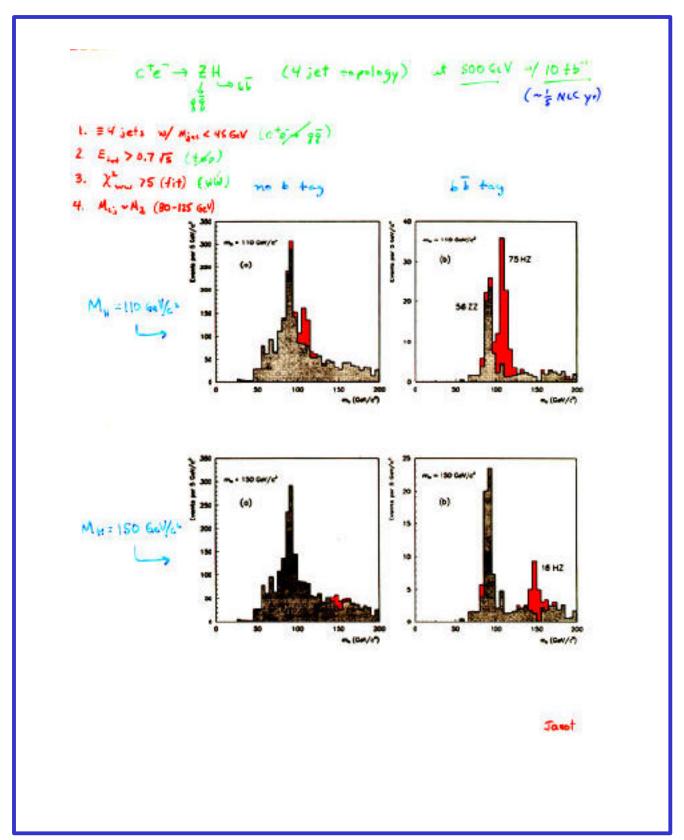
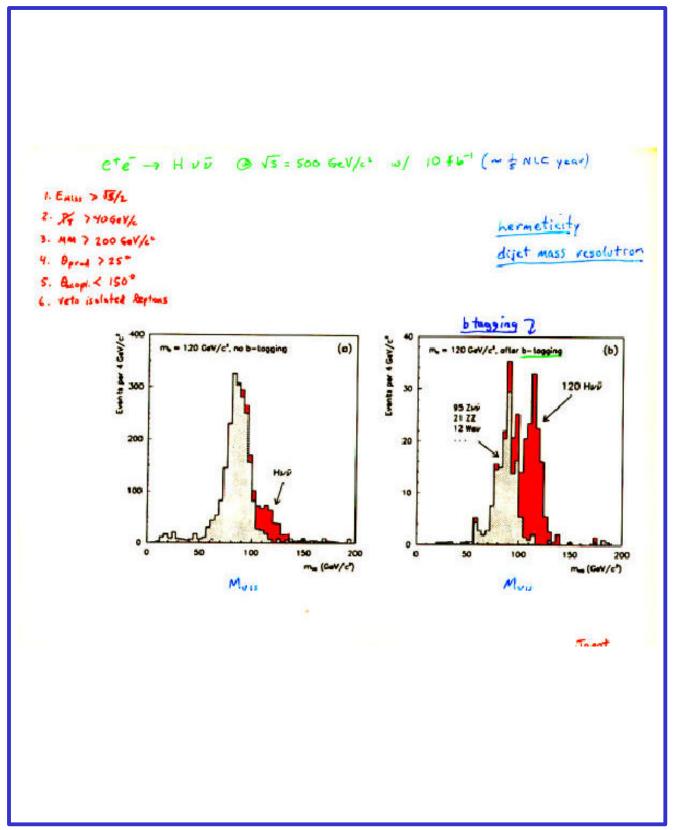
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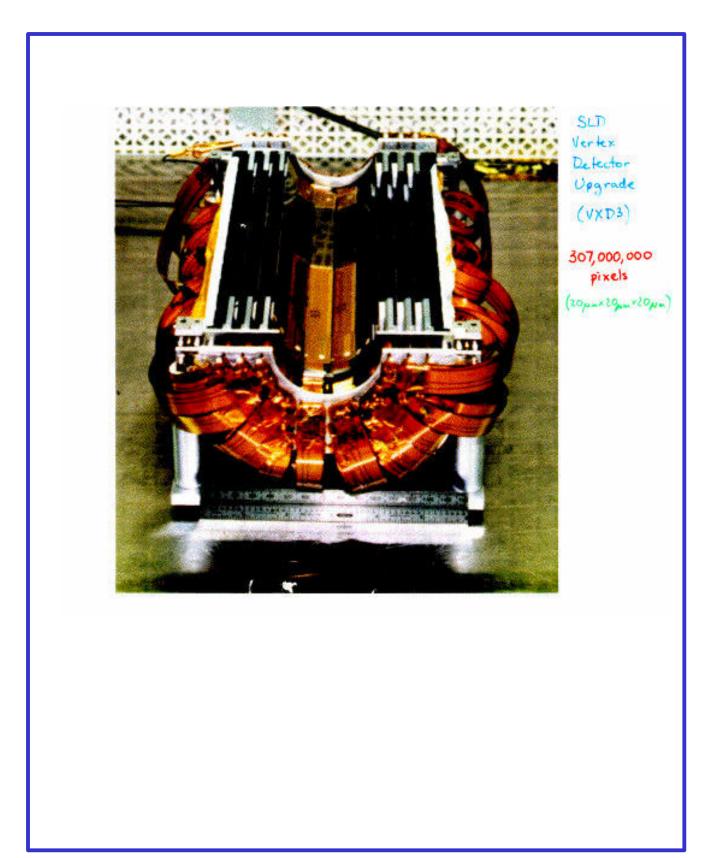
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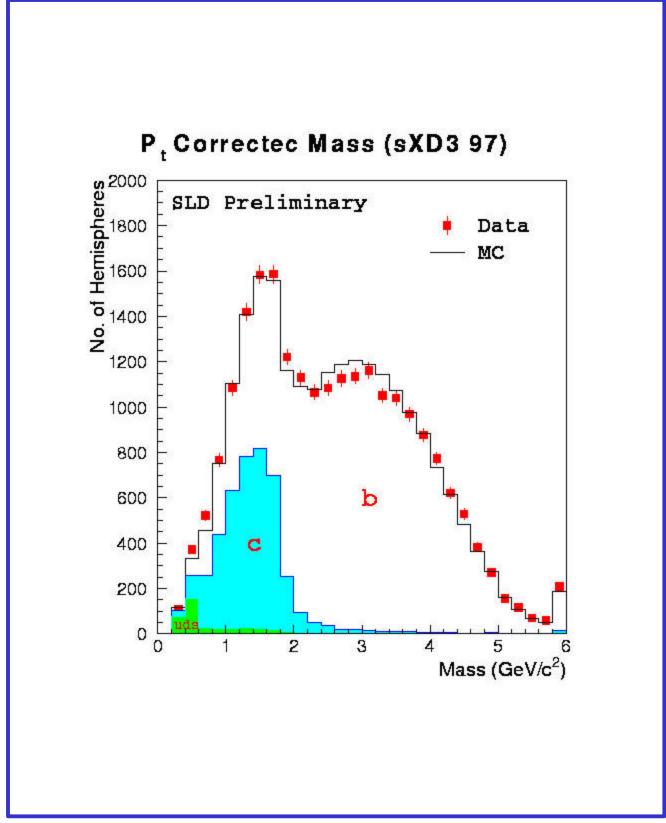
- For the LCD Vertex Detector there are clear simulations AND hardware R&D issues
- We will restrict discussion to R&D issues related to simulation studies
- We are assuming that the vertex detector will be a CCD vertex detector
- basically, an improved version of the SLD vertex detector

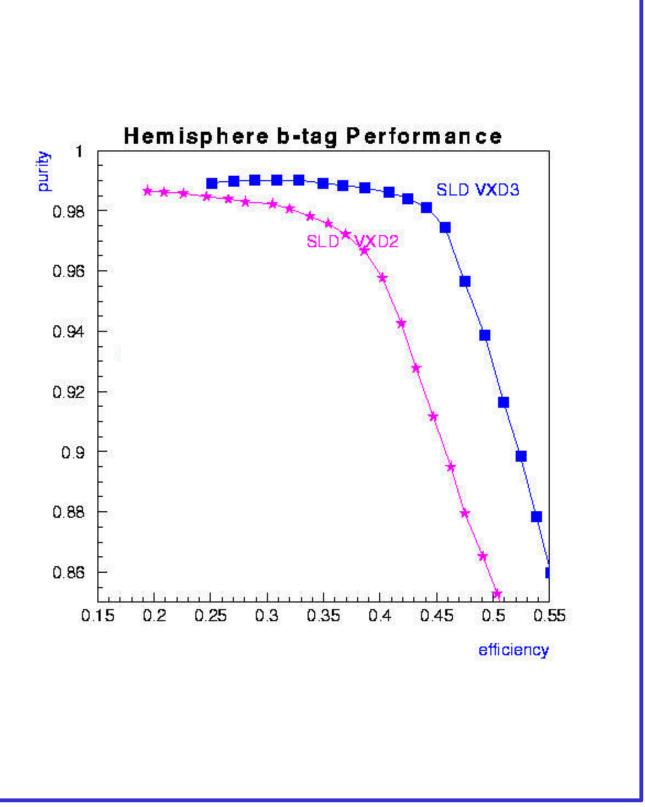
more layers than SLD (3->5)thinner ladders than SLD $(0.4% X_0 -> < 0.2% X_0)$ smaller inner radius than SLD (2.8 cm -> 1.2 cm)

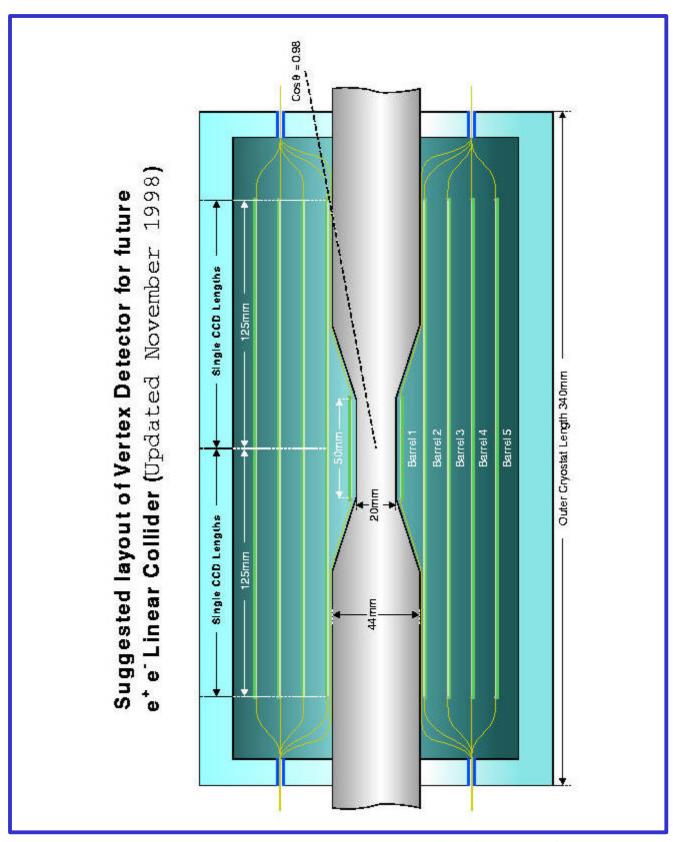
therefore -> improved perfomance

Big issue on the hardware side is the radiation level (relative to damage) and the detector tolerance to the radiation - we are working on this, but it is not a topic of this meeting









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What have we learned so far:

Bruce Schumm's parametrization of impact parameter resolution is pretty accurate

Model S

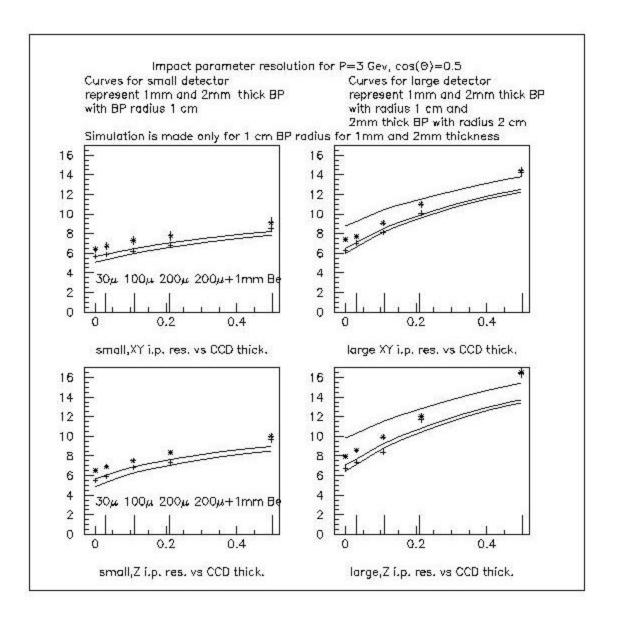
$$\sigma_b = (3 \mu m \oplus 10 \mu m / p \sin^{3/2} \theta)$$

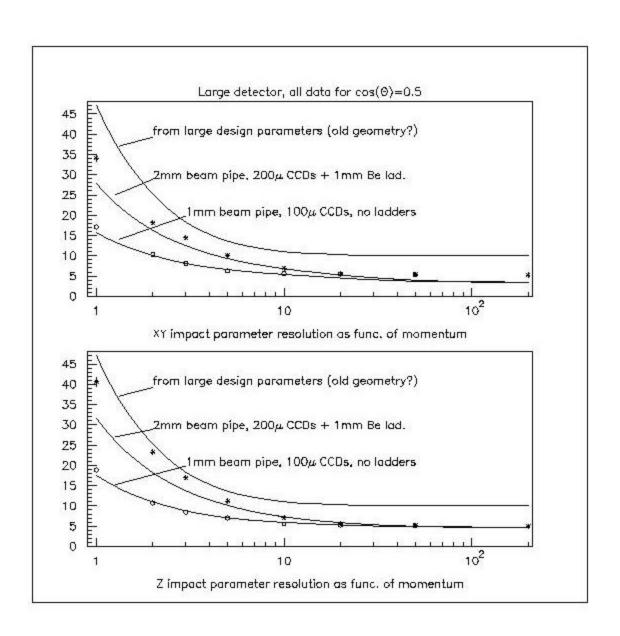
Model L

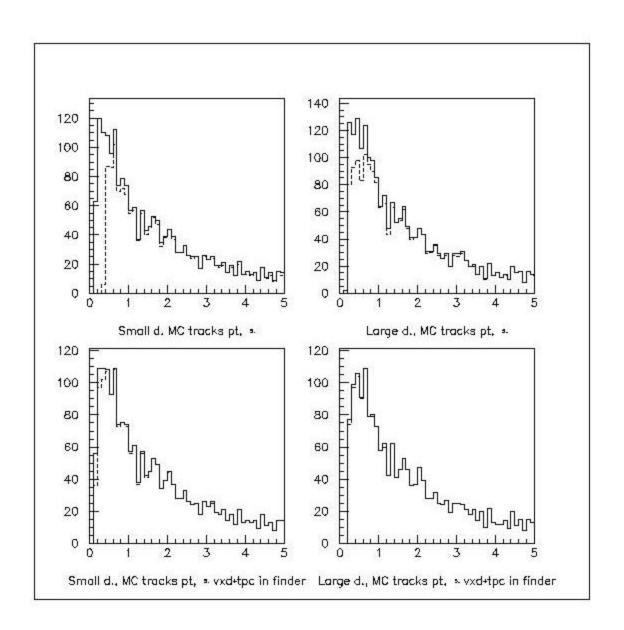
$$\sigma_b = (3.5 \,\mu\text{m} \oplus 25 \,\mu\text{m} / \text{p sin}^{3/2} \,\theta)$$

The vertex detector has a large role in track finding for the S1 detector, and helps some for the L1 detector.

With the vertex detector, S1 tracking efficiency is 99%







Issues needing study:

Dependence of performance on vertex detector parameters

Parameters:

Inner radius
Outer radius
Number of barrels
Angular coverage
Hit Resolution
Background pile-up
(layer dependent)

Performance measures:

Impact parameter resolutions
Tagging efficiencies and purities
 b quarks
 charm
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Specific channels studies
 eg. Higgs -> c c-bar

We need to incorporate vertex reconstruction
 into LCD simulations package
 -> early fall (N. Sinev)

What modifications would be like for the next round of Monte Carlo runs?

Vertex Detector specific mods

- 1. reduce the beampipe thickness to 0.5 mm
- 2. change the CCD layout to Damerell's new layout:

http://hep.ph.liv.ac.uk/~green/lcfi/techdraw/VXDcol.ps

- 3. use the same CCD layout for both model S and model L
- 4. add the VXD cryostat to both detectors