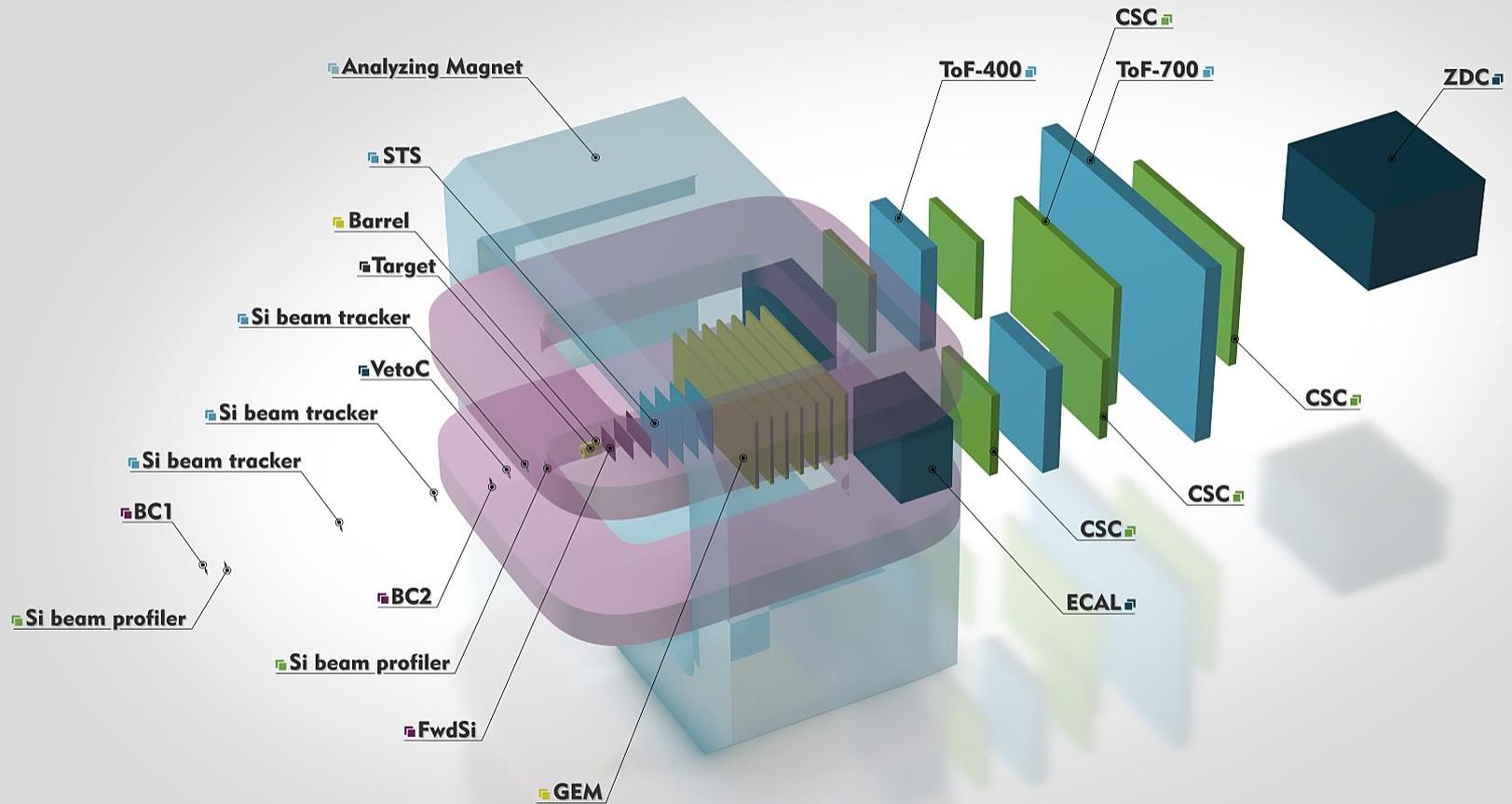




# Upgrade of the BM@N detectors

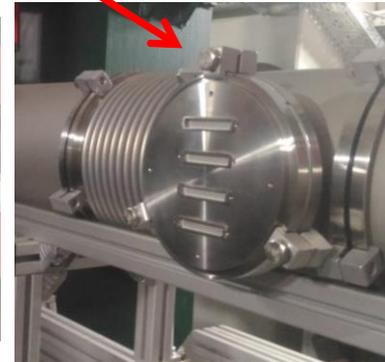
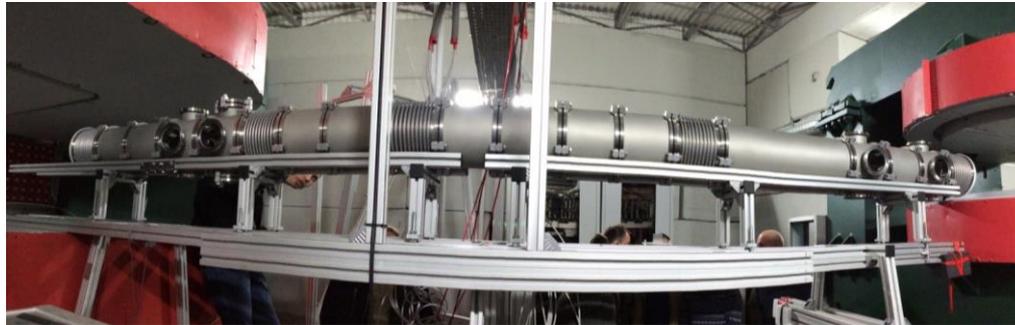
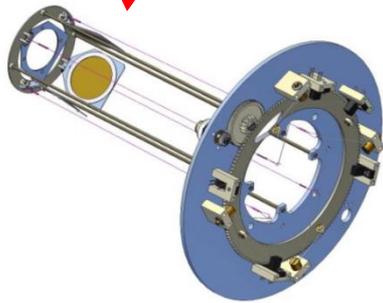
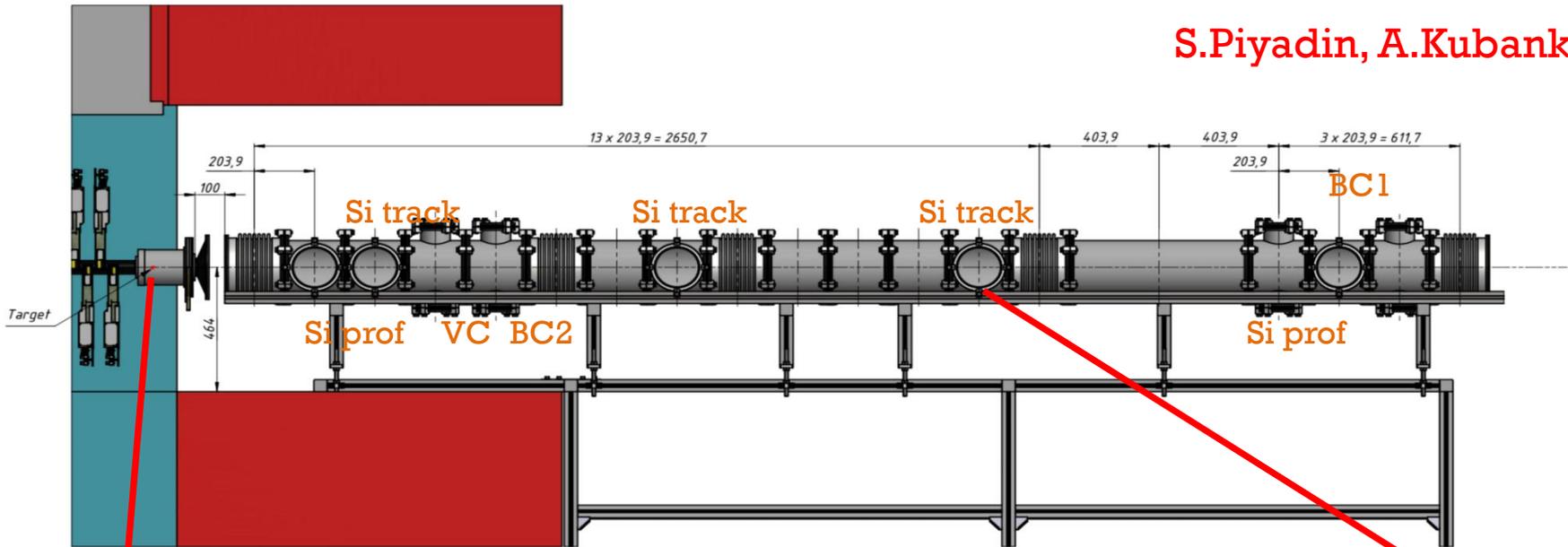
Anna Maksymchuk on behalf of the BM@N Collaboration  
20/04/2020

# BM@N Experimental Setup



# Beam pipe before the target

S.Piyadin, A.Kubankin

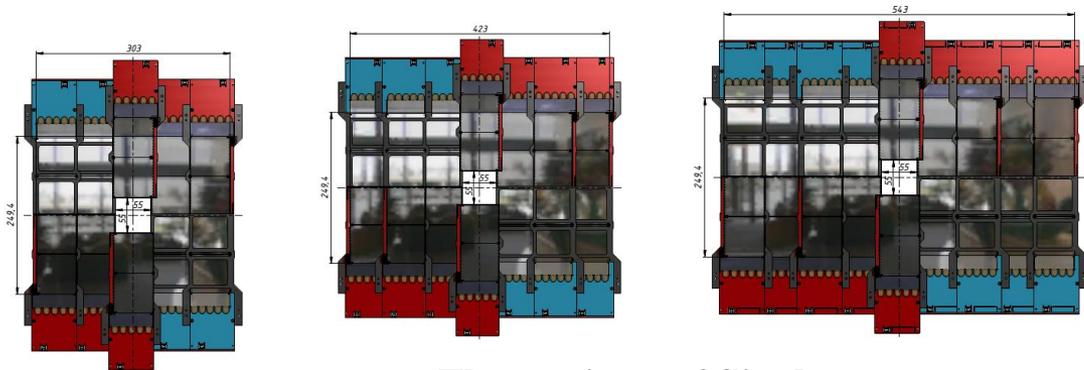


Four stainless steel vacuum boxes downstream the target will be replaced by aluminum ones. The design and production of the target station mechanics will be performed by A.Kubankin group

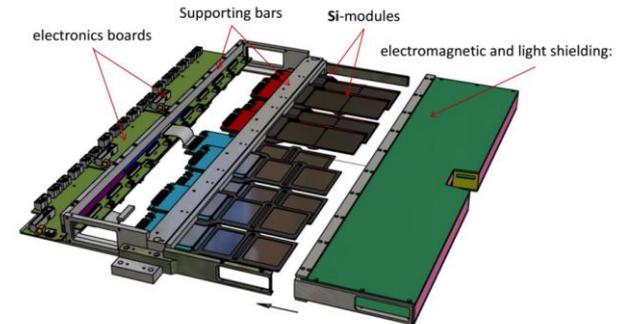
*See talk of S.SEDYKH*

Production of the beam pipe: Belgorod University

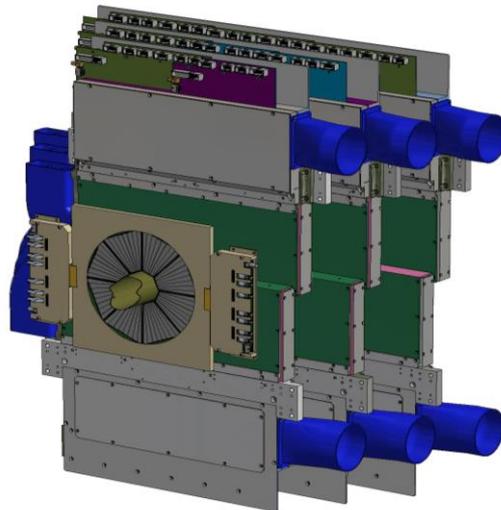
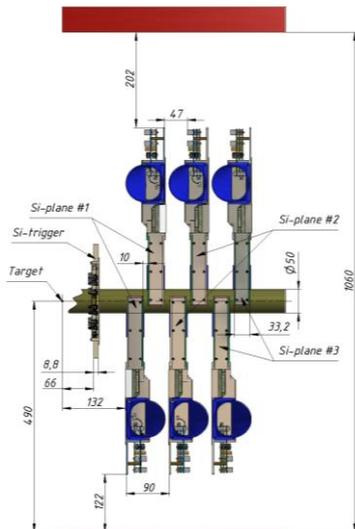
# Upgrade of the forward Si tracking detectors



Three sizes of Si-planes



Half-plane design



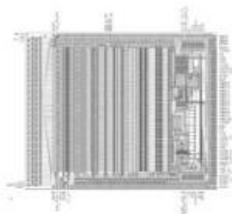
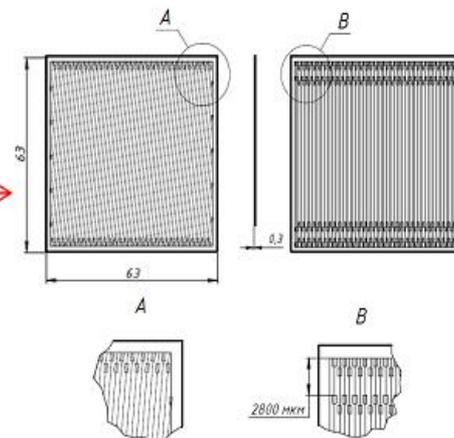
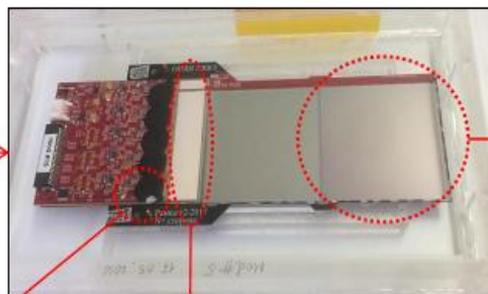
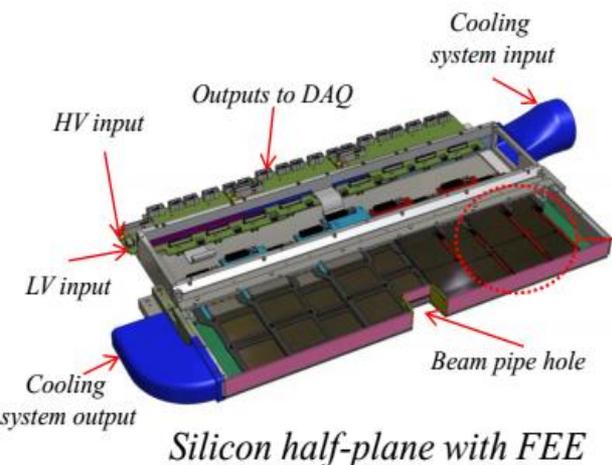
Design of the Si-planes on the BM@N beam-channel

group of N.Zamiatin

Station#	Number of DSSD modules	DSSD station square	Number of Readout channels
Station1	10	720 cm <sup>2</sup>	12800
Station2	14	1008 cm <sup>2</sup>	17920
Station3	18	1296 cm <sup>2</sup>	23040
<b>Total</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>~0.3 m<sup>2</sup></b>	<b>53760</b>

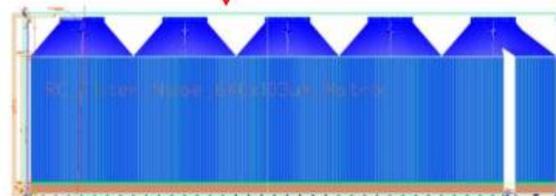
# Upgrade of the forward Si tracking detectors

*See talk of B.Topko*



## ASIC VATAGP7.1 (5 chips on each side of module)

Number of CSA: 128 channels  
 Dynamic range:  $\pm 30$  fC  
 Peaking time (slow/fast shaper): 500 ns/ 50ns  
 Noise (ENC):  $70e + 12e/pF$  (typ.)  
 Voltage supply: +1.5 V, -2.0 V  
 Gain from input to output buffer:  $16.5 \mu A/fC$   
 Output Serial analog multiplexer clock speed: 3.9 MHz  
 Power dissipation per channel: 2.2 mW



## Pitch Adapter (n+) side

sapphire plates with an epitaxial layer of silicon (SOI)  
 Number of channels: 640  
 Value of poly-Si resistors:  $\approx 1 M\Omega$   
 Value of integrated capacitors:  $\approx 120 pF$   
 Capacitor working voltage: 100 V  
 Capacitor breakdown voltage:  $>150 V$

Size:  $63 \times 63 \times 0,3 \text{ mm}^3$  (on 4" – FZ-Si wafers)  
 Topology: double sided microstrip (DSSD)  
 (DC coupling)  
 Pitch  $p^+$  strips:  $95 \mu m$ ;  
 Pitch  $n^+$  strips  $103 \mu m$ ;  
 Stereo angle between  $p^+/n^+$  strips:  $2.5^\circ$   
 Number of strips:  $640(p^+) \times 640(n^+)$

## Plans:

- DSSD, Pitch adapters, ASICs VATAGP7.1, FEE PCBs are delivered and ready for assembly
- Cross boards and mechanical support for FwdSi detectors installation inside the magnet are being designed at the moment

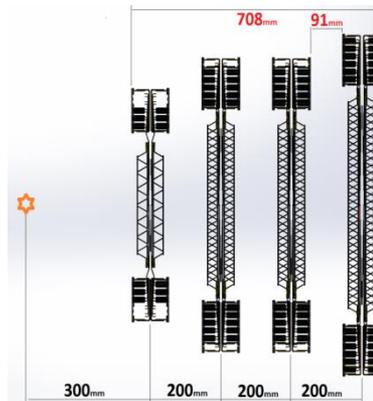
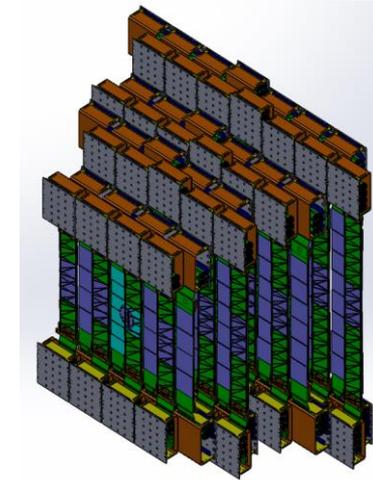
# BM@N STS

Preliminary layout of BM@N STS was developed.

Geometry was tested in simulations in CbmRoot (E. Lavrik) and BmnRoot (S. Mertz)

Four stations are based on CBM-type modules with double-sided microstrip silicon sensors:

- Pitch  $58\mu$
- Stereo angle  $7.5^\circ$
- Thickness  $300\mu$
- Sizes:  $62 \times 62$ ,  $62 \times 42$ ,  $62 \times 22$  mm<sup>2</sup>
- Produced by two vendors: CiS (Germany) & Hamamatsu (Japan)



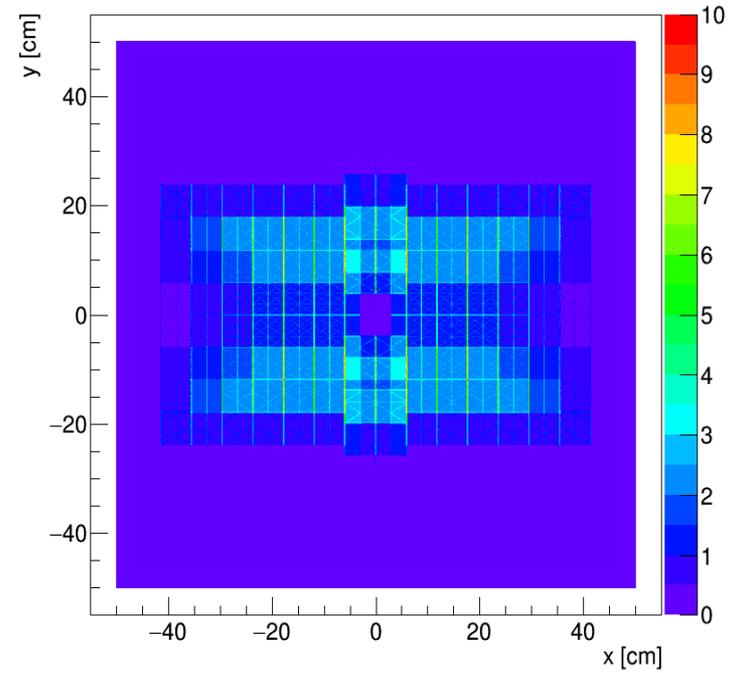
**Tentative design of BM@N STS stations**

Plans:

2022 – “pilot” configuration, first 42 modules integration into BM@N;

After 2022 – BM@N STS full configuration (292 modules)

Material Budget  $x/X_0$  [%], STS



Total material budget (by E. Lavrik)

**Number of modules: 292**

**Number of channels: ~600k**

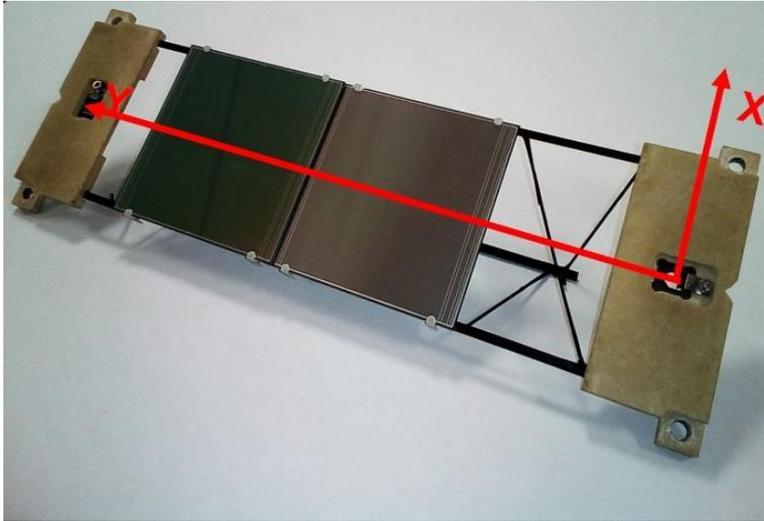
**Power consumption: ~15 kW**

*See talk of D. DEMENTYEV*

# Status of BM@N STS

STS group

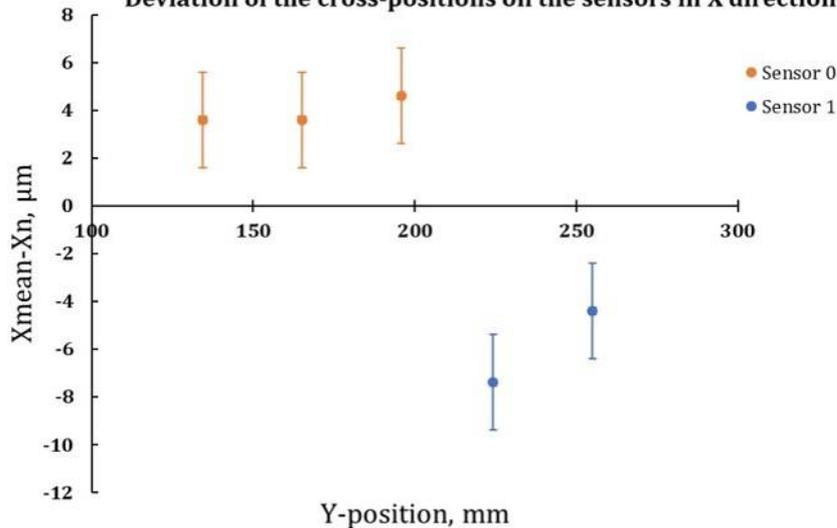
See talk of D.Dementev



Mockup of the ladder with 2 sensors was assembled to test the Ladder assembly device. Measured deviation of the X coordinate (perpendicular to the strips on N-side) from the mean value is less than  $8 \mu\text{m}$ .

Mockup of STS ladder

Deviation of the cross-positions on the sensors in X direction



Deviations of X coordinates of the fiducial marks on the sensors from the mean value

Delays caused by pandemic control measures.

***Total delay is expected to be ~ from  $2*T$  to  $3*T$ , where  $T$  - quarantine period in Russia.***

Main delays are caused by:

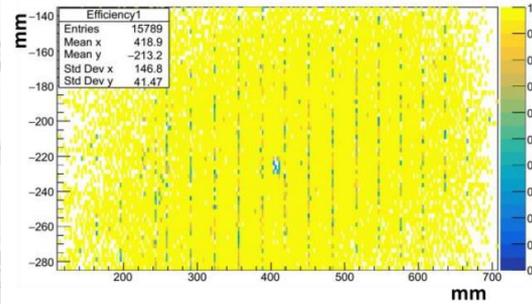
- Construction of the clean areas;
- Procurements of equipment for cooling and power systems, cables & electronics.
- Postponing of the start of the serial production of STS modules

GEM group

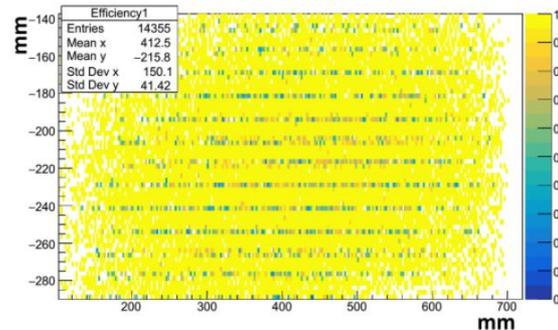
# GEM central tracking system



Stand for cosmic tests



Spatial efficiency for  
Different sector design



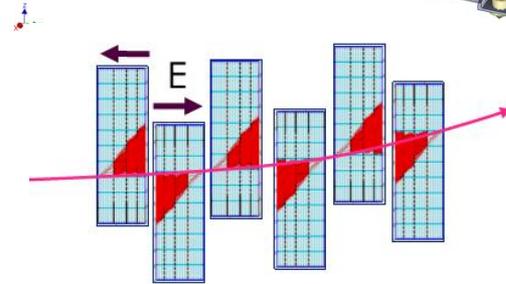
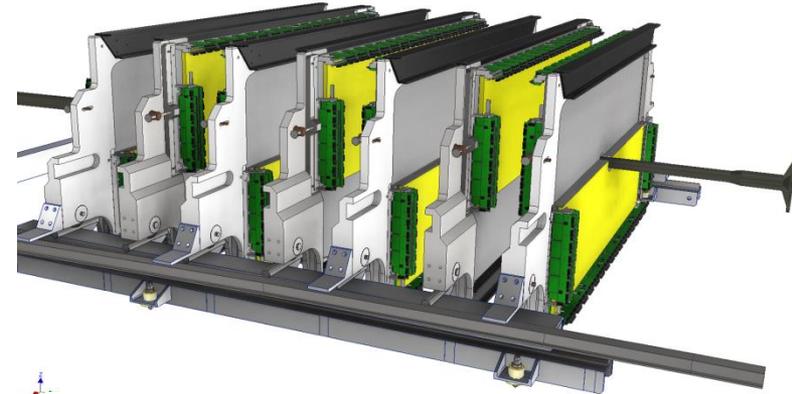
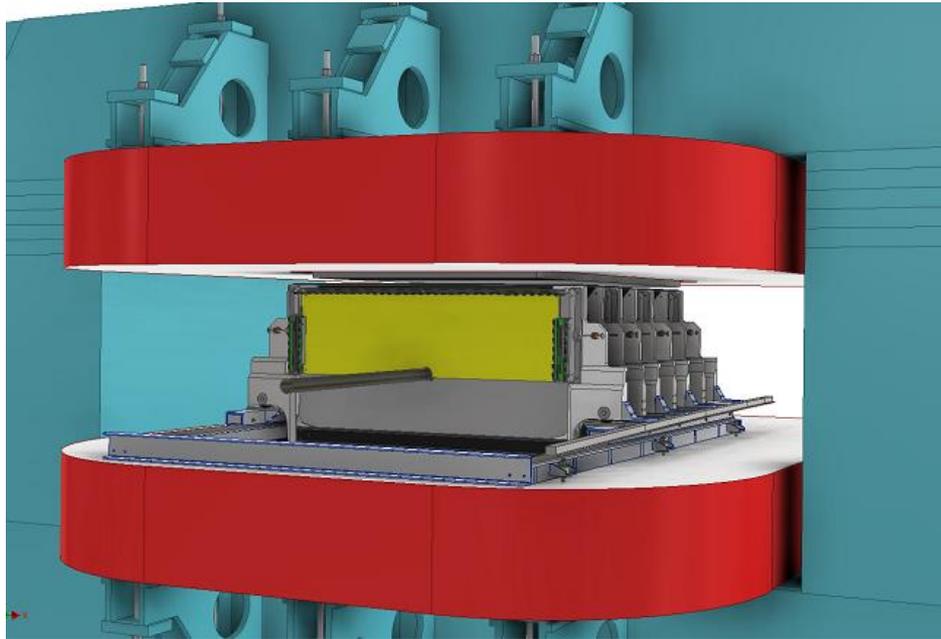
Four last  $1632 \times 390 \text{ mm}^2$  GEM chambers  
were assembled at CERN



New bracing system for FEE was  
designed and produced

- Seven GEM  $1632 \times 450 \text{ mm}^2$  chambers produced at CERN workshop were integrated into BM@N experimental setup. One was defected and repaired at CERN.
- Seven GEM  $1632 \times 390 \text{ mm}^2$  chambers were assembled and delivered to JINR.
- Two spare chambers are to be produced by the end of 2020

# Preliminary mechanics design for GEM planes precise installation inside the magnet



## Upgrade plans:

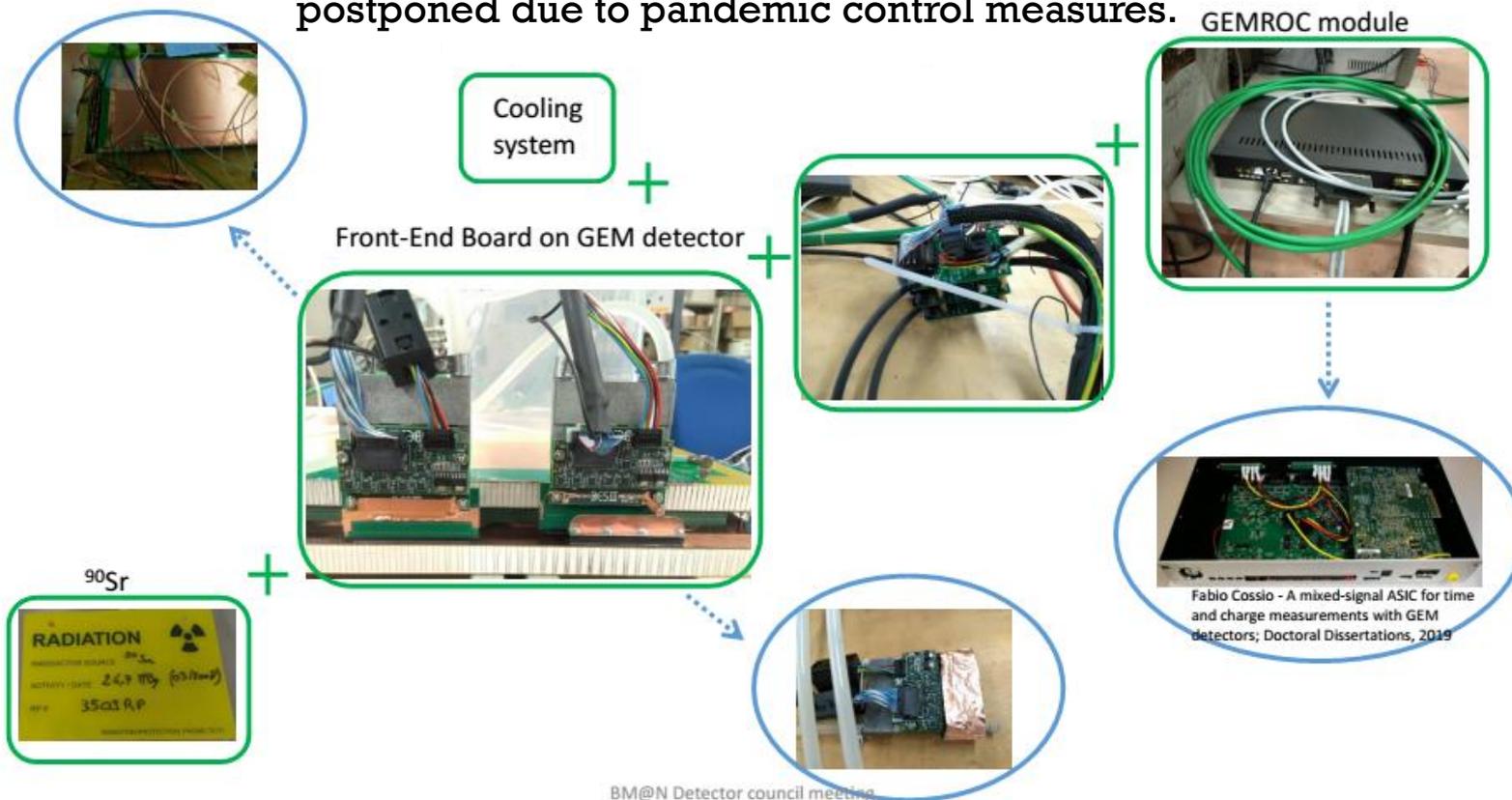
09.2020 – development of the mechanics design (Pelcom Dubna) and mechanics production for GEM planes precise installation inside the magnet.

12.2020 – integration of the full GEM planes into the experimental setup (electronics based on the VA-163 chips, ~90000 readout channels)

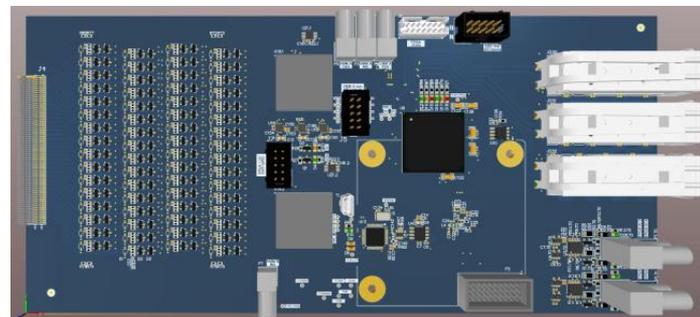
2022 - Development, tests and integration of FEE based on VMM3/TIGER ASICs.

# Development of new FEE based on TIGER/VMM3a

**TIGER** (Turin Integrated Gem Electronics for Readout) tests at CERN. First run of TIGER FEE on GEM detector was performed. Next tests were planned on March 2020 at JINR, but postponed due to pandemic control measures.



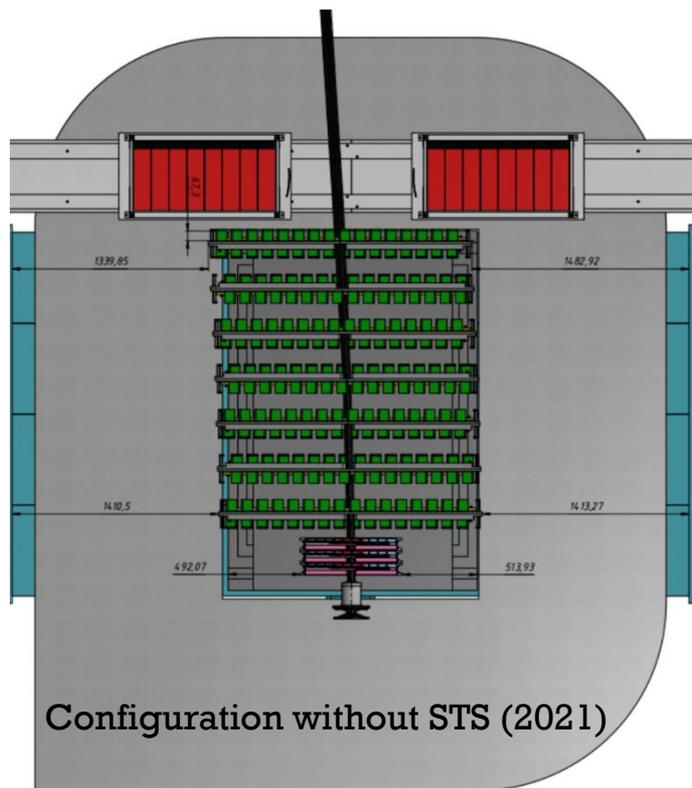
Kintex7 based 128ch GEM evaluation board was designed for VMM3a tests.



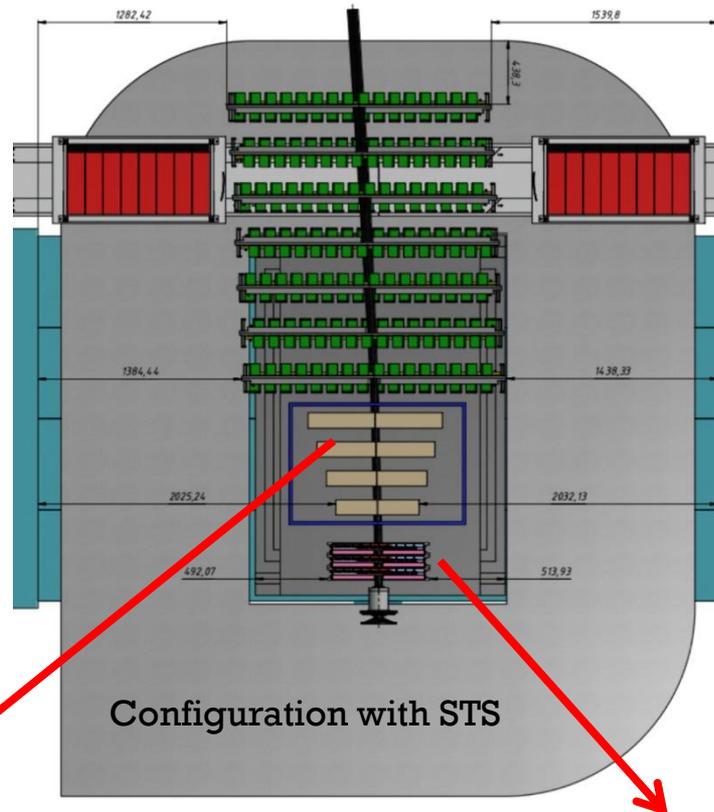
# Forward Si+ STS +Gem configuration

Four configurations of the tracking detectors are foreseen:

- Forward Si + 7 GEMs: beam intensity few  $10^5$  Hz , 2021
- Forward Si + “pilot” STS station + 7 GEMs: beam intensity few  $10^5$  Hz , 2022
- Forward Si + 4 STS stations + 7 GEMs: beam intensity few  $10^5$  Hz, after 2022
- 4 STS stations + 7 GEMs (fast FEE): high beam intensity few  $10^6$  Hz, after 2022-

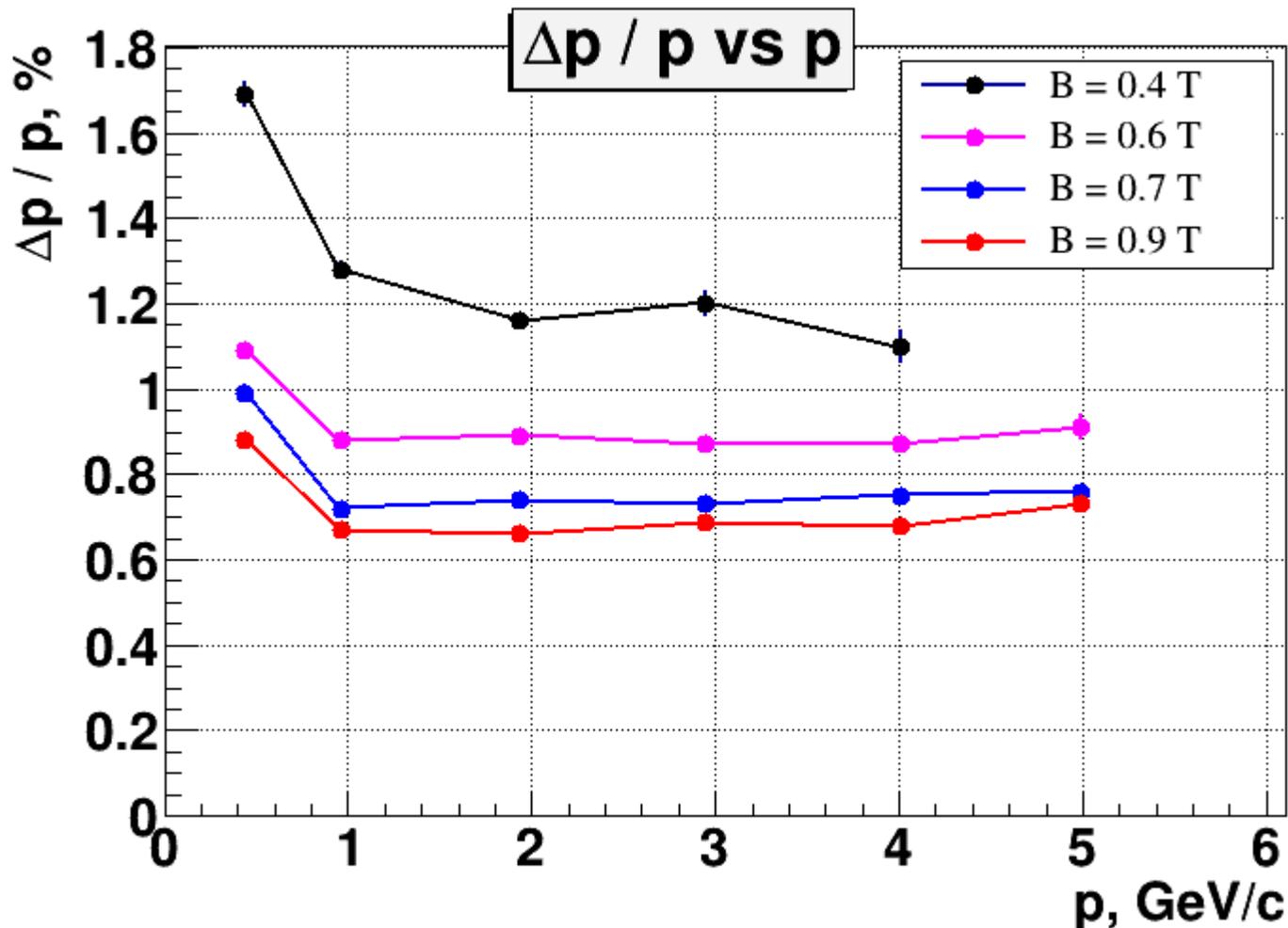


2022 year – “pilot” configuration  
After 2022 year – full configuration



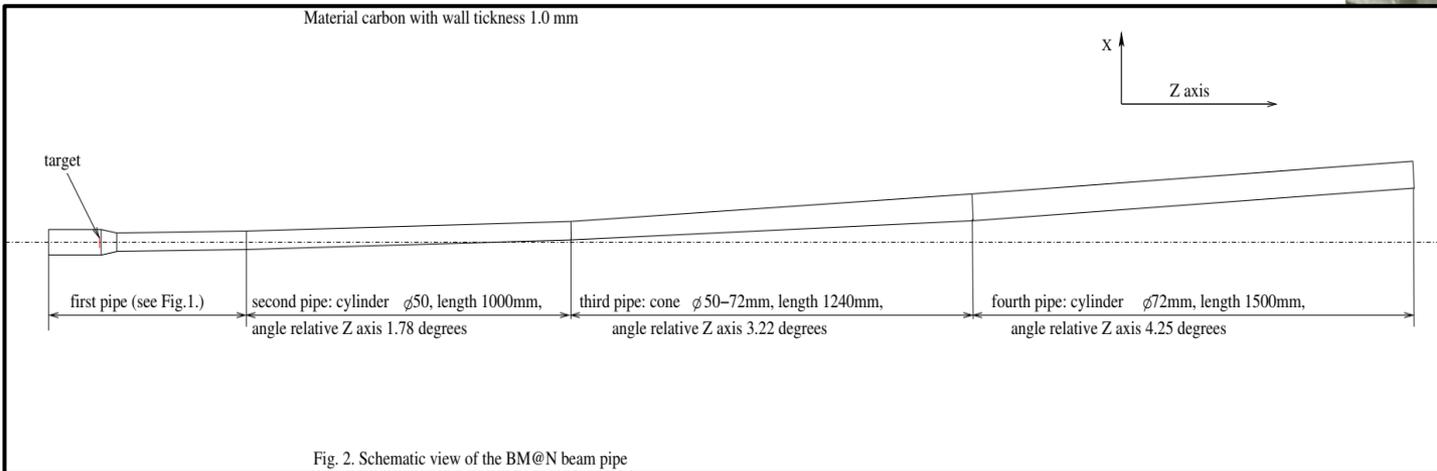
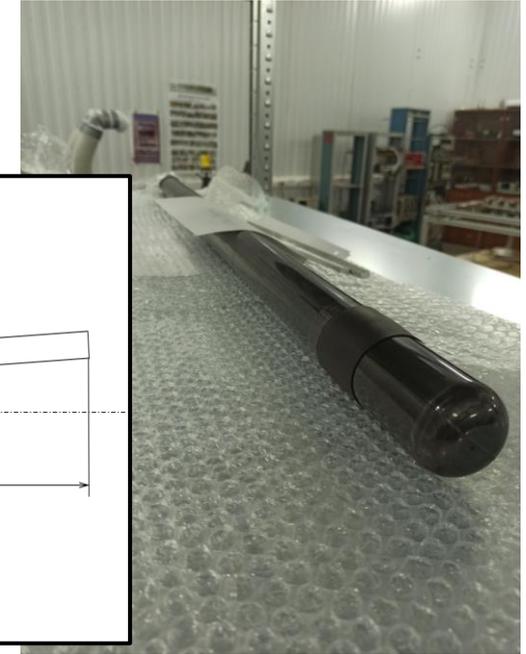
Forward Si will be removed after integration of STS full configuration into BM@N setup (after 2022 year, high beam intensity - few  $10^6$  Hz)

# Hybrid central tracker STS+GEM momentum resolution for different magnetic field values



# Beam pipe inside the SP-41 magnet

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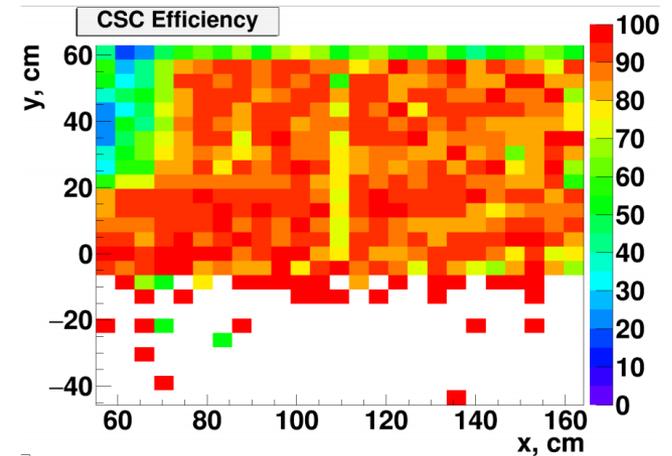
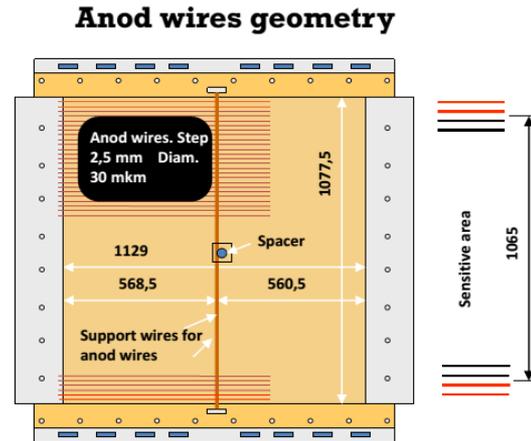
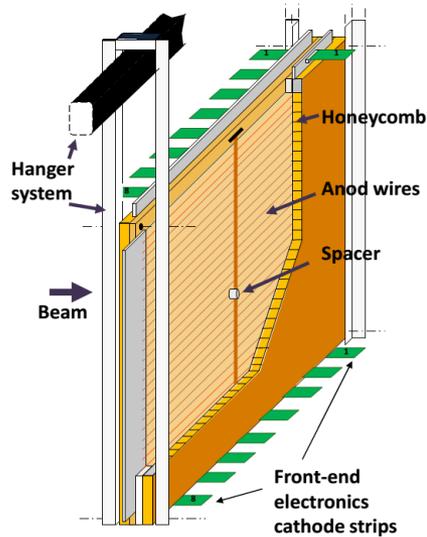
Test sample of the carbon beam pipe

- DD “Arhipov” (Moscow, Russia) – 1m test sample of carbon beam pipe is ready
- Vacuum tests have shown an insignificant level leakage level of side surfaces of the sample, vacuum up to  $10^{-5}$ .
- The design of the flange connections is not yet finished.
- Agreement on cooperation to be signed with “SYNTEZ-PROJECT” LLC (Moscow, Russia) for flange connections design

# 1065x1065 mm<sup>2</sup> CSC chamber

CSC group

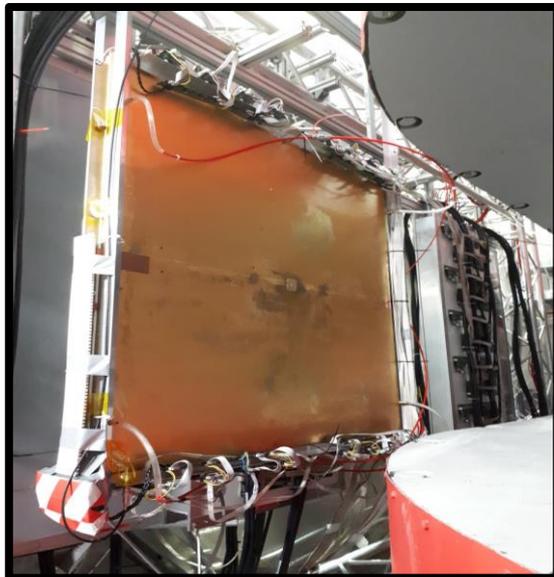
C, Ar and Kr runs in March 2018: CSC chamber is installed in front of ToF-400 to check its performance as outer tracker for heavy ions



CSC efficiency in Ar run

Track extrapolated from GEM

Residual (CSC\_hit - GEM) < 2cm



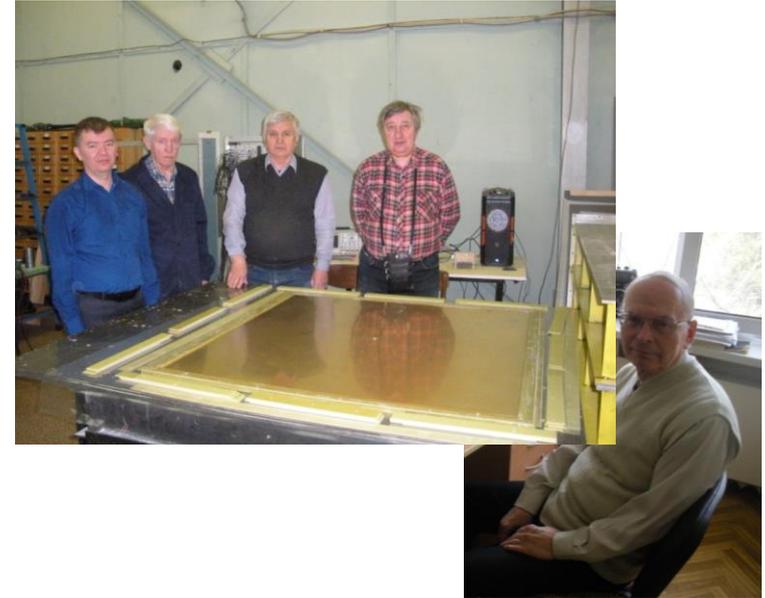
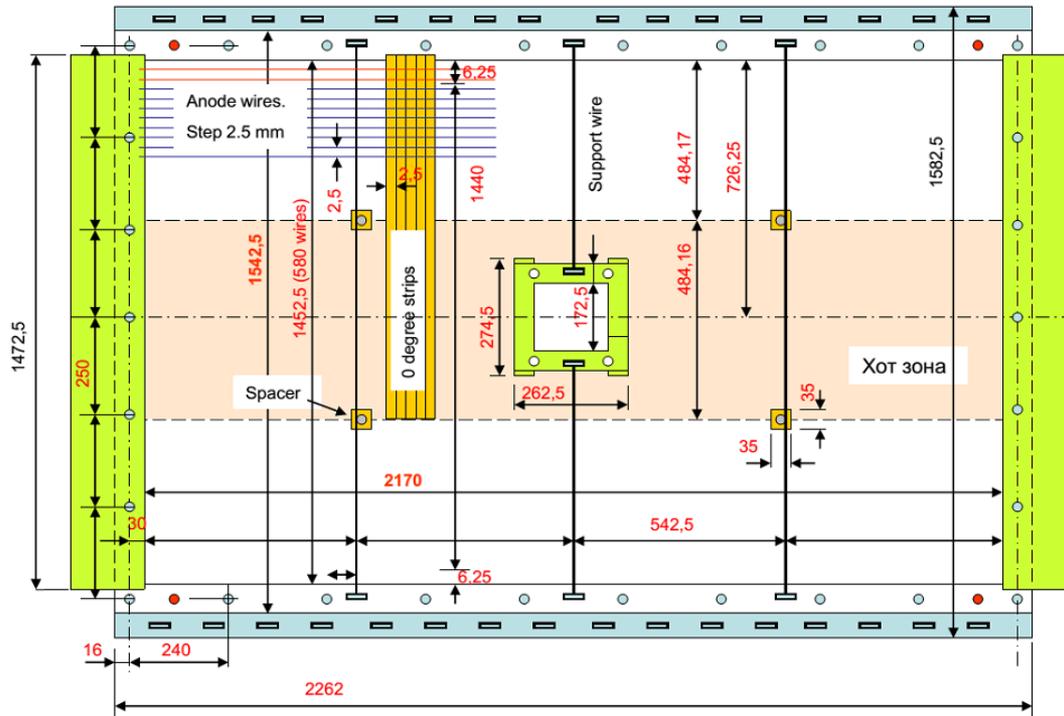
One CSC 1065x1065 mm<sup>2</sup> is produced and tested at Nuclotron beam.

**Plans:**

- assembly of the three 1065x1065 mm<sup>2</sup> chambers is at the final stage: gluing process is finished; delays with wire boning is due to pandemic control measures at JINR
- in autumn 2020 assembled chambers are to be tested with r/a source and at cosmic stand

# 2190x1453 mm<sup>2</sup> CSC chamber

CSC group



Two cathode planes with strips inclined at 0° and 15°  
Each cathode plane consists of 8 printed circuit boards.  
Each pcb is divided on hot and cold zones.

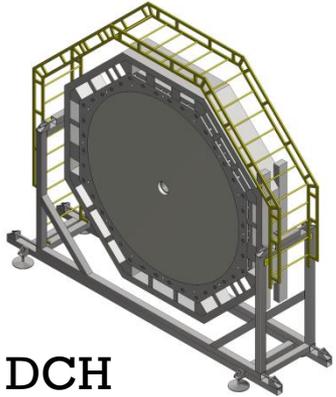
**Design of the first PCB is finished.**

**Design and assembly – JINR LHEP**

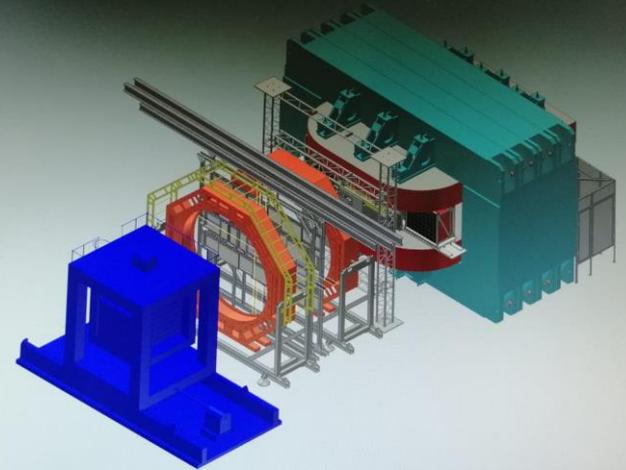
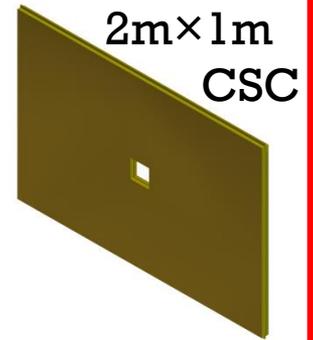
## Production plans:

- 09.2020 – design and production of the cathode planes for 2190x1453 mm<sup>2</sup> CSC chambers
- 03.2021 – Assembly of the 2190x1453 mm<sup>2</sup> CSC
- 09.2021 – All chambers are integrated into the BM@N experimental setup

# Beam pipe downstream the SP-41 magnet



DCH

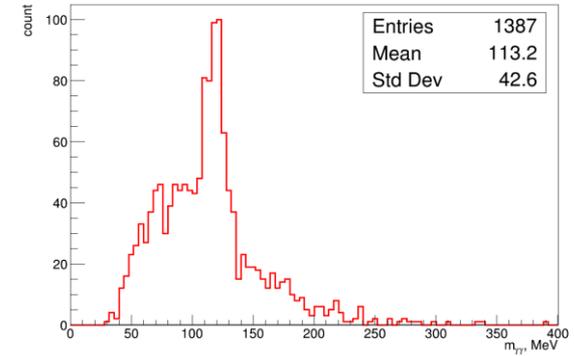
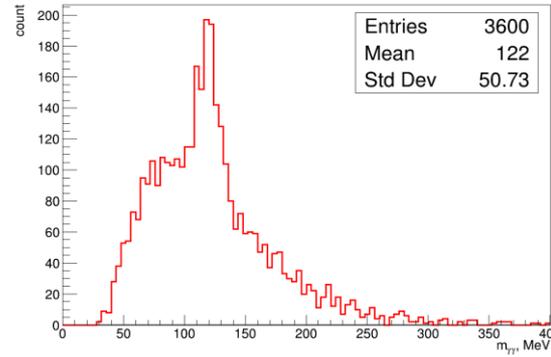
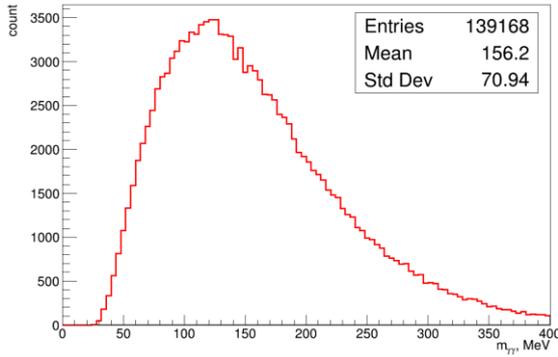


Possible candidate for development and production of the aluminum beam pipe downstream the SP-41 magnet is A. Kubankin group (Belgorod University). 3D model development of the detectors after the SP-41 magnet is at the final stage.

# ECAL Status

ECAL  $\gamma$ -selection criteria (GEANT4, DCMQGSN KrSn 2.36AGeV mb,  $\sim 1M$  ev.)

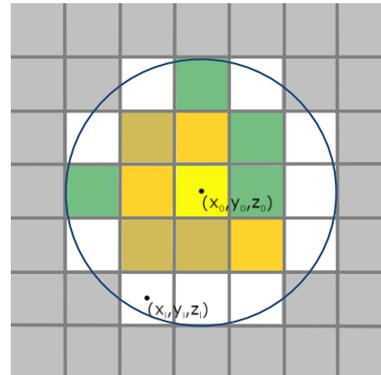
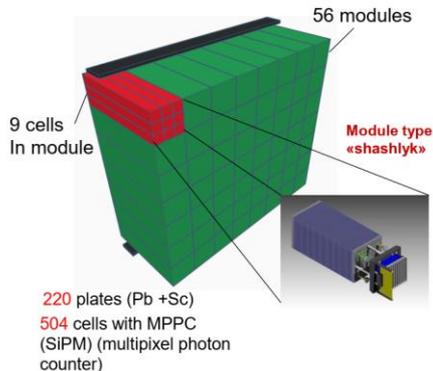
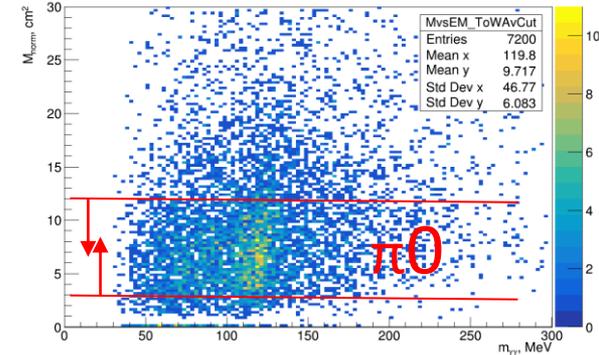
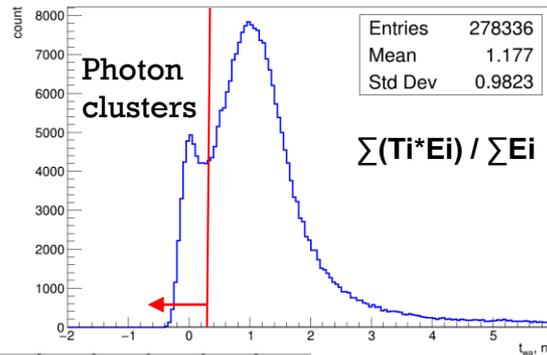
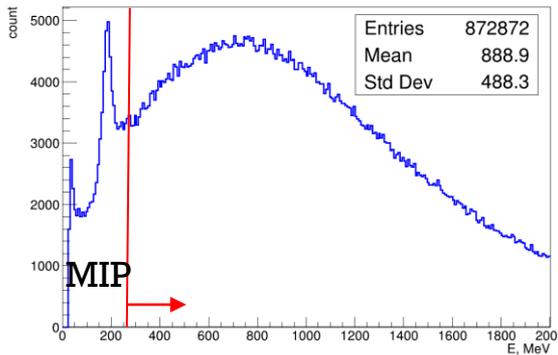
## Effective mass distributions



$R_{cluster} = 10$  cm,  $E_{cell} > 10$  MeV,  $E_{cluster} > 250$  MeV,  $\Theta > 6^\circ$

$T_{wa} < 0.3$  ns

$2 < M_{norm} < 12$



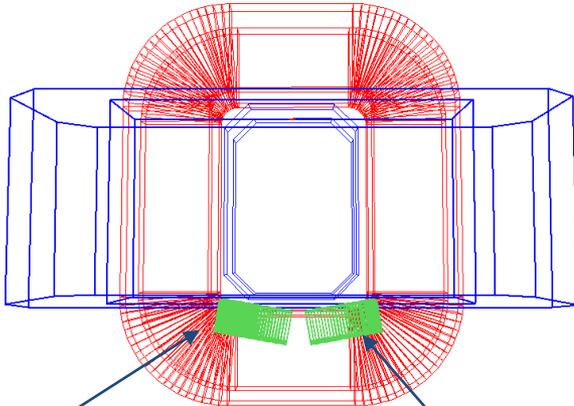
$$M_{norm} = \frac{\sum E_i \times ((x_i - x_0)^2 + (y_i - y_0)^2 + (z_i - z_0)^2)}{\sum E_i}$$

21 cells in cluster with  $R=10$  cm

# ECAL Status

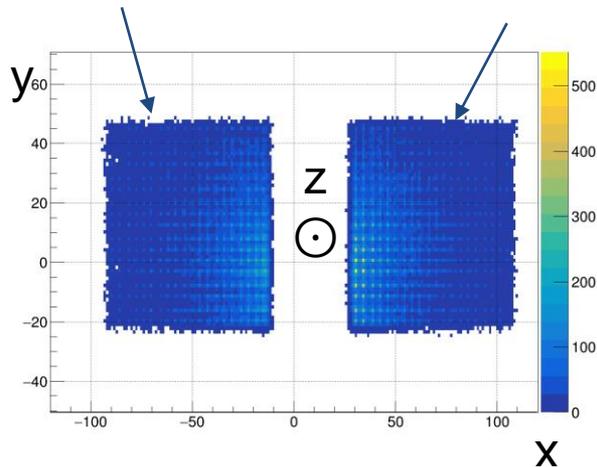
Extending ECAL working range (GEANT4, LAQGSM CC 4AGeV mb, 300k ev.)

ECAL position in the simulation



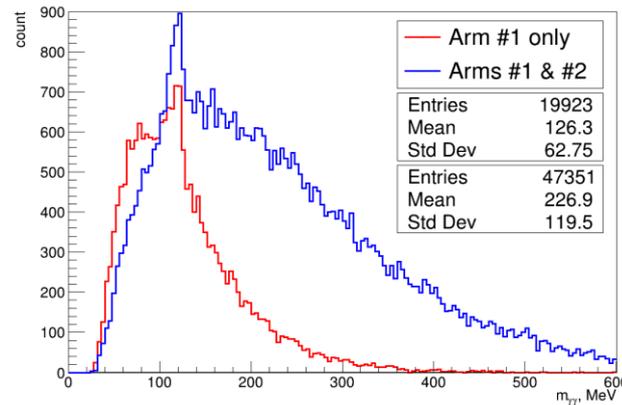
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Arm #2



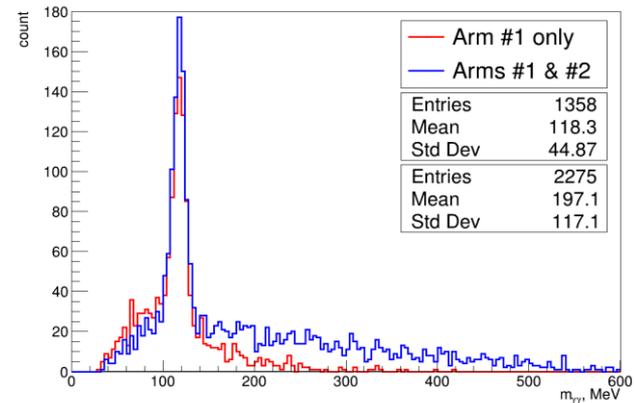
Weighted average cluster positions (lab coords)

Effective mass



$E_{\text{cell}} > 10 \text{ MeV}$   
 $R_{\text{cluster}} = 10 \text{ cm}$   
 $E_{\text{cluster}} > 250 \text{ MeV}$   
 $\Theta > 6^\circ$

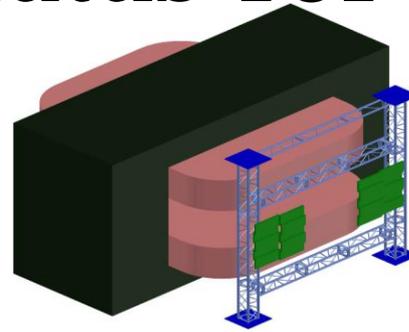
Effective mass, additional cuts



$M_{\text{norm}} > 2 \text{ cm}^2$   
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 $T_{\text{wa}} < 0.3 \text{ ns}$

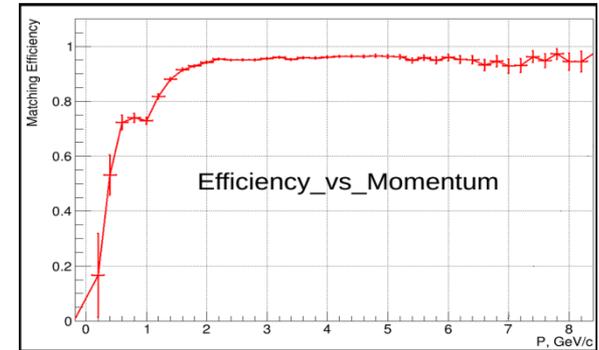
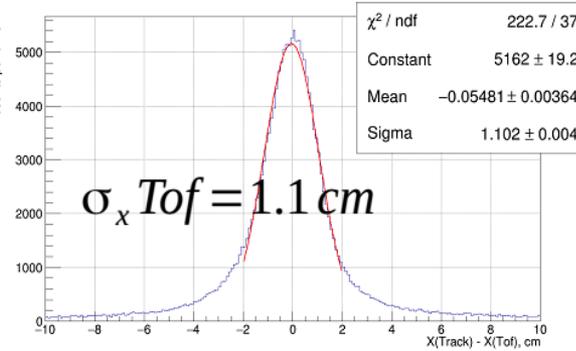
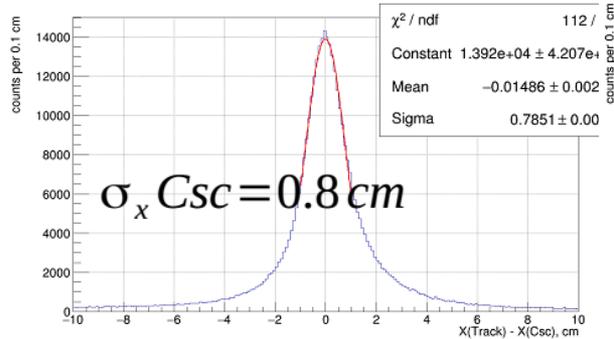
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ToF-400  
 + V.Plotnikov  
 + M.Rumyantsev

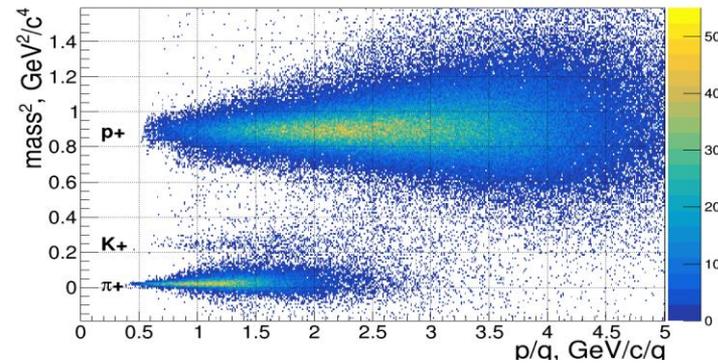
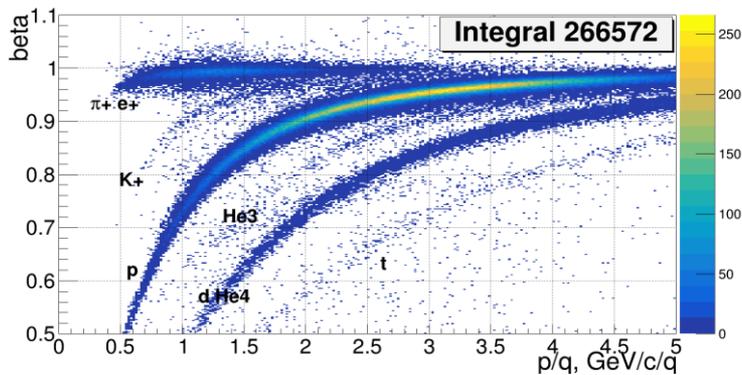


Residuals of CSC and ToF-400

Matching efficiency of GEM+CSC track to ToF-400



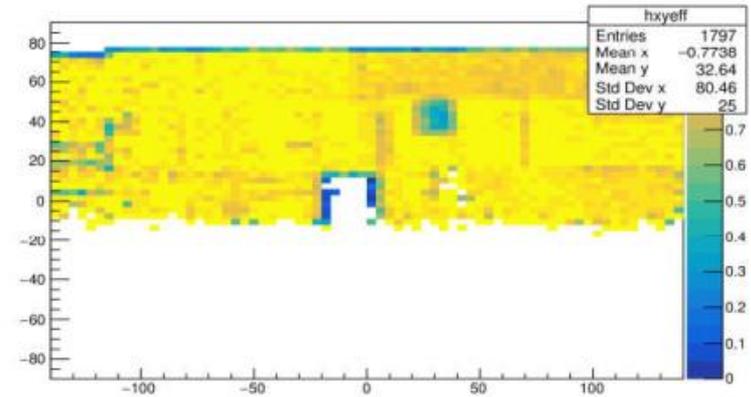
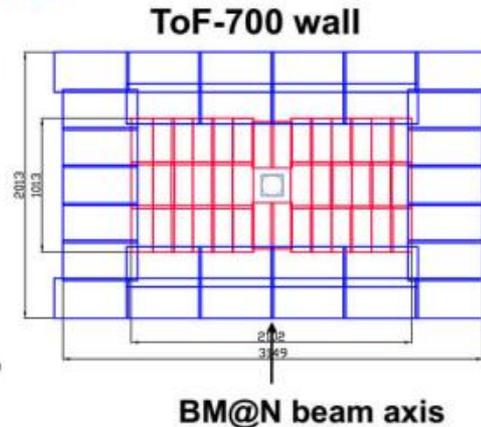
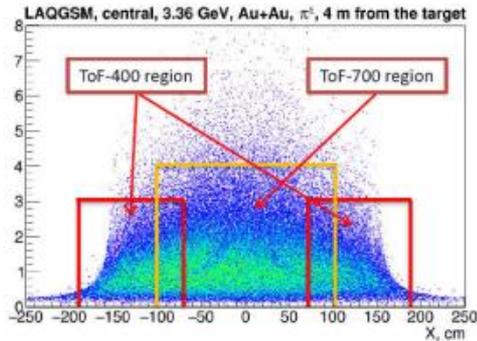
## Preliminary result of identification, GEM+CSC track extrapolated to ToF-400



Proton Mass<sup>2</sup> = 0,894 +- 0,081 GeV<sup>2</sup>/c<sup>4</sup>, Pion Mass<sup>2</sup> = 0,021 +- 0,016 GeV<sup>2</sup>/c<sup>4</sup>

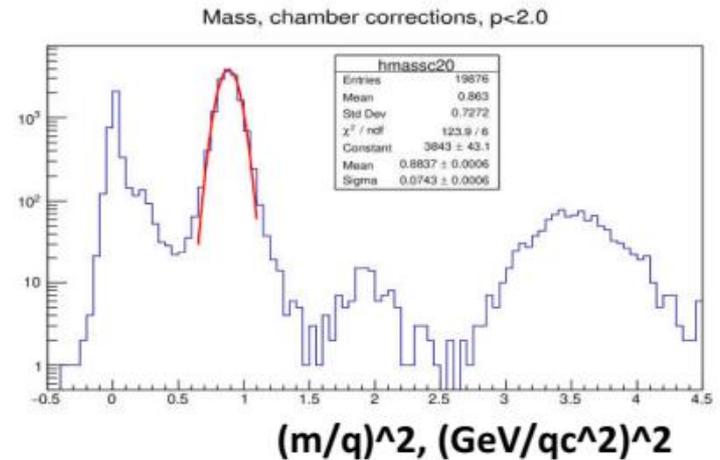
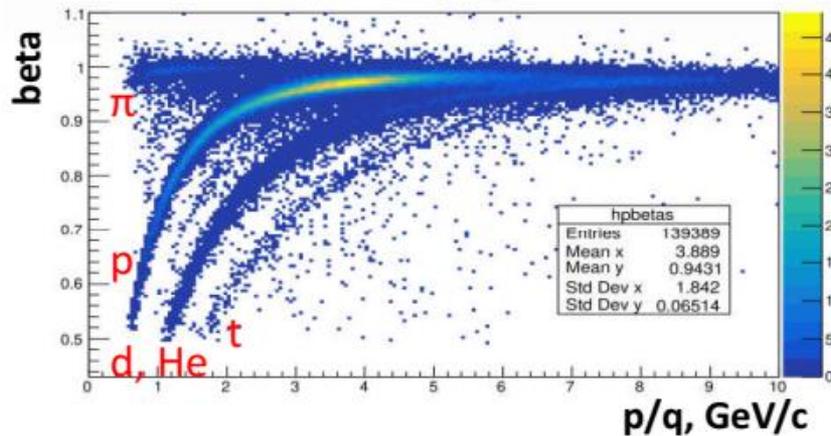
# Status ToF-700

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ToF-700 efficiency, GEM+DCH+TOF700 vs GEM+DCH tracks

Argon beam, 3.2 AGeV



Preliminary result of identification, GEM+DCH track extrapolated to ToF-700

ToF-700 time calibration procedure was developed. Final tests of the algorithm are performed.

# Status of new FHCaI

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FHCaI front view.



FHCaI was assembled and installed on the moving platform in June 2019.



← FHCaI back side view.

FEE and readout electronics were installed and tested at the end of 2019.

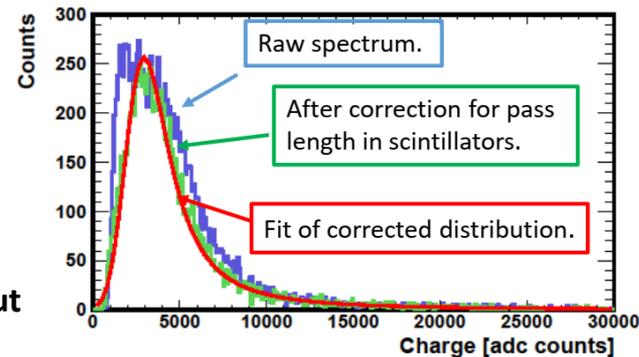
Photodetectors –  
438 Hamamatsu MPPC: S12572-010P

FEE – 54 boards  
Readout – 8 ADC64, 62.5MS/s boards.

- Central part – 34 MPD-like modules with 15x15 cm<sup>2</sup> transverse sizes. Longitudinal segmentation - 7 sections.
- Outer part – 20 CBM modules with 20x20 cm<sup>2</sup> transverse sizes. Longitudinal segmentation – 10 sections.

		5	4	3	2	1		
46	45	10	9	8	7	6	36	35
48	47	15	14	13	12	11	38	37
50	49	19	18		17	16	40	39
52	51	24	23	22	21	20	42	41
54	53	29	28	27	26	25	44	43
		34	33	32	31	30		

Connection diagram of 8 ADC boards for signals readout from 54 modules of the FHCaI.

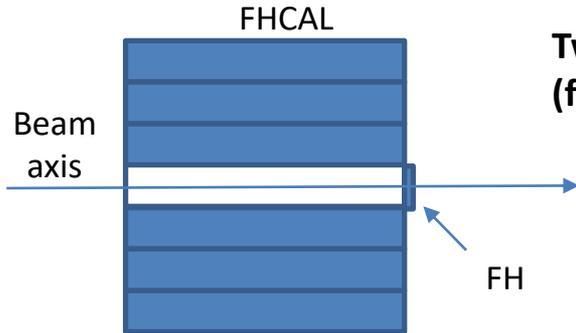


FHCAL tests with cosmic muons

- Each group of modules was readout by its own ADC. Since the ADC's were not synchronized, each group was tested separately.  
**Common trigger is needed for simultaneous calibration of all FHCAL modules with cosmic muons.**
- Analog adders of signals from top/bottom rows of modules have been already constructed.  
**New FHCAL cosmic tests and modules calibration will be done after access at JINR will be opened.**

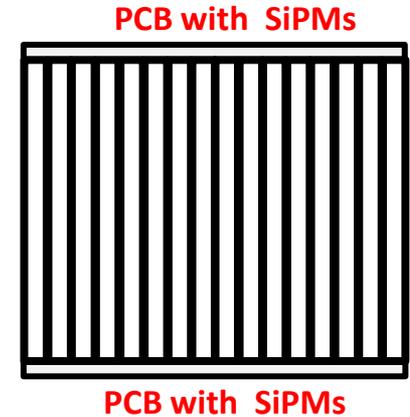
# Status of development of Forward Hodoscope in FHCAL beam hole

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Two version with scintillator and quartz strips (for **light** and **heavy** ion beams) are developed.

- 16 quartz or scintillator strips;
- strip size: 10x160x4 mm<sup>3</sup>;
- it covers beam hole 15x15 cm<sup>2</sup>.



FH is proposed to use for:

- Correction of  $E_{\text{dep}}$  in FHCAL
- Alignment of the FHCAL
- MB trigger



Quartz/scintillator strips, boards with MMPCs for scintillator and FEE for FH are ready.  
One TQDC for readout is available.

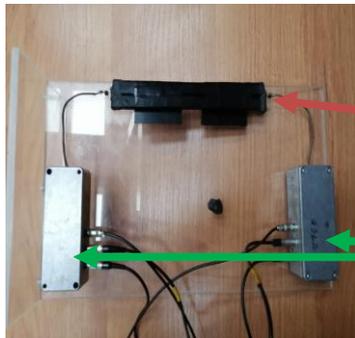
**Assembling of FH is planned immediately after resuming work at institutes.**

# Beam tests of one quartz strip at LPI RAS and at GSI

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➤ **January 2020. Synchrotron “PAKHRA”, LPI RAS, Troitsk, Moscow.**

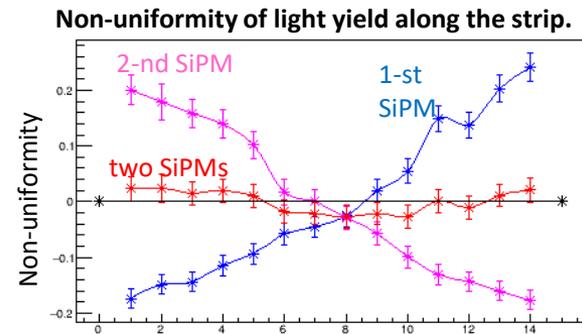
Energy  $E_e = 700$  MeV;  
Count rate  $\sim 50$  Hz.



Quartz strip

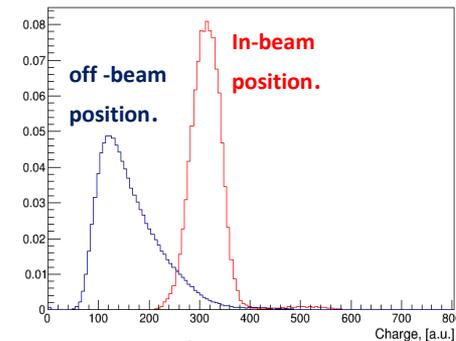
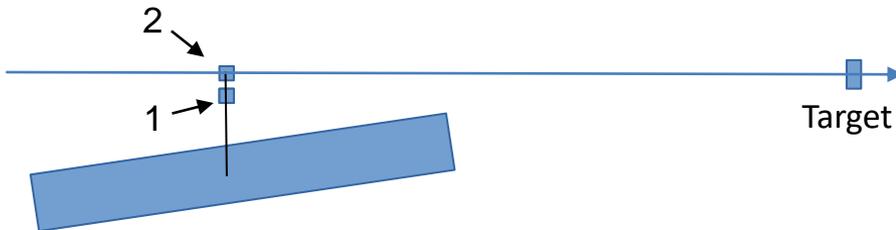
amplifiers

$N_{\text{ph.el.}} \sim 5$   
from both MPPCs on  
the strip ends



➤ **March 2020. SIS100, GSI, Darmstadt, Germany.**

Pb(67+) + Au (2.5cm), Beam rate:  $10^8$  ions/sec  
Quartz strip position:  
(1)  $\sim 1.5$ cm from beam axis, (2) on the beam axis



Quartz strip charge spectra  
at HV= 66V (reduced voltage).

All the detector's and electronics parts of Forward Hodoscope are produced.

The beam tests of hodoscope elements were done on electron and heavy ions beams.

**The full assembling of the hodoscope and installation at FHCal is planned at the Fall 2020.**

# Summary:

## Detector Subsystem

## Upgrade Status

Beam pipe before the target

installed

Beam pipe downstream the target, in SP-41 magnet

will be installed - middle 2021

Beam pipe downstream the SP-41 magnet

will be installed – spring 2021

Trigger and T0 detectors

Spring 2021

Si beam tracking detectors, profilometers

Spring 2021

Forward Si detectors

3 full-size planes (Spring 2021)

STS BM@N

42 modules (2021)

292 modules (2022)

GEM

7 top half-planes +

7 bottom half-planes(assembled)

CSC

4 chambers 1065x1065 mm<sup>2</sup>(09.2020)

2 chambers 2190x1453 mm<sup>2</sup>(2020-21)

ECAL

two arms (End of 2020)

ToF-400 and ToF-700

full configuration

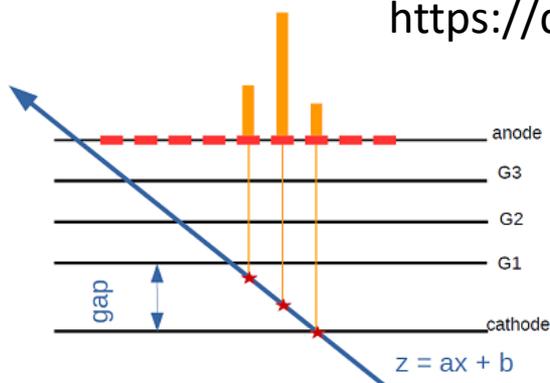
ZDC(MPD/CBM type)

installed

**Backup**

# TIGER (Turin Integrated Gem Electronics for Readout)

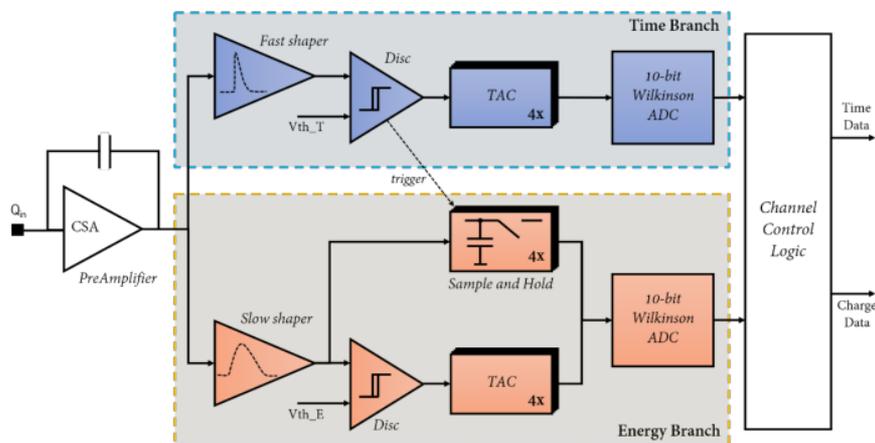
<https://doi.org/10.1016/j.nima.2018.09.010>



- If known the drift velocity, time information can be used to assign to each fired strip a 2D point
- Particle track is reconstructed from these coordinates
- The spatial resolution can be improved in magnetic field, especially for angled tracks

**TIGER v1** - 64-channel readout ASIC was tested at BESIII Experiment (New Inner Tracker based on Cylindrical Gas Electron Multiplier)

## TIGER channel architecture



Measured performance of the TIGER ASIC:

Input charge 5-55 fC

TDC resolution 30 ps RMS

Time-walk (5-55 fC range) 12 ns

Average gain 10.75 mV/fC

Nonlinearity (5-55 fC range) 0.5%

RMS gain dispersion 3.5%

Noise floor (ENC) 1500  $e^-$

Noise slope 10  $e^-/pF$

Maximum power consumption 12 mW/ch

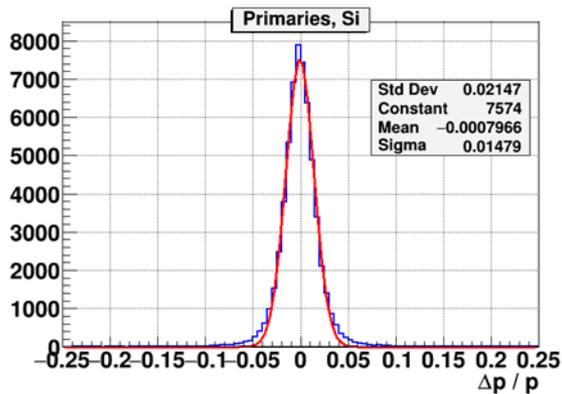
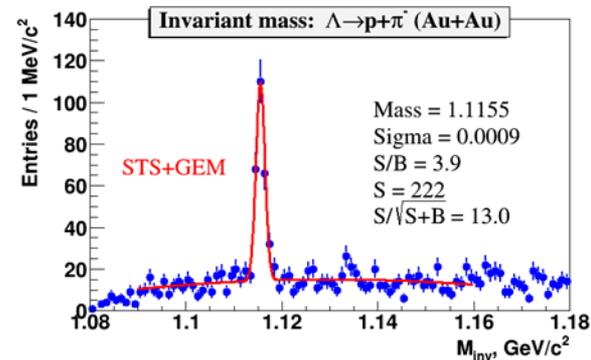
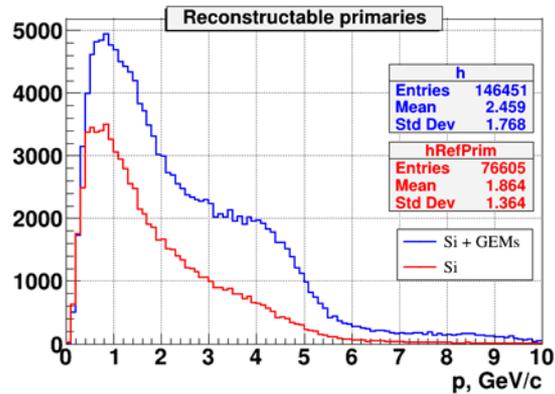
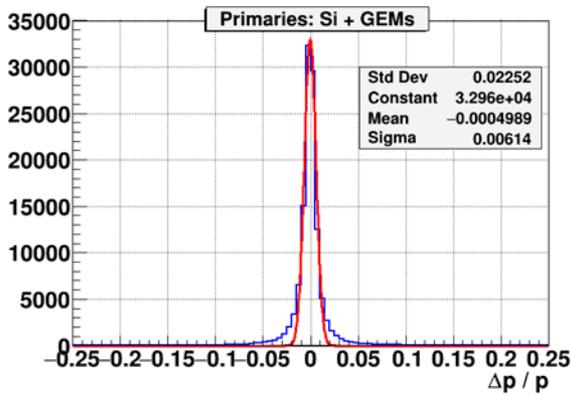
**TIGER V2**. Programmable gain: range

50-300 fC Input

Sustained event rate > 100 kHz/ch

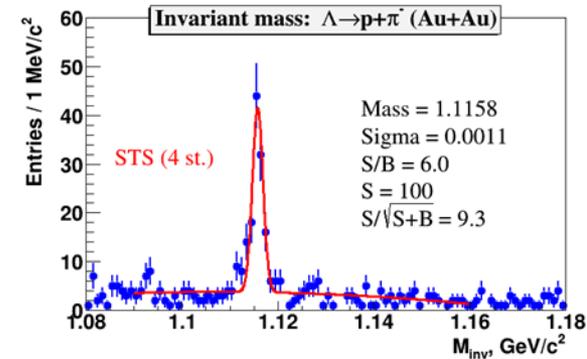
First tests with BM@N GEMs are planned in November 2019 at CERN

# Hybrid central tracker for heavy ion runs: STS vs STS+GEM



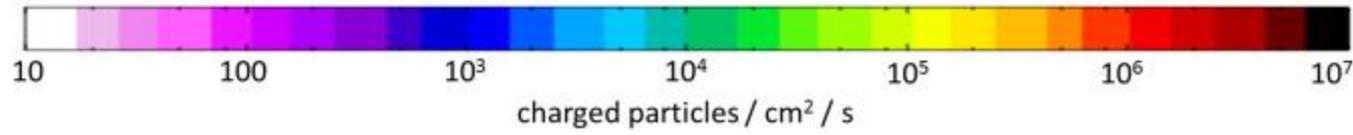
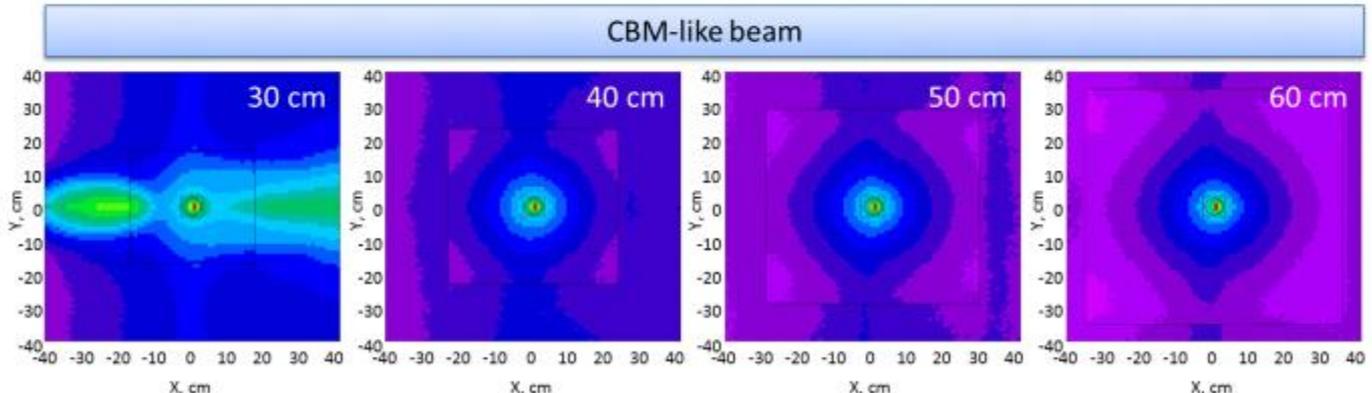
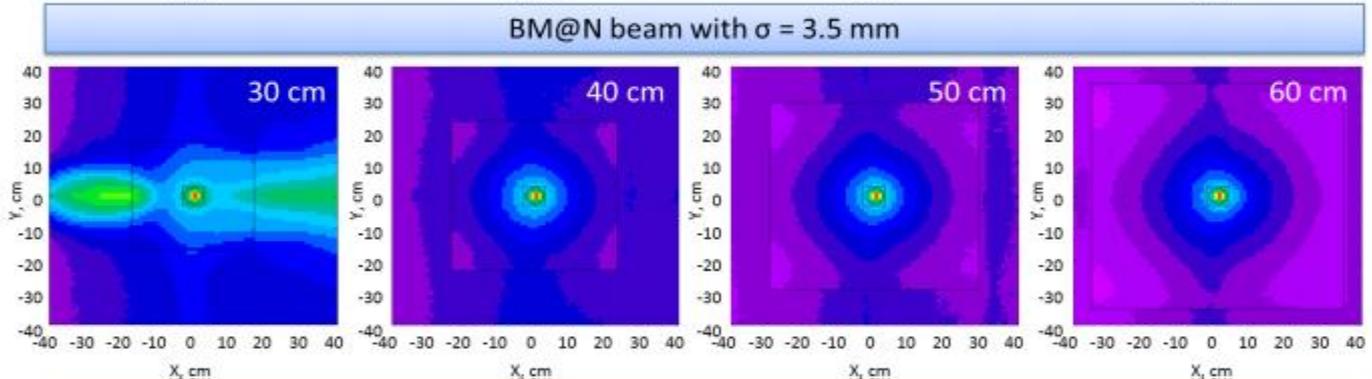
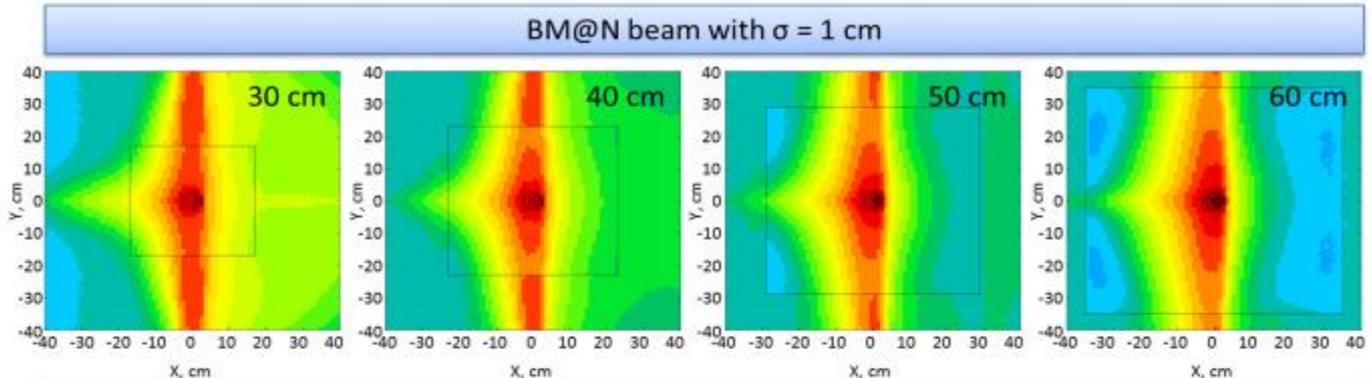
**Hybrid STS + GEM tracker:**

- ▶ 2 times increase in number of reconstructed tracks and  $\Lambda$  hyperons
- ▶ 2 times better momentum resolution



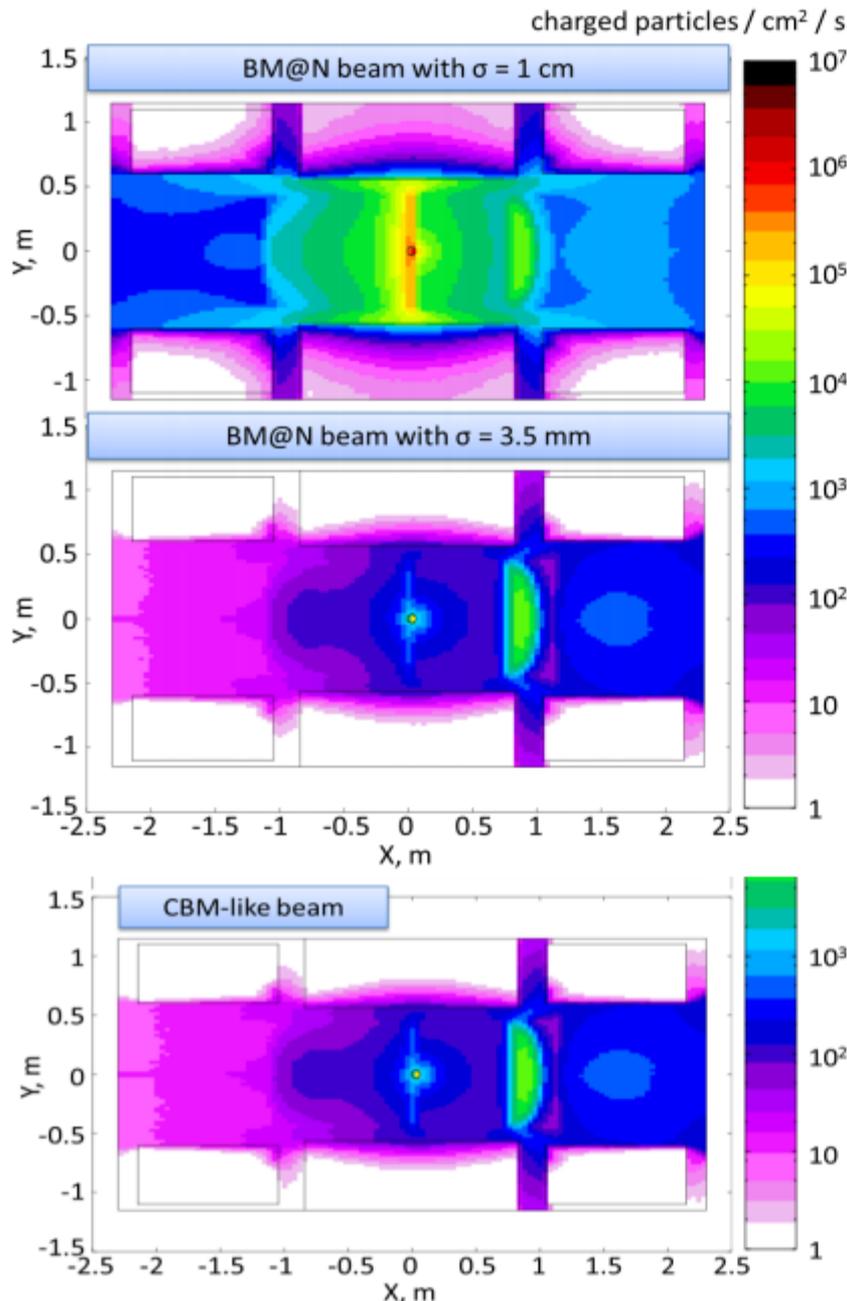
# Charged particle densities in the four STS stations

Anna Senger (GSI)



# Charged particles in GEM stations at $z = 2$ m

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BM@N beam with  $\sigma = 1$  cm ( $2 \times 10^6$  Au ions/s):  
Delta electron rate:  $200 \text{ kHz/cm}^2$

Electron rate on one strip (inner zone):  
 $200 \text{ kHz/cm}^2 \cdot 1.2 \text{ cm}^2 = 240 \text{ kHz}$   
Channels busy:  $240 \text{ kHz} \cdot 2 \mu\text{s} = \mathbf{48 \%}$

Electron rate on one strip (outer zone):  
 $200 \text{ kHz/cm}^2 \cdot 2.4 \text{ cm}^2 = 480 \text{ kHz}$   
Channels busy:  $480 \text{ kHz} \cdot 2 \mu\text{s} = \mathbf{96 \%}$

BM@N beam with  $\sigma = 0.35$  cm ( $2 \times 10^6$  Au ions/s):  
Delta electron rate:  $2 \text{ kHz/cm}^2$

Electron rate on one strip (inner zone):  
 $2 \text{ kHz/cm}^2 \cdot 1.2 \text{ cm}^2 = 2.4 \text{ kHz}$   
Channels busy:  $2.4 \text{ kHz} \cdot 2 \mu\text{s} = \mathbf{0.48 \%}$

Electron rate on one strip (inner zone):  
 $2 \text{ kHz/cm}^2 \cdot 2.4 \text{ cm}^2 = 4.8 \text{ kHz}$   
Channels busy:  $4.8 \text{ kHz} \cdot 2 \mu\text{s} = \mathbf{0.96 \%}$