



Precision luminosity measurement at CMS with the Pixel Luminosity Telescope

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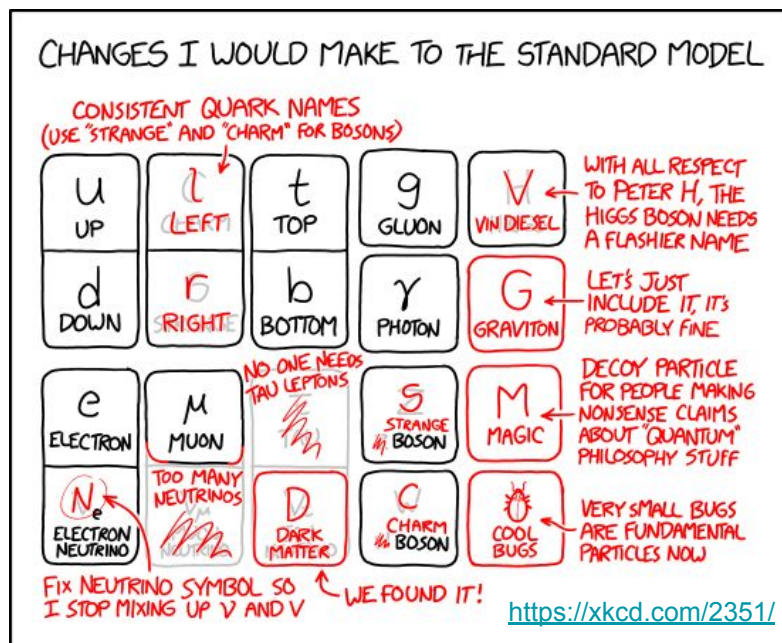
Wavefunction **antisymmetric** under exchange of two particles

- **Quarks:** $\begin{pmatrix} u & c & t \\ d & s & b \end{pmatrix}$
 - q participate in **EM**, **weak**, **strong** interactions
- **Leptons:** $\begin{pmatrix} \nu_e & \nu_\mu & \nu_\tau \\ e & \mu & \tau \end{pmatrix}$
 - L participate in **EM**, **weak** interactions
 - ν_L participate in **weak** interactions

Spin-1 gauge bosons:

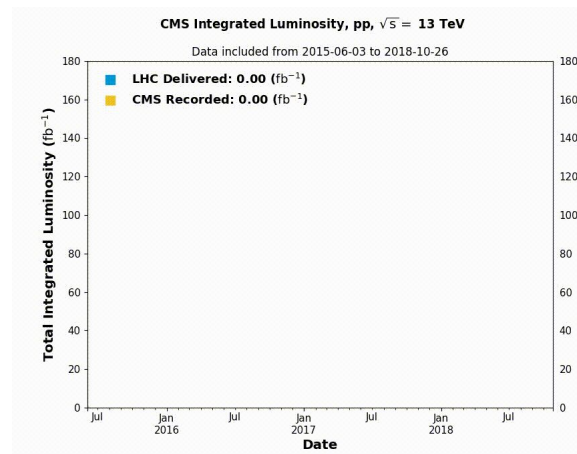
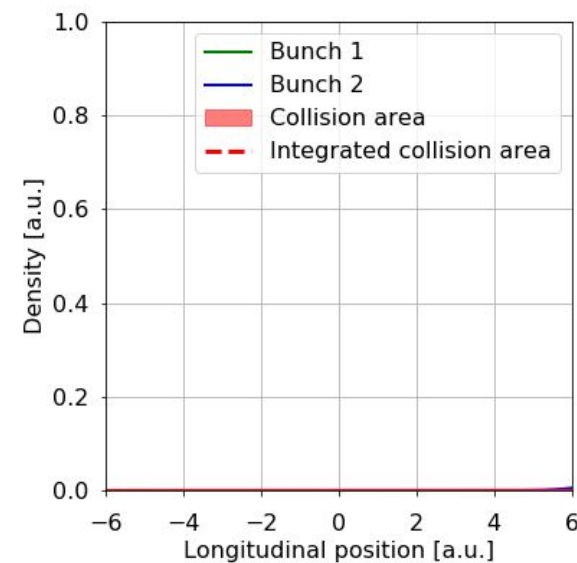
Wavefunction **symmetric** under exchange of two particles

- **Photon (γ)**
 - Mediates **EM** interactions
- **Weak vector bosons (Z^0, W^\pm)**
 - Mediates **weak** interactions
- **Gluon (g)**
 - Mediates **strong** interactions



- What is luminosity?
 - Average number of “interactions” when “bunches” of protons cross
 - At the LHC, groups of ≈ 100 billion protons collide as often as 25 million times per second
 - ≈ 30 proton interactions for each crossing (“pileup”)
 - Quantifies the ability to produce a certain number of interactions
 - Proportionality factor between rate of interactions and the cross-section
 - e.g. $dN/dt = \mathcal{L}_{\text{peak}} \cdot \sigma_{\text{Higgs}} \approx (0.02 \text{ pb/s})(50 \text{ pb}) = 1 / \text{s}$
 - “Instantaneous” luminosity aggregated into “integrated” luminosity
 - Amount of data produced in a certain period of time

- Why is it important?
 - Monitoring of accelerator performance
 - Optimization of beam parameters
 - Detector operation during data-taking
 - Instantaneous luminosity determines trigger “selectiveness”
 - Integrated luminosity needed for physics analyses
 - Yields expected frequency of each type of interaction
 - e.g. $N = \mathcal{L}_{\text{int}}^{\text{day}} \cdot \sigma_{\text{Higgs}} \approx (500 \text{ pb}^{-1})(50 \text{ fb}) = 25\text{e}3$
 - Particularly important for cross-section measurements



Luminosity measurement

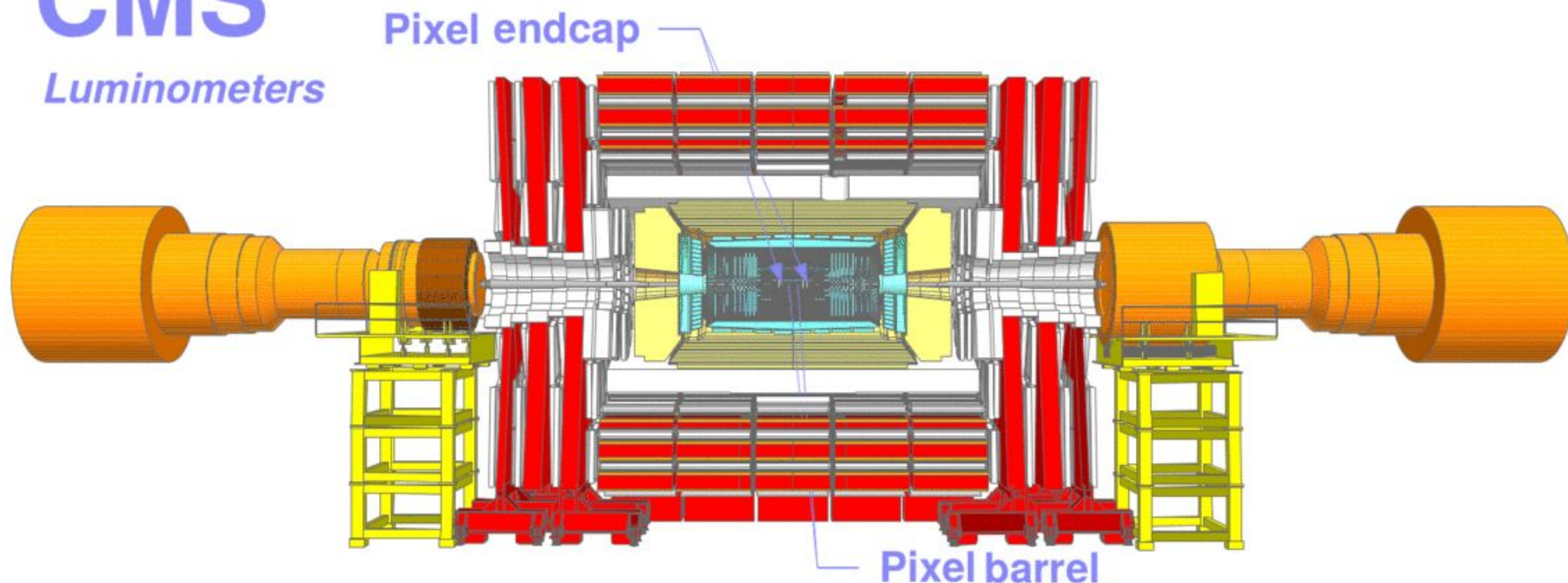
- Recording and processing data from each luminometer
 - Absolute luminosity calibration and corrections

First CMS Lumi journal publication ([Eur. Phys. J. C 81 \(2021\) 800](#)):

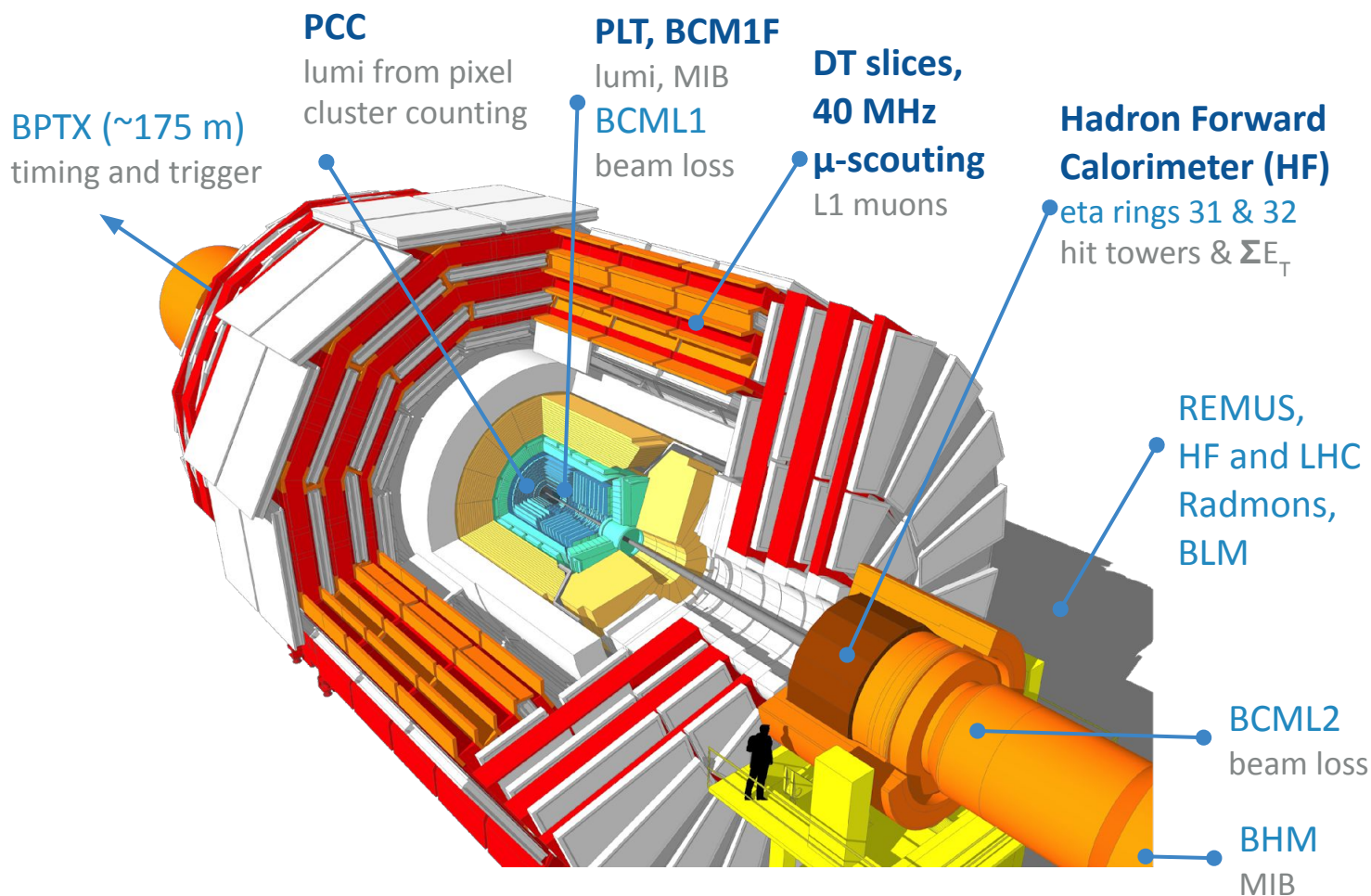
[Precision luminosity measurement in proton-proton collisions at \$\sqrt{s}=13\$ TeV in 2015 and 2016 at CMS](#)

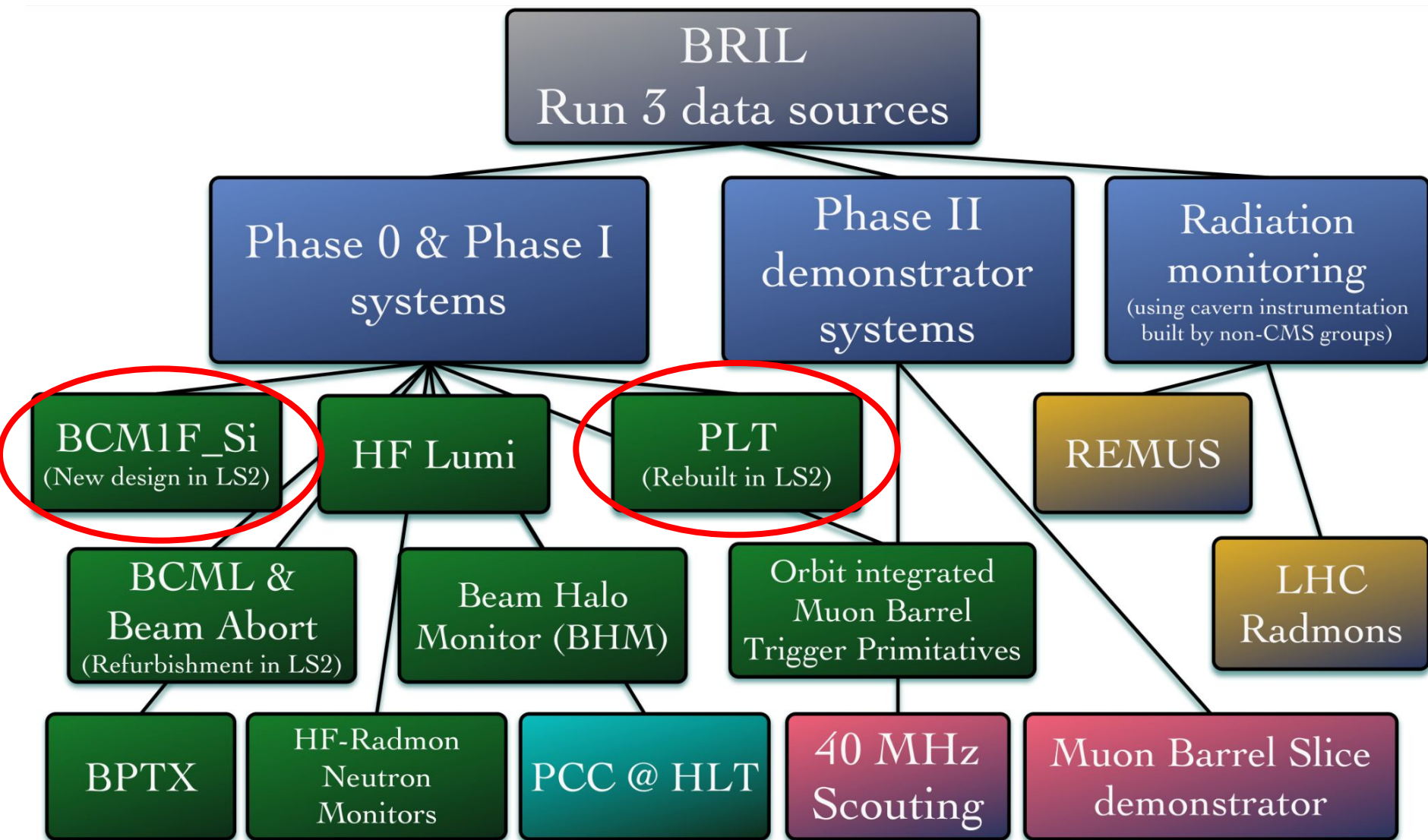
- Dedicated luminometers: PLT, BCM1F
- CMS sub-detectors used for lumi measurement: Pixel, HF, DT

CMS Luminometers

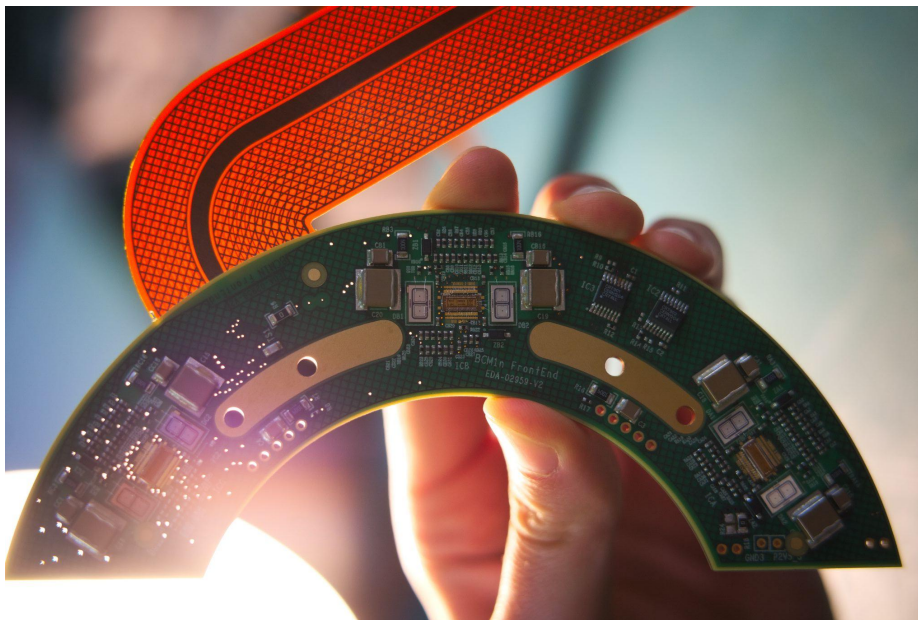


- Beam Radiation, Instrumentation, and Luminosity
 - Luminosity measurement, beam condition monitoring, radiation monitoring and simulation, etc

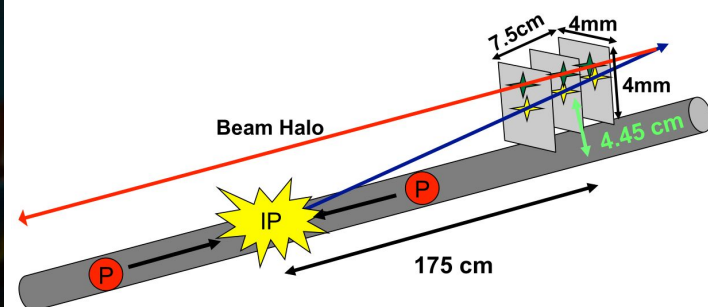
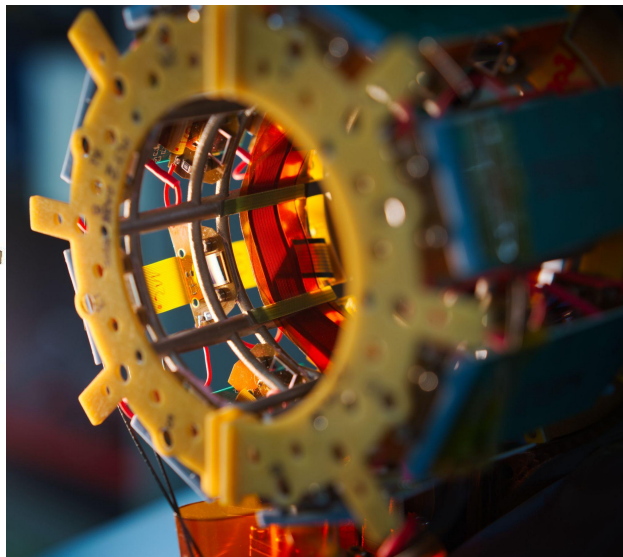
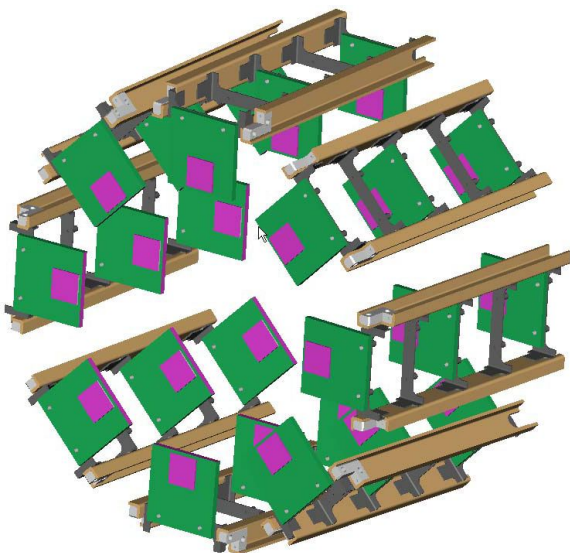




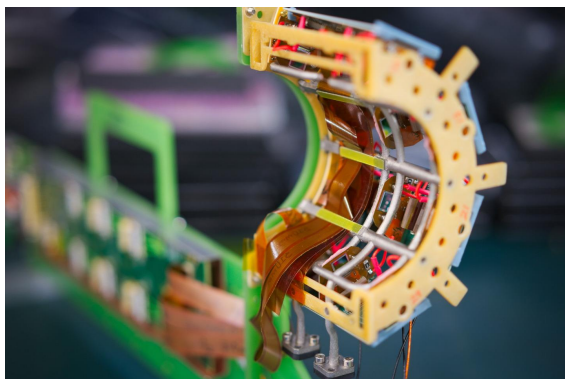
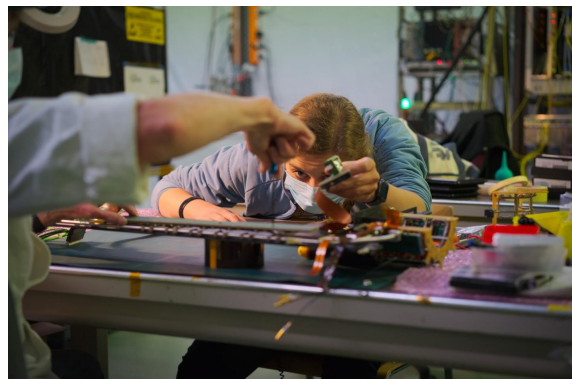
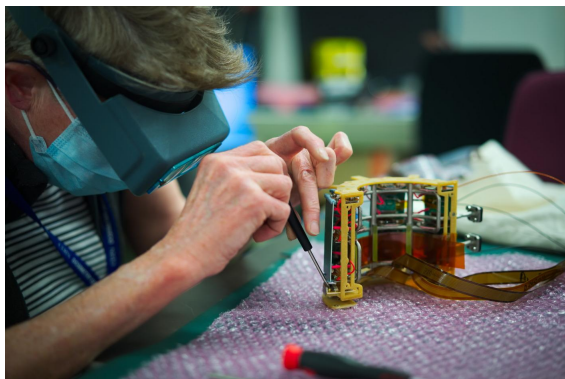
- Silicon pad detector dedicated to **luminosity** and **background** measurement
 - Installed in CMS in 2015 for LHC Run2 and rebuilt for LHC Run 3 data taking
 - New version implements CMS **Phase-2 silicon sensor** prototypes and **active cooling**
- Four C-shape PCBs arranged into two rings at each side of CMS
 - **Six double-pad silicon sensors** per C-shape
 - Located $z = \pm 1.8$ m from the interaction point and radius = ~ 6 cm
- Real-time histogramming with 6.25 ns per-bin
 - Allows separation of incoming **machine-induced background** and collisions



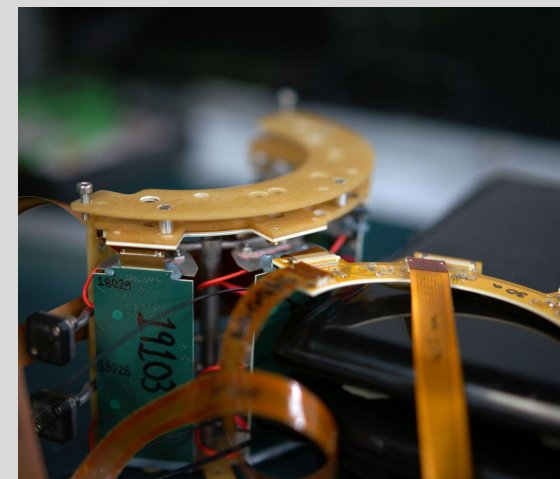
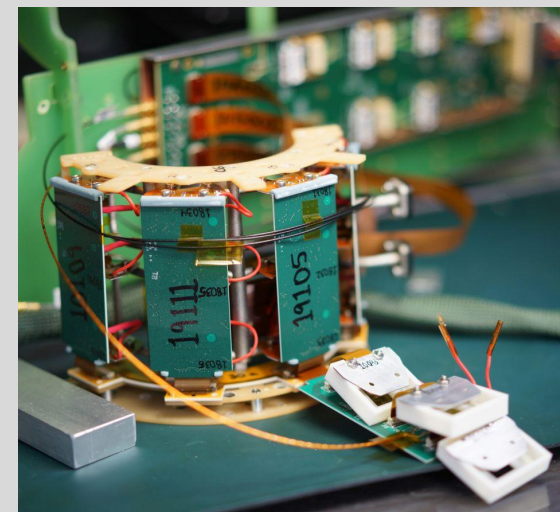
- Silicon pixel detector dedicated to **luminosity** measurement
 - Installed in CMS in 2015 for LHC Run2 and rebuilt for LHC Run 3 data taking
 - New version implements three CMS **Phase-2 silicon sensor** prototypes
- Arranged into 16 channels or “telescopes”
 - Three sensor planes per telescope
 - Same readout chips (ROCs) as CMS **Phase-0 Pixel** detector (PSI46v2)
 - 7.5 cm in length
- Triple-coincidences from “**fast**” readout (40 MHz): primary luminosity measurement
- Full pixel data (~3 kHz): used for **track-reconstruction** studies



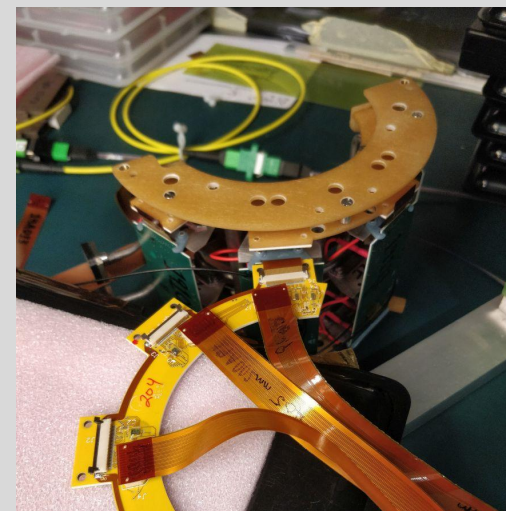
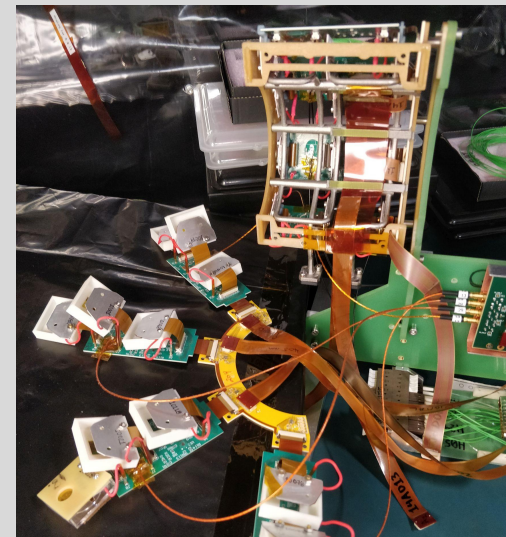
- Production of new components
- Sensor production and characterization with Sr-90
- Assembly and integration
- Stress-testing under thermal cycles (PLT)
- Troubleshooting and repairs...



- [2021-03-22] Installed in freezer to replace Q07
 - Immediate issue with “H29”
 - Analog flex cables were swapped when OMB was remounted
 - H13 ROCs *unresponsive* to Δ vana
 - After cassette assembly, this quadrant was only tested ~4-5 times
- [2021-03-26] Infamous “Friday 26th LCDS Massacre”
 - Investigation and repair was expected to be nearly identical as Q07
 - Bypassing H13 telescope did not recover functionality (strongly indicates LCDS failure)
 - Port card 14030 replaced with 19105 (tested 100% the day before)
 - Extracted 14030 post-mortem: H13 LCDS fatality confirmed
 - 19105 did *not* recover H13 functionality! 😞
 - Again, bypassing H13 telescope did not recover functionality
 - Strongly indicates LCDS failure
 - In addition, bypassing the port card revealed a fully-functional H13 telescope!
 - Strongly indicates LCDS failure



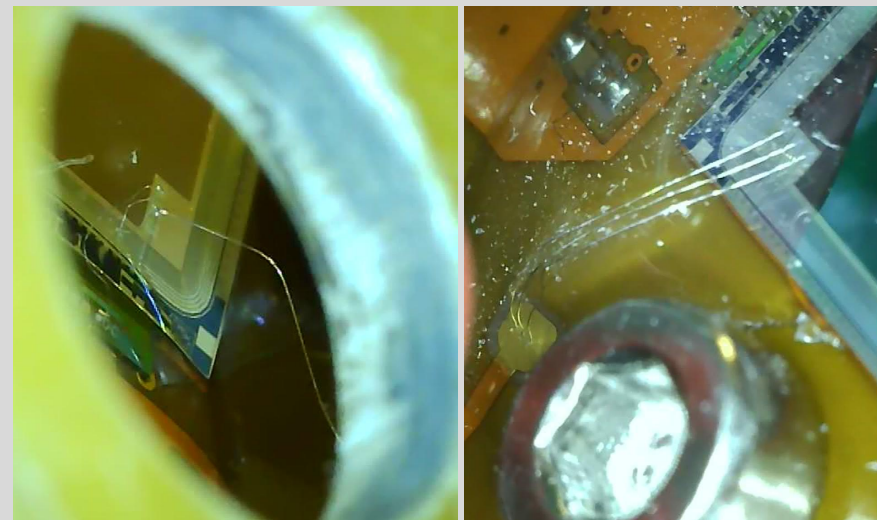
- [2021-03-26] Infamous “Friday 26th LCDS Massacre” (cont.)
 - Port card 19105 replaced with 19106 (tested 100% *immediately* before replacement)
 - Same story!
 - Extracted 19105 post-mortem: H13 LCDS fatality confirmed
 - 19106 did not recover H13 functionality! 😱
 - Again, bypassing H13 telescope did not recover functionality
 - Strongly indicates LCDS failure
 - Again, bypassing the port card revealed 100% H13 telescope!
 - Strongly indicates LCDS failure
- [2021-03-29] Exhaustive investigation of H13
 - No issues whatsoever identified
 - Unable to reproduce or “trigger” LCDS failure
 - Temporarily installed type 2 port card recovered H13!
 - Not secured with screws



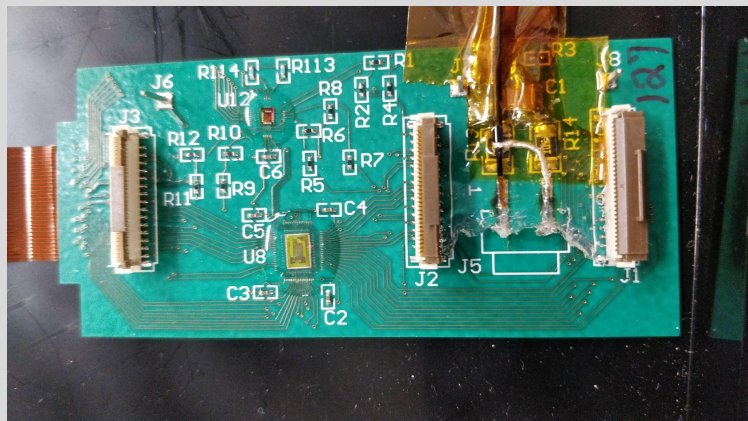
- [2021-03-30] Decided to proceed with port card replacement
 - Port card 19106 replaced with 19102 (last remaining 100% spare*)
 - Brought H13 back to life!!! 🎉
 - All quadrants 100% functional again!!!
 - Many many thanks to C.Farrow!!!
 - Investigation inconclusive
 - Remaining hypothesis: [mechanical stress due to screws](#)
 - Q06 port card is currently not fastened to cassette



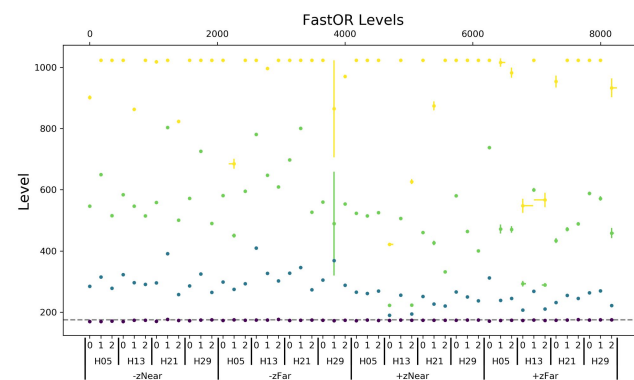
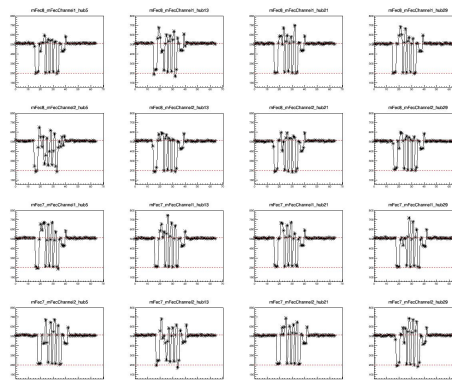
- Q05
 - Source tested on 2021-04-06
 - No issues to report
- Q08
 - [2021-05-06] **HUB05 ROC0**
 - Visible HV wire bond damage
 - Consistent with receiving no HV bias
- Q06
 - [2021-05-07] **HUB29 ROC2**
 - No indication of wire bond damage (but wire bonds encapsulated in Si potting)
 - Consistent with receiving no HV bias
 - No noticeable current draw from this sensor plane (IV scan using CAEN)
- Q07
 - [2021-05-07] **HUB21 all ROCs**
 - Investigation identified an HDI (19116) issue
 - No measurable HV on HDI pins & micro-coax core discontinuous from live wire
 - HV micro-coax cable was replaced and HDI HV functionality recovered
 - [2021-05-12] Repaired HDI reinstalled in Q07



- [2021-06-07] Source test: All 100% except HUB13
 - [2021-06-11] After *extensive* investigation
 - HV can be measured on HUB13 HDI HV pins [if cable is bent in a specific way](#)
 - C.Farrow noticed that solder was missing from the interior of the micro-coax connector
 - After applying the solder, a continuity test showed good connectivity regardless of bending
 - Si potting was applied, 24hr later...
 - [2021-06-16] HDI was mounted and *no current draw for HUB13* :(
 - HDI dismantled again, HV functionality was 100% good!
 - Si potting “disrupted” for measurements. Re-apply Si potting...?
 - **[lots of intermediate tests and heart attacks omitted for brevity]**
 - It’s been a “beer for lunch” kind of Tuesday
 - HV issue was tracked down to the CAEN HV module*
 - Issue disappeared (HV HUB13 functional again) when attempted to reproduce observation

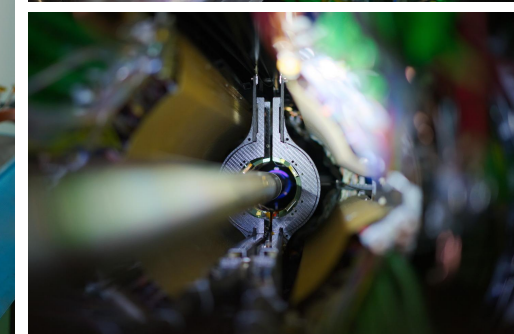
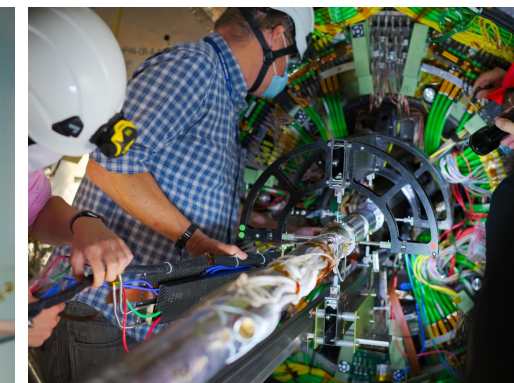
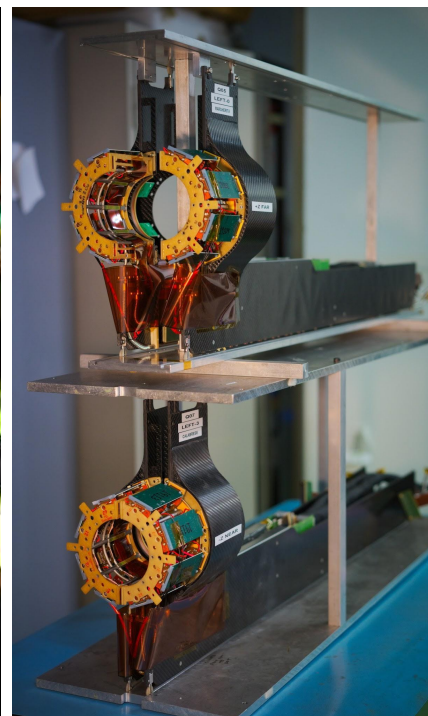
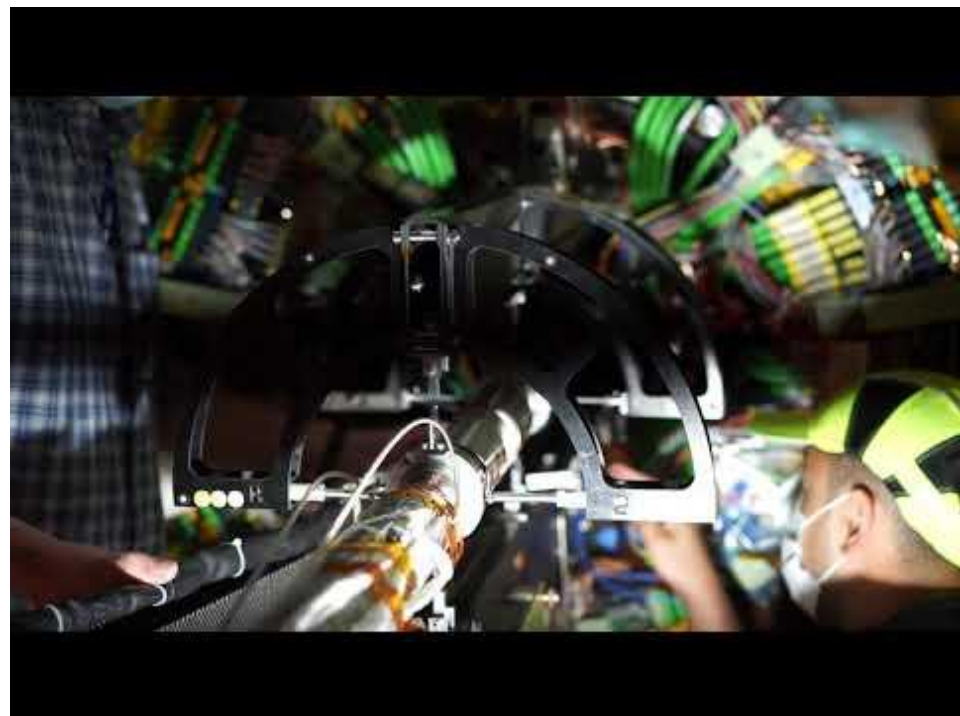


- Transport
- Installation
- Checkout

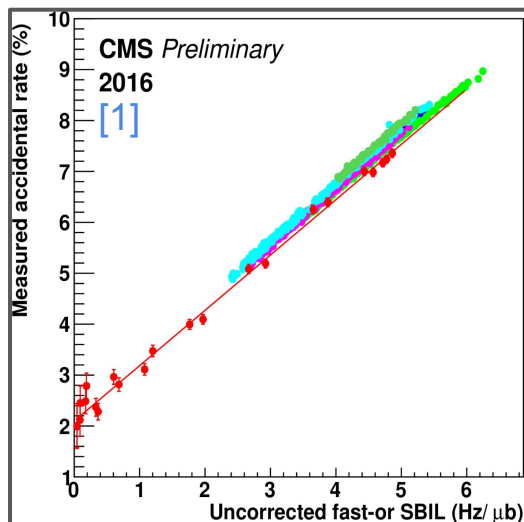
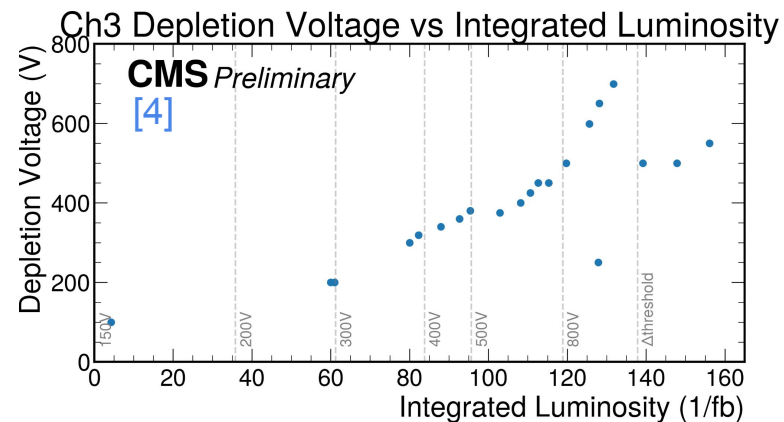


[News article on CMS website](#)

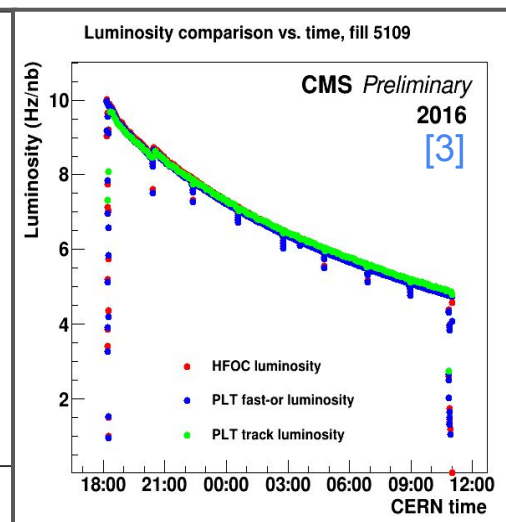
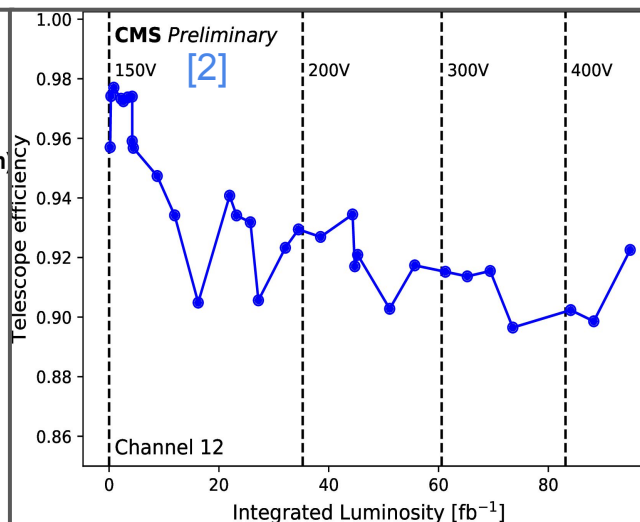
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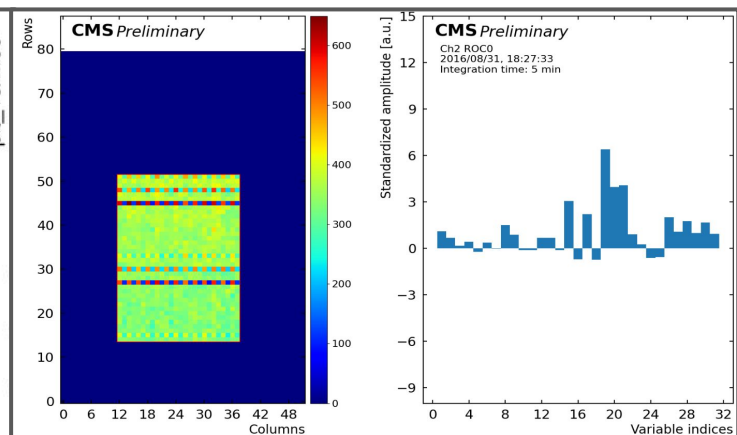
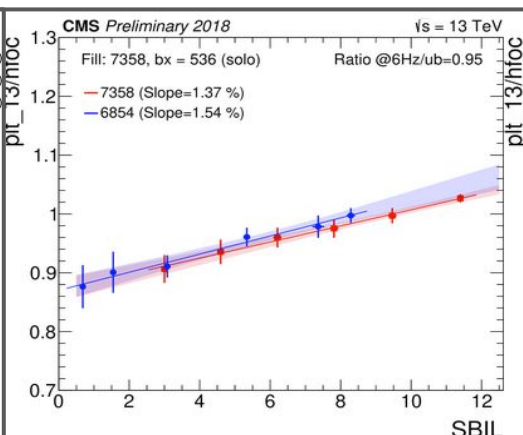
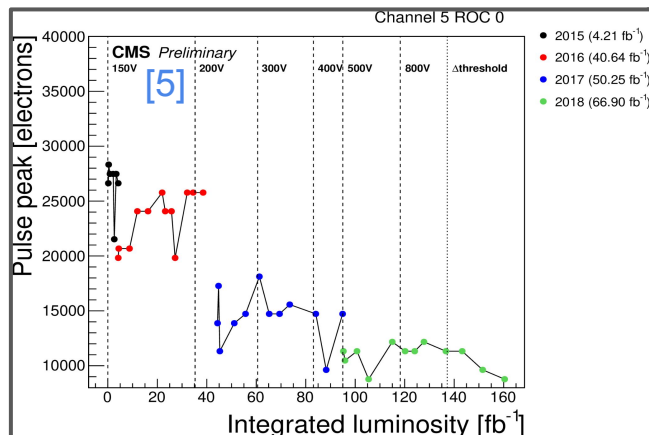
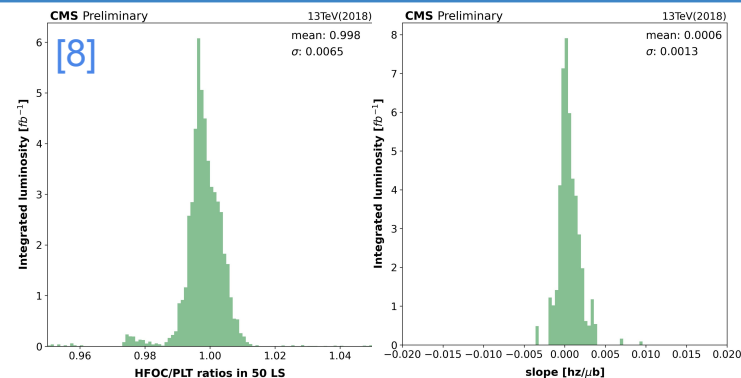
- [1] Accidentals
 - Fraction of “background” tracks vs SBIL
- [2] Efficiency
 - Fraction of tracks with a “missing” hit
- [3] Luminosity using track data
 - Can reduce contribution from accidentals
- [4] Depletion voltage
 - Minimum HV bias at which sensors are efficient



- Fill 5151 (μ scan)
- Fill 5154
- Fill 5162
- Fill 5163
- Fill 5173
- Fill 5179



- [5] Pulse Heights
 - Amount of charge deposited by particle traversing sensor
- [6] High-pileup performance
 - Linearity behavior of PLT vs HFOC at very high SBIL
- [7] Occupancy-based DQM
 - K-means ML to identify dead pixels, decoding errors, etc
- [8] Cross-detector linearity & stability uncertainty
 - Histogram ratio and slope distributions





Stable beams with great frictions

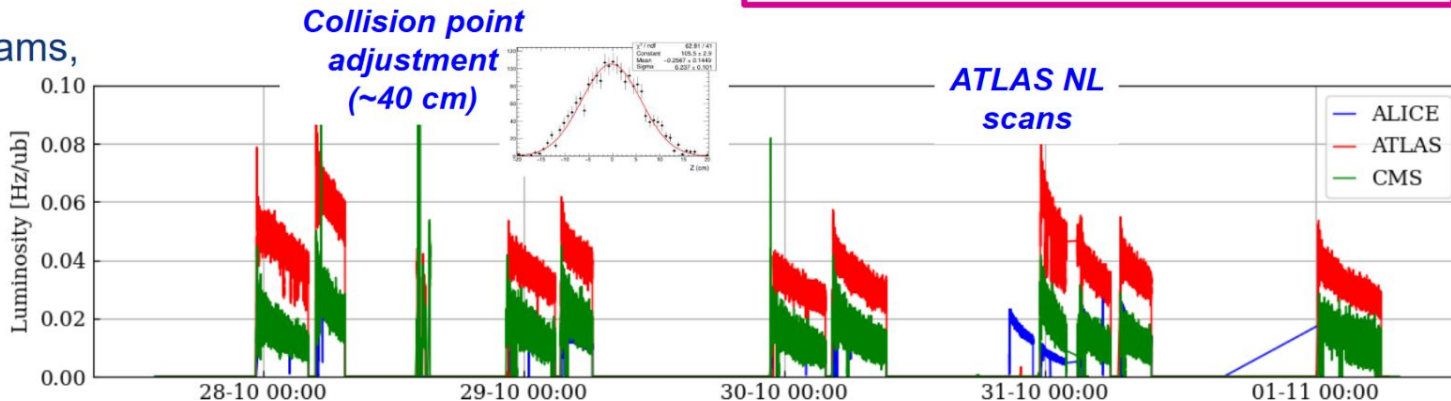
5 nights of stable beams,
close to 40 hours

4 bunches of $7-8E10$ p
per beam to avoid
parasitic collisions



LHC Beam Test

- ▣ Collisions for experiments.
 - Request for a few periods of ~6+ hours.



*Unknown CMS
physicist*

*We apologize for our optimistic planning,
as clients you had to be patient with us...*



- [2021-10-19] First splash events!
- [2021-10-26] First collisions!
- [2021-10-29] Preliminary Run 3 PLT masks deployed
- [2021-10-30] VcThr Scan
 - Optimized VcThr for all channels in -zFar and adjusted their BX alignment as much as possible

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[2376]: 0.353 0.682 0.659 0.137 0.003 0.000 0.055 0.001 0.346 0.438 0.681 0.673 0.054 0.581 0.570 0.570
$ ./bin/histfile_showbxfine "$(ls -t /scratch/workloop_data/Data_Histograms_202110* | head -1)" | grep --extended-regexp '^\[1235\]|\[1236\]'
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[1236]: 0.428 0.731 0.704 0.269 0.510 0.605 0.613 0.000 0.659 0.707 0.692 0.672 0.697 0.614 0.571 0.573
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- [In progress] Automation of detailed PLT per-fill DQM
- [In progress] Preliminary Run 3 PLT σ_{vis} calibration

Absolute luminosity calibration and corrections

- Determination of the visible cross section: σ_{vis} (**normalization**)
- Measurement and correction for stability and linearity (**integration**)

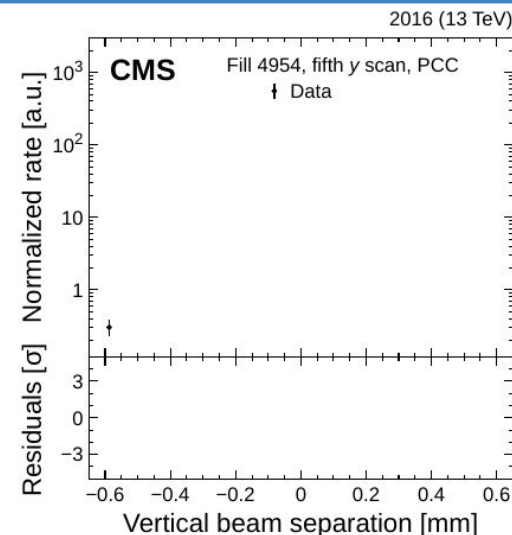
Determination of σ_{vis} (normalization)

- **van der Meer (vdM) method**

- Allows absolute luminosity calibration from **beam parameters**
 - Visible cross-section (σ_{vis}) related to detector acceptance
- Beams are **separated** and **scanned** across each other in special fill
 - Very **low pileup** conditions
 - “vdM”, “offset”, “imaging”, “length scale” scans
- Measurement of **rate** as a function of **beam separation**
 - Size of the beam overlap region can be determined and the absolute luminosity calculated

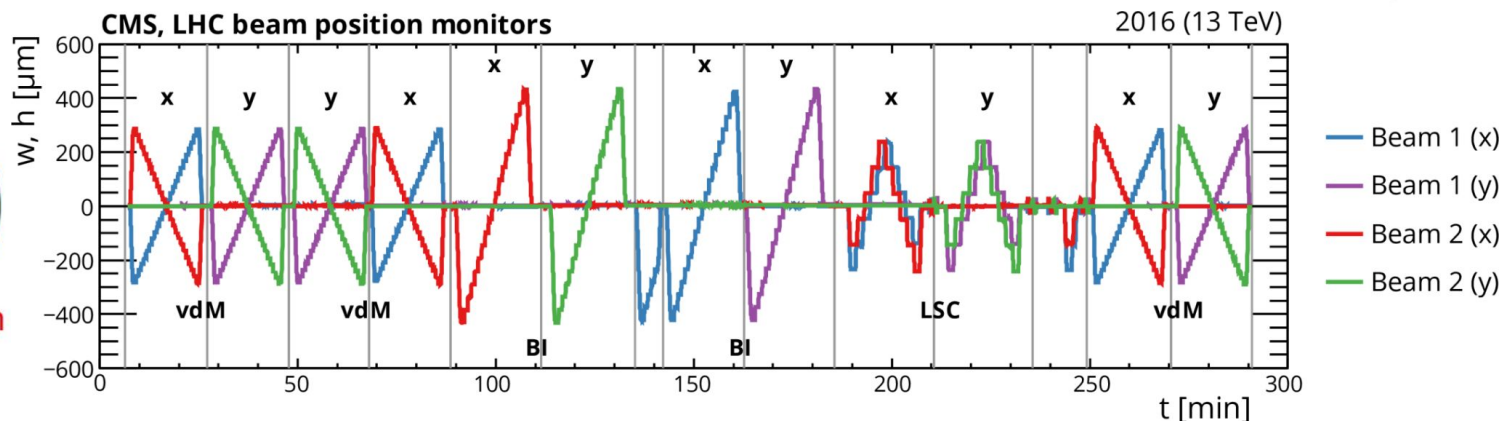
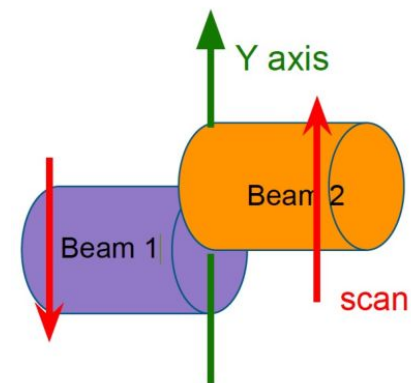
- **Emittance scans**

- Quick scan (7-9 steps) at the beginning and end of fills

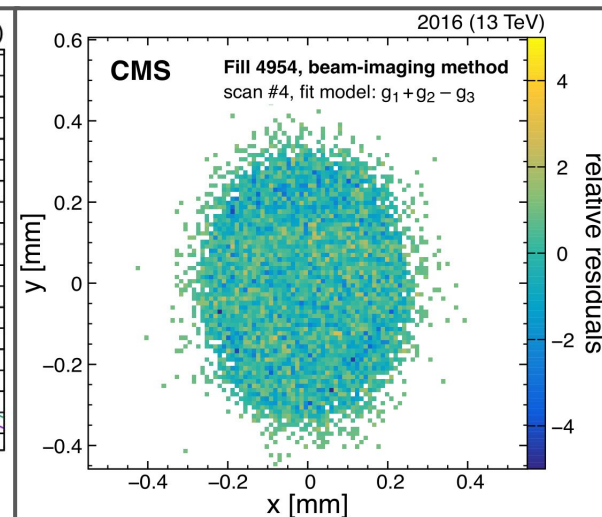
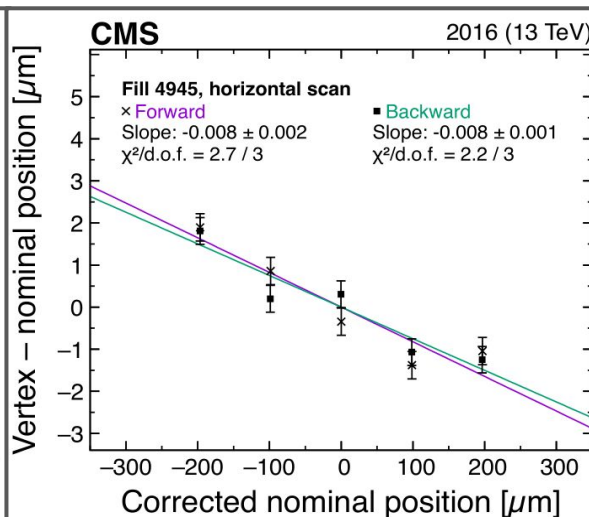
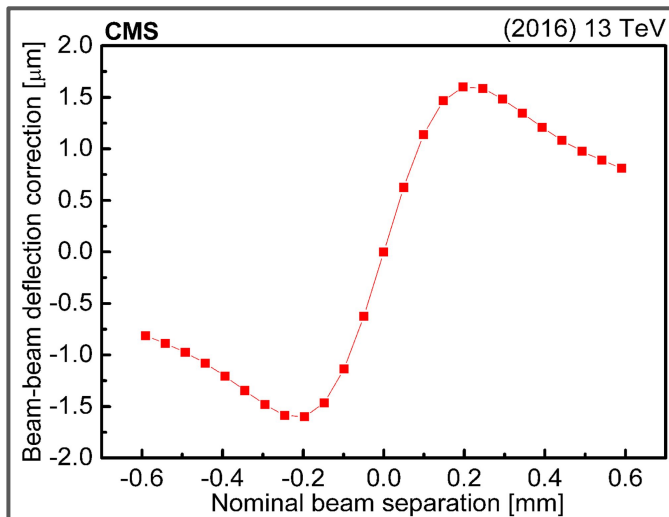
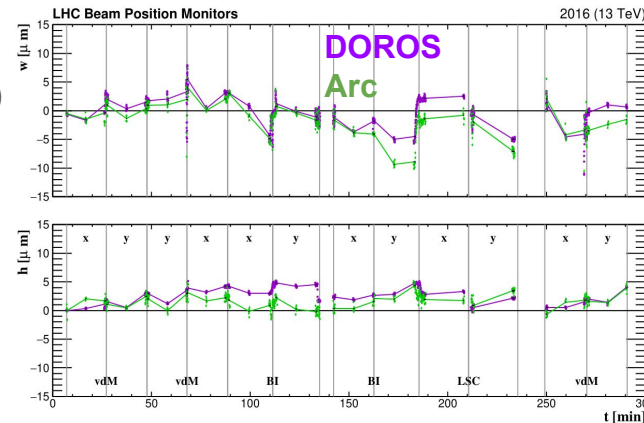


$$\sigma_{\text{vis}} = \frac{R_0}{N_1 N_2} \frac{2\pi \Sigma_X \Sigma_Y}{f_{\text{LHC}}}$$

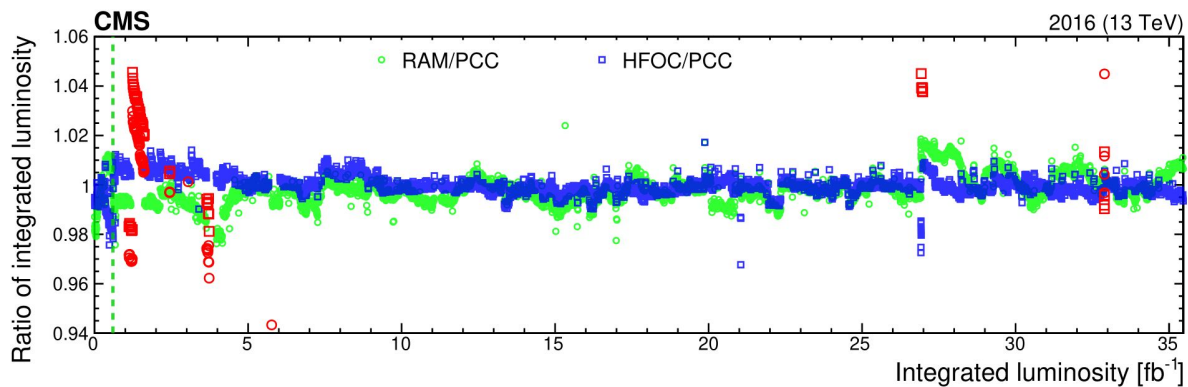
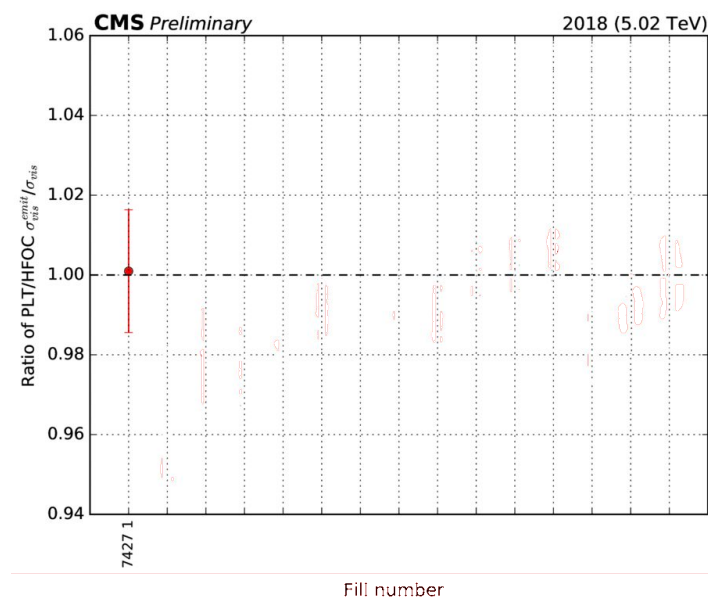
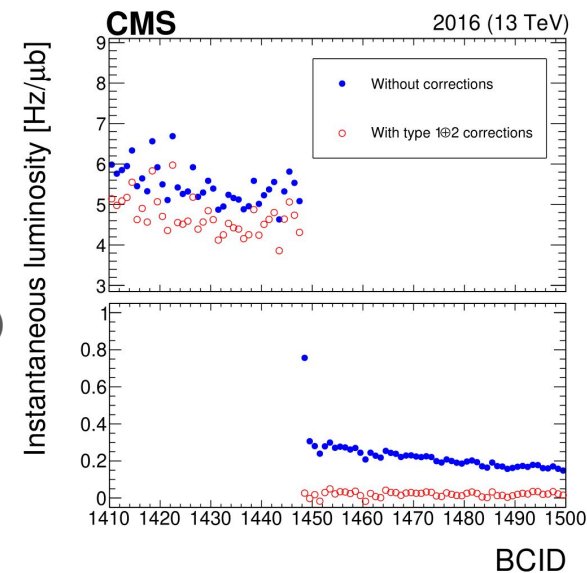
2016 (13 TeV)



- Orbit drift corrections
 - Potential bias from beam positions monitors (DOROS, Arc BPM)
- Beam-beam effects
 - EM interaction (deflection & shape) between colliding bunches
- Length scale calibration
 - $\Delta(\text{beam separation}_{\text{LHC magnets}}, \text{beam separation}_{\text{actual}})$
- Transverse factorizability
 - Non-factorizability of X and Y components measured and corrected with the beam-image method
- Other corrections
 - beam current calibration and spurious charge



- Corrections for *typical LHC physics* running conditions
- **Rate corrections**
 - Efficiency & Non-linearity
 - Reduced response, noise from radiation damage
 - Out-of-time pileup corrections
 - From electronics spillover and material activation (“afterglow”)
- **Linearity and Stability**
 - Determined from comparisons between luminometers



- **Normalization** uncertainty

- Uncertainty in the absolute luminosity scale (σ_{vis}) determined from **vdM scan** procedure
- Dominant: beam position monitoring, transverse factorizability, beam-beam effects

- **Integration** uncertainty

- Uncertainty associated with σ_{vis} variations over time (**stability**) and pileup (**linearity** and out-of-time rate corrections)

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$$\int \mathcal{L} dt = \frac{1}{\sigma_{vis}} \int R(t) dt$$

Source	2015 [%]	2016 [%]	Corr
Normalization uncertainty			
<i>Bunch population</i>			
Ghost and satellite charge	0.1	0.1	Yes
Beam current normalization	0.2	0.2	Yes
<i>Beam position monitoring</i>			
Orbit drift	0.2	0.1	No
Residual differences	0.8	0.5	Yes
<i>Beam overlap description</i>			
Beam-beam effects	0.5	0.5	Yes
Length scale calibration	0.2	0.3	Yes
Transverse factorizability	0.5	0.5	Yes
<i>Result consistency</i>			
Other variations in σ_{vis}	0.5	0.2	No
Integration uncertainty			
<i>Out-of-time pileup corrections</i>			
Type 1 corrections	0.3	0.3	Yes
Type 2 corrections	0.1	0.3	Yes
<i>Detector performance</i>			
Cross-detector stability	0.6	0.5	No
Linearity	0.5	0.3	Yes
<i>Data acquisition</i>			
CMS downtime	0.5	<0.1	No
Total normalization uncertainty	1.2	1.0	—
Total integration uncertainty	1.0	0.7	—
Total uncertainty	1.6	1.2	—

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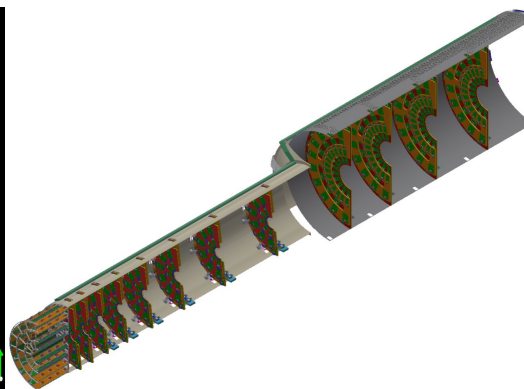
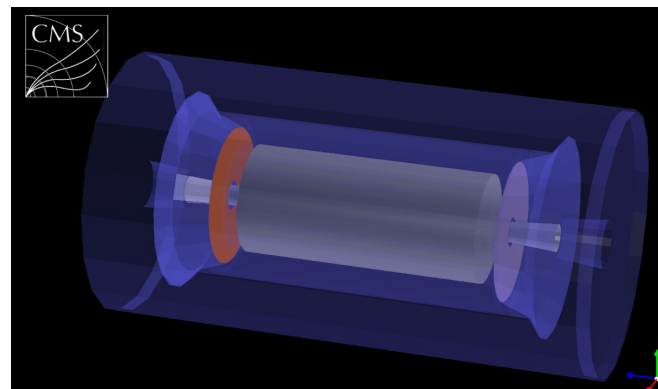
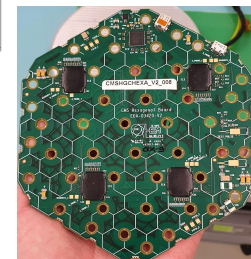
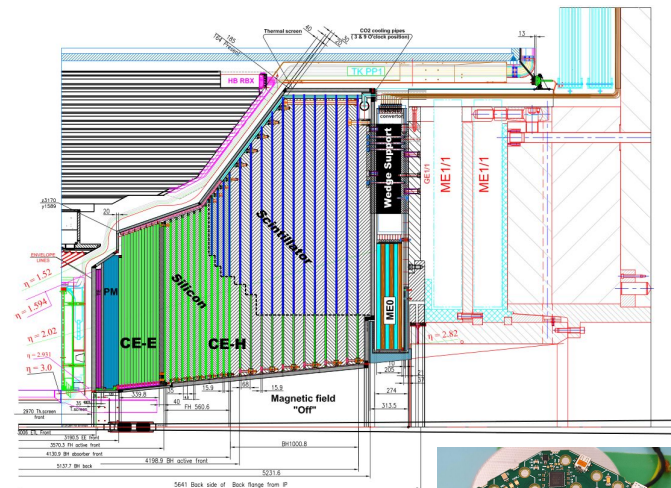
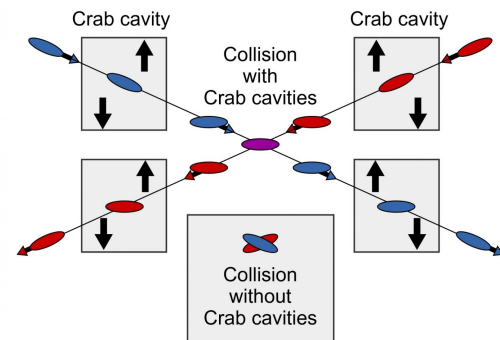


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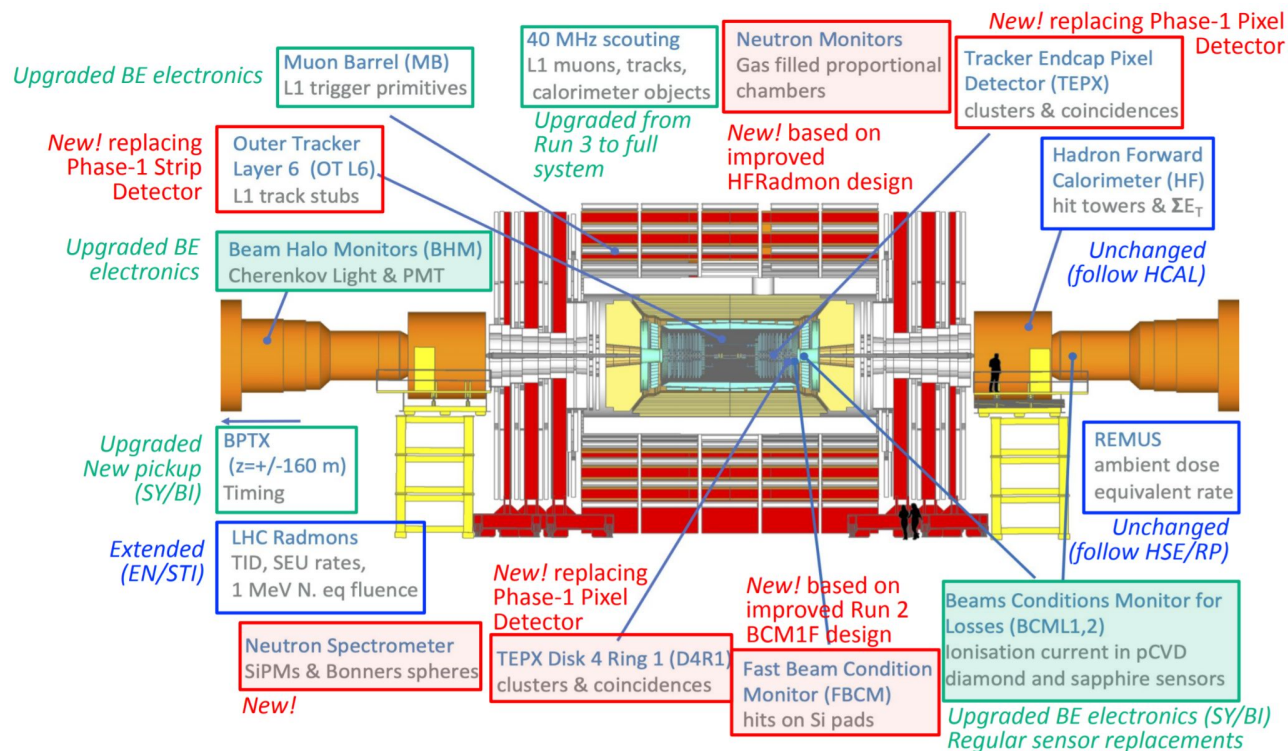


Source	Impact on σ_{vis} [%]	
	2015	2016
Ghost and satellite charge	+0.2	+0.3
Orbit drift	+0.6–1.0	+0.2–1.0
Residual beam position corrections	+0.3–1.1	+0.2–0.9
Beam-beam effects	+0.6	+0.4
Length scale calibration	–0.4	–1.3
Transverse factorizability	+0.8–1.3	+0.6

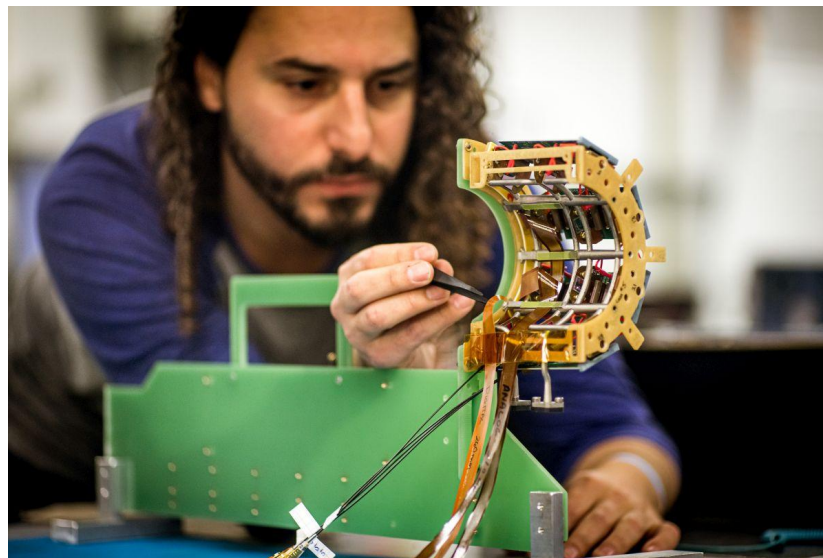
- Increase in **luminosity** $\sim 10x$ LHC's design value
 - Large data sample size \rightarrow improves studies of rare processes
 - 12 T quadrupole magnets to focus beams at IPs
 - Crab cavities to optimize crossing angle at IPs
- Upgrade of CMS detector systems
 - Colossal amount of ongoing work to update systems able to operate at HL-LHC conditions
 - Replacement of **Pixel** and **Tracker** (input to L1 trigger)
 - Replacement of End-Cap Calorimeter (**HGCAL**)
 - **MIP Precision Timing** detector (30 ps resolution)
 - Overhaul of the **Trigger** and **DAQ** systems
 - Event rate: 100 kHz \rightarrow 750 kHz
 - Permanent storage: 1 kHz \rightarrow 7.5 kHz

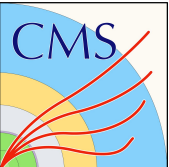


- Large contribution from luminosity uncertainty in precision SM measurements
 - $\approx 1\%$ lumi uncertainty required to become comparable to other experimental uncertainties
- Target: redundant and diverse detectors with excellent linearity and stability
 - Tracker Endcap Pixel Detector (TEPX) Disk 4 Ring 1 (D4R1)
 - Fast Beam Conditions Monitor (FBCM)
 - Muon barrel detector and 40 MHz scouting

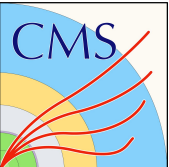


- Luminosity measurement is very involved and important for the collaboration
 - It requires multiple **redundant** and **robust** luminosity detectors
 - The new PLT detector has been **successfully installed** and being **commissioned** for Run 3
- The **van der Meer** scan method is crucial
 - Determine the overall normalization and systematic uncertainties associated with integrated luminosity
- The **HL-LHC** presents challenging conditions for new lumi detectors and lumi measurement techniques



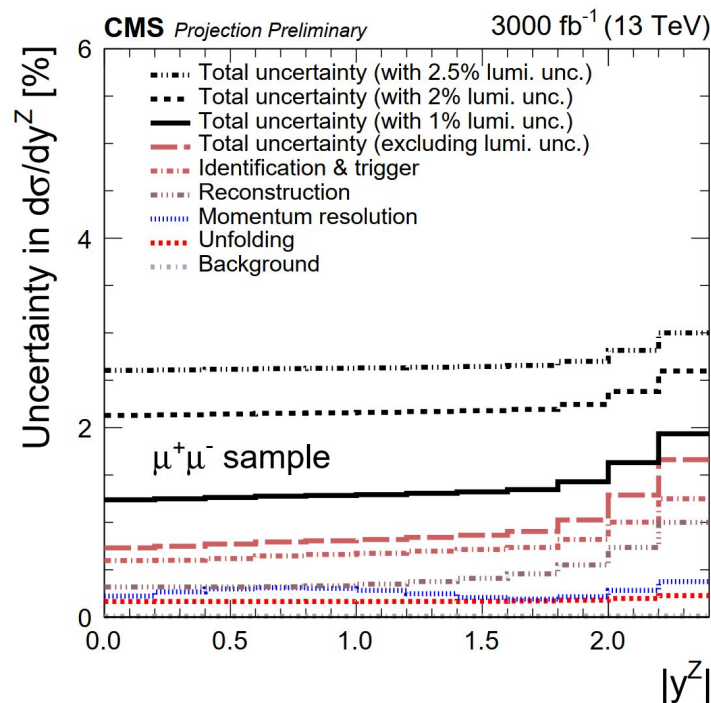
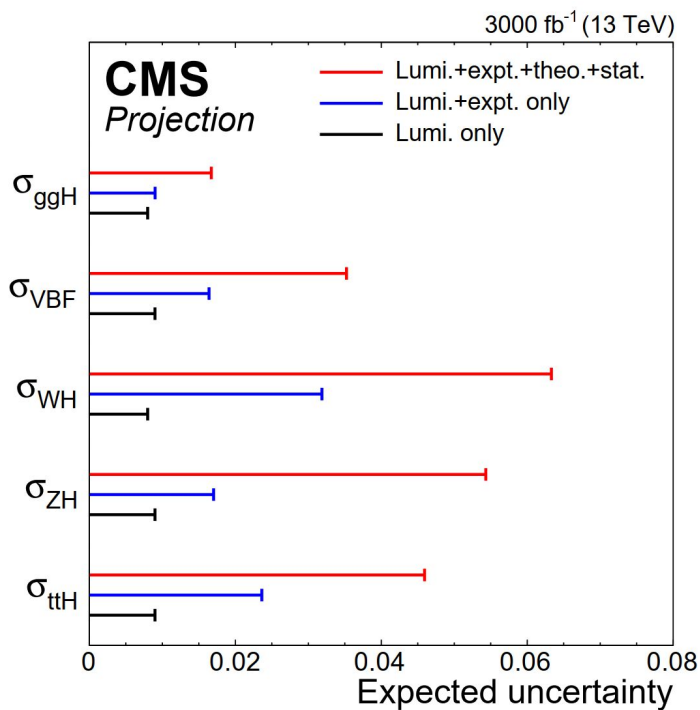


- [CMS website: Illuminating! Counting LHC collisions with CMS](#)
- [CMS website: The installation of the BRIL luminometers: Preparing for bright Run 3](#)
- [LPC: General information about luminosity calibration at the LHC](#)
- [Precision luminosity measurement in proton-proton collisions at \$\sqrt{s}= 13\$ TeV in 2015 and 2016 at CMS](#)
- [The Phase-2 Upgrade of the CMS Beam Radiation, Instrumentation, and Luminosity Detectors: Conceptual Design](#)



Backup





- Diverse detector technologies and counting methods, orthogonal systematics, redundancy!
- Already in use during Run 2:
 - Hadron Forward (HF) calorimeter ($3.15 < |\eta| < 3.5$)
 - 2 algorithms for luminosity measurement:
 - Tower Occupancy (HFOC)
 - Transverse Energy sum (HFET)
 - Radiation and Environment Monitoring Unified Supervision (REMUS) monitors
 - Radiation Monitoring System for the Environment and Safety (RAMSES) subsystem used for luminosity systematics

	Available outside stable beams	Independent of TCDS	Independent of foreseeable central DAQ downtimes	Offline luminosity available at LS frequency (bunch-by-bunch)	Statistical uncertainty in physics per LS (bunch-by-bunch)	Online luminosity available at ~1s frequency (bunch-by-bunch)	Statistical uncertainty in vdM scans for σ_{vis} (bunch-by-bunch)	Stability and linearity tracked with emittance scans (bunch-by-bunch)
FBCM hits on pads	✓	✓	✓	✓	0.037%	✓	0.18%	✓
D4R1 clusters (+coincidences)	✓	✓	✓	✓	0.021%	✓	0.07%	✓
HFET [sum ET] (+HFOC [towers hit])	✓	<i>if configured</i>	<i>if configured</i>	✓	0.017%	✓	0.23%	✓
TEPX clusters (+coincidences)	<i>if qualified beam optics</i>	✗	<i>if configured</i>	✓	0.020%	✓	0.03%	✓
OT L6 track stubs	<i>not anticipated</i>	✗	<i>if configured</i>	✓	0.006%	✓	0.03%	✓
MB trigger primitives via back end	✓	✗	✗	✓	0.25%	✓	1.2%	✓
40 MHz scouting BMTF muon	✓	✗	✗	✓	0.96%	✓	4.7%	✓
REMUS ambient dose equivalent rate	✓	✓	✓	<i>orbit integrated</i>	<i>orbit integrated</i>	<i>orbit integrated</i>	<i>orbit integrated</i>	<i>orbit integrated</i>

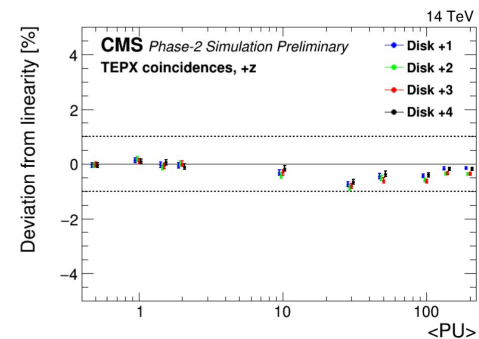
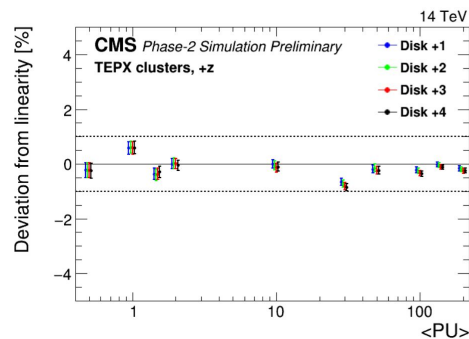
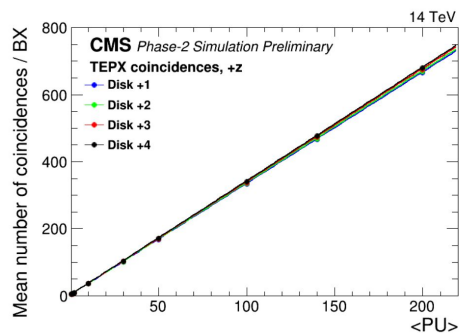
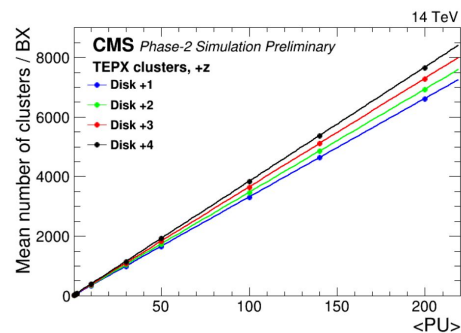
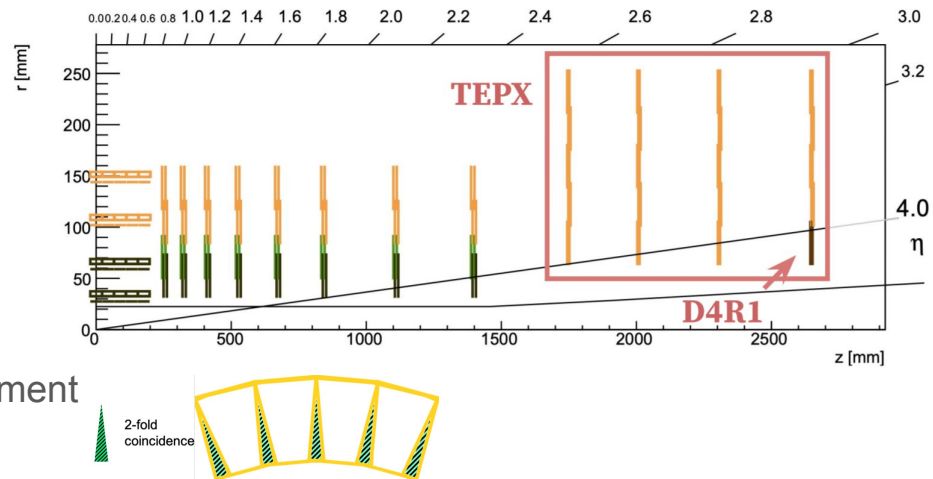
precision luminometers

independent of any central CMS service

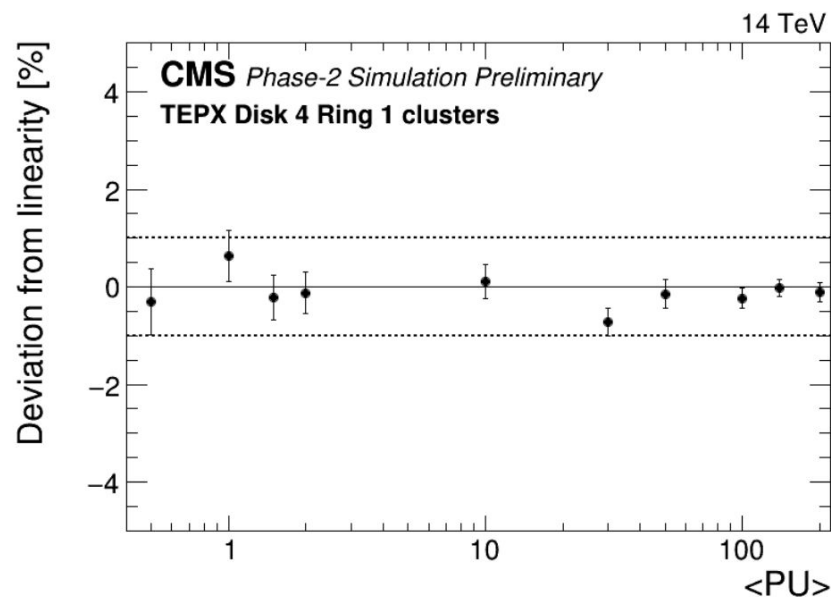
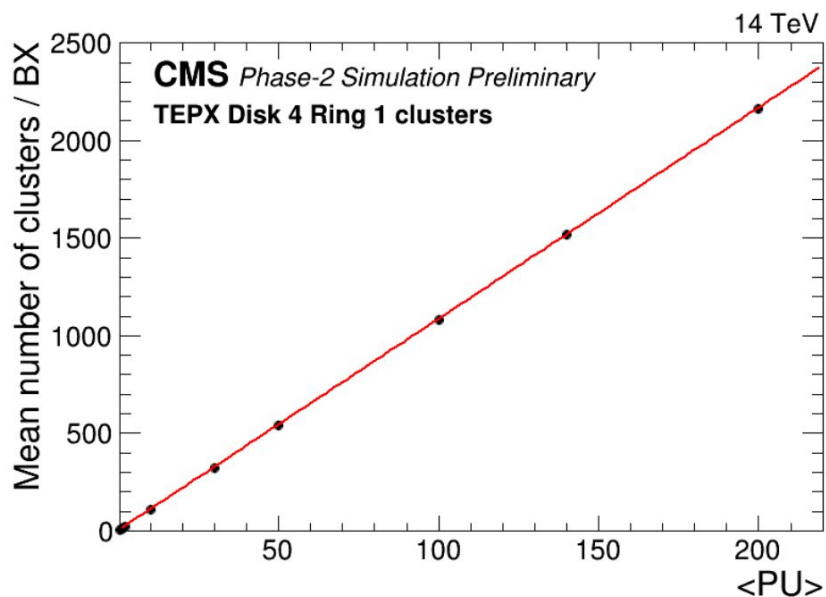
at least one of them shall be available 100% of the time

independent measurements

- TEPX $63 < r < 255$ mm, $175 < |z| < 265$ cm
 - D4R1 lies beyond $|\eta| = 4$
- 800 M pixels over an area of 2 m²
- Designed for 10^3 kHz \rightarrow low occupancy
- TEPX luminosity
 - real time Pixel Cluster Counting on FPGA
 - dedicated unbiased trigger (75 kHz)
 - module geometry allows coincidence measurement
 - handle for calibration and systematics



- D4R1 operated exclusively by BRIL
- Higher trigger rate (750+75 kHz) and smaller surface (190 mm²)
 - Similar performance as TEPX
- Beam-induced background measurement
 - Needs at least 30 empty bunch crossings to decrease albedo and out-of-time particle contribution
 - Only the first bunch in a train or unpaired bunches



- Proposal to locate close to bulkhead (behind disk 4 of TEPX)
 - $8 < r < 30$ cm, $277 < |z| < 290$ cm
- 4 quarters, 84 silicon-pad (expect 300um, 2.89 mm²) sensors/quarter
- Luminosity measurement using zero-counting algorithm
- BIB measurement exploiting info of the time-of-arrival (ToA) and time-over-threshold (ToT) of hits with a sub-ns resolution at the rate of 40 MHz

