

Ferrous Materials: GEM Rotator

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Broad Overview

The GEM Rotator has the following currently-identified ferrous elements.

Roller bearings (cyan)

- General doc found for SKF says material is 100Cr6 [carbon steel]

Floor locks (green)

- Stainless & Carbon Steel, Connects are also carbon steel.

Motor (blue)

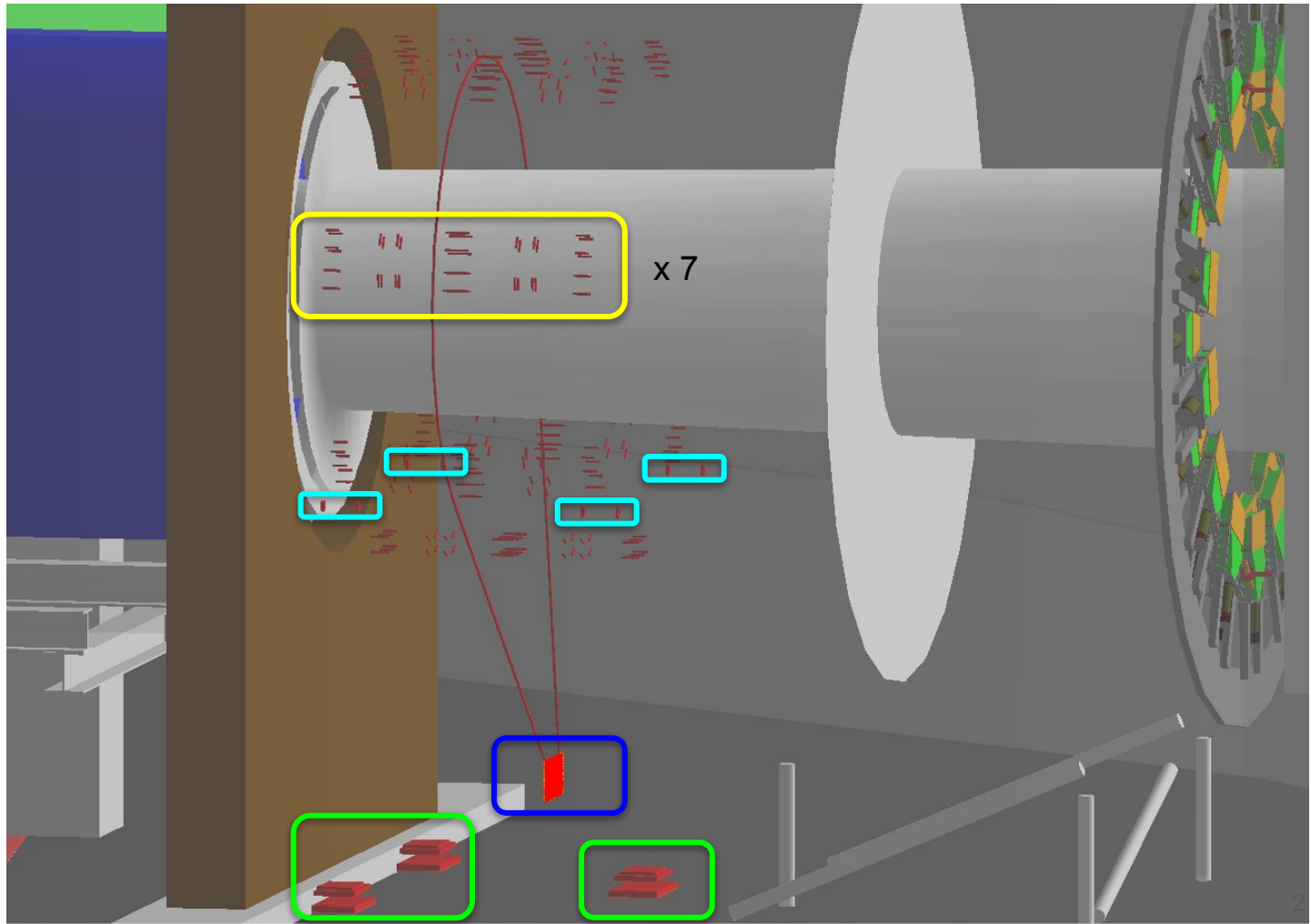
- Material specifics unknown, assume full magnetization 8%

Chain (long thing)

- Is overmodeled, SS316

Fasteners (yellow)

- SS316 [wrongly listed as Grade 5 in previous PDF version]



Broad Overview (Cont'd)

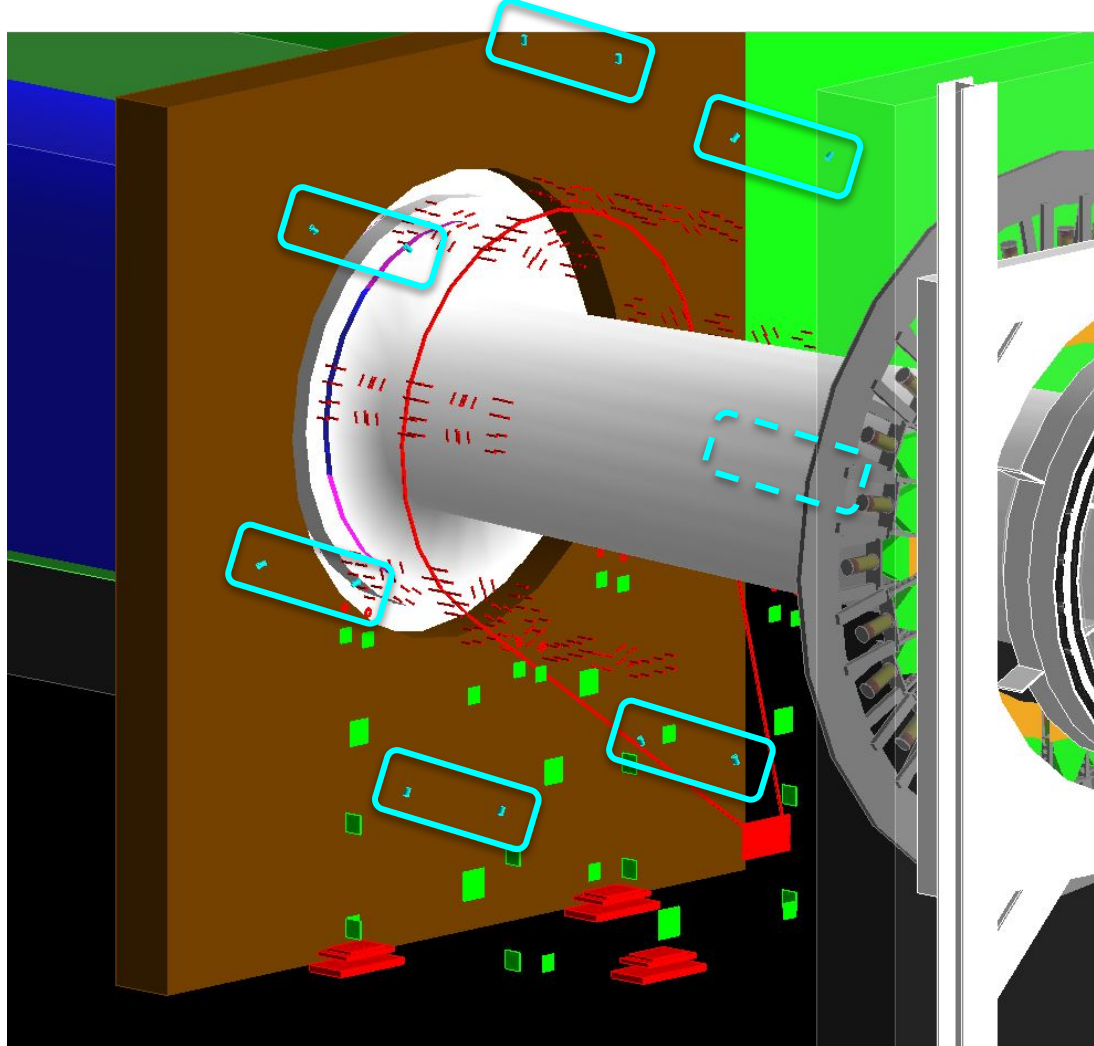
The GEM Rotator items added since previous slide now include:

Stepper Motor (cyan)

- 2 motors per septant so 14 total; magnetic cores modeled (reasonably well for first pass, see if GEM team has any more details); fully magnetized material.

T-Nut Fasteners (Green Squares)

- Toy geometry; accurate mass spread over regions of fastener coverage; represents about 50% of fastener areas; SS-304



Broad Overview (Cont'd)

The GEM Rotator items added since previous slide now include:

Wheel Pins (Green)

- Want to know if SS would be a problem.

Stepper Rods (Magenta)

- Made of SS

Stepper Bearings

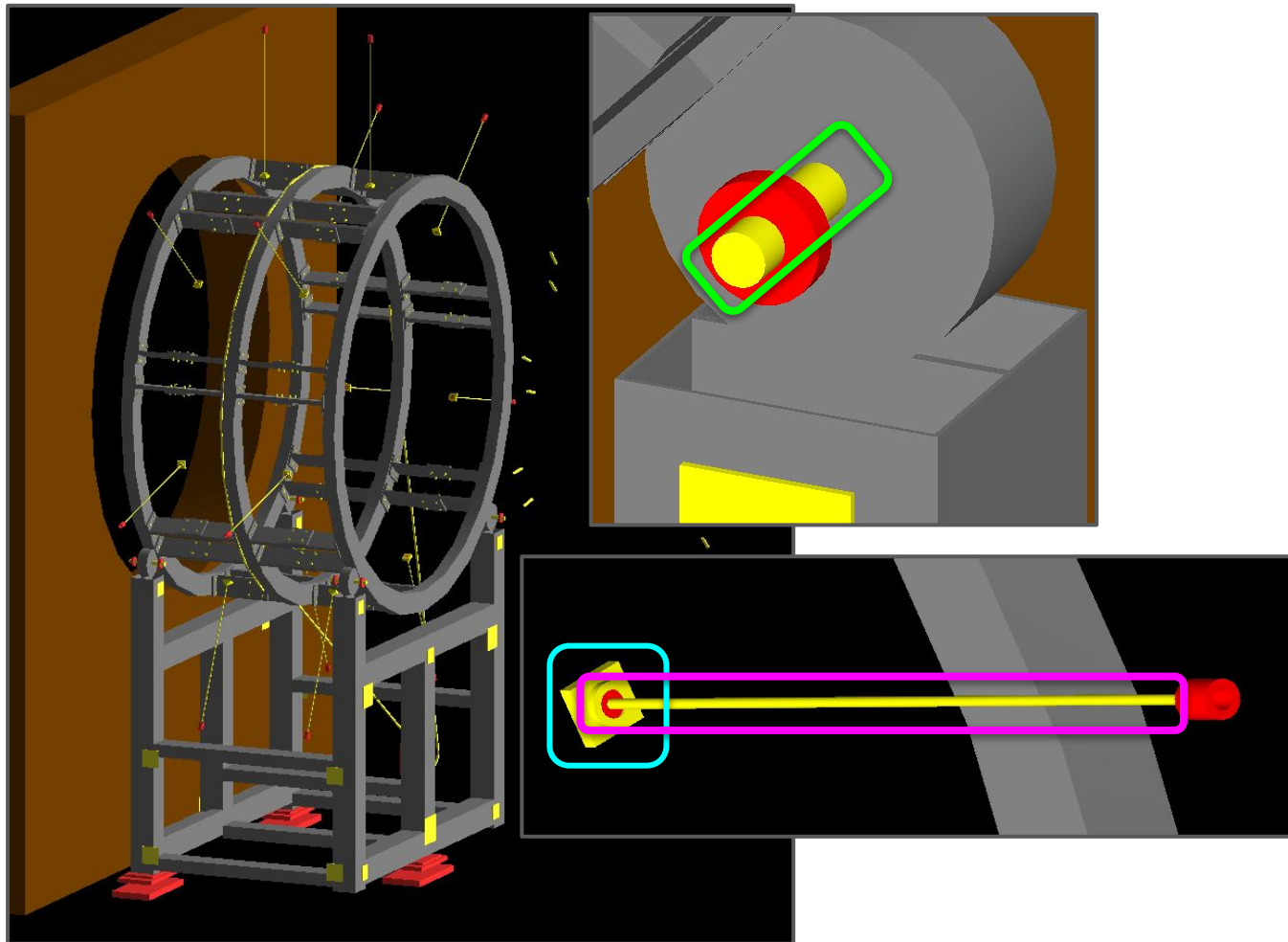
(Red geometry in cyan box)

- Made of carbon steel.

Stepper Bearing Housing

(Yellow geometry in cyan box)

- Made of SS



Broad Overview (Cont'd)

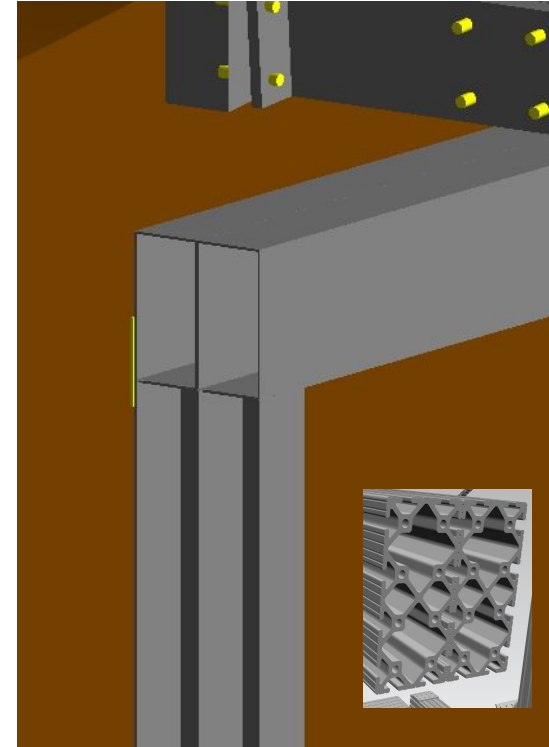
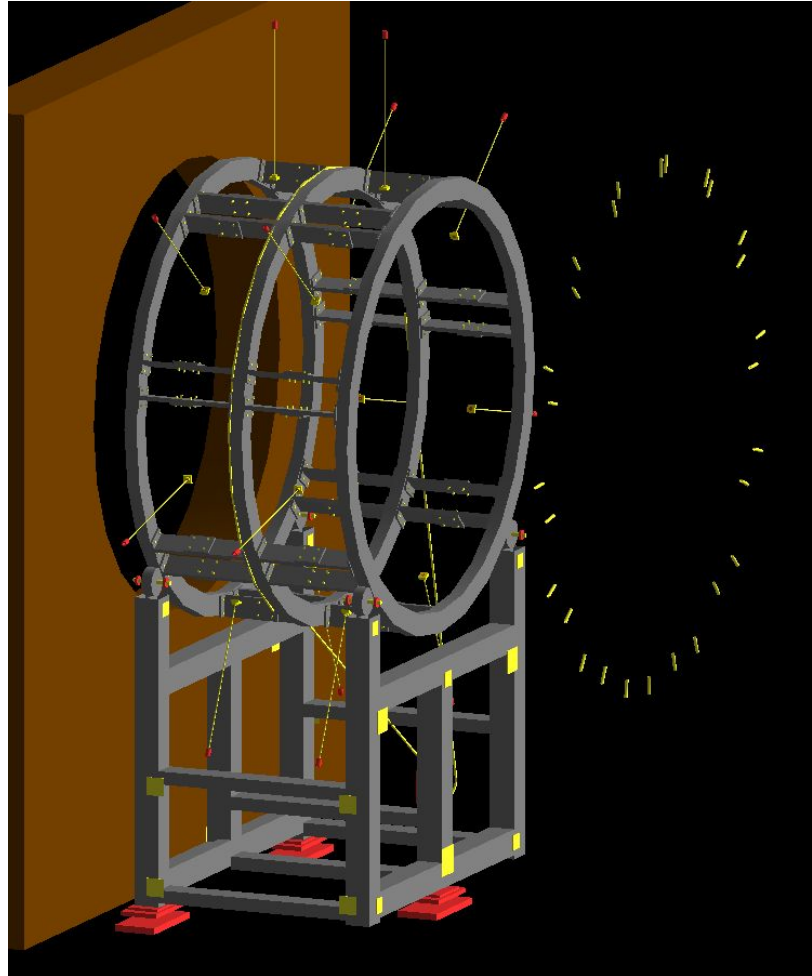
Adding AI mass:

- Frame mass will scatter primaries
- Frame mass will have some degree of attenuation on secondaries coming from certain components.

Largest components of frame mass added in.

- Frame mass/length = model... double check this.
- Wheels solid? Can't tell from JT.

THIS IS NOT THE COMPLETE MASS. I WANTED TO GET ~50% OF IT IN THE MODEL DISTRIBUTED AROUND.

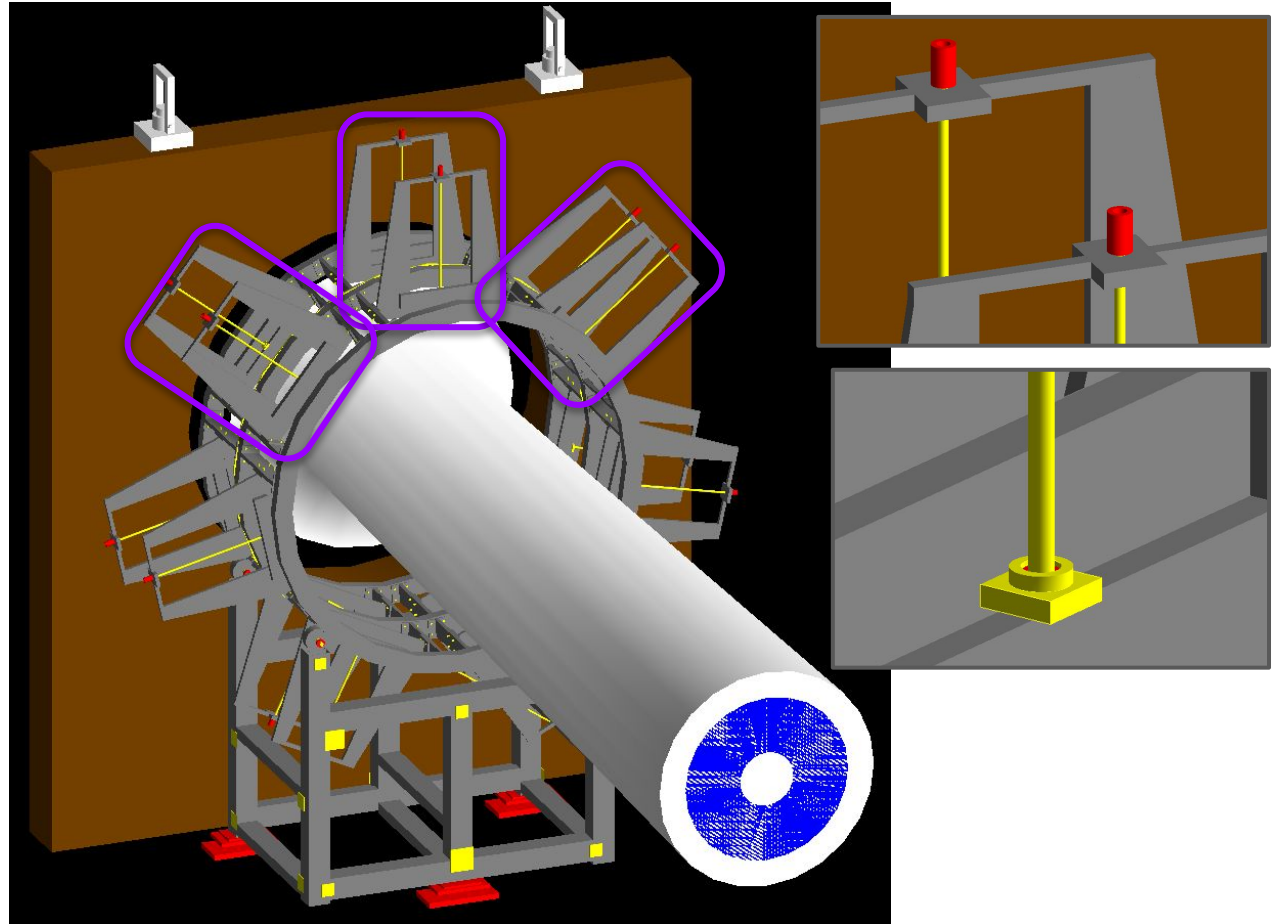


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GEM plane frames
added to rotator
wheel.

Not exact

Explicitly added for
concerns about
ferrous backgrounds
from stepper motors
and stepper drive
bearings but all
results have been
updated.



Note: Materials Permeability and Susceptibility



Material	X r	Spin Polarization (P f)	Frac e- on Target	Frac of events Per Moller
Mild Steel	2000	1E-02	1E-11	1E-07
Stainless Steel (Worst)	1	1E-05	1E-08	1E-04
Stainless Steel (Ideal)	0.01	1E-07	1E-06	1E-02
Aluminum	0.0001	1E-09	1E-04	1E+00
Inconel 625	0.001	1E-08	1E-05	1E-01
Brass/Bronze (Worst)	0.001	1E-08	1E-05	1E-01

Study done for CERN at Los Alamos in the 1990s

MAGNETIC PERMEABILITY OF STAINLESS STEEL FOR USE IN ACCELERATOR BEAM TRANSPORT SYSTEMS*

Table 1 - Magnetic Permeability - μ

Material	As Received	After Anneal [1]	After Electropolish	Weld Rod	After TIG Welding	Post-Weld Anneal [2]
304L	1.05-1.1	1.02-1.05	<1.01	E/ER 309	2.2-2.5	1.4 +
316L [3]	<1.01	<1.01	<1.01	E/ER 316	1.6	1.10-
				E/ER 316L	1.6	1.02-1.05
				E/ER 316L [4]	1.4 [4]	1.02-1.05
				E/ER 310	1.02-1.05	<1.01
20Cb3	1.01-1.02	1.02-1.05	<1.01	E/ER20Cb3	<1.01	<1.01
310	<1.01	<1.01	<1.01	E/ER 310	<1.01	<1.01
Nitronic 33	<1.01	1.02-1.05	<1.01	NIT33	1.1	<1.01
Nitronic 40	<1.01	<1.01	<1.01	NIT40	1.1-1.15	1.02 +
317LN	<1.01	<1.01	<1.01	E/ER 317	1.2-1.4	<1.01

*Table copy courtesy of Don

IV. CONCLUSIONS

The use of 310 with 310 weld rod or 20Cb-3 with 20Cb-3 weld rod appears to produce welds with the required permeability of not greater than 1.02, without the necessity of high-temperature solution annealing of large welded components. The availability of two metal/weld rod combinations allows the fabrication process and material to be selected on basis of cost of fabrication and availability of materials.

1. Anneal conditions: 1800° for 75 min on 20Cb-3, 1980° for 40 min on all other types.
2. Post-weld anneal conditions: 1825° for 60 min in nitrogen at a pressure of approximately 4x10⁻⁵ torr on all samples.
3. The same 316L coupons were welded with four different weld rods.
4. Arc welded with coated rod.

Note: Depolarization Considerations

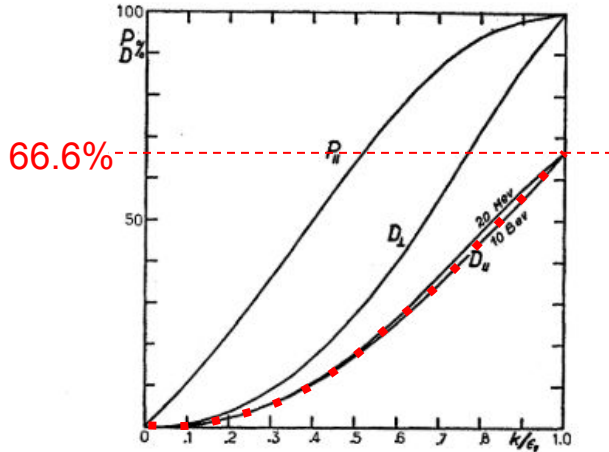


FIG. 5. Circular polarization of bremsstrahlung beam from longitudinally polarized electrons,

$$P_{||} = P(\mathbf{p}_1, \zeta_1 \text{ long}, \mathbf{e}_{\text{circ}}),$$

and depolarization of longitudinally polarized electrons,

$$D_{||} = D(\mathbf{p}_1, \zeta_1 \text{ long})$$

and of transversely polarized electrons, $D_{\perp} = D(\mathbf{p}_1, \zeta_1 \text{ trans})$. Coulomb and screening effects are included. The curves for $P_{||}$ and D_{\perp} are valid for all elements and for any incident electron energy above ≈ 20 Mev. $D_{||}$ depends slightly on the electron energy; curves are shown for incident electron energies 20 Mev and 10 Bev.

Photon and Electron Polarization in High-Energy Bremsstrahlung and Pair Production with Screening*

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(Received November 24, 1958)

I've highlighted the depolarization of longitudinally polarized electrons line in red.

Presuming bremsstrahlung losses a 100MeV electron from our primary ferrous simulations will have a depolarization of 66.6%

We use this 2/3 polarization loss figure when needing to account for polarization losses.

9300 – GEM Rotator Roller Bearings

Carbon Steel roller bearings.

1" ID

2.25" OD

Modeled as cylinder with spec'd ID and OD with a z-thickness enough to give the ring a mass of ~0.22kg (0.48 lb in specs).

Used G4-STAINLESS_STEEL in remoll for simulation.



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9300 – GEM Rotator Roller Bearings (cont'd)



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Material information sourced from SKF website.

(1) Confirm with Chandika specifics about the material for this specific. It's possible that I missed specific component materials in listing on the website. Other than that all I found was general information about SKF-made components.

Bearing rings

The pressure at the rolling contact area and the cyclic overrolling creates fatigue in the bearing rings when the bearing is in operation. To cope with such fatigue, rings that are made of steel must be hardened.

The standard steel for bearing rings and washers is 100Cr6, a steel containing approximately 1% carbon and 1,5% chromium.

SKF bearing rings and washers are made of steel in accordance with SKF specifications. They cover all aspects that are relevant to providing a long service life for the bearing. Depending on specific requirements, SKF uses stainless steels or high-temperature steels.

Rolling elements

The rolling elements (balls or rollers) transfer the load between inner and outer rings. Typically, the same steel is used for rolling elements as for bearing rings and washers. When required, rolling elements can be made of ceramic material. Bearings containing ceramic rolling elements are considered **hybrid bearings** and are becoming more and more common.

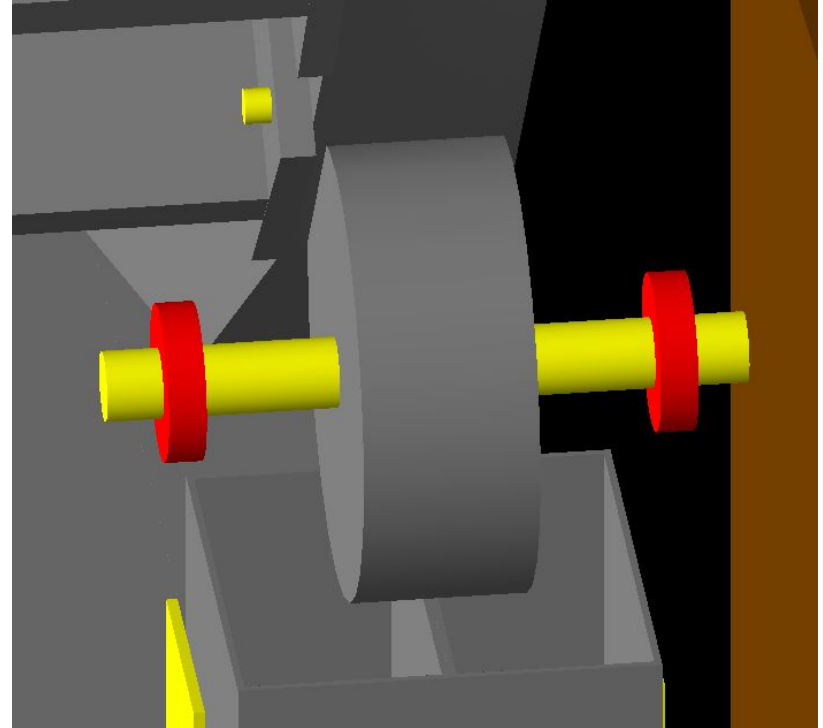
9300 – GEM Rotator Roller Bearings (cont'd)

Previous modeling was just the roller bearings which are red in this screen snip.

Added is the wheel structure made of aluminum (gray) and wheel pin (yellow) which is stainless steel (modeled as such on request).

The additional materials should provide some shielding of primaries and attenuation of secondaries.

Note: There is some additional aluminum structure such as the plates which attach to the legs and hold the pins which are not modeled here.



9300: GEM Rotator Roller Bearings (ferrous material only)

Material	X r	Spin Polarization (P f)	Frac e- on Target	Frac of events Per Moller
Mild Steel	2000	1E-02	1E-11	1E-07
Stainless Steel (Worst)	1	1E-05	1E-08	1E-04
Stainless Steel (Ideal)	0.01	1E-07	1E-06	1E-02
Aluminum	0.0001	1E-09	1E-04	1E+00
Inconel 625	0.001	1E-08	1E-05	1E-01
Brass/Bronze (Worst)	0.001	1E-08	1E-05	1E-01

Sens Volume:	GEM Rotator Wheel Bearings
Sim Date:	12/13/2023
Detector #:	9300

*Simulation with wheel and frame mass (G4_AI)

*Added GEM plane frame (12/13/2023)

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GEM Rotator Wheel Bearings -- Unweighted By BField

Total Prim's: 20,000,000,000

Total Sec's: 500,000 (per sens det)

Primary Counts		
Primaries	0	0&1
9300		37

Primary Fractional		
Primaries	0	0&1
9300		1.85E-09

(9928 MainDet) Secondary Counts - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9300	23	742

(9928 MainDet) Secondary Fractional - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9300	4.60E-05	1.48E-03

(9911 PMT Region) Secondary Counts - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9300	140	2330

(9911 PMT Region) Secondary Fractional - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9300	2.80E-04	4.66E-03

- A factor of ~3.5 reduction in the fraction of primary hits.
- Secondary charge hits on the detector are reduced by two order of magnitude.
- It's not immediately clear why this is the case. I could make the SS pins sensitive in the secondary and assign a volume number to the AI structure.
- **Nonetheless, I think the results demonstrate that the bearings are 'safe'.**

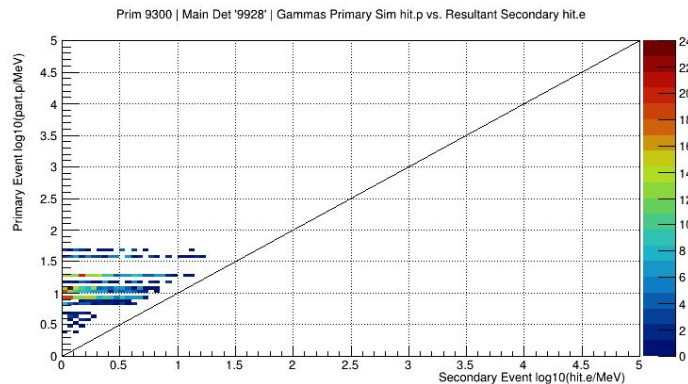
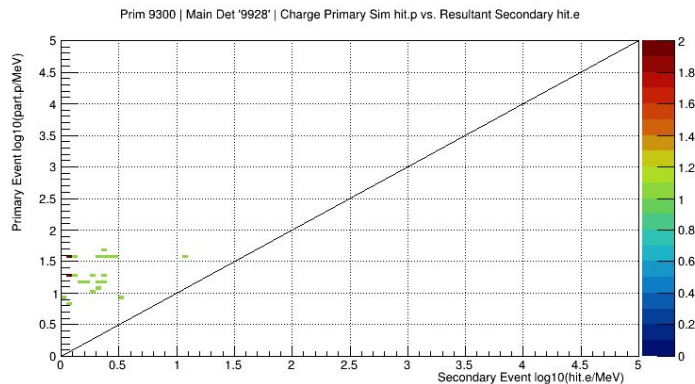
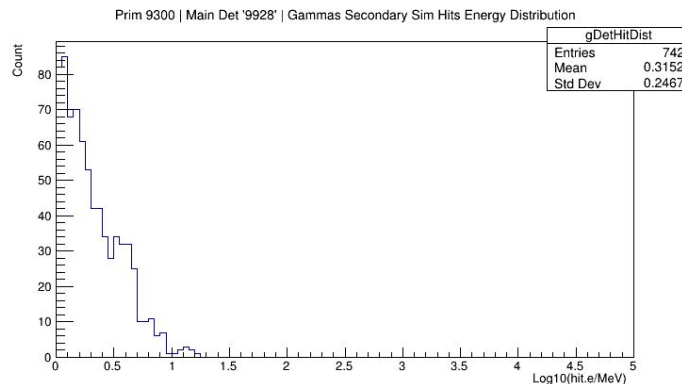
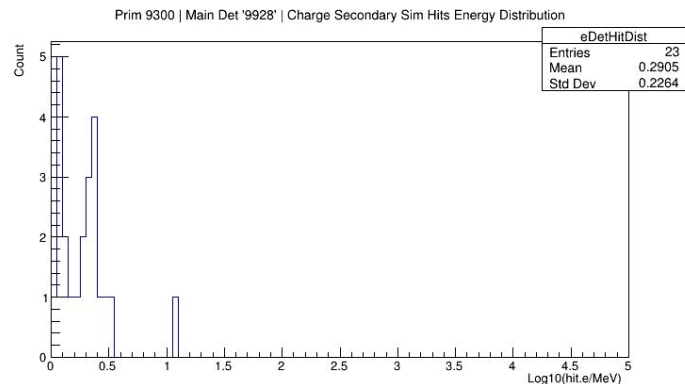
(9928 MainDet) Total Fractional - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9300	8.51E-14	2.75E-12

(9911 PMT Region) Total Fractional - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9300	5.18E-13	8.62E-12

9300: GEM Rotator Roller Bearings

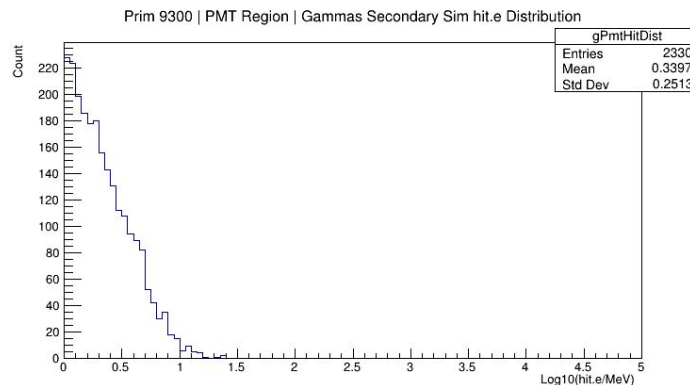
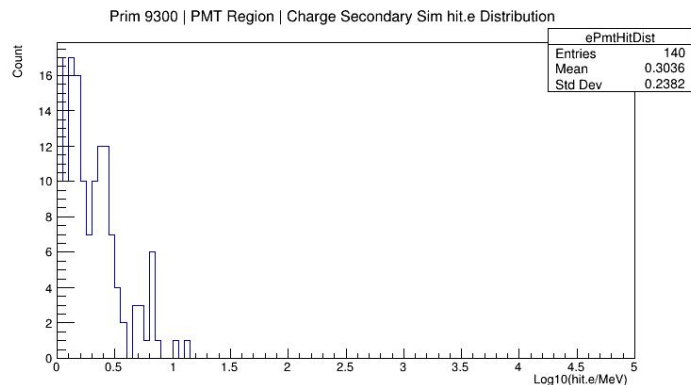
Backgrounds that hit detector '28'

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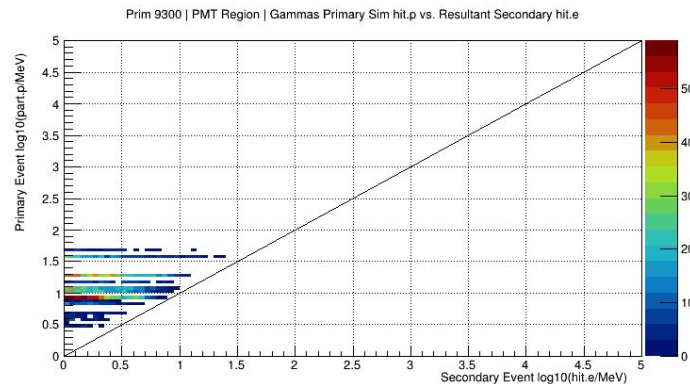
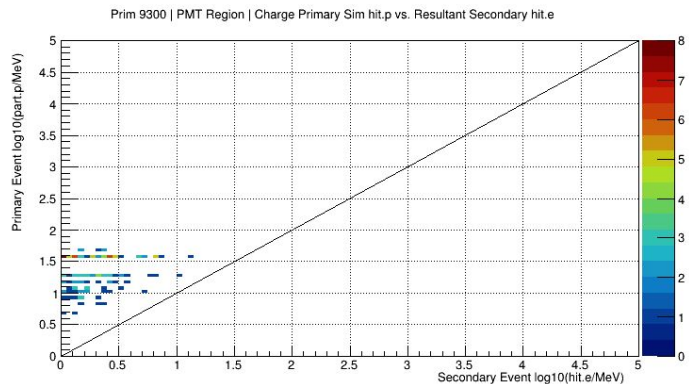


9300: GEM Rotator Roller Bearings

Backgrounds that hit PMT Region



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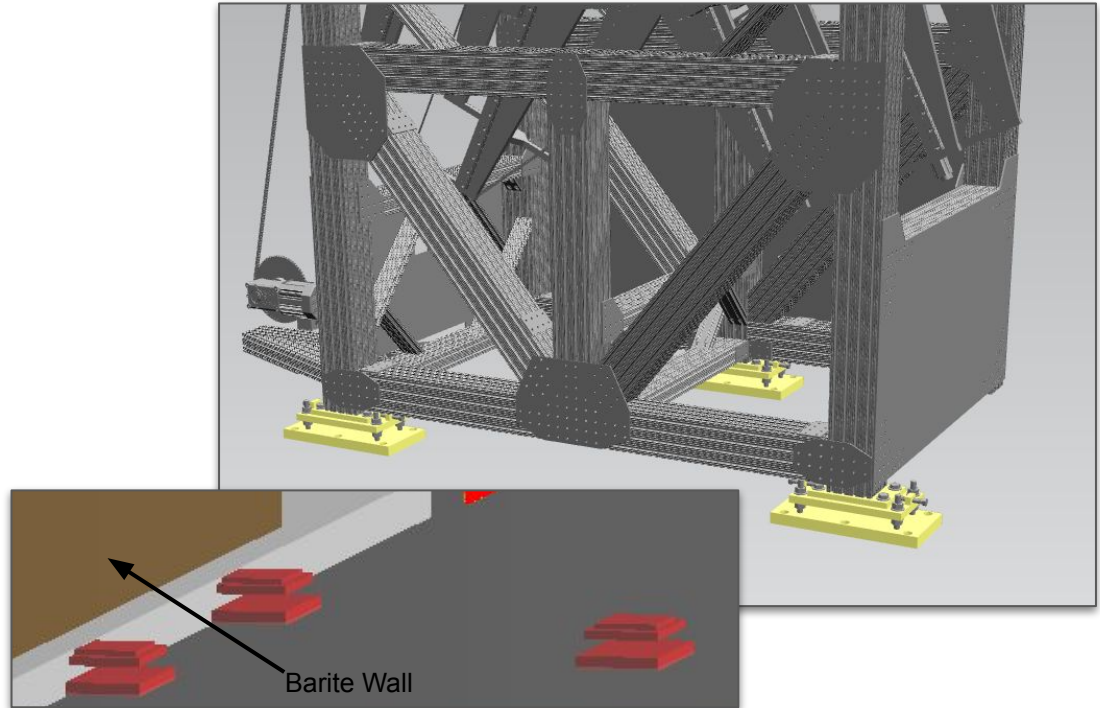


9301 – GEM Rotator Floor Locks

Floor locks built to spec from JT files.

Made of G4_STAINLESS-STEEL
in remoll

Placed, in remoll, right behind the
floor rail for the barite wall.



9301: GEM Rotator Floor Locks

Material	X_r	Spin Polarization (P_f)	Frac e- on Target	Frac of events Per Moller
Mild Steel	2000	1E-02	1E-11	1E-07
Stainless Steel (Worst)	1	1E-05	1E-08	1E-04
Stainless Steel (Ideal)	0.01	1E-07	1E-06	1E-02
Aluminum	0.0001	1E-09	1E-04	1E+00
Inconel 625	0.001	1E-08	1E-05	1E-01
Brass/Bronze (Worst)	0.001	1E-08	1E-05	1E-01

Sens Volume:	GEM Rotator Floor Locks
Sim Date:	12/13/2023
Detector #:	9301

*Simulation with wheel and frame mass (G4_Al)

*Added GEM plane frame (12/13/2023)

NEW

GEM Rotator Floor Locks -- Unweighted By BField

Total Prim's: 20,000,000,000

Total Sec's: 500,000 (per sens det)

Primary Counts		
Primaries	0	0&1
9301		153

Primary Fractional		
Primaries	0	0&1
9301		7.65E-09

(9928 MainDet) Secondary Counts - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9301	118	56

(9928 MainDet) Secondary Fractional - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9301	2.36E-04	1.12E-04

(9928 MainDet) Total Fractional - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9301	1.81E-12	8.57E-13

(9911 PMT Region) Secondary Counts - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9301	1184	286

(9911 PMT Region) Secondary Fractional - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9301	2.37E-03	5.72E-04

(9911 PMT Region) Total Fractional - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9301	1.81E-11	4.38E-12

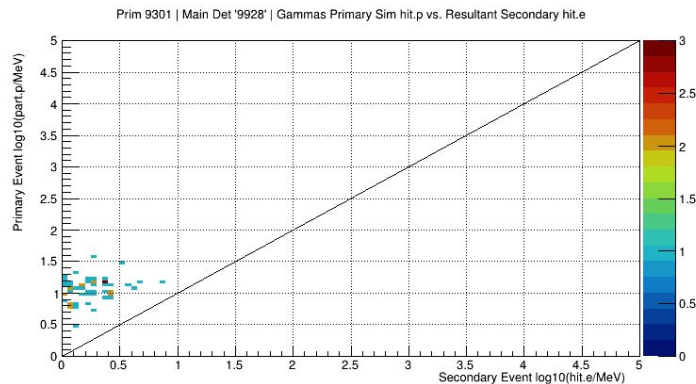
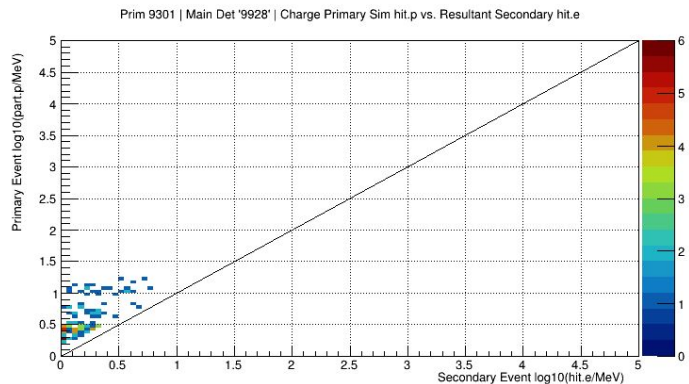
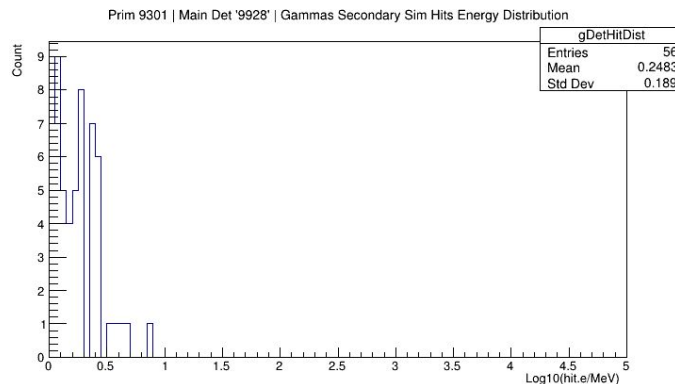
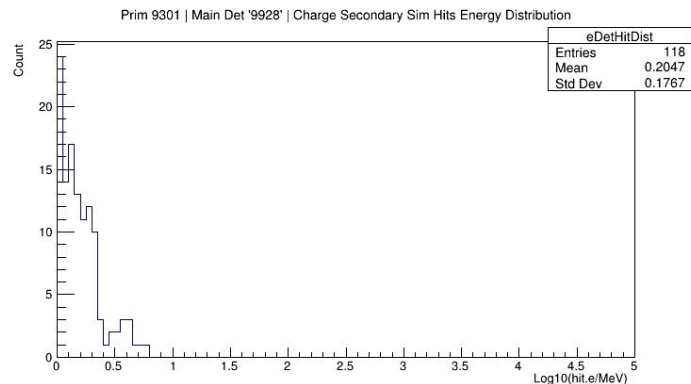
Overall reductions in primaries and secondaries.

While these were previously on the edge of comfortability, they are now within acceptable limits by about an order of magnitude after additional considerations (depolarization, etc.)

9301: GEM Rotator Floor Locks

Backgrounds that hit detector '28'

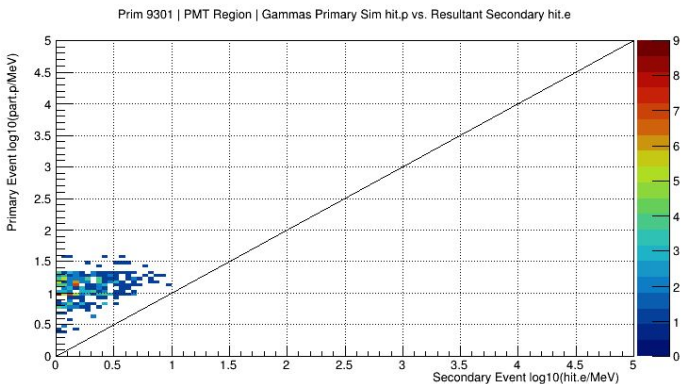
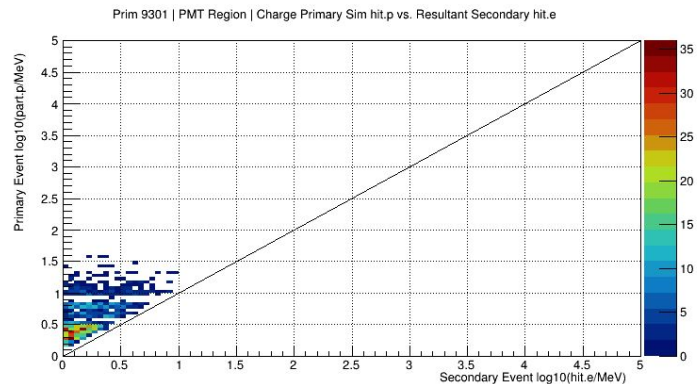
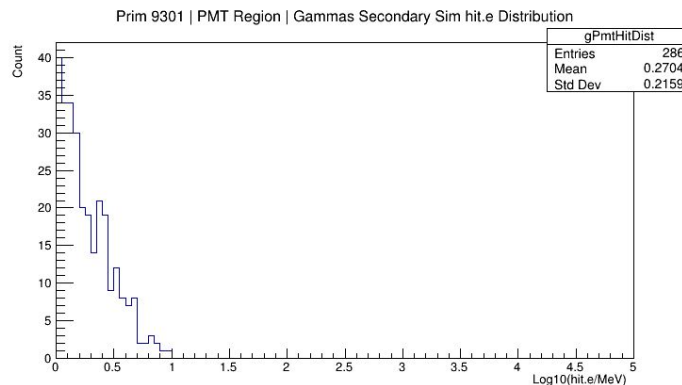
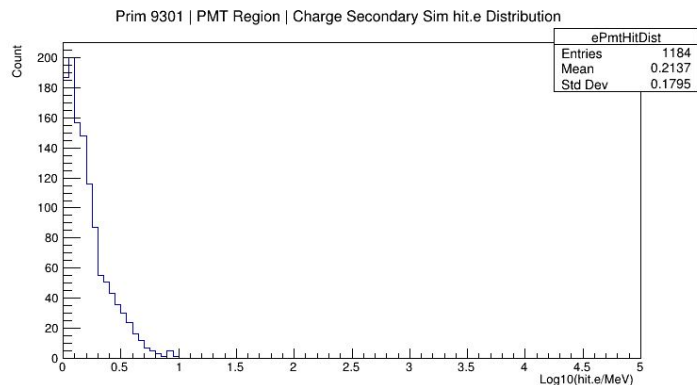
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9301: GEM Rotator Floor Locks

Backgrounds that hit PMT Region

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9302 – GEM Rotator Gear Motor

I went with a simple toy model for the GEM Rotator motor at this point.

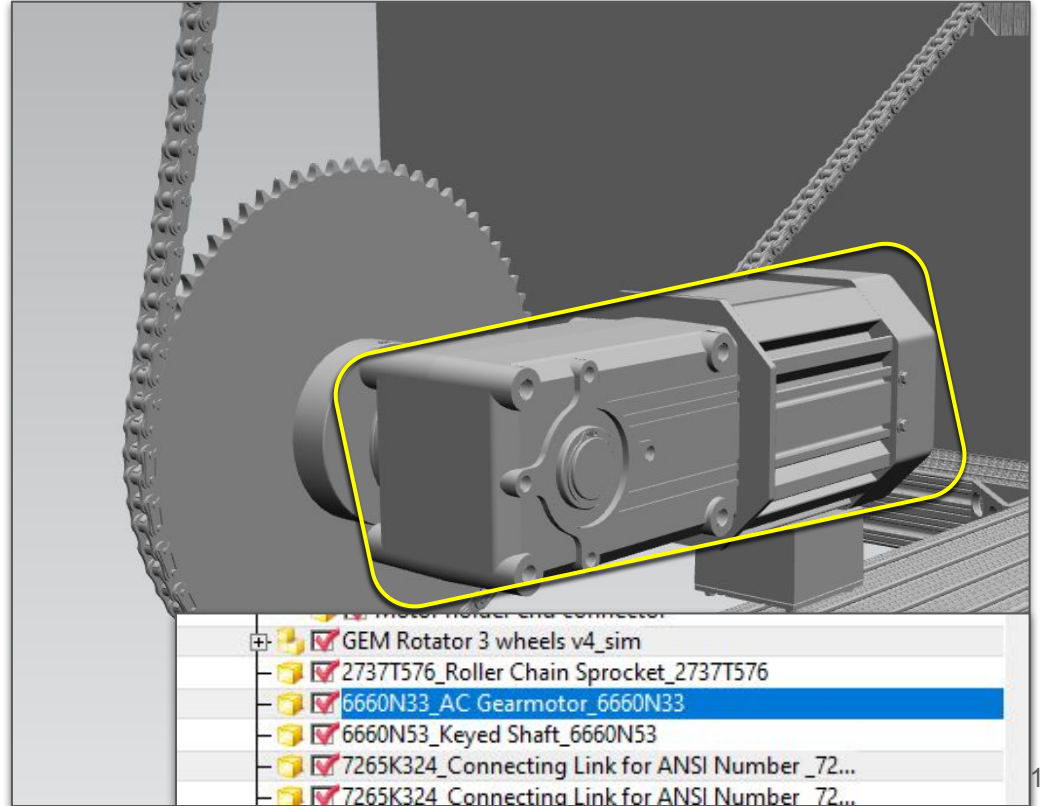
I could not find information online about a “6660N33” gear motor.

Your search - "6660n33" ac gear motor - did not match any documents.

Suggestions:

So, I looked at similar looking models and many were in the 7-8kg range.

I went with a toy model [rectangle] the width and height of the motor in the JT file and made it thick enough in Z for 7kg of material.



>> *** Fully magnetized material fractional limit per e.o.t. is 10^{-12} *** <<

9302: GEM Rotator Gear Motor

Material	X_r	Spin Polarization (P_f)	Frac e- on Target	Frac of events Per Moller
Mild Steel	2000	1E-02	1E-11	1E-07
Stainless Steel (Worst)	1	1E-05	1E-08	1E-04
Stainless Steel (Ideal)	0.01	1E-07	1E-06	1E-02
Aluminum	0.0001	1E-09	1E-04	1E+00
Inconel 625	0.001	1E-08	1E-05	1E-01
Brass/Bronze (Worst)	0.001	1E-08	1E-05	1E-01

Sens Volume:	GEM Rotator Motor (Toy/Rect 7kg)
Sim Date:	12/13/2023
Detector #:	9302

*Simulation with wheel and frame mass (G4_Al)

*Added GEM plane frame (12/13/2023)

NEW

GEM Rotator Motor (Toy/Rect 7kg steel) -- Unweighted By BField

Total Prim's: 20,000,000,000

Total Sec's: 500,000 (per sens det)

Primary Counts		
Primaries	0	0&1
9302		24

Primary Fractional		
Primaries	0	0&1
9302		1.20E-09

(9928 MainDet) Secondary Counts - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9302	147	45

(9928 MainDet) Secondary Fractional - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9302	2.94E-04	9.00E-05

(9928 MainDet) Total Fractional - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9302	3.53E-13	1.08E-13

(9911 PMT Region) Secondary Counts - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9302	1086	178

(9911 PMT Region) Secondary Fractional - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9302	2.17E-03	3.56E-04

(9911 PMT Region) Total Fractional - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9302	2.61E-12	4.27E-13

Minor reduction in primary strikes, farther away from frame mass so this makes sense.

Considerations:

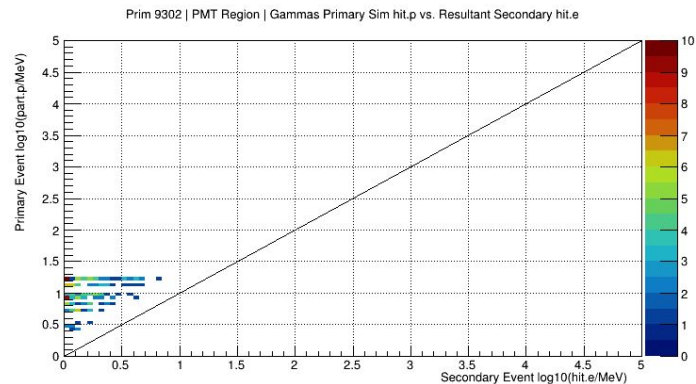
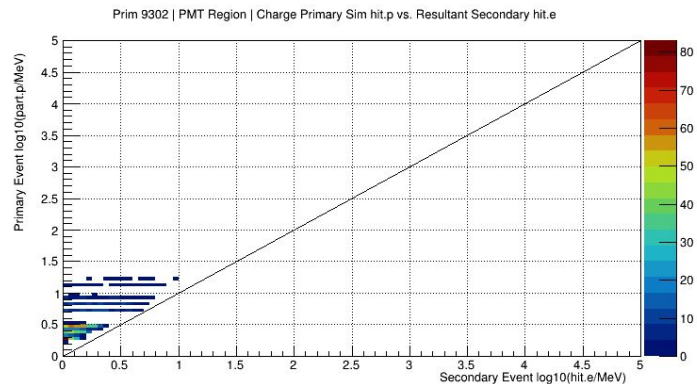
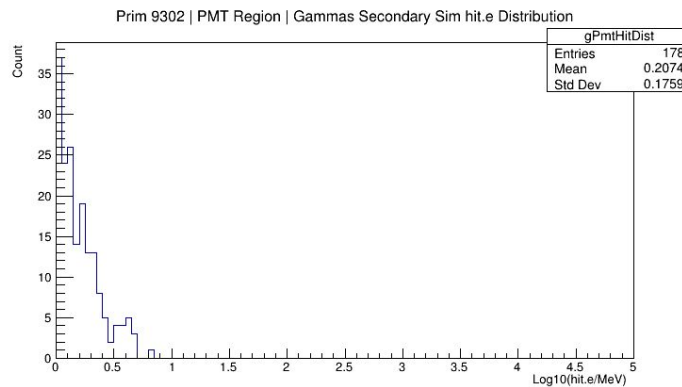
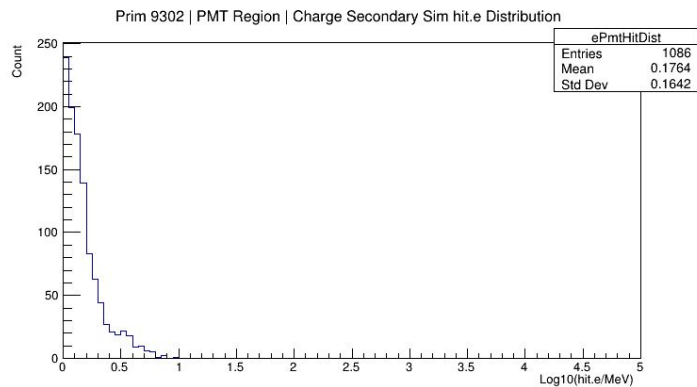
- (1) Depolarization (reduce by 3x)
- (2) Toy model → Right mass/surface area overmodeled

Simulation suggests this is safe.

9302: GEM Rotator Gear Motor

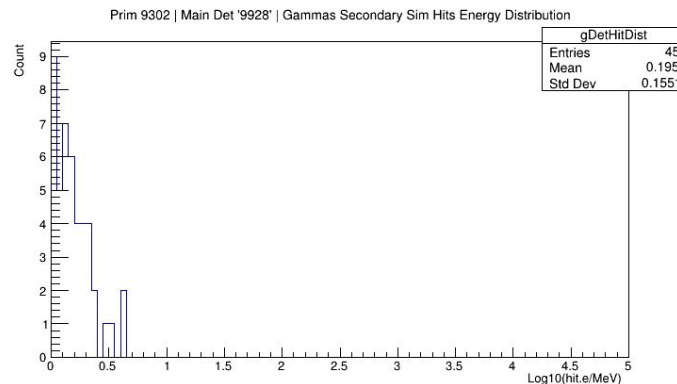
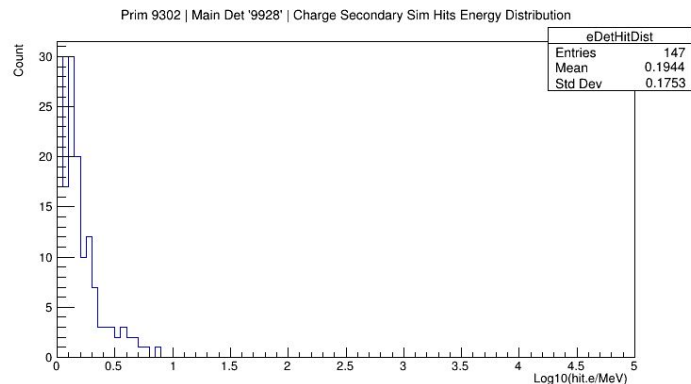
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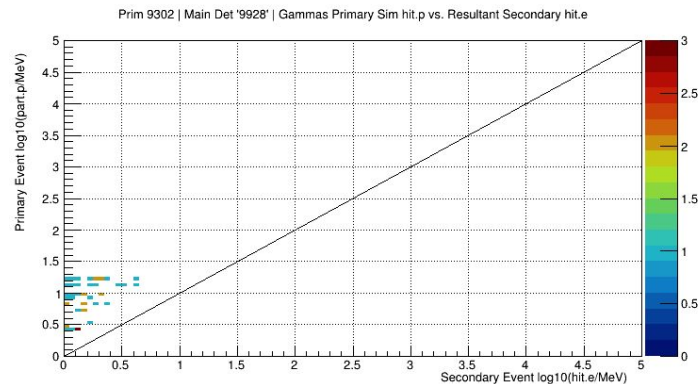
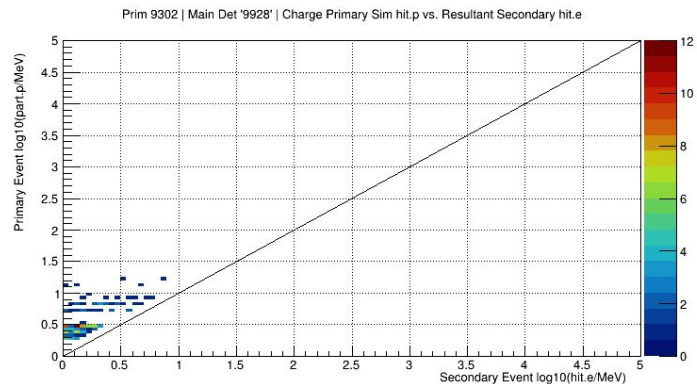


9302: GEM Rotator Gear Motor

Backgrounds that hit PMT Region



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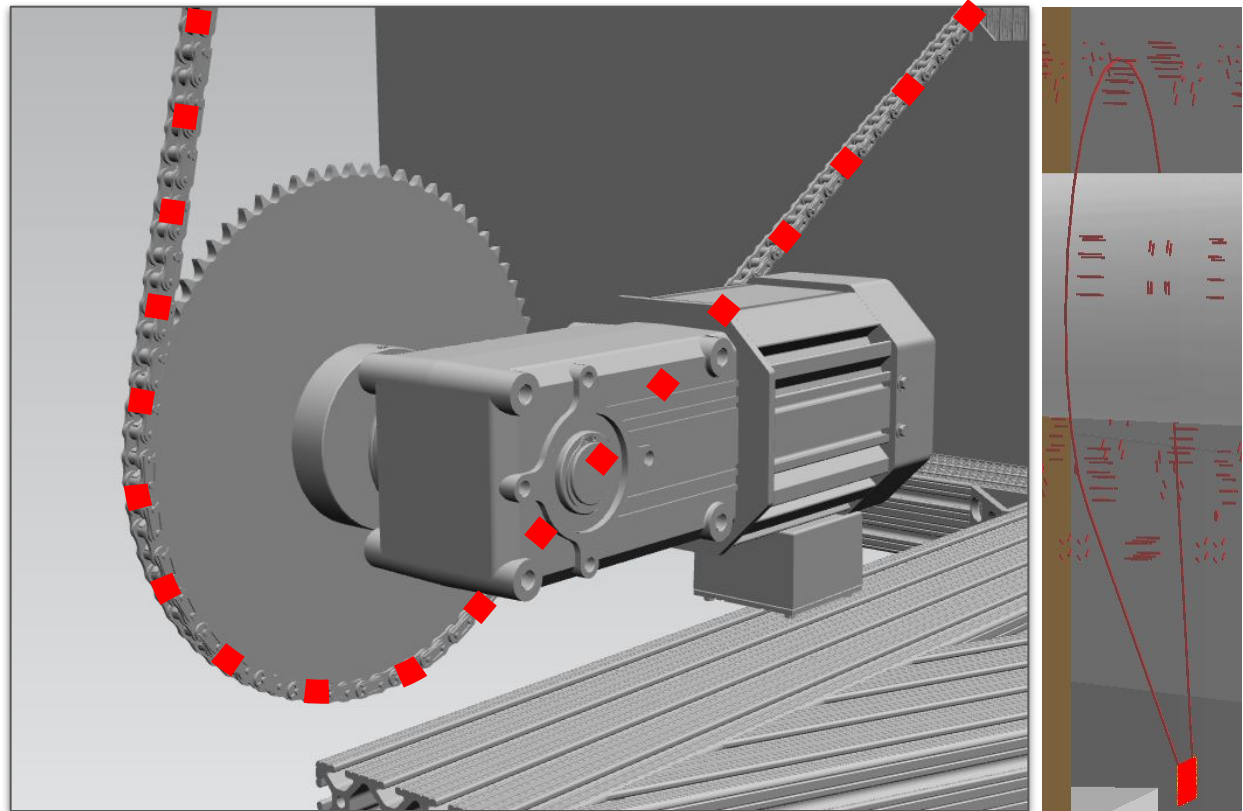
9303 – GEM Rotator Chain

12mm high x 10mm deep

Modeled as the perimeter of two circles connected at common tangents with rectangle boxes

Material specified to be SS316

**MAKE X/Y Plot for
Primaries**



9303: GEM Rotator Chain

Material	X_r	Spin Polarization (P_f)	Frac e- on Target	Frac of events Per Moller
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Aluminum	0.0001	1E-09	1E-04	1E+00
Inconel 625	0.001	1E-08	1E-05	1E-01
Brass/Bronze (Worst)	0.001	1E-08	1E-05	1E-01

Sens Volume:	GEM Rotator Chain
Sim Date:	12/13/2023
Detector #:	9303

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*Added GEM plane frame (12/13/2023)

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GEM Rotator Chain -- Unweighted By BField

Total Prim's: 20,000,000,000

Total Sec's: 500,000 (per sens det)

Primary Counts		
Primaries	0	0&1
9303		1697

Primary Fractional		
Primaries	0	0&1
9303		8.49E-08

(9928 MainDet) Secondary Counts - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9303	1075	1430

(9928 MainDet) Secondary Fractional - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9303	2.15E-03	2.86E-03

(9928 MainDet) Total Fractional - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9303	1.82E-10	2.43E-10

(9911 PMT Region) Secondary Counts - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9303	1683	3777

(9911 PMT Region) Secondary Fractional - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9303	3.37E-03	7.55E-03

(9911 PMT Region) Total Fractional - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9303	2.86E-10	6.41E-10

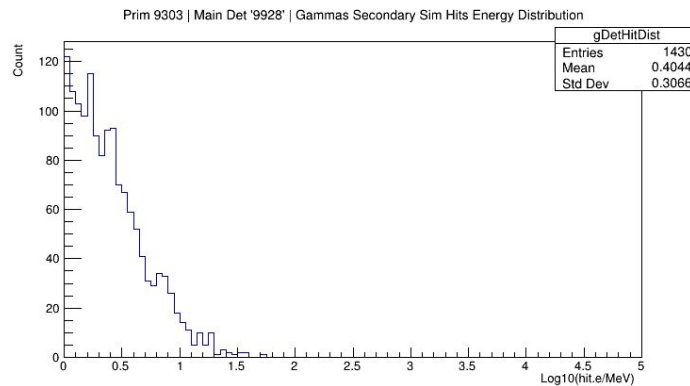
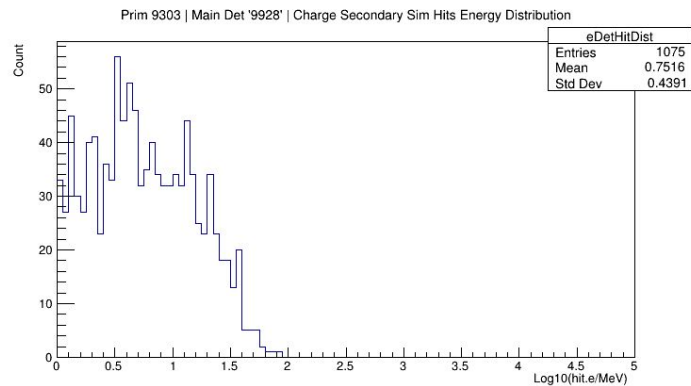
This fell well-under the tolerable limit previously 10^{-7} for SS316.

Simulated backgrounds fall by an order of magnitude after the addition of rotator frame mass.

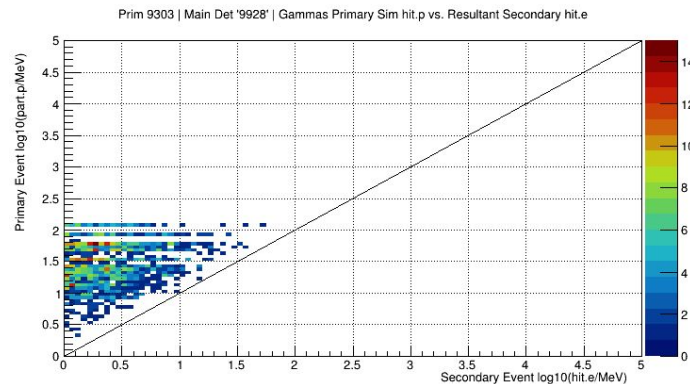
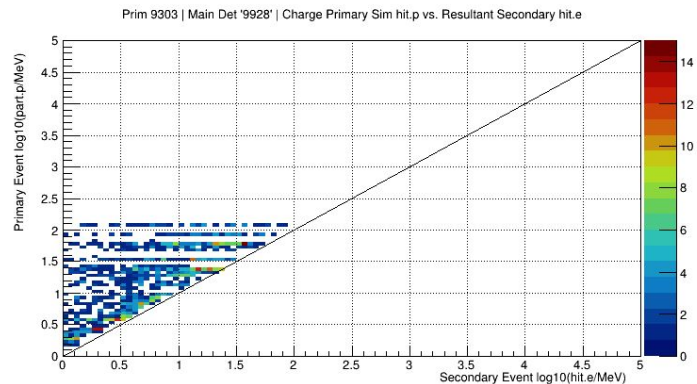
The chain was already over-modeled a bit so we're a good three orders of magnitude under our imposed limit.

9303: GEM Rotator Chain

Backgrounds that hit detector '28'



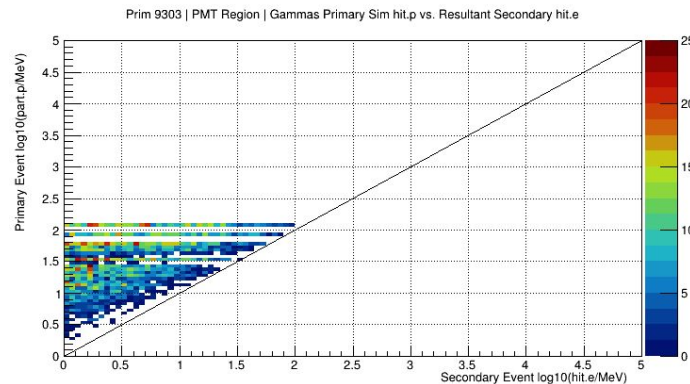
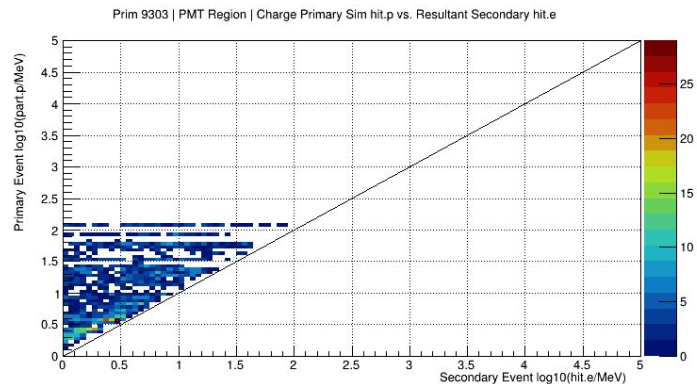
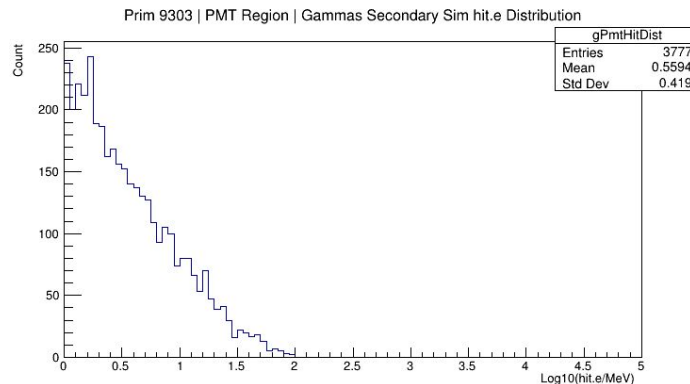
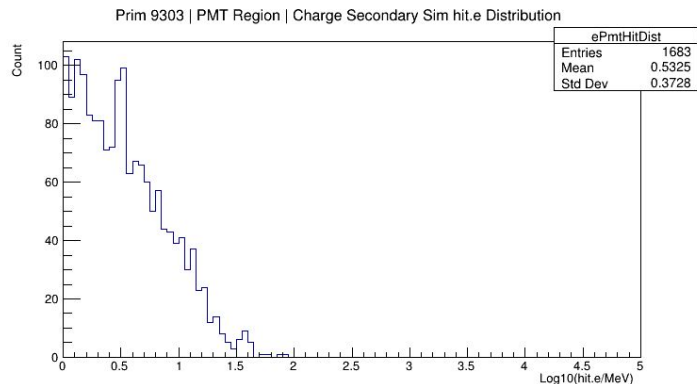
NEW



9303: GEM Rotator Chain

Backgrounds that hit PMT Region

NEW



9304 – GEM Rotator Fasteners

Three types of fasteners.
Modeled 2 sets which were
the bulk of the material.

Material specified to be
SS316

Item specifics on next three
slides.

9304 – GEM Rotator Fasteners

https://www.parttarget.com/530-5-01-576-2852_5305015762852-93190A721.html/-604EA34A-1530-4386-B042-EFB1DC88D8CF

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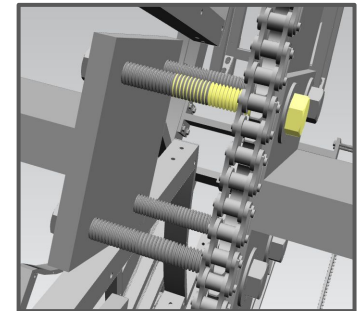
Agency		
FEAT	Special Features	Overall finish is plain
MATT	Material	Steel comp 316 overall
THSD	Thread Series Designator	UNC

9304 – GEM Rotator Fasteners

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I'll note that the 93190A722 bolt/screw overlaps in the center portion of the frame. I just unioned them together in remold so they appear as one long continuous piece.



CMLP	Thread Quantity per Inch	13
MATT	Material	Steel comp 316 overall
MDCL	Material Document and Classification	Astm A193 assn std single mate

9304: GEM Rotator Fasteners

These weren't in the simulation. I had hit my deadline and figured that we could mass-scale the results if we were concerned about there being an issue.



<https://www.lily-bearing.com/products/92185a726/>

9304: GEM Rotator Fasteners

Material	X_r	Spin Polarization (P_f)	Frac e- on Target	Frac of events Per Moller
Mild Steel	2000	1E-02	1E-11	1E-07
Stainless Steel (Worst)	1	1E-05	1E-08	1E-04
Stainless Steel (Ideal)	0.01	1E-07	1E-06	1E-02
Aluminum	0.0001	1E-09	1E-04	1E+00
Inconel 625	0.001	1E-08	1E-05	1E-01
Brass/Bronze (Worst)	0.001	1E-08	1E-05	1E-01

Sens Volume:	GEM Rotator Fasteners
Sim Date:	12/13/2023
Detector #:	9304

*Simulation with wheel and frame mass (G4_AI)

*Added GEM plane frame (12/13/2023)

NEW

GEM Rotator Fasteners -- Unweighted By BField

Total Prim's: 20,000,000,000

Total Sec's: 500,000 (per sens det)

Primary Counts		
Primaries	0	0&1
9304		1669

Primary Fractional		
Primaries	0	0&1
9304		8.35E-08

(9928 MainDet) Secondary Counts - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9304	2936	8180

(9928 MainDet) Secondary Fractional - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9304	5.87E-03	1.64E-02

(9928 MainDet) Total Fractional - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9304	4.90E-10	1.37E-09

(9911 PMT Region) Secondary Counts - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9304	6268	35185

(9911 PMT Region) Secondary Fractional - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9304	1.25E-02	7.04E-02

(9911 PMT Region) Total Fractional - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9304	1.05E-09	5.87E-09

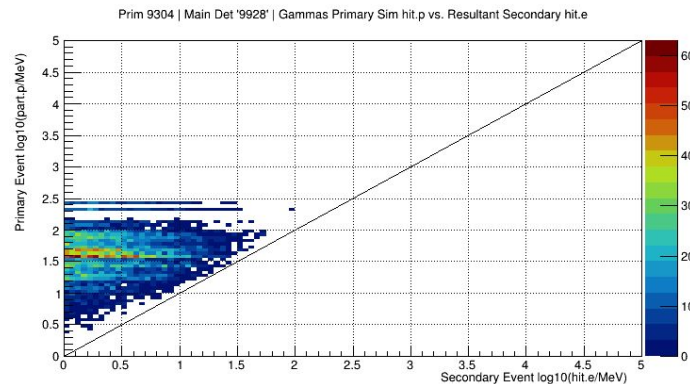
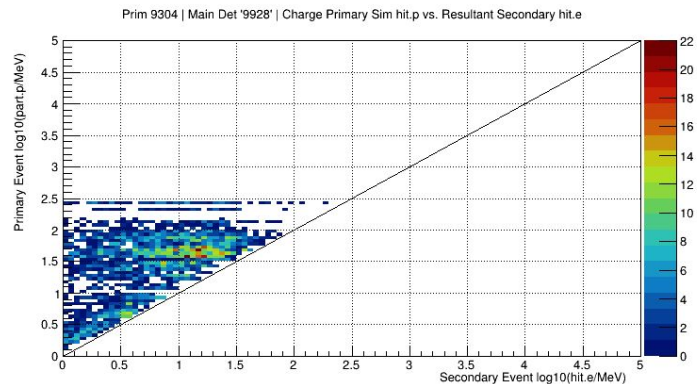
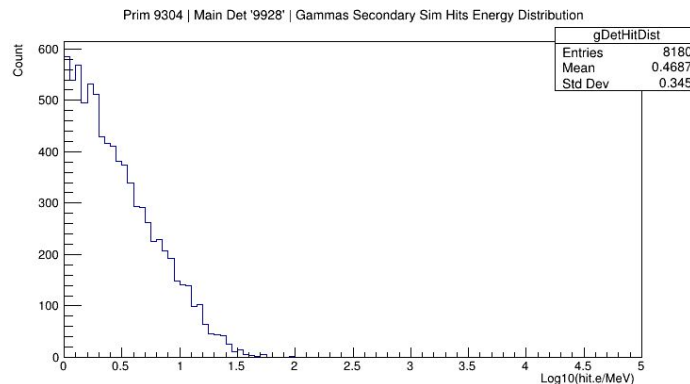
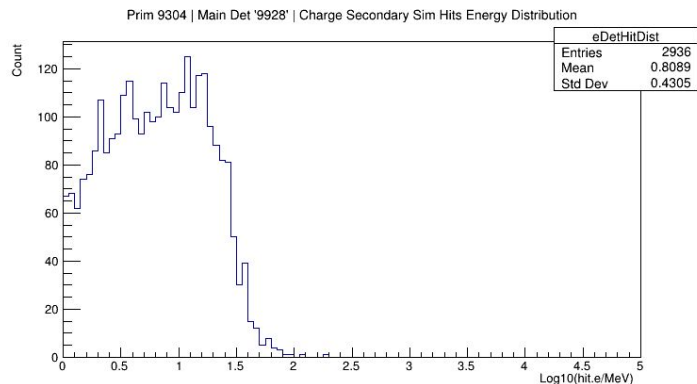
Was fine before... see notes on previous slide.

Background rates dropped by an order of magnitude with addition of rotator frame mass.

9304: GEM Rotator Fasteners

Backgrounds that hit detector '28'

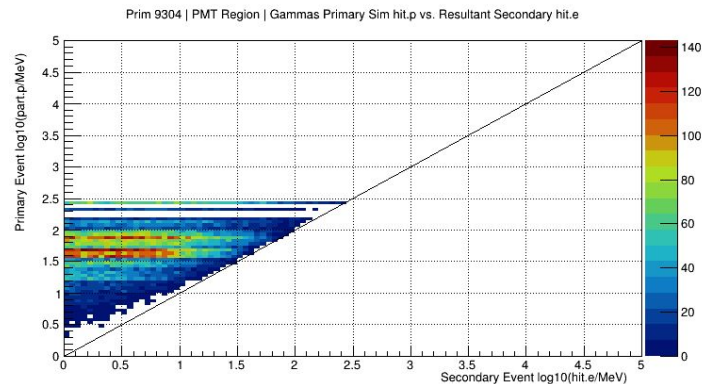
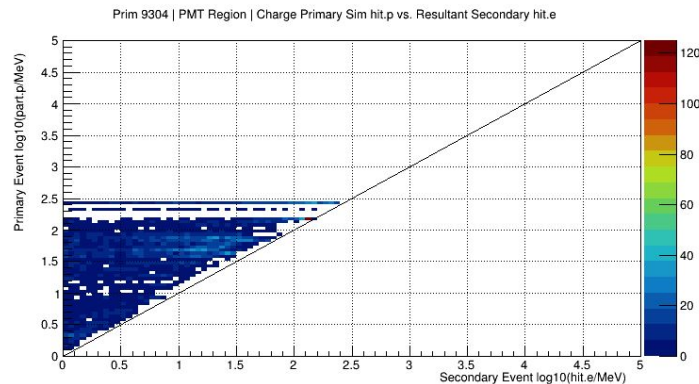
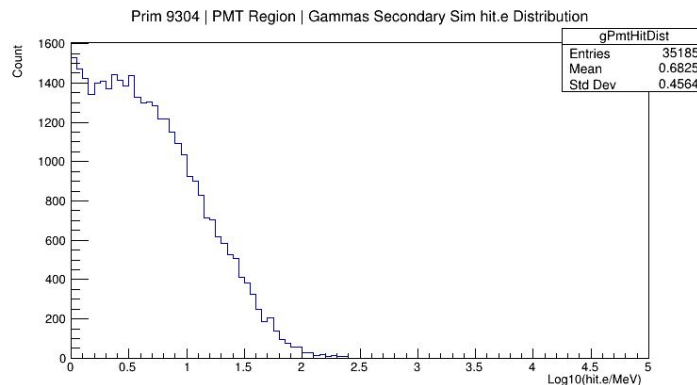
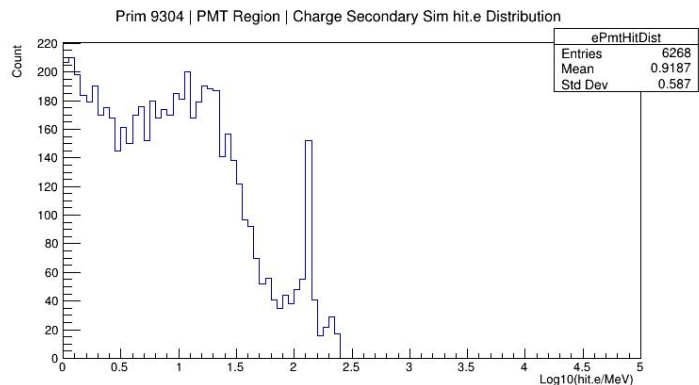
NEW



9304: GEM Rotator Fasteners

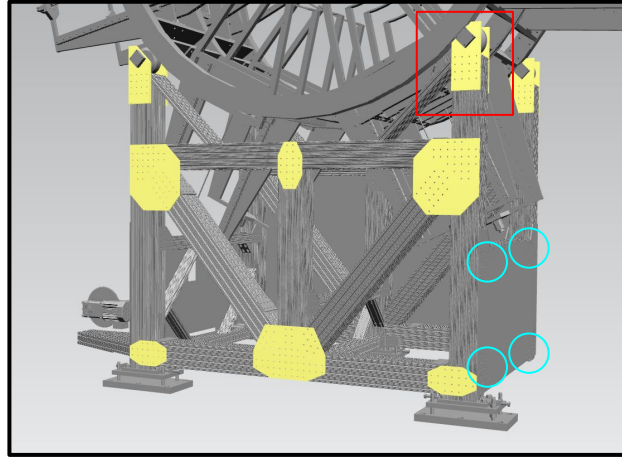
Backgrounds that hit PMT Region

NEW



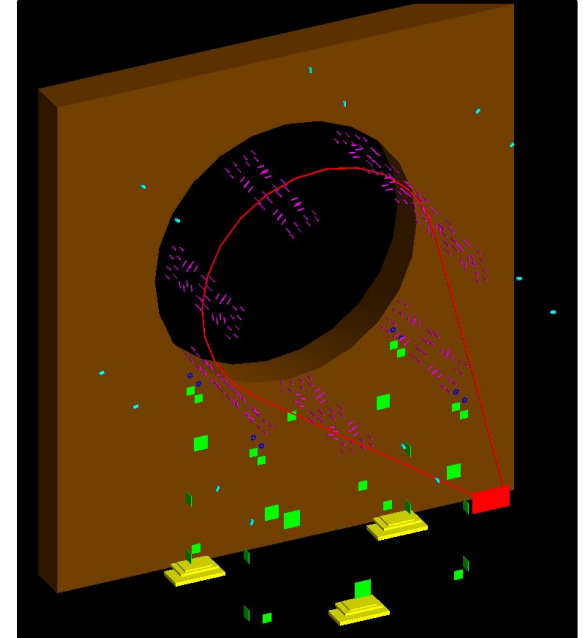
9306 – GEM Rotator T-Nuts (Toy Geometry)

- T-nuts SS304
 - <https://8020.net/3607.html>
 - <https://8020.net/3678.html>
- Modeling all of these is too difficult and likely unnecessary.
 - Modeled SS plates of material with proper masses at locations shown (in image shown).
 - Masses taken from specs from website for one screw/nut pairs.
 - Used 4x4 fastener location (outlined in red) to get a generalized density of material—16 fasteners over about $(16\text{cm})^2$ of space.
 - There are a handful of middle fasteners that I did miss.
- Additional areas modeled circled in cyan (done on left and right)



Mass of ~792 t-nut fasteners modeled (one of the areas near the motor was slightly different but I modeled like the other side for ease but otherwise mass is accurate for each area although area may be slightly off).

⇒ This is about 50% of the total t-nut fasteners and represents an accurate spatial distribution of the t-nut fasteners.



^^^ Green squares are the t-nut toy geometry.

9306: GEM T-Nuts (Toy Geometry)

Material	X_r	Spin Polarization (P_f)	Frac e- on Target	Frac of events Per Moller
Mild Steel	2000	1E-02	1E-11	1E-07
Stainless Steel (Worst)	1	1E-05	1E-08	1E-04
Stainless Steel (Ideal)	0.01	1E-07	1E-06	1E-02
Aluminum	0.0001	1E-09	1E-04	1E+00
Inconel 625	0.001	1E-08	1E-05	1E-01
Brass/Bronze (Worst)	0.001	1E-08	1E-05	1E-01

Sens Volume:	GEM Rotator T-Nuts/Screws
Sim Date:	12/13/2023
Detector #:	9306

*Simulation with wheel and frame mass (G4_Al)

*Added GEM plane frame (12/13/2023)

NEW

GEM Rotator T-Nuts/Screws -- Unweighted By BField

Total Prim's: 20,000,000,000

Total Sec's: 500,000 (per sens det)

Primary Counts		
Primaries	0	O&1
9306		195

Primary Fractional		
Primaries	0	O&1
9306		9.75E-09

(9928 MainDet) Secondary Counts - O&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9306	1126	323

(9928 MainDet) Secondary Fractional - O&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9306	2.25E-03	6.46E-04

(9928 MainDet) Total Fractional - O&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9306	2.20E-11	6.30E-12

(9911 PMT Region) Secondary Counts - O&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9306	5105	1687

(9911 PMT Region) Secondary Fractional - O&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9306	1.02E-02	3.37E-03

(9911 PMT Region) Total Fractional - O&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9306	9.95E-11	3.29E-11

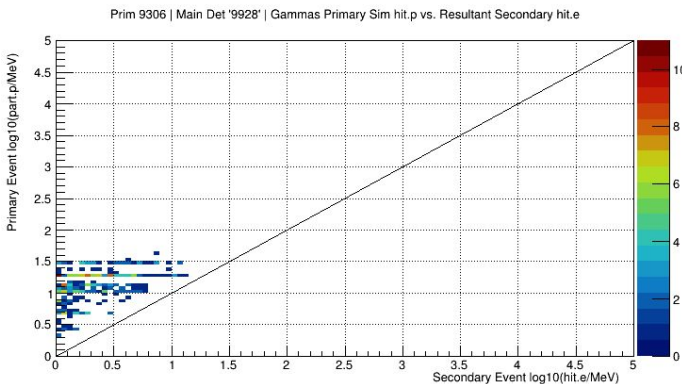
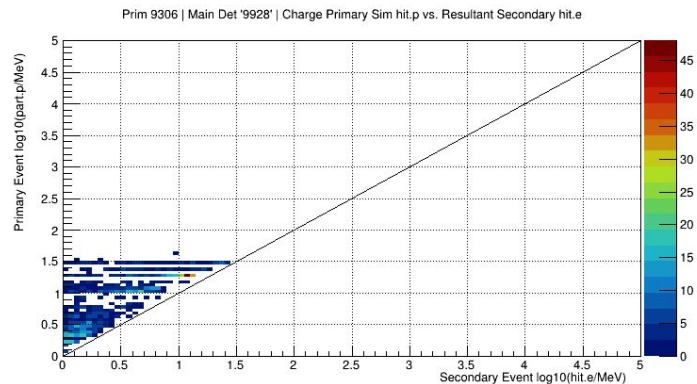
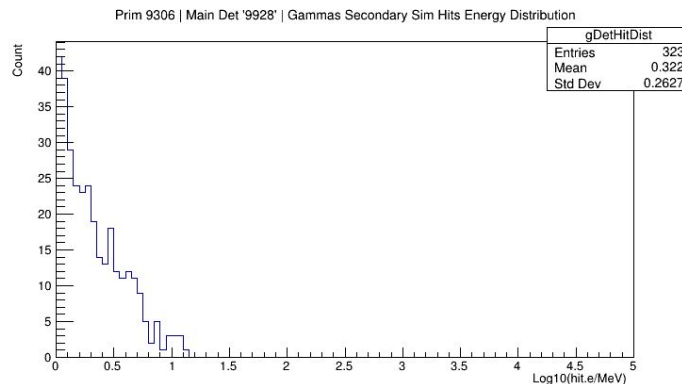
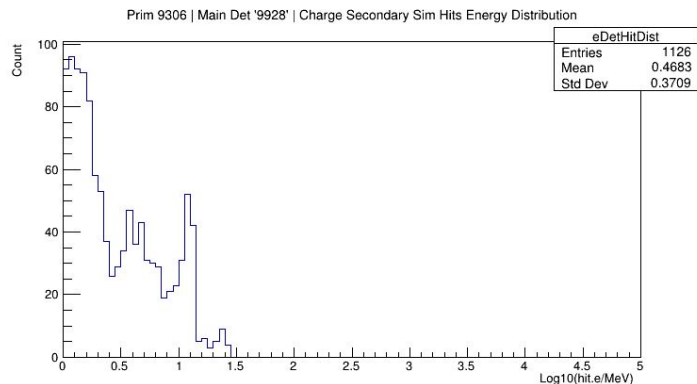
Ferrous background was previously fine with a ferrous background limit of 10^{-8}

After depolarization considerations we sit ~3 orders of magnitude under out set limit.

9306: GEM T-Nuts (Toy Geometry)

Backgrounds that hit detector '28'

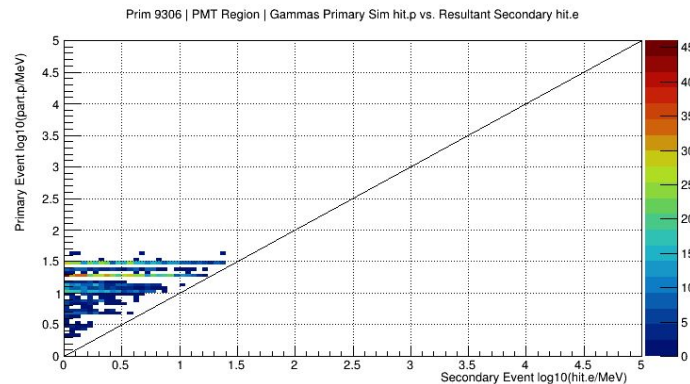
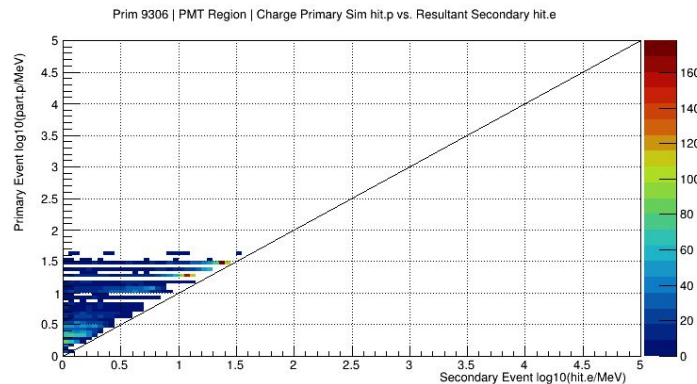
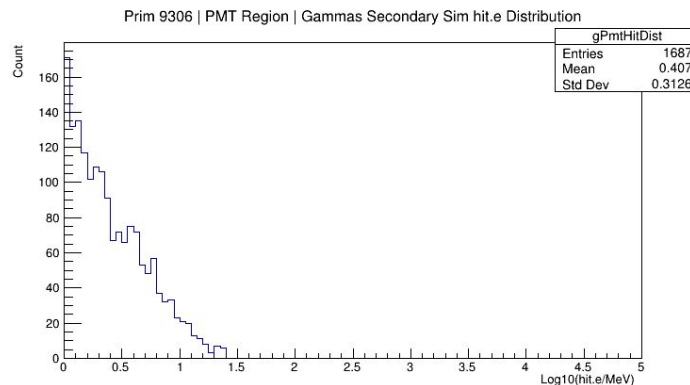
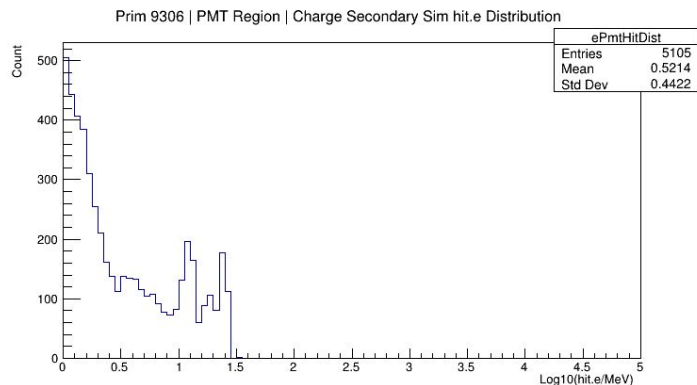
NEW



9306: GEM T-Nuts (Toy Geometry)

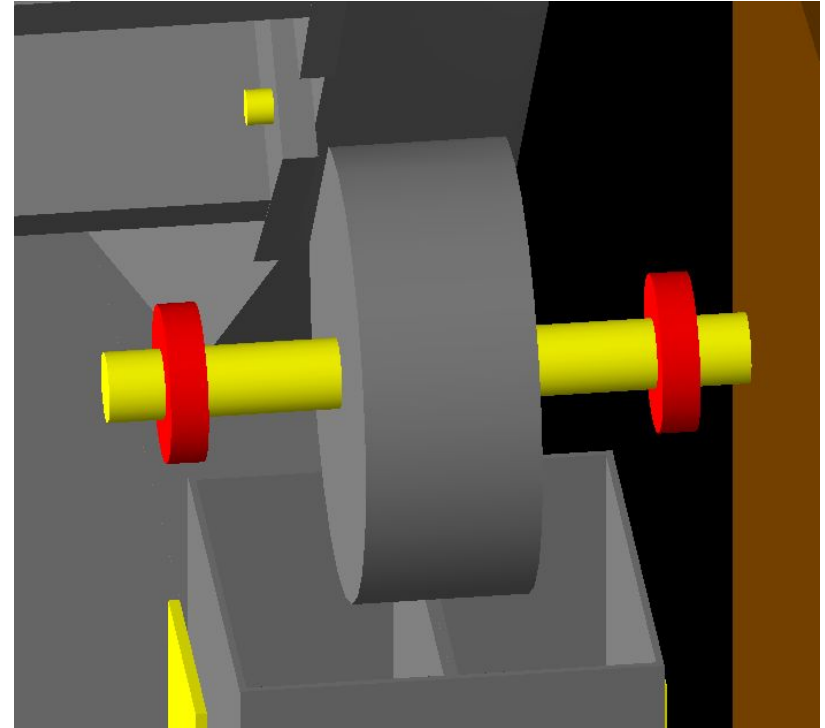
Backgrounds that hit PMT Region

NEW



9307 – GEM Rotator Frame Wheel Pins

- Wheel pin design is currently for Al 6061-T6 and Chandika asked if we can determine whether or not it would be acceptable to use SS316 for the wheel pin.
- The large yellow cylinder is the wheel pin, the roller can be seen in gray and the bearings in red.



9307: GEM Rot Wheel Pins

Material	X_r	Spin Polarization (P_f)	Frac e- on Target	Frac of events Per Moller
Mild Steel	2000	1E-02	1E-11	1E-07
Stainless Steel (Worst)	1	1E-05	1E-08	1E-04
Stainless Steel (Ideal)	0.01	1E-07	1E-06	1E-02
Aluminum	0.0001	1E-09	1E-04	1E+00
Inconel 625	0.001	1E-08	1E-05	1E-01
Brass/Bronze (Worst)	0.001	1E-08	1E-05	1E-01

Sens Volume:	GEM Rotator Wheel Pins
Sim Date:	12/13/2023
Detector #:	9307

*Simulation with wheel and frame mass (G4_Al)

*Added GEM plane frame (12/13/2023)

NEW

GEM Rotator Wheel Pins -- Unweighted By BField

Total Prim's: 20,000,000,000

Total Sec's: 500,000 (per sens det)

Primary Counts		
Primaries	0	0&1
9307		78

Primary Fractional		
Primaries	0	0&1
9307		3.90E-09

(9928 MainDet) Secondary Counts - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9307	169	396

(9928 MainDet) Secondary Fractional - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9307	3.38E-04	7.92E-04

(9928 MainDet) Total Fractional - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9307	1.32E-12	3.09E-12

(9911 PMT Region) Secondary Counts - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9307	542	1065

(9911 PMT Region) Secondary Fractional - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9307	1.08E-03	2.13E-03

(9911 PMT Region) Total Fractional - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9307	4.23E-12	8.31E-12

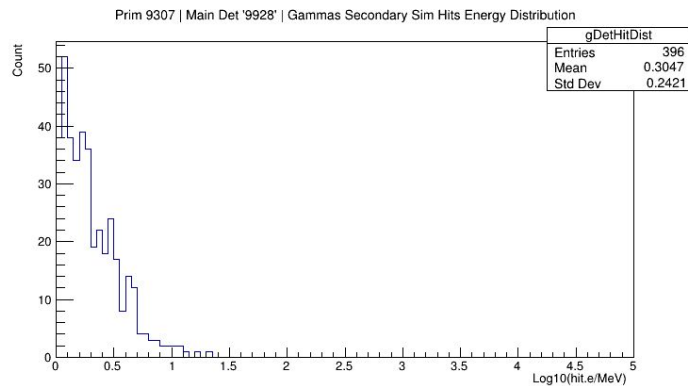
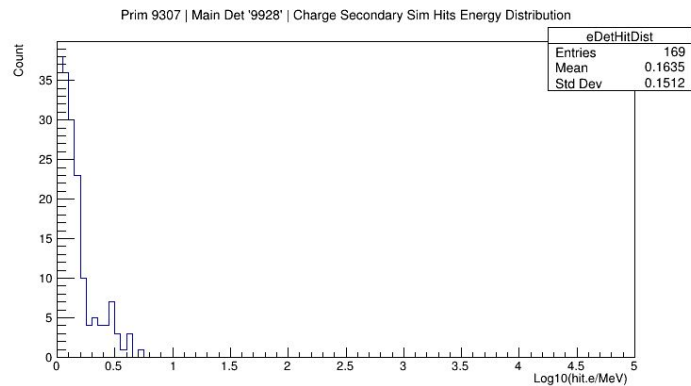
As a reminder, SS316 falls under the worst quality SS putting the acceptable limit of ferrous backgrounds at 10^{-8}

Simulated backgrounds fall four orders of magnitude under that.

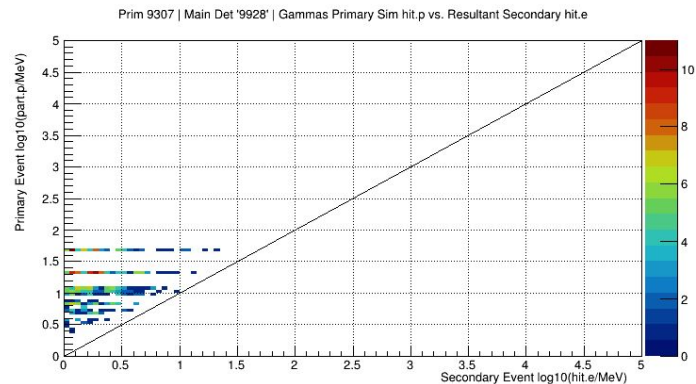
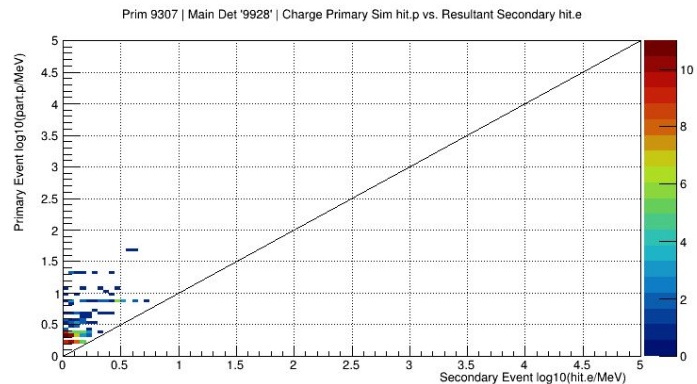
It would be fine to make the wheel pins out of SS316 or better.

9307: GEM Rot Wheel Pins

Backgrounds that hit detector '28'



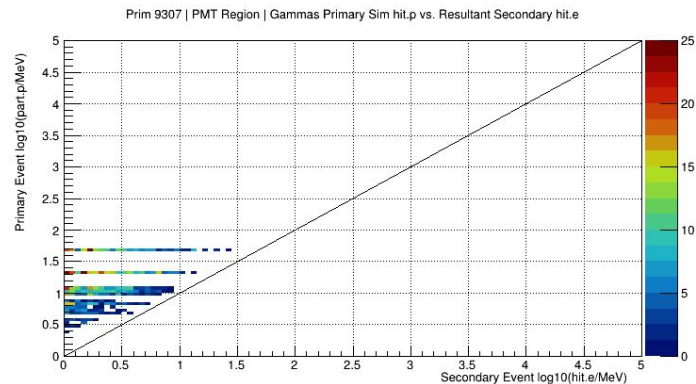
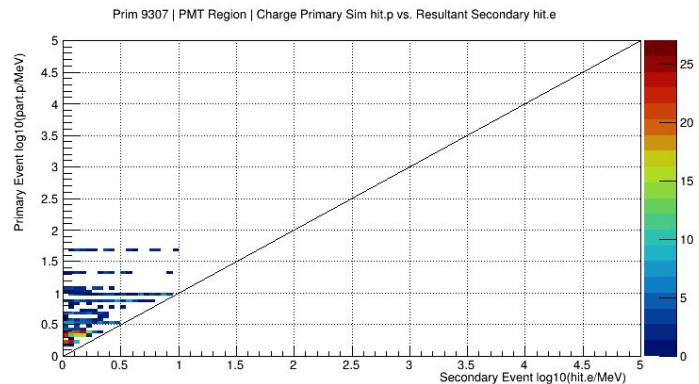
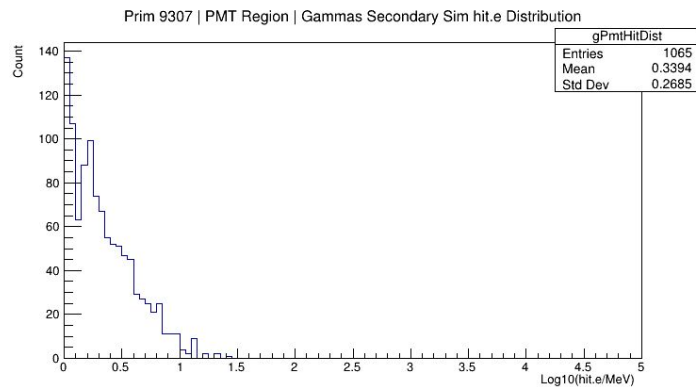
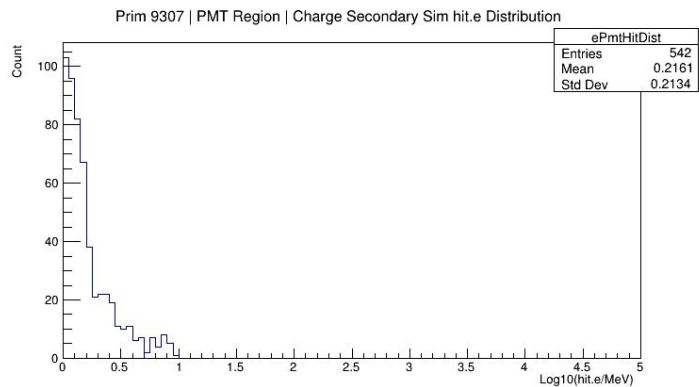
NEW



9307: GEM Rot Wheel Pins

Backgrounds that hit PMT Region

NEW

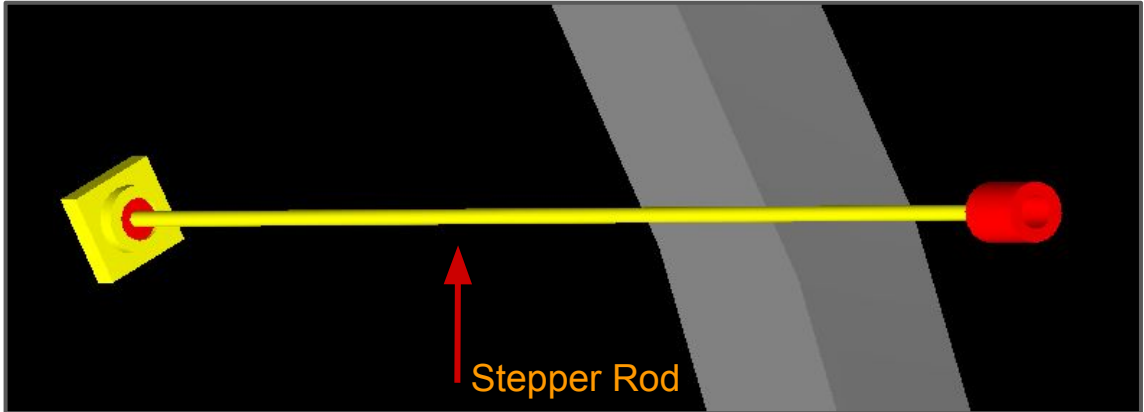


9308 – GEM Rotator Stepper Rods

- Material specs from website simply state that the material is stainless steel.

<https://www.helixlinear.com/Products/Stepper-Motor-Linear-Actuators-/Stepper-Motor-Linear-Actuator-External-/Stepper-Motor-Linear-Actuator-External-SMA-23E3.25-039196~SMA-23E3.25-039196#product-specifications>

- Rod is of course long piece of material attached to the motor (on right in image) and bearing (on left in image).



9308: GEM Rot Stepper Rods

Material	X_r	Spin Polarization (P_f)	Frac e- on Target	Frac of events Per Moller
Mild Steel	2000	1E-02	1E-11	1E-07
Stainless Steel (Worst)	1	1E-05	1E-08	1E-04
Stainless Steel (Ideal)	0.01	1E-07	1E-06	1E-02
Aluminum	0.0001	1E-09	1E-04	1E+00
Inconel 625	0.001	1E-08	1E-05	1E-01
Brass/Bronze (Worst)	0.001	1E-08	1E-05	1E-01

Sens Volume:	GEM Rotator Stepper Rods
Sim Date:	12/13/2023
Detector #:	9308

*Simulation with wheel and frame mass (G4_Al)

*Added GEM plane frame (12/13/2023)

NEW

GEM Rotator Stepper Rods -- Unweighted By BField

Total Prim's: 20,000,000,000

Total Sec's: 500,000 (per sens det)

Primary Counts		
Primaries	0	0&1
9308		641

Primary Fractional		
Primaries	0	0&1
9308		3.21E-08

(9928 MainDet) Secondary Counts - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9308	349	666

(9928 MainDet) Secondary Fractional - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9308	6.98E-04	1.33E-03

(9928 MainDet) Total Fractional - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9308	2.24E-11	4.27E-11

(9911 PMT Region) Secondary Counts - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9308	1741	2369

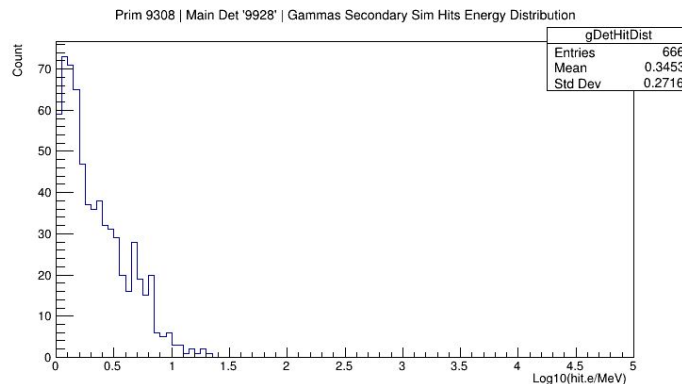
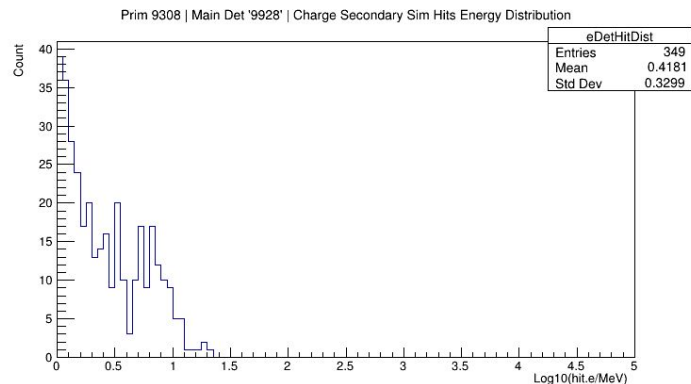
(9911 PMT Region) Secondary Fractional - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9308	3.48E-03	4.74E-03

(9911 PMT Region) Total Fractional - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9308	1.12E-10	1.52E-10

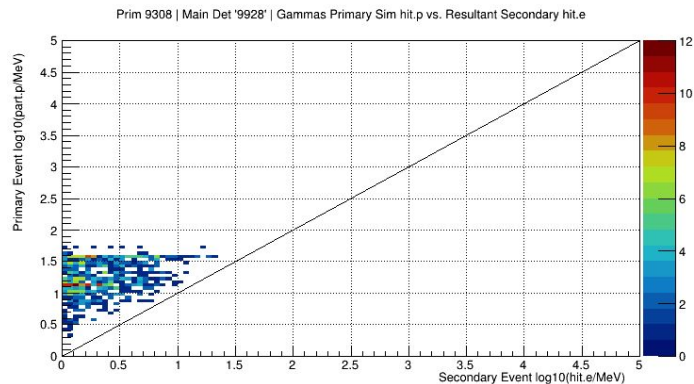
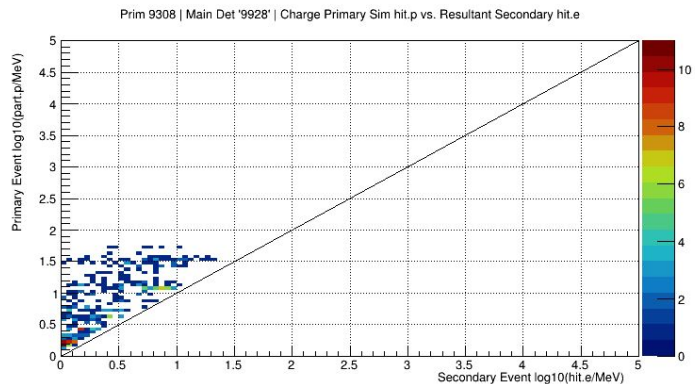
The stepper motor rods are not problematic. SS316 or better is fine.

9308: GEM Rot Stepper Rods

Backgrounds that hit detector '28'



NEW

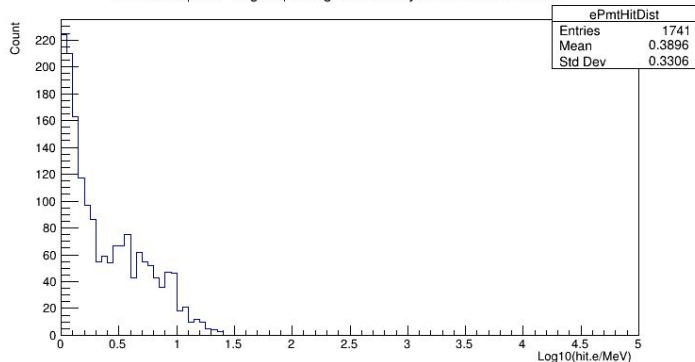


9308: GEM Rot Stepper Rods

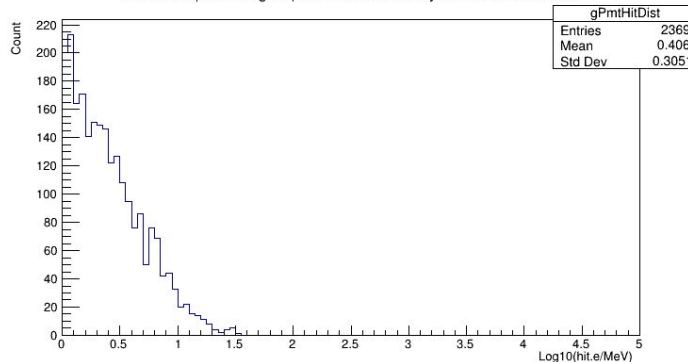
Backgrounds that hit PMT Region

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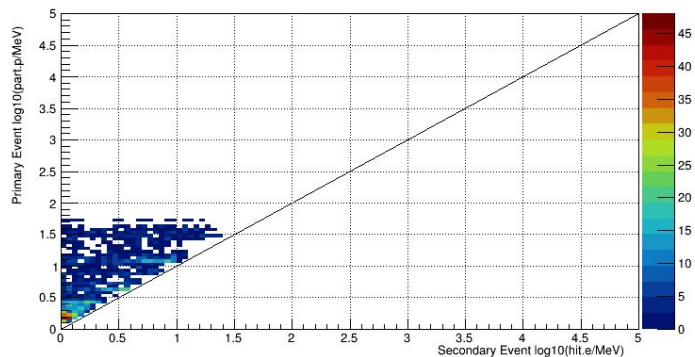
Prim 9308 | PMT Region | Charge Secondary Sim hit.e Distribution



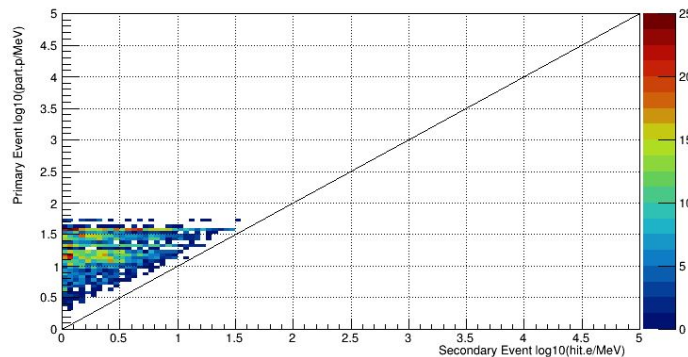
Prim 9308 | PMT Region | Gammas Secondary Sim hit.e Distribution



Prim 9308 | PMT Region | Charge Primary Sim hit.p vs. Resultant Secondary hit.e



Prim 9308 | PMT Region | Gammas Primary Sim hit.p vs. Resultant Secondary hit.e

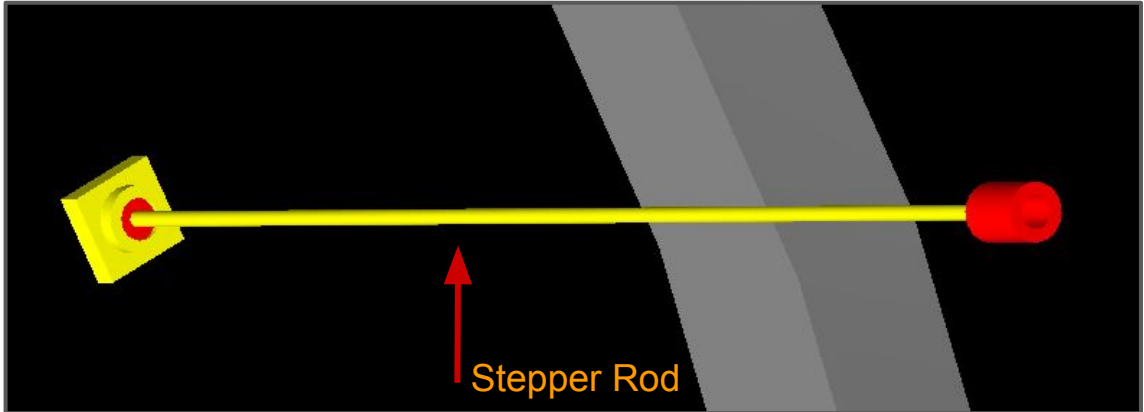


9310: GEM Rot Stepper Bearing Housing

- Material specs from website simply state that the material is stainless steel.

<https://www.helixlinear.com/Products/Stepper-Motor-Linear-Actuators-/Stepper-Motor-Linear-Actuator-External-/Stepper-Motor-Linear-Actuator-External-SMA-23E3.25-039196~SMA-23E3.25-039196#product-specifications>

- Rod is of course long piece of material attached to the motor (on right in image) and bearing (on left in image).



9308: GEM Rot Stepper Bearing Housing

Material	X_r	Spin Polarization (P_f)	Frac e- on Target	Frac of events Per Moller
Mild Steel	2000	1E-02	1E-11	1E-07
Stainless Steel (Worst)	1	1E-05	1E-08	1E-04
Stainless Steel (Ideal)	0.01	1E-07	1E-06	1E-02
Aluminum	0.0001	1E-09	1E-04	1E+00
Inconel 625	0.001	1E-08	1E-05	1E-01
Brass/Bronze (Worst)	0.001	1E-08	1E-05	1E-01

Sens Volume:	GEM Rot Stepper Bearing Housing
Sim Date:	12/13/2023
Detector #:	9310

*Simulation with wheel and frame mass (G4_Al)

*Added GEM plane frame (12/13/2023)

NEW

The stepper motor rods are not problematic. SS316 or better is fine.

GEM Rot Stepper Bearing Housing -- SEPARATED HOUSING (9310) from BEARING (9390)

Total Prim's: 20,000,000,000

Total Sec's: 500,000 (per sens det)

Primary Counts

Primaries	0	0&1
9310		222

Primary Fractional

Primaries	0	0&1
9310		1.11E-08

(9928 MainDet) Secondary Counts - 0&1

Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9310	929	8840

(9928 MainDet) Secondary Fractional - 0&1

Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9310	1.86E-03	1.77E-02

(9928 MainDet) Total Fractional - 0&1

Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9310	2.06E-11	1.96E-10

(9911 PMT Region) Secondary Counts - 0&1

Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9310	2096	27507

(9911 PMT Region) Secondary Fractional - 0&1

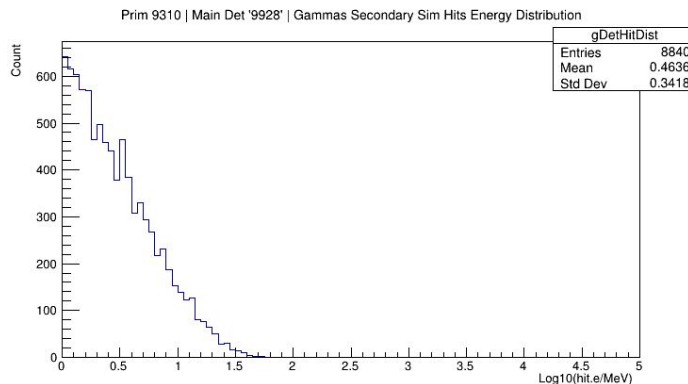
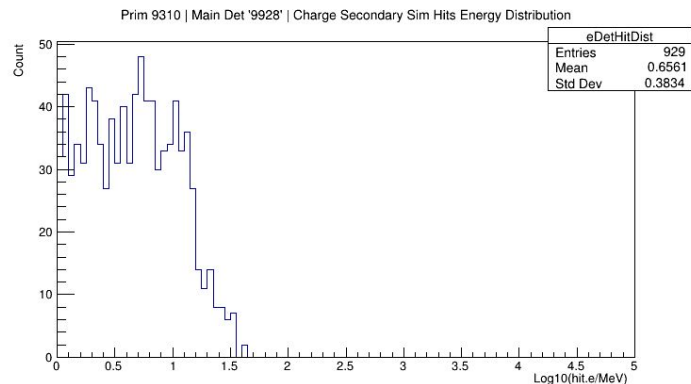
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9310	4.19E-03	5.50E-02

(9911 PMT Region) Total Fractional - 0&1

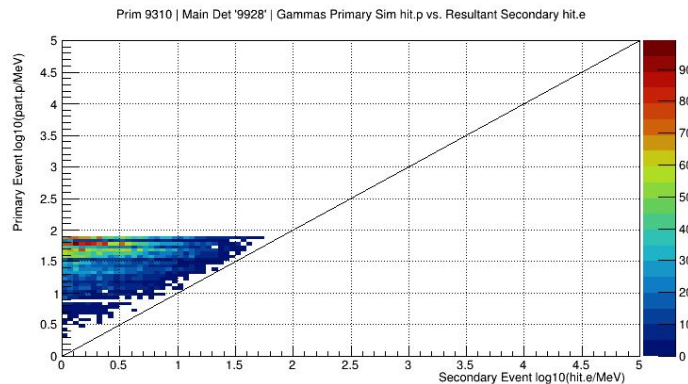
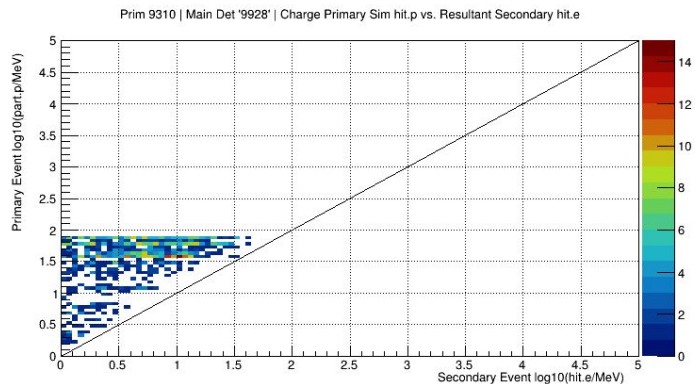
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
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9310: GEM Rot Stepper Bearing Housing

Backgrounds that hit detector '28'



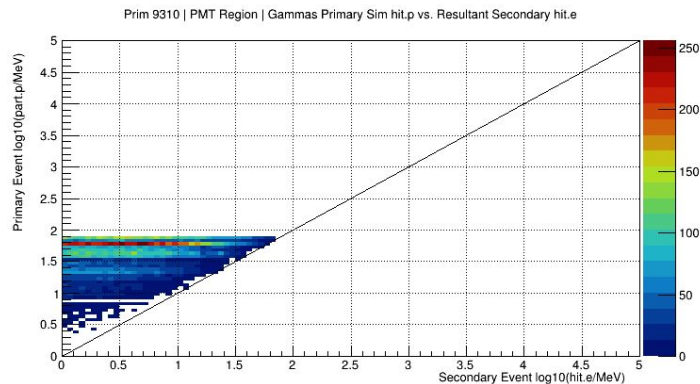
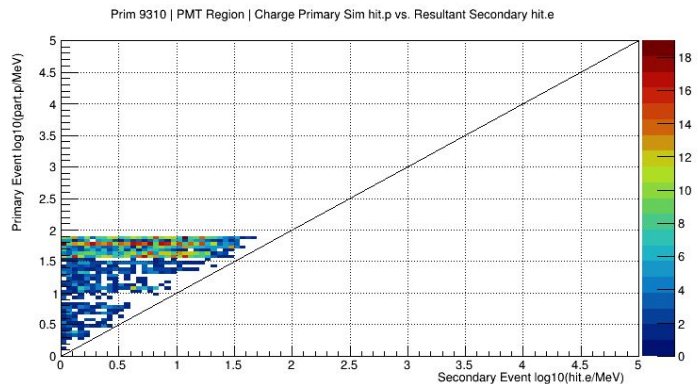
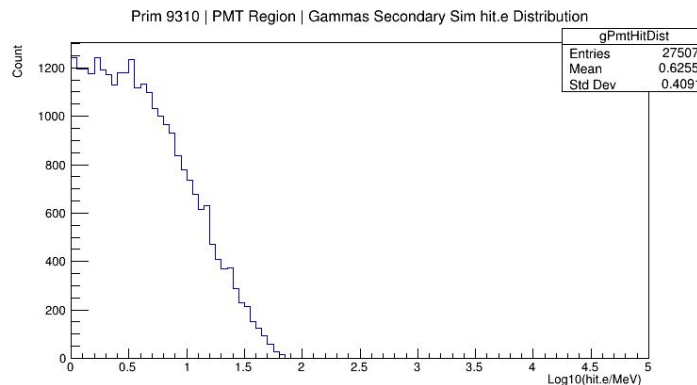
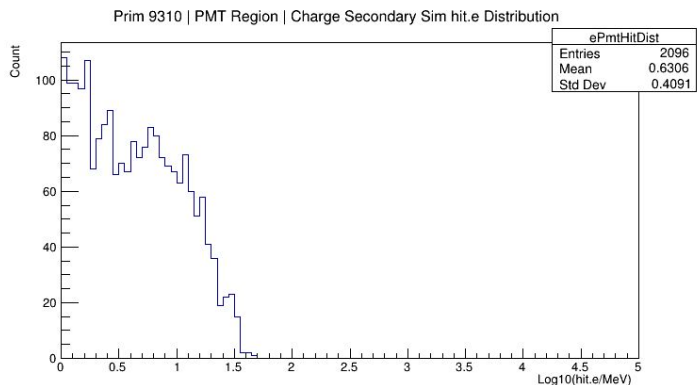
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9310: GEM Rot Stepper Bearing Housing

Backgrounds that hit PMT Region

NEW



Summary

and meeting comments/notes

(Updated) Simulation Summary & Comments

Ferrous Detector	Ferrous Volume Common Name	Material(s)	Ferrous BG ¹ Limit [per e.o.t.]	OLD Main Det Sim BG ¹ [per e.o.t]	NEW Main Det Sim BG ¹ [per e.o.t]	Comment
9300	Roller Bearings	100Cr6 [Carbon Steel]	10 ⁻¹¹	< 2(10 ⁻¹¹)	~8(10 ⁻¹⁴)	Addition of large amounts of wheel materials and stainless steel wheel pins have reduced the ferrous backgrounds to tolerable limits.
9301	Floor Locks	Carbon Steel and SS	10 ⁻¹¹	~1(10 ⁻¹¹)	~2(10 ⁻¹²)	Addition of wheel materials has dropped this by about a factor of 2 into tolerable range.
9302	Gear Motor	7kg Multiple Materials	10 ⁻¹²	< 1(10 ⁻¹²)	~4(10 ⁻¹³)	Assuming worst material limits we're still under the ferrous BG ¹ limit.
9303	Chain	SS316	10 ⁻⁸	~2(10 ⁻⁹)	~2(10 ⁻¹⁰)	Over-modeled slightly and safely within limits. Depolarization adds further comfort as does shielding and attenuation by GEM Rotator structure.
9304	Bolt Fasteners	SS316	10 ⁻⁸	~4(10 ⁻⁹)	~5(10 ⁻¹⁰)	As expected, addition of wheel materials reduced backgrounds further. Bolt fasteners are not a concern.
9305	Stepper Motors	Modeled as 2.0kg Fe	10 ⁻⁸	~4(10 ⁻¹²) ~1.5(10 ⁻¹²)	~3(10 ⁻¹²) ~2(10 ⁻¹²)	As modeled, with depolarization considerations we are down to our limit. Current mode of mass is about 25% of the motor. So there may be some mass scaling needed (x2)

SUPERCEDED BY RESULTS IN DOCDB 1185

¹BG=Background

Simulation Summary & Comments (Cont'd)

Ferrous Detector	Ferrous Volume Common Name	Material(s)	Ferrous BG ¹ Limit [per e.o.t.]	OLD Main Det Sim BG ¹ [per e.o.t]	NEW Main Det Sim BG ¹ [per e.o.t]	Comment
9306	T-Nut Fasteners	SS304	10 ⁻⁸	~2(10 ⁻¹⁰)	2(10 ⁻¹¹)	Model result was ~2(10 ⁻¹¹), doubling to account for unmodeled mass we come to <4(10 ⁻¹¹). Assuming that SS-304 is absolute worst quality this is still well below tolerable limits.
9307	Wheel Pins	SS316	10 ⁻⁸	N/A	1(10 ⁻¹²)	More than tolerable to be made of SS316 or better. Chandika uncertain whether or not pins will be Al or SS.
9308	Stepper Rods	SS [Unspecified Type]	10 ⁻⁸	N/A	2(10 ⁻¹¹)	Stepper Rods are fine.
9309	Stepper Bearings	Carbon Fiber	10 ⁻⁸	1.5(10 ⁻¹⁰) ~5(10 ⁻¹¹)	1.5(10 ⁻¹⁰) ~5(10 ⁻¹¹)	These are closest to the beamline of any ferrous item in the rotator. High background rates are not surprising. Depolarization reduces by factor of 3. There is more wheel mass which isn't modeled, but I don't expect a drastic reduction like the wheel bearings.
9310	Stepper Bearing Housing	SS316	10 ⁻⁸	N/A	2(10 ⁻¹⁰)	These are fine.

SUPERCEDED BY RESULTS IN DOCDB 1185

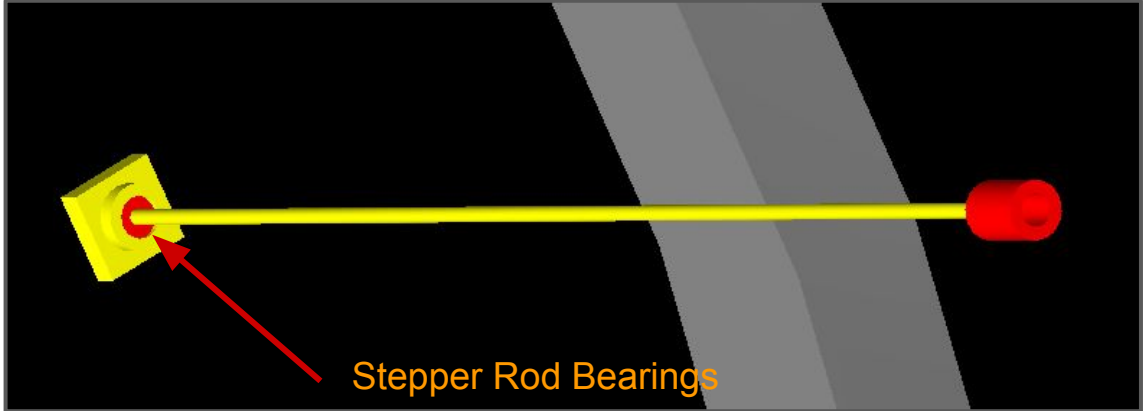
OLD:

- Stepper motor (9305) and stepper drive bearing (9309) results are old.

NEW results in docdb 1185

9309 – GEM Rotator Stepper Bearings

- Chandika informed me that the bearings will be some kind of carbon steel.
- Bearings are surrounded by a stainless steel housing (yellow square).
 - Chandika has been told by the manufacturer that the housing can be made of SS316.
- There is currently no Al frame material (shown in gray) surrounding these put into the ferrous simulation.
 - ⇒ Additional materials may help attenuate ferrous backgrounds from the stepper bearings as was the case with the wheel bearings although there is less material 'in the way' for stepper bearing ferrous backgrounds.



9309: Gem Rot Stepper Bearings

Material	X r	Spin Polarization (P f)	Frac e- on Target	Frac of events Per Moller
Mild Steel	2000	1E-02	1E-11	1E-07
Stainless Steel (Worst)	1	1E-05	1E-08	1E-04
Stainless Steel (Ideal)	0.01	1E-07	1E-06	1E-02
Aluminum	0.0001	1E-09	1E-04	1E+00
Inconel 625	0.001	1E-08	1E-05	1E-01
Brass/Bronze (Worst)	0.001	1E-08	1E-05	1E-01

Sens Volume:	GEM Rotator Stepper Bearings
Sim Date:	10/31/2023
Detector #:	9309

*Simulation with wheel and frame mass (G4_Al)

OLD

GEM Rotator Stepper Bearings -- Unweighted By BField

Total Prim's: 20,000,000,000

Total Sec's: 500,000 (per sens det)

Primary Counts		
Primaries	0	0&1
9309		219

Primary Fractional		
Primaries	0	0&1
9309		1.10E-08

(9928 MainDet) Secondary Counts - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9309	6131	8286

(9928 MainDet) Secondary Fractional - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9309	1.23E-02	1.66E-02

(9928 MainDet) Total Fractional - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9309	1.34E-10	1.81E-10

(9911 PMT Region) Secondary Counts - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9309	8576	37073

(9911 PMT Region) Secondary Fractional - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9309	1.72E-02	7.41E-02

(9911 PMT Region) Total Fractional - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9309	1.88E-10	8.12E-10

Stepper bearings are some type of carbon steel. This puts tolerable ferrous background limits at 10^{-11} .

Raw simulation results give ferrous backgrounds at the $\sim 1(10^{-10})$ level.

Depolarization considerations bring the raw simulation results to around $5(10^{-11})$ still above our desired limit.

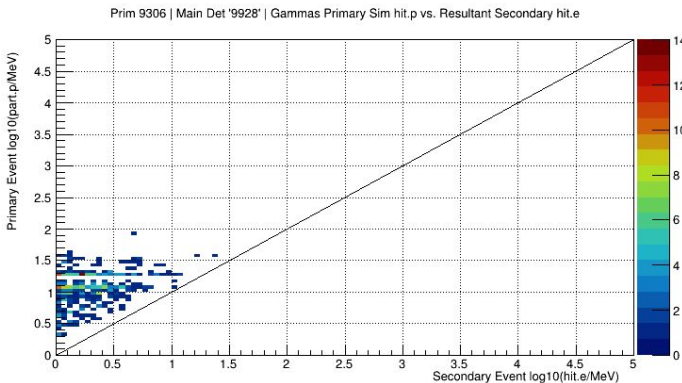
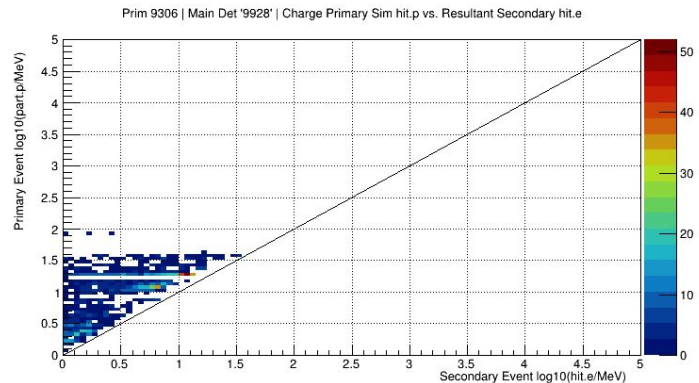
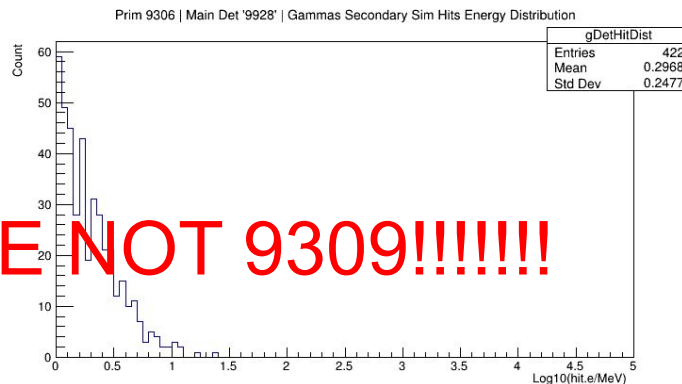
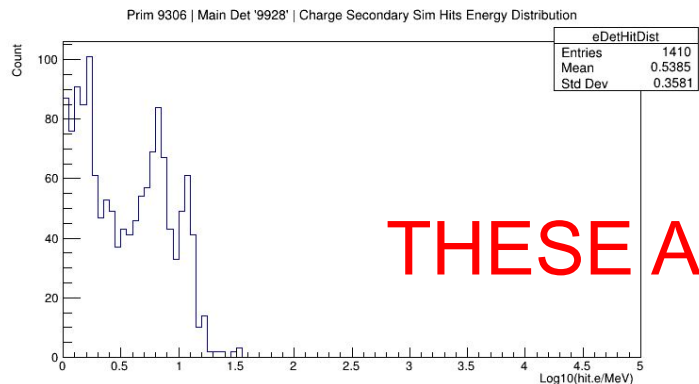
There are additional materials which can be modeled.

9309: Gem Rot Stepper Bearings

Backgrounds that hit detector '28'

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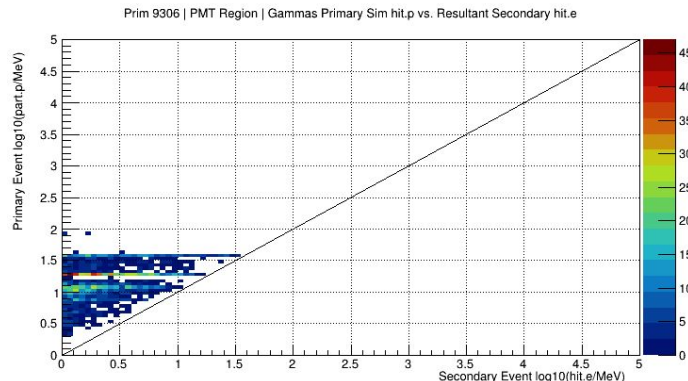
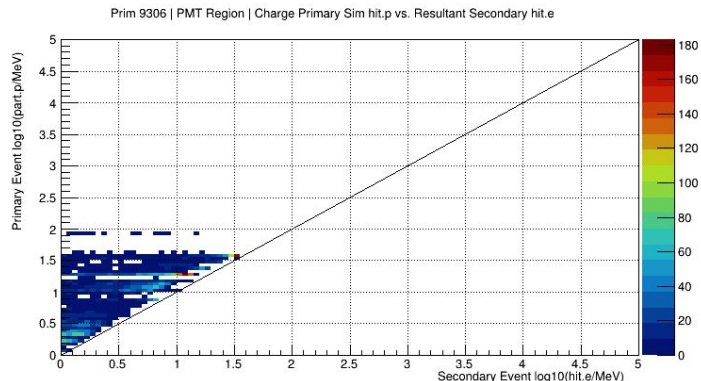
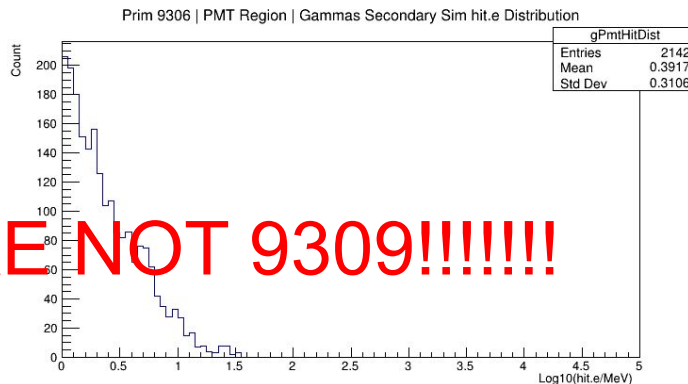
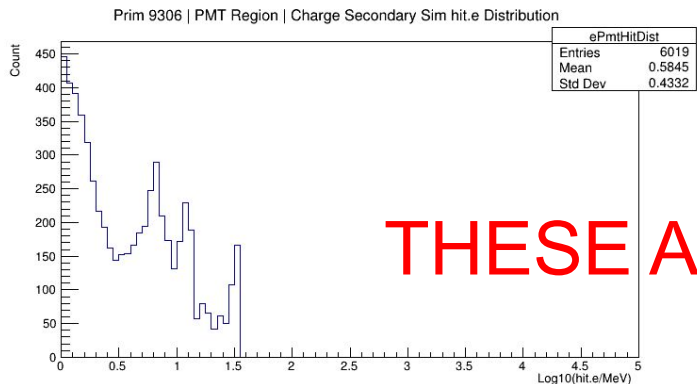


9309: Gem Rot Stepper Bearings

Backgrounds that hit PMT Region

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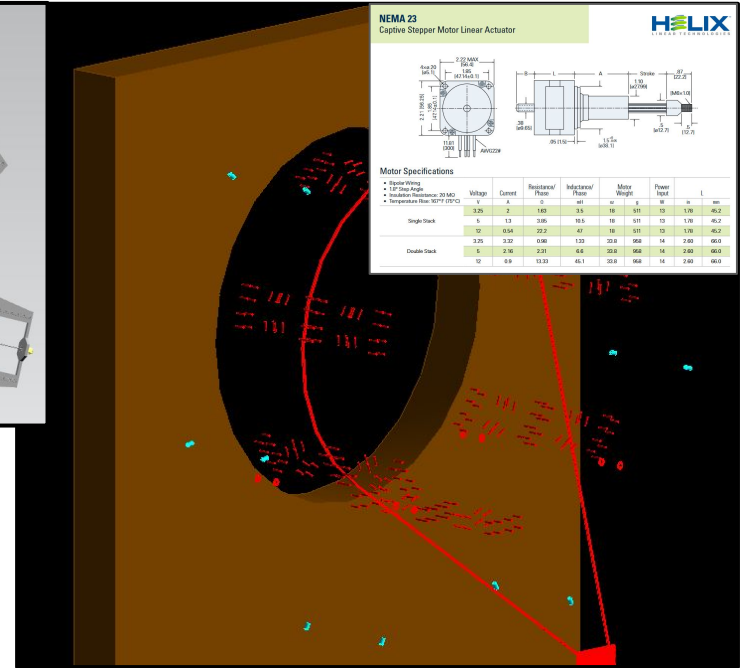
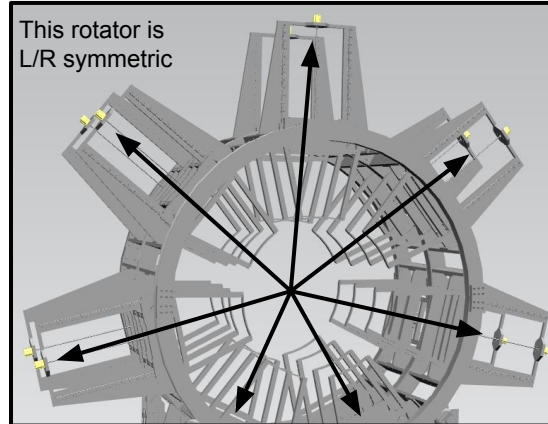


9305 – GEM Rotator Stepper Motors

Stepper motors.

Unsure of particular design of these.

Modeled the ferrous materials as a cylinder ($r_{min}=8.5mm$ and $r_{max}=15.5mm$). Unsure of total material needed so just went with $z=45mm$; this is probably too much material but figured too much here was better than too little.



$$\pi \times (15.5 \text{ mm} \times 15.5 \text{ mm} - 8.5 \text{ mm} \times 8.5 \text{ mm}) \times 45 \text{ mm}$$

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Input interpretation

$$\pi (15.5 \text{ mm (millimeters)} \times 15.5 \text{ mm (millimeters)} - 8.5 \text{ mm (millimeters)} \times 8.5 \text{ mm (millimeters)}) \times 45 \text{ mm (millimeters)}$$

Result $\rho_{Fe} \sim 7.8 \text{ g/cm}^3$

23800 mm³ (cubic millimeters)

$$23.8 \text{ cm}^3 \times \rho_{Fe} = 185.6 \text{ g (x 14)}$$

Unit conversions

23.8 cm³ (cubic centimeters)

~2.6kg of Fe in simulation

*** There could be model improvement with more information from GEM team if the information is on hand or known. I may very well have over-modeled the material in question.

>> *** Fully magnetized material fractional limit per e.o.t. is 10^{-12} *** <<

9305: GEM Stepper Motors

Material	X_r	Spin Polarization (P_f)	Frac e- on Target	Frac of events Per Moller
Mild Steel	2000	1E-02	1E-11	1E-07
Stainless Steel (Worst)	1	1E-05	1E-08	1E-04
Stainless Steel (Ideal)	0.01	1E-07	1E-06	1E-02
Aluminum	0.0001	1E-09	1E-04	1E+00
Inconel 625	0.001	1E-08	1E-05	1E-01
Brass/Bronze (Worst)	0.001	1E-08	1E-05	1E-01

Sens Volume:	GEM Rotator Stepper Motors
Sim Date:	10/31/2023
Detector #:	9305

*Simulation with wheel and frame mass (G4_Al)

OLD

GEM Rotator Stepper Motors -- Unweighted By BField

Total Prim's:	20,000,000,000	Total Sec's:	500,000	(per sens det)
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Primary Counts			Primary Fractional		
Primaries	0	0&1	Primaries	0	0&1
9305		57	9305		2.85E-09

(9928 MainDet) Secondary Counts - 0&1			(9928 MainDet) Secondary Fractional - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas	Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9305	560	49	9305	1.12E-03	9.80E-05

Ferrous background goal here is a limit of 10-12

As would be expected, there was little change from the previous simulation. These stepper motors are far out with little mass around them.

However, with depolarization considerations we can take off a factor of 3 which puts us at the tolerable limit.

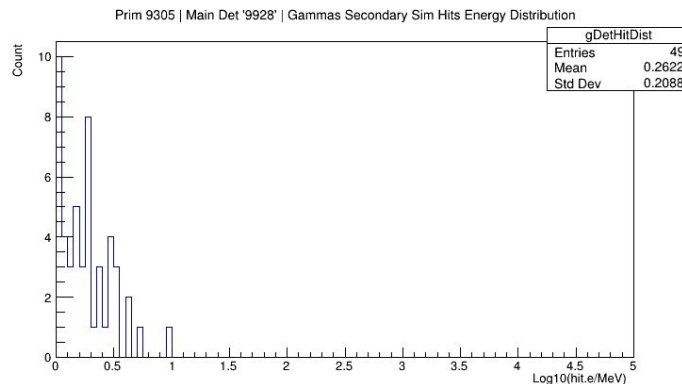
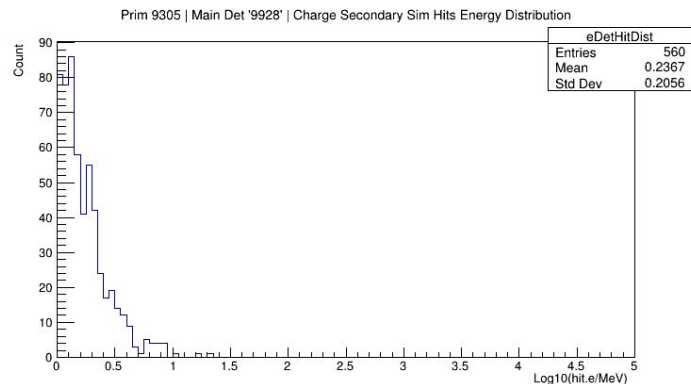
(9928 MainDet) Total Fractional - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9305	3.19E-12	2.79E-13

(9911 PMT Region) Secondary Counts - 0&1			(9911 PMT Region) Secondary Fractional - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas	Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9305	2092	203	9305	4.18E-03	4.06E-04

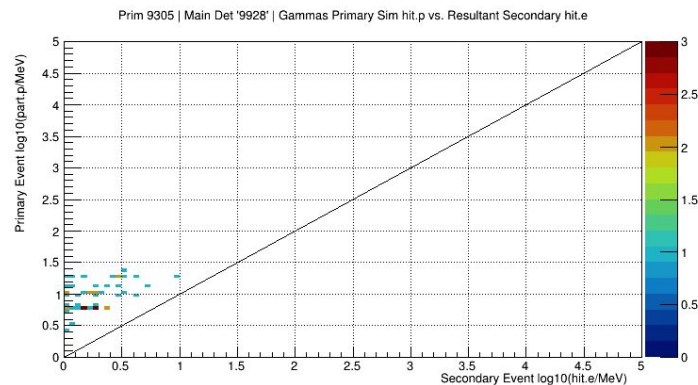
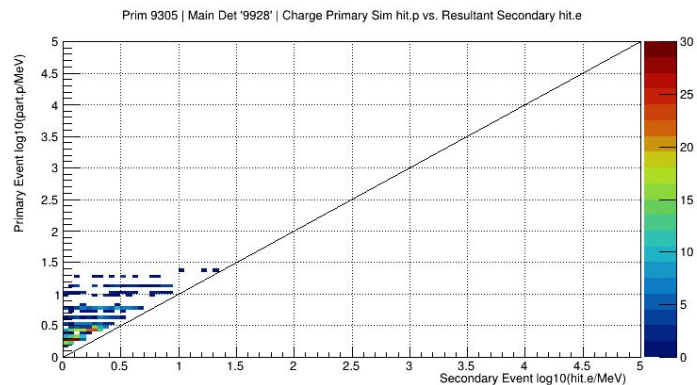
(9911 PMT Region) Total Fractional - 0&1		
Secondaries	Electrons	Gammas
9305	1.19E-11	1.16E-12

9305: Gem Rotator Stepper Motors

Backgrounds that hit detector '28'



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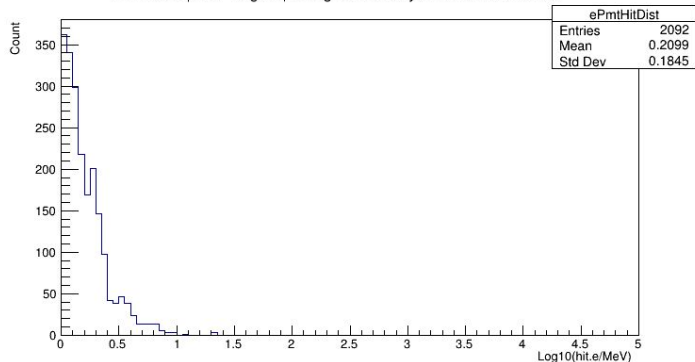


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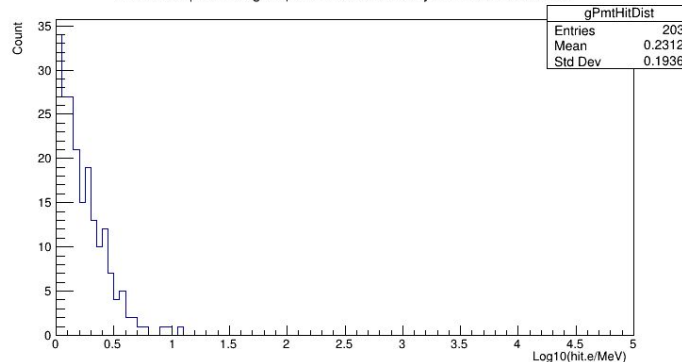
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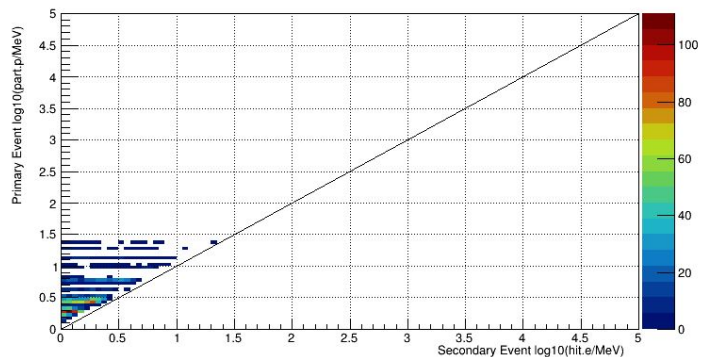
Prim 9305 | PMT Region | Charge Secondary Sim hit.e Distribution



Prim 9305 | PMT Region | Gammas Secondary Sim hit.e Distribution



Prim 9305 | PMT Region | Charge Primary Sim hit.p vs. Resultant Secondary hit.e



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