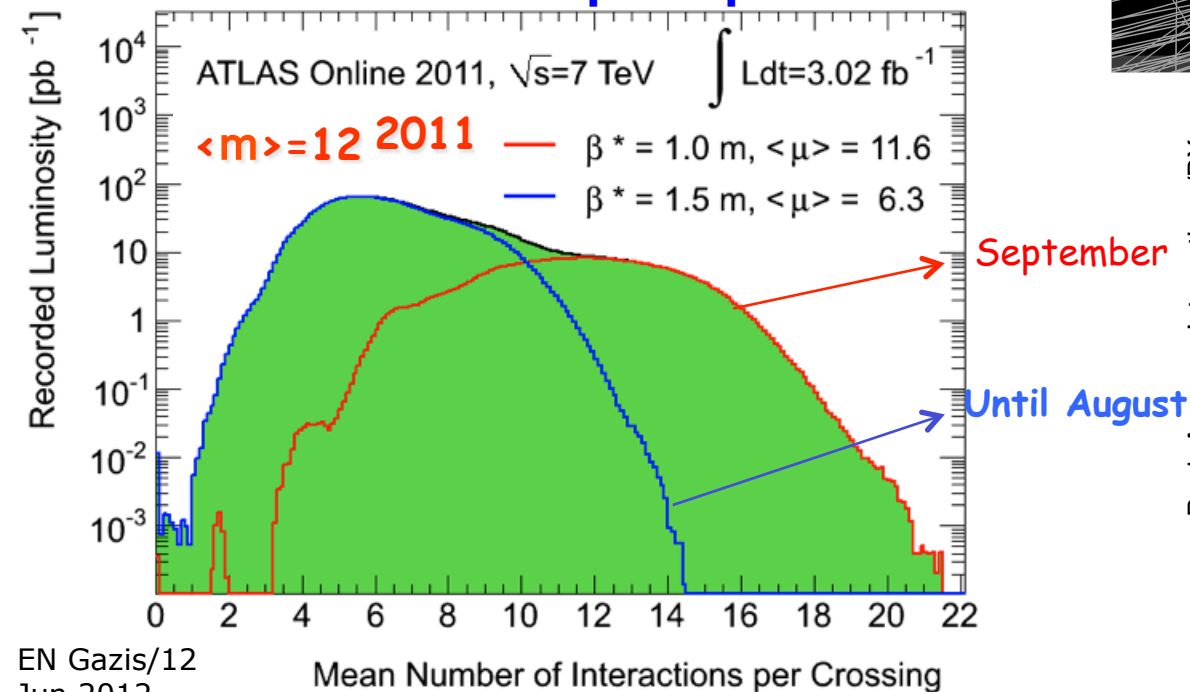
Pile-up challenge 2011

- $\sim x2$ lower than LHC design
- 2011 $\langle \text{pile-up} \rangle = 12$ (up to 22 max)
- In September increased $x1.5$ ($\beta^* = 1.5\text{m} \rightarrow 1\text{m}$)
- 2010 $\langle \text{pile-up} \rangle = 1.3$
- A potential issue for: Lepton Isolation, Vertexing, CPU time/event size, t , Jet Energy Scale/resolution, $E_{T\text{miss}}$.

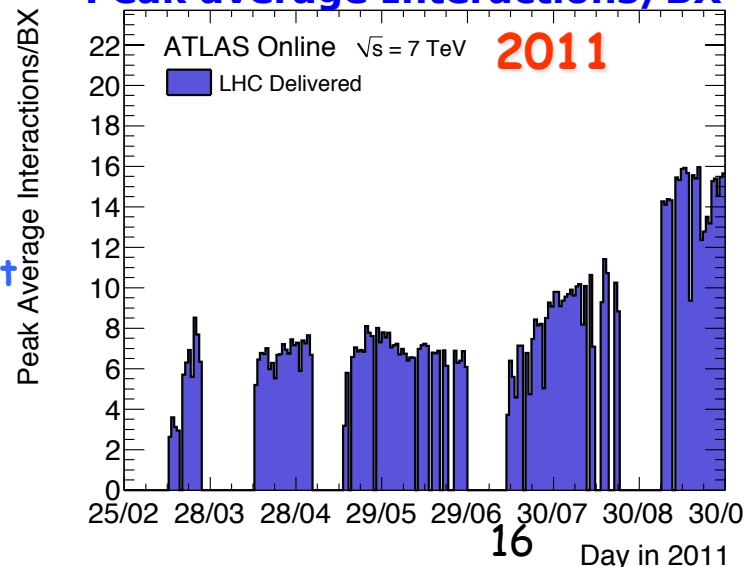
Z \rightarrow mm with 20 reconstructed vertices



2011 $\langle \text{pile-up} \rangle$



Peak average Interactions/BX

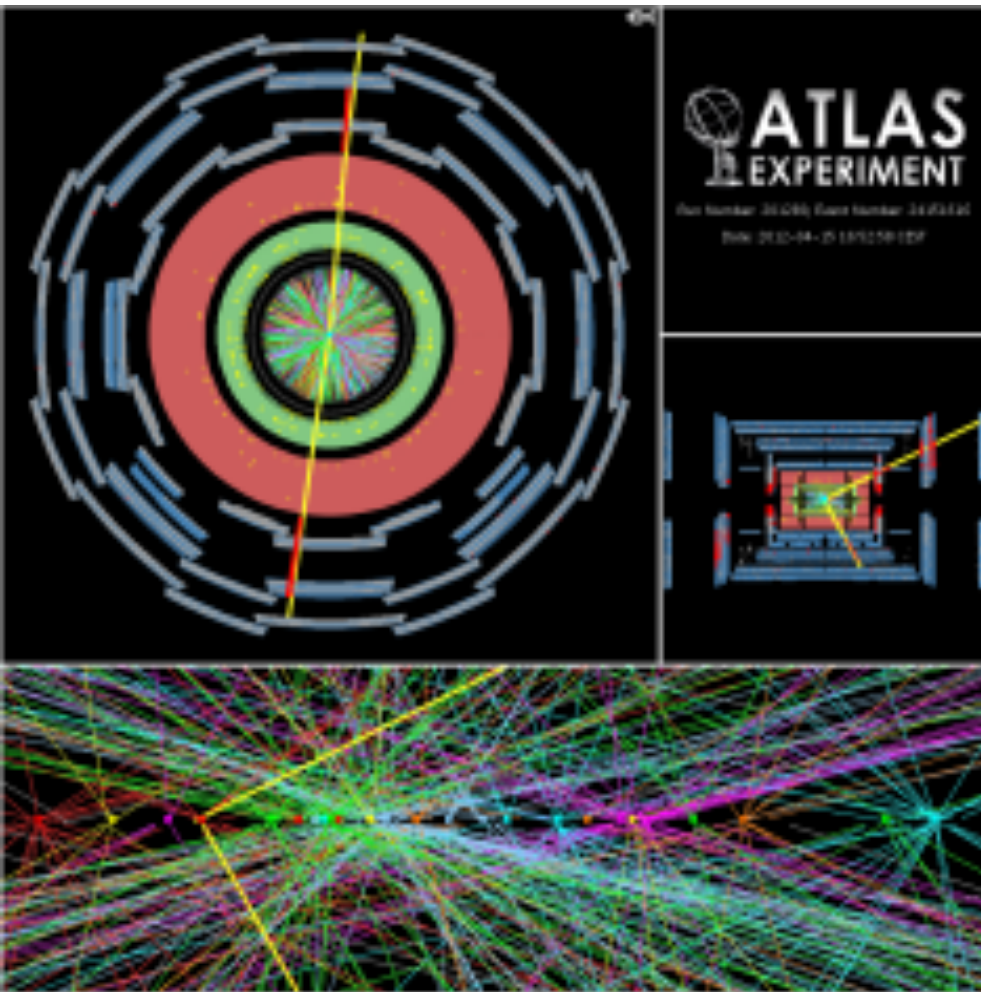




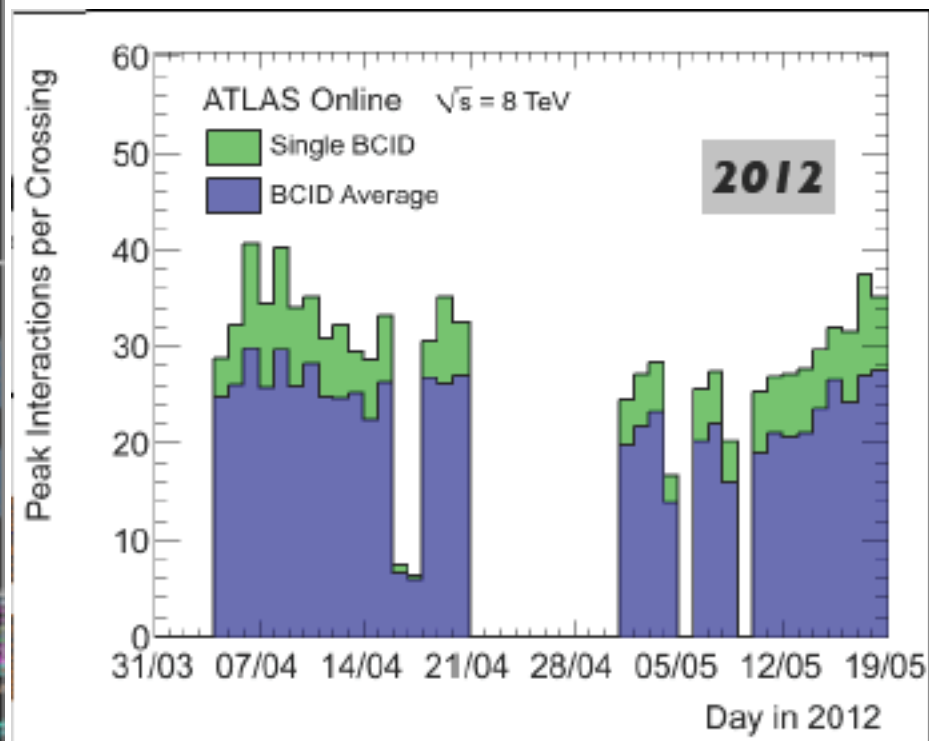
HIGH Pile-up 2012



Z->mm with **25** reconstructed vertices



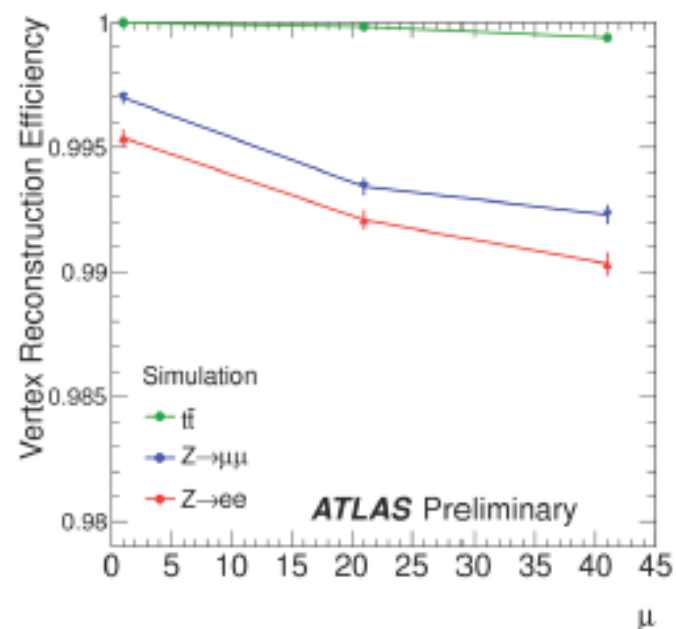
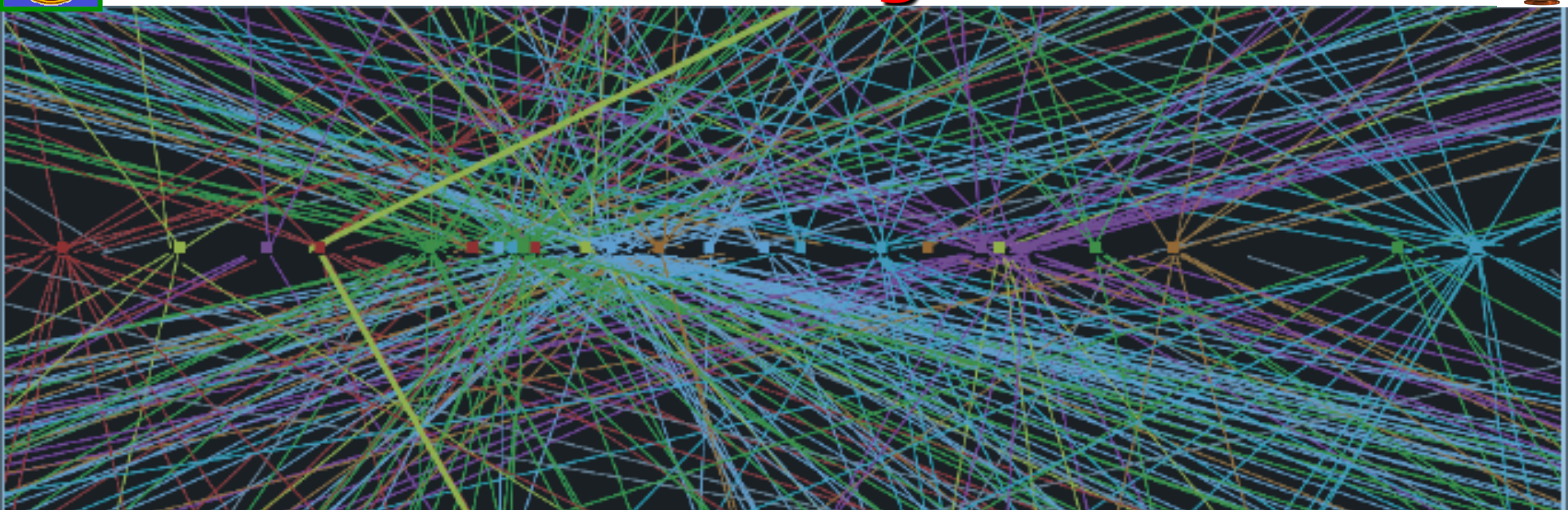
Peak average Interactions/BX



$\beta^* = 0.6\text{m}$



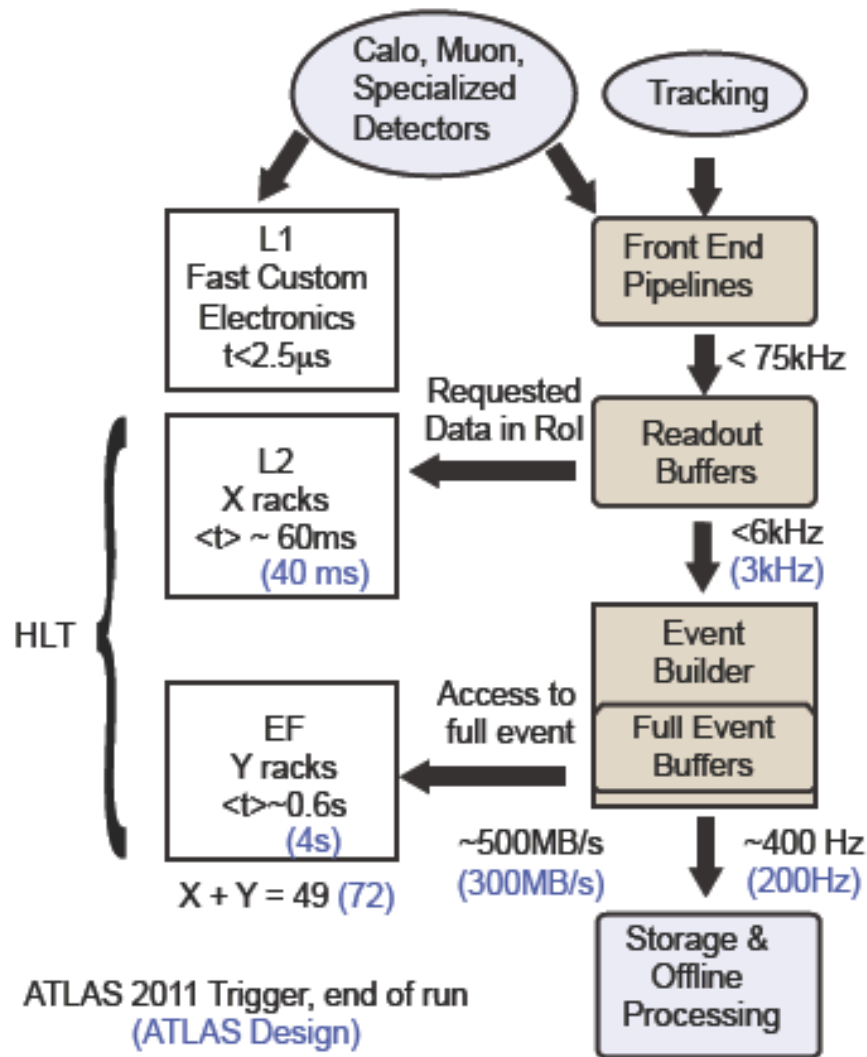
Vertexing



- Vertex reconstruction in the high track density environments is a challenging task
- Current reconstruction is performing well
 - Our vertex reconstruction efficiency remains very high
- The challenge is to:
 - Cleanly reconstruct each vertex
 - Select the correct vertex for your each analysis



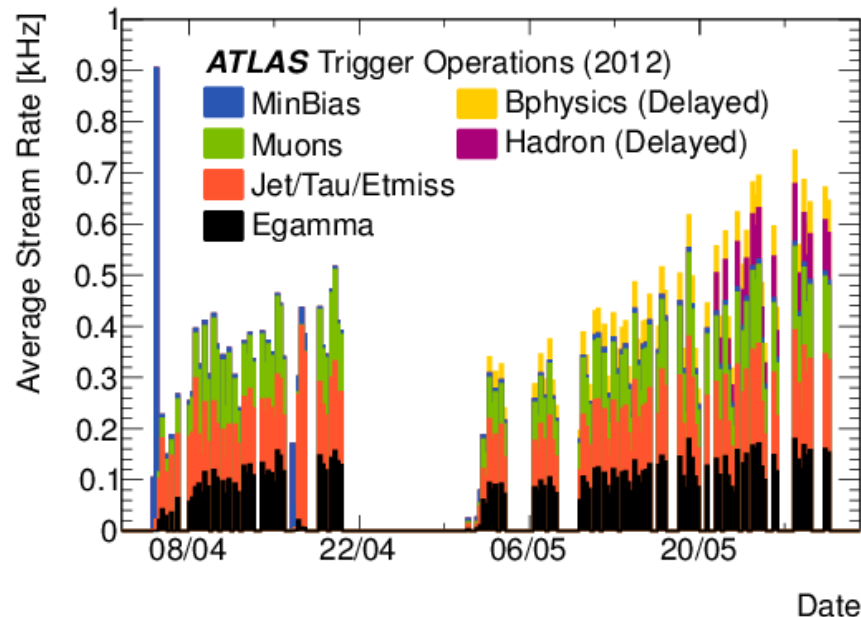
Trigger and DAQ



ATLAS 2011 Trigger, end of run
(ATLAS Design)

arXiv:1110.1530

- DAQ readout rate significantly beyond design (lower thresholds)
- Expect that system is adequate for the 2012 run

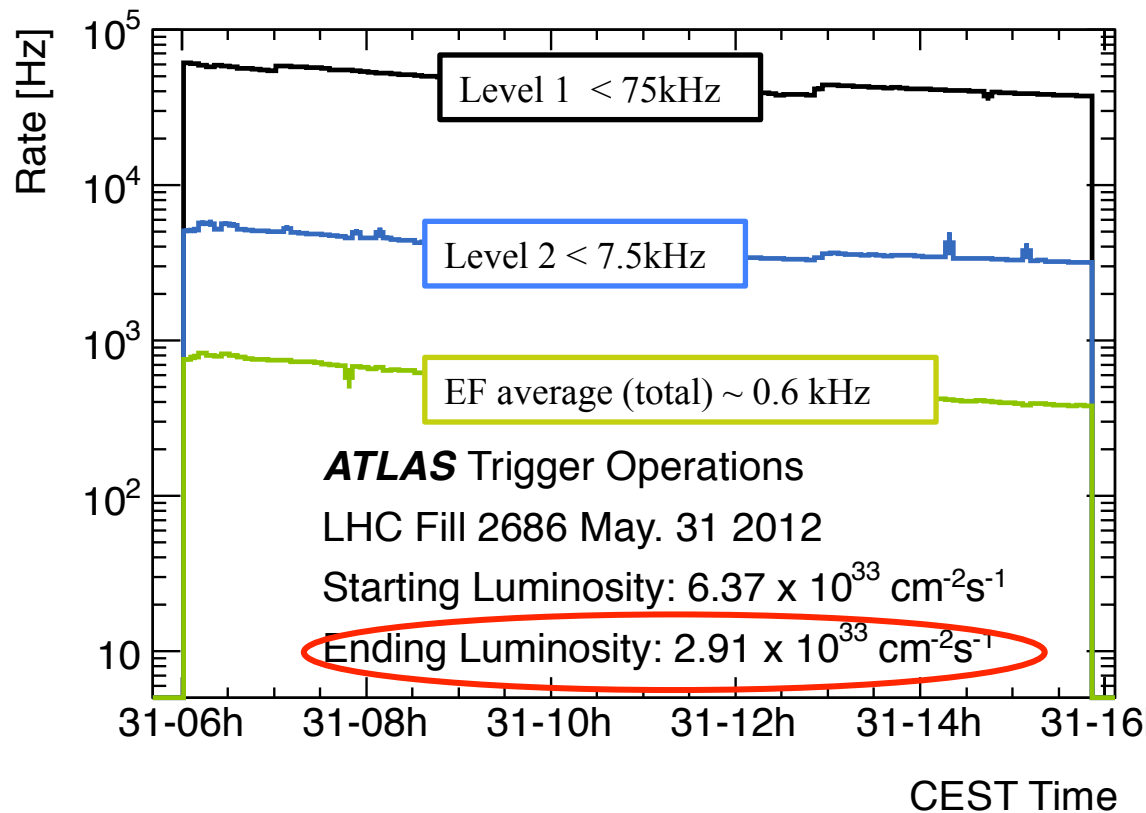




Trigger and DAQ



Trigger: pile-up robust algorithms and optimization of selections (e.g. isolation) to keep low un-prescaled thresholds (e.g. inclusive e , μ) in spite of x2 larger L and pile-up than in 2011



- Trigger Menu is largely driven by level 1 constraints (75kHz max)
- Average prompt EF output rate (0.4kHz) is driven by offline processing and storage
- Excess bandwidth used by temporary "priority items"
- The EF delayed stream (2012 only, mainly B physics and extra jets) can be up to 0.2kHz



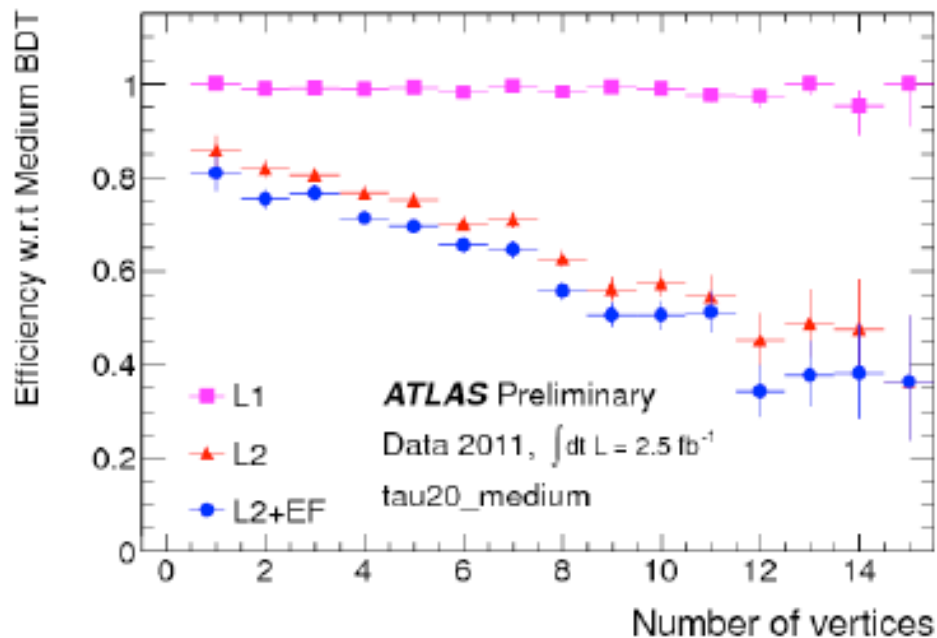
Trigger during 2012

- Level-1 menu: defined at $L = 8 \times 10^{33} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$ (8 TeV) for 75kHz with ($\sim 10\text{kHz}$ contingency)

- Level-2:

- Pile-up insensitive selections for tau and e implemented in Level-2

Example tau trigger: efficiency with respect to the offline identified tau candidates as a function of number of vertices measured in **2011**...

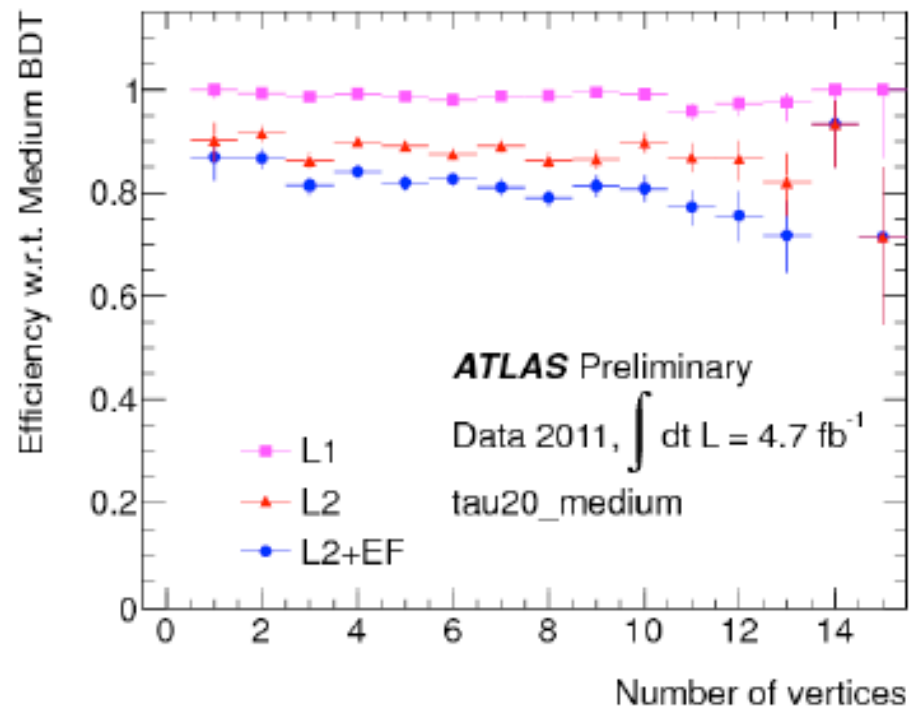


... and as **expected for 2012**

(the τ trigger is rerun on 2011 dataset from unbiased Z

→ $\tau\tau$ → μh events,

μ trigger is used to collect Z → $\tau\tau$ → μh data).





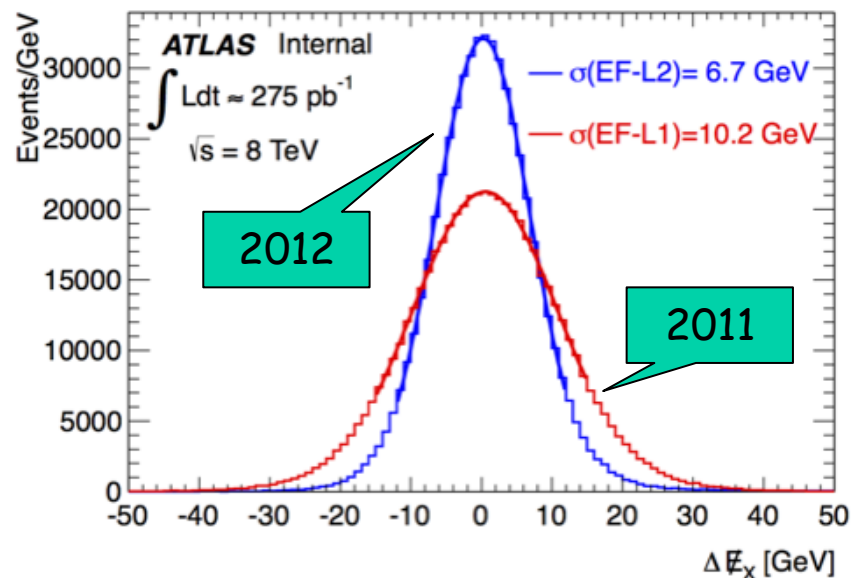
Trigger during 2012

Improvements

- Pileup robust electron selection, based on 2012 offline selection
- Pileup robust tau selection (see slides)
- Use both inside-out and outside-in muon selections in the EF
- Missing E_t (MET) improvements (threshold now lower than in 2011):
 - Optimize L1 noise cuts to match 2012 pileup
 - Fast Front End Board sums at Level 2
 - Use offline clustering for EF
- New LT jet finding based on trigger tower information

Item	Lowest unprescaled EF threshold (GeV)	Rate (Hz) @ 5×10^{33}
Incl. e	24	60
Incl. μ	24	45
ee	12	8
$\mu\mu$	13	5
$\tau\tau$	29,20	12
$\gamma\gamma$	20	10
E_T^{miss}	80	17
$5j$	55	8

E_T^{miss} now re-calculated at LVL2 using calo FEB sums \rightarrow sharper turn-on than in 2011

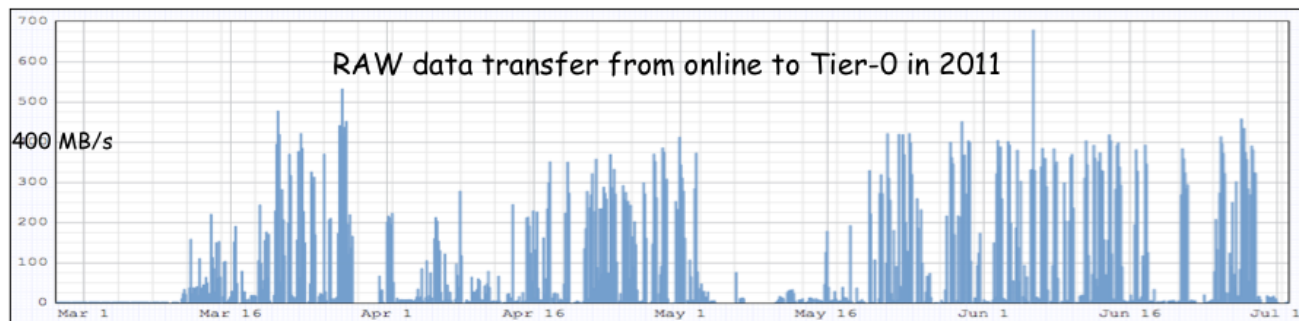




ATLAS Worldwide GRID Computing

Tier0 at CERN:

- First raw data processing
~48h after data taking:
 - Calibration/DQ/mask bad channels.
- Data used for physics analysis on GRID in ~ 1 week

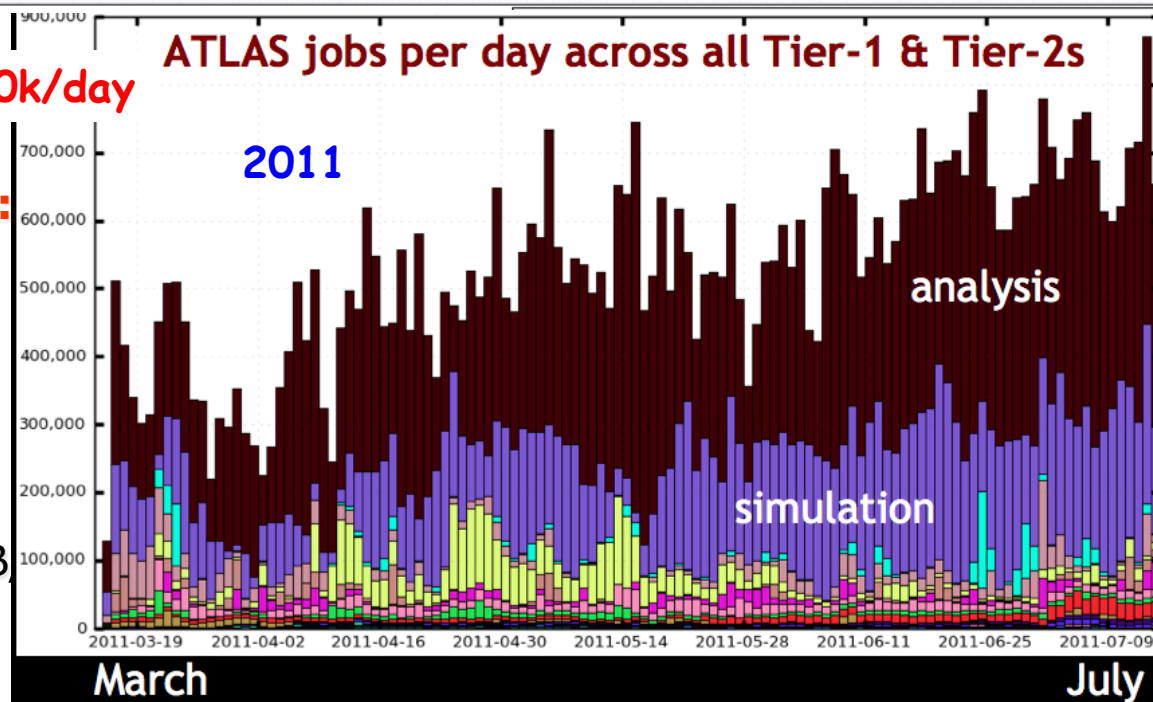


Tiers1/Tier2 (~10+~70 sites):

- Simulation
- Re-processing of data and MC
- Physics analysis
- up to 800k jobs/day
- More than 1000 users
- 10 GB/s peak rate (Design 2GB)
- ~66 PetaBytes since LHC start

ATLAS jobs per day across all Tier-1 & Tier-2s

800k/day



Excellent computing performance allow results shortly after data taking

Reconstruction software has been improved to deal with higher pileup in 2012



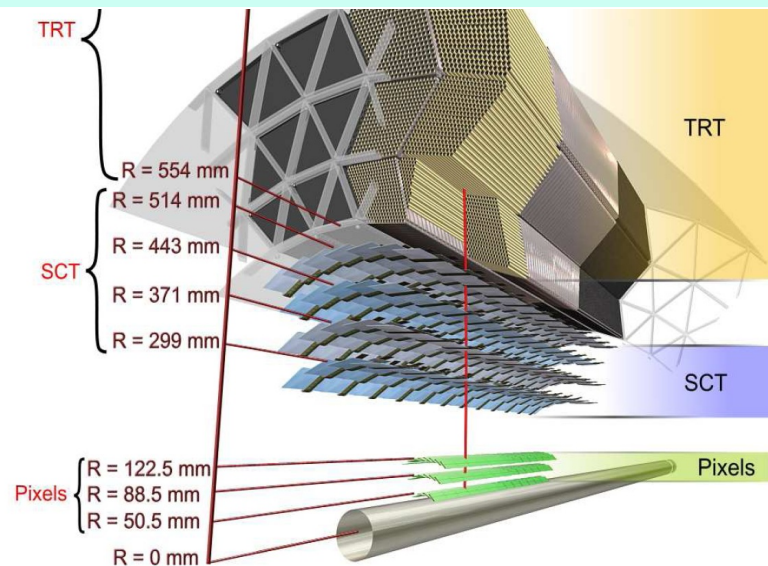
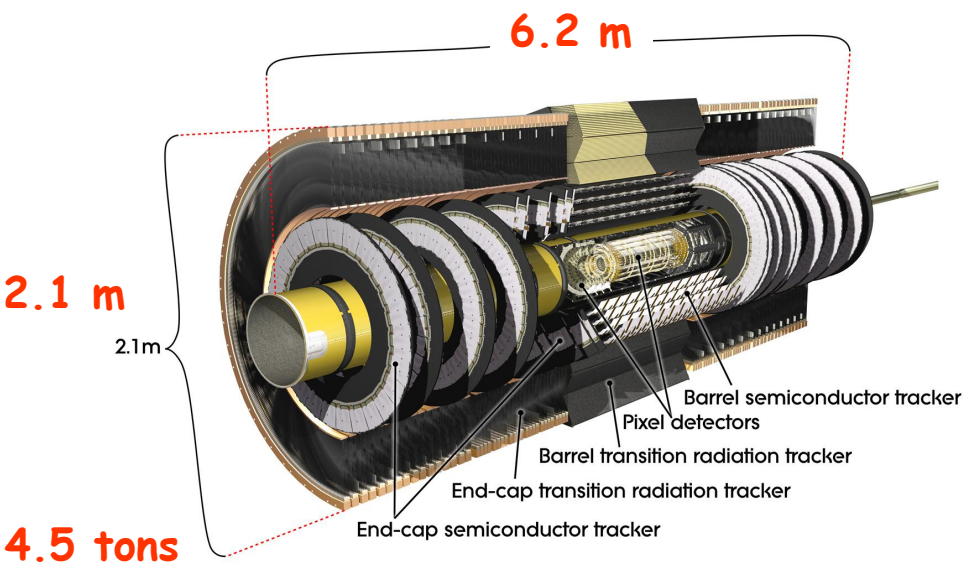
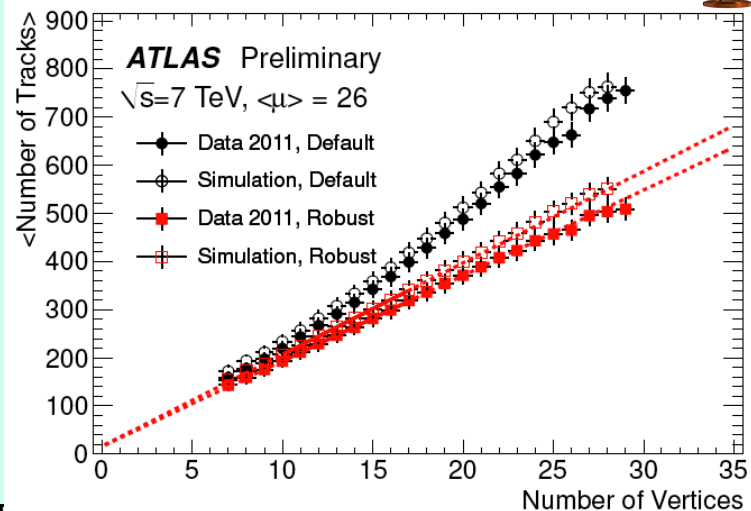
ATLAS Inner detector



- Precise tracking and vertexing,
- e/n separation; coverage: $|\eta| < 2.5$
- B (solenoid) = 2T
- $\langle \text{hits} \rangle$ in barrel $\sim 3/8/30$ pixel/SCT/TRT;
- $0.5X_0$ at $\eta=0$; $1.1 X_0$ at $\eta=1.8$
- $\sigma_{pT} / pT = 0.05\% pT \oplus 1\%$

3 Sub-detectors

- **Si Pixels**: 80M channels ; 3 layers and 3 disks ; $|\eta| < 2.5$
- **10^6 Si strips (SCT)**: 6M channels; 4 layers and 9 disks ;
- **Transition Radiation Tracker (TRT)** : 350k channels ; $|\eta| < 2.0$





Inner detector performance (1)

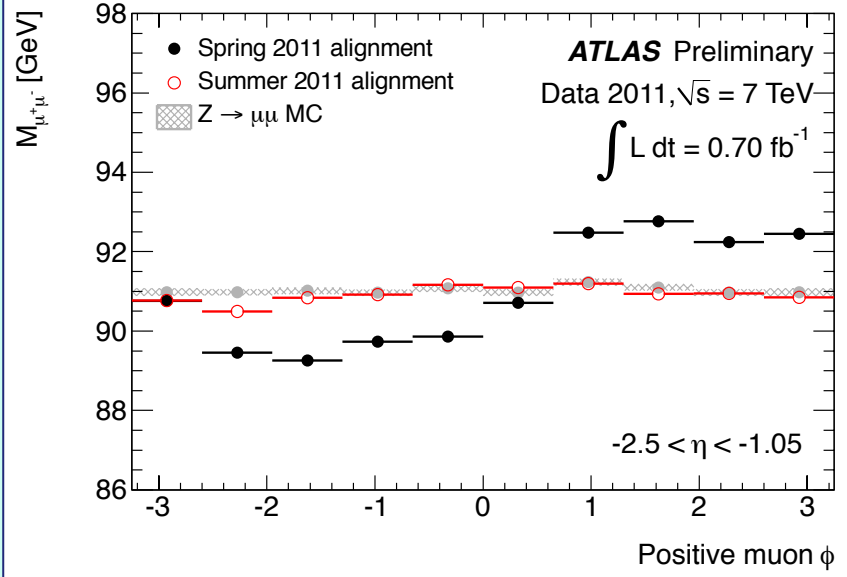


- P_t scale determined at %o level at low P_t and at % level at $P_t \sim 100$ GeV
- σ/p_T much improved in summer 2011, in particular in the high p_T region (low p_T region dominated by multiple scattering):
- Increased statistics
- B field-ID tilt correction in y (0.55 mrad)
- Constrain E/p measurement for e^+ and e^-

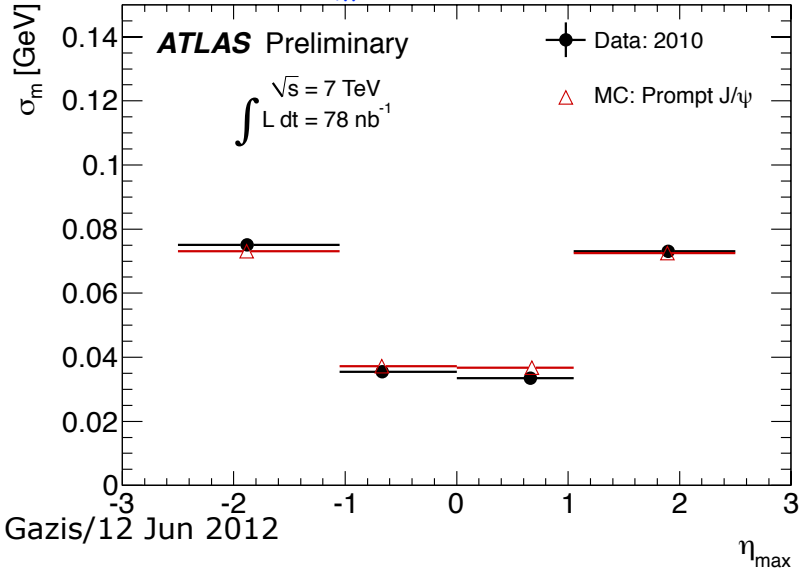


Data close to MC and close to design
 Response independent of ϕ
 (e.g. σ_Z improvement in end-cap by factor 3)

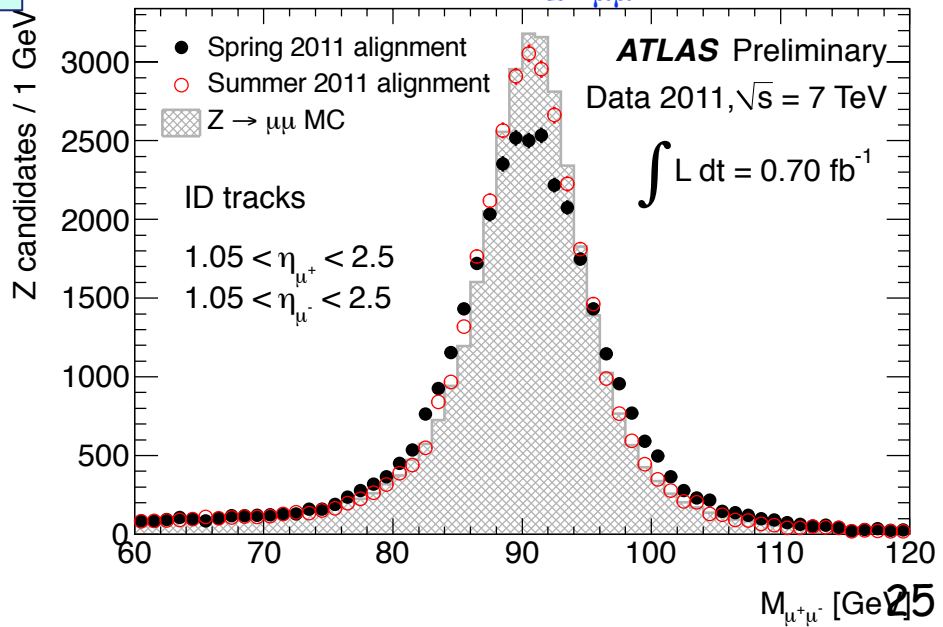
$M_{z \rightarrow \mu\mu}$ vs ϕ



$\sigma_m(J/\Psi \rightarrow \mu\mu)$ vs η



$M_{z \rightarrow \mu\mu}$





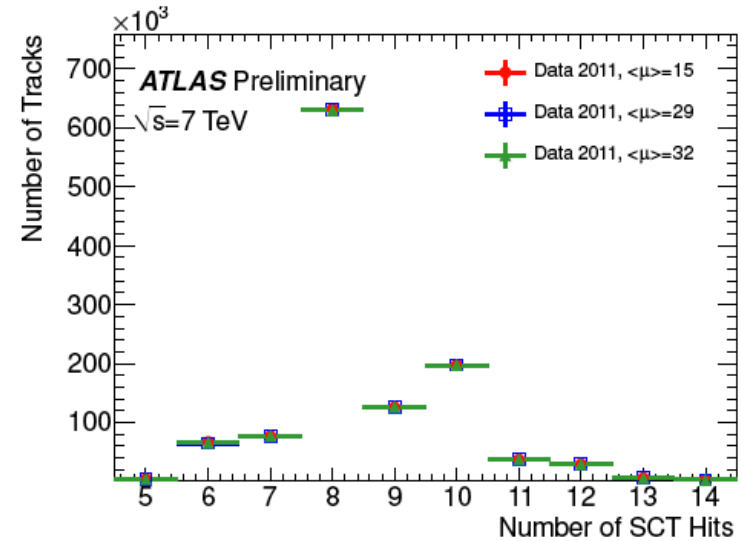
Inner detector performance (2)



SCT #Tracks vs # Hits

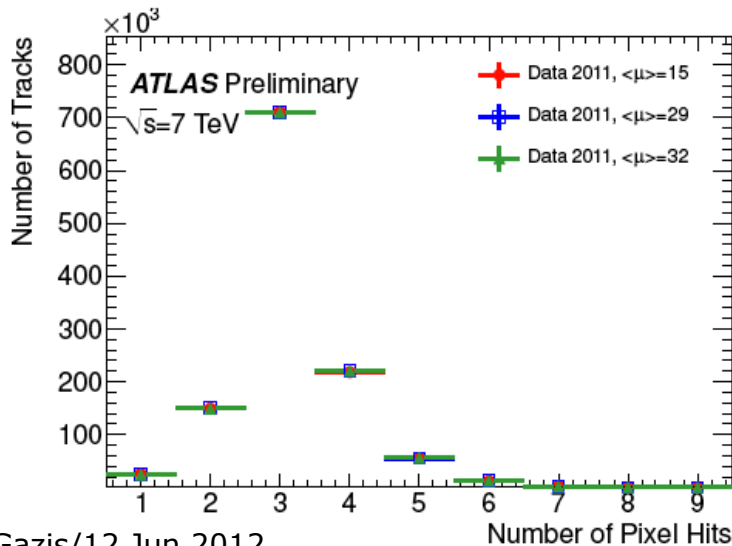
Noise occupancy and hit efficiency exceed the design specifications:

- Hit efficiency: Pixels/SCT >> 99% ; TRT > 95%
- Noise Occupancy: Pixel < 10^{-9} ; SCT < 5×10^{-4} , TRT ~ 2%.
- Good TRT particle identification over all η



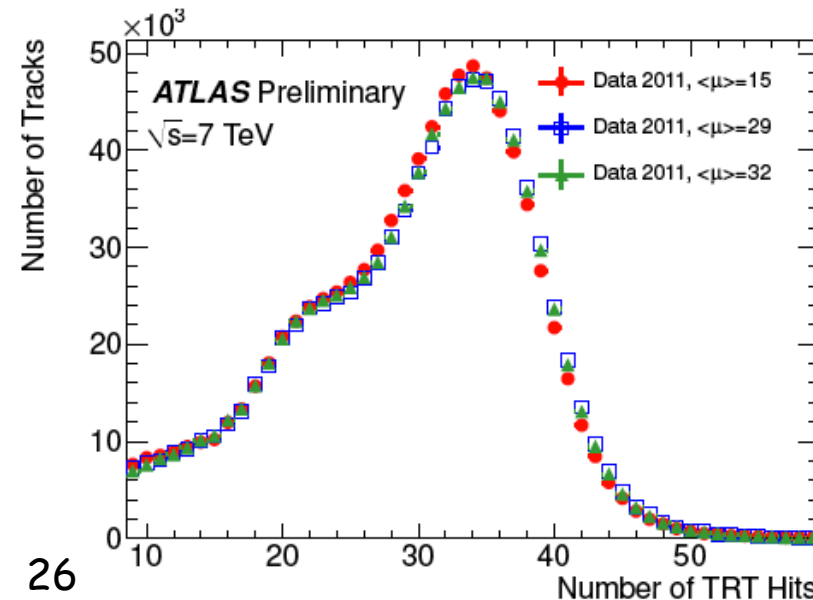
Number of pixel, SCT and TRT hits for tracks meeting the robust requirements in data taken at medium and high pile-up.

The distributions are normalized to the same number of reconstructed tracks.



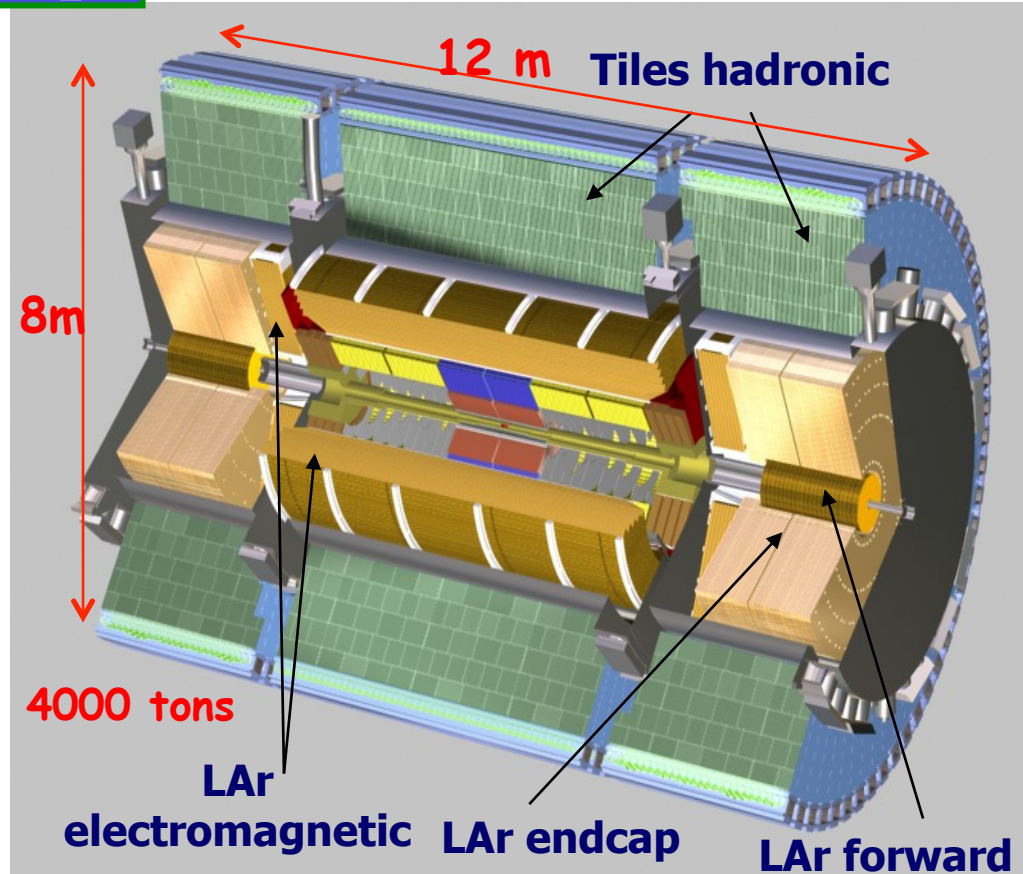
Pixel

TRT





The Atlas calorimeter ($|\eta| < 4.9$)



Hadron calorimeter

- Trigger, jet measurement E_t^{miss}
- $\sigma/E \sim 50\% \sqrt{E} \oplus 0.03$
- $|\eta| < 1.7$: Fe/scint. Tiles (Tilecal)
- $3.2 < |\eta| < 1.5$: Cu-Lar (HEC)
- $3.1 < |\eta| < 4.9$: FCAL Cu/W-Lar

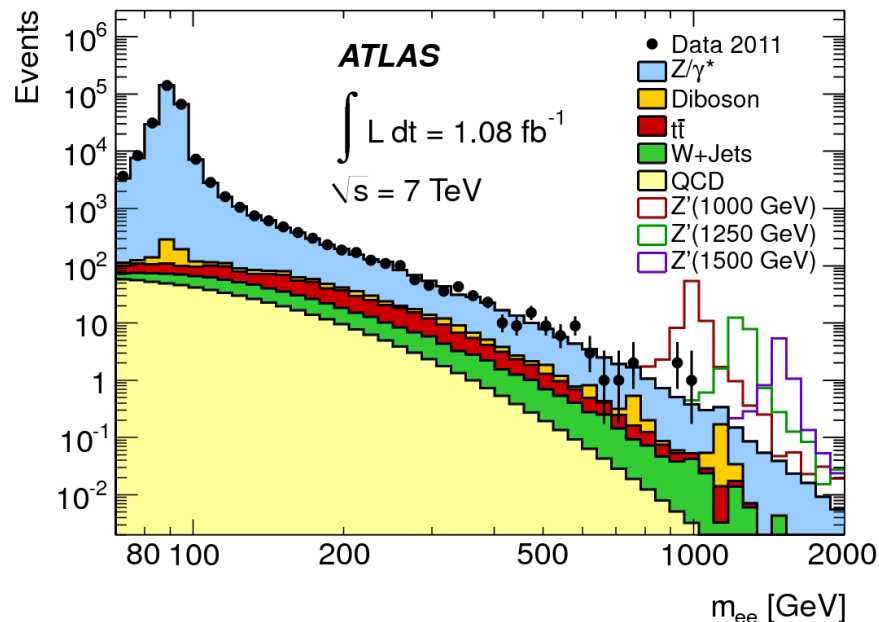
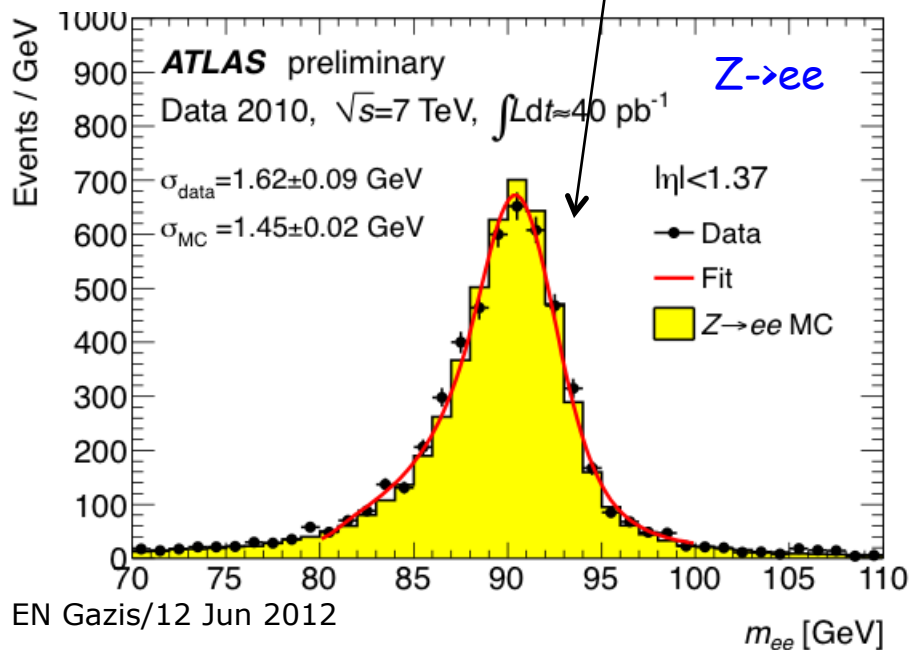
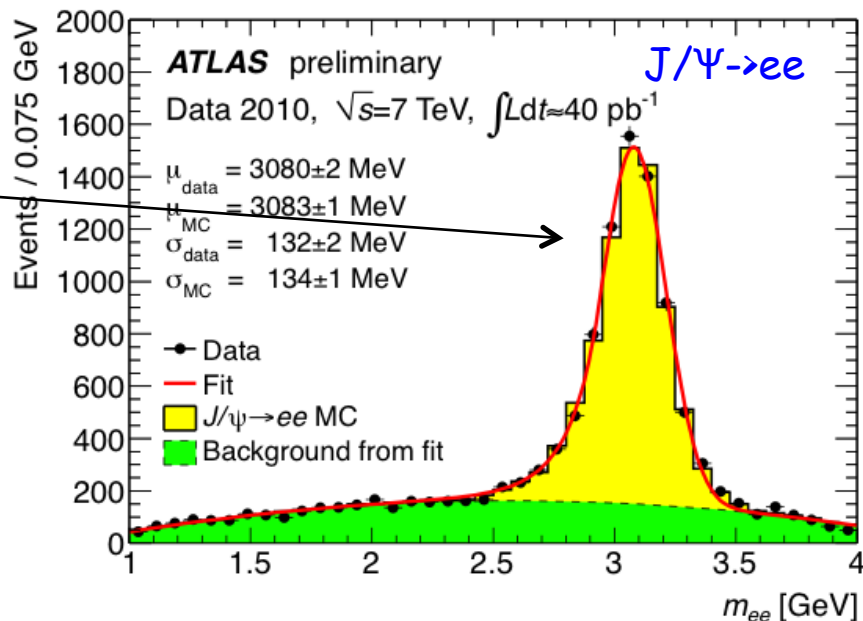
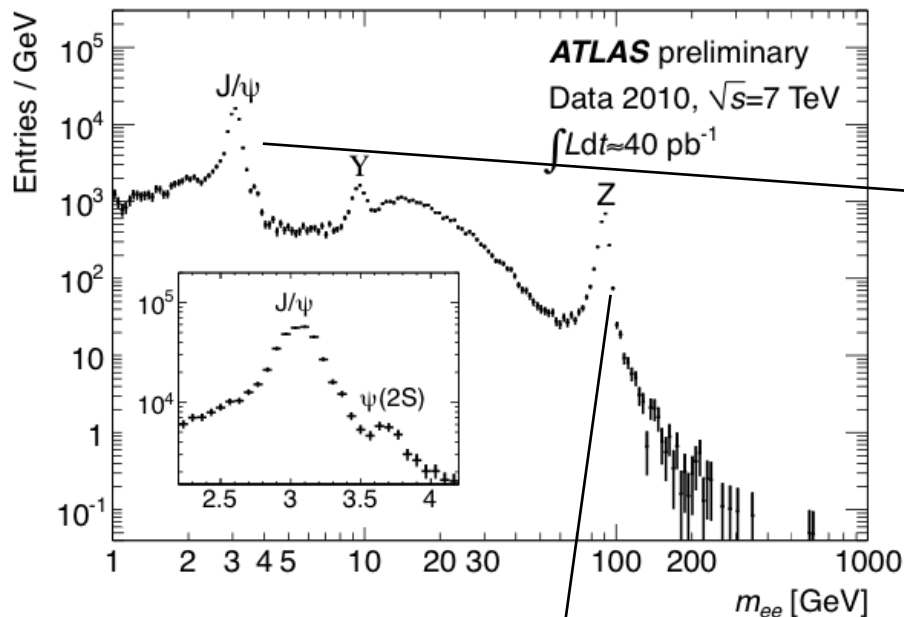
- $|\eta| < 4.9$
- 10l at $|\eta| = 0$
- 3-4 Longitudinal layers
- 20×10^3 channels

Lar-Pb EM calorimeter:

- e/ γ trigger, identification; measurement
- 3 longitudinal layers with different granularity: $2.5 < \eta < 3.2$ only 2 layers, extra presampler layer for $\eta < 1.8$, $\sigma/E \sim 10\% \sqrt{E}$
- Barrel $|\eta| < 1.475$, End-cap $1.375 < |\eta| < 3.2$
- 173k channels



EM-Calo Performance-Resonances with known particles and searching for new ones



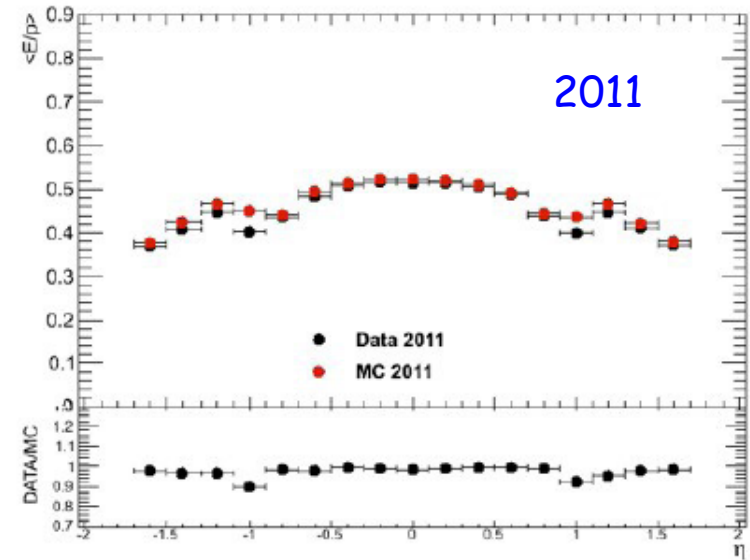


Hadron calorimeter performance

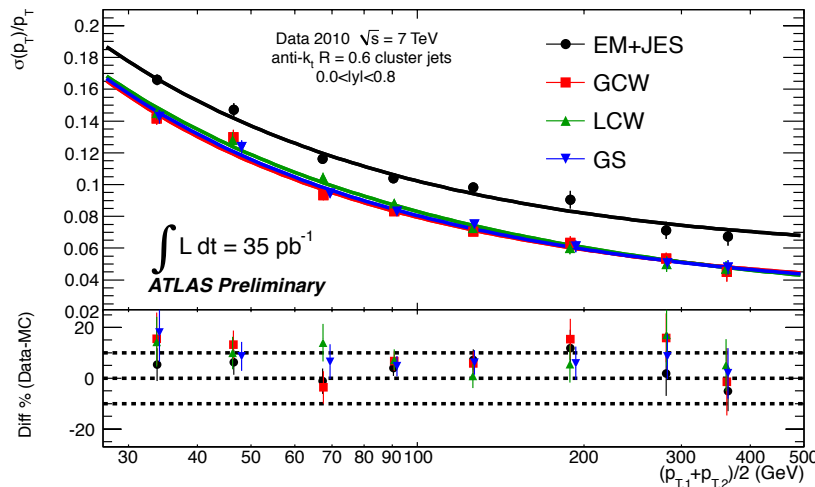
- Good performance, agreement with MC (within 10%) thanks to >10 years test-beam, cosmics. Resolution close to design:
 - constant term $\sim 3\%$ at $\sim 2\text{TeV}$ (GCW/LCW/GS calibrations)
 - Further improvement of 10% on resolution using track-jet based calibration method (TBJC).

-2011: Pile-up worsen low pt resolution by $\sim 20\%$. Improvements expected after pile-up corrections for in-time/out-time bunches/noise threshold tuning (LAr drift time $\sim 500\text{ns}$; bipolar shaping designed for $\langle E_T \rangle \sim 0$ at 25ns bunch spacing)

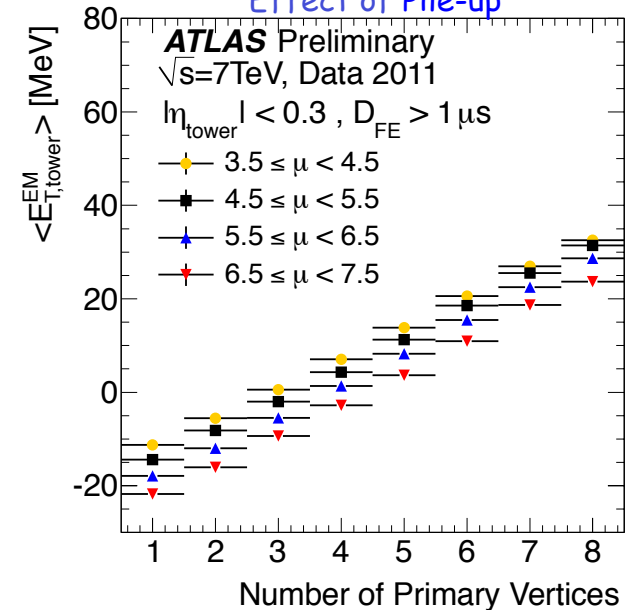
E/p response in Tile had. calorimeter



Jet resolution (Lar+Tilecal ($|\eta| < 0.8$))



Effect of Pile-up



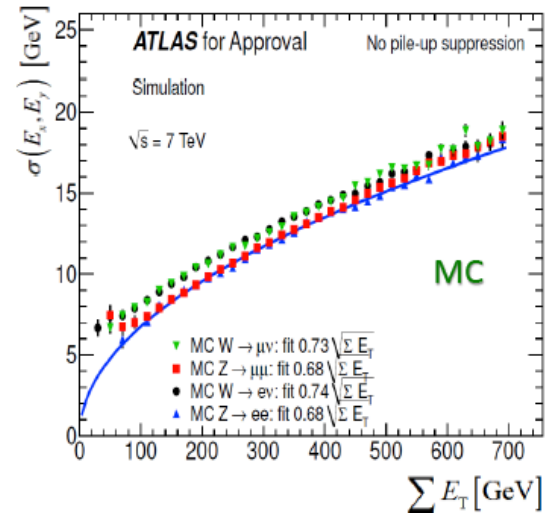
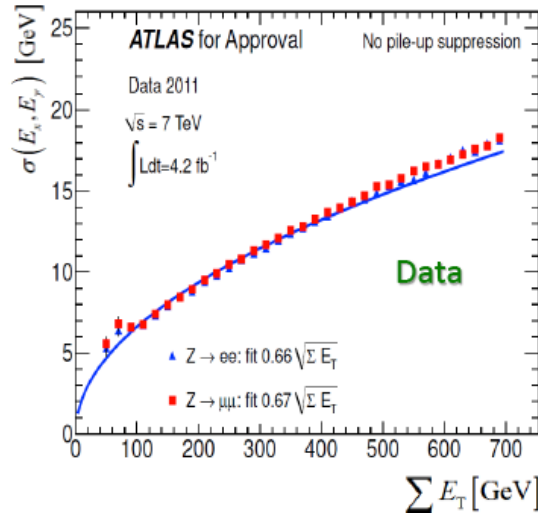


E_T^{miss} Performance

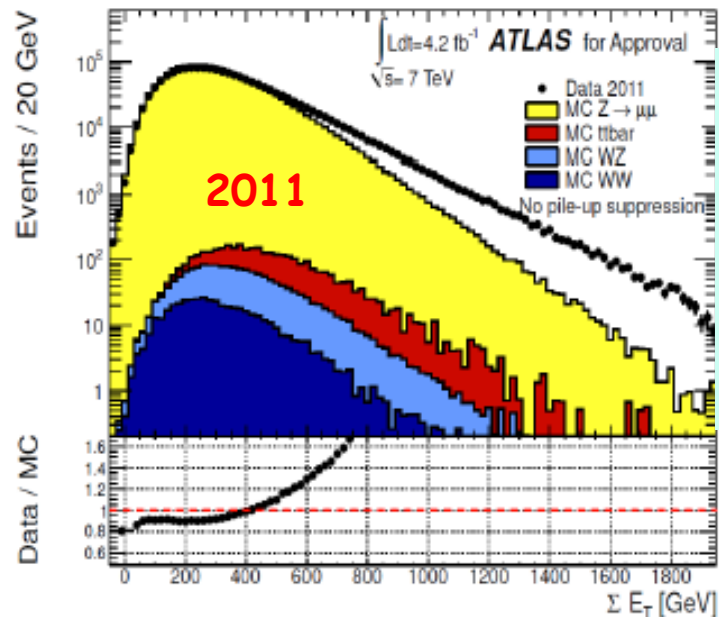


MET Resolution in data & MC:

- Key element for many searches and precise measurements (SUSY, top,...)
- Sensitive to calorimeter performance
- Good resolution in p and Pb collisions:
- $\sigma(E_T) = 0.48 \times \Sigma E_T$
- Good data-MC agreement
- No tails in min.bias sample
- Scale precision $\sim 2\%$ ($W \rightarrow e\nu$; $W \rightarrow \mu\nu$)



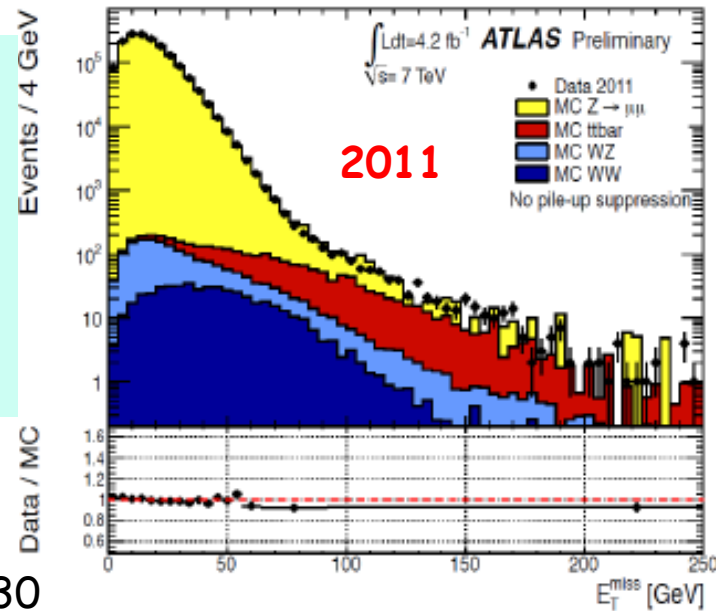
sum E_T distribution with di-jets



In 2011: Optimal performance require pile-up/noise tuned corrections vs Luminosity in LAr cells to set $\langle E_T \rangle \sim 0$ independently of L (being done)

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E_T^{miss} distribution ($Z \rightarrow ee$)

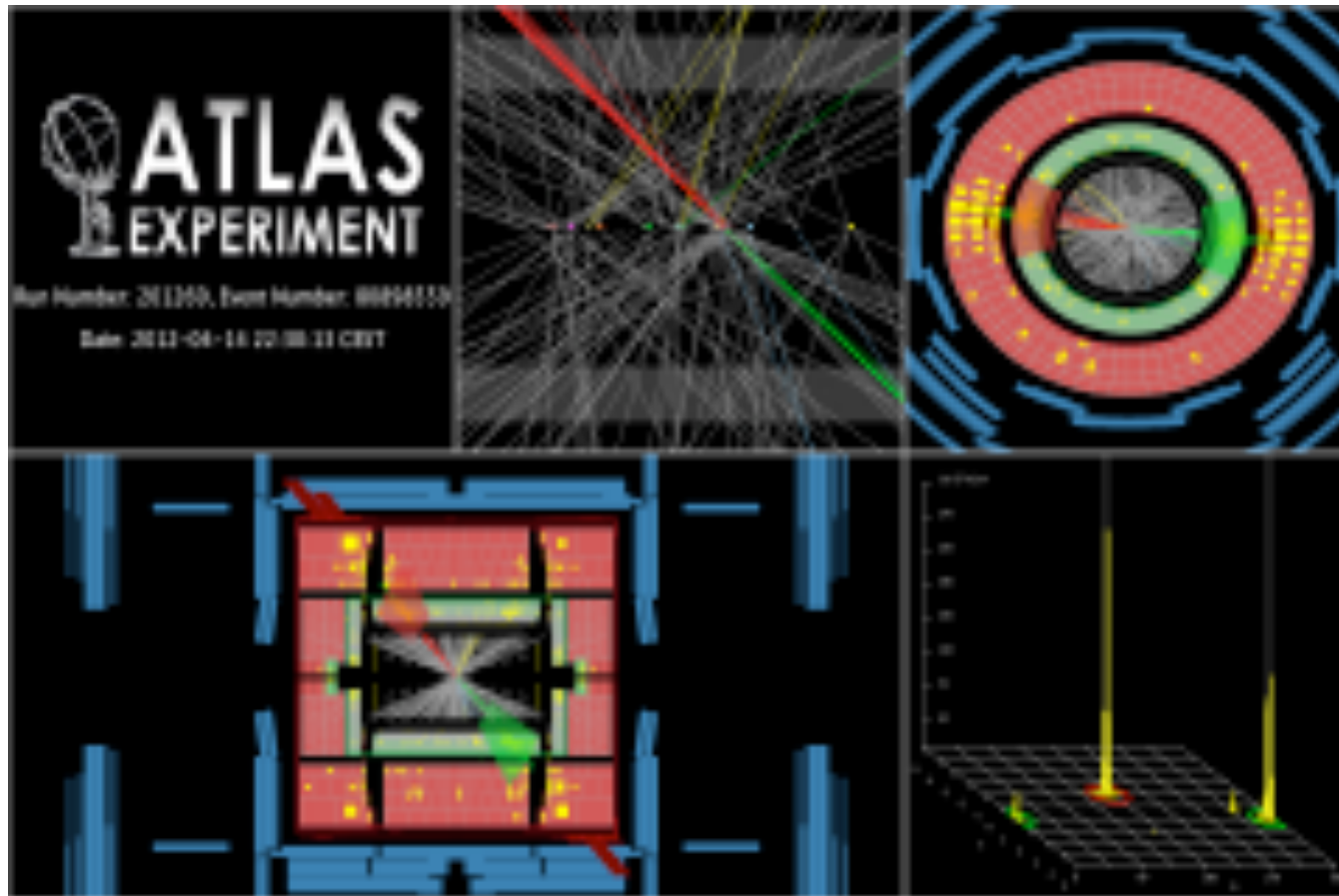


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Highest-mass dijet event taken on 14 April 2012



$$M_{jj} = 4.23 \text{ TeV}$$



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$$\text{Jet 1: } p_T = 1.36 \text{ TeV, } \eta = -1.02, \phi = 3.01$$

$$\text{Jet 2: } p_T = 1.29 \text{ TeV, } \eta = 1.06, \phi = 0.09$$

$$E_{\text{tmiss}} = 125 \text{ GeV, } \phi = -0.44$$

$$\text{Sum } E_t = 3.33 \text{ TeV}$$

$$p_T(\text{cut}) = 0.5 \text{ GeV}$$



The Atlas Muon Spectrometer(MS)



4 chambers types gas based ($|\eta| < 2.7$)
 1.1×10^6 channels ; 12000 m^3

Precision chambers : MDT ; CSC Trigger chambers (LVL1): RPC ; TGC

Muon trigger and measurement

Alignment accuracy: $\sim 30\text{-}40 \mu\text{m}$

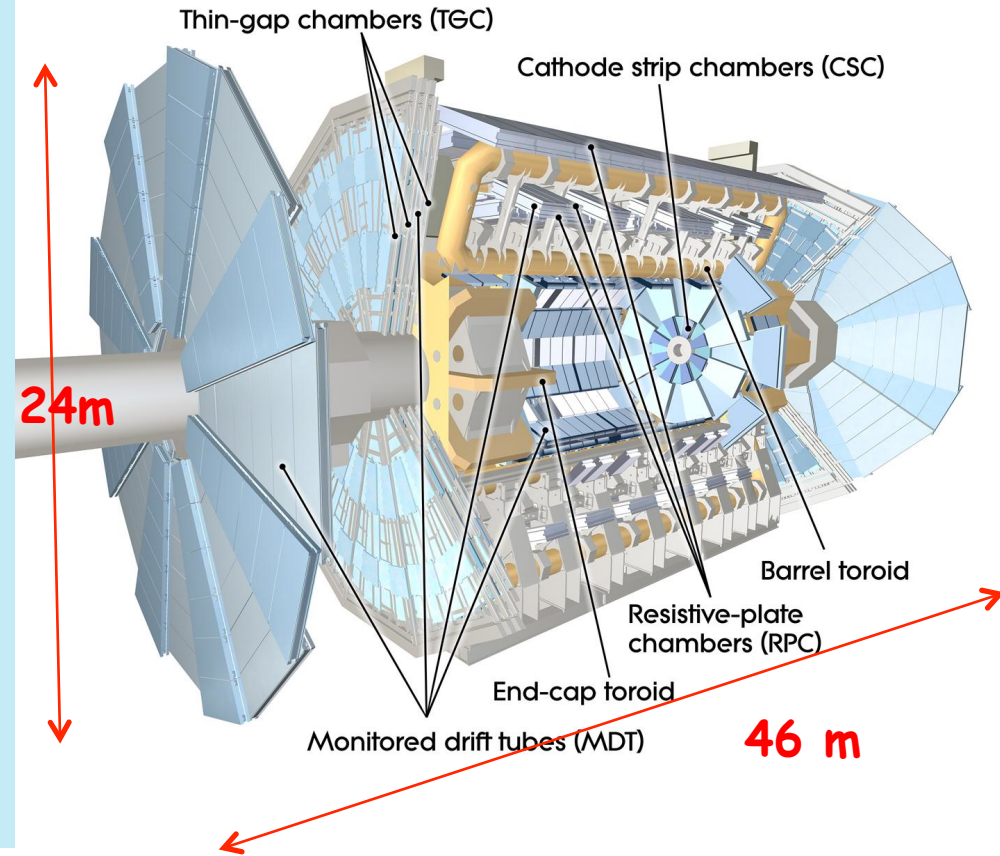
MDT resolution = $80 \mu\text{m}$ ($|\eta| < 2$)

CSC resolution = $60 \mu\text{m}$ ($2 < |\eta| < 2.7$)

Momentum resolution (ID+MS) $|\eta| < 1.1$:

$\sigma_{p_T}/p_T \sim 10\%$ ($p_T \sim 1 \text{ TeV}$)

$\sigma_{p_T}/p_T \sim 2\%$ ($p_T = 50 \text{ GeV}$)



ATLAS MAGNET SYSTEM

4 Superconducting magnets:

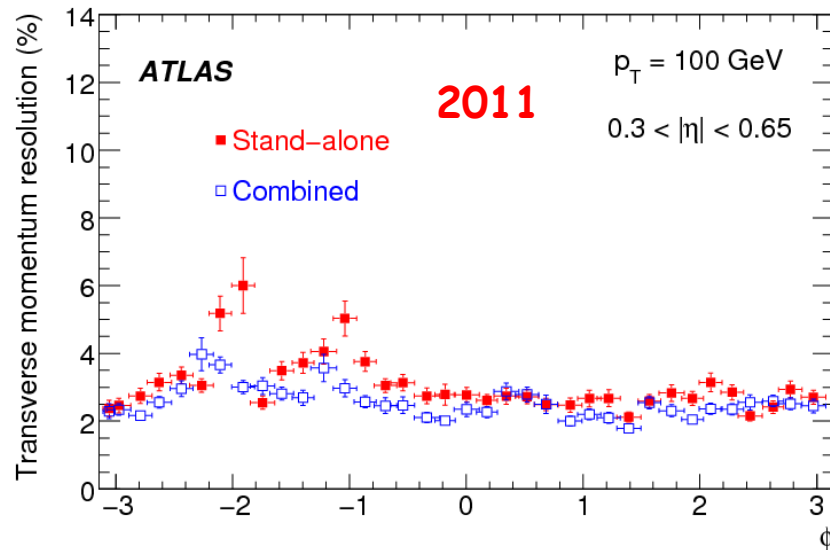
- **Solenoid** around ID ($B=2\text{T}$; 7.6 kA)
- **3 Air core Toroids** (with 8 coils each: 22.0 kA)
- $B_{\text{toroid}} \sim 0.5\text{-}1\text{T}$



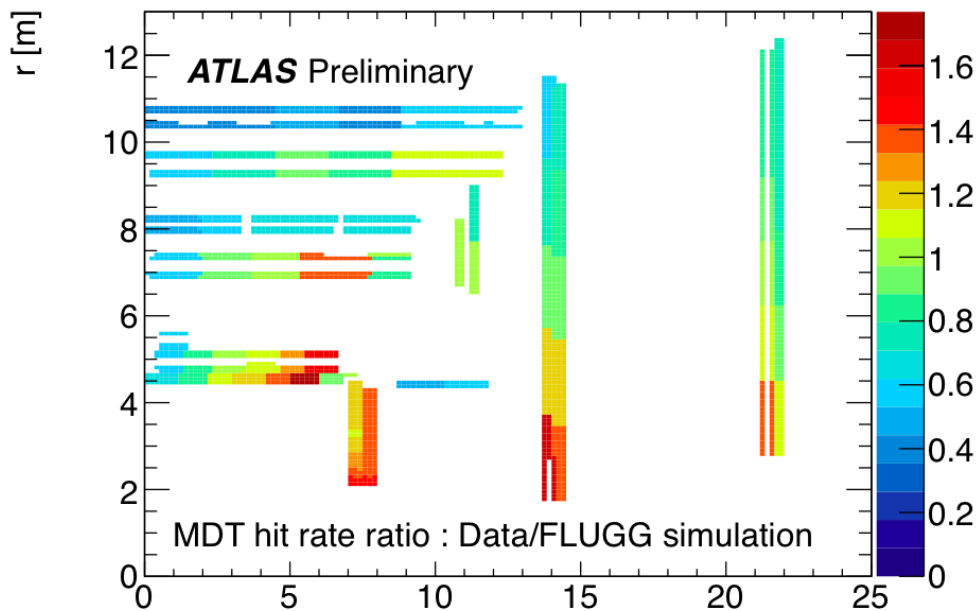
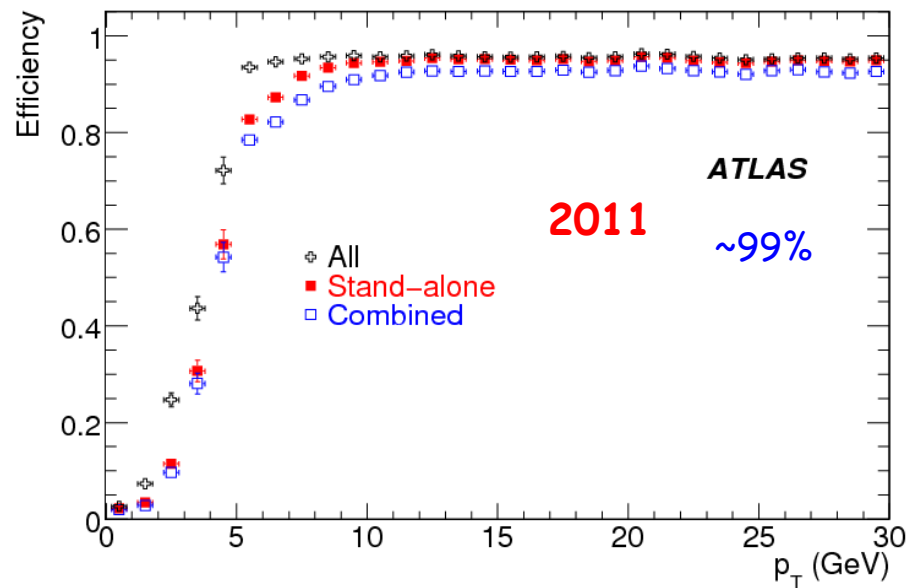
Muon Spectrometer performance (1)



- Alignment precision continuously been improved:
 - barrel: **cosmics->collisions (60 μ m->50 μ m).**
 - **End-cap: collisions with B_{off} (180 μ m ->100 μ m)**
 - Goal is 30-40 mm with more calibration runs (B_{off})
- σ_{p_T}/p_T close to design up to ~ 100 GeV:
 - At low P_t mult. scattering in ID dominate ($\sim 2\%$)
 - TeV region improvement after better alignment
- 99% reconstruction efficiency (pt>20GeV)
- Good agreement data-MC



Muon reconstruction efficiency vs p_T

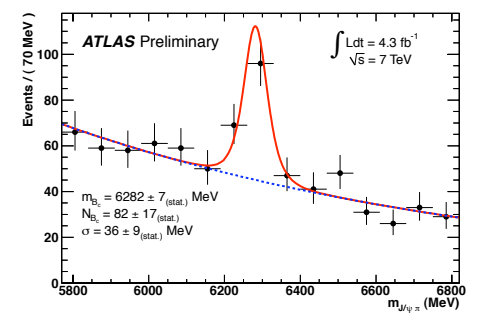
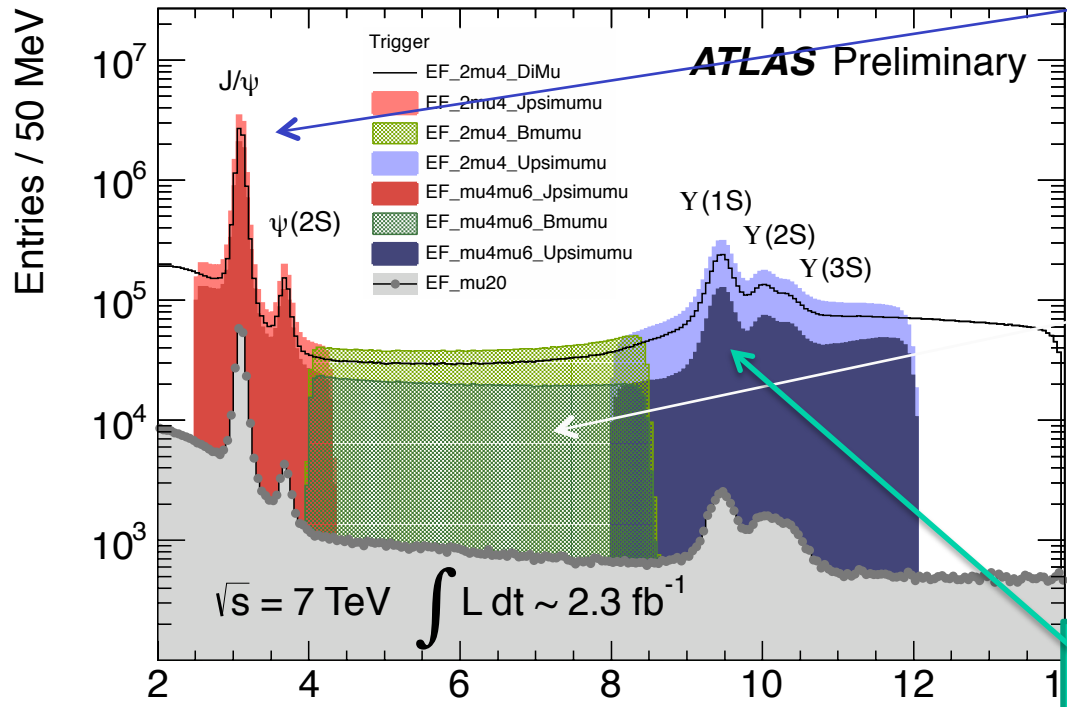




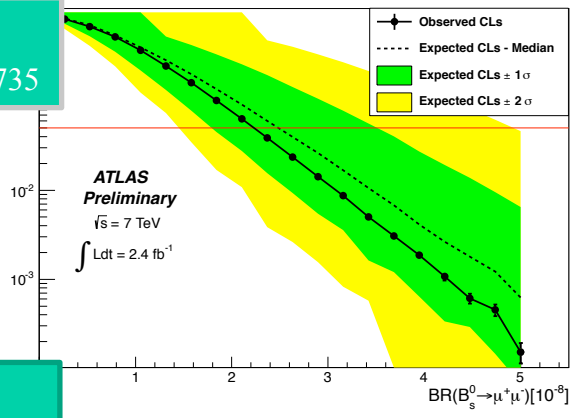
Muon Resonances searches for discoveries



B_c observation
ATLAS-CONF-2012-028
Also λ_b lifetime



$B \rightarrow \mu\mu$
arxiv:1204.0735

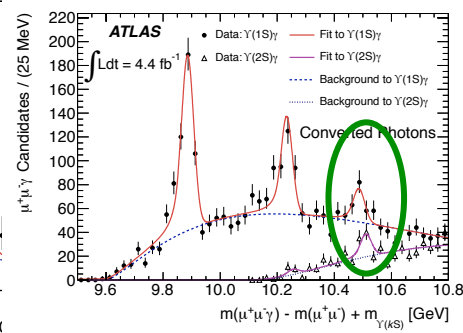
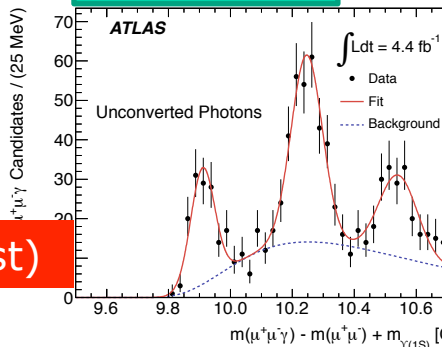


X_b
arxiv:1112.5154

New Resonance!!

$X_b(3P) \rightarrow Y(1s, 2s) \gamma$

$M[X_b(3P)] = 10.539 \pm 0.004 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.008 \text{ (syst)}$

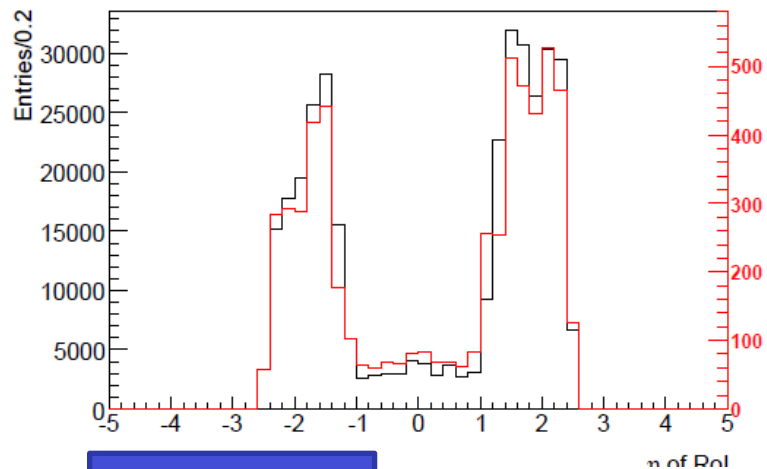




MUON Upgrade

To improve the high-rate trigger efficiency at the S-LHC phase and to avoid fake triggers

Background for 20 GeV muons all in endcap



$P_t > 20$ GeV

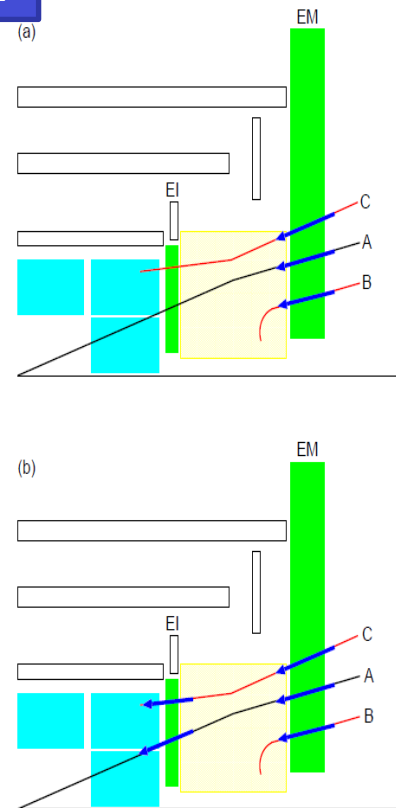
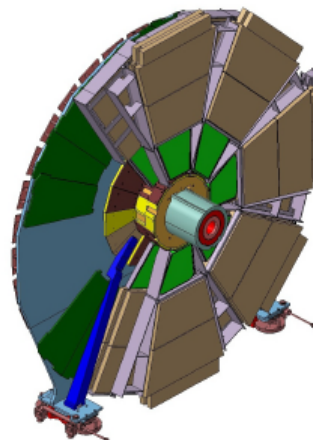
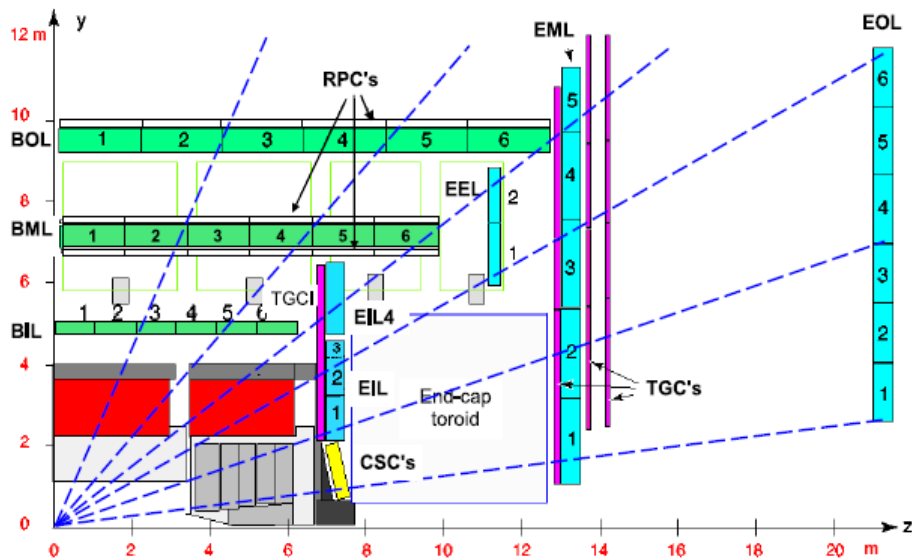


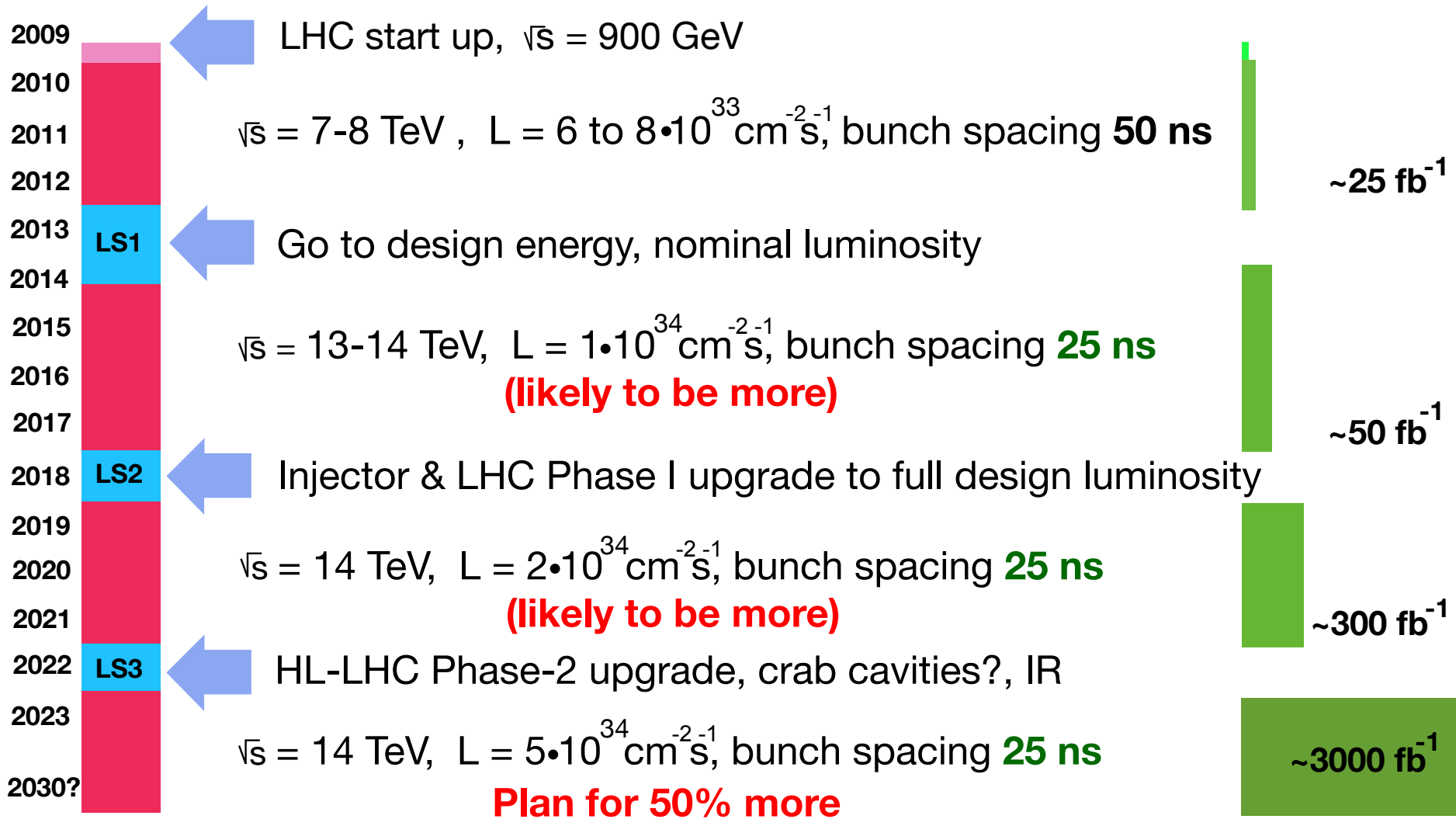
Figure 2.1. Left: A z-y view of 1/4 of the ATLAS detector. The blue boxes indicate the end-cap MD' chambers and the yellow box CSC. Right: A view of a small wheel mounted on the JD disk shielding.



LHC plans (LS1, LS2, LS3)



LS = Long Shutdown





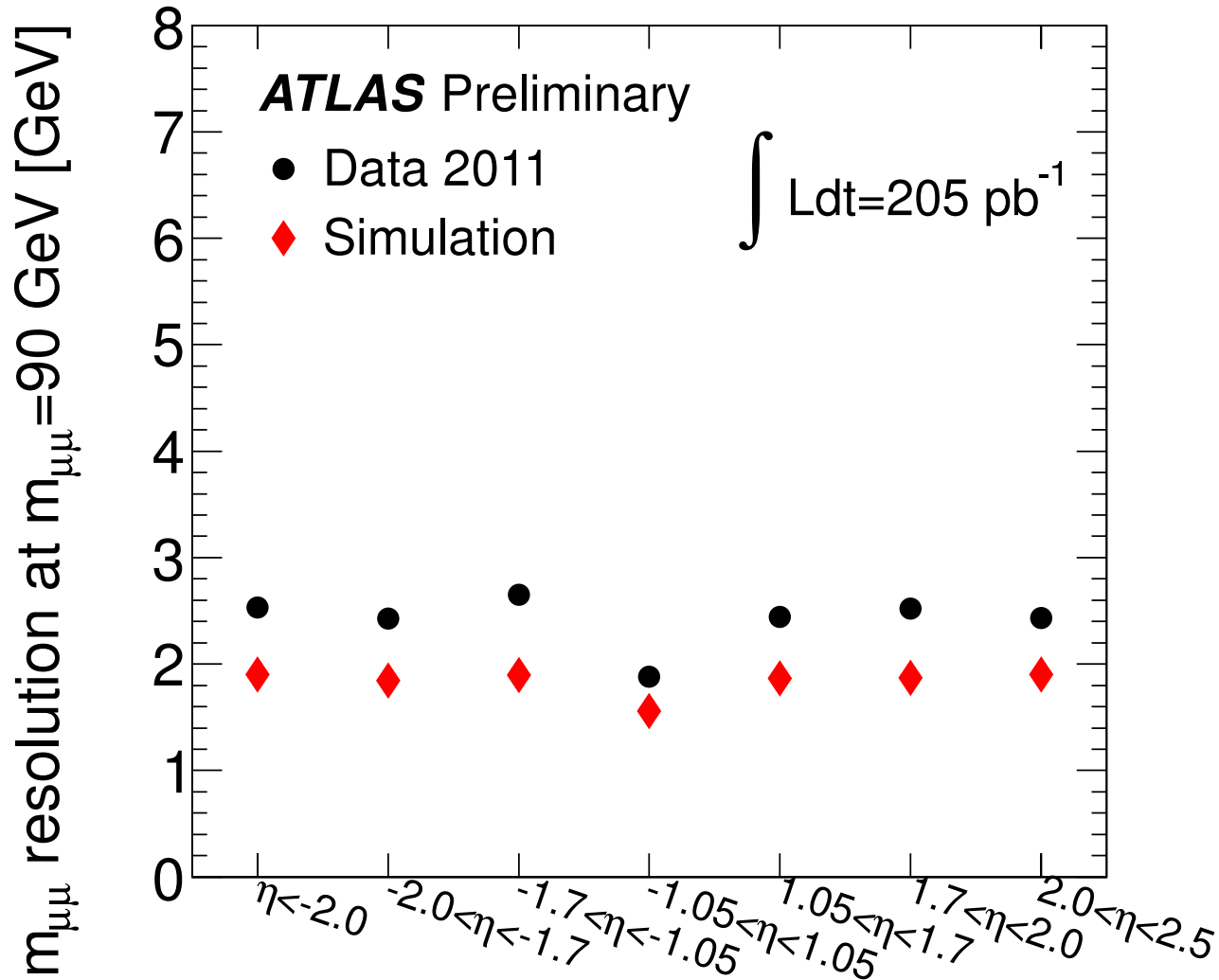
Conclusions



- ATLAS had an excellent year in 2011 due to the high luminosity delivered by LHC and the hard work of the collaboration to deal with high pileup. **ATLAS is exploiting the full physics potential of LHC.**
- Many excellent physics results based on the 2011 run are presented in detail to the summer conferences
- Data taking in 2012 is proceeding smoothly and improvements for high pileup have been largely successful
- ATLAS is working diligently to design and build upgrades to cope with the high luminosities expected after LS1, LS2 and LS3
- **The upgrade R&D and projects are getting at full speed.**

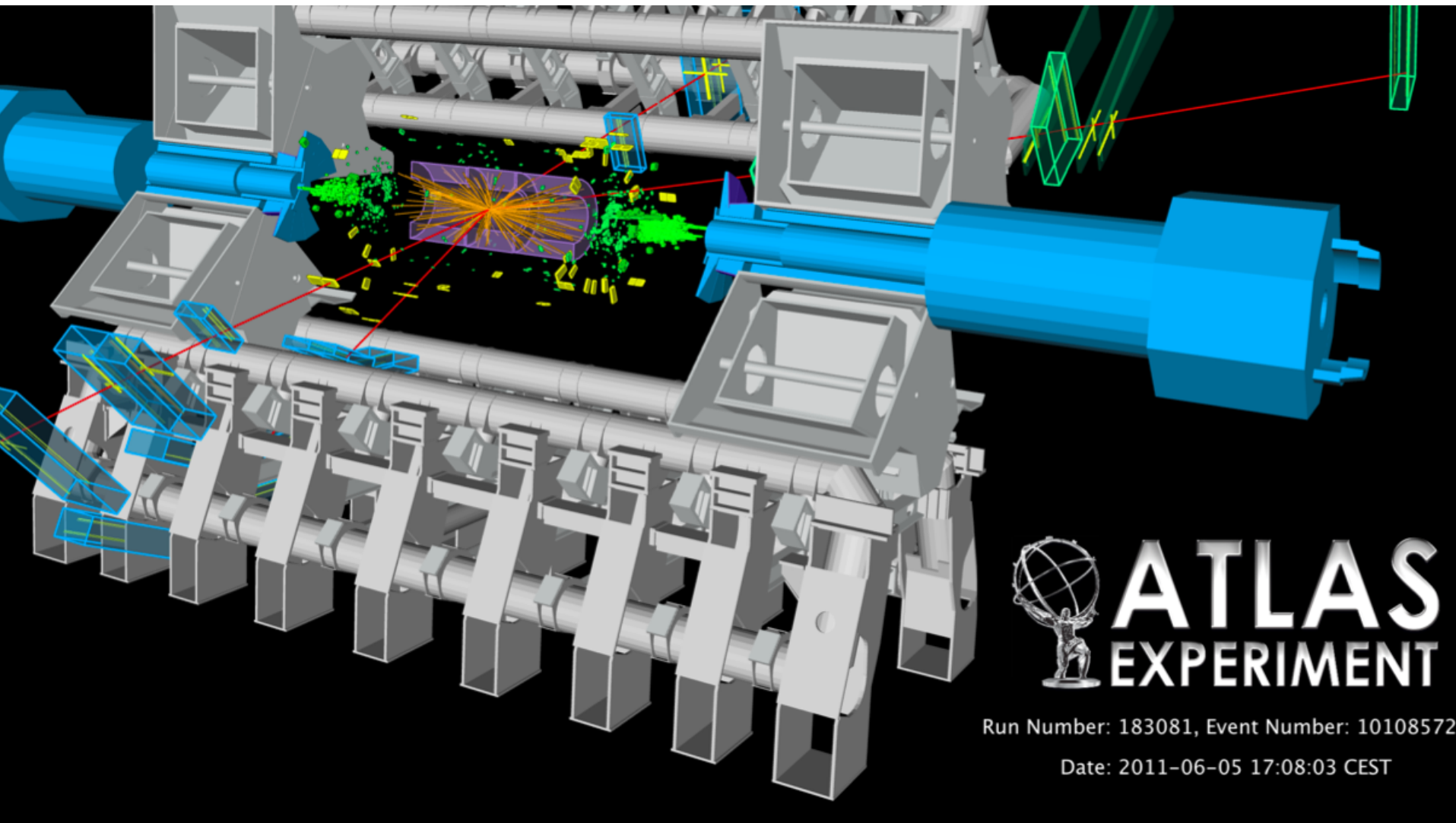
Many thanks to LHC machine for it's excellent performance!

Backup slides

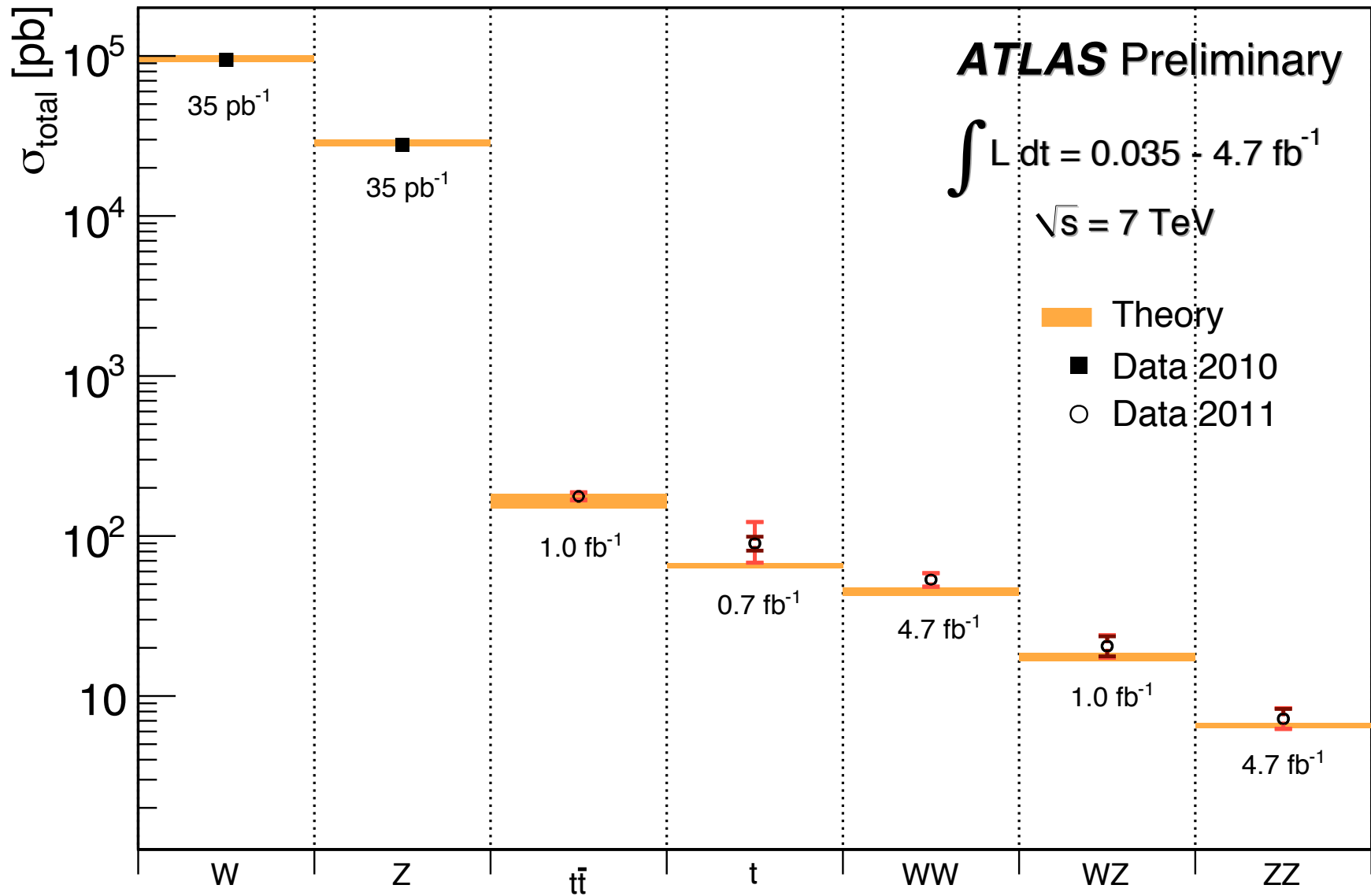


$ZZ^* \rightarrow 4m$ candidate

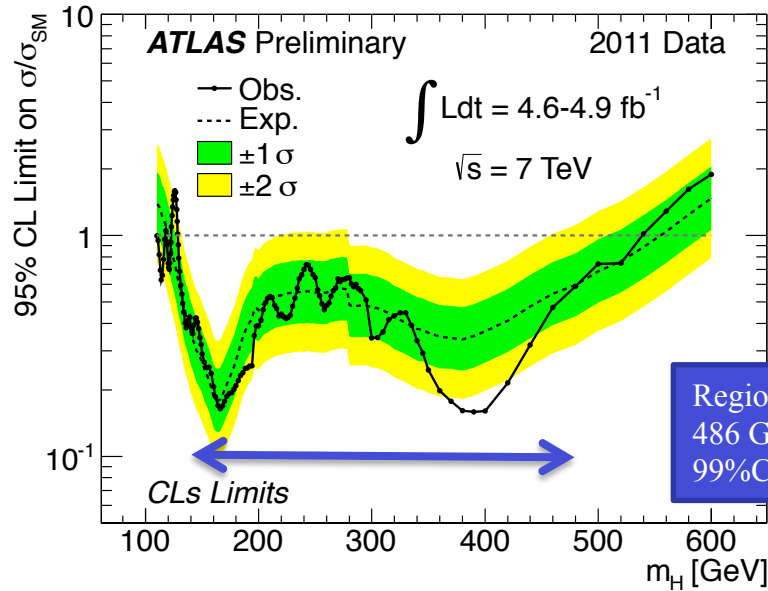
$M_{Z,1} = 90.6 \text{ GeV}$; $M_{Z^*,2} = 47.4 \text{ GeV}$; $M_{4m} = 143.5 \text{ GeV}$



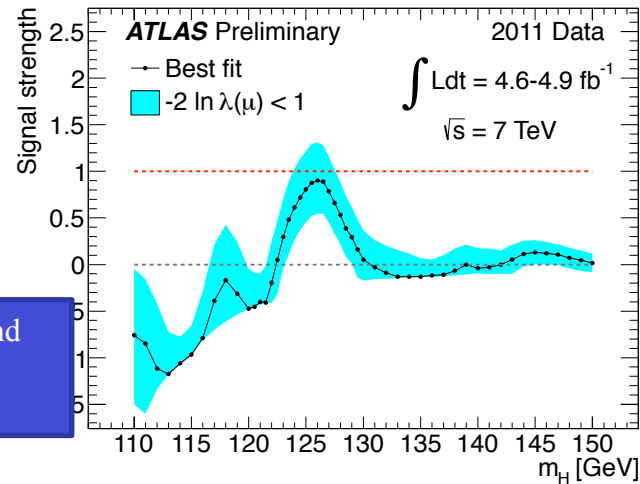
Standard Model



Higgs

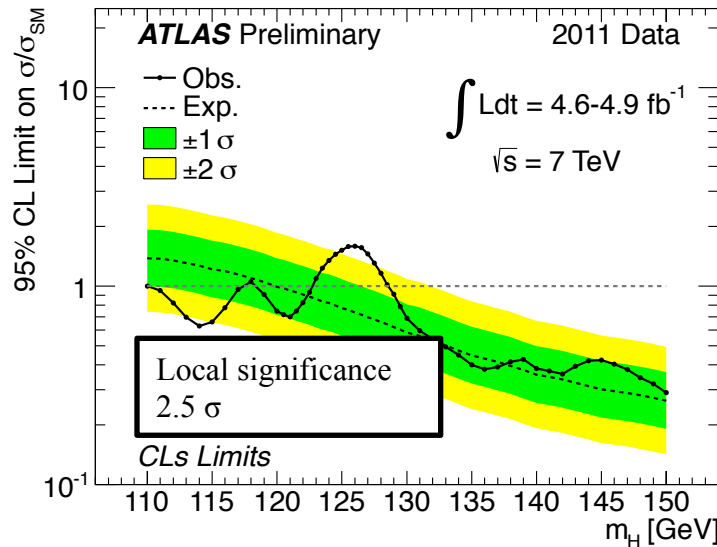


Excess seen in the low mass region:



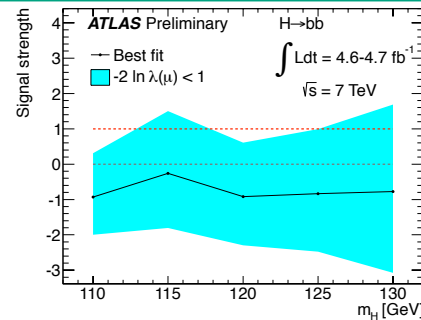
Excess consistent with SM cross section


Global probability for such an excess on this plot is ~10%



Many interesting Higgs questions:

- Is there more than one Higgs?
- Are the couplings what one expects?



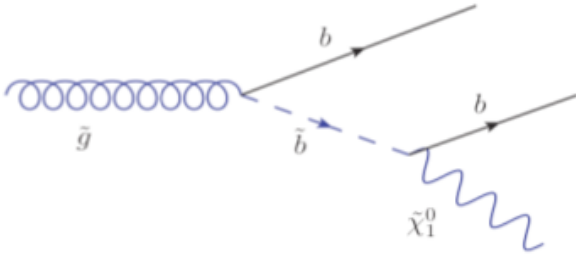
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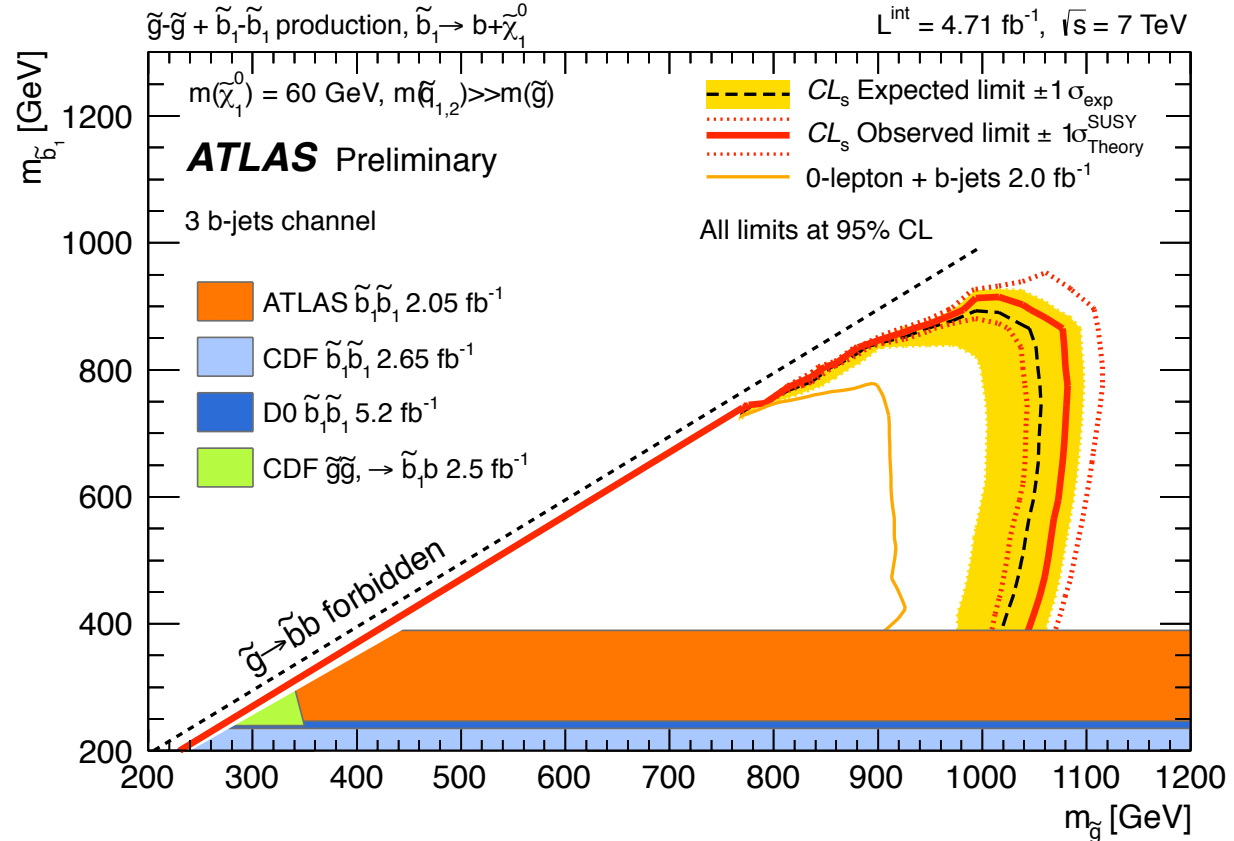
New conference notes on lightest third generation scenarios:

- ATLAS-CONF-2012-058: Search for gluino-mediated scalar top and bottom quark production in final states with missing transverse energy and at least three b -jets
- ATLAS-CONF-2012-059: Search for light scalar top quark pair production in final states with two leptons

Example: 4b final state

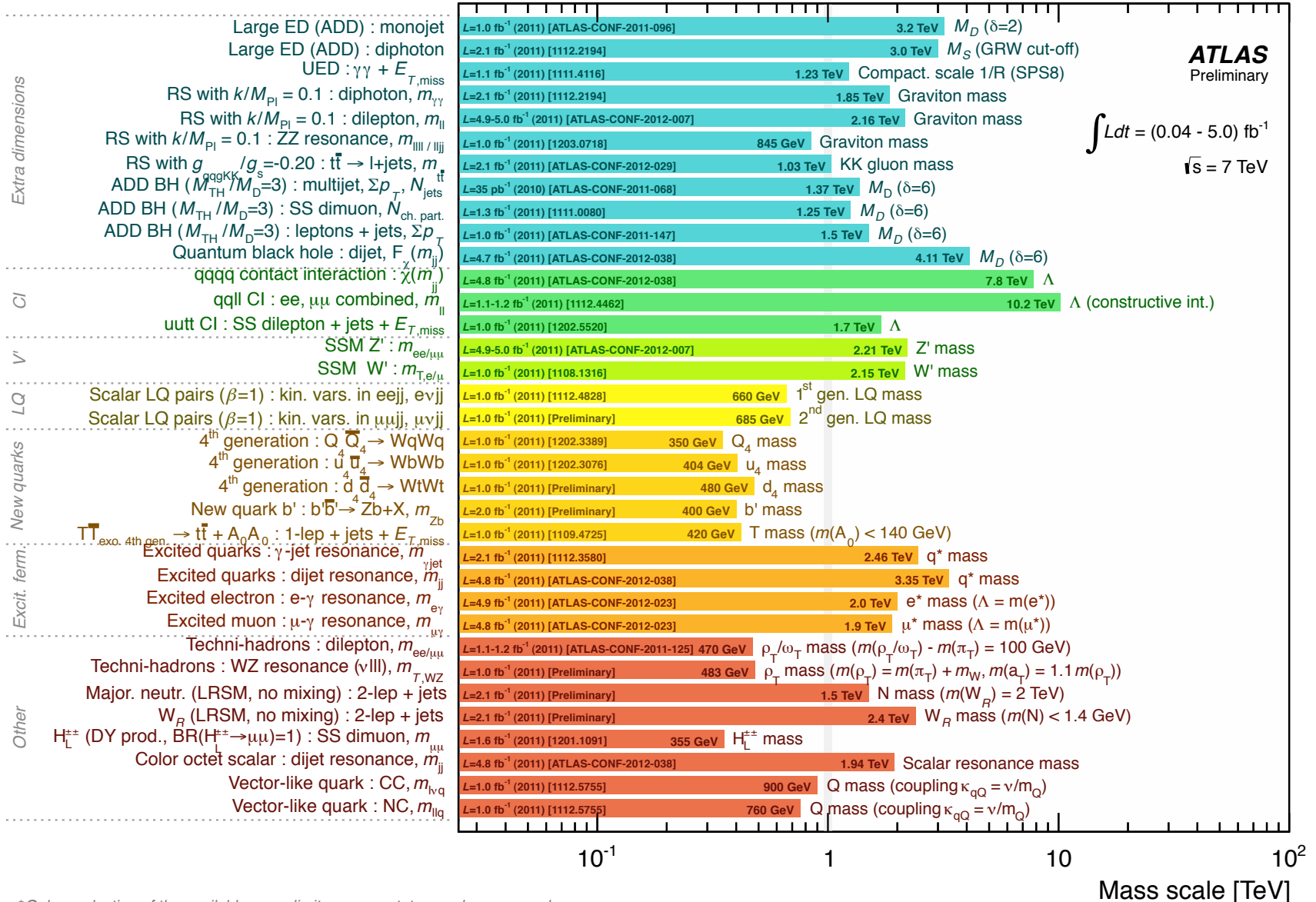


- T. EIFERT
SUSY and BSM searches in ATLAS (5B)
- J. MCFAYDEN
Search for supersymmetric gauginos and third generation squarks with the ATLAS detector (5E)



Exotics

ATLAS Exotics Searches* - 95% CL Lower Limits (Status: March 2012)



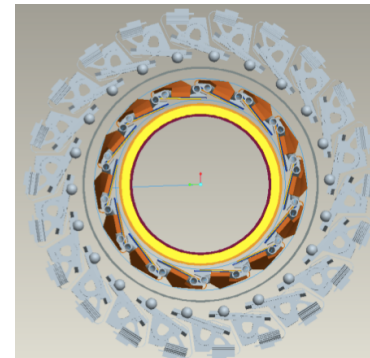
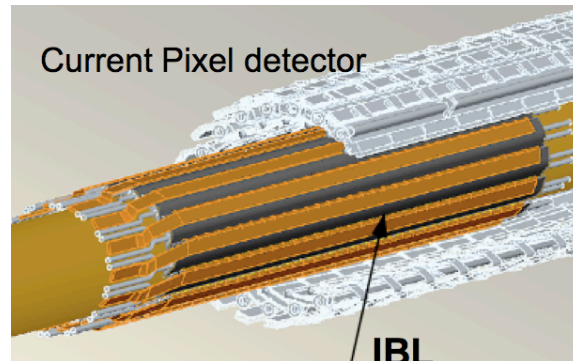
*Only a selection of the available mass limits on new states or phenomena shown

Phase-0 (installation 2013-14)

Main Improvements to Physics Capabilities

1. New small Be pipe
2. New insertable pixel b-layer (IBL) (drives shutdown schedule)
3. Finish the installation of the EE muon chambers staged in 2003 +additional chambers in the feet (new electronics) and elevators region
4. Add topological processing in level 1 of trigger
5. Improve L1 trigger readout rate to 100kHz

**IBL preserves
current physics
performance at
high pileup**

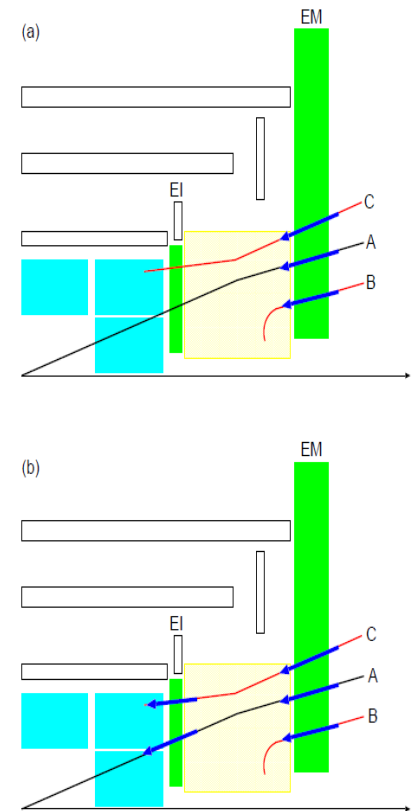


Phase-I (installation in or before 2018)

Major Projects

1. New muon small wheels with more trigger granularity and trigger track vector information
2. Higher-granularity calorimeter LVL1 trigger and associated front-end electronic
3. Fast track processor (FTK) using SCT and pixel hits (input to LVL2) expected installation before 2018
4. Forward physics detection station at 220m for new diffractive physics (full 3D edgeless and timing detectors, target 2017)
5. Topological trigger processors combining LVL1 information from different regions of interest (improvements starting well before 2018)

New muon small wheel



B and C background

Phase-II (installation 2022-23)

Likely upgrades:

1. New Inner Detector (strips and pixels)

Very substantial progress in many R&D areas

2. New LAr front-end and back-end electronics
3. New Tiles front-end and back-end electronics
4. TDAQ upgrade (add level 0 to the trigger?)

Under study:

1. LAr new FCAL
2. LAr HEC cold electronics consolidation
3. Muon Barrel and Large Wheel system upgrade
4. L1 track trigger
5. LUCID upgrade