# **WP2: Analysis Summary**

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#### Reco code

#### DONE

- For simulation: ROOT simulated files are not flipped vertically anymore (bug correction)
- Vignetting for QUEST with Xenon lens and EHD (PR soon to be accepted)

#### ONGOING

• Correct for lens geometrical distortion

#### NEXT

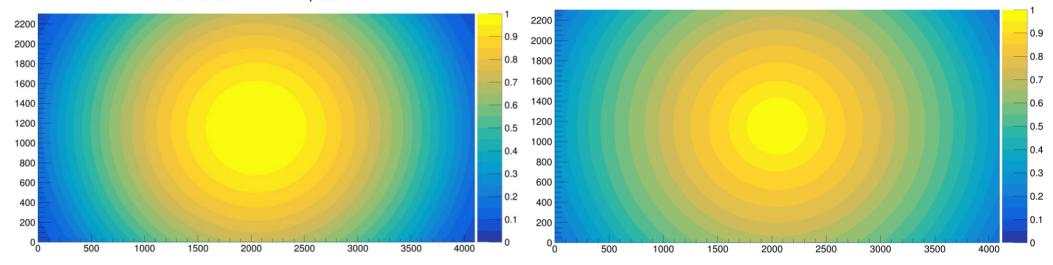
- Update of autoreco to be run not only for LIME, but also for GIN and MANGO
- Standardise code to read recofiles for analysis

#### Vignetting

- Images taken with QUEST and Xenon Schneider and EHD lenses.
- Images of the flat wall with ambient illumination (for future, specific data taking may be required)

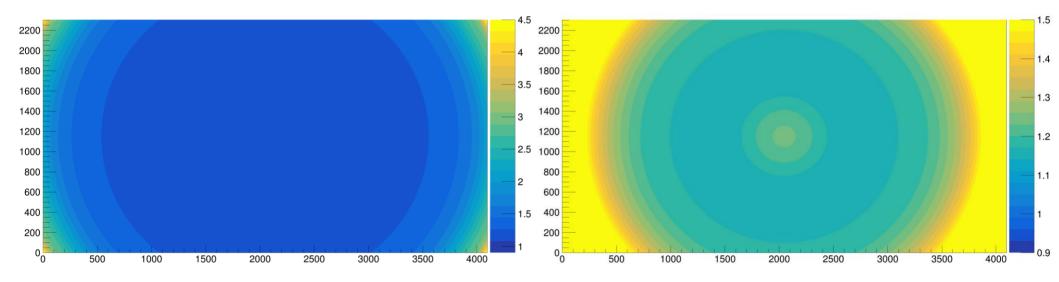
Quest Xenon lens 0.95 aperture

Quest EHD lens 0.85 aperture



#### Vignetting

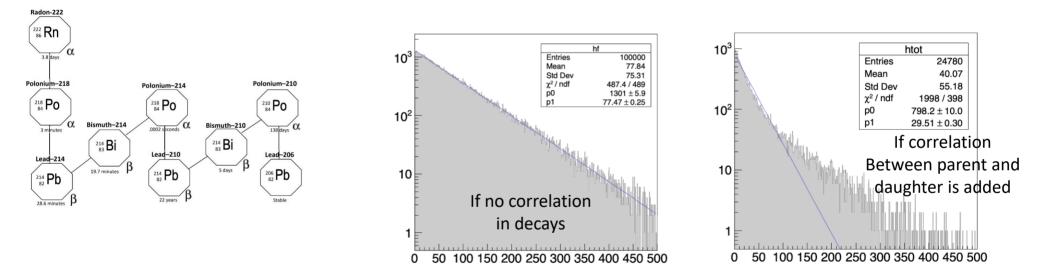
- The EHD with 0.85 aperture should grant 25% more light than Xenon lens (solid angle formula)
- Ratio of the two vignette maps (EHD 25% more light divided by Xenon)



EHD seems to improve light on side bands by more than factor 2

### **Radon continues (Pinci)**

- In <sup>222</sup>Rn chain 4 alphas are expected, 3 possibly in secular equilibrium
- They have half lifes comparable with our data taking
- By selecting alphas and measuring the time between two decays, the specific time decay constants should appear



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- Geometrical efficiency and of selection seems to have a relevant role
- Study in progress

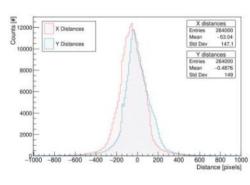
### 3D (Borra, Marques)

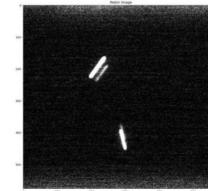
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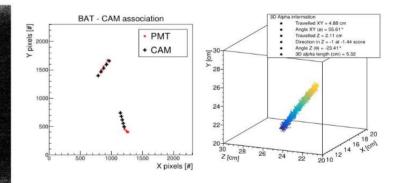
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- Borra and Folcarelli worked to improve the Bayesian association code exploiting images with 1 spot and 1 set of waveforms
- Code clear and ready to use with new calibration technique and data

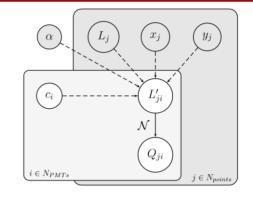
- Alpha tracks used to test association by David.
- Tracks segmented in 5 slices, simulating spots and associated separately
- Slight horizontal bias but resolution on the order of cm found.







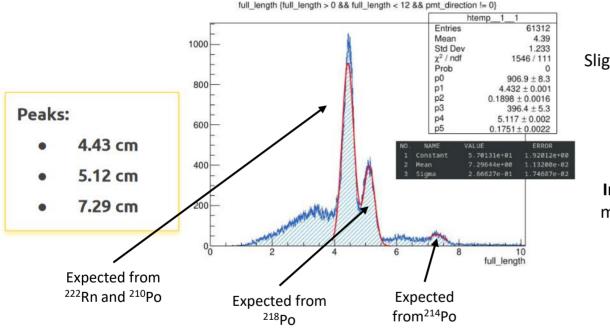
- Improvements will include new calibration by Borra and Folcarelli, barrel lens correction.
- Unavoidable: electronic saturation of waveforms for alphas



#### Radon 3D (Marques)

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• 3D reconstruction allows to study full length of alpha tracks (exploiting camera, PMT and association)



Clear peaks in length. Slight overestimation of the lengths we expect from Rn chain alphas

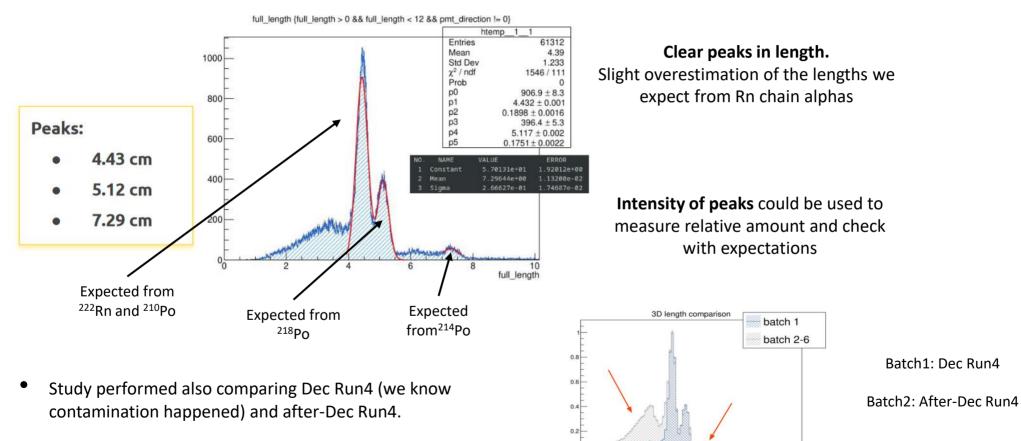
Intensity of peaks could be used to measure relative amount and check with expectations

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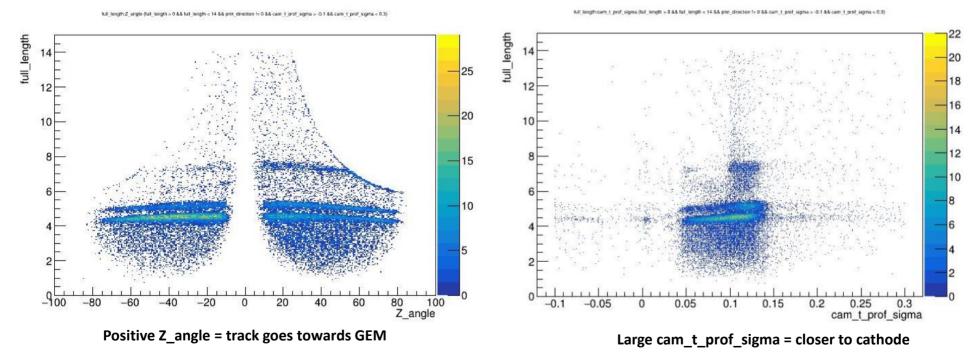
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The peaks lose intensity, but keep ratio

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- 3D reconstruction allows to study angular directions
- A more complete version of tgausssigma can be exploted to estimate the absolute z of the track (cam\_t\_prof\_sigma)



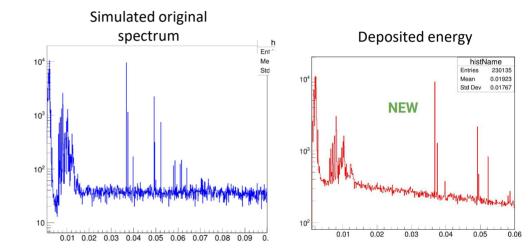
• The 7 cm alpha seems to be mostly coming from the cathode

#### **Radon simulation (Fiorina)**

- <sup>222</sup>Rn chain simulated in Geant4 (randomly inside the gas volume, neglecting the motion of daughters)
- 4 alphas identified with 4 lengths and energies

- Photons account for less than 1% of emission
- Considerable amount of beta emission and Auger electrons

- Bump at 8-10 keV<sub>ee</sub> expected and lines at higher energies
- Spectrum digitized will provide more info
- Important to inspect which component of the chain is responsible for these low energy features



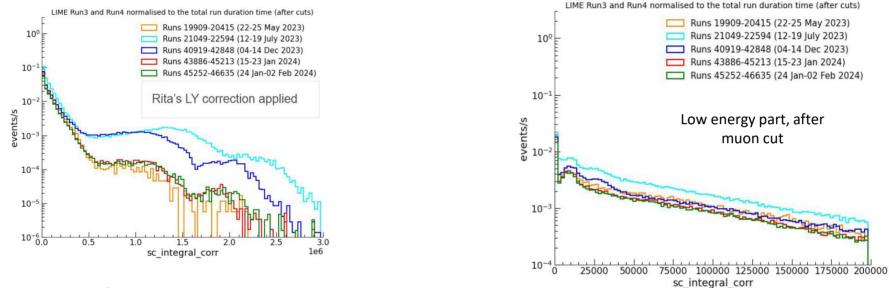
measured range in **mm**:

64.5 44.5

39.1

### Run4 (Mano)

• Run4 high gain normalised and compared to May and July of Run3



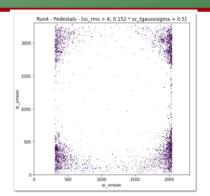
- When a lot of alphas are present two peaks at low energy appear
- Study on going:
  - using alphas and <sup>55</sup>Fe to calibrate in energy along the whole spectrum;
  - learn more about these two peaks
  - Exploit new variables (Stefano)

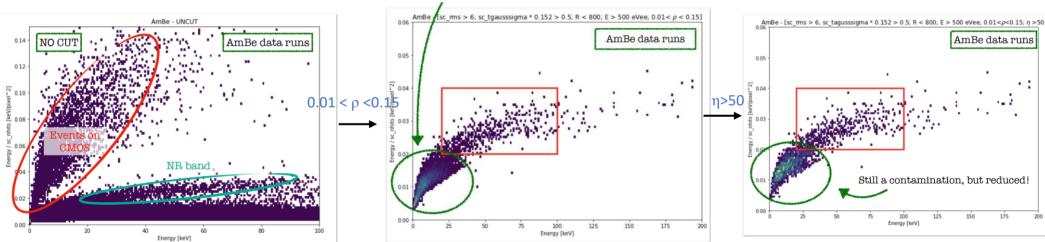
#### Selection NR (Piacentini)

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- Fake cluster are mostly in the external part of the image (vignetting correction)
  - If cut out (fiducialisation) threshold 0.5 eV<sub>ee</sub>
  - Else threshold 1.5 eV<sub>ee</sub>
- Introduction of new variables to remove background (from events in CMOS to MIP)

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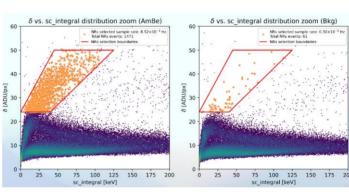


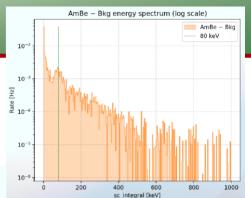
Optimisation on AmBe data with lots of NR. Study ongoing to apply these cuts to Run4.

### AmBe analysis (Zappaterra)

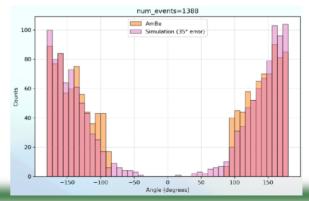
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- AmBe analysis searching for NR
- Calibration in energy using Pinci's uniformity map and correction for humidity (sort of worked)
- A peak at 80 keV appears in ER spectrum
- Selection of NR made by hand in high density region



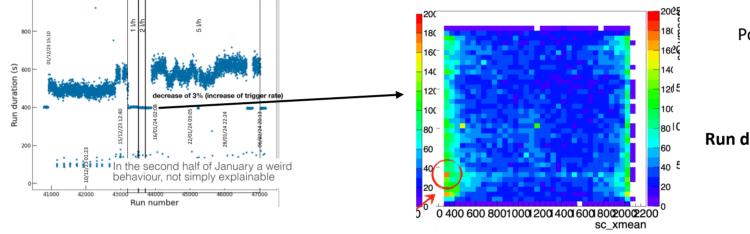


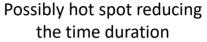
- Estimation of directionality estimated forcing HT knowing the source position (can be improved by Samuele's code)
- Comparing with simulation, it gives the idea of a possible 30-40 angular resolution (energies >15 keV<sub>ee</sub>)



#### Run Duration, GEM (Pinci, Fiorina)

- Run duration variable seems a very sensitive variable for detector condition and physics
- Dependence on pressure which affects gain (Study will be improved by Zahoor) runs: 44604-44704





## Run duration variable added to Grafana monitor

### **GEM Signal (Fiorina)**

- GEM waveform analysis led to realise only GEM3 is visible and is coupled to signals in GEM2 and GEM1
- Specific circuit to read out the GEM would be required