Positronium intensity measurement preparation (GBAR)

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- If we assume all PWO signal comes from direct 0.5MeV gamma, efficiency is about 96%.
- But if Compton scattered gamma by Pb gives signals, efficiency will be decreased
- \rightarrow Test will be done tomorrow with changing setup.

Efficiency check

- Pb block made some background (rejected)
- Short distance btw source and PWO detector has less BG.
- Longer distance btw source and PS detector has less BG.
- Cosmic ray count rate is checked.



Background from Compton scattering





$$Eff = \frac{(796 - 23)/0.57}{13662 * 0.255 * 0.75} = 51.9\% \pm 2\%$$

Lower than expectation : Need to check with longer distance •

← Because detector is too near to source, many gamma hit edge of crystal and expected energy loss is less. Weekly meeting



Efficiency check

20cm N a PWO PWO PWO

• d(PS-source) : 20cm, d(PWO-source) : 2.5cm, 5cm, 10cm

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$$Eff(2.5cm) = \frac{1014 - 27/0.57}{13625 + 0.255 + 0.943} = 52.9\% \pm > 1.8\%$$

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$$Eff(5cm) = \frac{(441-12)/0.57}{13607*0.08809*0.943} = 66.6\% \pm 3.2\%$$

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$$E_0 f_7 f_0 (2.5 cm) = \frac{(299-5)/0.57}{27381 * 0.02449 * 0.943} = 81.6\%$$

Corrections





- Fraction (red/all) = (1402-5)/(2471-24)=0.57
- Signal rate : 0.943
- ← Count rate
- 75.76#/s for 1.2MeV (height>0.3V)
- 4.55#/s for no source

Positronium simulation



- Timing distribution had problem and it's solved
- In isotropic scattering, many positroniums are stucked at edge.
- In Cosine (lambert) case, more positroniums stay in target and shows uniform x-z distribution.

CERN & CEA status

- CERN
- Linac may start, Likan trap packing from June
- Test with target from July
- CEA
- Proton source test soon
- Antion chamber and BG trap connection in next week.

To do list

- PWO efficiency is btw 60~90% but more study is required.
 ←Larger distance to see efficiency be stable
 ←More statistics for 10cm with less noise
- Antion chamber will be connected to BG trap next week (water cut in CEA)
- Upload simulation in Gitlab.

Backup

Charge distribution





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Raw signal example

Signal(highest peak) time in PWO



• Trigger : Plastic Scintillator only