

## BCAL Overview

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## **Calorimetry**

Detector Region	$\sigma(M_{\gamma\gamma})$ for $\pi^0  [\text{MeV}/c^2]$
FCAL	5.4
BCAL	9.2
FCAL + BCAL	7.6

#### **Barrel Calorimeter:**

- •186 PbSciFi layers
  •12% sampling fraction
  •readout: SiPM or FM
  •σ<sub>E</sub>/E=5.4%√E⊕2.3%
- •σ<sub>tdiff</sub>=70ps/√E •σ<sub>z</sub>=1.1mm/√E
- •polar coverage:  $11^{\circ} < \theta < 126^{\circ}$
- •Hadronic rate: 5 kHz
- •Radiation: 14 rad/year







Forward Calorimeter: •2800 F8-00 and F108 (center) Pb glass blocks •4cm x 4cm x 45 cm •<u>readout: PMTs</u> • $\sigma_E/E=5.7\%\sqrt{E\oplus}2.0\%$ 

•σ<sub>xy</sub>=6.4mm/√E •polar coverage: 2<sup>0</sup><θ<11<sup>0</sup>

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#### O Decay Photon Distributions



## **BCAL Layout**



#### Energy Deposition

... will be immersed in a 2.2-2.5 T field!



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## **Simulations**

Longitudinal Shower Profile - 600 MeV @ 90° Packages Me< MC data • • fit **GEANT 3.21** FLUKA 2008.3 2 **Detailed volumes** 10 12 14 8 nominal geometry - 90° fibres, lead, glue Leak from the front Leak from the back 60 Leak from the sides Leak from the ends Geometries Total energy leak Energy leak (MeV) Fibre pitch 20 Feed into HDGEANT 600 800 400 E<sub>0</sub> (MeV)



## Beam Test - Hall B (fall 2006)



## Energy, Timing Resolution & No. p.e.



#### • Fibres: No of p.e.

#### Manufacturers claim:

8000 photons/MeV \* fibre capture (0.056)\* 0.56 attenuation \* 117 (MeV/ $\gamma$ -GeV) \* 0.10 PDE = ~3000 pe/GeV/side

#### We use: 1500 pe/GeV/side







#### **BCAL** Properties

Property	Value
Number of Modules	48
Module Length	390 cm
Module Inner Cord	8.51 cm
Module Outer Cord	11.77cm
Module Thickness	22.5 cm
Module Azimuthal Bite	7.5°
Lead sheet Thickness	0.5 mm
Radial fibre pitch	1.24 mm
Azimuthal fibre pitch	1.35 mm
Fibre Diameter	1 mm
First cladding thickness	0.03 mm
Second cladding thickness	0.01 mm
Core refractive index	1.60
First clad refractive index	1.49
Second clad refractive index	1.42
Trapping Efficiency	5.3% (min), 10.6% (max)
Attenuation Length	> 350 cm
Effective Speed of Light	16 cm/ns

Property	Value
Volume Ratios	37:49:14
Effective Mass Number	179.9
Effective Atomic Number	71.4
Effective Density	4.88 g/cm <sup>2</sup>
Sampling Fraction	0.117
Radiation Length	7.06 g/cm <sup>2</sup> or 1.45cm
No. of Radiation Lengths	15.5X <sub>0</sub>
Critical Energy	11 MeV (8.4 MeV)
Location of Shower Max	5X <sub>0</sub> at 1 GeV
Thickness for 95% containment	20X <sub>0</sub> at 1 GeV
Moliere Radius	17.7 g/cm <sup>2</sup> or 2.63 cm
Energy Resolution	5.4%/√E⊕2.3%
Time difference Resolution	70ps/√E
z-position Resolution	1.1cm/√E
Azimuthal Resolution	8.5 mrad
Polar Angle Resolution	8 mrad

#### Fibre Quality: Kuraray SCSF-78-MJ









## **Conclusions**

- BCAL meets resolution specs (with blue fibres and PMTs)
- Kuraray fibres of good quality: no of p.e. improves
- First Article Lead being evaluated
- Construction Prototype under way soon
- Optimize readout

# Alternate Slides



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## Cosmics (Blue fibres and PMTs)

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Polar Angle (deg)

Incident Muon Seed for FLUKA 2006.3b

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Cosmic Ray Direction









22-25 pe/segment → 4-5 pe/MeV/side → 480-600 pe/GeV/side





1.0 MeV - Outer