

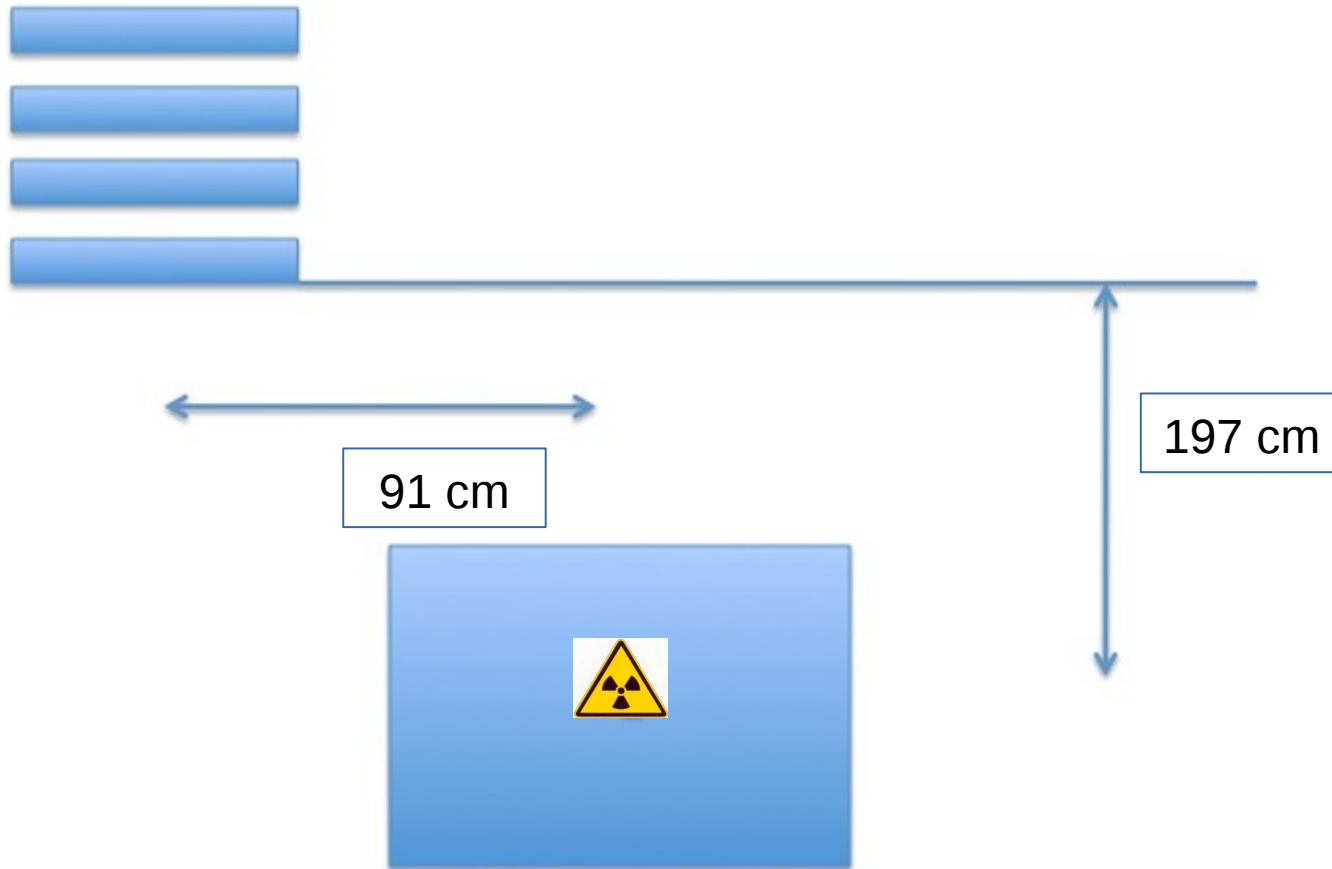
GRPC

Third report from August 2015 GIF++ test
beams

Disclaimer: all results are preliminary

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1) GRPC position : since Fri. 28/08/2015 at 3 pm



2) Rate estimation

1) Radiation map method :

- Map * γ conversion factor
- Need to know the map γ , and the shadow effects.

2) Chambers rate method :

- Chambers rate when beam is off
- Subtract noise (no beam no source run)
- Correct by efficiency (saturation efficiency)

3) Current method :

- Total current in the chamber divided by the surface and Charge/ γ factor.

– We need YOUR input for comparison !!!

2.1) Rate estimate with simulation

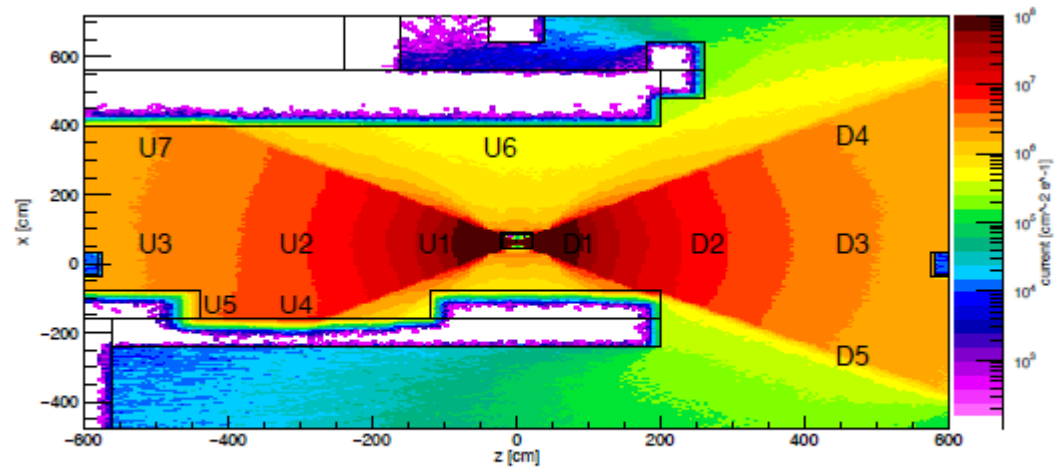
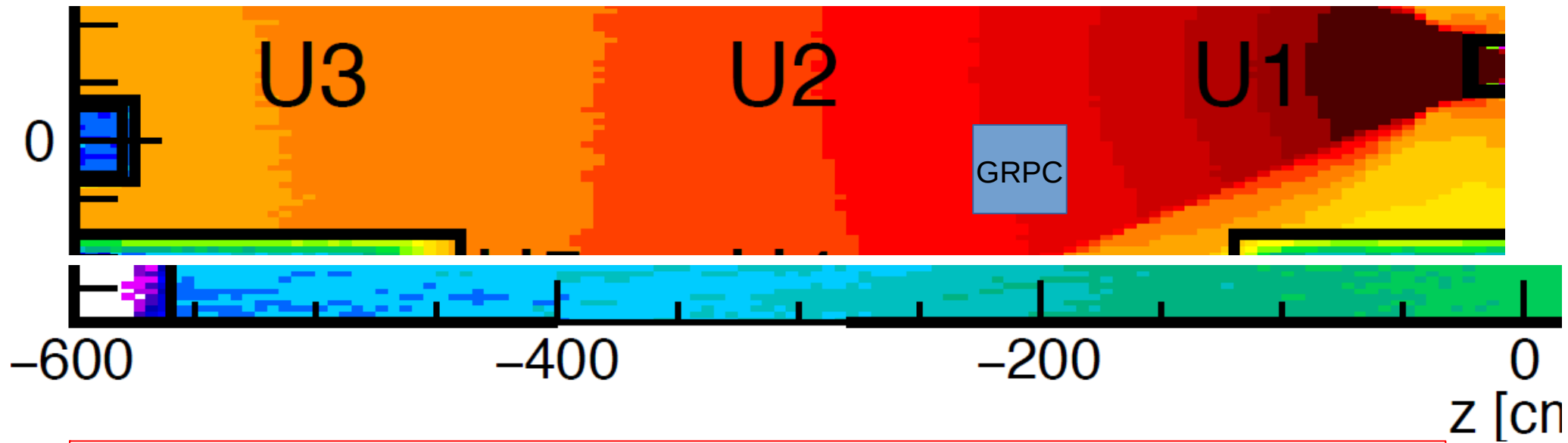
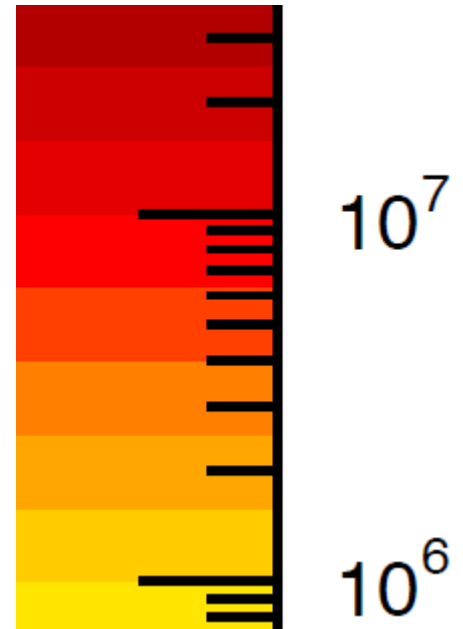


Figure 17. Total Current x: Downstream open, upstream open



We think that the rate in our region is around : $7e6 - 1.5 e7$

2.2) Rate estimate with simulations

U1	8.7E+03	1.5E+04	3.0E+04	1.8E+05	3.0E+05	3.9E+06	3.5E+06	4.6E+06	6.9E+06	7.6E+06	3.2E+07	5.9E+07
U2	0.0E+00	7.9E+02	1.3E+04	7.0E+04	9.6E+04	6.9E+05	3.9E+05	3.2E+05	6.8E+05	7.8E+05	3.3E+06	6.3E+06



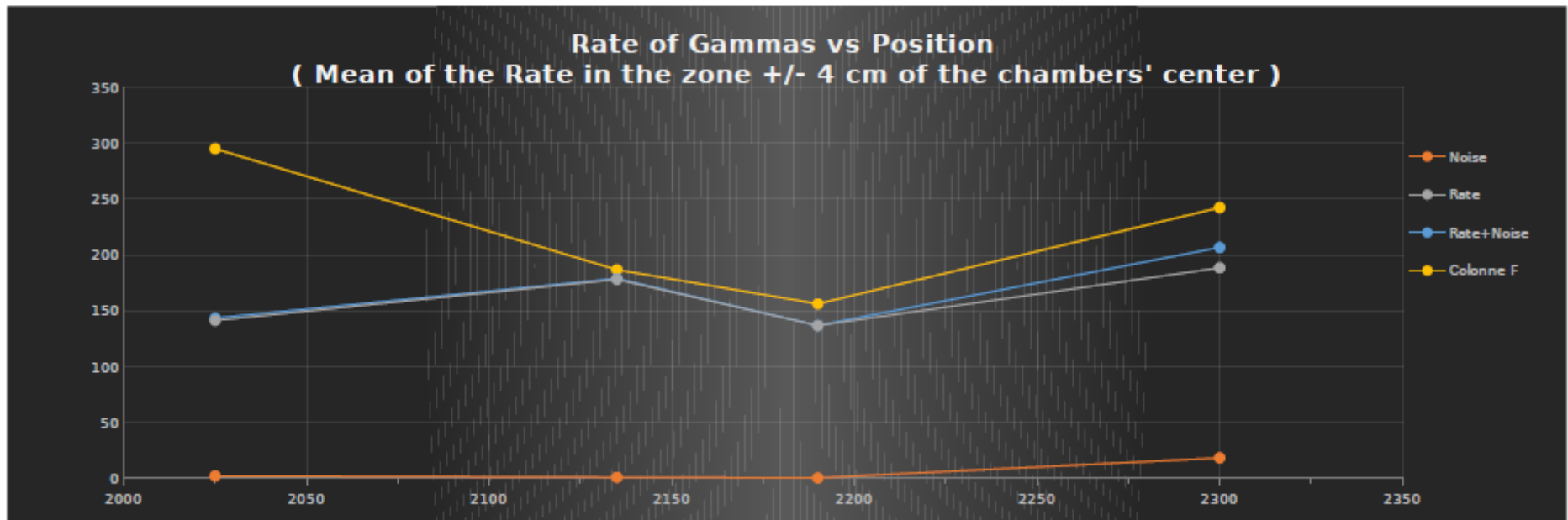
We think that the rate in our region is around : $7e6 - 1.5e7$
We are in between U1 and U2.

Assuming a conversion factor $f = 1e-3$:

$$R(\text{predicted}) \sim 0.7 - 1.5e4 = 7-15 \text{ kHz}$$

2.2) Rate estimate with chambers : source ATT = 100

Runs	729817	729595		729818		
Position Z	Source On	Noise	Difference	Efficiency		Position Z relative
						0
2025	143,306	2,034	141,272	0,478846	295,025958	55
2135	178,728	0,739116	177,988884	0,953789	186,612431	165
2190	136,743	0,17508	136,56792	0,875	156,077623	220
2300	206,601	18,2	188,401	0,77757	242,294584	330
Distance	1970	mm				
Attenuator	100					



Z-axis position of the chambers wrt to the source in mm

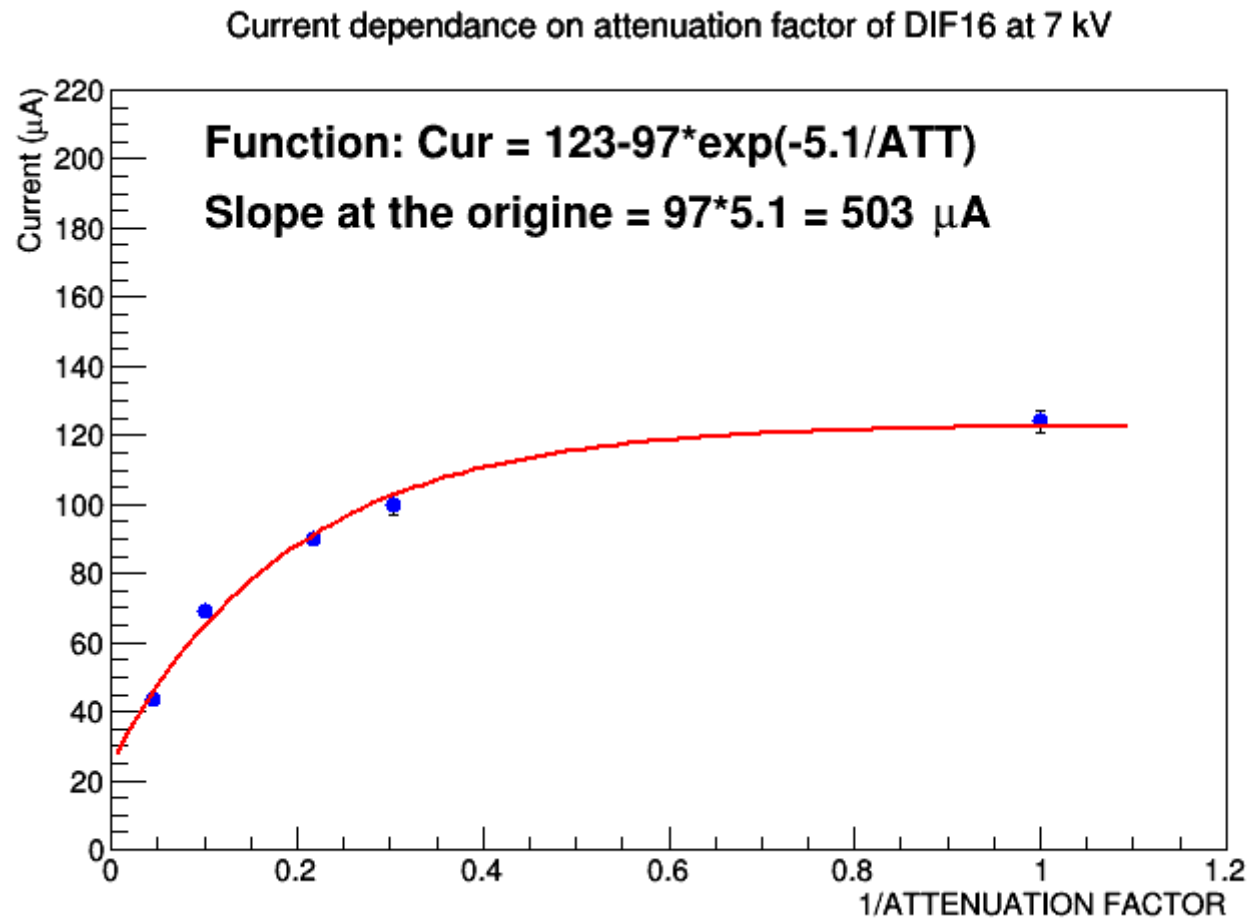
Rate is estimated with chambers :

$$\text{Rate(chambers)} = (\text{Total Rate} - \text{Noise}) / \text{eff}$$

Comparison : estimation from Maps – 70-150 Hz

2.3) Current method

1) At $ATT = 100$ we are not in saturation regime.



2.4) Status summary

1) Radiation map method :

- Map * γ conversion factor \sim 7-15 kHz
- γ conversion factor need to be more investigated
- shadow of the Micromegas and our own chambers needs also to be understood

2) Chambers rate method :

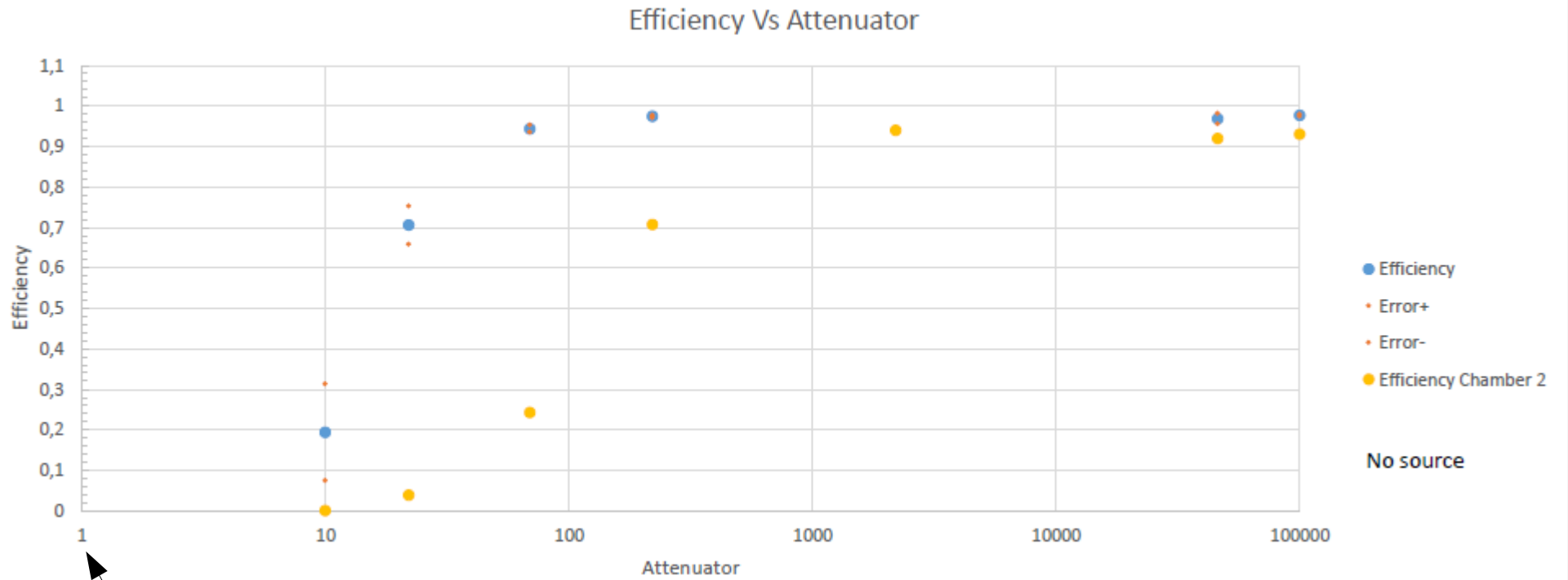
- Chambers \sim 20 - 30 kHz
- the ASICS threshold impact on the rate counting shall be understood.

3) Current method :

- Charge/ γ shall be measured.

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3) Efficiency curve (DIF16)



γ rate before
conversion :
~10 kHz/cm²