

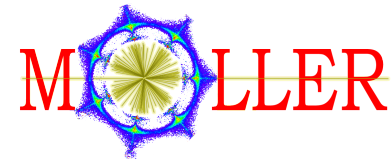
Shower-max Requirements and Status

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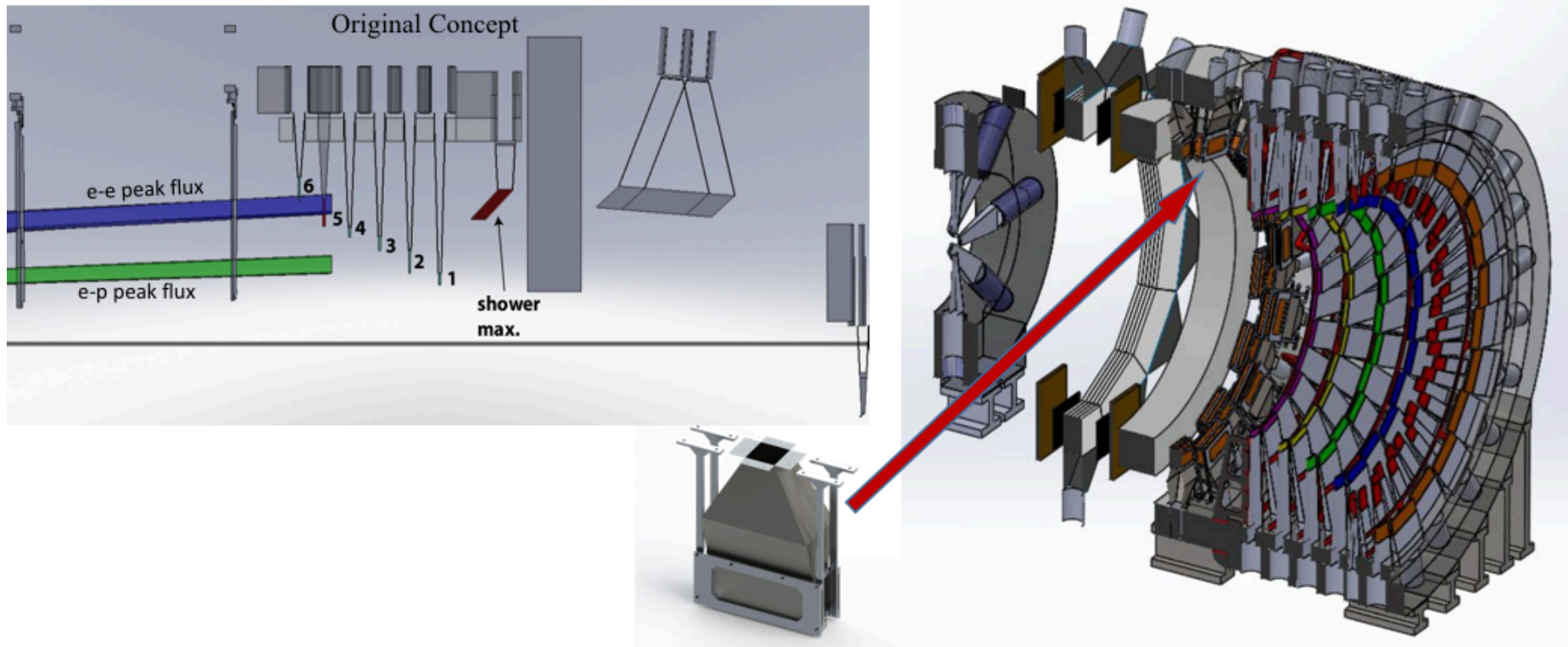
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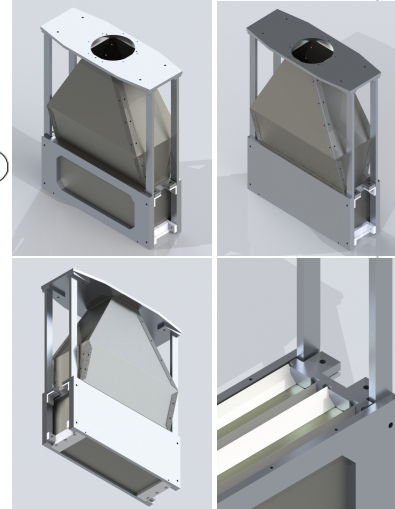
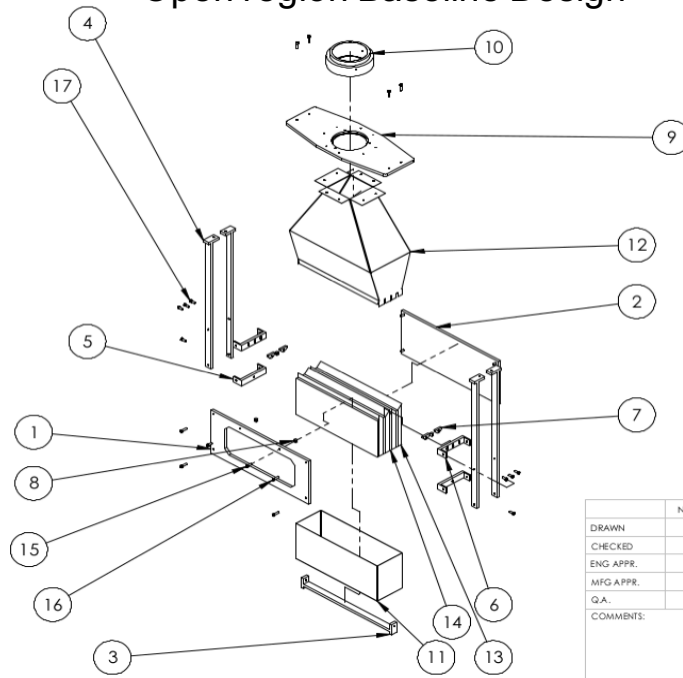
Shower-max: Motivation and Requirements



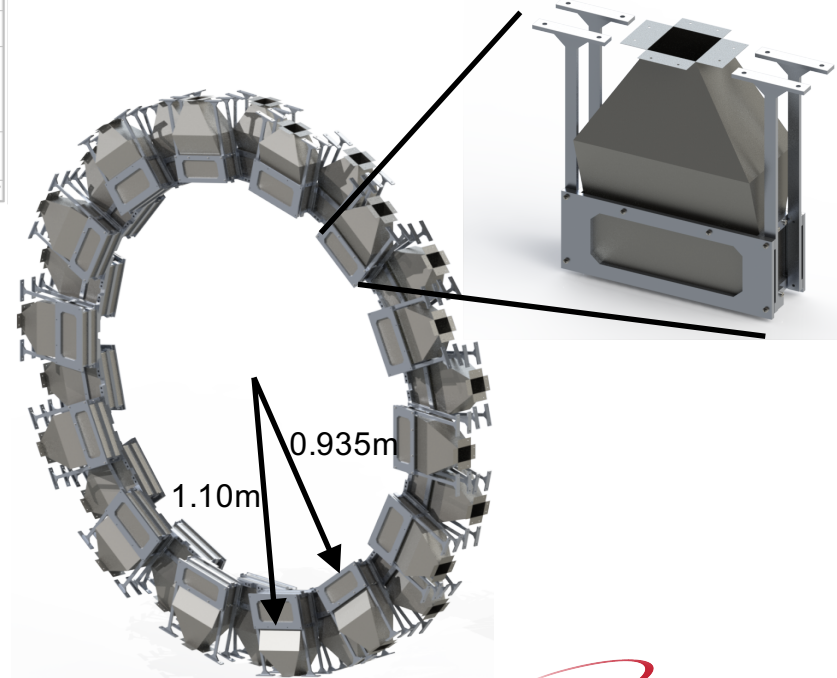
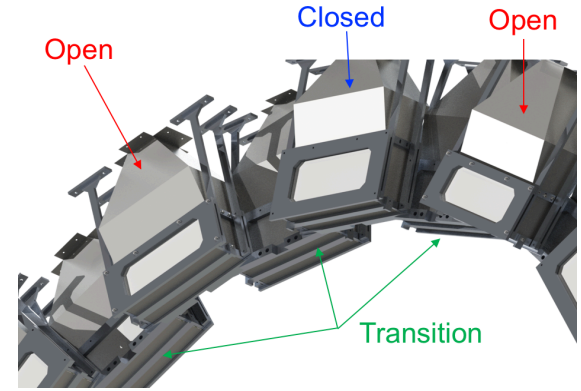
- Provides additional measurement of e-e ring integrated flux
- Weights flux by energy \Rightarrow less sensitive to low energy and hadronic backgrounds
- Will also operate in tracking mode to give additional handle on background pion identification – gives MIP-like signal
- Will have good resolution over full energy range ($\frac{\sigma}{\langle n \rangle} \lesssim 30\%$), radiation hard with long term stability and good linearity

Shower-max: Design Status and ring geometry

Open region Baseline Design



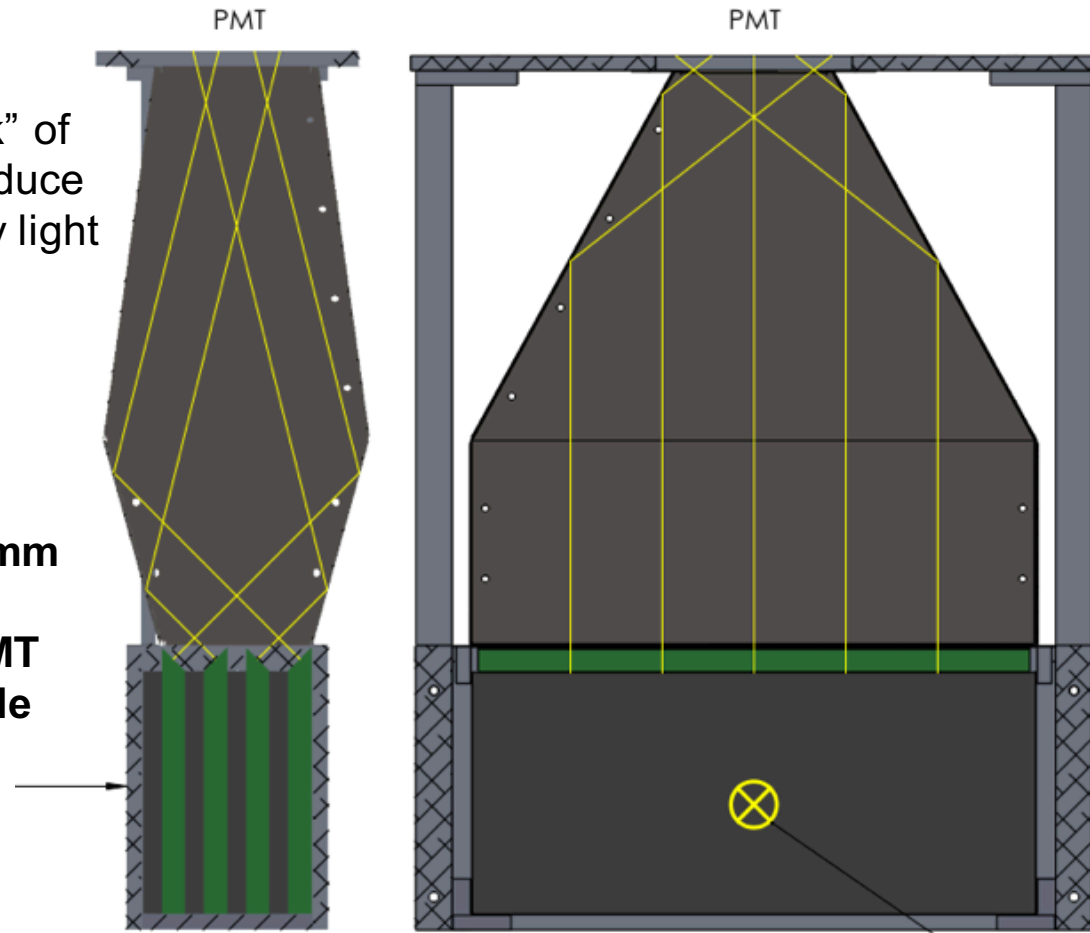
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- Engineered shop drawings for full-scale prototypes
- Shower-max ring design concept: staggered in \hat{z} with reinforced struts and brackets. 28 detectors in ring: 7 Open, 7 Closed, and 14 Transition
- Constructed two full-scale prototypes in 2018 and tested at SLAC with 3, 5.5, and 8 GeV electron testbeam

Shower-max: Detector Concept and Materials

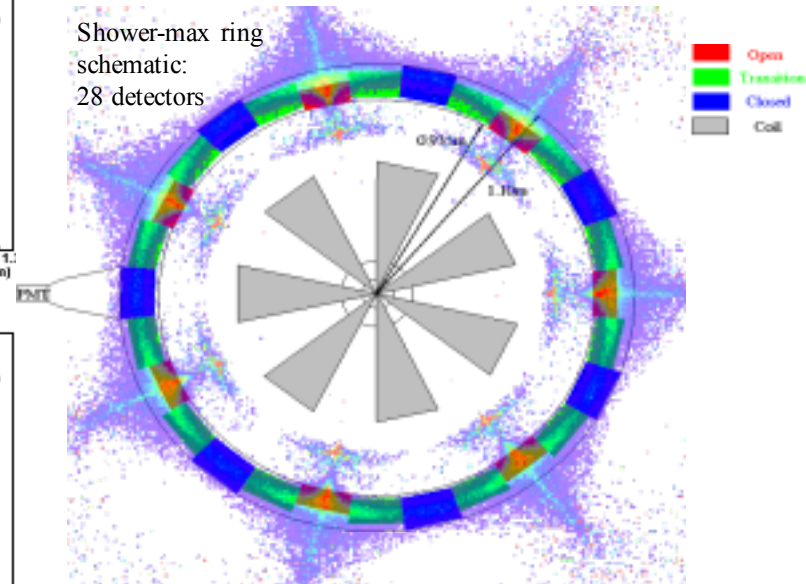
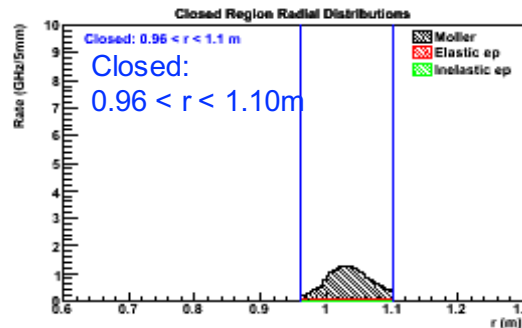
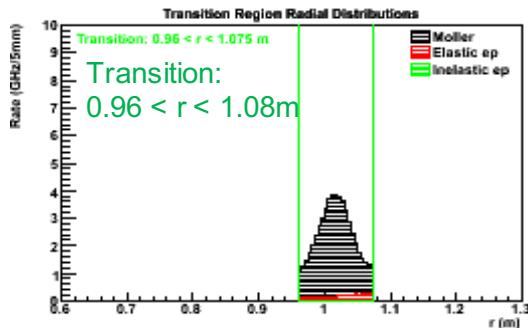
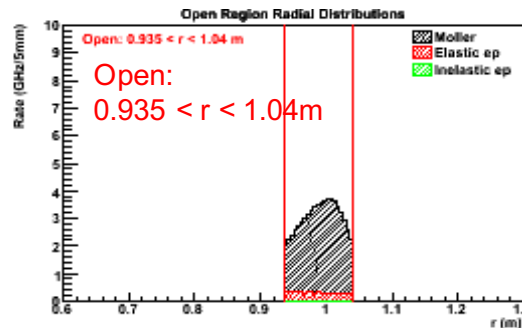
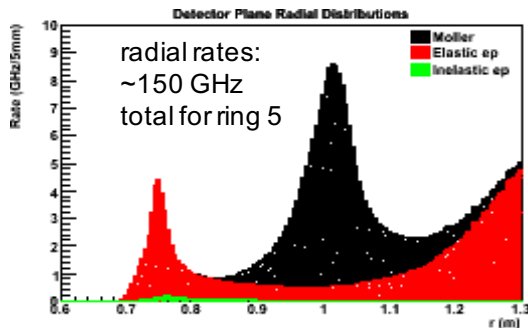
- Detector concept uses a layered “stack” of tungsten and fused silica (quartz) to induce EM showering and produce Cherenkov light
- “Baseline” design developed using GEANT4 optical MC simulation:
 - Design uses a **4-layer stack** with **8 mm tungsten** and **10 mm quartz** pieces
 - Cherenkov light directed to **3inch PMT** using **air-core, aluminum light guide**



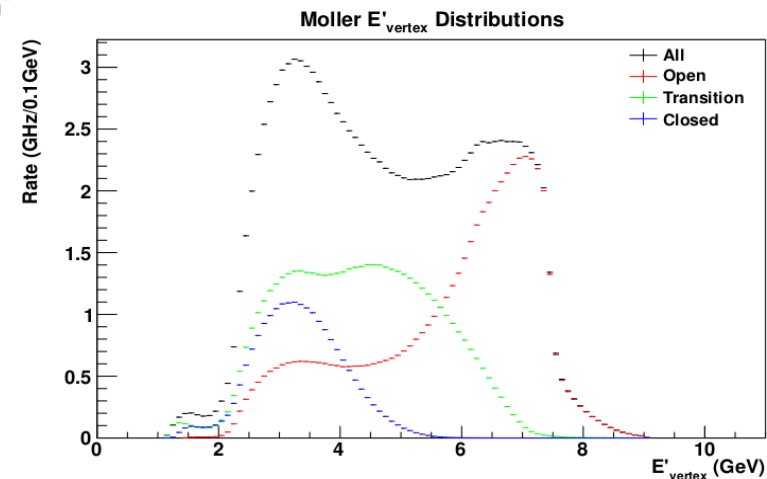
Materials (all rad-hard):

- Tungsten is high purity (99.95%) and quartz is optically polished Spectrosil 2000
- Light guides are aluminum specular reflectors (Miro-silver 27, Anolux, or aluminized mylar, ...)
- Total radiation length: $9.1 X_0$ tungsten + $0.4 X_0$ quartz = $9.5 X_0$

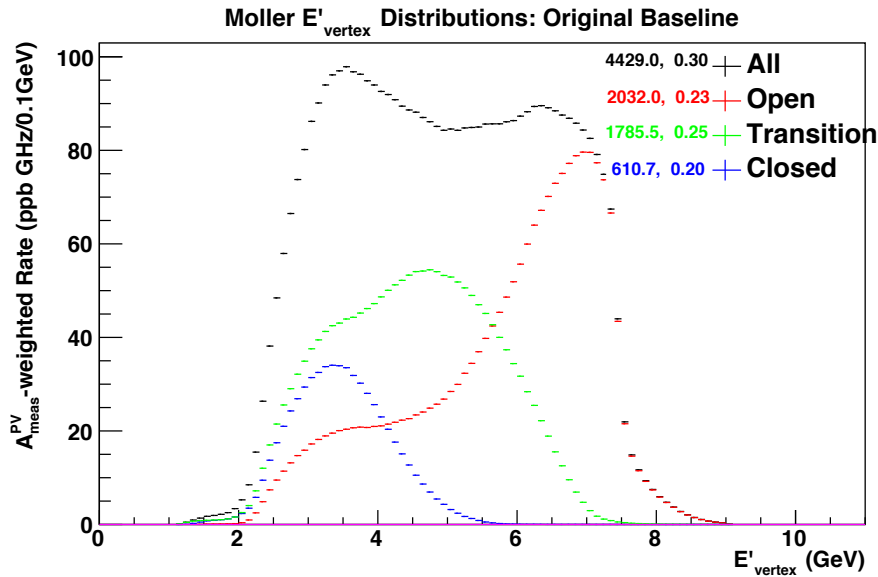
Shower-max: Energy and rate acceptances



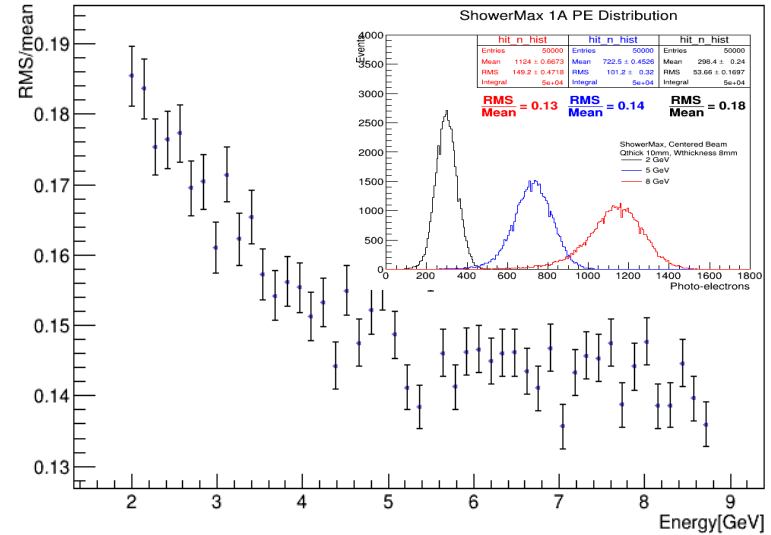
- Large range of rates and energies for different phi-region detectors:
- Open ~9 GHz/det; 2 - 9 GeV, peak at 7 GeV...
- Closed ~3.5 GHz/det; 2 - 5 GeV, peak at ~3 GeV
- Transition ~4.5 GHz/det; 2 - 7 GeV, 3 - 5 GeV plateau



Shower-max: Resolutions



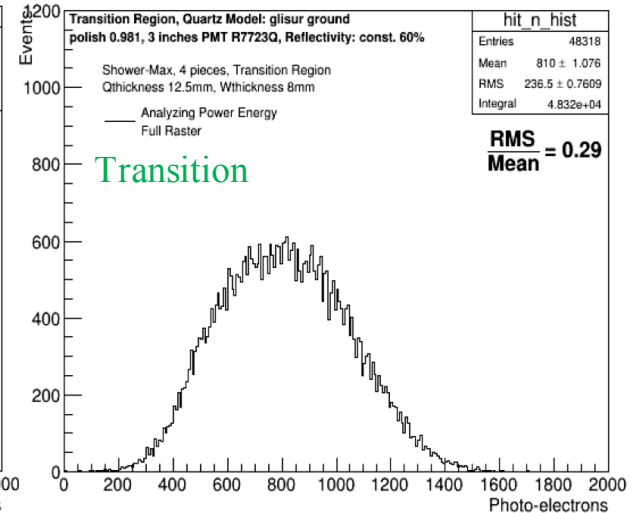
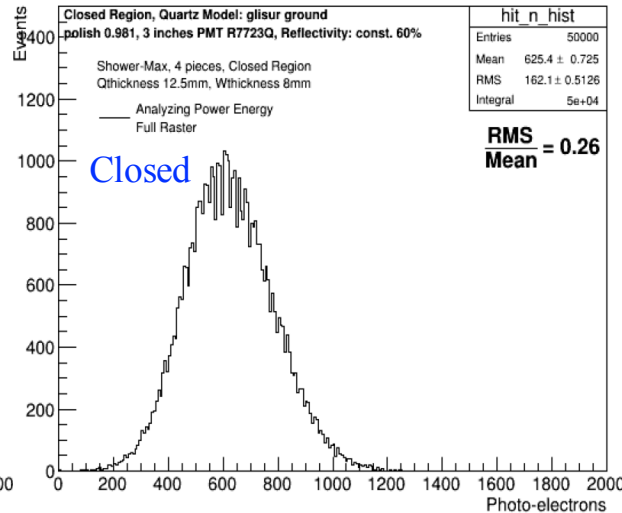
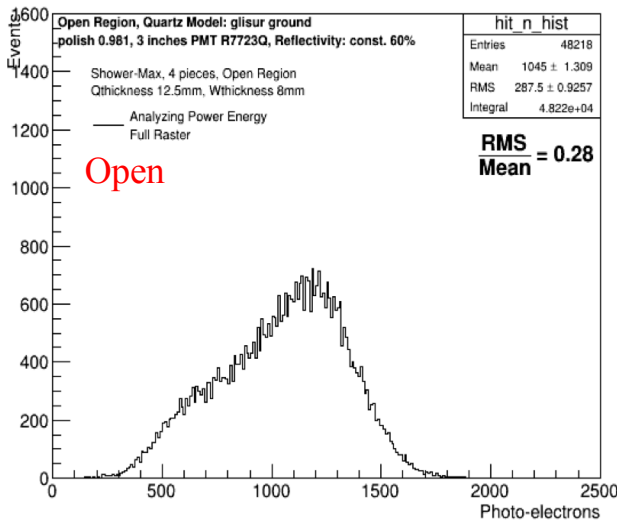
Resolution vs. Energy



Open ShowerMax Photo-Electron Distribution

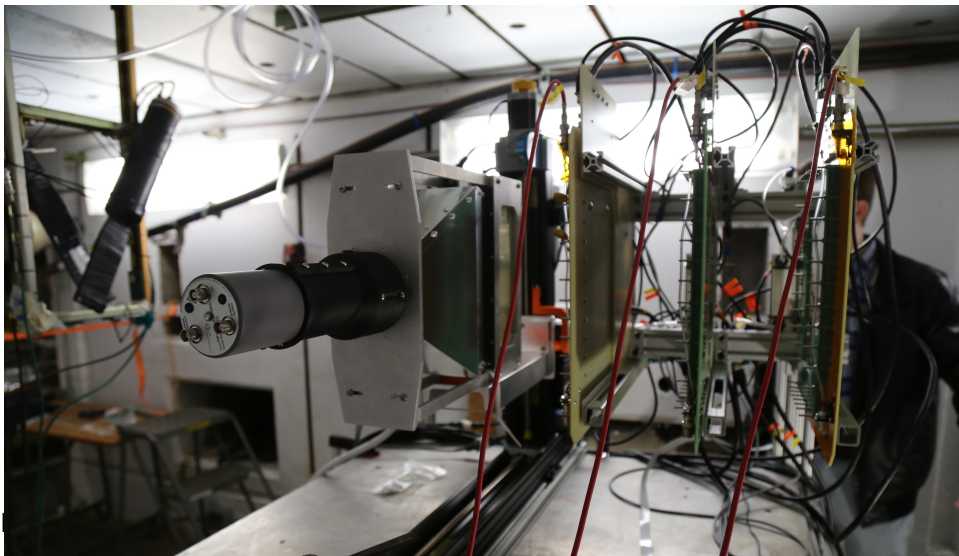
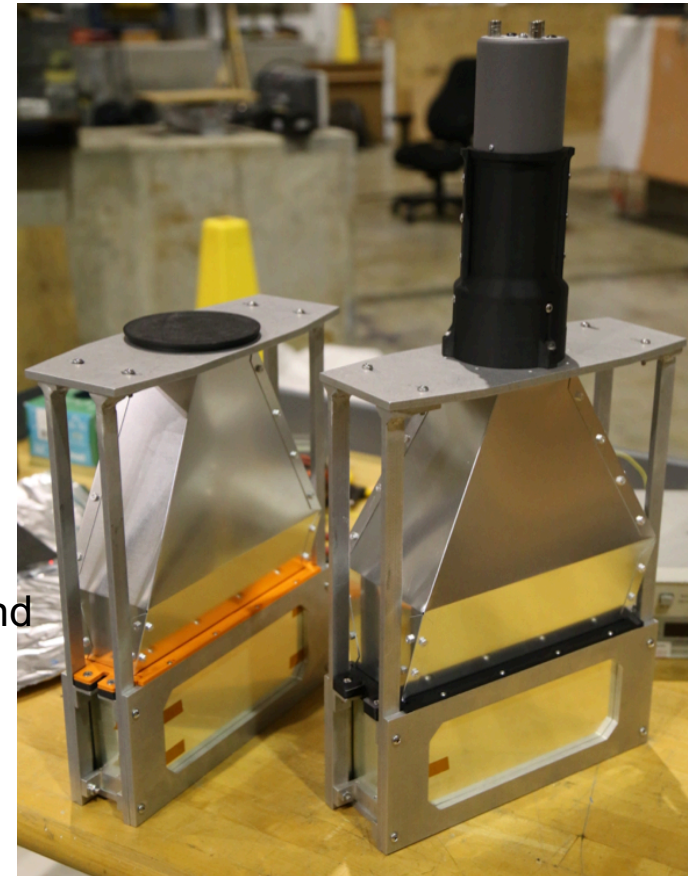
Closed ShowerMax Photo-Electron Distribution

Transition ShowerMax Photo-Electron Distribution



Shower-max: Prototyping and testbeam

- First prototypes constructed: two different “stack” configs: 8 mm thick tungsten and 10 mm thick or 6 mm thick quartz
 - 1st-pass engineered design concept vetted
 - Light guide construction techniques developed
- SLAC testbeam T-577 run: Dec 6 – 12, 2018
 - Exposed prototype to 3, 5.5, and 8 GeV electrons
 - Validated our optical Monte Carlo quartz and cathode properties and G4’s EM showering processes (but not the light guide yet)
 - Stack design validated--number of layers/thicknesses; yields and resolutions match G4 predictions
 - Prototype beam performance sufficient for MOLLER and 2nd-pass mechanical design improvements underway



Summary

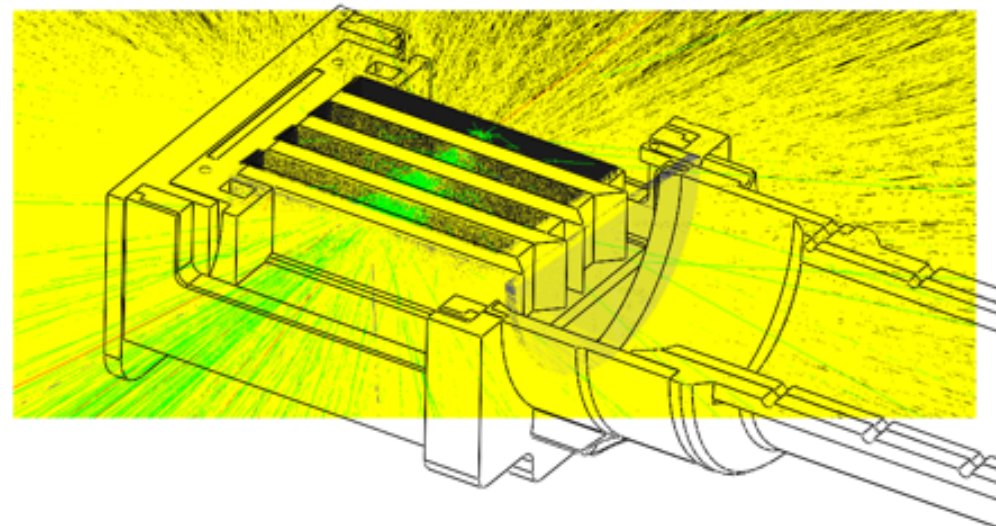
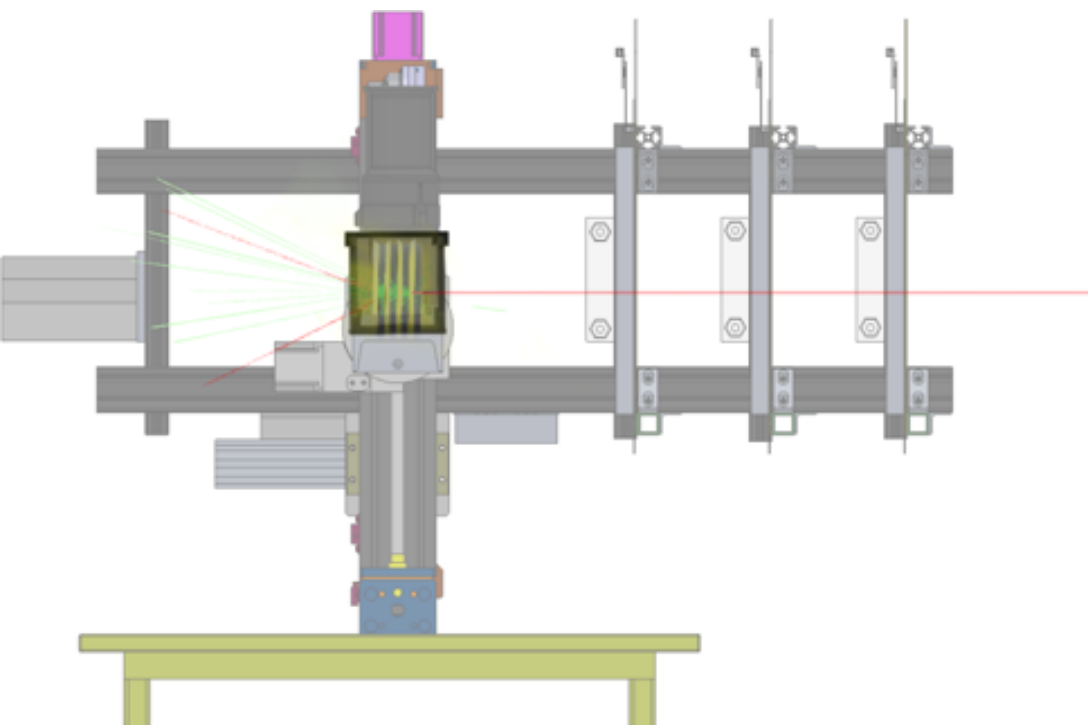
- Baseline design concept meets requirements:
 - Proportional energy response and background suppression
 - Large light yields and good resolution
 - Radiation hard material construction
- 1st pass mechanical design validated through prototype construction: support frame design and light guide assembly
- Initial beamtest performance validated optical MC and stack design; baseline prototype (as is) is sufficient for MOLLER
- Future testbeam runs will be used to finalize the design mechanics and light guide

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- Thank You

Shower-max: Back-up Slides

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Benchmarking Testbeam stand CAD and MC Visualization (1B prototype)



1A and 1B Benchmarking single-quartz Testbeam

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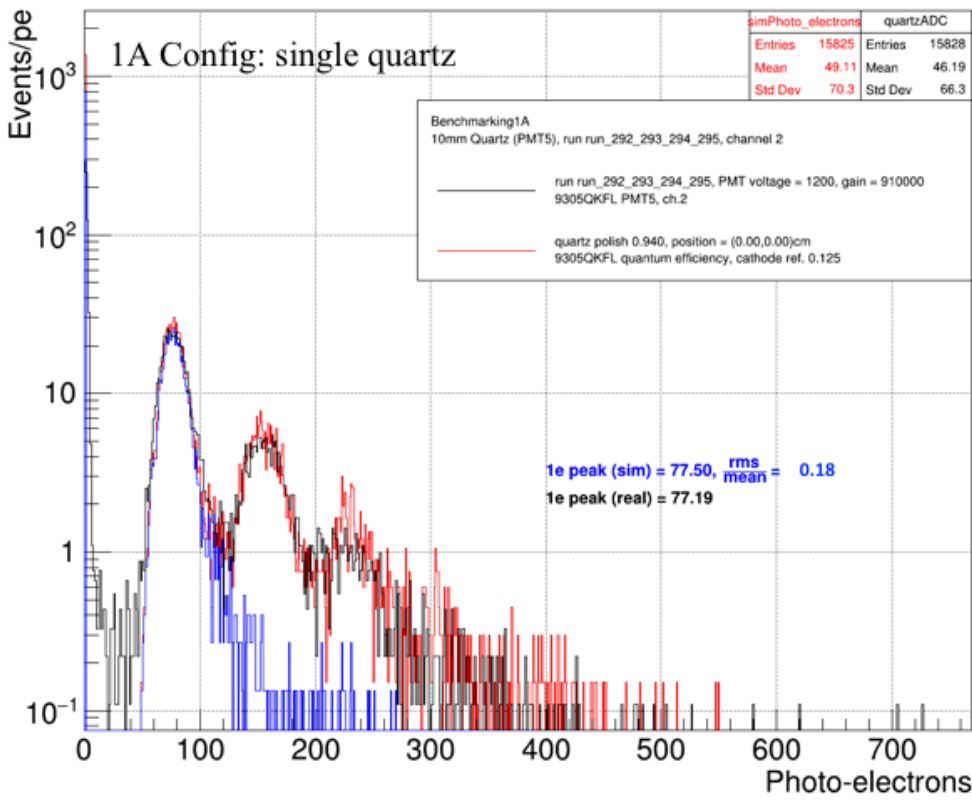
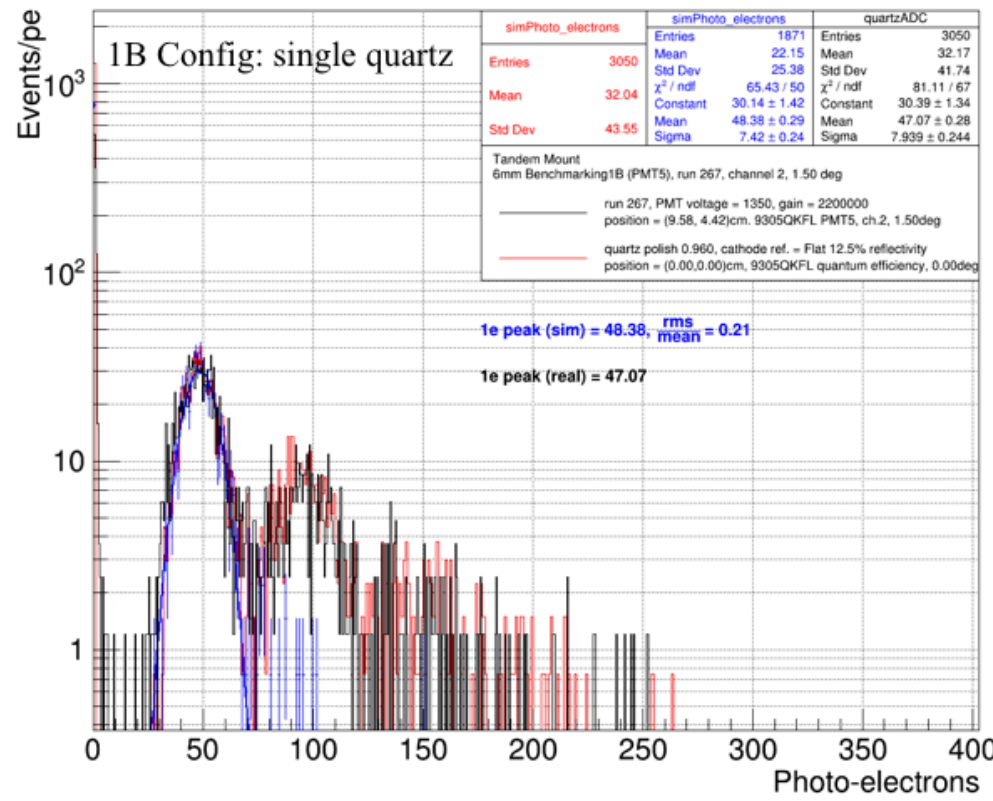
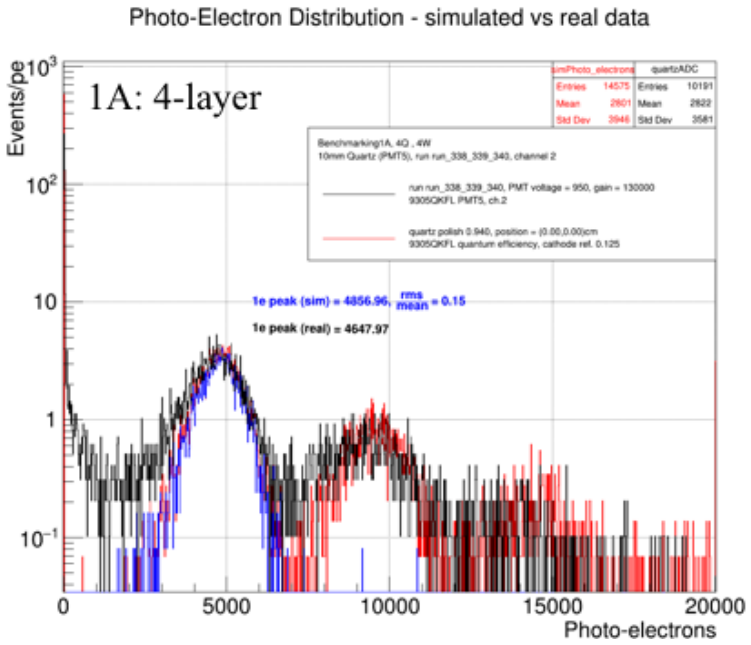
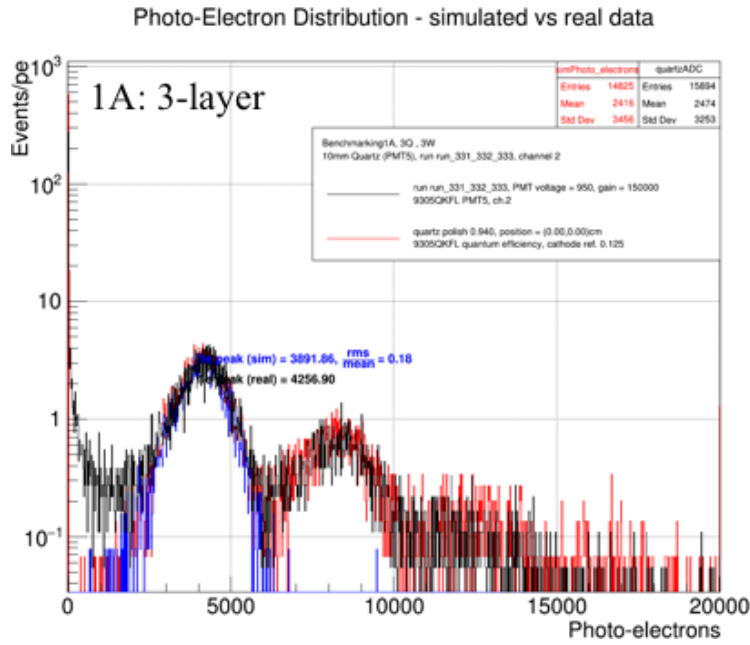
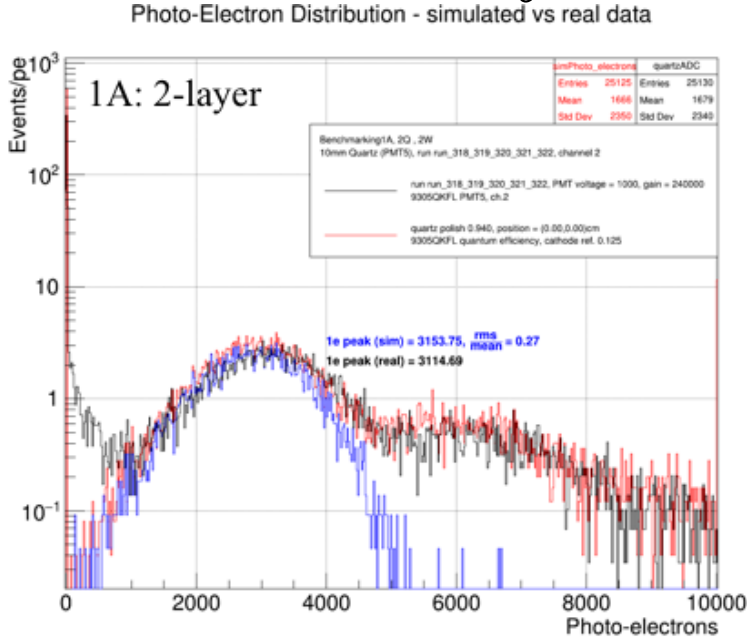
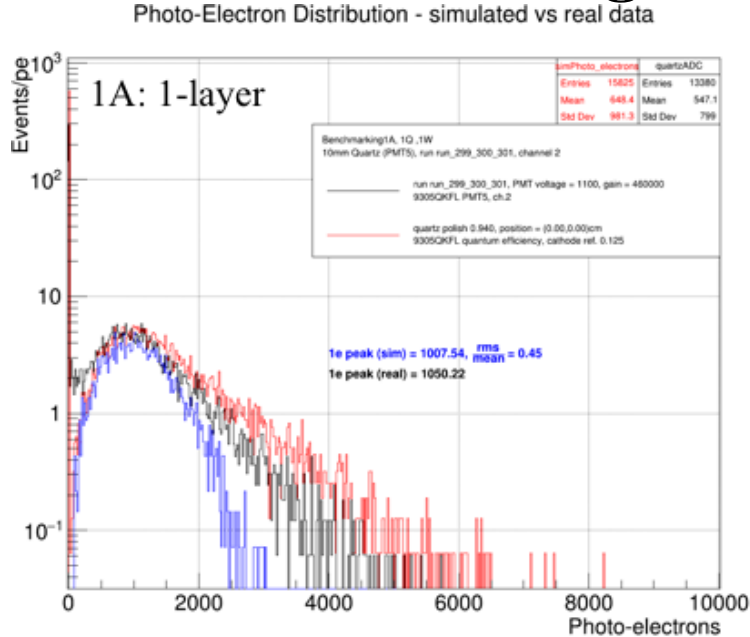


Photo-Electron Distribution - simulated vs real data



1A Benchmarking Results for stack-layer study



1B Benchmarking Results for stack-layer study

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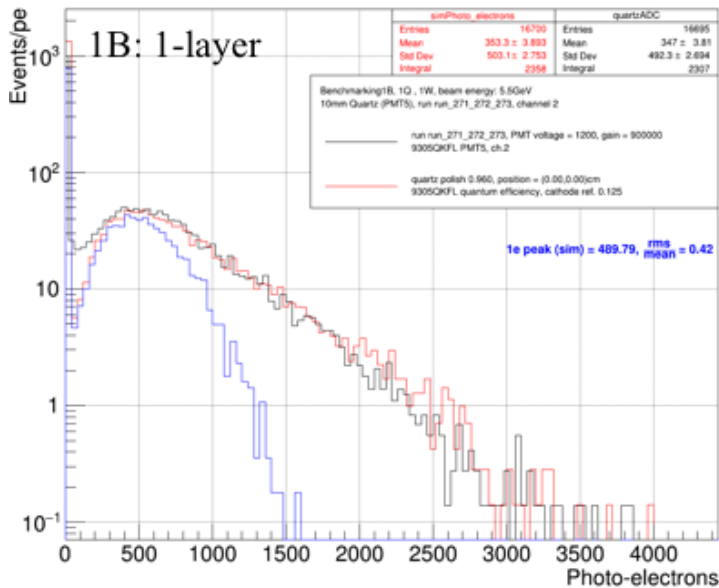


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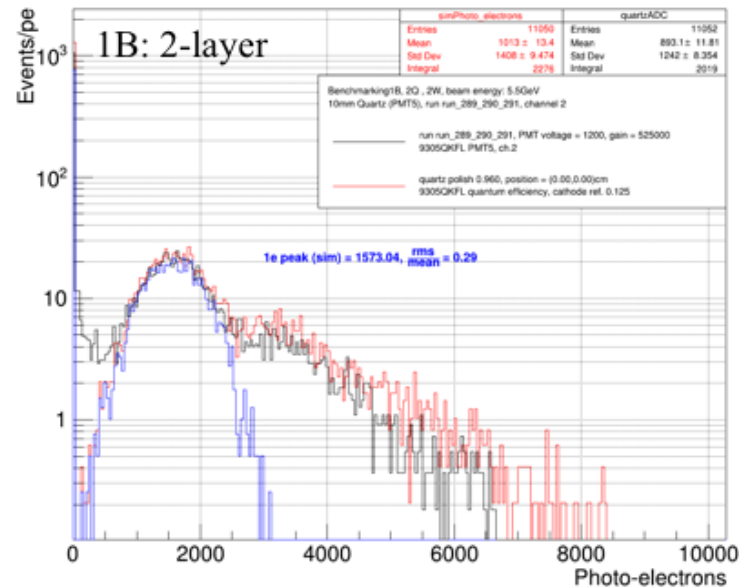


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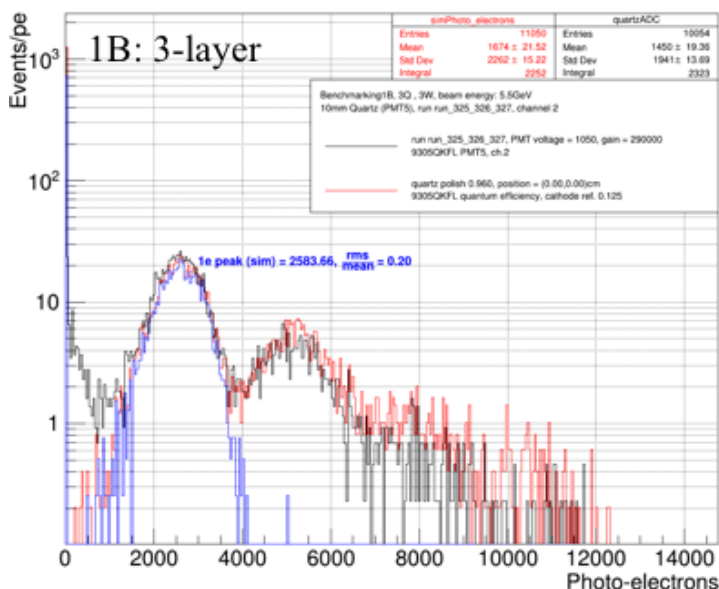
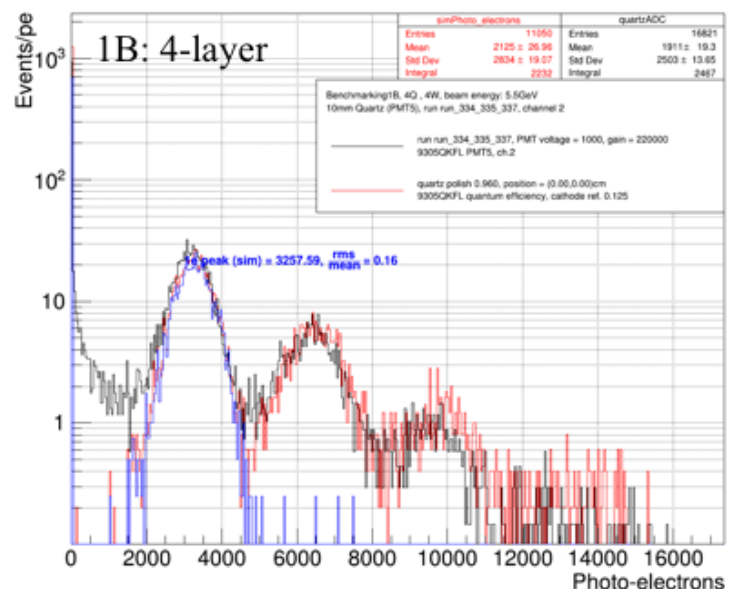
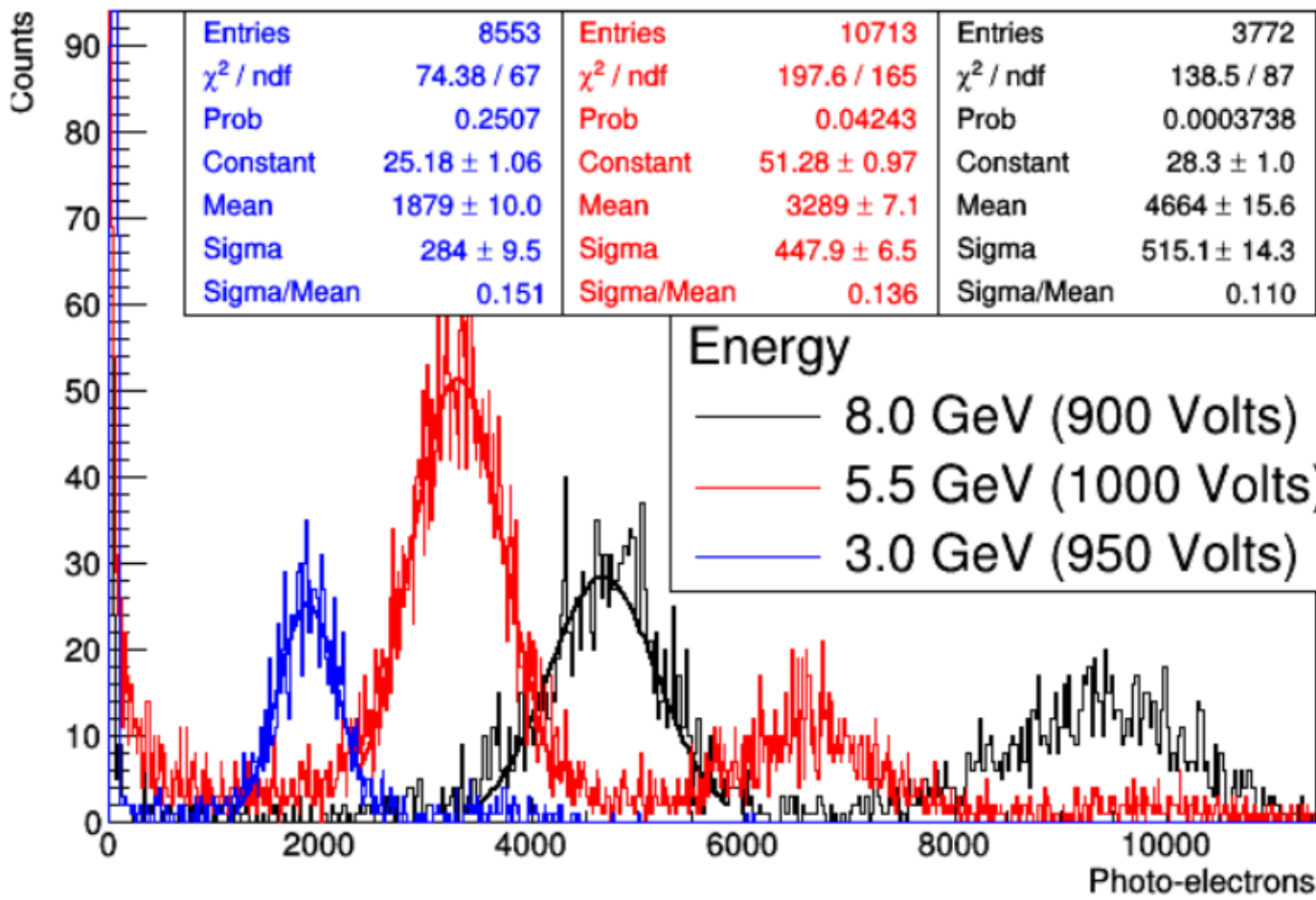


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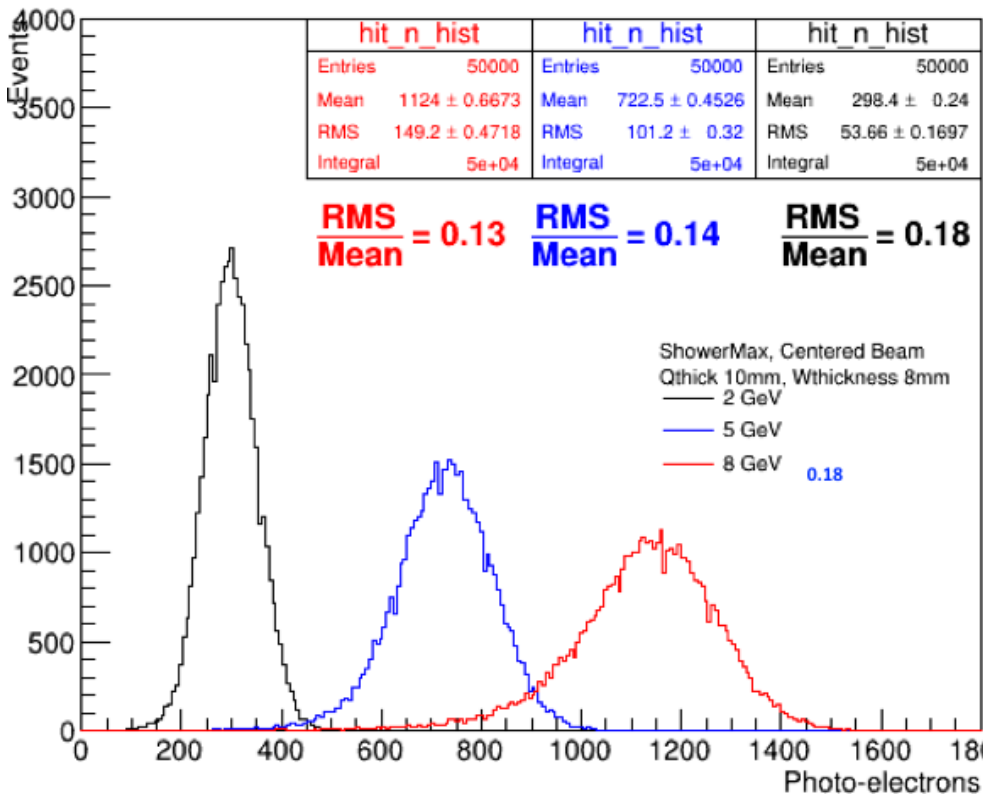
ShowerMax Benchmarking Prototype Testbeam Results (1B full stack response vs energy)

Benchmarking 1B: full stack

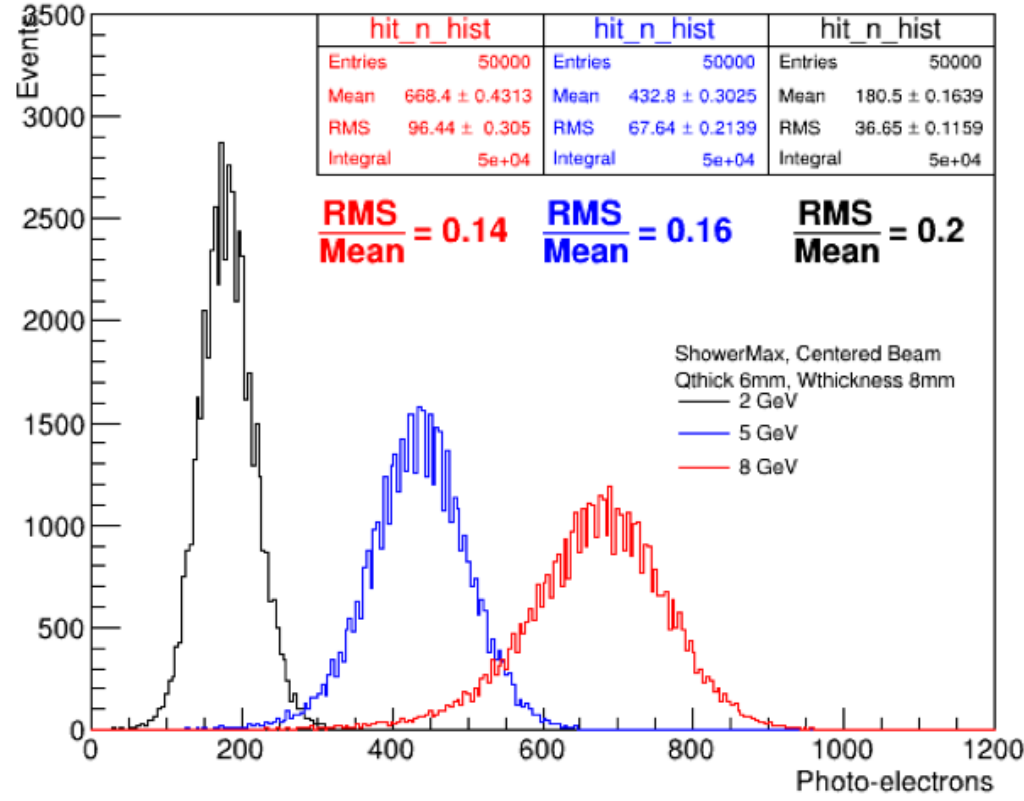


Full Scale 1A and 1B PE response Simulations

ShowerMax 1A PE Distribution

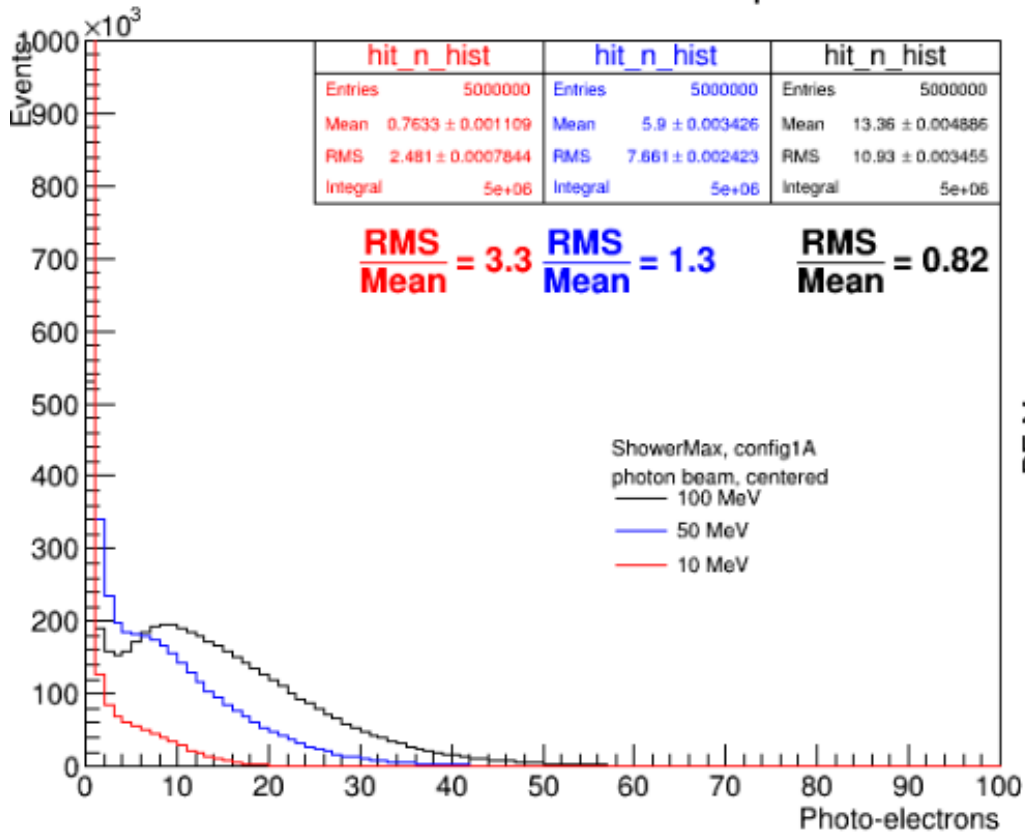


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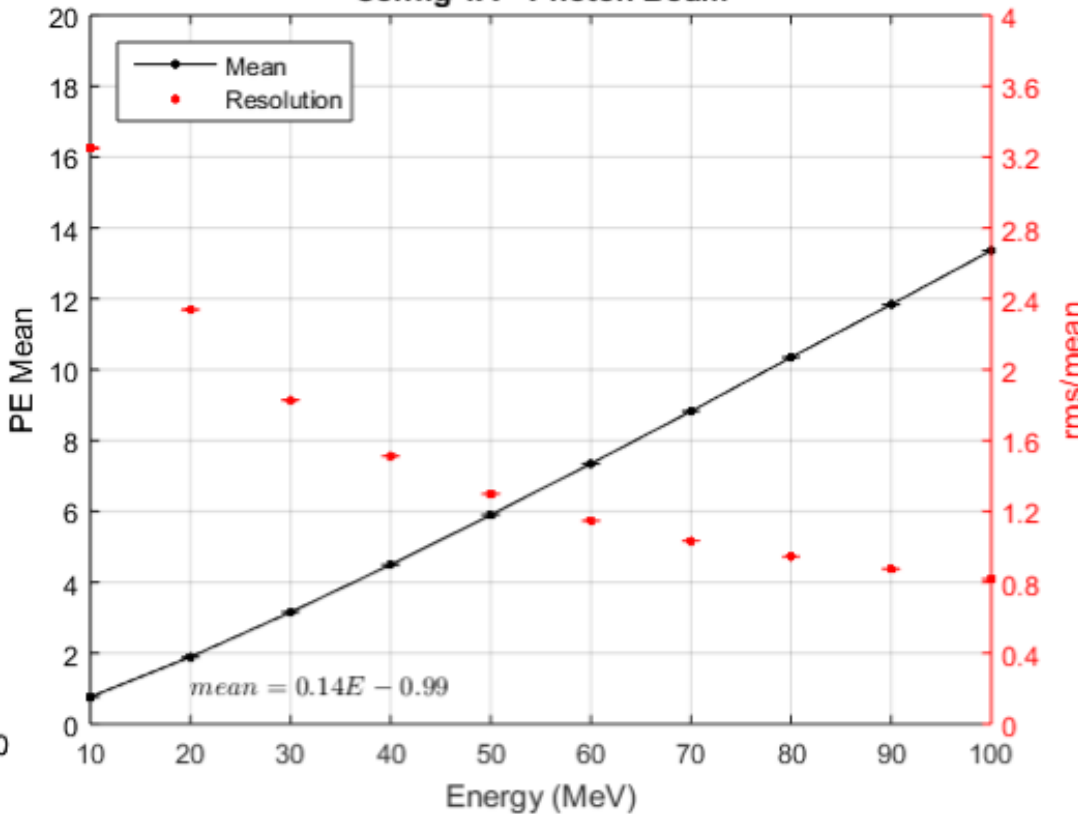


Simulated Yields from Photons (1A Full-scale)

ShowerMax 1A Photon Response

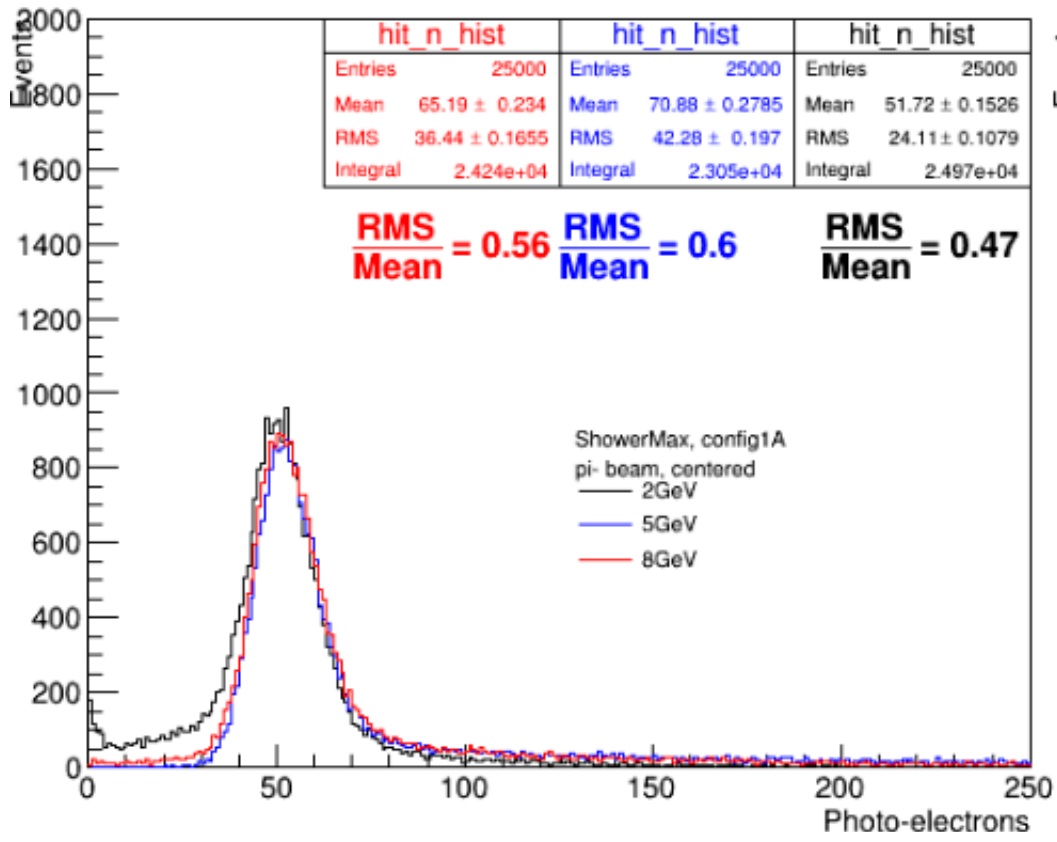


Config 1A - Photon Beam

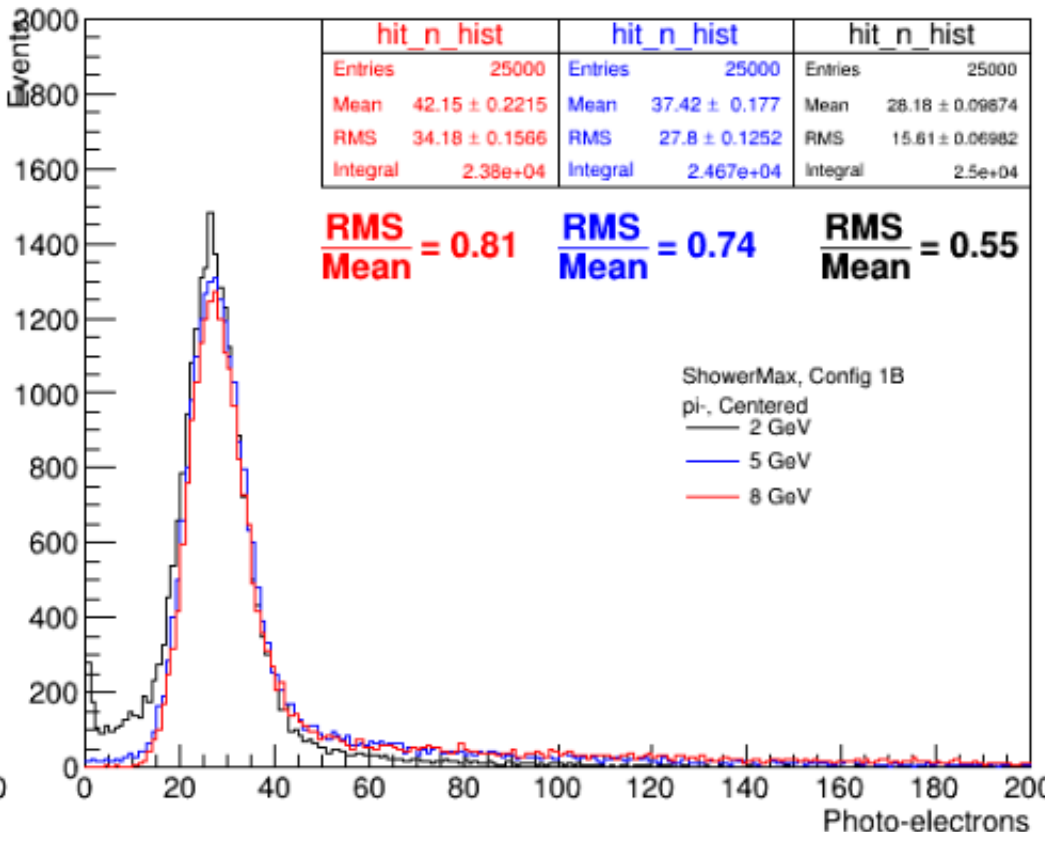


Simulated Yields from Pions (1A & 1B Full-scale)

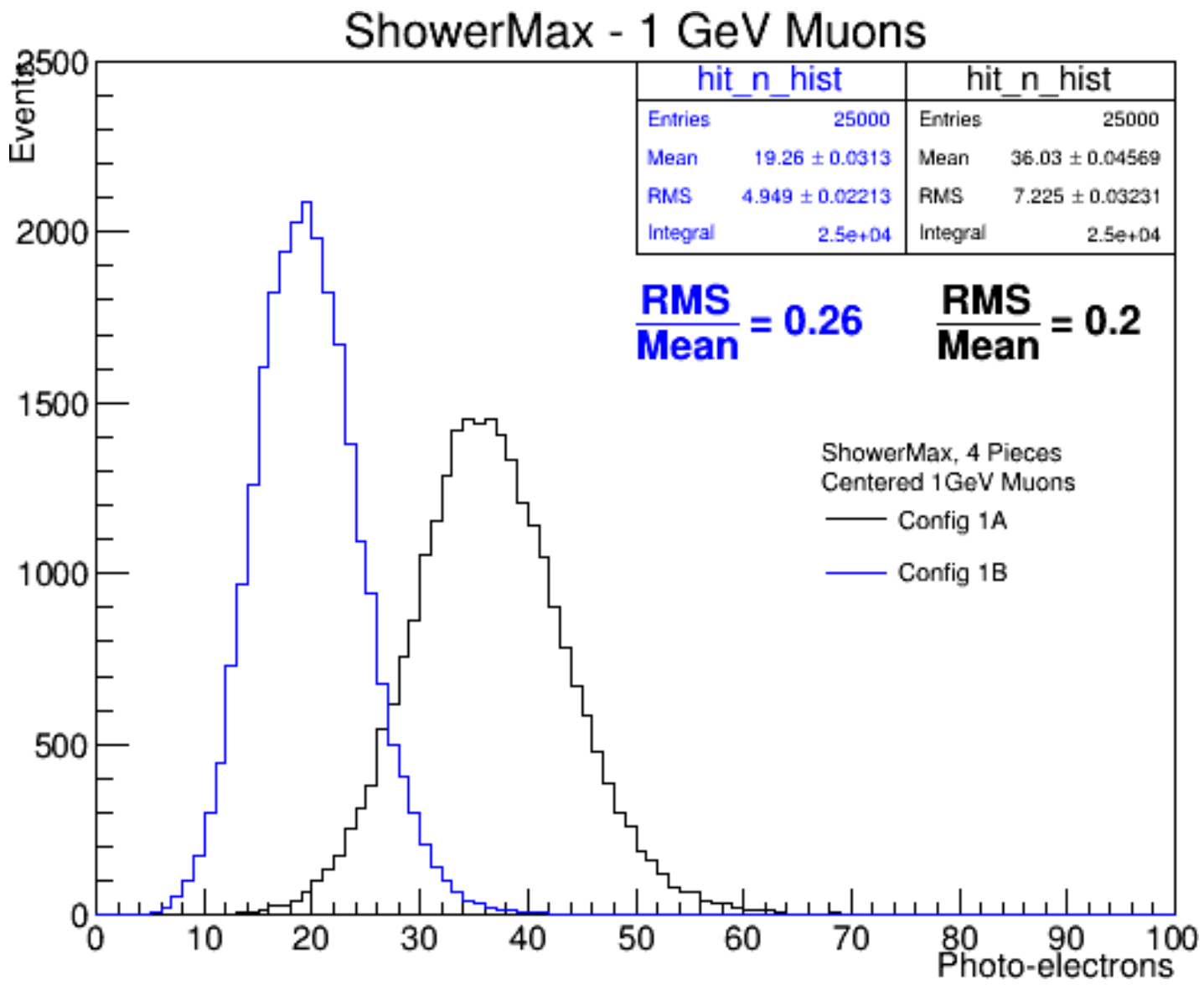
ShowerMax Pion Response



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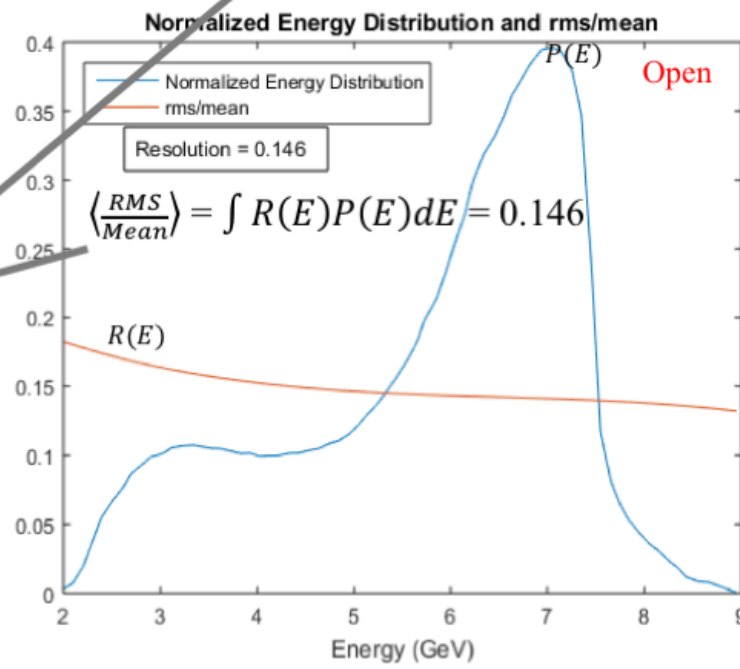
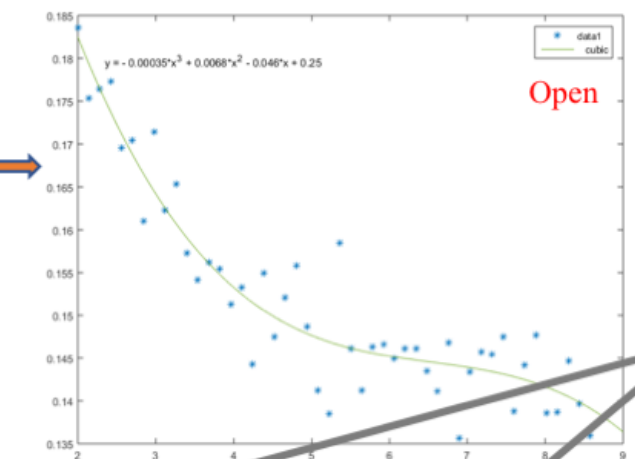
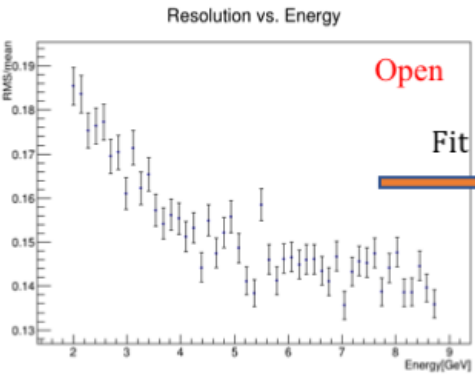
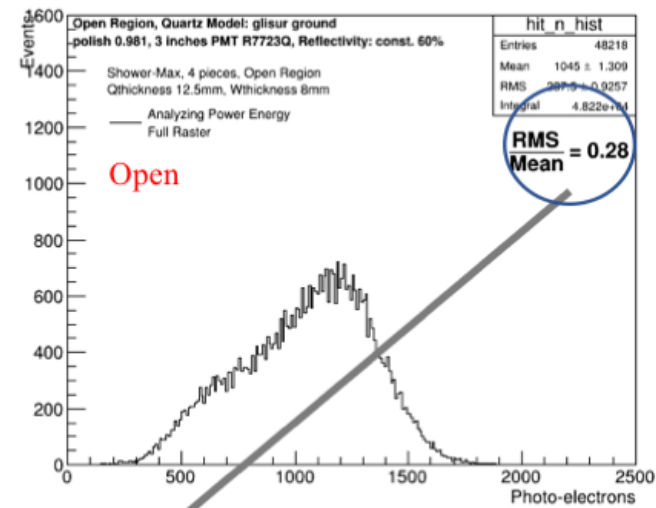
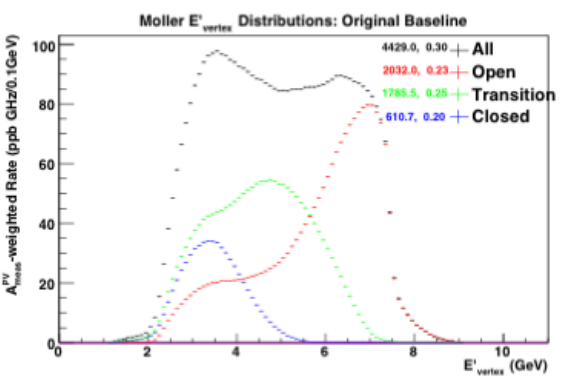
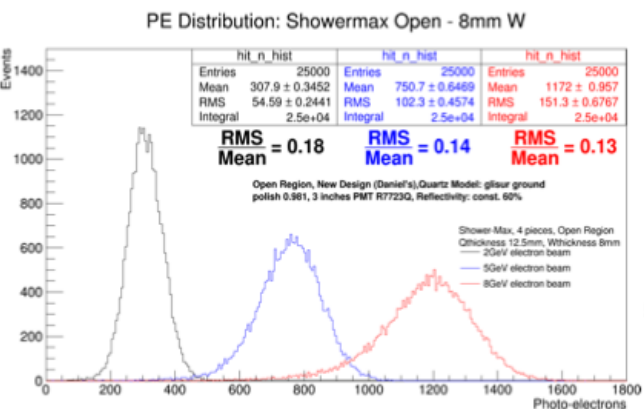
Simulated MIP signal for cosmic-ray tests (Full-scale)



What is Resolution of Showermax (Open Septant)

How well does the Showermax count electrons?

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Individually, it counts electrons with 14.6% resolution on average. Using this leads to:

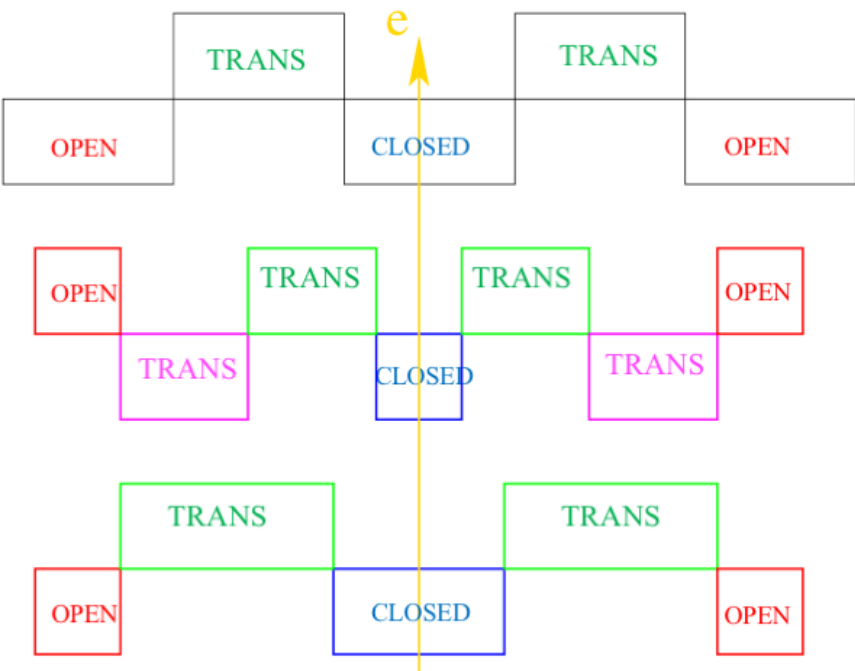
$$\text{Excess Noise} = \sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{RMS}{Mean}\right)^2} - 1 = 1.1\%$$

However collectively, it counts the group with ~30% resolution overall, which leads to:

$$\text{Excess Noise} = \sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{RMS}{Mean}\right)^2} - 1 = 4.4\%$$

Attempts to improve Showermax resolution

Exploring Different phi Segmentation for Shower-max



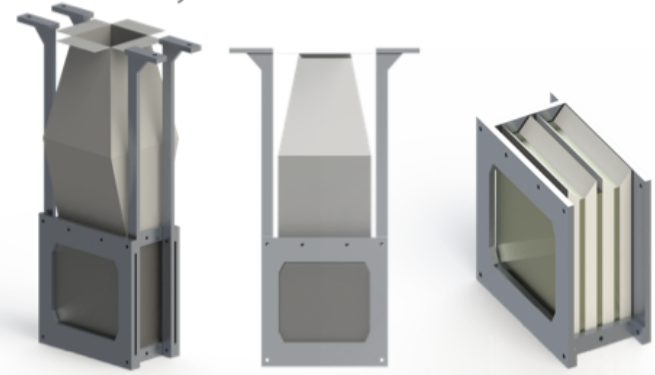
Radial view of various phi segmentation ideas

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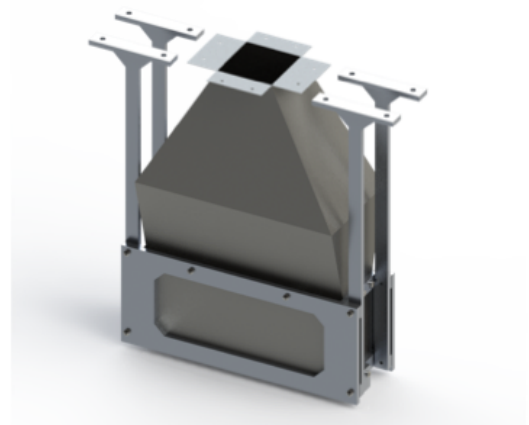
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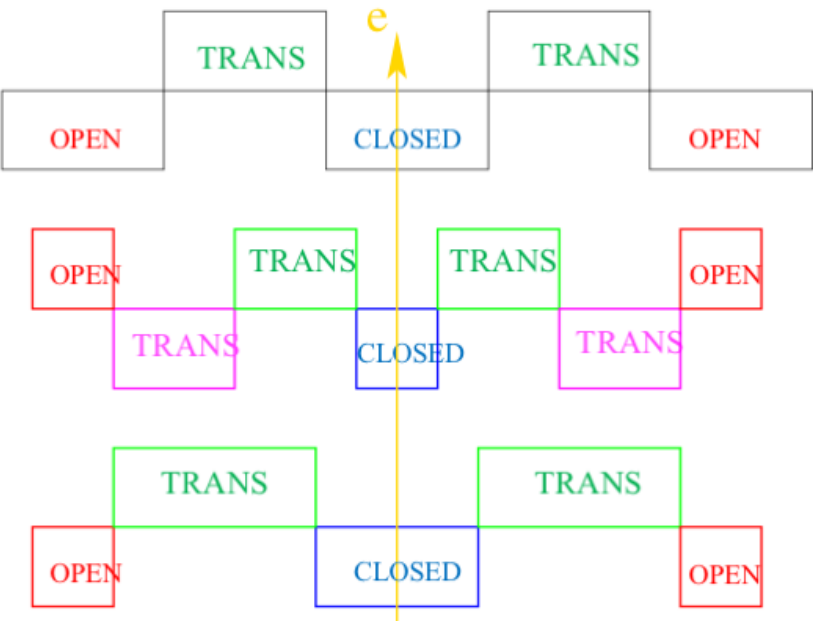
Half-width, “full-stack” Shower-max



Full-width, “full-stack” Shower-max



Energy Acceptance for Different phi Segmentation



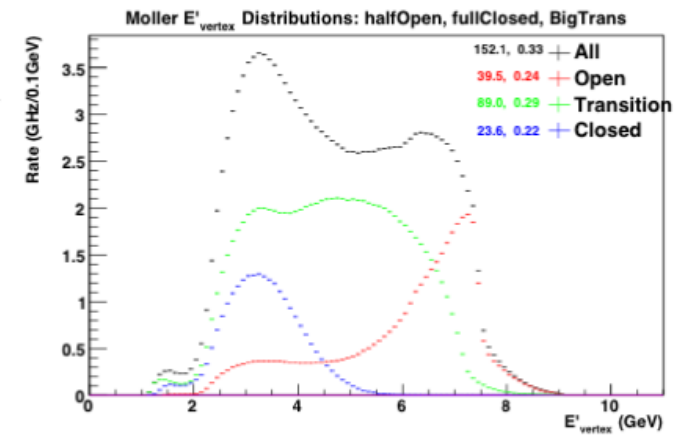
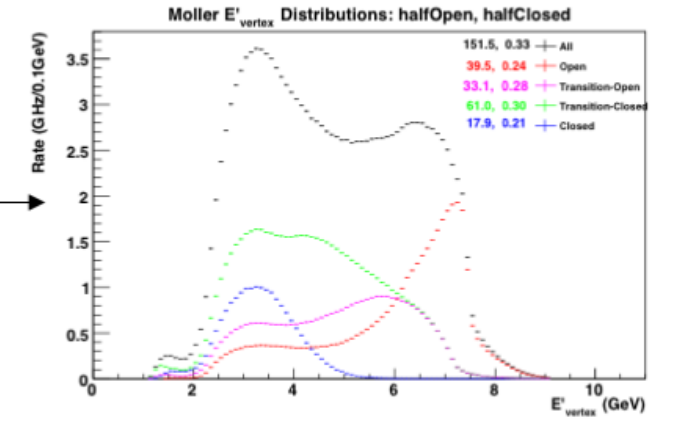
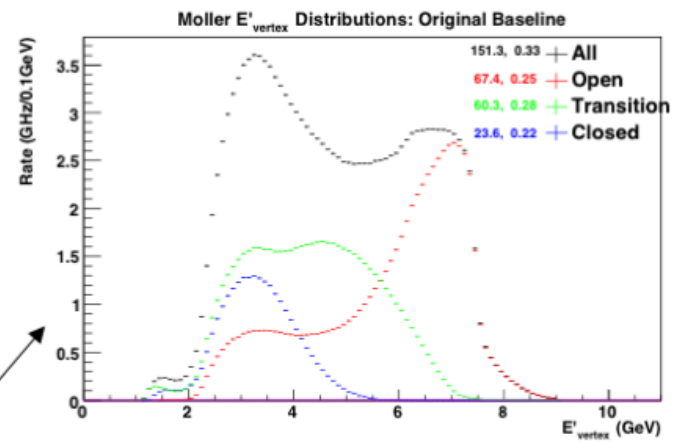
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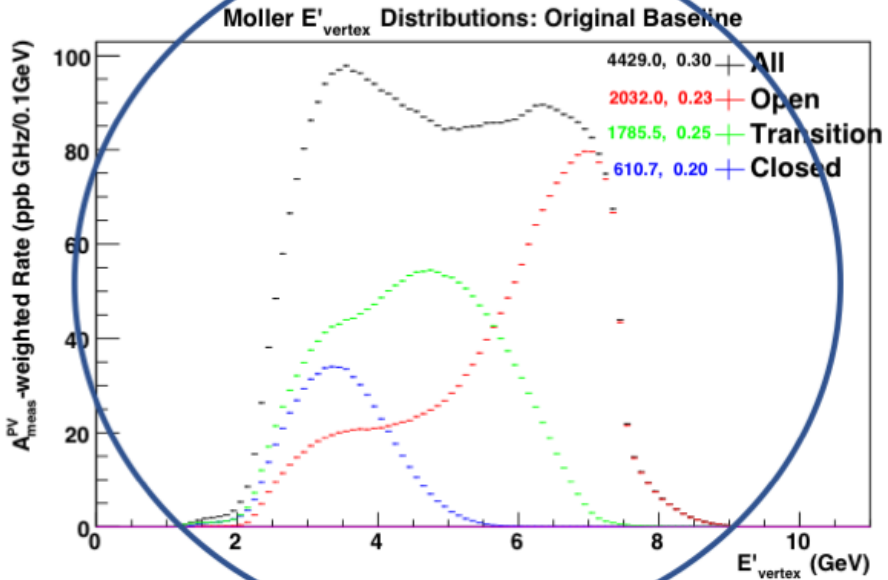
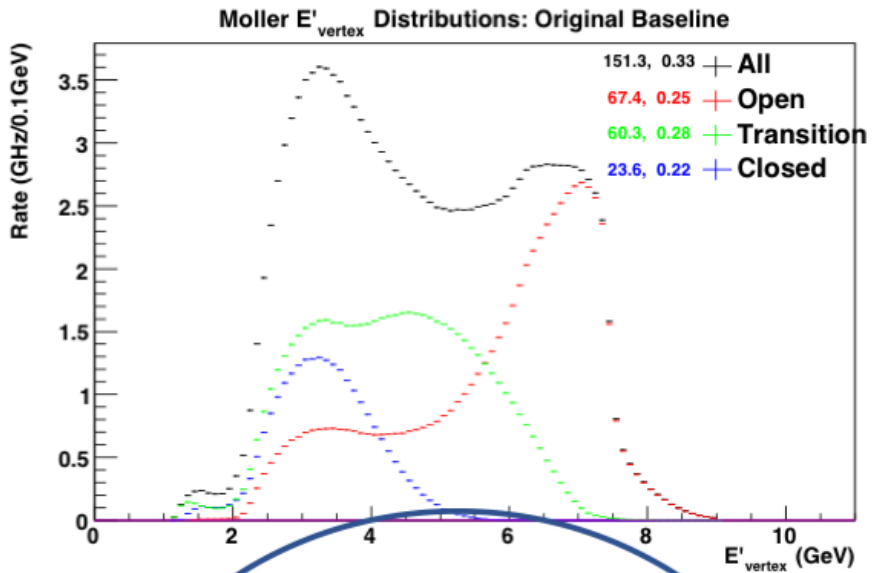
Radial view of various phi segmentation ideas

❖ These ideas give no improvement due to the spectrometer's significant phi defocusing...The original segmentation is best

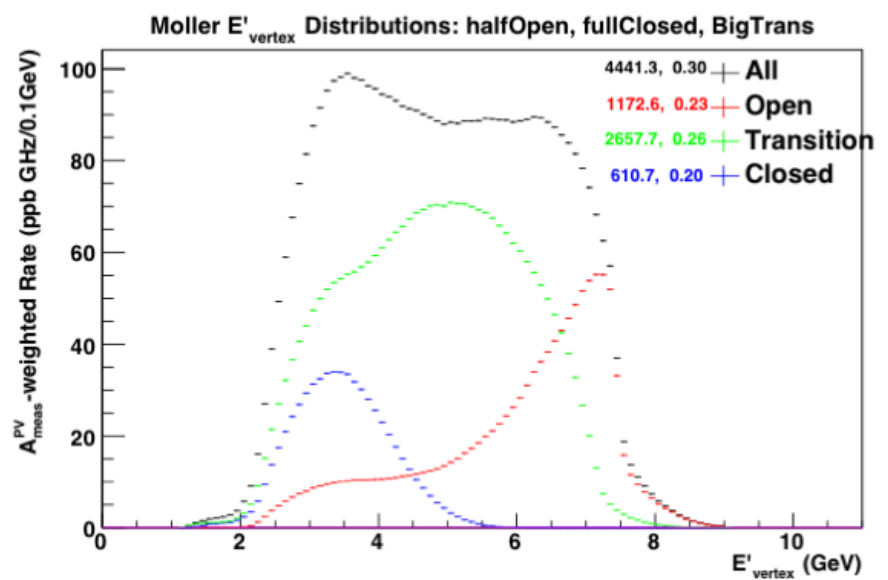
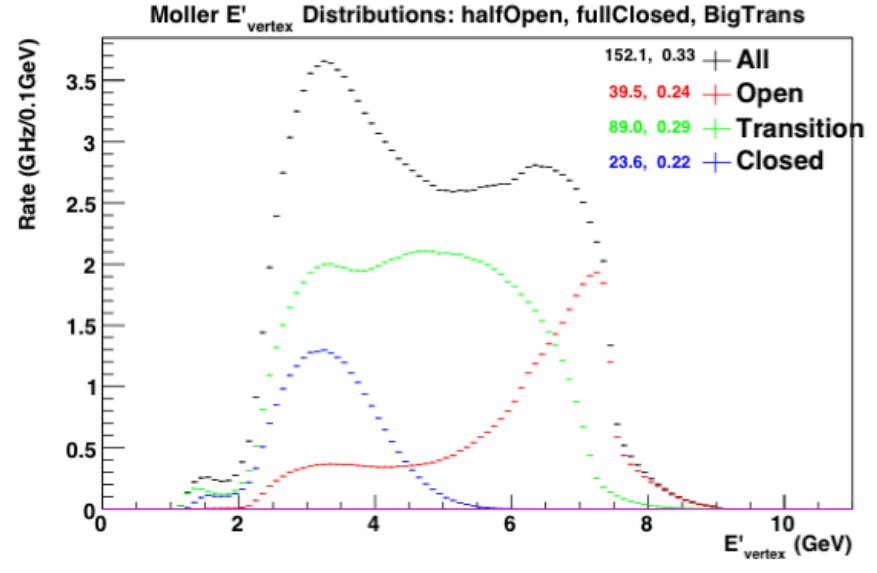


Rate and A_{meas}^{PV} * Rate – weighted Energy Acceptance

Original Baseline

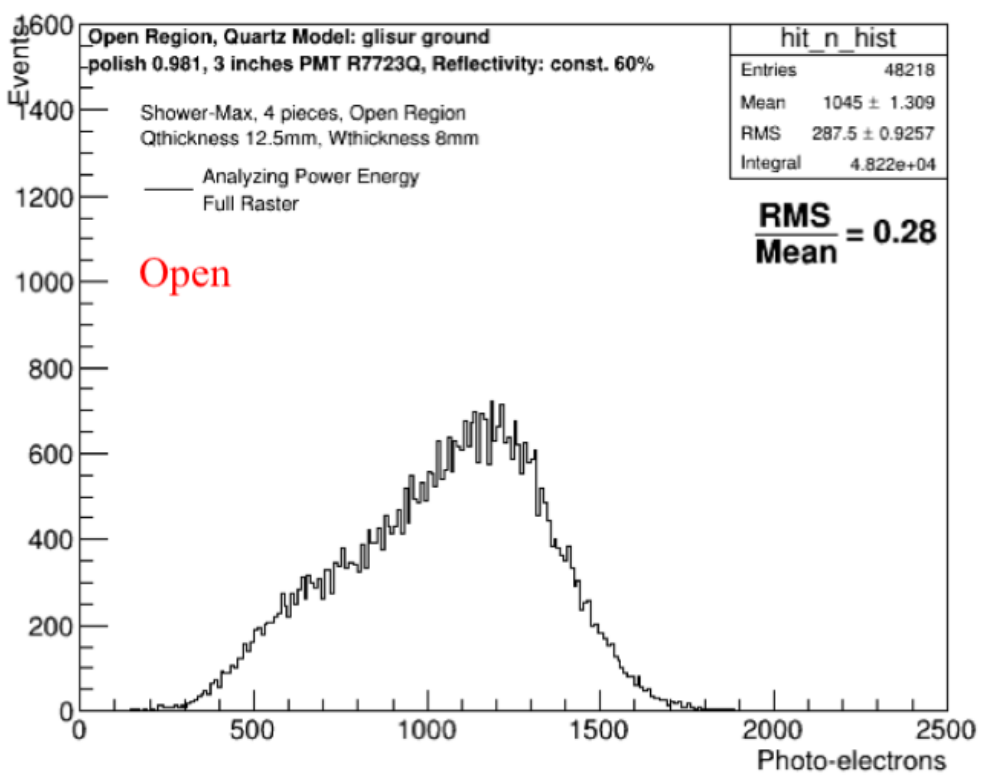


half Open/ Full Closed

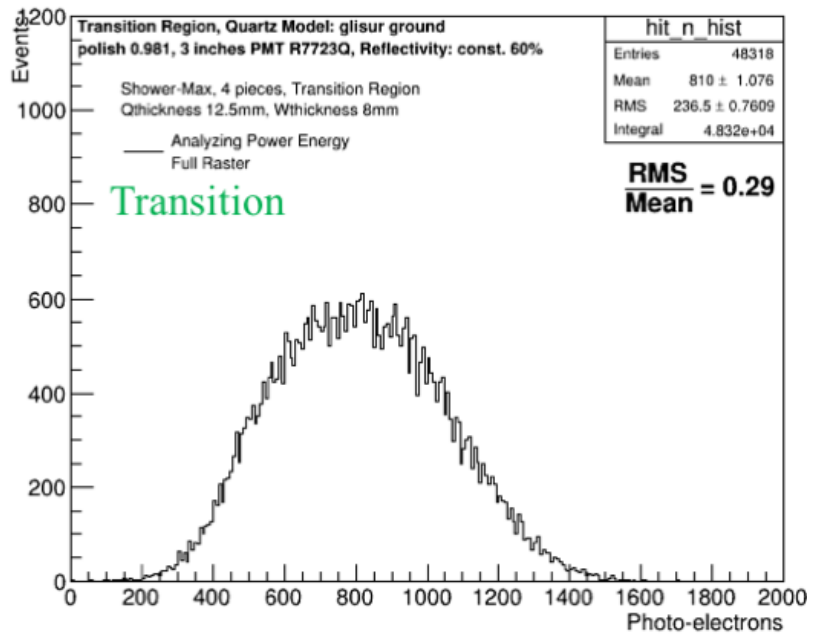


Baseline PE distributions weighted by A^{meas}_{PV}

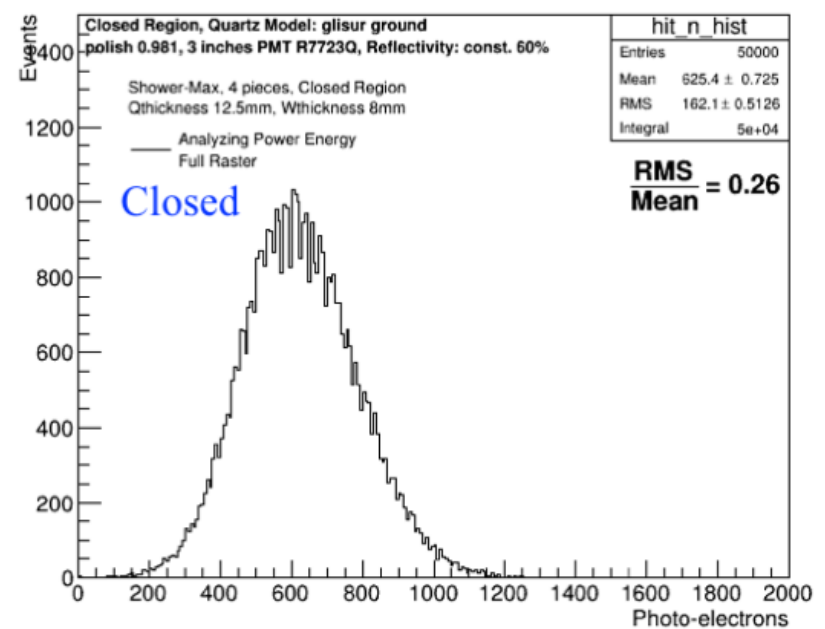
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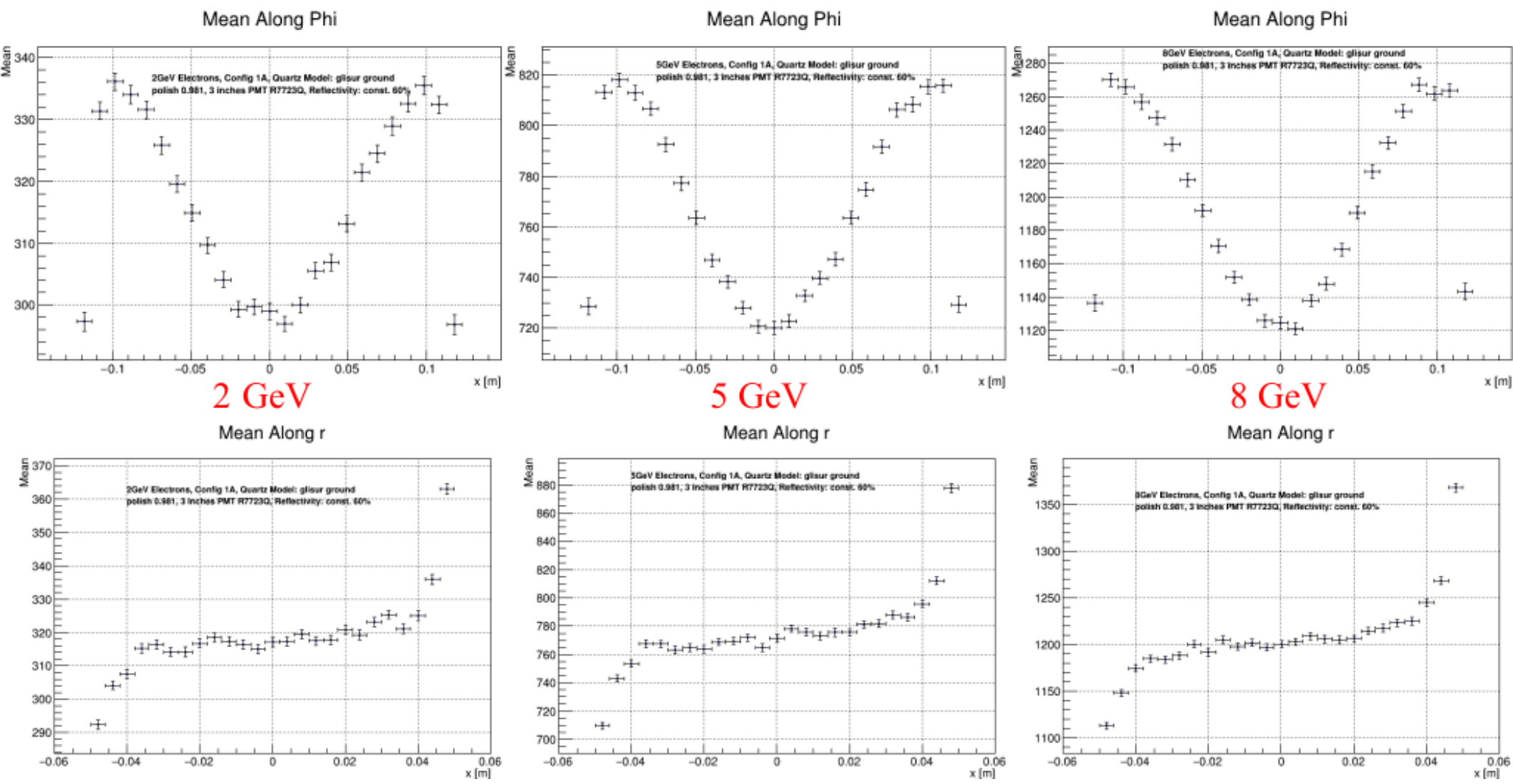
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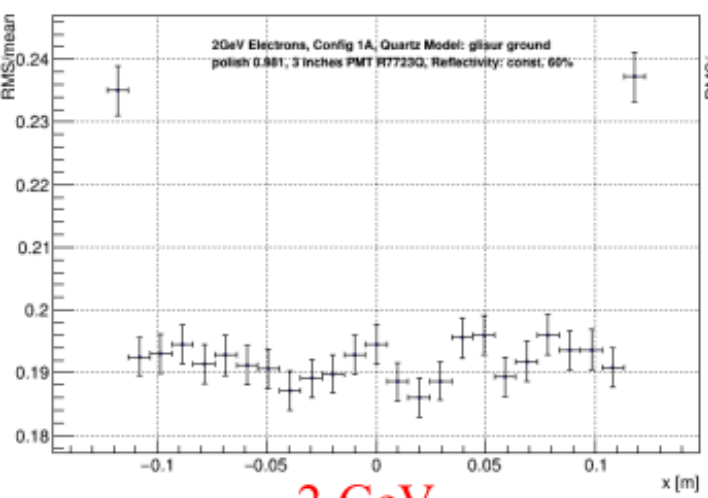


Uniformity Studies: 1A PE means along ϕ and r



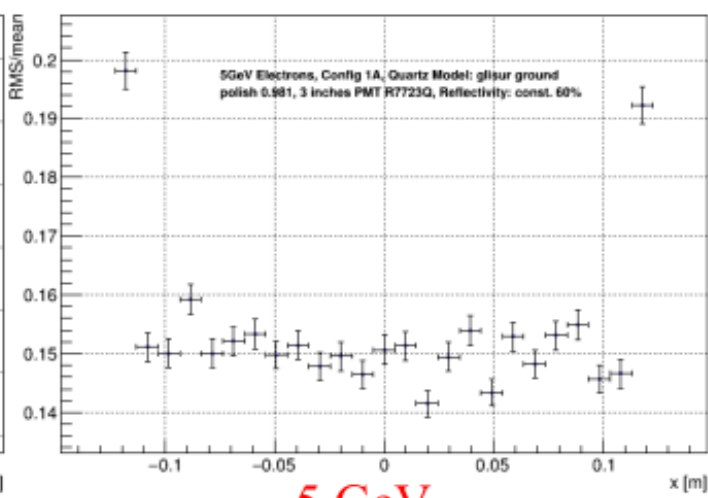
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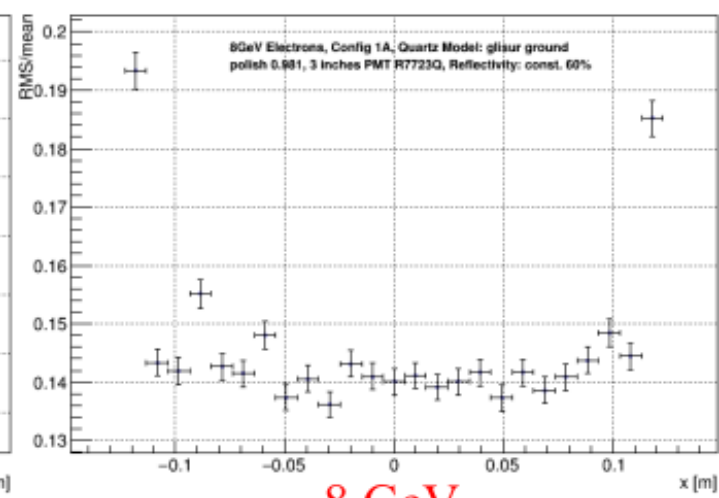
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Resolution Along Phi



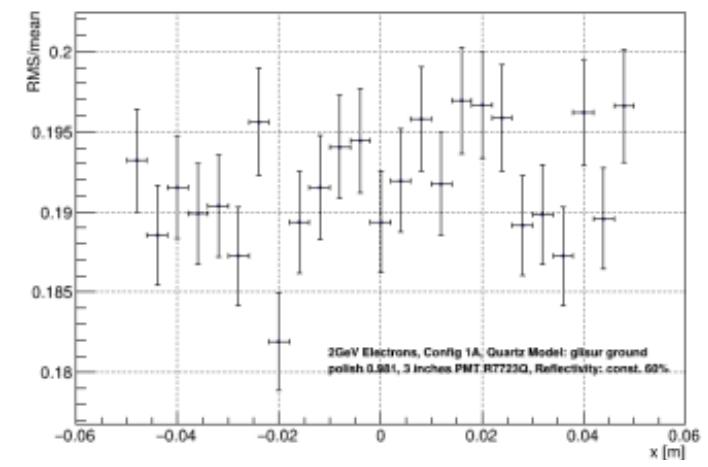
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Resolution Along Phi

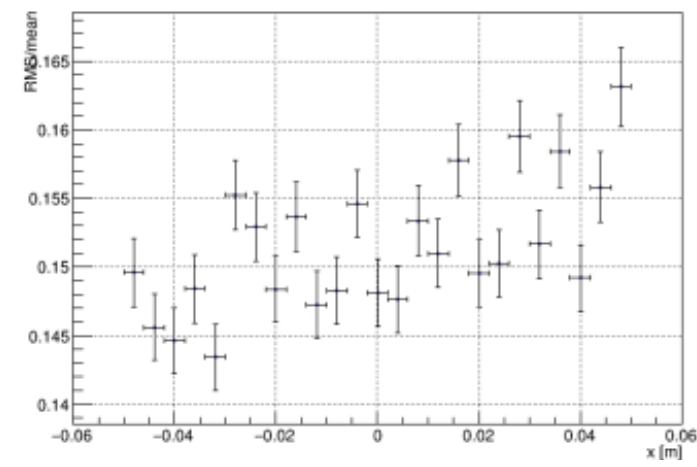


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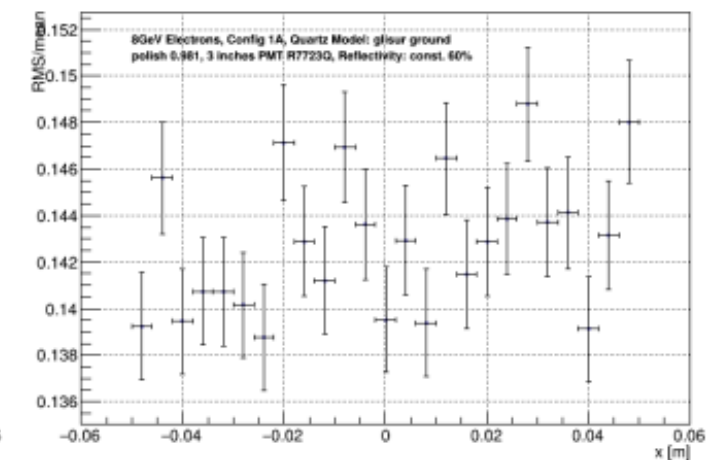
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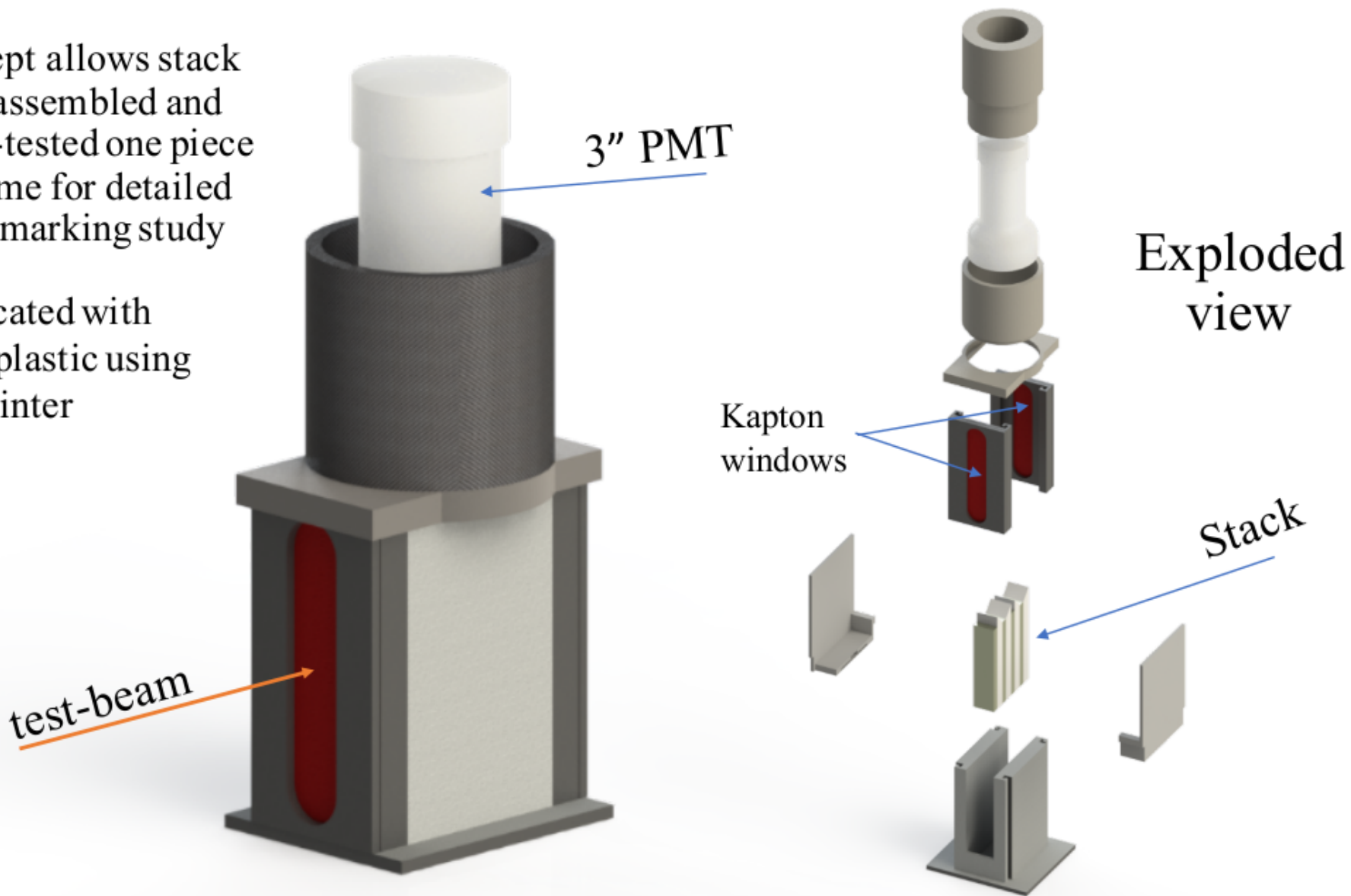
Resolution Along r



Prototype Designs for Testbeam

Shower-max Benchmarking Prototype concept

- Concept allows stack to be assembled and beam-tested one piece at a time for detailed benchmarking study
- Fabricated with ABS plastic using 3D printer



Config #1 (original baseline) benchmarking Prototype

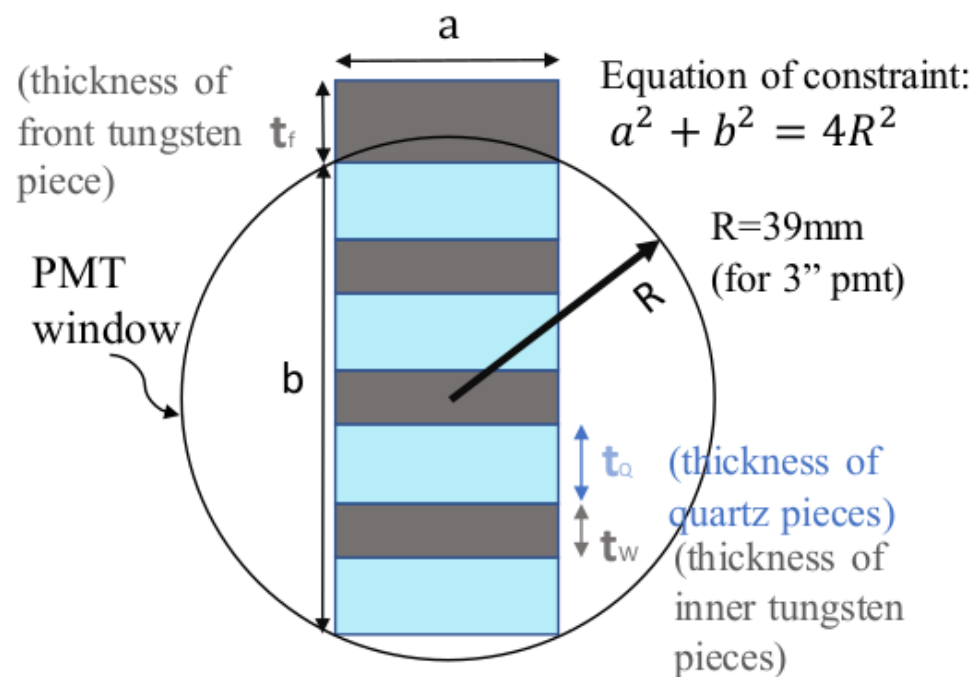
Benchmarking Stack Configurations

Highlighted columns show changes due to quartz thickness change: **Examined 6 mm and 10 mm thick tiles**

Config #	t_f (mm)	t_q (mm)	t_w (mm)	b (mm)	a (mm)	X_0	R_{molier} (mm)
1A	8	10	8	64	44	9.5	11.0
2A	17	10	5	55	55	9.5	11.0
3A	14	10	6	58	52	9.5	11.0
4A	6	10	6	58	52	7.3	11.5

Config #	t_f (mm)	t_q (mm)	t_w (mm)	b (mm)	a (mm)	X_0	R_{molier} (mm)
1B	8	6	8	48	61	9.5	11.0
2B	17	6	5	39	67	9.5	11.0
3B	14	6	6	42	65	9.5	11.0
4B	6	6	6	42	65	7.3	11.5

- ❖ Key benefit here is that the parameter “a” (the width of the benchmarking quartz tiles) can now be comfortably large to ensure negligible transverse shower leakage.



Lateral size of EM Shower: Moliere Radius

- Lateral or transverse EM shower development and size dominated by multiple scattering
- One Moliere radius contains 90% of shower and characterizes width of shower; two Moliere radii contain ~95%
- For single material calorimeter:

Moliere Radius: $R_M = \frac{E_s}{E_c} X_0 \approx 7 \frac{A}{Z} \left(\frac{g}{cm^2} \right)$

--where $E_s = \sqrt{\frac{4\pi}{\alpha}} mc^2 = 21.2 \text{ MeV}$ (Multiple Scattering Energy for electrons)

➤ $E_c \sim 610/(Z+1.2) \text{ MeV}$ (Critical Energy)

- For a mixed, homogenous material calorimeter:

Moliere Radius⁻¹: $\frac{1}{R_M} = \sum_i \frac{w_i}{R_{Mi}} = \frac{1}{E_s} \sum_i \frac{E_{ci}}{X_{0i}}$

--where w_i is the weight fraction of the i th material in the stack

- For the baseline design:

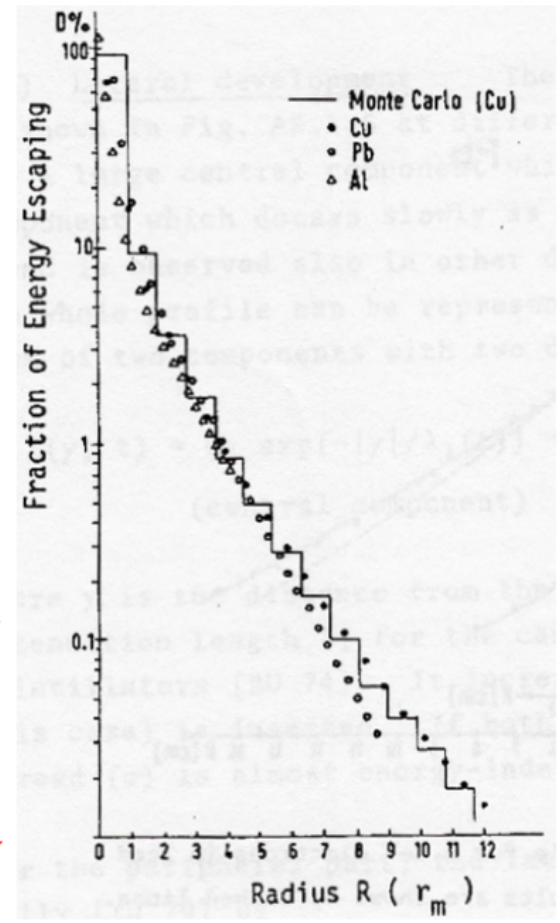
$w_{tungsten} \approx 0.812$
 $w_{quartz} \approx 0.188$ } $R_M \approx 1.10 \text{ cm}$

- If use 10/90 Cu/W:

$w_{tungsten} \approx 0.724$
 $w_{quartz} \approx 0.196$
 $w_{copper} \approx 0.080$ } $R_M \approx 1.16 \text{ cm}$

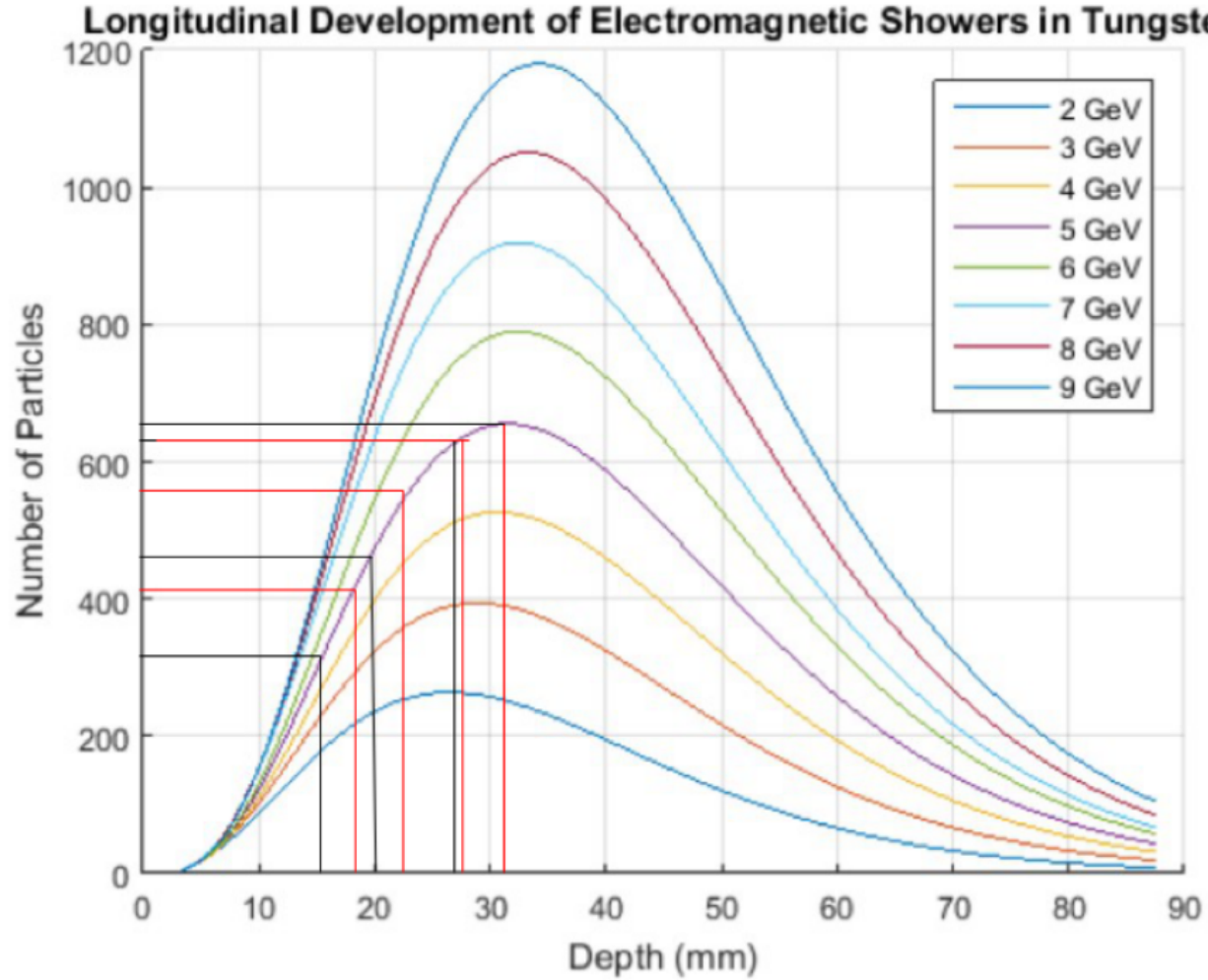
Material	$\rho \cdot R_M$ (g/cm ²)	R_M (cm)	X_0 (g/cm)	X_0/ρ (cm)	Z	$E_c(e)$ (MeV)
tungsten	18.00	0.933	6.76	0.35	74	8.0
Copper	14.05	1.57	12.9	1.44	29	20
SiO ₂	11.3	5.15	27.05	12.3	~11	57

- Also note for tungsten, at shower max: $\langle \theta_{SM} \rangle \approx m_e/E_c \approx 3.6^\circ$



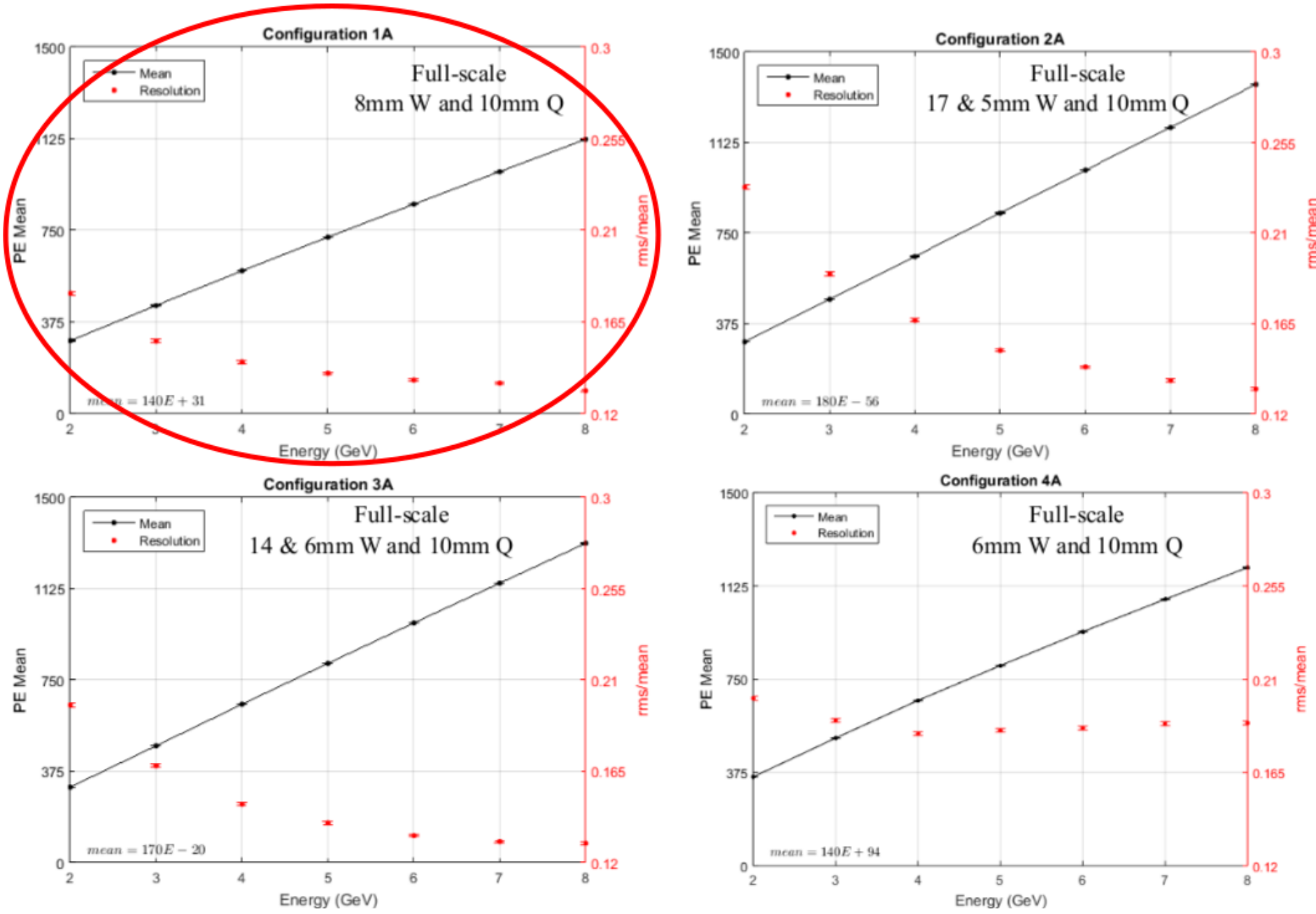
Longitudinal Development of EM Shower

— 14,6,6,6 mm
 — 17,5,5,5 mm

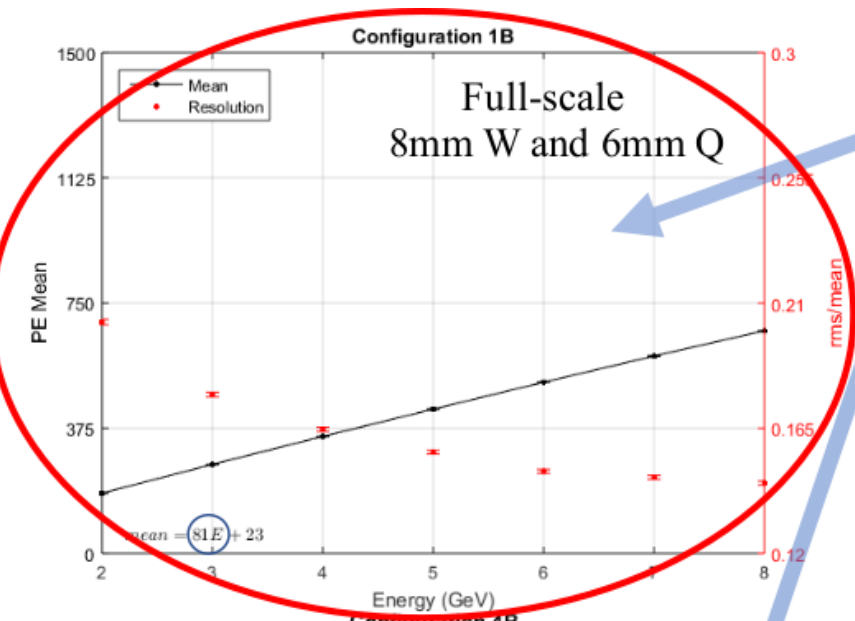


- Red and black lines indicate points of quartz sampling for Config #2 and #3 (see next slide)
- The shower maximum depth scales logarithmically with particle energy, while the peak # of particles scales linearly
- For pure tungsten, shower max occurs at ~24mm for 2 GeV and ~33mm for 8 GeV
 - Baseline design uses 32mm of tungsten (and 50 mm of quartz)

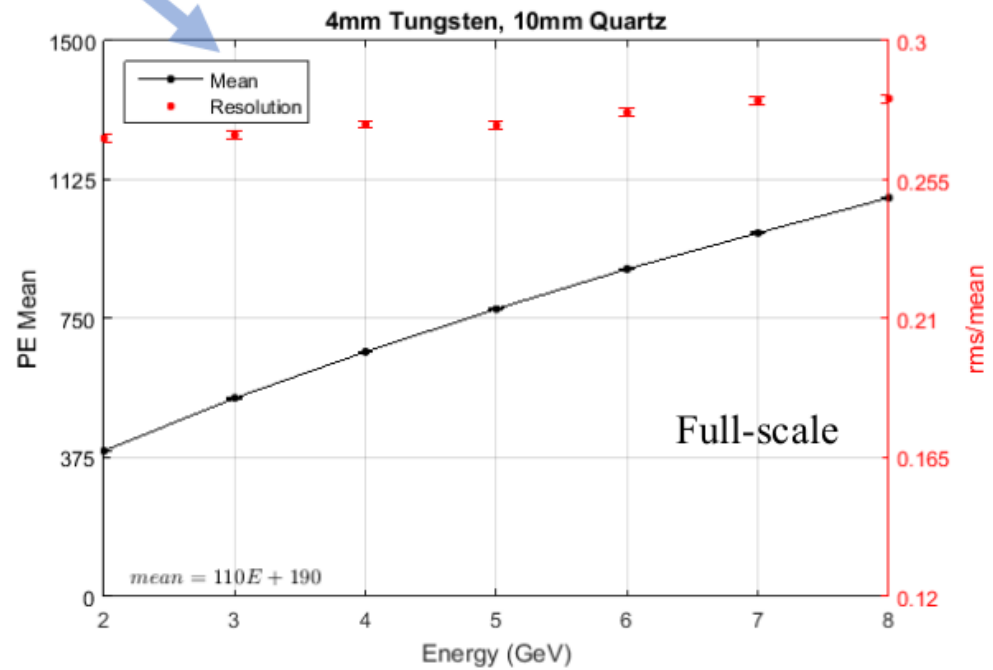
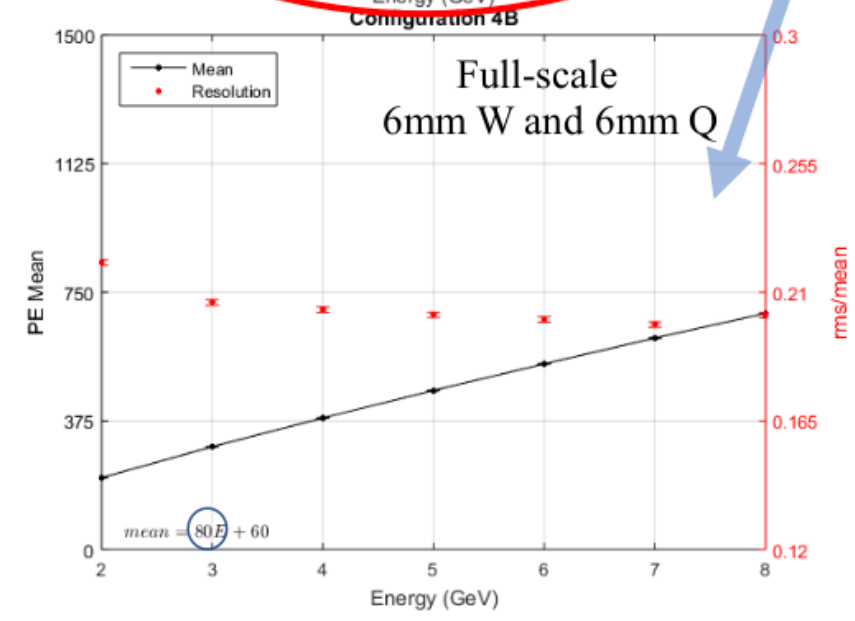
1A - 4A Mean PE and Resolution versus Energy



Simulation results for B configs (6mm quartz)

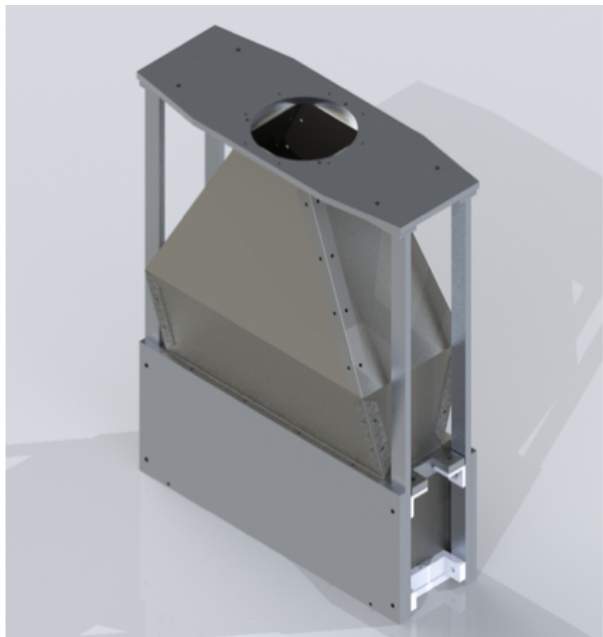
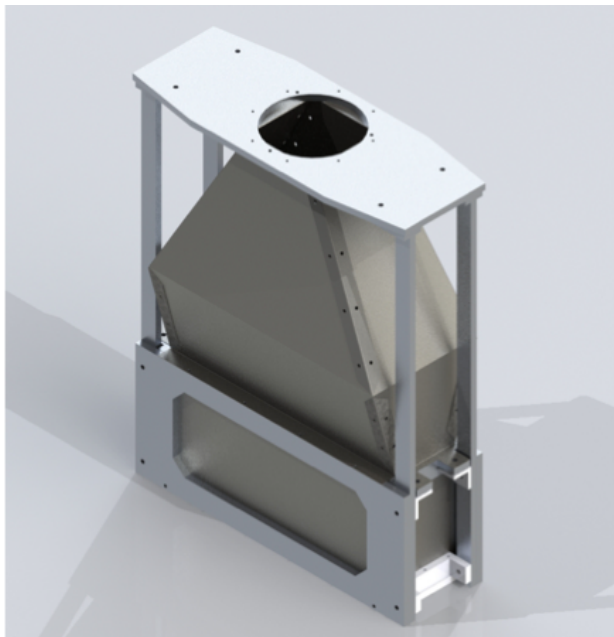


- The B configs have ~half the slope of the other configs – 80 PE/GeV – while maintaining good resolution and with lower light levels.
- The reduced slope means less variation in PE yields with energy--which will reduce the widths measured during helicity window (it seems a potential win win win situation)
- Also interesting is that if you reduce the layers of tungsten to 4mm, the resolution worsens ~drastically (even with 10 mm quartz)



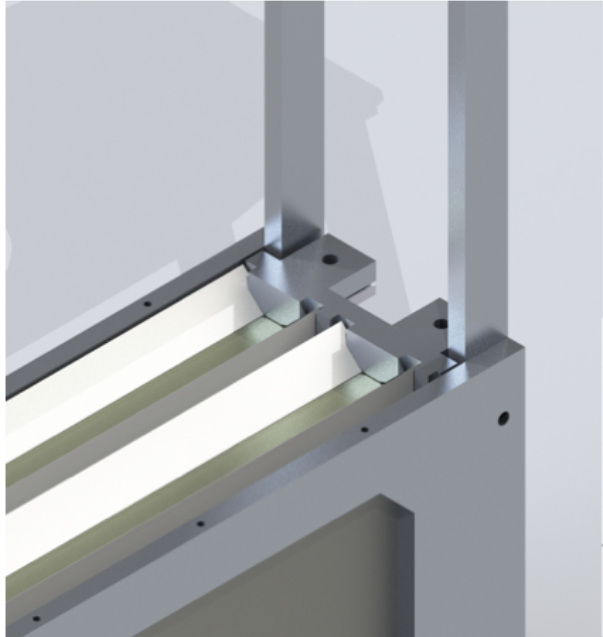
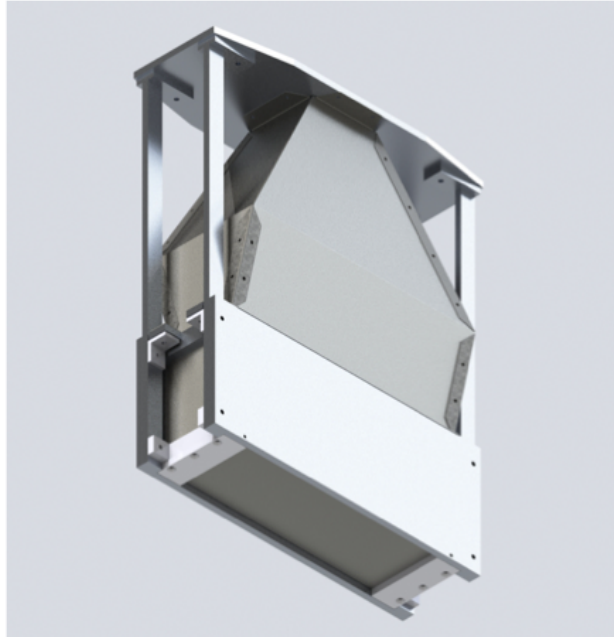
Prototype Construction and SLAC Testbeam Run

Updated Full-Scale Prototype (1A) for Testbeam

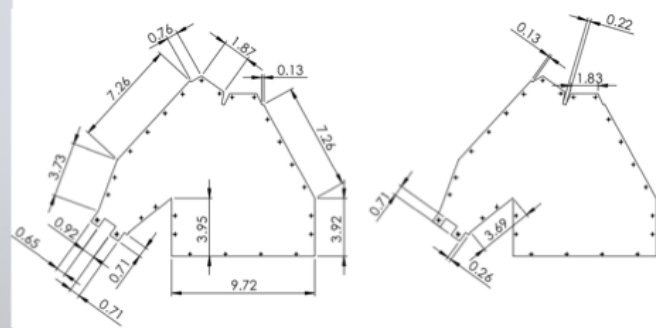


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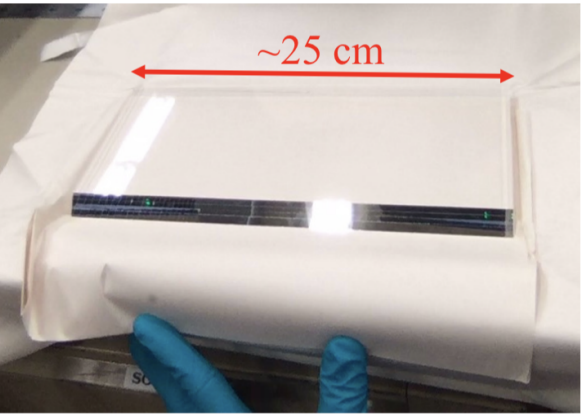
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2	Light Guide - Front	0.001 ANODIZED MIRROR SILVER REFLECTIVE ALUMINUM SHEET	1
3	Long Flap	0.001 ANODIZED MIRROR SILVER REFLECTIVE ALUMINUM SHEET	2
4	Short Flap	0.001 ANODIZED MIRROR SILVER REFLECTIVE ALUMINUM SHEET	4
5	Suitcase	0.001 ANODIZED MIRROR SILVER REFLECTIVE ALUMINUM SHEET	2



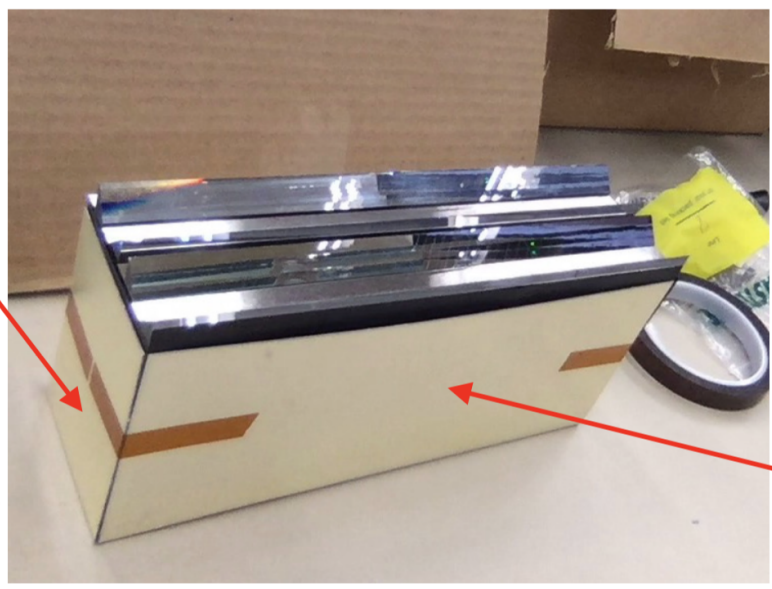
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1A Full-scale Stack Assembly at SBU, June 2018



~25 cm



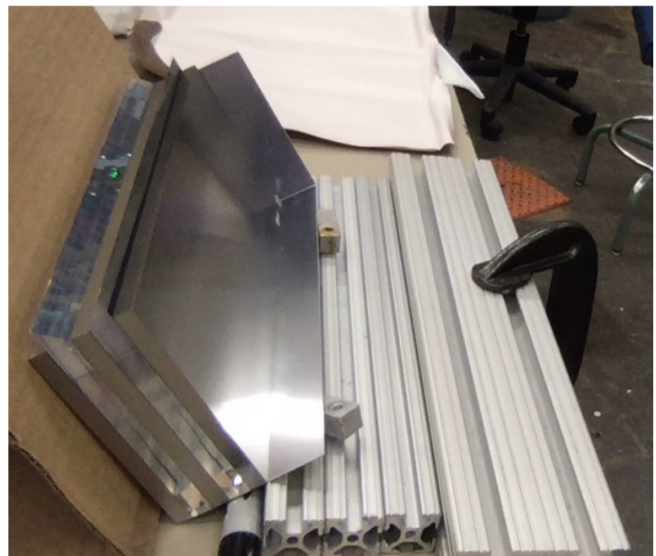
Aluminum sheet coffin

Fully assembled stack weighs ~40 lbs



8 mm thick 99.95% pure tungsten plates

Quartz wrapped in black Kapton

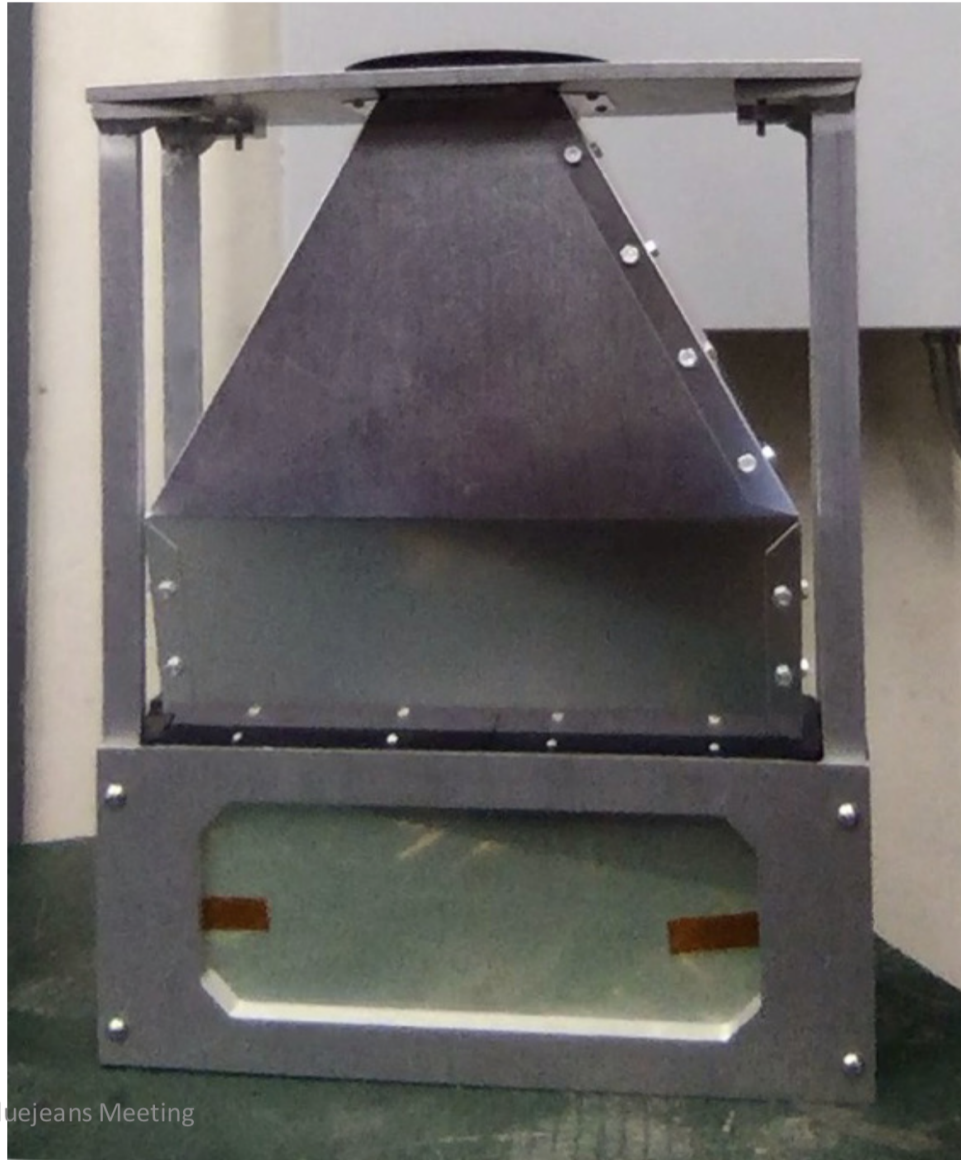
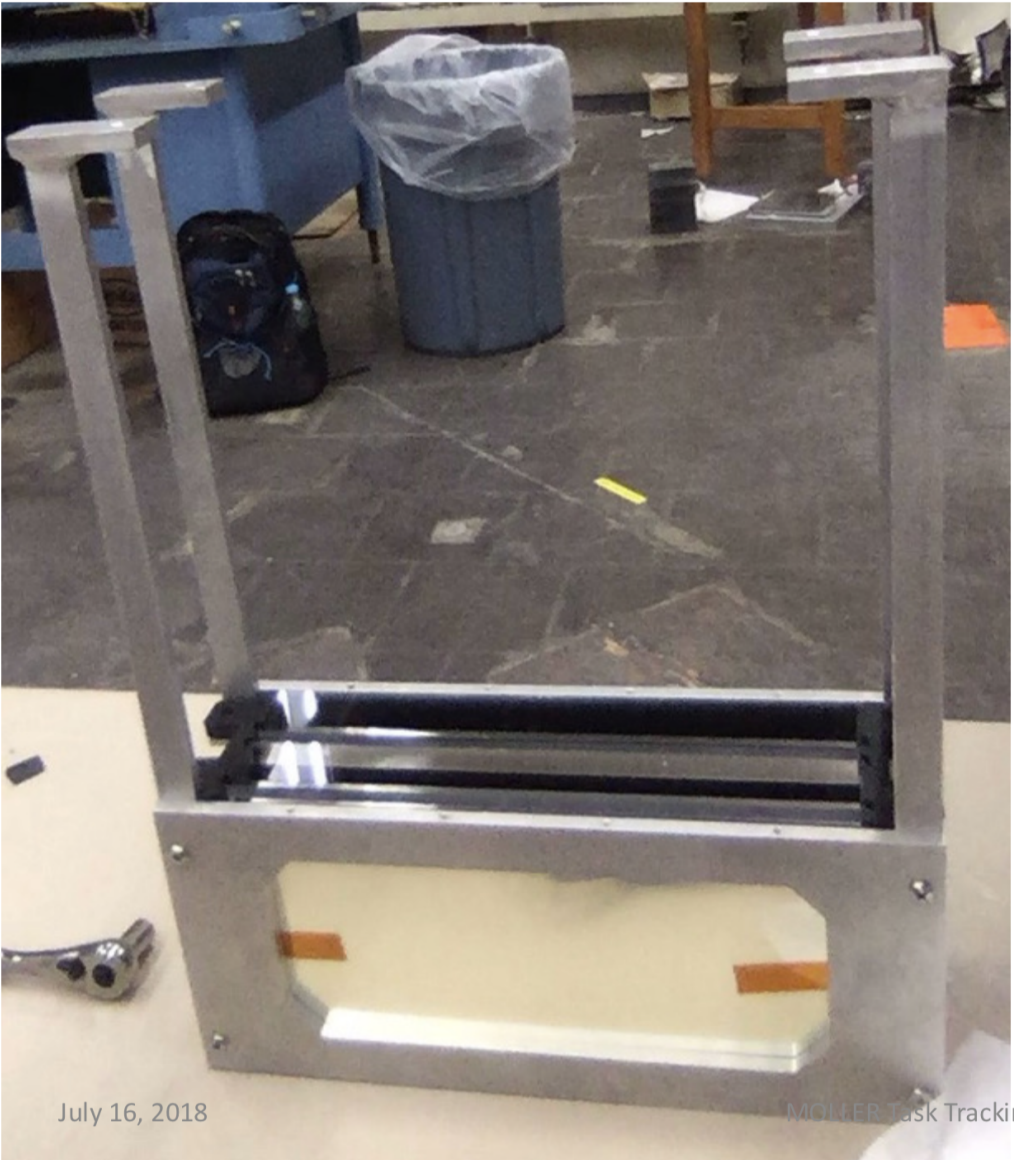


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Assembled 1A Full-scale ShowerMax Prototype

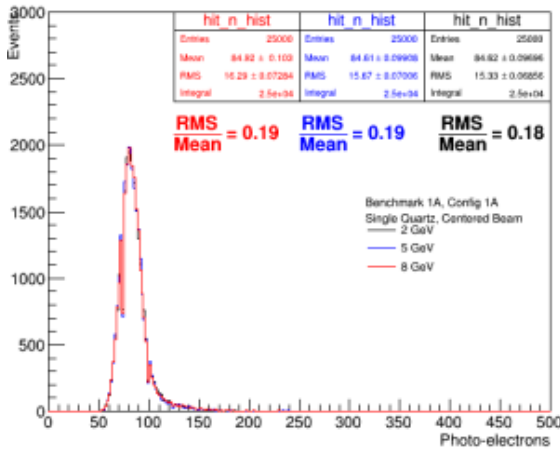


Testbeam and MC benchmarking strategy

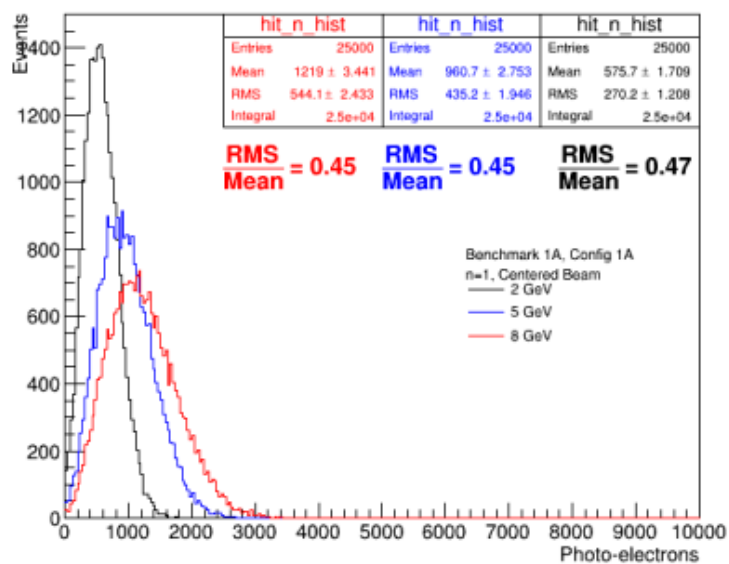
- Engineer benchmarking prototype capable of operation with systematically more stack layers added and with no light guide
- Basic strategy outline:
 - First take data with only one piece of quartz
 - Then add the front tungsten plate and take data, then the next layer of tungsten and quartz, then next, then next
 - This will facilitate benchmarking of optical quartz properties and G4's showering process without light guide complication
- Also construct and test full scale prototypes (with same exact stack configuration as benchmarking prototype) and with full light guide; this will be constructed with machined aluminum

Benchmarking Prototype (1A) Expectations

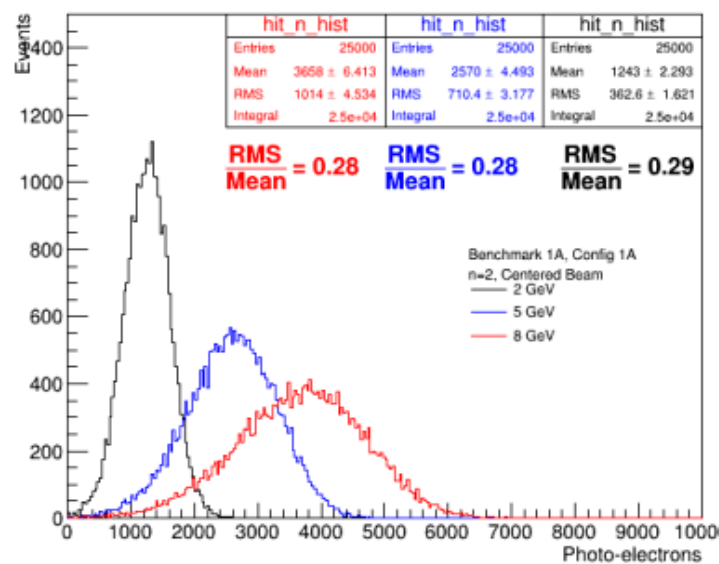
Benchmark 1A: Single Quartz



Benchmark 1A: n=1

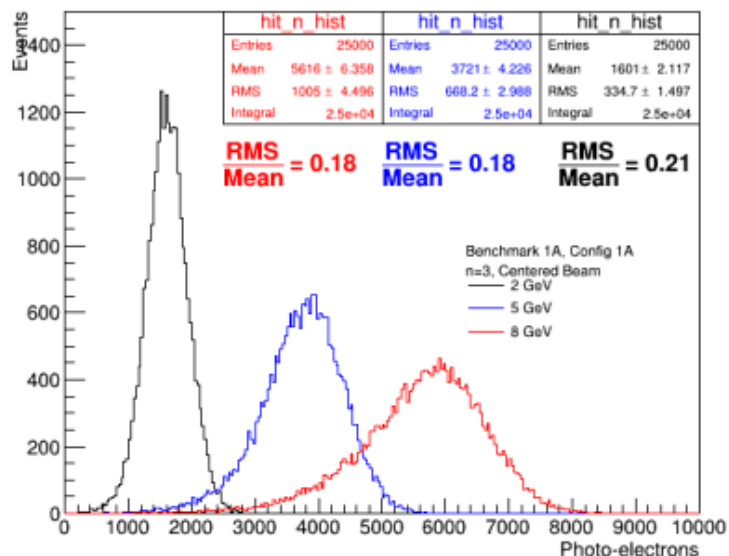


Benchmark 1A: n=2

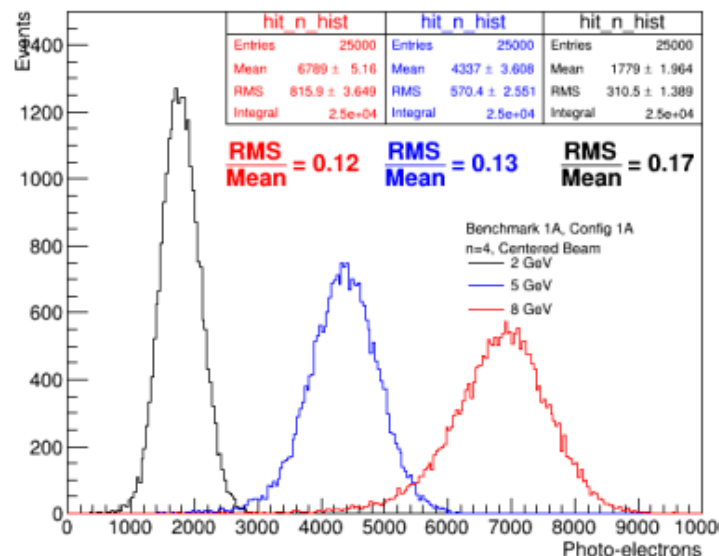


• Benchmarking PE yields are incredibly high for n=1 to 4

Benchmark 1A: n=3



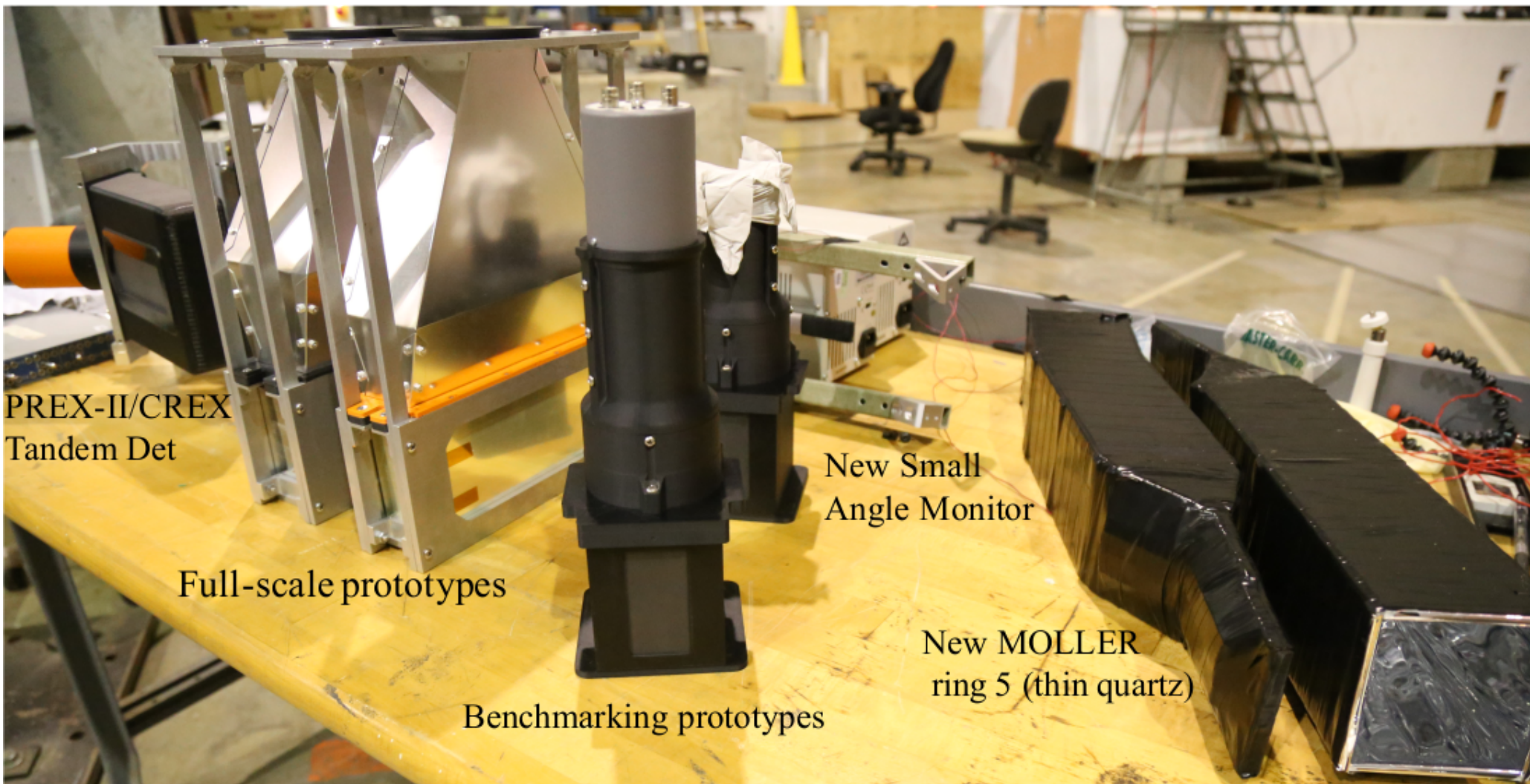
Benchmark 1A: n=4



• Will use 3" ET PMTs: 9305QKB

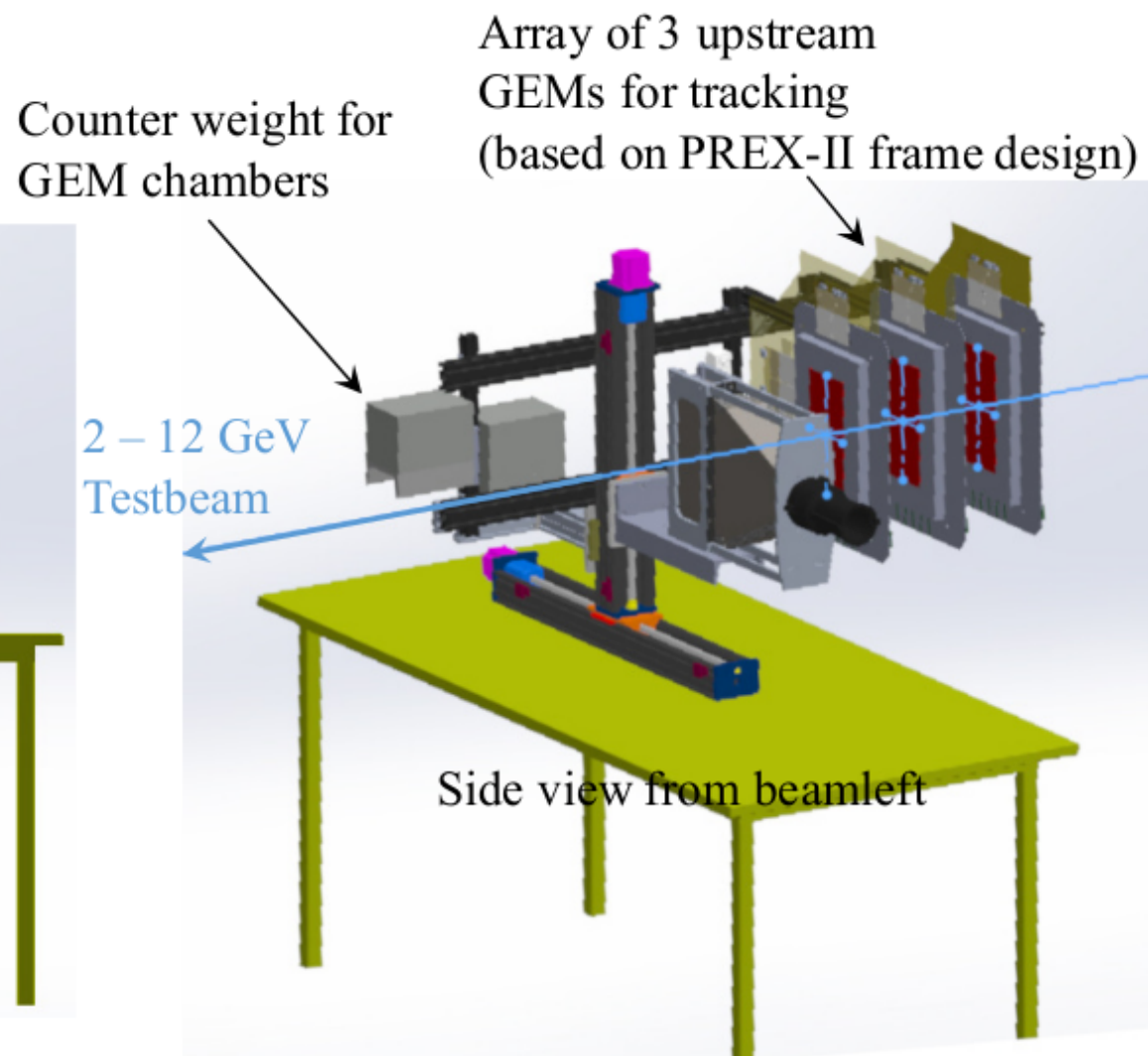
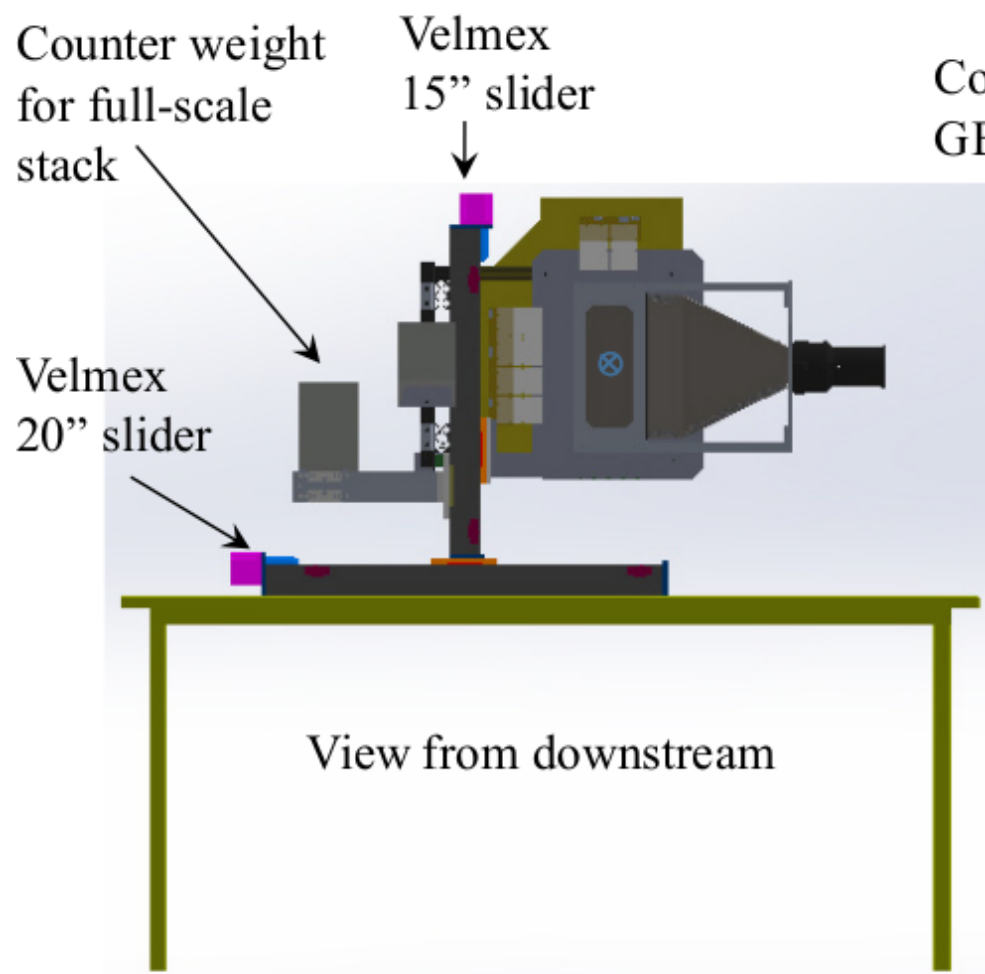
T-577: SLAC Testbeam, Dec 6 – 12, 2018

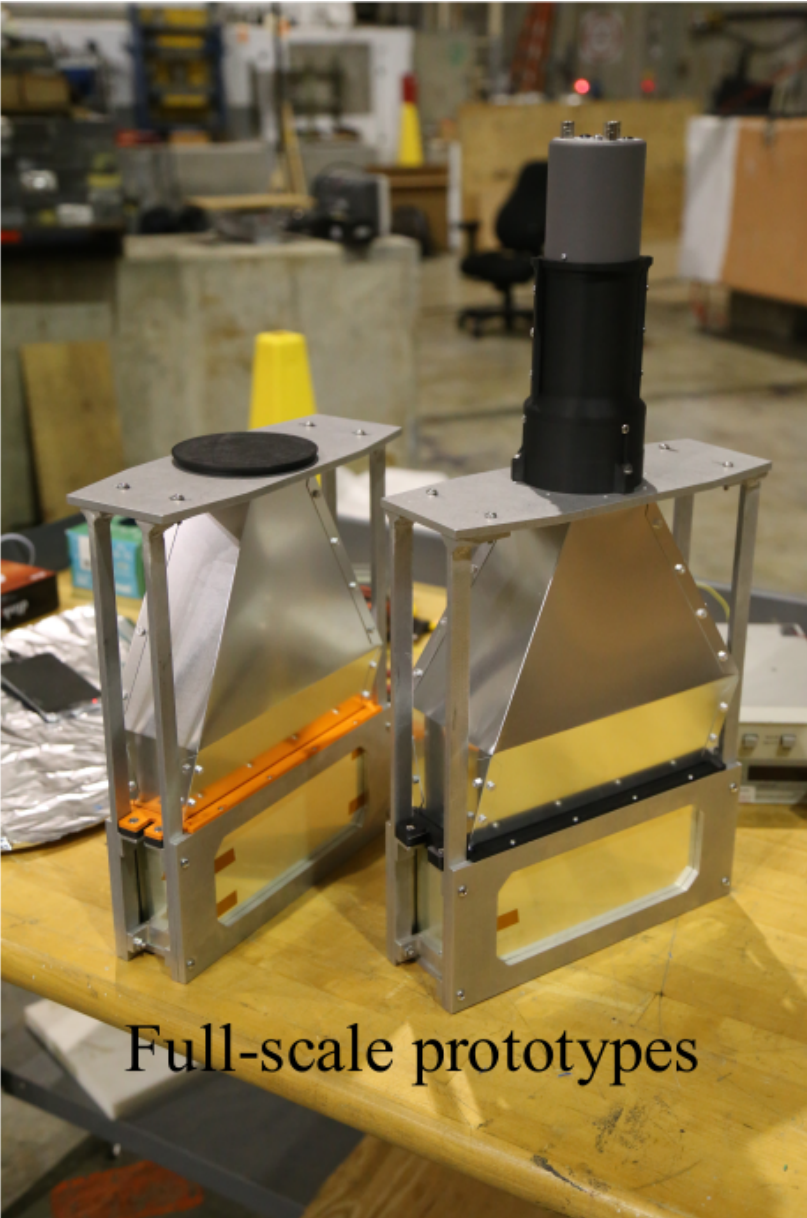
- Tested ShowerMax full-scale and benchmarking detectors and new ring5 thin detector designs
- Used 3, 5.5 and 8 GeV electrons with multiplicity of a Poisson distribution with $\mu \approx 1$
- Overall beam rate only 5 Hz (parasitic from LCLS beam) with $\sim 1/3$ of those being single e^-



CAD of the SLAC testbeam setup

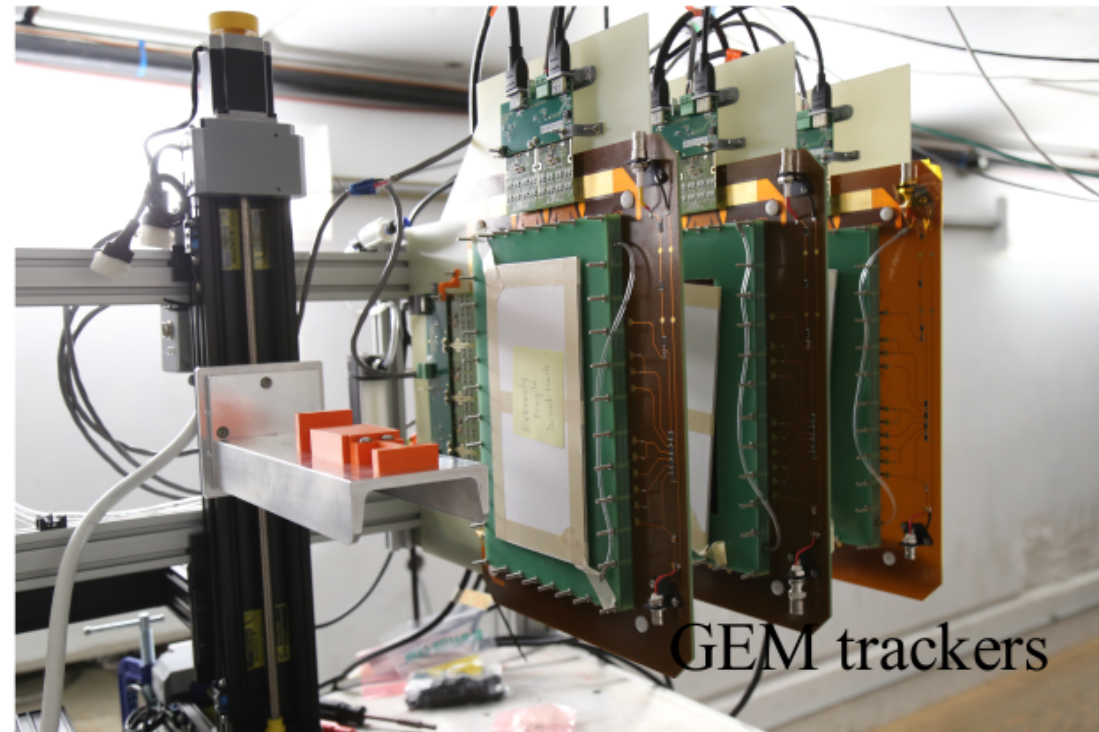
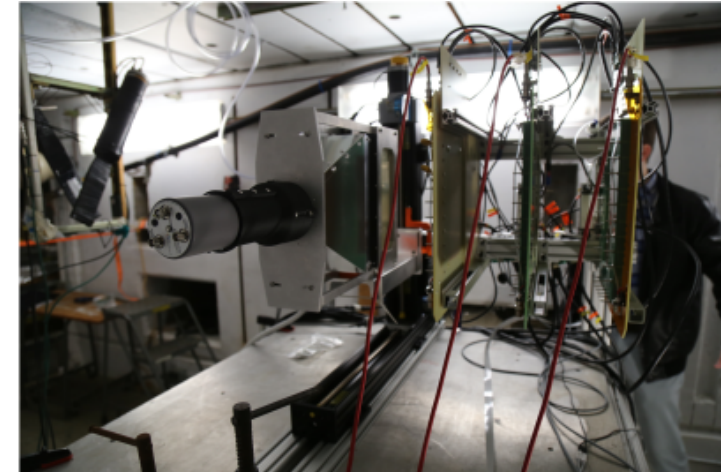
- Testbeam scheduled for Dec 5 – 10 (we may get more time)
- Setup allows testbeam to cover entire active area of full-scale prototypes





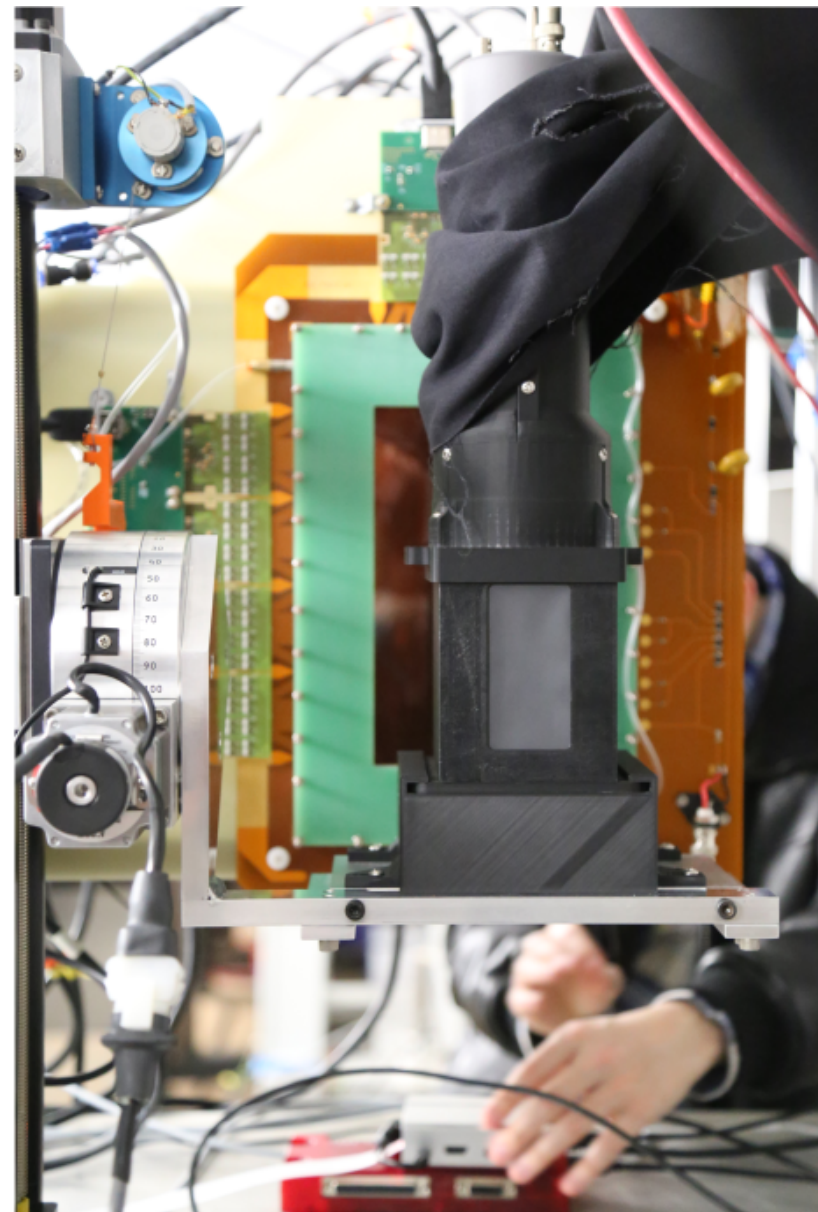
Full-scale prototypes

T-577: SLAC Testbeam Setup for Full-Scale ShowerMax



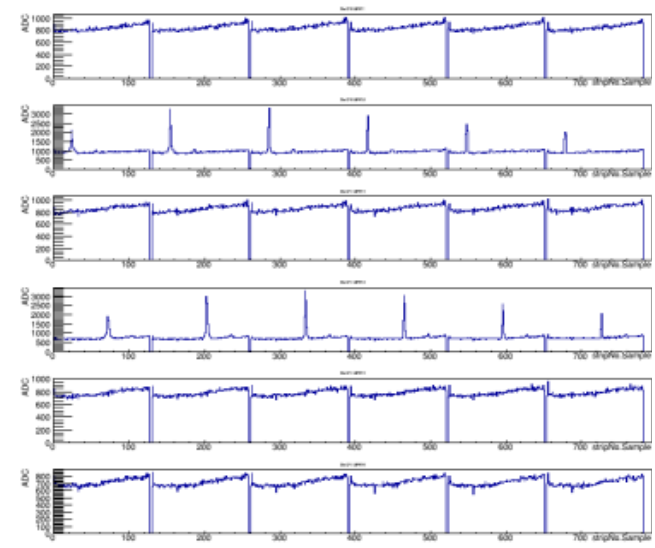
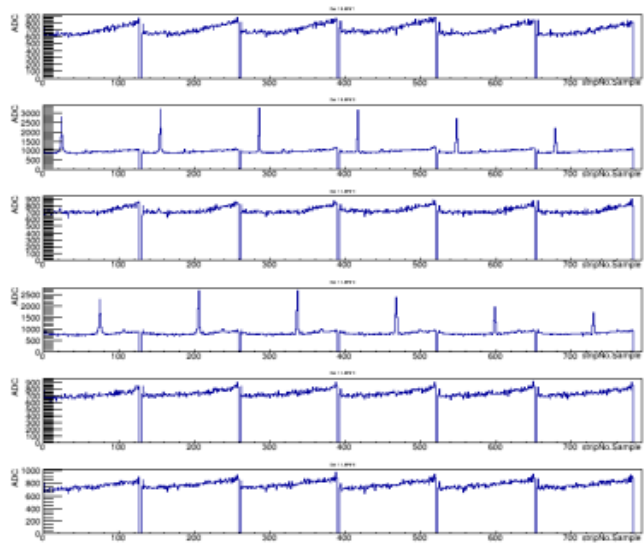
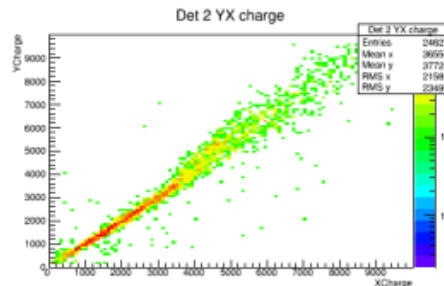
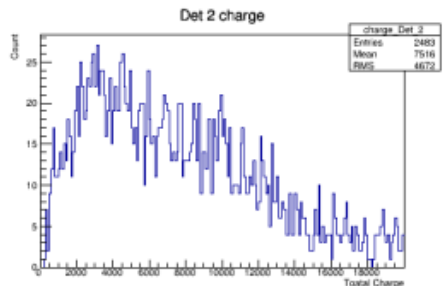
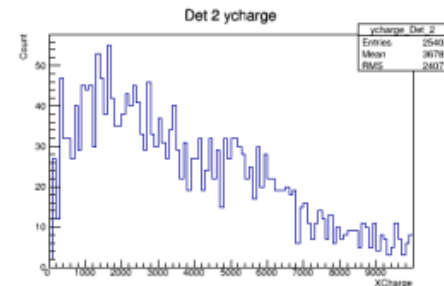
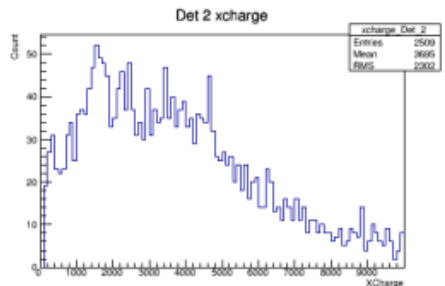
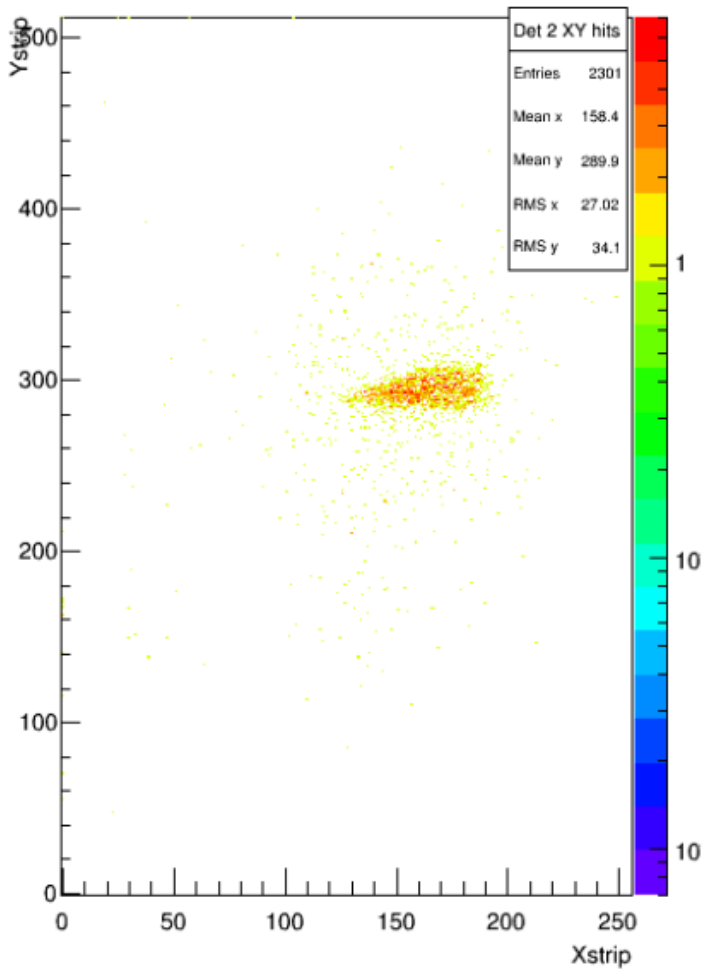
GEM trackers

T-577: SLAC Testbeam Setup: Benchmarking ShowerMax



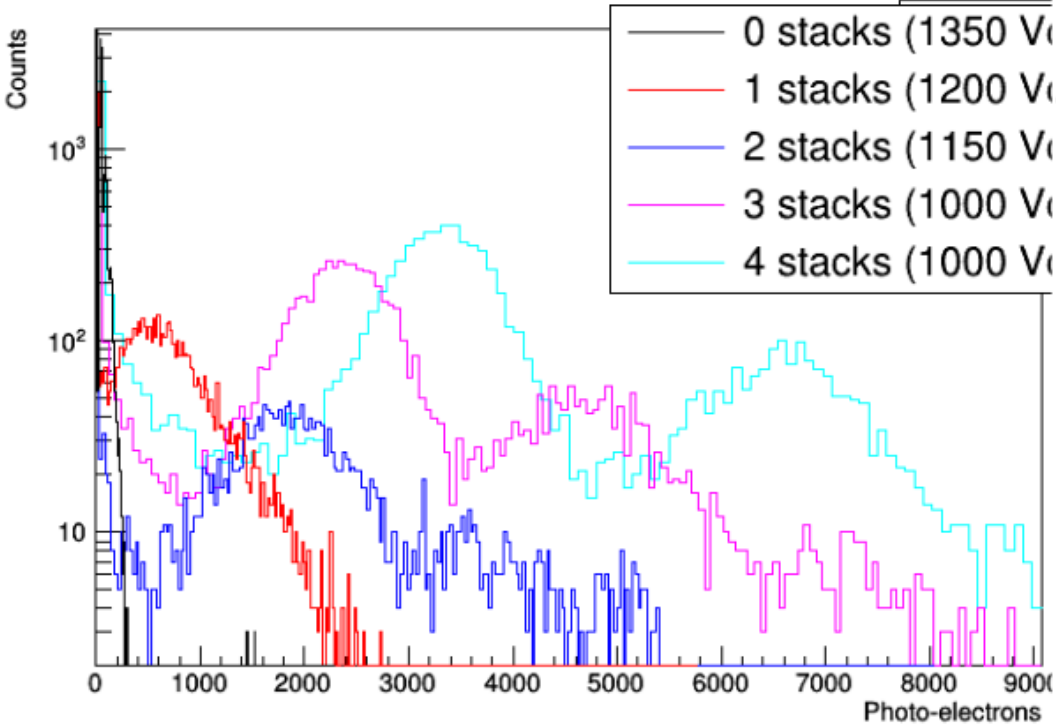
Beam Spot (5.5 GeV): ~1 cm by 2 cm

Det 2 XY hits

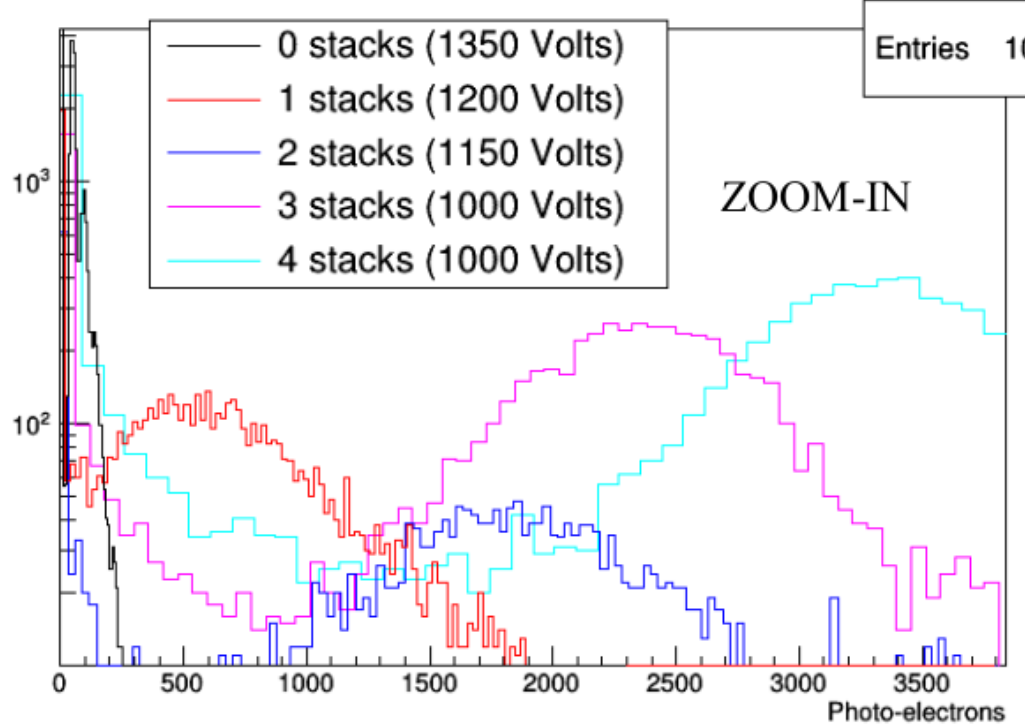


ShowerMax Benchmarking Prototype Testbeam Results (1B response vs. stack layers)

Benchmarking 1B: Compare stacks



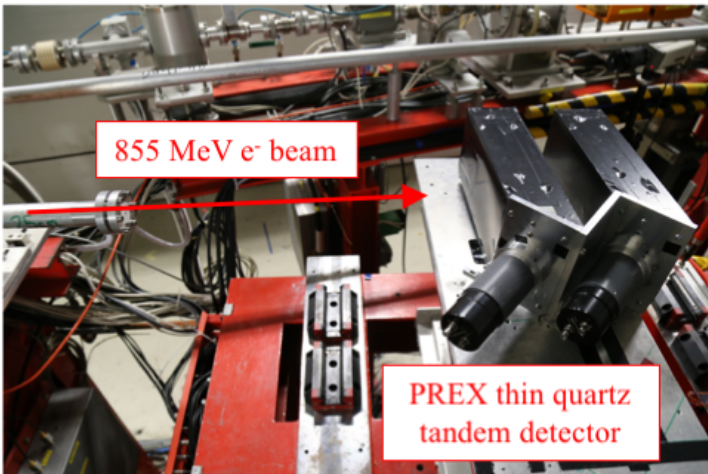
Benchmarking 1B: Compare stacks



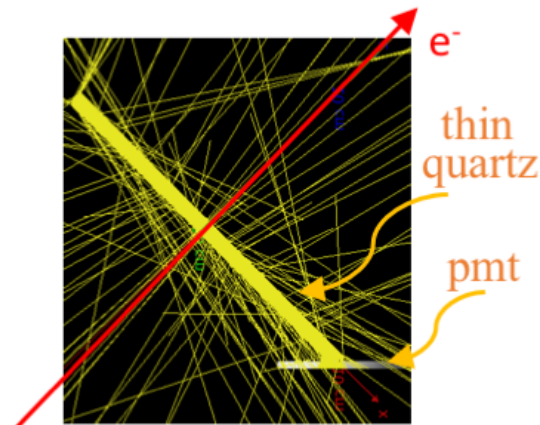
- Results are very reasonable—the means and relative widths behave as expected
- Simulations are underway for comparison and MC tuning/benchmarking

Monte Carlo tuning and Shower-max Simulations

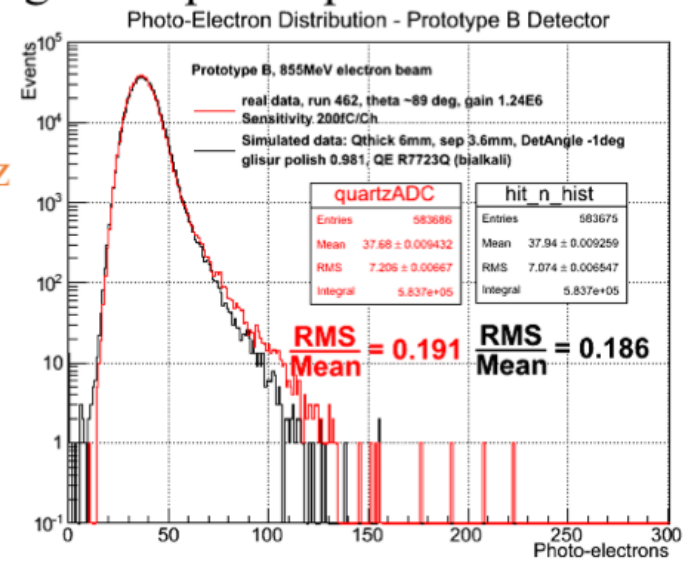
- Quartz optical G4 properties benchmarked at MAMI: Glisur ground polish parameter ~ 0.981



MAMI testbeam with PREX detector



G4 event visualization for PREX detector

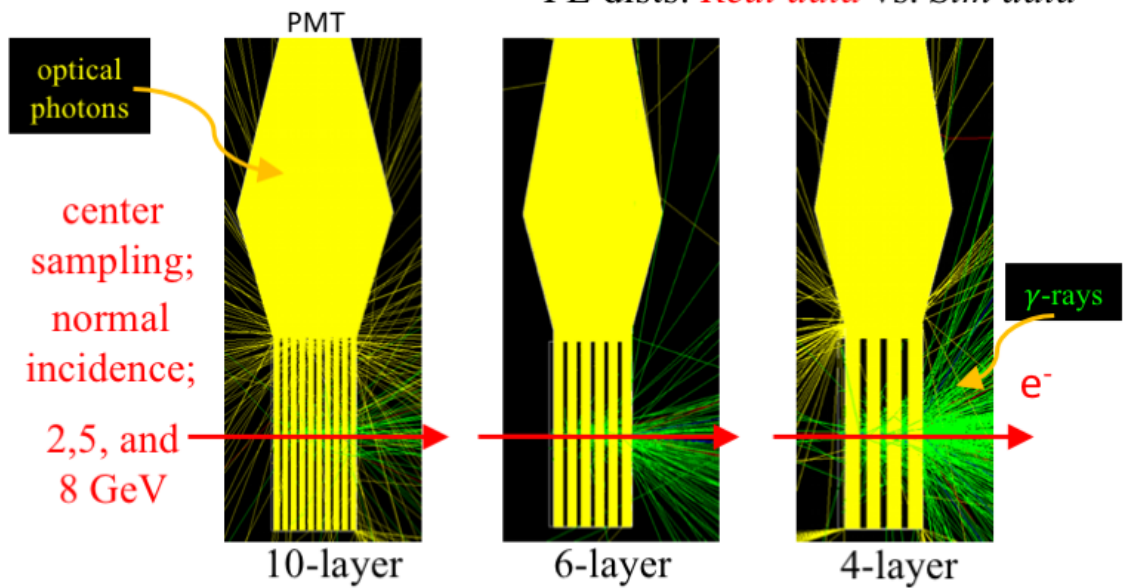


PE dists: *Real data* vs. *Sim data*

- Stack configuration MC study:
 - ❖ Stack thicknesses all same ($7.2 X_0$)
 - ❖ 2, 5, and 8 GeV incident electrons
 - ❖ PE dists generated using tuned polish parameter and 60% LG reflectivity

Conclusion:

4-layer gives comparable performance to 10-layer (and is easier and cheaper to build)



Shower-max event visualizations

Benchmarking 1A testbeam results compared with simulation (5.5 GeV electron response vs. stack layers)

Photo-Electron Distribution - simulated vs real data

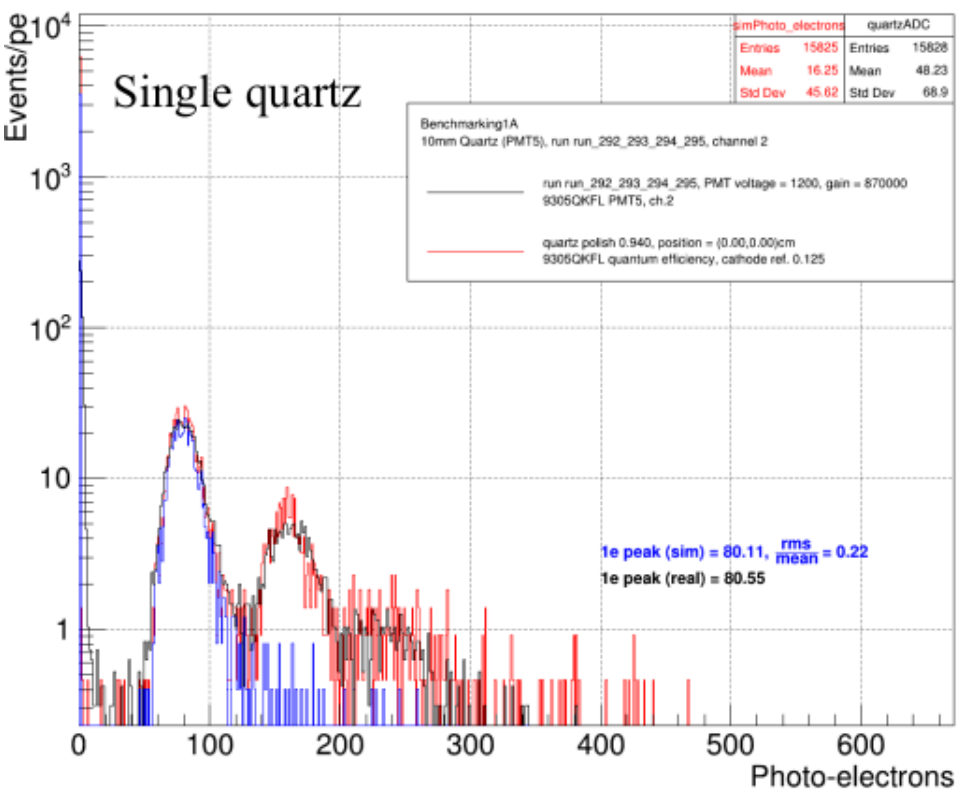
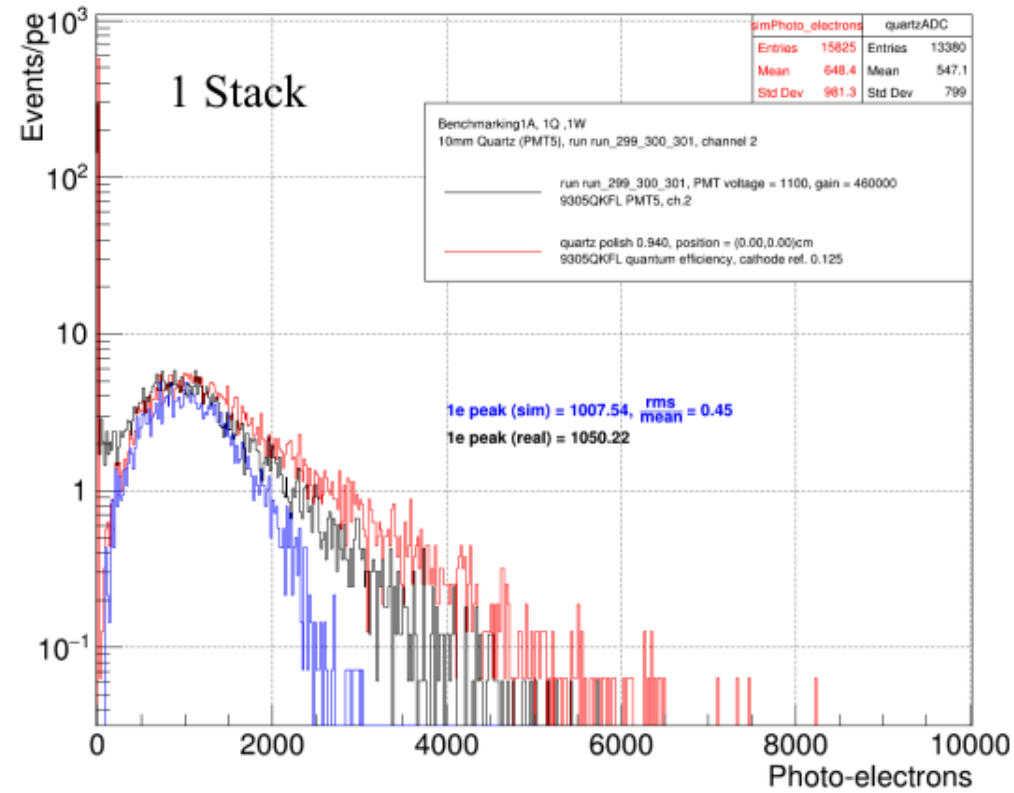


Photo-Electron Distribution - simulated vs real data



- Single quartz data used to benchmark quartz optical polish parameter
- With quartz polish calibrated, simulations performed with successively more stack layers and compared with SLAC data

Benchmarking 1A testbeam results compared with simulation (5.5 GeV electron response vs. stack layers)

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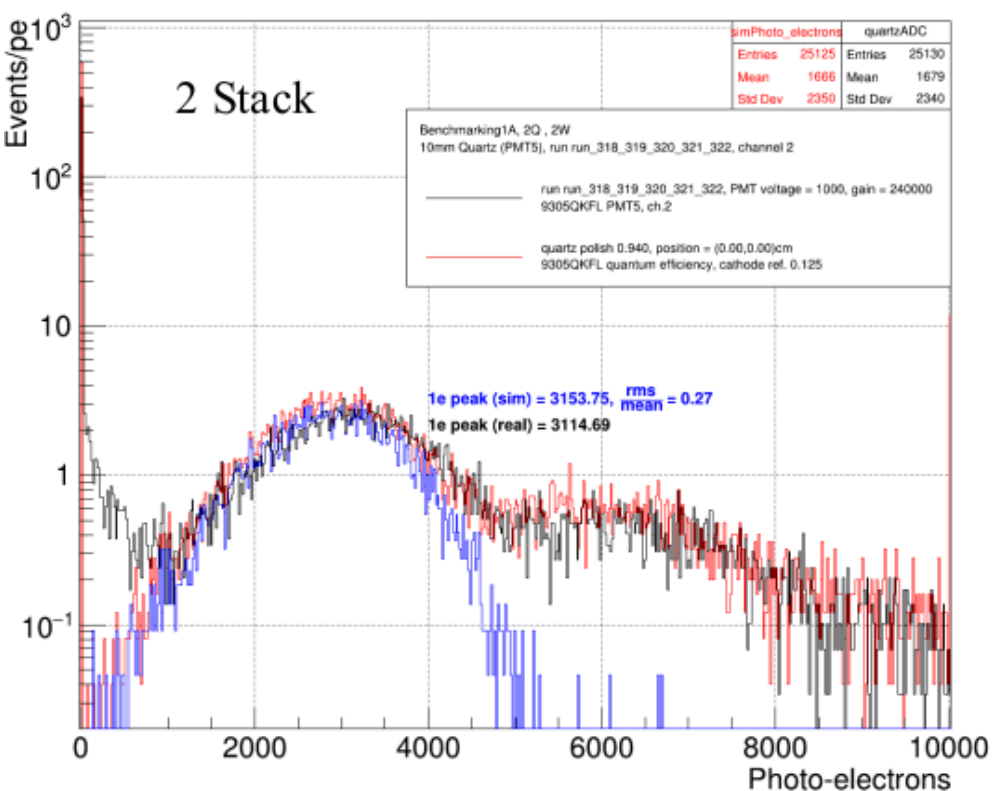
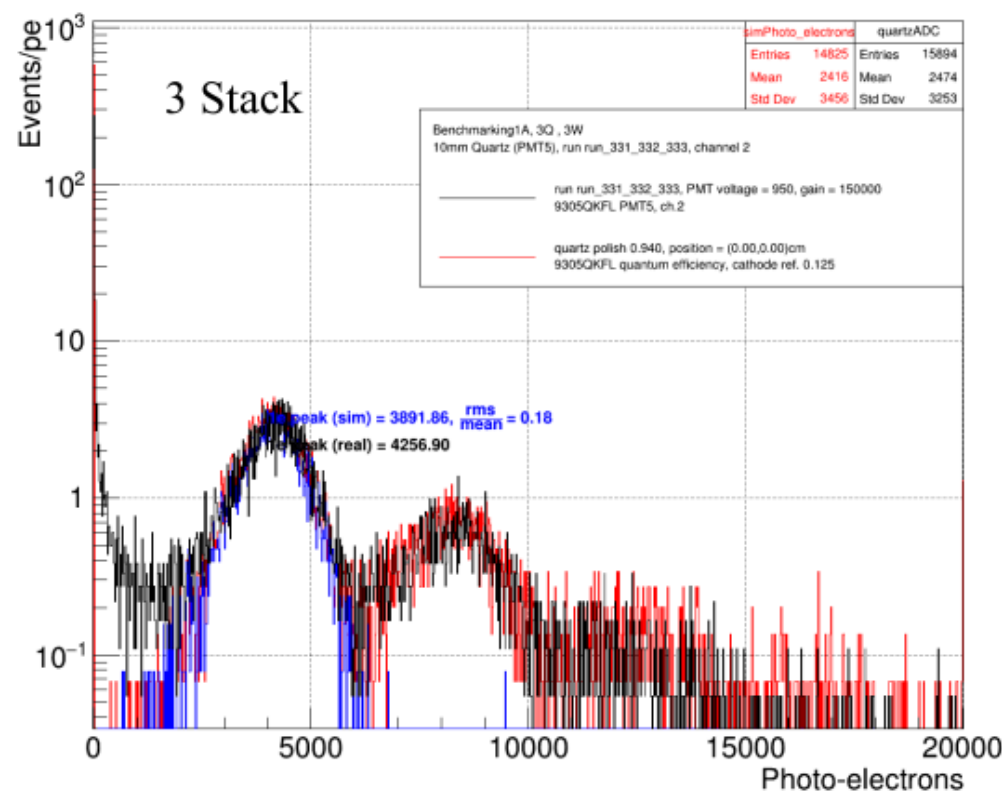


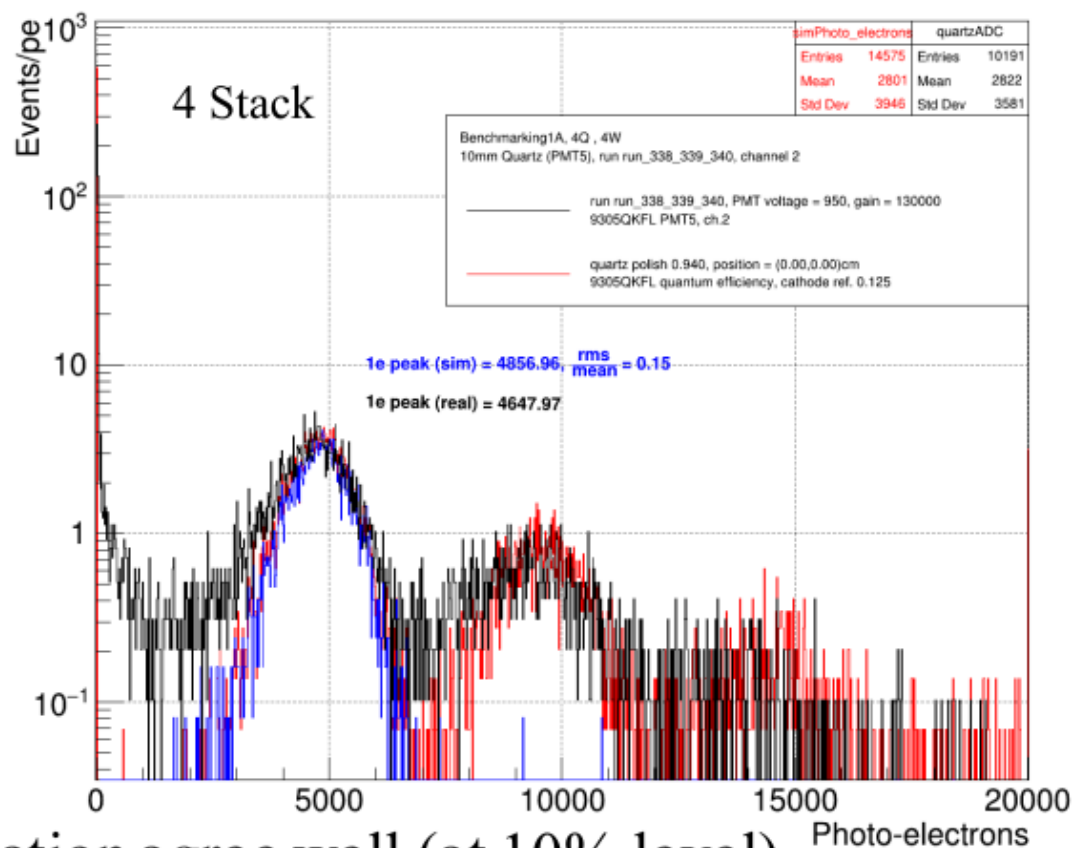
Photo-Electron Distribution - simulated vs real data



- Data and simulation agree well (at 10% level)
- Resolution of single electron photopeak goes from 27% to 18% (simulated)

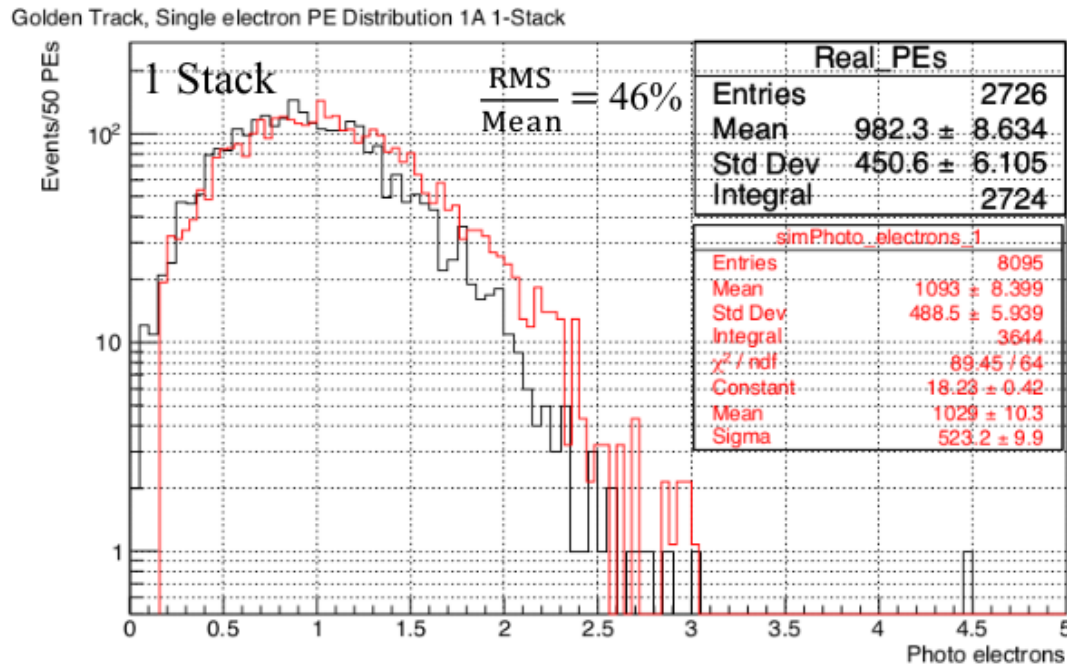
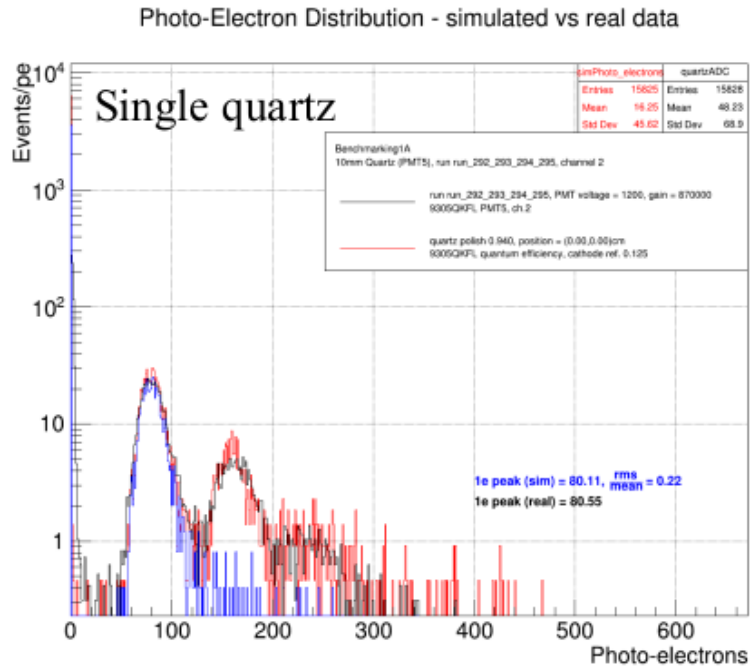
Benchmarking 1A testbeam results compared with simulation (5.5 GeV electron response vs. stack layers)

Photo-Electron Distribution - simulated vs real data



- Data and simulation agree well (at 10% level)
- Resolution of single electron photopeak is 15% (simulated). Analysis of real data resolutions are on-going using GEM tracking data

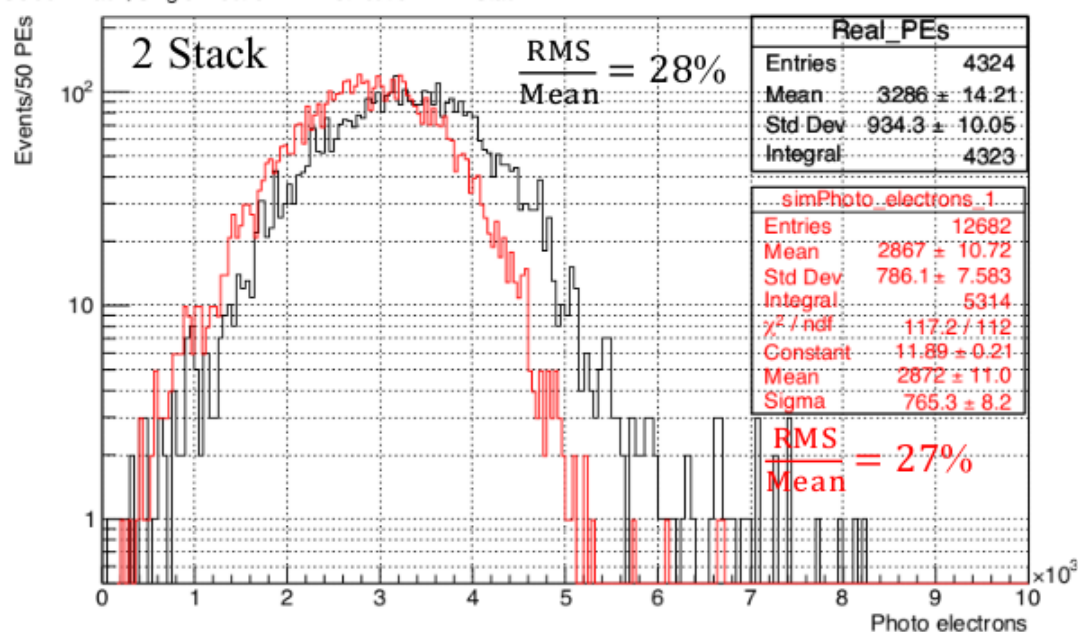
Benchmarking 1A Golden Track, single e⁻ data compared with simulation (5.5 GeV electron response vs. stack layers)



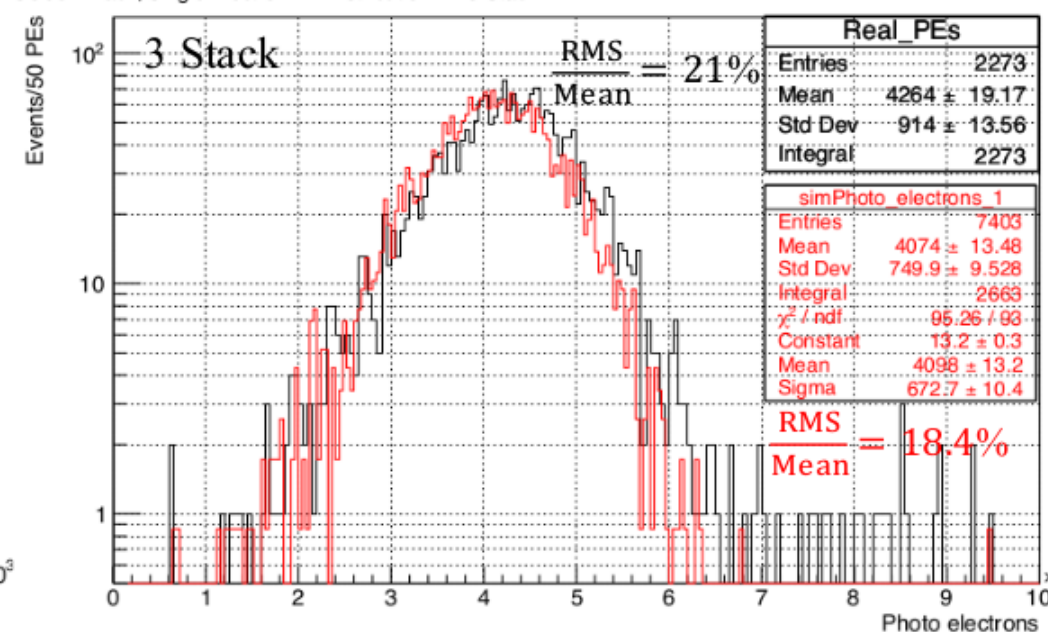
- Note that polish parameter was decreased from 0.98 (PREX) to 0.94 (4% decrease)
- Simulation uses state of the art understanding of optical properties of active material including attenuation and dispersion inside quartz and pmt window, reflectivity at air-pmt window interface & photocathode, and factory QE of photocathode
- Note: All comparisons and polish benchmarking rely on knowing operational pmt gain (5 – 10% uncertainty (as well as QDC charge sensitivity))

Benchmarking 1A Golden Track, single e⁻ data compared with simulation (5.5 GeV electron response vs. stack layers)

Golden Track, Single Electron PE Distribution 1A 2-Stack



Golden Track, Single Electron PE Distribution 1A 3-Stack



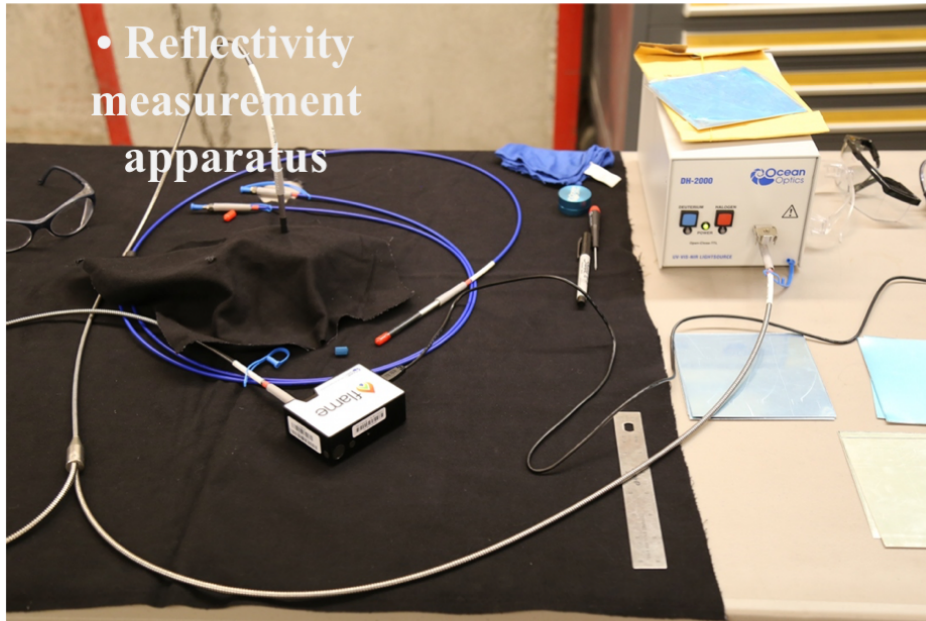
- Data and simulations agree at 10% level
- Data shows larger high-light tails indicating potential mis-identified single e⁻ tracks
- Resolutions get steadily better and agree well with simulated distributions
--This tells us there was good alignment and minimal lateral shower leakage

Summary and future work

- Showermax baseline prototypes constructed and tested
 - Analyses of testbeam data still ongoing but converging fast
 - Preliminary results for benchmarking prototypes in good agreement with simulations
 - Full-scale results and uniformity scans still in progress
- First results for full-scale tests show significant difference between data and sims–PE yields $\sim 2.5x$ lower than expected; likely culprit is light guide but could also include broken TIR–due to excessive pressure on Kapton quartz wrapping

Light guide reflectivity measurements

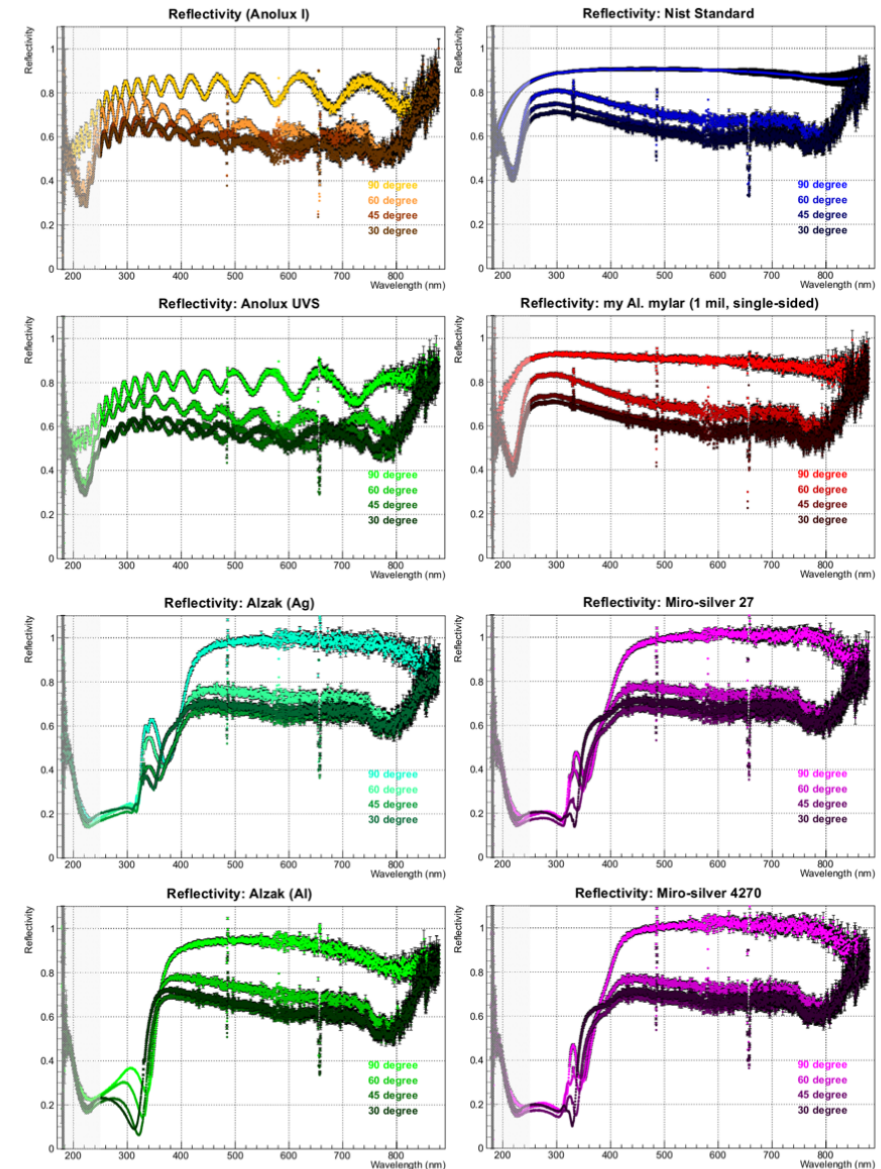
- Measuring light guide (LG) reflectivity as function of angle (10 – 90°) and λ (200 – 800nm); ongoing



- Light source: Ocean Optics DH2000: 200 - 800nm, 25W Deuterium bulb
- Spectrometer: Ocean Optics USB Flame, enhanced sensitivity, UV-VIS grating
- NIST specular calibration standard

Light guide materials tested:

- | | |
|-----------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Miro-silver 4270 | Miro-silver 27 |
| Anolux I and UVS | Alzak-Al and Alzak-Ag |
| Miro 2000Ag (diffuse) | 1 mil, single-sided aluminized mylar |



Reflectivity vs. λ for various materials at diff. angles

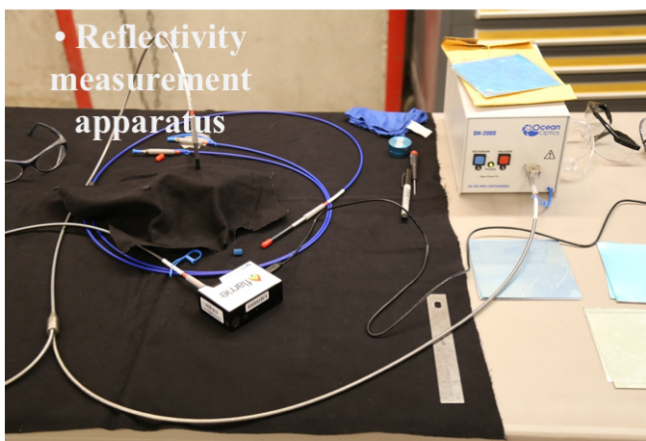
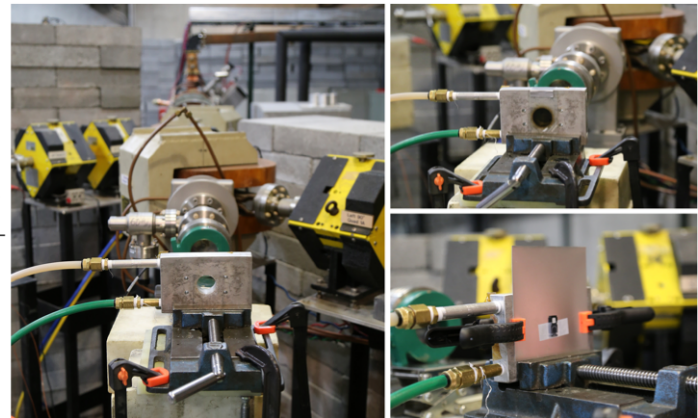
LG reflectivity radiation hardness study

25 MeV LINAC (Main Hall and Airport)

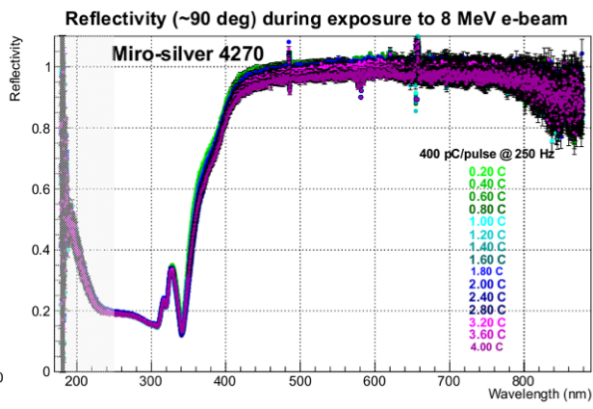
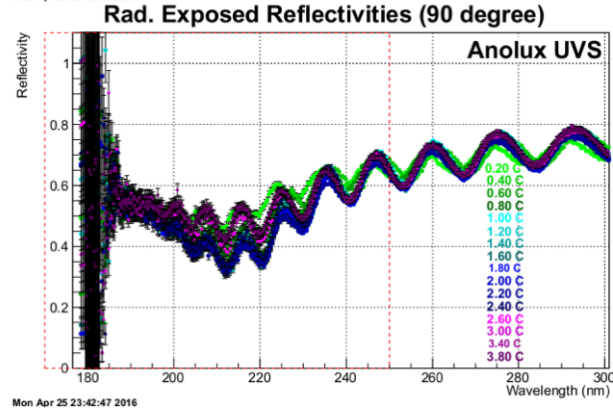
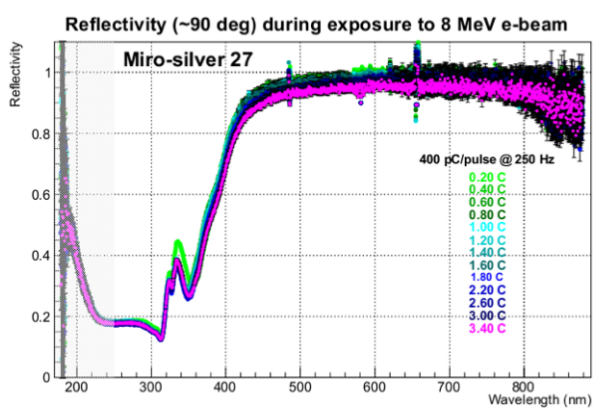
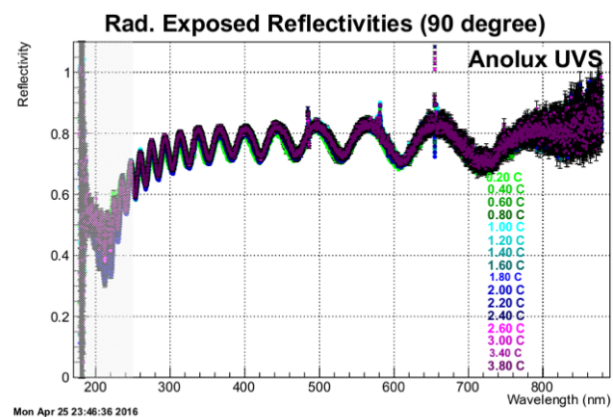
RF Frequency: 2856 MHz (S-Band)
 Energy Range: ~4-25 MeV (current varies)
 Pulse Width: ~50ns to 4 micro seconds
 Repetition Rate: single pulse to 360 Hz
 Ports: 0 degree, 45 degree and 90 degree (Beam energy resolution ~ 1+/- 15%)

25B Energy vs Current			
Energy (MeV)	0 port (mA)	45 port (mA)	90 port (mA)
23	55	55 @ 3.8uS	46 @ 3.6 uS
20	100	70 @ 4. uS	65 @ 4. uS
16	100	48 @ 3.6 uS	48 @ 3.6 uS
13	80	30 @ 3.3 uS	15 @ 3.3 uS
10	60	18 @ 3.1 uS	7.5 @ 3.1 uS
9	110	30 @ 4. uS	15 @ 4. uS
6	100	60 @ 4. uS	60 @ 4. uS
4	50	20 @ 4. uS	20 @ 4. uS

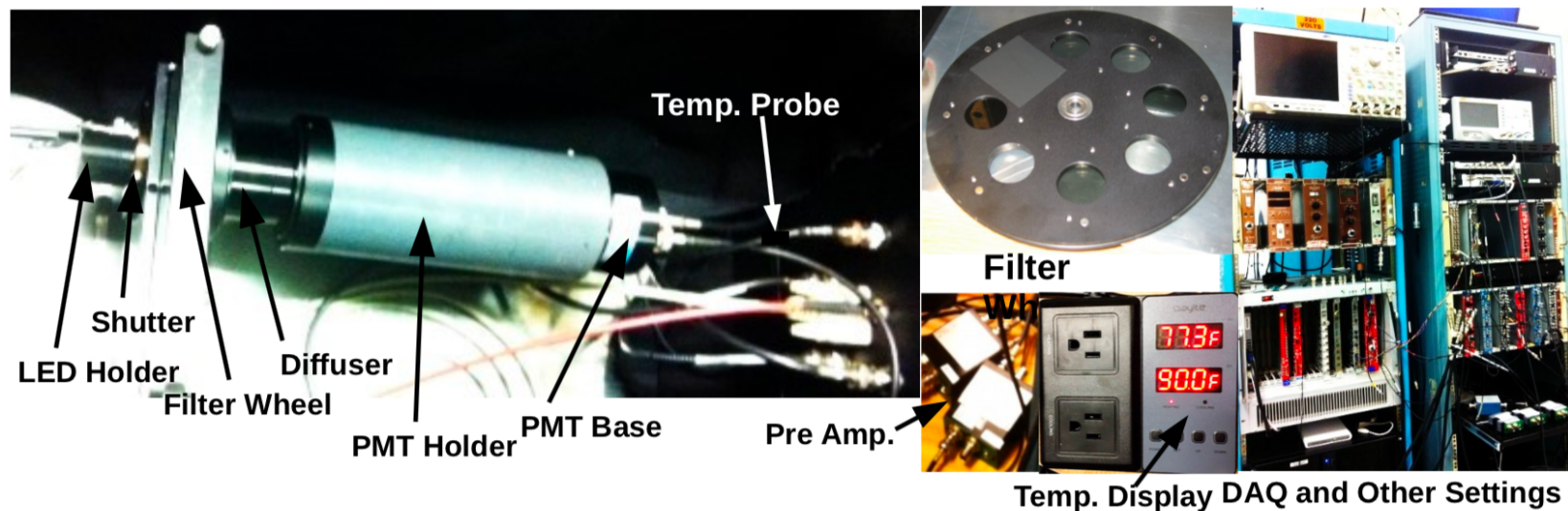
- Used 8 MeV e⁻ beam, 65 - 110mA I_{peak}, 4μs pulse width at 250 Hz, 310 – 880 W
- Water-cooled (15° C) aluminum brick w/ 1.5 cm radius hole (for beam) – more than adequate cooling.



- Irradiated several light guide material samples over a 3 day period from Mar 22 - 24, 2016:
- Miro-silver 4270
 - Anolux UVS
 - Miro 2000Ag (diffuse)
 - Miro-silver 27 (from Michael)
 - Alzak-Al and Alzak-Ag (from KK)
 - 1 mil, single-sided aluminized mylar

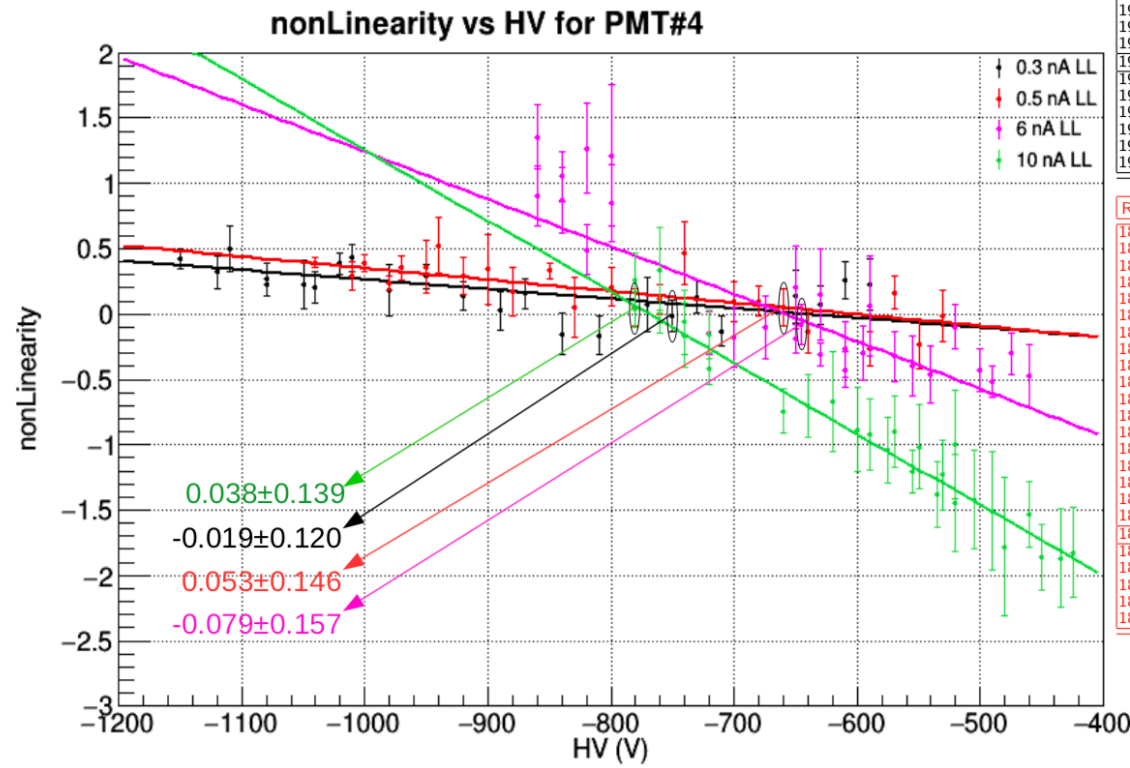


Linearity Test Box And Integrating DAQ



- LED Holder → holds two LEDs, each with 2 mm diameter collimation
- Electronic Shutter → has now been connected with a relay to turn it “ON” and “OFF” automatically at any interval with computer script
- Filter Wheel → Computer Controlled Edmund Optics’ Absorptive ND filters (400-700 nm) with 8 (100, 79, 63, 50, 40, 25, 10, 1)% transmission settings (~randomly ordered)
- Filter Wheel is now controlled automatically using a shell script
- UV Diffuser → Edmund Optics’ ground fused silica
- PMT Holder → 2” PMT with modified base for improved linearity
- Different pre-Amp settings with different resistances and offsets tested (MAIN, LUMI, KDPA, and SNS)

Summary for PMT#4



LL = 0.3 nA						LL = 6.0 nA					
Run	HV	PreAmp	non-Lin	Error	$\chi^2/6df$	Run	HV	PreAmp	non-Lin	Error	$\chi^2/6df$
1896	-1150	0.5	0.426	0.075	2.420	1843	-860	0.1	0.904	0.227	16.77
1897	-1120	0.5	0.320	0.123	5.564	1844	-840	0.1	0.869	0.251	25.18
1898	-1080	0.5	0.228	0.093	2.871	1845	-820	0.1	1.269	0.346	26.10
1899	-1040	0.5	0.200	0.120	5.120	1846	-800	0.1	0.848	0.295	29.19
1905	-1110	0.6	0.502	0.172	7.533	1847	-860	0.1	1.355	0.247	15.99
1906	-1080	0.6	0.268	0.125	8.046	1848	-840	0.1	1.054	0.194	14.76
1907	-1050	0.6	0.227	0.186	8.355	1849	-820	0.1	0.492	0.194	17.84
1908	-1020	0.6	0.389	0.083	2.008	1850	-800	0.1	1.211	0.541	98.22
1901	-1010	1.0	0.431	0.102	3.712	1834	-720	0.3	-0.148	0.163	9.668
1902	-980	1.0	0.182	0.193	16.58	1835	-700	0.3	-0.179	0.229	9.338
1903	-950	1.0	0.287	0.091	2.936	1837	-675	0.3	-0.104	0.242	13.89
1904	-920	1.0	0.137	0.112	3.769	1838	-650	0.3	0.205	0.316	24.99
1910	-890	2.0	0.027	0.146	7.582	1830	-650	0.5	-0.190	0.111	2.923
1912	-870	2.0	0.159	0.116	3.802	1831	-630	0.5	0.148	0.348	39.38
1913	-840	2.0	-0.154	0.160	4.930	1832	-610	0.5	-0.268	0.213	9.548
1914	-810	2.0	-0.162	0.151	7.075	1833	-595	0.5	-0.301	0.208	7.082
1919	-770	4.0	0.072	0.210	7.561	1839	-645	0.6	-0.079	0.157	6.576
1916	-750	4.0	-0.019	0.120	4.032	1851	-630	0.6	-0.308	0.084	2.558
1917	-730	4.0	0.133	0.130	3.262	1841	-610	0.6	-0.424	0.134	5.048
1918	-710	4.0	-0.130	0.117	3.480	1842	-590	0.6	0.065	0.383	29.23
1920	-650	10.0	0.139	0.202	8.691	1826	-570	1.0	-0.325	0.190	7.729
1921	-630	10.0	0.071	0.150	4.912	1827	-555	1.0	-0.397	0.228	9.533
1922	-610	10.0	0.256	0.144	2.719	1828	-540	1.0	-0.460	0.221	15.22
1923	-590	10.0	0.223	0.195	6.154	1829	-520	1.0	-0.099	0.170	5.098
						1819	-500	2.0	-0.428	0.166	5.703
						1820	-490	2.0	-0.518	0.124	3.582
						1821	-475	2.0	-0.301	0.159	4.882
						1822	-460	2.0	-0.469	0.241	9.740

LL = 0.5 nA						LL = 10.0 nA					
Run	HV	PreAmp	non-Lin	Error	$\chi^2/6df$	Run	HV	PreAmp	non-Lin	Error	$\chi^2/6df$
1863	-1040	0.5	0.393	0.039	0.7648	1786	-780	0.1	0.038	0.139	9.707
1865	-1010	0.5	0.289	0.108	4.324	1785	-760	0.1	0.333	0.330	21.84
1866	-980	0.5	0.238	0.051	0.9041	1782	-740	0.1	-0.163	0.244	18.23
1867	-950	0.5	0.360	0.202	19.54	1783	-720	0.1	-0.160	0.187	11.51
1857	-1000	0.6	0.393	0.064	1.595	1787	-780	0.1	0.262	0.204	22.53
1859	-970	0.6	0.354	0.095	3.488	1788	-760	0.1	-0.057	0.092	3.948
1860	-940	0.6	0.525	0.212	15.26	1789	-740	0.1	-0.060	0.247	20.74
1861	-920	0.6	0.297	0.142	5.493	1790	-720	0.1	-0.417	0.122	7.334
1868	-900	1.0	0.344	0.269	29.49	1791	-660	0.3	-0.743	0.171	5.325
1869	-880	1.0	0.170	0.184	11.66	1792	-640	0.3	-0.698	0.241	12.76
1870	-850	1.0	0.331	0.062	0.7265	1793	-620	0.3	-0.672	0.380	23.75
1872	-830	1.0	0.055	0.231	13.05	1794	-600	0.3	-0.885	0.325	35.99
1873	-800	2.0	0.206	0.148	5.657	1799	-590	0.5	-0.920	0.274	26.76
1874	-780	2.0	0.055	0.144	7.464	1800	-570	0.5	-0.901	0.271	16.07
1875	-760	2.0	0.113	0.114	3.686	1801	-550	0.5	-1.015	0.320	33.61
1876	-740	2.0	0.469	0.237	16.29	1802	-530	0.5	-1.231	0.265	14.08
1877	-700	4.0	0.095	0.157	6.243	1795	-575	0.6	-1.042	0.254	10.40
1878	-680	4.0	0.097	0.114	2.977	1796	-555	0.6	-1.205	0.164	5.487
1879	-660	4.0	0.053	0.146	4.984	1803	-535	0.6	-1.378	0.253	16.20
1881	-640	4.0	-0.130	0.166	8.138	1798	-520	0.6	-1.446	0.374	21.15
1883	-590	10.0	-0.266	0.130	3.332	1804	-520	1.0	-0.998	0.411	29.96
1884	-570	10.0	0.166	0.124	3.616	1805	-505	1.0	-1.421	0.379	23.99
1885	-550	10.0	-0.237	0.186	6.346	1806	-490	1.0	-1.506	0.458	25.02
1886	-530	10.0	-0.009	0.197	5.260	1807	-480	1.0	-1.780	0.528	53.54
						1808	-460	2.0	-1.530	0.253	12.60
						1809	-450	2.0	-1.865	0.252	16.29
						1810	-435	2.0	-1.870	0.376	26.69
						1811	-425	2.0	-1.823	0.348	17.32

Plans for MOLLER pmt Linearity Measurements

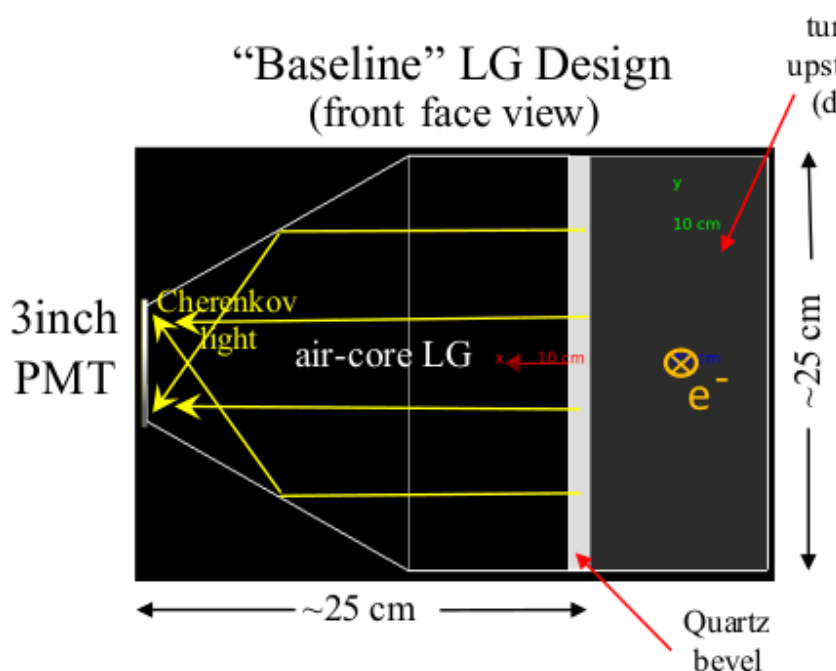
- Apparatus and technique validated for PREX pmts at 240 Hz ff
 - Conclusion: want pmt $I_C \lesssim 15\text{nA}$ and $I_A \sim 20 - 30 \mu\text{A}$
 - Anticipate $< 0.5\%$ non-linearity systematic for PREX-II and even better for CREX
 - Measurements routinely find HV and preamp settings with non-linearity deviations at 0.1 - 0.2% level
- While 30, 120, and 240 Hz ff data give very similar/same results, we see differences at 480 Hz ff—possibly a result of thermal or other instabilities in the flashing LED
- To address expected problems at 960 Hz ff, we plan to implement a chopper wheel setup with phase-locked controller to shutter the LED instead of flash it (M. Gericke's idea)

Plans for MOLLER pmt Linearity Measurements

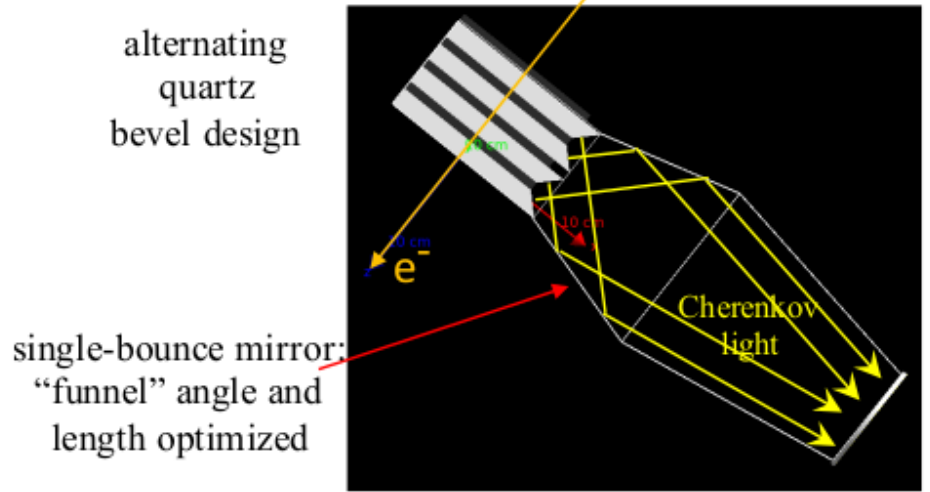
- ISU group has two ET 9305KQB pmts with factory bases in hand to start testing this fall
 - Anticipated light levels or PE (I_C) currents for central-open ring5 pmts at ~ 16 nA (~ 4 GHz, ~ 25 PEs/ e^-)
 - Will require custom tuned base divider to achieve desired 0.1% non-linearity
 - M. Gericke and group will design bases for future tests; for now, two different factory bases were purchased: one standard circuit and one tapered (for high pulsed linearity)
- A non-trivial complication for precision measurements is calibrating the incident light level or photocathode current. We use special unity gain bases for PREX/CREX; need this for MOLLER

Baseline Design Stack and Light Guide Concepts

- Detector concept uses a layered “stack” of tungsten and fused silica (quartz) to induce EM showering and produce Cherenkov light
- “Baseline” design developed using GEANT4 optical MC simulation:
 - Current design uses a **4-layer stack** with **8 mm tungsten** and **10 mm quartz** pieces
 - Cherenkov light directed to **3 inch PMT** using **air-core, aluminum light guide**



4-layer Stack: 8mm thick tungsten (dark grey), interleaved with 10 mm thick quartz (white)



Materials (all rad-hard):

- Tungsten is high purity (99.95%) and quartz is optically polished Spectrosil 2000
- Light guides are aluminum specular reflectors (Miro-silver 27, Anolux, or al. mylar, ...)
- Total radiation length: $9.1 X_0$ tungsten + $0.4 X_0$ quartz = $9.5 X_0$

Quartz and Tungsten Ordered in Nov 2017

- For “benchmarking” prototype stack:
 - Quartz: 6 mm (thick) by 86 mm (tall) by 40 mm (wide) --4 pieces (\$975/piece = \$3.9k)
 - Quartz: 10 mm (thick) by 90 mm (tall) by 40 mm (wide) --4 pieces (\$1005/piece = \$4.0k)
 - Tungsten: 6 mm (thick) by 80 mm (tall) by 40 mm (wide) – 4 pieces (\$85/piece = \$340)
 - Tungsten: 8 mm (thick) by 80 mm (tall) by 40 mm (wide) – 4 pieces (\$110/piece = \$440)
 - Tungsten: 2 mm (thick) by 80 mm (tall) by 40 mm (wide) – 4 pieces (\$25/piece = \$100)
- For “full-scale” prototype stack:
 - Quartz: 6 mm (thick) by 111 mm (tall) by 246 mm (wide) -- 4 pieces (~\$1750/piece = \$7.0k)
 - Quartz: 10 mm (thick) by 115 mm (tall) by 246 mm (wide) -- 4 pieces (~\$1940/piece = \$7.8k)
 - Tungsten: 6 mm (thick) by 105 mm (tall) by 246 mm (wide) – 4 pieces (\$600/piece = \$2.5k)
 - Tungsten: 8 mm (thick) by 105 mm (tall) by 246 mm (wide) – 4 pieces (\$820/piece = \$3.2k)
 - Tungsten: 2 mm (thick) by 105 mm (tall) by 246 mm (wide) – 4 pieces (\$200/piece = \$0.8k)

Purchasing these pieces allows for Configs 1, 3, and 4 (A and B) to be tested

Total quartz: \$25k, total tungsten: \$7.5k: Total = \$32.5k

- This purchase enables construction of two benchmarking and two full-scale prototype sets
- Building two sets of prototypes will allow for more efficient testing during both SLAC testbeam and cosmic tests at SBU and ISU. We can each build a different configuration to test

MOLLER Task Tracking: ISU Tasks

Subsystem	Task	Description	Status	Owner	Relation to Director's Review Report	Estimated Completion Date
Detectors	Radiation hardness of detector components	Investigate which detector components need radiation testing and carry out 50 MRad test	Michael and Dustin devise a plan. Status: Initial list being established	Dustin	Page 12: ``..., all components in the scattered beam envelope should show negligible damage up to 50 MRad.''	May 2019
Detectors	QC plan for main detector quartz	Devise plan to evaluate robustness of main detector quartz (Redundant with ``radiation hardness of detector components'')	Michael and Dustin to devise a plan? Not yet started	Dustin	Page 12: Recommendation: ``Conduct radiation damage tests to at least 50 MRad to qualify fused silica for use in the thin detector	May 2019
Detectors	Shower-Max module mechanical assembly design	This task incorporates the physical design and prototyping of the showerMax detector, as well as the associated mechanical mounting structure	Advanced state of first prototype design, including mechanical assembly	Dustin	Not explicitly mentioned	May 2018

Radiation Hardness Test plan Update

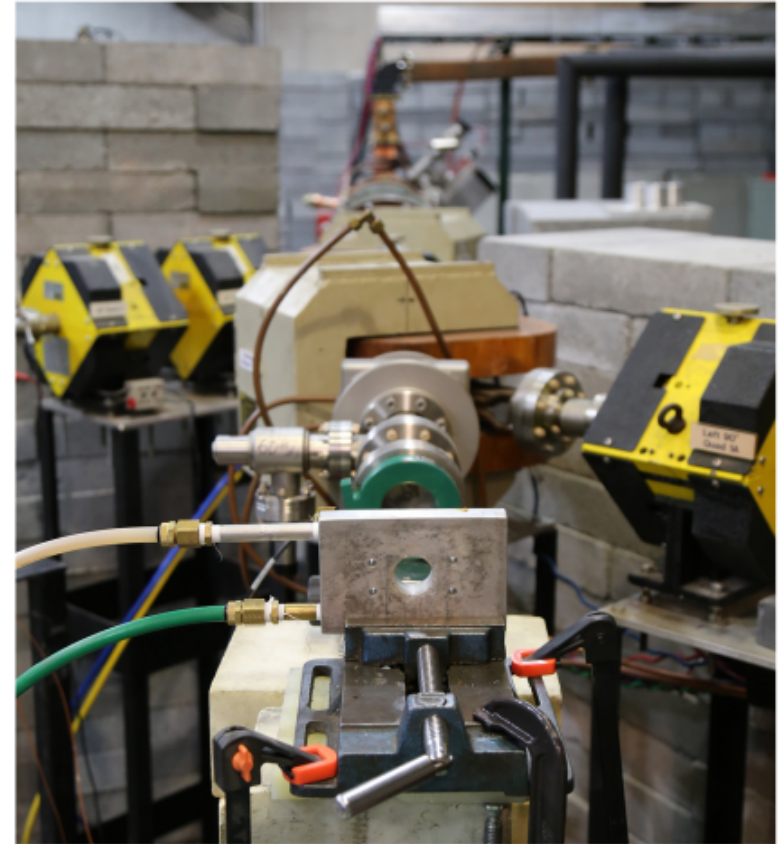
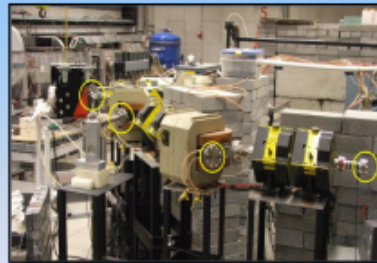
- Radiation hardness testing of mechanical assembly materials and parts (ISU, UM)
 - ❖ Irradiated several light-guide (LG) material samples over a 3 day test run from Mar 22 - 24, 2016 at the Idaho Accelerator Center (IAC) using 8 MeV, 65 mA I_{peak} , 4 μ s pulse width at 250 Hz rep-rate (dose exposure rate was calculated but too high to measure):
 - Measured LG specular reflectivity for 200 – 800 nm at 90, 60, 45, and 30 degrees.
 - No measurable change in reflectivity was detected for $\gg 50$ MRad exposure
 - ❖ Other assembly materials to test could include Kapton and Tedlar (light tight wrappings) and possibly 3D-printed custom plastic assembly components (Nylon, ABS, PLA, ...) as well as high-density shielding plastics, epoxies, ...
- Radiation hardness testing of electronic components: active bases, preamps, ... (ISU, UM)
- Main Detector Quartz Robustness (radiation hardness, QA, etc.) (ISU, UM)
 - ❖ Apparatus developed to make relative transparency measurements between 200 – 800 nm
 - Uses Ocean Optics USB spectrometer, UV-Visible light source, custom holder/stand
 - ❖ Energy deposition calculations (dE/dx and brem) underway for 8 MeV beam and 1.5 cm thick quartz—for heating and thermal expansion considerations (do not want to crack quartz)
 - ❖ Developed plan to calibrate and monitor beam dose exposure during study
 - ❖ Had a 1 day IAC test run on May 31, 2018; dose exposure rates calibrated; performed preliminary quartz irradiation test

Radiation Hardness QA for quartz and other components

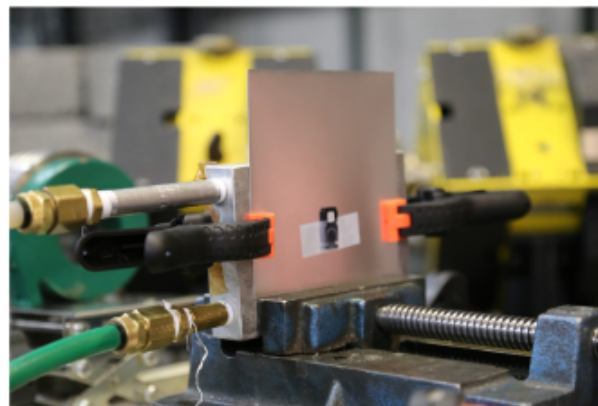
25 MeV LINAC (Main Hall and Airport)

RF Frequency: 2856 MHz (S-Band)
 Energy Range: ~4~25 MeV (current varies)
 Pulse Width: ~50ns to 4 micro seconds
 Repetition Rate: single pulse to 360 Hz
 Ports: 0 degree, 45 degree and 90 degree (Beam energy resolution ~ 1+/- 15%)

25B Energy vs Current			
Energy (MeV)	0 port (mA)	45 port (mA)	90 port (mA)
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- The key issue is how well can we calibrate dose exposure?



- Performed a 1 day engineering run this past spring to address this question as well as perform preliminary radiation hardness QA quartz studies

Radiation Hardness QA for quartz and other components

- Performed 1 day irradiation study on Spectrosil 2000 quartz and 3D printed ABS plastic samples
- Tests performed on May 31, 2018 at the Idaho Accelerator Center (IAC) using 8 GeV electrons
- Dose exposure rates calibrated using thermographic film dosimetry measurements
- Quartz transparency measurements taken at 10, 30, and 60 MRad exposure levels
- Plastic dogbones radiated at similar levels and tensile strength (stretching) measurements made

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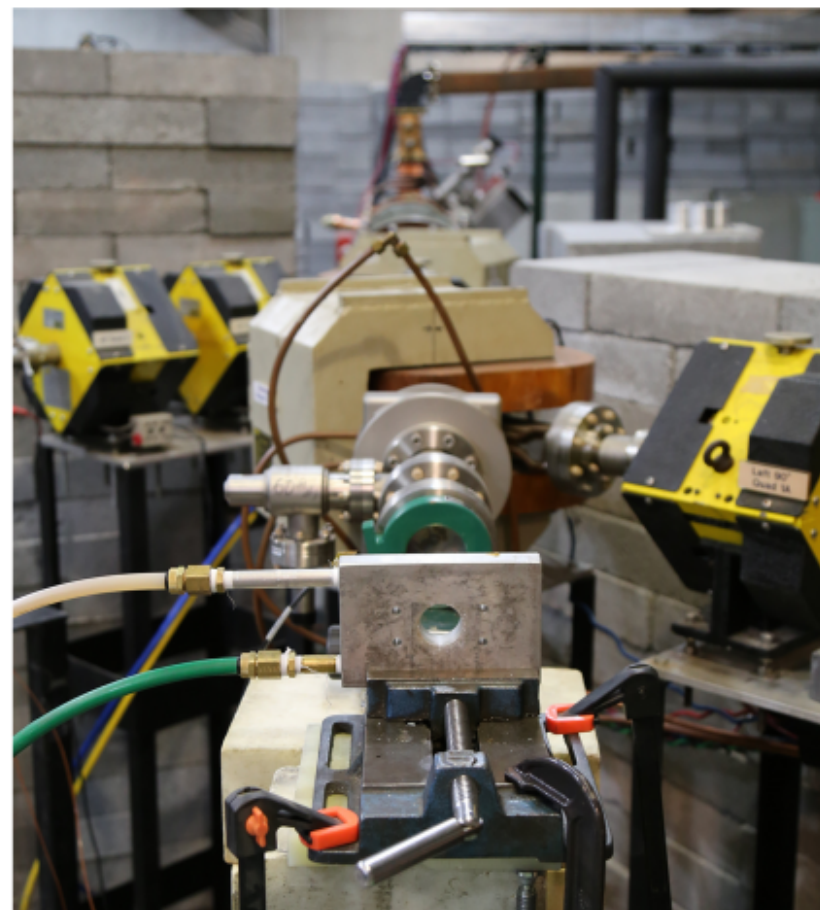
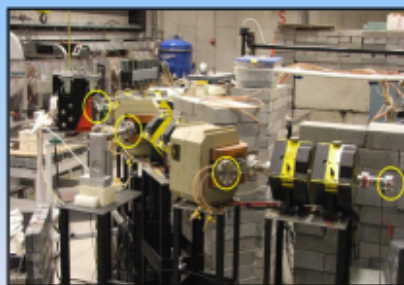
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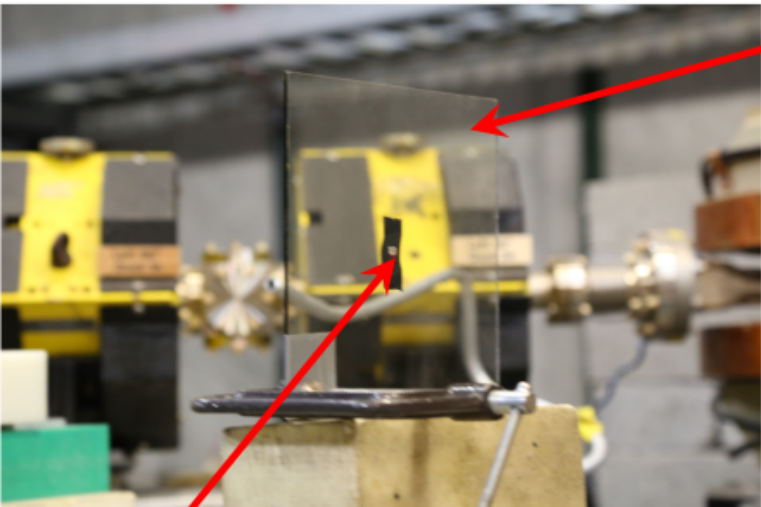
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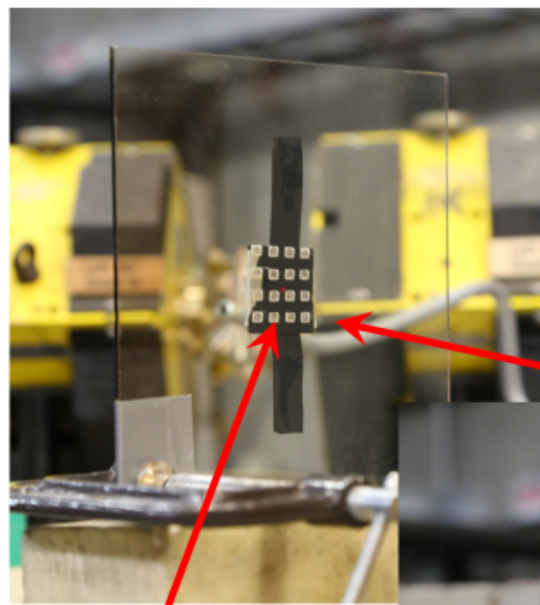


Beam Dose Exposure Rate Calibrations (May 2018)

ISU MS degree student Connor Harper's thesis based on this work:
<https://www2.cose.isu.edu/~mcnudust/publication/studentWork/connorHarperThesis.pdf>



Glass slide for spot profile measurements

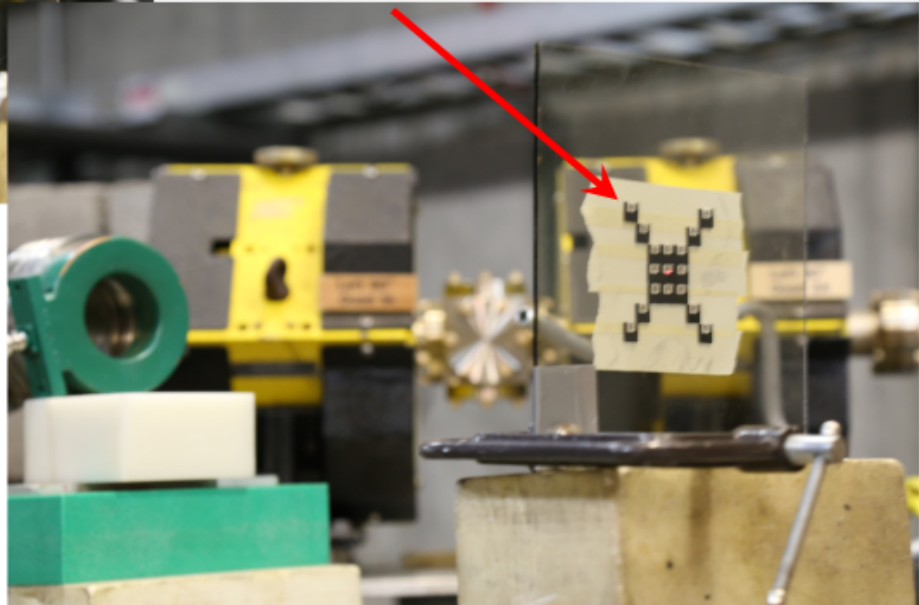


OSL arrays for dose profile measurements

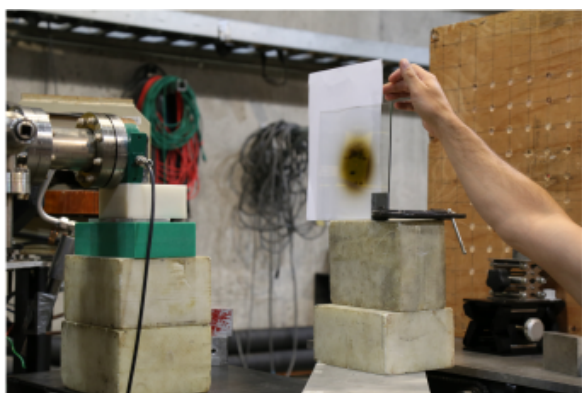
Optically Stimulated Luminescence (OSL) dosimeter (~ 7 mm by 7 mm square)



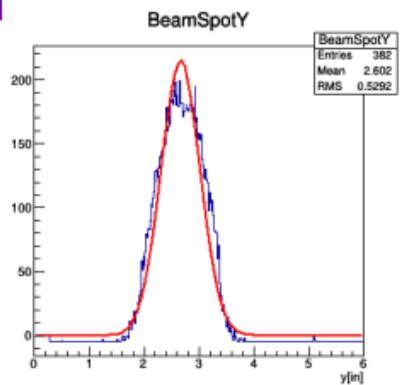
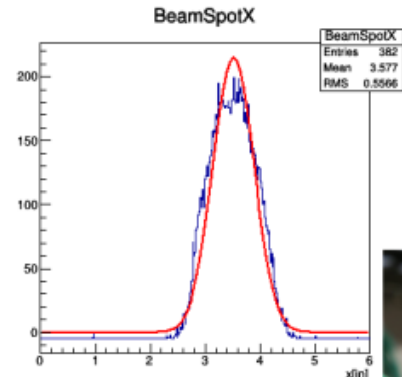
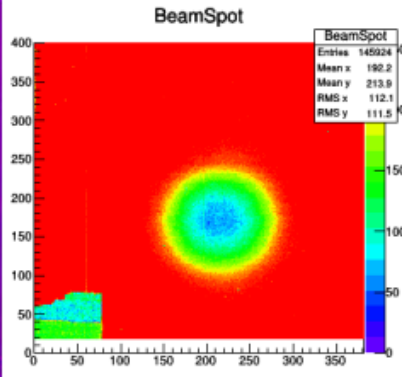
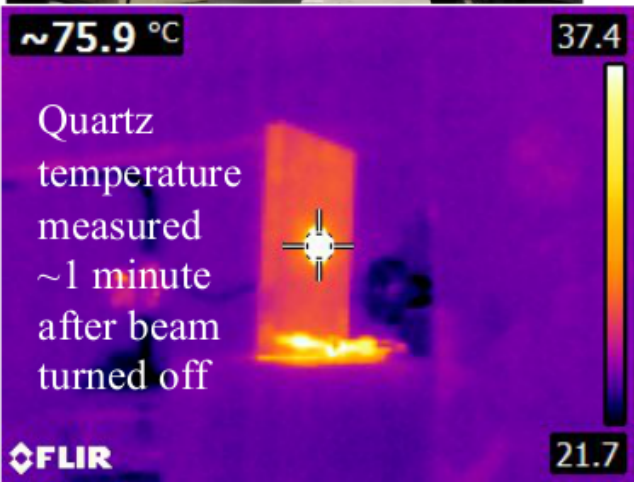
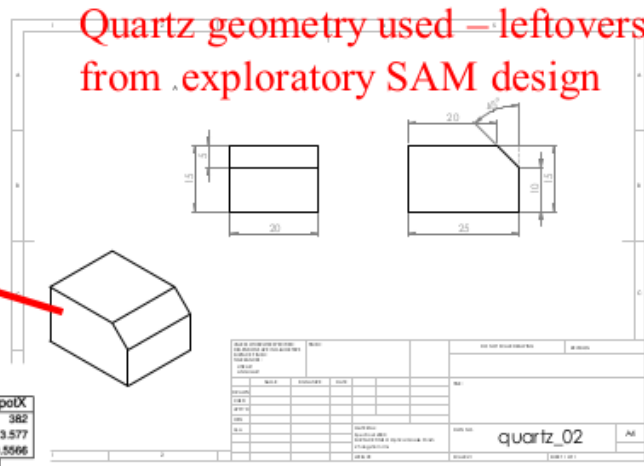
Laser alignment



Quartz Irradiations (May 2018)



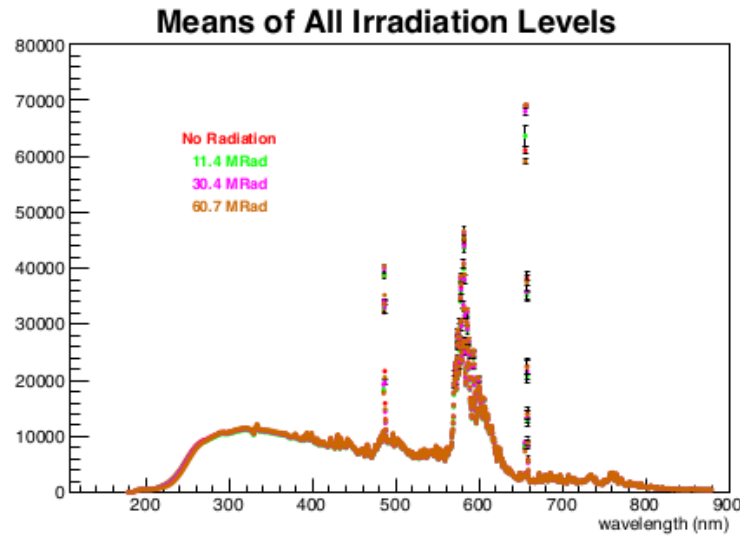
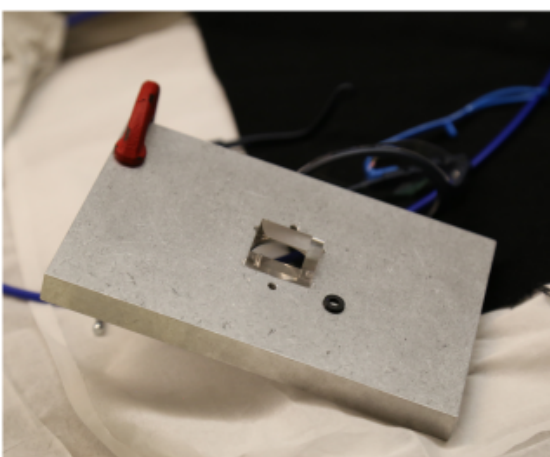
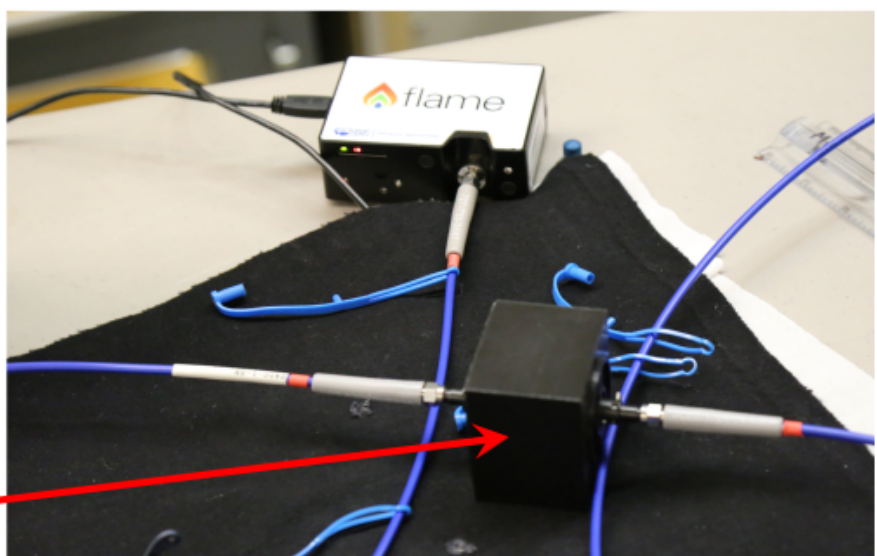
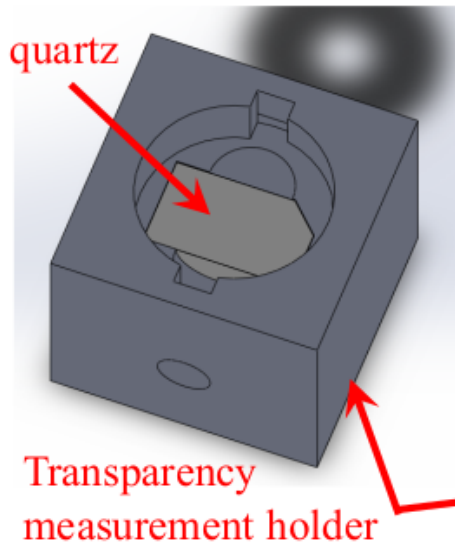
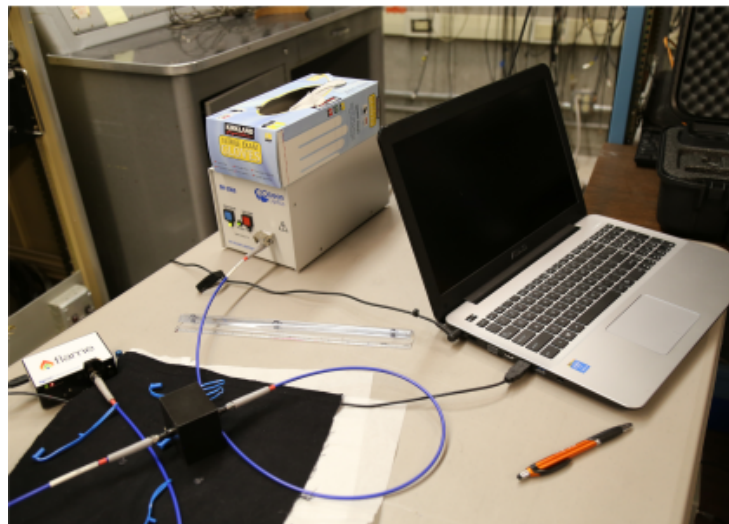
Aluminum quartz holder



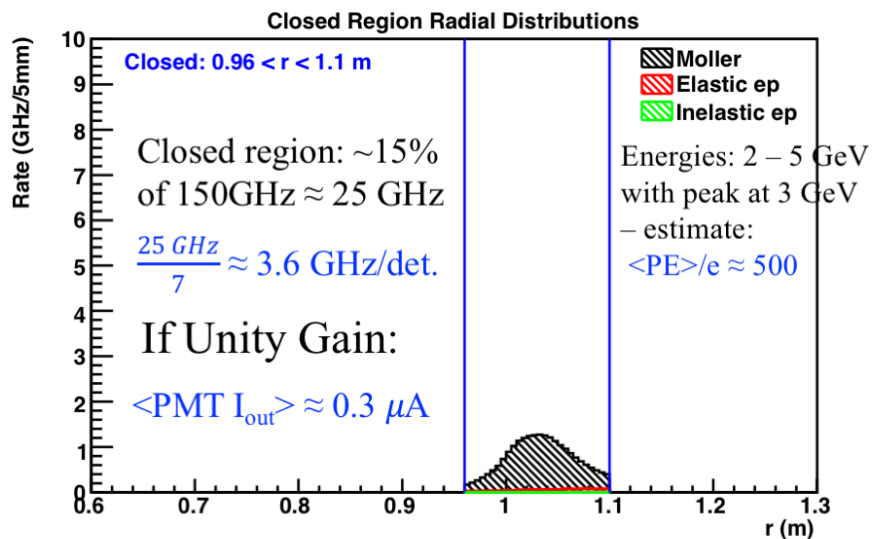
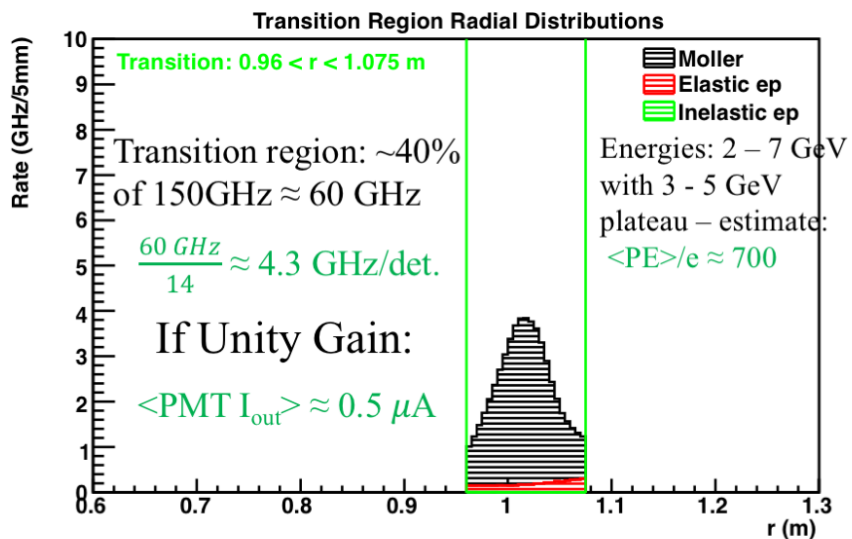
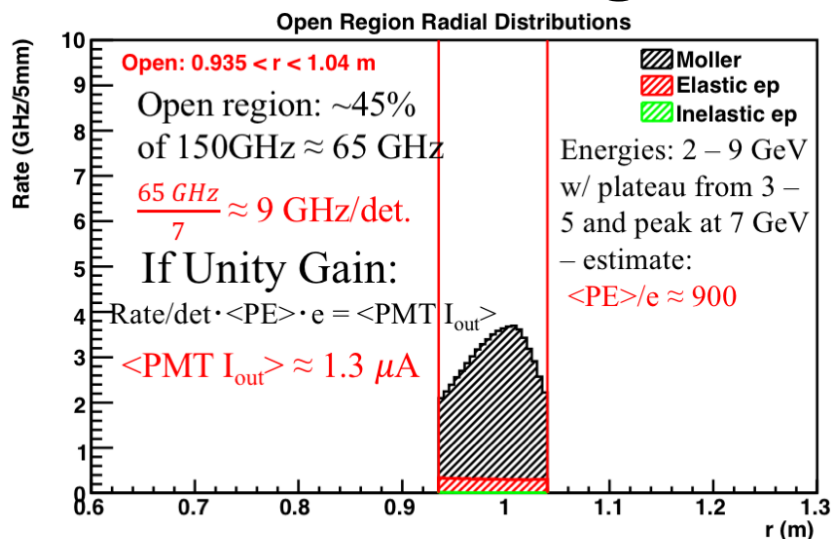
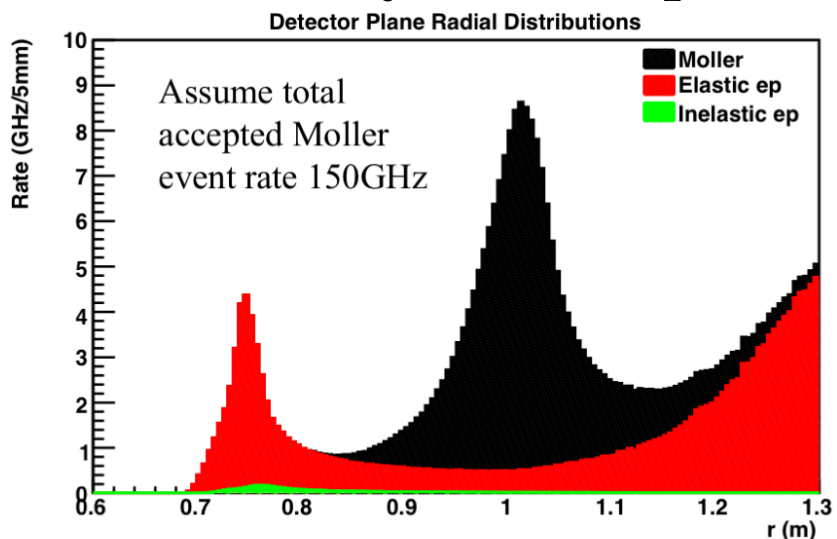
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 glass plate at 50cm from beam window



Quartz Transparency Measurements



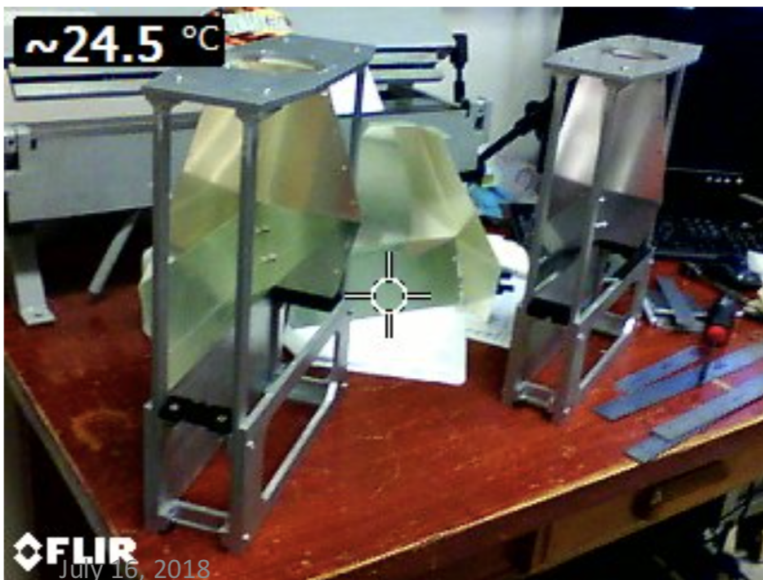
Unity Gain operation with Baseline design?



- Could be possible to use conventional 3” pmts with electronic switching between unity gain base (integrating mode) and high gain base (counting mode)

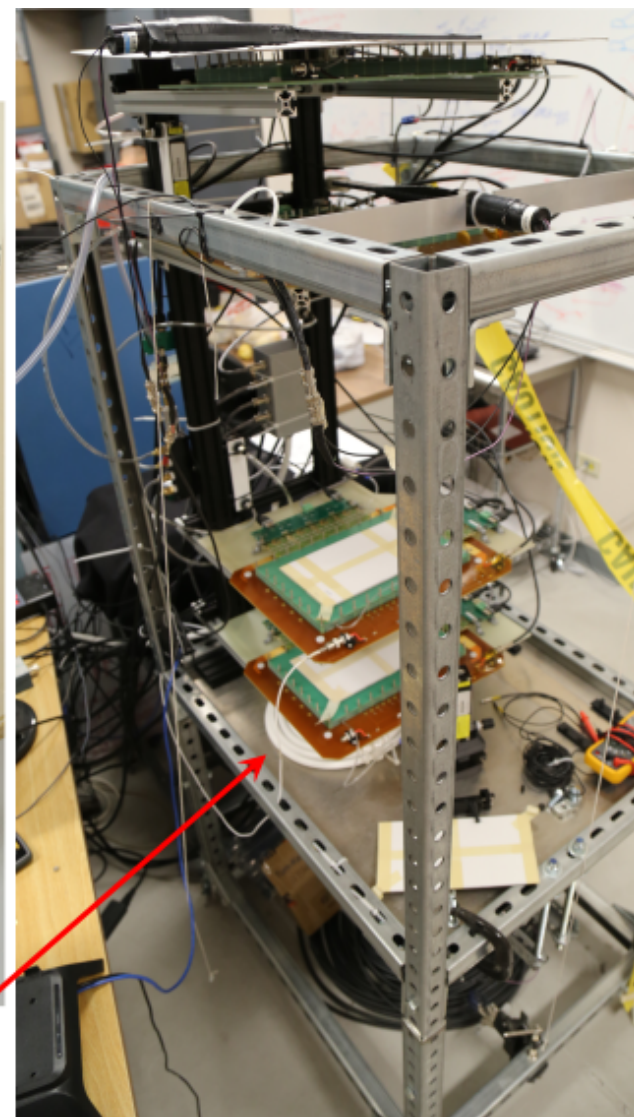
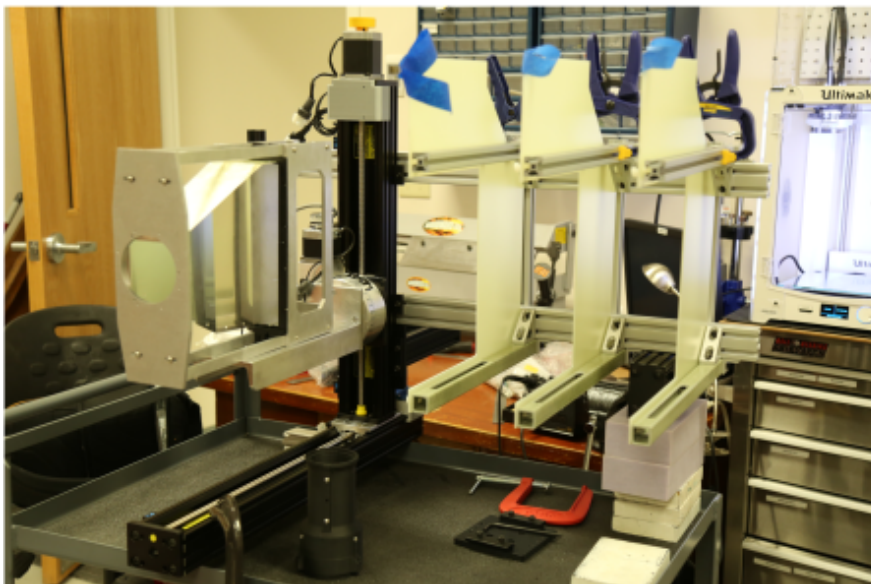
ShowerMax Prototype Construction Timeline

- Feb - Mar 2018: Benchmarking prototype frames fabricated with 3D-printer using ABS plastic (configs 1A and 1B)
- April 2018: Full-scale aluminum frame and light guide cut-outs fabricated at machine shop
- May 2018: Light guide bending and frame assembly at ISU for full-scale configs 1A and 1B
- June 2018: Config 1A full-scale and benchmarking prototype frames and LG delivered to SBU for stack assembly and installation



Testbeam Apparatus under construction

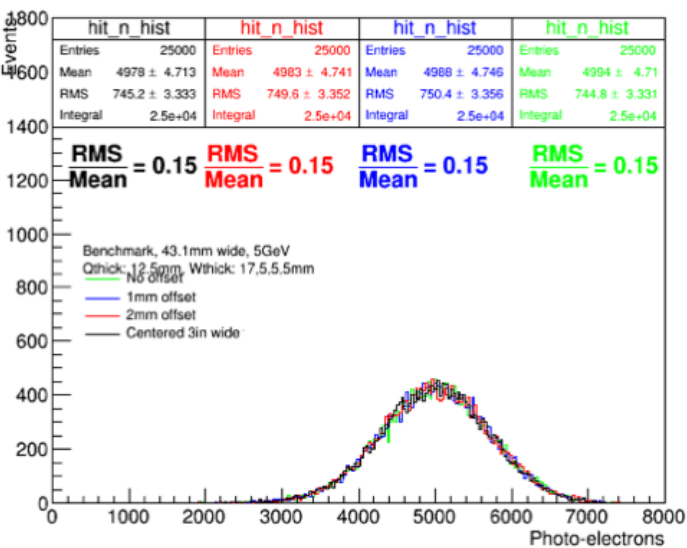
- Testbeam stand under construction
- Motion control system in place
- GEM system is operational, analysis software under development



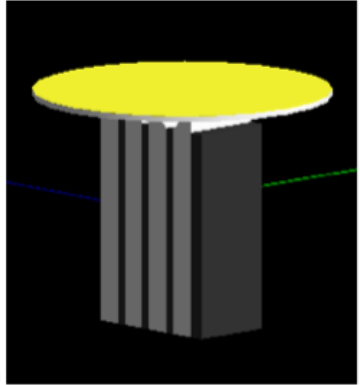
ISU Cosmic stand with 4 GEM chambers

Candidate Design for Stack Prototype: Config #2

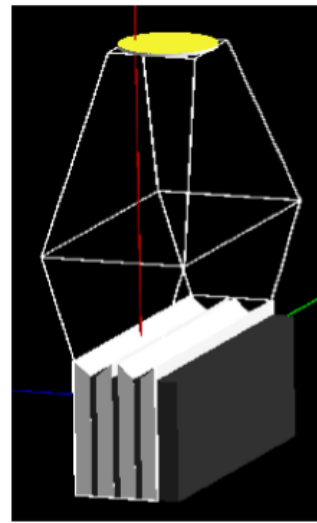
Non-uniform Benchmarking Showermax



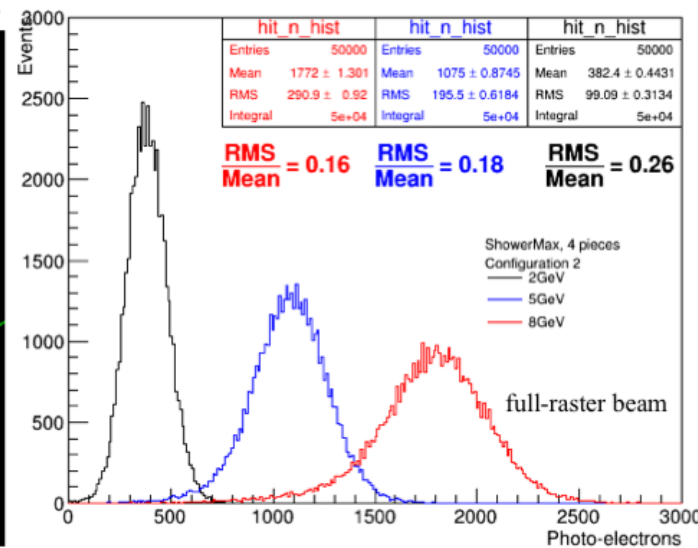
BenchMarking MC Visualization



Full Scale MC Vis.



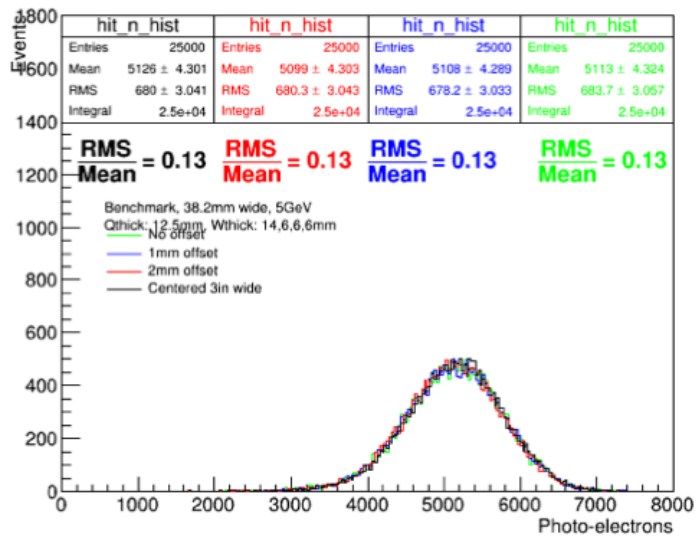
ShowerMax - Config 2



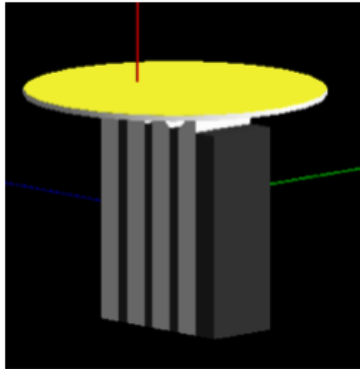
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2	17	12.5	5	65	43.2	9.5	11.0	~0 ~0	~0 ~0	~0 ~0	2412 4994	0.19 0.15	382 1075 1772	0.26 0.18 0.16

Candidate Design for Stack Prototype: Config #3

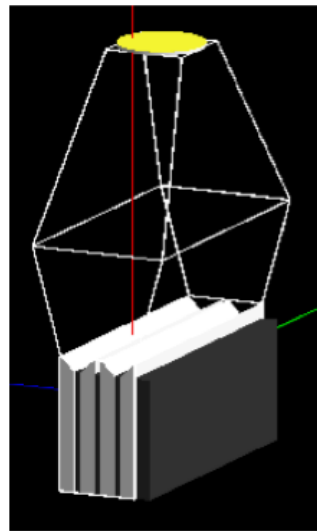
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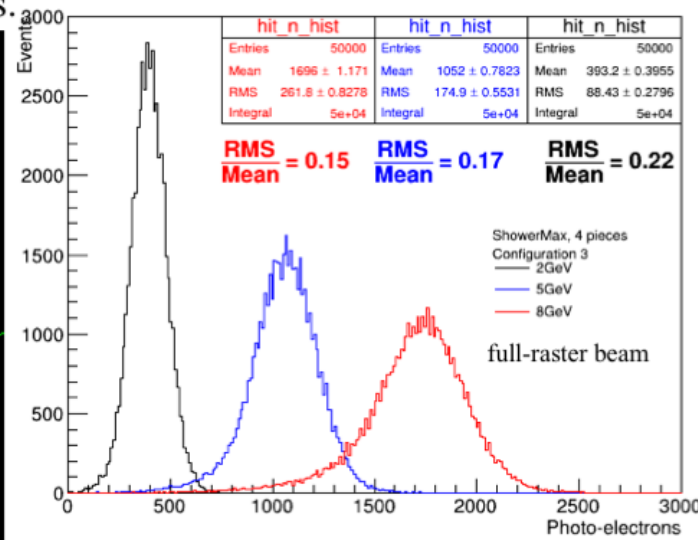
BenchMarking MC Visualization



Full Scale MC Vis.

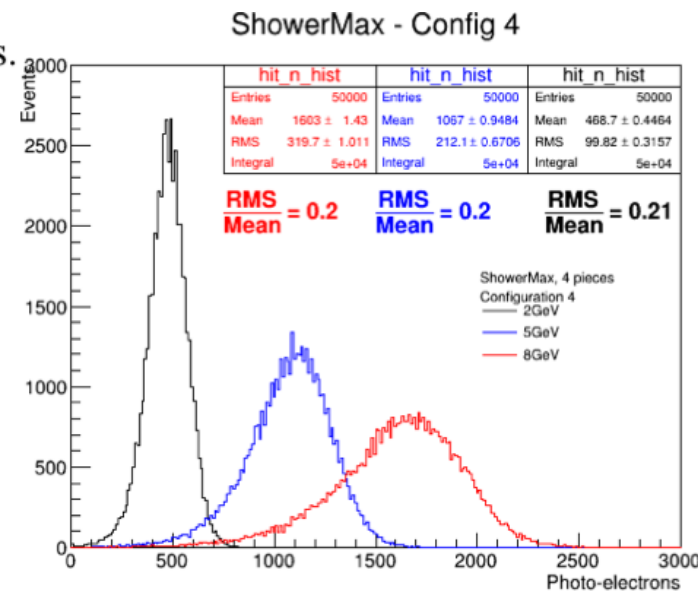
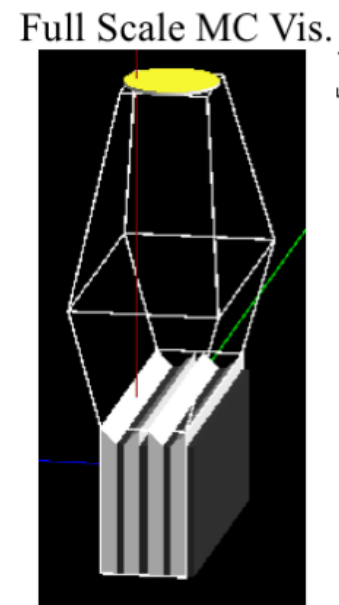
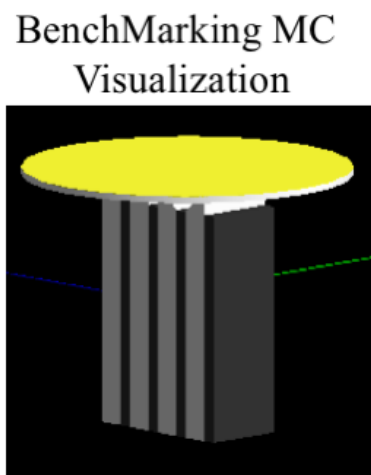
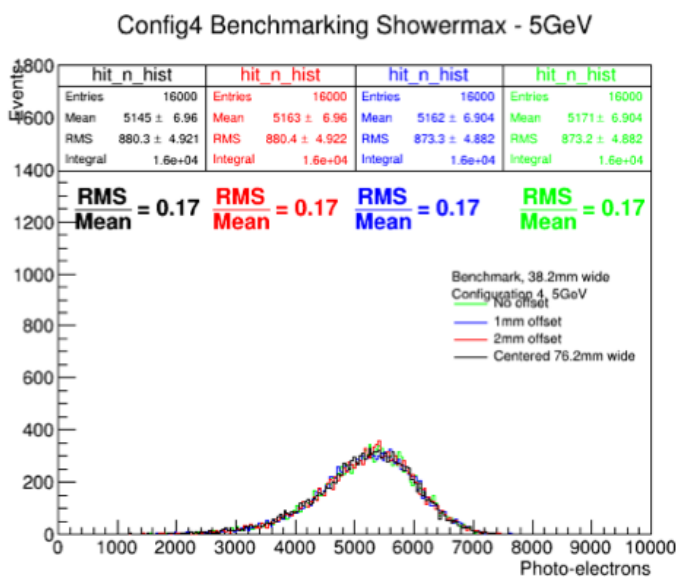


ShowerMax - Config 3



Config #	t _f (mm)	t _q (mm)	t _w (mm)	b (mm)	a (mm)	X ₀	R _{mol} (mm)	Leakage (%) 2, 5, 8 GeV from G4 MC	1mm offset Leakage (%)	2mm offset Leakage (%)	Bench. Mean PEs	Bench. RMS / Mean	full- scale Mean PEs	full-scale RMS / Mean
3	14	12.5	6	68	38.2	9.5	11.0	0.5 0.3	0.6 0.4	0.8 0.5	2412 5113	0.19 0.13	393 1052 1696	0.22 0.17 0.15

Candidate Design for Stack Prototype: Config #4



Config #	t _f (mm)	t _a (mm)	t _w (mm)	b (mm)	a (mm)	X ₀	R _{mol} (mm)	Leakage (%) 2, 5, 8 GeV from G4 MC	1mm offset Leakage (%)	2mm offset Leakage (%)	Bench. Mean PEs	Bench. RMS / Mean	full- scale Mean PEs	full-scale RMS / Mean
4	6	12.5	6	68	38.2	7.3	11.0	~0 ~0	~0 ~0	~0 ~0	5171	0.17	469 1067 1603	0.21 0.20 0.20

Simulation Results for new Stack Configs

Config #	t_f (mm)	t_q (mm)	t_w (mm)	b (mm)	Max A (mm)	X	Tungsten Weight (N)	Quartz Weight (N)	Total Weight (N)	Moliere R_m (mm)
1A	8	10	8	64	44.59	9.46	156.09	35.57	191.66	11.00
1B	8	6	8	48	61.48	9.33	156.09	35.57	191.66	11.00
4A	6	10	8	64	44.59	8.89	146.33	35.57	181.91	11.11
4B	6	6	6	42	65.73	7.04	117.07	35.57	152.64	11.53

Benchmark - 2GeV				
Config #	RMS/Mean	Leakage (%)	Leakage 2mm offset (%)	Leakage 2° angle (%)
1A	0.17	0	0	-0.1
1B	0.19	0	0	0.2
4A	0.19	0	0	-
4B	0.21	0	0	-

Full Scale ShowerMax – 2GeV			
Config #	RMS	Mean	RMS/Mean
1A	63.36	315.9	0.20
1B	45.46	197.7	0.23
4A**	60.16	300.2	0.20
4B**	39.67	179.3	0.22

Benchmark - 5GeV				
Config #	RMS/Mean	Leakage (%)	Leakage 2mm offset (%)	Leakage 2° angle (%)
1A	0.13	0.04	0.09	-0.4
1B	0.14	0	0	0.2
4A	0.17	0.06	0.3	-
4B	0.19	0	0	-

Full Scale ShowerMax – 5GeV			
Config #	RMS	Mean	RMS/Mean
1A	123.7	768.5	0.16
1B	87.82	473.6	0.19
4A**	126.8	677.4	0.19
4B**	80.61	397.4	0.20

Benchmark – 8GeV				
Config #	RMS/Mean	Leakage (%)	Leakage 2mm offset (%)	Leakage 2° angle (%)
1A	0.12	0	0	-
1B	0.13	0	0	-
4A*	0.18	0	0	-
4B	0.19	0	0	-

Full Scale ShowerMax – 8GeV			
Config #	RMS	Mean	RMS/Mean
1A	183.2	1197	0.15
1B	129.1	732.3	0.18
4A**	187.9	1012	0.19
4B**	118.8	591.3	0.20