

Neutron Detector Array NAND Lesson 4

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- Realistic example of building neutron spectra
- Adapting the programs for your data
- Its common to just see blank spectra till you get it right!
- Try to write the programs yourself, just use my programs for guidance
- Time-shifted TDCs to be discussed next time

All the files used here are available at
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Getting the files you need

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The programs from Lesson 3 are slightly modified for this example data. The modified files are in the archive nand04.tgz



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Websites:

- [LAMPS Data Acquisition](#)
- [AIWCF Chess Server](#)

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Support Files

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NAND Lesson 2	IUAC_NAND_data.001	nand02.tgz
NAND Lesson 3	nand03.tgz	
NAND Lesson 4	nand04.tgz	

Details of the example data for today's lesson

File: MySampleData.root 442.6 MB (not provided in website)

Data was taken in LAMPS system not RoseNIAS.

Tree name is LampsTree.

Parameters are **int**, not **double**.

There were 50 neutron detectors defined of which 1 was not in use.

Individual TDC calibrations for all the neutron detectors were done

Calibration slope values (ns/channel) will have to be placed in a file.

Calibration intercept is not important.

Dimension of the MWPC is 11cm (horizontal) x 16cm (vertical)

(Height is more than width)

Calibration of the MWPC is generally done in the detector lab before the experiment

Adapting Prog001.cpp (run as a compiled program)

Only change is in the name of the root data file and the name of the Tree.

After running the program ParaList.txt is produced.

Edit ParaList.txt by hand

Remove unwanted parameters and reorder . Remove all unused parameters.

Detector 8135 is missing. Remove TOF8135, PSD8135
NDet becomes 49 instead of 50

No need to adjust the indexes of P[] in all the programs except that MWPC1 (not MWPC2) is at forward angle.

Adapting Prog002.cpp (run as a Macro)

Create FileList.txt with MySampleData.root

Examine the data. Leaves are type **int** instead of **double**

Replace **double** P[MAX_PAR] with **int** P[MAX_PAR]

Change the tree name: TChain MyChain("LampsTree");

Insert status print in Entries loop

Use <chrono> timer

Run as Macro (\$ root Prog002.cpp) then:

Draw the CUTG for fission

```
CUTG -> SetName("CutT1_T2");
```

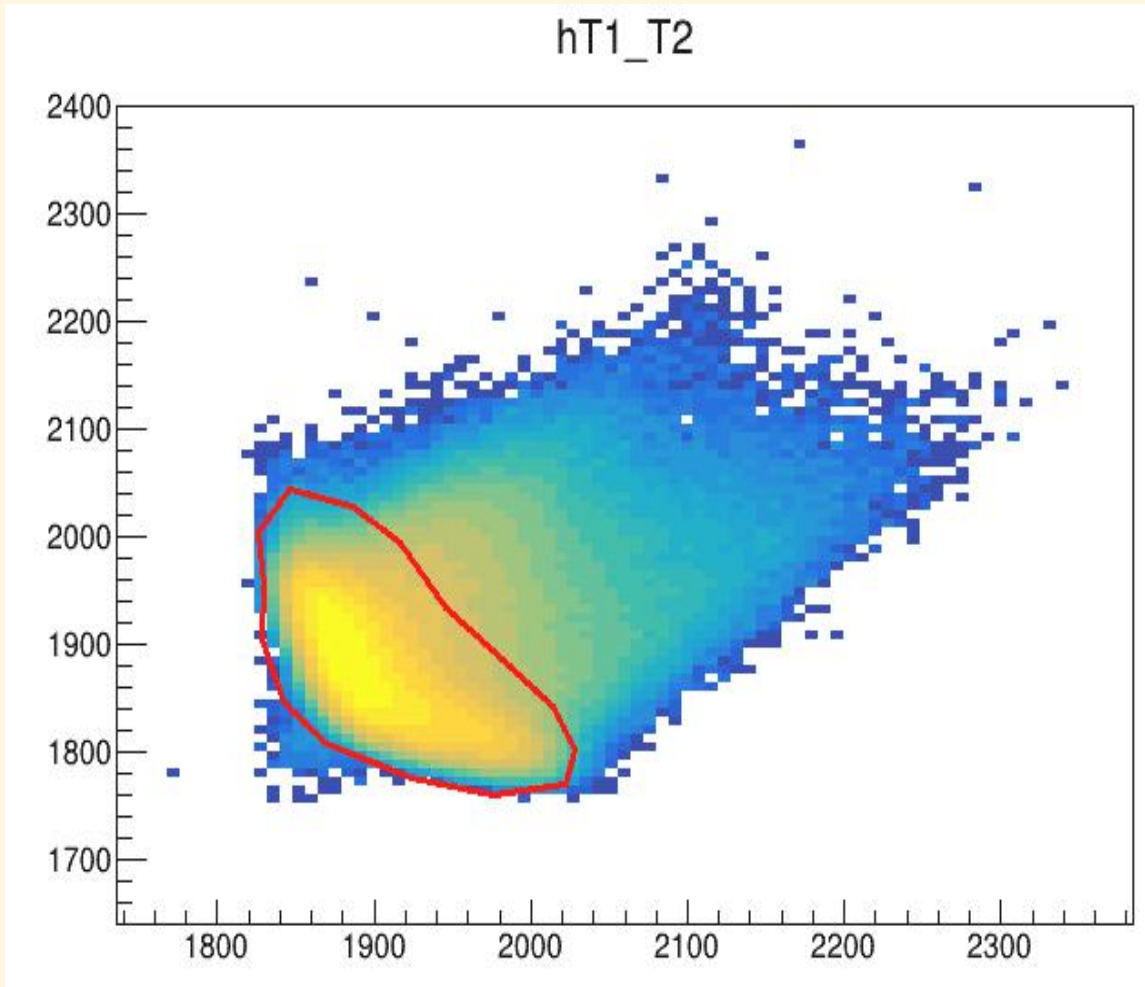
```
Tf = new TFile("Work.root","recreate");
```

```
CutT1_T2 -> Write();
```

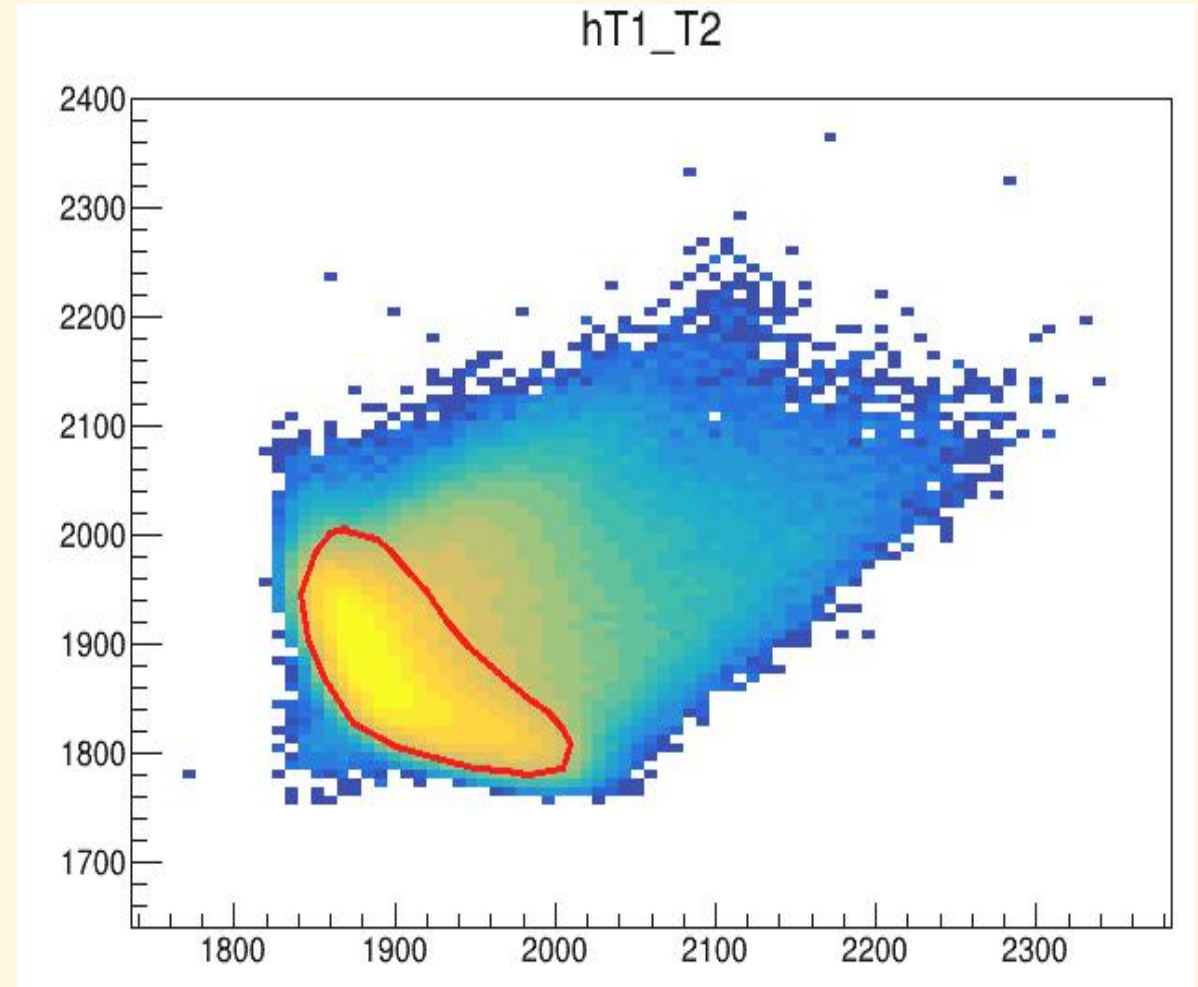
```
Tf -> Close();
```

```
.q
```

Drawing CutT1_T2



CORRECT



**Looses statistics, but no
other problem**

Prog002a.cpp (run as compiled program)

A new program to ensure we are on the right track

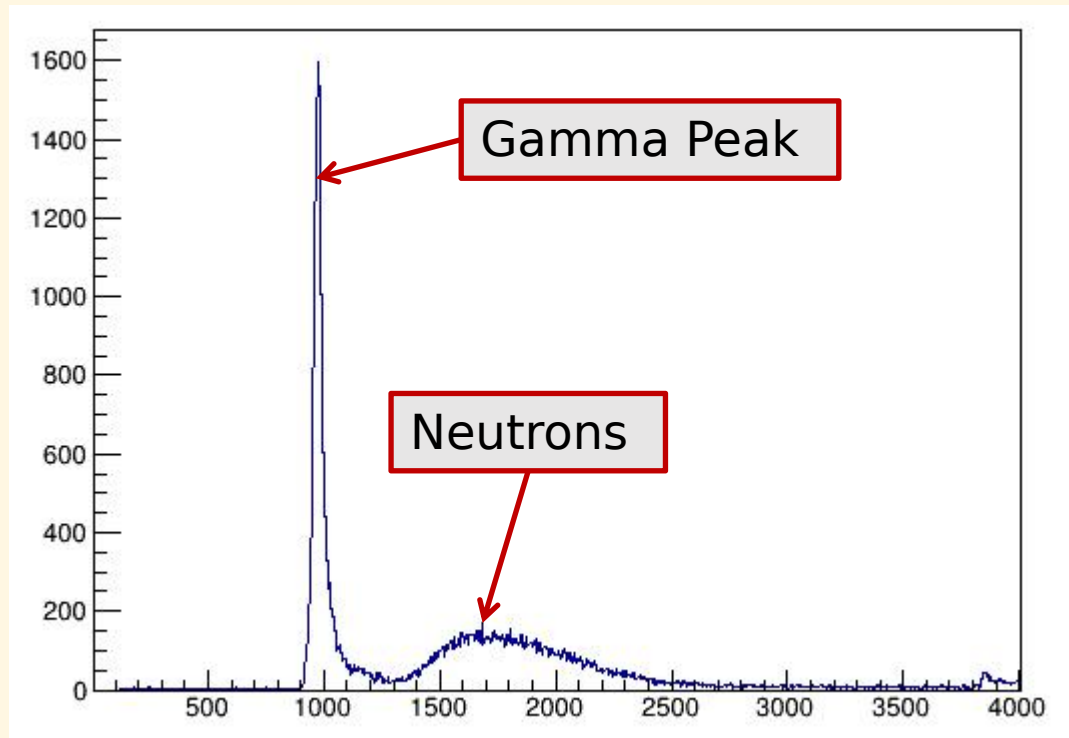
Displays all the 49 TOF spectra

NDet=49 `h[j]->Fill(P[2*j+11])`

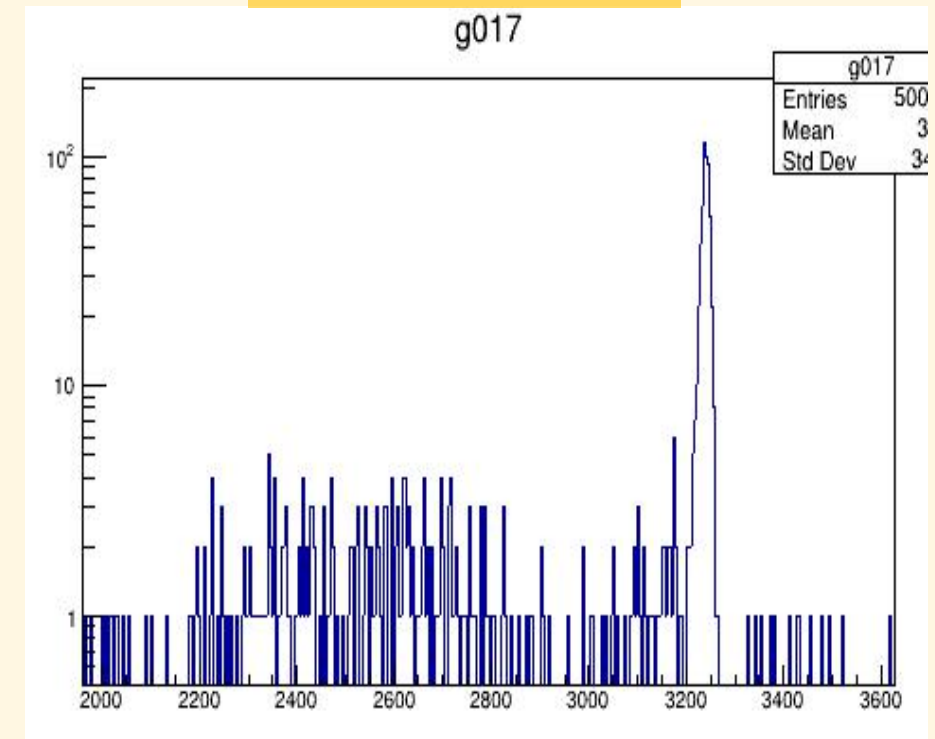
Only 1 thing I want to explain:

Line 86: `h[i]->SetAxisRange(10., 4000., "X"); h[i]->Draw();`

With the present data



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Execution Speed

Event Loop execution

As a compiled program: 87.8 s , 118 KEvts/s

Run as a macro: 172.2 s , 60 KEvts/s

Compiled programs run about twice as fast as macros

Adapting Prog003.cpp (run as a compiled program)

Prog003.cpp builds all the TOF spectra, determines the gamma peak position and saves the results in gPos.txt

Change: NDet=49 Tree name: LampsTree

Change double P[MAX_PAR] to int P[MAX_PAR]

Line 87: Change SetRangeUser(2000, 4000) to SetRangeUser(300, 3000)

Add: Progress printf line

Add: <chrono>

Adapting Prog004.cpp (run as compiled program)

Build all PSD vs TOF and save in Work.root so that later we can draw the neutron selection graphical cuts.

Change: NDet=49 Tree name: LampsTree

Change double P[MAX_PAR] to int P[MAX_PAR]

Add: Progress printf line

Add: <chrono>

From ROOT command line

Save all the neutron selection cuts

```
TFile *Tf = new TFile("Work.root","update");  
TH2S *h=(TH2S *)Tf->Get("h001");  
h->Draw("COLZ"); gPad->SetLogz(1);
```

//Now draw the TCut on the canvas

```
CUTG->SetName("CutN001"); CutN001->Write();
```

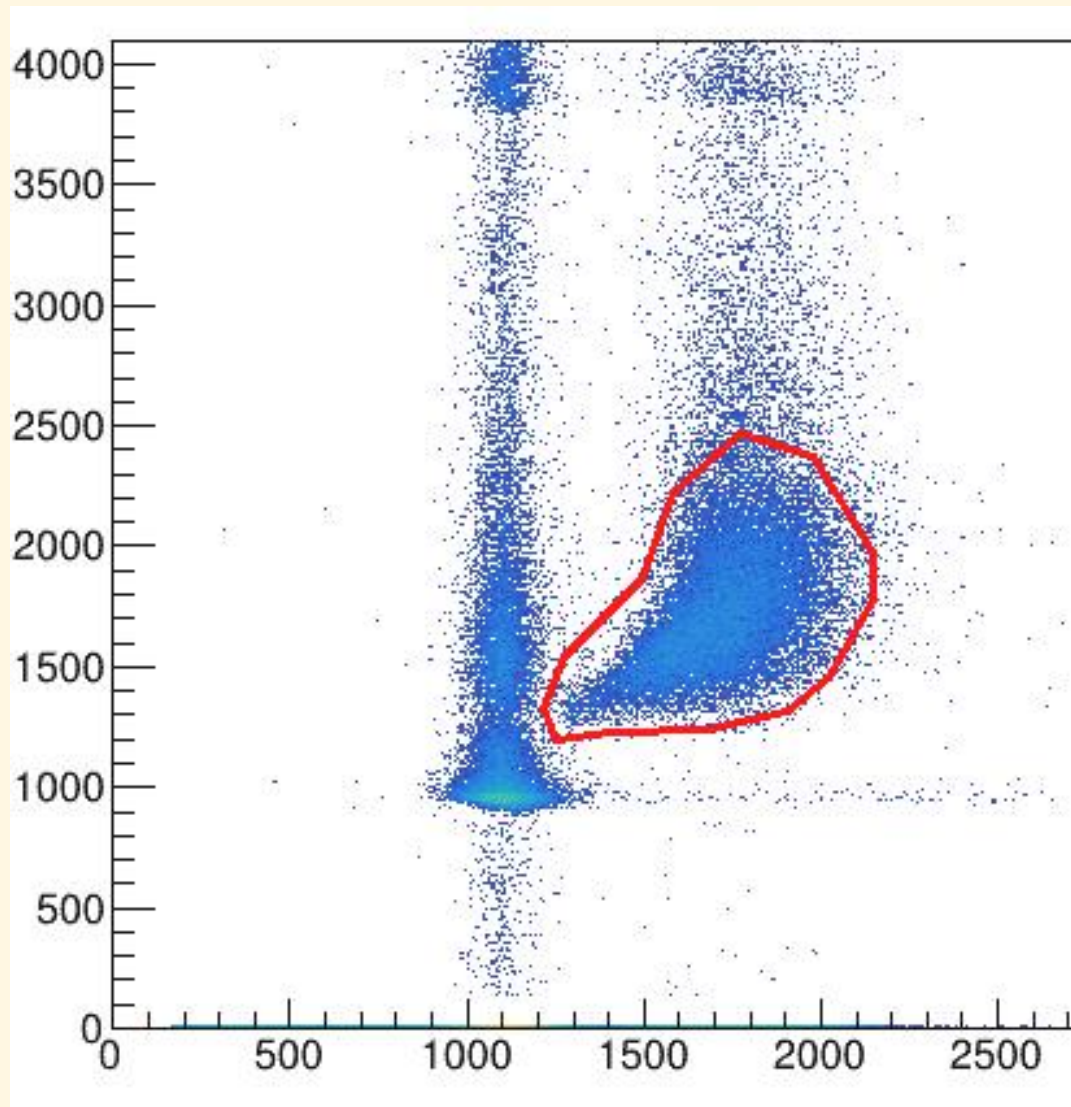
//Then repeat for all the detectors

. . . .

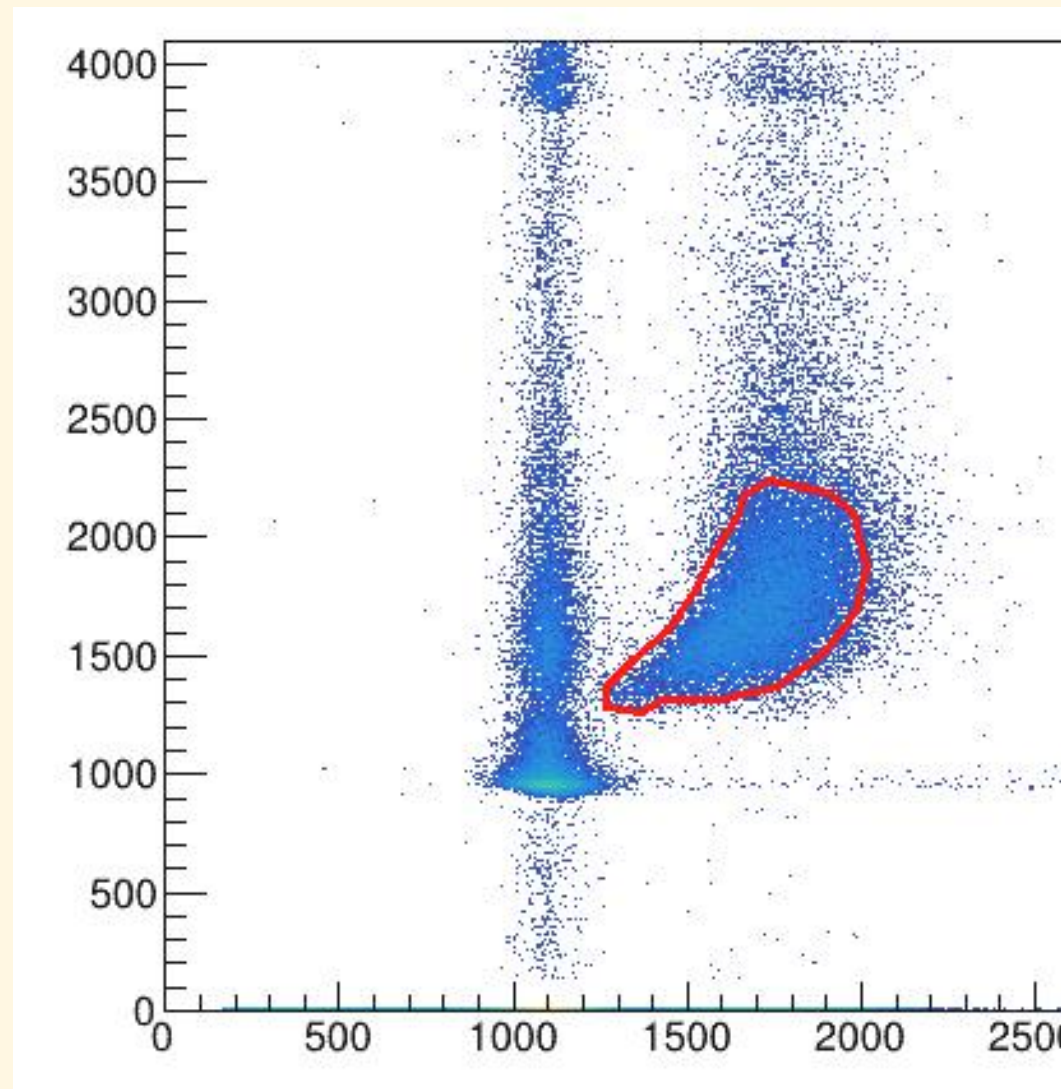
```
Tf->Close(); //At the end
```

```
.q
```

Drawing the Neutron Selection Cuts



CORRECT

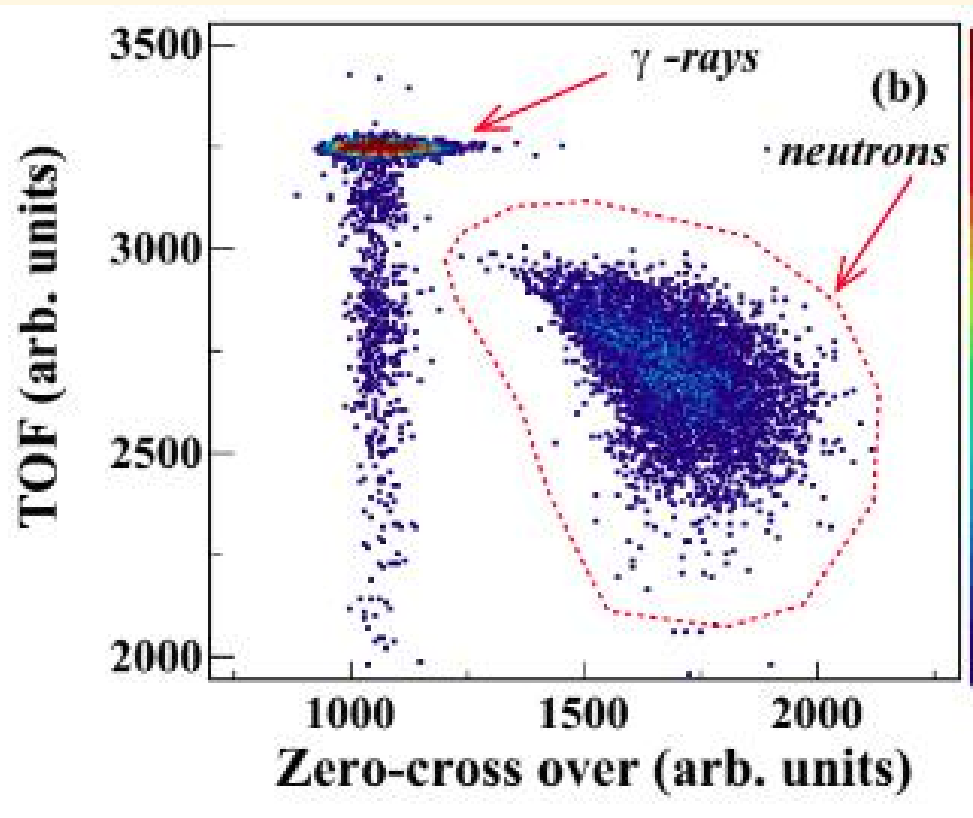


WRONG

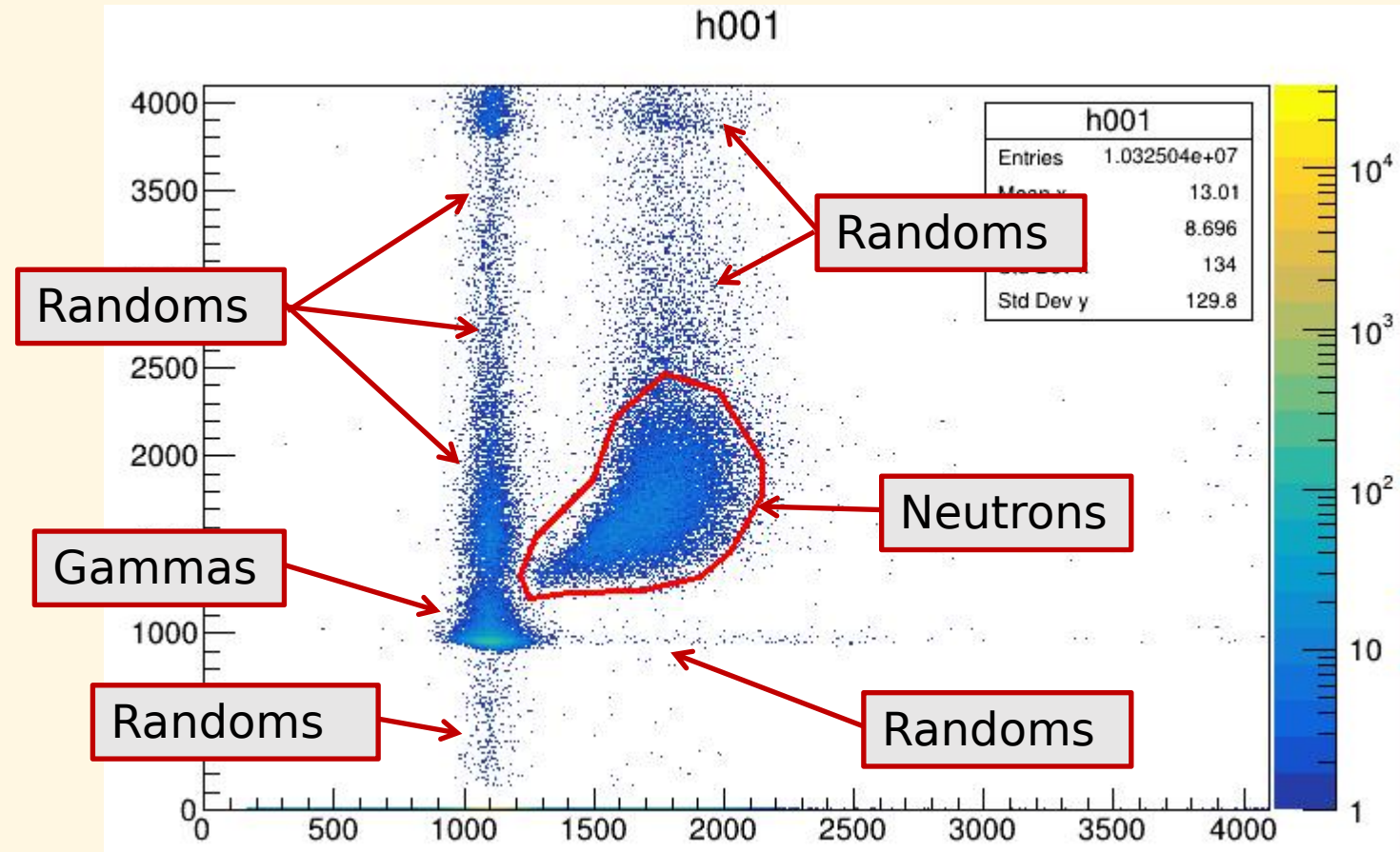
**Will result in incorrect low
neutron multiplicity!**

Changed from earlier

In Lesson 2 / 3



With the present data



Adapting Prog005.cpp (run as compiled program)

Display the 2d position spectrum of MWPC1 (here MWPC1 was at forward angle)

Tree name: LampsTree

Change `double P[MAX_PAR]` to `int P[MAX_PAR]`

Change values of Mx, Cx, My, Cy calibration of MWPC

lines 69-71: Constructors of histograms:

Change the x and y ranges according to detector dimensions (11cm x 16cm)

Lines 82-83: Change `P[]` indices for MWPC1 instead of MWPC2

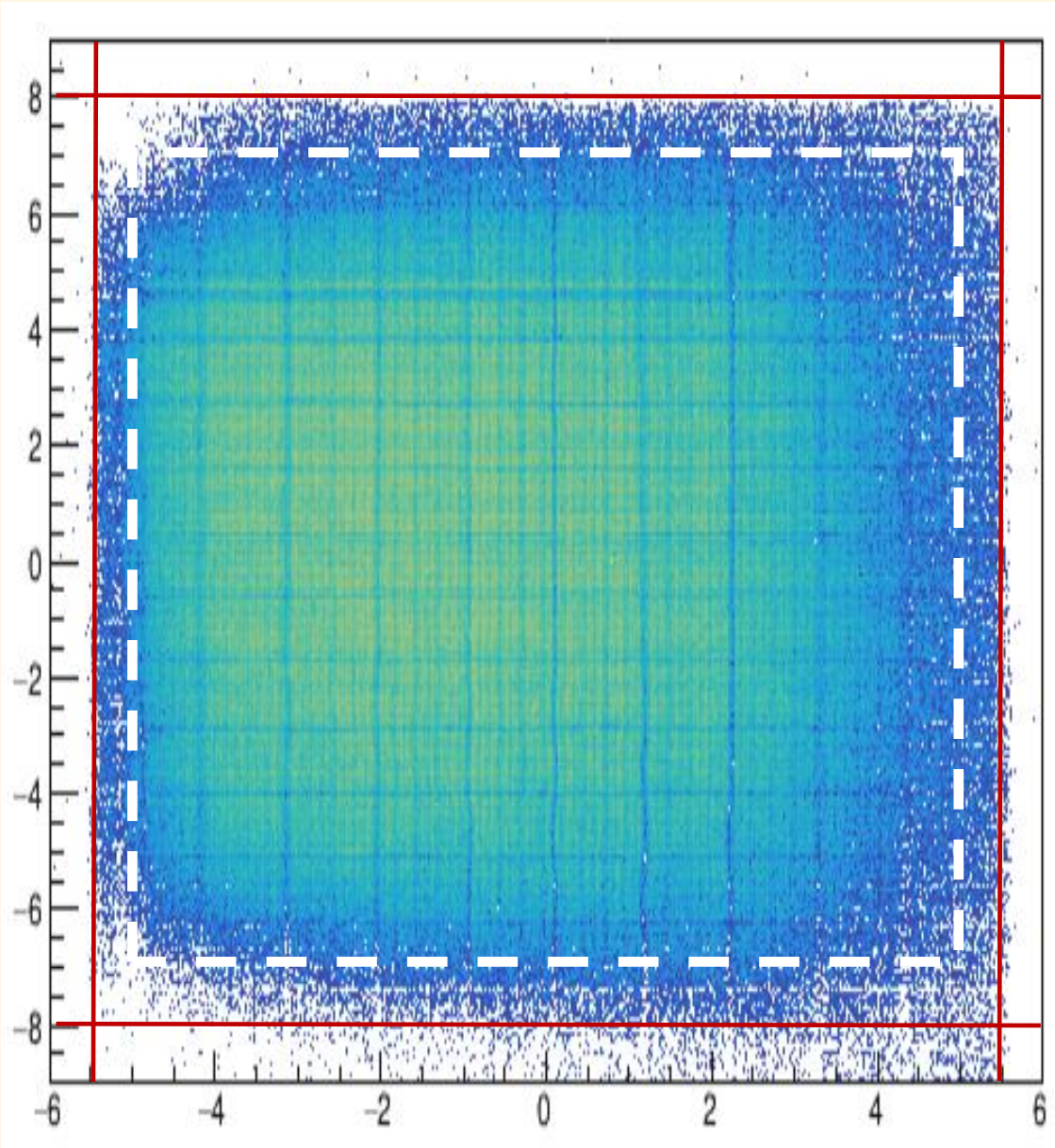
Left-Right reversal: MWPC1XR - MWPC1XL according to as decided

```
x_MWPC=Mx*(P[3]-P[2])+Cx;           //MWPC1XR - MWPC1XL
y_MWPC=My*(P[4]-P[5])+Cy;           //MWPC1YU - MWPCYD
```

Add: Progress printf line

Add: `<chrono>`

Calibrated 2d Histogram of Fission Events in MWPC1 11cm (X) x 16cm (Y)



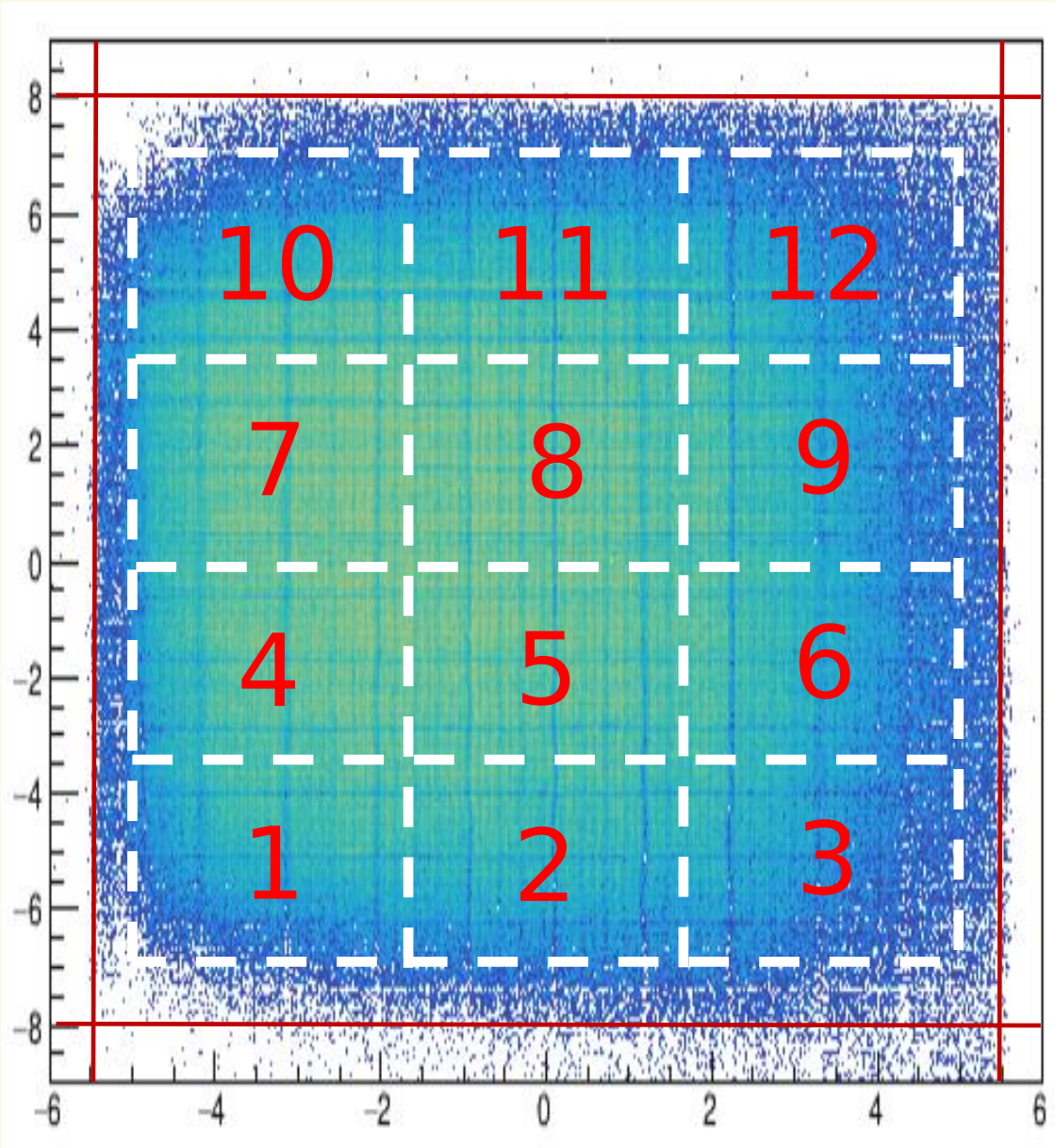
Avoid edges where signals may not be proper.

Instead of X from -5.5 to 5.5 cm
and Y from -8 to 8 cm,
take as full acceptance:

$$-5\text{cm} < X < 5\text{cm}$$

$$-7\text{cm} < Y < 7\text{cm}$$

Divide in 12 slices but 3 x 4 instead of 4 x 3



Slice 1: $-5.00 < x < -1.67$, $-7.0 < y < -3.5$

Slice 2: $-1.67 < x < 1.67$, $-7.0 < y < -3.5$

Slice 3: $1.67 < x < 5.00$, $-7.0 < y < -3.5$

Slice 4: $-5.00 < x < -1.67$, $-3.5 < y < 0.0$

Slice 5: $-1.67 < x < 1.67$, $-3.5 < y < 0.0$

Slice 6: $1.67 < x < 5.00$, $-3.5 < y < 0.0$

Slice 7: $-5.00 < x < -1.67$, $0.0 < y < 3.5$

Slice 8: $-1.67 < x < 1.67$, $0.0 < y < 3.5$

Slice 9: $1.67 < x < 5.00$, $0.0 < y < 3.5$

Slice 10: $-5.00 < x < -1.67$, $3.5 < y < 7.0$

Slice 11: $-1.67 < x < 1.67$, $3.5 < y < 7.0$

Slice 12: $1.67 < x < 5.00$, $3.5 < y < 7.0$

Adapting Prog006.cpp (run as compiled program)

Display 12 slices

Tree name: LampsTree

Change `double P[MAX_PAR]` to `int P[MAX_PAR]`

Change values of Mx, Cx, My, Cy calibration of MWPC

Prepare/Modify SliceData.txt 3 x 4

line 100: Constructors of histograms:

Change the x and y ranges according to detector dimensions (11cm x 16cm)

Lines 111-112: Change P[] indices for MWPC1 instead of MWPC2

Left-Right reversal: MWPC1XR - MWPC1XL according to as decided

<code>x_MWPC=Mx*(P[3]-P[2])+Cx;</code>	<code>//MWPC1XR - MWPC1XL</code>
<code>y_MWPC=My*(P[4]-P[5])+Cy;</code>	<code>//MWPC1YU - MWPCYD</code>

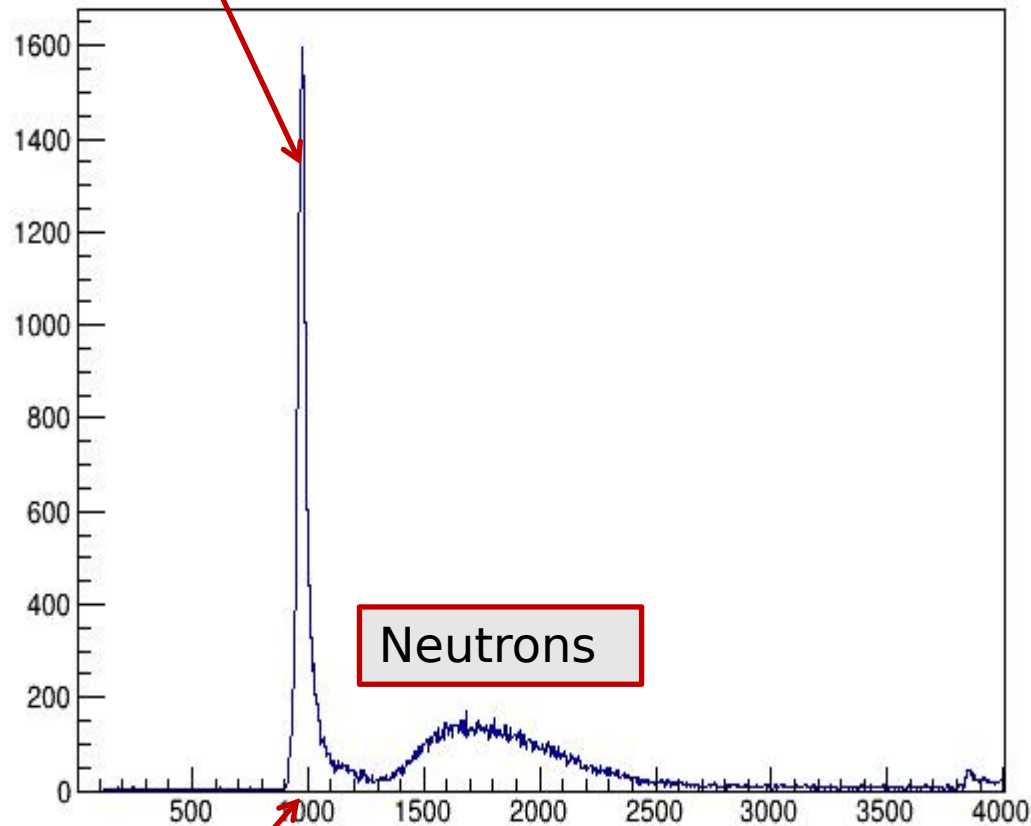
No other changes even though slicing is different

Added: `Progress printf` line

Added: `<chrono>`

Calculating neutron energy

Gamma Peak



Neutrons

Position of
Gamma
Peak

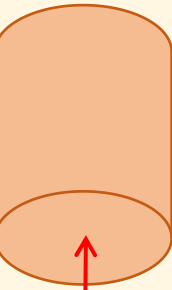
Velocity of light, $c = 29.979 \text{ cm/ns}$

$$T(ns) = TSlope \times (P - G) + \frac{175}{29.979}$$

$$T(ns) = TSlope \times (P - G) + 5.837$$

$$E_n = \frac{1}{2} m_n v^2 = 0.5 \frac{939.56}{29.979^2} \left(\frac{175}{2} \right)^2$$

$$E_n = \frac{1.601e4}{[TSlope \times (P - G) + 5.837]^2} \text{ MeV}$$



175 cm

Adapting Prog007.cpp (run as compiled program)

Tree name: LampsTree

Change double P[MAX_PAR] to int P[MAX_PAR]

NDet=49

Change values of Mx, Cx, My, Cy calibration of MWPC

Add GetTCalib() to read TDC calibrations for individual neutron detectors

We need only the slopes (ns/ch) in tCal.txt not the offsets

Line 150,151: Change indices of P[]

Line 154: No change as P[] indexes do not need correction

Line 156: changed for two reasons (see previous slide)

$$En = 1.601e4 / \text{pow}(\text{TSlope}[\text{DetNo}] * (\text{P}[2 * \text{DetNo} + 11] - \text{GPos}[\text{DetNo}]) + 5.837, 2.)$$

Added: Progress printf line

Added: <chrono>