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Cherenkov detector for proton Flux Measurement (CpFM)

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Improvements of the collimation system at LHC

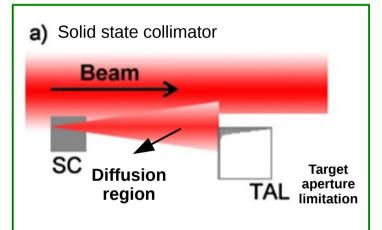


At LHC particles surrounding the beam core (beam halo) can be lost:

- Damaging the accelerator
- Distorting detector functioning



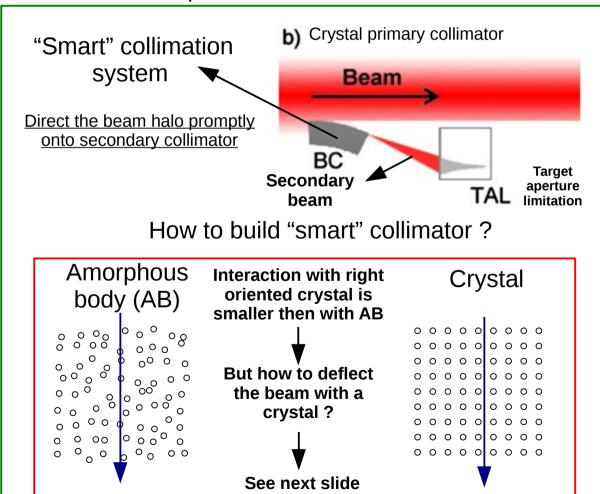
Present collimation at LHC



Multi-stage collimation systems to absorb this beam halo.

These systems are composed of massive collimators and absorbers very close to the beam.

Improved collimation at LHC



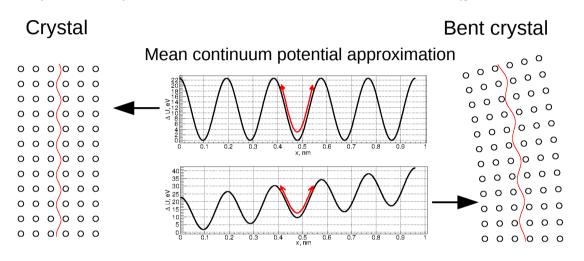
Crystal vs bent crystal



First idea by Tsyganov (1976)

Tsyganov E.N. Estimates of Cooling and Bending Processes for Charged Particle Penetration through a Monocrystal. Preprint No. TM 684. Batavia: Fermilab, 1976. 8 p.

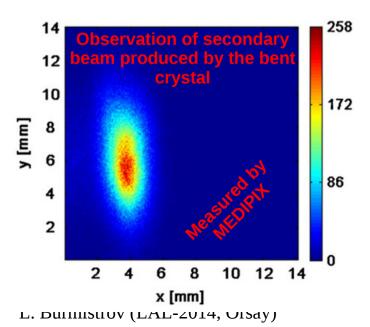
If crystal planes are correctly oriented with respect to the incoming particle – it can be trapped via potential parabolic barrier between the lattices (**planar channeling effect**).



First observation (1979)

A.F. Elishev, et al. "Steering of charged particle trajectories by a bent crystal." Physics Letters B 88.3 (1979): 387-391.

Tests of the bent crystal as a primary collimator in the circular accelerator (SPS) since 2009 by **UA9 collaboration**.



First results on the SPS beam collimation with bent crystals

(W. Scandale et al. Physics Letters B 692 (2010) 78-82)

Final goal is to use "smart" collimator at LHC

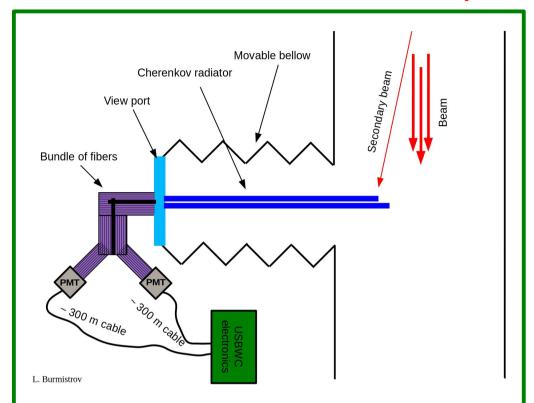
Additional device needed to monitoring the deflected beam



CpFM detection chain components



Cherenkov detector for proton Flux Measurements (CpFM)



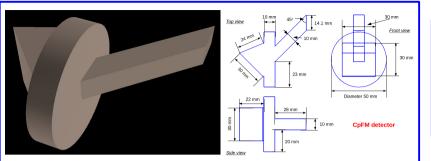
Main constrains for such device:

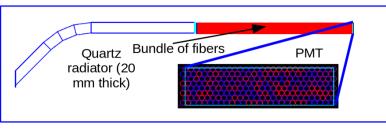
- Aim: count the number of protons with a precision of about 5 % (100 incoming protons).
- No <u>degassing materials</u> (inside the primary vacuum).
- ➤ Radiation hardness of the detection chain (very hostile radioactive environment ~ 10 MGy)
- The Cherenkov light will propagate inside the **fused quartz* radiators**: one for beam monitoring and another for background measurements.
- → The flange with quartz view port attached to the movable bellow.
- Quartz/quartz (core/cladding) radiation hard fibers 10 m long.
- → Photo multiplier tube (PMT) situated away (~ 10 m) from the beam pipe with quartz window.
- → 300 m low attenuation cable CKB50 (bringing signal to readout electronics)
- USB-WC electronics d. Breton et al. "USING ULTRA FAST ANALOG MEMORIES FOR FAST PHOTO-DETECTOR READOUT" PhotoDet 2012, LAL Orsay

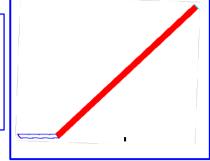
Radiator geometry optimization with Geant4

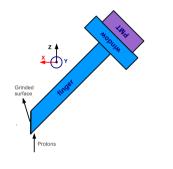
UA 9

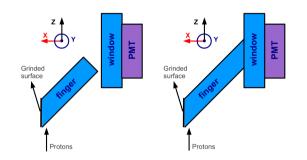
We study more then 10 different geometries (show only 3 the most promising)

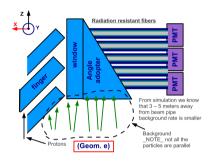


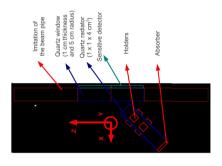


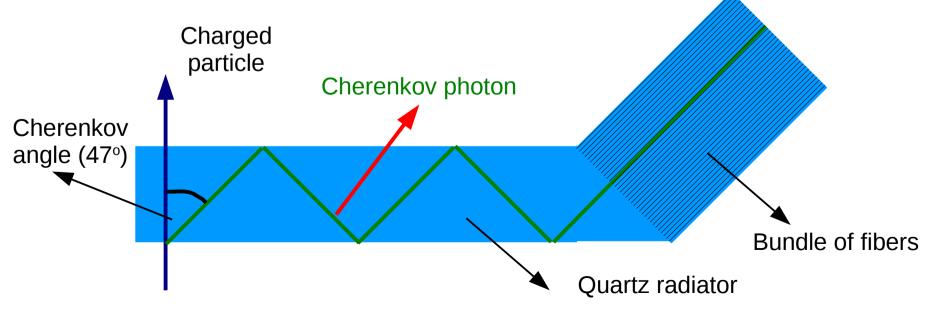






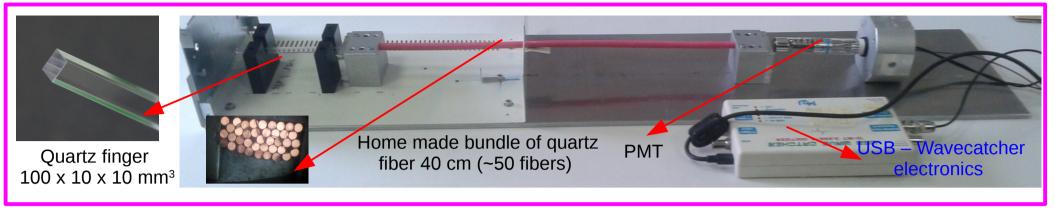




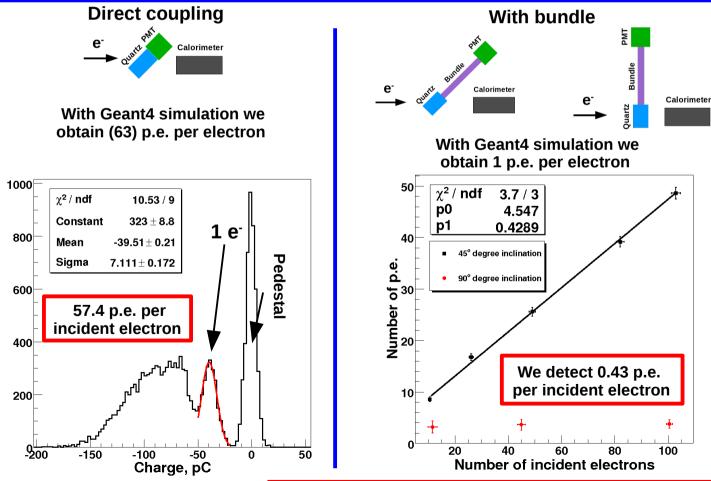


Test of the first CpFM prototypes with 500 MeV/c electrons (October 2013)





Main results



Note: p.e. Photo-electron (detected photon)

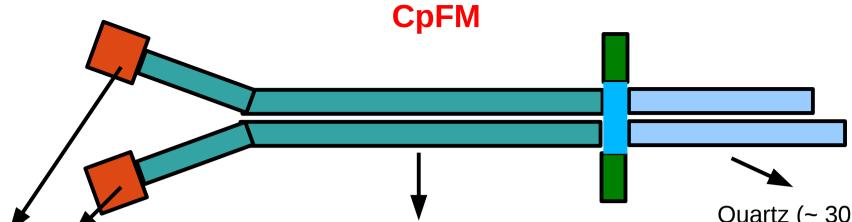
This successful test (validated by the simulation) encourage us construct full size of CpFM



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L. Burmistrov, et al. "Cherenkov detector for proton flux measurement for UA9 project." conference proceedings IEEE, 2013.

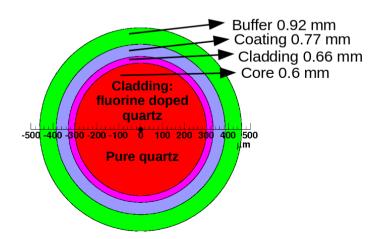


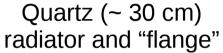


HAMAMATSU PMT (R7378A) with radiation hard fused silica incoming window

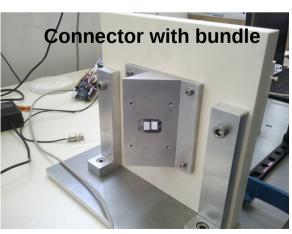








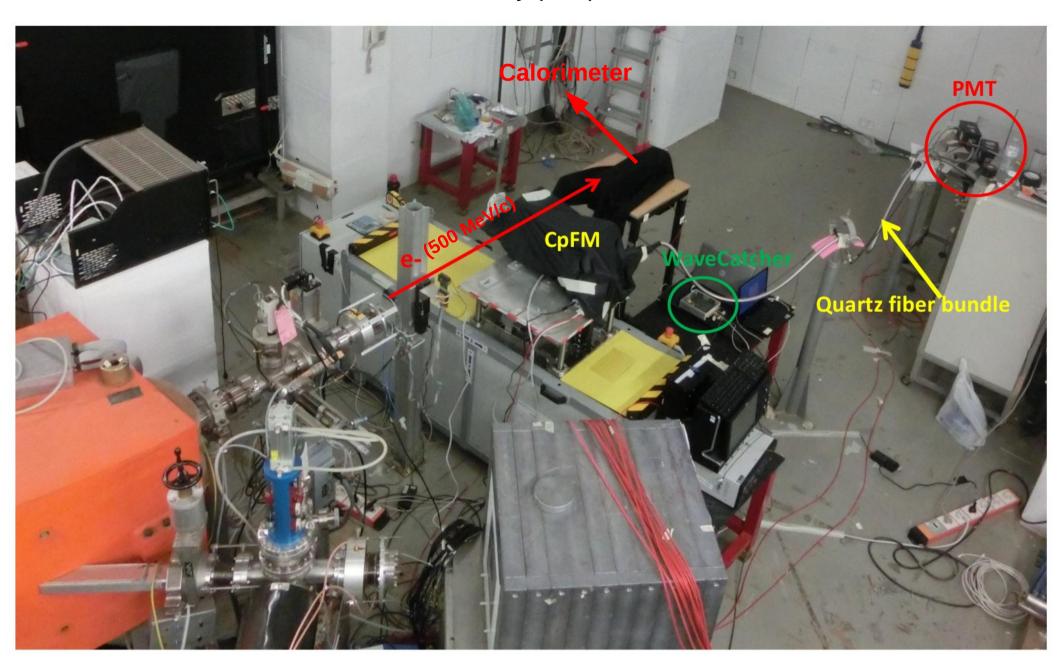




Test at BTF (April 2014)

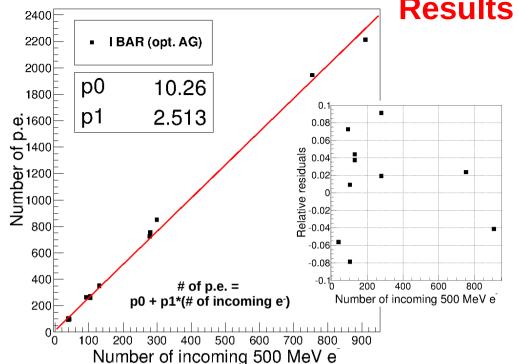


Beam Test Facility (BTF) at Frascati



Results (1) 2400 ⊟ IBAR (opt. AG) 2200





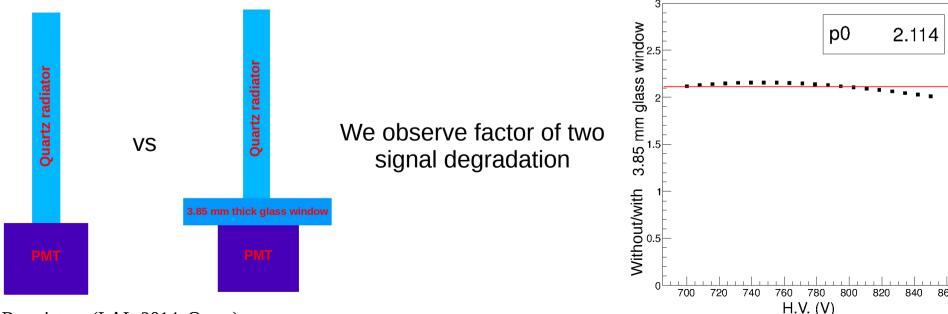
Configuration: Quartz + bundle + PMT

PMT gains: H.V = 800 → PMT gain = $7.75*10^5$ $H.V = 900 \rightarrow PMT \text{ gain} = 1.84*10^6$ $H.V = 1000 \rightarrow PMT \text{ gain} = 4.00*10^6$ $H.V = 1100 \rightarrow PMT \text{ gain} = 8.07*10^6$

Detector shows good linearity

Effect coming from the view port

Configuration: Quartz + PMT vs Configuration: Quartz + glass 3.85 mm + PMT

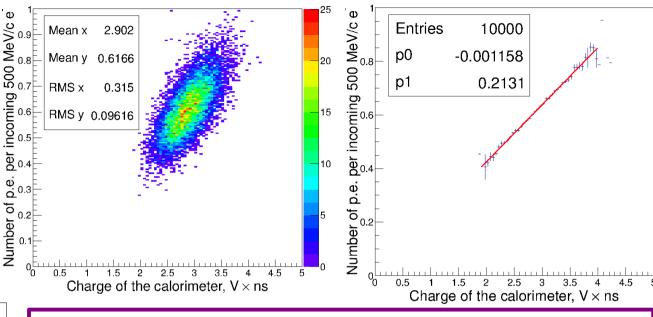


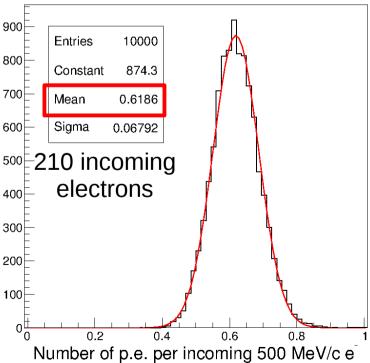
Results (2)



Quartz + 4 mm thick glass window (emulating view port) + bundle + PMT







Using information from the calorimeter one can make correction on number of incoming electrons.



Applying this correction we obtain 15 % resolution for 100 incoming electrons.

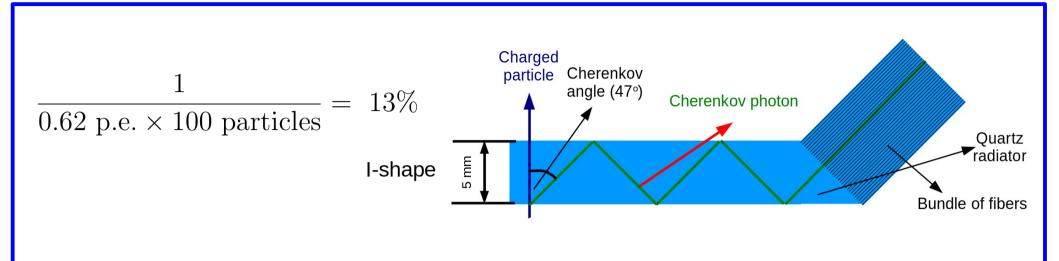
We detect 0.62 p.e. per incoming electron

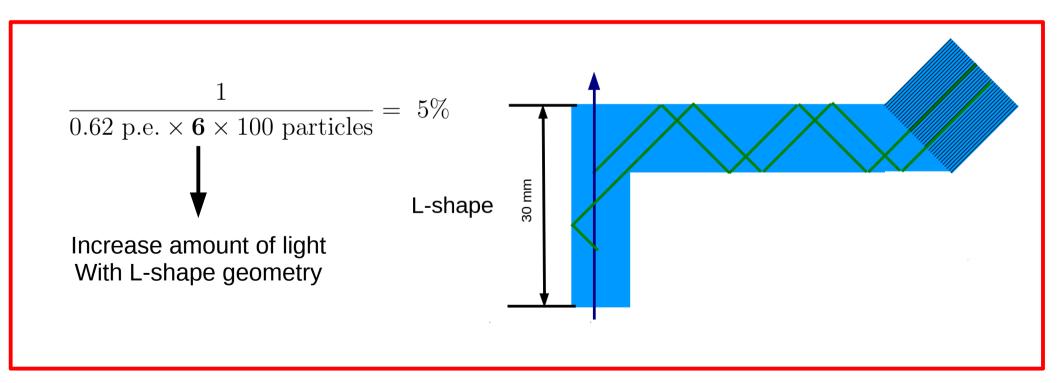
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Possible improvement of the CpFM



We obtain 15 % resolution (for 100 incoming electrons) with present geometry of the CpFM





Conclusions



Measured resolution for proton counting is going to be around 15 % (for 100 protons)

We found that interface viewport between beam vacuum and tunnel is going to reduce the signal by factor of two.

The produced CpFM detector fulfills the needs for proton counting of the secondary beam.

── We will make final calibration at H8 (CERN) test in October (2014)

── CpFM is going to be installed at SPS this winter.

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Backup

Standard CERN cables (signal)

CpFM integration

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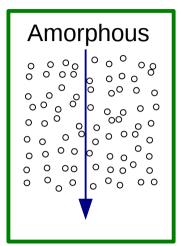
Cable	Diametre (mm)	Attenuation (dB / 100 m)				Price	NI-1
		10 MHz	100 MHz	200 MHz	800 MHz	(CHF/m)	Notes
CB50	5	4.5	14.5	21	44	0.96	Standard SPS
CK50	15.30	0.67	2.5	3.7	8.2	5	"Low loss"
CC50	10.3	1.9	6.8	9.8	21	2.1	
CKB50	11.5	0.5	1.5	4.3	6.3	4	"High immunity" Not in storage Connectors?
LDF1-50	8.763	1.254	4.049	5.798	12.084		proposed by LAL

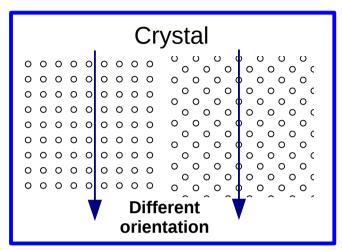


Charged particle interaction with crystal structure



Interaction of the charged particle with amorphous body is very different from interaction with crystal structure.





In case of charged particle oriented along crystal lattice planar **channeling** effect occurs. The channeled particles have anomalously low energy losses in channeling mode.

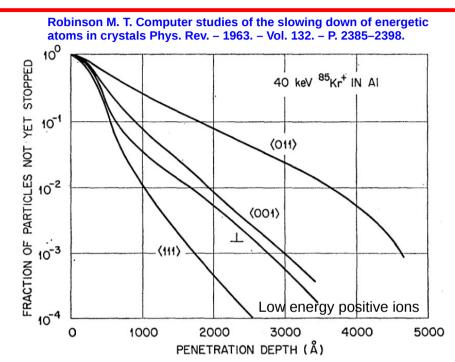


Fig. 17. Experimental data of Piercy, Davies, McCargo, and Brown (Ref. 11) for the penetration of 40-keV ⁸⁵Kr⁺ into an Al monocrystal. The curve marked \perp was obtained at normal incidence (9° from (112)); the others were obtained with the beam 28° from the surface normal. The penetrations have been corrected for the angle of incidence.

Piercy G. R. Experimental evidence for the increase of heavy ion ranges by channeling in crystalline structure *II* Phys. Rev. Lett. – 1963. – Vol. 10. – P. 399–400.

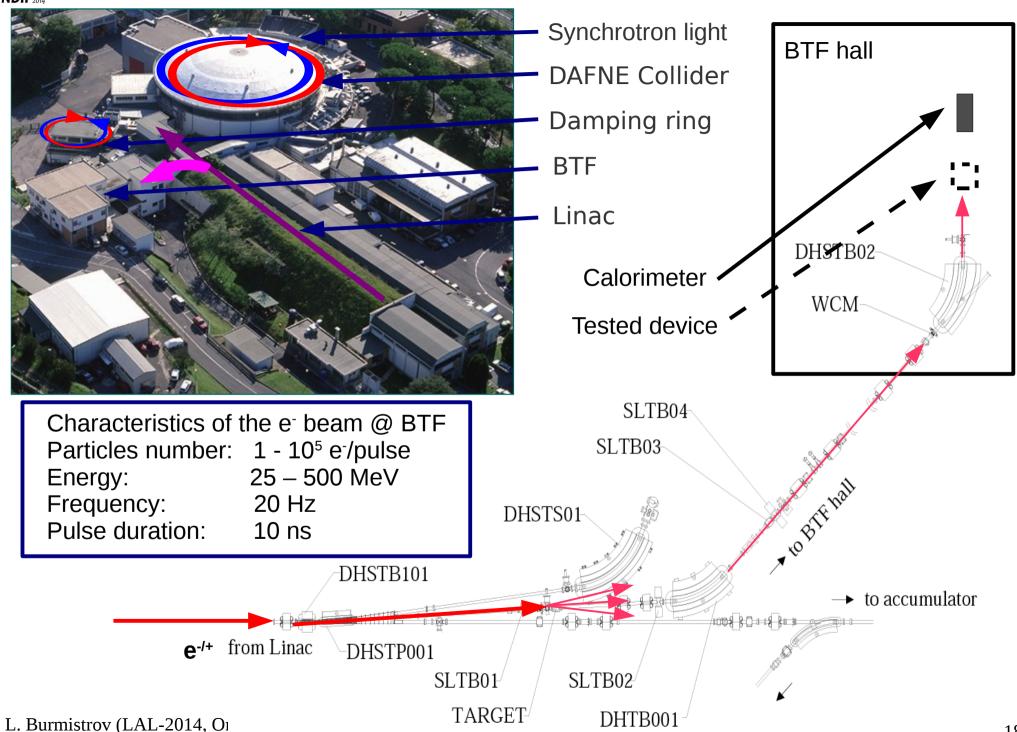
Experimental observation with light ions (He 3 with E \sim 30 MeV)

Erginsoy C. Anisotropic energy loss of light particles of MeV energies in thin silicon single crystals // Phys. Rev. Lett. - 1964. - Vol. 13. - P. 530-534.



BTF – (Beam Test Facility) at Frascati







Radiation hardness of the CpFM components

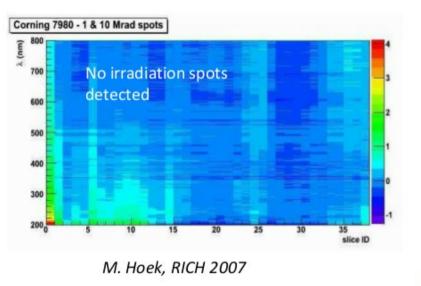


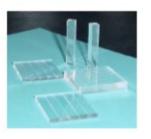
Annuel Radiation levels close to the pipe: y dose = 10 Mrad

thermal neutrons fluence = 1014 n/cm2

protons fluence = 1013 p/cm2

Quartz radiation hardness





(1 Gy = 100 rad)

3 fused silica types (Corning 7980, Schott Lithosil Q0, Heraeus Suprasil 1) irradiated with 150 MeV **proton** beam with dose levels: 100krad, 1Mrad and 10Mrad

→ No significant radiation damage observed in any fused silica sample

γ Irradiation (60Co) with a dose of 11 MGy (1100 Mrad): stability of the samples Heraeus Suprasil Standard & Infrasil, Spectrosil A and B (Saint-Gobain) and Corning 7940



Our choice: Corning 7980 & Heraeus Suprasil



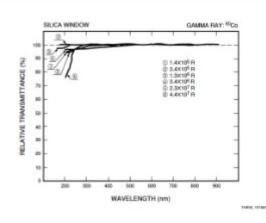
Effects of radiation on Photodetectors: PMTs

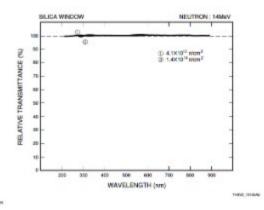
protons / neutrons /γ-rays coloring of the glass glass scintillation



- >deterioration of the borosilicate window transmittance but not for a fused silica window
- >increase of the dark current
- no important change of the gain and quantum efficiency

No variation of the transmittance of quartz window

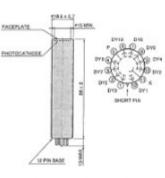


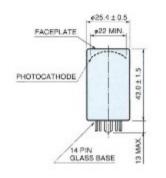


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Our choices: Hamamatsu R762 & R7378A

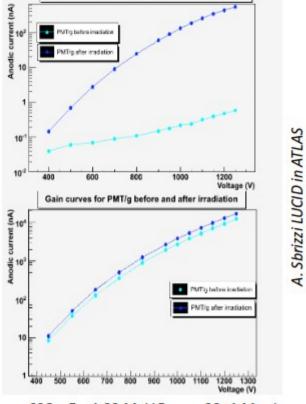






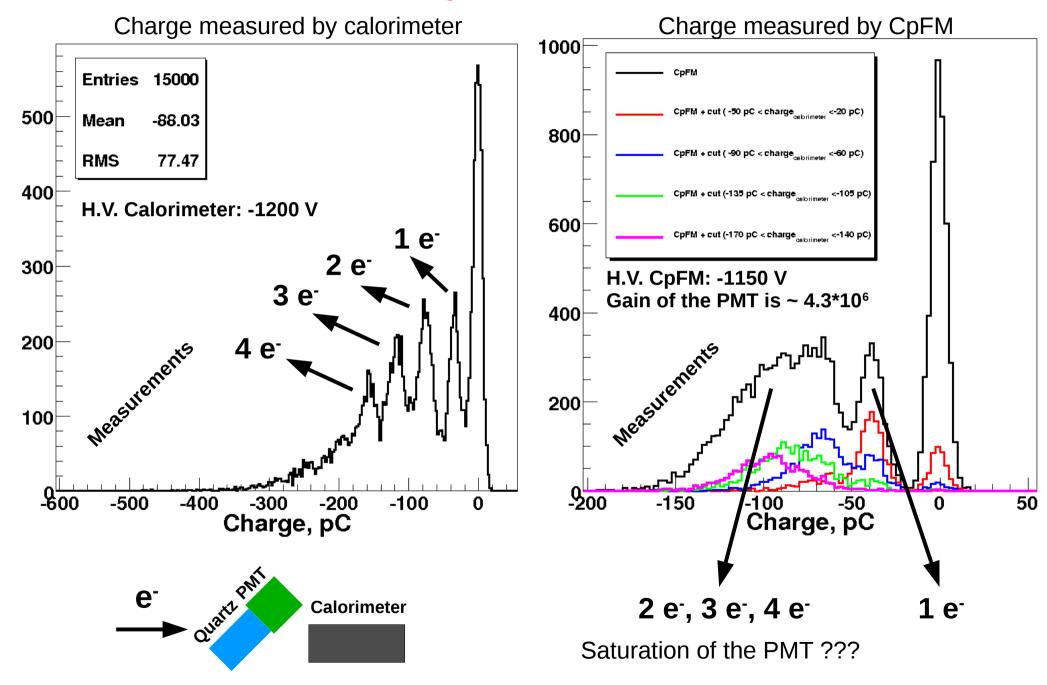
HAMAMATSU R762

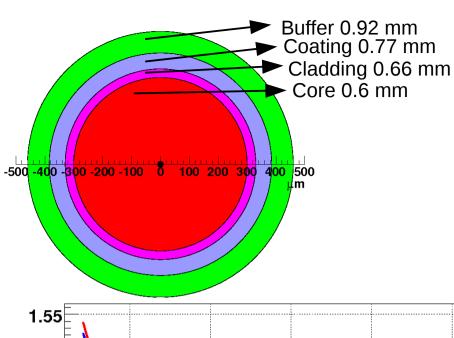
Dark current of PMT/g before and after irradiation



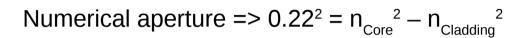
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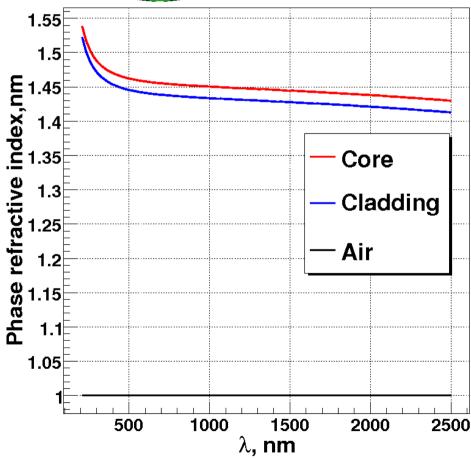
Quartz + PMT

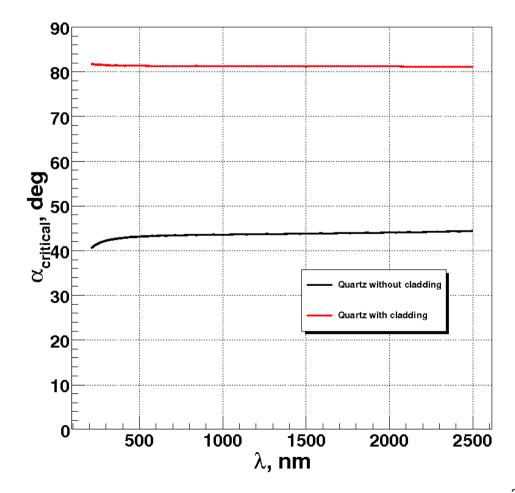




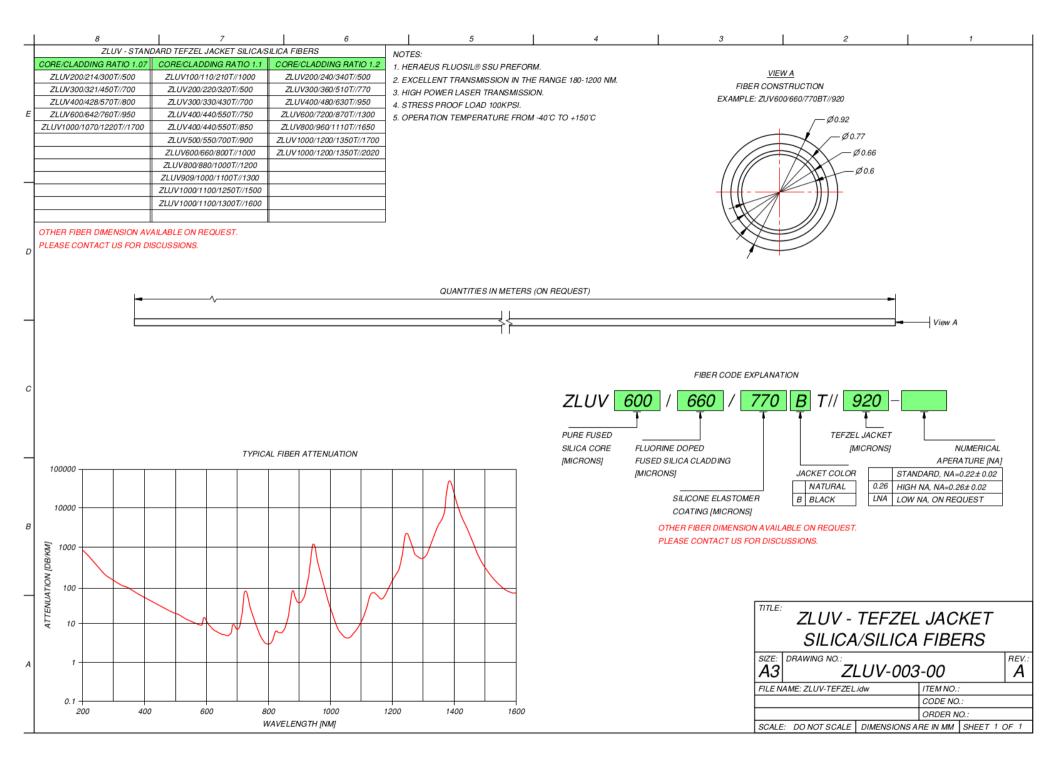
Optical fiber



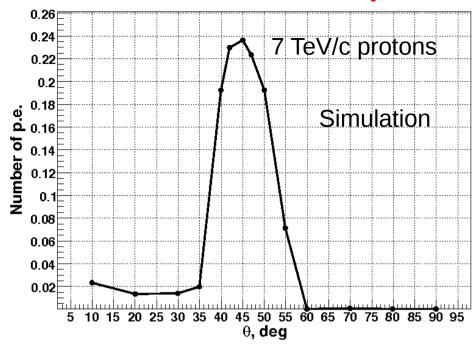


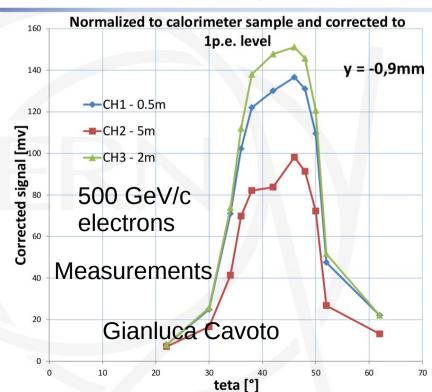


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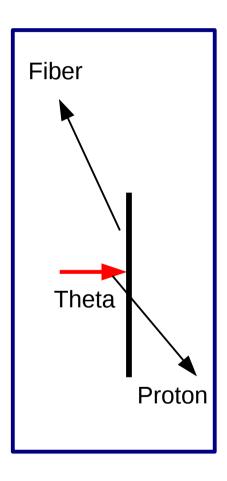


Number of p.e. as a function proton angle



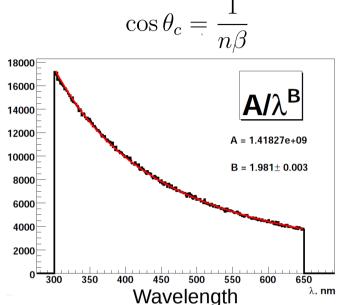


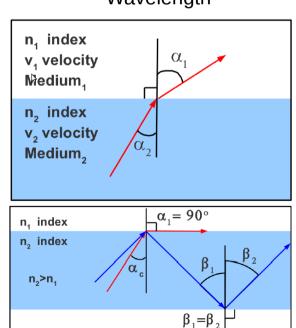
Photon detection efficiency (PDE) = 10 %



Geant4 simulation of the detector

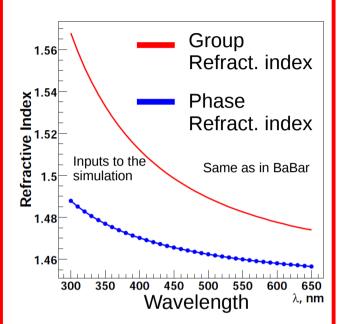
Optical physics: Cherenkov effect and Snell's laws

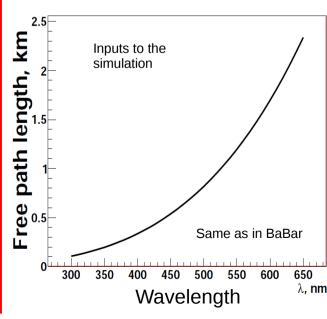




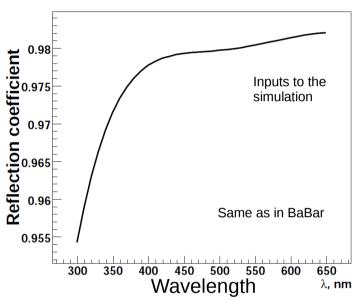
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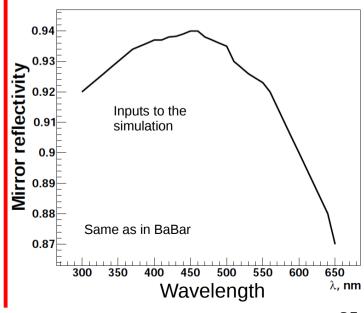
Optical properties of the quartz radiator:



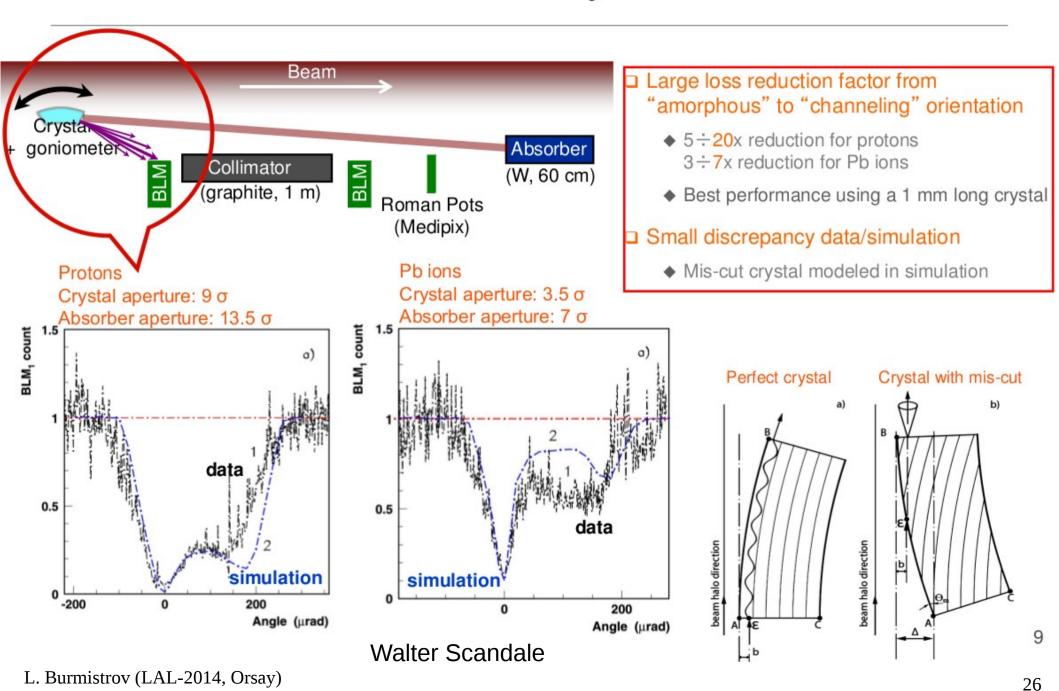


Properties of the quartz and mirror surfaces:

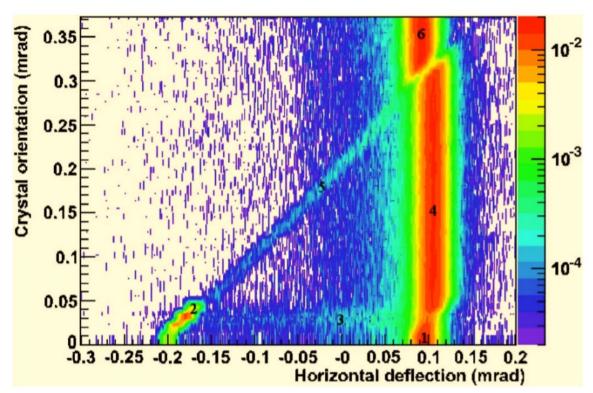




Loss rate reduction in the crystal area



Apparatus to study crystal channeling and volume reflection phenomena at the SPS H8 beamline (W. Scandale Rev. Sci. Instrum. 79, 023303 (2008); doi: 10.1063/1.2832638)



Region 1 pertains the beam traversing the crystal in a nonaligned orientation: no deflection is observed.

Region 2 The channeling peak is separated from the unperturbed beam by 278.2 mrad, which corresponds to the crystal bending angle measured with optical technique.

Region 3 A small fraction of the initially channeled particles exits the channel due to an increase of the transverse energy dechanneled particles.

Region 4 The volume reflection extends over a wide angular area along the vertical axis: almost the whole beam is displaced by 10.4 +/- 0.5 mrad

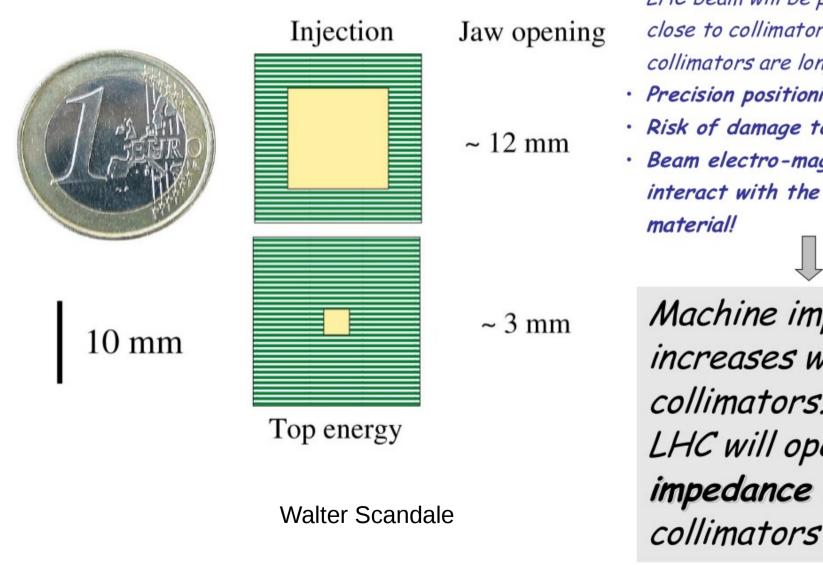
Region 5 The particle may lose a fraction of its transverse energy and be trapped in the potential well

Region 6 volume reflection is no longer possible and the crystal is traversed by the incoming particles in a nonoriented condition, similar to region 1.

Principle of Beam Collimation

Walter Scandale Beam propagation TCSG.A5R3 TCSG.4R3 IP3 TCSG.4L3 TCBG.5L8 TOSG AND Diffusion Primary processes halo (p ATLAS Secondary halo Horizontal **Impact** parameter collimators Primary ≤ 1 µm Secondary Shower collimators Sensitive equipment Shower ... Two or multi stage cleaning ...

Collimating with small gaps



LHC beam will be physically quite close to collimator material and collimators are long (up to 1.2 m)!

- · Precision positioning
- · Risk of damage to collimators!
- · Beam electro-magnetic fields interact with the collimator

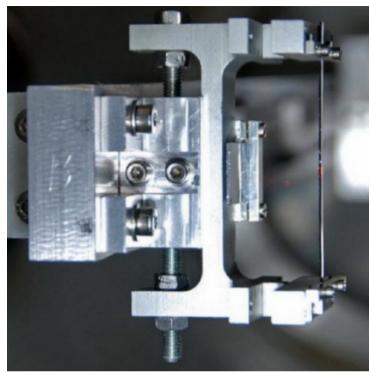


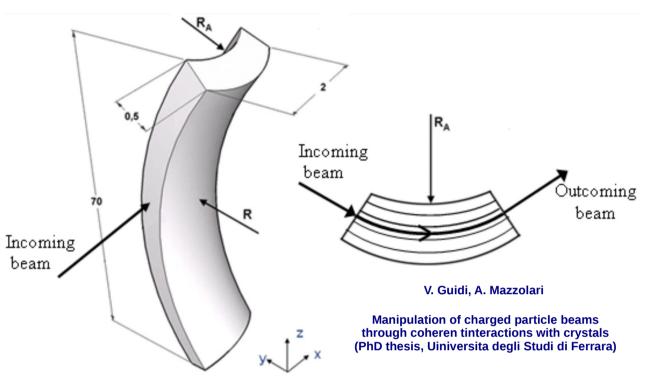
Machine impedance increases while closing collimators. LHC will operate at the impedance limit with collimators closed!



Secondary curvature in bent crystal







- Mechanically bent crystal
- → Use of a secondary curvature of the crystal to guide the particles gives possibility to:
 - To curvature thin crystals
 - Secondary curvature is less parabolic (unlike primary ones)

Y. M. Ivanov, et al., "Observation of the Elastic Quasi-Mosaicity Effect in Bent Silicon Single Crystals" JETP Lett. 81, 99 (2005)

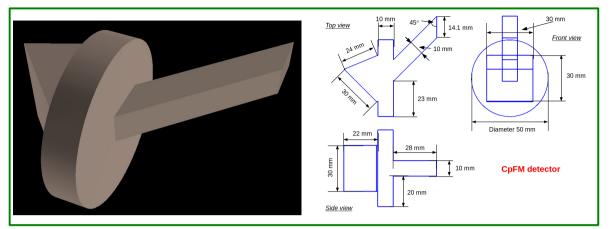
V. Guidi et al., "Tailoring of silicon crystals for relativistic-particle channeling" Nucl. Instrum. Methods Phys. Res., Sect. B 234, 40 (2005). (Anticlastic deformation)



Radiator geometry optimization with Geant4



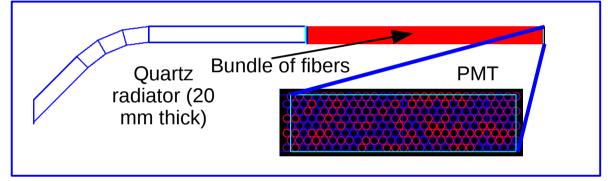
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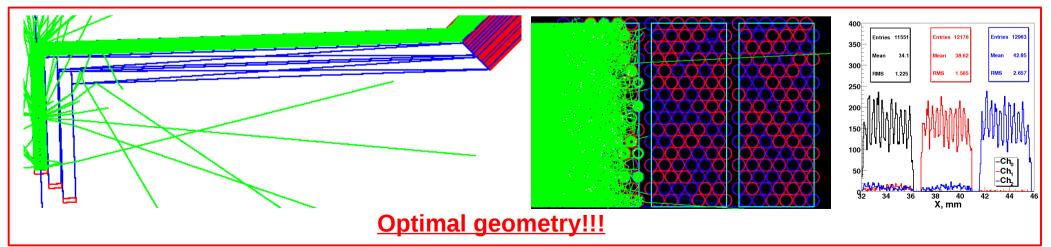
Main parameters to be optimized:

Number of detected photons

Should not be complicated (manufacturing problem)



Compactness





Possible improvement of the CpFM



We obtain 15 % resolution (for 100 incoming electrons) with present geometry of the CpFM

