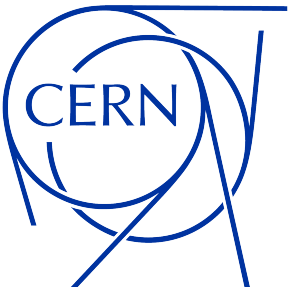


# Results from the CERN TB Geant4 simulation

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# Geant4 validation on test beam data

The Geant4 Collaboration started in May 2021 a new validation program on test beam data targeting both hadronic and electromagnetic calorimeters.

◆ Lead by the EP-SFT Group under the supervision of Alberto Ribon.

◆ Four beam tests selected:

❖ ATLAS Hadronic Endcap Calorimeter (HEC)



Completed.

❖ ATLAS Tile Calorimeter (TileCal)



To be done.

❖ The 2020 Dual-Readout fiber calorimeter (em-sized)



Ongoing, to be presented today.

❖ Calice iron/scintillator hadronic technological prototype



To be done.

# The G4 simulation of the CERN dual-readout TB

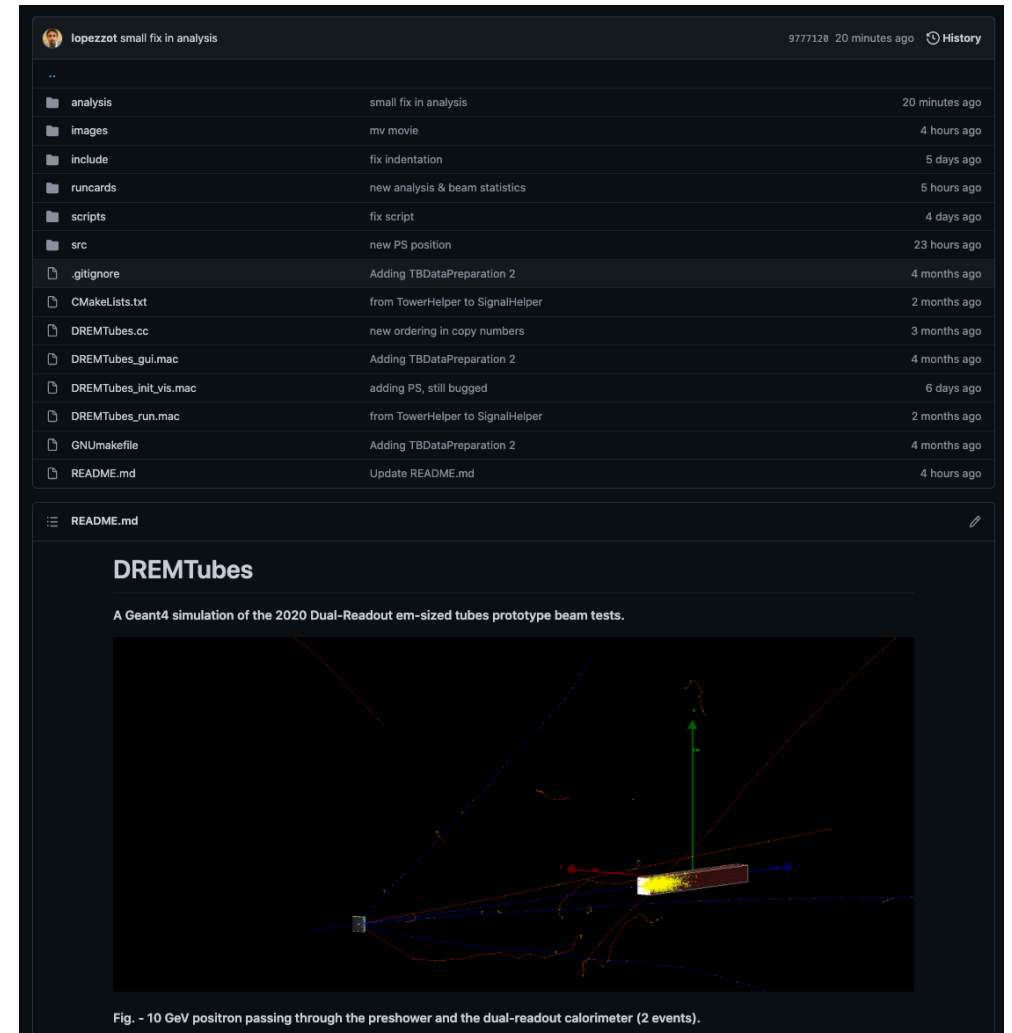
The **Geant4 simulation** code is located in the common TB software repository:

- ◆ [\[github\]](#) & [\[documentation\]](#)
- ◆ Already presented at this meeting as on *v1.1* [\[presentation\]](#),
- ◆ and as part of the whole test beam software as on *v1.2* [\[presentation\]](#).

Today's results obtained with *v1.3* to be released soon.

## Updates since *v1.2*:

- ◆ Added the possibility to **read out 9 towers** independently, including the SiPM-readout tower.
- ◆ Updated the materials according to the 2020 prototype (Cu->CuZn(70/30)).
- ◆ Tuned the **light yields** on preliminary CERN TB data.
- ◆ Added the **preshower** description.

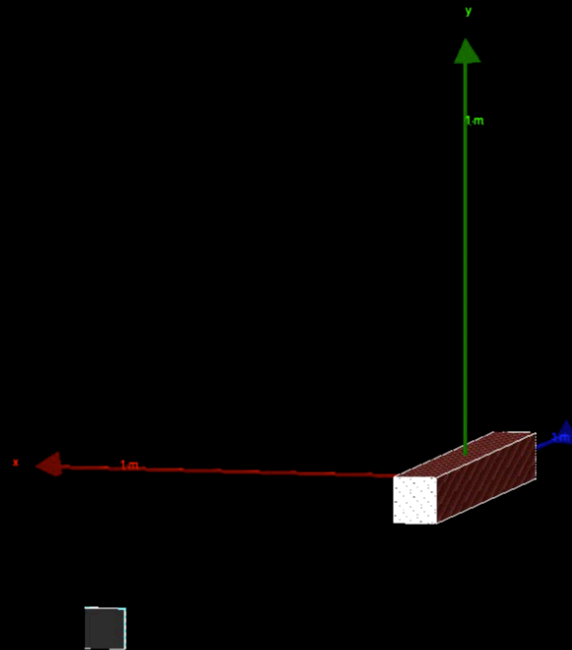


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Geant4+Qt+ppmtompeg

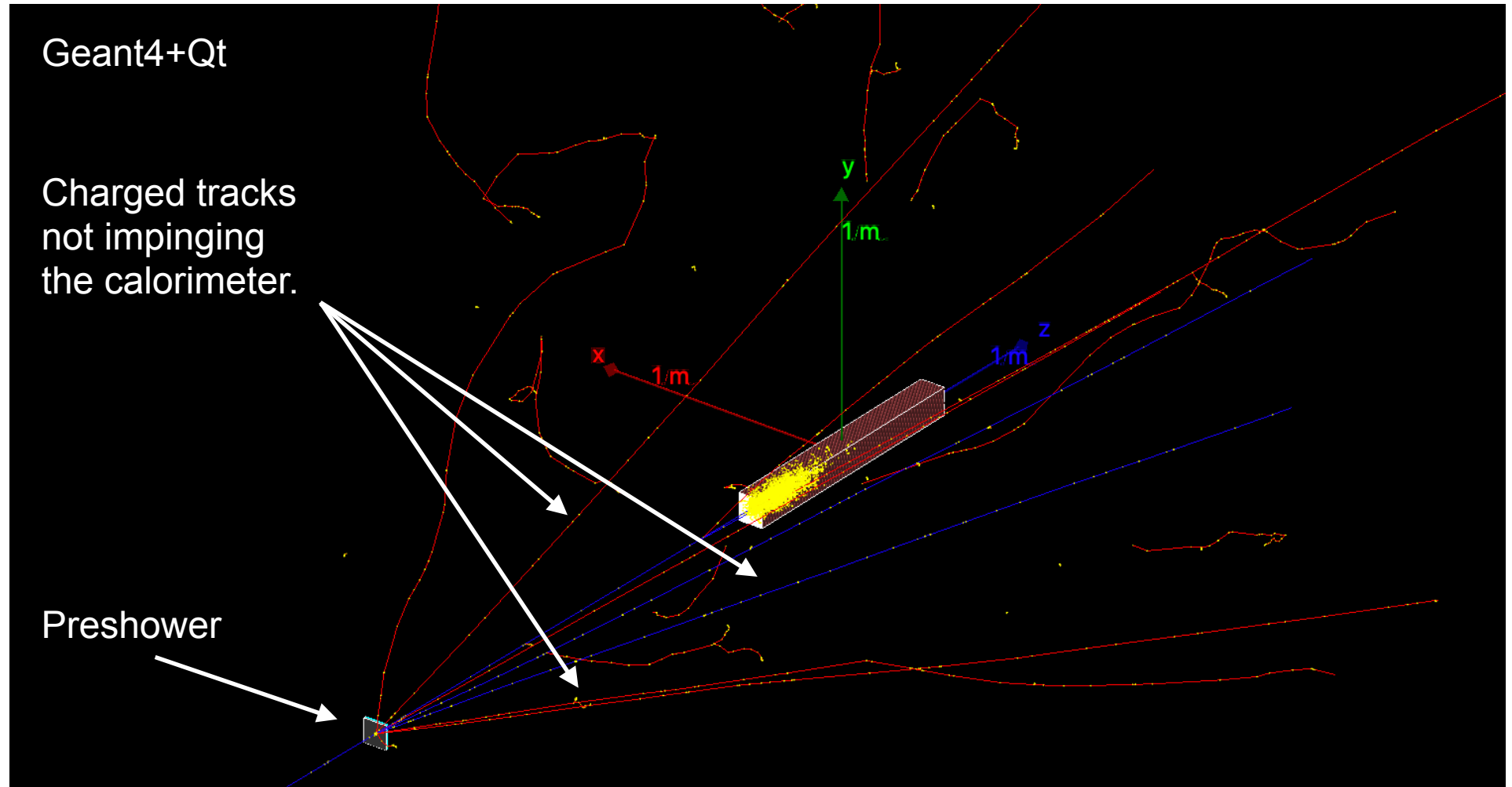
10 GeV  $e^+$  impinging the preshower and the calorimeter.



For .pdf usage, this is a video!

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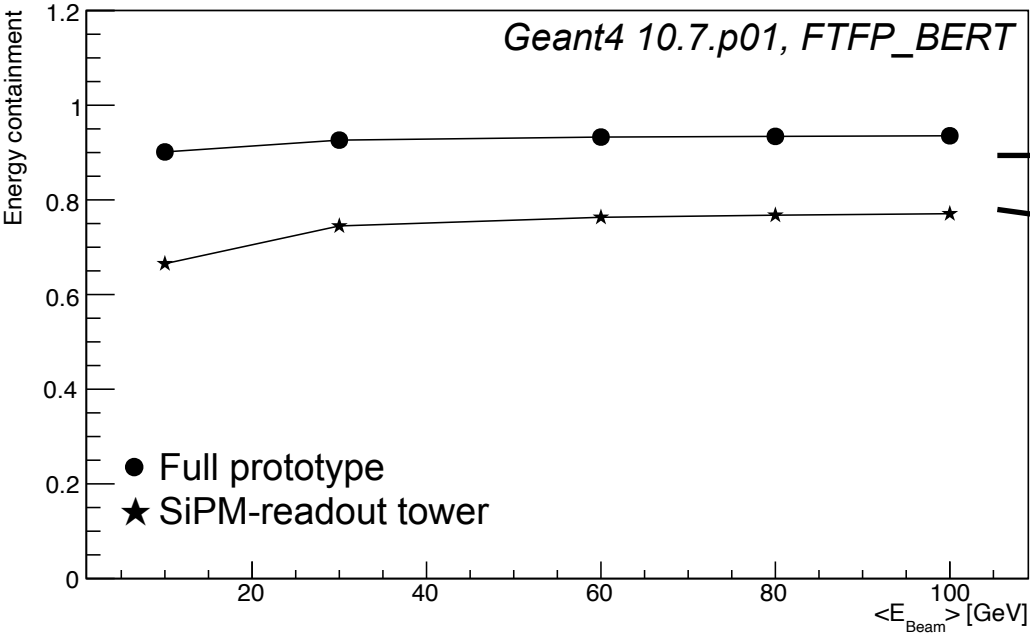
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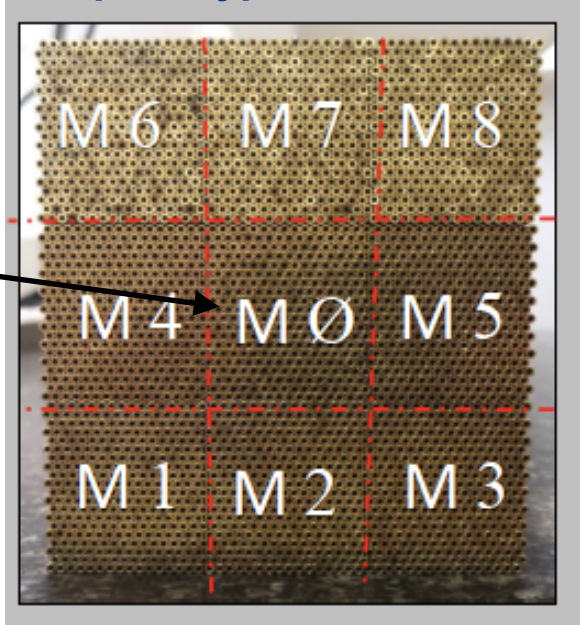
# Results ( $e^+$ )

- ◆ Results for pure  $e^+$  beams (10-100 GeV) shot at the M0 center, passing through the preshower. No event selection applied.

**Average energy containment**  
Calculated as the average ionizing energy deposition by any track in the calorimeter, divided by the beam energy.



Full prototype - 9 towers

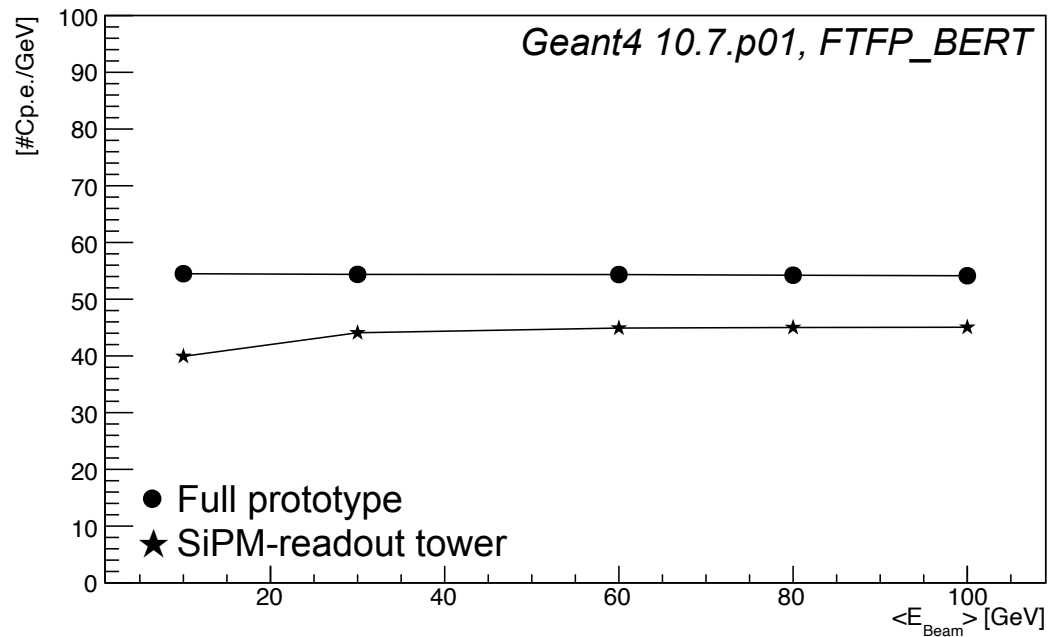


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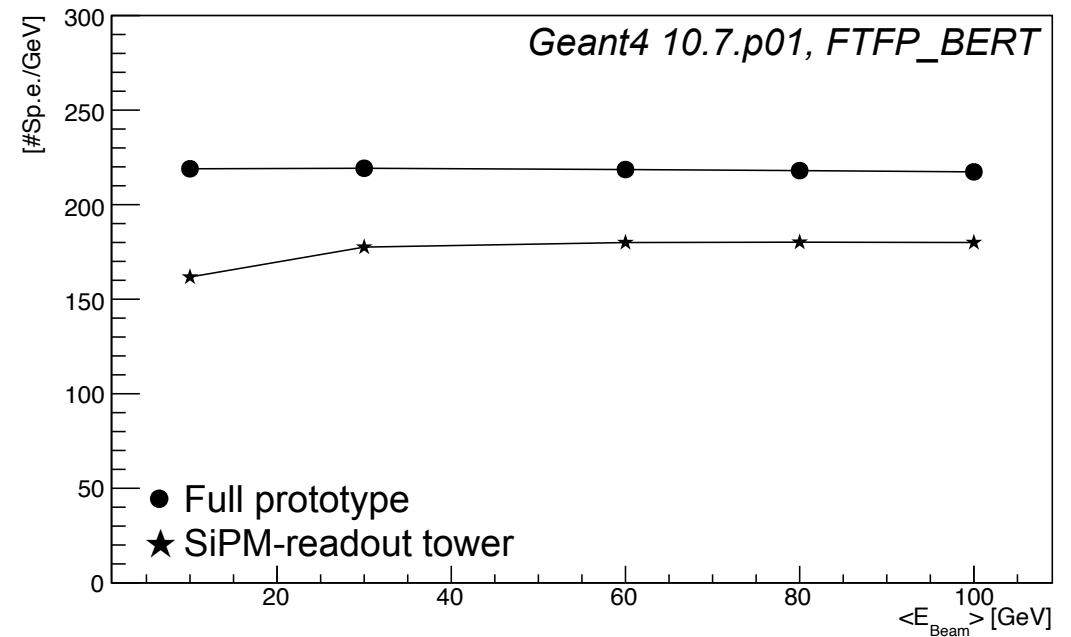
## Cherenkov response

Calculated as the average Cherenkov signal (p.e.) per unit of deposited energy (GeV).



## Scintillation response

Calculated as the average scintillation signal (p.e.) per unit of deposited energy (GeV).

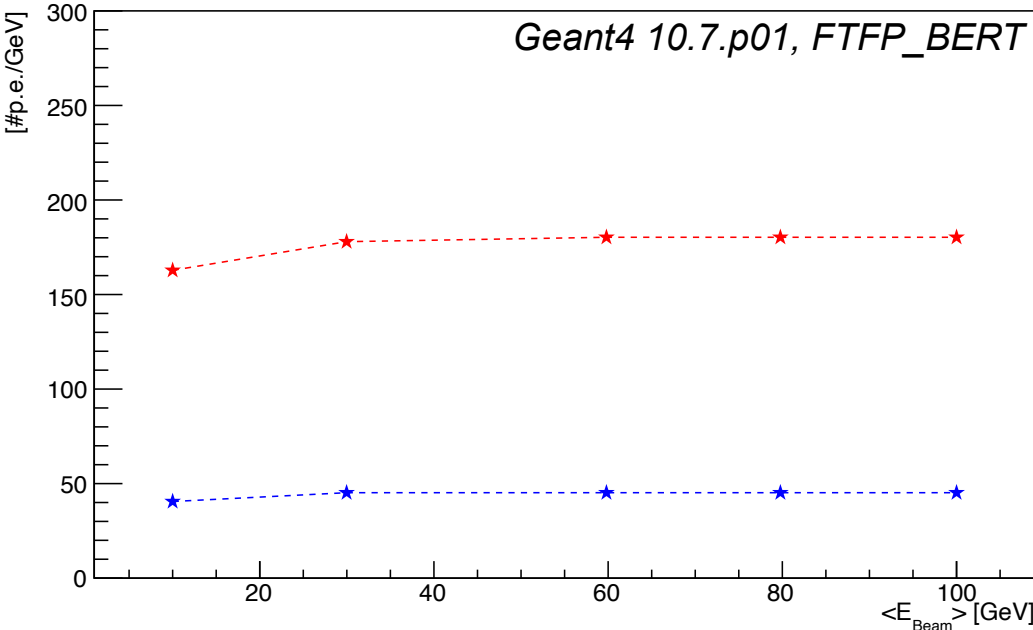


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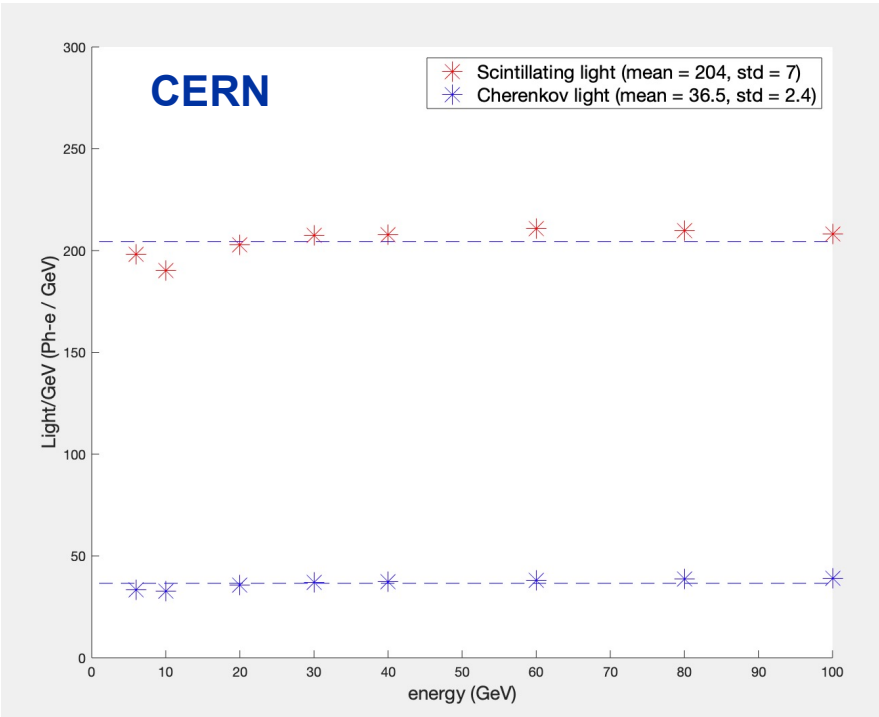
### SiPM light yields

Calculated as the average signals (p.e.)  
in the SiPM-readout tower,  
per unit of deposited energy (GeV).



CERN TB - Preliminary

Courtesy of Romualdo.



G4 to be returned as soon as new light yields are computed.

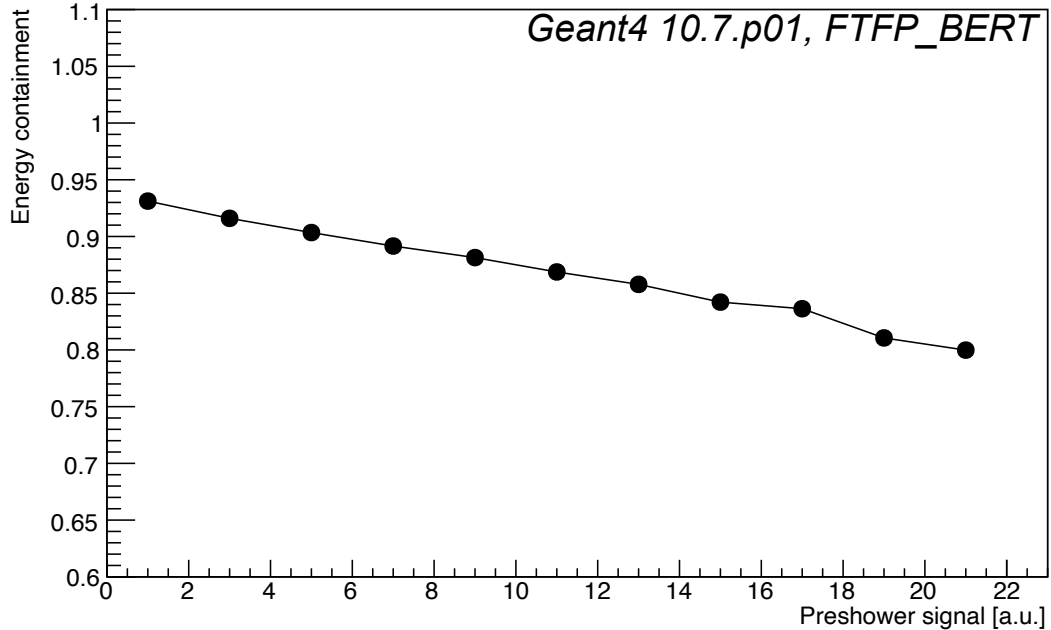


# Preshower effect on $e^+$ performance

- ◆ Results for 10 GeV pure  $e^+$  beam shot at the M0 center, passing through the preshower, as a function of the preshower signal.

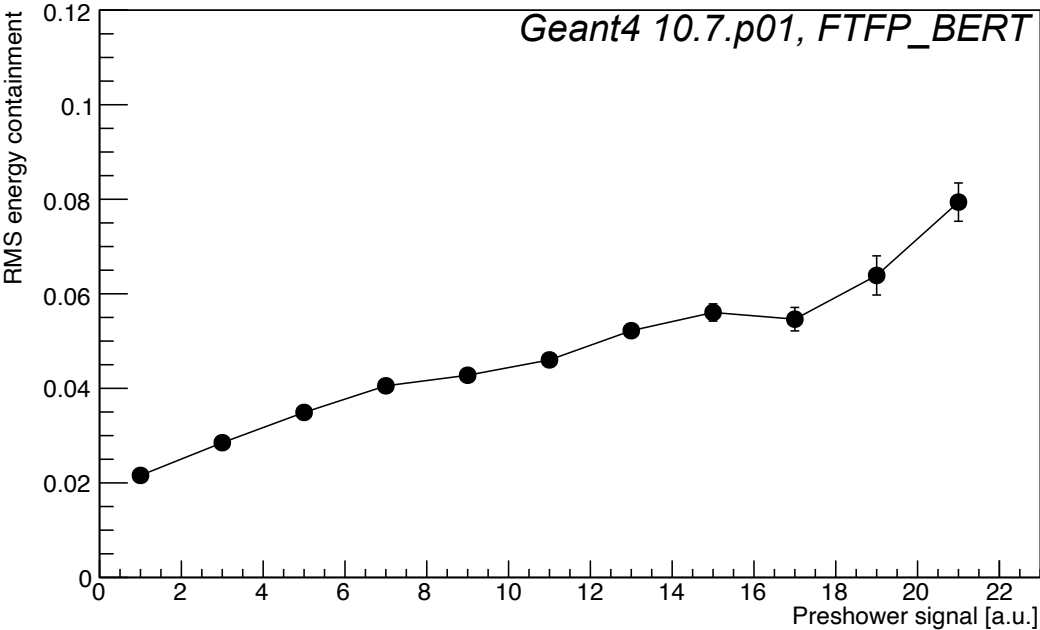
### Average energy containment

Calculated as the mean ionizing energy deposition from any track in the calorimeter, divided by the beam energy, as a function of the preshower signal.



### Energy containment RMS

Calculated as the RMS of the energy containment distribution, as a function of the preshower signal.



*Non negligible effect of the preshower on energy fluctuations.*

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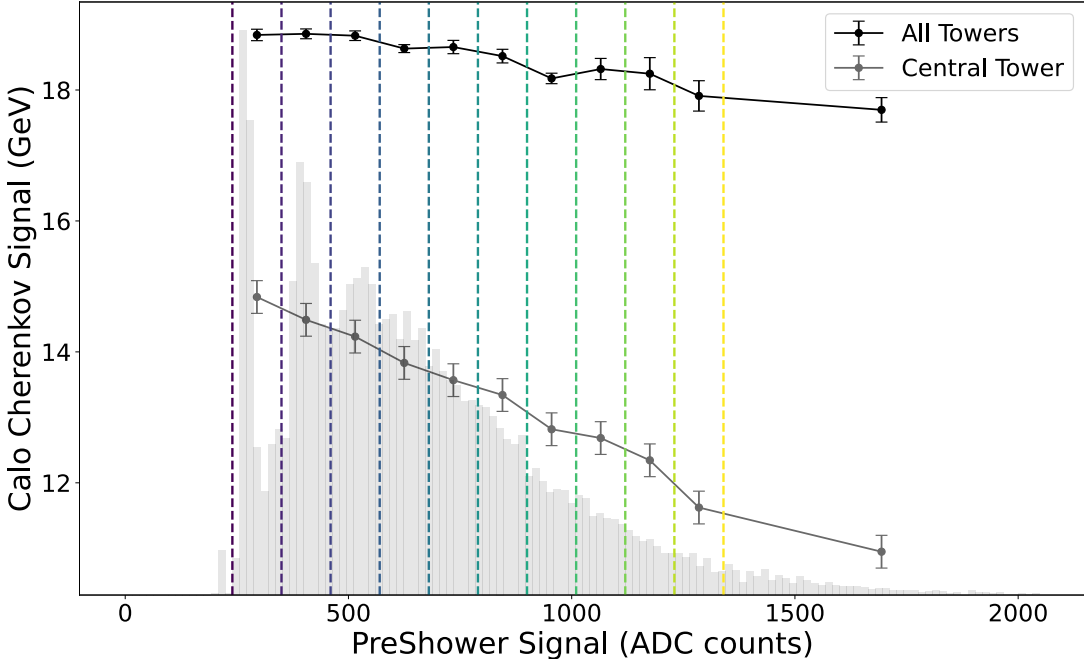
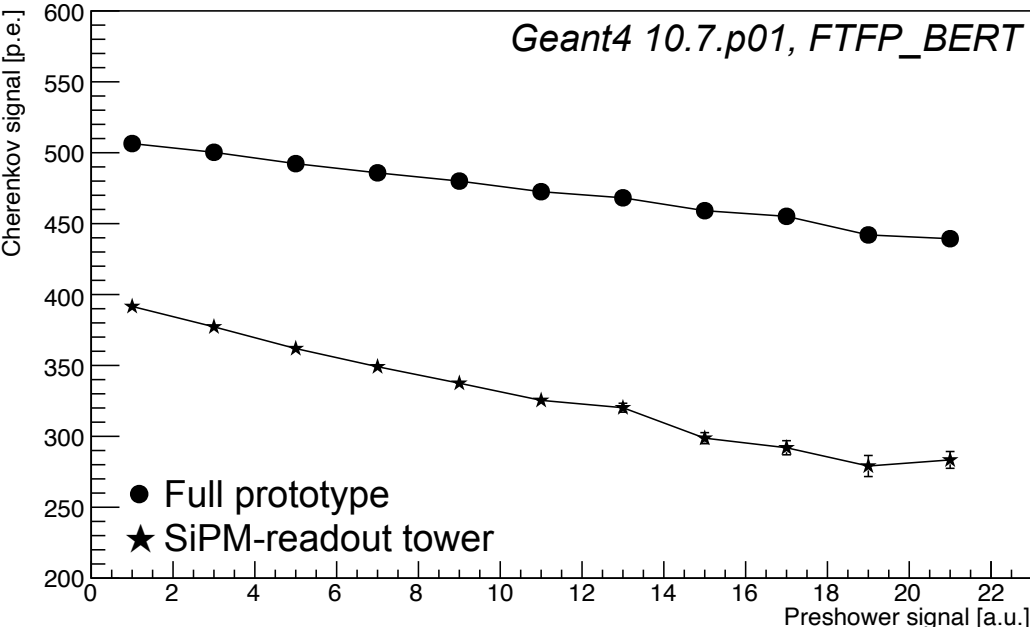
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Average Cherenkov signal  
10 GeV  $e^+$

Calculated as the mean Cherenkov signal,  
as a function of the preshower signal.

CERN TB 20 GeV  $e^+$  - Preliminary

Courtesy of Andreas and Iacopo.



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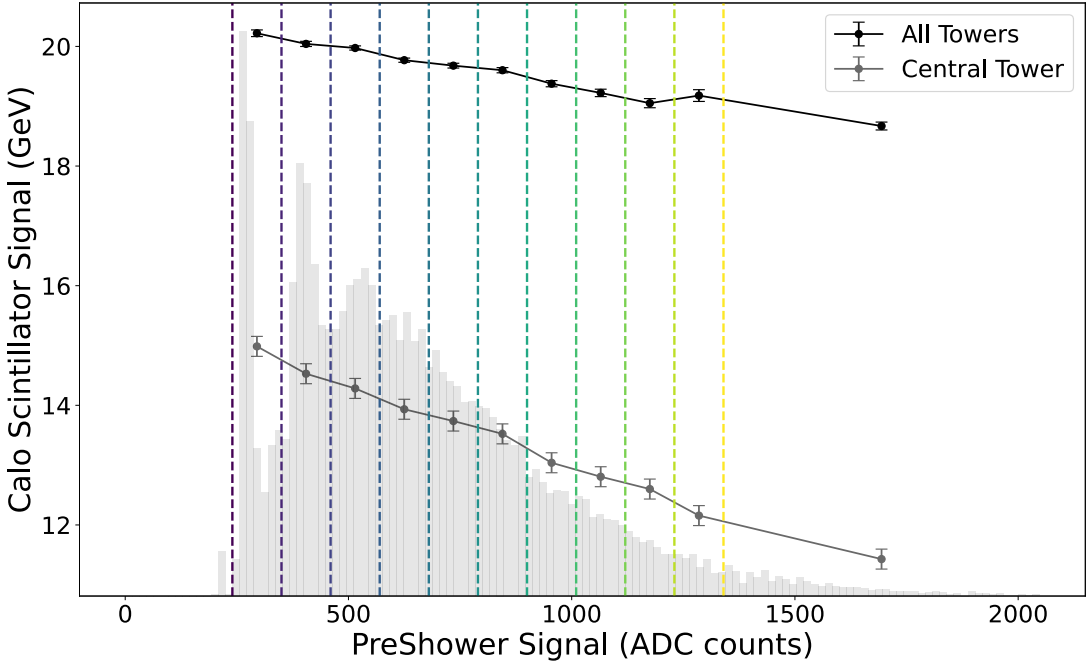
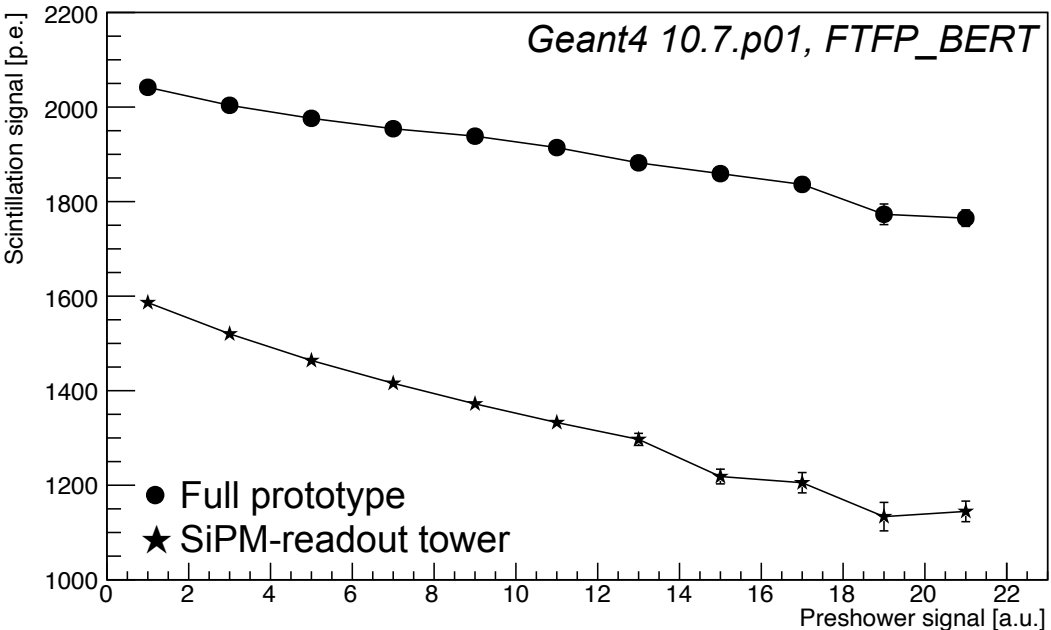
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Average scintillation signal  
10 GeV  $e^+$

Calculated as the mean scintillation signal,  
as a function of the preshower signal.

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# Conclusions and take home

- ◆ v1.3 of the dual-readout test beam sw is going to be released soon. Including:
  - ❖ Better SiPM data handling in ntuples calibration (pull request #28)
  - ❖ Adaptation of data merging and calibration for Desy test beam data (pull request #30)
  - ❖ Modifications of the Geant4 simulation discussed today (pull request to be drafted).
- ◆ The Geant4 simulation of the 2021 dual-readout beam tests is now ready for data production.
  - ❖ Need to start the data analysis and simulation interplay.
    - ❖ Simulation needs a new estimation of the light yields and the calibrated distributions for S/C signals (GeV).
    - ❖ Any other input from Geant4 for the analysis needed?
- ◆ The preshower effect of the detector performance is under investigation both with test beam data and simulations.
  - ❖ Do we all agree on how to handle it?