

# Scintillator Signal & Background at e-LASER IP

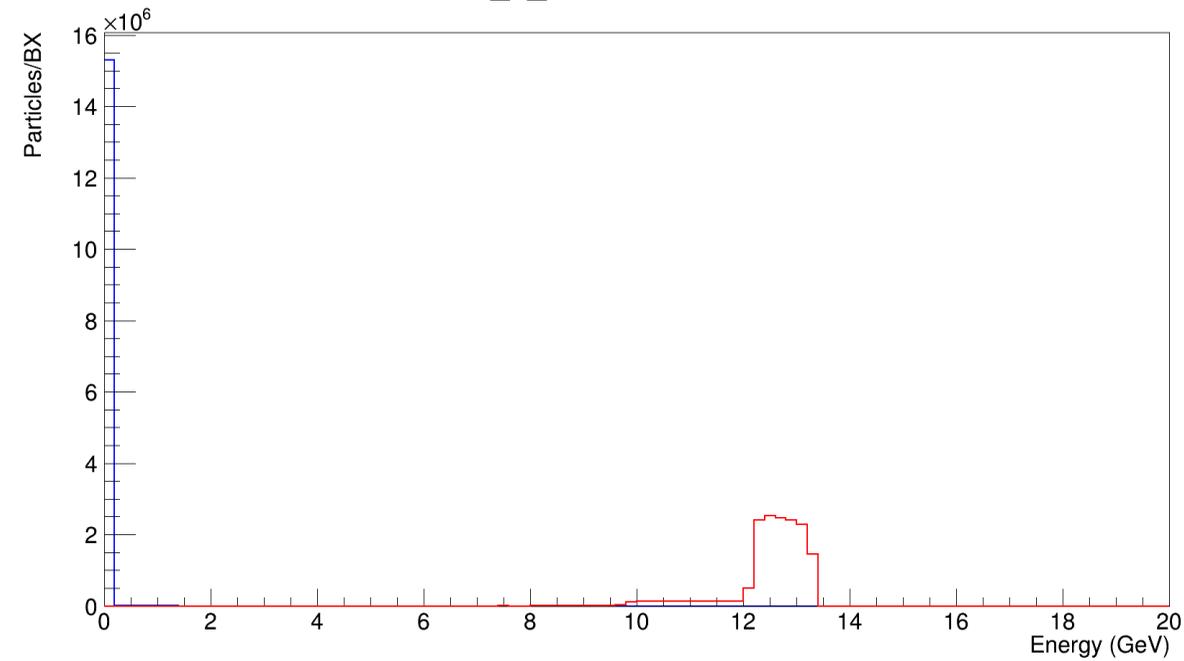
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The logo for the LUXE experiment, featuring the word "LUXE" in a bold, blue, sans-serif font. The letter "X" is stylized with a white starburst or spark-like shape in the center.

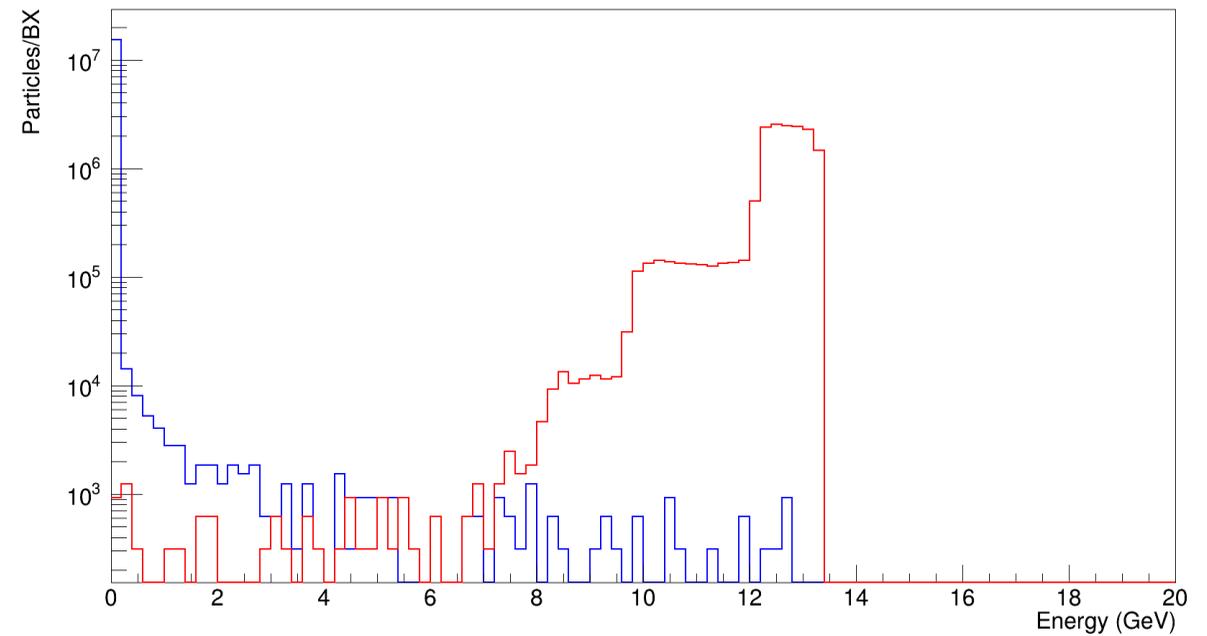
run\_5\_50um.root Particles



**Blue - 'Background'**

**All Bkg -  $1.535 \times 10^7$**

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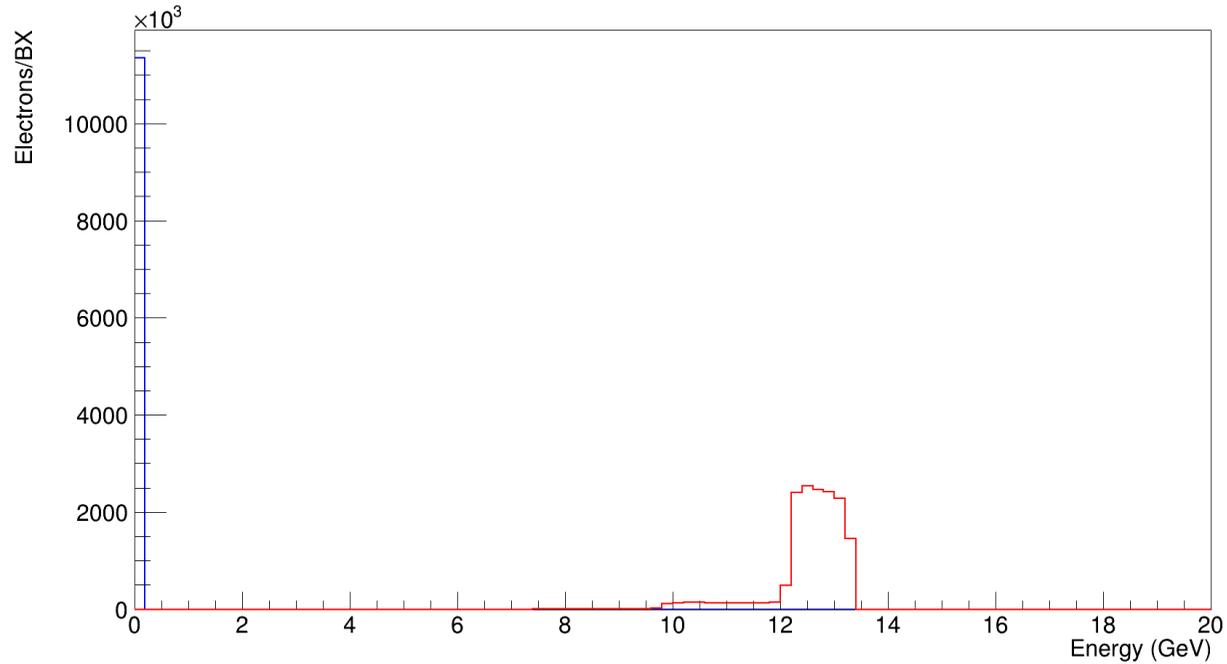


**Red - 'Signal'**

**All Sig -  $1.566 \times 10^7$**

**Low  $\xi_{\max} = 0.31,$   
 $w_0 = 50 \mu\text{m}, n_{\text{BX}} = 485$**

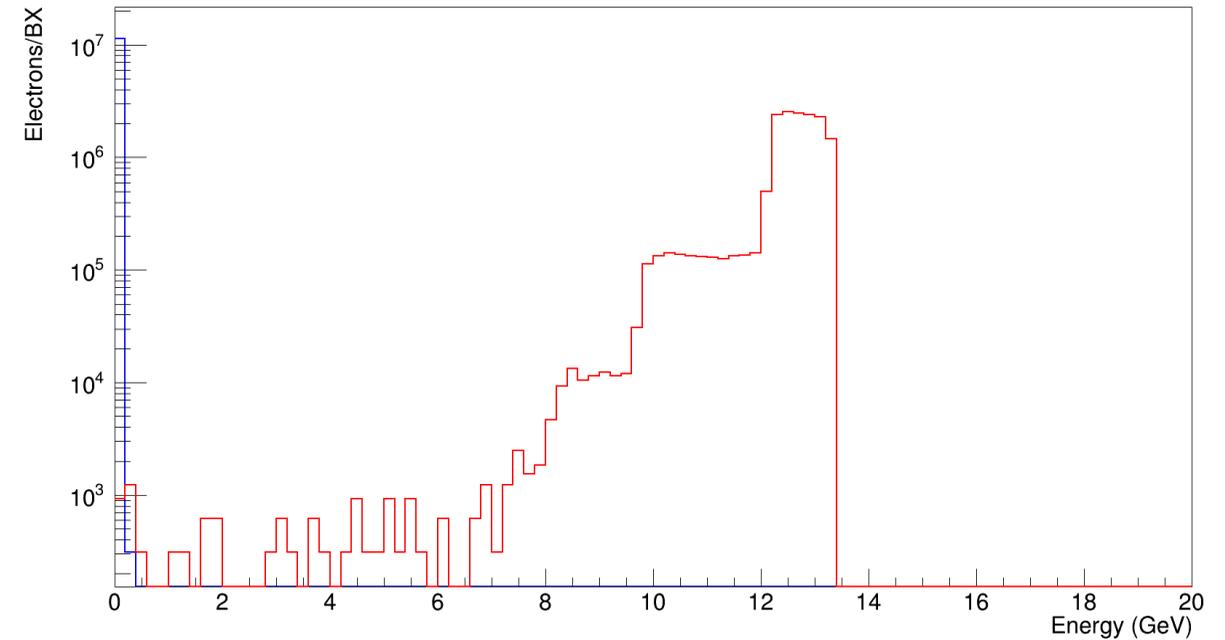
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$$e^- \text{ Bkg} - 1.135 \times 10^7$$

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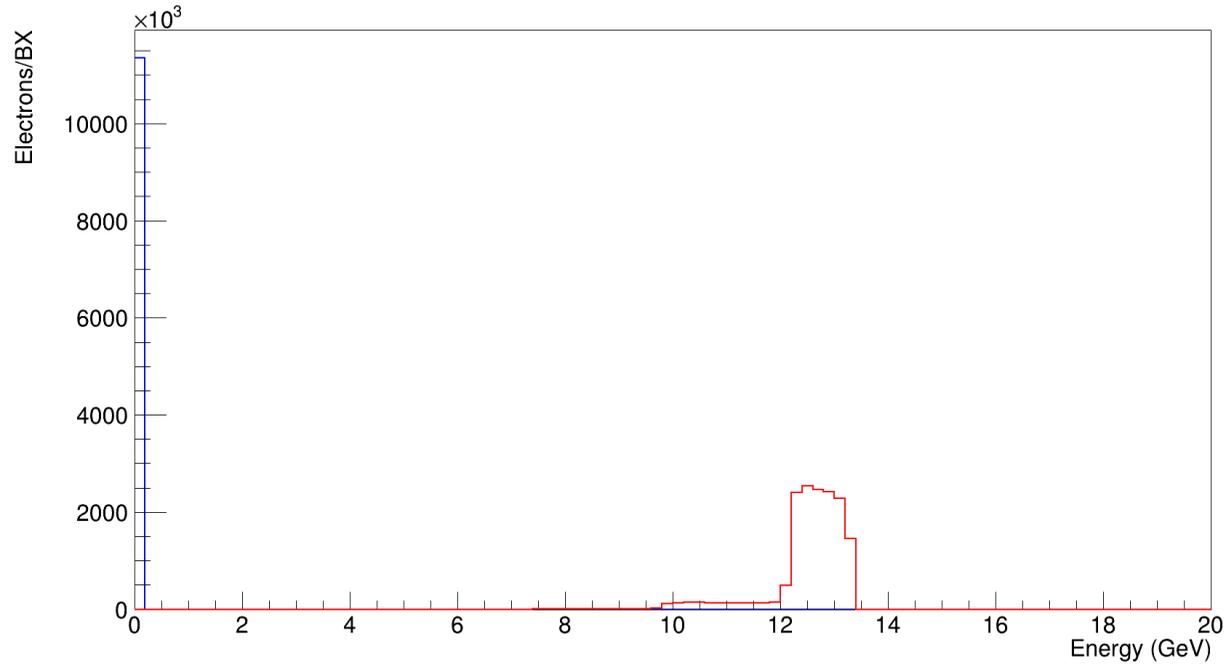
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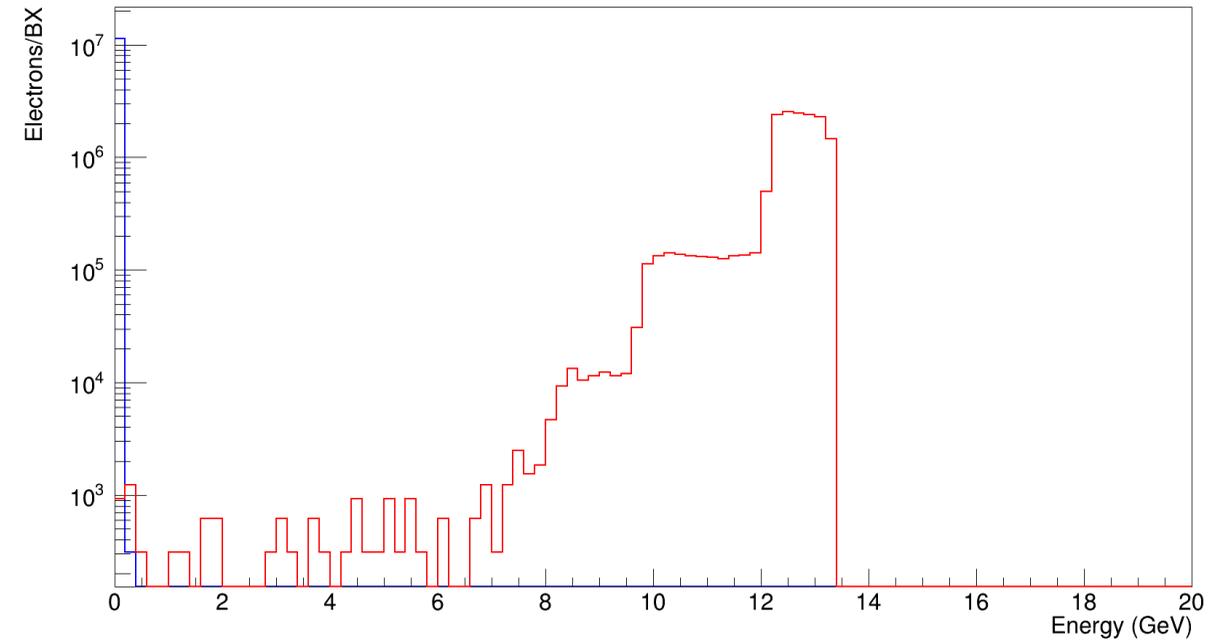
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**$e^-$  Bkg < 1 GeV  $\rightarrow$   $1.135 \times 10^7$**

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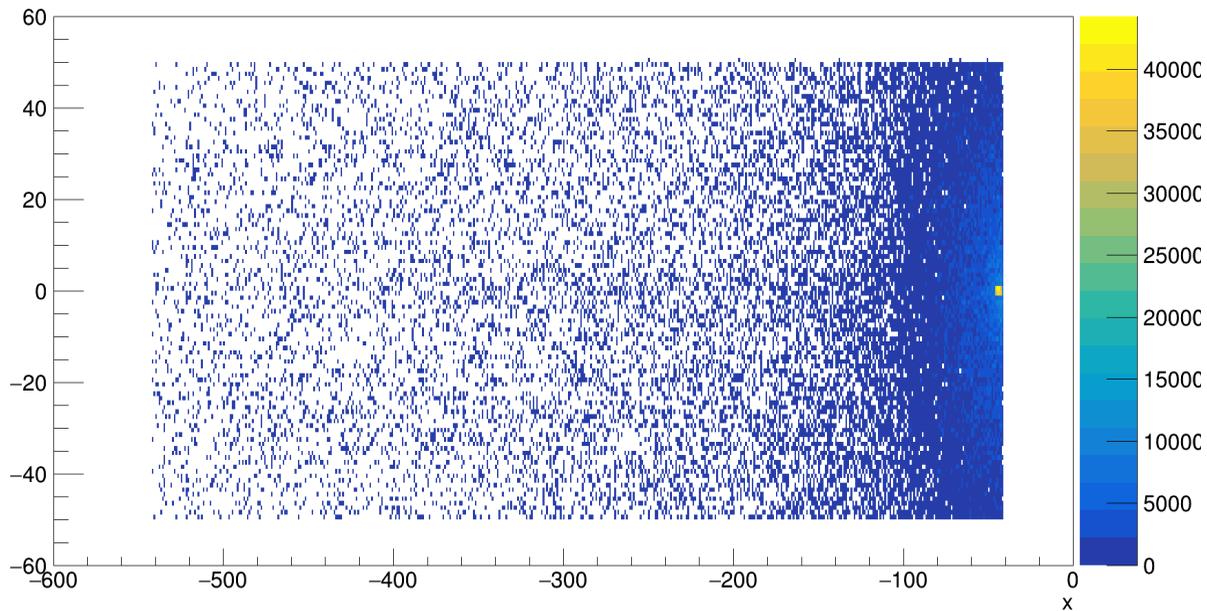


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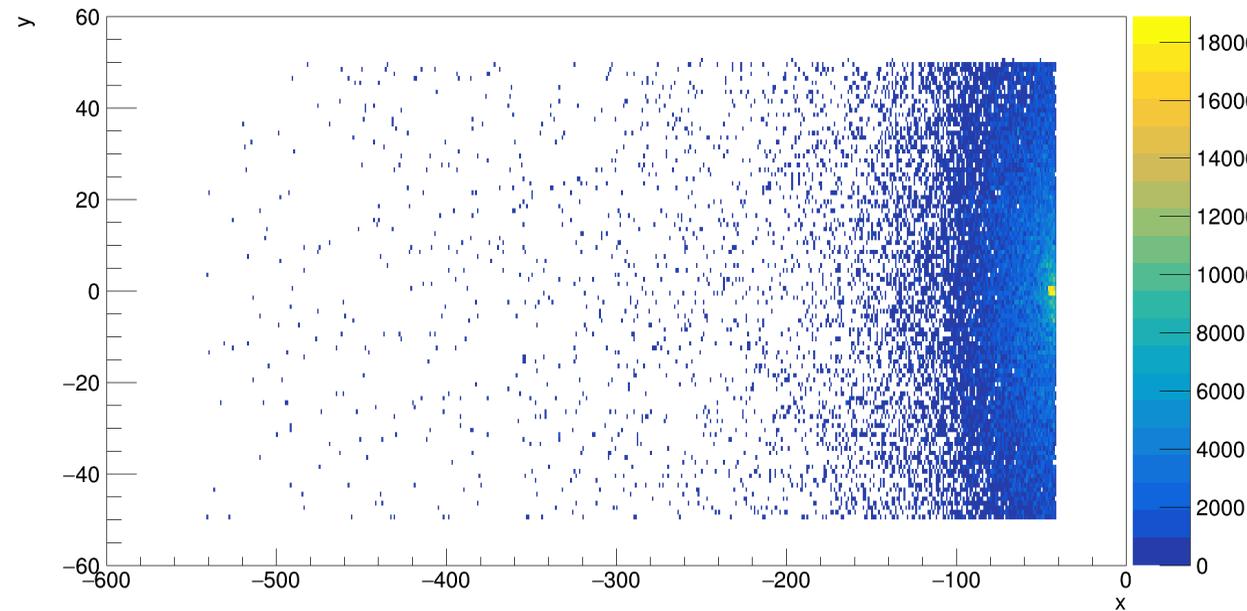
**$e^-$  Sig < 1 GeV  $\rightarrow$  928**

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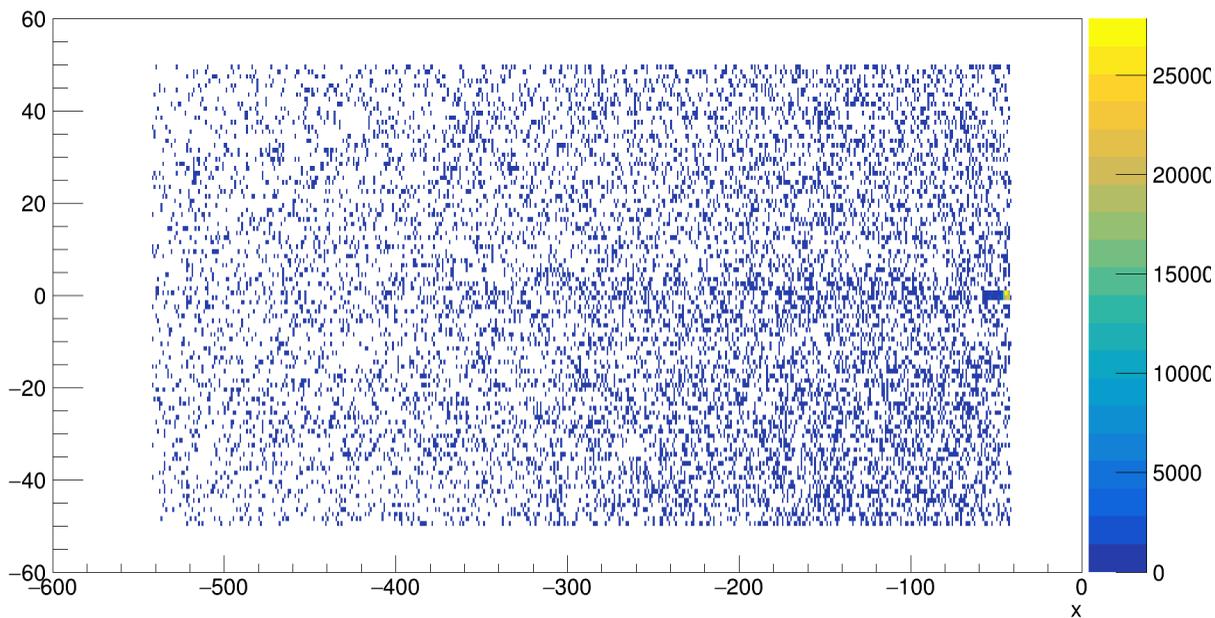
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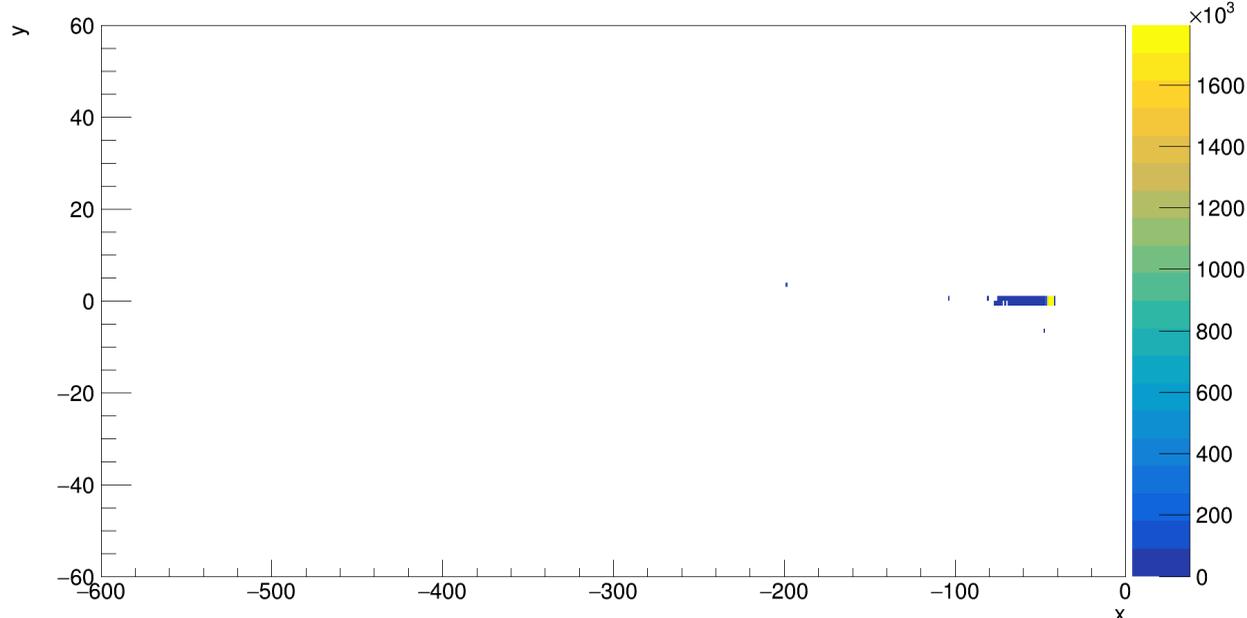
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**At first look, for 0.5 mm GadOx screen in Geant:**

**1 GeV  $e^-$   $\rightarrow$  480 keV depos.**

**1 GeV  $\gamma$   $\rightarrow$  15 keV depos.**

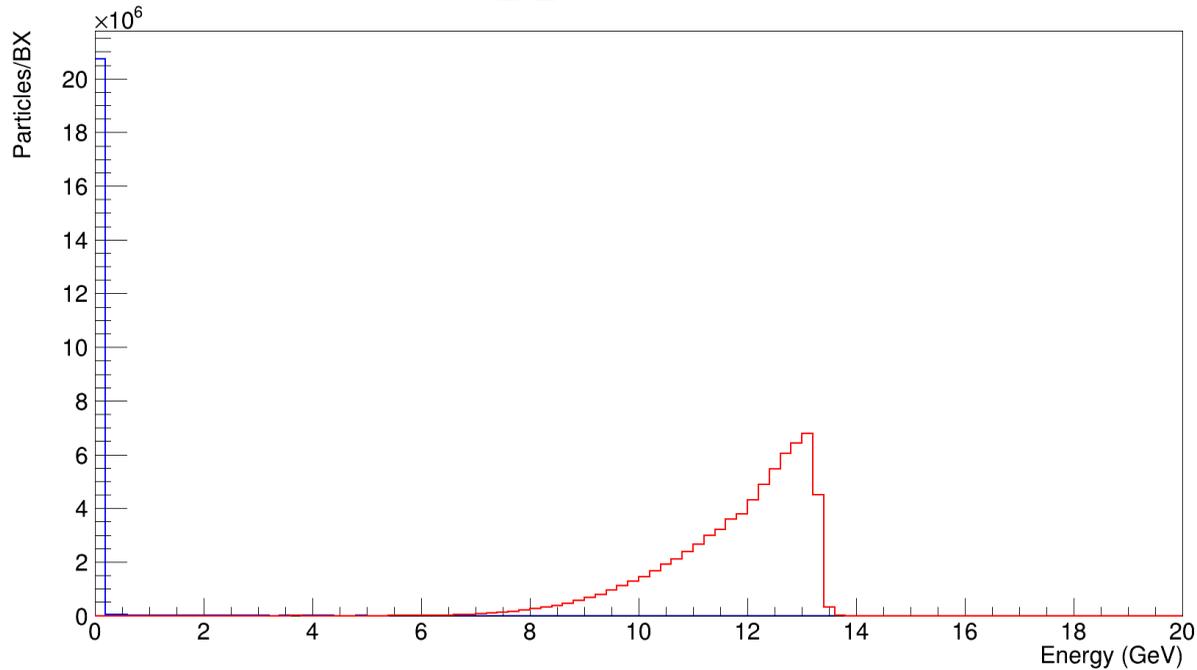
**10 GeV  $e^-$   $\rightarrow$  480 keV depos.**

**10 GeV  $\gamma$   $\rightarrow$  15 keV depos.**

**Or electrons are  $\sim$ 30 times more effective**

**Working on plots of a more complete evaluation**

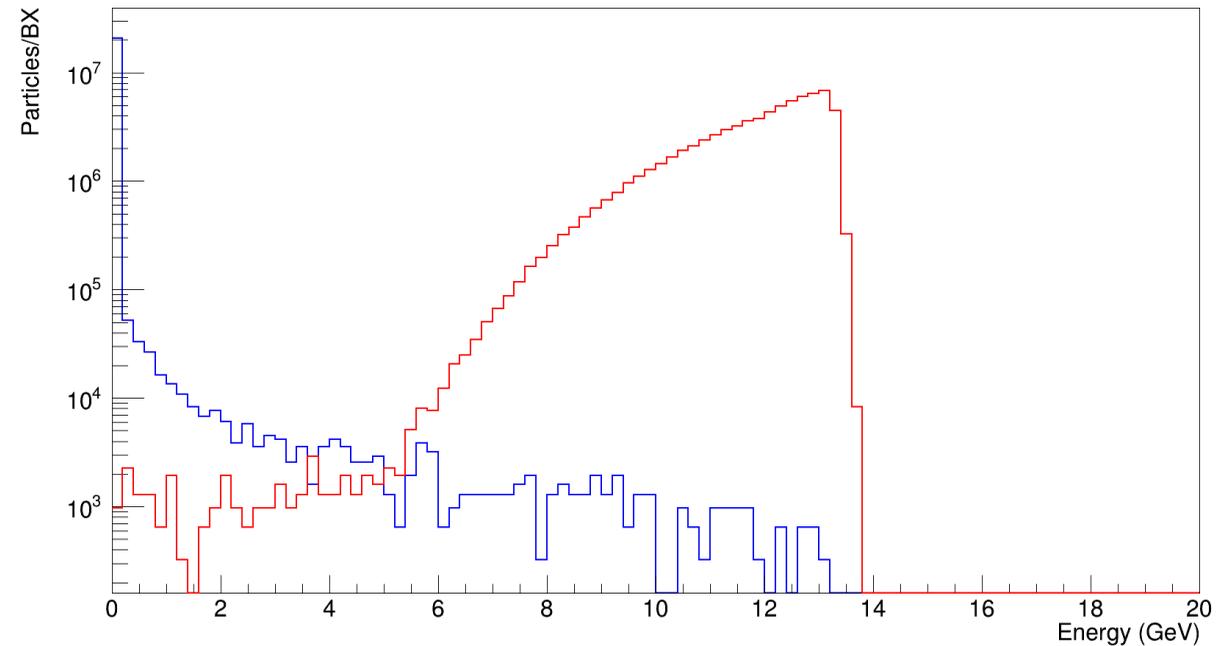
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**All Bkg  $\rightarrow 2.09 \times 10^7$**

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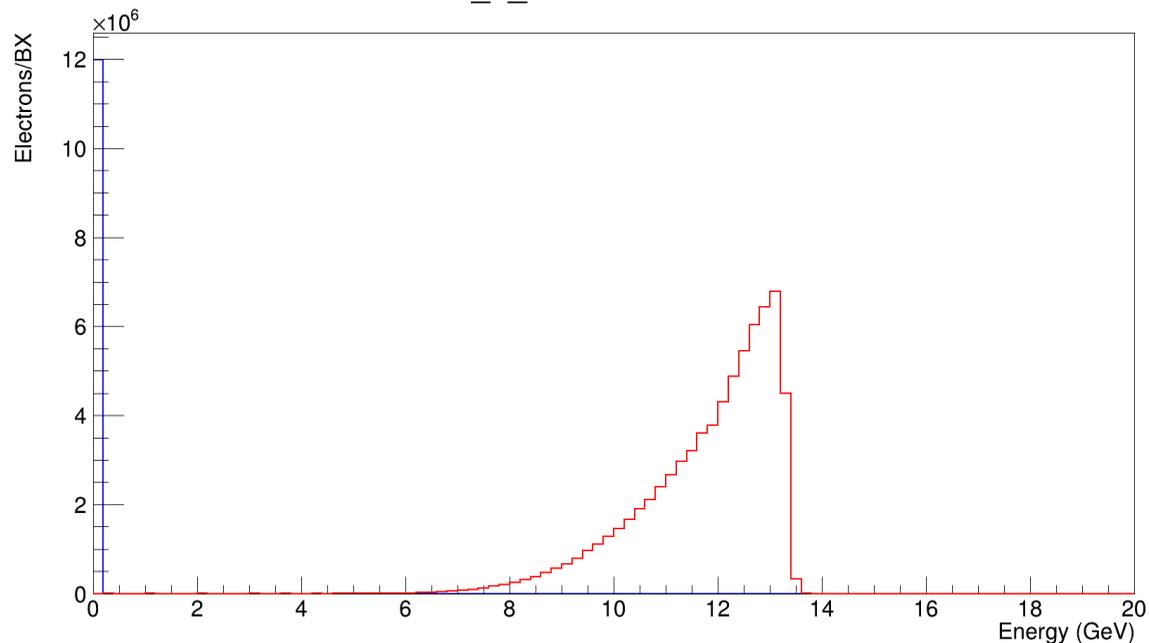


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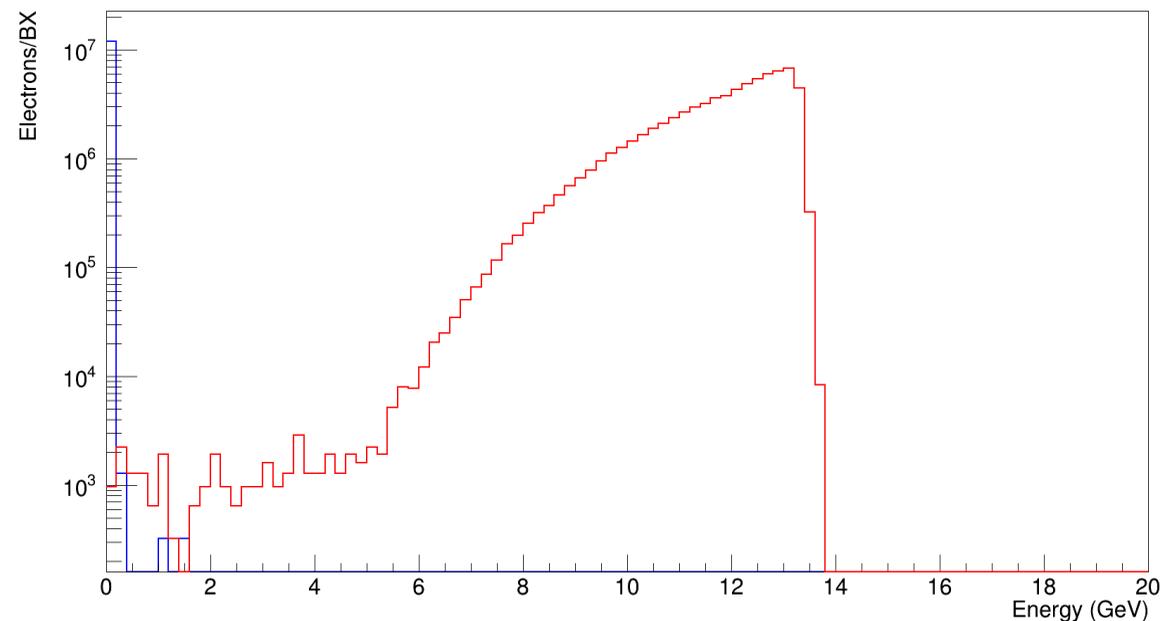
**All Sig  $\rightarrow 7.21 \times 10^7$**

**High  $\xi_{\max} = 5.12,$   
 $w_0 = 3 \mu\text{m}, n_{\text{BX}} = 467$**

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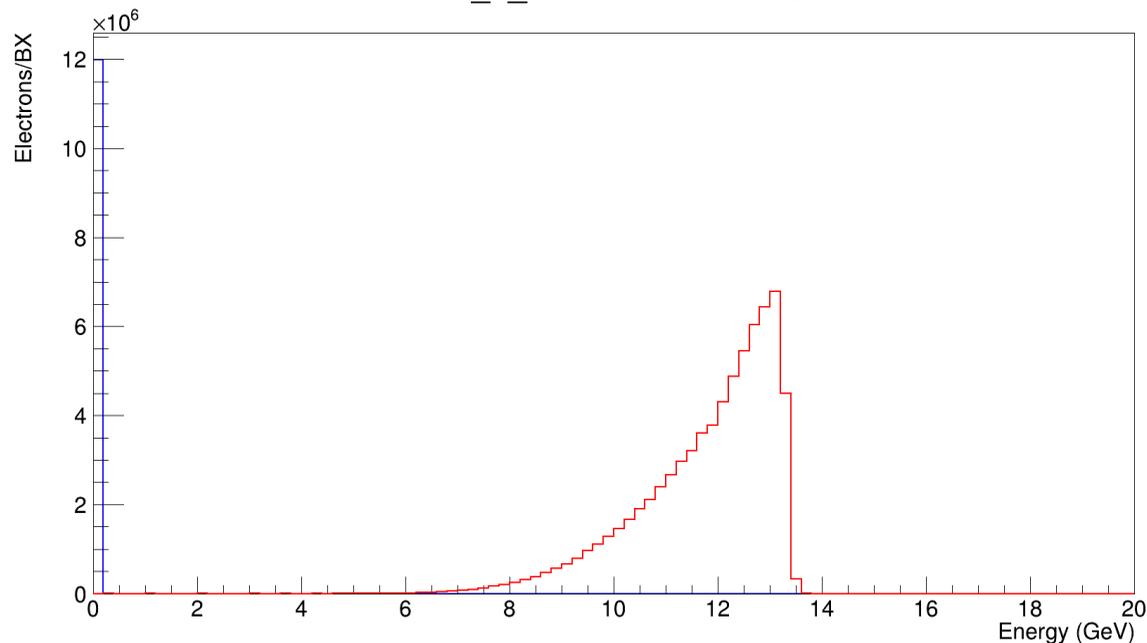
**Red - 'Signal'**

**$e^-$  Bkg  $\rightarrow 1.20 \times 10^7$**

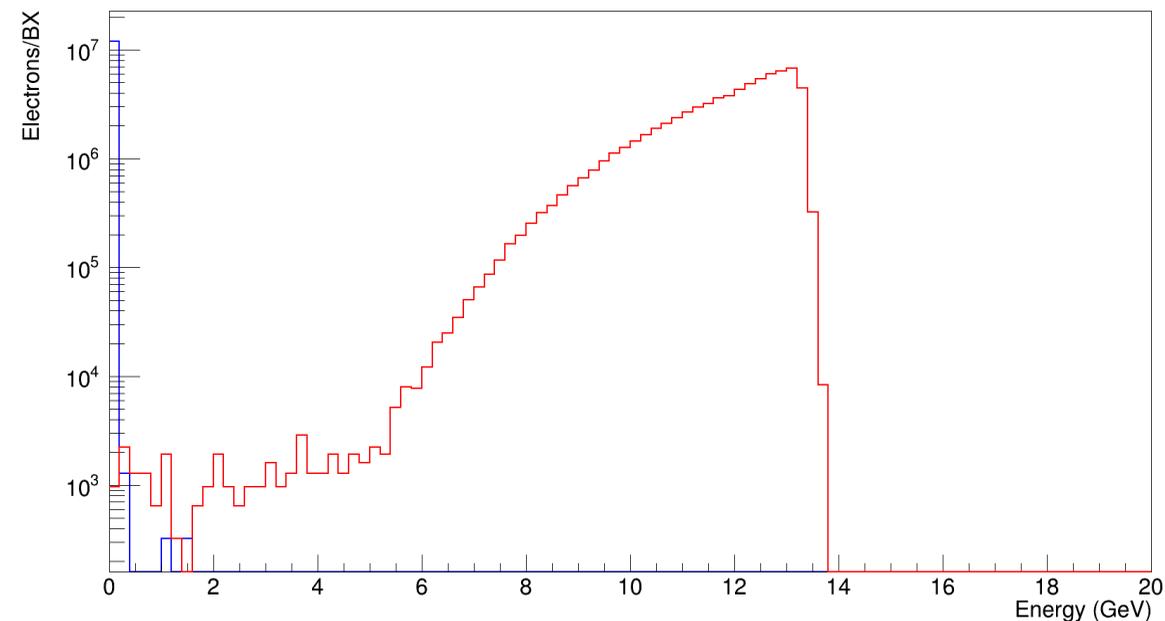
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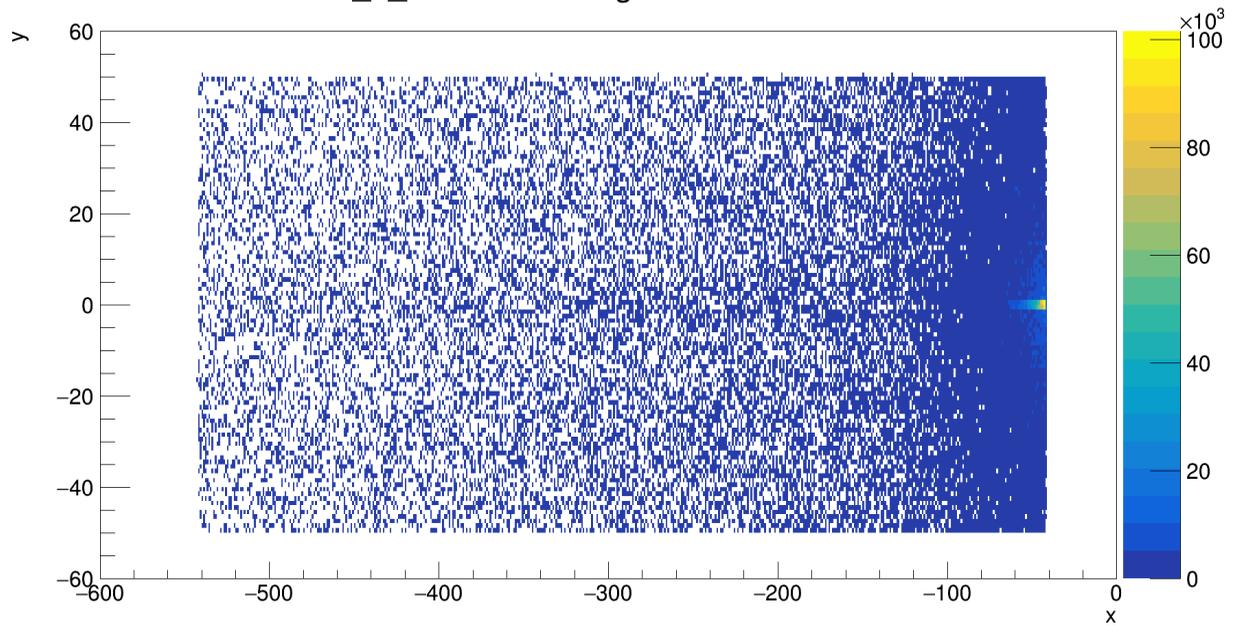
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**$e^-$  Bkg < 1 GeV  $\rightarrow$   $1.20 \times 10^7$**

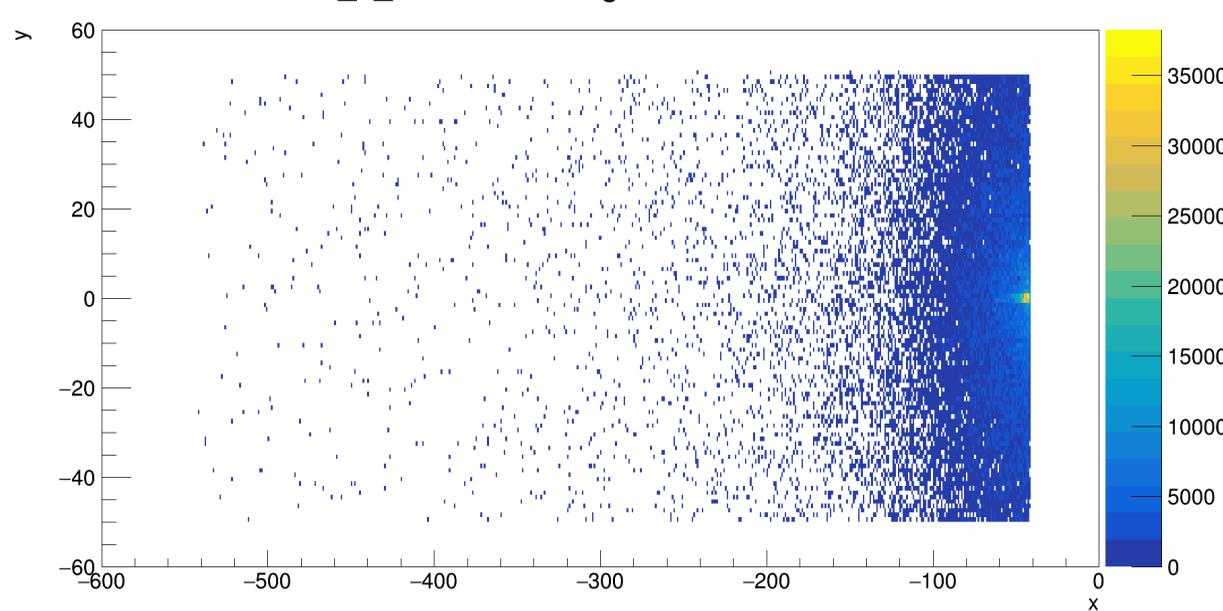
**$e^-$  Sig < 1 GeV  $\rightarrow$  964**

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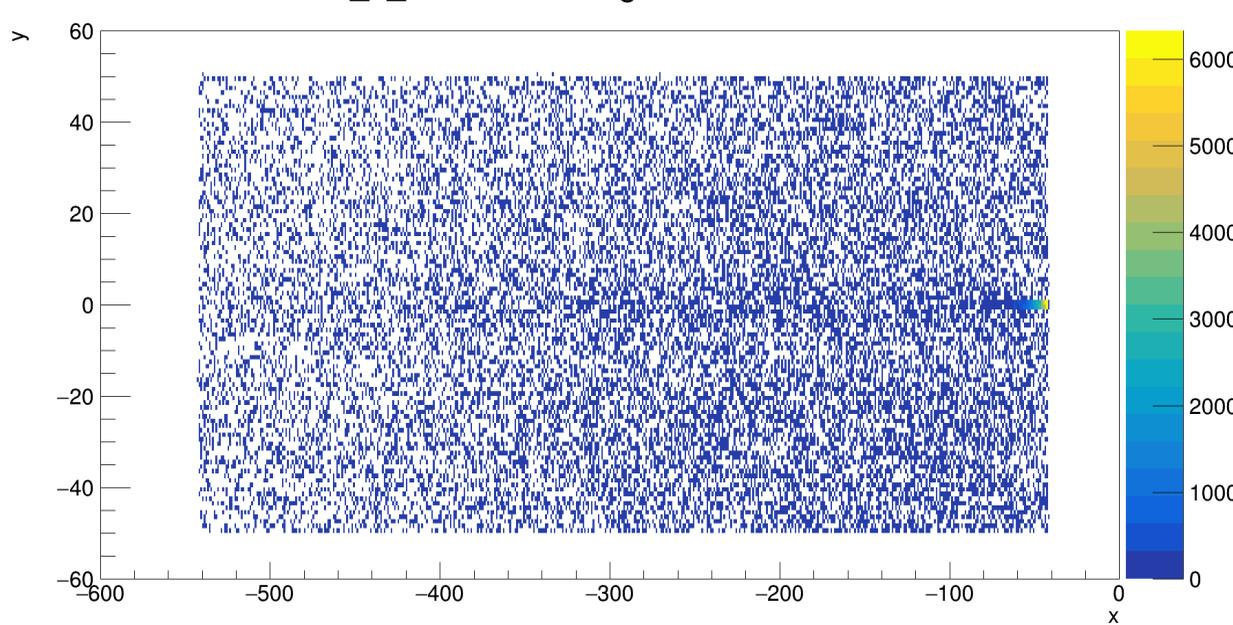
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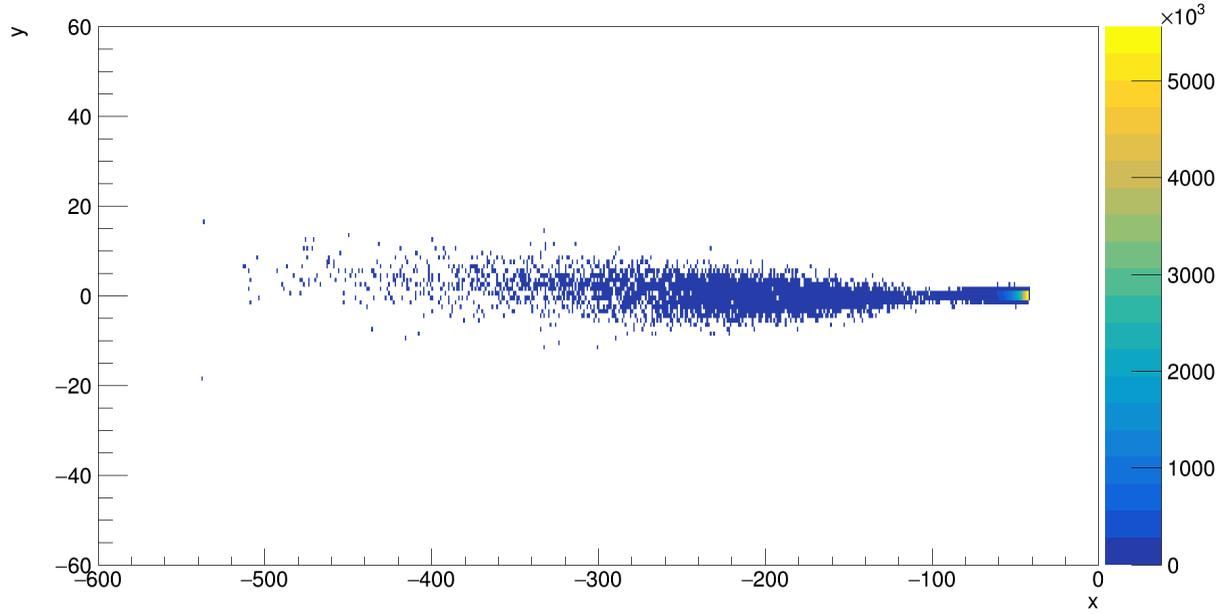
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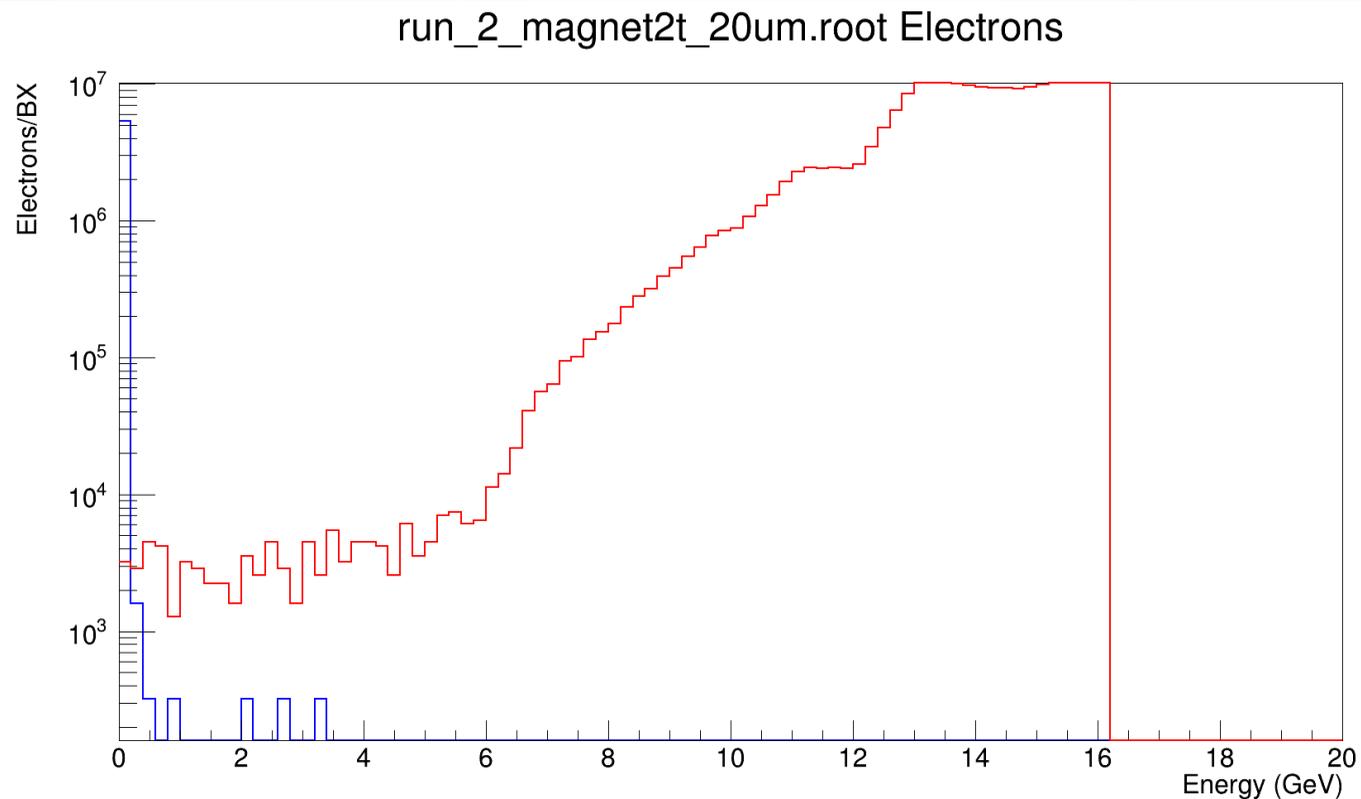
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# Backup

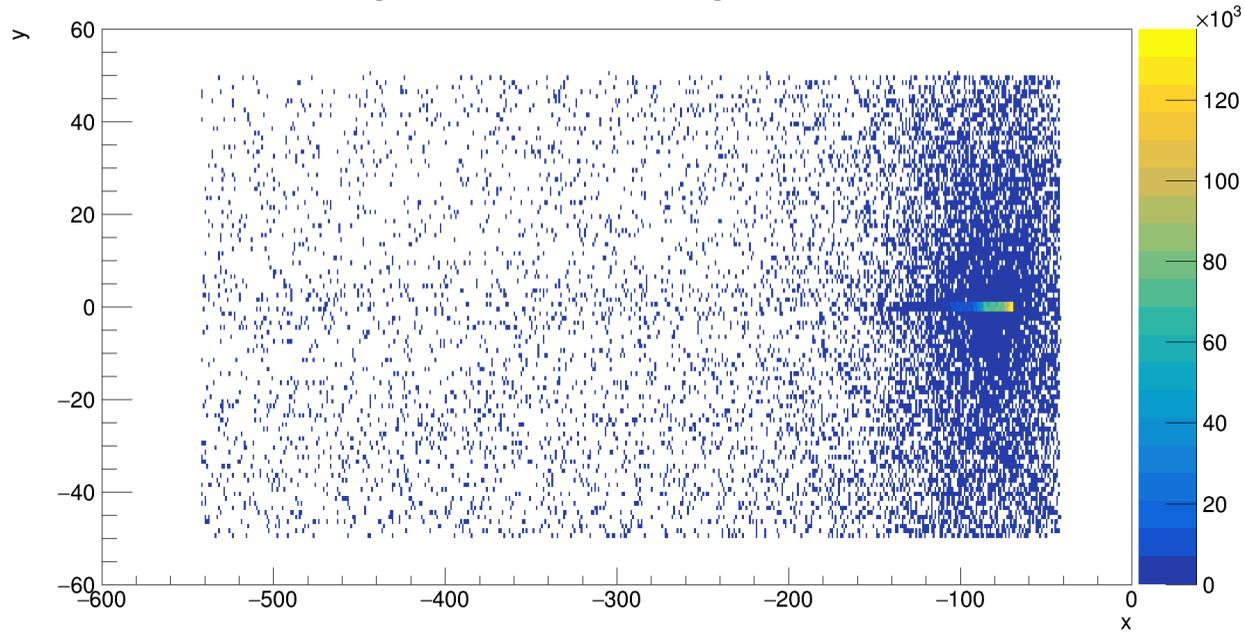


$e^-$  Bkg  $\rightarrow 5.33 \times 10^6$

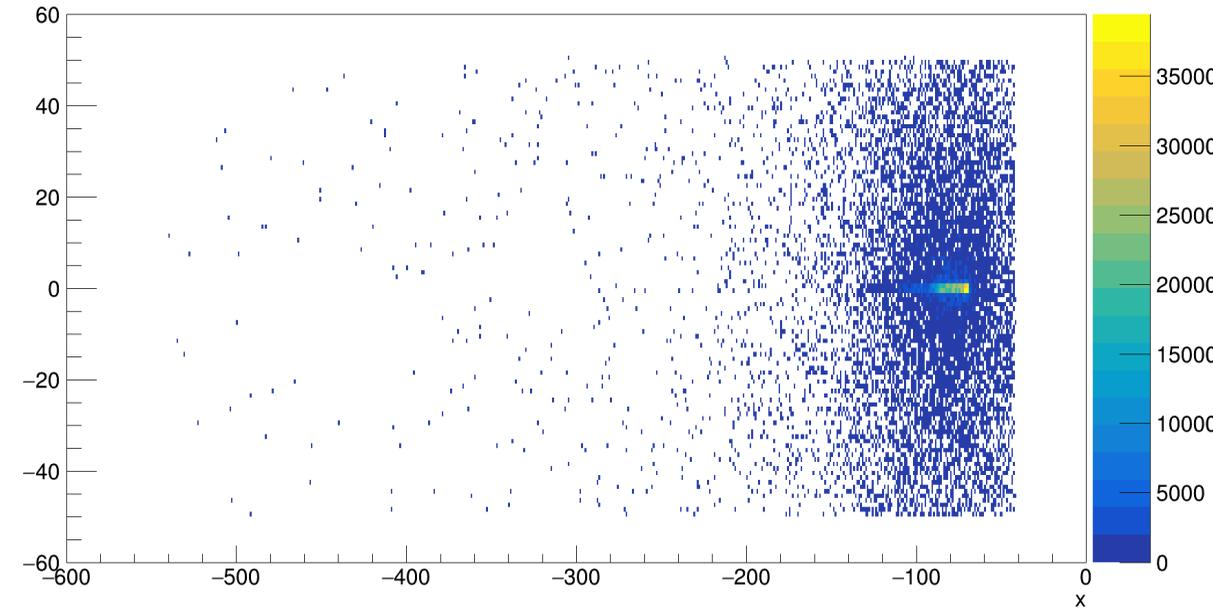
$e^-$  Sig  $\rightarrow 2.21 \times 10^8$

2T magnet – no  $e^-$  above 16.2 GeV  
Not reliable!..

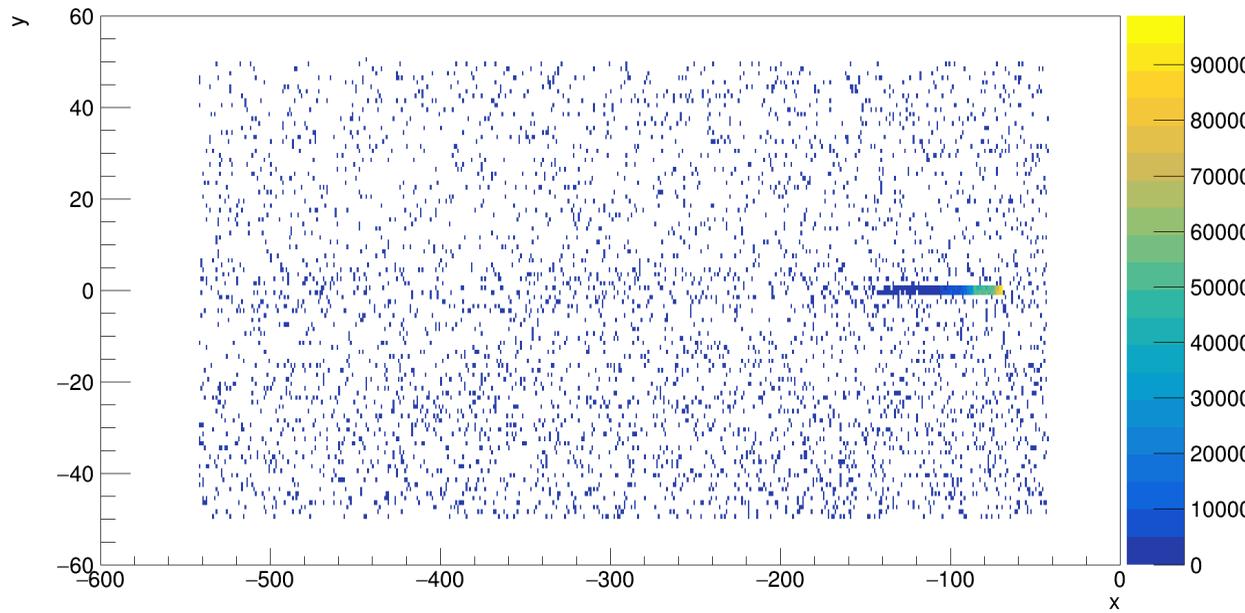
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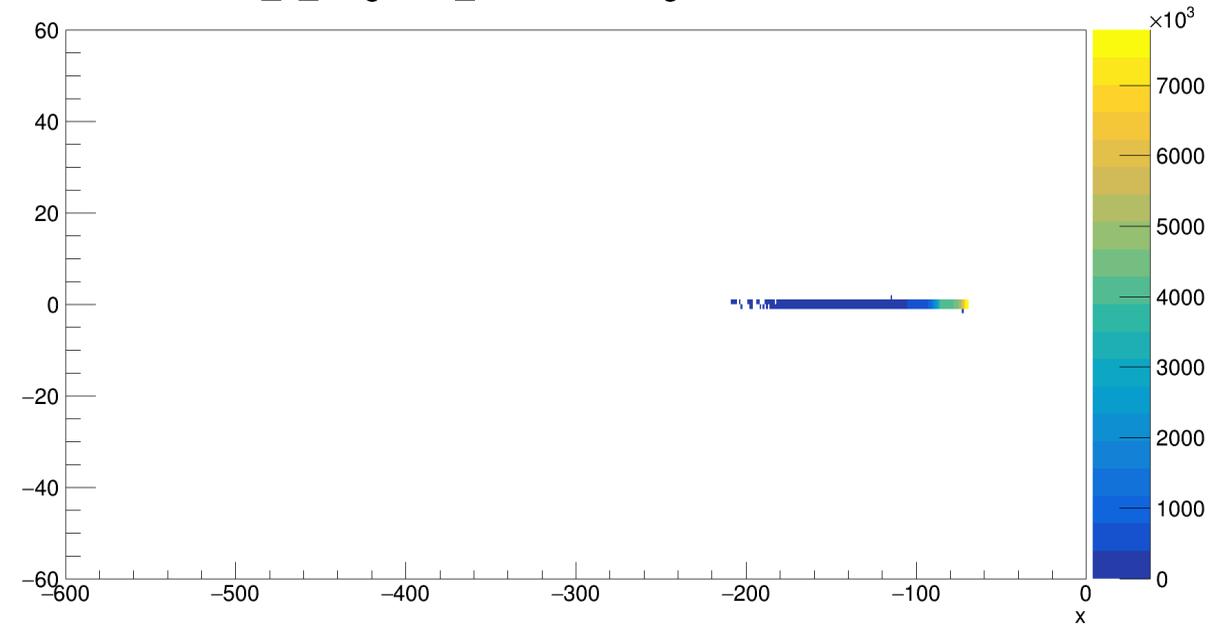
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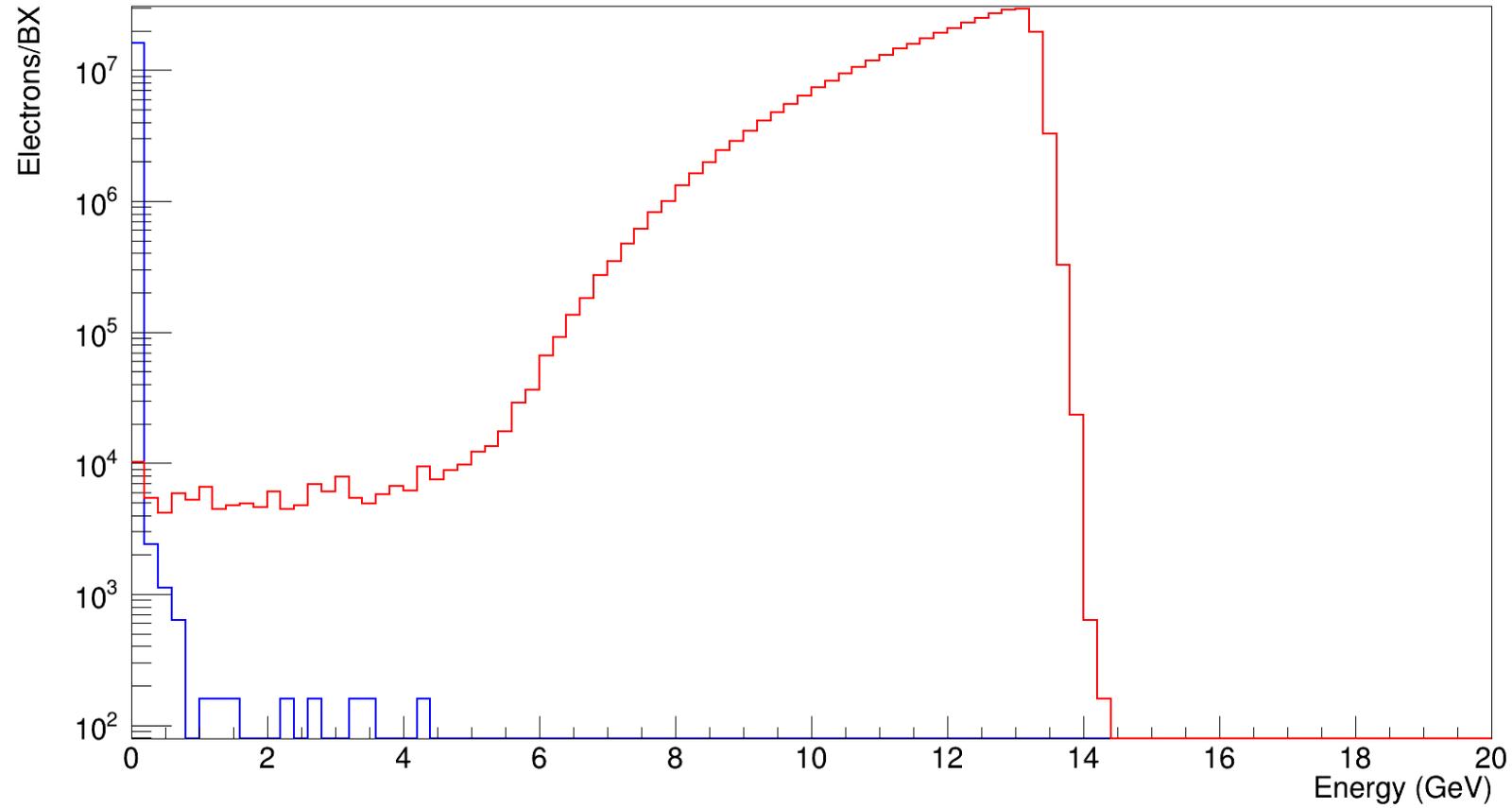
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run\_8\_phase2\_8um.root Electrons

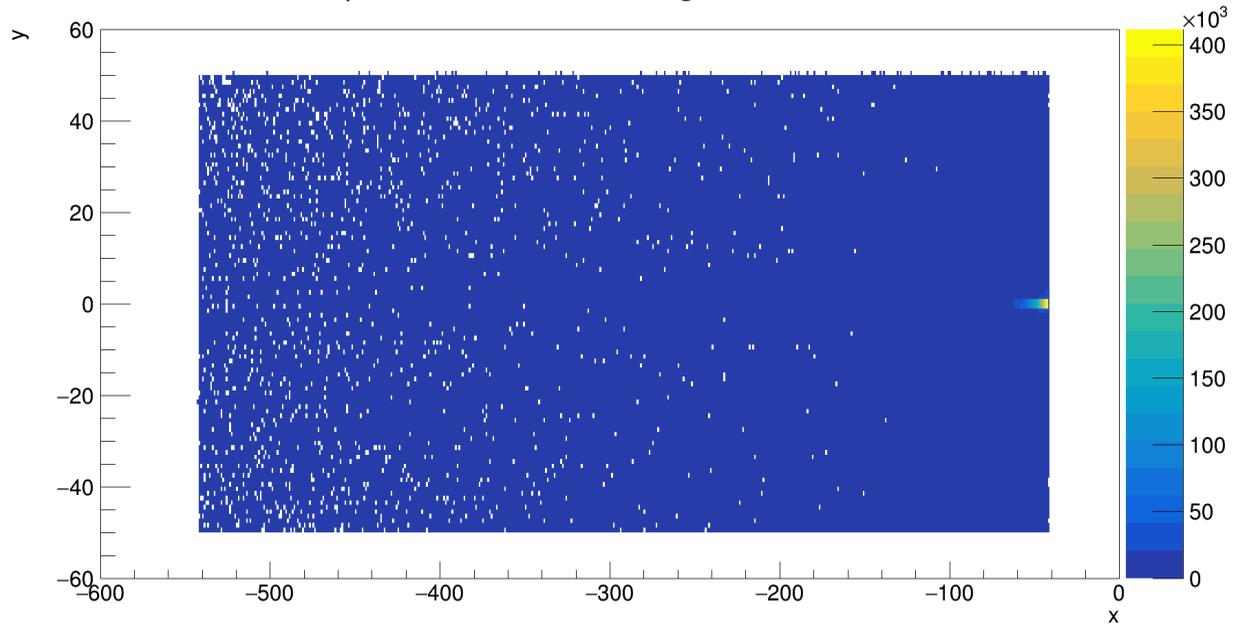


$e^-$  Bkg  $\rightarrow 1.62 \times 10^7$

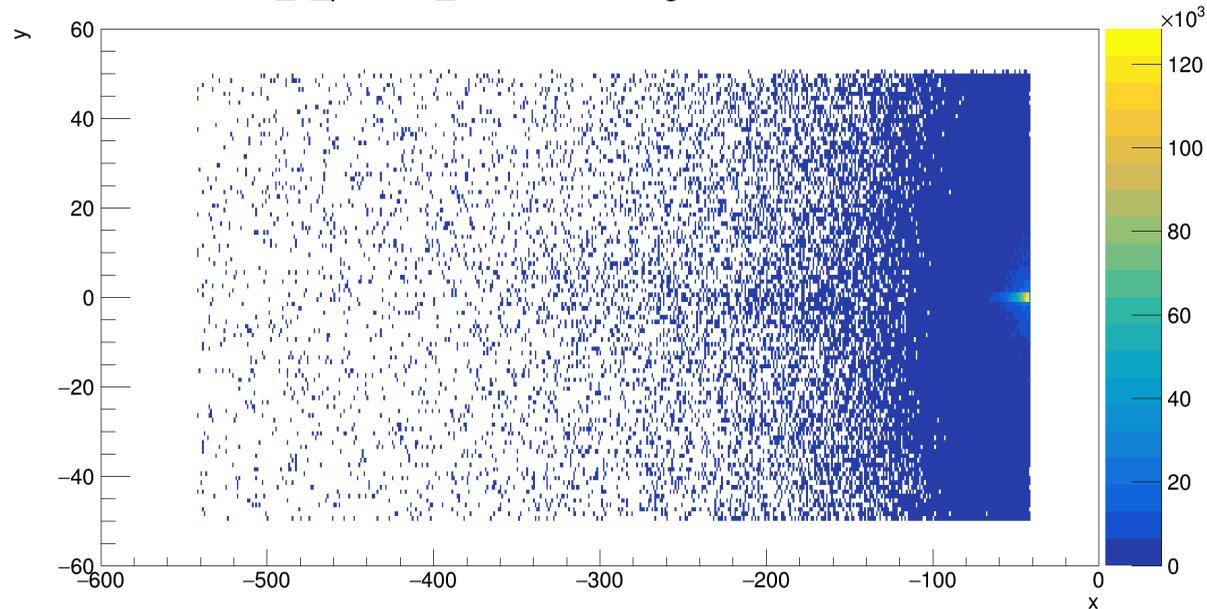
$e^-$  Sig  $\rightarrow 3.44 \times 10^8$

Phase2 simulation

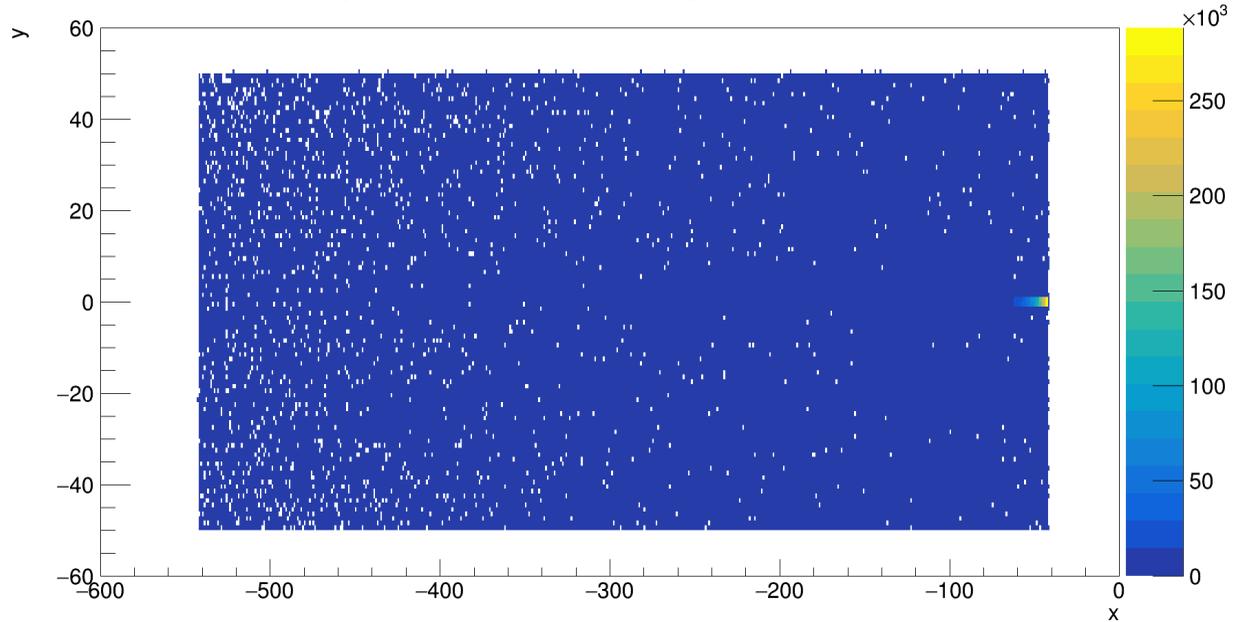
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