LHC Detectors and Early Physics







What is measured, how and why?

- Basic processes, rates
- Resulting difficulties and requirements
- How to design your detector

ATLAS and CMS

- Overview
- Comparison
- Achieved performance, current commissioning
- Disclaimer 1 : I concentrate on multi-purpose detectors ATLAS and CMS and high-p⊤ physics. Some bias towards CMS, for practical reasons only ;-) Nothing on LHCb and ALICE....





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Our future play ground





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The experiments: What is measured, why and how?



proton - proton collisions are complex....

Collisions at the LHC





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Variables used in pp collisions Φ ETH Institute for Particle Physics



Transverse momentum

(in the plane perpendicular to the beam)

Rapidity
$$y = \frac{1}{2} \ln \left(\frac{E + p_L}{E - p_L} \right)$$

(Pseudo)-Rapidity $\eta = -\ln \tan \frac{\theta}{2}$ $\eta = 0.0$ $\eta = -1.0$ $\eta = -1.0$ $\eta = -1.0$ $\eta = 1.0$ $\eta = 1.0$ $\eta = 1.0$ $\eta = 1.0$ $\theta = 10^{\circ} \rightarrow \eta = 2.4$ $\theta = 170^{\circ} \rightarrow \eta = -2.4$ $\theta = 170^{\circ} \rightarrow \eta = -2.4$ $\theta = 1^{\circ} \rightarrow \eta = -2.4$

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Note : all numbers in the following are orders of magnitude!

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pp-Interactions at the LHC



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Expected Physics : 1





Inelastic low-p⊤ pp collisions

- Most processes are due to interactions at large distance between incoming protons
 - particles in the final state have large longitudinal, but small transverse momentum -> small momentum transfer





Low-p_T inelastic pp-collisions: "Minimum Bias events" Parameters (multiplicity etc) poorly known! (~50% or worse) Important for tuning MC simulations

Particle Distributions





$$\frac{d^3p}{2E} = \frac{\pi}{2} dp_T^2 dy$$

- for low-mass particles (eg. pions) : "flat" in (pseudo)-rapidity
- in order to collect most of them (also to ensure hermeticity, eg. for $E_{\rm Tmiss}$): need detector up to $y_{\rm max} \approx 5$
- particle density:
 ~ 4 6 charged particles (pions) plus ~ 2 - 3 neutrals (π⁰) per unit of pseudorapidity in the central detector region
- uniformly distributed in φ

$\langle p_T \rangle \approx 800 \,\mathrm{MeV}$

 to avoid too many "curling" tracks which do not reach the calorimeter: tracker/calo boundary at about L ~ 1.2m for B = 4T

Expected Physics : 2





Measure Jet cross sections

- E_T^{Jet} > 500 GeV after a few weeks at startup
- Going fast beyond the TEVATRON reach





- requires good understanding of jets (algorithms, production, jet energy scale), PDFs, pile-up, underlying event, ...
- Thus : good calorimetry!!

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Expected Physics : 3





The Electroweak Sector

- test (re-establish the SM) and then go beyond
- most SM cross sections are significantly higher than at the TEVATRON
 - eg. 100x larger top-pair production cross section
 - the LHC is a top, b, W, Z, ..., Higgs, ... factory

| Inelastic proton-proton reactions: 10⁶ / s | | |
|---|----------------------|--|
| bb pairs | 5 10 ³ /s | |
| tt pairs | 0.01 /s | |
| W → ev | 0.15 /s | |
| ·Z →ee | 0.015 /s | |
| Higgs (150 GeV) | 0.0002 /s | |
| Gluino, Squarks (1 TeV) | 0.00003 /s | |

Important:

Concentrate on final states with high-p_T and isolated leptons and photons (+ jets)

Otherwise overwhelmed by QCD jet background!!

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Benchmarks



- Some benchmark processes of the early days, which influenced certain design parameters:
 - Basic processes relevant for studying electro-weak symmetry breaking:

$$p p \to W^+ W^- \to \mu^+ \nu_\mu \mu^- \bar{\nu}_\mu$$
$$p p \to H \to ZZ \to \mu^+ \mu^- \mu^+ \mu^-$$
$$p p \to H \to ZZ \to \mu^+ \mu^- \nu_\mu \bar{\nu}_\mu$$
$$p p \to H \to \gamma \gamma$$
$$p p \to H \text{ jet jet (VBF)}$$
$$p p \to Z' \to \mu^+ \mu^-$$

All cross sections (times BR) of order 1 - 100 fb : determines needed luminosities for sizeable statistics

Production of heavy states



- Heavy particles are produced "more centrally"
 - example: single heavy resonance (eg. Z') of mass M, Energy E, rapidity y :





$$\hat{s} = x_1 x_2 s = M^2 \qquad x_1 \approx x_2 \to x_{1,2} = \frac{M}{\sqrt{s}}$$

$$E = \frac{\sqrt{s}}{2}(x_1 + x_2) \qquad p_L = \frac{\sqrt{s}}{2}(x_1 - x_2)$$

$$y = \frac{1}{2} \ln \frac{E + p_L}{E - p_L} \quad \Rightarrow \quad e^y = \sqrt{\frac{x_1}{x_2}} \Rightarrow y \quad \to \quad 0 \text{ for } x_1 \approx x_2$$

$$x_{1,2} = \frac{M}{\sqrt{s}} e^{\pm y}$$

Thus important to concentrate on precision tracking/calorimetry in area of approx. |y| < 2.5

Detector requirements



- Detectors must identify extremely rare events, mostly in real time
 - Iepton identification above huge QCD background
 - e/jet ratio ~ 10⁻⁵,
 ~10-100x worse than at Tevatron
 - signal cross section as low as 10⁻¹⁴ of total cross section : NEW!
 - Online rejection to be achieved :
 ~ 10⁷ NEW!
 - Store huge data volumes to disk/tape : ~10⁹ events of ~1 Mbyte / year NEW!



Detector requirements



- Good measurement of leptons
 (e, μ) and photons with large
 transverse momentum p_T
 - electromagnetic calorimetry, muon systems
- Good jet reconstruction
 - good resolution, absolute energy measurement, low fake-rate
- Good measurement of missing transverse energy (E_{T miss})
 and
- energy measurements in the forward regions
 - thus, hermetic detector and
 - calorimeter coverage down to rapidity ~ 5



- Efficient b-tagging and tau identification (silicon strip and pixel detectors)
 - top physics, Higgs couplings to b and tau enhanced in certain models (eg. MSSM)

Examples of detector performance requirements I Particle Physics



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The LHC parameters



- - basically fixed by LEP tunnel parameters (Radius) and superconducting magnets technologies
 - Was considerably lower than SSC (20 TeV / beam)
- Lumi :
 - ✤ by some considered to "must be 10x SSC" in order to compensate lower E_{CM}
 - RF bunch spacing = 25 ns
 - relevant cross sections for testing of EWK symmetry breaking of order 1 100 fb⁻¹
 - Running time per year T ~ 10⁷ secs

for
$$\mathcal{L} = 10^{34} / \text{cm/sec} = 10^{-5} \, \text{fb}^{-1} / \text{sec}$$

 $N = (\mathcal{L} \cdot T) \sigma \Rightarrow 100 \text{ events per year for } \sigma = 1 \text{ fb}$

- Total rate of inelastic events $R = \sigma_{\text{inel}} \mathcal{L} \approx (100 \,\text{mb}) (10^7 \,\text{mb}^{-1}/\text{sec}) = 10^9 \,\text{events/sec}$
- Number of inelast. events per bunch crossing = 10⁹/sec * 25 10⁻⁹ sec = 25 (pile-up)!
- Number of chg. particles per bunch x-ing : 25 * N(pions)/rap * (2 y_{max}) ~ 2000 !!
- Thus have an issue with radiation levels! (and pile up ...)

Particle Densities



 $\implies N_{\text{int}} \cdot 9 \text{ pions/rap} \cdot (2y_{\text{max}}) \approx 2250 \text{ particles/crossing}$ $\implies \sum p_T \approx 2250 \cdot 0.8 = 1.8 \,\mathrm{TeV}$

0.75

0.7

0.65

0.6

0.55

0.5

0.45

0.4

0.35

0.3

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⟨p_T⟩ [GeV/c]

CMS Preliminary

at $\eta = 0$

 10^{2}

simulation

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Challenge : Pile-up events



at high lumi:

up to 25 additional

min bias events

~1500 charged

particles in the

Higgs channel

H→ZZ →2e2µ

Large magnetic

granularity helps

Need to understand

detector first before

able to exploit full

lumi...

field and high

Example of golden

detector



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The LHC environment...







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Damage caused by ionising radiation I Particle Physics

- caused by energy deposited by particles in the detector material
 - \ge ~ 2 MeV g⁻¹ cm⁻² for a min. ionizing particle
- also caused by photons created in elmg. showers
- damage is proportional to the deposited energy or dose measured in Gy (Gray)
 - I Gy = 1 Joule / kg = 100 rads
 - I Gy = 3 10⁹ particles per cm² of material with unit density

at LHC design luminosity : lonising dose is ~ 2 10⁶ Gy / r_T^2 / year r_T [cm] : transverse distance to beam

The Timing Challenge

Interactions every 25ns : In 25 ns particles travel 7.5m

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Detector requirements



- High granularity (NEW!),
 fast readout (NEW!),
 radiation hardness (NEW!)
 - minimize pile-up particles in same detector element
 - many channels
 eg. 100 million pixels,
 200'000 cells in electromagnetic calorimeter
 - 🗳 cost !
 - 20-50 ns response time for electronics !
 - in forward calorimeters : up to 10¹⁷ n/cm² over 10 years of LHC operations



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Magnet Systems



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- Among the most important design choices
 - fixes many other parameters/sizes

Example of CMS, early days:

- assumed that a tracking system might not be possible (too harsh backgrounds), radhard Si-Detectors not yet sufficiently developed
- so, put all effort on muons, in a robust manner; put absorber to get rid of the rest (a strong magnetic field also helps here) and try to get best possible muon measurement.



Various topologies...







- But : Pending power prop.to. $\int Bdl$ of path perpendicular to B field.
- Solenoid not optimal in forward direction
- For large solenoid radius: have to make it long in order to cover large rapidity



- Alternative: Toroid system. Large BL². Good pending power over also in forward direction
- Keeps detectors inside toroids free of B field
- But : for large system: becomes expensive, needs very precise knowledge of (complicated) B-field





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Solenoid vs Toroid





- Only one magnet system
 - simple and compact overall design
 - excellent momentum resolution using inner tracker
- Rsol determines cost, R=3m was doable
- B=4 T was realizable, 3.5 T would still deliver good physics
- Needs (instrumented) return yoke
 - Iimits momentum resolution at low p because of multiple scattering
 - might be problem for standalone muon triggering at high rate running (SLHC)
 - understanding of stray field
- Tracking limited at large rapidities
- All calorimeters inside coil
 - good for resolution, but puts size constraints on Tracker+Calos
 - eg. with R_{sol}=3m, R_{Tracker}=1.2-1.3m, <2m left for ECAL+HCAL !</pre>



- Two magnet systems, because need smaller solenoid for inner tracking near IP
 - determines very large size, complex structure
- Large toroids determine cost
 - Iess coils (12->8): cheaper, but less uniform field
 - Thus need very precise field map !

No return yoke needed

- closed flux in air -> much less multiple scatt.
- better standalone muon triggering/tracking at high rates
- keeps calorimeters field free
- a "lot of space" for calorimeters
- Good tracking at large rapidities
- Calorimeters outside small solenoid
 - material affects resolution of calorimeters

The final parameters....



TABLE 3 Main parameters of the CMS and ATLAS magnet systems

| | CMS | ATLAS | | |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Parameter | Solenoid | Solenoid | Barrel toroid | End-cap toroids |
| Inner diameter | 5.9 m | 2.4 m | 9.4 m | 1.7 m |
| Outer diameter | 6.5 m | 2.6 m | 20.1 m | 10.7 m |
| Axial length | 12.9 m | 5.3 m | 25.3 m | 5.0 m |
| Number of coils | 1 | 1 | 8 | 8 |
| Number of turns per coil | 2168 | 1173 | 120 | 116 |
| Conductor size (mm ²) | 64×22 | 30×4.25 | 57×12 | 41×12 |
| Bending power | $4 \mathrm{T} \cdot \mathrm{m}$ | $2 \mathrm{T} \cdot \mathrm{m}$ | $3 \mathrm{T} \cdot \mathrm{m}$ | $6 \mathrm{T} \cdot \mathrm{m}$ |
| Current | 19.5 kA | 7.6 kA | 20.5 kA | 20.0 kA |
| Stored energy | 2700 MJ | 38 MJ | 1080 MJ | 206 MJ |

Three magnets have reached their design currents: a major technical milestone!

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Basic tracking requirements



- Robust and redundant pattern recognition
 - efficient and precise reco of all charged particles with $p_T > ~ 1$ GeV, up to rapidity ~ 2.5
- High-Level triggering capabilities for electrons, taus, b-jets
- Reconstruction of secondary vertices, impact parameters
 - heavy flavours, b-jets, B decays
- Electron-ID via matching to ECAL
 - or electron/pion separation via other tech, such as transition radiation
- Reconstruction of hadronic tau decays (one-prong, three-prong, thin jets)
- Conflict of interest" :
 - many layers (many hits) for robust track reco --> many channels; lots of supports (cables, cooling, ...)
 - but not too much material, bad for ECAL resolution and multiple scatt.
- Remember: momentum resolution

$$\frac{\delta p}{p} = \frac{\delta s}{s} = \frac{8}{q} \frac{1}{L^2 B} p \,\delta s$$

for
$$L = 1 \text{ m}$$
, $B = 4 \text{ T}$, $p = 100 \text{ GeV}$
 $\frac{\delta p}{p} = 1 \%$ for $\delta s \approx 15 \,\mu\text{m}$

need hit reconstruction at this level of prec. !

• e.g. Si-Tracker : optimize carefully pitch vs. strip length vs. # channels (material) vs. occupancy

Basic layout









Apparently an unfortunate similarity....

- Material increased by ~ factor 2-2.5 from 1994 (approval) to now (end constr.) !
- Between 20% and 65% of photons convert into e⁺e⁻ pair before EM calo
- \bigcirc Need to know material to ~ 1% X₀ for precision measurement of m_W (< 10 MeV)!

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| TABLE 7 | Main performa | nce characteristics | of the ATLAS | and CMS trackers |
|---------|---------------|---------------------|--------------|------------------|
|---------|---------------|---------------------|--------------|------------------|

| | ATLAS | CMS |
|--|-------|-------|
| Reconstruction efficiency for muons with $p_T = 1 \text{ GeV}$ | 96.8% | 97.0% |
| Reconstruction efficiency for pions with $p_T = 1 \text{ GeV}$ | 84.0% | 80.0% |
| Reconstruction efficiency for electrons with $p_T = 5 \text{ GeV}$ | 90.0% | 85.0% |
| Momentum resolution at $p_T = 1$ GeV and $\eta \approx 0$ | 1.3% | 0.7% |
| Momentum resolution at $p_T = 1$ GeV and $\eta \approx 2.5$ | 2.0% | 2.0% |
| Momentum resolution at $p_T = 100 \text{ GeV}$ and $\eta \approx 0$ | 3.8% | 1.5% |
| Momentum resolution at $p_T = 100 \text{ GeV}$ and $\eta \approx 2.5$ | 11% | 7% |
| Transverse i.p. resolution at $p_T = 1$ GeV and $\eta \approx 0 (\mu m)$ | 75 | 90 |
| Transverse i.p. resolution at $p_T = 1$ GeV and $\eta \approx 2.5$ (µm) | 200 | 220 |
| Transverse i.p. resolution at $p_T = 1000$ GeV and $\eta \approx 0 (\mu m)$ | 11 | 9 |
| Transverse i.p. resolution at $p_T = 1000$ GeV and $\eta \approx 2.5 \ (\mu m)$ | 11 | 11 |
| Longitudinal i.p. resolution at $p_T = 1$ GeV and $\eta \approx 0 \; (\mu m)$ | 150 | 125 |
| Longitudinal i.p. resolution at $p_T = 1$ GeV and $\eta \approx 2.5$ (µm) | 900 | 1060 |
| Longitudinal i.p. resolution at $p_T = 1000 \text{ GeV}$ and $\eta \approx 0 \ (\mu \text{m})$ | 90 | 22-42 |
| Longitudinal i.p. resolution at $p_T = 1000$ GeV and $\eta \approx 2.5$ (µm) | 190 | 70 |

Examples of typical reconstruction efficiencies, momentum resolutions, and transverse and longitudinal impact parameter (i.p.) resolutions are given for various particle types, transverse momenta, and pseudorapidities.

Performance of CMS tracker is undoubtedly superior to that of ATLAS in terms of momentum resolution. Vertexing and b-tagging performances are similar. However, impact of material and B-field already visible on efficiencies.

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TABLE 4 Main parameters of the ATLAS and CMS tracking systems (see Table 6 for details of the pixel systems)

| Parameter | ATLAS | CMS |
|--|---|--|
| Dimensions (cm) -radius of outermost measurement -radius of innermost measurement -total active length | 101–107 5.0 560 | 107–110 4.4 540 |
| Magnetic field B (T) BR ² (T \cdot m ²) | 2 2.0 to 2.3 | 4 4.6 to 4.8 |
| Total power on detector (kW) | 70 | 60 |
| Total material (X/X_0) -at $\eta \approx 0$ (minimum material) -at $\eta \approx 1.7$ (maximum material) -at $\eta \approx 2.5$ (edge of acceptance) | ≈4500 0.3 1.2 0.5 | ~3700 0.4 1.5 0.8 |
| Total material (λ/λ_0 at max) | 0.35 | 0.42 |
| Silicon microstrip detectors -number of hits per track -radius of innermost meas. (cm) -total active area of silicon (m ²) -wafer thickness (microns) -total number of channels -cell size (μ m in $R\phi \times$ cm in z/R) -cell size (μ m in $R\phi \times$ cm in z/R) | 8 30 60 280 6.2×10^{6} 80×12 | 14 20 200 320/500 9.6×10^{6} $80/120 \times 10$ and $120/180 \times 25$ |
| Straw drift tubes (ATLAS only) -number of hits per track ($ \eta < 1.8$) -total number of channels -cell size (mm in $R\phi \times cm$ in z) | 35 350,000 4 × 70 (barrel) 4 × 40 (end caps) | |

| | ATLAS | CMS |
|--|---------------------|---------------------|
| Number of hits per track | 3 | 3 |
| Total number of channels | 80 10 ⁶ | $66\ 10^6$ |
| Pixel size (μ m in $R\phi \times \mu$ m in z/R) | 50×400 | 100×150 |
| Lorentz angle (degrees), initial to end | 12 to 4 | 26 to 8 |
| Tilt in $R\phi$ (degrees) | 20 (only barrel) | 20 (only end cap) |
| Total active area of silicon (m ²) | $1.7 (n^+/n)$ | $1.0 (n^+/n)$ |
| Sensor thickness (µm) | 250 | 285 |
| Total number of modules | 1744 (288 in disks) | 1440 (672 in disks) |
| Barrel layer radii (cm) | 5.1, 8.9, 12.3 | 4.4, 7.3, 10.2 |
| Disk layer min. to max. radii (cm) | 8.9 to 15.0 | 6.0 to 15.0 |
| Disk positions in z (cm) | 49.5, 58.0, 65.0 | 34.5, 46.5 |
| Signal-to-noise ratio for minimum ionizing particles (day 1) | 120 | 130 |
| Total fluence at L = $10^{34} (n_{eq}/\text{cm}^2/\text{year})$ at radius of 4–5 cm (innermost layer) | 3×10^{14} | 3×10^{14} |
| Signal-to-noise ratio (after $10^{15} n_{eq}/\text{cm}^2$) | 80 | 80 |
| Resolution in $R\phi$ (µm) | ≈ 10 | ≈ 10 |
| Resolution in z/R (µm) | ≈ 100 | ≈ 20 |

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How to design your detector



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Main principles



- Excellent energy measurement of electrons, photons, jets
 - \blacksquare good coverage up to $\eta \sim 5$, also for E_{Tmiss}



- Irigger on high-p⊤ objects
- Fine segmentation (lateral, longitudinal) for shower analysis
- Have to absorb ~ TeV objects (e,gamma,jets)
 - * shower max position $\, x_{
 m max} \propto \, x_0 \, \ln E \,$
 - \checkmark to cover elmg. shower of ~ 1 TeV : ~ 25 X₀
 - solution to the term in the term is the term in the term in the term is the term in the term in the term is the term in the term in the term is the term in the term in the term is the term in the term in the term is the term in the term in the term is the term in the term in the term is the term in the term in the term is the term in the term in the term is the term in term in term in term is the term in term in term in term is the term in t
 - take (X₀)_{PbWO4} = 0.89 cm
 - plus space for electronics : need ~ 50 cm
 - \bullet take (λ_0)_{Fe} = 16.8 cm : would need ~ 180 cm
- GMS : R_{coil} R_{tracker} ECAL (+electronics) ~ 1 m !!
 - \ast only space for 6 λ_0 , 7 λ_0 including ECAL
 - added tail catcher (HO) after coil
- Further considerations
 - Homogenous vs. sampling calorimeter
 - Very forward calo : at large distance (less radiation) or closer (better uniformity of rap coverage)
 - Projective Tower sizes
 - relevant parameters: Moliere Radius, Occupancy
 - eg. $\Delta \eta \times (\Delta \Phi/2\pi) = 0.1 \times 0.1$ over $2 \cdot y_{\text{max}} = 10 \Rightarrow \mathcal{O}(10000)$ towers







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| TABLE 8 Main parameters of the ATLAS and CMS electromagnetic calorimeters | | | | |
|--|------------------------------|---|--|---|
| | ATLAS | | CMS | |
| Technology | Lead/LAr accordion | | PbWO ₄ scintillating crystals | |
| Channels | Barrel 110,208 | End caps 63,744 | Barrel 61,200 | End caps 14,648 |
| Granularity | $\Delta\eta$ × | $\Delta \phi$ | $\Delta \eta$ | $\eta 	imes \Delta \phi$ |
| Presampler | 0.025×0.1 | 0.025×0.1 | | |
| Strips/ Si-preshower | 0.003×0.1 | 0.003×0.1 to 0.006×0.1 | | 32 × 32 Si-strips per 4 crystals |
| Main sampling | 0.025×0.025 | 0.025×0.025 | 0.017×0.017 | 0.018×0.003 to 0.088×0.015 |
| Back | 0.05×0.025 | 0.05×0.025 | | |
| Depth | Barrel | End caps | Barrel | End caps |
| Presampler (LAr) | 10 mm | $2 \times 2 \text{ mm}$ | | - |
| Strips/ Si-preshower | \approx 4.3 X ₀ | $\approx 4.0 X_0$ | | 3 X ₀ |
| Main sampling | $\approx 16 X_0$ | $\approx 20 \ \mathrm{X}_0$ | 26 X ₀ | 25 X ₀ |
| Back | $\approx 2 X_0$ | $pprox 2 \ { m X}_0$ | | |
| Noise per cluster | 250 MeV | 250 MeV | 200 MeV | 600 MeV |
| Intrinsic resolution | Barrel | End caps | Barrel | End caps |
| Stochastic term a | 10% | 10 to 12% | 3% | 5.5% |
| Local constant term <i>b</i> | 0.2% | 0.35% | 0.5% | 0.5% |

Note the presence of the silicon preshower detector in front of the CMS end-cap crystals, which have a variable granularity because of their fixed geometrical size of $29 \times 29 \text{ mm}^2$. The intrinsic energy resolutions are quoted as parametrizations of the type $\sigma(E)/E = a/\sqrt{E} \oplus b$. For the ATLAS EM barrel and end-cap calorimeters and for the CMS barrel crystals, the numbers quoted are based on stand-alone test-beam measurements.

| | ATLAS | CMS |
|--|--|---|
| Technology | | |
| Barrel/Ext. barrel | 14 mm iron/3 mm scint. | 50 mm brass/3.7 mm scint. |
| End caps | 25-50 mm copper/8.5 mm LAr | 78 mm brass/3.7 mm scint. |
| Forward | Copper (front) - Tungsten (back)/0.25–0.50 mm LAr | Steel/0.6 mm quartz |
| Channels | | |
| Barrel/Ext. barrel | 9852 | 2592 |
| End caps | 5632 | 2592 |
| Forward | 3524 | 1728 |
| Granularity $(\Delta \eta \times \Delta \phi)$ | | |
| Barrel/Ext. barrel | 0.1×0.1 to 0.2×0.1 | 0.087×0.087 |
| End caps | 0.1×0.1 to 0.2×0.2 | 0.087×0.087 to 0.18×0.175 |
| Forward | 0.2×0.2 | 0.175×0.175 |
| Samplings $(\Delta \eta \times \Delta \phi)$ | | |
| Barrel/Ext. barrel | 3 | 1 |
| End caps | 4 | 2 |
| Forward | 3 | 2 |
| Abs. lengths (minmax.) | | |
| Barrel/Ext. barrel | 9.7–13.0 | 7.2–11.0 |
| | | 10–14 (with coil/HO) |
| End caps | 9.7–12.5 | 9.0-10.0 |
| Forward | 9.5–10.5 | 9.8 |

Note that the CMS barrel calorimeter (HB) is complemented by a tail catcher behind the coil (HO) to minimize problems with longitudinal leakage of high-energy particles in jets.

 TABLE 10 Main performance parameters of the different hadronic calorimeter components of the ATLAS and CMS detectors, as measured in test beams using charged pions in both stand-alone and combined mode with the ECAL

 ATLAS

| | AILAS | | | | | |
|--------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|------------------|-----------------|
| | Barrel LAr/Tile | | End-cap LAr | | CMS | |
| | Tile | Combined | HEC | Combined | Had. barrel | Combined |
| Electron/hadron ratio | 1.36 | 1.37 | 1.49 | | | |
| Stochastic term | $45\%/\sqrt{E}$ | $55\%/\sqrt{E}$ | $75\%/\sqrt{E}$ | $85\%/\sqrt{E}$ | $100\%/\sqrt{E}$ | $70\%/\sqrt{E}$ |
| Constant term | 1.3% | 2.3% | 5.8% | <1% | | 8.0% |
| Noise | Small | 3.2 GeV | | 1.2 GeV | Small | 1 GeV |

The measured electron/hadron ratios are given separately for the hadronic stand-alone and combined calorimeters when available, and the contributions (added quadratically except for the stand-alone ATLAS tile calorimeter) to the pion energy resolution from the stochastic term, the local constant term, and the noise are also shown, when available from published data.

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Requirements

- Reconstruct mass of narrow 2-muon state (eg. Z mass) at 1% precision
- Reconstruct 1 TeV muons with 10% precision
- Over wide rapidity range
- Identification in dense environment
- Measure and trigger on muons in standalone mode, for momenta above ~ 5 GeV
 - CMS can use IP as further constraint
 - ATLAS has much less multiple scattering
- Combine different technologies for chambers
 - redundancy, robustness, radiation hardness, different speed
- Issues
 - Alignment (30 micron! for ATLAS)
 - Punch-through
 - Multiple scattering

$$\frac{\mathrm{IS}}{\beta B \sqrt{L x_0}} \approx \frac{52 \cdot 10^{-3}}{\beta B \sqrt{L x_0}}$$

for $\beta \approx 1$, B = 2 T, $L \approx 2 \text{ m}$, $x_0 = 0.14 \text{ m} \Rightarrow \frac{\delta p_{\text{MS}}}{p} \approx 5 \%$

will limit standalone triggering capabilities in very high rate environment







p_t = 3.5, 4.0, 4.5, 6.0 GeV







Comparison





CMS muon spectrometer

- Superior combined momentum resolution in central region
- Limited stand-alone resolution and trigger (at very high luminosities) due to multiple scattering in iron
- Degraded overall resolution in the forward regions ($|\eta| > 2.0$) where solenoid bending power becomes insufficient



ATLAS muon spectrometer

- Excellent stand-alone capabilities and coverage in open geometry
- Complicated geometry and field configuration (large fluctuations in acceptance and performance over full potential η x φ coverage (|η| < 2.7)

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For reference



| TABLE 11 Main parameters of the ATLAS and CMS muon chambers | | | | |
|--|--|--|-------------------------------|--|
| | ATLAS | CMS | | |
| Drift Tubes -Coverage -Number of chambers -Number of channels -Function Cathode Strip Chambers -Coverage -Number of chambers -Number of channels Equation | MDTs $ \eta < 2.0$ 1170 354,000 Precision measurement 2.0 < $ \eta < 2.7$ 32 31,000 | DTs $\eta < 1.2$ 250 172,000 Precision measurement, triggering $1.2 < \eta < 2.4$ 468 500,000 | | |
| -Function Resistive Plate Chambers -Coverage -Number of chambers -Number of channels -Function | Precision measurement $ \eta < 1.05$ 1112 374,000 Triggering, second coordinate | Precision measurement, t $ \eta < 2.1$ 912 160,000 Triggering | TABI a sumi values | |
| Thin Gap Chambers -Coverage -Number of chambers -Number of channels -Function | $1.05 < \eta < 2.4$ 1578 322,000 Triggering, second coordinate | | Paran Pseud -Mu -Tri | |

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TABLE 12 Main parameters of the ATLAS and CMS muon measurement systems as well as a summary of the expected combined and stand-alone performance at two typical pseudorapidity values (averaged over azimuth)

| Parameter | ATLAS | CMS |
|---|----------------|----------------|
| Pseudorapidity coverage | | |
| -Muon measurement | $ \eta < 2.7$ | $ \eta < 2.4$ |
| -Triggering | $ \eta < 2.4$ | $ \eta < 2.1$ |
| Dimensions (m) | | |
| -Innermost (outermost) radius | 5.0 (10.0) | 3.9 (7.0) |
| -Innermost (outermost) disk (z-point) | 7.0 (21–23) | 6.0-7.0 (9-10) |
| Segments/superpoints per track for barrel (end caps) | 3 (4) | 4 (3–4) |
| Magnetic field B (T) | 0.5 | 2 |
| -Bending power (BL, in T \cdot m) at $ \eta \approx 0$ | 3 | 16 |
| -Bending power (BL, in T· m) at $ \eta \approx 2.5$ | 8 | 6 |
| Combined (stand-alone) momentum resolution at | | |
| $-p = 10 \text{ GeV} \text{ and } \eta \approx 0$ | 1.4% (3.9%) | 0.8% (8%) |
| $-p = 10 \text{ GeV} \text{ and } \eta \approx 2$ | 2.4% (6.4%) | 2.0% (11%) |
| $-p = 100 \text{ GeV}$ and $\eta \approx 0$ | 2.6% (3.1%) | 1.2% (9%) |
| $-p = 100 \text{ GeV}$ and $\eta \approx 2$ | 2.1% (3.1%) | 1.7% (18%) |
| $-p = 1000 \text{ GeV}$ and $\eta \approx 0$ | 10.4% (10.5%) | 4.5% (13%) |
| $-p = 1000 \text{ GeV}$ and $\eta \approx 2$ | 4.4% (4.6%) | 7.0% (35%) |

How to design your detector



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Some CMS examples...



- Modular structure
 - eg. CMS Barrel 13m long: not possible to build such long muon-chambers
 - Idea of wheels. All cabling independent. Flexibility.
 - Original idea: build/test everything at surface.
 - Every part of detector "easily" accessible during shutdowns
 - CMS Pixel detector is dramatic example







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Multi-level trigger DAQ architecture





Robustness, ie. operational efficiency independent of noise/machine conditions Multiple overlapping triggers for estimating efficiency (without MC) Provide also triggers/data streams for calibration

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Trigger Levels ("The first second)"





Channel data sampling at 40 MHz

Level-1 selected events 10⁵ Hz

Particle identification (High $p_{\tau} e, \mu$, jets, missing E_{τ})

- Local pattern recognition
- Energy evaluation on prompt macro-granular information

Level-2 selected events 10³ Hz

Clean particle signature (Z, W, ..)

- Finer granularity precise measurement
- Kinematics. effective mass cuts and event topology
- Track reconstruction and detector matching

Level-3 events to tape 10..100 Hz Physics process identification

Event reconstruction and analysis

10-7 s

10-6 s

10⁻³ s

10-0 s

40 MHz event selection and front-end structure



40 MHz digitizers and 3.2µs x 25ns step **pipeline readout buffers** 40 MHz Level-1 trigger (**massive parallel pipelined processors**) High precision (~ 100ps) **timing, trigger and control distribution**

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ATLAS and CMS HLT Concepts



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Event selection parallel processing



Level 1 trigger: Massive parallel





Farm of processors ONE Event, ONE processors

- Simple interconnect
- Sequential programming
- 100 kHz, 10000 cores, 100 ms x event
- Scale free. High latency (large memory)



Massive parallel system ONE Event, ALL processors

- Complex I/O
- Programming complexity
- Low latency. Exponential scaling.

Finally, need massive (distributed) computing resources (CPU, storage)

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- - ✤ corresponds to ~ 20 million CD (a 20 km stack ...)
- Data analysis requires computing power equivalent to ~10⁵ today's fastest PC processors
- The experiment Collaborations are spread all over the world
 - Computing resources must be distributed.
- The Grid provides seamless access to computing power and data storage capacity distributed over the globe.







Finally: The Detectors ATLAS and CMS









Compact Muon Solenoid

After almost 20 years, from conception, design, construction and commissioning CMS became a working experiment in September 2008

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Comparison

| | $ATLAS \equiv A$ Toroidal LHC ApparatuS | CMS ≡ Compact Muon Solenoid |
|------------|---|---|
| MAGNET (S) | Air-core toroids + solenoid in inner cavity 4 magnets Calorimeters in field-free region | Solenoid Only 1 magnet Calorimeters inside field |
| TRACKER | Si pixels+ strips TRT \rightarrow particle identification B=2T $\sigma/p_T \sim 5x10^{-4} p_T \oplus 0.01$ | Si pixels + strips No particle identification B=4T $\sigma/p_T \sim 1.5 \times 10^{-4} p_T \oplus 0.005$ |
| EM CALO | Pb-liquid argon $\sigma/E \sim 10\%/\sqrt{E} + 0.007$ longitudinal segmentation | PbWO₄ crystals σ/E ~ 3%/√E + 0.003 no longitudinal segm. |
| HAD CALO | Fe-scint. + Cu-liquid argon (10 λ) σ/E ~ 50%/√E ⊕ 0.03 | Brass-scint. (~7 λ +catcher) σ/E ~ 100%/ $\sqrt{E} \oplus 0.05$ |
| MUON | Air $\rightarrow \sigma/p_T \sim 2\%$ (@50GeV) to 10% (@1 TeV) standalone | Fe $\rightarrow \sigma/p_{\tau} \sim 1\%$ (@50 GeV) to 10% (@1 TeV) combining with tracker |

Commissioning and current performance

Detectors : Commissioning

No Beam :

- Cosmic Muons
- Initial alignment/detector calibration (barrel)
- Debugging, dead-channels mapping
- One Beam :
 - Beam-Splash and Beam-Halo Muons
 - Timing
 - Alignment/calibration in end-caps
 - Beam-Gas events
 - resemble pp, with soft spectrum ($p_T < 2 \text{ GeV}$)
 - eg. first alignment of inner trackers to about 100 μm or better
- Two Beams :
 - very early low lumi : Min Bias interactions, QCD di-jet events
 - then : get quickly access to SM processes as standard calibration candles: W, Z, top production

Getting ready

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A historical moment: closure of the LHC beam pipe inside the ATLAS cavern on 16 June 2008.

ATLAS was ready for LHC data-taking in August 2008

Since then:

- global cosmics runs (with full detector operational)
 (~ 500 M events collected August-October 2008, 1.2 PB of raw data)
- first calibration and alignment studies:
- achieved precision far better than expected at this stage !
- single-beam events recorded in September 2008
- detector opened in October 2008 (maintenance, consolidation, a few repairs)
- detector closed again beginning of June 2009
- global cosmics runs restarted end of June (100 M events collected)

First LHC Beam in 2008

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Wed, 10 Sept. 2008

- "Splash" events observed when beam (450 GeV, 4.10⁹ p) struck collimators 150m upstream of CMS (O(100k) muons)
- Halo muons observed once beam (uncaptured and captured) started passing through CMS
- Extremely useful for timing studies
- even obtained best ECAL EE intercalibration

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Continuous Operation of CMS

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CRAFT*: Cosmics Run at Four Tesla

* Operating field of CMS is 3.8T

- Ran CMS for 6 weeks (Oct Nov'08) continuously to gain operational experience, stability of infrastructure.
- Collected 300M cosmic events. About 400 TB of data distributed widely.
- ε ~ 70% (24/7)
- wealth of data for ascertaining health and performance of detector, detector cleanup studies (e.g. for alignment equivalent to >10 pb⁻¹!)
- ~ 25 publications planned for end Sep

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CRAFT: Performance Plots

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CRAFT Results: CMS Magnetic Field Map

In the Tracker Region

Measured by Field Mapper (at 2, 3, 3.5, 3.8, 4 T) in 2006 MTCC

TOSCA field map agrees < 0.1%

NMR probes inside solenoid confirm agreement scale < 0.1% between 2006 and 2008

In the Return Yoke

Compare tracker vs stand-alone muon momentum scale:

-stand-alone muons, momentum is over-estimated by 20%

Field model overestimated the field in the iron yoke.

With new modeling of B field map : agreement data/MC now better than 2%

| Sub-Detector | # of channels | Fraction of working detector (%) | |
|------------------------------|---------------|--------------------------------------|--|
| Pixels | 80 x 106 | 98.5 | |
| Silicon Strip Detector (SCT) | 6 x 106 | ~99.5 | |
| TRT | 3.5 x 10^5 | 98.2 | |
| ECAL LAr | 1.7 x 105 | 99.5 | |
| Fe/scint (Tilecal) | 9800 | ~99.5 | |
| HCAL endcap LAr | 5600 | 99.9 | |
| Forward LAr calorimeter | 3500 | 100 | |
| MDT | 3.5 x 105 | 99.3 | |
| RPC | 3.7 x 105 | ~99.5 (aim: > 98.5 by first beam) | |
| TGC | 3. x 105 | >99.5 | |

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| Sub-detector | No. of ch. | Working (%) |
|--|--------------------------|---------------|
| Pixels | 66x10 ⁶ | 98.6 (+) |
| Silicon strip detector | 9.3×10 ⁶ | 98.3 (+0.6%?) |
| ECAL PbWO₄ calorimeter | 7.58×10 ⁵ | 99.5 |
| ECAL ES | 1.37×10 ⁵ | 99.95 |
| HCAL HB (HO) calorimeter | 2592 (2160) | 100 (99.1) |
| HCAL HE calorimeter | 2592 | 100 |
| HCAL_HF calorimeter | 1728 | 100 |
| Muon DTs | 1.55×10 ⁵ | 99.6 |
| Muon CSC (CFEB) | 2.18×10 ⁵ | 99.3 |
| Muon RPC RB (RE) | 8.3(4.1)×10 ⁴ | 99.7 (99.5*) |

CMS comprises 66M pixel channels, ~ 9.3M Si microstrip ch, ~76k crystals, 150k Si preshower ch, ~15k HCAL ch, 250 DT chambers (170k wires), 450 CSC chambers (~200k wires), 480 Barrel RPCs and 432 endcap RPCs, muon and calorimeter trigger system, 50 kHz DAQ system (~ 10k CPU cores), Grid Computing (~ 50k cores), offline (> 2M lines of source code).

Some performance comparisons **Particle Physics**

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Particle Flow, JetsPlusTracks







The goal of algorithm: correct calorimeter jet energy to the energy of particles at vertex.

out-of-calo-cone track in-calo-cone track

Basic algorithm steps:

- 1. Subtract average expected response of "in-calo-cone" tracks from calo jet energy and add track momentum
- 2. Add momentum of "out-ofcone" tracks

Example CMS : Performance improvements





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Expected Detector Performance



- Construction quality checks and beam tests of series detector modules, as well as cosmics results, show that the detectors as built should give a good starting-point performance
- Example ATLAS (Gianotti, EPS09)

| | Initial Day-1 | Ultimate goal | Physics samples to improve |
|-----------------|---------------|---------------|---|
| (examples) | | | |
| ECAL uniformity | ~2.5% | 0.7% | Isolated electrons, $Z \rightarrow ee$ |
| e/y E-scale | 2-3% | <0.1% | J/ ψ , Z $\rightarrow ee$, E/p for electrons |
| Jet E-scale | 5-10% | 1% | γ/Z + 1j, W \rightarrow jj in tt eventsID |
| ID alignment | 20-200 μm | 5μ m | Generic tracks, isolated μ , Z $\rightarrow \mu\mu$ |
| Muon alignment | 40-1000 μm | 40 μm | Straight μ , Z $\rightarrow \mu\mu$ |

General However, a lot of data (and time ...) will be needed at the beginning to

- Commission the detector and trigger in situ
- Reach the performance needed to optimize the physics potential
- Understand "basic" physics at 7-10-14 TeV and normalize (tune) the MC generators
- Measure backgrounds to new physics and extract "early" convincing signals





Summary of Part 1

"Hofstadter's Law : It always takes longer than you think, even if you take into account Hofstadter's Law"

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Summary Part 2



The Detectors

- are designed to optimally exploit the physics offered by the LHC
- the LHC environment (physics, rates, backgrounds, radiation, ...) put unprecedented constraints on the detector
- many years of R&D were needed to meet the challenges

ATLAS and CMS

- are both general purpose experiments
- but are different in their overall layout and in their specific subdetector (design) choices
- from current knowledge (test beams, cosmics) we can expect excellent performance
- Preparations: We see the light at the end of the tunnel

