

A visualization of a cosmic ray shower, showing a central point from which numerous lines radiate outwards, representing the paths of secondary particles. The background is dark with some faint, wispy structures.

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RISULTATI DELLE MISURE

DATI

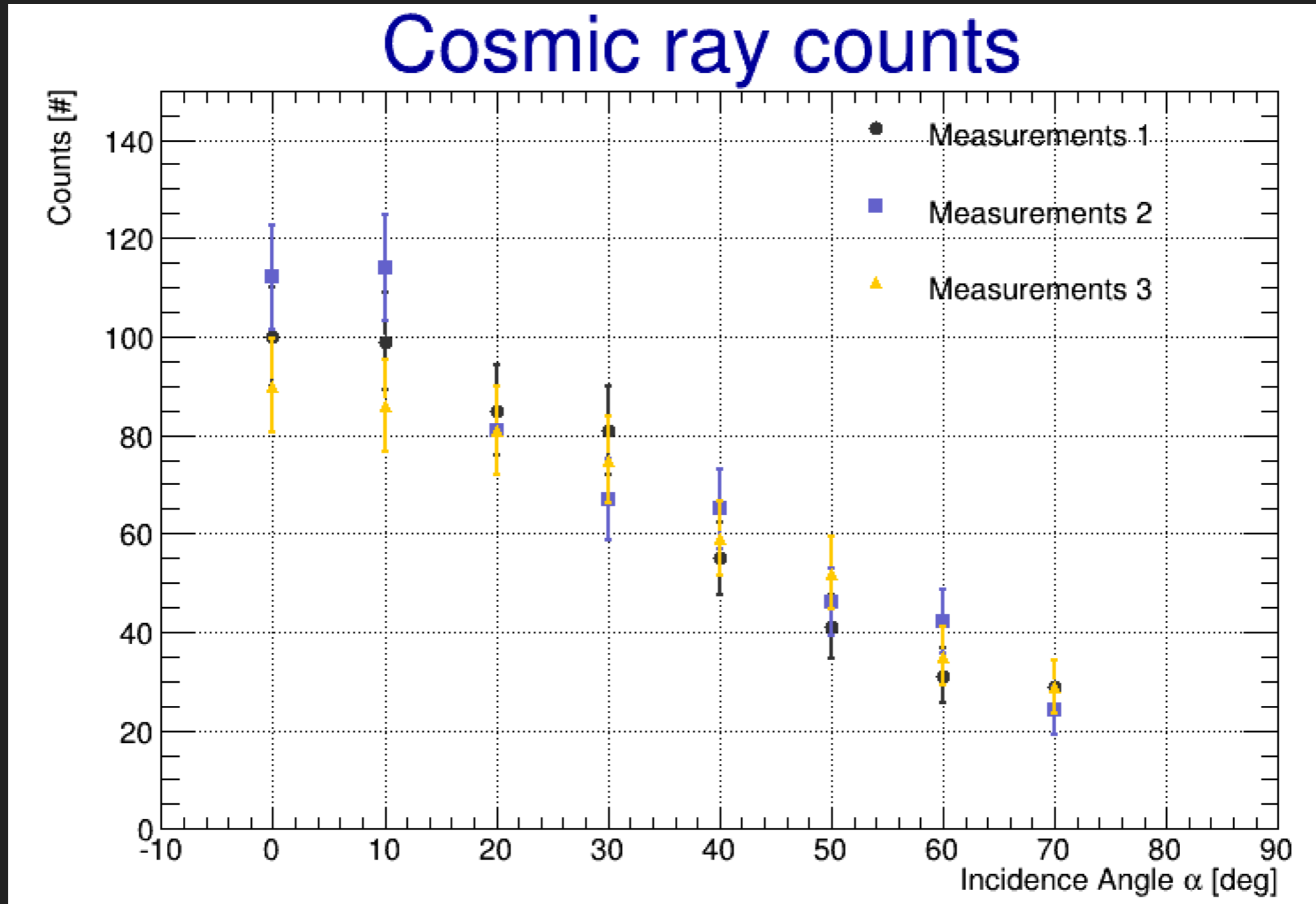
Calcolatelo voi!

Misuriamo insieme

Calcolatelo voi

Angolo [deg]	Misura 1	Misura 2	Misura 3	Media	Errore Media	Precisione della Misura	Misura in "real time"	Errore	Compatibilità tra media e misura real time
0	100	112	90	100,7	10,0	10%	114,0	10,7	0,91
10	99	114	86	99,7	10,0	10%	115,0	10,7	1,05
20	85	81	81	82,3	9,1	11%	108,0	10,4	1,86
30	81	67	75	74,3	8,6	11%	95	9,7	1,59
40	55	65	59	59,7	7,7	13%	75	8,7	1,32
50	41	46	52	46,3	6,8	15%	68	8,2	2,03
60	31	42	35	36,0	6,0	17%	39	6,2	0,35
70	29	24	29	27,3	5,2	19%	32	5,7	0,61

MISURE NEL NOSTRO UFFICIO (28.11.2018)



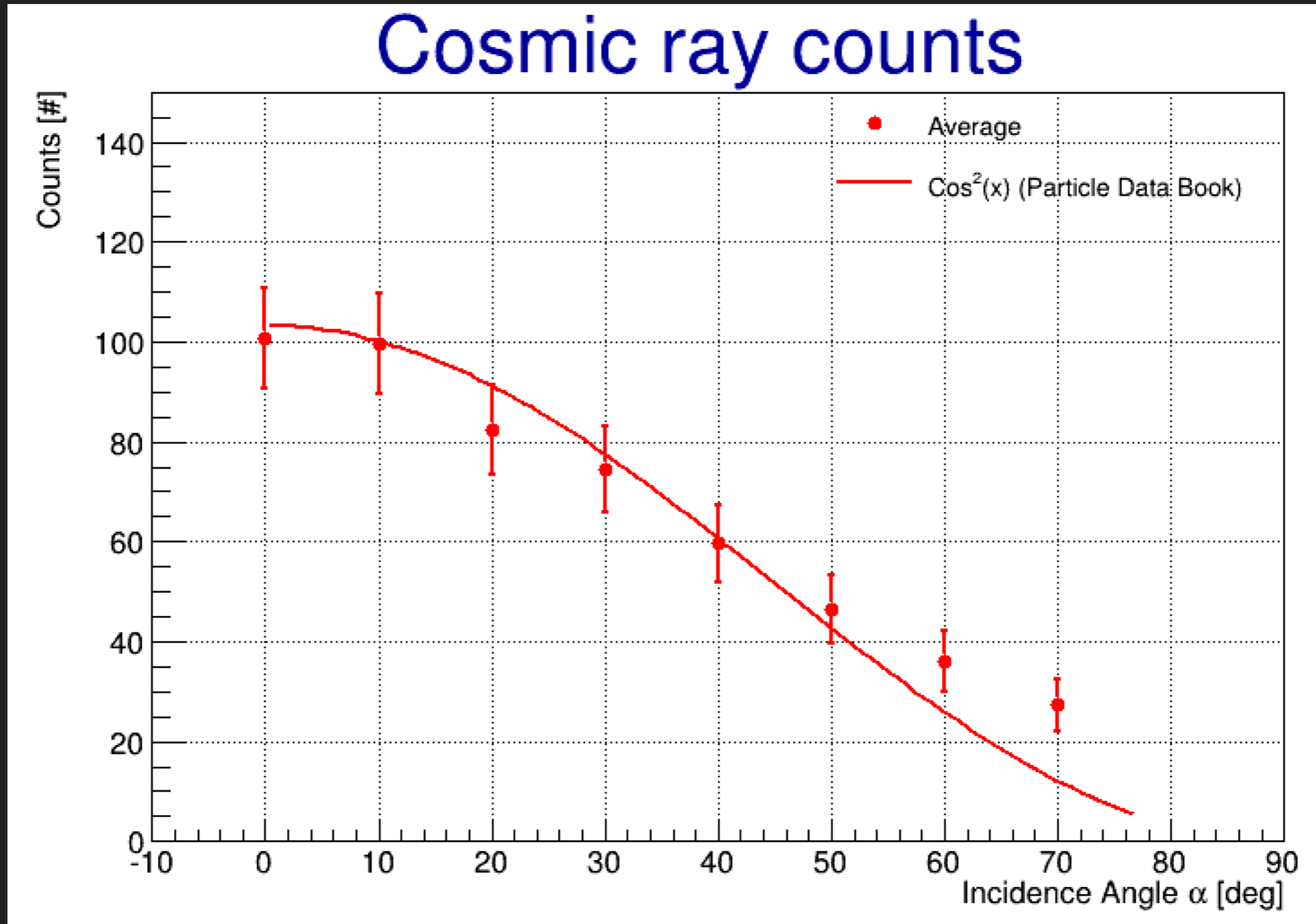
ANDAMENTO DELLE MISURE: PARTICLE DATA BOOK



29.3. Cosmic rays at the surface

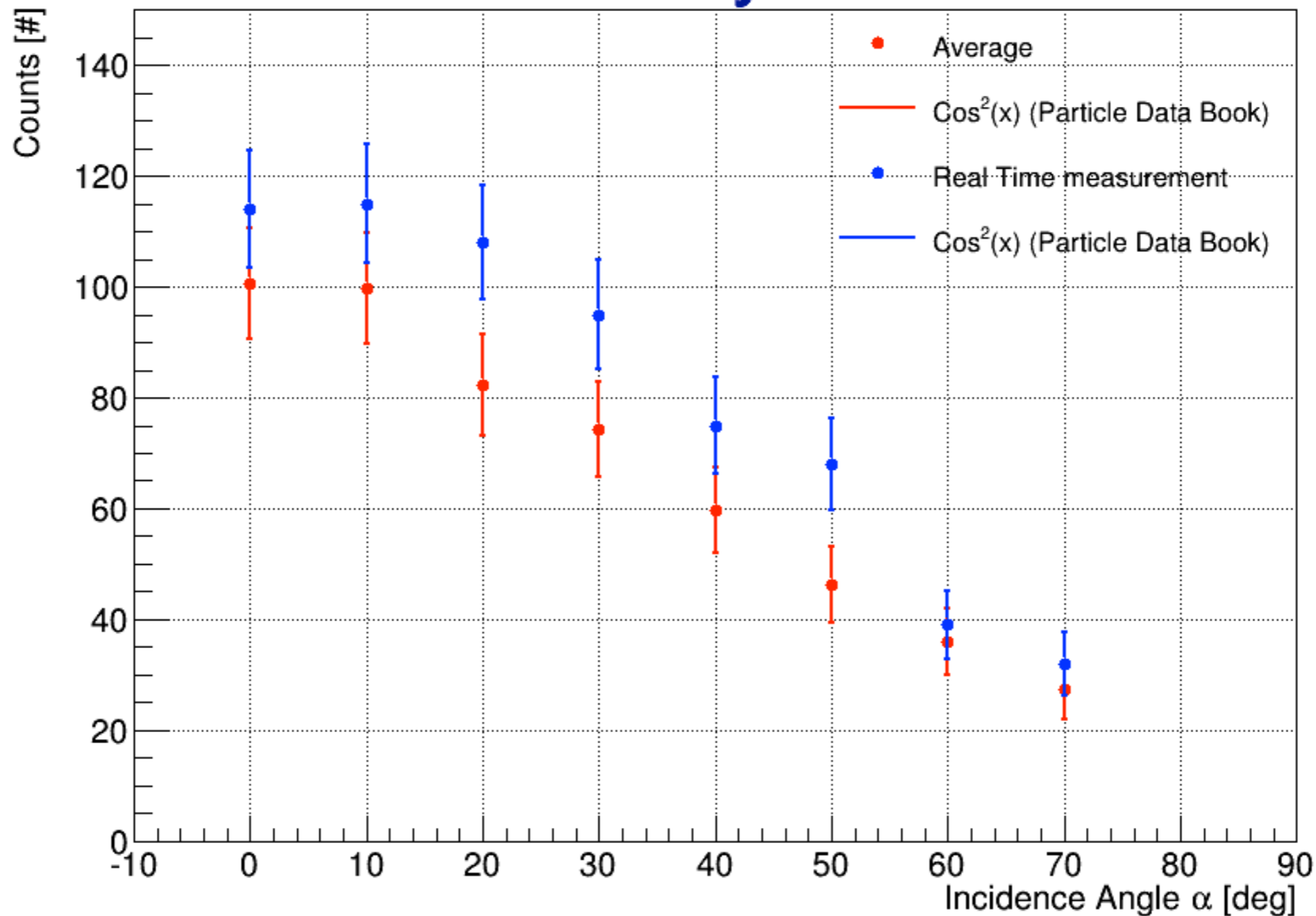
29.3.1. Muons : Muons are the most numerous charged particles at sea level (see Fig. 29.4). Most muons are produced high in the atmosphere (typically 15 km) and lose about 2 GeV to ionization before reaching the ground. Their energy and angular distribution reflect a convolution of the production spectrum, energy loss in the atmosphere, and decay. For example, 2.4 GeV muons have a decay length of 15 km, which is reduced to 8.7 km by energy loss. The mean energy of muons at the ground is ≈ 4 GeV. The energy spectrum is almost flat below 1 GeV, steepens gradually to reflect the primary spectrum in the 10–100 GeV range, and steepens further at higher energies because pions with $E_\pi > \epsilon_\pi$ tend to interact in the atmosphere before they decay. Asymptotically ($E_\mu \gg 1$ TeV), the energy spectrum of atmospheric muons is one power steeper than the primary spectrum. The integral intensity of vertical muons above 1 GeV/c at sea level is $\approx 70 \text{ m}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}\text{sr}^{-1}$ [50,51], with recent measurements [52–54] favoring a lower normalization by 10-15%. Experimentalists are familiar with this number in the form $I \approx 1 \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ min}^{-1}$ for horizontal detectors. The overall angular distribution of muons at the ground as a function of zenith angle θ is $\propto \cos^2 \theta$, which is characteristic of muons with $E_\mu \sim 3$ GeV. At lower energy the angular distribution becomes increasingly steep, while at higher energy it flattens, approaching a $\sec \theta$ distribution for $E_\mu \gg \epsilon_\pi$ and $\theta < 70^\circ$.

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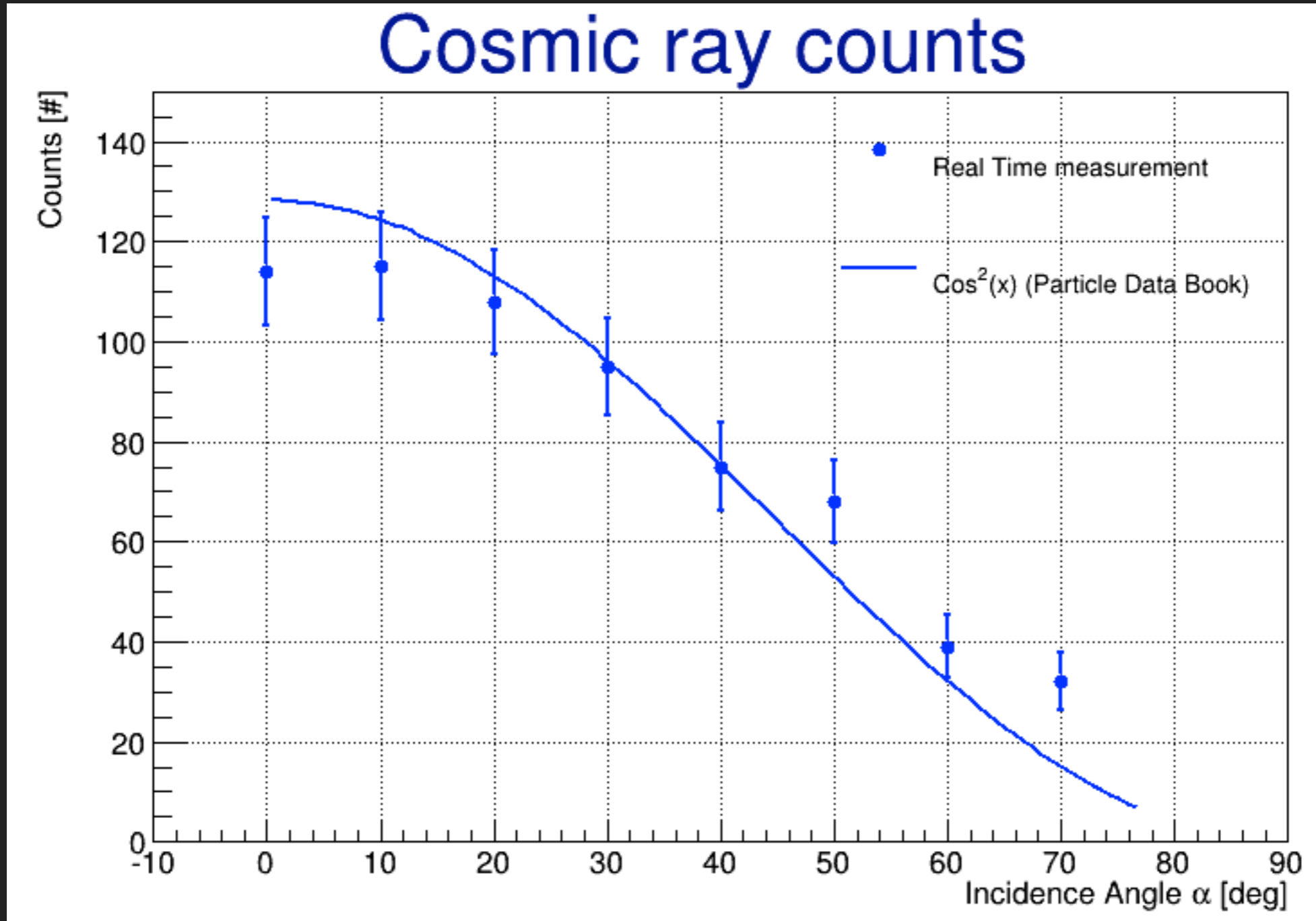


CONFRONTO NUOVI DATI E MEDIA

Cosmic ray counts



CONFRONTO ANDAMENTO NUOVI DATI - MODELLO



CONCLUSIONI

- ▶ Abbiamo misurato la dipendenza dall'angolo del flusso di muoni cosmici
- ▶ Abbiamo confrontato con altre misure tramite la compatibilità e statisticamente compatibili
- ▶ Abbiamo confrontato visivamente con il modello e i nostri dati verificano le attese
- ▶ La misura è migliorabile aumentando il tempo di esposizione, o aumentando le prove.