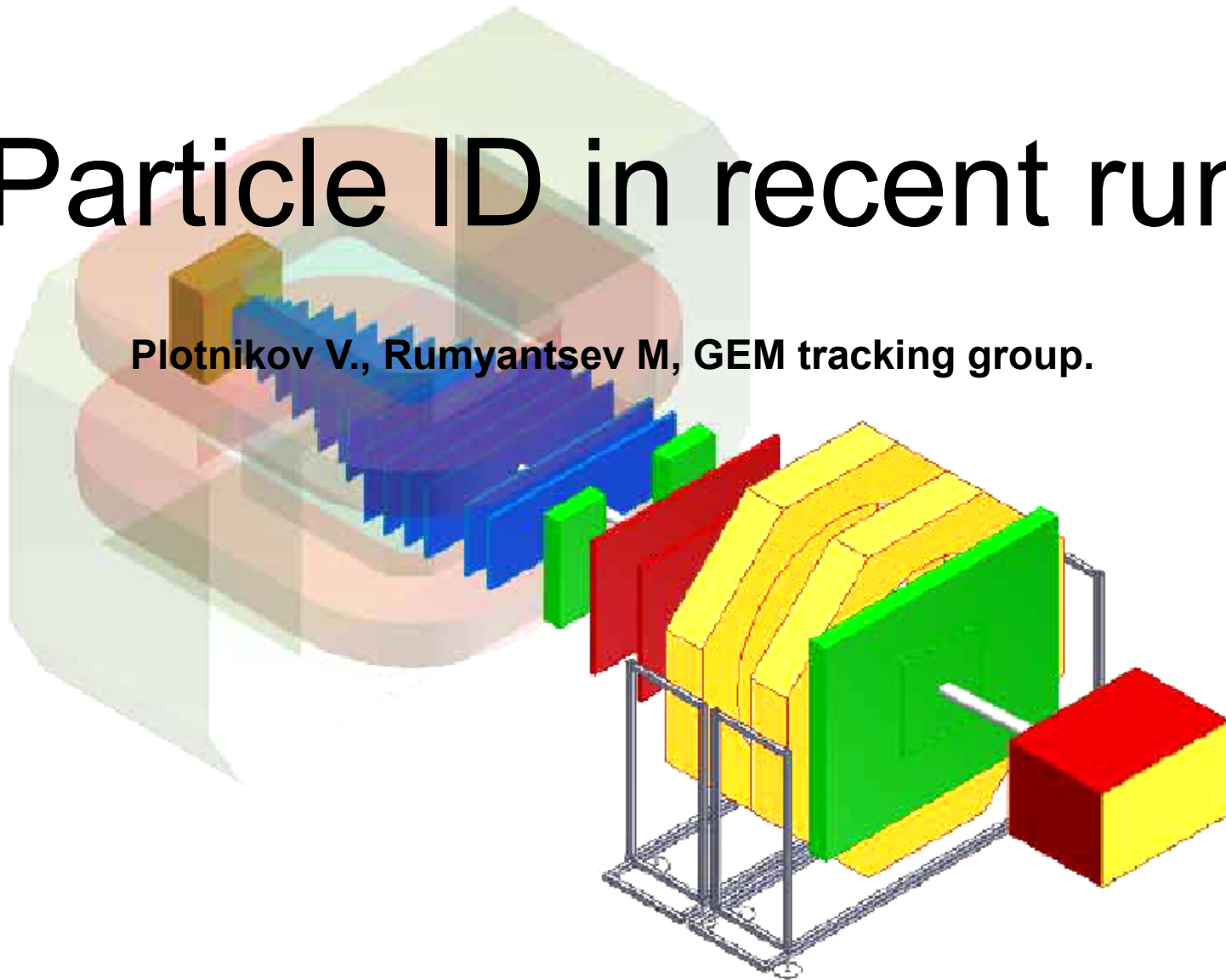
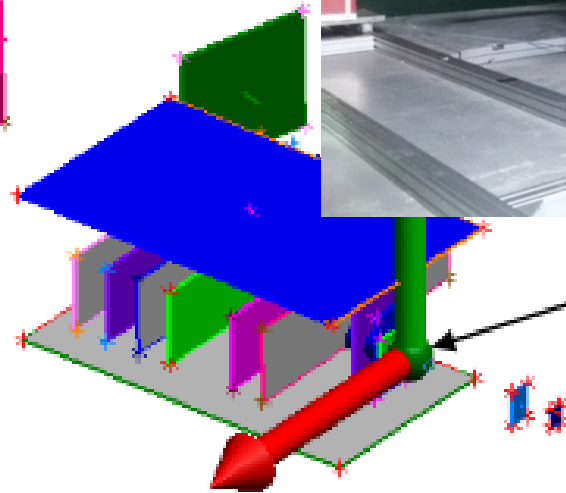
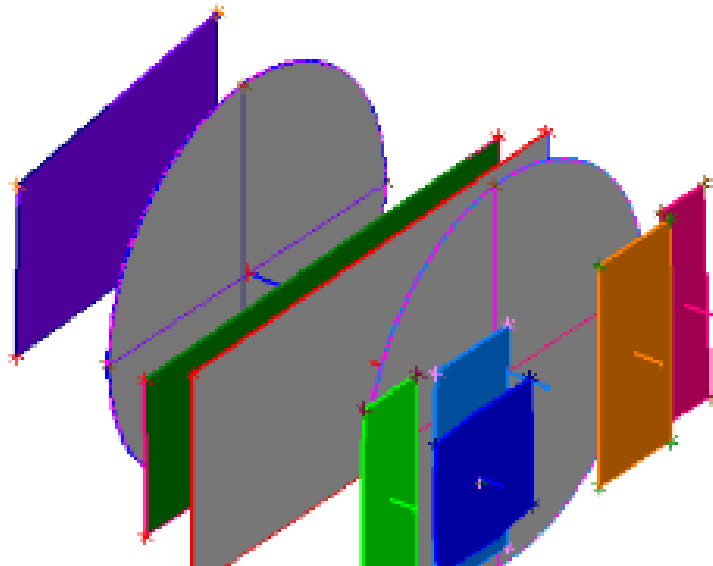


# Particle ID in recent run

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# Run7 configuration

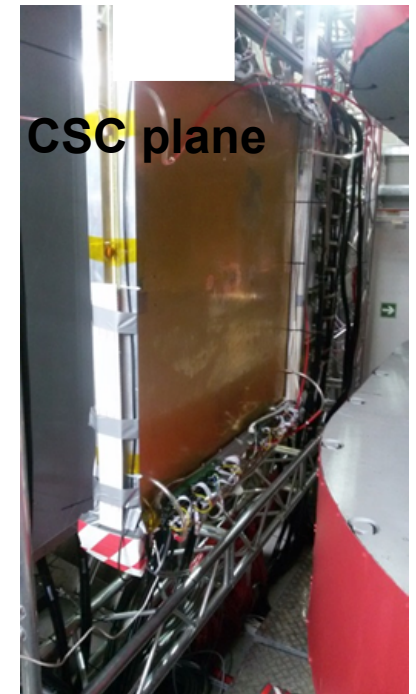


Target



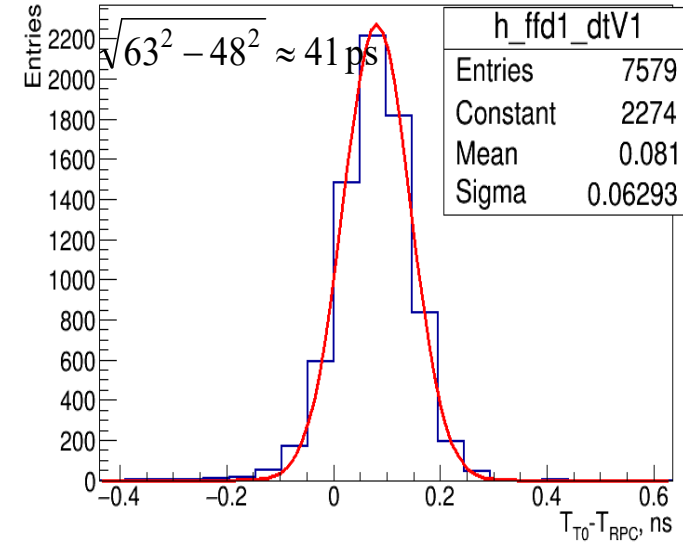
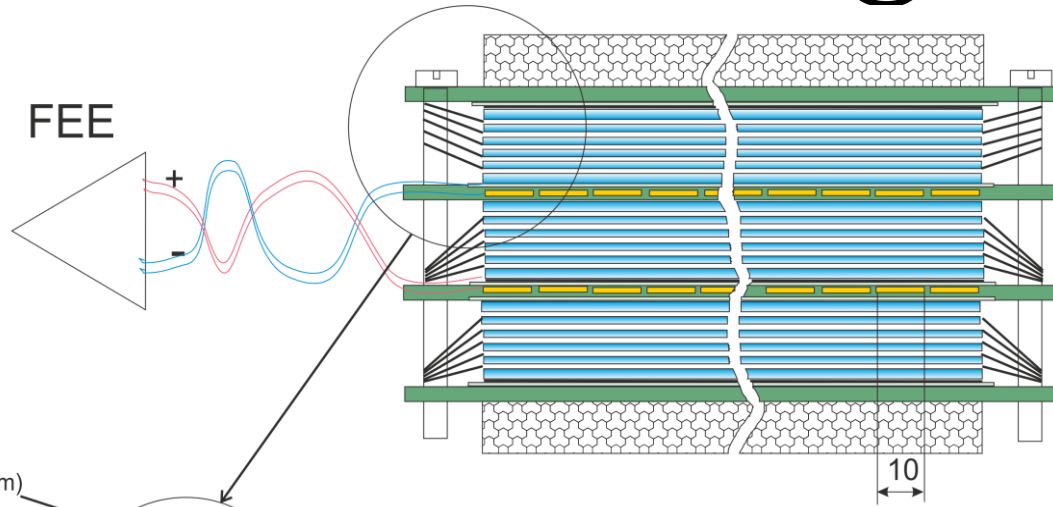
**TOF400 plane**

- Tracker in magnetic field — 6 GEM detectors 163 x 45 cm<sup>2</sup> momentum reconstruction
- Tracker outside magnetic field – Catode Strip Chamber (CSC) 100 x 100 cm<sup>2</sup> for good matching extrapolated track and fake track cutting.
- TOF400 – for particle identification.

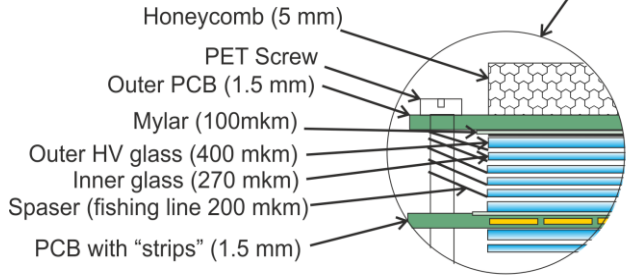


**CSC plane**

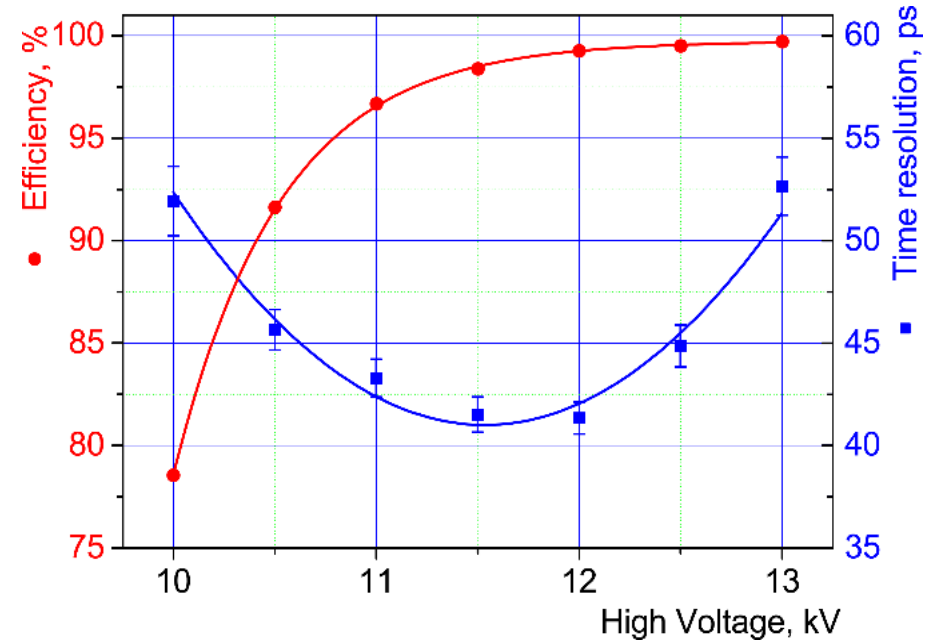
# MRPC for the BM@N TOF400



Triple-stack MRPC cut view

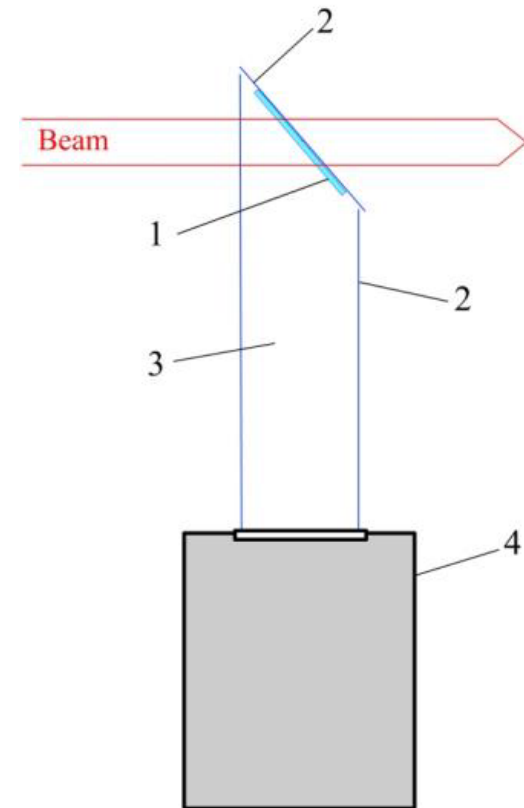
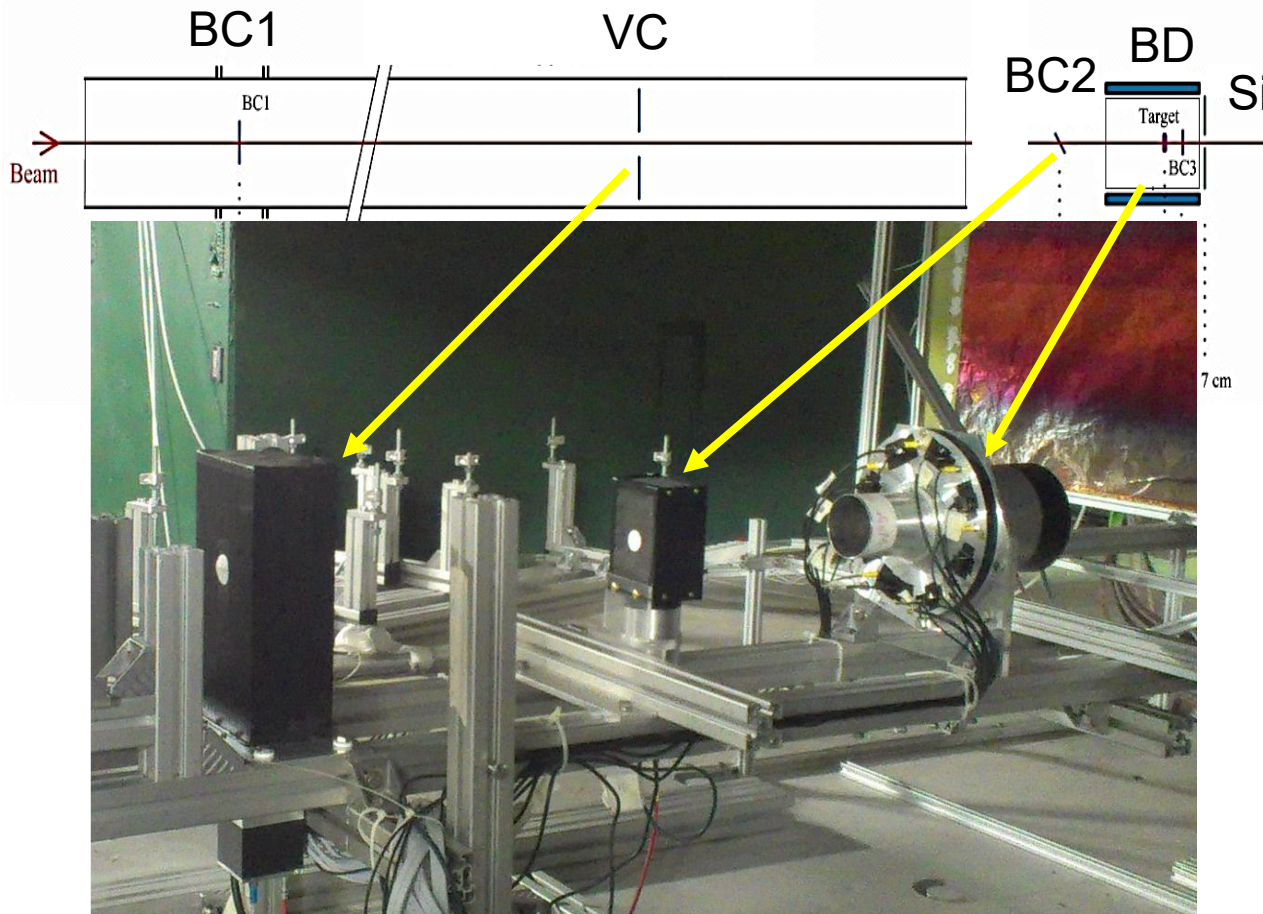


Number of the MRPC	20 pce
Active area	3.6 m <sup>2</sup>
Number of readout channels	1920



Efficiency and time resolution of the MRPC versus HV

# T0 for the BM@N



Trigger types:

Beam trigger: BC1+antiVC+BC2

Interaction Triggers:

- $BT+BD>3$
- $BT+Si>3$
- $BT+BD>3+Si>3$

Scintillator: BC-400B with size of  $14\times 10\times 0.8$  mm

PMT: MCP-PMT PP0365G

Rise time: 200 ps

Time resolution: 30 ps (C beam)



# Identification chain

- GEM tracks from tracking group (STS are not included)
- GEM tracks are extrapolated to the CSC plane and matched against the CSC hits.
- Successful matched tracks are refitted with CSC hits
- GEM+CSC tracks are extrapolated to the TOF400 planes and matched against the TOF400 hits.
- GEM+CSC tracks are extrapolated to the  $z=0$  (target) point for length calculation.
- Use track information (Length and  $P/q$ ) and TOF information to calculate a mass of the particle.

# Data set

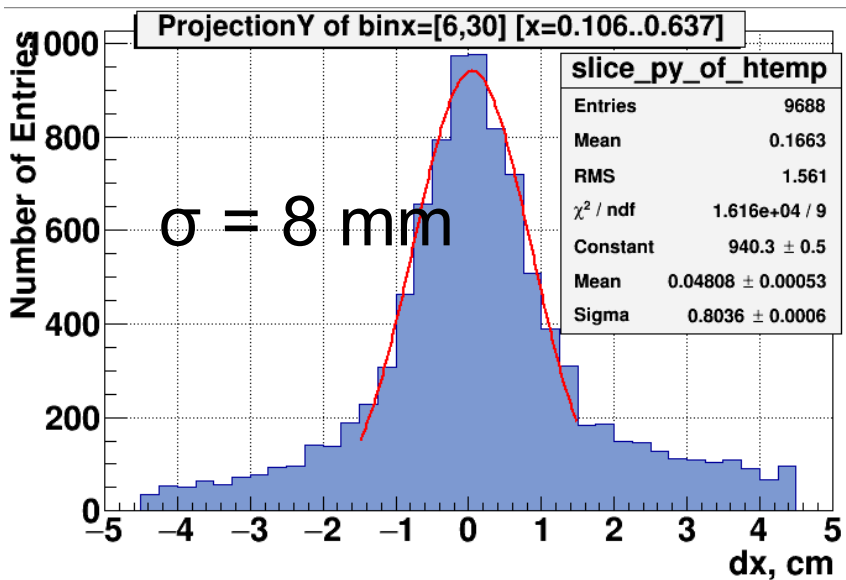
Ar beam  $T=3,2$  GeV/nucl. Spill  $\sim 2$ s during  $\sim 11$  s.  
Magnetic field  $B_y=0,6$  T

Target	Runs
C (2 mm)	4611-4628
Pb(2,5 mm)	4630-4647
Al (3,3 mm)	4649-4665
Cu(1,67 mm)	4669-4685
Sn (2,57 mm)	4687-4704

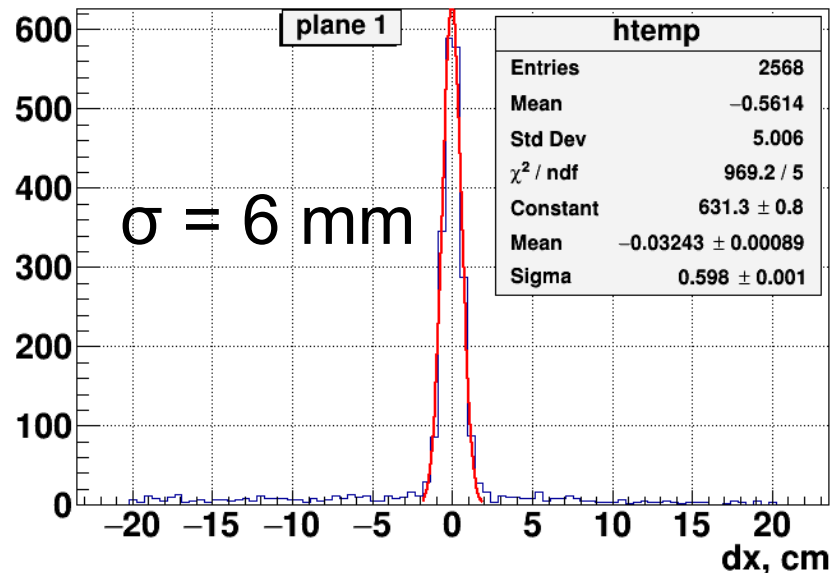
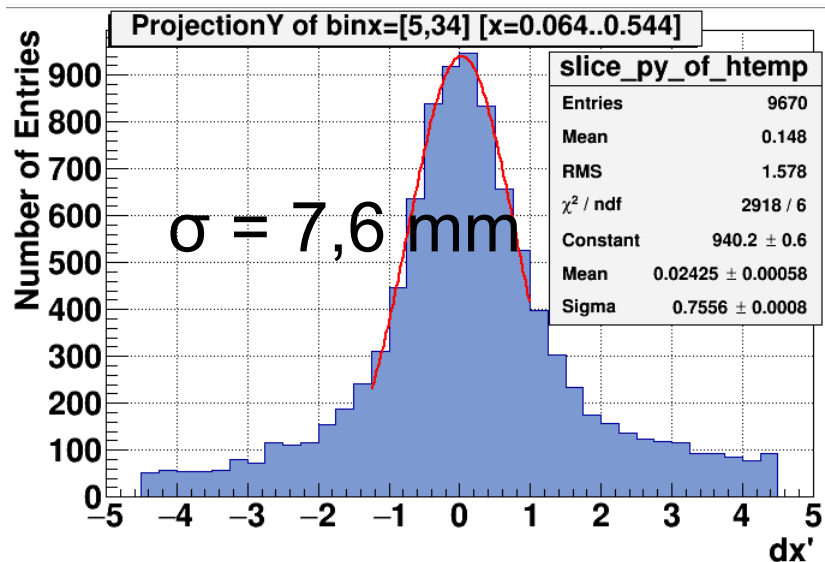
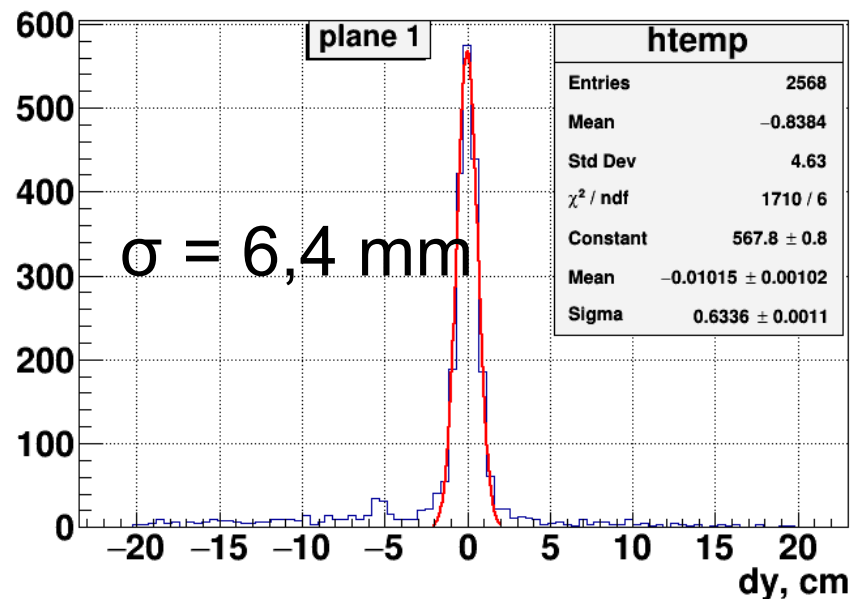
Data taking for 14 hours. Total number of triggers = 15 365 890.

# Track matching

Residuals for GEM track extrapolated to CSC chamber

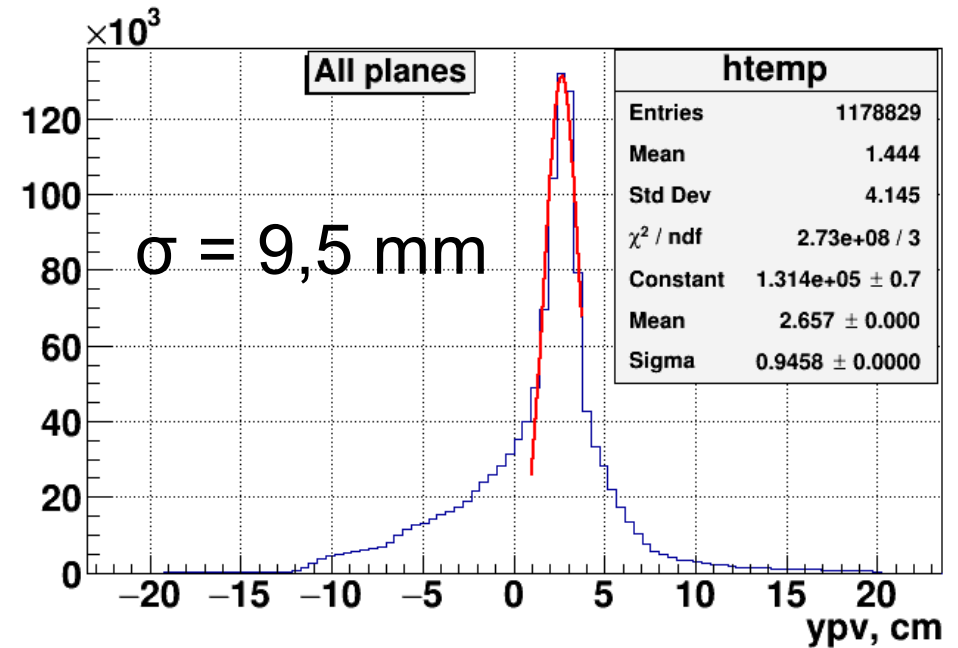
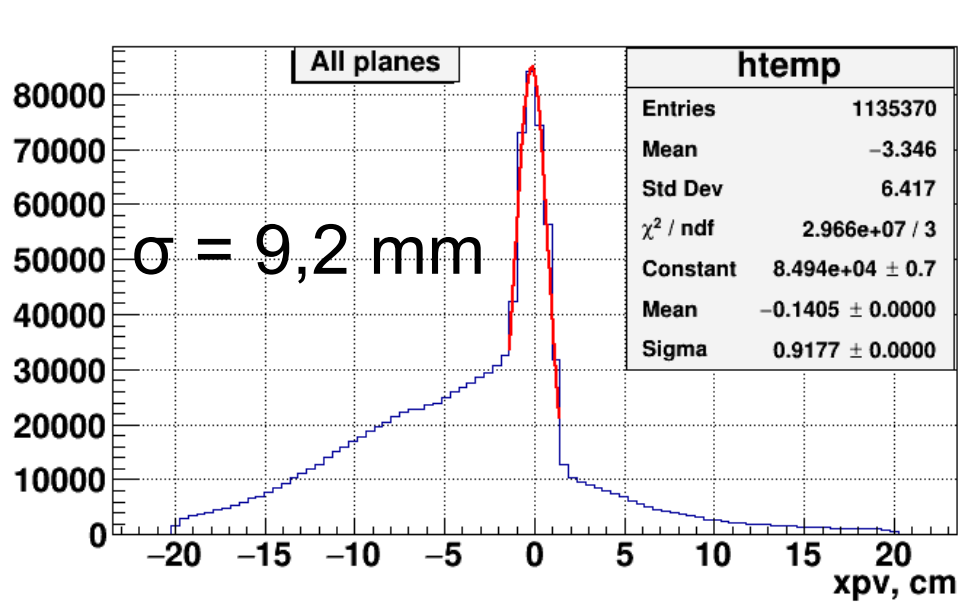


Residuals for refitted GEM+CSC track extrapolated to TOF400



# Cat for primary vertex (Target)

All targets are made in the form of a cylinder with a diameter of 3 cm

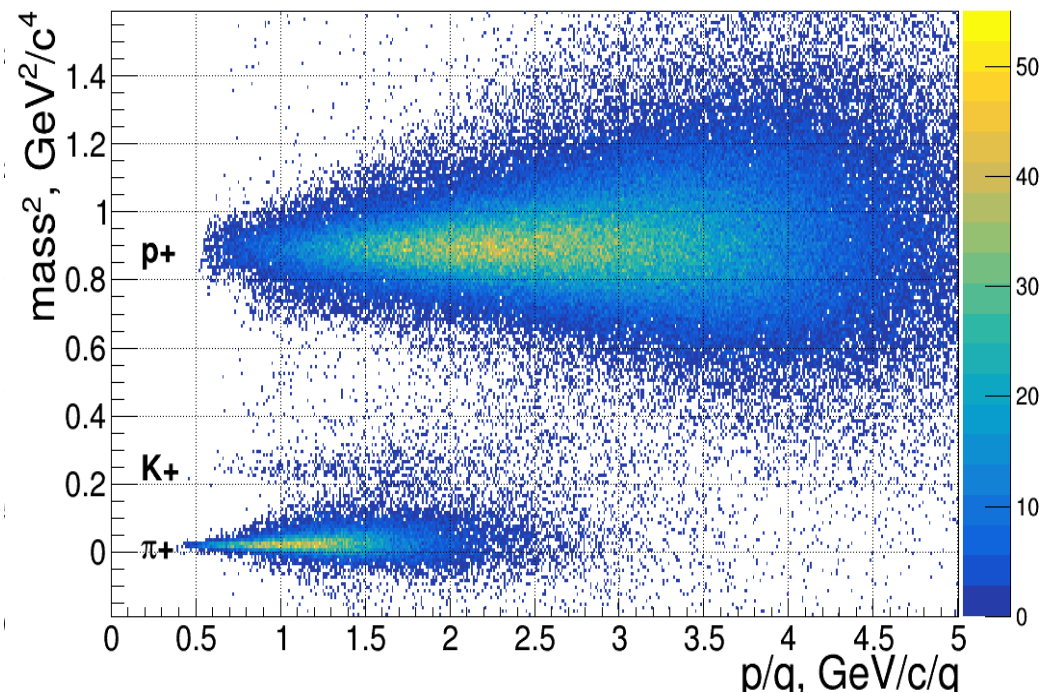
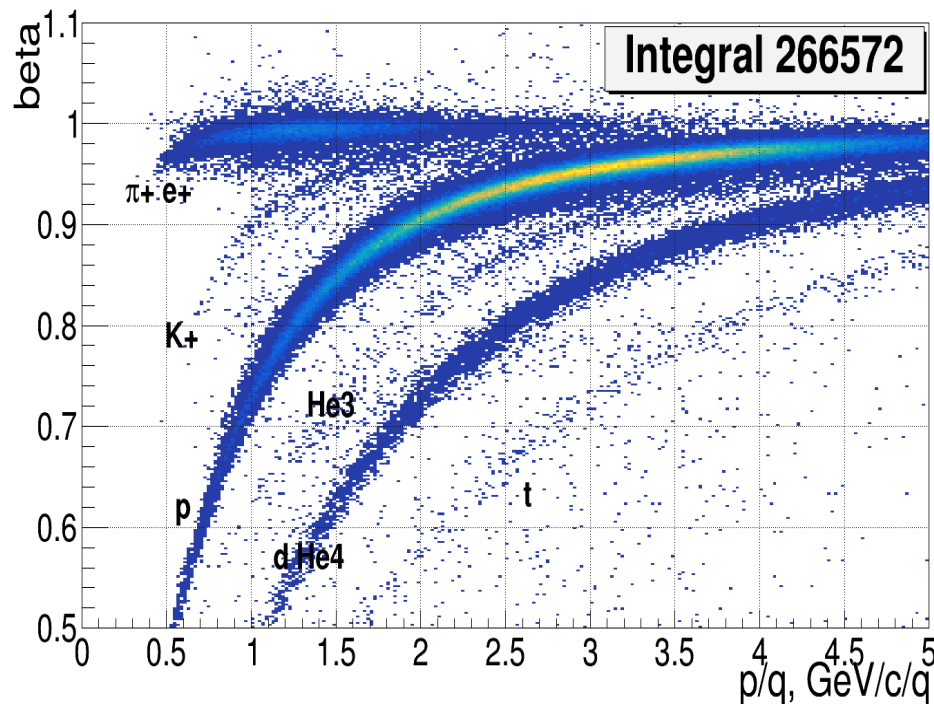


Cat for primary vertex is  $|X| > 2 \text{ cm}$  and  $|Y-2,6| > 2 \text{ cm}$

**Only primary particles going from the target are reconstructed!**



# Preliminary result of identification

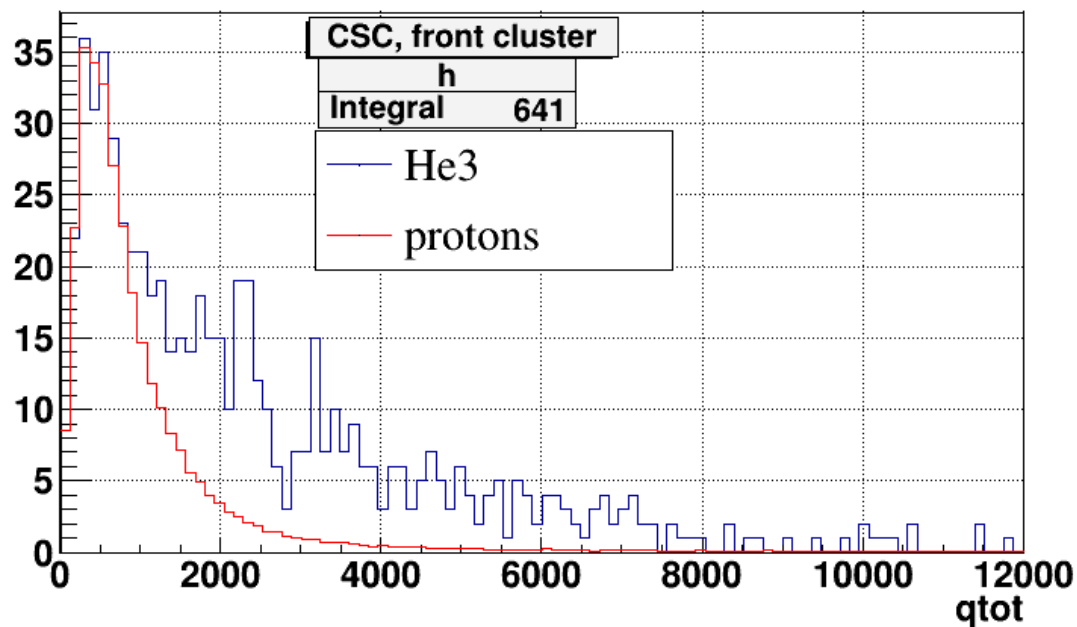


Proton  $Mass^2 = 0,894 + 0,081 GeV^2/c^4$  (need to be  $0,880 GeV^2/c^4$ )

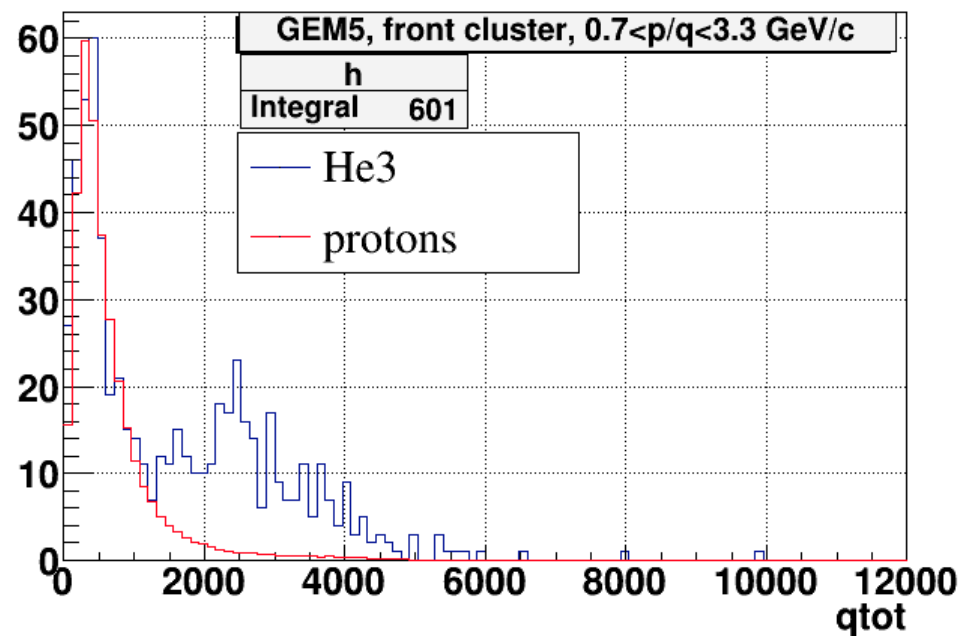
pion  $Mass^2 = 0,021 + 0,016 GeV^2/c^4$  (need to be  $0,019 GeV^2/c^4$ )

Number of  $K^+ \sim 900$

# Possibility of separation of He4 and d



Amplitude of clusters in CSC detector for He3 (blue line) and proton (red line)



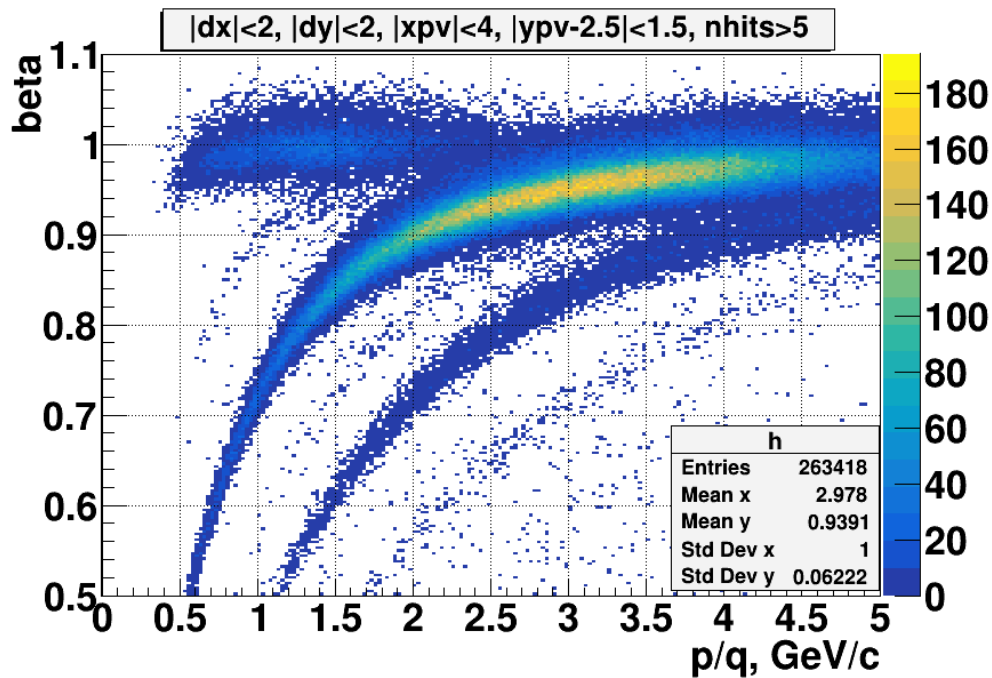
Amplitude of clusters in GEM detector for He3 (blue line) and proton (red line)

Thank you for your attention

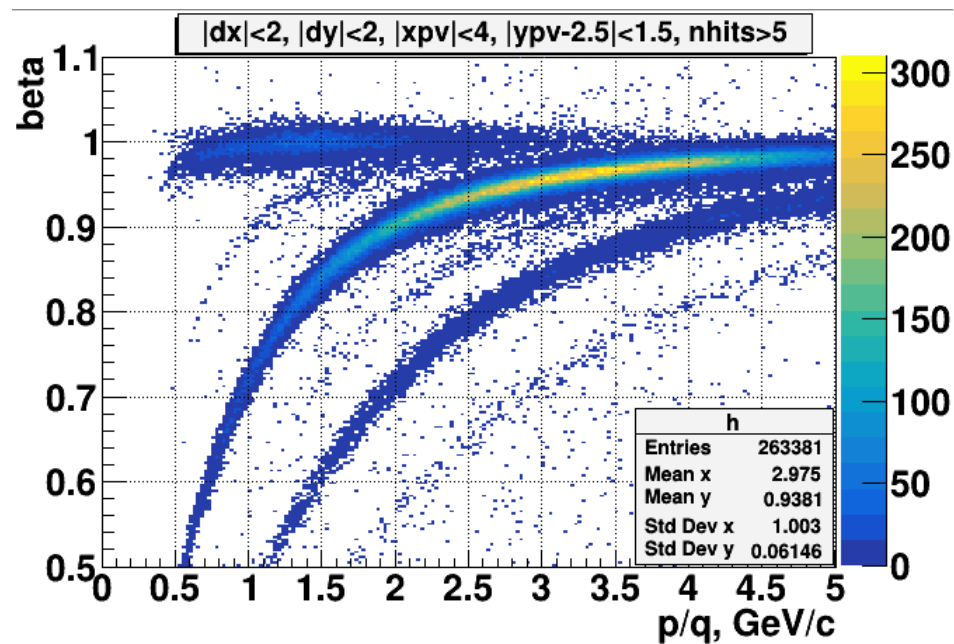


# Backup

# Influence of INL of TDC and Slewing correction of TOF400



Without INL and Slewing correction.  
Time resolution ~350 ps

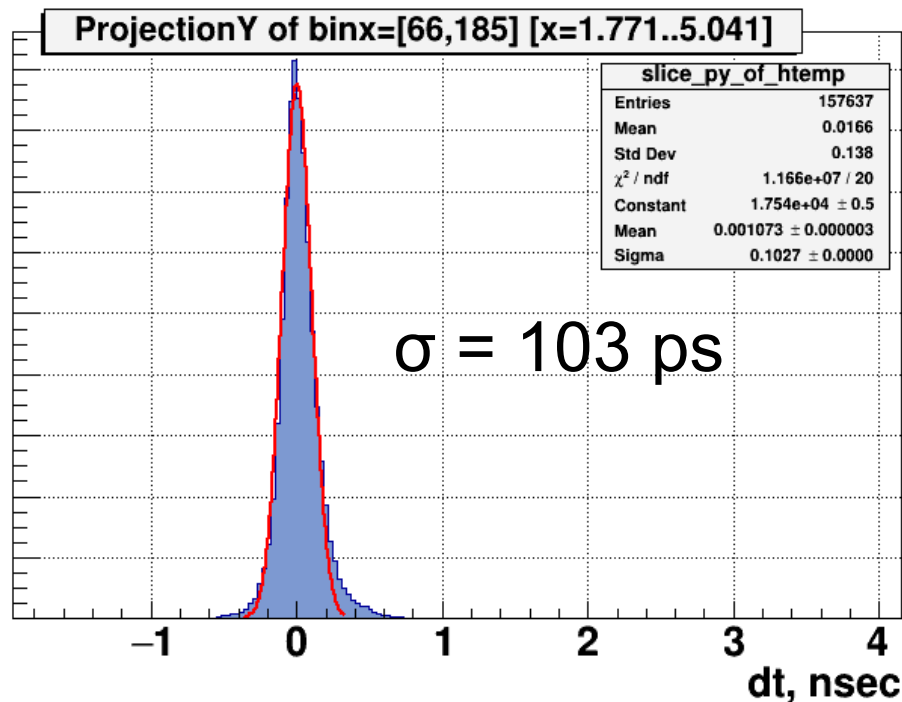
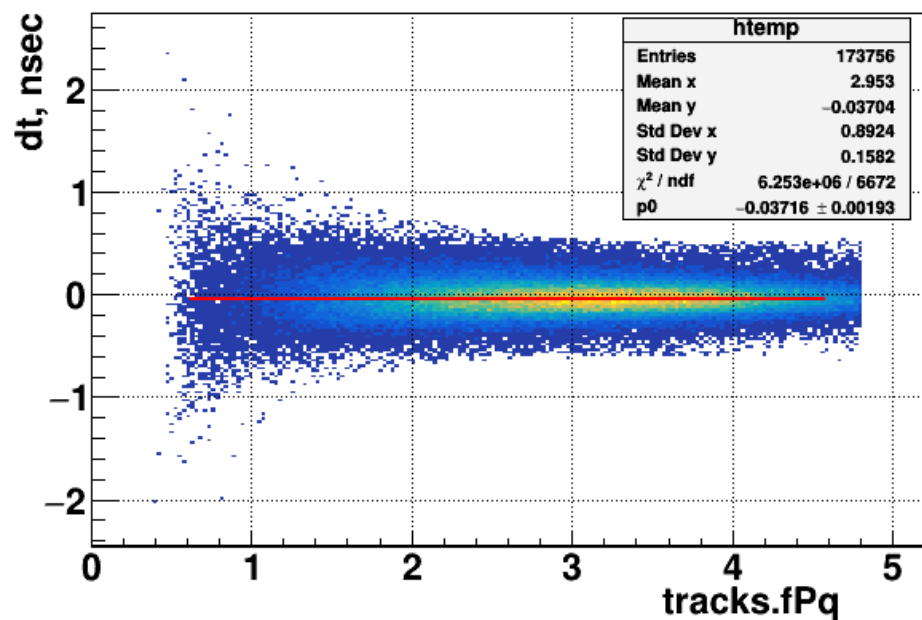


With INL and Slewing correction.  
Time resolution ~100 ps.

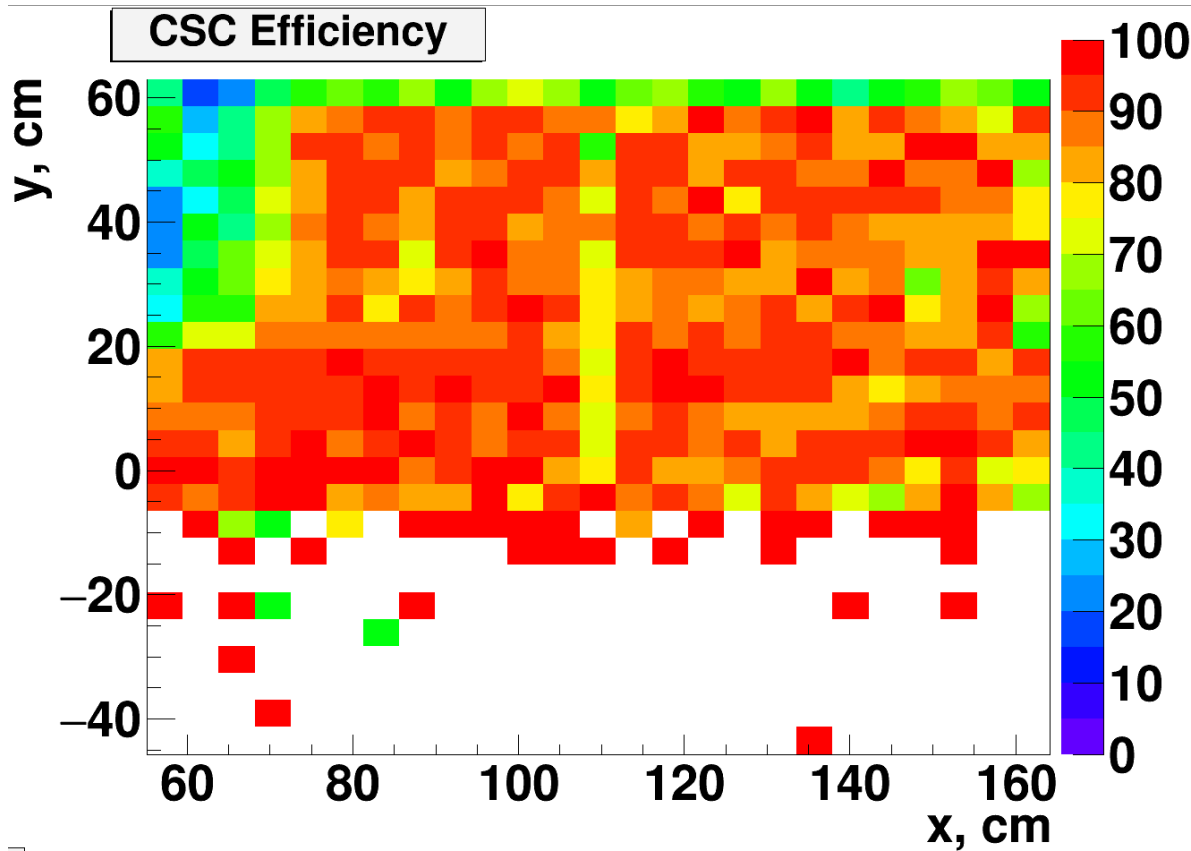


# Time resolution of ToF system (TOF400 + T0)

- Separate the Proton
- Calculate Ideal Time of Flight for proton
- Histogram the difference of Ideal and measured time of flight
- Cat the momentum of proton  $p > 1.7 \text{ GeV}/c$



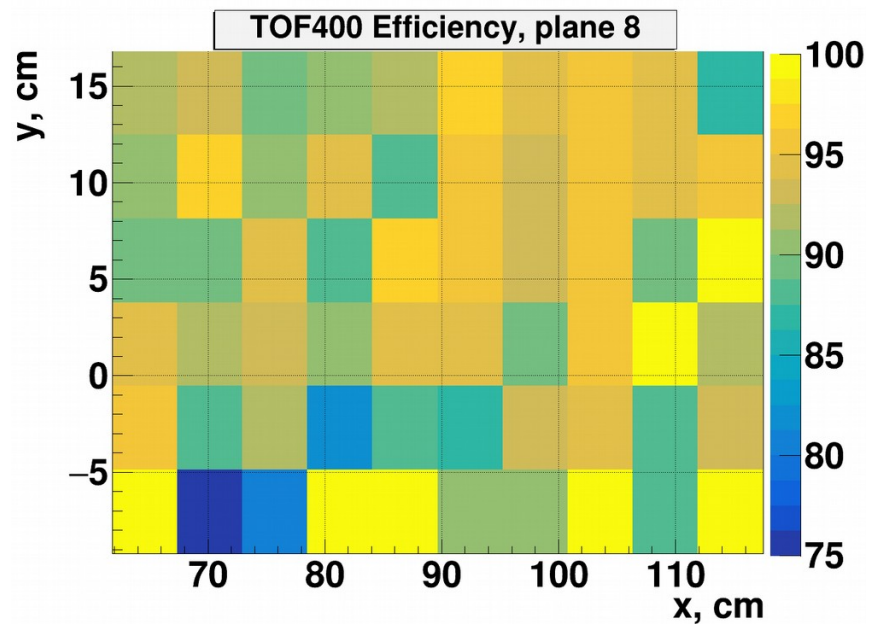
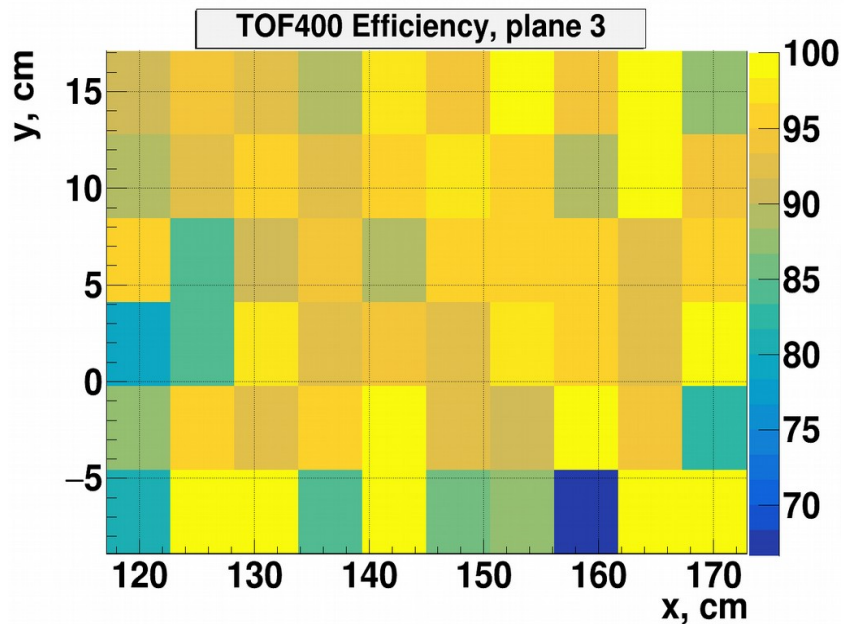
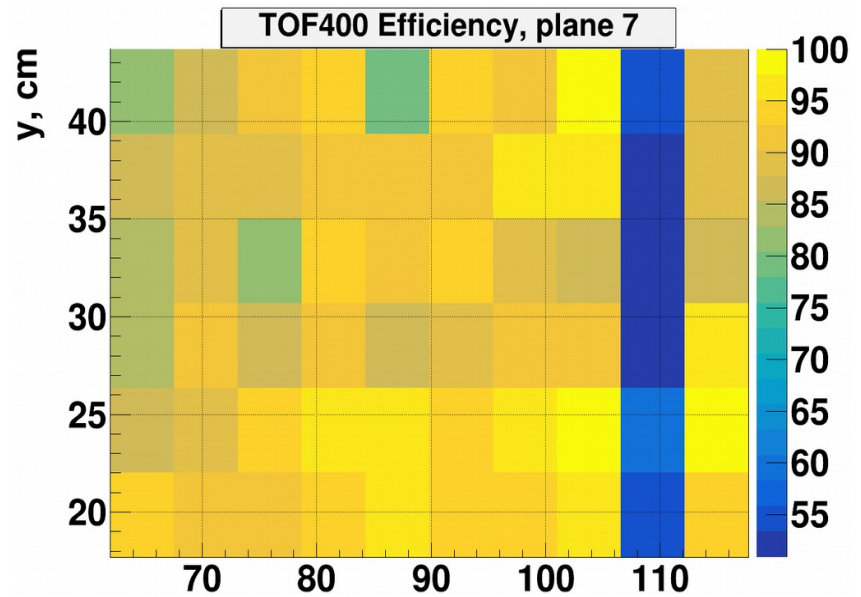
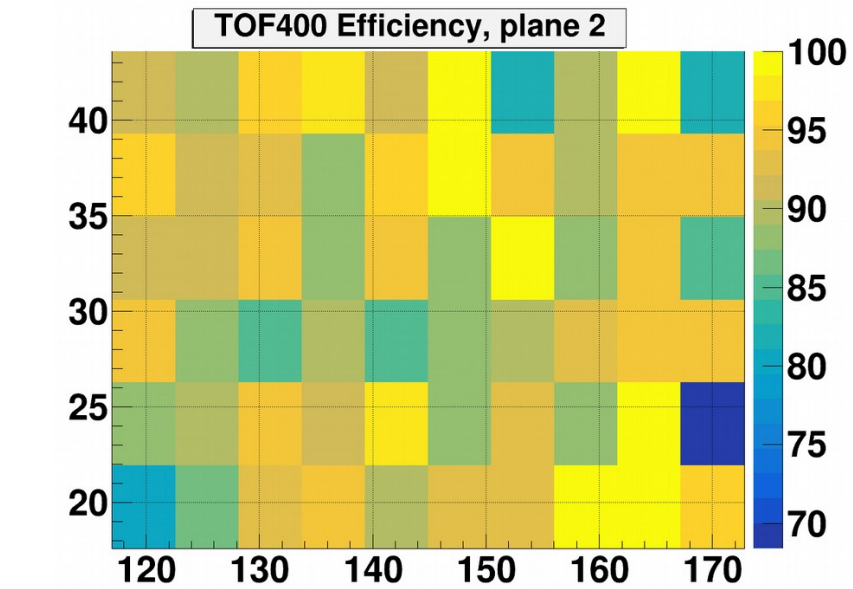
# CSC efficiency, 4.4x4.4 cm<sup>2</sup>



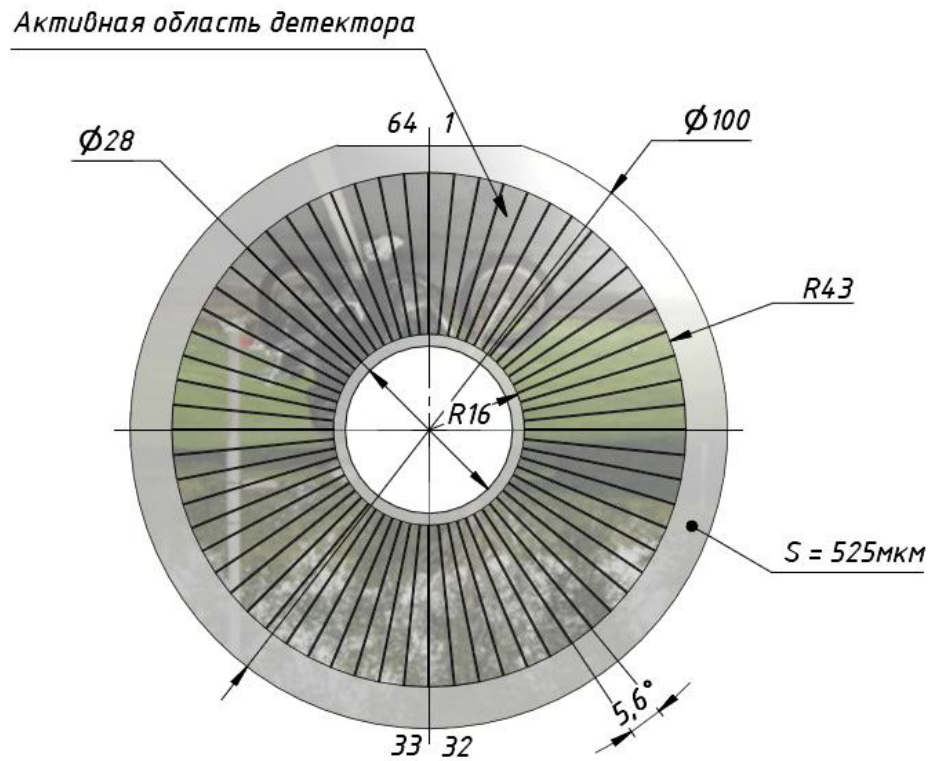
- $e = N_{\text{CSCHit}} / N_{\text{CSCAll}}$
- 
- Extrapolation from GEM
- 
- Residual to CSC hit less than 2 cm

- Efficiency more than 80% (on the average)

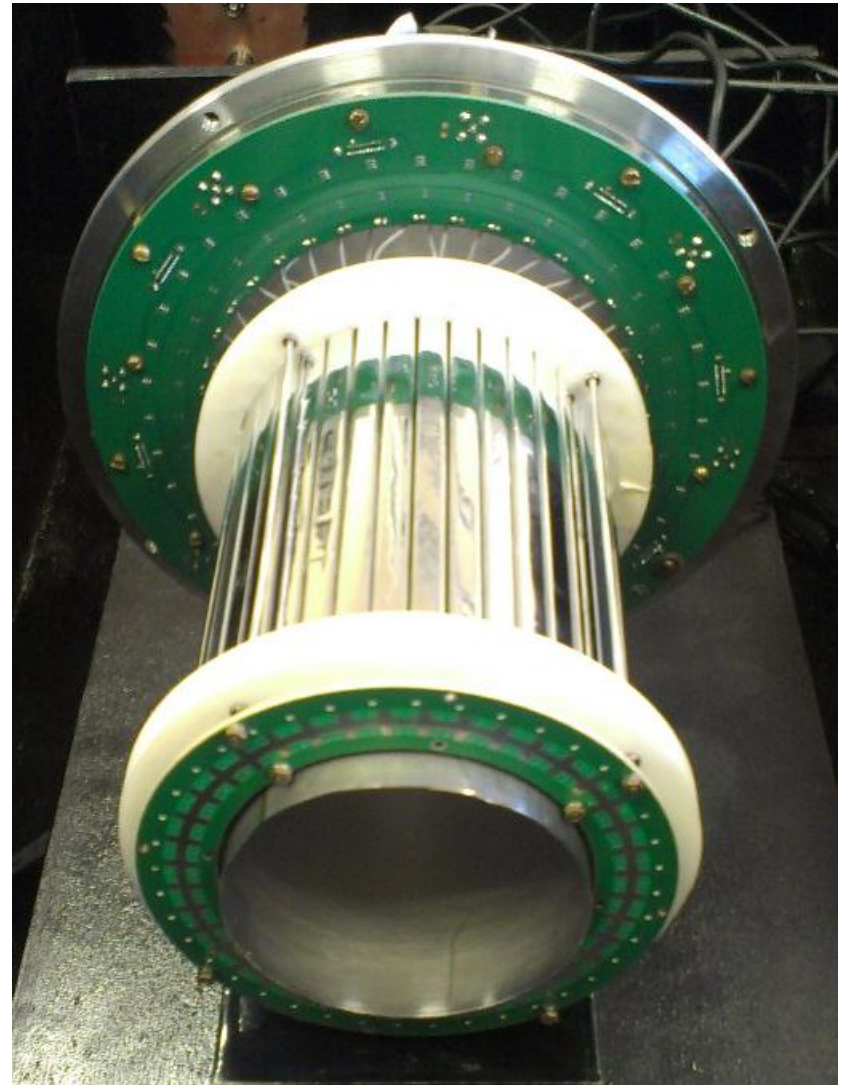
# TOF-400 planes efficiency



Efficiency about 90%



A view of the front side of Si detector.



A view of the new BD prepared for run 2018