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# Current progress in experiments

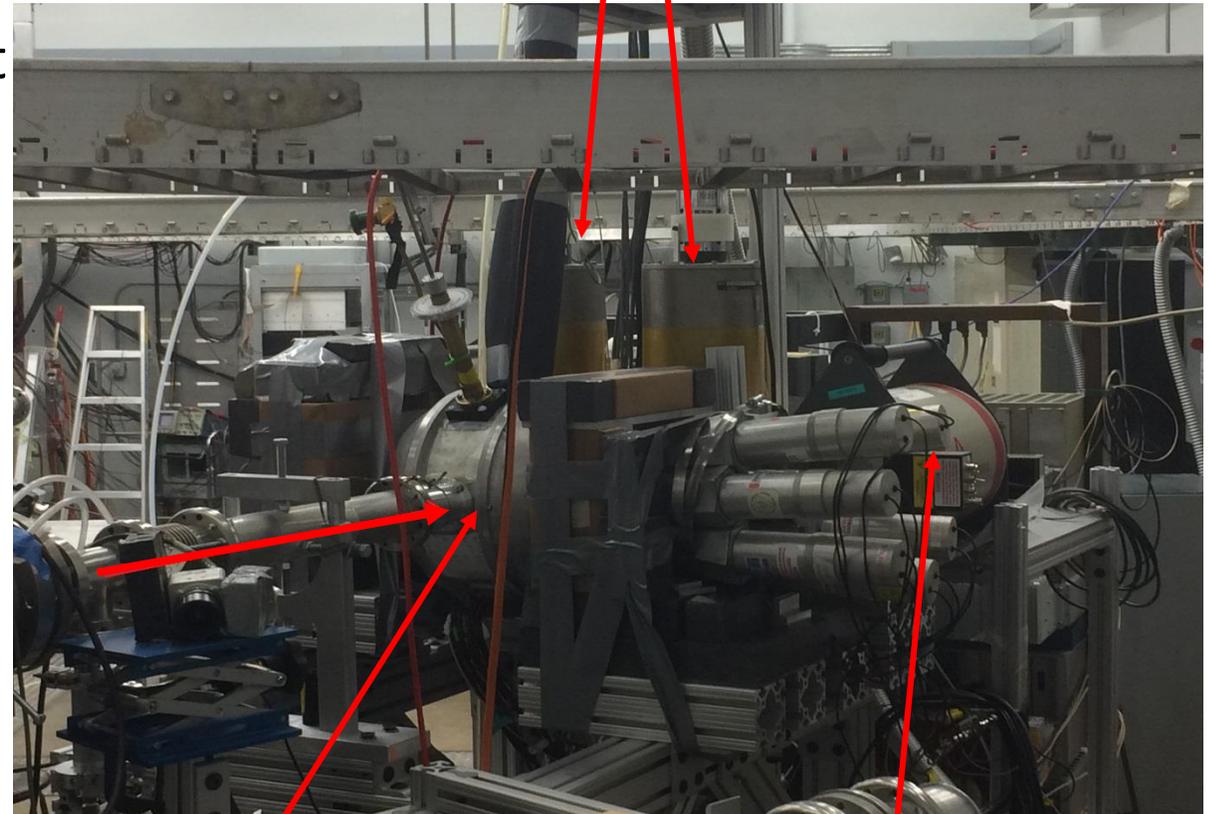
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# Experiment

- 7.75MeV bunched proton beam on  $^{195}\text{Pt}$   
1.07mg/cm<sup>2</sup> target for  $^{195}\text{Pt}(p,n)$
- 12MeV bunched proton beam on  $^{196}\text{Pt}$   
1.34mg/cm<sup>2</sup> target for  $^{196}\text{Pt}(p,n)$  and  
 $^{196}\text{Pt}(p,2n)$

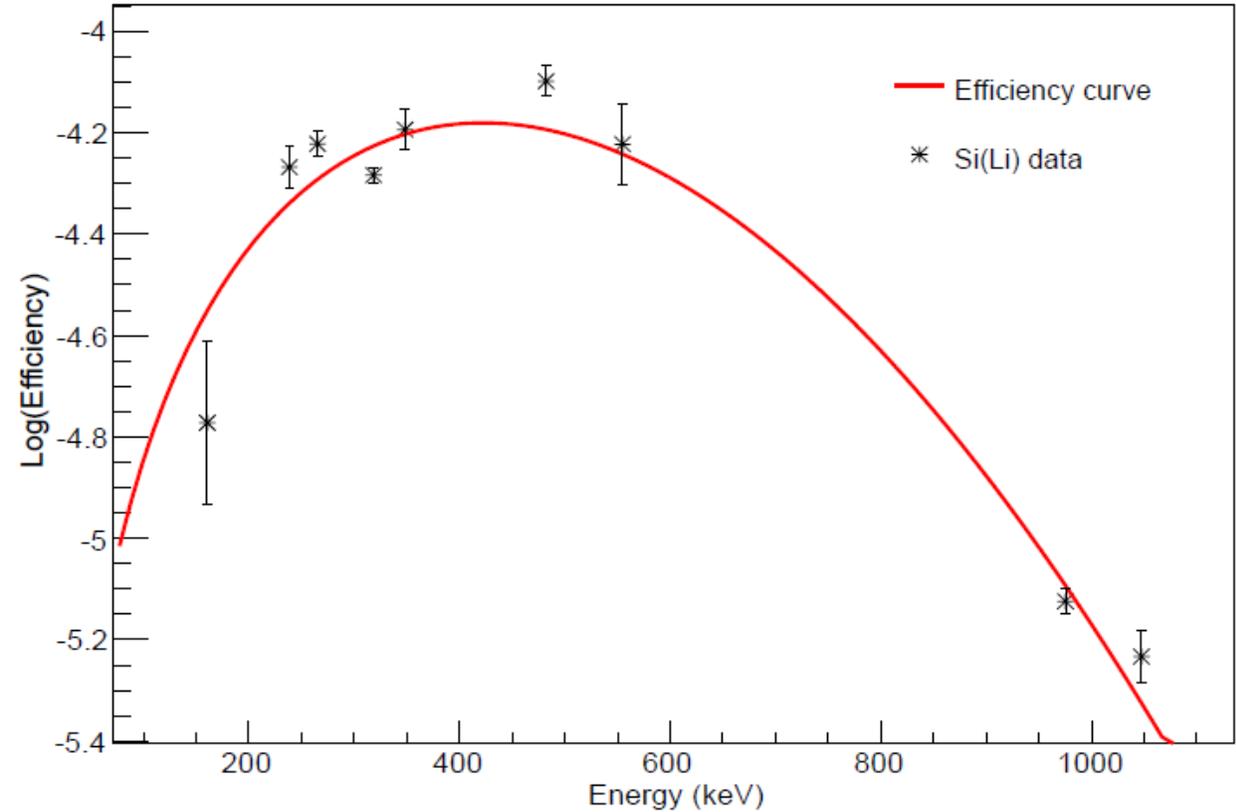
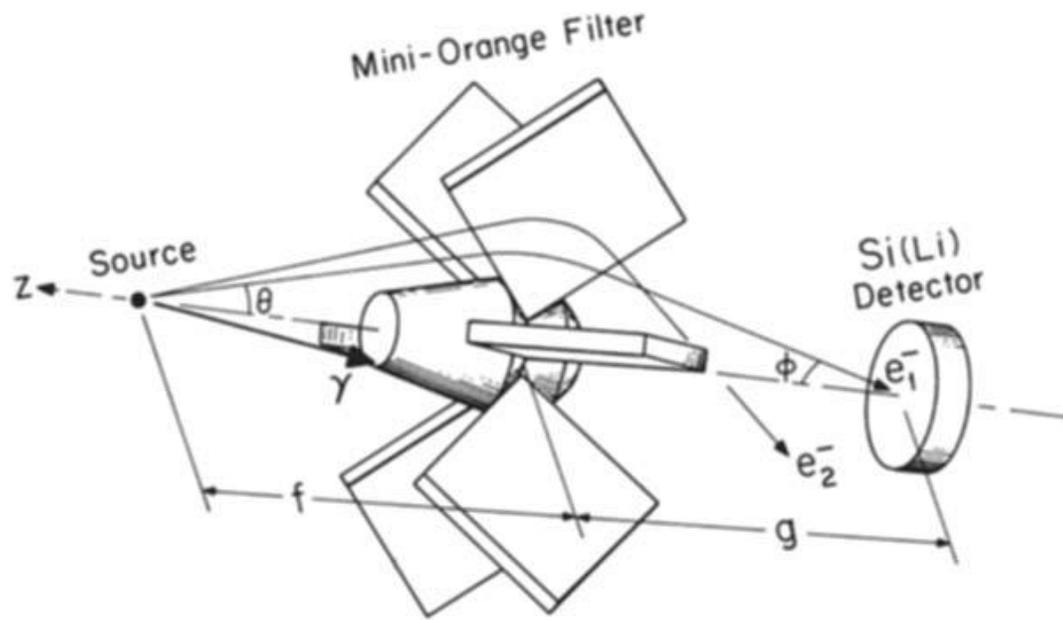


Neutron Detectors

ICEBall with 6 Si(Li)  
detectors

HPGe Detector 109%  
relative efficiency at  
1332keV Energy

# Detector efficiency



$$\ln(\epsilon(E)) = a + b * \ln(E) + c * E^2$$

*<sup>133</sup>Ba and <sup>207</sup>Bi for Si(Li) calibration*

# New setup for better efficiency

## FreeCAD

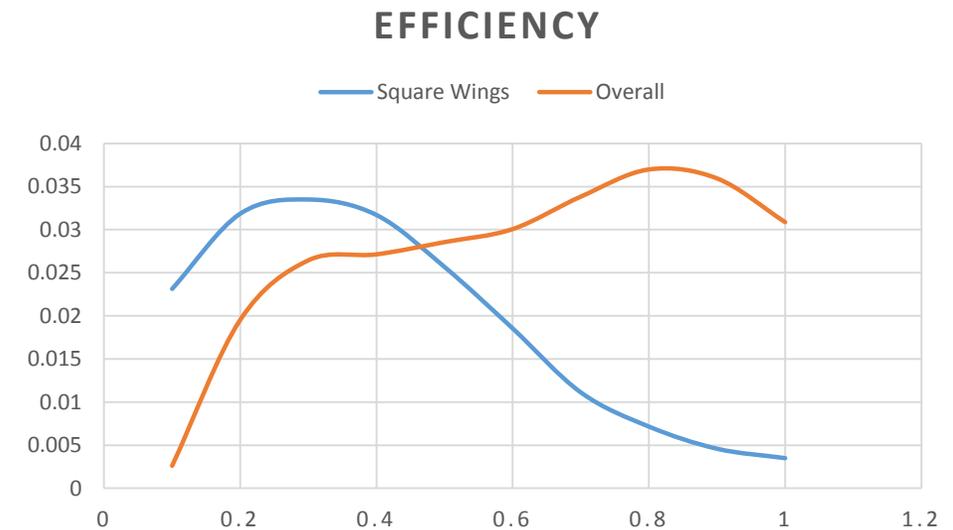
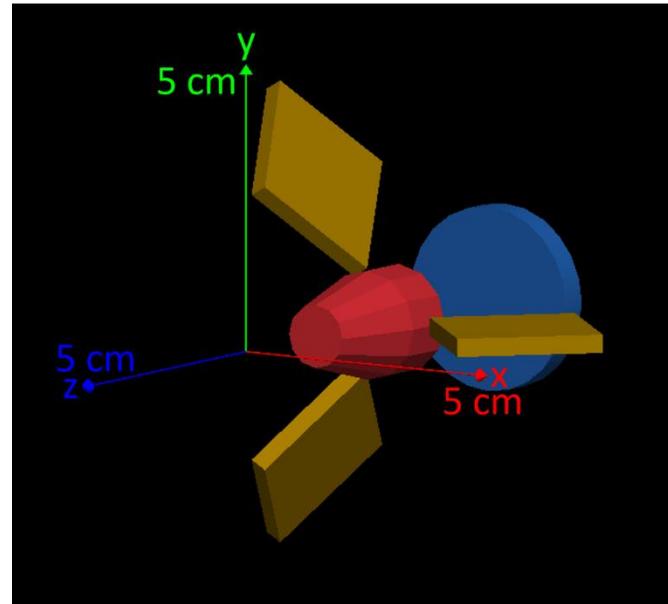
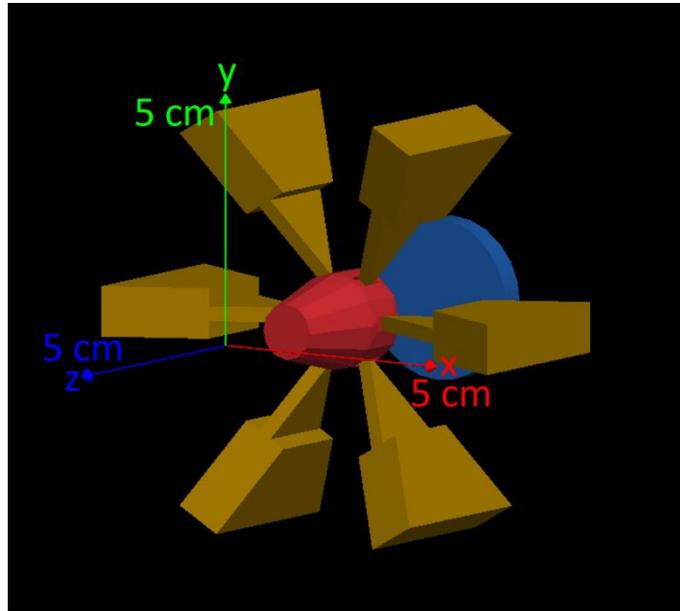
Design physical shape of filter

## COMSOL

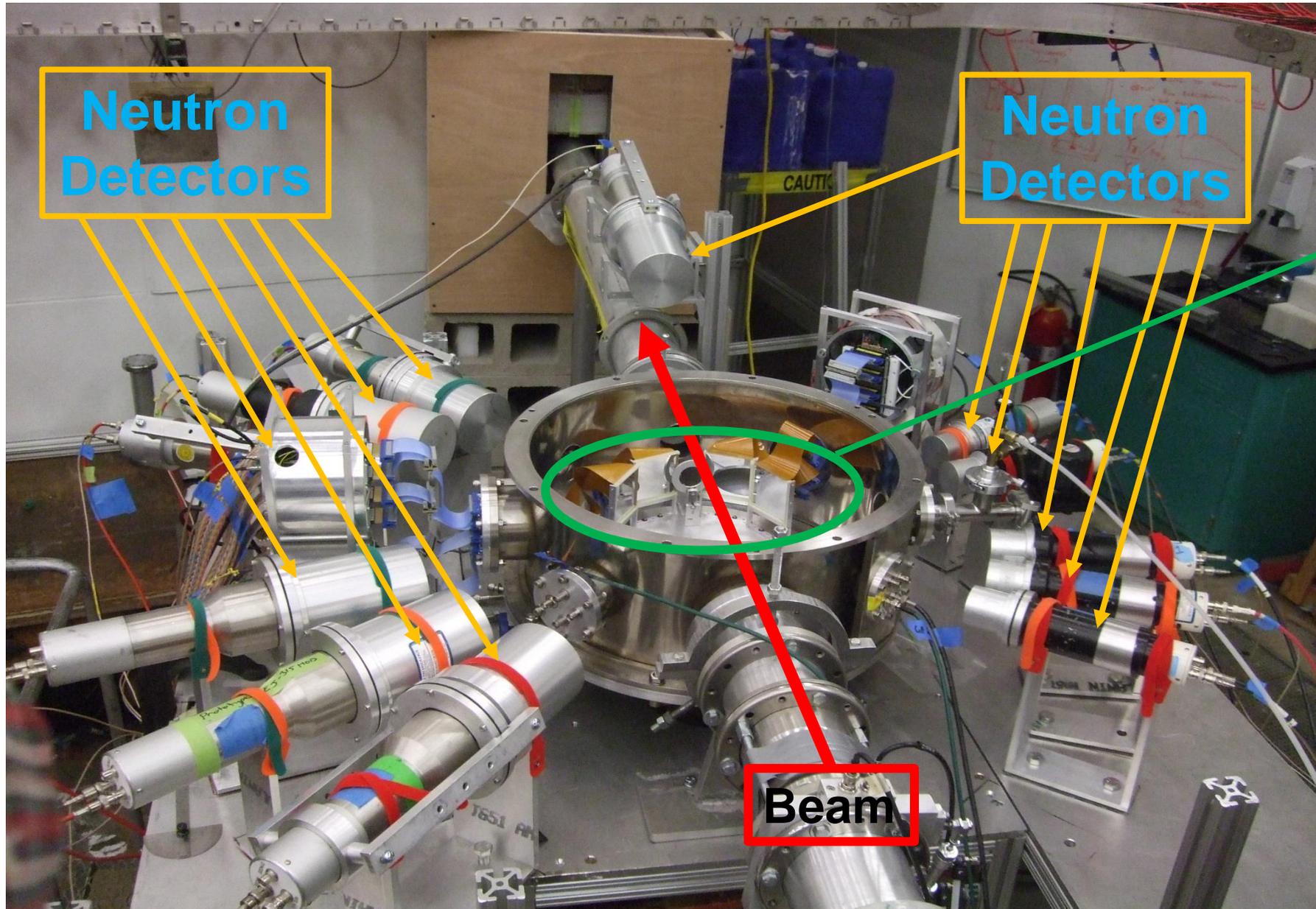
Generate magnetic field for each shape

## Geant4

Final simulation for efficiency curve



# Experimental Setup



Neutron  
Detectors

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Beam

Four 32x32 Double-  
side Silicon Strip  
Detectors (DSSD)

Total 256 channels

Beam energy: 24 - 29 MeV

Total: 12 Neutron Detectors

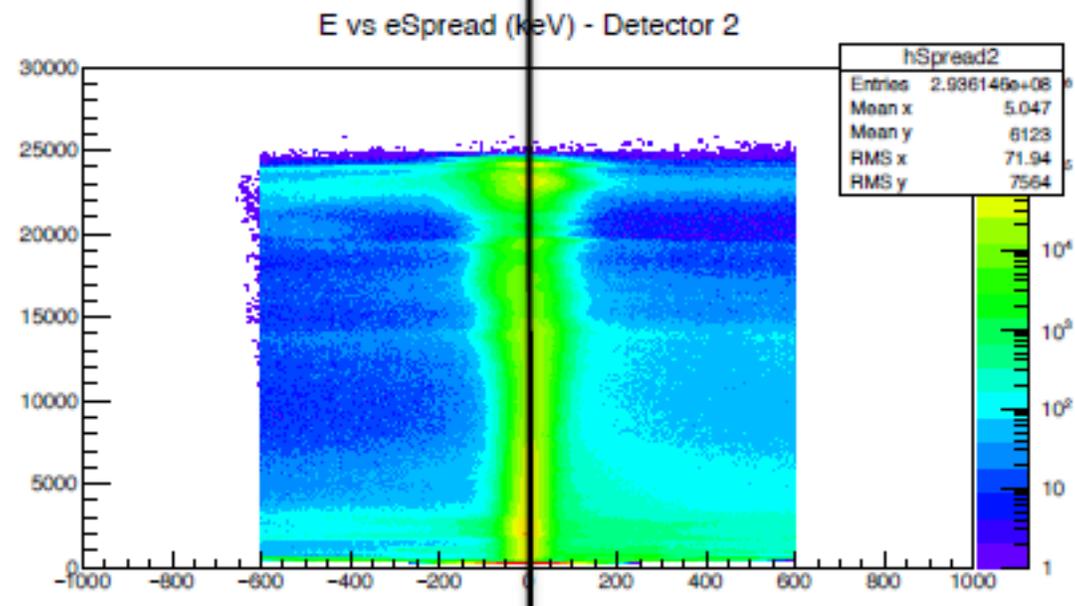
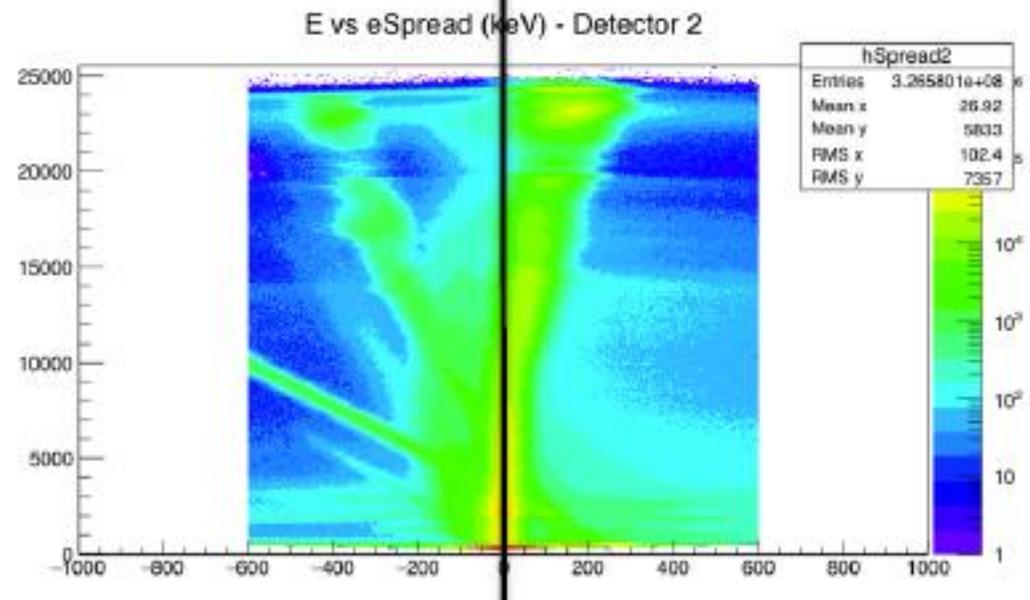
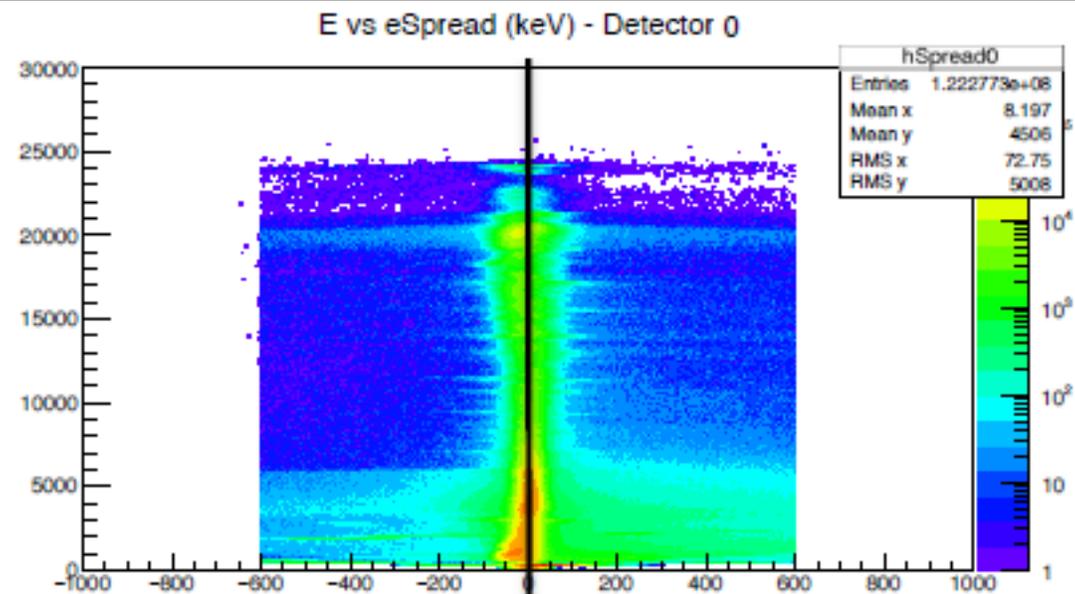
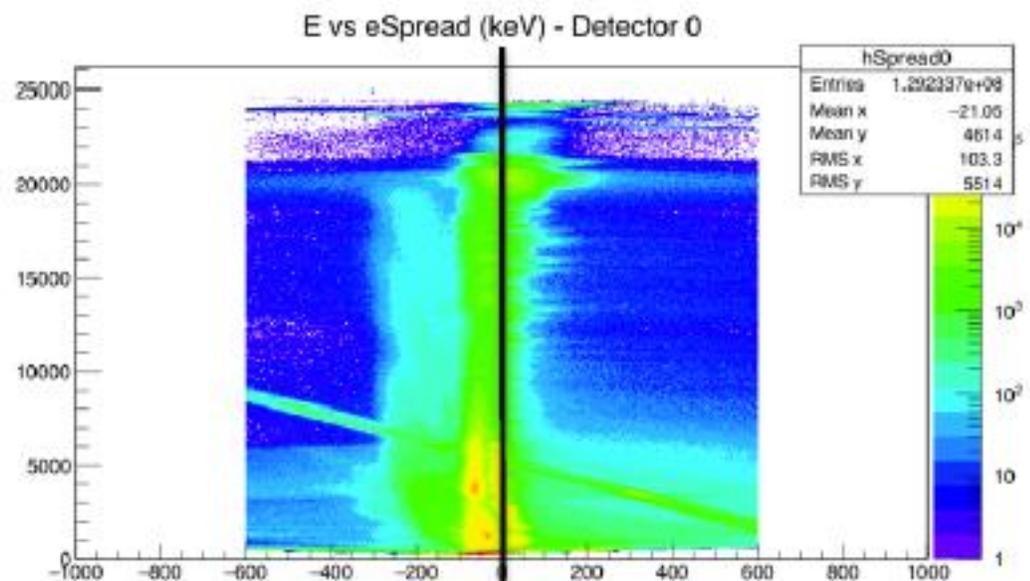
Sizes:

7 Detectors 4" x 6"

5 Detectors 2" x 2"

Angular Range: 22° - 146°

# Corrections in linearity



# Preliminary results

| Ebeam   | Excitation of 16O (MeV) (8Be+8Be) |  |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |
|---------|-----------------------------------|--|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| 24      |                                   |  | 17.2106 |         | 18.1556 | 18.8484 | 19.4067 |         |         |         |
| 25      |                                   |  | 17.2145 |         | 18.0675 | 18.7975 | 19.4535 |         |         |         |
| 27.75   |                                   |  | 17.2147 | 17.4994 | 18.0213 | 18.8053 | 19.4269 | 21.0065 | 21.8326 |         |
| 28.1    |                                   |  | 17.1865 | 17.4521 | 17.8719 | 18.8024 | 19.4129 | 20.9773 | 21.5522 |         |
| 29.19   |                                   |  | 17.2107 |         | 17.9732 | 18.7541 | 19.3993 | 21.1362 | 21.6428 | 23.0047 |
| Average |                                   |  | 17.2074 | 17.4758 | 18.0179 | 18.8015 | 19.4199 | 21.0400 | 21.6759 | 23.0047 |
| StDev   |                                   |  | 0.0118  | 0.0334  | 0.1058  | 0.0335  | 0.0214  | 0.0846  | 0.1431  | #DIV/0! |

| Ebeam   | Excitation of 16O (MeV) (12C+a) |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |
|---------|---------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| 24      |                                 | 16.4508 | 17.1703 | 17.5935 | 18.0583 | 18.7566 | 19.4015 |         |         |         |
| 25      | 15.3629                         | 16.5148 | 17.1847 | 17.598  | 18.0971 | 18.7852 | 19.4766 |         |         |         |
| 27.75   |                                 | 16.4438 | 17.1888 | 17.5953 | 18.1521 | 18.8376 | 19.5257 | 21.0805 | 21.7288 |         |
| 28.1    |                                 |         | 17.2982 |         | 18.1224 | 18.7603 | 19.4191 | 20.9367 | 21.8313 | 22.5094 |
| 29.19   |                                 |         | 17.1823 | 17.5679 | 18.1123 | 18.6789 | 19.4717 | 21.0118 | 21.7503 | 22.171  |
| Average | 15.3629                         | 16.4698 | 17.2049 | 17.5887 | 18.1084 | 18.7637 | 19.4589 | 21.0097 | 21.7701 | 22.3402 |
| StDev   | #DIV/0!                         | 0.0391  | 0.0526  | 0.0140  | 0.0345  | 0.0574  | 0.0495  | 0.0719  | 0.0541  | 0.2393  |

# Experiment at AANL

