

Proposal for CDR Simulation Chapter Plots

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summarizing our email thread...

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Simulation Chapter Goals

Goal of the chapter:

- estimate of particle composition and rate
- in each sector of the setup detector position
- independent of technologies
- motivate technologies chosen for each of these sectors

We have a lot of information in the spreadsheets

→ How do we present it?

Quantities of Interest:

- Number of particles
- Total energy

Want to know these:

- as function of x
- per area [mm^{-2}]
- comparing e^+, e^-, γ
- signal vs. background
($(S/B)_{\max}$, $(S/B)_{\min}$)

x N (for each detector system/sector of the setup)

What is Background?

- What do we consider as background?
- What is “reconstructed” signal?
- Corner cases?

Backgrounds

IP & Fwd Systems

e+LASER OFF
 γ + LASER OFF

Initial Brems System

“remove target”
(reject events which have
interaction in target z region)

- beam-related BG
- in LUXE we measure BG
in-situ in between LASER shots
(LASER 1Hz, e-beam 10Hz)
- can subtract this background

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Estimate from G4

“Reco” Signal

IP & Fwd System

e/ γ + LASER ON
secondaries, radiation etc.

Initial Brems System

“with target”
(events which have
interaction in target z region)

- inseparable from signal
- need to estimate and unfold

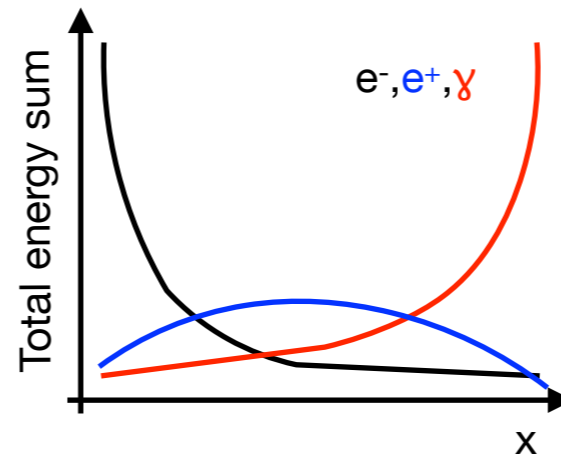
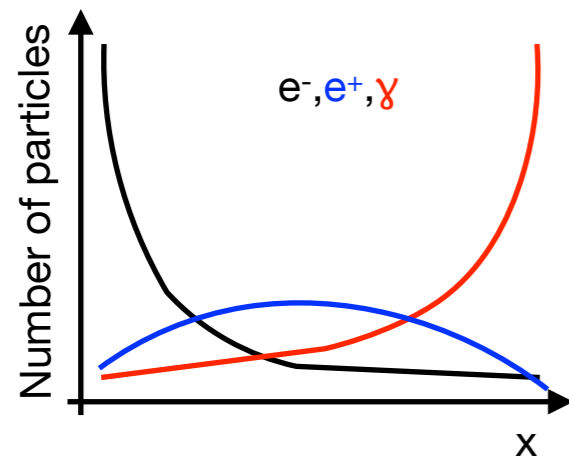
Corner Cases

particles re-scattered into
“wrong” detector system
(e.g. e⁺ into e⁻ arm)

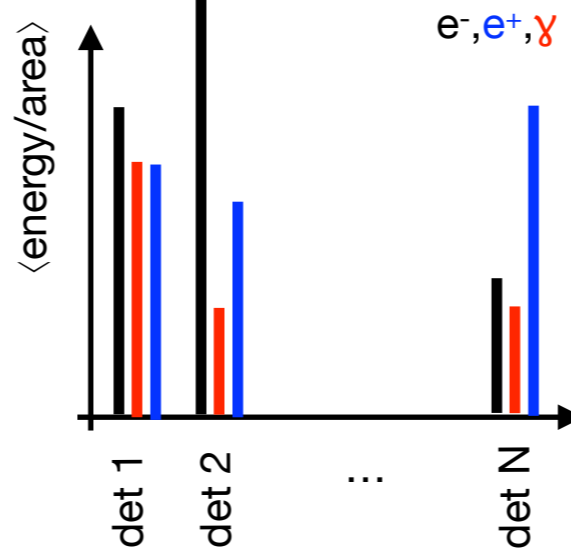
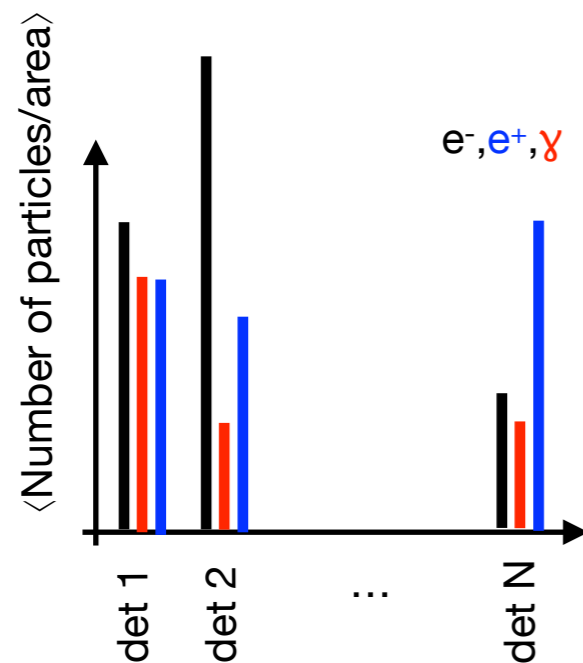
backscattering from material

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Need to quantify!
Behaviour versus ξ ?

Proposed Plots: Motivating the Technology



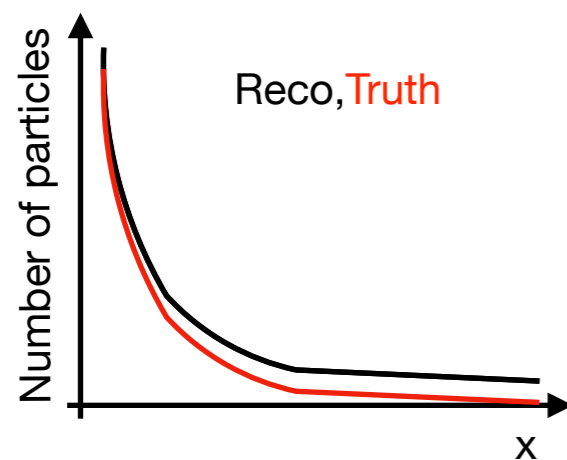
- we have steep spectra
- need to show at least once strong x-dependence
- for each det. system



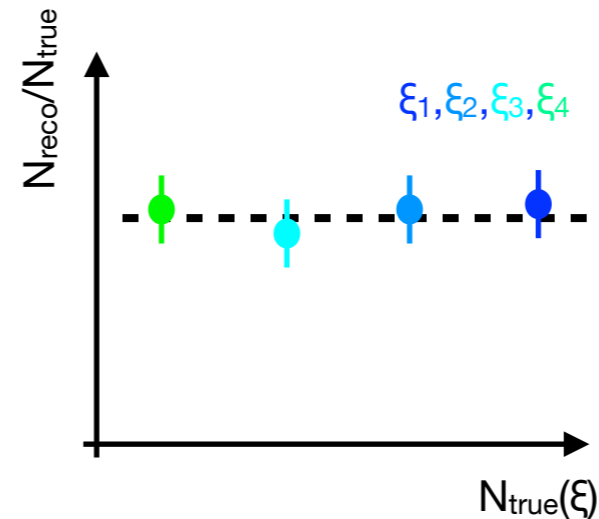
- (Noam already showed similar charts)
- very nice & compact summary
- only single number/system

Histograms and/or summary bar charts?

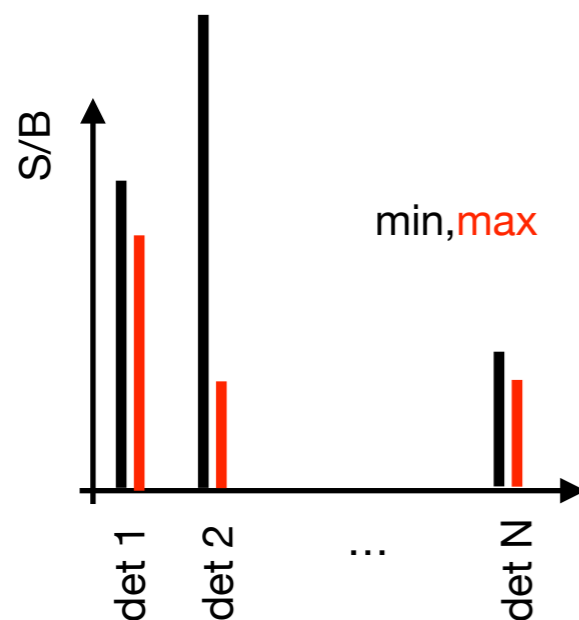
Proposed Plots: Signal and Background



integrate
over acceptance
→



- can quantify how “reco effects” behave as function of ξ (ideally: flat)



- S/B min and max per detector system
- S and B may have very different x-dependence
→ min. & max S/B value give fairer estimate

+ anything we forgot?

John already made some nice plots for e+LASER IP
- iterating to come up with our “standard” set!