



# Secondary Emission Ionization Calorimetry Detectors

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# Secondary Emission Ionization Calorimeter Sensors



- Secondary Emission: Rad-Hard, Fast
  - Metal-Oxide/Cs Dynodes survive  $> 500$  GRad
- Signal from SE surface(s) in Hadron Showers:
  - SE yield  $\delta$ : Scales with particle momentum  $\sim dE/dx$
  - $e^-$ :  $3 < \delta < 100$ , per  $0.1 < e^- < 100$  KeV (material dept)
  - $\delta \sim 1.05 - 1.1$  or  $0.05 - 0.1$  SE  $e^-$  per MIP
  - NB: This is a **lower limit** on hadron shower SE signals
  - 4-6 MIP equiv per GeV sampling calorimeters
  - $\sim 50$  SE  $e^-$  per 100 GeV pi shower w/ MIPs alone
- Achtung! SE  $e^-$  Must be Amplified!



# Signal Generation from Hadron Shower



SEM Sensitivity (MIPs) :

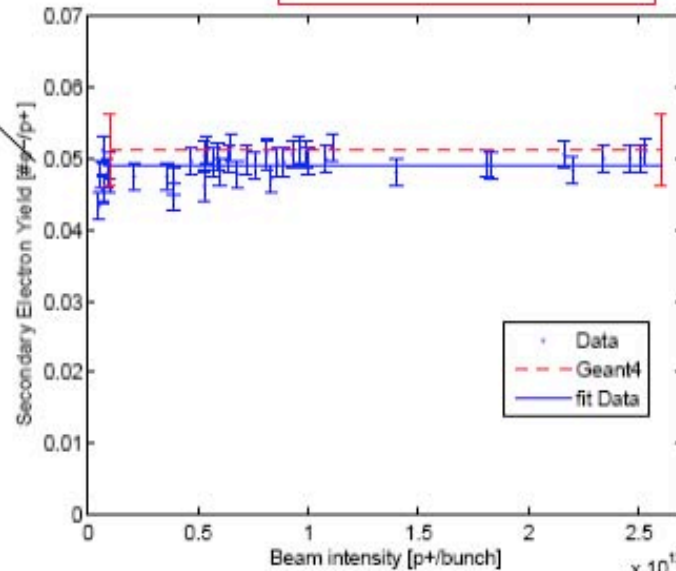
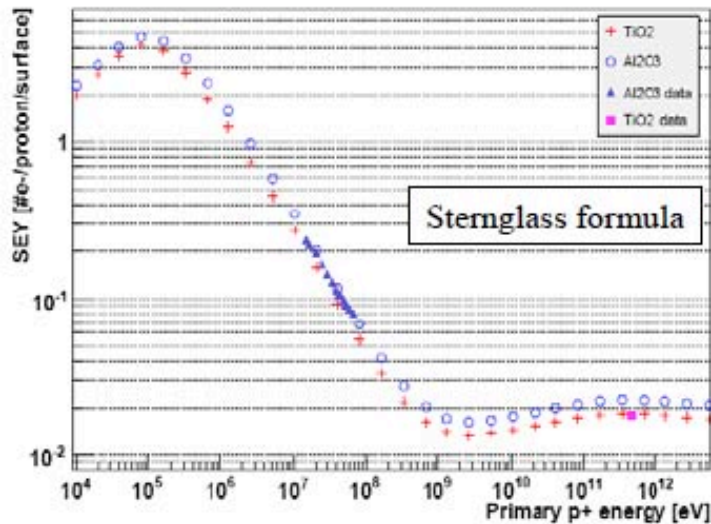


$$1 \text{ rad} = \frac{100 \text{ ergs}}{\text{gram}} \cdot \frac{\text{MeV}}{1.6 \cdot 10^{-6} \text{ ergs}} \cdot \frac{\text{MIP} \cdot \text{gram}}{2 \text{ MeV} \cdot \text{cm}^2} = 3.1 \cdot 10^7 \text{ MIPs per cm}^2$$

sensitive surface  $\varnothing = 3.2 \text{ cm} = 8 \text{ cm}^2$

$$\Rightarrow S_{\text{SEM}} = 2.5 \cdot 10^8 \text{ MIPs/rad} \cdot 0.05 \text{ e}^-/\text{MIP} \cdot 1.6 \cdot 10^{-19} \text{ C/e}^- = 2 \text{ pC/rad} (\cdot \text{PMT}_{\text{gain}})$$

$\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3, \text{TiO}_2$   
 $\sim 0.05 \text{ e}^-$   
*per MIP*



*Hadron  
 Showers:  
 Sub-mip  
 Charged  
 particles*

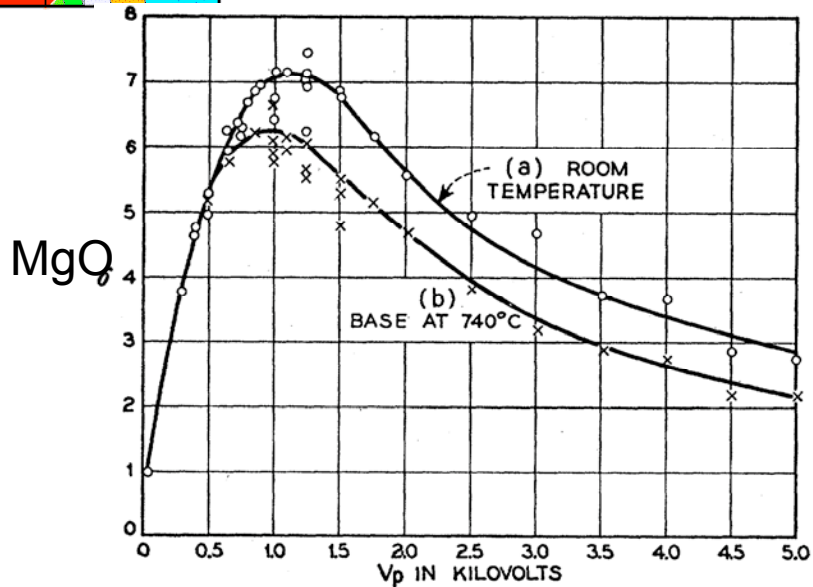


# High SE Yield Materials

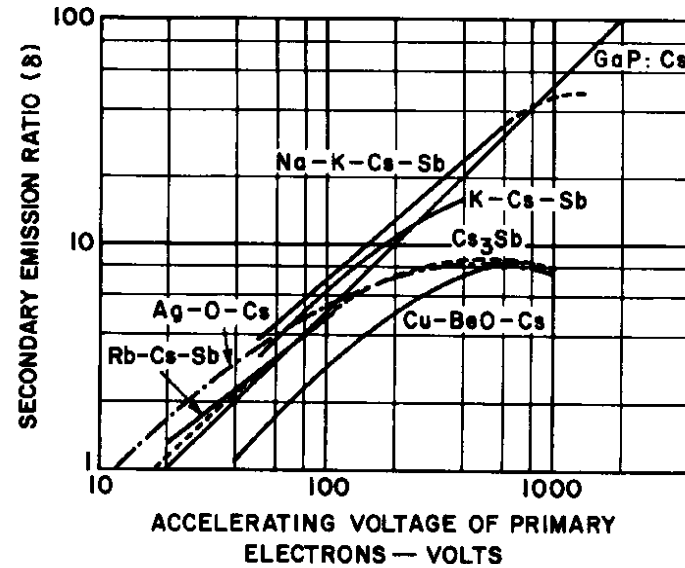
Yields x2-10 > Alumina Easy



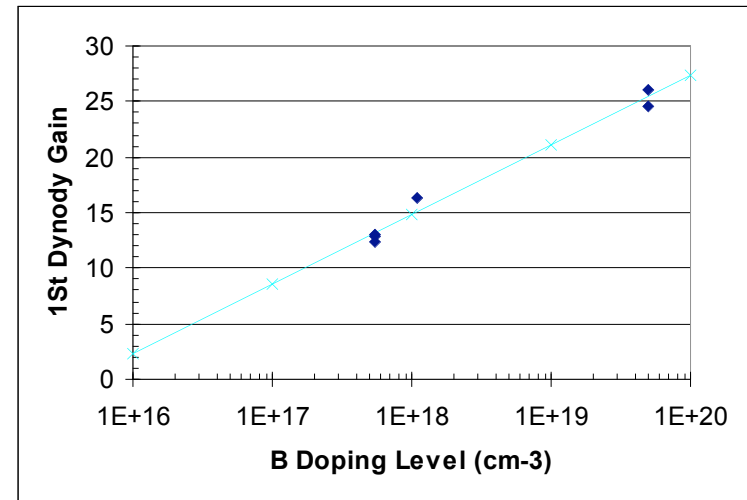
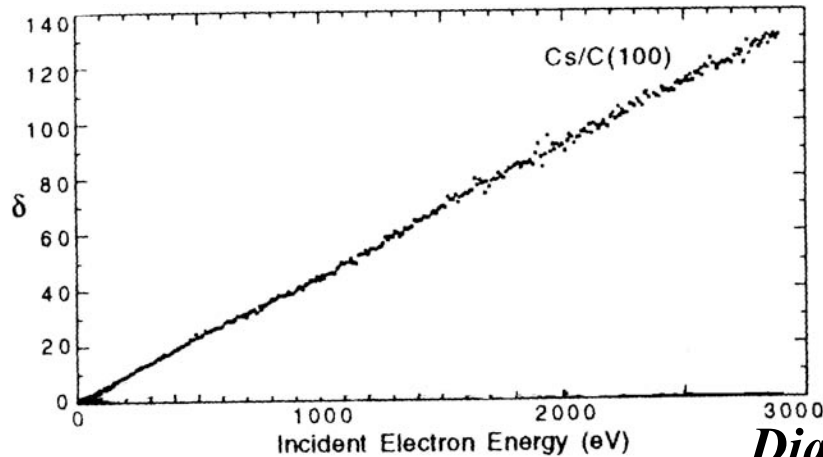
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Electrons on MgO



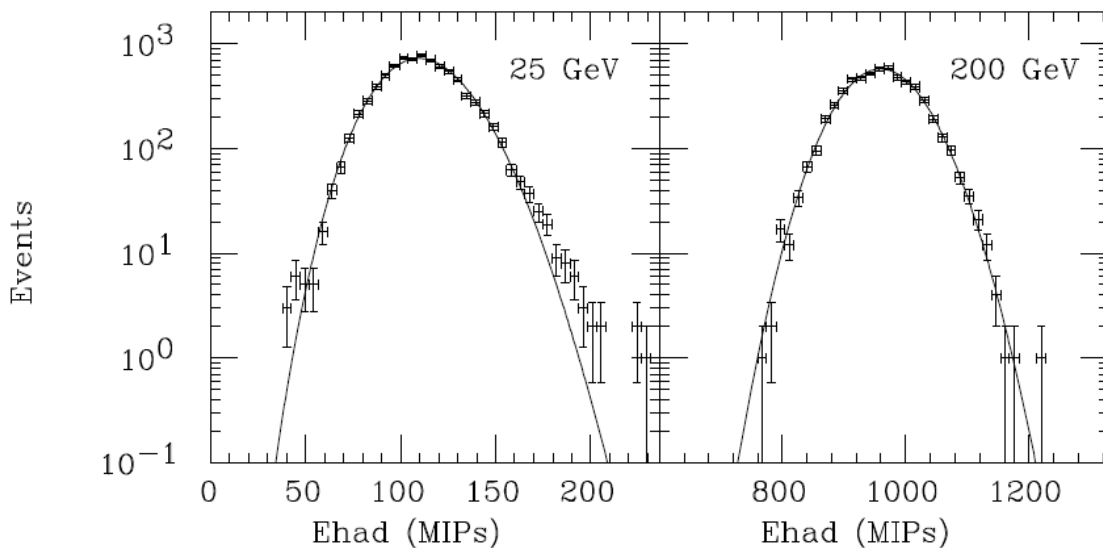
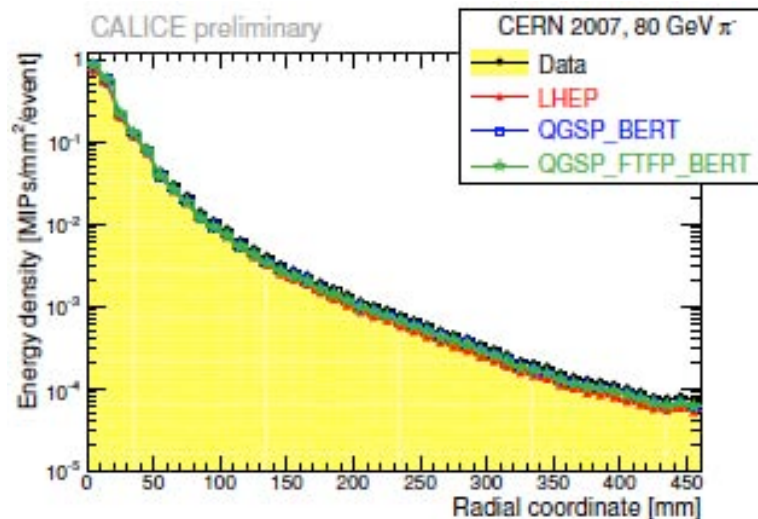
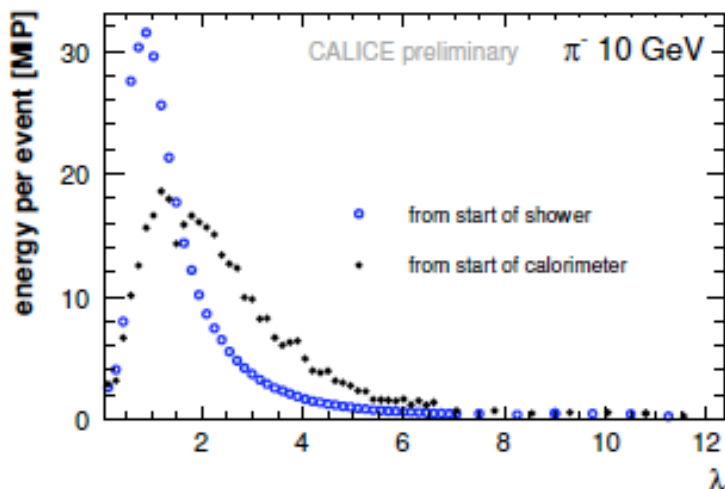
Diamond Yield



*Diamond Gain 300 V vs B Doping Level*



# SE Signal: MIP Equivs in Hadron Calorimeter



**~5cm Fe Sampling HCal:  
~4-6 mip equiv/GeV  
The Lower Limit on Signal:**

**100 GeV HF/HECal:  
Minimum of 50 SE e-  
...But need amplifier!**



# SE MIP Detector w/ $5 \times 10^7$ Gain G.O.A.



*SE e-  
Already  
In Vacuum*



NUCLEAR RADIATION DETECTOR TYPE: 9841  
(Aluminium Cathode Electron Multiplier)

*Use Dynodes  
To Amplify*

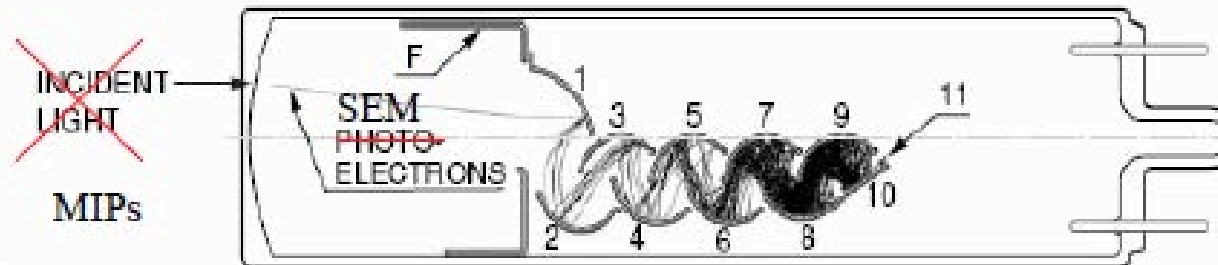
Description



32 mm

Cathode; Aluminium.  
Window; Borosilicate.  
Dynodes; 10 linear focused type with CsSb secondary emitting surfaces.  
Base; B14B.

This tube is a development from the THORN EMI 9902 photomultiplier for direct measurement of ionising radiation, in the MeV to GeV region, associated with particle accelerators and nuclear reactors. It is intended as an alternative to the use of an ionisation chamber with improved linearity and response time over a wide dynamic range. The tube also has a high resistance to radiation and its high gain capability removes the need for additional high gain amplifier stages.

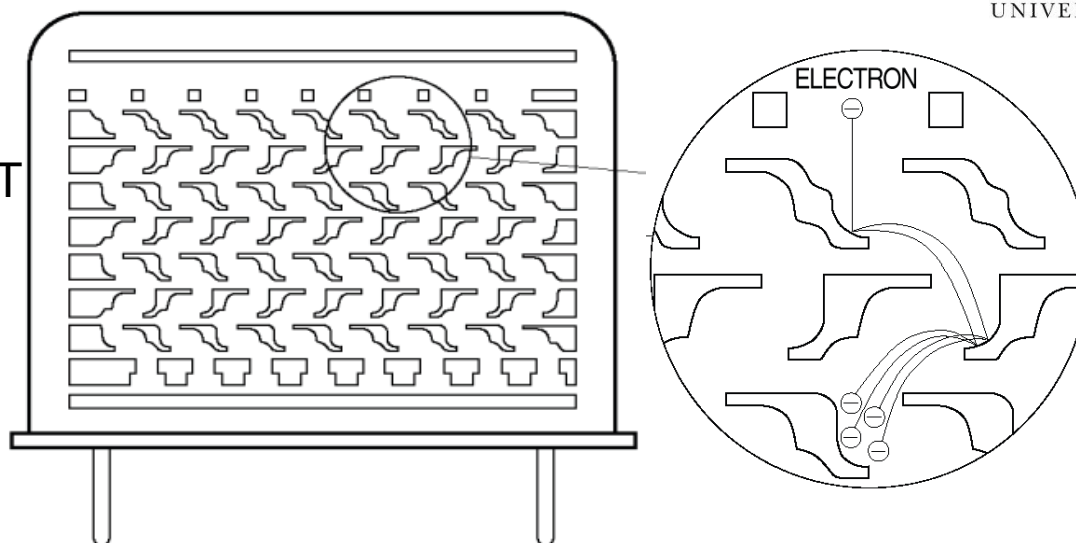
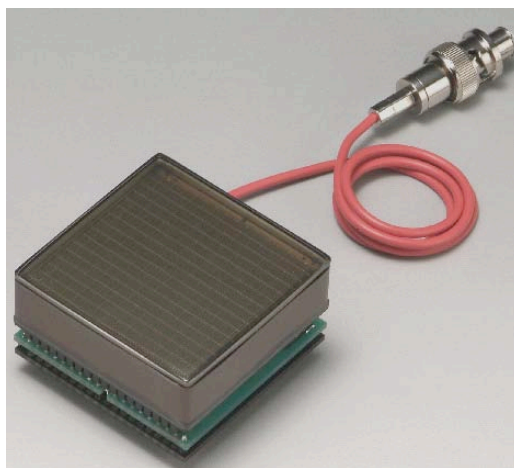




# The Detector: Metal Sheet Dynodes



Hamamatsu Metal Envelope PMT  
Slat dynodes - products up to 6"



- Chemo-electromachined Metal "Mesh" Dynode Sheets
- ~1mm thick dynode layer - scale to 500-200  $\mu\text{m}$
- HV Vacuum: <math><10\text{KV}/\text{mm}</math> -> 500V/0.2 mm ok.
- Sheets can be up to square meters
- Pressure + HV insulators: monotonous insulators
  - walls, posts, fibers (glass ceramics oxides)
- Quasi *Channelized*: e- confined -> MCP operation
- Metal cathode directly D1
- **B** -> 2+T, as in previous mesh dynode PMT

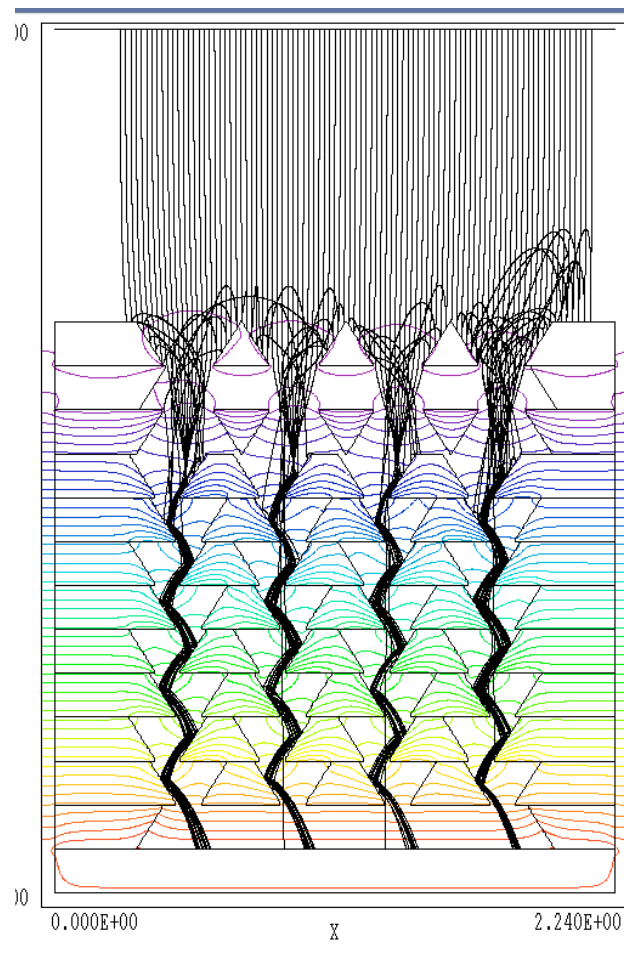
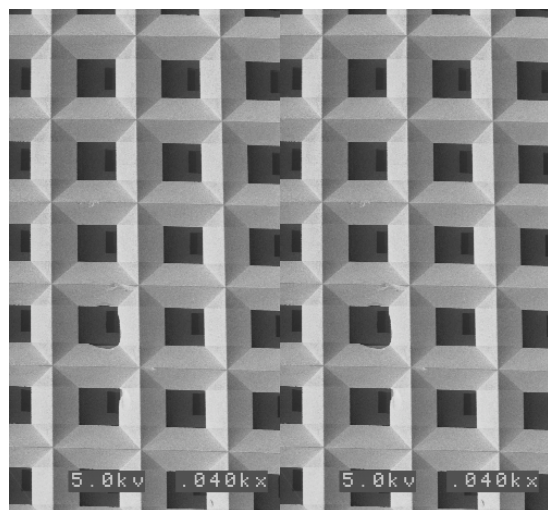




## MEMS Mesh Dynodes



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$\mu$ Machined Mesh Dynodes  
Low Cost ~ 30 minute process  
Channel Width ~200  $\mu$ m  
Offset layer layer helical channels  
Insulator: Si<sub>3</sub>N<sub>4</sub> or SiO<sub>2</sub>  
Confined e<sup>-</sup> = High B  
Can be taken to air repeatedly  
~ microTorr operation ok





# Anticipated Performance: SE Hadron Calorimeter

## ***Minimum Signal: muon MIP***

~0.2 SE  $e^-$  per module

(delta rays ~ peak of SE emission),  $\langle g \rangle > 100,000$

~ 20 Samples

-> MIP Signal ~ 4 SE electrons/MIP

~ 1 "SE electron"/GeV @  $10^5/\text{SEe}$

## ***Hadron Shower Signal:***

Larger SEe per GeV- particles of lower momentum:

-> SE  $\delta \sim 1.5-6$  compared with 1.1-1.05 for MIP.

$\langle E \rangle$  per calo counting particles ~ 60 MeV per ~2cm cube

Calice: ~23 "particles"/Hadron GeV

-> x4-10 SEe/GeV hadron calorimeter showers

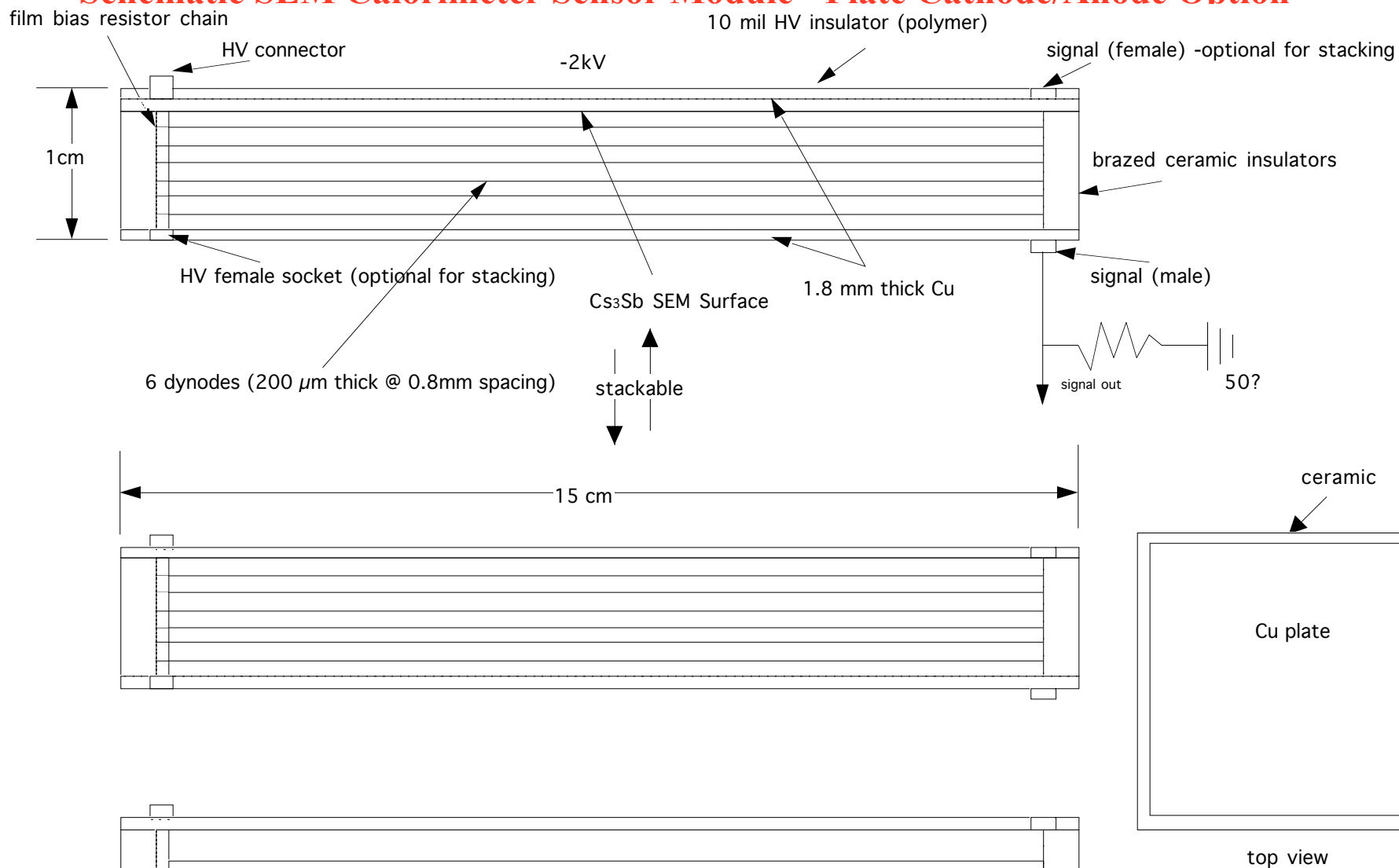
**NB: possible compensation when combined with other response media**



# SLHC R&D technology –Secondary Emission Sensor Modules for Calorimeters



## Schematic SEM Calorimeter Sensor Module - Plate Cathode/Anode Option

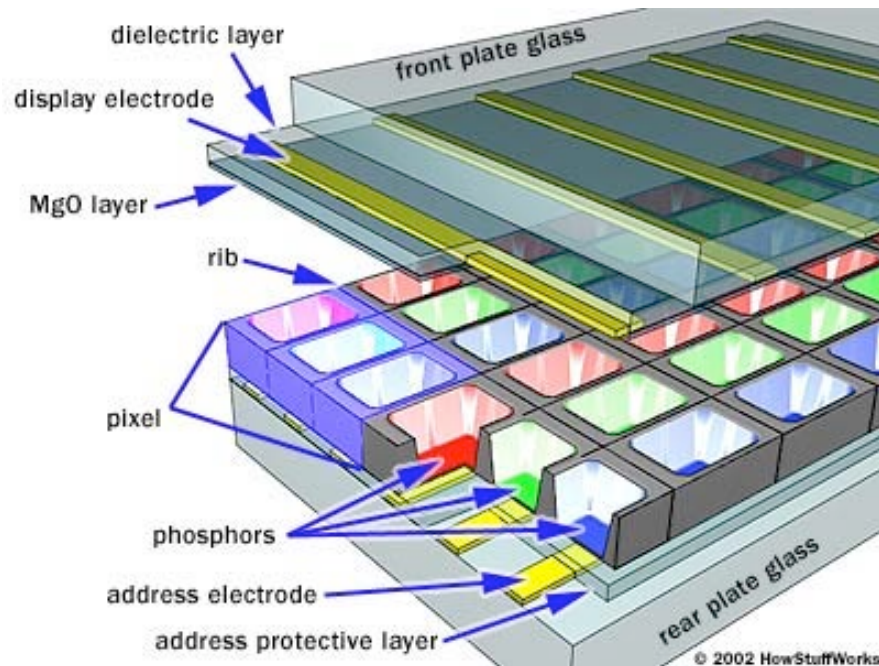




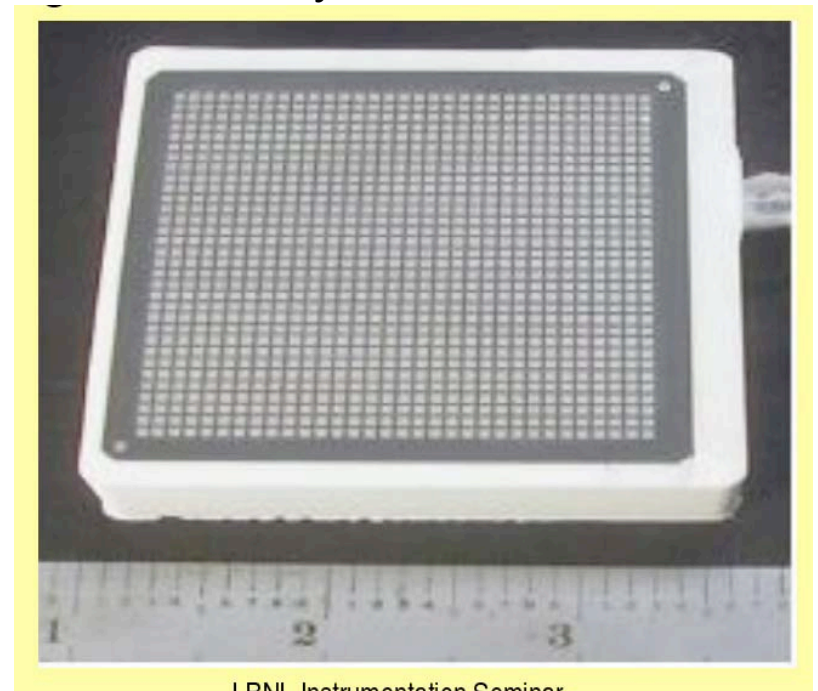
## SE Calorimeter Manufacture Issues



- Similar to m<sup>2</sup> Low Pressure Gas Plasma Display Technology
- Proof of Principle/Manufacture - SE Calo sensor far simpler
- Hermetic + Voltages similar to dynodes
- Vacuum Supported by Ceramic walls or posts
  - > thin metal windows



Ceramic Body 2.5" MCP-PMT

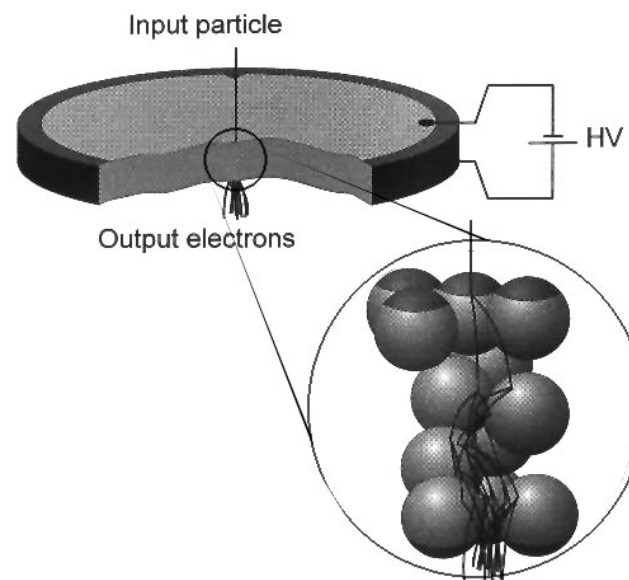




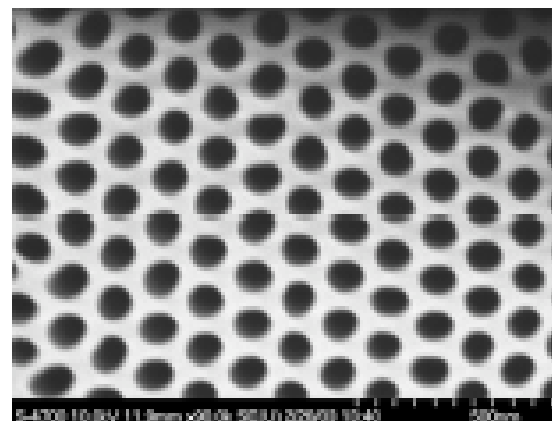
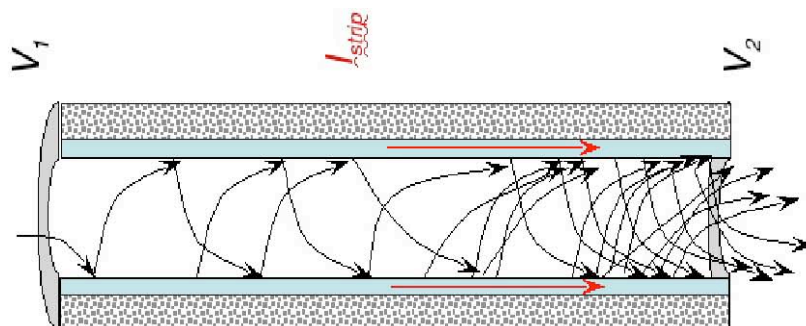
# Alternative High-B SE e- Gain Mechanisms: MCP-Like Devices



A - El-Mul/A.Breskin  
Sintered SE MicroSpheres ~20- 100  $\mu\text{m}$   
Porous Plate: ~0.5-1 mm thick  
Gain  $\sim 10^6$  at 3000 V @ 1G $\Omega$



B - Anodic Alumina ~ MCP-like?  
~100 nm pores  
Aspect ratio ~ 50-100:1





## SLHC R&D technology

### Secondary Emission Sensor Modules for Calorimeters



- **Basic Idea:** *Dynode/SE Stack is a High Gain Radiation Sensor*
  - High Gain & OK Efficient (MgO yield  $\sim 0.1$  e/mip)
  - Compact (micromachined metal  $\sim 0.3$ -1mm thick/stage)
  - Rad-Hard (PMT dynodes  $> 100$  GRads)
  - Uber-Fast
  - Potentially low cost/Non-Critical Assy
  - Simple Al oxide SEM monitors proven at accelerators
  - Rugged/Could be structural element
  - Easily integrated into large calorimeters/Arbitrary Shapes
  - ~Minimal Dead Areas
  - Minimal services needed.

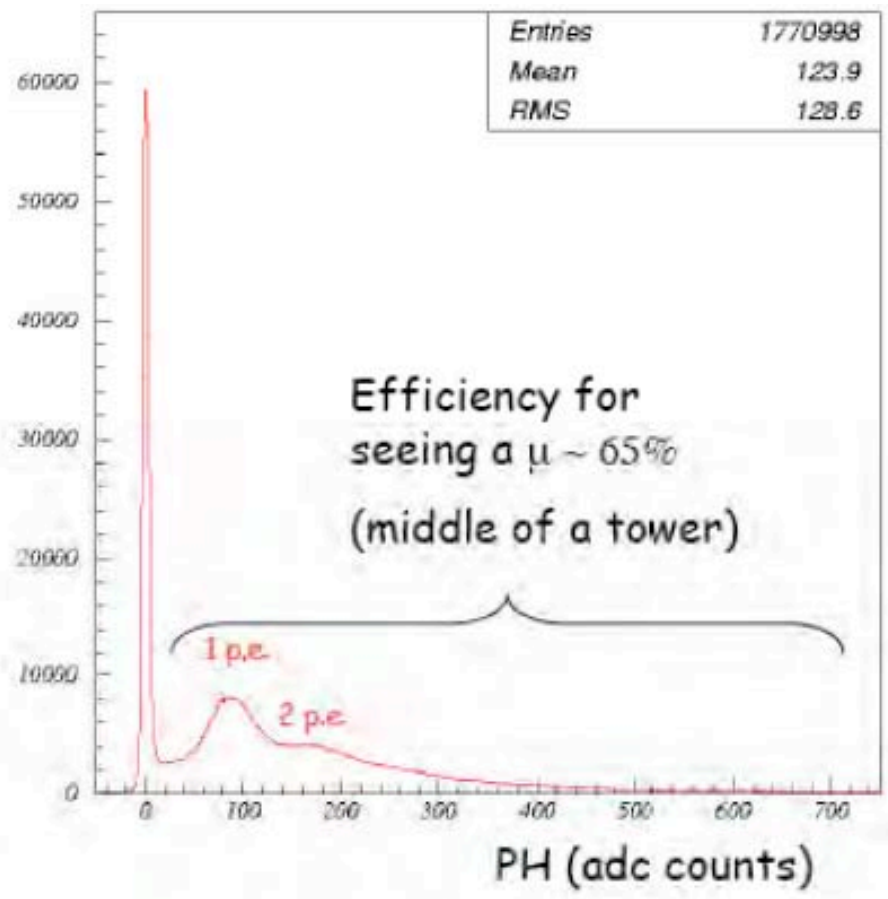
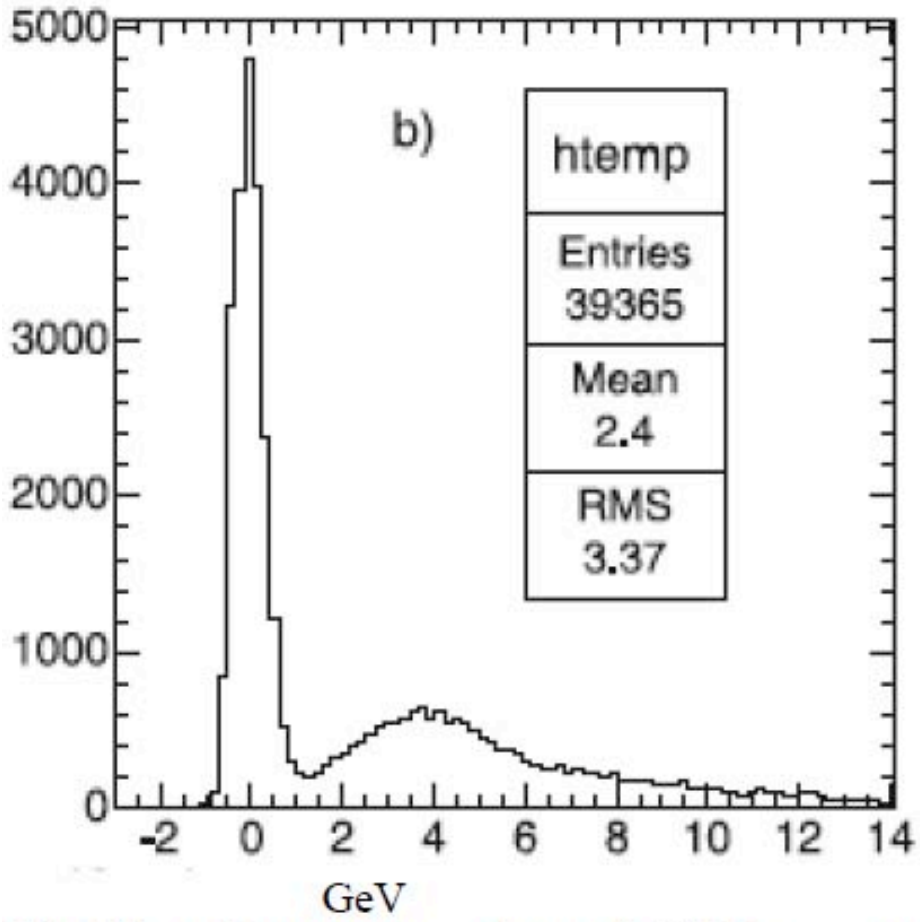
#### *SE Detector Modules Are Applicable to:*

- *Energy-Flow Calorimeters*
- *Forward Calorimeters*
- *Compensation*

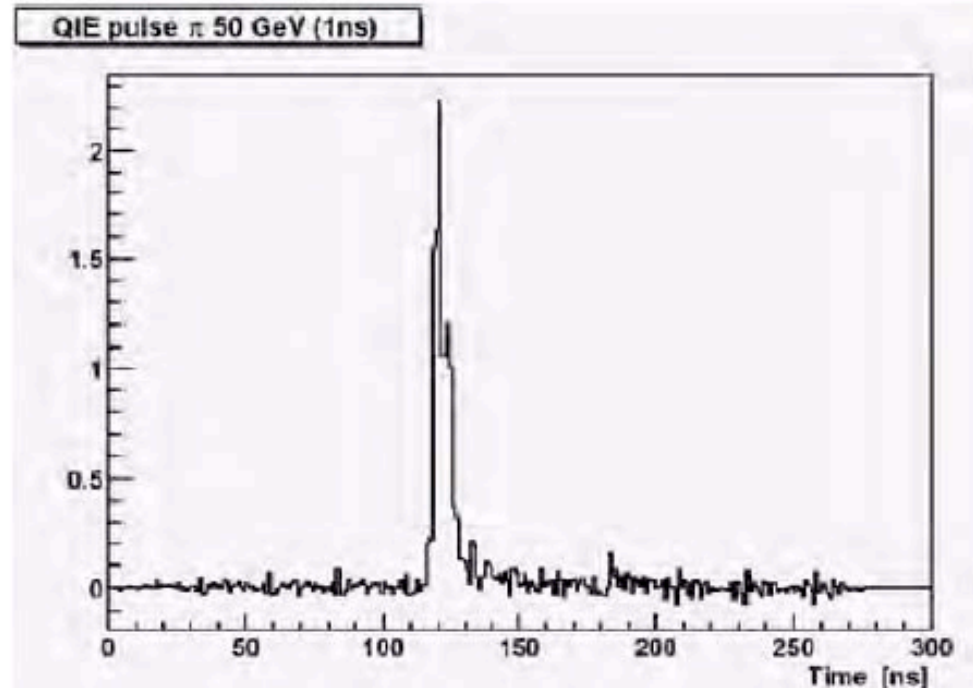
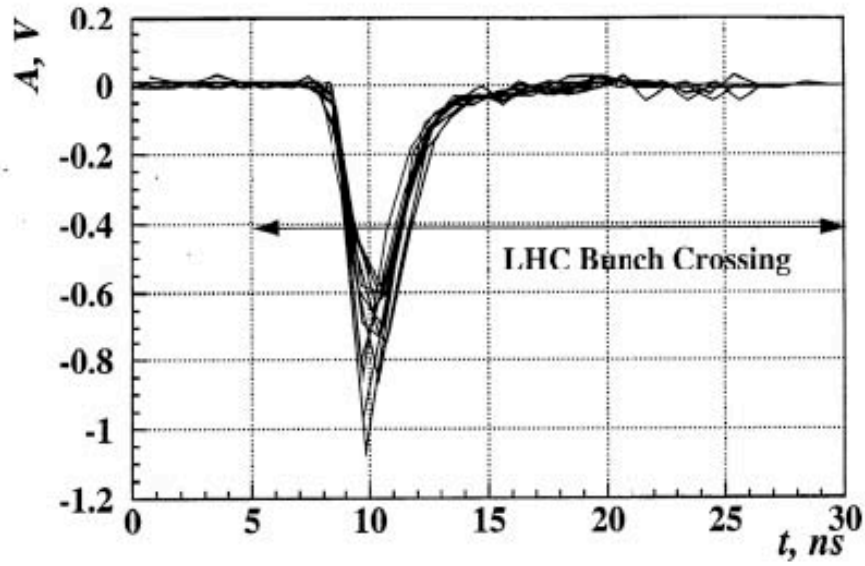




# UBA Photocathode: Factor 2 Signal Size Enhances capability muon (inter)calib & ID



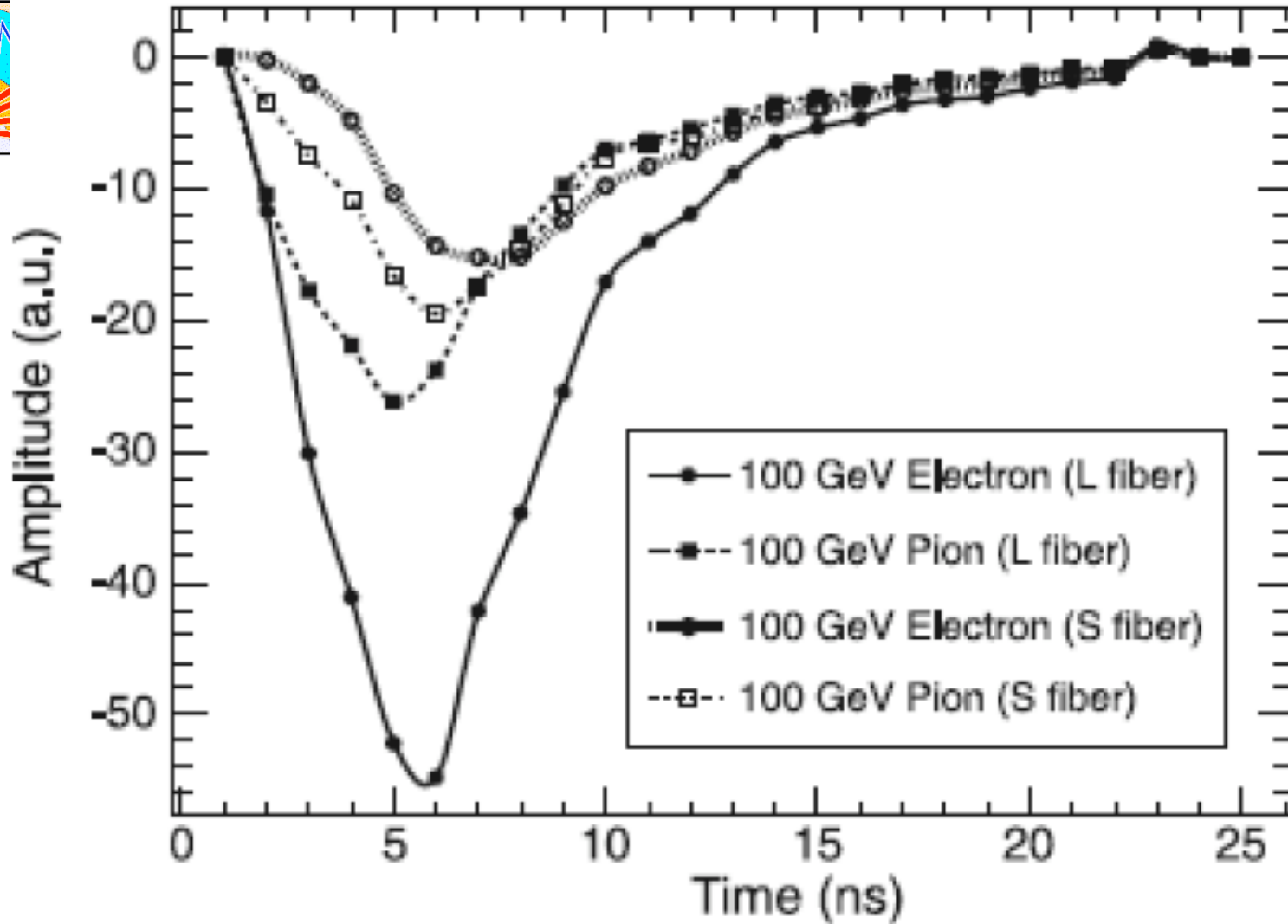
*HF Muon Response: about 4 GeV/p.e., and >30% in pedestal/unduseable region. 1 MIP ~ 4 GeV in HF. This response would nearly double with modern photocathode PMT.*



350 GeV pi's ('scope) **Fast. Damn Fast.** 50 GeV pi: FW10thMx 13 ns

**Make QIE integration time variable for HF**  
**12.5 ns integration removes 50% cosmics/beam halo, etc**





*Pulse Peak shifts by ~1 ns on good events from long/short fibers!*  
(ave skew rays ~ 1.5x slower than axial rays)  
Use “constant fraction” peak timing to ID good events.



~1 ns Timing precision on pulse edges and peak enables:

- Tag/reject cosmics, beam-gas, halo, pit shine etc by  $\times 10$ -20
- Identifies events from IR
- Consistency checks/intercalibration between towers, L/S
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