Overview of Ongoing Analysis and Publications

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Pulse Processing — Trigger (P. Lautridou, G. Giroux)

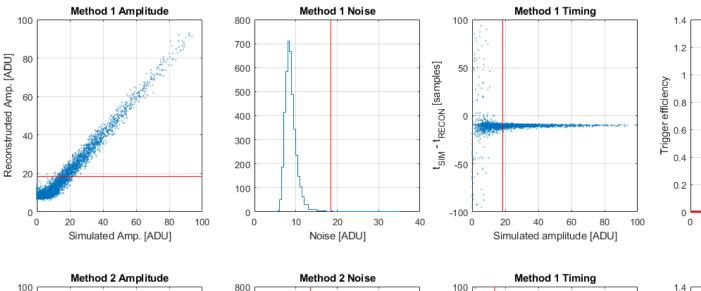
Method 1 efficiency

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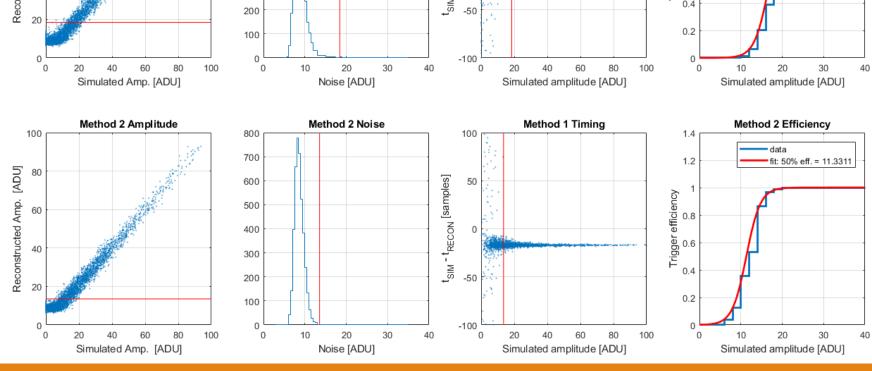
fit: 50% eff. = 16.648

Searching for fast signal processing algorithms to maximize trigger efficiency

SMA + COMB a.k.a. Smoothing + trapezoidal N = 17

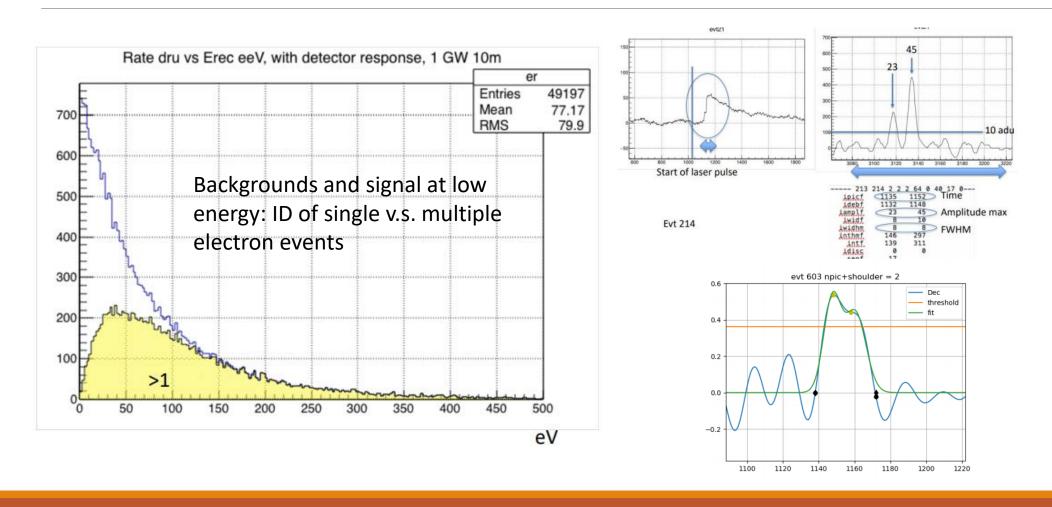


EMA + COMB N = 17



Pulse Processing – Electron counting (P. Lautridou)

Similar algorithms well suited to search for 1, 2, 3 electron counting



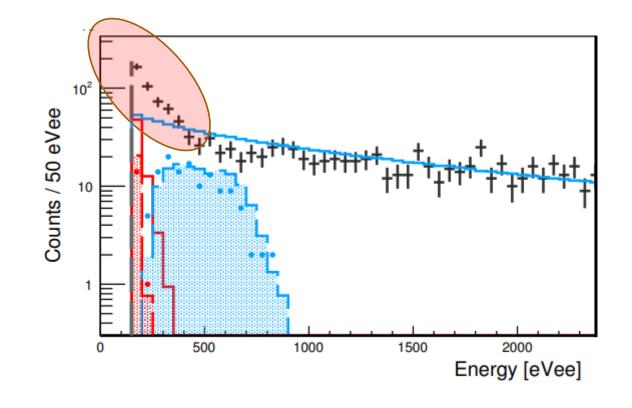
Physics Papers (short-to-medium term)

- 1. Quenching Factor Measurements
 - a. At Grenoble [D. Santos]
 - b. At TUNL [M. Vidal]
- WIMP search at LSM and SNOLAB
 - a. Spin independent
 - b. Spin dependent
 - c. Pure CH4
- 3. Other Physics
 - a. KK axions [P. Vazquez De Sola]
 - b. SEDINE low energy background re-analysis [D. Durnford, A. Rolland]
- 4. Instrumentation
 - a. Sensors
 - b. NEWS-G SNOLAB detector (?)
 - c. Trigger, signal processing, etc. [P. Lautridou, G. Giroux]

SEDINE re-analysis [D. Durnford, A. Rolland]

SEDINE Low-Energy Background(s)

- Conventional Analysis [D. Durnford]
 - Background subtraction
 - Event by event Pulse shape
- Machine Learning [A. Rolland]
 - Classification
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Quenching Factor at TUNL [M. Vidal]

High quality data taken at TUNL down to 0.3 keVnr.

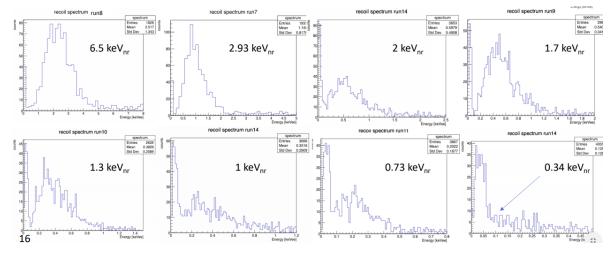
Current analysis challenge is the simulation of the expected response.

Ideally published in companion with first

physics paper.

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Conclusion

- 2nd estimate of QF for 2018 campaign
- 2019 campaign down to single electron sensitivity: 0.34 keV_{nr}
- 12 energy points: 0.34 to 27 keV_{nr} in neon gas
- Develop a model for the recoils peak shape
- Worked with Dan to implement the COM-Poisson stat to my model
- Implement model peak shape to extract QF using unbinned likelihood
- Tune different processing parameters: impact on energy spectra
- Tune selection cuts: impact on energy spectra
- Study of systematic uncertainties

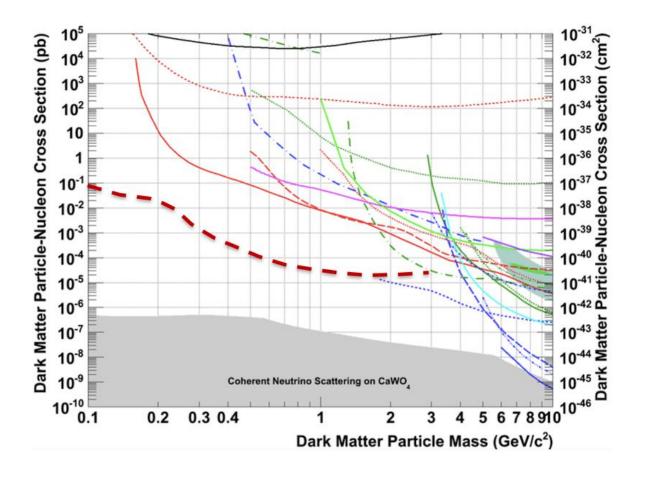
M. Vidal, June 2019

Sensitivity Projection and Limits Calculations [Dan Durnford]

Dan has a "Sensitivity Projections" paper in advanced stage of preparation.

We may be to close to have physics results to justify this publication.

A lot of this paper can be reused in our first physics paper(s)



Other analysis

Space charge effects (Kostas, R. Ward)

Simulations and LSM data

Simulations (A. Brossard, S. Langrock, et al)

- Electric field (comsol), electron transport (magboltz), signal generation
- Backgrounds (Geant4: shielding, ²¹⁰Pb, Cosmogenics, etc)

Radon removal efficiency (A. Rolland, A. Brossard)

New sensors

- Sensors with grid
- ACHINOS multi-channel: understanding the response is important to guide operation parameters

Monitoring tools

Online data quality tools, plots