

# E528S

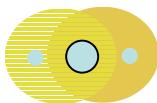
## Neutron correlation in ${}^6\text{He}$ studied through its nuclear break-up.

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Y.Blumenfeld, D.Beaumel, W.Catford, M.Chabot, A.Chatterjee, M.Fallot,  
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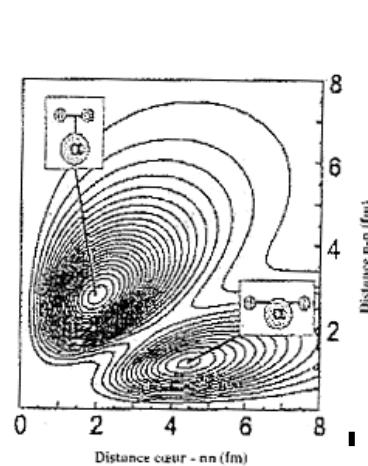
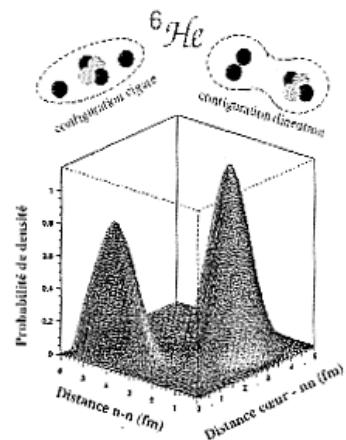
Reaction :  ${}^6\text{He} + \text{Pb} @ 20 \text{ MeV/A} \longrightarrow {}^4\text{He} + n + n + \text{Pb}$   
SPIRAL beam

${}^6\text{He}$  is an archetype of a Borromean nucleus ; high intensities  
most suitable nucleus to investigate new experimental approach and  
develop new theoretical tools

Cigar configuration

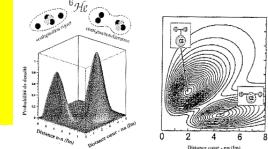


Di-neutron configuration

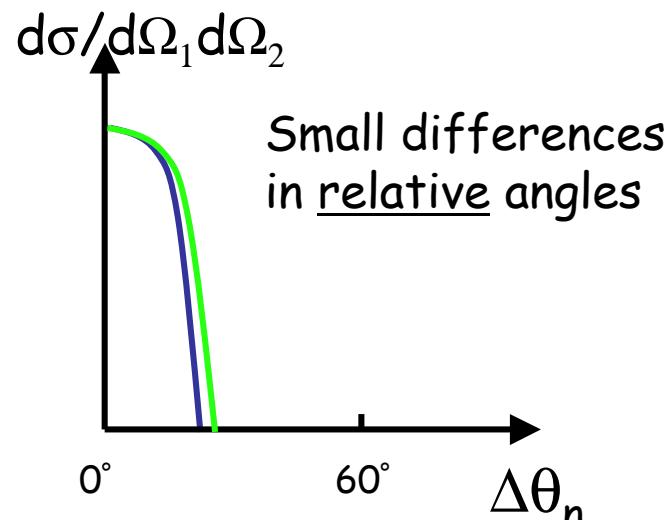
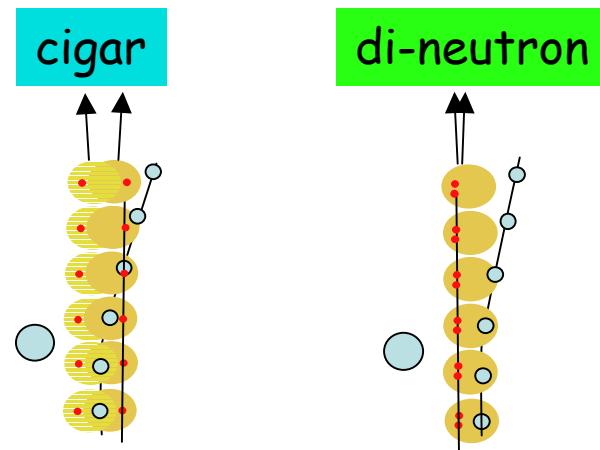


Zhukov et al., Phys. Rep. 231 (1993) 151

# Neutron angular emission

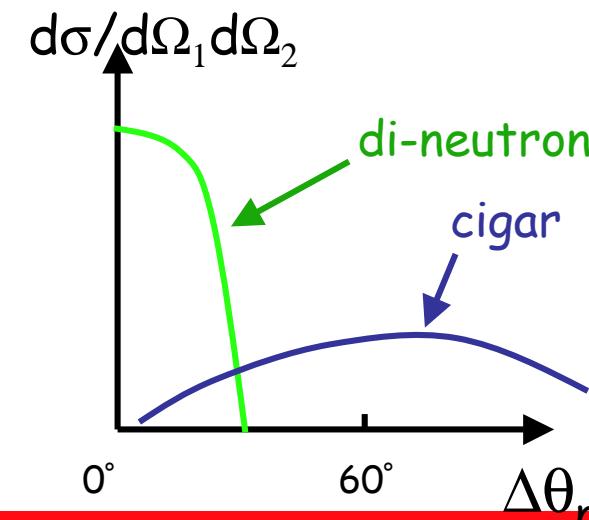
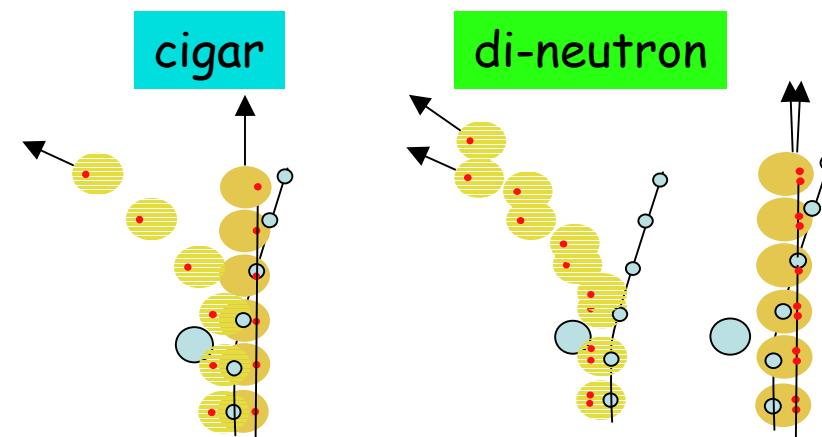


Large impact parameters  
Coulomb break-up



G.Normand, PhD thesis 2004  
F.M.Marques, PR C64, 2001

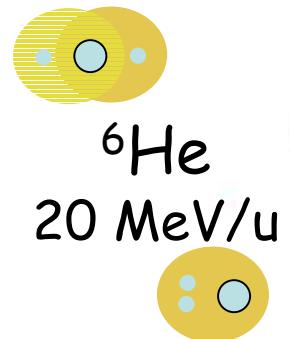
Small impact parameters  
Nuclear break-up



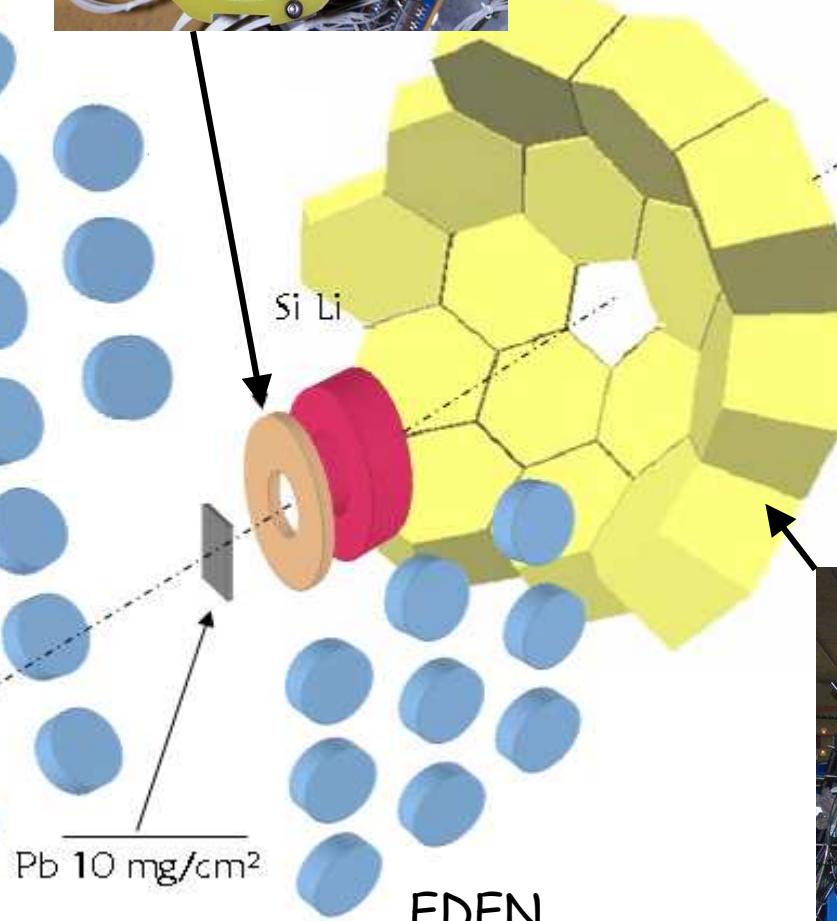
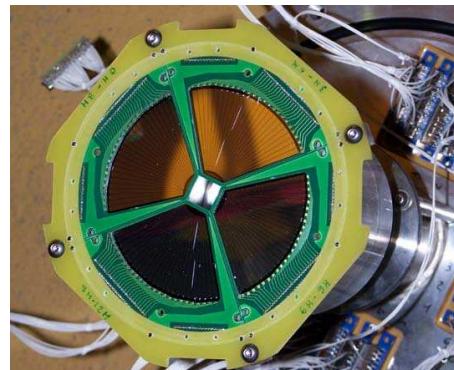
extension of TDHF (TDDM)  
(M.Assie-D.Lacroix)



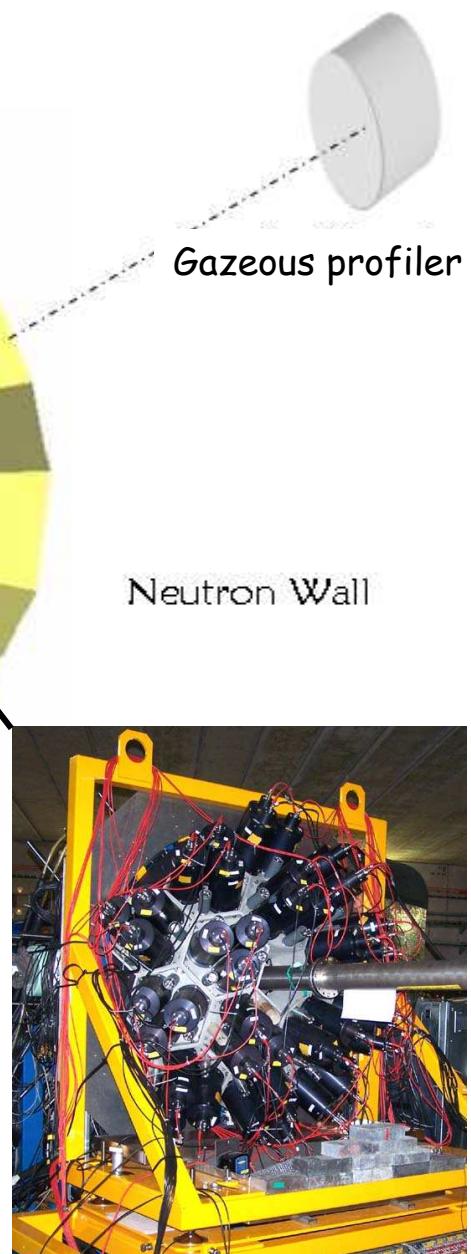
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$I = 10^6 \sim 10^7 \text{ pps}$



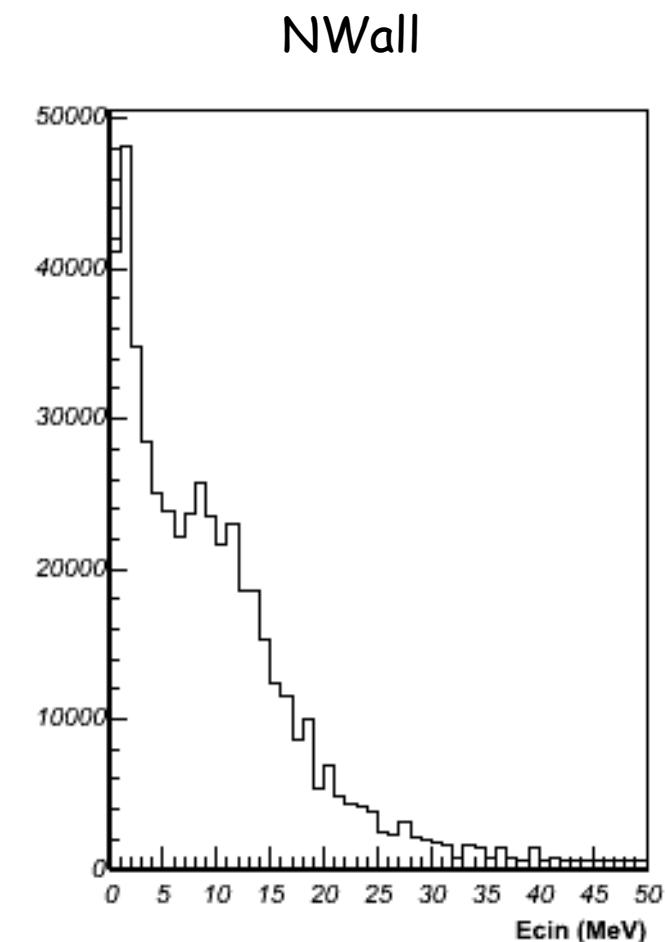
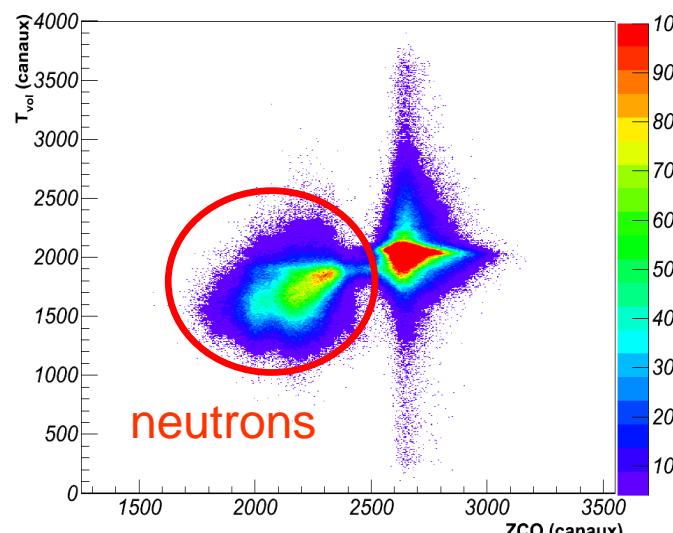
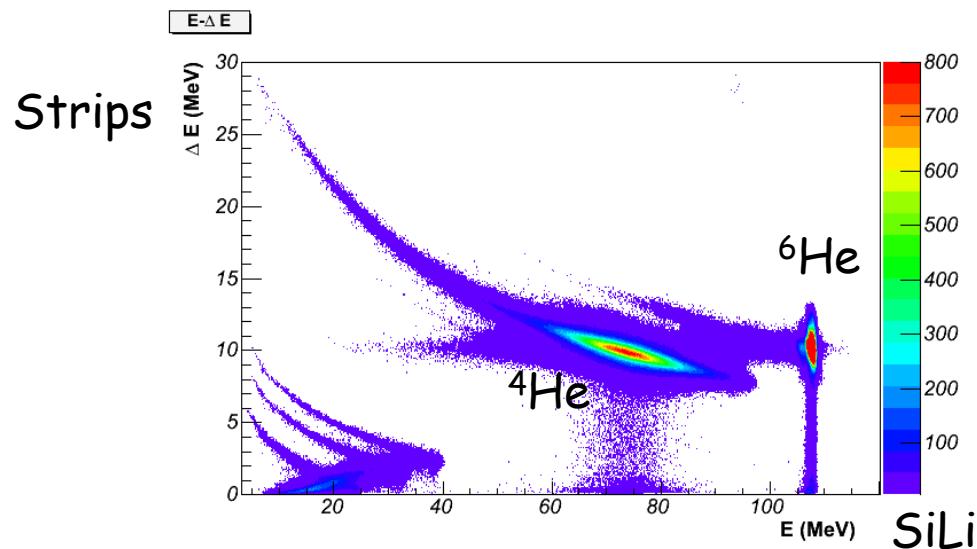
Set-up for E528S



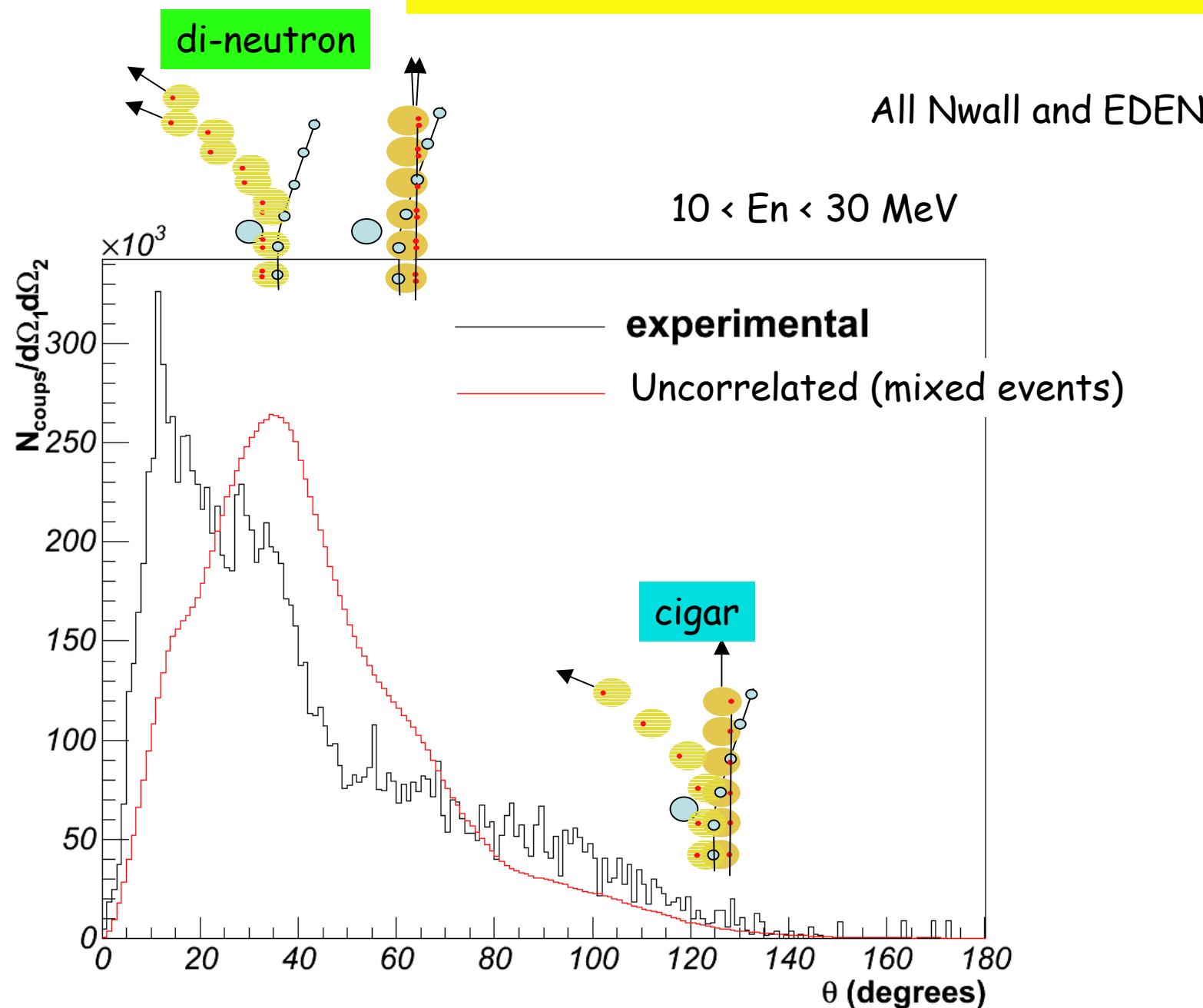
Gazeous profiler

Neutron Wall

# Measurement

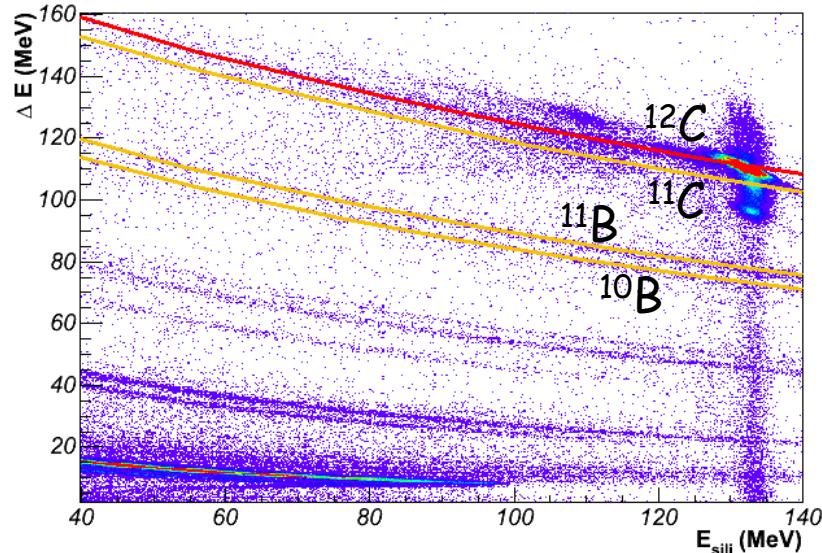


## Experimental relative angular distribution

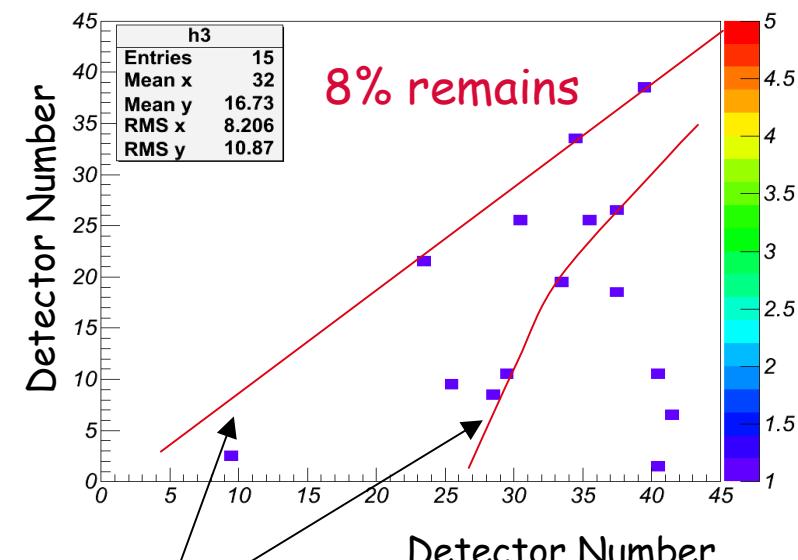


# Measurement of crosstalk

with  $^{12}\text{C} + ^{208}\text{Pb} \rightarrow ^{10}\text{B}$



$1n+1p$

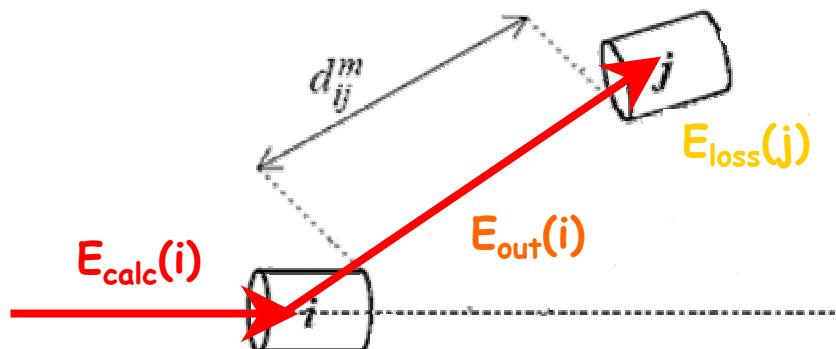


Close detectors

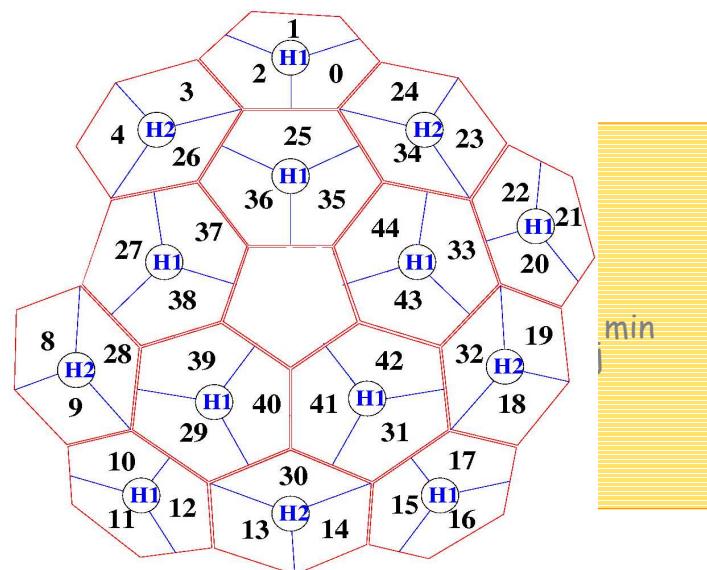
$$E_{\text{calc}} = \text{time of flight}$$

$$E_{\text{out}} = E_{\text{calc}} - E_{\text{loss}}$$

$$E_{ij}^{\min} = \text{minimum } E \text{ to go from } i \text{ to } j$$

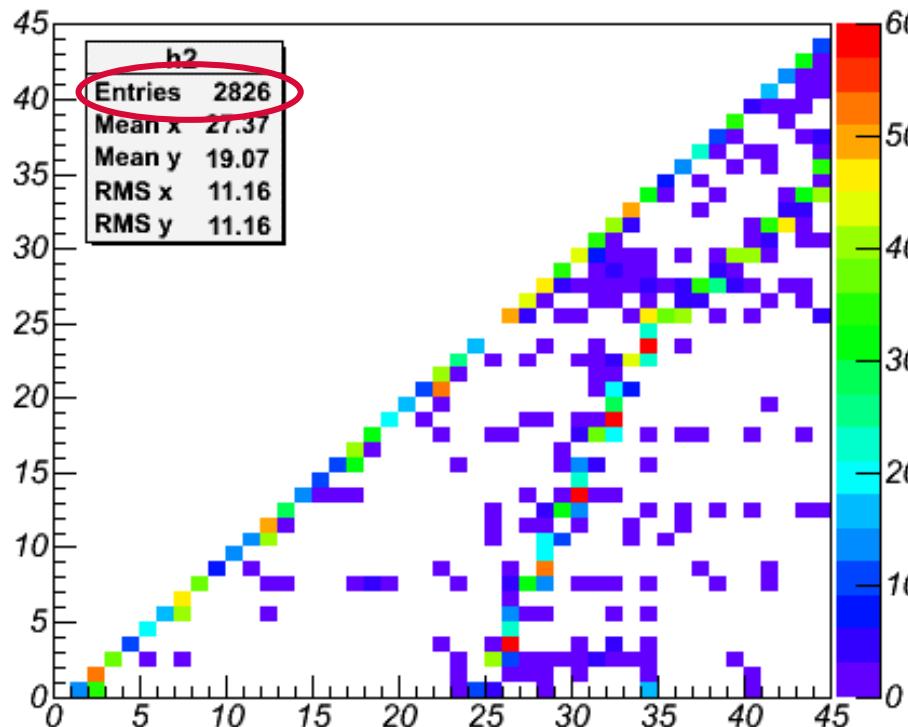


Re

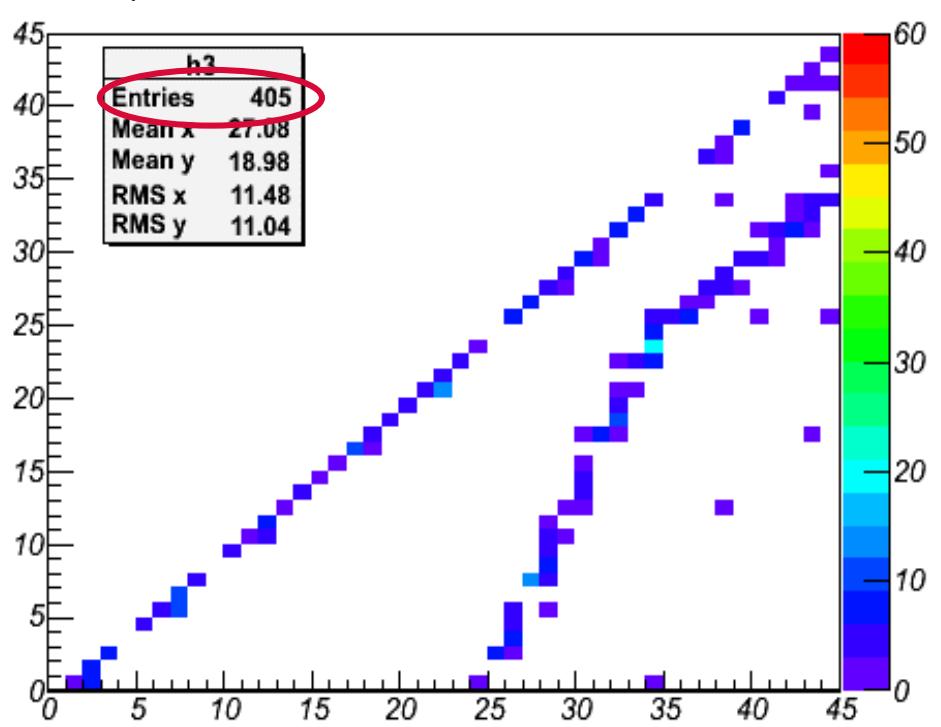


# Test of the rejection algorithm with GEANT4

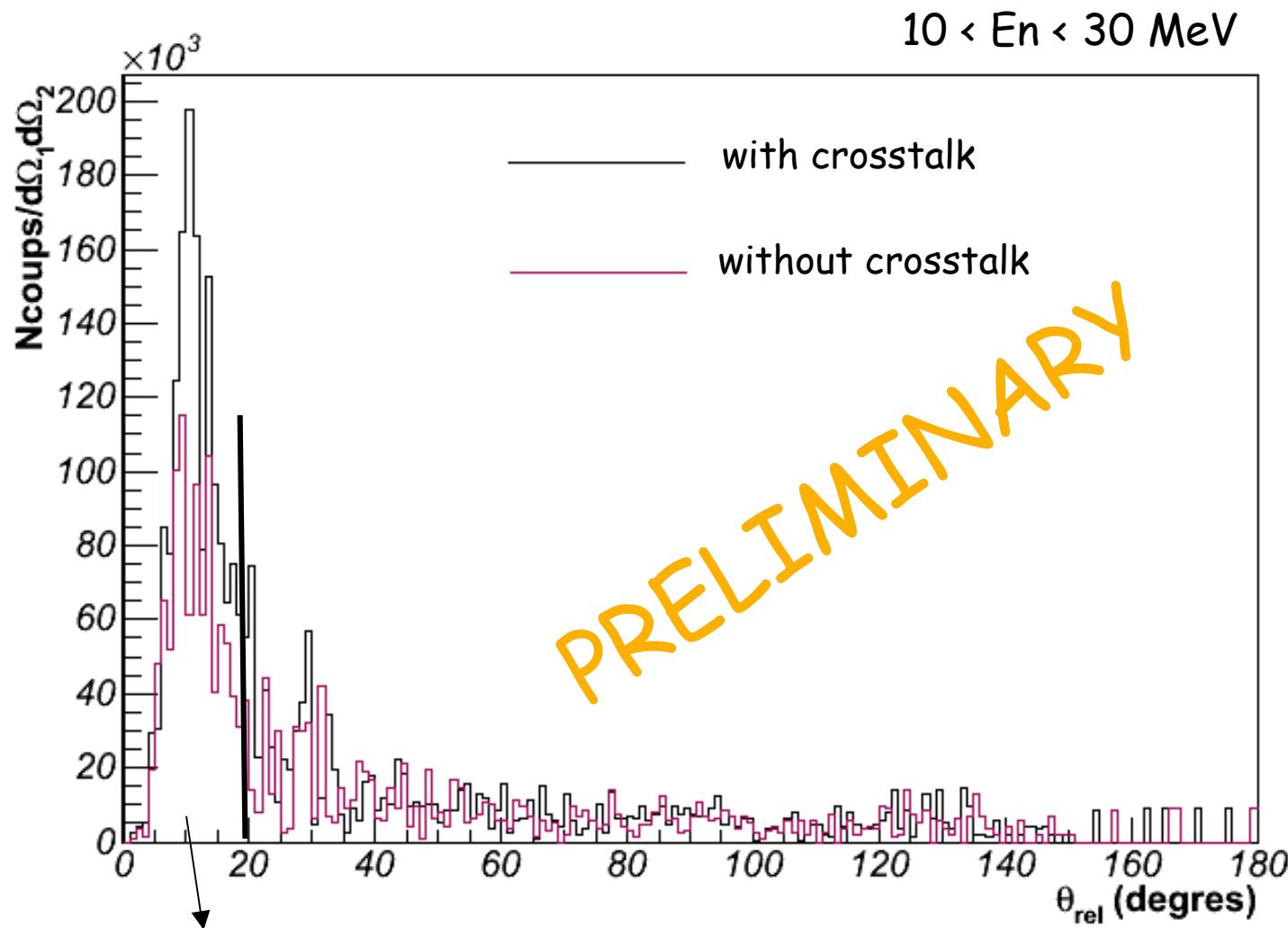
One emitted neutron - 2 detectors hit



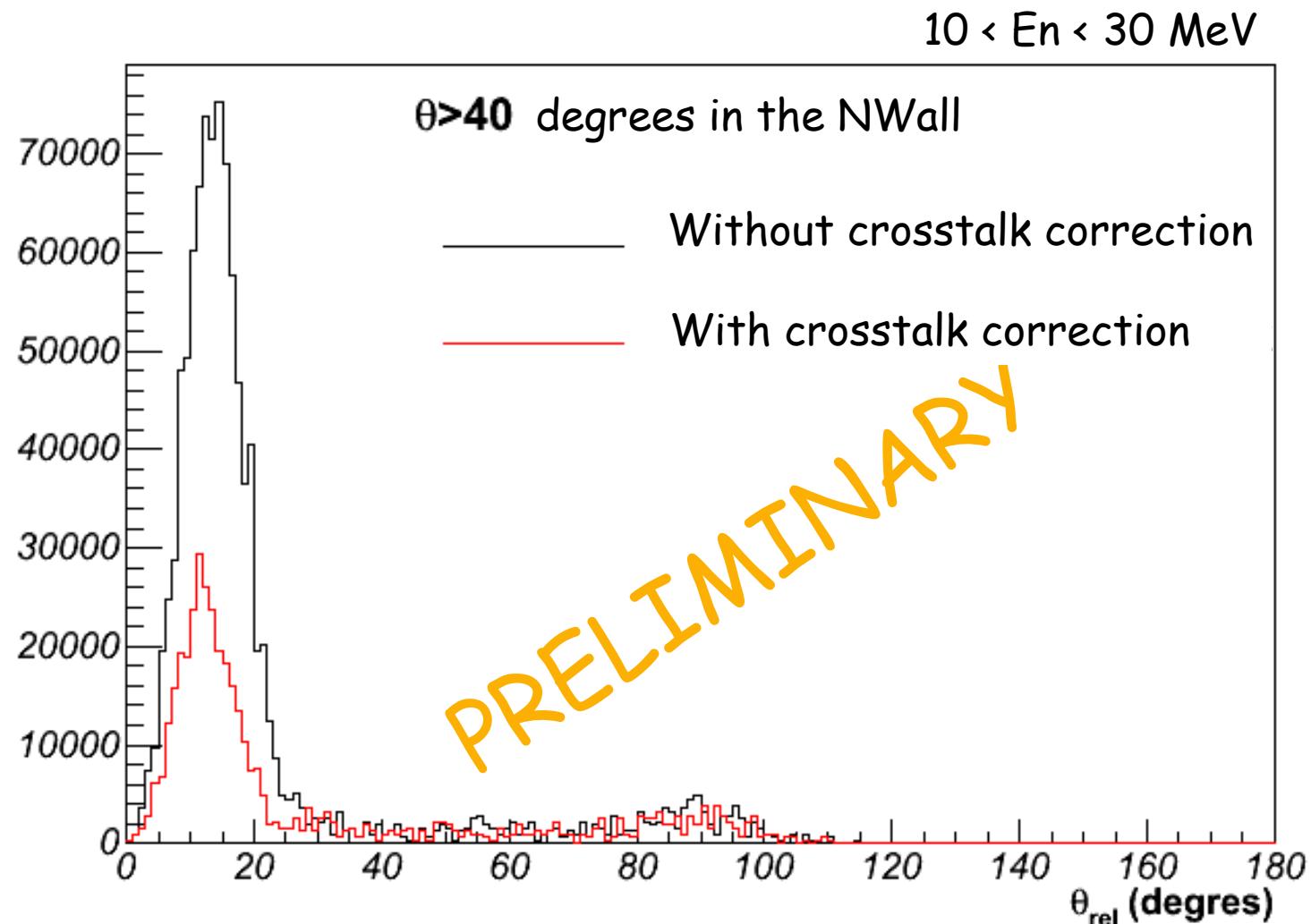
Only 15% of the crosstalk events remain



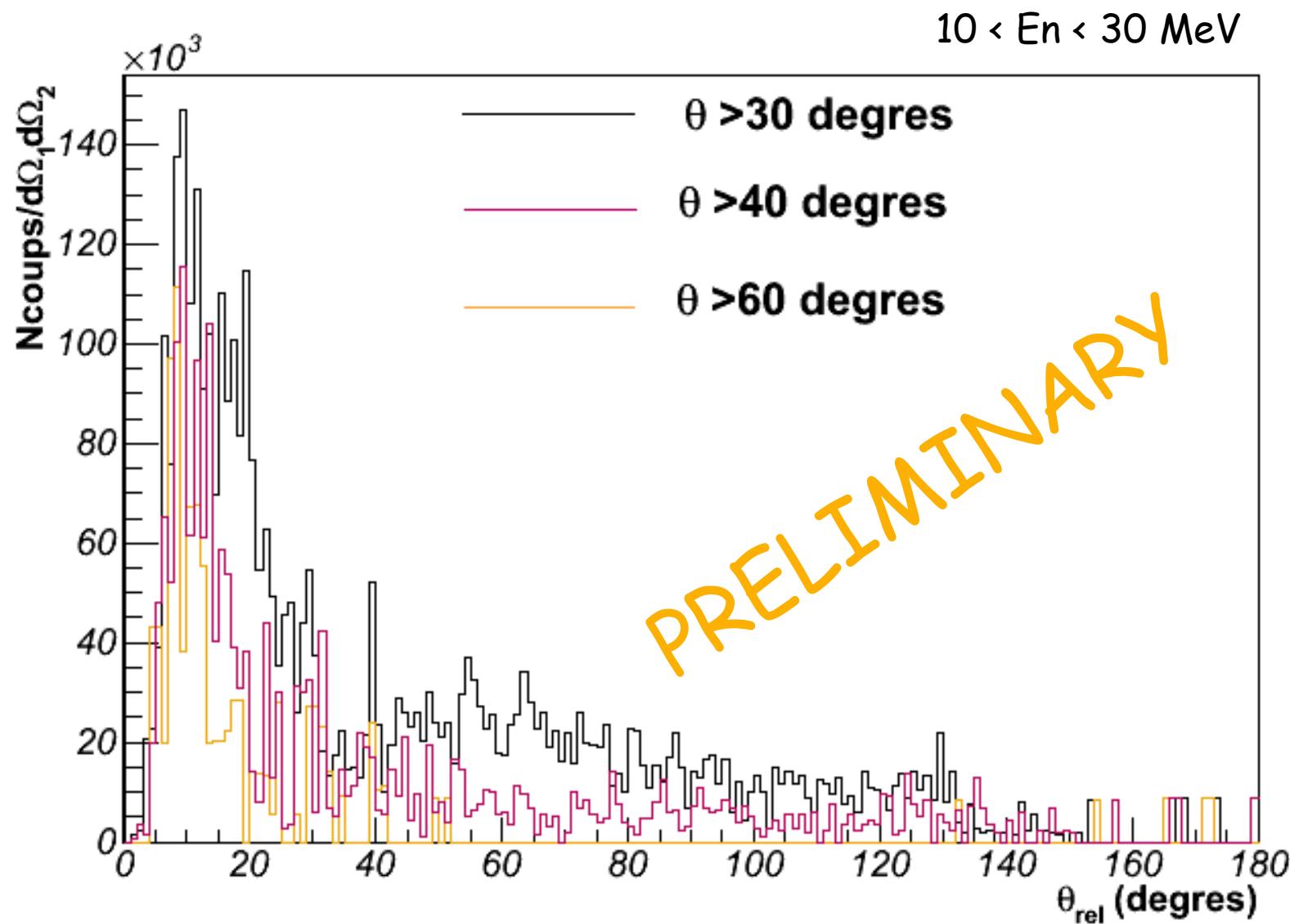
# With and without crosstalk for $\theta > 40^\circ$ (nuclear break-up)



35% of the events remains in the Neutron Wall after subtraction of the crosstalk pour  $\theta_{\text{rel}} < 20^\circ$



## Correlations subtracted from the cross-talk

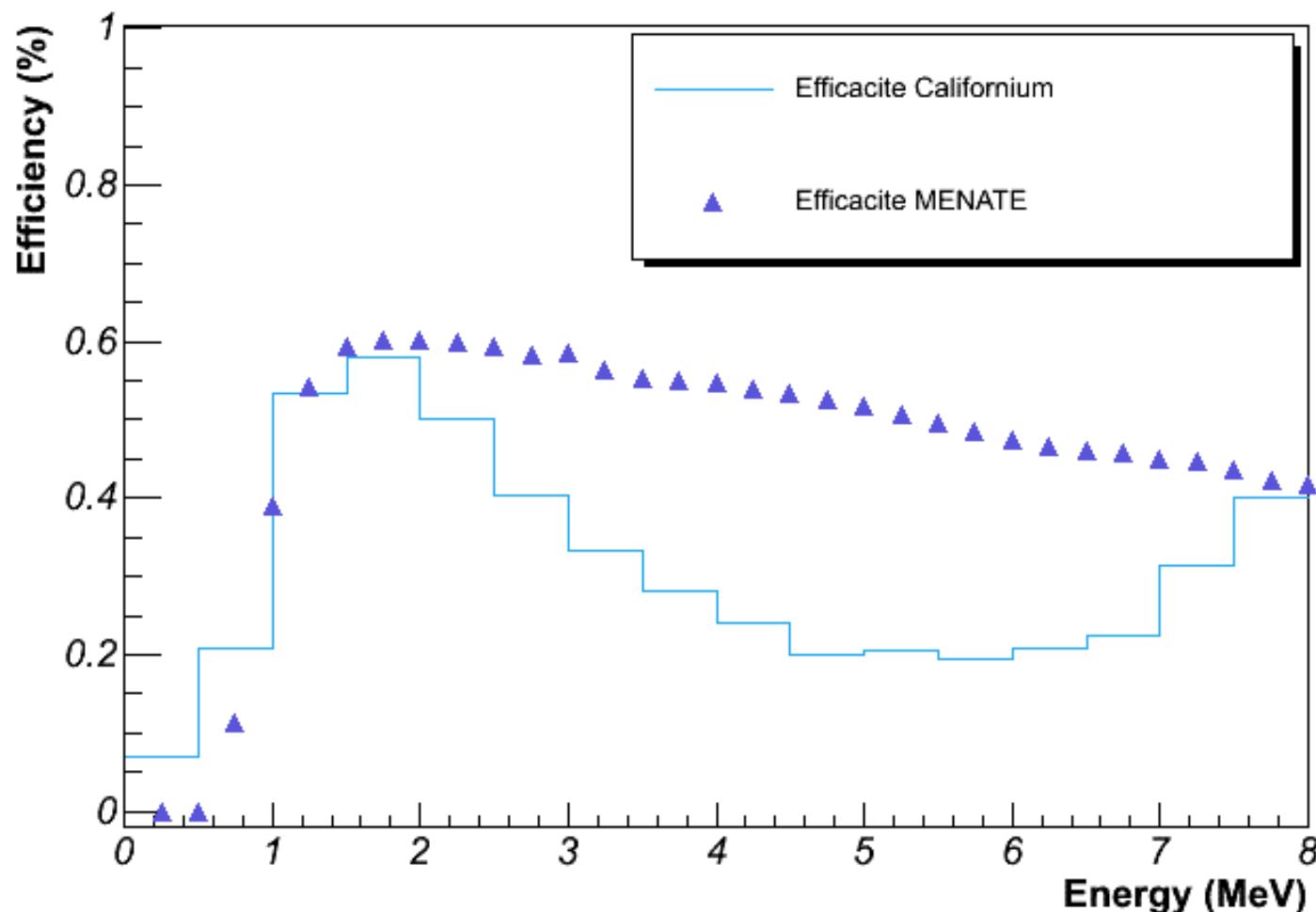


## New neutron detector characteristics

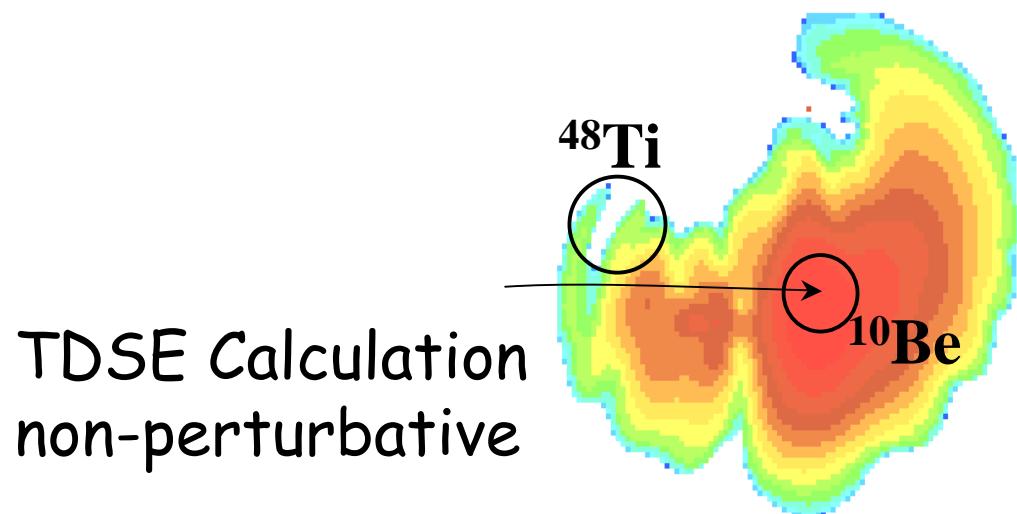
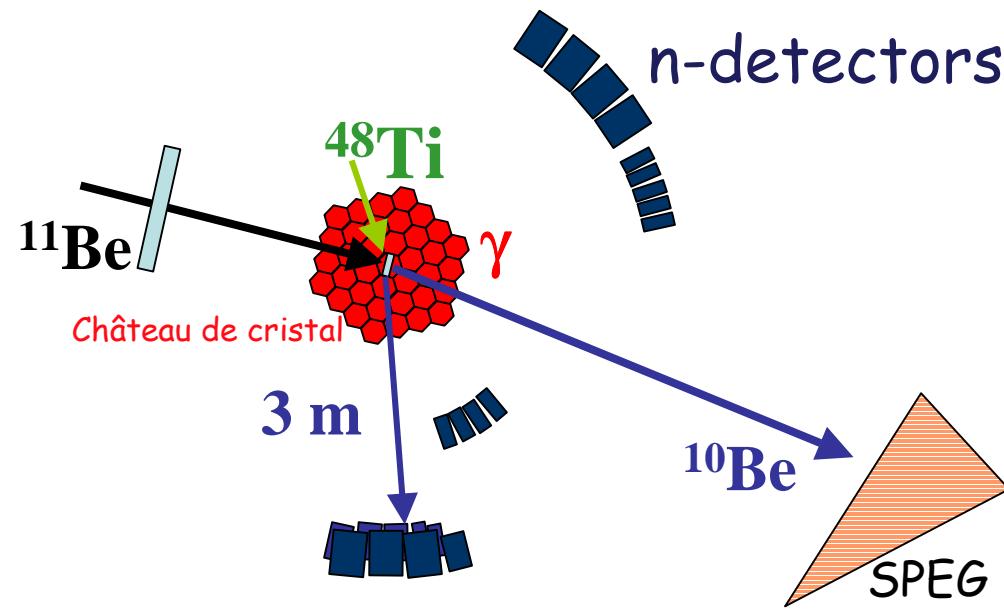
- No cross-talk! (think of the best protocol to remove it)
- Variable thickness (two sets of detectors)
- Large angular coverage (nuclear break-up, SPIRAL2)
- Compact electronics
- New materials!

# Efficiencies measured with Californium and calculated ?

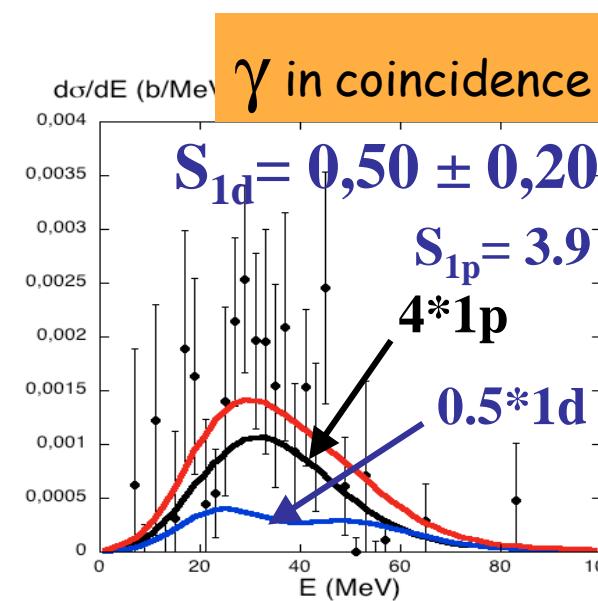
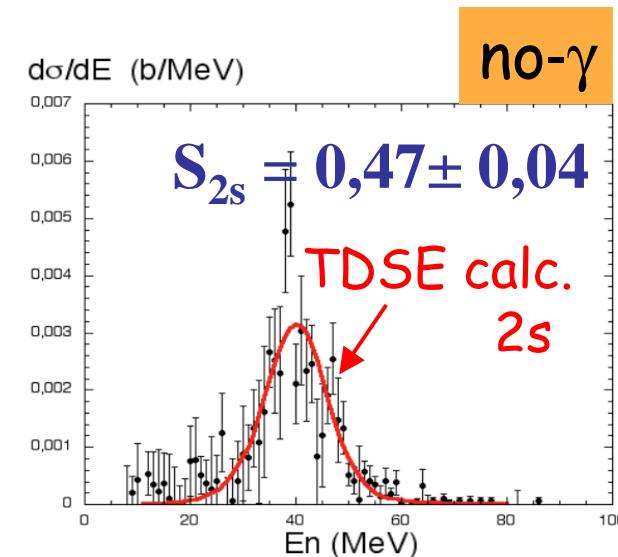
Seuil =100 keVee



# Exp E337



## Neutron energy spectra



V.Lima et al., Bormio 2004  
V.Lima, Ph.D. Paris XI, oct 2004  
V.Lima et al., in preparation