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Precision Timing Calorimetry for High Energy Physics

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Outline

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- ❖ Physical processes that affect precision timing (TOF resolution)
- ❖ Experimental results
 - ❖ LYSO-based sampling calorimeter
 - ❖ LYSO-Tungsten Shashlik calorimeter
- ❖ Summary and future prospects



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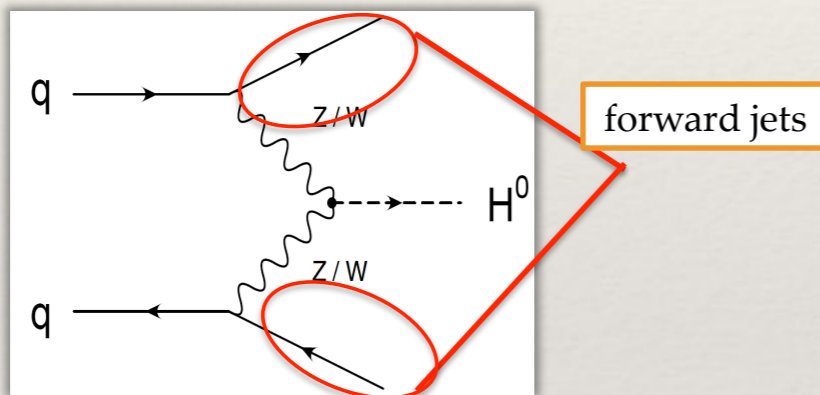
Physics Motivation for Precision Timing

High-Luminosity Large Hadron Collider (HL-LHC)

Goals

Precise measurements of Higgs properties:

- couplings, tensor structure, rare decay
- role in EW-SB ($W_L W_L$ scattering)



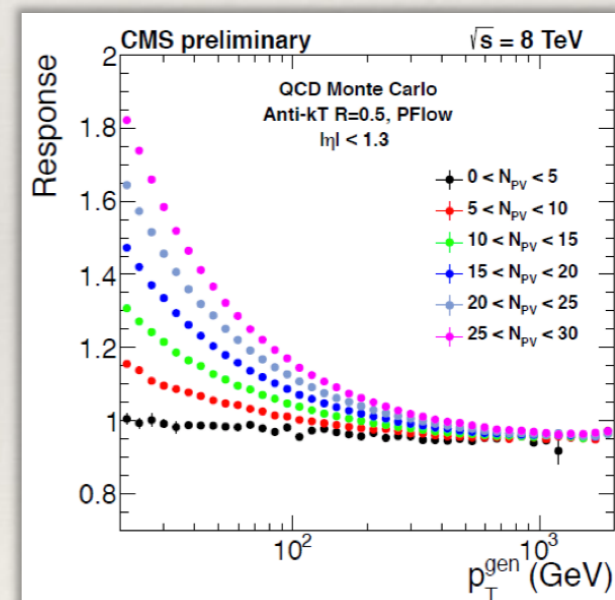
Explore signals of new physics:

- Supersymmetry, DM direct production
- Many analyses require jets and MET

Challenges

Collect more data to increase LHC reach:

- Pileup interactions up to 140
- Key measurements will be affected by this harsh environment



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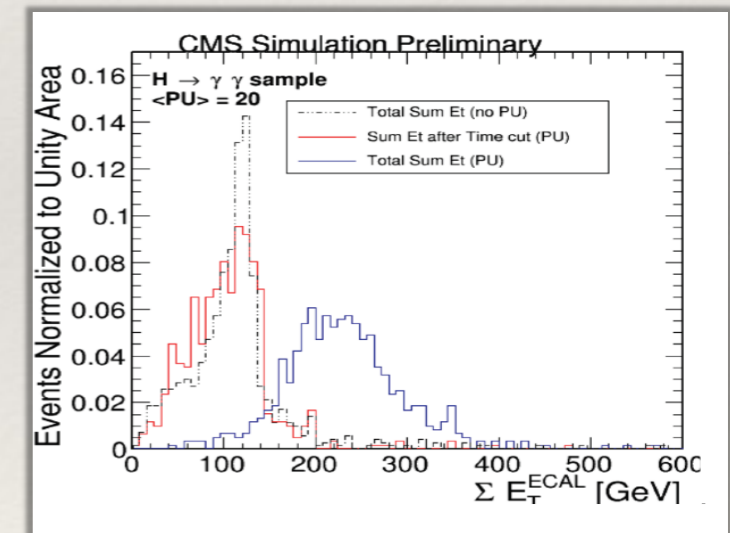
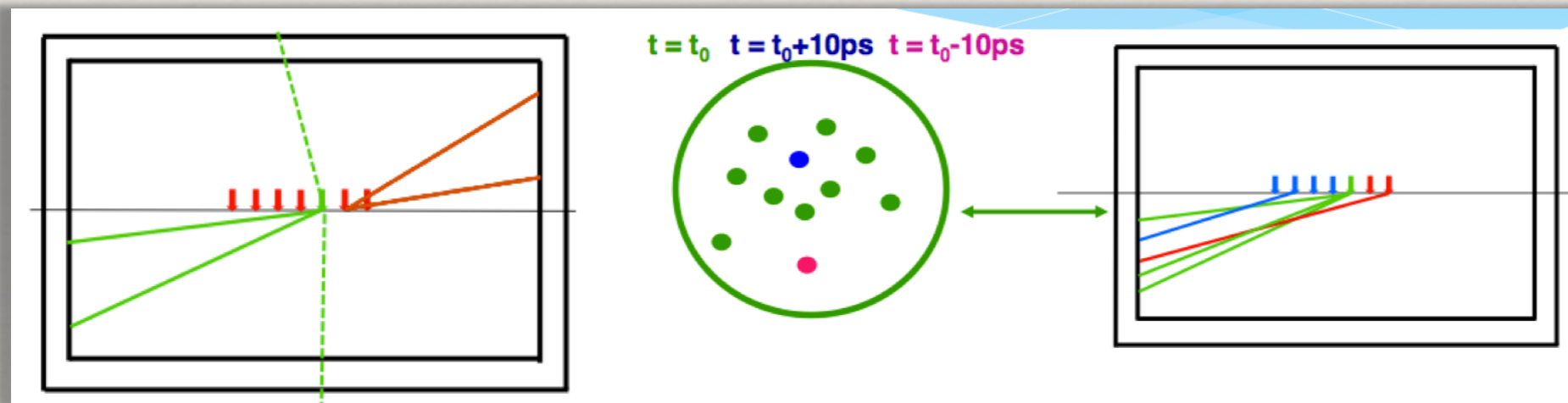
Precision Timing Calorimeters

Calorimeter with time resolution of the O(20-30) ps

- Allows a $H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ vertex reconstruction with approximately 1 cm resolution
- Reduces pileup (PU) energy by a factor of 5-10

Possible physics applications of timing information

- *Object level*: identify forward PU jets (improve VBF higgs and WW scattering)
- *Single hit level*: e.g timing-base ECAL clustering cleaning
- Spatially separate overlapping vertices that corresponds to different time



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Precision Timing Using Crystal

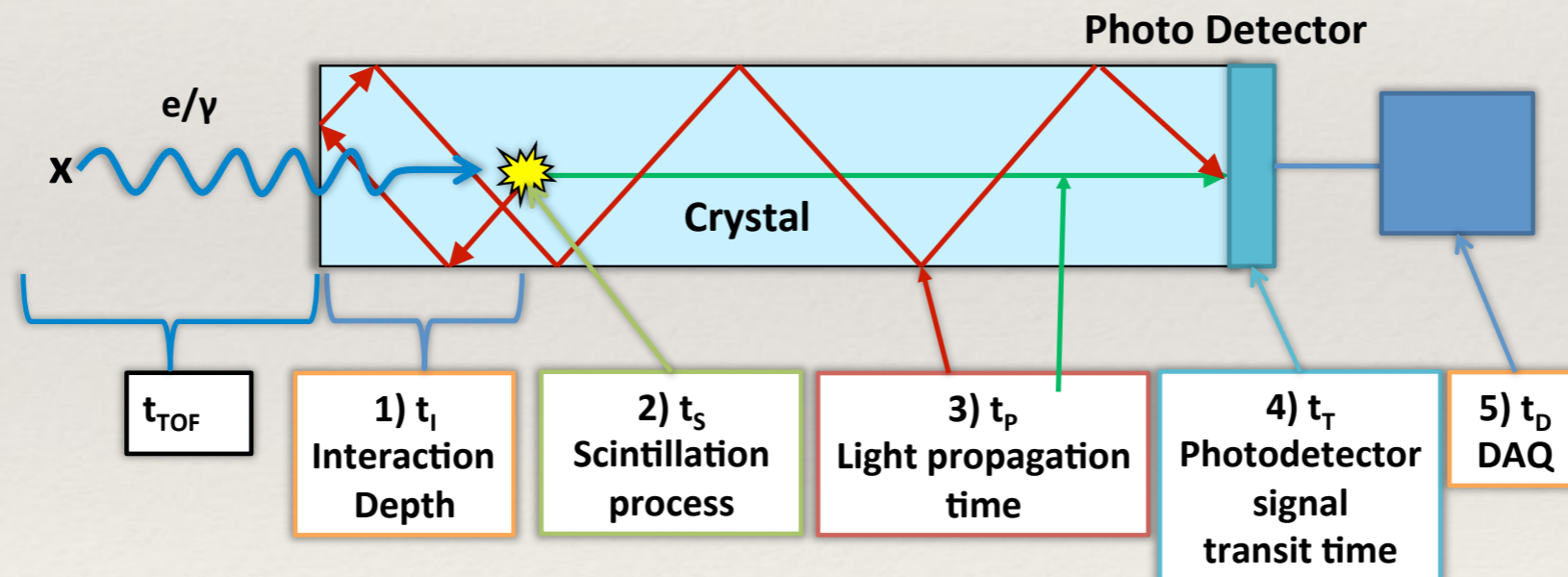
TOF resolution driven by a number of different effects

- Main effects can be approximately factorize
- EM shower development (t_I): shown to be around 20 ps (A. Ronzhin et. al. NIM A, vol 749 p.65-73)

We focus our studies on scintillation and transit time (t_S and t_T)

Setup allows to control:

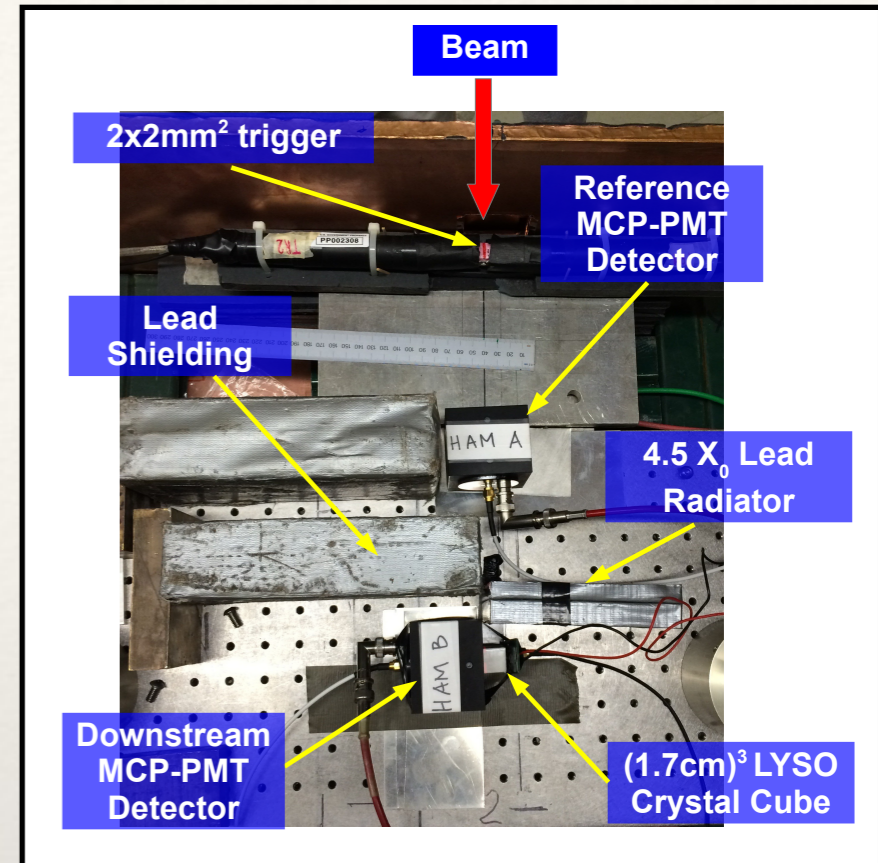
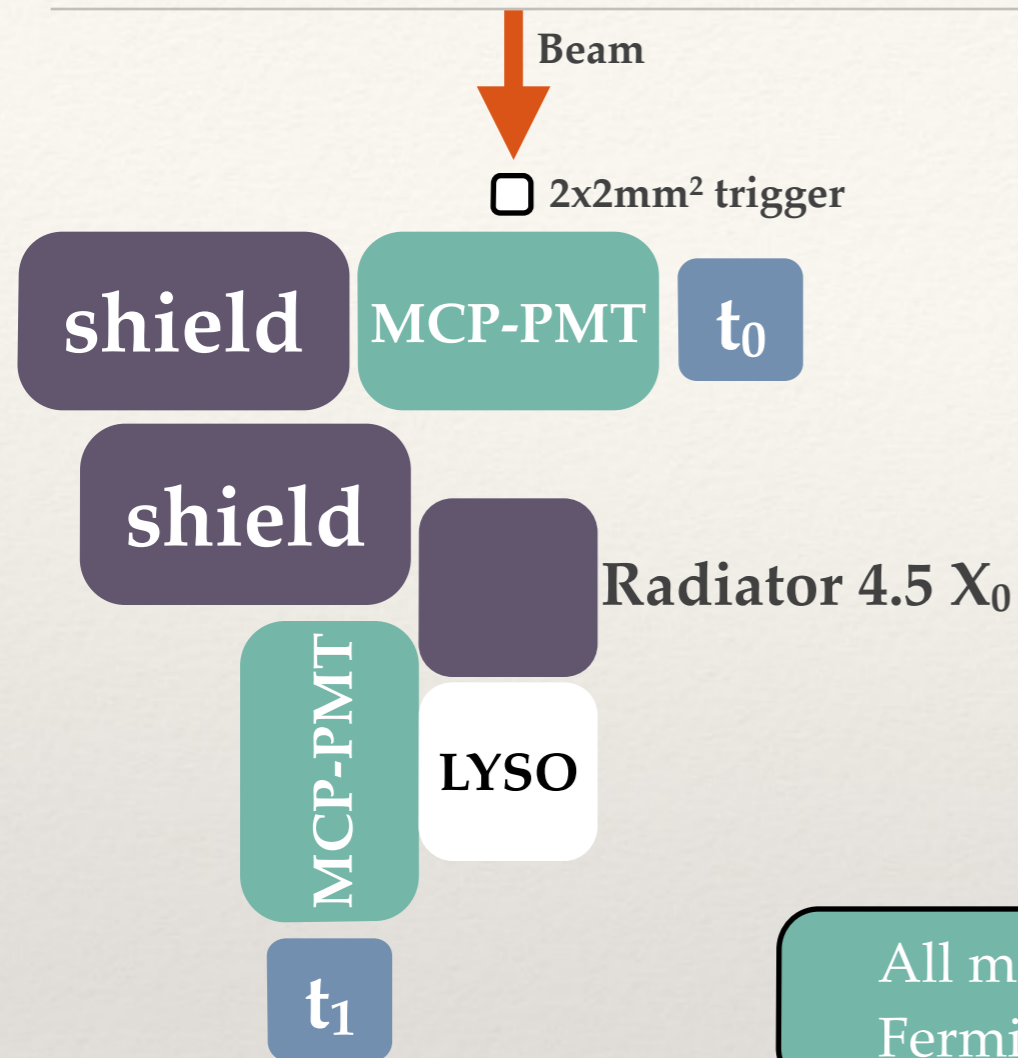
Photodetector jitter (t_P) at the 10 ps level and DAQ resolution (t_D) to about 6ps



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LYSO-based Sampling Calorimeter



All measurement carried out at the Fermilab Test Beam Facility (FTBF)

DAQ = DRS4 wave digitizer + laptop

Goal: study the effect of scintillation light by reducing optical transport.
Electromagnetic Shower developed in the lead radiator, then sampled by the LYSO crystal

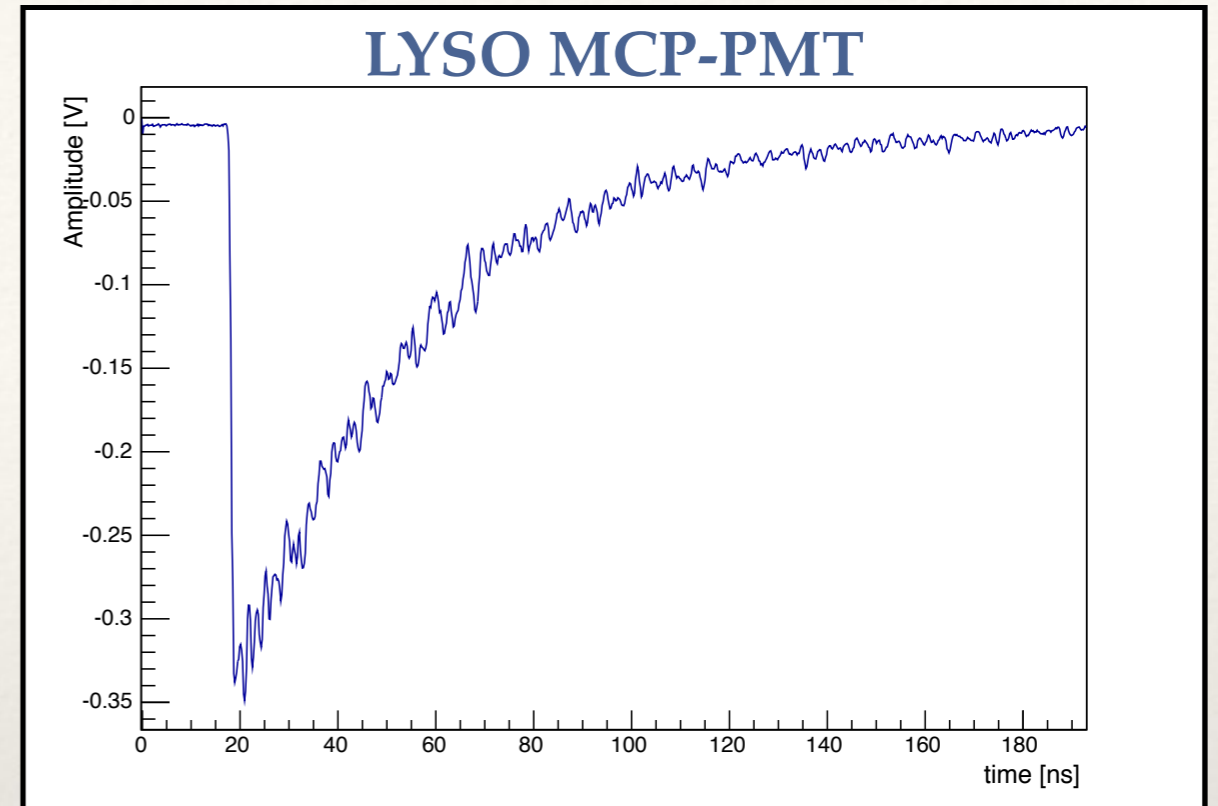
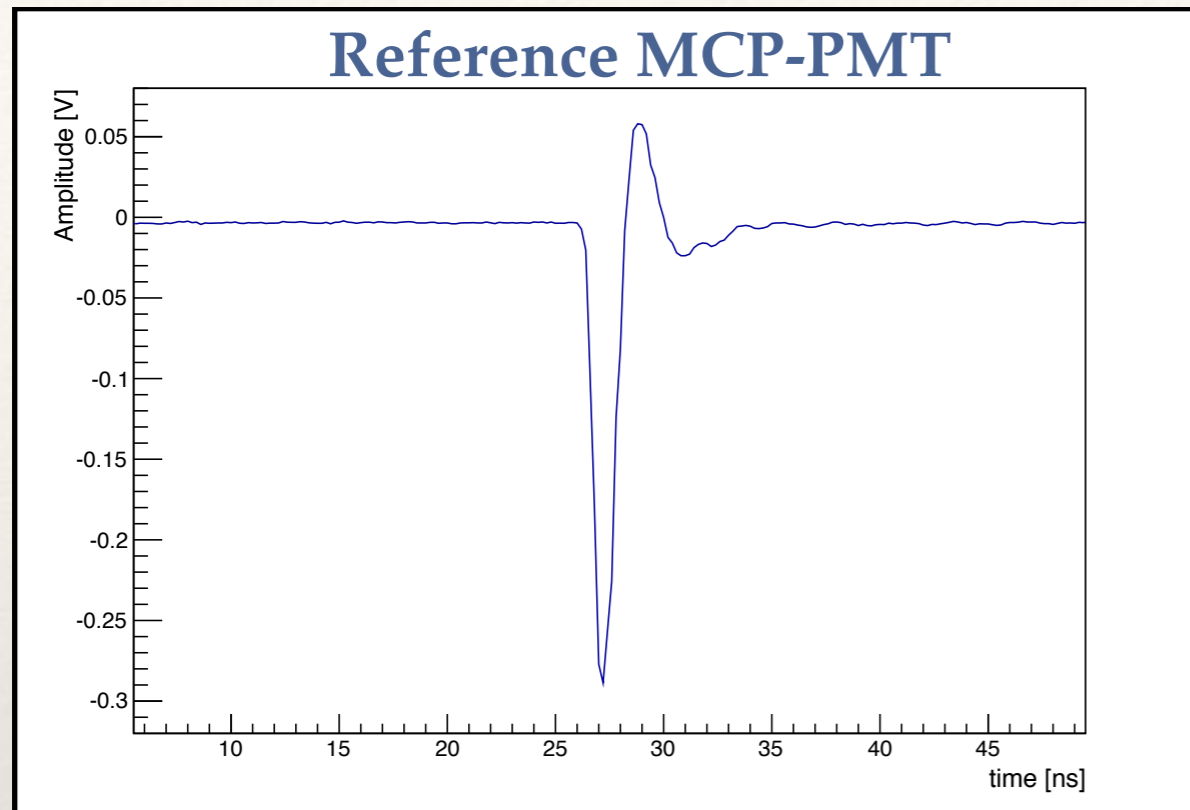
$$\text{TOF} = t_1 - t_0 \quad (1)$$



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LYSO-based Sampling Calorimeter II



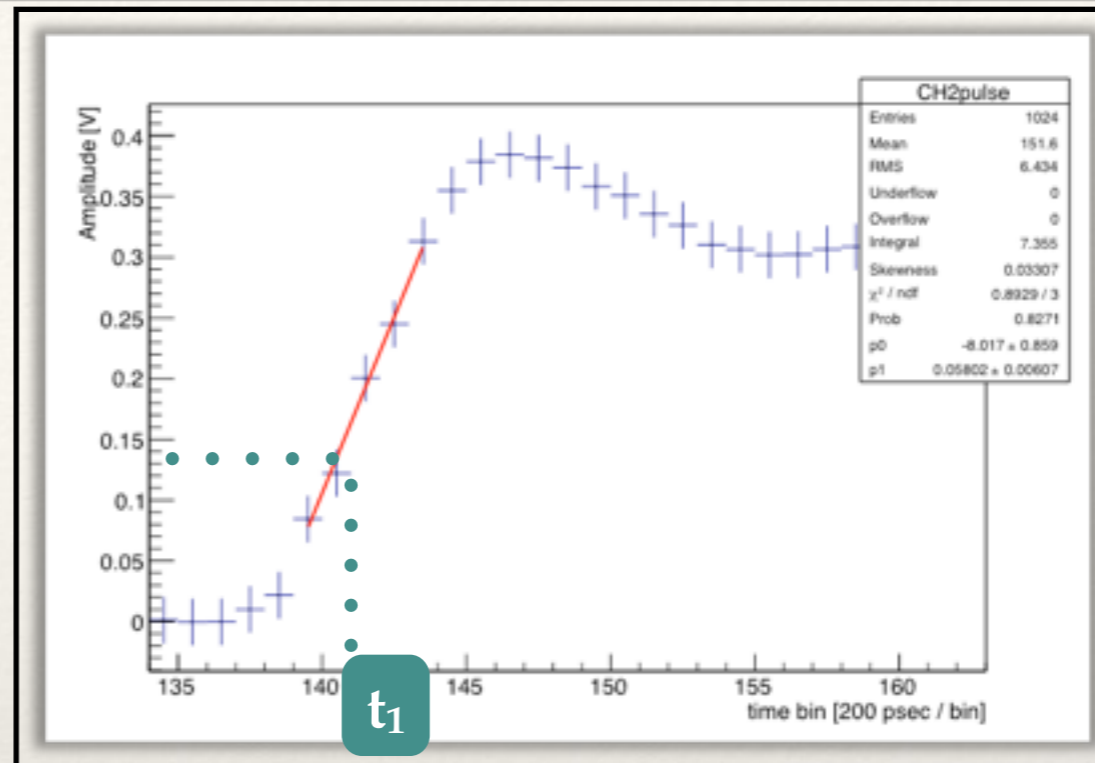
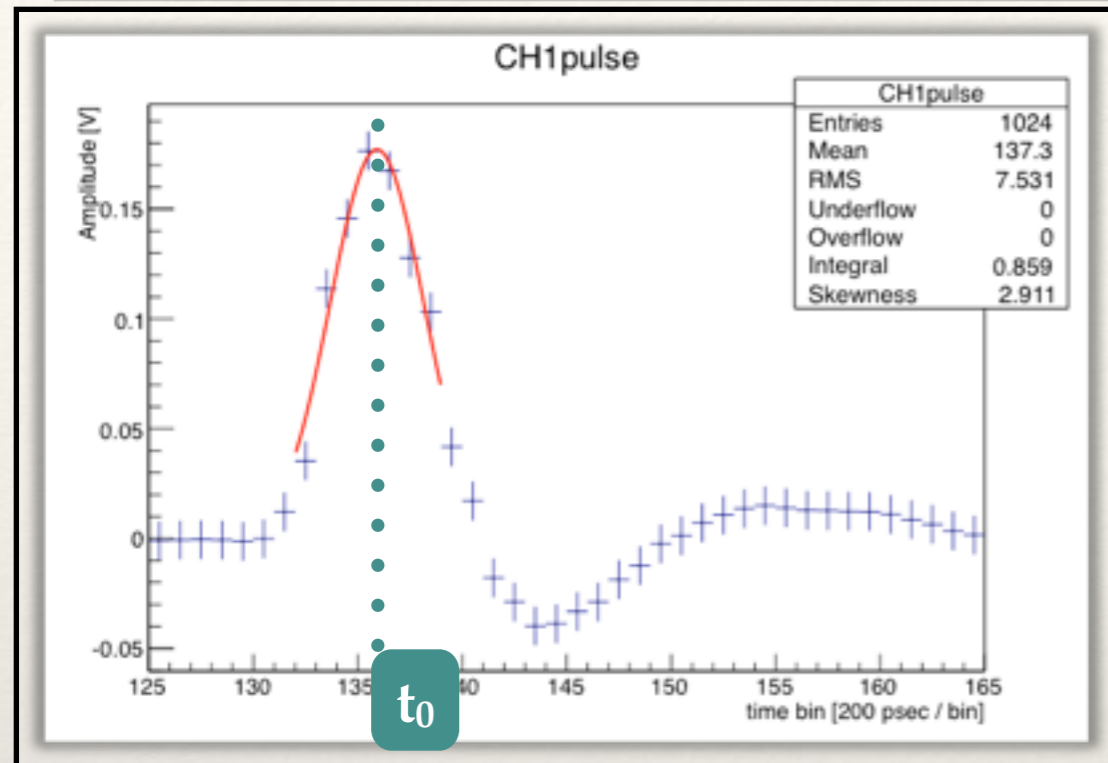
Reference MCP-PMT: very fast response (2-3 ns)
LYSO MCP-PMT: fast rising edge; pulse shape consistent with scintillation light



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LYSO-based Sampling Calorimeter Analysis



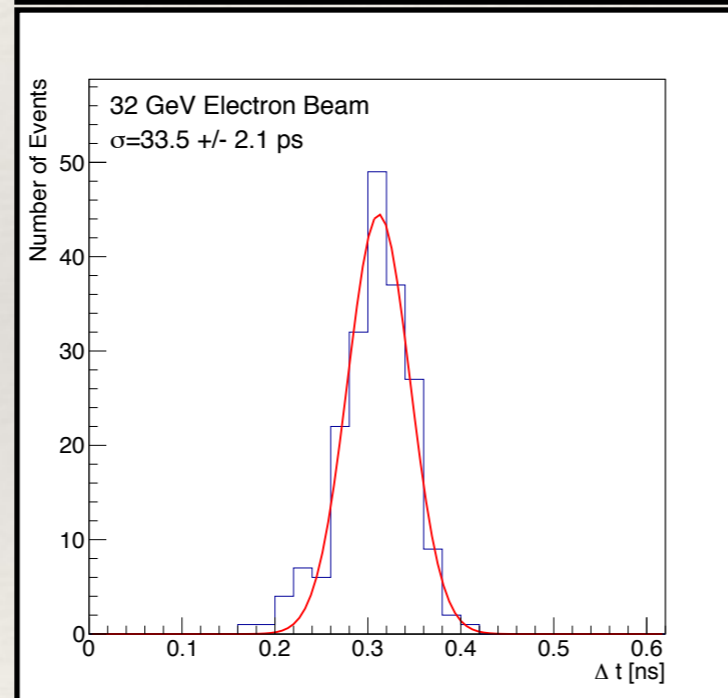
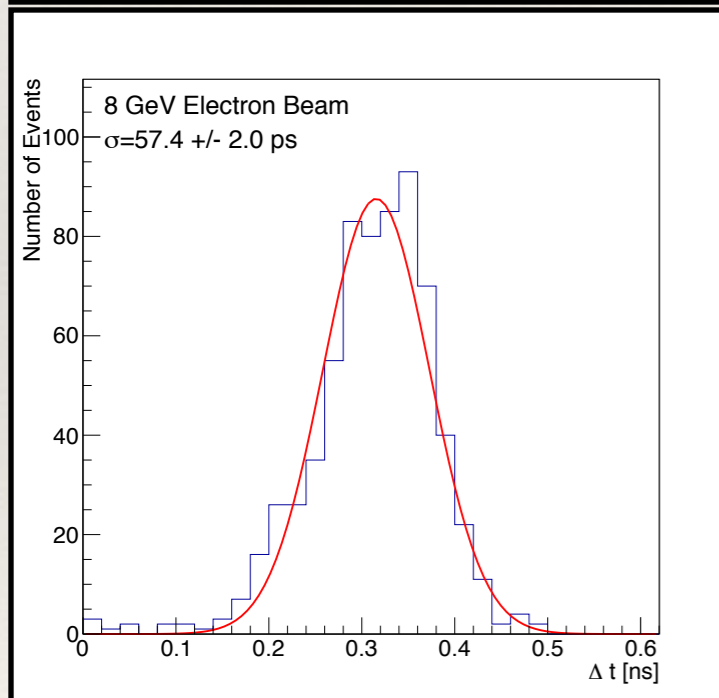
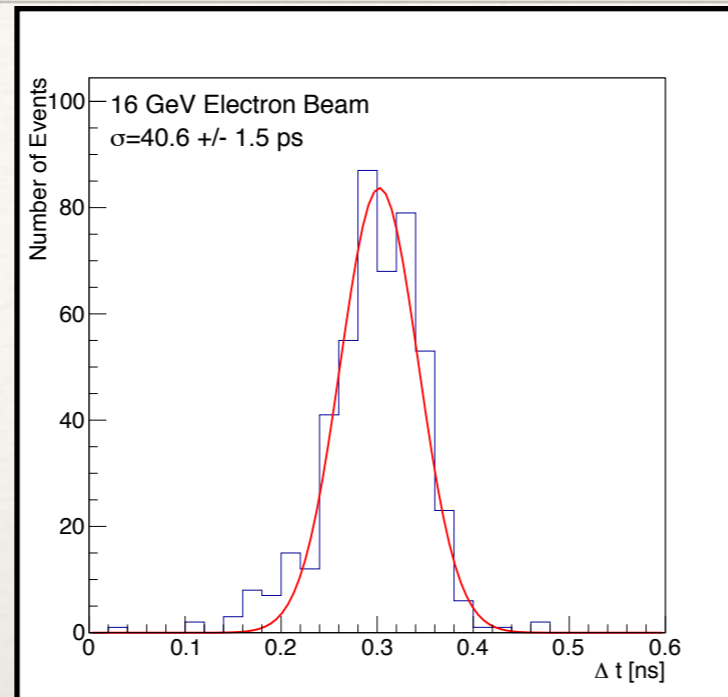
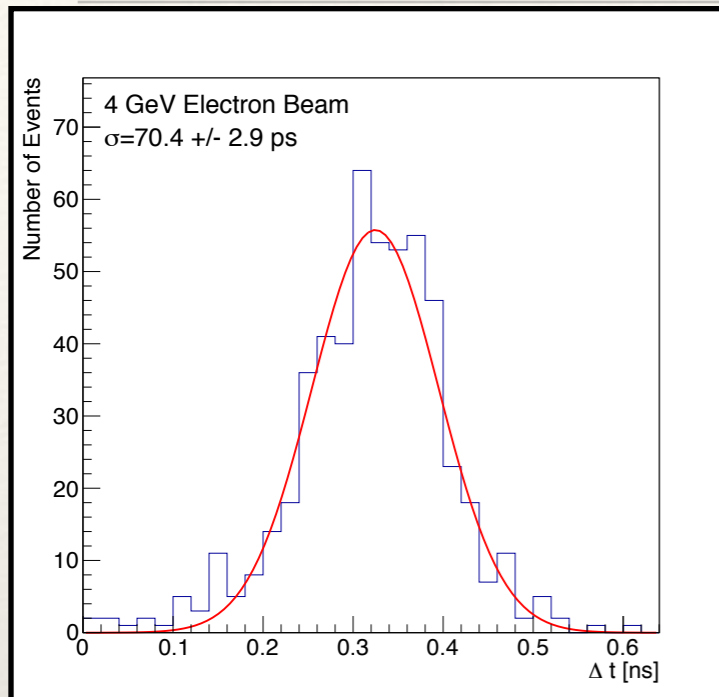
Reference MCP-PMT timestamp (t_0): mean of gaussian fit around peak of pulse shape
LYSO MCP-PMT timestamp (t_1): linear fit to rising edge (10-60% of maximum); $t_1 \rightarrow$ time at 20% of the maximum amplitude



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LYSO-based Sampling Calorimeter Results



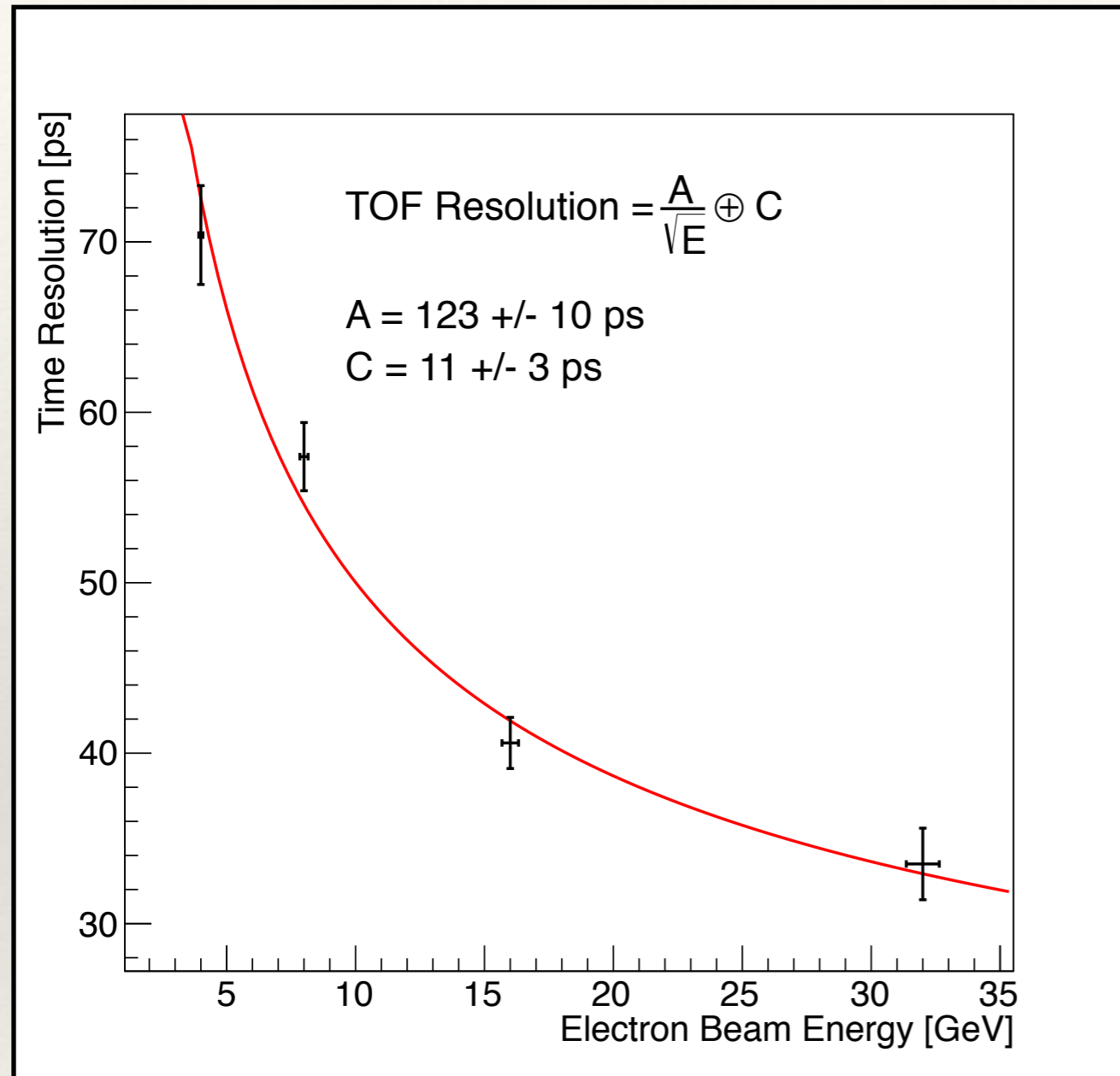
- Measure TOF resolution for different electron energies (4, 8, 16, 32 GeV)
- Measure 33 ps TOF resolution for 32 GeV electrons
- TOF resolution: width of gaussian fit to the TOF distribution (σ)



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LYSO-based Sampling Calorimeter Results II



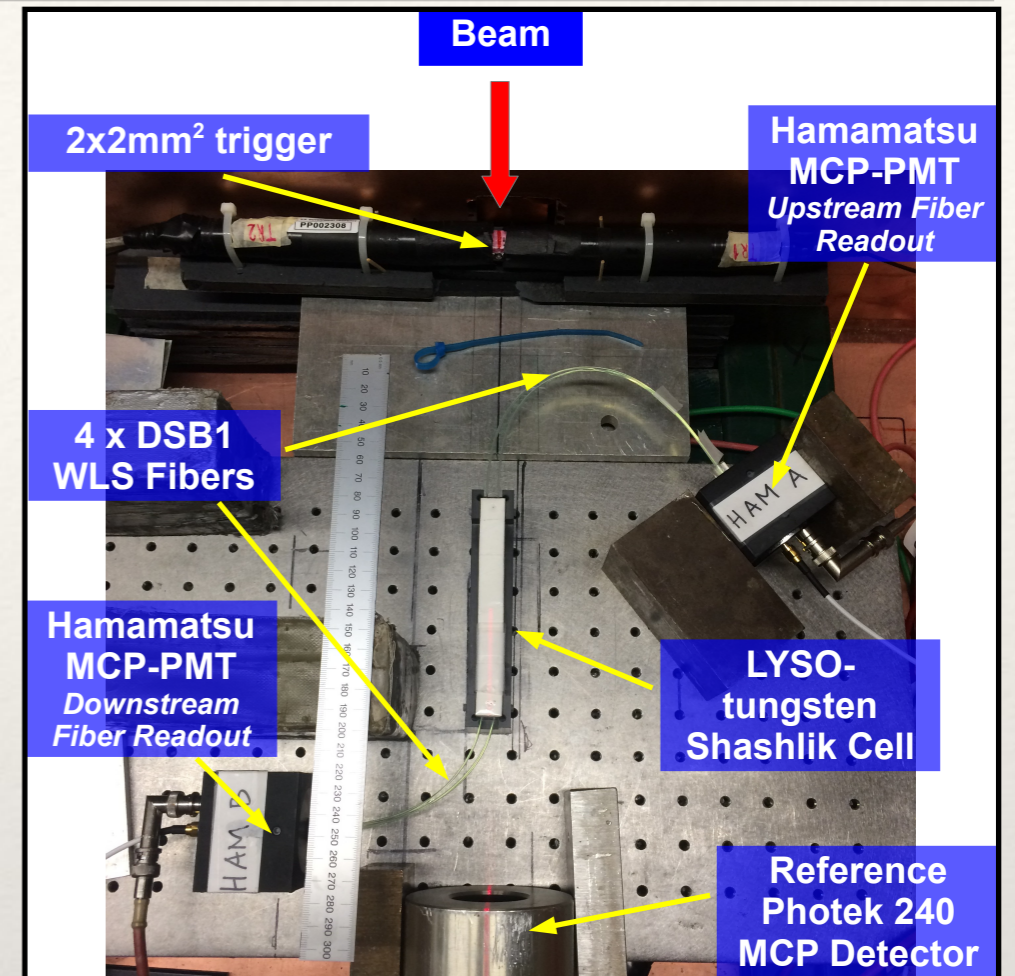
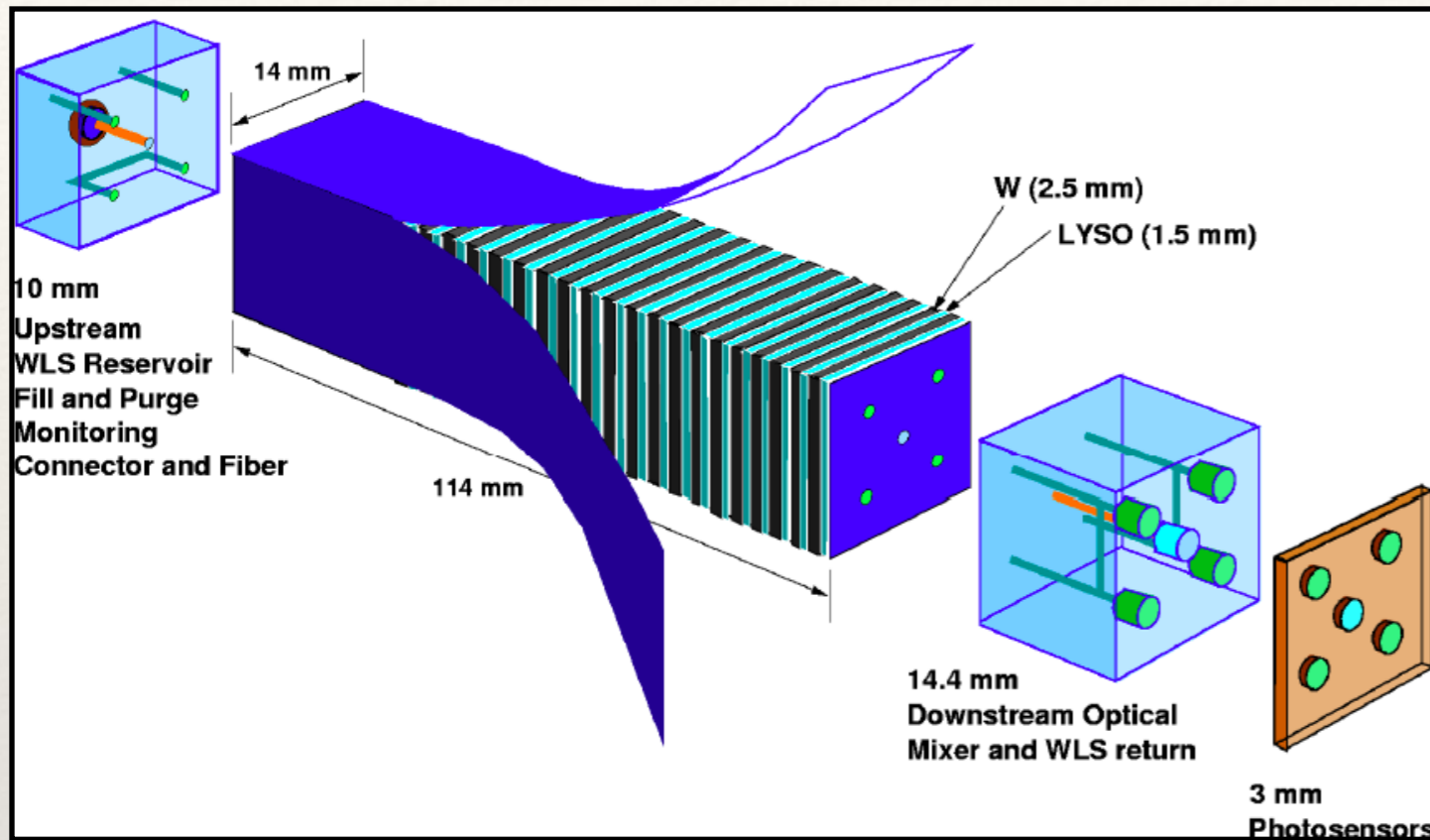
- Observe a $1/\sqrt{E}$ behavior for TOF resolution
- Fit the TOF resolution distribution to the superposition of a stochastic term and a constant term
- **Summary: 20-30 ps TOF resolution goal is achievable for ~ 50 GeV e/γ objects; provided enough light collection**



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LYSO-Tungsten Shashlik Calorimeter



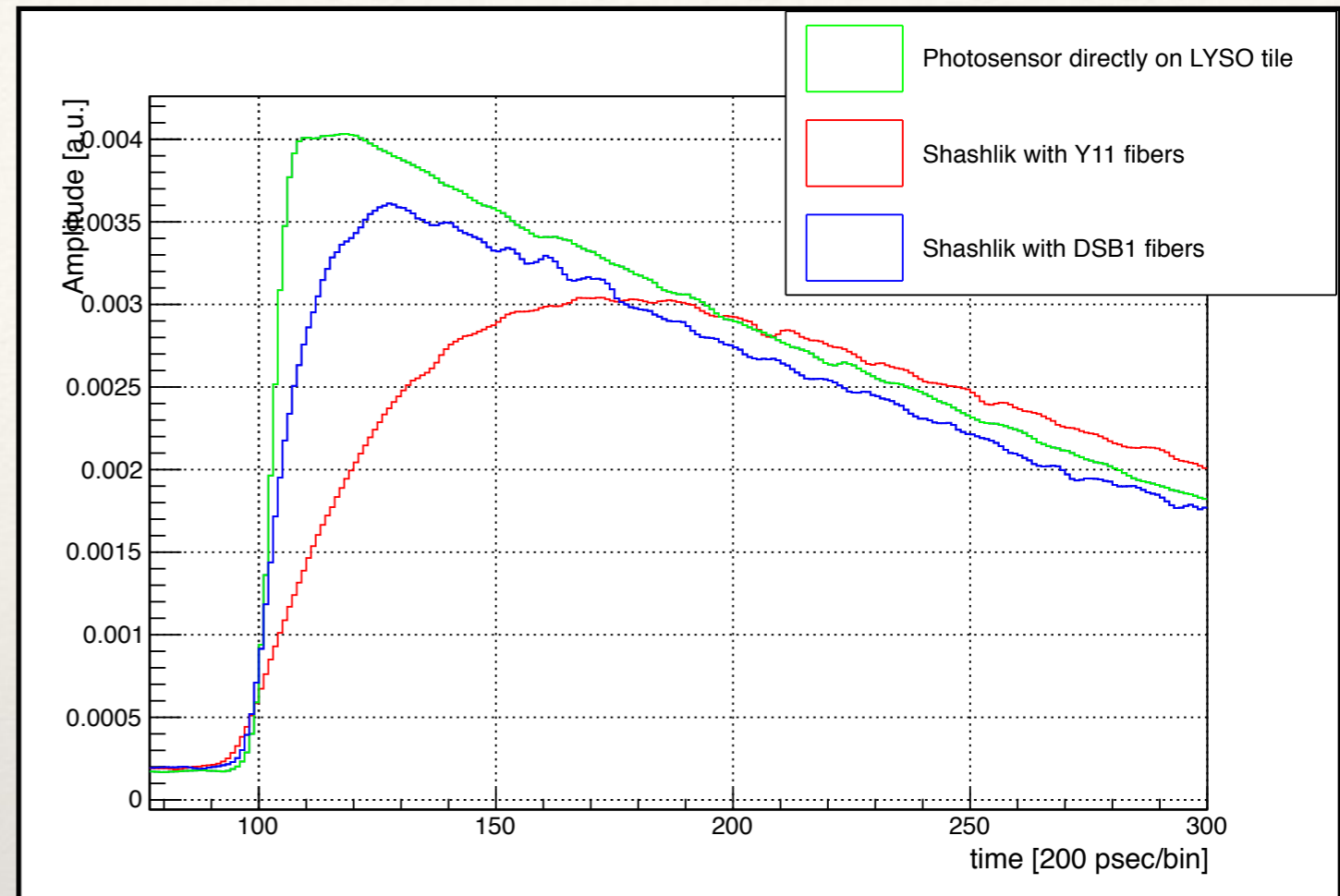
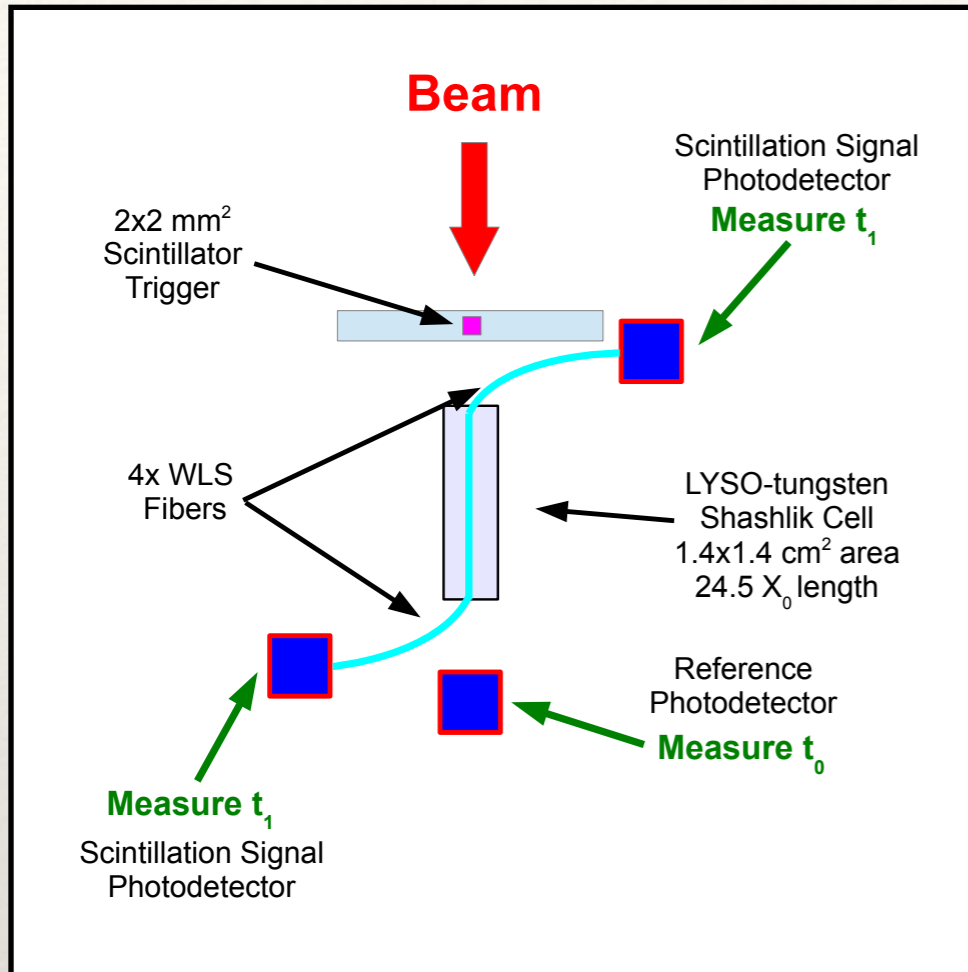
Goal: study the effect of optical transit by increasing the distance traveled by the light
Goal: measure the TOF resolution using WLS fiber and side readout (a la sampling calorimeter)
Build single shashlik module with WLS fibers and MCP-PMT readout



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Shashlik WLS fibers Readout Results I



Test the response of different WLS fiber, particularly the rise time.
Measure rise times to be ~ 10 ns and ~ 4 ns for the Y11 (kuraray) and DSB1 WLS fibers respectively.

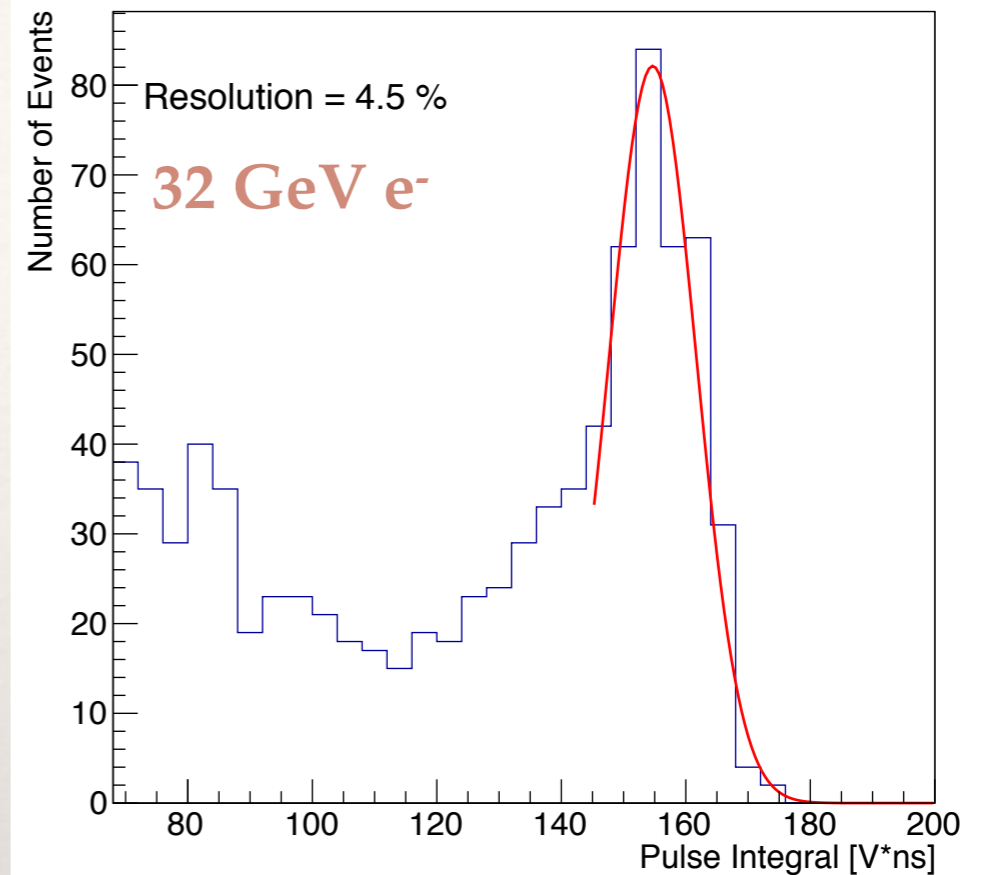
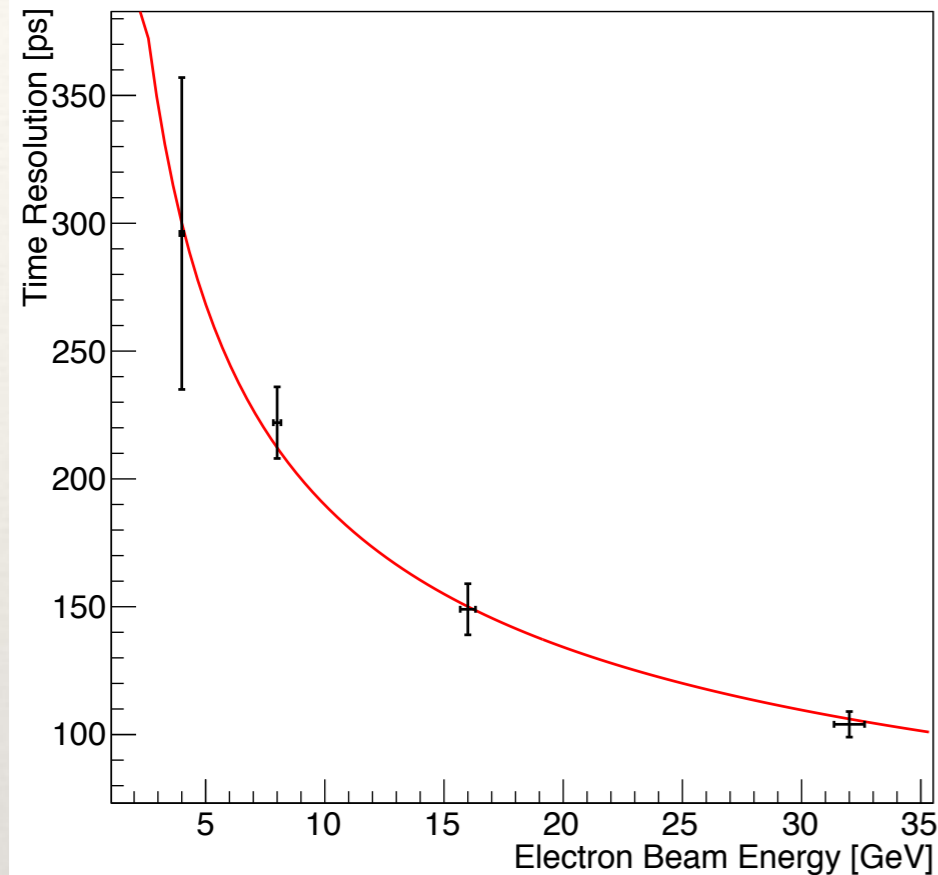
In terms of TOF resolution the faster (DSB1) fiber performs better.



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Shashlik WLS fibers Readout Results II



Use same TOF algorithm as in the LYSO-sampling calorimeter.

Measure a $\sim 4.5\%$ energy resolution using a single shashlik cell readout by WLS fiber and MCP-PMTs

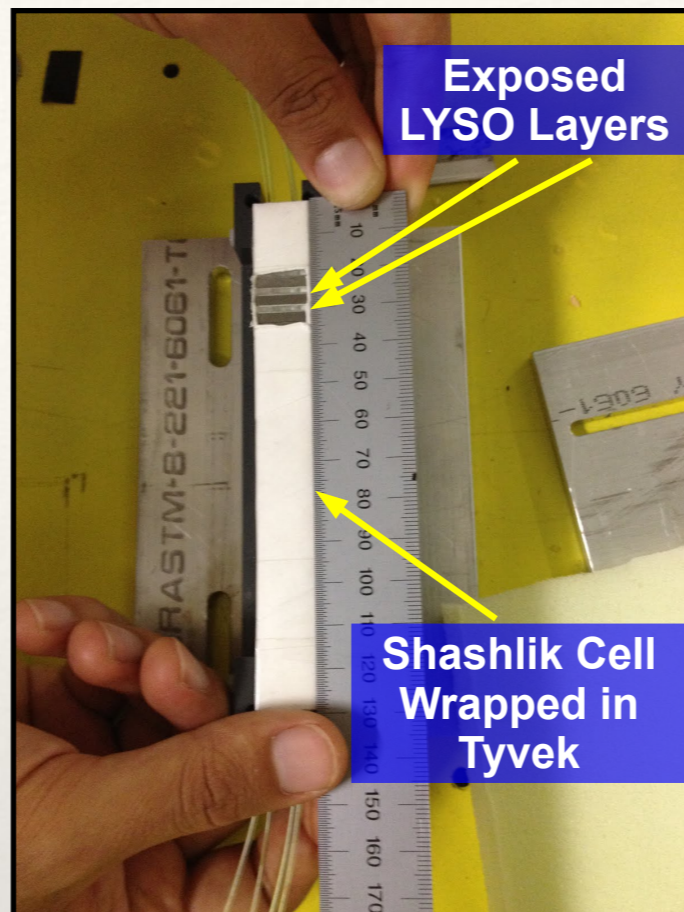
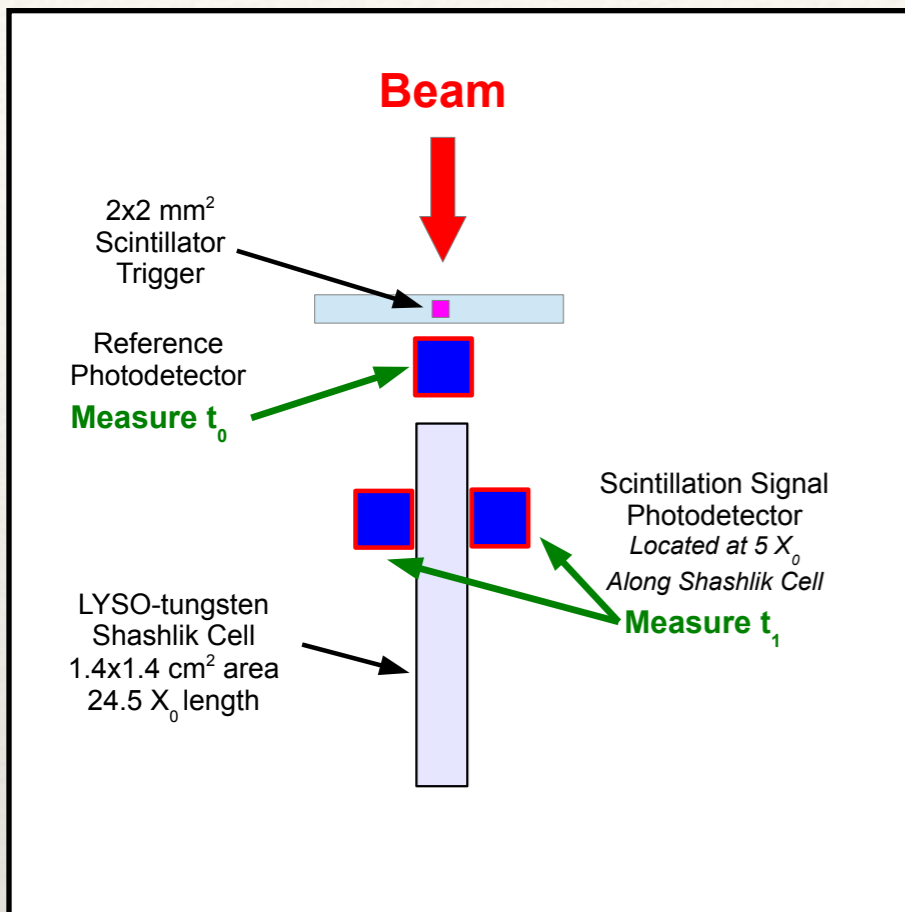
Observe a $1/\sqrt{E}$ behavior for the TOF resolution, measure ~ 100 ps time resolution for 32 GeV e^-



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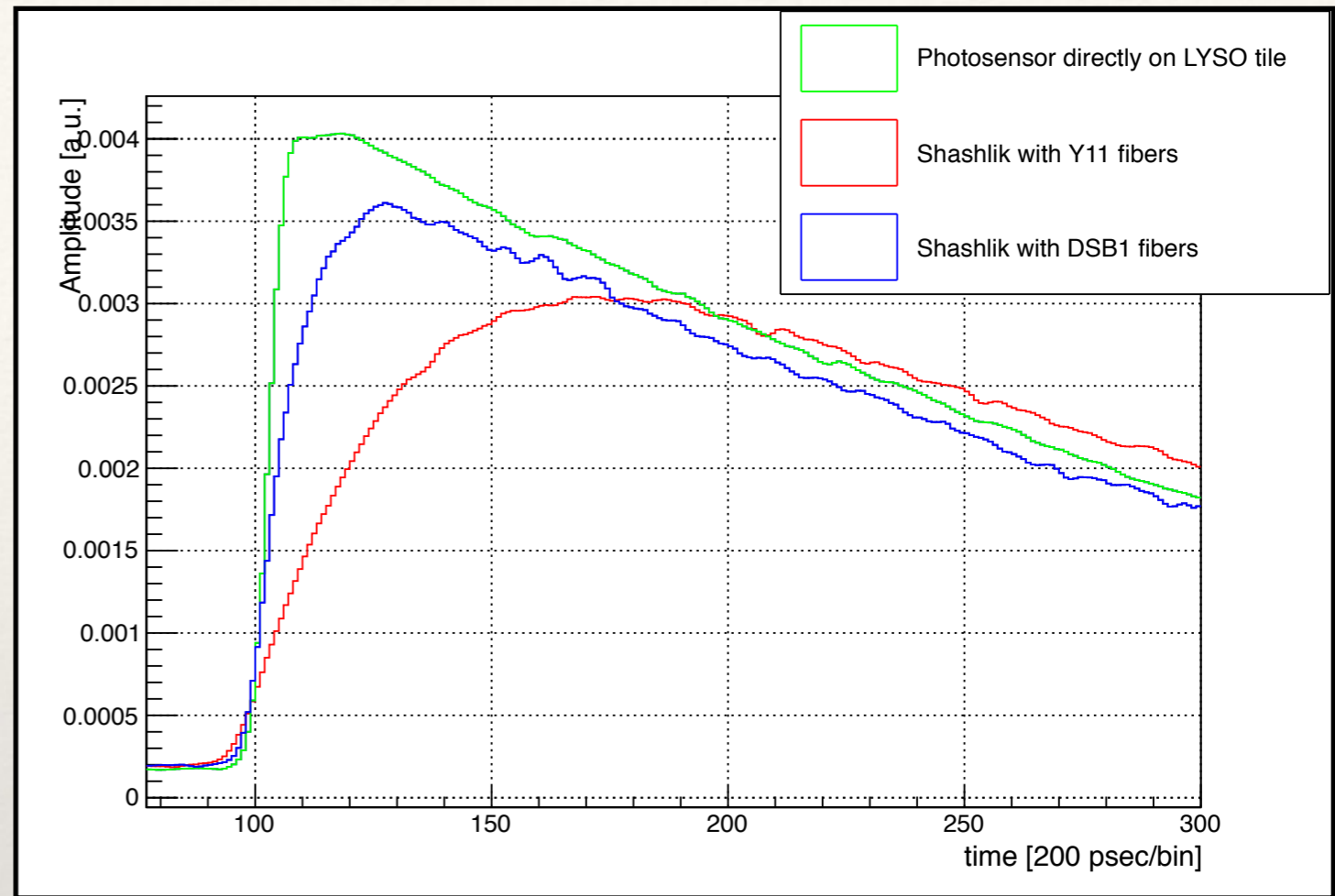
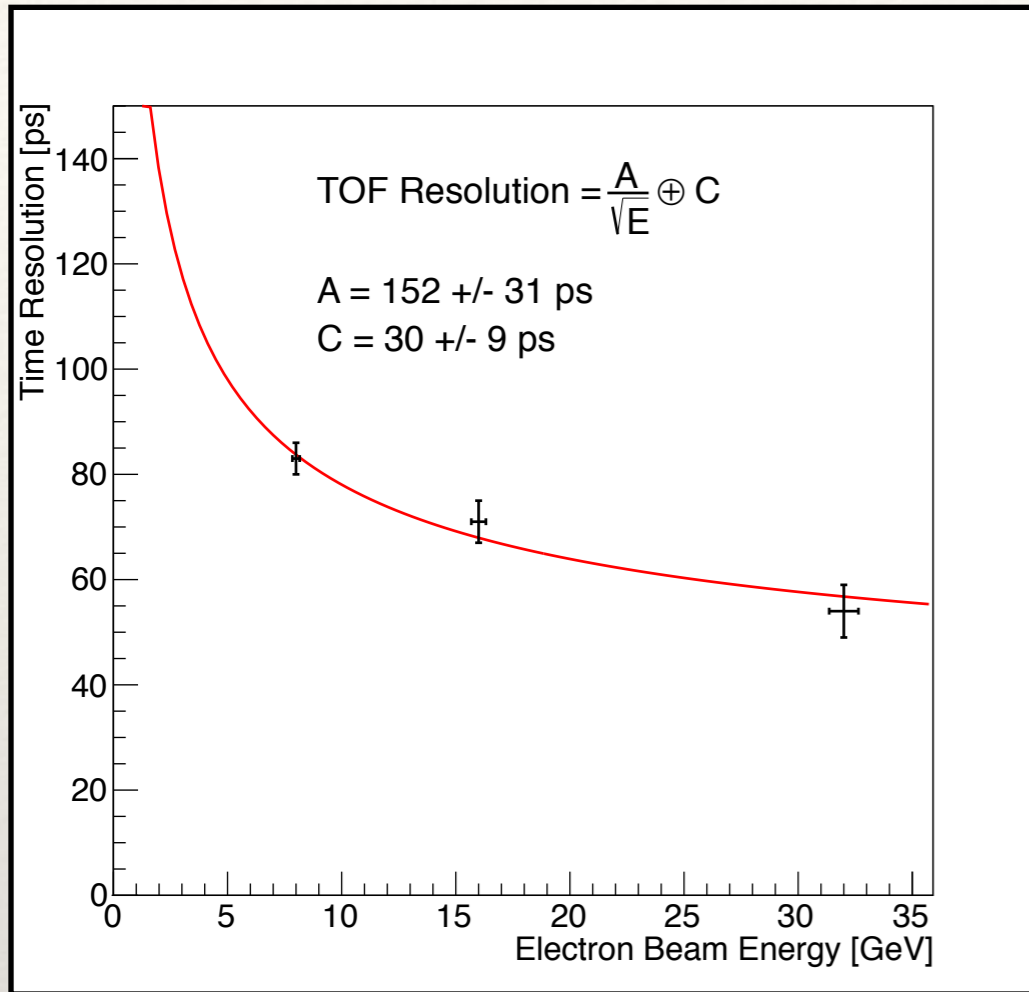
Shashlik Side Readout



Alternative timing readout:
direct coupling of
photodevice to the edges of
the shashlik cell. Decreases
transit time; Exposing two
LYSO tiles

Similar approach as a sampling calorimeter by direct optical coupling of MCP-PMTs at $\sim 5X_0$.
Reduces transit time jitter with at the expense of collecting less light.
Energy measurement obtained with WLS fibers

Shashlik Side Readout Results



Measure a faster rise time from direct side coupling readout compared to that of the WLS fibers.

Observe a $1/\sqrt{E}$ behavior for the TOF resolution, measure ~ 50 ps time resolution for 32 GeV e^-



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Summary

- ❖ Carried out measurement in beam test with standalone LYSO-based sampling and LYSO-Tungsten Shashlik calorimeter prototypes.
- ❖ The 20-30 ps TOF resolution goal is achieved using a LYSO-based sampling calorimeter with MCP-PMT and DRS4 read out.
- ❖ Study the optical transit time effect on TOF resolution by using different WLS fiber readout and by direct optical coupling to sides of the Shashlik cell.
- ❖ Measure $\sim 50 / 100$ ps TOF resolution for a single Shashlik cell using side / WLS(DBS1) read out



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