

# **SoLID Collaboration Meeting**

## **Heavy gas Cerenkov Update**

**August 19<sup>th</sup>, 2013**

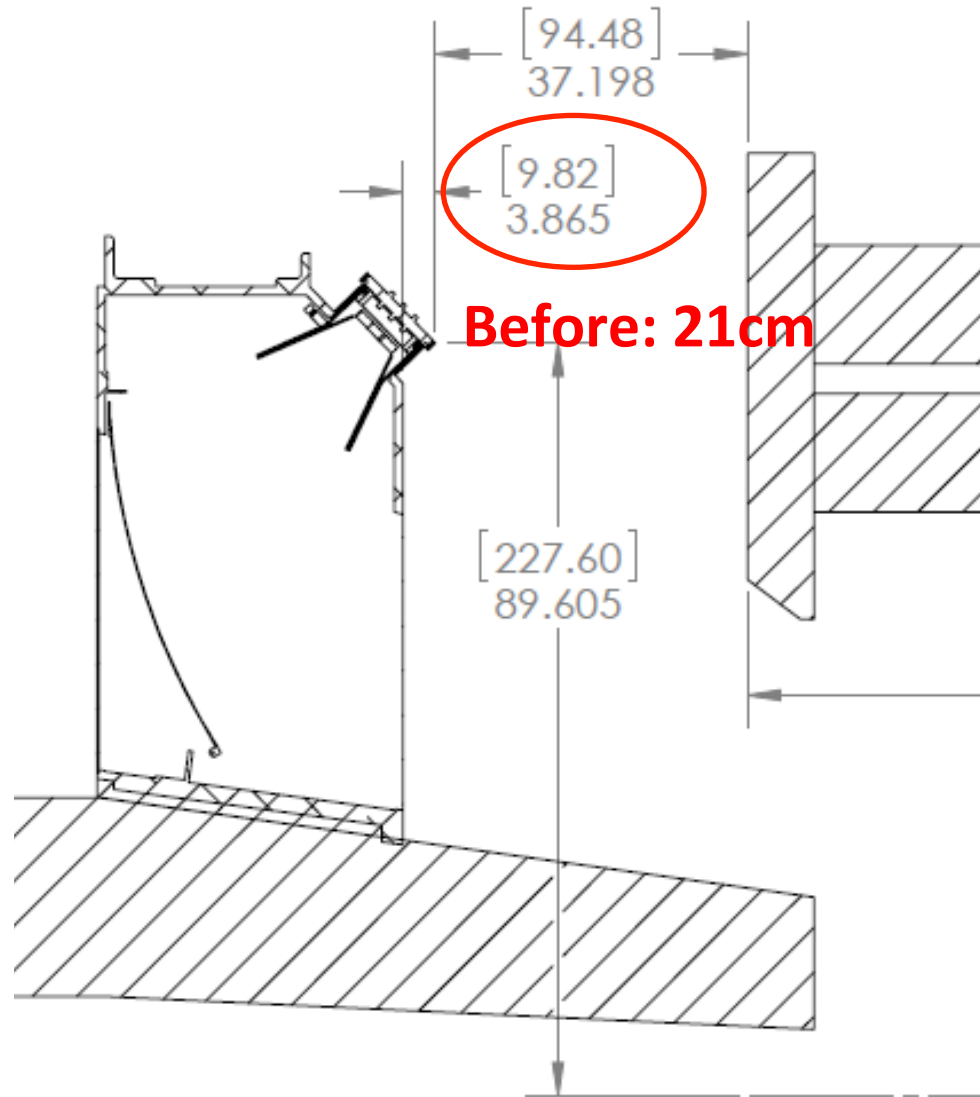
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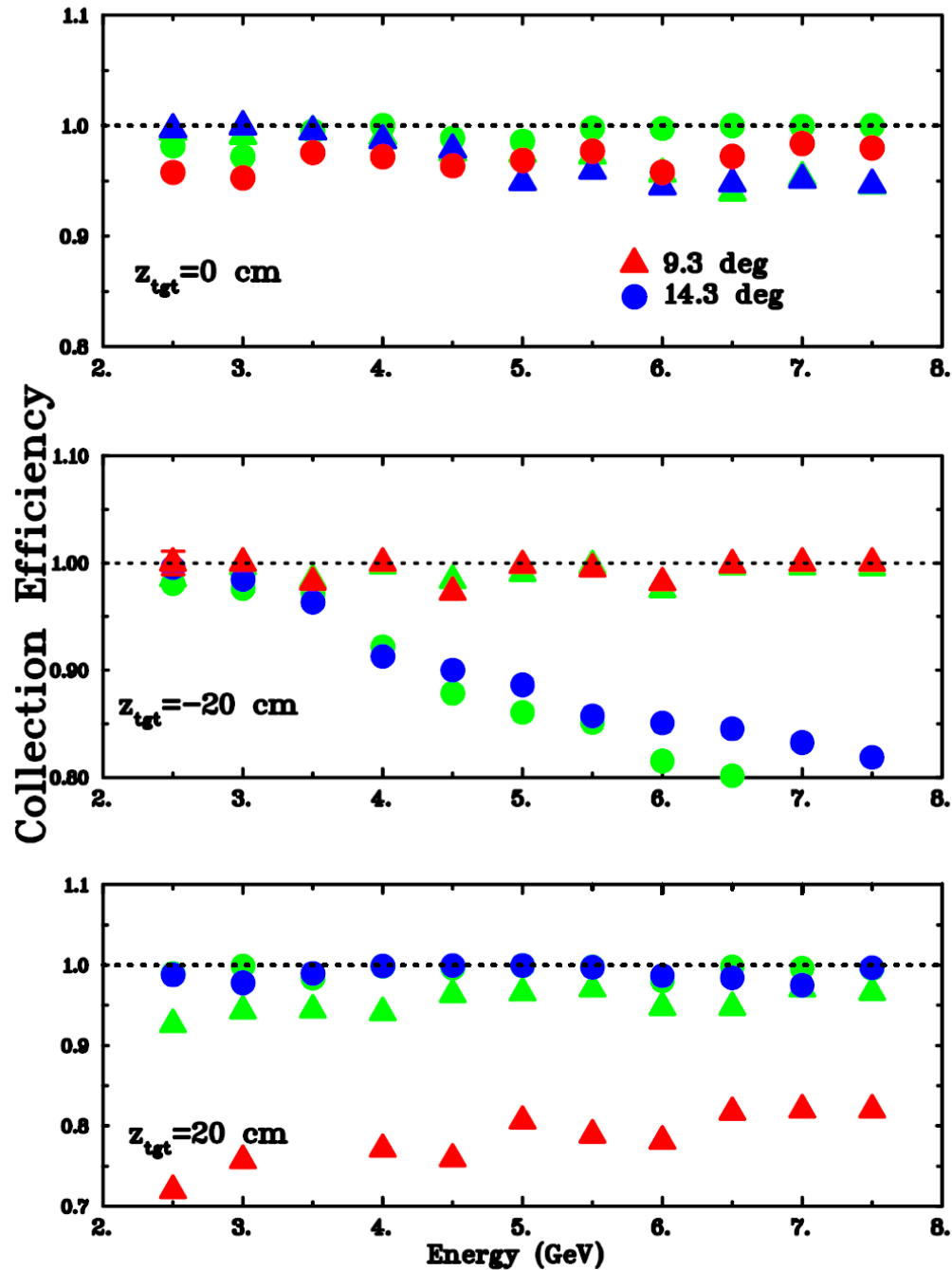
# “New” Tank

Last meeting: 10cm shift.

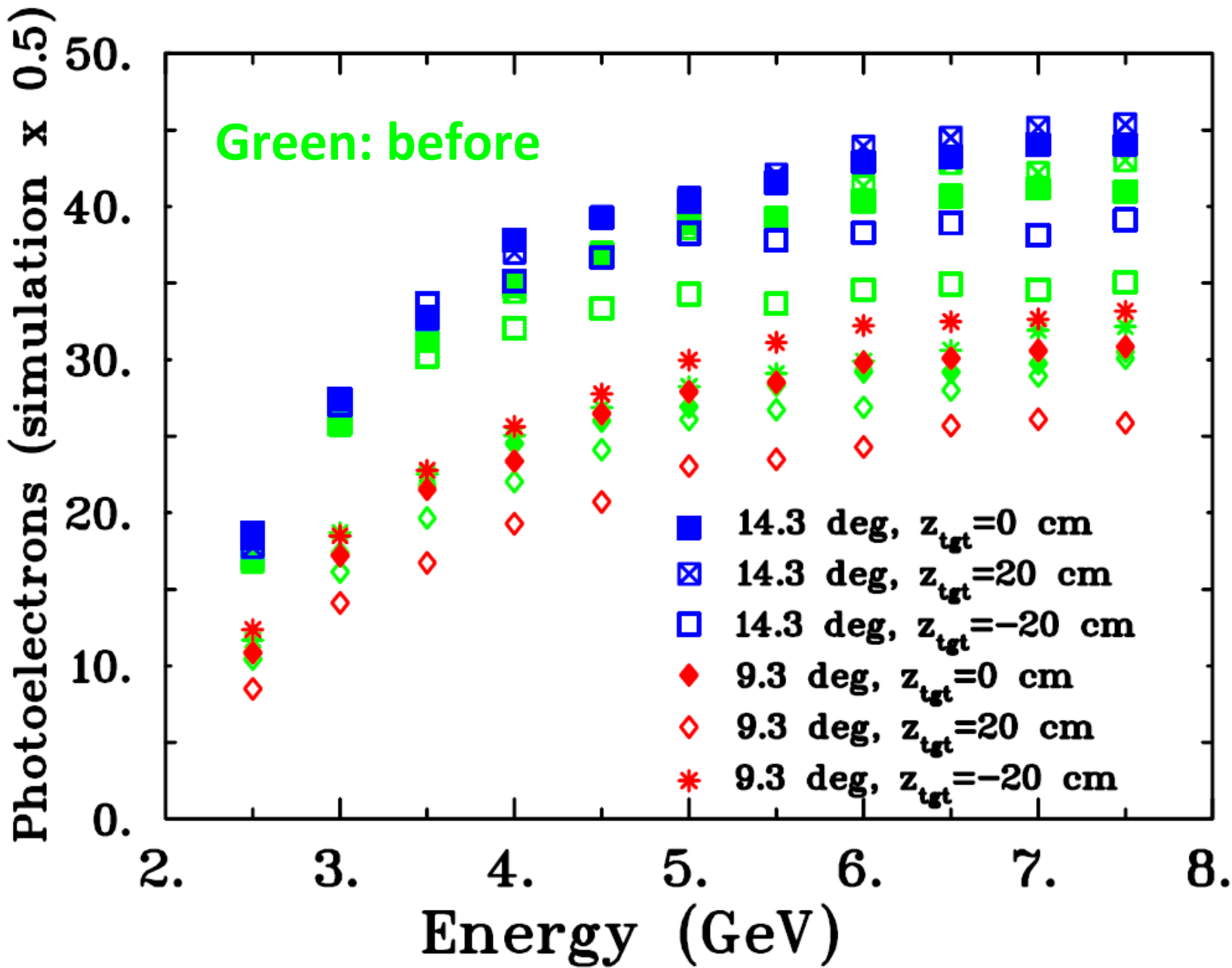
- Downstream shift of PMTs, cones and mirrors
- Use the 10cm between the two Cherenkov to extend the tank (modification not shown on the drawing)



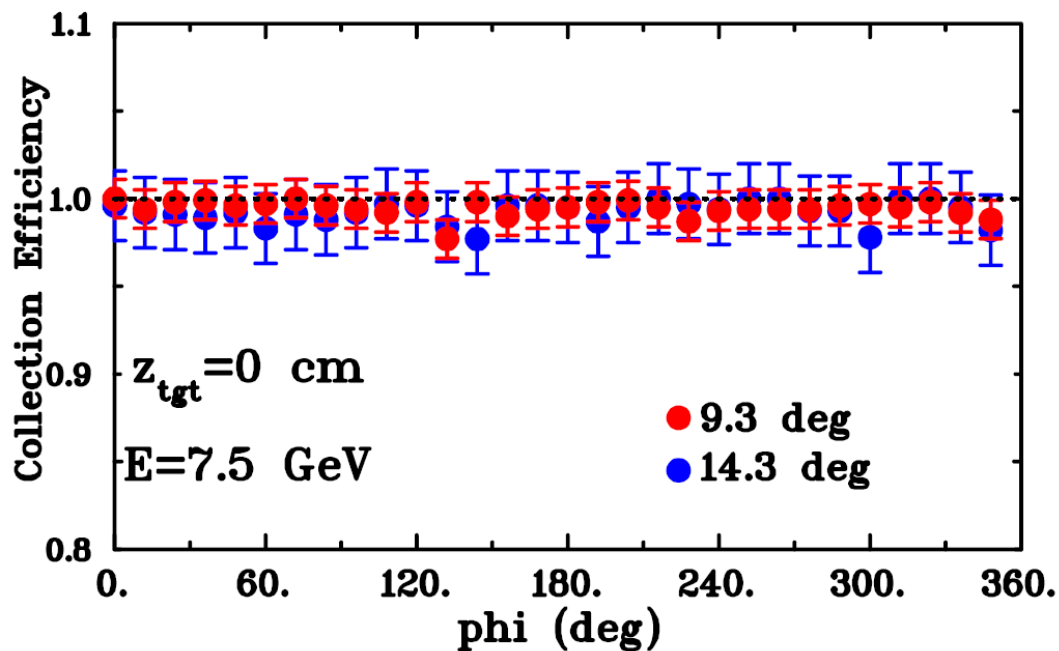
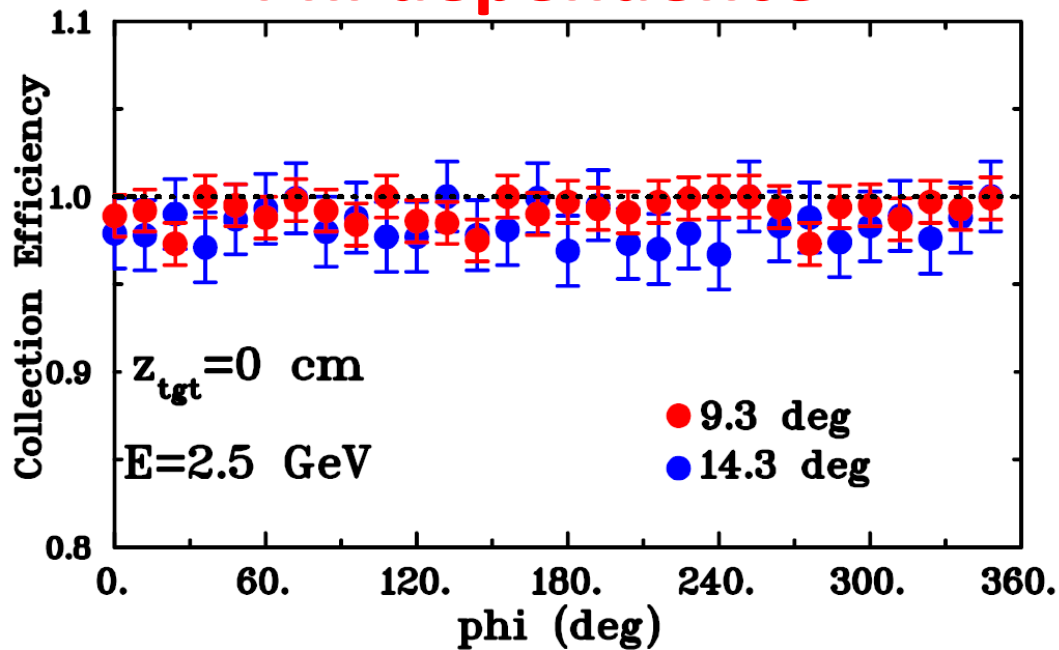
# Collection Efficiency



# Photoelectrons

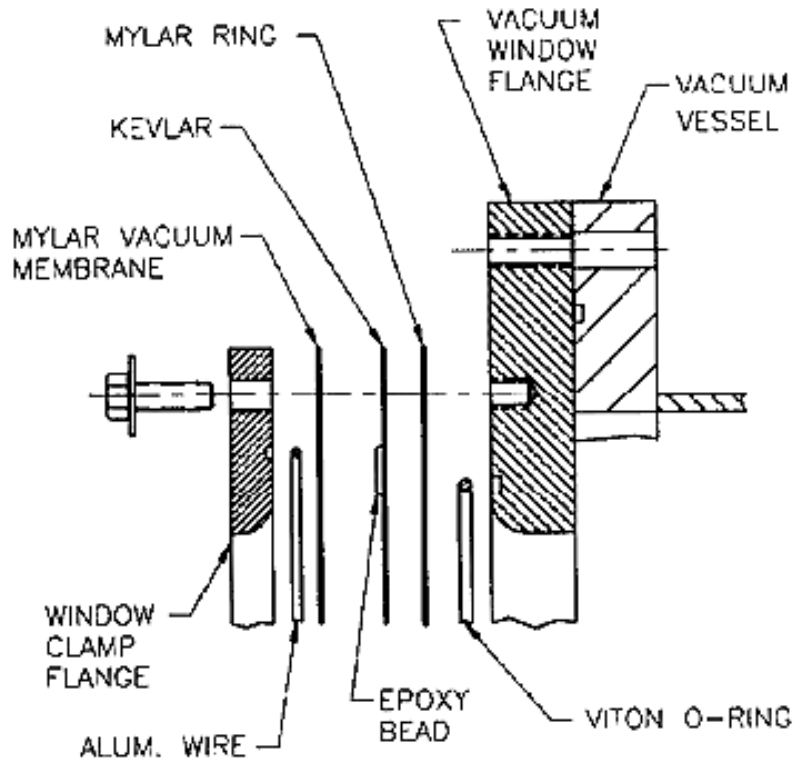


# Phi dependence



# Tank Windows

W. J. Leonhardt and M. Mapes, DESIGN OF LARGE APERTURE, LOW MASS VACUUM WINDOWS, 1993, BNL



Test No	Window Size	Thickness, Kevlar/Mylar	Pressure at Failure
1	91.4 circular	0.58/0.13mm	4.1 atm
2	"	0.43/0.13	4.1
3	"	0.30/0.13	2.0
4	122x61 rect.	0.38/0.13	3.2
5	"	0.30/0.13	2.5
6	"	0.30/0.05	2.3
7	"	0.25/0.13*	1.5
8	"	0.30/0.05	**
9	193x86 rect.	0.43/0.13	2.7
10	"	0.43/0.05	2.5
11	"	0.30/0.05	1.4

**Window Assembly:**  
-Mylar/Kevlar layers  
-Epoxy for sealing

**About the same area than  
1-2 sectors**

# Heavy Gas Cherenkov Status

- Optimization performed for the larger 9.3-14.3° range
- Write-up is done, need to update the design part
- Check the influence of the windows on the light collection system performances
- Improve the design based on the 10cm shift (need more info on the magnet to move forward)
- Finalize the implementation of the Cherenkov into GEMC for PID and rate study.

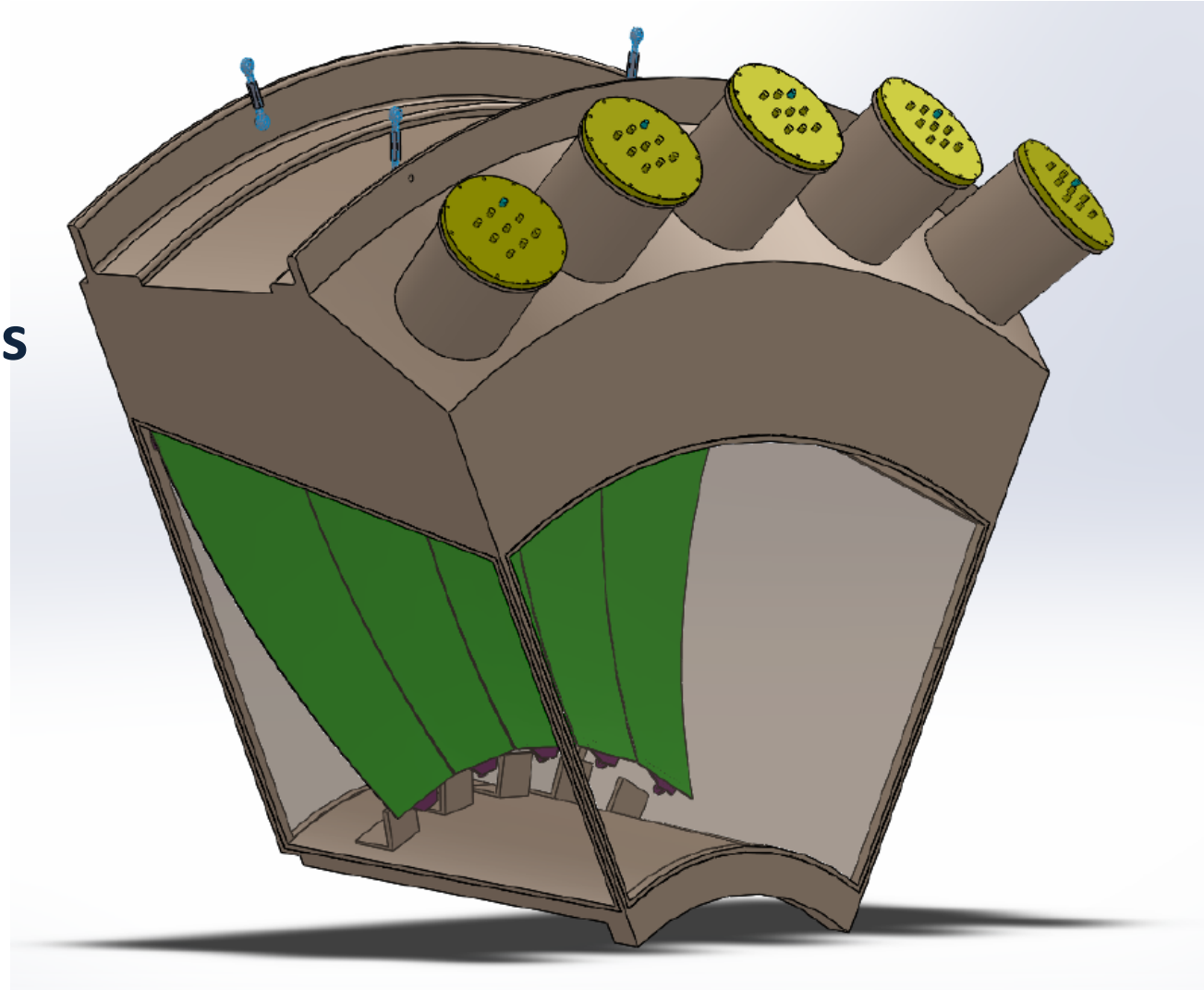


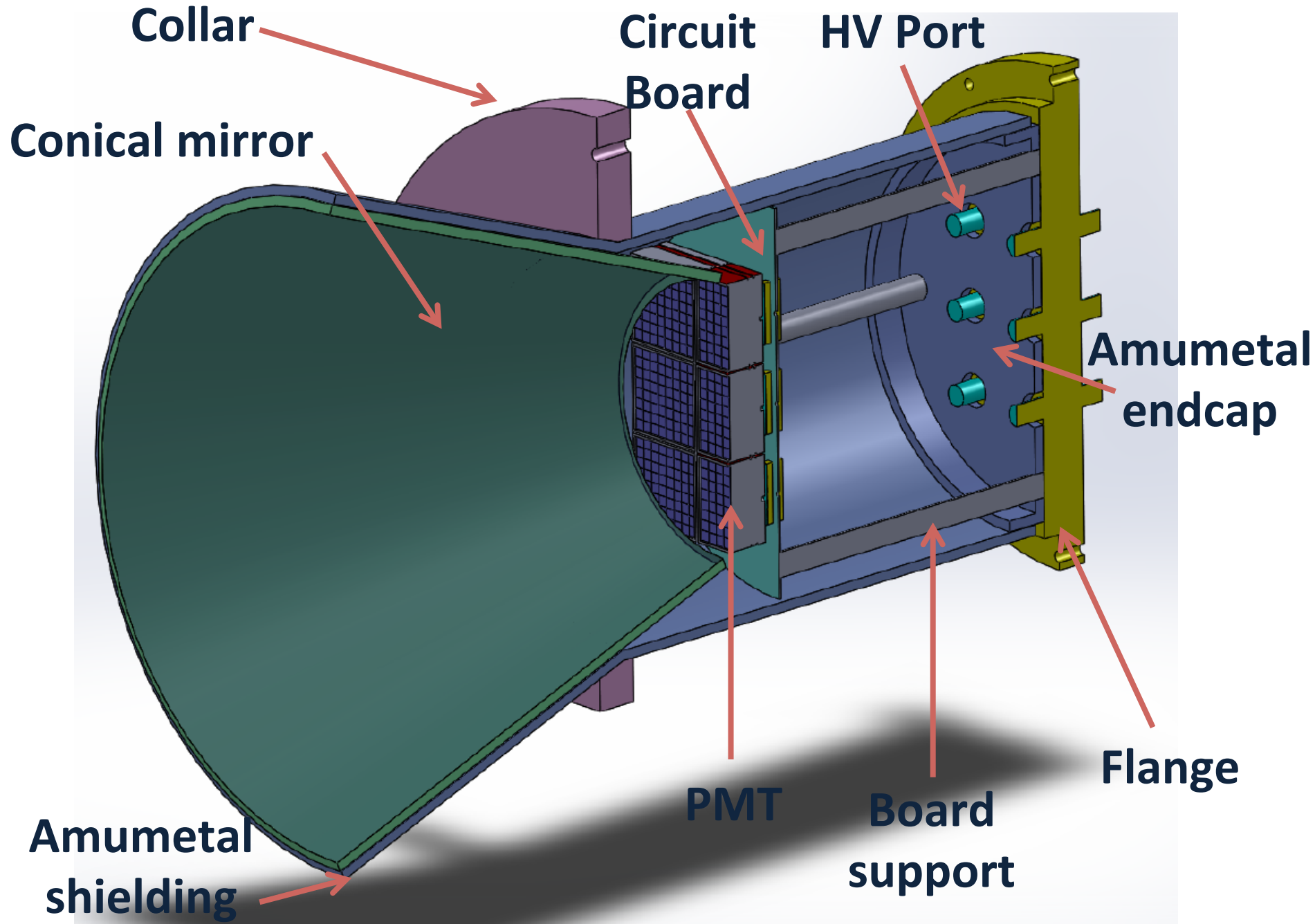


**6 segments of 60°**

**With 5 sets of**

- PMTS**
- Conical mirrors**
- Spherical mirrors**

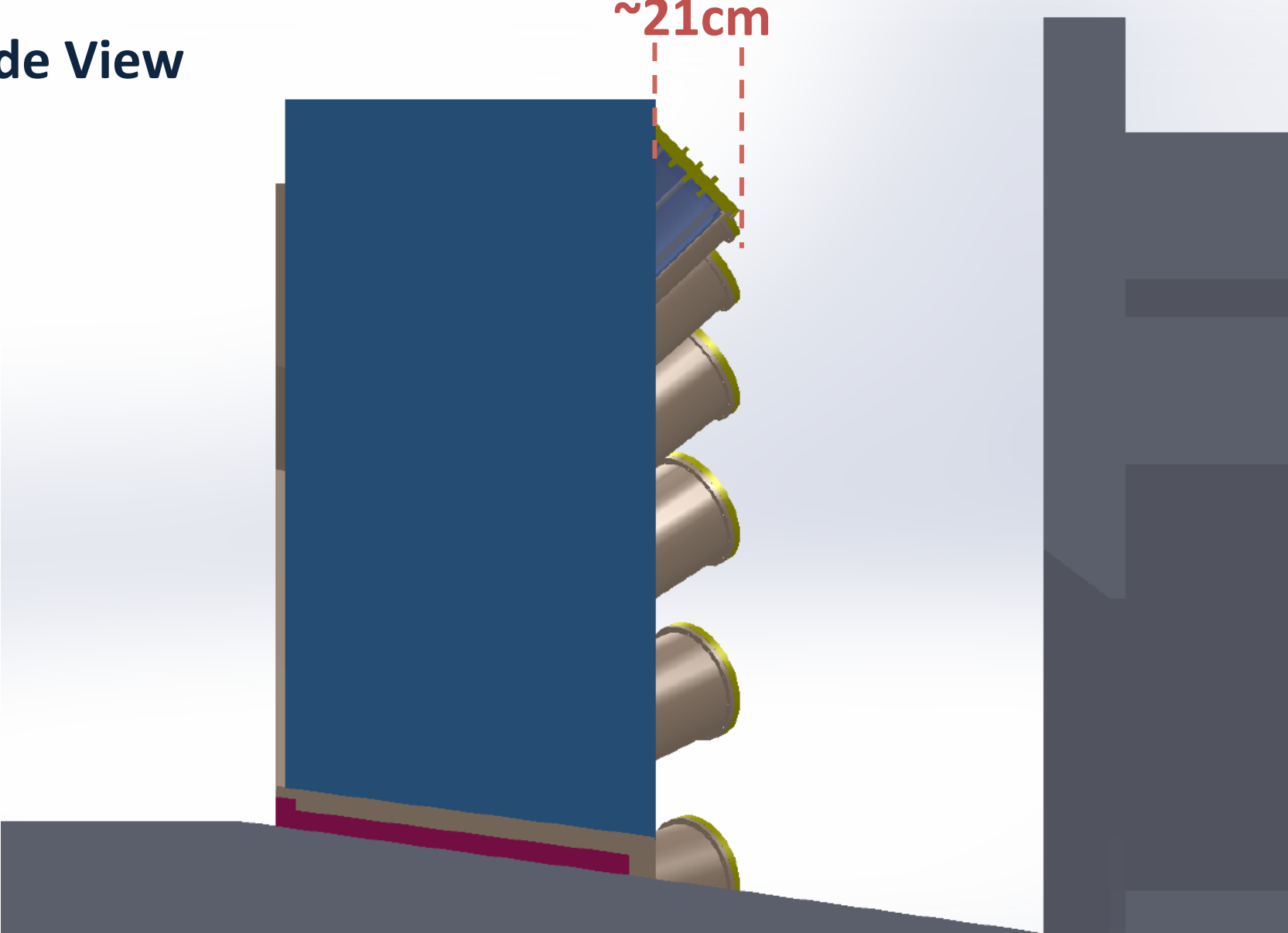




# Last Meeting Space Issue

Side View

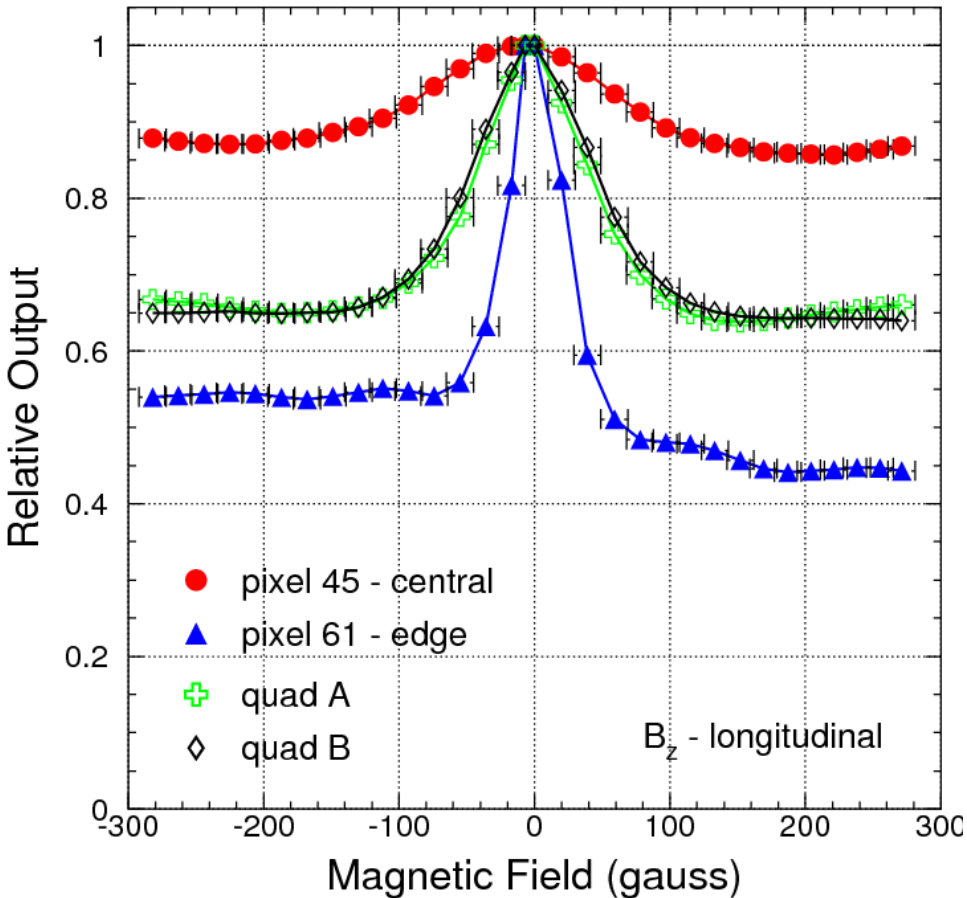
~21cm



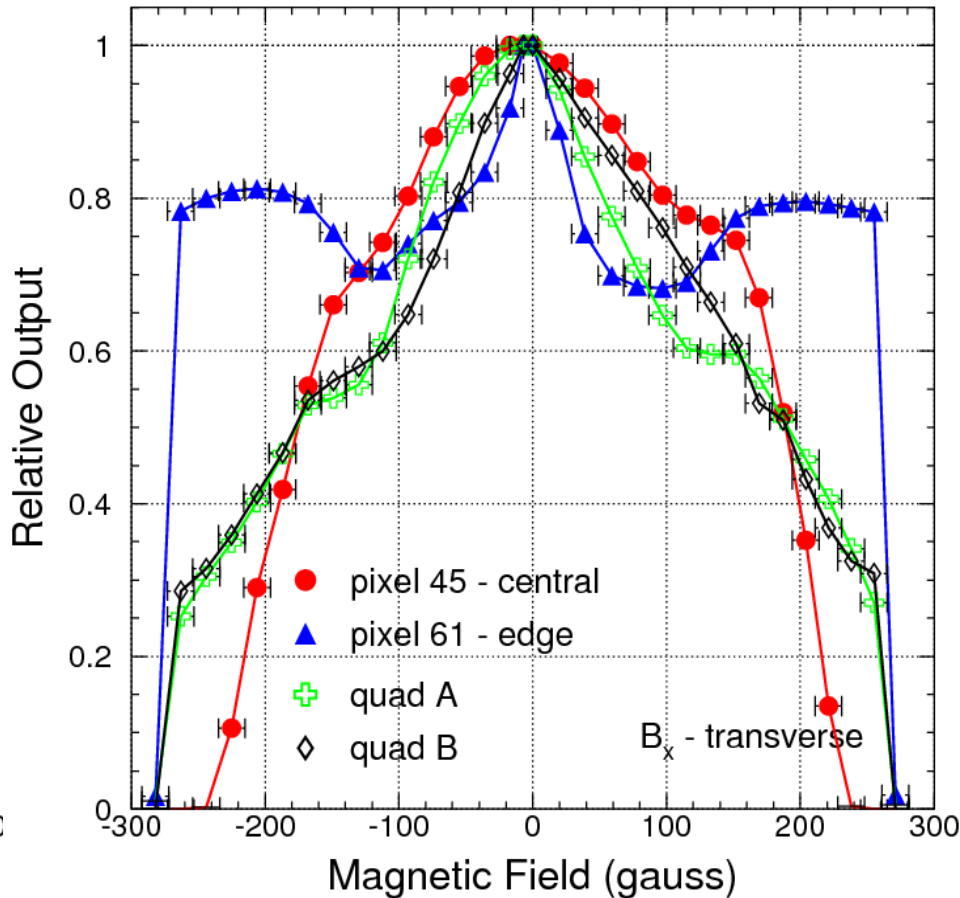
# Cost Estimate

	COST	
Mirrors		\$277k
PMTs		\$837k
Tank	Material	\$50k
	Assembly hardware	\$15k
	Shop work	\$100k
Gas System	System Sensor, Piping	\$50k
	Recovering System	\$35k
Gas		\$154k
Total		<b>\$1.58M +3/4 technician year</b>

# PMT response to magnetic field



**Longitudinal**



**Transverse**

Pictures from Simona's study

# Space Issue

## Amuneal results:

Previous length is already enough for an excellent shielding:

- longitudinal direction: from 200 G to 10-20 G
- transverse: from 100 G to 5-7 G

Reduce the length of the box by 50%:

- longitudinal direction: from 200 G to 15-30 G
- transverse: from 100 G to 3-5 G

-> Gain of 10cm max in the z-direction

-> Need to move the calorimeter and MRPC

-> Optimization performed for a 10cm downstream shift