

# DoPET: summary of the CNAO data taking (may 2014)

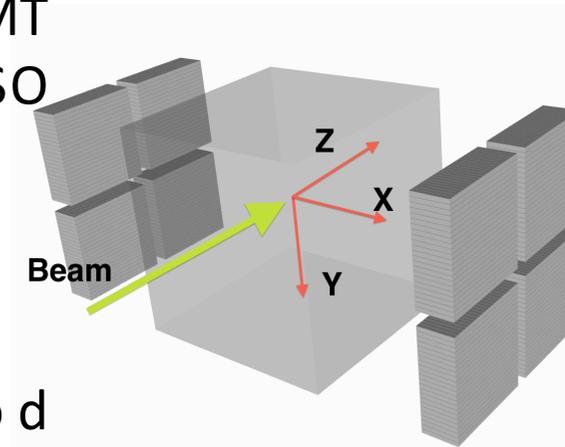
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# Outline

- DoPET hw upgrade
- Results obtained at CNAO
  - Default phantom vs modified phantom
  - FLUKA vs experimental data
  - Preliminary results on Carbon
- Conclusion & Discussion

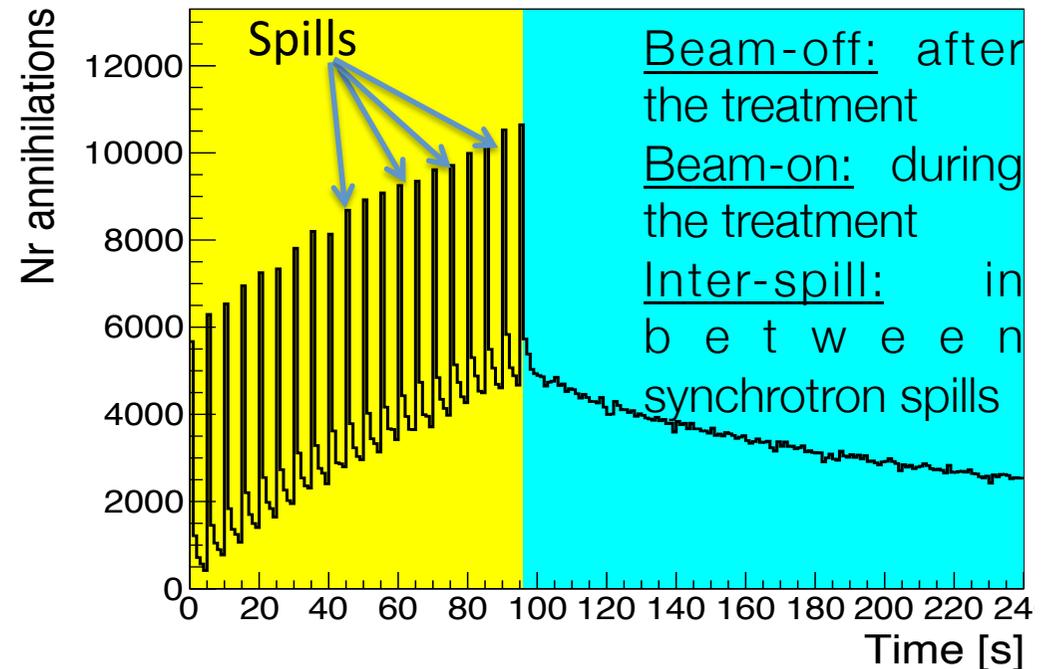
# DoPET 4 vs 4

- 8 modules (4 vs 4)
- Each module is a H8500 PMT coupled to a 23x23 LYSO matrix
- Module size  $\sim 10 \times 10$  cm
- Head distance 20 cm
- Maximum Likelihood Estimation Maximization (MLEM) image reconstruction based on ITK
- Field of view  $100 \times 100 \times 100$  mm<sup>3</sup>
- Image voxel physical dimension 1mm<sup>3</sup>
- Normalization correction (Planar source  $110 \times 110 \times 3$  mm<sup>3</sup>)

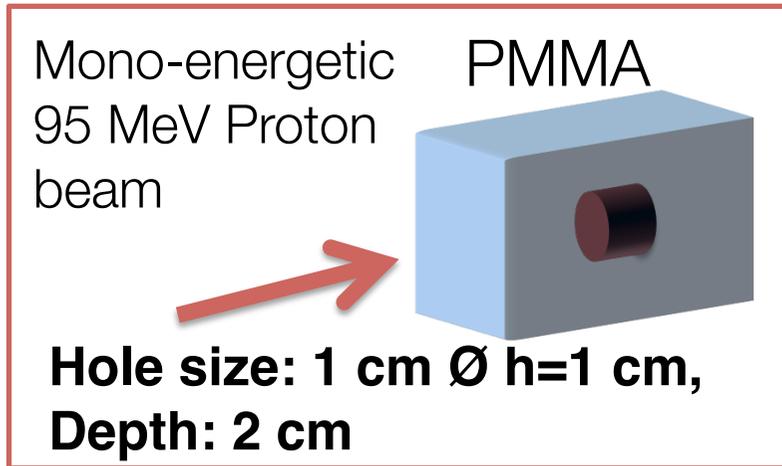


- Spill duration: 1s
- Pause between spills: 4s

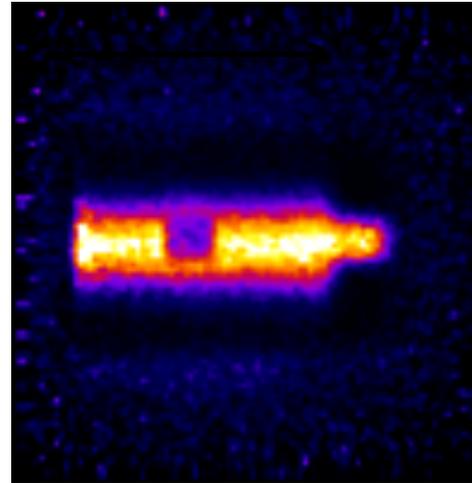
Time vs Annihilations



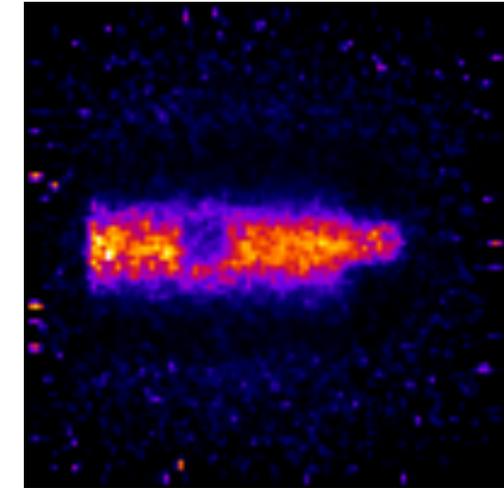
# 95 MeV protons: cavity vs no cavity



Beam-OFF



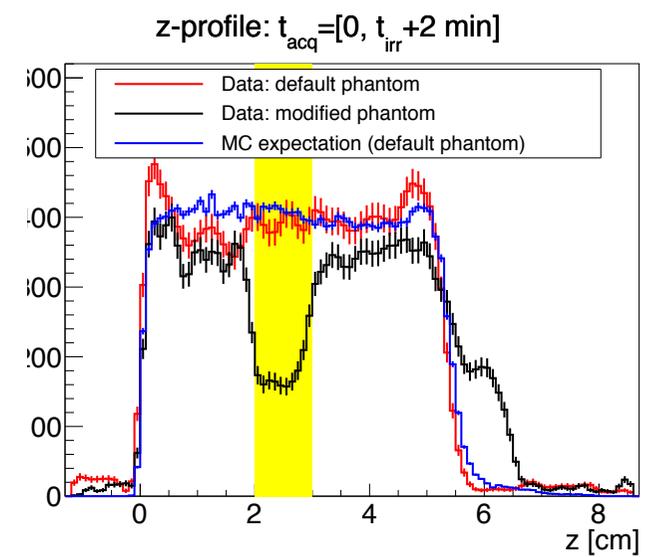
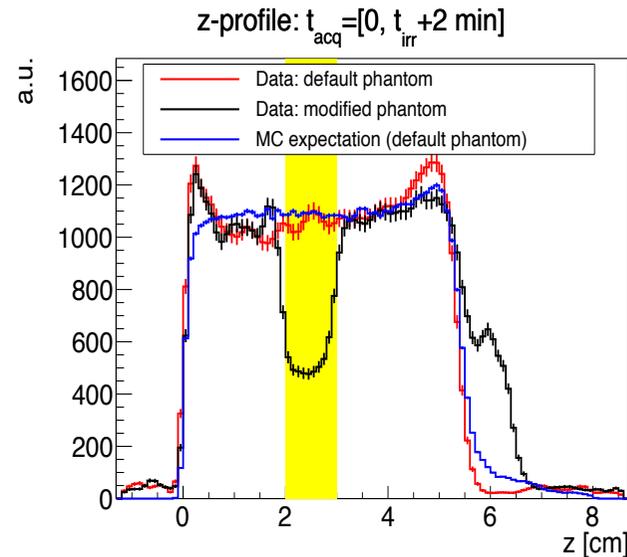
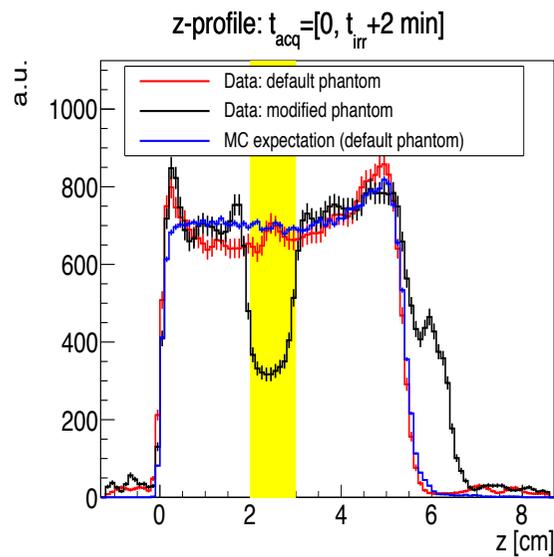
Inter-spill



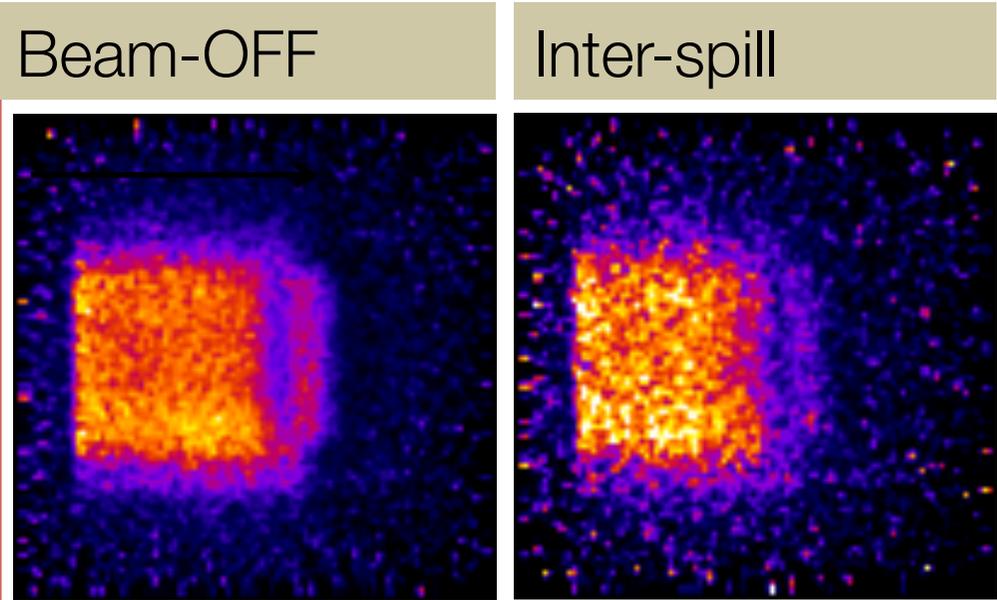
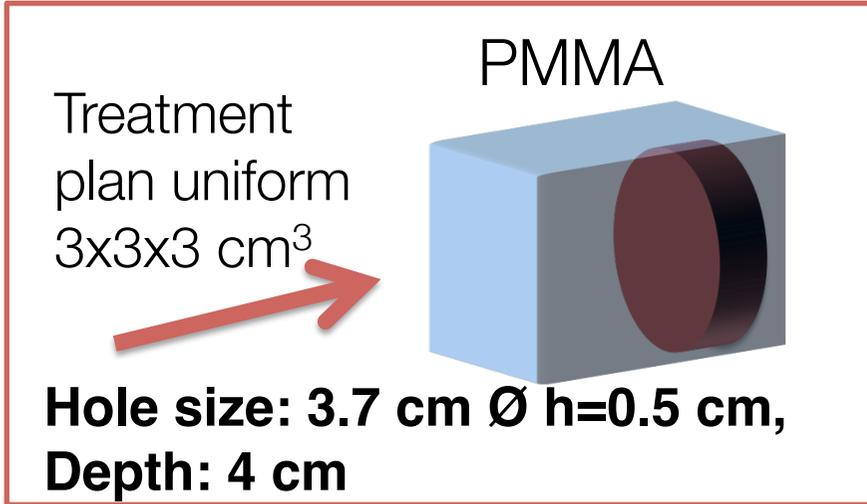
2 min beam-off

Inter-spill +2 min beam-off

Inter-spill



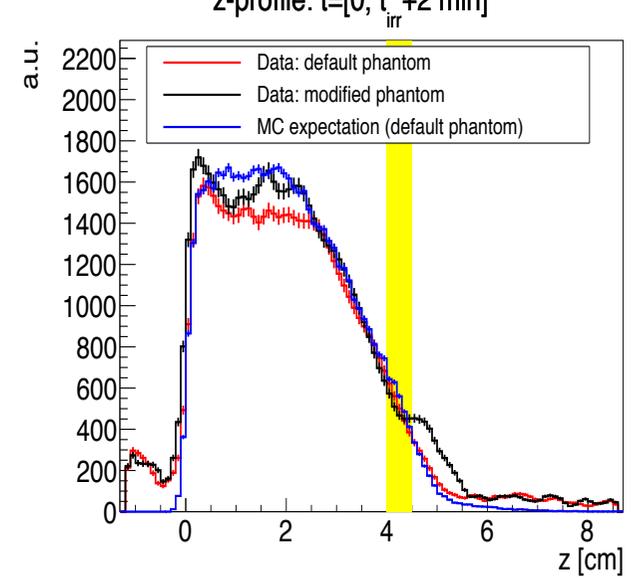
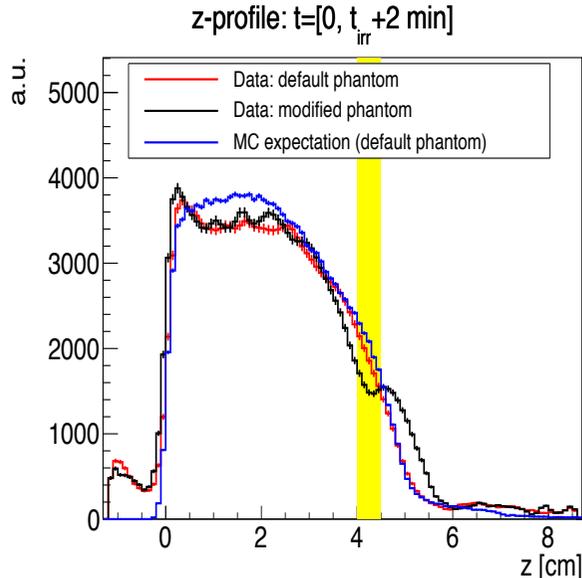
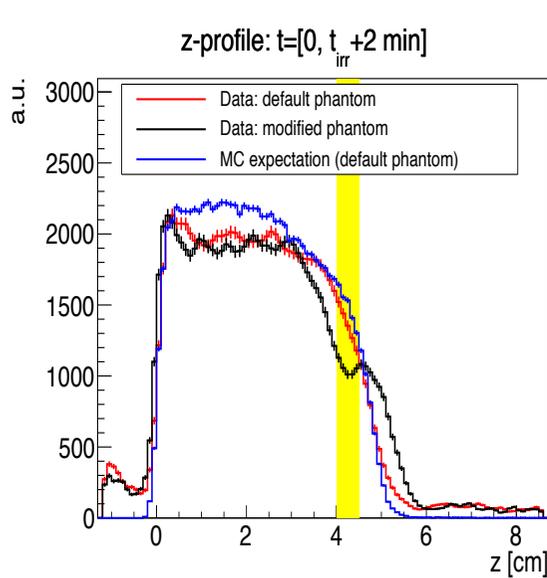
# 2 Gy treatment plan: cavity vs no cavity



2 min beam-off

Inter-spill +2 min beam-off

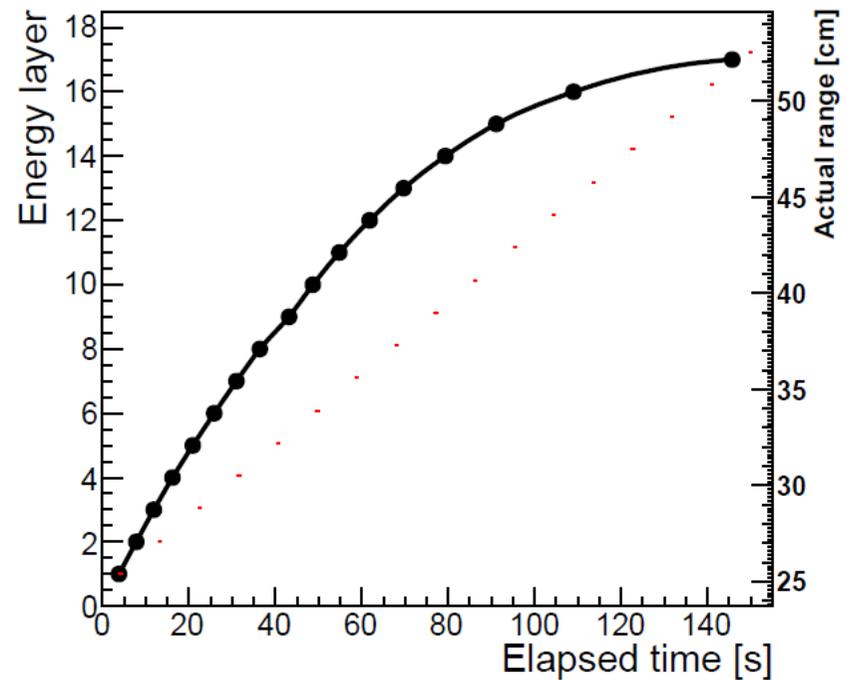
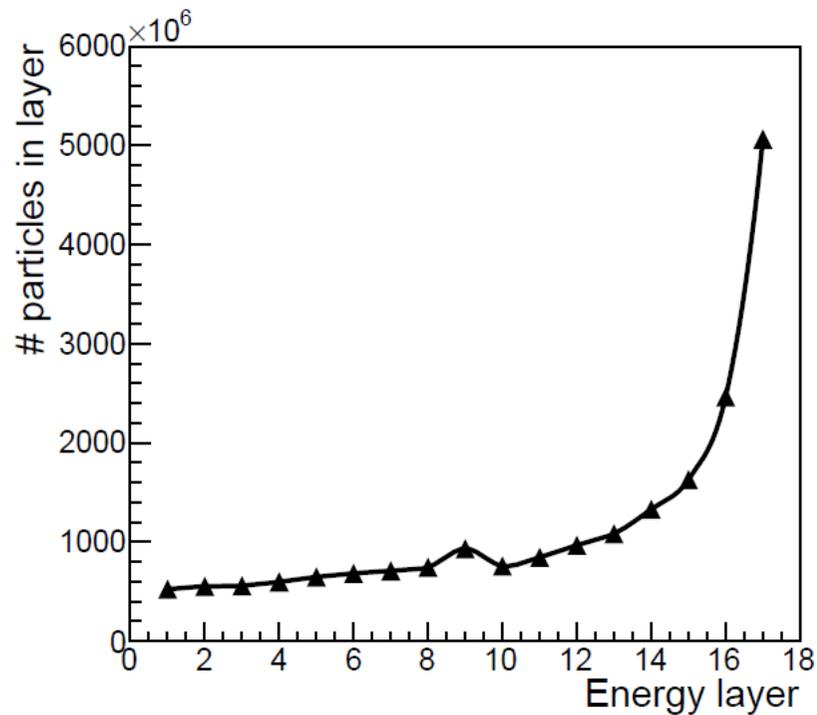
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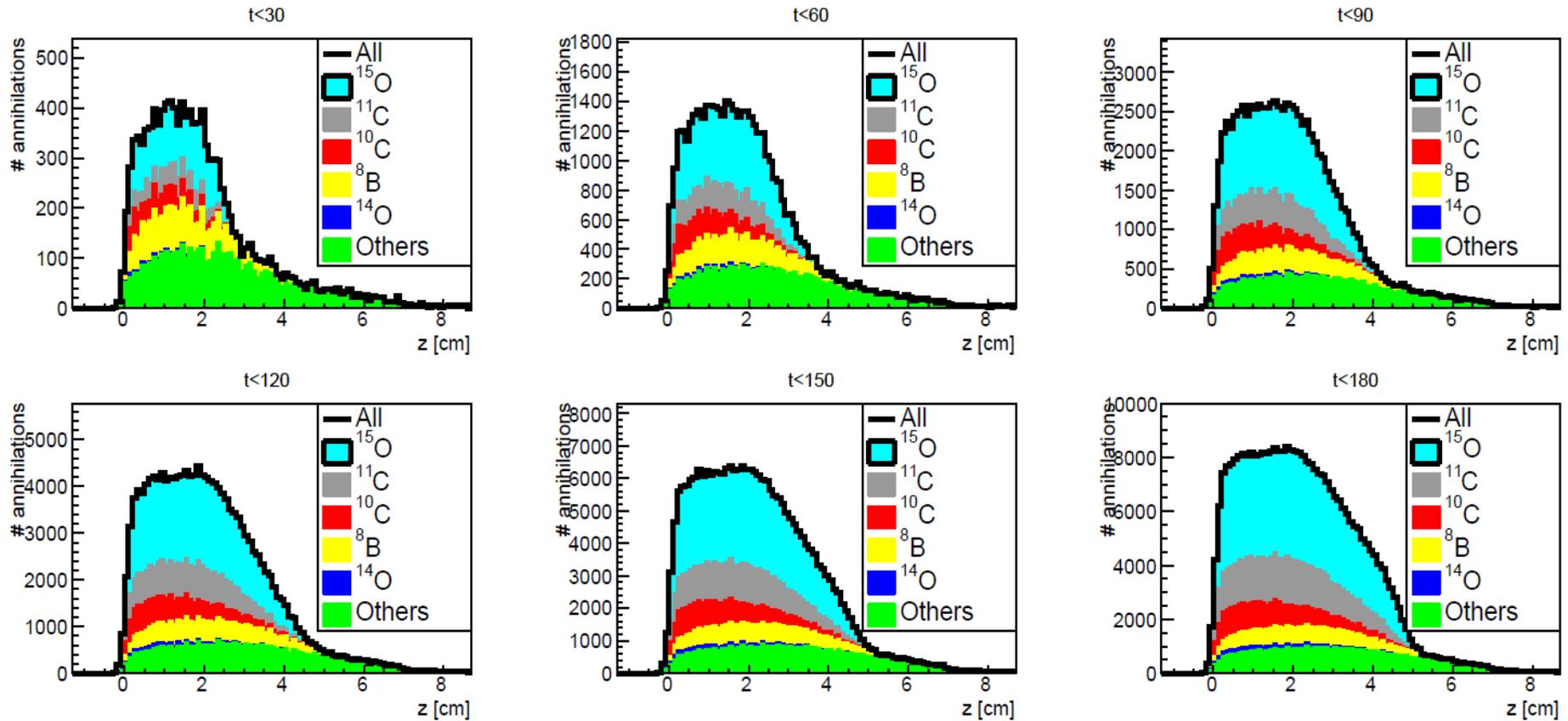
Treatment plan time behavior:  
FLUKA vs experimental data

## 2 Gy Protons plan on PMMA specifics:

- Delivery time 146 s
- 17 layers
- Uniform dose in 3 x 3 x 3 cm<sup>3</sup>

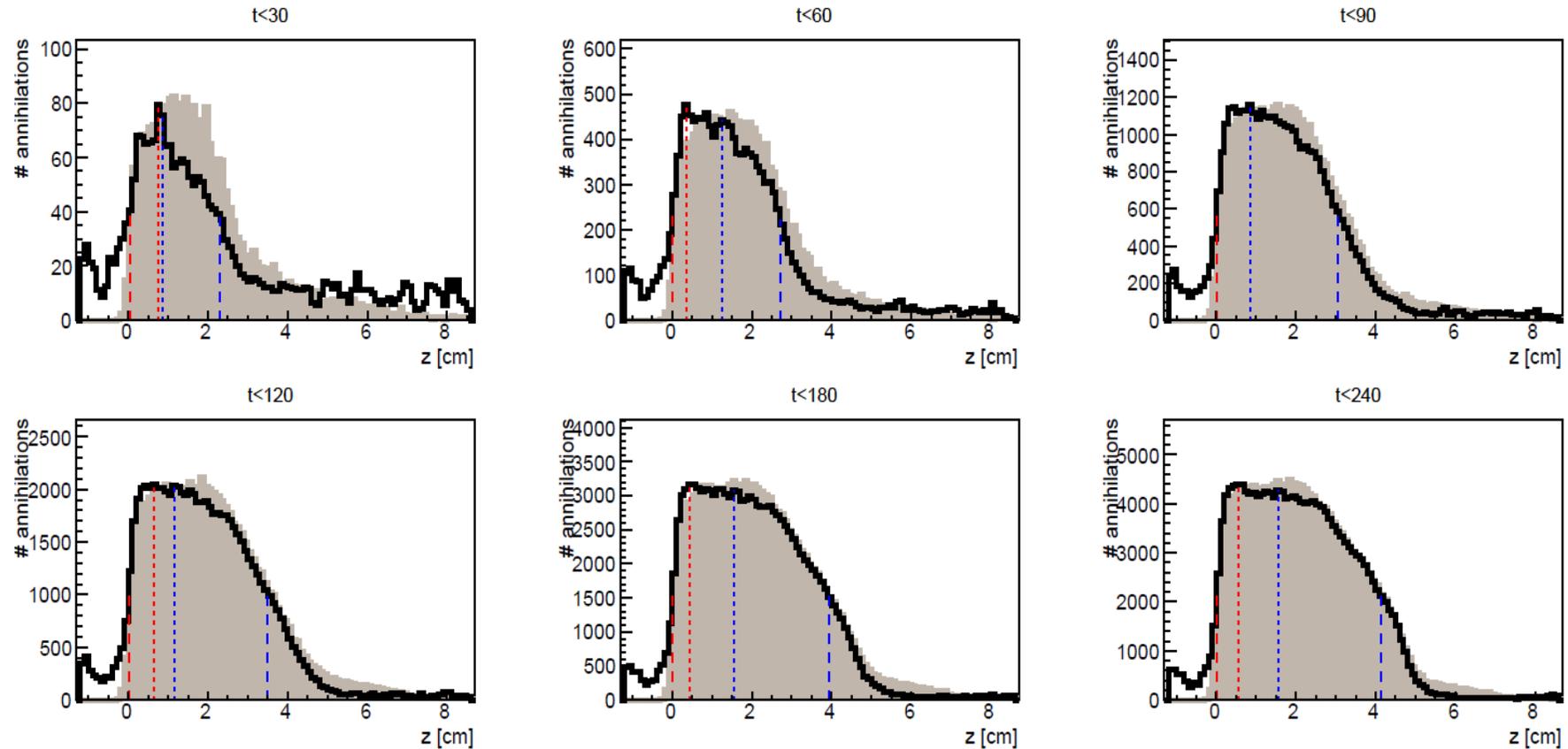


# FLUKA 1-D activity profiles and contribution



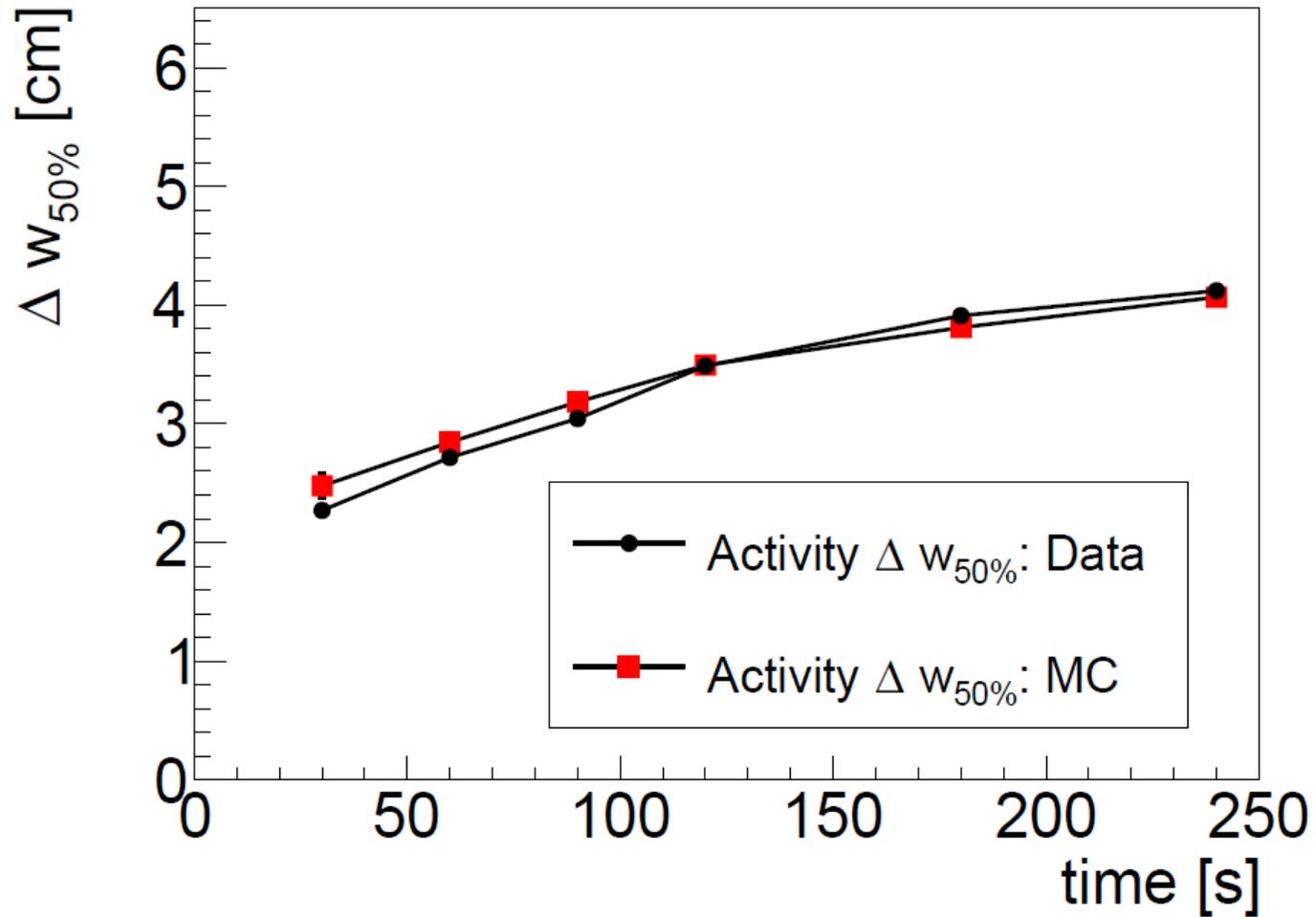
2 Gy plan on homogeneous PMMA  
2 Gy plan delivered in 146 s  
17 Layers

## 2 Gy plan on homogeneous PMMA

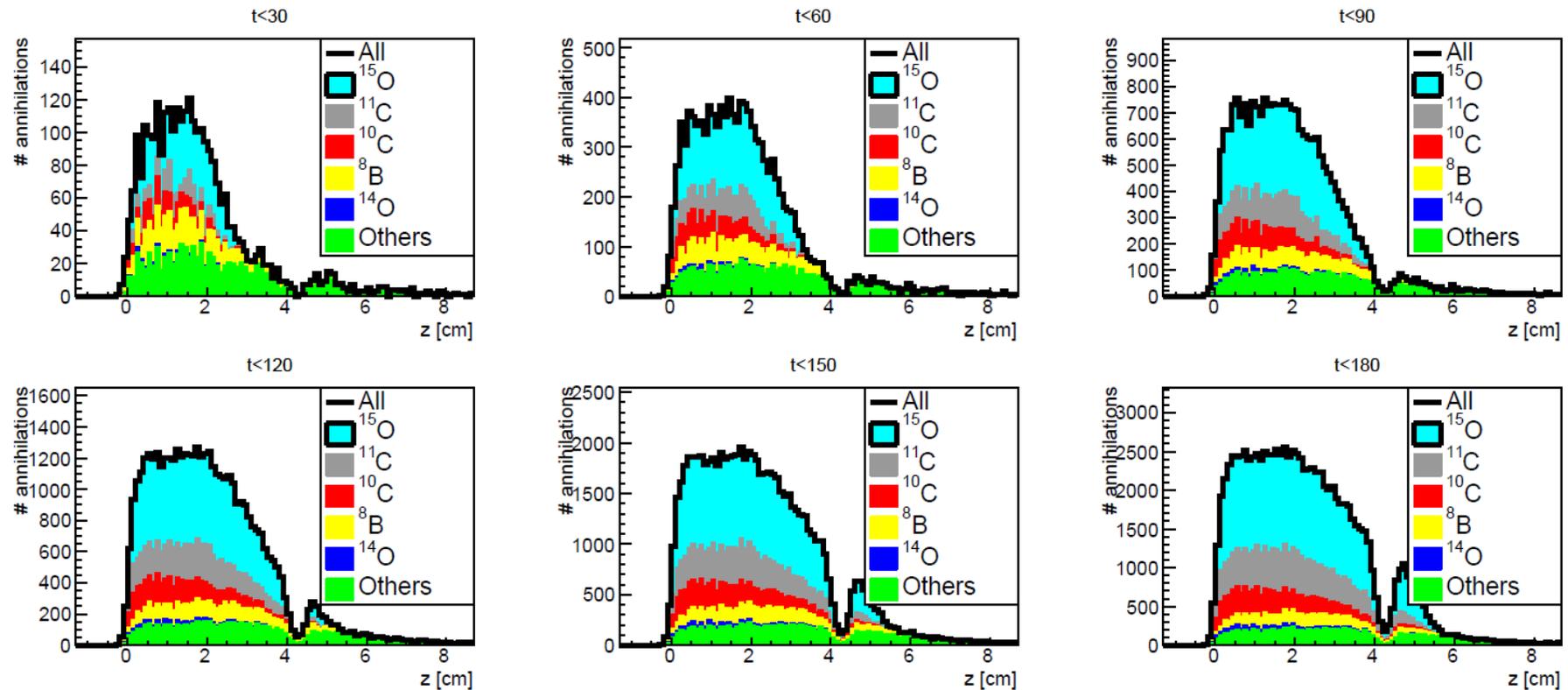
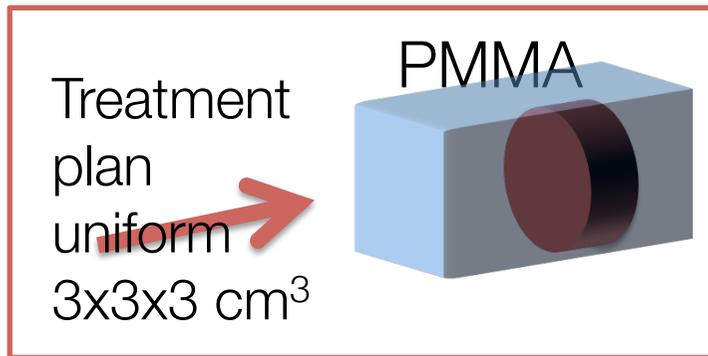


**Experimental data: 1-D activity profiles black line**  
**FLUKA 1-D activity profiles light brown area**

## Activity width MC vs Data

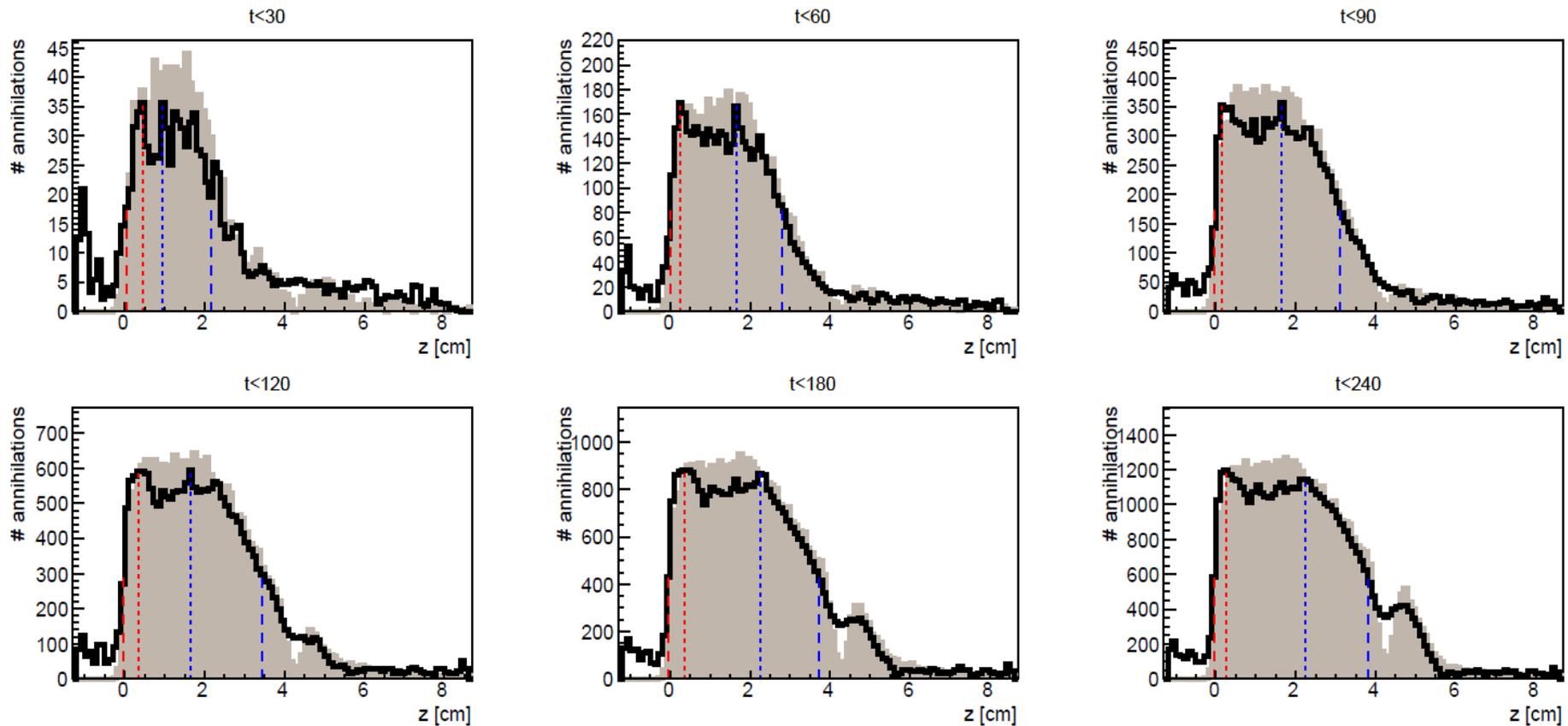


# FLUKA 1-D activity profiles and isotopes contribution



2 Gy plan on PMMA with a cavity, delivered in  $\Delta t = 146 \text{ s}$

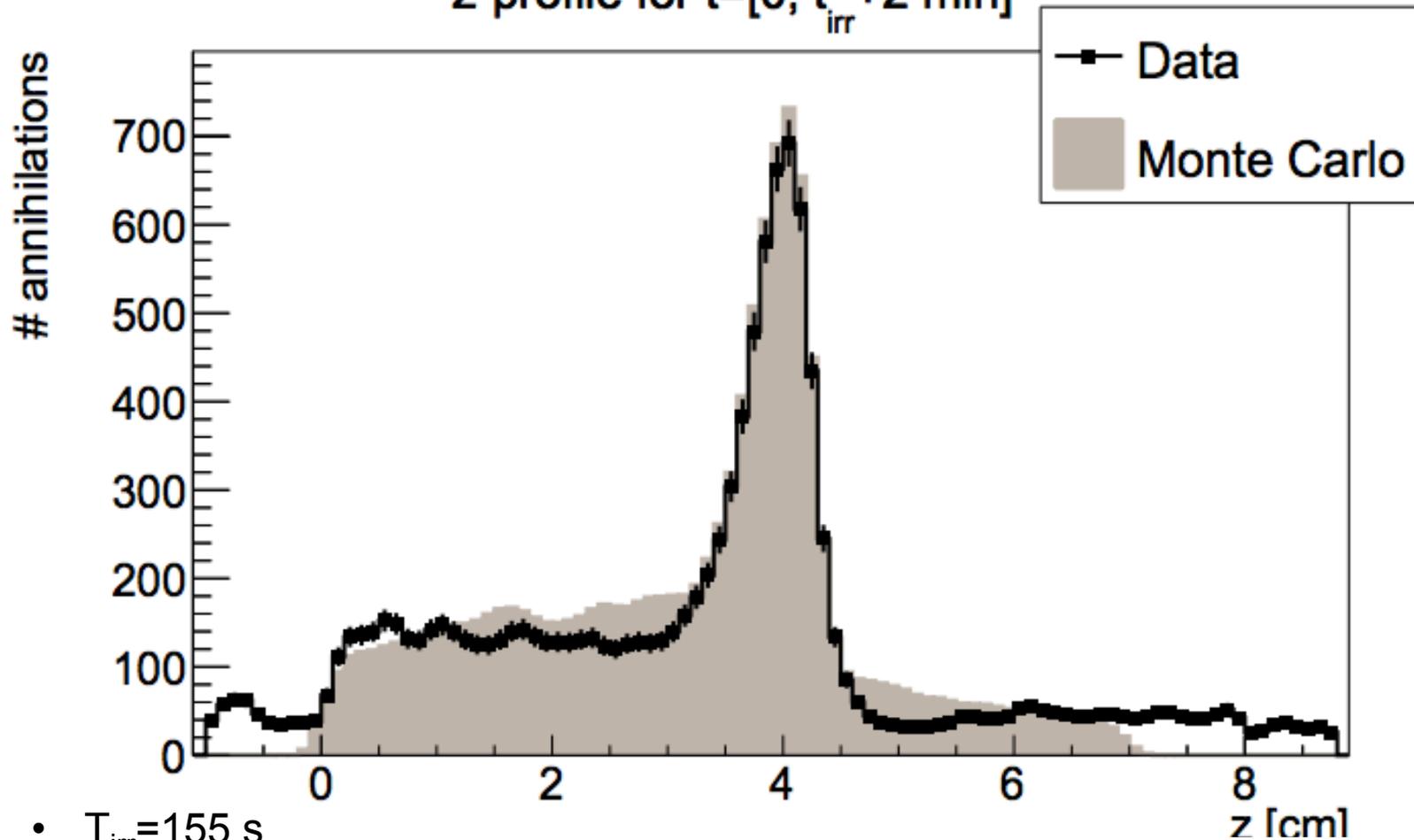
## 2 Gy plan on PMMA with a cavity



**Experimental data: 1-D activity profiles black line, FLUKA 1-D activity profiles light brown area. Cavity is located between 4 and 4.5 and is fully irradiated after 70s**

# Carbon beam data 178.28 MeV/u on carbon target

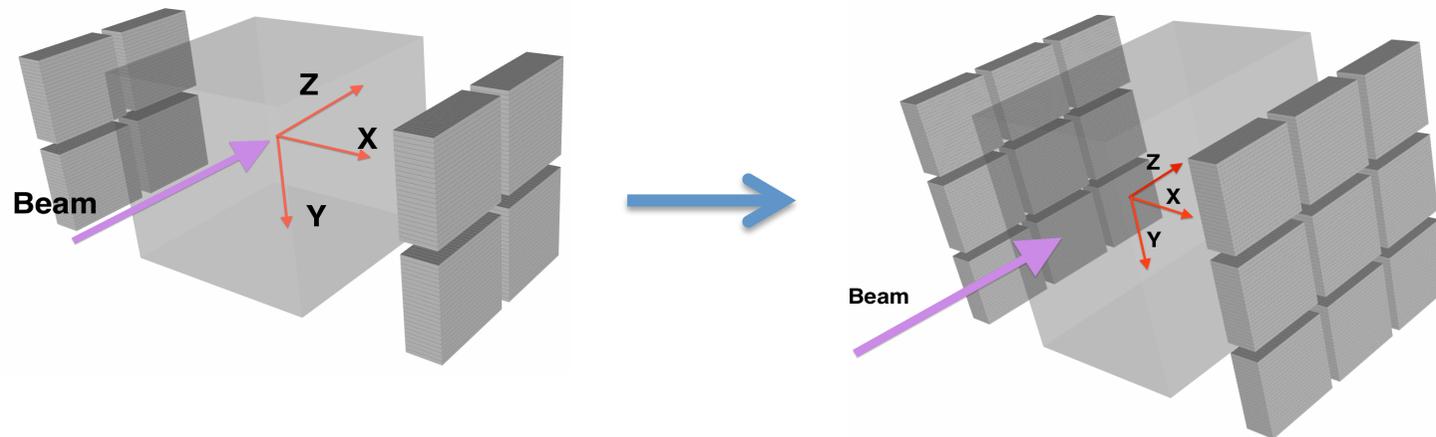
z-profile for  $t=[0, t_{\text{irr}}+2 \text{ min}]$



- $T_{\text{irr}}=155 \text{ s}$
- 32 spills

# Conclusions

- Good results experimental proton beam data vs FLUKA MC
- Promising results Carbon beam on Carbon target vs FLUKA MC
- Upgrade to 9vs9 in progress



Work in progress...