ISU SAM Work

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Talk Outline:

- New quartz, light guide, and vacuum insertion tube geometries
- Simulated light yields for new design
- SLAC Testbeam for SAMs
- Summary



JLab Hall A

SAMs currently installed (since Dec 2015)





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New SAM quartz: thinner and shorter





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New SAM LG: 3.5 cm shorter, redesigned



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New Vacuum Tubes–shorter; spherical endcap



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New SAM LG: Shorter by 3.5 cm and optimized funnel angle







About 6 PEs per electron with 43% resolution





Some CAD views of new SAM design



Radial View (looking down the LG towards beamline)



Radial View (looking up the LG away from beamline)









SLAC Testbeam Setup for SAM







More SLAC Testbeam Setup Views







Summary

- New light guides designed. Sending to shop next week; will make 10 of them and fold at least two before SLAC testbeam
- New insertion tube design nearly final (ANL will fabricate)
- 10 new quartz pieces ordered in September (\$4k); will have before Dec 1
- SLAC testbeam setup for SAMs will use existing apparatus; still working out the exact mounting strategy – thinking to use simple 8020 rails...
- At SLAC we will benchmark PE yield simulations as well as scan up the light guide a bit to examine scintillation bkgds just realized we will want dry-air or N₂ flowing
- Finally, an electronic shutter system is under development for SAMs. Have procured one shutter to install and test at SLAC