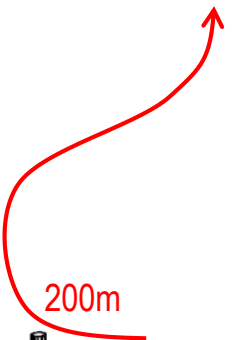
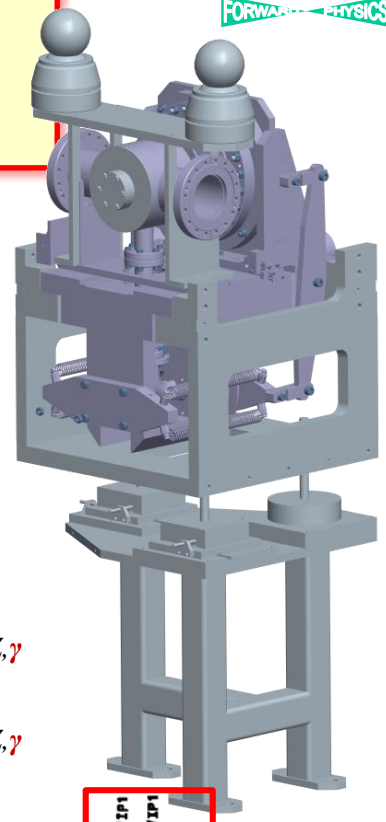
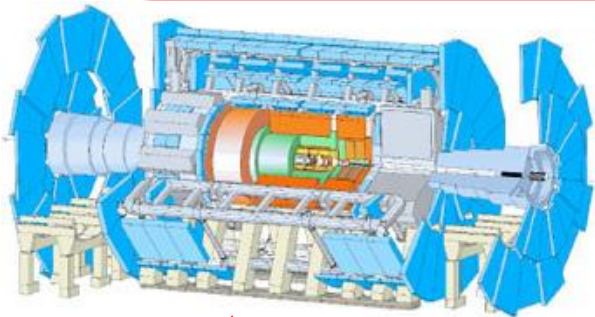


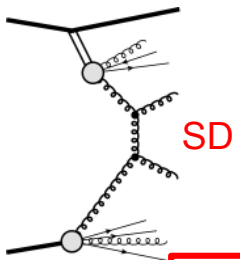


ATLAS Forward Proton Project and Fast Timing

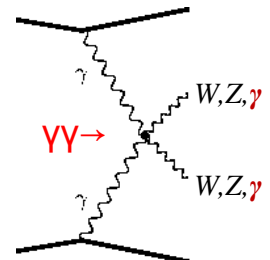
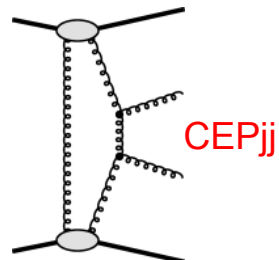
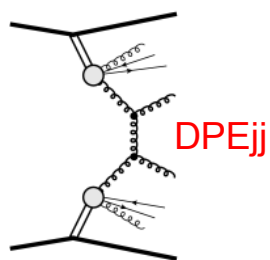
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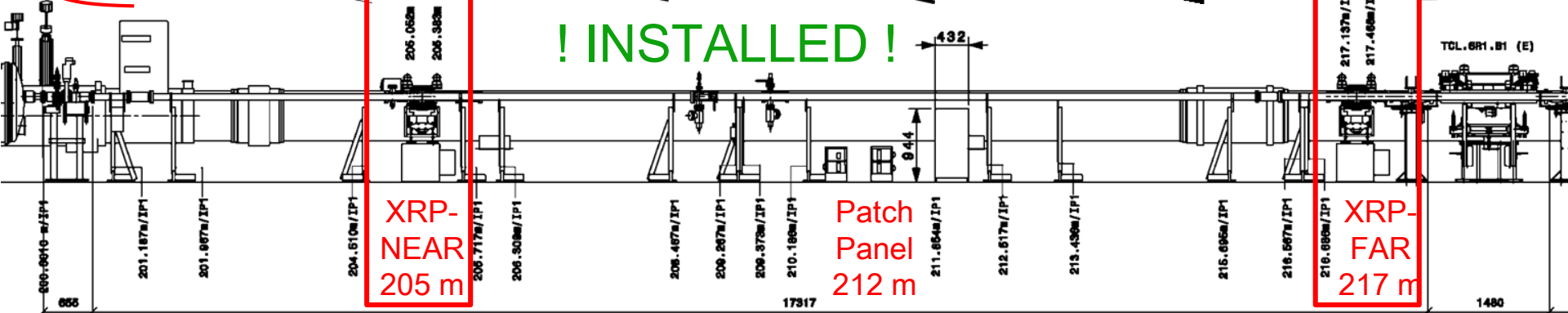
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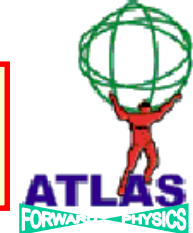
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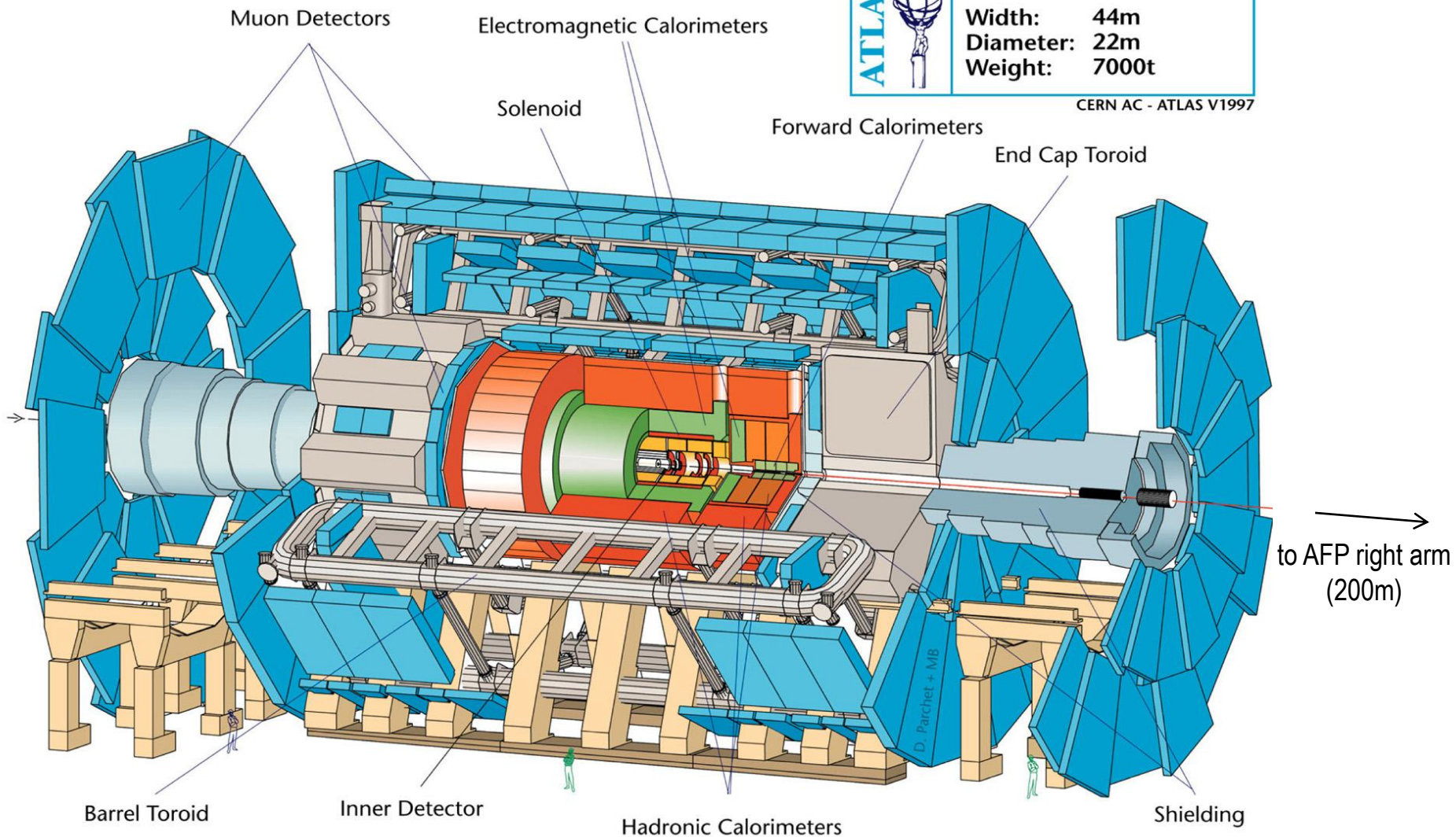
The ATLAS Detector



Detector characteristics

Width: 44m
Diameter: 22m
Weight: 7000t

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AFP Goals

- A *two-forward-proton measurement for each ATLAS event* :

- forward proton energy and momentum (use $\xi \equiv 1 - E_p/E_{\text{beam}}$, θ or t , ϕ)

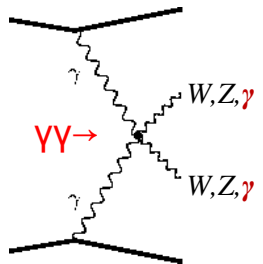
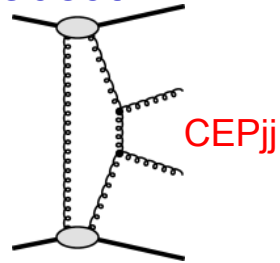
- excellent tracking ($<10 \mu\text{m}$) and two stations/arm with 12 m lever arm
- use 3D pixel sensors ($50 \mu\text{m} \times 250 \mu\text{m}$ pixel size) with FE-I4b readout

- identify the vertex of origin (remove single-diffraction pileup) by proton time-of-arrival t_L , t_R measurement

- if both protons come from a single vertex: $z_{\text{vtx}} = (t_R - t_L)/2c$
- excellent proton time resolution needed: $\lesssim 10 \text{ ps}$ for $\mu \lesssim 50$

- Note: some *rare processes* do not require timing:

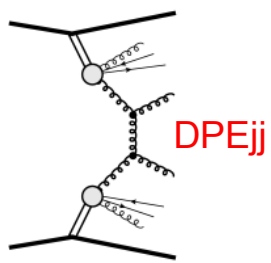
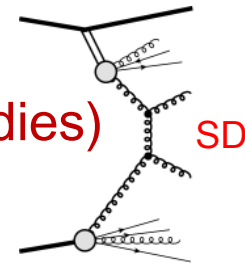
- E.g. $pp \rightarrow p_L + X + p_R$, $X = \gamma\gamma$, WW , ZZ is almost background-free by requiring *kinematic* match between $(p_L p_R)$ measured in AFP and the system X measured in central ATLAS



- Low Luminosity (low- μ) runs:

- Single diffraction studies (single Pomeron studies)

- Double Pomeron Exchange studies



Ultra-Precise Time-of-Flight



- AFP is looking for $pp \rightarrow p_L + X + p_R$

- $p_{L(R)}$ is a forward proton in the Left (Right) arm of AFP

- $X \equiv WW, ZZ, jj, \gamma\gamma, \dots$

- in ATLAS we have 20-60 interactions/BX: “Pile-up”

- avg number of interactions per BX (pile-up) in 2016: $\langle \mu \rangle = 40$

- 15% of these have a forward proton (Single Diffraction)

- a SD proton has a 20% acceptance in AFP

- At high μ , any ATLAS trigger (high p_T lepton, jet, photon) is often accompanied by two forward protons in AFP from pile-up

- A measurement of “ t_0 ” with ATLAS could provide pile-up rejection even when vertices overlap ...

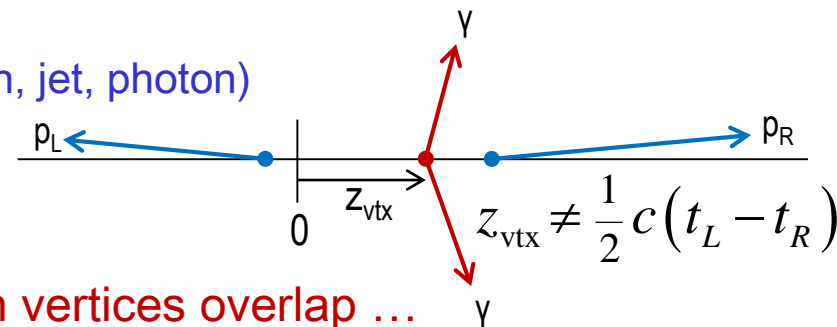
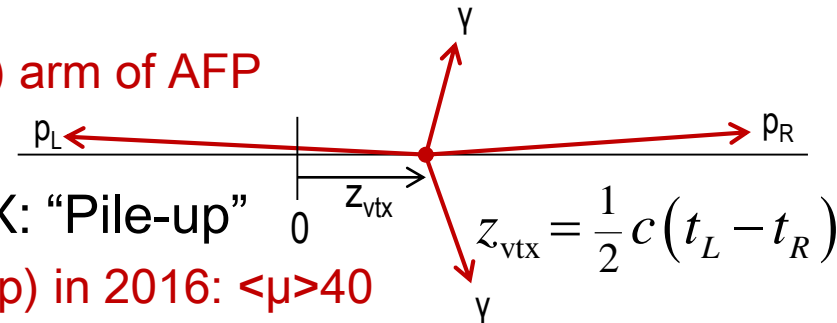
- Precise time-of-arrival measurement will help reject pile-up protons:

- if the two protons come from the *same* vertex (vtx), then: $z_{vtx} = c(t_L - t_R)/2$

- if z_{vtx} measured by AFP can be matched with a vertex of interest in ATLAS, then the process may be of the type we’re looking for ...

- resolution is crucial: $\delta z_{vtx} = (c/\sqrt{2})\delta t$; for $\delta t = 10$ ps $\rightarrow \delta z_{vtx} = 2.1$ mm

- z_{vtx} distribution has rms=40 mm, so fake matches increase with δt and with μ



Forward Protons ...

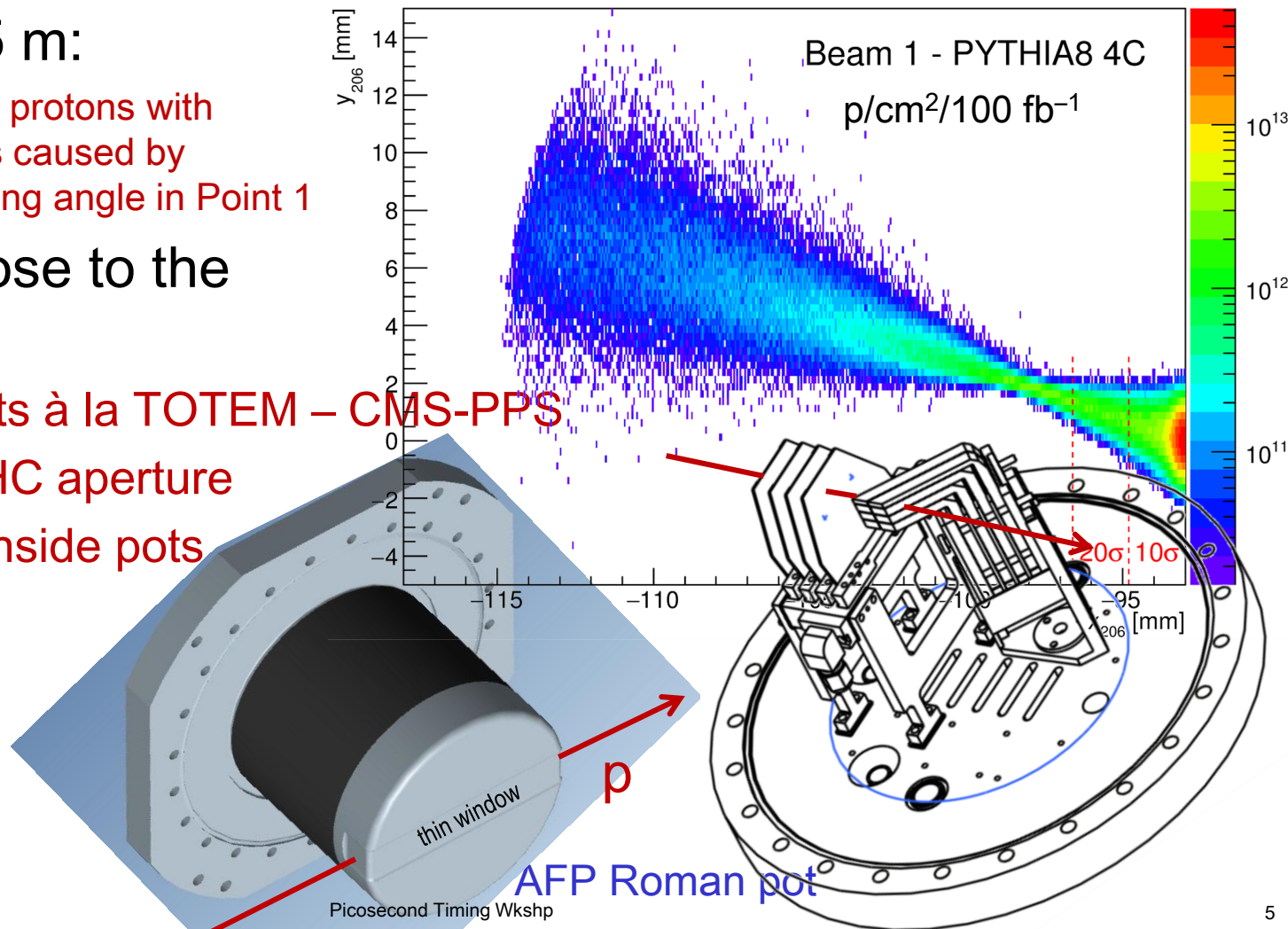
Hit pattern at ~210 m for protons with 2% to 15% energy loss is determined by the LHC optics (AFP TDR)

- For $\beta^*=0.55$ m:

- upward tilt for protons with energy loss is caused by vertical crossing angle in Point 1

- must get close to the beam

- ⇒ Roman Pots à la TOTEM – CMS-PPS
 - ⇒ insert in LHC aperture
 - ⇒ detectors inside pots

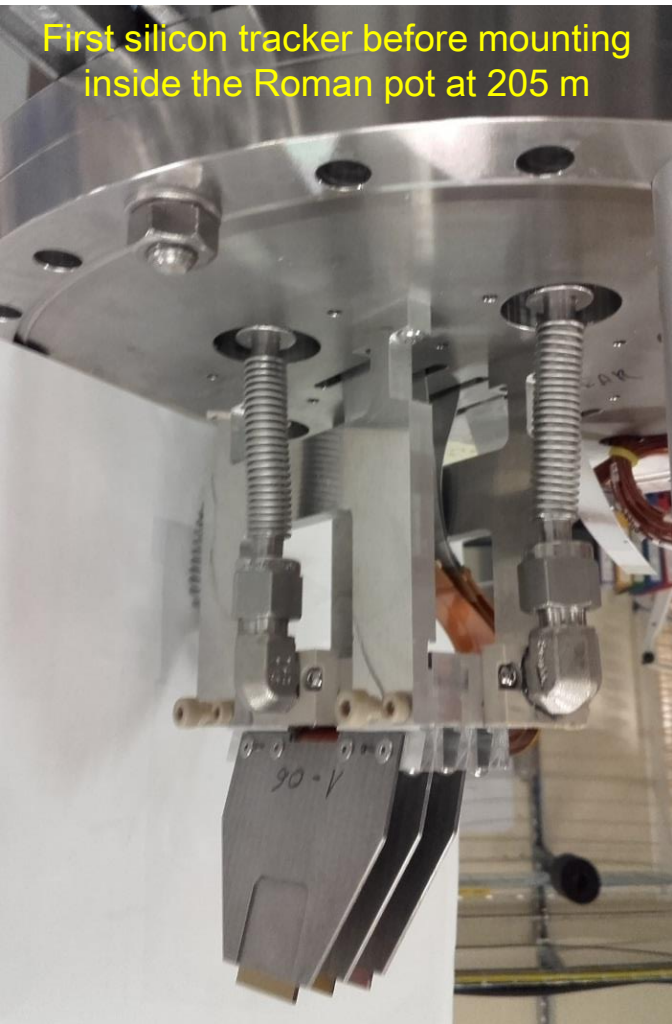


AFP Roman pot

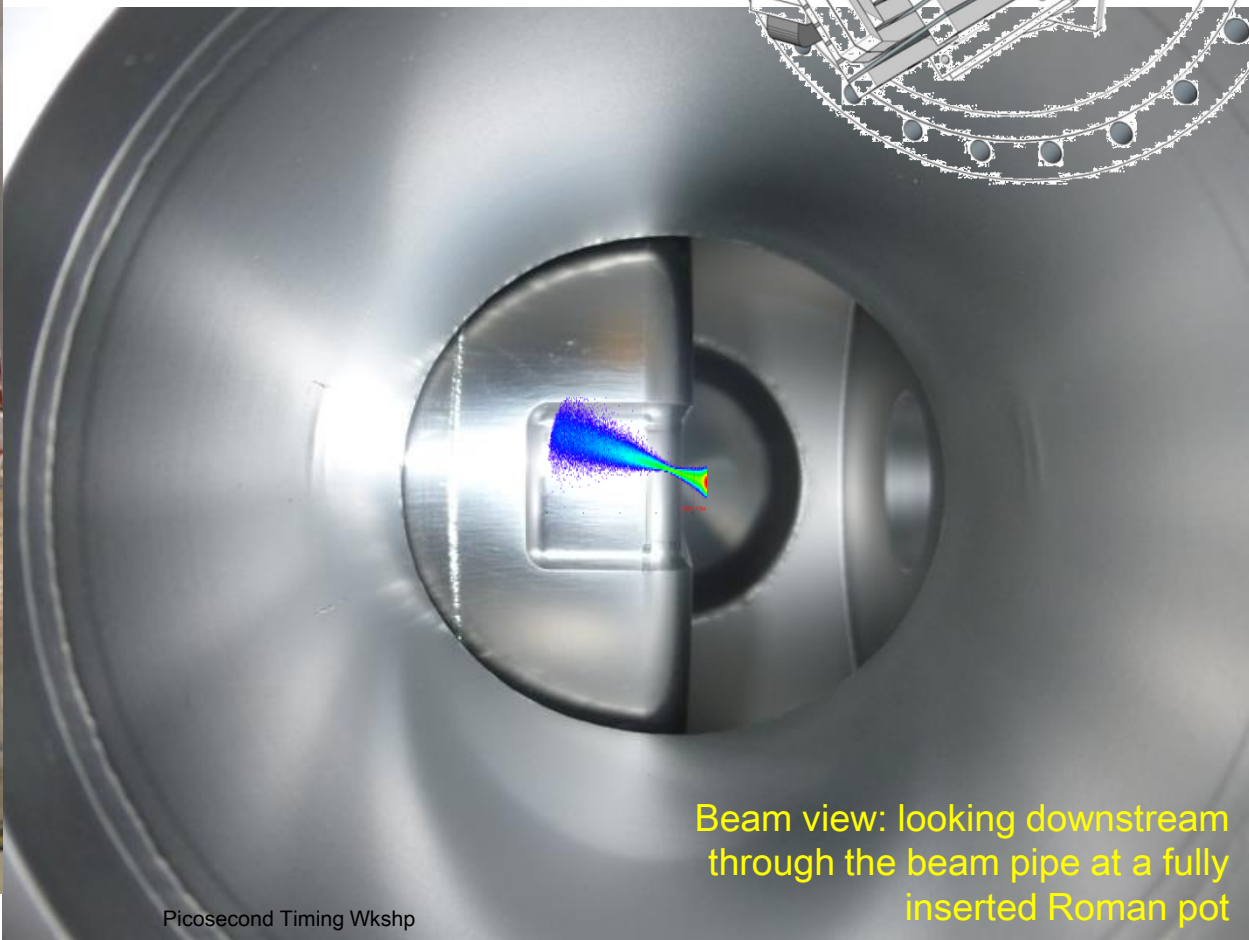
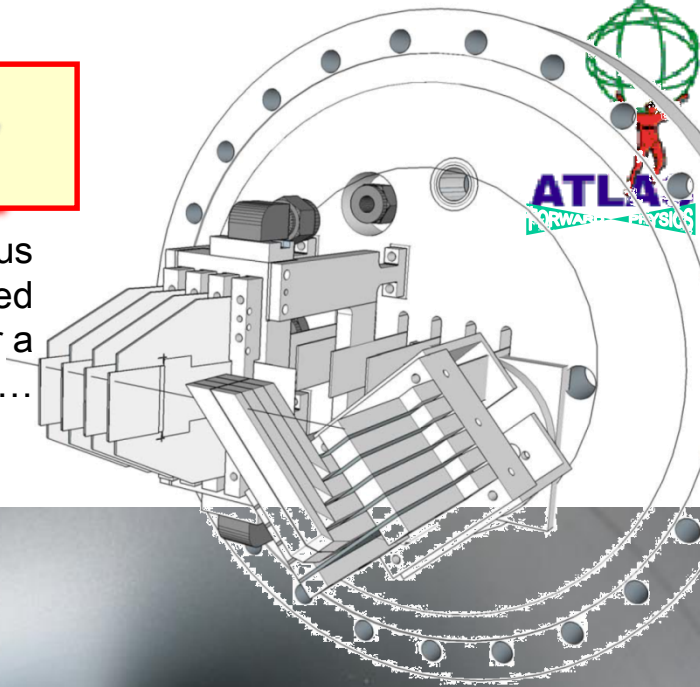
Roman Pot with Detector

3D silicon pixel detectors
size $50\mu\text{m}$ (x) \times $250\mu\text{m}$ (y)

First silicon tracker before mounting
inside the Roman pot at 205 m



→ Design of the tracker plus
Time-of-Flight system mounted
on a feedthrough flange for a
Roman pot ...

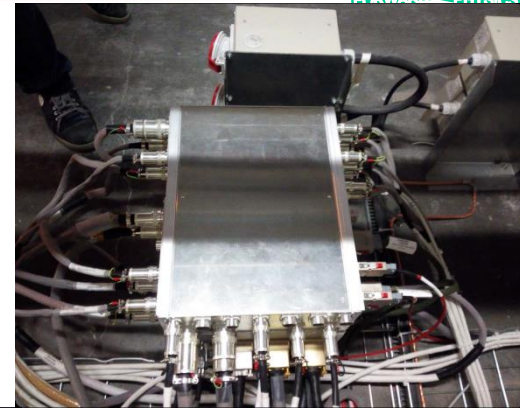


Beam view: looking downstream
through the beam pipe at a fully
inserted Roman pot

AFP in 2016 – RP Installation

- Two stations validated on 13 Jan'16
- Cabling:
 - Fast Cabling finished for **both arms**
 - Control cables finished for **both arms**
 - All C-side cables connectorized and tested
- Services:
 - Compressed air for Cooling
 - Secondary Vacuum
 - BPM, BLMs connected
- Installation done, connected to Beam Pipe, pump-down and bake-out done ...
- Pot Motion calibrated in tunnel:
 - Survey of slide vs motor position,
 - vs switches and LVDT 20 Feb'16

Patch Panels &
LV Regulators
at 211 m



station at 217 m, BPM, BLM, TCL6

Status Detectors



- NEAR Station: 3 3D pixel detector layers; $50\mu\text{m}\times 250\mu\text{m}/\text{pixel}$
- FAR Station: 4 3D pixel detector layers – HV short on 1st layer but still 95% efficient
 - modules are tuned and timed
- Trigger (each station): 2-out-of-3 layers with HitOR ON
 - Local Trigger Board (HitBUS chip) → Air-core Cables → CTP
 - AFP is within the (last BX of the) ATLAS Latency !
- Readout:
 - Tunnel (FE-I4 → HitBUS chip → Optoboard) → USA15 (HSIO2/RCE system) → ROS
- Note: the new batch of 3D pixel sensors are much superior to the existing sensors – will be installed during the EYETS

TDAQ & DCS Status



- **AFP TDAQ integration**

- AFP running smoothly in ATLAS partition for all combined runs during 5-13 May
- Since 13 May AFP-ATLAS TDAQ integration:
 - Collaboration with ATLAS and IT TDAQ experts
 - Integrated running since July 2016

- **DCS integration**

- Ongoing integration in ATLAS DCS (coordinated with central DCS)
- Work by the AFP DSC team and ATLAS DCS Experts

- **AFP insertions at high luminosity:**

- 13 May: 600b, 1:14 hr AFP inserted + 0:50 hr TCL6 closed
- Triggers enabled in AFP calibration stream with pre-scale 1000 → ~300 Hz
 - HLT_calibAFP_L1AFP_C_ANY and ..._AND

- **Successful Low- μ special AFP+ATLAS run on Aug 2, 2016**

The screenshot displays the ATLAS TDAQ Software interface. The top menu includes File, Commands, Access Control, Settings, Logging Level, and Help. The main window is divided into several sections:

- RUN CONTROL STATE:** Shows a green "RUNNING" status. Below this are buttons for SHUTDOWN, INITIALIZE, UNCONFIG, CONFIG, STOP, START, HOLD TRG, and RESUME TRG.
- Beam Stable:** Two red circles indicate "Beam Stable" and "Ready for Physics" are both active.
- Run Information & Settings:** Shows the Run number as 298423. Below this is a table for Lumi Block, Level 1, HLT, and Recorded data.
- Run Control Tree:** A hierarchical tree view on the right shows the status of various components. The "AFP" component is circled in red. The tree includes: Online Segment (RUNNING), Infrastructure (RUNNING), TDAQ (RUNNING), GlobalMonitoringSegment (RUNNING), InnerDetectors (RUNNING), Infrastructure (RUNNING), BCM (RUNNING), ID-Monitoring (RUNNING), Calorimeters (RUNNING), MuonDetectors (RUNNING), ForwardDetectors (RUNNING), AFP (RUNNING), and DQSegment (RUNNING).

AFP Insertions

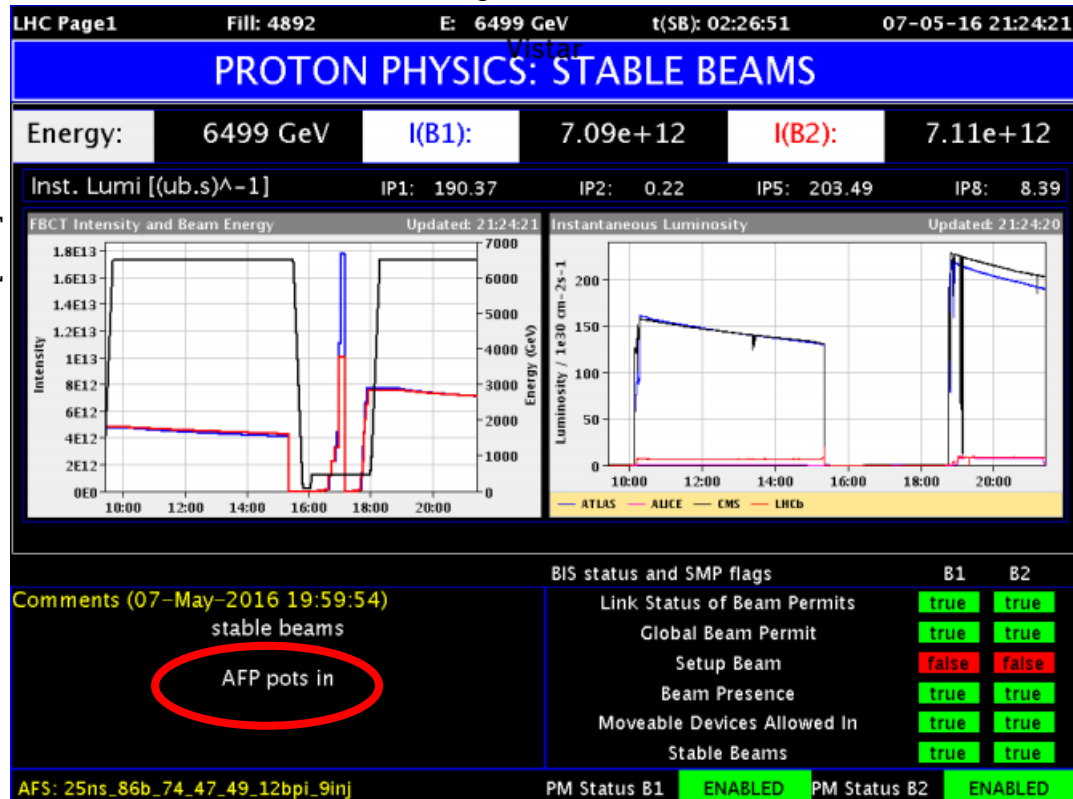
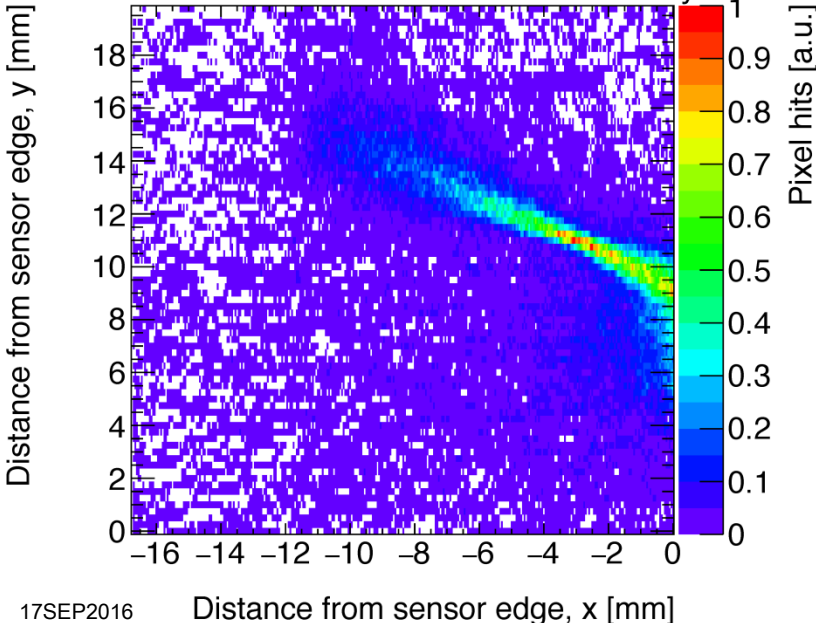
Date	Fills	TDAQ Mode
19-22 April	Beam-Based Alignment and Loss Maps (6 & 3 hrs)	Stand-alone
23 April	3b: 2 nd fill (no 3 rd fill)	Stand-alone
24-25 April	12b: 2 nd + 3 rd fill	Stand-alone
29 April – 5 May	Weasel break → TDAQ integration	
7 May	49/86b: 2 nd + 3 rd fill; 8.1pb ⁻¹	Integrated
9 May	300b: 4 th fill (2 nd +3 rd ended before AFP in); 7.9pb ⁻¹	Integrated
13 May	600b: 2 nd fill (1:14h); 9.3pb ⁻¹	Integrated



- **Total (TCL6 and/or AFP in):**

- 42 h
- 34 pb⁻¹

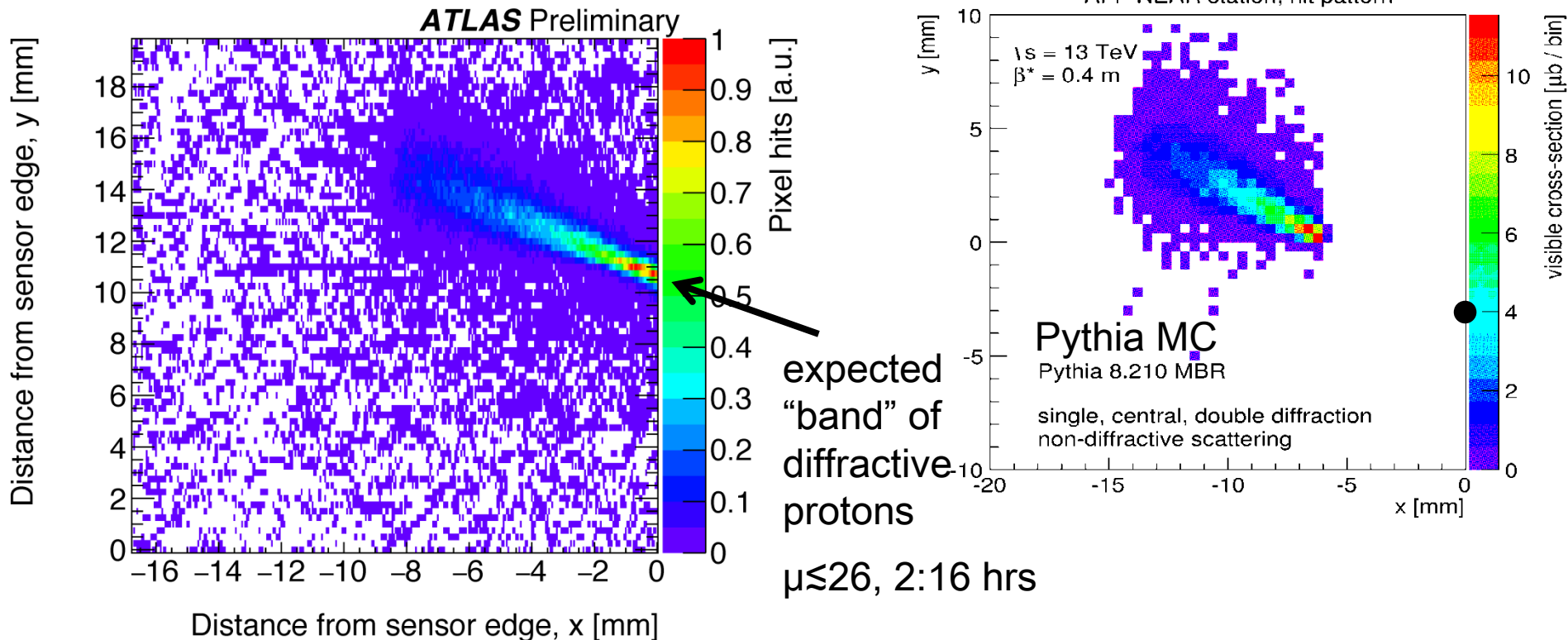
BBA @5.5σ
ATLAS Preliminary



Preliminary Performance Plots

300 b fill #4906, AFP readout but triggered by ATLAS

- Hit pattern first plane of NEAR station



Caution: hit pattern and MC plots are in somewhat different coordinate systems ...

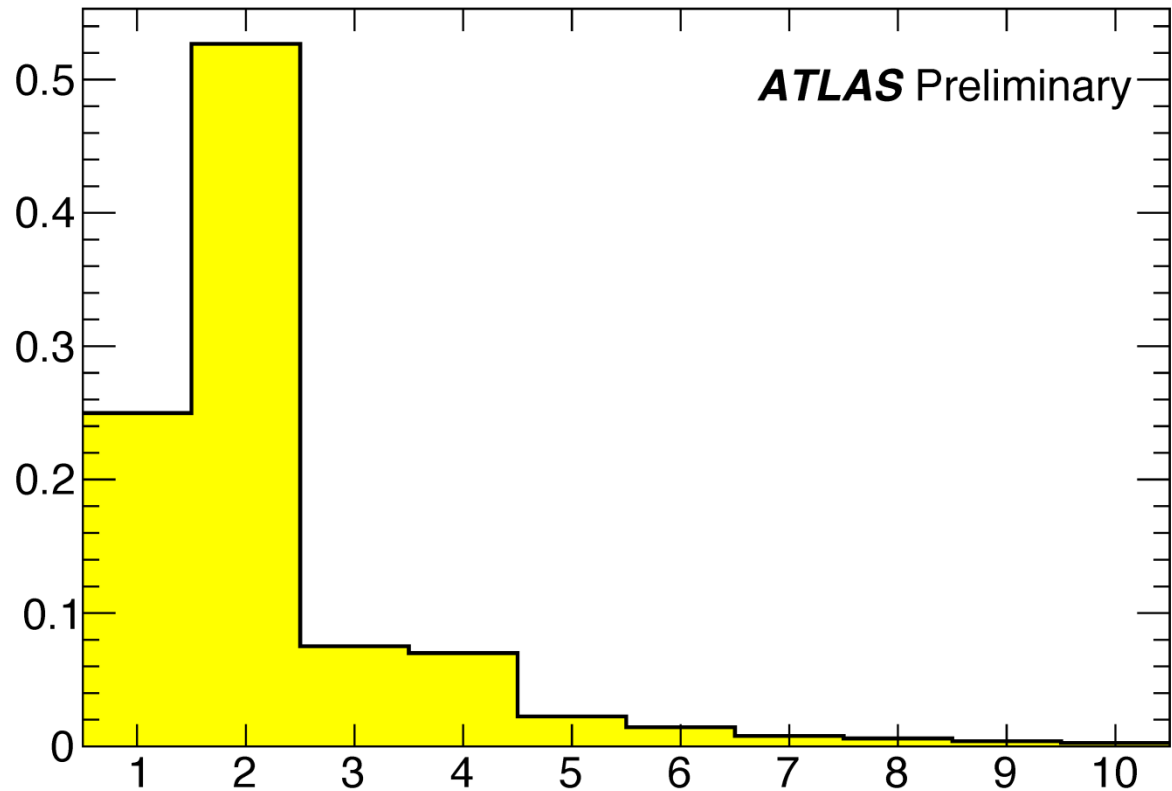
Preliminary Performance Plots

300 b fill #4906, AFP readout but triggered by ATLAS

- 87.7% of events have no hits (in this plane); remainder is mostly single “tracks”:

Note:
we expect ~2 pixels per “hit”
because of the 14° tilt of the
3D sensors

Events [norm.]



→ mostly single particle tracks!

Pixel hits per event

Preliminary Performance Plots

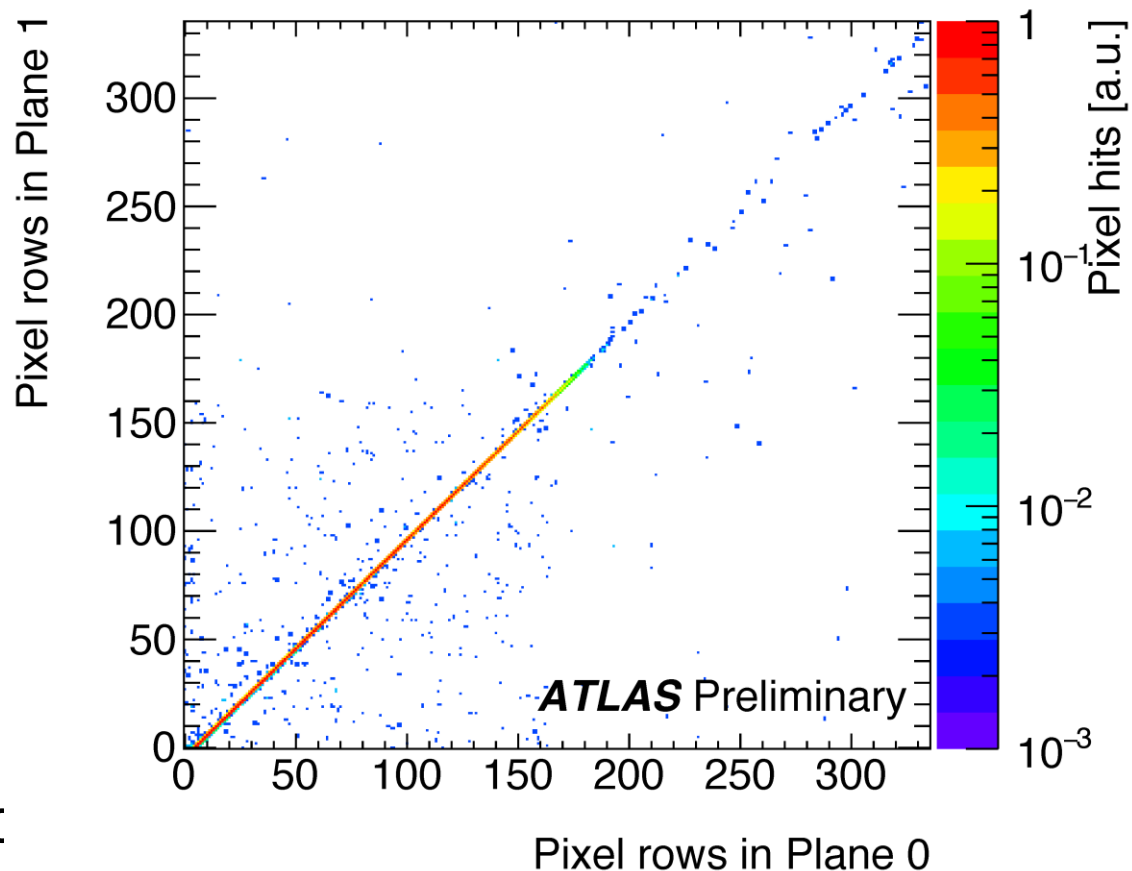


300 b fill #4906, AFP readout but triggered by ATLAS

- Correlation of hit pixel row (x) in Plane 0 vs. hit pixel row (x) in Plane 1:

- strong correlation indicates mostly good, parallel tracks
- mostly single tracks
- smattering of non-correlated hit pairs from additional tracks?

- Started work on hit reconstruction, tracking, alignment, etc



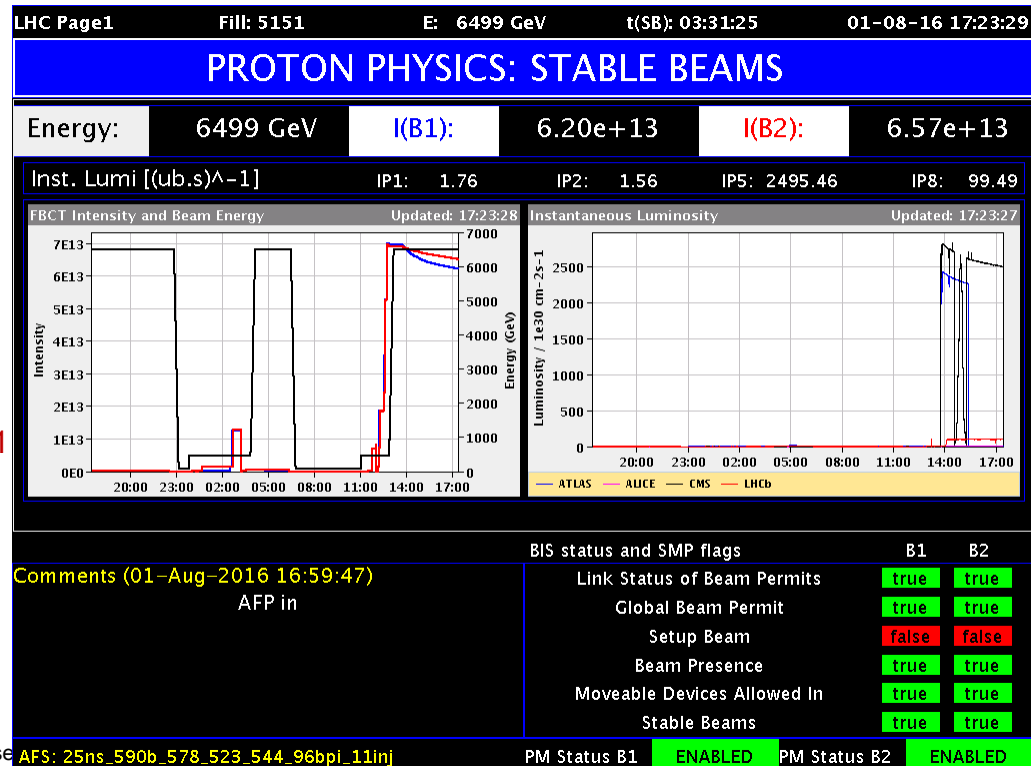
AFP – ALFA Insertion conflict



- When AFP runs at standard luminosity (high- μ):
 - TCL4 and TCL5 must be opened to give large- ξ acceptance to AFP
 - TCL6 (after AFP) must be closed to 20σ to protect Q6 and downstream
 - this increases the radiation levels at ALFA by a factor ~ 10
 - ALFA electronics is NOT radiation-hard
 - ALFA still needs its large $\beta^*=2500$ m run (Sept 2016), and possibly a follow-up early in 2017 ...
- AFP will limit its insertions in 2016 to 0.25 pb^{-1}
- ALFA & AFP are considering shielding to protect ALFA electronics
 - studies by the FLIUKA team are encouraging: already a factor 3-4 reduction in dose
 - further studies are ongoing
 - expect a result and proposal (+ECR) in September

2016 Low- μ Special Run for AFP

- 600b fill on 01.08 (fill 5151, run 305359)
 - Filling scheme: 25ns_590b_578_523_544_96bpi_11inj
 - 15:20 Start to separate beams
 - 15:24 beams at $5 \sigma_H^*$ separation; $\rightarrow \mu_{peak}=0.26$
 - 15:30 beams adjusted to peak $\mu_{peak}=0.13$, $\langle \mu \rangle \sim 0.03$; lumi=2.7e30; beam separation: $\sigma_H^*=5$, $\sigma_V^*=2.5$
 - 15:35 Start to insert RPs
 - 15:42 AFP inserted!
 - AFP at 20σ ,
TCL4/5/6 at 15/35/20 σ
- Total time in beam: 4h37;
after Pre-Scale adjustments:
3h58
 - Integrated luminosity: 0.033 pb⁻¹
- Next low- μ run: after TS2
(~23 Sep)



Low- μ Special Run

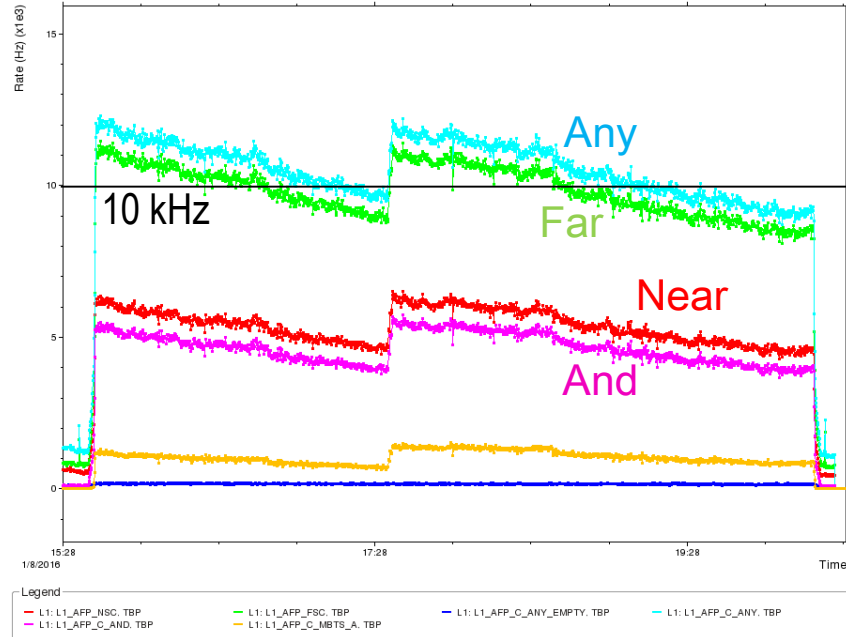
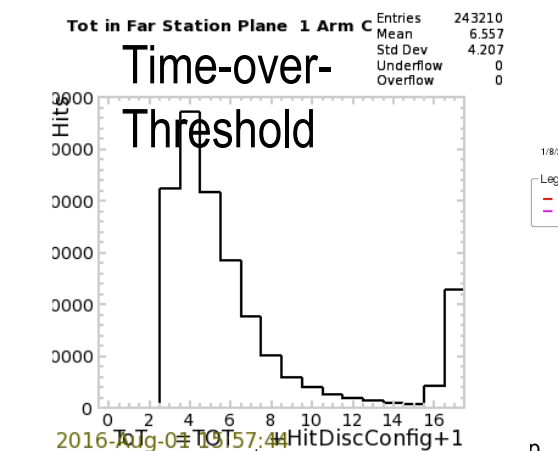
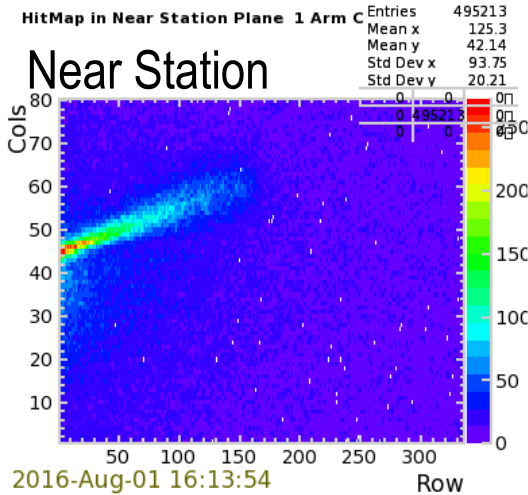
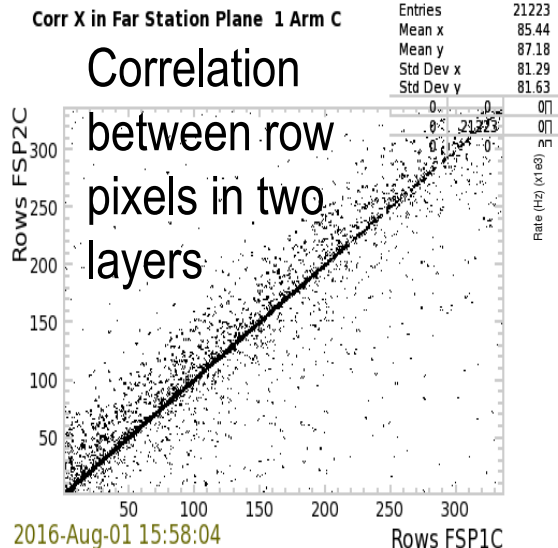
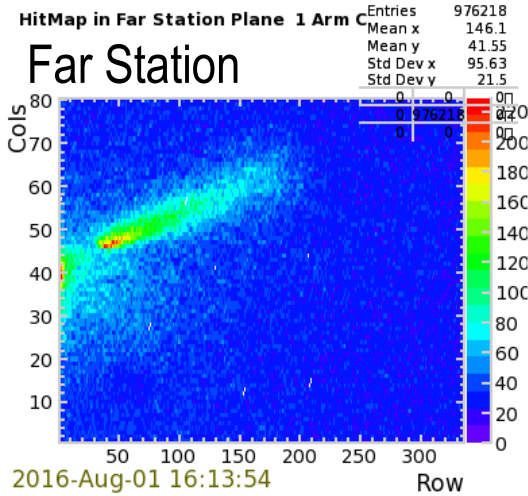
- Predict per hour using Pythia :

- 7M Soft SD events (proton rate in AFP 2 kHz)

- 15k SDjj evts with $p_T > 20$ GeV

- 500 SDjj evts with $p_T > 50$ GeV

- O(5) SD+W evts



– Analysis ongoing ...

Physics with Low- μ Single-Arm AFP

- Predict using Pythia and AFP acceptance at $\beta^*=55\text{cm}$:

— for $\mu=0.1$, $nb=300$, standard bunch density, 1 hr:

- 7M Soft SD events (proton rate in AFP 2 kHz)
- 15k SDjj evts with $p_T > 20$ GeV
- 500 SDjj evts with $p_T > 50$ GeV
- 3 SD+W evts

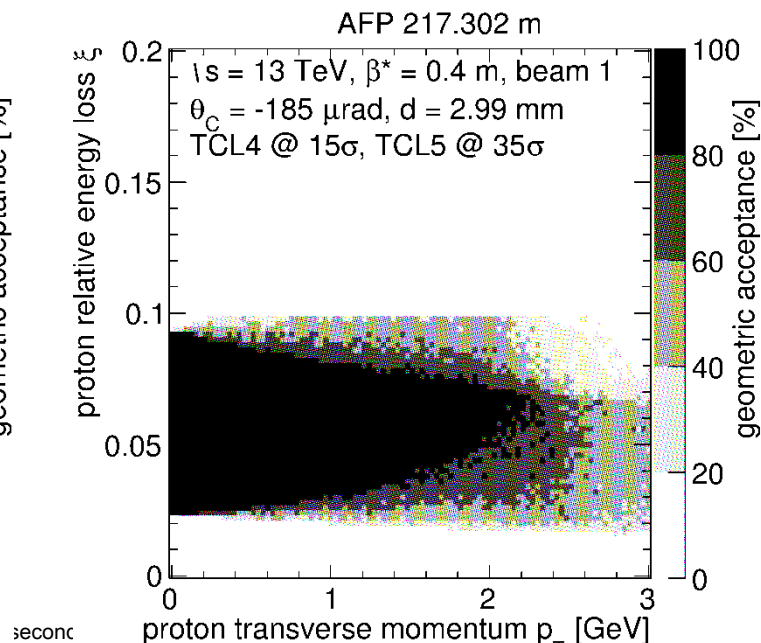
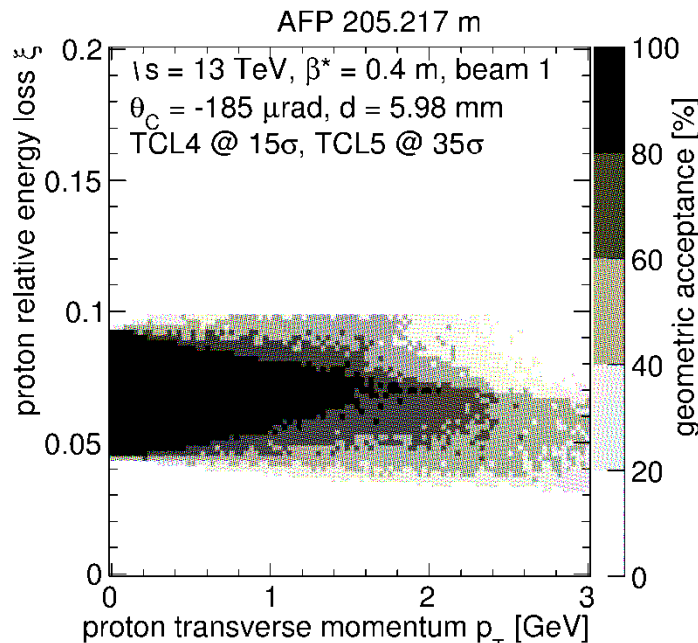
From R.Staszewski see:

<https://indico.cern.ch/event/492863/>

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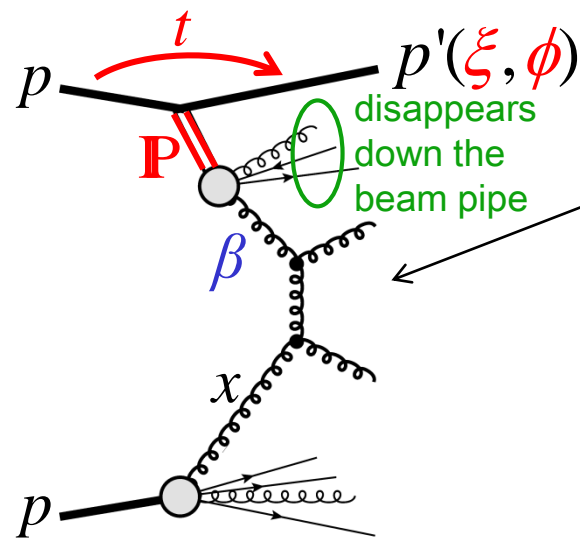
- Acceptance in ξ and p_T :

$$\xi = 1 - E_{\text{proton}} / E_{\text{beam}}$$



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Summary of Single p-Tag Processes



Single Diffractive Production

$$t \equiv (p' - p)^2$$

$$\xi \equiv 1 - E'/E$$

$$\beta \equiv x_{\mathbb{P}}$$

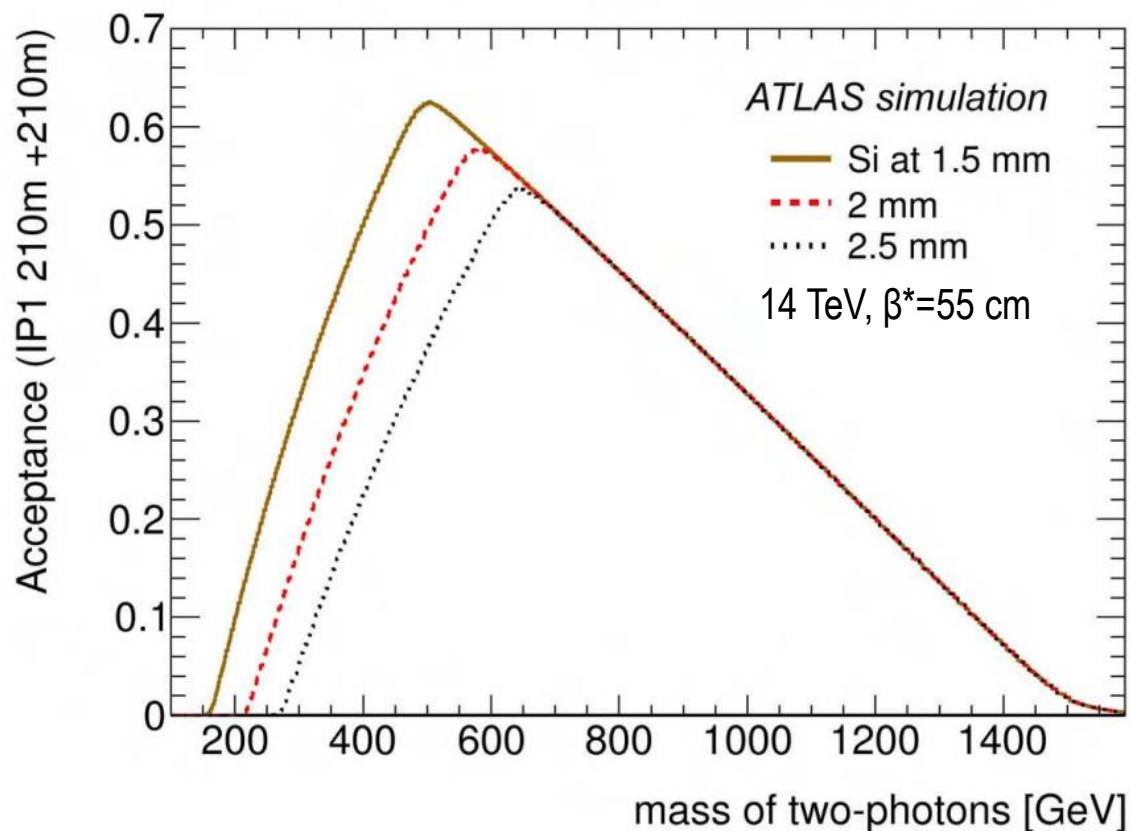
Analysis	Motivation	$\int L dt$ [pb^{-1}]	Optimal μ
Soft Single Diffraction with AFP0+2			
$d\sigma/dt$, $d\sigma/d\xi$, t -Slope vs. ξ , dN^\pm/dp_T vs. t and ξ	Saturation, MC tuning, Cosmic Ray physics	1	$\mu \sim 0.01$
Single Diffractive jet Production [21]			
σ , rapidity gap, Jet structure and p_T , event shape (MPI [21]); vs. t , ξ , and β	gap survival probability, Pomeron structure	10 – 100	$\mu \sim 1$
Single Diffractive jet-gap-jet Production [22, 23, 24]			
σ , central gap distribution, Jet p_T ; vs. t , ξ , and β	observation of a new process, test of BFKL dynamics	1 – 100	$\mu \sim 1$
Single Diffractive Production of γ + jet [25]			
σ , rapidity gap, Jet structure and p_T , Photon p_T , event shape (MPI); vs. t , ξ , and β	observation of a new process, mechanism of hard diffraction, gap survival probability, Pomeron structure	10 – 100	$\mu \sim 1$
Single Diffractive Z Production			
σ , rapidity gap, charge-asymmetry; vs. t , ξ , and β	gap survival probability, Pomeron structure	10 – 100	$\mu \sim 1$
Single Diffractive W Production			
σ , rapidity gap; vs. t , ξ , and β	gap survival probability, Pomeron structure and flavor composition	10 – 100	$\mu \sim 1$

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 Technical Design Report,
 CERN-LHCC-2015-009
 ATLAS-TDR-024-2015

Preparing for the 2nd AFP Arm

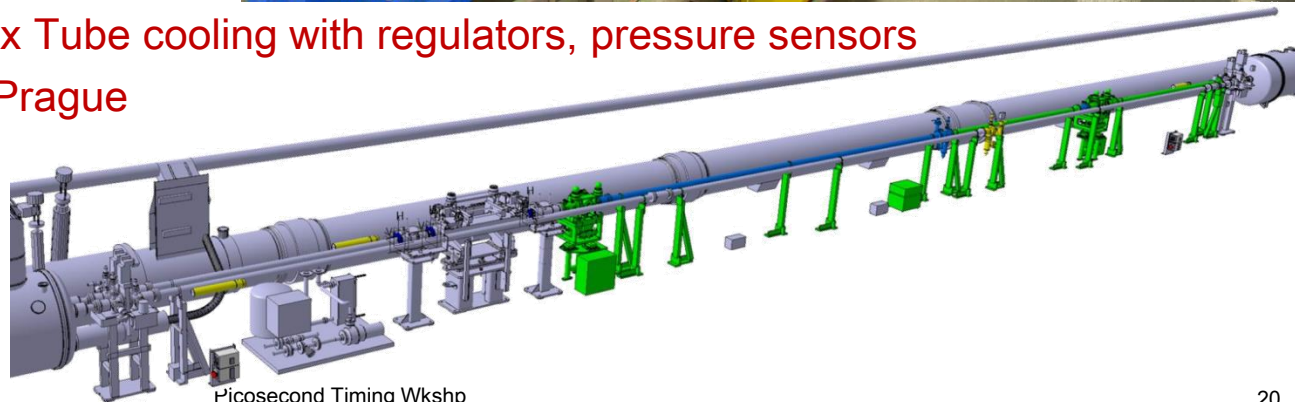
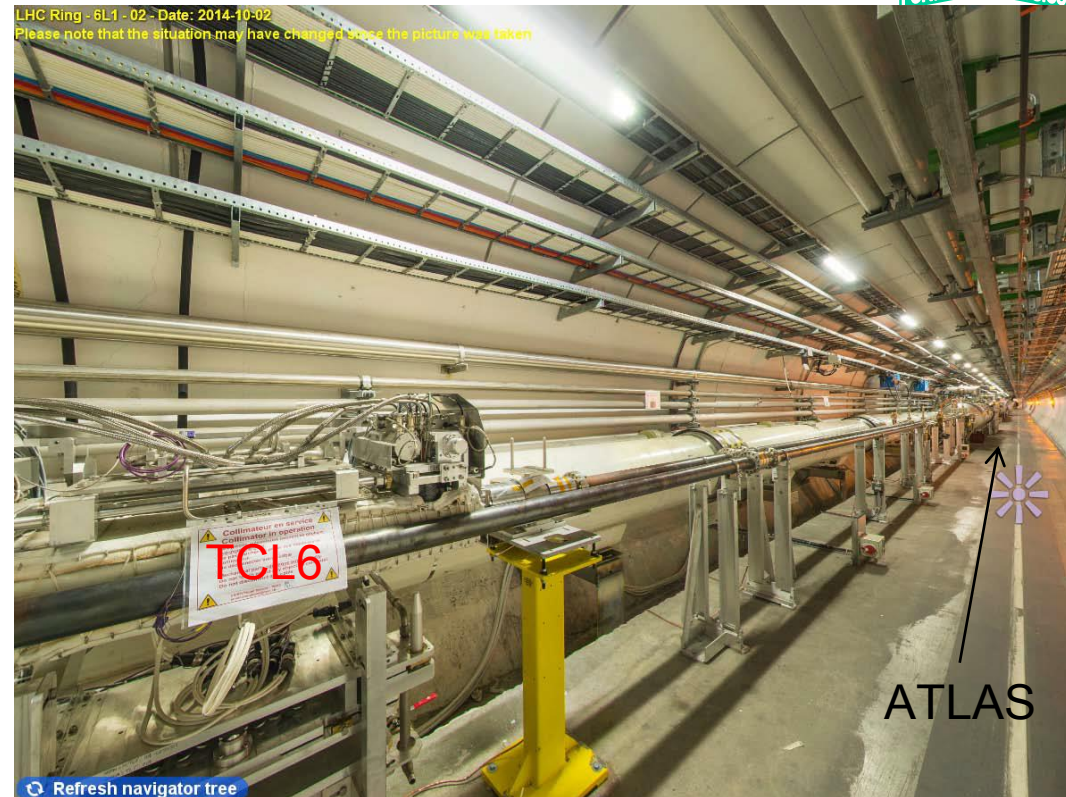


- AFP has excellent two-proton missing mass acceptance:
 - e.g. for an object produced by $pp \rightarrow p+X+p$, $X \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$:



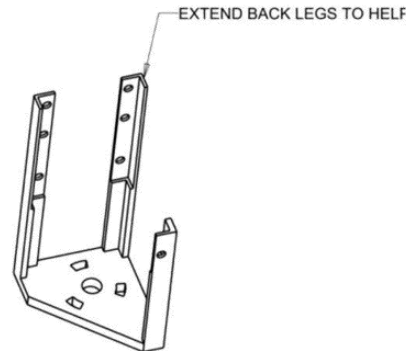
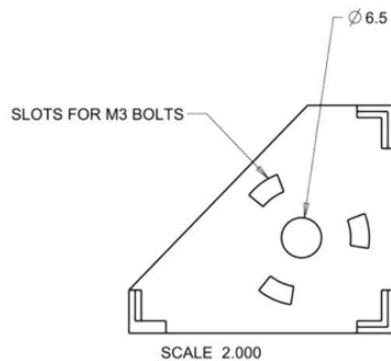
Preparing for the 2nd AFP Arm

- ECR 2nd Arm (6L1):
in circulation ...
 - TE-VSC-BVO started the production of the beam pipe elements
 - BLMs, BPM(s): have BPM; notified BLM group
- Cabling:
 - tunnel cabling was all done
 - Must complete cabling in USA15
- Cooling:
 - Compressed-air Vortex Tube cooling with regulators, pressure sensors
 - “AirCoolers” by CTU, Prague
- Secondary Vacuum:
 - pump system available, must be installed in RR13

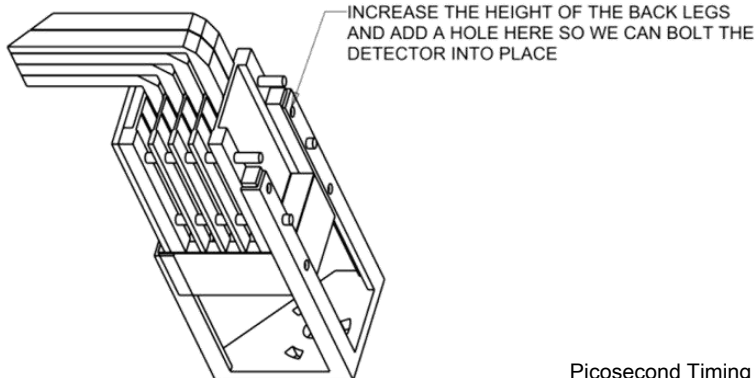


2nd AFP Arm – the ToF

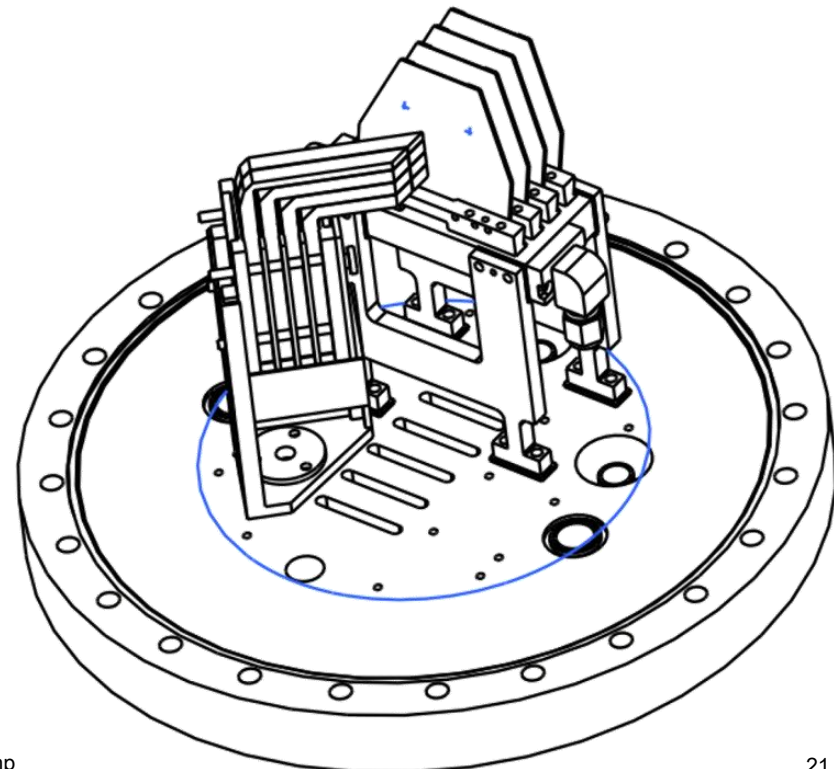
- Time-of-Flight detector is the CRUCIAL component here!
 - very non-trivial! prototype holder design ready
 - beam tests (H6, June & September) are critical: R&D is not finished!
 - electronics is crucial: CFD, HPTDC, Trigger, Clock



LARGER HOLE IN THE MIDDLE FOR M5 BOLT AND 3 SLOTS ON THE OUTSIDE FOR M3 BOLTS

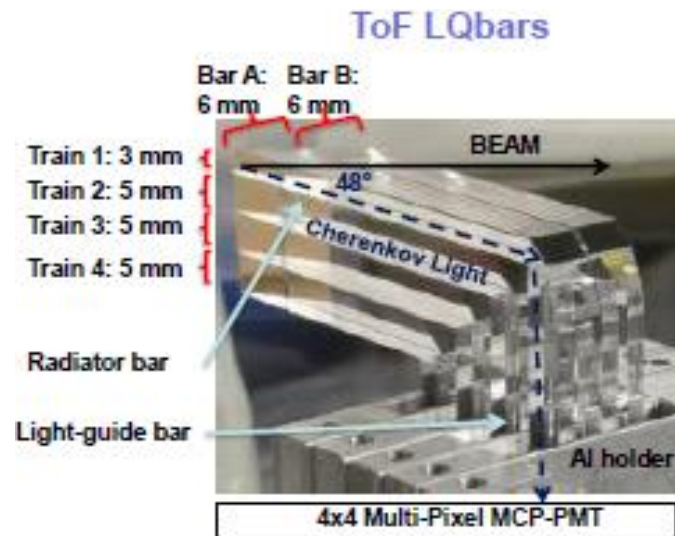


Chris Ng, Tomas Sykora, Libor Nozka



AFP ToF Detector

- Detector: (see talk by Libor Nozka at this Workshop)
 - Quartz bars (~6×5 mm cross section) at the 48° Cerenkov angle, reflecting into the MCP-PMT (“LQbars”)
 - up to 4 bars in series – limits the time resolution requirements per channel ...

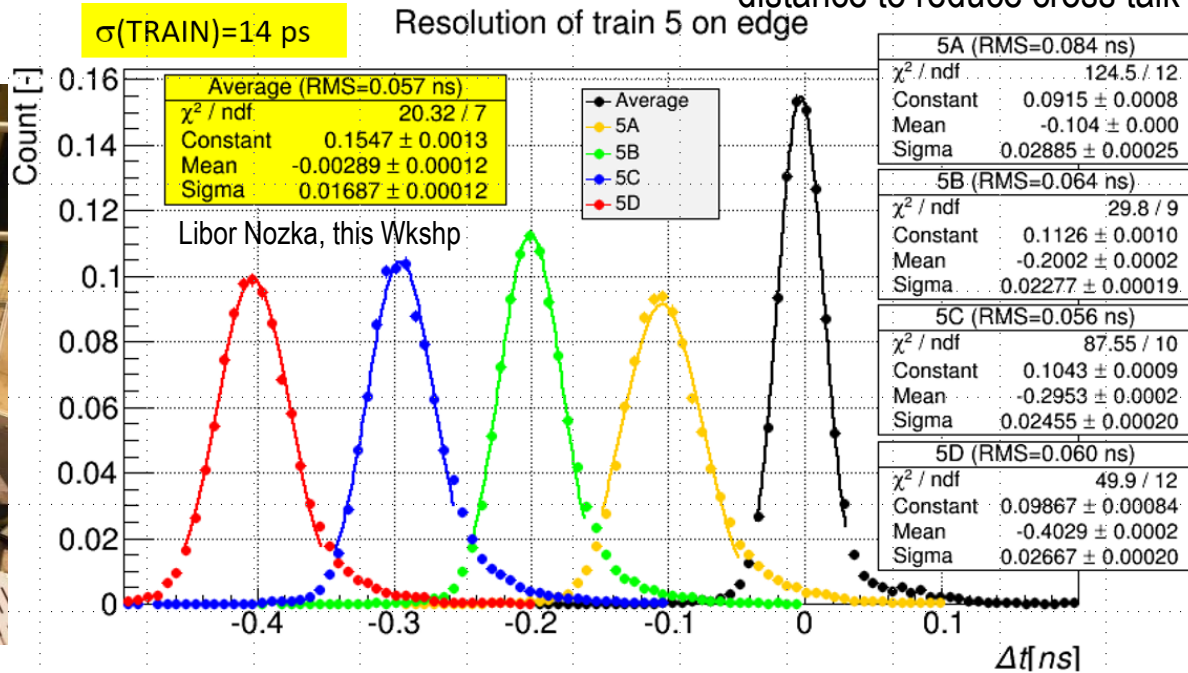
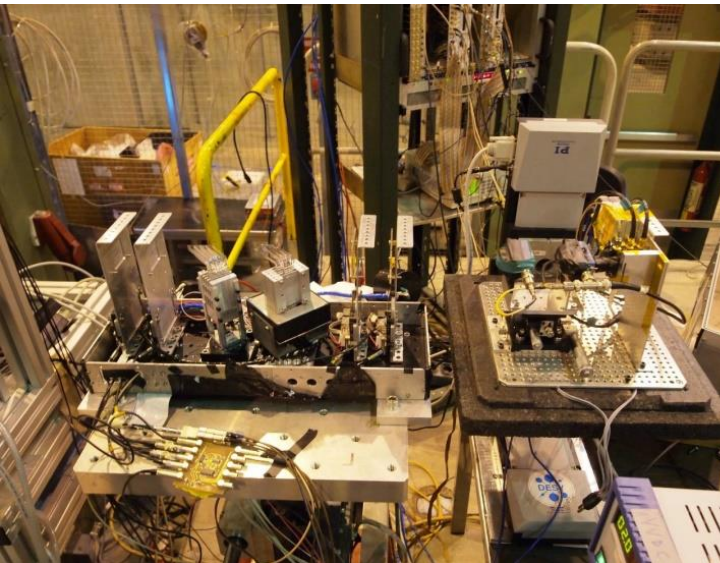


- MCP-PMT:
 - 10/6 μ m pore MCP mini-Planacon (4×4 pixels) by PHOTONIS
 - Reduced MCP-Anode gap distance for reduced inter-pixel cross talk!
 - Atomic Layer Deposition on MCP for long life
 - needed for 10x increase in lifetime (and possibly better gain)

ToF Performance in Beam Test

- Test Beam 2014 & 2015: J. Lange et al., submitted to JINST
 - Very good tracker performance: $\sigma_x(\text{track}) \lesssim 3 \mu\text{m}$
- Test Beam in June 2016 (2 weeks):
 - Characterization and optimization of the ToF front-end: radiator bars, cross talk, MCP-PMT, CFD delay and threshold ...
 - Excellent performance of the new 10 μm pore MCP-PMT
 - Early results shown in ICHEP Poster

PHOTONIS MCP-MA-PMT
with reduced MCP-anode
distance to reduce cross talk



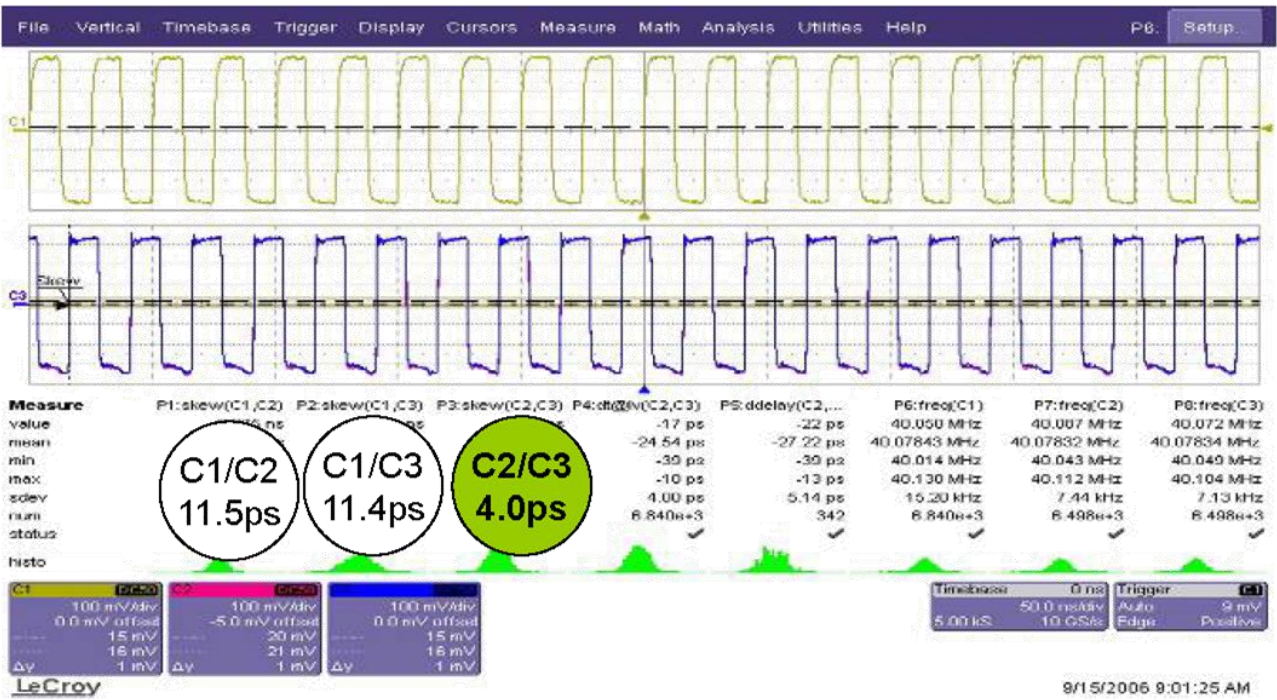
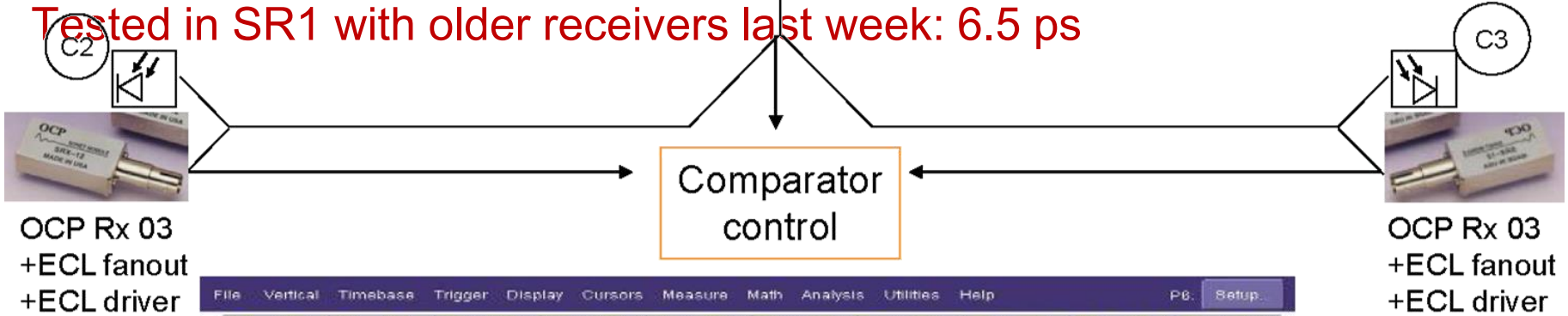
- Test Beam Sep'16: optimize ToF back-end electronics (HPTDC, Trigger)

TTC derived Reference Clock

Use 40.078 MHz BX clock to synchronize the detectors in the two arms



Tested in SR1 with older receivers last week: 6.5 ps



Sophie Baron, FP420
Collaboration Meeting,
2008

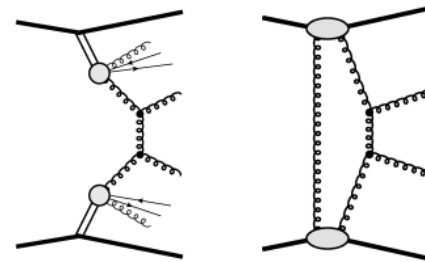
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1GHz

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Physics in 2017 and Beyond

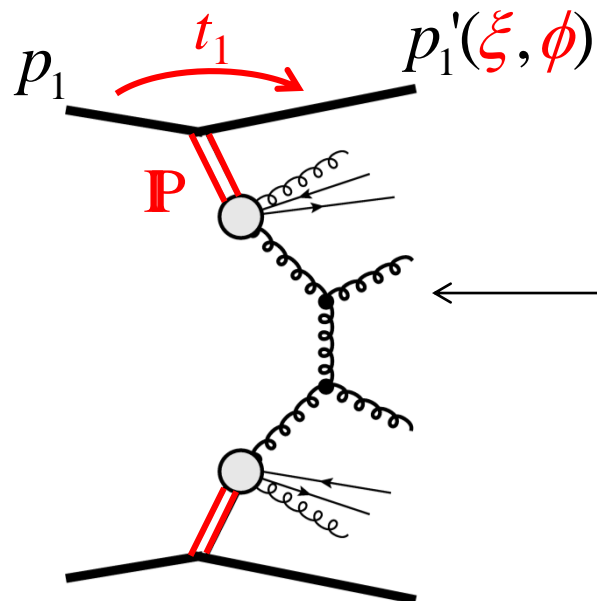


- In Dec 2016: AFP and Pb+p? Discussions between HI and AFP communities ongoing ...
- AFP aims to continuously be in the ATLAS standard luminosity running
 - provide a **double-proton tag with vertex matching to ATLAS**
 - **must resolve problems of cohabitation with ALFA !**
- Special low- μ ($\mu \sim 1$) runs
 - continuation of diffraction program:
- Plans to run **after LS2**
 - currently under discussion within AFP
 - will depend on AFP physics results before LS2 !
 - **must be reviewed by ATLAS before going to an TDR and LHCC**



Summary of Double p-Tag Processes

DPE jet-jet



$$t_i \equiv (p_i' - p_i)^2$$

$$\xi_i \equiv 1 - E_i' / E_B$$

$$\beta_i \equiv x_{P,i}$$

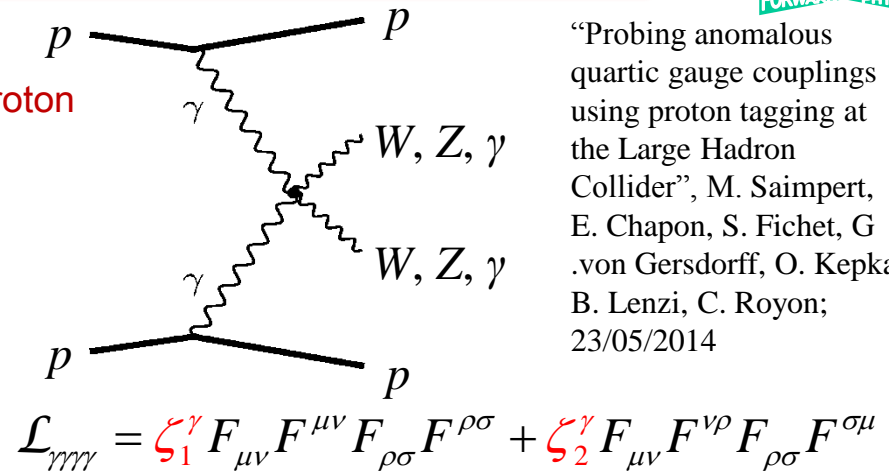
$$M_{jj} \leq M_{pp} = \sqrt{s \xi_1 \xi_2}$$

Analysis	Motivation	$\int L dt$ [pb ⁻¹]	Optimal μ
Soft Central Diffraction with AFP2+2			
$d\sigma/dt_{1,2}$, $d\sigma/d\xi_{1,2}$, t -Slope vs. ξ , Mass M and y of the central diffractive system, ϕ_1 vs. ϕ_2 , dN^\pm/dp_T ; vs. $t_{1,2}$, $\xi_{1,2}$, M .	general understanding of DPE processes	1	$\mu \sim 0.1$
Central Diffractive jet Production (DPEjj) [28]; see also Sect. A			
$d\sigma/dt_{1,2}$, $d\sigma/d\xi_{1,2}$, t -Slope vs. ξ , $d\sigma/dp_T^{jet}$, Mass M and y of the central dijet system, ϕ_1 vs. ϕ_2	gap survival probability for DPE processes, Pomeron structure, general understanding of DPE processes	10 – 100	$\mu \sim 1$
Jet-gap-jet Production [22, 24]			
$d\sigma/dt_{1,2}$, $d\sigma/d\xi_{1,2}$, $d\sigma/dM_{jj}$, central gap distribution, $d\sigma/dp_T^{jet}$, ϕ_1 vs. ϕ_2	observation of a new process, test of BFKL dynamics	10 – 100	$\mu \sim 1$
γ + jet Production			
σ , rapidity gap(s), Jet structure and p_T , Photon p_T ; vs. $t_{1,2}$, $\xi_{1,2}$, and M_{jj}	observation of a new process, mechanism of hard diffraction, gap survival probability, Pomeron structure	10 – 100	$\mu \sim 1$

Anomalous Quartic Couplings



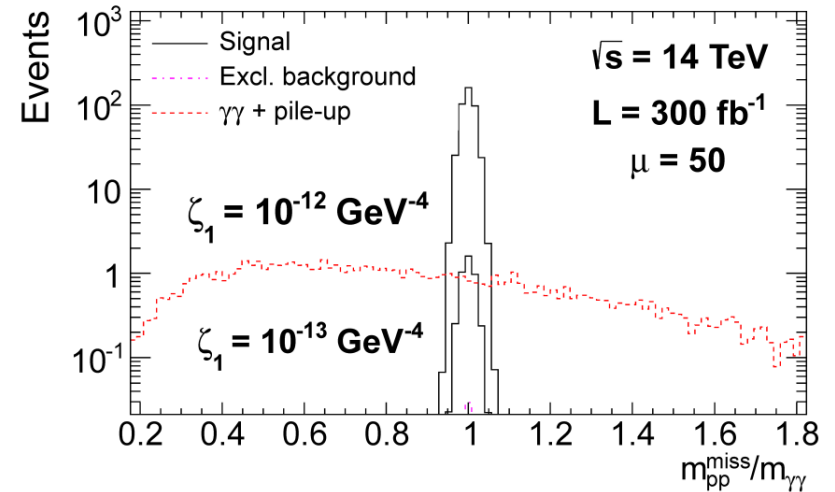
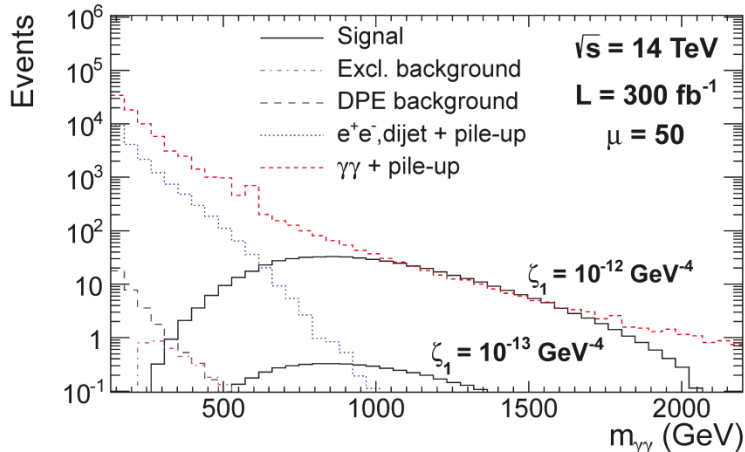
- Low Cross sections: ~few fb
 - AFP has a Missing-Mass resolution (from the proton measurements) of 2-4 %
- Match with invariant central object mass is efficient: ($Z \rightarrow ee, \gamma\gamma$)
 - powerful rejection of non-exclusive backgrounds
- Much interest in this from theory side
 - e.g. LHC Forward Physics WG (C. Royon et al.)



Mass distribution of signal and backgrounds for $\gamma\gamma\gamma$

$\gamma\gamma\gamma\gamma$: Mass matching and pile-up

■ $0.015 < \xi < 0.15, |\eta| < 2.37, p_{T1,2}^\gamma > 50$ GeV ONLY



■ By requesting $m_{\gamma\gamma} > 600$ GeV, Only pile-up backgrounds remain

Summary

- ATLAS Forward Proton project:
 - AFP is installed in one arm and fully operational
 - AFP DCS & TDAQ integrated, AFP is within standard ATLAS latency
 - data taking at high-pileup (~ 35) was successful
 - intensity qualification up to $n_b=600$ (to limit radiation dose on ALFA) ☹️
 - background seems low and environment very clean 😊
 - Low- μ data taking: 4hrs, and 4hrs more to come ...
 - Rich physics program of soft and hard diffraction!
- Preparation for second AFP arm (6L1) underway
 - ECR approved
 - Time-of-Flight is the critical item
 - 2 H6 Beam tests:
 - June: 15ps/4 LQbars (w/o HPTDC !) 😊
 - September: ongoing; optimize the HPTDC + Trigger
 - Production of other critical items is well underway

Backup



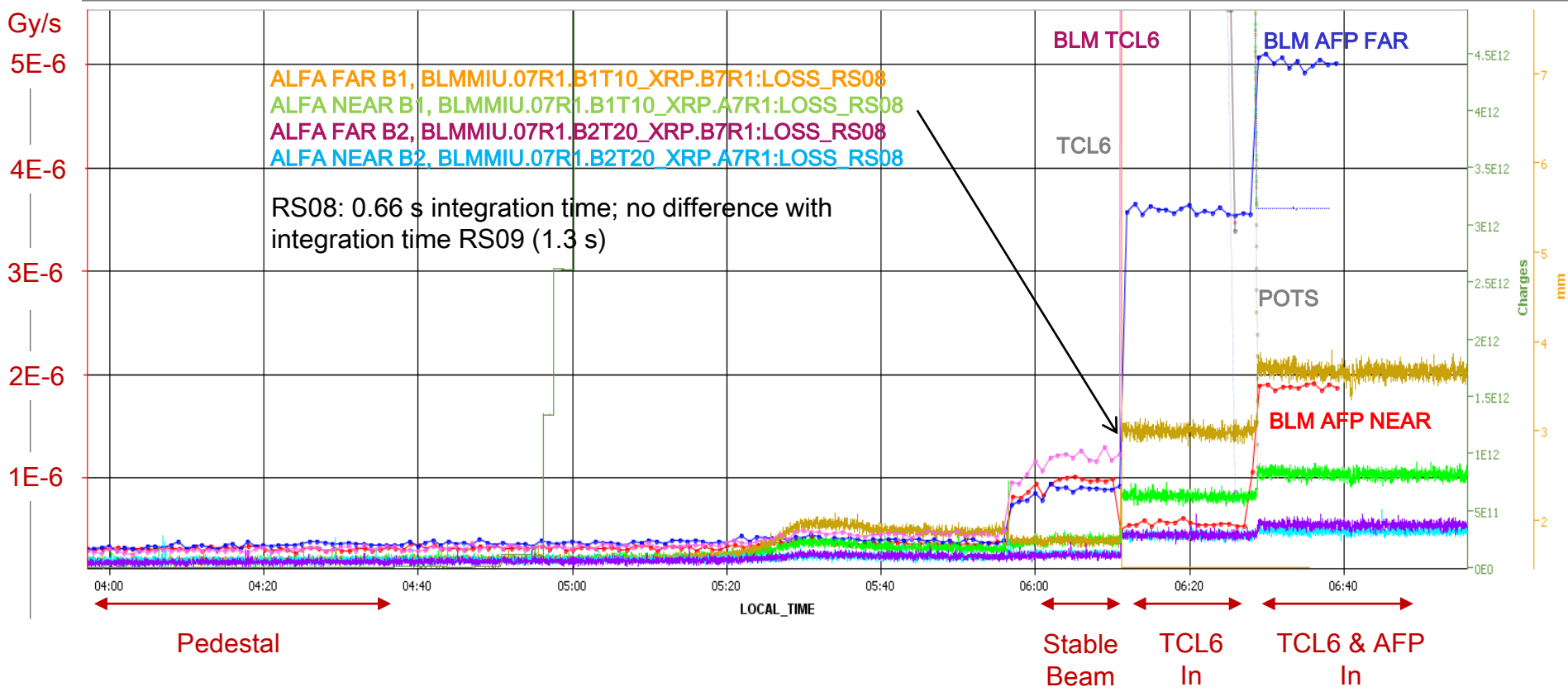
- Note: older slides with detector details

Irradiation of ALFA Electronics

- Fill 4906: Radiation pedestal and Nominal level with beam are well measurable:

Timeseries Chart between 2016-05-10 03:55:00.000 and 2016-05-10 10:00:00.000 (LOCAL_TIME)

→ BLMEI.06R1.B1E10_XRP.A6R1:LOSS_RS08
 → BLMEI.06R1.B1E20_XRP.B6R1:LOSS_RS08
 → BLMMI.07R1.B1T10_XRP.A7R1:LOSS_RS08
 → BLMMI.07R1.B1T10_XRP.B7R1:LOSS_RS08
 → BLMMI.07R1.B2T20_XRP.A7R1:LOSS_RS08
 → BLMMI.07R1.B2T20_XRP.B7R1:LOSS_RS08
→ BLMTI.06R1.B1E10_TCL6R1.B1:LOSS_RS08
 → LHC.BCTDC.B6R4.B1:BEAM_INTENSITY_ADC24BIT
 → TCL6R1.B1:MEAS_LVDT_LU
 → XRPH.A6R1.B1:MEAS_LIMIT_DUMP_INNER_LU
 → XRPH.A6R1.B1:MEAS_LIMIT_WARN_INNER_LU
 → XRPH.A6R1.B1:MEAS_LVDT_LU
→ XRPH.A6R1.B1:MEAS_MOTOR_LU
 → XRPH.A6R1.B1:MEAS_RESOLVER_LU
 → XRPH.B6R1.B1:MEAS_LIMIT_DUMP_INNER_LU
 → XRPH.B6R1.B1:MEAS_LIMIT_WARN_INNER_LU
 → XRPH.B6R1.B1:MEAS_LVDT_LU
 → XRPH.B6R1.B1:MEAS_MOTOR_LU



Radiation Dose to ALFA



ATLAS
LUMINOUS

- Worry: Radiation to non-rad hard ALFA electronics
- Measure in Fill 4919, 601 b:
 - Stable beam 12-13 May 2016
 - TCL6 & AFP in: ~10x increase in dose to ALFA FAR station ...

FILL 4919			BLMMI.07R1	BLMMI.07R1	BLMMI.07R1	BLMMI.07R1
start	end	type	ALF NEAR	ALF FAR	ALF NEAR2	ALF FAR2
5/12/16 20:30	5/12/16 20:40	Pedestal	2.13E-07	2.03E-07	1.90E-07	1.78E-07
	NDF= 11	rms	3.66E-09	2.02E-09	2.27E-09	1.69E-09
5/12/16 23:30	5/13/16 0:07	Stable Beam	4.94E-07	4.79E-07	2.82E-07	2.49E-07
	NDF= 38	rms	5.43E-09	6.90E-09	3.89E-09	3.59E-09
5/13/16 0:09	5/13/16 0:28	TCL6 in	1.19E-06	2.25E-06	5.59E-07	5.65E-07
	NDF= 20	rms	7.28E-09	7.28E-09	4.03E-09	4.89E-09
5/13/16 0:32	5/13/16 0:52	AFP in	1.56E-06	3.26E-06	6.36E-07	7.33E-07
	NDF= 21	rms	9.84E-09	2.13E-08	4.05E-09	5.38E-09
5/13/16 1:30	5/13/16 1:42	AFP in 2	1.51E-06	3.13E-06	6.17E-07	7.08E-07
	NDF= 13	rms	6.26E-09	1.87E-08	5.00E-09	3.50E-09
5/13/16 1:44	5/13/16 2:10	TCL6 in 2	1.12E-06	2.10E-06	5.30E-07	5.34E-07
	NDF= 27	rms	7.18E-09	1.23E-08	3.66E-09	5.75E-09
5/13/16 2:13	5/13/16 2:30	Stable Beam 2	3.67E-07	4.48E-07	2.41E-07	2.24E-07
	NDF= 18	rms	4.09E-09	8.17E-09	2.64E-09	2.36E-09
5/13/16 7:12	5/13/16 7:40	Pedestal 2	1.59E-07	1.64E-07	1.68E-07	1.46E-07
	NDF= 29	rms	2.00E-09	2.43E-09	2.23E-09	2.77E-09
Start Edge						
Standard dose with 600b		SB'=SB - Pedestal	2.81E-07	2.76E-07	9.15E-08	7.06E-08
Increase with TCL6		(TCL6-SB)/SB'	2.49E+00	6.40E+00	3.03E+00	4.48E+00
Increase with TCL6 & AFP		(TCL6&AFP-SB)/SB'	3.82E+00	1.01E+01	3.87E+00	6.87E+00
End Edge						
Standard dose with 600b		SB'=SB - Pedestal	2.08E-07	2.84E-07	7.24E-08	7.78E-08
Increase with TCL6		(TCL6-SB)/SB'	3.60E+00	5.82E+00	4.00E+00	3.99E+00
Increase with TCL6 & AFP		(TCL6&AFP-SB)/SB'	5.48E+00	9.46E+00	5.20E+00	6.22E+00
Expected 2016 LumInt		25 fb-1				
Allowed ALFA dose increase		10.00%				
worst case AFP LumInt		0.26 fb-1				
avg case AFP LumInt		0.39 fb-1				

⇒ limit AFP insertion at high- μ to 0.15 fb^{-1} in 2016

⇒ $n_b \leq 600$



Radiation Dose to ALFA

- Fill 4906, 313 bunches, Stable Beam @ 10.05.2016 06:02
- discussed with ALFA colleagues and ATLAS RC

FILL 4906			BLMEI.06R1.	BLMMI.07R1.	BLMMI.07R1.	BLMMI.07R1.	BLMMI.07R1.	BLMTI.06R1.		
start	end	type	BLMEI.06R1.B1E10_XRP.A6R1:L OSS_RS09	B1E20_XRP.B6R1:LOSS_RS09	B1T10_XRP.A7R1:LOSS_RS09	B1T10_XRP.B7R1:LOSS_RS09	B2T20_XRP.A7R1:LOSS_RS09	B2T20_XRP.B7R1:LOSS_RS09	B1E10_TCL6R1.B1:LOSS_RS09	
			AFP NEAR	AFP FAR	ALF NEAR	ALF FAR	ALF NEAR2	ALF FAR2	BLM TCL6	
5/10/16 3:57	5/10/16 4:35	Pedestal NDF= 38 rms	2.87E-07	3.08E-07	1.72E-07	1.71E-07	1.71E-07	1.60E-07	2.69E-07	
5/10/16 6:02	5/10/16 6:10	Stable Beam NDF= 8 rms	9.38E-07	8.52E-07	3.62E-07	3.56E-07	2.37E-07	2.19E-07	1.15E-06	
5/10/16 6:12	5/10/16 6:25	TCL6 In NDF= 13 rms	5.22E-07	3.48E-06	7.70E-07	1.38E-06	4.00E-07	4.07E-07	3.40E-05	
5/10/16 6:29	5/10/16 6:47	AFP in NDF= 18 rms	1.82E-06	4.87E-06	9.80E-07	1.95E-06	4.43E-07	5.00E-07	3.55E-05	
			5.85E-08	5.42E-08	1.22E-08	2.56E-08	3.63E-09	5.48E-09	4.81E-07	
			uncertainties $\leq 3\%$							
Standard dose with 300b		SB'=SB - Pedestal	6.50E-07	5.44E-07	1.89E-07	1.84E-07	6.64E-08	5.98E-08	8.82E-07	
Increase with TCL6		(TCL6-SB)/SB'	-6.39E-01	4.84E+00	2.15E+00	5.54E+00	2.45E+00	3.14E+00	3.73E+01	
Increase with TCL6 & AFP		(TCL6&AFP-SB)/SB'	1.35E+00	7.40E+00	3.26E+00	8.66E+00	3.09E+00	4.70E+00	3.90E+01	

Expected 2016 $\int \mathcal{L} dt$: 25 fb⁻¹

To limit ALFA Dose Increase to 10%: → AFP insertion limited to 0.29 fb⁻¹

Agreed with ALFA & RC: stop at 0.15 fb⁻¹ → AFP stops Intensity Qualification at 600 b

(Note: so far ~0.034 fb⁻¹ accumulated with TCL6 & AFP in)

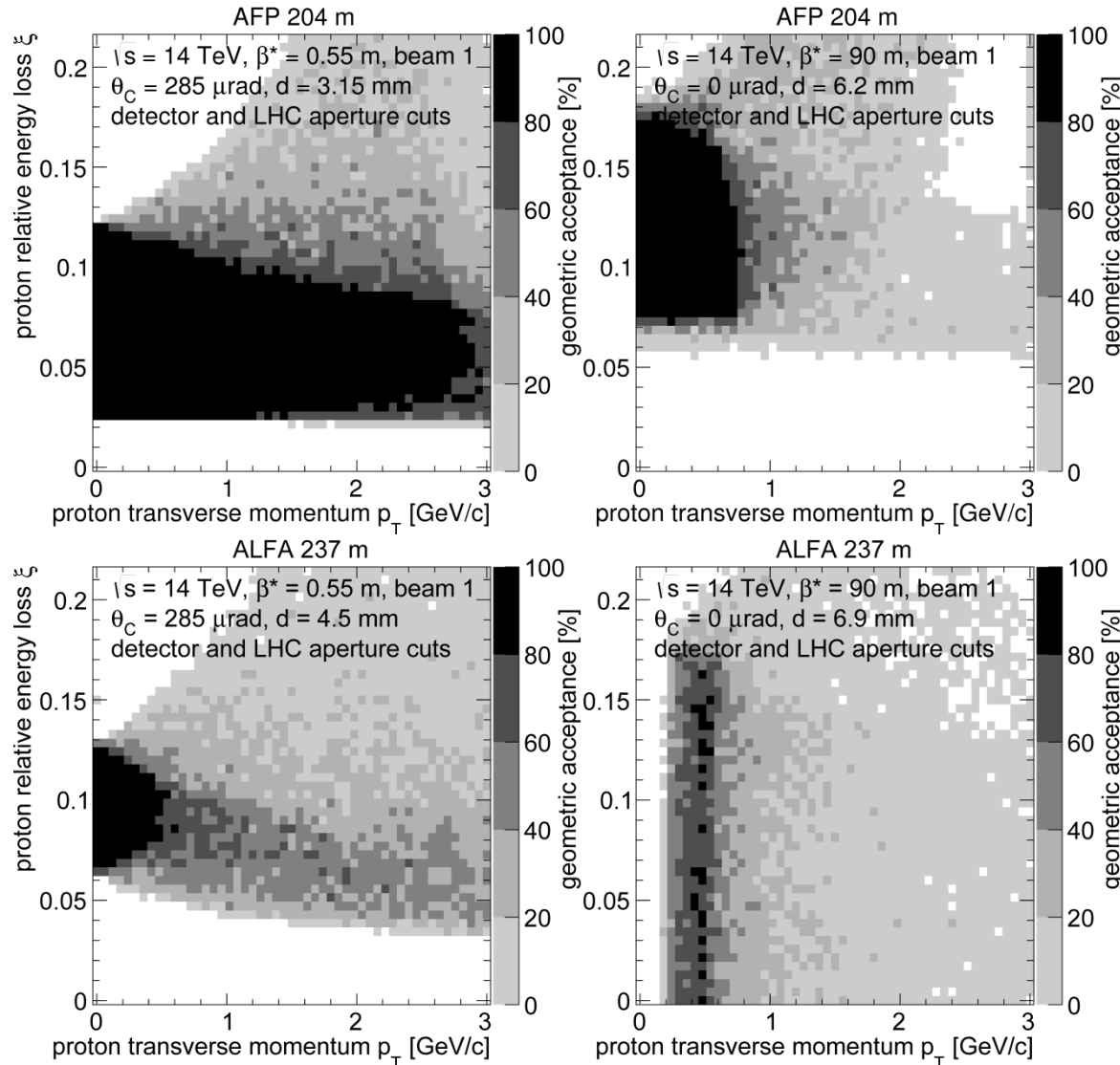
AFP and ALFA: Complementarity

AFP – Horizontal Pots:

- large t acceptance
- ξ range shifts with optics
- high β^* and low $\beta^*=0.5$ m

ALFA – Vertical Pots:

- limited t acceptance
- $\xi=0$ acceptance for $\beta^*\geq 90$, elastics
- only low-Luminosity, high β^* runs



Benchmark: DPEjj Processes

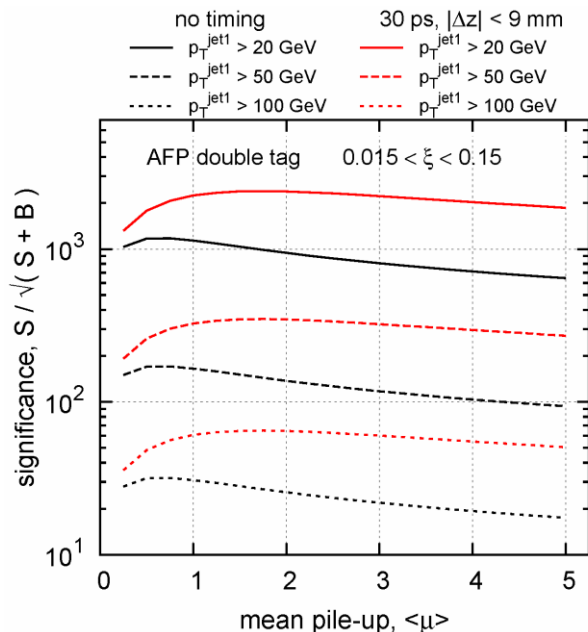
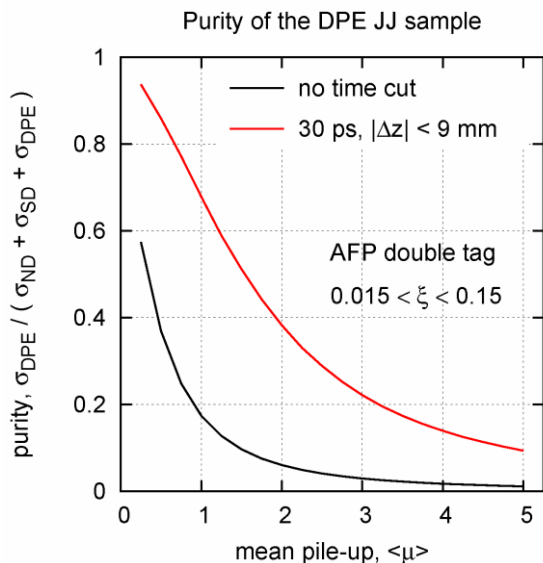
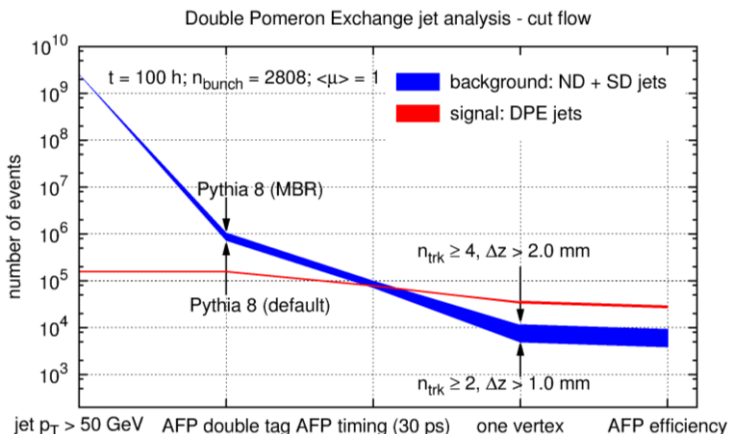
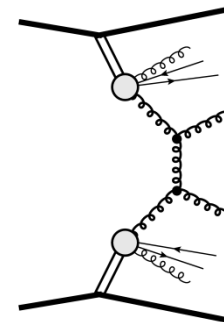


– Fast & Full simulation of AFP + ATLAS, including pile-up

- generator: PYTHIA 8.165 with PomFLUX = 1, 5(MBR)
- 100 h (1 wk); 2808 bunches, $\mu=1$

– Event Selections:

- $p_T(\text{jet}) > 20, 50, 100$ GeV
- double proton tag in AFP
- *matching* with AFP vertex from timing ($\sigma_t = 30$ ps)
- *single* vertex in ATLAS



Anomalous Quartic Couplings WW $\gamma\gamma$

- Sensitivities predicted at the LHC (P. J. Bell, ArXiv:0907.5299): around a few 10^{-4} GeV^{-2}
- Sensitivities predicted **with AFP**:

30 fb $^{-1}$

200 fb $^{-1}$

		limits [10^{-6} GeV^{-2}]				limits [10^{-6} GeV^{-2}]			
form factor		$ a_0^W/\Lambda^2 $	$ a_C^W/\Lambda^2 $	$ a_0^Z/\Lambda^2 $	$ a_C^Z/\Lambda^2 $	$ a_0^W/\Lambda^2 $	$ a_C^W/\Lambda^2 $	$ a_0^Z/\Lambda^2 $	$ a_C^Z/\Lambda^2 $
95% c.l.	$\Lambda_{cut} = \infty$	1.2	4.2	2.8	10	0.7	2.4	1.1	4.1
	$\Lambda_{cut} = 2 \text{ TeV}$	2.6	9.4	6.4	24	1.4	5.2	2.5	9.2
3σ evidence	$\Lambda_{cut} = \infty$	1.6	5.8	4.0	14	0.85	3.0	1.6	5.7
	$\Lambda_{cut} = 2 \text{ TeV}$	3.6	13	9.0	34	1.8	6.7	3.5	13
5σ discovery	$\Lambda_{cut} = \infty$	2.3	9.7	6.2	23	1.2	4.3	4.1	8.9
	$\Lambda_{cut} = 2 \text{ TeV}$	5.4	20	14	52	2.7	9.6	5.5	20

- improvement by a factor ~ 100 over non-AFP measurements

$$\mathcal{L}_6 = \frac{-e^2}{8} \frac{\alpha_0^W}{\Lambda^2} F_{\mu\nu} F^{\mu\nu} W^{+\alpha} W_{\alpha}^{-} + \frac{-e^2}{16 \cos^2 \theta_w} \frac{\alpha_0^Z}{\Lambda^2} F_{\mu\nu} F^{\mu\nu} Z^{\alpha} Z_{\alpha}$$

$$+ \frac{-e^2}{16} \frac{\alpha_C^W}{\Lambda^2} F_{\mu\alpha} F^{\mu\beta} (W^{+\alpha} W_{\beta}^{-} + W^{-\alpha} W_{\beta}^{+}) + \frac{-e^2}{16 \cos^2 \theta_w} \frac{\alpha_C^Z}{\Lambda^2} F_{\mu\alpha} F^{\mu\alpha} Z^{\alpha} Z_{\beta}$$

M. Saimpert, E. Chapon, S. Fichet, G. von Gersdorff, O. Kepka, B. Lenzi, C. Royon, "Probing anomalous quartic gauge couplings using proton tagging at the Large Hadron Collider", Trento, 16 April 2014.
 C. Royon, O. Kepka, Phys. Rev. D 78 (2008)
 E. Chapon, C. Royon, O. Kepka, Phys. Rev. D 81 (2010)

3-D SiT & ToF Beam Test

Trigger:

- AND of 3 planes (FE-I4 HitOR)

DAQ:

- RCE-based (AdvancedTCA)
- used for IBL stave testing
- worked **VERY** well in test beam!

Performance:

- Efficiency $\geq 98\%$ /plane
- 98% single track events, 0.4% empty triggers
- Track CoG resolution:
 $\sigma_x = 7 \mu\text{m}$, $\sigma_y = 36 \mu\text{m}$

Production Status:

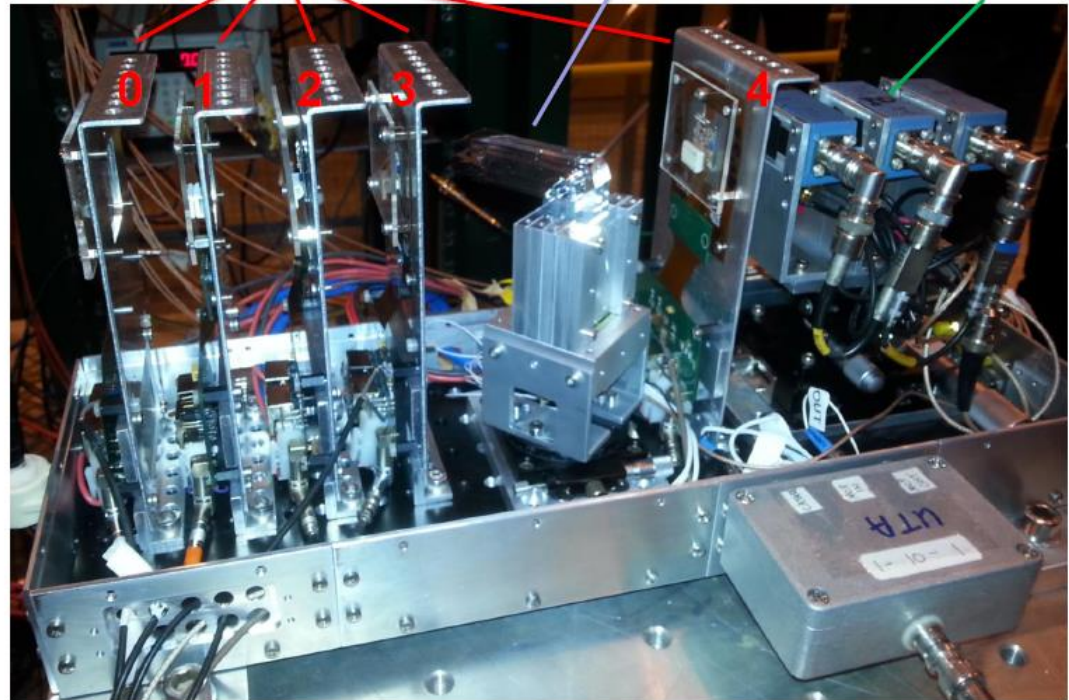
- Sensors cut, Under Bump Metallization done
- FE-I4 in house, to be sent for UBM
- Flexes designed, prototype available ← critical path
- Sensor card and holder designed and produced

Setup in test beam Nov 2014 CERN SPS

Tracker: 4+1 3D FEI4 pixels
→ trigger: 0 & 3 & 4

Timing: Quartic
4 trains of 2 LQbars

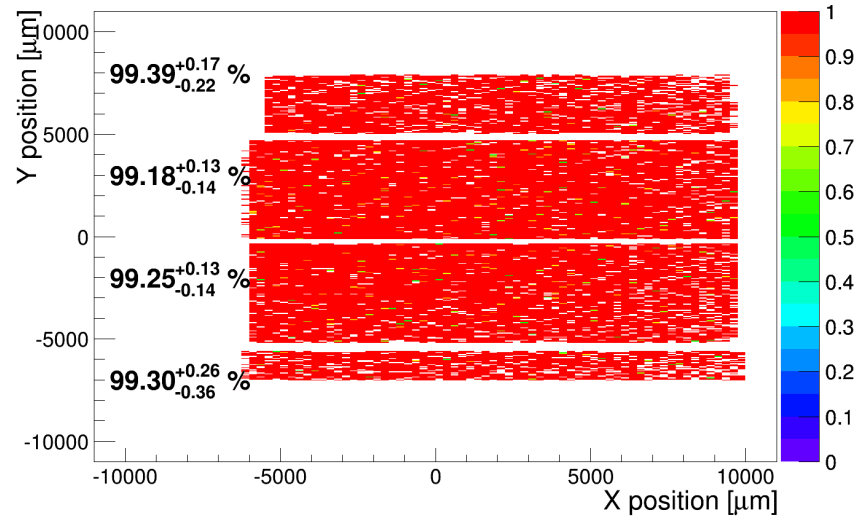
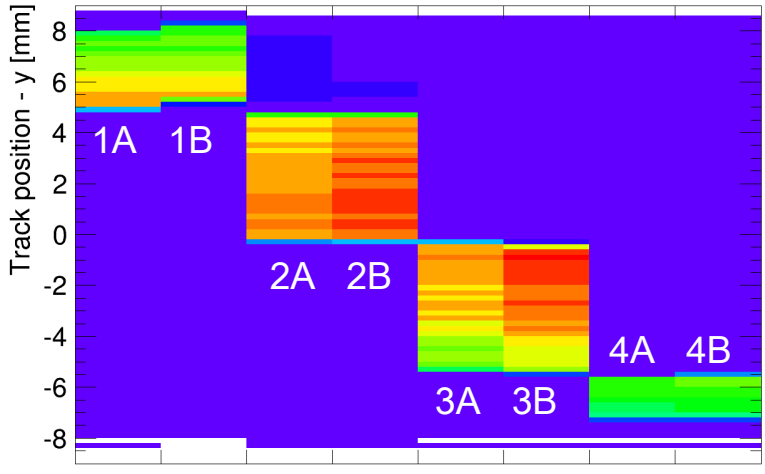
Quartz+SiPM
fast timing reference
(not for final AFP detector)



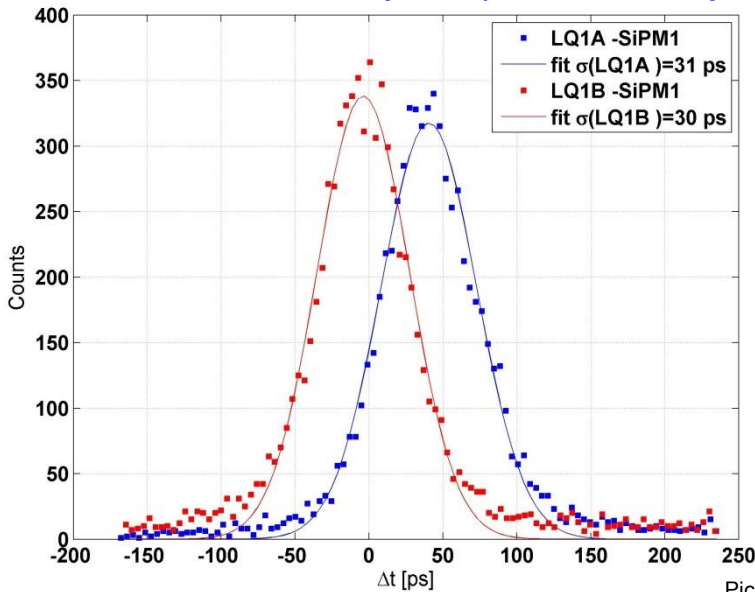
Beam Test: Time-of-Flight Detector

– Sit-ToF correlation: excellent (but some X-talk)

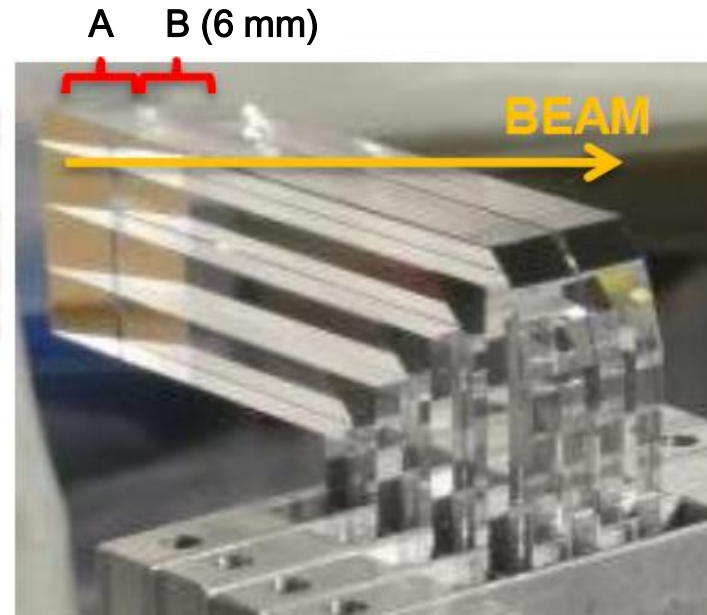
ToF efficiency: >99%



– Resolution: ~30 ps (Oscilloscope)



3 mm Train 1
5 mm Train 2
5 mm Train 3
5 mm Train 4



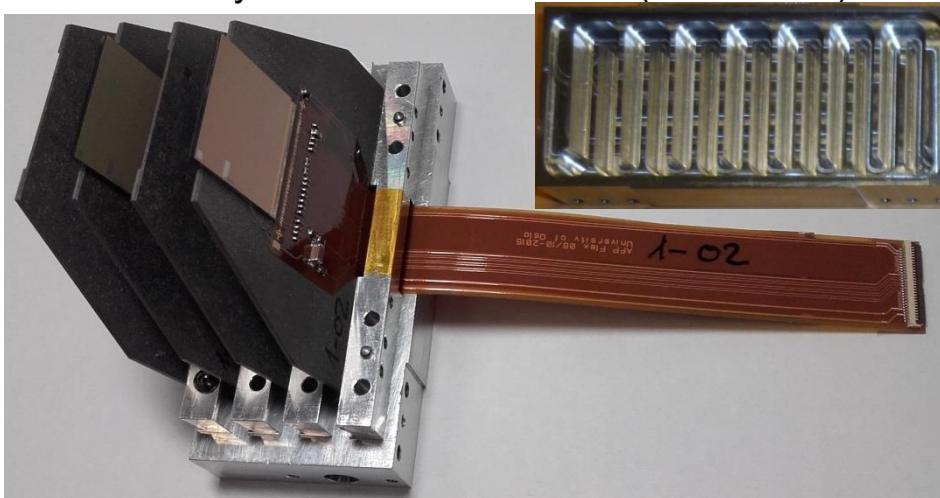
AFP in 2016 - Detectors

11 Silicon 3D detector assemblies produced at IFAE (more in coming months)

- 7 assemblies are operational
- Assemblies precision-mounted on Al-CF carrier cards (Bergen)
- FLEX (Oslo)
- Heat Exchanger holds Tiltbars (Bergen)
- -40 C air from AirCooler (Stony Brook)

- Installation: this week
 - leak testing Mo-Tu

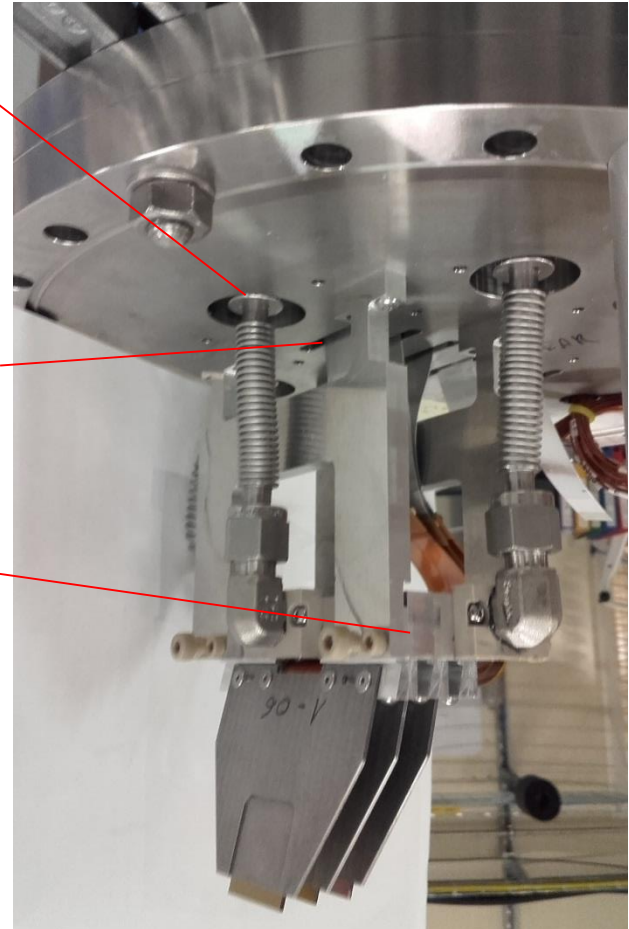
trial assembly with 2 bad assemblies (20.02.2016)



cooling in/outlets

signal feedthrough

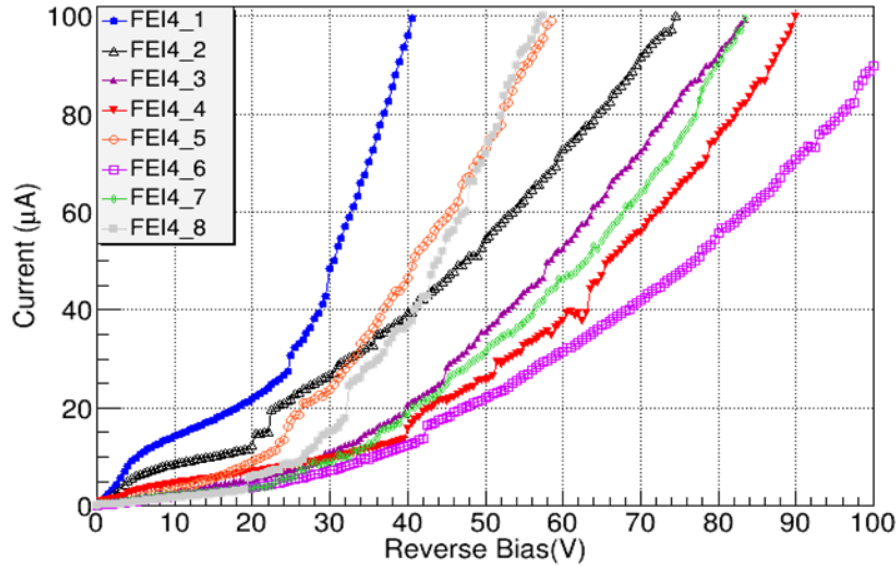
heat exchanger



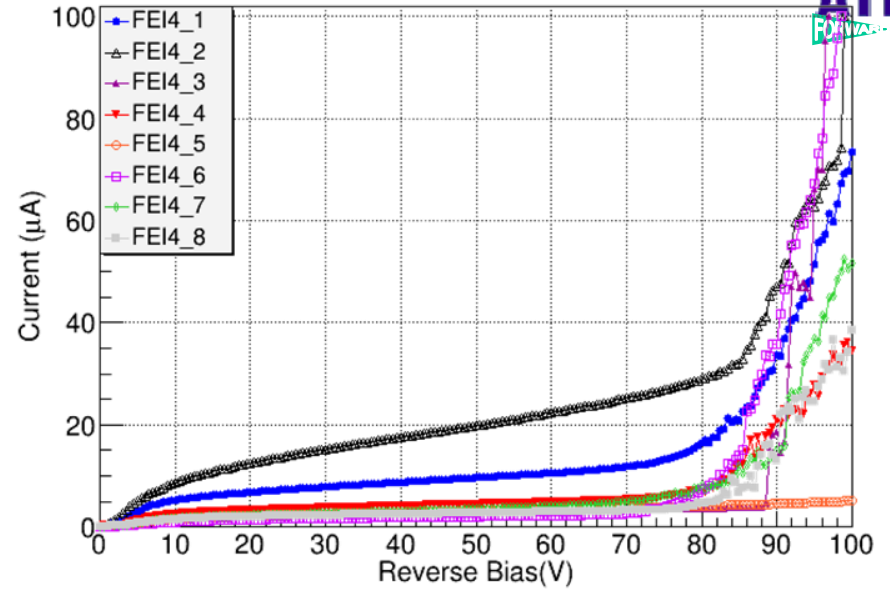


IV Curves

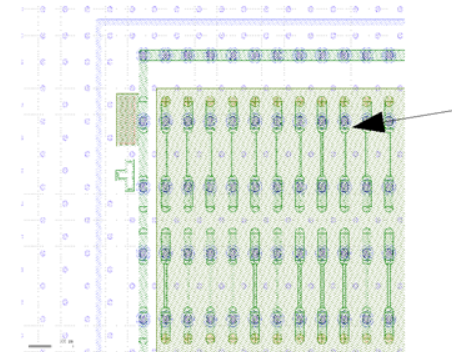
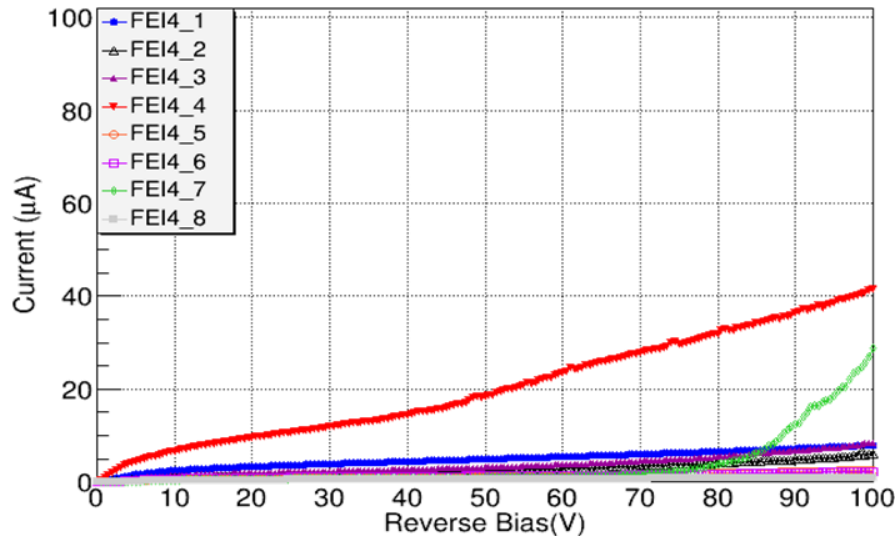
Wafer_2_IV_FEI4



Wafer_3_IV_FEI4



Wafer_4_IV_FEI4



- Preliminary measurements of the active area of the three wafers are very encouraging!!

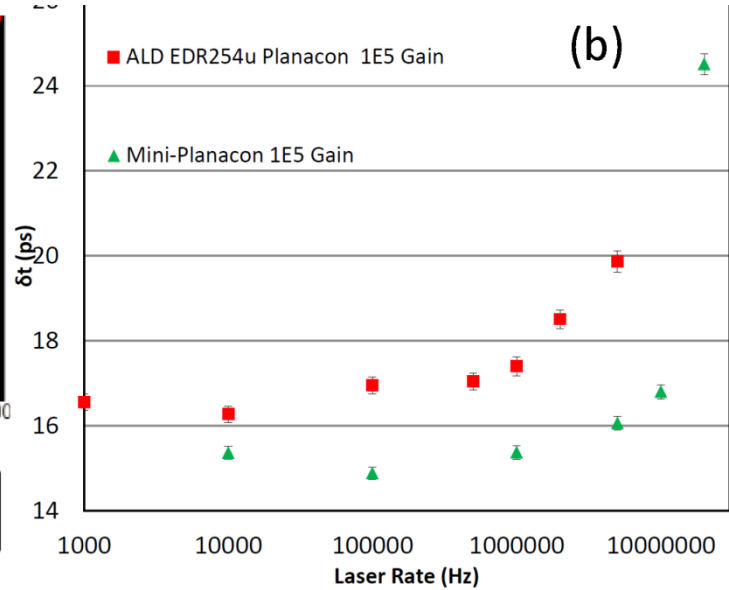
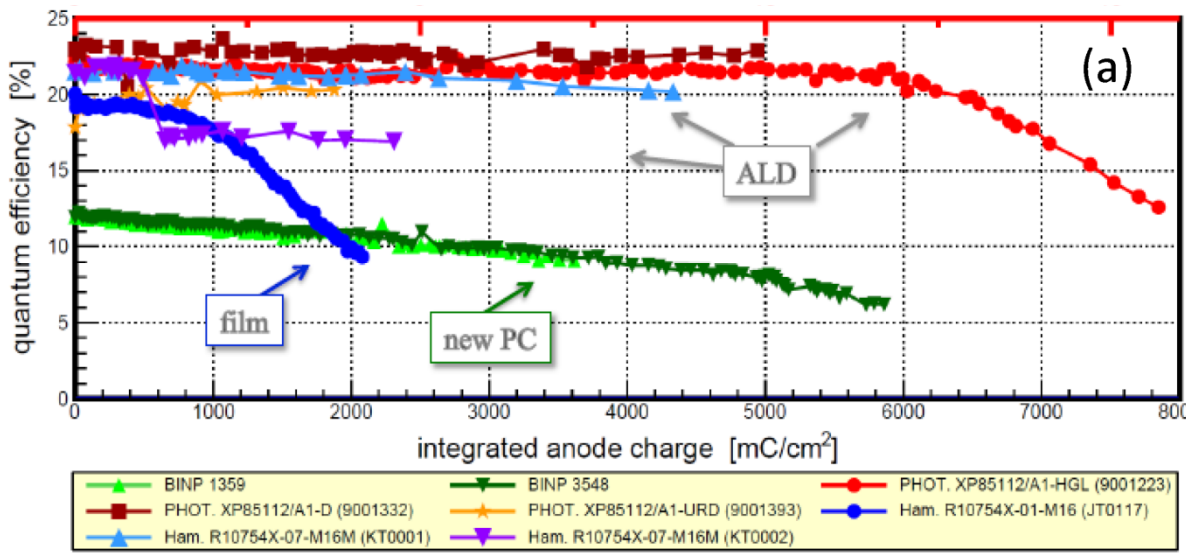
Other Items for the 2nd Arm



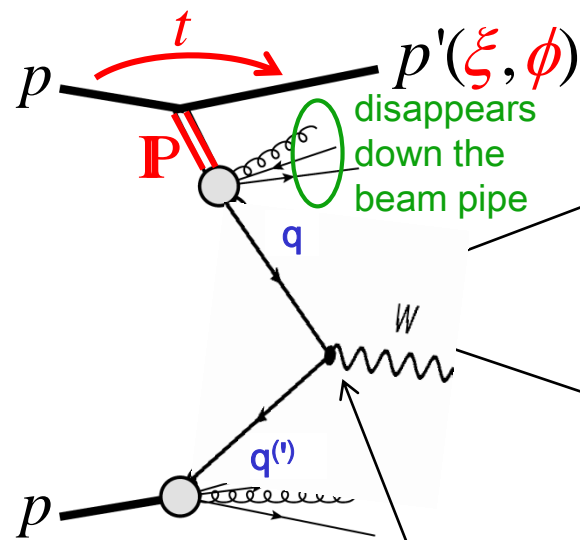
- Stations:
 - stations are in production at Vakuum Praha – expect by mid-June/July
 - pedestals & supports all done by ATLAS TC
 - small parts (done)
- Roman Pots:
 - 2 production Pots: Alberta – June/July
- Detectors:
 - Tracker:
 - new wafers look very good (next slide)
 - Al-CF carrier cards (ordered)
 - heat exchanger (in production)
 - other holder parts (done by Bergen)
- Other Infrastructure:
 - LVregs for ToF (Milano)
 - Local crates for ToF electronics & trigger (PA-b, Trig, CFD, HPTDC)
 - Patch panels & local cables

Backup – ToF MCP-PMT

- MCP-PMT Life Time and Rate



Summary of Single p-Tag Processes



Single Diffractive Production

$$t \equiv (p' - p)^2$$

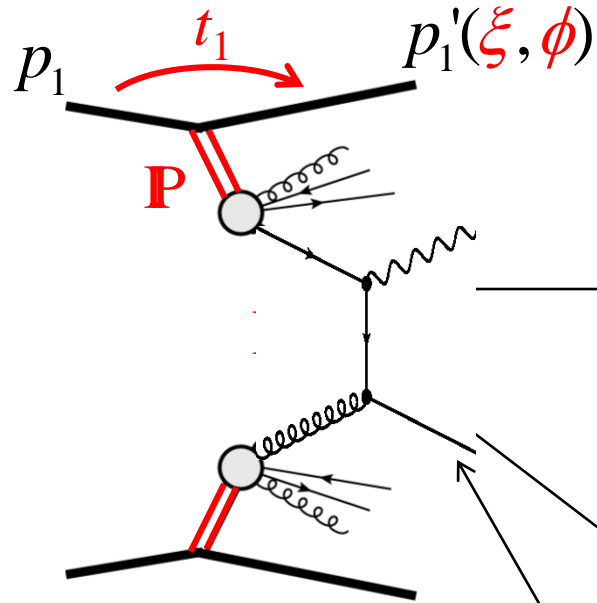
$$\xi \equiv 1 - E'/E$$

$$\beta \equiv x_{\mathbb{P}}$$

Analysis	Motivation	$\int L dt$ [pb^{-1}]	Optimal μ
Soft Single Diffraction with AFP0+2			
$d\sigma/dt$, $d\sigma/d\xi$, t -Slope vs. ξ , dN^\pm/dp_T vs. t and ξ	Saturation, MC tuning, Cosmic Ray physics	1	$\mu \sim 0.01$
Single Diffractive jet Production [21]			
σ , rapidity gap, Jet structure and p_T , event shape (MPI [21]); vs. t , ξ , and β	gap survival probability, Pomeron structure	10 – 100	$\mu \sim 1$
Single Diffractive jet-gap-jet Production [22, 23, 24]			
σ , central gap distribution, Jet p_T ; vs. t , ξ , and β	observation of a new process, test of BFKL dynamics	1 – 100	$\mu \sim 1$
Single Diffractive Production of γ + jet [25]			
σ , rapidity gap, Jet structure and p_T , Photon p_T , event shape (MPI); vs. t , ξ , and β	observation of a new process, mechanism of hard diffraction, gap survival probability, Pomeron structure	10 – 100	$\mu \sim 1$
Single Diffractive Z Production			
σ , rapidity gap, charge-asymmetry; vs. t , ξ , and β	gap survival probability, Pomeron structure	10 – 100	$\mu \sim 1$
Single Diffractive W Production			
σ , rapidity gap; vs. t , ξ , and β	gap survival probability, Pomeron structure and flavor composition	10 – 100	$\mu \sim 1$

Summary of Double p-Tag Processes

DPE jet-jet



$$t_i \equiv (p_i' - p_i)^2$$

$$\xi_i \equiv 1 - E_i' / E_B$$

$$\beta_i \equiv x_{P,i}$$

$$M_{jj} \leq M_{pp} = \sqrt{s \xi_1 \xi_2}$$

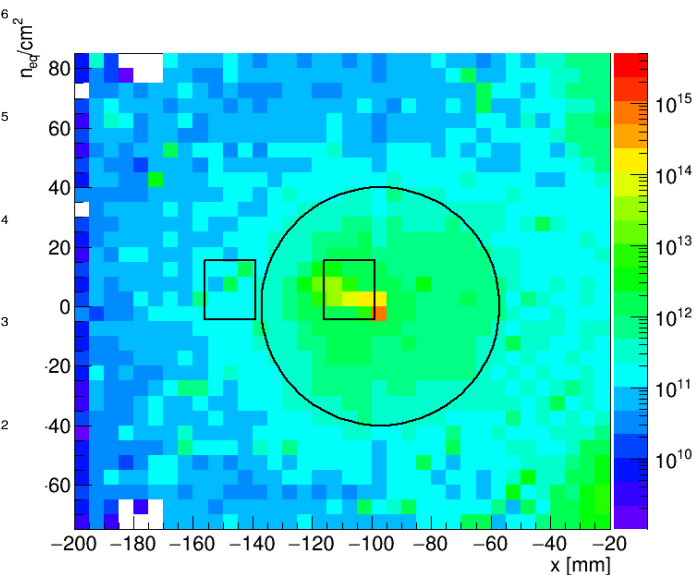
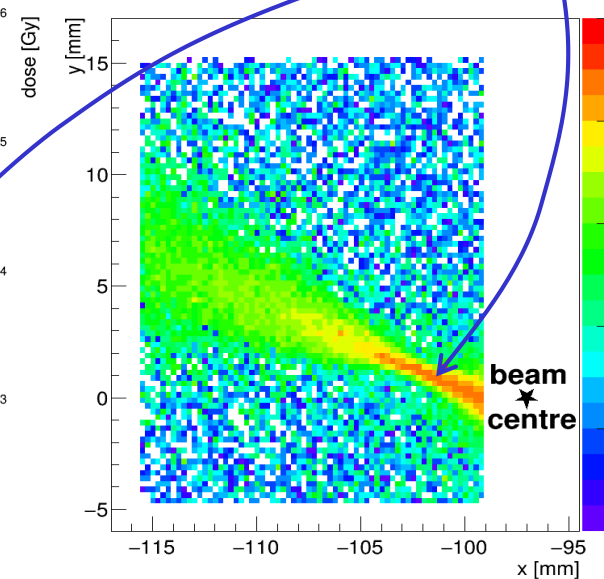
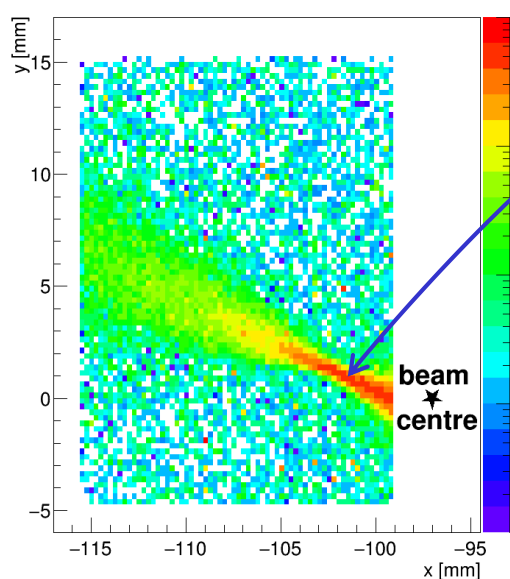
Analysis	Motivation	$\int L dt$ [pb ⁻¹]	Optimal μ
Soft Central Diffraction with AFP2+2			
$d\sigma/dt_{1,2}$, $d\sigma/d\xi_{1,2}$, t -Slope vs. ξ , Mass M and y of the central diffractive system, ϕ_1 vs. ϕ_2 , dN^\pm/dp_T ; vs. $t_{1,2}$, $\xi_{1,2}$, M .	general understanding of DPE processes	1	$\mu \sim 0.1$
Central Diffractive jet Production (DPEjj) [28]; see also Sect. A			
$d\sigma/dt_{1,2}$, $d\sigma/d\xi_{1,2}$, t -Slope vs. ξ , $d\sigma/dp_T^{jet}$, Mass M and y of the central dijet system, ϕ_1 vs. ϕ_2	gap survival probability for DPE processes, Pomeron structure, general understanding of DPE processes	10 – 100	$\mu \sim 1$
Jet-gap-jet Production [22, 24]			
$d\sigma/dt_{1,2}$, $d\sigma/d\xi_{1,2}$, $d\sigma/dM_{jj}$, central gap distribution, $d\sigma/dp_T^{jet}$, ϕ_1 vs. ϕ_2	observation of a new process, test of BFKL dynamics	10 – 100	$\mu \sim 1$
γ + jet Production			
σ , rapidity gap(s), Jet structure and p_T , Photon p_T ; vs. $t_{1,2}$, $\xi_{1,2}$, and M_{jj}	observation of a new process, mechanism of hard diffraction, gap survival probability, Pomeron structure	10 – 100	$\mu \sim 1$

Backup – Radiation Levels

Radiation levels for 100 fb^{-1}

- inputs: ALFA and TOTEM measurements
- AFP Full simulations in minbias events (below)
- early FLUKA calculations (A Mereghetti, 2009)

Position	5 mm from beam	5 cm from beam	Tunnel Floor
Electronics type	3-D sensor & FE-I4	PA-a	PA-b, Trigger, CFD, HPTDC
High-energy hadrons	$< 5 \times 10^{15}/\text{cm}^2$	$5 \times 10^{12}/\text{cm}^2$	$1 \times 10^{11}/\text{cm}^2$
n_{eq}	$< 3 \times 10^{15}/\text{cm}^2$	$3 \times 10^{12}/\text{cm}^2$	$5 \times 10^{10}/\text{cm}^2$
Dose	$< 700 \text{ kGy}$	200 Gy	50 Gy



Irradiation of AFP Electronics

estimates for 100 fb ⁻¹ (need update!)	5 cm from beam @214 m	Tunnel floor @214 m	RR13 @beam level
Electronics exposed:	PA-a	PA-b, Trigger	CFD, HPTDC, Clock
High-Energy hadrons	$5 \cdot 10^{12}/\text{cm}^2$	$10^{10}/\text{cm}^2$	$5 \cdot 10^9 - 10^8/\text{cm}^2$
1 MeV-equiv. neutrons	$5 \cdot 10^{11}/\text{cm}^2$	$5 \cdot 10^{10}/\text{cm}^2$	$10^9/\text{cm}^2$
Integrated dose	5000 Gy	50 – 10 Gy	1 – 0.1 Gy

1. HiRad protocol:

- Neutrons or HE protons: $10^{12} - 10^{13} /\text{cm}^2$; γ : 1 – 10 kGy.

2. MedRad protocol:

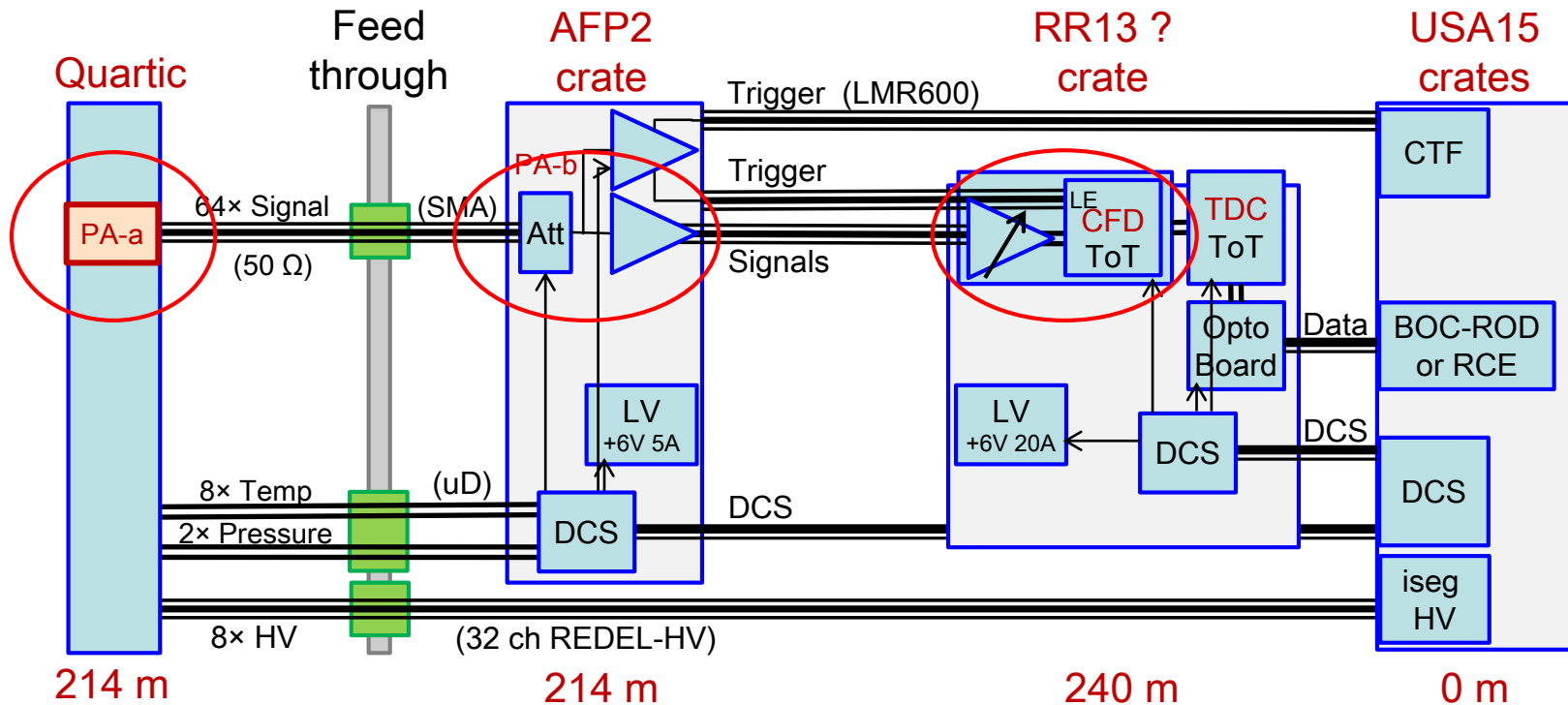
- Neutrons or HE protons: $10^{11} - 10^{12} /\text{cm}^2$; γ : 10 – 1 kGy.

- PA-a chips (PSA4-5043+): HiRad
- PA-b boards & trigger: MedRad
- NINO chips (trigger): MedRad
- CFD daughter boards: MedRad
- HPTDC chips: MedRad

Cfr. ALFA radiation dose LHC Run1 measured over 2010–2013 ($\sim 30 \text{ fb}^{-1}$): $\sim 20\text{-}30 \text{ Gy}$ in each pot ($\geq 10 \text{ cm}$ from beam)
See: K.Hiller, S.Jakobsen, S.Franz, ALFA General Meeting, Cracow, June 5-7, 201.

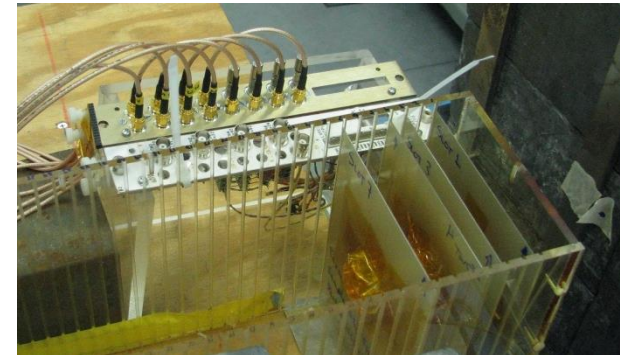
Irradiation – Sep 2013

Irradiated at LANL Sept 2013; S. Seidel *et al.* (UNM), K. Gray (UTA):

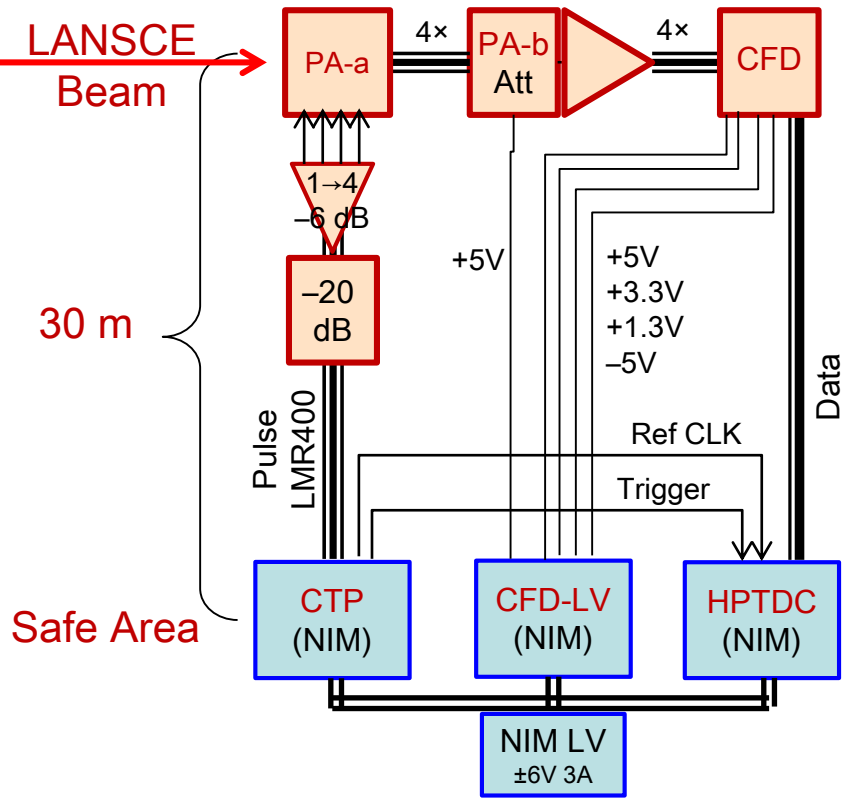


800 MeV p, ~7 cm from direct beam; *passive*

- dose: $6.5-8.7 \times 10^{12}$ p/cm², 2.3-3.1 kGy
- for 100 fb⁻¹: ~expected for PA-a; ~50× expected for PA-b and CFD
- devices are all operational after irradiation!

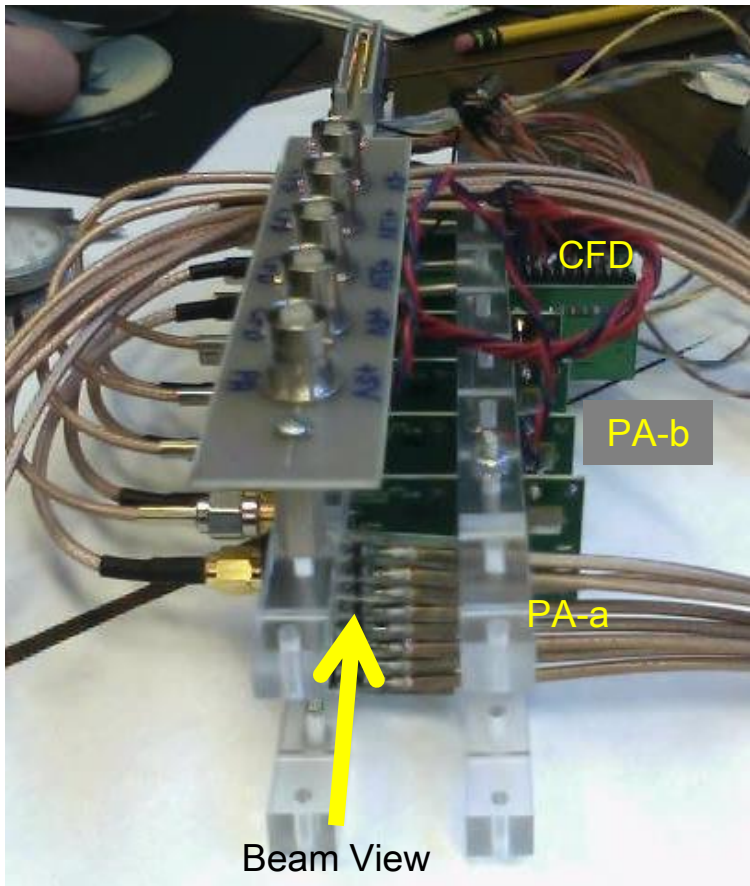


Irradiation @ LANSCE – Jan 2014



4 HPTDC chips

2 HPTDC chips: 1×10^{12} p/cm²
 2 HPTDC chips: 1×10^{13} p/cm²



Jan 31- Feb 2 irradiation at LANSCE
 Protocol:

- Active irradiation
- up to 1.0×10^{13} p/cm², in 10 steps of 1×10^{12} p/cm²
- i.e. 10 pulses of 10^{11} protons per step

January 31- Feb 2 Irradiation



People: Tim Hoffman (UTA); Sally Seidel, Martin Hoeferkamp (UNM)

Protocol: Active irradiation – keep voltages on!

- up to 1.0×10^{13} p/cm², in 10 ‘steps’ of 1×10^{12} p/cm²; **verify operation** before & after each step.
- i.e. 1 ‘step’ equals ~10 pulses of 10^{11} protons/pulse, 1 Hz, ~1 cm Ø

Early results:

- HPTDC readout did not work (cable too short) → 2 Channels were monitored on scope; all 4 channels were powered throughout the run.
- Irradiation to 2.2×10^{13} p/cm², 7.8 kGy
- 2 monitored channels were still operating at the end of the run

Next:

- Wait for cool-off and return of parts (any time now ...)
- Pre-Amps, CFDs: Re-test performance and compare with non-irradiated parts
- HPTDC chips: mount on HPTDC board and check operation