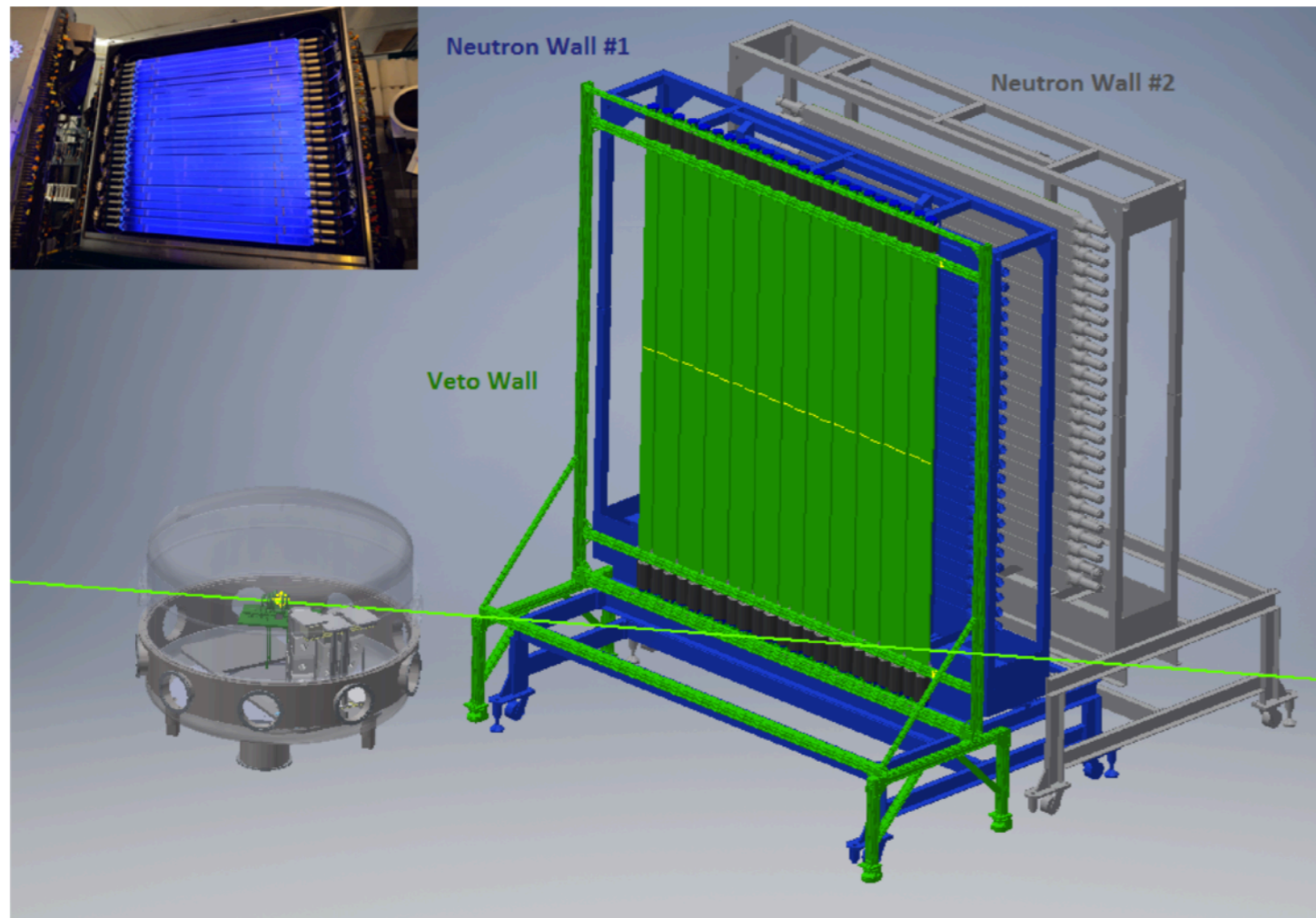


# **Mid Report of NSCL Neutron Detector Experiment Simulation**

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# NSCL Neutron Detector (LANA : Large Area Neutron Array)



Picture and Cartoon from NSCL site



Pictured by me (2017.07)

# Purpose of NSCL Neutron Detect Experiment and Experimental Detail

- Charged particle can be detected with standard charged particle detector but neutrons are difficult.
- Goal : Clean high quality neutron spectra without charged particle contamination

# 1. 50 and 100 AMeV deuteron beams on CH2 target

Emission of recoiled proton by d+p reaction and n & p from deuteron break up

-> Test to determine the performance of the veto wall and its effect on neutron detection

# 2. 120 AMeV $^{40}\text{Ca}$ beam on $5\text{mg}/\text{cm}^2$ Au target

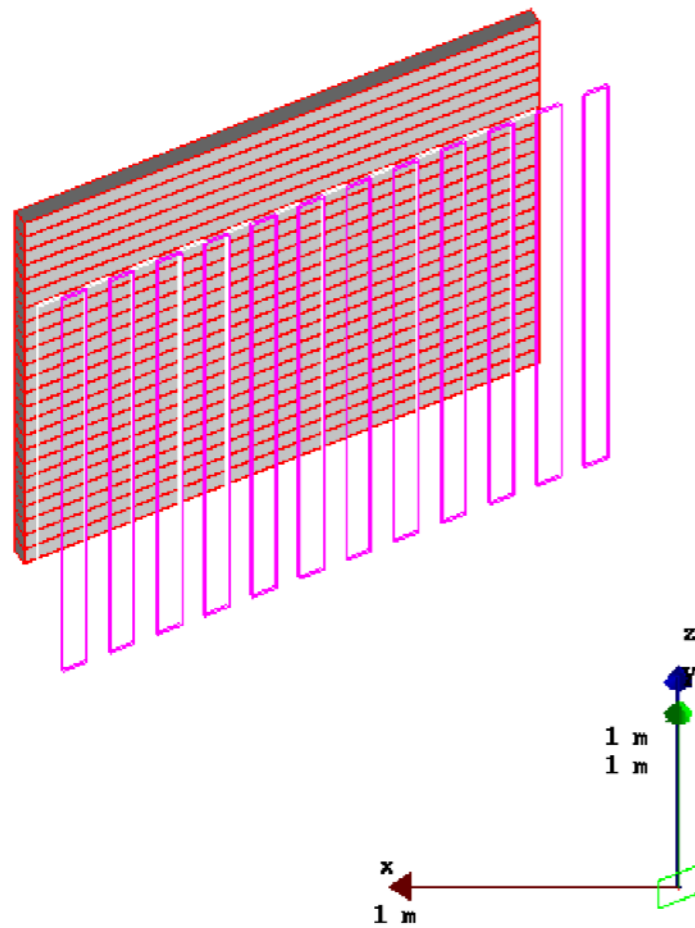
Generate n and charged particles in heavy ion collisions

-> To evaluate the performance of the veto wall in a real heavy ion reaction environment

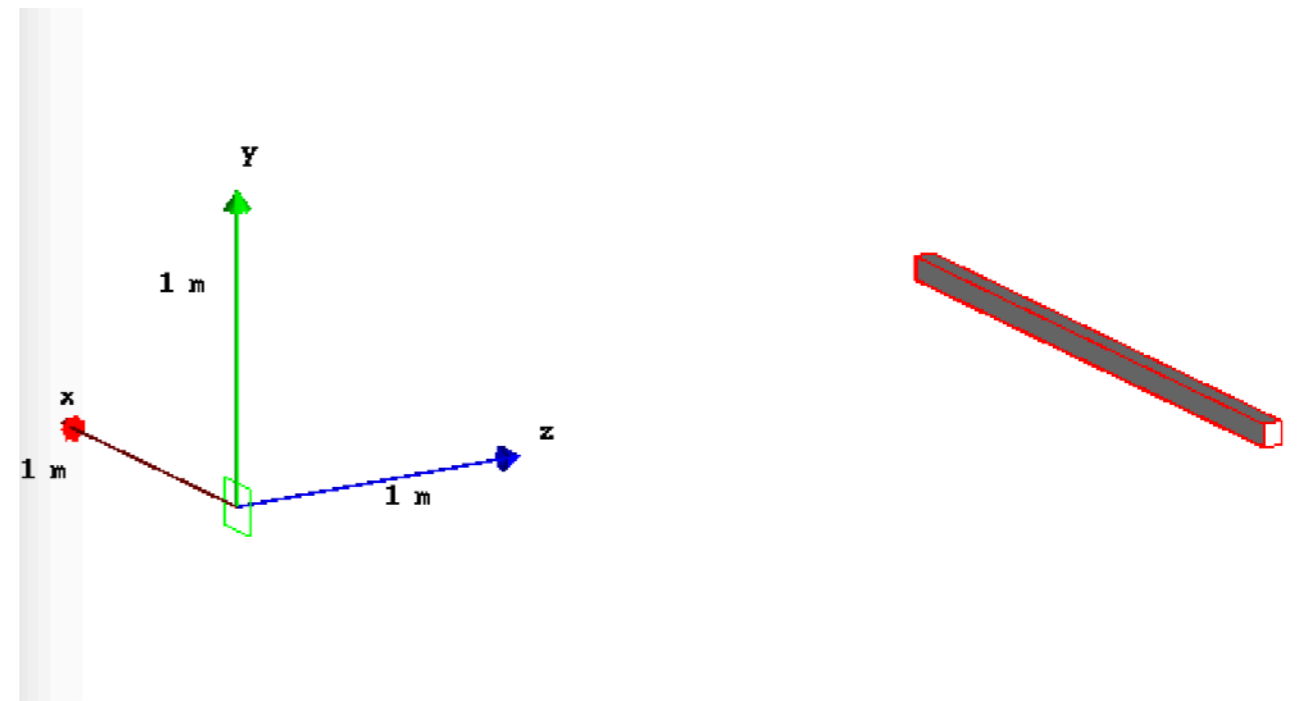
Primary beam	E/A (MeV/u)	Preparation time (hr)	Secondary beam	E/A (MeV/u)	Tuning time (hr)	Beam on target (hr)	Purpose
$^{16}\text{O}$	150	12	d	100	5	16	shake down
			d	100		16	test of CPV + LANA
			d	50	5	16	test of CPV + LANA
$^{40}\text{Ca}$	140	12	$^{40}\text{Ca}$	120	3	12	test of CPV + LANA with HIC
Total		24			13	60	<b>Total Request: 97 hours</b>

Table 1: Breakdown of beam request. Note that the primary beam development for the  $^{40}\text{Ca}$  beam could be combined with the corresponding time in e14030.

# Simulation by Geant 4



25 Neutron Array(behind) and 25 Veto Wall(front)

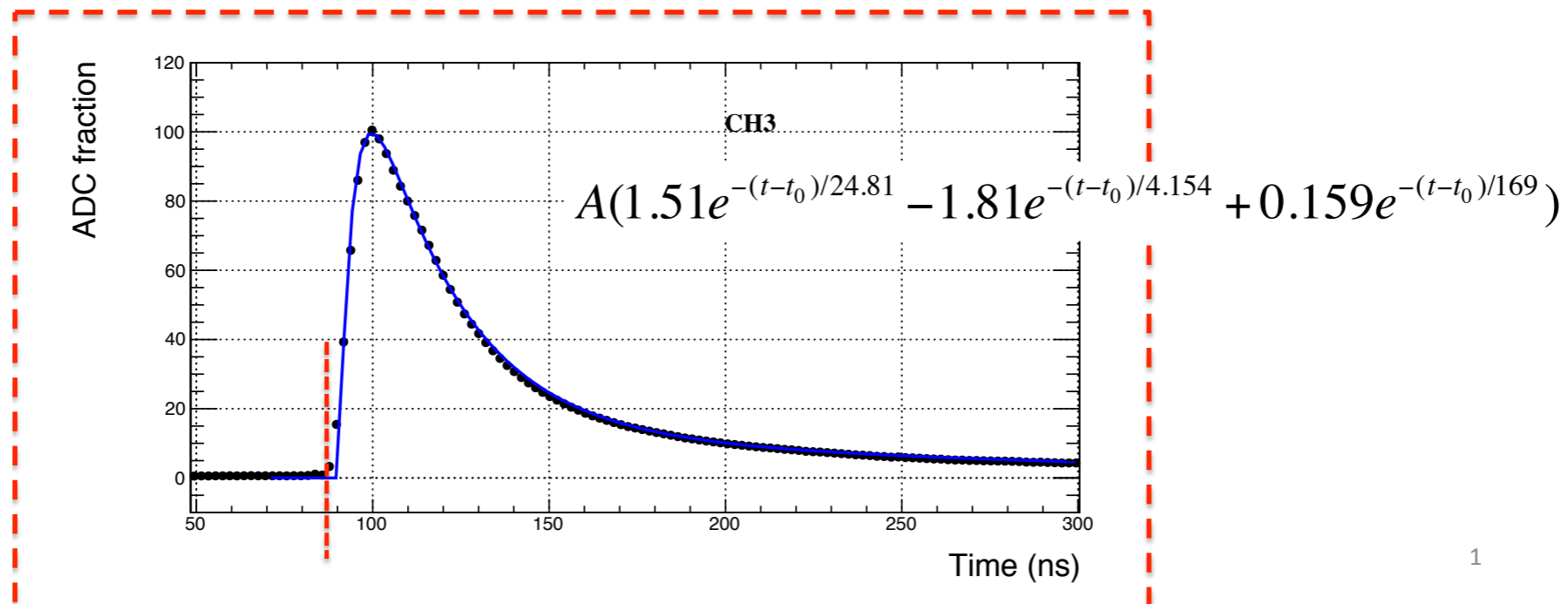
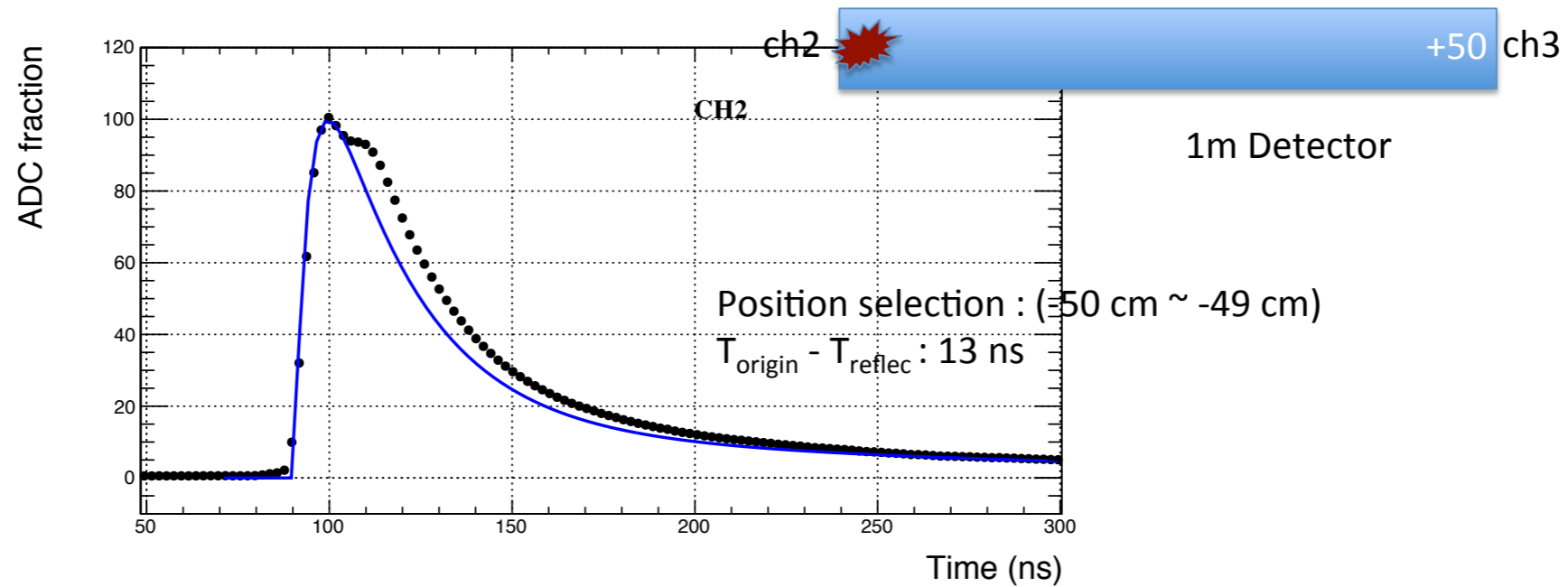


A Neutron bar for simulation practice

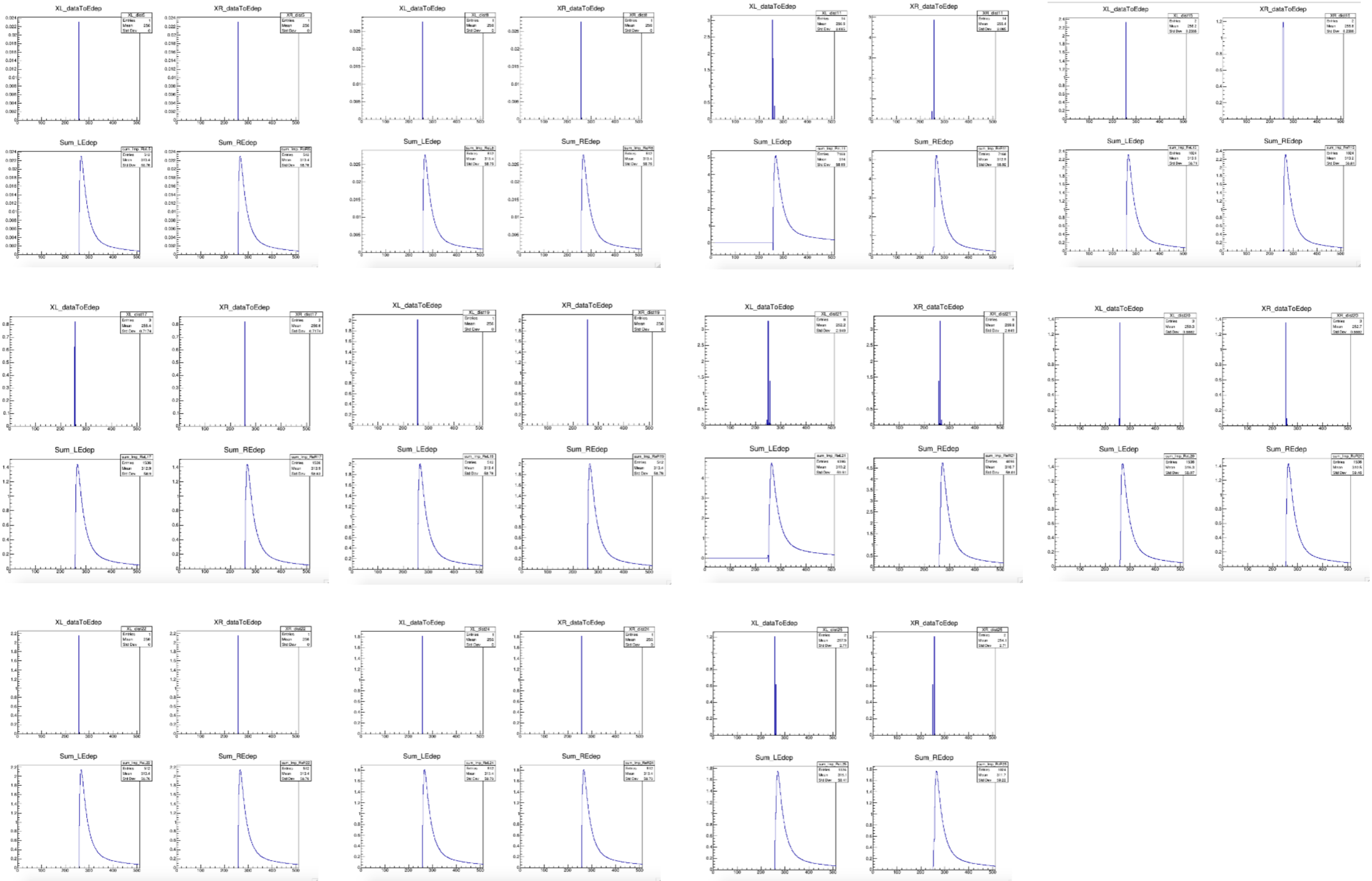
# Simulation Process

- 1. Hit 100 MeV Neutron beam directly to Single Neutron bar**
- 2. Draw X-position to Energy deposition histograms event by event**
- 3. Change dimension of X-axis : Position -> Time**
- 4. Convolution with RCNP electronics Impulse Response**

# RCNP Impulse Response by Hyun ha Sim

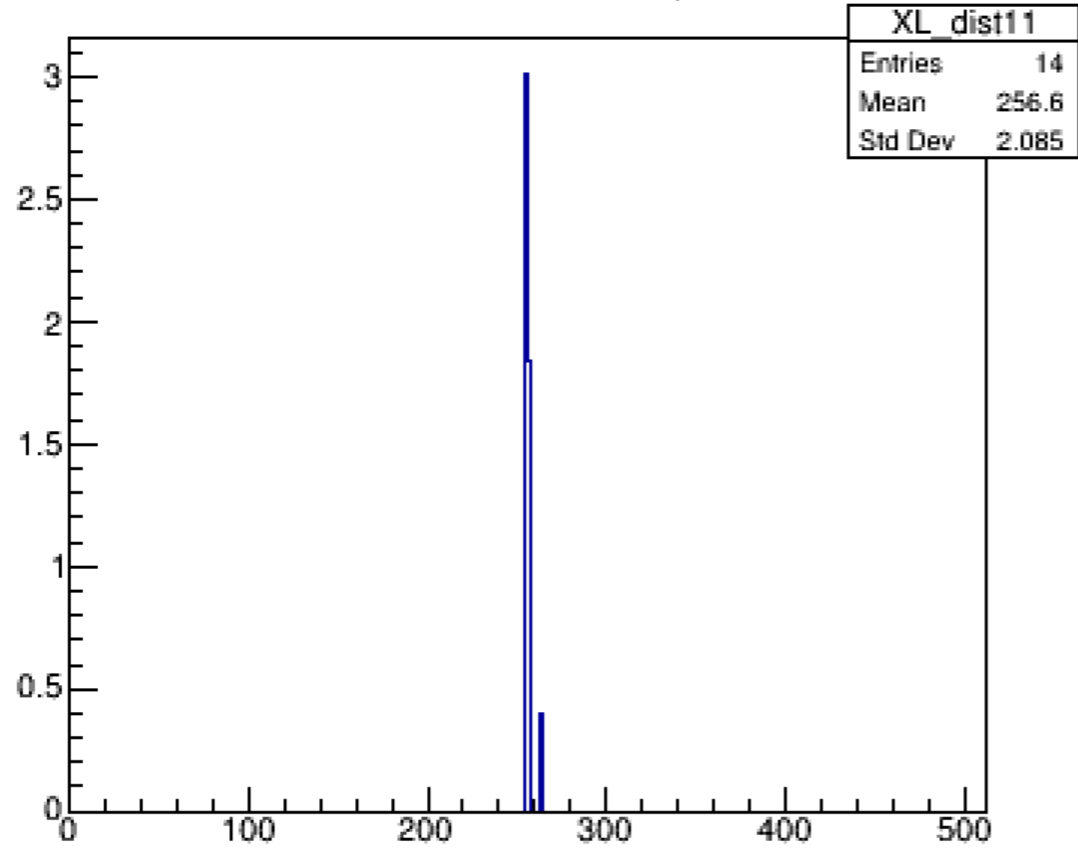


# 11 Nonzero Energy deposit among 30 events



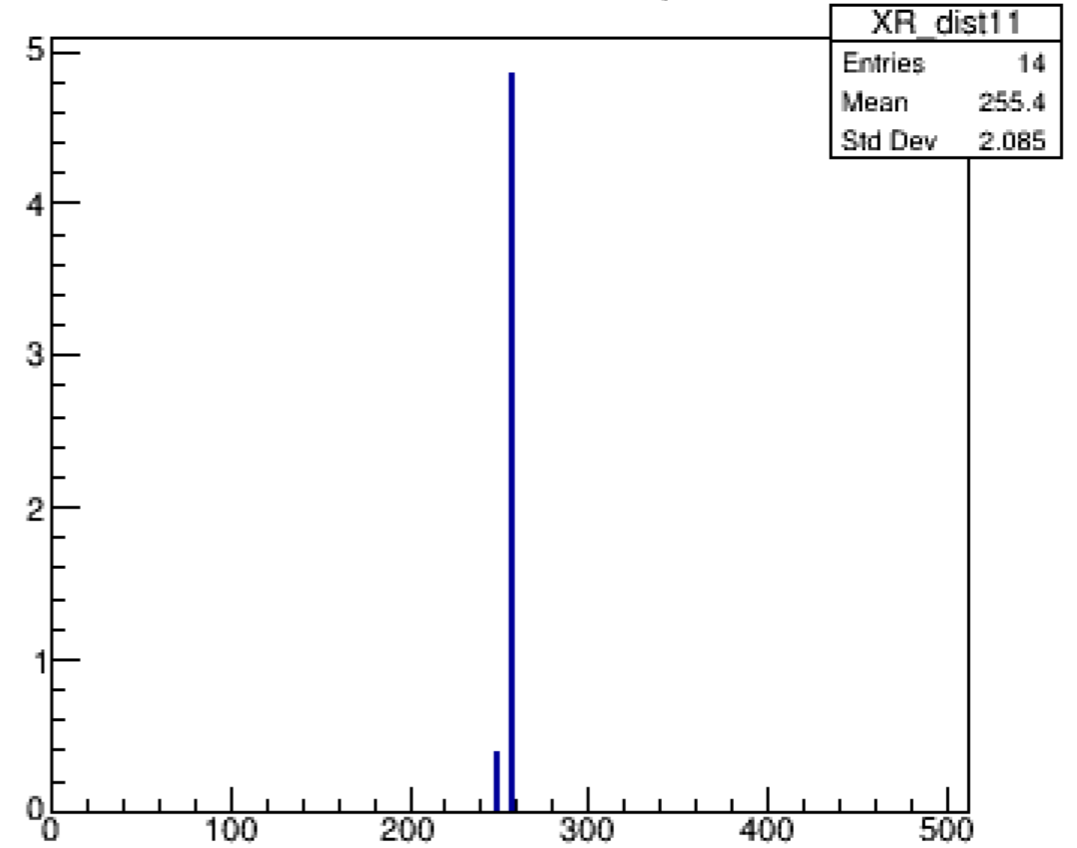


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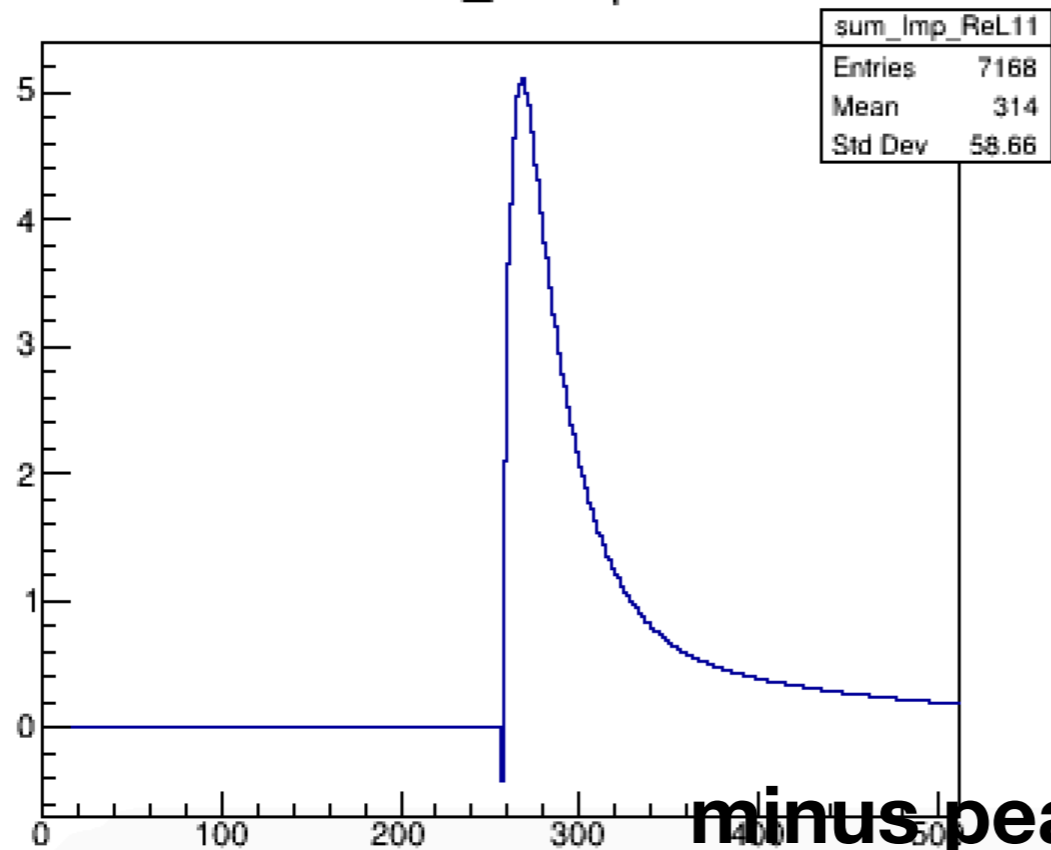


# Event number 11

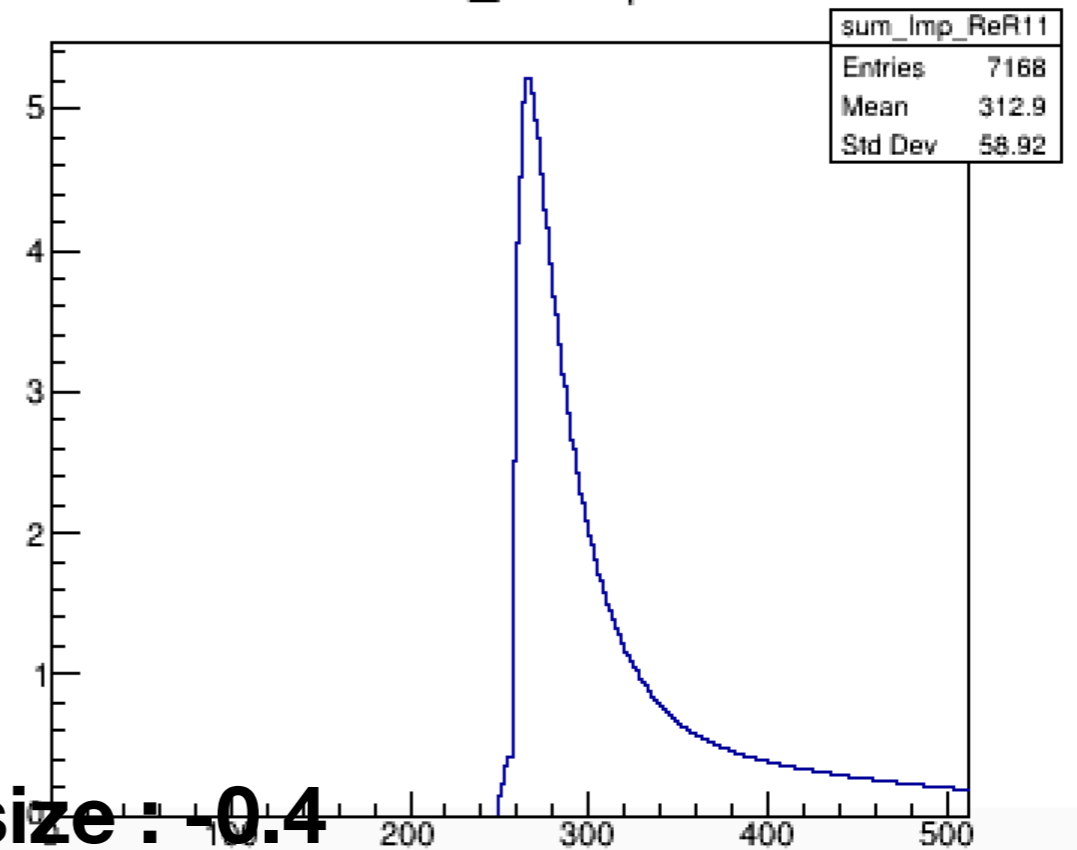
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minus peak size : -0.4

# Future Plans

- 1. Remove minus peak appear in event 11 and 21.**
- 2. After finish single simulation, go back to multi layer simulation.**
- 3. Consider about deuteron and CH<sub>2</sub> target collision.**
- 4. Study more about back ground physics.**