

ALICE FMD Alignment Considerations

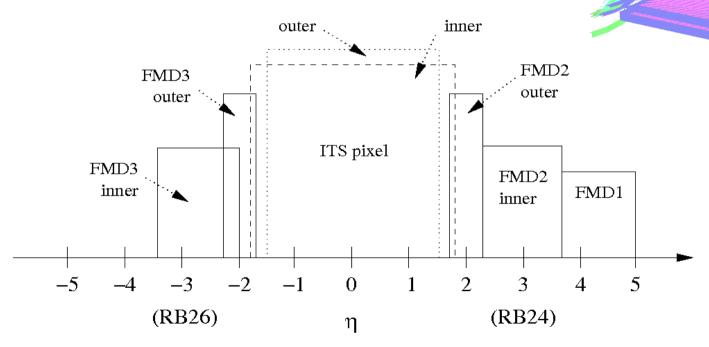


Overview

•The FMD



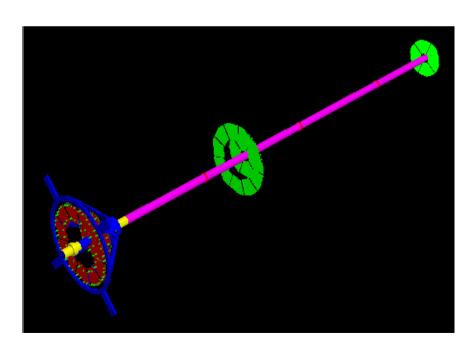
Minimal overlap with ITS, possibly match ITS tracks to hits in low multiplicity events. However ...

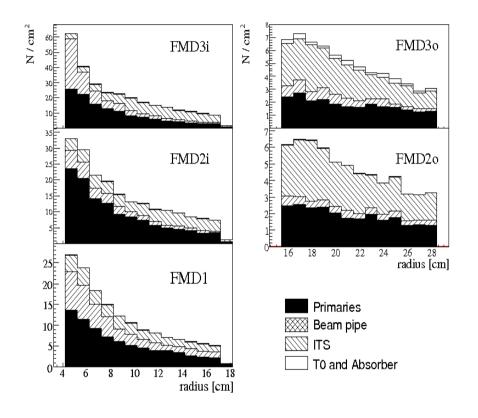




The Environment of the FMD

... large background, makes it hard to match track to hit!





Most background from ITS support and beam pipe.







- Could use V0 hit patterns, but granularity of V0 larger than FMD.
- Use symmetrry arguments, but that excludes other interesting measurements.

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Will probably rely solely on survey data



Needed in offline



Access to survey data in EDMS



- A list of survey points
- Recipe' to turn survey points into a
 (T)Geometry. Already partially envisioned in AliFMDGeometry.

