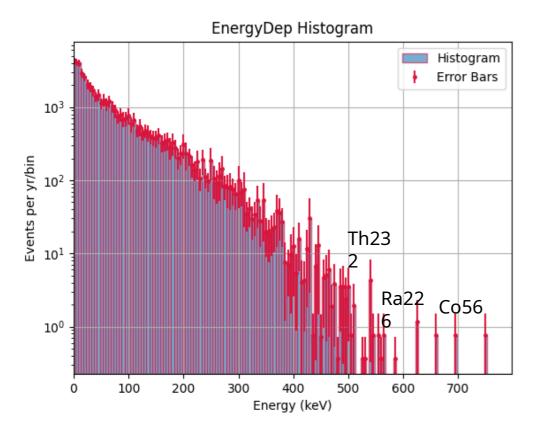
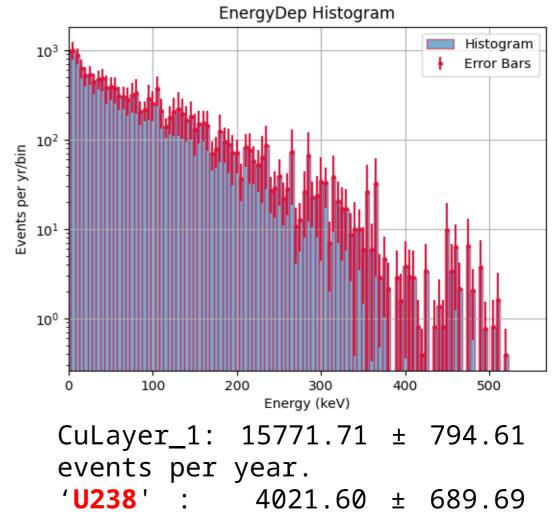
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Layer_0 and Layer_1 Simulation for Schrieber-SABRE

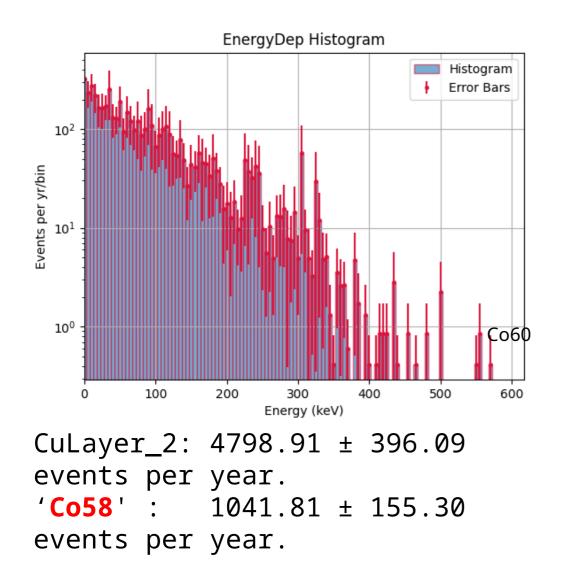


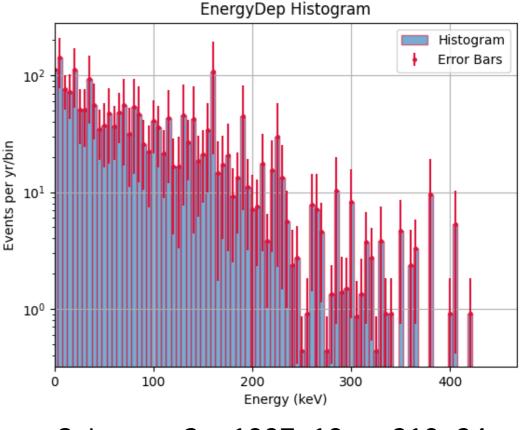
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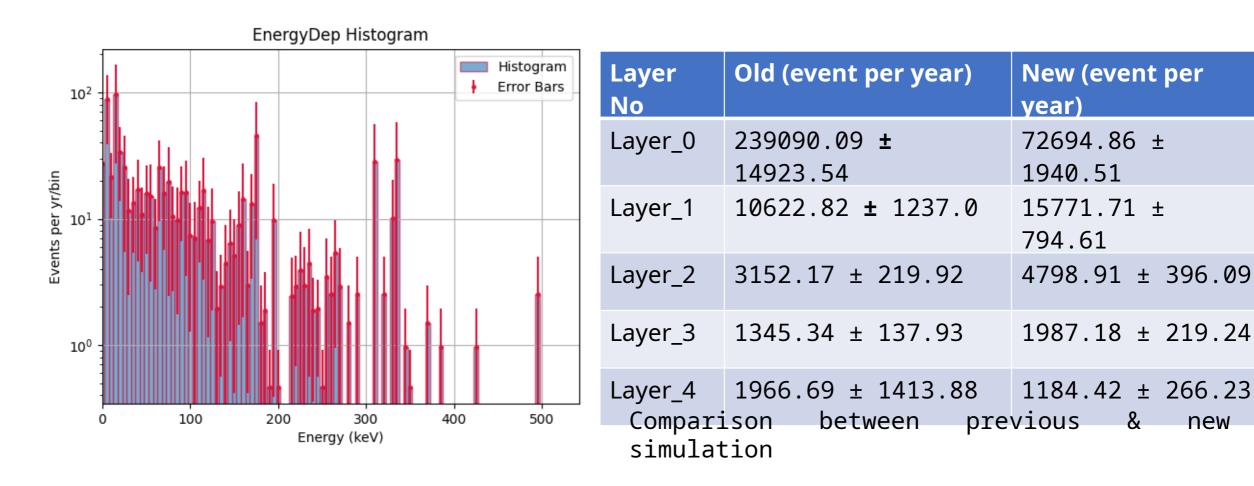
Layer_2 and Layer_3 Simulation for Schrieber-SABRE





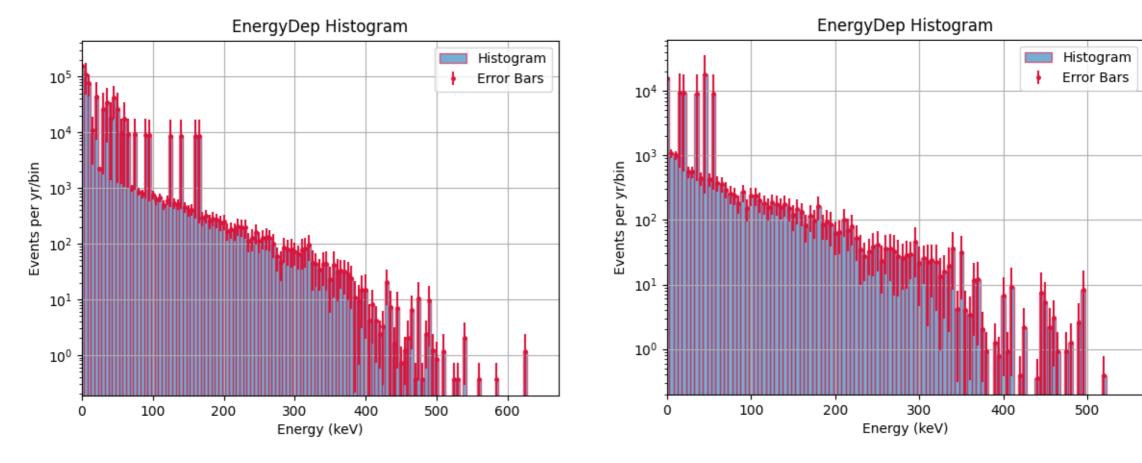
CuLayer_3: 1987.18 ± 219.24 events per year. 'Th232' : 429.29 ± 71.54 events per year.

Layer_4 Simulation for Schrieber-SABRE



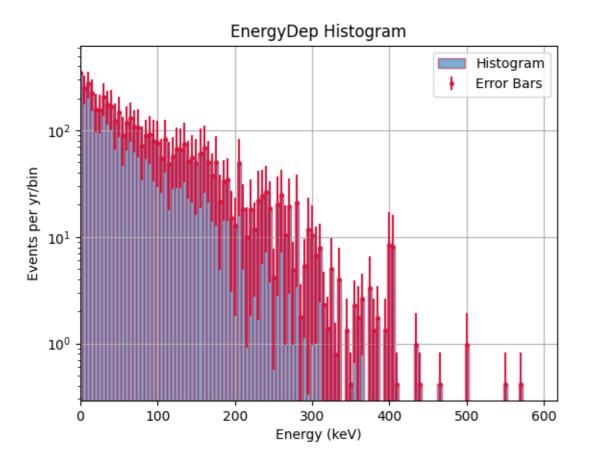
CuLayer_4: 1184.42 ± 266.23 events per year. 'U238' : 423.24 ± 244.36events per year.

Layer_0 and Layer_1 Simulation for **OPERA**

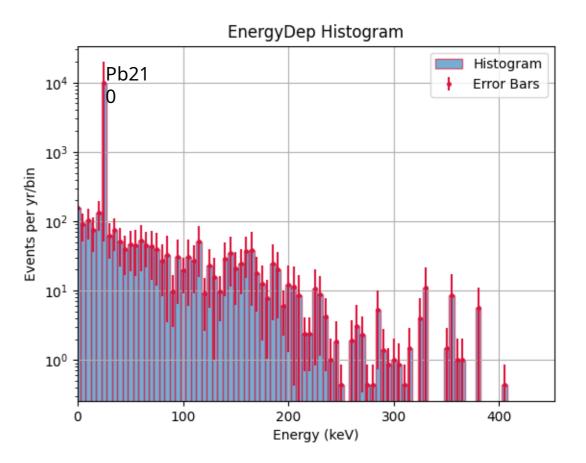


CuLayer_0: 1377564.09 ± 231539.81 events per year. 'Pb210' : 1309766.82 ± 231536.25 events per year. CuLayer_1: 149202.82 ± 75482.00 events per year. 'Pb210' : 130733.20 ± 75478.85

Layer_2 and Layer_3 Simulation for **OPERA**

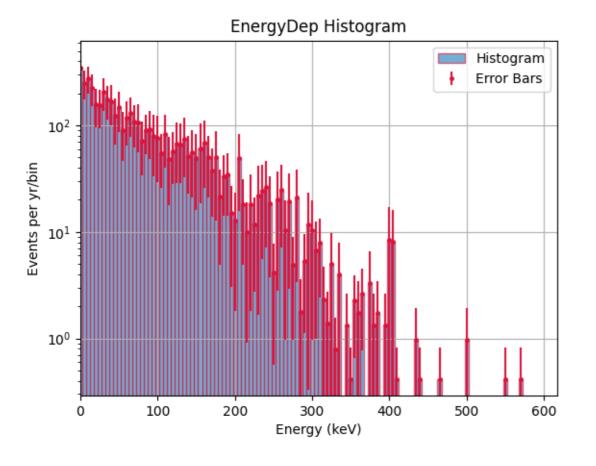


CuLayer_2: 4711.33 ± 344.22 events per year. '**Bi207**' : 1977.13 ± 282.44 events per year.



CuLayer_3: 2277.51 ± 243.86 events per year. 'Bi207' : 941.36 ± 200.70 events per year.

Layer_4 Simulation for **OPERA**



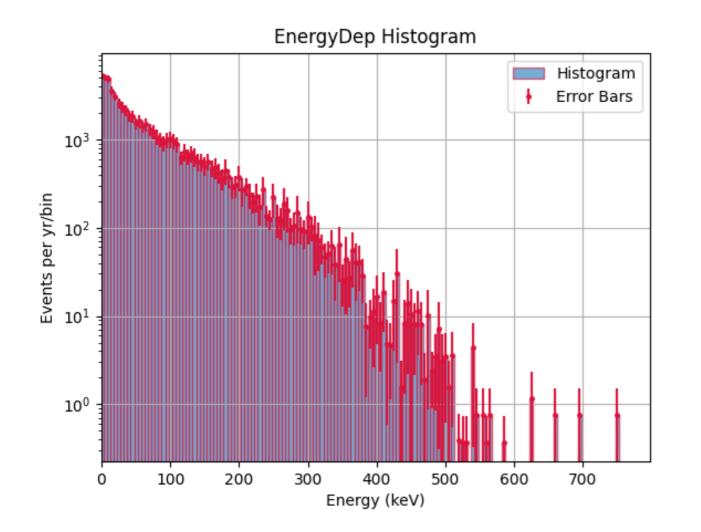
Layer No	Old (event per year)	New (event per year)
Layer_0	17062882.60 ± 833814.012	1377564.09 ± 231539.81
Layer_1	99998.02 ± 61630.88	149202.82 ± 75482.00
Layer_2	3847.45 ± 329.96	4711.33 ± 344.22
Layer_3	1427.76 ± 203.84	2277.51 ± 243.86
Layer_4	576.50 ± 175.83	967.16 ± 165.02
Comparison between previous & new simulation		

CuLayer_4: 967.16 ± 165.02 events per year. 'Bi207' : 407.65 ± 135.88 events per year.

Comparison between **Schrieber and Opera** for all layers individually

Layer No	SCHRIEBER (event per year)	OPERA (event per year)	Comments
Layer_0	~ (72 ± 2)k (U238 28k ± 1.7k)	~(13.7 ± 0.2)M Pb210: (13.0 ± 0.2)M	The Opera rate is too high therefore Shrieber is recommended for Layer_0
Layer_1	~(15.7 ± 0.8)k U238: (4 ± 0.6)k	~149k ± 75k Pb210:(13 ± 7)k	The Opera rate is high therefore Shrieber is recommended for Layer_1
Layer_2	4798.91 ± 396.09 Co58: (1000 ± 155)	4711.33 ± 344.22 Bi207: (1977 ± 282)	Both are in the same range so both are recommended
Layer_3	1987.18 ± 219.24 Th232: (429 ± 71)	2277.51 ± 243.86 Bi207: (941 ± 200)	Both are almost in the same range so both are recommended
Layer_4	1184.42 ± 266.23 U238: (423 ± 244)	967.16 ± 165.02 Bi207: (407 ± 135)	Both are almost in the same range so both are recommended

Layer_0 plus Layer_1 combined Simulation of **SCHRIEBER**

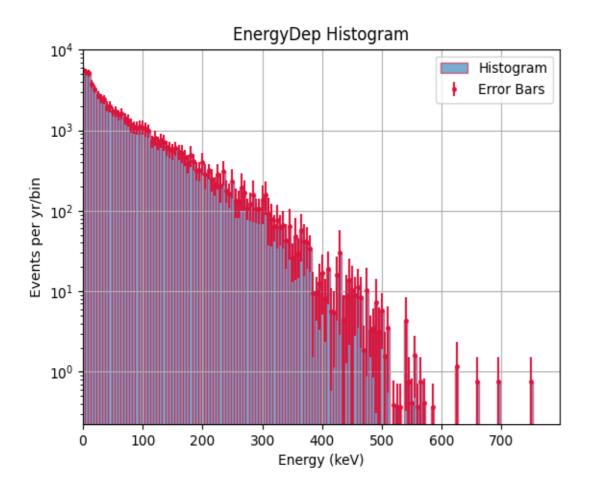


CuLayer_0_1: 88466.58 ± 2096.91 events per year. 'U238' : 28773.93 ± 1787.92 events per year.

Here it is worth noticing that the combined simulated events are the simple sum of both the layers 0 and 1 done individually. i.e CuLayer_0: 72694.86 ± 1940.51 + CuLayer_1: 15771.71 ± 794.61

CuLayer_0_1: 88466.58 ± 2096.91

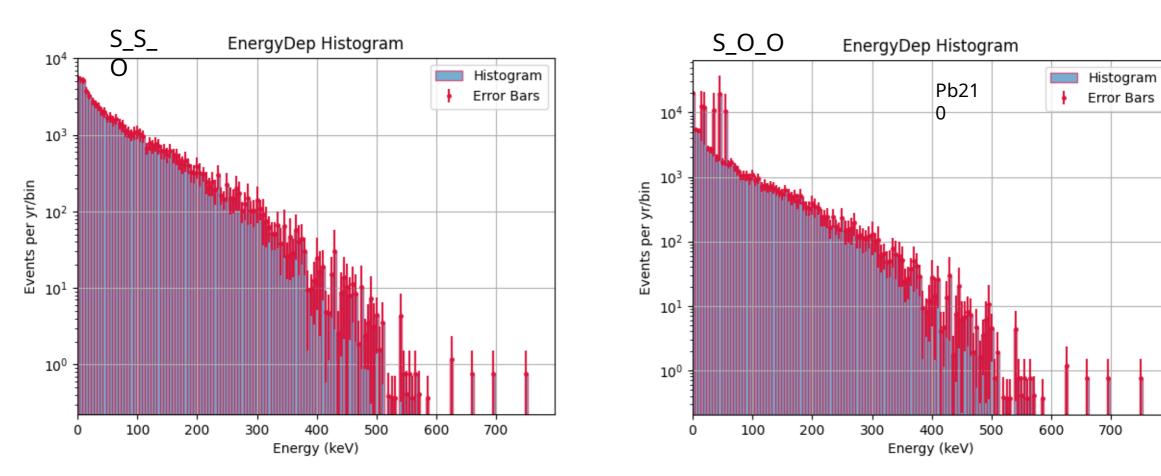
S_S_S(Layer_0_1_2 Combined Simulation of **SCHRIEBER)**



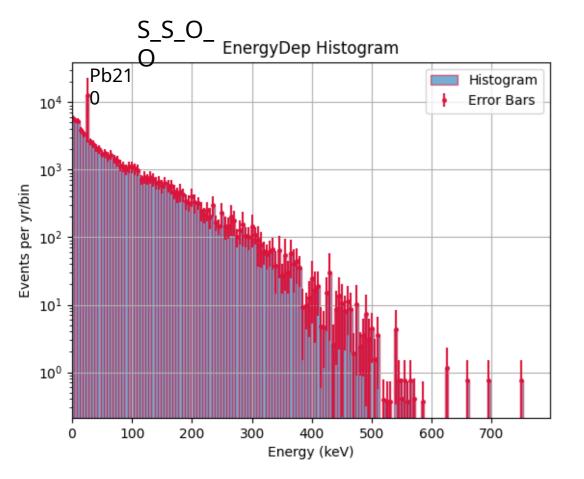
CuLayer_0_1_2: 93265.49 ± 2133.99 events per year. 'U238' : 28773.93 ± 1787.92 events per year.

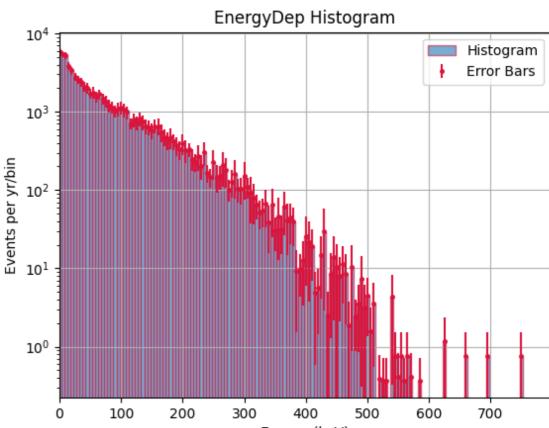
Here it is worth noticing that the combined simulated events are the simple sum of all the layers 0, 1 and 2 done individually. i.e CuLayer_0: 72694.86 ± 1940.51 + CuLayer_1: 15771.71 ± 794.61 + CuLayer_2: 4798.91 ± 396.09 =

 $CuLayer_0_{1_2} : 93265.49 \pm 2133_{0.99}$



Combinati on	Events per year with uncertainty	Dominant Isotope
S_S_S	93265 ± 2133	U238: 28773 ± 1787
S_S_O	93177 ± 2124	U238: 28773 ±

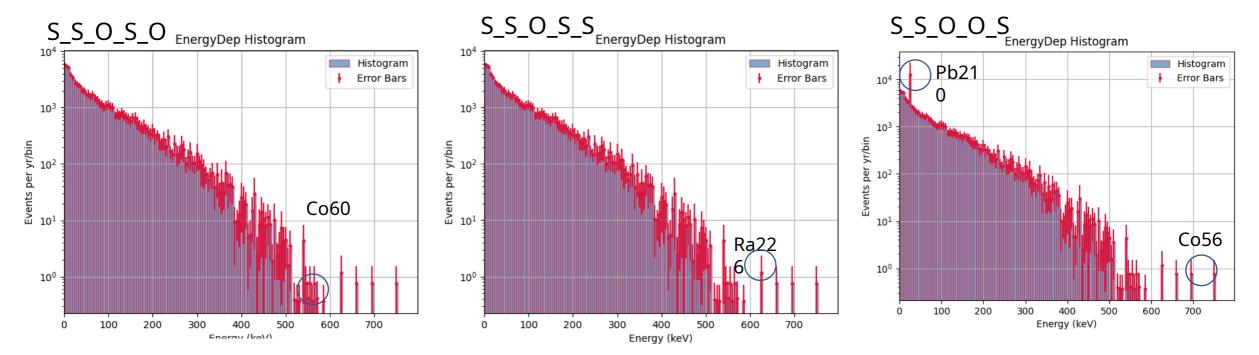


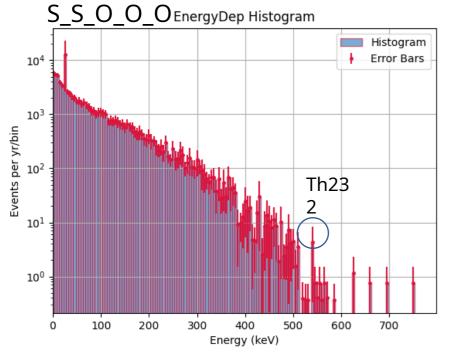


 $S_S_O_S$

Energy (keV)

	Events per year with uncertainty	Dominant Isotope
S_S_O_O	95455.43 ± 2138.92	U238: 28773 ± 1787
5505	95165.09 + 2136.25	U238: 28773 +





Combinatio n	Events per year with uncertainty	Dominant Isotope
S_S_O_S_O	96132.25 ± 2142.6	U238: 28773 ± 1787
S_S_O_S_S	96349.5 ± 2152.7	U238: 28773 ± 1787
S_S_O_O_O	96422.5 ± 2145.2	U238: 28773 ± 1787
S_S_O_O_S	96639.86 ± 2155.4	U238: 28773 ±