

DCH Background versus Beam Current

- Motivation:
 - Fix the amount of Background to be used in the following study of the DCH performances at high luminosity.
- Strategy:
 - Extrapolate the Number of Digits/event to the foreseen beam currents using the dedicated Background runs.
- Background Sources:
 - Single Beam Interaction: Single Beam runs
 - Beam-Beam Interaction: Two Beam Background runs (after the subtraction of the two single beam contributions)
 - Electronic Noise: no Beam run
- Use of random trigger only to remove the physics events in the two beams runs (to be done...)

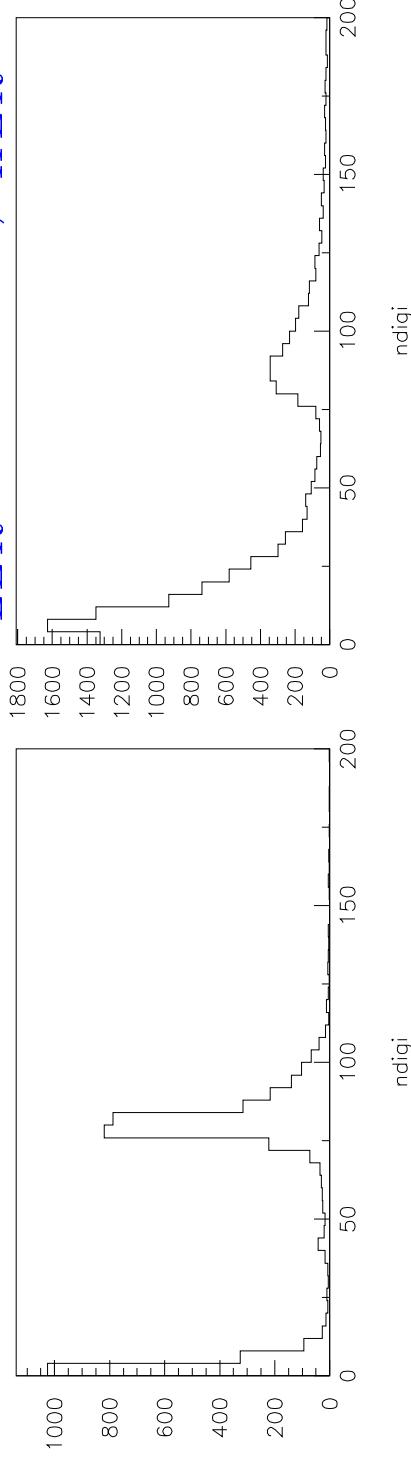
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Very Preliminary Results-1

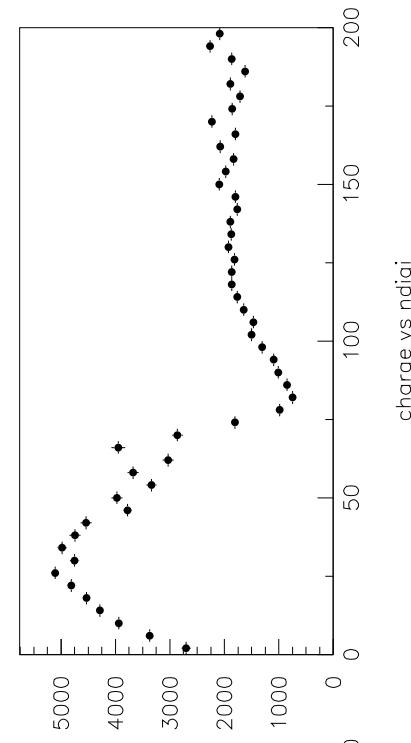
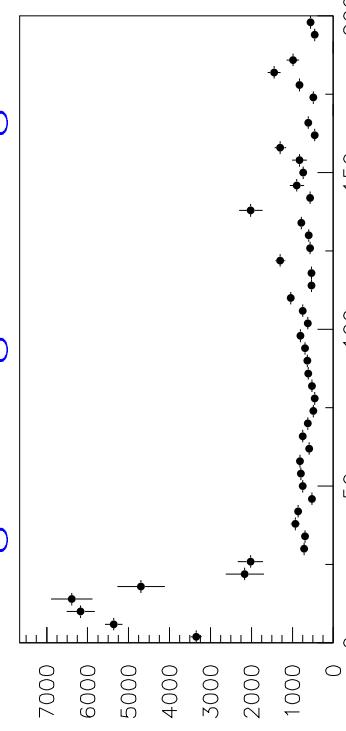
- The distribution of the Number of Digits shows an \sim exponential behaviour and a peak (~ 80): Cosmic?

- No Current

$$I_{LER} = 1190 \text{ mA}, I_{HER} = 0$$



- Average Charge vs Ndigis:

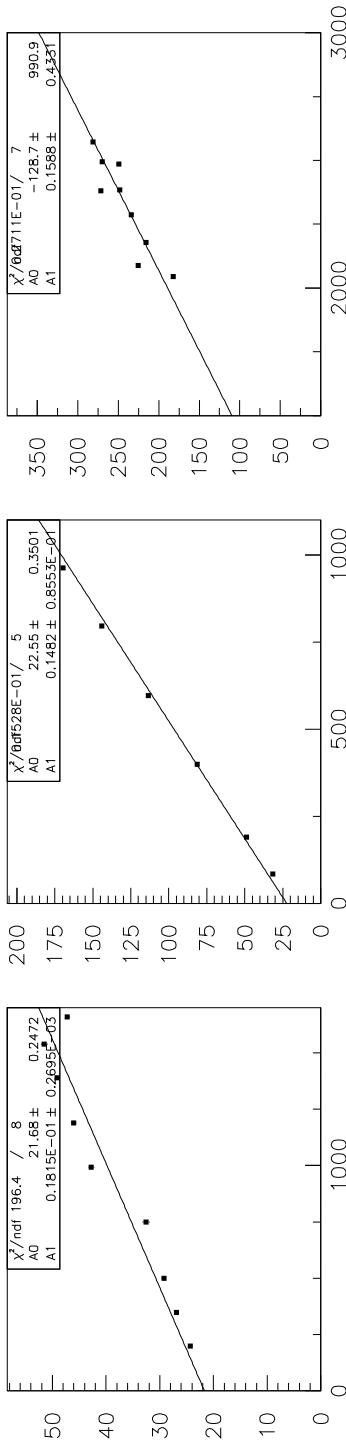


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Very Preliminary Results-2

- Average Number of Digits versus I (included "cosmics")
- I_{LER} scan I_{HER} scan $I_{LER} + I_{HER}$ scan



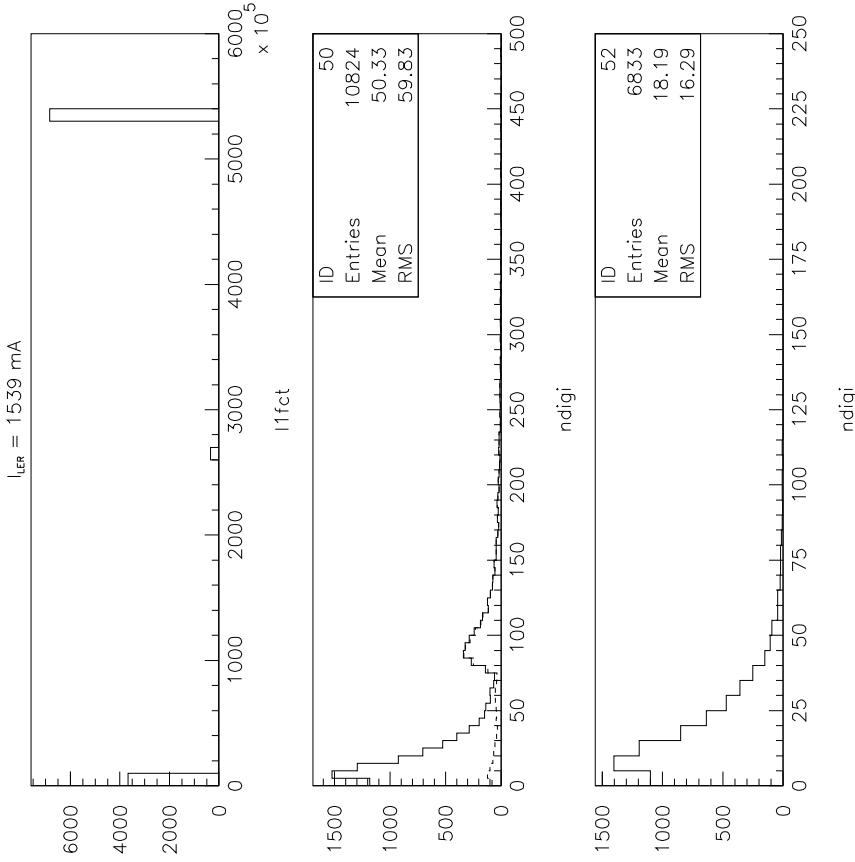
- Add the Trigger Informations to the DchOprNtuple to subtract the Cosmics and the Physics events (two beam runs)

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Very Preliminary Results-3

- Using trigger informations to remove cosmics:

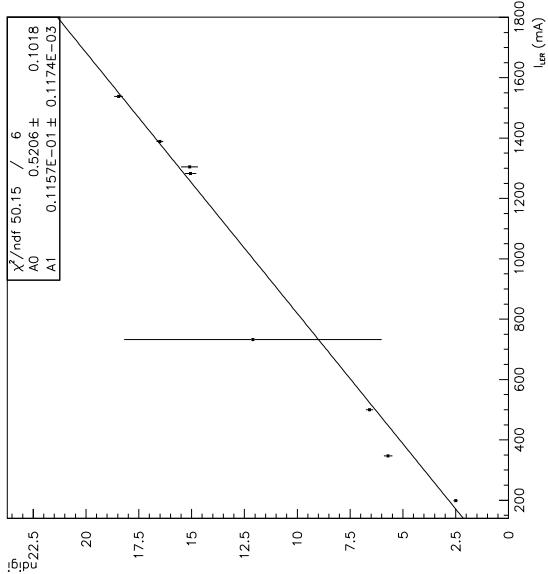


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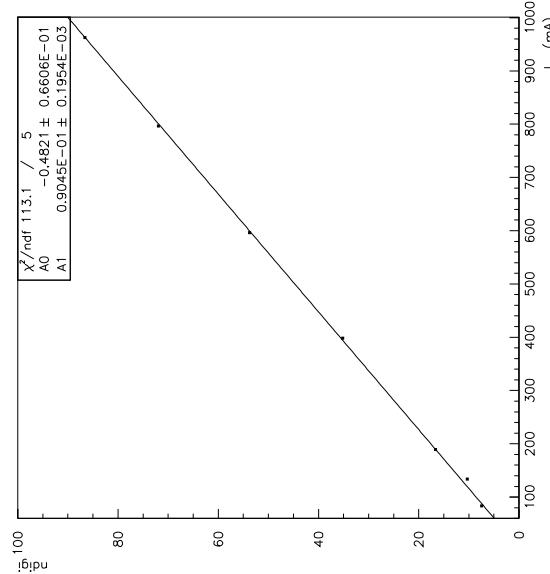
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Very Preliminary Results-4

- I_{LER} scan:



- I_{HER} scan:

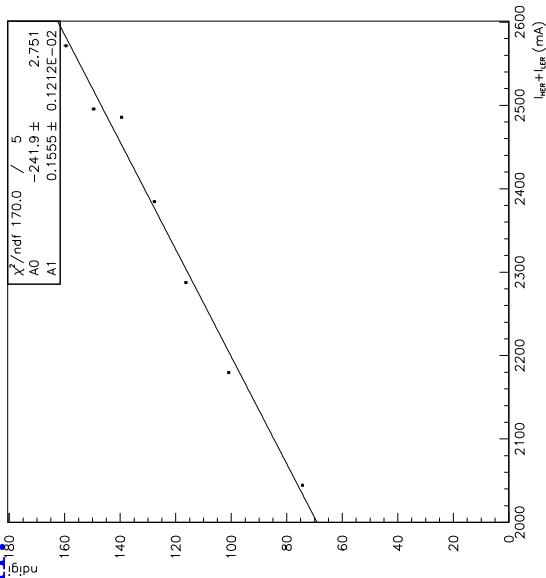


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Very Preliminary Results-5

- $I_{LER} + I_{HER}$ scan:



- Next Steps:

- Extrapolation to high luminosity of the different Background Sources.
- Use of MC sample and Background files to study the DCH performances with increasing luminosity.

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