Calorimeter elastic calibrations and coincidence time corrections

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- Elastic calibrations a summary
- Reference shapes summary and outlook
- Calorimeter time corrections summary and outlook

Calorimeter elastic calibrations - Setup



- The goal is to extract the coefficients that convert ARS channels to energy and adjust the HV accordingly.
- We define a χ^2 and minimize it to get the 208 linear equations corresponding to 208 blocks.

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$$\chi^2 = \sum_{j=0}^{events} (E_j - \sum_{i=0}^{208} (C_i A_i^j))$$

• We invert the 208 by 208 matrix and solve it to get the coefficients

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$$\Sigma_i^{208}(\Sigma_{j=1}^{events}(A_j^k A_j^i))C_i = \Sigma_{j=1}^{events}E_j A_j^k$$

- *E_j* electron energy for event j, according to High Resolution Spectrometer,
- *A*^j_i amplitude of signal for block i,
- C_i calibration coefficient for block i.

2 elastic calibrations were done in Fall 2016, October 28 and November 12.

HRS;

- Angle 32.5⁰
- Central Momentum 3.0 GeV
- Calorimeter;
 - Angles 21.4⁰, 22.7⁰,24⁰
 - Distance 6.18m
- Beam;
 - Energy 6.45 GeV
 - Current $5\mu A$
 - Raster NONE



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- Ch. 15 demanding higher HV.
- Average 170 ADC channels/GeV.

Edge blocks suffer from lack of statistics. Energy Resolution from elastic (GeV) at 4.2 GeV



Calibrated elastic electron energy measured by the calorimeter.





Calorimeter elastic calibrations - 28 October calibration - DVCS observables



- No background subtraction yet.
- Optimization to be done by π^0 calibration see next talk(F.Georges).

Date	Electron(GeV)	Resolution(MeV)	E _{beam} (GeV)
Dec. 2014	5.2	167	7.3
Feb. 2016	3.1	144	4.4
Apr. 2016	3.1	144	4.4
Oct. 2016	4.2	133	6.5
Dec. 2016	4.2	154	6.5

- Apr. 2016 we loaded the wrong HV for the second iteration.
- Calibration coefficients ready for all these data but at this point you still need to talk to people and personally implement them in your code(s).
- To do: Copy these coefficients to the SQL database.

- Reference pulses were extracted from elastic data.
- For each block, a reference shape is done,
- Signals with a high response from the PMTs were selected, iterative averaging both in time and amplitude is done for all selected signals per block,
- Reference shapes were extracted from each of the following elastic data sets;
 - Fall 2014
 - Spring 2015
 - Spring 2016
 - Fall 2016

- Reference shapes were copied to the SQL DB for 2014, 2015 and Spring 2016 data, however the EDTM wasn't suppressed for those.
 EDTM-suppressed reference shapes have been done and are ready to be copied to the DB for 2014,2015 and Spring 2016.
- A few channels still need to be checked for Fall 2016 reference shapes and once this is done, they will also be copied to the DB.
- Once shapes are in the DB, the right set can be reached by the command: gdvcs → SetRun(runnumber); in your working macro. A wrong runnumber may take you to the wrong set of shapes where some of them are different and the timing is different.
- Once everything is finalized and implemented, a note will be written and submitted to the ELOG.

HRS-Calorimeter coincidence time corrections

- The goal was to reduce the dispersion of the coincidence time For each calorimeter block to less than 1 ns standard deviation
- A narrow coincidence window will close out many accidentals and improve the energy resolution of the calorimeter
- Corrections were applied to consider different calorimeter block positions, cable lengths, electron and light propagation distances in HRS. These include;
 - ARS stop trigger jitter
 - Time per calorimeter block
 - S2m scintillator paddle centering
 - Light propagation in S2m scintillators
 - Electron angle (theta) in HRS
 - Electron momentum in HRS



Example of "raw" and final time for Fall 2016 data, kin36_3. Time spectrum with just corrections Time spectrum after all corrections, for jitter, $\sigma = 6.5$ ns. $\sigma = 0.85$ ns.







Calorimeter Time corrections - Kin48_1,2,3,4 - calo channels



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Calorimeter Time corrections - Kin48_1,2,3,4 - S2m centering

Time distribution as a function of Time shift for centering paddles scintillator paddles. Time shift to center (ns) kin48 4 kin48_3 kin48 2 kin48_1 14 16 S2m paddle number

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Calorimeter Time corrections - Kin48_1,2,3,4 - S2m θ correction



theta-calo time slopes

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Calorimeter Time corrections - Kin48_1,2,3,4 - S2m Y correction



Y position-calo time slopes

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Calorimeter Time corrections - Kin48_1,2,3,4 - S2m momentum correction



Calorimeter Time corrections - Kin48_1,2,3,4 - Summary of σs from fit



Kin48_3: Coincidence time dispersion



Kin48_2:Coincidence time distribution dispersion



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Increase with beam current - 2 pulse Only single pulse waveform analysis analysis? was done for this result. tcalo Noise/(Sig.+Noise) ratio for DVCS3 Entries 863166 Voise/(Sig.+Noise) 5μA 4500 Mean 6.277 10µA RMS 10.34 12µA 4000 ¥ 15µA 0.7 3500 0.6 3000 2500 0.5 2000 1500 0.4 1000 0.3 500 -10 10 5 15 10600 10650 10700 10550 1075 time (ns) Run number

Noise

Signal+Noise

ratio

- Time corrections have been done for all kinematics (0.36, 0.48 and 0.60) based on the current state of the SQL DB(ref. shapes).
- Up to now, these have not been copied to the SQL DB, you still need to talk to people and do some hard-coding in your analysis code in order to implement the corrections.
- To Do;
 - Conclude work on reference shapes and copy them to SQL DB.
 - Re-do the calorimeter arrival times with updated DB.
 - Collect all corrections and copy them to the DB.
 - Look at $\frac{noise}{signal+noise}$ across all the kinematics.

The End, Thank you

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