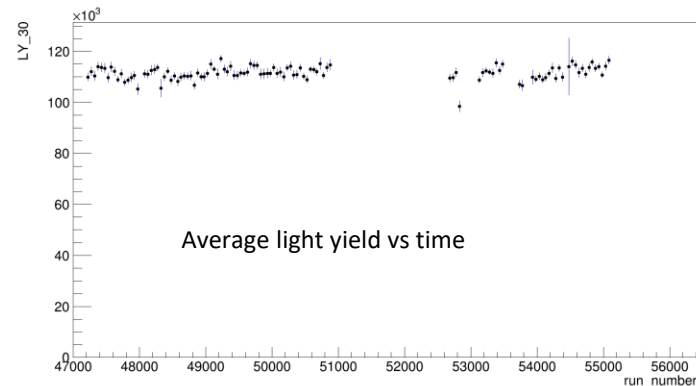


# WP2

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# WHERE WERE WE



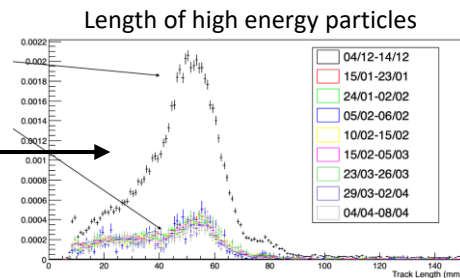
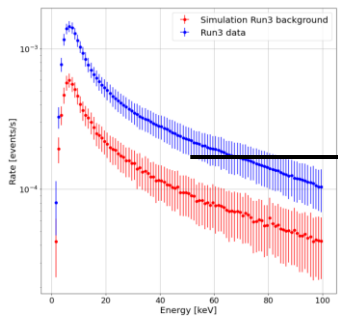
- Data Analysis on Run4 data ( copper and water shielding) was begun.

Highlighted stability of data taking  
(>90% duty cycle)

- Data-MC comparison hinted internal contamination (Radon?)

## Run3

Data and MC  
energy spectra



- This half year we focused a lot on development of software and tools to more efficiently and better analyse data

Reconstruction

3D association

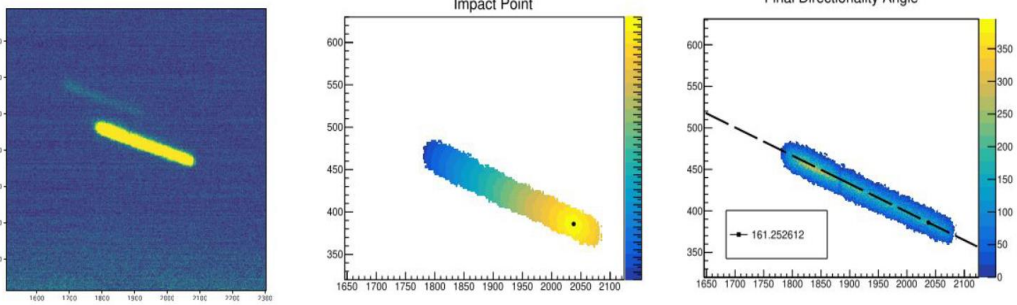
Digitisation (simulation)

Directionality

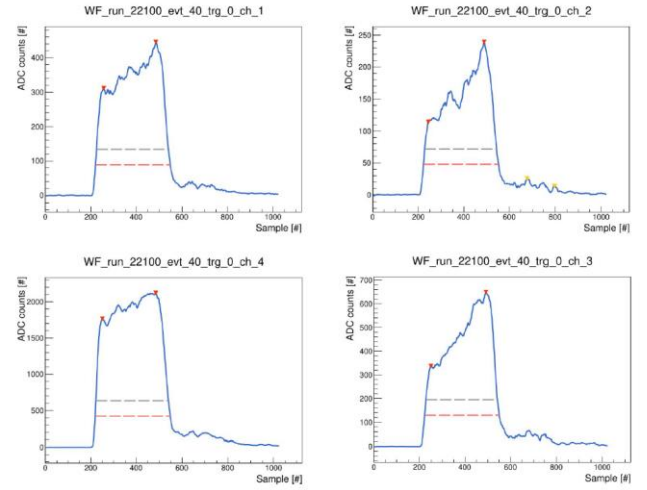
Physics fit

- To develop the 3D reconstruction algorithm we started simple → long, straight, not-so-rare tracks: **alphas**
- 2 detector type:

### Camera



### PMT



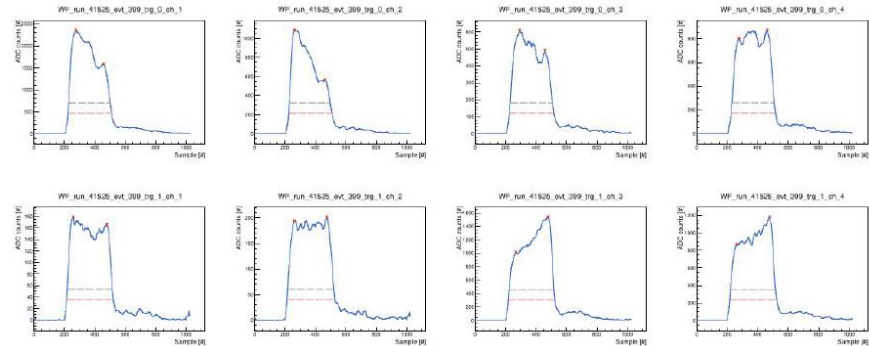
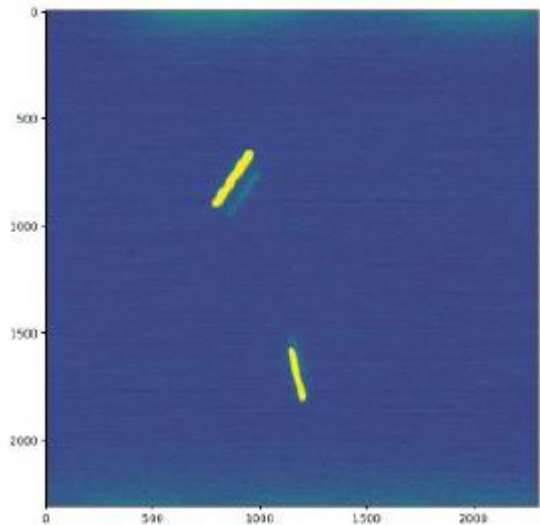
From X-Y pixel distribution and intensity we can obtain:

- bidimensional angle of direction ( $\Phi$ )
- sense of direction in 2D
- Projected length in 2D

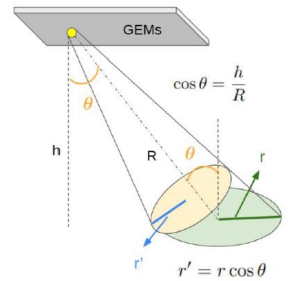
From relative intensity of PMT signals, Time over threshold and waveform shape we can obtain:

- sense of direction in Z
- Projected length in Z

# 3D RECO II



- Different response of the 4 PMTs in LIME

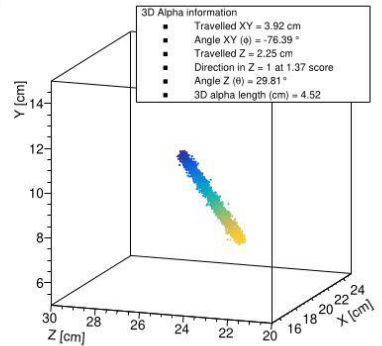
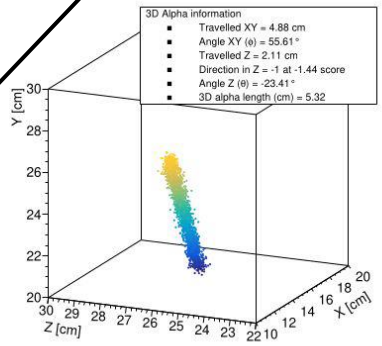
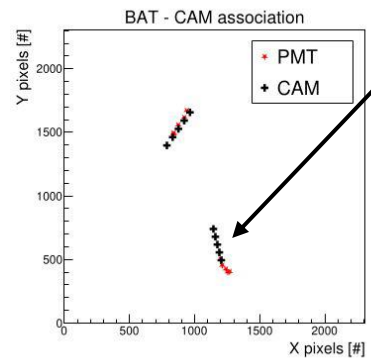


- Multivariate Bayesian fit procedure

$$p(\{x_{ij}\} | \theta) = \prod_{j=1}^{N_{points}} \prod_{i=1}^4 \mathcal{N}(\{x_{ij}\} | L'_{ij}(\theta))$$

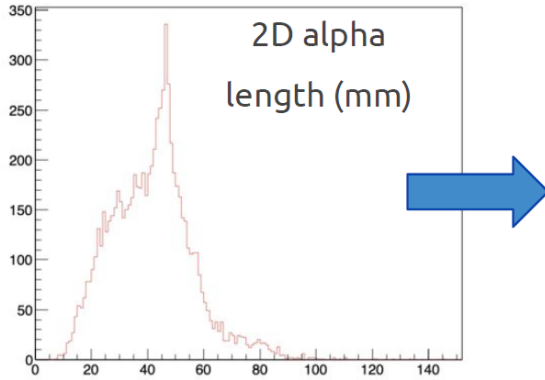
- Calibrated on <sup>55</sup>Fe source
- Precision of ~1 cm

(e)



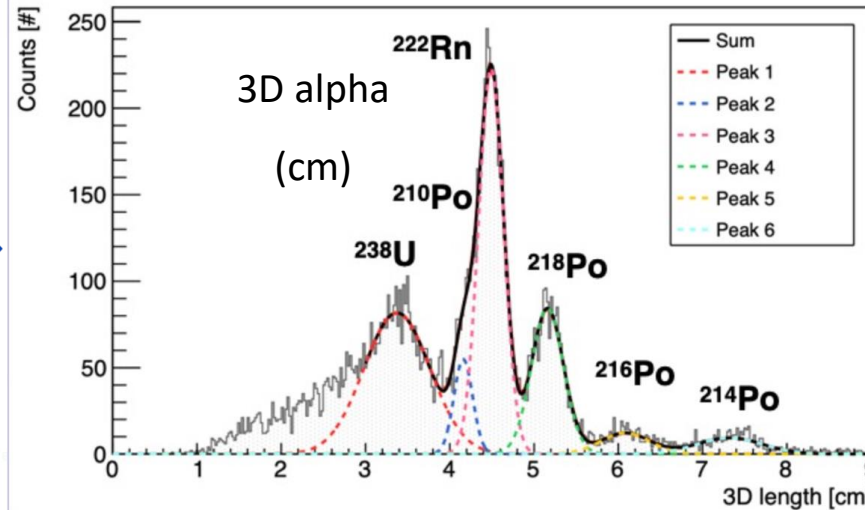
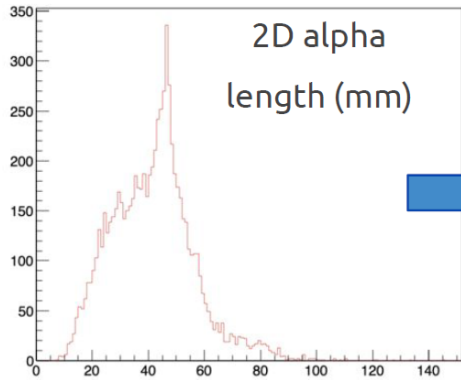
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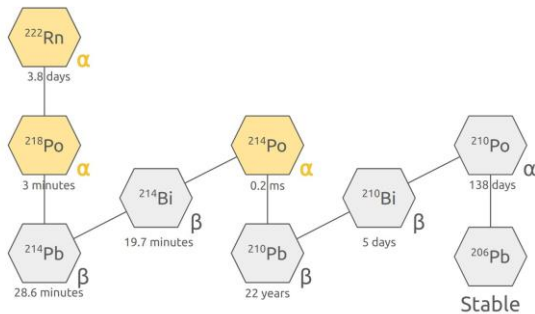
Theory + *detector effect* (7% error)

- $^{238}\text{U}$  -> 4.17 MeV -> 33.7 mm
- $^{216}\text{Po}$  -> 6.78 MeV -> 61.6 mm
- $^{210}\text{Po}$  -> 5.30 MeV -> 43.1 mm

Measured (5% error)

- 33 mm **Contamination**
- 61 mm **from border and**
- 41.6 mm **GEM**

Expecting Radon contamination:



Theory + *detector effect* (7% error)

- $^{222}\text{Rn}$  -> 5.50 MeV -> 45.7 mm
- $^{218}\text{Po}$  -> 6.00 MeV -> 51 mm
- $^{214}\text{Po}$  -> 7.69 MeV -> 71 mm

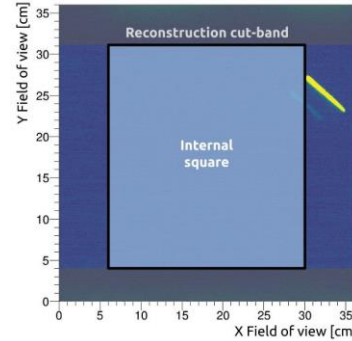
Measured (1% error)

- 44.3 mm
- 51.2 mm
- 72.9 mm

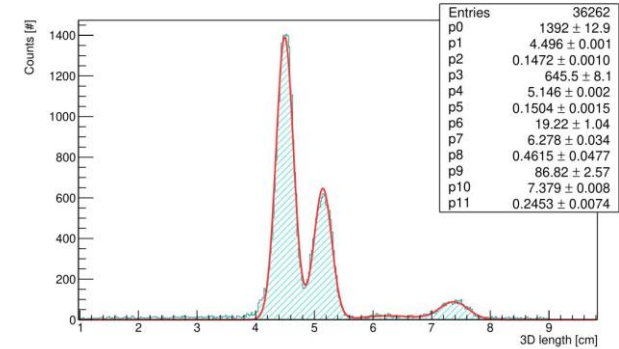
**Radon contamination confirmed**

# 3D RECO IV

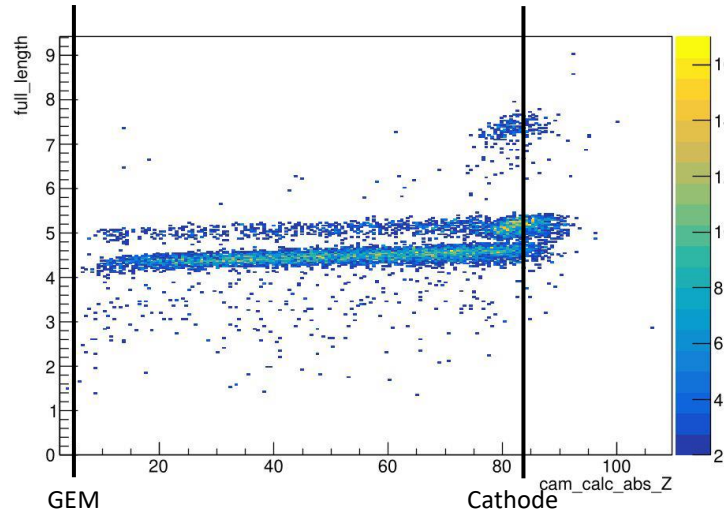
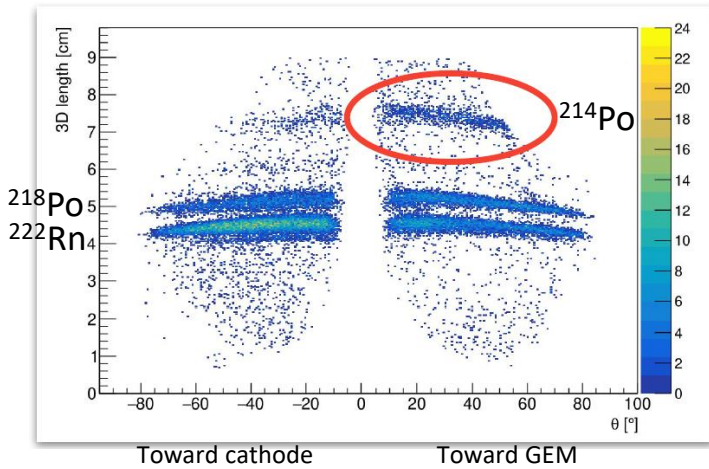
- What about orientation of these Rn daughter alphas?
- Selection in the centre to include cathode, GEM and detector gas (no borders with resistors and field rings)
- Inclination angle and rough estimation of absolute z coordinate support Radon daughter behaviour



(a) Geometrical cut - central square



(b) 3D length of alphas



Daughters, generated positively charged, will move to the cathode:

- Higher Z (closer to cathode)
- Emission mostly toward GEM

Potential of 3D just starts unveiling!

Paper in preparation

# RUN4: HIGH ENERGY

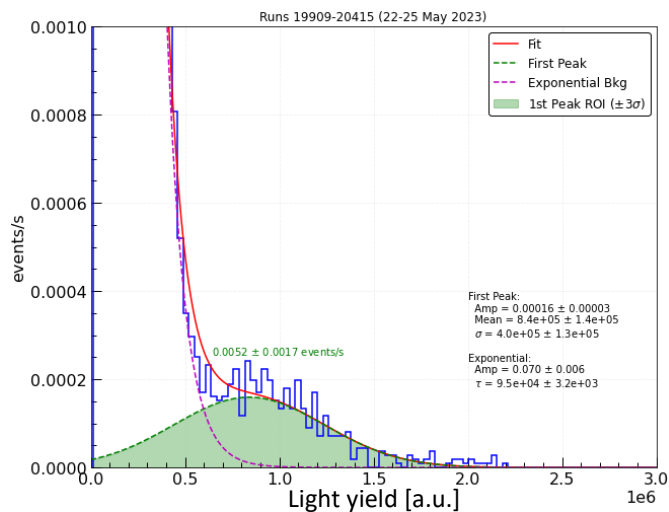
WP2.1

PRELIMINARY

- Normalisation of spectra based on time duration of runs
- Different periods of data of Run4 taken into consideration
- Data normalised in light intensity:  $10^4$  about 5.9 keV (non-linear response in z not considered yet)

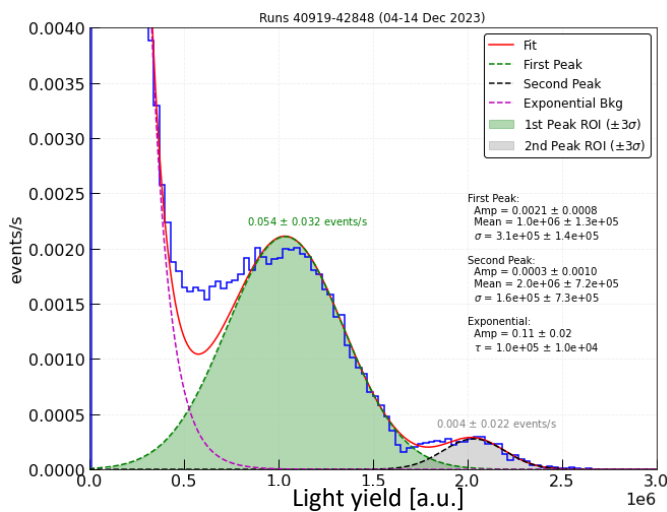
Energy range of alphas

### Run3 no ricirculation



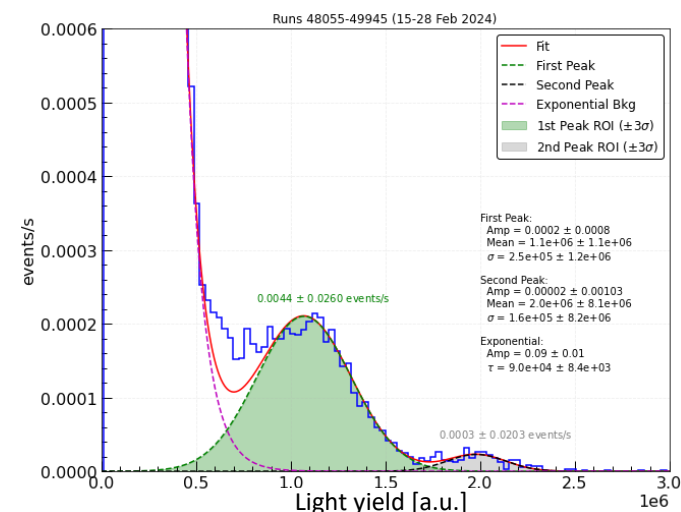
low Rn

### Run4 unfiltered



high Rn

### Run4 filtered



low Rn



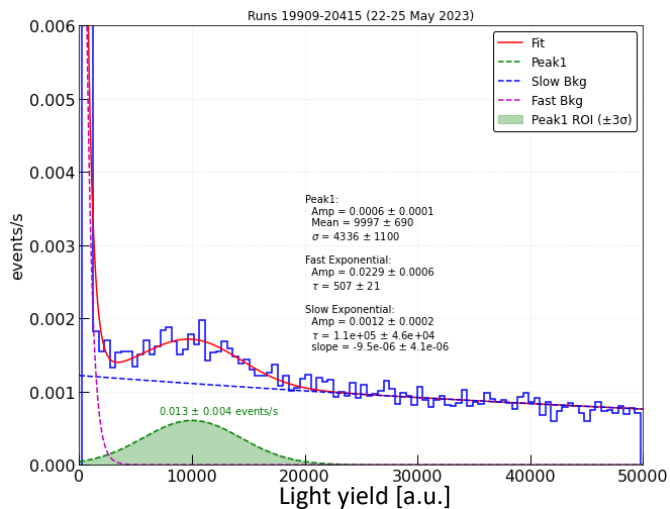
# RUN4: LOW ENERGY

WP2.1

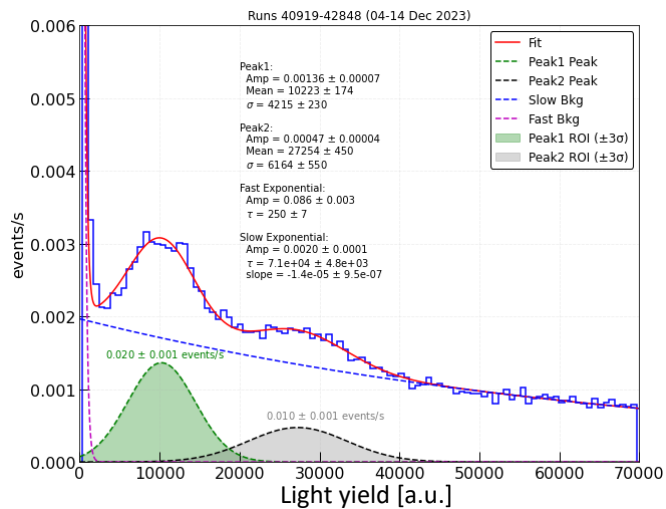
PRELIMINARY

- How is the low energy range behaving?
- Looking for correlation on low energy spectrum with periods with different radon concentration

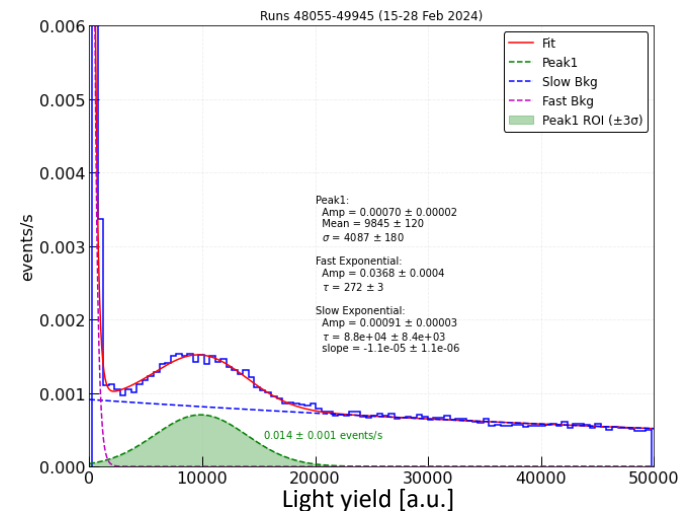
Run3 no ricirculation  
low Rn



Run4 unfiltered  
high Rn



Run4 filtered  
low Rn

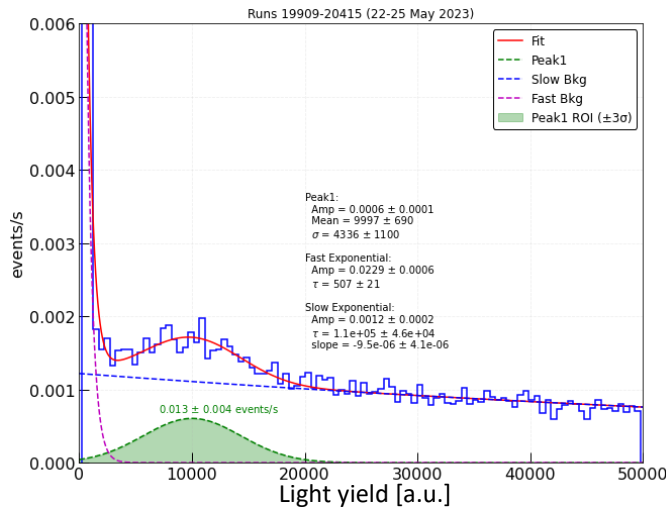


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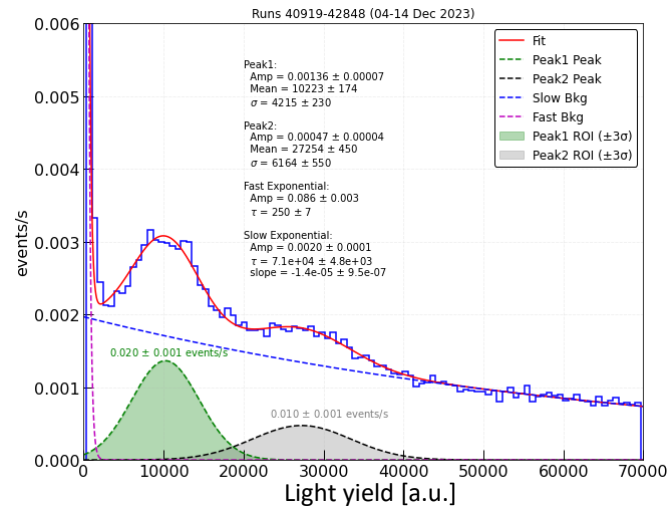
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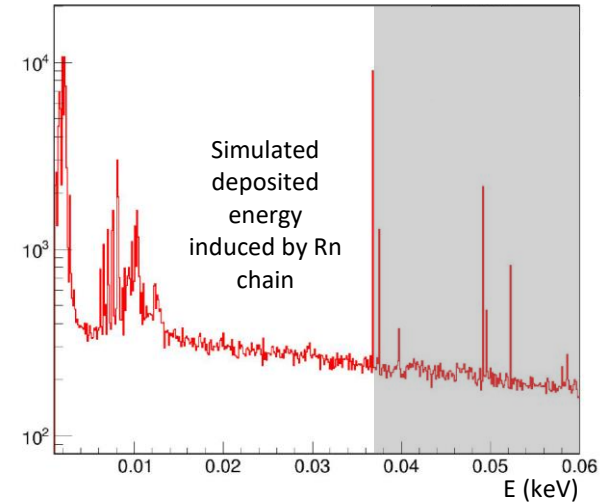
Run3 no ricirculation  
low Rn



Run4 unfiltered  
high Rn



GEANT4 Simulation Rn  
energy deposits



- MC comparison will give further insight

We are studying the impact of Rn chain on low energy region

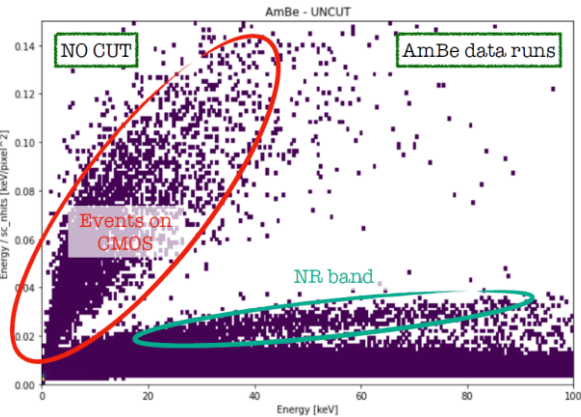
Simulation code improved to speed up MC comparison: Now 10 times faster and more efficient

# RUN4: NEW VARIABLES

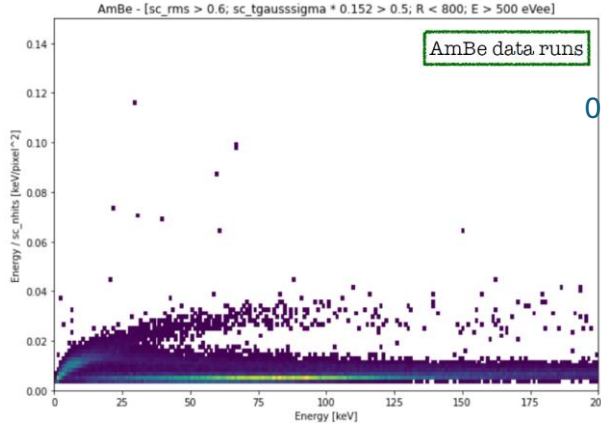
$$\rho \equiv \frac{sc\_rms}{sc\_nhits}$$

RMS of distribution of pixel intensity  
Number of pixel above threshold

- New reconstructed variables exploiting pixel distribution and intensity

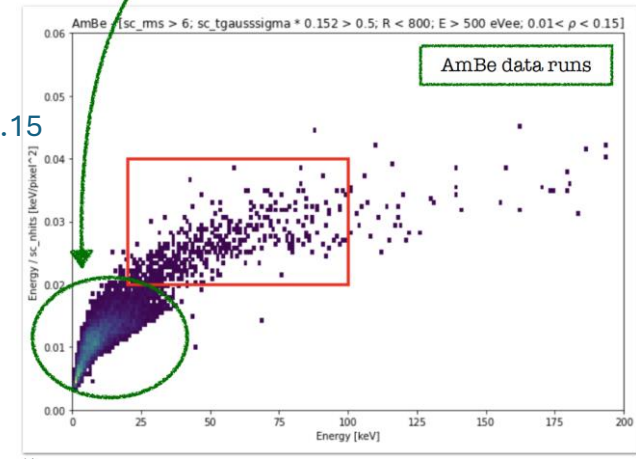


$\rho < 0.15$



$0.01 < \rho < 0.15$

Still ER contamination

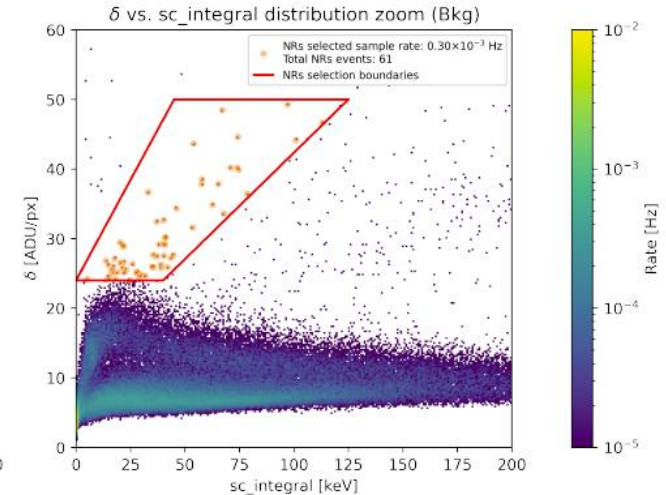
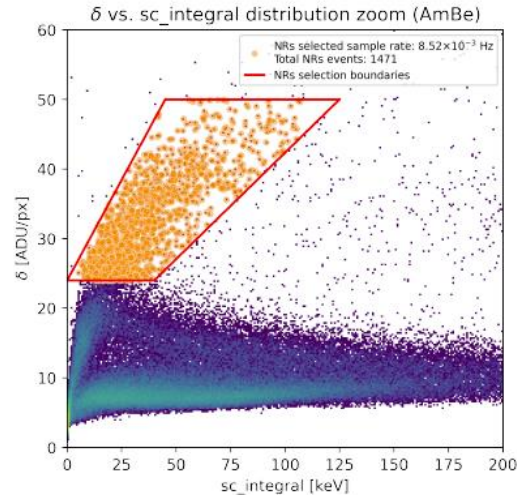
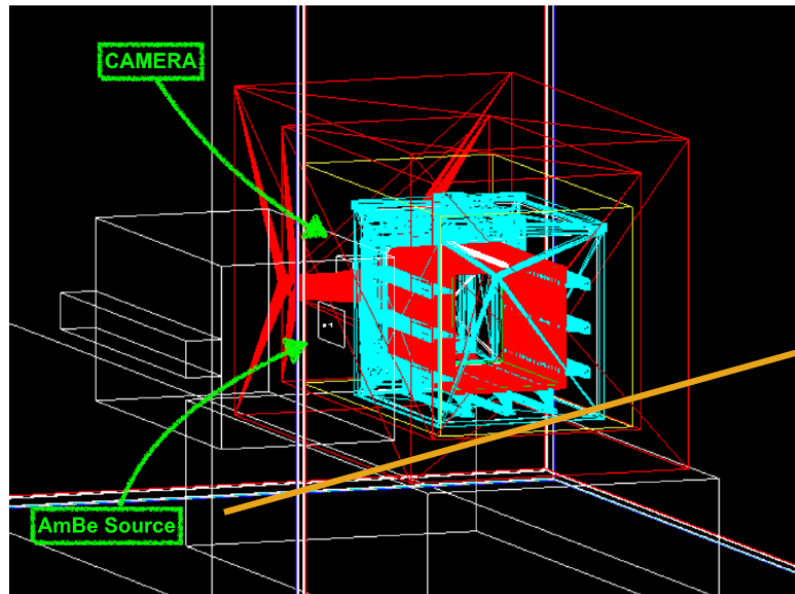


- This variable appears to be a good method to remove ER
- It will be included in ER/NR rejection studies

Recent interest received from a Trieste group expert on machine learning (prof. Trotta)

# NUCLEAR RECOIL ANGULAR RESOLUTION

- AmBe neutron source was exploited to induce large amount of NR in LIME detector
- This data set is a key test bench for NR angular resolution measurements, ER/NR discrimination



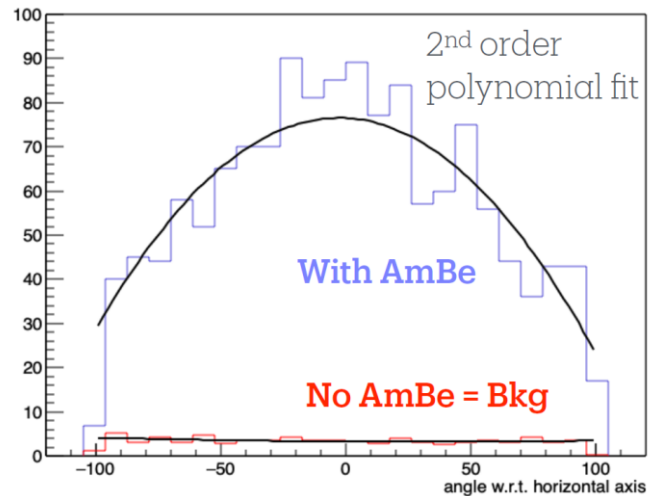
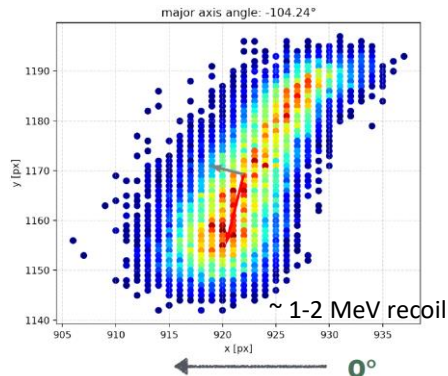
- From the camera point of view, the neutrons emitted horizontally are aligned so that their angle is  $0^\circ$

**Machine learning work on  
ER/NR discrimination will  
help improve selection and  
select in lower energy range**

# NUCLEAR RECOIL ANGULAR RESOLUTION III

PRELIMINARY

- Direction estimated by simple principal component decomposition
- Kinematic simulation of the recoil distribution is convoluted with gaussian angular resolution and tested with data



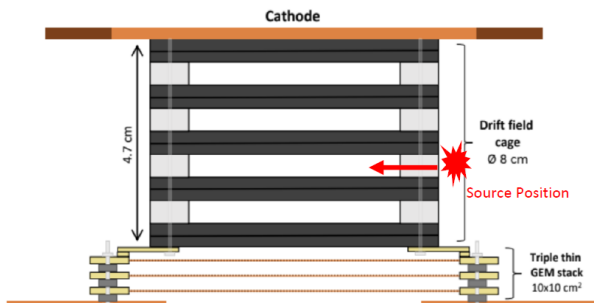
**Data suggests 45° 2D angular resolution above 100 keV<sub>ee</sub> at atmospheric pressure**

Convolution with source distribution to be removed

- 3D reconstruction can help improving the direction and the determination of the energy (by length)
- New simulation will improve the MC comparison

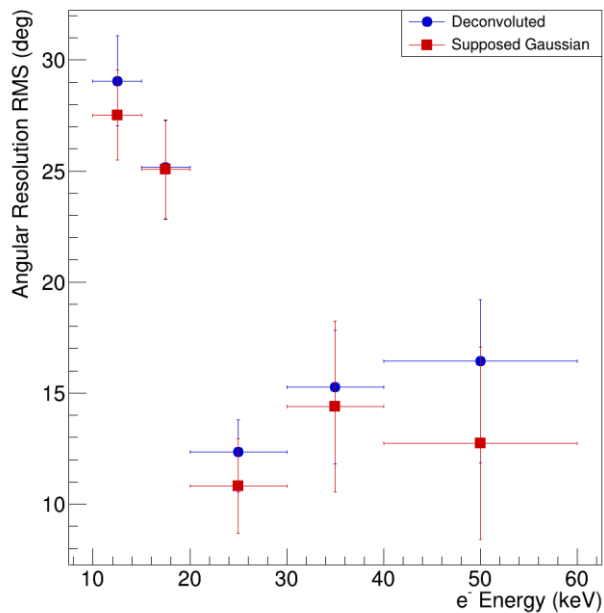
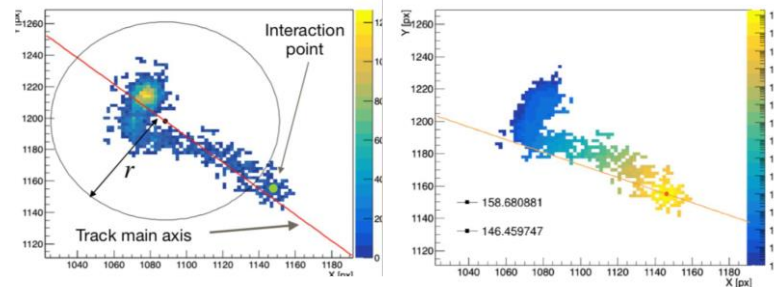
# DIRECTIONAL RECONSTRUCTION

- Code for directional reconstruction was developed in the past
- Recently the code was improved and applied to real data taken with a prototype
- Beta<sup>-</sup> emitter <sup>90</sup>Sr source



Confronting MC and data, the angular resolution was measured

Interesting for neutrinos too!!



- Excellent result on data for ER angular resolution
- HT 100% at all energies
- Can be adapted to NR and applied to AmBe data

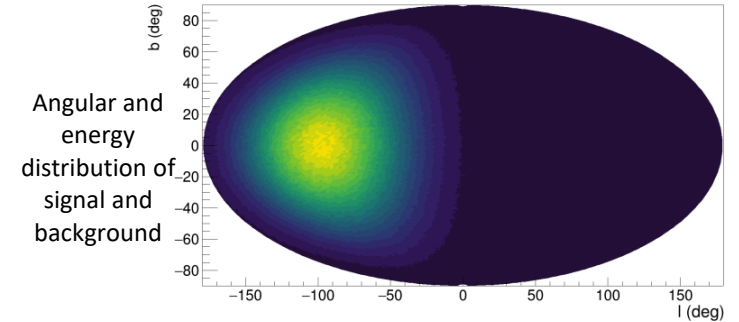
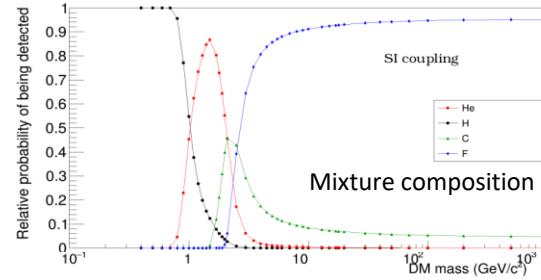
Paper published in the context of the PRIN project

HypeX

# SENSITIVITY LIME

$$p(\vec{\mu}, \vec{\theta} | \vec{x}, H) = \frac{p(\vec{x} | \vec{\mu}, \vec{\theta}, H) \pi(\vec{\mu}, \vec{\theta} | H)}{\int_{\Omega} \int_D p(\vec{x} | \vec{\mu}, \vec{\theta}, H) \pi(\vec{\mu}, \vec{\theta} | H) d\vec{\mu} d\vec{\theta}}$$

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- Strong effort to put into a single code the calculation of the spectra of expected DM signal and the Bayesian fit procedure to estimate Credible interval limit (BAT toolkit used)

- Detector effects can be included

- LIME is not able to provide limits yet: unknown contamination -> no background model (LIME was not meant for this!!)

- However, we can use it to estimate where the exposure of the detector can lead us

- As a first test no measurable variables were included in the study:

As if LIME was a simple counting experiment



Large background  
Counting experiment:  
**Worst possible scenario**

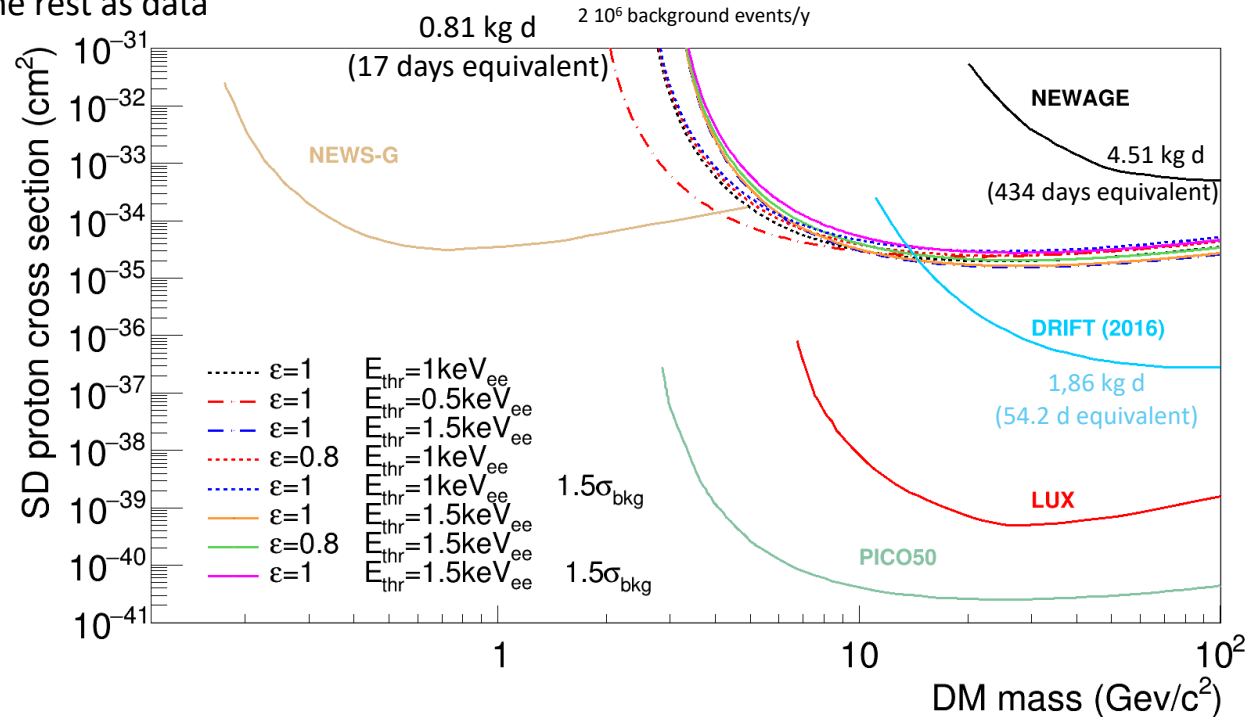
# SENSITIVITY LIME II

**PRELIMINARY**

- Simple cuts on geometry to exclude borders (33 L active volume)
- Loose cut on rho variable to remove many ER (Machine learning technique will strongly improve this)
- Different thresholds and NR efficiency analysed
- 20% of Run4 data used as background model and the rest as data

**We are quite close to DRIFT**  
(with a detector not thought for DM search)

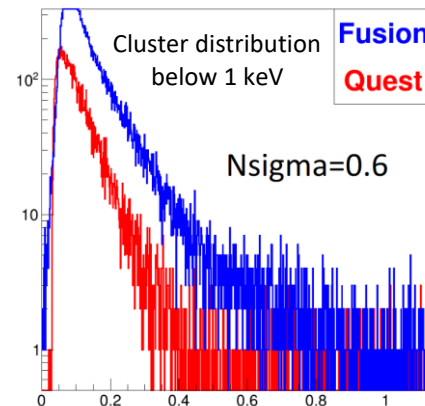
**Great improvement in energy threshold** (with respect to other directional detectors)



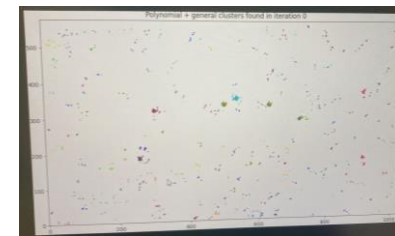


# ANALYSIS CODE AND DATA REDUCTION

- CYGNO-04 will use ORCA QUEST camera as sCMOS detector (different shape, noise, performance) and new lens
- Analysis and simulation code integrated the new camera and lens interface
- Example of data clusterised with same reconstruction parameters

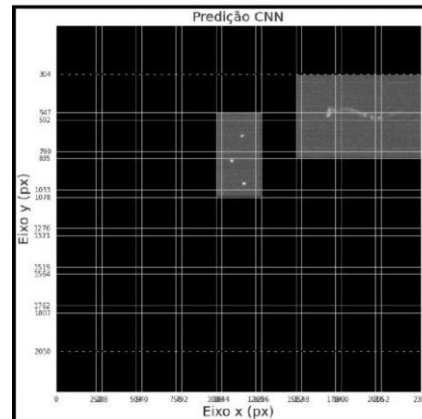
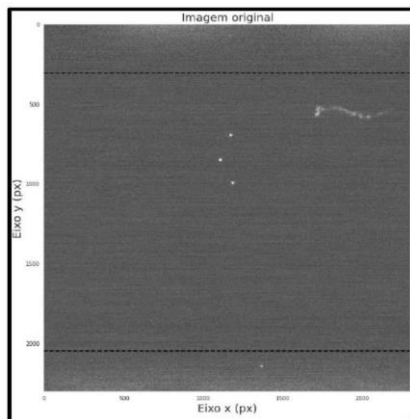


Reconstructed cluster with same code parameters



QUEST

- Machine learning technique (and not) study to be applied at frontend level to reduce the raw data output for CYGNO-04 (we will use 6 cameras!)



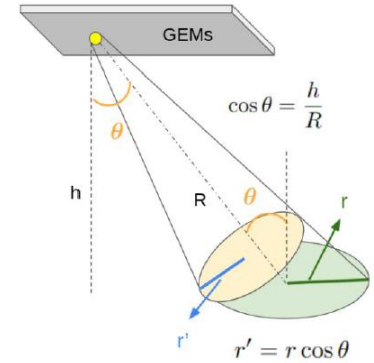
Data reduction expected to be of a factor **150**

Efficiency at low energy under study (already outperforming current reconstruction algorithm)

# CONCLUSIONS

- During these months a lot of effort was spent in improvement of software in order to carry out more complex analysis
- 3D reconstruction algorithm is currently working for long NR tracks with extremely interesting results
- AmBe campaigns are paramount to determine operative parameters of the CYGNO detector and will soon exploit the software improvements
- A conservative angular resolution of 45 deg on NR above 100 keV<sub>ee</sub> was found
- An angular resolution on electrons was measured of 30 deg at 10 keV and below 20 deg above 20 keV
- Extremely conservative estimation of exposure of LIME puts it within range of DRIFT results
- Work on analysis tools and data reduction for CYGNO-04 has already started

# BACKUP I: 3D RECO II



- $L'_{ji} = c_i \frac{L_j}{R_{ij}^\alpha}$
- $R_{ji} = \sqrt{x_{ji}^2 + y_{ji}^2 + z^2}$

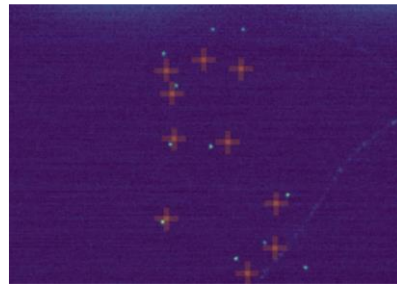
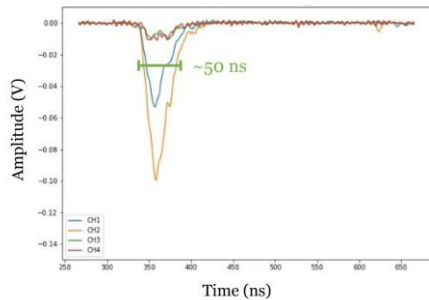
- Merging the two detector allows 3D reconstruction
- LIME has 4 PMTs whose distance from the event changes their intensity
- Important to match the signals of the detectors: multivariate Bayesian fit

$$p(\{x_{ij}\} | \theta) = \prod_{j=1}^{N_{points}} \prod_{i=1}^4 \mathcal{N}(\{x_{ij}\} | L'_{ij}(\theta))$$

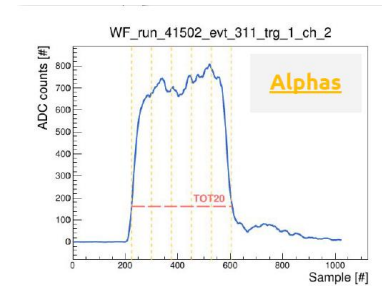
One can retrieve from PMT signals x,y coordinate and L (light yield at GEM)

1. Calibrated with iron signal with known x,y position from camera

2. Applied to alpha signal

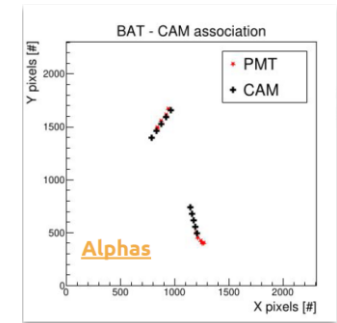


Resolution of about 1 cm



Signal sliced into 5 blocks

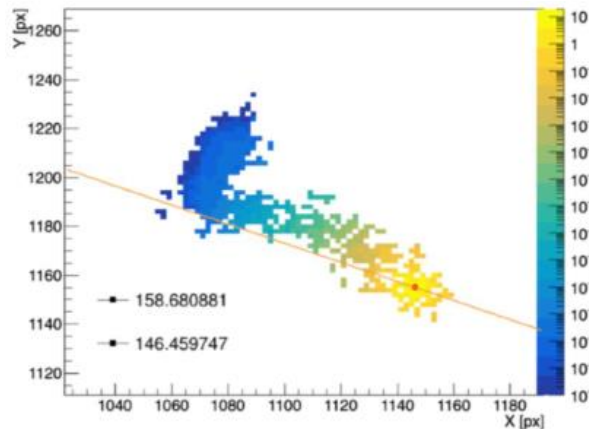
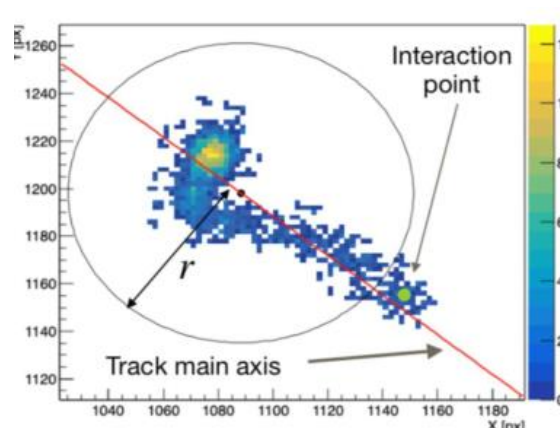
Accuracy within 2 cm



Enough for association purposes

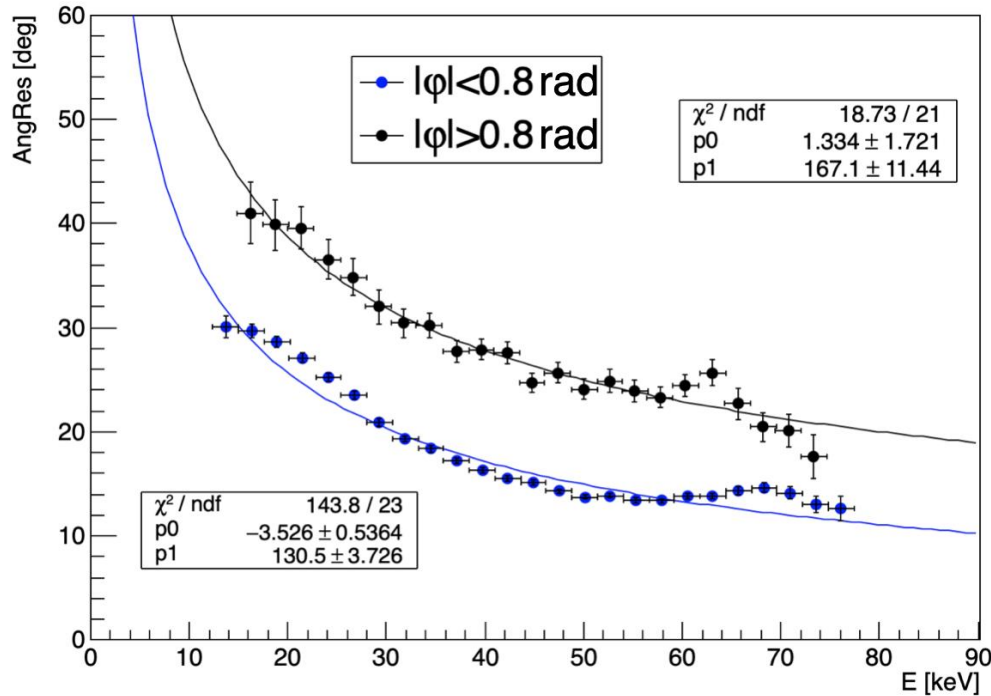
# BACKUP II: DIRECTIONALITY

- Track reconstructed by analysis code
- Noise and below threshold pixel pruned
- Principal axis component and barycenter calculated
- Radius  $r$  opened around the barycenter and new barycenter calculated on the pixels outside the radius in the region with low skewness
- After finding the Impact Point (IP), the track is weighted in intensity as a function of the distance from IP
- Linear fit of the weighted points



# BACKUP III: ANGULAR RESOLUTION SIMULATION

- Directionality algorithm was applied in the past to simulation of ER, yielding:



In the data tracks were mostly parallel to the GEM -> like blue points

Measurement has finer granularity than simulation and results in **better results** than simulation

# BACKUP IV: SENSITIVITY LIME

- The limit estimation and fit procedure of the data is a key element for dark matter physics
- Strong effort to put into a single code the calculation of the spectra of expected DM signal and the Bayesian fit procedure to estimate limit (BAT toolkit used)
- Limit evaluation based on Credible Interval calculated by exploiting Bayesian technique.

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$$\mu_1(90\%CI) : \int_0^{\mu_1(90\%CI)} p(\mu_1 | \vec{x}, H) d\mu_1 = 0.9$$

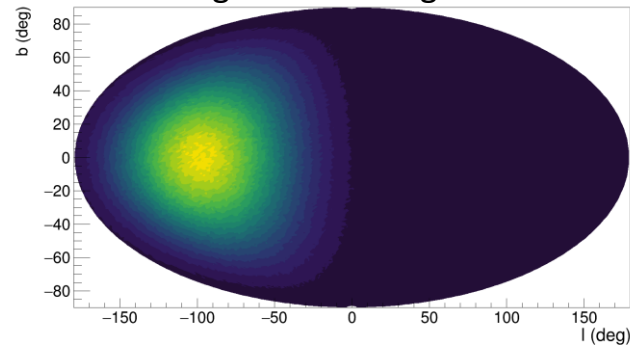
- In general based on a Likelihood profiled on measurable variables as direction and energy

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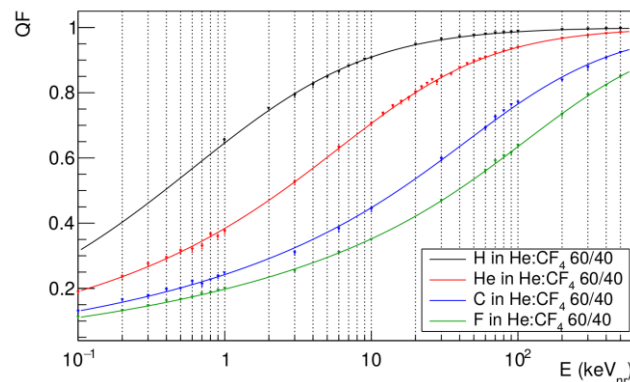
# SENSITIVITY LIME II

- Detector effects which can be included are

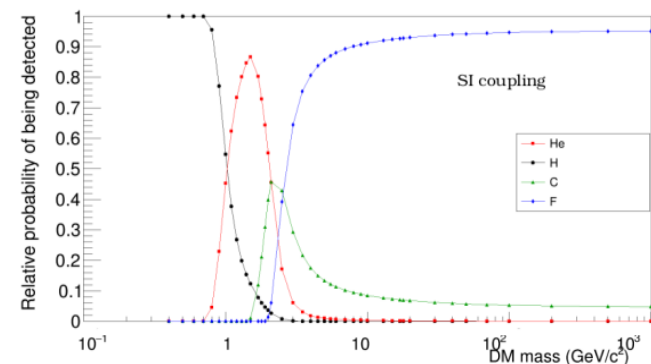
Angular and energy distribution of signal and background



Quenching factor of elements in gas



Mixture composition



- LIME is not able to provide limits yet: unknown contamination -> no background model (LIME was not meant for this!!)
- However, we can use it to estimate where the exposure of the detector can lead us
- As a first test no measurable variables were included in the study:

As if LIME was a simple counting experiment



Large background  
Counting experiment:  
**Worst possible scenario**