

AIDA wp 8.2.2 – LYSO Beam Radiation Monitor



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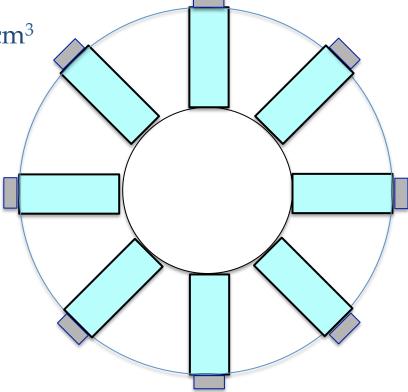


- The original task, the work on the LYSO calorimeter prototype, was completed before the AIDA network started
- This gives the opportunity to work on a somewhat different project for AIDA task 8.2.2
 - Claudia Cecchi: a beam radiation monitor that detects photons in the 100 keV to 500 keV energy range
- Since small LYSO crystals should be sufficient for this task, the following is a possible design



First design

- Arrange array of 8 LYSO crystals around the beam
- Crystal sizes are blocks of ~0.5x0.5x2 cm³
 - crystal faces are polished
 - uniform response
- Maybe use projective geometry
 - response is not uniform
 - need surface treatment
- Read out each crystal with SiPM (KETEK, Hamamatsu 3x3 mm²)



- Place a mirror at the end opposite to the SiPM
- Wrap crystal in white diffuse reflector (Teflon, Tyvek)



- Need to decide on crystal shapes and dimensions
- Order crystals and SiPMs
- Come up with a mechanical support structure
- Build the detector and test it with a photon source (¹³⁷Cs, ²²Na)
- Aim for late fall since we have two other tasks in WP9
 Due to organizational problems in Norway, we started late