



« Analysis at GANIL » AGATA@VAMOS

Outline

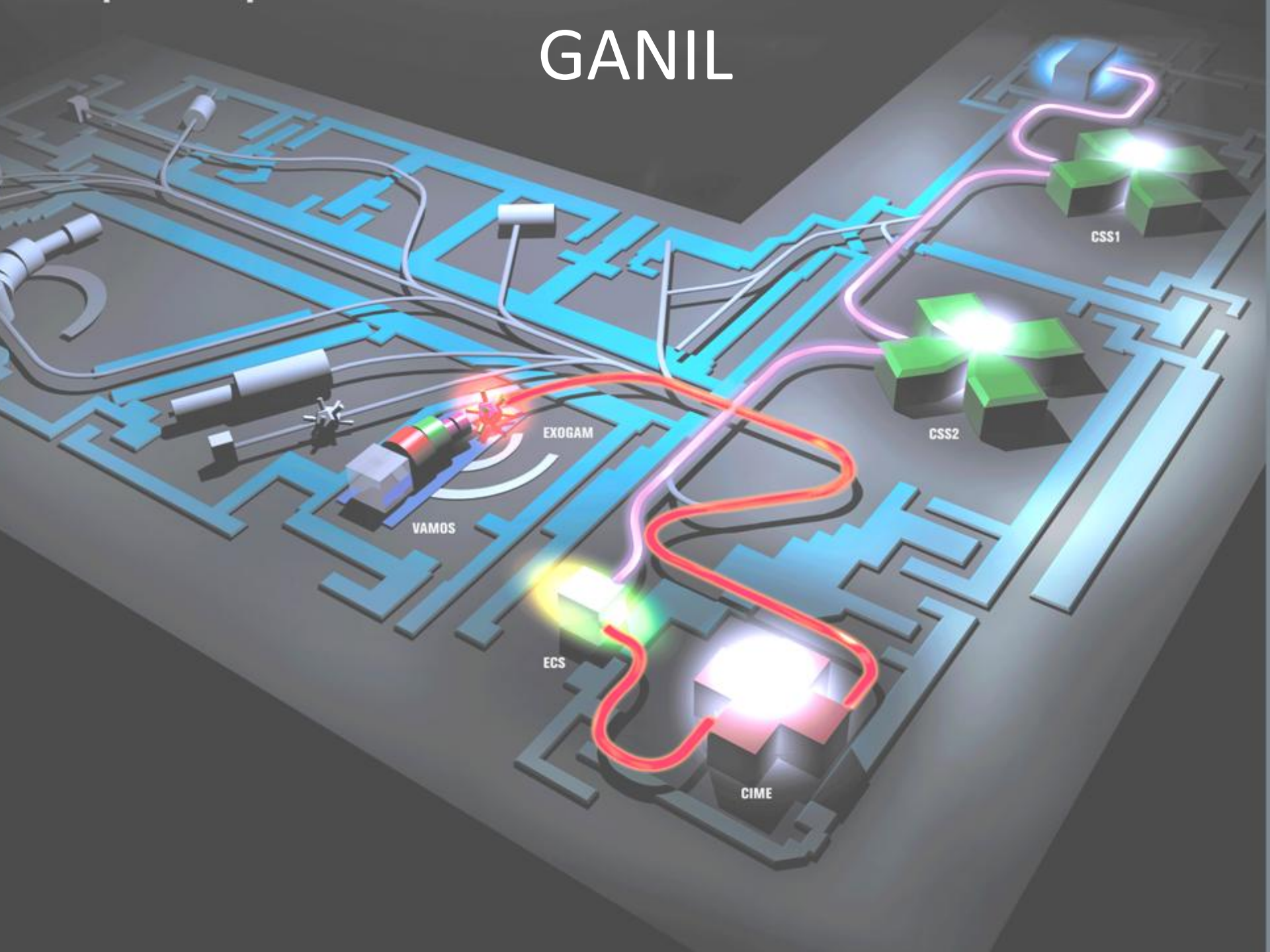


- AGATA @ Ganil - AGATA@VAMOS
 - Gamma ray spectroscopy around the Coulomb barrier
- VAMOS : large acceptance spectrometer
 - VAMOS detection setup
 - Detection what do we measure and how (well)
 - Brief Electronics and DAQ
 - VAMOS Analysis steps
 - Software available, what is to come ?
 - Analysis procedure to get the (A,Z,q)
 - Gamma – Spectra
- « Practical » Session :
 - Try to get back identification from previous data set
 - How to prepare your experiment ?

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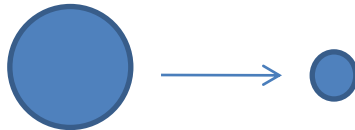
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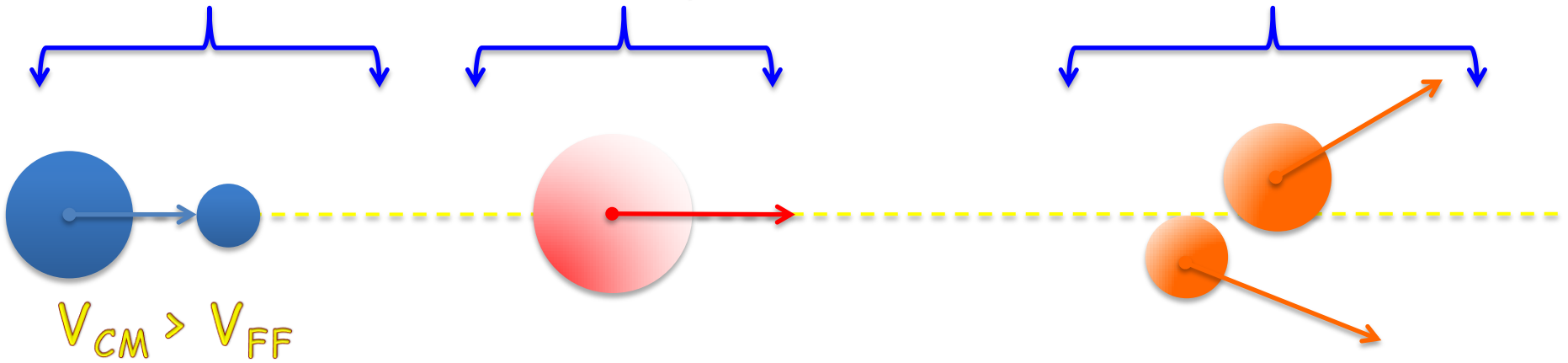
In the Following we will discuss Fission, but most of
discussion is relevant to Multi-nucleon Transfer

Basic steps

Collision

Fusion or
Transfer

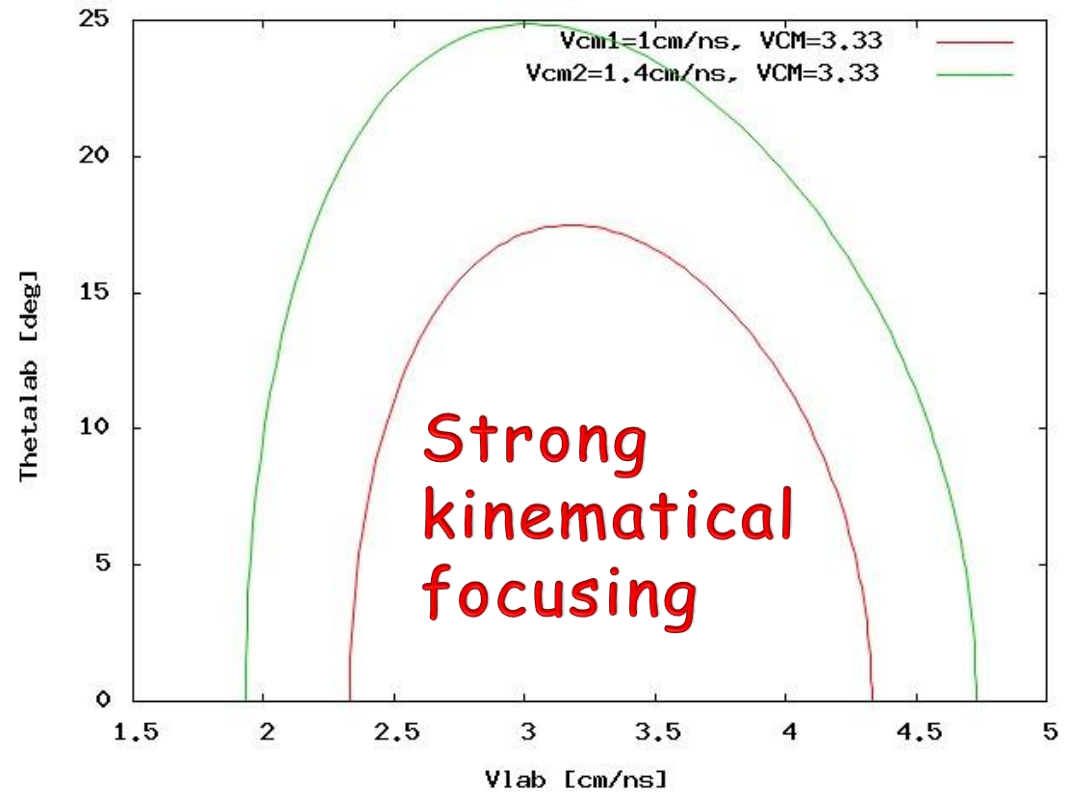
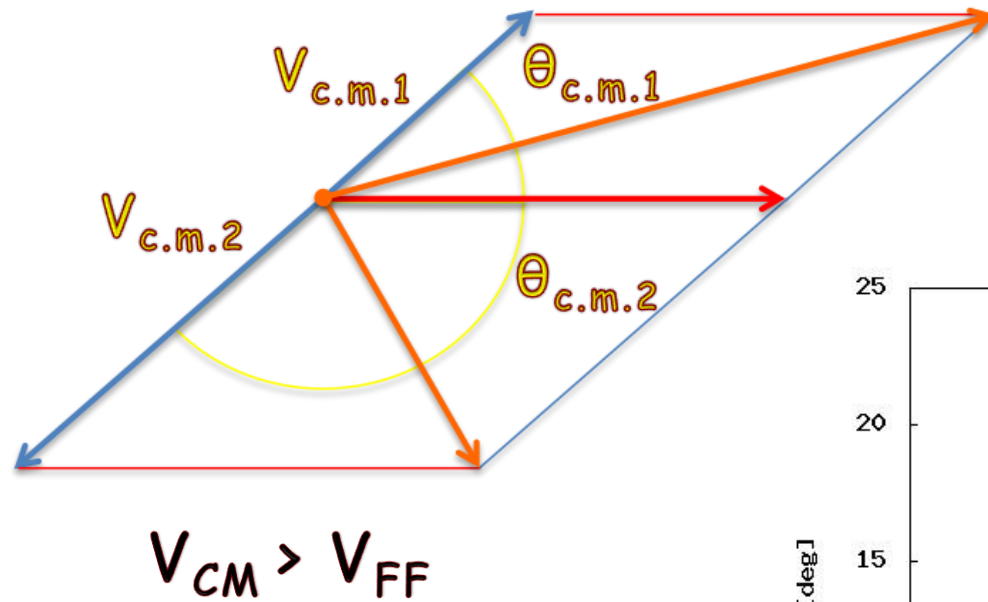
Fission



Kinematical situation

$v \sim 3 \text{ cm/ns}$

$\beta \sim 0.1$



Coupling a magnetic spectrometer to γ -ray spectrometer

- **Ejectile Identification (A,Z)**

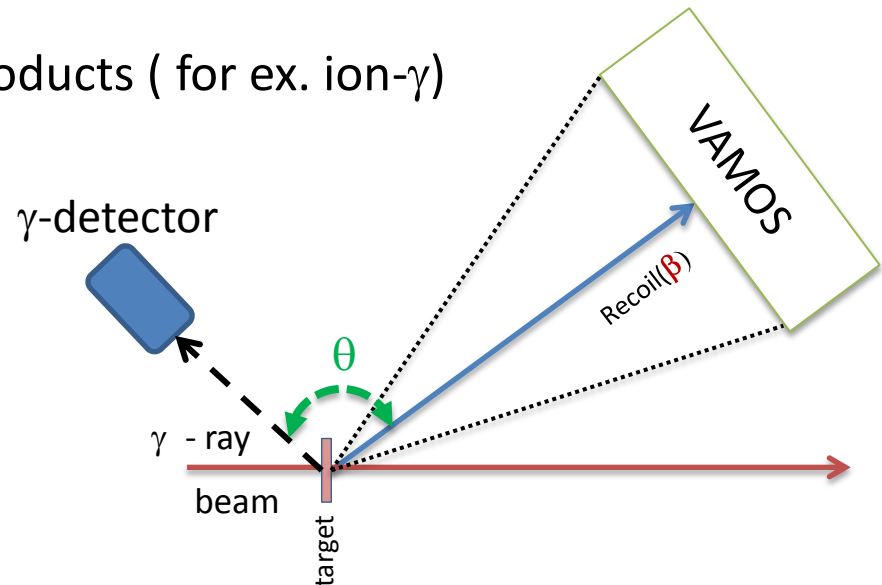
- Charge Number Z
Energy Loss $\Delta E \sim A Z^2 / E$
- Mass A :
 $A/q \sim B\rho / v$
 $E \sim A \beta^2$

- **Selectivity :**

Trigger condition on reaction products (for ex. ion- γ)

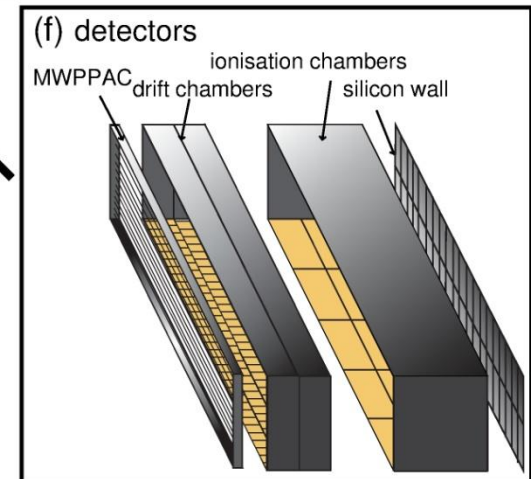
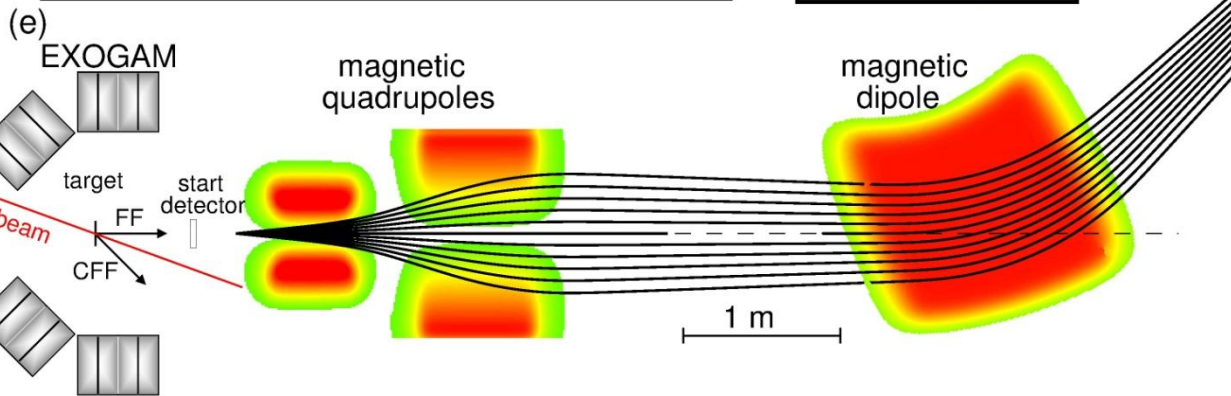
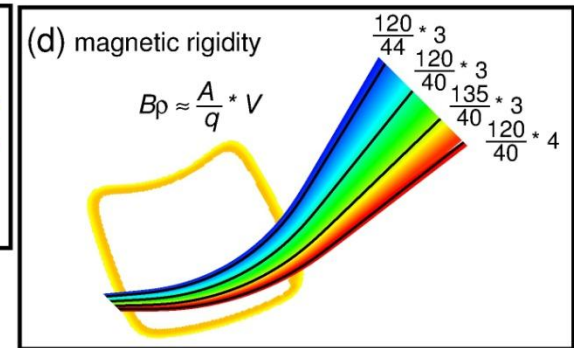
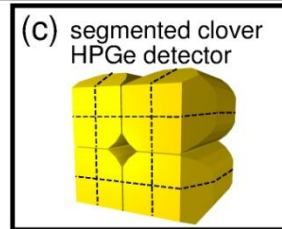
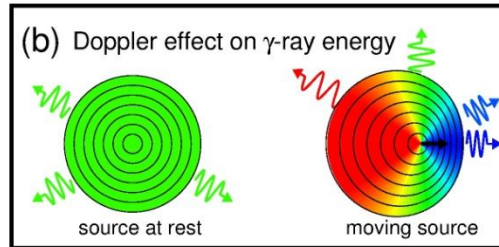
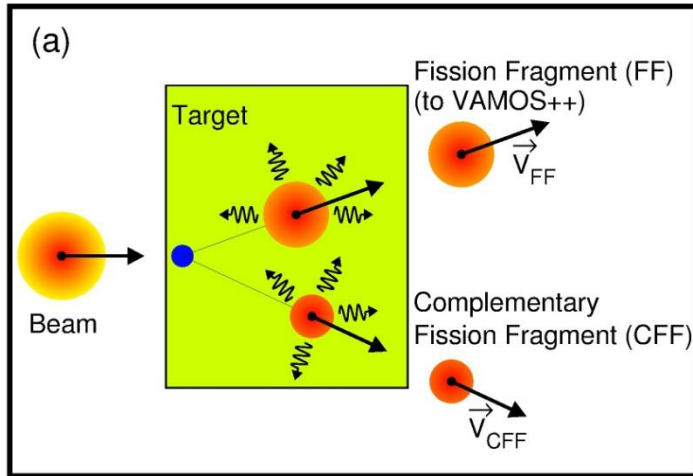
- **Doppler Correction :**
Ejectile Velocity (vector)

$$E_{\gamma} = E'_{\gamma} / (\gamma(1 - \beta \cos(\theta)))$$

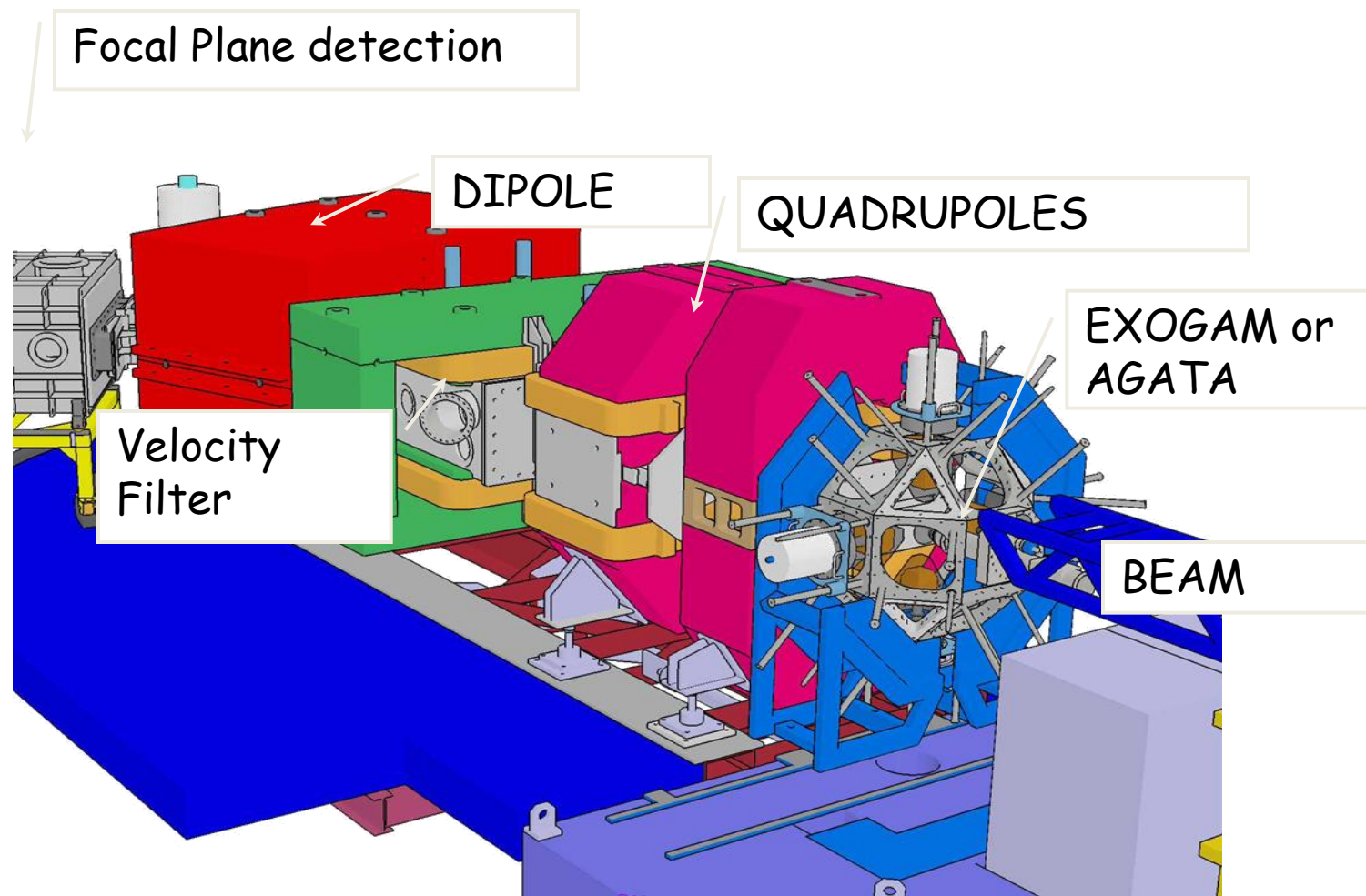


Typical experiment with VAMOS

Overview Exemple with Fission



VAMOS



VAMOS Spectrometer

Vacuum – Dispersive mode

Horizontal acceptance : +/- 7 deg.

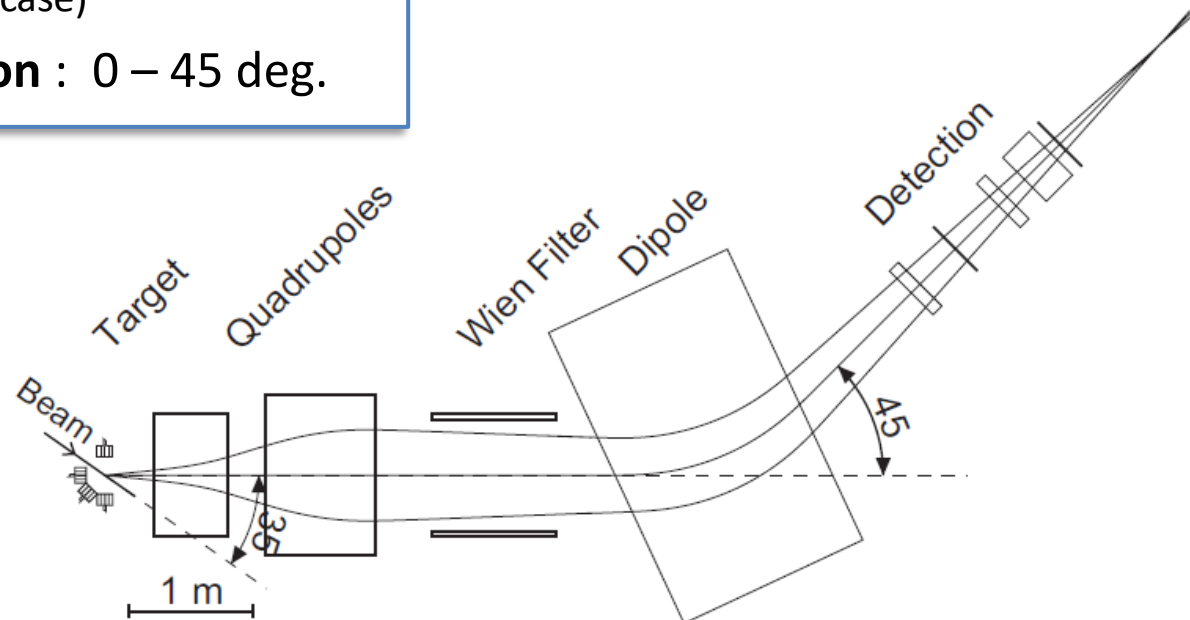
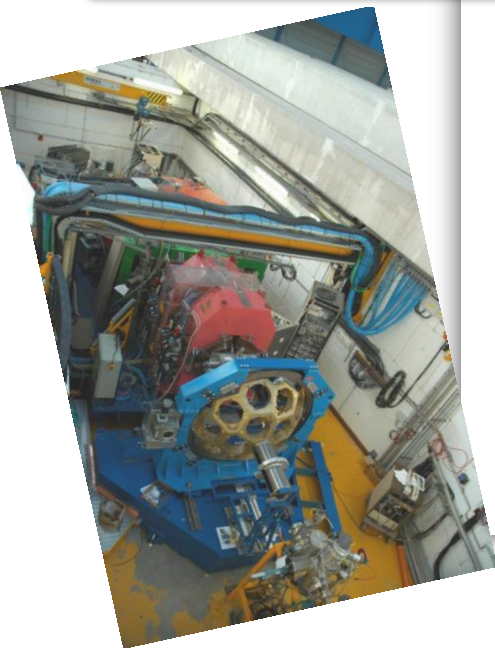
Vertical acceptance : +/- 10 deg.

Max $B\rho$: 1.6 Tm

$\Delta M/M$ \approx 1/220

$\Delta Z/Z$ \approx 1/66 (case by case)

/!\ Angular Rotation : 0 – 45 deg.



S. Pullanhiotan et al. , NIM A 593 (2008) 343

M. Rejmund et al., NIM A 646 (2011) 184

VAMOS



Magnetic spectrometer separator

B - magnetic field

m - mass

q - charge

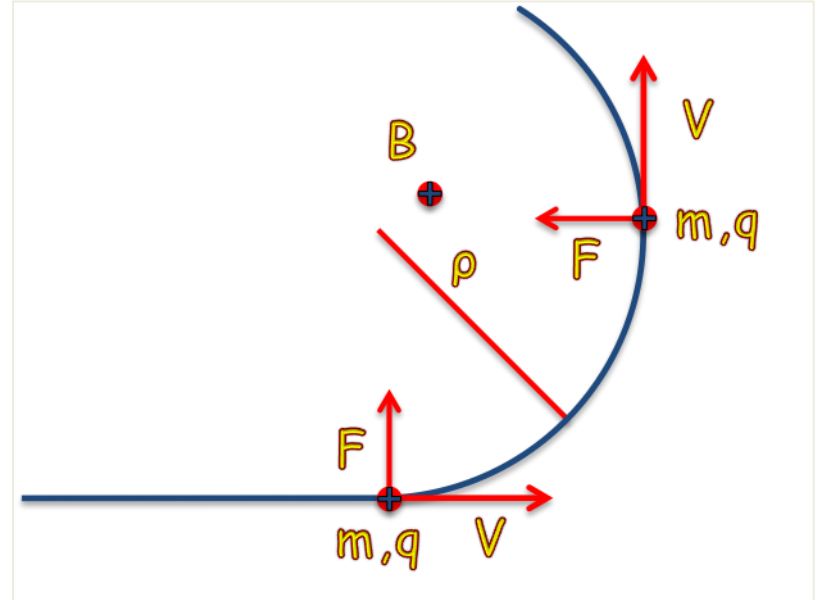
V - velocity

ρ - curvature radius

$$\vec{F} = q \vec{V} \times \vec{B}$$

$$F = q V B = m \frac{V^2}{\rho}$$

$$B\rho = \frac{mV}{q}$$



$B\rho$ is called magnetic rigidity, units [T m]

Dipole magnet introduces the dispersion according to magnetic rigidity $B\rho$

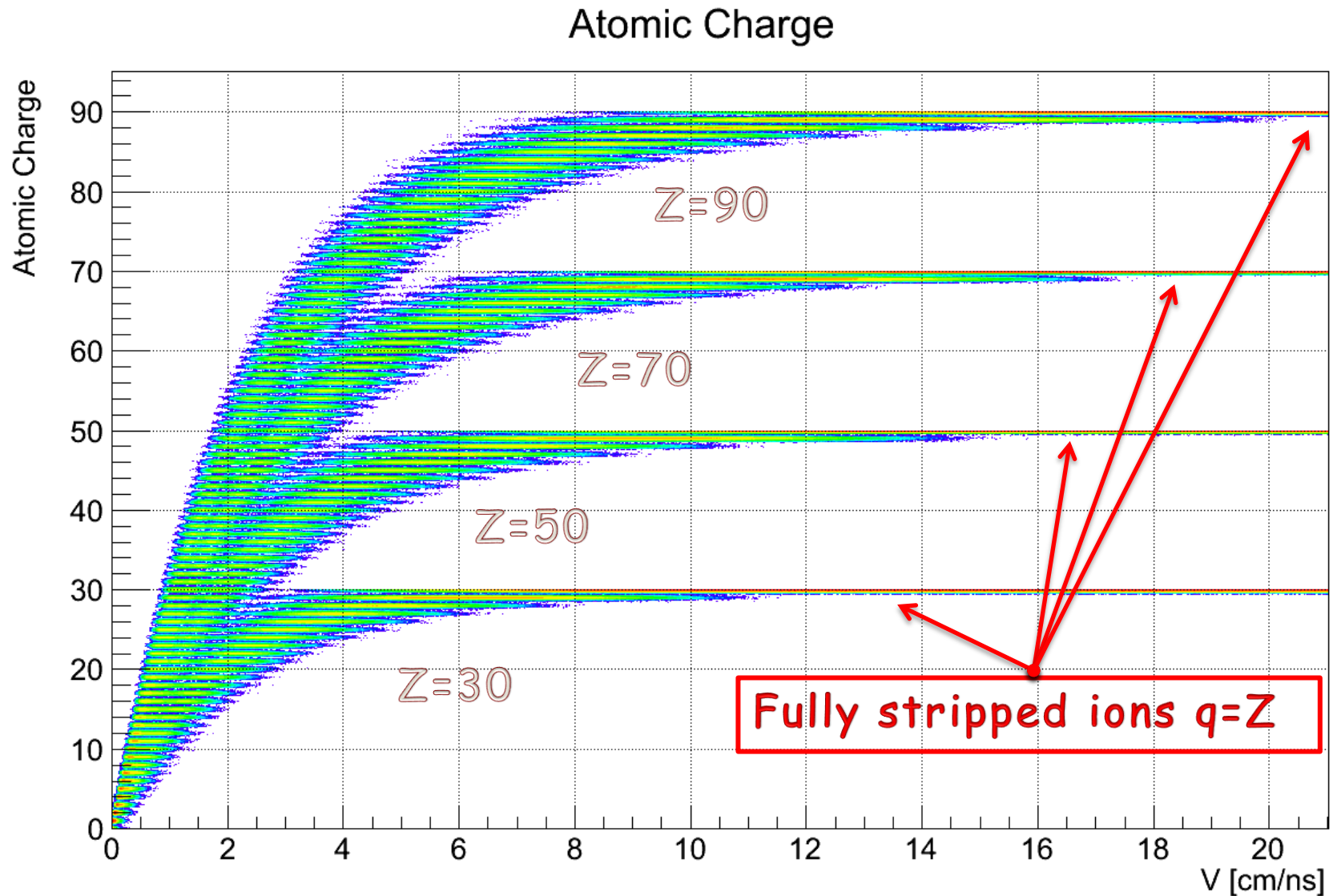
$$B\rho[\text{Tm}] = 3.105 \frac{\text{A}}{q} \beta \gamma$$

$$\beta = V / c$$

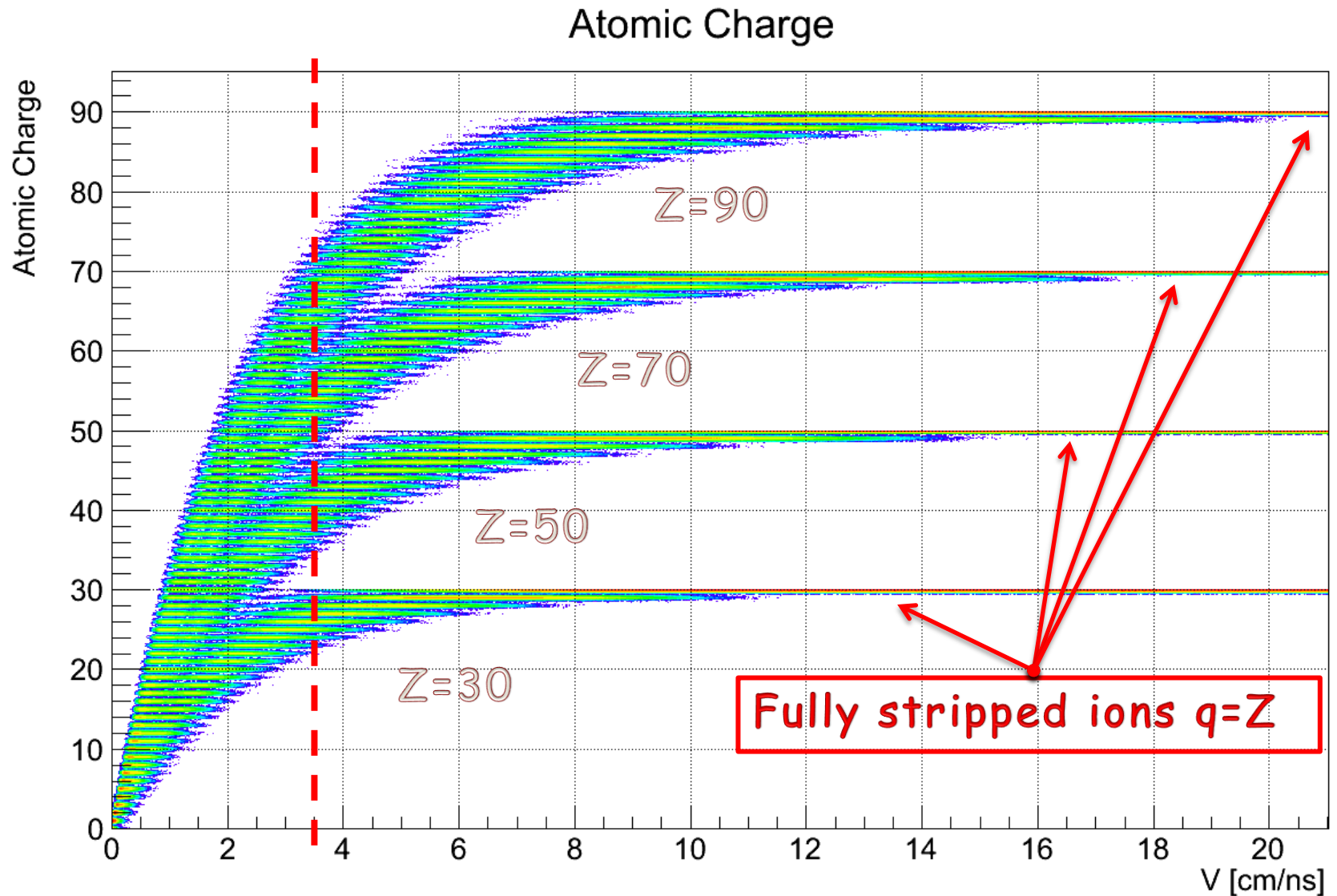
$$c = 29.9792458 [\text{cm} / \text{ns}]$$

$$\gamma = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - \beta^2}}$$

Ions and Atomic Charge

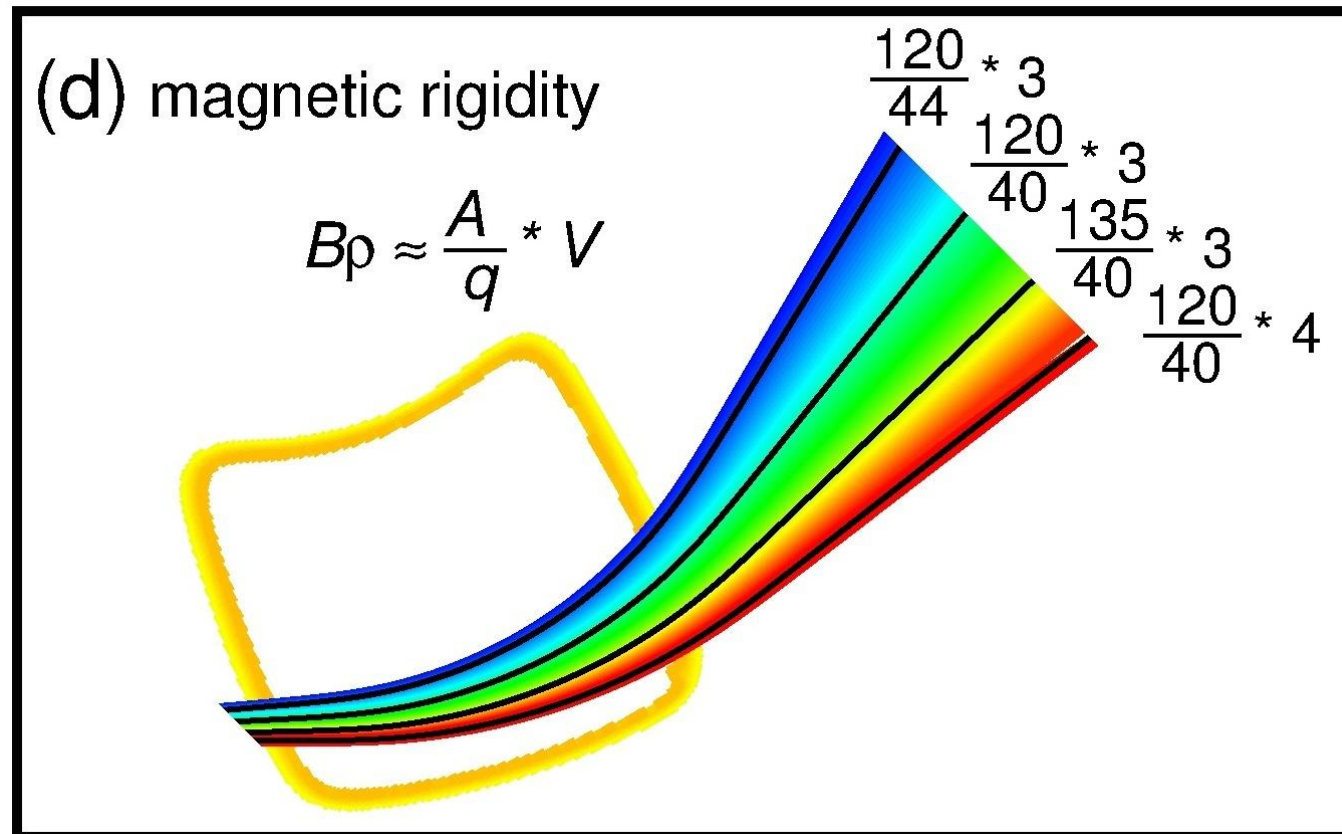
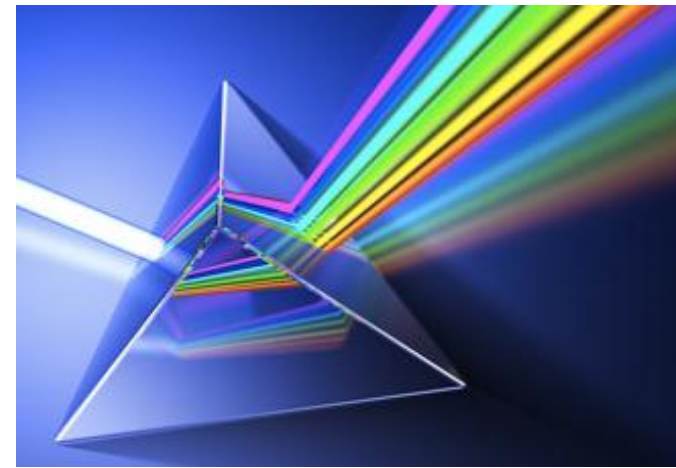


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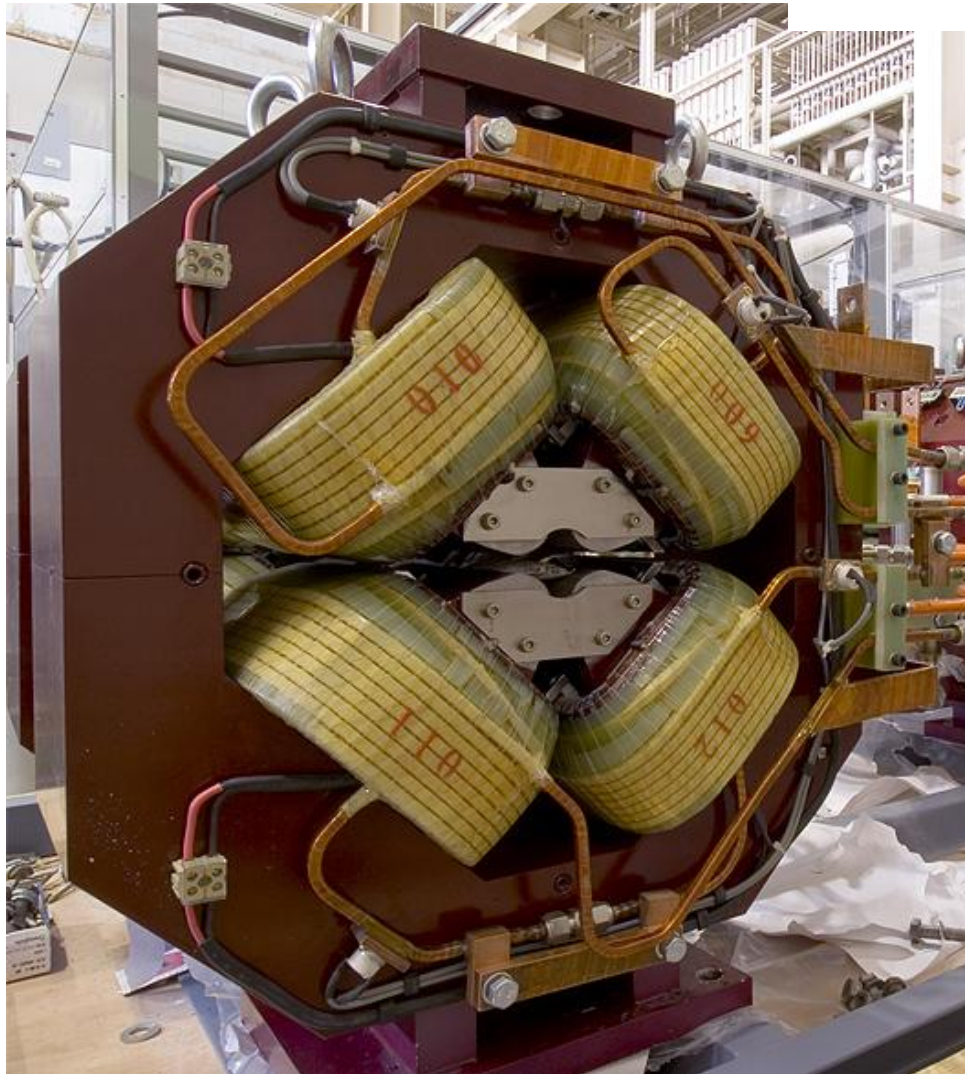
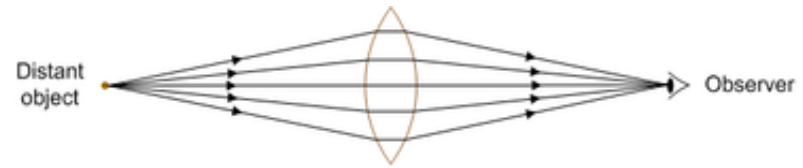
Dipole

Dispersion - selectivity

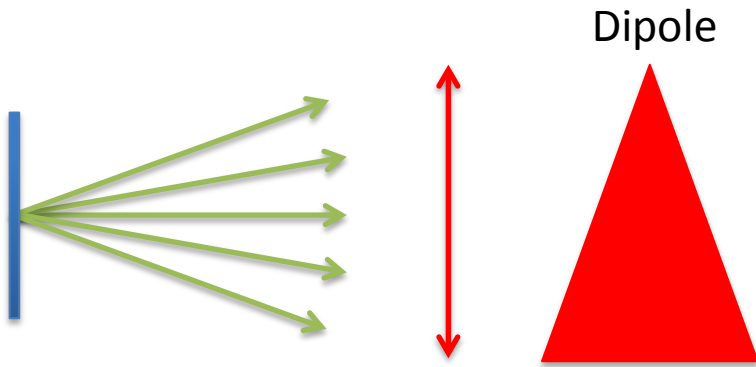


Quadrupole

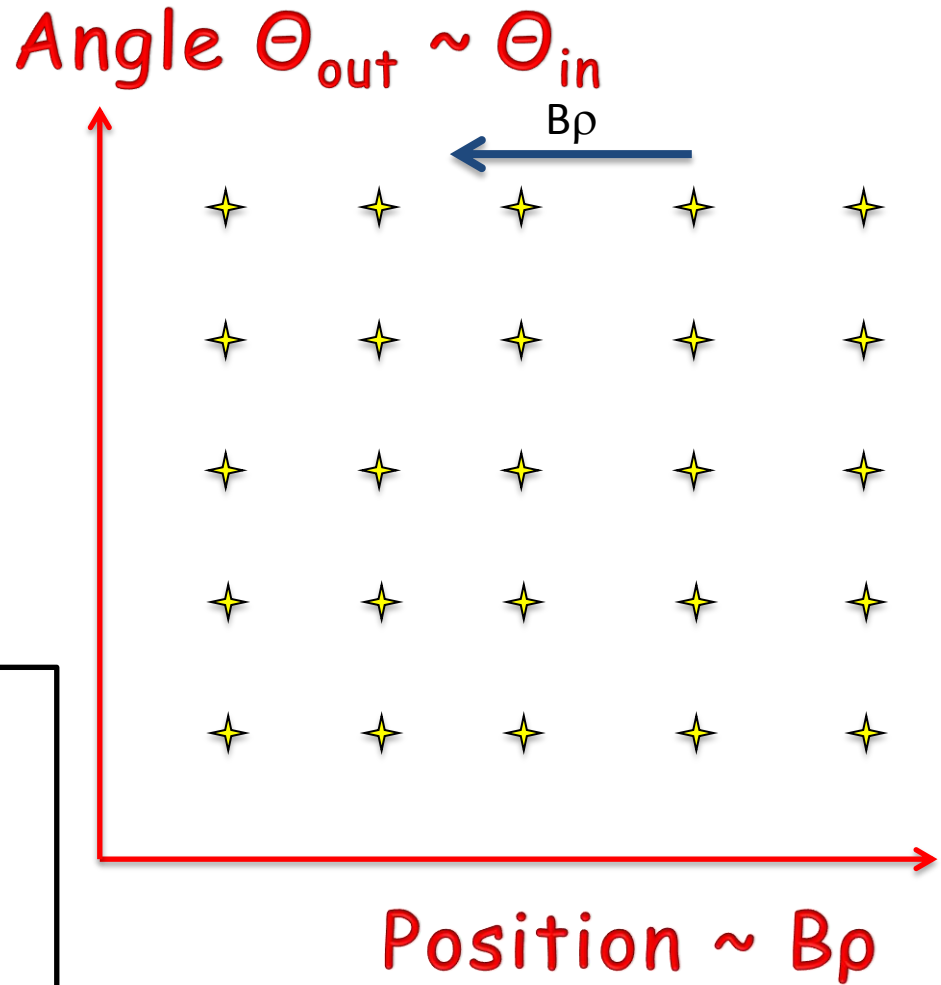
Focusing - acceptance



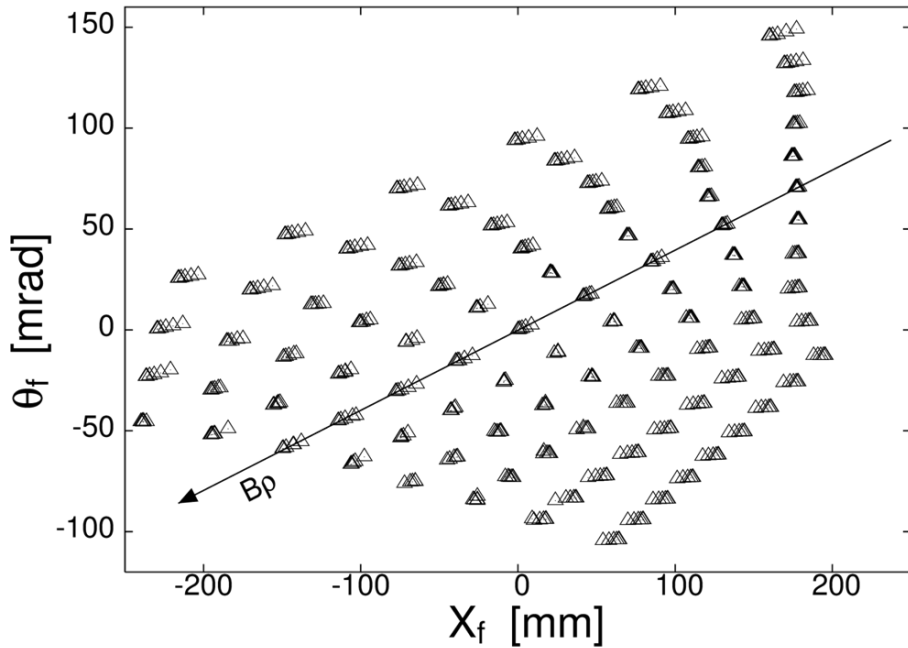
Ideal optics and VAMOS



Source (target) of ions with different angles (Θ_{in}) and magnetic rigidities ($B\rho$)

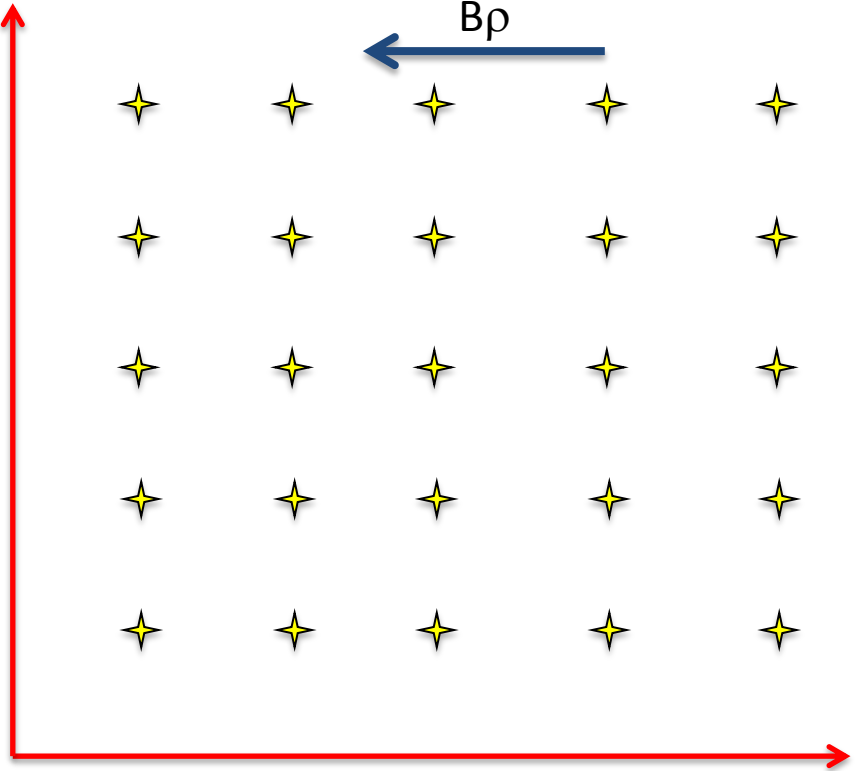


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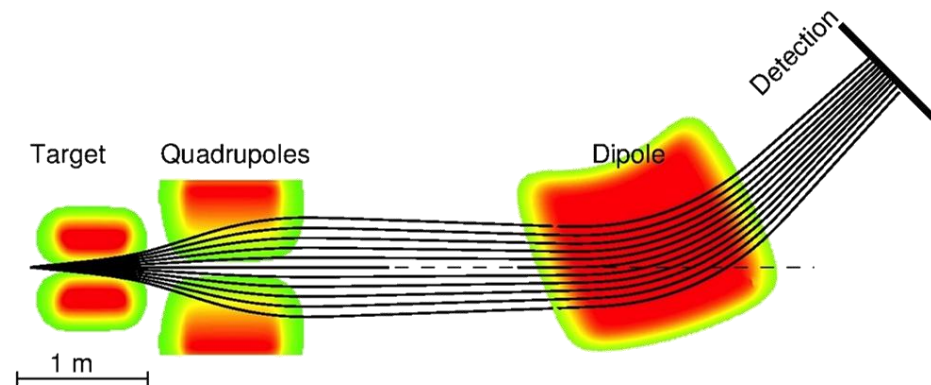


Angle $\theta_{out} \sim \theta_{in}$

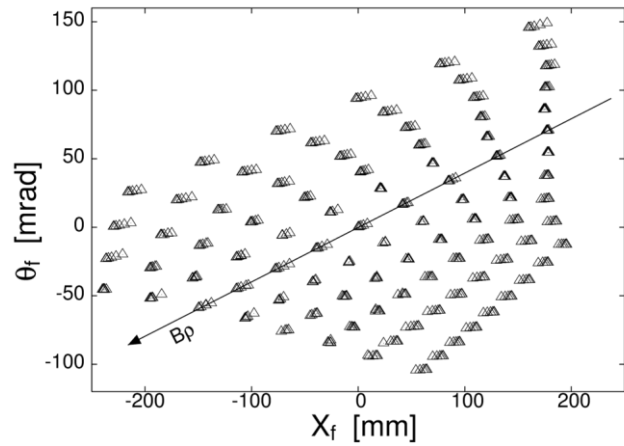
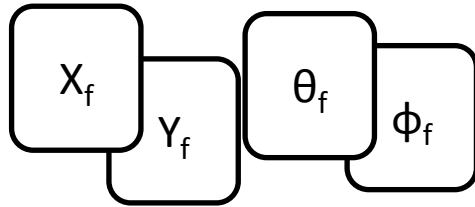
$B\rho$



Position $\sim B\rho$



VAMOS Measurement (Software Spectrometer)



TOF

E

ΔE

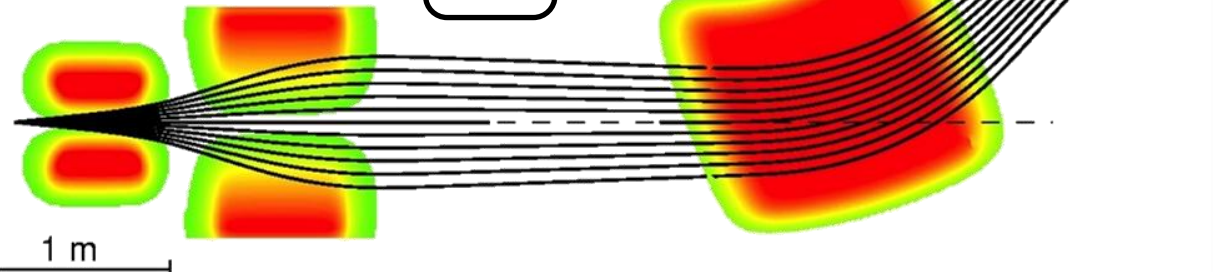
Target

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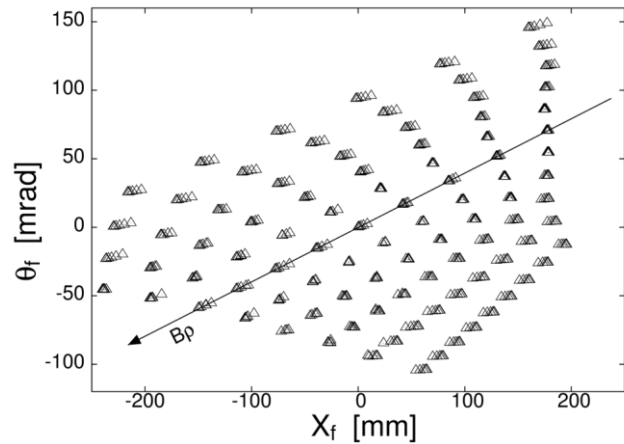
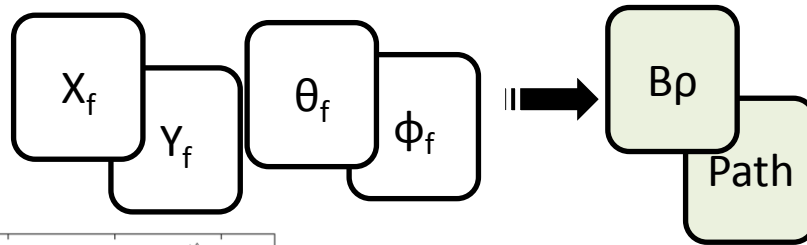
Dipole

Detection

1 m



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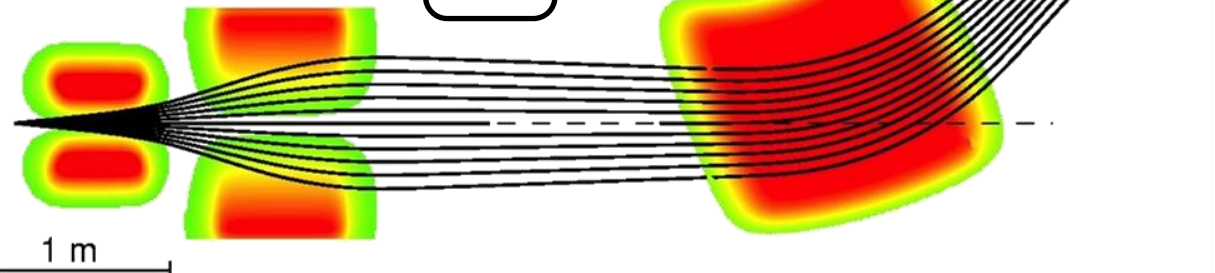
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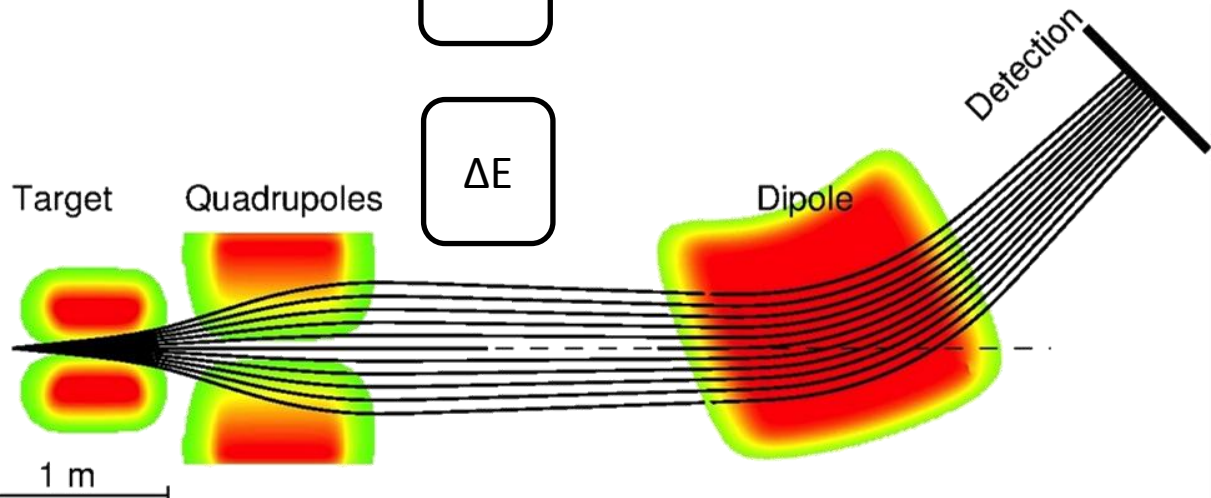
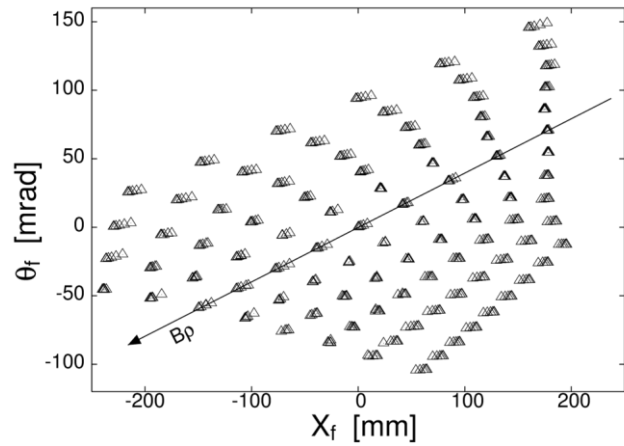
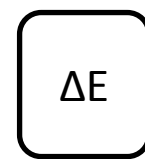
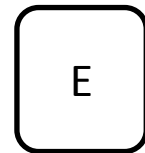
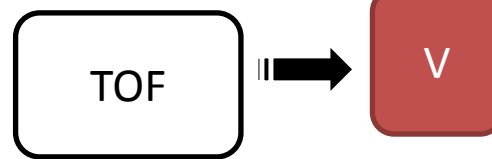
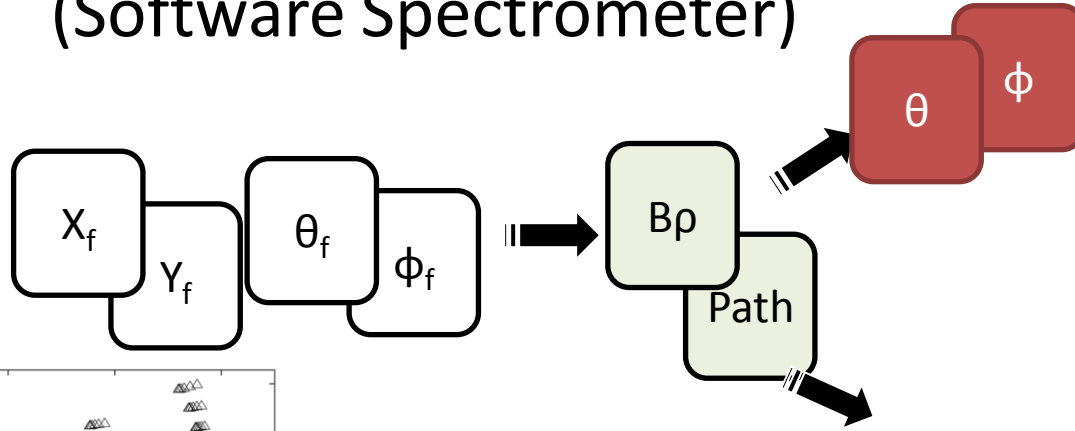
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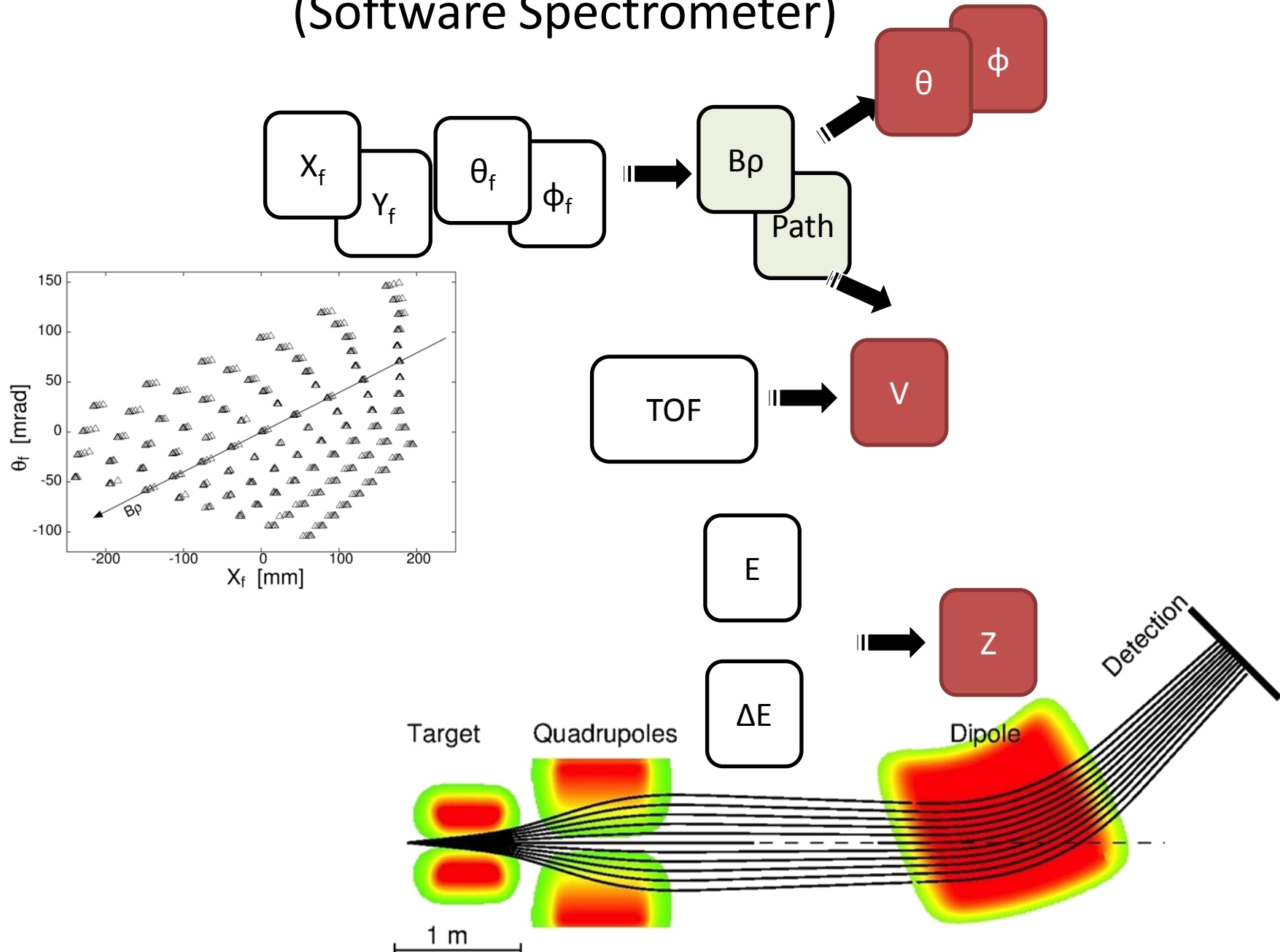
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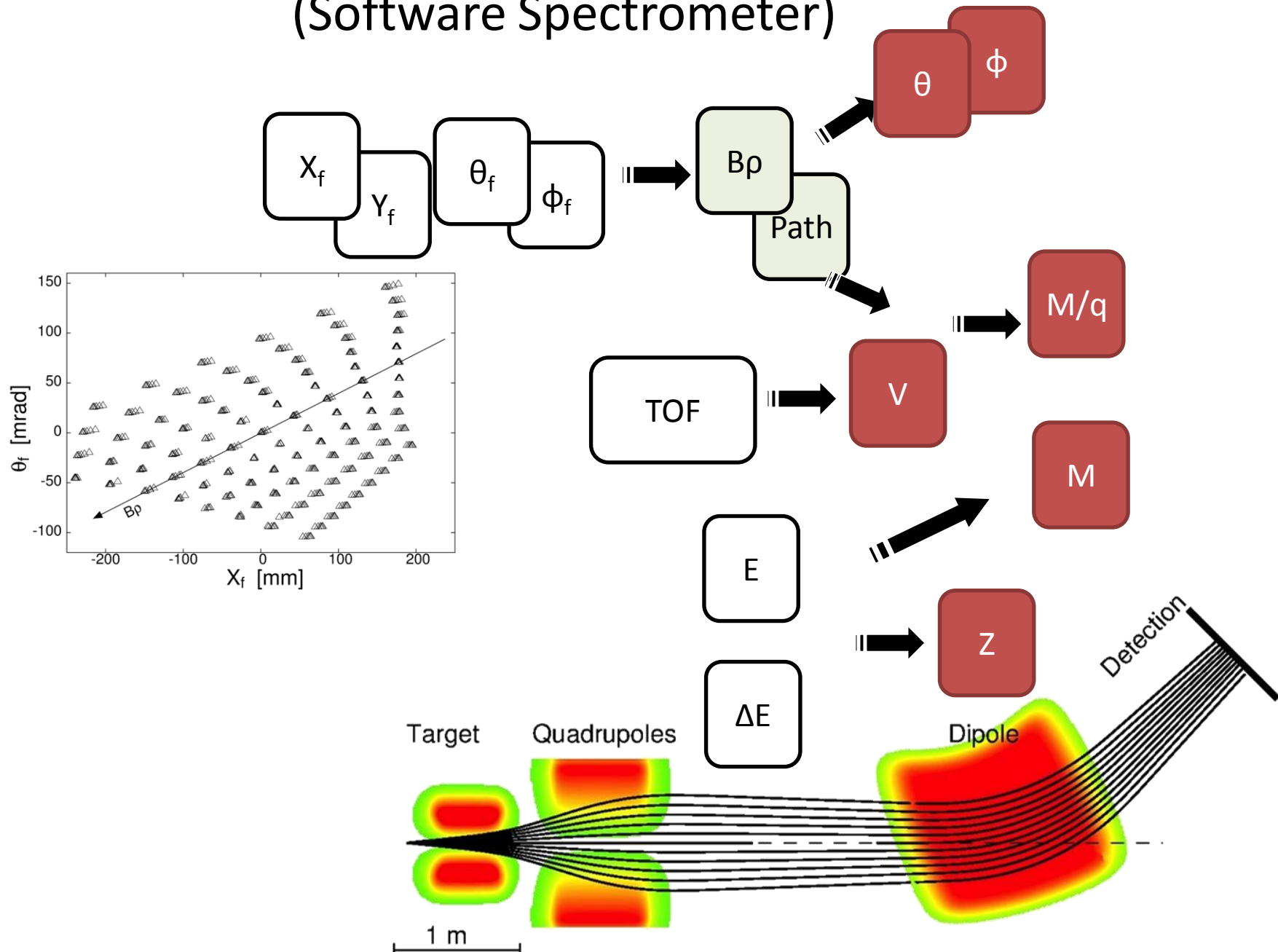
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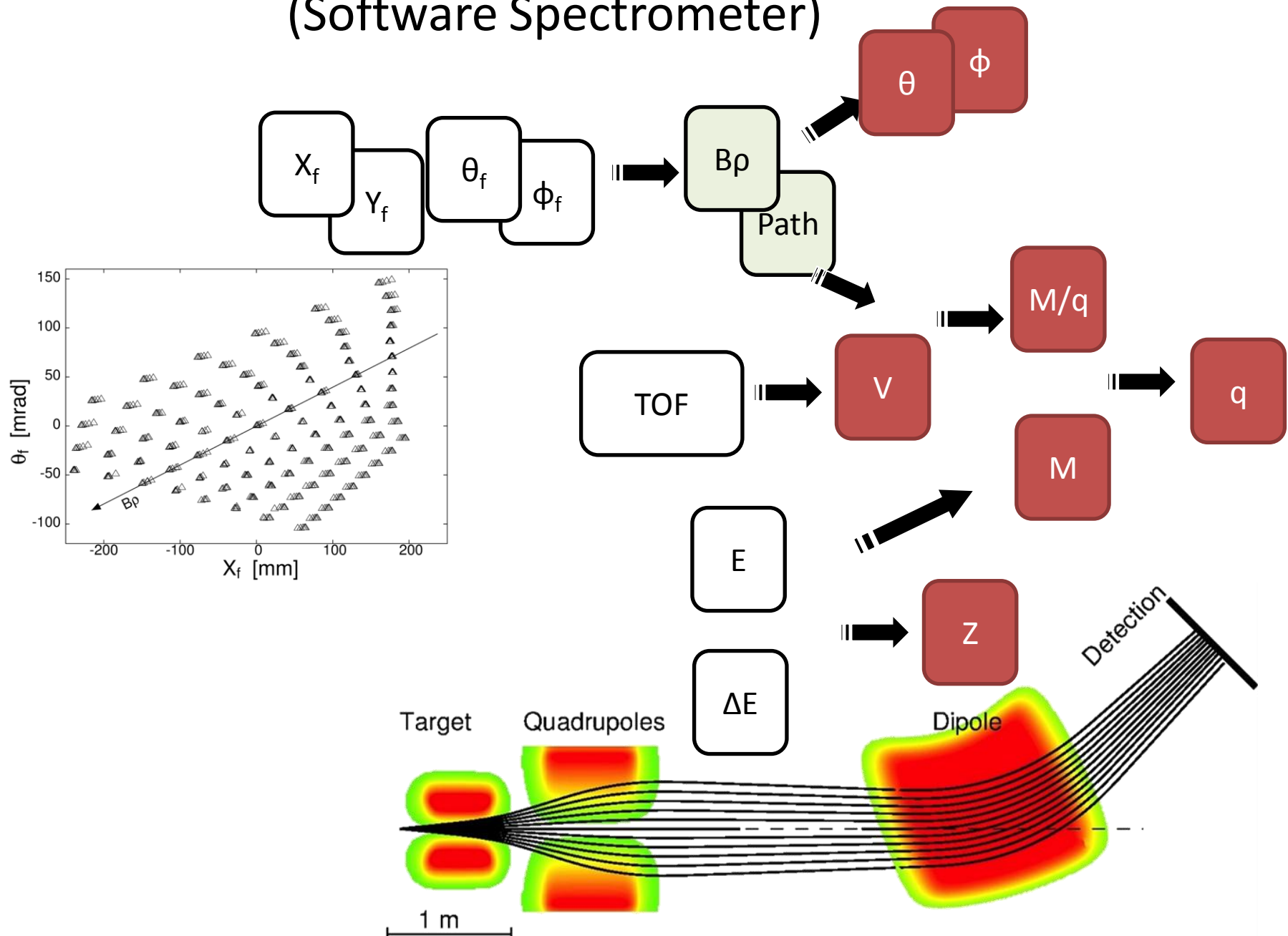
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ΔE E

TOF

θ_f ϕ_f

X_f Y_f

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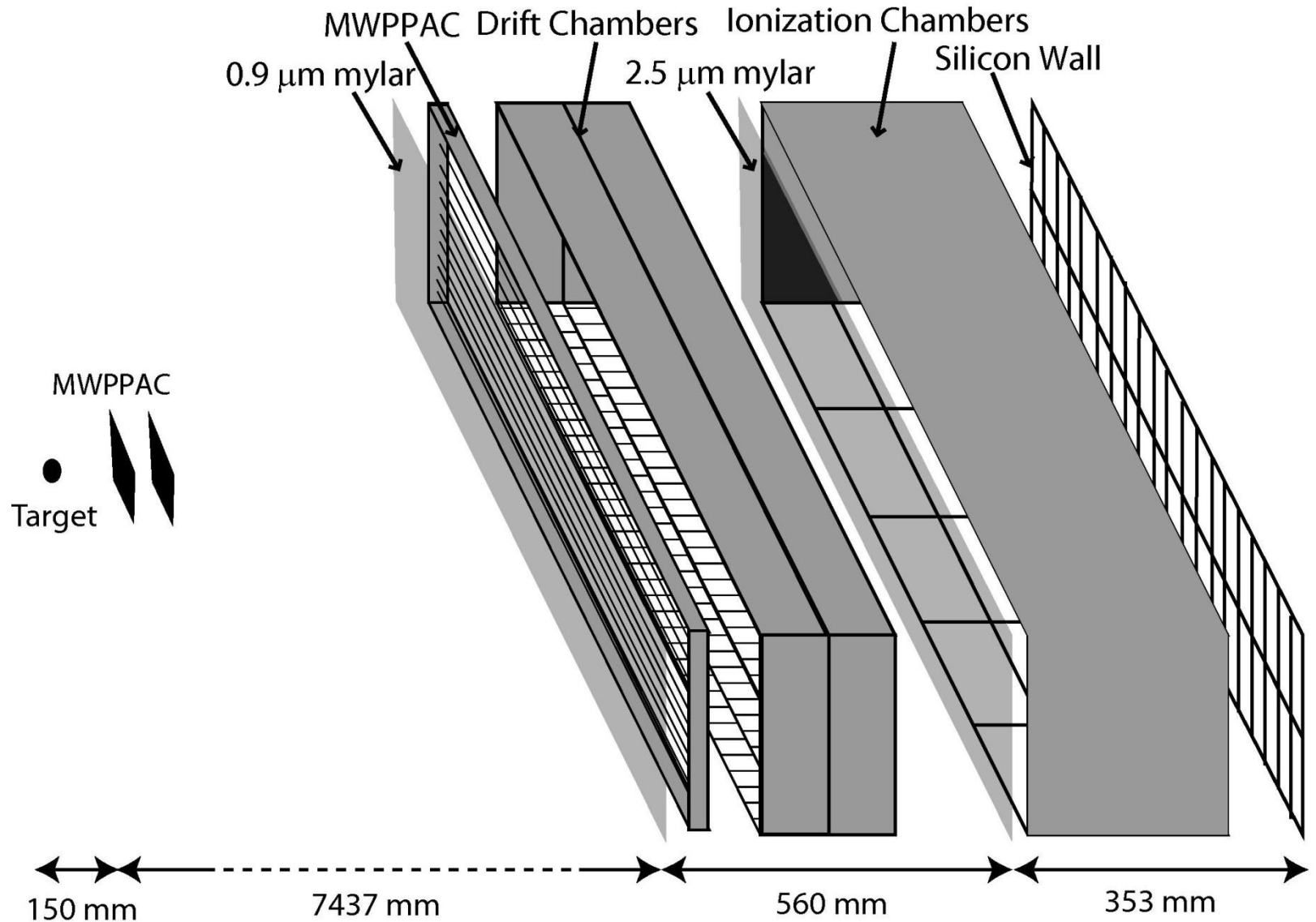
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 \Rightarrow **Time** resolution

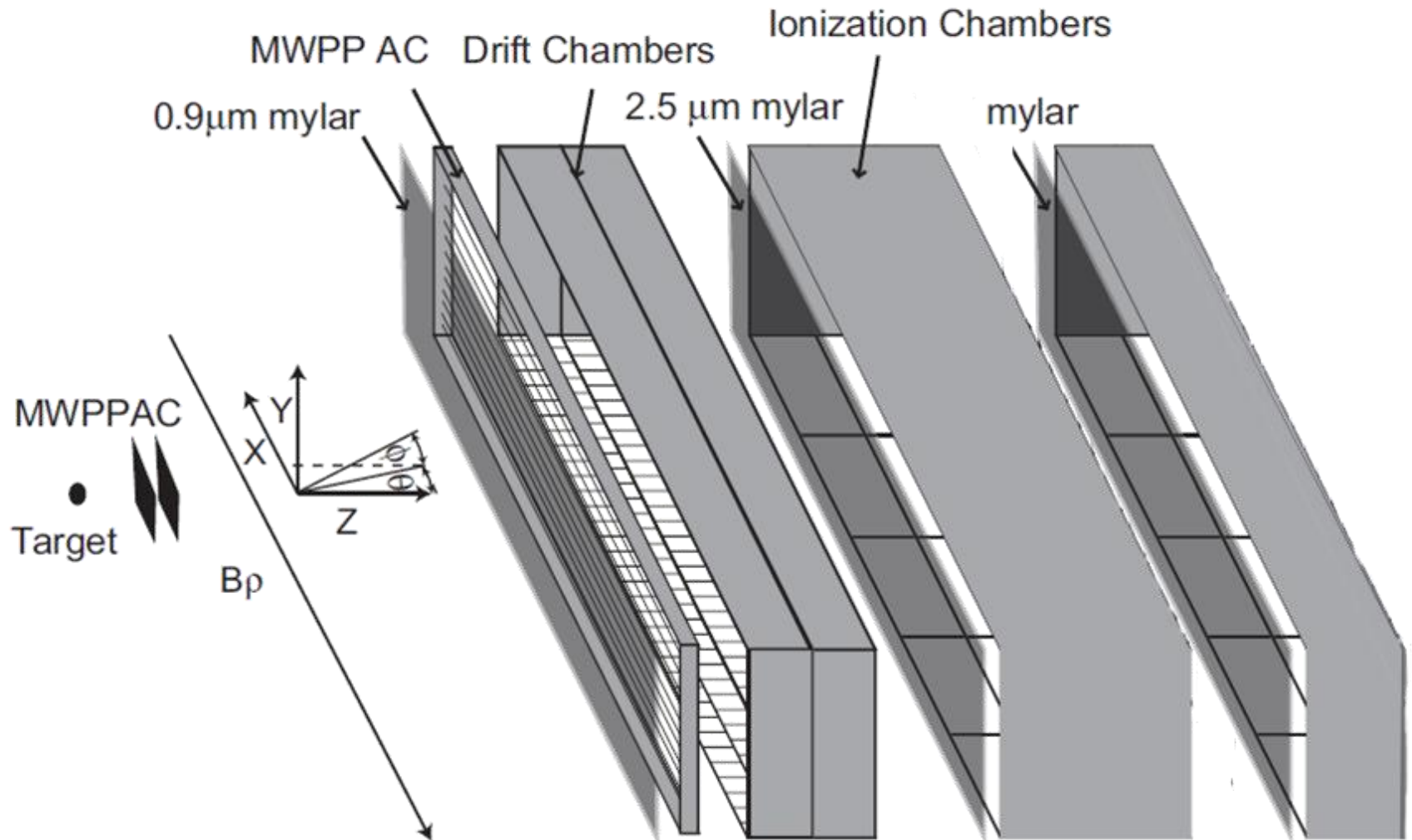
Z q \Rightarrow Resolution $1/66 = 1.5 \times 10^{-2}$
 \Rightarrow **Energy** Resolution

VAMOS DETECTION SETUP

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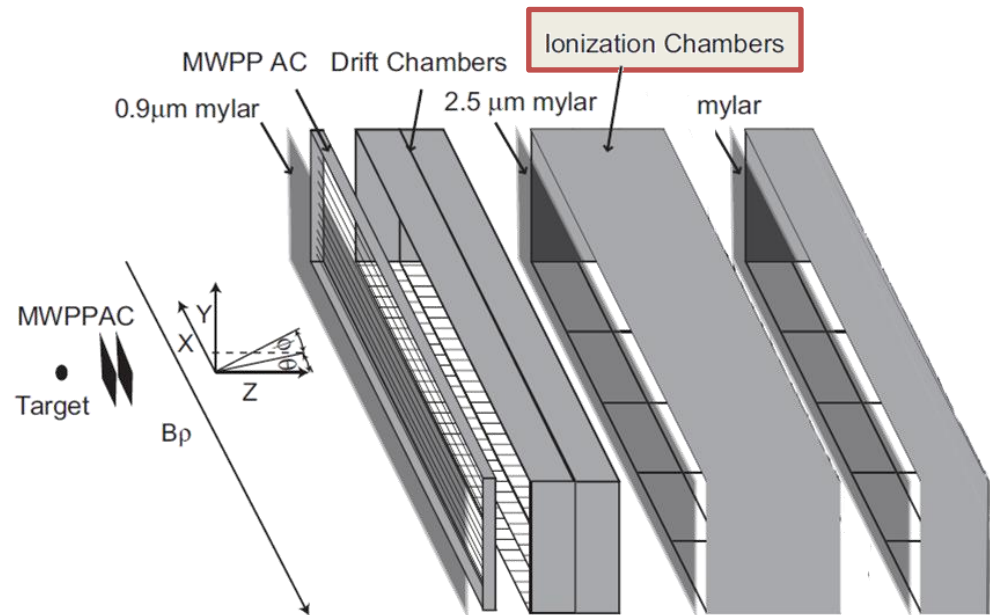
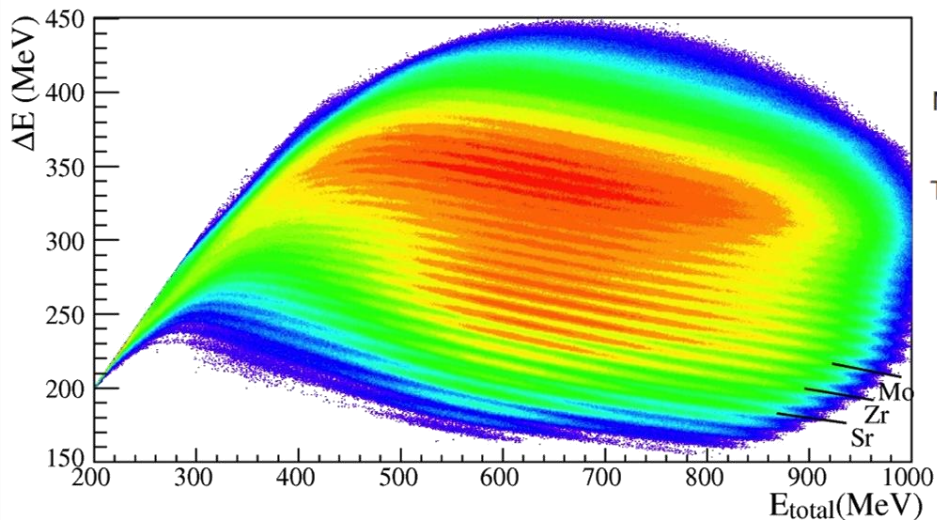


VAMOS Detectors (Upgrade)



Z identification

$\Delta E - E$ technique



ΔE Energy Loss : ΔE

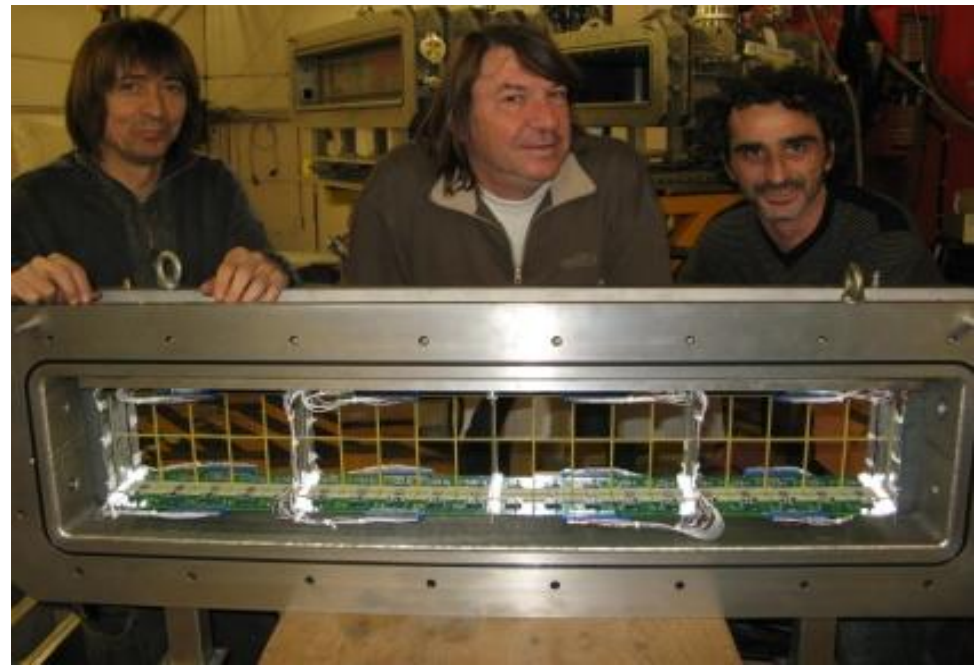
Ionization Chambers

3 rows * 5 pads

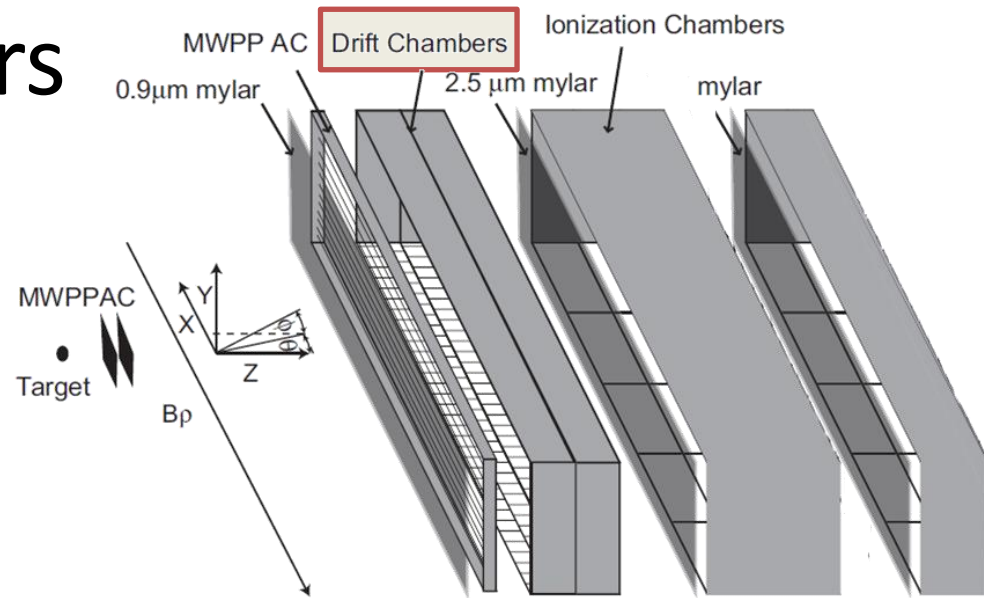
CF4 (20-60 mbar)

E Residual Energy E_{res}

- Up to now :
40 Silicon detectors : 2*20 rows
- **New** : Replaced by 4th IC row (5 pads)
(CF4 higher pressure 100-400 mbar)



Tracking Detectors

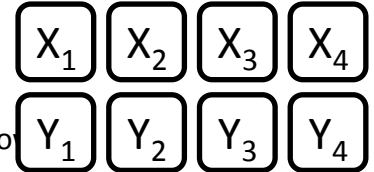


Isobutane 6 mbar

Pair of Drift Chambers

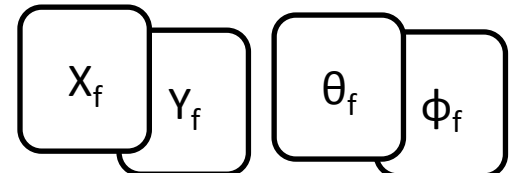
dispersion 2cm/%

- X: 2 rows of 160 Pads
6.4 mm size
typically 5-10 pads per row
- Y: 2 drift times



Focal reconstruction point

$\Rightarrow X_f, Y_f, \theta, \phi$



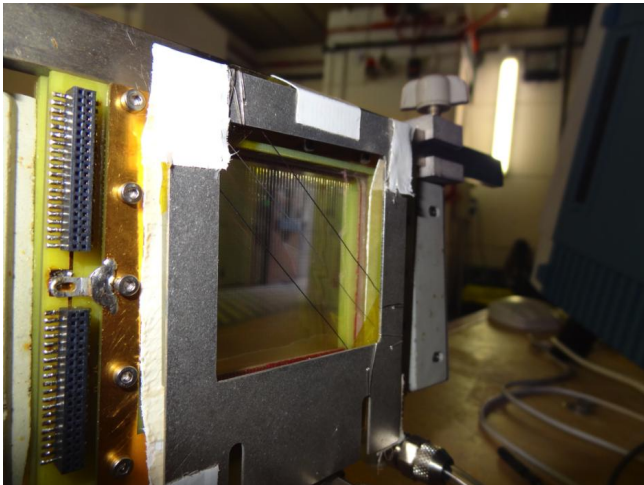
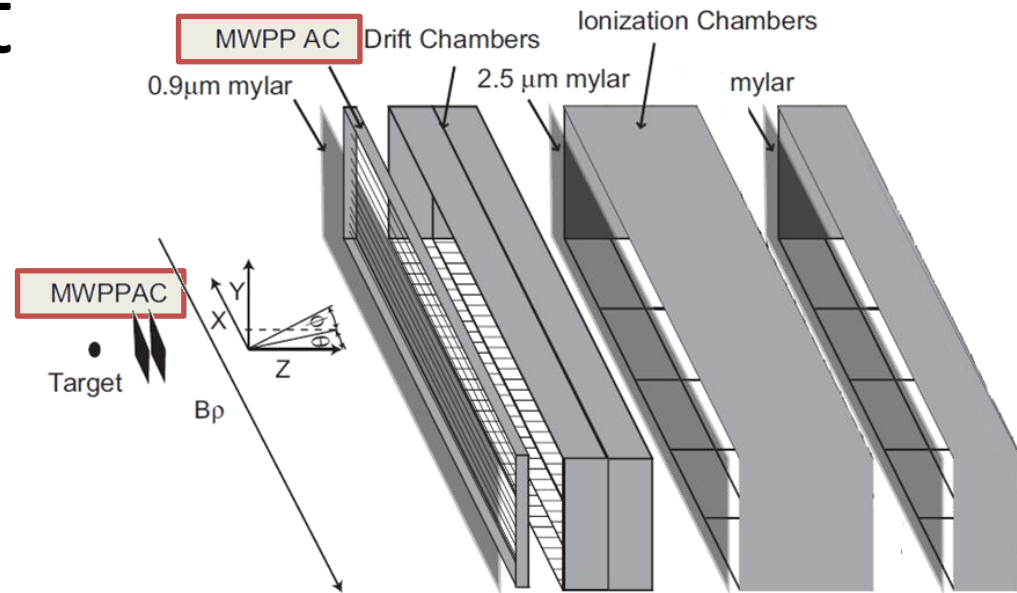
Time of Flight

Multiwire detectors

- START : 2 detectors
15 cm and 25cm from target
- STOP : Focal plane
(1m x 15 cm)
20 sections

=> **Flight Path** ~ 7.3 m (200 – 300 ns)

Time resolution ~ 0.5 ns



2 x (time + x and y plane)

TOF



20 times sections (5 cm)

Recoil Angle : Matching AGATA needs

- Start Multiwire to obtain angle

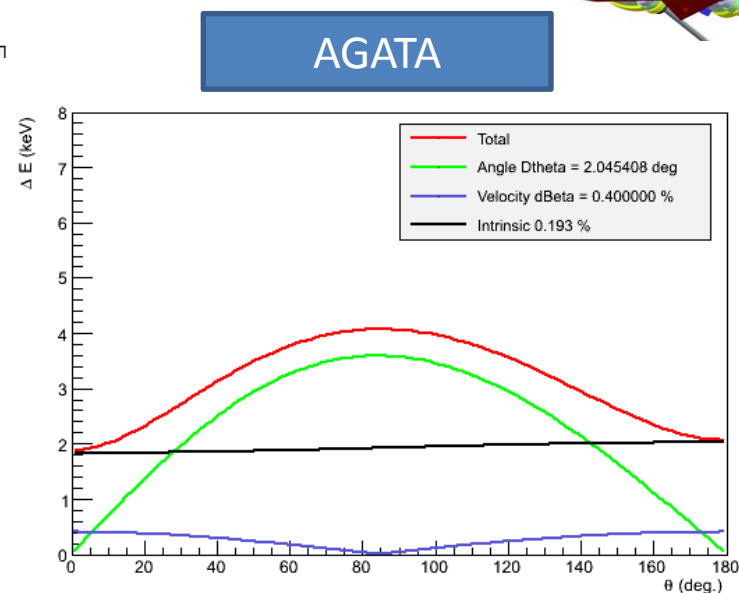
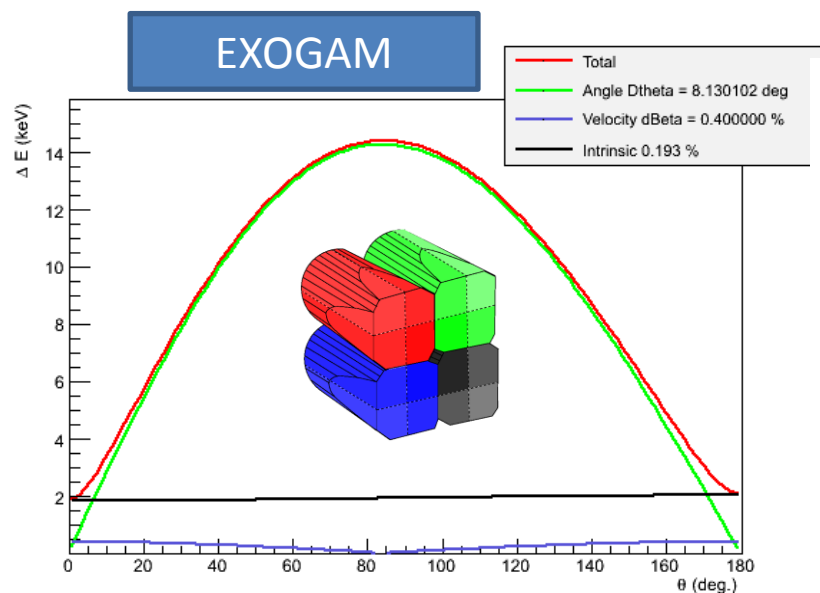
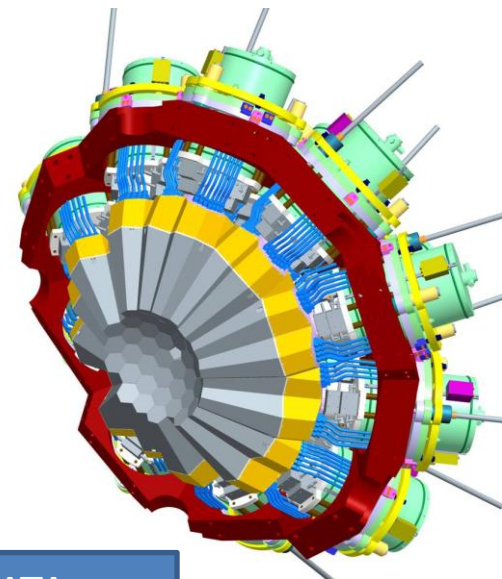
- AGATA position Resolution ~ 5 mm

- Distance from target @ GANIL : 14 - 20 cm

- Angular opening : 1.5° to 2°

- VAMOS Velocity resolution : 4×10^{-3}

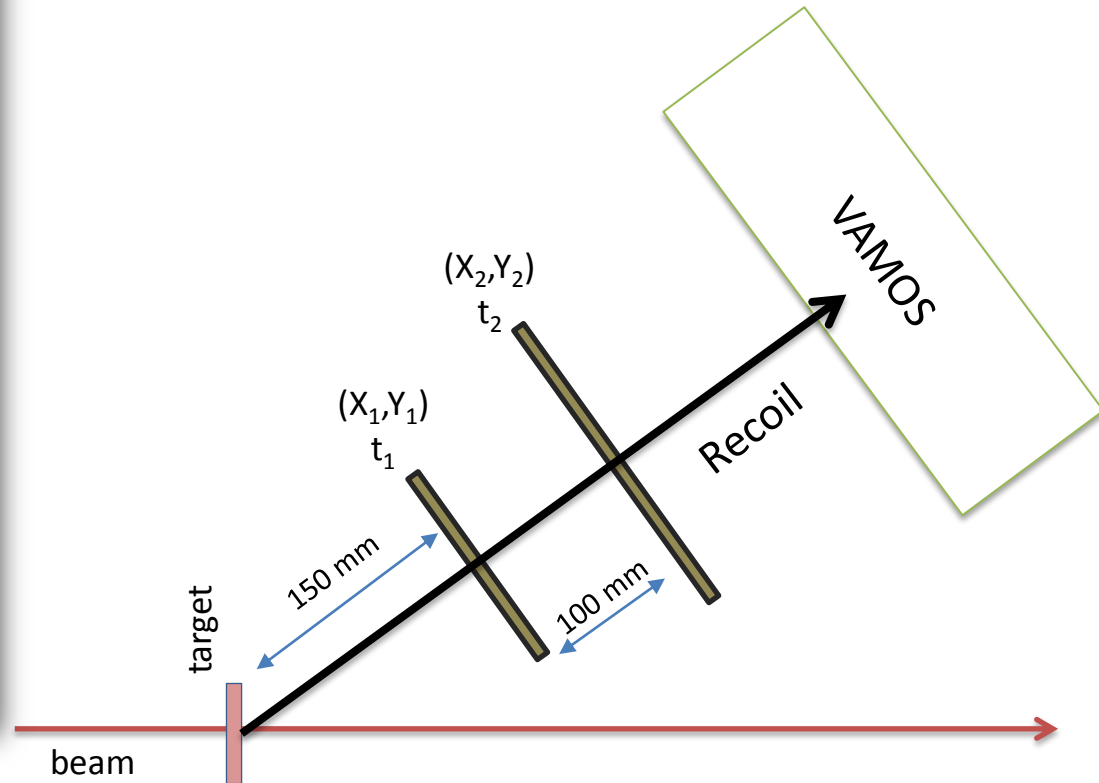
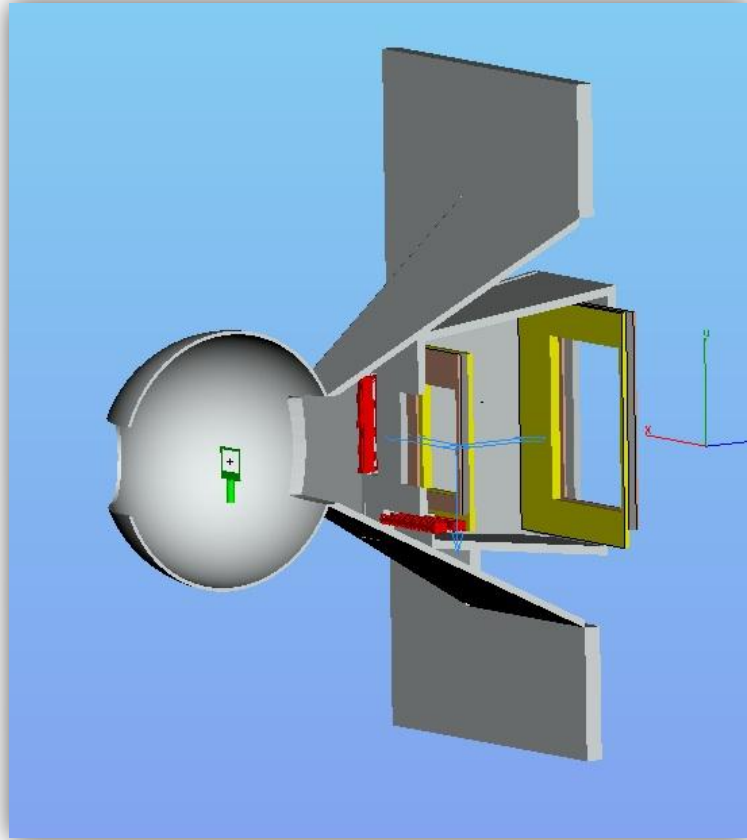
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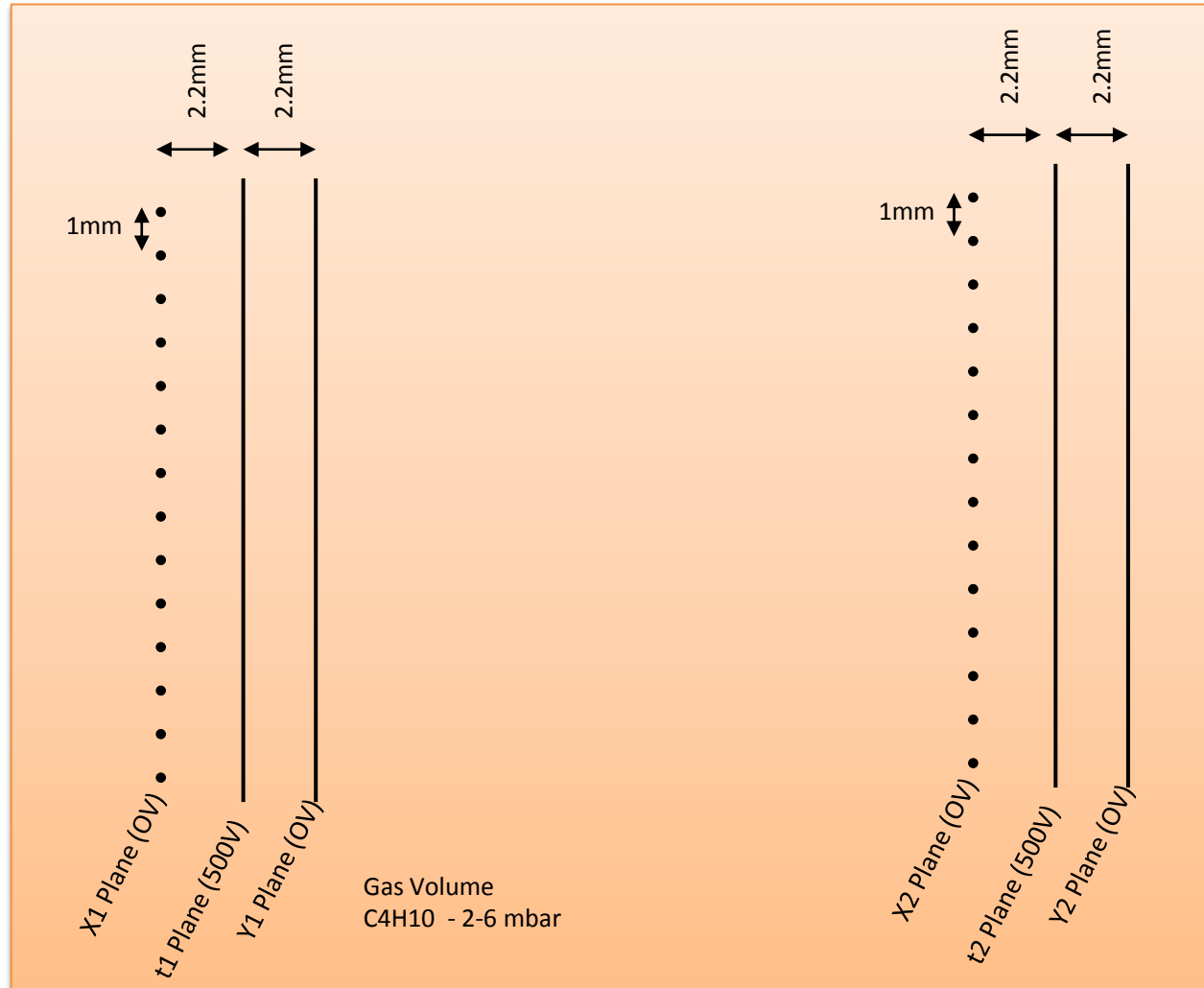
Tracking Multi-wires detector after target

2 sets of multi-wires detectors (x,y)

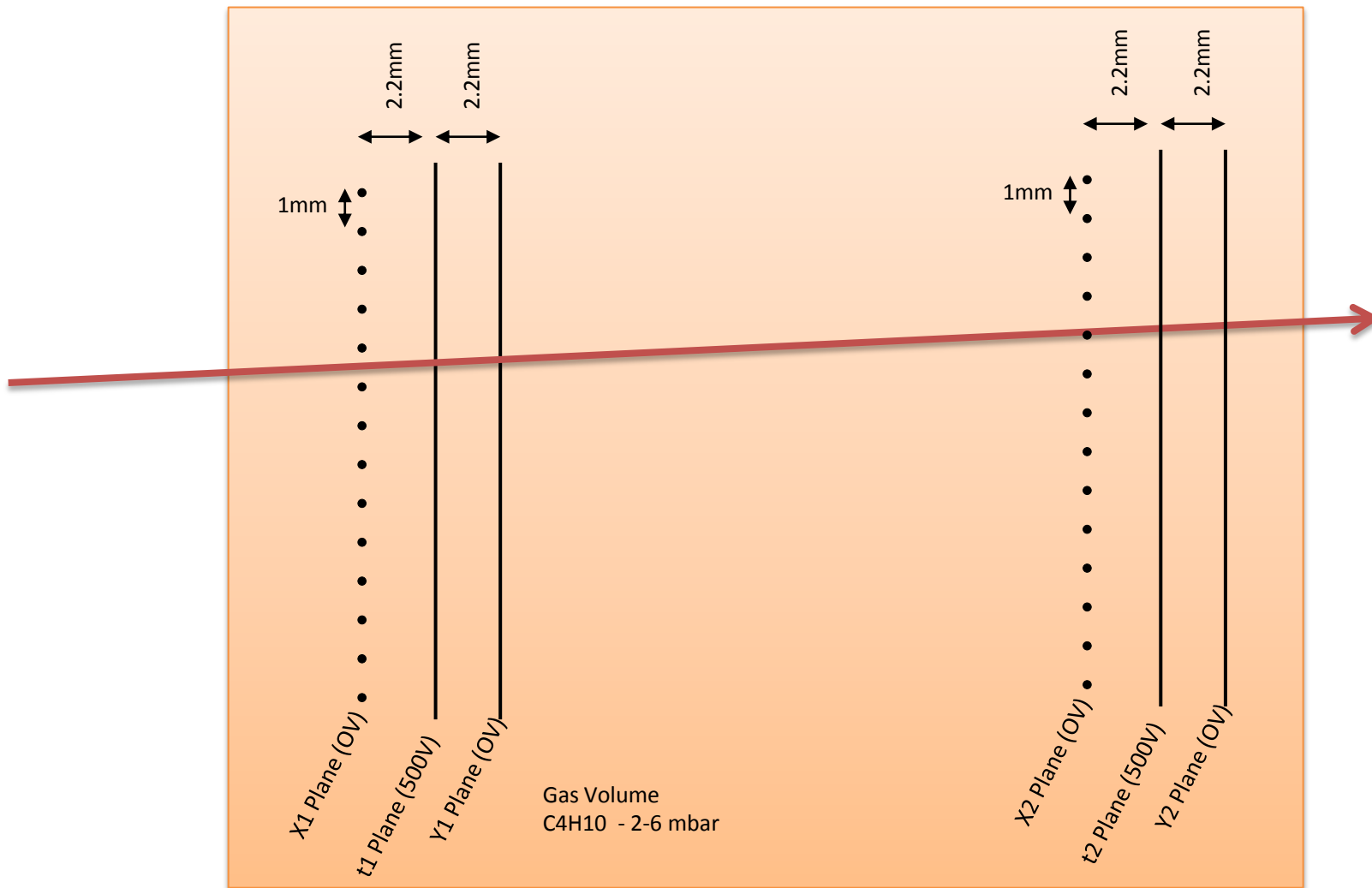
Placed at the entrance of VAMOS



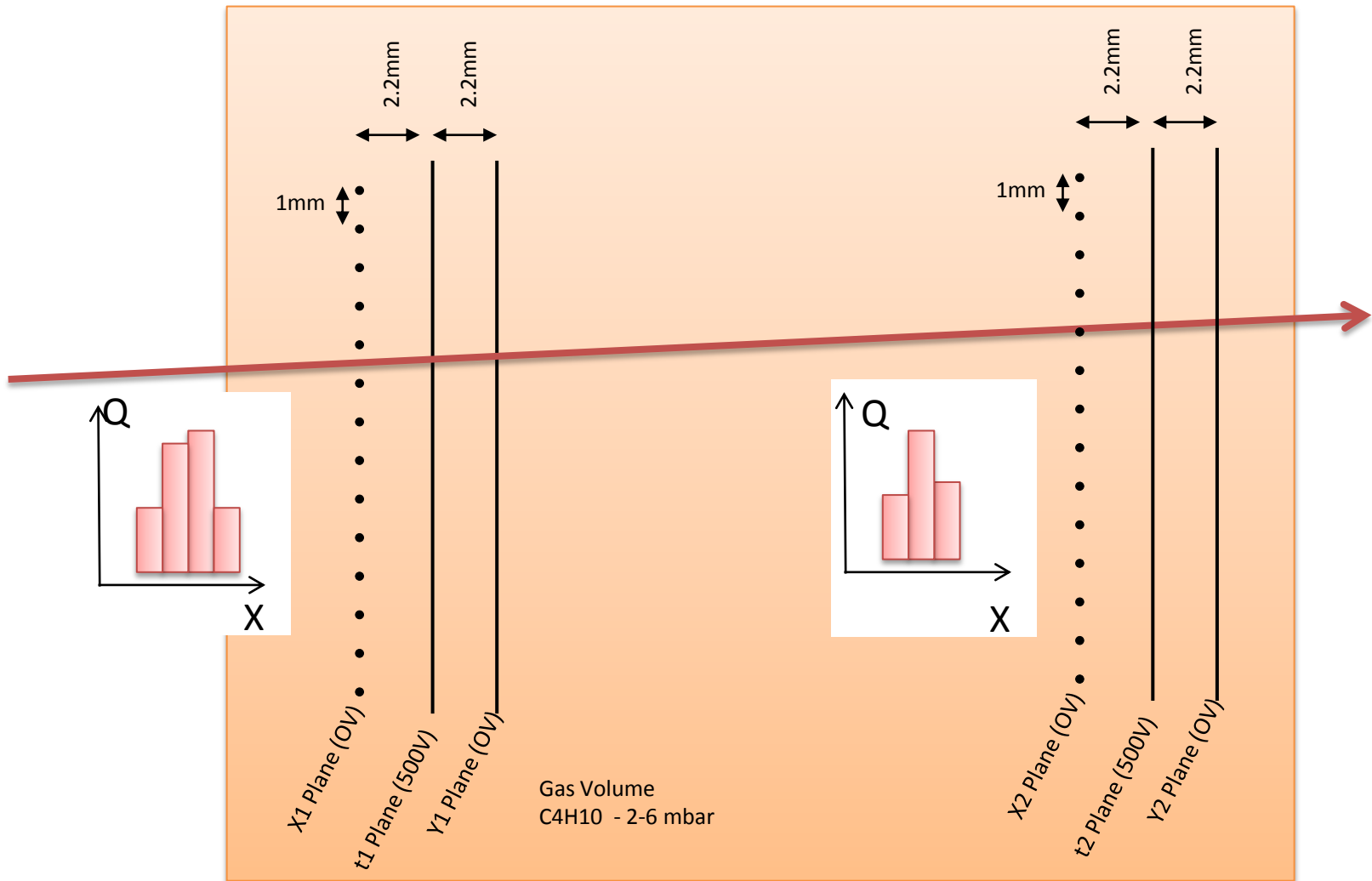
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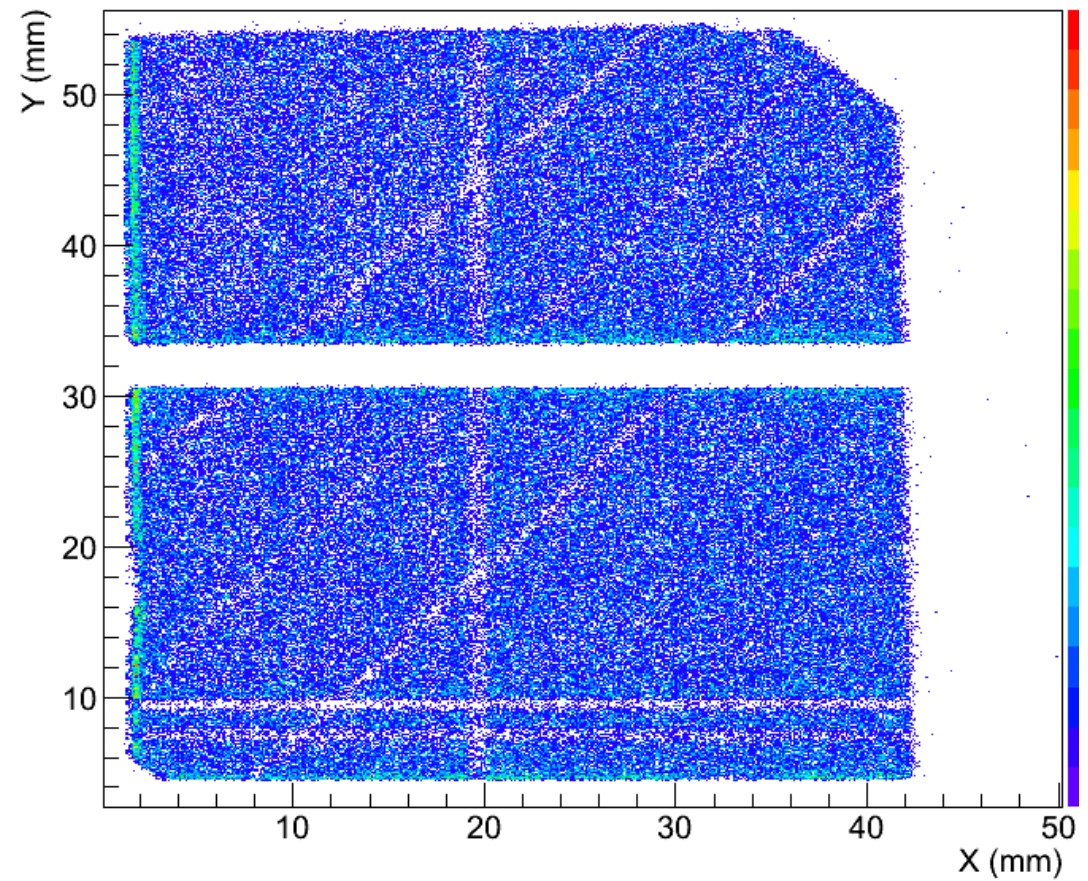
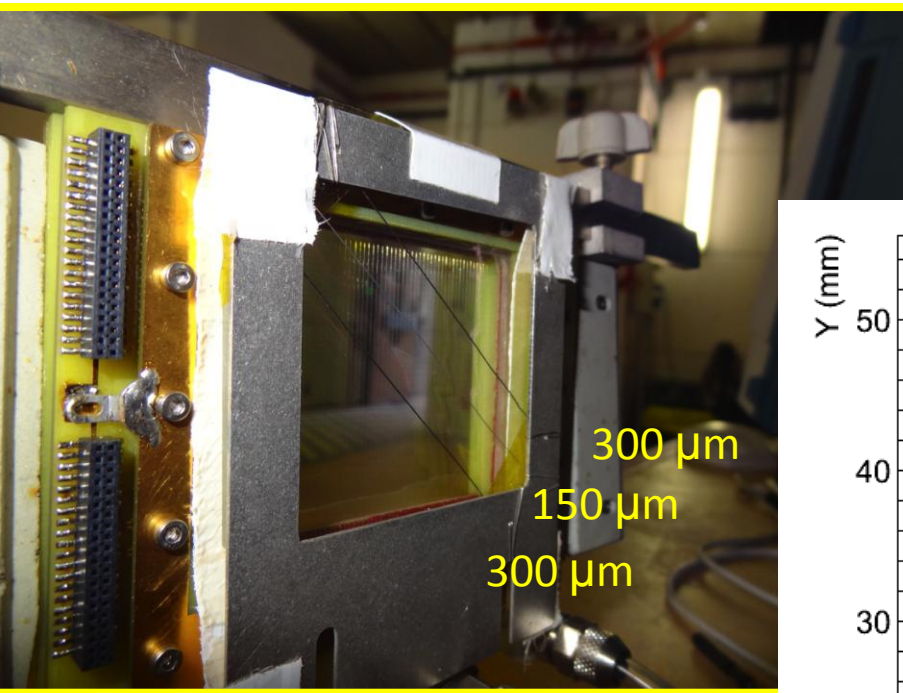
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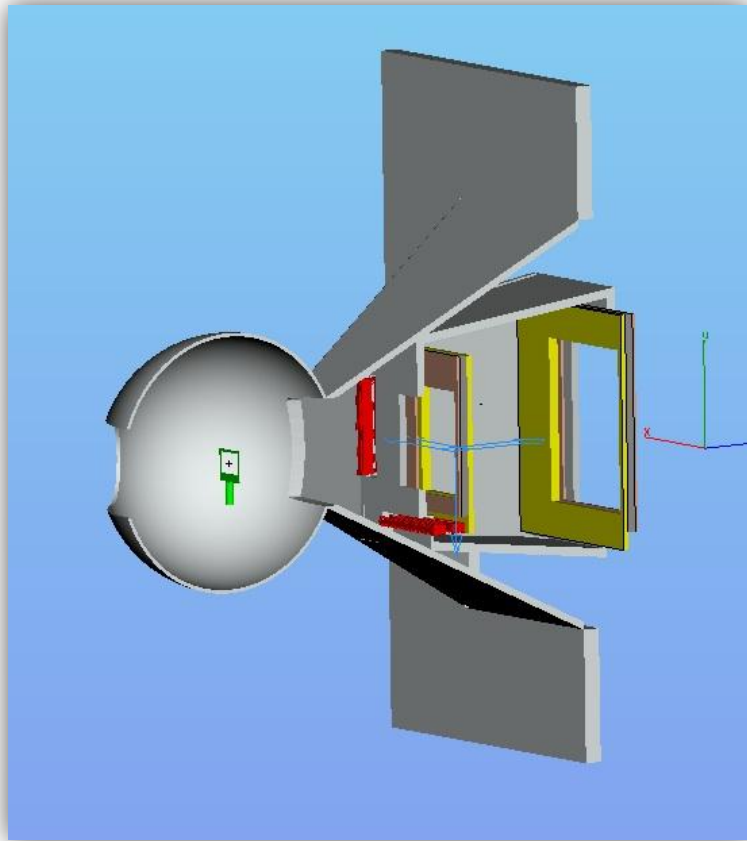
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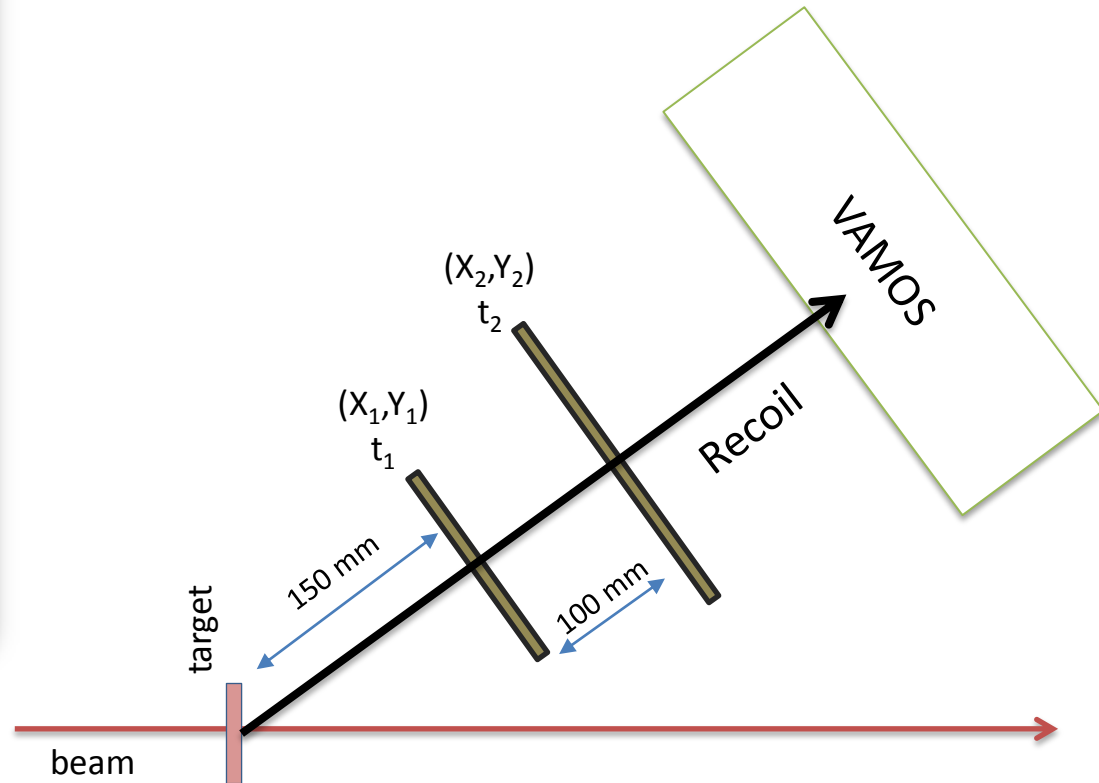
Position measurement - Prototype



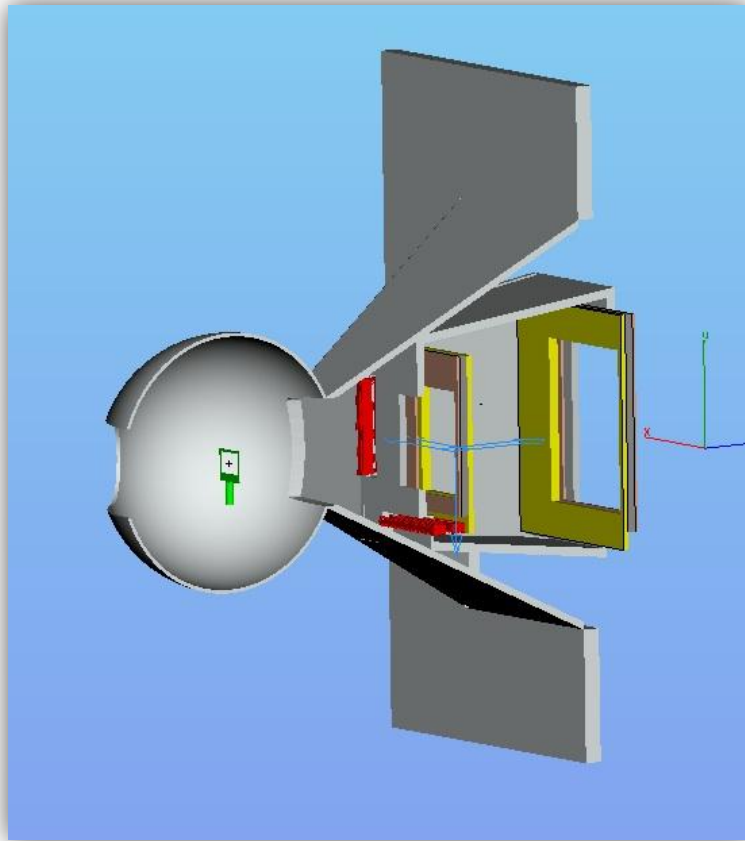
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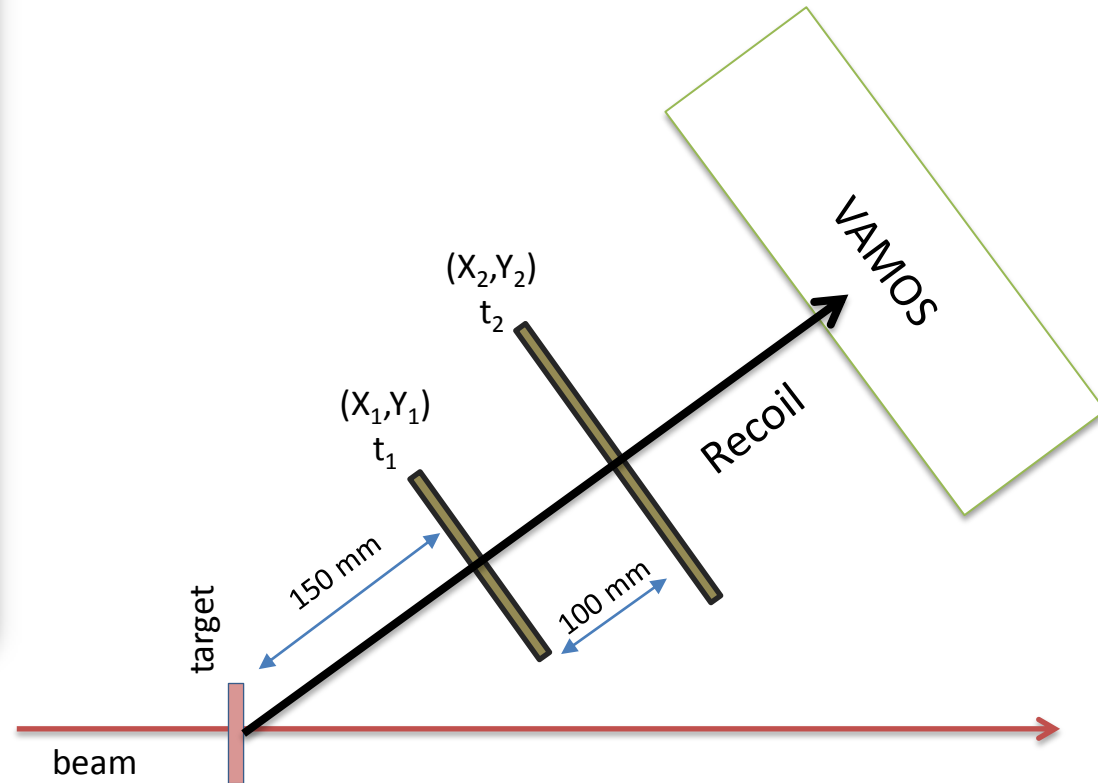


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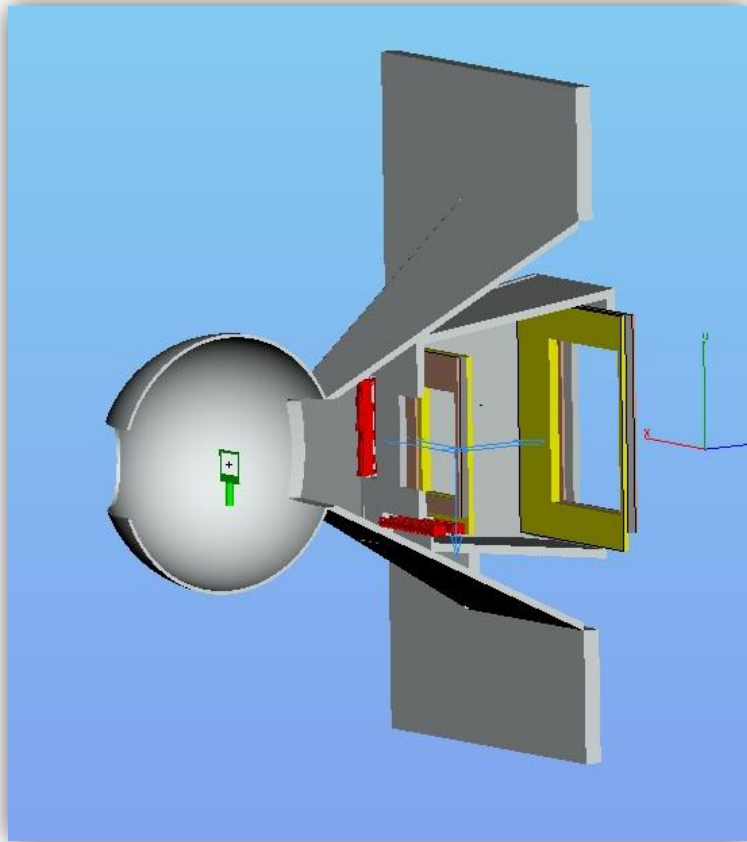
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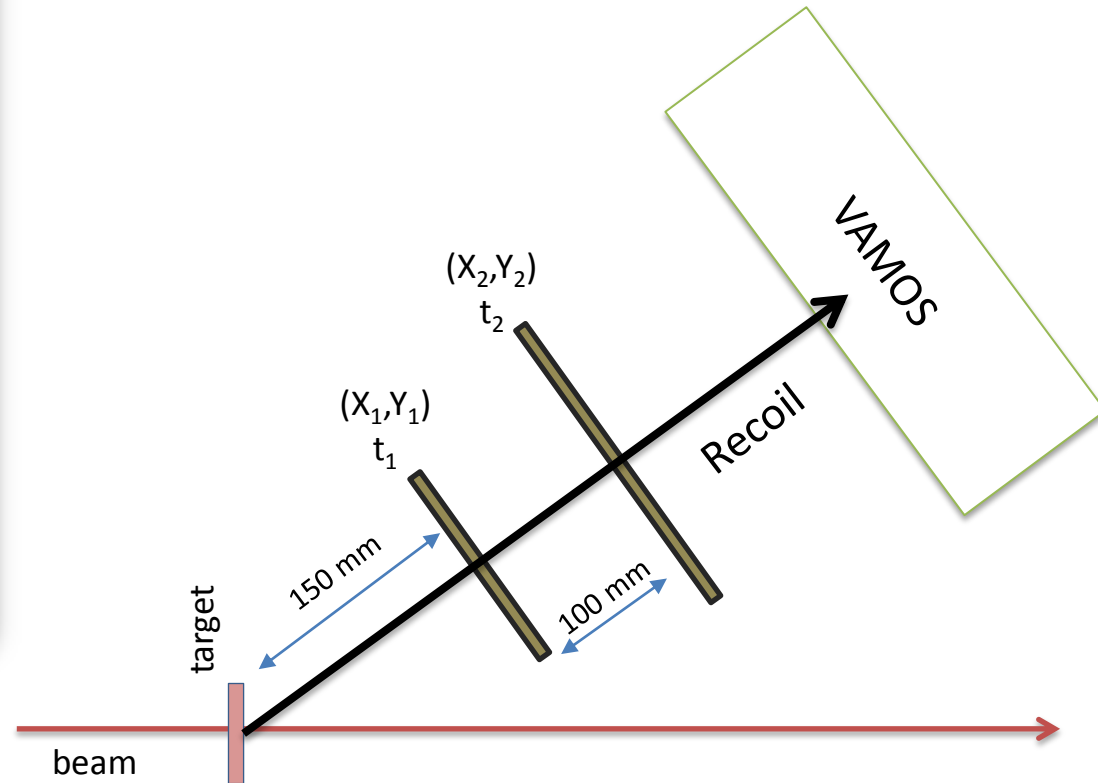


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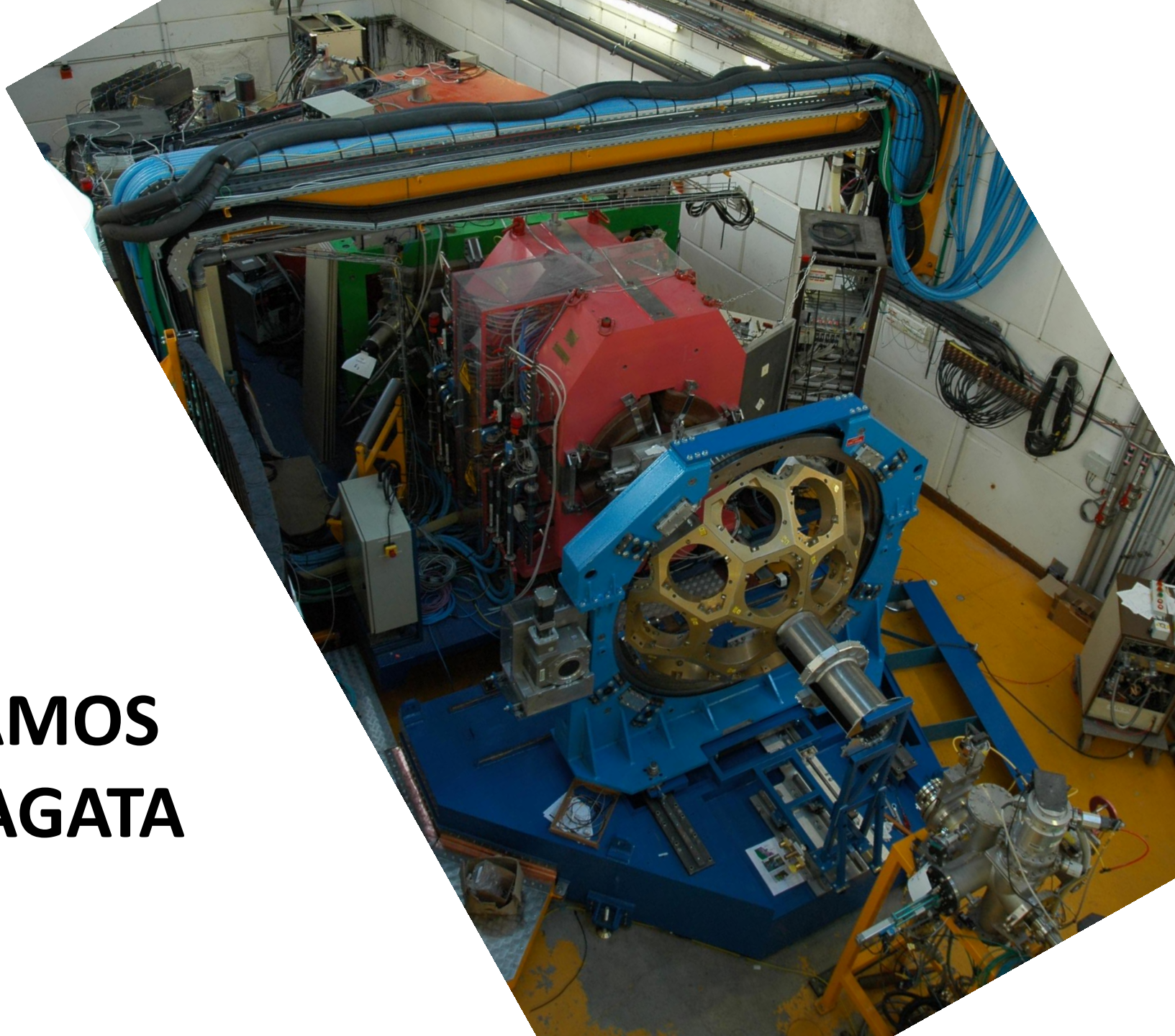


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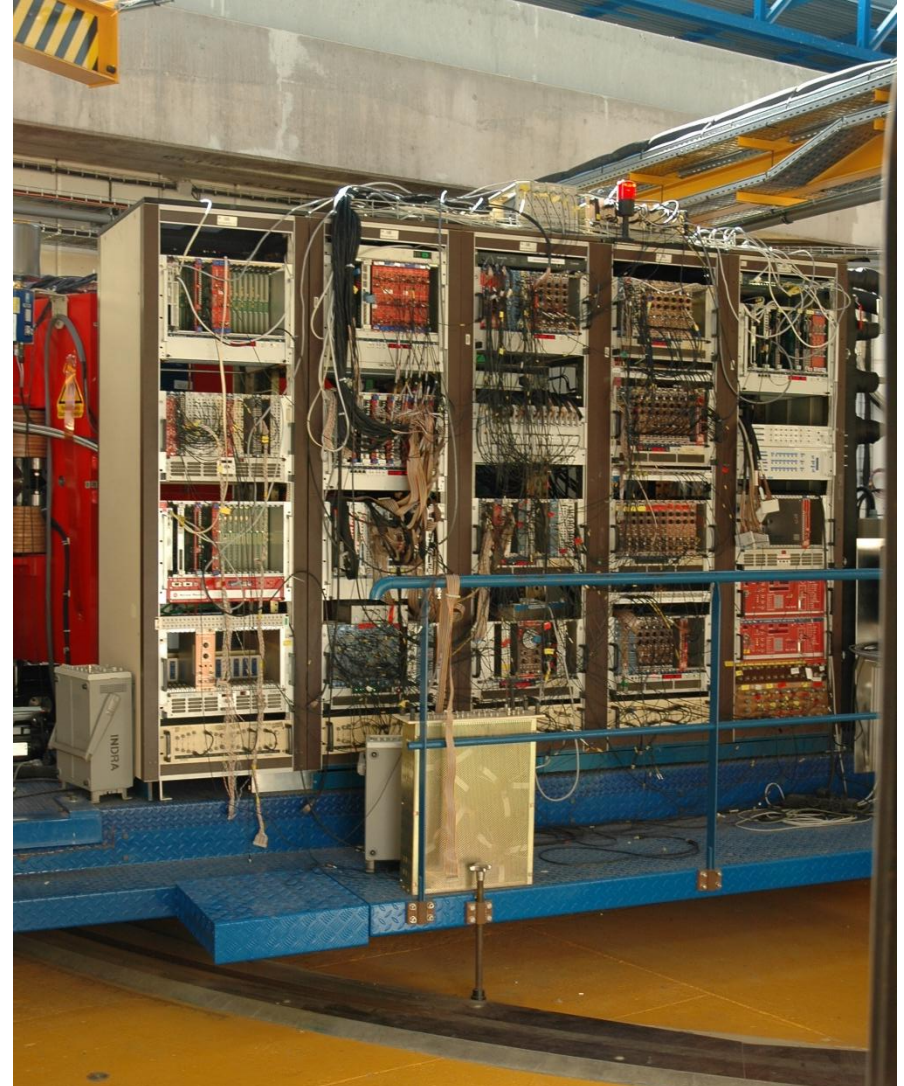
Target : (x, y) (~ 1 mm)

**VAMOS
+ AGATA**

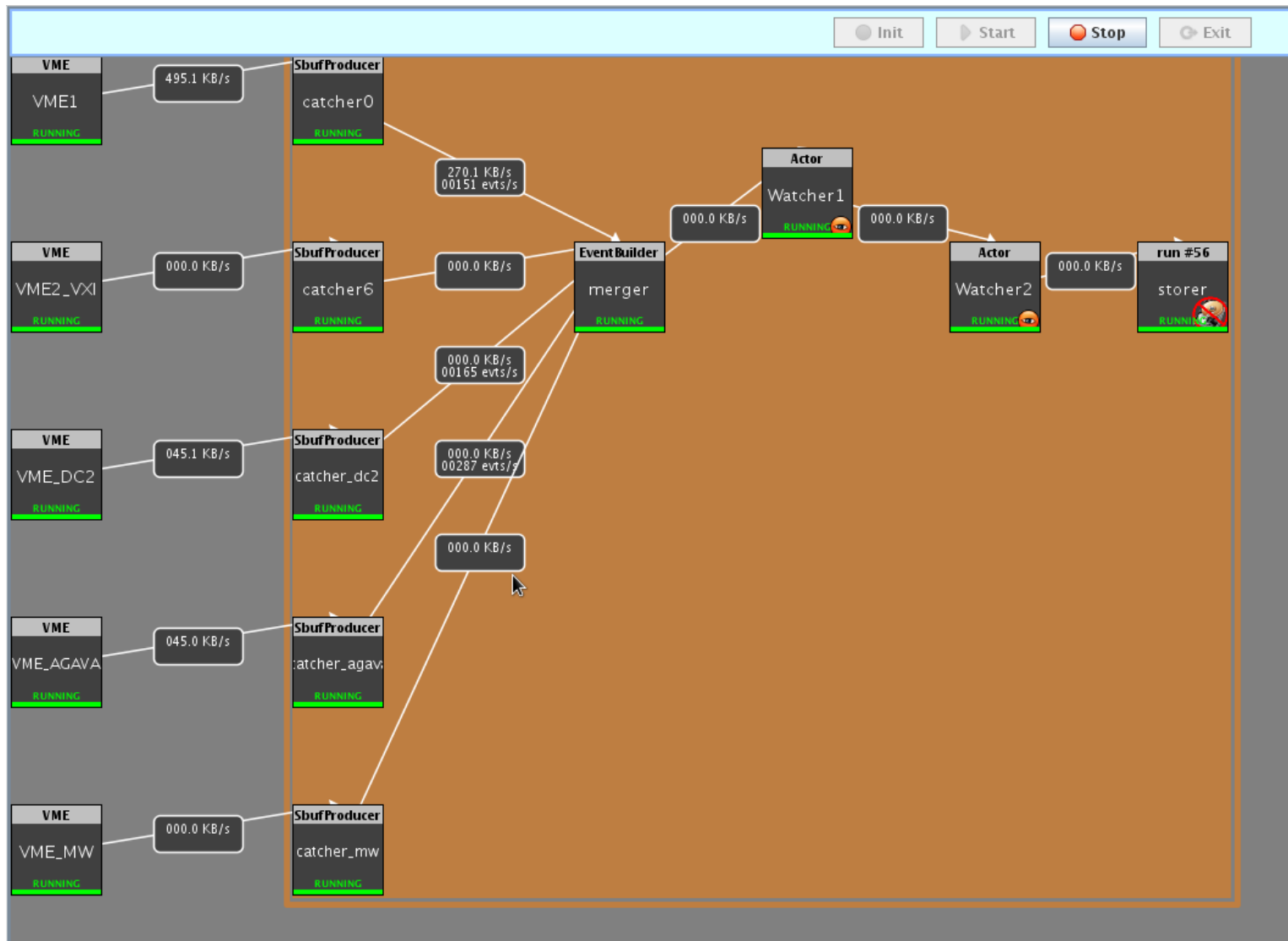


Coupling VAMOS and AGATA

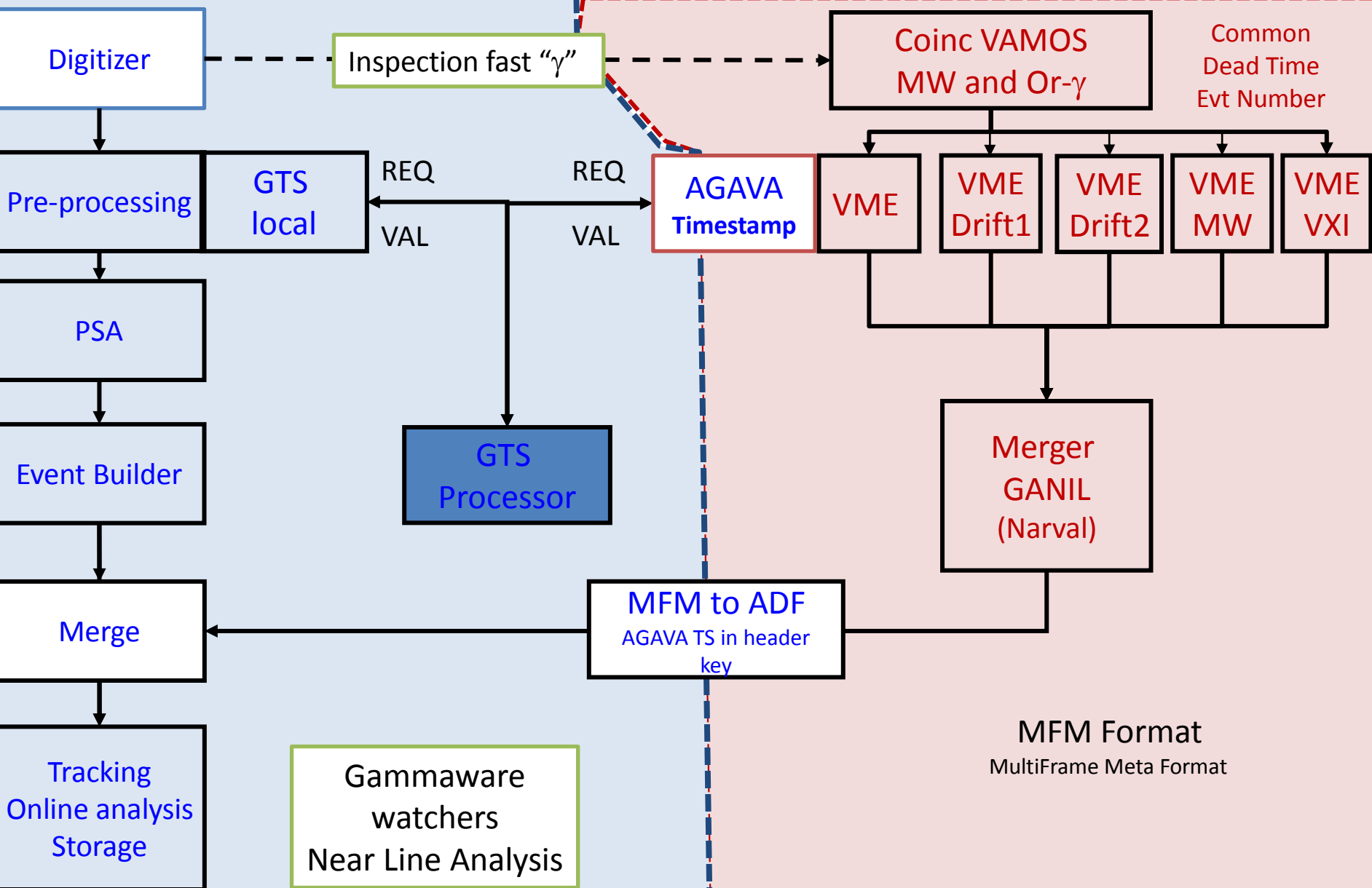
(like AGATA + PRISMA)



Narval Topology for VAMOS



AGATA and VAMOS



VAMOS SOFTWARES AND ANALYSIS

VAMOS Analysis softwares

Offline = Online

- **libVamos**

Shared library (C++, ROOT (opt), Cmake)

⇒ Could be interfaced with any program

(VAnalysis, your own analysis program,
Watcher GammaWare, Narval filter ...)

git version control, doxygen documentation

Soon available in <http://gitlab.in2p3.fr/VAMOS/>

- **VAnalysis existing analysis software**

- Online Analysis (Narval Watcher, Spy)
(Histograms Server, Visu with VIGRU software)
- Offline Analysis (Root Trees, Histograms)

libVamos

Include standard *sorting, calibration* and *analysis* procedures for VAMOS detectors

Basic Idea : benefit from inheritance !

- BaseDetector include all standard routines (Add Data, Calibration, Root Histogramming and Trees, ...)

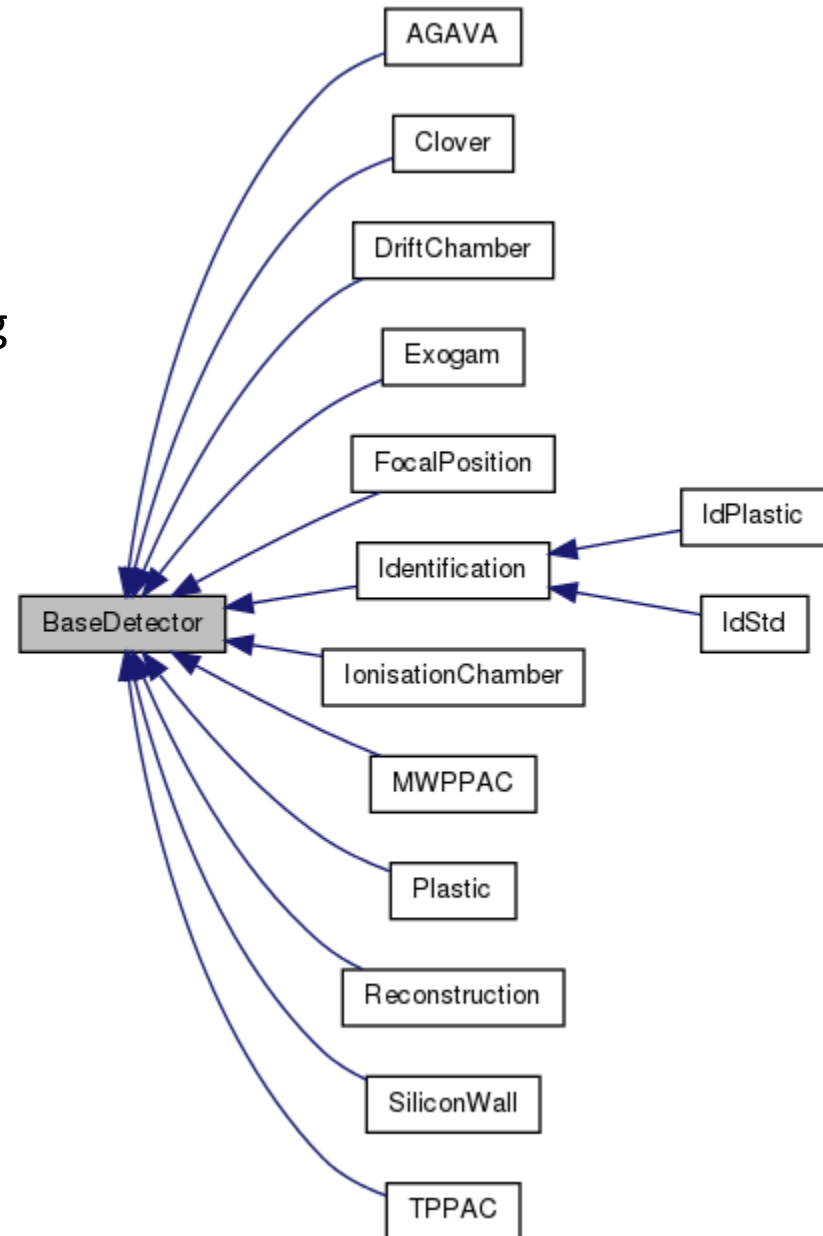
Inherited class for specific needs

– Detectors

- Drift Chambers
- Ionization Chambers
- MWPPC
- Silicon Wall
- TPPAC

– But also for Analysis methods

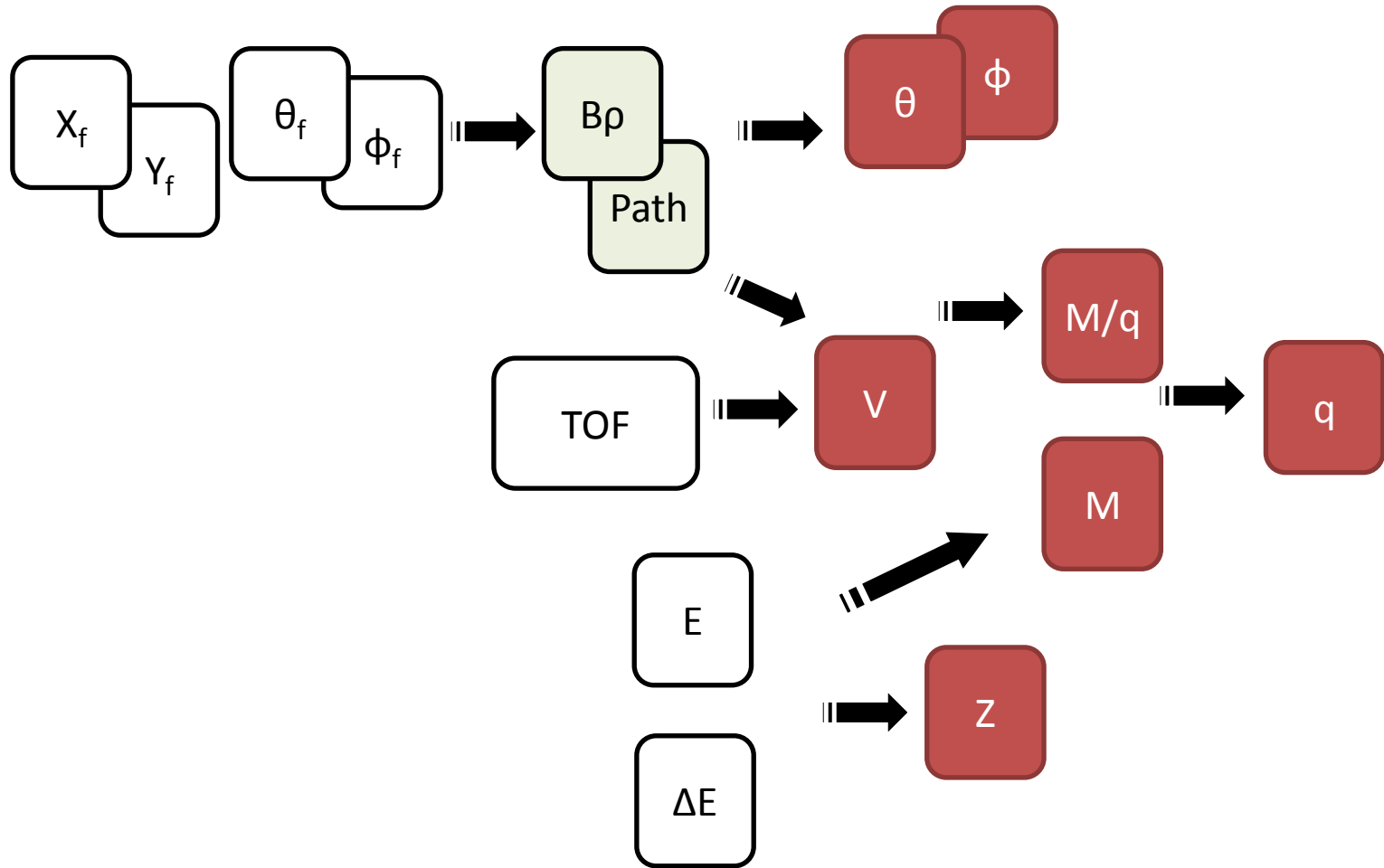
- Focal Position Reconstruction (Combine 4 DriftChambers)
- Brho Reconstruction (Combine Focal Position)
- Identification (Combine Focal Position Reconstruction, IC, E, MW)



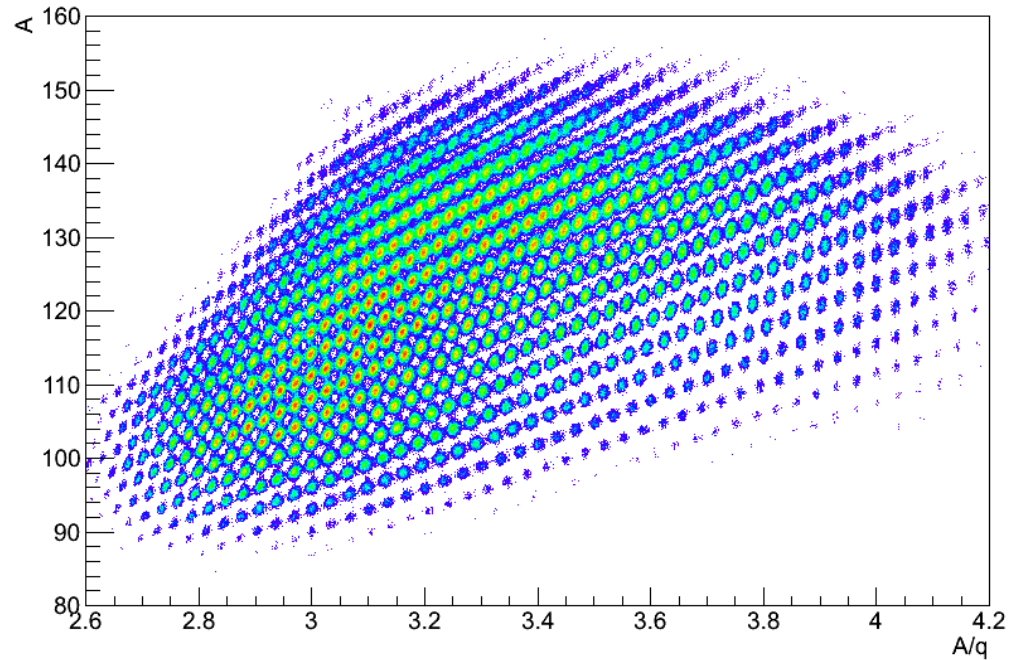
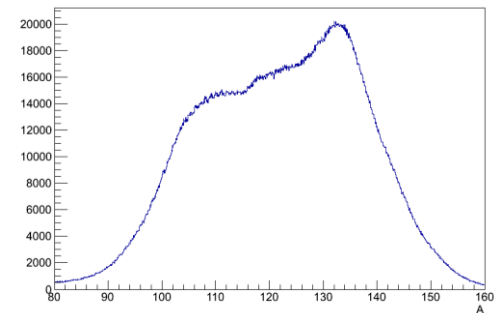
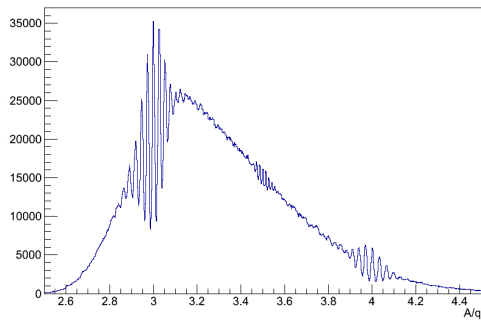
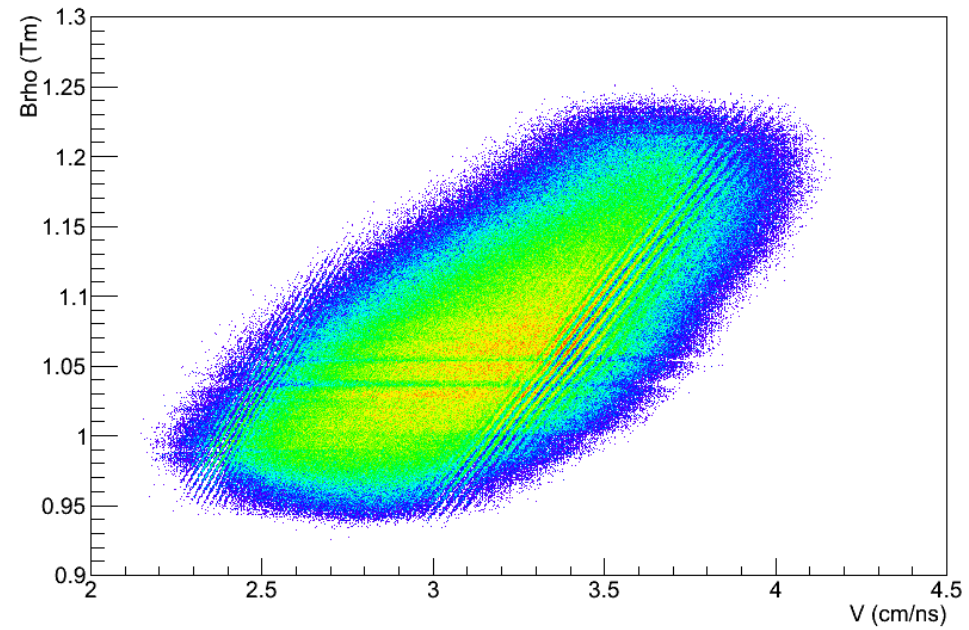
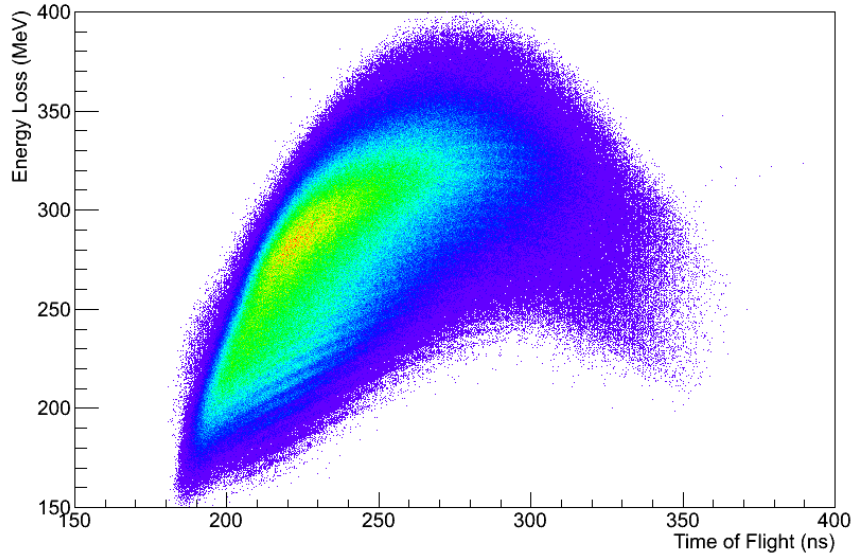
No Data yet from VAMOS + AGATA !
I will save you from installing software

But we will look at previous data
and go step by step

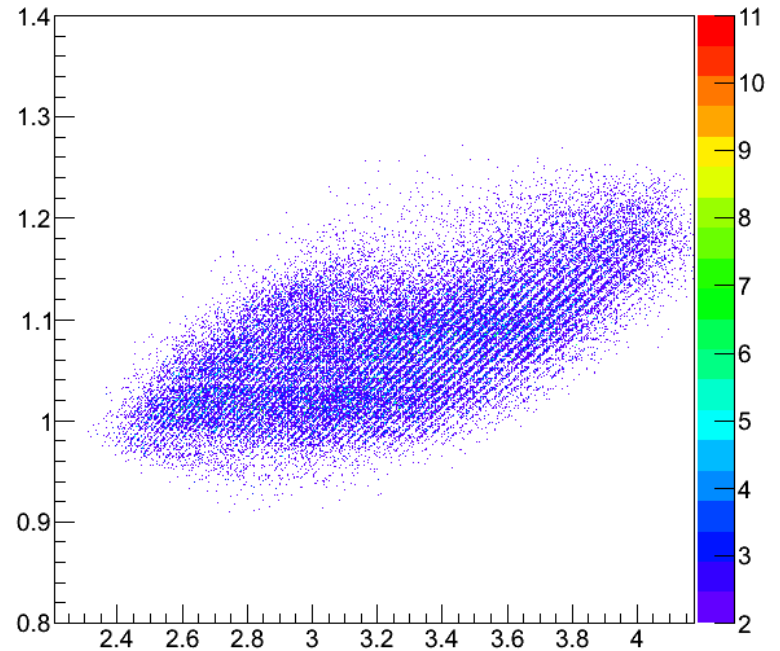
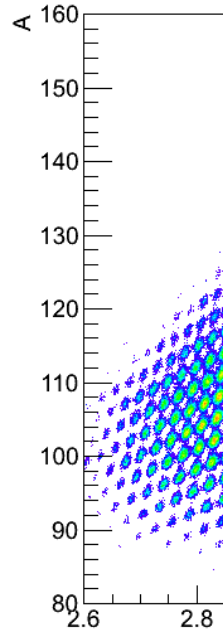
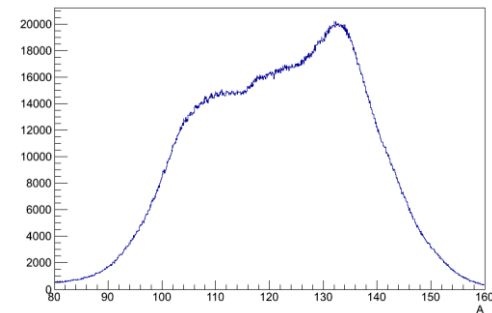
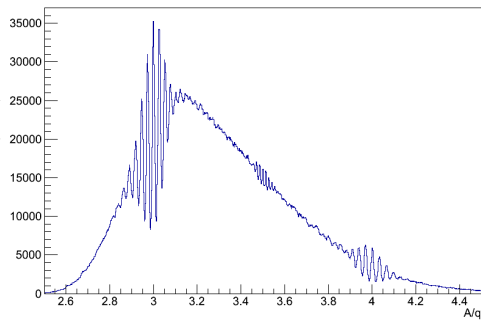
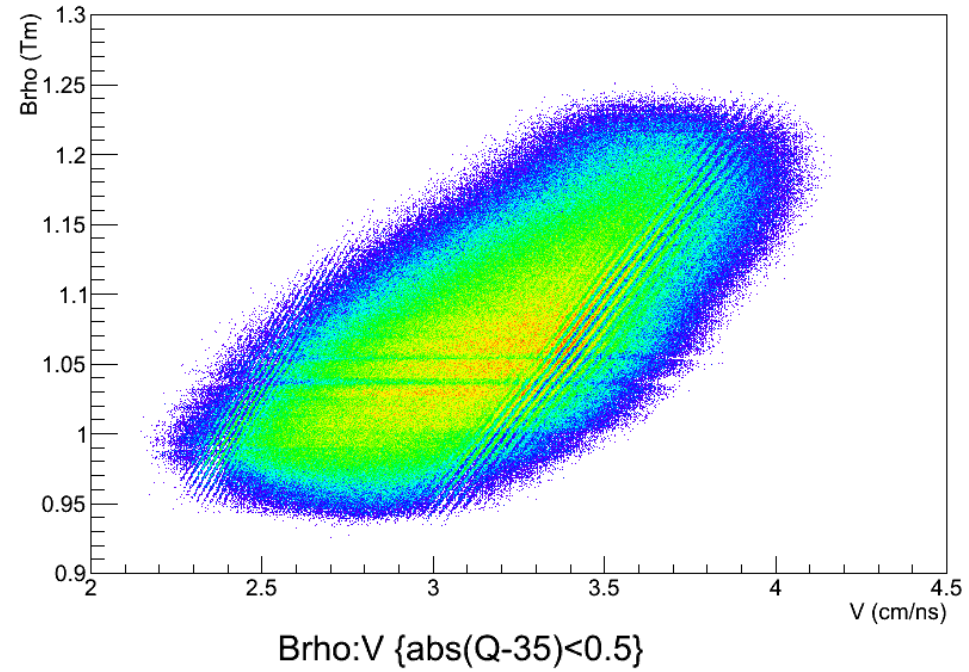
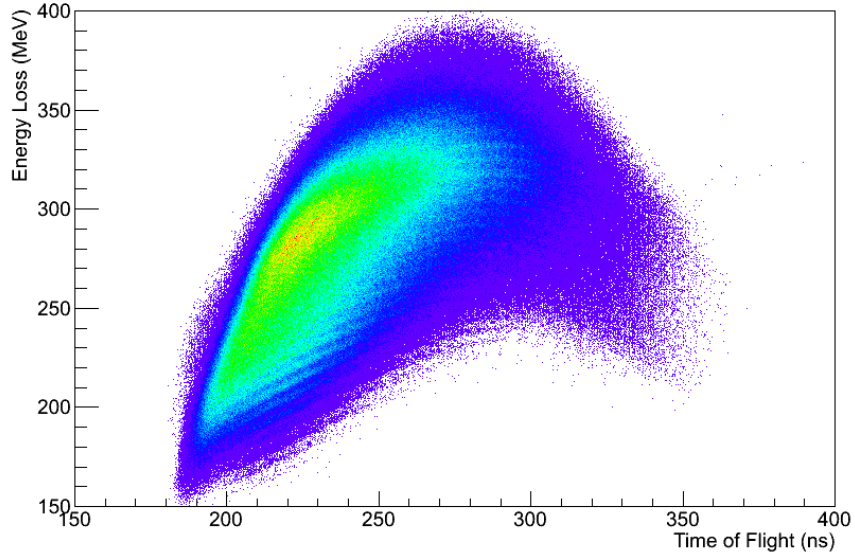
VAMOS Measurement (Software Spectrometer)



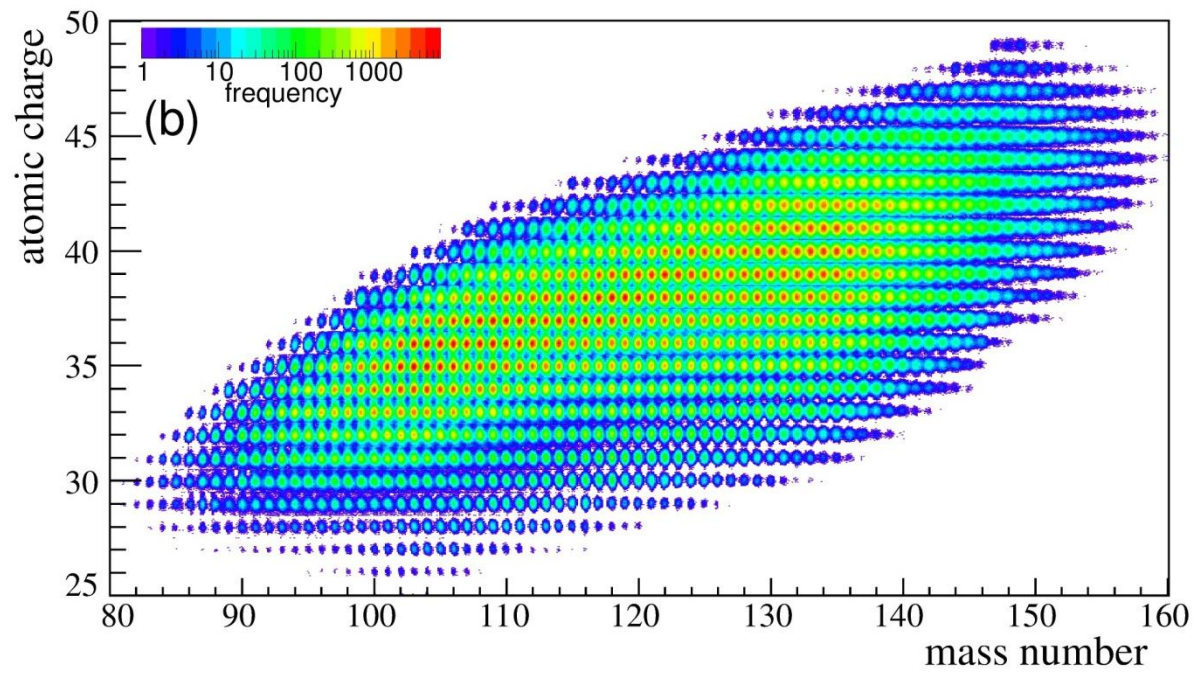
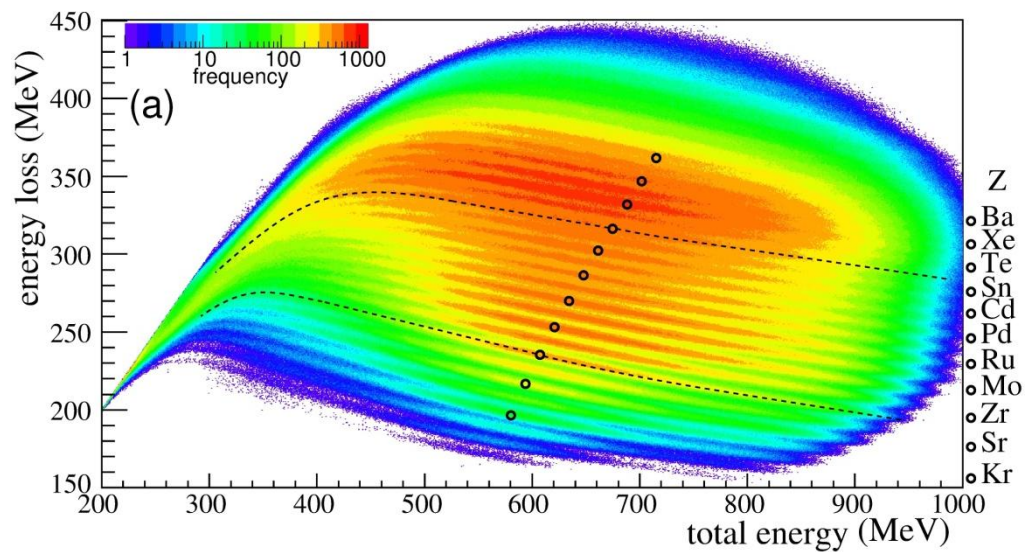
Basic Correlations



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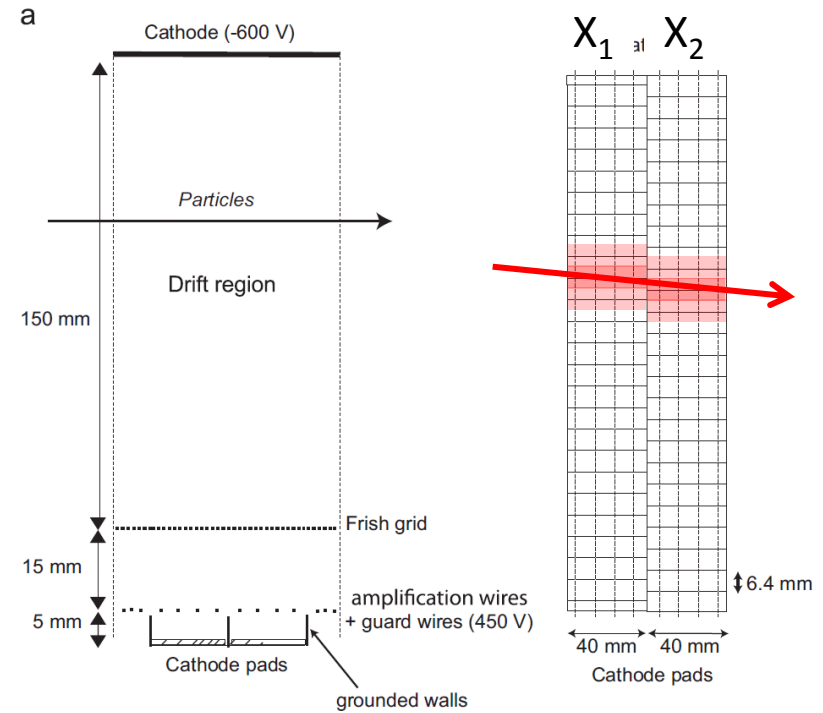
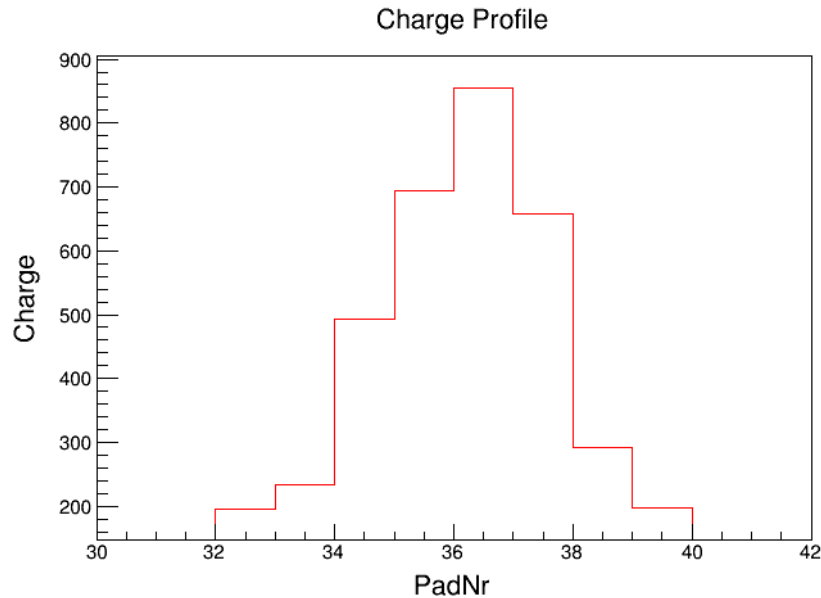


Identification of FFs



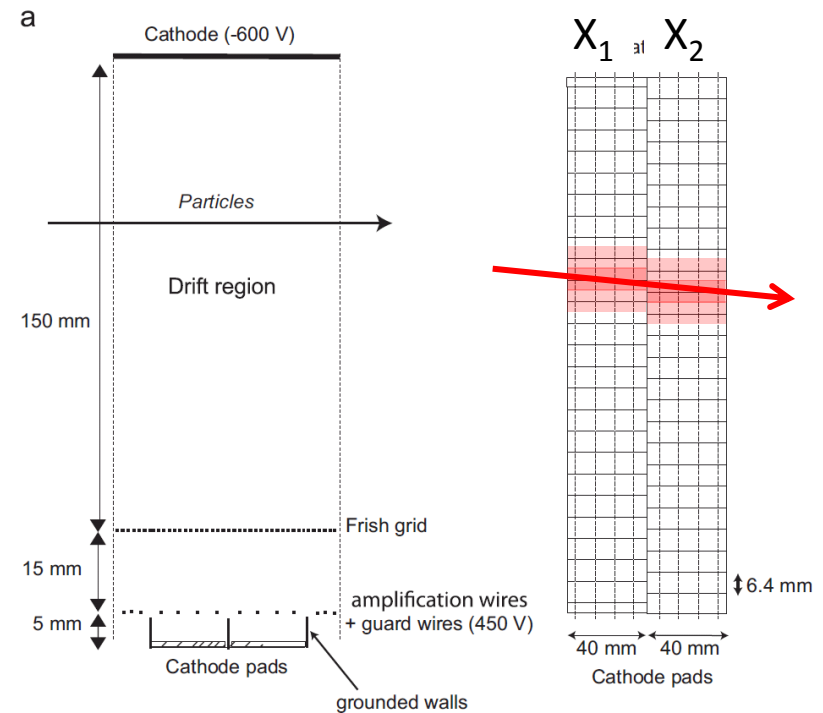
Trajectory reconstruction in DriftChambers

- Charge distributions on Pads
=> (X_1, X_2, X_3, X_4)



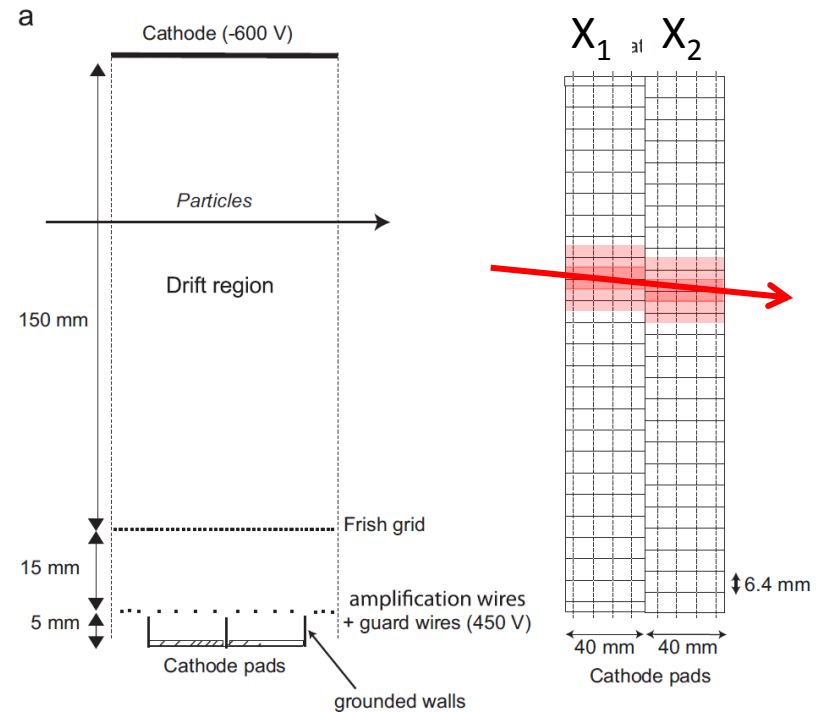
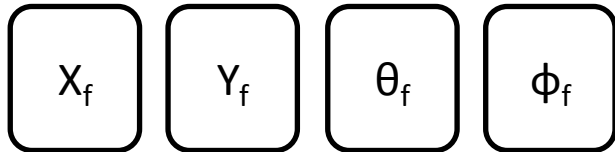
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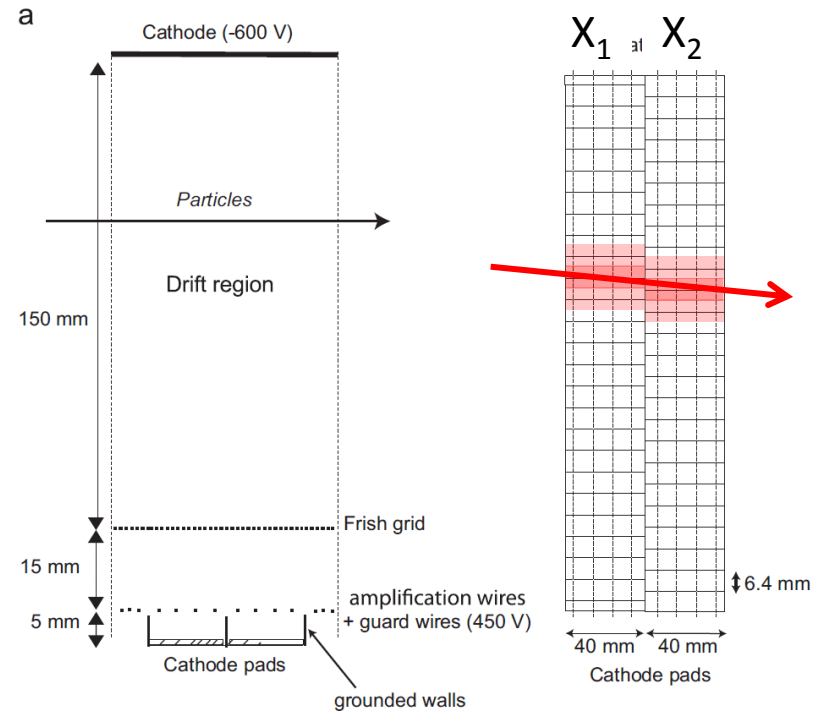
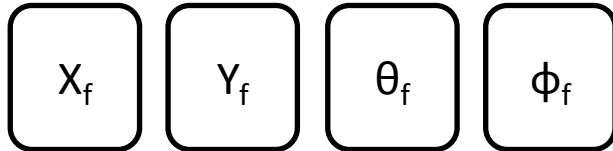
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- Reconstruction at defined plane named « Focal Plane »
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Calibration actions

Pad Calibrations (Gain matching)

Drift Time Calibration

/! X and Y references

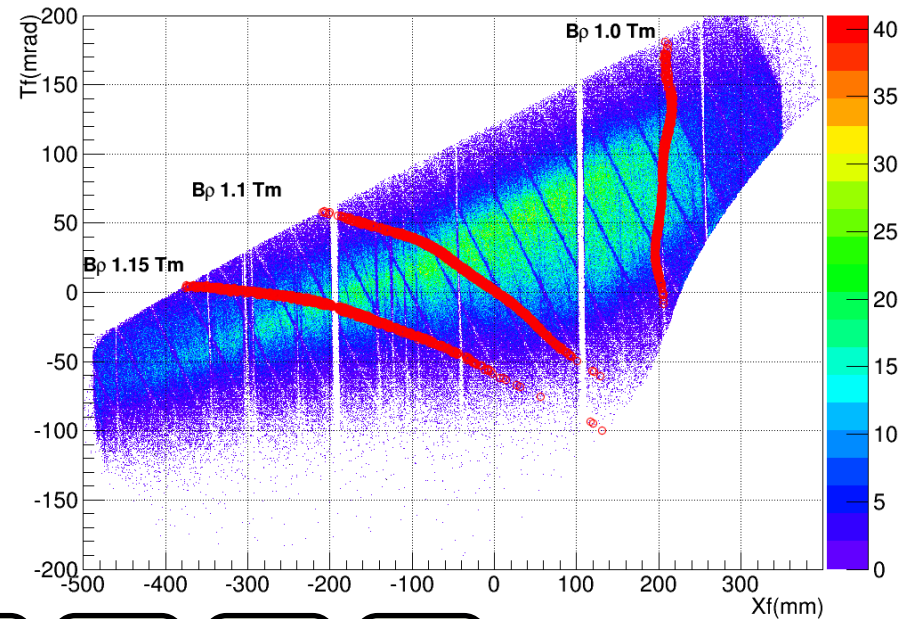
(surveyors + Direct beam data + dead zones)

Software ($B\rho$, Path) reconstruction principle

- **Ray tracing with Zgoubi Software**

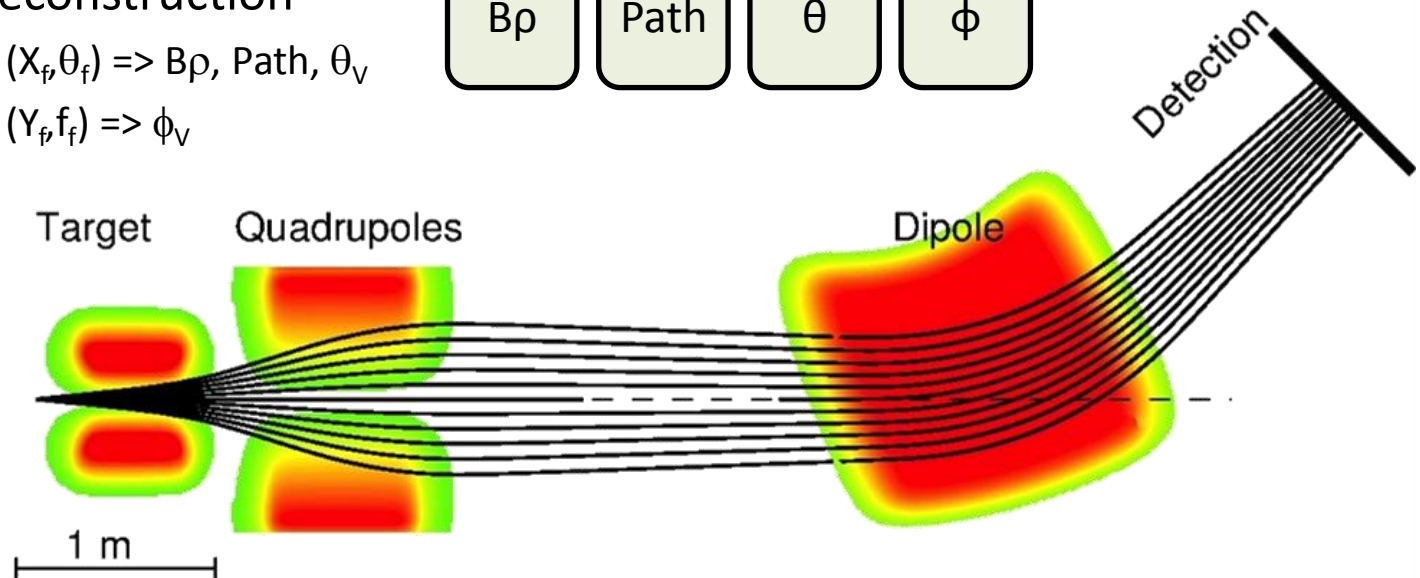
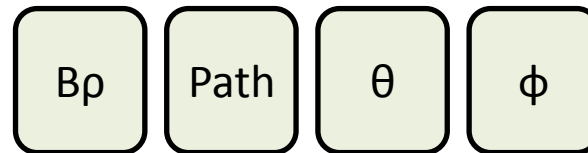
- Generate Trajectories ($B\rho, \theta, \phi$) (Field Maps, Given Optics)
- DataBase of trajectories inputs ($B\rho, \theta, \phi$) to reference « Focal Plane » (760 cm from target) ($X_f, Y_f, \theta_f, \phi_f$, Path)
- Build reverse Matrix

$$(X_f, \theta_f, Y_f, \phi_f) \Rightarrow (B\rho, \text{Path}, \theta, \phi)$$



- **Event by Event reconstruction**

- From measured (X_f, θ_f) $\Rightarrow B\rho, \text{Path}, \theta_v$
- From measured (Y_f, ϕ_f) $\Rightarrow \phi_v$

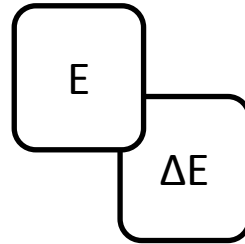


Z identification

$\Delta E - E$ technique

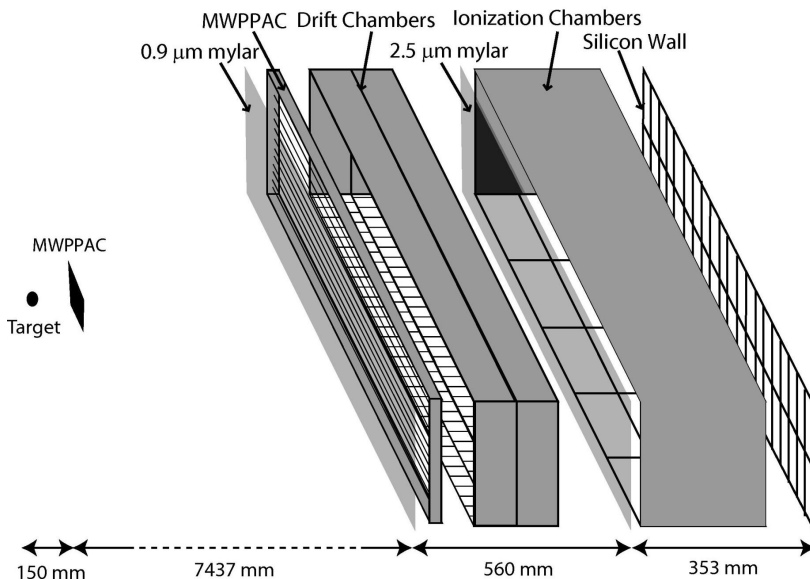
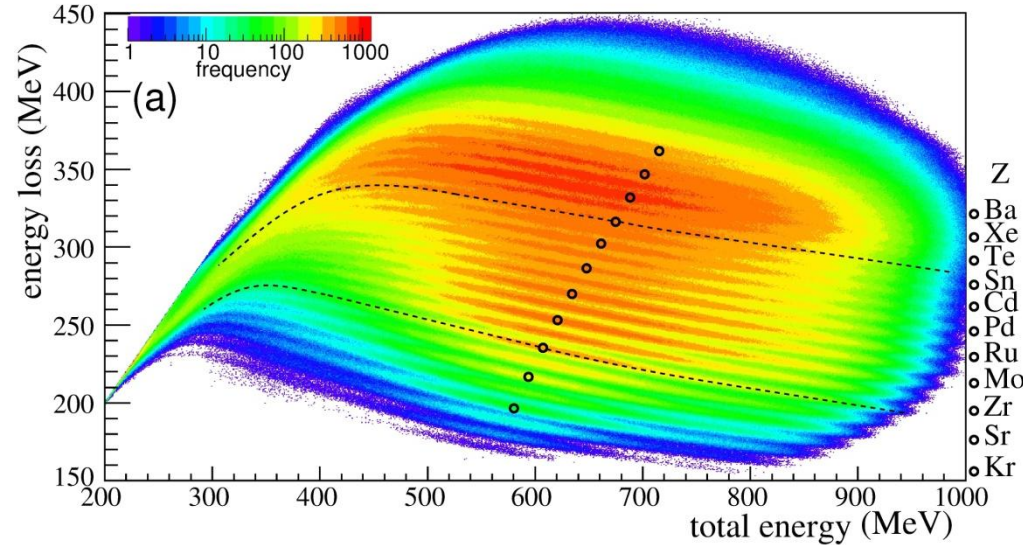
- **Energy Loss : ΔE**

Ionization Chambers
 3 rows * 5 pads
 CF4 (20-60 mbar)
 resolution $\sim 2\%$



- **Residual Energy E_{res}**

- Up to now :
 40 Silicon detectors : 2*20 rows
- **New** : Replaced by 4th IC row (5 pads)
 (CF4 higher pressure 100-400 mbar)



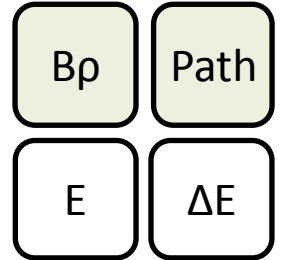
Calibration actions

- **Ionization Chambers**
 3Rows * 5 Pads gain matching
 Overall row calibration
- **Silicon Wall**
 2 Rows * 20 Silicon gain matching

Let's get A and q!

So far, we have

- Trajectory reconstruction : $B\rho$, Path (D)
- Approximate Energy Calibration ($E + \Delta E$)



$$B\rho[Tm] = 3.105 \frac{A}{q} \beta \gamma$$

$$V = D / T$$

$$\beta = V / c$$

$$\gamma = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - \beta^2}}$$

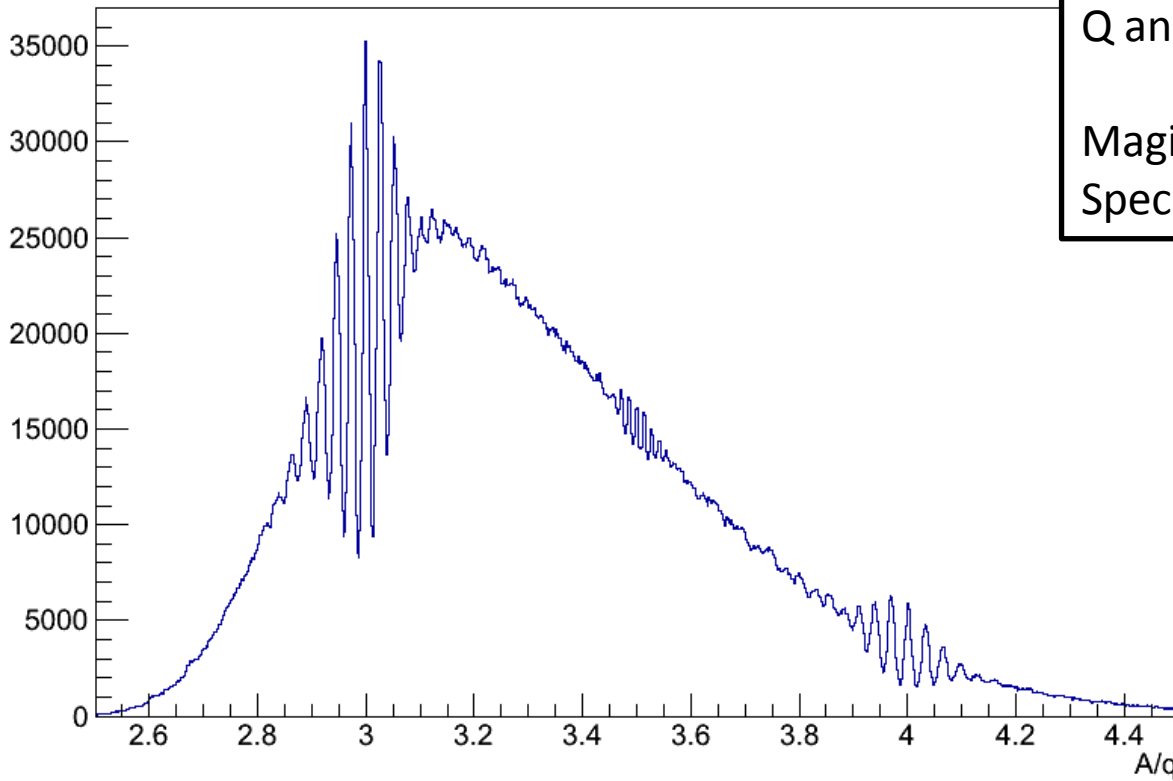
$$c = 29.9792458 [cm / ns]$$

$$A = \frac{2E}{931.5 \beta^2}$$

$$\frac{A}{q} = \frac{B\rho[Tm]}{3.105 \beta \gamma}$$

We want A and q
we need v !
=> Time of flight calibration

Time of flight



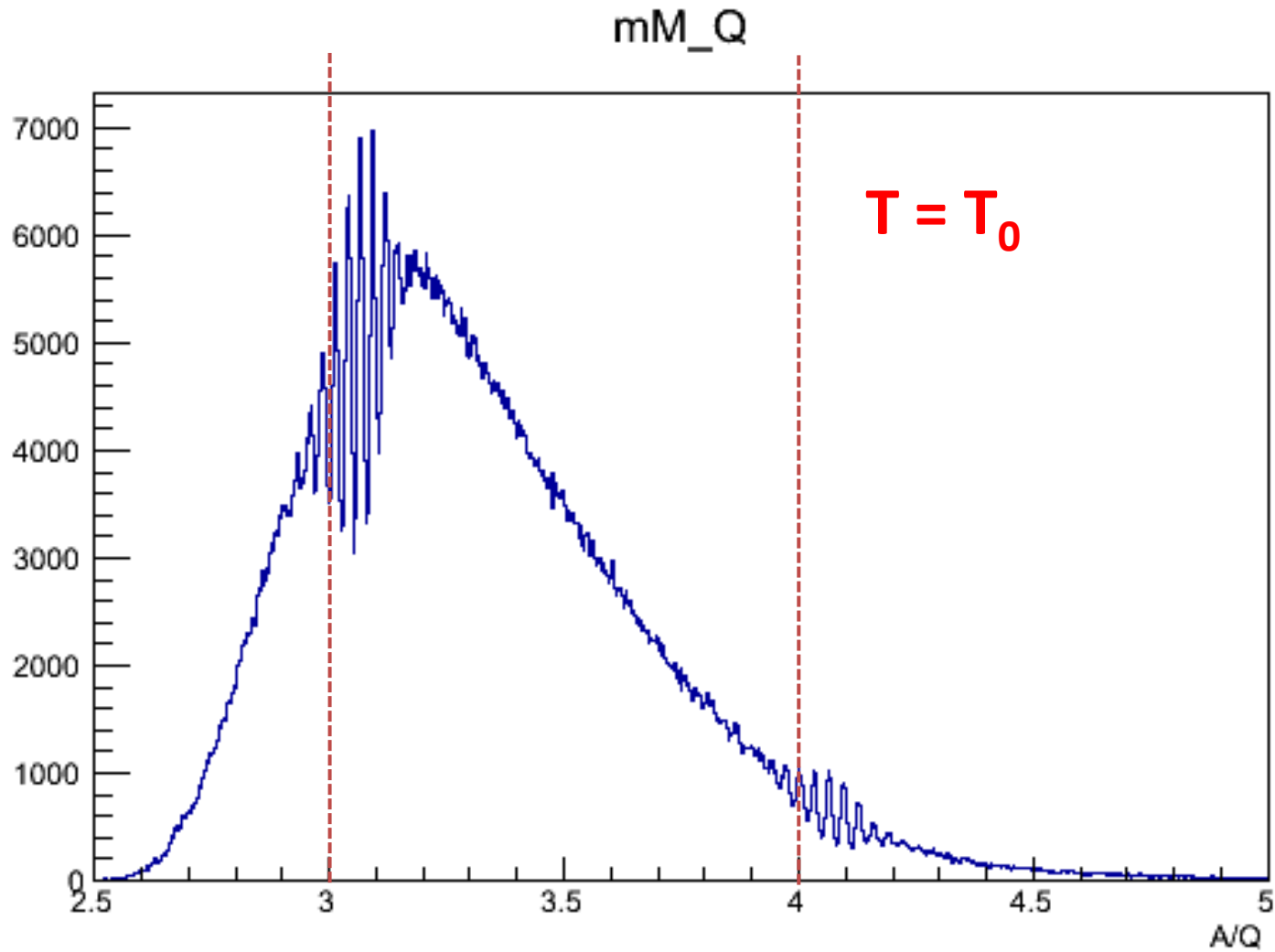
Q and A as integers

Magic numbers of spectrometers
Specific A/Q values = 2,3,4 ...

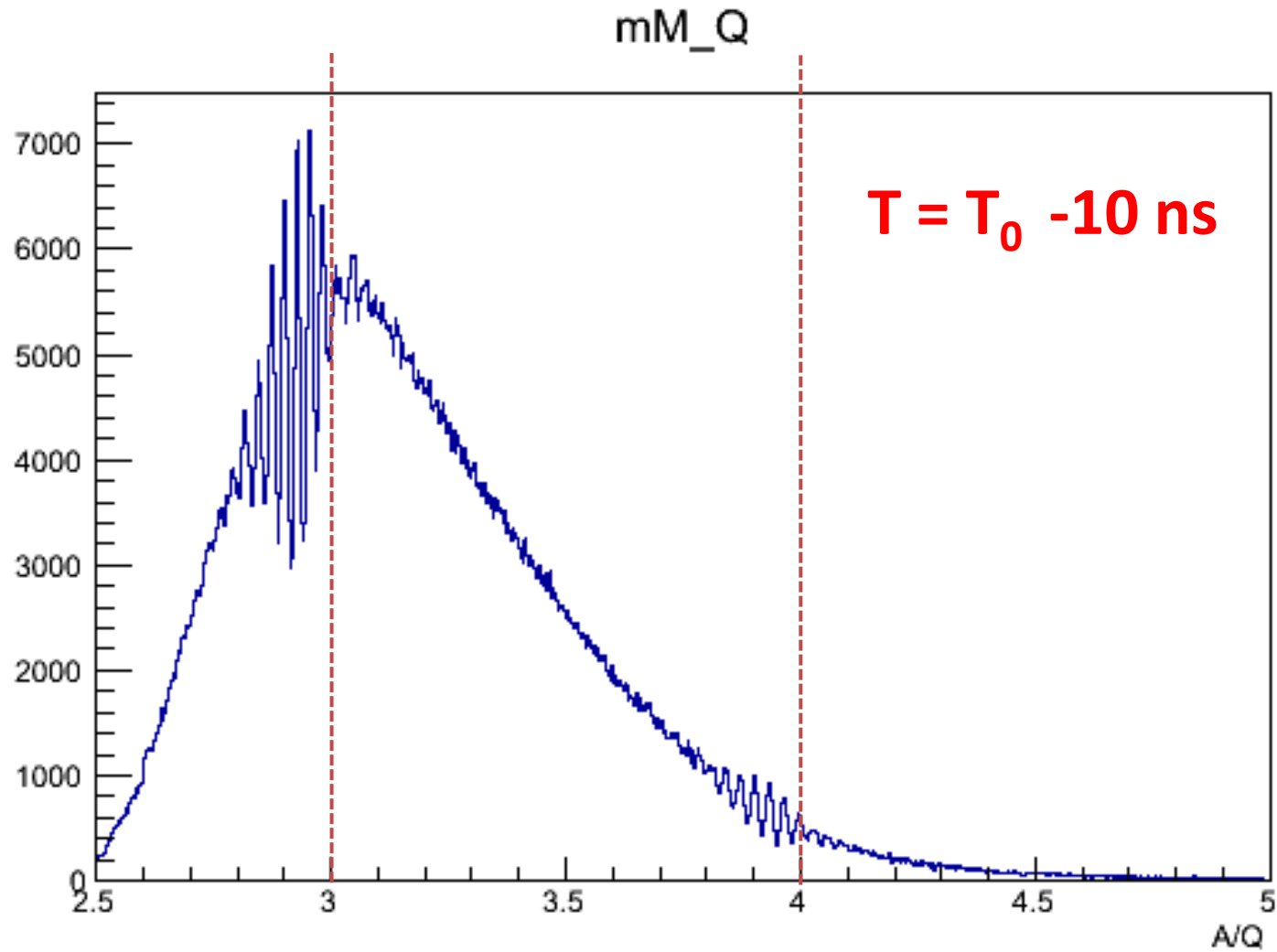
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Adjust time offset to match M/Q = 3 and 4
Section by sections

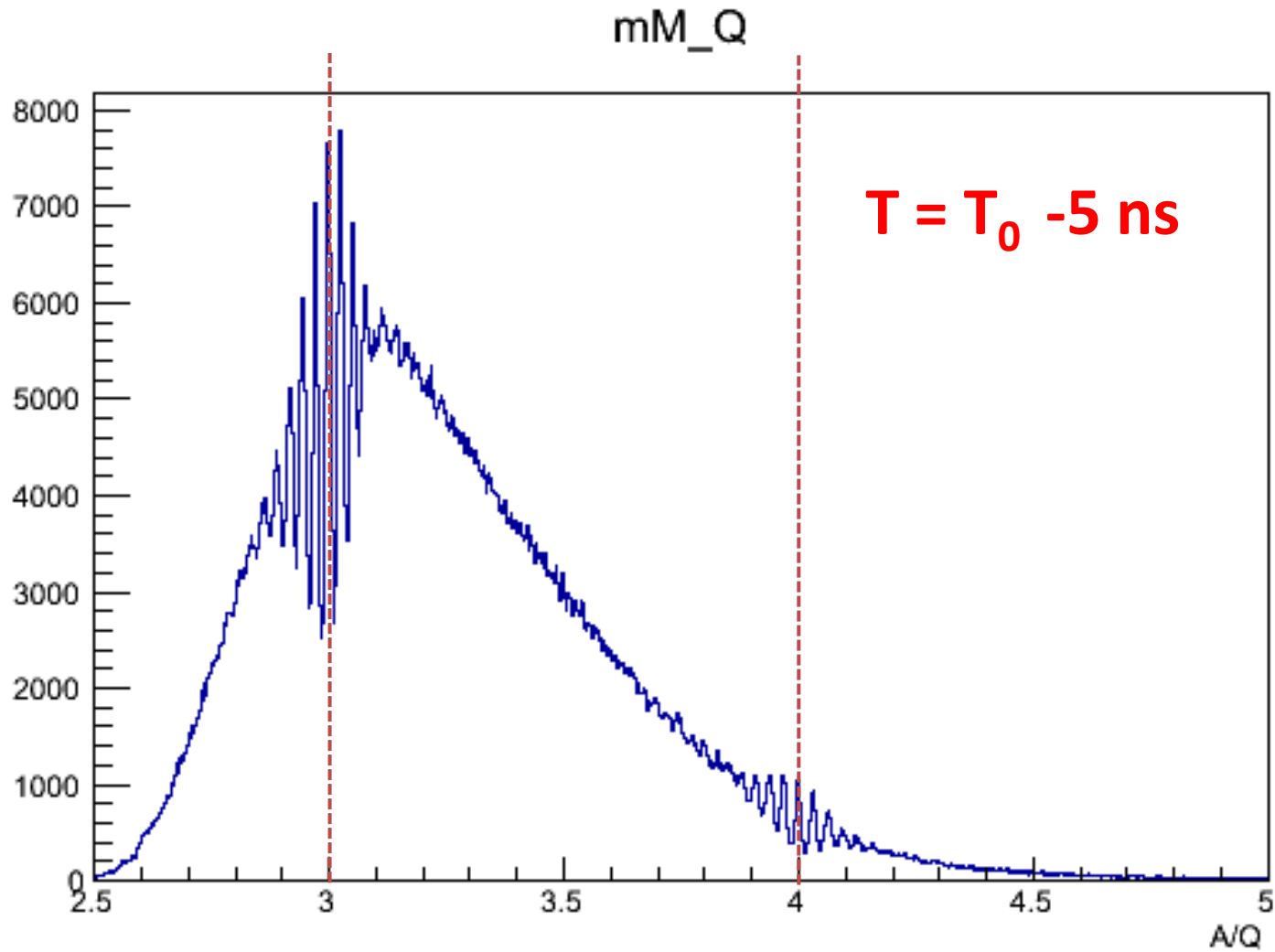
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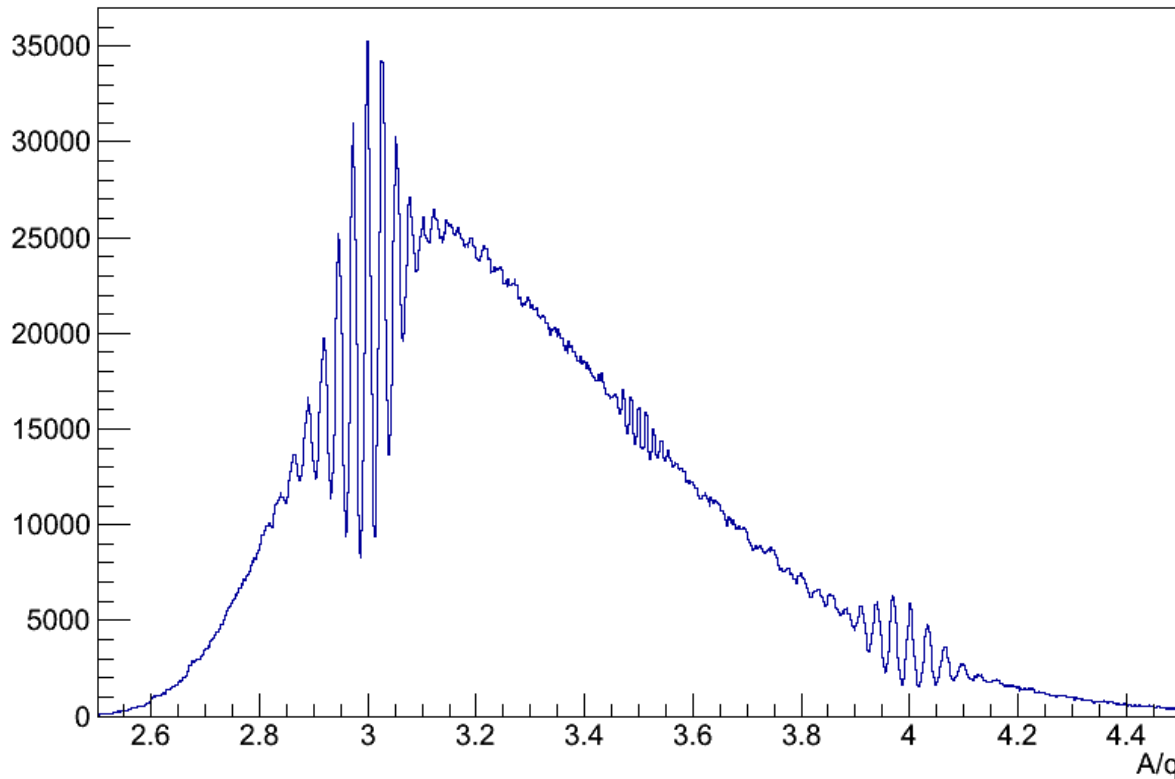
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Time of flight



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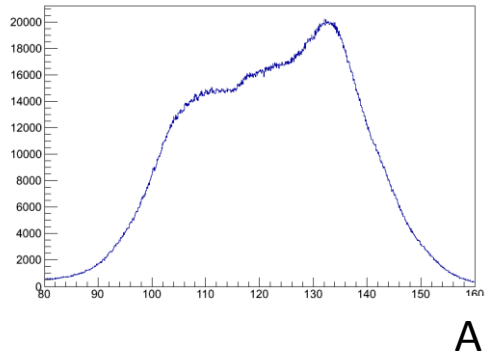
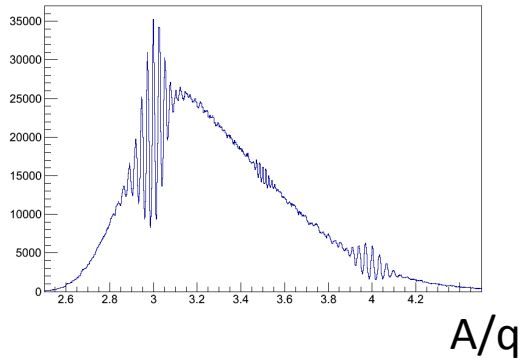
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Section by sections

Calibration actions

- **TDC Calibration**
- **For each of 20 sections of MW**
Time alignment using M/Q and
M information

Identify Q

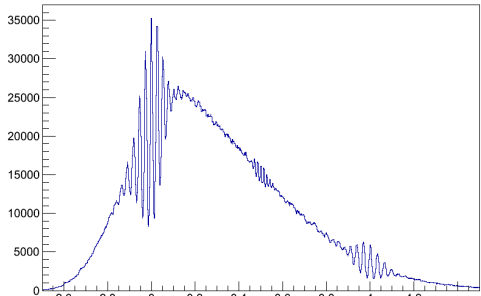
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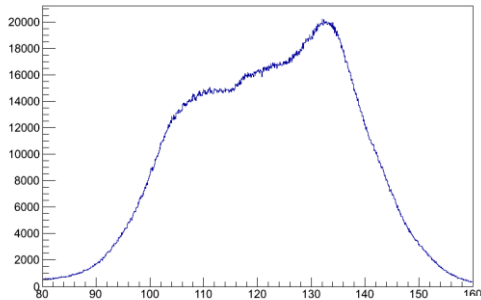
! selected silicon detector !

Identify Q

Continuous



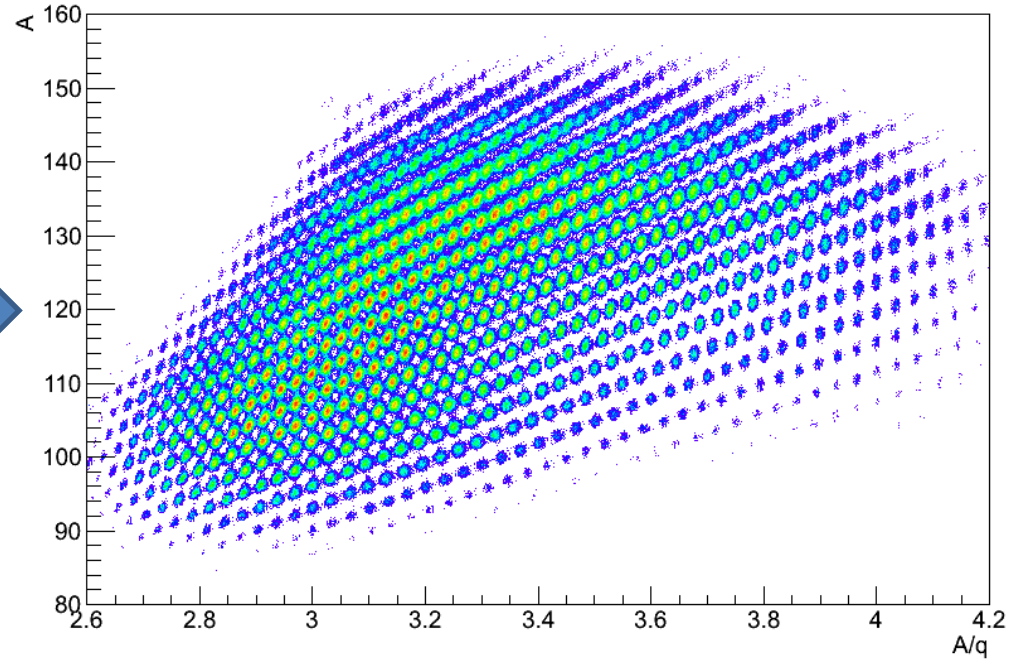
A/q



A



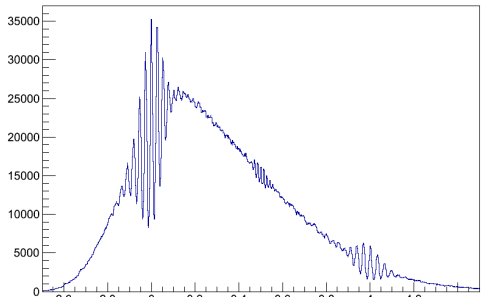
Discrete



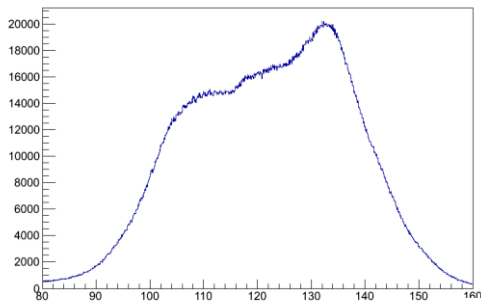
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Identify Q

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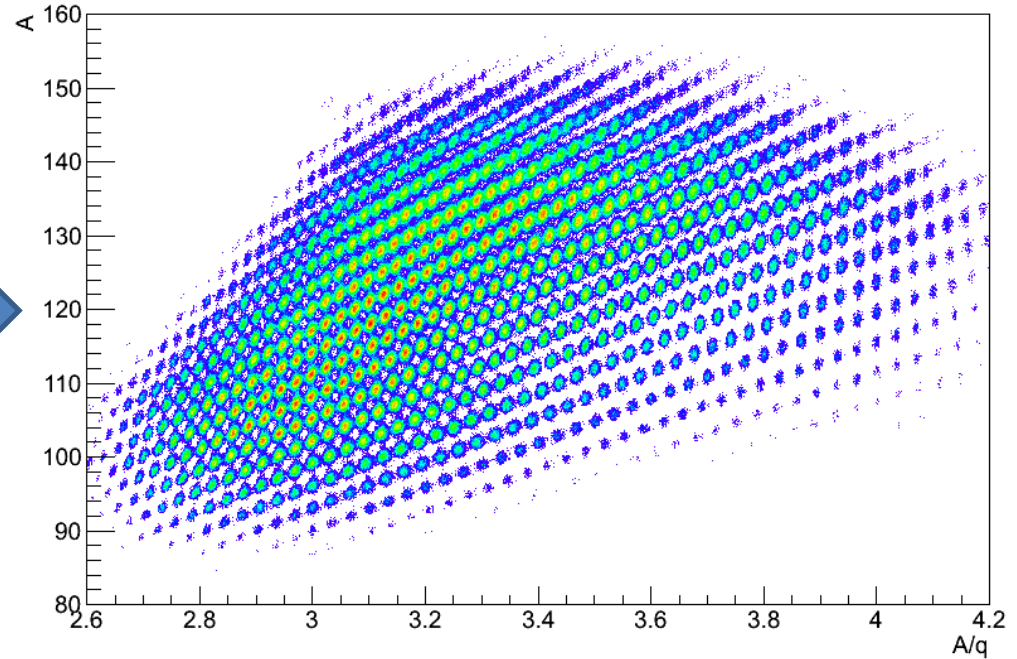
A/q



A



Discrete



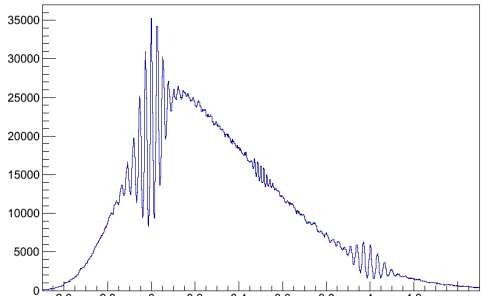
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$$A = \frac{2E}{931.5\beta^2}$$

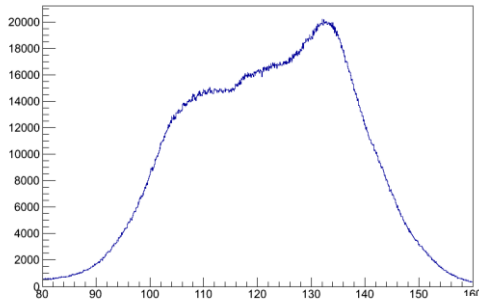
⚠ selected silicon detector !

Identify Q

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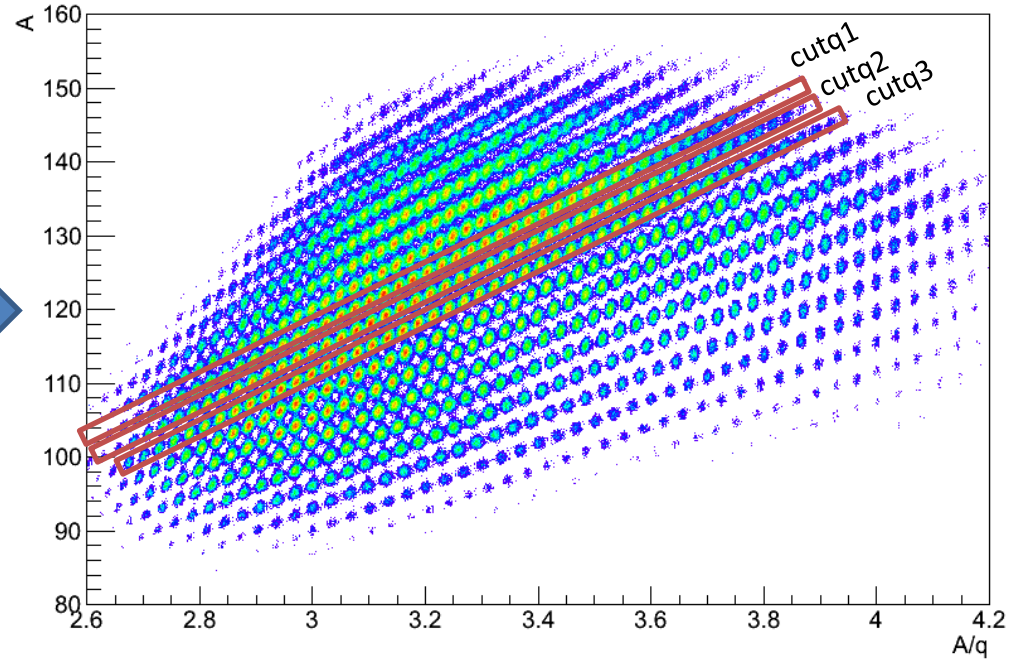
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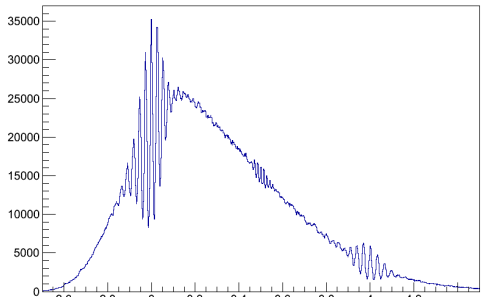
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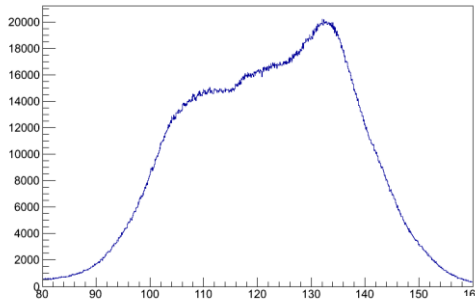
⚠ selected silicon detector !

Identify Q

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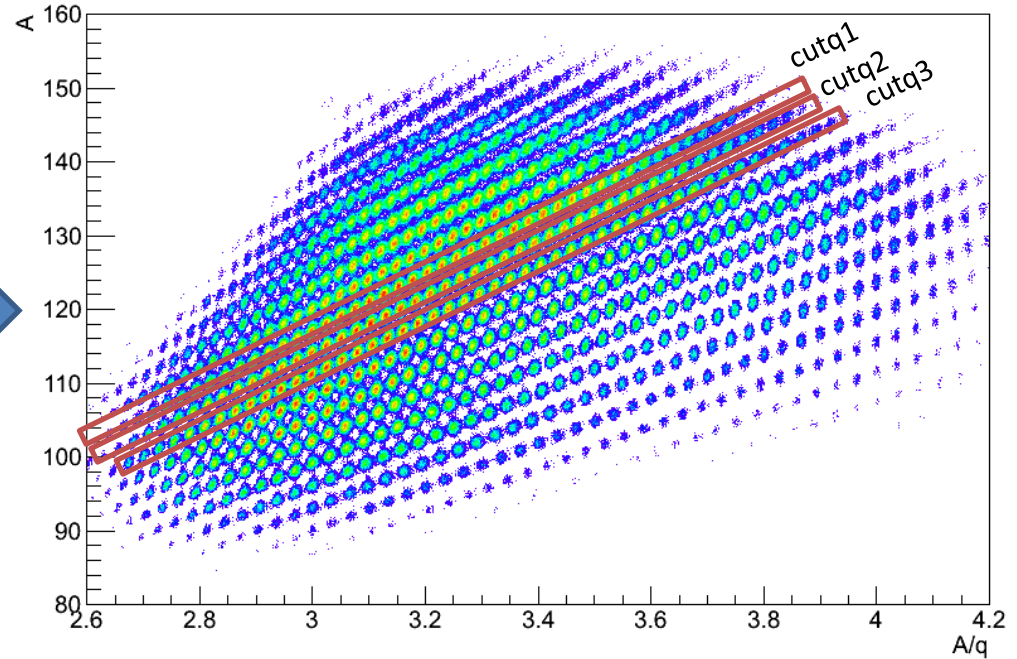
A/q



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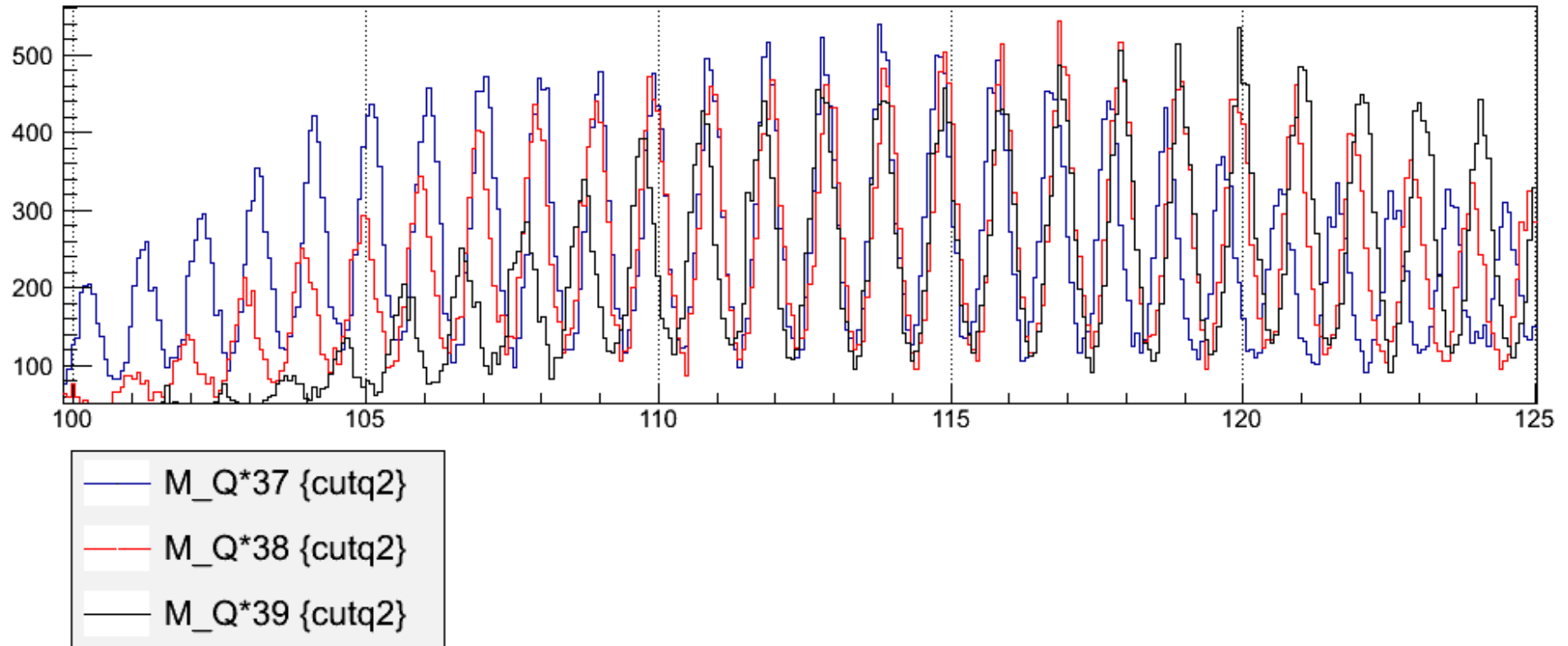
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Hypothesis on cutq2 = (37,38 or 39)

$$A = A/q * \text{cutq2}$$

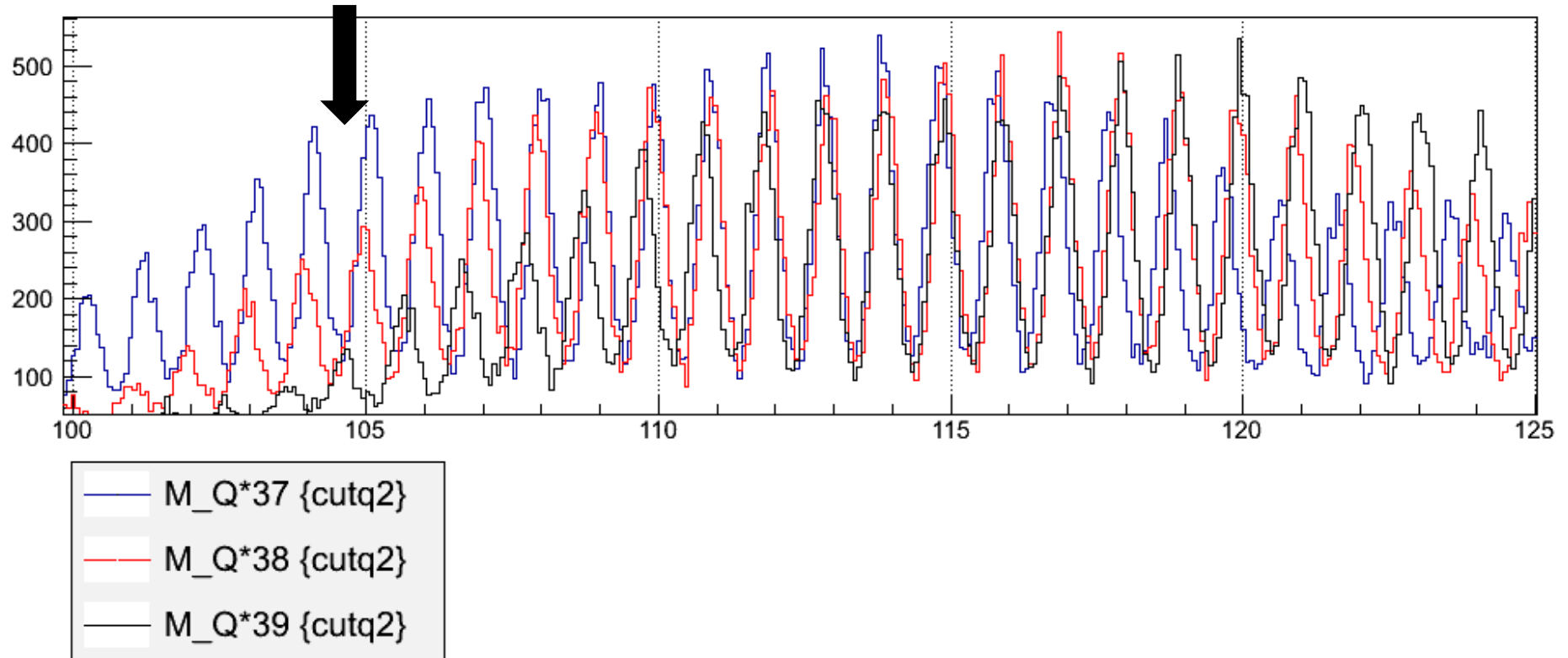
⚠ selected silicon detector !

Identify q



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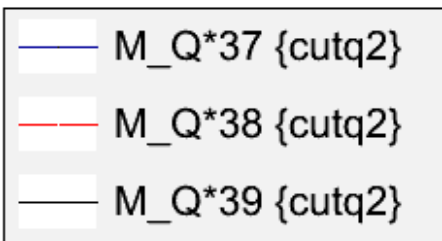
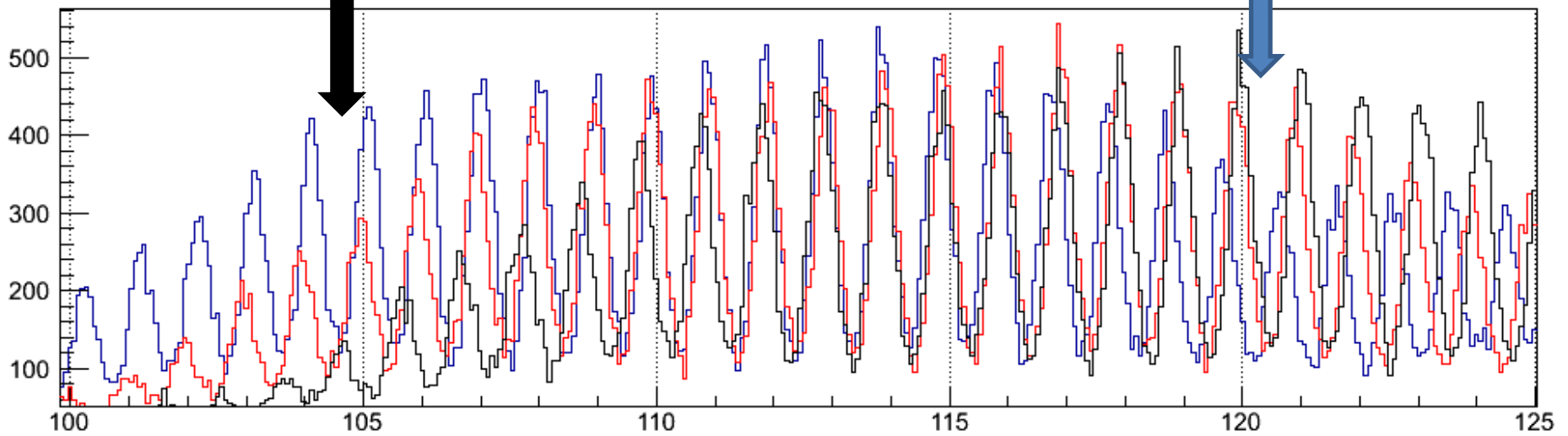
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inconsistent



Identify q

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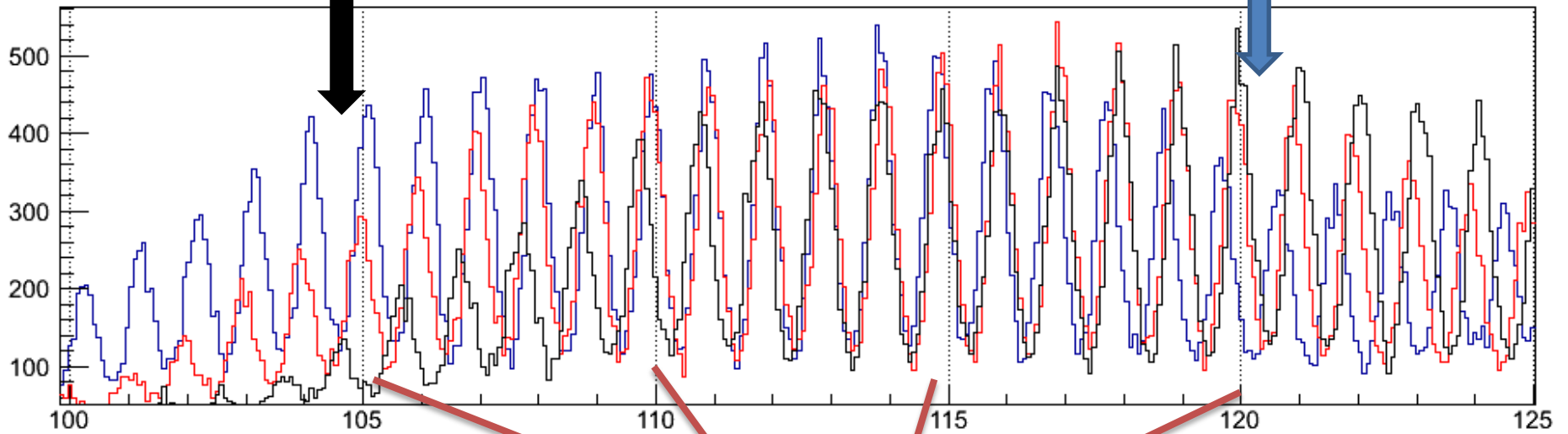
$q_{\text{hyp}} = 37$
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Identify q

$q_{hyp} = 39$
inconsistent

$q_{hyp} = 37$
inconsistent



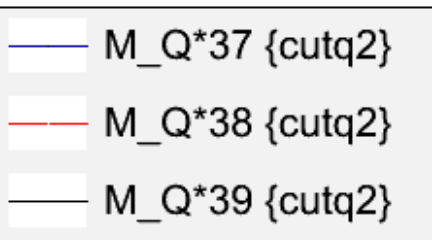
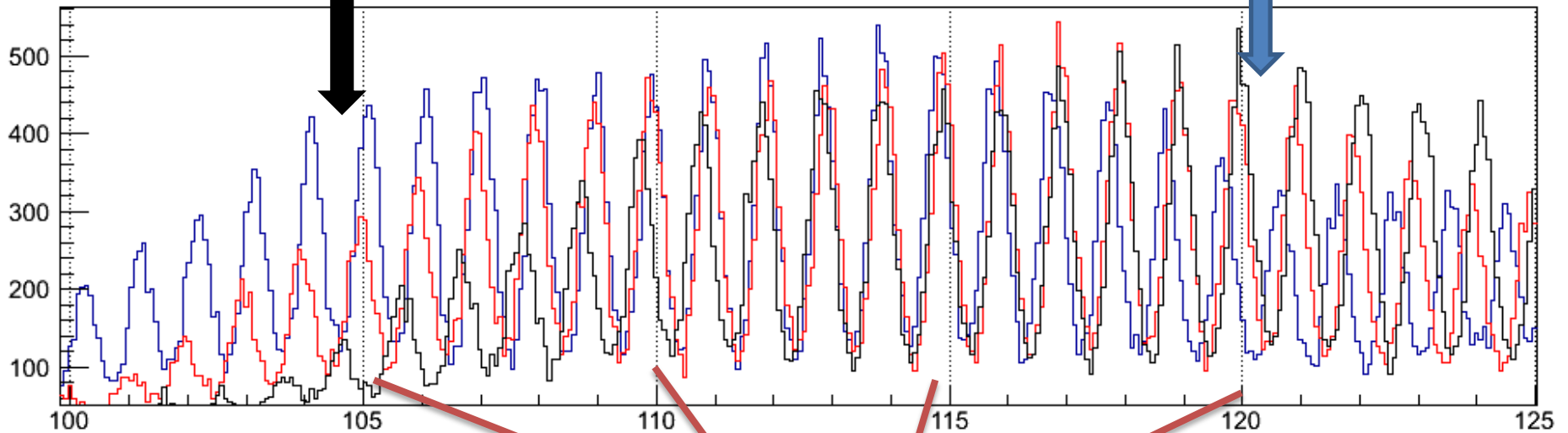
- M_Q*37 {cutq2}
- M_Q*38 {cutq2}
- M_Q*39 {cutq2}

$q_{hyp} = 38 !$

Identify q

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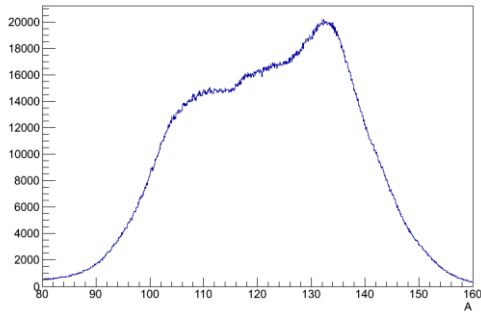
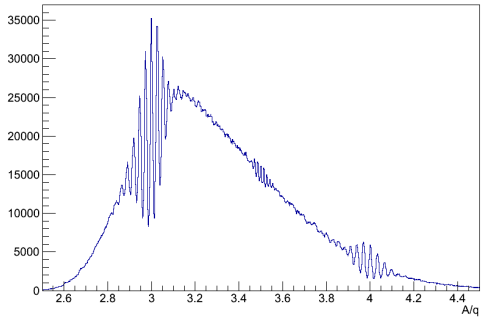


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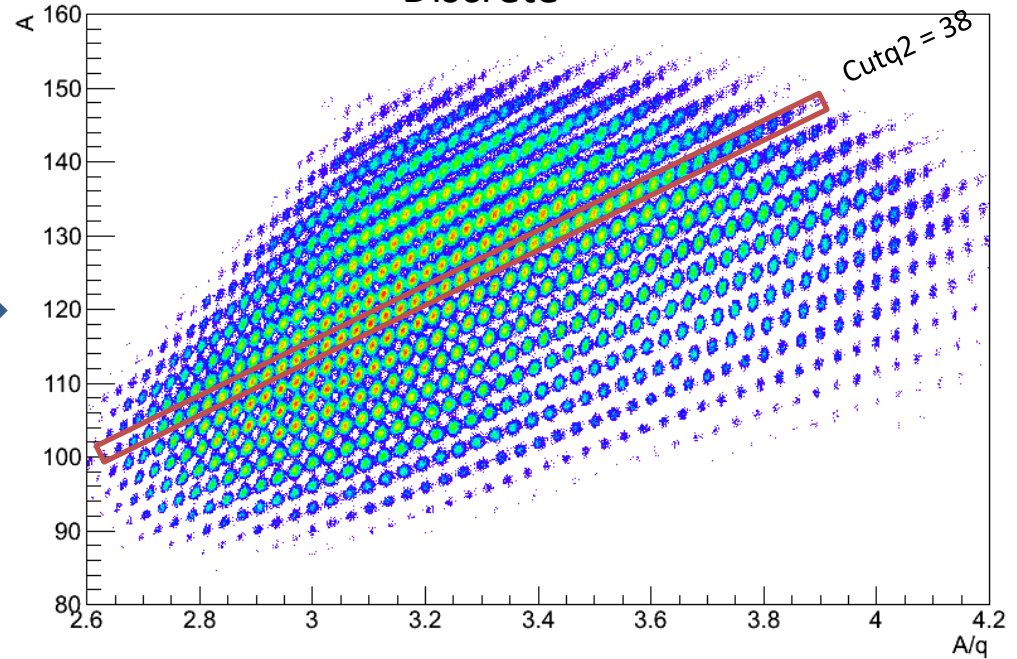
Cross check with two neighbouring q

Identify Q

Continuous



Discrete

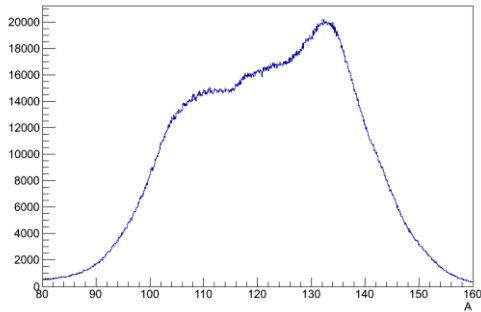
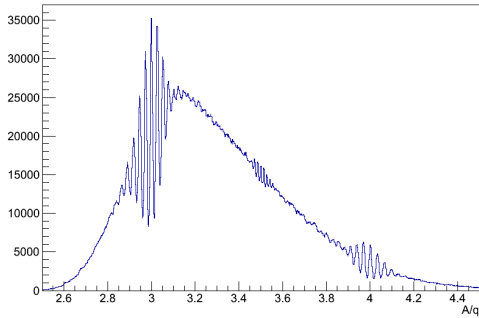


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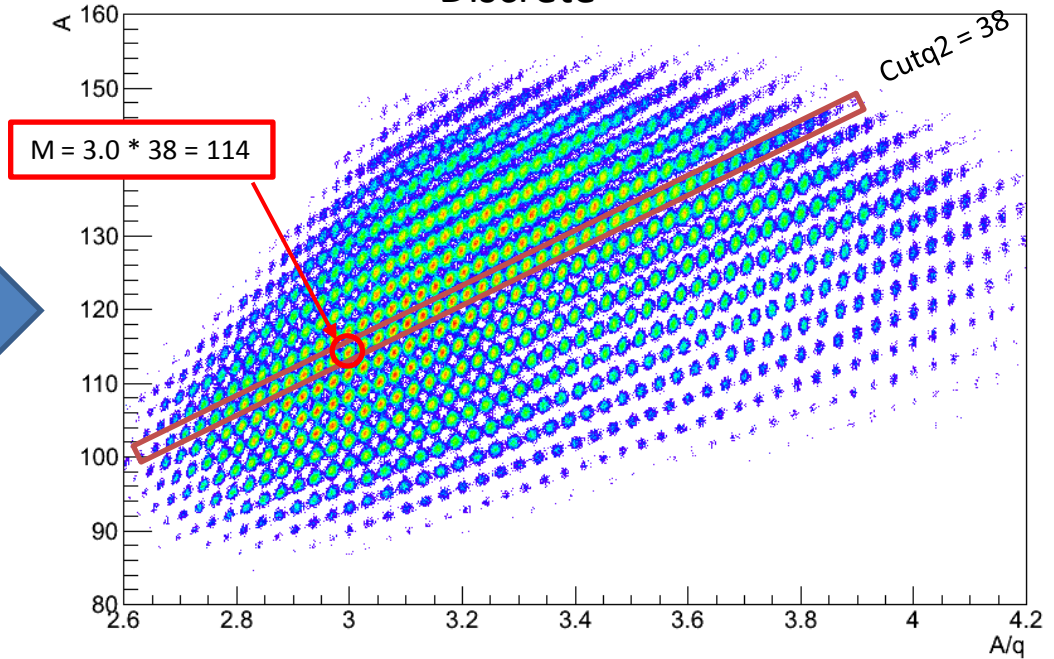
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Identify Q

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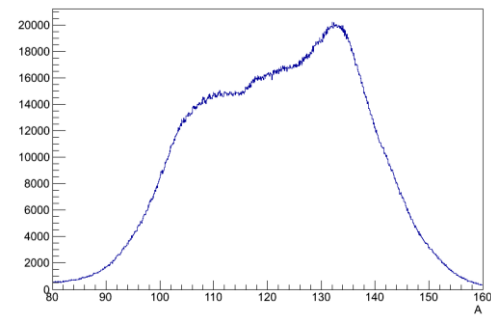
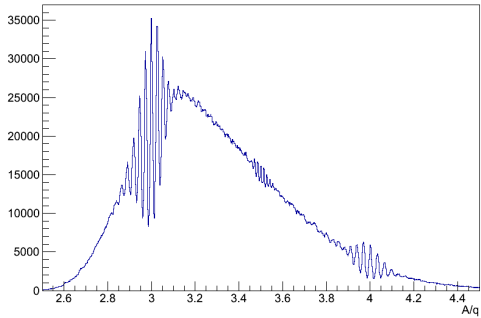


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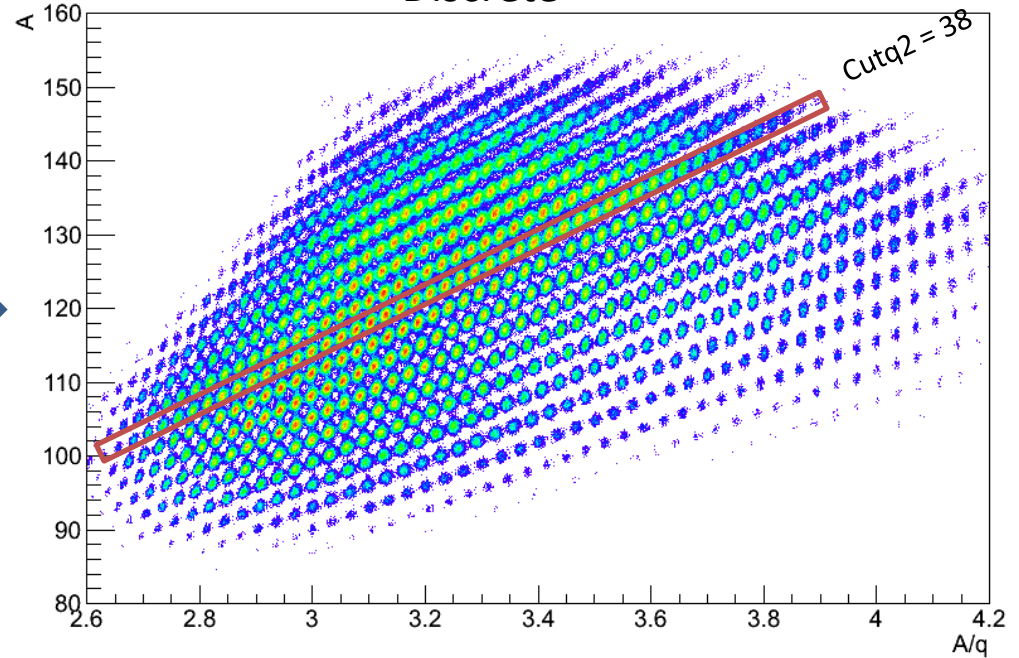
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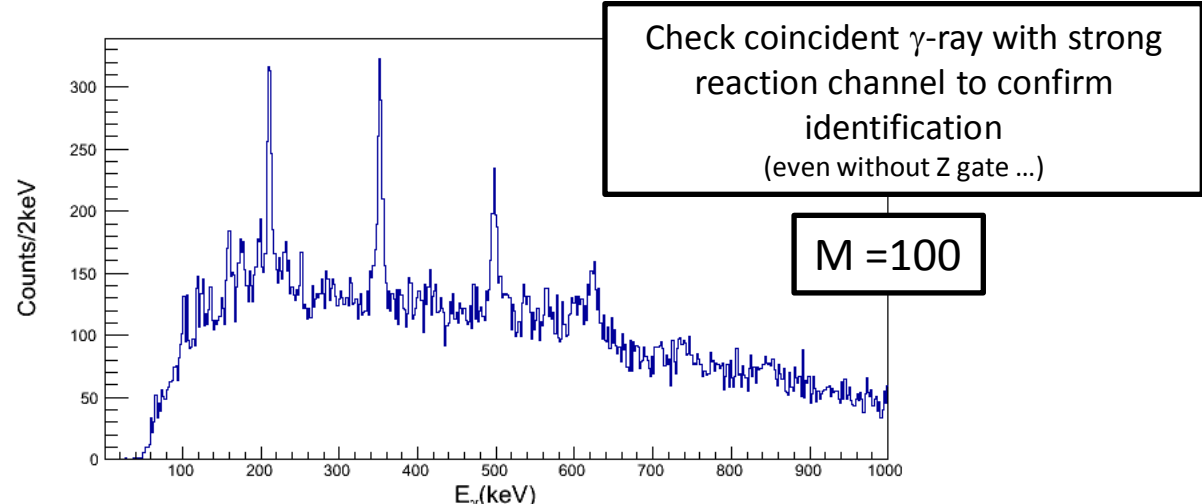


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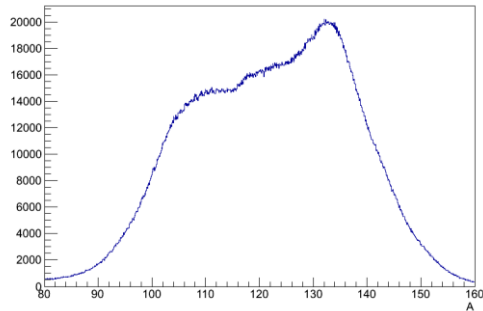
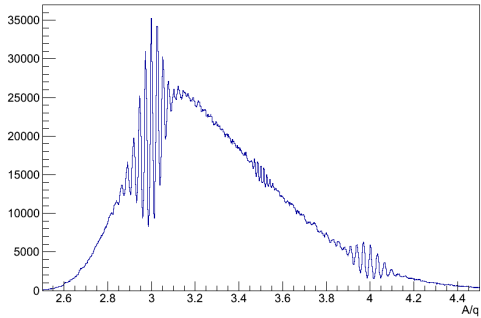
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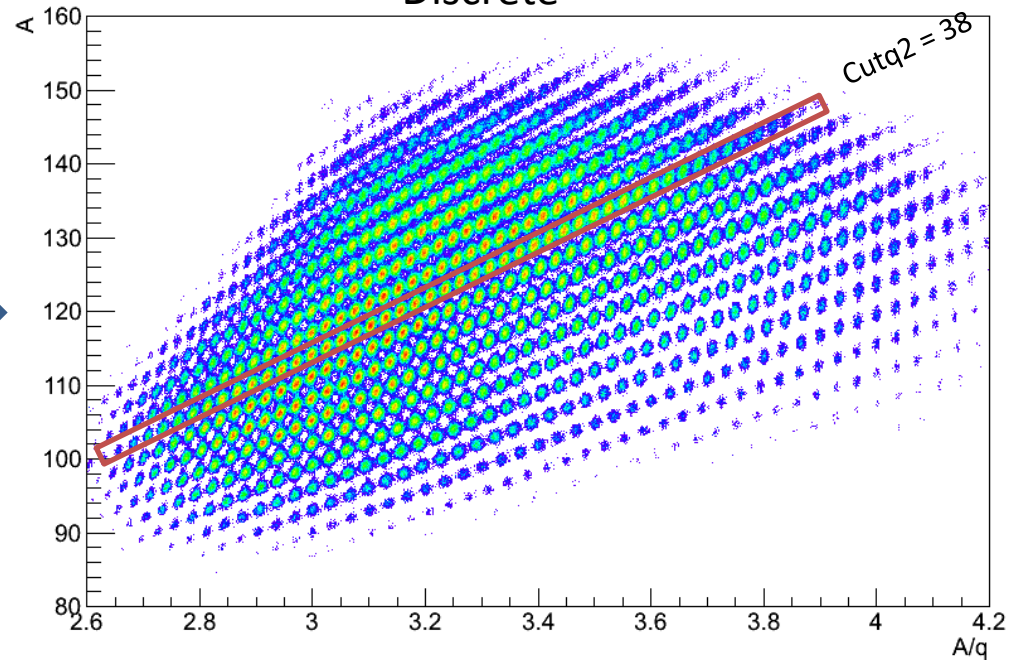


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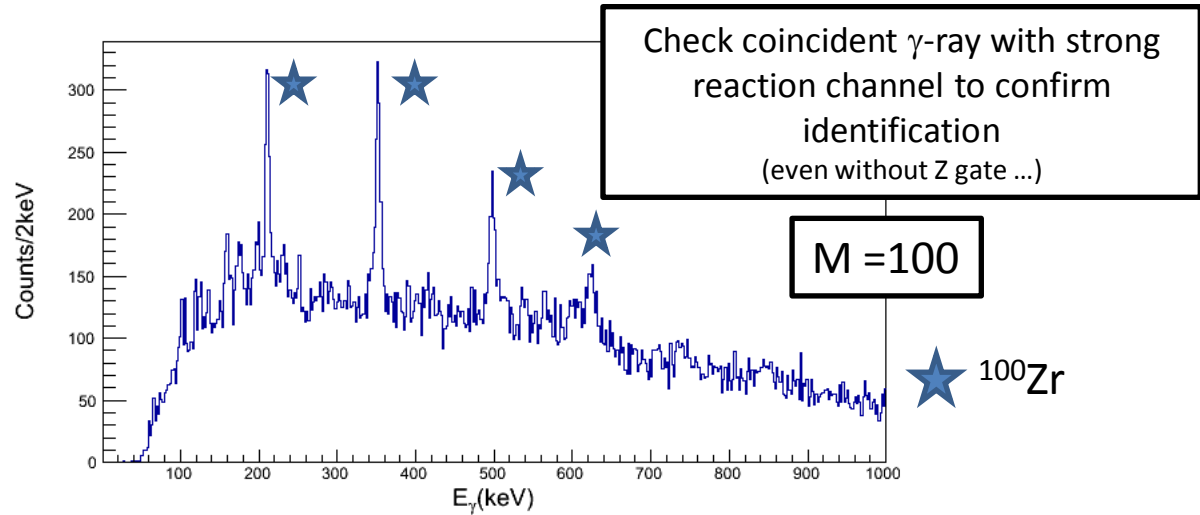


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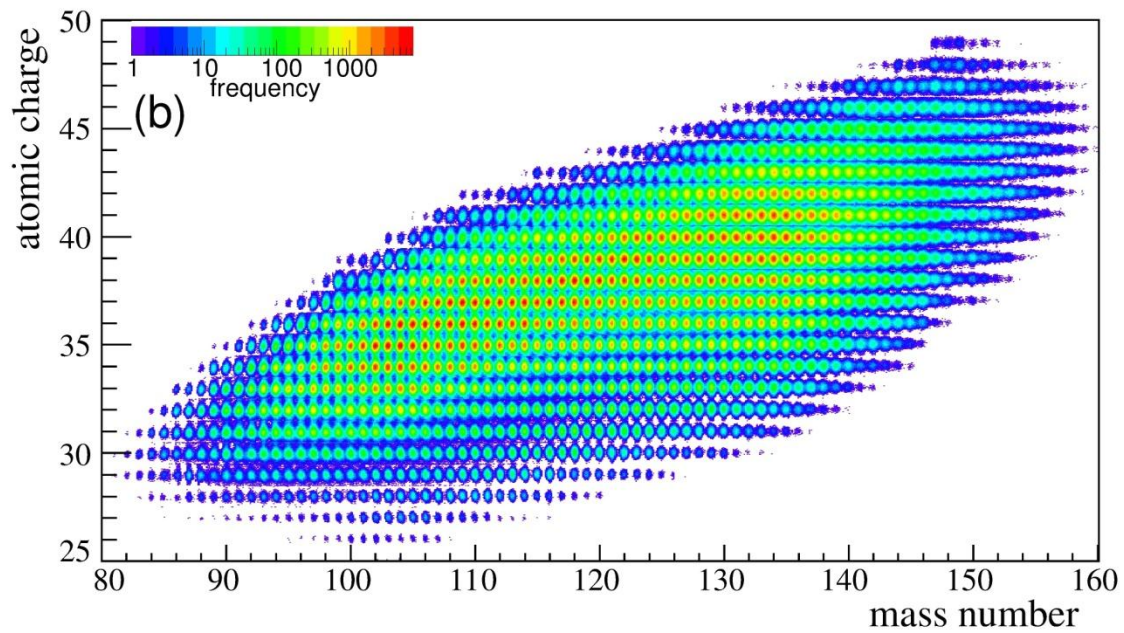
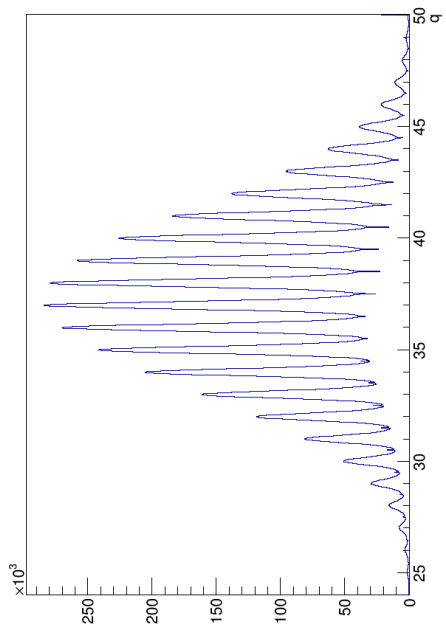
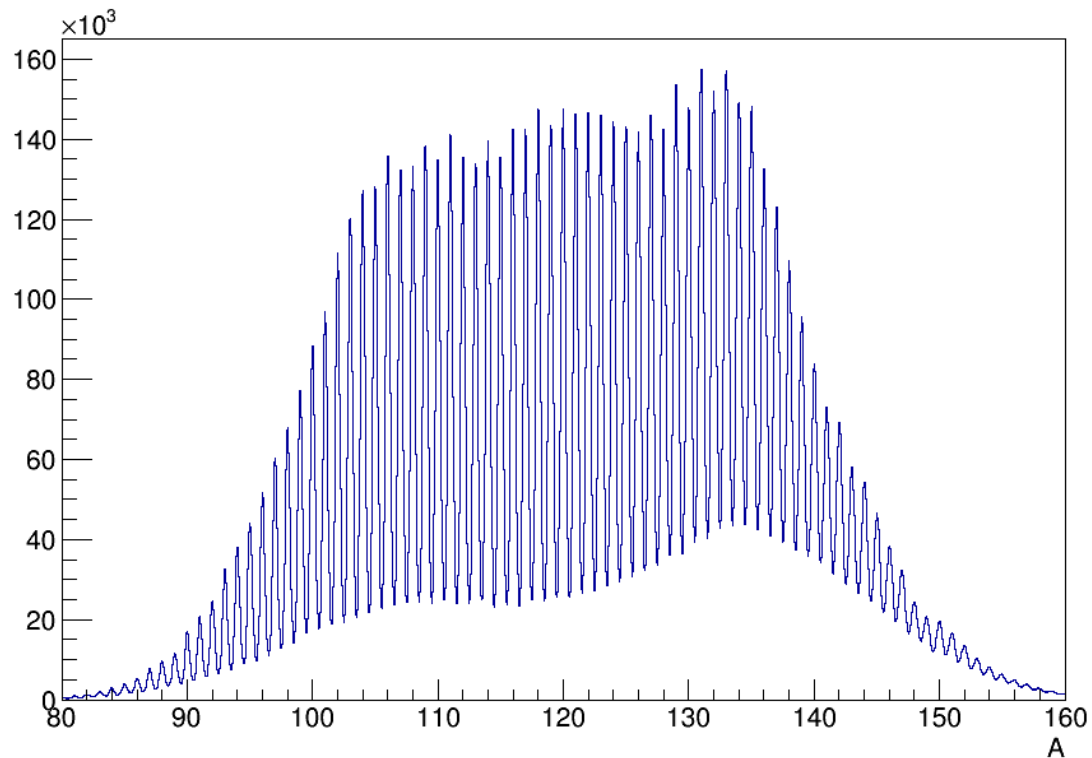
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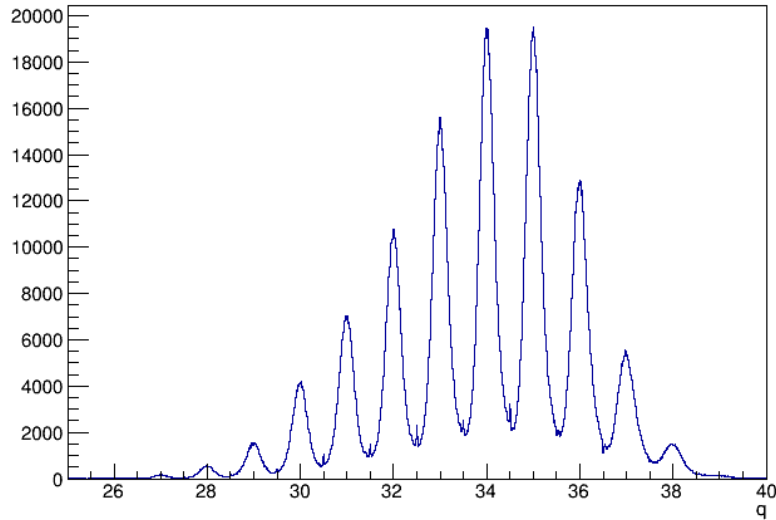
Voila !

Isotopic identification of fission fragment event by event

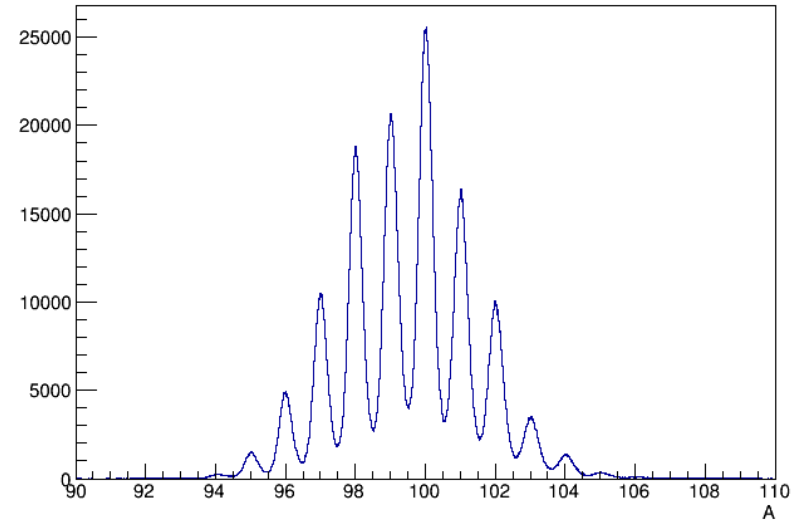


A and q Distributions

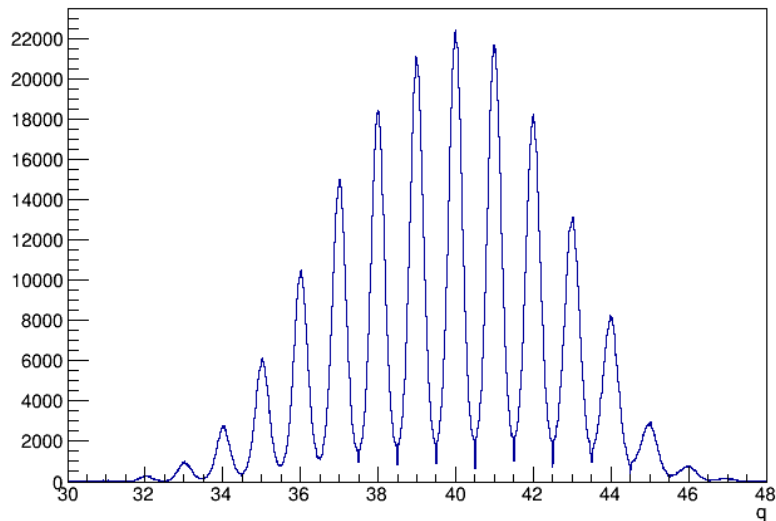
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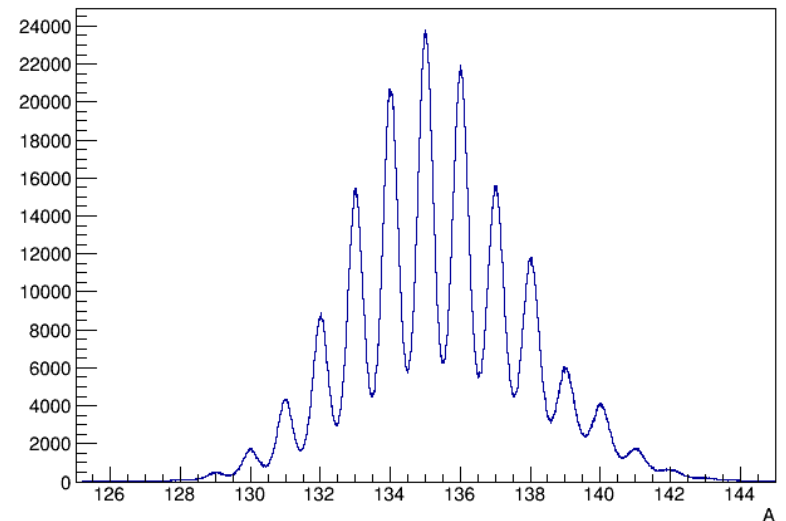
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Analysis Steps

- Reconstruction of trajectories at the focal plane
- Magnetic rigidity, Path and recoil angles
- Velocity
- E , dE , E_{total}
- Mass and Charge states
 - A, Z, Q
- Use recoil angle and velocity to make Doppler correction

Questions ?

PRACTICAL SESSION

Practical Session

You will identify q from the data set I have prepared

Reduced DataSet from previous experiment
 $^{238}\text{U}+\text{Be} \rightarrow \text{Fission (VAMOS + EXOGAM)}$

- simplified data set (one silicon detector, one Multiwire section)
- Representative of few hours of data after startup
- I have uncalibrated the data that it took much time and efforts to calibrate !!!!

- Step 0 : Open Data file – ROOT Tree
- Step 1 : Time Alignment
- Step 2 : q identification
- Step 3 : gamma spectra

Step 0 : Open Data File

- Root OpenTree.cpp

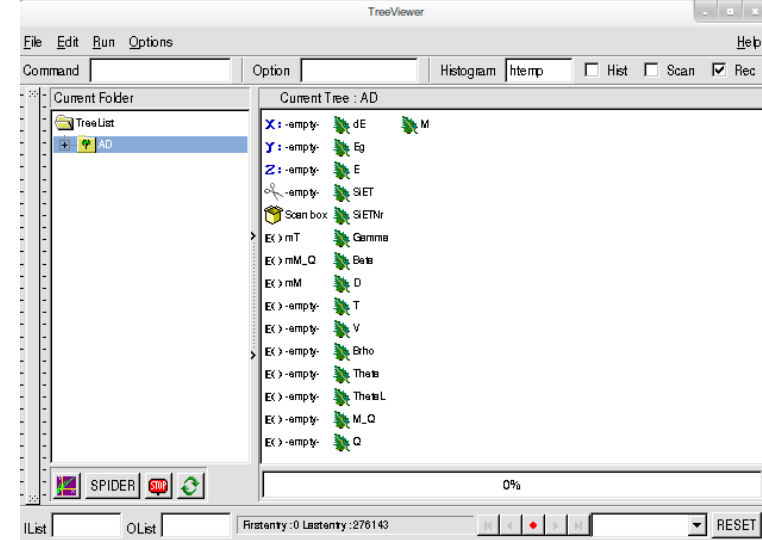
- In the command line

- `tree->Draw("VariableName>>(1000,1,1000)" , " condition" , "PlotOpt")`
- `tree->Draw("V1:V2>>(1000,1,1000 ,1000,1,1000)" , " condition" , "PlotOpt")`

- Set of alias variable :

- $mT = TOF$
- $mV = mT / D; mBeta = mV/c$
- $mM_Q = Brho / 3.105/mBeta/mGamma$
- $mM = 2 * (mE + mdE) / (mGamma-1.)$
- mE
- mdE
- $Eg =$ Vector of Doppler corrected Gamma Energies

- Change a variable : `tree->SetAlias("mT" , "TOF+10");`



Step 1 :

Do the time alignment to get back M_Q

- Plot M/Q spectra
 - tree->Draw("mM_Q>>(1000,2.5,5)")
- Change Time Calibration
 - tree->SetAlias("mT" ," TOF+5");
 - tree->Draw("mM_Q>>(1000,2.5,5)");

Find the Offset ?

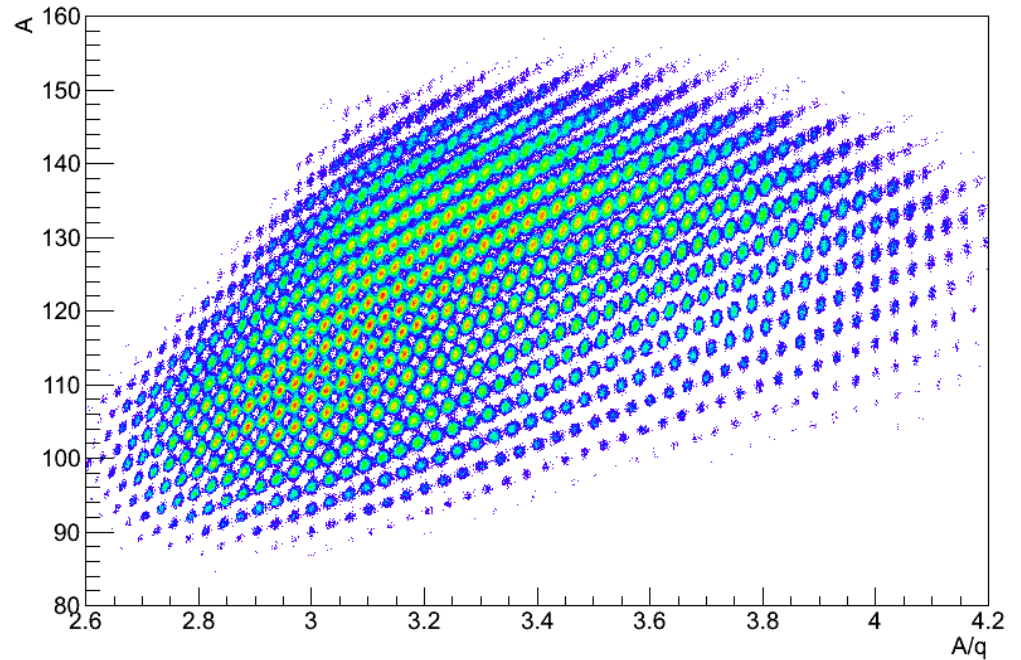
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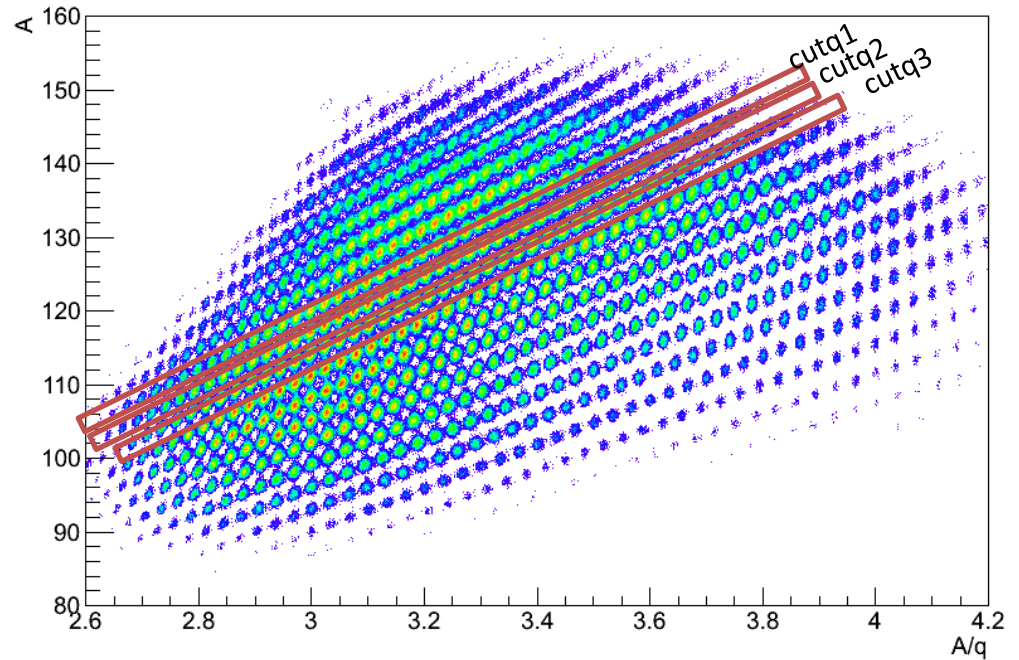
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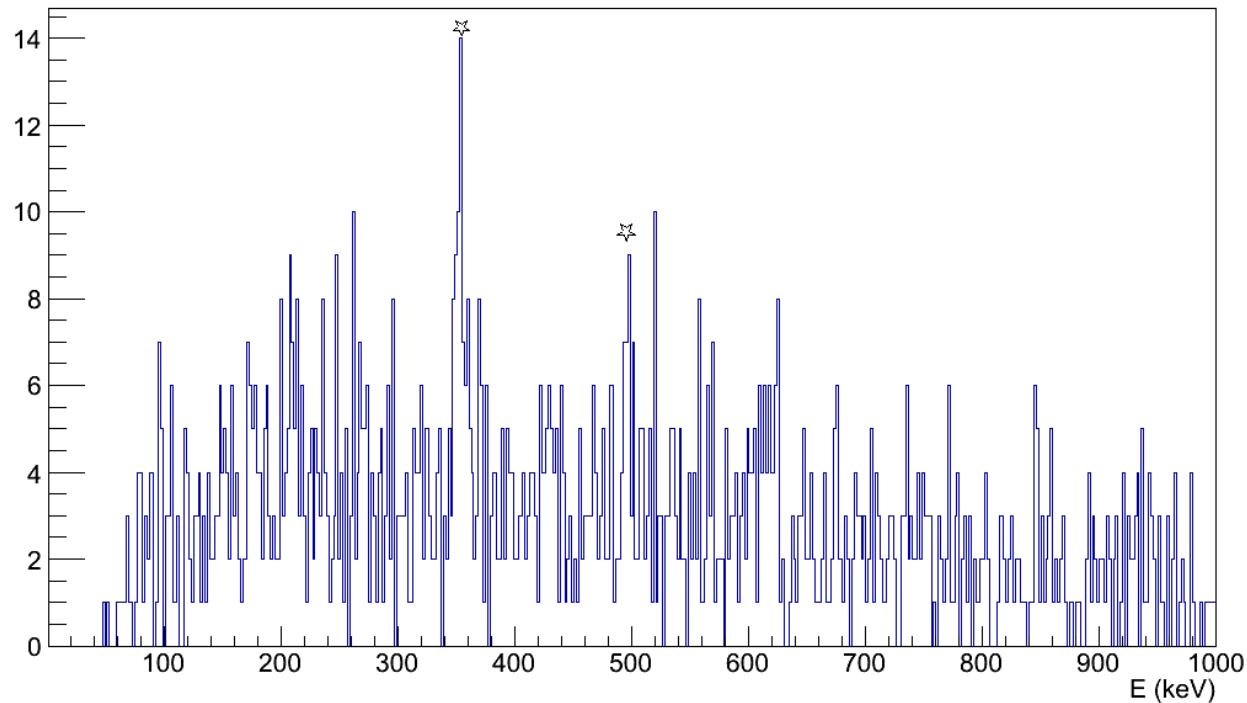
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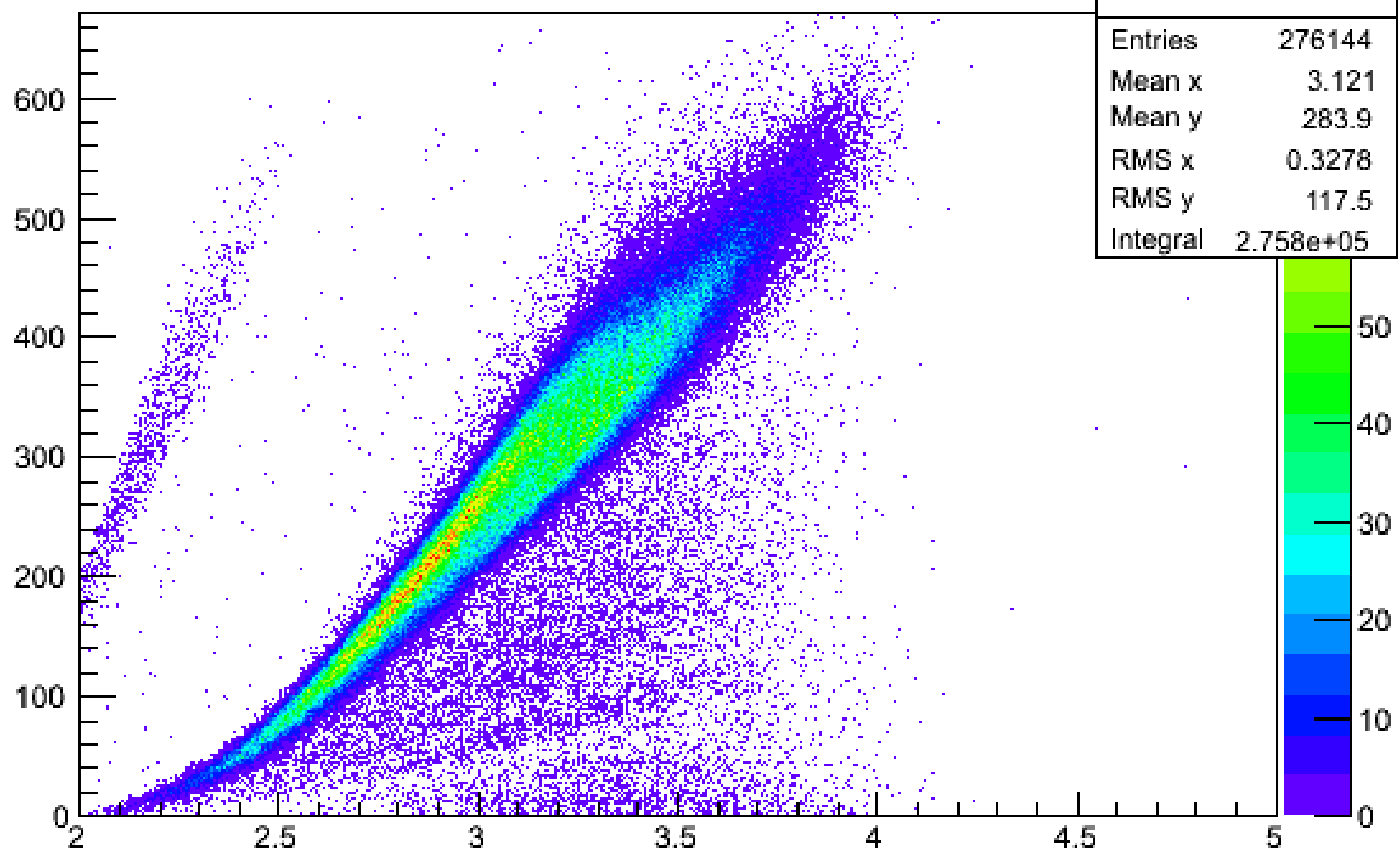
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tree->Draw("Eg>>Eg(1000,80,180)","(abs(mM_Q*q1-100)<0.3&&cutq1)||  
      (abs(mM_Q*q2-100)<0.3&&cutq2)||  
      (abs(mM_Q*q3-100)<0.3&&cutq3)"))
```

- ^{100}Zr strongly populated :
 - $E_g = 212.9\text{keV}, 351.9\text{keV}, 497.4\text{keV},$

`Eg {(cutq2&&abs(mM_Q*36-100)<0.3)}|(cutq1&&abs(mM_Q*35-100)<0.3)}|(cutq0&&abs(mM_Q*34-100)<0.3)}`



SiET:V



Before the experiment

- Kinematics Simulations / Acceptance
 - Beam (charge states), Inelastic
 - Residues, Fission, DIC
 - Time of flight ?
- Energy losses
 - Optimize Energy losses for Z identification
 - Pressures
 - Windows
- Specific Trigger ? (standard ion-gamma)

Just before the experiment

- DC Calibrations
 - Electronics Gain matching
 - Thresholds
- MW position Calibrations
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- IC Calibration
 - Electronics Gain matching
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- TAC Calibrations

During the experiment

- IC Resolution (! 20 Pads)
- Time MW alignment => M/q resolution (! 20 sections)

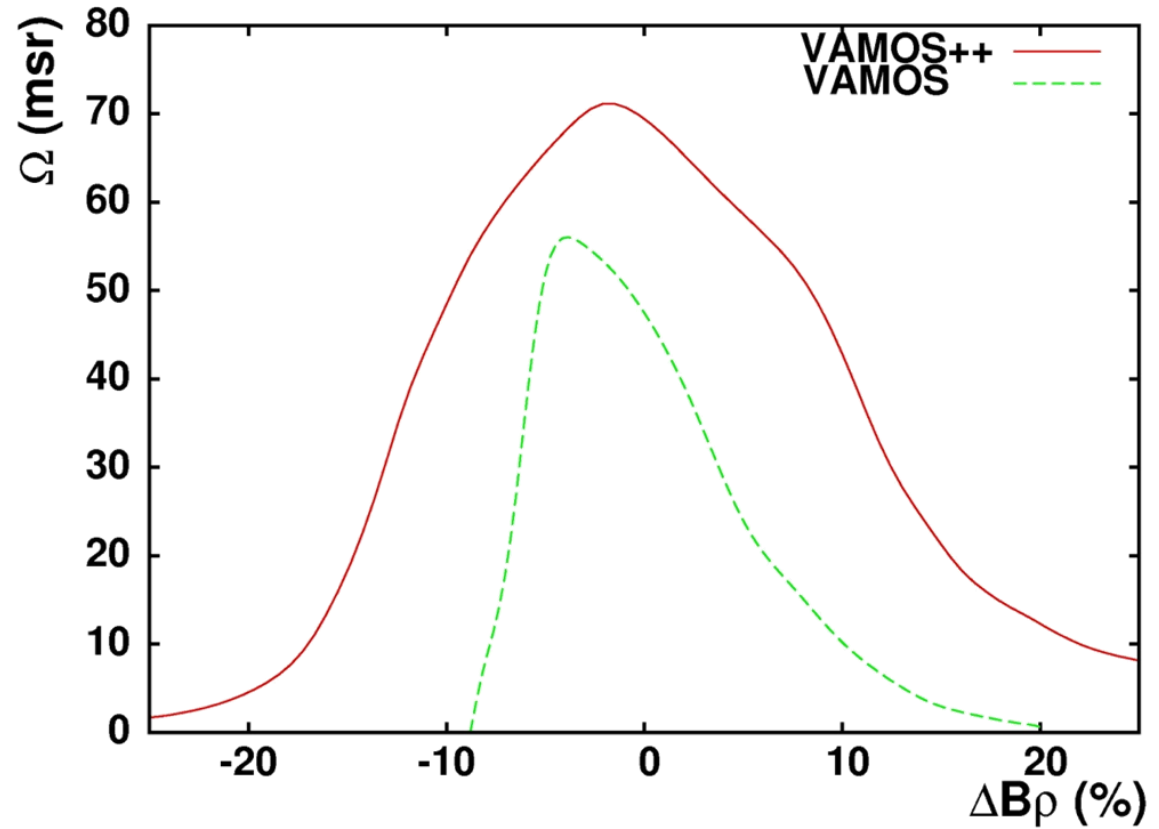
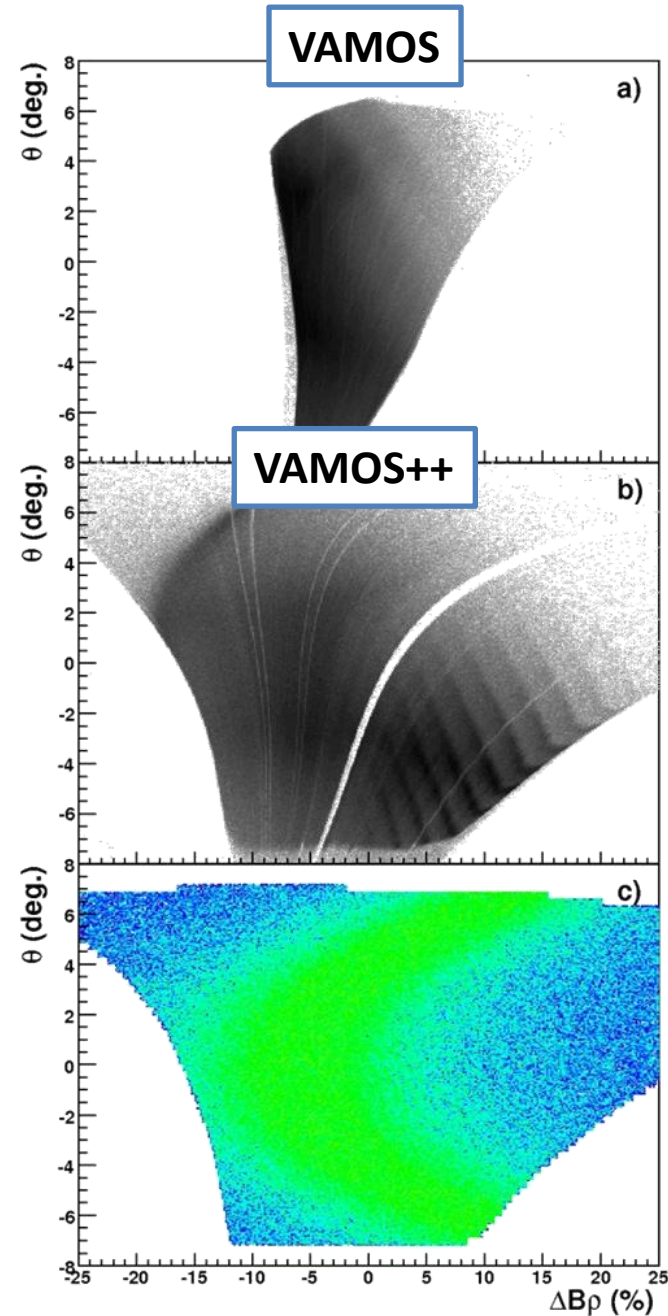
=> Reference Positions in DC

– X

– Y

=> IC Calibrations

Acceptance



Effective solid angle depends on the magnetic rigidity of incoming ion

M. Rejmund et al,
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