

Development of Muon Spin Imaging

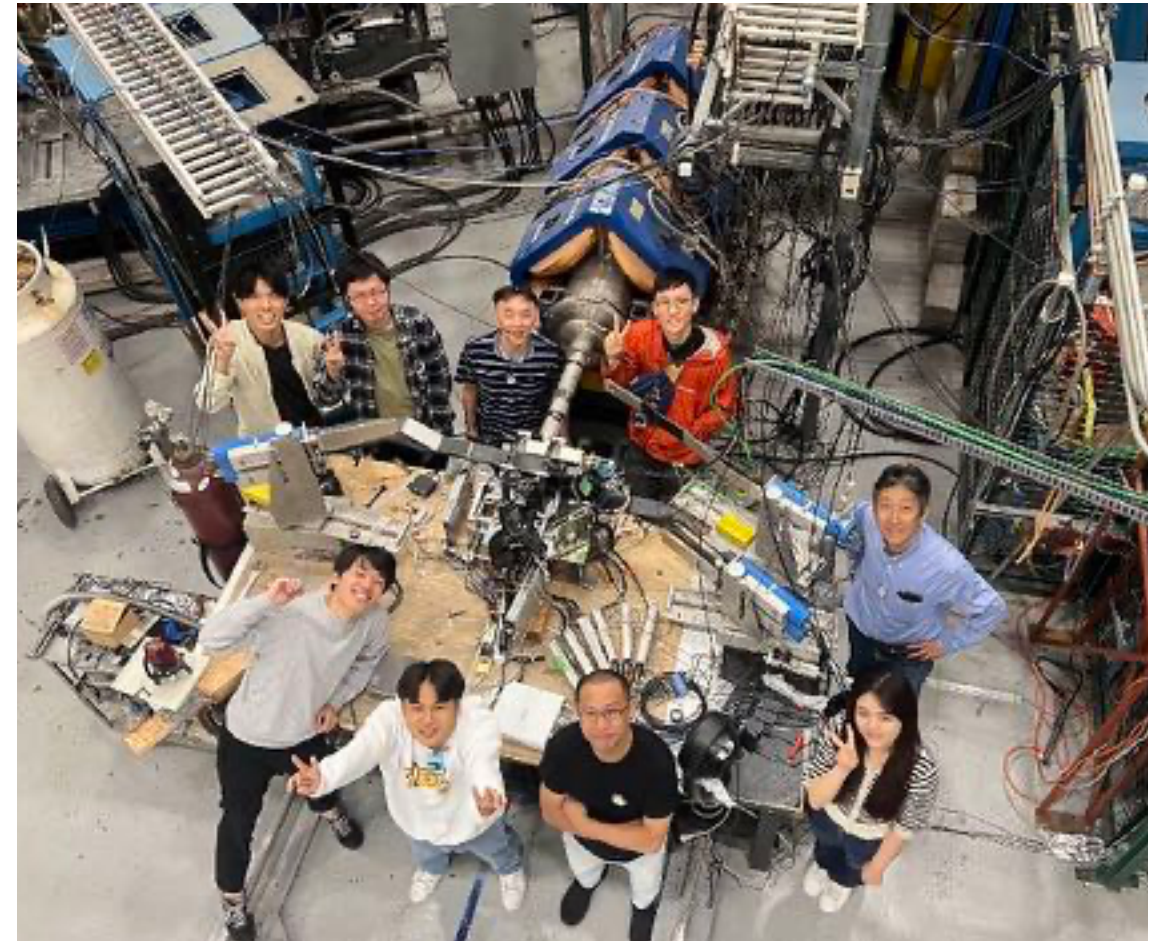
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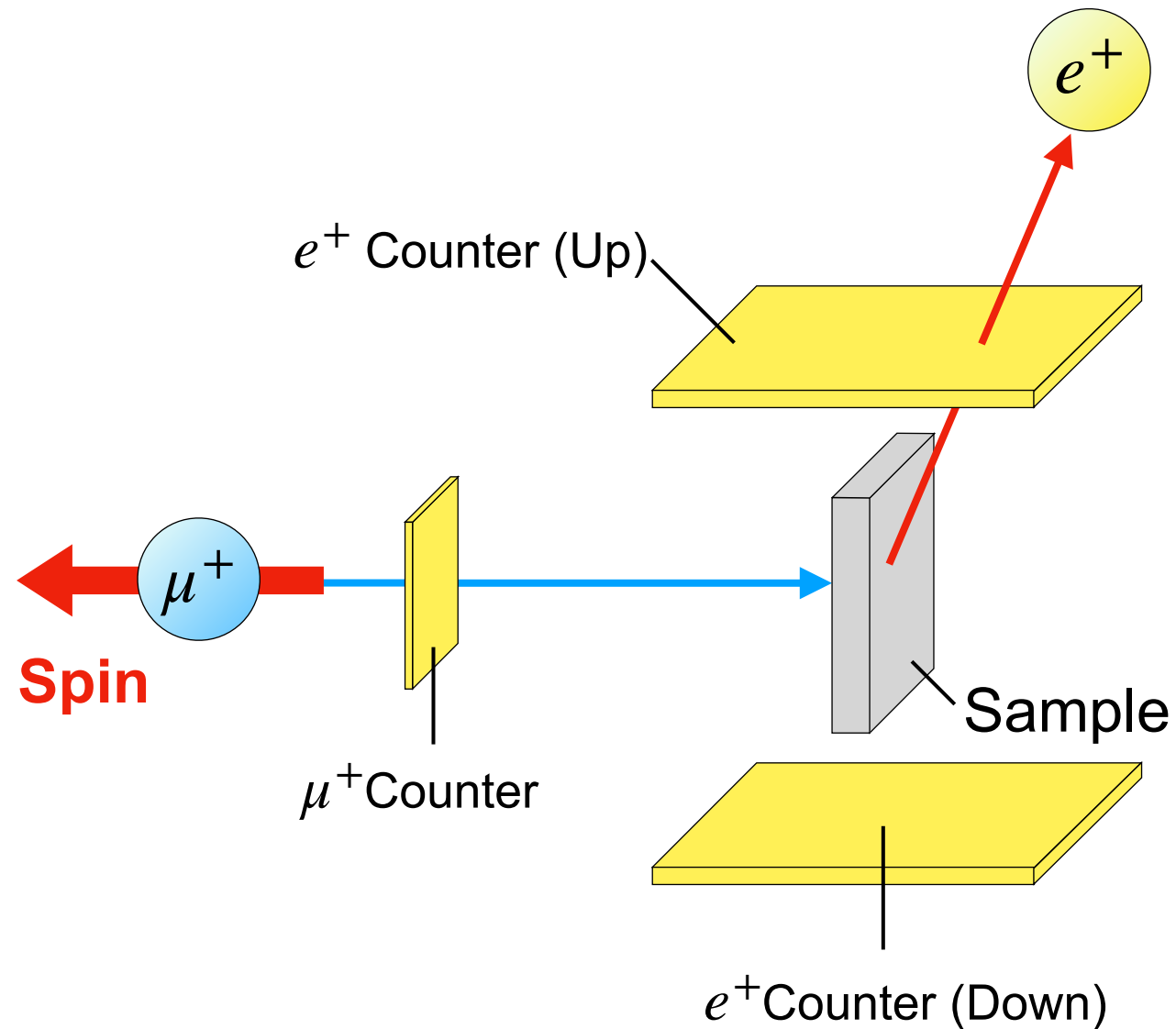
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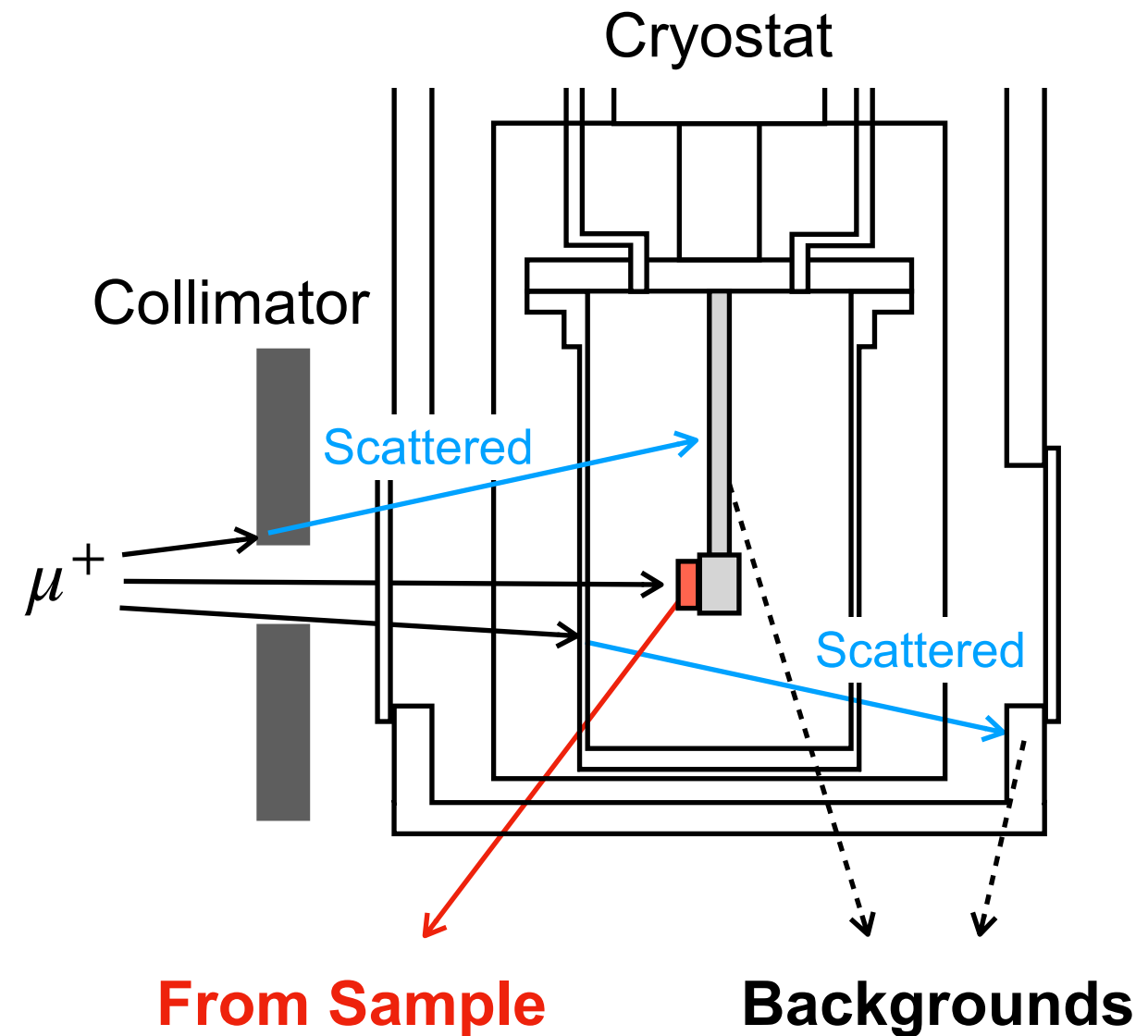
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Challenges of Conventional μ SR

- Conventional DC μ SR



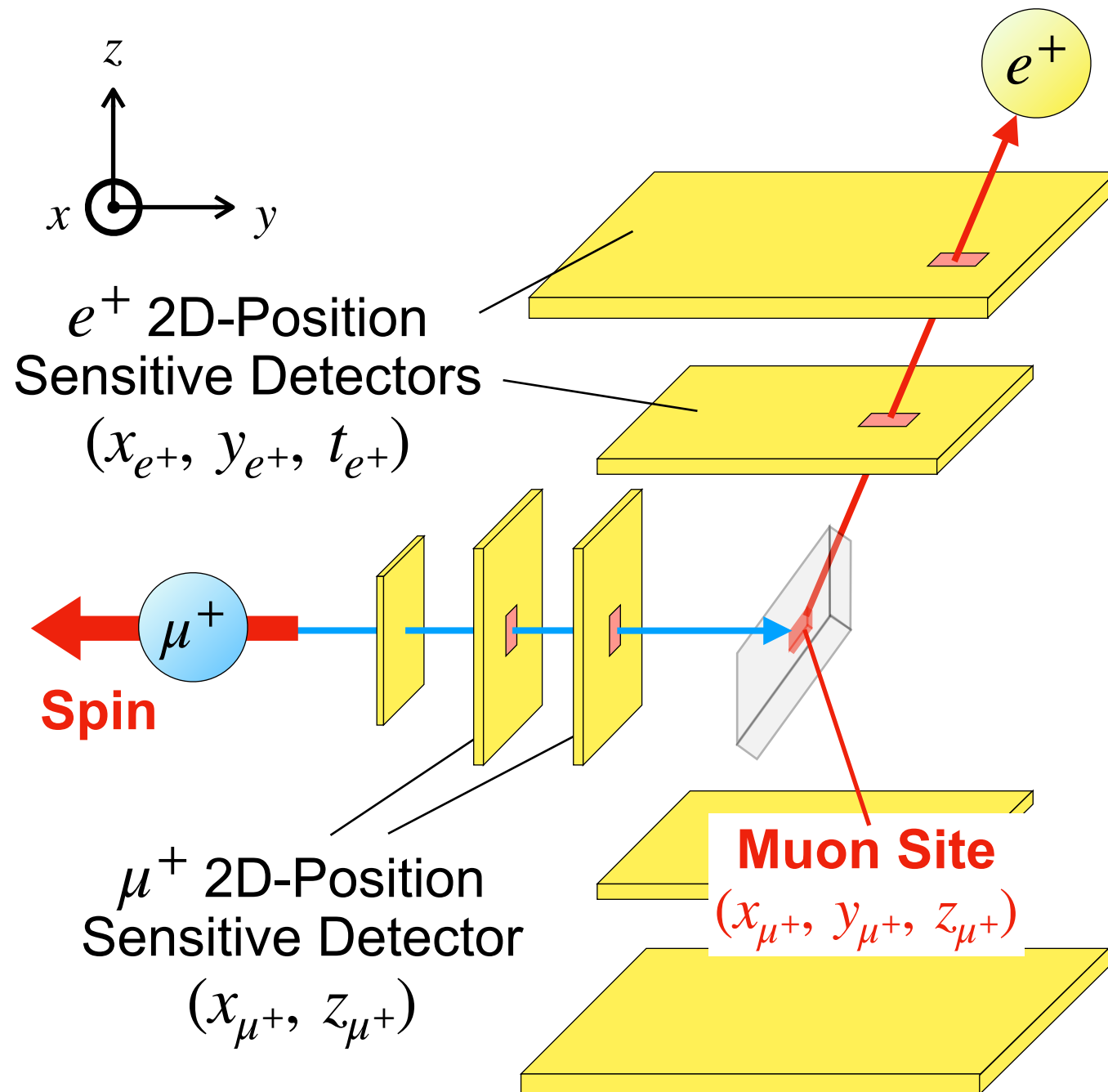
- μ SR for Small Sample



Beam Size $\gg$ Sample Size $\rightarrow$ Many Backgrounds
 $\rightarrow$ **Difficult for small sample (size $< 4 \times 4 \text{ mm}^2$)**

Muon Spin Imaging

• Position Sensitive μ SR



• What will be realized?

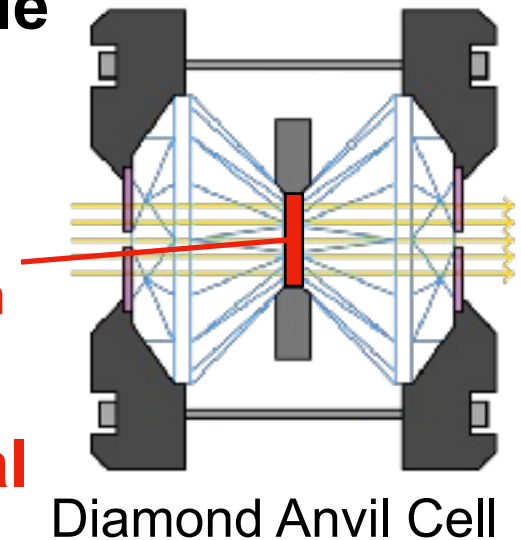
μ SR for small sample

e.g.) High Pressure μ SR

Pressure : 100–200 GPa

Sample Size : 100–250 μm

Background Removal

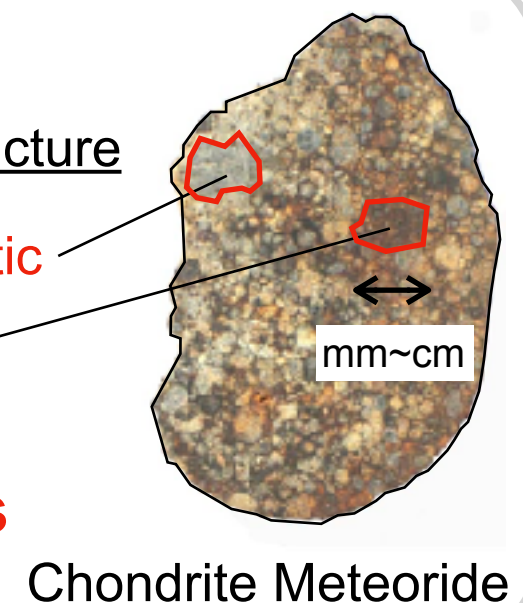


μ SR 3D imaging

e.g.) Mixture with microstructure

Chondrule {
 • Non-magnetic
 • Magnetic

Component Analysis



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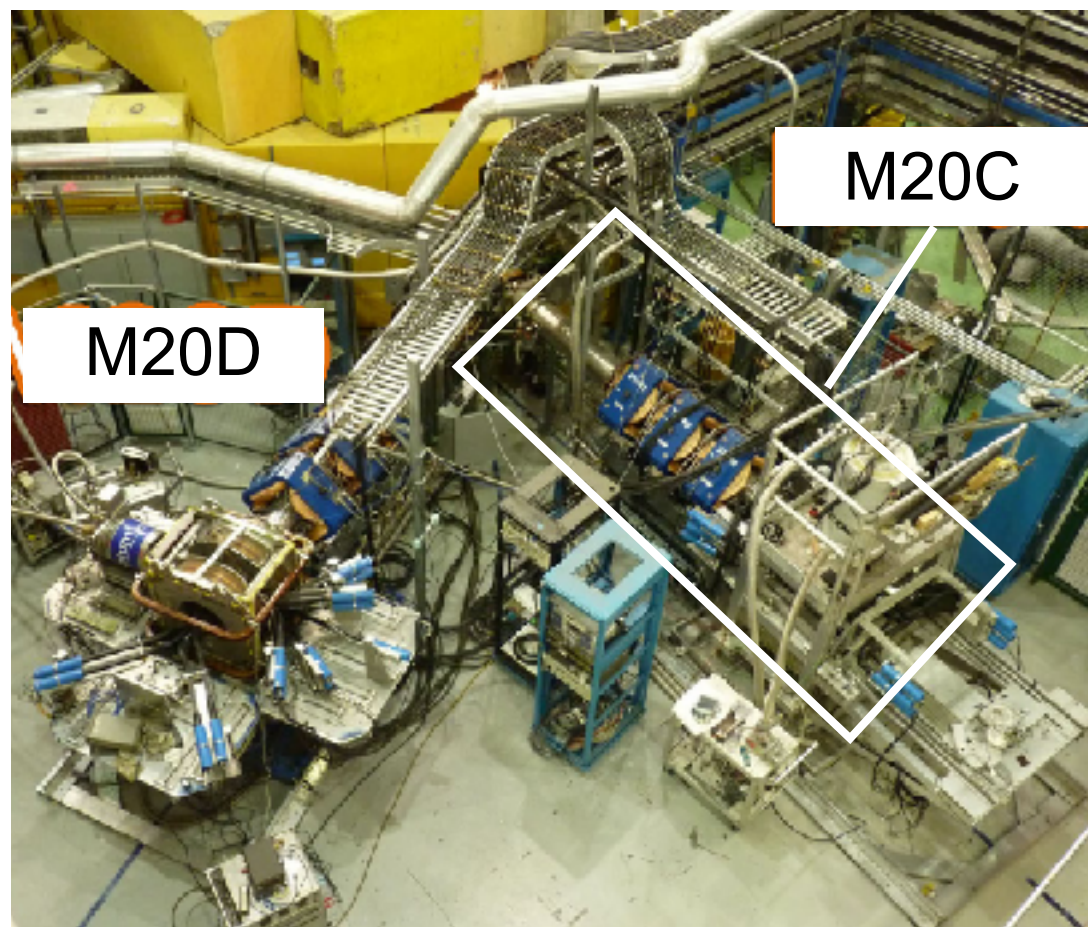
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Experiment Status

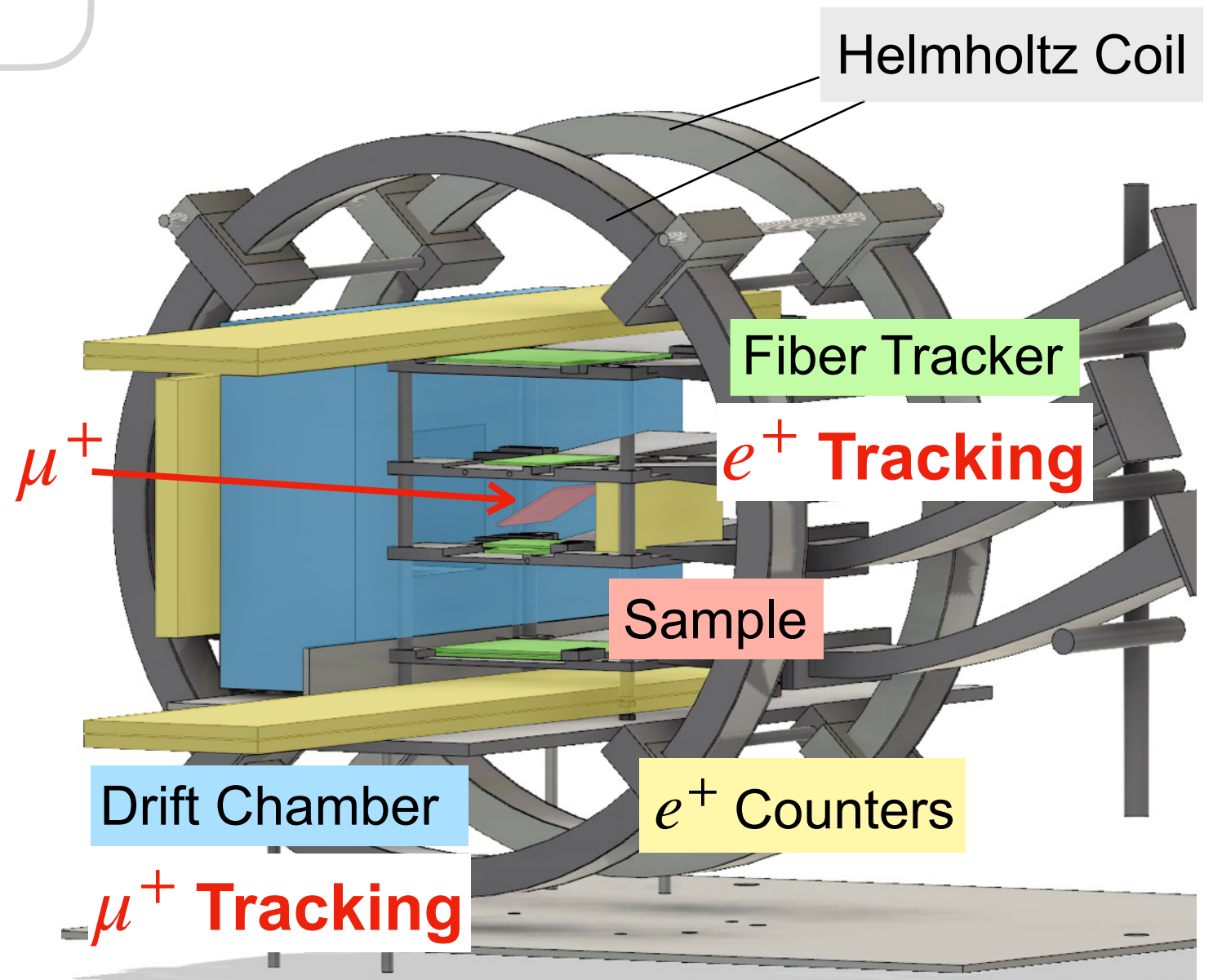
TRIUMF M20C Performance

- **Continuous Surface μ^+ beam**
 - Max Beam Intensity : 70k cps
- **for parasite Exp. : 8–25k cps**



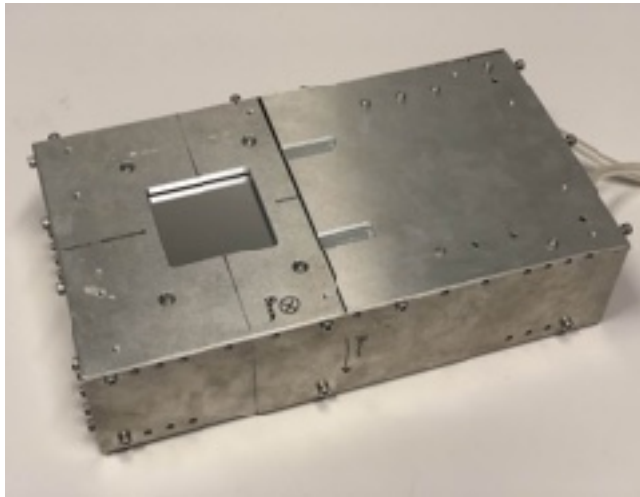
Experimental Setup

- No Cryostat → Room temperature
- Magnetic Field : ZF / TF (<10G)



Position Sensitive Detectors

Drift Chamber : μ^+



- ✓ Surface μ^+ beam : $\beta \sim 0.28$
→ thin detector to avoid stopping
inside = Gas Detector
- ✓ High Resolution : $\sigma_{DC}^{\text{intrinsic}} \sim 0.1 \text{ mm}$
- ✓ Layer : x, y each 3 layer
- ✓ High Efficiency : $\varepsilon \sim 95 \%$
- ✓ Tracking Efficiency : $\varepsilon^6 \sim 80 \%$

Fiber Tracker : e^+



Optical Fiber Scintillation Fiber

- ✓ Decay e^+ : $\beta \sim 0.99$
→ thick detector to detect with high
efficiency = Plastic Scintillator
- ✓ Good Resolution : $\sigma_{\text{Fiber}}^{\text{intrinsic}} \sim 0.7 \text{ mm}$
- ✓ Layer : x, y each 2 layer
- ✓ Low Efficiency : $\varepsilon \sim 40 \%$
- ✓ Tracking Efficiency : $\varepsilon^4 \sim 0.02 \%$

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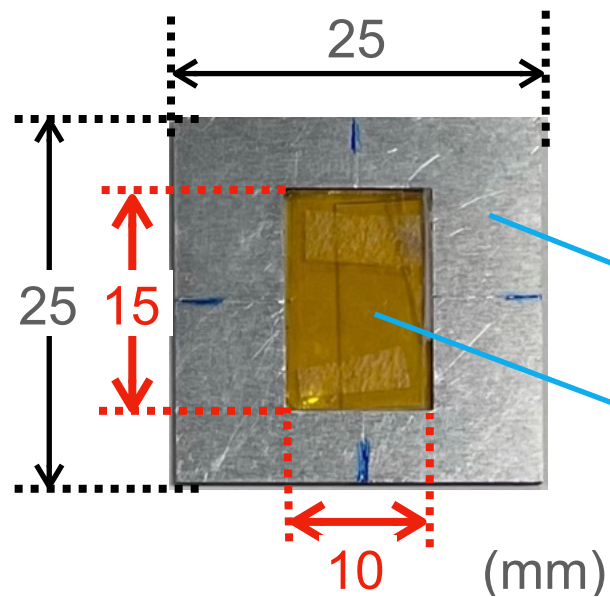
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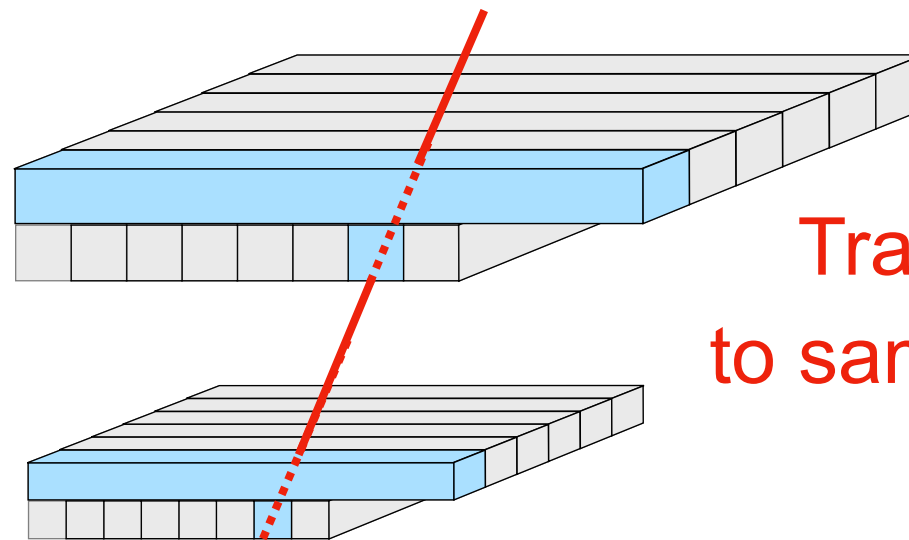
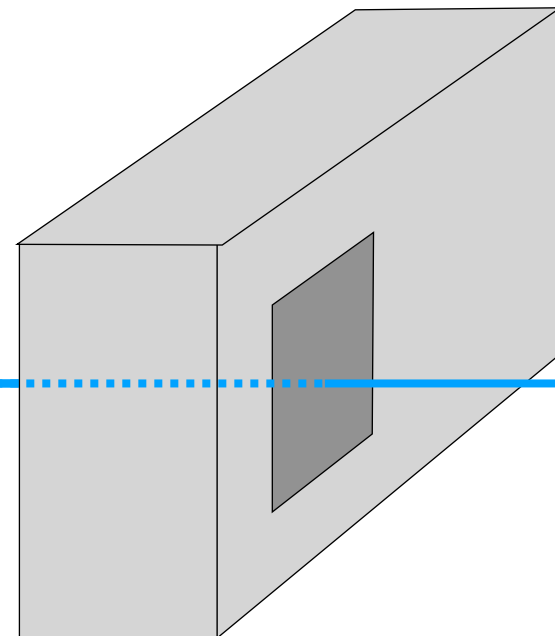
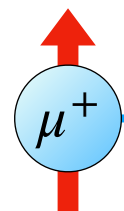
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2D Imaging Test with Al / Al₂O₃ Sample



Sample		State	TF Spectra
Metal	Al	μ^+	Slow Rotation ($T = 7.38 \mu\text{s}/10 \text{ G}$)
Insulator	Al ₂ O ₃	$\mu^+ e^-$	Rapid Rotation ($T = 0.074 \mu\text{s}/10 \text{ G}$)

Muon Spin : Up
Sample Angle : 45°
B(TF) = 10 G, T = 273K



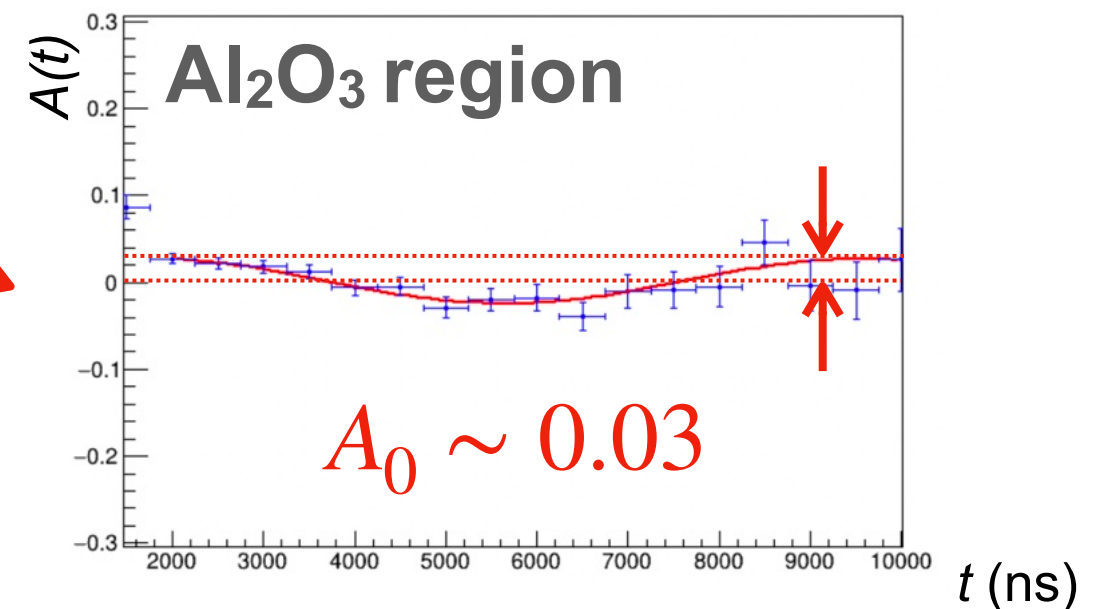
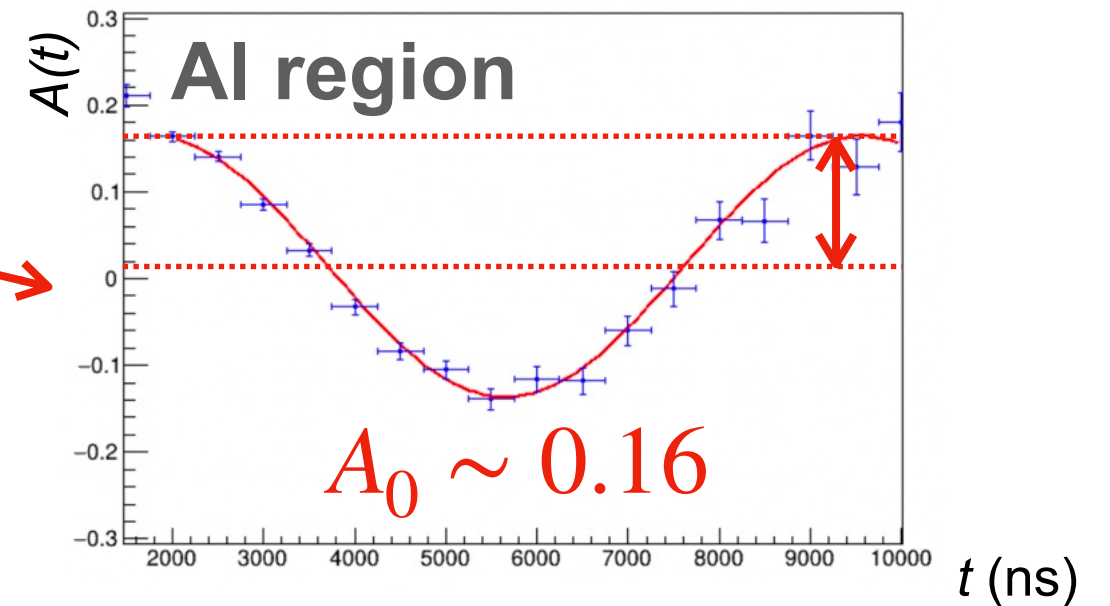
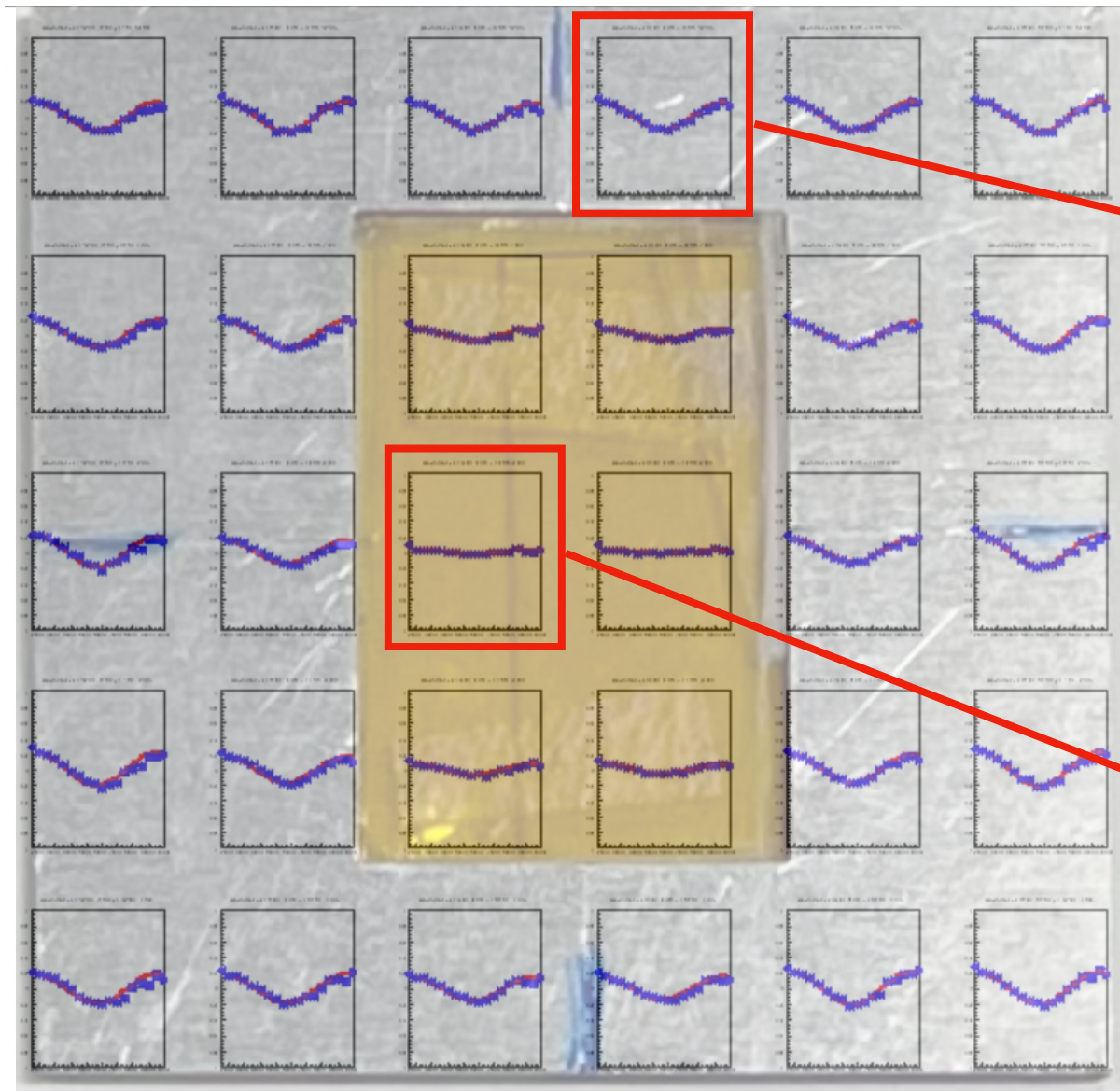
Track back
to sample plane

Reconstruct 2D imaging
→ Spatial resolution

Asymmetry Identification

Divide into small regions → Create Asymmetry

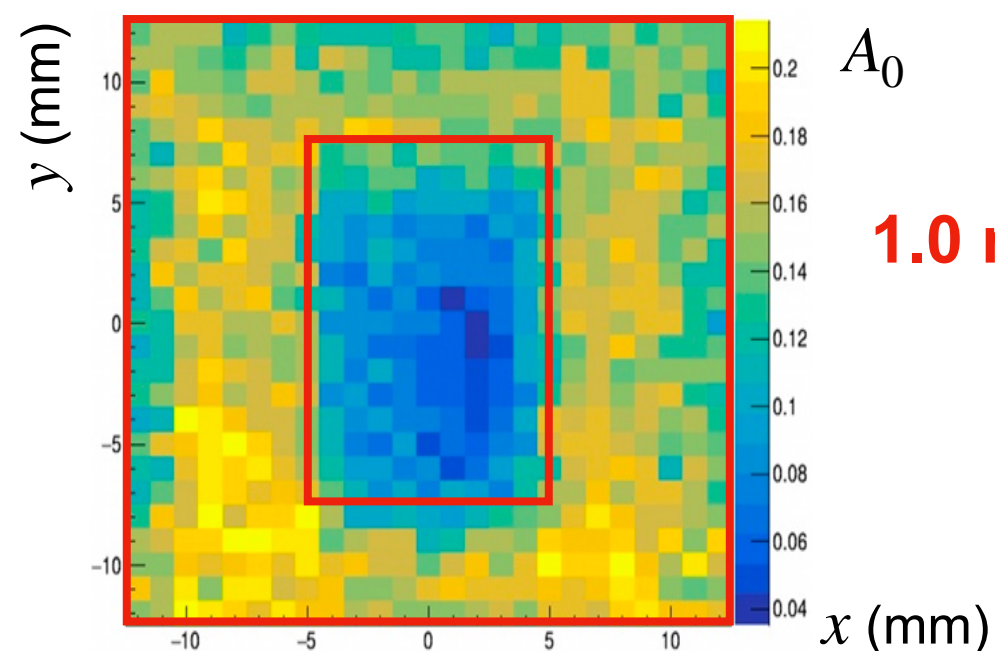
$$A(t) = A_0 \sin(\omega_\mu t + \phi_0)$$



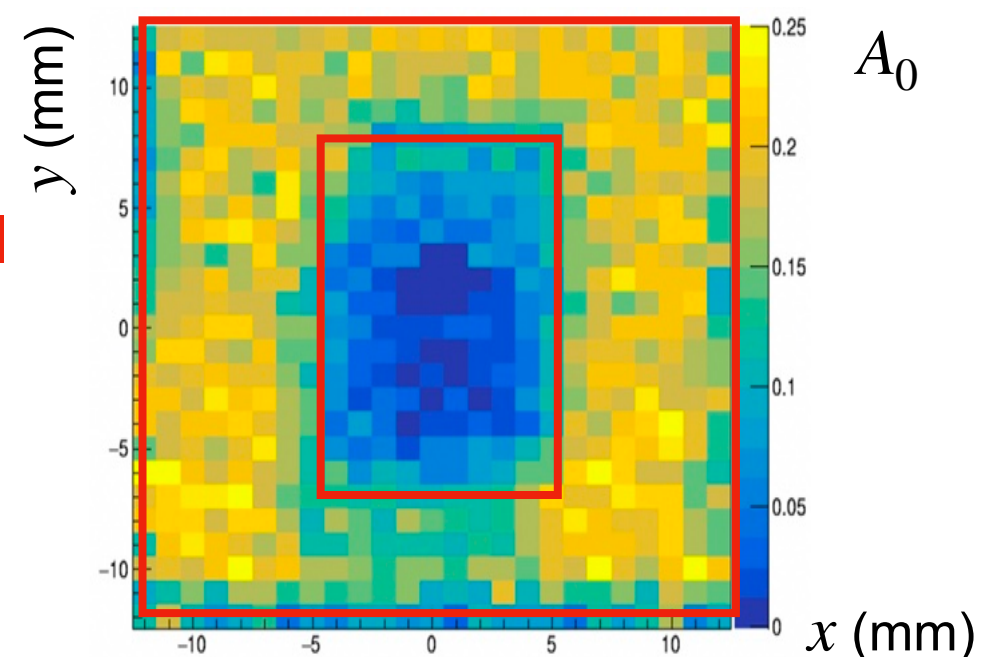
A_0 is a good parameter of distinguish materials

Results : 2D imaging & Spatial Resolution

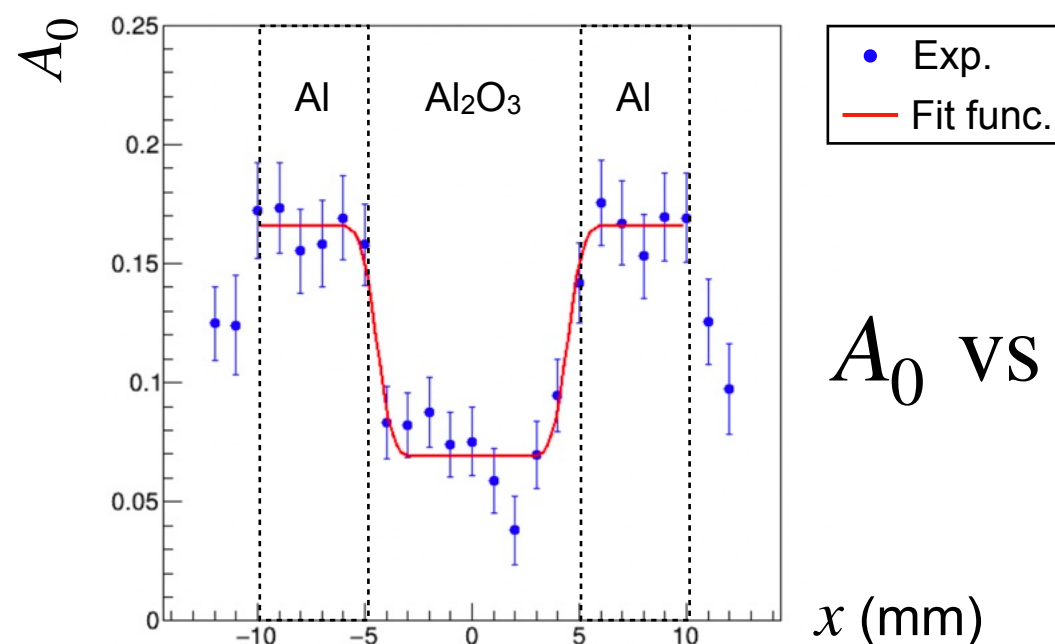
Drift Chamber



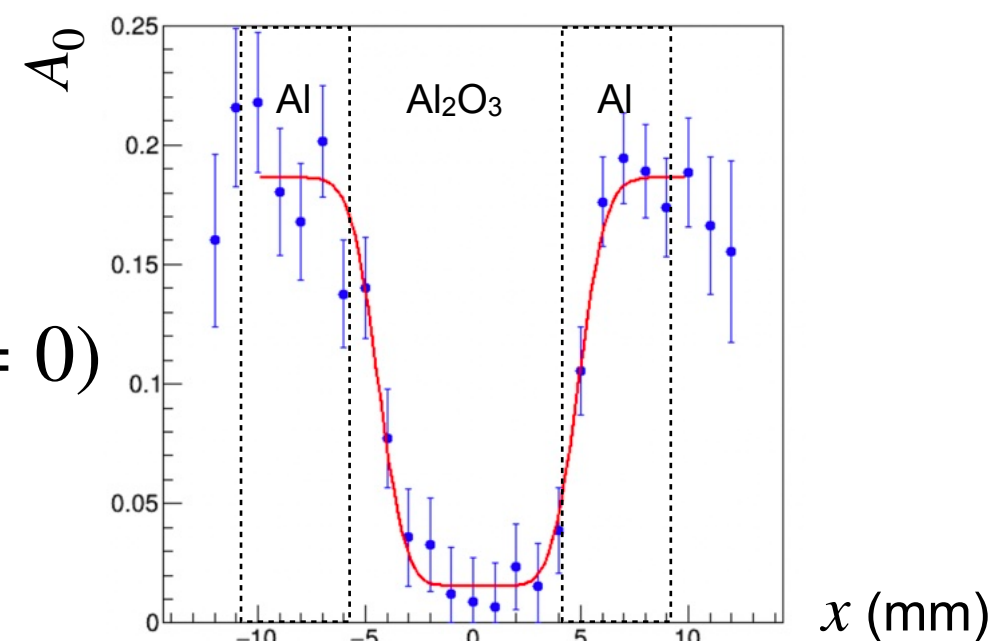
Fiber Tracker



↓ Reproduce Calibrated Patterns ↓



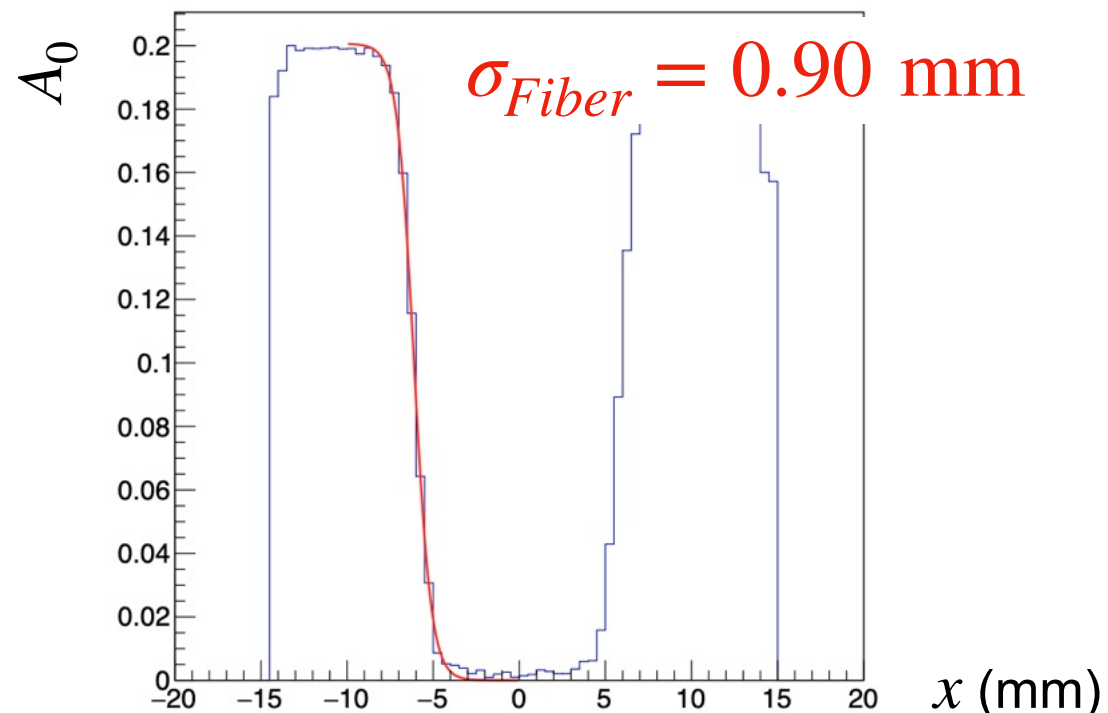
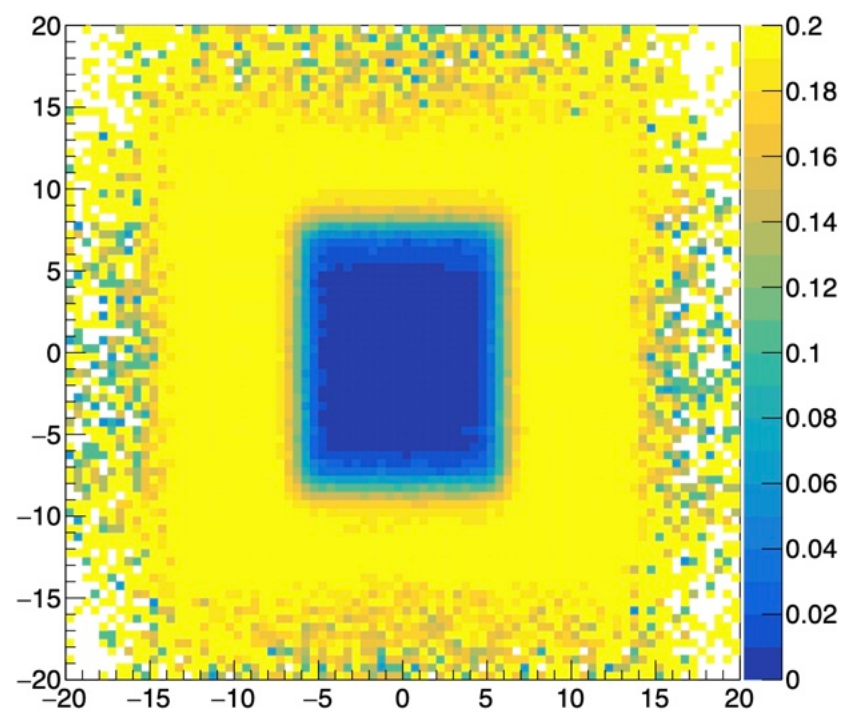
$$\sigma_{DC} = 0.6 \pm 0.2 \text{ mm}$$



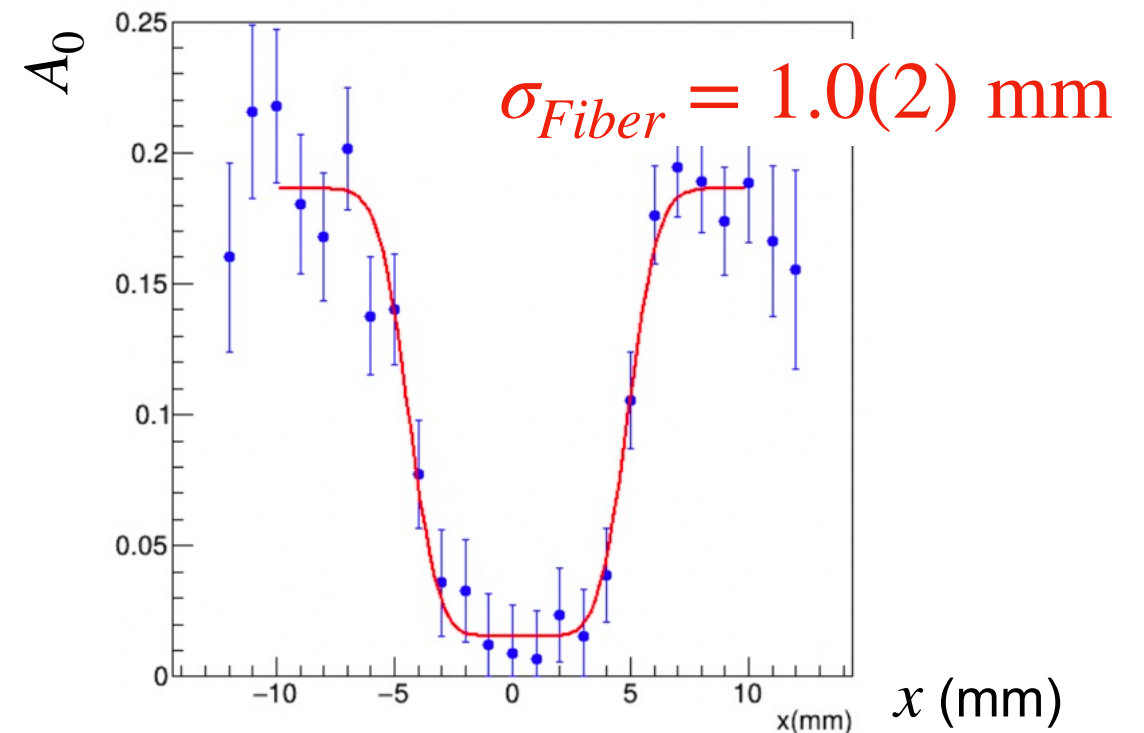
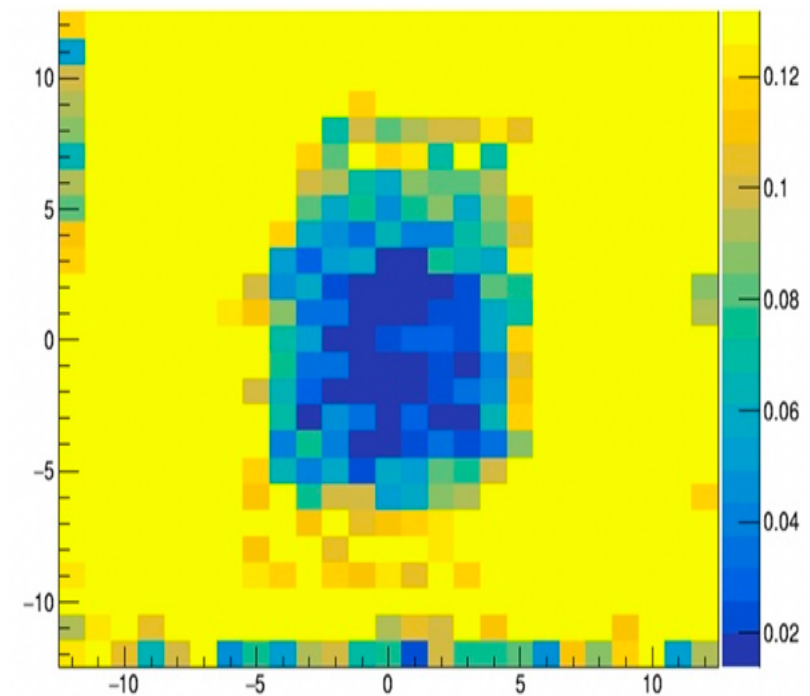
$$\sigma_{Fiber} = 1.0 \pm 0.2 \text{ mm}$$

Discussion : Fiber Tracker Simulation

Geant4 Simulation

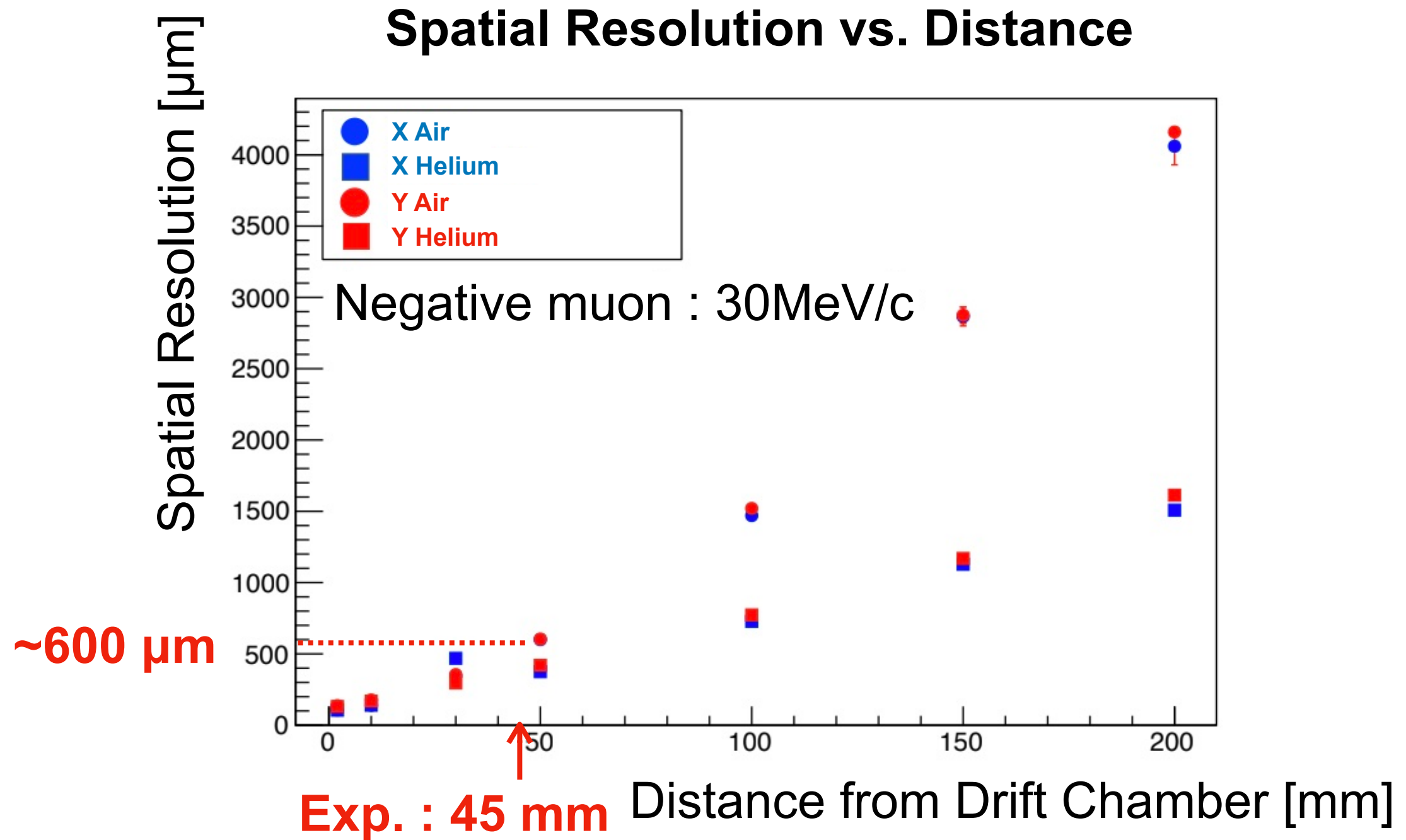


Experiment



Consistent with simulation

Discussion : Drift Chamber Simulation



Experiment : $\sigma_{DC} = 0.6(2)$ mm $\rightarrow$ Consistent

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Summary

1. Successfully performed 2D imaging using 1.0 mm² pixels with both the drift chamber and the fiber tracker, reproducing the known material distribution.
2. From the imaging results, the spatial resolution was estimated to be:
 - Drift chamber: $\sigma_{\text{DC}} = 0.6 \pm 0.2 \text{ mm}$
 - Fiber tracker: $\sigma_{\text{Fiber}} = 1.0 \pm 0.2 \text{ mm}$

Future Work

- Improve resolution and efficiency of fiber tracker.
- Update toward standard μSR setup (e.g. : install cryostat).
- 3D imaging with $\mu^+ - e^+$ vertex reconstruction (in progress)
- μSR measurement on micro-sized sample
 - e.g. : Diamond Anvil Cell : size $\sim 1.0\text{mm}$

Back Up

Progress Steps

First Test

- 2D imaging (known sample)
- Spatial resolution evaluation
- Exp. vs. Simulation

Application test with known sample

- 3D imaging
- Tiny sample μ SR

STEP1

STEP2

STEP3

STEP4

Update Setup

- Install Cryostat
- Higher Spatial Resolution

Application to unknown sample

- 2D/3D imaging
- Tiny sample μ SR