



A Shashlyk Electromagnetic calorimeter system for NICA-MPD

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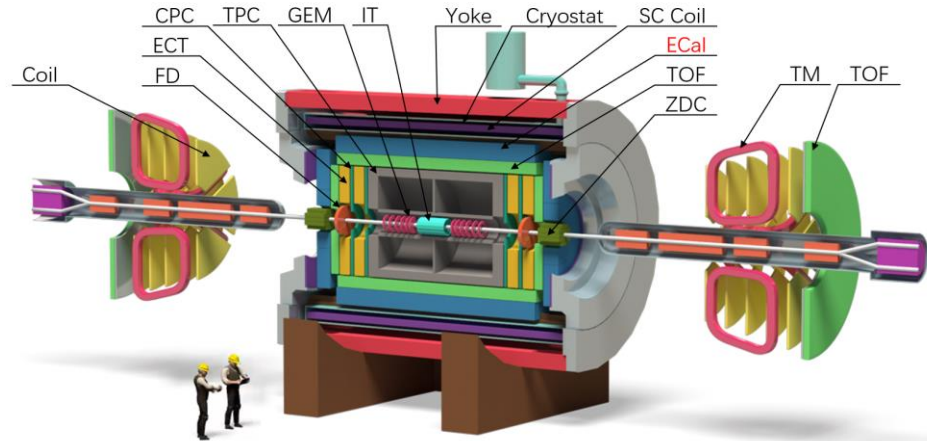
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Introduction

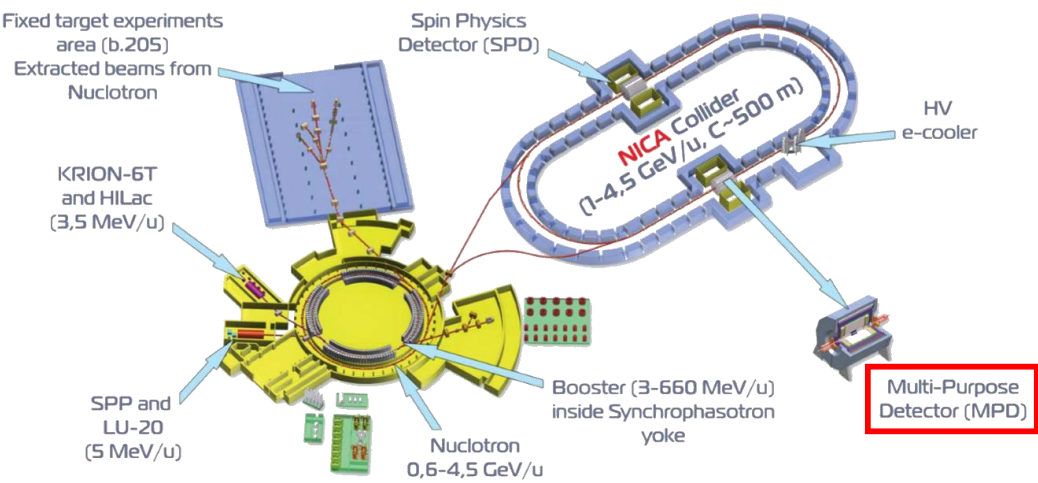


The main goal of the **Nuclotron based Ion Collider fAcility (NICA)**, a new accelerator designed for JINR, is an experimental investigation of the properties of nuclear matter in the energy region of the maximum baryonic density. The **MPD (MultiPurpose Detector)** experiment is one of the important experiments on NICA.



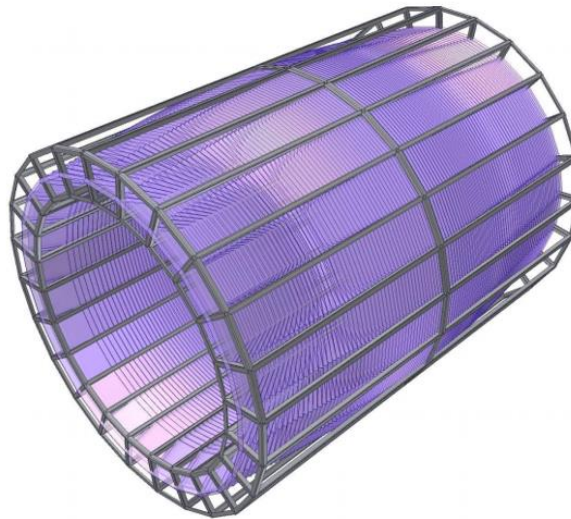
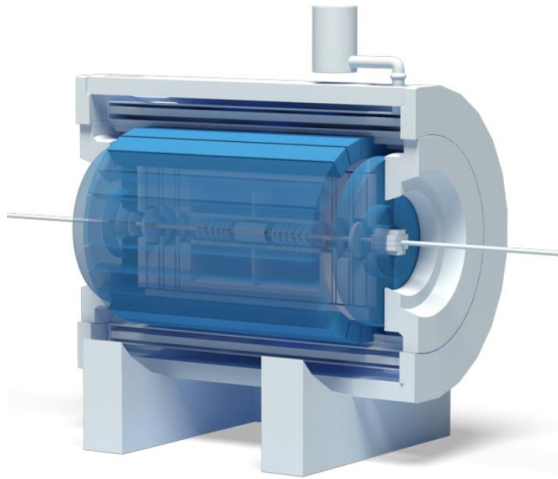
Superconducting accelerator complex NICA
(Nuclotron based Ion Collider fAcility)

- Performance of MPD experiment:**
- 4π spectrometer capable
 - Total charged particle multiplicity : 1000+
 - Beams from p to Au
 - $L : 10^{27}$ (Au), 10^{32} (p)[$\text{cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$]
 - $\sqrt{SNN} : 4\text{-}11$ GeV
 - High Luminosity : 6 kHz





Introduction of ECal



The whole barrel part of MPD electromagnetic calorimeter will be constructed from 25 sectors.

Arrange all the ECal at an polar angle is absolutely necessary to avoid dead space and as a result drop of particle detection efficiency and degradation of calorimeter energy resolution.

MPD-ECal requirements:

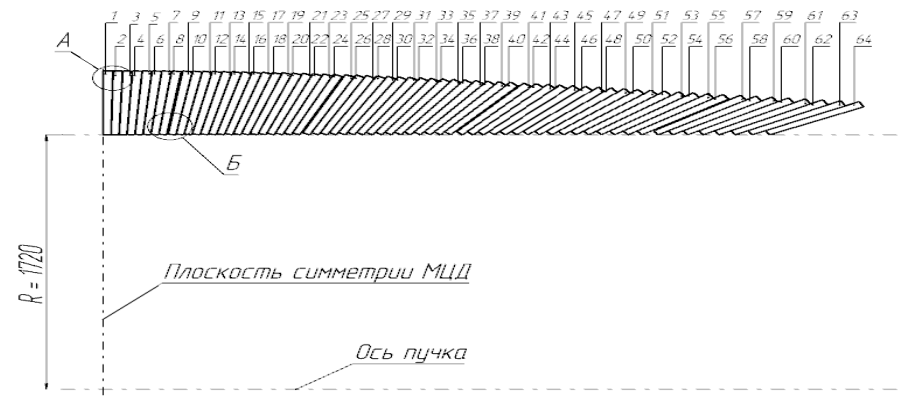
particle occupancy : $< 5\%$

Time resolution : $< 1\text{ns}$

Energy resolution : $< 5\%$ @ 1GeV

Operate in the magnetic FIELD : $\sim 0.5\text{T}$

Adequate space resolution.

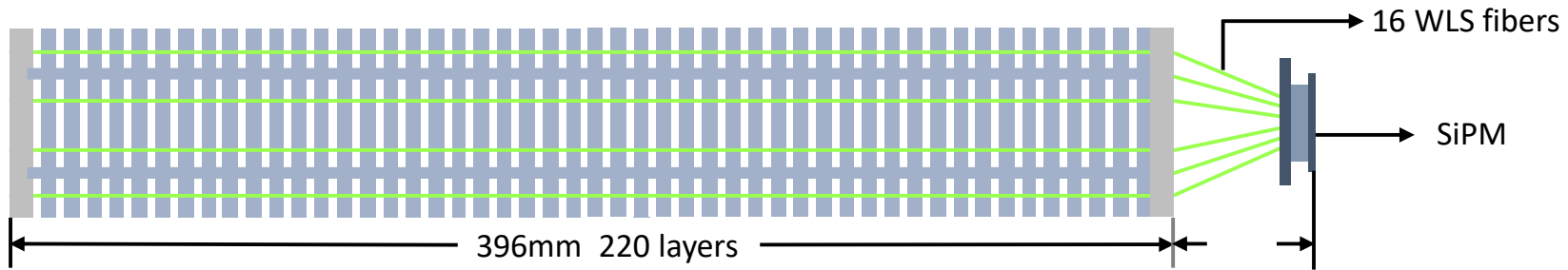




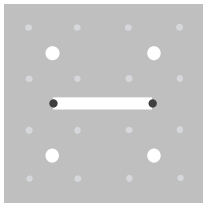
Structure diagram



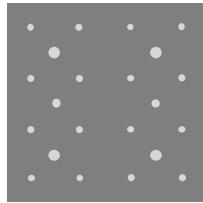
Structure diagram of shashlyk ECal (One tower)



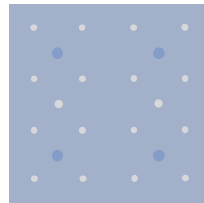
One layer: 1.5mm scintillator+0.3mm lead



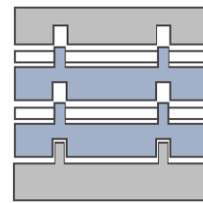
Supporting plate



Lead plate
(powder painting)



Scintillator plate



'LEGO' structure

The "Shashlyk" tower is a lead-scintillator sandwich which read out by means of Wave Length Shifting (WLS) fibers passing through the holes in scintillator and lead.

Parameters of Ecal tower

Max. transverse size, mm ²	40 x 40	Scintillator thickness, mm	1.5
WLS fibers	16	Molière radius, mm	62
Number of layers	220	Radiation length, X ₀	11.8
Lead absorber thickness, mm	0.3	Effective radiation length, mm	32.4

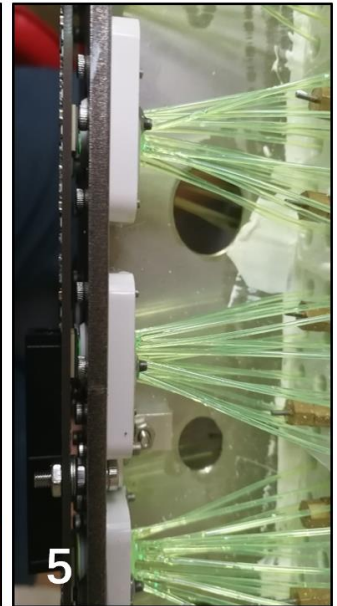
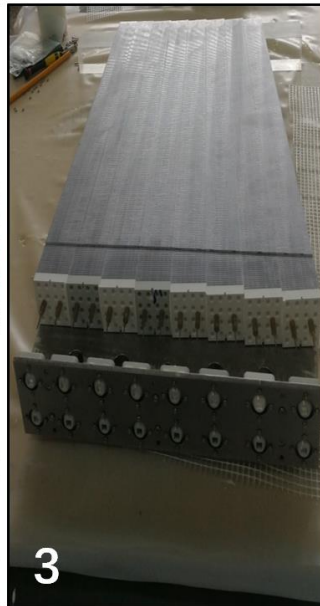
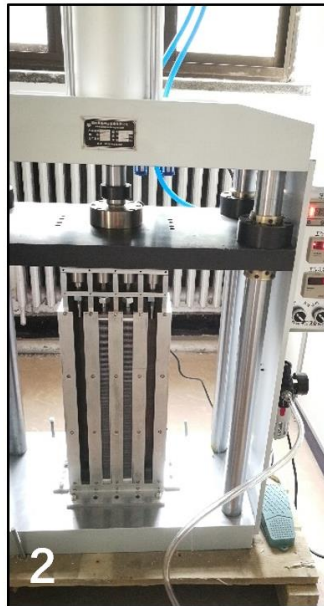
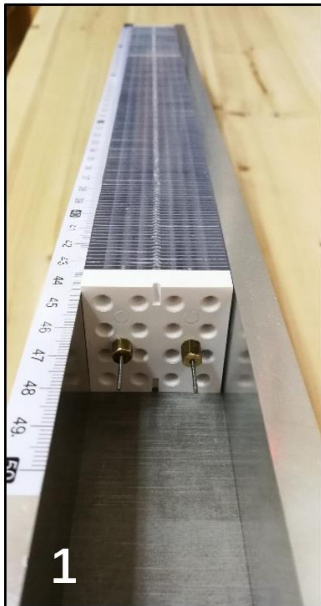


Assembling



■ Assembling steps:

- Assembling single towers one by one
- Pressurizing eight towers at the same time. (~60kg / tower)
- Cutting and gluing.
- Inserting the WLS fibers and gluing
- Cutting the fibers, connecting the PCB plate with SiPM detector and wrapping.





Beam test

DESY, Electron beams.

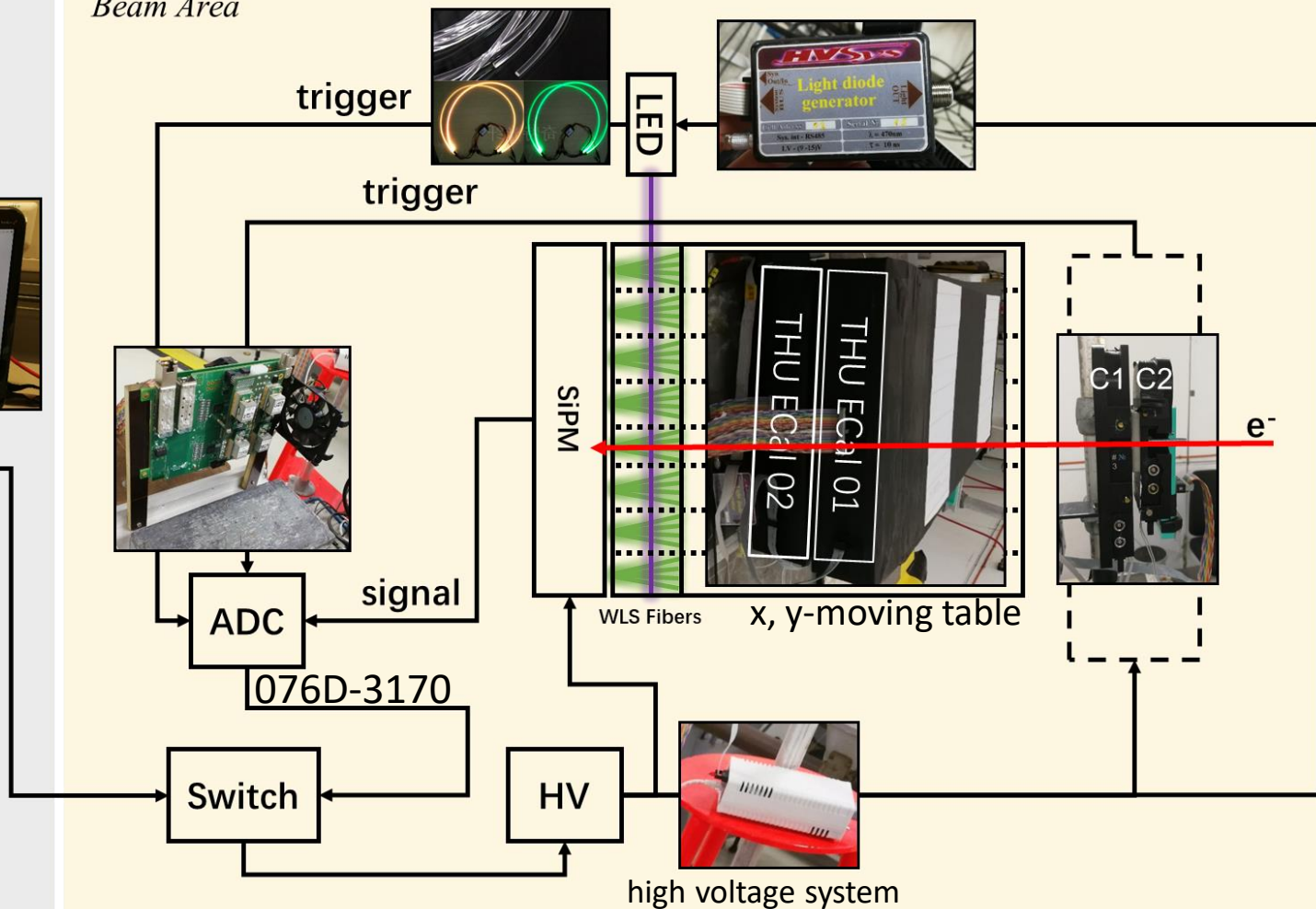


Control Room



PC

Beam Area



On August 2018



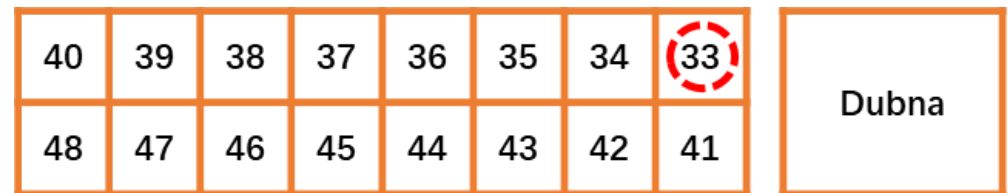
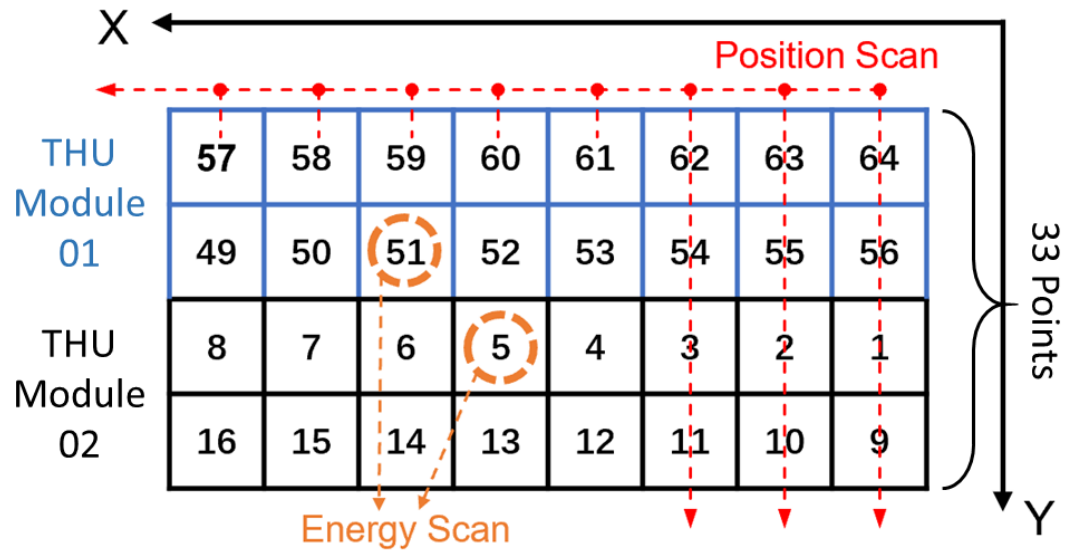
Position & Energy scanning



- Eight columns were scanned along the y-axis direction, and each position was scanned every 5 mm for a total of 264 position points, each time at the center of each column, for the purpose of correction.
- Energy scanning for two points (Tower51&05), from 1.0GeV to 5 GeV.

- Energy Range : 1.0 GeV - 5.0 GeV
- Step Length: 0.2 GeV
- Number of Events: 200K+ / point

- 4-bit DRS4 (sampling rate 5 GHz) was changed for the time scanning of Dubna module for high time resolution.





Waveform of signal

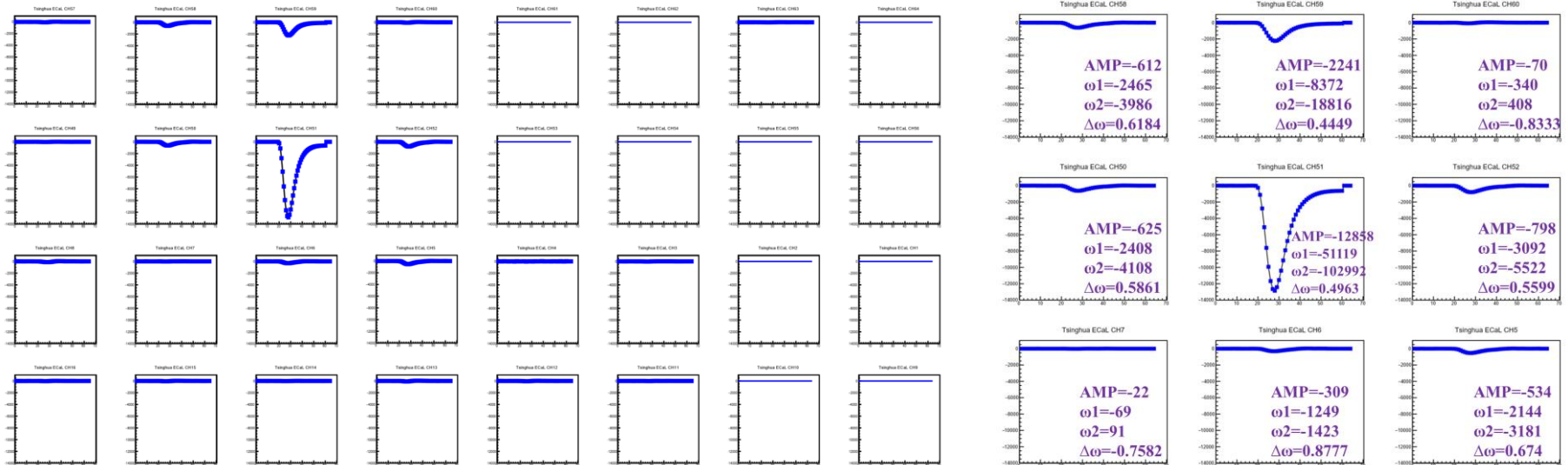


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THU 01

THU 02

- The beam hit the tower 51.
- After corrections & calibration.
- The waveform of the 32 tower were obtained.

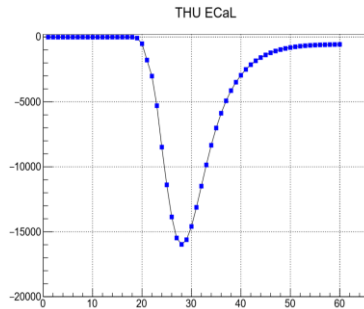




Linear Fit of Beam Energy and $N_{\text{ph.e}}$

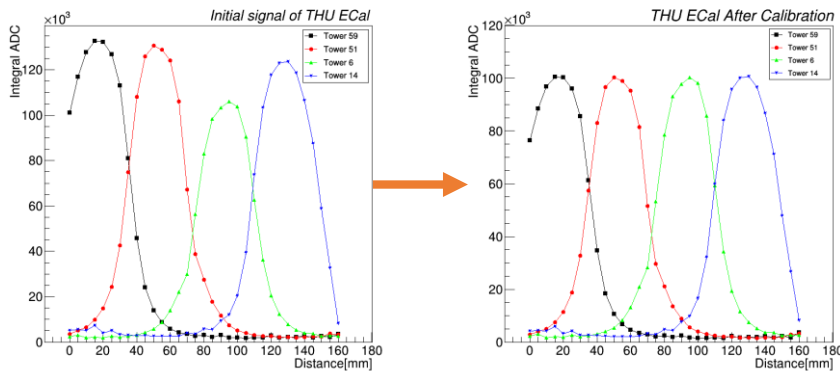


1. After ped.



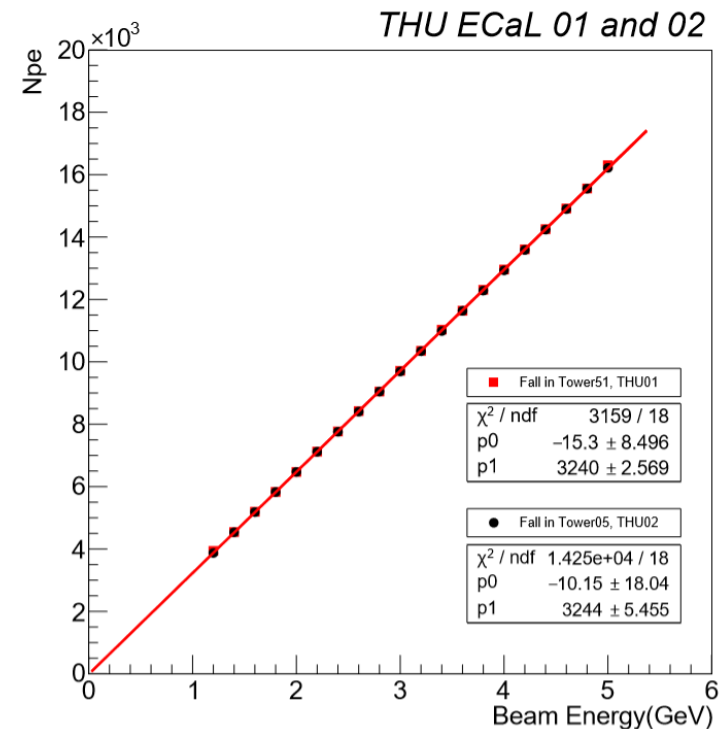
- The Npe(NumberOf Photoelectron) @1GeV is about 3500.
- Show good consistency & good linearity

2. Calibration for each tower.



3. After data integration

4. Calibration for SiPM



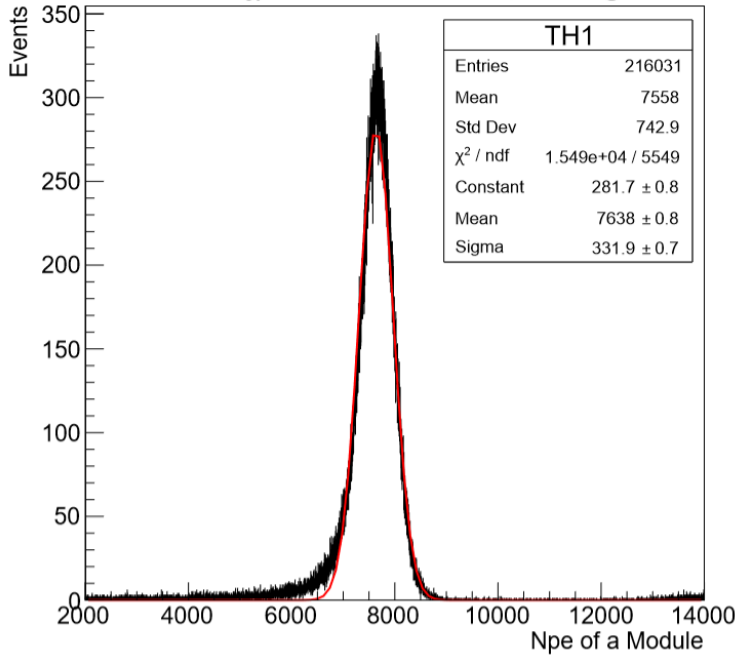


Energy resolution



- Obtained from the peak through Gaussian fit.
- Got the *sigma* for different energy.
- Energy resolution is 4.5% and 4.4%.
- Show good consistency and fitting.

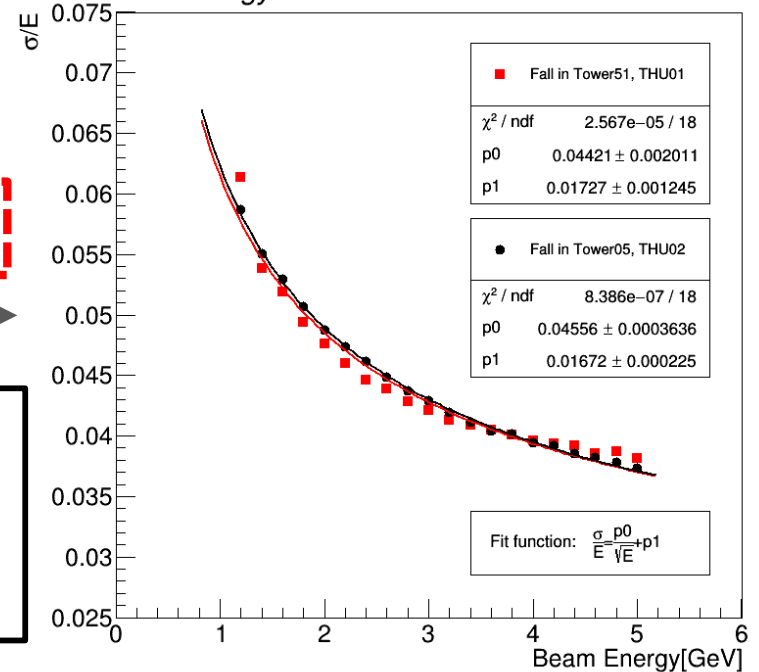
Energy Resolution of Tower05, THU02@3.0GeV



$$\frac{\text{Sigma}}{E} = \frac{p_0}{\sqrt{E}} + p_1$$

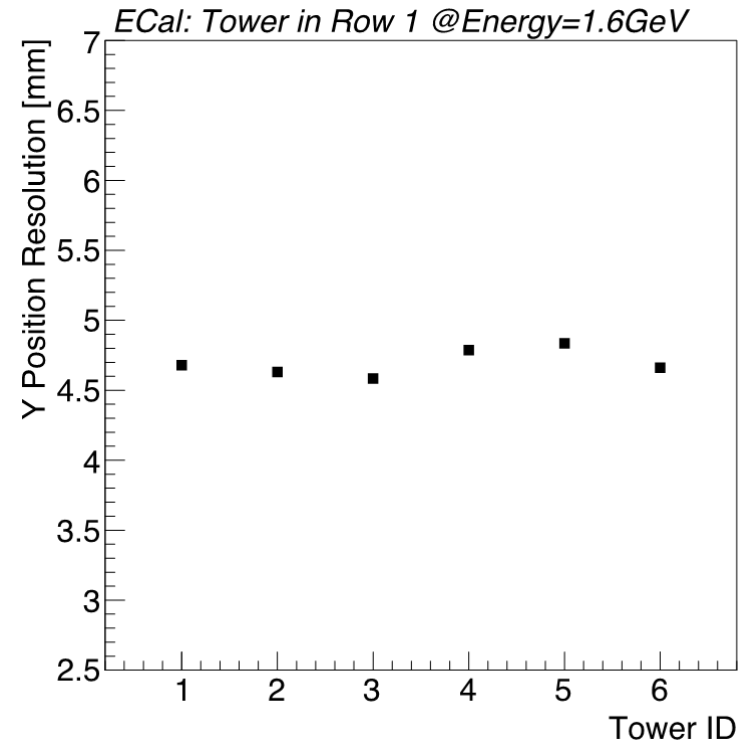
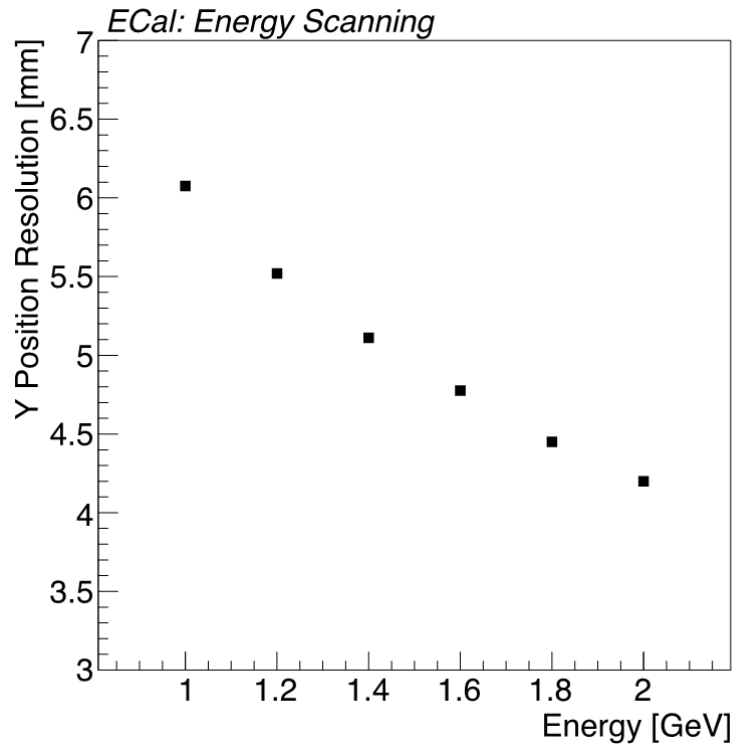
4.42% < 5%
4.56% < 5%
@1GeV

Energy Resolution of THU ECal 01 and 02





Spatial resolution



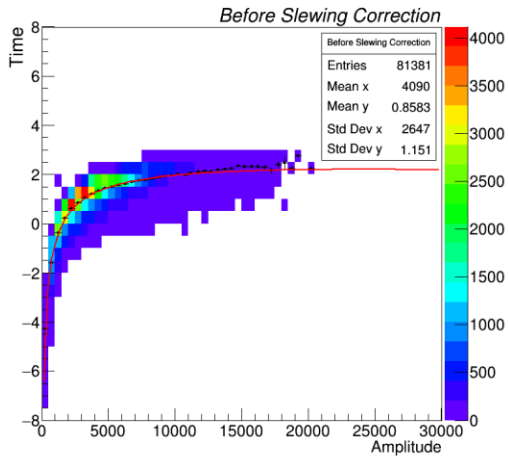
- The spatial resolution is around **4.7 mm @1.6GeV**
- The resolution gets improved with energy.

More details can be found here: <https://arxiv.org/abs/1902.03629>

By using Center of Gravity (COG) algorithm

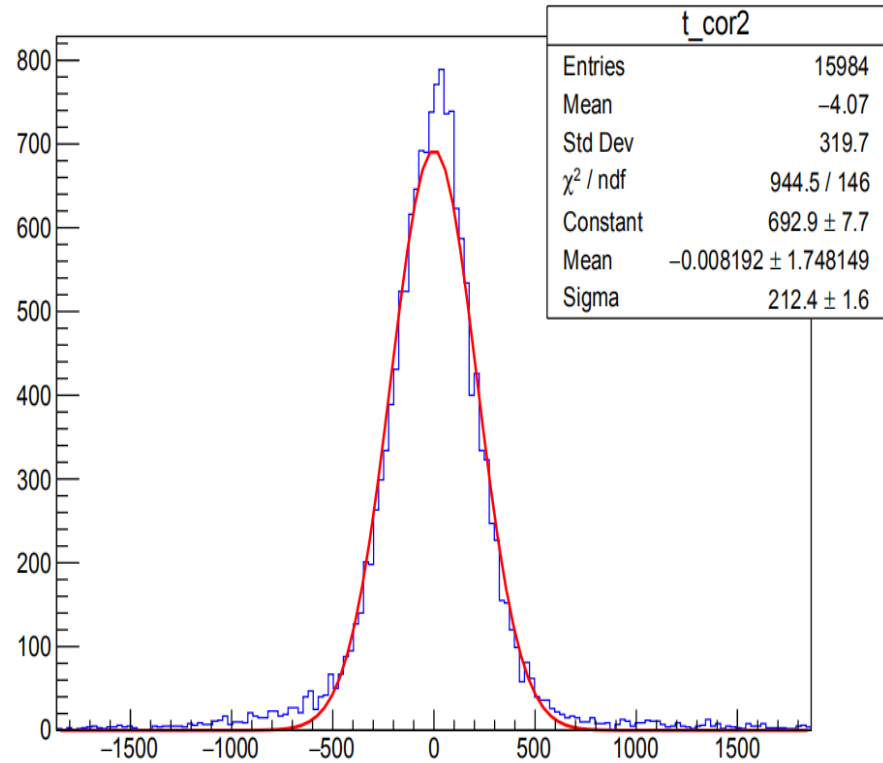
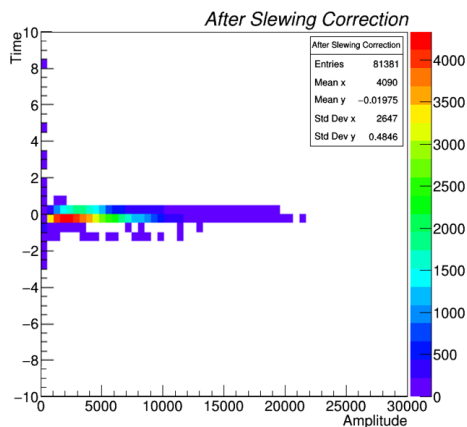


Time resolution



$$t = a + \frac{p_1}{\sqrt{a}} + \frac{p_2}{a} + p_3 a$$

Correction function



- After the slewing correction, the final time resolution: 212.4ps.

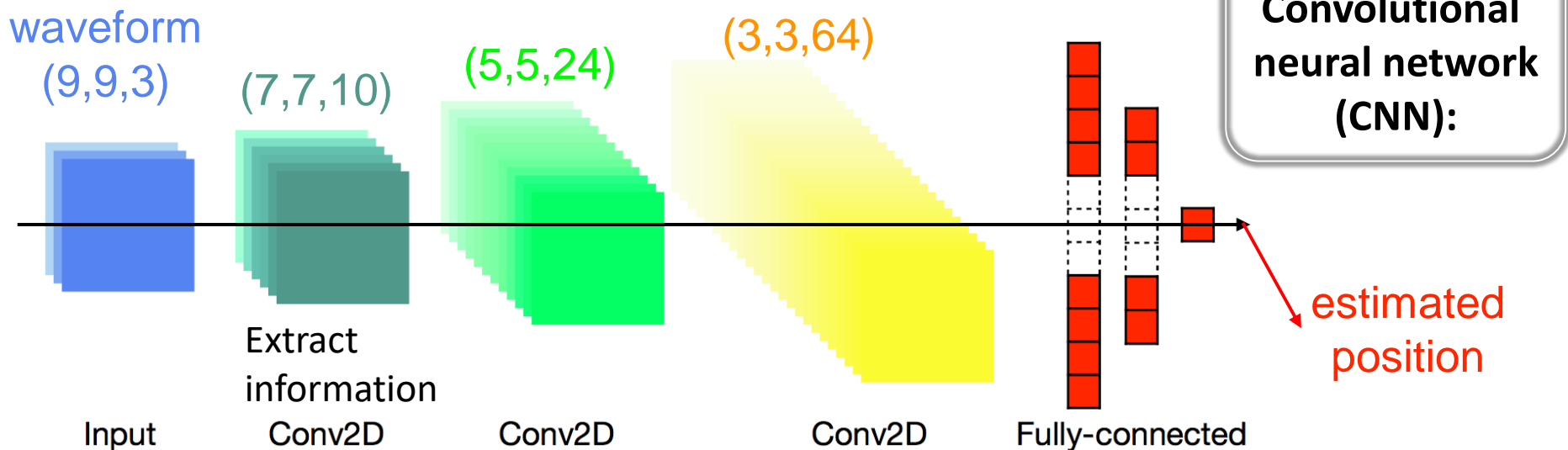
212.4ps < 1ns



Convolutional Neural Network



- Neural network and machine learning are powerful tools for solving **non-linear** problems.
- In 1998, CMS ECal has tried the fully-connected neural networks. Results are **similar** to the COG(Center of Gravity algorithm).
- A more general and powerful convolutional neural network(CNN) was designed, train and validate the network with recently developed hardware and technologies.

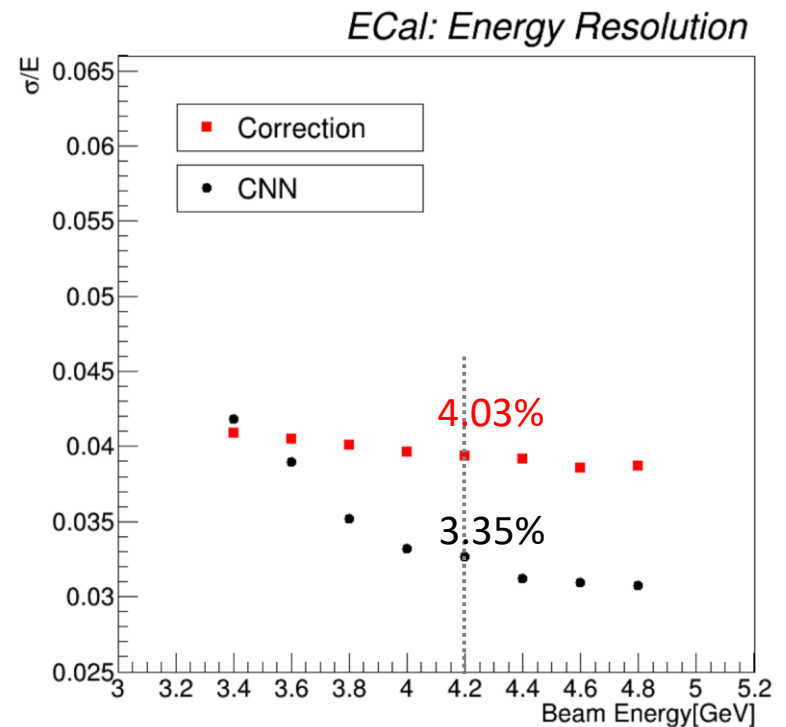
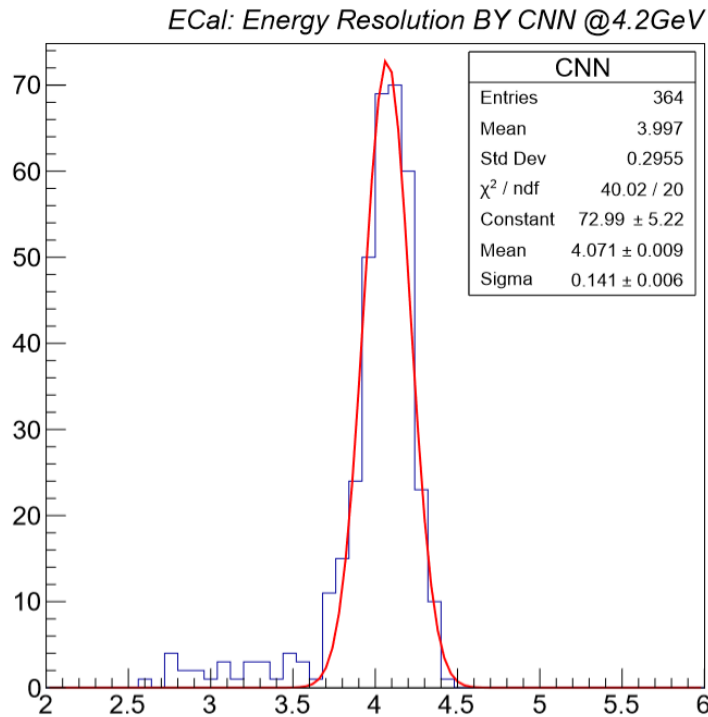




Energy resolution



- Energy resolution is obtained after with CNN.



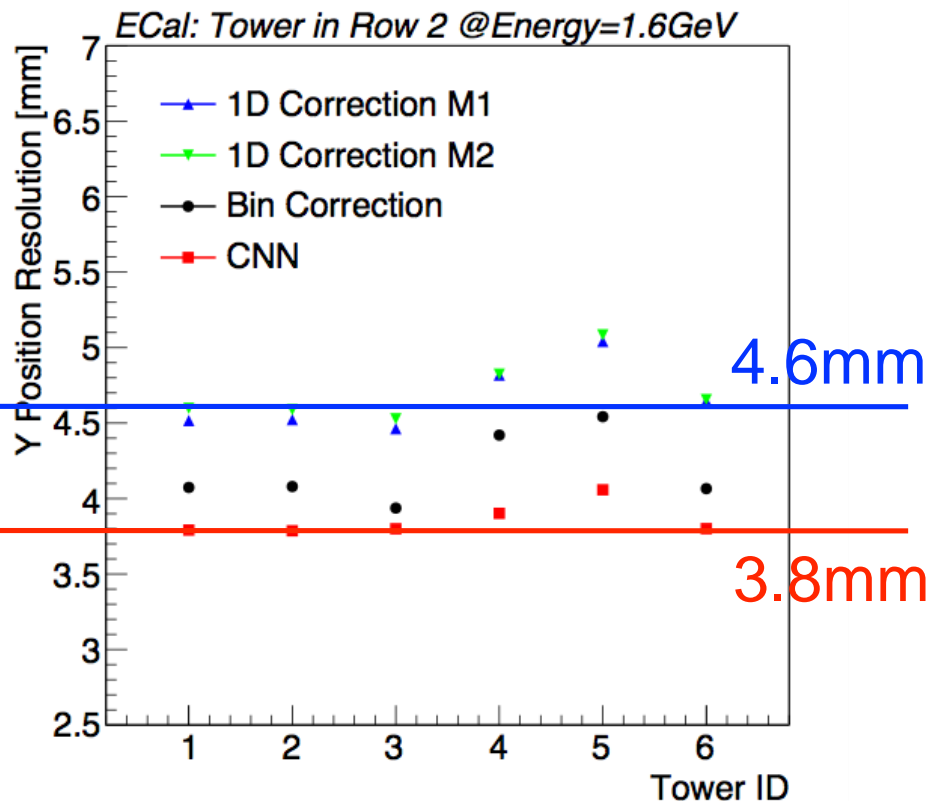
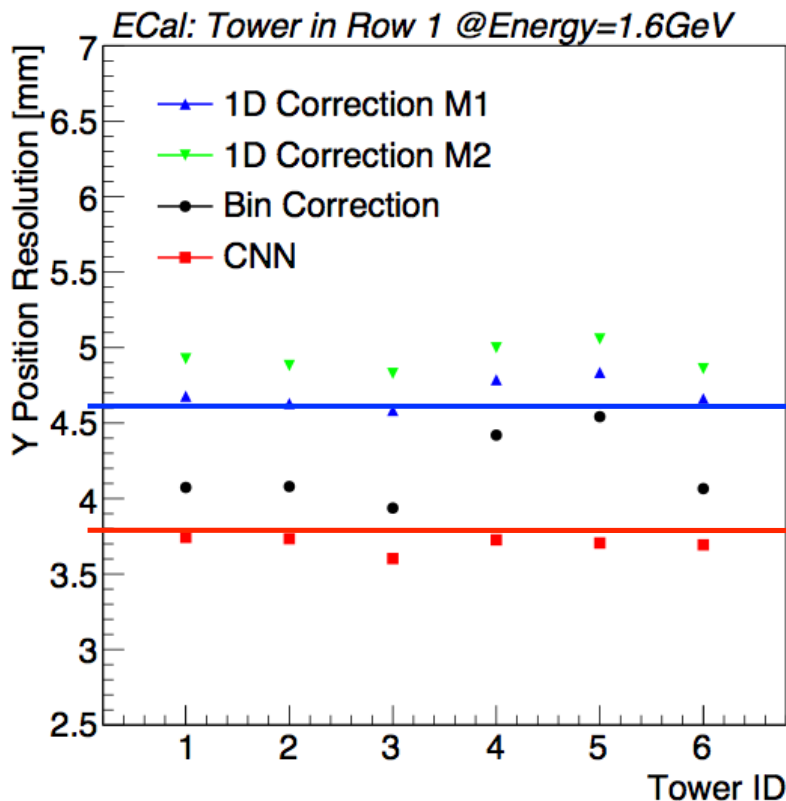
- CNN works much better than the traditional method in the high energy zone (Defects in the low energy zone are being discussed).



Spatial resolution in Y direction



- Position resolution in Y direction
- Position resolution: standard deviation of the 3-sigma gaussian fit



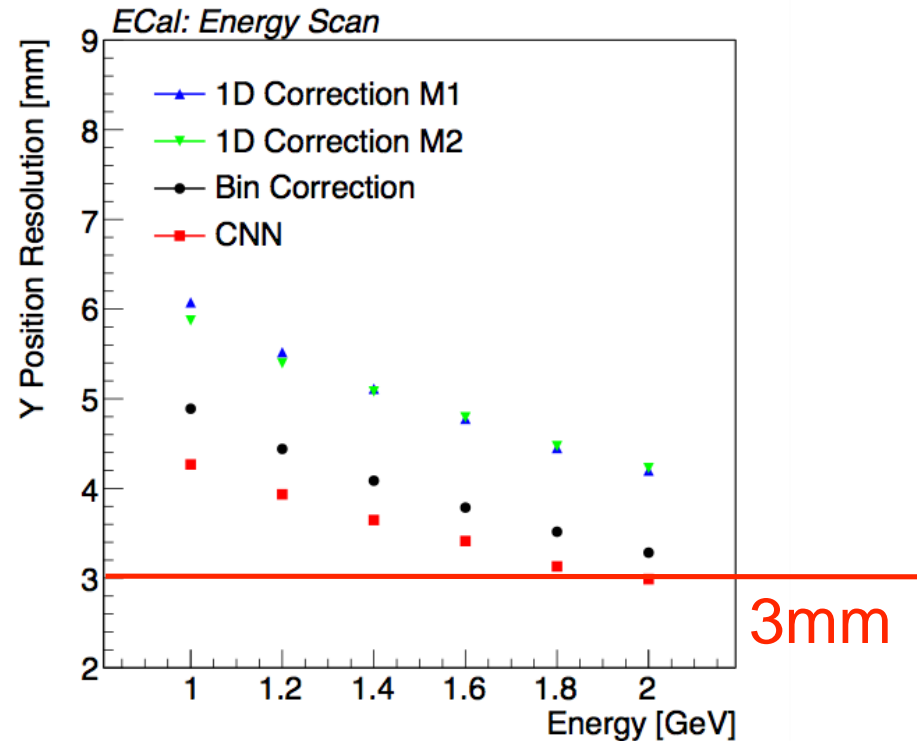
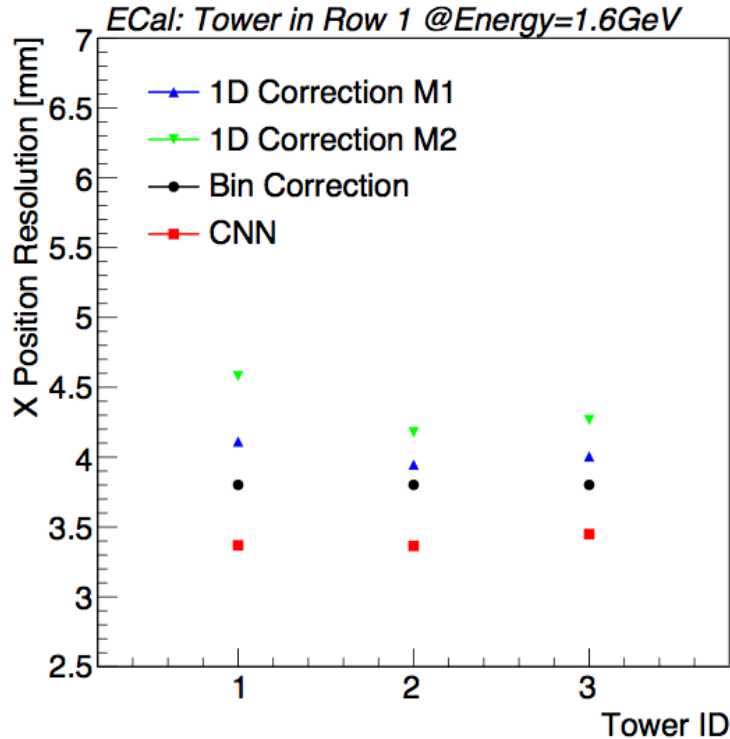
- Bin correction achieves the best position resolution from COG
- CNN works much better than the COG



Spatial resolution in X direction



- Position scanning in X is also done with different beam energy.



- The position resolutions are improved by **about 30%** with the CNN compared to the correction method 1 in all the energy scans, and it is also under **3 mm @2 GeV**.
- Good training finds the most appropriate model for the problem.



Test of towers prototype on muons beams from U-70 accelerator NRC KI-IHEP

• μ -beam from target in the ring of the U-70 (background mode, target in the halo of circle beam)

• Sc counters:

• S1 (square 100x100mm), S2, S3 (circle 20mm diameter)

• KOPIO shashlyk prototype:

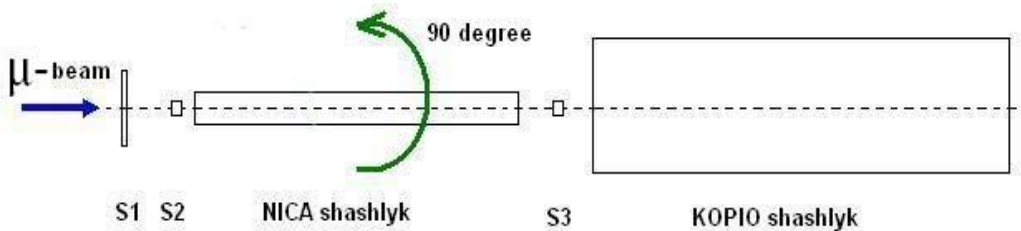
• sandwich structure Pb/Sc 110x110 mm, $Z=15.9 X_0$

• Trigger

• S1 & S2 & S3 & KOPIO
• 300MeV threshold for signal from KOPIO module

• Towers of shashlyk prototype :

• Towers was wrapped by TYVEK
• Our readout: PMT 115M, green extended
• Two option of fiber coating: Al Maylar and Al mirror on the end of WLS fibers
• Al mirror thermally applied in the IHEP factory, Al Maylar applied by the Scotch



- μ -beam from target in the ring of the U-70 (background mode, target in the halo of circle beam)
- μ -beam from target in the U-70 ring with 50GeV protons (background mode, target in the halo of circle beam)

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Beam test

KI-IHEP, Muon beams.



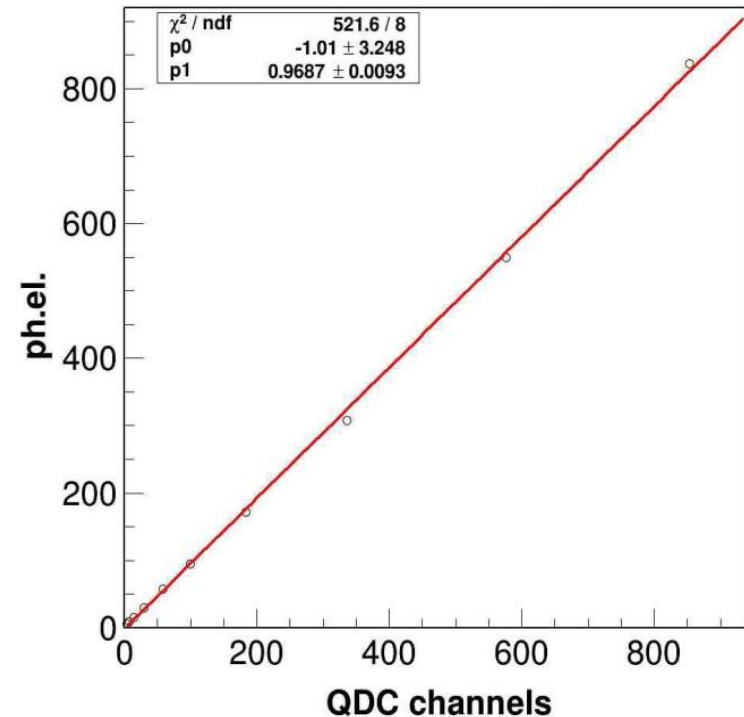
- Calibration on LED to get photoelectrons per QDC channels

$$N_{ph.e} = \left(\text{Amp} / \text{Sigma} \right)^2$$

- Getting from Gauss fit after ped. subtraction,
- Check the linearity and dynamic range of readout.
- Avoid time shifts of the light pulse.

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Linearity of the signals over the dynamic range and conversion of QDC counts.

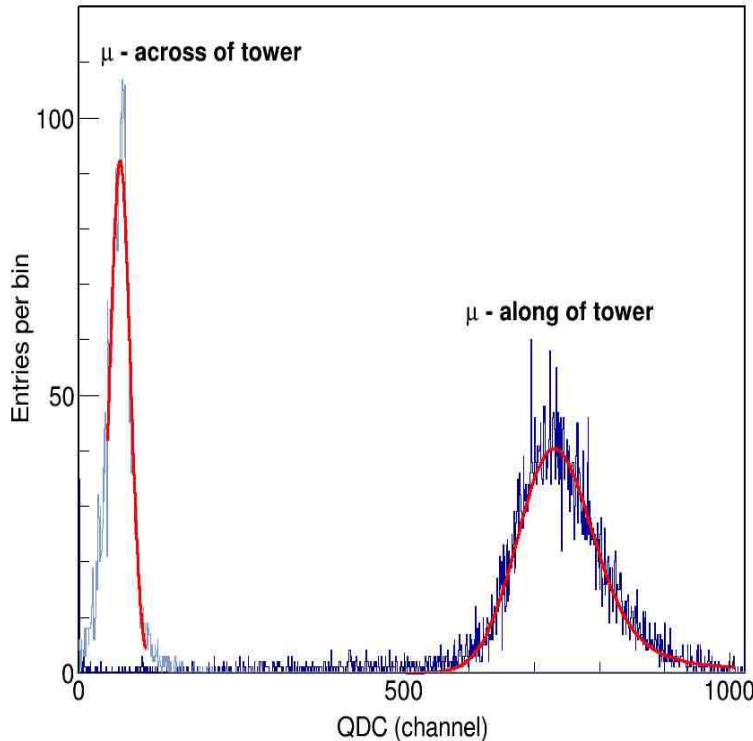




Results for along & across muons



Comparison of the spectra for muons



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For Al Maylar on the ends of WLS fibers

μ -across, center, **65.7 +/- 3% $N_{ph.e}$**

μ -along, **607 +/- 3% $N_{ph.e}$**

For Al Mirror on the ends of WLS fibers

μ -across, center, **73.3 +/- 3 $N_{ph.e}$**

μ -along, **707 +/- 3% $N_{ph.e}$**

- Light Yield for ideal case $LY_{along}/LY_{across} = 8.25$, which correspond, 220 layers Sc 1.5mm along/40mm across
- Our result $LY_{along}/LY_{across} = 9.18-9.81$ discrepancy explained for a cross muon when muon is going through of Pb plate instead of Sc plate and light attenuations length of WLS fiber
- $LY_{Al\ Mirror}/LY_{Al\ Maylar} = 1.16 +/- 0.03$



Summary



- The two THU prototypes model of ECal has been done.
- A set of complete **assembling method** was given.
- Beam test have been completed in DESY and some results have been obtained with traditional method.
 - The **calibration method** of the detector has been mastered
 - Have good **linearity**
 - Energy resolution : **4.4% & 4.5% < 5% @1GeV**
 - Spatial resolution : **4.7mm @1.6 GeV**
 - Time resolution : **212.4ps < 1ns**
- CNN gets much better results.
 - Energy resolution: **3.8mm @1.6 GeV**
 - Spatial resolution: **3.35% @4.2GeV (4.03% @4.2GeV)**
- Results of test on muons beams from U-70 accelerator NRC KI-IHEP.
 - The Al-mirror coating of the WLS fiber ends is better than mylar film(about 1.16).
 - Maximal light output of about 700 photoelectrons was observed.



Thanks for your attention!

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Back up



Beam test

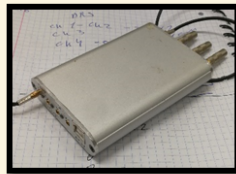
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Beam Area

Self Trigger (T_0)

Trigger (T_1)

Trigger (T_2)



TDC (drs)

Signal(T_3)

SiPM

ECal

e^-

Switch

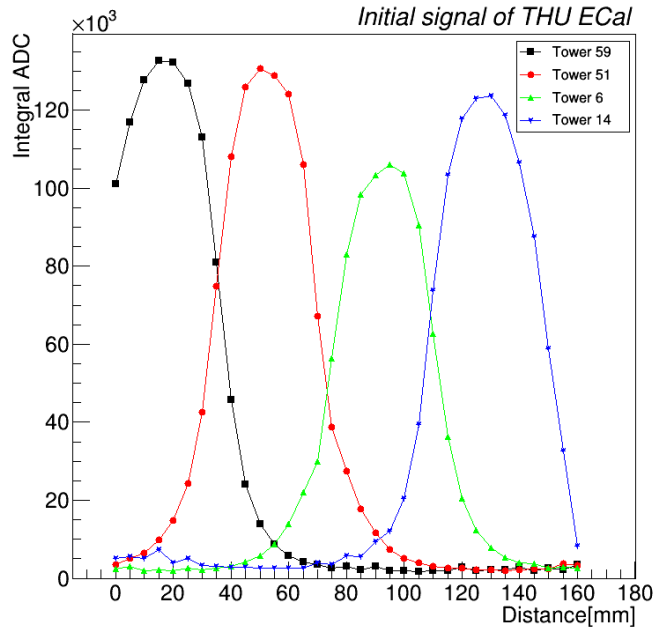
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Calibration

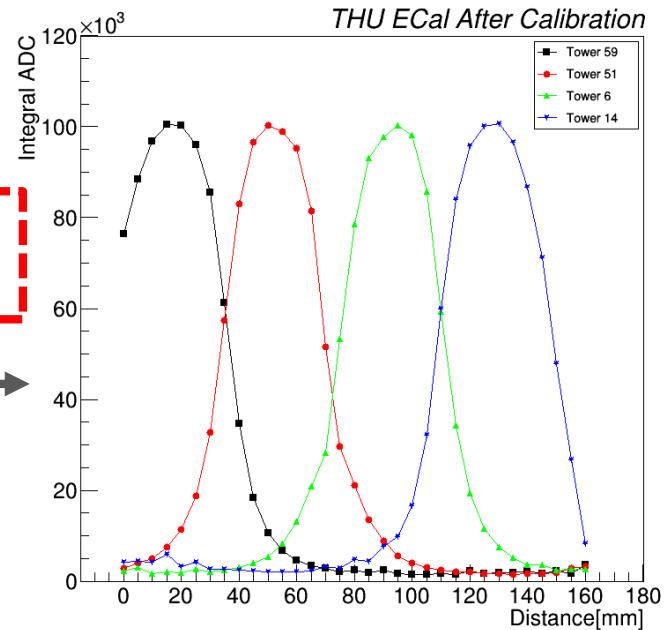
■ Before calibration



Normalized processing



■ After calibration



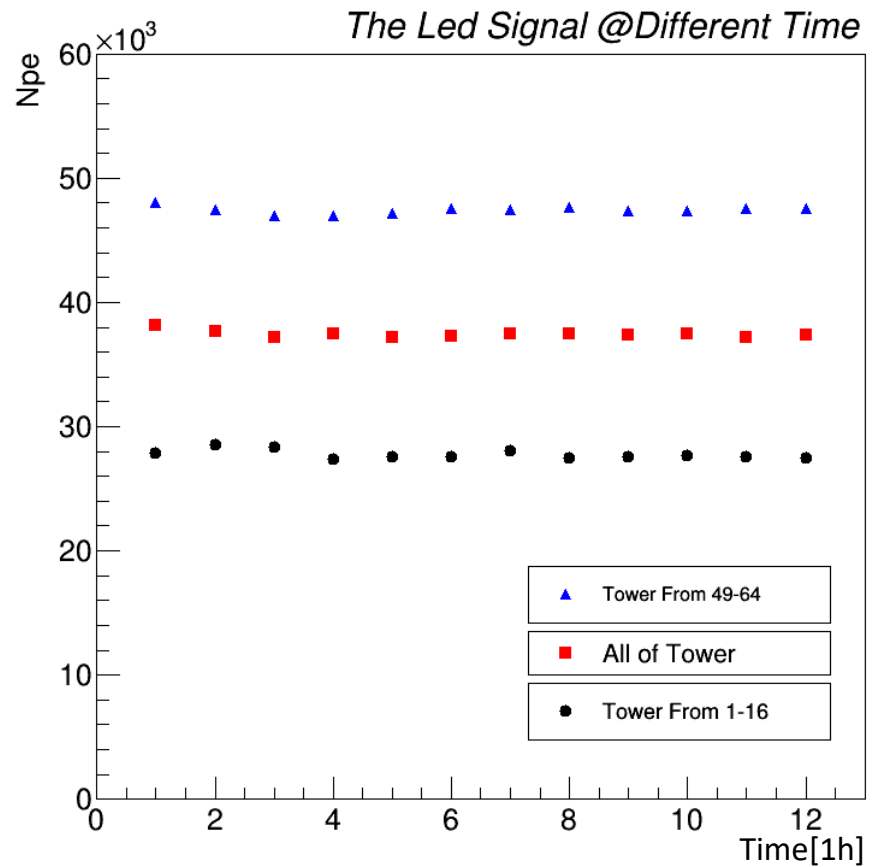
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Stability

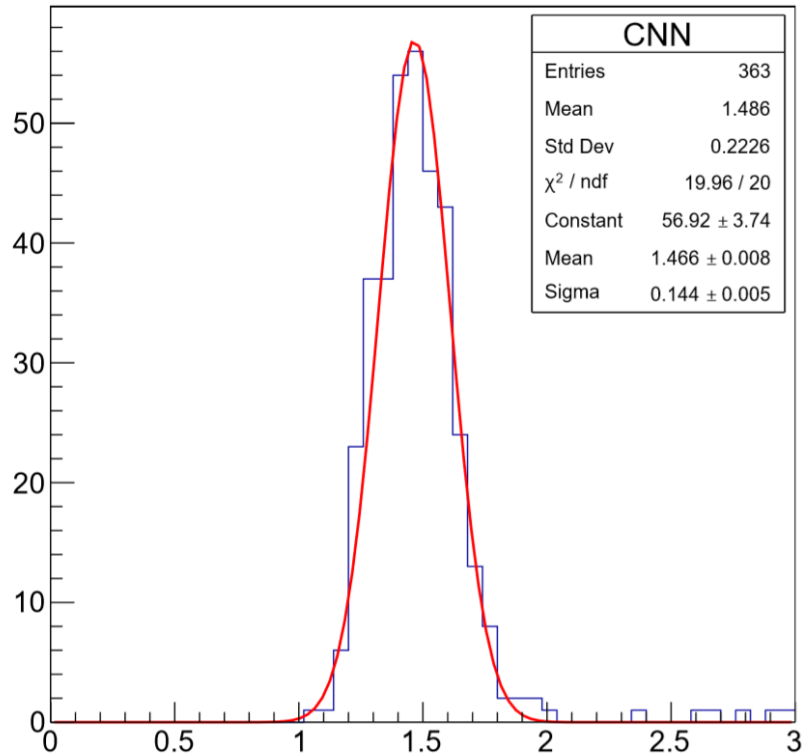
- The stability of the led detection system has been proven @Different time.



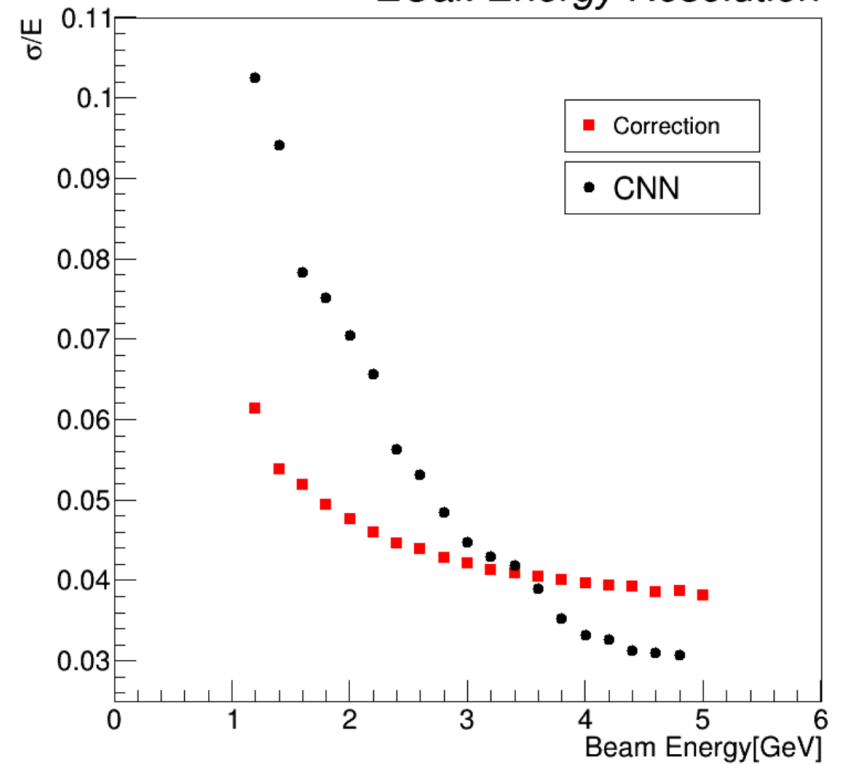


CNN

ECal: Energy Resolution BY CNN @1.4GeV

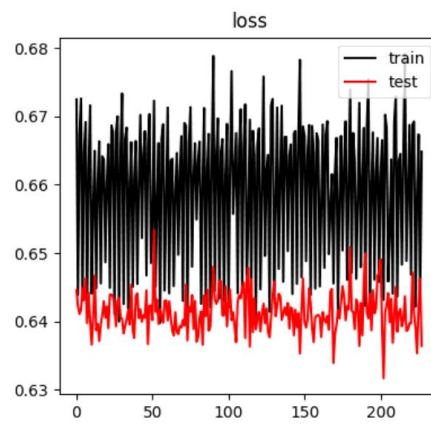
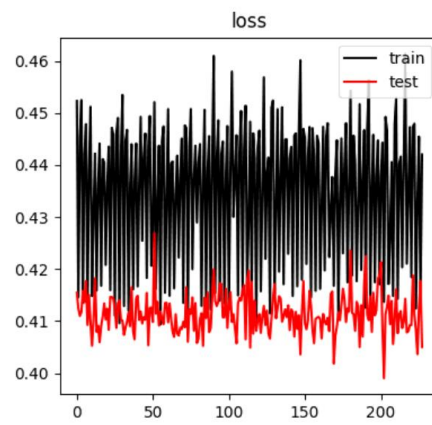
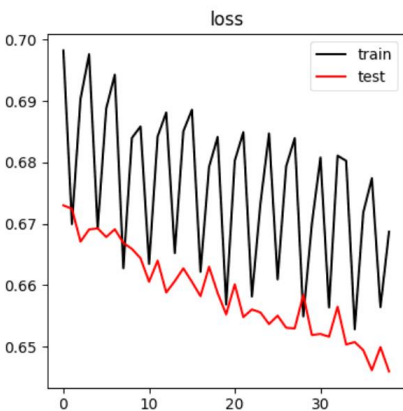
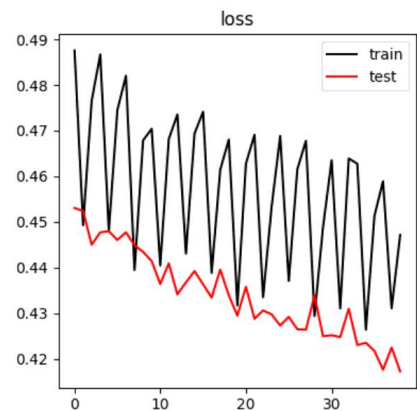
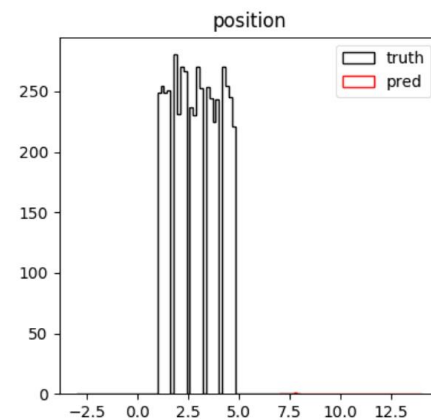
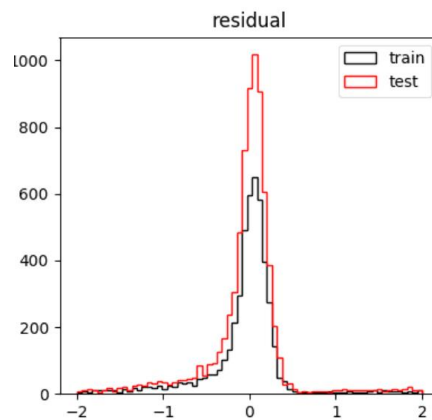
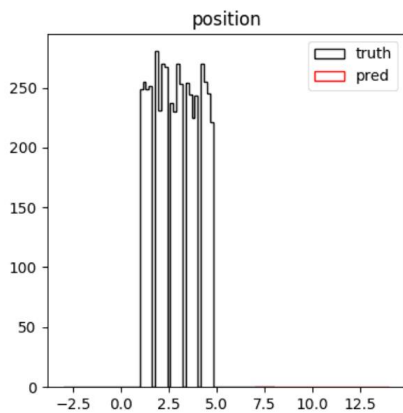
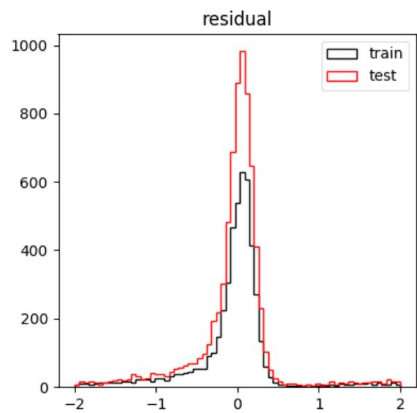


ECal: Energy Resolution





Train & Test





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C3

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C4

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C3

Dubna
C5

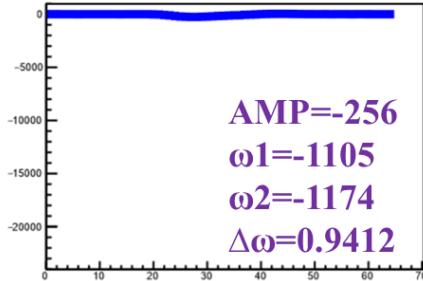
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C4

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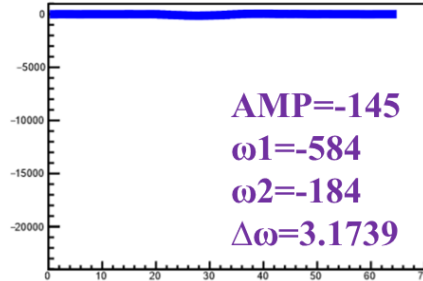


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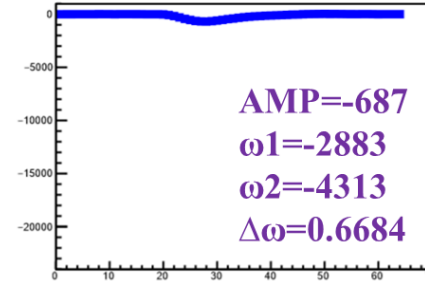
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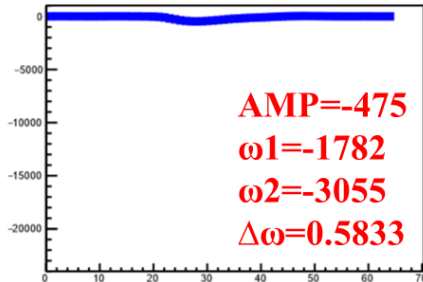
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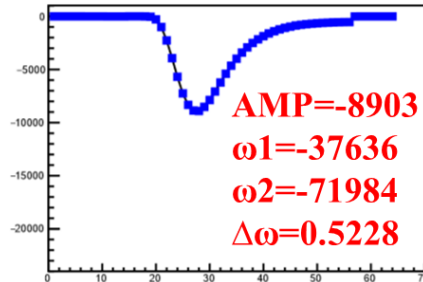
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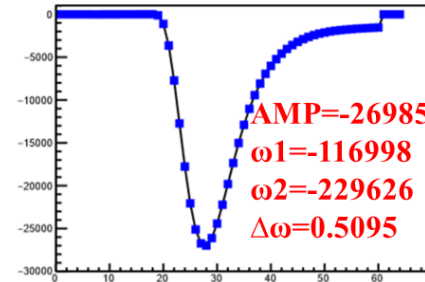
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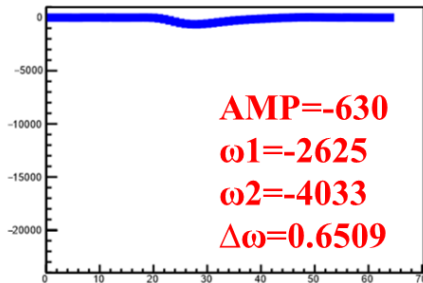
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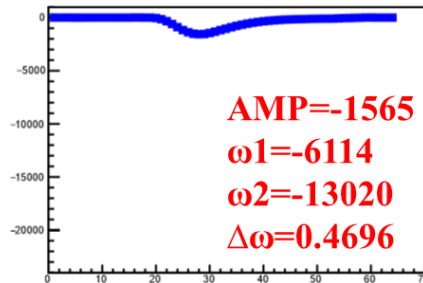
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