

# Scattered Beam Monitors and Scanning Detectors



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# Overview



- Moller Scattering and the MOLLER Experiment
- Fundamental Considerations
- Detector Design
  - SAM
  - LAM
  - Downstream Scanner
  - Upstream Scanner

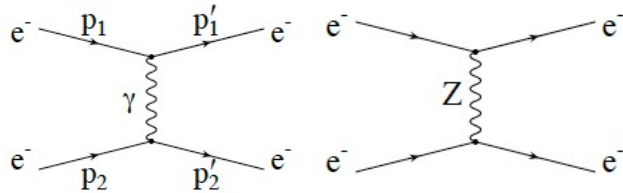


# The MOLLER Experiment

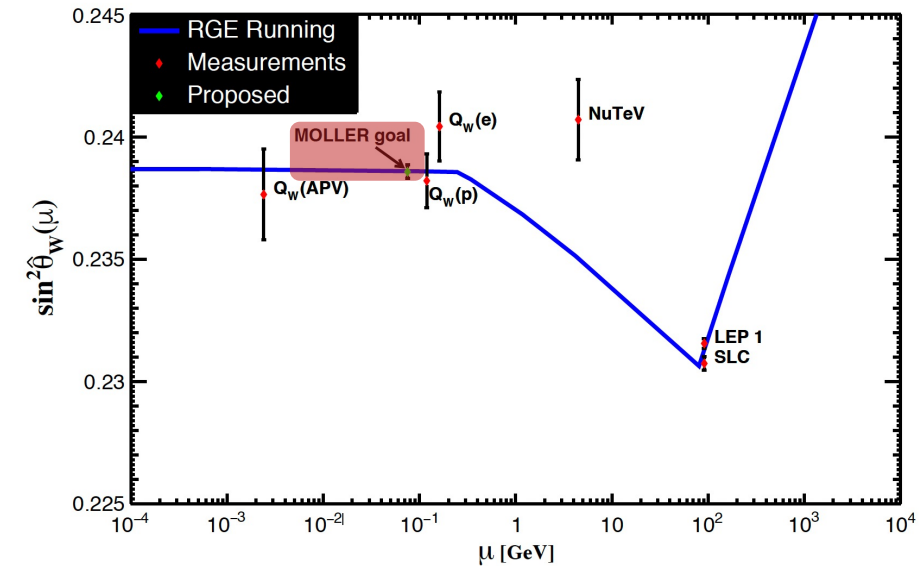
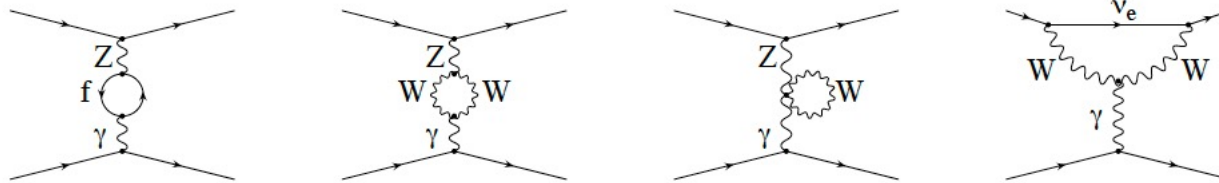


- $e^-e^- \rightarrow e^-e^-$  with 11 GeV longitudinally polarized electron beam incident on unpolarized hydrogen target
- $A_{PV} \propto Q_W^e = 1 - 4\sin^2 \Theta_W$ 
  - $\sin^2 \Theta_W$  becomes energy dependent at one-loop level
- Predicted  $A_{PV} \approx 33 \pm 0.8$  ppb  $\rightarrow$  2.4% measure of  $Q_W^e$ 
  - Current theoretical prediction error w/  $m_{Higgs} = 126$  GeV:  $\pm 0.2$  ppb (theory)

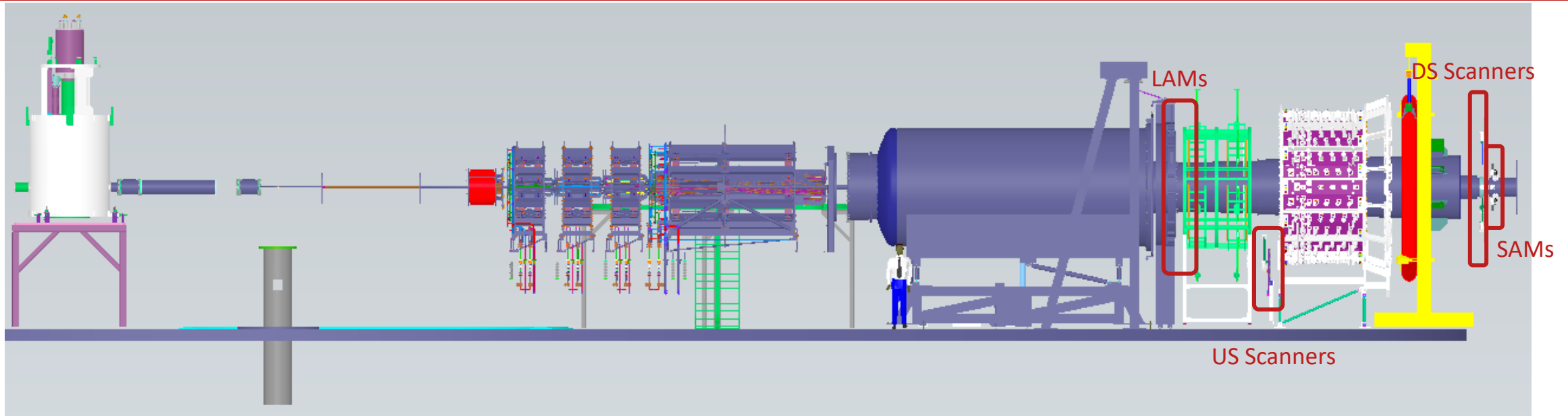
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One-loop corrections:



# The MOLLER Apparatus



## Scattered Beam Monitors

- Large Angle Monitors (x7)
- Small Angle Monitors (x8)
- Diffuse Beam Monitors (x14)
  - Integrating Cerenkov detectors
  - Sensitive to potential false asymmetries
  - DBM's not included in this talk

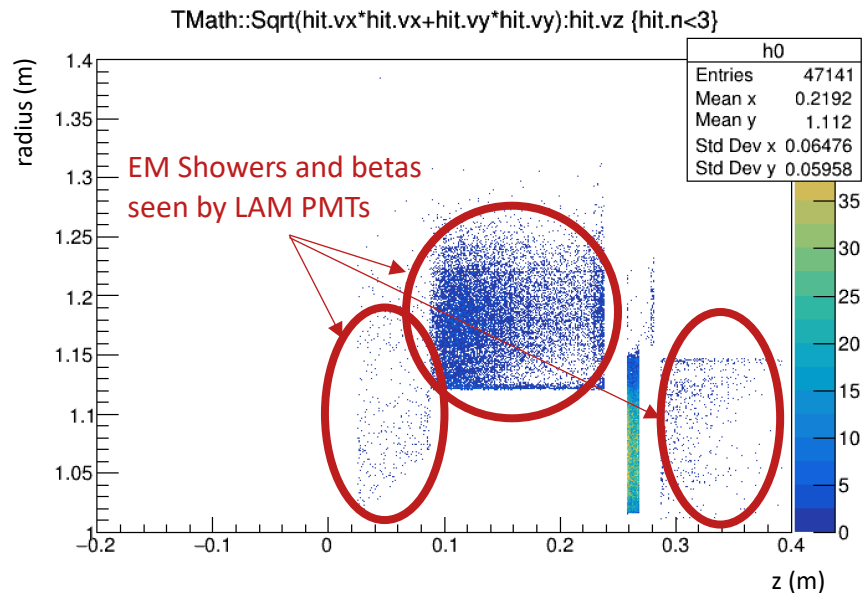
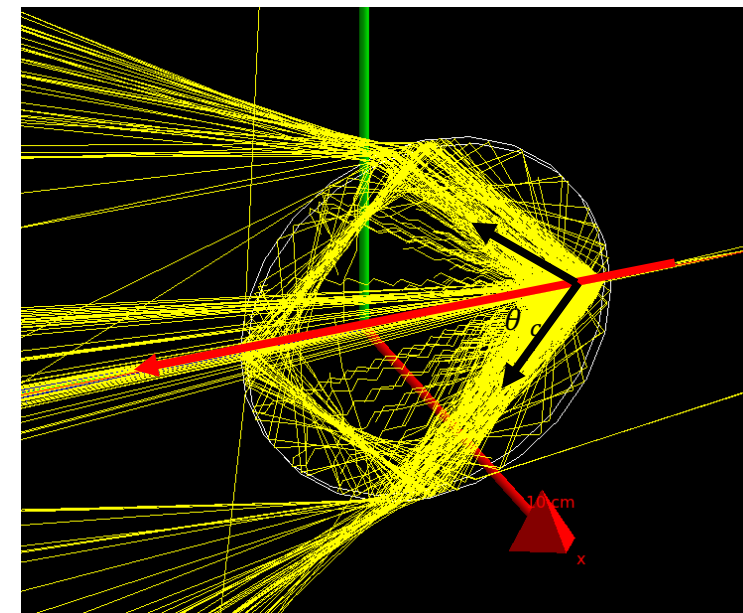
## Scanner Detectors

- Upstream Scanner (x1)
  - 2D scanning in both integrating and counting modes
- Downstream Scanner (x4)
  - 1D radial scanning in integrating mode

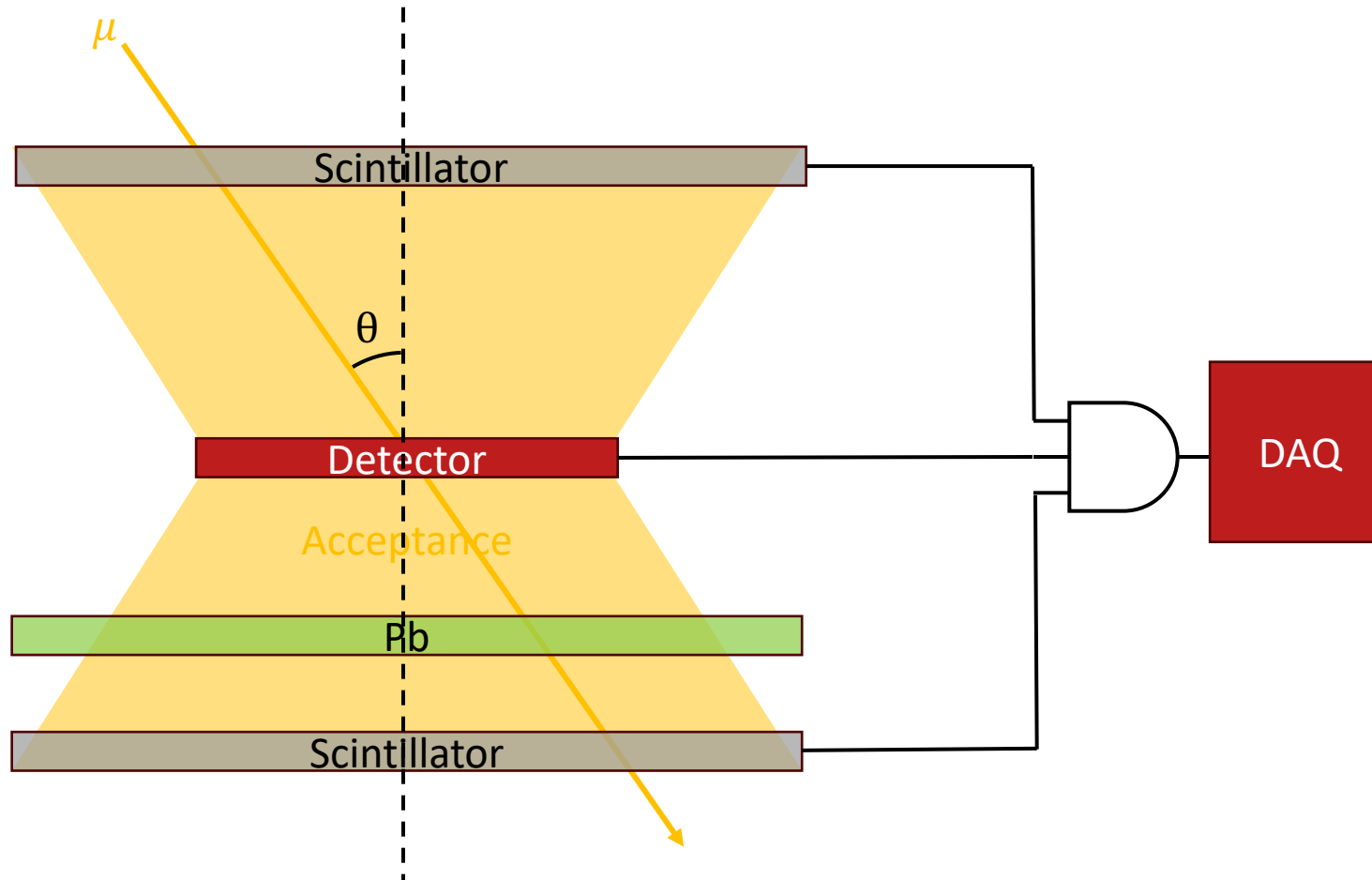
# Light Transport in Beam Monitors



- Goal: Detect  $\beta \approx 1$  electrons in high-rate (GHz) regions
  - Currently simulating for cosmic tests
- Tools: Cerenkov radiation, total internal reflection
- Difficulties: Attenuation, EM Scattering
- Solution: create a signal in the region of interest which outweighs the signal from the background region



# Cosmic Testing

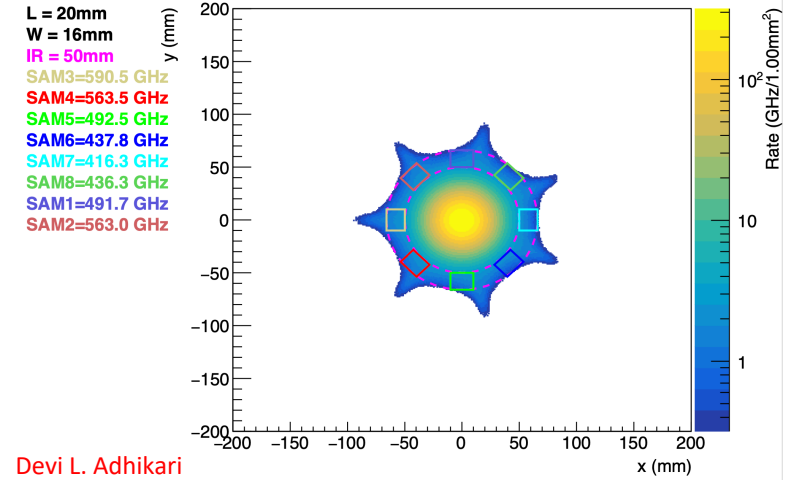


\*Simplified Circuit

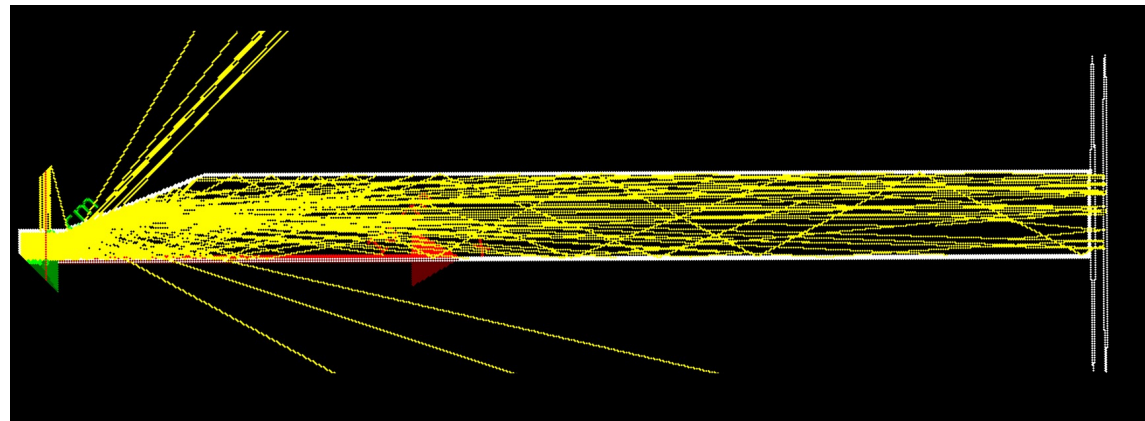
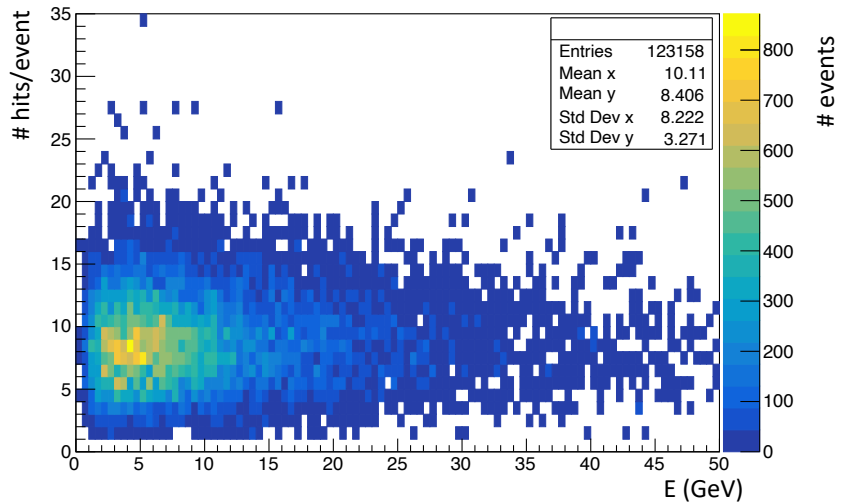
# Small Angle Monitors (SAMs)



$e^-/\pi^-$  ( $E > 1$  MeV) XY dist. on det176 (LH2\_beam\_V30)



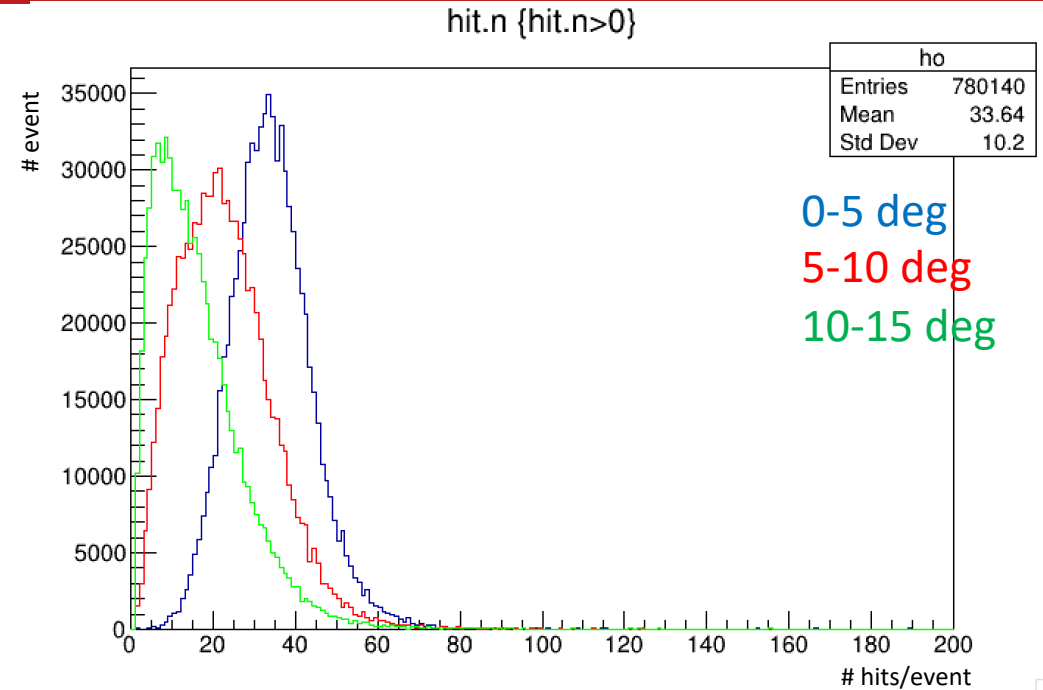
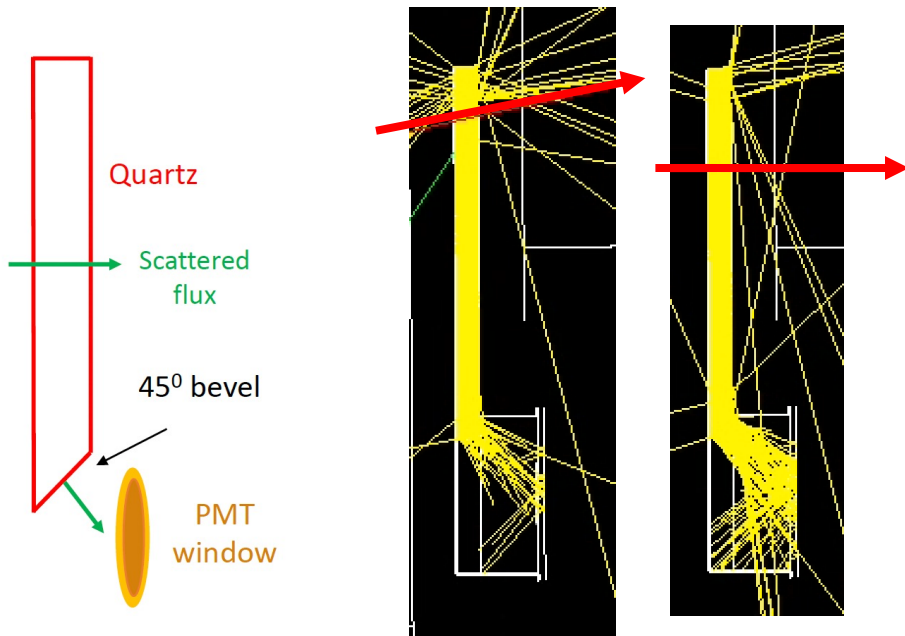
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# Large Angle Monitors (LAMs)



- Rate dominated by e-p elastic tail ( $\sim 2/3$  e-p elastic,  $\sim 1/3$  Moller,  $\sim 0.3\%$  e-p inelastic)
  - Small asymmetry ( $\sim 7$  ppb)
- Monitor for potential false asymmetry

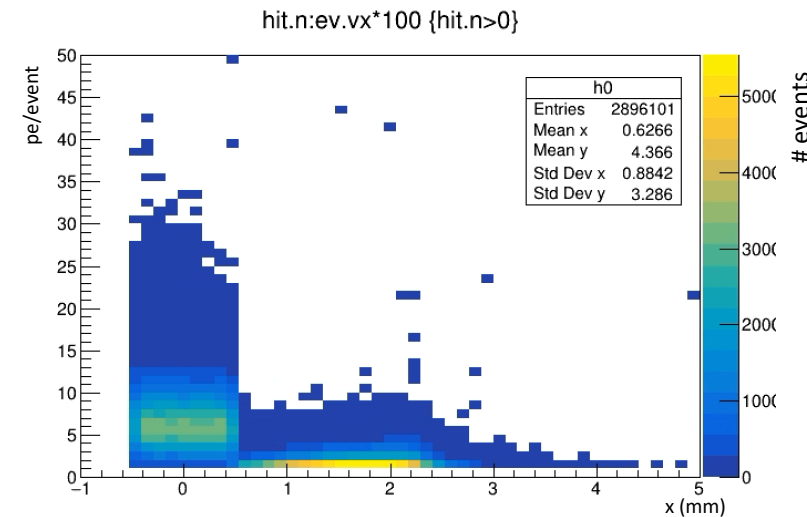
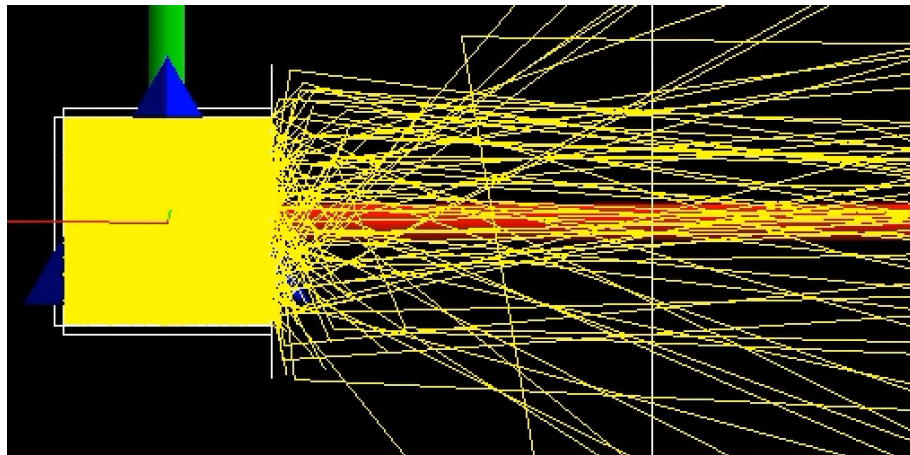
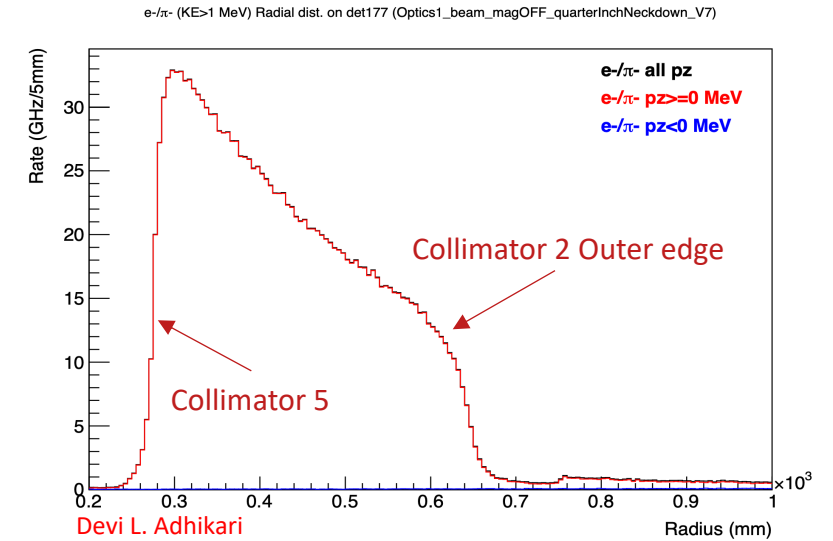




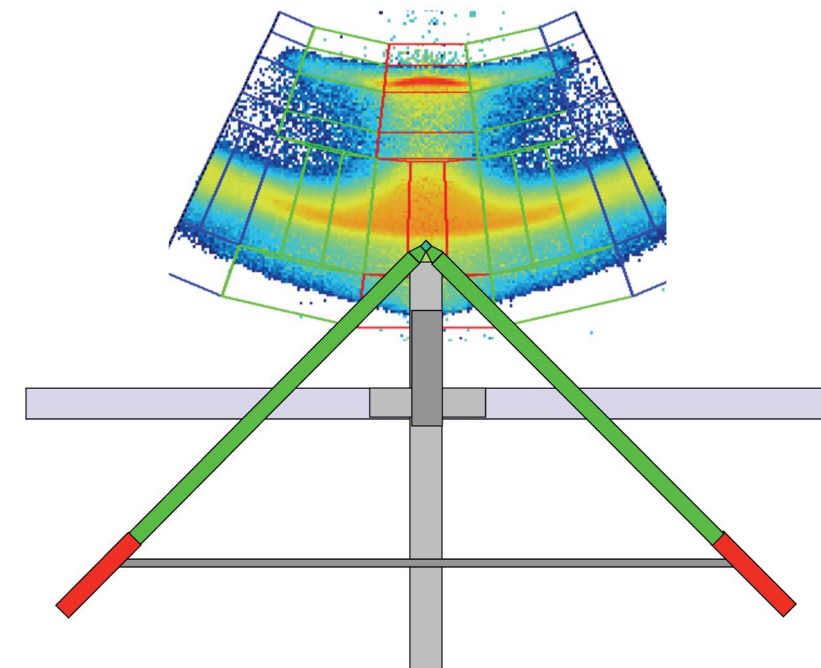
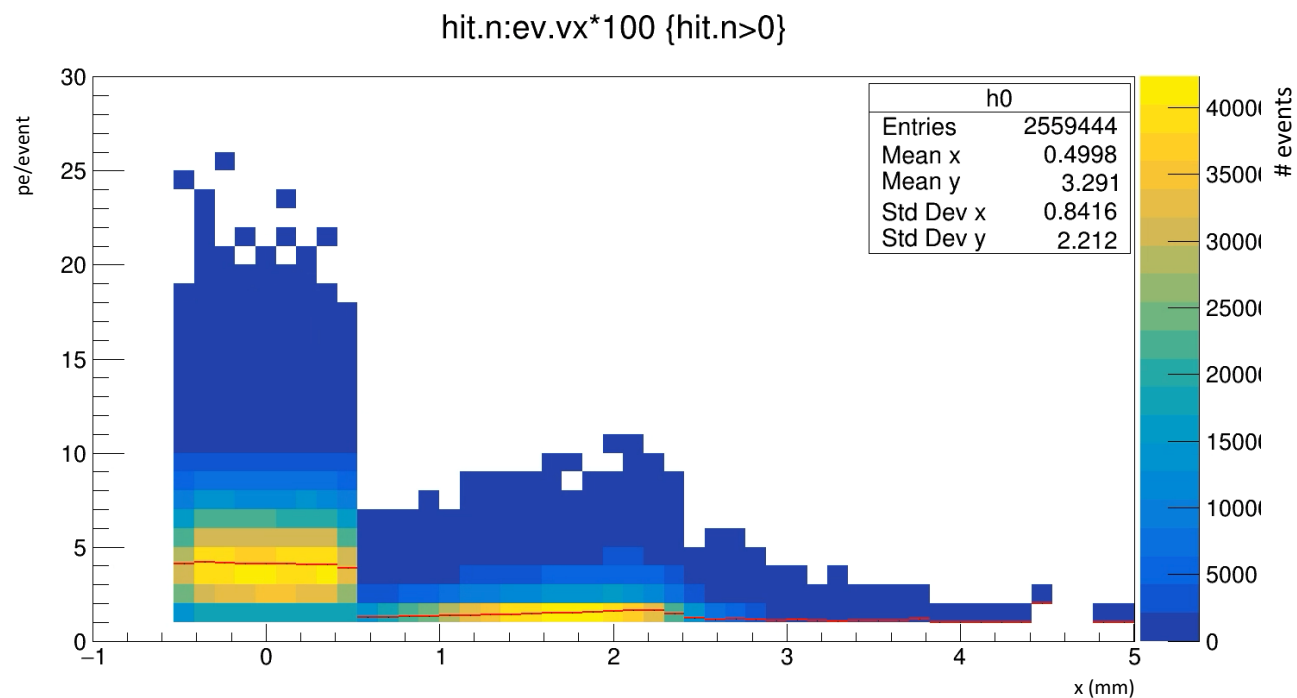
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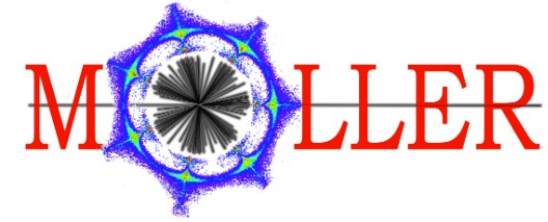
- Goal: measure outer edge of Collimator 2 and Collimator 5
- Concern: background at Collimator 5 edge will be high due to high rate through lightguide



# Upstream Monitors



These simulations are the worst-case scenario for US/DS Scanners. The light guides will be evacuated for experiment



**Thank you!**



