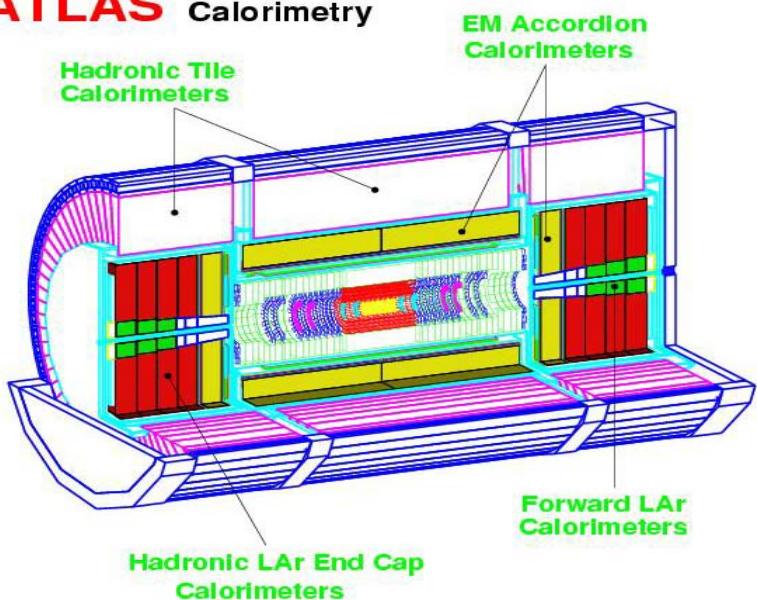




The ATLAS liquid argon detectors

Pascal Perrodo, LAPP-IN2P3 Annecy,
for the ATLAS LAR and L1 trigger Collaborations

ATLAS Calorimetry

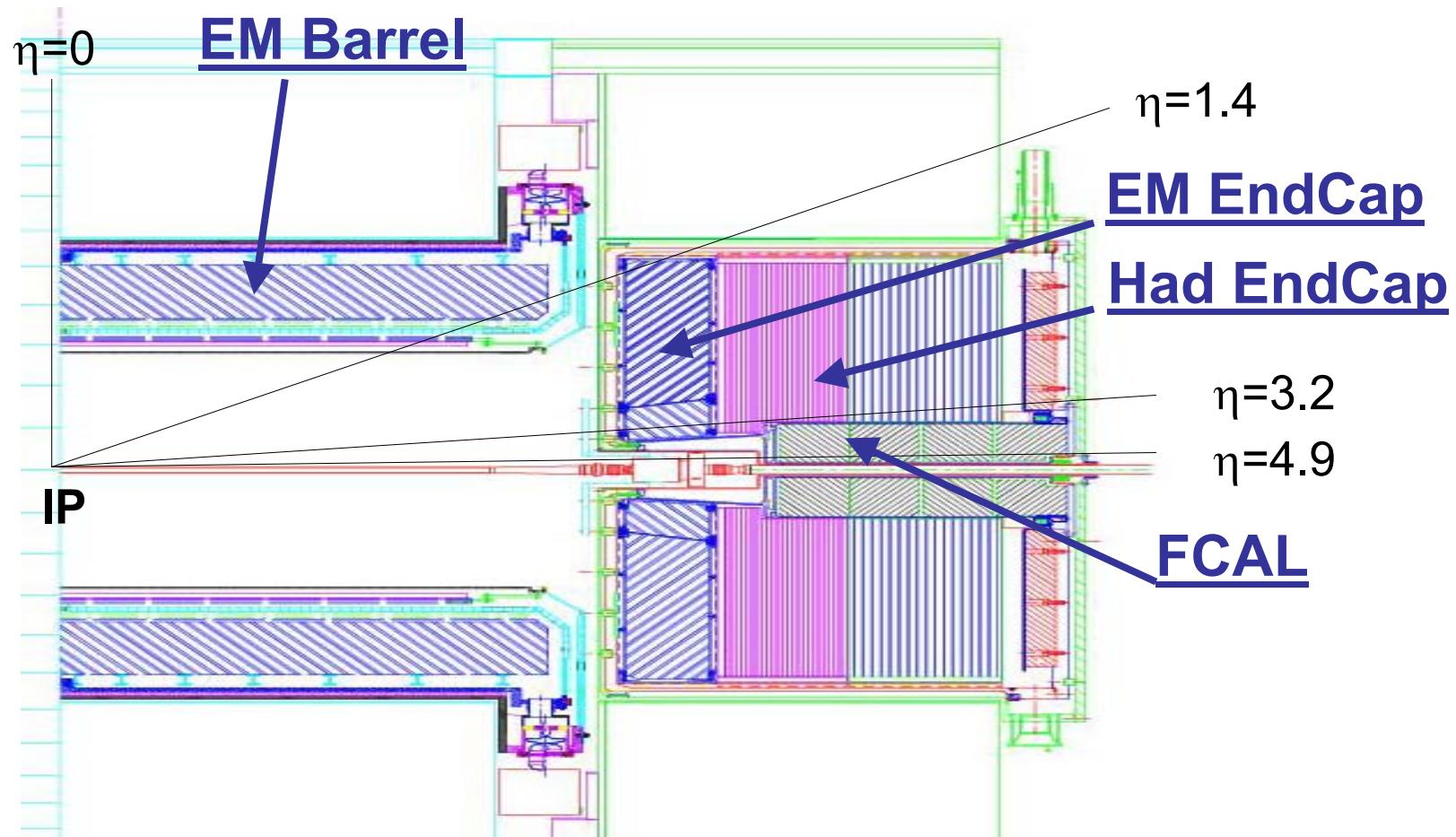


- Status and recent results of the liquid argon detectors :
 - **Electromagnetic** calorimeters
 - **Hadronic** endcap calorimeter
 - **Forward** calorimeters
- Developments on the e.m./isolated hadron **L1 trigger**

The ATLAS liquid argon system

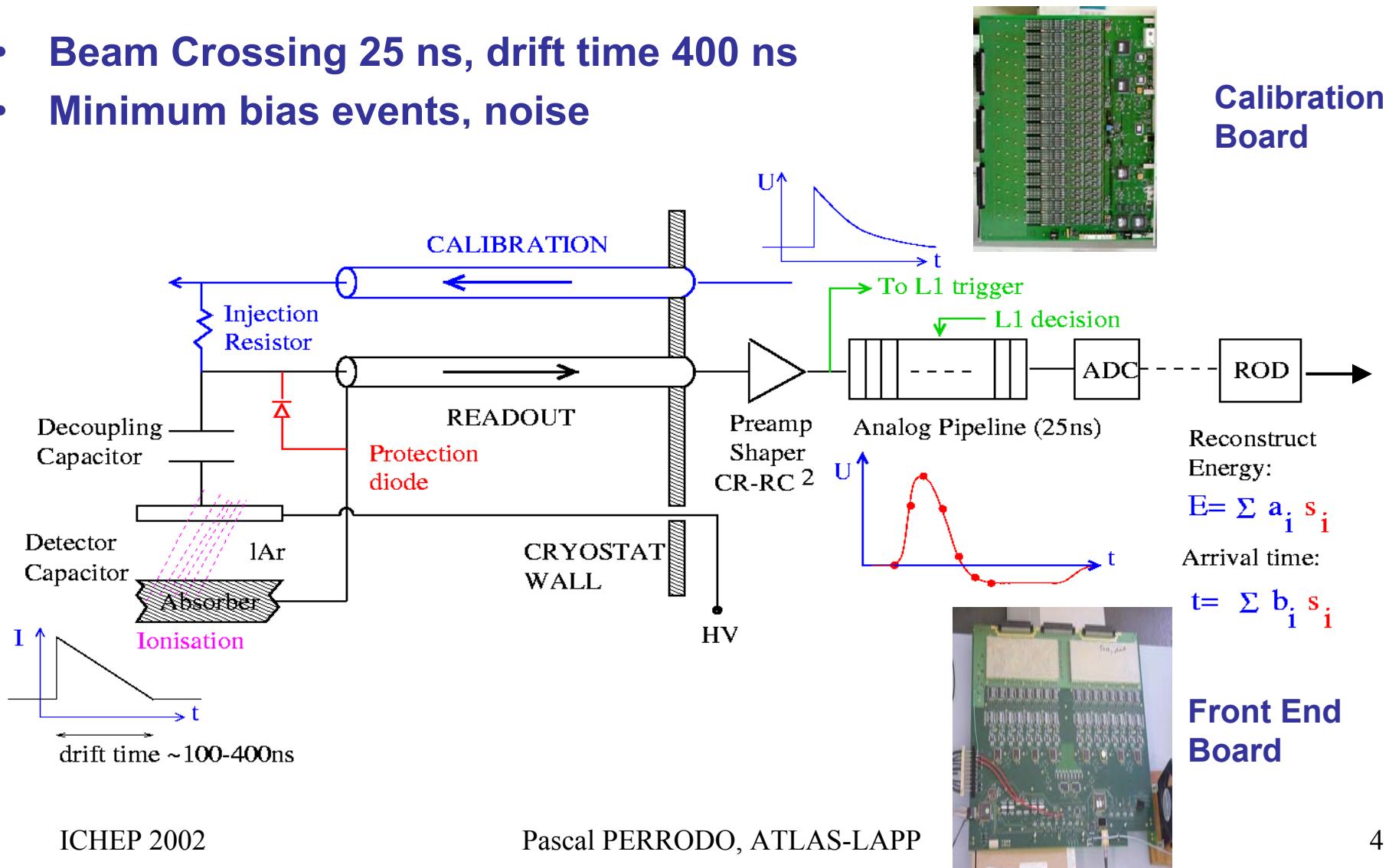
Countries :

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Russia
Slovakia
Spain
Switzerland
USA



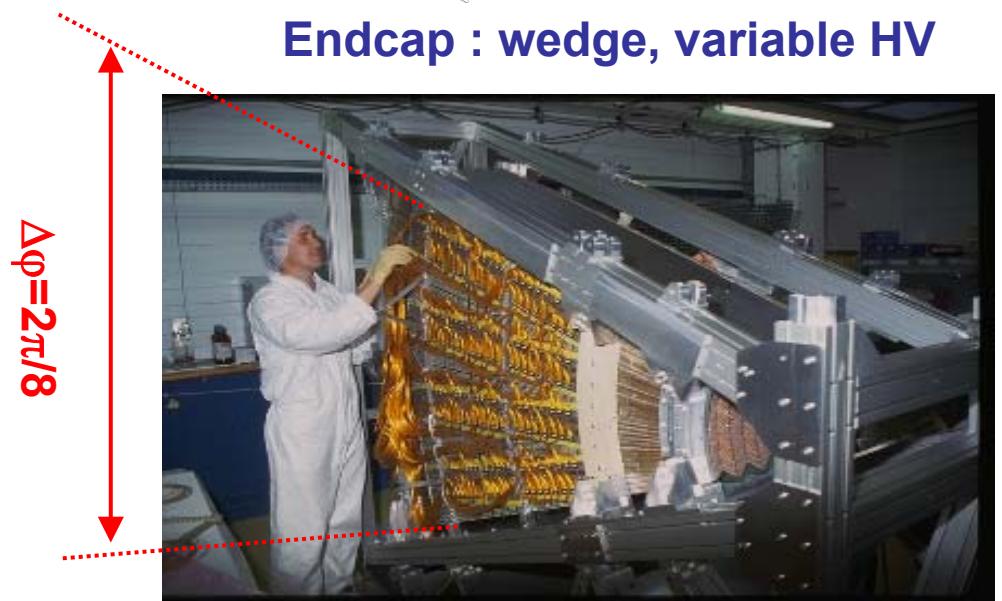
LHC liquid argon calorimetry

- Beam Crossing 25 ns, drift time 400 ns
- Minimum bias events, noise



The electromagnetic calorimeter

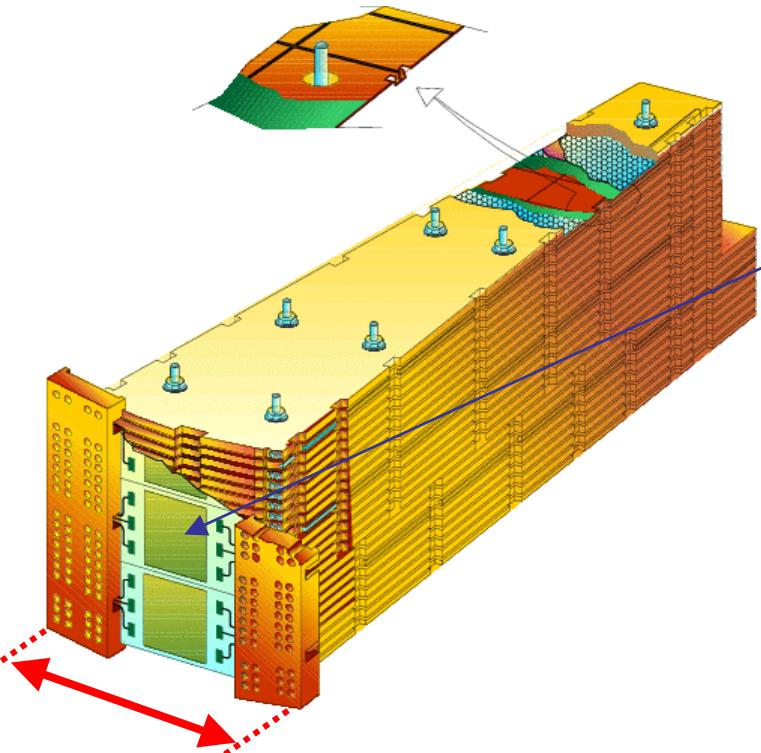
Accordion geometry : hermicity in φ , fast response, radiation hard, uniformity



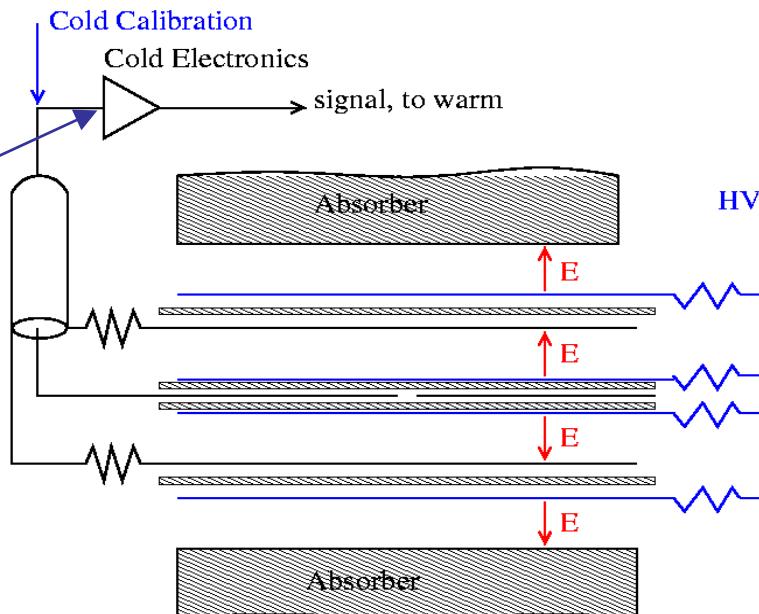
Endcap : wedge, variable HV

The hadronic endcap calorimeter

Schematics of a module:



Readout (ElectroStatic Transformer):

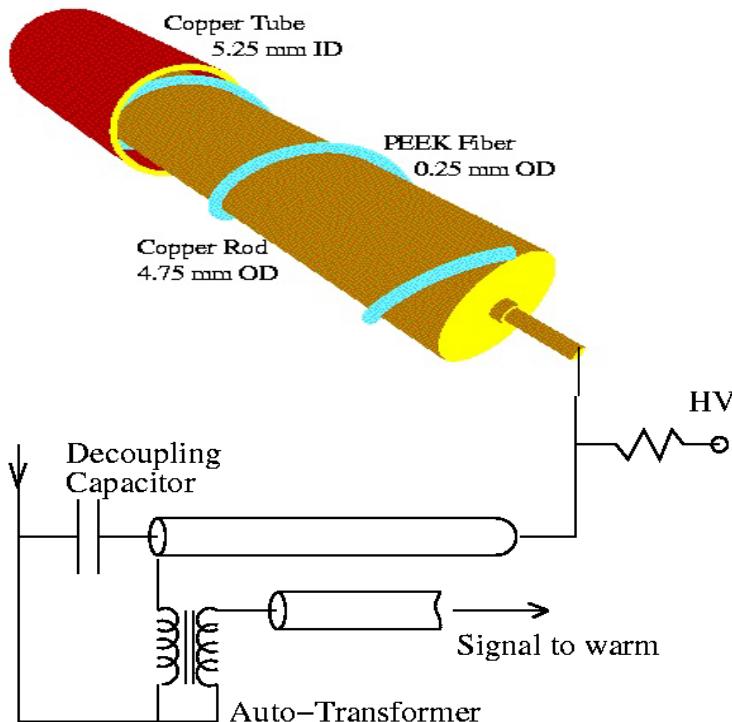


Radiation hardness, Jet reconstruction,
50%/ \sqrt{E} , E_T and missing E_T measurements

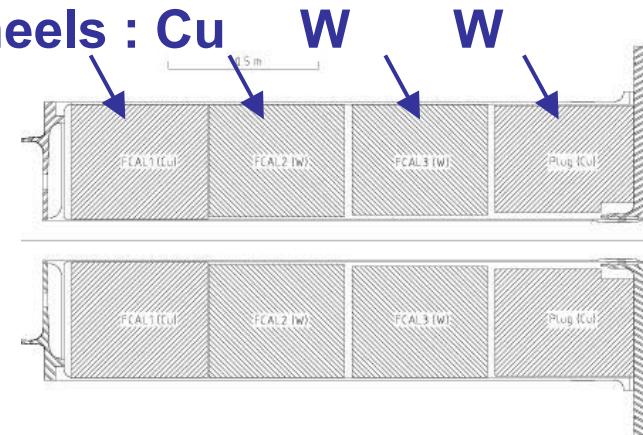
$$\Delta\varphi = 2\pi/32$$

The forward calorimeter

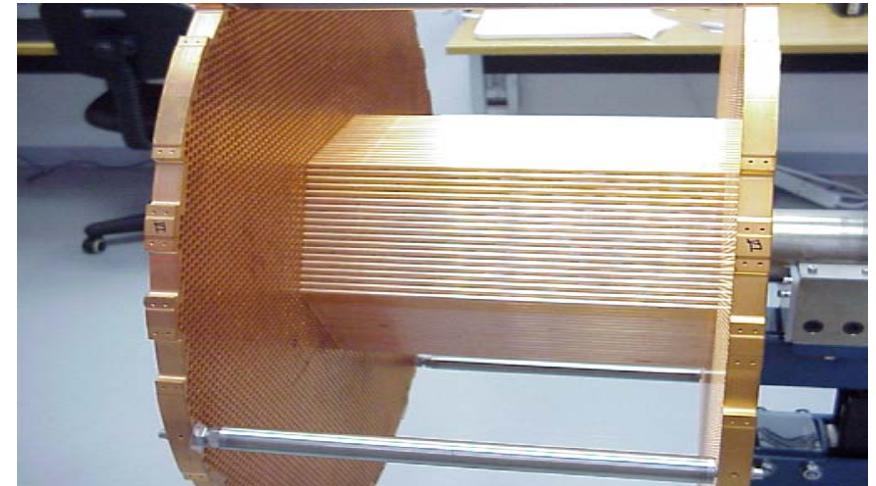
High rate and ionisation,
Drift time ≈ 50 ns
Readout principle:



Three successive wheels : Cu
Plug



Assembly of a tungsten wheel:

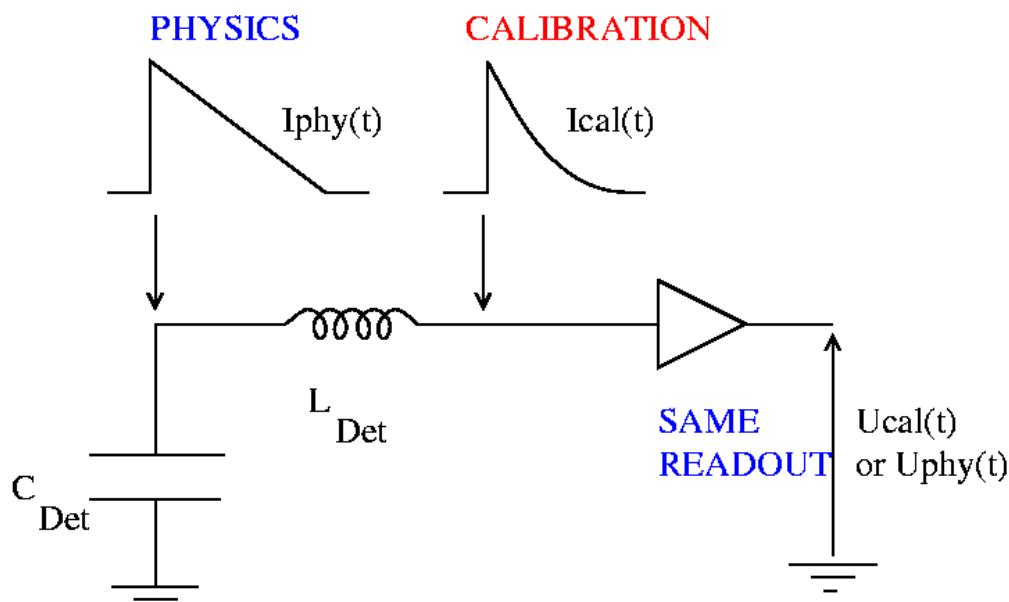


Signal and energy reconstruction

Uniformity at 0.7 %

Energy $E = \sum a_i s_i$, a_i in GeV/ADC

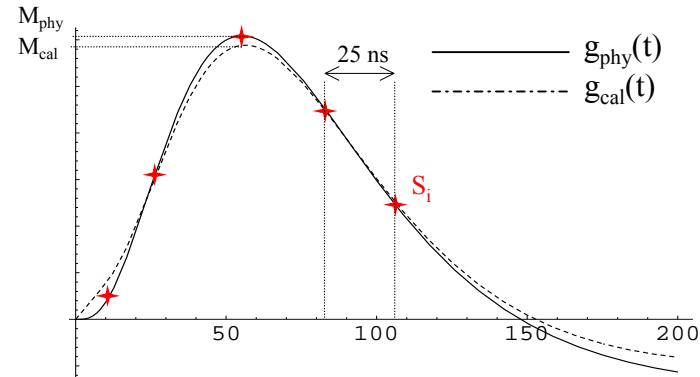
Simple electrical model :



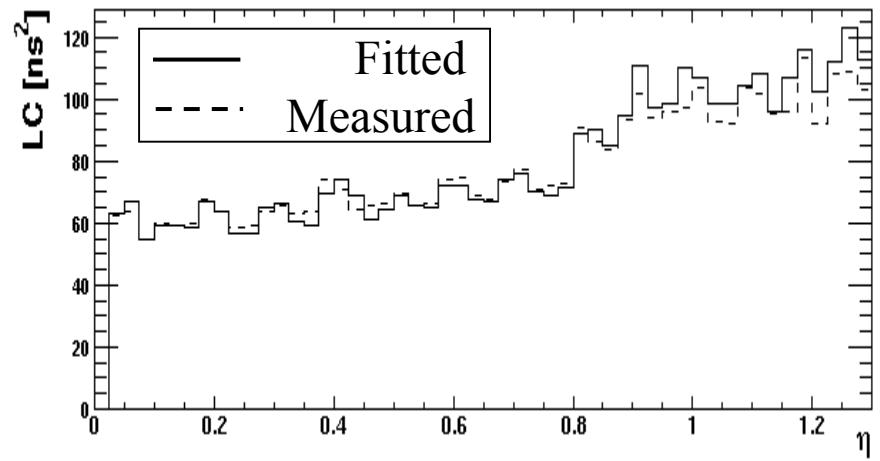
Validate the modelisation

Provide an absolute electronic calibration

Shape in Calibration and Physics :



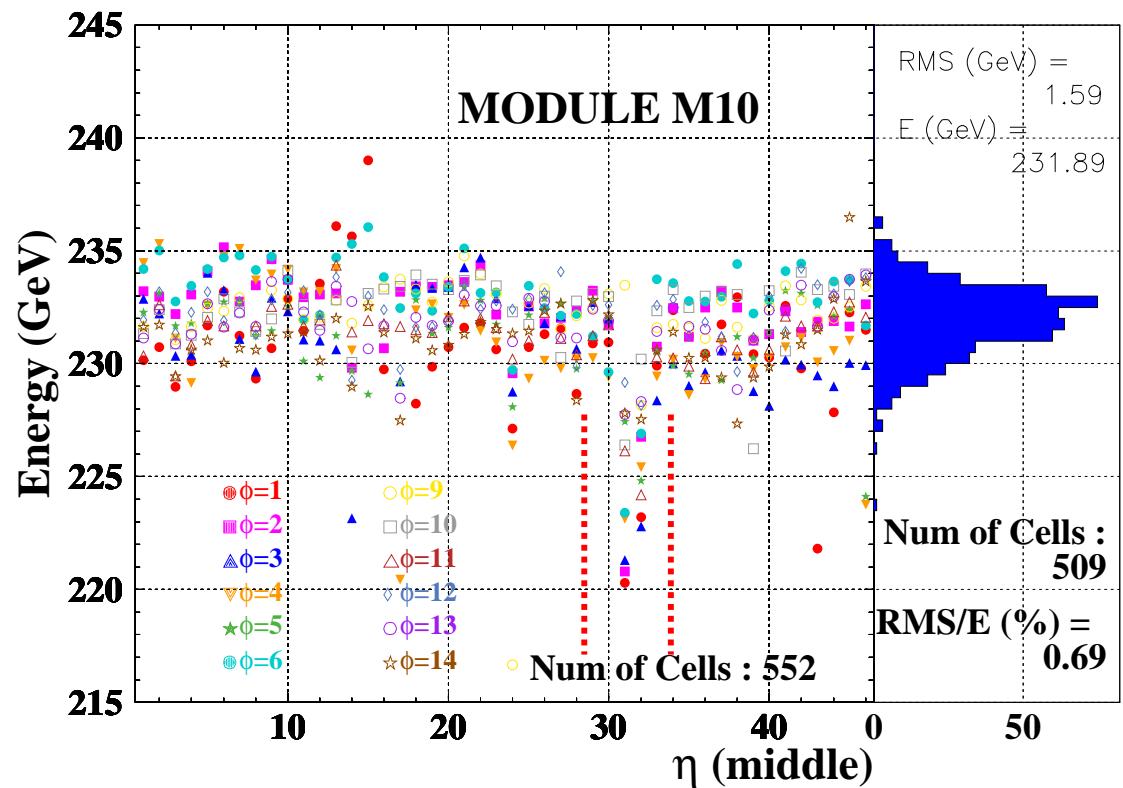
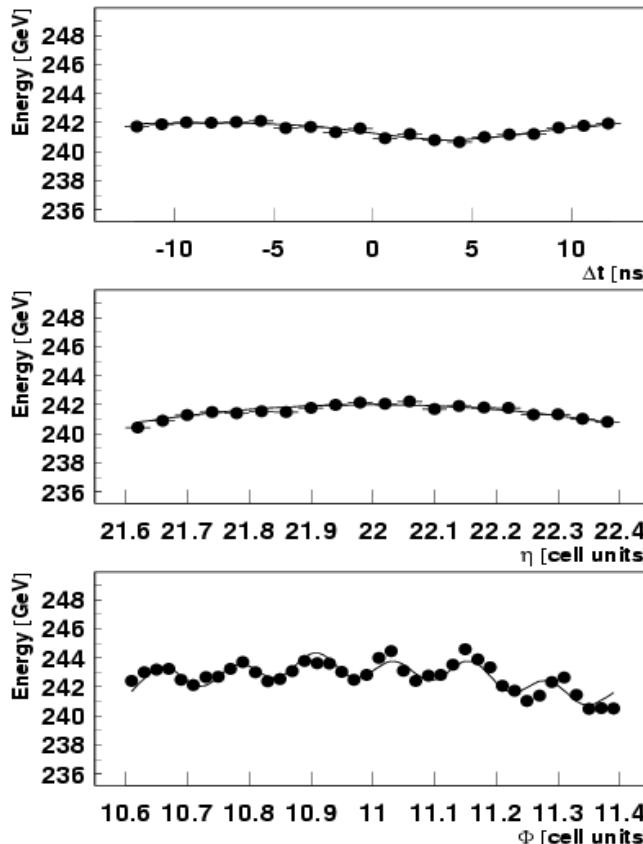
Validity of the modelisation :



EM barrel uniformity

4/32 EMB, 3/16 EMEC tested.

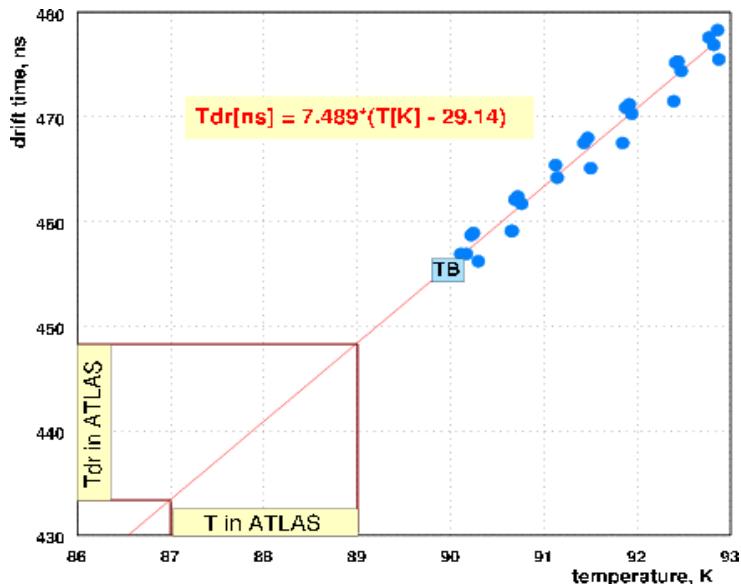
Corrections :



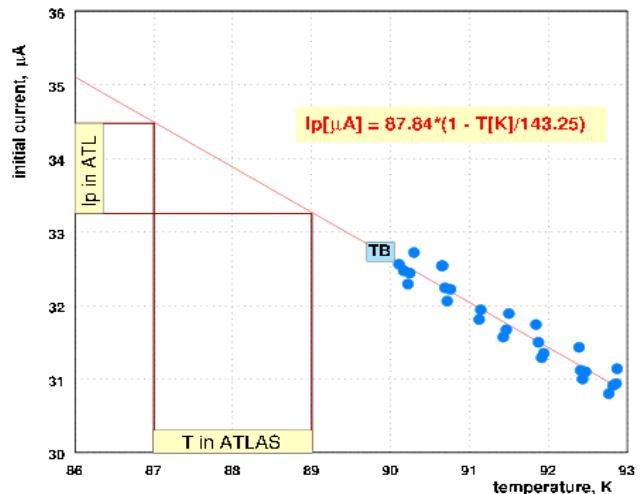
Expected : 0.7% over the EM detector

Drift time and temperature effect

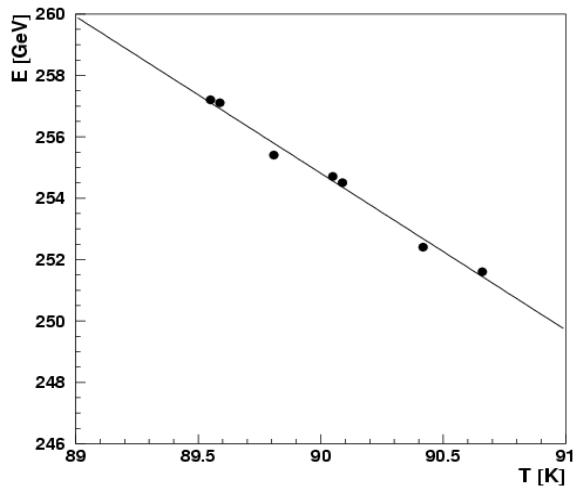
Drift time measured from the physics shape in the HEC :



HEC : $I = f(T)$



EM barrel:
 $E = f(T)$

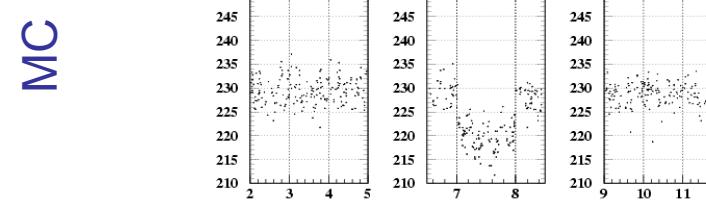
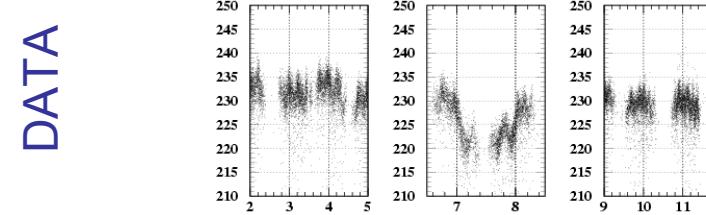
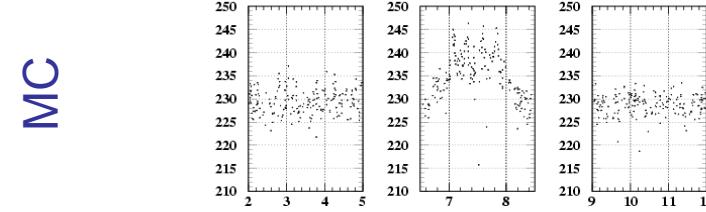
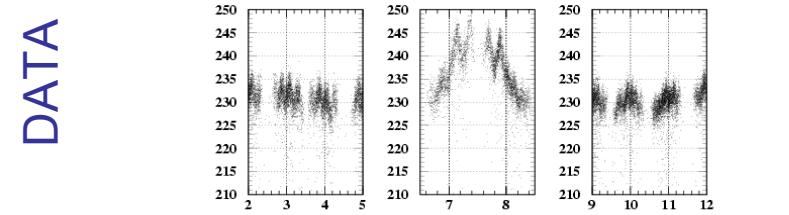
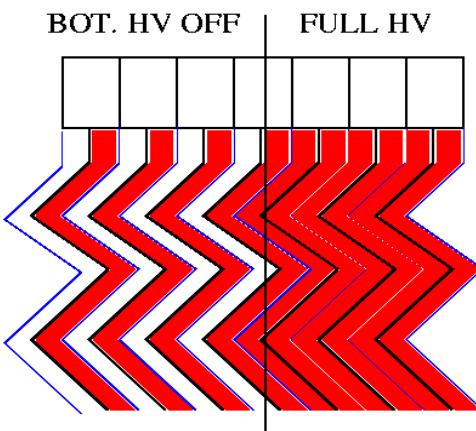
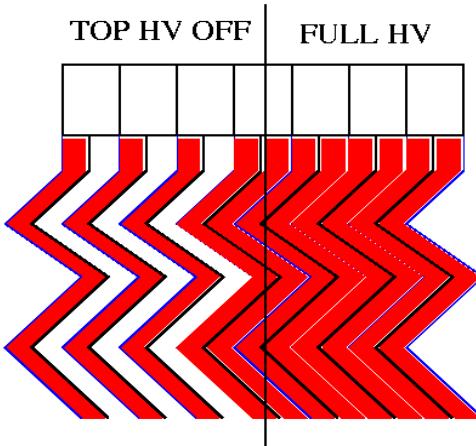


In agreement with expectation :
2% / K on the energy

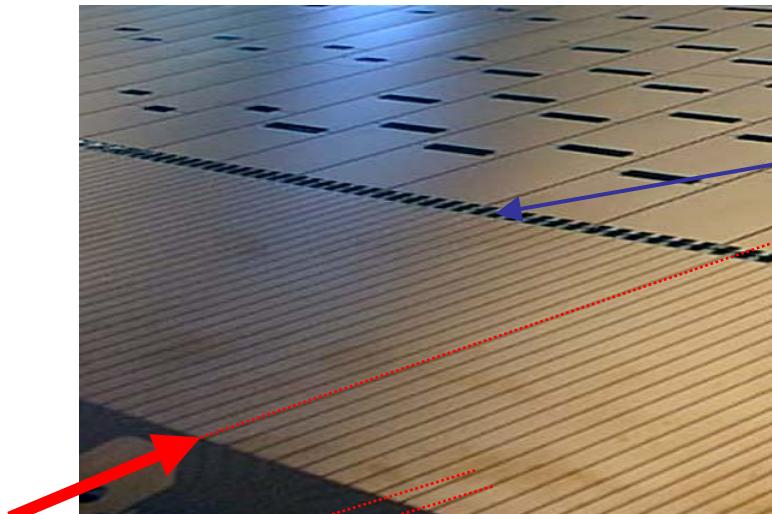
HV corrections in EM modules

If one HV line is missing, $E = E \times 2$ in a sector

At the transition, the effect is understood and reproducible by MC

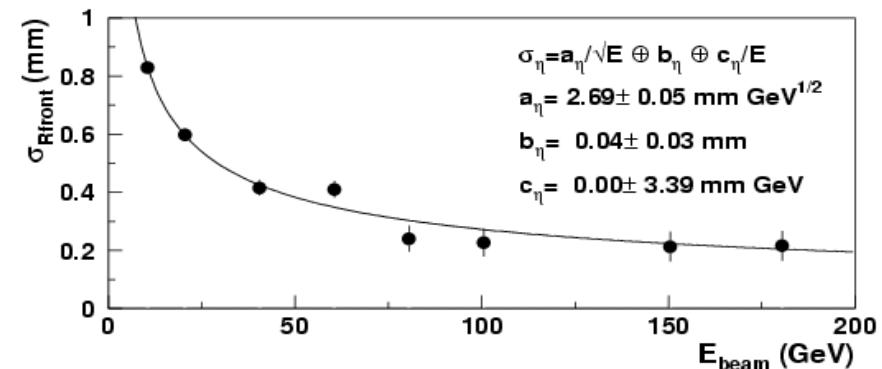


EM endcap position resolution

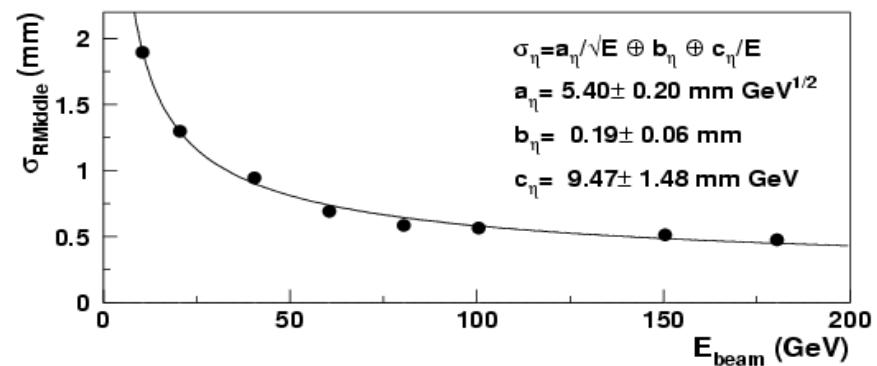


$$\Delta\eta(\text{strips}) = 0.025/6$$

Endcap electrode :
Strips in front layer



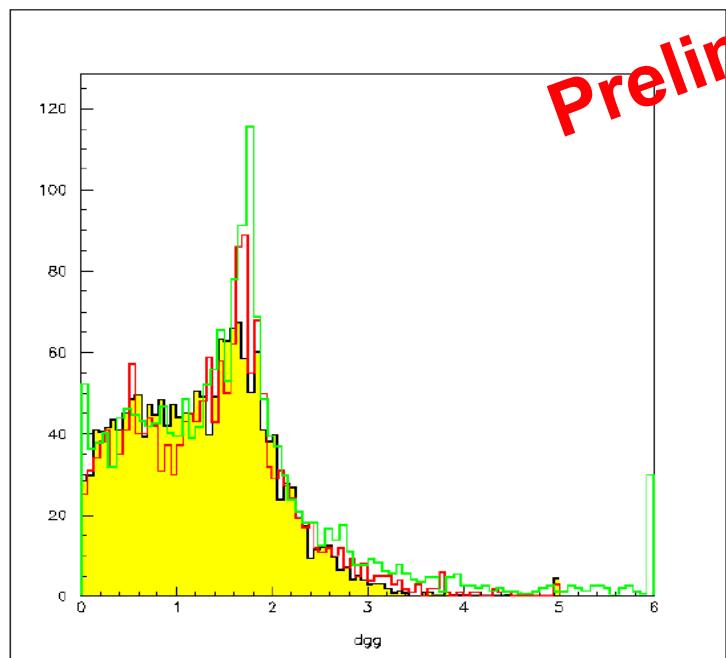
S-shape correction,
Beam chambers resolution 0.35mm
->angular resolution 50 mrad/ \sqrt{E}



γ / π° separation

γ beam, kinematical association of 2γ

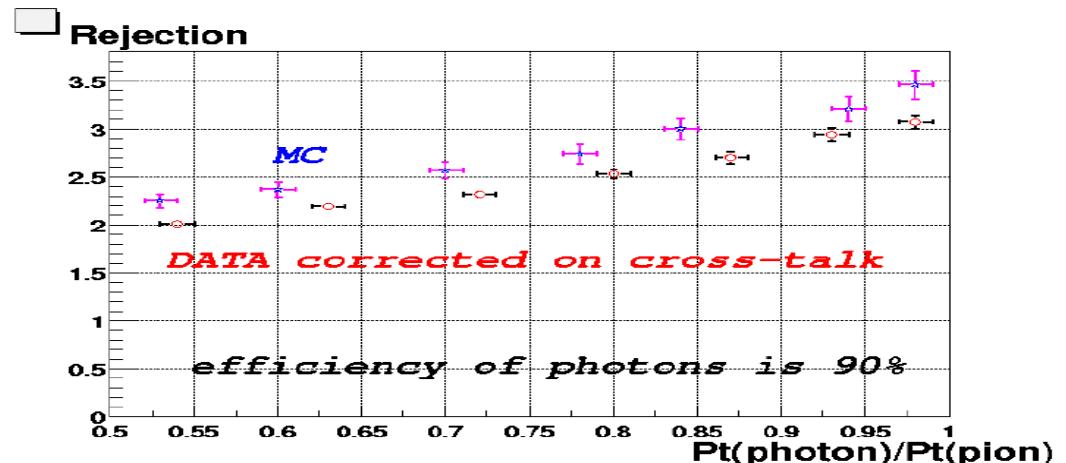
Distance(γ_1, γ_2):



DATA, MC, Kin. study

For $H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$

90% photon's efficiency
 $\langle R \rangle$ (Expected)=3.0



$\langle R \rangle$ (DATA)= 2.60 ± 0.05

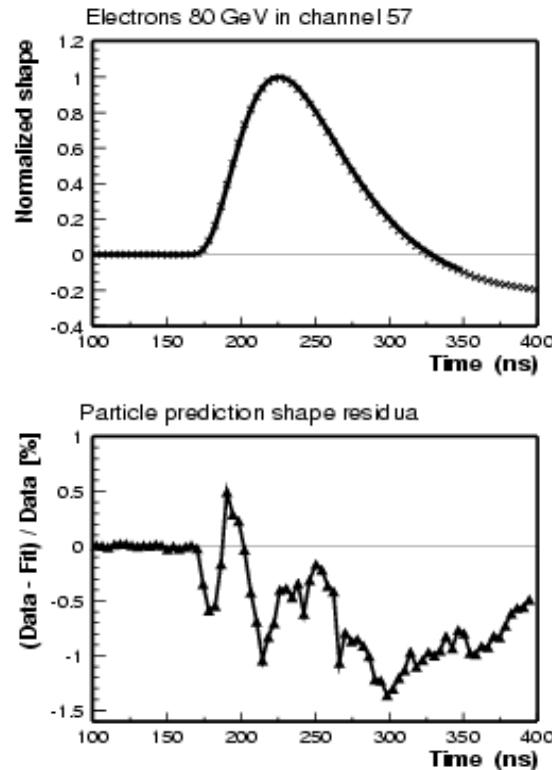
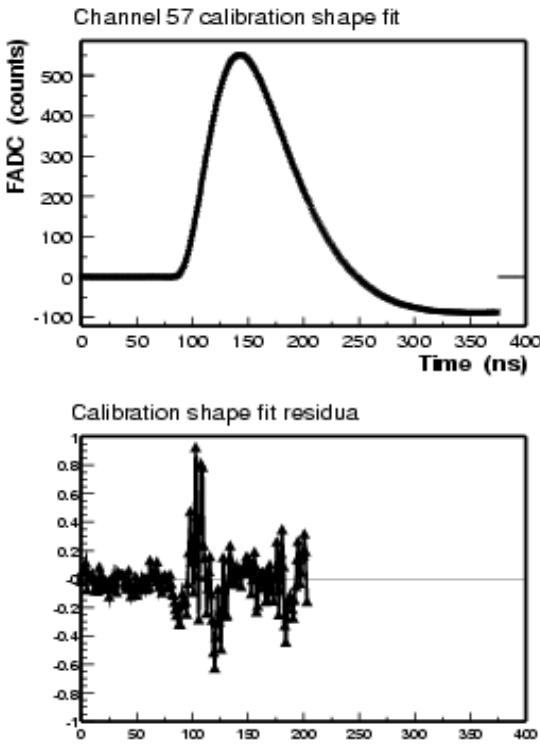
$\langle R \rangle$ (MC)= 2.82 ± 0.1

Looks promising

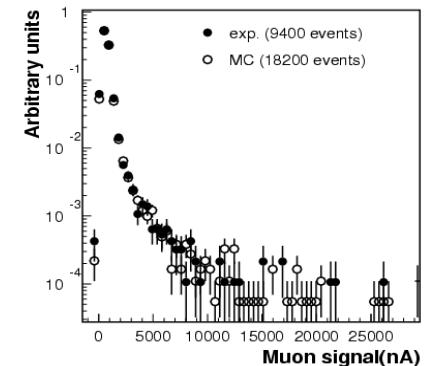
HEC results

- 24/134 modules to Test Beam
- Linearity and resolution for e and π

Signal reconstruction:



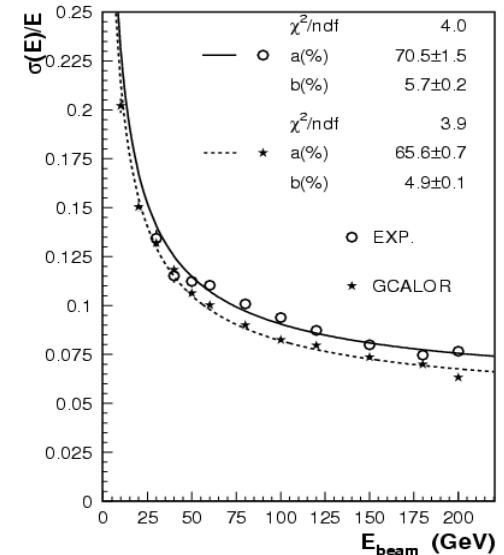
Muons :



Electron resol. = $21.5\%/\sqrt{E}$

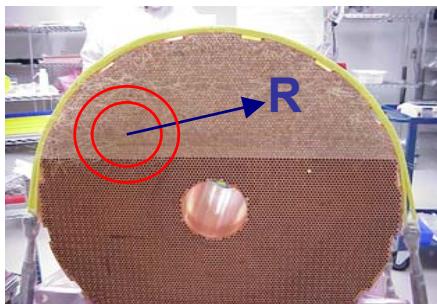
Ratio e/h ≈ 1.5

Pion resol. :

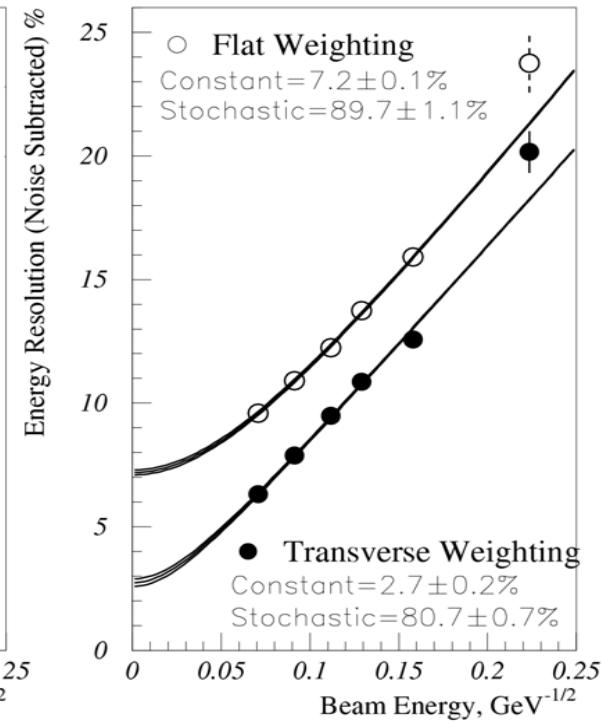
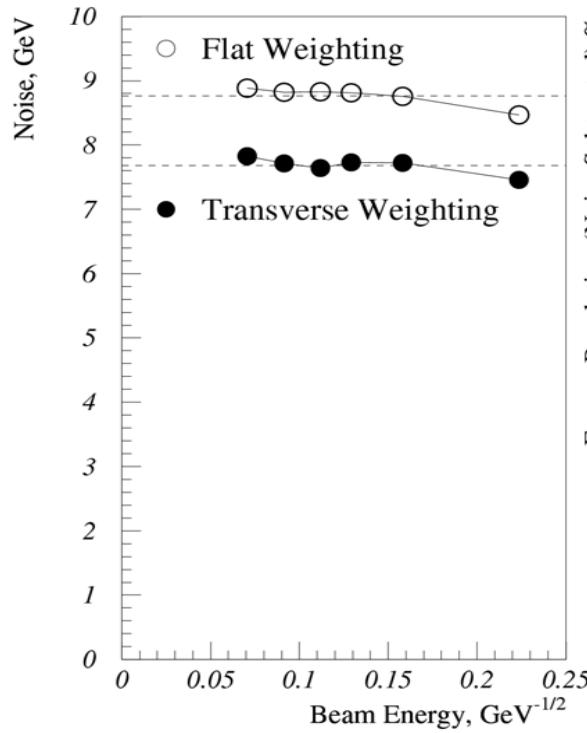
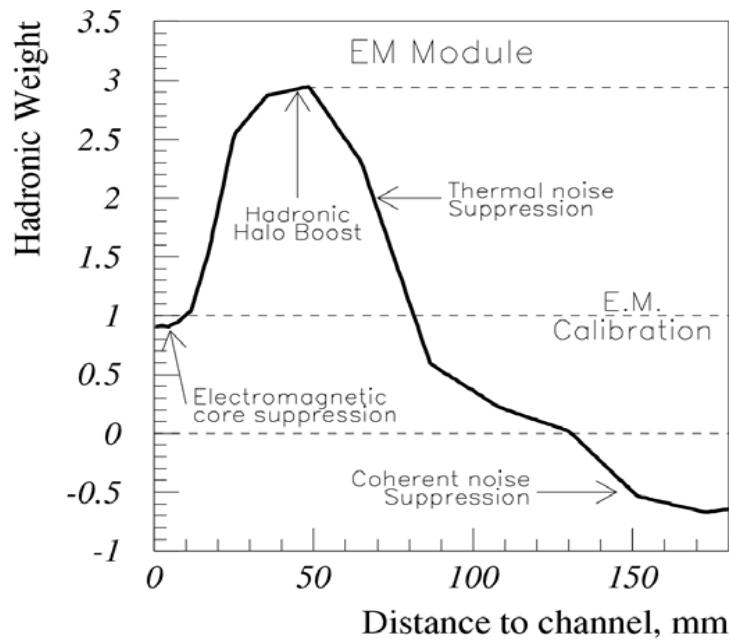


FCAL results

- Radial weighting
- Narrow jets in FCAL



Energy resolution
Expected $100\%/\text{E}/2 + 10\%$

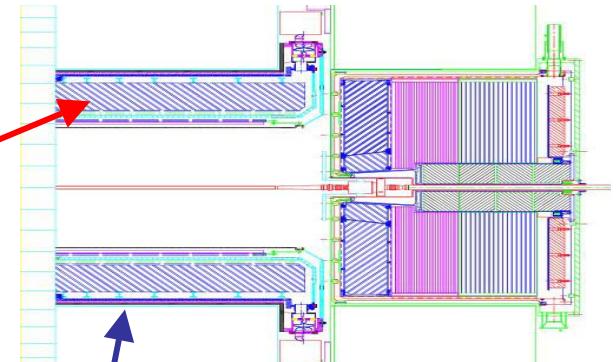


EM barrel wheel assembly

3/4 of the 1st wheel already assembled

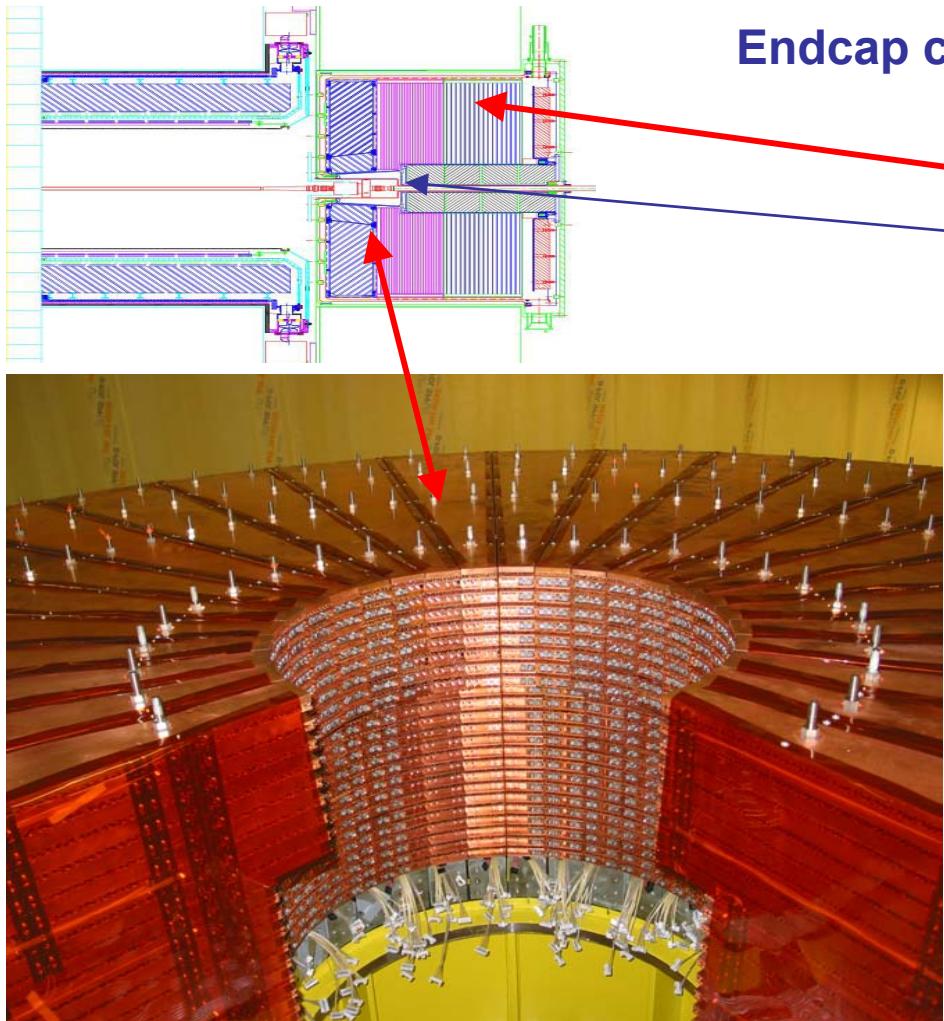


Accordion
Structure

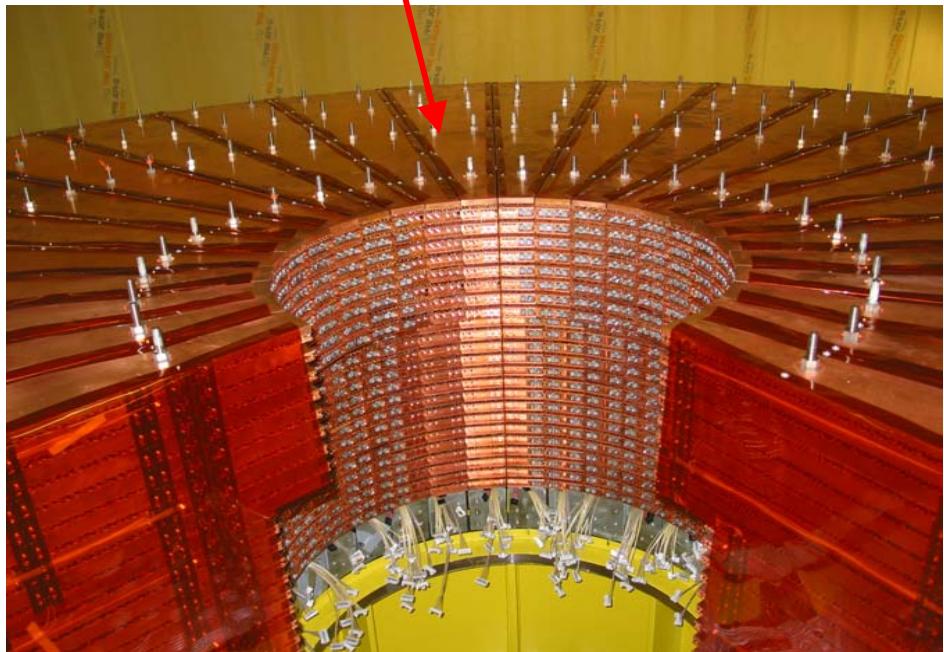


barrel cryostat

Endcap EMEC and HEC assembly

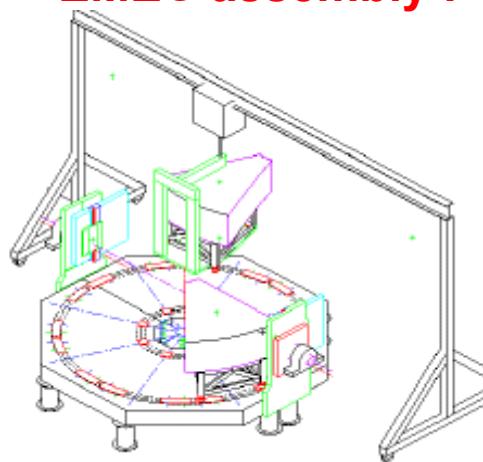


Endcap cryostat :



1st HEC wheel: 24/32 modules assembled

EMEC assembly :

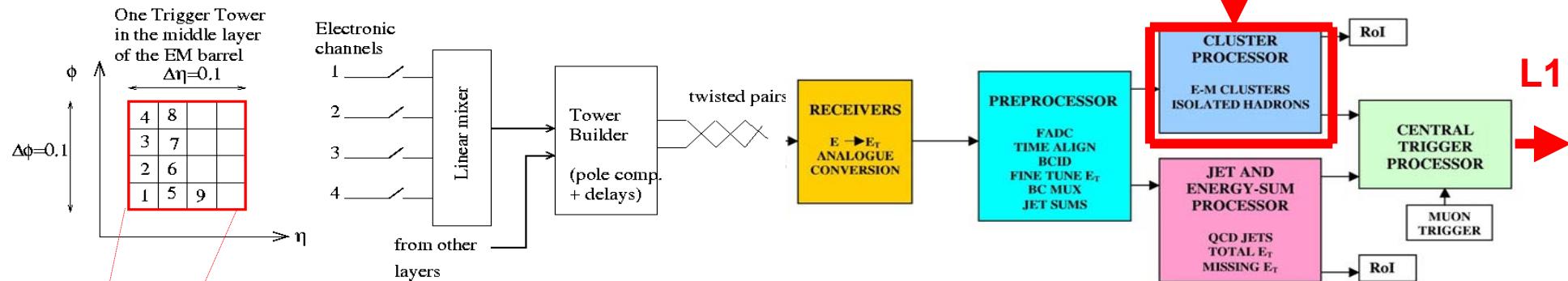


FCAL assembly :

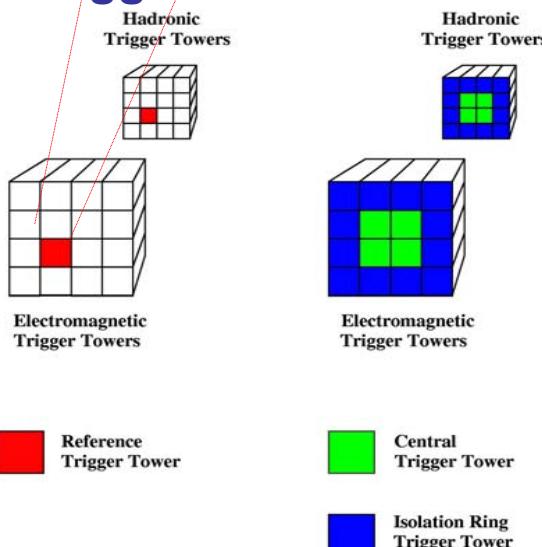


e.m./isolated hadron Trigger

- Generation of the L1 signal from the LAR calorimeters :



- Trigger windows :



- E.M. criteria :

- em cluster > Thr1
- em isolation < Thr2
- had isolation < Thr3
- local maximum

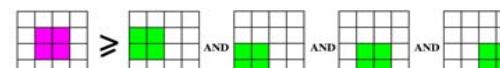
- Isol. Had. criteria :

- had cluster > Thr4
- em isolation < Thr5
- had isolation > Thr6
- local maximum

- Local Maximum for a RoI :

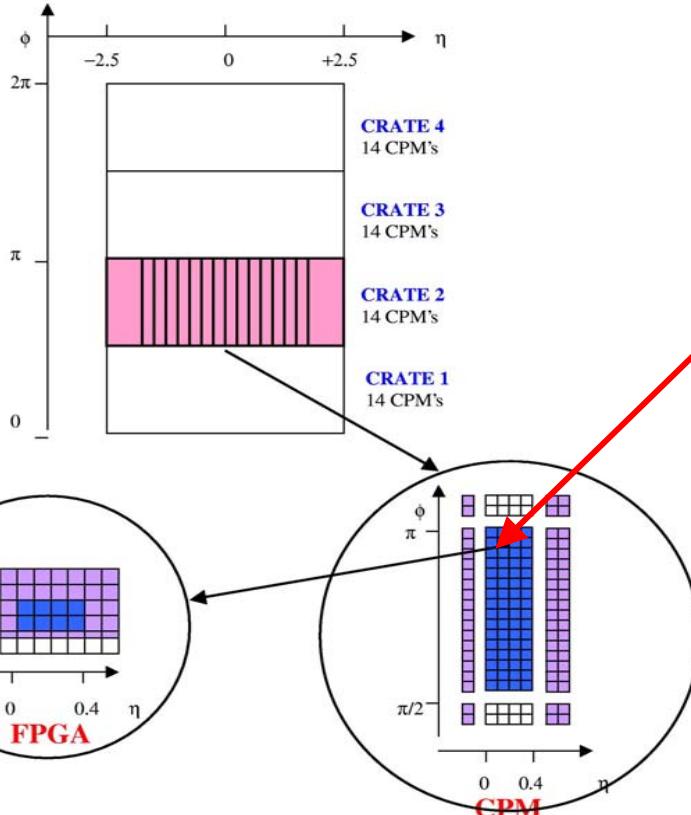


AND



Trigger Implementation

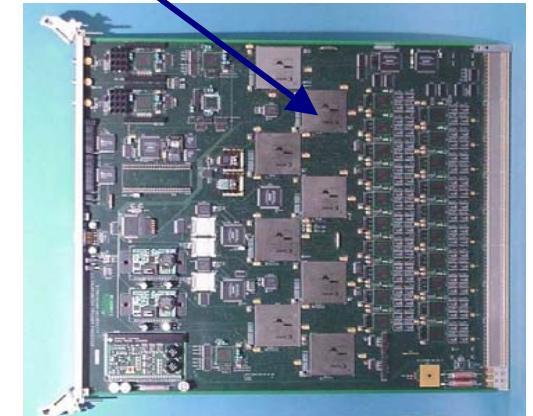
- Acceptance in four quadrants \rightarrow 4 crates
- 56 Cluster Processors Modules (CPM)
- Each FPGA processes 4×2 (η, ϕ) towers



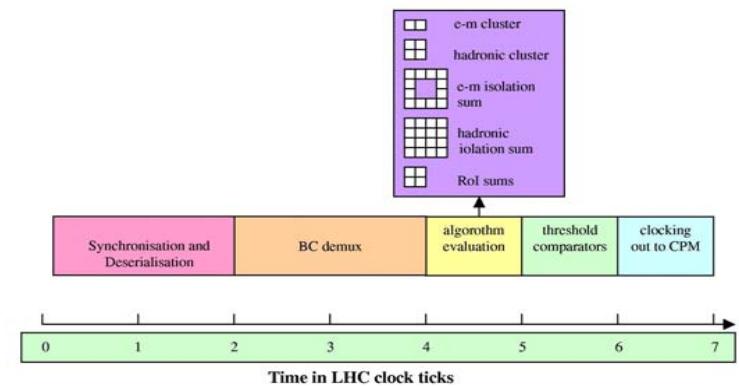
Communication
between boards
via the back plane

Serialisation
20 bits at 40MHz \rightarrow
5 bits at 160 MHz

A CPM board with 8 FPGA
(Xilinx XCV1000E)



Time needed 175ns <600ns



Conclusions

- Assembly of the ATLAS LAR system is going well, almost half is done
- Test beams for serie modules give good results (NIM)
- Next test beams :

