

# ILC Detector Work

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Large Detector Concept

TPC Detector Response Simulation and Track Reconstruction

World Wide Study Detector R&D Panel

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# TPC

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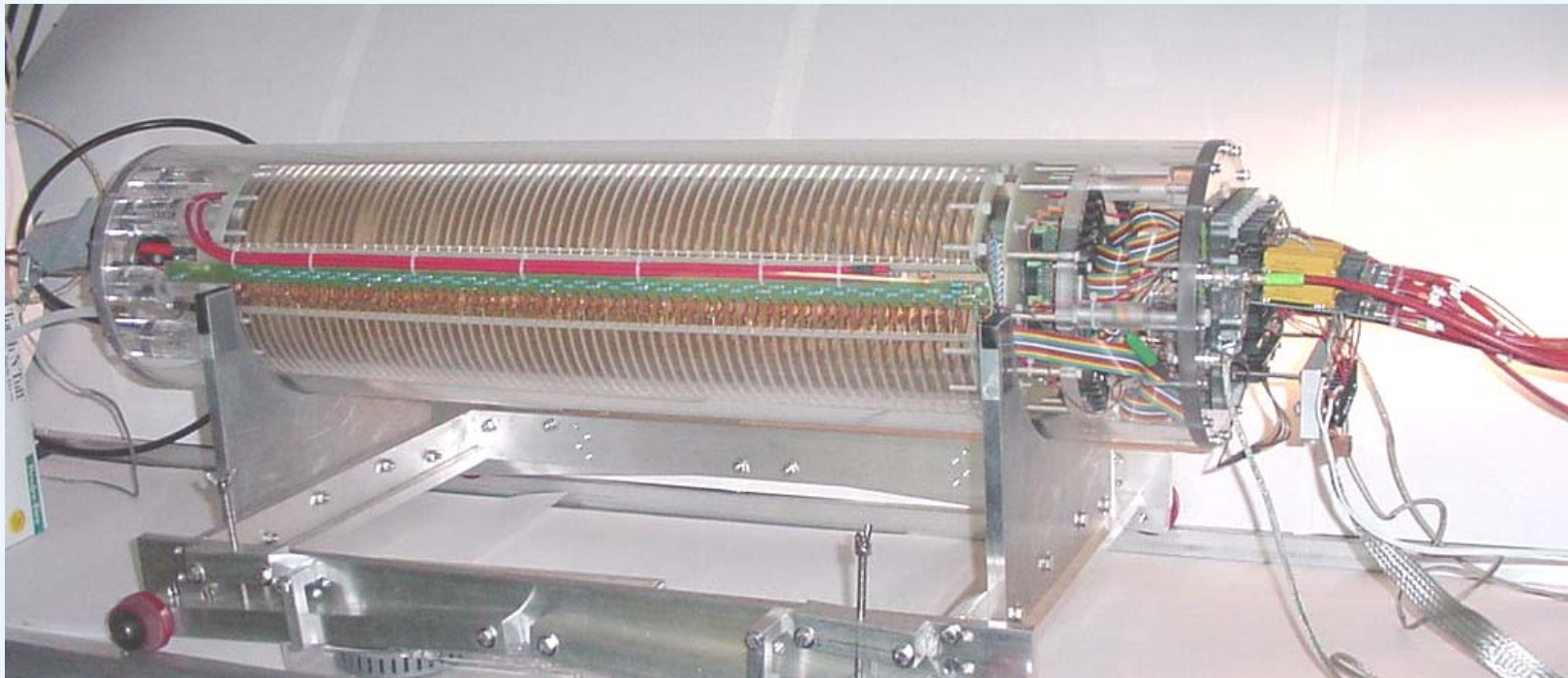
P. Onyisi

January 2005: construction completed, recorded first events

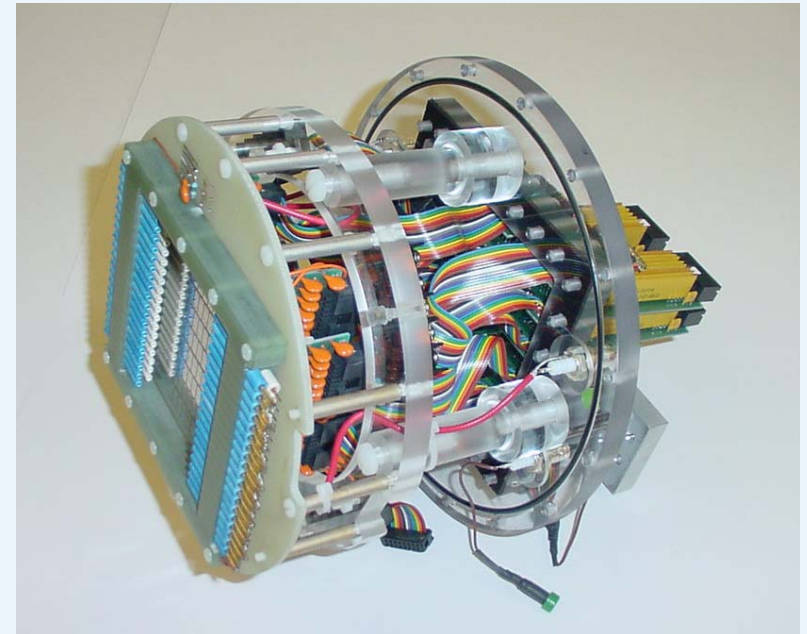
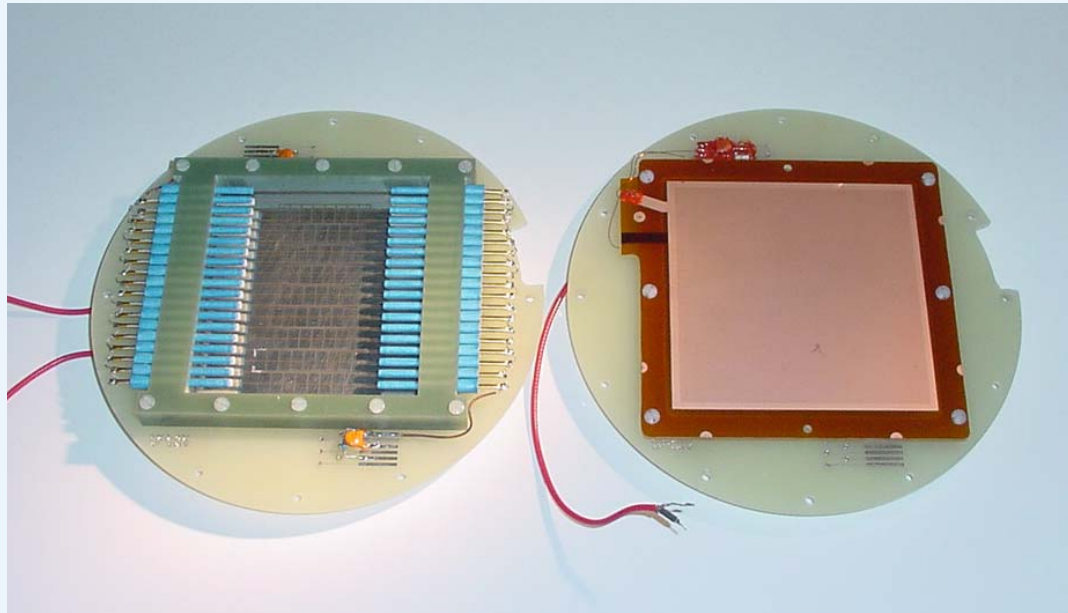
14.6 cm ID field cage - accommodates a 10 cm GEM

64 cm drift field length

22.2 cm OD outer structure (8.75 inch)

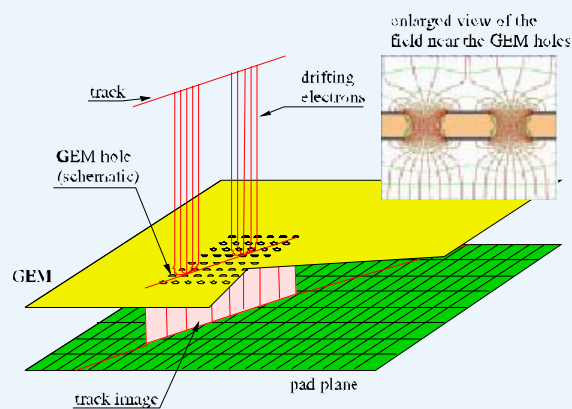


# MPWC and GEM amplification



10 cm

The readout module including the amplification device mounted on pad board

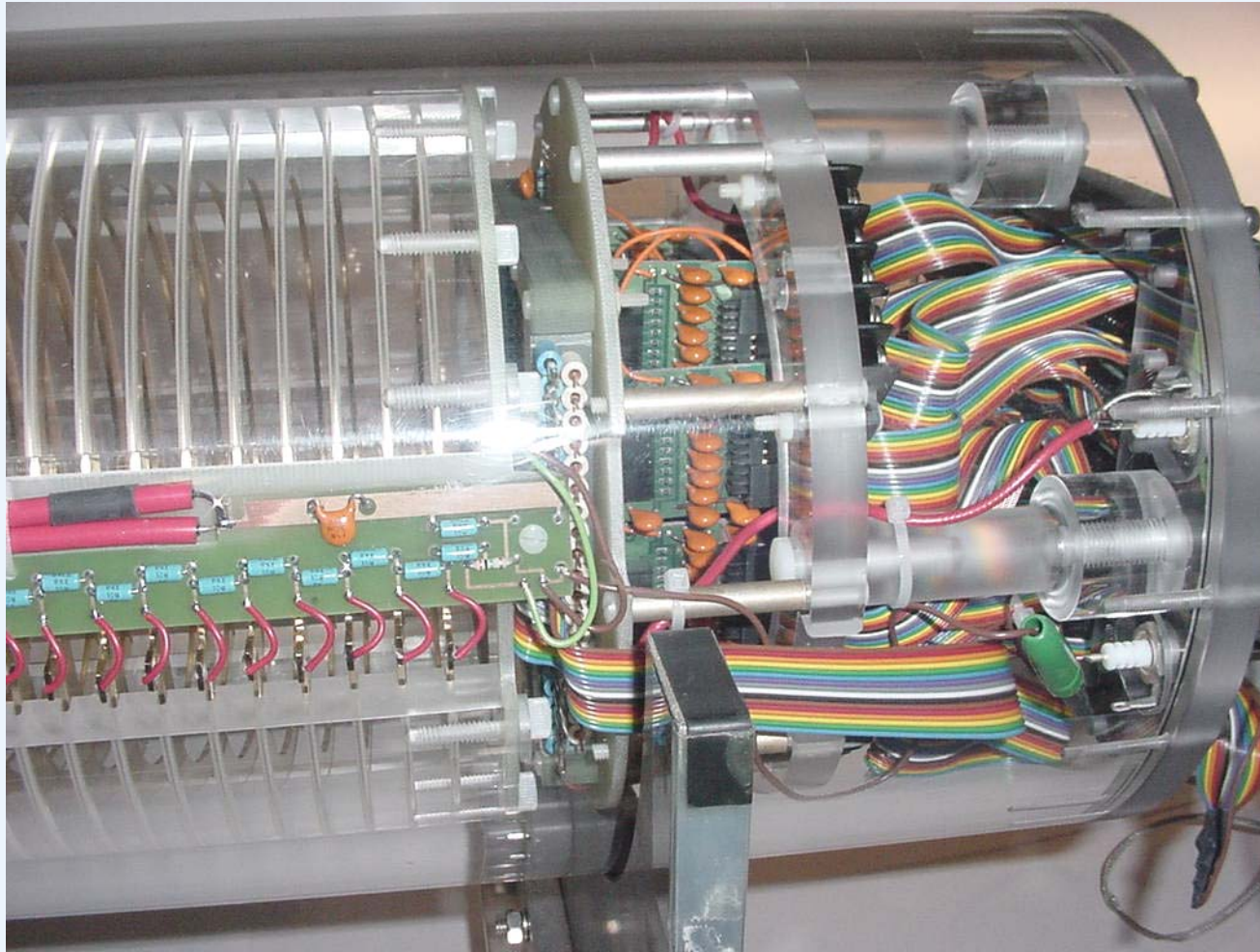


The instrumented readout area is  
~2cm x 7 cm , 32 pads.

The biased area is 10cm square.

( This pad board allows ~3 x 9 cm , 62 pads. )

# TPC Readout End details



Visible:

field cage HV distribution  
field cage termination  
**wire gas-amplification**  
pad board  
pad biasing boards  
signal ribbon cable

Biasing:

drift: 300V/cm  
@ termination: -900V  
( 1.0 cm )  
grid: -600V  
( 0.5 cm )  
anode: +550V  
( 0.5 cm )  
pads: -2000V

# single GEM

single GEM gas amplification

CERN GEM mounted, tested by Purdue

installed 11-March

biasing:

field cage, -20kV, 300 V/cm

termination: -900V

GEM voltage: **-400V**

(GEM bottom: at ground)

(Gas amplification ~100.)

pads: +1500 V

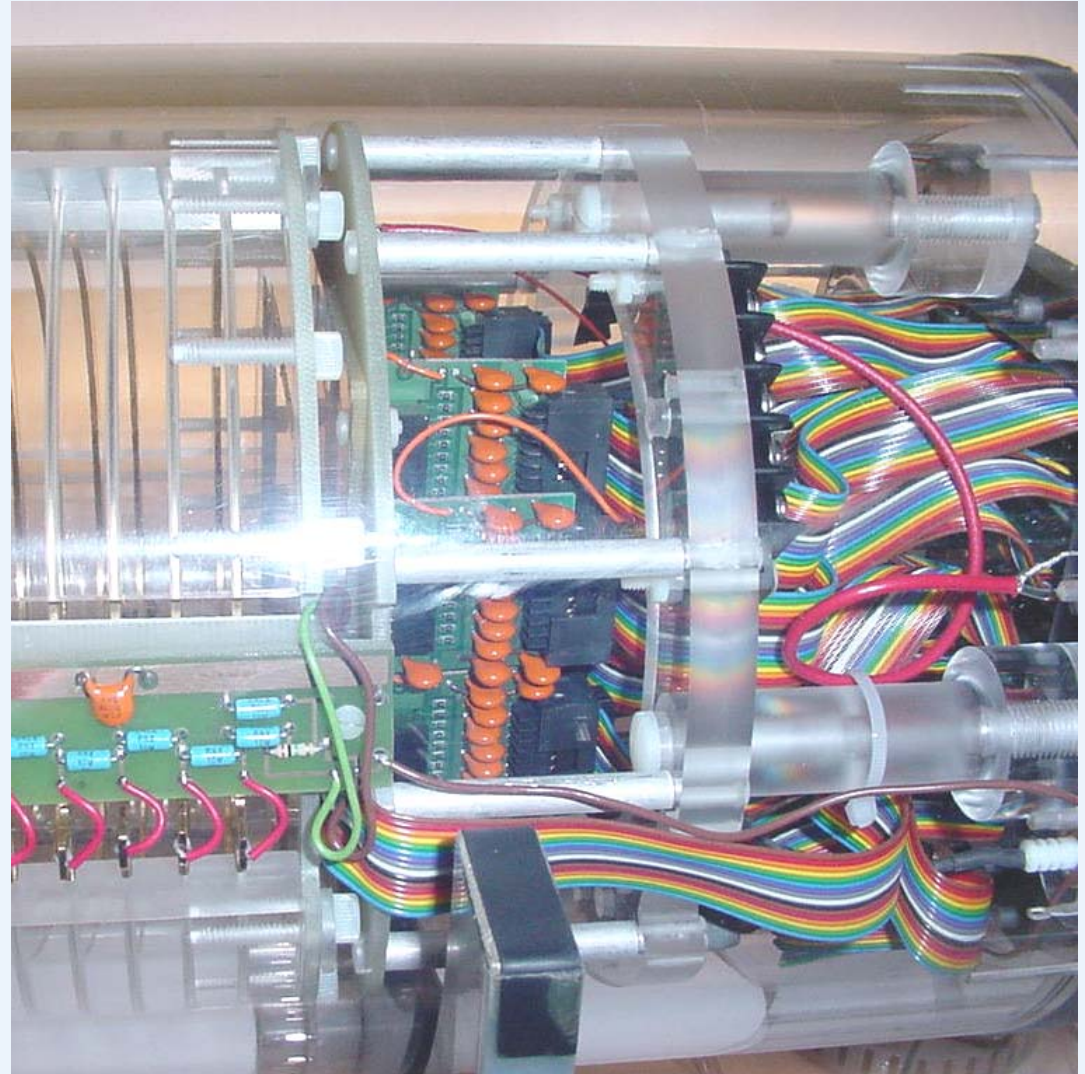
Electric fields:

field termination – GEM top: 0.5 cm ,

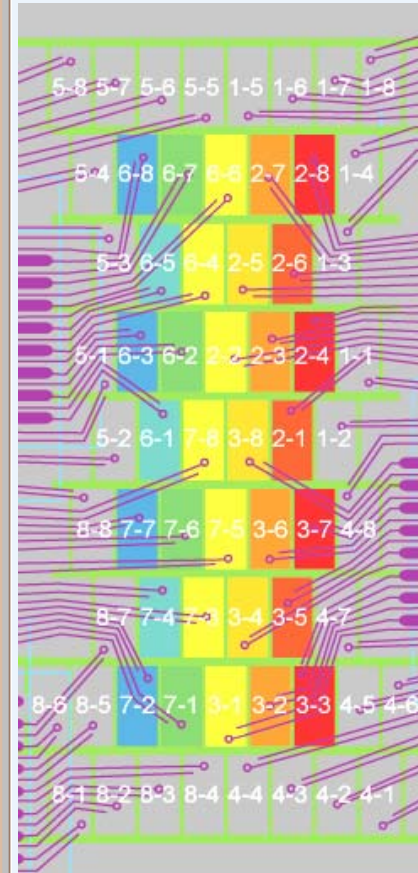
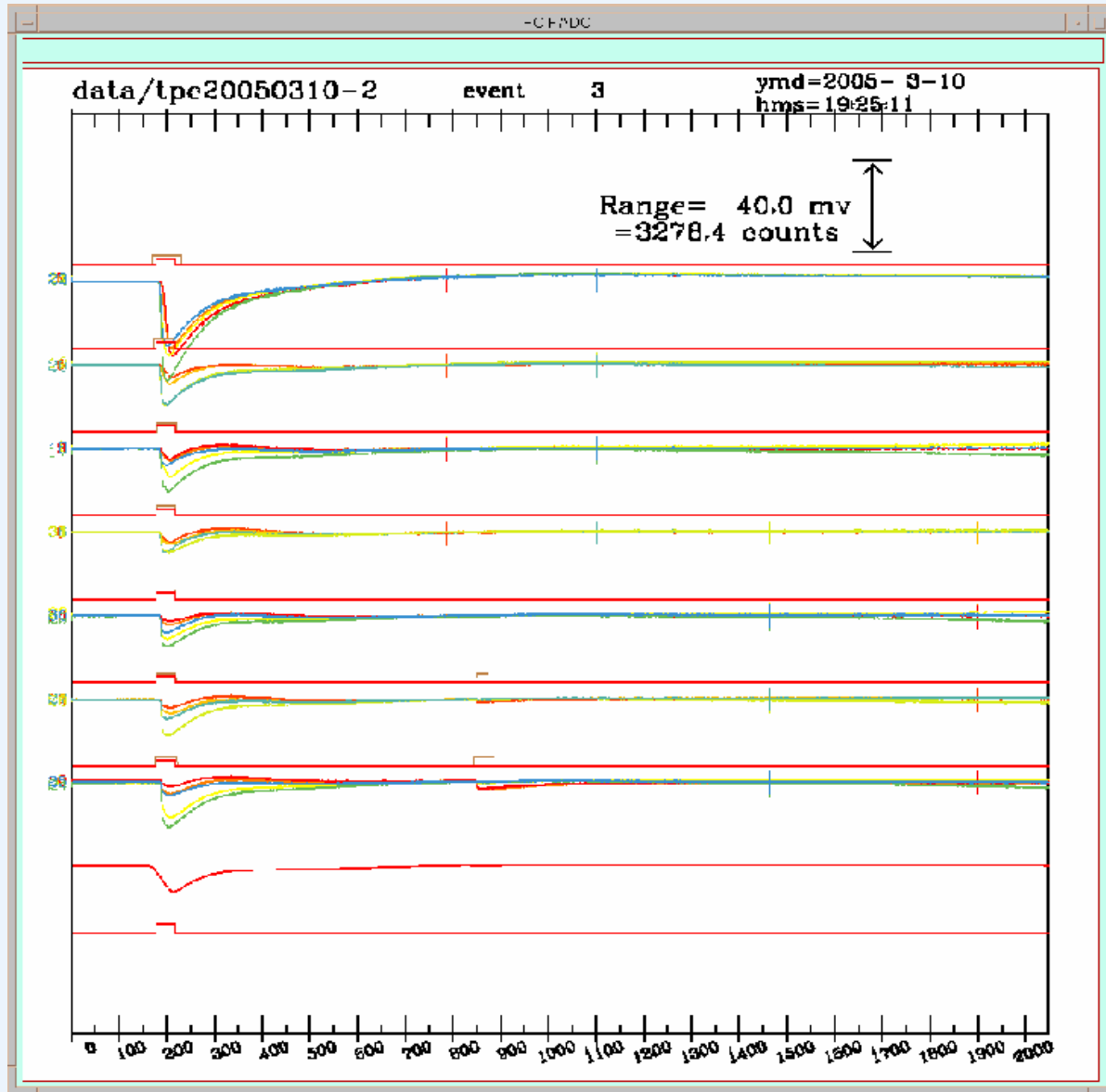
**0.96 kV/cm**

induction gap: 0.3 cm,

**5 kV/cm**



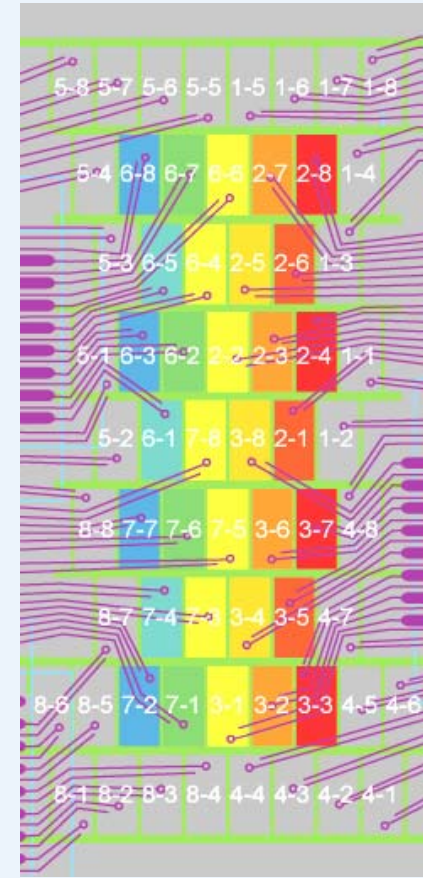
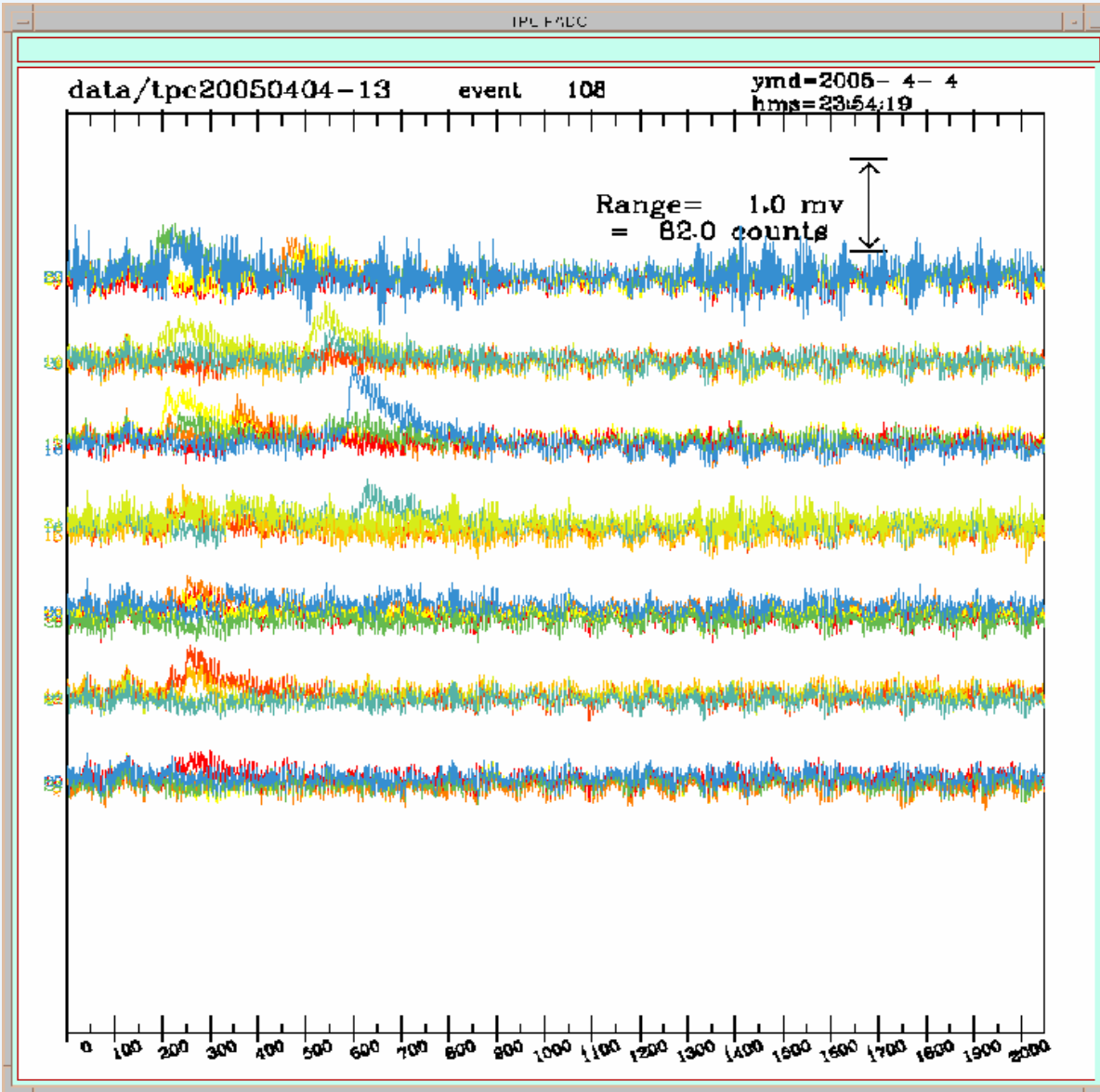
# MWPC event (typical)



ArCO<sub>2</sub> (10%) , 300V/cm  
25 MHz , 40 ns  
2048 time buckets (81.92  $\mu$ s)

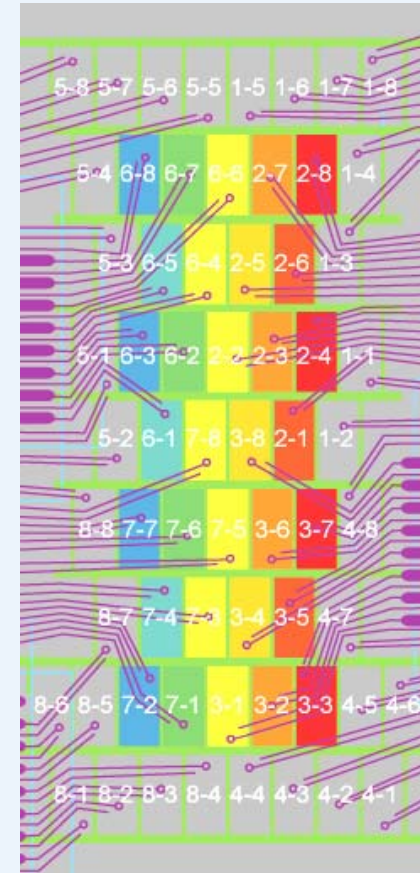
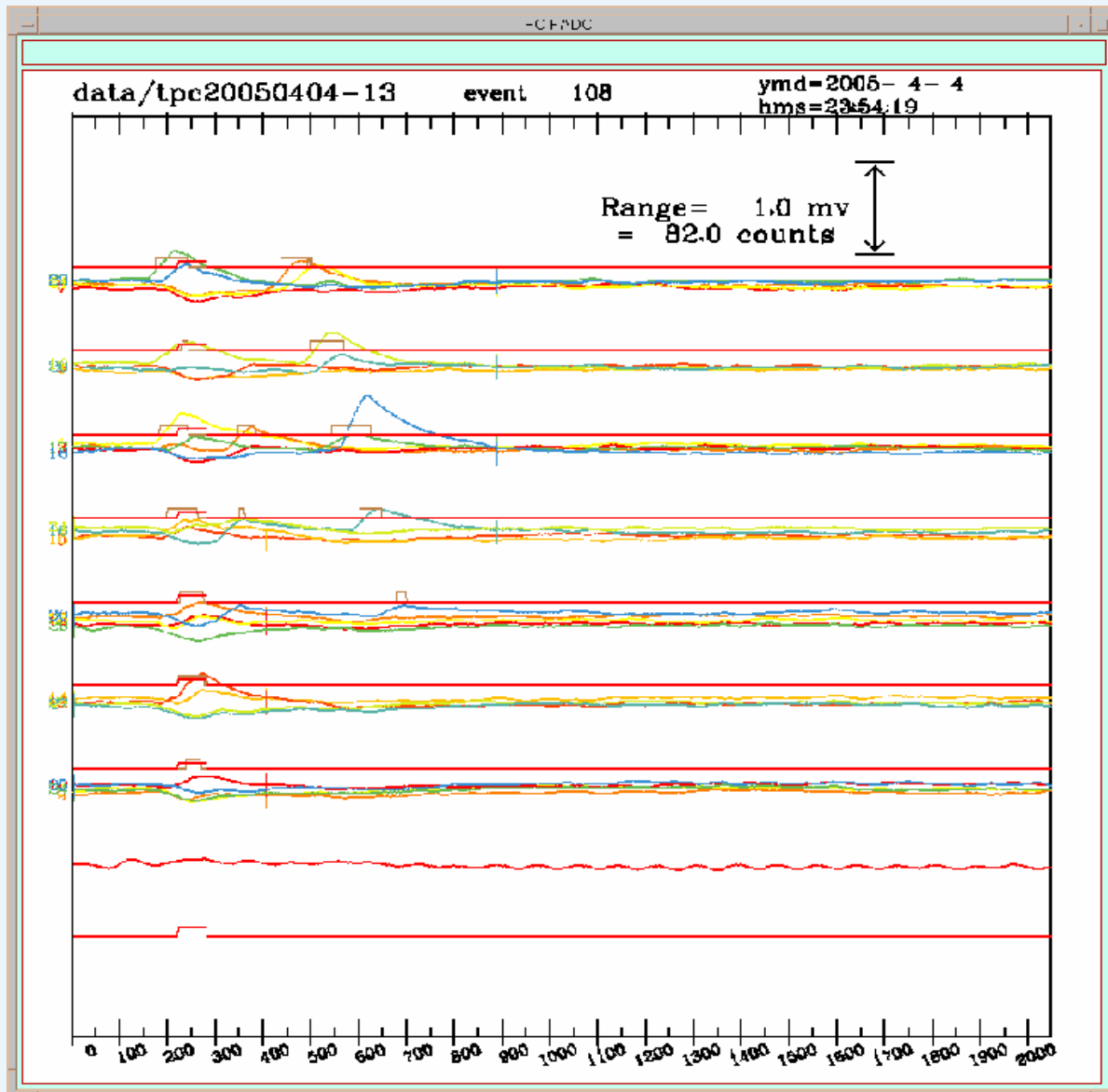
# single-GEM event

Note the 1 mv scale.  
Gas amplification is about 100



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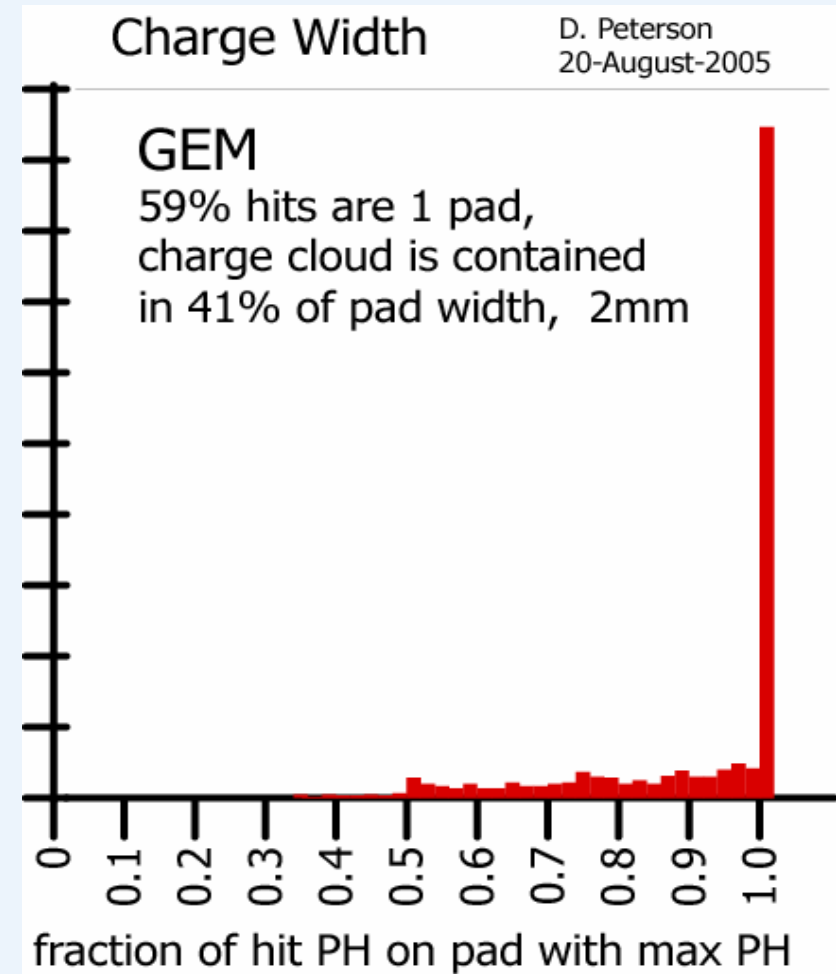
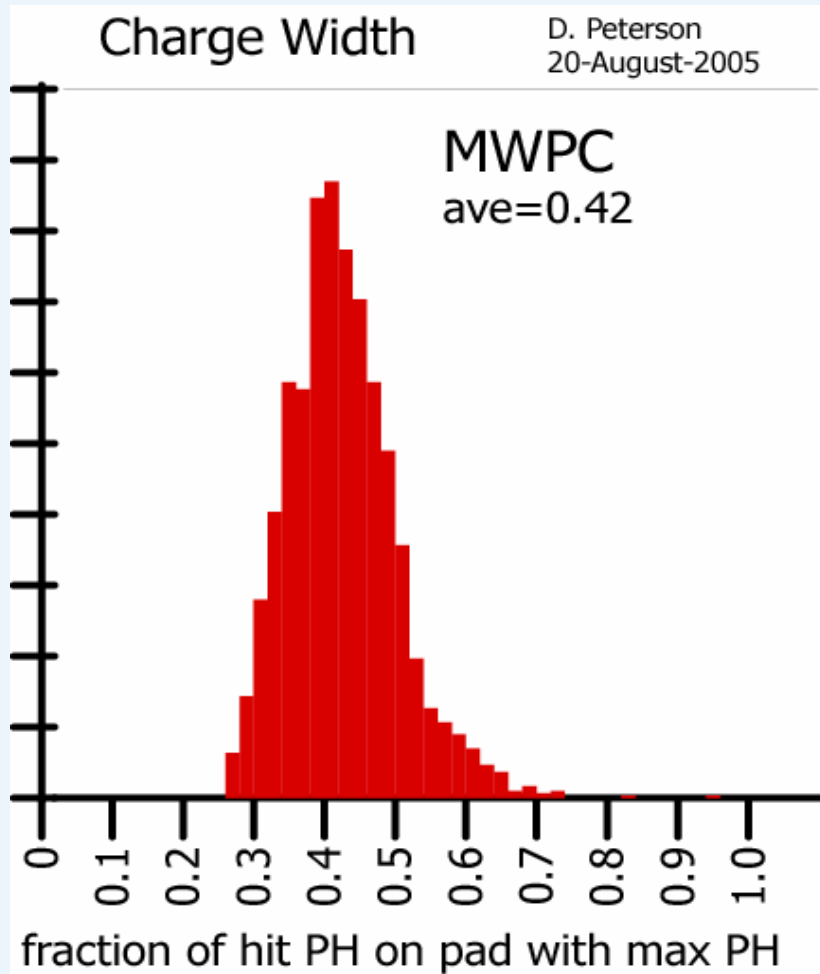
# GEM event after smoothing and common noise subtraction



ArCO<sub>2</sub> (10%), 300V/cm  
25 MHz, 40 ns  
2048 time buckets (81.92  $\mu$ s)



# charge width



This is influenced by the common “noise” subtraction.)

# hit resolution (5mm pad)

find tracks - require coincident signals in 6 layers

locate maximum PH pad in each layer

find PH center using maximum PH pad plus nearest neighbors

( 2 or 3 pads in the “hit” )

require the hit pulse height sum to have 70% of layer pulse height sum

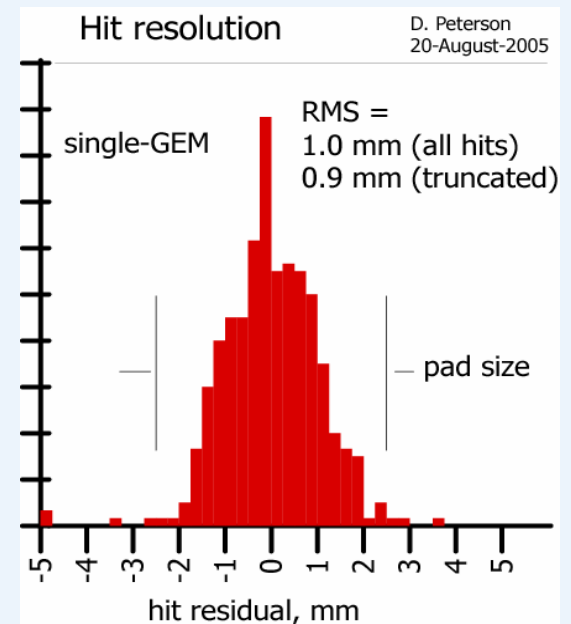
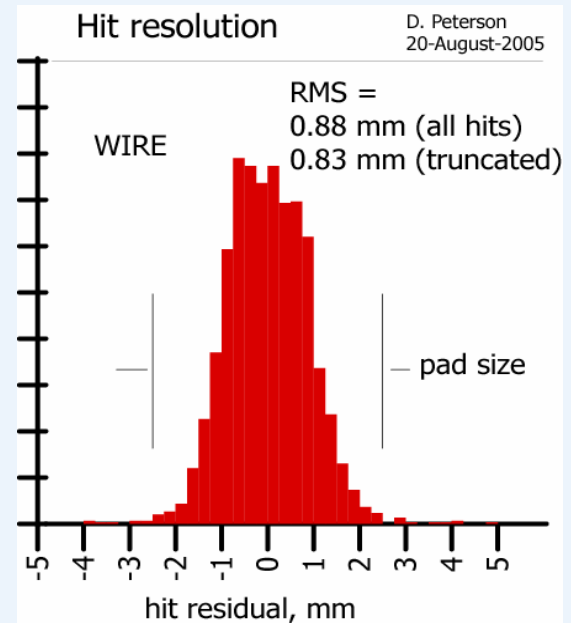
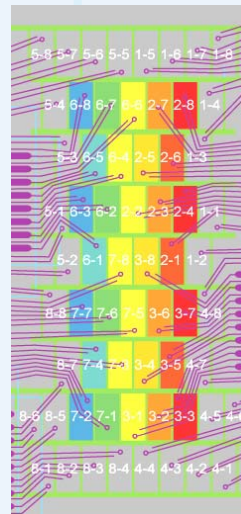
require 5 layers with interior hits  
( Max. ph pad is NOT on the edge.)

fit to a line

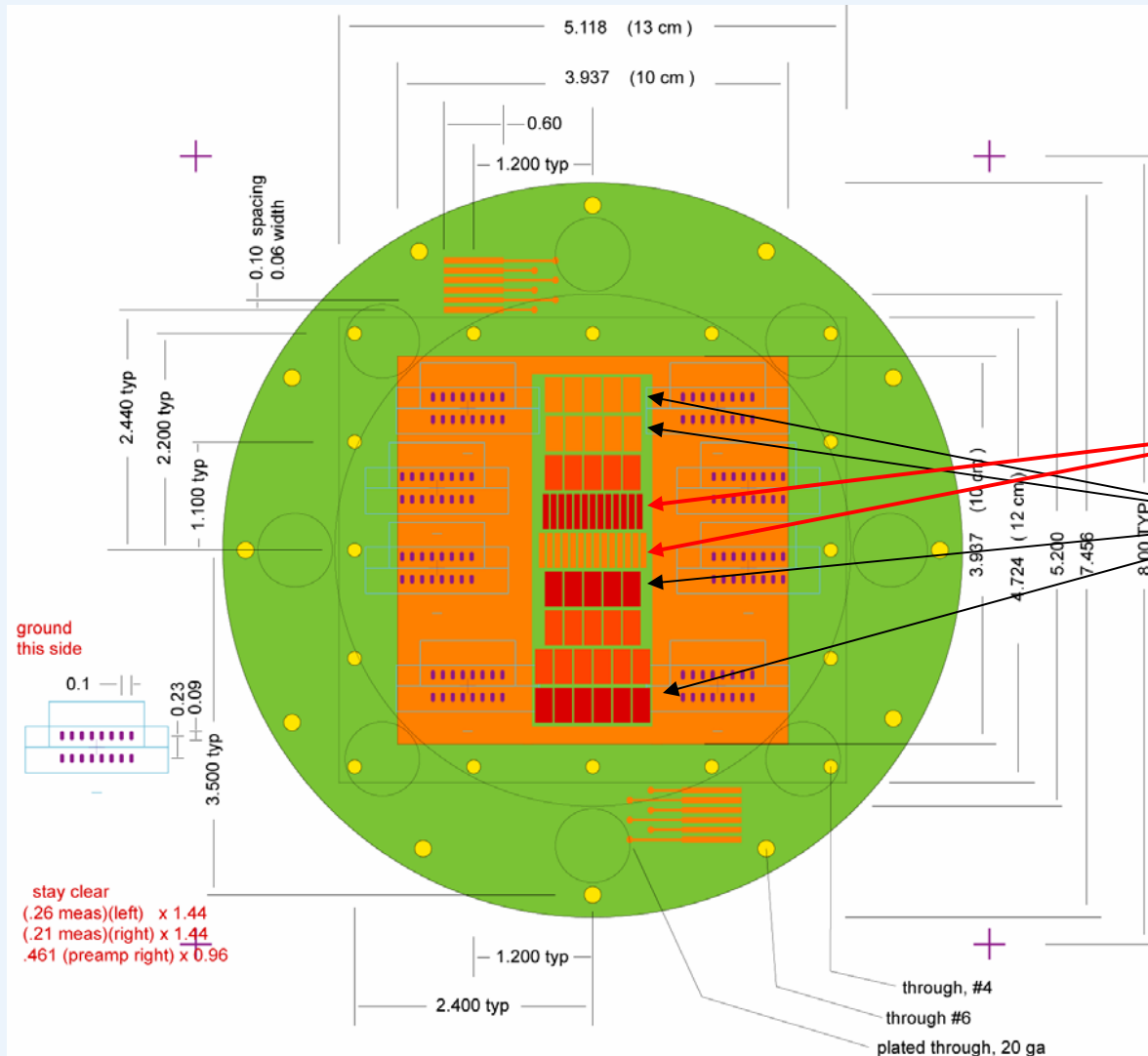
may eliminate 1 hit with residual  $> 2.5\text{mm}$   
( Still require 5 layers with interior hits.)

refit

resolution is  $\sim 900\ \mu\text{m}$ , 0 to 40cm drift



# Future: Fine Segmentation Pad Board



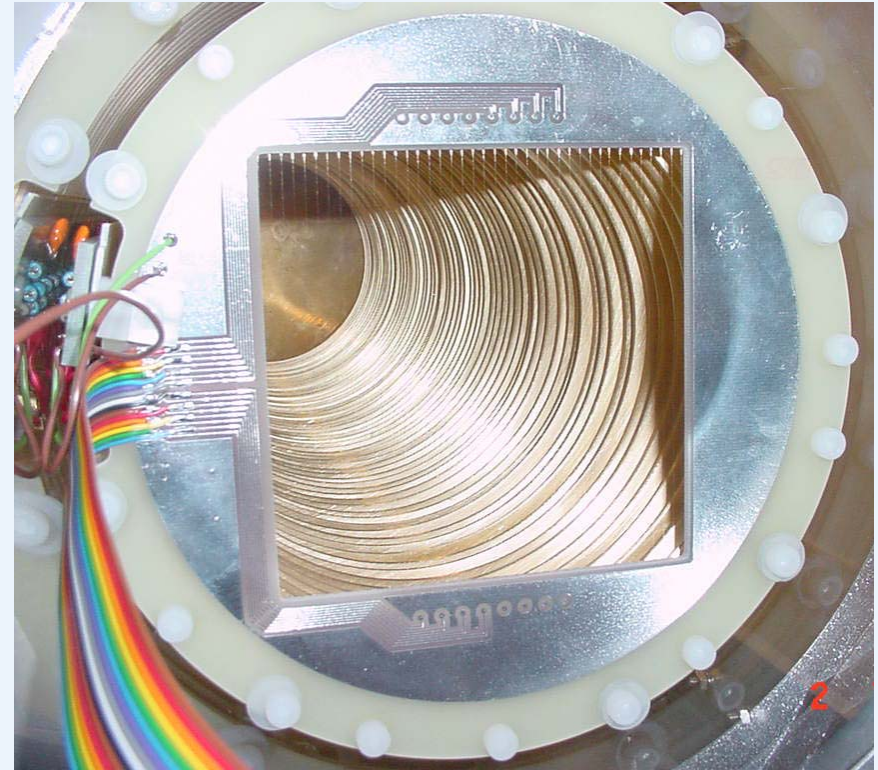
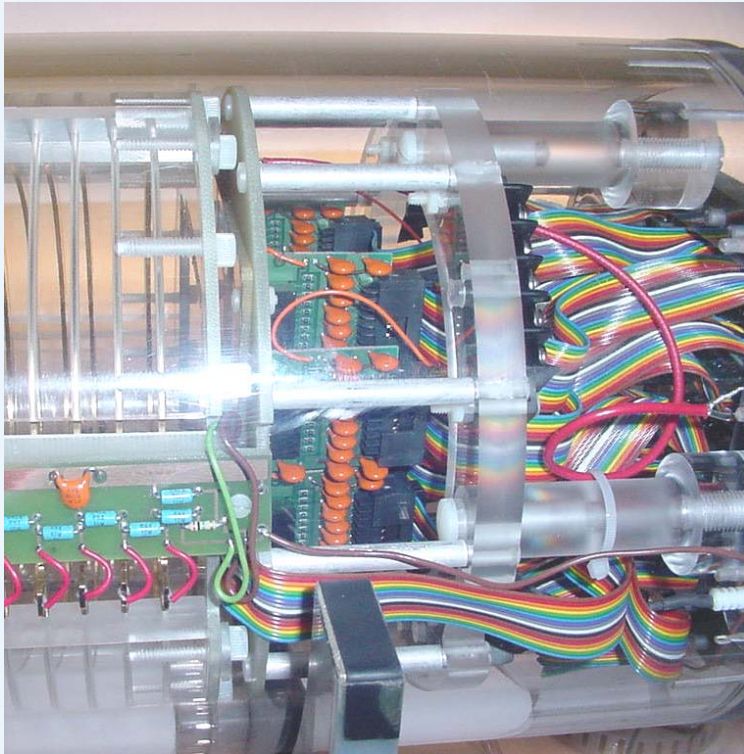
We will increase the DAQ by 16 channels.

48 channels will allow ...  
2 rows of 2mm pads  
plus  
4 rows of 5mm pads  
for track definition

Or..

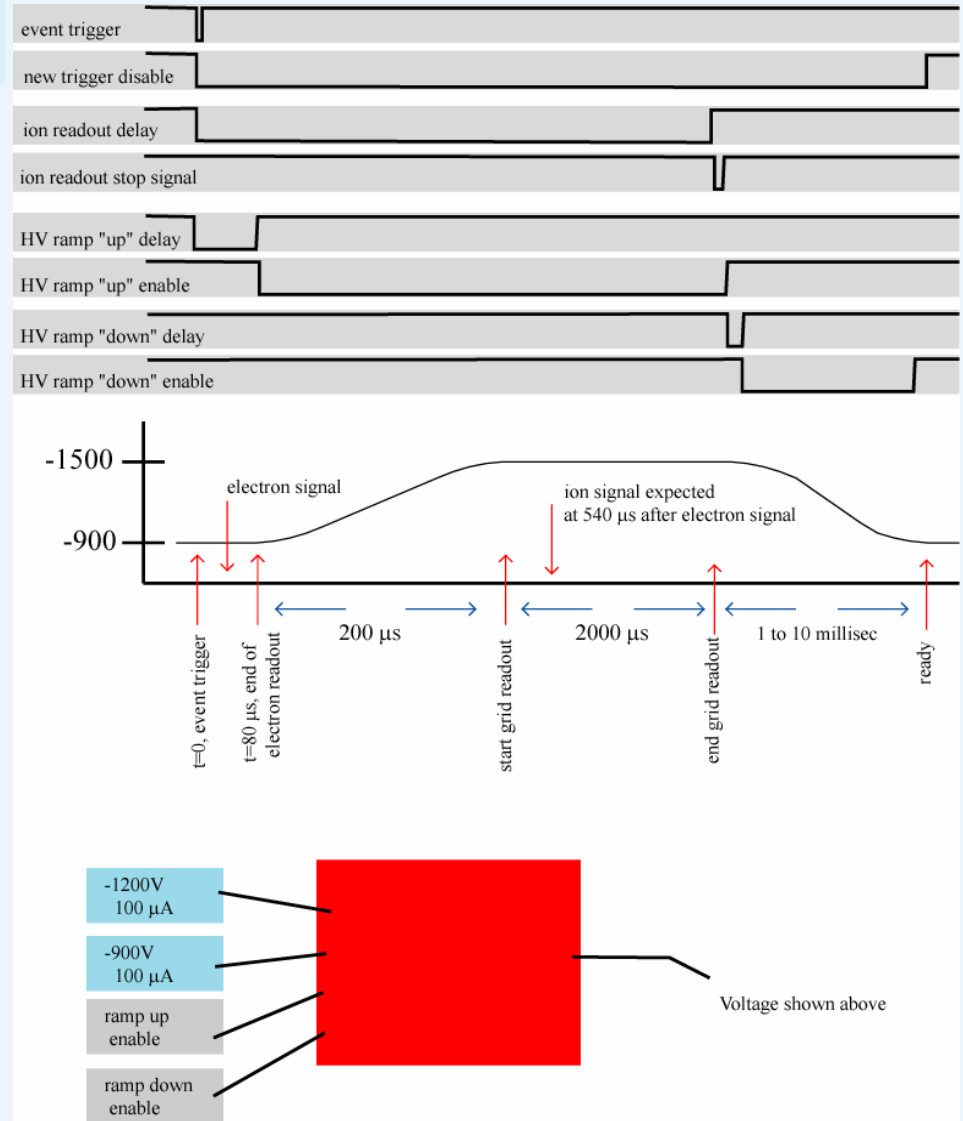
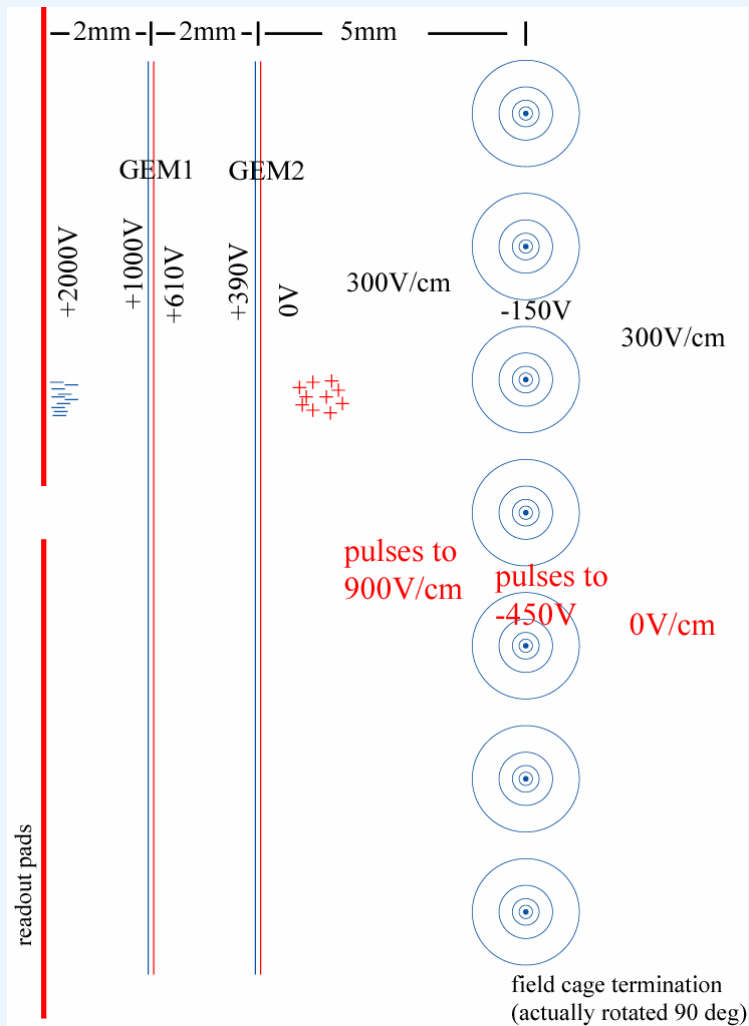
1 row of 2mm pads  
4 rows of 5mm pads  
8 channels  
for positive ion measurement

# Future: Ion Feedback Measurement



Positive ions are created in the amplification and drift back into the field cage. This is bad because the positive ions in the field cage can distort the drift field. The GEMs and MicroMegas should have reduced fraction of feedback. Measurements have been made using the current at the cathode. We would collect the positive signal on the field cage termination.

# Ion Feedback Measurement



# Other Activity

the WWSOC Detector R&D Panel  
an international panel of 9 people  
on which I agreed to serve  
( I should have taken B.D.'s advice.)

<https://wiki.lepp.cornell.edu/wws/bin/view/Projects/WebHome>

the Large Detector Concept concept,  
one of the 3 concepts recognized by the GDE.  
thinking about magnetic field measurement requirements  
<  $10^{-5}$   
I agreed to  
“take charge of the section on tracking performance”.  
(Again, I ignored B.D. and will pay for it.)

“TPC response simulation and reconstruction efficiency”  
- running DOIT on 3 million hits per event.

