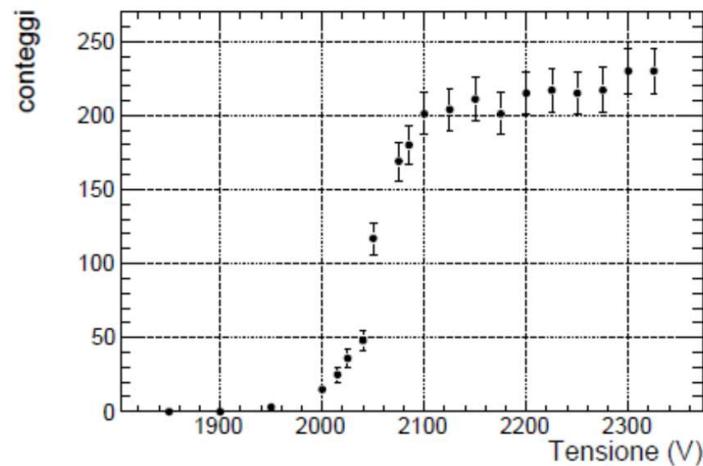
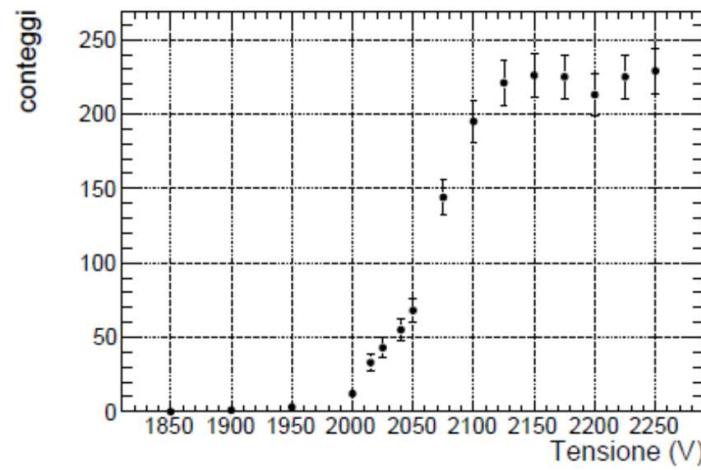


# Integral pulse height distribution (curva di conteggio)



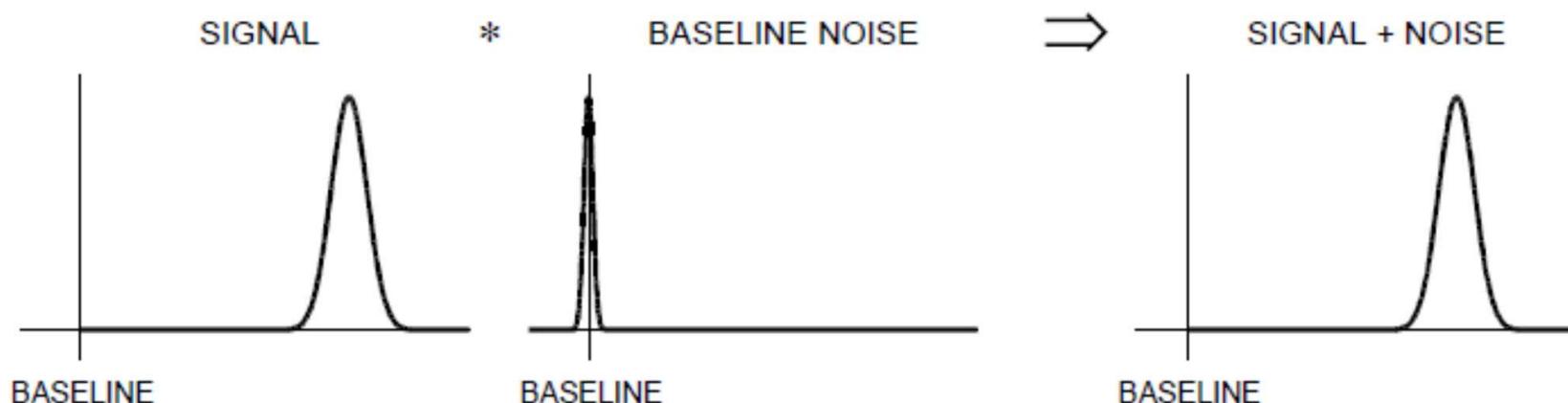
(a) PMT 2, soglia a 40 mV



(b) PMT 2, soglia a 45 mV

at determines Resolution?

Signal Variance >> Baseline Variance



$\Rightarrow$  Electronic (baseline) noise not important

Examples:

- High-gain proportional chambers

- Scintillation Counters with High-Gain PMTs

e.g. 1 MeV  $\gamma$ -rays absorbed by NaI(Tl) crystal

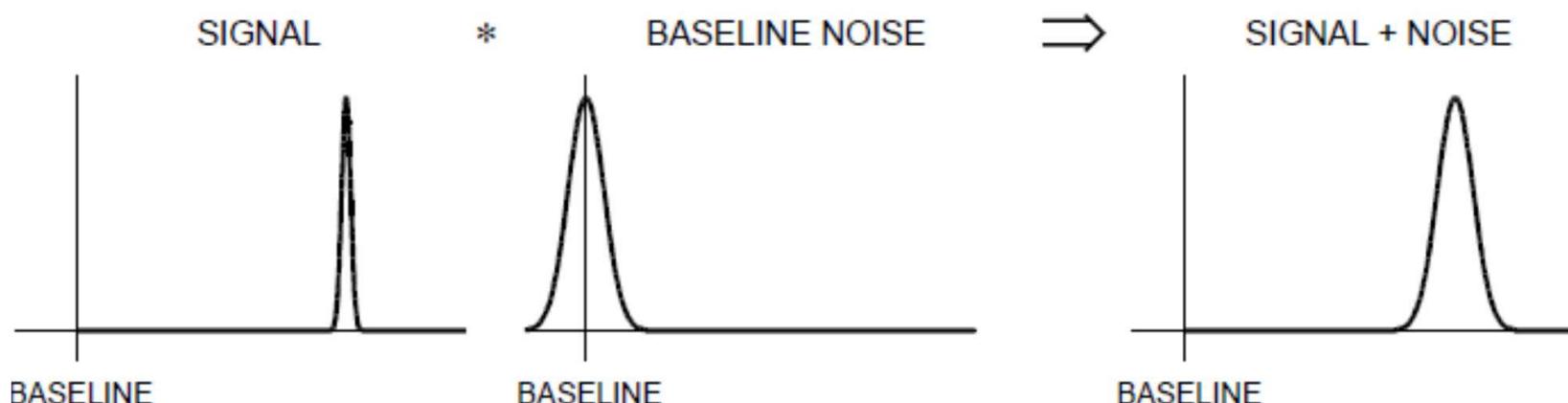
Number of photoelectrons:  $N_{pe} \approx 8 \cdot 10^4 \text{ [MeV}^{-1}] \times E_\gamma \times QE \approx 2.4 \cdot 10^4$

Variance typically:  $\sigma_{pe} = N_{pe}^{1/2} \approx 160$  and  $\sigma_{pe} / N_{pe} \approx 5 - 8\%$

Signal at PMT anode (assume Gain=  $10^4$ ):  $Q_{sig} = G_{PMT} N_{pe} \approx 2.4 \cdot 10^8 \text{ el}$  and  
 $\sigma_{sig} = G_{PMT} \sigma_{pe} \approx 1.2 \cdot 10^7 \text{ el}$

whereas electronic noise easily  $< 10^4 \text{ el}$

nal Variance << Baseline Variance



⇒ Electronic (baseline) noise critical for resolution

Examples:

- Gaseous ionization chambers (no internal gain)
- Semiconductor detectors

e.g. in Si : Number of electron-hole pairs  $N_{ep} = \frac{E_{dep}}{3.6 \text{ eV}}$

Variance  $\sigma_{ep} = \sqrt{F \cdot N_{ep}}$  (where  $F = \text{Fano factor} \approx 0.1$ )

For 50 keV photons:  $\sigma_{ep} \approx 40 \text{ el} \Rightarrow \sigma_{ep} / N_{ep} = 7.5 \cdot 10^{-4}$

Obtainable noise levels are 10 to 1000 el.

Baseline fluctuations can have many origins ...

- pickup of external interference

- artifacts due to imperfect electronics

- ... etc.,

but the (practical) fundamental limit is electronic noise.

## 1.10 Detection limits and resolution

In addition to signal fluctuations originating in the sensor, the minimum detection limit and energy resolution are subject to fluctuations introduced by the electronics. The gain can be controlled very precisely, but electronic noise introduces baseline fluctuations, which are superimposed on the signal and alter the peak amplitude. Figure 1.24 (left) shows a typical noise waveform. Both the amplitude and time distributions are random.

When superimposed on a signal, the noise alters both the amplitude and time dependence. Figure 1.24 (right) shows the noise waveform superimposed on a small signal. As can be seen, the noise level determines the minimum signal whose presence can be discerned.

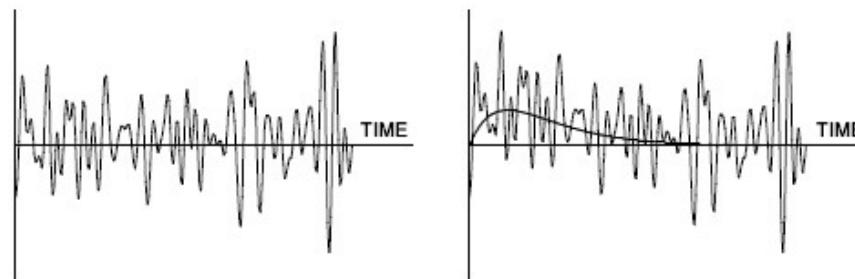
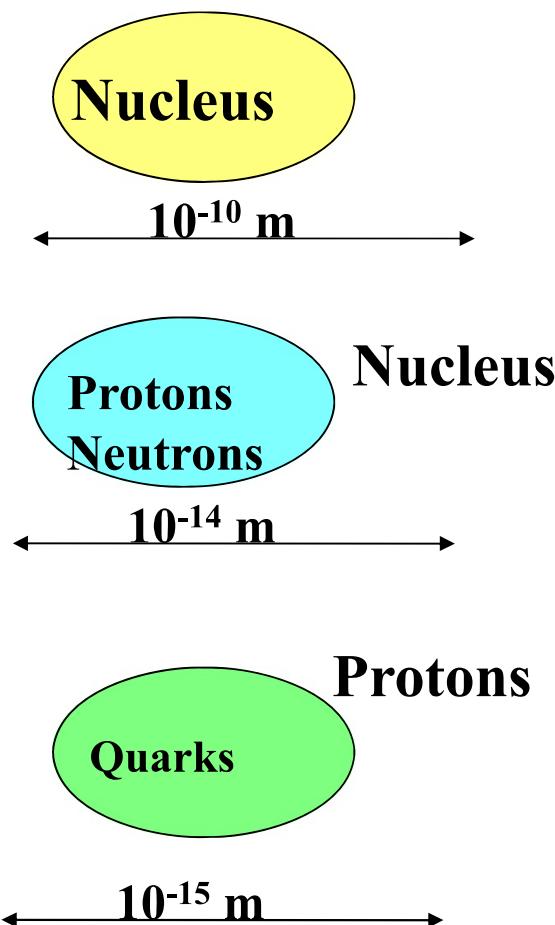


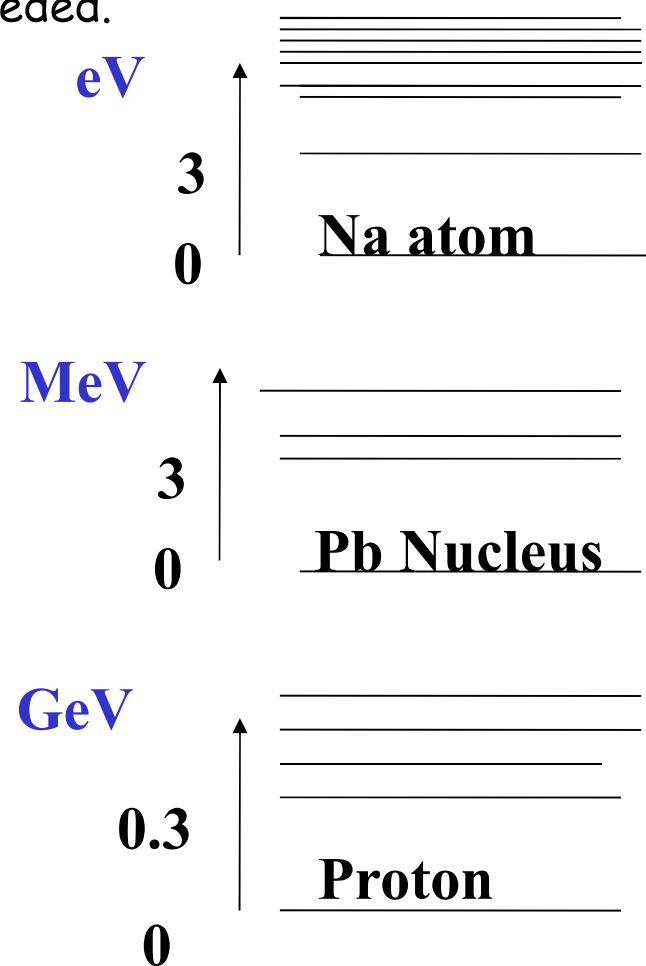
FIG. 1.24. Waveforms of random noise (left) and signal + noise (right), where the peak signal is equal to the rms noise level ( $S/N = 1$ ). The noiseless signal is shown for comparison.

## Spectroscopy:

- Experiments to determine the decay products of excited states and their interaction
- The excitation energies of a system increase as size decrease. To produce these excited states high energy particles are needed.



Absolute energies may vary a lot  
But resolution usually still a critical issue



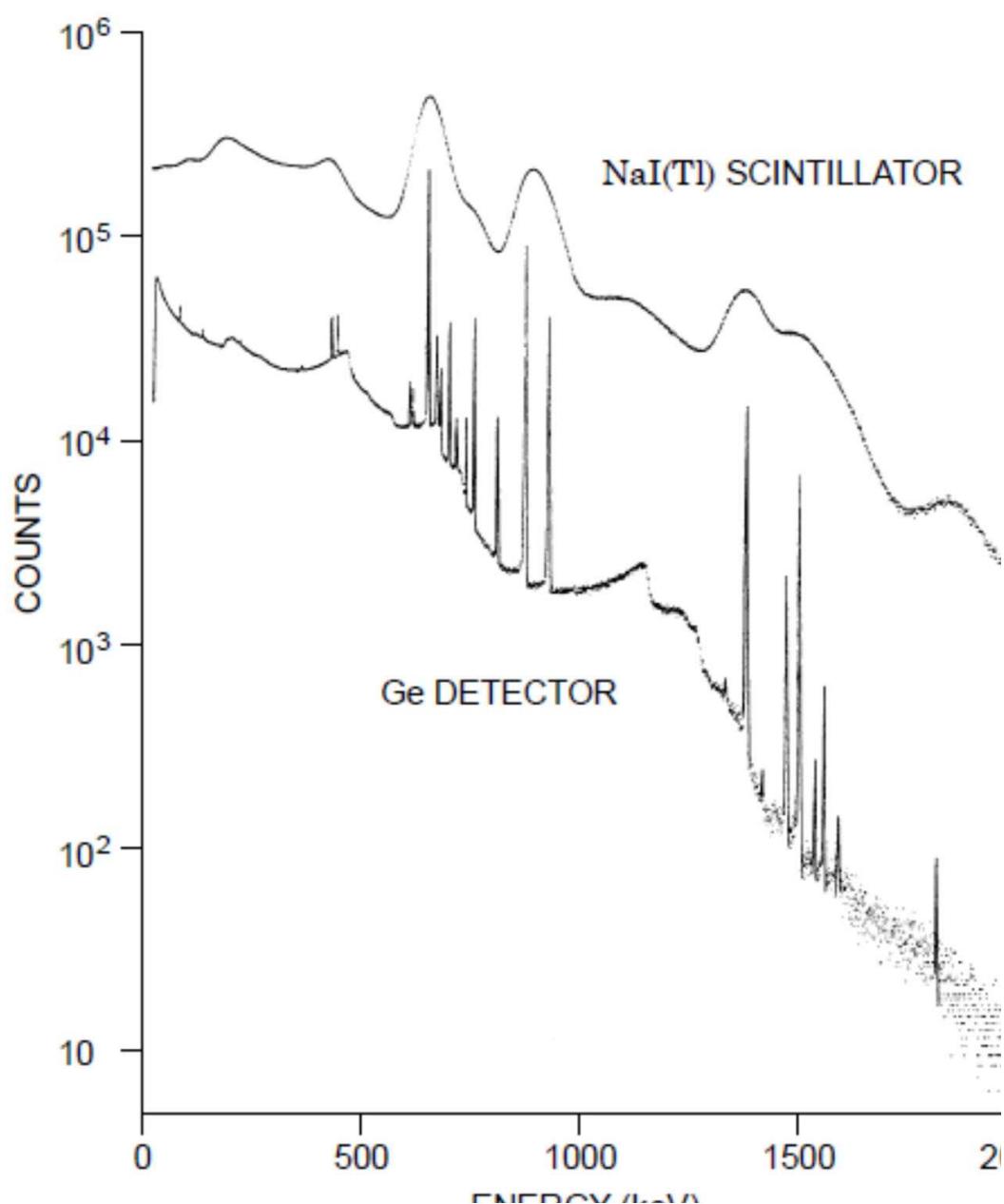
## Resolution and Electronic Noise

Resolution: the ability to distinguish signal levels

Why?

Recognize structure in amplitude spectra

Comparison between NaI(Tl) and Ge detectors

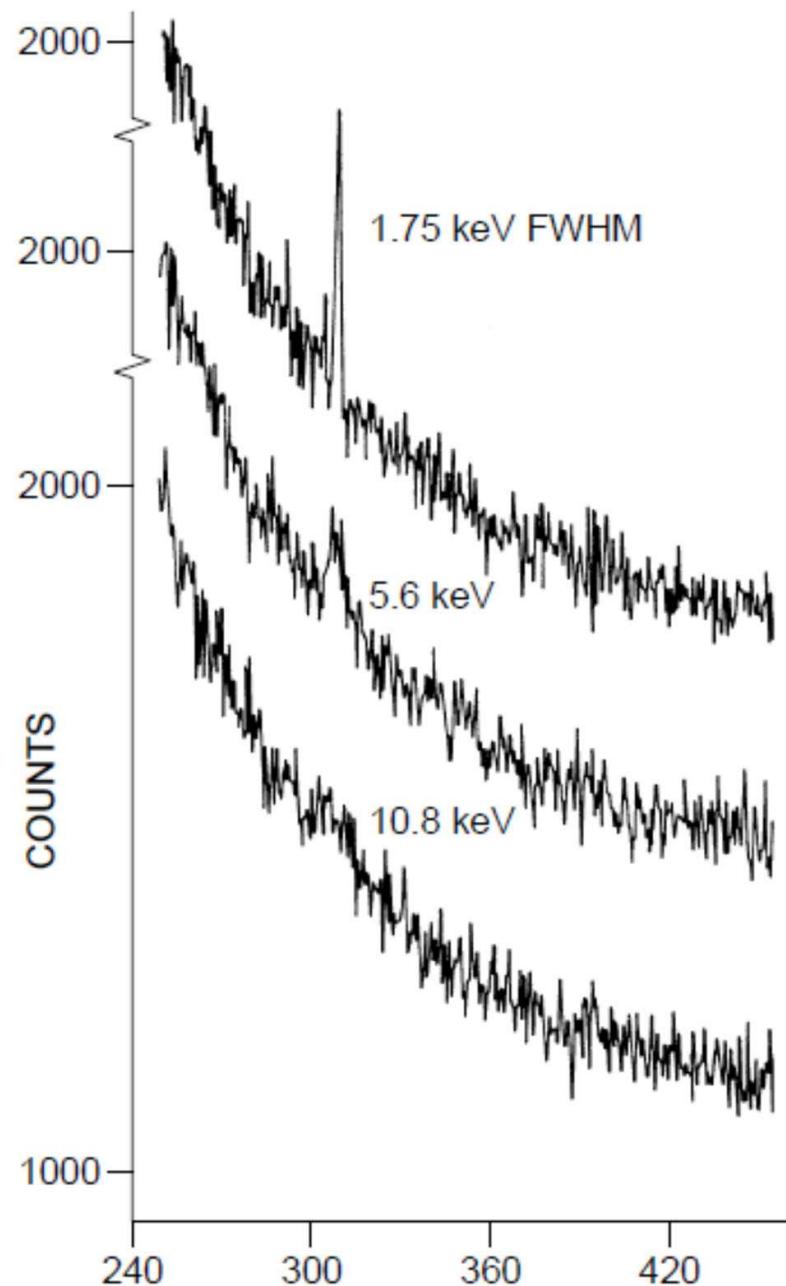


Philippot, IEEE Trans. Nucl. Sci. NS-17/3 (1970)

b) Improve sensitivity

Signal to background ratio improves with better resolution

(signal counts in fewer bins compete with fewer background counts)



li di Frascati of INFN, wh ext year. The experiment, fram, has some special f hypernuclear physics experi will operate at a  $e^+e^-$  collide What follows will describe it

### structure of $\Lambda$ -hypernuc

$\Lambda$ -hypernucleus  ${}^A_Z\Lambda$  is a brons and a  $\Lambda$  hyperon. Tade by the  $(A-1)$  nucleons: ne nucleus  ${}^{(A-1)}Z$  and the / he  $\Lambda$  hyperon, carrying th istinguishable baryon an imposed by the Pauli princim states already filled up v hyperon, embedded in a explore nuclear structure.

The binding energy  $B_\Lambda$  of its ground state is defined

$$B_\Lambda = M$$

here  $M_{\text{core}}$  is the mass (in i e mass of the  $\Lambda$  particle an  $Z$ , experimentally measur ope of about 1 MeV/(unit r the heavy hypernuclei. Th which the  $\Lambda$  particle is con ual to the nuclear radius an the 55 MeV typical value c This is consistent with a  $\Lambda$ - nucleon-nucleon one. Indee teraction, the zero isospin

vecto mesons like the  $\pi$  or the  $p$  with a nucleon and determines the lack of strong tensor components in the interaction. The relative weakness of the  $\Lambda$ -nucleon interaction entails that the ell structure is not disrupted by the insertion of the  $\Lambda$  in the nucleus and the lack of Pauli effects allows all the nuclear single article states to be populated by the  $\Lambda$ . In Figure 2, the so called "egrè table" of the hypernuclei shows the 35 hypernuclei known present.

Experiments of hypernucleus production by "strangeness change" and "associated production" processes can produce pernuclei in which the  $\Lambda$  populates different single particle tes. The latter technique is particularly suitable for populating "lying  $\Lambda$  states, thanks to the high recoil momentum trans red to the  $\Lambda$  particle in the reaction.

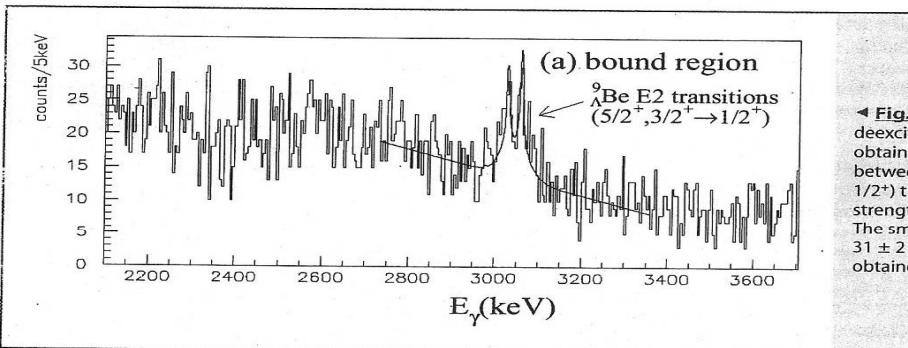
A beautiful representation of this process is given in Figure 3, here the excitation spectrum of  ${}^{89}\Lambda Y$ , obtained by the "associated induction" reaction  ${}^{89}Y(\pi^+, K^+) {}^{89}\Lambda Y$  at the KEK laboratory in han, is shown. The spectrum demonstrates how, starting from neutron in the  $g_{9/2}$  state, it is possible to accommodate a  $\Lambda$  particle the hypernuclear states  $f, d, p$  and even in the ground state  $s$ . These measurements constitute the spectacular confirmation, a textbook level, of the validity of the independent particle del or shell model of the nucleus. In non-strange nuclei, the servation of single particle states is only possible for the states the most external nucleon orbits. In fact, due to the Pauli principle and pairing interactions, deeply bound nucleon single particle states are so fragmented as to be essentially unobservable. e present experimental data on hypernuclear binding energies detailed spectroscopic features are limited in quantity and

tion of the  $YN$  interaction.

Figure 4 reports a recent measurement of the splitting of the  $5/2^+$ - $3/2^+$  doublet in  ${}^9Be$  by the BNL-AGS E930 experiment [4], measuring  $\gamma$  rays emitted in the nuclear transitions with the new germanium detector array Hyperball. This new technique allowed the energy resolution on low lying hypernuclear levels to be improved from a few MeV to a few keV, even if the count rate resulting is still quite low,  $\sim 200 \text{ } \gamma/\text{s}$  per month of data taking. The spacing of the two levels was measured to be  $31 \pm 2 \text{ keV}$ , incompatible with the prediction of the meson exchange models.

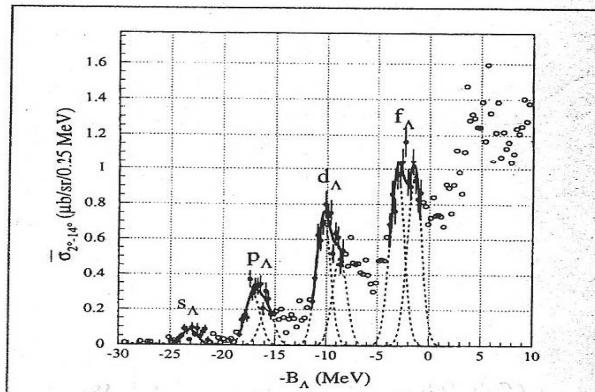
state nucleon in all but the mesonic decay modes of  $t$  through the weak interac ( $\Lambda + n \rightarrow n + n + 176 \text{ MeV}$ ) process is possible only in hyp of  $\Lambda$ 's, stable against the mes which is available inside a hy

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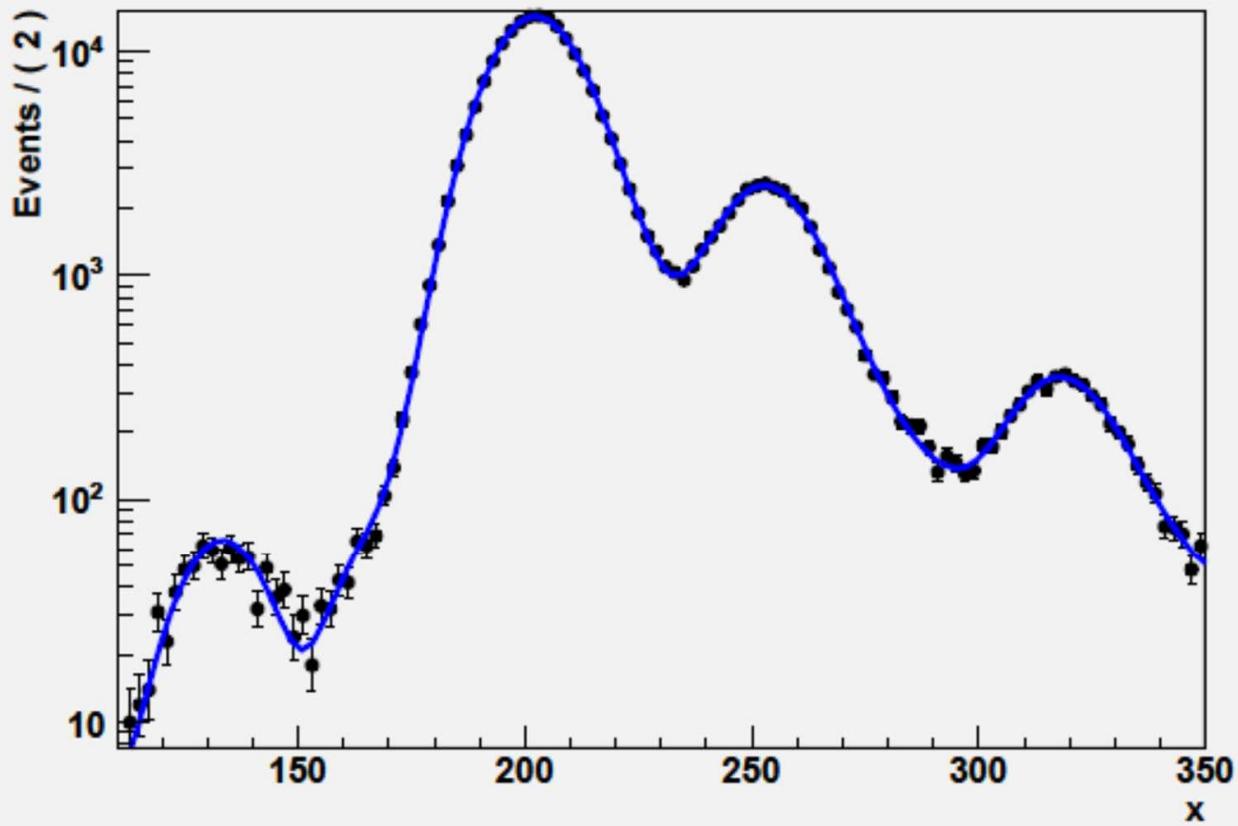
An improvement of the  $YN$  interaction models would need precise data on the free  $YN$  interaction, which are very difficult to



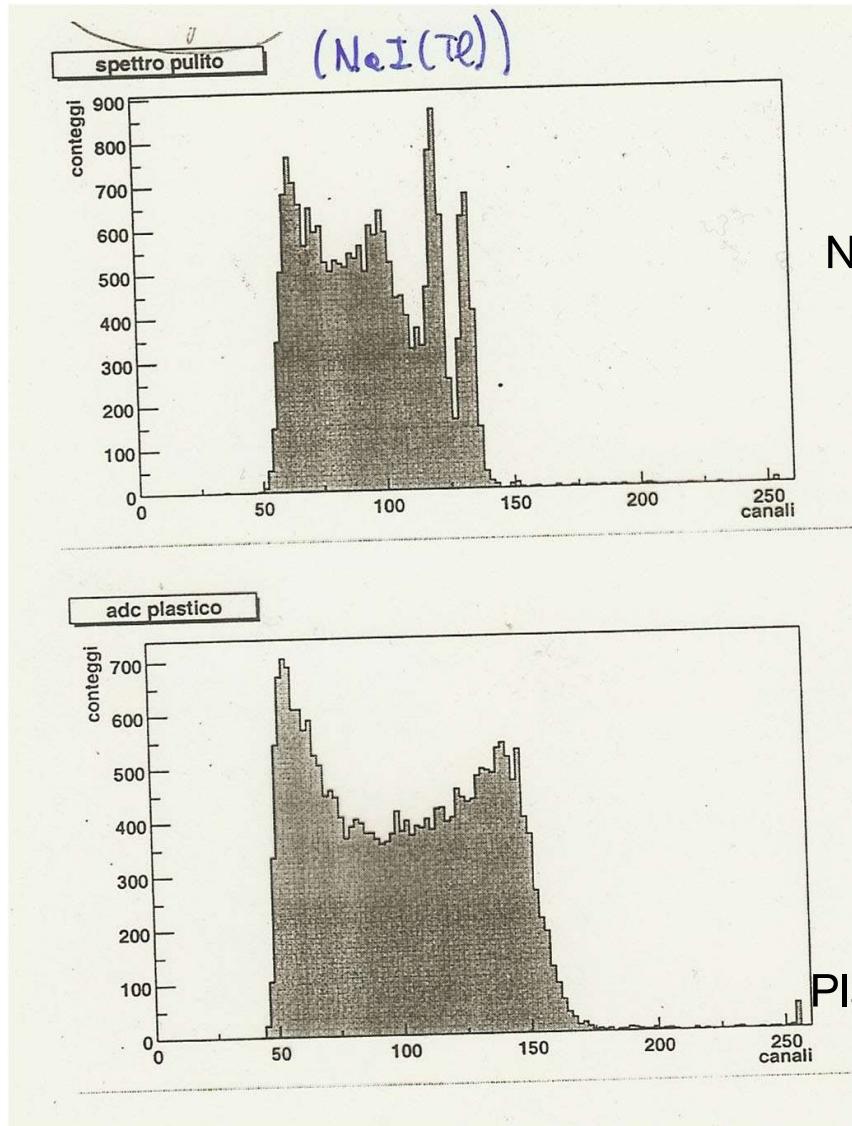
▲ Fig. 3: Hypernuclear mass spectrum of  ${}^{89}\Lambda Y$  obtained at KEK by the E369 experiment, with an energy resolution of 1.65 MeV. The bump structures correspond to the  $\Lambda$  major shells orbits ( $s, p, d, f$ ). The widths of the bumps for the  $p$ -,  $d$ - and  $f$ -orbits are significantly wider than the experimental resolution and the peak for the  $f_\Lambda$ -orbit is split into two peaks.

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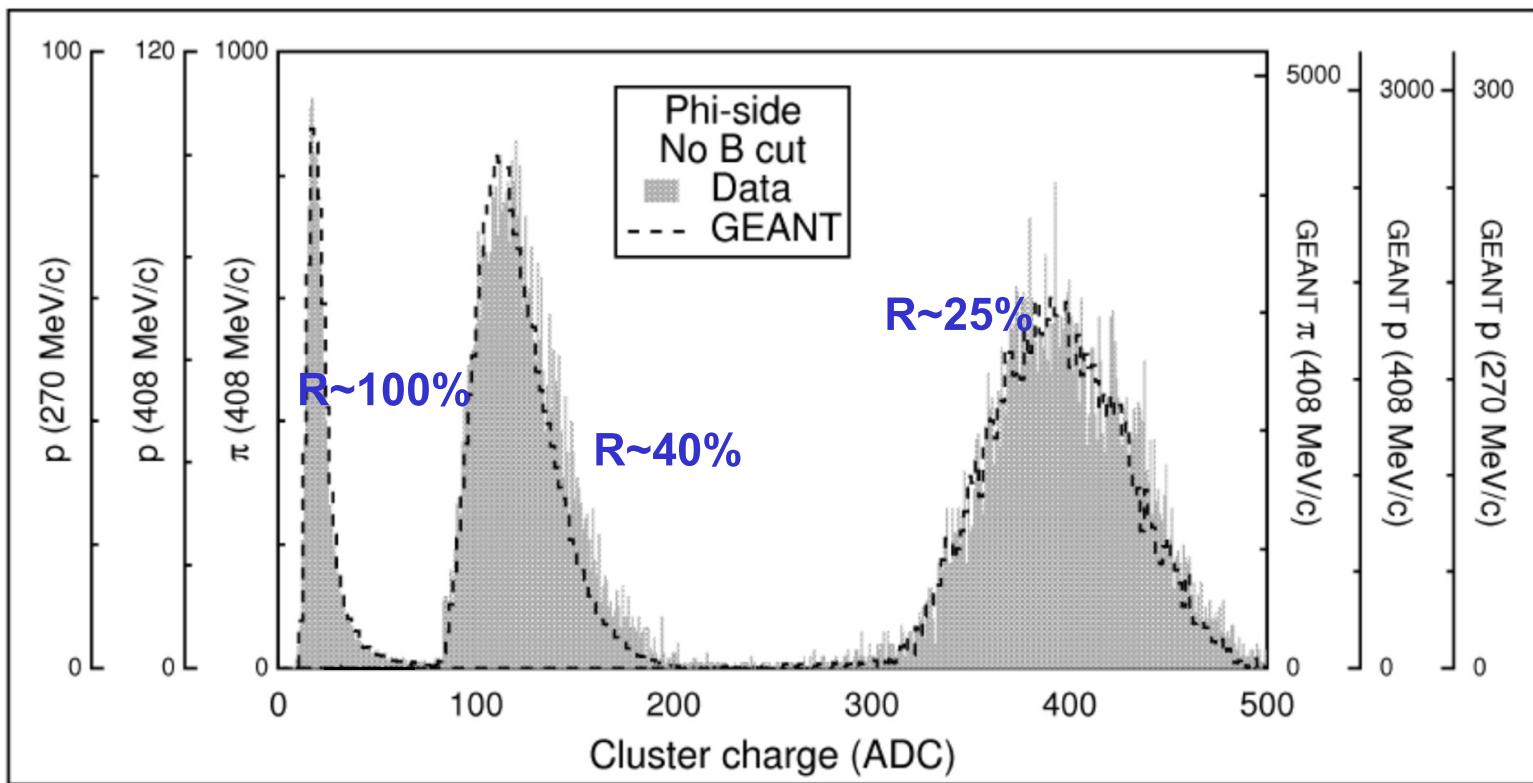
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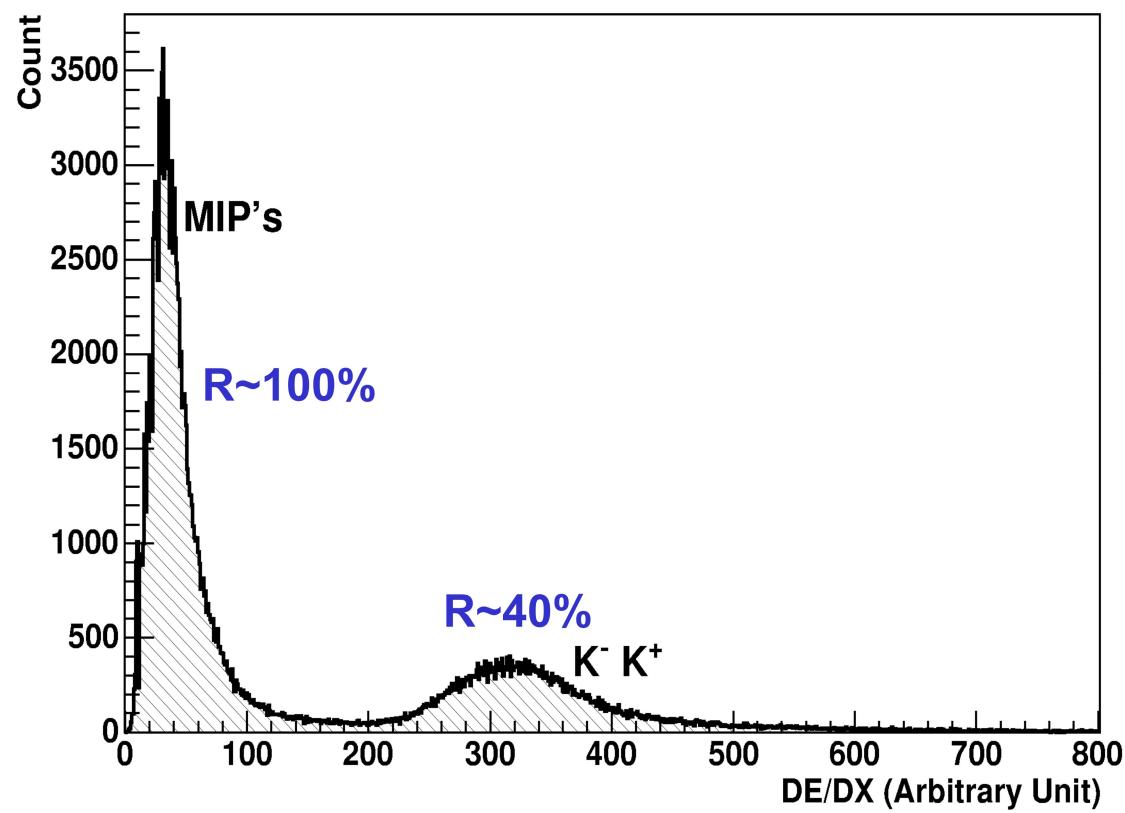


## Response function

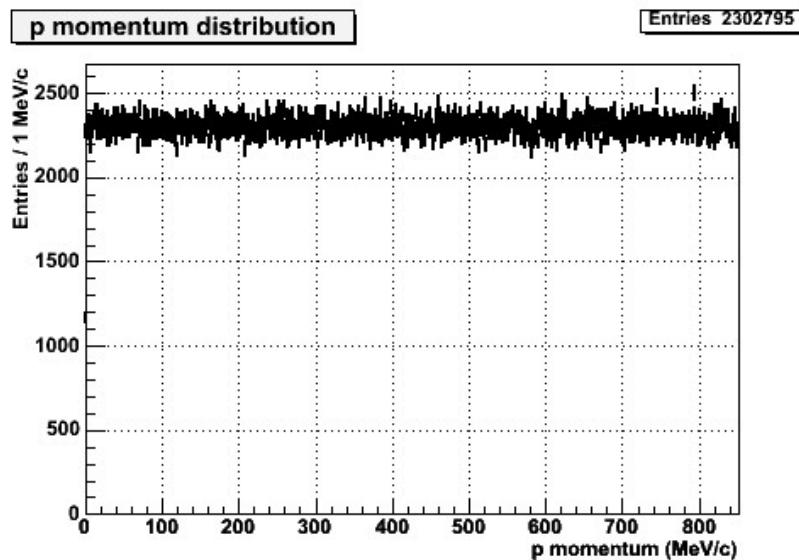


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Sources...

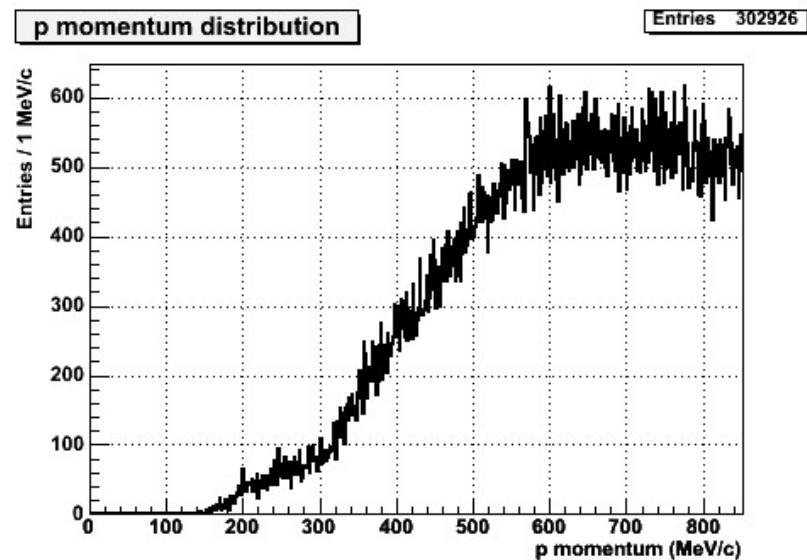




## Acceptance effect on proton momentum distribution

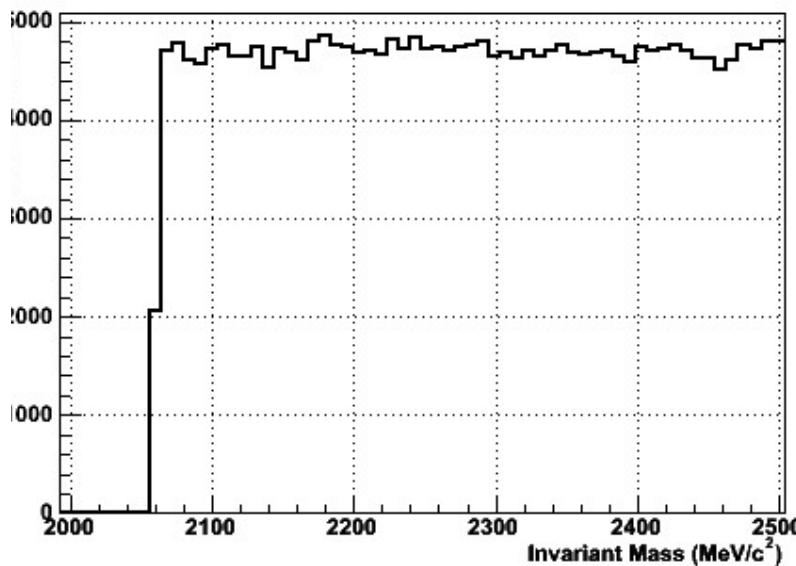


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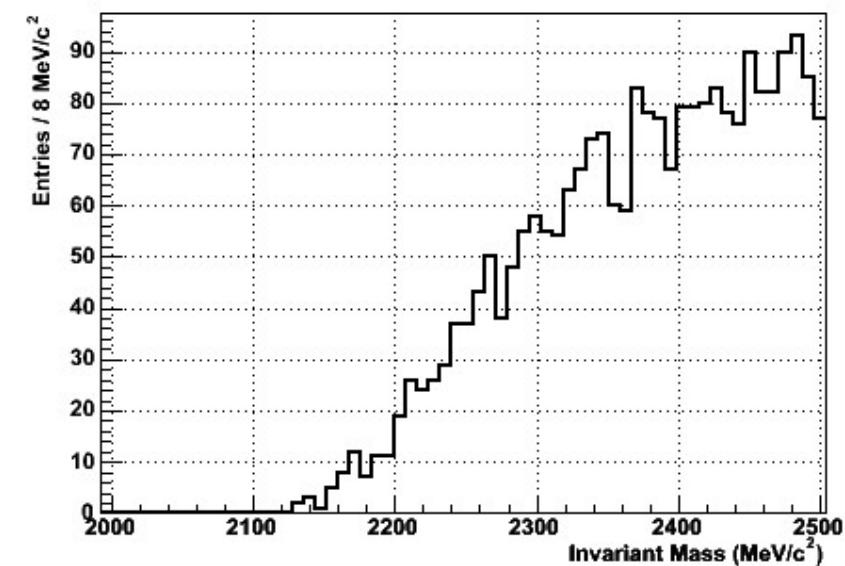


Reconstructed distribution

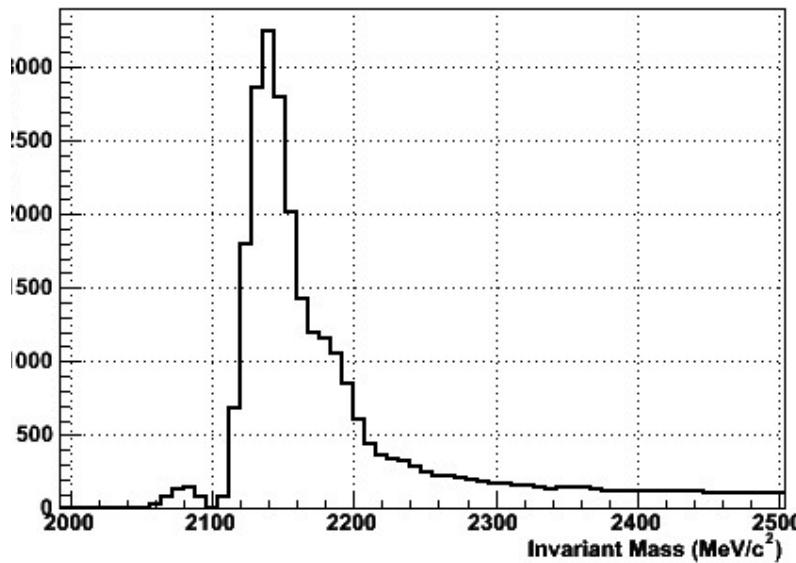
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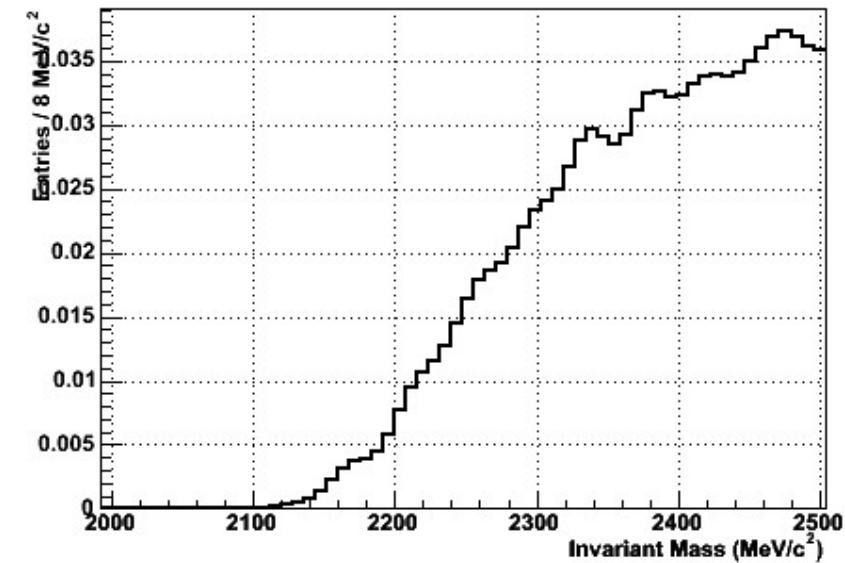
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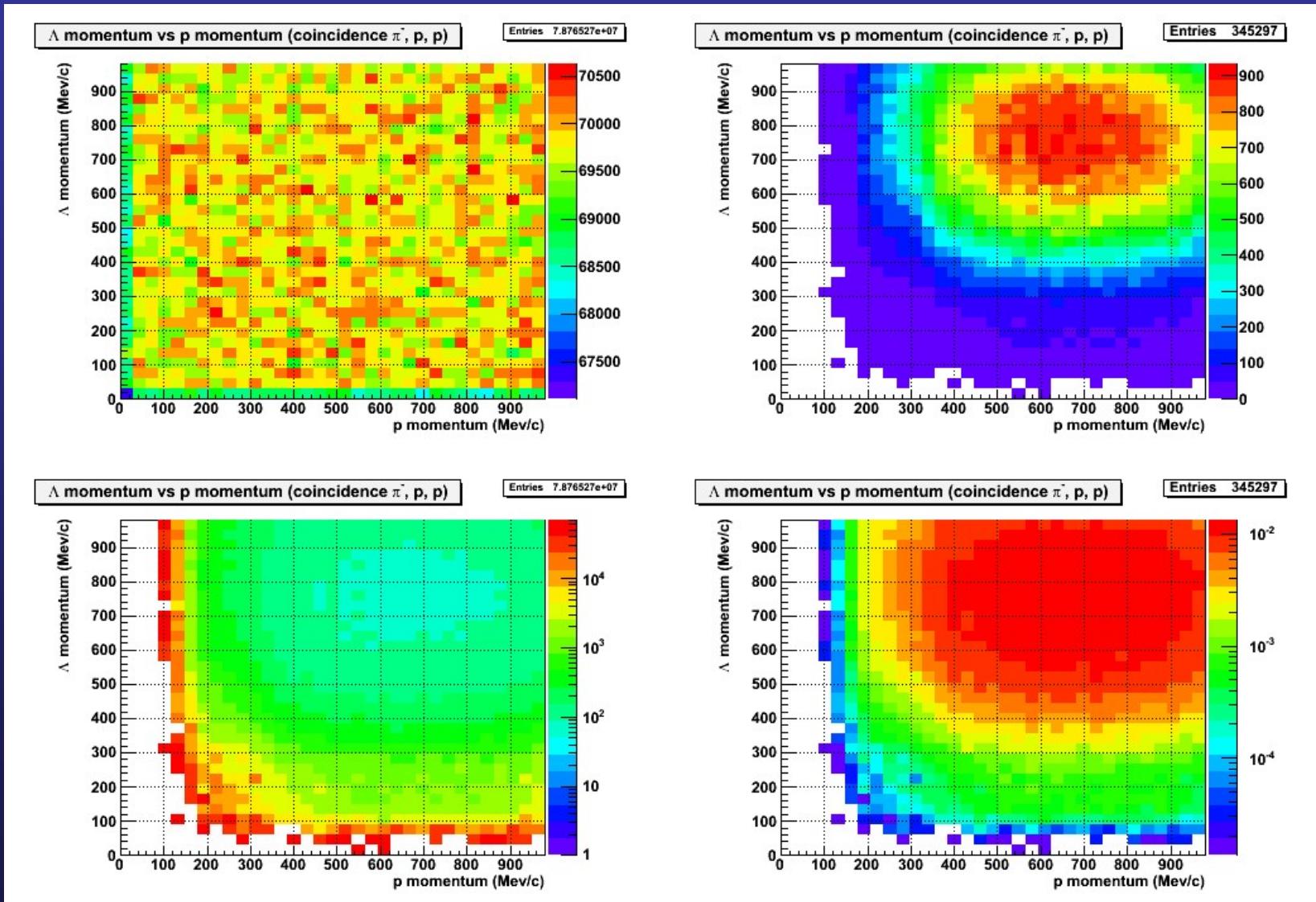
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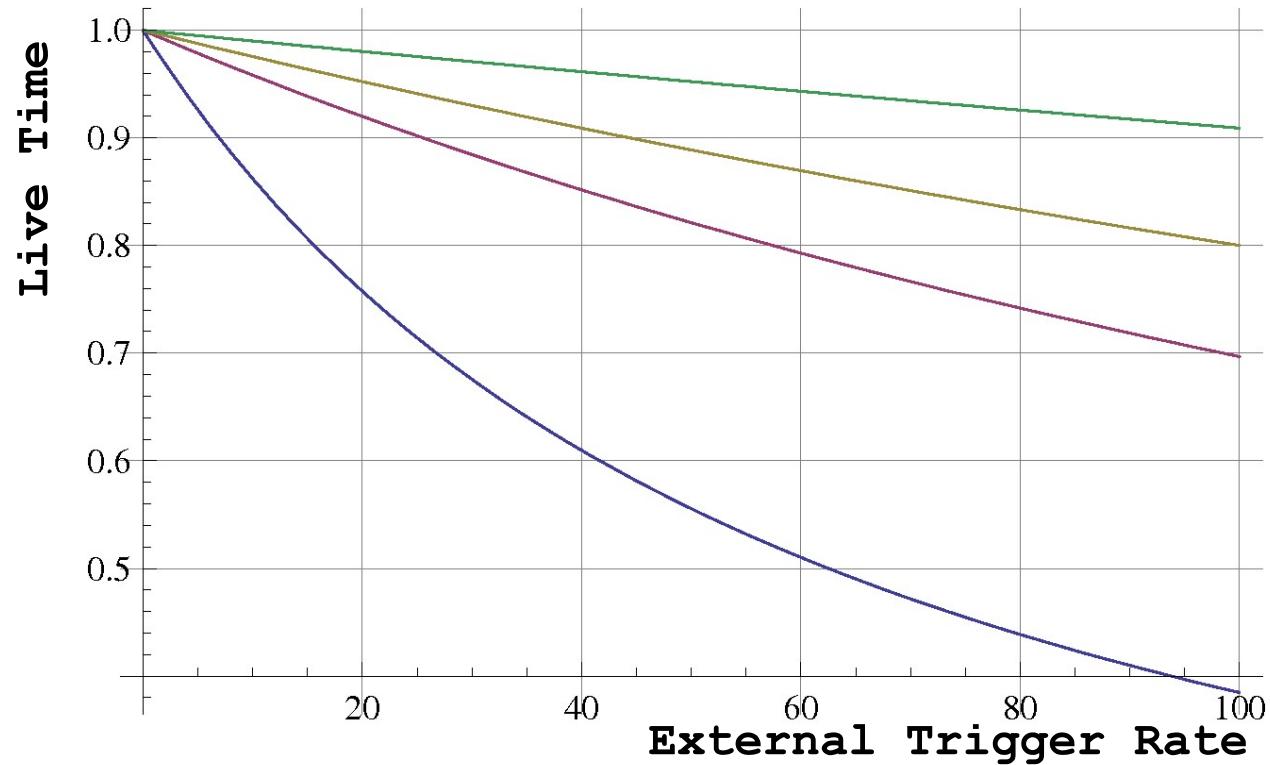
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# $\Lambda p$ acceptance



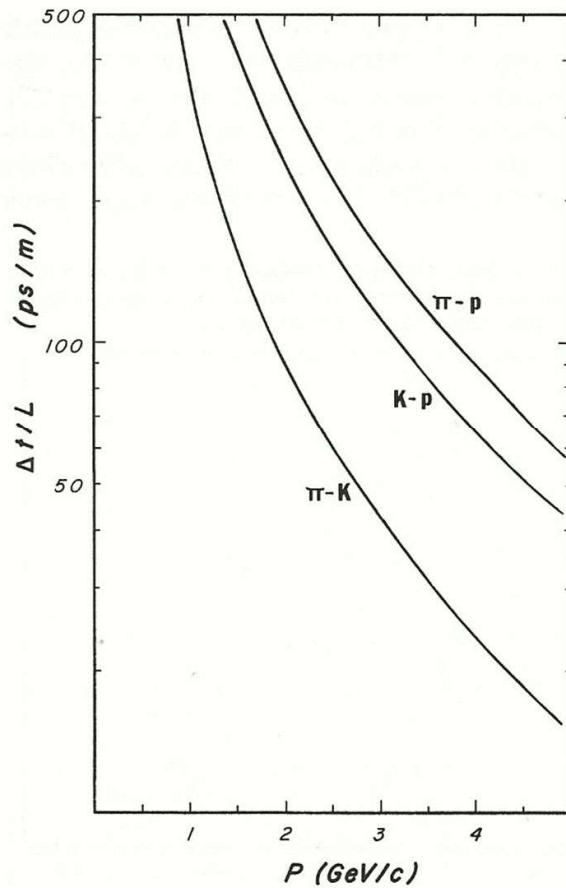
## Dead time measurements



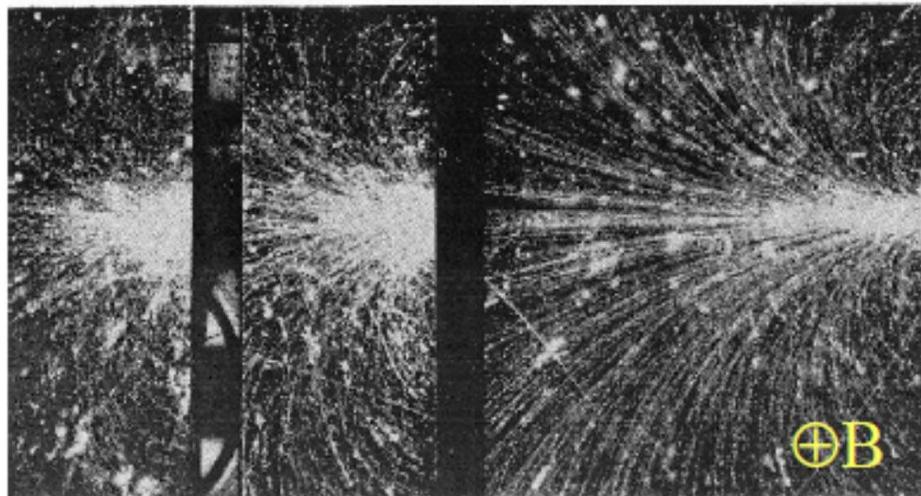
$$\text{Live time} = 1 - T_{\text{dead}}/T$$

## TOF difference needed to mass discriminate particles

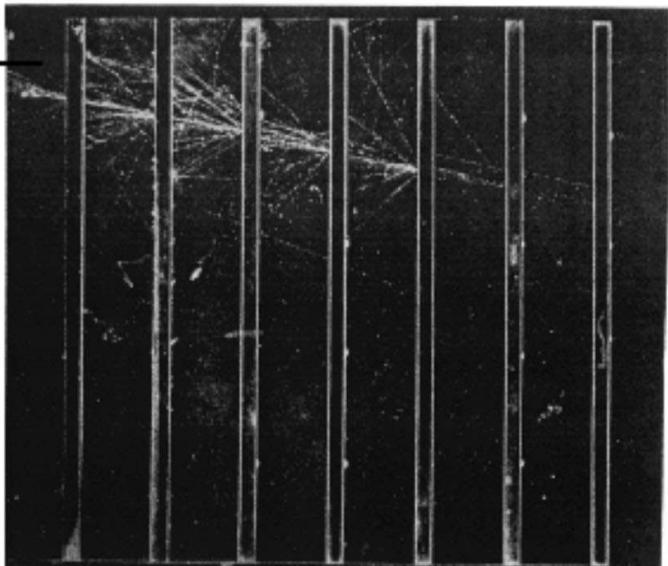
Figure 7.13 The time difference per unit flight path for  $\pi K$ ,  $K p$ , and  $\pi p$  as a function of momentum.



## How a shower looks like

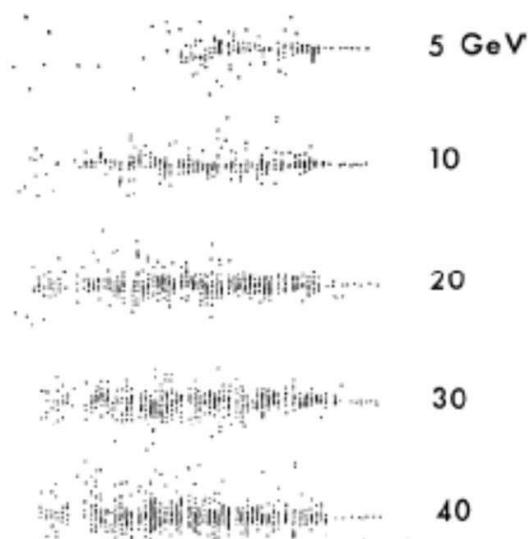


Electron shower in lead. 7500 gauss in cloud chamber. CALTECH

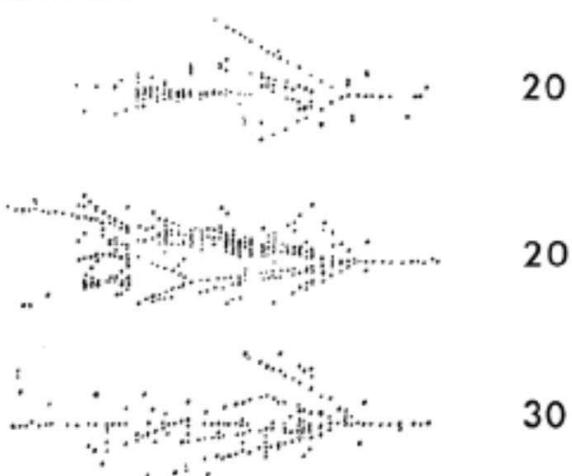


Electron shower in lead. Cloud chamber. W.B. Fetter, UCLA

### Electron showers

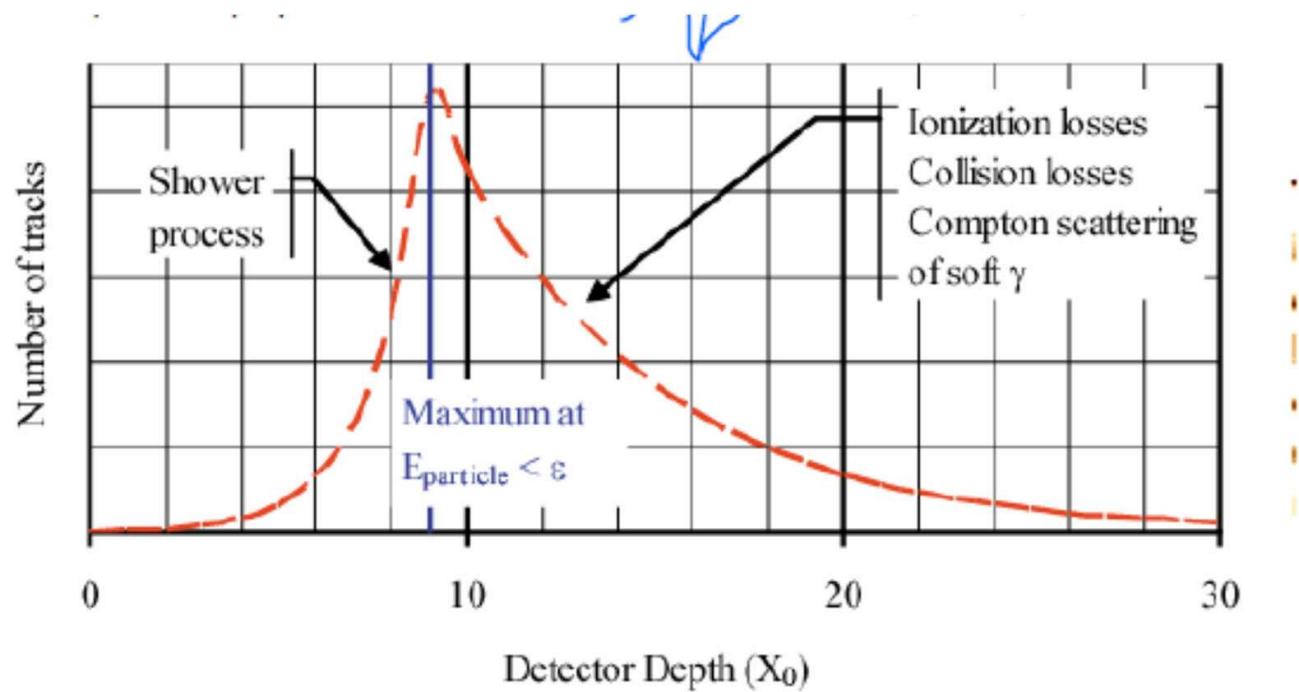


### Hadron showers

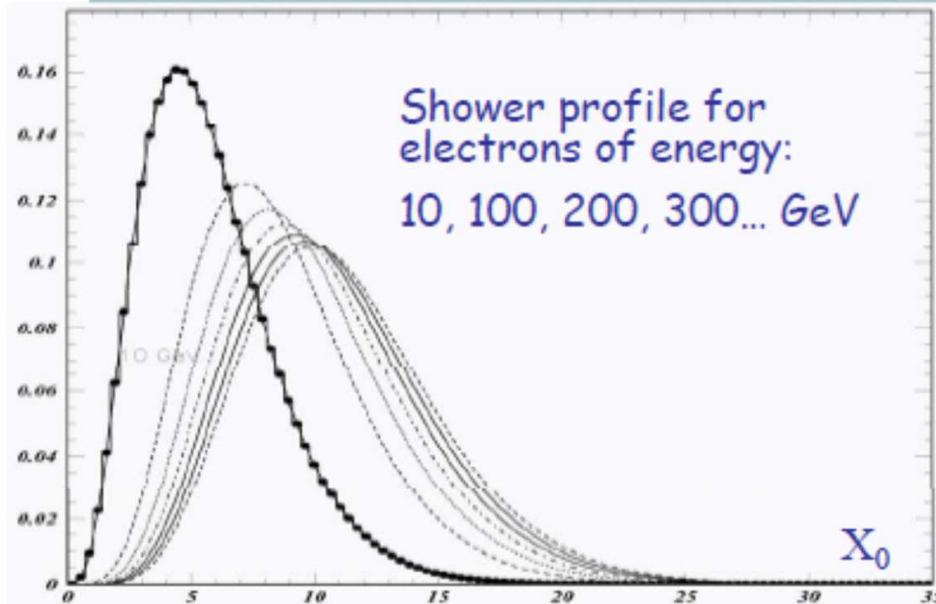


F.E. Taylor et al., IEEE NS 27(1980)30

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# EM showers: longitudinal profile



$$t_{\max} = 1.4 \ln(E_0/E_c)$$

$$N_{\text{tot}} \propto E_0/E_c$$

Longitudinal containment:

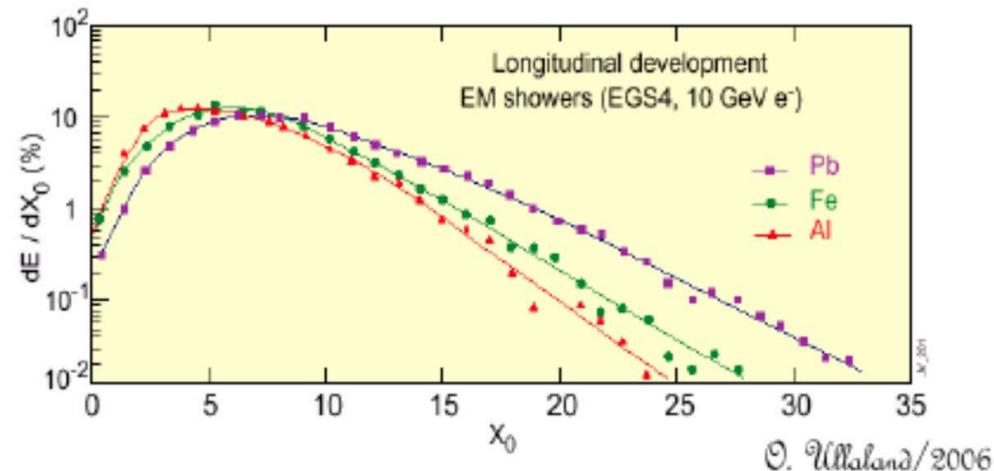
$$t_{95\%} = t_{\max} + 0.08Z + 9.6$$

$E_c \propto 1/Z$   $\rightarrow$

- shower max
- shower tail

Shower parametrization

$$\frac{dE}{dt} \propto t^\alpha e^{\beta t}$$



From M. Diemoz, Torino 3-02-05

# EM showers: transverse profile

## Transverse shower profile

- Multiple scattering make electrons move away from shower axis
- Photons with energies in the region of minimal absorption can travel far away from shower axis

Molière radius sets transverse shower size, it gives the average lateral deflection of critical energy electrons after traversing  $1X_0$

$$R_M = \frac{21\text{MeV}}{E_C} X_0$$

$$R_M \propto \frac{X_0}{E_C} \propto \frac{A}{Z} (Z \gg 1)$$

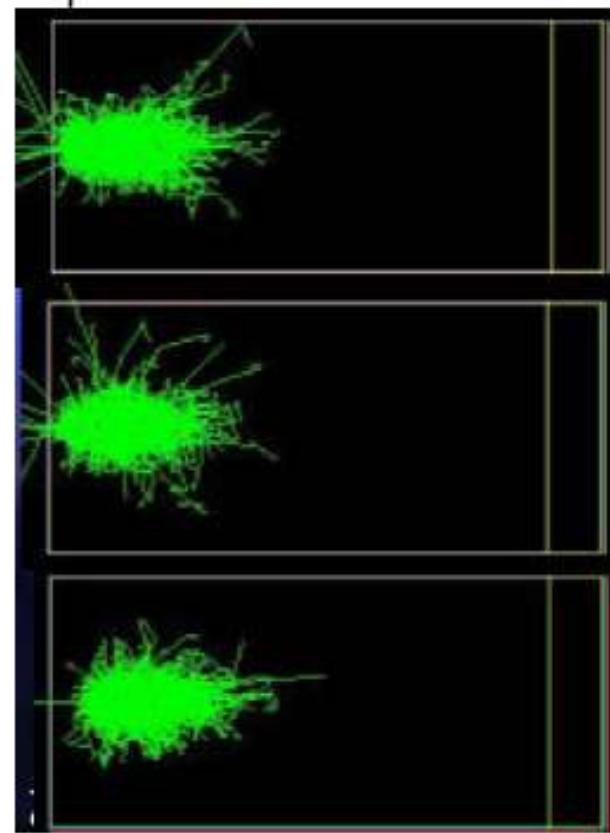
75%  $E_0$  within  $1R_M$ , 95% within  $2R_M$ , 99% within  $3.5R_M$

20 GeV  $\gamma$  in copper (simulation)

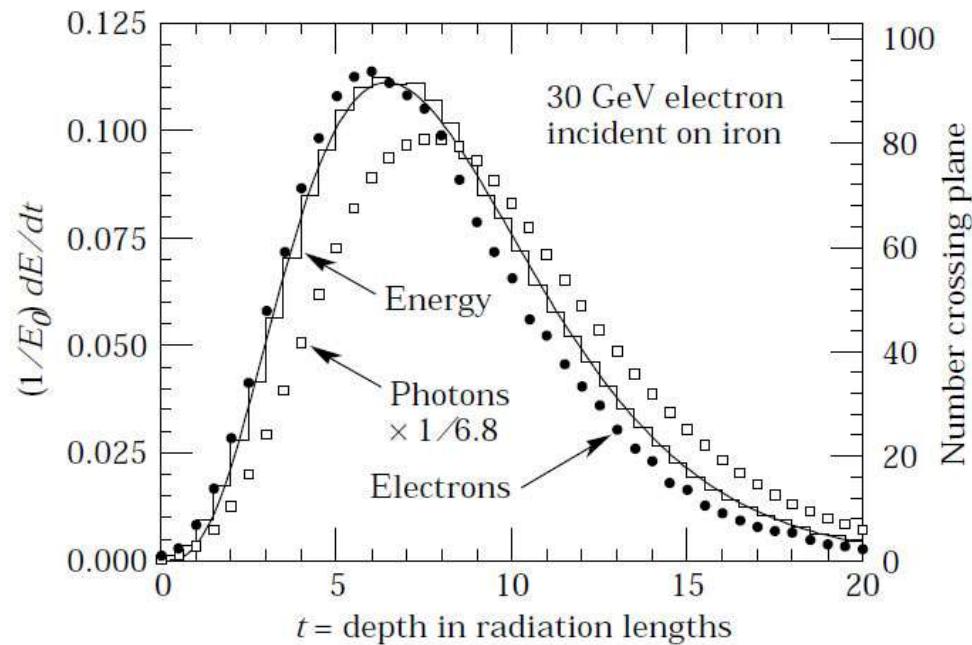
charged particles only



all particles



## Electromagnetic calorimeters.



**Figure 27.18:** An EGS4 simulation of a 30 GeV electron-induced cascade in iron. The histogram shows fractional energy deposition per radiation length, and the curve is a gamma-function fit to the distribution. Circles indicate the number of electrons with total energy greater than 1.5 MeV crossing planes at  $X_0/2$  intervals (scale on right) and the squares the number of photons with  $E \geq 1.5$  MeV crossing the planes (scaled down to have same area as the electron distribution).





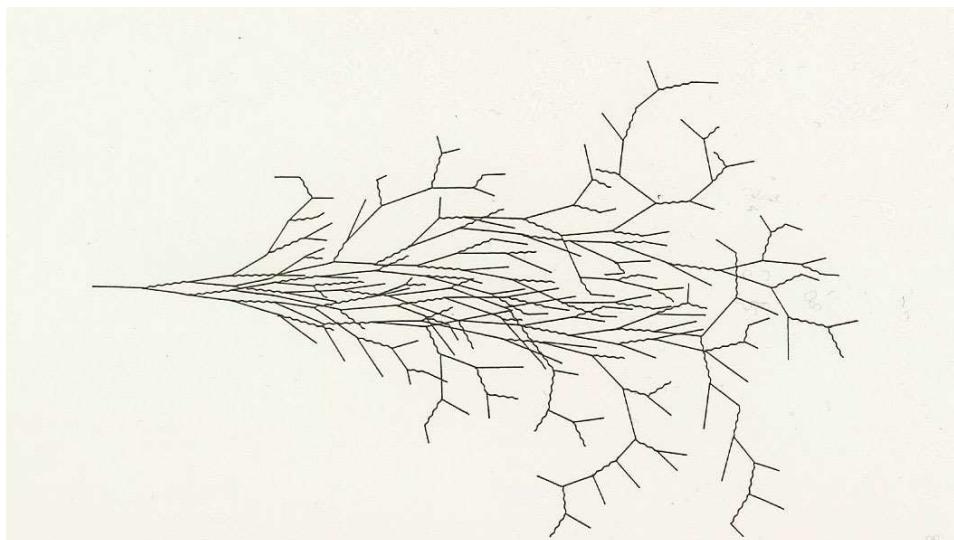
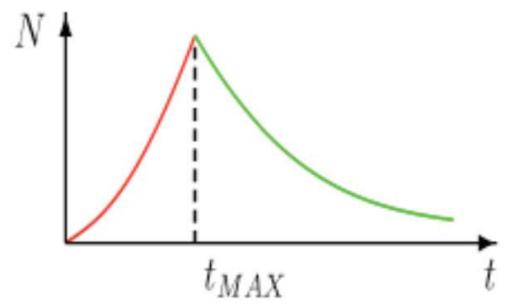
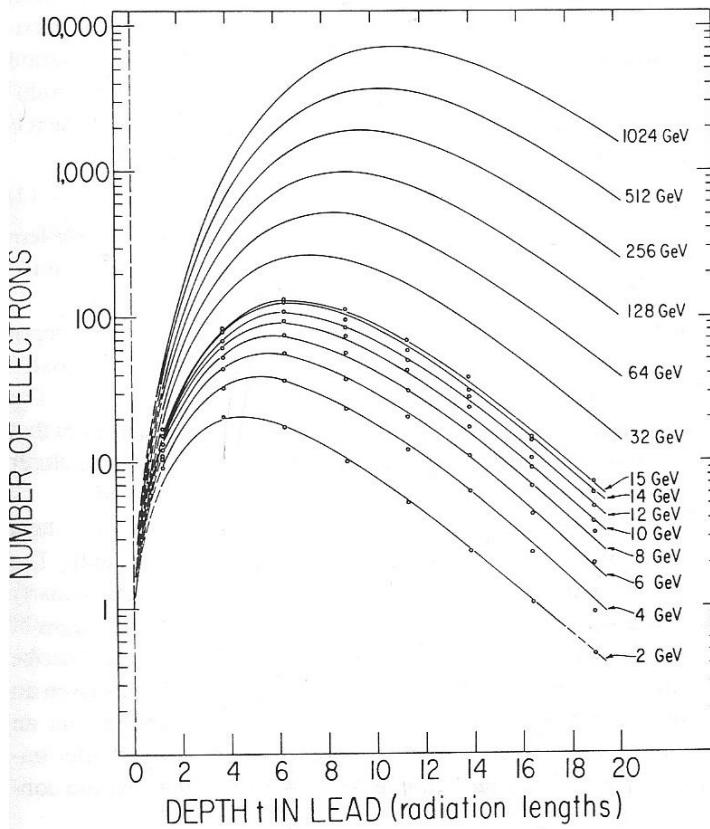


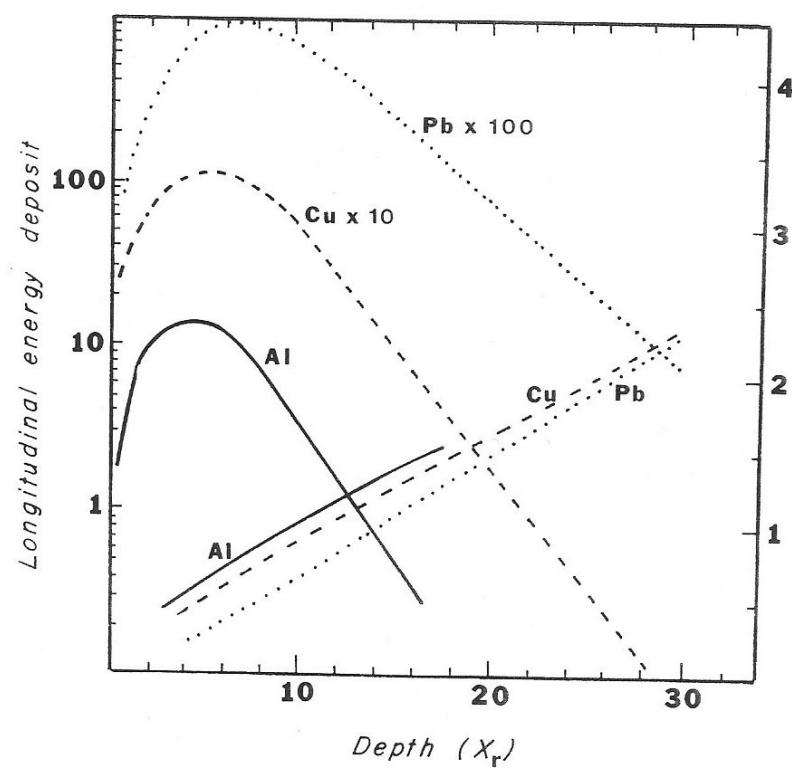
Fig. 7.20. Schematic representation of an electromagnetic cascade. The wavy lines are photons and the solid lines electrons or positrons.



**Figure 11.2** Shower profiles in lead. The number of electrons should be multiplied by a normalization factor of 0.79. (D. Müller, Phys. Rev. D 5: 2677, 1972.)



**Figure 11.3** Longitudinal development of electromagnetic showers in different materials. Right scale shows radii for 90% shower containment (C. Fabjan and T. Ludlam, adapted with permission from the Annual Review of Nuclear and Particle Science, Vol. 32, © 1982 by Annual Reviews, Inc.)



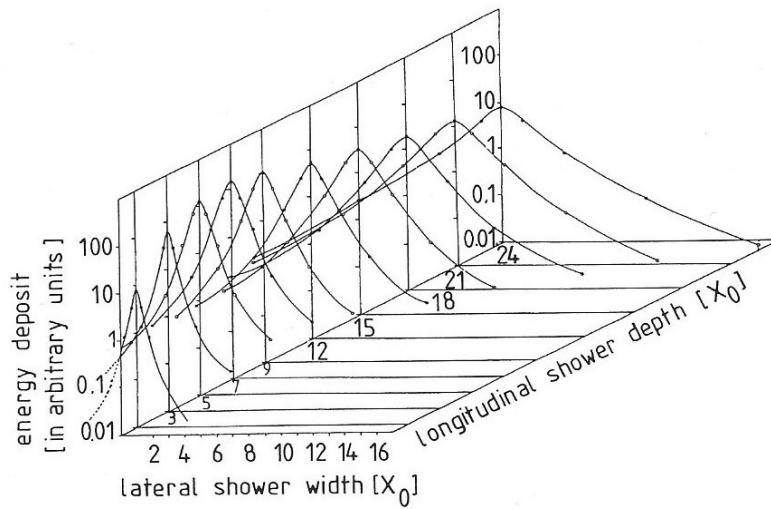
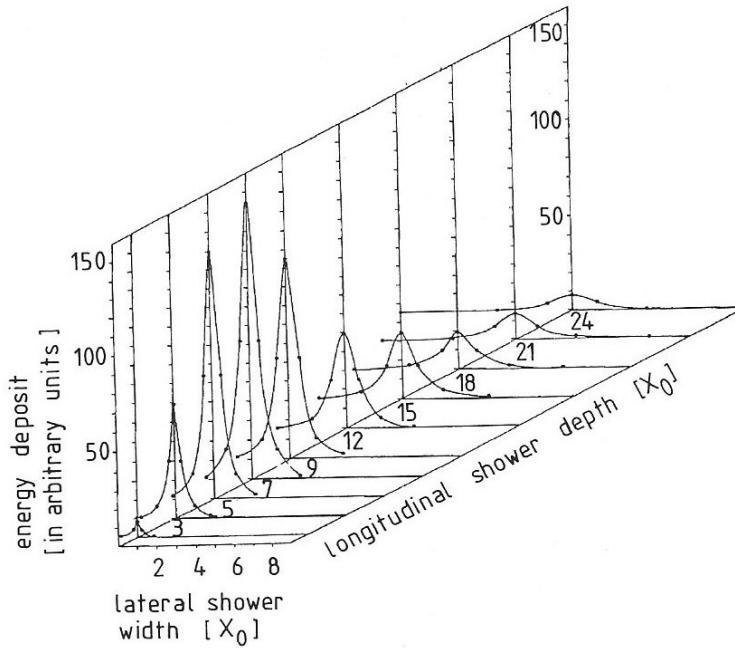


Fig. 7.23. Longitudinal and lateral development of an electron shower (6 GeV) in lead shown with linear and logarithmic scales (based on [504, 505]).

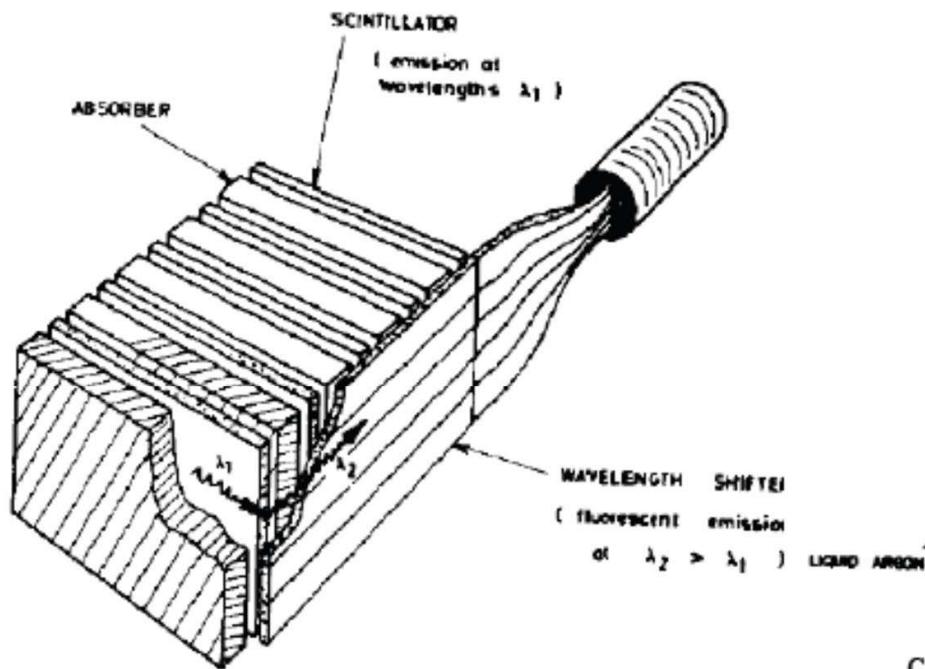


## Electromagnetic calorimeters

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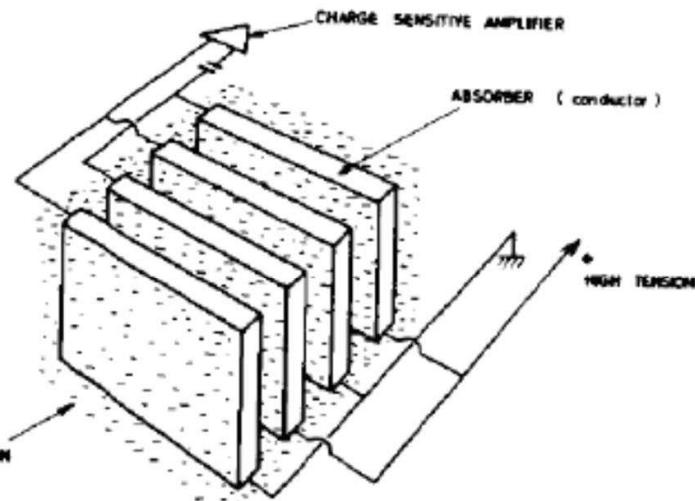
### ■ Basic readout types for sampling calorimeters

#### □ Metal-scintillator sandwich structure



C. Fabjan and T. Ludlam, 1987

#### □ Metal-liquid argon ionization chamber

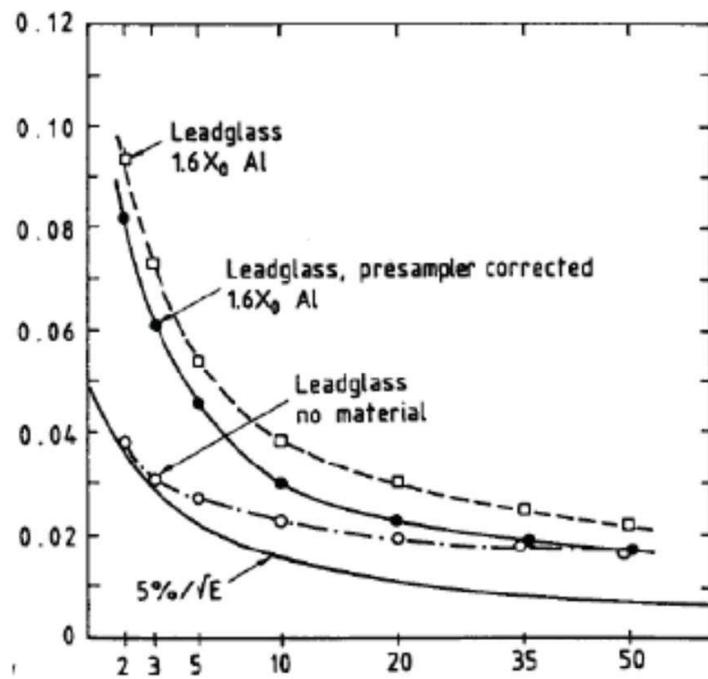


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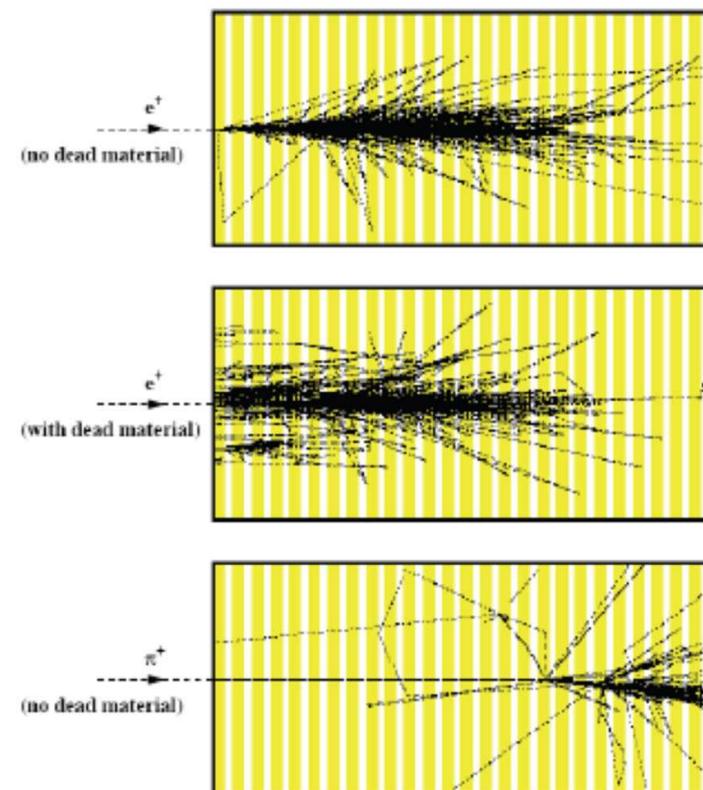


## ■ Energy resolution: Limitations

### □ Dead material effects



OPAL collaboration, C. Beard et al. NIM A 286 (1990) 117.



Shower simulation

## EM calorimeters used for mass discrimination

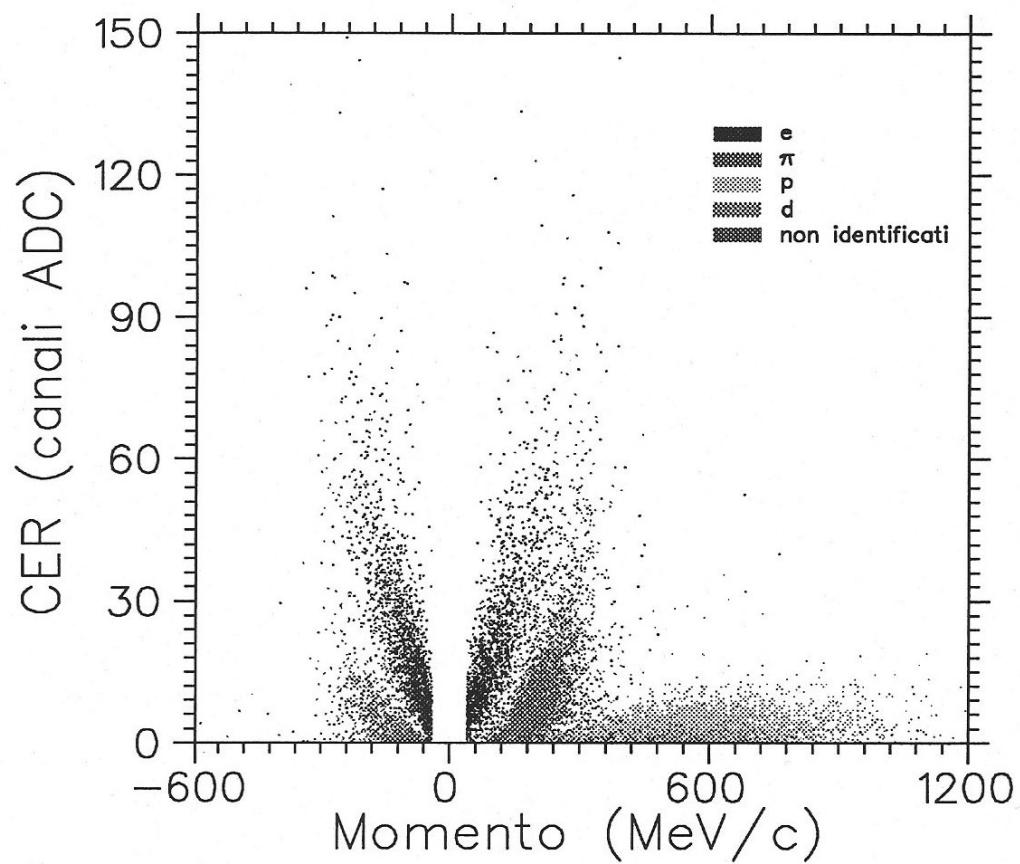


Figura 6.16: Distribuzione dei punti rappresentativi sullo scatterplot (*CER* vs *momento*) delle particelle cariche rivelate dallo spettrometro CHAOS, ottenuta dopo la procedura di identificazione. Nel grafico sono mostrate le particelle con tutti i gradi di identificazione (PID).



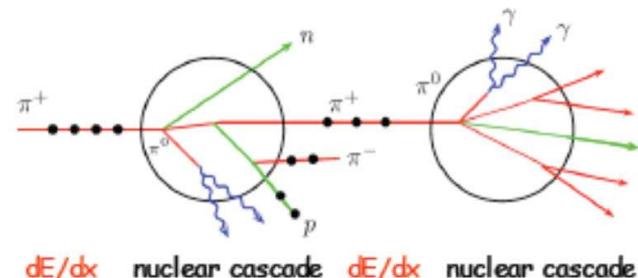
## Hadronic showers

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### ■ Hadronic shower development

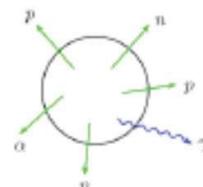
- General comment: Complexity of hadronic and nuclear processes produce multitude of effects that determine the functioning and performance of hadron calorimeters
  - Many channels compete in the development of hadronic showers
  - Larger variations in the deposited and visible energy
  - More complicated to optimize
- Sizeable electromagnetic (e) besides hadronic (h) shower contribution mainly from  $\pi^0$  decay (1/3 of pions)
- Invisible energy due to delayed emitted photons in nuclear reactions, soft neutrons and binding energy
- Visible energy smaller for hadronic (h) than for electromagnetic (e) showers: Ratio of response  $e/h > 1$
- Larger intrinsic fluctuations for hadronic than electromagnetic showers
- Improvements: Increase visible energy to get  $e/h=1$ : Compensation (Compensation for the loss of invisible energy)!
- Discussed instr. effects for e showers also hold for h showers

**Step 1:** Production of energetic hadrons with a mean free path given by the nuclear interaction length:

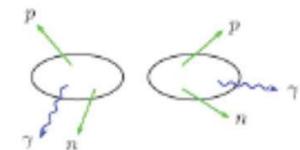


**Step 2:** Hadronic collisions with material nuclei (significant part of the primary part of primary energy is consumed in nuclear processes):

Evaporation



Evaporation followed by evaporation



## Processes contributing to the energy deposition in hadronic cal.

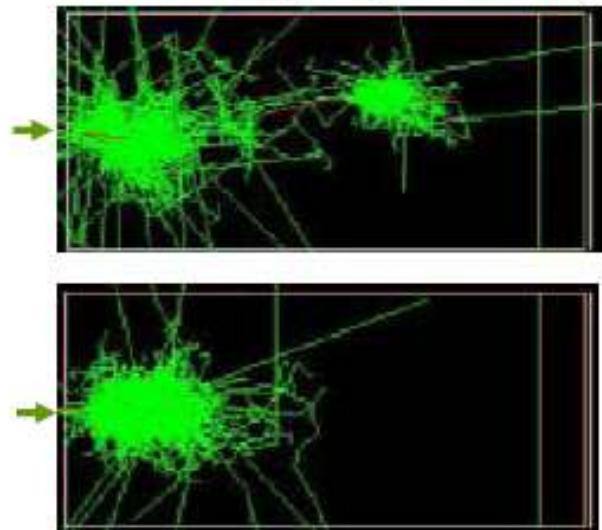
Table 11.2. Average fractional energy deposition for a 10-GeV proton in an iron/liquid argon calorimeter

Process	Percent of total
Secondary proton ionization	31.6
Electromagnetic cascade ( $\pi^0$ )	21.0
Nuclear binding energy plus neutrino energy	20.6
Secondary $\pi^\pm$ ionization	8.2
Neutrons with $E > 10$ MeV	4.9
Neutrons with $E < 10$ MeV	3.9
Residual nuclear excitation energy	3.7
$Z > 1$ ionization	2.4
Primary proton ionization	2.3
Other	1.4

Source: T. Gabriel and W. Schmidt, Oak Ridge National Laboratory report, ORNL/TM-5105, 1975.

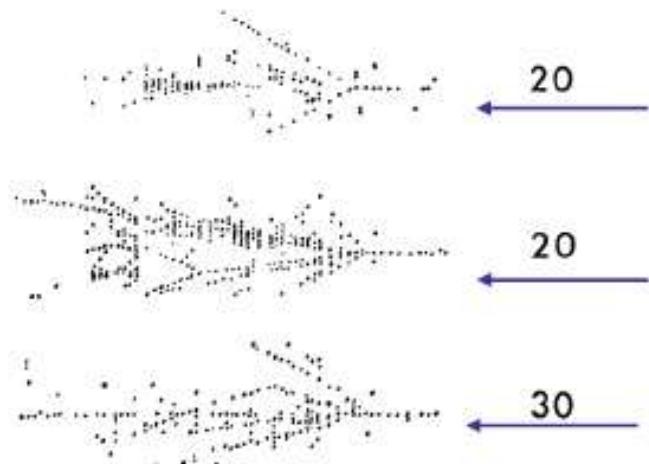
## Hadronic Calorimeters (are [very] difficult to model)

20 GeV  $\pi$  in copper (simulation)



J.P. Wellisch

Hadron showers



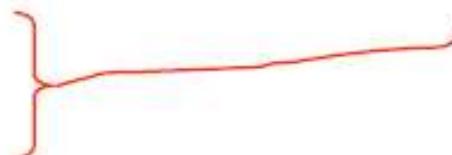
Hadronic Showers ( $\pi, n, p, \dots$ )

Propagation :      inelastic hadron interactions  
                         → multi particle production  
                         Nuclear disintegration

very **LARGE**

Neutrino

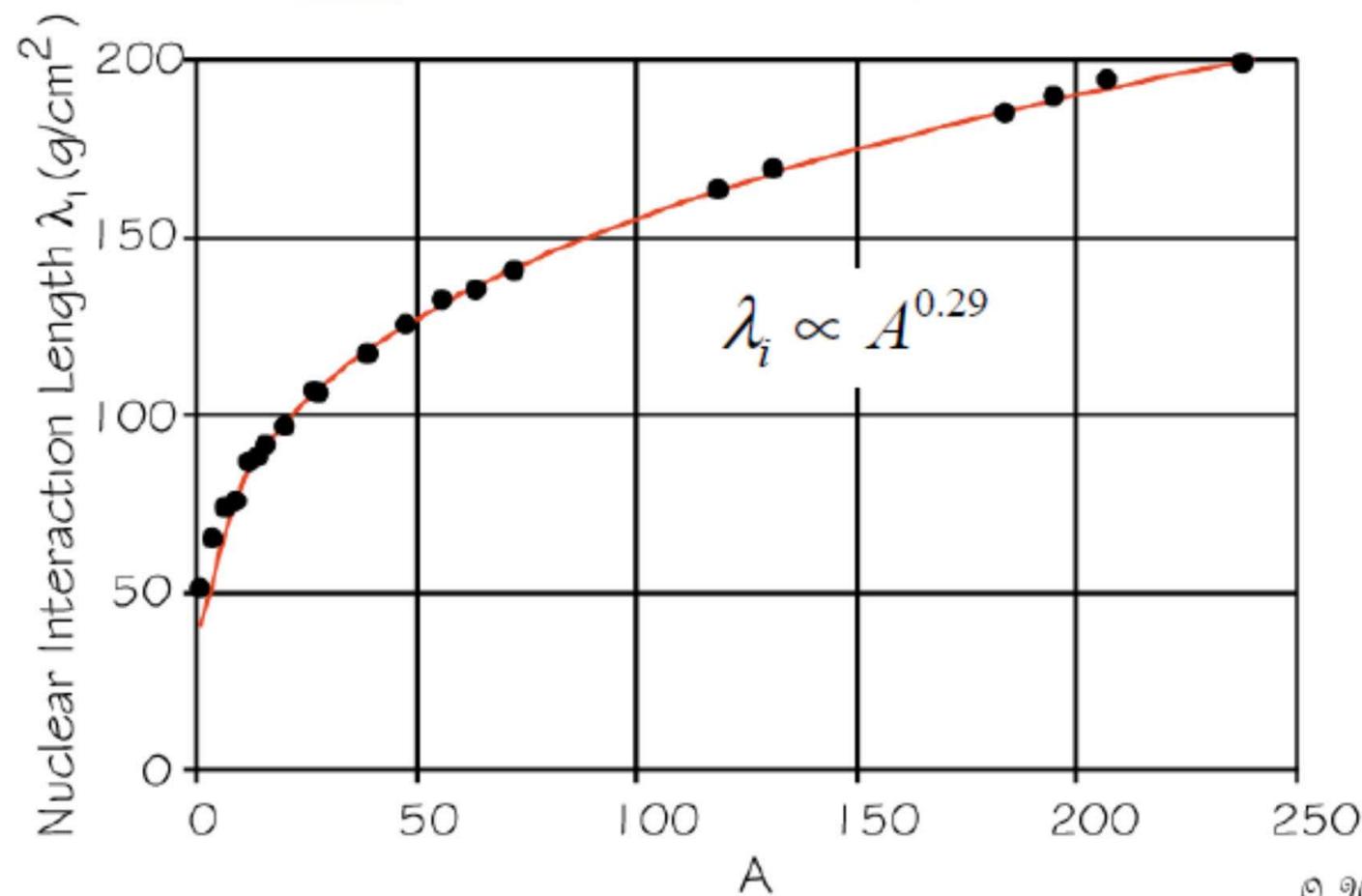
Weak interactions  
secondaries : mostly hadrons



### Nuclear Interaction Length $\lambda_i$

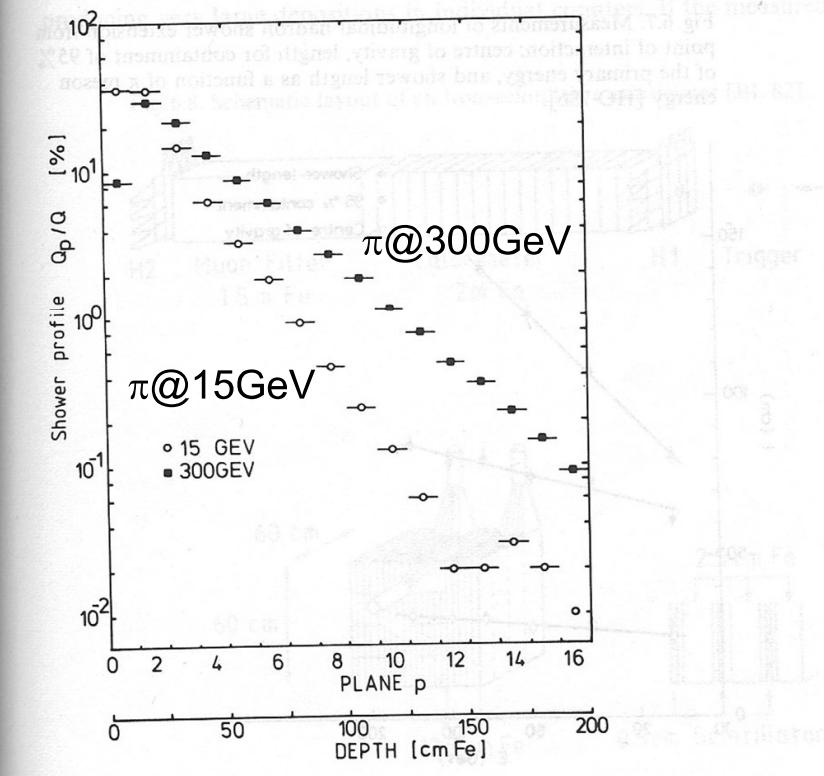
is the average distance a high-energy hadron has to travel inside a medium before a nuclear interaction occurs.

Probability not to have interacted after a path  $z$   $P = e^{-z/\lambda_i}$



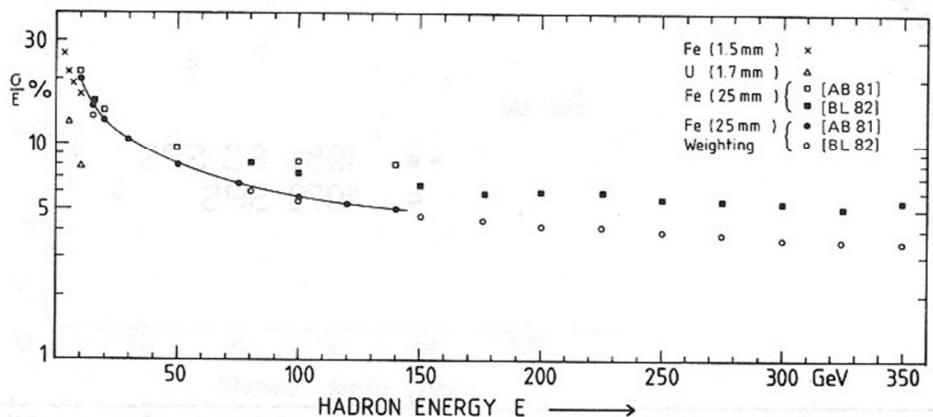
## Longitudinal distribution of energy in hadron calorimeter.

Fig. 6.6. Longitudinal distribution of energy deposited in a hadron calorimeter;  $Q_p$  is the energy deposited in counter  $p$  consisting of five layers with 2.5 cm iron and 0.5 cm scintillator each;  $Q = \sum Q_p$ . Measurements for  $\pi$  mesons of 15 GeV and 300 GeV [BL 82].

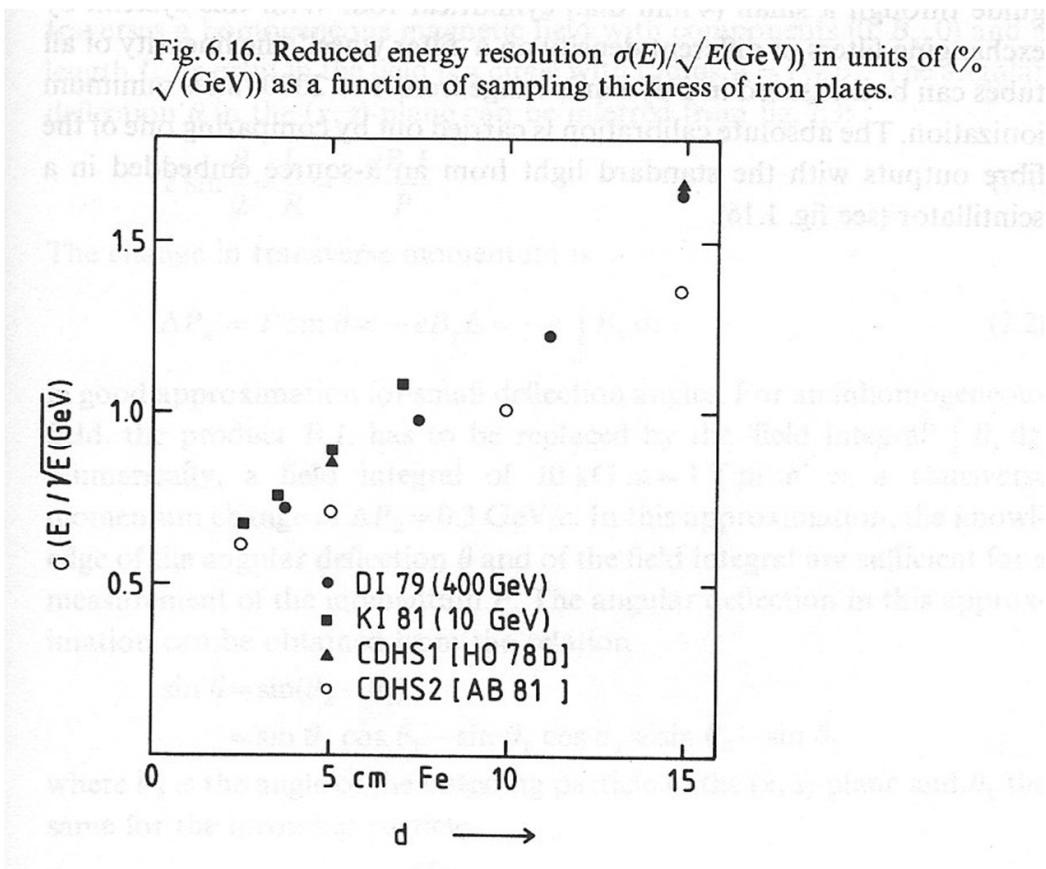


## Energy resolution

Fig. 6.13. Relative energy resolution  $\sigma(E)/E$  for different calorimeters; Fe (1.5 mm) and U (1.7 mm) from [FA 77]; Fe (25 mm) from [AB 81, BL 82].



## Dependence of resolution on sampling characteristics



# *Technologies*

## *Electromagnetic calorimeters*

### ◆ *Crystals*

$2.3\%/\sqrt[4]{E} \oplus 1.9\%$	<i>BaBar</i>
(current calorimeters) <i>CsI (Tl)</i>	

$1.5\%/\sqrt[4]{E} \oplus 1.2\%$  *BELLE*

$2.8\%/\sqrt{E} \oplus 0.6\%$  *CMS*

*PbWO<sub>4</sub>*

$3.3\%/\sqrt{E}$  (*low noise term*) *ALICE*

### ◆ *LAr/Pb*

(*accordion*)

$10\%/\sqrt{E} \oplus 0.7\%$  *ATLAS*

### ◆ *Scint./Pb*

(*shashlik*)

$10\%/\sqrt{E} \oplus 1\%$  *LHCb*

# *Technologies*

## *Hadron Calorimeters*

◆ *Scint. / Brass*                                     $\sim 100\% \sqrt{E} \oplus 4.5\%$       CMS  
*(WLS readout)*

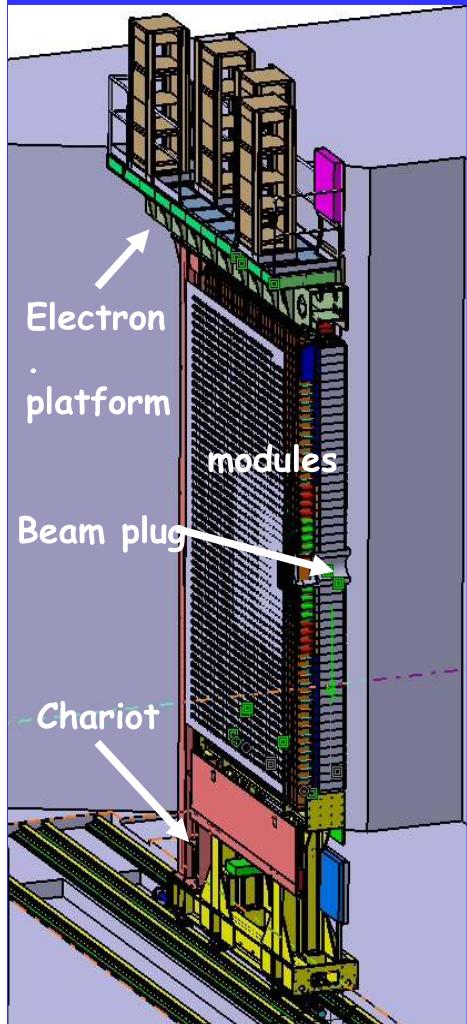
◆ *LAr / Brass*                                     $\sim 60\% \sqrt{E} \oplus 3\%$       ATLAS (end-cap)

◆ *Scint / Fe (WLS readout)*                     $\sim 50\% \sqrt{E} \oplus 3\%$       ATLAS (barrel)  
*(tiles oriented parallel to the beam)*

◆ *Scint / Fe (WLS readout)*                     $\sim 70\% \sqrt{E} \oplus 10\%$       LHCb  
*(similar to ATLAS tile calorimeter,  
but planar geometry,  $5.4 \lambda$  depth)*

*not compensated calorimeters*  
*optimization of the jet energy resolution important !*

Two halves on chariots  
and electronics platform  
on top

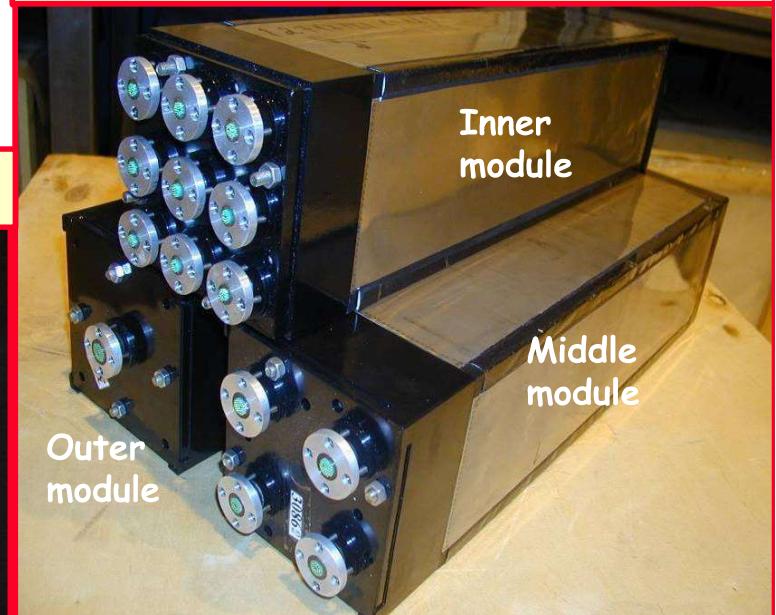


## Overview of LHCb ECAL

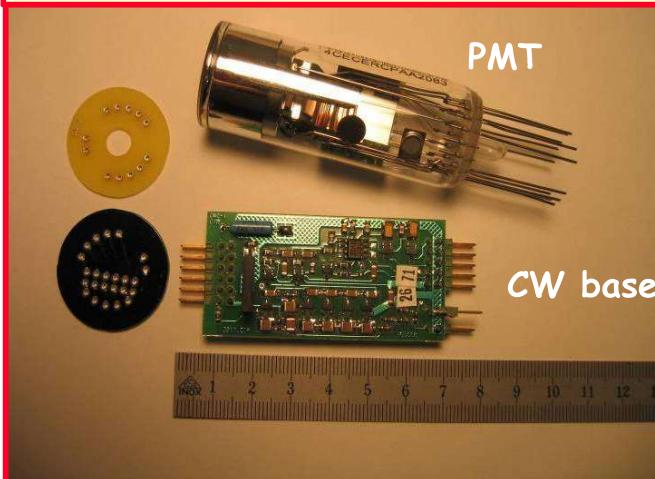
### Fibres with loops



### 3312 shashlik modules with



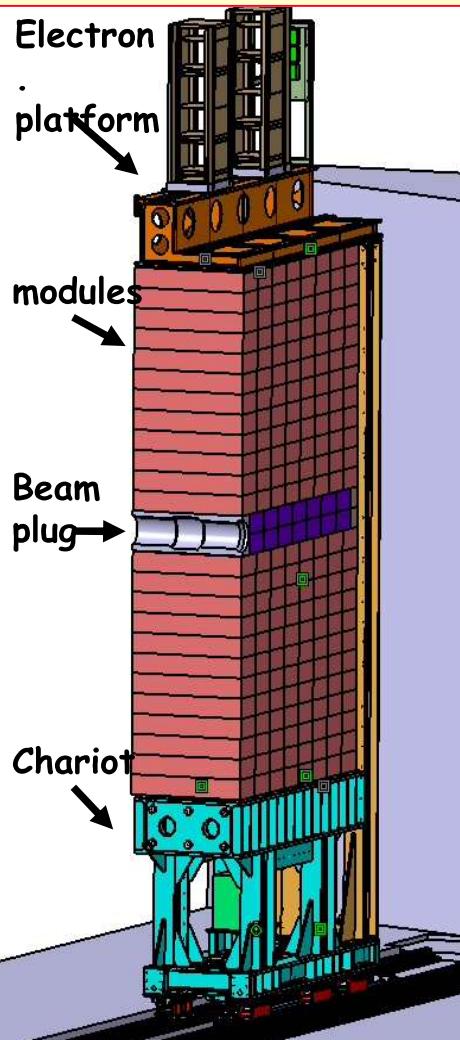
### PMT and CW base



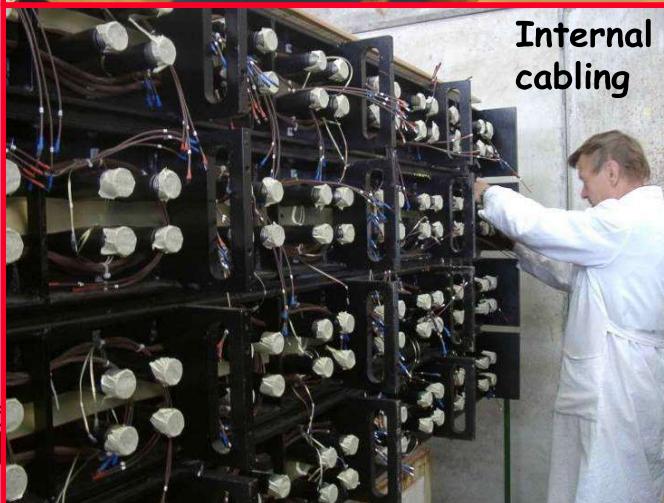
### Scintillators, lead-



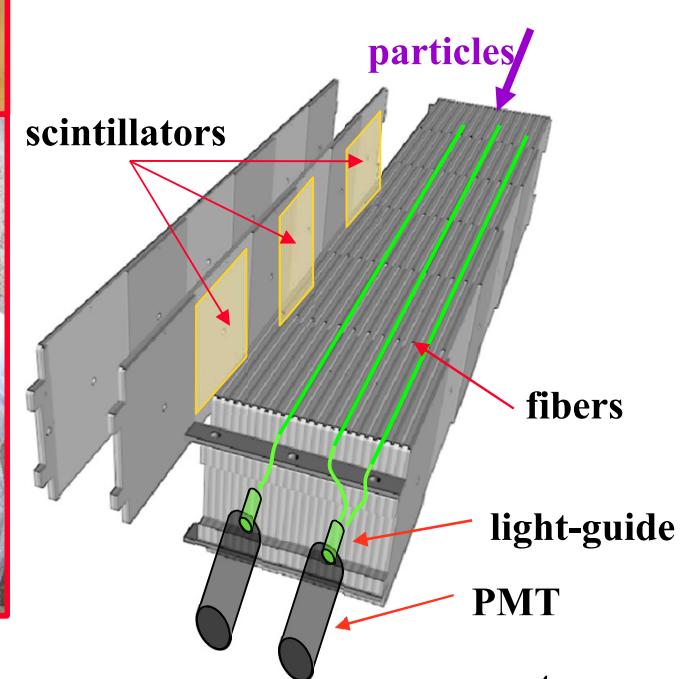
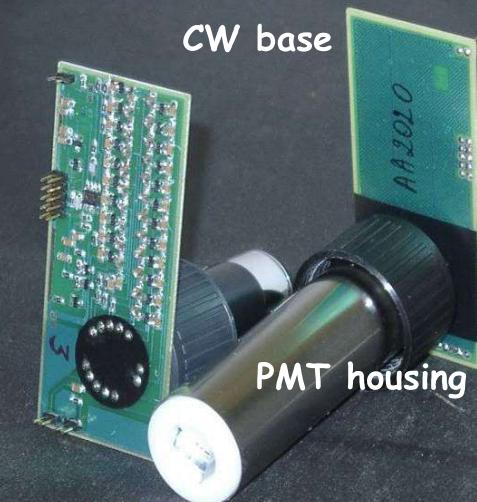
# Overview of LHCb HCAL



52 modules with longitudinal tiles



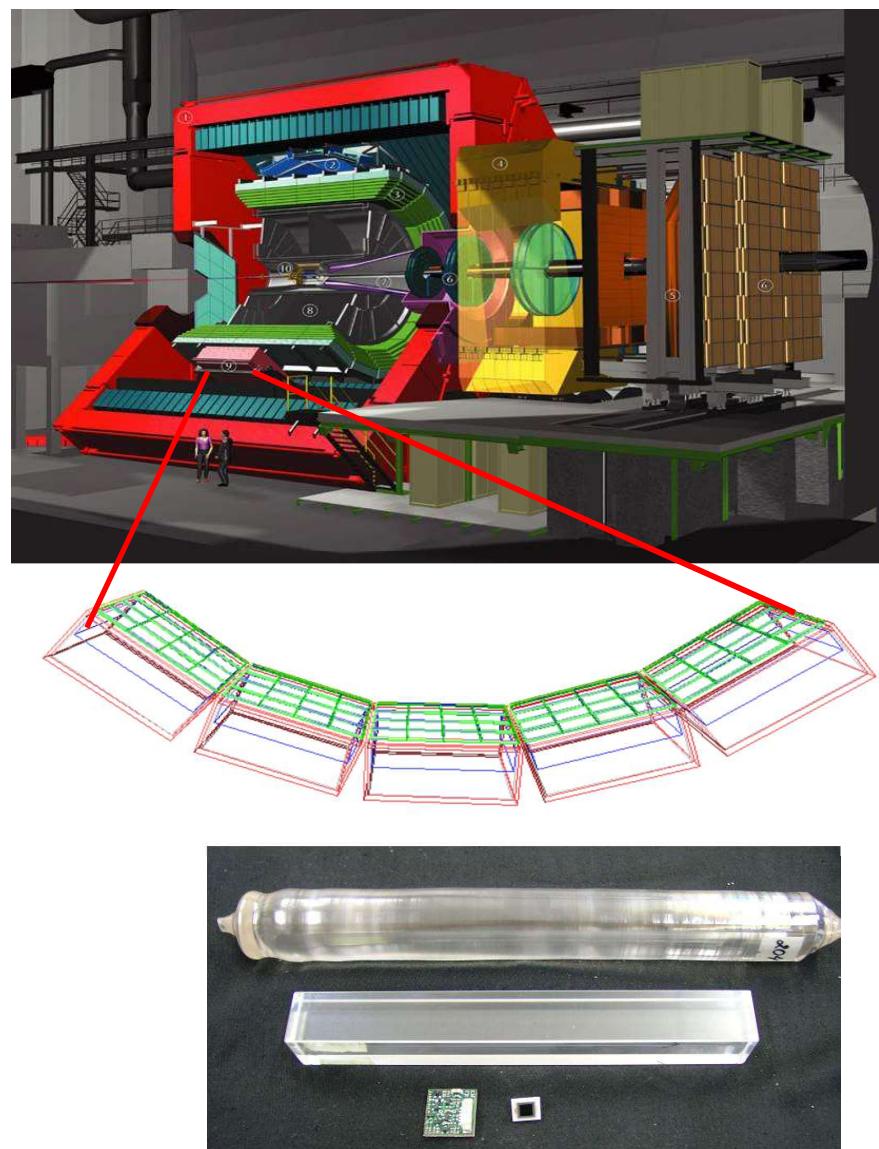
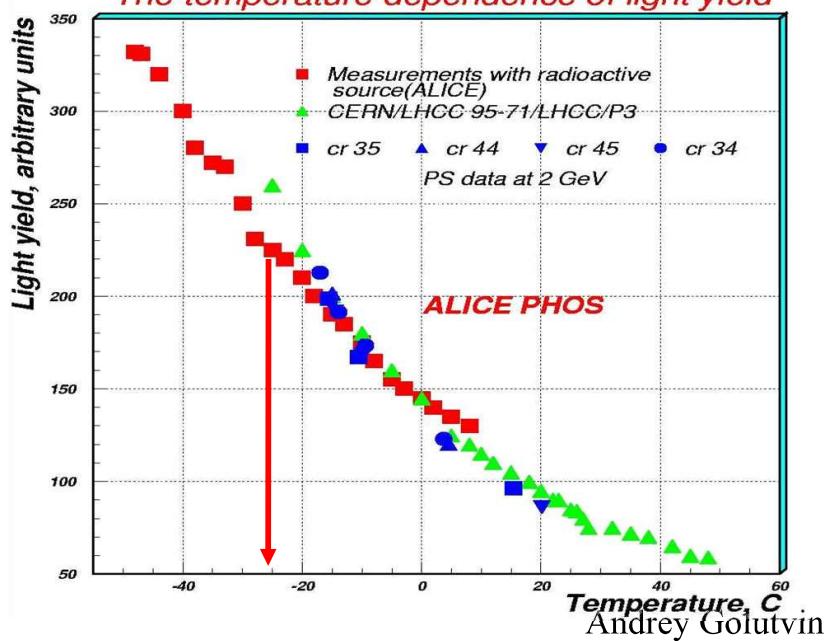
CW base



# *ALICE PHOS electromagnetic calorimeter*

- 17920 PWO crystals
- distance to IP: 4.6m
- coverage in pseudo-rapidity:  
 $|\Delta\eta| < 0.12$
- coverage in azimuthal angle:  
 $\Delta\Phi < 100^\circ$
- crystal size:  $22 \times 22 \times 180 \text{ mm}^3$
- Depth :  $20X_0$
- photo readout: APD + CSP
- operating temperature:  $-25^\circ\text{C}$

*The temperature dependence of light yield*

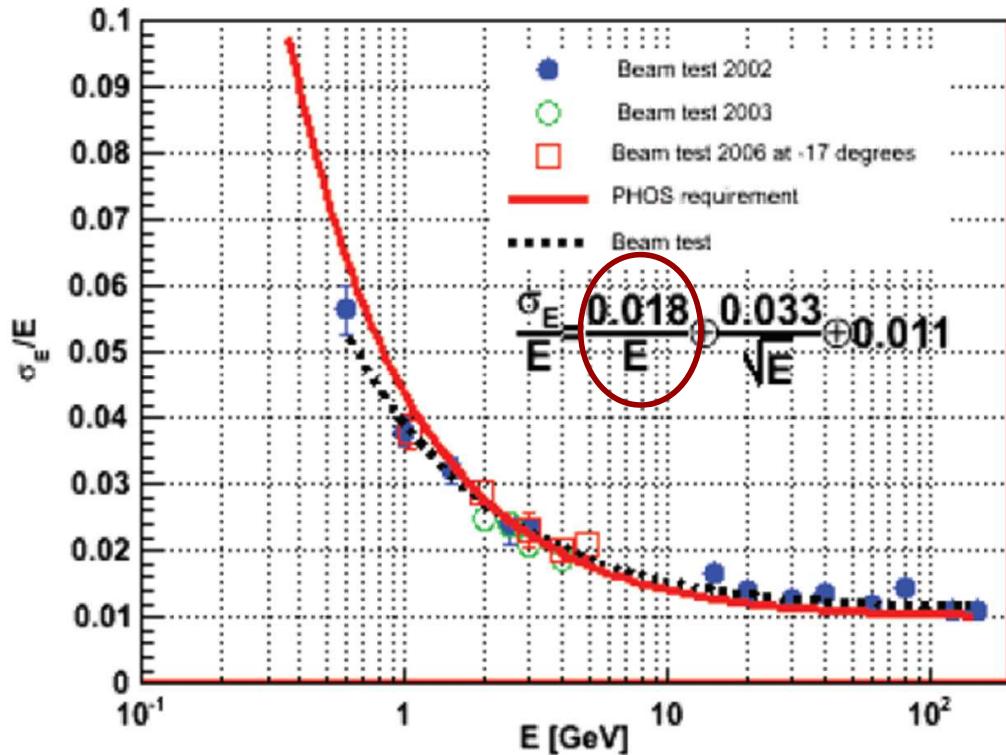


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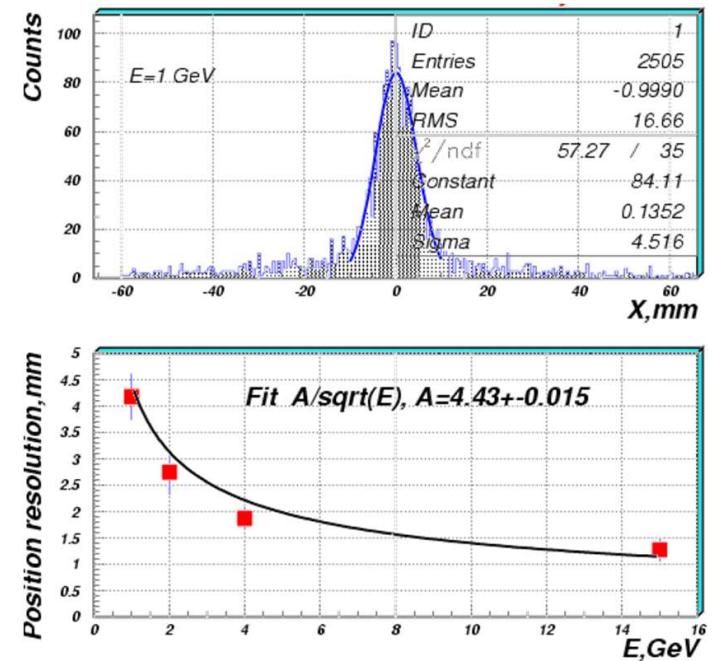
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## PHOS: energy and position resolution

(Daicu Zhou at QM2006)

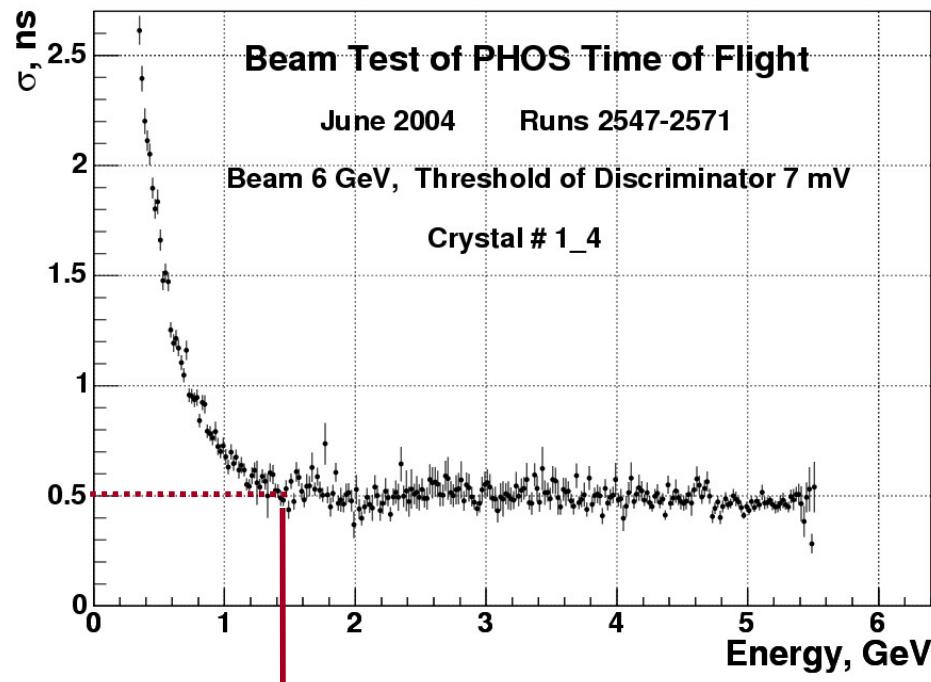


$$\langle \sigma(E)/E \rangle \sim 3\%, \quad \sigma(\sigma(E)/E) \sim 0.1\% \text{ @ 2 GeV}$$



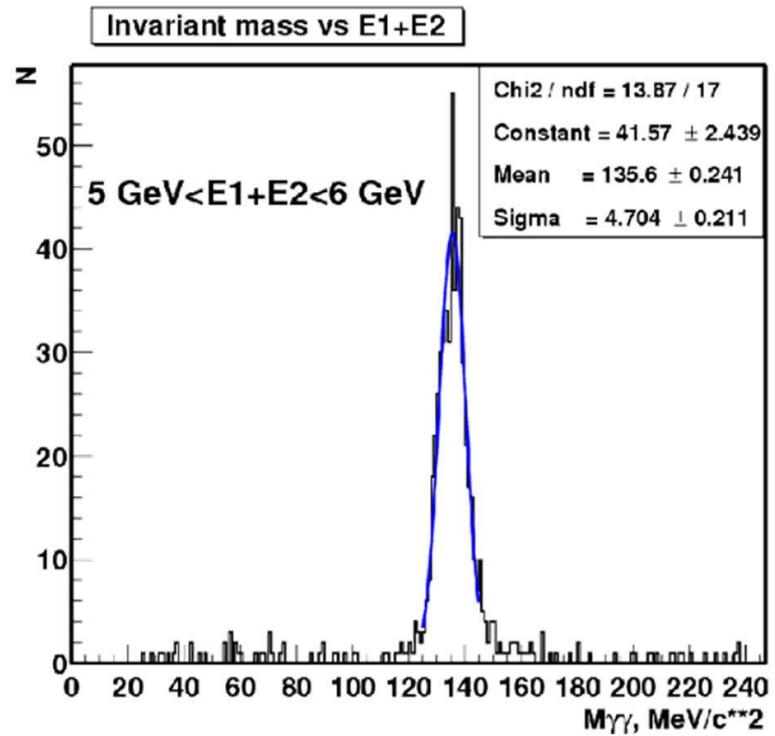
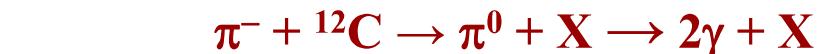
$$\langle \sigma_x \rangle \sim 2.7 \text{ mm} @ 2 \text{ GeV}$$

Timing resolution measurement with the electron beam. Standard start-stop method with an external trigger



$$\sigma \sim 0.5 \text{ ns at } E > 1.5 \text{ GeV}$$

## Invariant mass spectrum

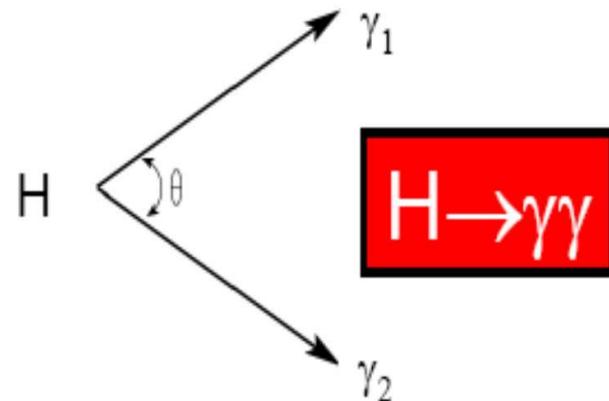
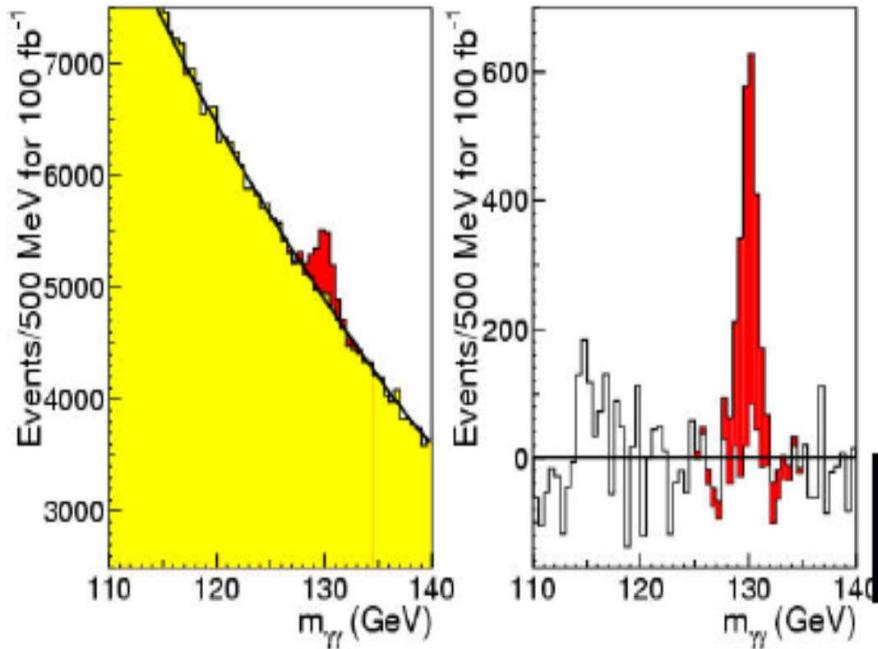


$$\sigma(\pi^0) = 4.7 \text{ MeV}/c^2$$

$\pi^0$  is hard to see in ion-ion collisions

→ potential problem for intercalibration with data

## *Physics requirements (ATLAS/CMS)*



$\sigma m / m = 0.5 [\sigma E_1 / E_1 \oplus \sigma E_2 / E_2 \oplus \sigma \theta / \tan(\theta/2)]$ ,  
where  $\sigma E / E = a / \sqrt{E} \oplus b \oplus c/E$  and  $E$  in GeV

CMS:  $\Delta\theta$  relies on interaction vertex measurement  
ATLAS:  $\Delta\theta$  possible with calorimeter alone

*Similar for ATLAS and CMS*

### **Electromagnetic calorimetry**

- *Excellent energy resolution from 10 GeV to 300 GeV  
( $H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ ,  $H \rightarrow 4e$ )*
- *Good  $e/\text{jet}$  and  $\gamma/\text{jet}$  (particularly  $\gamma/\pi^0$ ) separation*

### **Hadron calorimetry**

- *Measurement of energy and direction of jets and missing transverse energy flow ( $|\eta|$  up to 5)*