

# Update on FLUKA Simulation

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# Most Recent Full Detector production (FLUKA dev. Version 2018.2)

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**Target 3 mm C with density 1.83 g/cm<sup>3</sup> as that of GSI run  
10<sup>7</sup> primaries)**

**12C\_C\_200\_1.root (<sup>12</sup>C at 200 MeV/u on C)**

**16O\_C\_200\_1.root (<sup>16</sup>O at 200 MeV/u on C)**

# New public FLUKA (beta) version 2020.0

**It includes all features already present in the last development version 2018.2 (not accessible to public) plus more recent additions**



**Used to produce GSI root-plets  
already available to FOOT**

**Some of these additions are of interest for FOOT**

**Immediate interest for the analysis of Emulsion Data.**

A. Pastore has started testing the new release for ECC simulation: previously the public version 2011.2x was used, which was less reliable than the dev. Version 2018 used to produce the official root-plets of electronic apparatus

# Relevant improvements in Physics Models - 1

- **Extended and improved nuclear database.** Masses, decay channels and branching ratios have been extensively revised. Many more isomers are now included in the database
- A **deuteron pre-formation production mechanism** by light nuclei has been implemented, resulting in much better predictions of excitation functions of reactions like  $(p,d)/(p,pn)$ ,  $(n,d)/(n,np)$  on light nuclei at low and intermediate energies.
- Full account for discrete levels, out of the (IAEA) Ripl-3 library, is now implemented in every nuclear reaction step/generator ([already in dev. Version](#))
- **Heavy fragment evaporation up to  $Z_{max}=4$ ,  $A_{max}=9$ , is now automatically activated** when the PRECISIO default is selected ([already in dev. Version](#))
- A simplified model for angular momentum barriers is now implemented inside the Fermi break-up de-excitation model ([already in dev. Version](#))



# Relevant improvements in Physics Models - 2

- Low Energy Neutron cross sections for several isotopes had been updated with more recent evaluations, mostly Endf/b-VIIIr0. (in part was in dev. Version)
- **A preequilibrium step, based on the PEANUT one, has been introduced in the rQMD event generator. Together with other improvements this results in significantly better reproduction of ion-ion experimental data ( $E > 125$  MeV/u)**
- A preequilibrium step, based on the PEANUT one, has been introduced in the BME event generator ( $E < 125$  MeV/u). (already in dev. Version)
- **Alpha-Nucleus cross sections for light nuclei have been updated according to the recent experimental data**, bringing better agreement with measured attenuation curves and Bragg peaks

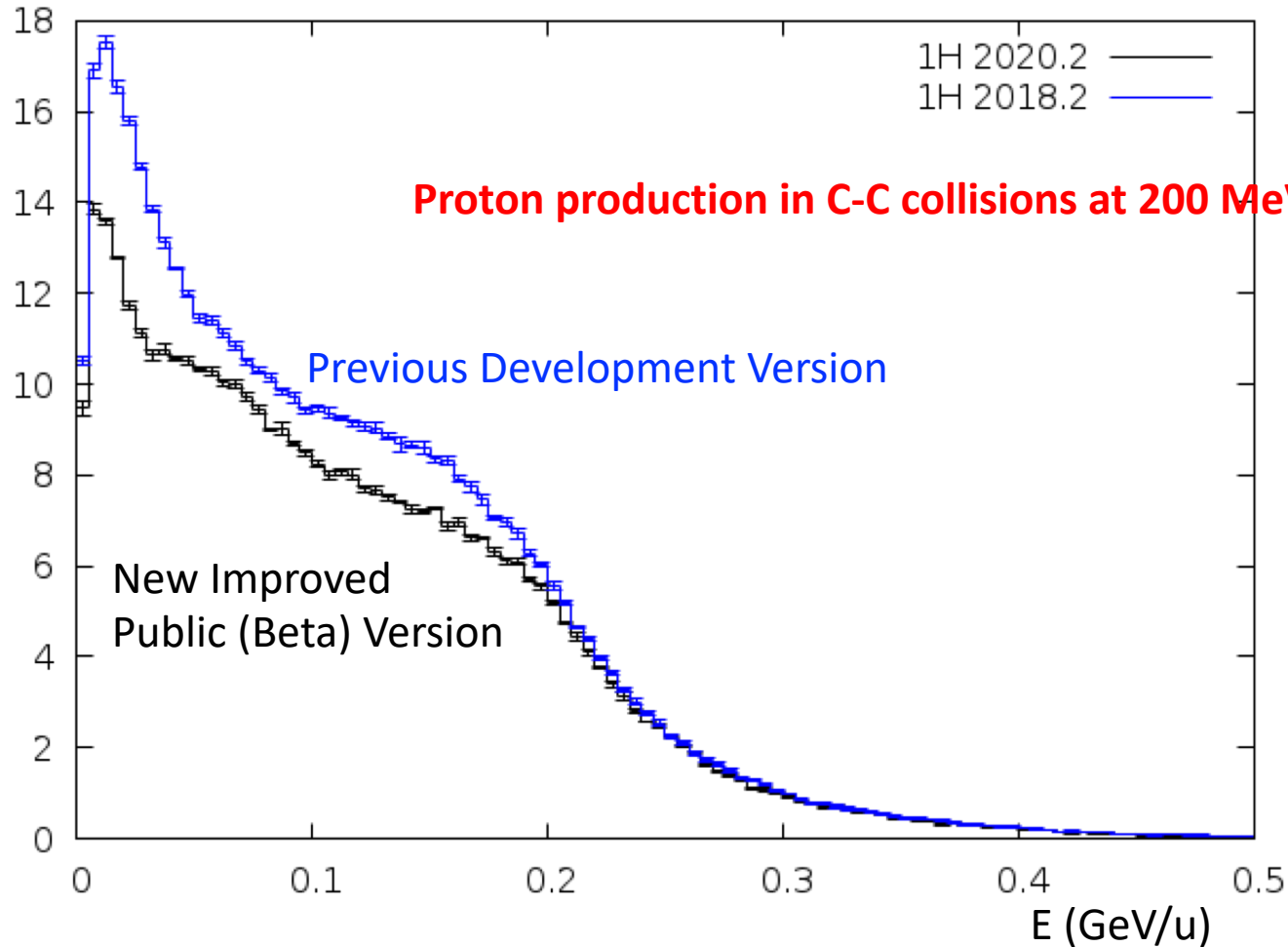
# Change in predicted Cross Sections - 1

- The cross section for the fragment production at energies  $> 120\text{-}130$  MeV/u change
- Most relevant changes affect protons (neutrons)

# Change in predicted Cross Sections - 2

$d\sigma/dE$  (barn/[GeV/u])

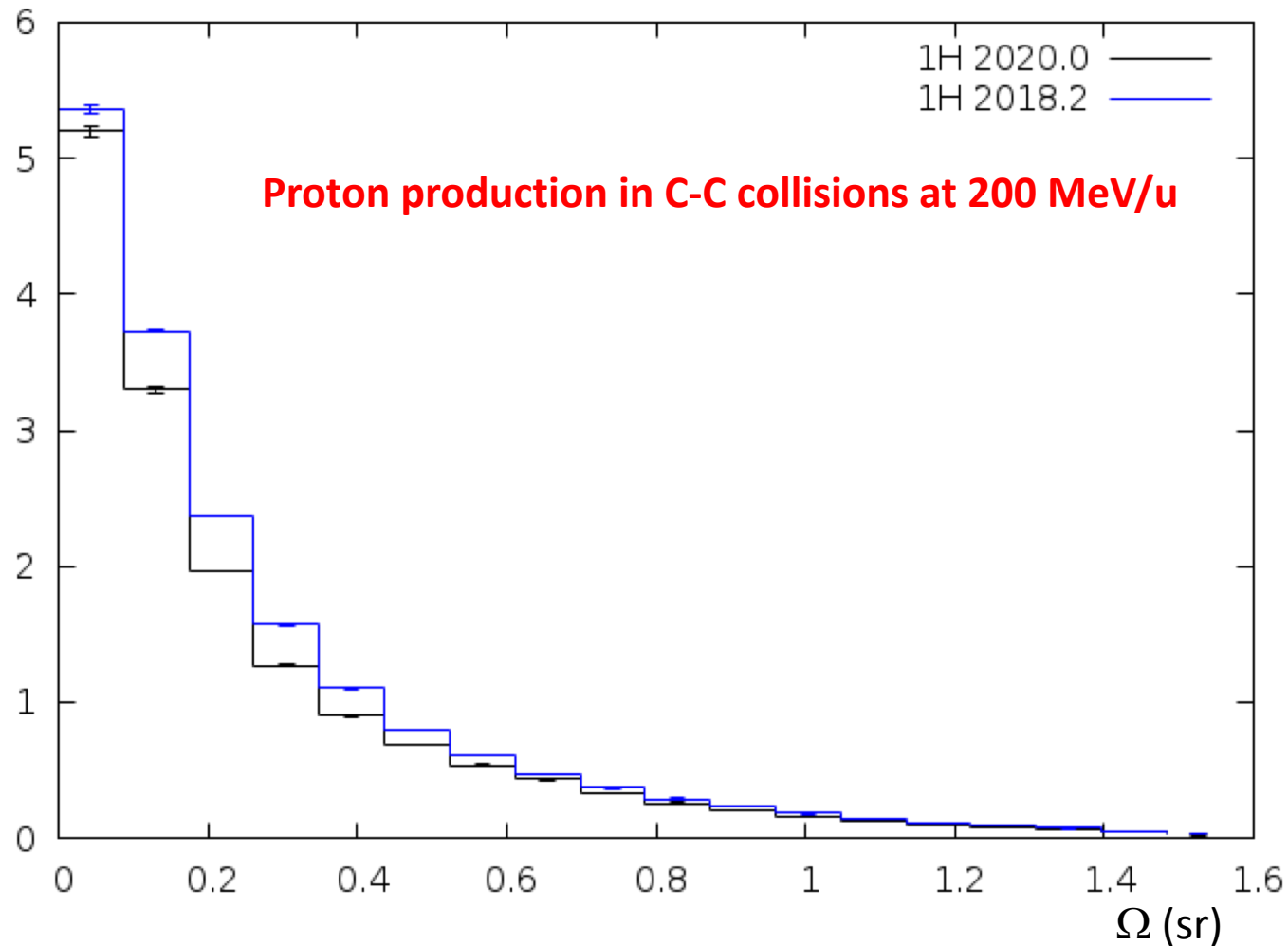
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# Change in predicted Cross Sections - 3

$d\sigma/d\Omega$  (barn/sr)

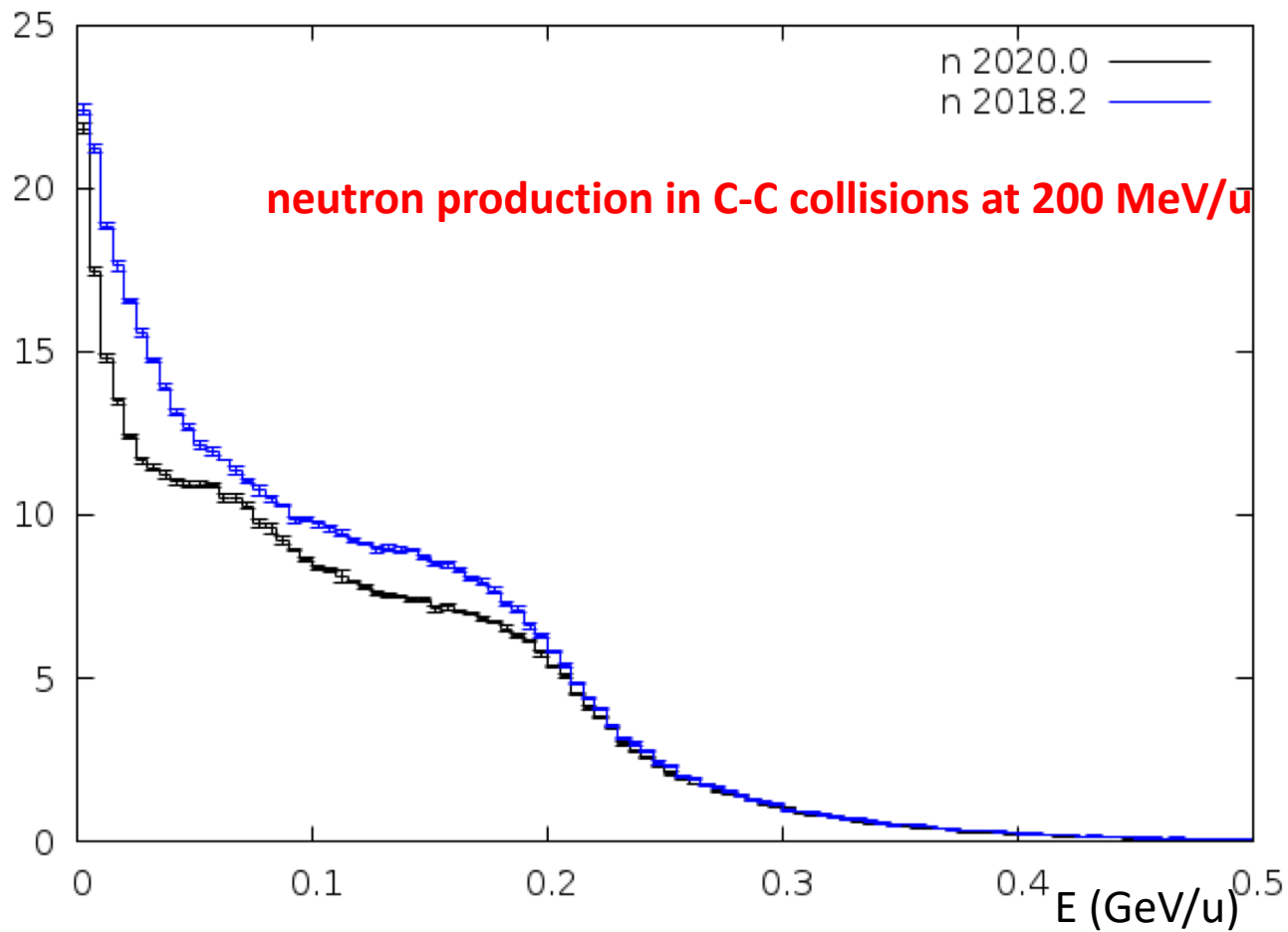
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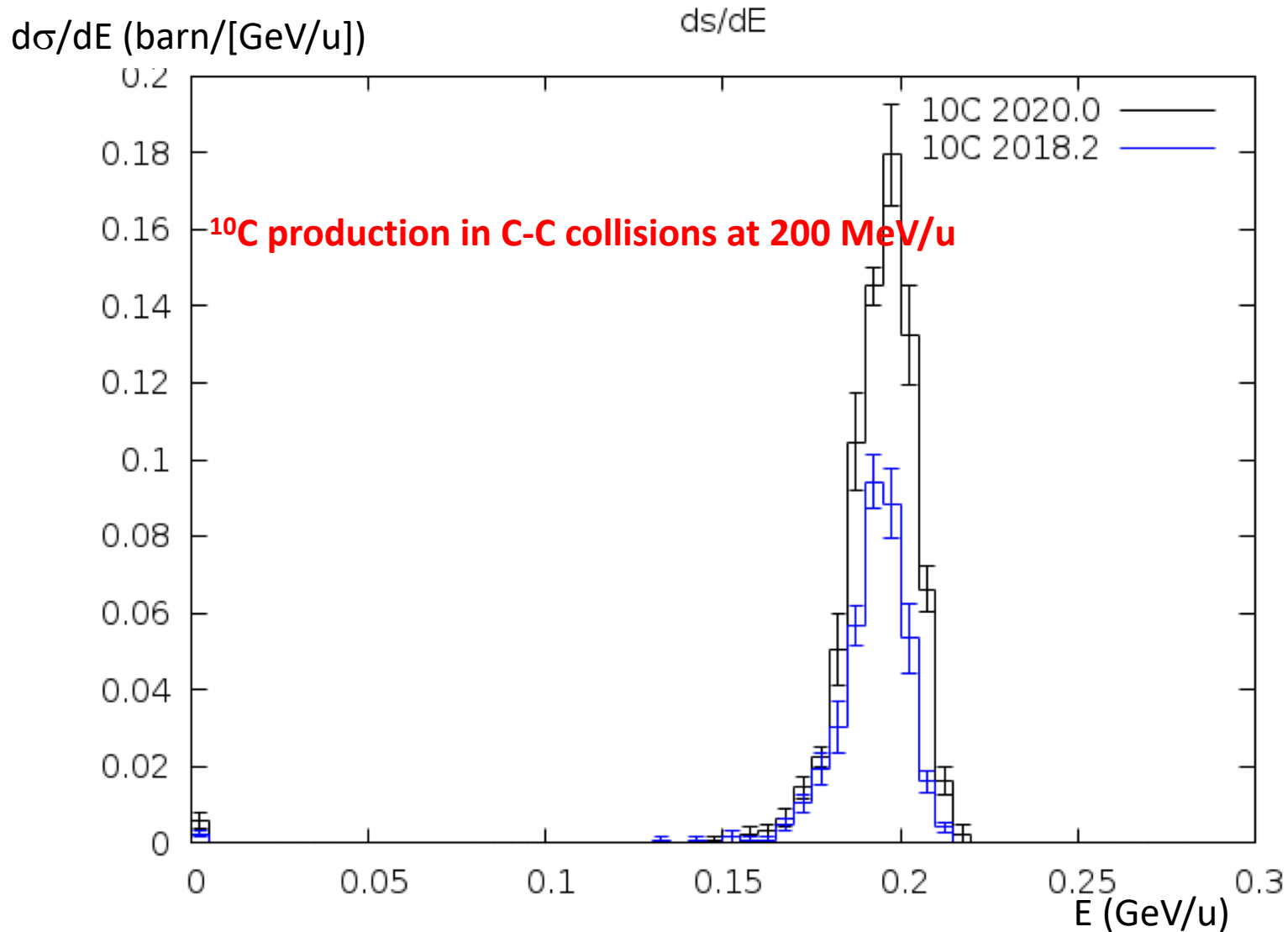
# Change in predicted Cross Sections - 4

$d\sigma/dE$  (barn/[GeV/u])

$ds/dE$



# Change in predicted Cross Sections – 5

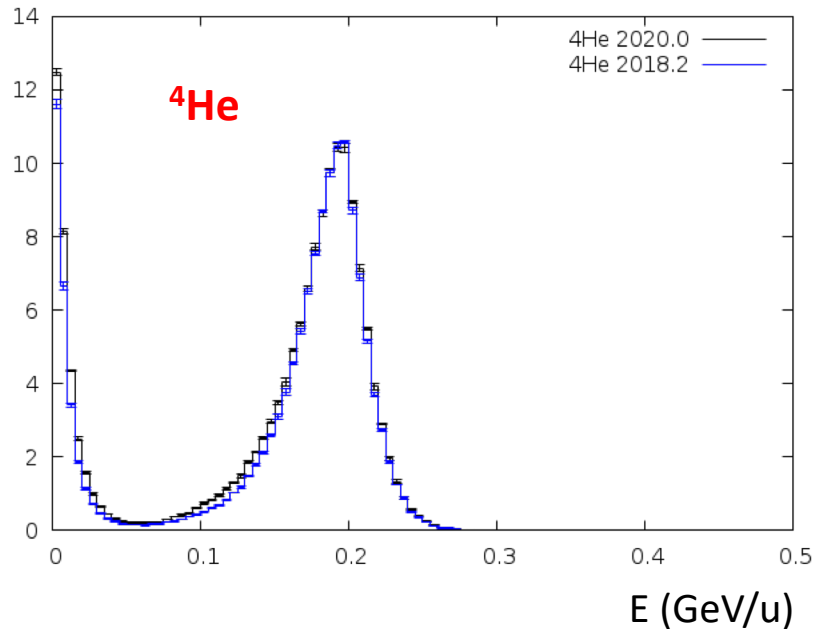


# Change in predicted Cross Sections - 6

Small changes for most of all other fragments

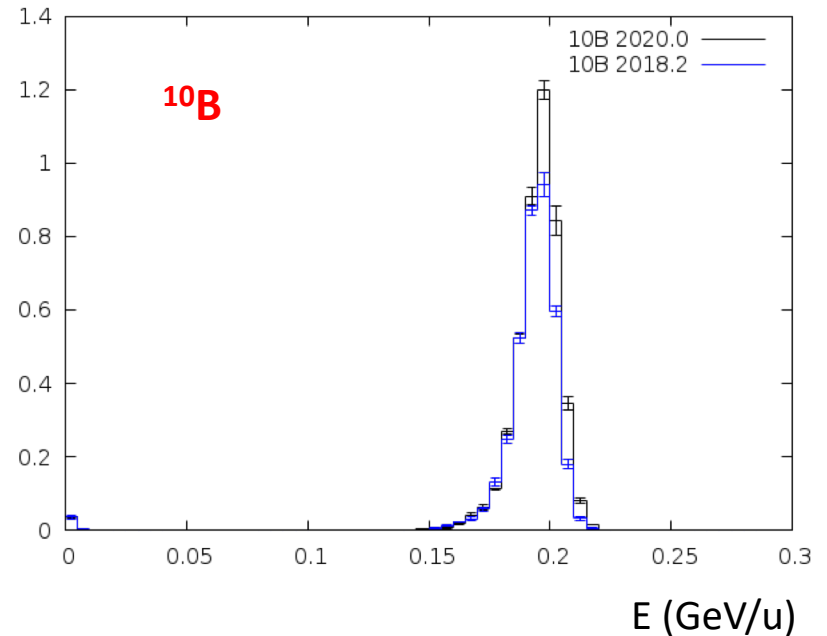
$d\sigma/dE$  (barn/[GeV/u])

$\mu\sigma/dE$



$d\sigma/dE$  (barn/[GeV/u])

$\mu\sigma/dE$



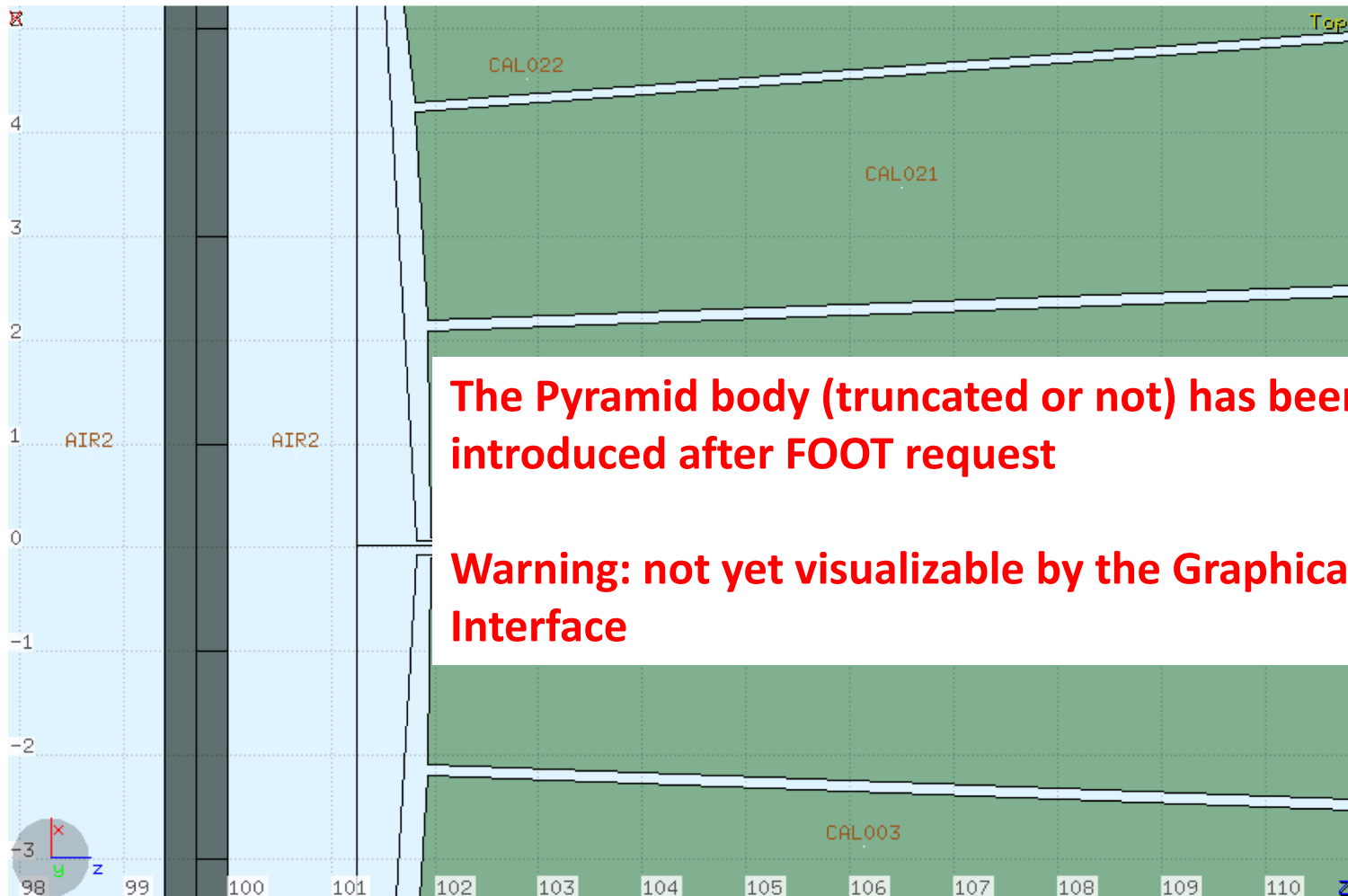


# Change in predicted Cross Sections - 7

**Surely the new cross sections may have an impact on the analysis of ECC, where the simulation considered the old public version 2011.2x**

**If considered useful for GSI analysis of electronic apparatus (or other case study) simulations can be produced with the new version**

# Technical (geometry) improvement: Pyramid body



**The Pyramid body (truncated or not) has been introduced after FOOT request**

**Warning: not yet visualizable by the Graphical User Interface**