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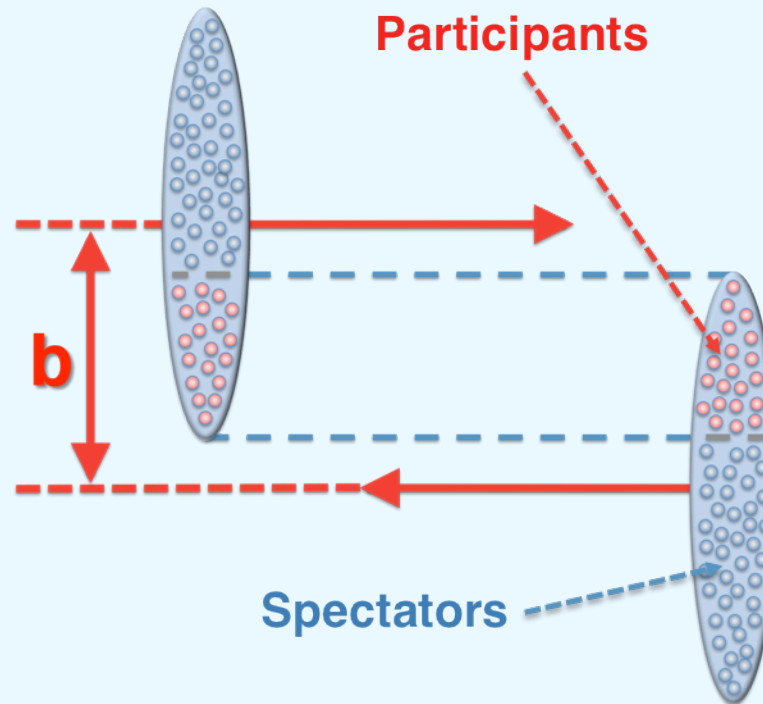
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Accelerators: Relativistic heavy ion collisions

Beschleuniger	Ort	HI-Perioden	Max. Energie	Projektile	Experimente
Bevalac	LBNL, Berkeley	1984 - 1993	< 2 AGeV	C, Ca, Nb, Ni, Au, ...	Plastic Ball, Streamer Chamber, EOS, DLS
Synchro-Phasotron	JINR, Dubna	1974 - 1985	> 100 AMeV		
AGS	BNL, Brookhaven	1986 - 1994	14.5/11.5 AGeV	Si, Au	E802, ..., E917
SPS	CERN, Geneva	1986 →	200/158 AGeV	O, S, In, Pb	NA34,... , WA80,...
SIS	GSI, Darmstadt	1992 →	2 AGeV	Kr, Au	FOPI, KAOS, HADES
RHIC	BNL, Brookhaven	2000 →	$\sqrt{s_{NN}} = 200 \text{ GeV}$	Cu,Au	STAR, PHENIX, BRAHMS, PHOBOS
LHC	CERN, Geneva	2009 →	$\sqrt{s_{NN}} = 5.5 \text{ TeV}$	O, Ar, Pb	ALICE, CMS, ATLAS
SIS100/300	GSI, Darmstadt	2019 →	30/45 AGeV	Au	HADES, CBM
Nuklotron	JINR, Dubna	2017 →	6 AGeV	Au	
NICA	JINR, Dubna	2017 →	$\sqrt{s_{NN}} = 4 - 11 \text{ GeV}$	Au	MPD

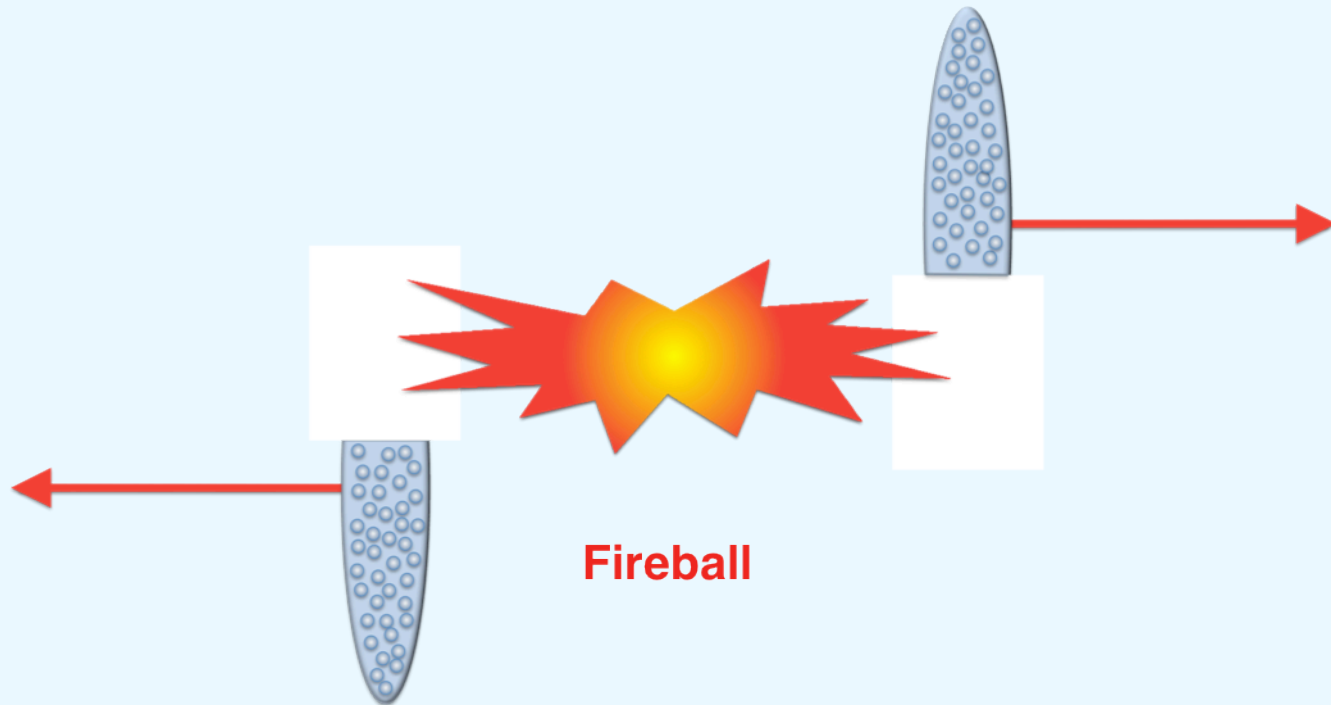
Participant – Spectator



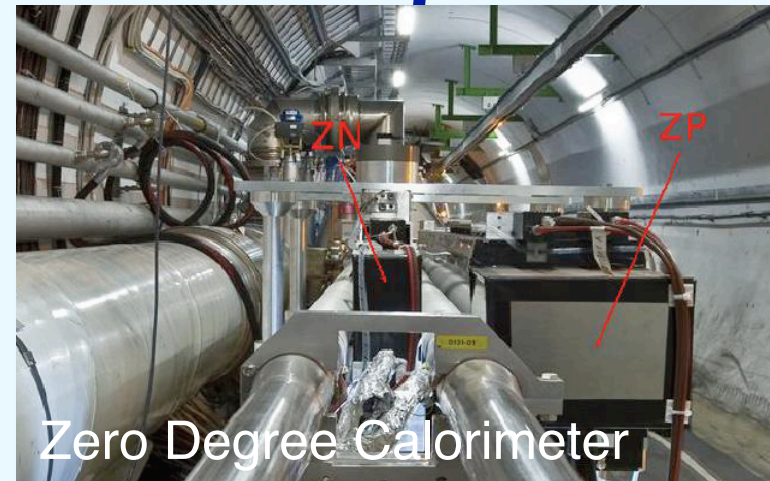
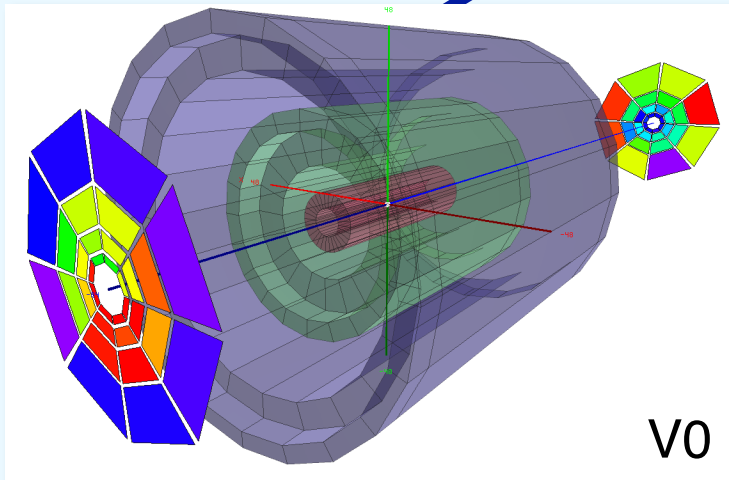
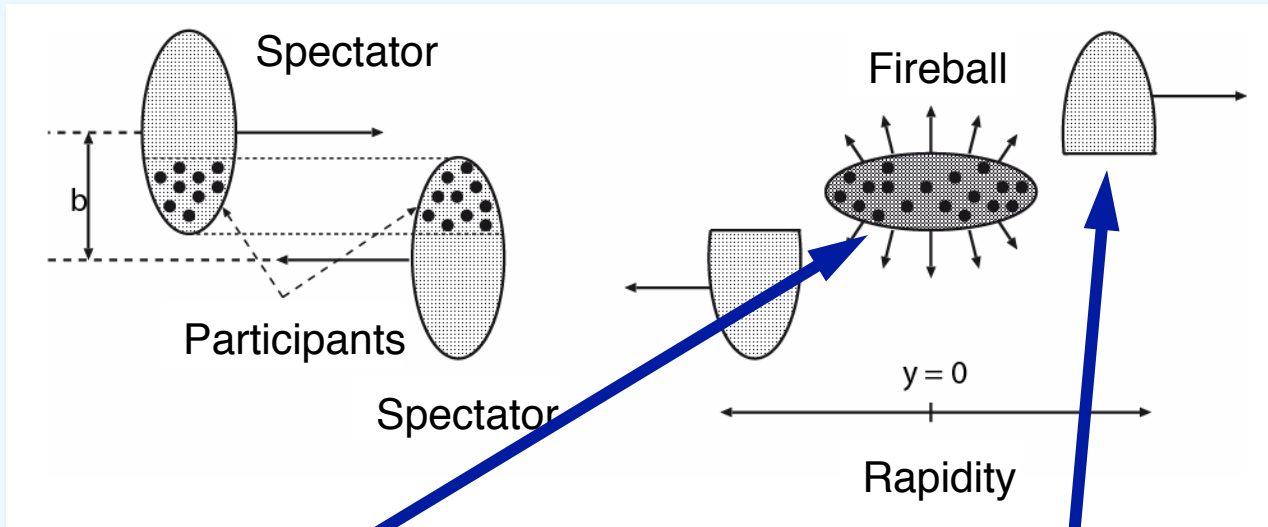
b = Impact Parameter

$b=0 \Rightarrow$ central collision

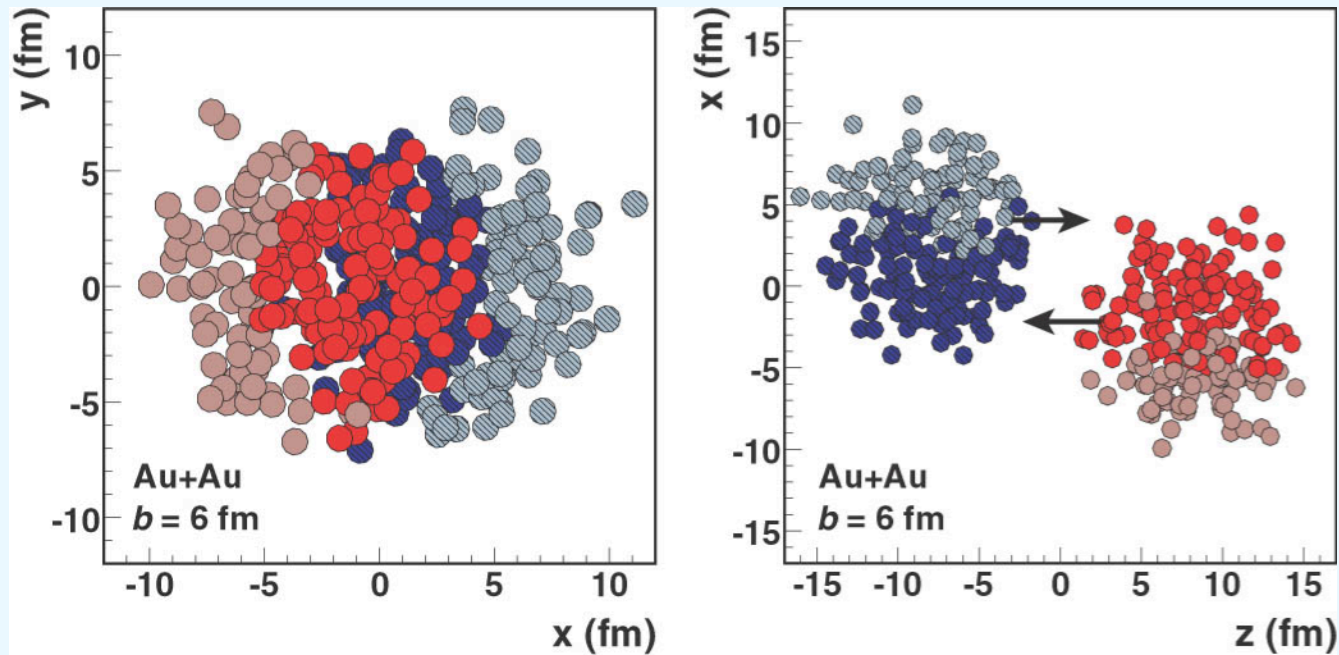
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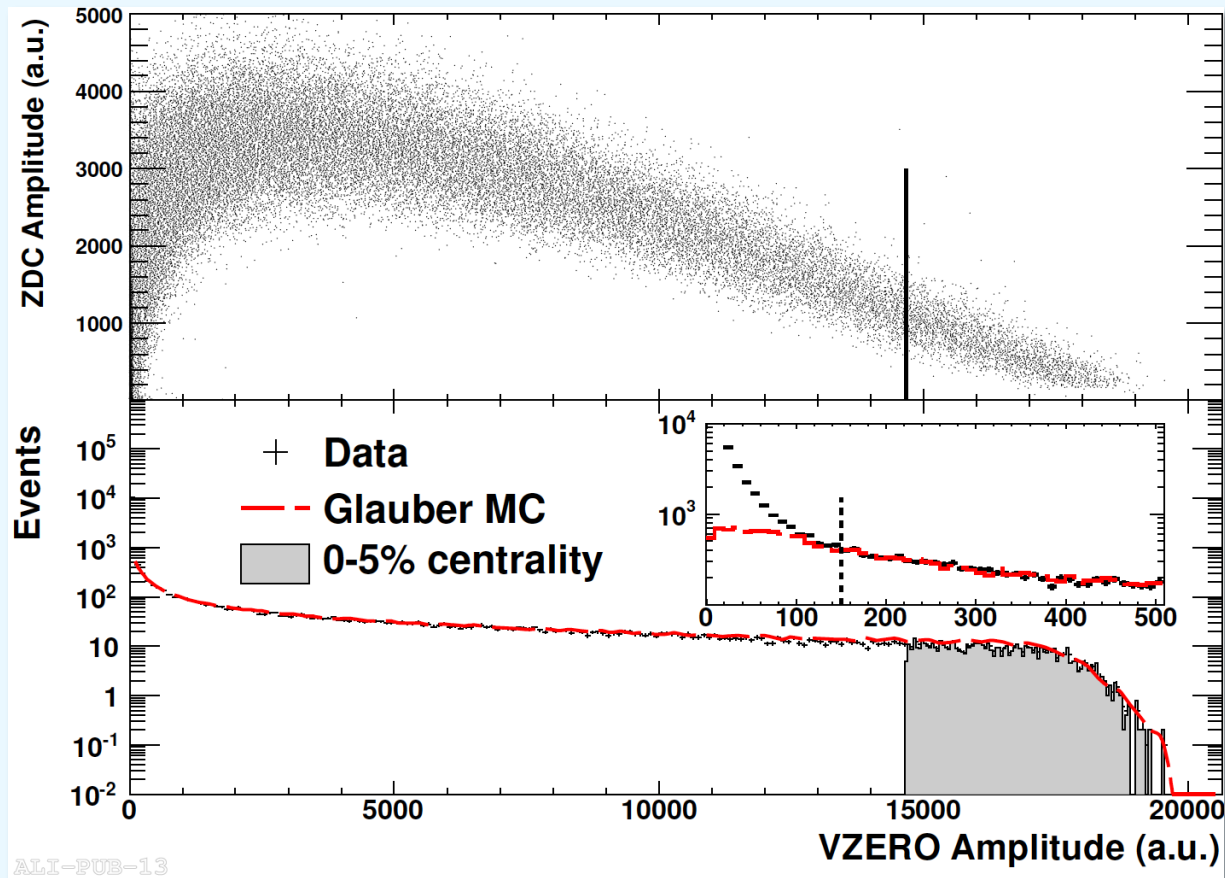
Centrality selection in ALICE



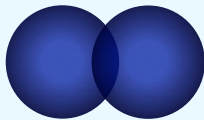
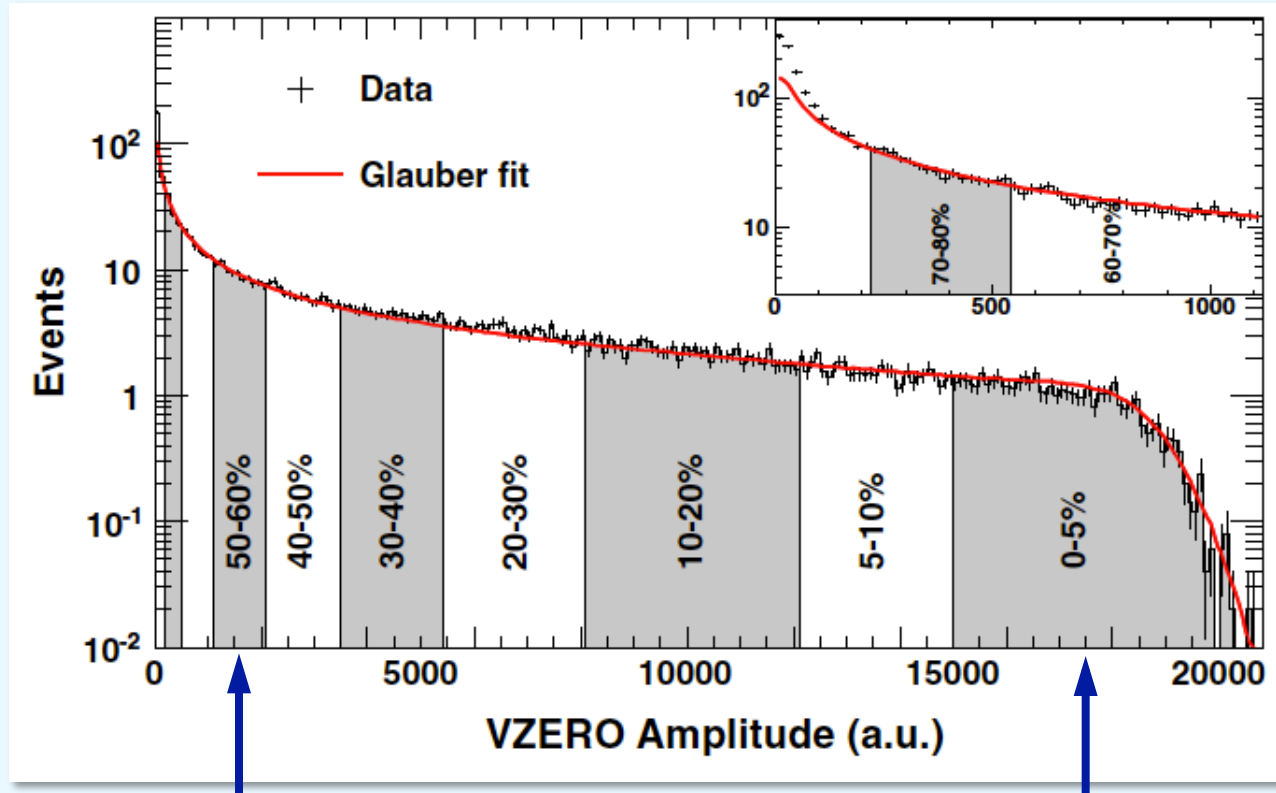
Participant – Spectator Szenario (Glauber Calculation)



Measuring Centrality with ALICE

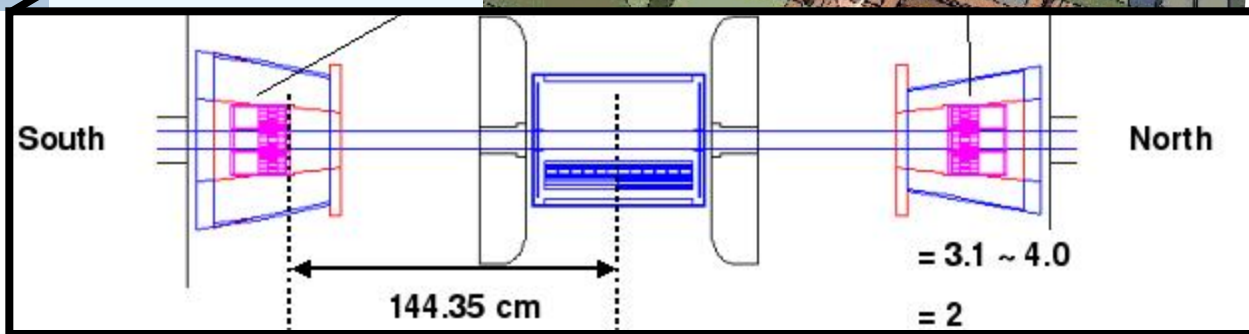
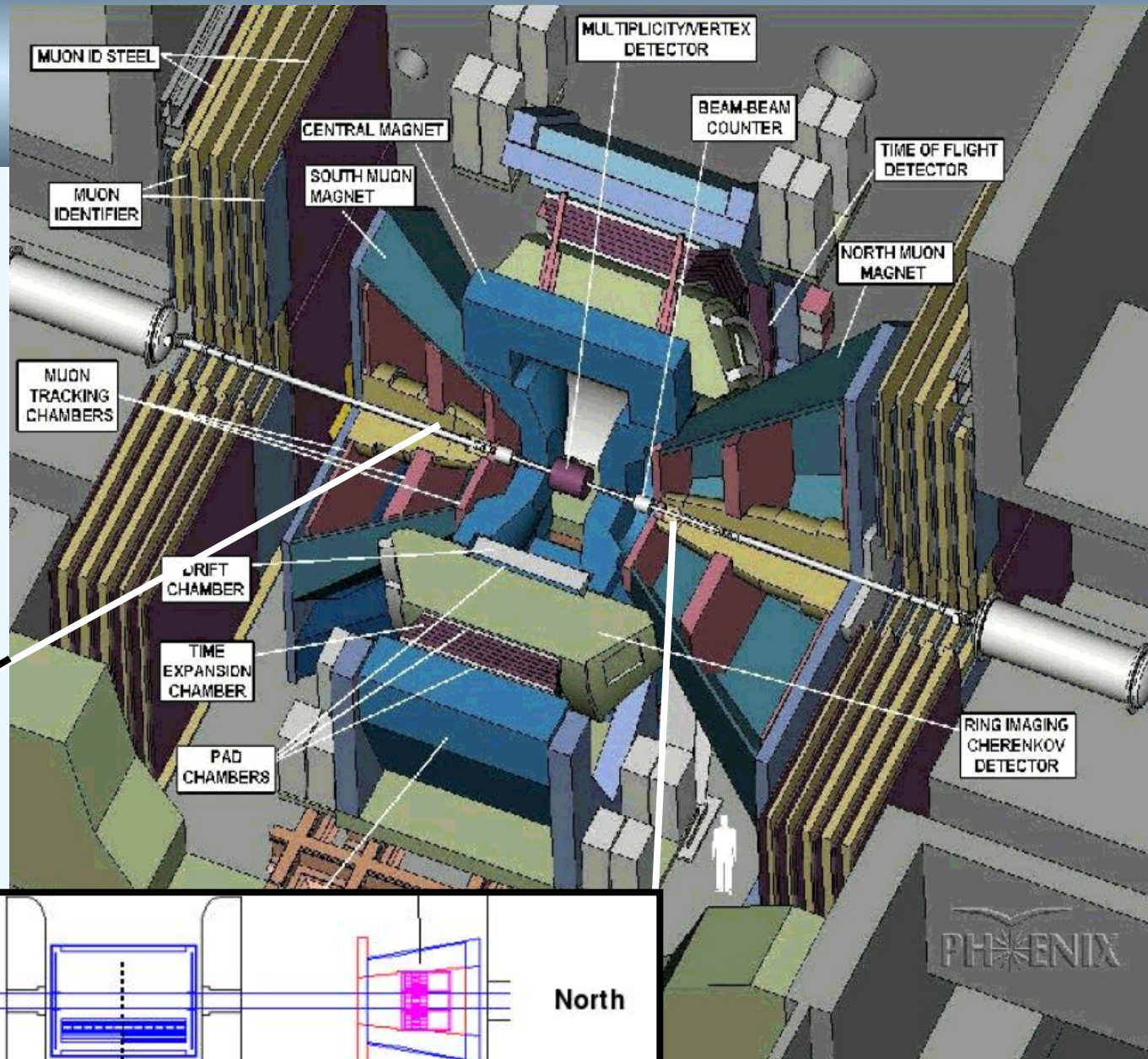


Centrality classes (ALICE)

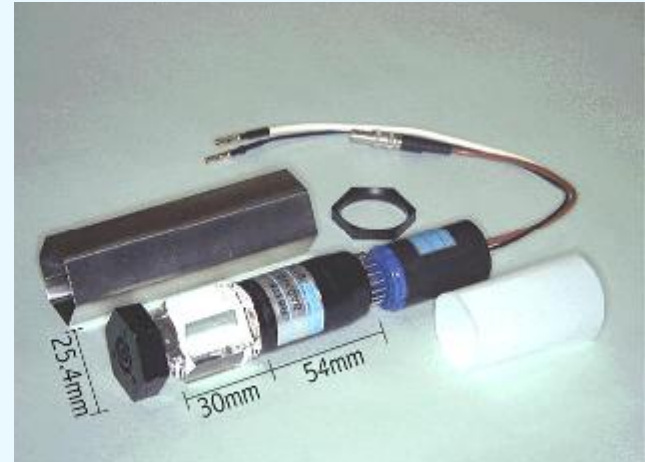


-> get Impact parameter and Number of Participants (+errors)

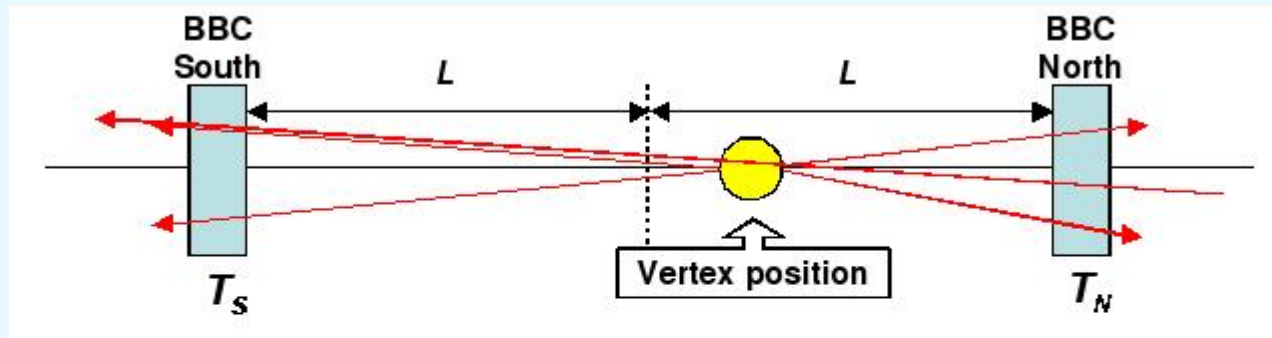
Beam-Beam Counter RHIC



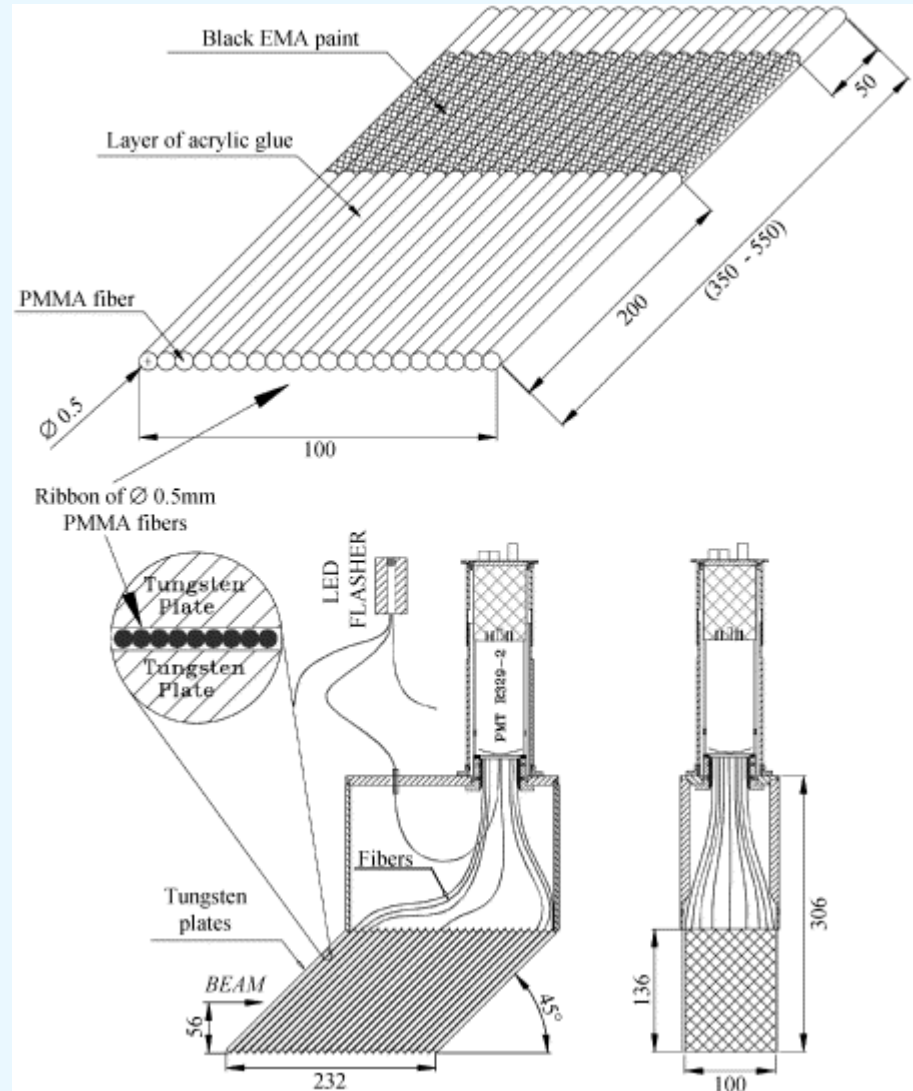
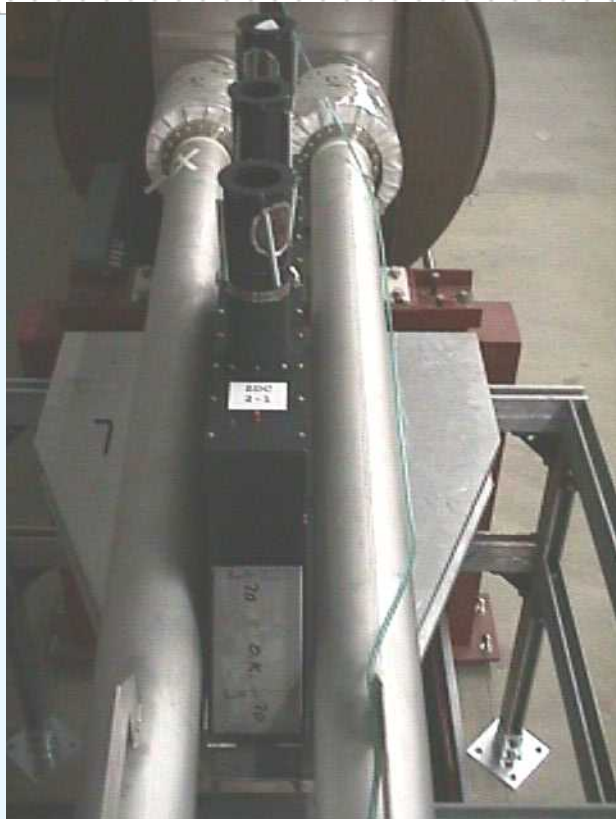
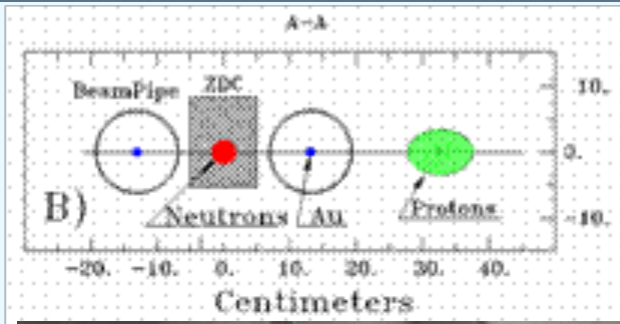
Beam-Beam Counter am RHIC



Each element consists of quartz Cherenkov radiator and meshed dynode PMT.



Zero Degree Calorimeter (ZDC) at RHIC (spectators)



Centrality classes at RHIC

