

Introduction to Calorimetry & The ZEUS Calorimeter

Want a device such that:



What actually happens in such a device is a **VERY** complicated business!
(Even for EM showers)

To learn the **REAL** story \Rightarrow
look up review article, book (≈ 1990)

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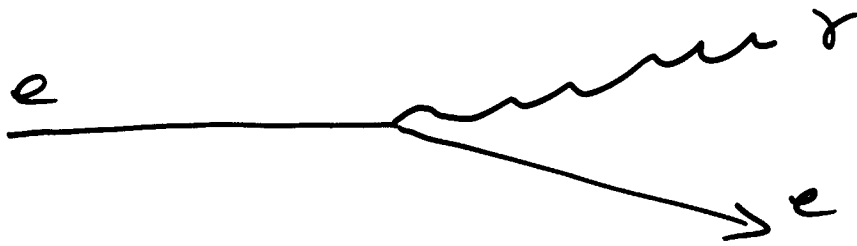
A ~~10~~ min intro. to Calorimetry



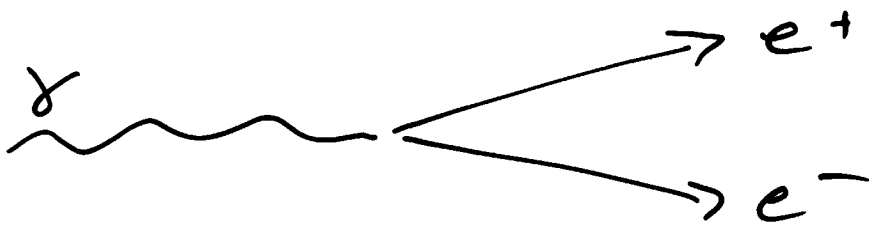
Electro-magnetic Calorimetry

⇒ measure energy of electron, γ

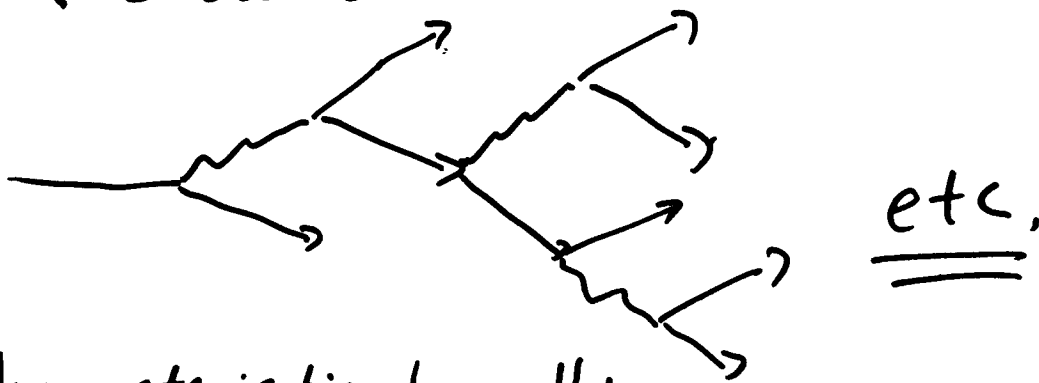
"High energy" ($\approx 20 \text{ MeV}$) electrons
"lose" energy mostly via bremsstrahlung.



γ via pair production



EM shower:

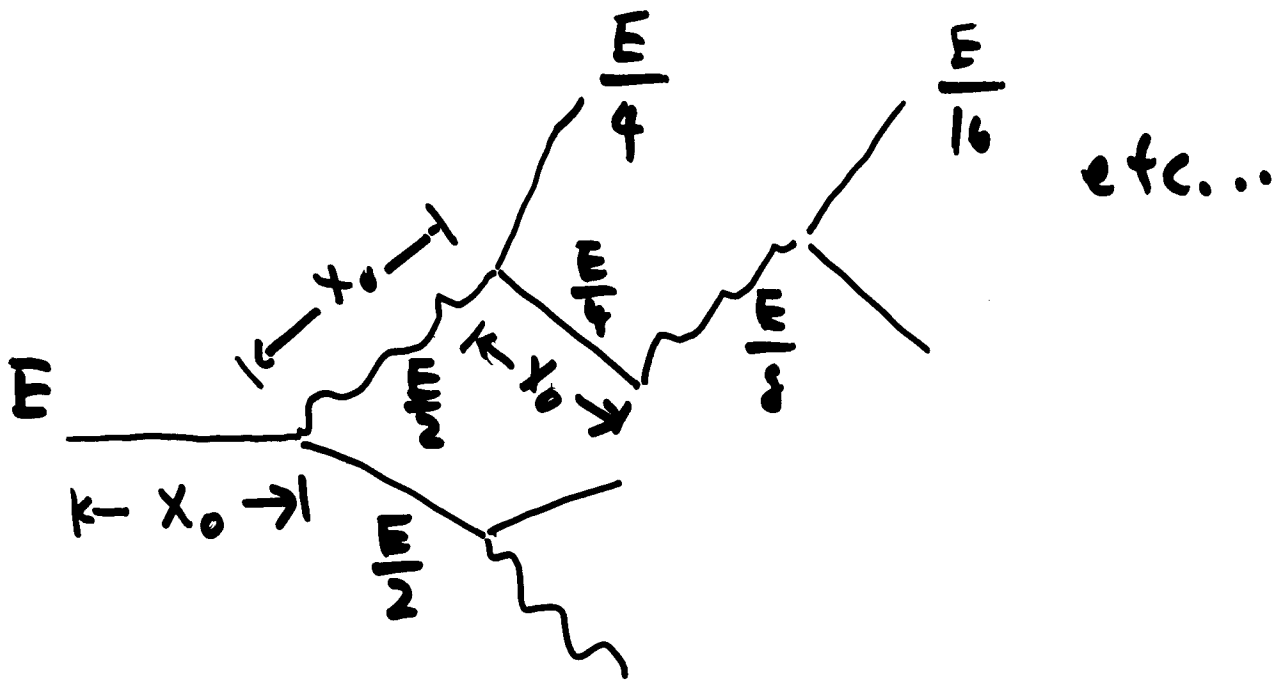


Characteristic length:

"Radiation Length" λ_0 electron loses $\frac{1}{e}$ of E via Brems.

To gain some insight:

A simple model (Rossi 1952)



After t steps there are:

2^t particles of energy $\frac{E}{2^t}$

The shower stops at t_{max}

$$\frac{E}{2^{t_{max}}} = E_c$$

Where E_c = "critical energy"

Too low for Brems. & pair prod.

$$t_{\max} = \frac{1}{\ln 2} \ln \left(\frac{E}{E_c} \right)$$

The long. size of shower

$$\sim \ln E.$$

What about the energy measurement:

Say we measure the ionization

\Rightarrow same as counting charged particles.

$$N_{\text{all}} = \sum_0^{t_{\max}} 2^t = 2 \cdot 2^{t_{\max}} - 1 \approx \frac{2E}{E_c}$$

$$N_{e^+e^-} = \frac{4}{3} \frac{E}{E_c}$$

The measured energy $\propto E$

Particle multiplication statistical \Rightarrow

Then the RESOLUTION of the meas.

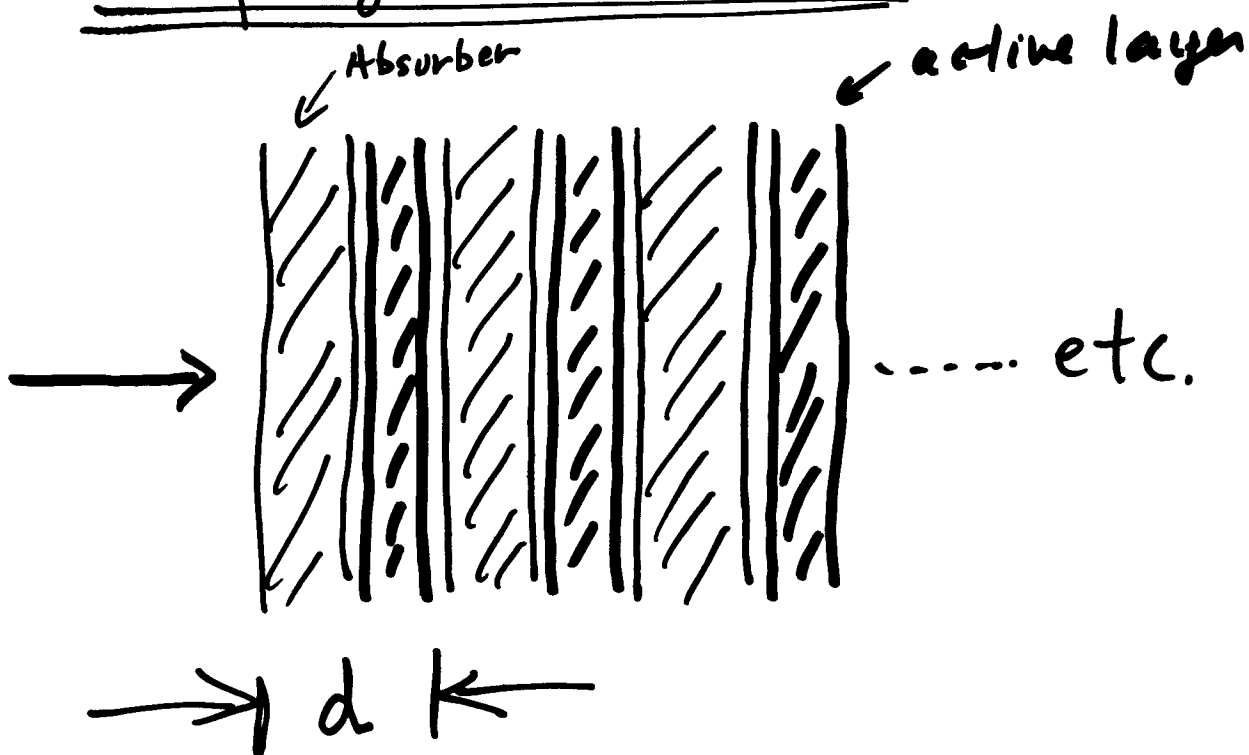
$$\frac{\sigma(E)}{E} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_{e^-}}} = \frac{\sqrt{E_c 3}}{2} / \sqrt{E}$$

The resolution $\propto 1/\sqrt{E}$

if $E_c = 0.7 \text{ MeV}$

$$\frac{\sigma(E)}{E} = 2.3\% / \sqrt{E [\text{keV}]}$$

Sampling Calorimeter



In the Rossi model:

The number of particles you see: N_{sample}

$$N_{\text{sample}} \propto \frac{N_{\text{e}^+ \text{e}^-}}{d [X_0]}$$

so the sampling fluctuation \Rightarrow

$$\frac{\sigma_{\text{sample}}}{E} \propto \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_{\text{sample}}}} \propto \frac{\sqrt{d}}{\sqrt{E}}$$

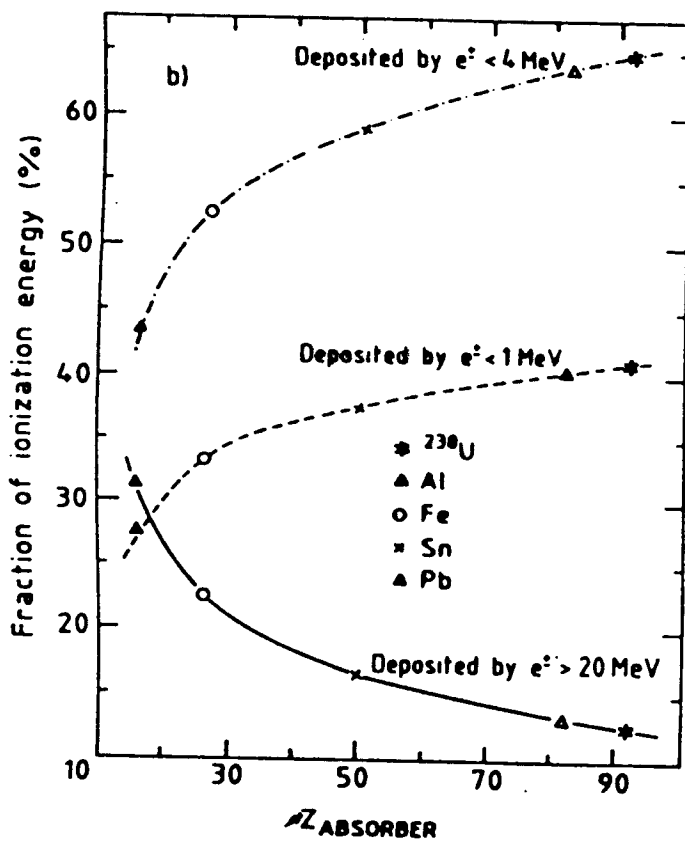
i.e. more you sample better (as \sqrt{J})
your resolution.

Final note \Rightarrow

The Rossi Model is
COMPLETELY WRONG!
 (As a microscopic model)

10 GeV electron

Fraction
 of $E_{dep.}$
 by...



60%
 $\leftarrow e^\pm (< 4 \text{ MeV})$

40%
 $\leftarrow e^\pm (< 1 \text{ MeV})$

$\leftarrow e^\pm (> 20 \text{ MeV})$

Z absorber

So most energy is deposited by low energy e^\pm 's.

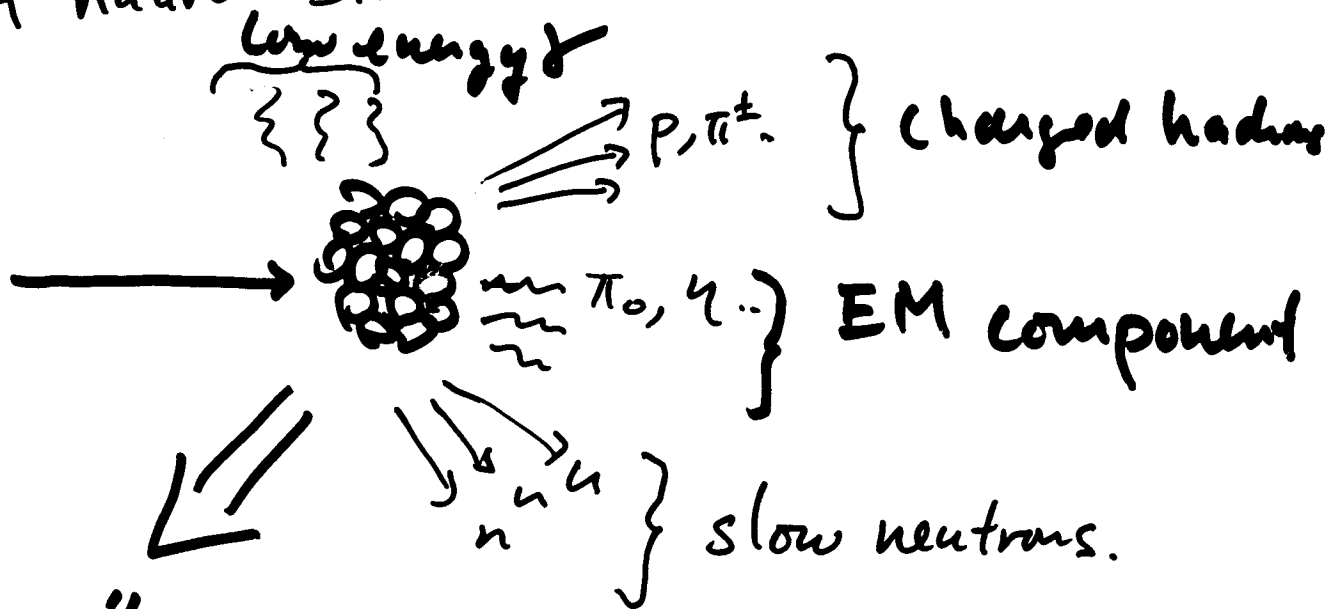
HOMEWORK: WHY DOES THE ROSSI MODEL WORK?

Hadronic Calorimetry

(and compensation)

A much more complicated story...
than EM.

A hadron strikes a nucleus ...

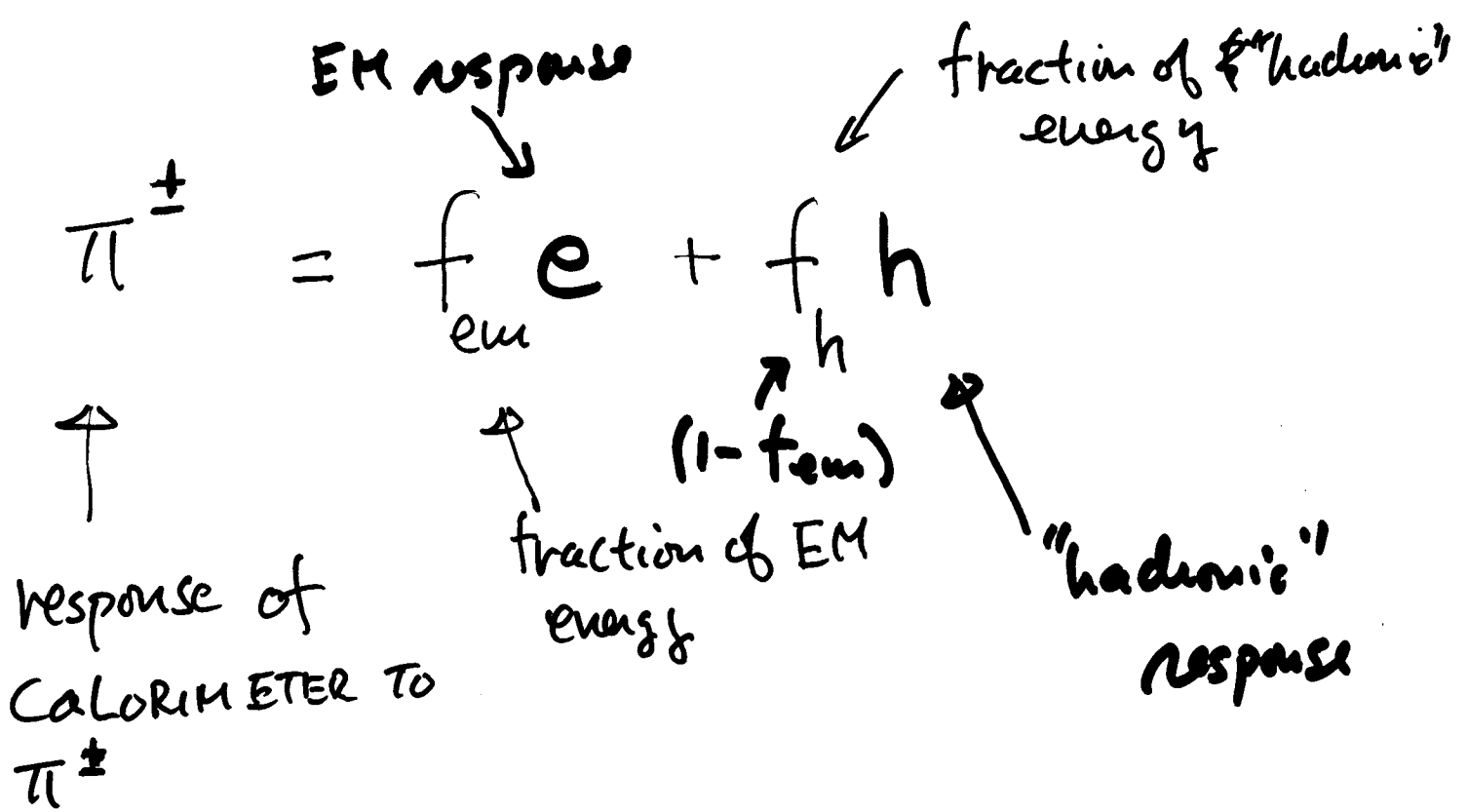


"lost" nuclear binding, Δ

\uparrow
 $\sim 20-30\%$ large fluctuation.

\Rightarrow one reason for worse resolution
of hadronic calorimeter..

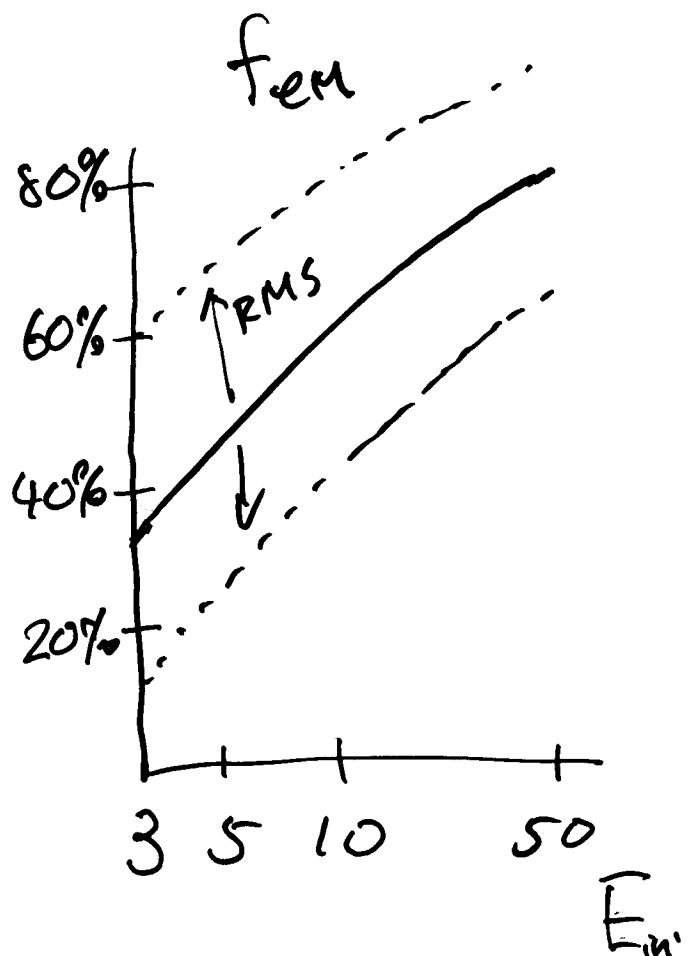
Another \Rightarrow EM component.



"hadronic" means everything in the shower except the "EM comp."

EM fraction f_{em} is:

1. large
2. Fluctuates a lot (non-gaussian)
3. Depends on E_{in} :



So if $\frac{e}{h} \neq 1$ then:

1. Signal for mono-energetic hadron
→ non-gaussian
2. Fluctuation in fcm contributes to
the energy resolution
3. $\frac{\sigma}{E} \neq \frac{1}{\sqrt{E}}$
4. Hadron response non-linear

In general, ... $\frac{e}{h} > 1$
← binding energy loss
slow neutrons not seen.

But →

In a sampling calorimeter,
we can TUNE $\frac{e}{h}$!

We need e \downarrow (but not too much!)

We need h \uparrow

This is possible because

$$\frac{d e}{d x} \neq \frac{d h}{d x}$$

x : A property of the sampling calorimeter.

i.e.:

- material of passive medium

Fe, Pb, U, ... etc.

- Thickness of passive medium

- Material of active medium (Ar, Si...

- Thickness of active medium

⋮

For example..

Active media LAr vs. Sci.

⇒ Slow neutrons lose their (kinetic) energy via (elastic) collisions with nuclei.
i.e. Lighter the nuclei, more energy transferred to the active media.

Organic Sci has lots of hydrogen.

Use of Sci. ⇒ $h\uparrow$ (relatively)

Passive media Pb vs. U

⇒ U will produce relatively more neutrons via fission. $h\uparrow$

Only helps it sensitive to n ⇒ Sci

But... if you wait a long time ($\sim 1\mu s$)
neutron capture will produce γ 's
not LAr

$e \downarrow$ with thickness of absorber

How fast depends on Z of the material

Remember - low energy e^{\pm}, γ

photoelectric effect $\propto Z^5$

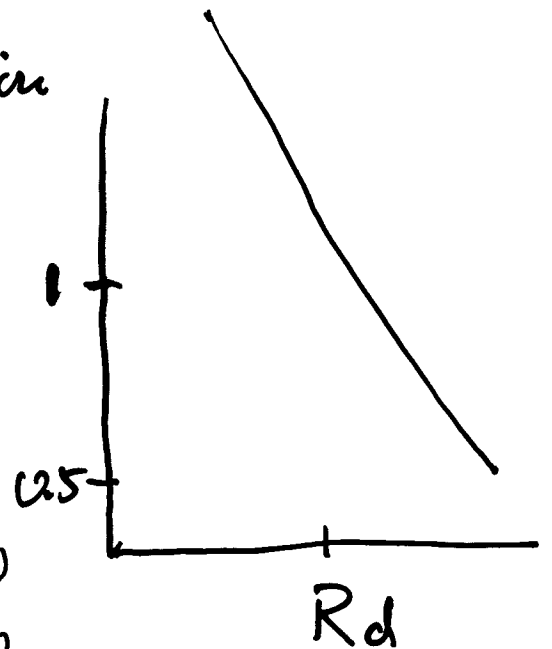
h relatively insensitive to thickness.

For Sci sandwich calorimeters:

To a first approximation

$$\frac{e}{h}(R_d), \quad \frac{e}{h} \quad 1$$

$$R_d = \frac{\text{Thickness of Abs. (mm)}}{\text{Thickness of Sci. (mm)}}$$



$$R_d^0(U) \approx 1$$

$$R_d^0(Pb) \approx 4$$

$$\frac{e}{h}(R_d^0) = 1$$

Practical limit of thickness
of SCIN. PLATE $\approx 2-3$ mm.

$R_d \Rightarrow$ fixes the thickness of absorber.

For $\frac{e}{h} = 1$: U $\approx 2-3$ mm 1%
Pb $\approx 8-12$ mm. 5%

Remember: $\frac{\sigma_{\text{sample}}}{E} \propto \frac{\sqrt{d}}{\sqrt{E}}$

thickness in X_0

sampling fluctuation of Pb-Sci
worse than U-Sci.

Can do better with sci fibers.
(1 mm dia)

CHORUS SPACAL

Pb-Sci calorimeter

$$\frac{e}{\sqrt{E}} \quad \frac{\pi}{\sqrt{E}}$$

13% 28%

The ZEUS U-Calorimeter

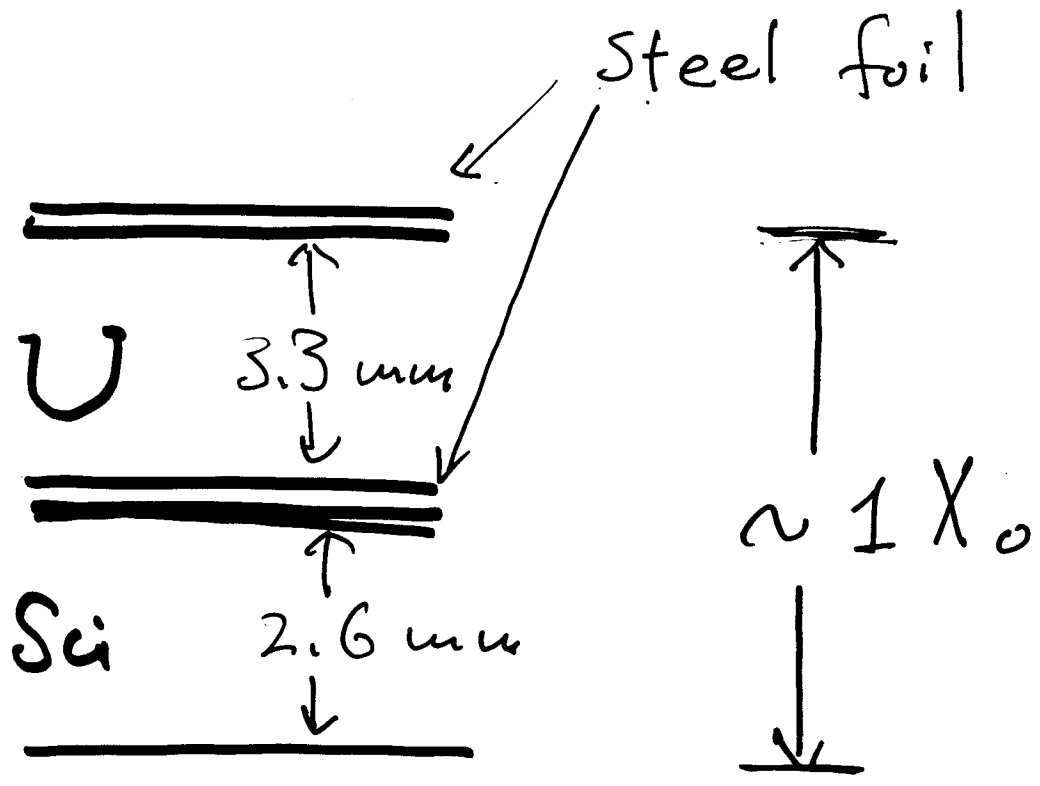
1. Physical description
 - Test beam results
2. Calibration using
U radioactivity
3. Readout & trigger

DESY-92-159
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The Cranium Calorimeter

Uranium-Scintillator sandwich

— full intrinsic compensation.



MC's Prototype Tests

Compensation Mechanism

USE Thickness ratio as tuning parameter

$$\frac{e}{h} = 1$$

BCAL



Towers

PMT's

WLS

HAC 2 3λ

2λ

HAC 1 3λ

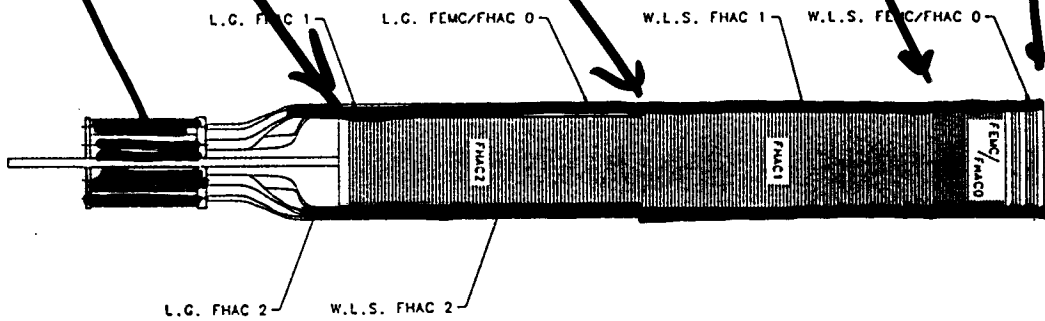
2λ

EMC 1λ (25×6)

20cm

20cm

FCAL



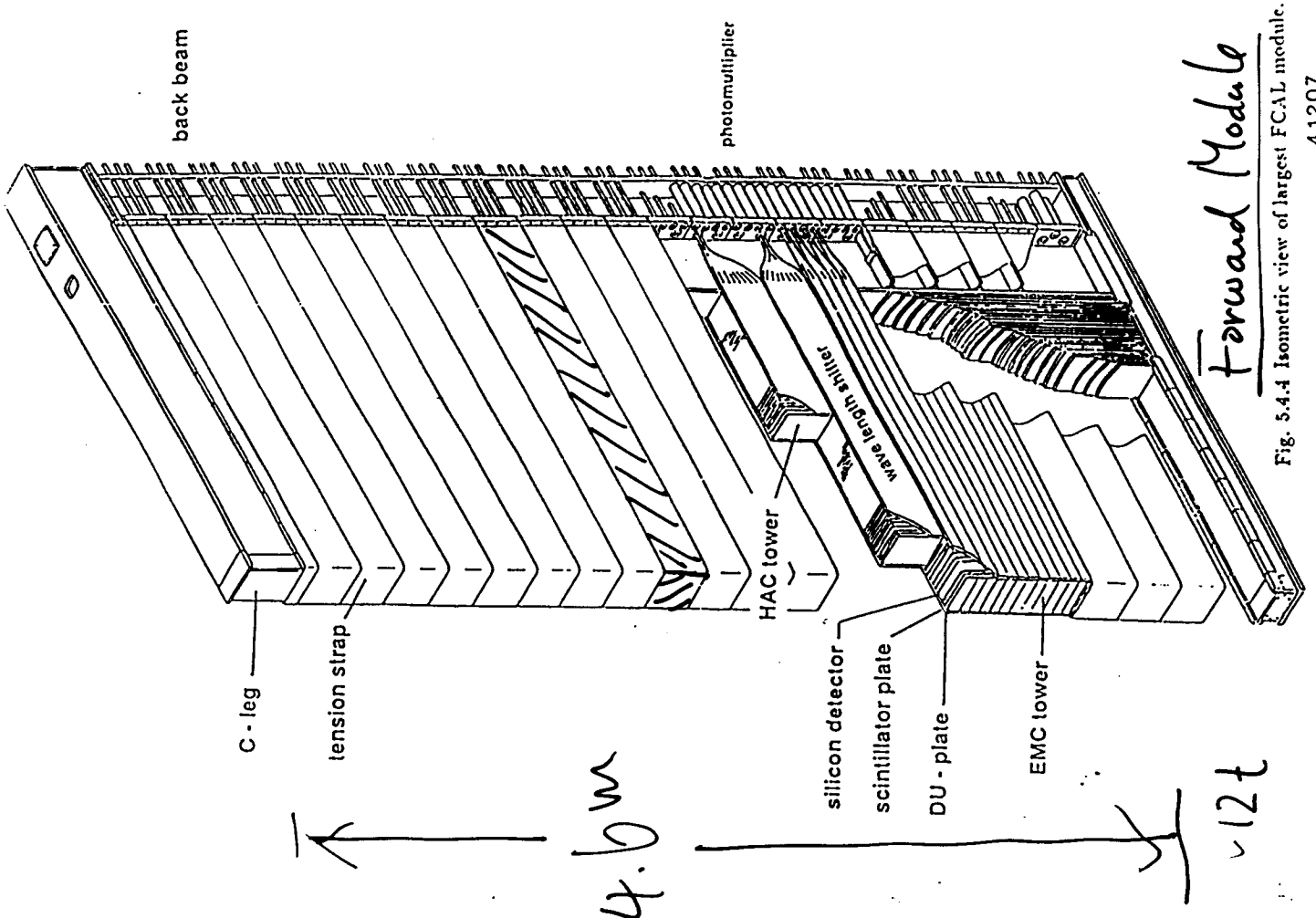


Fig. 5.4.4 Isometric view of largest FCAL module.
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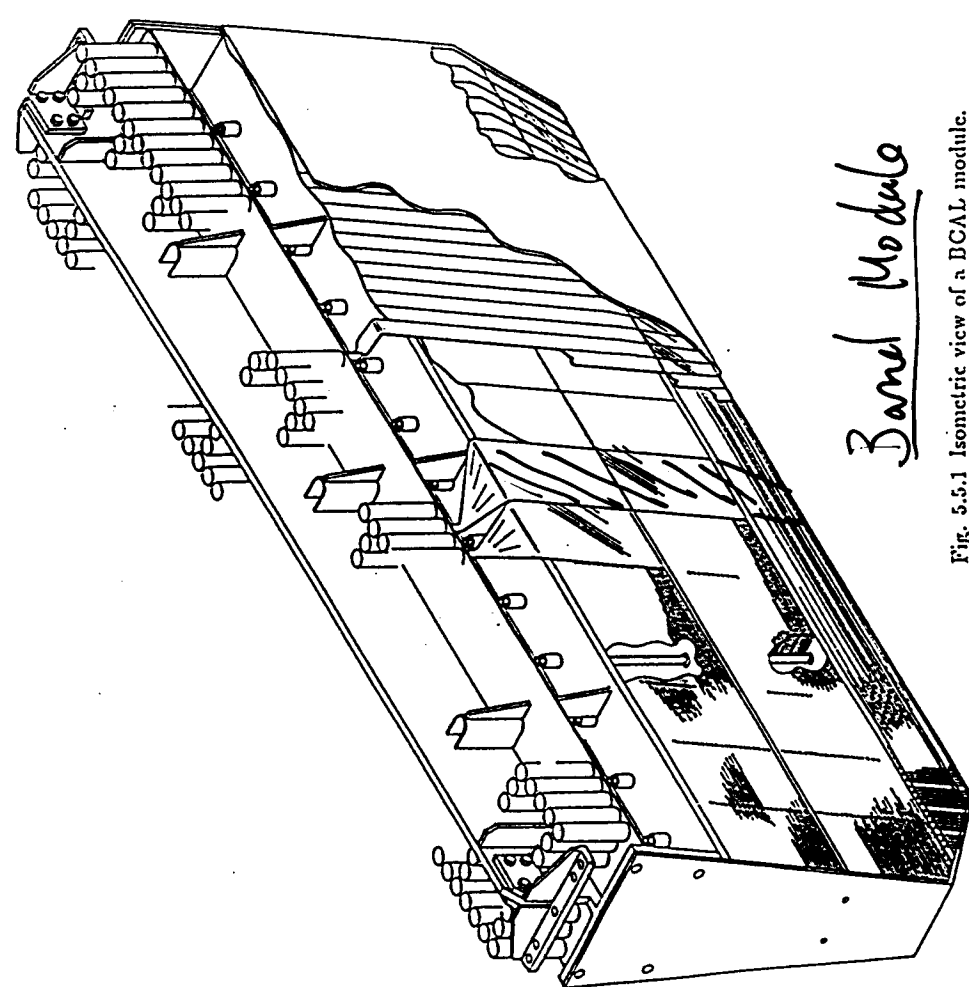
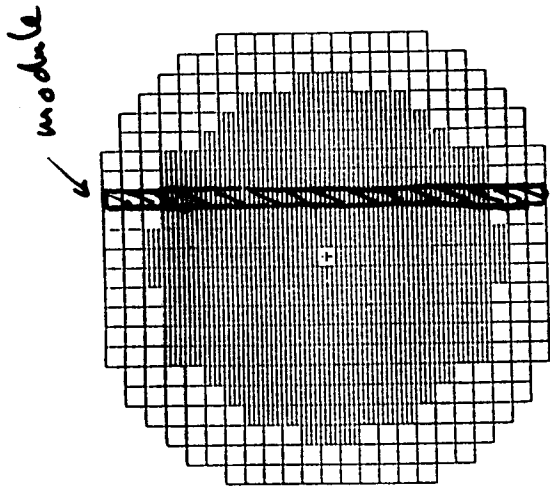
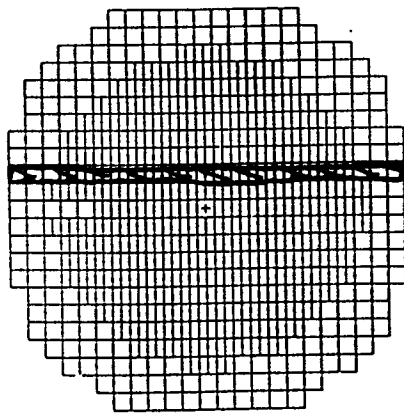


Fig. 5.5.1 Isometric view of a DCAL module.



FCAL front view

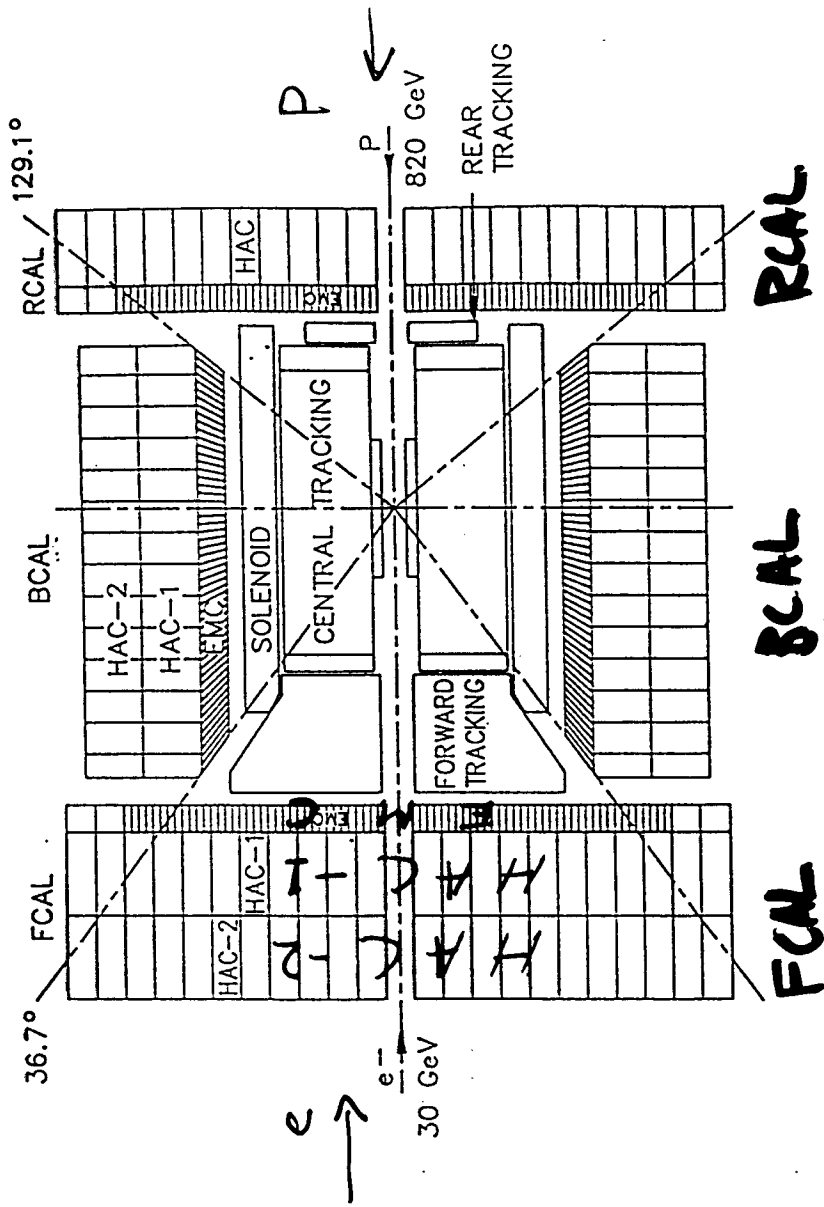


RCAL front view

RCAL

~12k channels
~6k cells

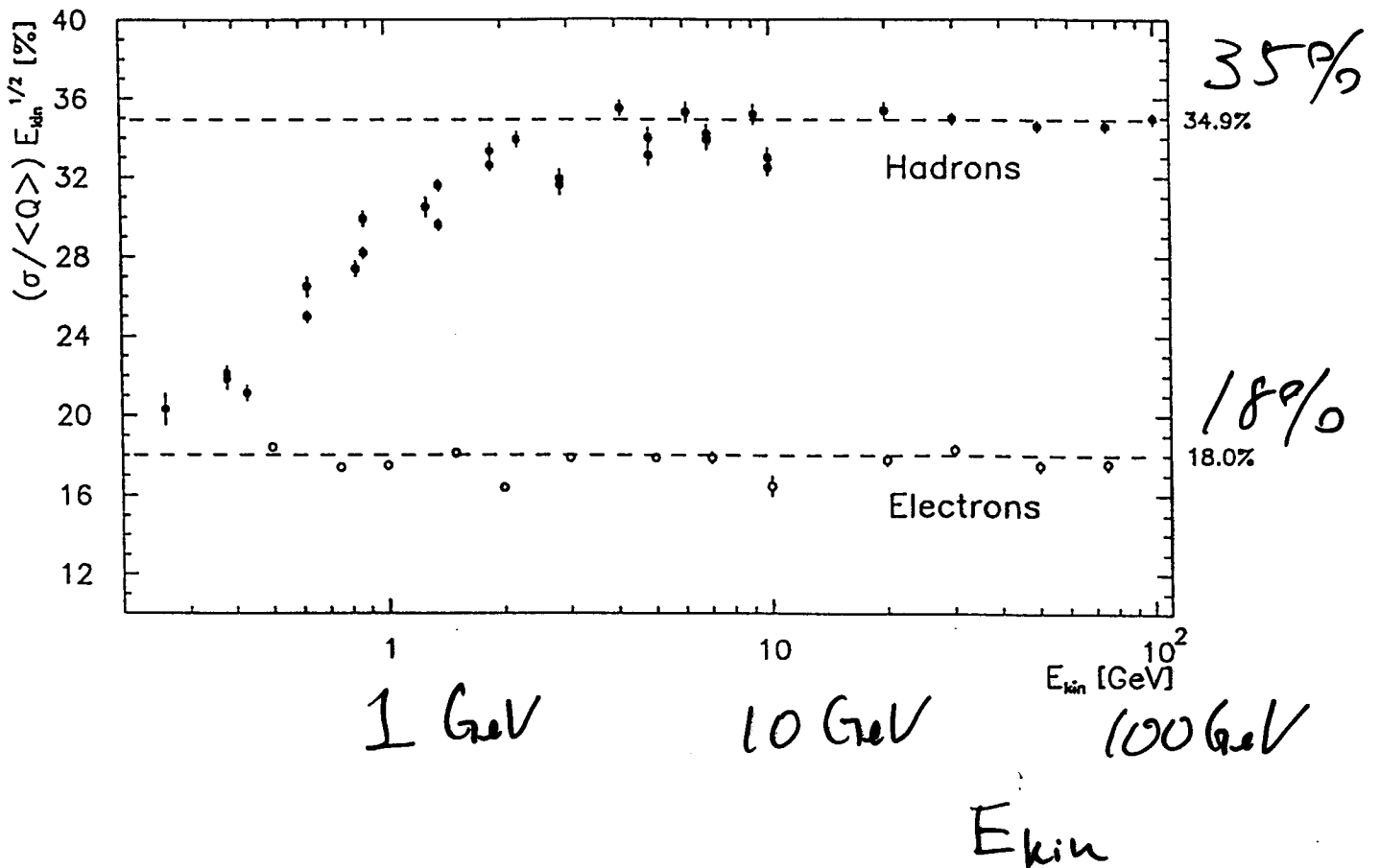
forward = P direction
←



Coverage: 99.8% forward hemisphere
99.5% backward hemisphere.

Energy Resolution

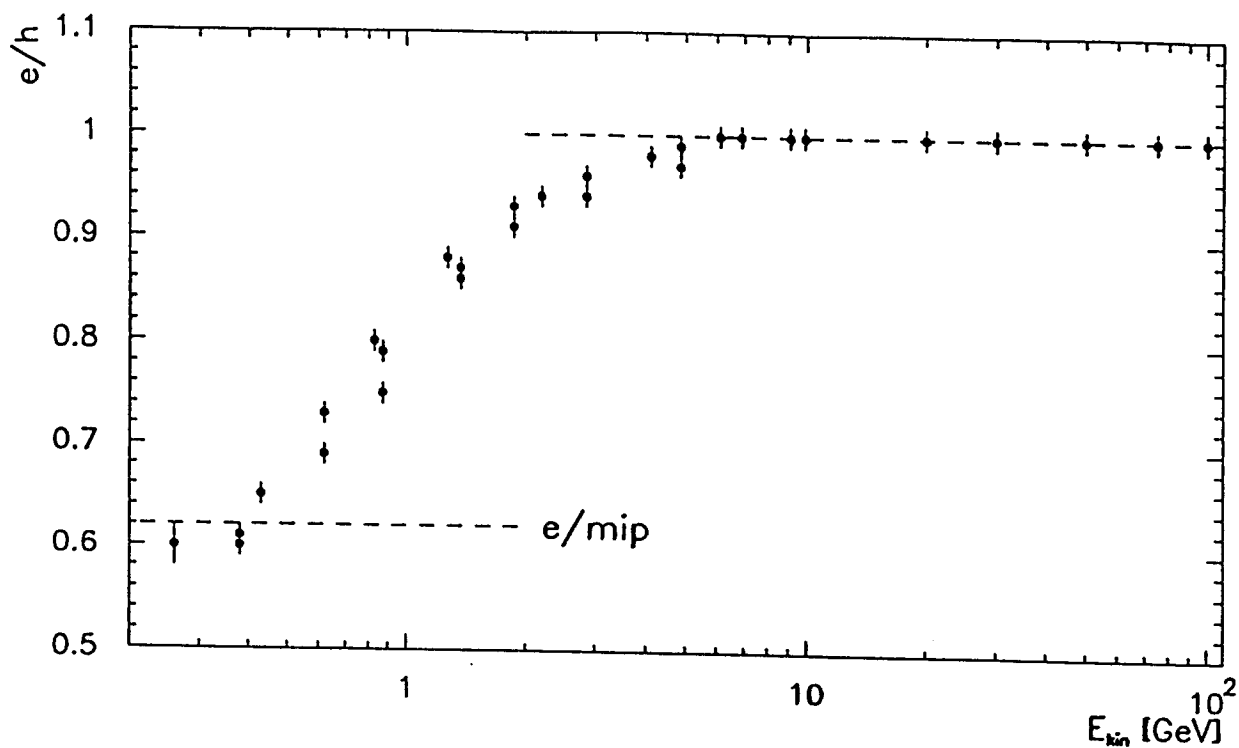
Prototype test



F/RCAL module test

$17.5\% / \sqrt{E}$ at 47 GeV
electron

e/h , FCAL prototype.



1 GeV

10 GeV

100 GeV

E_{kin}

Approach e/mip at lower energies

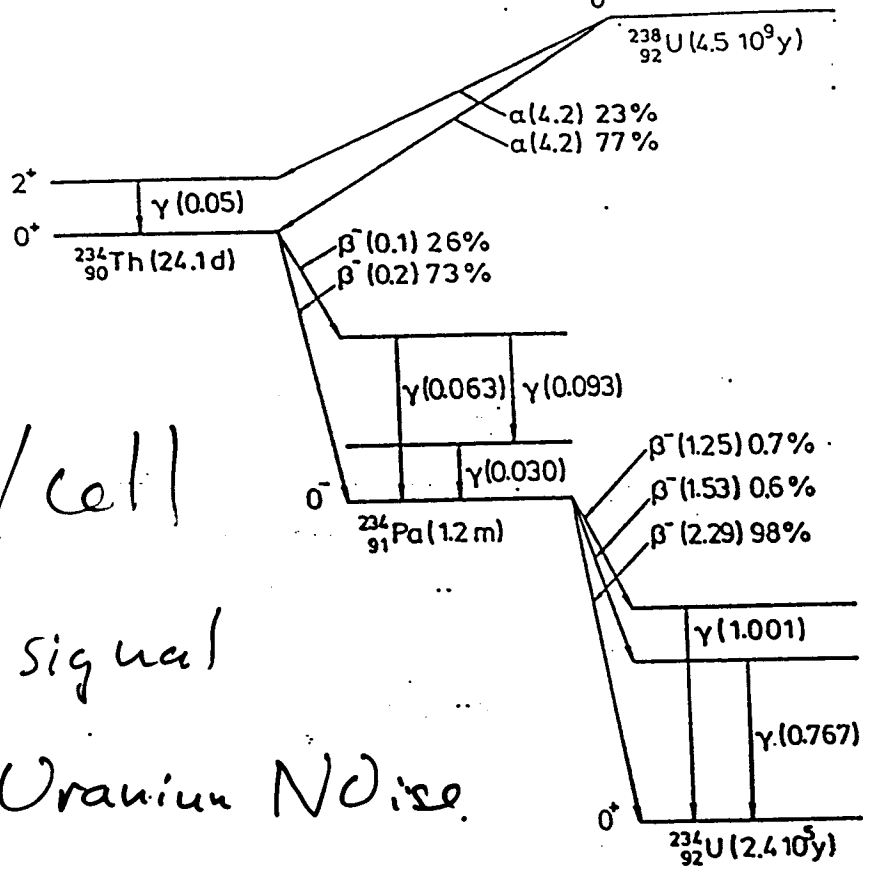
\Rightarrow Hadrons lose their energies

through ionization, at low energies

Calibration:

^{238}U 11

^{238}U decay



≥ 1 decay/us/cell

Integrate this signal

$I_{\text{UNO}} \leftarrow$ Uranium Noise

Prop. to gain (up to +PMT)

monitor gain \longrightarrow Plot

Cell to Cell Calibration \longrightarrow Plot

Good to 1 - 1.5%

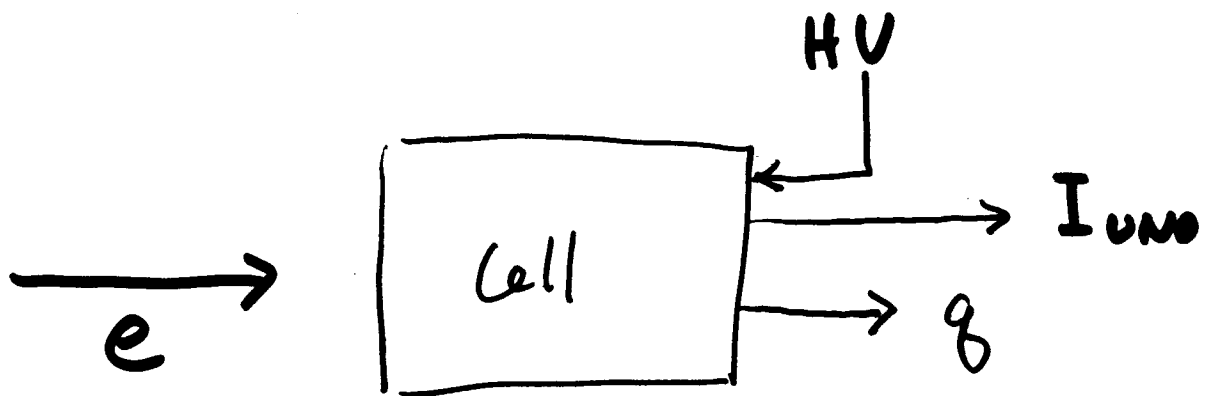
Absolute calibration at test beams.

PC/GeV at I_{UNO}

Transport to Experiment.

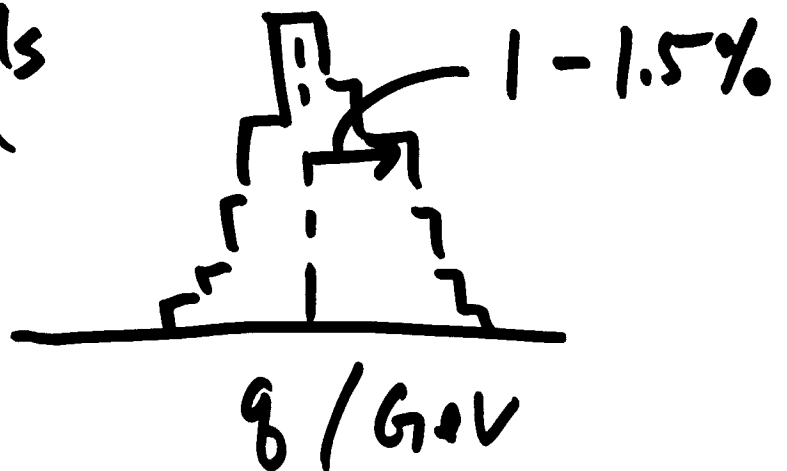
How to calibrate absolutely (using UNO & test beam)

1. Build a calorimeter cell.
2. Take to test beam e 1-100 GeV, say nominal
3. Adjust HV until $I_{\text{UNO}} = I_{\text{UNO}}^{\text{nominal}}$



4. Take data & determine q/GeV

5. Repeat. cells \uparrow

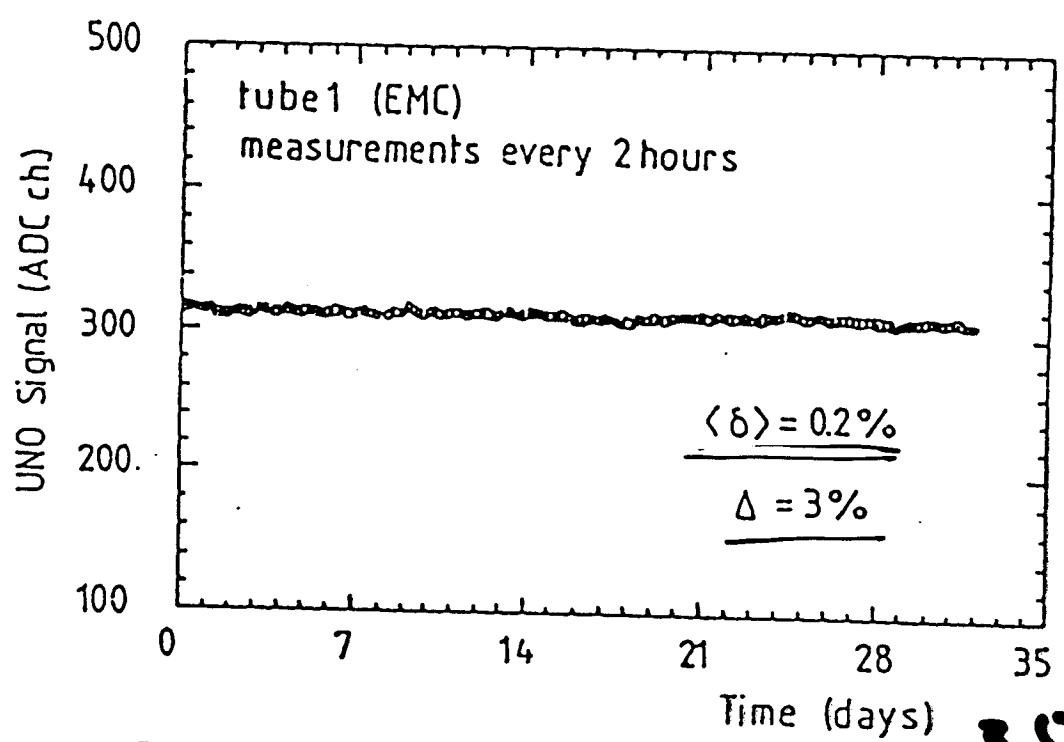


\Rightarrow Bring test beam calibration to ZEUS
 p_e/GeV & I_{UNO} !

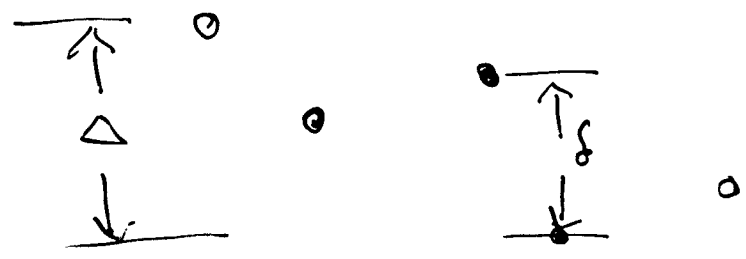
\Rightarrow Don't need to test all cells !

FAL prototype

Stability of UNO



35 days



Measure I_{UNO} once 8 hours

→ good to 0.5%

$$q = q_0 \times \frac{I_{UNO}^{nominal}}{I_{UNO}^{measured}}$$

Readout & Trigger

- 12 k channels (6k x 2)
- Buffer until trigger ready (\approx few μ s)
- Avoid pile-up.
- Trigger $96\mu\text{s} \ll$ Processing time

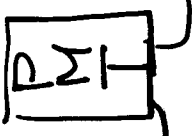
Deadtime loss design

decision at 10 MHz
at First Level

Readout

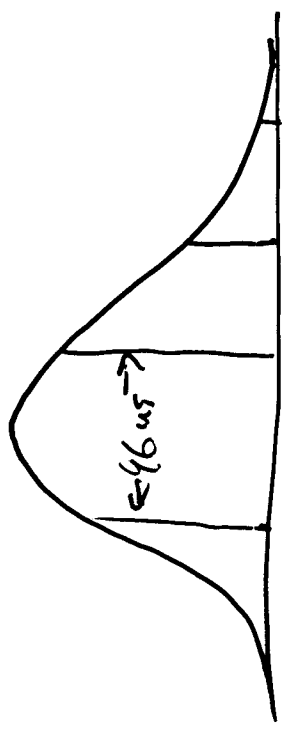
Shape & Sample HI
LO

Physics



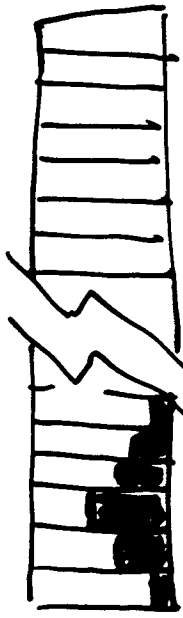
Trigger (First level)

SUM + Shape (Int. & Clip)

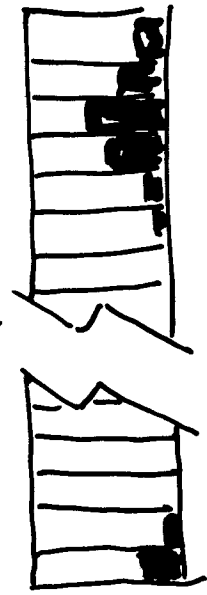


ANALOG PIPELINE

58 cells
5.6 μs



clocked at 96 ns



Read, Multiplex

60m



60m.

Digitize → Check Threshold

SUM by TRIGGER TOWERS
(projective)

Look-up tables

E, E_T, E_L, μ, e

DECISION

other components

SPS

"Analog Card"

60m



"DIGITAL CARD"

ADC (12-bit) k_i L_0

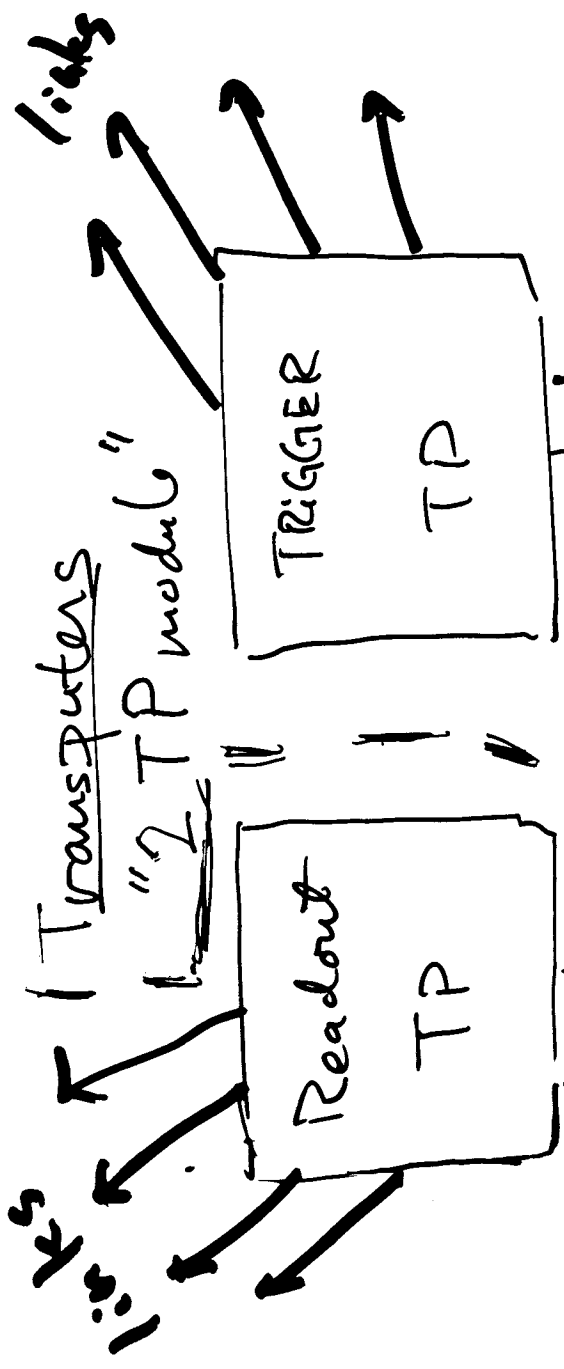
DSP (5000 MIPS!)

E, t (connected)

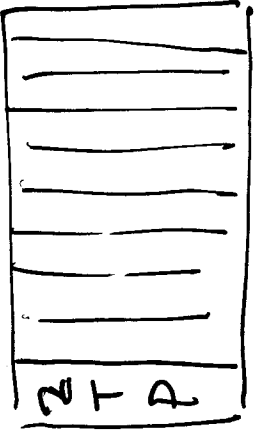
Subset

SLT data

Readout Trigger (S.C.)



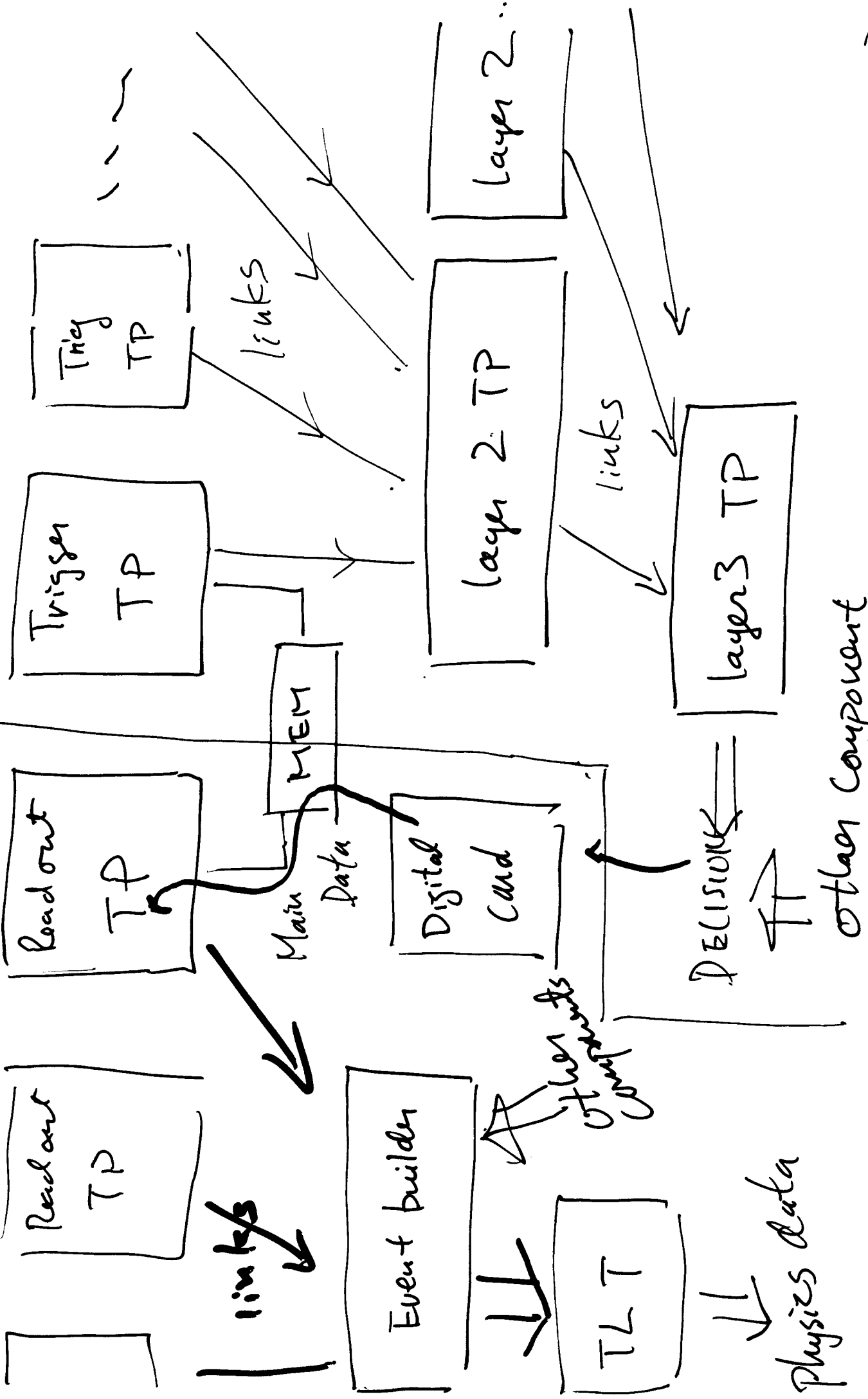
DCL's



X 36 for all of CAL

Read out

Cal. SLT.



Other component
SLT's

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Timing: Z. Note 93-021

Position: Z. Note 94-123
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