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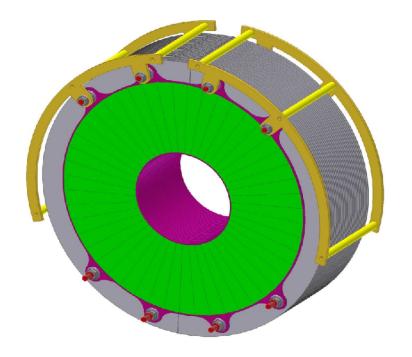
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- AGH University of Science and Technology, Krakow, Poland
- WP 6: Very Forward Calorimetry (Dr. Wolfgang Lohmann)
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Project overview



- WP 6 Very Forward Calorimetry
 - FCAL collaboration: ILC Forward CALorimetry
 - Design optimization of the ILC luminometer
 - Design of a prototype of a sensor plane and integration of the FE electronics.
 - Periodic test beam preparation and studies of the assembled sensor planes prototype in the beam.
 - Test beam data analysis and systematic study of the performance.

Close collaboration with IFJ-PAN and DESY.

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 $L = \frac{N_B}{\sigma_B}$ Cross section is

known from theory:

Measurement:

Measure N_{R} to calculate L

L is then used to calculate the cross sections of other processes

$$\frac{d\sigma_B}{d\theta} \approx \frac{32\pi\alpha^2}{s} \left(\frac{1}{\theta^3}\right)$$

Bhabha scattering: elastic e+e-



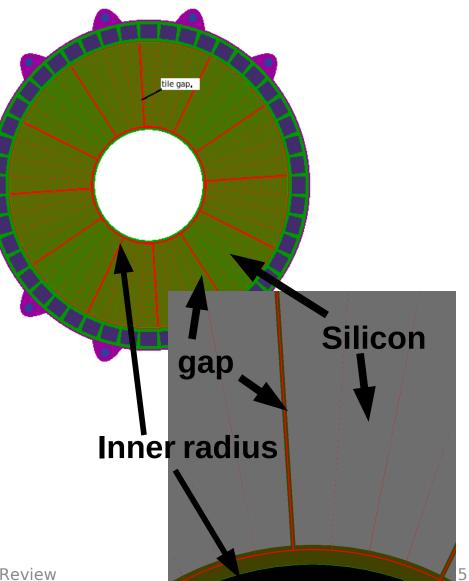
 $N_{_{\rm B}}$ – Bhabha events

L – luminosity

Deliverable 1: MC simulation

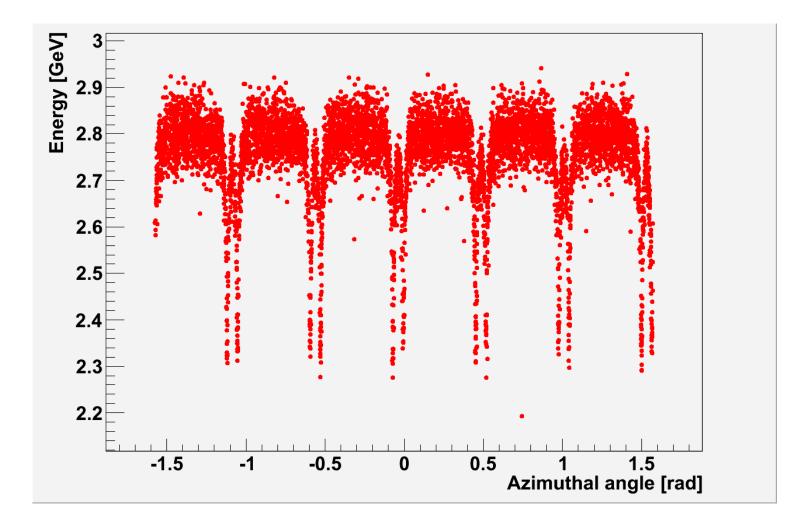
- Built first LC model with tile gaps
- Consecutive LC layers rotated by 3.75°
 - Still observe energy loss in gaps
 - How well does this compensate for energy resolution?
 - Can we further compensate for energy loss?





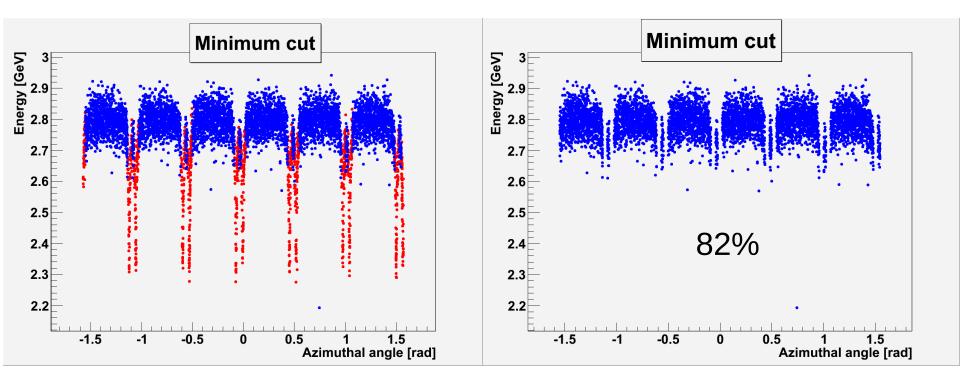
Energy deposition





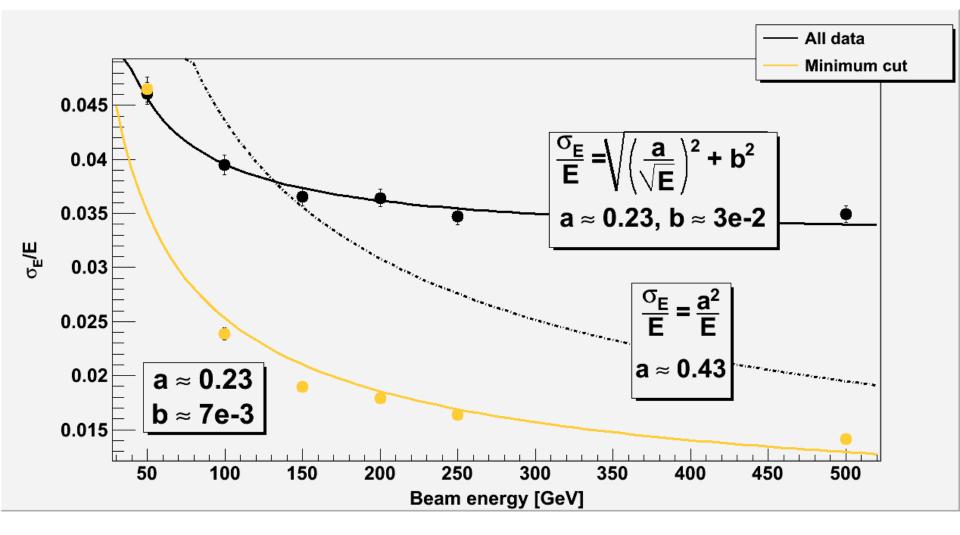
Selection cuts





Total energy resolution



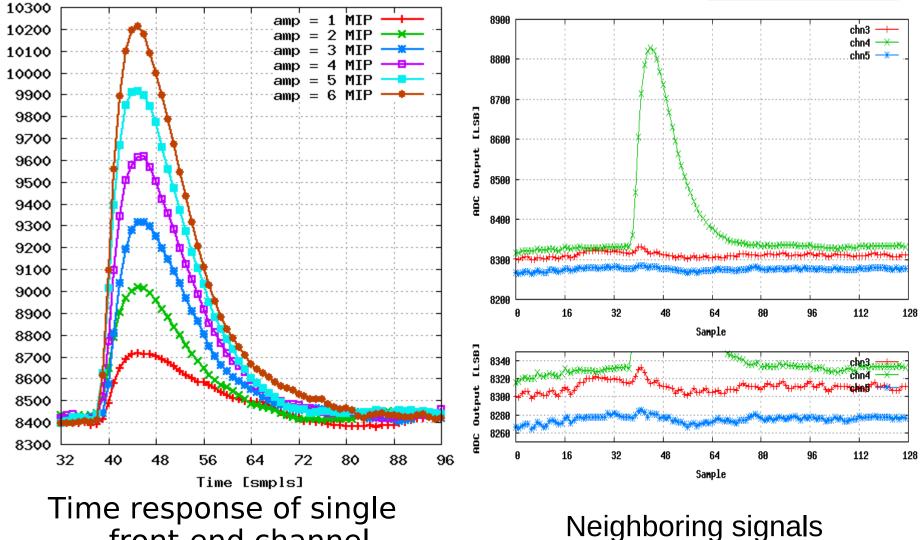


Deliverable 2: Test beam

- Jul 30-Aug 13, DESY-Hamburg
- Single tile sensor prototype with 8-channel ASIC and 14-bit ADC prototype
- With and without tungsten absorbers, simulating different depths in the detector
- Check ADC results with simulation

Testbeam - timing





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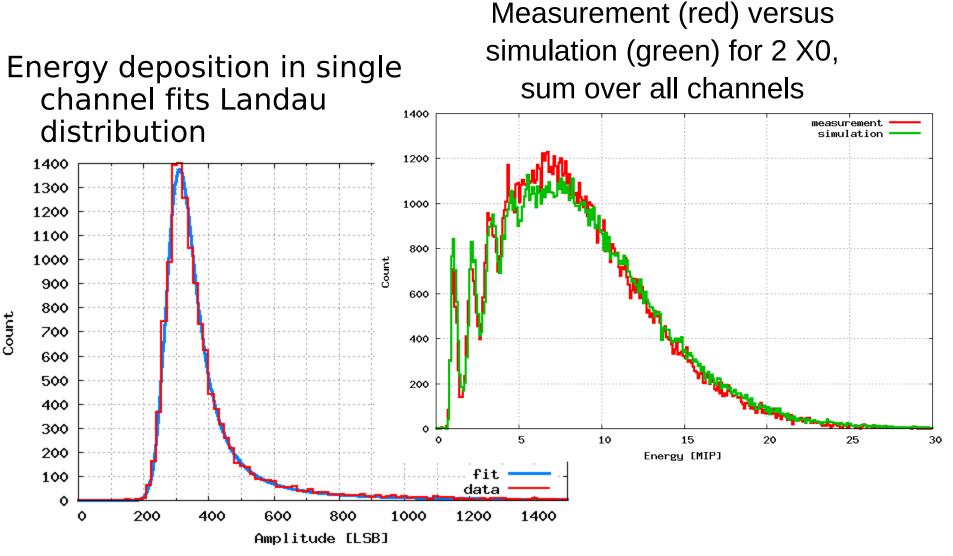
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Amp

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Testbeam - amplitude





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Activities

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- Readout Electronics, Sept 2009, AGH-UST Krakow
- Detector Simulation and Data Analysis, Jan 2010, DESY-Hamburg
- Processing and Radiation Hardness of Solid State Detectors, Sept 2010, Ljubljana
- Presentations
 - FCAL June 2009, DESY-Zeuthen
 - FCAL Oct 2010, CERN
 - FCAL Mar 2010, IFJ-Pan Krakow
- Publications
 - Abramowicz et. al., R&D for Very Forward Calorimeters for ILC Detectors, to be published in JINST
 - J. Błocki et. al., LumiCal new mechanical structure, http://www.eudet.org/e26/e28/



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