



Status of the FARCOS project

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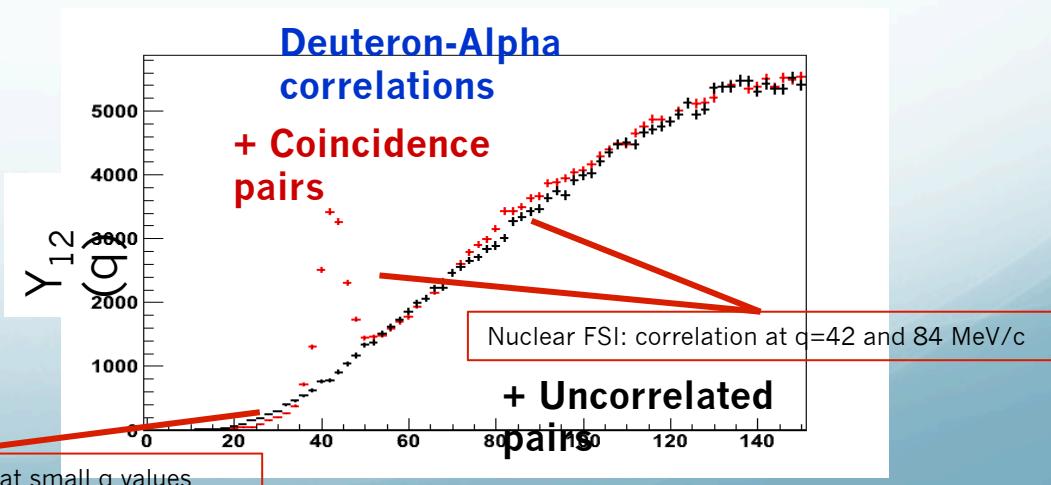
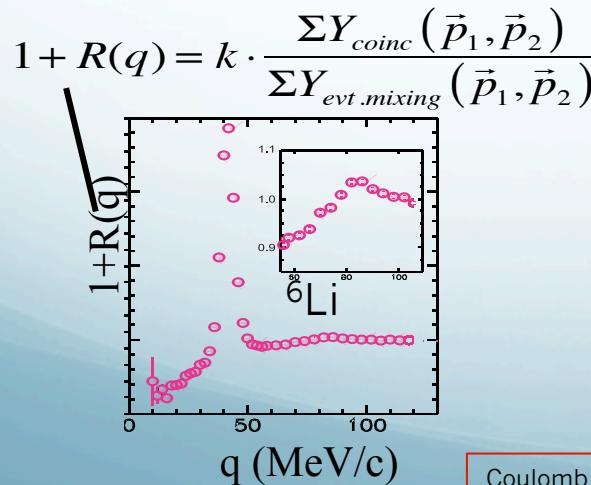
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Outlines

- Introduction of the Physic cases
- The FARCOM Project status
- First test and characterization
 - Alpha source
 - Beam in INKIISSY experiment
- First test with beam of GET electronic
- Future perspectives

Physics Case

- Nuclear Dynamics Light particle correlations (p-p) –HBT (Intensity interferometry)
 - Space-Time characterization of emitting source
 - distinction of the different stages of the reaction (from pre-equilibrium to secondary decays)
 - Study of ASY-EOS
 - Effective in medium n-n interactions σ
 - RIBs

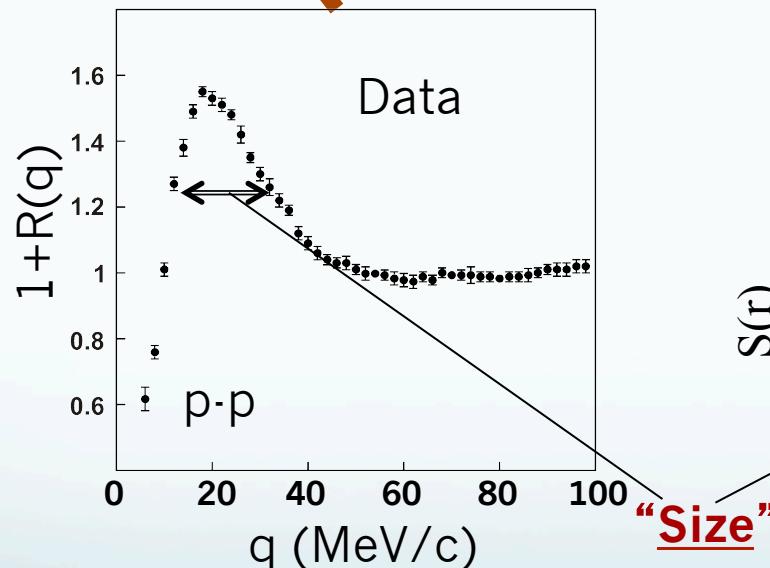


Theoretical correlation functions

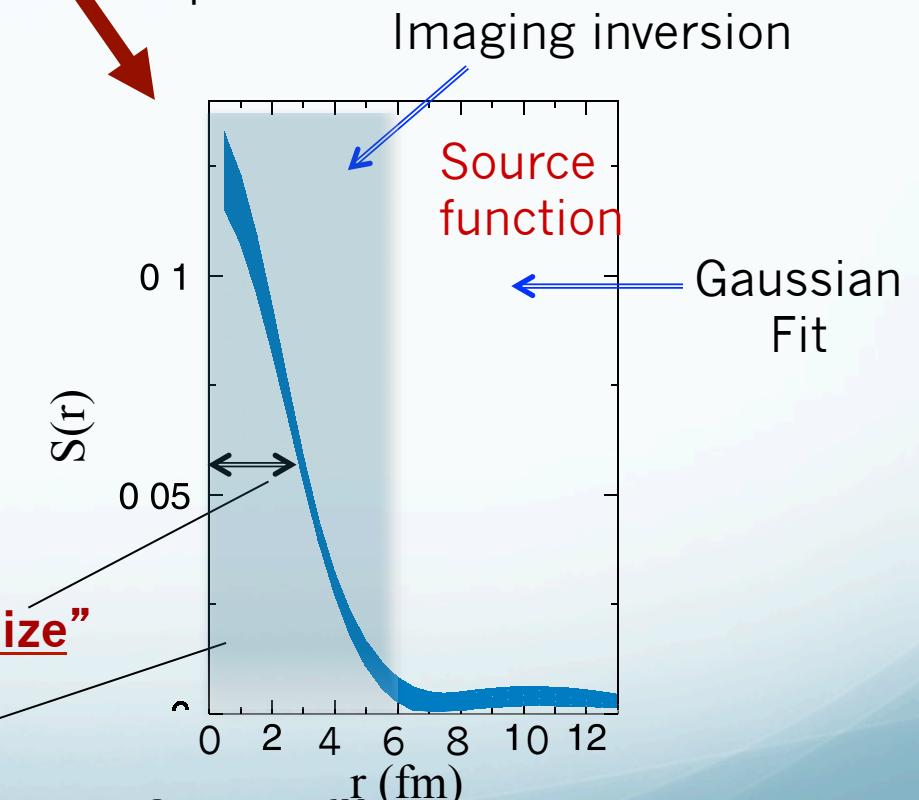
$$R(q) = \int d\vec{r} \cdot S(r) \cdot K(\vec{r}, \vec{q})$$

Input

Output



Integral of $S(r)$ $\lambda_{\text{fast}} =$ fraction of proton pairs from early dynamical emissions (NN collisions and EoS effects)



$S(r)$ profile: probing transport models: AsyEoS and effective in medium n-n interactions σ

P. Danielewicz
D.A. Brown
G. Verde et al.,
PRC65, 069604
(2002)

Imaging inversion

Source
function

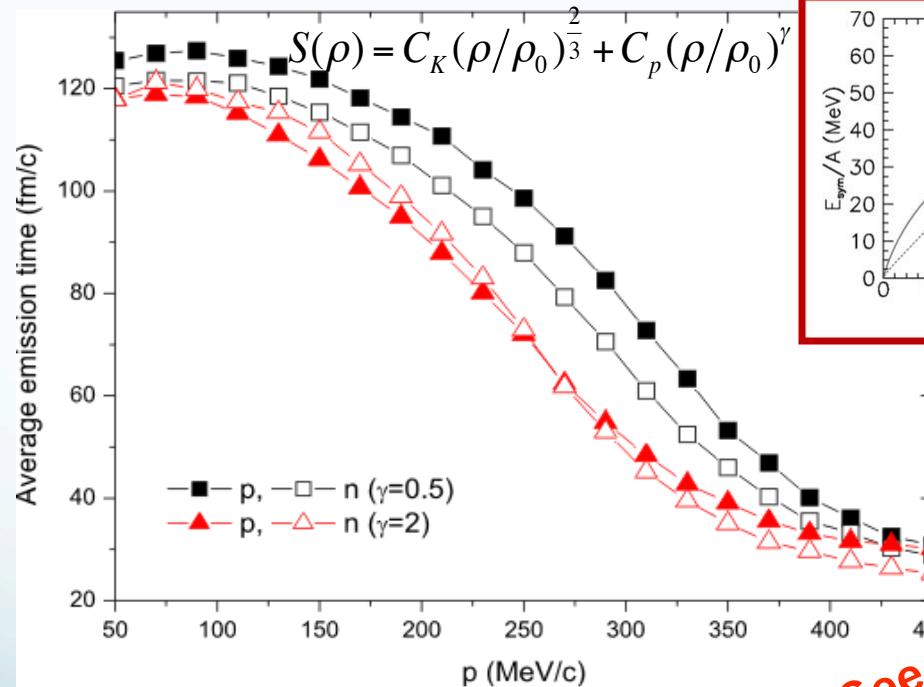
Gaussian
Fit

Space-time probes at dynamical stage

IBUU simulations

$^{52}\text{Ca} + ^{48}\text{Ca}$ E/A=80 MeV

Central collisions



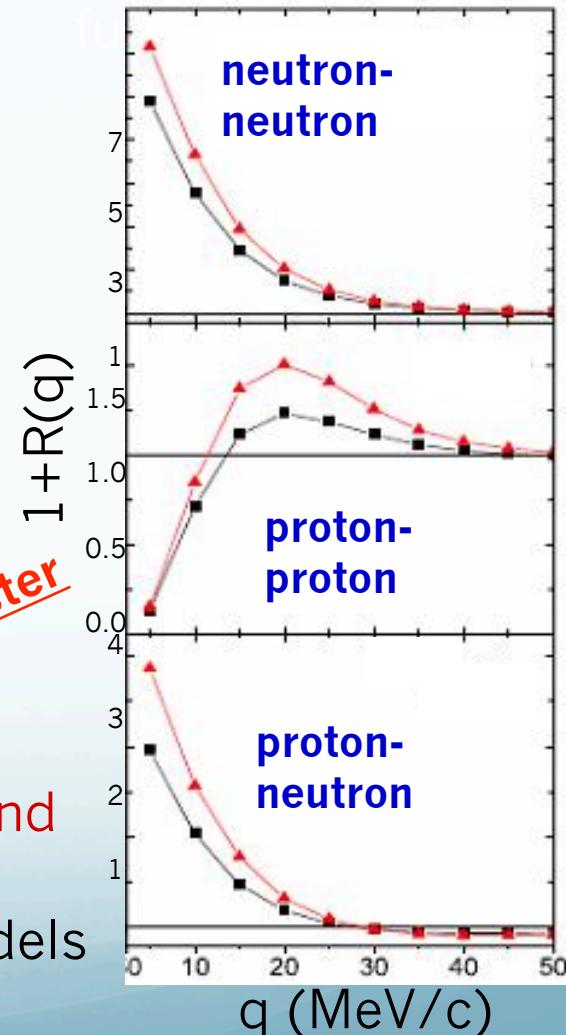
Lie-Wen Chen et al., PRL (2003); PRC(2005)

See T. Minniti Poster

Correlations with dynamically emitted protons and neutrons

→ How to perform comparisons to transport models
(EoS, Asy-EoS, σ_{NN})

Correlation



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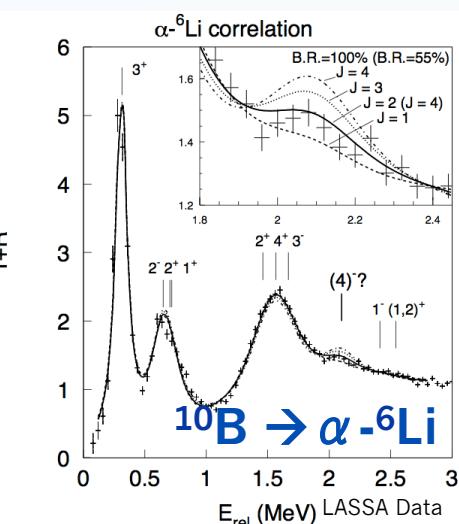
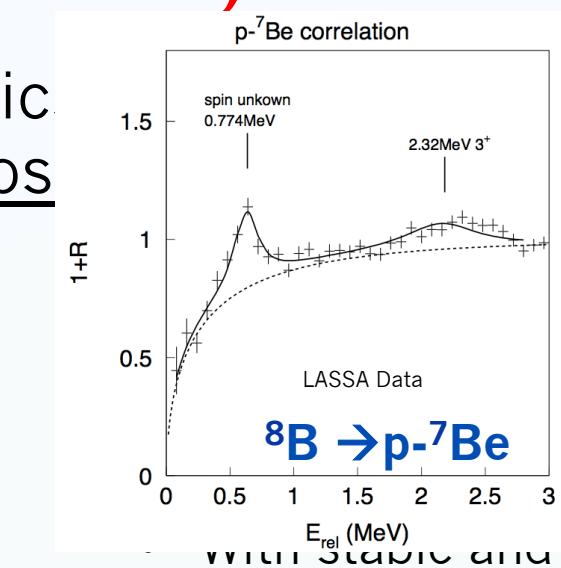
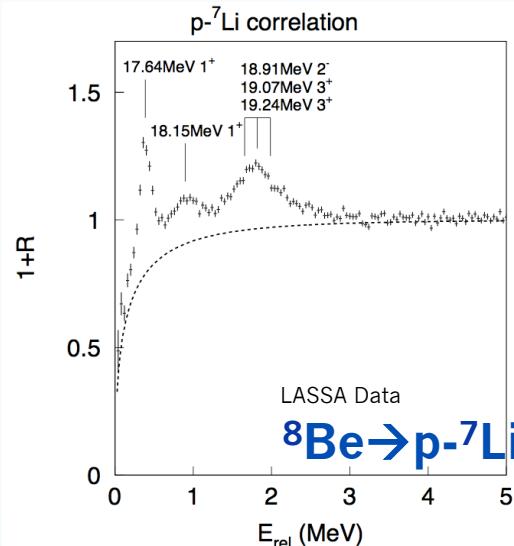
- Nuclear Dynamics
- Nuclear Spectroscopy
 - HIC at Intermediate energy as tools of exotic nuclei
 - Multi-particles correlations (boson condensate)
 - With stable and RIBs

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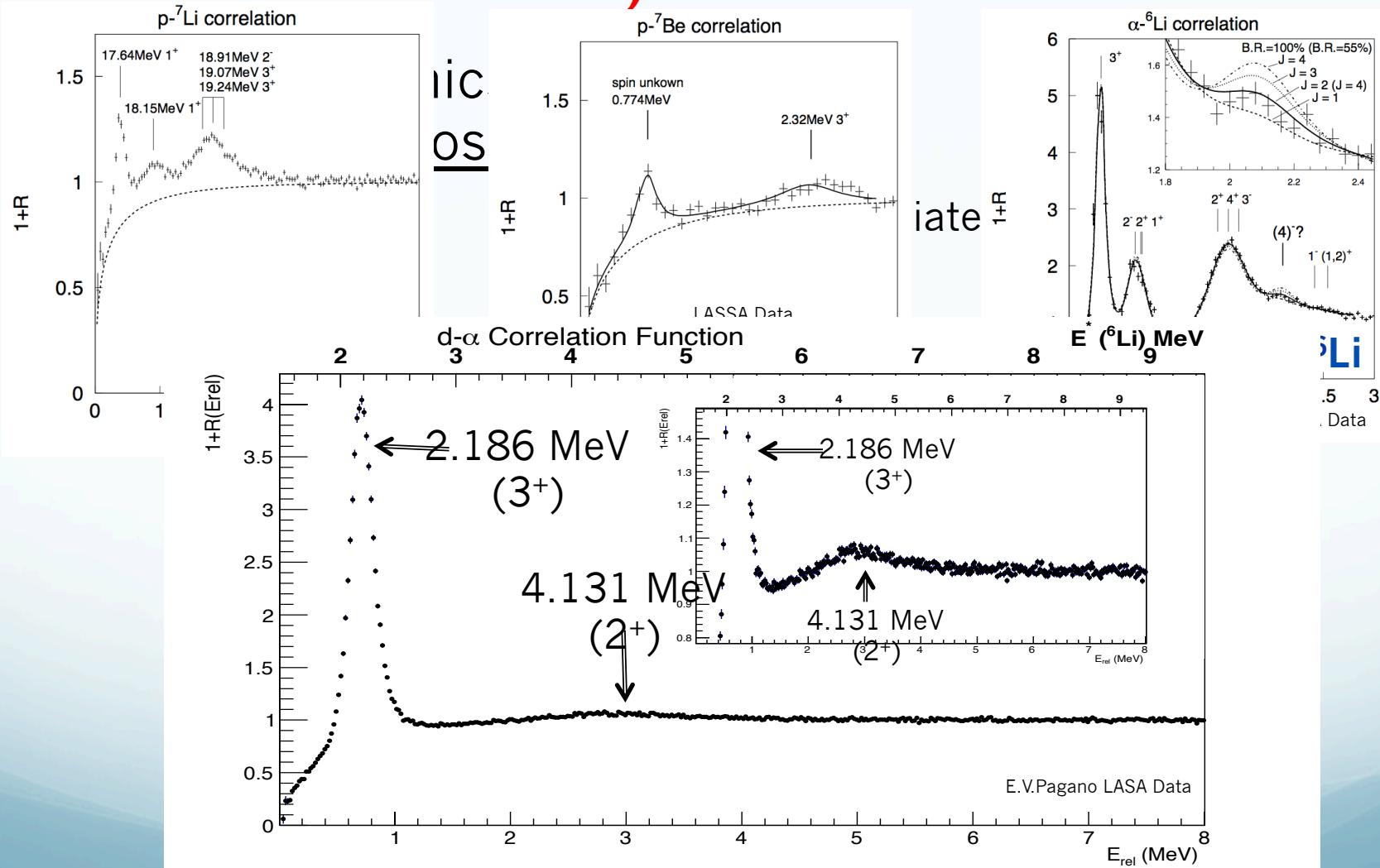


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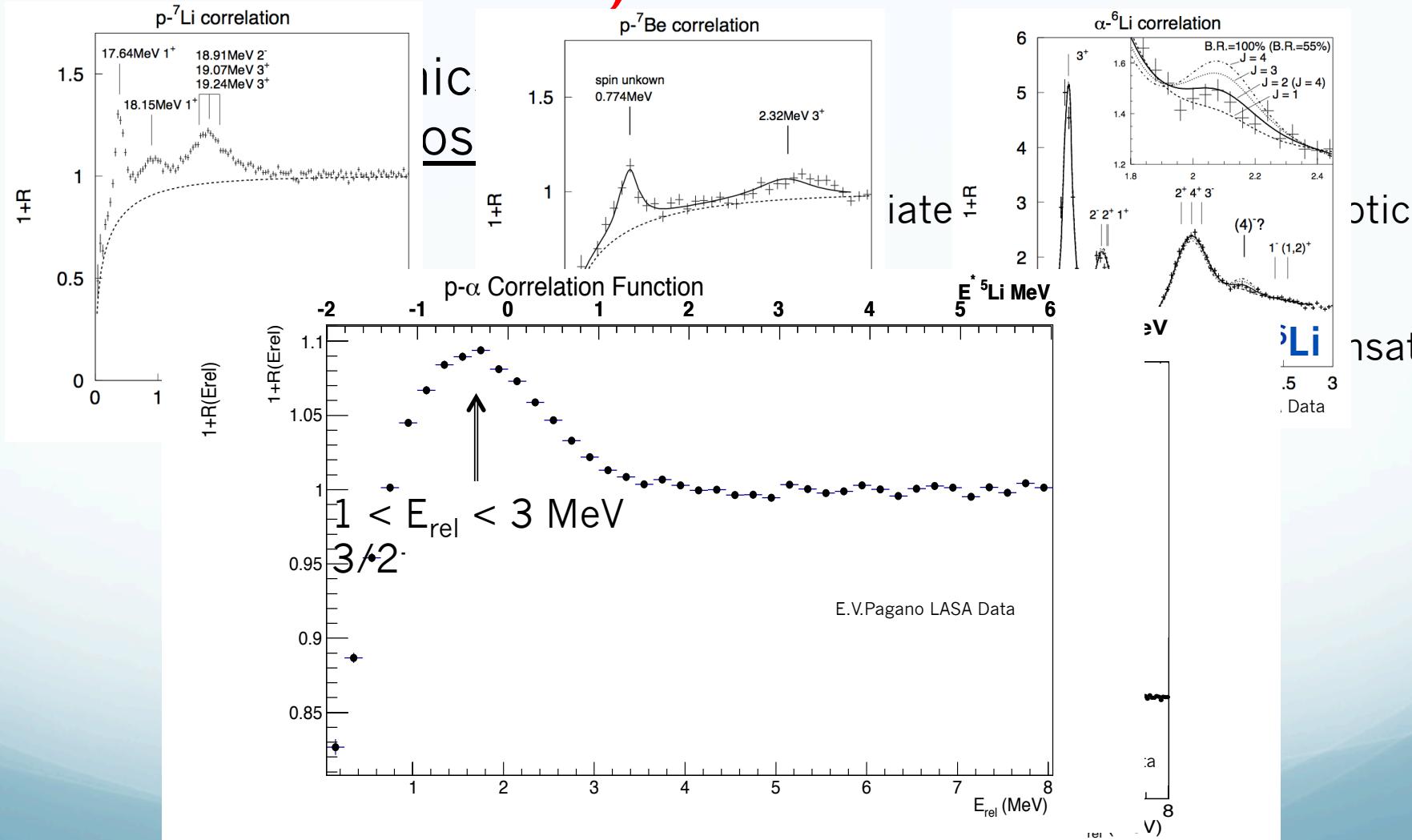
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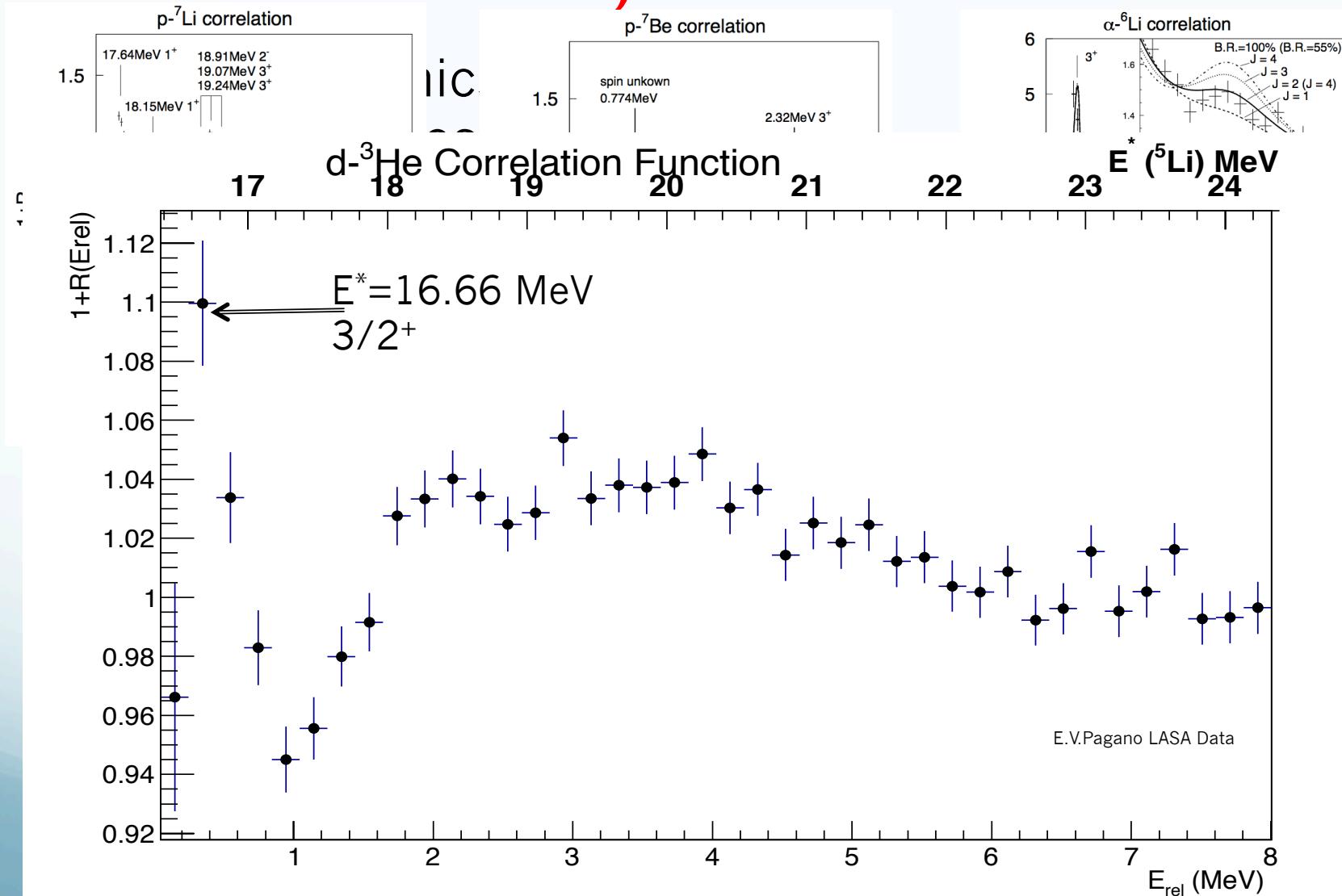
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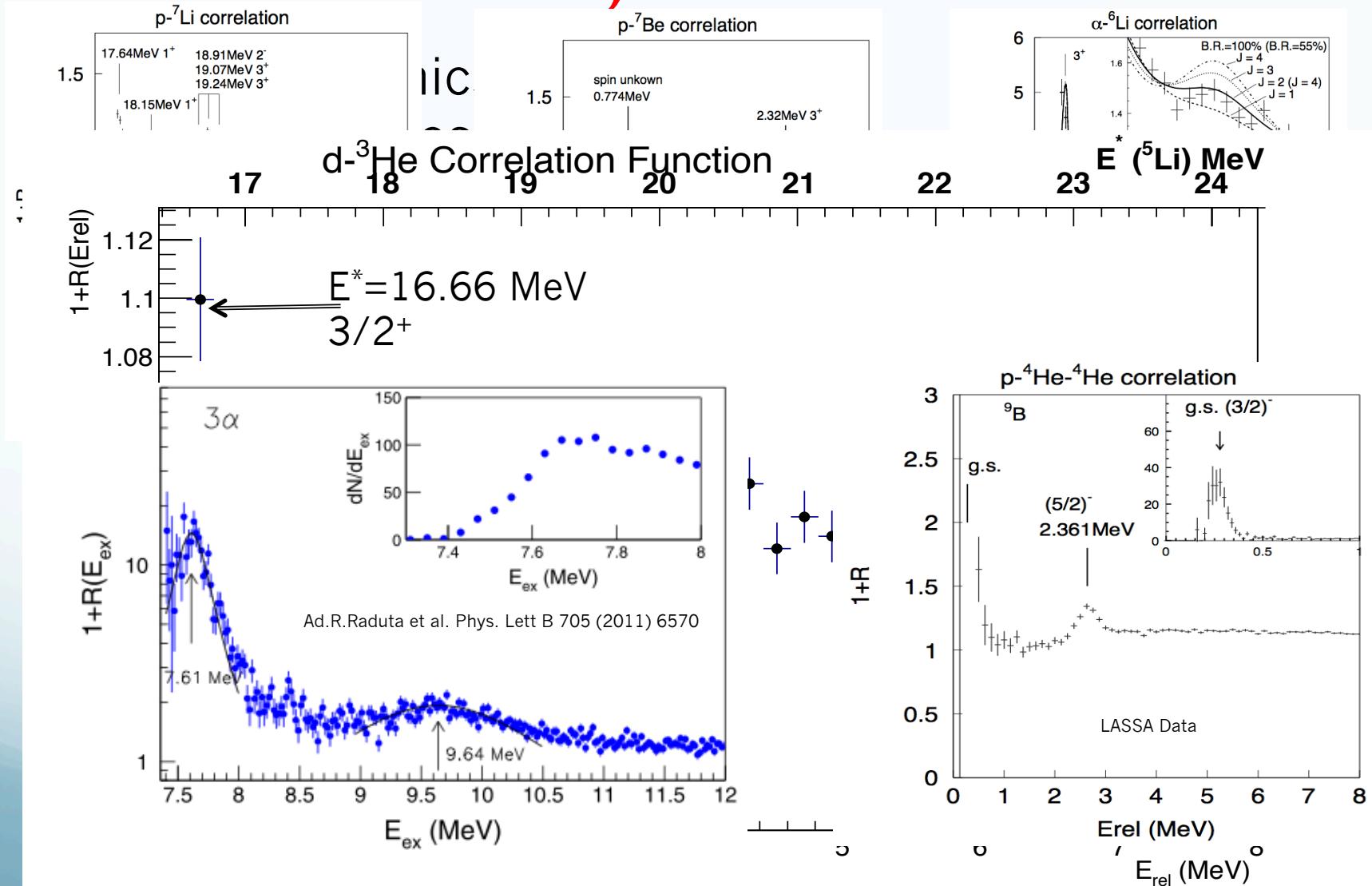
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FARCOMS

(Femtoscope ARray for COrrelations and Spectroscopic)

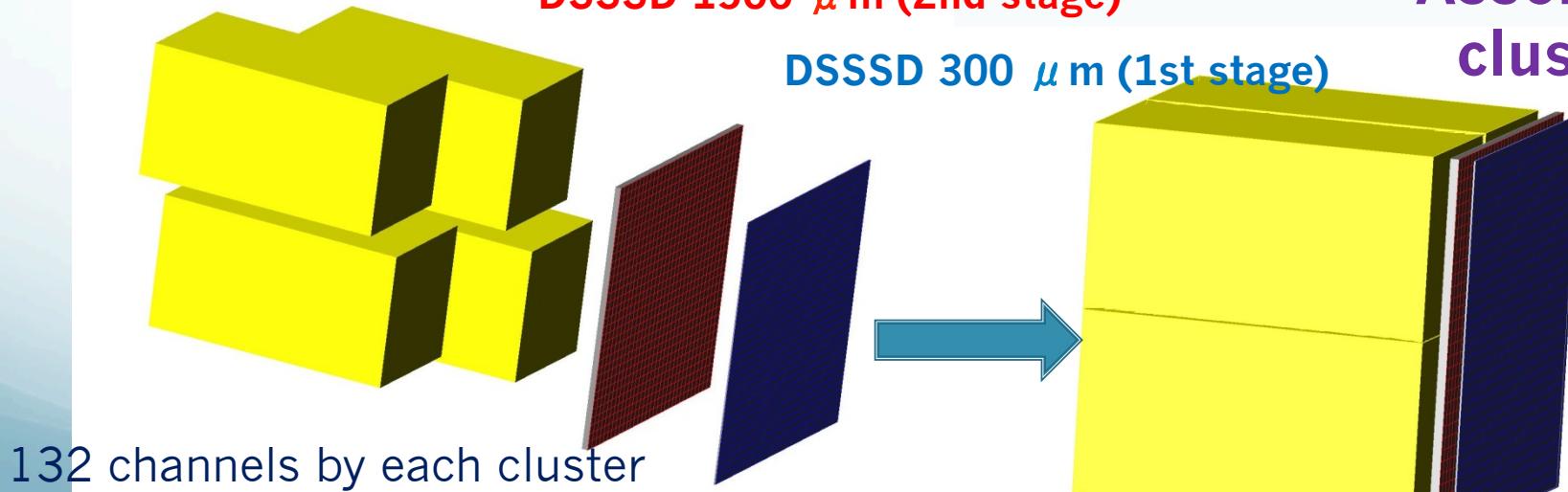
- Based on (62x64x64 mm³) clusters
- 1 square (0.3x64x64 mm³) DSSSD 32+32 strips
- 1 square (1.5x64x64 mm³) DSSSD 32+32 strips
- 4 60x32x32 mm³ CsI(Tl) crystals

4 CsI(Tl) crystals 6 cm(3rd stage)

DSSSD 1500 μ m (2nd stage)

DSSSD 300 μ m (1st stage)

Assembly
cluster



Fully reconfigurable (more Si layers, neutron detection,...)

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FARCOS Features

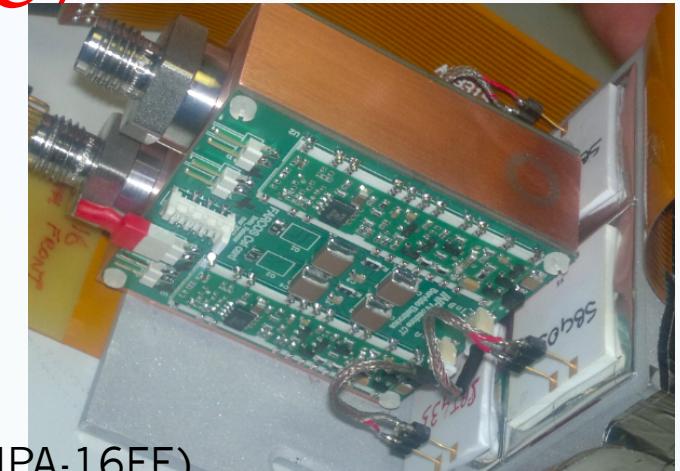
- **FARCOS (Fentoscope ARray for Correlations and Spectroscopy)**
- **Modular array of telescopes**
- **High energy and angular resolution**
- **$\Delta E/E$ discrimination, pulse-shape discrimination and TOF discrimination (4pi CHIMERA)**
- **Digitization**
- **DSSSD(Double-Sided Silicon Strip Detector) each with 32 strips, both in vertical and in a horizontal and 4 crystals of CsI(Tl).**
- **Portability and modularity to be coupled to 4π detectors as CHIMERA or magnetic spectrometers**
- **Integrated and reconfigurable electronics**
- **Possibility of updating and upgrades (neutrons) *See L.Auditore Poster***

Electronic (PAC)

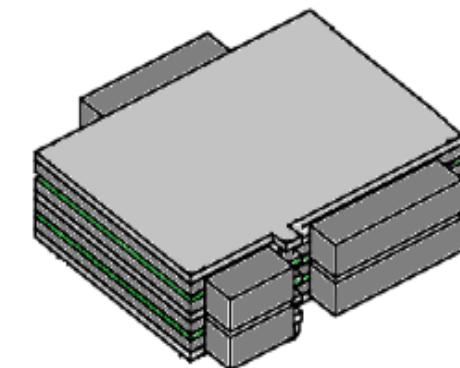
- CsI Crystals: Standard PAC “CHIMERALIKE”
- DSSSD: 32 Ch PAC (INFN-MI)

Features:

- Channel: 32
- Sensitivity: 5, 10, 20 or 45 mV/MeV
- Dimension: 86x80x10 mm (NPA-16FL), 98x80x15 mm(NPA-16FE)
- Input Bias voltage: ± 300 V (Max)
- ESD Input Protection
- TEST pulse input
- Low power consumption (<900 mW) for vacuum use
- Pseudo-differential or single ended output (with 100 or 50 Ω back termination)
- Max output voltage: ± 4.5 V



Comparison with
Mesytech PAC was
made

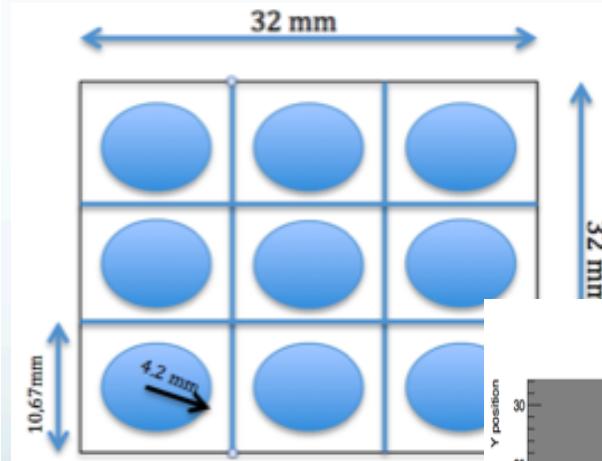


Test and Characterizations of CsI(Tl) light response

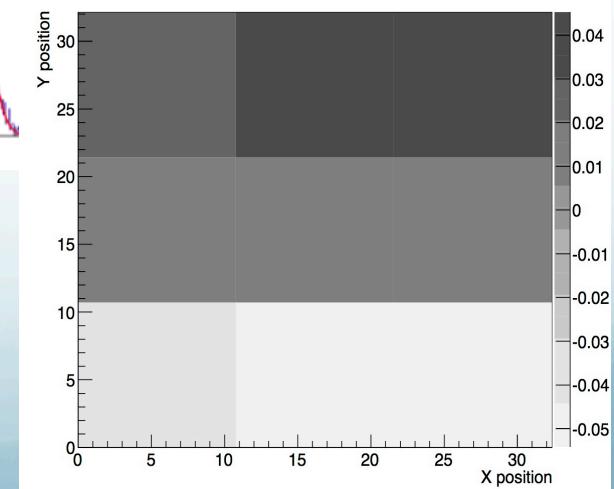
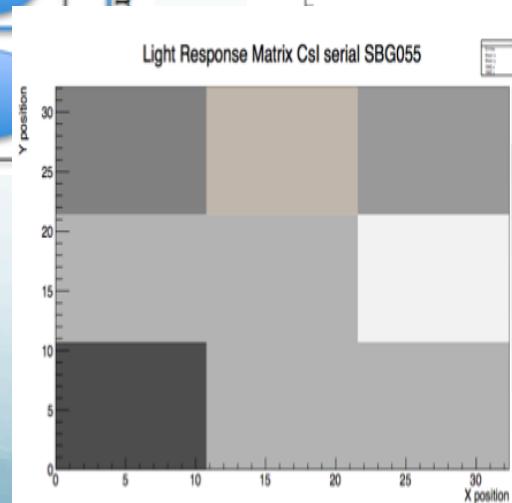
- Surface response

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- ✓ vacuum conditions ($\approx 10^{-2} \text{ mbar}$)
- ✓ ^{241}Am source of 150 nCu of intensity, $E_\alpha = 5.485 \text{ MeV}$
- ✓ Doping of CsI(Tl) crystals 1200-1500 ppm

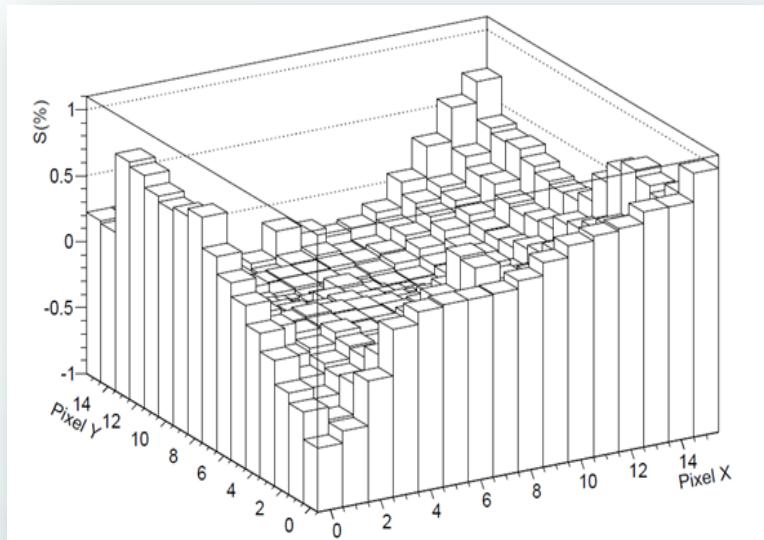


Good Uniformity:
<0.5% in the best case
<2% in the worst case

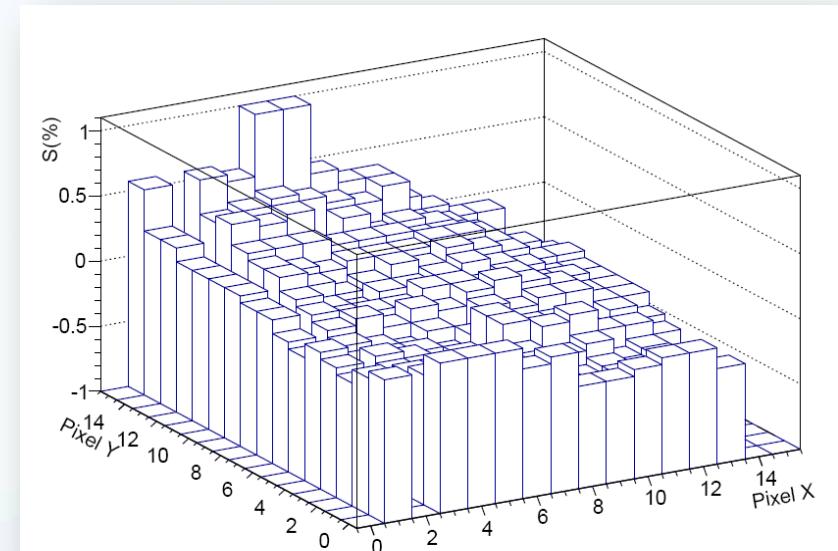


See E.V.Pagano undergraduate Thesis work

- depth response $\approx 1.5 \text{ cm}$
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$\alpha + \text{Pb}$ at E/A=62 MeV



$$S_{ij} = \frac{L_{ij} - \langle L \rangle}{\langle L \rangle}$$

Light response: less than
0.5% non-uniformity

L.Quattrocchi et al.

More energie and reactions are available to study the depth response of CsI(Tl) at different section.
R.Andolina undergraduate thesis (work in progress)

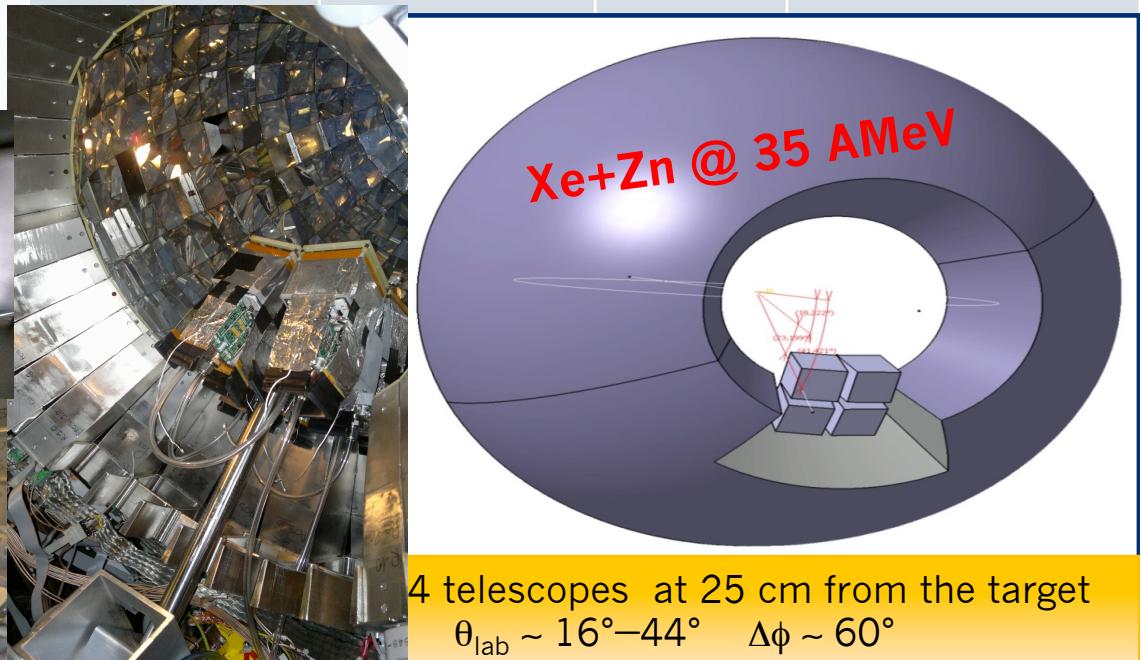
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Test with beam was made during the InKilsSY experiment (INverse Kinematic ISobaric SYstem)

The idea of this experiment is to use projectile/target combination having the same mass of the neutron rich $^{124}\text{Sn}+^{64}\text{Ni}$ system a N/Z similar to the neutron poor $^{112}\text{Sn}+^{58}\text{Ni}$ one, that is $^{124}\text{Xe}+^{64}\text{Zn}$, at the same bombarding energy of 35 MeV/u using the 4π detector CHIMERA and 4 modules of FARCOM prototype. [For more details see L. Quattrocchi poster.](#)



System	N/Z Projectile	N/Z target	N/Z Compound
$^{124}\text{Sn}+^{64}\text{Ni}$	1.48	1.29	1.41 <small>P. Russotto et al., Phys. Rev. C 81, 064605 (2010).</small>
$^{112}\text{Sn}+^{58}\text{Ni}$	1.30	1.13	1.24
$^{124}\text{Xe}+^{64}\text{Zn}$	1.24	1.07	1.18



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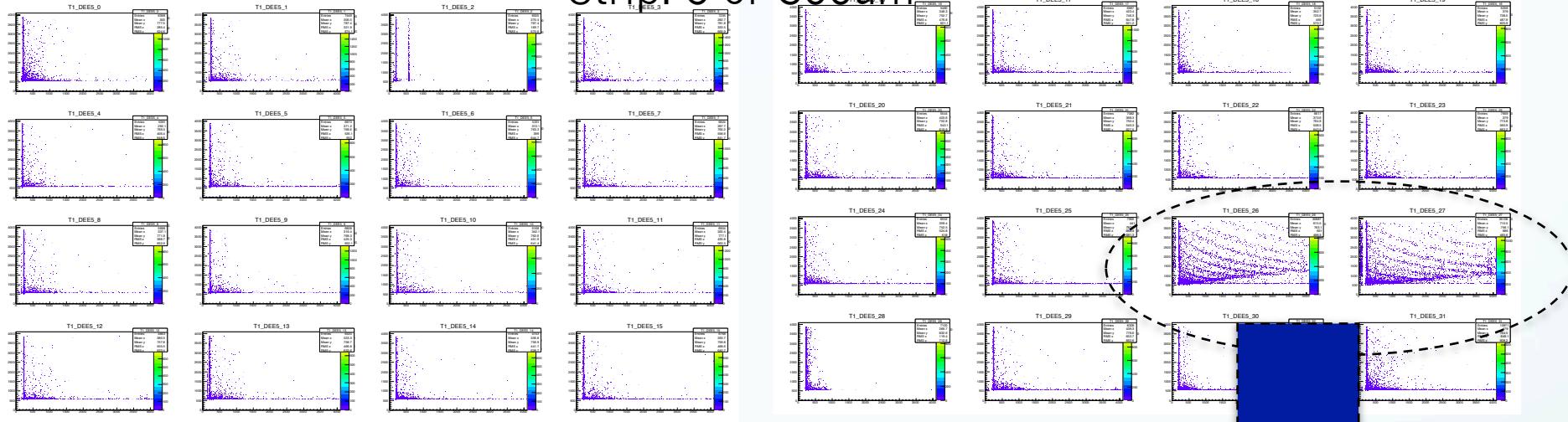
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Preliminary

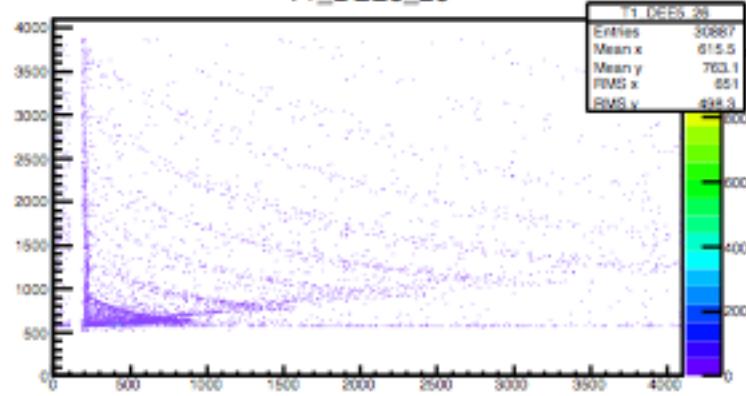
Test work:
only 40 runs
Out of about 800

N° of Events $\approx 8 \times 10^6$

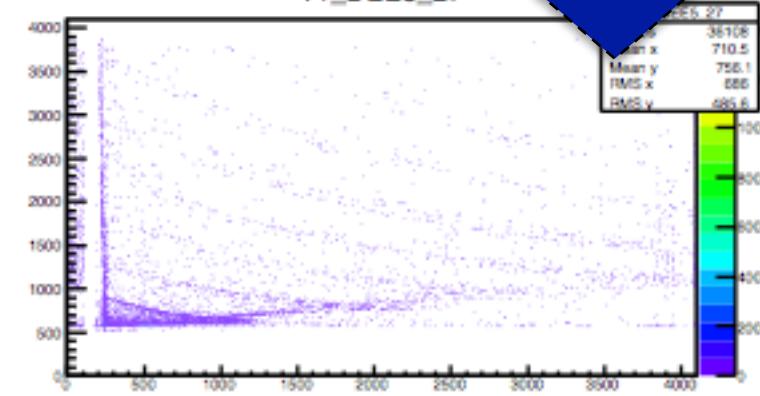
Strip: 5 of 300um



T1_DEE5_26



T1_DEE5_27



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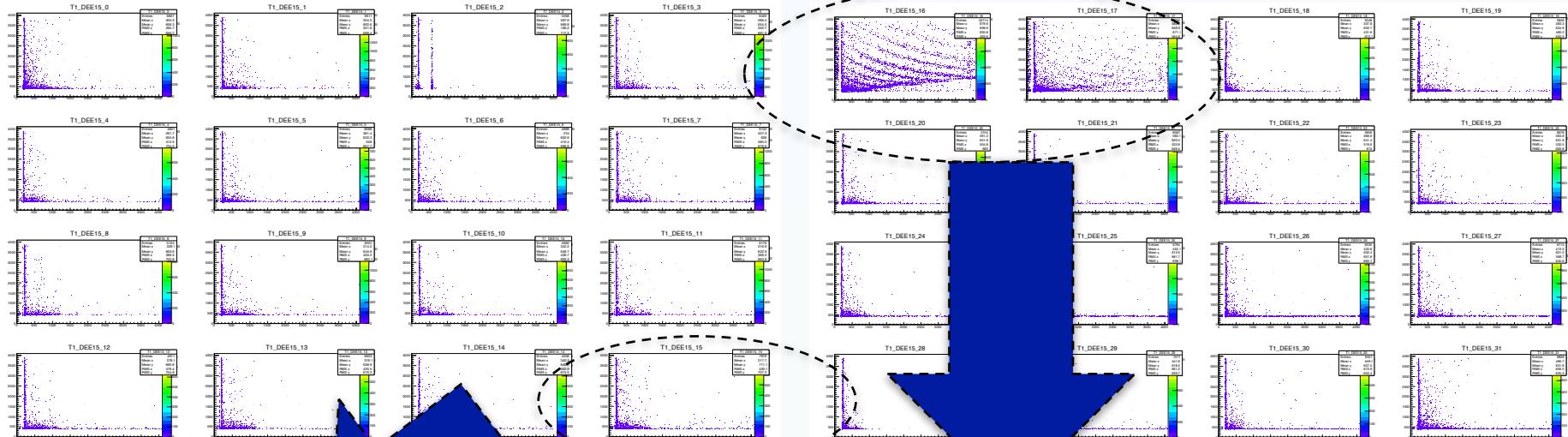
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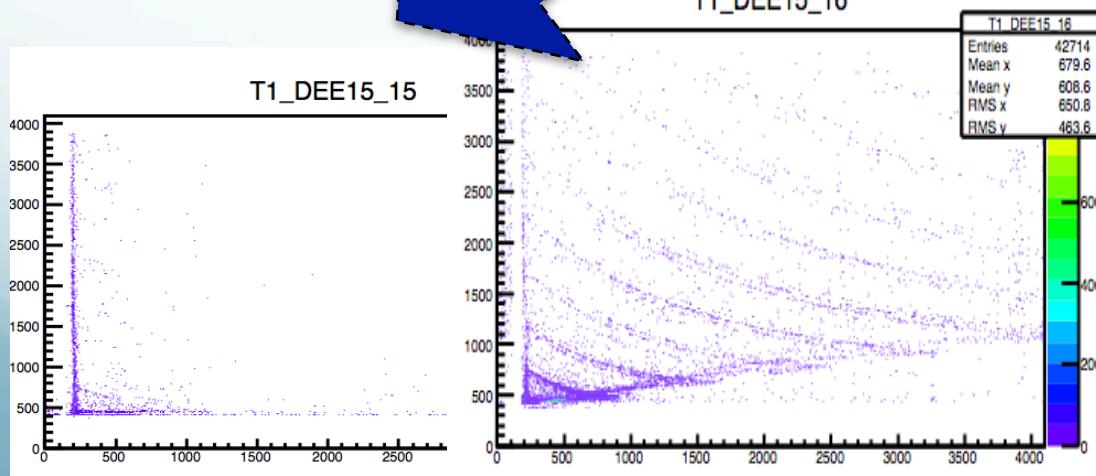
Strip: 15 of 300um



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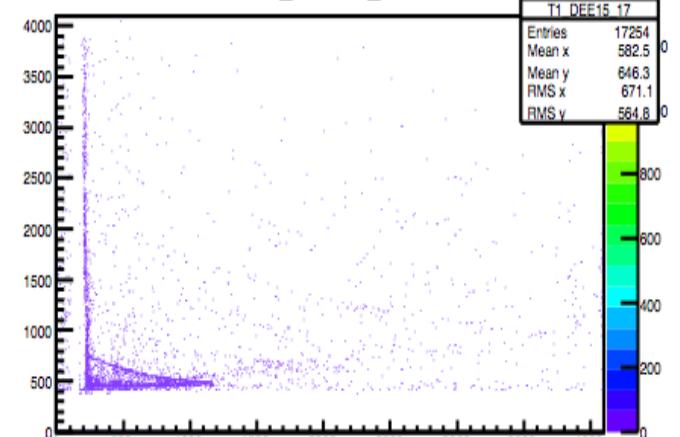
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Entries	42714
Mean x	679.6
Mean y	608.6
RMS x	650.8
RMS y	463.6

T1_DEE15_15



T1_DEE15_17

T1_DEE15_17	
Entries	17254
Mean x	582.5
Mean y	646.3
RMS x	671.1
RMS y	564.8



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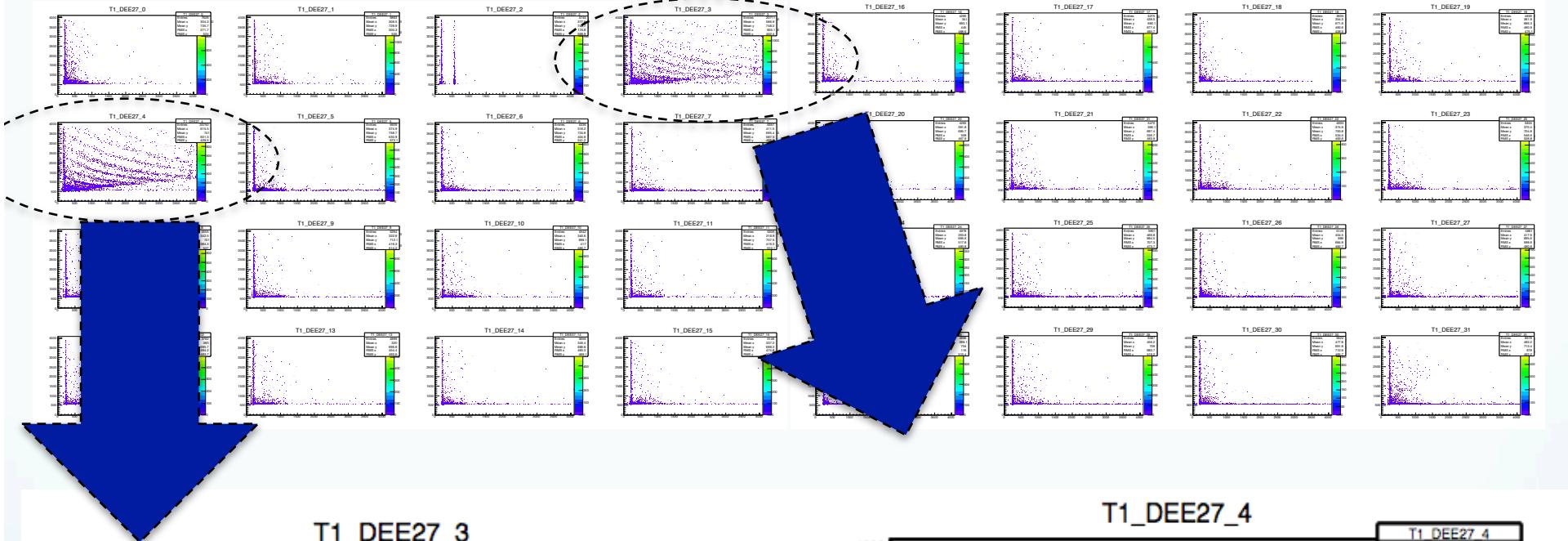
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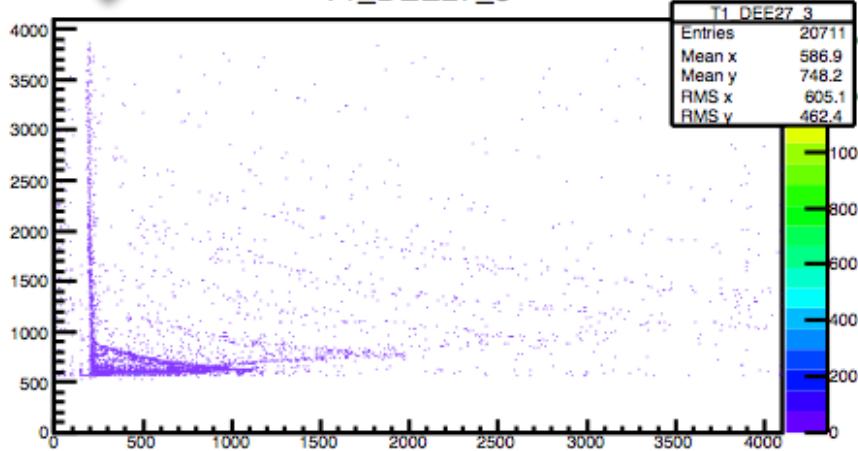
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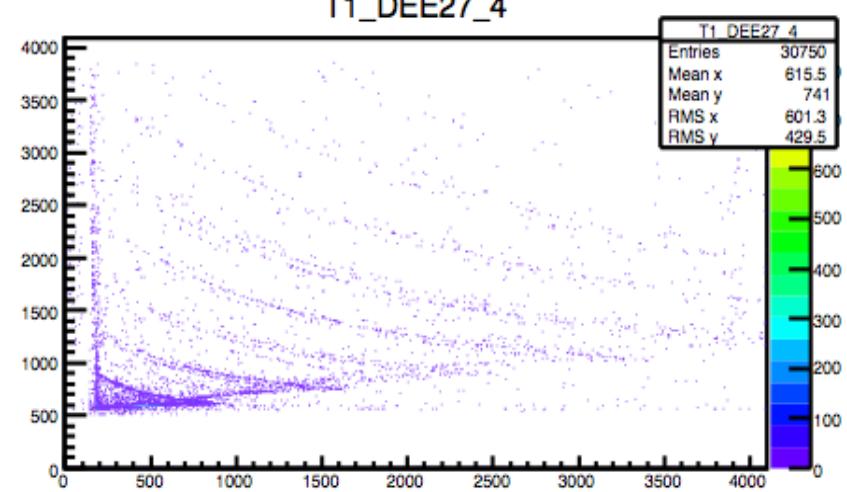
Strip: 27 of 300um

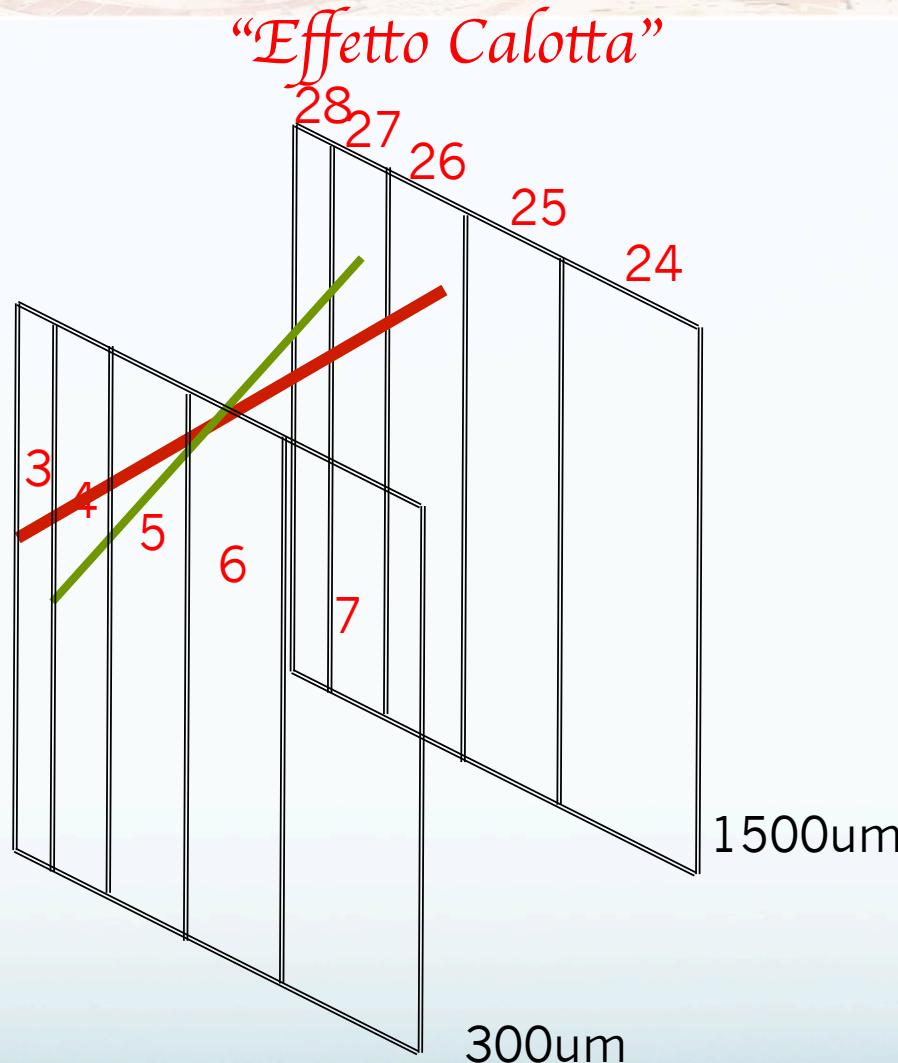


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T1_DEE27_4



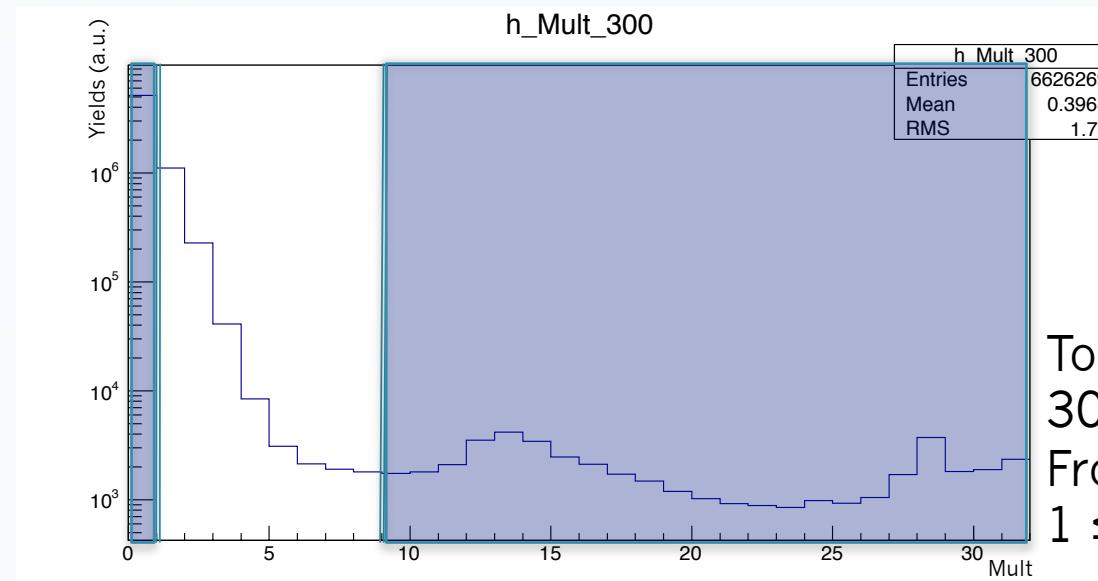


This Cap Effect is due to the fact that the detector obviously have a flat surface and it is too near to the target (25 cm). Maybe it is avoided with a distance of about 80 cm form the target

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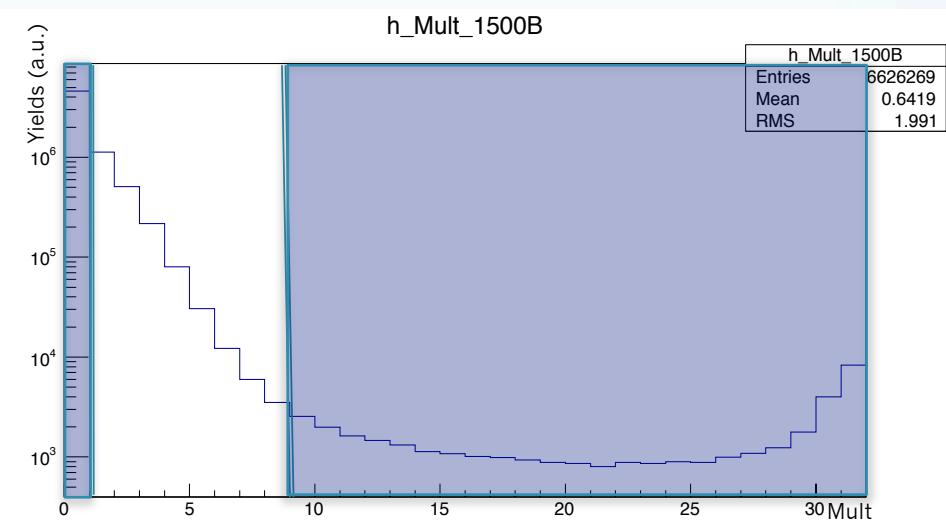
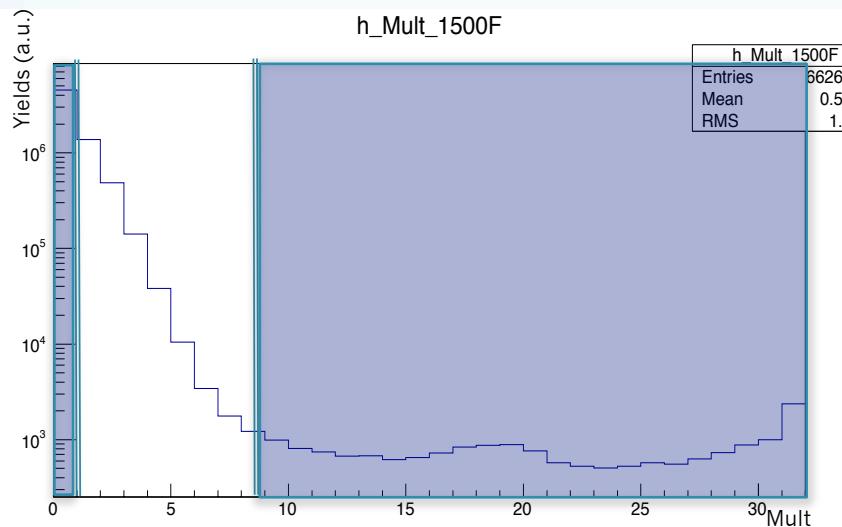
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A multiplicity cut is necessary in order to eliminate bad events for physical reasons

Total Multiplicity of
300 μ m, 1500 μ m
Front and back is:
 $1 \leq \text{Mult}_{\text{tot}} \leq 8$



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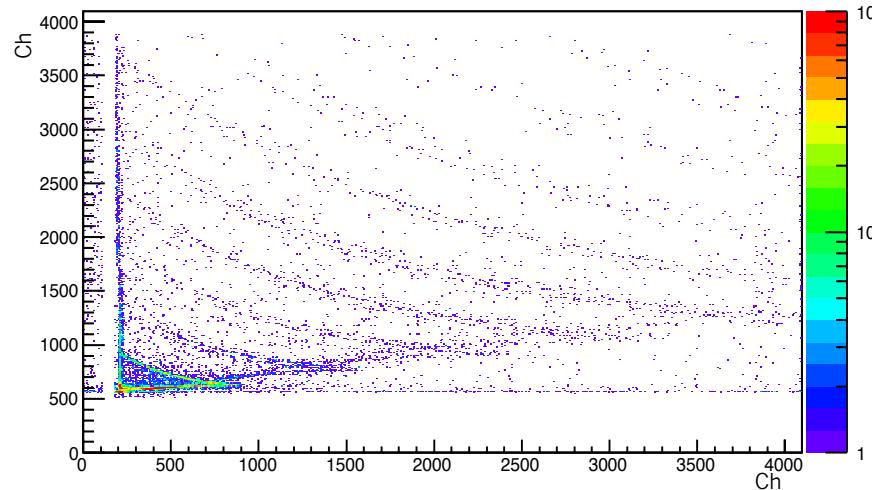
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No Cut

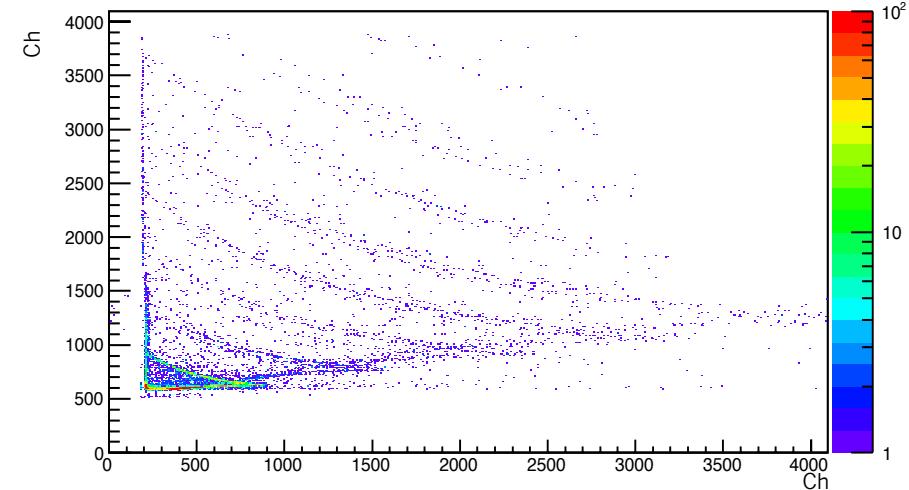
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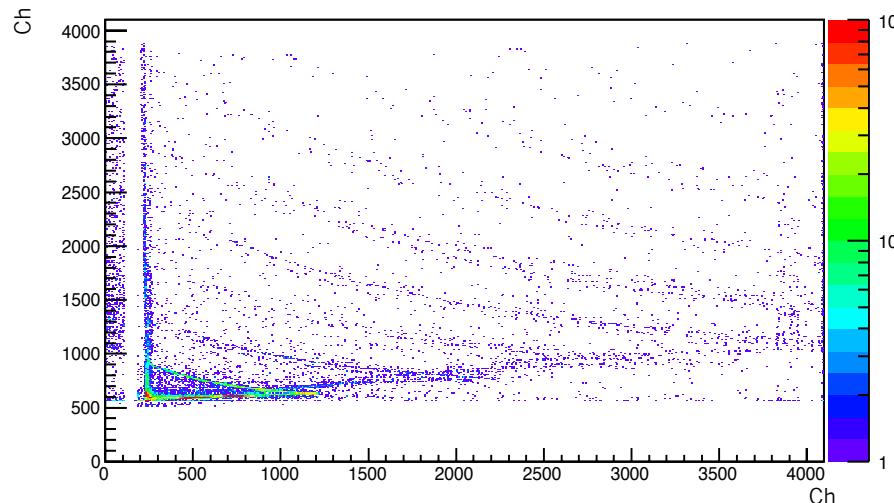
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1 ≤ Mult_{tot} ≤ 8

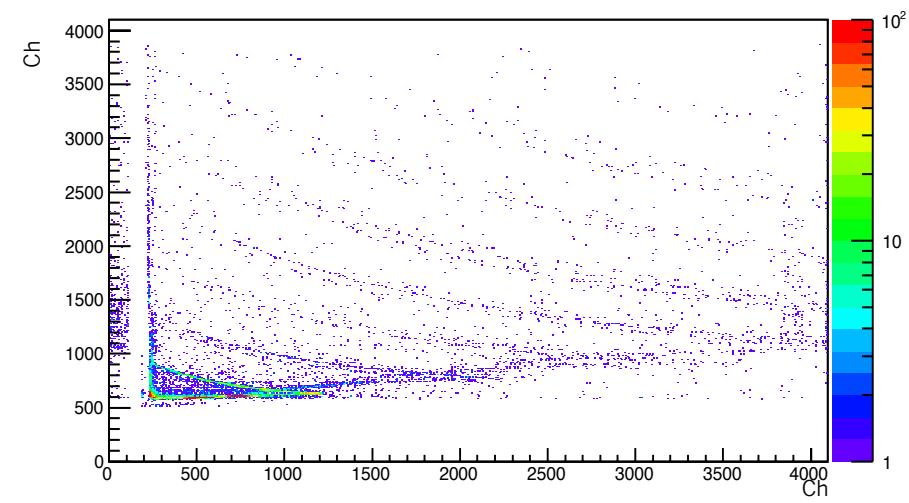
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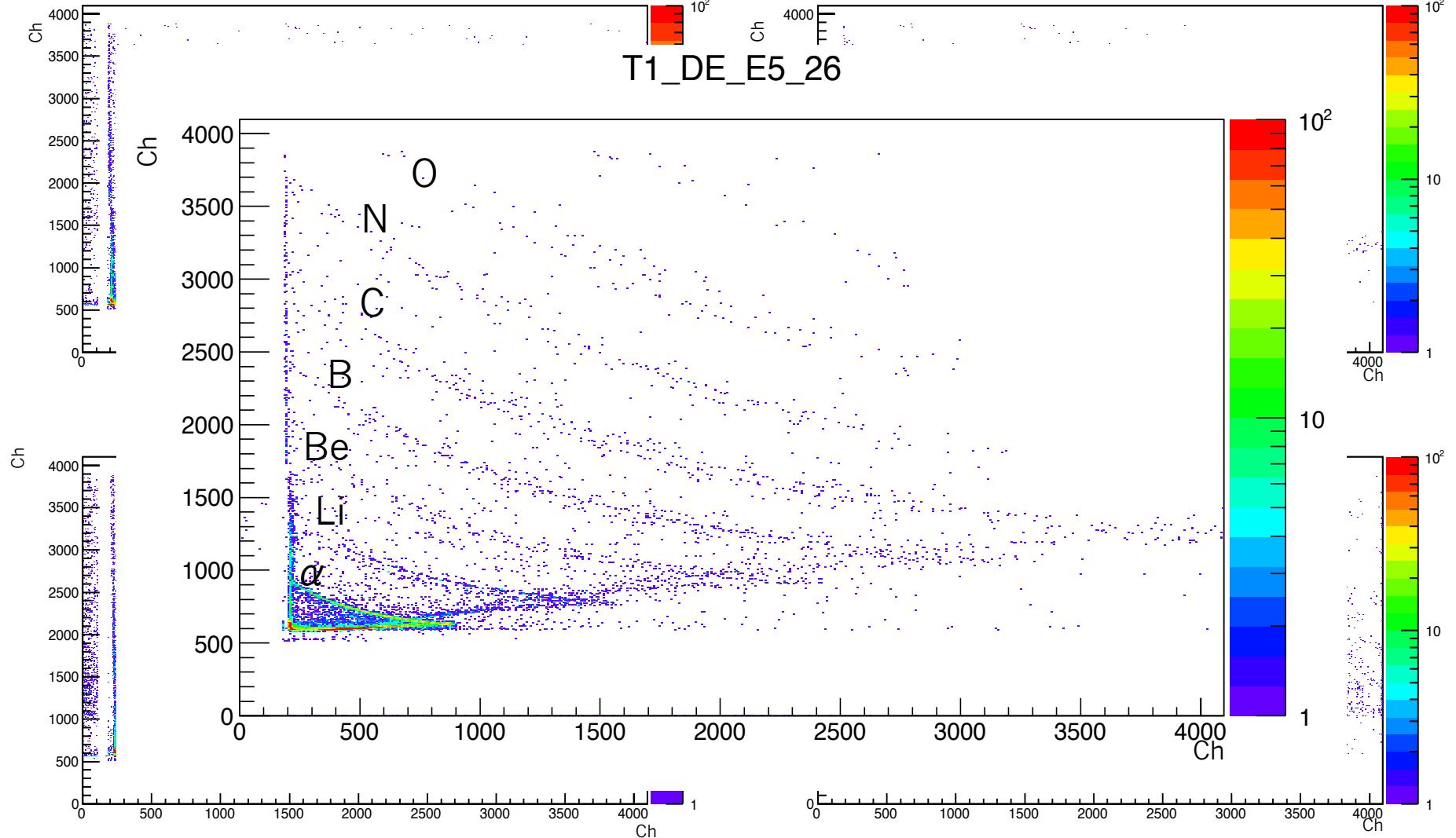
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Identifications and calibrations

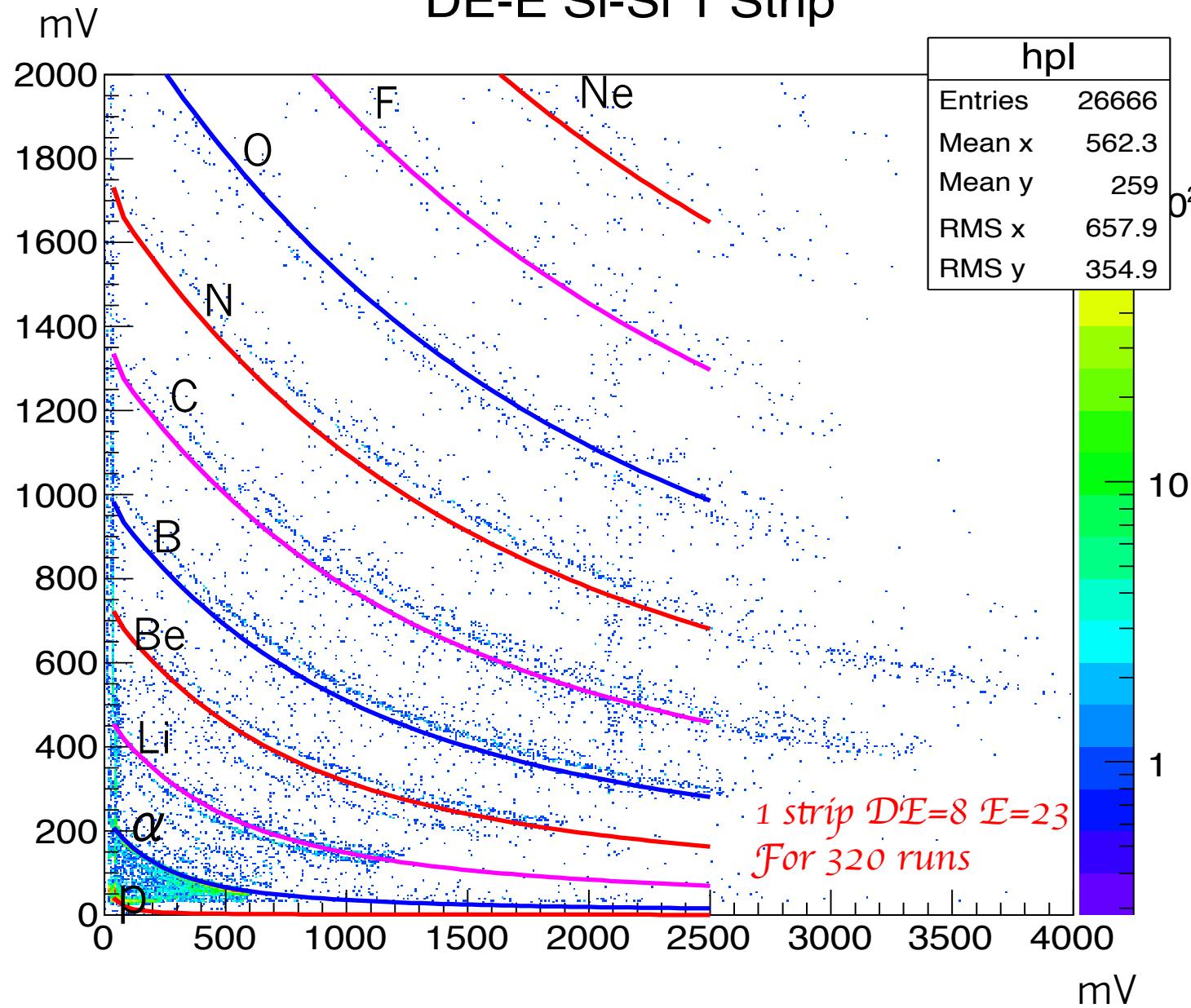
For isotopic identification (Si-Si, Si-CsI(Tl), fast-slow) should be two ways:

- Strips by strips it means about 100 identifications matrix for each telescope:
 - 32 + 32 DE-E (Si-Si) (the second 32 are due to the “effetto Calotta”)
 - 32 DE-E (Si-CsI)
 - 4 fast-slow (CsI)
- Summing the strips, 8 for example, should be reduce the job 16 identifications matrix for each telescope:
 - 4+4 DE-E (Si-Si)
 - 4 DE-E (Si-CsI)
 - 4 fast-slow (CsI)

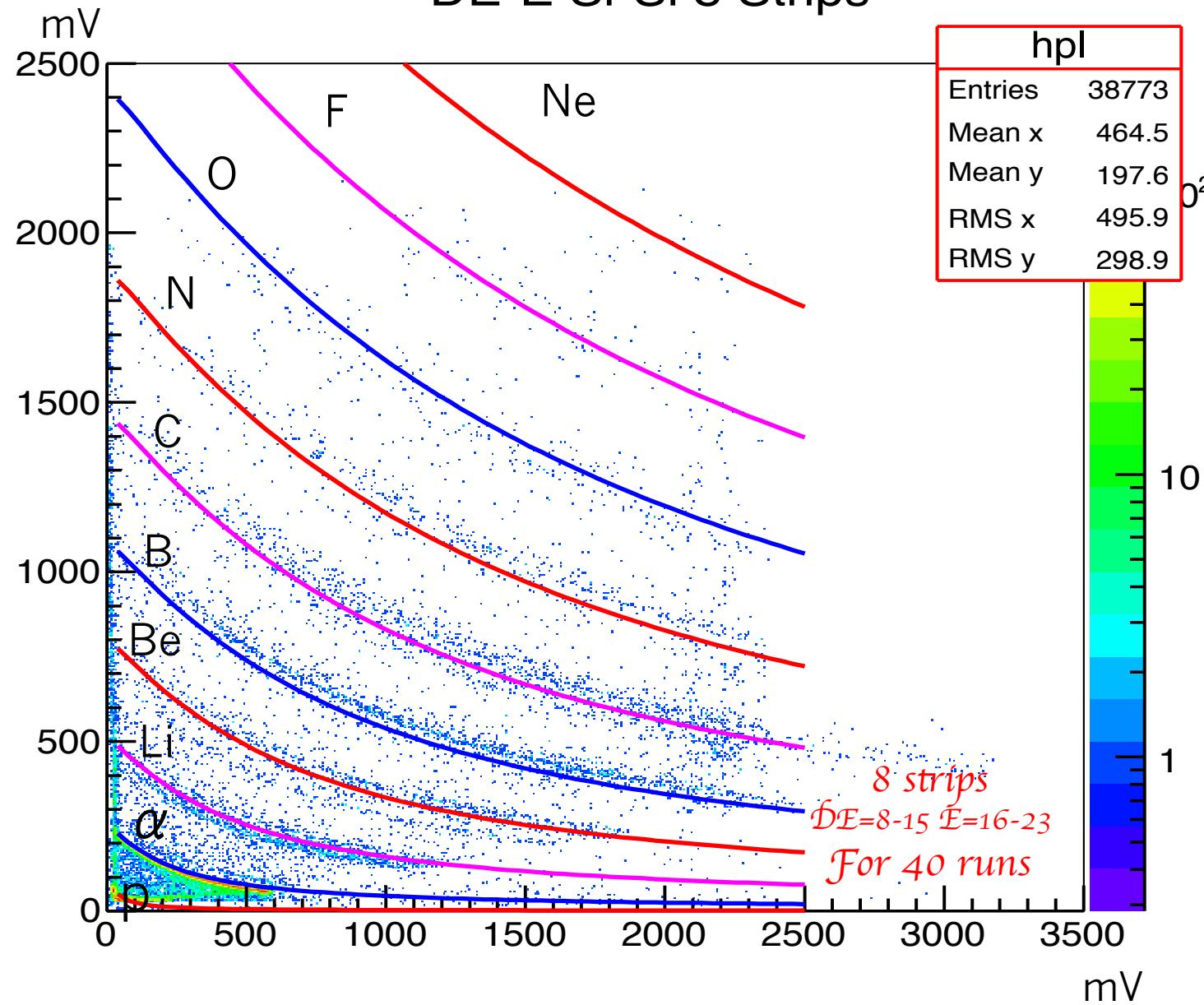
In principle should be possible to sum the strips one over ones, in fact the detector DSSSD is one. The hypothesis is that the thickness difference among the strips is negligible. But the electronic channels are independent and for this reason it is possible to use a pulse signal to homogenize all the strips.

What are the difference in the isotopic identification in the two way?

DE-E Si-Si 1 Strip



DE-E Si-Si 8 Strips



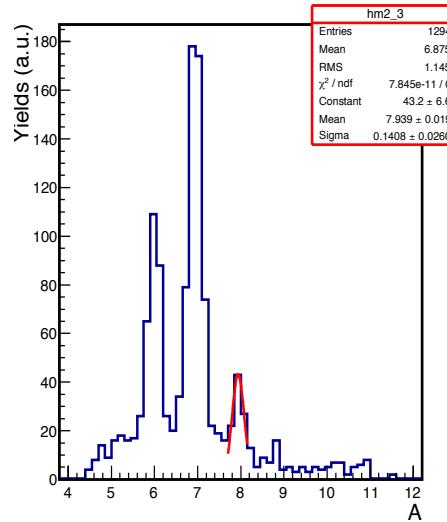
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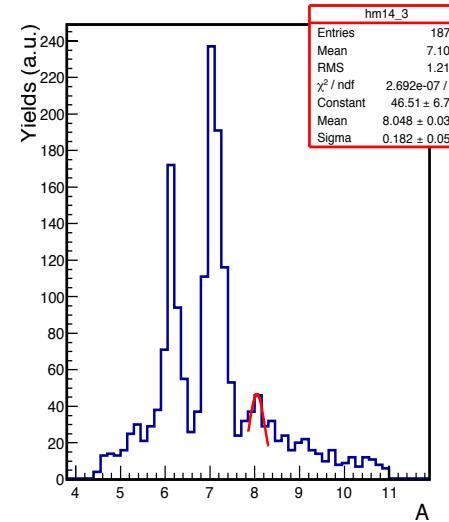
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Comparison between the two ways

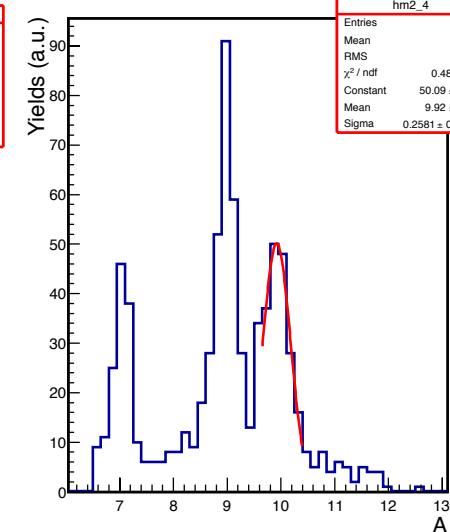
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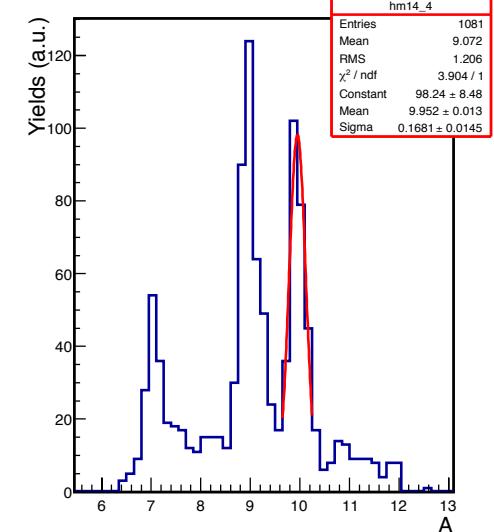
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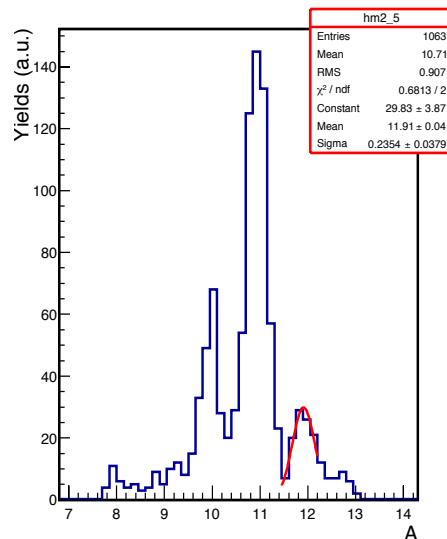
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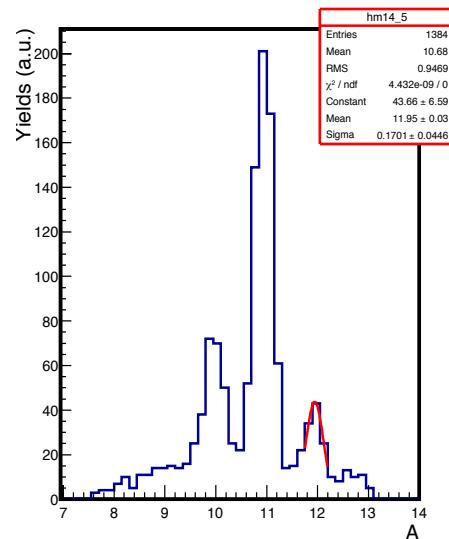
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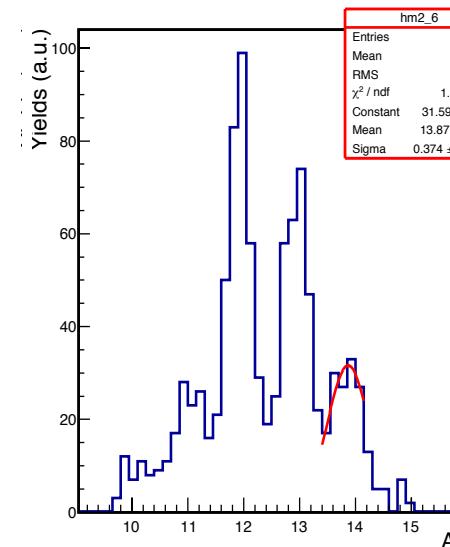
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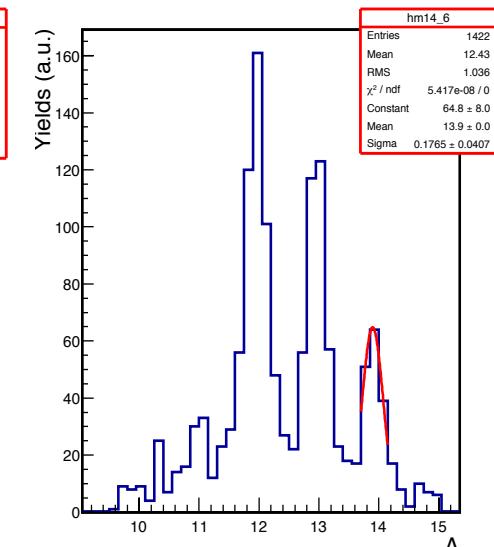
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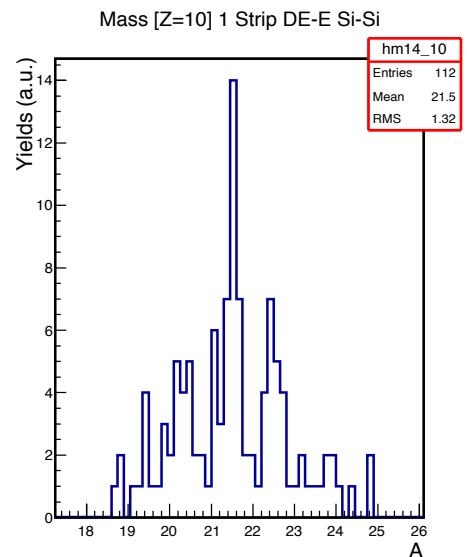
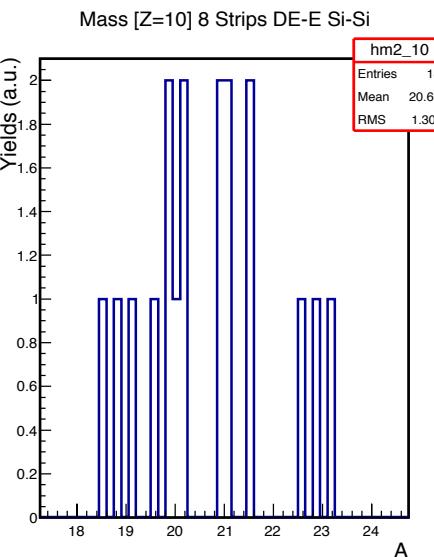
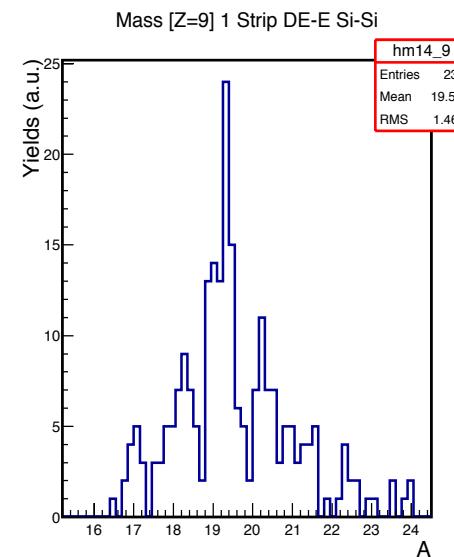
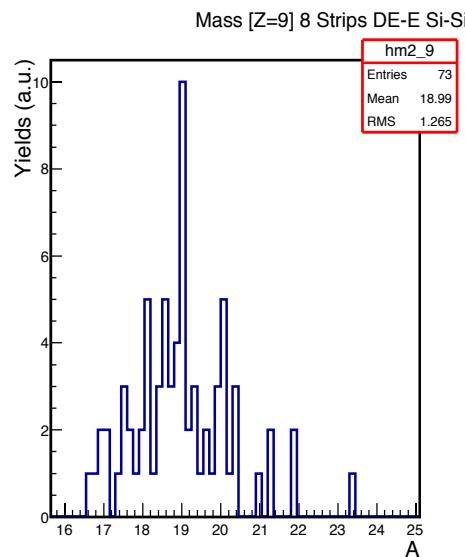
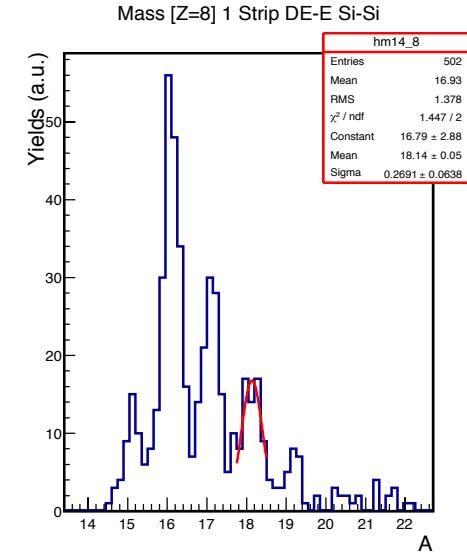
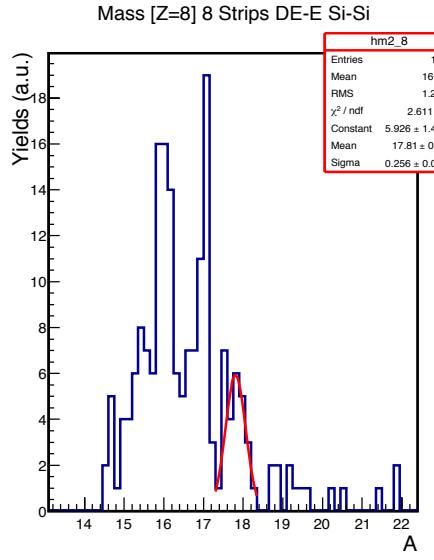
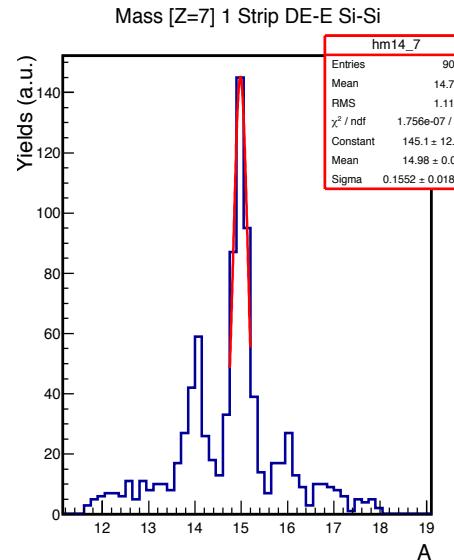
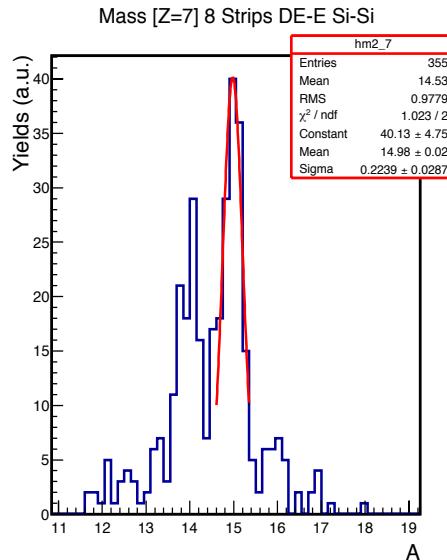


Mass [Z=6] 1 Strip DE-E Si-Si



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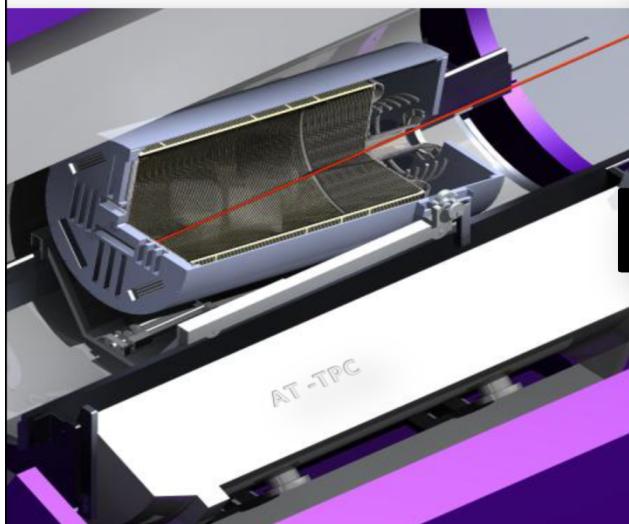
“Single-strip way”		“sum-strips way”	
✓	✗	✓	✗
Good Isotopic Resolution	Long identification work (100 Matrix for each telescope, possible if we have only 4 telescopes)	Fast identification work (16 matrix for each telescope, good for 20 telescopes)	Worse isotopic identification resolution (at least for now!)
Not necessary energy calibration		Good if not have large statistic	
Wide identification range: $1 \leq Z \leq 10$	Need a large statistic in each strip (0.2x6.4 cm)	Good if it is not necessary a wide identification range: $1 \leq Z \leq 2(3)$	Necessary energy calibration (mV or better MeV)
Good if the detector is near to the target (25cm)		Far to the target(0.8-1.0 m)	

In the case of the InKilsSy experiment (only 4 telescopes) the “Single-Strip Way” is better and feasible

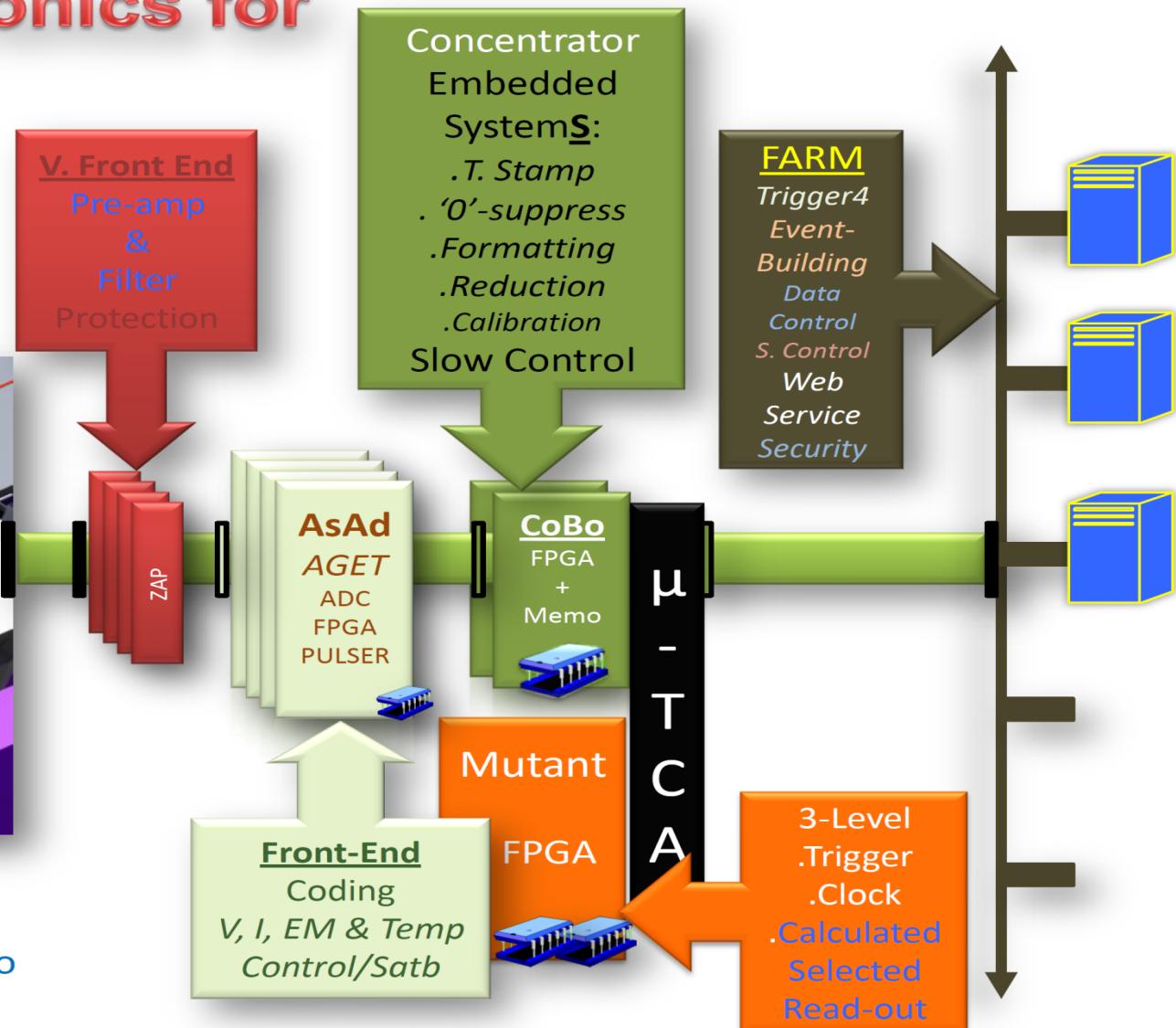
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General Electronics for TPC

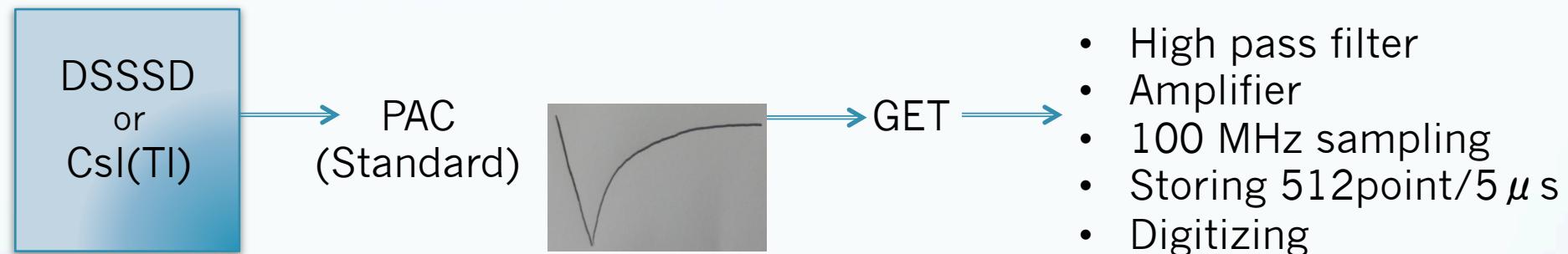
Generic Structure (H&S)
2¹² Final Dyn Rnge
10Gbit B.width
4 Level Digital Trigger



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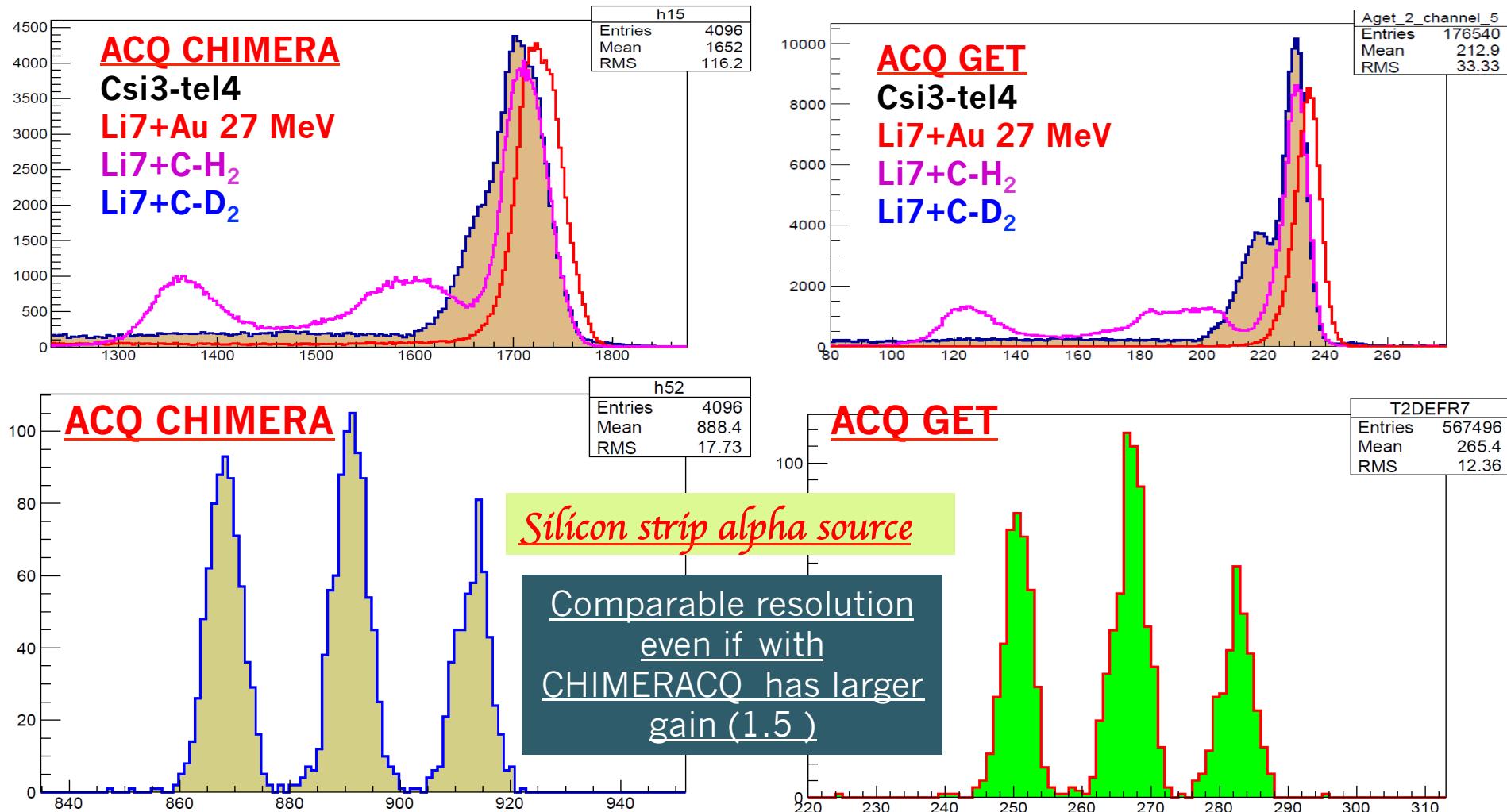


Test with GET Electronic
GET (General Electronics for TPC)



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FARCOS: perspectives

Milestones of FARCOS construction:

- 2015 (I semester): end of the GET tests and assembling 2 new telescopes (PRIN funds).
- 2015 (II semester): purchase electronics for 20 telescopes and beginning of the ASIC preamplifier tests.
- 2016: assembling of 6 new telescopes and submission batch for ASIC preamplifier.
- 2017: assembling of 4 new telescopes and submission batch for ASIC preamplifier.
- 2018: assembling of 4 new telescopes.
- 2019: available 20 telescopes completely of FARCOS

Estimation of FARCOS completion cost

- Si ($300 \mu\text{m} + 1500 \mu\text{m}$) + CsI(Tl): 316.5 K€
- GET Electronic for Si (5120 ch) and CsI(Tl) (80 ch) in double dynamic: 208.5 K€
- Spare parts 20%: 40 K€
- Power boards: 20 K€
- Mechanics (interface, flanges, etc.): 60 K€
- PAC (Different types): 80 K€
- Farm disk server and online analysis: 70 K€
- Unexpected (6%): 54.5 K€
- Total amount: ≈850 K€

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Conclusions

FARCOS at the moment has 4 telescopes under testing.
Preliminary analysis suggests that FARCOS is working well with good isotopic identification resolution and good energy and angular resolution.
For the future the goal is to develop same automatic procedures in order to make easier and faster the identification and calibration analysis.

GET electronic should represent a great opportunity to have a large number of channels (≈ 5000) compact and portable!

In the next years we should have more telescopes (20) in order to plane experiment coupling FARCOS with 4π detectors or magnetic spectrometer or other correlator arrays in order to give our contributions to the nuclear phenomena

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