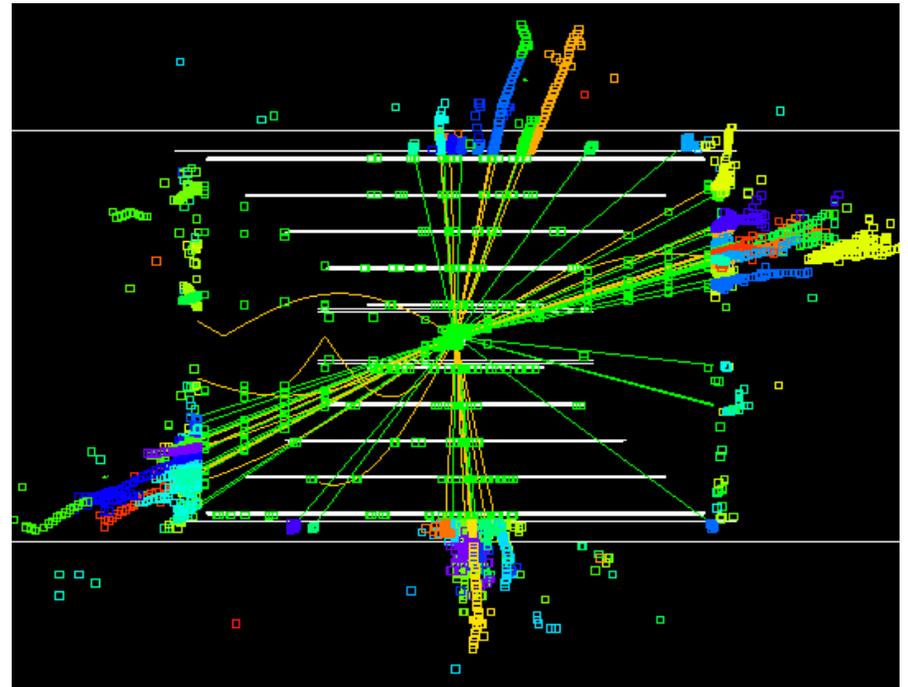
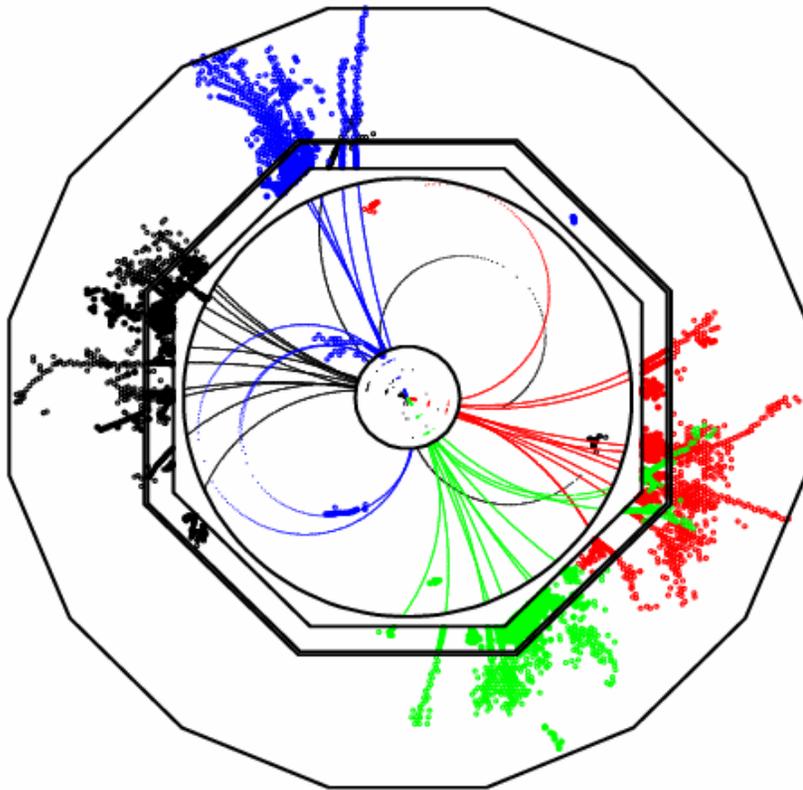


# Status of Particle Flow Calorimetry

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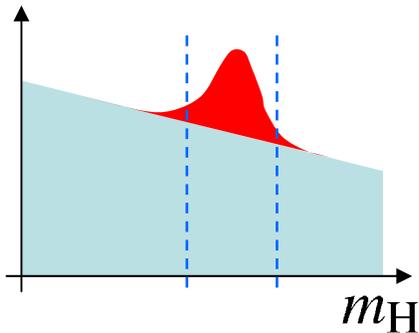
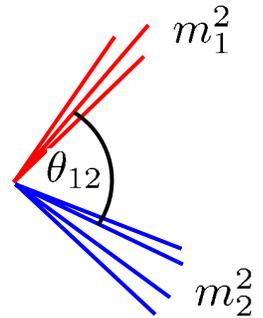
# 1 LC Jet Energy Requirements

★ What are the real jet energy requirements at the LC ?

- not  $30\%/\sqrt{E}$

★ Primarily interested in di-jet mass resolution

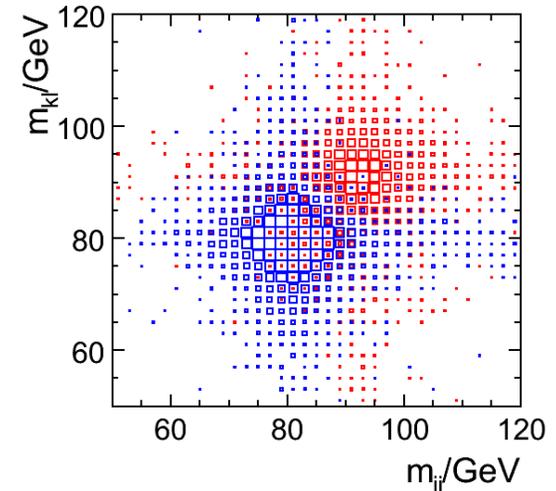
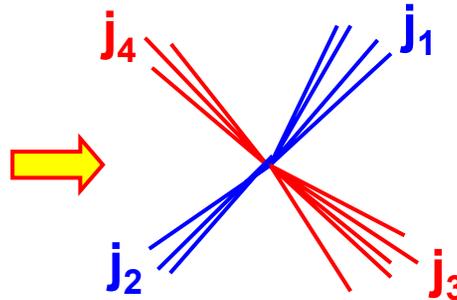
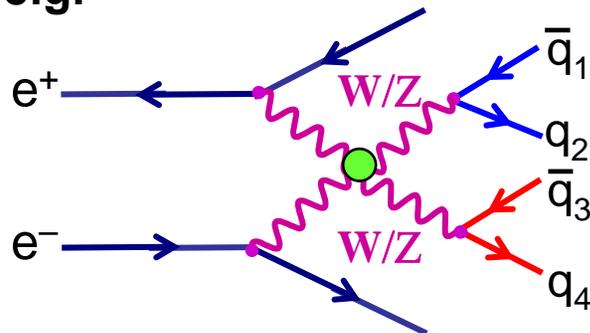
- For a narrow resonance, want **best possible di-jet mass resolution**



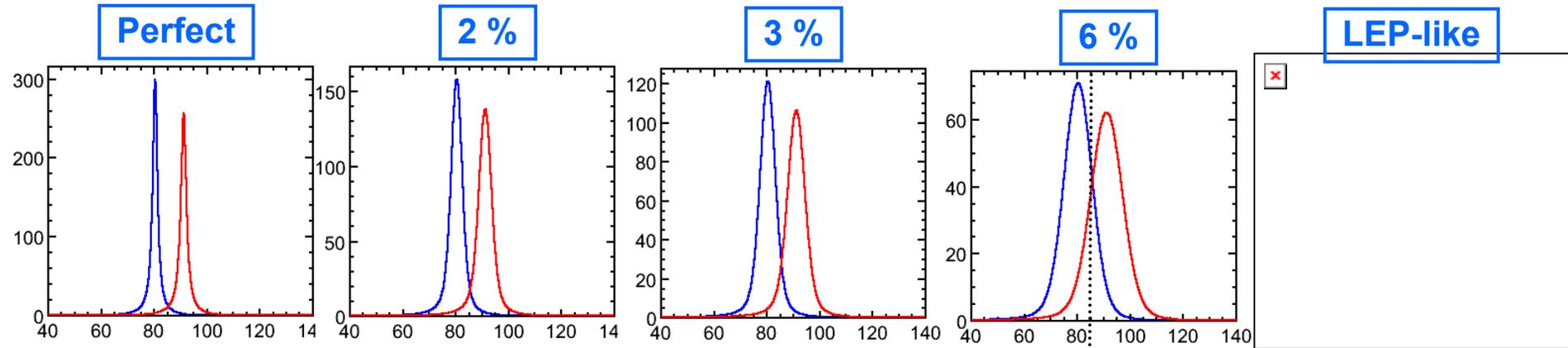
$$\text{signif.} \propto \frac{S}{\sqrt{B}} \propto (\text{resolution})^{-\frac{1}{2}}$$

- **At very least**, need to separate W/Z hadronic decays

e.g.



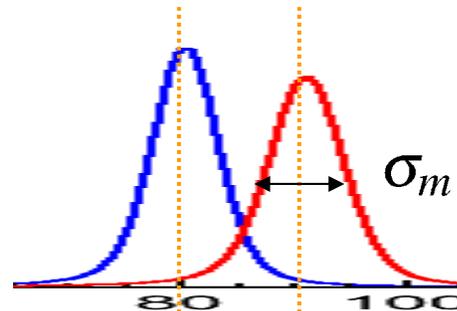
- Gauge boson width sets “natural” goal for jet energy resolution



- Quantify by **effective W/Z separation**

$$W/Z \text{ sep} = (m_Z - m_W) / \sigma_m$$

Jet E res.	W/Z sep
perfect	3.1 $\sigma$
2%	2.9 $\sigma$
3%	2.6 $\sigma$
4%	2.3 $\sigma$
5%	2.0 $\sigma$
10%	1.1 $\sigma$



Defined as **effective**  
Gaussian equivalent  
Mass resolution

- 3 – 4 % jet energy resolution give decent W/Z separation 2.6 – 2.3  $\sigma$
- sets a **reasonable** choice for ILC jet energy goal **~3.5 %**
- limited by Gauge boson widths at 2 % (but W/Z already well separated)

# Context : LC jet energies

- ★ What jet energies are we interested in ?
- ★ Little need to reconstruct two fermion di-jet mass...
- ★ At 500 GeV primarily interested in 4-fermion/6-fermion final states
  - e.g.  $e^+e^- \rightarrow ZH \rightarrow q\bar{q}b\bar{b}$  and  $e^+e^- \rightarrow t\bar{t} \rightarrow bq\bar{q}bq\bar{q}$
- ★ For higher centre-of-mass energies, fermion multiplicities will tend to be higher, e.g. SUSY cascade decays
- ★ Sets scale of typical jet energies:

$\sqrt{s}$	#fermions	Jet energy
250 GeV	4	~60 GeV
500 GeV	4 – 6	80 – 125 GeV
1 TeV	4 – 6	170 – 250 GeV
3 TeV	6 – 8	375 – 500 GeV

} ILC - like  
} CLIC - like

ILC Goals: ~3.5 % jet energy resolution for 50 – 250 GeV jets

CLIC Goals: ~3.5 % jet energy resolution for 100 – 500 GeV jets

**Can particle flow calorimetry achieve this ?**

# ② Particle Flow Calorimetry

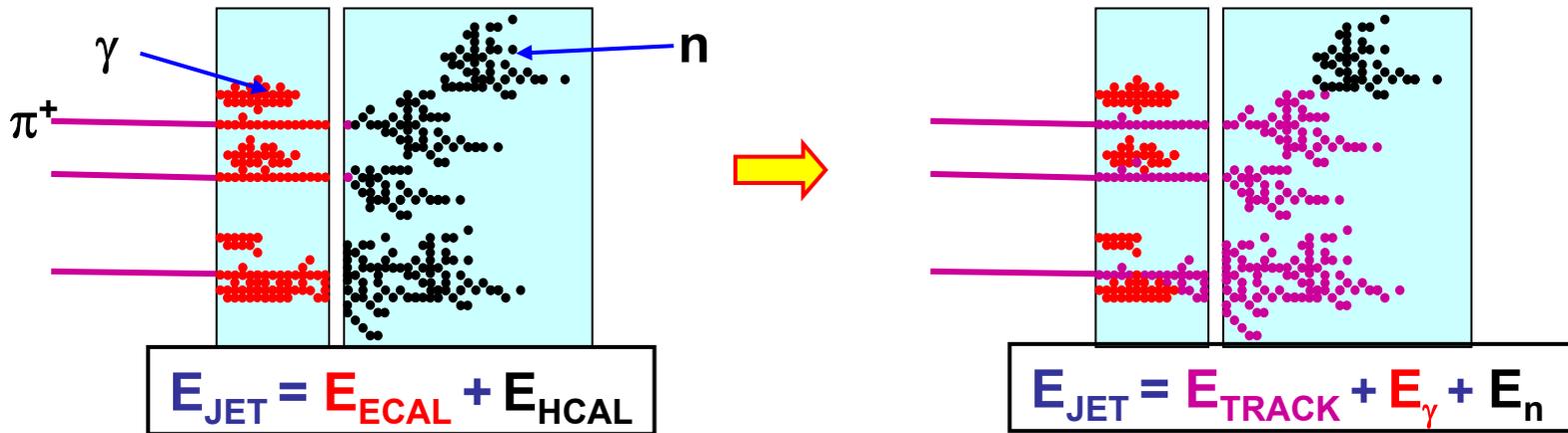
## ★ In a typical jet :

- ◆ 60 % of jet energy in charged hadrons
- ◆ 30 % in photons (mainly from  $\pi^0 \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ )
- ◆ 10 % in neutral hadrons (mainly  $n$  and  $K_L$ )



## ★ Traditional calorimetric approach:

- ◆ Measure all components of jet energy in ECAL/HCAL !
- ◆ ~70 % of energy measured in HCAL:  $\sigma_E/E \approx 60\% / \sqrt{E(\text{GeV})}$
- ◆ Intrinsically “poor” HCAL resolution limits jet energy resolution



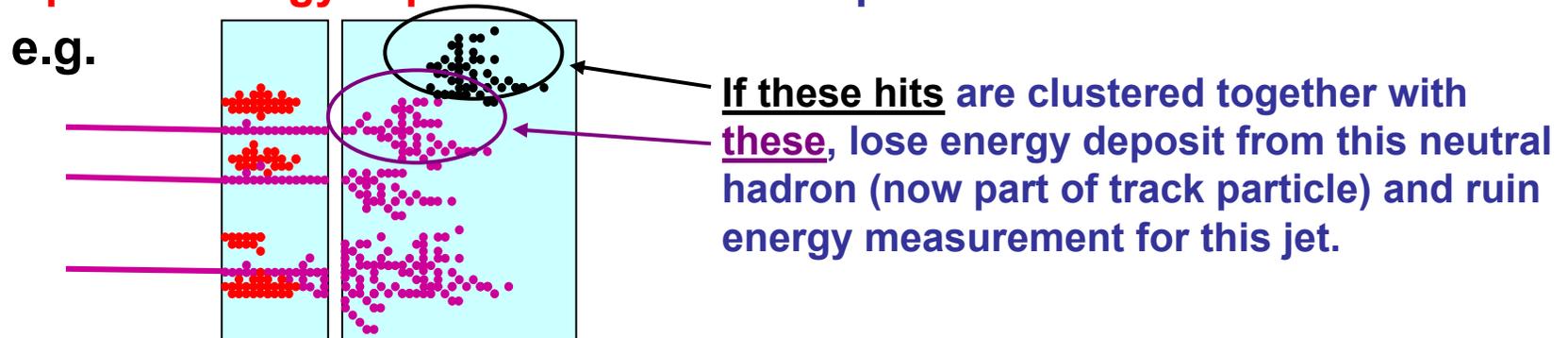
## ★ Particle Flow Calorimetry paradigm:

- ◆ charged particles measured in tracker (essentially perfectly)
- ◆ Photons in ECAL:  $\sigma_E/E < 20\% / \sqrt{E(\text{GeV})}$
- ◆ Neutral hadrons (ONLY) in HCAL
- ◆ Only 10 % of jet energy from HCAL  $\Rightarrow$  much improved resolution

# Particle Flow Algorithms (PFA)

## Reconstruction of a Particle Flow Calorimeter:

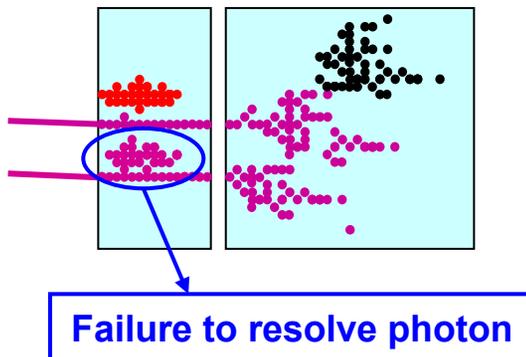
- ★ **Avoid double counting of energy** from same particle
- ★ **Separate energy deposits** from different particles



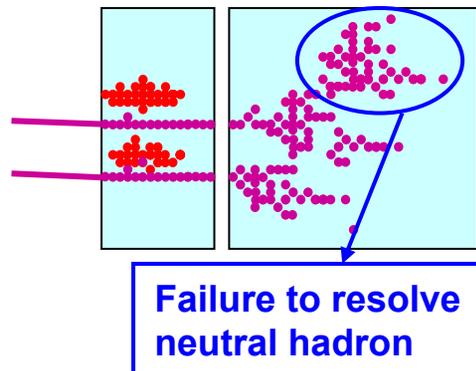
**Level of mistakes, “confusion”, determines jet energy resolution**  
**not the intrinsic calorimetric performance of ECAL/HCAL**

## Three types of confusion:

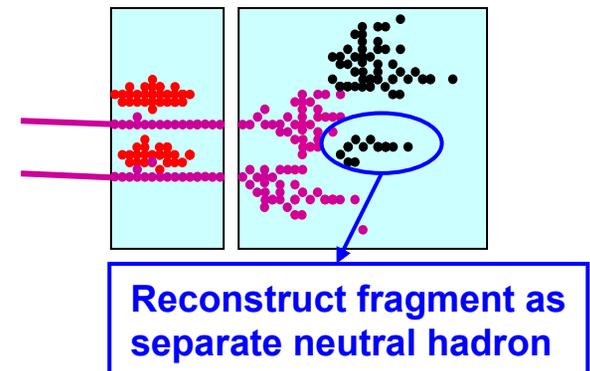
### i) Photons



### ii) Neutral Hadrons



### iii) Fragments

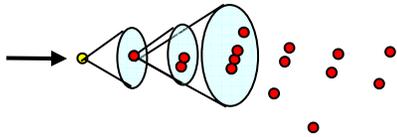


# Particle Flow Algorithms in practice

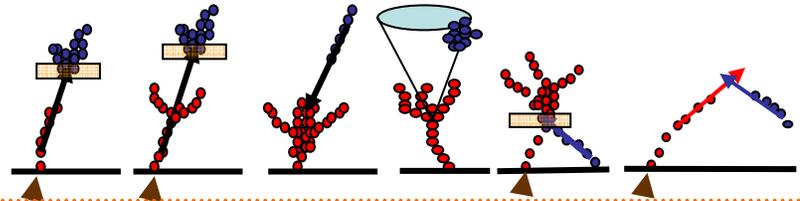
★ Highly non-trivial !

e.g. PandoraPFA consists of a number complex steps (not all shown)

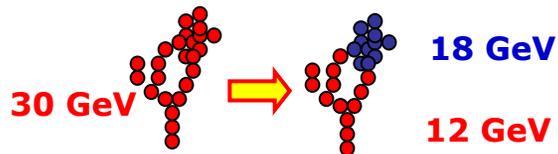
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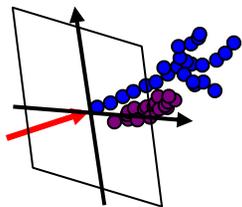
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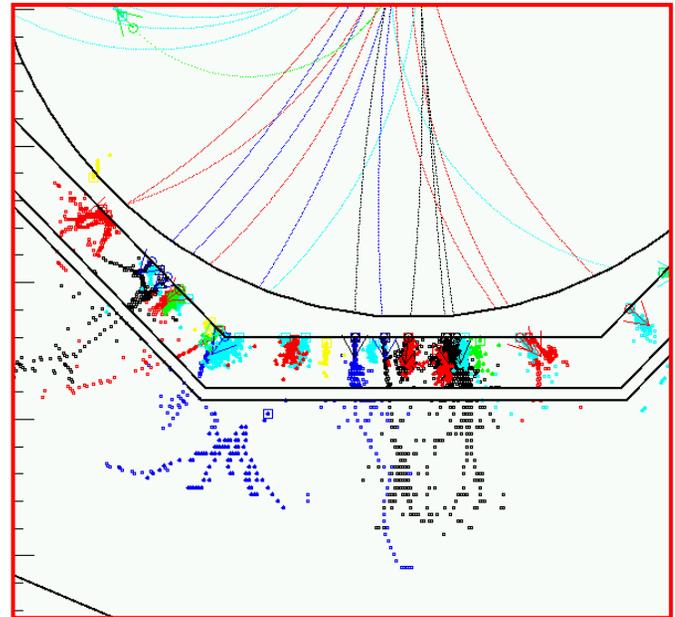
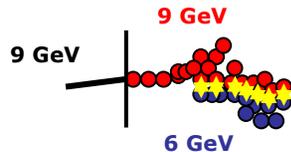
Iterative Reclustering



Photon ID



Fragment ID



# Status of PFA for the ILC

- ★ Since last ALCPG meeting, there has been a lot of progress
  - I believe principle of Particle Flow **now proven beyond all reasonable doubt**; it will deliver at ILC energies
- ★ Both ILD and now SiD have dedicated PFA algorithms **used for Lols**:
  - PandoraPFA (ILD):
    - ♦ most mature, gives best performance
    - ♦ now well understood
    - ♦ now even “documented”... paper accepted by NIMA
  - lowaPFA (SiD):
    - ♦ looks promising (real progress in last year)
    - ♦ further improvements possible
- ★ Lol performance:

$E_{\text{JET}}$	$\sigma_E/E$ (rms <sub>90</sub> )	
	ILD	SiD
45 GeV	3.7 %	5.5 %
100 GeV	2.9 %	4.1 %
180 GeV	3.0 %	4.1 %
250 GeV	3.1 %	4.8 %

- ♦ ILD/PandoraPFA **meets ILC goal for all relevant jet energies**
- ♦ SiD/lowaPFA getting close (encouraging)
- ♦ The difference? Probably:
  - in part detector (size)
  - in part algorithm

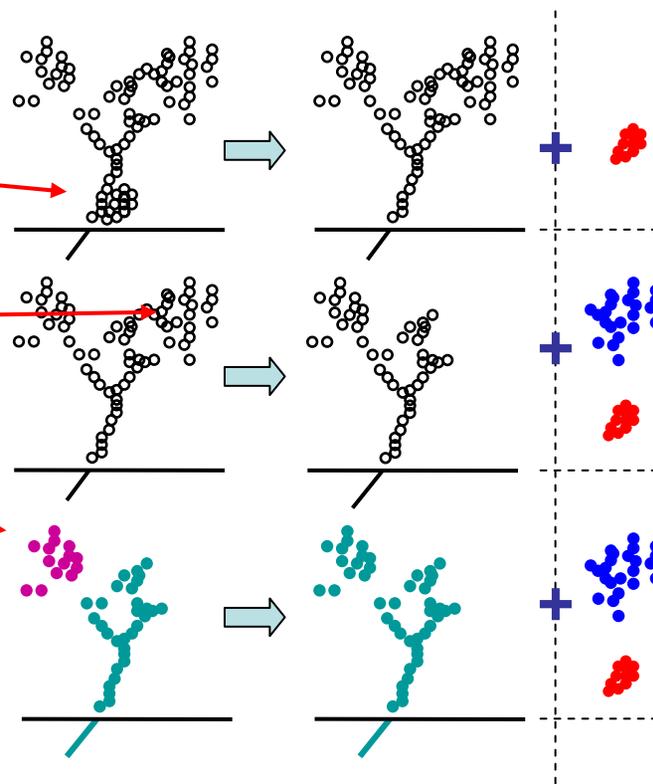
# 3 Understanding PFA Performance

What drives Particle Flow performance ?

- ★ Try to use various “Perfect PFA” algorithms to pin down main performance drivers (resolution, confusion, ...)
- ★ Use MC to “cheat” various aspects of Particle Flow

## PandoraPFA options:

- **PerfectPhotonClustering** hits from photons clustered using MC info and removed from main algorithm
- **PerfectNeutralHadronClustering** hits from neutral hadrons clustered using MC info...
- **PerfectFragmentRemoval** after PandoraPFA clustering “fragments” from charged tracks identified from MC and added to charged track cluster
- **PerfectPFA** perfect clustering and matching to tracks

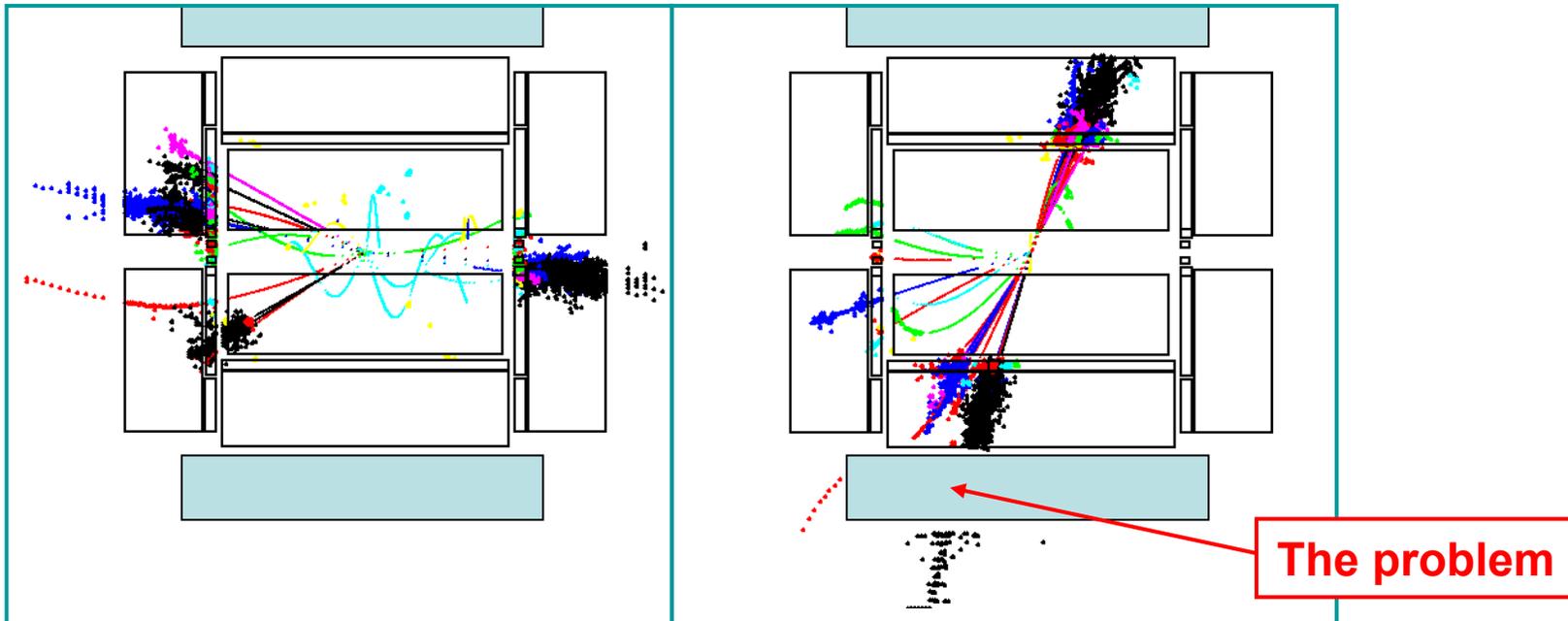


- ★ Also consider leakage (non-containment) of hadronic showers

# Leakage

- ★ For high energy jets non-containment of showers is significant
  - major issue at CLIC energies
- ★ Partially recovered using MUON chambers as a “Tail catcher”
  - Effectiveness limited by thick ( $2 \lambda_I$ ) solenoid
  - PandoraPFA uses MUON chamber information to estimate leakage and energy deposited in coil
    - ◆ Reasonably sophisticated – although room for improvement

e.g.



- ★ Estimate effect by comparing standard PFA with those obtained using a very deep HCAL

# Contributions to resolution

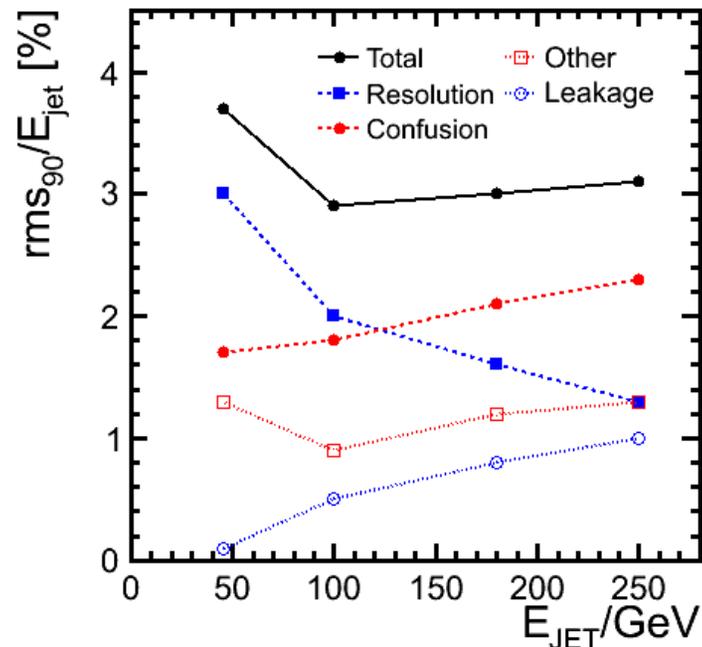
## ★ Answer depends on jet energy

- Low energy jets: **RESOLUTION**
- High energy jets: **CONFUSION**
- Cross-over at **~100 GeV**
- For high energies **CONFUSION** dominates
- Very high energy jets: **leakage** important

## ★ What kind of confusion ?

- **i) photons**  
( $\gamma$  merged into charged had. shower)
- **ii) neutral hadrons**  
( $K_L/n$  merged into charged had. shower)
- **iii) charged hadron fragments**  
(fragments of charged had. reconstucted as neutral hadron)

## ★ At high energies **ii)** is the largest contribution, e.g. for 250 GeV jets



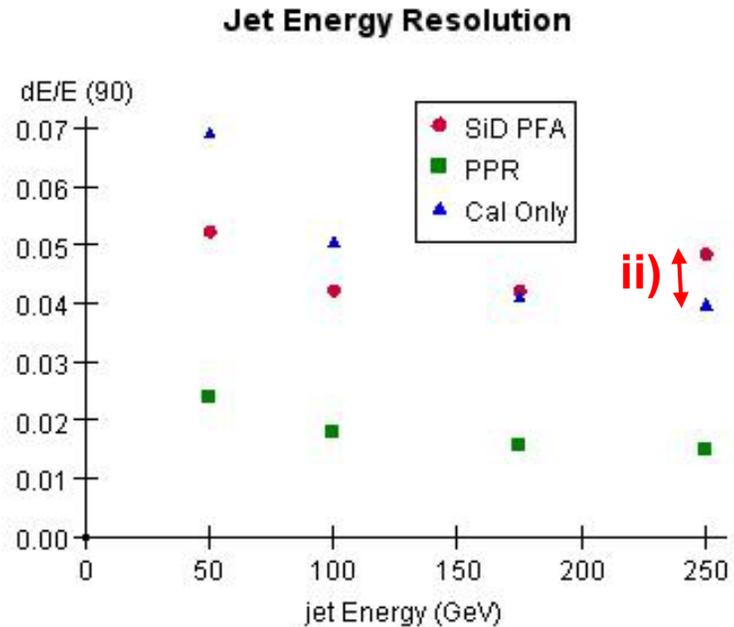
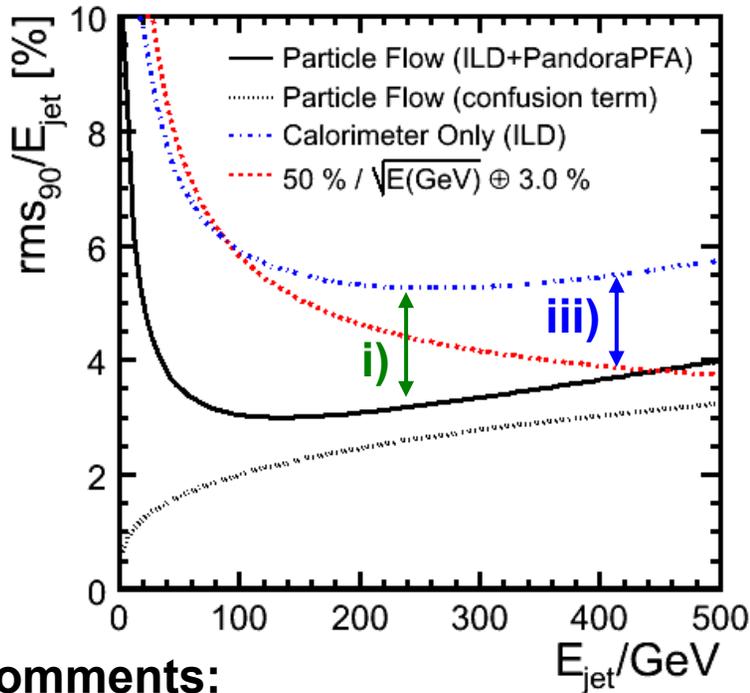
Total Resolution	3.1 %
Confusion	2.3 %
i) Photons	1.3 %
ii) Neutral hadrons	1.8 %
iii) Charged hadrons	0.2 %

Not insignificant

Largest single contribution, but remember, enters in quadrature

# PFA vs Conventional Calorimetry

- ★ **ILD/SiD intended for PFA, but also good conventional calorimeters**
  - ◆ **ECAL  $\sim 15\%/\sqrt{E}$ ; HCAL  $\sim 55\%/\sqrt{E}$**
- ★ **Interesting to compare PFA and pure energy sum with ILD and SiD**



## Comments:

- i) **PandoraPFA: PFA ALWAYS wins over purely calorimetric**
  - adding information should not make things worse !
- ii) **SiDPFA: not true – so clear room for improvement (under study)**
- iii) **PandoraPFA: effect of leakage clear at high energies**
- iv) **PandoraPFA/ILD: Resolution better than 4 % for  $E_{\text{JET}} < 500 \text{ GeV}$**

# 4 Dependence on hadron shower simulation

- ★ Modelling of hadronic showers far from perfect, so:
  - Can we believe PFA results ?
  - Need a dedicated PFA test beam demonstration? [is this even possible?]
- ★ Have tried to address this by comparing PandoraPFA/ILD performance for 5 very different Geant4 physics lists...

Physics List	Jet Energy Resolution			
	45 GeV	100 GeV	180 GeV	250 GeV
LCPhys	3.74 %	2.92 %	3.00 %	3.11 %
QGSP_BERT	3.52 %	2.95 %	2.98 %	3.25 %
QGS_BIC	3.51 %	2.89 %	3.12 %	3.20 %
FTFP_BERT	3.68 %	3.10 %	3.24 %	3.26 %
LHEP	3.87 %	3.15 %	3.16 %	3.08 %
$\chi^2$	23.3 / 4	17.8 / 4	16.0 / 4	6.3 / 4
rms	4.2 %	3.9 %	3.5 %	2.5 %

← Default

← ~GHEISHA

- ★ Only a weak dependence < 5 % (but need to connect to CALICE studies)
  - NOTE: 5 % is on the total, not just the hadronic confusion term

e.g.

Total Resolution	3.11 %	×1.05	Total Resolution	3.27 %
Conf: neutral hads	1.80 %	×1.14	Conf: neutral hads	2.05 %
Other contributions	2.54 %	×1.00	Other contributions	2.54 %

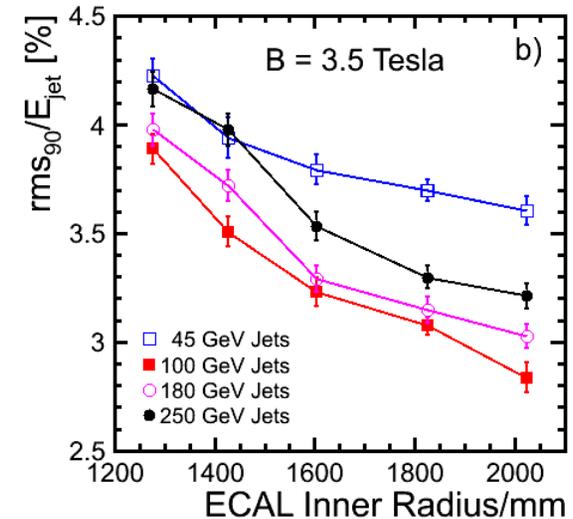
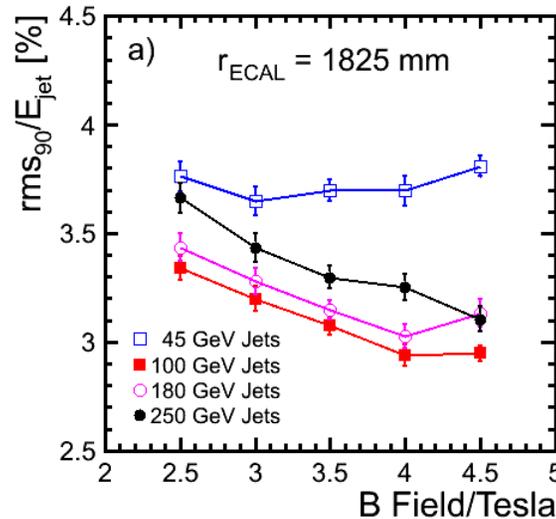
Study suggests PandoraPFA is rather robust to hadronic modelling

- If true, argues against need for dedicated PFA test beam demonstration

# 5 PFA Detector Design Issues

- ★ (Still) often argued that figure of merit for PFA is  $BR^2$ : this is not valid;
  - ♦ only valid for pairs of collinear neutral/charged particles
  - ♦ does not account for distribution of particles in jets

★ Empirically find  
(PandoraPFA/ILD)



$$\frac{\sigma_E}{E} = \frac{21}{\sqrt{E/\text{GeV}}} \oplus 0.7 \oplus 0.004E \oplus 2.1 \left(\frac{R}{1825}\right)^{-1.0} \left(\frac{B}{3.5}\right)^{-0.3} \left(\frac{E}{100}\right)^{+0.3} \%$$

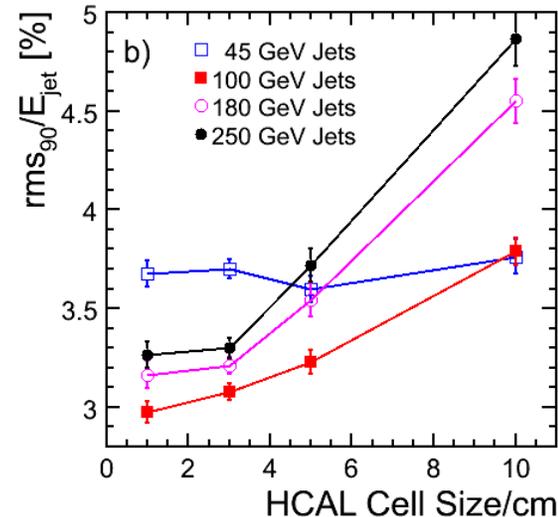
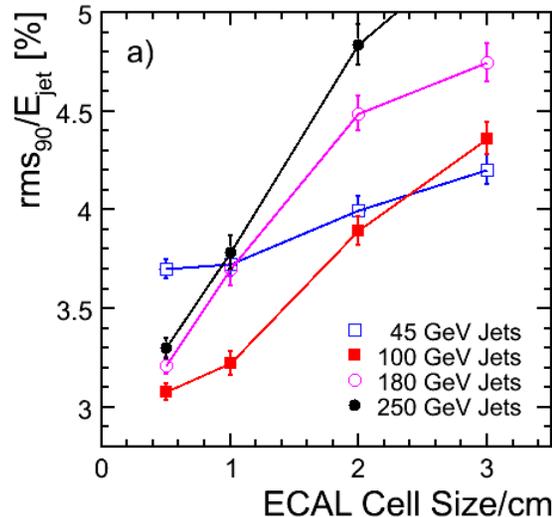
Resolution    
 Tracking    
 Leakage    
 Confusion

**Conclusions:**

- ♦ Confusion  $\propto B^{-0.3} R^{-1}$
- ♦ 1/R dependence “feels right”, geometrical factor !
- ♦ Difficult to compensate for R with B

# PFA Optimisation: Calorimeter Segmentation

- ★ Starting from LDCPrime vary **ECAL Si pixel size** and **HCAL tile size**



## ★ ECAL Conclusions:

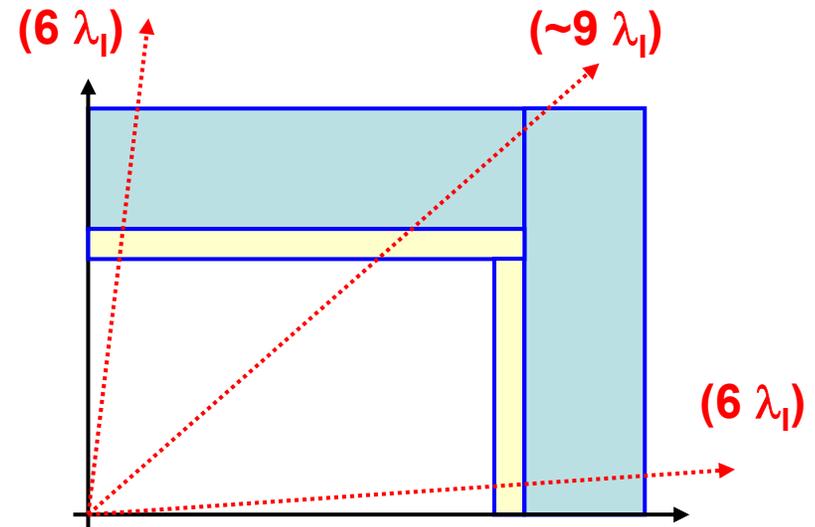
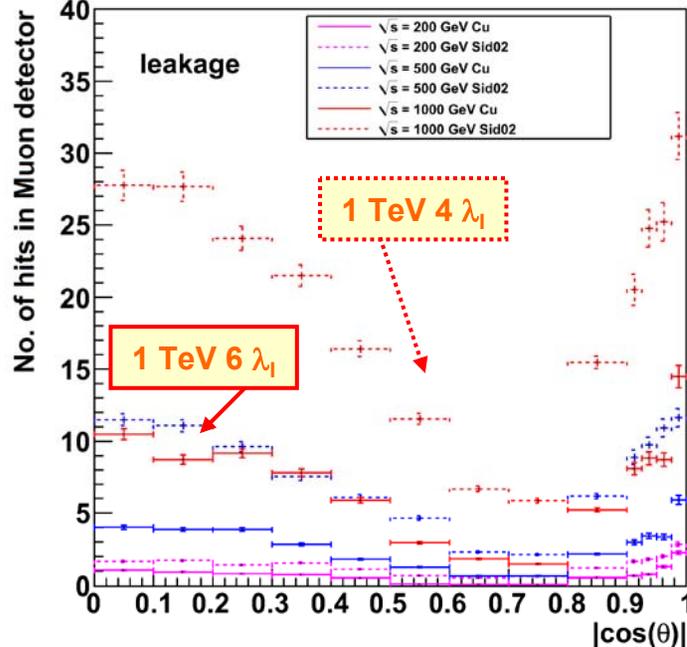
- Ability to resolve photons in **current PandoraPFA algorithm** strongly dependent on transverse cell size
- Require at least as fine as **10x10 mm<sup>2</sup>** to achieve **4.0 %** jet E resolution
- Significant advantages in going to **5x5 mm<sup>2</sup>**
- For **45 GeV jets resolution dominates** (confusion relatively small)

## ★ HCAL Conclusions:

- For **current PandoraPFA algorithm** and for Scintillator HCAL, a tile size of **3x3 cm<sup>2</sup>** looks optimal
- May be different for a digital/semi-digital RPC based HCAL

# 6 PFA at a multi-TeV collider

- ★ At a Multi-TeV collider, leakage of hadronic showers is a major issue
- ★ HCAL in ILD ( $6 \lambda_1$ ) and SiD ( $4 \lambda_1$ ) concepts too thin to contain 1 TeV showers
  - e.g. IowaPFA/SiD with HCAL ( $4 \lambda_1$  and  $6 \lambda_1$ )



- ★ Clear dependence on  $\cos\theta$  due to leakage
- ★ Probably need  $\sim 8 \lambda_1$  HCAL for CLIC energies
  - but needs to be inside Solenoid for PFA – cost/feasibility
  - LCD group at CERN, investigating more compact structures e.g. W/Steel
- ★ In principle, if done correctly, PFA should **REDUCE** impact of leakage
- ★ **But, can PFA deliver at CLIC energies ?**

# PandoraPFA/ILD Jet Energy Resolution

- ★ Is an ILD-sized detector suitable for CLIC ?
- ★ Defined modified **ILD<sup>+</sup>** model:
  - **B = 4.0 T** (ILD = 3.5 T)
  - **HCAL = 8  $\lambda_I$**  (ILD = 6  $\lambda_I$ )
- ★ Effect on jet energy resolution

$E_{\text{JET}}$	$\sigma_E/E = \alpha/\sqrt{E_{jj}}$ $ \cos\theta  < 0.7$	$\sigma_E/E_j$
45 GeV	25.2 %	3.7 %
100 GeV	29.2 %	2.9 %
180 GeV	40.3 %	3.0 %
250 GeV	49.3 %	3.1 %
375 GeV	81.4 %	3.6 %
500 GeV	91.6 %	4.1 %



$E_{\text{JET}}$	$\sigma_E/E = \alpha/\sqrt{E_{jj}}$ $ \cos\theta  < 0.7$	$\sigma_E/E_j$
45 GeV	25.2 %	3.7 %
100 GeV	28.7 %	2.9 %
180 GeV	37.5 %	2.8 %
250 GeV	44.7 %	2.8 %
375 GeV	71.7 %	3.2 %
500 GeV	78.0 %	3.5 %

## NOTE:

- ★ Meet “LC jet energy resolution goal [3.5%]” for **500 GeV ! jets**
- ★ Importantly, PFA is still working for 500 GeV jets
  - ★ Raw calo. energy : **5.2 %**
  - ★ PandoraPFA : **3.5 %**

Looks promising...

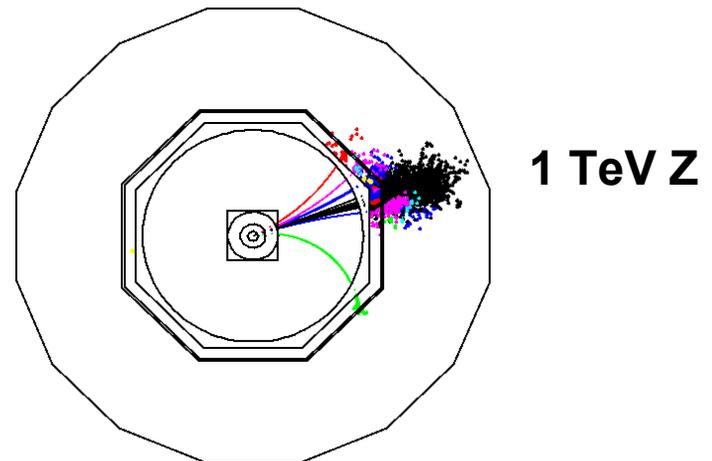
# Jet Energy Resolution Goals Revisited

## ★ But what are the jet energy requirements for CLIC ?

- Assuming two stage operation e.g. 500 GeV followed by 3 TeV
  - Need to meet ILC goals – here PFA rules.
  - But what about at high energies ?

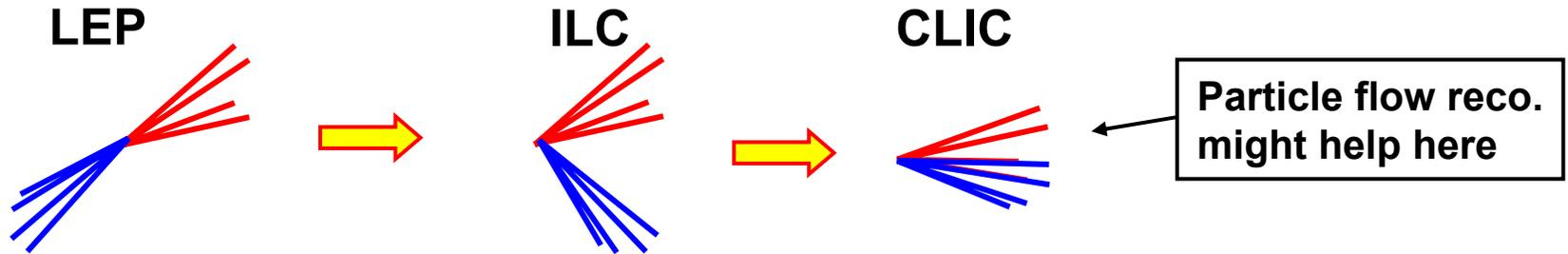
## ★ Multi-TeV jet energy goals:

- BSM physics likely to yield 6-8 fermion final states
  - relevant jet energies **~375-500 GeV**
- So far have concentrated on jet energy resolution for decays at rest
- If BSM physics close to threshold, not unreasonable
  - PFA can achieve <4 % jet energy resolution for new particle decays
  - Gives few % mass resolution for new particle decays
  - Sufficient to separate  $W/Z$  for gauge bosons produced in association with BSM physics
- But, what if  $W/Z$  highly boosted e.g. if produced in BSM particle decays
  - Now interested in PFA performance for highly boosted jets...



# 7 W/Z Separation at high Energies

★ On-shell W/Z decay topology depends on energy:



★ A few comments:

- Particle multiplicity does not change
- Boost means higher particle density
- PFA could be better for “mono-jet” mass resolution

More confusion

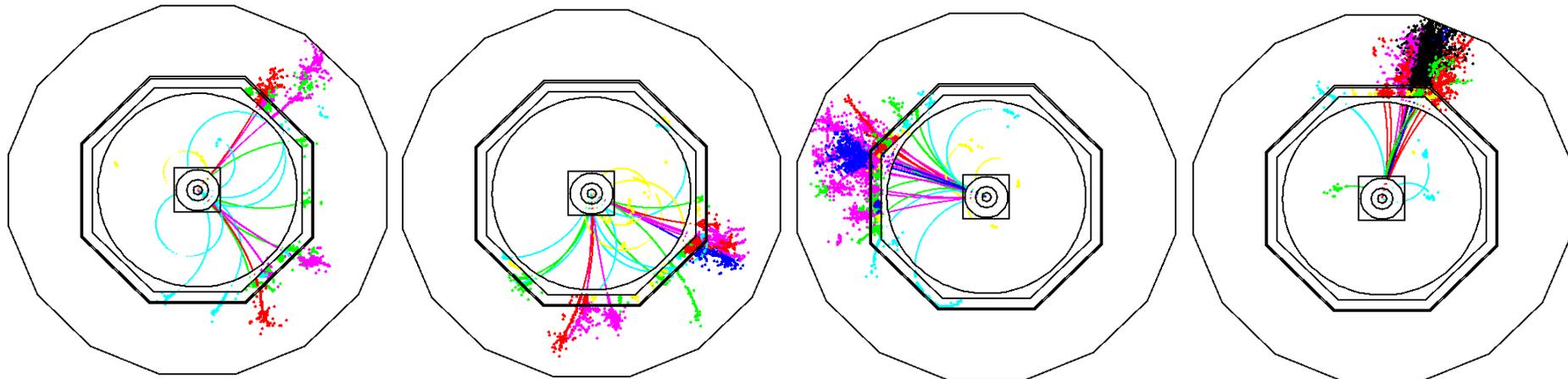
★ PandoraPFA + ILD<sup>+</sup> performance studied for:

125 GeV Z

250 GeV Z

500 GeV Z

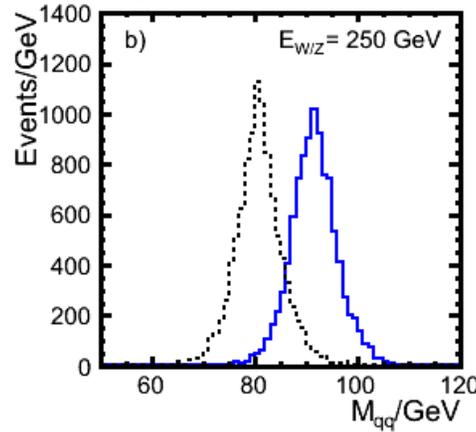
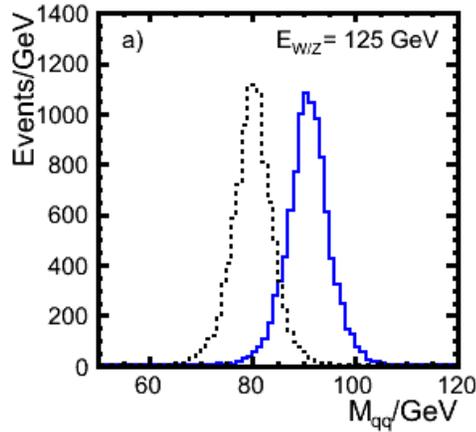
1 TeV Z



★ Studied W/Z separation using **ILD<sup>+</sup>** samples of

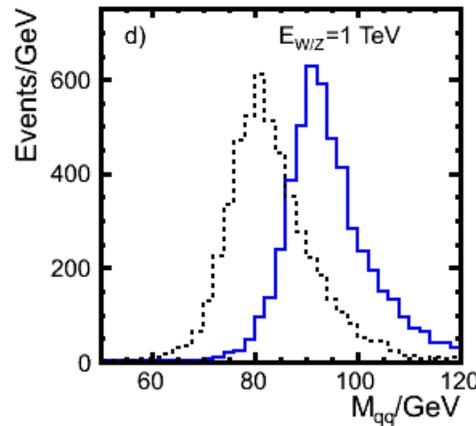
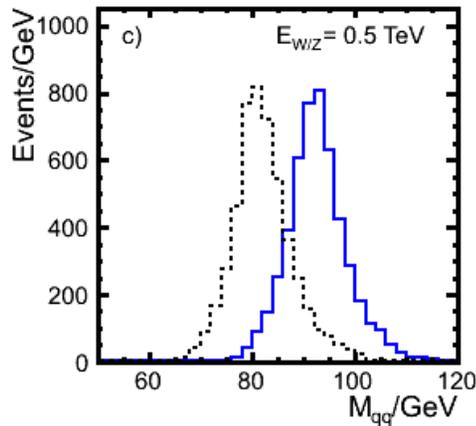
$$e^+e^- \rightarrow WW \rightarrow u\bar{d}v\mu$$

$$e^+e^- \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow d\bar{d}v\bar{v}$$



**ILC-like energies**

Clear separation



**CLIC-like energies**

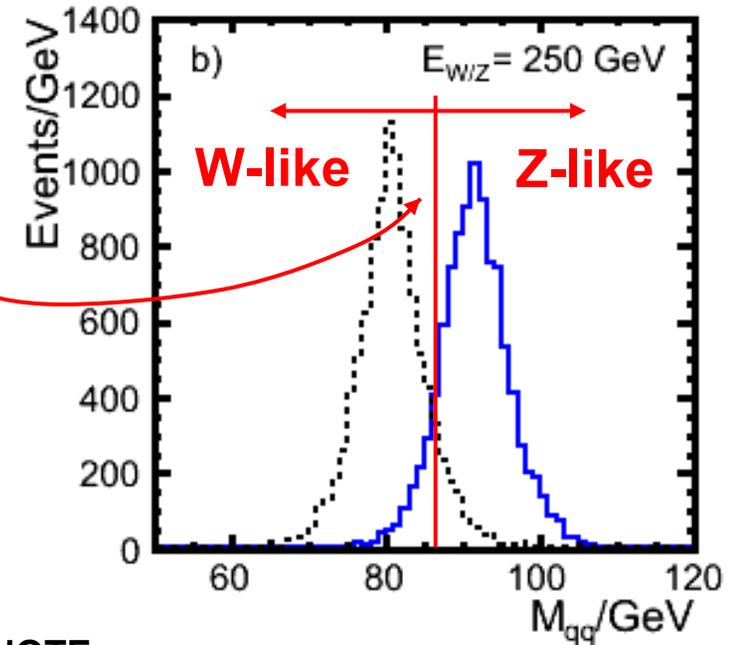
There is separation,  
although less clear

- Current PandoraPFA/ILD<sup>+</sup> gives good W/Z separation for 0.5 TeV bosons
- Less clear for 1 TeV bosons

★ Can quantify W/Z separation as:

- $rms_{90}$  of mass peaks
- Separation in terms of:
  - Efficiency of optimal W/Z cut
  - Equivalent sigma of W/Z sep.
  - Equivalent mass res. to give same separation

$E_{W/Z}$	$rms_{90}(m)$	$\sigma_m/m$	W/Z sep	$\epsilon$
125 GeV	2.8 GeV	2.9 %	2.7 $\sigma$	91 %
250 GeV	3.0 GeV	3.5 %	2.5 $\sigma$	89 %
500 GeV	3.9 GeV	5.1 %	2.1 $\sigma$	84 %
1000 GeV	6.4 GeV	7.0 %	1.5 $\sigma$	78 %



**NOTE:**

- Perfect resolution:  $\Rightarrow \epsilon = 94\%$
- No separation:  $\Rightarrow \epsilon = 50\%$

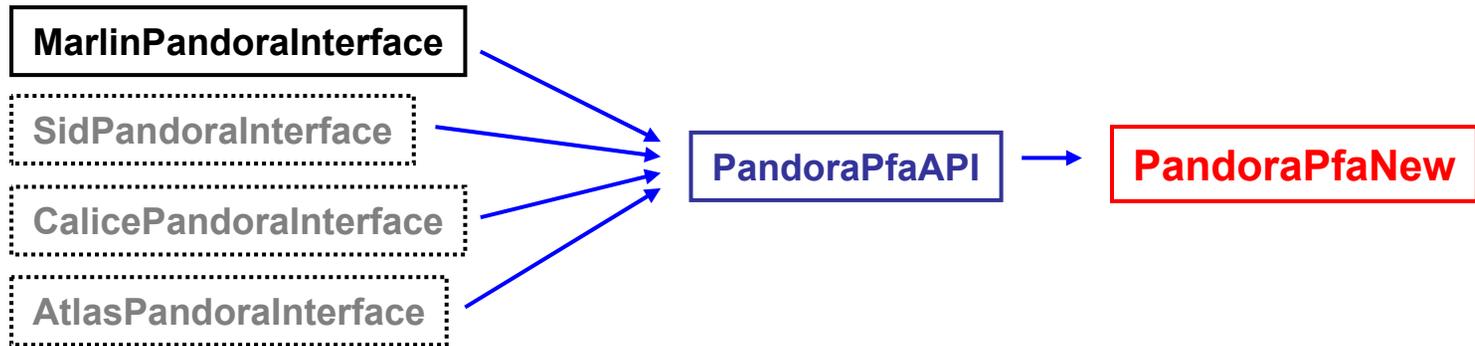
**Conclude:**

- Performance almost certainly good enough for 500 GeV W/Zs
- Would like better performance for 1 TeV W/Z
- Remember, PandoraPFA not tuned for very high energy jets...

# 8 The Future

## PandoraPFA

- ★ ILD Lol version frozen, **no further development**
- ★ New improved version being written from scratch (Cambridge/CERN)
  - Properly designed code
  - Increased flexibility – needed to implement some new ideas...
  - Improved memory footprint/speed
  - Algorithm now independent from framework



- Constant benchmarking against existing code – ensure performance
- Aim to have re-implementation of existing code by 1/1/2010

## IowaPFA

- ★ Continue development
  - aim to improve high energy performance – already some good ideas
  - important to have a second powerful Particle Flow Algorithm

# 9 Conclusions

## Solid Conclusions:

- ★ **Clear demonstration that PFA can deliver ILC performance goals**
  - excellent performance for both  $\sqrt{s} = 500$  GeV and  $\sqrt{s} = 1$  TeV
  - modelling uncertainties do not appear to be large
  - have not yet reached ultimate PFA performance for ILC energies
- ★ **Have developed a reasonably good understanding of Particle Flow**
- ★ **Initial studies demonstrate the Particle Flow Calorimetry will work (to some extent) at  $\sqrt{s} = 3$  TeV:**
  - For 375-500 GeV jets can achieve 3.2-3.5 % jet energy resolution
  - For 0.5-1.0 TeV achieve reasonable ( $2.1-1.5\sigma$ ) separation of W/Z bosons
  - Full reach of PFA at  $\sqrt{s} = 3$  TeV needs significant algorithm devel.

**Particle Flow can deliver unprecedented performance for the next LC**

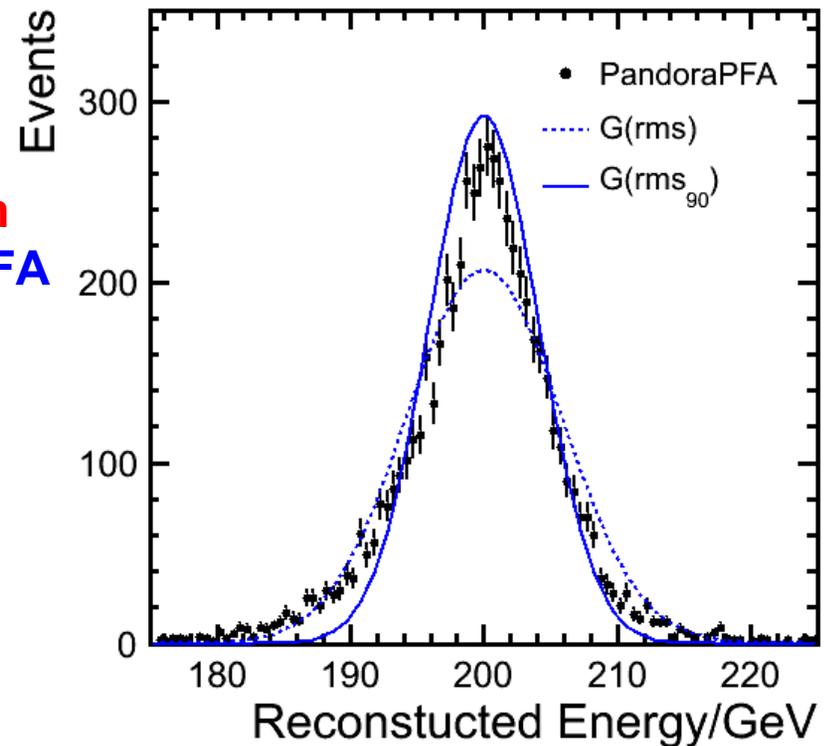
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# Backup: $\text{rms}_{90}$

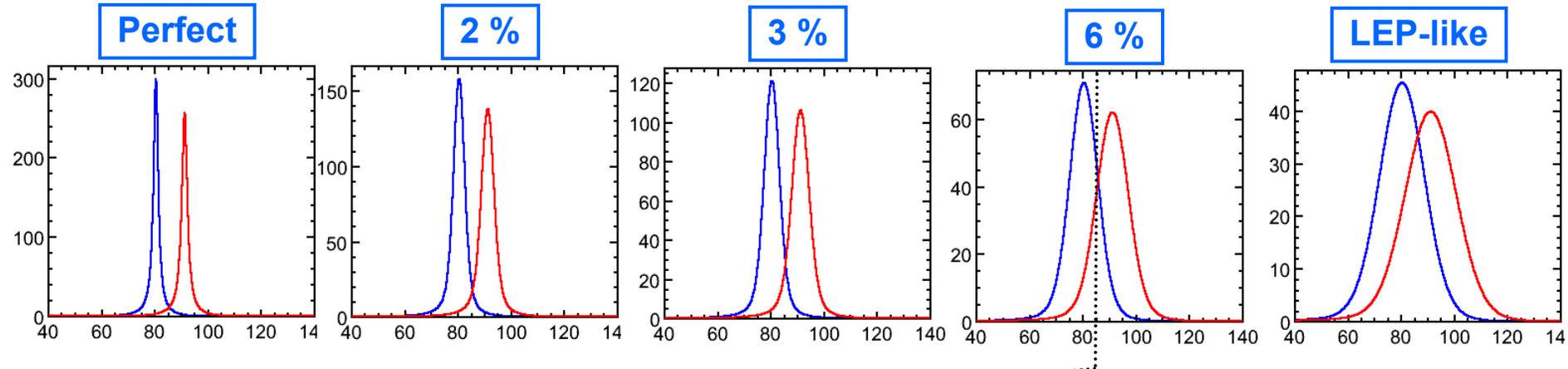
- ★ PFA resolution presented in terms of  $\text{rms}_{90}$ 
  - defined as “rms in smallest region containing 90 % of events”
  - introduced to reduce sensitivity to tails in a well defined manner
  - in addition, PFA resolution is inherently non-Gaussian
- ★ How to interpret  $\text{rms}_{90}$  ? **With care...**
  - how to compare 4 GeV PFA  $\text{rms}_{90}$  with 5 GeV Gaussian resolution
- ★ For a **true** Gaussian distribution
  - $\text{rms}_{90} = 0.79 \sigma$
- ★ Highly mis-leading...
  - distributions always have tails:  
**Gaussian usually = fit to some region**
  - $\text{rms}_{90}$  larger than central peak from PFA
  - e.g. for 200 GeV di-jets (from rest):  
 $\text{rms}(E) = 5.8 \text{ GeV}$   
 $\text{rms}_{90}(E) = 4.1 \text{ GeV}$   
fit to 196-205 GeV : 3.8 GeV
- ★ MC studies to determine equivalent statistical power show

$$\text{rms}_{90} \approx 0.9 \sigma_{\text{Gaus}}$$



# Backup: requirements

- Gauge boson width sets “natural” goal for jet energy resolution



- Quantify by purity of W/Z samples

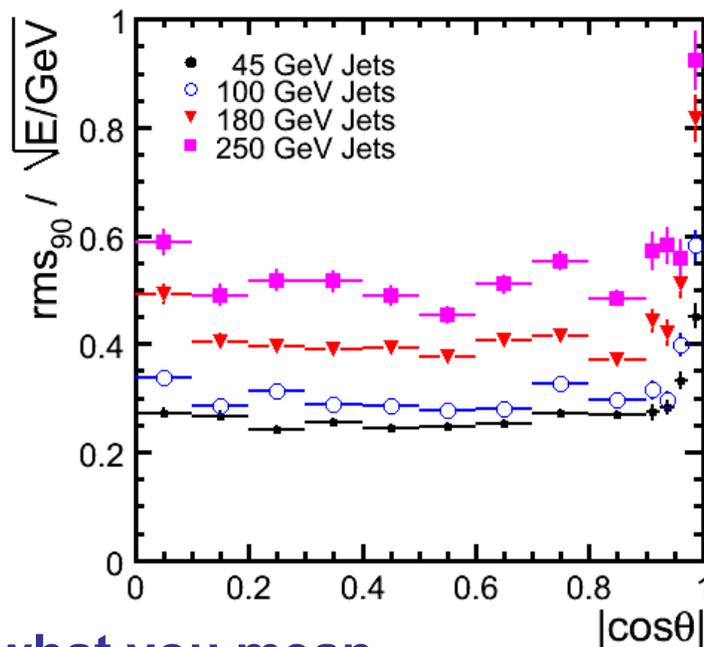
Jet E res.	Effic.	Back.	Eff*pur	W/Z sep
<b>perfect</b>	94 %	6 %	<b>0.88</b>	<b>3.1 <math>\sigma</math></b>
<b>2%</b>	93 %	8 %	<b>0.86</b>	<b>2.9 <math>\sigma</math></b>
<b>3%</b>	91 %	10 %	<b>0.82</b>	<b>2.6 <math>\sigma</math></b>
<b>4%</b>	88 %	14 %	<b>0.76</b>	<b>2.4 <math>\sigma</math></b>
<b>5%</b>	84 %	19 %	<b>0.68</b>	<b>2.0 <math>\sigma</math></b>
<b>10%</b>	71 %	41 %	<b>0.41</b>	<b>1.1 <math>\sigma</math></b>

# Backup: Current Performance (ILD)

★ For ILD concept ( $B=3.5$  T,  $r_{\text{ECAL}} = 1.8$  m,  $6 \lambda_1$  HCAL)

★ Quote performance in terms of Z decays to  $uu, dd, ss$  (at rest)

$E_{\text{JET}}$	$\sigma_E/E = \alpha/\sqrt{E_{jj}}$ $ \cos\theta  < 0.7$	$\sigma_E/E_j$
45 GeV	25.2 %	3.7 %
100 GeV	29.2 %	2.9 %
180 GeV	40.3 %	3.0 %
250 GeV	49.3 %	3.1 %
375 GeV	81.4 %	3.6 %
500 GeV	91.6 %	4.1 %



★ Is this good enough ? Depends on what you mean...

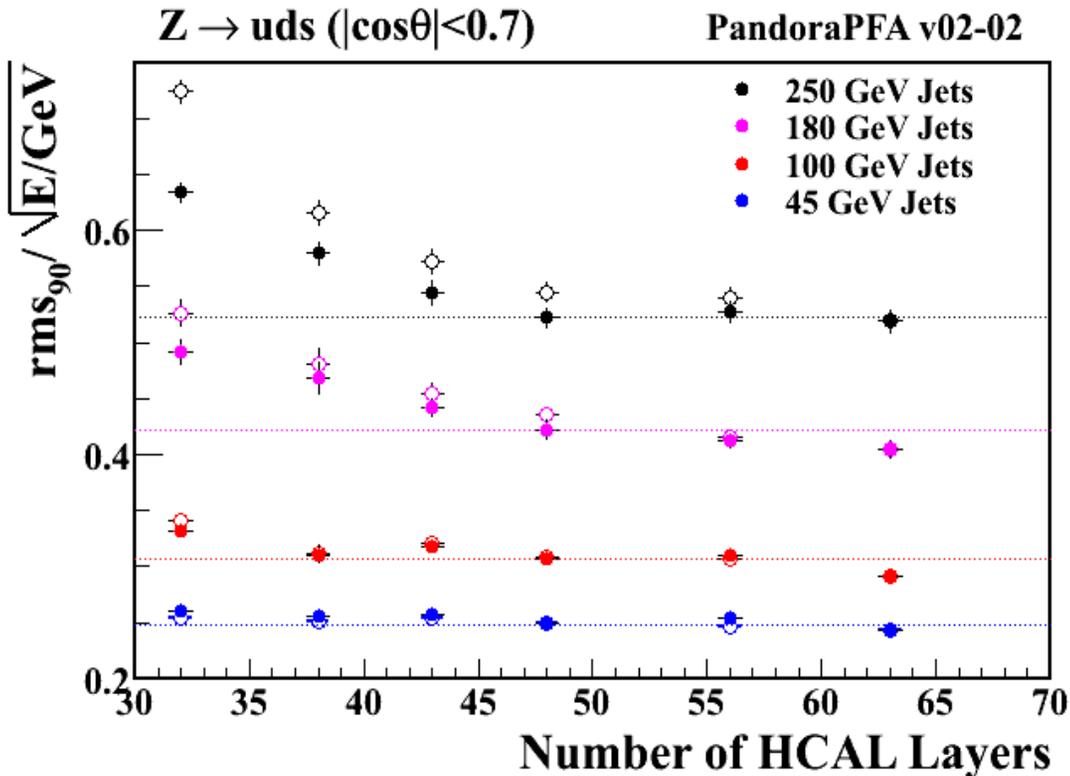
- To resolve W and Z bosons need approximately  $\sigma_E/E_j < 3.8$  %

★ What can be achieved with a “traditional” approach to calorimetry?

- Best at LEP was equivalent to  $65 \text{ %}/\sqrt{E_{jj}}$  (at 91.2 GeV)
- Often quoted, but slightly mis-leading:
  - size constant term ?
  - evolution with energy – leakage

# Backup: HCAL Depth Results

- Open circles = no use of muon chambers as a “tail-catcher”
- Solid circles = including “tail-catcher”



HCAL Layers	$\lambda_I$	
	HCAL	+ECAL
32	4.0	4.8
38	4.7	5.5
43	5.4	6.2
48	6.0	6.8
63	7.9	8.7

ECAL :  $\lambda_I = 0.8$

HCAL :  $\lambda_I$  includes scintillator

- ★ Little motivation for going beyond a 48 layer ( $6 \lambda_I$ ) HCAL
- ★ Depends on Hadron Shower simulation
- ★ “Tail-catcher”: corrects ~50% effect of leakage, limited by thick solenoid

For 1 TeV machine “reasonable range” ~ 40 – 48 layers ( $5 \lambda_I - 6 \lambda_I$ )