

Update on the environment background simulation for a 10-kg LMO prototype

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Environment γ/n background simulation

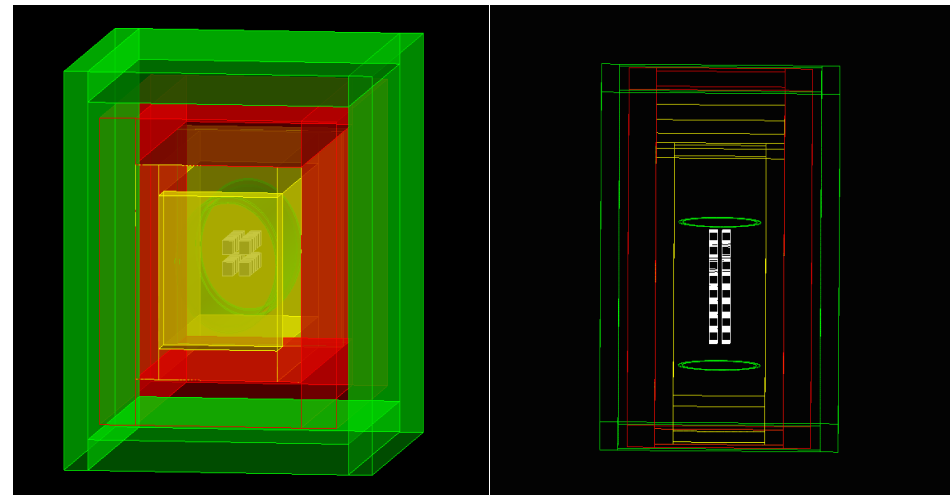
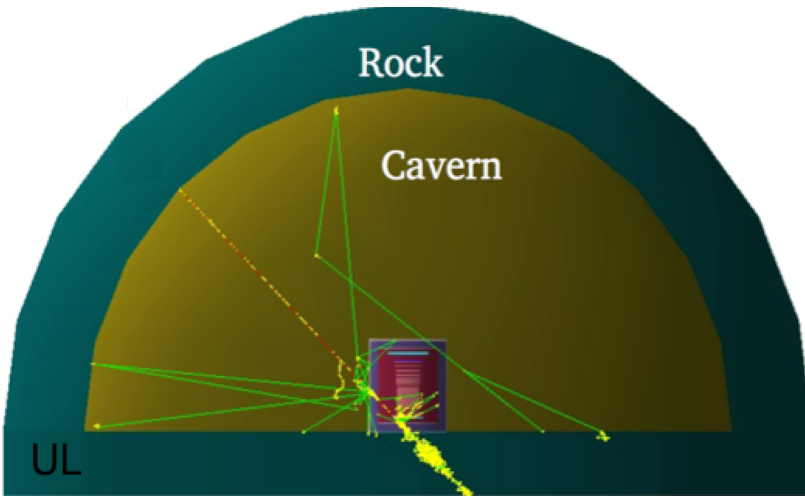
- Source generated based on the experimental measurements
- Randomized initial position and incident angle
- Using livermore_EM / QGSP_BERT_HP Physics-Lists for gamma/neutron process (compared with Standard_EM)

Background counting rates measured by the HPGe detector in this work and those estimated for the two HPGe detectors proposed in JUNA project

[Y. P. Shen, et al. Sci. China-Phys. Mech. Astron. October \(2017\)](#)

Energy	This work		JUNA
	no shielding (per day)	shielding (per day)	shielding (per day)
>3 MeV	46.1 ± 1.3	2.35 ± 0.25	16.7 ± 1.8
6-8 MeV	1.45 ± 0.22	0.23 ± 0.08	1.64 ± 0.57

G4 Setup

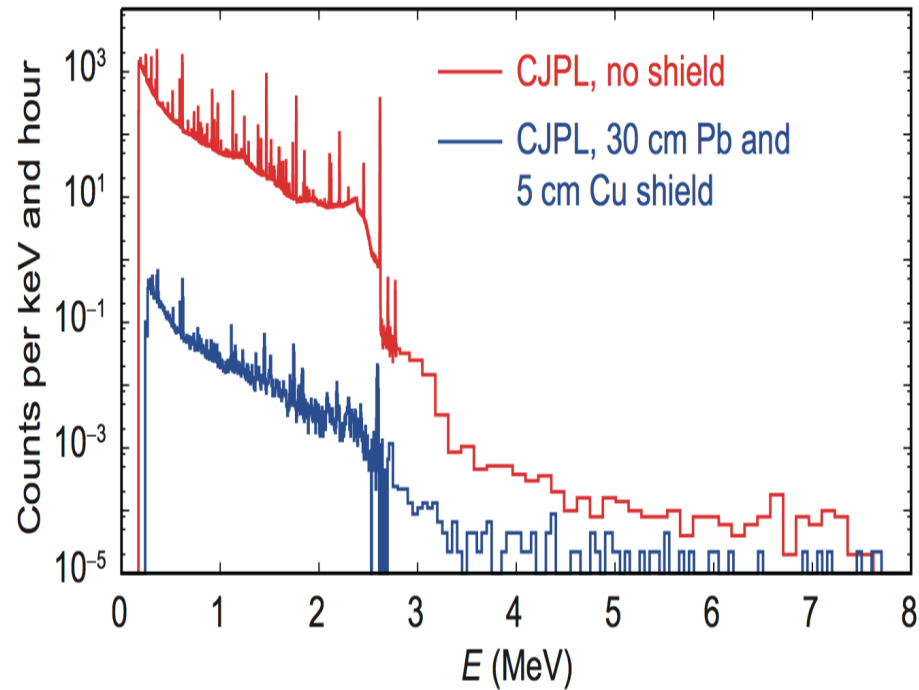


Cavern radius: 6 m
Crystal size: $4.5 \times 4.5 \times 4.5 \text{ cm}^3$
Crystal material: LMO (3.07g/cm^3)
Detector array: 4×9

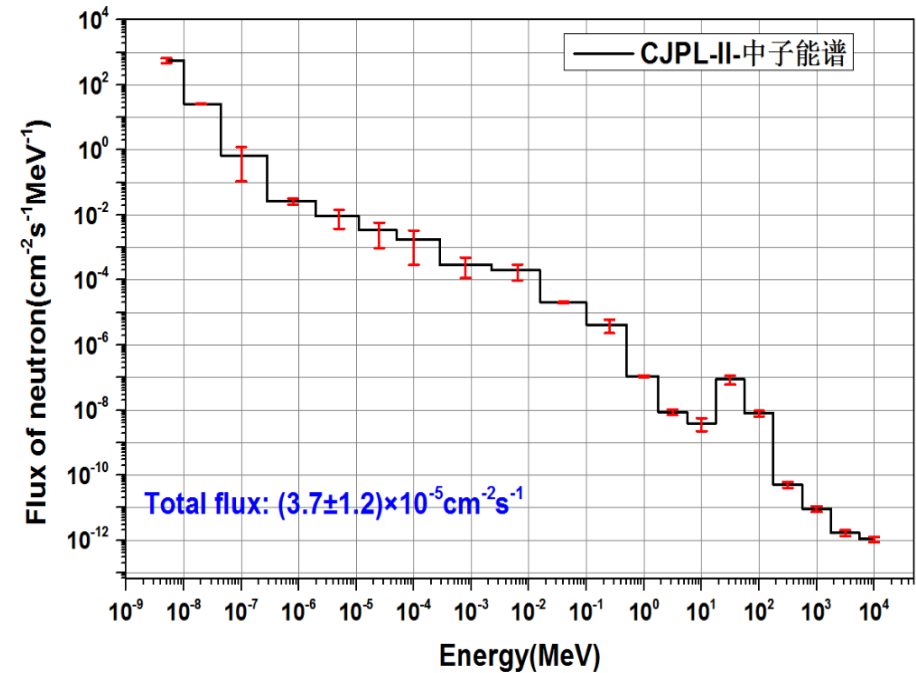
Shields	Thickness	Height
Lateral Copper	120mm	1200mm
(Lateral Lead)	100mm	1500mm
Lateral PE	150mm	1500mm
Top Copper	120mm	120mm
DR Vessels (3x)	2mm	600mm

Input gamma/neutron spectrum

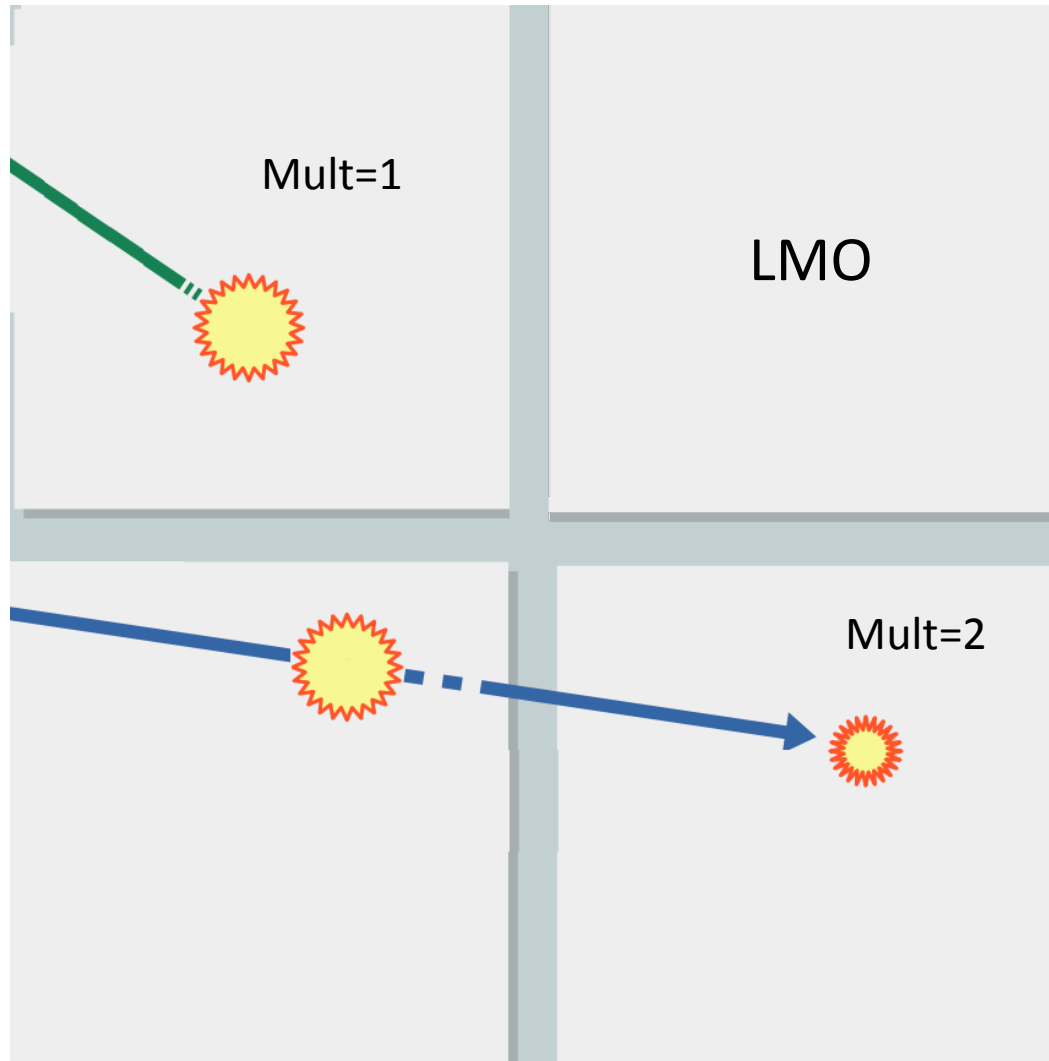
Gamma Spectrum



Neutron Spectrum

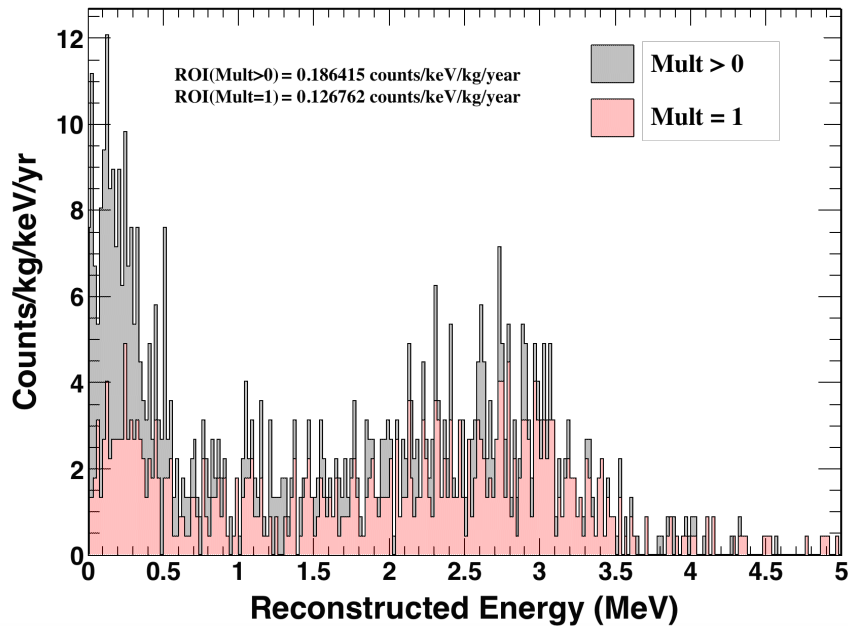


Single-site / Multi-site event

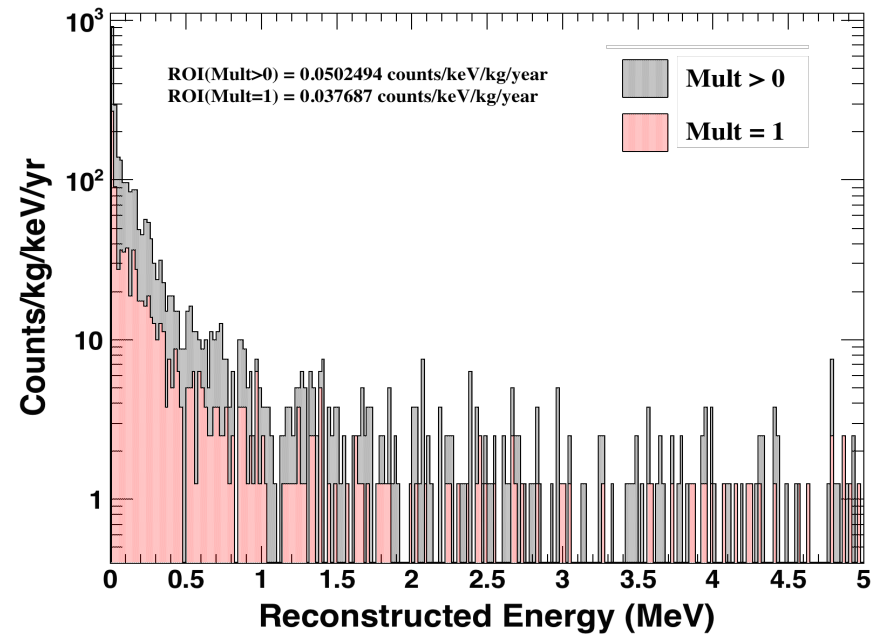


Gamma/Neutron background contribution

Gamma



Neutron



Cosmogenic background simulation

如果认为 R_i 为放射性同位素 i 的产生率，那么它可以表示成以下公式：

$$R_i = \sum_j N_j \int \Phi_k(E) \sigma_{ijk}(E) dE$$

N_j : 稳定的靶核 j 的数量

Φ_k : 宇宙射线 k 粒子的通量

σ_{ijk} : 宇宙射线 k 粒子作用在稳定靶核 j 上产生放射性同位素 i 的反应截面

模拟过程：

- CRY产生宇宙射信息作输入
- Geant4模拟宇宙射线与物质的相互作用
- 统计宇宙线Neutron、Proton、Muon、Gamma入射情况下宇生放射性核素产生率。

宇生核素	半衰期	衰变模式	衰变子体	产生率（北京）(day ⁻¹ kg ⁻¹)				
				中子	质子	μ子	伽马	总和
⁶⁸ Ge	270.9 d	EC	⁶⁸ Ga	73.30	5.41	0.31	4.03	83.05
⁶⁸ Ga	67.7 m	EC or β ⁺	⁶⁸ Zn	73.30	5.41	0.31	4.03	83.05
⁶⁵ Zn	243.9 d	EC or β ⁺	⁶⁵ Cu	35.14	3.64	1.23	0.46	40.47
⁶³ Ni	101.2 yr	β ⁻	⁶³ Cu	4.05	0.54	0.12	0.08	4.79
⁵⁷ Co	271.7 d	EC	⁵⁷ Fe	3.55	1.07	0.03	0.03	4.68
⁶⁰ Co	5.3 yr	β ⁻	⁶⁰ Ni	1.21	0.22	0.01	0.01	1.45
⁵⁵ Fe	2.7 yr	EC	⁵⁵ Mn	3.01	1.05	0.04	0.05	4.15
⁵⁴ Mn	312.2 d	EC	⁵⁴ Cr	0.67	0.24	0.01	0.02	0.94
⁴⁹ V	330.0 d	EC	⁴⁹ Ti	0.90	0.49	0.02	0.02	1.42
³ H	12.3 yr	β ⁻	³ He	18.33	4.82	0.33	0.20	23.68

From Hao Ma's talk (CDEX)

Discussion

- Considerable environment BG contribution (at ROI)
- Additional lead shielding is necessary
- Muon induced BG in progress (cosmogenic radioactive isotope)

Background veto

