

# First testbeam results of prototype modules for the upgrade of the ATLAS strip tracking detector

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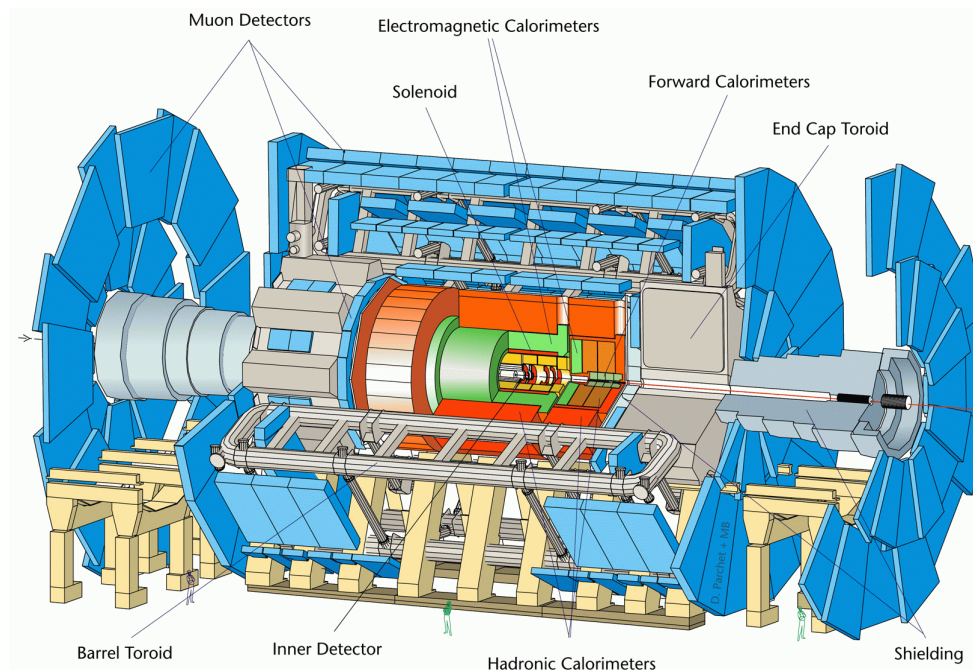


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- Introduction to Phase-II Upgrade of the Silicon Strip Tracker of the ATLAS experiment for the High-Luminosity LHC
- Concept and details of prototyping of the Silicon Strip Tracker
- Detector modules and testbeam setups
- Results for various detector prototypes
- Summary



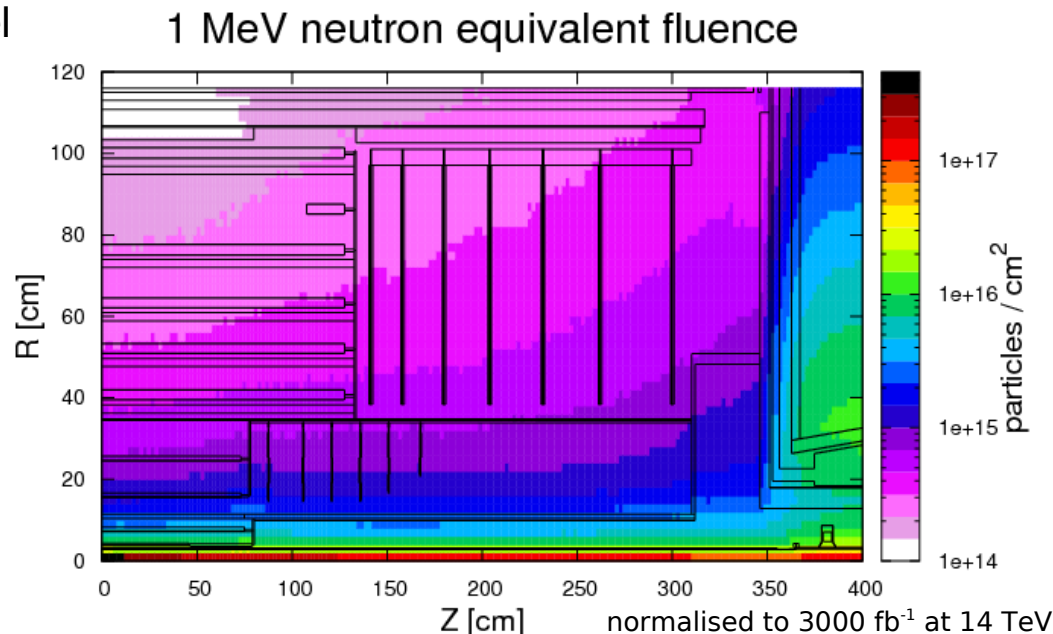
# Challenges for Tracking Detector at HL-LHC

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## Upgrade of LHC to High-Luminosity LHC foreseen in 2025

*This morning: Guido Volpi,  
“ATLAS Upgrades for the  
next Decades”*

- Luminosity of up to  $7.5 \cdot 10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$ 
  - Triggering with high rate and large event sizes
- Up to 200 simultaneous interactions per bunch crossing
  - High occupancy  $\rightarrow$  keep at 1% level with higher granularity
- High particle fluences
  - Radiation hardness of up to  $2 \cdot 10^{15} \text{ n}_{\text{eq}} / \text{cm}^2$  (strips)
  - Activation of material
- Low material budget

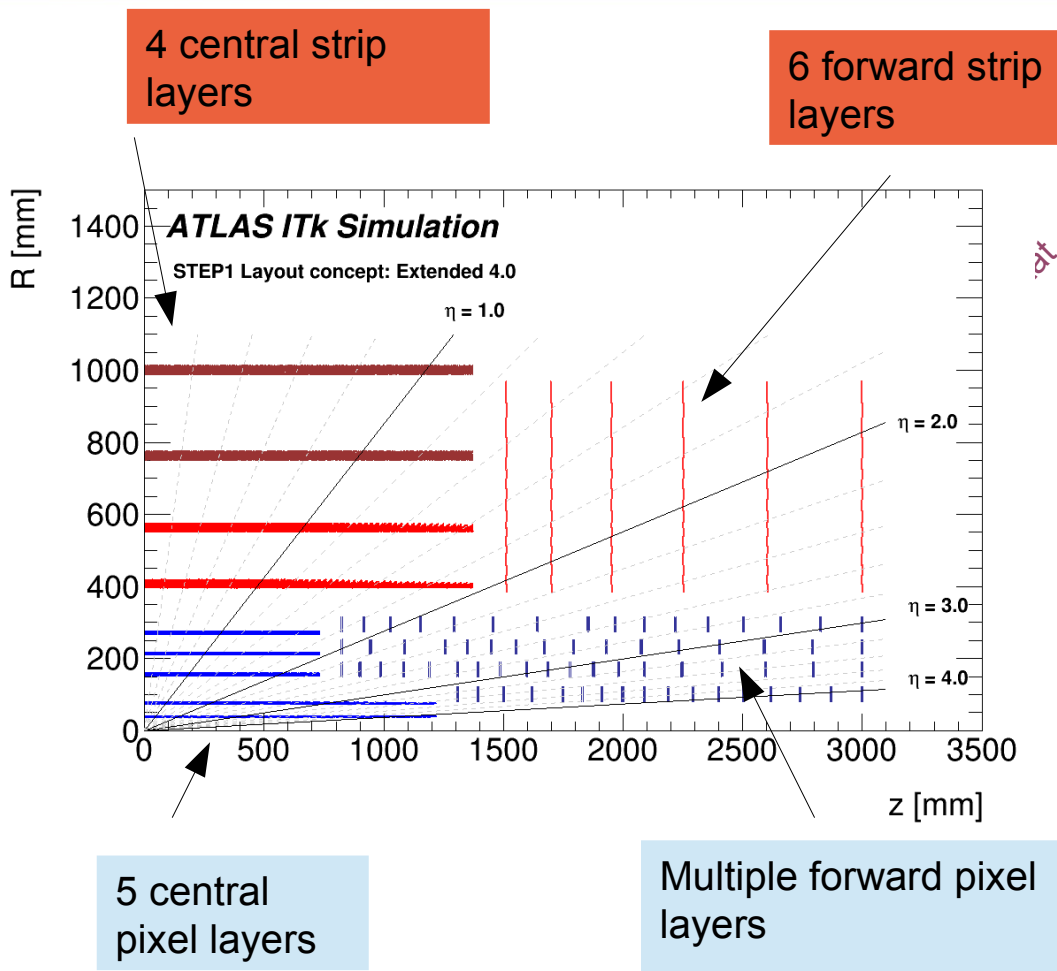


- $\rightarrow$  New tracker at the HL-LHC has to maintain the performance of the present Inner Detector under more difficult conditions
- $\rightarrow$  Decision to build new all-silicon tracker



# New All-Silicon Tracker Layout

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- In 2 T magnetic field
- ~6 m long, ~1 m radius
- Full coverage up to  $|\eta| = 4$
- CO<sub>2</sub> cooling

Layout under finalization (1 out of 4 candidate layouts shown (vary in  $|\eta|$ -coverage and layout of forward pixel layers))

Poster session: Simon Viel, "Expected Performance of the ATLAS Inner Tracker Upgrade"

Technical Design Reports end of 2016 (strips) and 2017 (pixels)

| Detector | Area [m <sup>2</sup> ] | Channels | Maximum dose [1MeV n <sub>eq</sub> /cm <sup>2</sup> ] |
|----------|------------------------|----------|---|
| Pixel    | > 8.2                  | > 638 M  | up to $2 \cdot 10^{16}$                               |
| Strips   | up to 163              | ~ 50 M   | up to $2 \cdot 10^{15}$                               |

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# Concept of Upgrade Strip Tracker

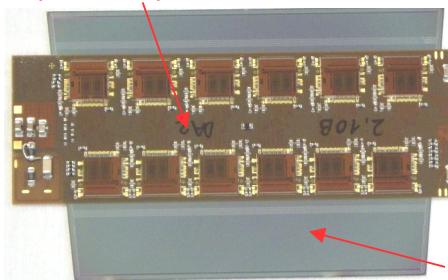
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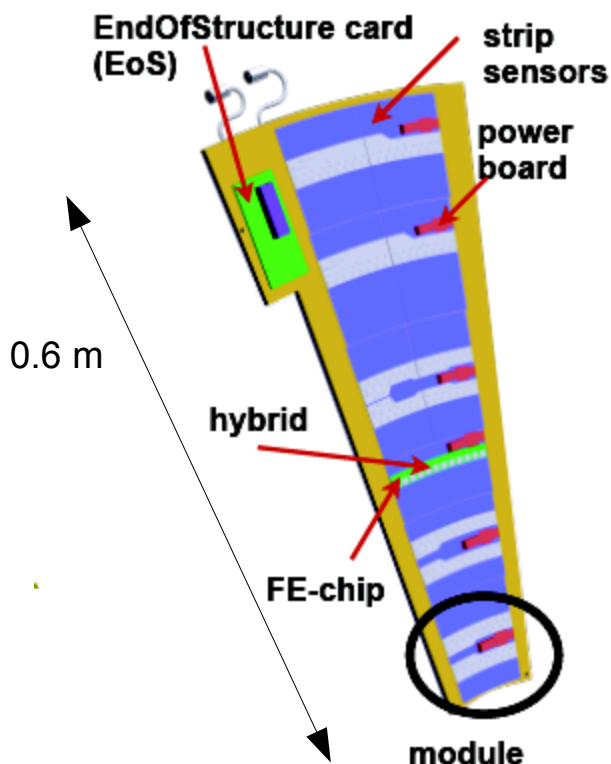
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- Modularity for easier final assembly, multiple site production, early system tests

Module (6"): ~ 20,000 Hybrid (+Asics)

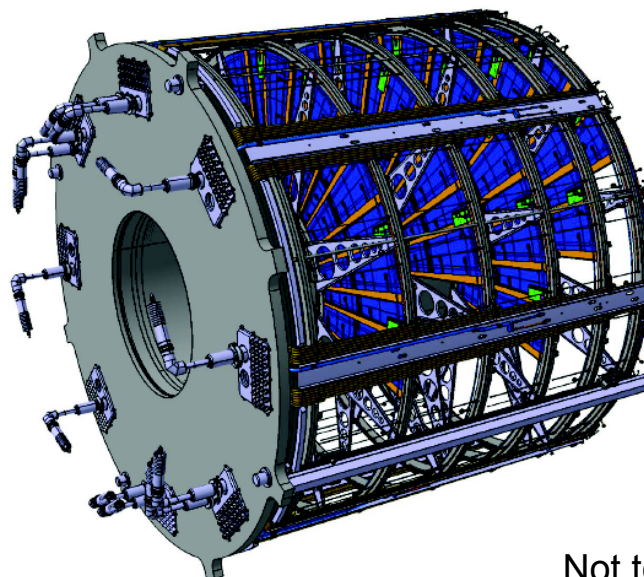


Carbon core with double-sided modules (sketch: **petal**), ~ 384



For central (barrel) region:  
Same concept with modules and staves

End cap with petals:  
radius ~1 m, 2 end caps



Not to scale

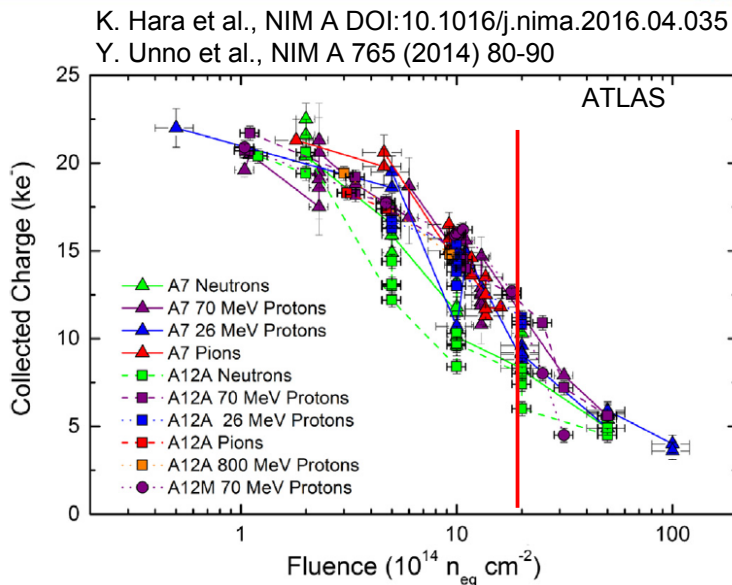


## Silicon sensors

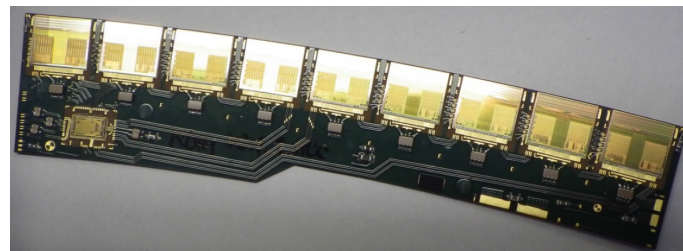
- n-in-p float-zone strip sensors with p-stop isolation
- ~320  $\mu\text{m}$  thick
- Covering  $97 \times 97 \text{ mm}^2$  (in barrel region)
- Strip length 14-58 mm

## Readout electronics

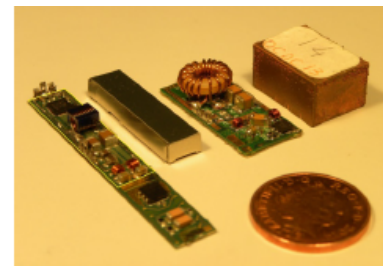
- Binary readout chip (130 nm CMOS) and hybrid controller chip (~3 W per module with 20 Asics)
- Data transfer on hybrid at 320 Mbit/s and on bus tape with up to 640 Mbit/s
- DC-DC powering for increased power efficiency
- HV multiplexing



Collected charge after proton, neutron and gamma irradiation,  $\beta$ -source tests after 80 min annealing at  $60^\circ\text{C}$



End cap hybrid with ABC130 chips



DC-DC converter

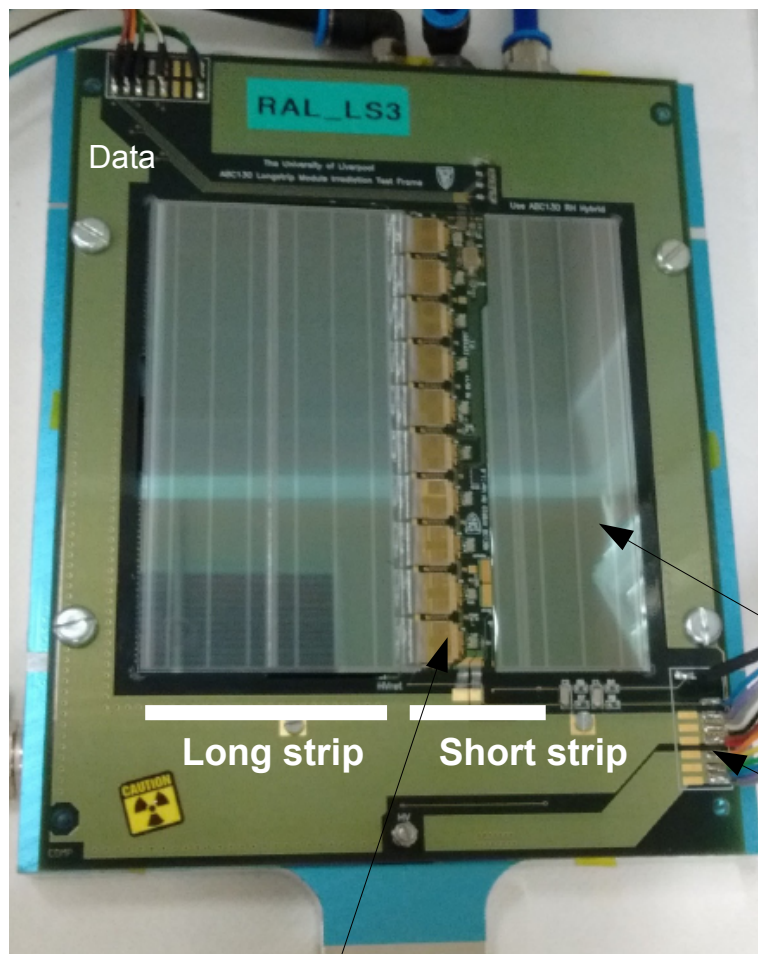


# Module prototypes with binary readout

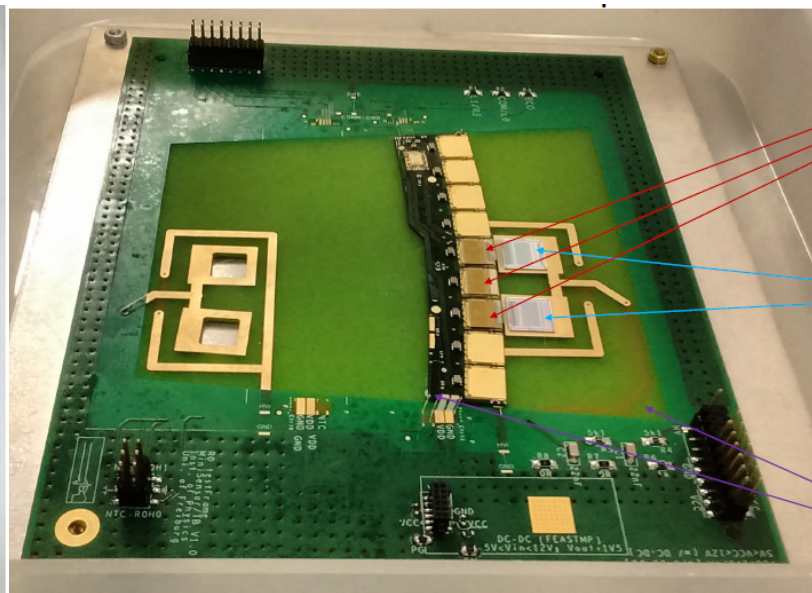
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## Module for barrel region

## Mini module for end cap region



Hybrid with 10 ABC130 chips bonded to a region of long strips (two segments stitched) and of short strips



3 ASICs ; 2 of which are connected to sensors, 1 which completes the chain but is not connected to anything (can be ignored).

2 Mini Sensors (1cm x 1cm)

R0H0 Frame and Hybrid

10 x 10 cm<sup>2</sup> sensor with 4 strip segments of 24 mm

LV / HV

Both types unirradiated and irradiated tested





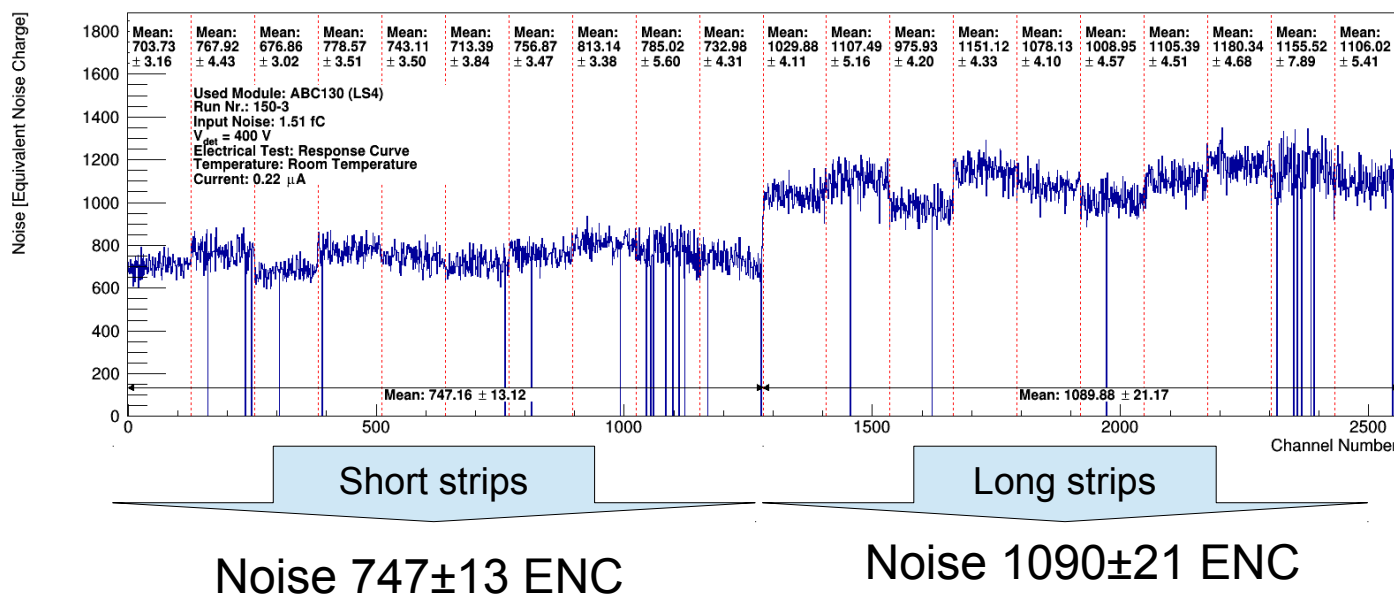
# Tests of modules: unirradiated

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## Electrical tests with binary readout

- IV curves, threshold scans (noise and gain measurements)

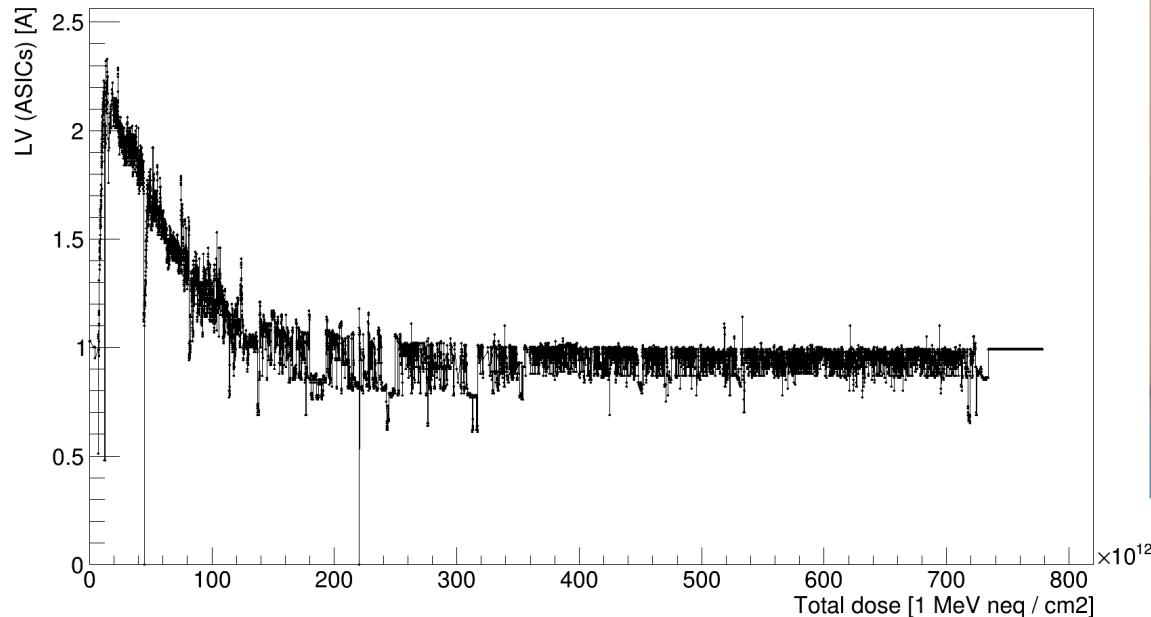
## Noise for barrel module (fully depleted, $I_t = 0.2 \mu\text{A}$ at 400 V)



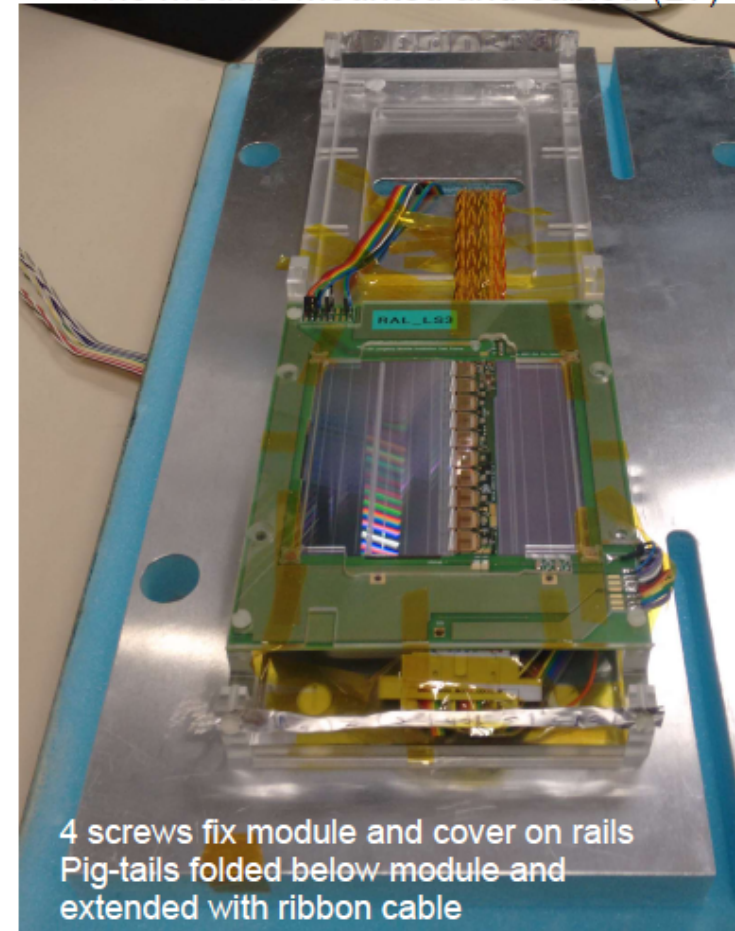
# Irradiation of full-size barrel module

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- Full-size module irradiated in PS at CERN with protons to  $7 \times 10^{14} \text{ n}_{\text{eq}}/\text{cm}^2 \sim 37 \text{ Mrad}$
- Irradiated cold ( $\sim -20^\circ\text{C}$ ) and Asics powered
- Radiation induced change of low voltage of Asics observed during irradiation



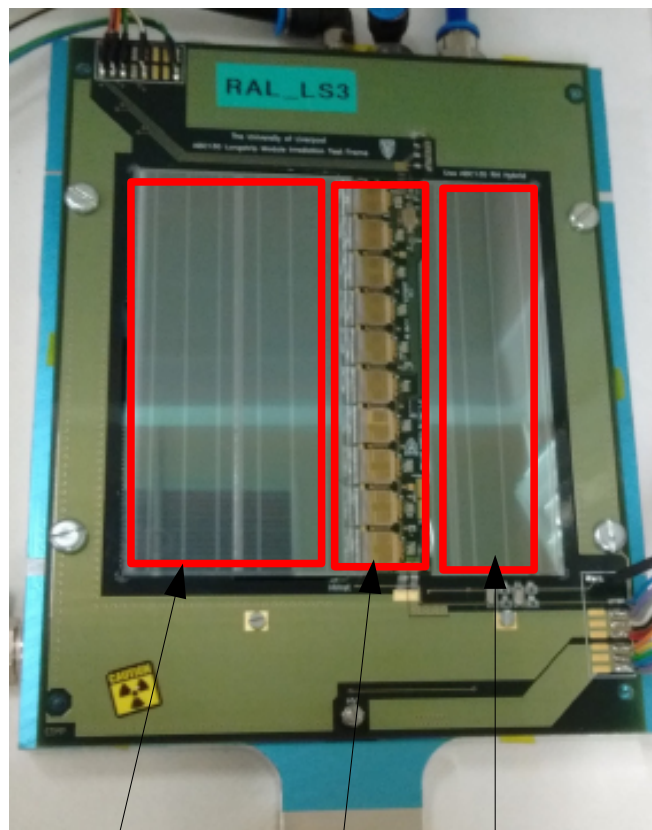
The module mounted and cabled (LV)



# Tests of irradiated module

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## Electrical tests

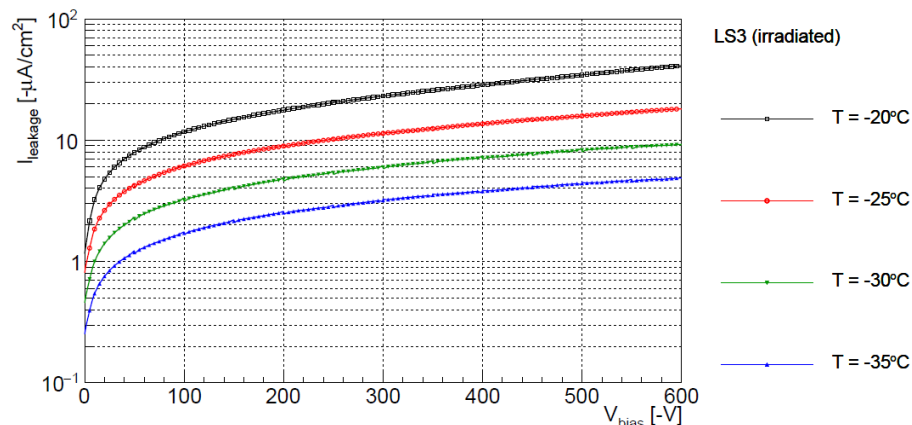


Long strip  
Asic 1-10

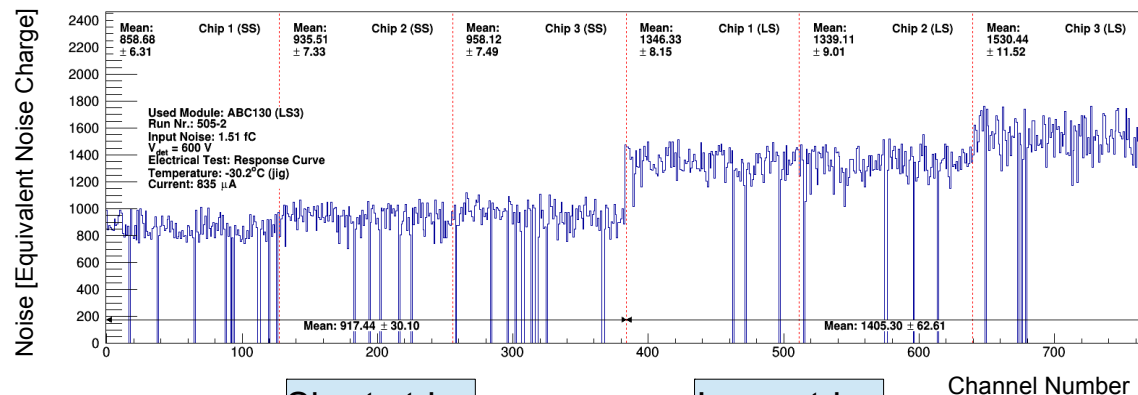
Short strip  
Asic 1-10

Not bonded

## Module functional after irradiation



Noise at 600 V (max. voltage,  $I_l = 835 \mu\text{A}$ ) (detailed analysis still ongoing)



Short strips

Long strips

Noise  $\sim 920 \text{ ENC}$

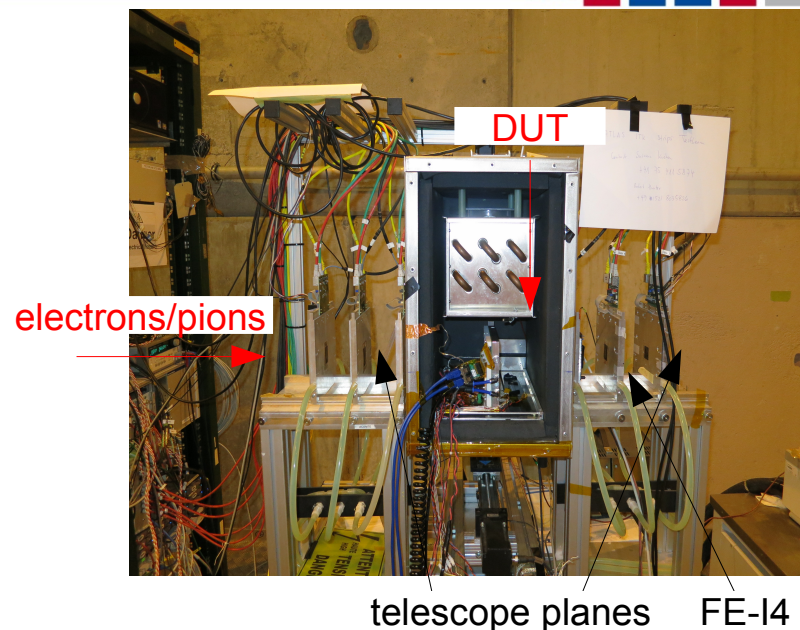
Noise  $\sim 1410 \text{ ENC}$



# Testbeam measurements

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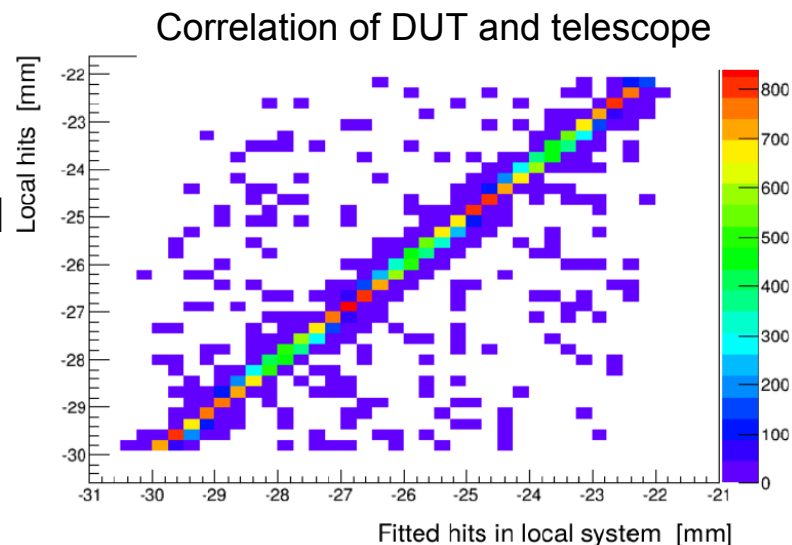
- Several conducted during last years at SLAC with 10 GeV electrons, at DESY with 4.8 GeV electrons and at CERN with 120 GeV pions
- Use of EUDET style telescopes (6 planes) for tracking and FE-I4 pixel detector for timing (rolling shutter readout of telescope sensors)
- Different DUTs in box on x-y-stages allow investigation of behaviour of Asics and sensors, separately and before and after irradiation
  - **Unirradiated barrel and end cap mini modules, full-size barrel module (May and Oct. 2015)**
  - 11 positions on unirradiated full-size barrel module and irradiated end cap mini module (May 2016)
  - 3 positions on irradiated full-size barrel module (July 2016)



# Testbeam results: general

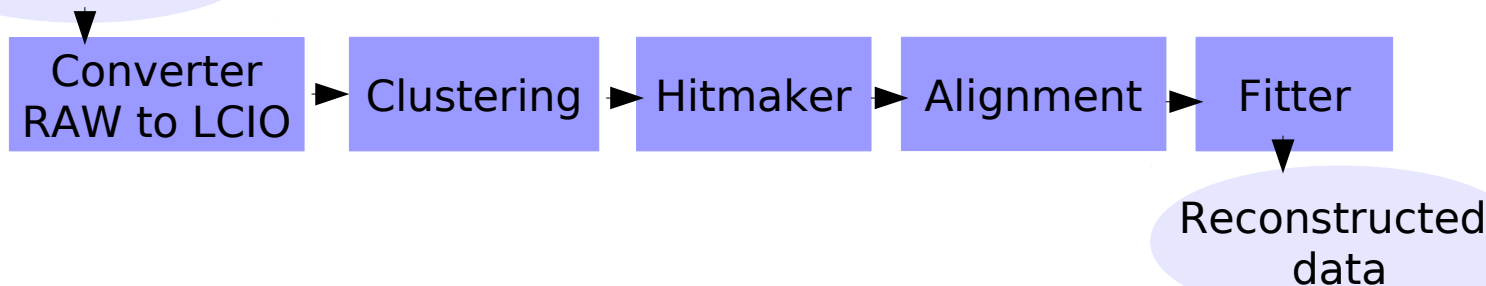
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- Testbeams allowed stable running of full hybrids with binary Asics in testbeam infrastructure (after debugging by DAQ experts, desynchronisation in time occurring which is treated offline)
- Characterization of DUTs with externally triggered binary readout, rate 200 – 300 Hz
- Deploy General Broken Lines algorithm\* for tracking and EUTelescope software for reconstruction



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Testbeam  
RAW data



\* Nelson et al., Track reconstruction and alignment for ATLAS Devices Under Test, DESY note, 2014

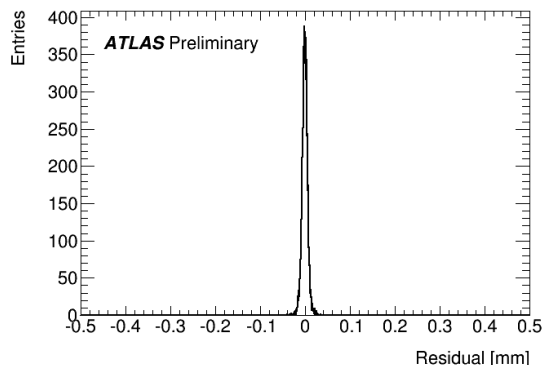


## Mini modules for end cap region

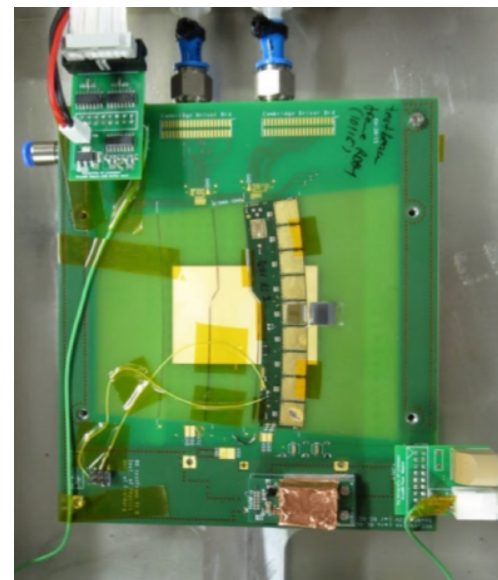
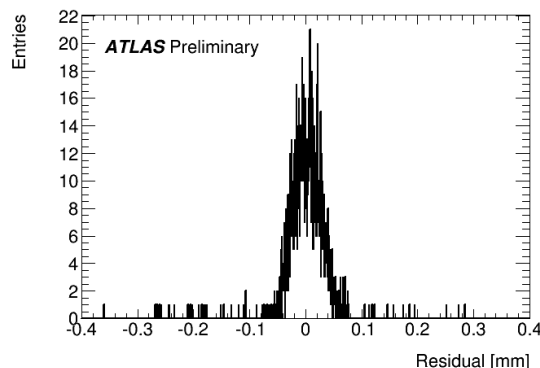
Analysers: Marc Hauser Freiburg,  
Riccardo Mori Freiburg

- Residuals  $< 6 \mu\text{m}$  for telescope,  $\sim 35 \mu\text{m}$  for DUT

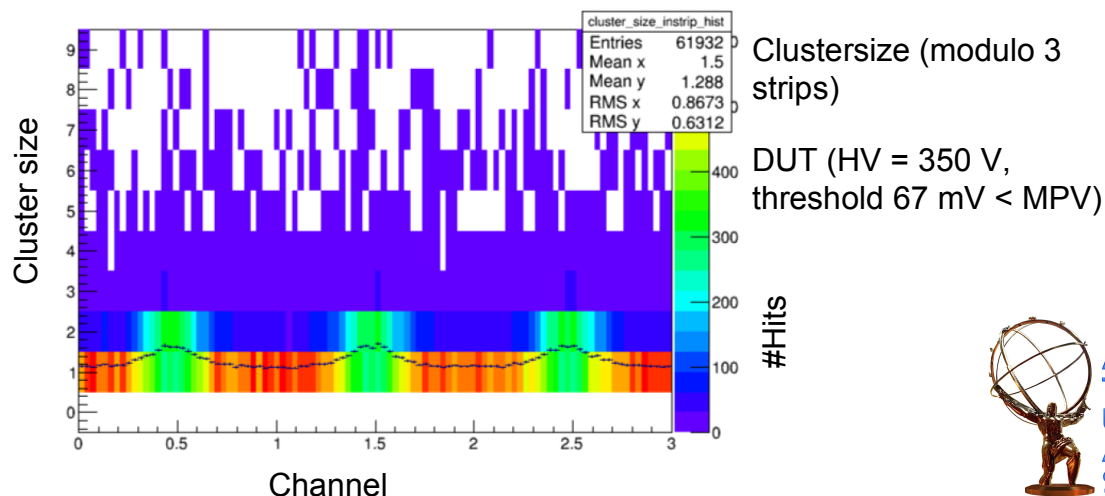
Telescope planes



DUT (HV = 450 V, threshold 303 mV)



- Average cluster size at low thresholds around 1.5 between strips

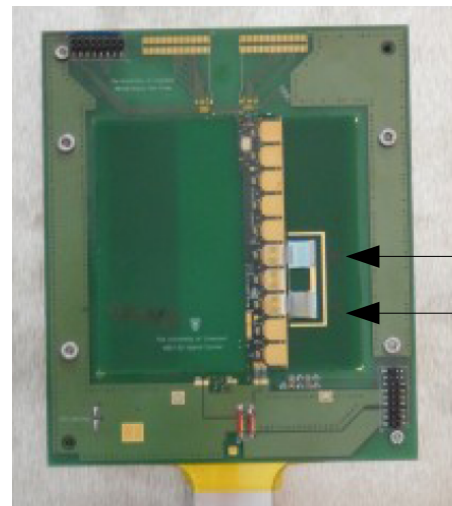


# Testbeam results: mini barrel module

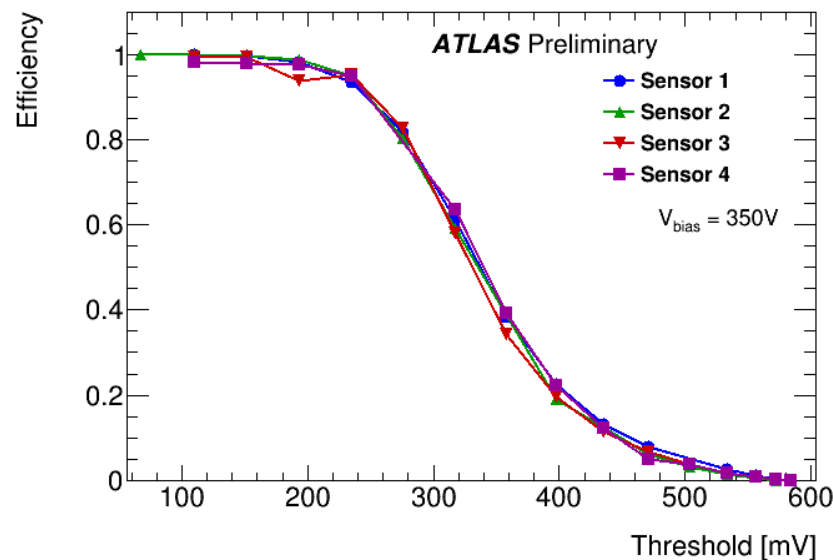
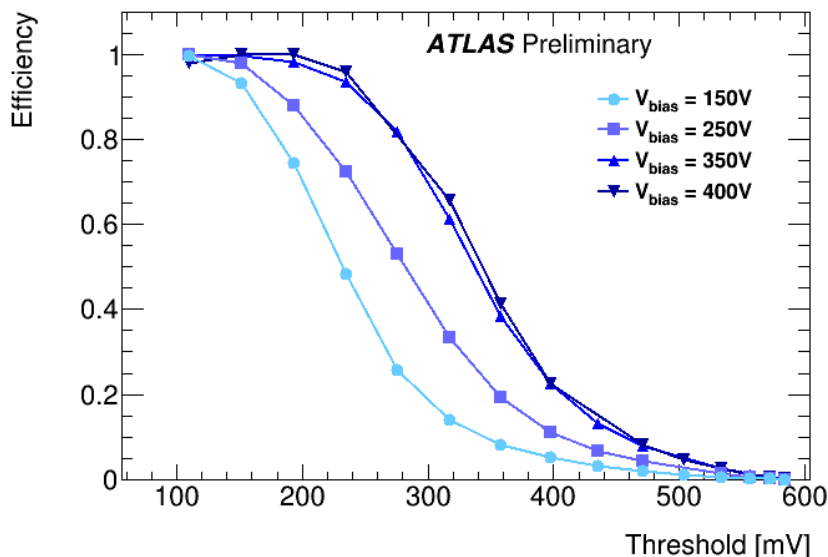
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## Two mini modules for barrel region

- Investigation of signal and efficiency
- Efficiency for various bias voltages:  
 $\text{\#hits(DUT)} / \text{\#hits(track \& FE-I4 hit)}$
- Similar amount of collected charge for all mini modules (absolute charge calculation ongoing)



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Nikhef, John Keller DESY,  
Richard Peschke DESY



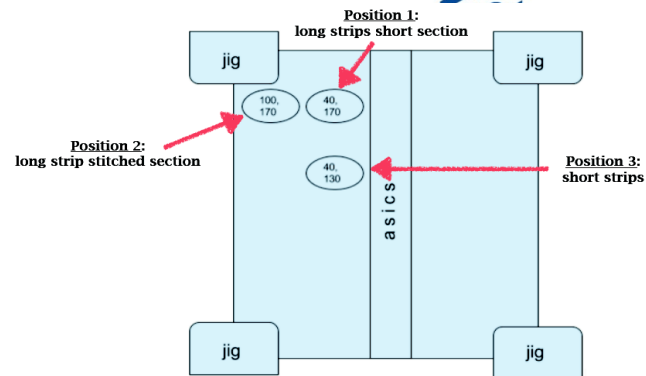
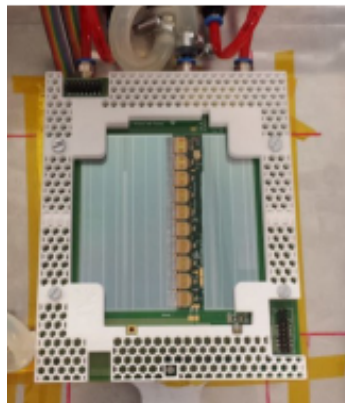
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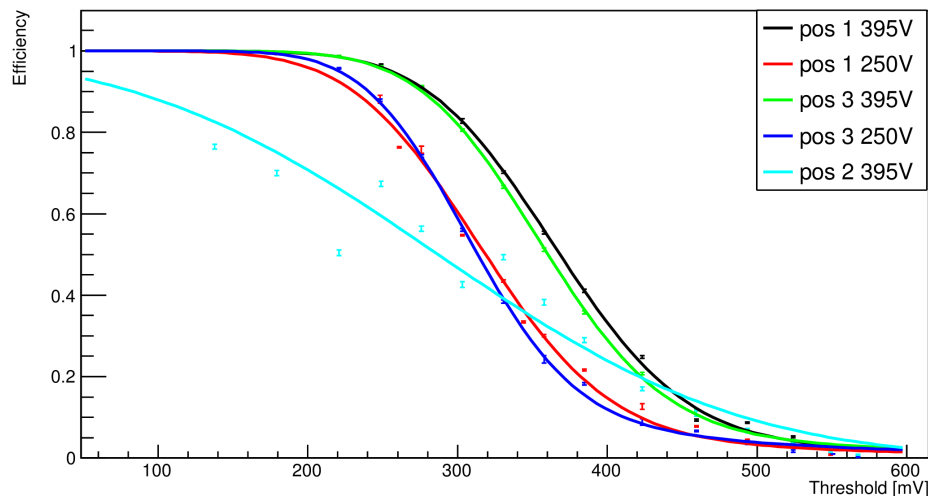


## Full-size module for barrel region

- Investigation of signal and efficiency
- Residuals  $5\ \mu\text{m}$  for telescope,  $35\text{-}45\ \mu\text{m}$  for DUT
- Efficiency:  
 $\frac{\# \text{hits}(\text{DUT})}{\# \text{hits}(\text{track} \& \text{FE-I4 hit})}$



Barrel module



Analysers: Lucrezia Bruni Nikhef, John Keller DESY, Richard Peschke DESY

- Gain calculation and determination of absolute amount of signal ongoing
- Similar behaviour in signal collection for short and long strip region
- Estimate of signal/noise with  $(\text{MPV} - \text{pedestal}) / \text{noise}$ 
  - Long strips @395V  $\sim 29$
  - Short strips @395V  $\sim 50$





- All-silicon tracker for HL-LHC for the ATLAS experiment foreseen
- Strip tracker has modular concept
- Prototyping and measurements of modules in Inner Tracker Upgrade Collaboration heavily pursued
  - Several test beams successfully conducted
  - Tests before and after irradiation to expected fluences at the HL-LHC
  - Mini modules for central and end cap region show similar behaviour
  - Measurements show high efficiency and high signal to noise ratio before irradiation, analysis after irradiation ongoing
  - Performance in noise as expected
- Started to prepare comparisons to simulation data and measurements with a beta source
- Results will be collected in Technical Design Report
- Results with x-ray testbeam taken in parallel (<http://arxiv.org/abs/1603.04846> )





Thank you !

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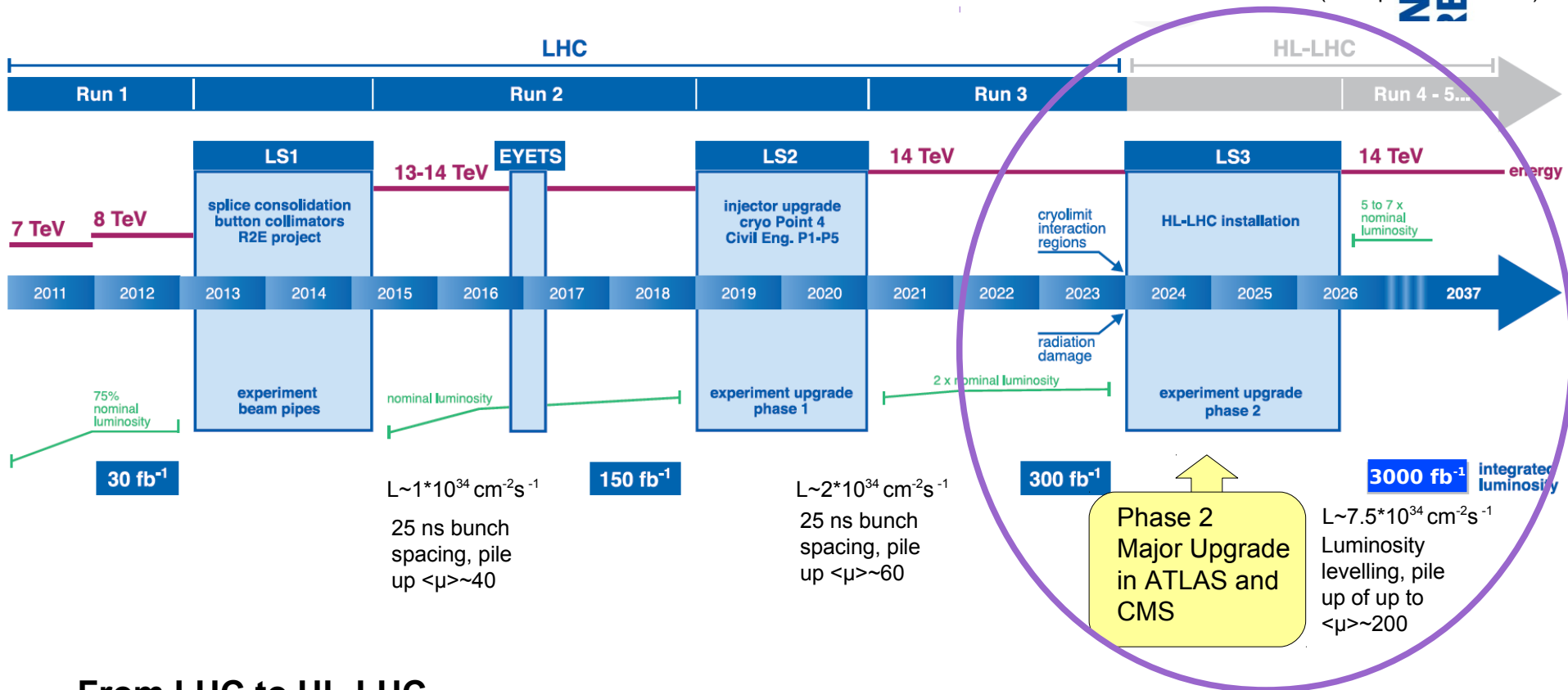


# From LHC to HL-LHC

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LHC/ HL-LHC Plan (last update Oct. 2015)



## From LHC to HL-LHC

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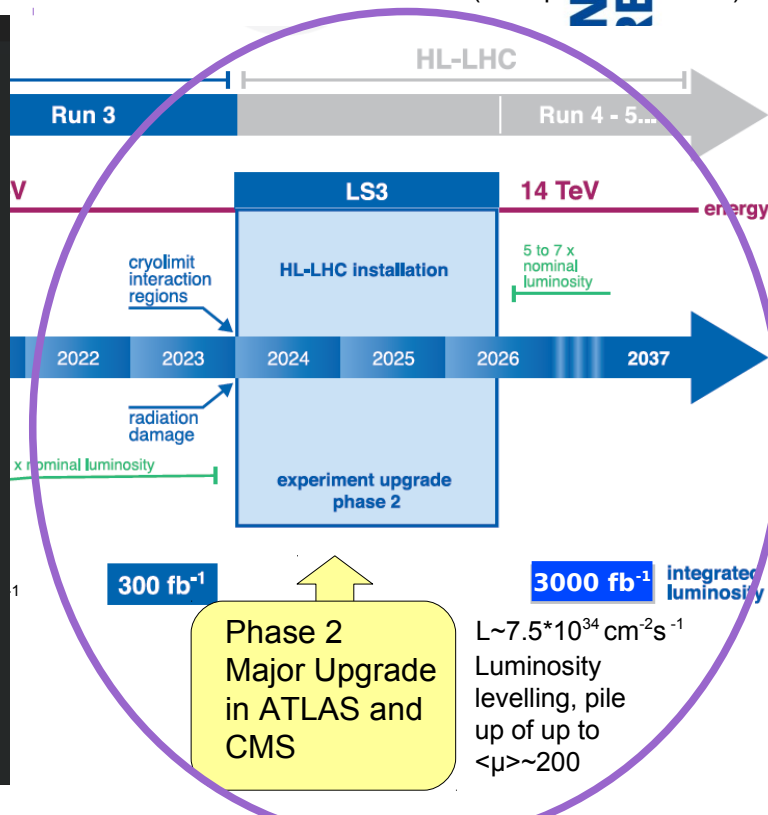
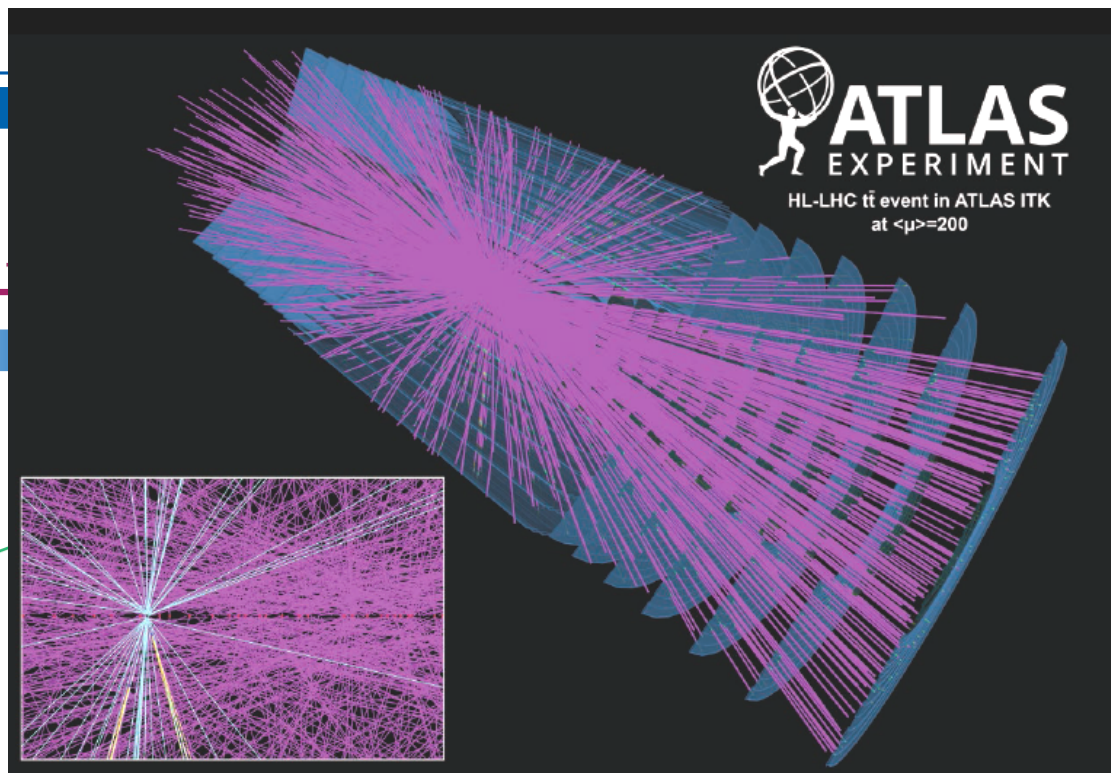


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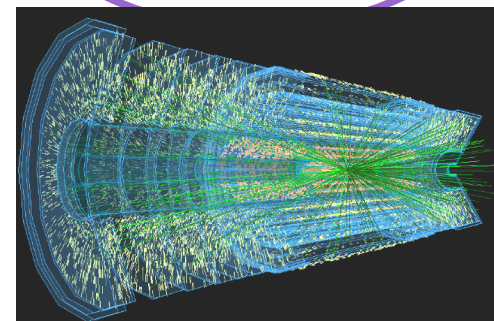


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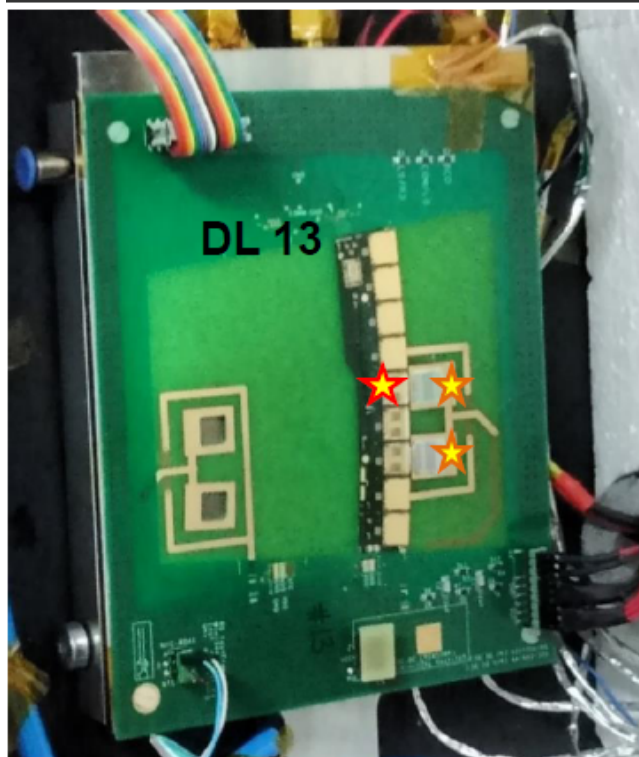


Simulated event with muons and average pile up of 140 collisions per bunch crossing



# Testbeam measurements

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**Irradiated Sensors (Both)**

neutron irradiated to  $2E15 \text{ neq/cm}^2$ , annealed at 60C for 80min

**One Irradiated ASIC**

xray irradiated to 4MRad (over TID peak), 0.85Mrad/hr at -5C

**Legend:**

★ : x ray irradiation  
(size gives rough dose info)

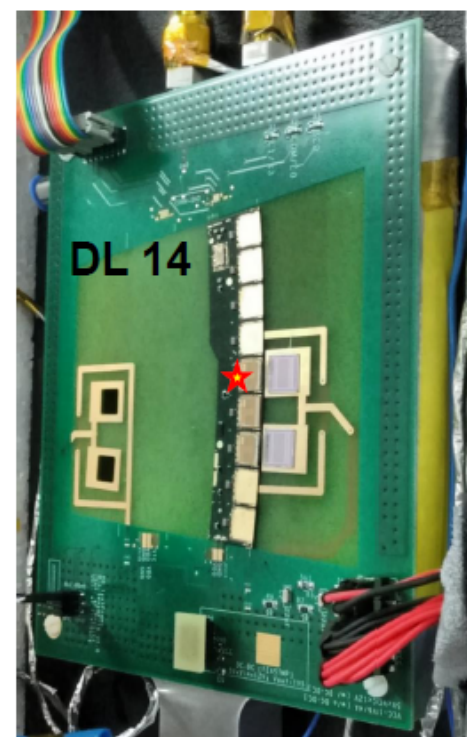
★ : neutron irradiation

Thus, have all four possible combinations of unirradiated and irradiated sensor and ASIC.

**UN-Irradiated Sensors (Both)**

**One Irradiated ASIC**

xray irradiated to 1.45MRad (at the TID peak), 0.85Mrad/hr at -5C



**DL 14**

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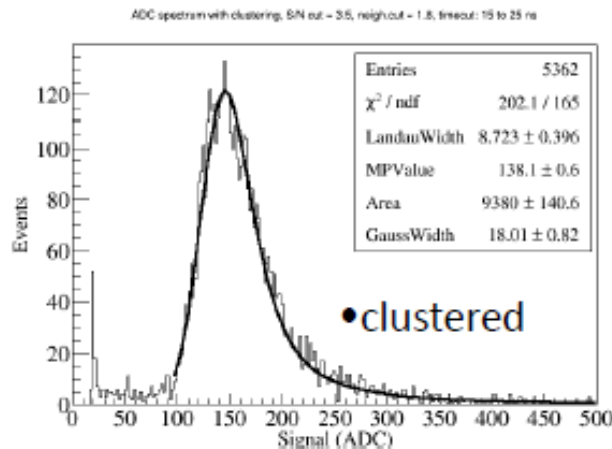
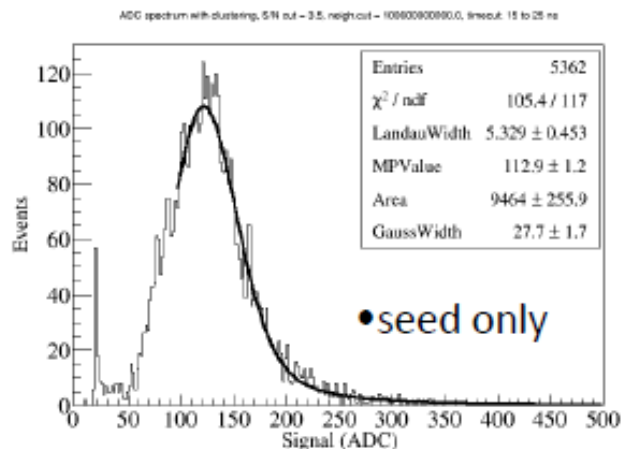
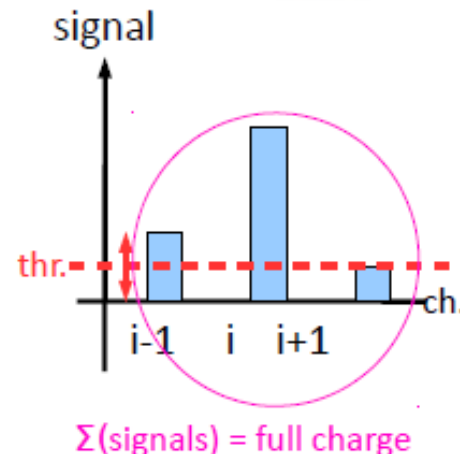




# Consideration for binary readout

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- Binary system takes only the occupancy from threshold scans:
  - Clustering procedure is not directly possible.
    - no directly measure of full charge (only charge of seed available.)
- Analogue system with beta source:
  - doesn't give position information, but clustering is possible.
    - full charge (and also on seed only).
- Charge distribution from seed only is not Landau-shaped:
  - => no direct comparison between MPVs.



[4] Testbeam crew, AUW, 11.2015.

From Riccardo Mori, Freiburg



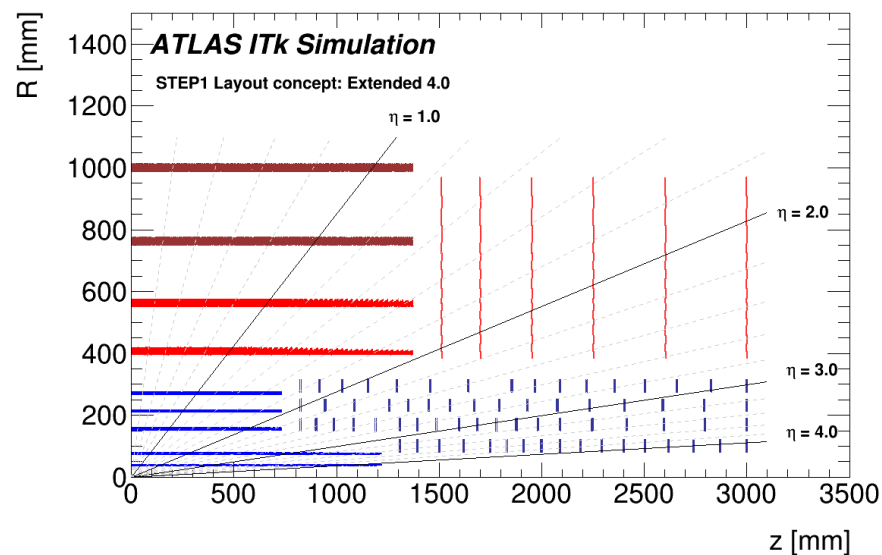
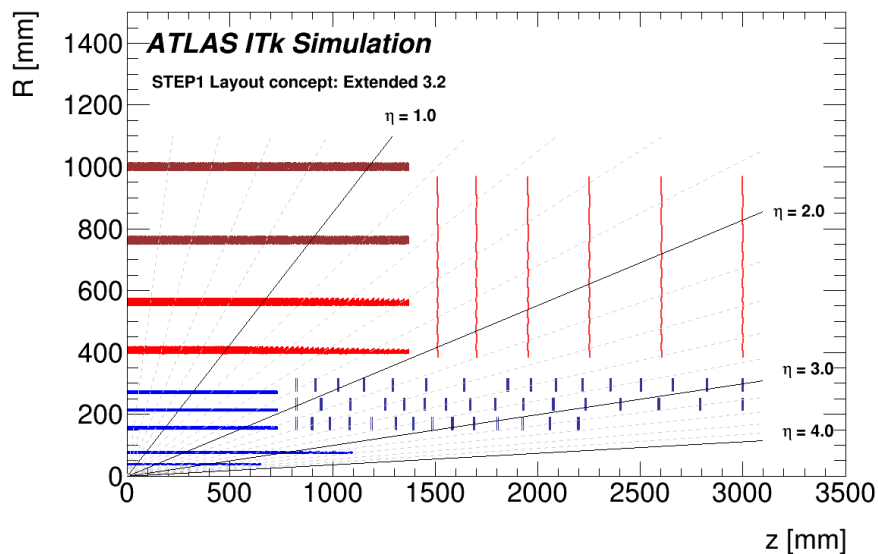
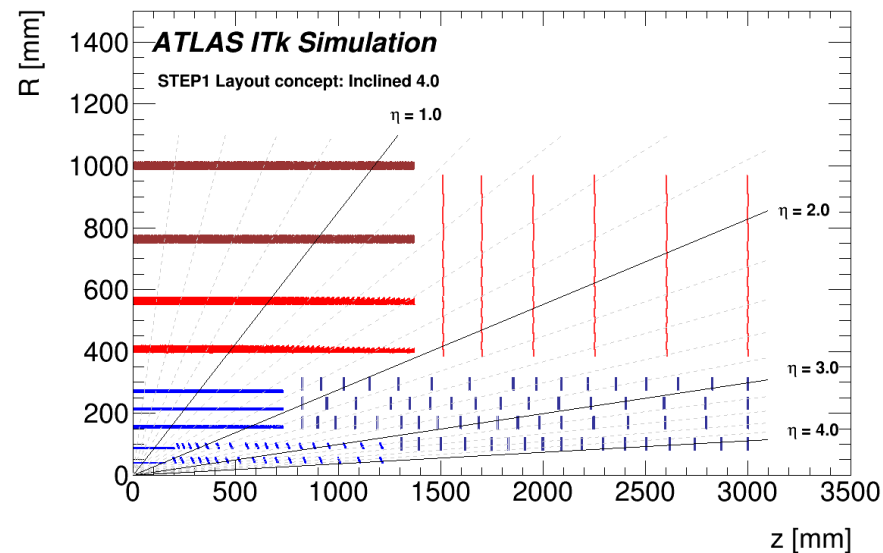
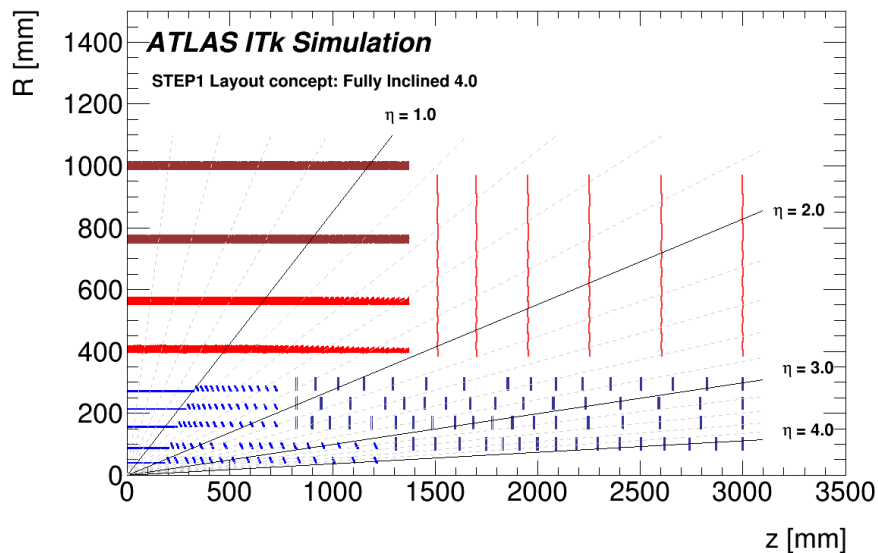


# Further optimization of layout

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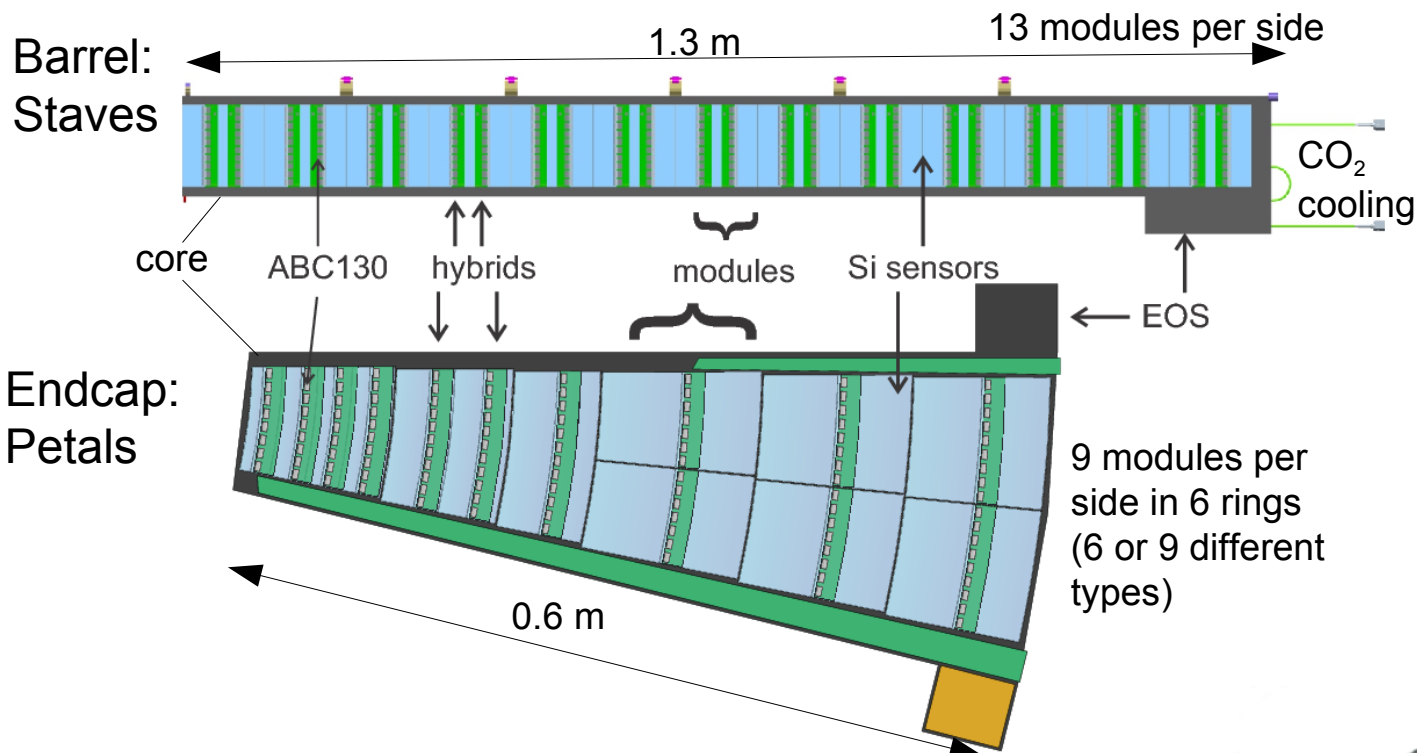
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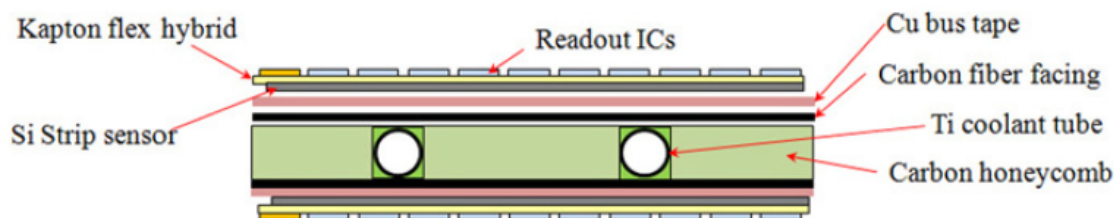
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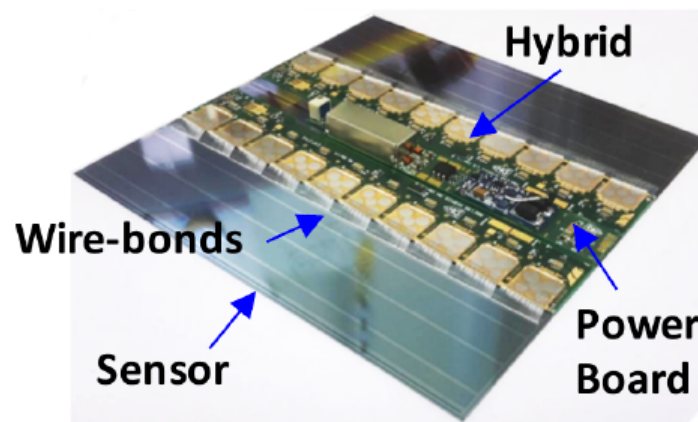


- double-sided
- low material
- rigidity
- simplify assembly for large scale production

## Stave cross section:



NIM A 699(2013)93–96



- Assembly of pre-built support structures, end insertable including cabling and cooling

Staves:  $10^\circ$  tilted, in total 472 staves ( $\sim 13,000$  modules)

