

Muon background simulation and Geant4

The process of gamma conversion into a pair of muons has recently been added as standard process to the Geant4 program.

The main features of the process and the potential of Geant4 for combined machine/detector background simulations will be described

- **Introduction**

μ -background potentially very high, particularly at very high (CLIC) energies.

Should be part of both in BDS and Detector design

Motivates flexible / standard approach ->

- **Geant4**

- the process $\gamma \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$

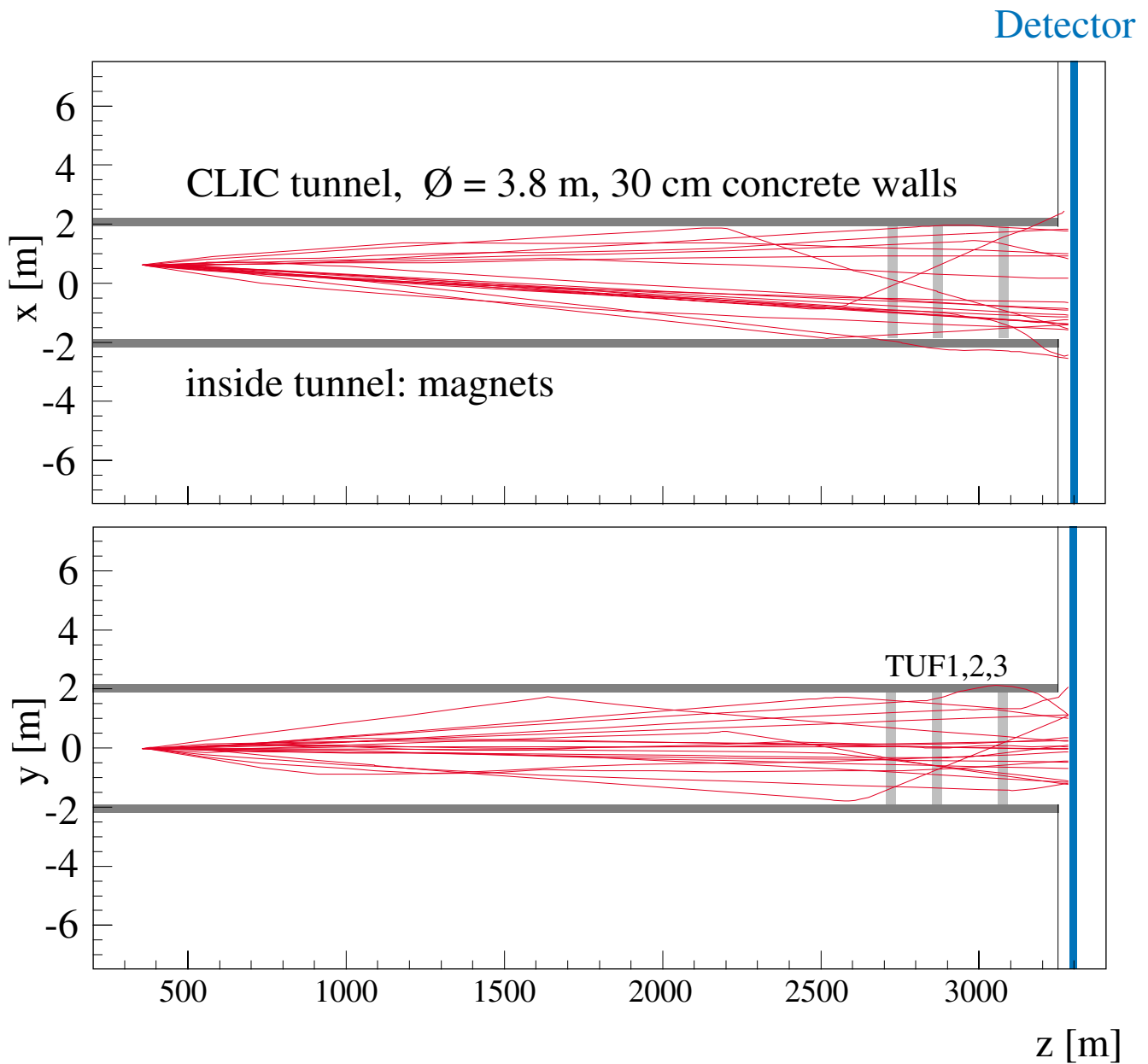
- BDSIM and application to CLIC, prospects ...

references to talks and literature: <http://hbu.home.cern.ch/hbu/Clic.html>

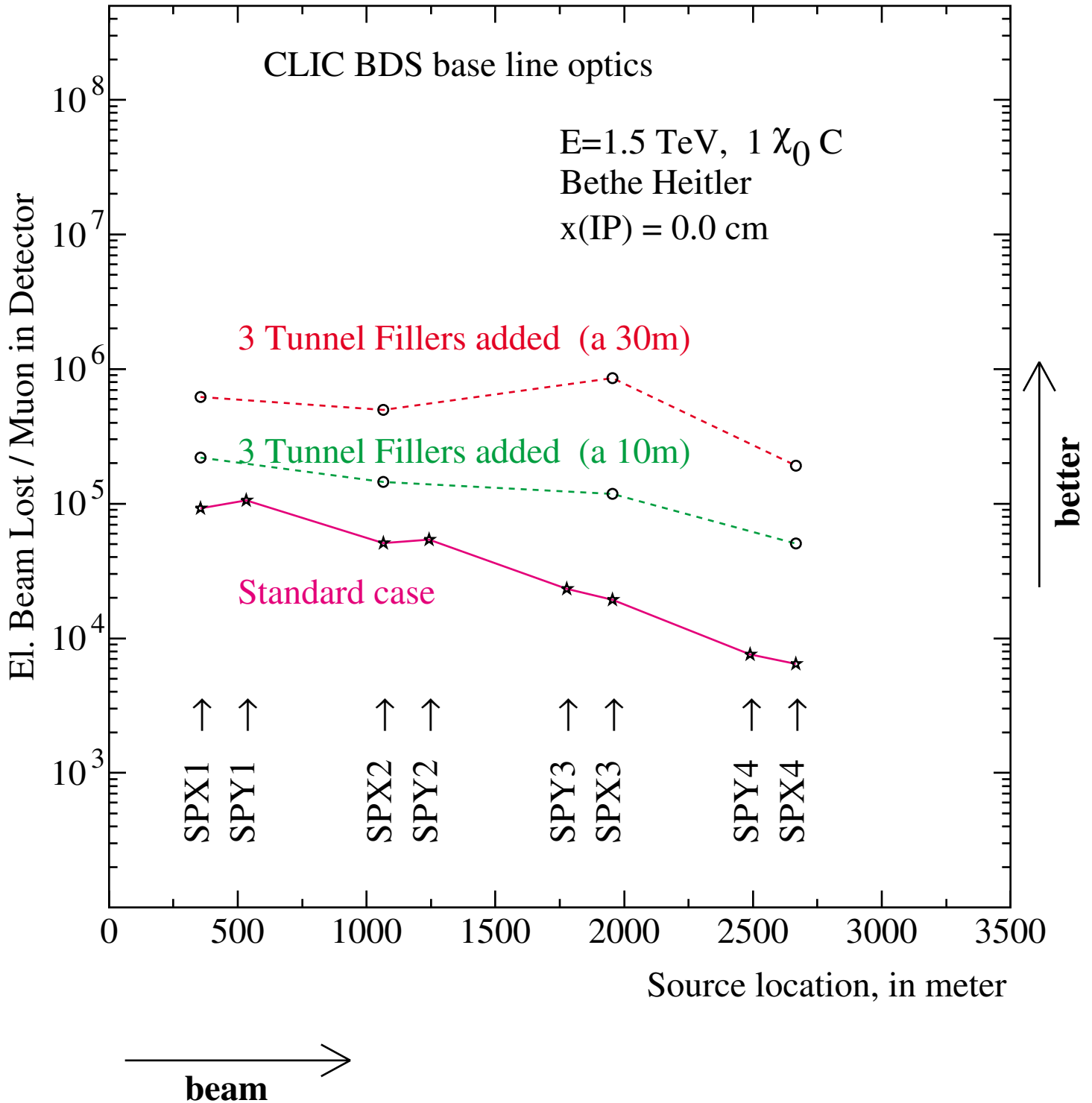
μ Background simulation for CLIC

Started in collaboration with H.J. Schreiber (DESY-Zeuthen)
based on mu-pair generation from G. Feldman, L. Keller
physics based on Tsai (Rev. Mod. Phys. 46 (1974) 815)

μ 's from first spoiler, SPX1 (1X₀ carbon)



Estimated rates, **with/without** muon protection systems



CLIC μ BKG potentially very high, Estimate

Based on current Geant3 (Bethe Heitler only, baseline optics), simulation

muon background increases strongly with energy

(about 10^\bullet from 0.25 TeV to 1.5 TeV, more produced, harder to sweep away, very hard to stop)

expected rate roughly

$$e^\pm/\text{halo} = 9.2 \times 10^4 / (2 \cdot 2) = 2.3 \times 10^4 / \text{bunch} = 1.5 \times 10^2 / \text{train}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \uparrow & \uparrow & \uparrow \\ \text{other mechanisms} & \text{both beams} & 154 \text{ bunches/train} \end{array}$$

with 4×10^9 e / bunch, and assuming a fraction of 10^{-3} tail particles to be collimated, that would result in a flux of

$$4 \times 10^6 / 2.3 \times 10^4 = 170 \mu/\text{bunch} \text{ or } 27\,000 \mu / \text{train}$$

with full magnetized 90 m muon protection system

e^\pm/halo improves from 9.2×10^4 to 6.2×10^5 by factor 7

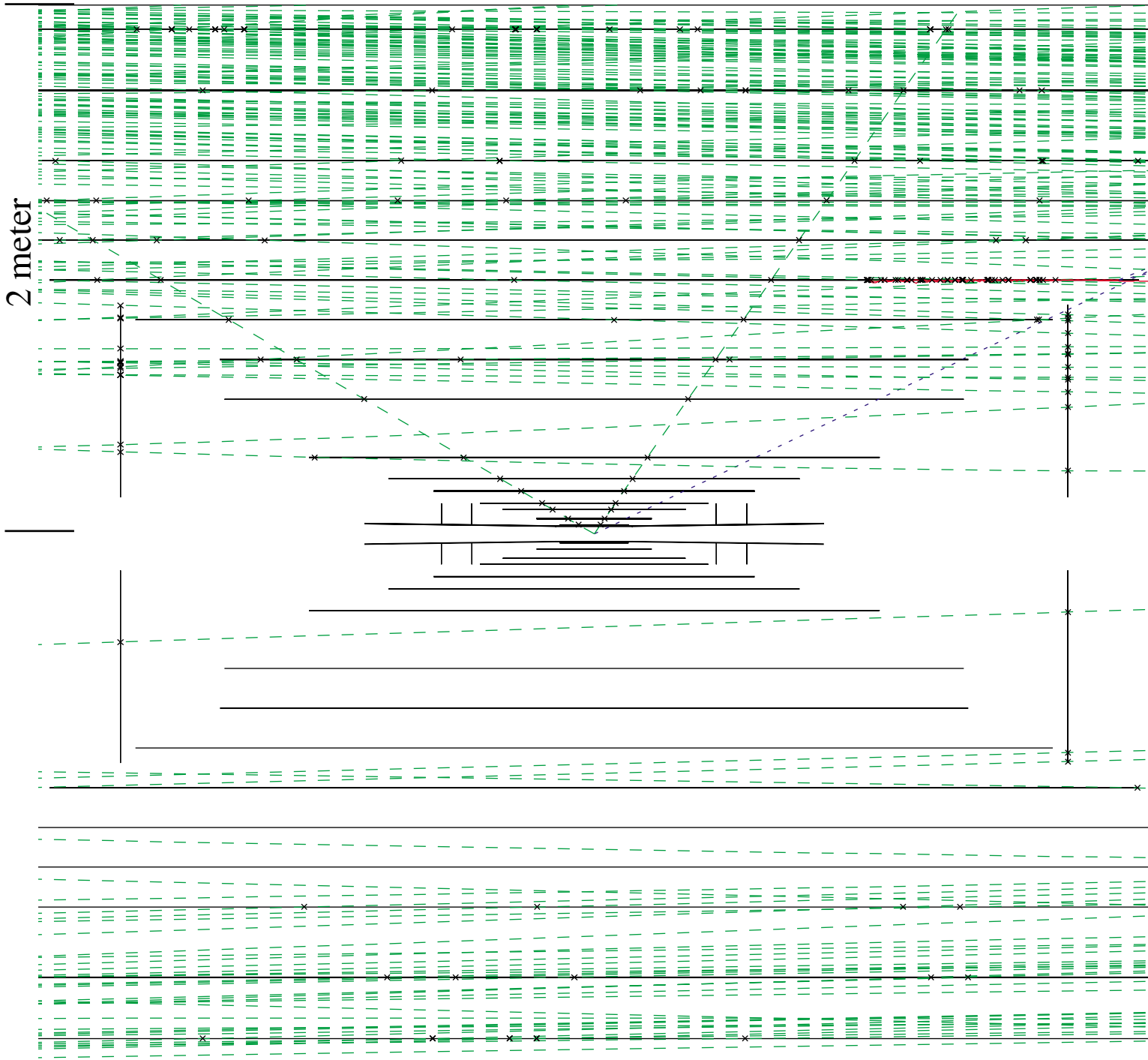
resulting in 26 μ/bunch or 4000 μ / train

Muon background increases very strongly with energy, major concern for CLIC.

Increase of secondary muon-production with energy not yet taken into account.

Full simulation needed \rightarrow Geant4

**Simulation of $e^+e^- \rightarrow \tilde{\mu} \tilde{\mu} \rightarrow \chi_0 \mu \chi_0 \mu$ event
with muon background traversing the detector (M.Battaglia)**



Statistics (1650 μ) of this run such, that μ -background
still to be multiplied with factor 3-15 to simulate full batch

Geant4

OOP (C++) version of Geant, many developers and users, LHC, TESLA.. should be the choice for any major further development

so far: muon production + follow particles by Geant3, geometry from Mad, coded by hand in to Geant3

- more natural, particularly for secondaries to integrate μ production in to Geant
- at the same time, take advantage of G. Blairs BDSIM to get the geometry automatically via Mad.

new standard em.process **G4GammaConversionToMuons**

written by me in close collaboration with Kelner, Kokoulin

and with help of M. Maire; handles $\gamma \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$

(in addition to many existing processes like **G4GammaConversion** $\gamma \rightarrow e^+e^-$ and the already existing μ energy loss codes)

Status:

- Now part of standard Geant4 distribution starting from version 4.1 on, which was released this summer.
test-example `$G4INSTALL/examples/extended/electromagnetic/TestEm6`
and full documentation (draft CLIC Note -> Geant4 Phys. Manual, section Section 3.4

<http://wwwinfo.cern.ch/asd/geant4/G4UsersDocuments/UsersGuides/PhysicsReferenceManual/html/PhysicsReferenceManual.html>

part of the distribution, available on the web

<http://wwwinfo.cern.ch/asd/geant4/geant4.html> (Geant4 home)

GEANT4 — a simulation toolkit

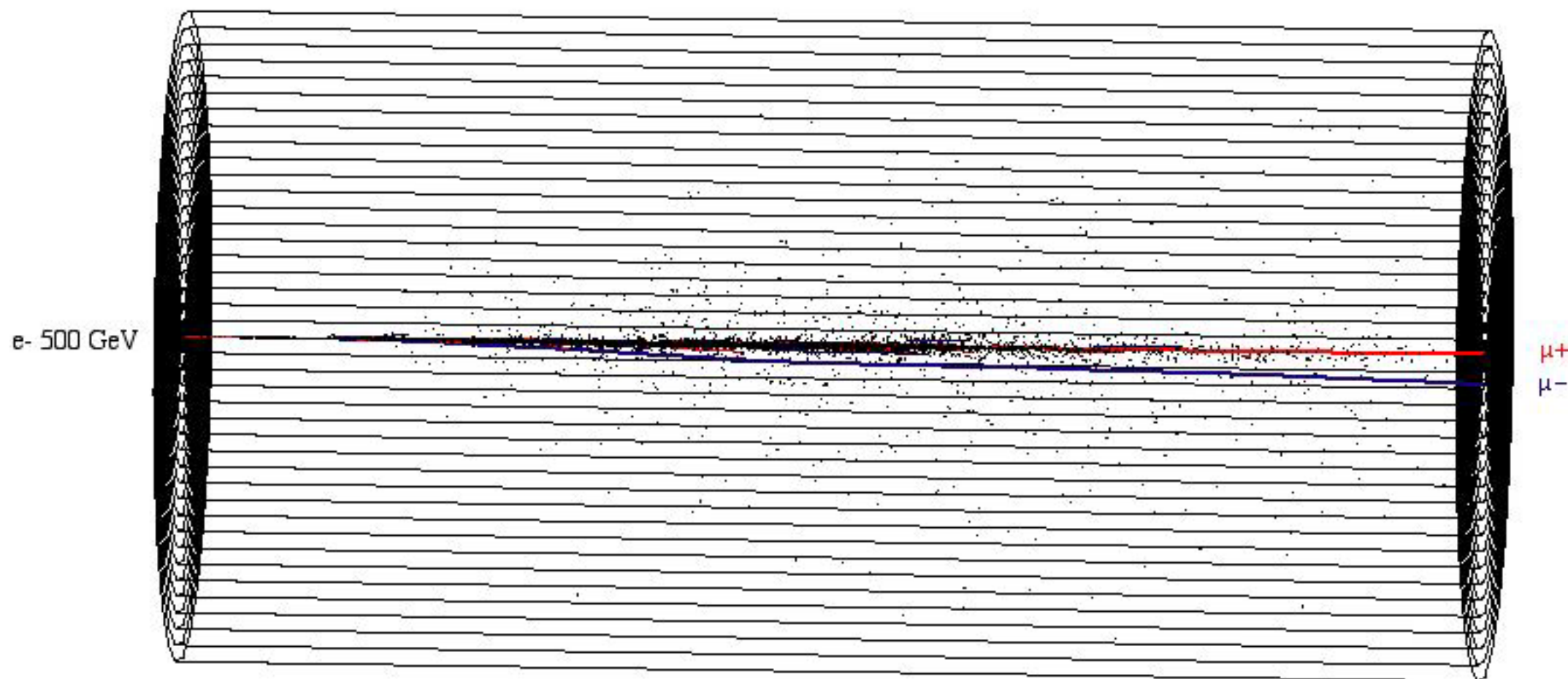
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geant4/examples/extended/electromagnetic/TestEm2

here single e^- , entering cylindric PbW el. magn calorimeter

with a $\gamma \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$ producing conversion. $E_\gamma = 19.46$ GeV, $E_{\mu^+}/E_\gamma = 0.039$



Geometry: $20 X_0$ or 18 cm long, 20 rings of $0.25 X_0$ radius = $5 X_0$ or 4.5 cm

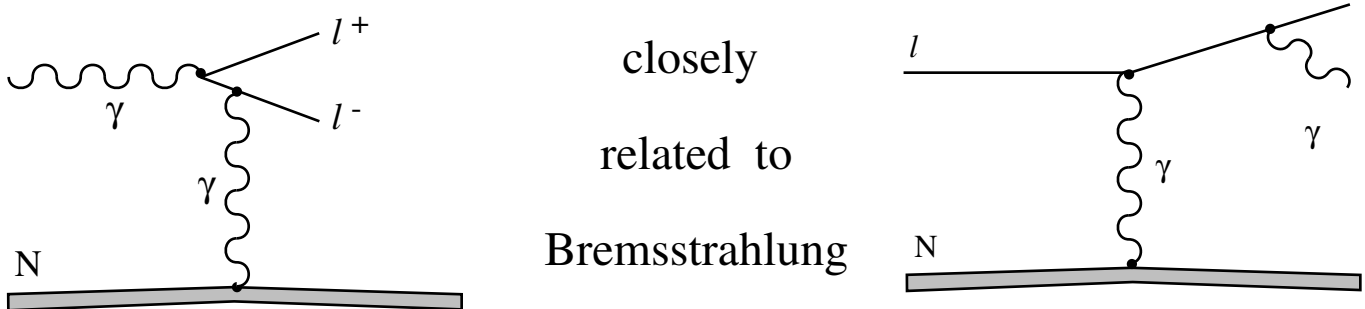
Production mechanisms of Muons

The main process, the Bethe Heitler production $\gamma \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$

is a standard el. magn. shower process like $\gamma \rightarrow e^+e^-$
 mainly just m_μ instead of m_e

$$\sigma \sim \left[\frac{m_\mu}{m_e} \right]^2 = 207^2 = 4.3 \times 10^4$$

(differences in recoil, screening)



Physics based on work (μ energy loss, Bremsstrahlung) of

A. Petrukhin et al, Moscow Engin. Physi. Institute., Proc. 10th Intern. Cosmic Ray Conf., Calgary, 1967

(rather than Tsai, Review of Modern Physics 46 (1974) 815)

adapted to MuonPair production and Monte Carlo

by Kelner, Kokoulin

Planned to complete with other μ -production processes

- direct annihilation of beam e^+ with e^- in matter $e^+e^- \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$
- hadronic, $eN \rightarrow \pi^\pm + \dots$

$$\hookrightarrow \mu\nu\nu$$

Cross section and energy sharing

The photon energy is fully shared by the two muons according to

$$E_\gamma = E_\mu^+ + E_\mu^-$$

With

$$\sigma_0 = 4 \alpha Z^2 r_c^2 \log(W_\infty) \quad \sigma_\infty = \frac{7}{9} \sigma_0$$

Total cross section as result of numerical integration, parametrized

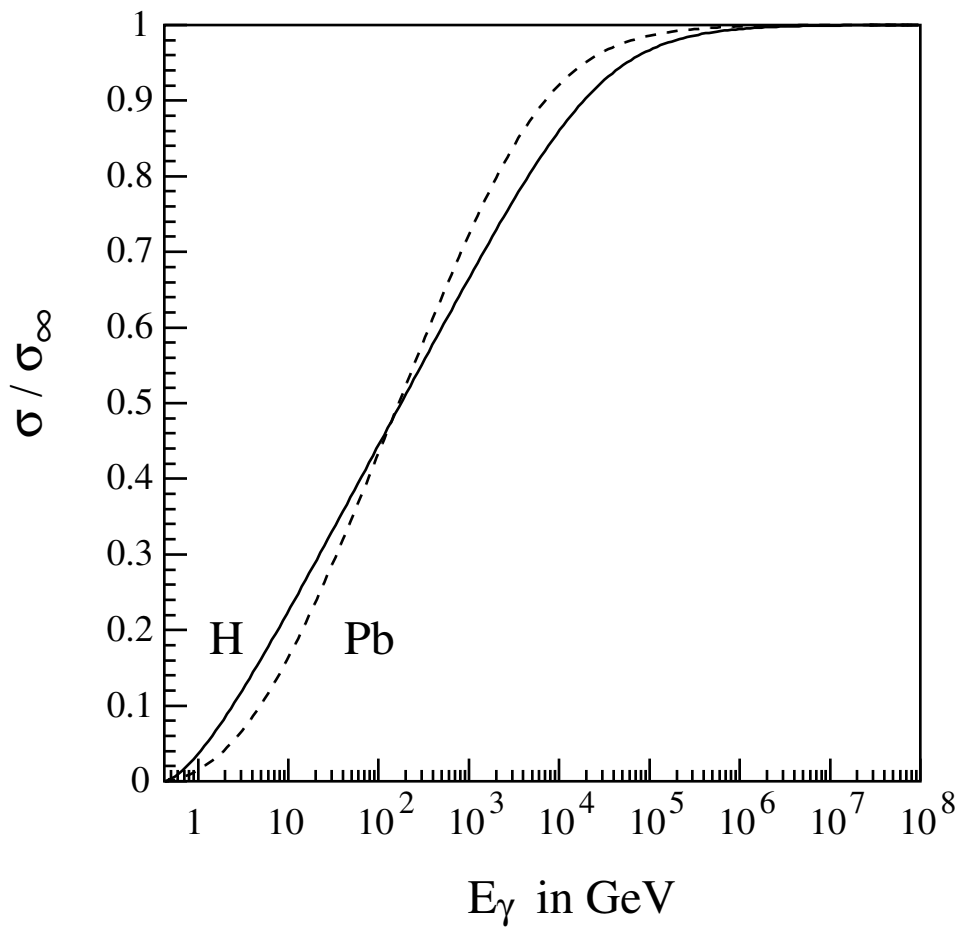


Table 2: Numerical values for the total cross section

E_γ GeV	$\sigma_{\text{tot, H}}$ μbarn	$\sigma_{\text{tot, Be}}$ μbarn	$\sigma_{\text{tot, Cu}}$ μbarn	$\sigma_{\text{tot, Pb}}$ μbarn
1	0.01559	0.1515	5.047	30.22
10	0.09720	1.209	49.56	334.6
100	0.1921	2.660	121.7	886.4
1000	0.2873	4.155	197.6	1476
10000	0.3715	5.392	253.7	1880
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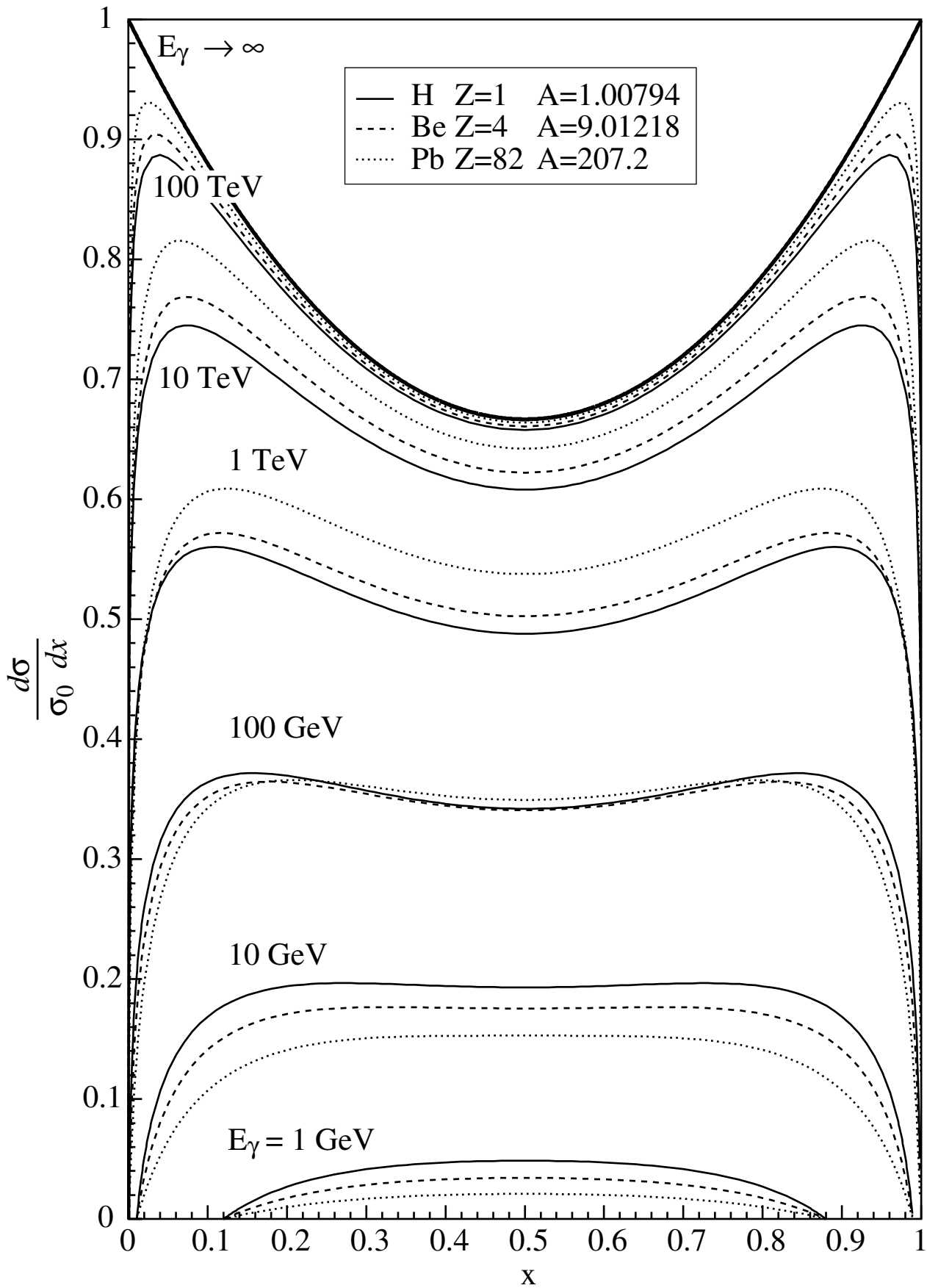
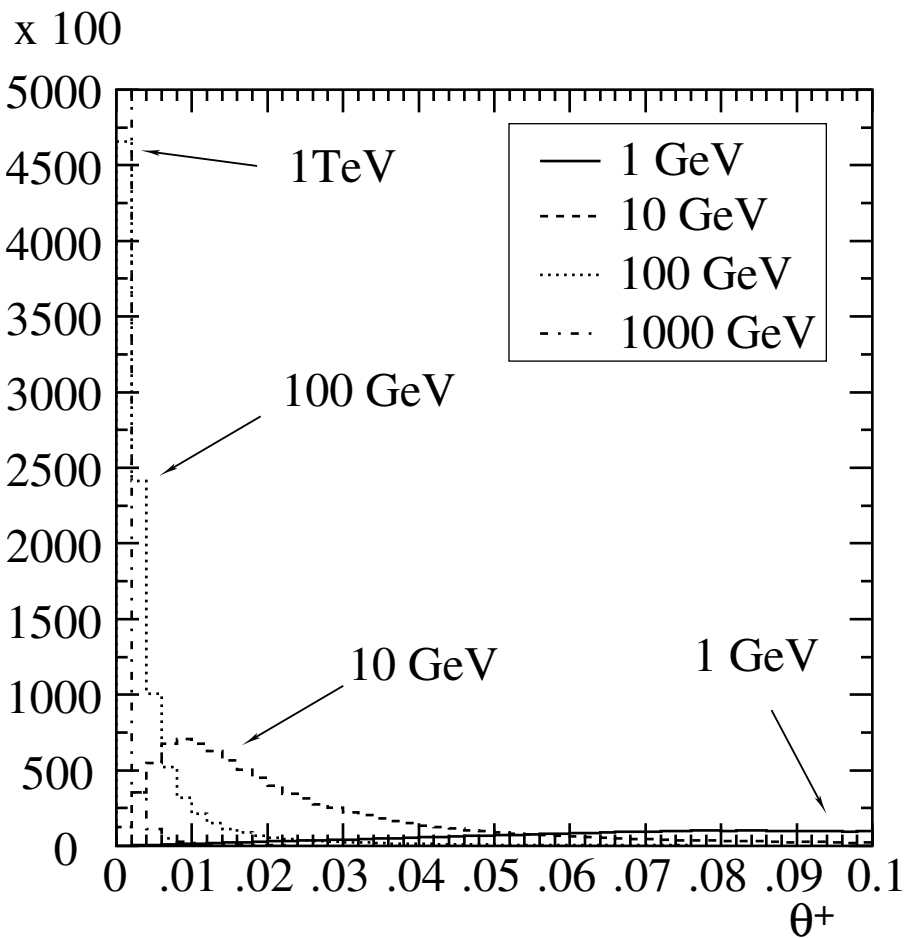
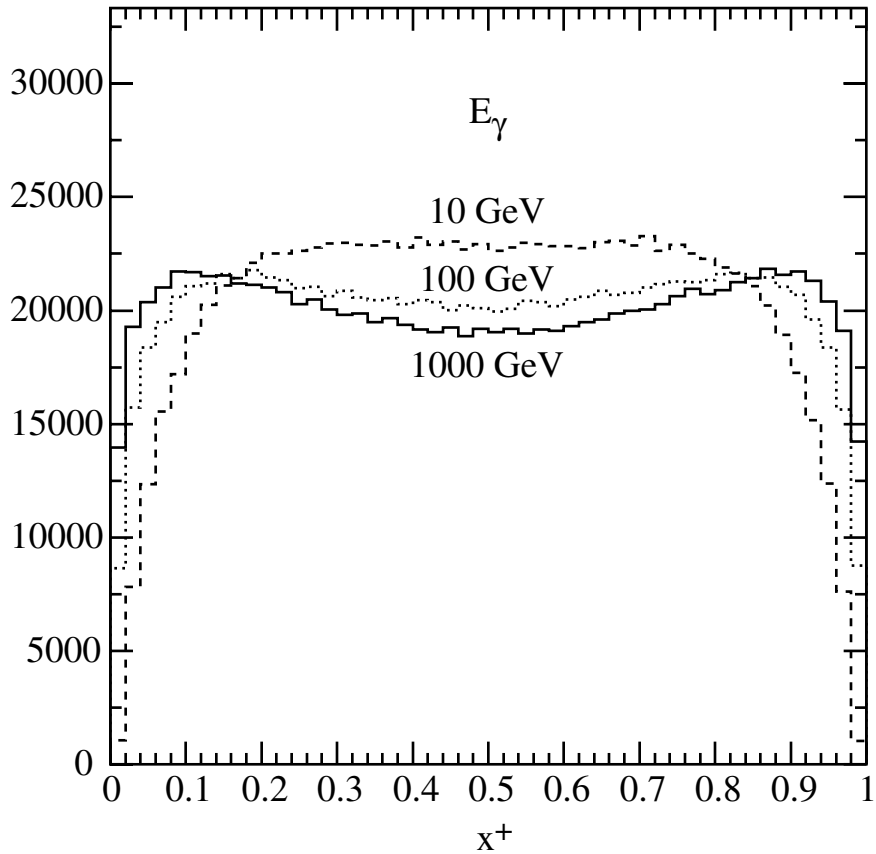
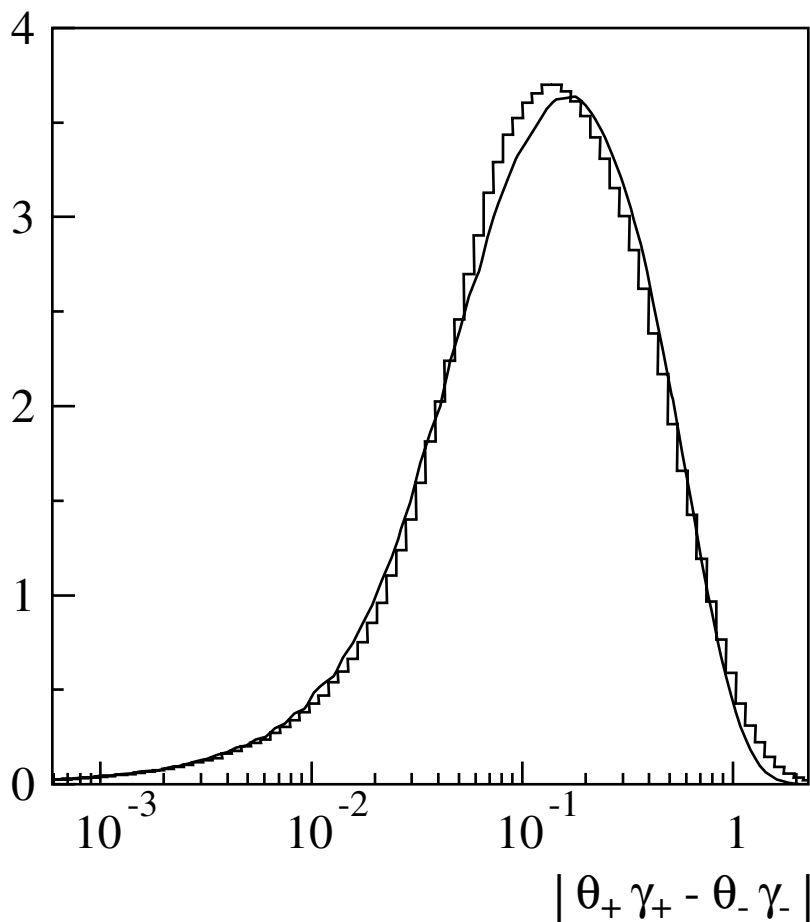
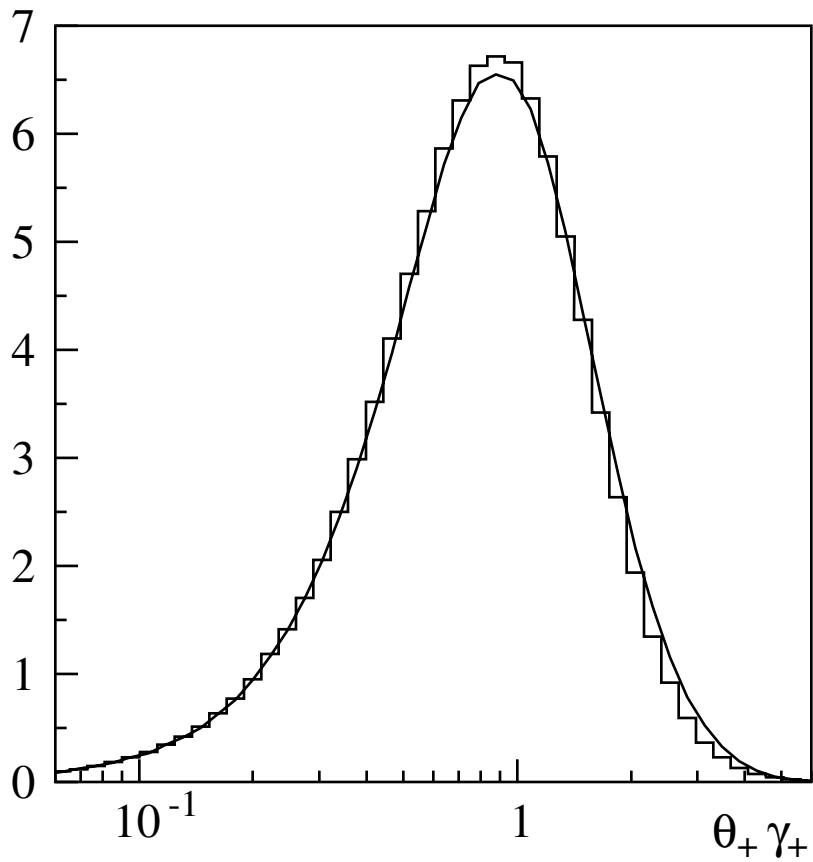


Figure 2: Normalized differential cross section for pair production as function of x , the energy fraction of the photon energy carried by one of the leptons in the pair. The function is shown for 3 different elements, Hydrogen, Beryllium and Lead and for a wide range of photon energies.

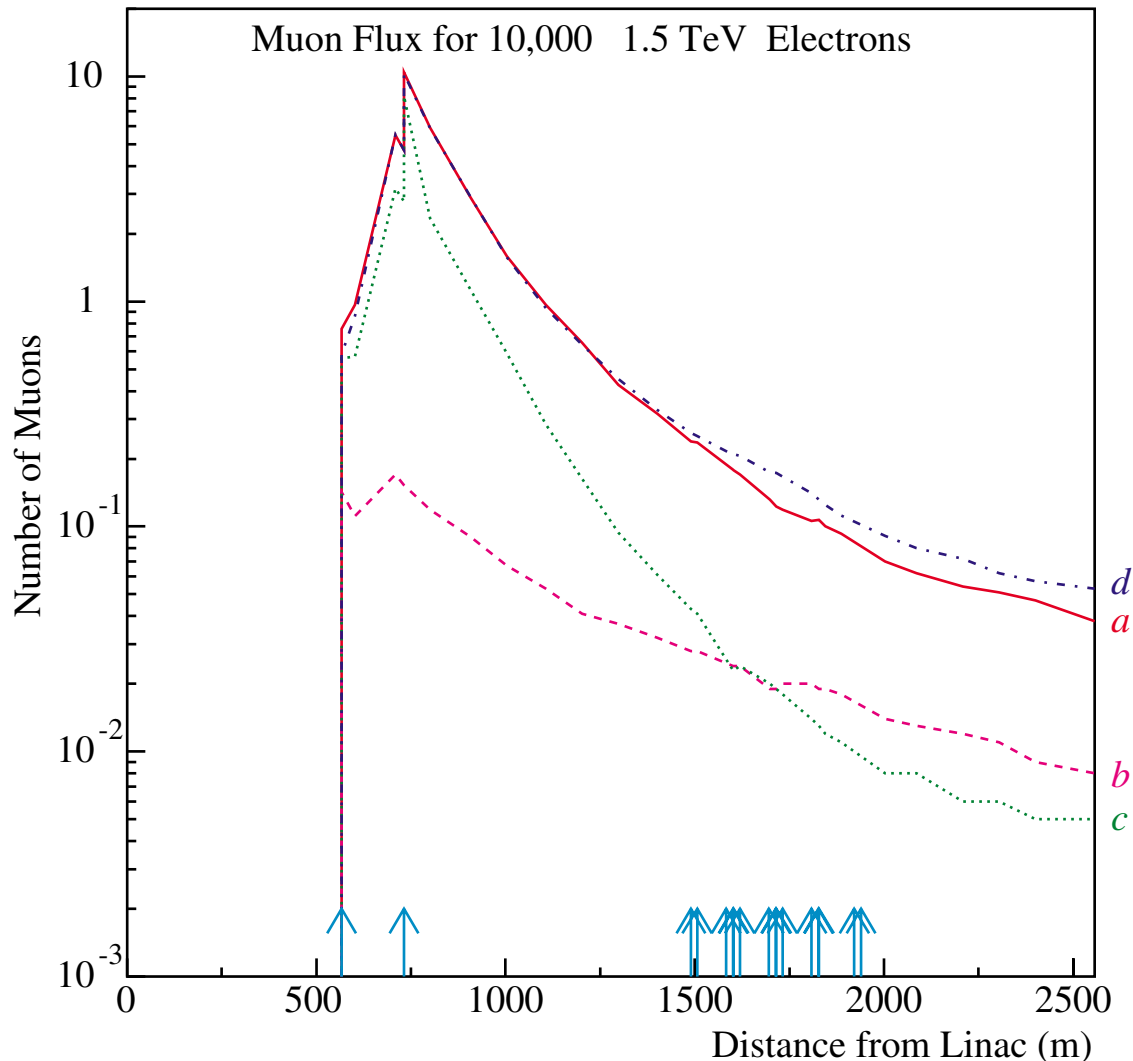
Distributions, generated with G4GammaConversionToMuons



Scattering angles and angular correlation μ_+, μ_- are rather precisely simulated (solid line exact, histo - generated)
Example here for $E_\gamma = 10$ GeV, Fe, $x_+ = 0.3$



First look at CLIC beam delivery using Geant4, with G. Blair's BDSIM (Mad -> Geant4) and $\gamma \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$ as standard process



The figure shows first, preliminary Geant4 results, for the muon production from a 1.5 TeV electron beam, which impinges completely on the energy spoiler, is shown for a variety of cases.

The positions of the spoilers and collimators are shown by arrows.

Case *a* corresponds to magnet elements consisting of unmagnetised (and case *d* magnetised) cylinders of iron of diameter 20 cm with fully simulated showers, case *b* for the case with only the first photon of a shower contributing. Case *c* is the same as case *a* except that magnet elements have diameter 50 cm.

see also "Background simulation for the CLIC Beam Delivery System with Geant" by G.A. Blair, H. Burkhardt, H.J. Schreiber, CERN-SL-2002-029 (June 2002) contribution to EPAC 2002

Planned: comparison with Geant3, optimization of geometry for backgr.