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Super Tau-Charm Facility

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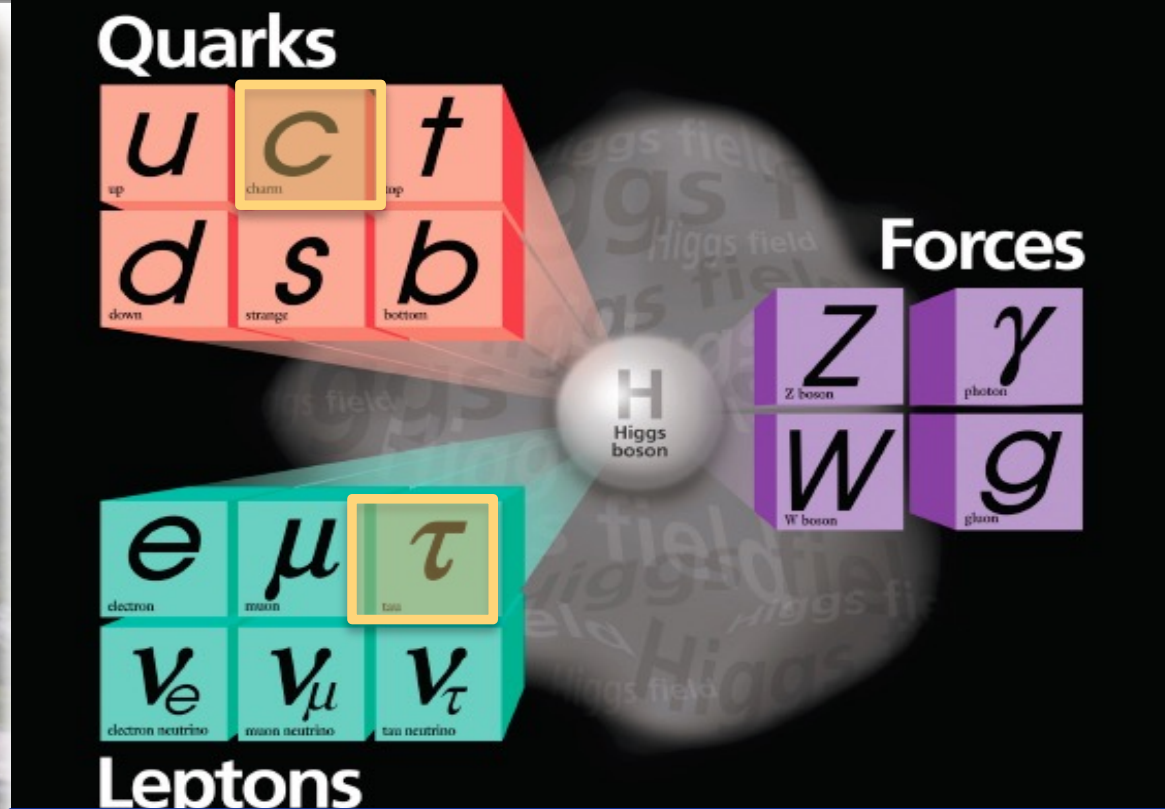
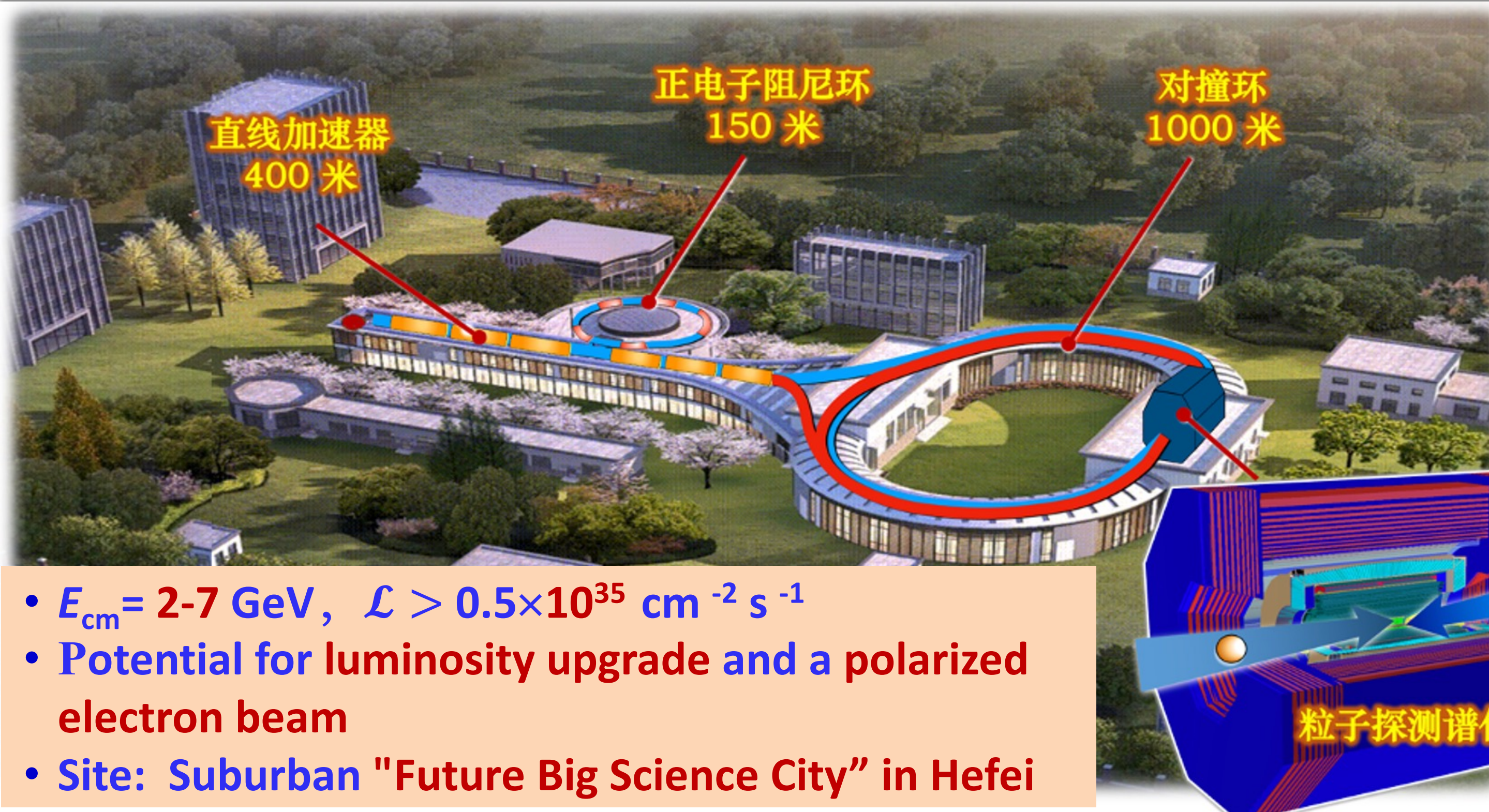
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Super Tau Charm Facility (STCF)



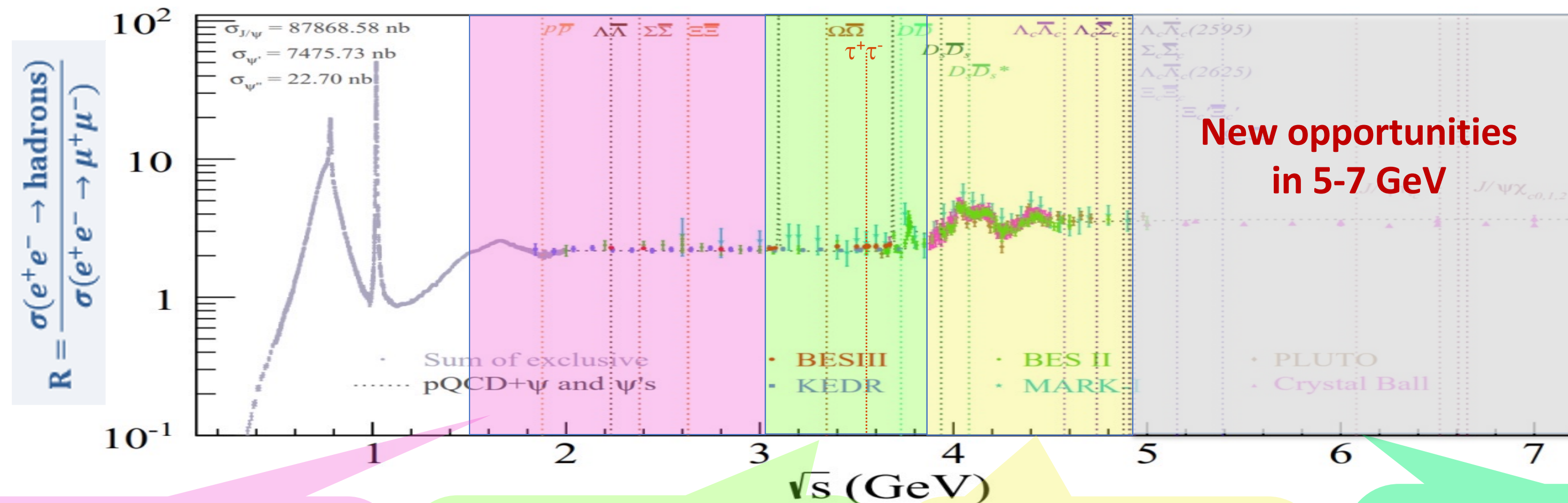
STCF can produce an enormous amount of “clean” tau leptons and charm hadrons, allowing a full exploration of the unique and great physics potential in the tau-charm energy region: QCD, exotic hadrons, flavor physics and CPV, new physics...

- $E_{cm} = 2-7 \text{ GeV}$, $\mathcal{L} > 0.5 \times 10^{35} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$
- Potential for luminosity upgrade and a polarized electron beam
- Site: Suburban "Future Big Science City" in Hefei

- 14th five-year plan (2021-2025): Design studies and R&D on key technologies, ~0.4 B CNY
- 15th five-year plan (2026-2030): Construction to start during this period, ~6 years, ~4.5 B CNY
- Operating for 15 years to be followed by major upgrades

2-7 GeV: Unique Features, Broad Physics Spectrum

- **Transition region** between perturbative and non-perturbative QCD
- **Rich** resonant structures, **large production cross-sections** for charmonium states
- **Pair production** of hadrons and tau leptons **at threshold**
- Copious production of **exotic hadrons** (multi-quark, gluonic and hybrid states)



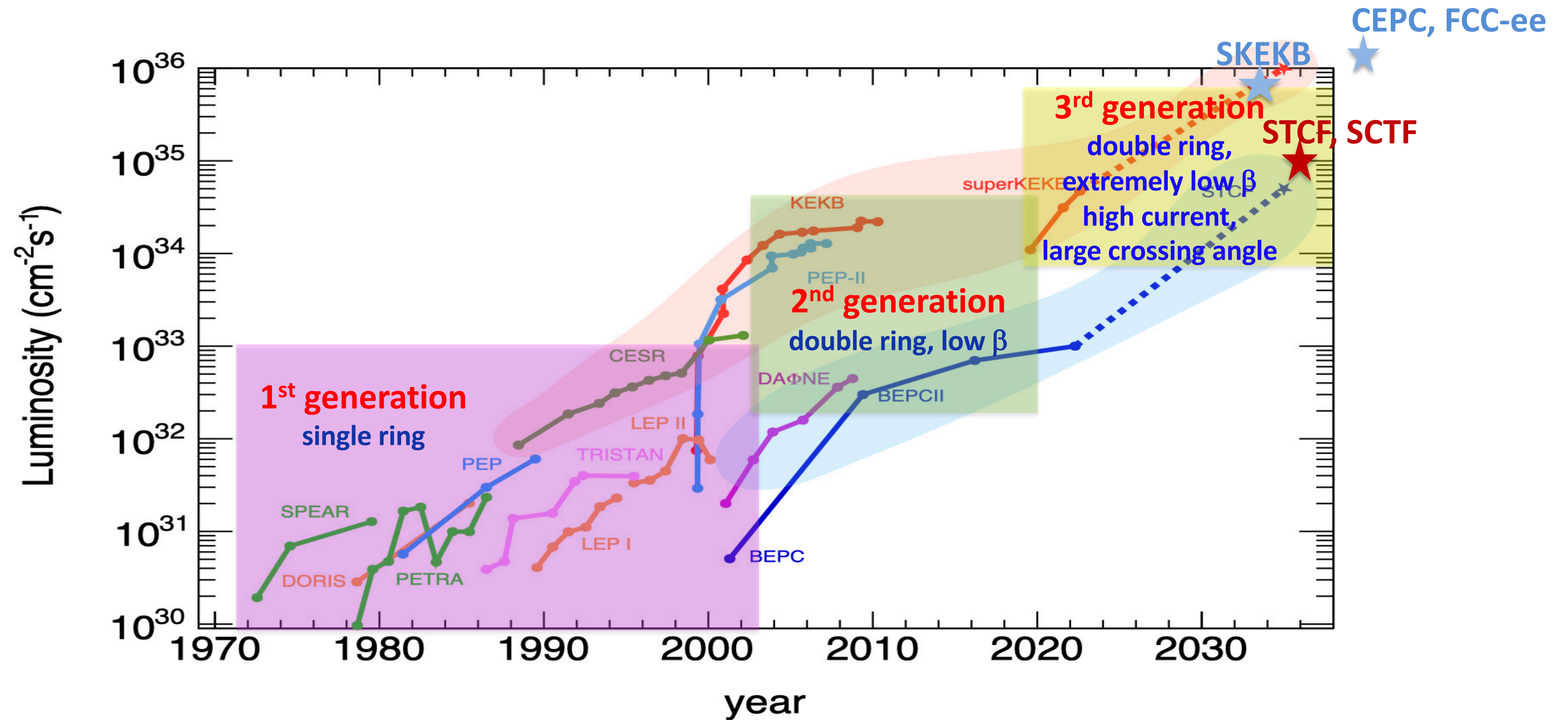
- Nucleon/Hadron form factors
- Y(2175) resonance
- Multiquark states with s quark
- MLLA/LPHD and QCD sum rule predictions

- Light hadron spectroscopy
- Gluonic and exotic
- LFV and CPV
- Rare and forbidden decays
- Physics with τ lepton

- XYZ particles
- Physics with D mesons
- f_D and f_{D_s}
- $D_0^- - \bar{D}_0$ mixing
- Charm baryons

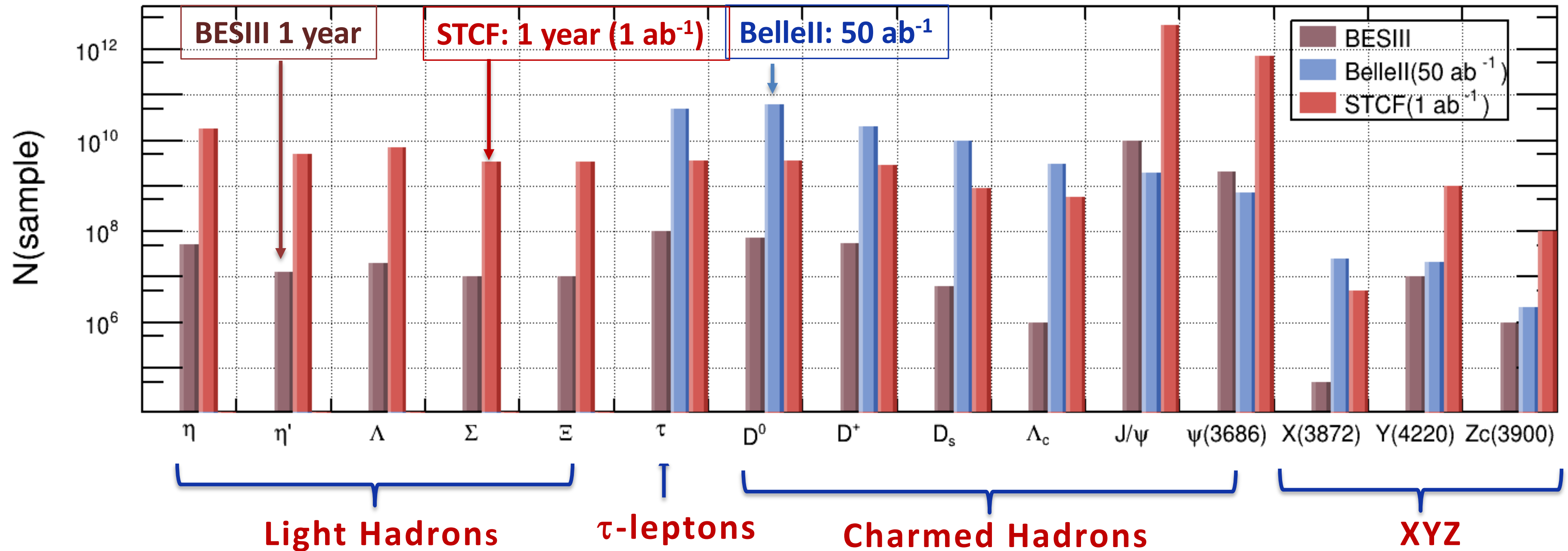
- New XYZ particle
- Hidden-charm pentaquark
- Di-charmonium state
- Charm baryons
- Hadron fragmentation

STCF in Context



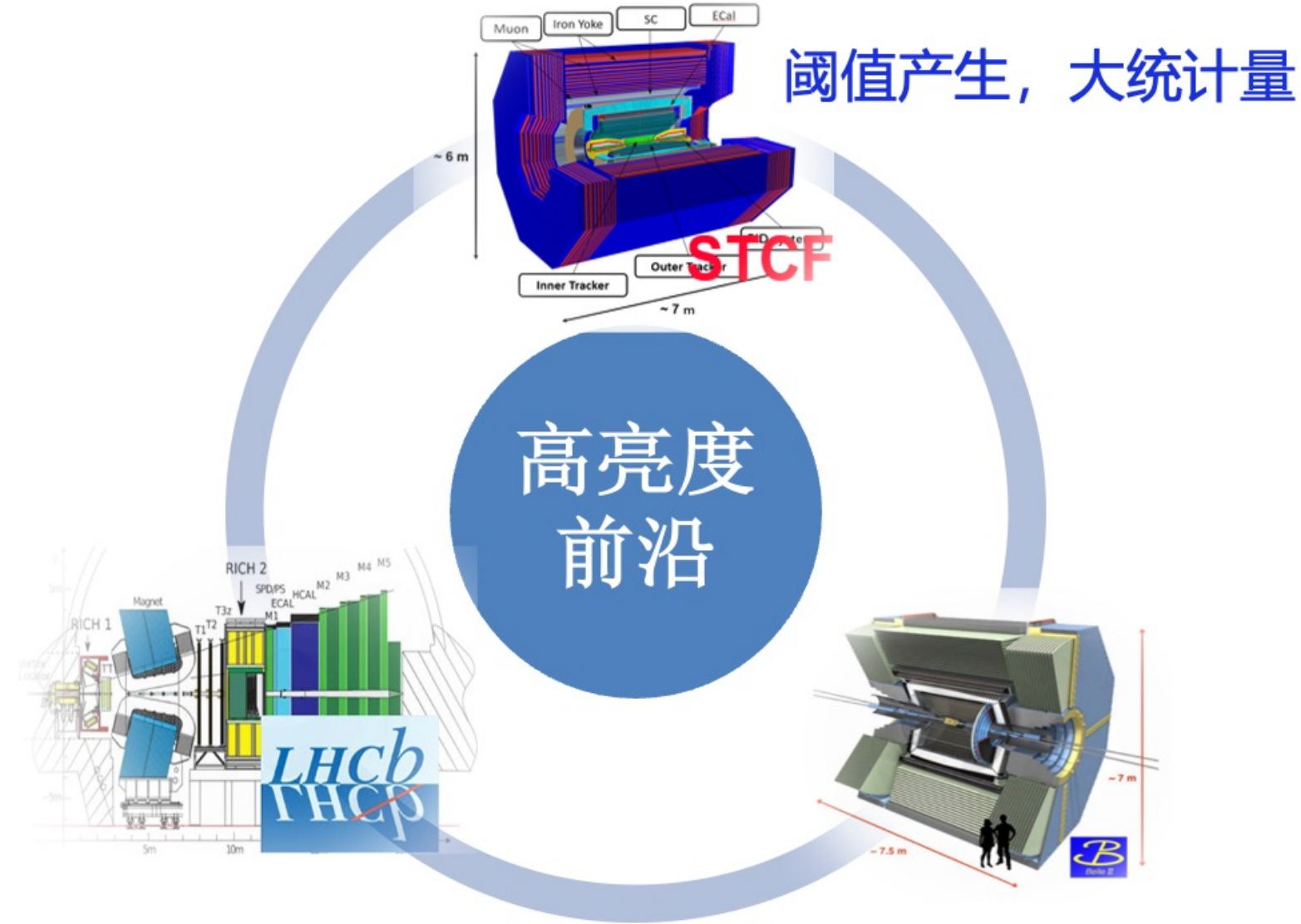
STCF: A 3rd generation e^+e^- machine with super-high luminosity in τ -c region

A Super Factory of Various Particles



- Not only a τ -charm factory, but also a factory of XYZ, hyperons and light hadrons

Physics at STCF



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- **Leading role**
- In competition with Belle II/LHCb
- **In synergy with BelleII/LHCb/Eic/EicC**

Physics at STCF

QCD and hadronic physics

- XYZ Properties:** $e^+e^- \rightarrow Y \rightarrow \gamma X, \eta X, \phi X$; $e^+e^- \rightarrow Y \rightarrow \pi Z_c, K Z_c$
- Hadron Spectroscopy:** Excited $c\bar{c}$ and their transition, Charmed hadron spectroscopy, Light hadron spectroscopy
- R value:** $e^+e^- \rightarrow$ inclusive; τ mass: $e^+e^- \rightarrow \tau^+\tau^-$
- Nucleon Form Factors:** $e^+e^- \rightarrow B\bar{B}$ from threshold
- Pentaquarks:** $e^+e^- \rightarrow J/\psi p\bar{p}$, $\Lambda_c D\bar{p}$, $\Sigma_c D\bar{p}$
- Di-charmonium:** $e^+e^- \rightarrow J/\psi\eta_c, J/\psi\chi_c$
- Muon g-2:** $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-, \pi^+\pi^-\pi^0, 4\pi, K^+K^-, \gamma\gamma \rightarrow \pi^0, \eta(\prime), \pi^+\pi^-$
- Fragmentation functions:** $e^+e^- \rightarrow (\pi, K, p, \Lambda, D) + X, e^+e^- \rightarrow (\pi\pi, KK, \pi K) + X$

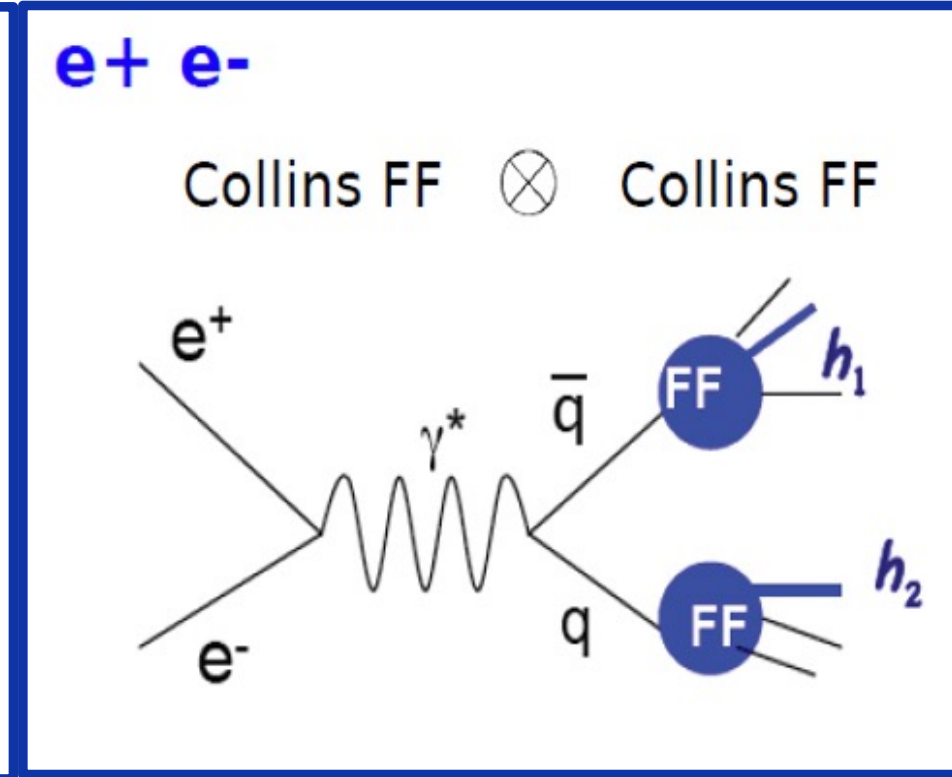
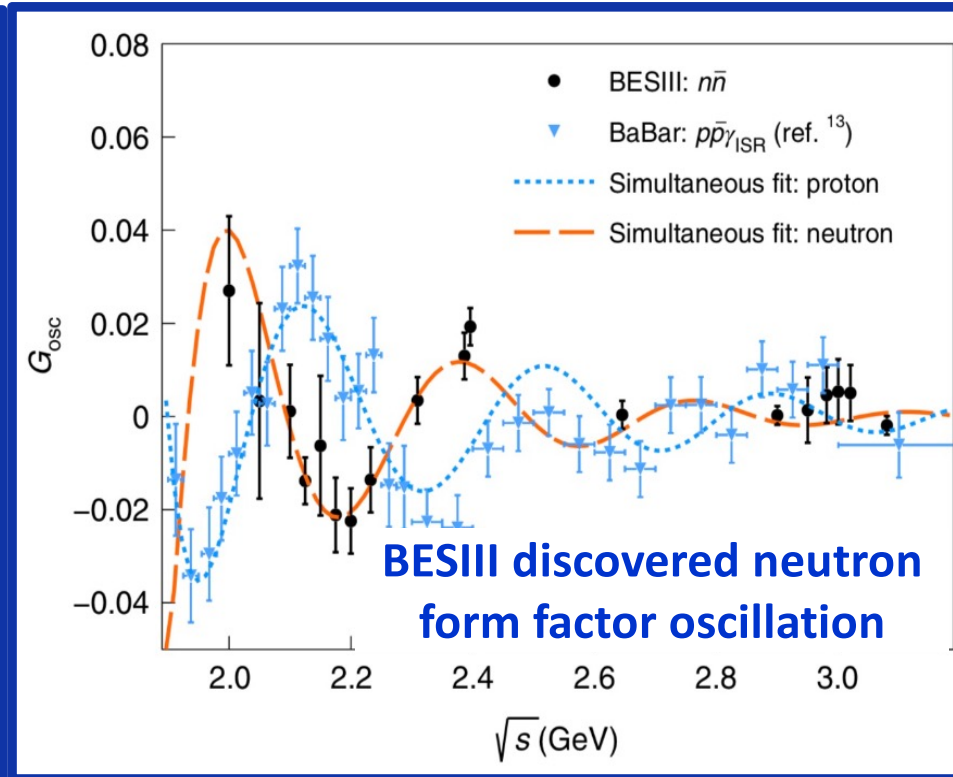
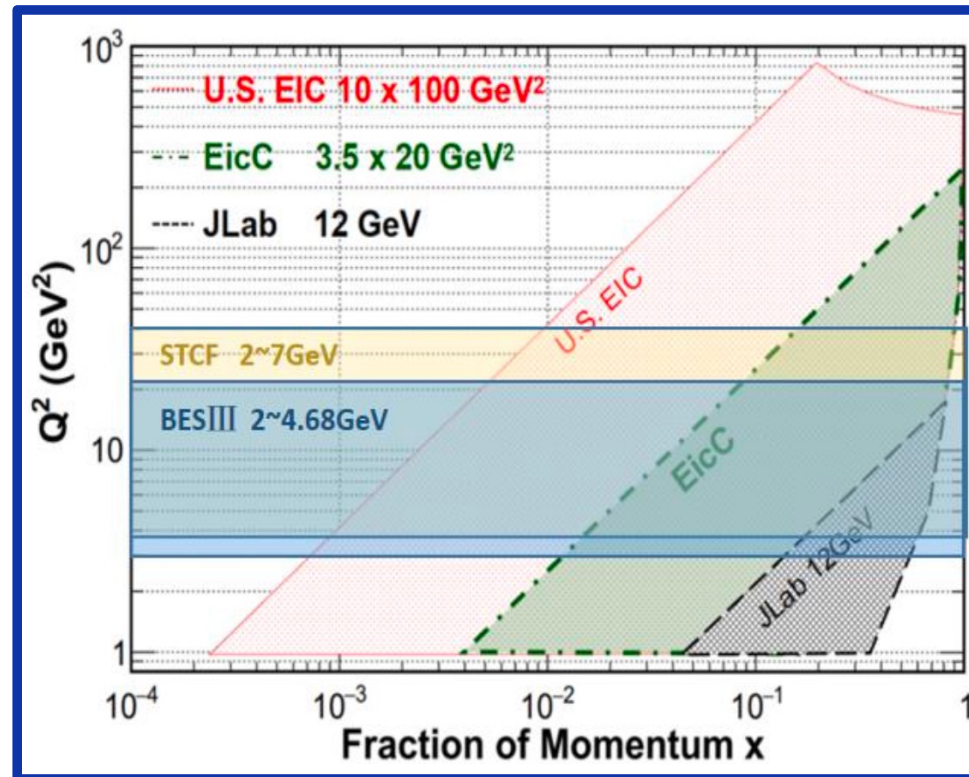
Flavor Physics and CP Violation

- CKM matrix (V_{cd}, V_{cs}):** $D_{(s)}^+ \rightarrow l^+ \nu, D \rightarrow P l^+ \nu$
- Charm hadron decay:** $\Lambda_c^+, \Sigma_c, \Xi_c, \Omega_c$ decay
- CPV in Hyperons:** $J/\psi \rightarrow \Lambda\bar{\Lambda}, \Sigma\Sigma, \Xi\Xi, \Xi^0\Xi^0, \Xi^0\Xi^0$
- D0-D0bar mixing:** $\psi(3770) \rightarrow (D^0 D^0\bar{D}^0)(CP=-), \psi(4140) \rightarrow \pi^0 (D^0 D^0\bar{D}^0)(CP=-)$ or $\gamma(D^0 D^0\bar{D}^0)(CP=+)$
- CPV in τ :** $\tau \rightarrow K_s \pi \nu$, EDM of $\tau, \tau \rightarrow \pi/K \pi^0 \nu$ for polarized e^- beam
- CPV in Charm:** $D^0 \rightarrow K^+K^-/\pi^+\pi^-, \Lambda_c \rightarrow pK^-\pi^0/\Lambda\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0/pK_s^0\pi^+\pi^-$
- γ/ϕ^3 measurement:** $D^0 \rightarrow K(s/L) \pi^+\pi^-, K(s/L) K^+K^-, K^3\pi, 4\pi$
- γ polarization:** $D^0 \rightarrow K^1 e^+ \nu_e$

Forbidden/Rare decay and New Particle

- LVN, BNV:** $D(s)^+ \rightarrow l^+ l^+ X^-, J/\psi \rightarrow \Lambda_c e^-, B \rightarrow B\bar{B} \dots$
- Symmetry violation:** $\eta(\prime) \rightarrow l\pi^0, \eta(\prime) \rightarrow \eta l \dots$
- FLV decays:** $\tau \rightarrow \gamma l, l l, l P_1 P_2, J/\psi \rightarrow l l', D^0 \rightarrow l l' (l' \neq l) \dots$
- FCNC:** $D \rightarrow \gamma V, D^0 \rightarrow l^+ l^-, e^+e^- \rightarrow D^* \dots, \Sigma^+ \rightarrow p l^+ l^- \dots$
- Dark photon:** $e^+e^- \rightarrow \gamma A' (\rightarrow l^+ l^-), J/\psi \rightarrow e^+e^- A' \dots$
- Millicharged:** $e^+e^- \rightarrow \chi\chi \bar{\chi} \dots$

Hadron Production, Structure, Spectroscopy



Tetraquark	Meson molecule	Glueball
Tightly bound diquark-diantiquark	Loosely bound meson-antimeson	Color-singlet multi-gluon bound state
Tightly bound 5-quark state	Tightly bound 6-quark state	$q\bar{q}$ glue hybrid
Pentaquark	H-dibaryon	Hybrid

Hadron Production

- A key approach to understand hadron production mechanism and the interaction
- Covering range (0.7-7 GeV), important input for hadron exp.

Nuclear EM FFs

- Fundamental obs., reflects the inner structure of nucleon
- Complementarity to the e-N elastic scattering experiments in similar q^2 region

Fragmentation Func.

- understanding QCD dynamics, hadron structure and production mechanism.
- Comparing with e-p data to verify the universality of fragmentation.

Hadron Spectroscopy

- Natural platform to understand the color confinement of strong interaction,
- Unique and peerless advantages in light hadron, charmonium, XYZ..

CP/CPT Symmetry Tests

Billions of hyperon pairs from J/ψ decays,
clean topology, background free
 Transversely **polarized, spin correlation**
 Sensitivity: $A_{CP} \sim 10^{-4}$, $\xi \sim 0.05^\circ$

CP in hyperon decay

Peak cross section in $\sqrt{s} = 4-5$ GeV,
 $\sigma_{\tau\tau} \approx 3.5$ nb, **10 ab⁻¹** data in total
 Sensitivity of τ decay with 1ab⁻¹ @
 4.26 GeV $\sim 9.7 \times 10^{-4}$

CP in tau decay/production

Billions D^0/\bar{D}^0 , **threshold production, quantum coherence** with $(D^0\bar{D}^0)_{CP=-}$ or $(D^0\bar{D}^0)_{CP=+}$
 Sensitivity: $x \sim 0.035\%$, $y \sim 0.023\%$,
 $r_{CP} \sim 0.017$, $\alpha_{CP} \sim 1.3^\circ$

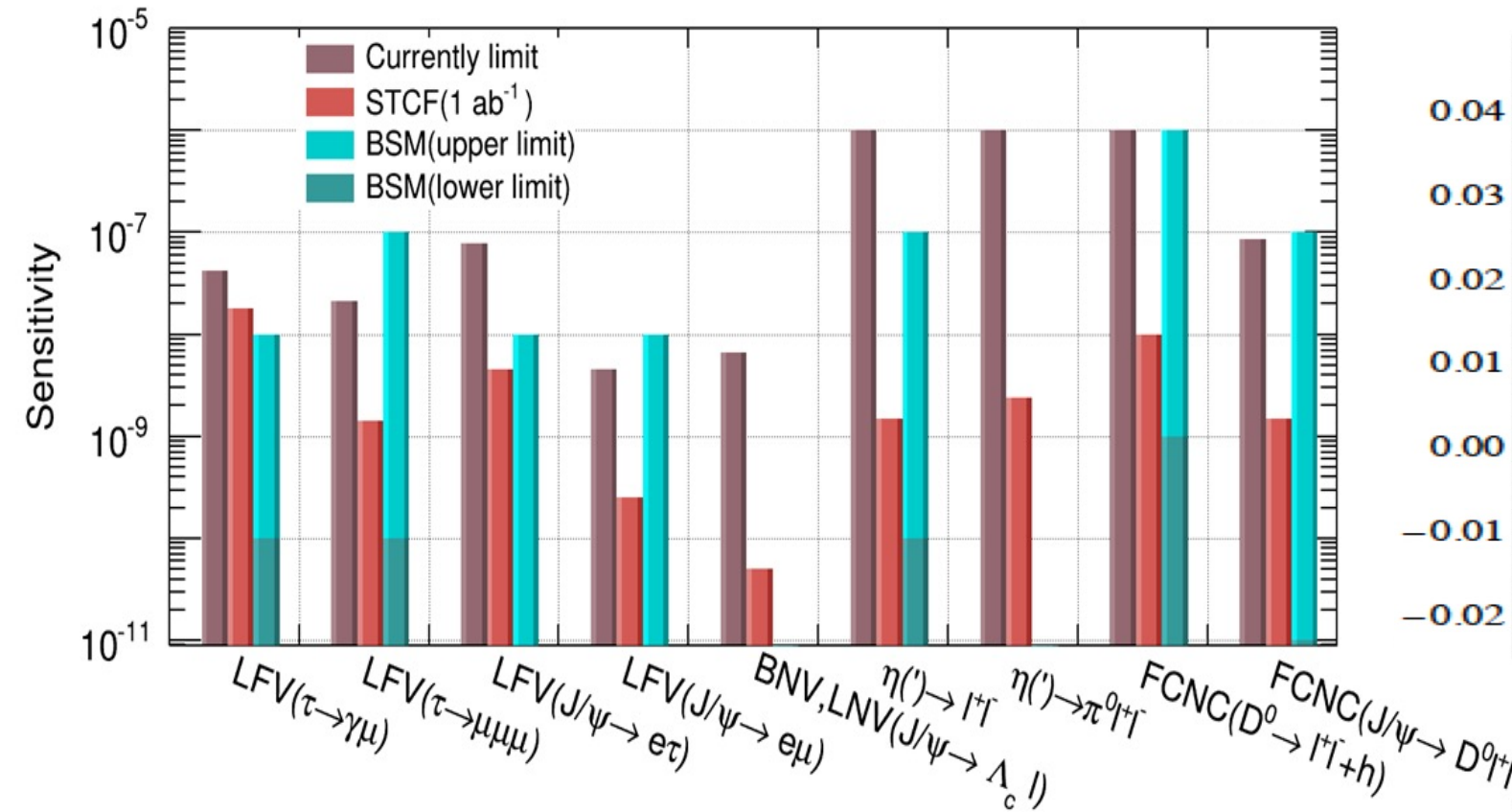
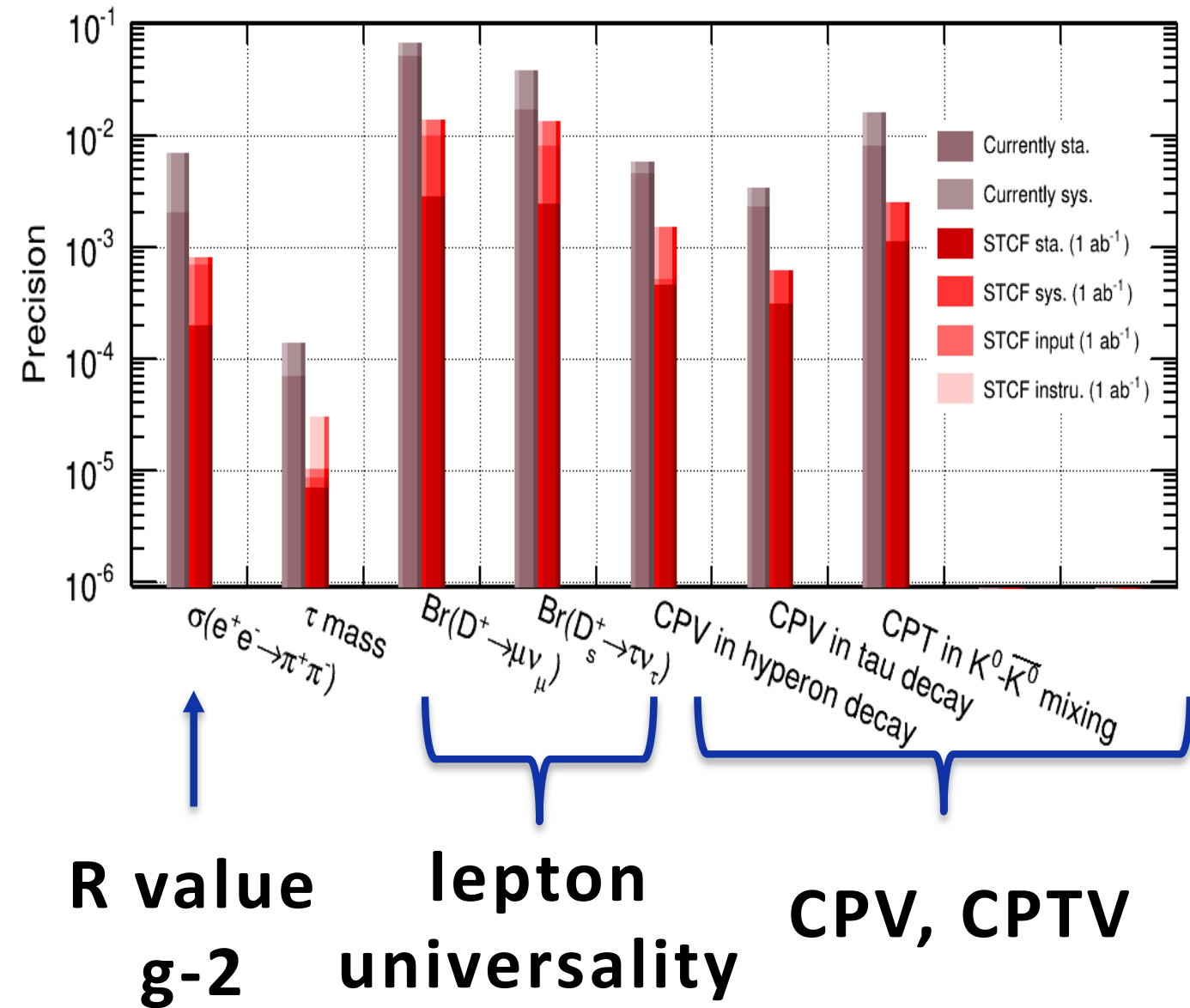
CP in charm mixing

CPT in kaon mixing

CP tagging and **flavor tagging** of K^0/\bar{K}^0 available from J/ψ decay
 CP variables determined with **time-dependent** decay rate
 CPT Sensitivity: $\eta_{\pm} \sim 10^{-3}$, $\Delta\phi_{\pm} \sim 0.05^\circ$

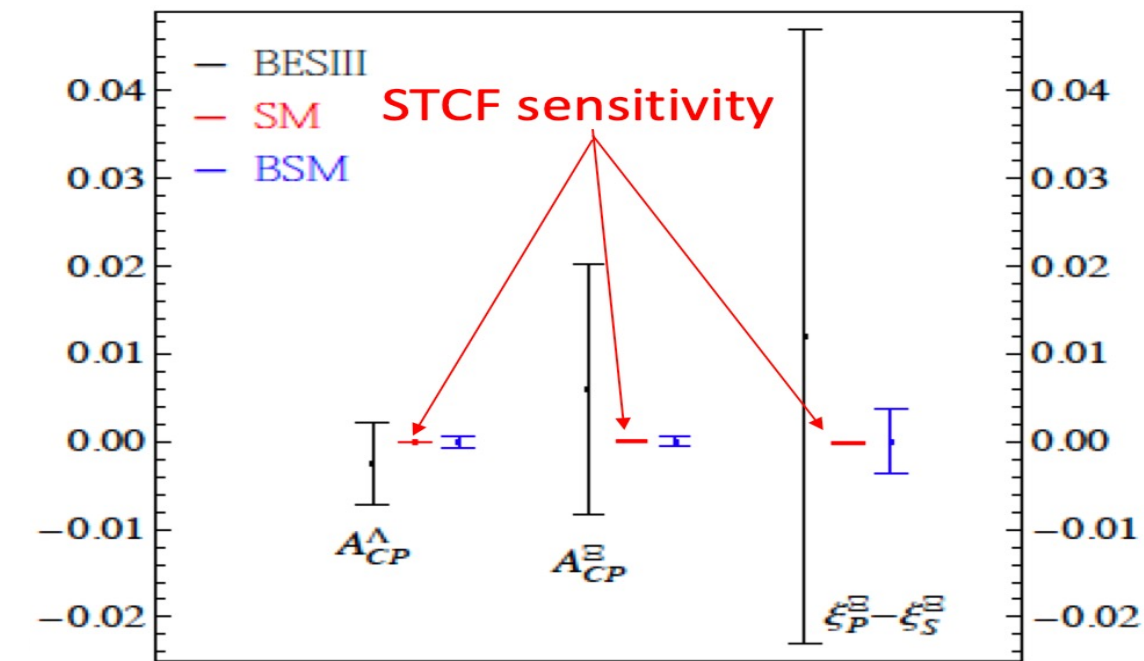
Precisions and Sensitivities at STCF

- STCF is expected to improve the current precisions of many important measurements by ~ 1 order of magnitude and sensitivities to various rare or forbidden decays by ~ 2 orders of magnitude.



LFV, BNV, FCNC to probe BSM

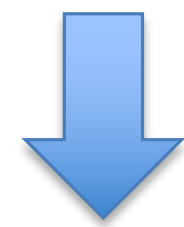
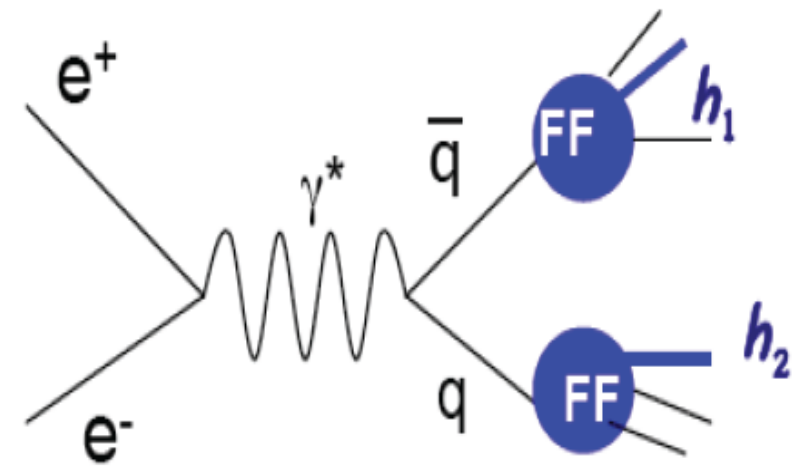
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Direct observation of CPV in hyperons

Collins Fragmentation Function

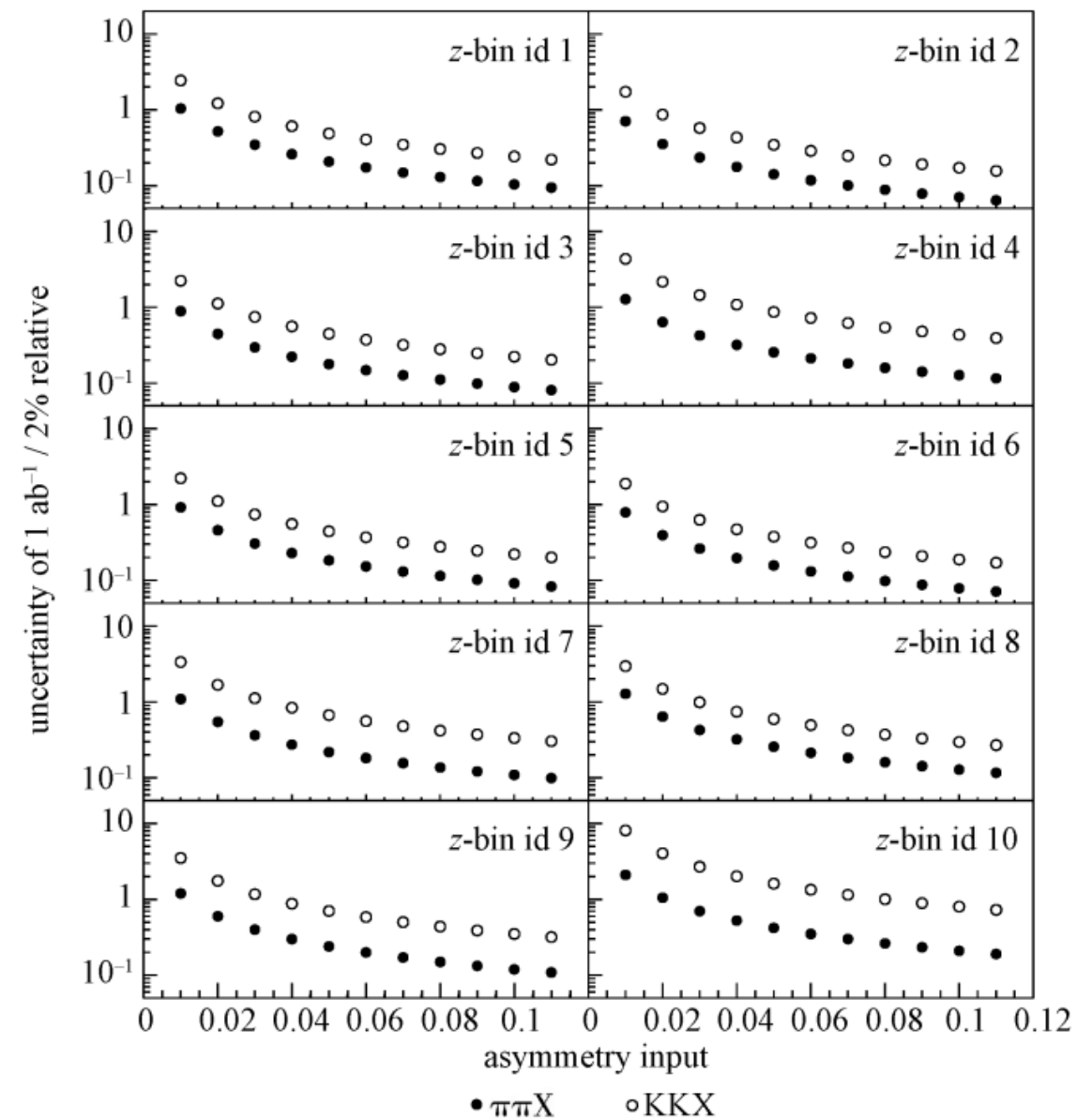
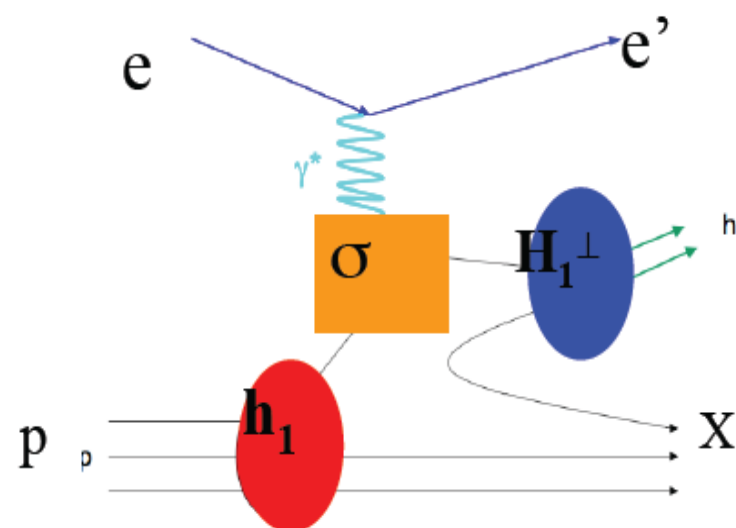
$e^+ e^-$
Collins FF \otimes Collins FF



Crucial input to
TMD extraction
in SIDIS

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Transversity \otimes Collins FF

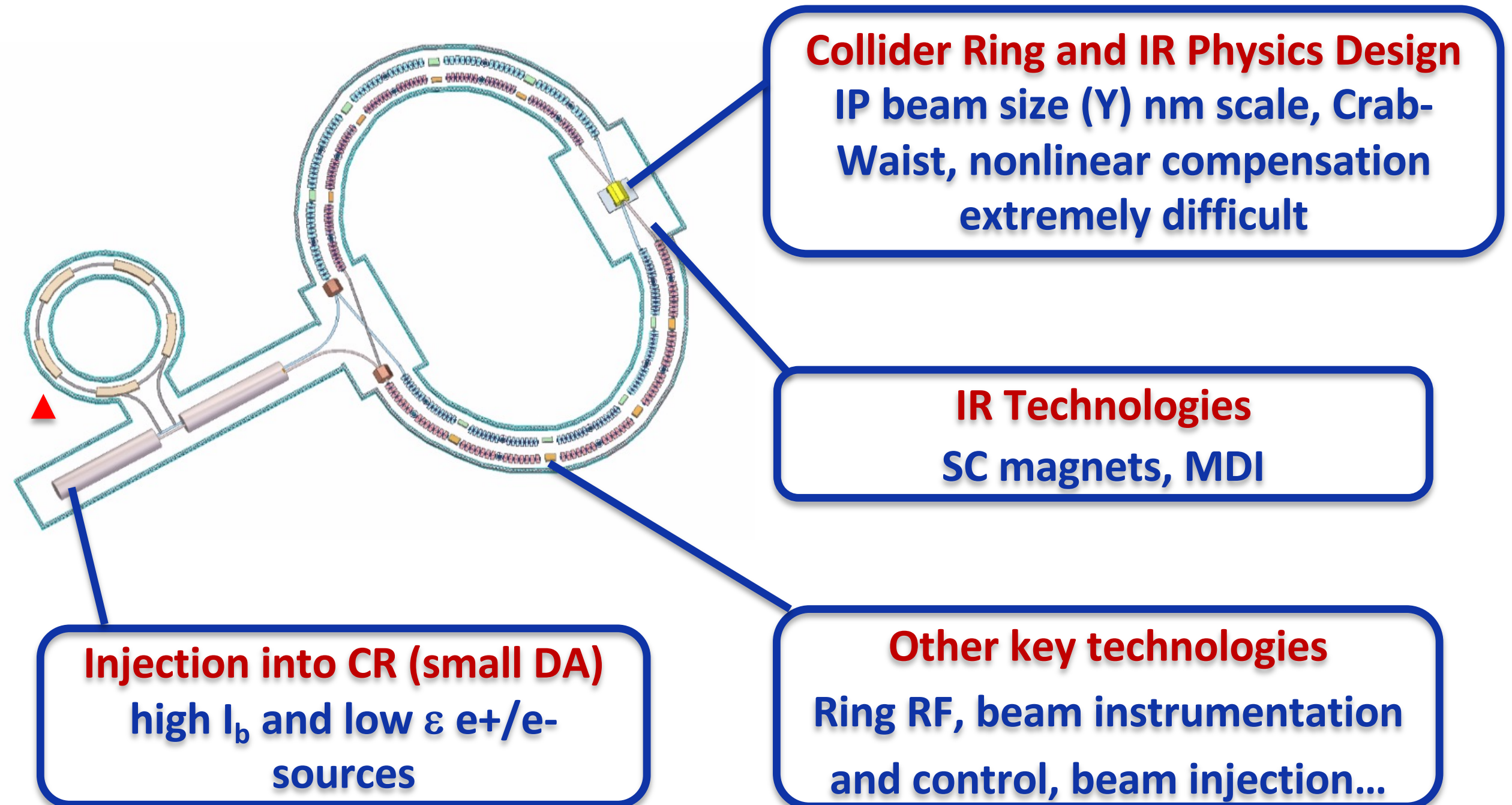
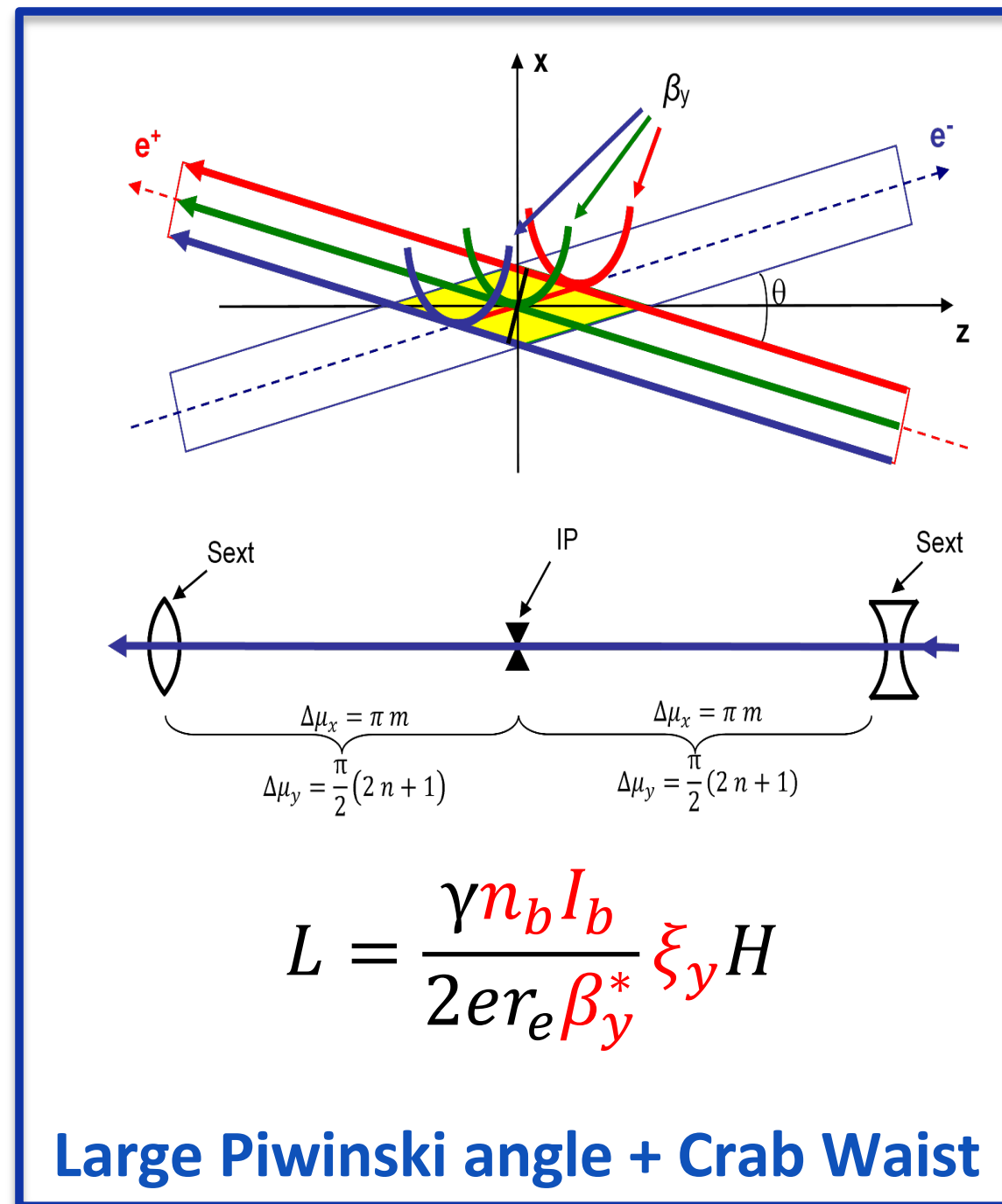


The statistical uncertainty on asymmetry A^{UL} with 1 ab^{-1} at 7 GeV:
 $(1.4 \sim 4.2) \times 10^{-4}$ for $\pi\pi X$
 $(3.5 \sim 20) \times 10^{-3}$ for KKX

STCF will provide precise Collins FF input for TMD extraction at EIC/EicC (*Journal of UCAS* 38 (2021) 433).

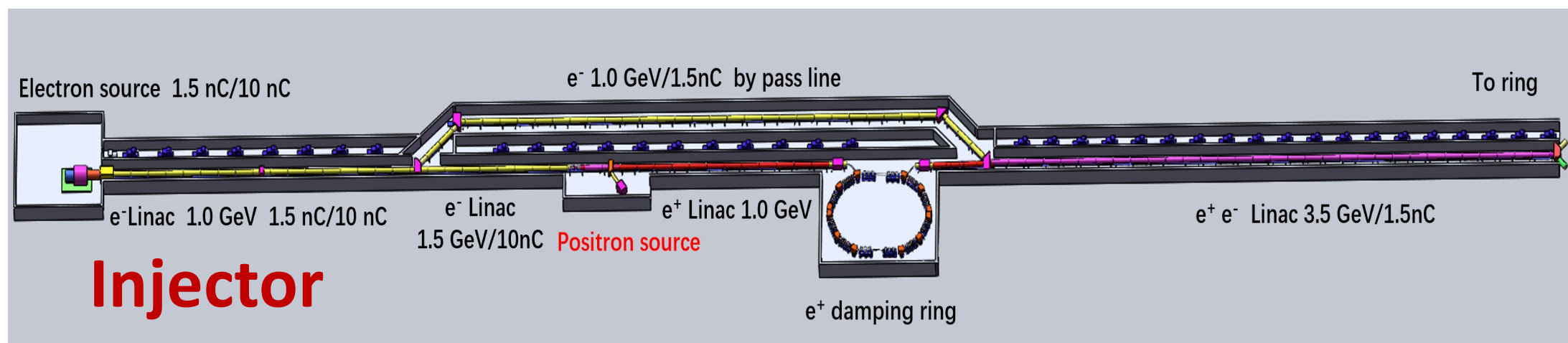
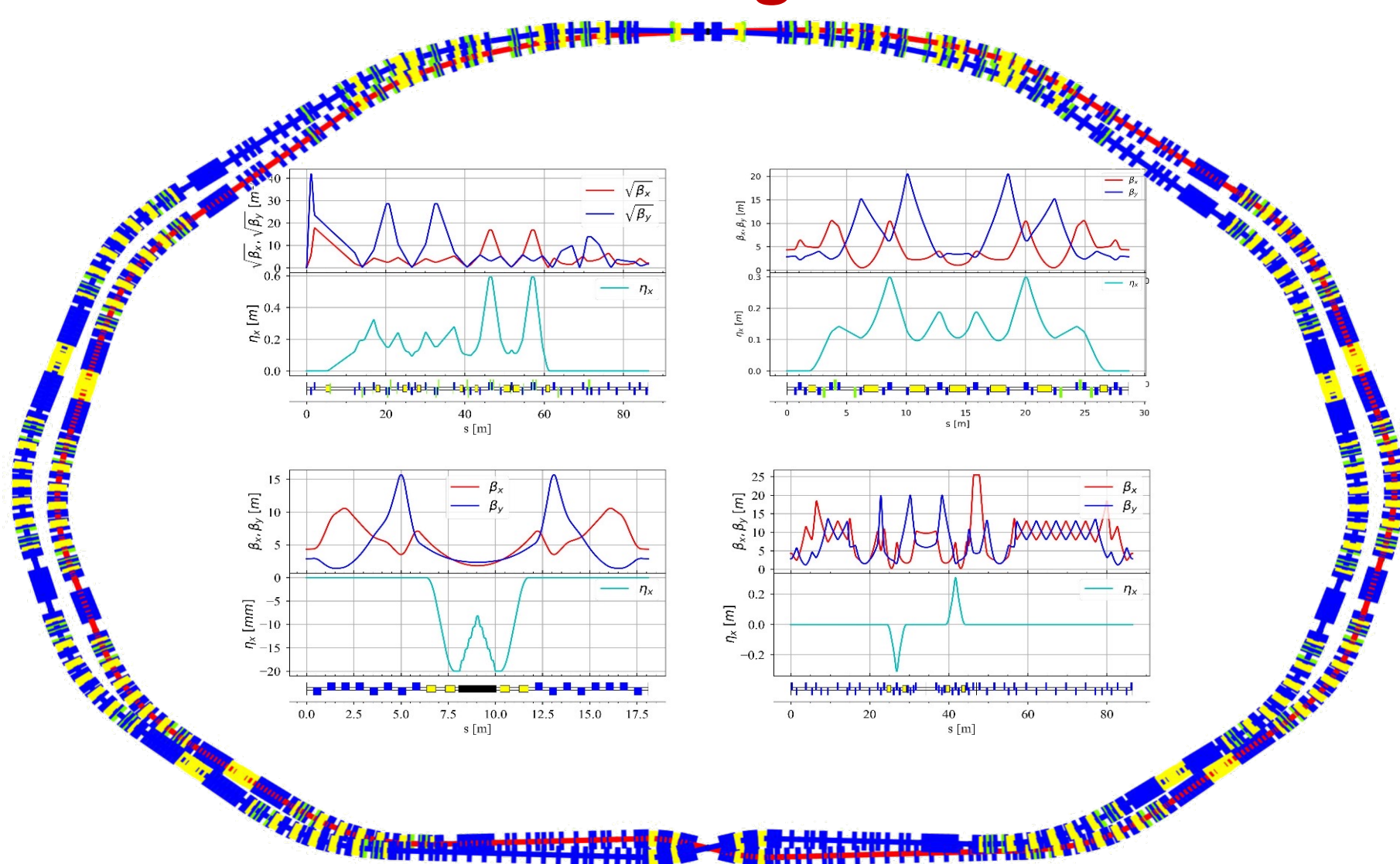
Challenges of STCF Accelerator

- Ultra-high luminosity in the tau charm energy region, high-quality beam, stable operation
- Characterized by extremely small bunch size, high beam current, strong nonlinearity and collective effects



STCF Accelerator Pre-Conceptual Design

Collider ring lattice

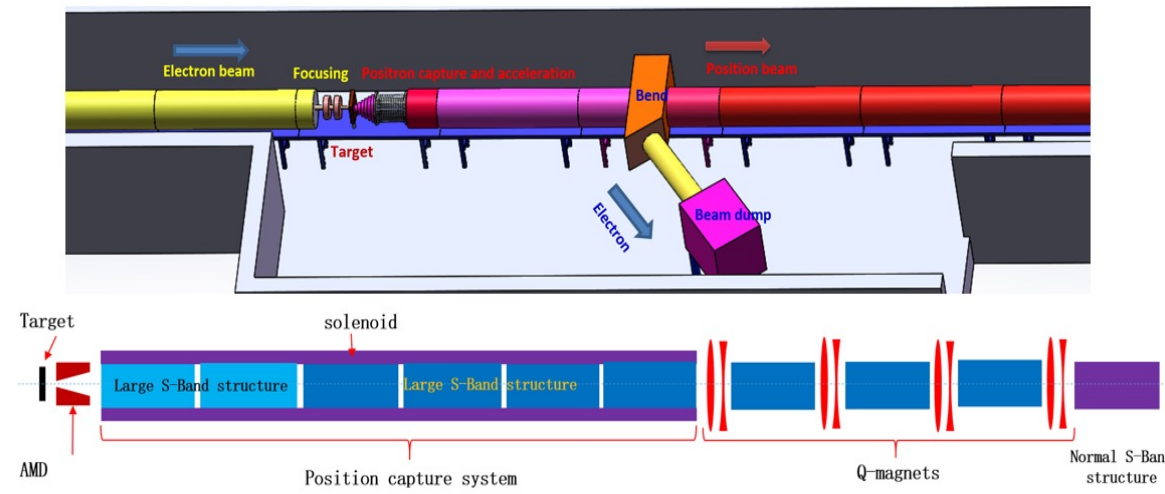


Working on a design with a larger collider ring (800-1000 m)

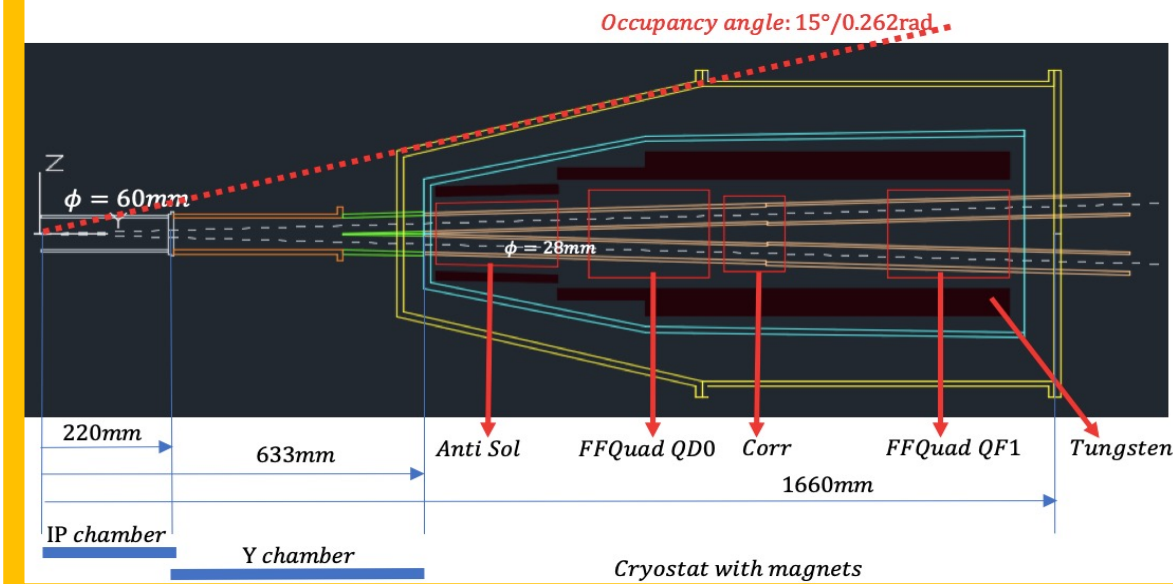
Parameters	Units	STCF
Optimal beam energy, E	GeV	2
Circumference, C	m	616.76
Crossing angle, 2θ	mrad	60
Revolution period, T_0	μs	2.057
Horizontal emittance, ε_x	nm	5.77
Vertical emittance, ε_y	pm	28.85
Beta function at IP, β_x/β_y	mm	40/0.6
Beam size at IP, σ_x/σ_y	μm	15.19 / 0.132
Betatron tune, ν_x/ν_y		31.552/24.572
Momentum compaction factor, α_p	10^{-4}	9.71
Energy spread, σ_ε	10^{-4}	8.26
Beam current, I	A	2
Number of bunches, n_b		512
Single-bunch charge	nC	8.04
Energy loss per turn, U_0	keV	286
SR power per beam, P_{SR}	MW	0.572
Transvers damping time, $\tau_{x/y}$	ms	28.59
RF frequency, f_{RF}	MHz	499.7
RF voltage, V_{RF}	MV	1.2
Bunch length, σ_z	mm	8.2
Piwinski angle, ϕ_{PiW}	rad	16.19
Ver. beam-beam parameter, ξ_y		0.107
Luminosity, L	$\text{cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$	$1.37\text{E}+35$

STCF Accelerator Technology R&D

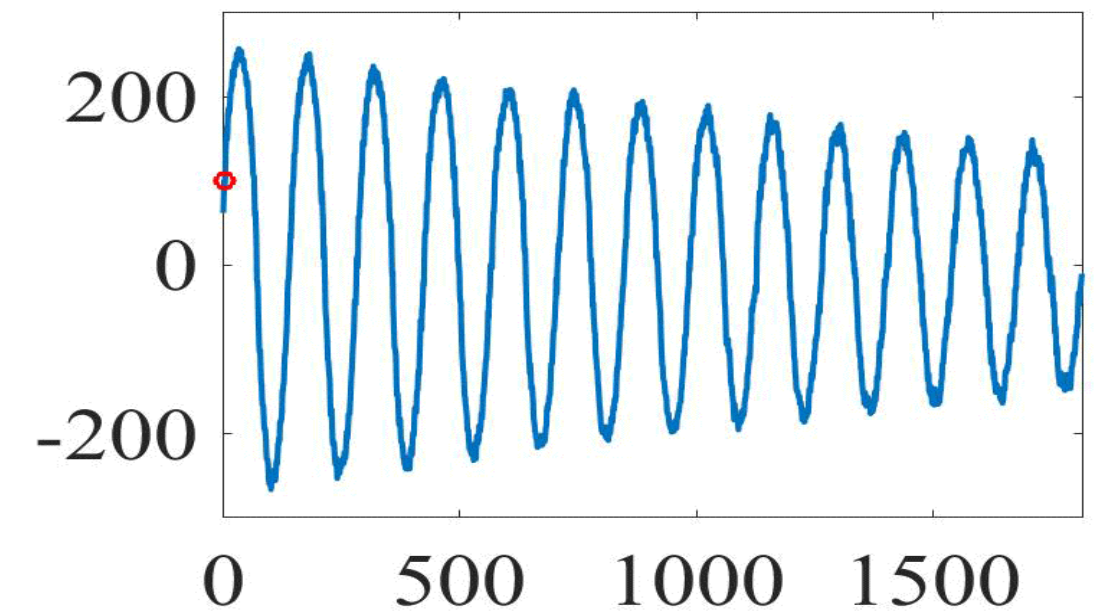
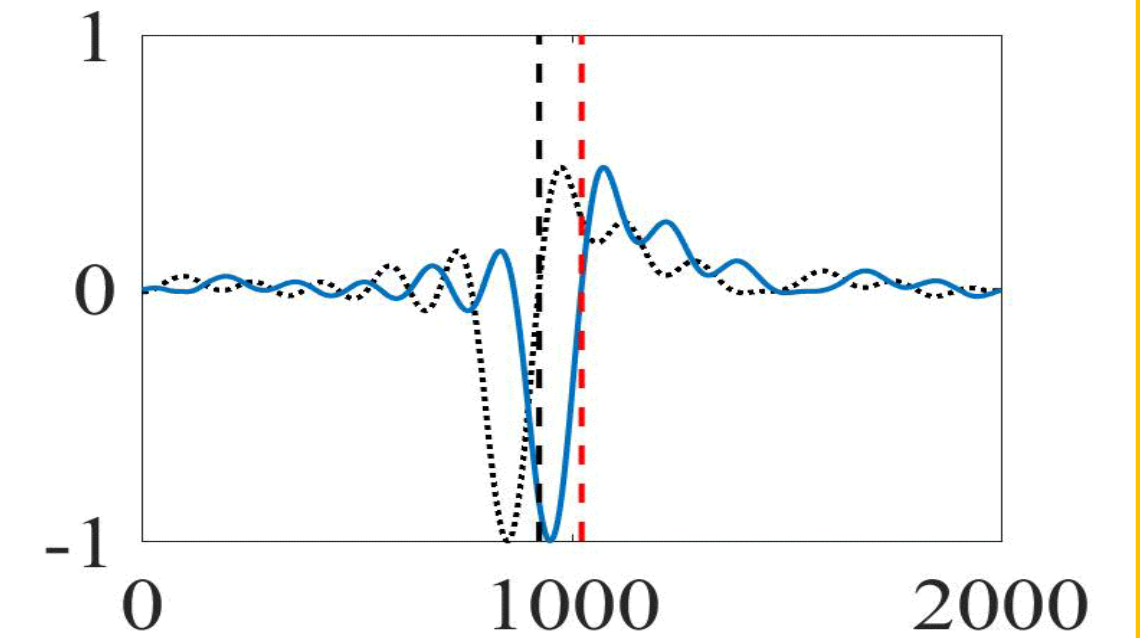
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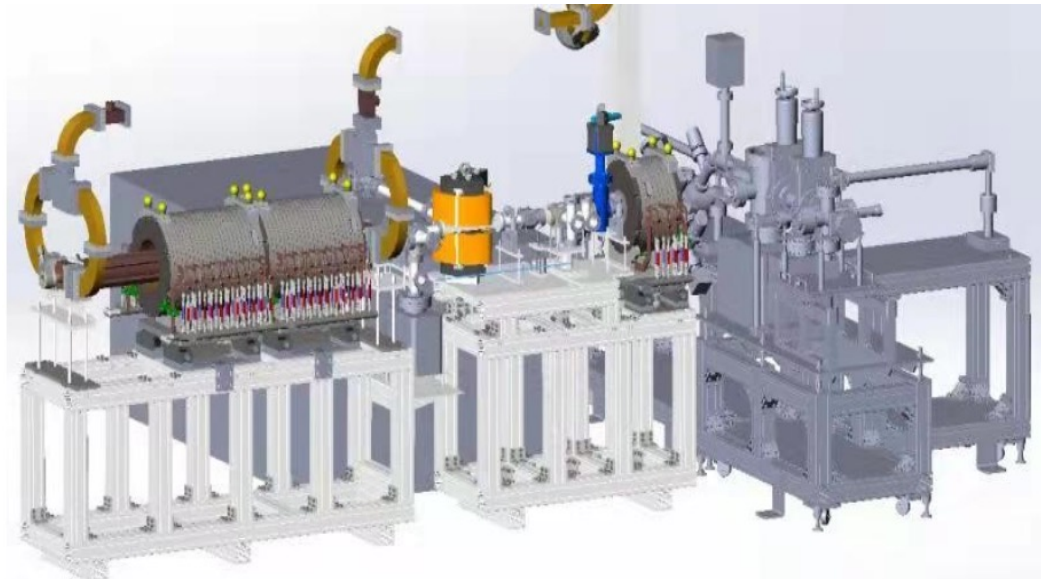
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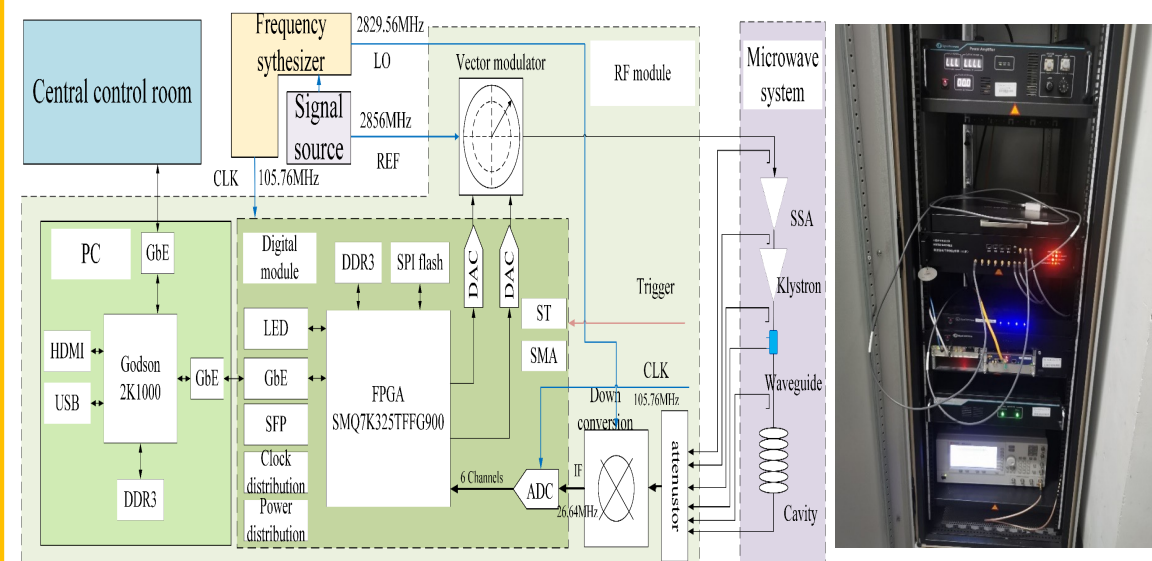
Bunch-by-Bunch 3D position measurement



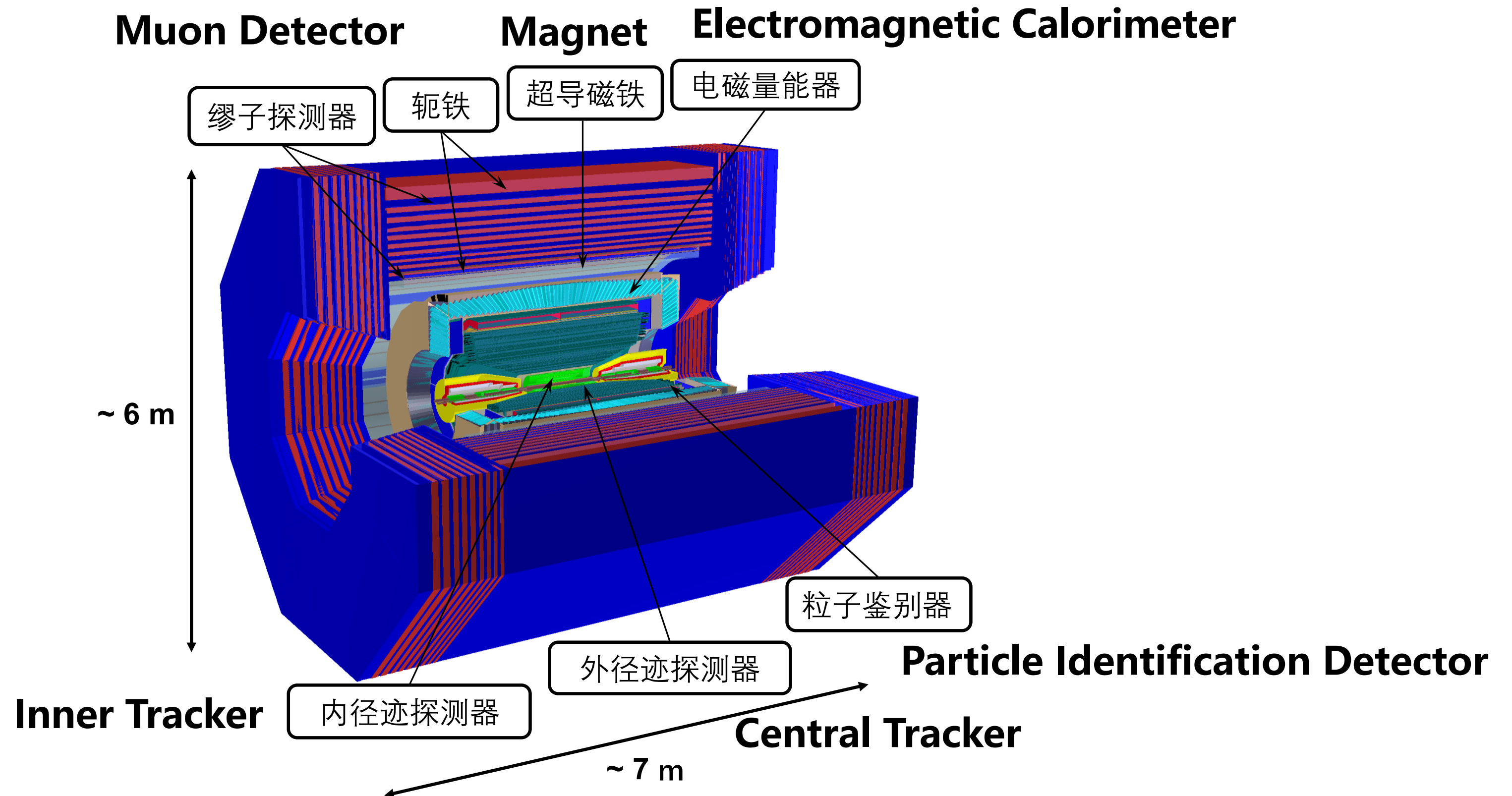
Photocathode e-gun



Low level RF system



STCF Detector Layout

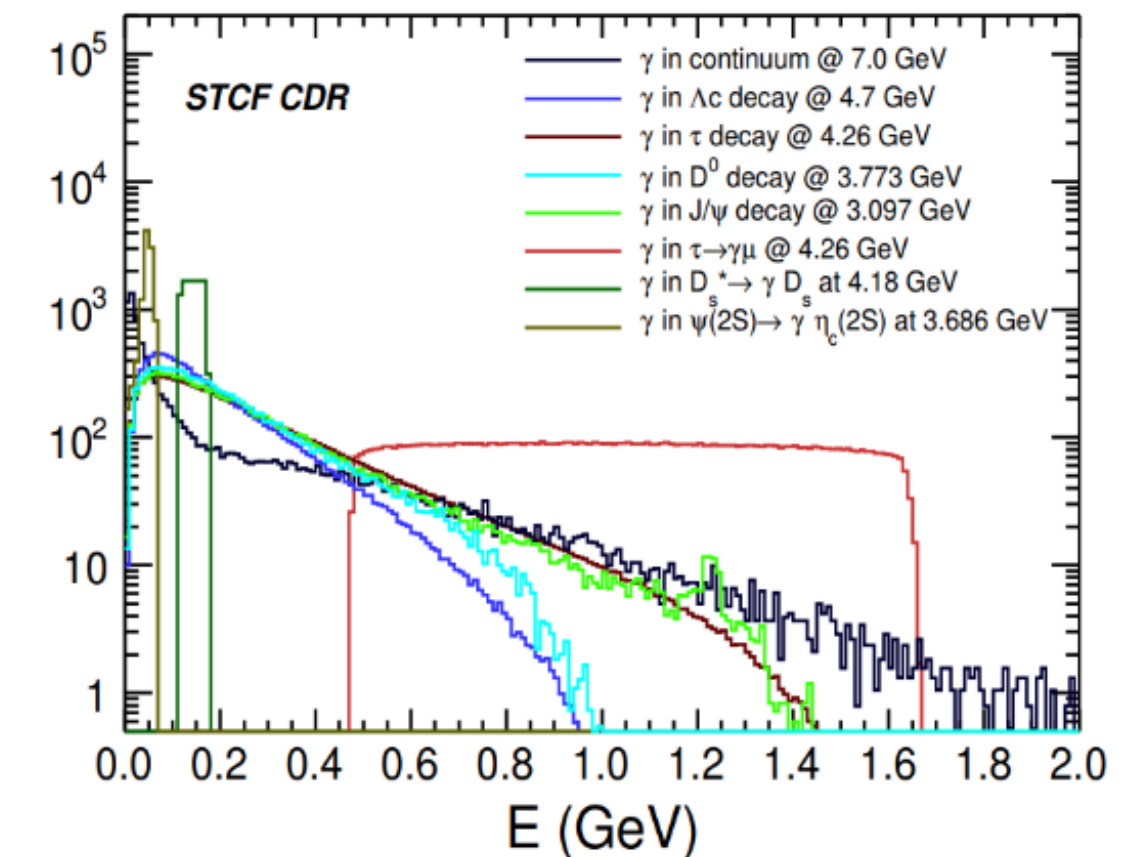
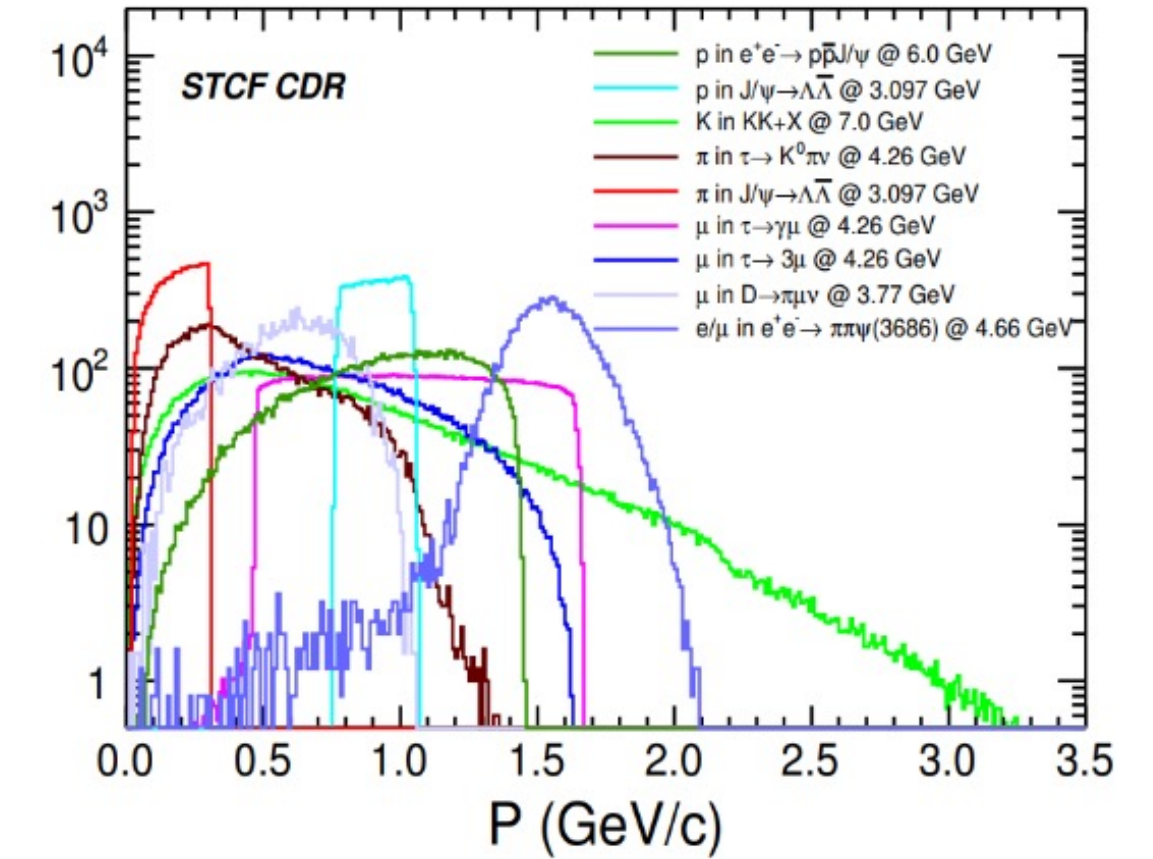


Detector Requirements from Physics

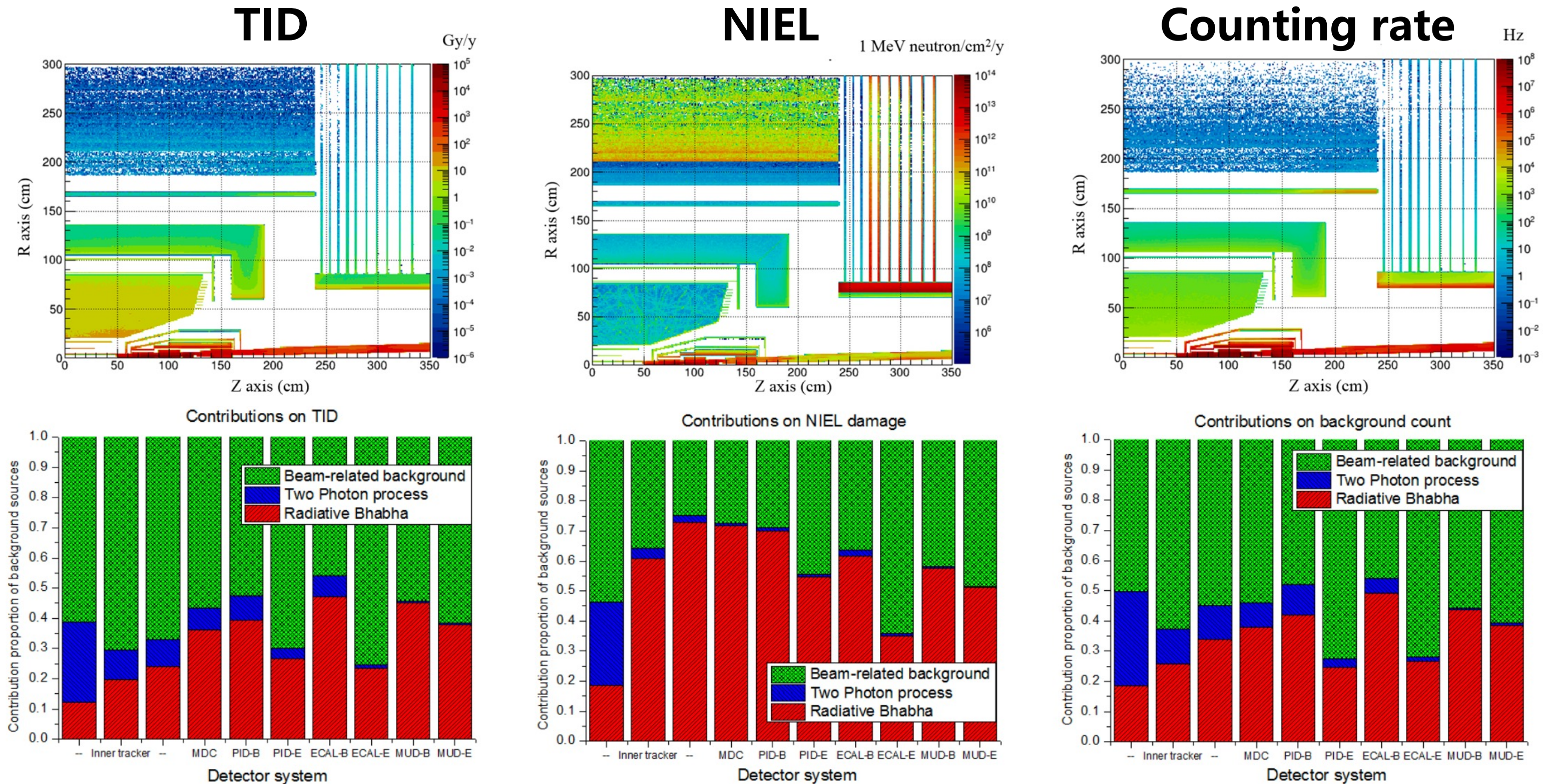
❖ Highly efficient and precise reconstruction of exclusive final states produced in 2-7 GeV e+e- collisions

- ▶ Precise measurement of low-p particles (<1 GeV/c) → **low mass**
- ▶ **Excellent PID**: π/K and μ/π separation up to 2 GeV

Process	Physics Interest	Optimized Subdetector	Requirements
$\tau \rightarrow K_s \pi \nu_\tau$, $J/\psi \rightarrow \Lambda \bar{\Lambda}$, $D_{(s)}$ tag	CPV in the τ sector, CPV in the hyperon sector, Charm physics	ITK+MDC	acceptance: 93% of 4π ; trk. effi.: > 99% at $p_T > 0.3$ GeV/c; > 90% at $p_T = 0.1$ GeV/c $\sigma_p/p = 0.5\%$, $\sigma_{\gamma\phi} = 130 \mu\text{m}$ at 1 GeV/c
$e^+e^- \rightarrow KK + X$, $D_{(s)}$ decays	Fragmentation function, CKM matrix, LQCD etc.	PID	π/K and K/π misidentification rate < 2% PID efficiency of hadrons > 97% at $p < 2$ GeV/c
$\tau \rightarrow \mu\mu\mu$, $\tau \rightarrow \gamma\mu$, $D_s \rightarrow \mu\nu$	cLFV decay of τ , CKM matrix, LQCD etc.	PID+MUD	μ/π suppression power over 30 at $p < 2$ GeV/c, μ efficiency over 95% at $p = 1$ GeV/c
$\tau \rightarrow \gamma\mu$, $\psi(3686) \rightarrow \gamma\eta(2S)$	cLFV decay of τ , Charmonium transition	EMC	$\sigma_E/E \approx 2.5\%$ at $E = 1$ GeV $\sigma_{\text{pos}} \approx 5$ mm at $E = 1$ GeV
$e^+e^- \rightarrow n\bar{n}$, $D_0 \rightarrow K_L \pi^+ \pi^-$	Nucleon structure Unity of CKM triangle	EMC+MUD	$\sigma_T = \frac{300}{\sqrt{p^3(\text{GeV}^3)}} \text{ ps}$



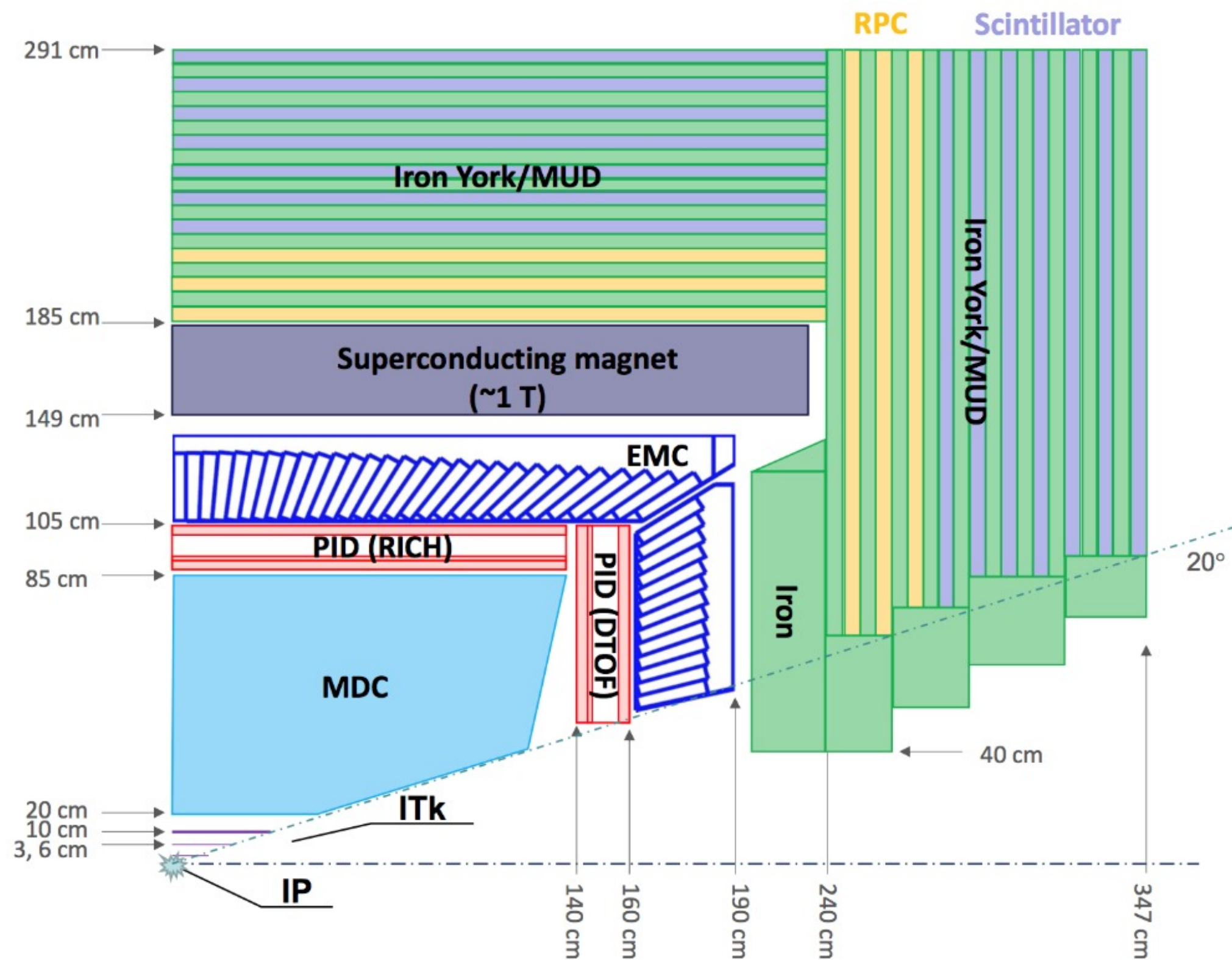
Beam-induced Backgrounds



Inner most detector layer: ~ 3.5 kGy/y, $\sim 2 \times 10^{11}$ 1MeV n-eq/cm²/y, ~ 1 MHz/cm²

The major challenge is to maintain or even enhance the state of the art performance of τ -c detectors in much harsher experimental conditions.

STCF Detector Conceptual Design



Solid Angle Coverage : $94\% \cdot 4\pi$ ($\theta \sim 20^\circ$)

- ❖ **Inner tracker** (two options)
 - ▶ MPGD: cylindrical MPGD
 - ▶ Silicon: CMOS MAPS
- ❖ **Central tracker**
 - ▶ Drift chamber
- ❖ **PID**
 - ▶ Barrel: RICH with CsI-MPGD
 - ▶ Endcaps: DIRC-like TOF (DTOF)
- ❖ **EMC**
 - ▶ pure CsI + APD
- ❖ **Muon detector**
 - ▶ RPC + scintillator strips
- ❖ **Magnet**
 - ▶ Super-conducting solenoid, 1 T

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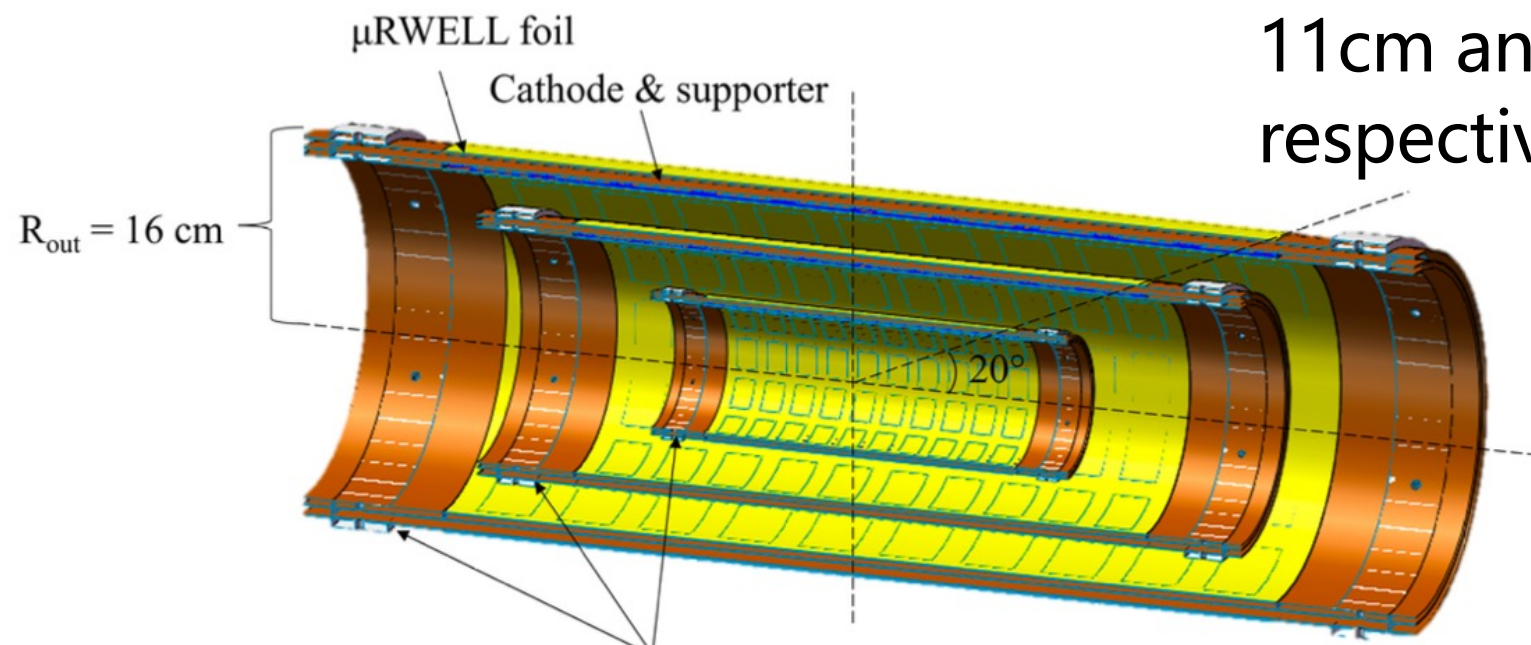
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Tracking System : inner tracker + main drift chamber

Gaseous option: MPGD

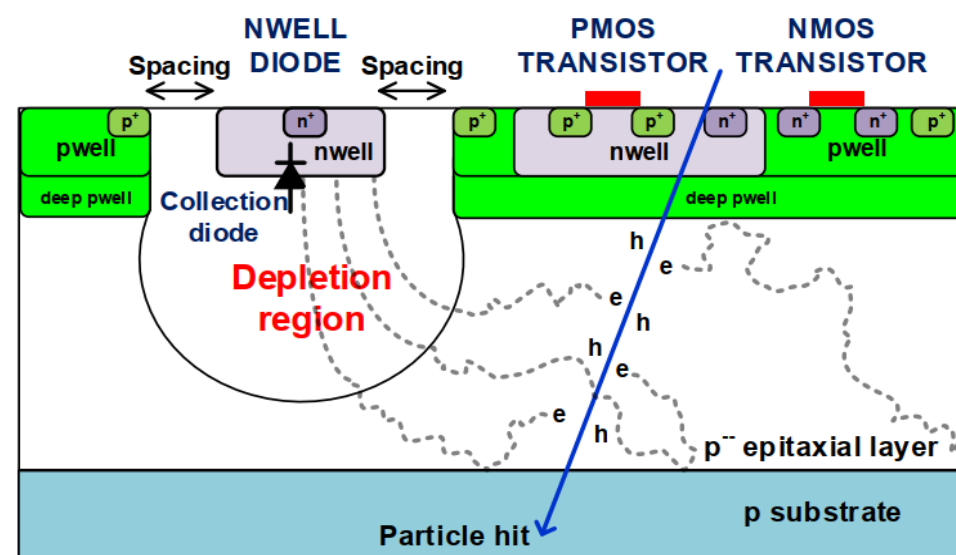
3 layers at 6cm, 11cm and 16 cm, respectively.



3 layers of cylindrical μ RWELL inner tracker
(with sensitive length of 33, 61, 88 cm respectively)

Material budget $< 0.3\%X_0$ /layer

Silicon option: CMOS MAPS

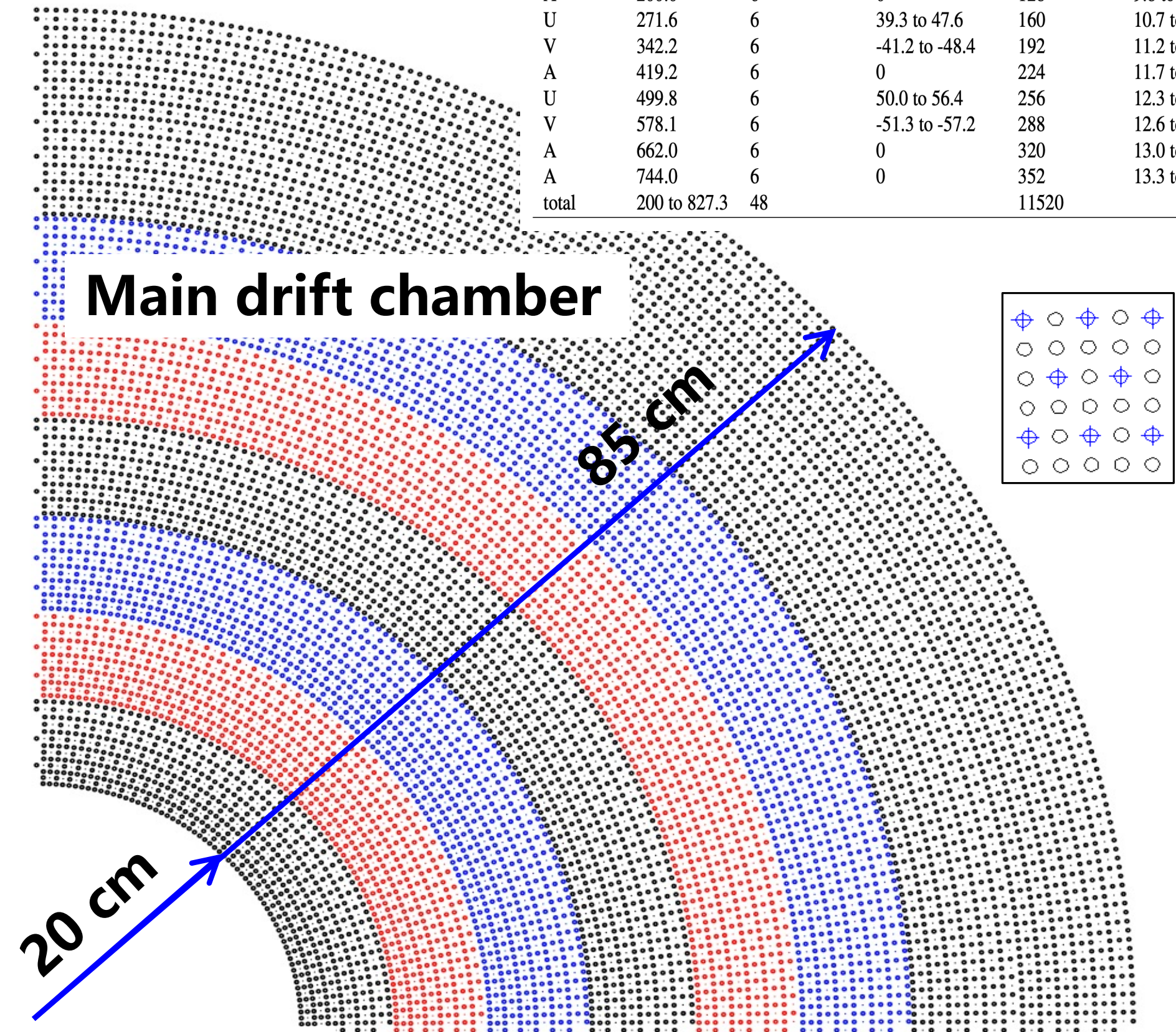


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3 layers at 3.6cm, 9.8cm and 16 cm, respectively.

Superlayer	Radius (mm)	Num. of Layers	Inclination (mrad)	Num. of Cells	Cell size (mm)
A	200.0	6	0	128	9.8 to 12.5
U	271.6	6	39.3 to 47.6	160	10.7 to 12.9
V	342.2	6	-41.2 to -48.4	192	11.2 to 13.2
A	419.2	6	0	224	11.7 to 13.5
U	499.8	6	50.0 to 56.4	256	12.3 to 13.8
V	578.1	6	-51.3 to -57.2	288	12.6 to 14.0
A	662.0	6	0	320	13.0 to 14.3
A	744.0	6	0	352	13.3 to 14.5
total	200 to 827.3	48		11520	

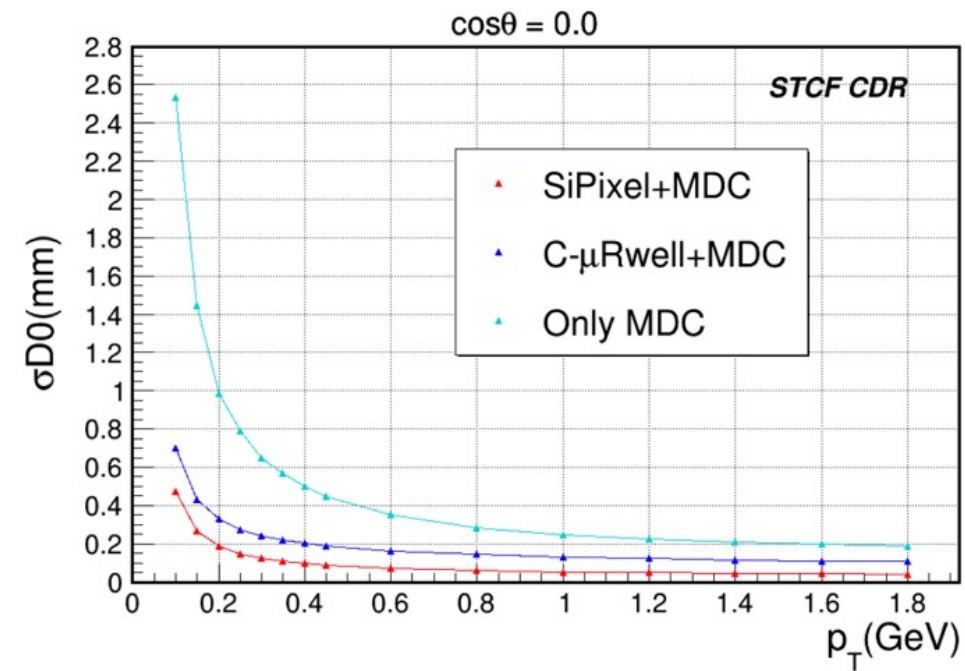
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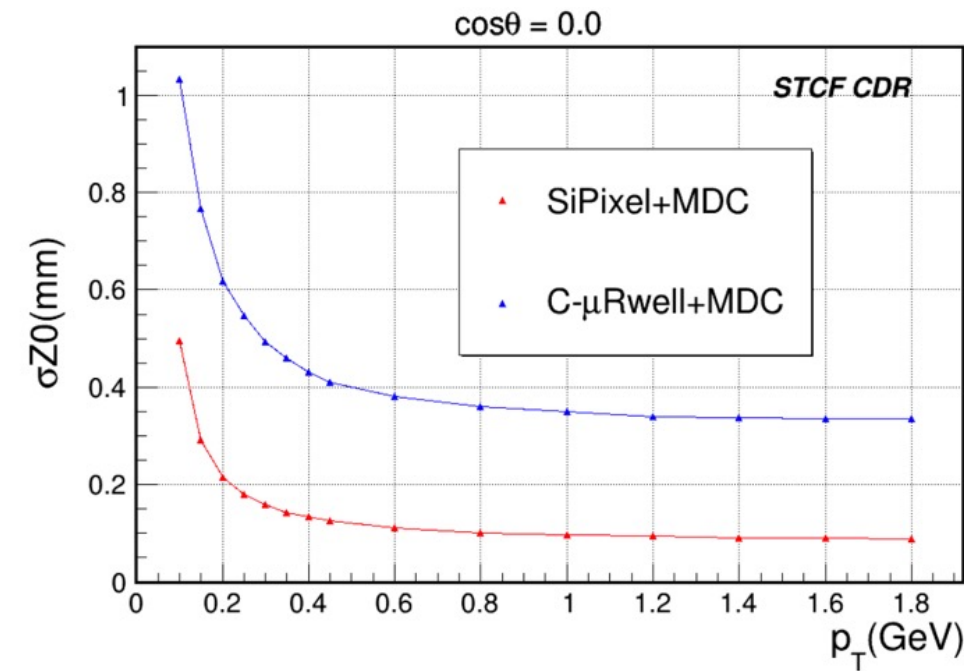
Inner tracker

Total material budget $\sim 4\%X_0$
(walls included)

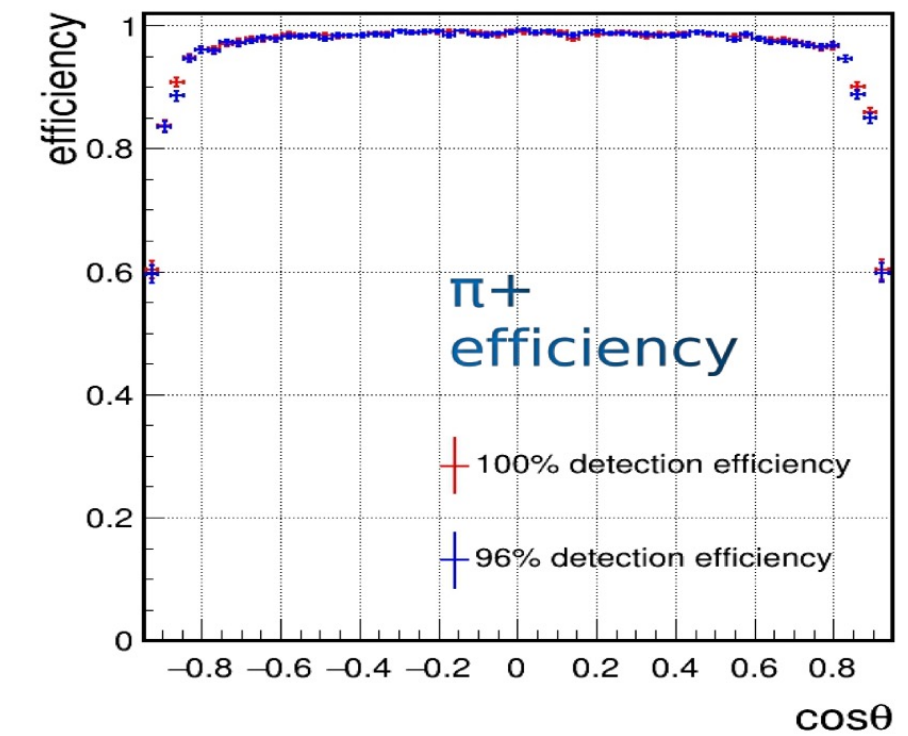
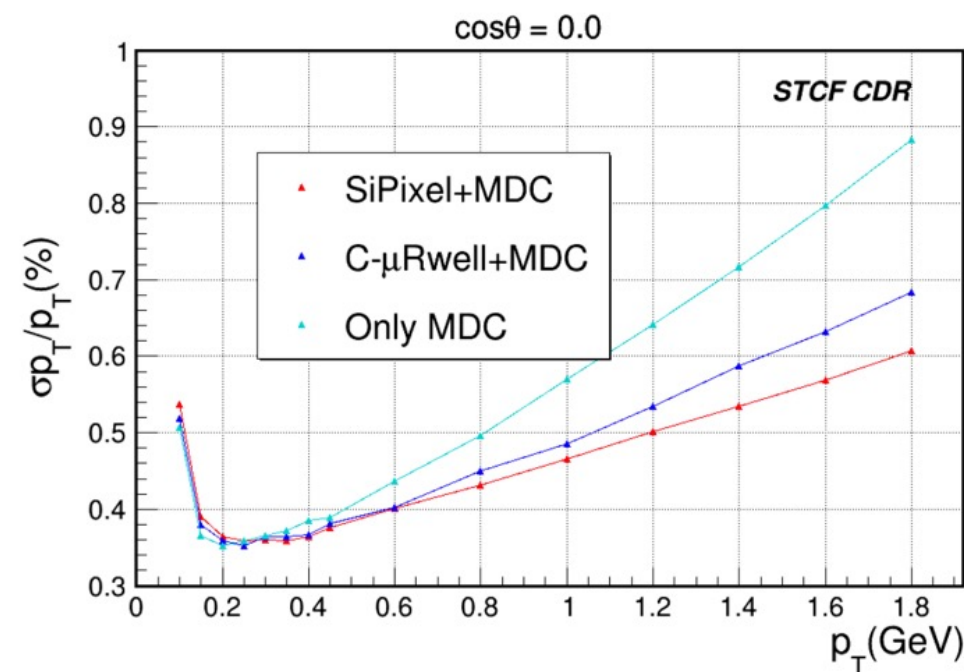
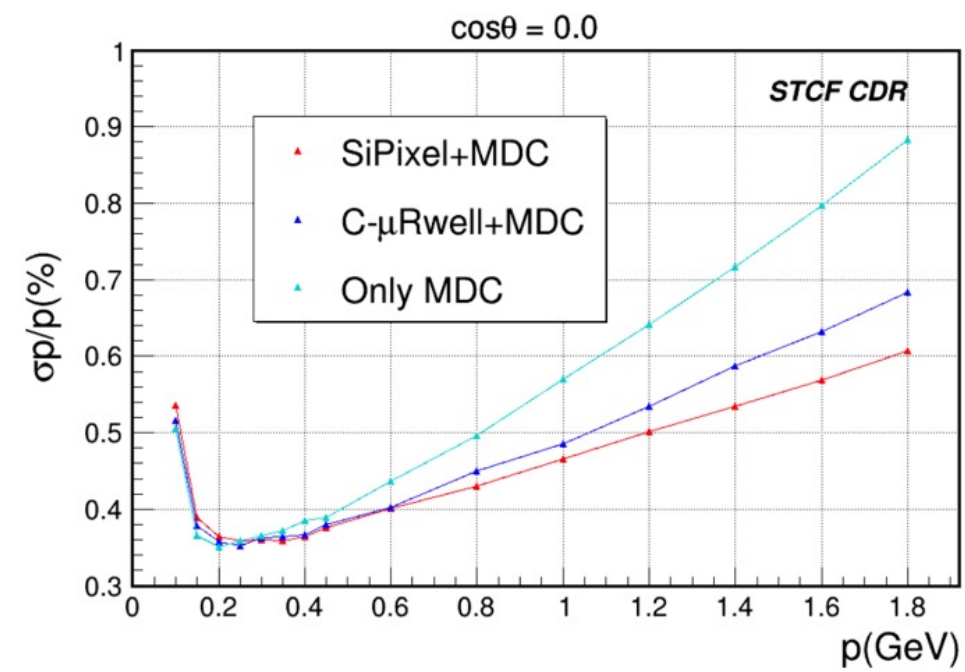
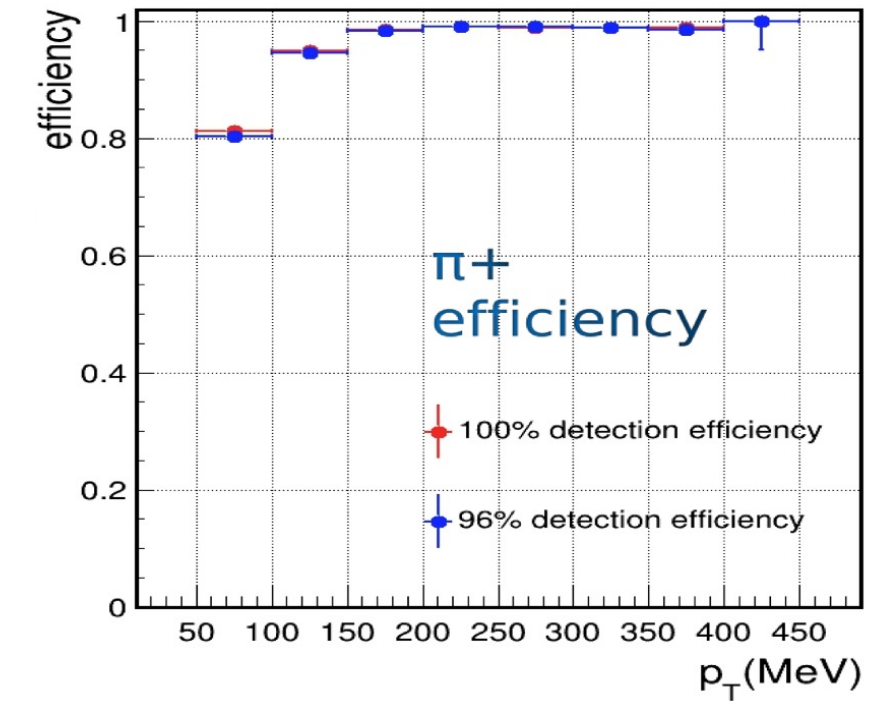
Combined Tracking Performance



(a)



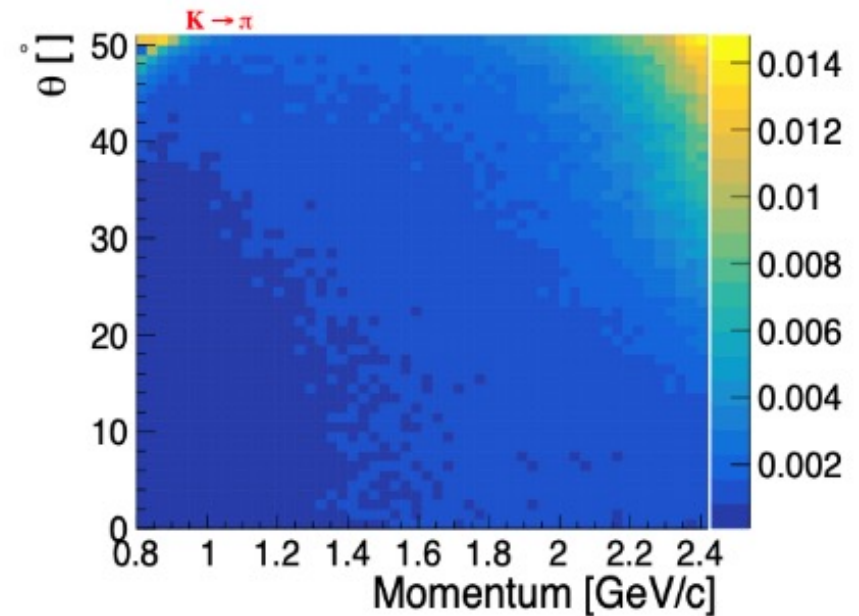
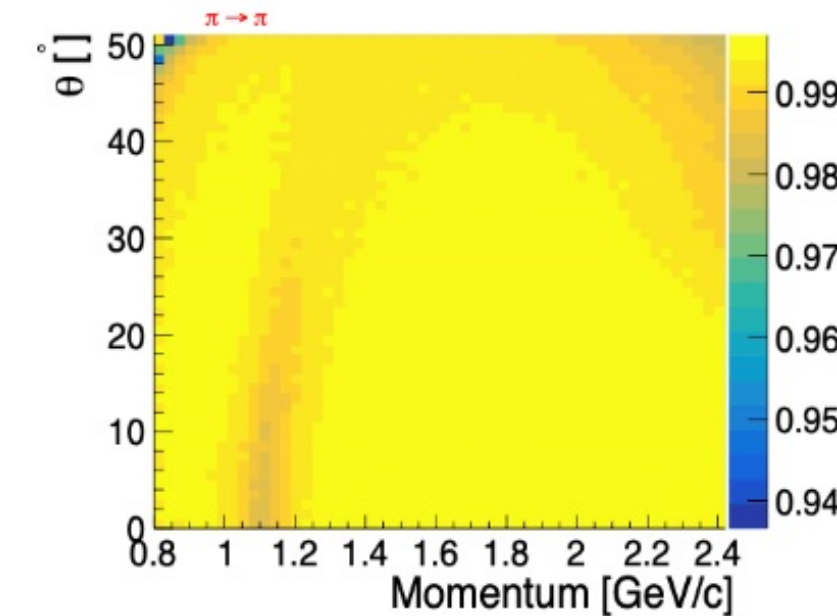
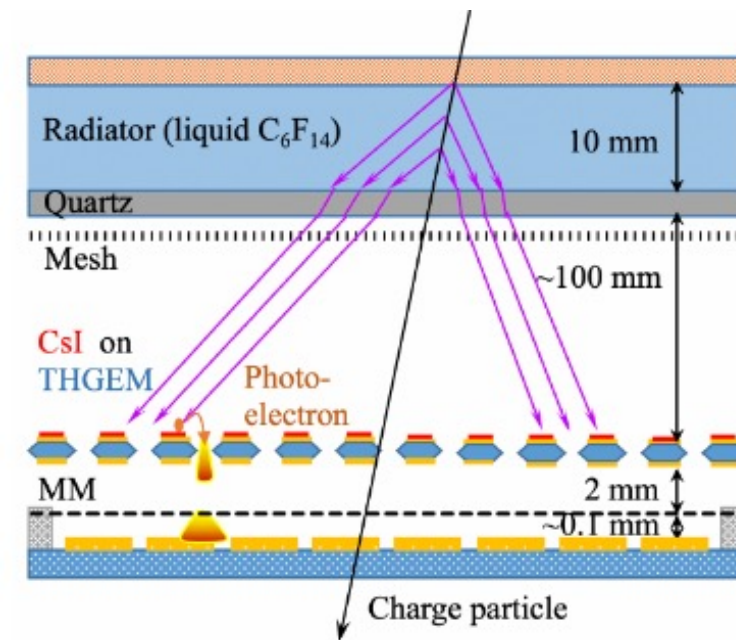
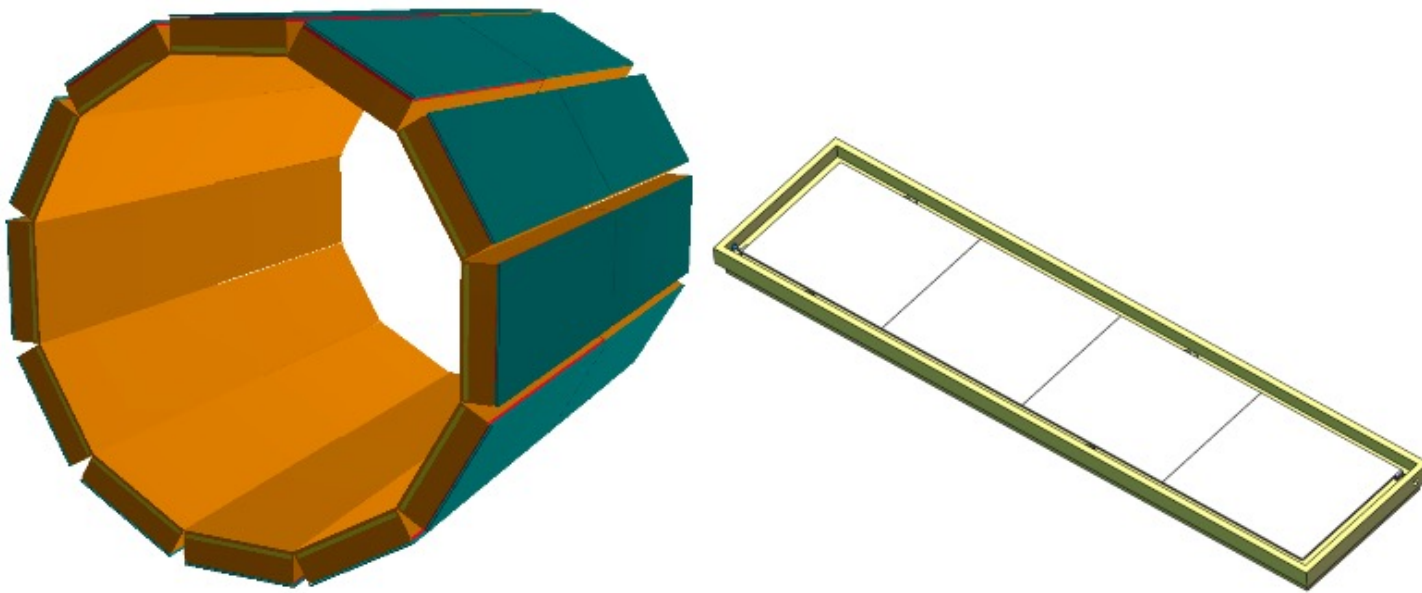
(b)



Ongoing layout optimization of the tracking system, particularly targeting low momentum tracking performance.

Particle Identification

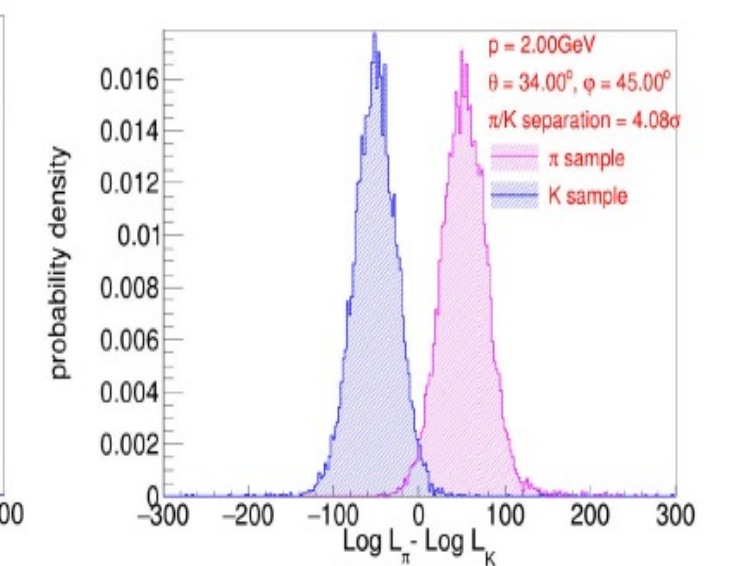
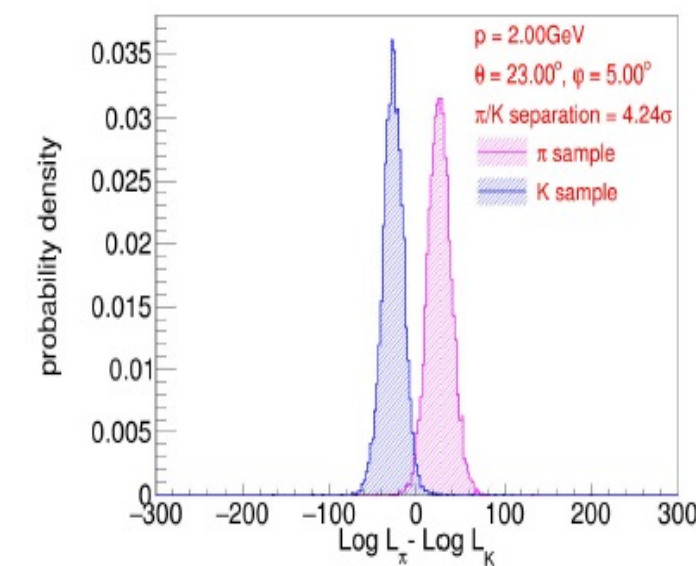
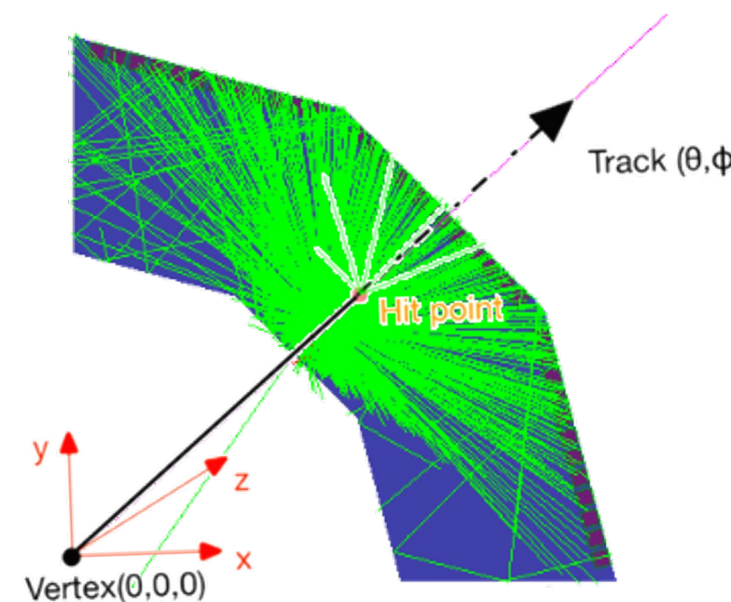
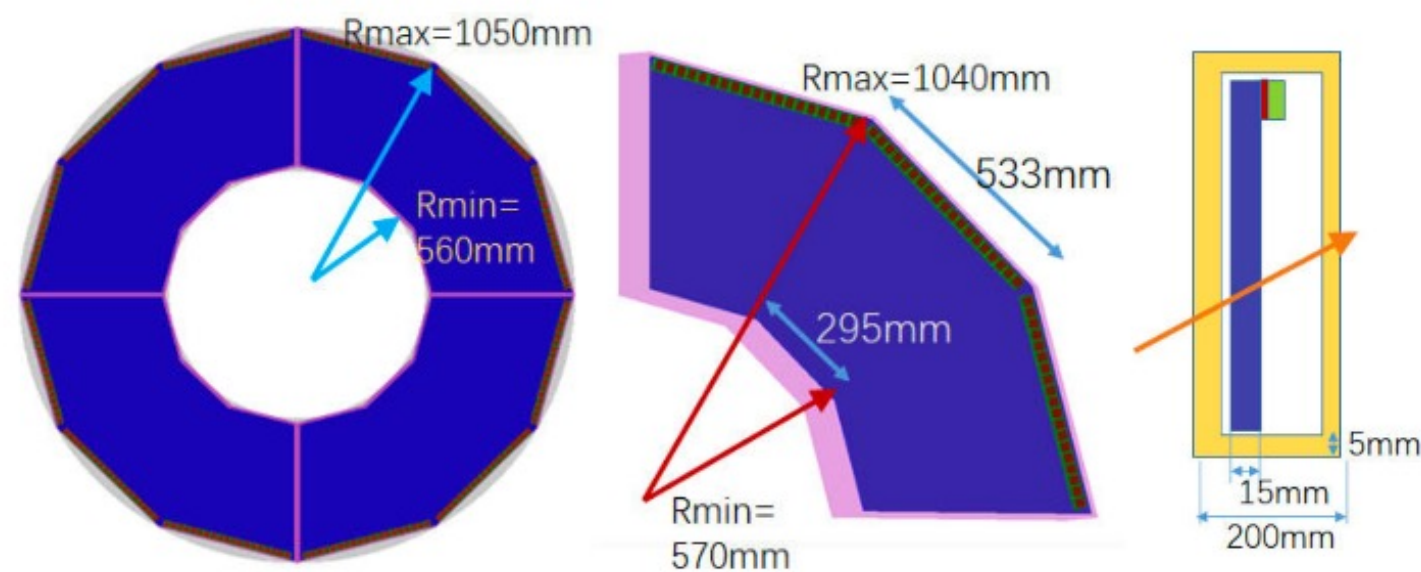
- Barrel : A RICH detector using MPGD (THGEM with CsI + MM) for photon detection



Material budget < $0.3X_0$

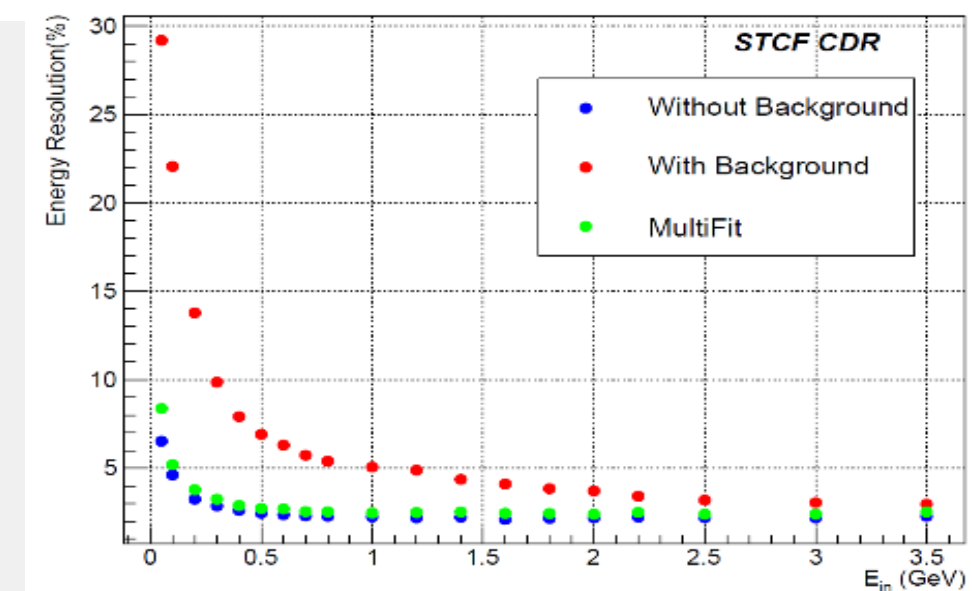
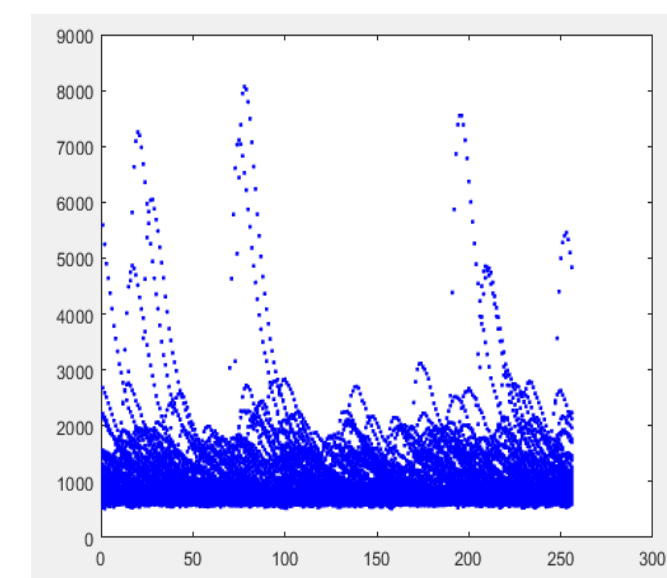
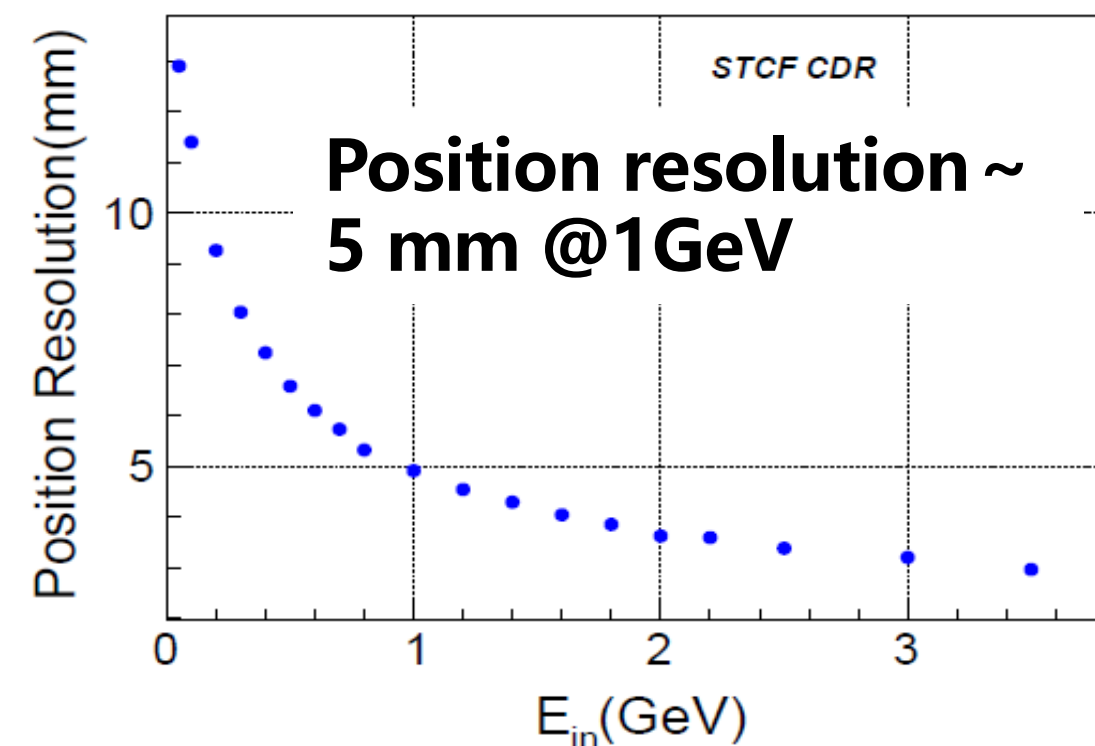
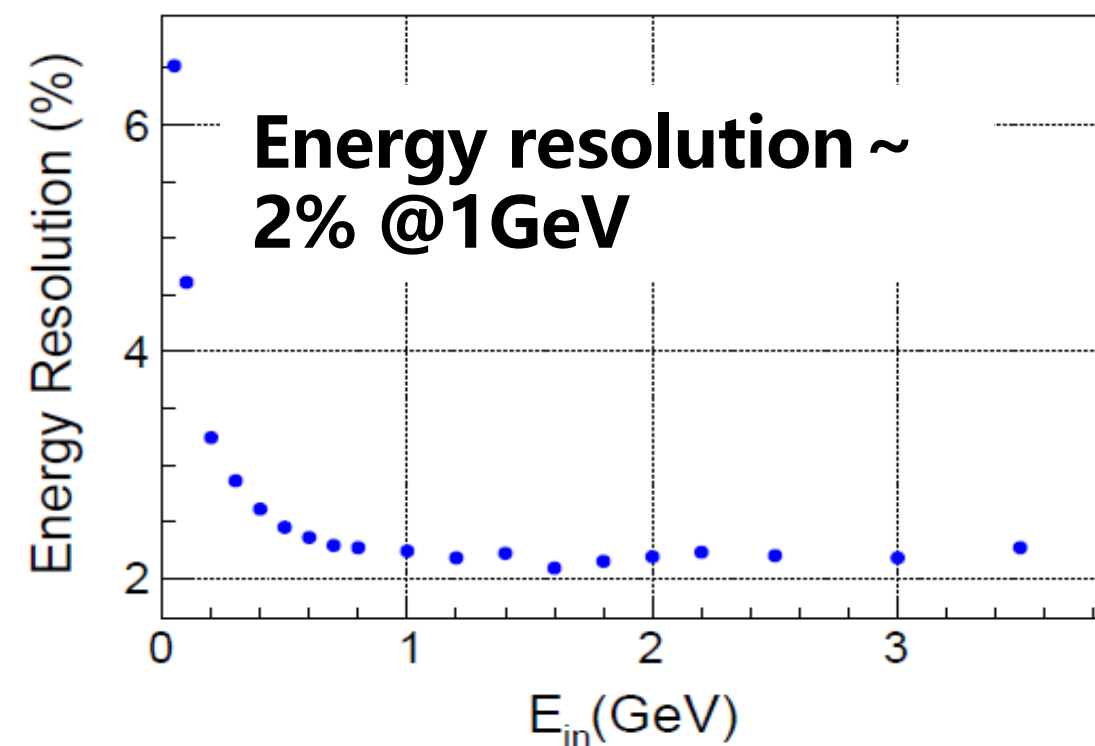
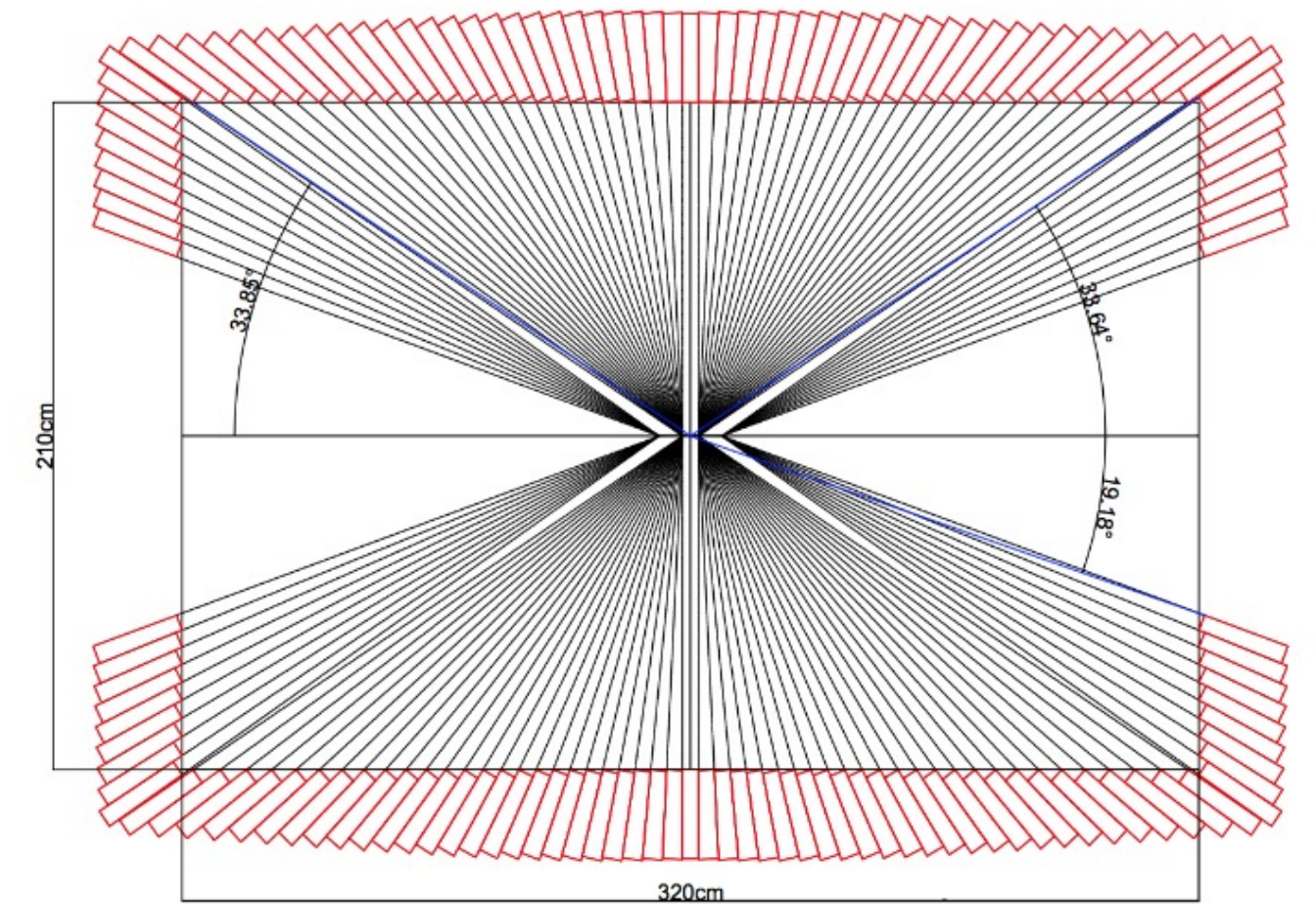
- Endcaps : A DIRC-like high-resolution TOF detector (DTOF)

$K/\pi > 4\sigma @ 2.0\text{GeV}/c$



Electromagnetic Calorimeter

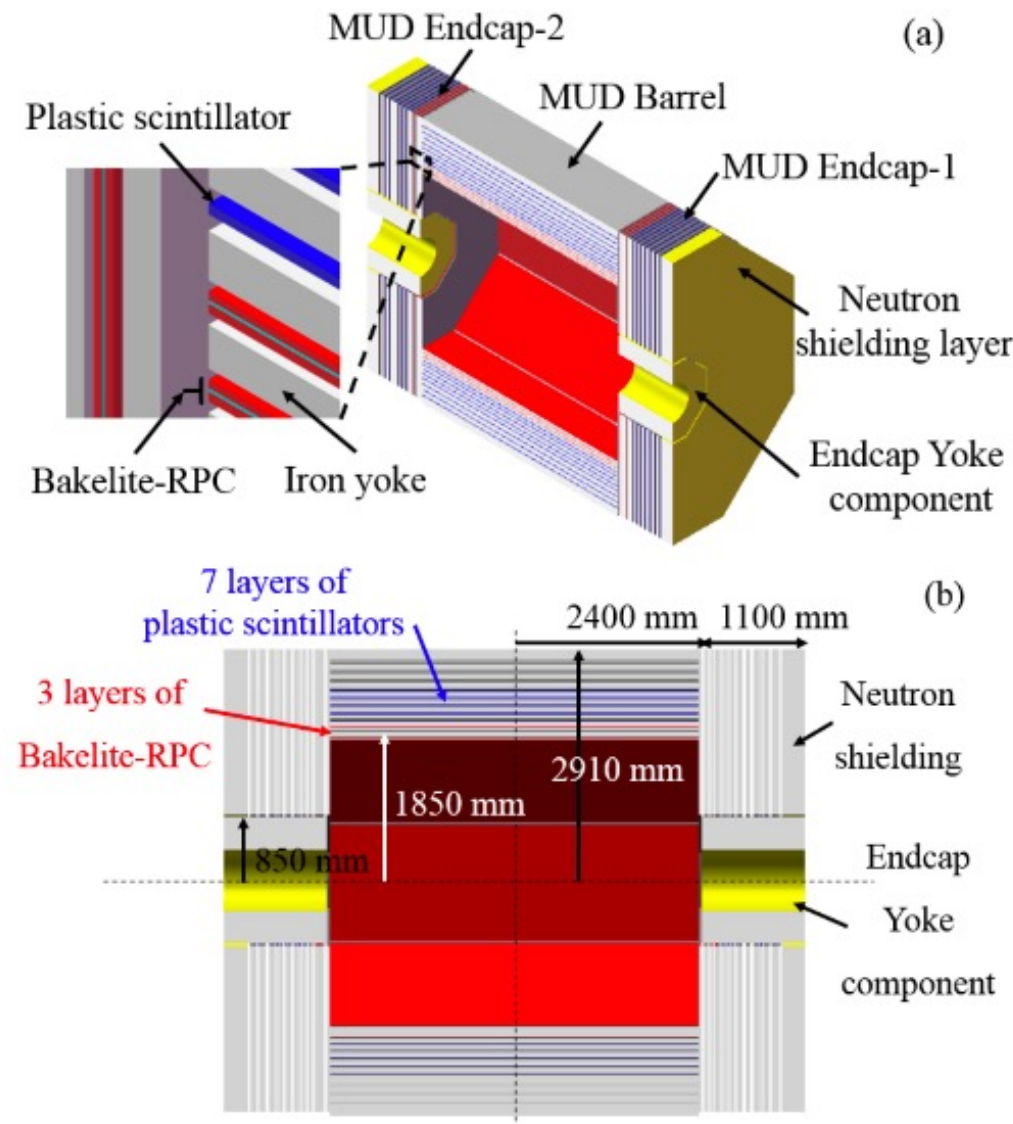
- A crystal calorimeter using pure CsI to tackle the high background rate ($> 1 \text{ MHz/crystal}$)
 - crystal size: 28cm ($15X_0$), $5 \times 5 \text{ cm}^2$
 - 6732 crystals in barrel, 1938 crystals in endcaps
 - defocused layout
 - 4 large area APDs ($1 \times 1 \text{ cm}^2$) to enhance light yield



Simulation assuming a light yield of 100pe/MeV

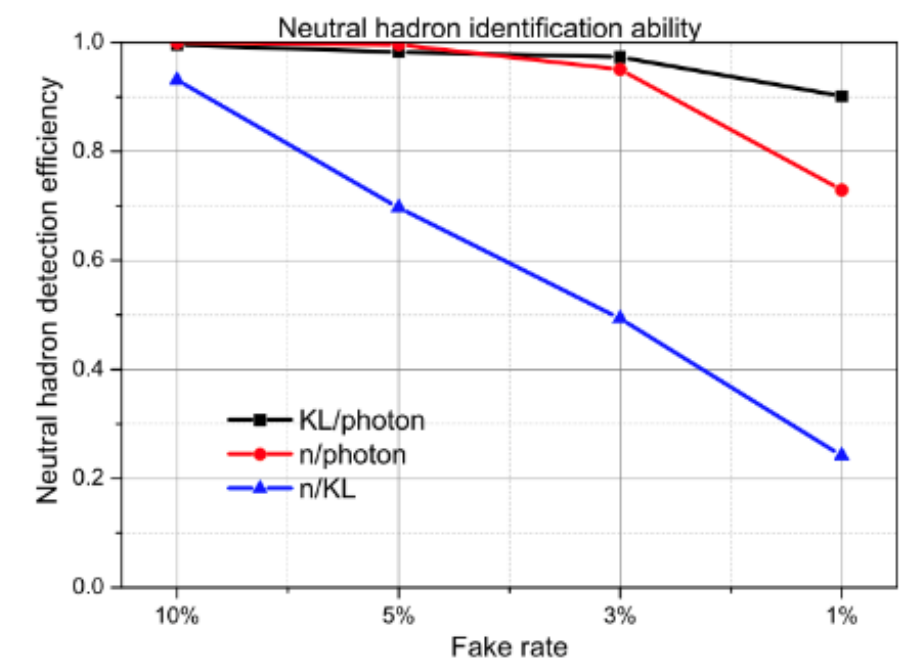
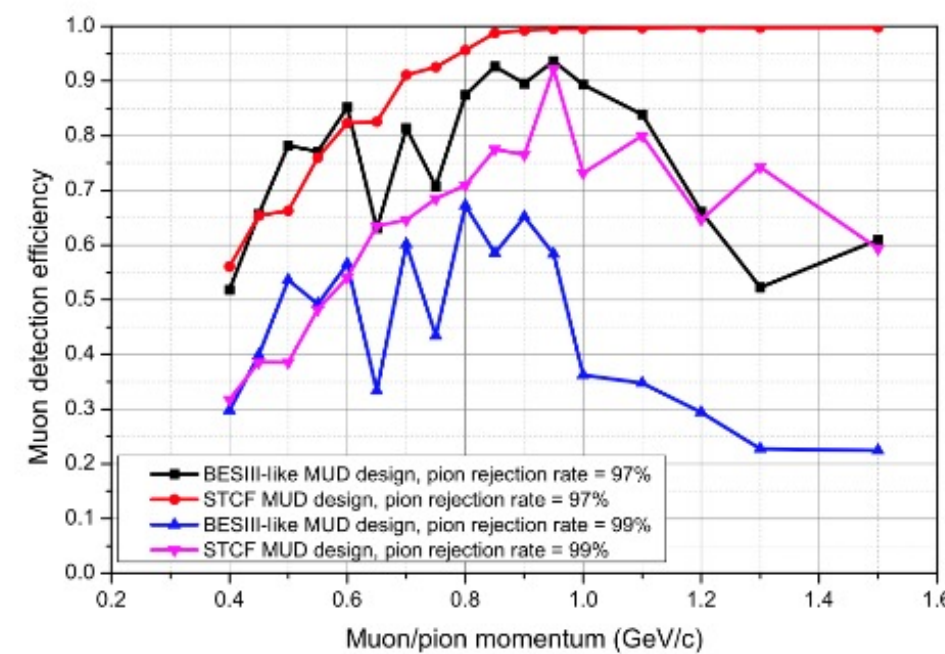
Pileup removal with waveform fitting

Muon Detector



Parameter	Baseline design
R_{in} [cm]	185
R_{out} [cm]	291
R_e [cm]	85
L_{Barrel} [cm]	480
T_{Endcap} [cm]	107
Segmentation in ϕ	8
Number of detector layers	10
Iron yoke thickness [cm]	4/4/4.5/4.5/6/6/6/8/8 cm
($\lambda=16.77$ cm)	Total: 51 cm, 3.04λ
Solid angle	$79.2\% \times 4\pi$ in barrel
	$14.8\% \times 4\pi$ in endcap
	$94\% \times 4\pi$ in total
Total area [m ²]	Barrel ~717
	Endcap ~520
	Total ~1237

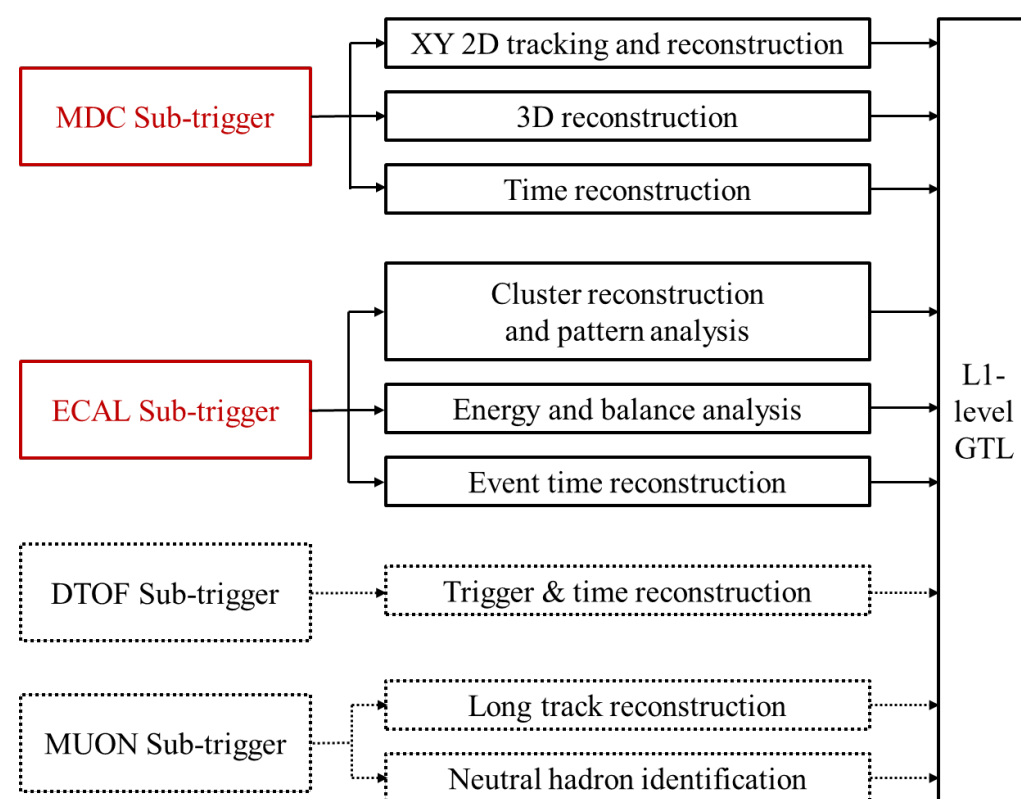
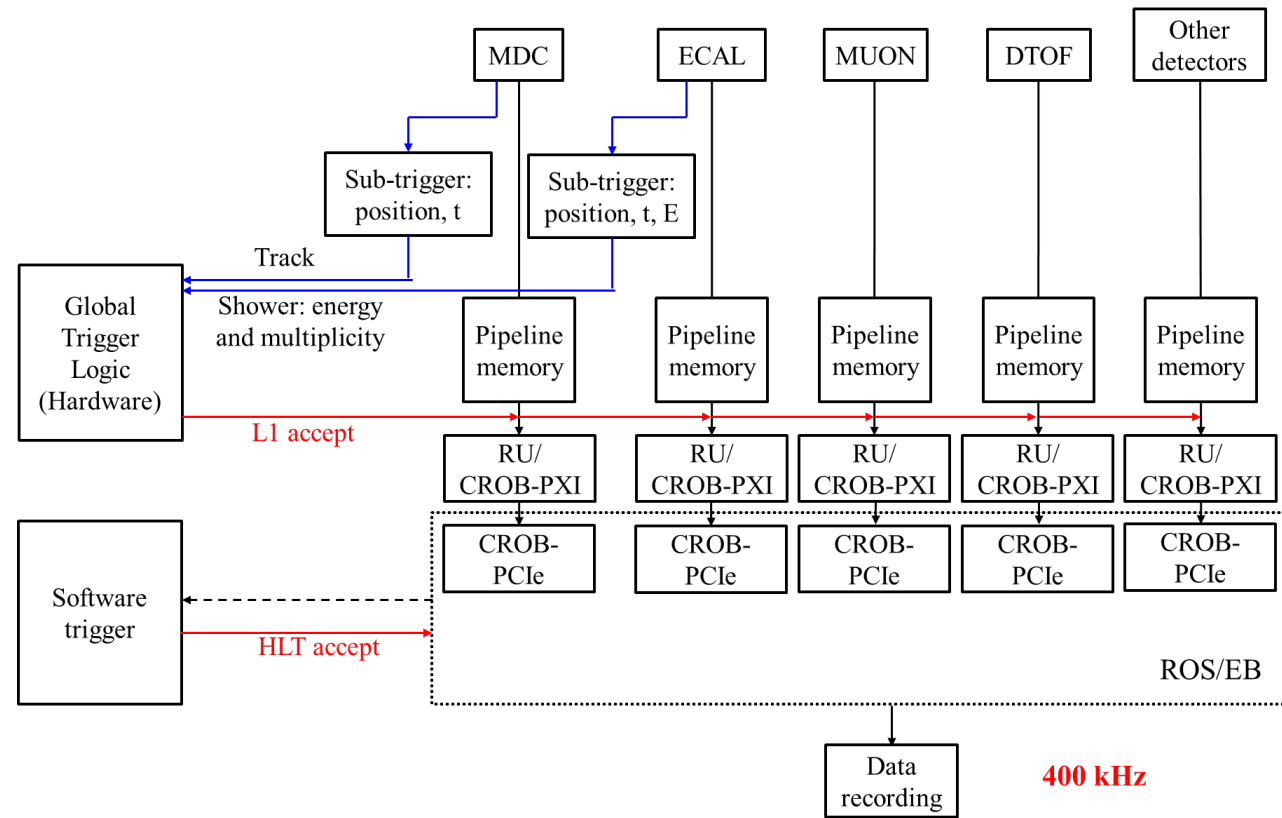
- A hybrid design with RPC and scintillator strips for optimal overall performance
 - RPC for inner layers : not sensitive to background
 - Scintillator for outer layers: sensitive to hadrons
- Key design parameters have been optimized for muon and neutral hadron identification performance
 - Inner 3 RPC layers + outer 7 scintillator layers



Using BDT combining the muon detector and EMC

Trigger and DAQ

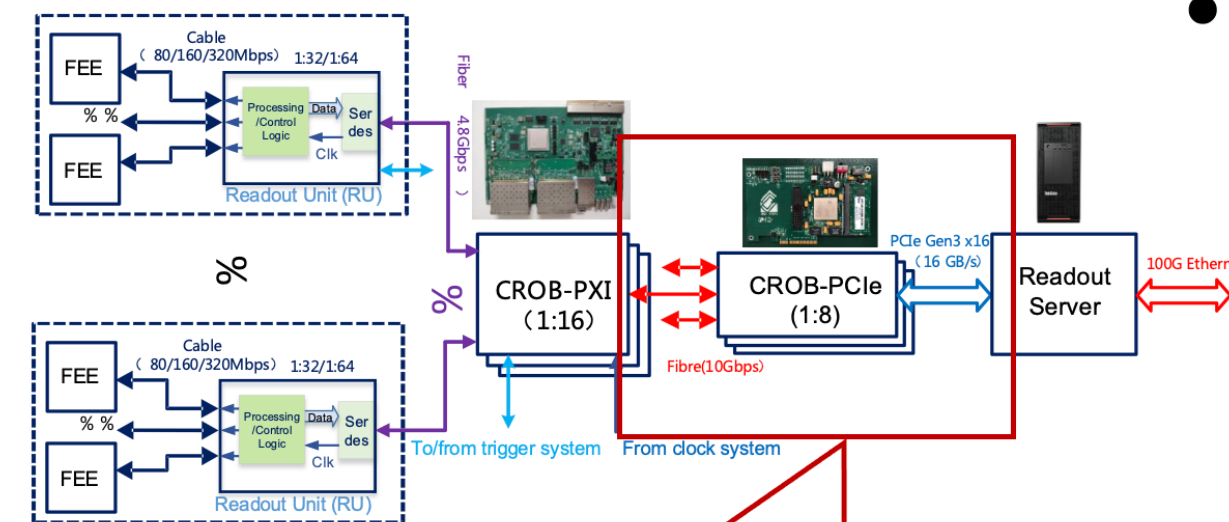
Physics event rate ~ 400 kHz



Component	Num. of channels	Readout time window	Event size (B)	Total (B/s)
ITK (Silicon)	50M	500 ns	14300	5.72G
ITK (μ RWELL)	10552	500 ns	17232	6.89G
MDC	11520	1 μ s	20400	8.16G
PID (RICH)	518400	500 ns	15600	6.24G
PID (DTOF)	6912	500 ns	7380	2.95G
EMC	8670	500 ns	15000	6.00G
MUD	41280	500 ns	262	105M
Total(Silicon)	50.6M	-	72.9k	29.2G
Total(μRWELL)	594k	-	75.9k	30.4G

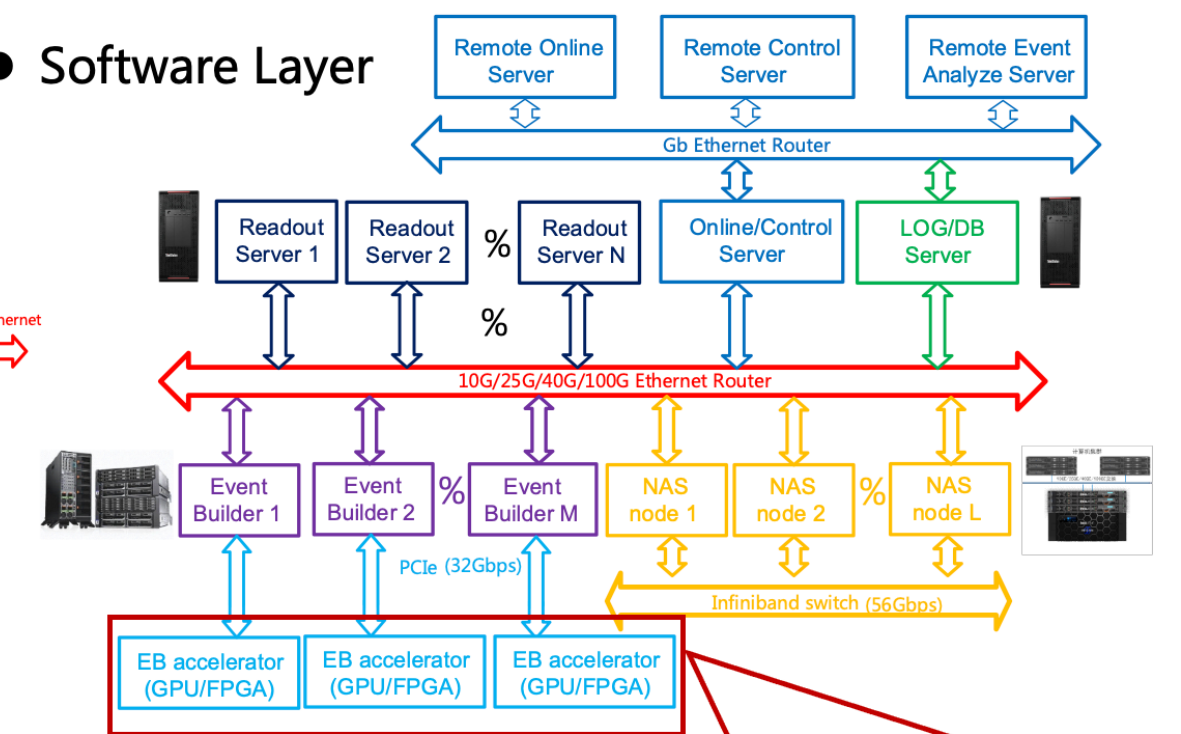
Raw data rate > 200 GB/s , triggered data rate ~ 30 GB/s

● FPGA Layer



Optional:
FPGA 10G Ethernet core: FPGA → Computer Farm

● Software Layer



Optional: heterogeneous computing based on FPGA and/or GPU

MPGD Inner Tracker R&D

Cylindrical MPGD (uRWELL, uRGroove) and beam test

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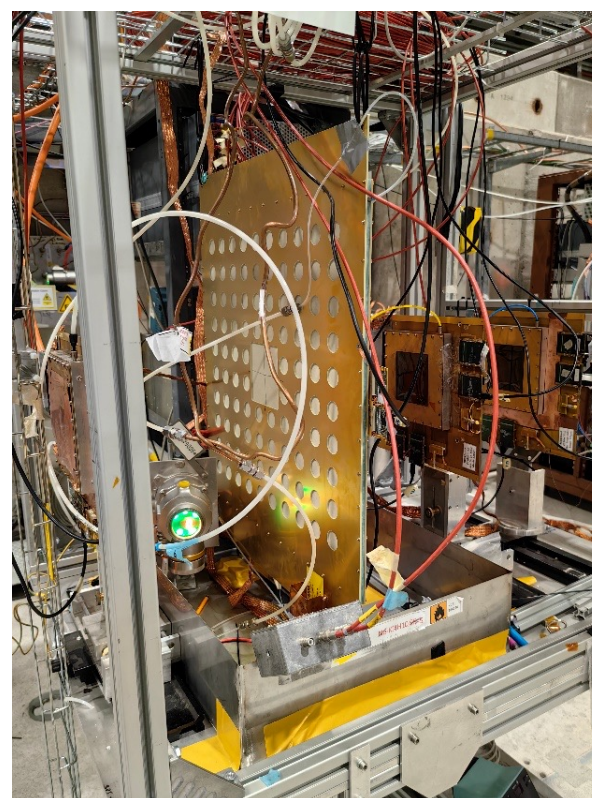
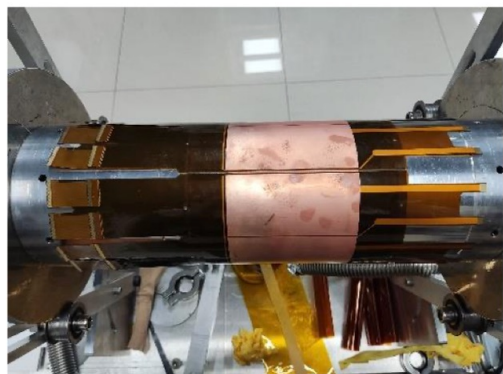
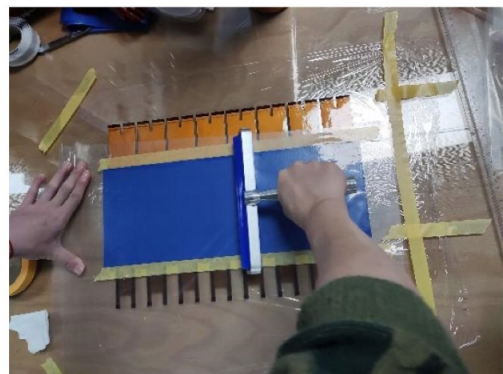
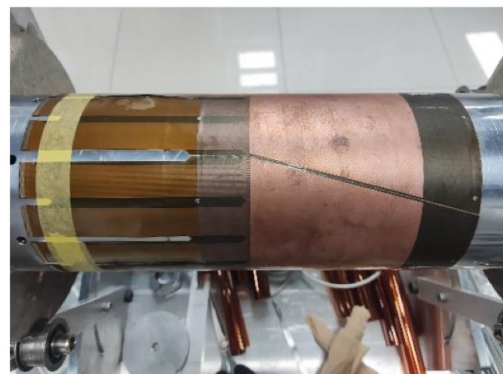
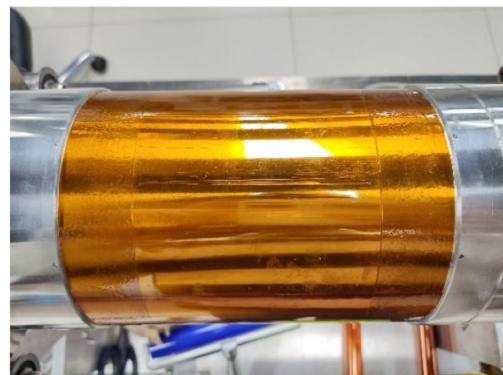
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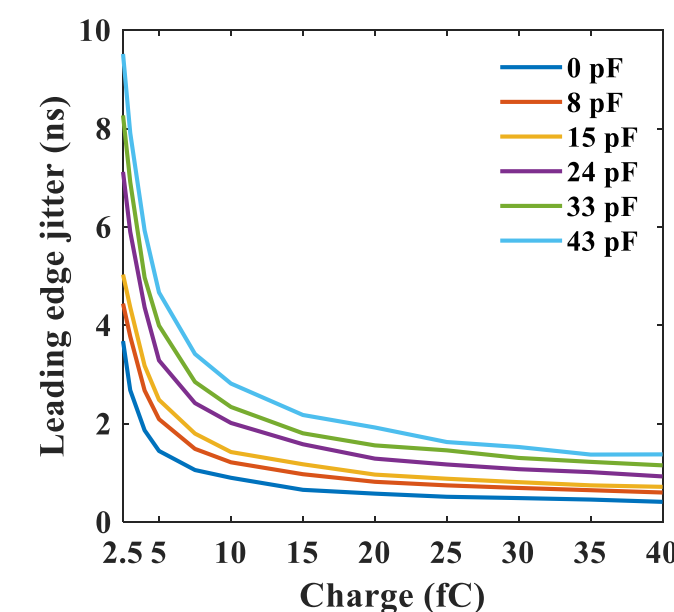
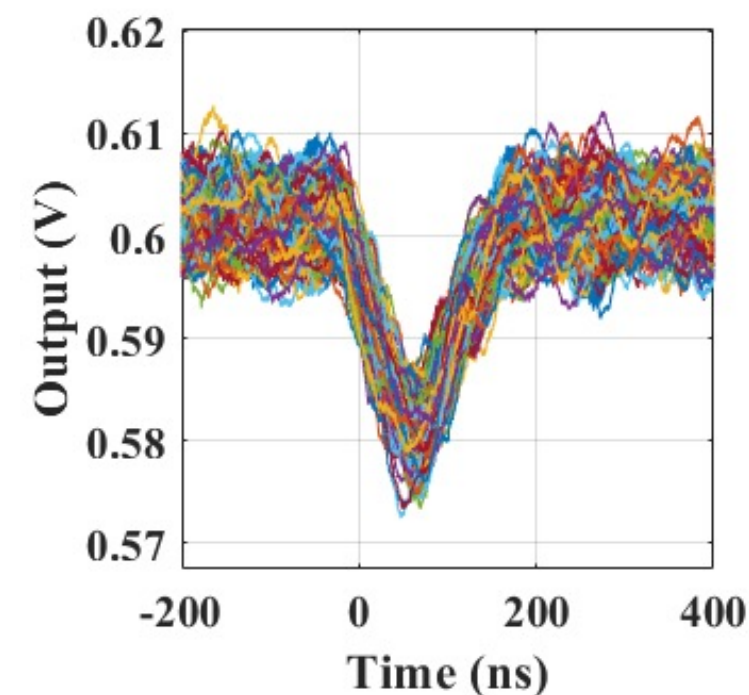
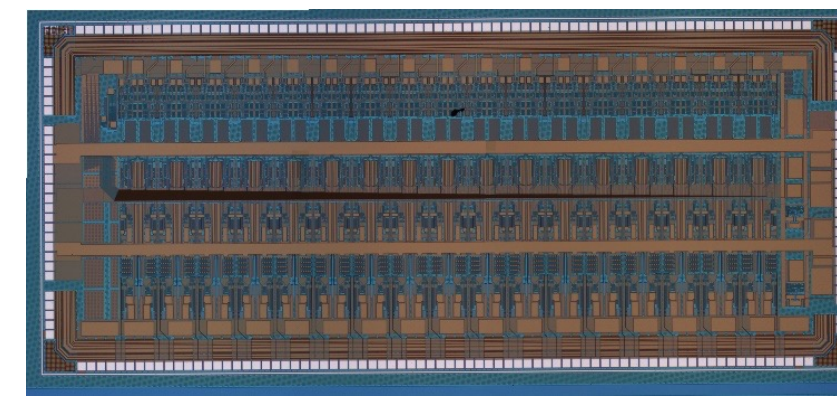
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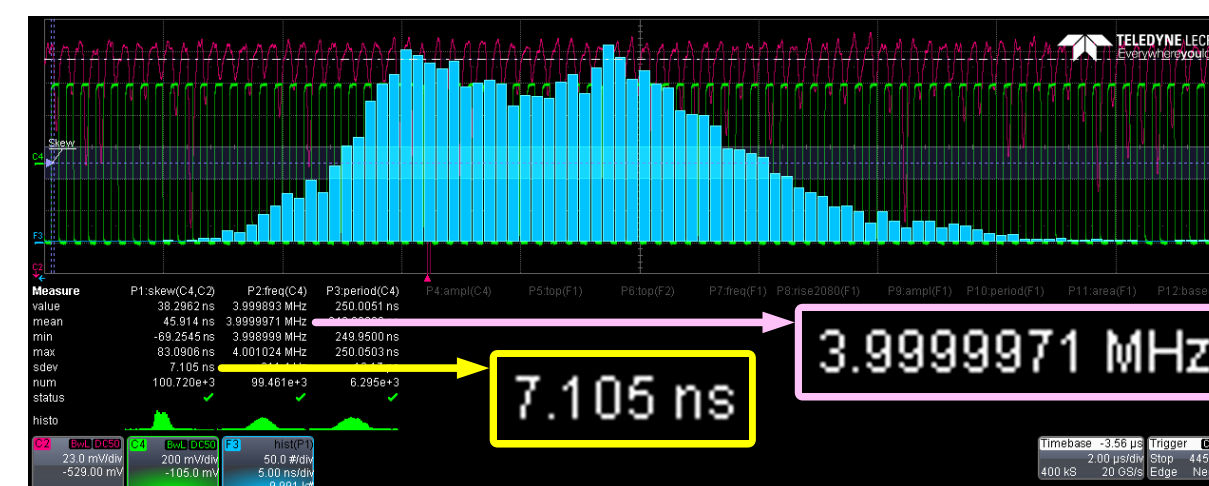
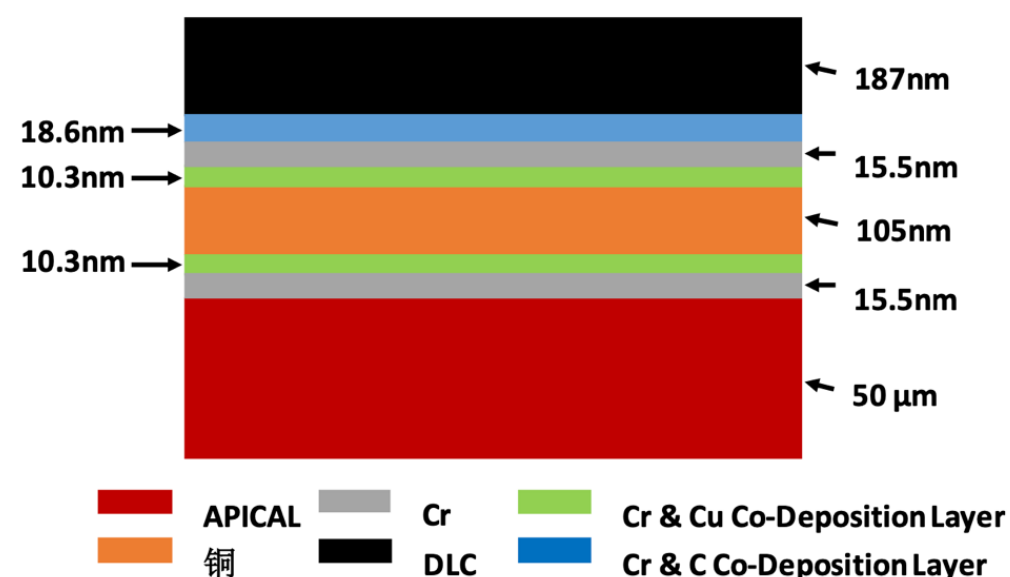
5、X向读出条粘接



ASIC: $\sigma_t < 10 \text{ ns}@5\text{fC}\&20\text{pF}$, counting rate $> 4 \text{ MHz}$



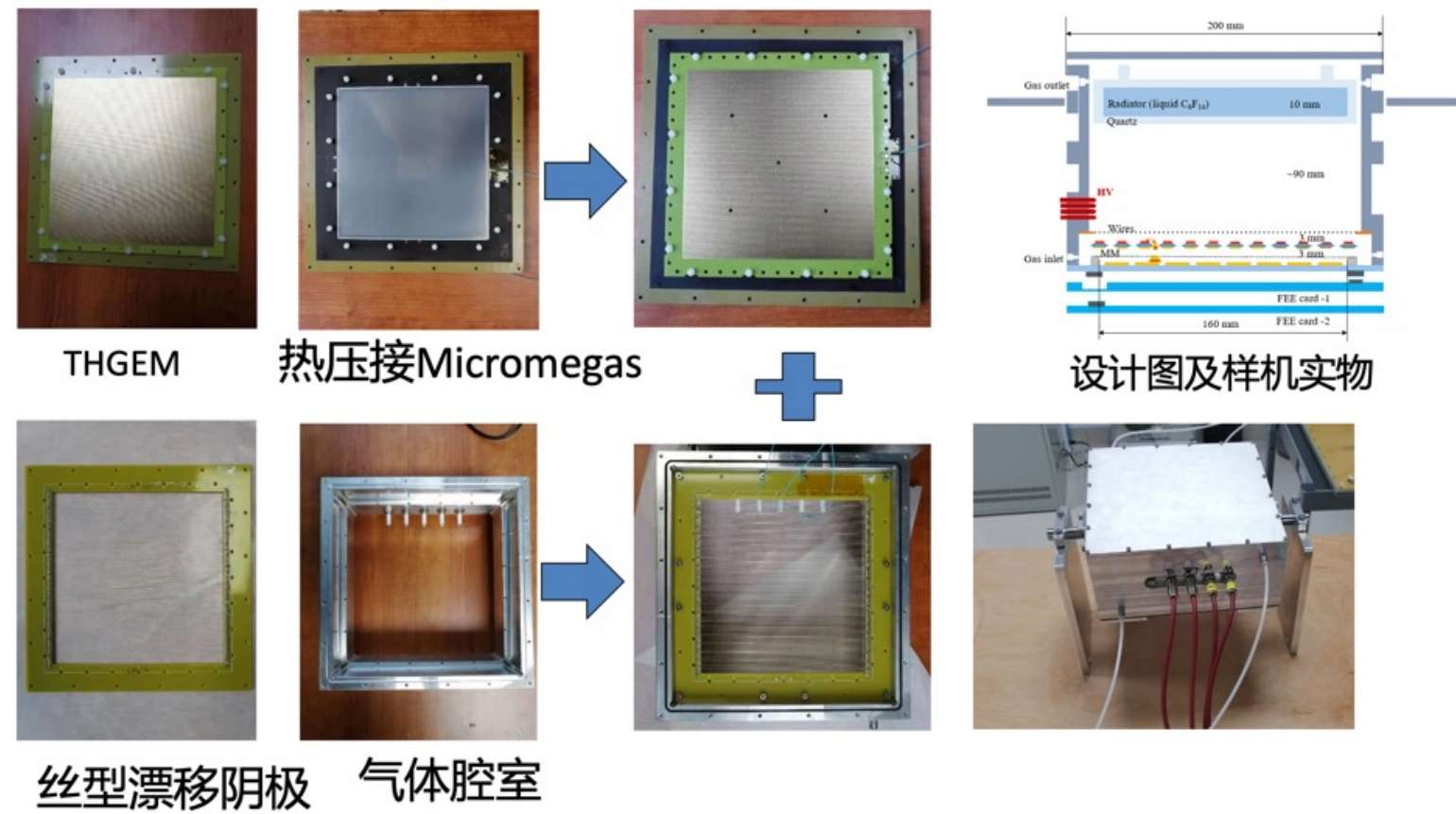
Development of low mass cathode and anode electrodes



基于探测器模拟的输出波形进行时间精度测试@计数率4 MHz@输入电容35 pF

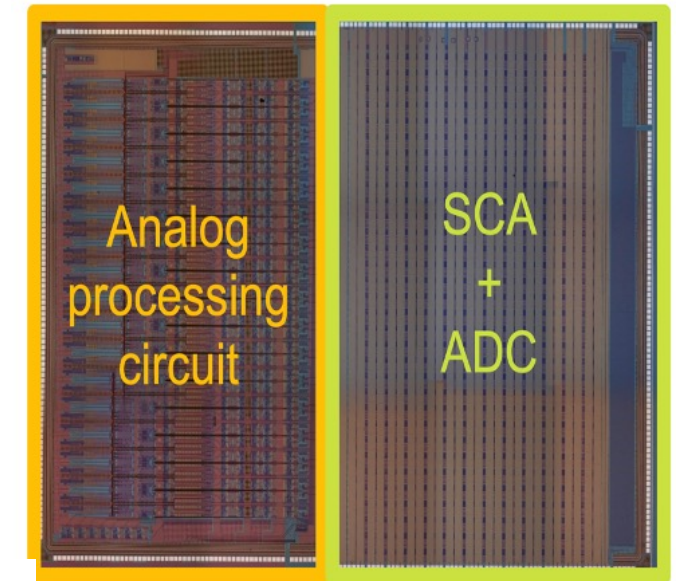
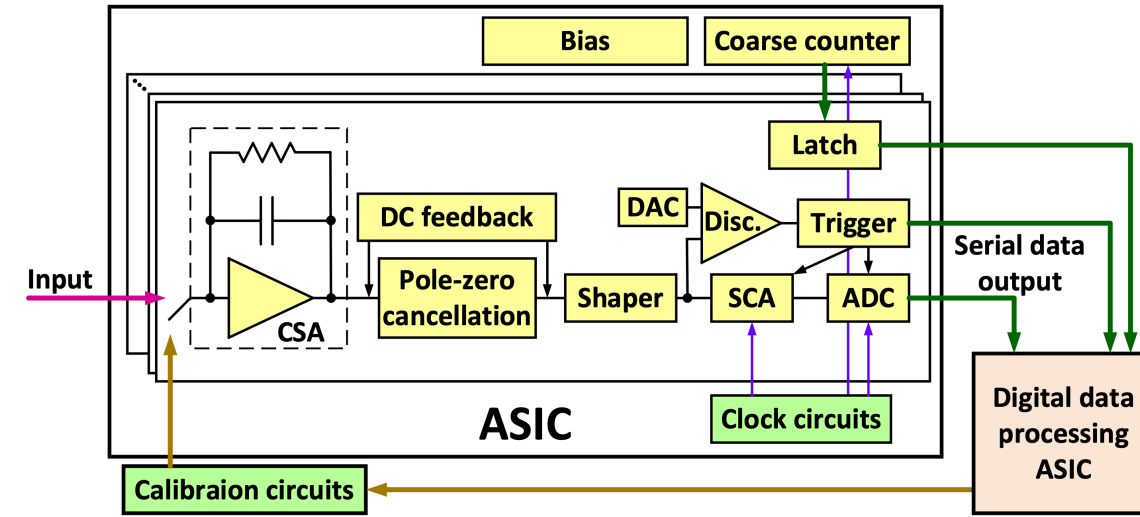
RICH R&D

30cm*30cm RICH prototype



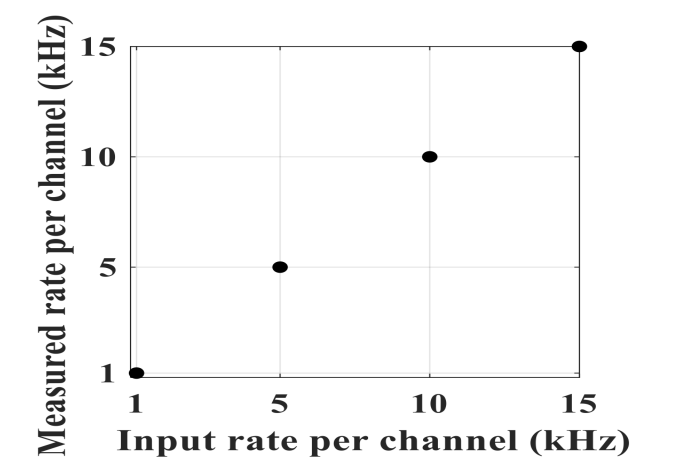
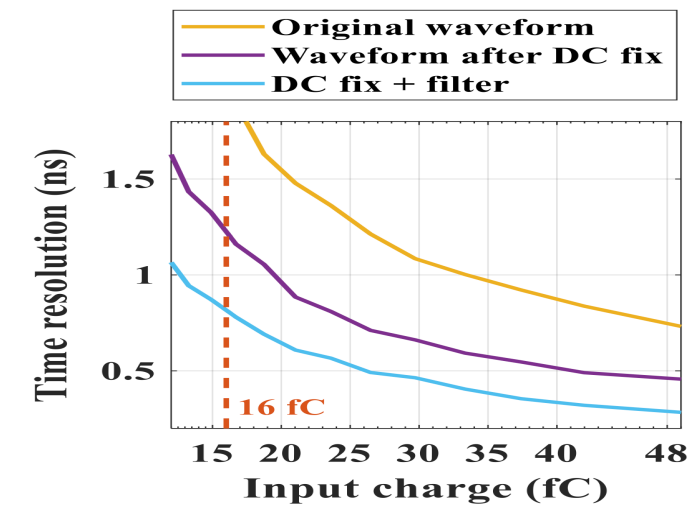
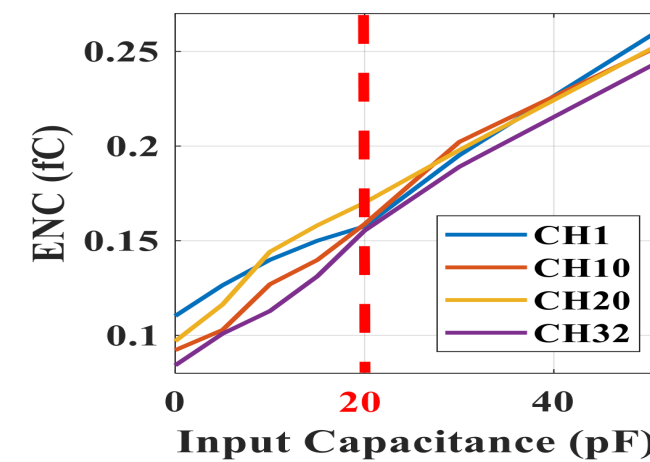
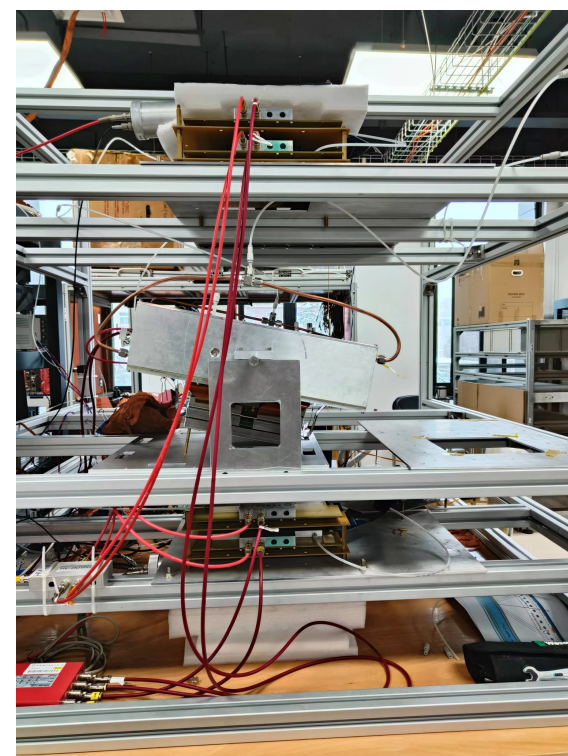
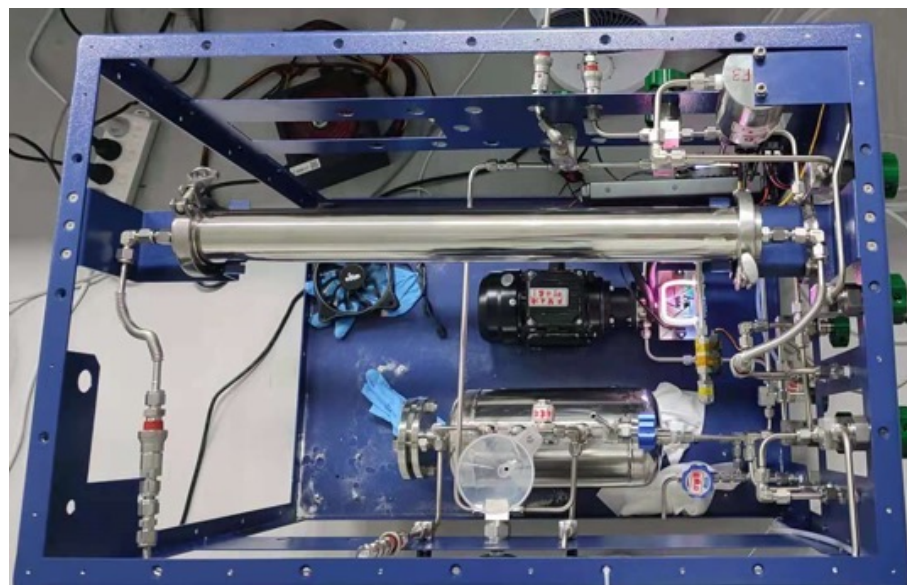
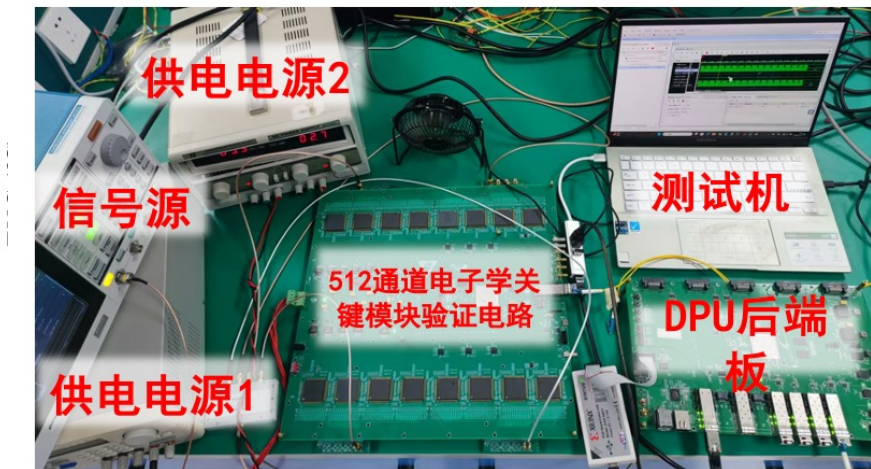
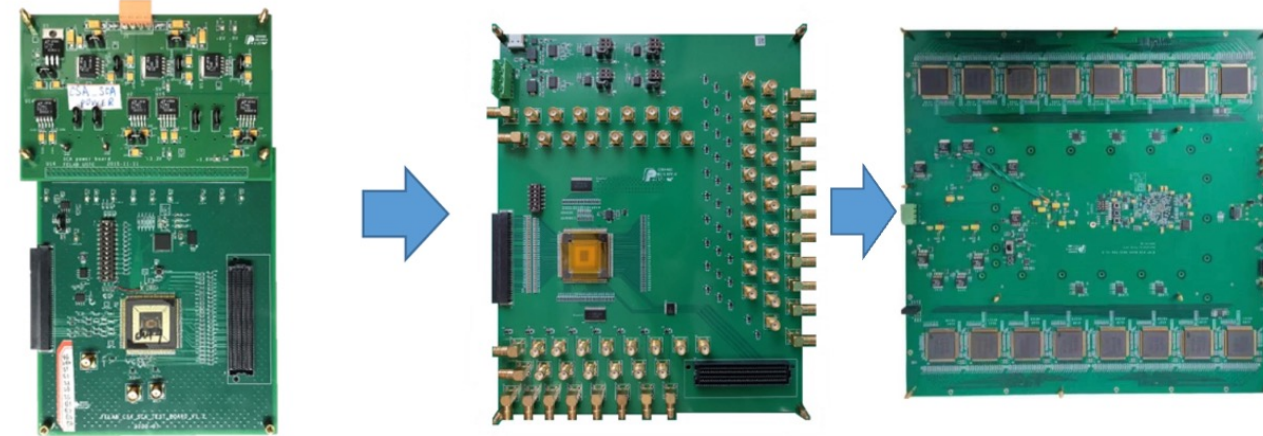
RICH readout ASIC

$\sigma_t < 1 \text{ ns}@20\text{fC}\&20\text{pF}$
counting rate $> 100 \text{ kHz}$

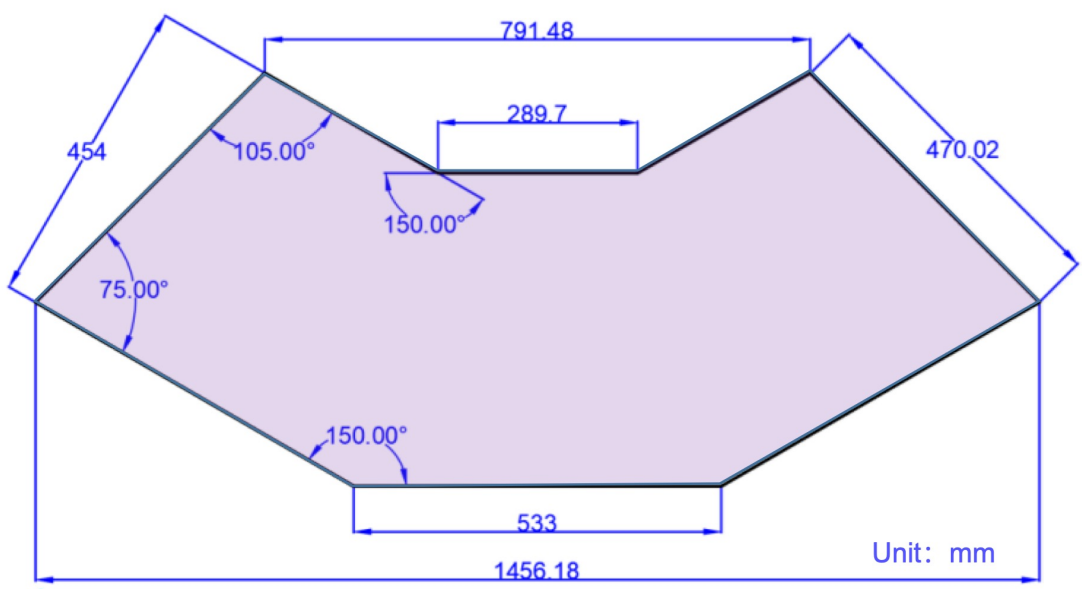


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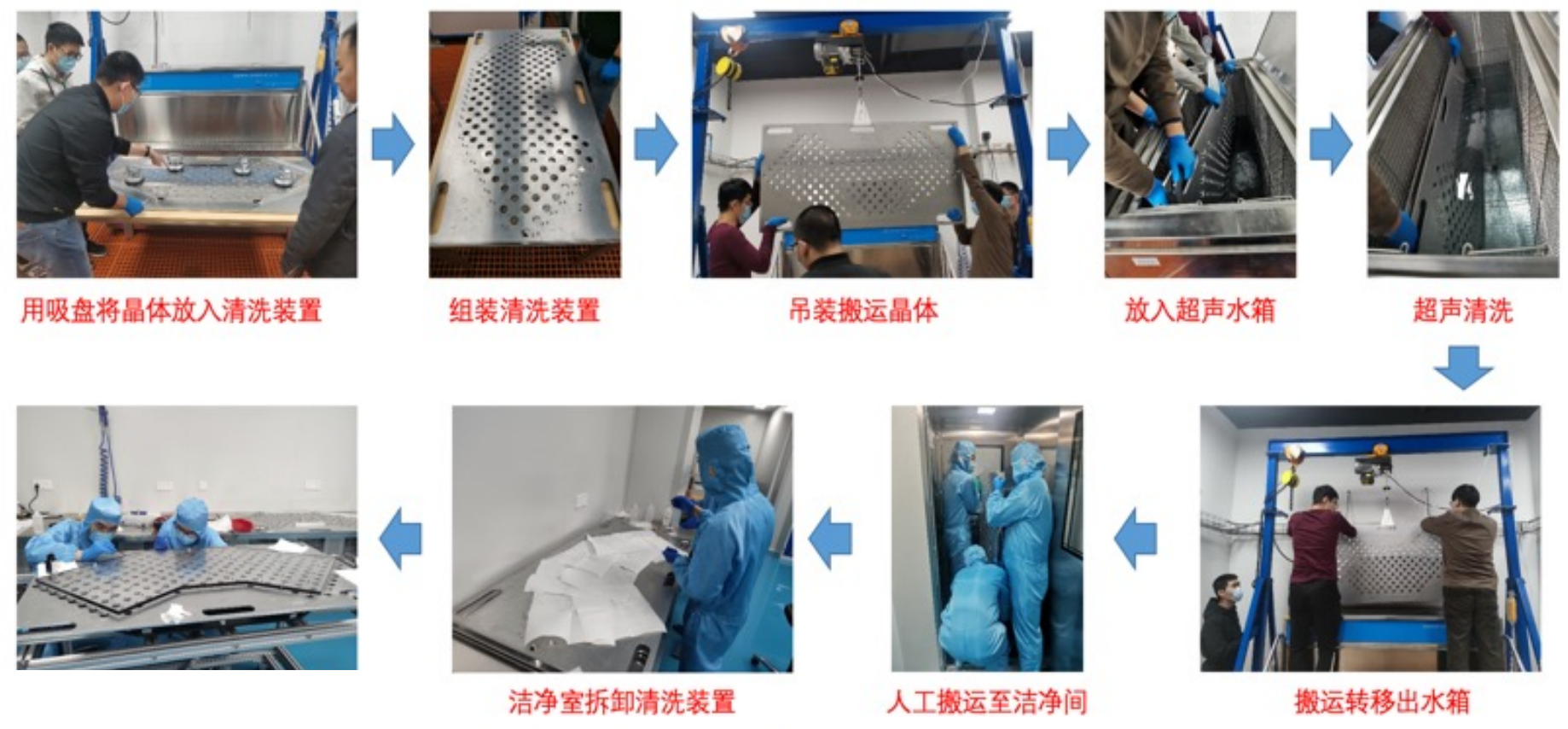
Second version



A full-size DTOF prototype

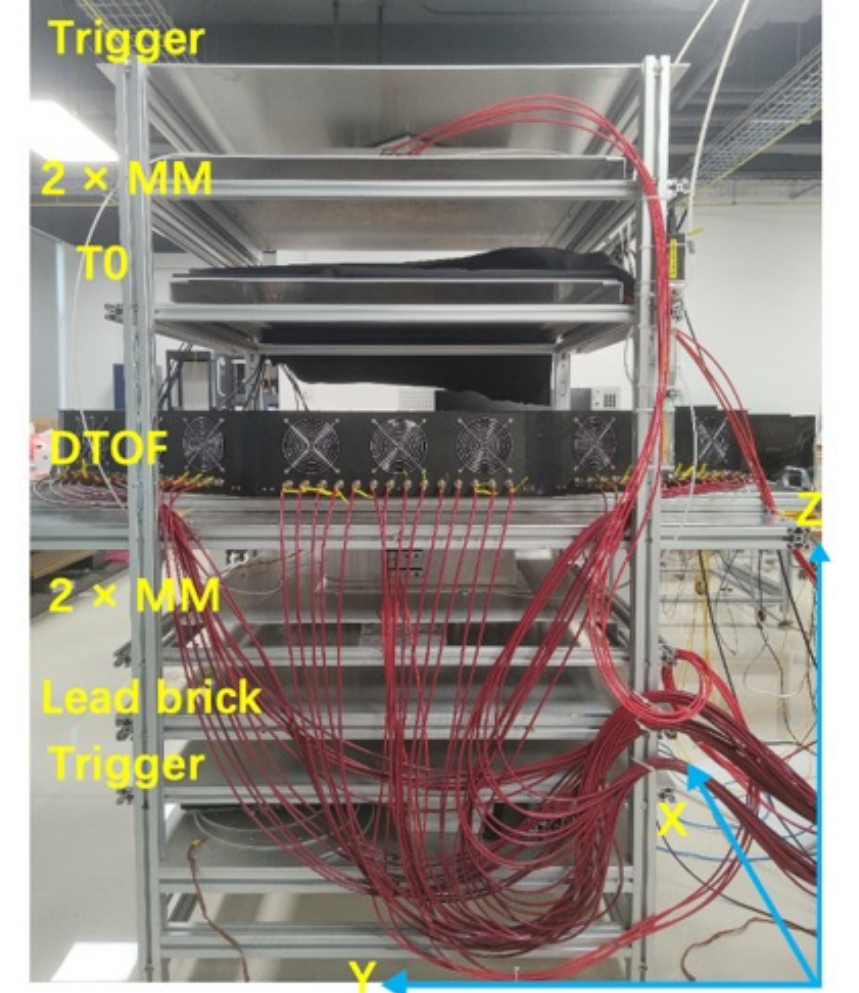


石英清洗和安装

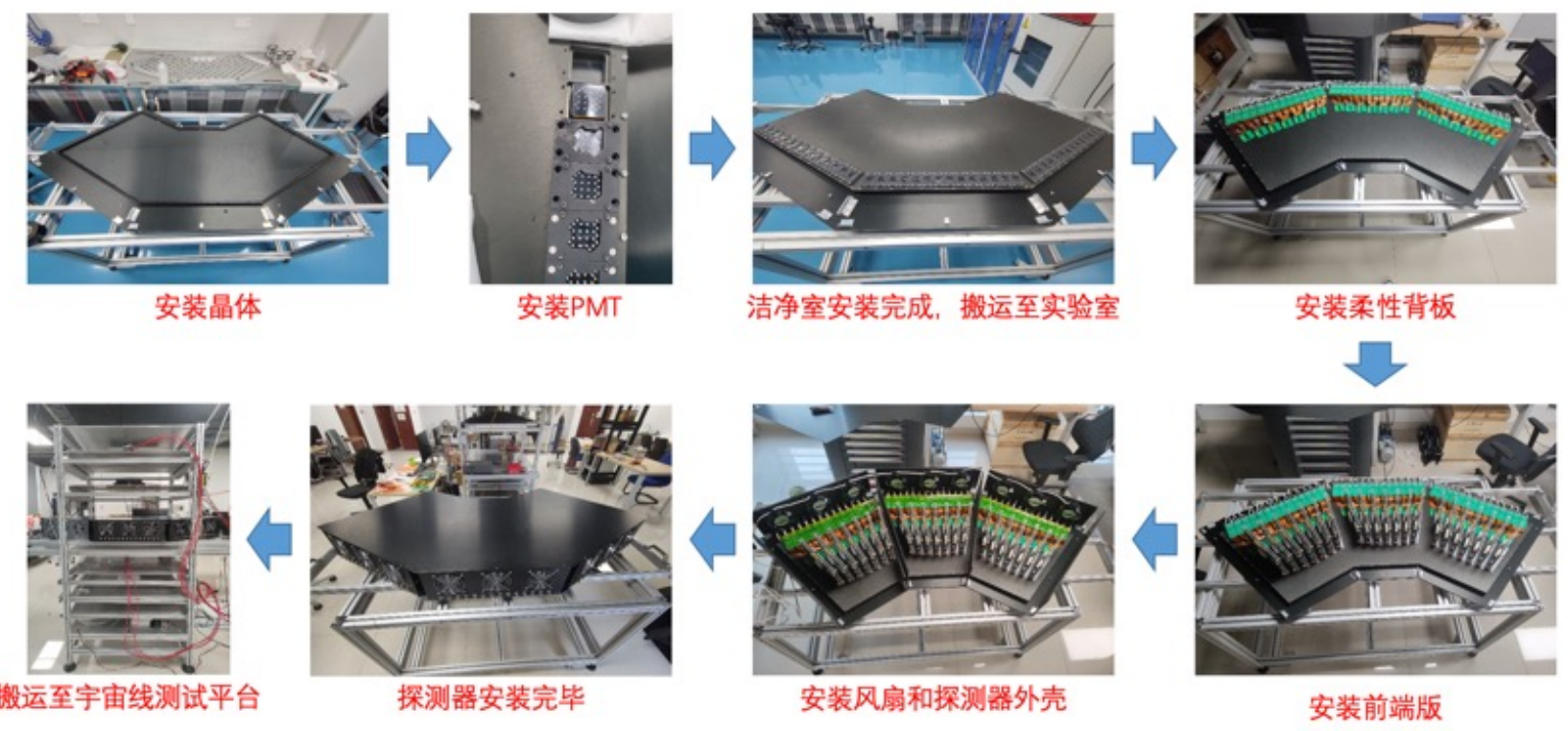


Quartz radiator cleaning and mounting

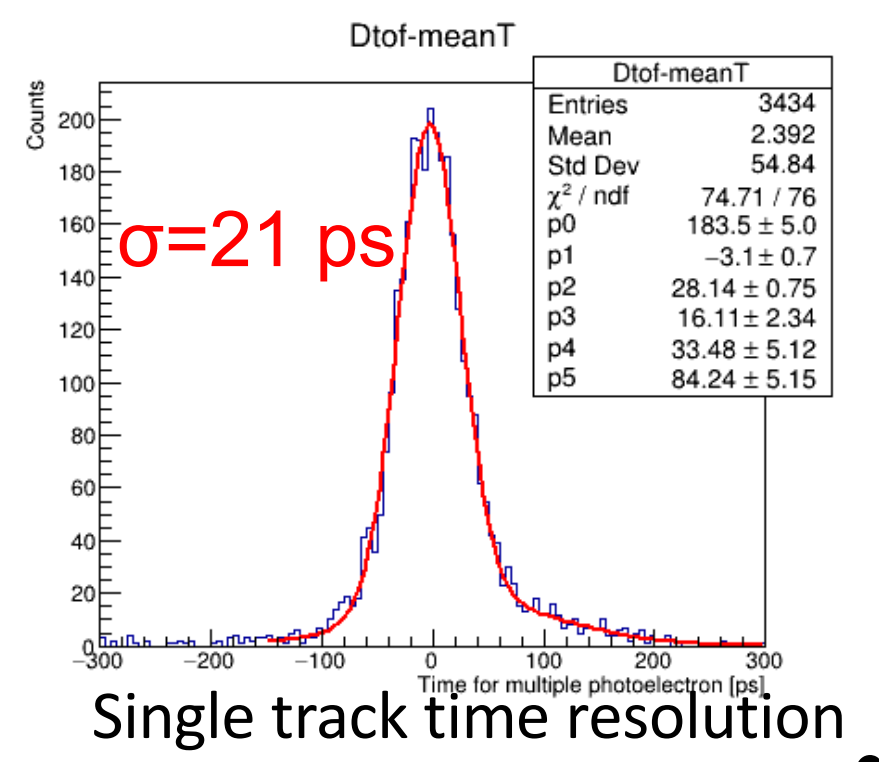
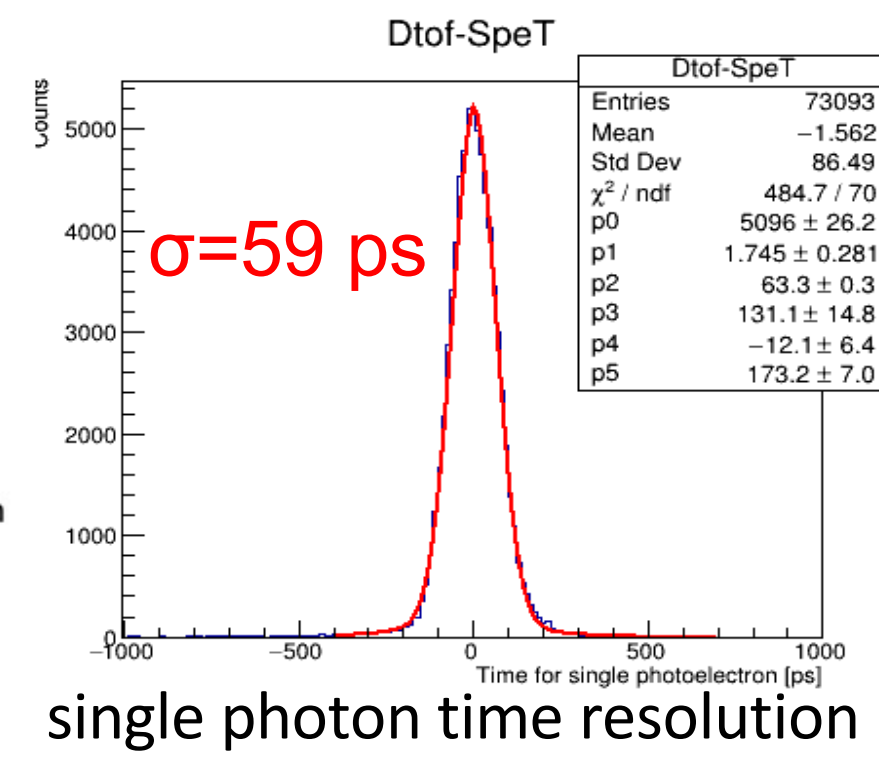
Cosmic-ray test



Detector assembling



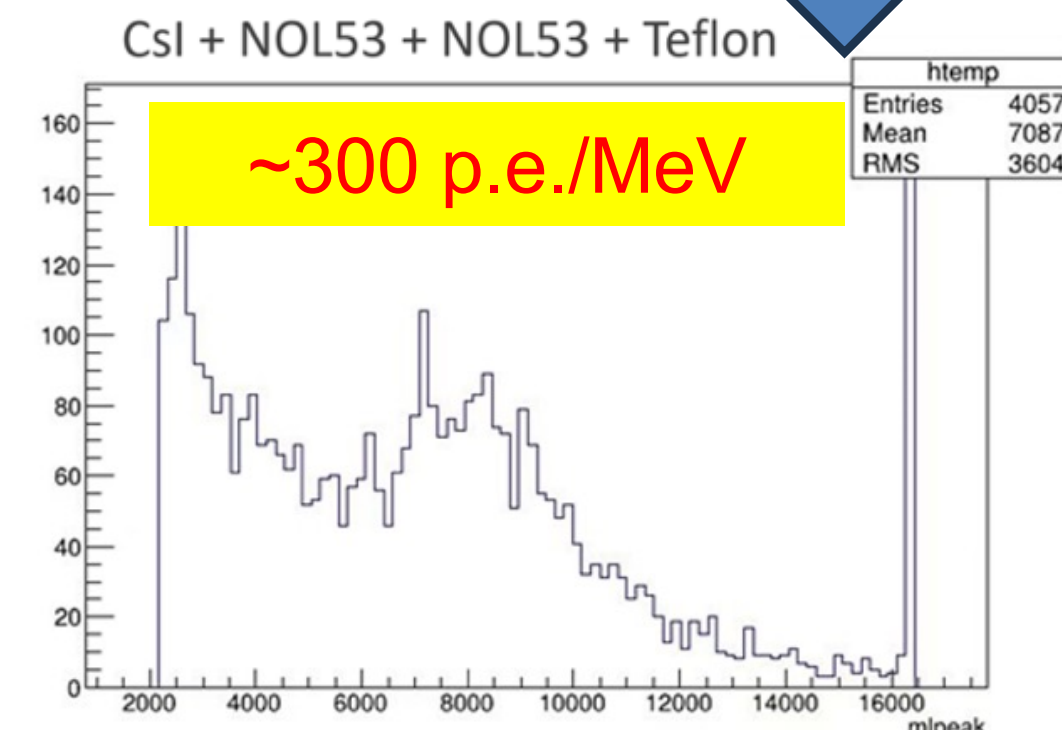
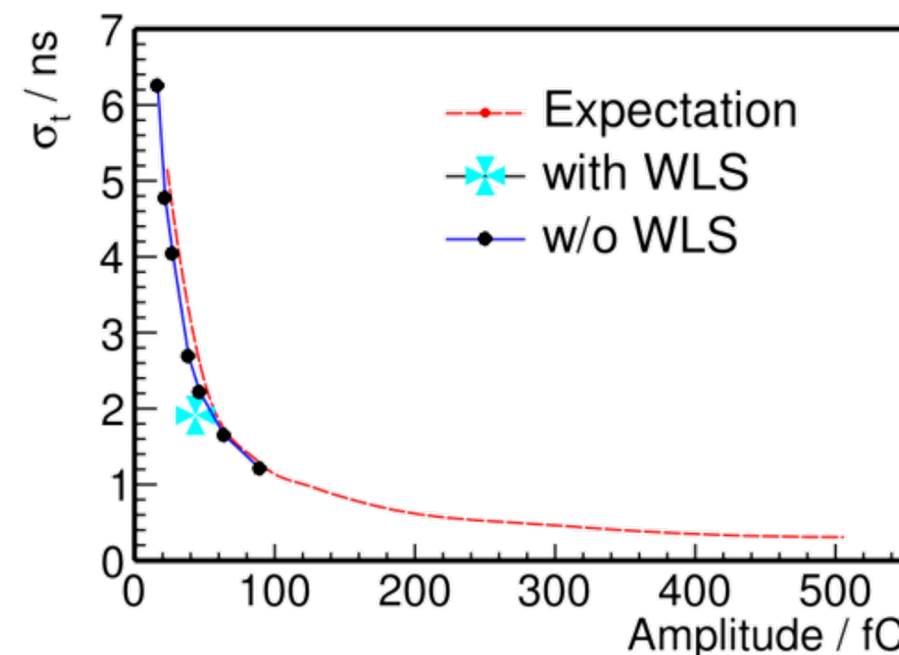
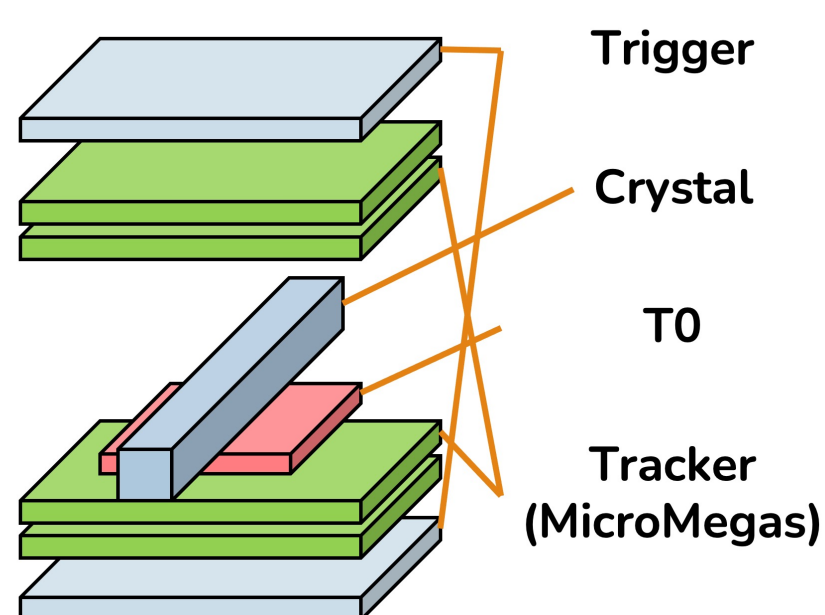
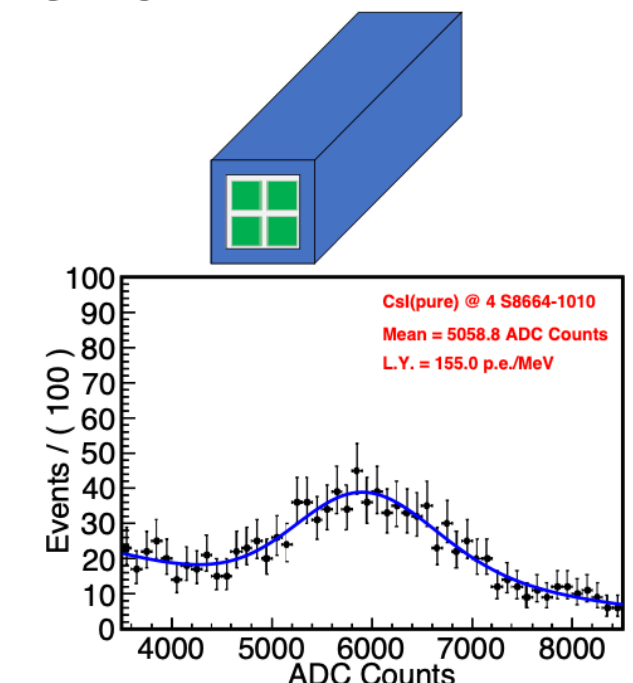
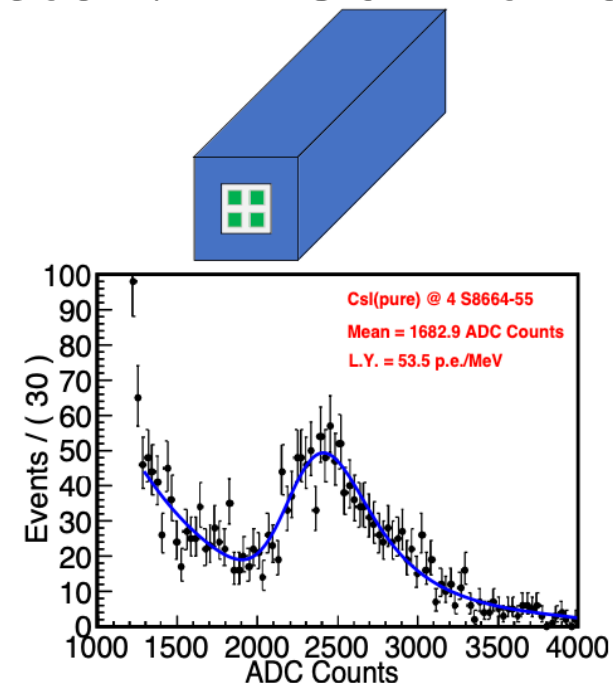
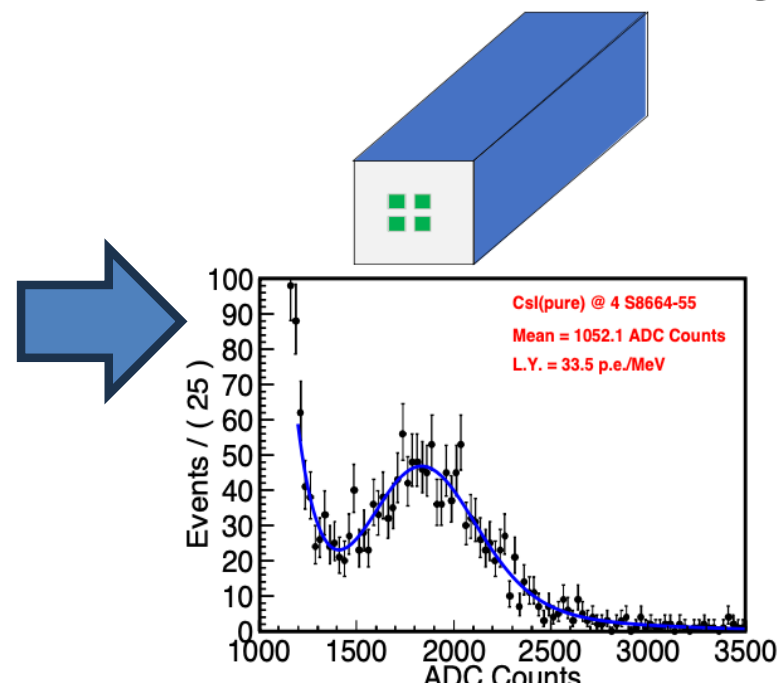
- 灵敏面积: 23×23 mm²
- 像素分布: 4×4 阵列
- 像素大小: 5.5×5.5 mm²
- 光谱响应范围: 200-850 nm
- 量子效率: 25% @ λ=400 nm
- 单光子灵敏
- 高增益: >10⁶
- 增益非均匀性: 14% (σ/μ)
- 时间性能: ~27 ps



pCsI ECAL R&D: Light yield and timing studies

A major R&D task : enhancing light yield

reflector: 225um thick Teflon

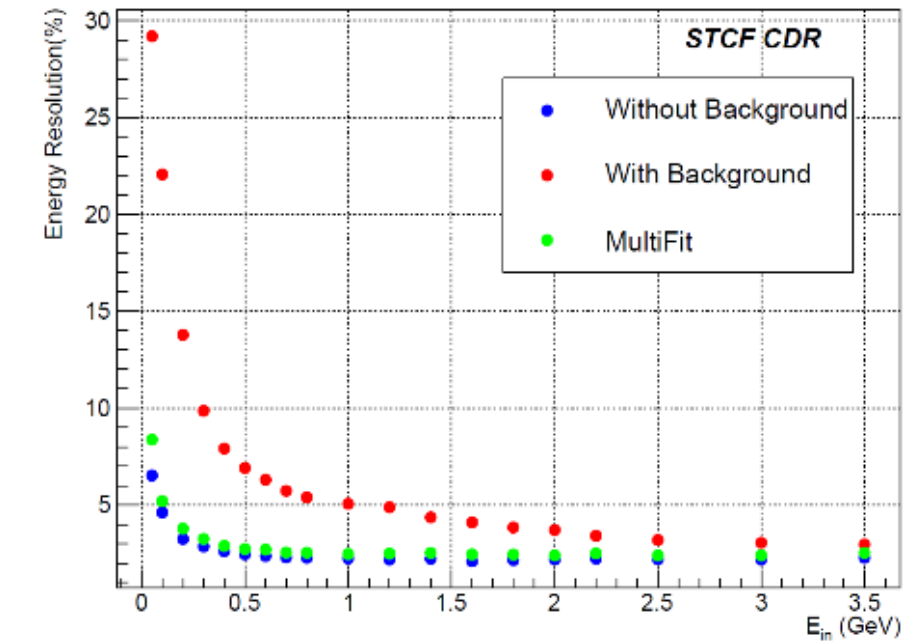
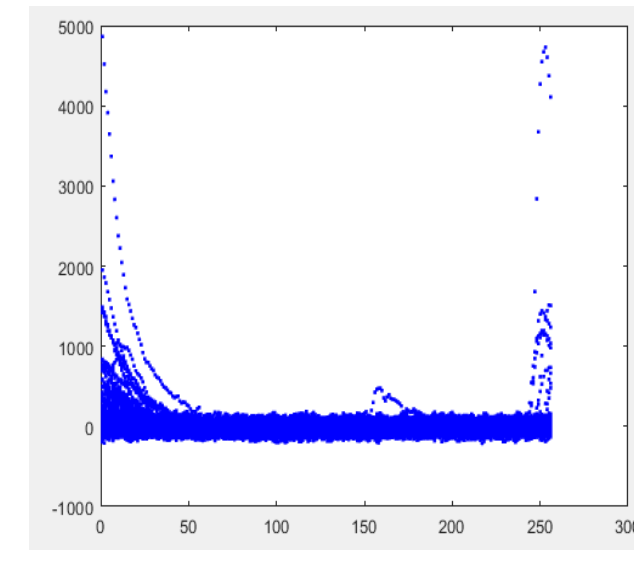
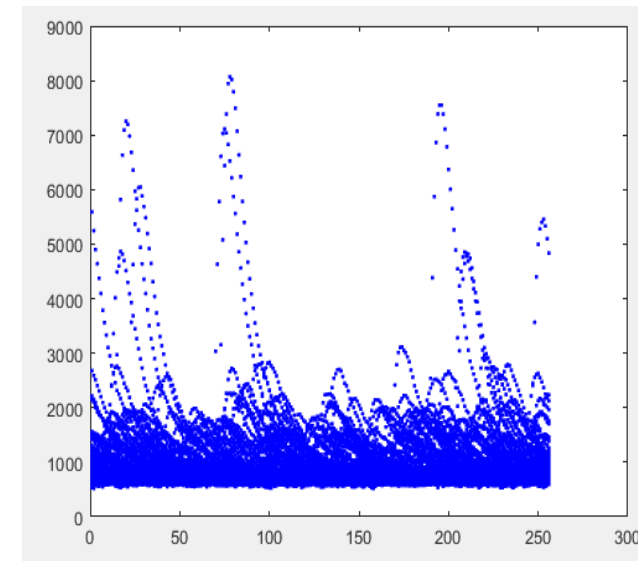
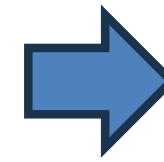
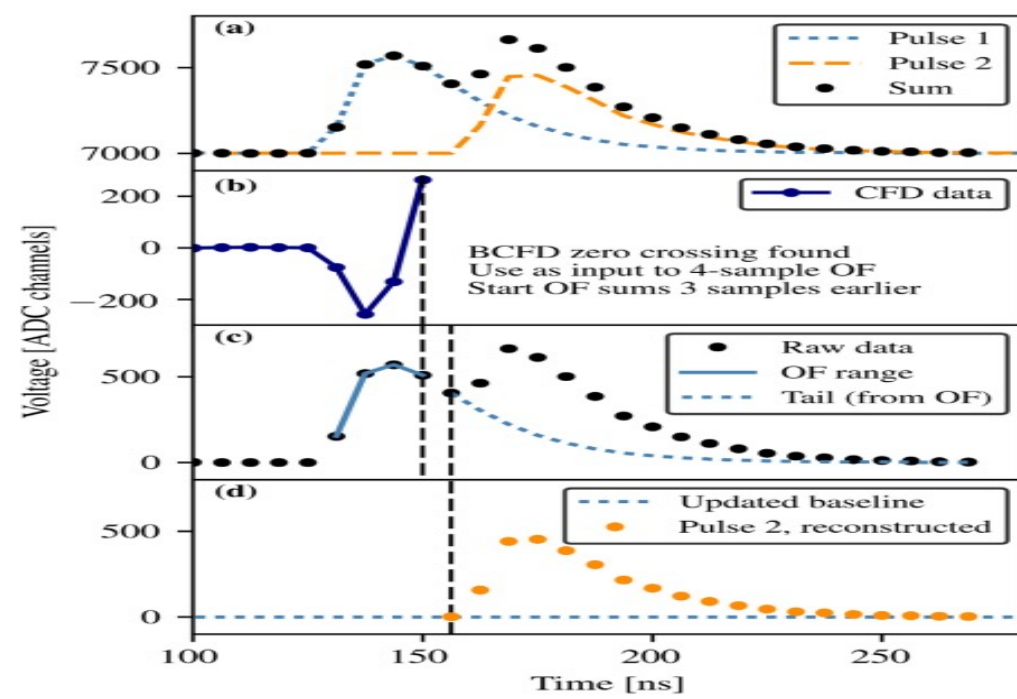


σ_t : 2.0 ns @ 0.03 GeV, 0.8 ns @ 0.1 GeV

Light yield reached up to 300 p.e./MeV

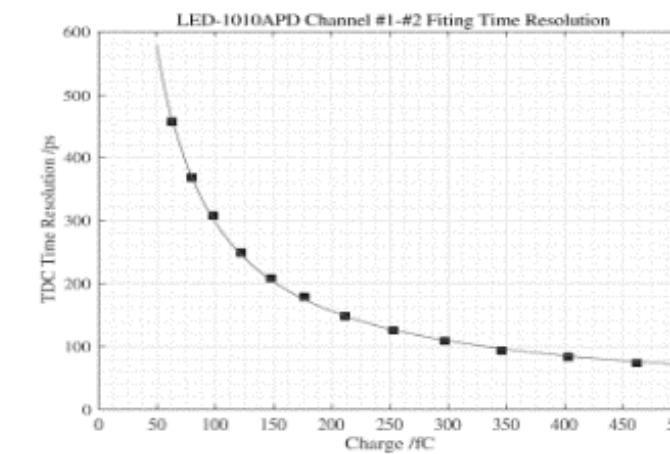
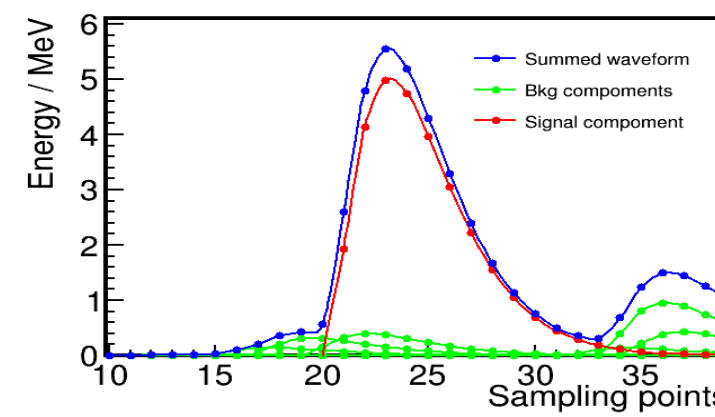
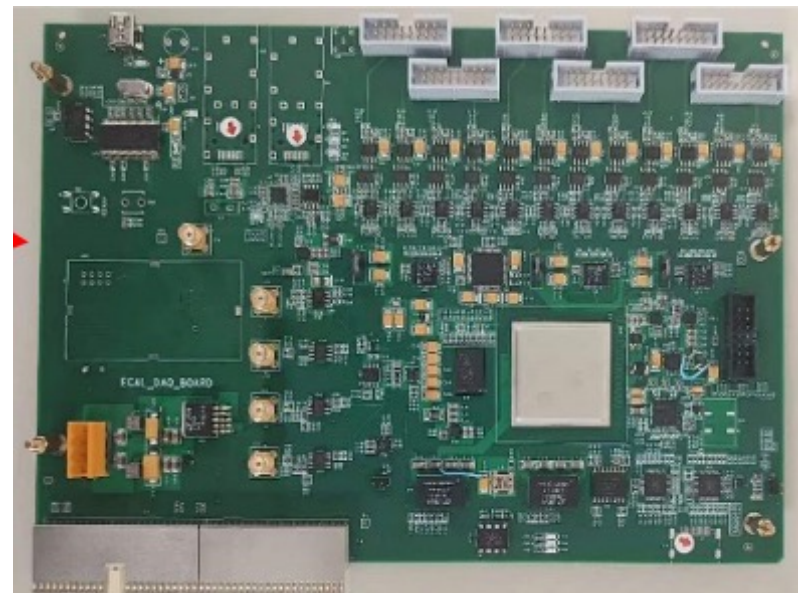
pCsI ECAL R&D: Pileup mitigation and electronics

Waveform fitting to remove pileup noise and extract signals



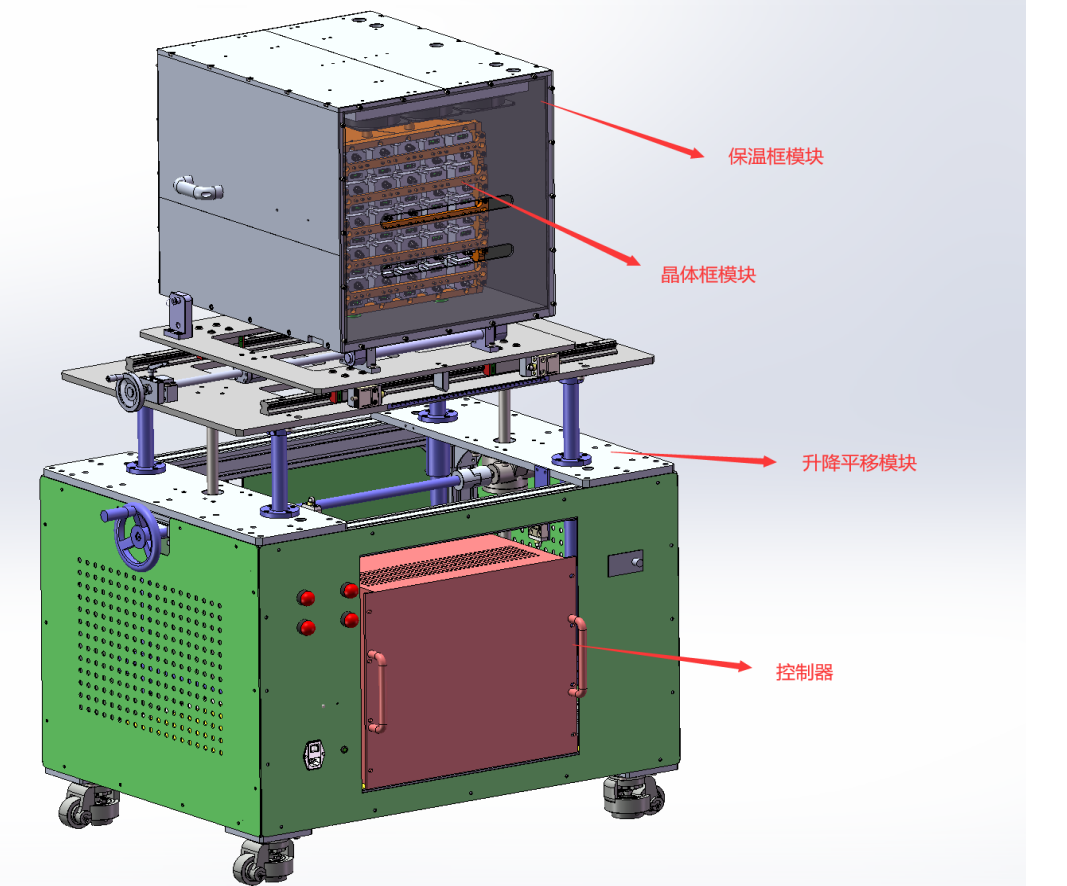
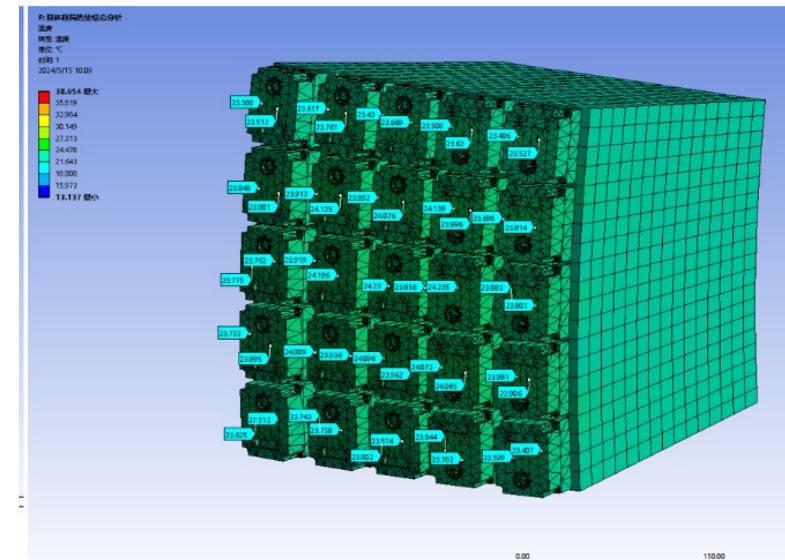
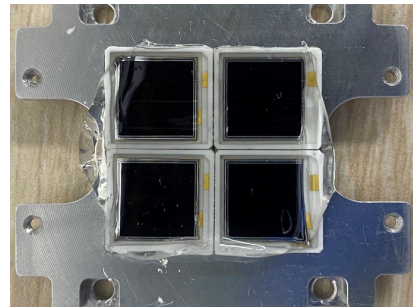
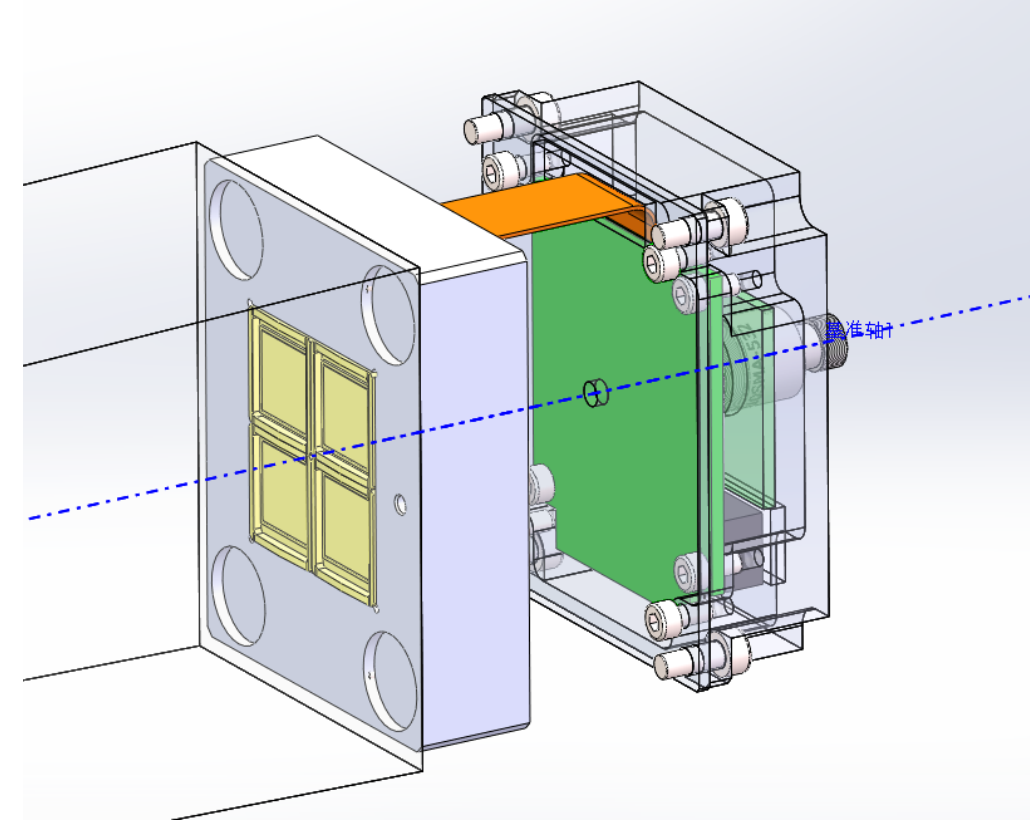
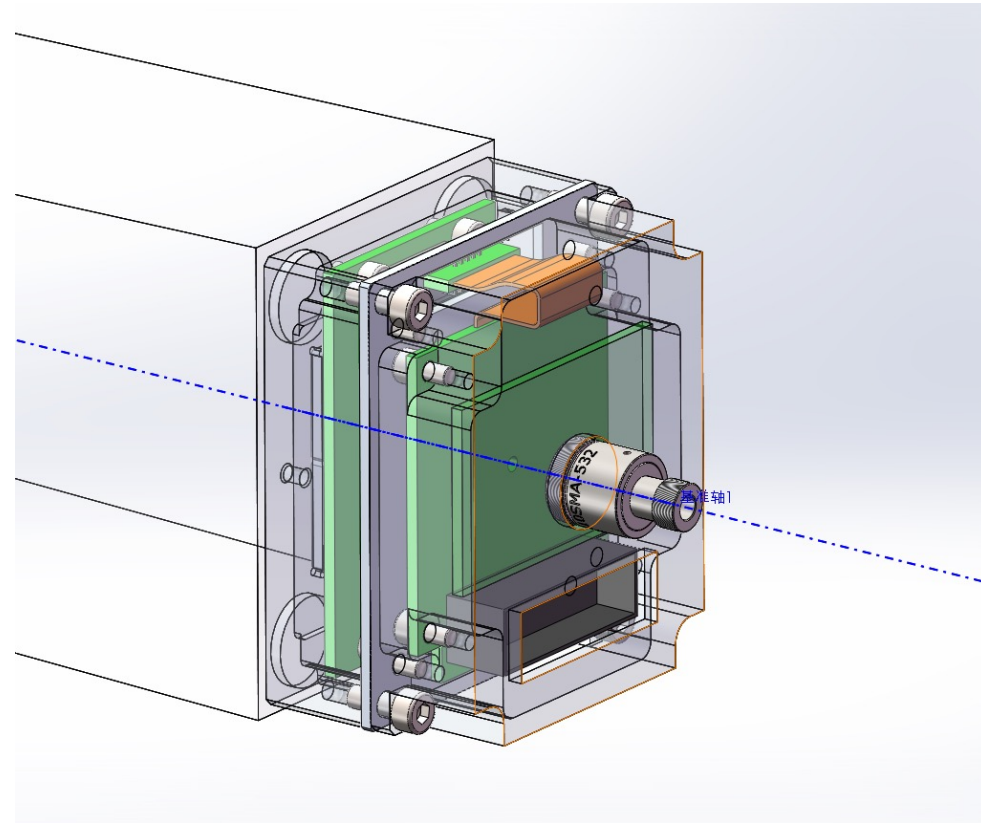
Very effective in mitigating the pileup effect

Development of waveform digitization electronics (CSA + shaper + ADC)



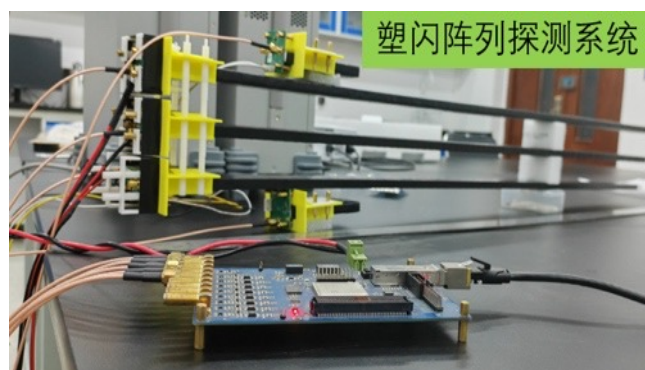
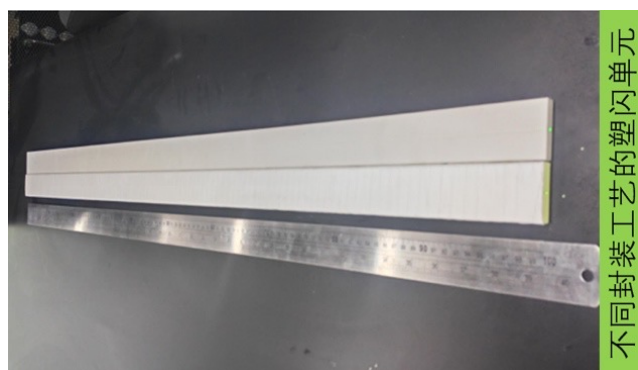
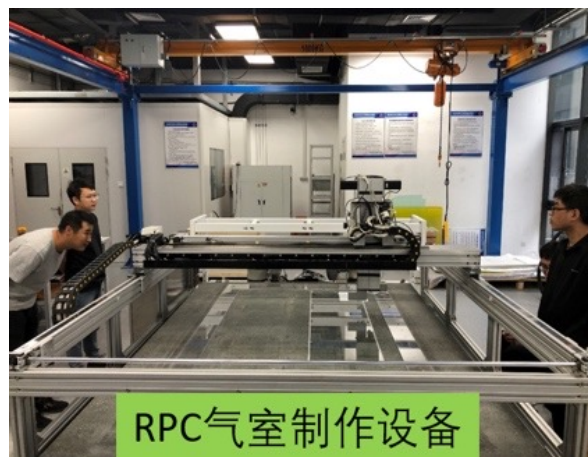
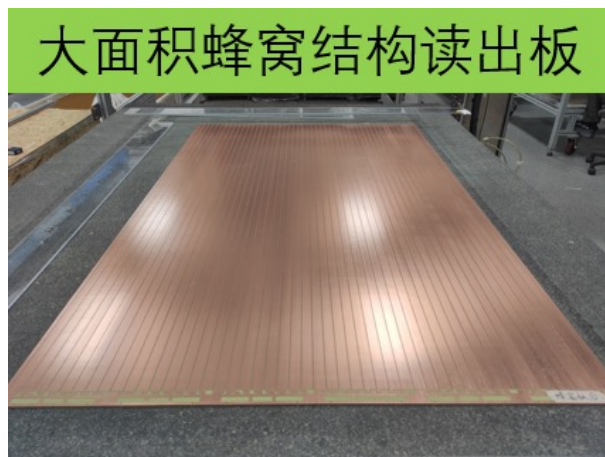
Dynamic range:
 3 MeV ~ 3 GeV
 ENE: ~ 0.4 MeV
 Time resolution :
 < 150 ps@1GeV

5x5 pCsl ECAL Prototype

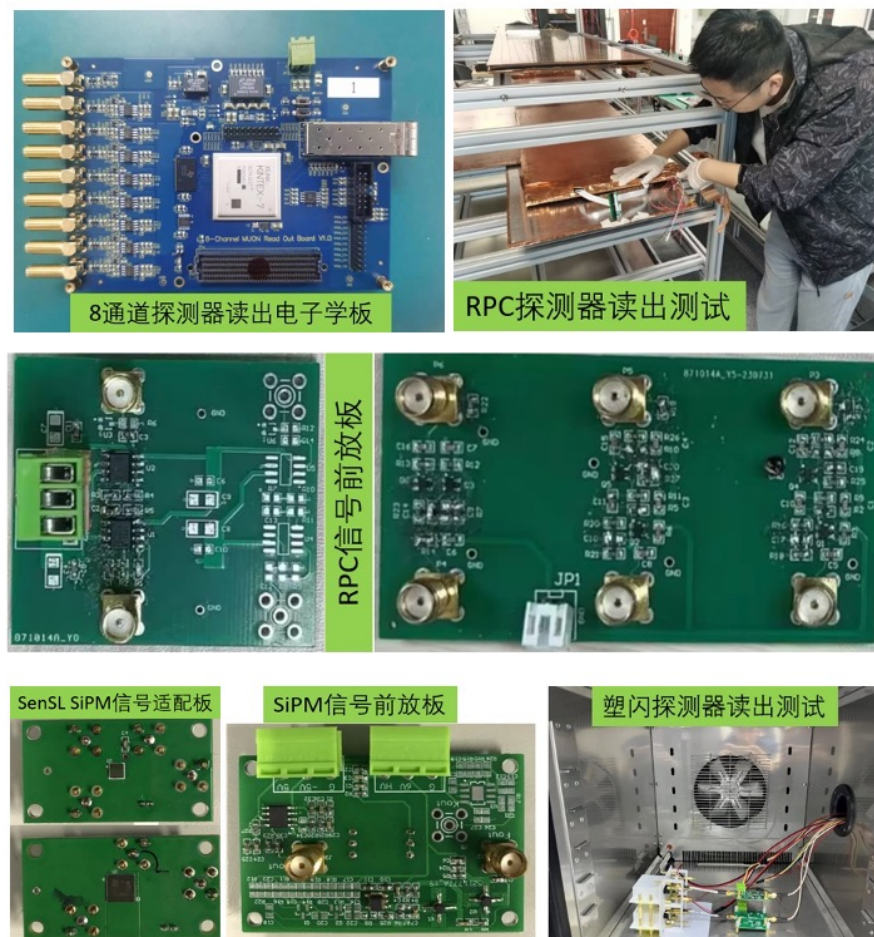


More Detector R&D

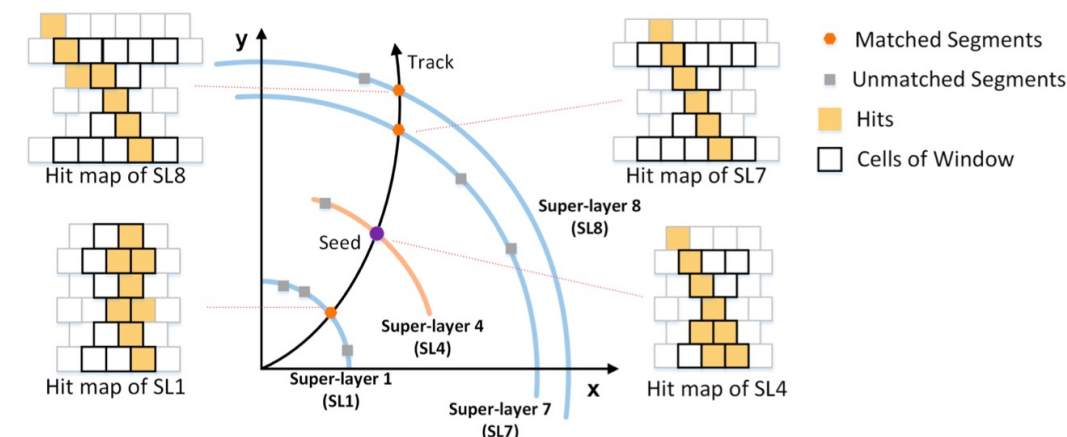
Large sized RPC and scintillator strips



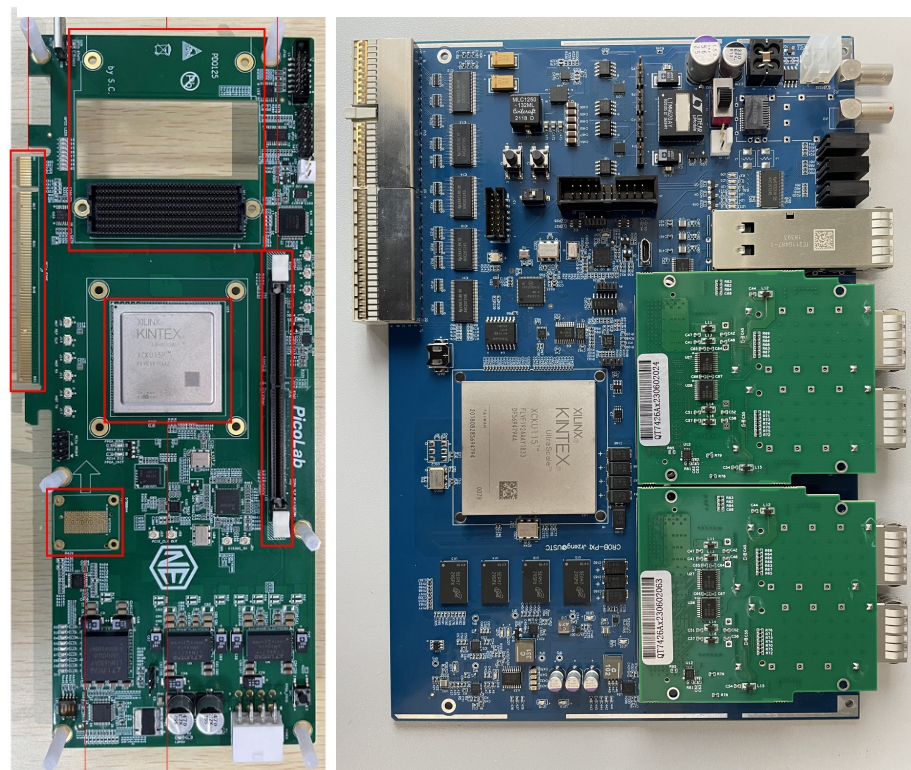
Muon Electronics



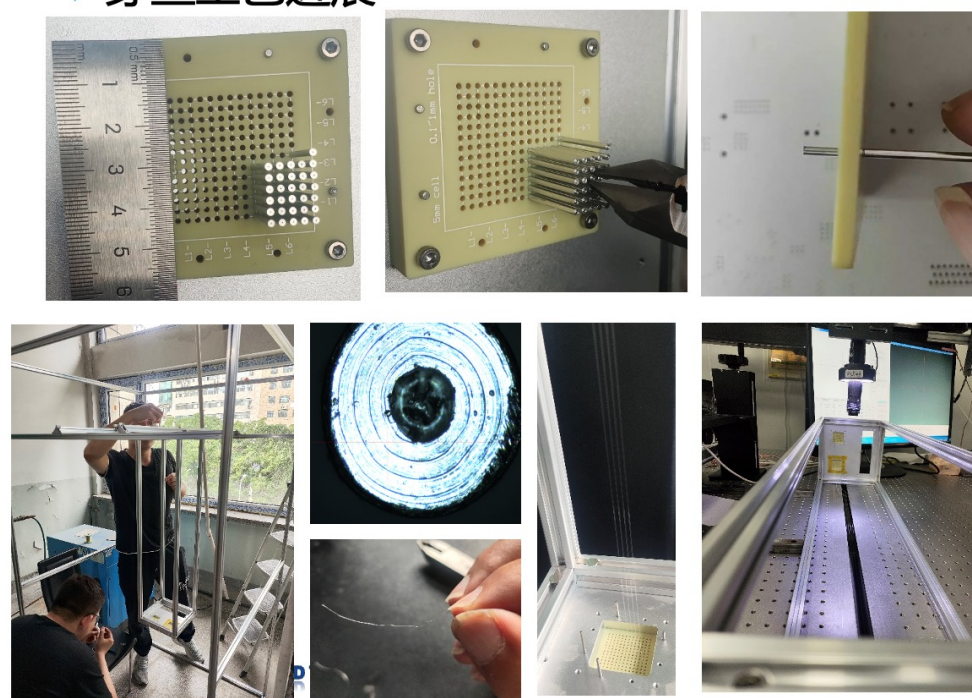
Trigger algorithm, logic and electronics



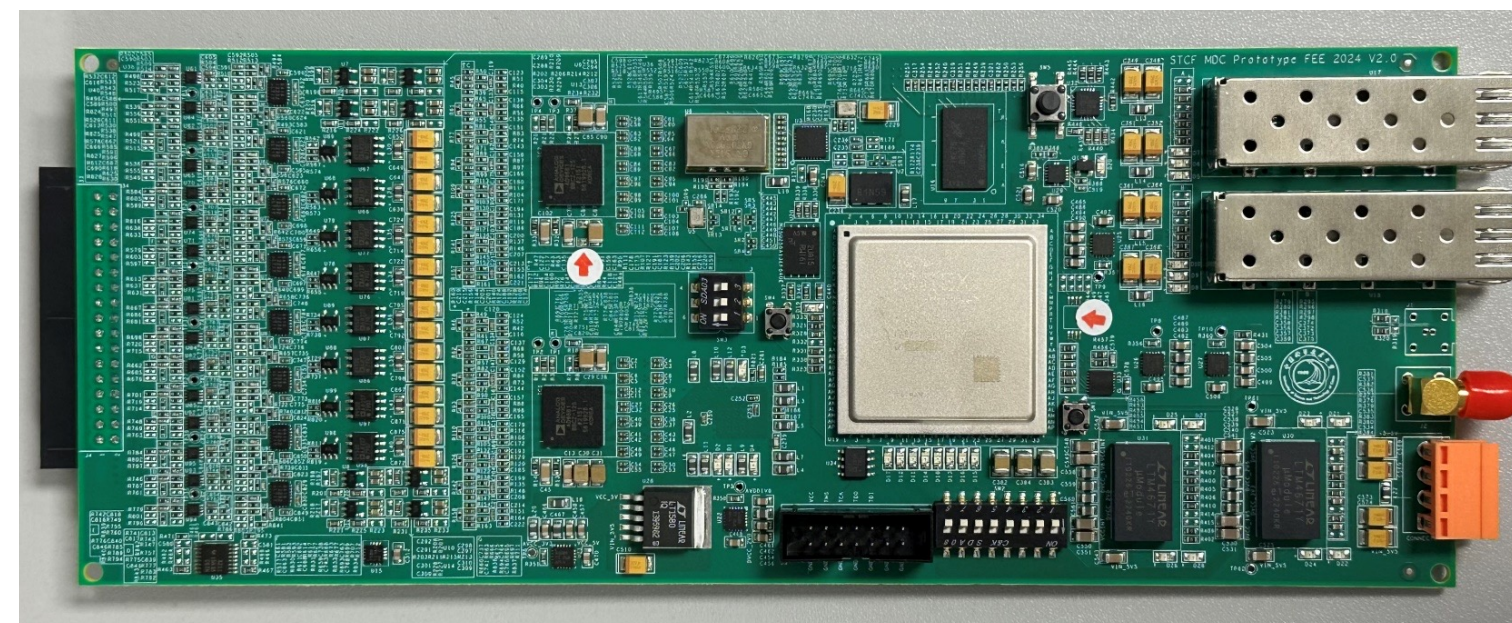
DAQ PXI and PCIe boards



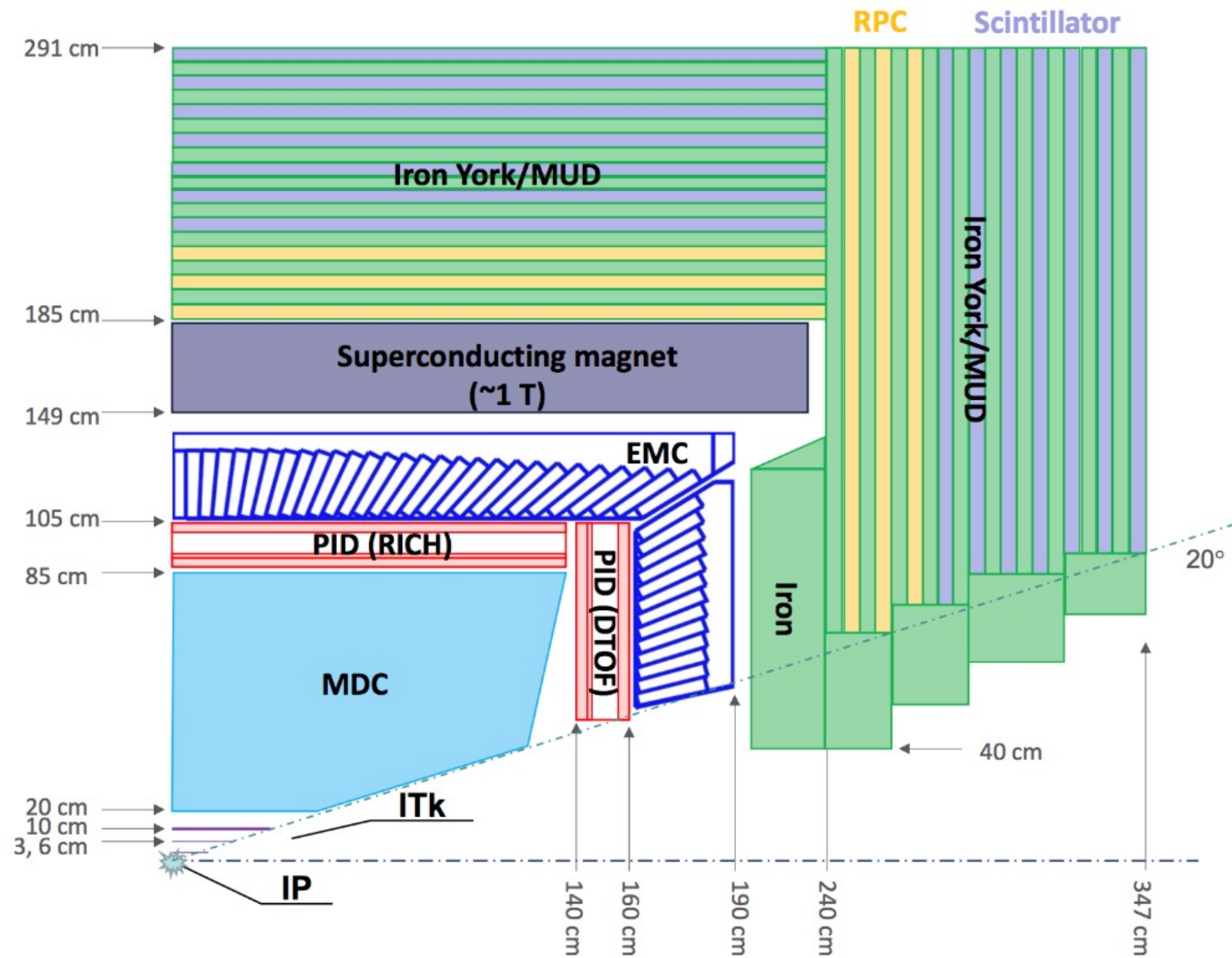
穿丝工艺进展



Drift chamber: stringing and electronics



STCF Detector Summary



Solid Angle Coverage : $94\% \cdot 4\pi$ ($\theta \sim 20^\circ$)

ITK

- $< \sim 0.3\% X_0 / \text{layer}$
- $\sigma_{xy} < \sim 100 \mu\text{m}$

Cylindrical MPGD
CMOS MAPS

MDC

- $\sigma_{xy} < 130 \mu\text{m}$
- $\sigma_p/p \sim 0.5\% @ 1 \text{ GeV}$
- $dE/dx \sim 6\%$

Cylindrical
Drift chamber

PID

- π/K (and K/p) $3-4\sigma$ separation up to $2 \text{ GeV}/c$

RICH with MPGD
DIRC-like TOF

EMC

Energy range: $0.025-3.5 \text{ GeV}$

σ_E (%) @ 1 GeV

Barrel: 2.5

Endcap: 4

Pos. Res. : 5 mm

pCsI + APD

MUD

- $0.4 - 2 \text{ GeV}$

RPC + scintillator

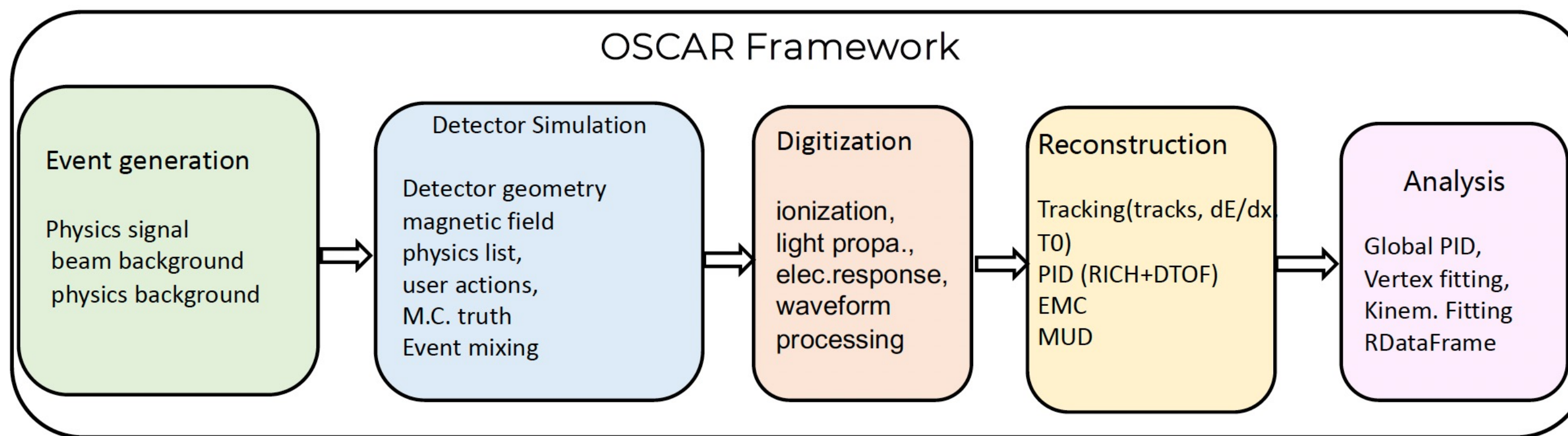
- π suppression > 30

Offline Software of Super Tau-Charm Facility (OSCAR)

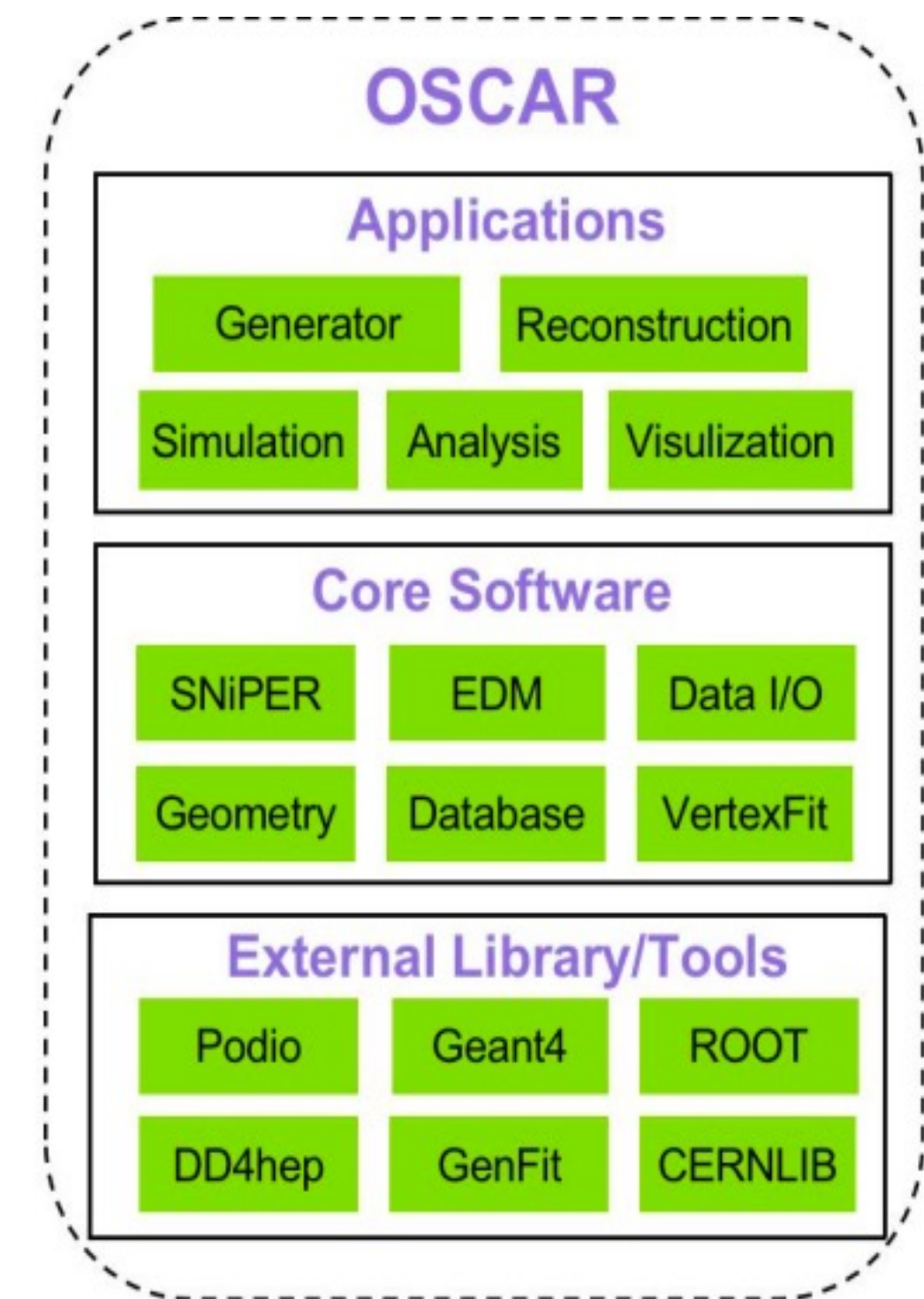
❖ Developed based on light-weight and flexible **SNiPER** framework and adopted some state-of-the-art technologies

- **Podio** for Event Data Model
- **DD4hep** for detector description
- **TBB** for multi-threading
- **ONNX** for machine learning

❖ **Full Chain** of STCF offline data processing is built

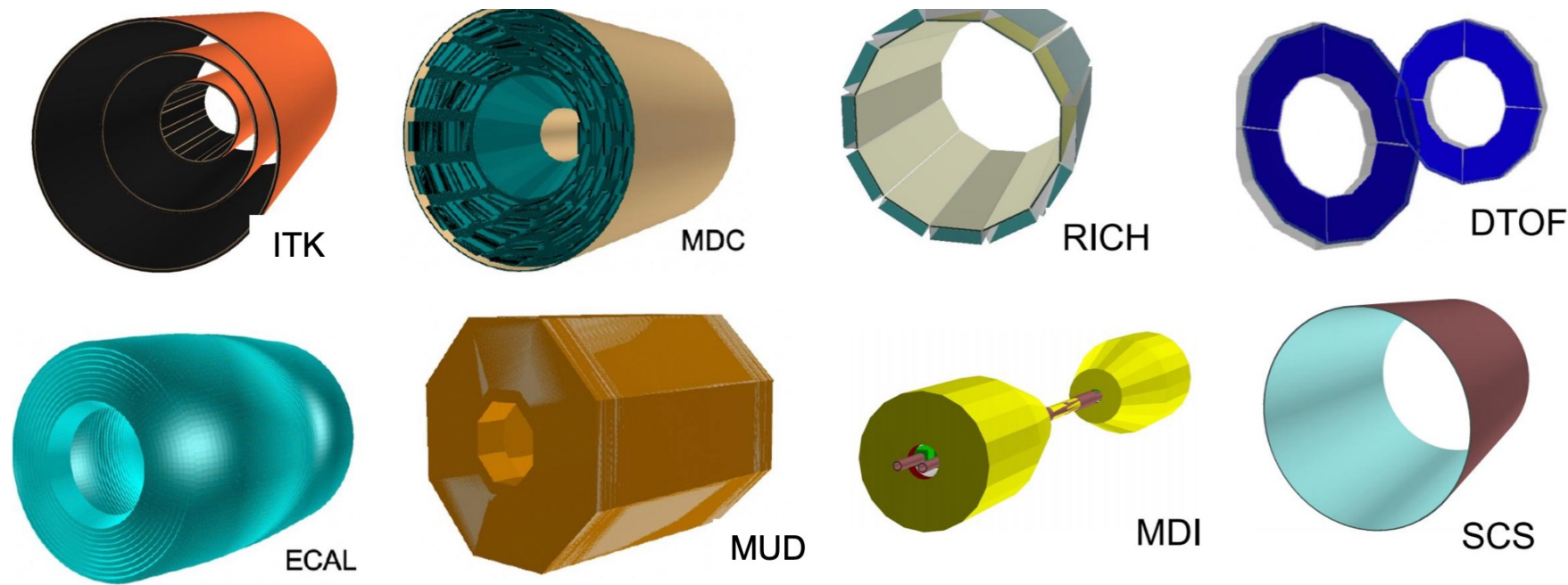


Architecture of OSCAR: three layers



Detector Description and Geometry Management

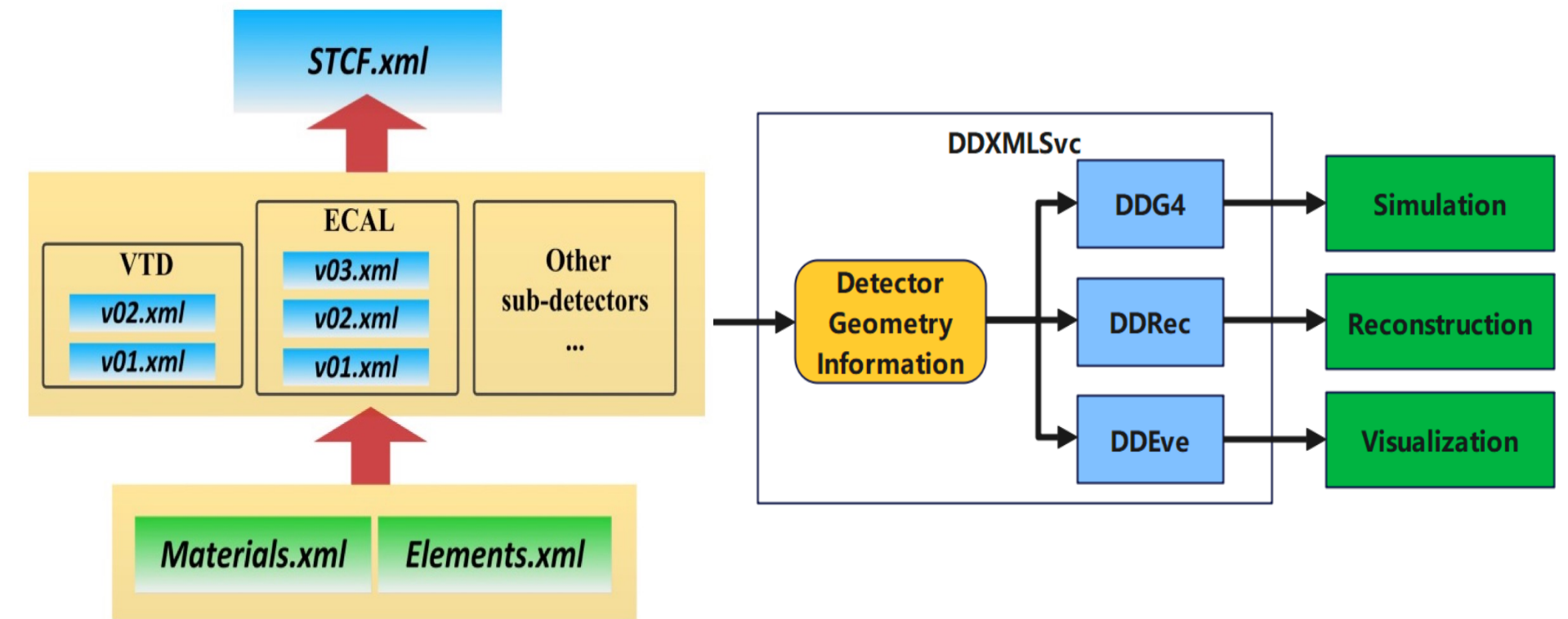
❖ The full Detector is described with **DD4hep**



Sub-detectors defined with DD4hep

- **Very convenient to optimize detector geometry according to detector experts**
- **Ensure consistent detector information between different applications**

- **Each sub-detector is implemented with a single compact file**
- **The version number is used for different design options**

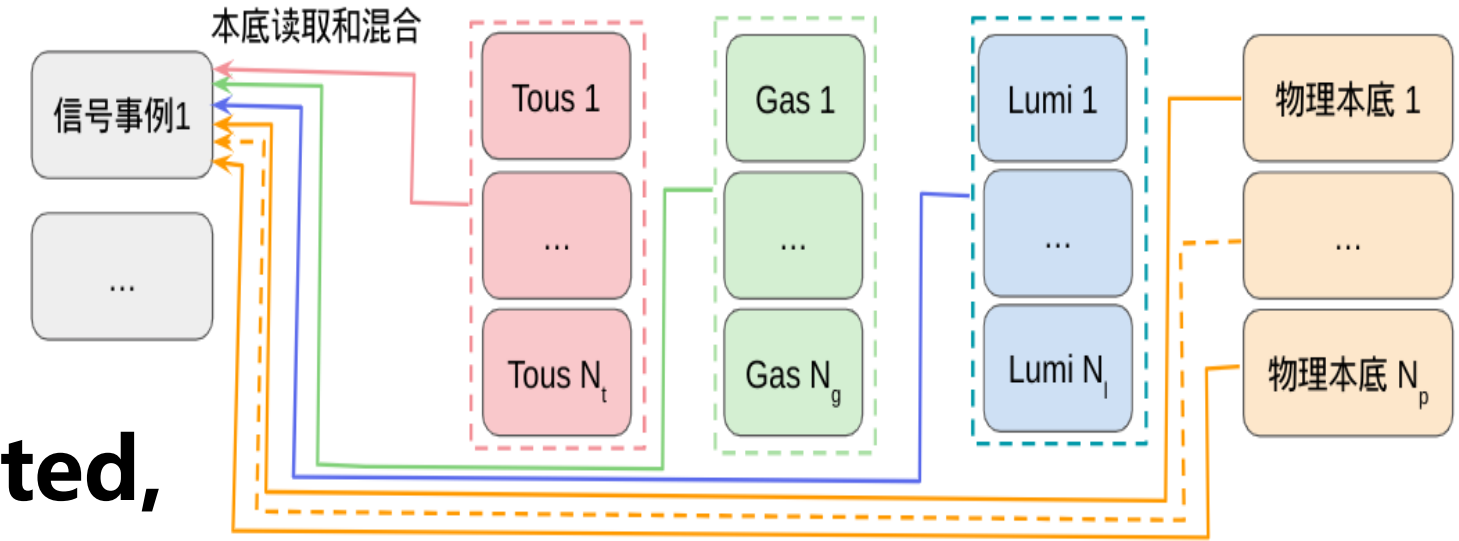


Geometry Management System

Event mixing and Digitization

❖ Event mixing algorithms is developed with flexible configuration

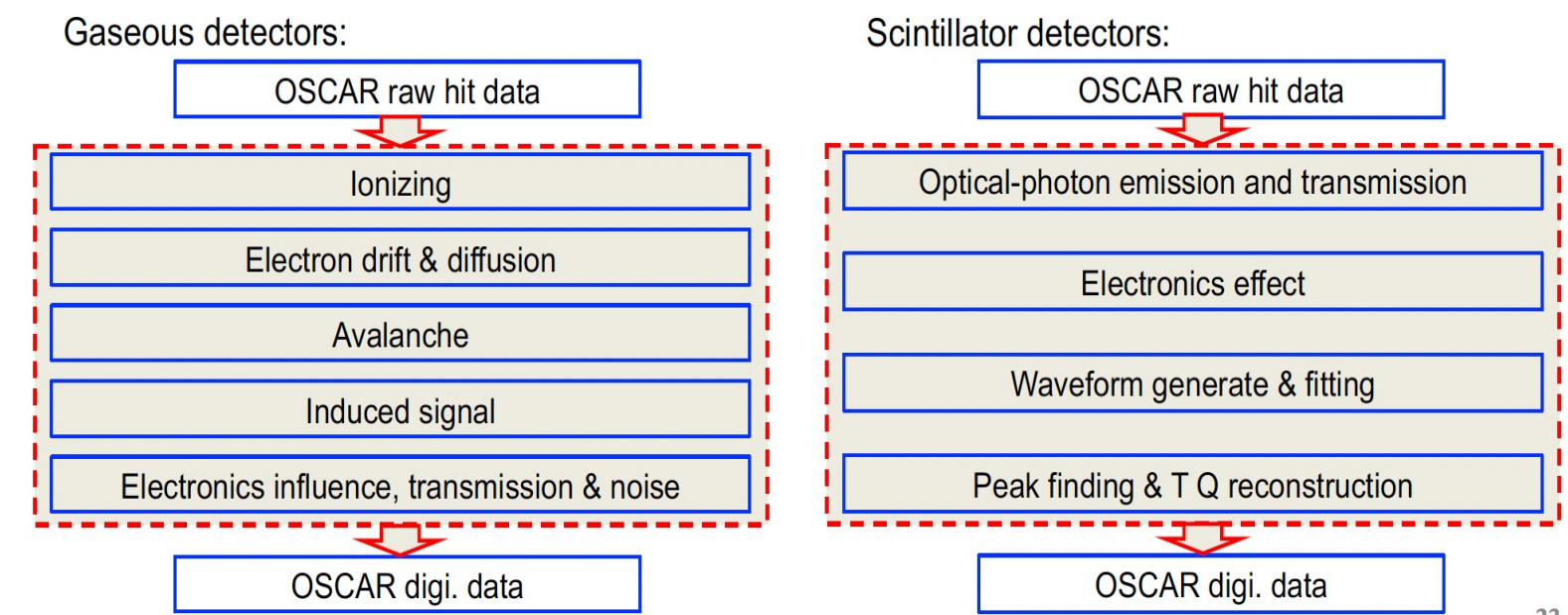
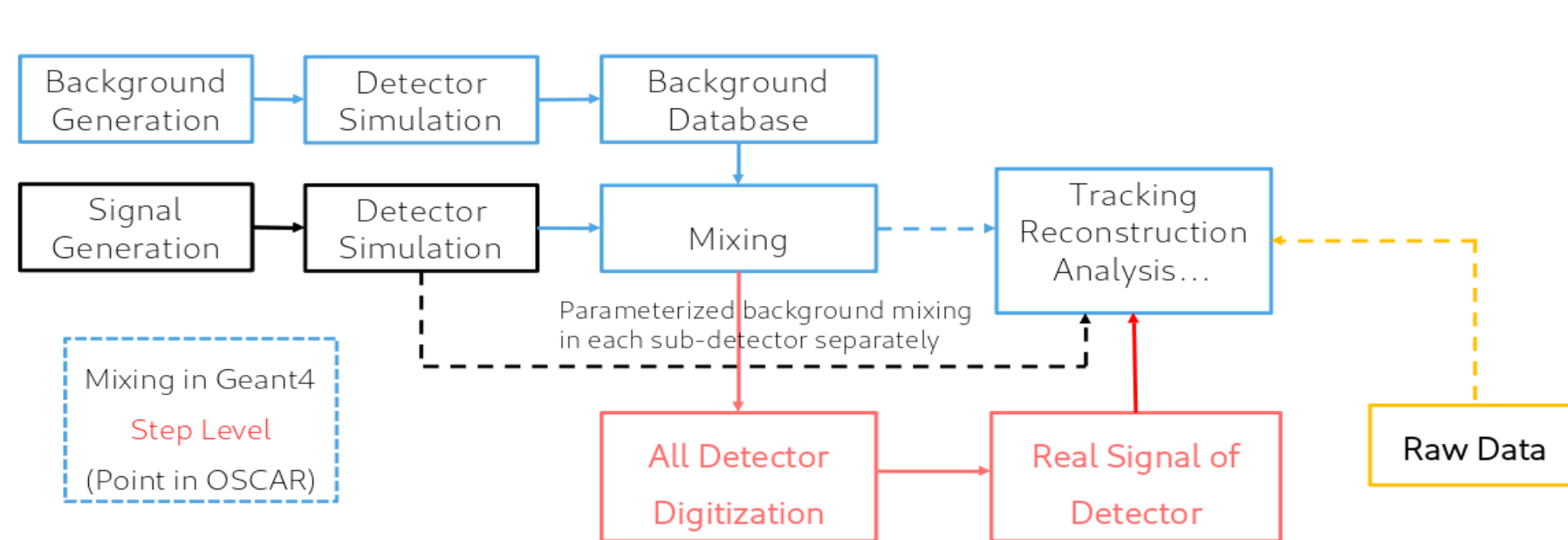
- **Signal, e.g.** $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^- J/\psi (\rightarrow \mu^+\mu^- / e^+e^-)$
- **Backgrounds:** Touschek, beam-gas, luminosity-related,
- **Physics background:** $e^+e^- \rightarrow anything$ at 4.26 GeV



Mixing of physics signal with backgrounds

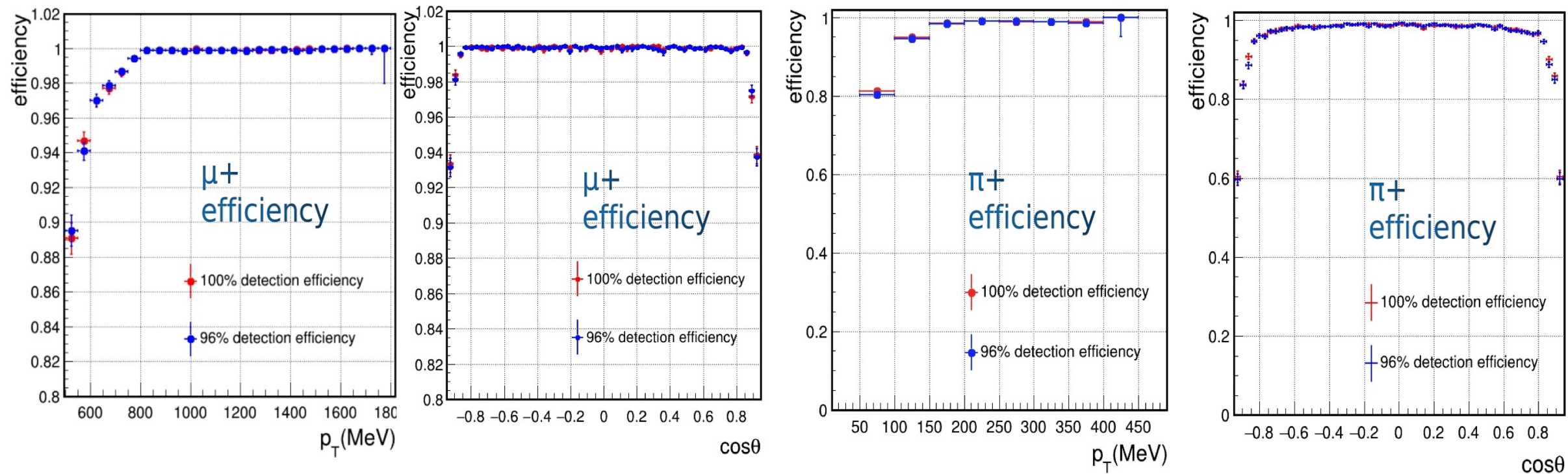
❖ Developed a unified digitization framework for all sub-detectors

- Each sub-detector implemented its digitization algorithms
- The digitization information is used as inputs to tune reconstruction algorithms



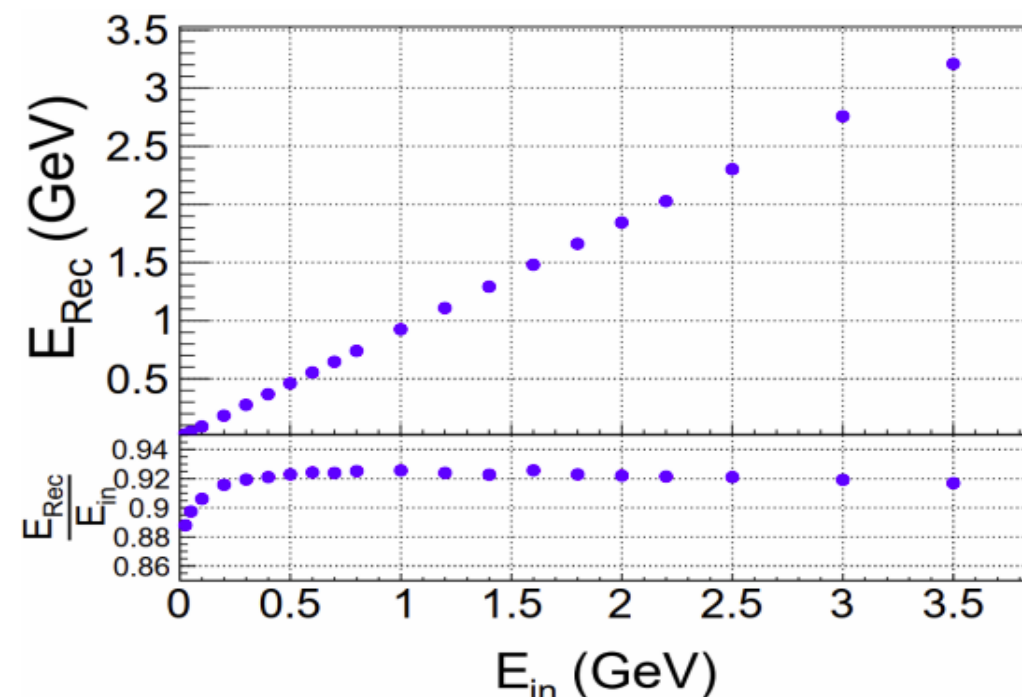
Reconstruction

❖ Track reconstruction with global Hough transform



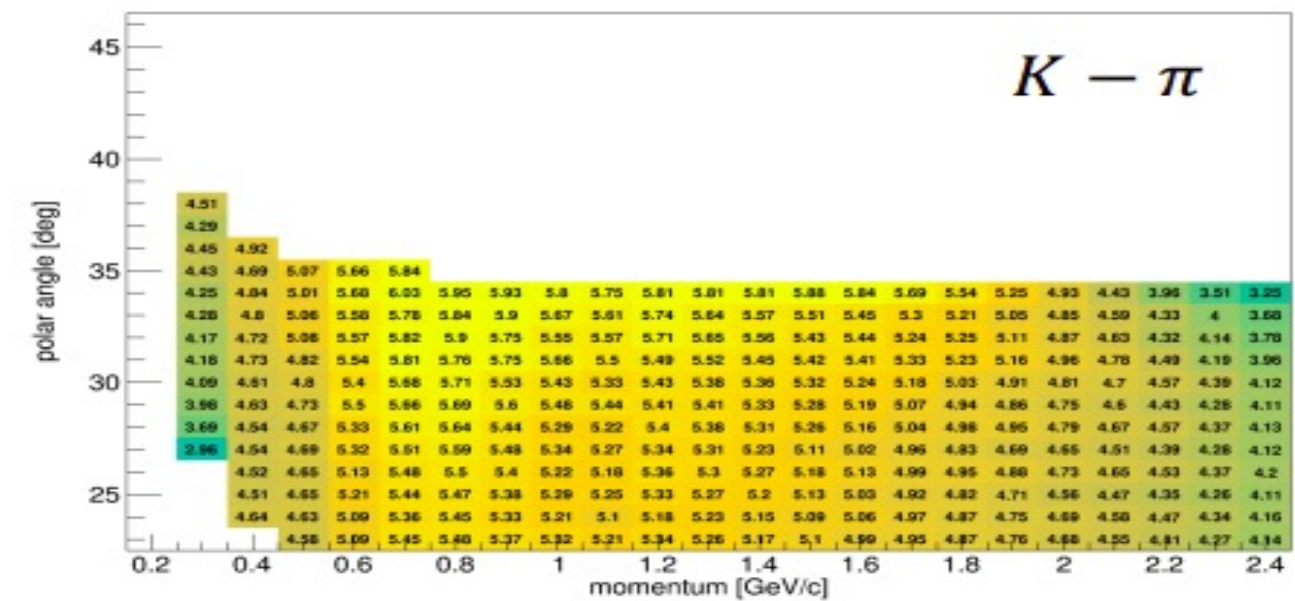
Performance of **Hough Transform**
>99% for muon with $P_T > 800$ MeV
> 82% for pion with P_T in $[50, 100]$ MeV

❖ Photon reconstruction



**Good energy
linearity
between 25
MeV–3.5 GeV**

❖ DTOF PID with **imaging method**



- K/π 4.7σ separation up to 2.0 GeV/c

STCF Project Development

Super Charm-tau Factory

Proposed at “Workshop for acc. based high energy physics development strategy”

2011

研，建设接受堆协同设计的平台，全面提升国内磁约束聚变工程核心技术的研究水平，争取在“十三五”期间能够立项建设。（承建单位：国家磁约束聚变总体设计部）
 2. 超导磁体：超导磁体的发展是超导技术的一种途径，与超导技术经验的积累，进一步加强与世界超导磁体发达国家合作，集聚全球超导工程的力量，加快中国自主创新超导磁体的建设和技术攻关。（承建单位：中科院合肥物质科学研究院）
 3. 超导磁体：在超导磁体实验装置的基础上，开展关键技术研究和初步工程设计前期研究，建设验证装置—30T超导磁体，建成国际先进的超导磁体科学研究中心。（承建单位：中科院合肥物质科学研究院）
 4. 超导磁体：开展新一代超导磁体科学研究中心的概念与前期研究，谋划新建超导磁体科学研究中心。（承建单位：中国科学院大学）
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Hefei Comprehensive National Science and Technology center, STCF listed as a big science facility to be promoted

2015



Conceptual Design report Publish the CDR for the physics and Detector, formulate the preliminary CDR for accelerator

2018

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Fragrant Hills Science Forum Demonstrated its importance and necessity, Urging to launch feasibility study and R&D

中国科学技术大学“双一流”重点建设项目“超规陶-粲 (T-C) 装置预先研究”论证意见

2018年3月12日，中国科学技术大学“双一流”重点建设项目“超规陶-粲装置 (Super Tau-charm Facility, STCF) 的预先研究”进行了论证。会议成立了论证专家委员会（名单附后），听取了项目负责人赵政国院士的项目汇报。经认真讨论与质询，形成论证意见如下：

1. 粒子物理学（也称高能物理）是研究比原子核更深层次物质的基本构成、相互作用以及自然界基本规律的前沿



USTC “double first-class” key project Launch the conceptual design study and feasibility study

2021

- Chinese Academy of Sciences, 2021-2026, International Partnership program, 5.0 M RMB
- Ministry of Science and Technology, 2022-2027, National Key R&D Program of China, 17.5 M RMB
- National Natural Science Foundation of China, 2024-2027, Group of Key Projects, 14.0 M RMB

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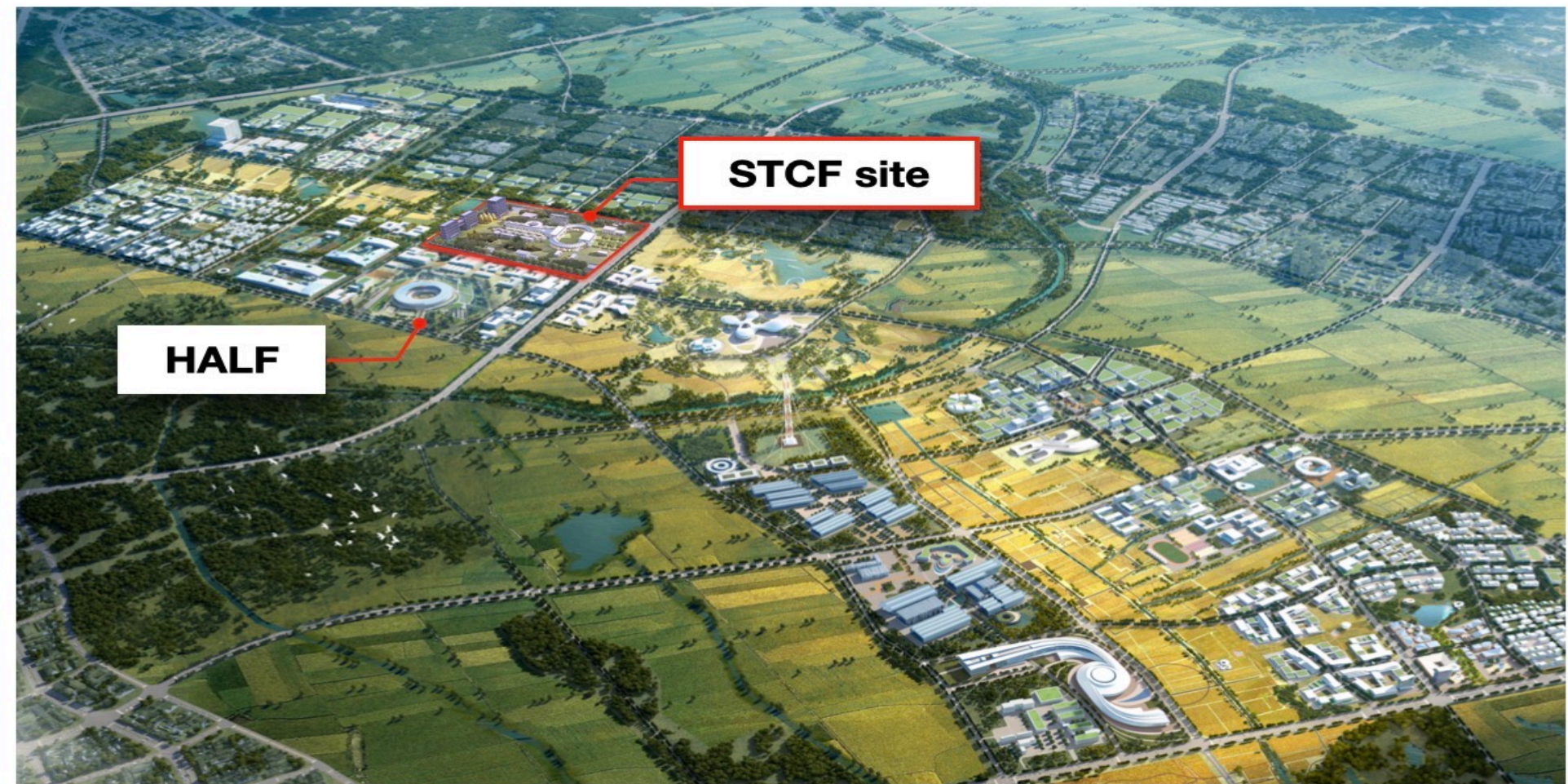
“超规陶-粲装置关键技术攻关”项目论证意见

2022年4月24日，中国科学技术大学和安徽省政府、合肥市人民政府联合召开“超规陶-粲装置 (Super Tau-charm Facility, STCF) 关键技术攻关”项目论证会。会议成立了论证专家委员会（名单附后），听取了项目负责人赵政国院士的项目汇报。经认真讨论与质询，形成论证意见如下：



Governments of Anhui Province and Hefei City Launch the STCF Key Technology R&D project

Site Selection – Future Big Science City



- A very attractive **Science City** under construction in Hefei
 - Home to big facilities for science and technology, with total area of land of 17155 acres
 - Plus 11815 acres of ecological green space and modern agricultural land

- STCF would form a unique international research center for accelerator based high energy physics
- The geological exploration, civil engineering design, and other preparation are in progress

STCF Conferences and Workshops

International

	Place	Content
2015.01	Hefei, China	First
2018.03	Beijing, China	Second
2018.05	Novosibirsk, Russia	Third
2018.12	Paris, France	Fourth
2019.08	Moscow, Russia	Fifth
2020.11	Online, China	Sixth
2021.11	Online, Russia	Seventh
2024.01	Hefei, China	Eighth



Domestic

	Place	Content
2018.10	Hengyang (USC)	STCF
2019.03	Beijing (UCAS)	STCF: Physics
2019.07	Hefei (USTC)	STCF: Accelerator
2019.08	Hefei (USTC)	STCF: Phys. & simulations
2019.11	Beijing (UCAS)	STCF: CDR
2020.08	Hefei (USTC)	STCF: From CDR to TDR
2022.12	Guangzhou(SYU)	STCF: R&D kick-off
2023.07	Zhengzhou(ZZU)	STCF: collaboration

2018年2-7吉电子伏高亮度正负电子对撞机国际研讨会(HIEPA2018)



2018 STCF International Conference



2022超级陶粲装置研究进展研讨会



2023年超级陶粲装置研讨会



International Advisory Committee Meeting



国际顾问委员会(IAC): 共22位加速器、粒子物理专家

主席: Guy Wilkinson (Oxford)

副主席: Frank Zimmermann (CERN)

- 14位成员线下, 8位线上
- 听取项目组织、物理目标、关键技术、未来规划等汇报、实验室实地考察并做专题讨论

Kick-Off Meeting and R&D Project Review Meeting



Kick-off Meeting, Aug. 2023, USTC

More than 30 academicians of CAS, as well as government officials of Anhui province and Hefei city, along with representatives from various domestic research institutions, totaling 170 attendees.



R&D Project Review, Dec. 2023, USTC

Organized by Development and Reform Commissions of Anhui province and Hefei city. The R&D project was approved for a budget of ~400 M RMB and is jointly funded by Anhui, Hefei and USTC.

Project Schedule in the ideal scenario

	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	2031	2032-2047	
Conceptual design CDR	█															
Key Technology R&D TDR					█		█									
Construction									█							
Operation															█ 15 years	

Summary

- As a key player in HEP precision frontier, STCF holds great potential for discoveries and breakthroughs in studies of strong interaction, CPV, and new physics searches.
- STCF builds upon China's great success and well-established unique international position in tau-charm physics, constituting a viable medium-term HEP project in China.
- Intensive conceptual design studies in the past few years have resulted in physics and detector CDR. Accelerator CDR to come soon.
- The STCF project has moved on to the technology R&D stage with committed and strong support from local governments and USTC. A full STCF R&D program has been established and is going full steam ahead.
- Aiming to submit a proposal to the national government for starting STCF construction in the 15th five-year plan period (2026-2030).
- It is crucial to expand collaboration and explore synergies with other projects.

Thank you !