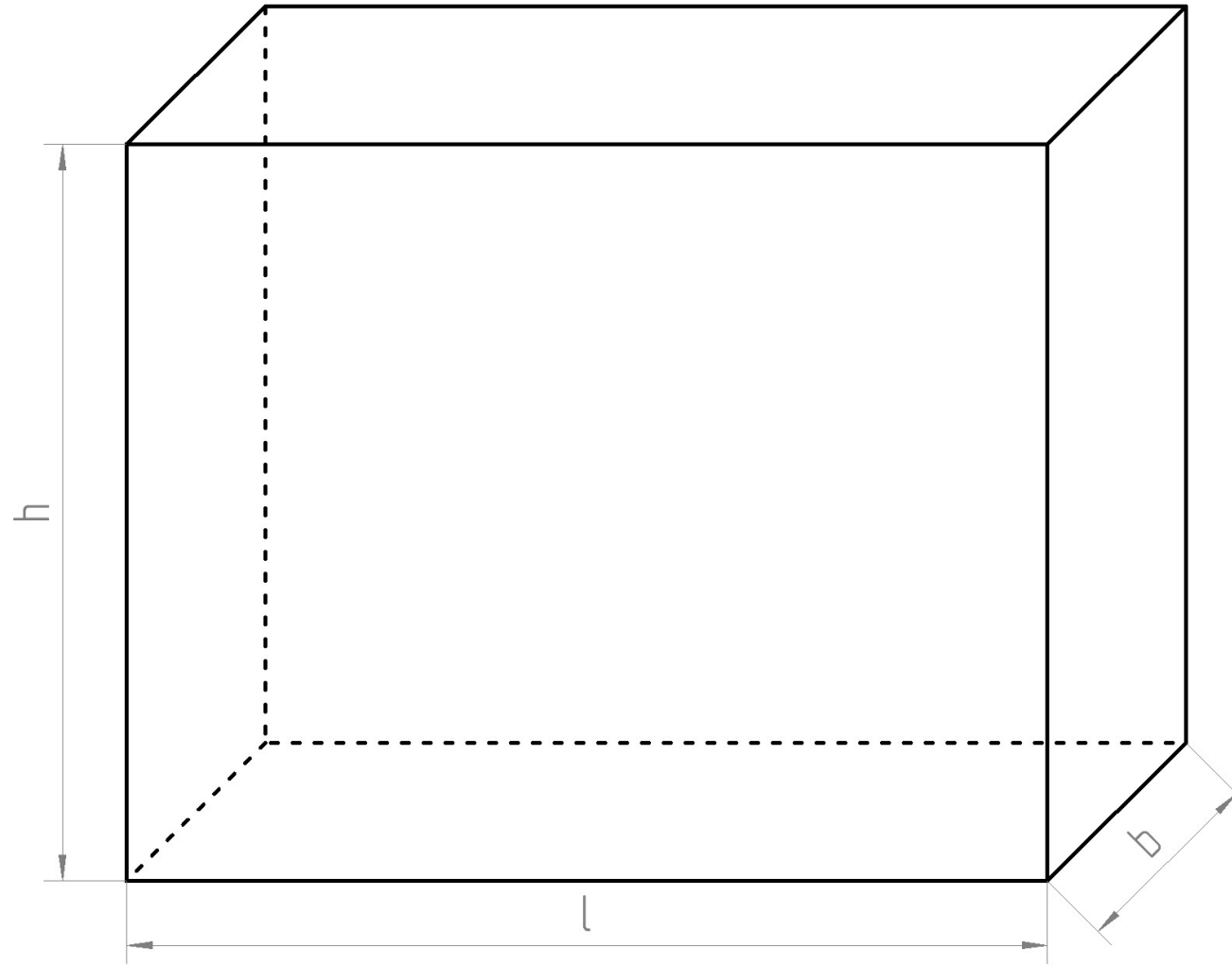


R.A. budget:
Neutron yield evaluation
for the reinforced PU foam and
Triplex with SaG4n

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Sizes of the DS-20k cryostat part
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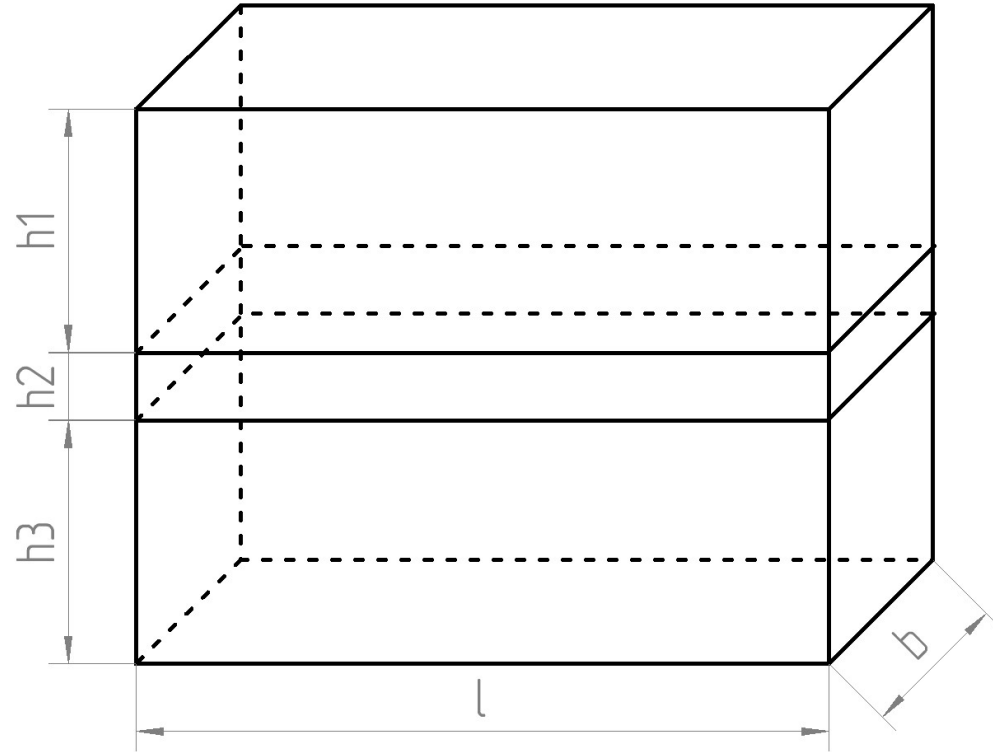


Reinforced
PU foam

Cap as a test sample:

$h = 770$ mm, $l = 10128$ mm, $b = 10128$ mm

Sizes of the DS-20k cryostat part for the simulation with SaG4n



Triplex

Cap as a test sample:

Upper layer: $h1 = 265 \text{ um}$, $l = 9358 \text{ mm}$, $b = 9358 \text{ mm}$

Middle layer: $h2 = 70 \text{ um}$, $l = 9358 \text{ mm}$, $b = 9358 \text{ mm}$

Lower layer: $h3 = 265 \text{ um}$, $l = 9358 \text{ mm}$, $b = 9358 \text{ mm}$

Compositions Reinforced PU foam

55% PU foam
 $\rho = 0.100 \text{ g/cm}^3$

Element	Mass fraction, %
H	32.5
C	3.6
N	2.8
O	37.6
Si	11.7
Ca	5.0
Al	5.0
B	1.4
Mg	0.3

90% PU foam
 $\rho = 0.100 \text{ g/cm}^3$

Element	Mass fraction, %
H	53.19
C	5.94
N	4.59
O	31.07
Si	2.60
Ca	1.12
Al	1.11
B	0.31
Mg	0.07

Compositions

Triplex

3 layers

Fiber glass foil (Triplex layer)
 $\rho = 1.685 \text{ g/cm}^3$

Element	Mass fraction, %
H	0
C	0
N	0
O	47.89
Si	25.95
Ca	11.21
Al	11.15
B	3.07
Mg	0.71

Note: 2 outer layers are made of the fiber glass foil

Aluminium foil (Triplex layer)
 $\rho = 2.7 \text{ g/cm}^3$

Element	Mass fraction, %
H	0
C	0
N	0
O	0
Si	0
Ca	0
Al	100
B	0
Mg	0

Note: and one inner layer is made of the aluminium foil

Triplex **homogeneous**
 $\rho = 1.803 \text{ g/cm}^3$

Element	Mass fraction, %
H	0
C	0
N	0
O	39.52
Si	21.42
Ca	9.25
Al	26.67
B	2.56
Mg	0.58

α source characteristics

5 sets of the α particle energies and intensities: predefined Chain_Th232, Chain_U235 and

^{238}U upper

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SOURCE 0 11
1.0 18
92238 4.198 79.0
92238 4.151 20.9
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92234 4.7746 71.38
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92234 4.2773 4e-05
92234 4.1506 2.6e-05
92234 4.1086 7e-06
90230 4.687 76.3
90230 4.6205 23.4
90230 4.4798 0.12
90230 4.4384 0.03
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90230 4.2485 1.03e-05
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90230 3.8294 1.4e-06
ENDSOURCE
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^{238}U middle

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SOURCE 0 1
1.0 24
88226 4.78434 93.84
88226 4.601 6.16
88226 4.34 0.0065
88226 4.191 0.001
88226 4.16 0.00027
86222 5.48948 99.92
86222 4.986 0.078
86222 4.826 0.0005
84218 6.00235 99.97890022
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85218 6.756 0.00071928
85218 6.693 0.017982
85218 6.653 0.00127872
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84214 6.6098 5.99856e-05
ENDSOURCE
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^{238}U lower

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SOURCE 0 1
1.0 5
82210 3.72 1.9e-06
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ENDSOURCE
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Other input parameters

Number of initial α particles = 10^7

Bias factor = 10^4

Maximum allowed step length: 0.001 cm

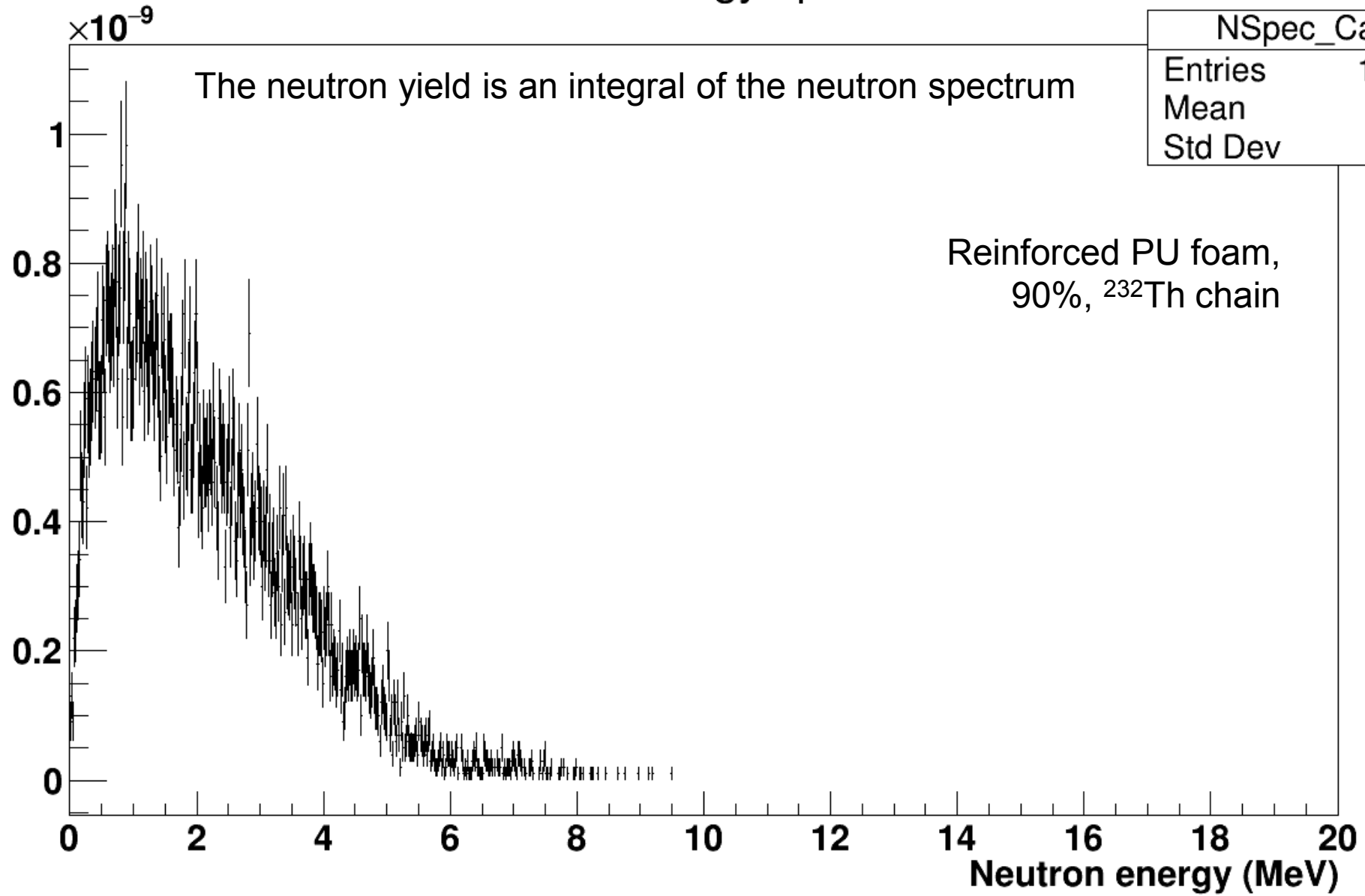
Uniform distribution of α particles in the source volume

Size of the world cube side: 2000 cm

Legend: Diff(T-J) \equiv difference between the results of SaG4n with TENDL-2017 and JENDLTENDL01;
Diff(N-T) \equiv difference between the results of NeuCBOT and the results of SaG4n with TENDL-2017;
Diff(N-J) \equiv difference between the results of NeuCBOT and the results of SaG4n with JENDLTENDL01.

$$\text{Diff(T-J)} \equiv \frac{Y_n (\text{TENDL-2017}) - Y_n (\text{JENDLTENDL01})}{Y_n (\text{JENDLTENDL01})} \times 100\%$$

Neutron energy spectrum



Reinforced PU foam

	RA Chain	Data library / PU foam fraction	JENDLTENDL01	TENDL-2017	NeuCBOT	Diff(T-J), %	Diff(N-T), %	Diff(N-J), %
Neutron yield, 10^{-7} n/decay	^{232}Th	55%	3.91	5.45	---	39		
		90%	1.12	1.55	44	38	2739	3829
	^{235}U	55%	3.32	4.61	---	39		
		90%	0.86	1.20	44	40	3567	5016
	^{238}U upper	55%	1.02	1.56	---	53		
		90%	0.23	0.33	5.7	43	1627	2378
	^{238}U middle	55%	3.68	5.04	---	37		
		90%	1.03	1.42	28	38	1872	2618
	^{238}U lower	55%	1.92	2.64	---	38		
		90%	0.42	0.56	3.3	33	489	686

Triplex

	RA Chain	Data library / Element distribution	JENDLTENDL01	TENDL-2017	NeuCBOT	Diff(T-J), %	Diff(N-T), %	Diff(N-J), %
Neutron yield, 10^{-6} n/decay	^{232}Th	3 layers	1.629	2.130	21	31	886	1189
		Uniform distrib.	1.727	2.226	---	29	---	---
	^{235}U	3 layers	1.370	1.836	20	34	989	1360
		Uniform distrib.	1.446	1.901	---	31	---	---
	^{238}U upper	3 layers	0.374	0.548	2.1	47	283	461
		Uniform distrib.	0.370	0.536	---	45	---	---
	^{238}U middle	3 layers	1.508	1.982	13	31	556	762
		Uniform distrib.	1.603	2.051	---	28	---	---
	^{238}U lower	3 layers	0.725	0.975	1.4	34	44	93
		Uniform distrib.	0.738	0.974	---	32	---	---