

Linear Collider detector overview

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Agenda

- A quick review of Physics topics
- Relation with detector components
- Different options
- Simulation results
- New direction , upgrades.....
- Conclusions

Main Physics topics

- Top physics @ threshold and high energy
- Higgs studies (discovery if needed)
- New (s)particles discovery and study
- Precision studies of gauge bosons
- Searches for exotica

What is needed

- **Detector vs physics**

	<i>Miss. E</i>	<i>Jet- Jet recon.</i>	<i>Lepton ID</i>	<i>VXD and Tracking</i>	<i>Forward Directn</i>
Top	*	**		*	*
Higgs	*	*	*	***	*
Gauge Bosons	*	*	*		**
Supersym.	**	*	*	*	*

Simulation structure

- **Two MonteCarlo's in use:**
 - The fast one SIMDET mostly used for physics studies: parameterized detector responses , fast, reasonably accurate to be tuned with data and/or full simulator.
 - The GEANT based full blown one. As realistic as possible; all geometric and material details: BRAHMS.
- **Beam interactions: Guinea_pig**
 - generate secondaries in HEPEVT format: Brahms can read the file and propagate particles through detector and beam-line components

General considerations

- VXD as good as possible (if it is the best I want a better one)
- Jet handling extremely important: e^+e^- environment demands Z/W discrimination. (Energy flow)
- Missing E \Rightarrow new Physics
- Tracking (p_t resolution / tracks ident.)

General Considerations (cont.)

- VXD technology and/or implementation is a sense detached from the overall optimization.
- Tracking and calorimetry interlaced...
- Two alternatives emerge :
 - Large detector with moderate B field
 - continuous tracking , (part of) cal. inside coil
 - Small detector with high B field
 - discrete high res. tracking , cal. outside coil

Detector optimization

- Once the VXD is defined main points left are:
 - Tracking technology
 - Calorimetry
 - B-field
 - Overall dimensions

but....

- All the physics performances bear on energy flow measurements.

How do you do energy flow?

- **Poor man approach :**
 - use just charged tracks,
- **Calorimetric approach**
 - use calorimeter vectors both for charged and neutral... don't try to disentangle.
- **Use tracking for charged and subtract those from calorimetry.**

Exploiting energy flow

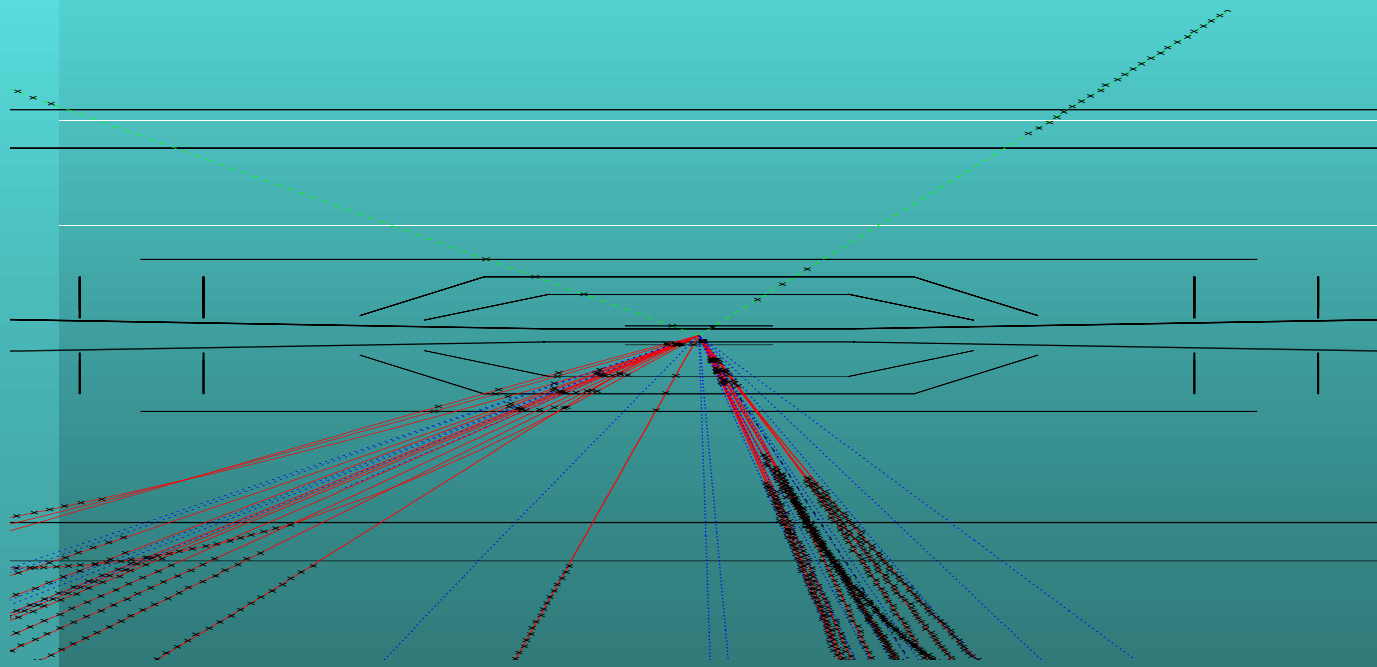
- The very best energy/angular resolution for jets comes with complete tracks/energy cluster disentangling....



- Need both high B and long lever arm to move charged prongs away from neutral energy clusters....
- In the nominal Tesla detector geometry (CDR) a 20 GeV/c π moves away (in angle) from the original direction by ~ 70 mrad.
- One would like to be away at least two or three Moliere radii in order to do a correct accounting of energy between charged prongs and neutral cluster.

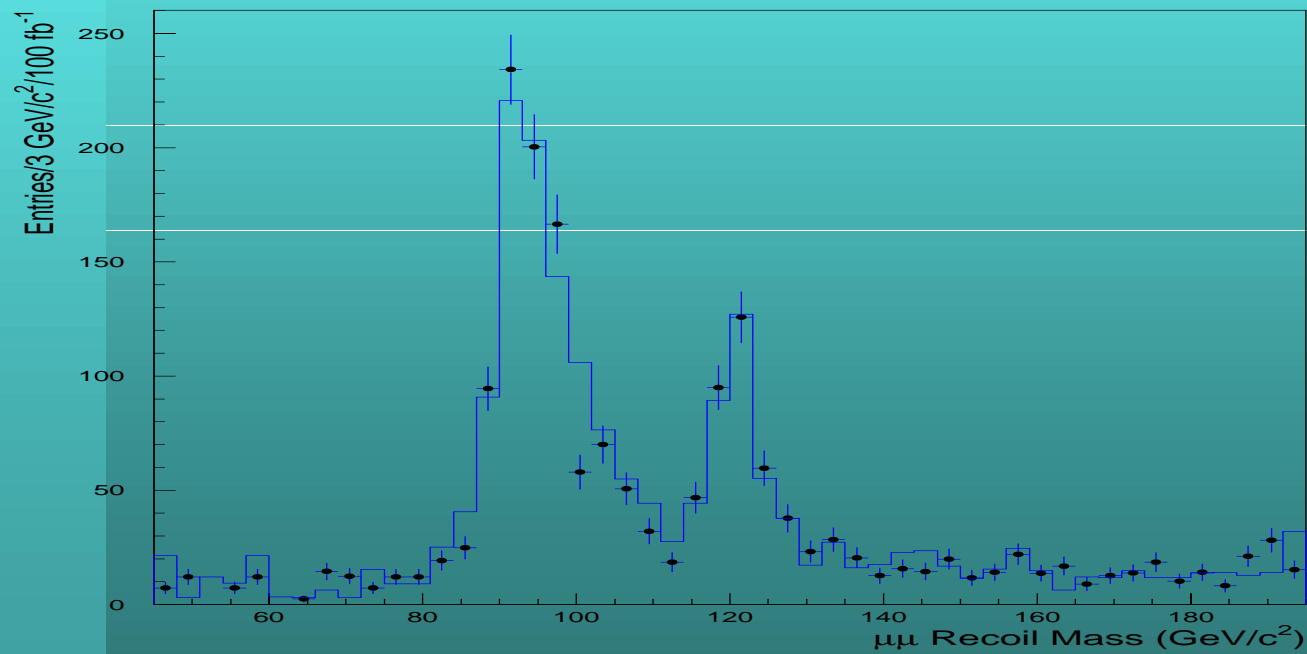
Performance requirements

- VXD : *b*-tagging and *c*-tagging require few μm acc. and thickness' below 1% X_0 .



Tracking

- Higgstrahlung sets the performance scale $dp_t/p_t \sim 5 \cdot 10^{-5}$



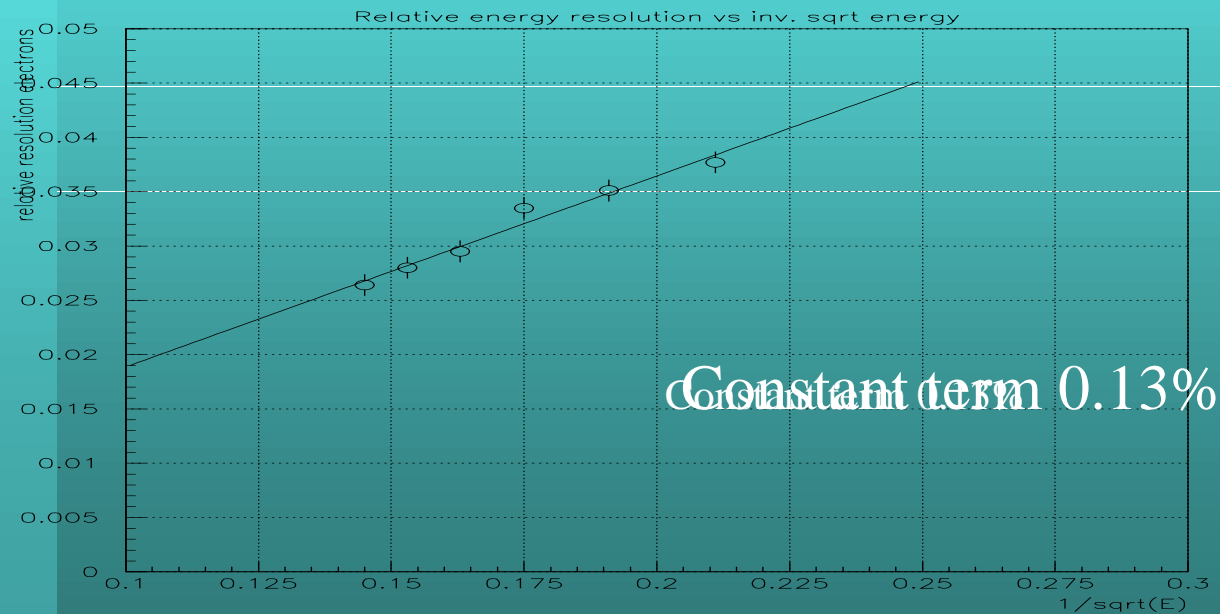
Calorimetry

- **Various modes of operation of the full Monte-Carlo:**
 - **No cal : tracks and neutrals die in calvacuum.**
 - **Smearing cal: tracks propagate and interact through cal. material, but no stratigraphy simulated.**
 - **All the gory details: test beam type.**

An example: single electron resol.

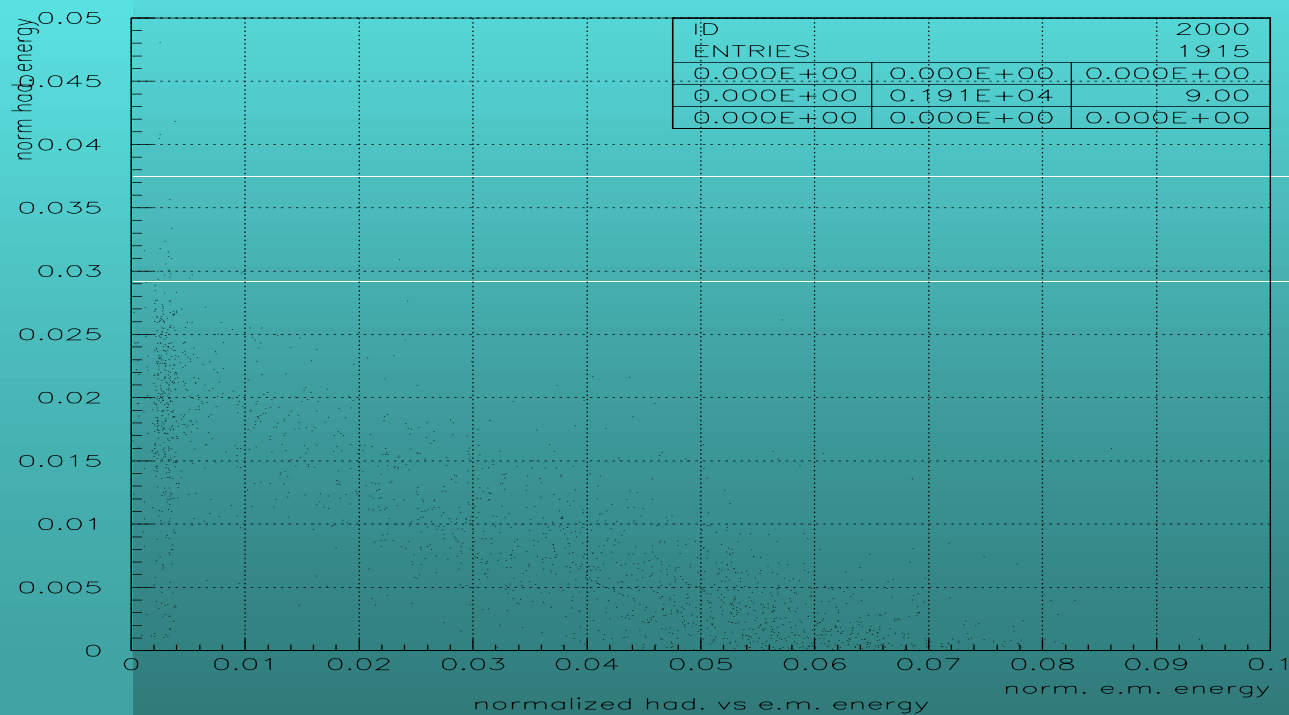
- Brahms run : test beam mode.

Constant term 0.13%



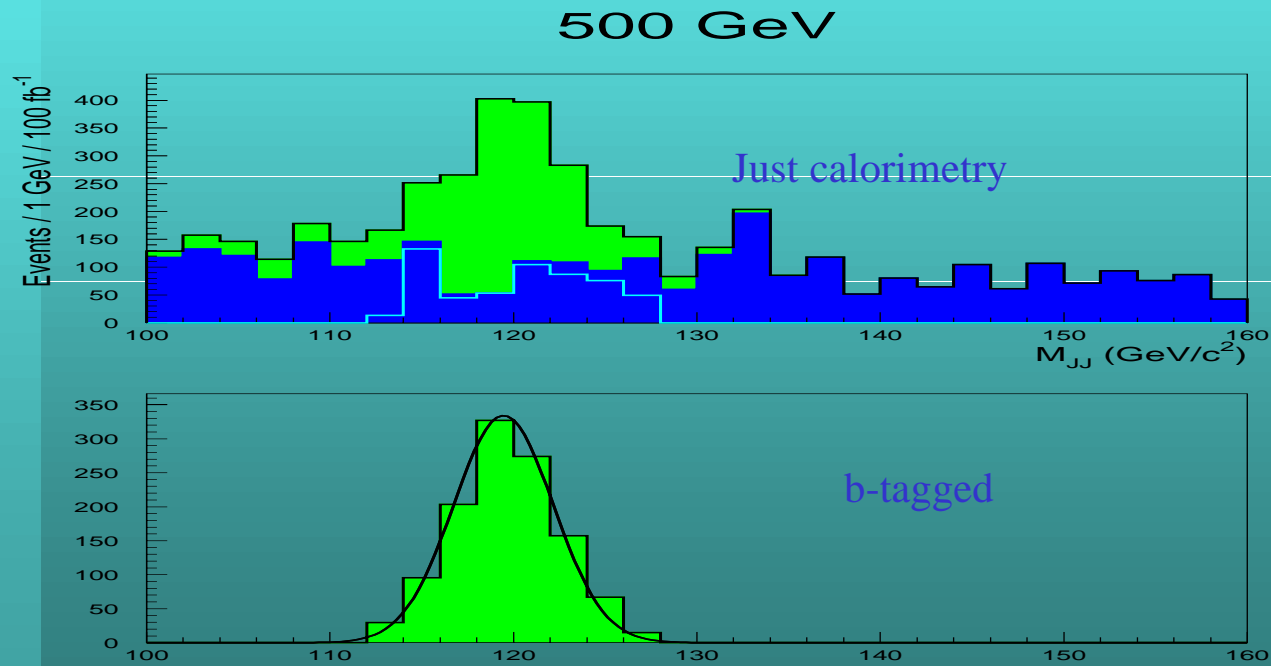
Energy sharing : hadrons

- Hadronic vs e.m. energy for π^+ 's; $\langle E \rangle = 15$ GeV



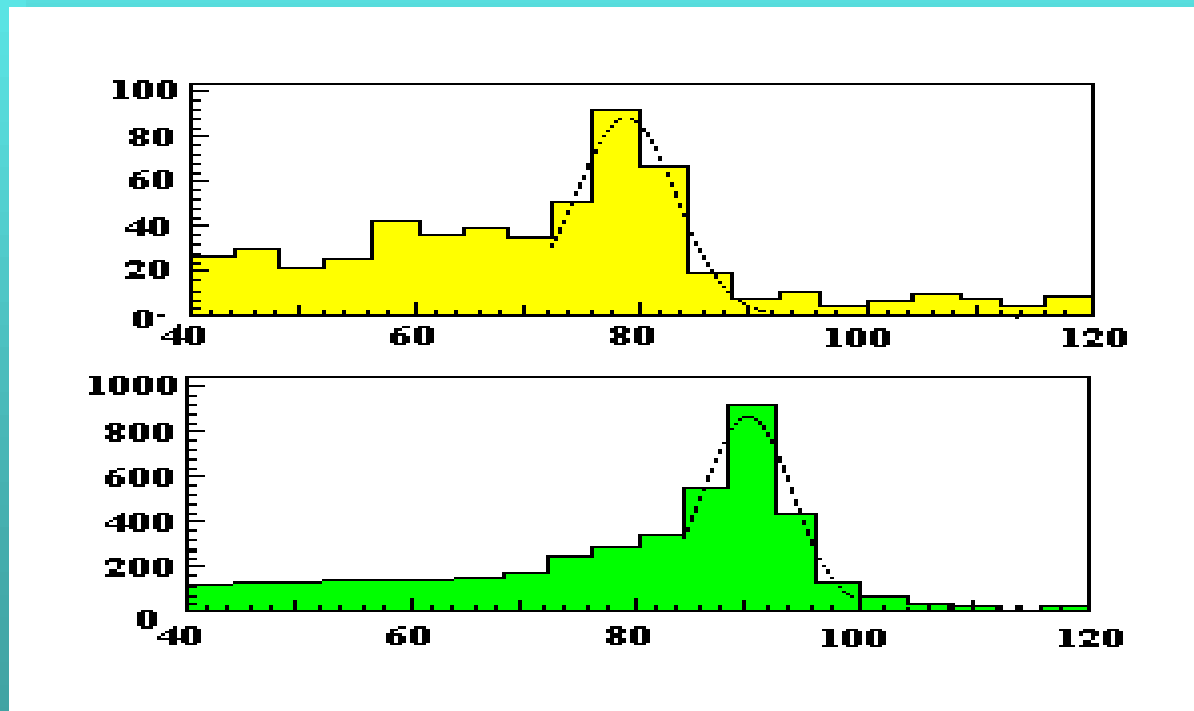
Jet-Jet mass resolution

- Mass plot for a $120 \text{ GeV}/c^2$ S.M. Higgs (higgstrahlung) produced @500 GeV



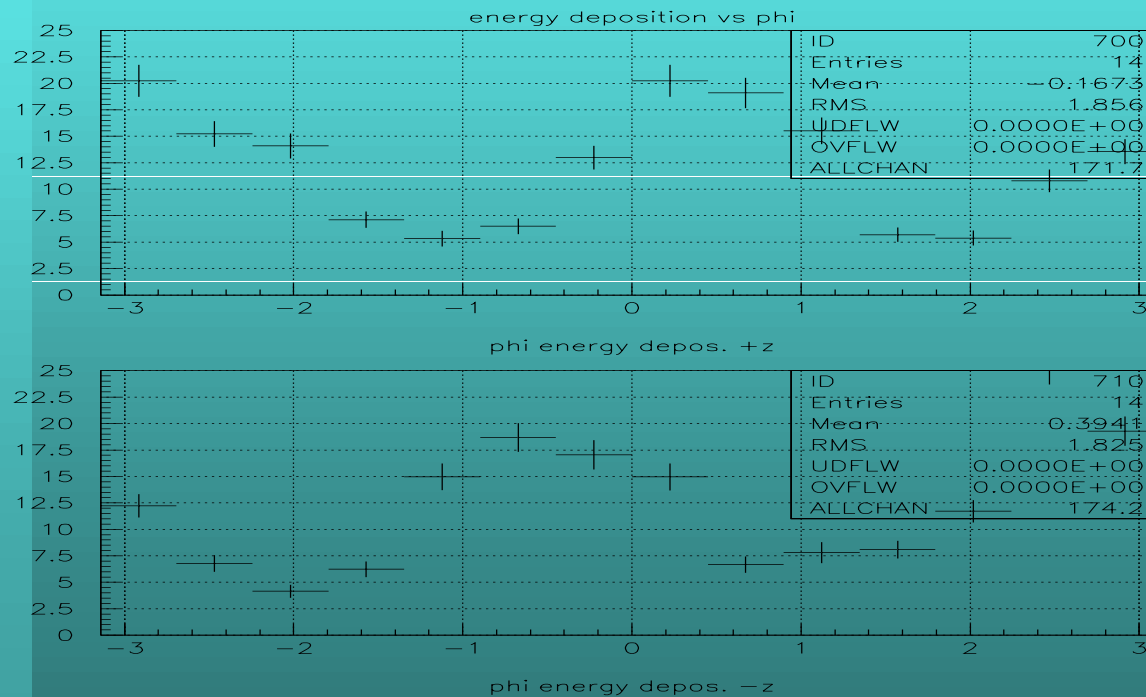
Generic jet-jet inv. mass

- W and Z di-jets inv mass distributions



And for what the lumi cal...

- Nominal situation TESLA_HIGH



Developments

- The situation will evolve as we approach to the coming deadlines:
 - up to now we tried to stick with the CDR design (for Brahms), but will change things as we'll decide modify design parameters (from expt'l proposals)
 - more modern/more sexy (OO) languages will come into use.
 - Already some calorimetric simulations were run with GEANT 4.

Conclusions

- **The detector optimization is a delicate process that requires lot of manpower: the Tesla study group is, as of now, moving on the road of the large detector.**
- **We are at the moment building tools and facilities which will allow to explore much of the phase space available between now and the completion of the TDR.**