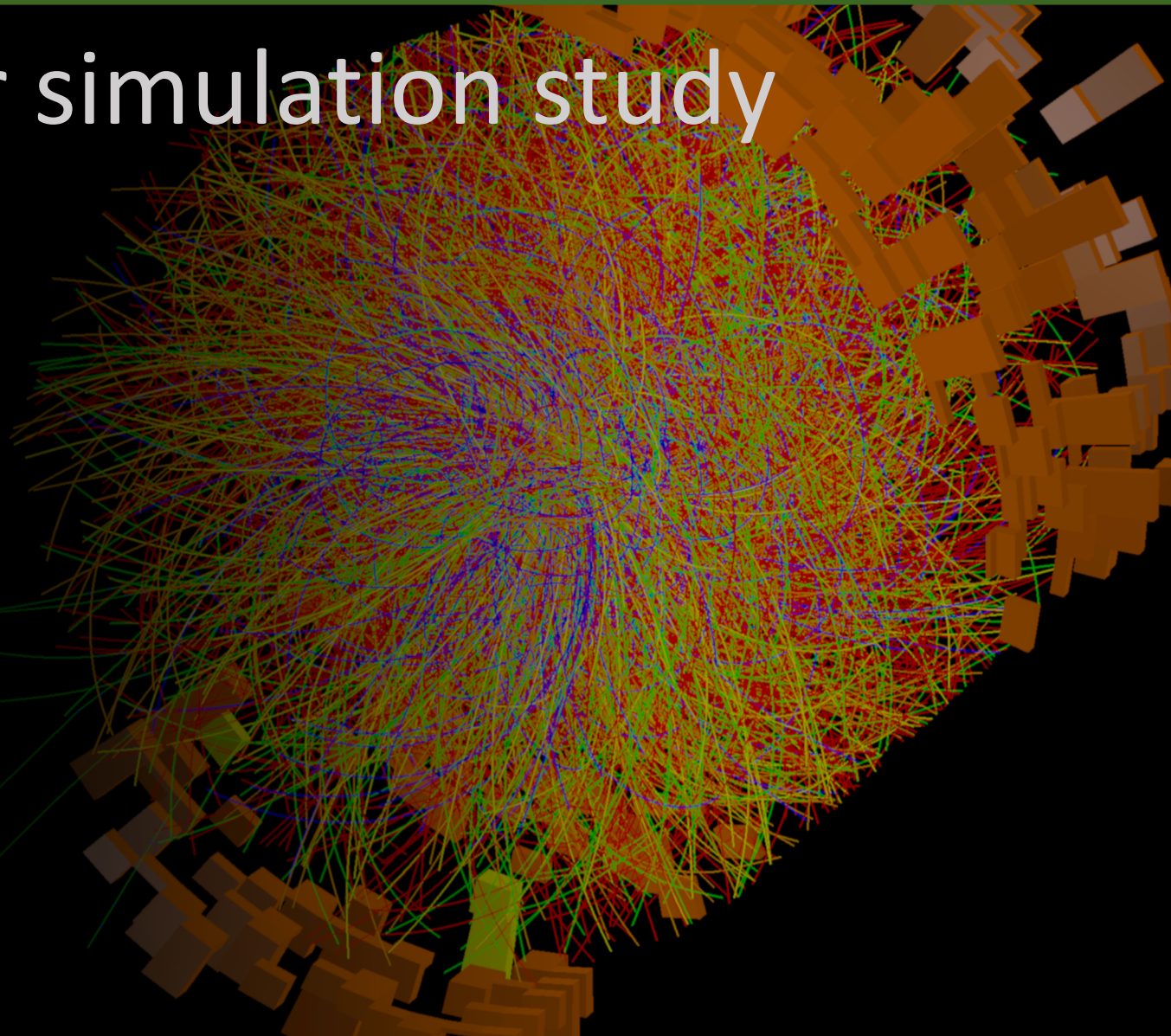


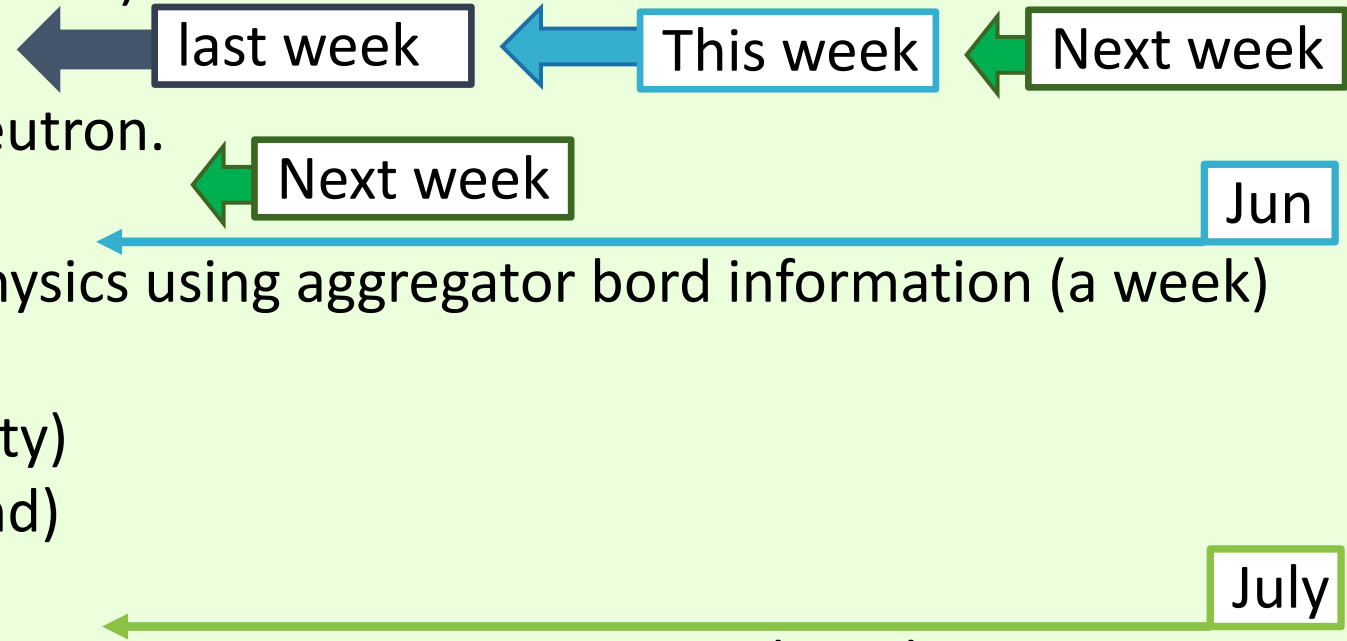
FoCal Geant 4 trigger simulation study

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Study of the feature of neutral particle

To distinguish neutral particle, I searched for features of Gamma and Neutron.

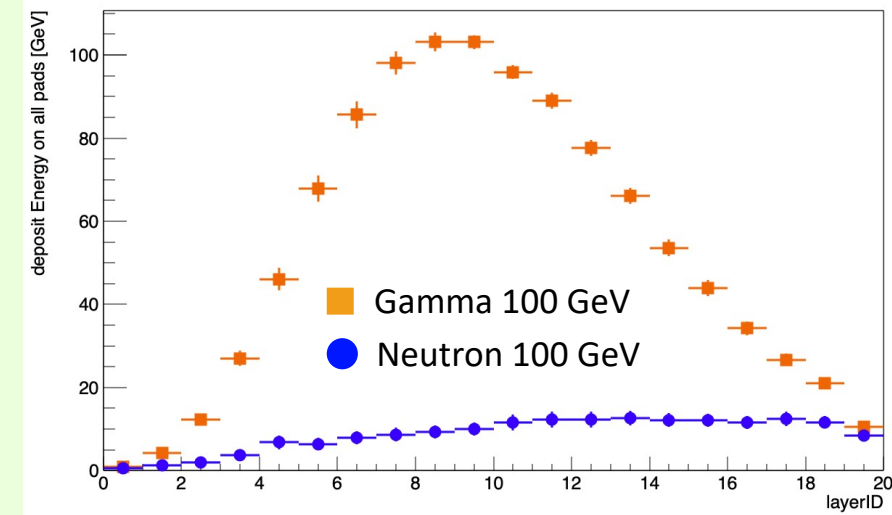
- set: FoCal-E, 8X9 cells, 1X1 cm²/cell
- particle: Gamma/Neutron, 100 GeV, 100 Events, angle: 0 degree, position: center

These results show we can separate these particle by using information on the deposit energy and the number of hit cells (shower expansion)

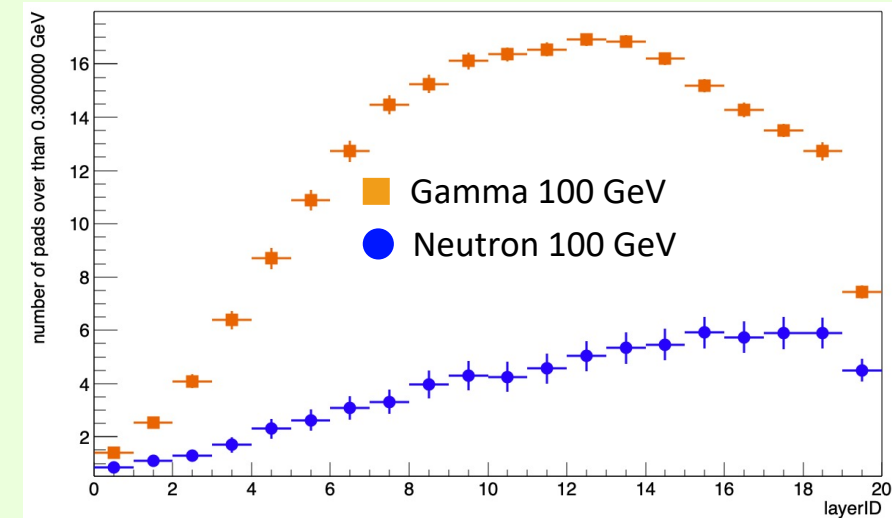


To detail study, I increased the number of events by using HT-condor.

- To estimate fluctuations of each value on each layer
- To evaluate the only events neutron interacts with detector



deposit energy distribution for each layer



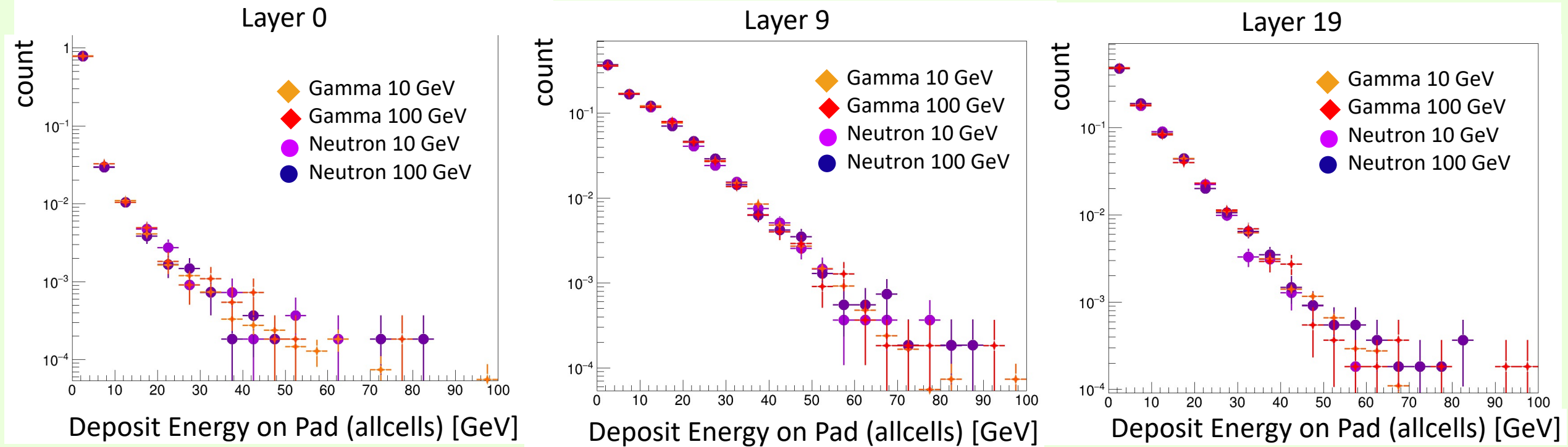
of cells distribution for each layer

New test setting

- set: FoCal-E, 8X9 cells, 1X1 cm²/cell
- particle: Gamma/Neutron, 100/10 GeV, **10000 Events**,
angle: 0 degree, position: center

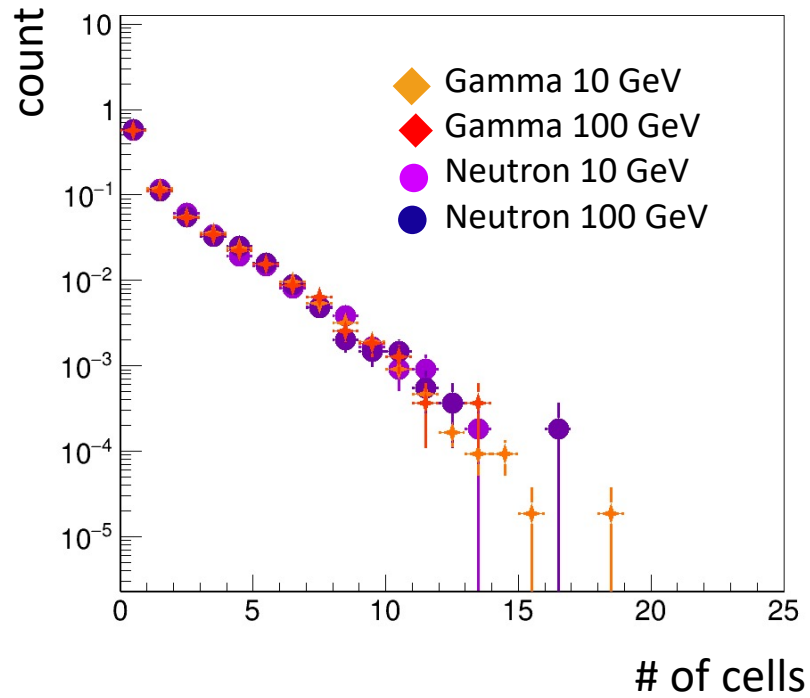
Select the events having the over than layers with the deposit energy.
(Many Neutron events not interact with detector)

Deposit energy difference

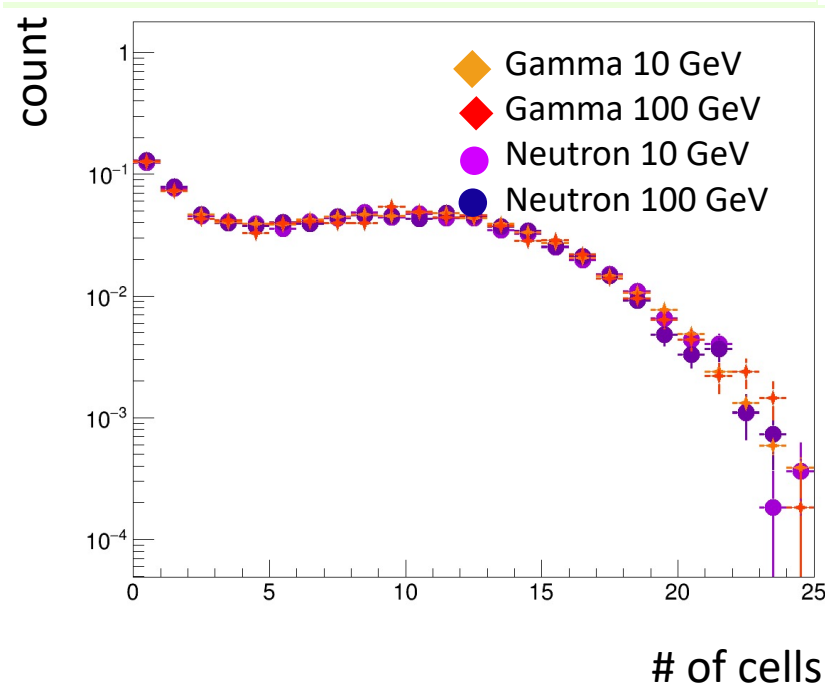


of cells

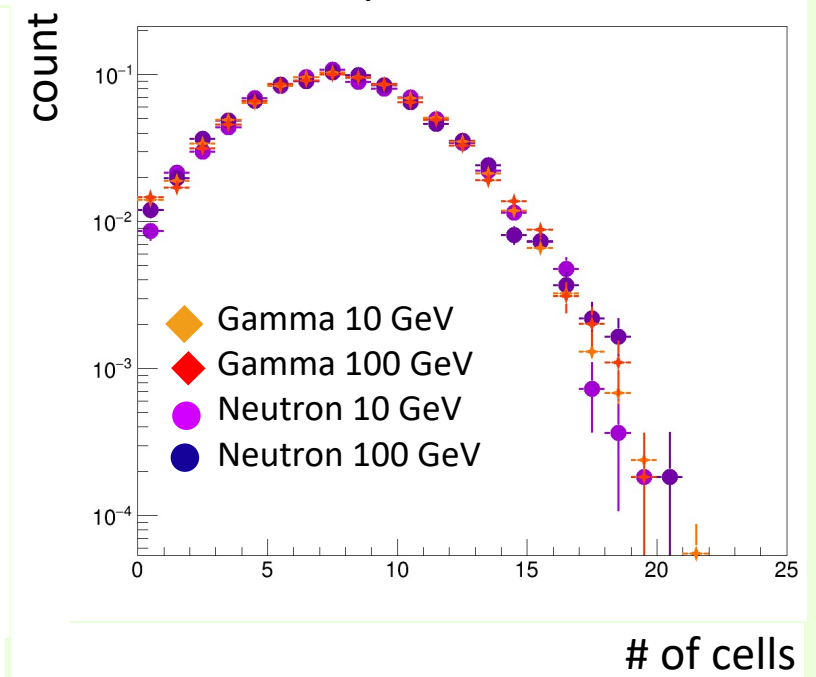
Layer 0



Layer 9

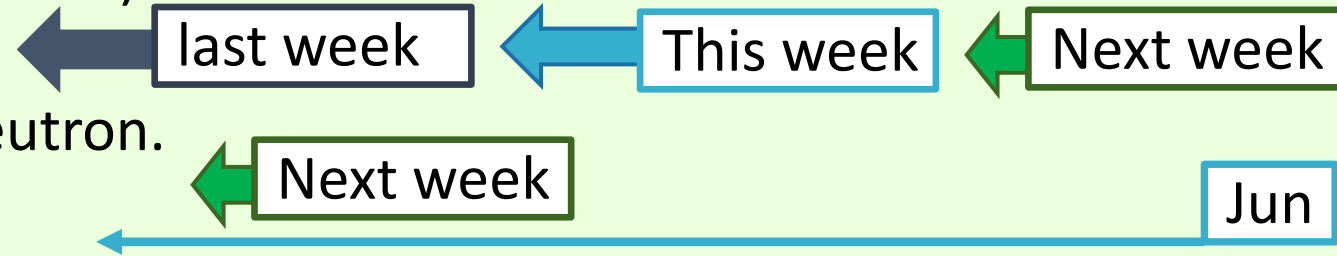


Layer 19



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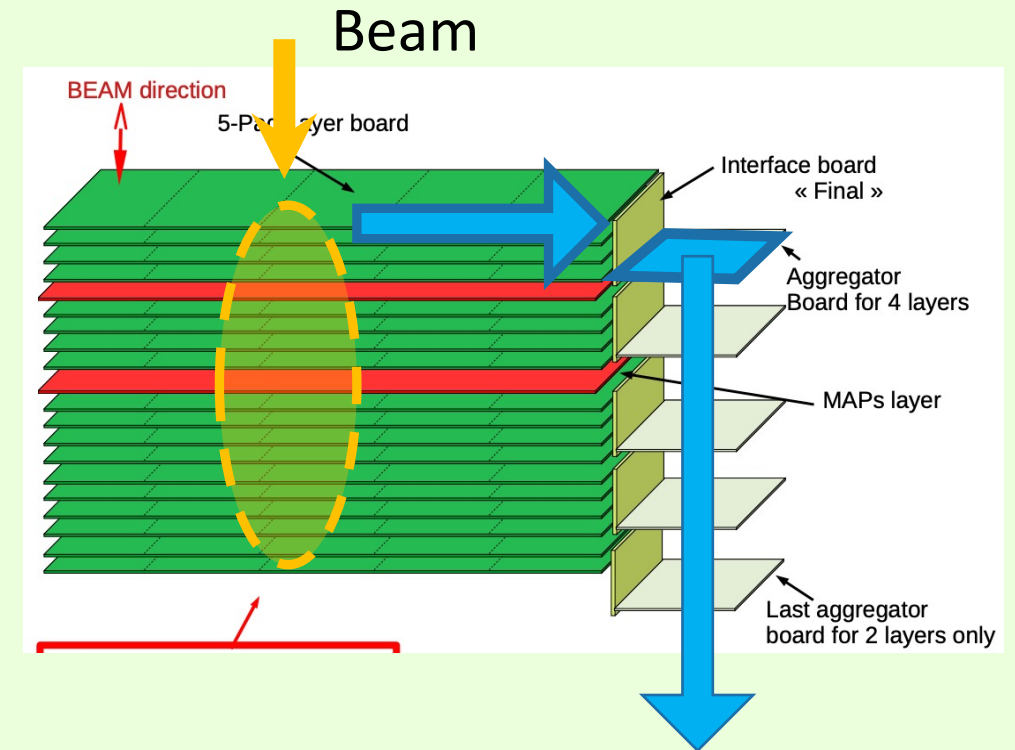
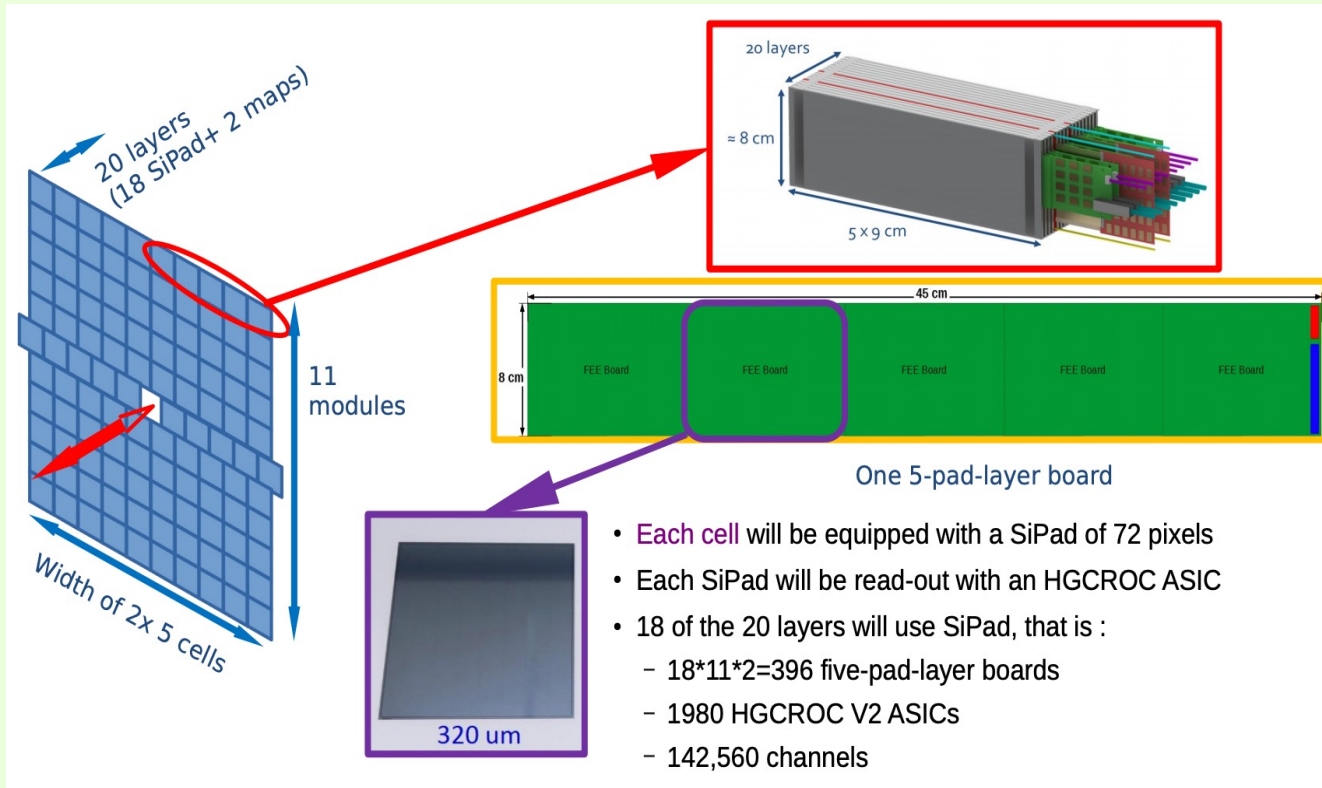


Backup Slides

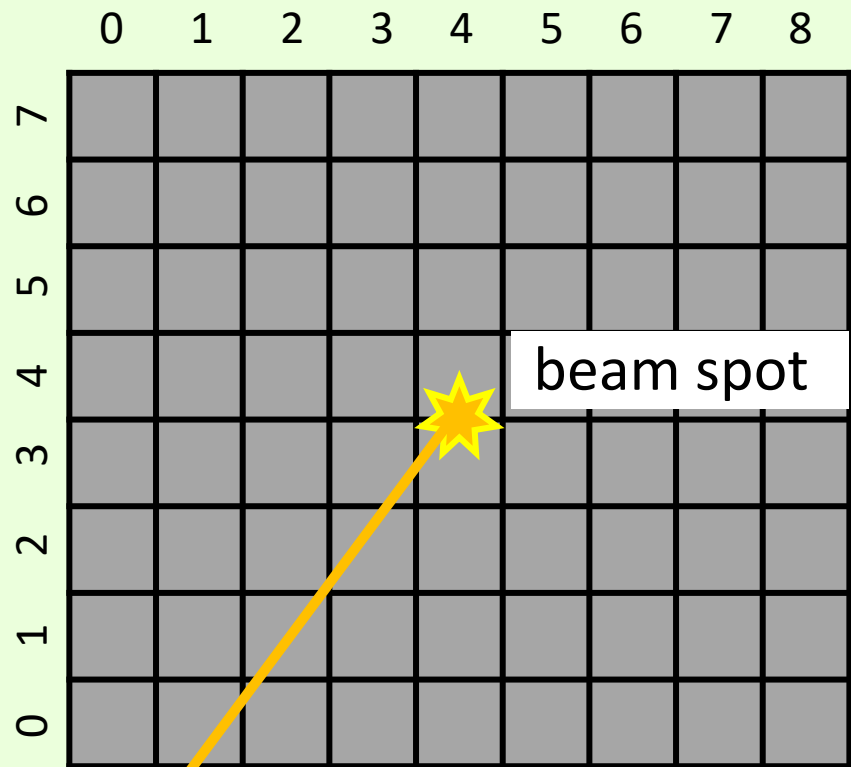
Study Motivation

Development of FPGA Frontend trigger of FoCal-E (ALICE / RHICf)

Grenoble group mainly contribute to this study, but I cannot go there because of Covid-19.
-> I started planning how to make the trigger by using GEANT4 simulation.

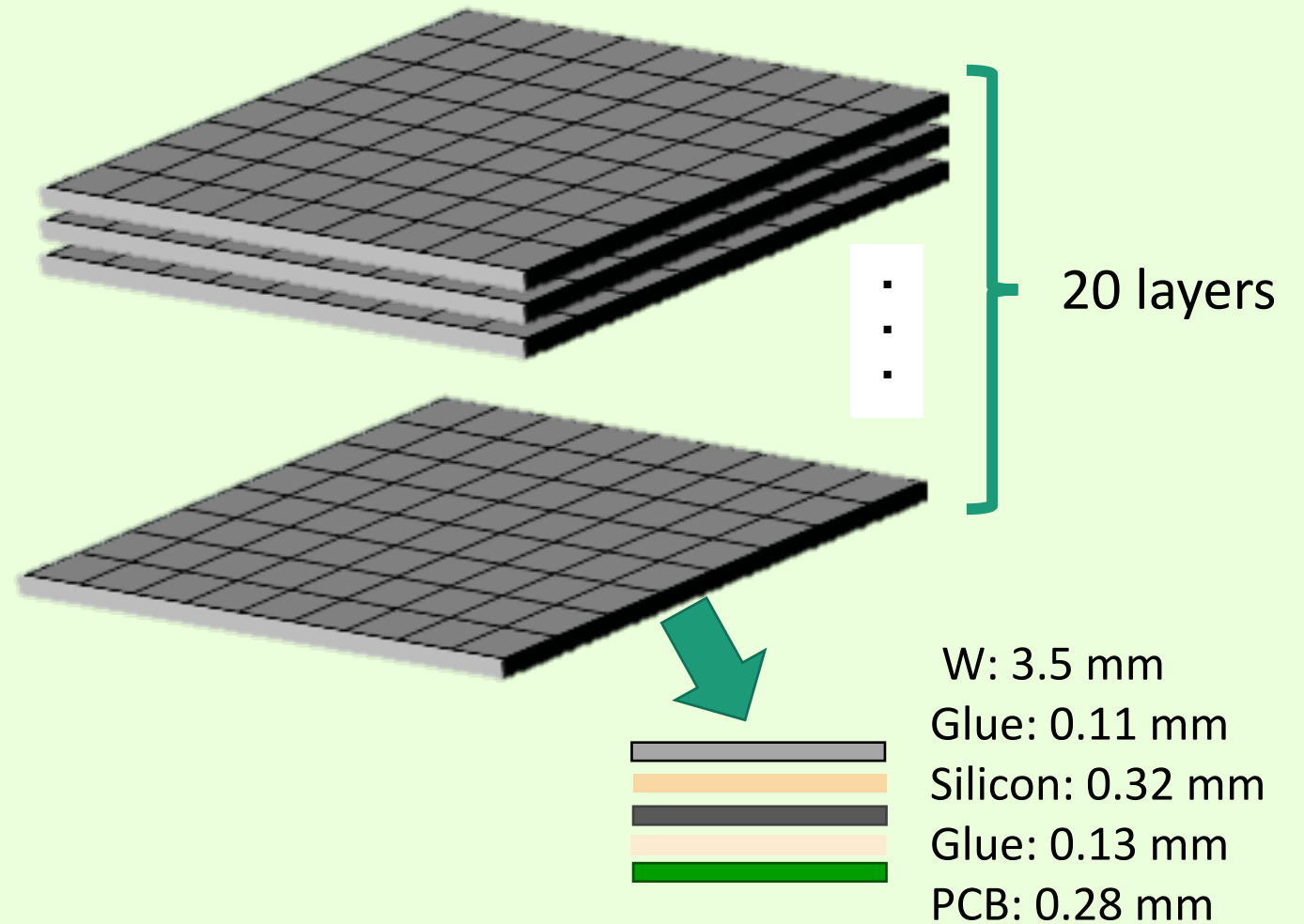


Default FoCal-E Setting

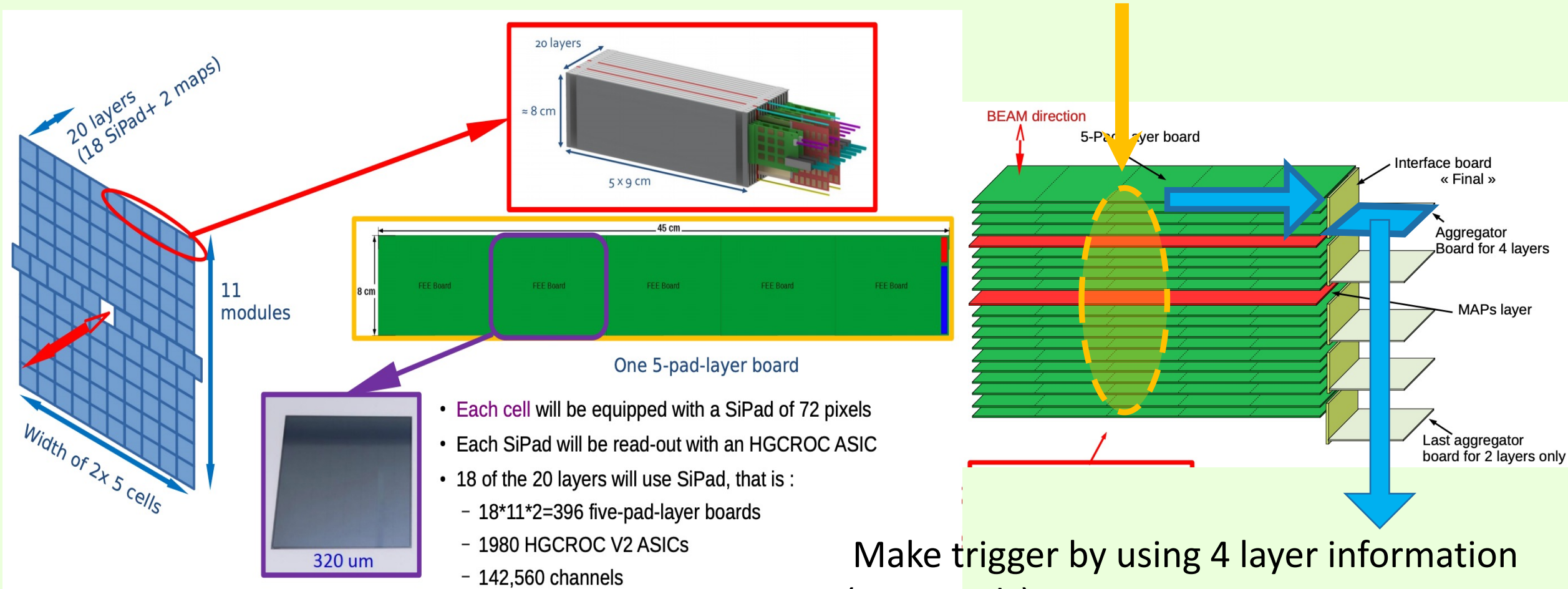


particle, energy, position, angle

we can easily add layer / replace to PIX



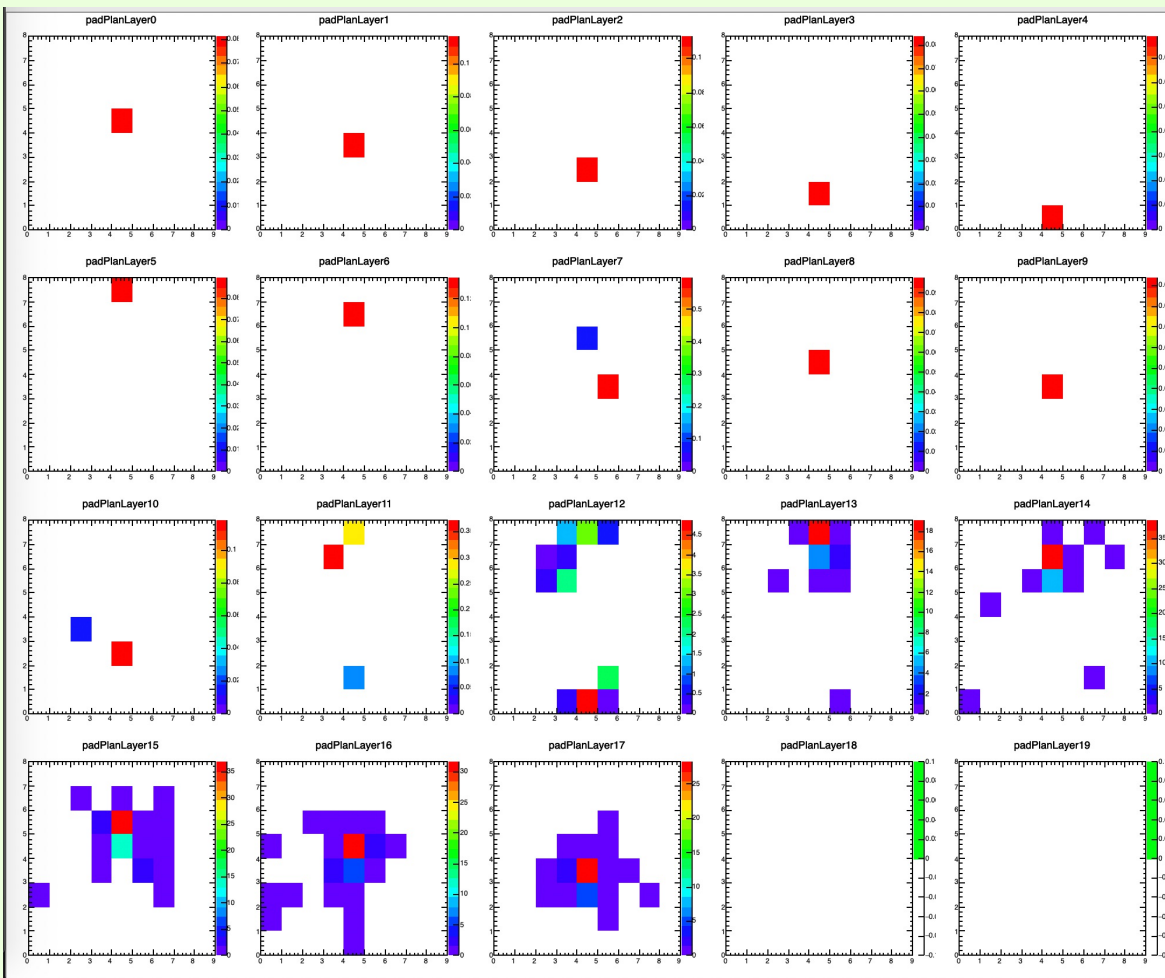
Next My work



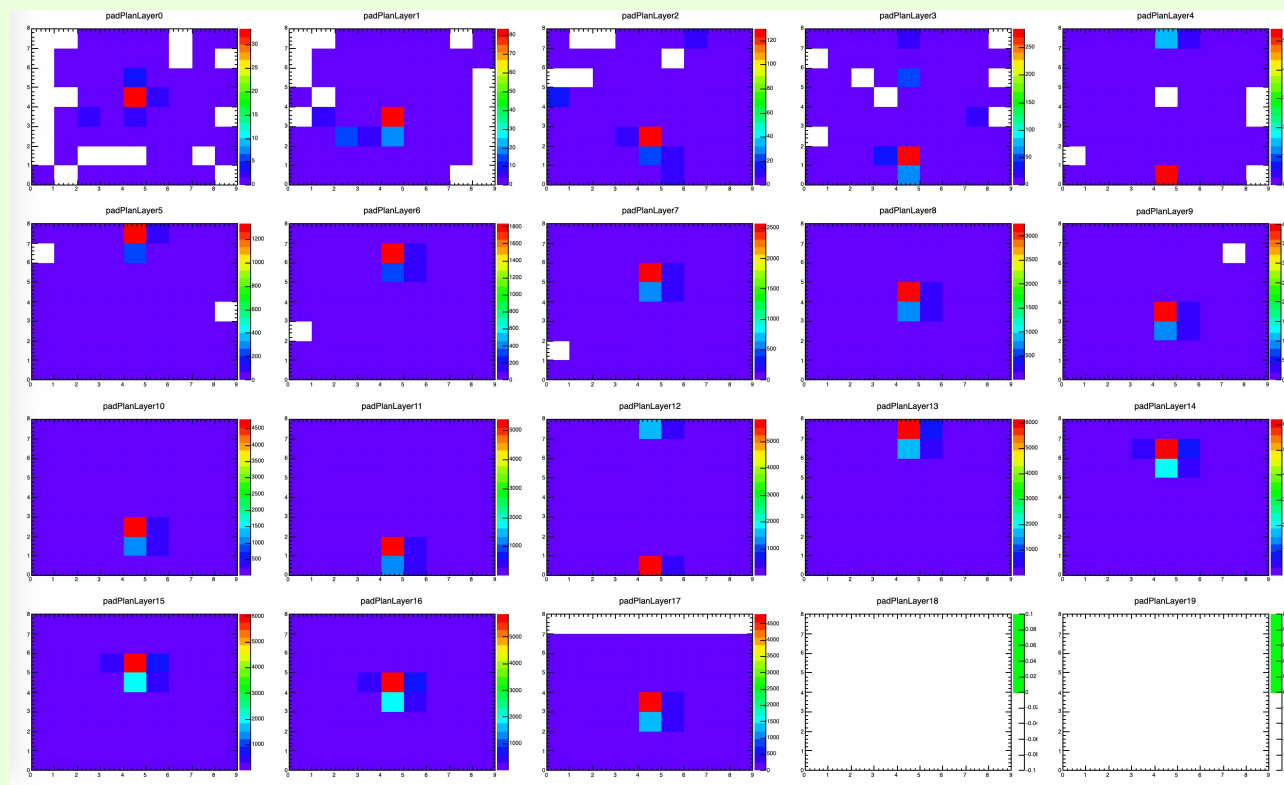
Make trigger by using 4 layer information (5 X 4 pads)

→ As Next step I will understand the pad ID layout and its location.

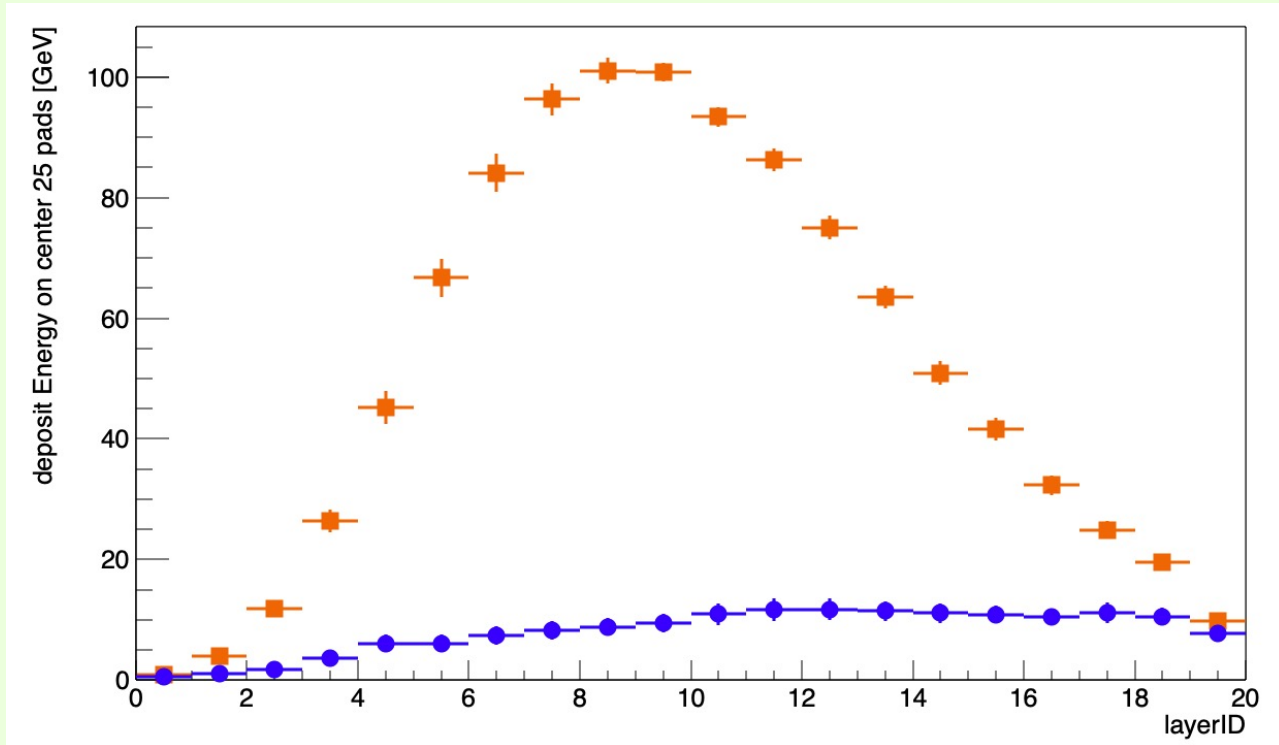
Pi- 1000 GeV, 1 event



Pi- 1000 GeV, 100 event



If I made mistake the location of pads, I will face segmentation violation



- Photon/Neutron trigger (Minho)

of layer, energy dep, spread

- 2 photon \rightarrow π^0 candidate

- sPHENIX \rightarrow stream read-out

Old (RHCF)

High energy trigger (w/o deep) photon energy dep

Shower trigger (low energy)

To do

1. Grenoble Mail -> Hardware (emulator board)-> program, how to test, injection
2. pi0
3. Hadron shower (extract events)
4. Read Minho Thesis
5. Radiation length
6. Trigger (L90, L20)

Neutron

