



# PHENIX Run-13 status

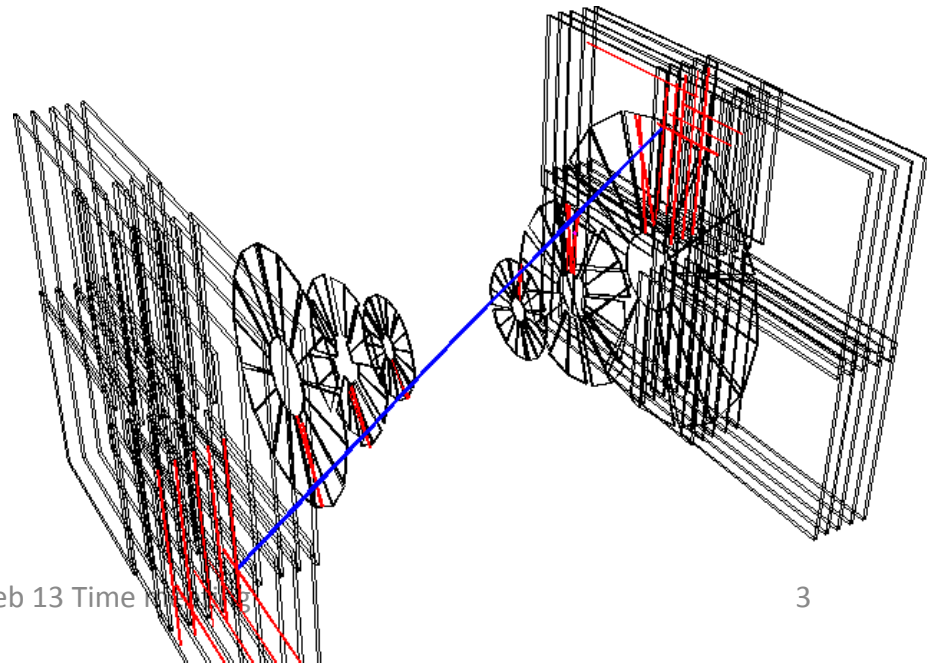
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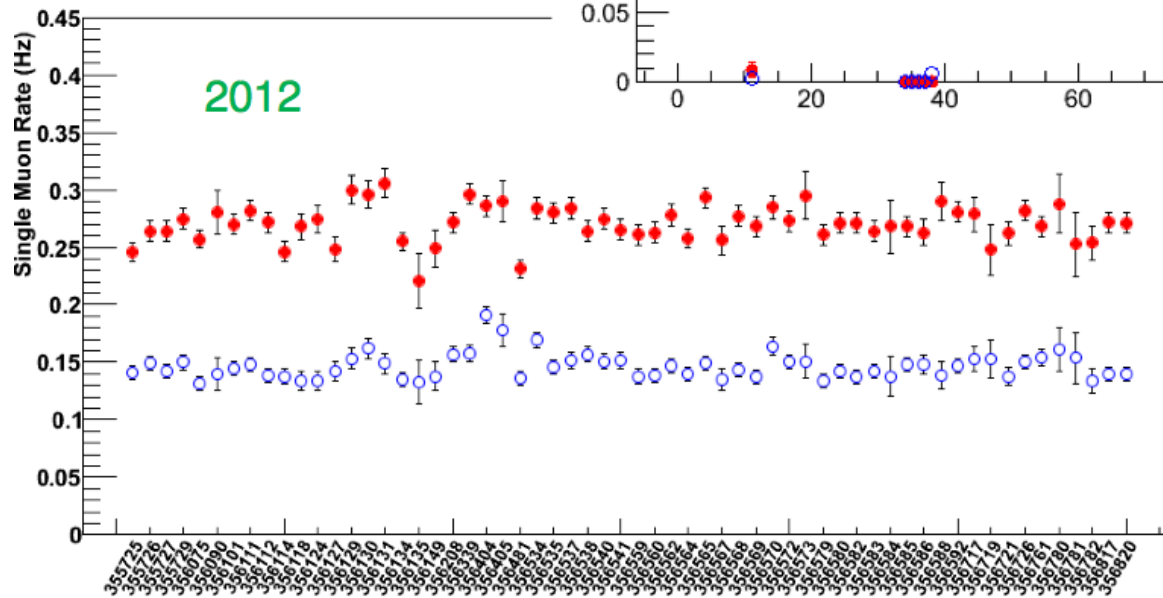
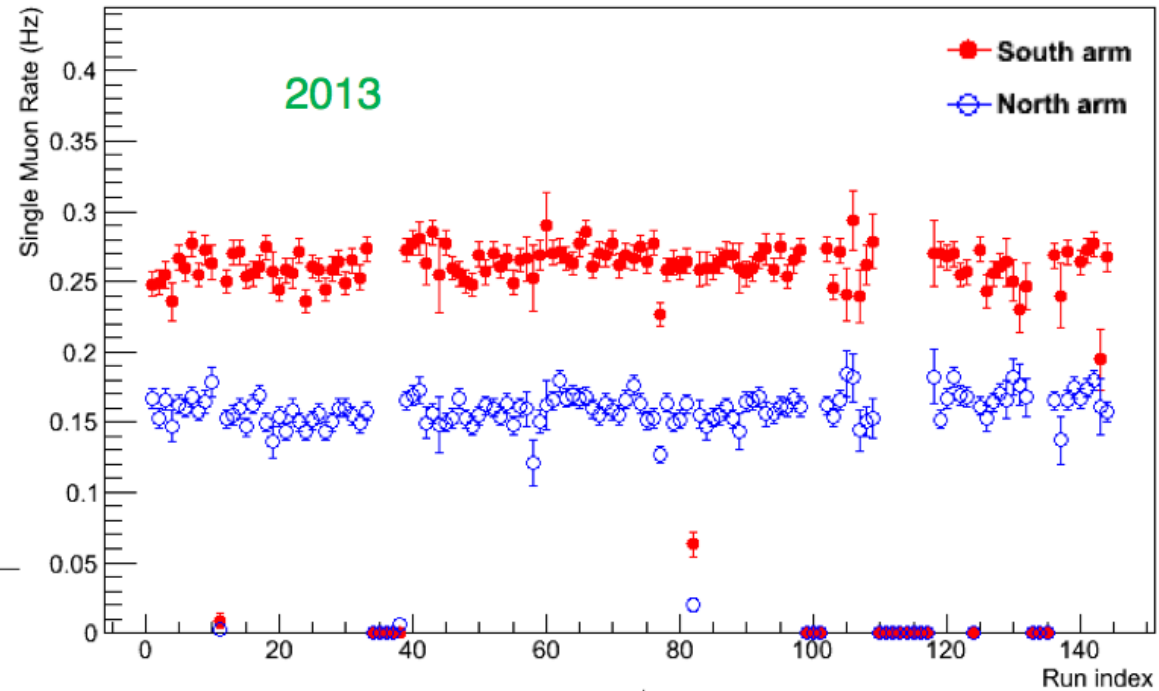
- Flammable gas is on since Feb 1, 2-person watch shifts started Jan 22
- Cosmics taken since 4 Feb, ongoing when there is no beam
- IR closed up on 8<sup>th</sup>
- Test runs with all (~20) subsystems
- Full 5-person shifts as of today

# Near-term objectives

- When no beam, collect cosmics
- When there is beam, some system checks are done, and ‘junk runs’ to maintain system readiness
- With collisions: time in subsystems (BBC, ZDC, TOF...)
- IR access when available



# Single Muon Rates for 2012 & 2013

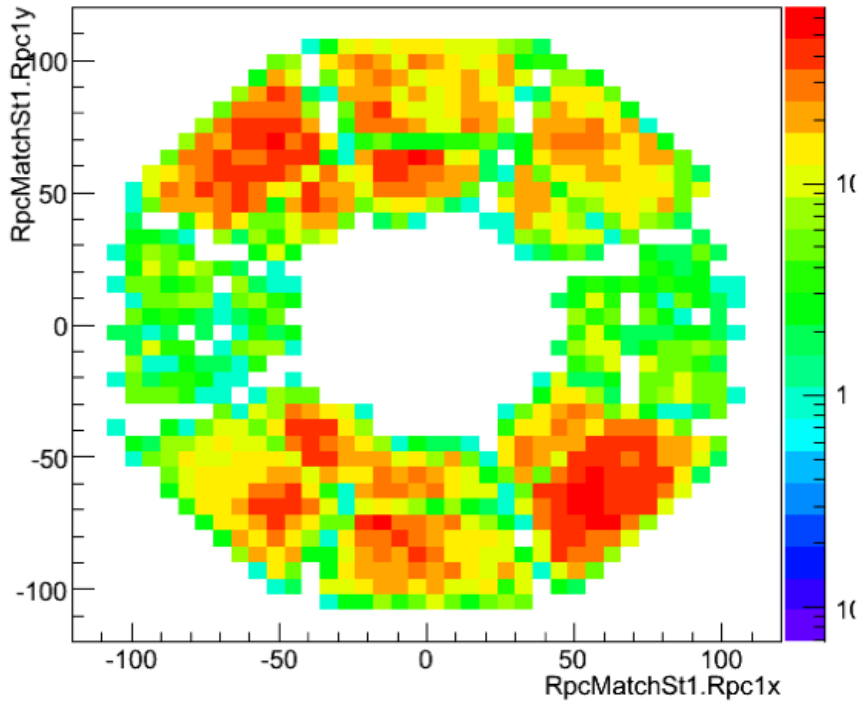


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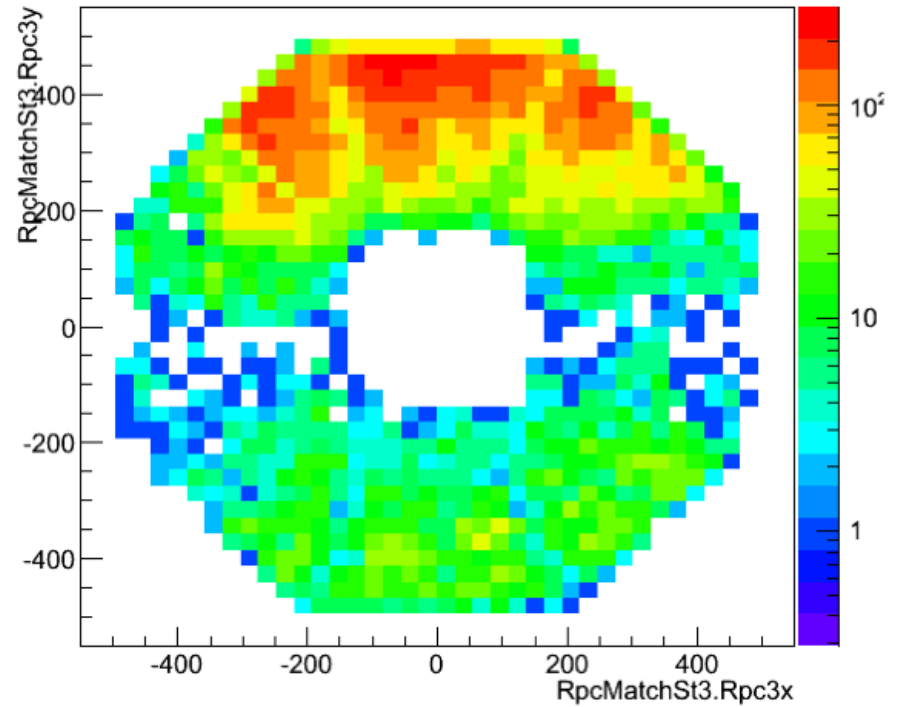


# RPC1 & RPC3 Hit Distribution

RPC1



RPC3



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