

Spatial resolution study

Summary

5 FEB 2020

The **basic geometry** is composed of

- 50 layers (1m x 1m) of voxel detectors - 1 cm separation
- ideal calorimeter (very fine voxelization)
- passive material on top of each tkr layer - 0.1 cm separation

Tested parameters:

- Voxel size:

- * 10 mm
- * 5 mm
- * 3 mm
- * 1 mm
- * 0.5 mm
- * 0.3 mm
- * 0.1 mm
- * 0.05 mm
- * 0.03 mm
- * 0.01 mm

- Si thickness:

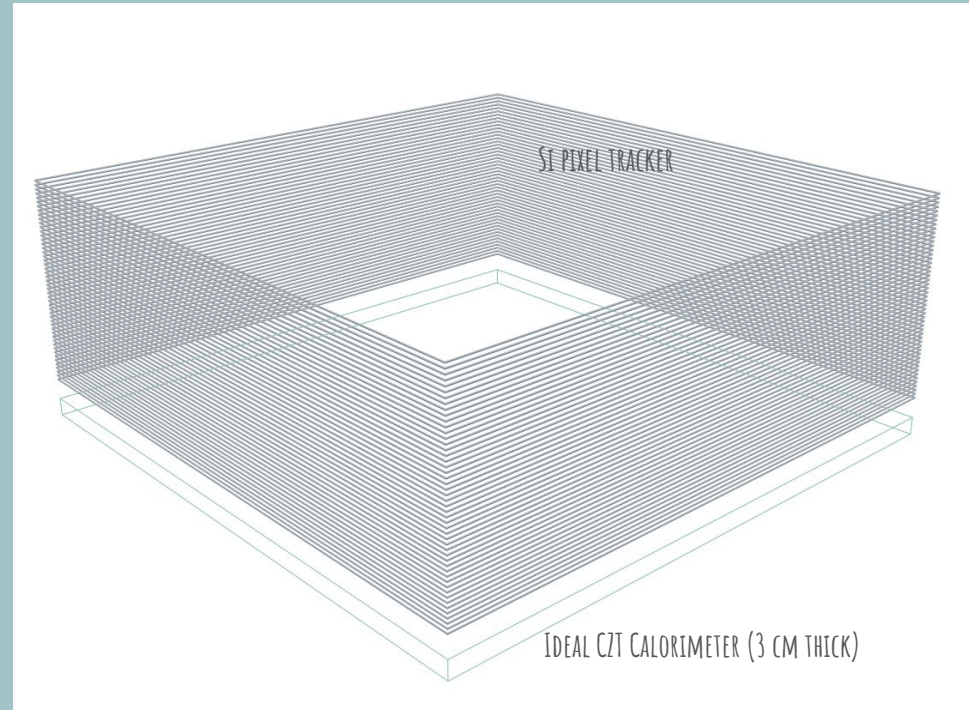
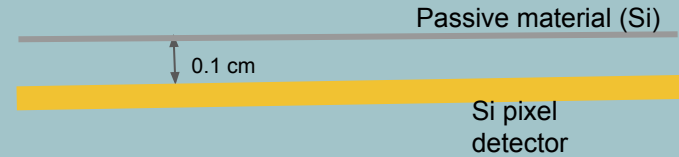
- * 500 μm

- passive material:

- * 0%
- * 1%
- * 2%
- * 5%
- * 10%

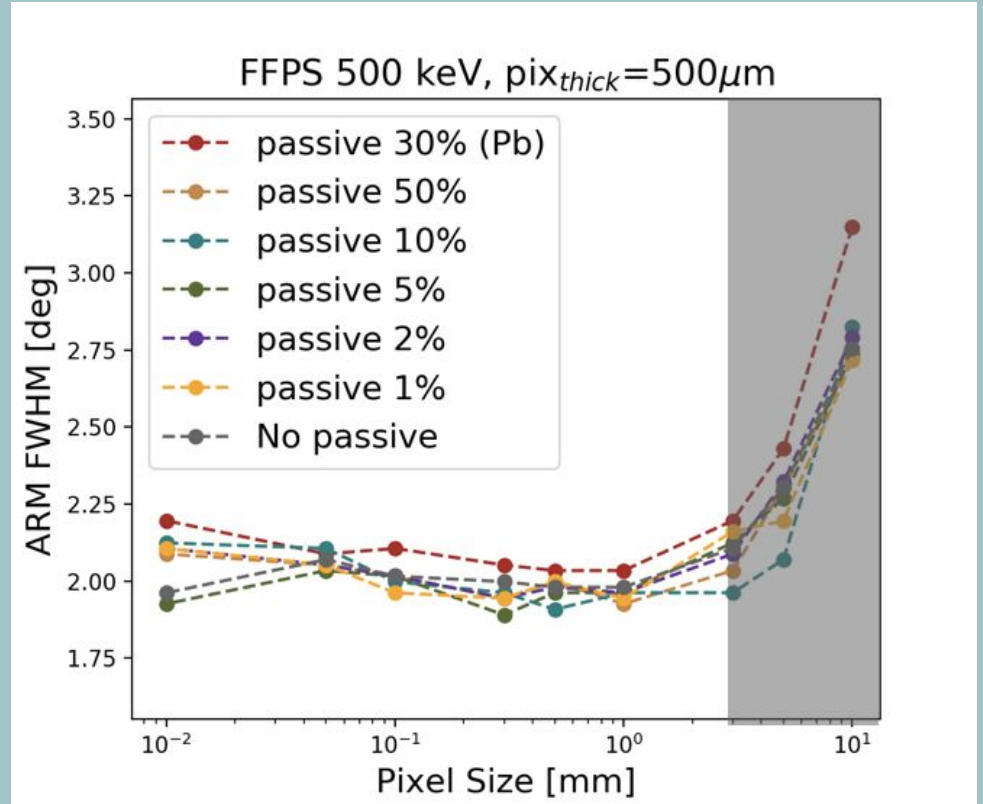
We want to test the different configurations for different energies:

- * 100 keV
- * 200 keV
- * 300 keV
- * 1000 keV

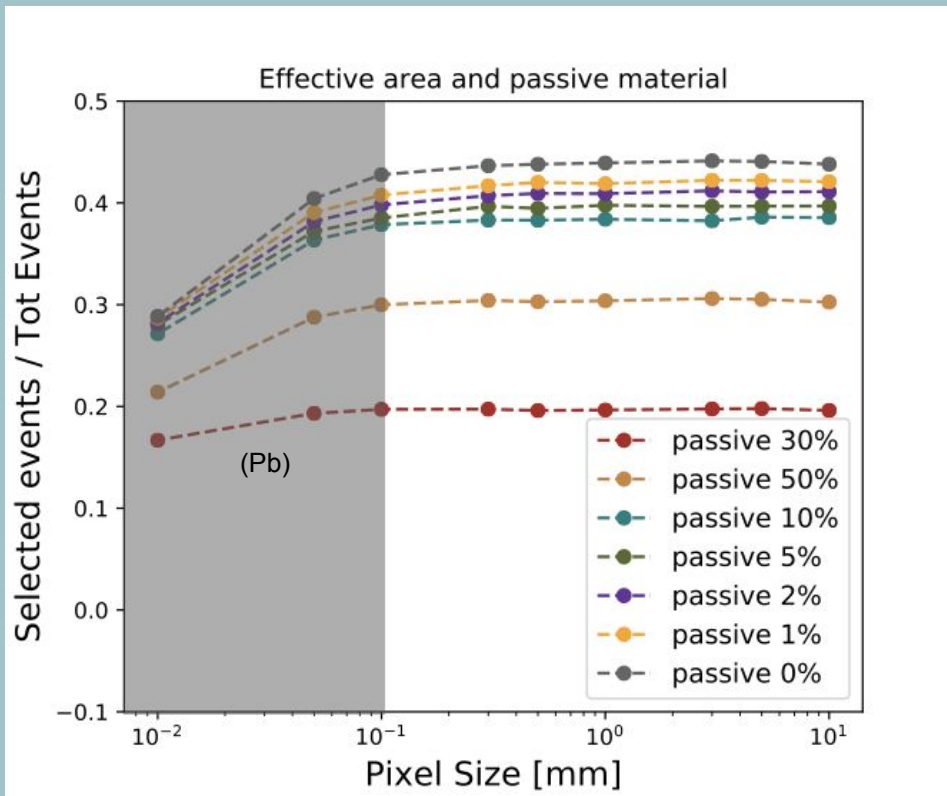


Passive materia and pixels size

Loss in the spatial resolution when pixels are too large (Apix > 3 mm²)

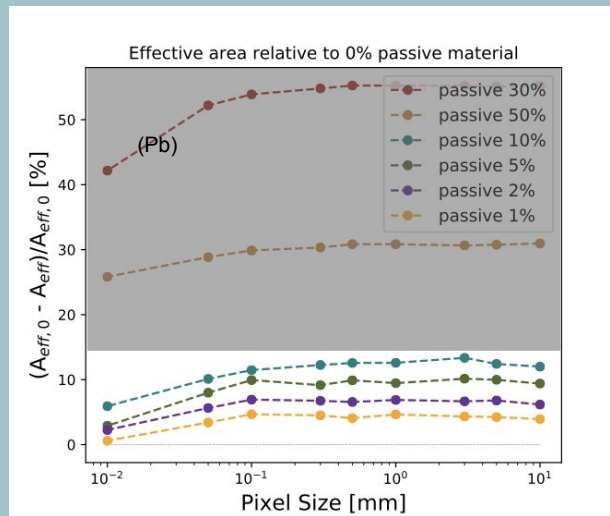


Effective Area and passive material



Loss in the effective area for small pixels:

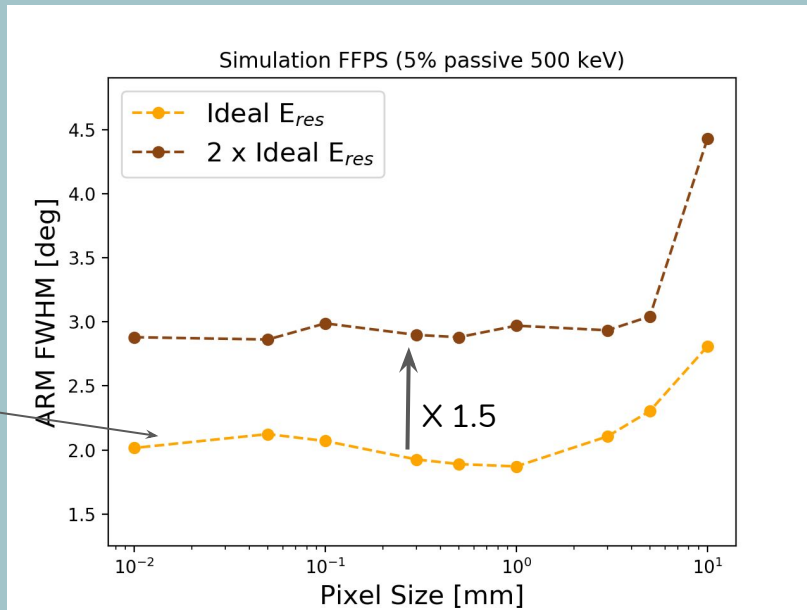
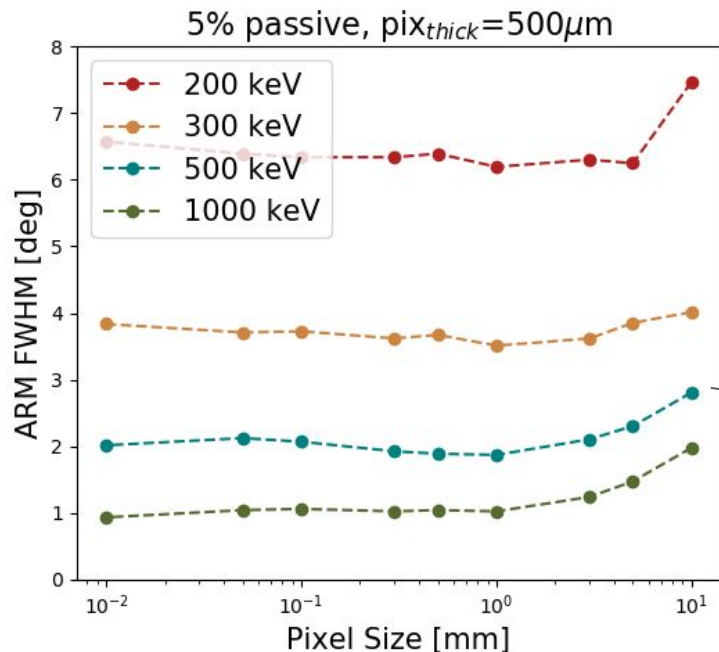
- Too small energy loss to trigger a signal in a pixel



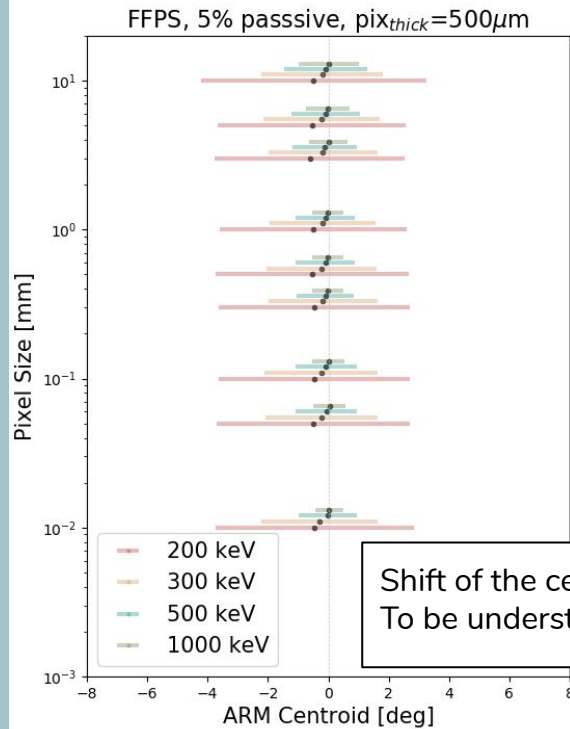
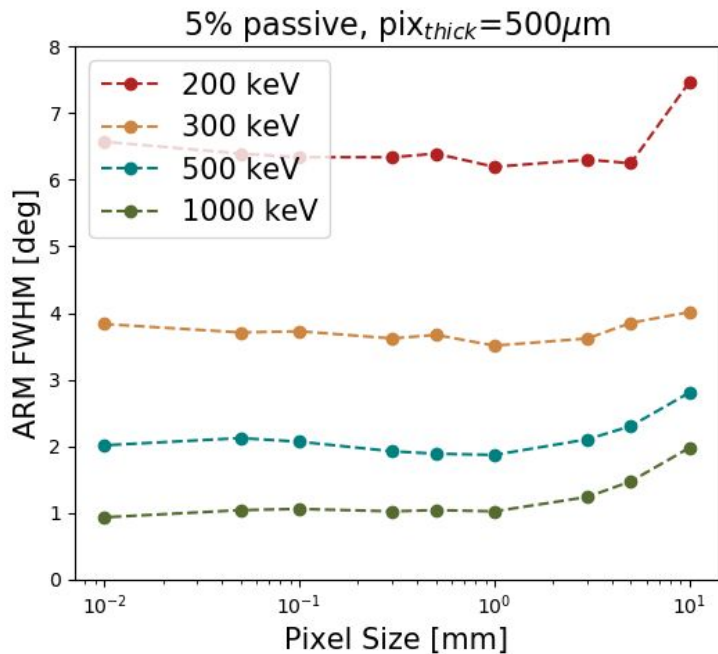
ARMs as a function of energy @ 5% passive

DSiPix.EnergyResolution Gauss 662 662 4.25 // (->8.5)

DSiPix.EnergyResolution Gauss 122 122 2.2 // (->4.4)



ARMs as a function of energy @ 5% passive



Shift of the centroid for low energies.
To be understood at some point...

Some numbers

$$100 \text{ } \mu\text{m}^2 < \text{Pix}_{\text{size}} < 3 \text{ mm}^2$$

Passive material (Si) < 10%

Minimum simulated energy
of AMEGO-like instrument
> 200 keV

To do

- Dynamic range of each pixel
- Passive material study at 200 keV
- Try different thicknesses (ATT: the passive is defined with respect to that parameter, ok?)
 - a. 300 μm , 700 μm (500 done)
- Good pixel yield: add a percentage of dead pixels in the simulations (select one case for the other parameters)
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I can work on this after Feb 19, but if you need something urgently let me know.

Spatial resolution study

SIMULATIONS TO DETERMINE THE PIXEL SIZE

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Working space: github repository

<https://github.com/reginacaputo/AstroPix>

Branch: master

Folder: ResolutionStudy

The screenshot shows the GitHub repository page for `reginacaputo / AstroPix`. The repository has 2 Unwatch, 0 Stars, and 0 Forks. The main navigation bar includes links for Code, Issues (0), Pull requests (0), Actions, Projects (0), Wiki, Security, and Insights. The current branch is `master`, and the selected folder is `ResolutionStudy`. The commit history shows a recent commit by `nmik` with the message "added infos". The file list includes:

File	Commit Message	Time Ago
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geometry/geo_base	minor	13 hours ago
source	source base file	13 hours ago
README.txt	added infos	11 hours ago
config.py	added config files	16 hours ago
mkARM.py	minor	12 hours ago
mkARMAnalysis.py	added analysis routine (work in progress)	12 hours ago
mkGeometries.py	minor	yesterday
mkRecon.py	minor	12 hours ago
mkSimulations.py	minor	11 hours ago

README.txt

This study aims to define the ideal pixel size for the AstroPix project.

The basic geometry is composed of

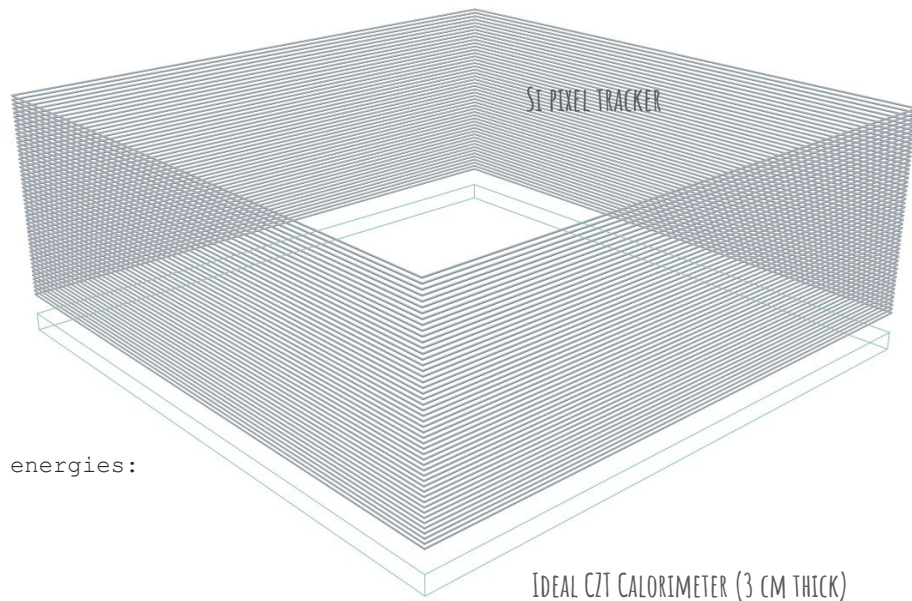
- 50 layers (1mx1m) of voxel detectors - 0.1 cm separation
- ideal calorimeter
- (passive material on top of each tkr layer)

We want to build a routine to build and test different geometries changing some parameters:

- Voxel size:
 - * 10 mm
 - * 5 mm
 - * 3 mm
 - * 1 mm
 - * 0.5 mm
 - * ... (enough to see the plateau)
- Si thickness:
 - * 300 um
 - * 500 um
 - * 700 um
- passive material:
 - * 1%
 - * 2%
 - * 5%
 - * 10%

We want to test the different configurations for different energies:

- * 100 keV
- * 662 keV
- * 1000 keV



README.txt

Description of the files:

- * config.py -> where we declare the parameters we want to study
- * mkGeometries.py -> builds all the geometry configurations starting from base files located in the geometry/geo_base/ folder.
- * mkSimulations.py -> Creates .source files from a base file located in the source/ folder and produce a sh file with the list of the commands to run the simulations (for now the simulations have to be run manually).
- * mkRecon.py -> Runs the reconstruction of the events with revan (according to the configuration file declared in the config file).
- * mkARM.py -> Takes the revan output and produces .root files with the ARM histograms.
- * mkARManalysis.py -> Runs analysis routine.

How to run the routines:

```
>>> python mkGeometries.py -c config.py
>>> python mkSimulations.py -c config.py -sim True
>>> python mkRecon.py -c config.py
>>> python mkARM.py -c config.py --show True
>>> python mkARManalysis.py -c config.py
```

Config.py

```
PASSIVE = [0.01, 0.02, 0.05, 0.1]
```

```
THICKNESS = [300, 500, 700] #um
```

```
VOXELSIZE = [10, 5, 3, 1, 0.5, 0.3, 0.1, 0.05, 0.01] #mm
```

```
ENERGY = [100, 662, 1000] #keV
```

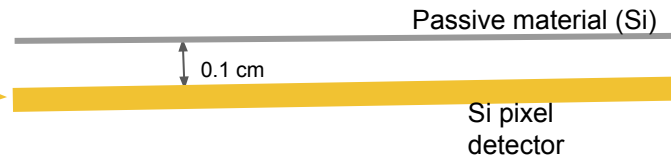
```
GEO_BASE = 'geometry/geo_base/AstroPix_base.geo.setup'
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DET_BASE = 'geometry/geo_base/AstroPix_base_prop.det'
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SRC_BASE = 'source/FarFieldPointSource_base.source'
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REVAN_CFG = 'source/FFPS.revan.cfg'
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MIMREC_CFG = 'source/FFPS.mimrec.cfg'
```



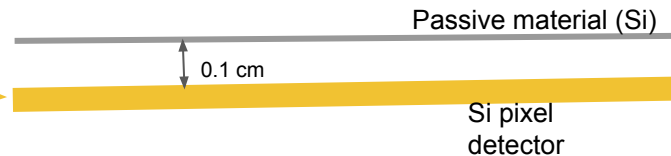
Defines the pixel size
(assumed squares)

Config.py

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PASSIVE = [0.01, 0.02, 0.05, 0.1]
THICKNESS = [300, 500, 700] #um
VOXELSIZE = [10, 5, 3, 1, 0.5, 0.3, 0.1, 0.05, 0.01] #mm
ENERGY = [100, 500, 1000] #keV
```

```
GEO_BASE = 'geometry/geo_base/AstroPix_base.geo.setup'
DET_BASE = 'geometry/geo_base/AstroPix_base_prop.det'
SRC_BASE = 'source/FarFieldPointSource_base.source'
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REVAN_CFG = 'source/FFPS.revan.cfg'
MIMREC_CFG = 'source/FFPS.mimrec.cfg'
```



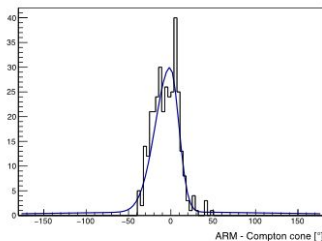
Defines the pixel size
(assumed squares)

Angular Resolution Measure (ARM)

WE WANT TO ESTIMATE THE ARM AS A FUNCTION OF THE PIXEL SIZE (FOR THE DIFFERENT GEOMETRY CONFIGURATIONS VARYING THE PIXEL THICKNESS, % OF PASSIVE MATERIAL, AND FOR ENERGIES TESTABLE IN LAB)

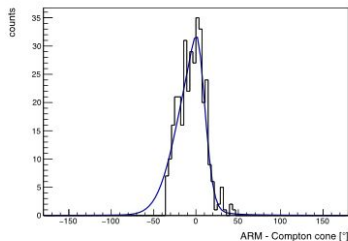
10mm

ARM (Compton cone)



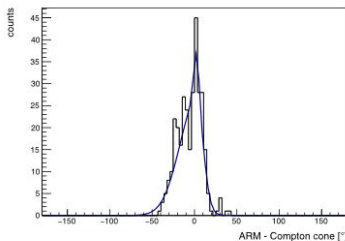
5mm

ARM (Compton cone)



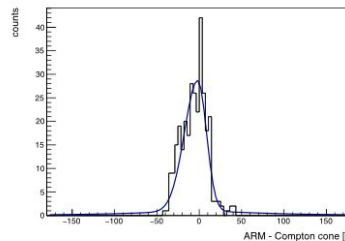
3mm

ARM (Compton cone)



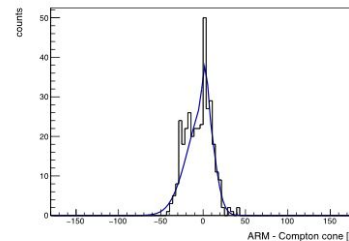
1mm

ARM (Compton cone)

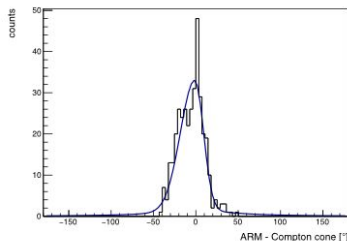


0.5mm

ARM (Compton cone)

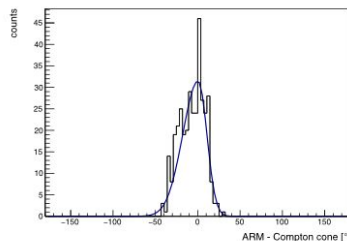


ARM (Compton cone)



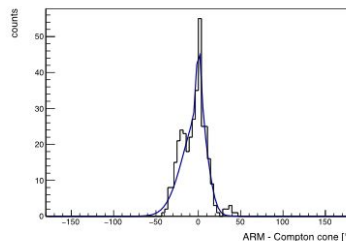
0.3mm

ARM (Compton cone)



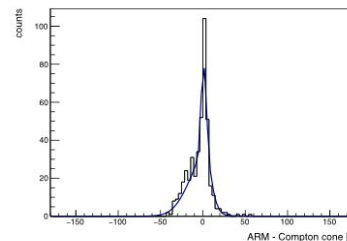
0.1mm

ARM (Compton cone)



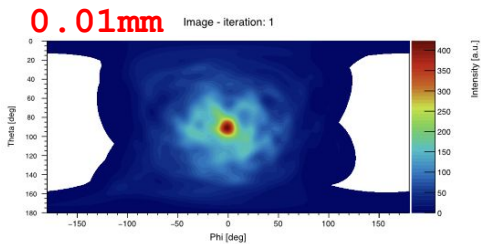
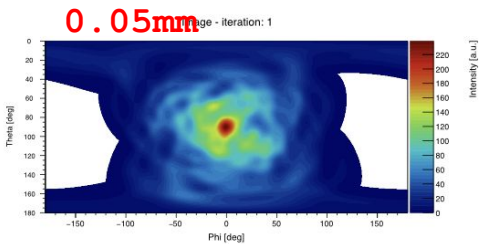
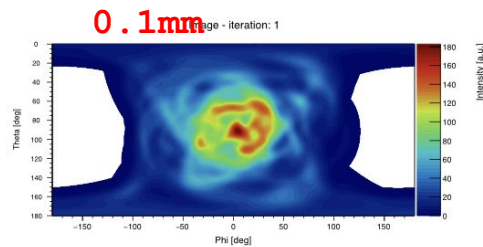
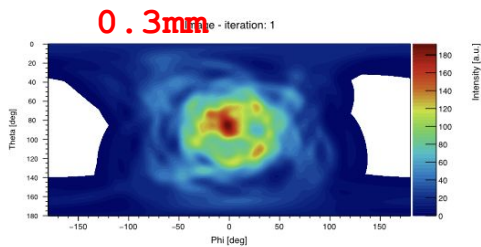
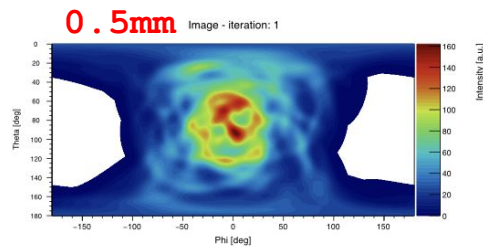
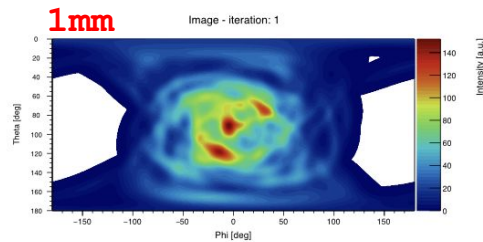
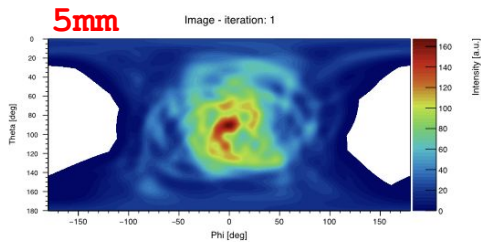
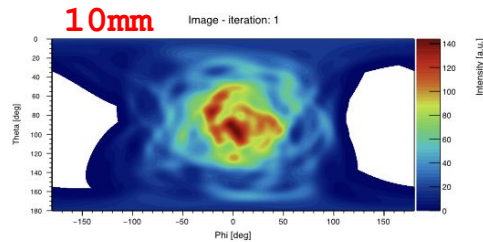
0.05mm

ARM (Compton cone)



0.01mm

Image reconstruction (source = FarFieldPointSource)

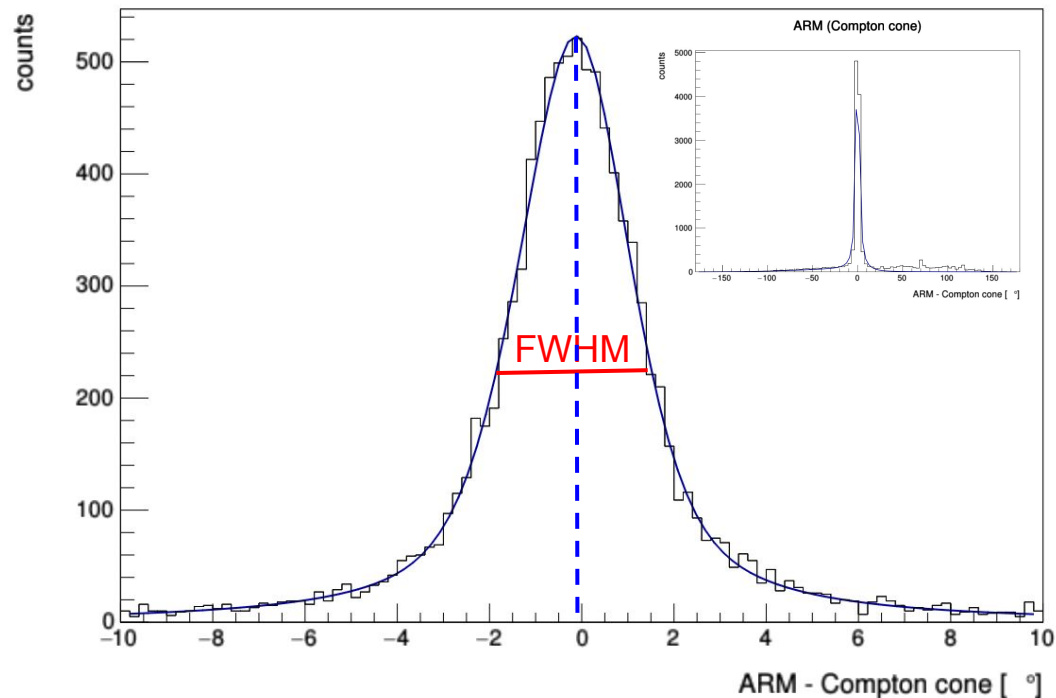


After reviewing the *mimrec* config file

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ARMs analysis

ARM (Compton cone)



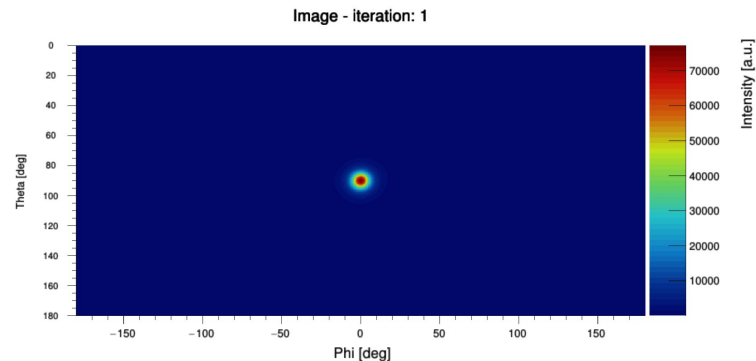
Acceptance radius = 10 deg

Statistics of ARM histogram and fit

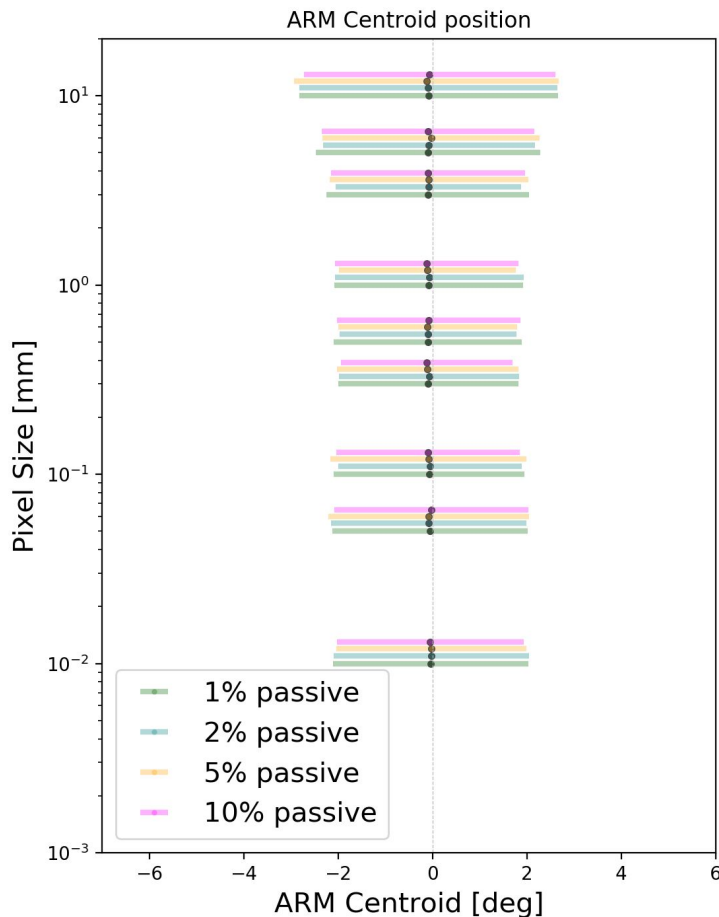
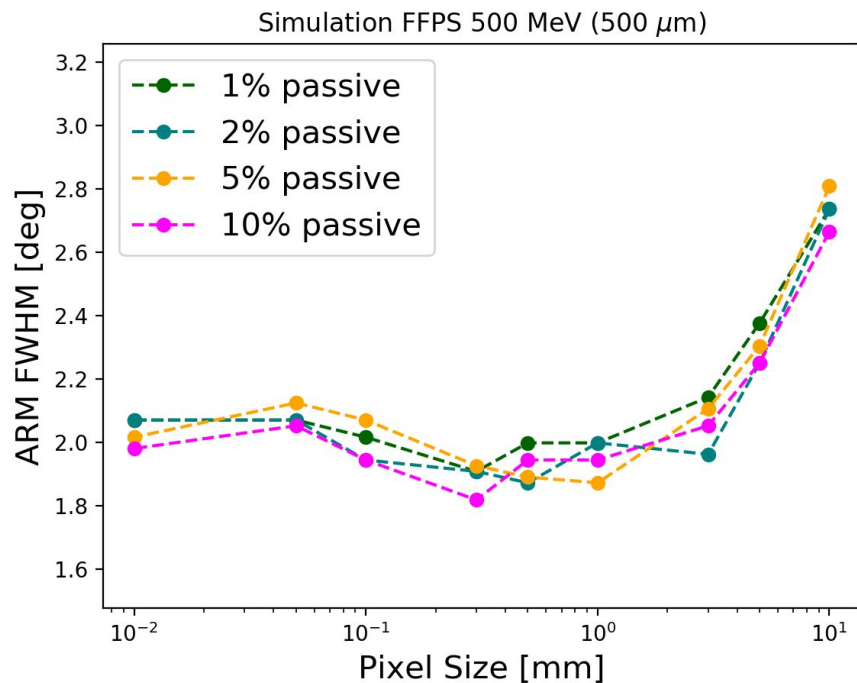
Analyzed Compton and pair events: 15713
Compton and pair events in histogram: 10115 (64.3734%)

RMS: 2.53623 deg

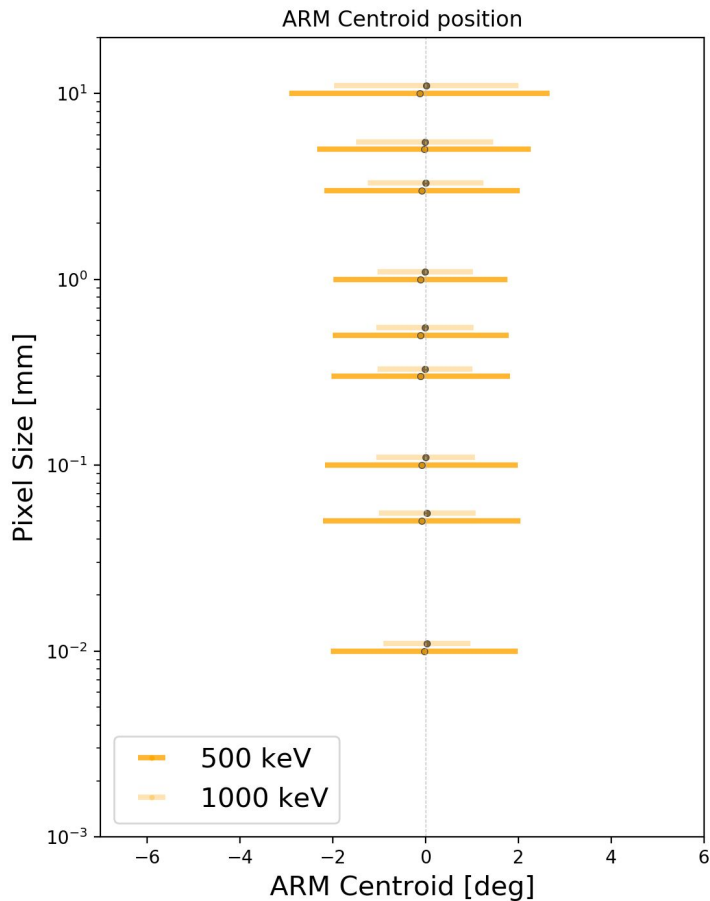
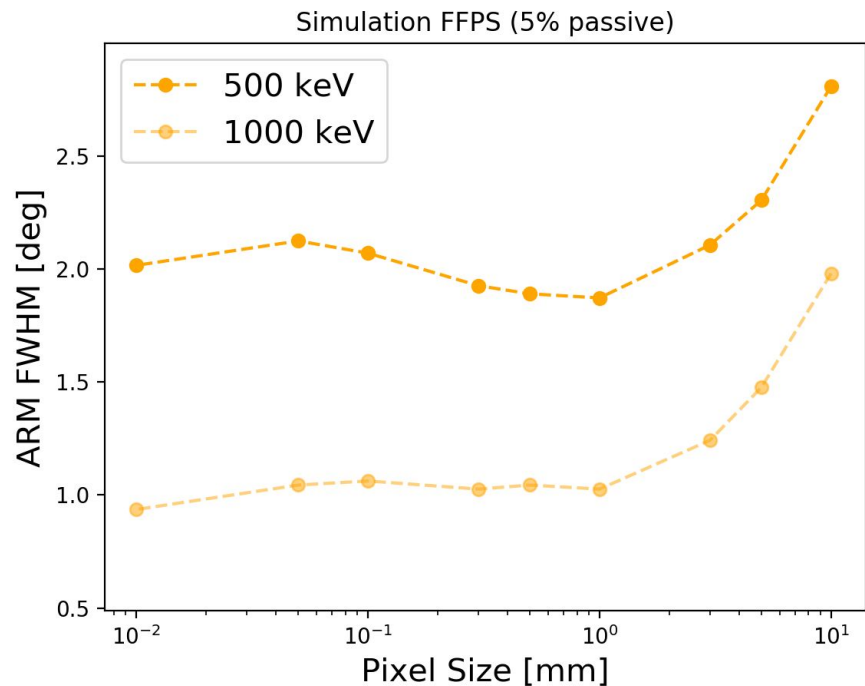
Total FWHM of fit (not of data!): **2.96992 deg**
Maximum of fit (x position): **-0.124236 deg**
(1-sigma uncertainty: -0.170549 deg ... -0.0763816 deg)
with maximum 523.247 cts



ARM as a function of passive % @ $E_n=500\text{keV}$



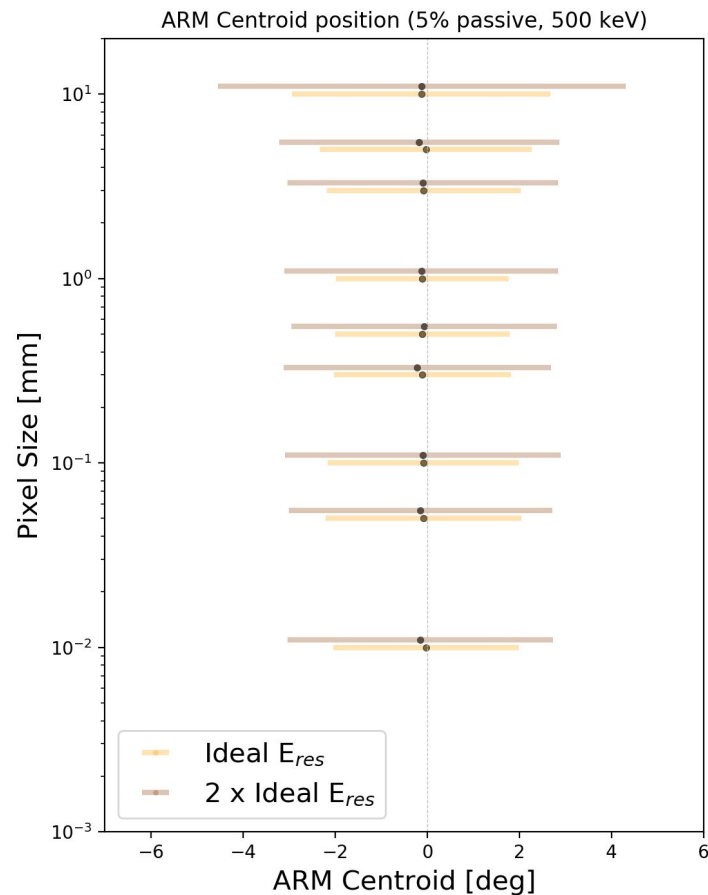
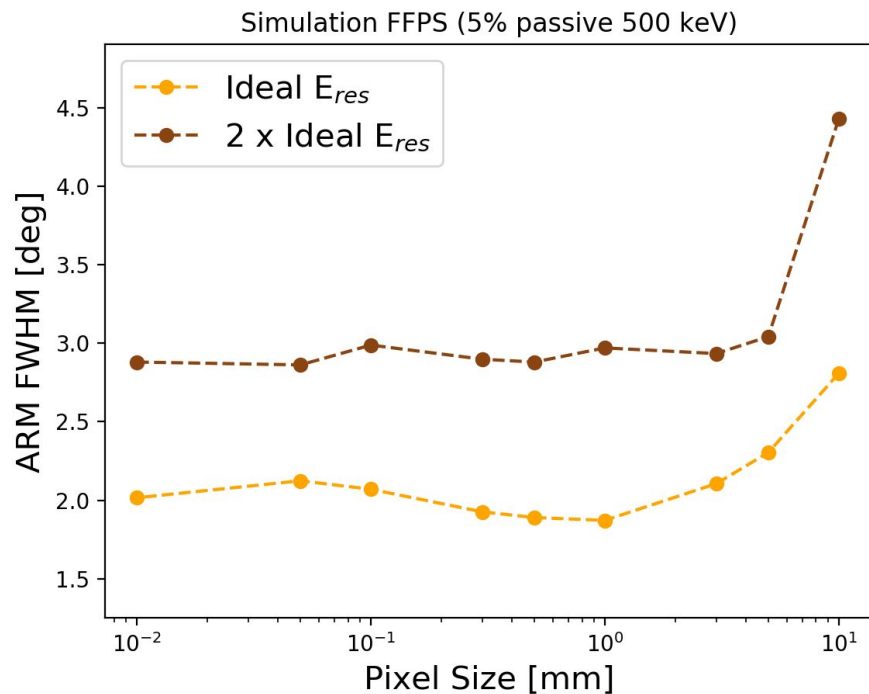
ARMs as a function of energy @ 5% passive



ARMs - worst energy res (X2) - 5% passive - 500keV

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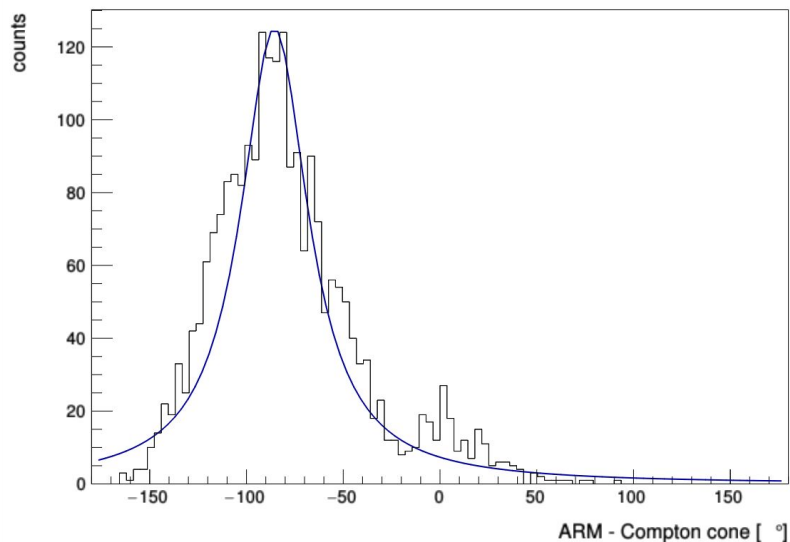
DSiPix.EnergyResolution Gauss 122 122 2.2 // (->4.4)



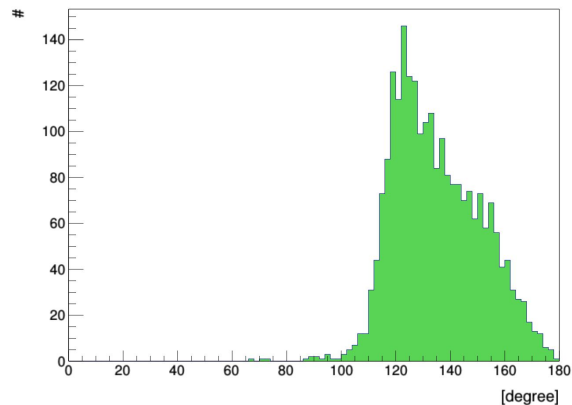
The strange case of the simulations @ 100 keV

Total FWHM of fit (not of data!): 42.6714 deg
Maximum of fit (x position): -85.5513 deg

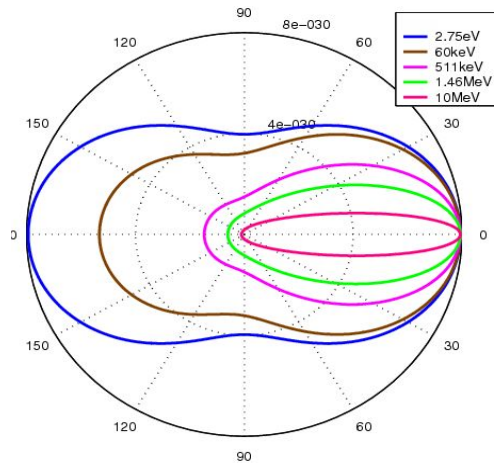
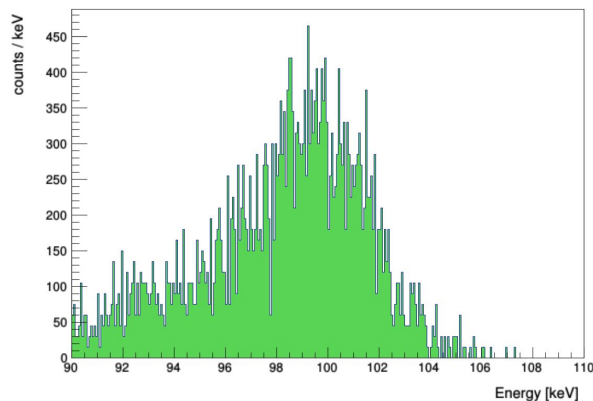
ARM (Compton cone)



Compton scatter angle (phi) distribution



Energy spectrum



The strange case of the simulations @ 100 keV

Event statistics for all triggered (!) events:

Number of events	22488 (100.000%)
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Number of events, which passed event selections	2920 (12.985%)
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Reconstructable events	22488 (100.000%)
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Single-site	0 (0.000%)
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Compton	2915 (12.962%)
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Decay	0 (0.000%)
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Pair	0 (0.000%)
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Muon	5 (0.022%)
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PET	0 (0.000%)
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Multi	0 (0.000%)
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Rejection reasons for not reconstructable events:

Event consists of nothing but one track	16503
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Track is not valid	110
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Electron direction is not valid	96
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Comptel type with incompatible kinematics	2859
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Total	19568
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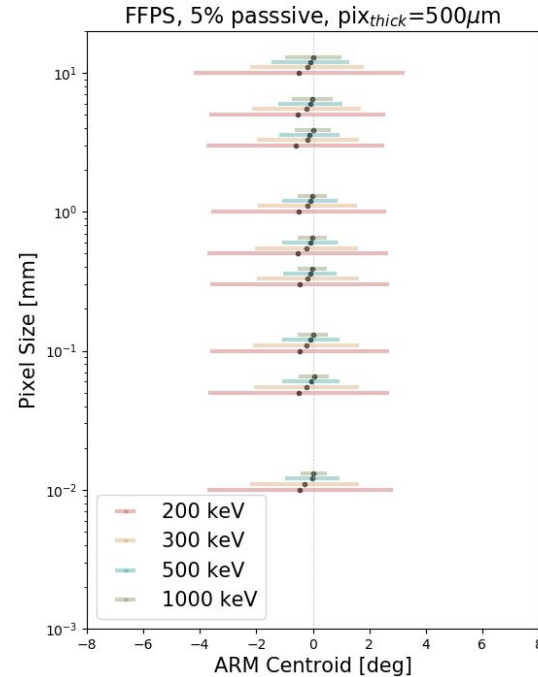
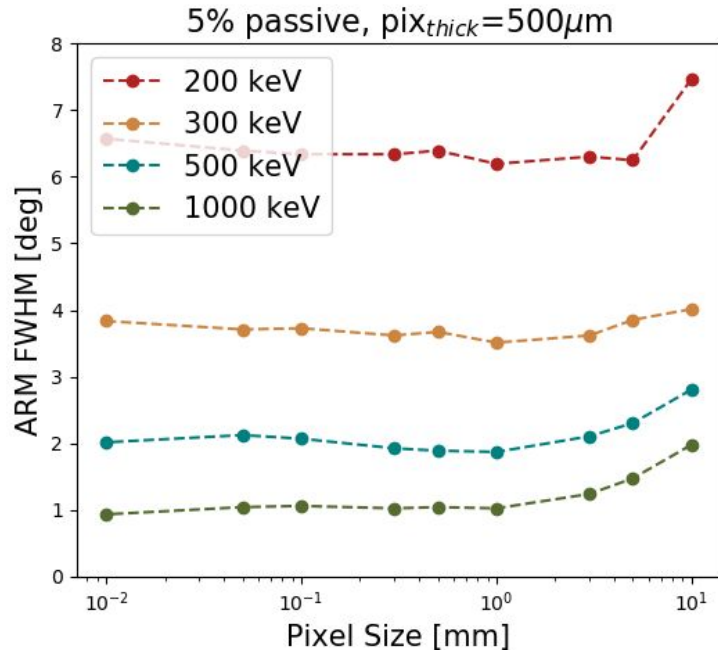
ARMs as a function of energy @ 5% passive

For ideal energy resolution!

DSiPix.EnergyResolution Gauss 662 662 4.25

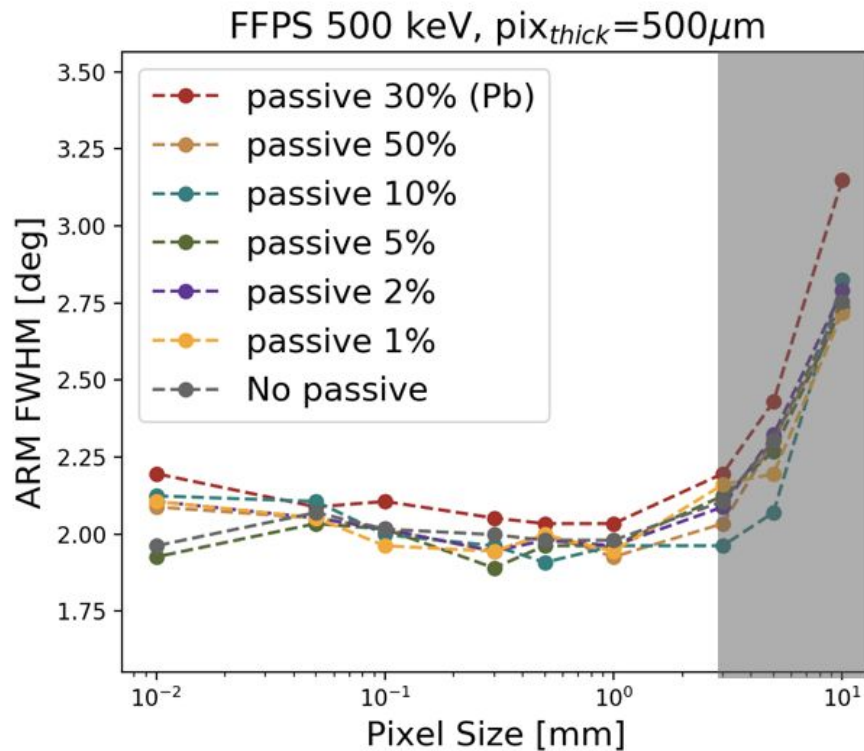
DSiPix.EnergyResolution Gauss 122 122 2.2

(see slide 13 for worse energy resolution case)



ARMs FWHM

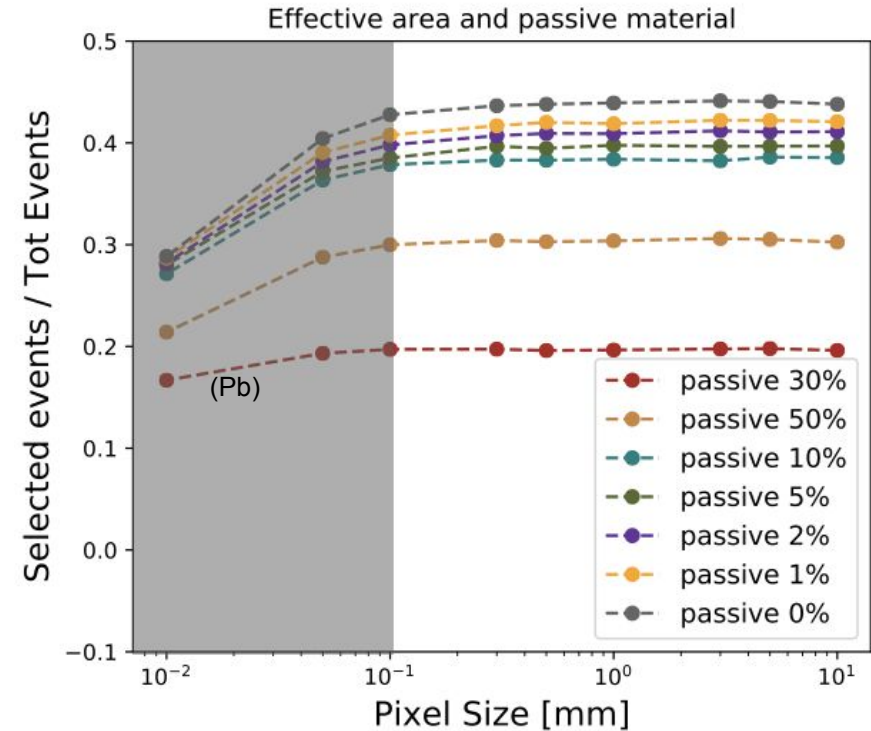
Loss in the spatial resolution when pixels are too large ($A_{\text{pix}} > 3 \text{ mm}^2$)



Effective Area and passive material

Loss in the effective area for small pixels:

- bad reconstruction due to non-optimized algorithm?
- Too small energy loss to trigger a signal in a pixel?

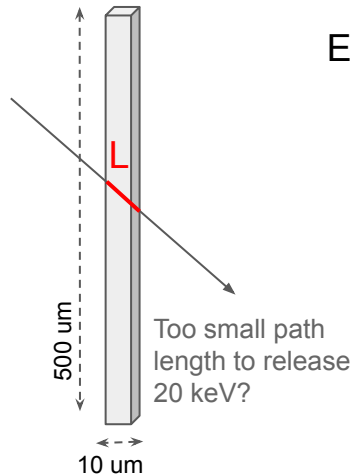


Effective Area and passive material

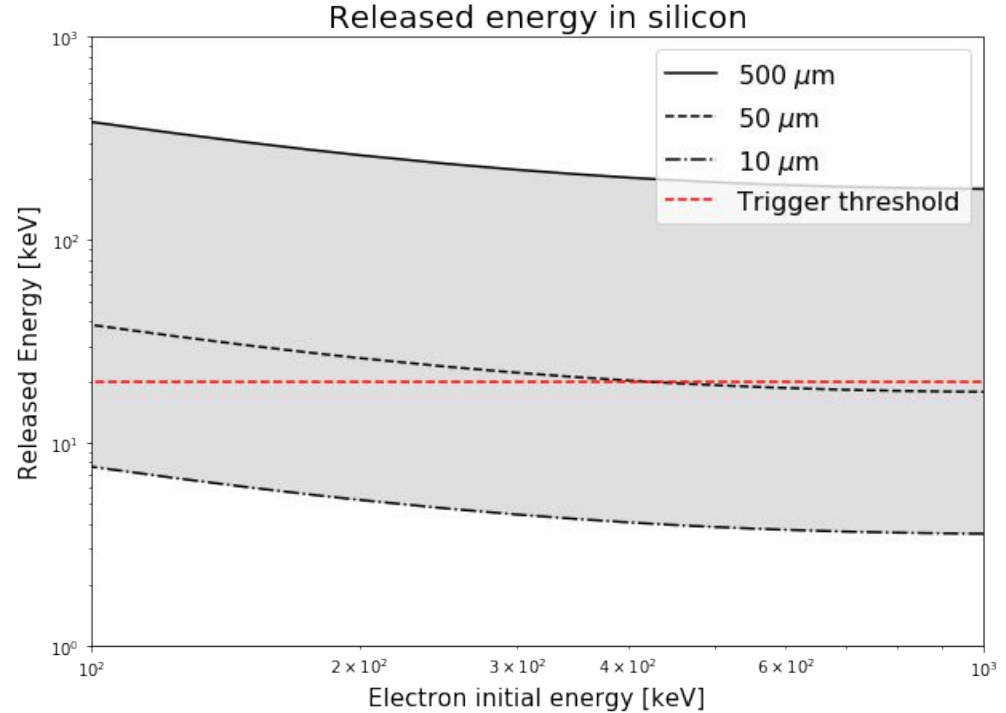
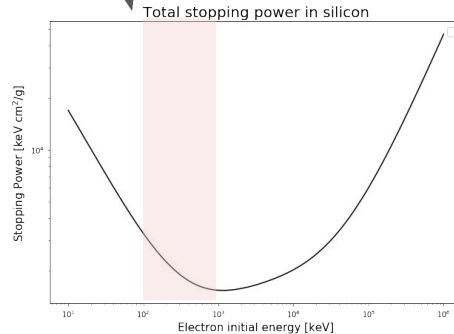
Loss in the effective area for small pixels:

- bad reconstruction due to non-optimized algorithm?
- Too small energy loss to trigger a signal in a pixel?

DSiPix.TriggerThreshold 20



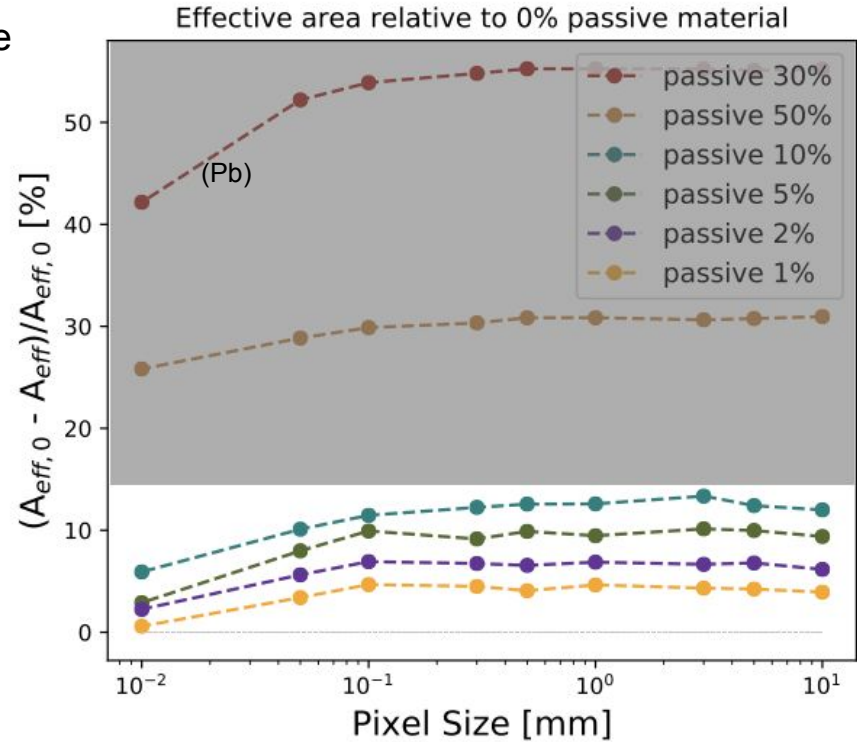
$$E_{\text{rel}}[\text{keV}] = SP[\text{keV cm}^2/\text{g}] * L_{\text{Si}}[\text{g}/\text{cm}^2]$$



Effective Area relative to the “No passive material” case

Compared to the case w/o passive material:

- up to 10% (Si) passive material the loss in effective area stays below 15%



Conclusions - parameters optimization

$$100 \text{ um}^2 < \text{Pix}_{\text{size}} < 3 \text{ mm}^2$$

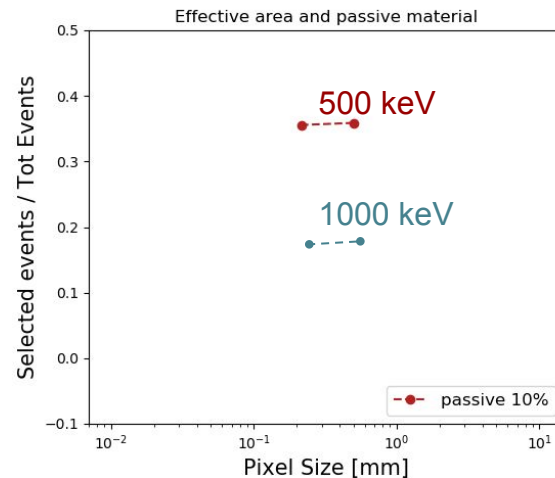
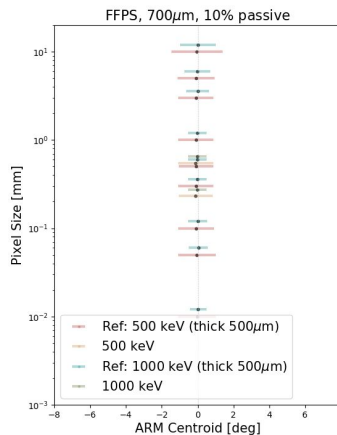
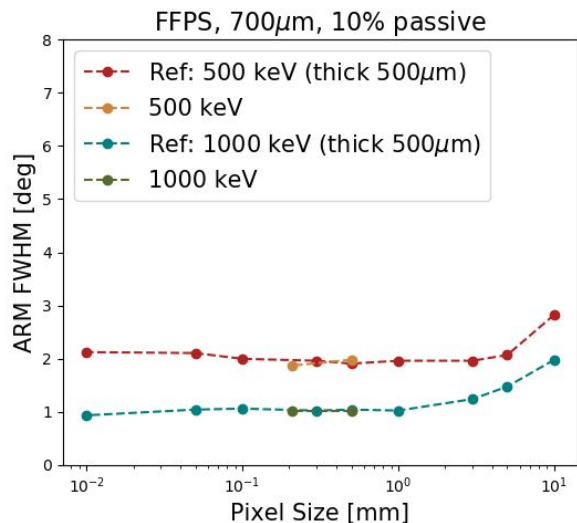
Passive material (Si) < 10%

Minimum energy > 300 keV

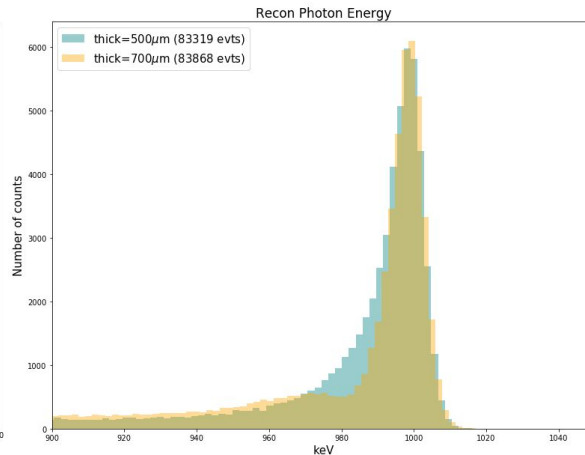
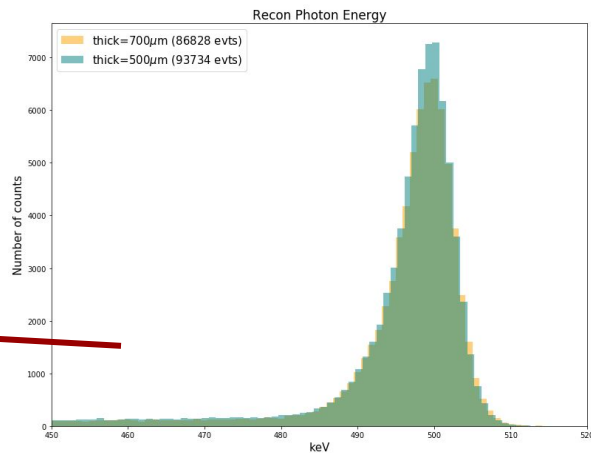
After meeting on 02/18/20

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Thicknesses tests



Comparison between
500 μ m and 700 thick pixels
(both 0.5x0.5 mm and 10%
passive material, with
simulated FFPS @
500keV/ 1000keV)



Passive material study @ 200keV

