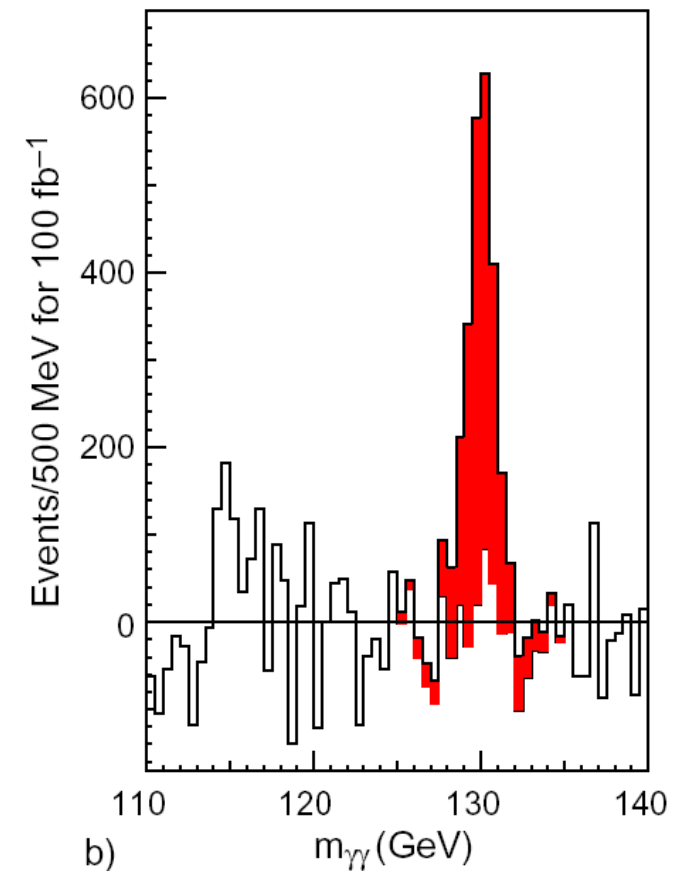
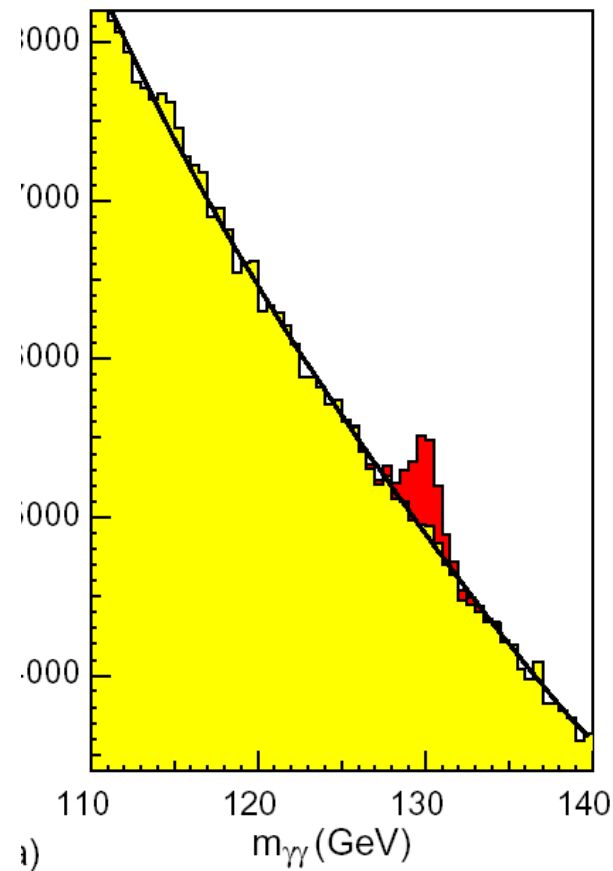
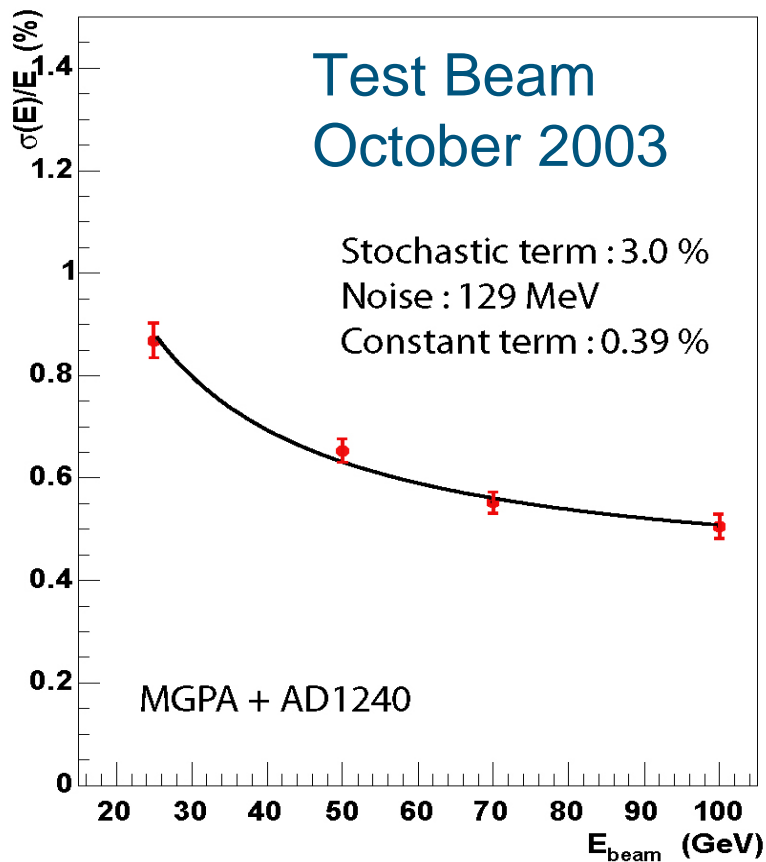


PbWO4 Crystals: Energy Resolution

$H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ Simulation (100 fb⁻¹)

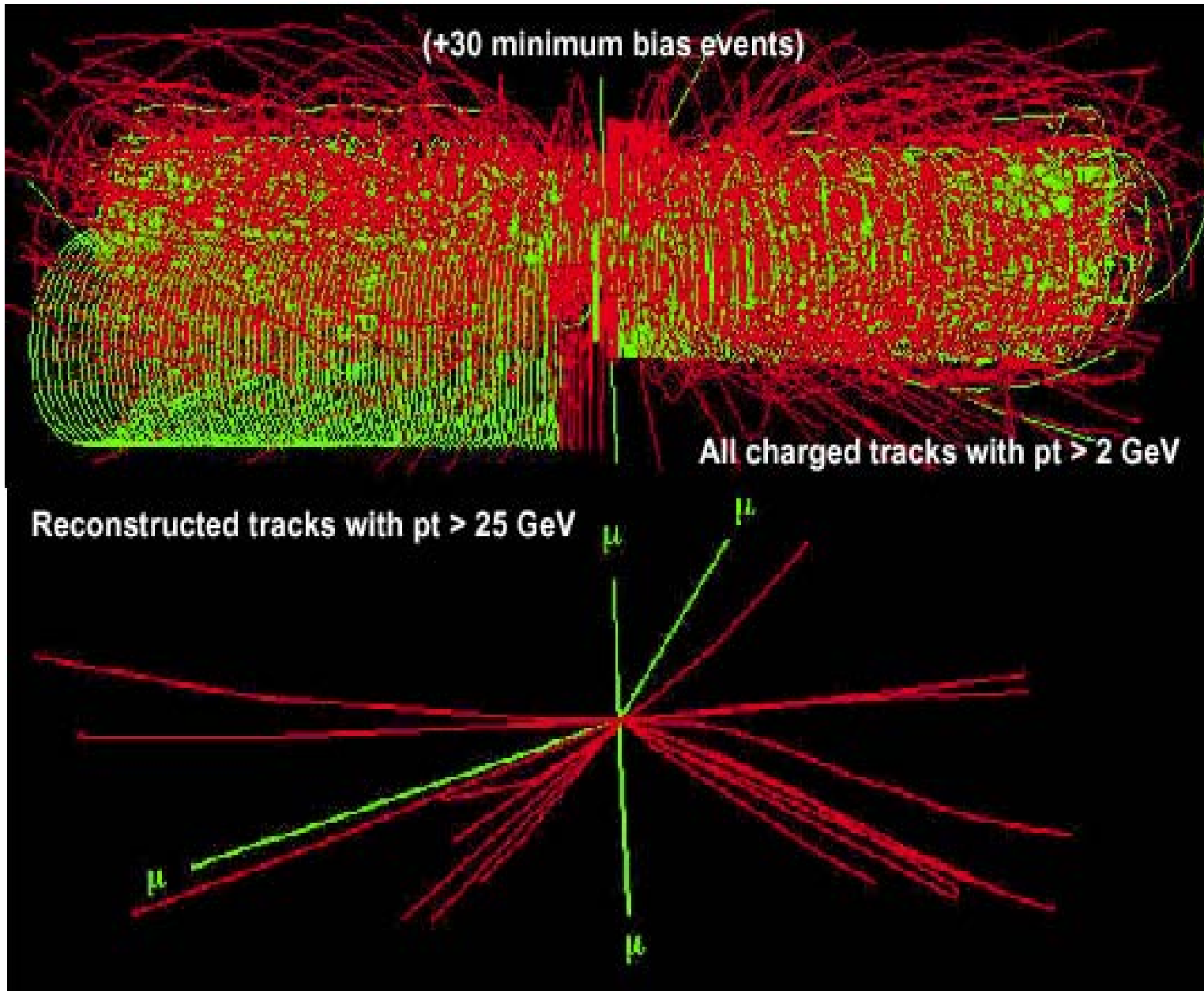


$$\frac{\sigma}{E} = \frac{3\%}{\sqrt{E}} \oplus 0.39\% \oplus \frac{129 \text{ MeV}}{E}$$

$$\sigma_m/m = 0.5 [\sigma_{E1}/E_1 \oplus \sigma_{E2}/E_2 \oplus \cot(\theta/2)\Delta\theta]$$

Target for the intercalibration < 0.5%

The Tracking Problem

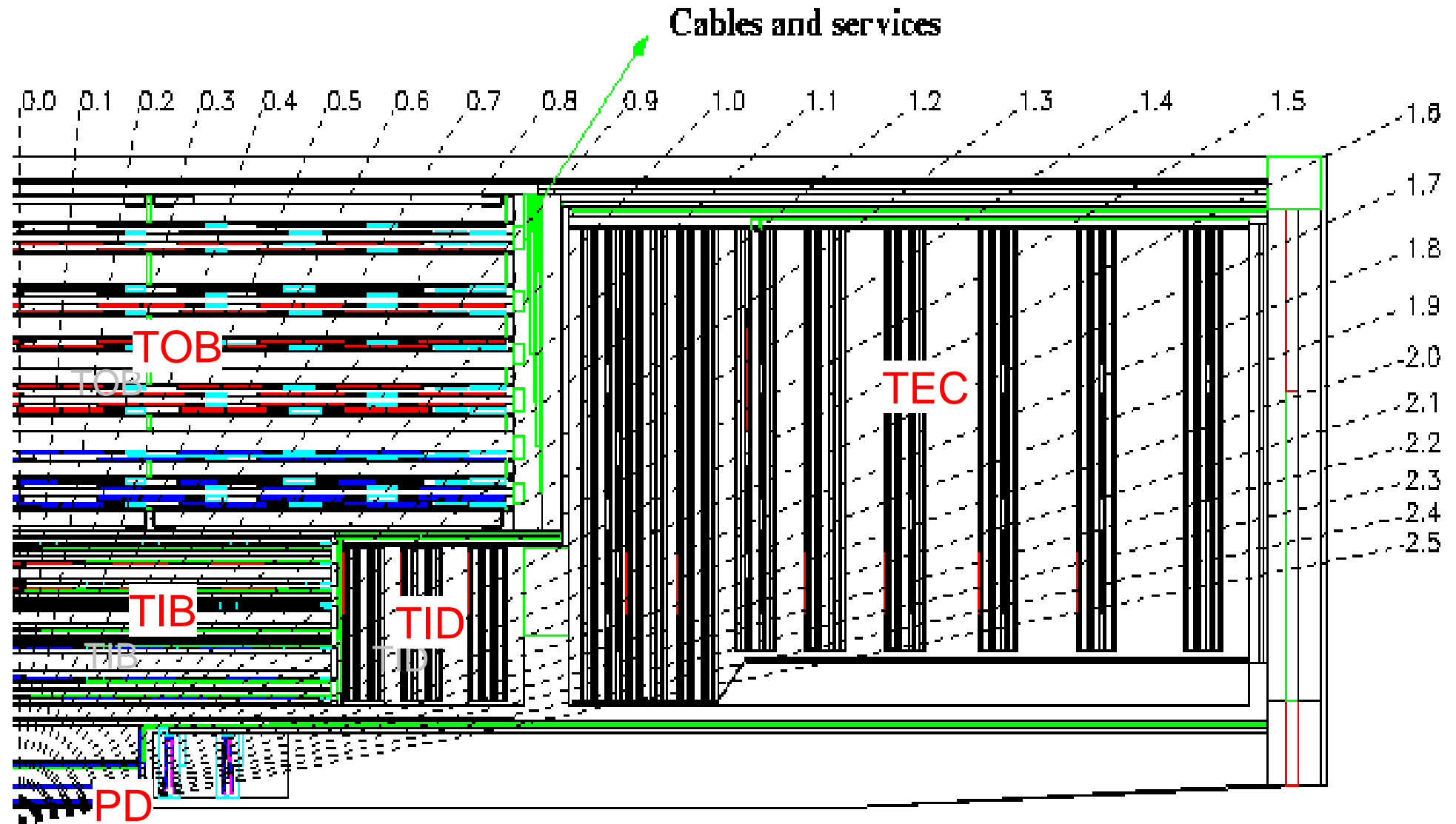


At 10^{34} one crossing every 25 ns.

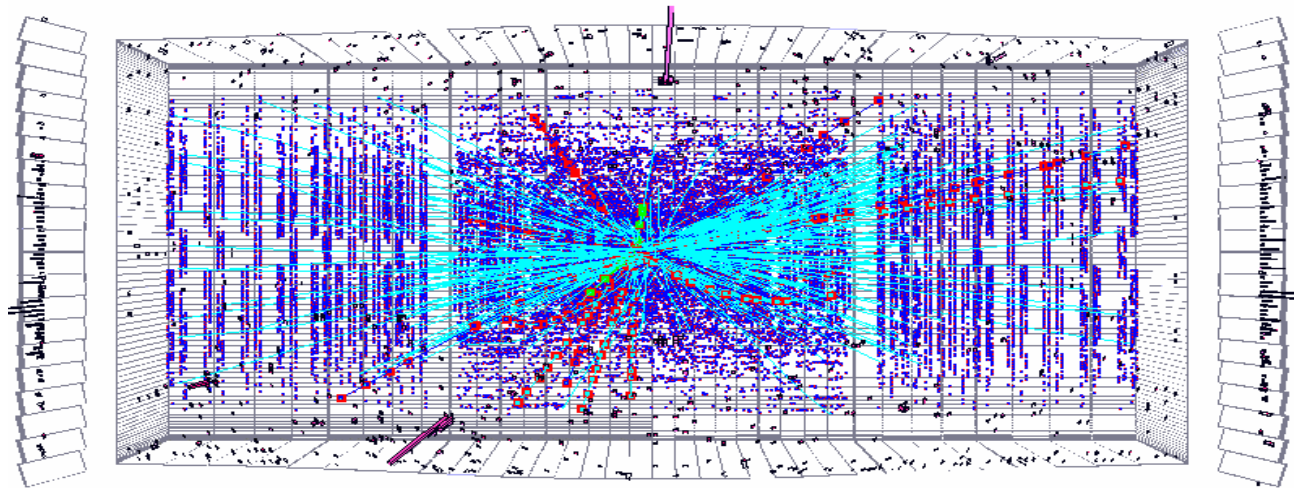
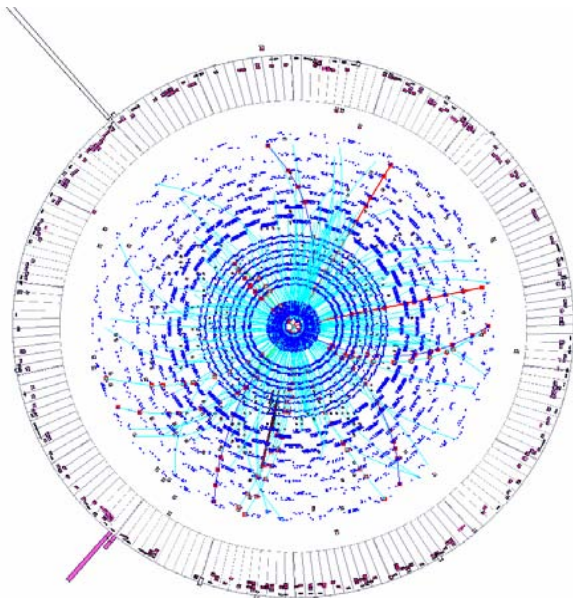
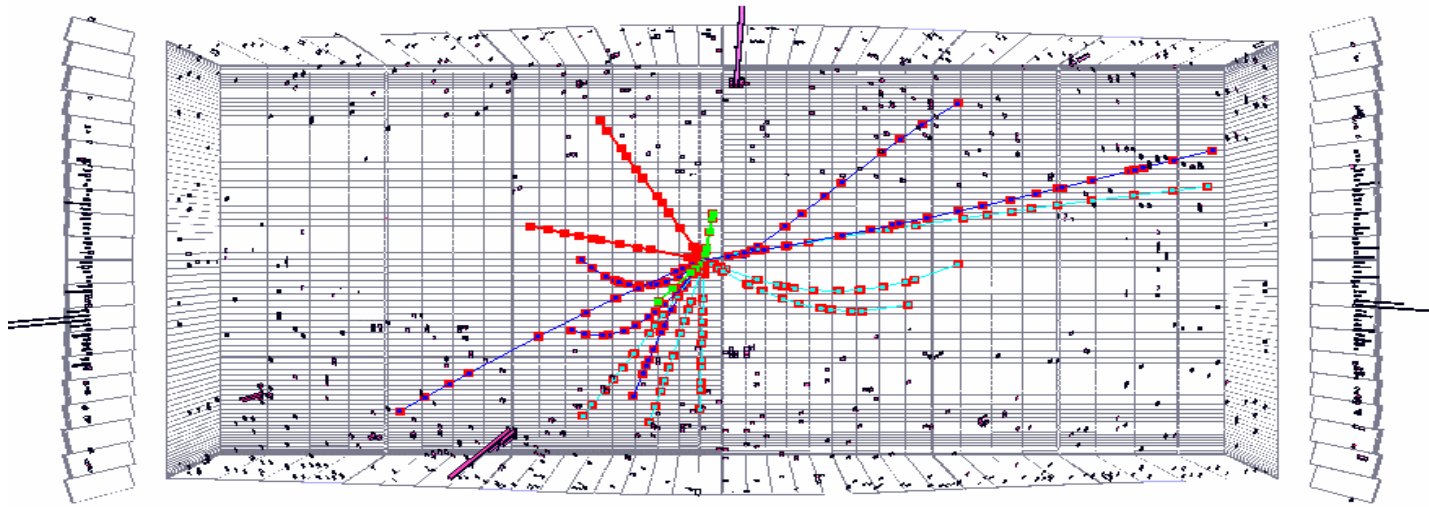
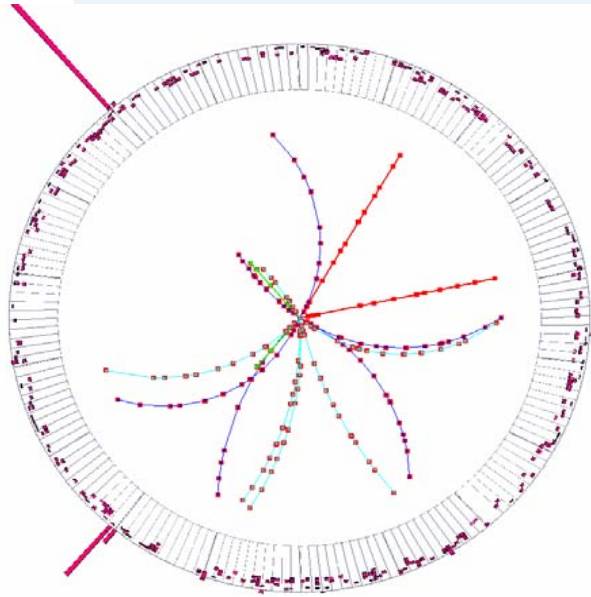
30 Min Bias events superimposed per crossing

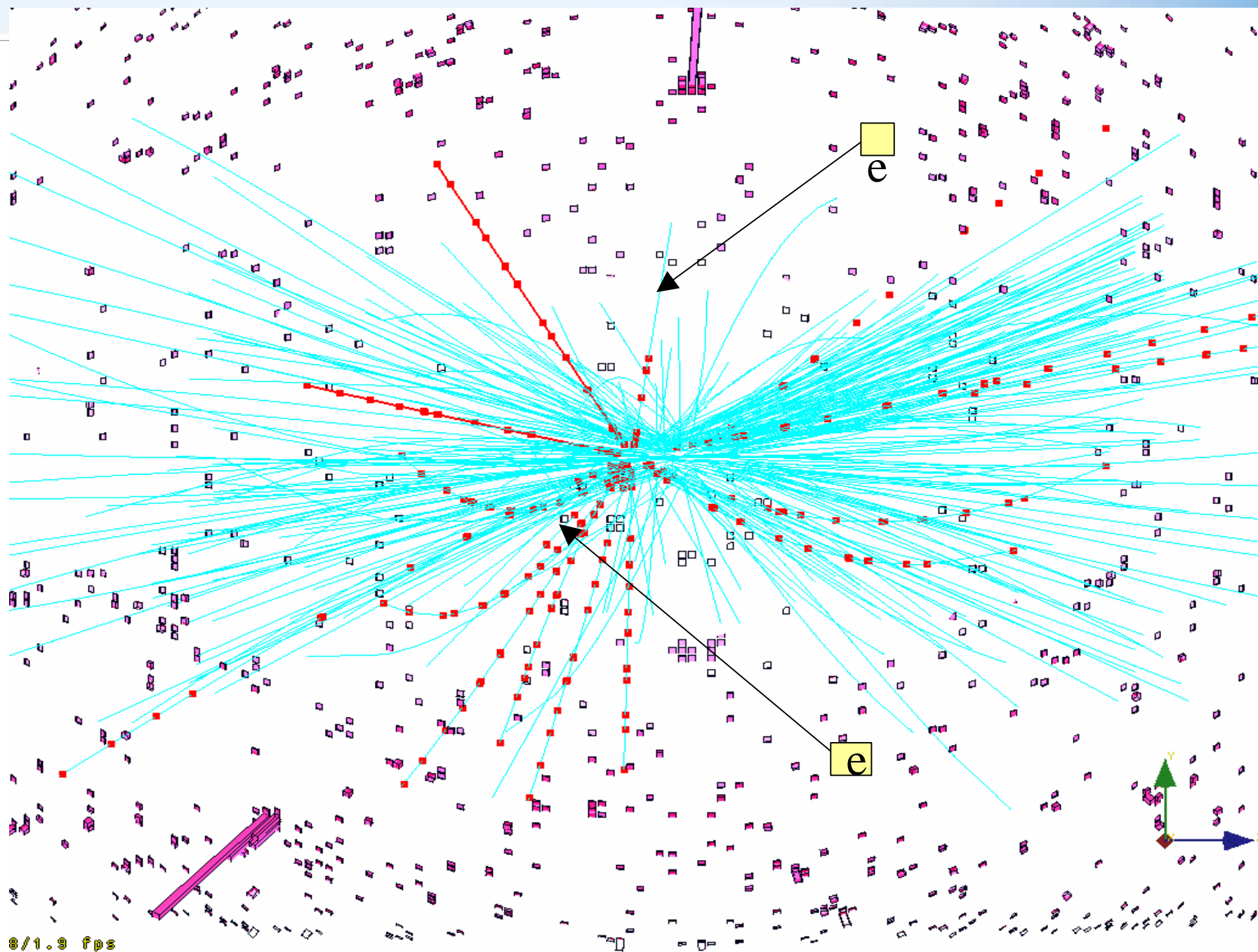
Is Tracking possible at high luminosity?

Inner Tracker

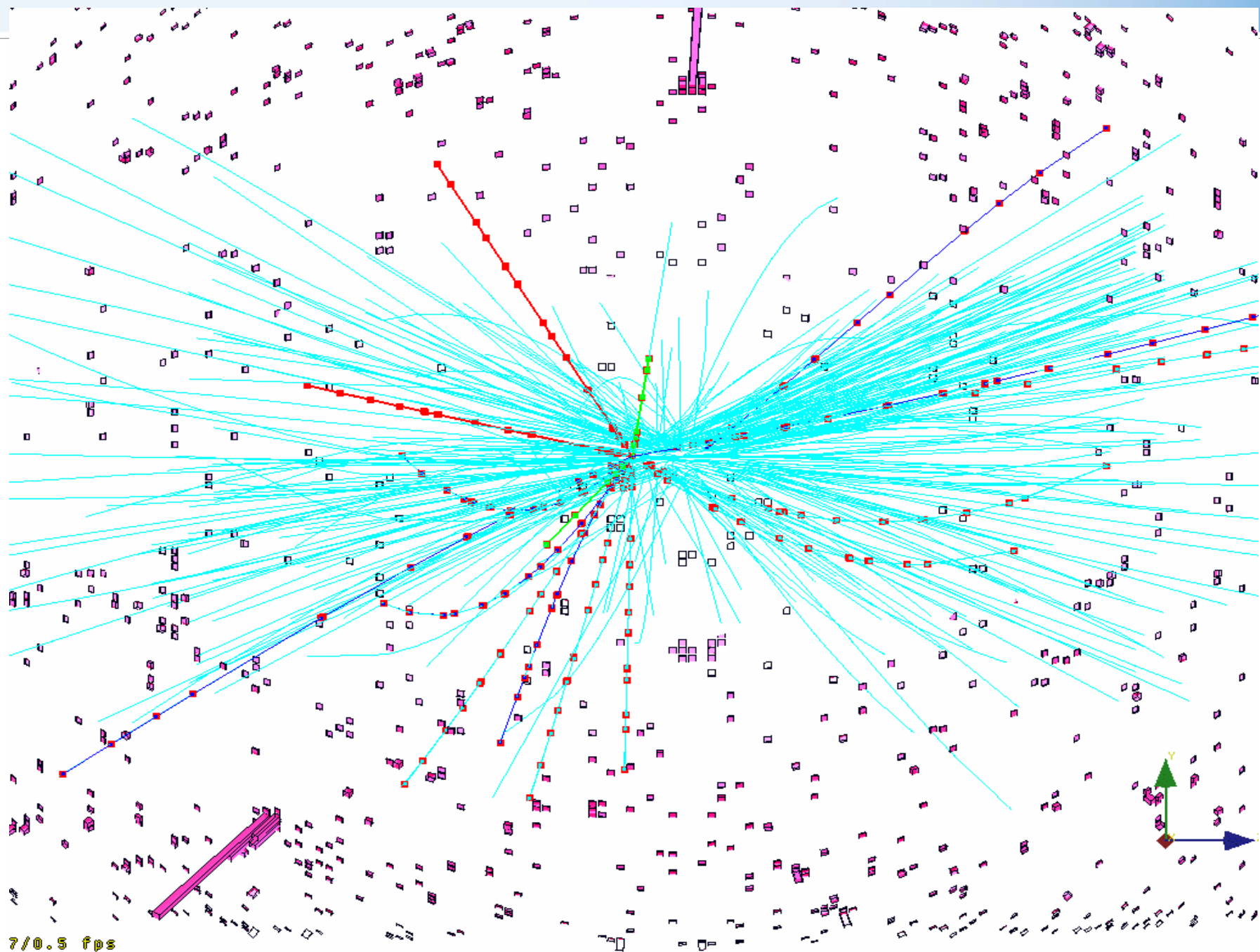


Full Silicon Tracker
210 m² of silicon sensors, 10⁷ strips, 6.7 10⁷ pixels





Reconstructed tracks: muons – red, electrons are reconstructed but not associated with sim tracks since all the rest – cyan (both signal and pile up), sim hits from signal event (red)



Overlap with signal event. Reconstructed tracks: muons – red, all the rest – cyan (both signal and pile up), sim hits from signal event (red)

LHC: QRL Problems

- Conflicts between main contractor and installation subcontractor have caused many delays and finally CERN was informed of a change of subcontractor in January. Overall delay is now 8 months.
- The contractor has produced a new planning to recover the delays but this compresses the time for installation and testing.
- A new installation planning is being optimised to recover the delays. This is based on installation of 3 octants simultaneously.

LHC Official Schedule

- Equipment production is now proceeding at the required rate.
- Installation delays will be recuperated by more parallel activity.
- The LHC ring will be closed by the end of 2006 in order to be ready to start commissioning in spring 2007.
- First collisions in summer 2007.

Overall LHC schedule is under review

- Several months delay for QRL installation and interconnection
- Trying to recover as much as possible of this
- Installation of sectors in parallel (up to 3, needs more manpower)
 - Order 7-8 8-1 2-3 4-5 3-4 5-6 6-7 1-2
- Hardware commissioning of sectors in parallel (needs more manpower)
 - Order 7-8 8-1 3-4 4-5 5-6 6-7 1-2 2-3
 - **End of hardware commissioning = T_0 for operations**
- Machine checkout (getting ready for beam)
 - Do as much as possible before T_0 (resources)
 - Be as fast as possible after T_0 (working 24/7)
- Beam commissioning strategy
 - Go for first collisions with single or large-spaced bunches

Summary of operations startup activity

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1	Machine checkout in parallel with hardware commissioning until T_0	3 months
2	Safety systems, vacuum, equipment on, first beam	1 month
3	Machine checkout continues interleaved with beam commissioning, first collisions	3 months
4	Pilot runs for experiments interleaved with beam commissioning	1 month

Coil Module Construction

Module	Status
CB-2	100%
CB-1	100%
CB0	91%
CB+1	61%
CB+2	39%
Total	79 %

CB-1 to be sent to CERN during May

CB0 in September to CERN

CB+1 Impregnated during July

CB+2 Ready in October

CMS Modules construction

