

Extreme Energy Events:

impacts on didactic and science awarness

Ivan Gnesi on behalf of EEE collaboration







February 15-16th, Centro Fermi, Rome

IPPOG 2107

EEE: Frontier Science and Outreach



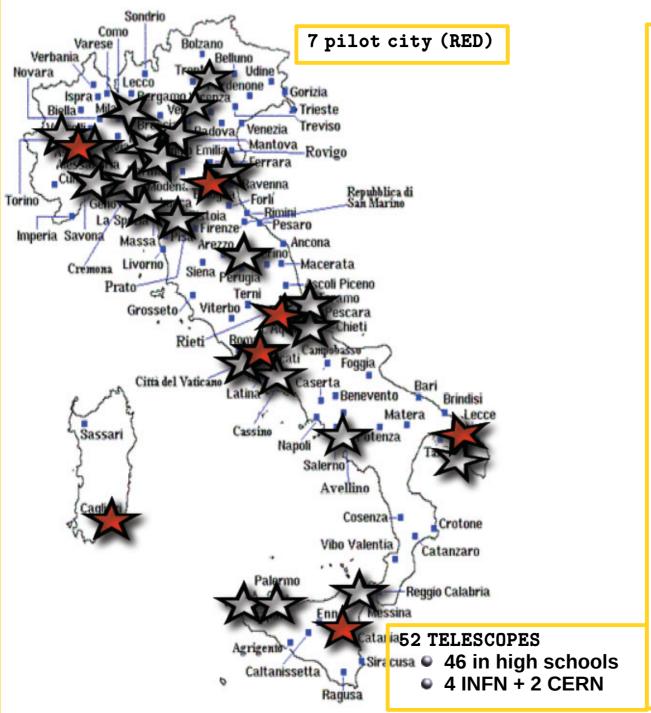
The EEE observatory was born in 2004 with a the challenging scope of both

Studying the Cosmic Radiation at extreme energies never observed before

- Addressing phenomena related to cosmic radiation
 - Environment and climate
 - Life
 - Solar and Interplanetary effects
- Enhancing Science Awarness by
 - Involving High Schools into the Project
 - Bringing students to participate to a real experiment and to the Research environment
 - Giving teacher and students new tools to teach and learn Science
 - Driving directly teachers update and science perception

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From early times to EEE 2017: the observatory expansion



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The unexpected (and very welcome) case of the online EEE schools

Since 2012

- Requests for joining EEE overtake the telescopes construction rate!
- New EEE Phase with "telematic" access to the experiment has been open



+ 43 schools! ...growing

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Didactic and Research activities:

Phase I: when a school enters EEE







A group of

- 4 students
- 1 or 2 teachers

build at CERN their 3 MRPCs

They work together with researchers in a real physics experiment environment.

Students lives this experience enthusiastically.

Didactic and Research activities: Phase I: when a school enters EEE

After MRPCs construction at CERN

Students Local responsibles Teachers

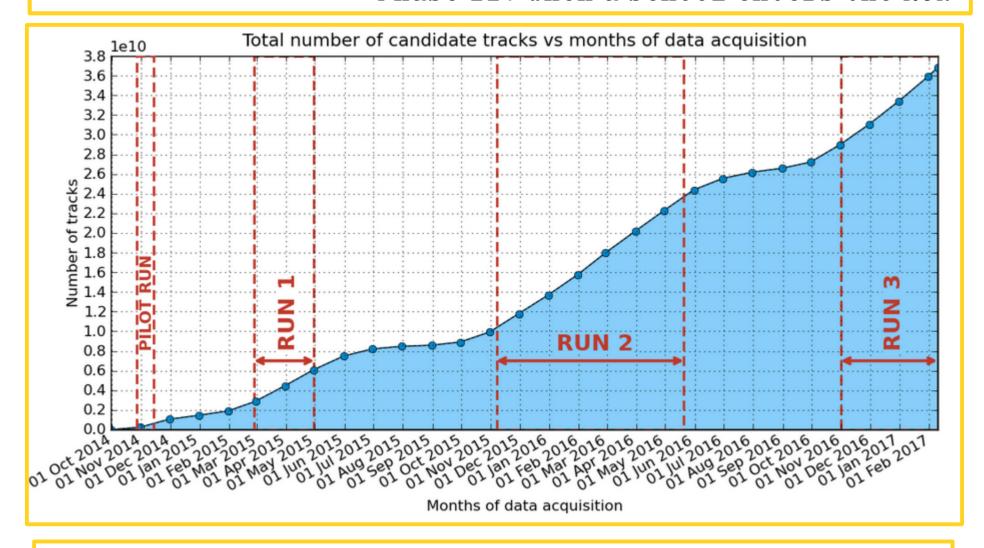
complete the telescope installation
and put it into operation

This is a second challenging and stimulating experience for both students and teachers, where they realize they are taking in charge a station of a wide cosmic ray observatory.

Many of them will **feel the commitment** for the whole studies and **also at the University** they keep being involved, Especially the ones choosing scientific degrees.



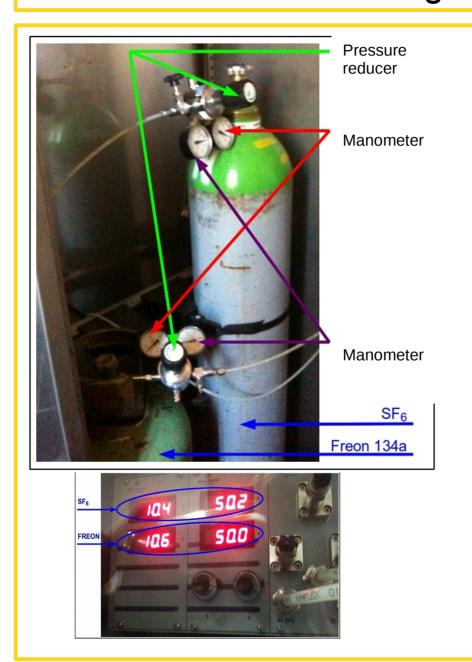
Didactic and Research activities: Phase II: when a school enters the RUN

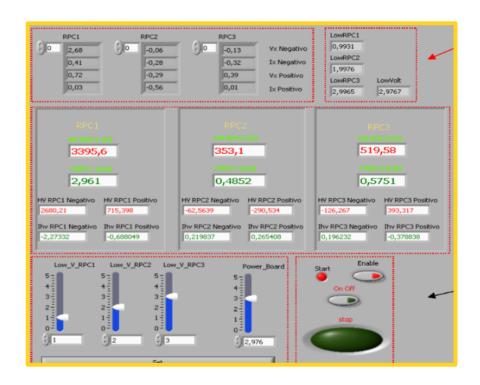


Since 2014 EEE is taking coordinated RUN with the whole set of operative stations involved.

Students are a key point which brought to the 100 Mtracks/day threshold reached!

Phase II: when a school enters the RUN Data taking and Shifting like a researcher





Each day students check:

- Data Acquisition
- Gas System
- High and Low Voltages

And solve simple issues while informing researchers about unexpecterd behaviours or out of range values

Phase II: when a school enters the RUN Data taking and Shifting like a researcher

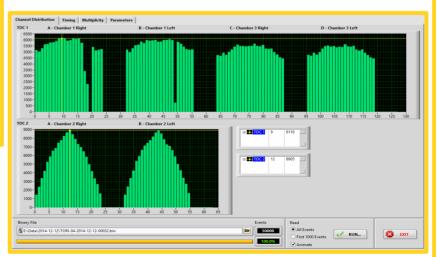
Scuola: Codice EEE dell'Istituto Scolastico	TORI-04
Operatore: Nome e Cognome di chi inserisce i dati	Ivan Gnesi
MRPC1 HV_POS (V): MRPC1: misura Alta Tensione [+] (valore di esempio: 9100)	8043
MRPC1 HV_NEG (V): MRPC1: misura Alta Tensione [-] (valore di esempio: 9100)	8432
MRPC1 I_POS (microA): MRPC1: misura Corrente [+] (valore di esempio: 0.03 [usare il punto per i decimali])	0.121
MRPC1 NEG (microA): MRPC1: misura Corrente [-] (valore di esempio: 0.03 [usare il punto per i decimali])	0.160
MRPC1 LV (V): MRPC1: misura Bassa Tensione (valore di esempio: 4.5 [usare il punto per i decimali])	4.2
Front-End LV (V): valore di tensione applicato ai front end (campo "SenseLowVolt") (es.: 2.03)	2.7
SF6 (press): Pressione del Gas SF6 (letta sul mixer nel display n.1) (valore di esempio: 3.5)	9.2
C2H2F4 (press): Pressione del Gas C2H2F4 (letta sul mixer nel display n.2) (valore di esempio: 4.1)	10.5
SF6 (flusso): Flusso del Gas SF6 (letto sul mixer nel display n.3) (valore di esempio: 30.0)	30.5
C2H2F4 (flusso): Flusso del Gas C2H2F4 (letto sul mixer nel display n.4) (valore di esempio: 30.2)	30.6
Temp (C): Temperatura nella stanza del Telescopio (esempio: 22.3 [non mettere l'unita' di misura])	22.6
Press (mbar): Pressione Atmosferica (inserire il valore in mbar, ad esempio 980)	982
Rate (Hz): Rate indicativo di acquisizione del Telescopio (valore di esempio 32)	56

The data are saved on a online elog where all school are searchable



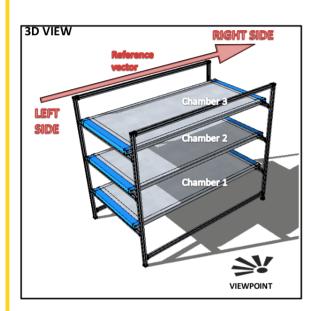


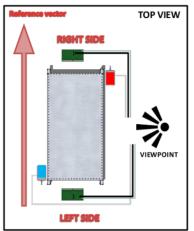
Students check also strip distribution and env. parameters

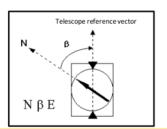


Phase III: students measuring fundamental parameters for data analysis

EEE Telescope: orientation respect to magnetic nord (β angle)



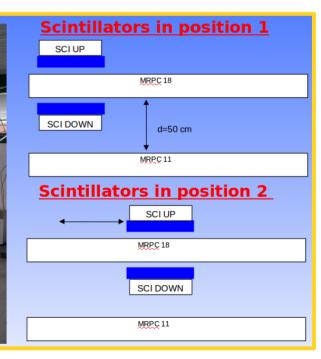




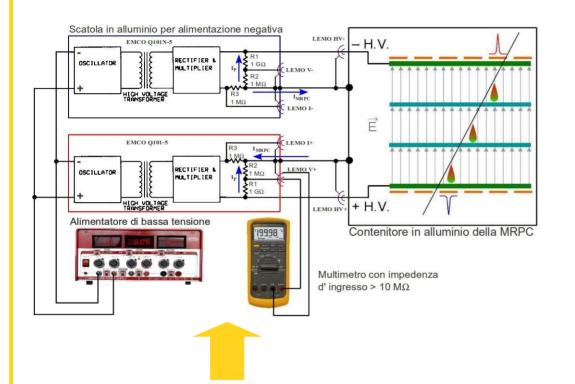
Students and teachers, together with researchers, perform the measurements of

- telescope orientation
- chambers efficiency

which are then **included in EEE telescope parameters**and used for analysis



Hw and Sw controbutions from schools



Teachers and students often also take in charge activities according to their specific courses.

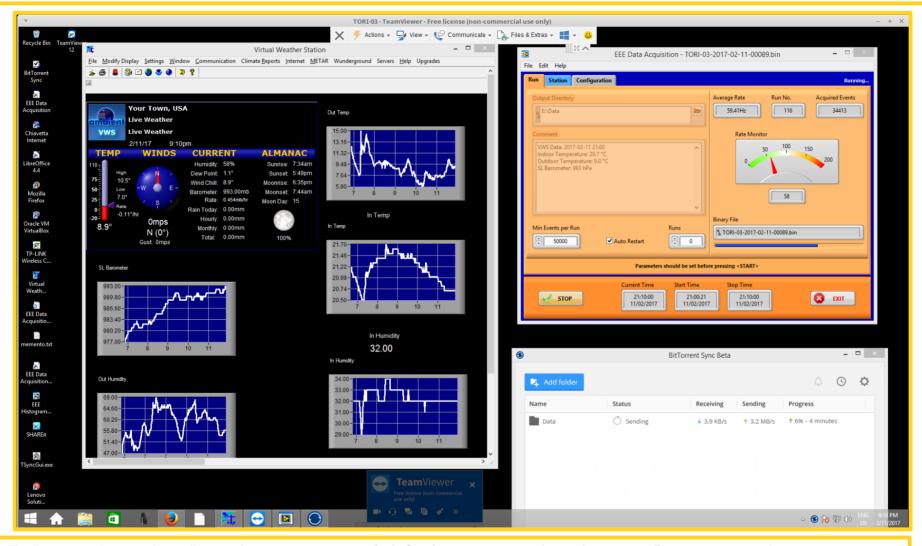
The outcomes often serve as a solutions and upgrades for the observatory.

- A feedback system for controlling the teelscope MRPCs High Voltage (ongoing)
- An automated scale for checking the remaining gas and automatically plan bottles turnover





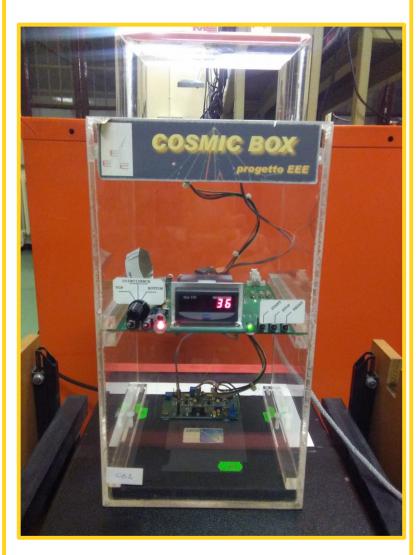
Phase IV: "telematic" school activities: Remote Shifting



Telematic schools often start ${f shifting\ on\ existing\ telescopes}$ by remote access. This helps creating

- joint venture among schools
- group working
- enhancing the perception of participating to a wide, non-local experiment.

Phase IV: "telematic" school activities: Portable cosmic rays detectors



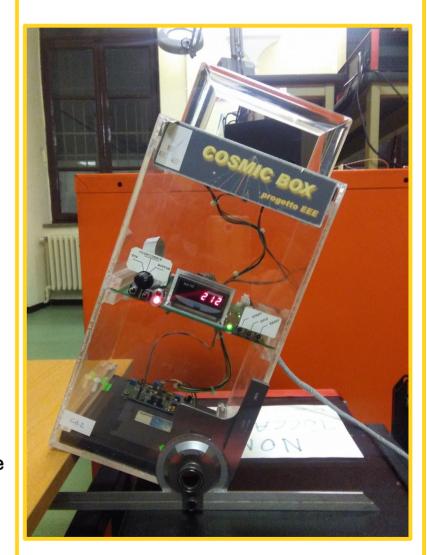
COSMIC BOXES

Are 2 plane scintillator detectors read by SiPM

6 schools are regularly using since 2010.

20 more CB are being built

- Stat & Prob
- Acceptance
- CR. flux
- CR ang. Distr
- EEE telescope acceptance
- Electronics and sw development



Phase V: bringing the students to Data Analysis: The Open Data Quality Monitor

Progetto Extreme Energy Events - La Scienza nelle Scuole

Last data transfer

EEE Monitor

Daily report

Ultimo aggiornamento: ore 10:35 - domenica 12 febbraio 2017 [by e3monitor]

ELOGBOOK delle SCUOLE per il RUN 3

ELOGBOOK dello SHIFTER

Automatic Shift REPORT

Automatic Shift Report ARCHIVE

Home Page EEE

Masterclass

Download the Excel Sheet

New DB Interface

Connectivity Report

Telescope name

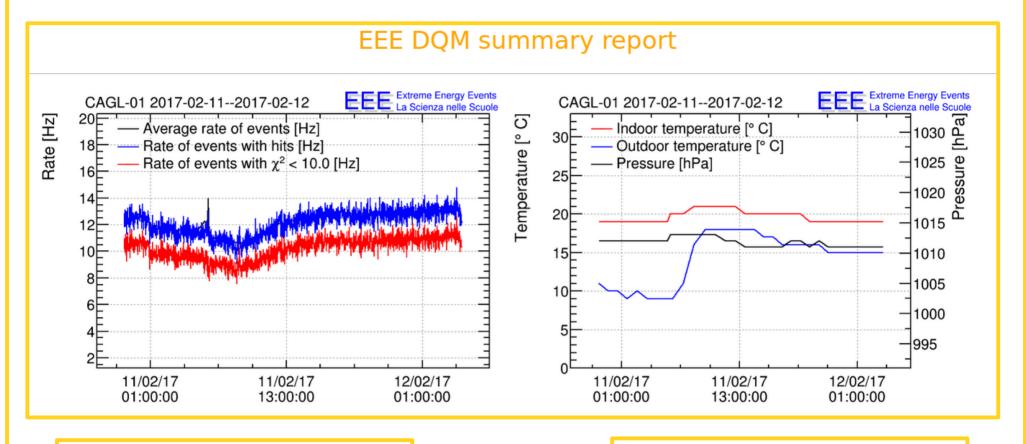
[EEE Monitor] RUN 3 - Data taking - Day number: 104
Total number of candidate tracks (X^2<10) in the database: 36970959853

Run report

Questa tabella mostra la situazione dei telescopi in acquisizione:
In vercita sono indicati i telescopi in presa dati e trasferimento nelle ultime 3 ore e con parametri di acquisizione ragionevoli nell'ultimo run analizzato.
In giallo ono indicati i telescopi in cui trasferimento e/o acquisizione sono sospesi da più di 3 ore o con tracce (X^2<10) minori di 10 Hz nell'ultimo run analizzato.
In rosso sono indicati i telescopi in cui trasferimento e/o acquisizione sono sospesi da più di due giorni o con tracce (X^2<10) minori di 5Hz nell'ultimo run analizzato.

Scuol	a Giorno	Ога	Nome dell'ultimo File trasferito	Numero Files trasferiti oggi		Nome dell'ultimo File analizzato dal DQM	Report giornaliero DQM	riggers	RATE of Tracks for the last Run in DQM	Link DQM
BOLO-0	dom 12 febbraio	10:19	BOLO-03-2017- 02-12-00032.bin	35 [History]	10:09 11/02/2017	BOLO-03-2017- 02-12-00032.bin	12/02 [History]	45.0	41.0	BOLO-03
BOLO-0	dom 12 febbraio	09:59	BOLO-04-2017- 02-12-00034.bin	36 [History]	16:11 04/02/2017	BOLO-04-2017- 02-12-00034.bin	12/02 [History]	47.0	44.0	BOLO-04
CAGL-0	dom 12 febbraio	09:43	CAGL-01-2017- 02-12-00011.bin	12 [History]	08:16 10/02/2017	CAGL-01-2017- 02-12-00011.bin	12/02 [History]	19.0	16.0	CAGL-01
CAGL-0	ven 10 febbraio	12:00	CAGL-02-2017- 02-10-00051.bin	0 [History]	11:05 11/02/2017	CAGL-02-2017- 02-10-00051.bin	11/02 [History]	41.0	36.0	CAGL-02
CAGL-0	dom 12 febbraio	09:52	CAGL-03-2017- 02-12-00022.bin	24 [History]	18:46 11/02/2017	CAGL-03-2017- 02-12-00022.bin	12/02 [History]	25.0	21.0	CAGL-03
CATA-0	dom 12 febbraio	10:11	CATA-01-2017- 02-12-00025.bin	25 [History]	09:15 10/02/2017	CATA-01-2017- 02-12-00025.bin	12/02 [History]	25.0	15.0	CATA-01
CATA-0	dom 12 febbraio	10:13	CATA-02-2017- 02-12-00016.bin	18 [History]	13:46 11/02/2017	CATA-02-2017- 02-12-00015.bin	12/02 [History]	21.0	12.0	CATA-02

Phase V: bringing the students to Data Analysis: The Open Data Quality Monitor



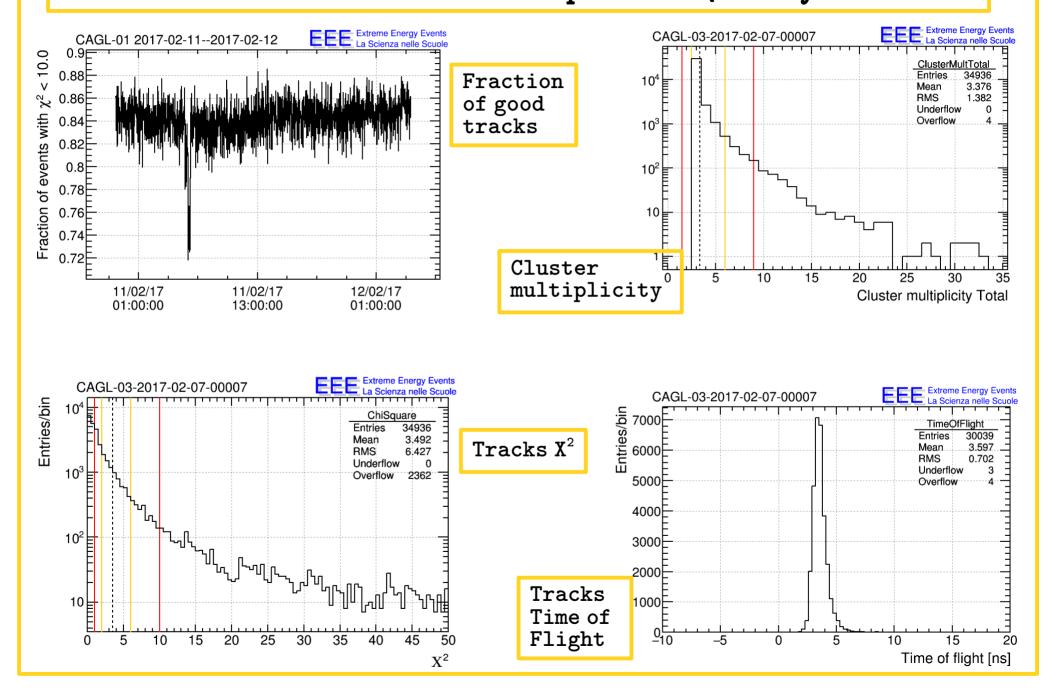
Students and teachers can access the EEE DAQ as the researchers do for checking the telescope data quality and problems.

A wide **set of informations** is available:



- Telescope rates
 - trigger
 - ♦ Hits
 - ◆ Tracks (X²<10)</p>
- Pressure
- Tempererature
- ...many others

Phase V: bringing the students to Data Analysis: The Open Data Quality Monitor



Phase V: bringing the students to Data Analysis: CSV Flux Data: Open for Schools!

SUMMARY

Station: BOLO-04

Time period: 2017-02-11--2017-02-12

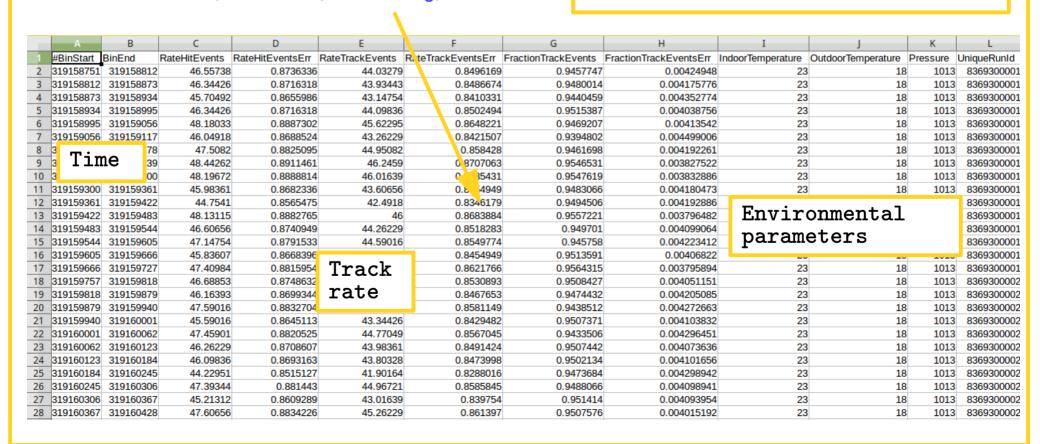
Number of runs processed: 109Total number of events: 5212086

Number of events with hits: 5098823
Number of events with a track: 4830366

· Data files: root, csv header, csv trending, csv weather

A 1 minute binned track flux rate is available as open data for the participating schools

- for the whole telescope set
- for any period of reconstructed data



Phase V: bringing the students to Data Analysis: EEE MasterClasses

EEE Masterclasses are meant to be tools for teachers and students to

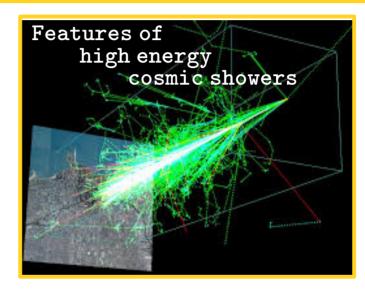
- get involved in real experiment data analysis
- introduce students to physics and mathematics with a "direct" approach

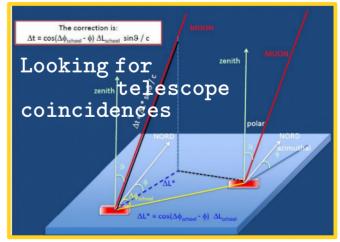
A complete set of instructions for telescope shifting while

- learning the physics by indepth reading of plots and parameters
- Performing collateral activities during and after the shifting

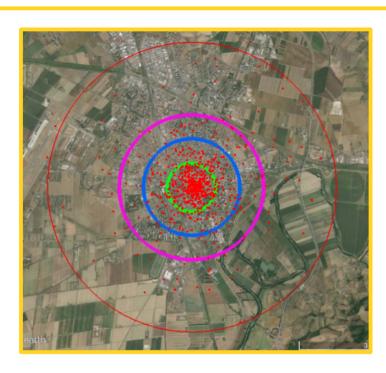








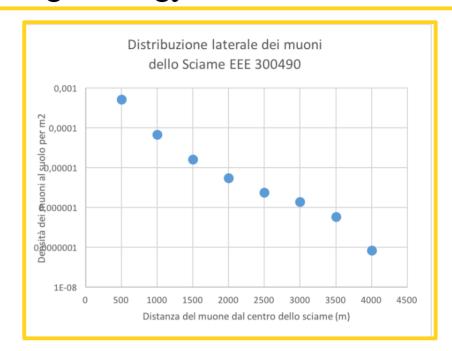
Phase V: bringing the students to Data Analysis: MasterClasses - Features of High Energy Cosmic Showers

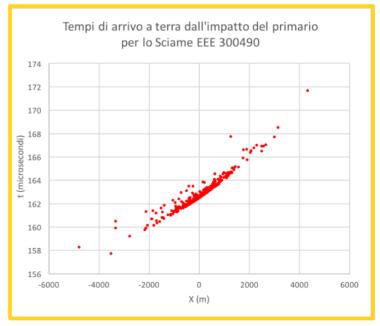


The Masterclass give a complete tool for studying showers parameters

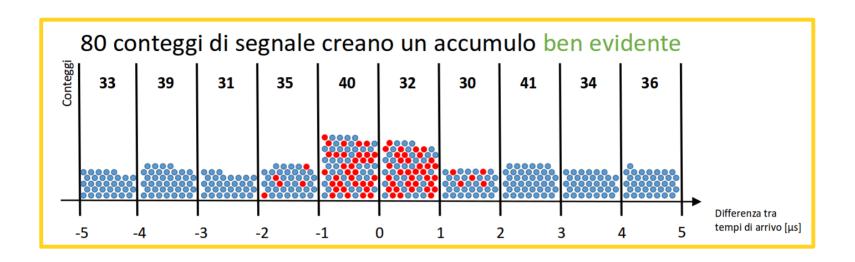
- Lateral distribution
- Arrival time and direction

out of a MC shower dataset





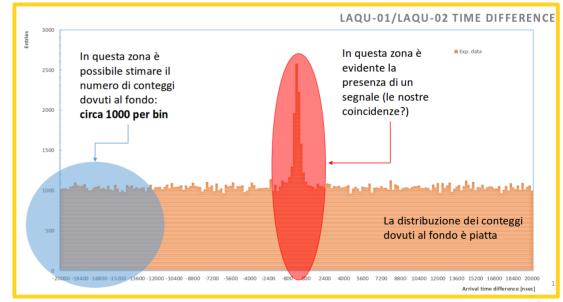
Phase V: bringing the students to Data Analysis: MasterClasses - Looking for Telescope Coincidences



The Masterclass give a complete tool for studying Muon Coincidences among telescopes.

Learning

- Basis in Statistics and Probability
- Identifying both
 - Signal
 - Background



Phase VI: how a real Scientific Collaboration works Symposia

Since the beginning of the Project **Symposia** and Open Run Coordination Meetings are organized where students and teachers

- are kept up-to-date on scientific results and activities
- Present their own analysis and works.





Last Symposia:

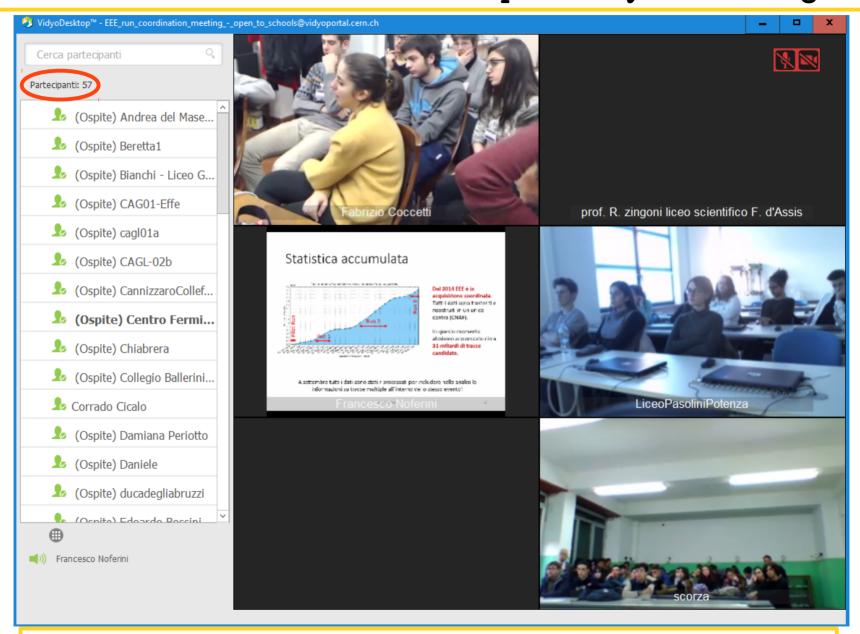
Bologna, November 6-7th for Northern Italy Schools

Grosseto April 15-16th for Central Italy Schools

Bari, October 13-14th for Southern Italy Schools

Erice → May 29-31st

Phase VI: how a real Scientific Collaboration works Open Analysis Meeting



Using Vidyo Conference: schools connect to a dedicated virtual room, hundreds of participants!

EEE Outreach - Next:

Spontaneus Initiatives



Several local initiatives:

- Workshops
- Schools
- Meeting among teachers for didactic material exchange

Status of the

experiment

Extreme Energy Events

Some of them going national through streaming...

EEE Outreach - Next: Building a Wide Outreach Network in Science

Science awarness is a fundamental aspect of Research itself:

- because of the strong economical impact of Science,
 the role of Society in taking decision on Science is growing
- Science can (and should) also drive the upgrade on how Science is taught
- Europe (and not only Europe) is strongly asking for
 - direct contacts among Science and Society (industry, school, communication, welfare)
 - New ways of teaching and making Science (pushing on the need for interdisciplinarity)

Real experiments directly involving Society are the most effective way of

- getting many of these requirements
- opening for new ideas and activities

EEE Outreach - Next: Building a Wide Outreach Network in Science

The community of Experiments involving schools and students is growing, Reaching almost the whole Europe and more....

A beautiful idea of Science as the real Global Community
Can be reached working together for:

A connected net of experiments
Open data
European+ Web Portals for

Direct Science Communication Scientific Events for citizens Updates for Science teaching

Being a distributed repository for Science Awarness in Society

Backup

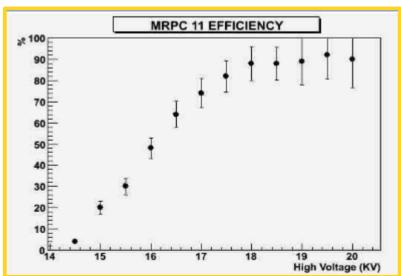
EEE: the early times

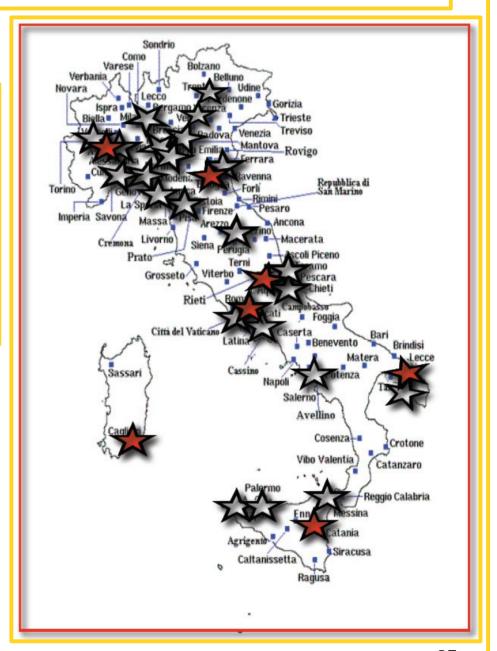


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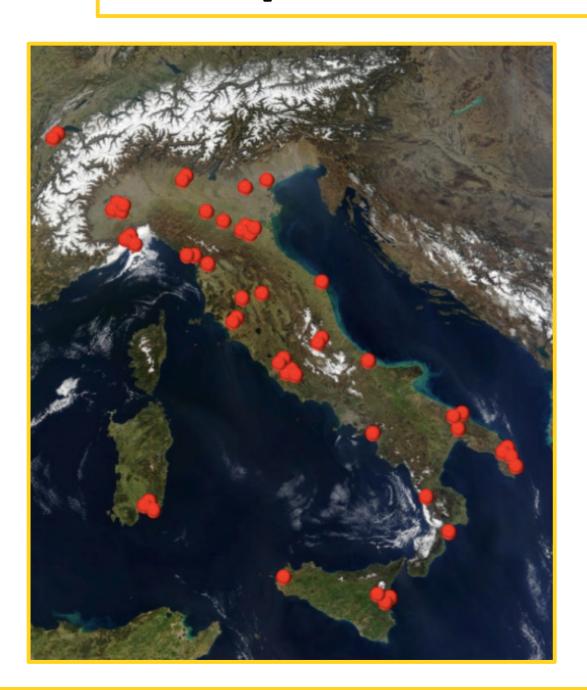
7 pilot sites

- BolognaCagliariCatania
- Lecce
- Bari
- LNF
- Torino





The present status of EEE observatory



The 52 telescopes are organized both in

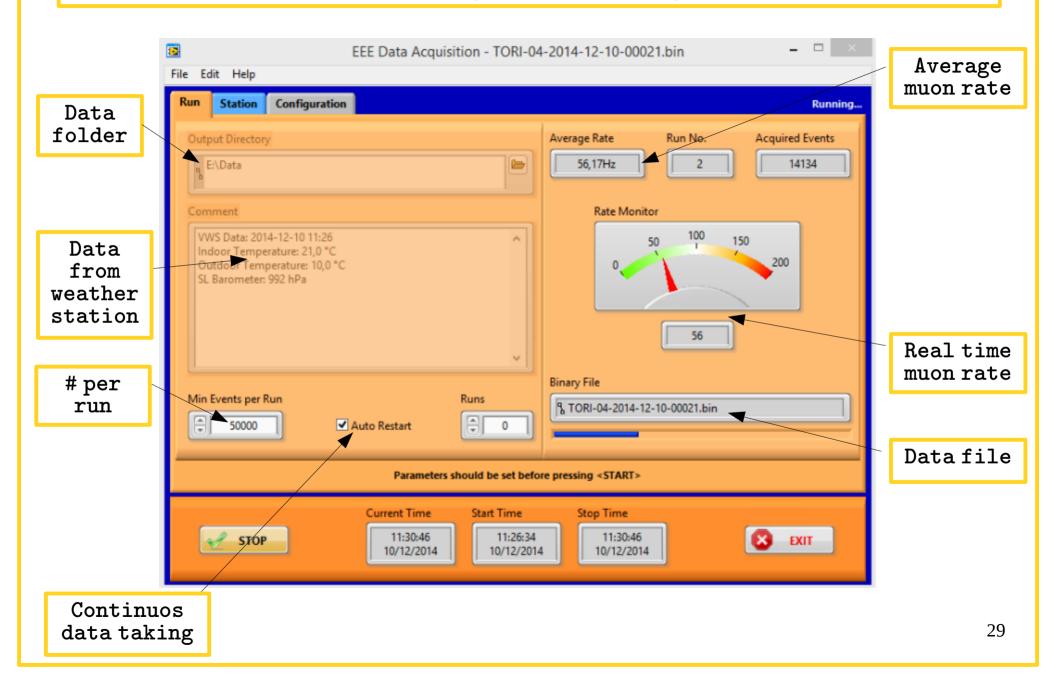
- Single station
- 2/4 telescope clusters installed in nearby schools

Other

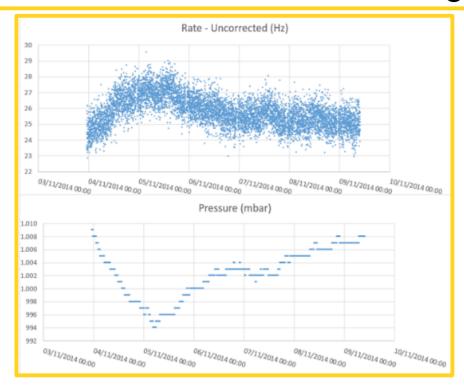
10 schools/Universities

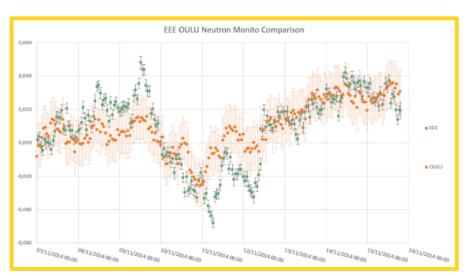
are being equipped with telescopes within the year

Phase II: when a school enters the RUN Data taking and Shifting like a researcher



Phase V: bringing the students to Data Analysis: MasterClasses - Hunting for Extreme Events on Sun

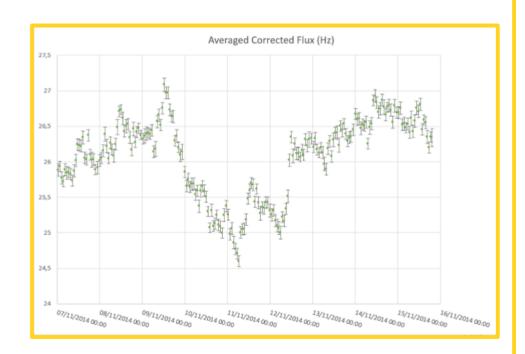




The Masterclass give a complete tool for studying Galactic Cosmic Ray Flux Decreases due to Coronal Mass Ejections on Sun.

Learning how to

- Correct data
- Manage Unicertainties
- Compare different experiments



Phase V: how a real Scientific Collaboration works Open Analysis Meeting

Already 3 Open Run Coordination Meetings

November 30th, 2016 January 11th, 2017 February 8th, 2017

Using Vidyo platform

Reaching all the schools of the Collaboration

- Updates
- New telescopes
- Lectures
- Run Coordination decisions
- Analysis status
- Data Taking
- Students presenting their results
- ·

EEE run meeting open to schools

Wednesday, 11 January 2017 from **14:30** to **18:00** (Europe/Rome)

Wednesday, 11 January 2017

