1st Study of Tracker Misalignments with G4MICE

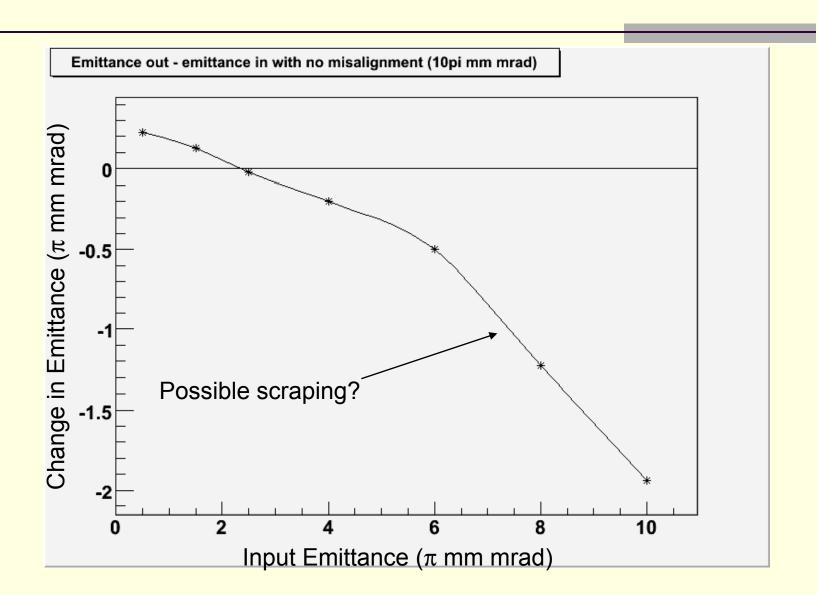
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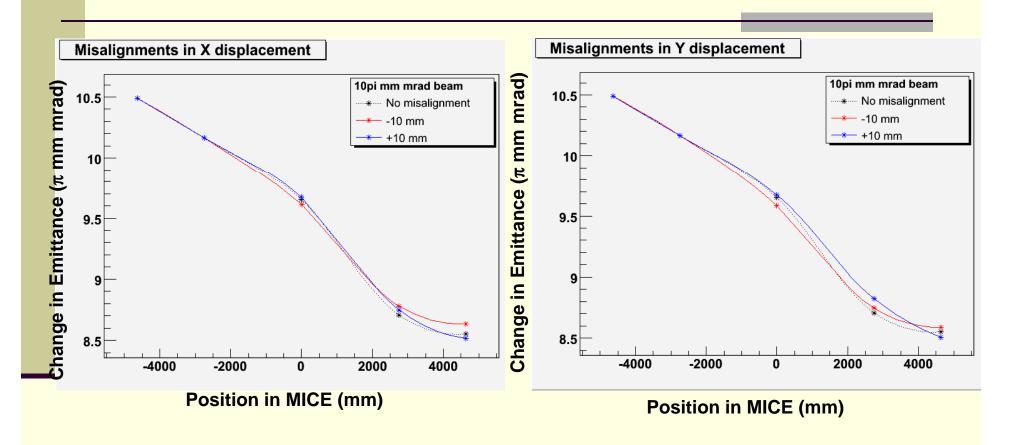
Scope

- G4MICE Simulations (No digitisation or reconstruction - yet!)
- Step VI, 1000 events, 7 beams: 0.5, 1.5, 2.5, 4, 6, 8, 10 pi mm mrad
- Second spectrometer (tracker+magnet) only one misaligned
- ±10 mm, ±3mrad, ±10mm & ±3mrad together, for x and y
- A total of 96 simulations (unfortunately the seeds were not changed for each simulation so results are probably correlated)
- Partially intended as training exercise

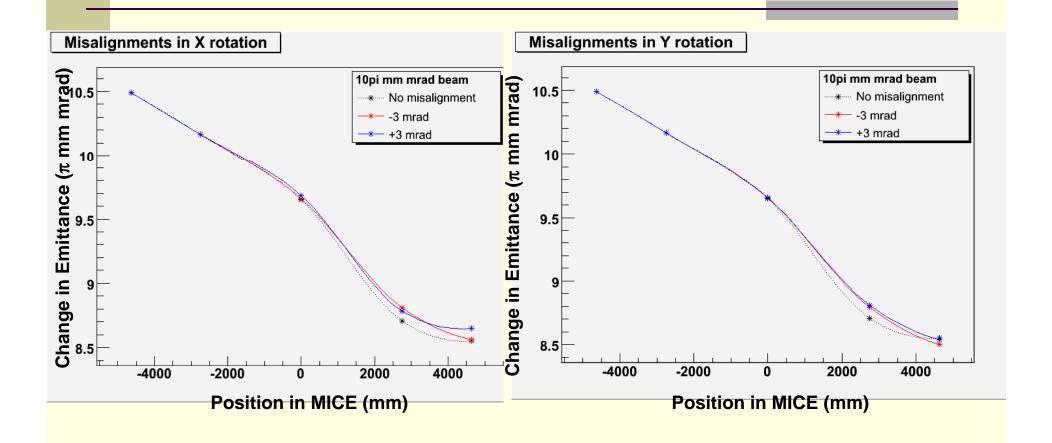
Baseline



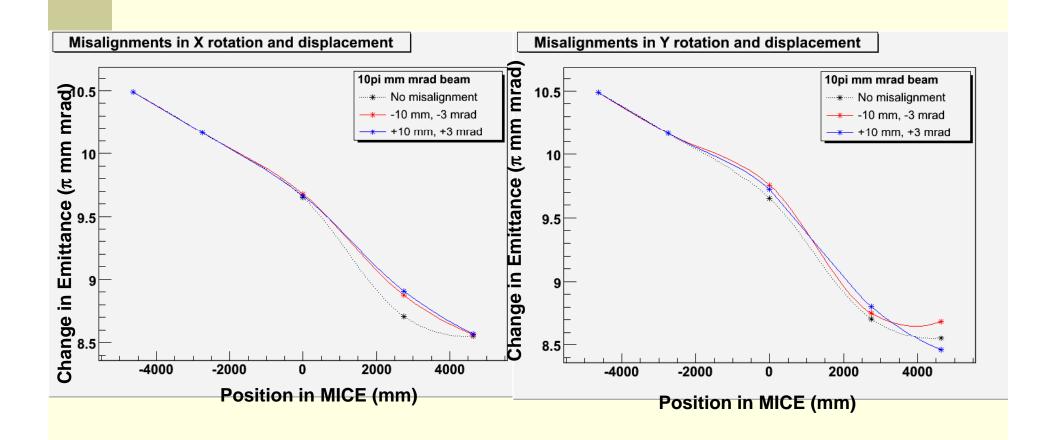
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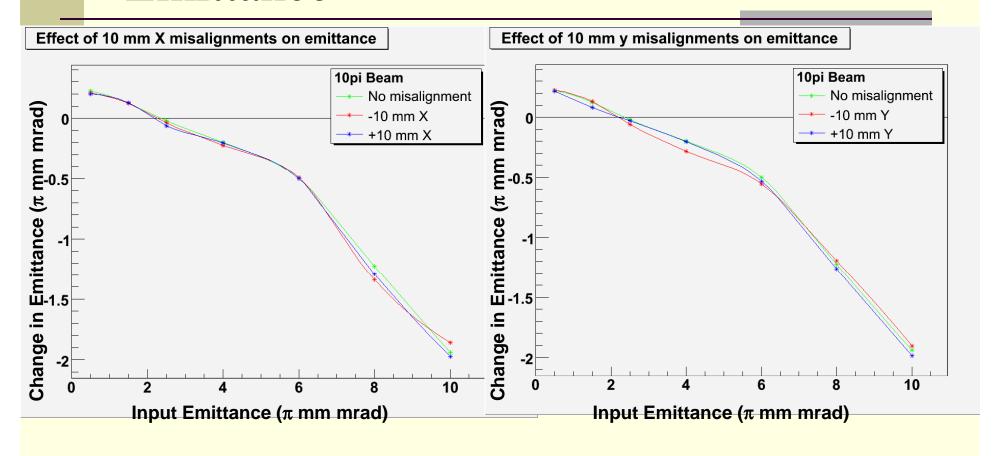
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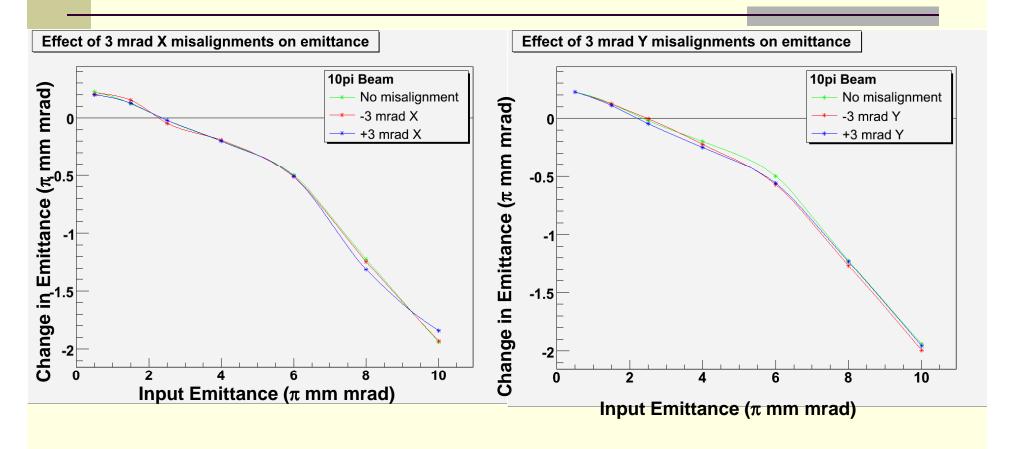
10π mm mrad (translation+rotation)



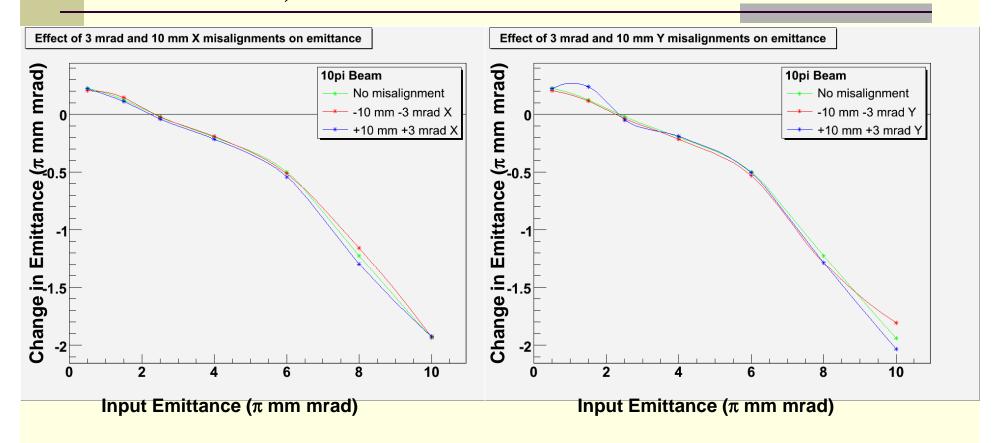
Effect of Misalignment (translation) on Emittance



Effect of Misalignment (rotation) on Emittance



Effect of Misalignment (translation & rotation) on Emittance



Percentage Changes

Percentage Changes in emittance due to misalignments for different input beams (pi mm mrad)							
	0.5	1.5	2.5	4	6	8	10
X							
10mm	3.44	0.21	0.69	0.61	0.11	1.45	0.83
3mrad	4.15	1.87	0.99	0.22	0.27	0.24	0.10
10mm 3mrad	4.15	1.45	0.06	0.16	0.28	0.84	0.10
Υ							
10mm	0.19	0.35	1.53	2.12	0.93	0.40	0.36
3mrad	0.14	0.19	0.77	0.61	1.22	0.50	0.52
10mm 3mrad	4.50	0.67	0.69	0.43	0.56	0.74	1.34

Discussion

- We are clearly dominated by poor statistics. The effect is less than the uncertainty.
- Error of emittance not implemented yet. John Cobb produced note (not yet public) to suggest:

$$\sigma\left(\frac{\Delta\varepsilon}{\varepsilon}\right) = 2\left|\frac{\Delta p}{p}\right|\left(\frac{\varepsilon_{eq}}{\varepsilon}\right)^2 \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}}$$

- 10⁴ muons -> $\sigma\left(\frac{\Delta\varepsilon}{\varepsilon}\right)$ = 0.01 for $\frac{\Delta\varepsilon}{\varepsilon}$ = -0.1 ■ Need to increase number of events to at least
- Need to increase number of events to at least 10⁴ muons
- Need to implement G4MICE tool for calculating error in emittance

Discussion

- We need the alignment to be a negligible error in the total emittance measurement
- If the goal is to measure emittance with 1% precision then the error in the alignment needs to contribute <<1% (maybe ~0.3%?) for it to be negligible.
- So, goal of alignment study is to achieve 0.3% precision, therefore we should generate >10⁴ events per beam → we need the Grid!
- Have already started to set things up on Grid with Malcolm's help but have not been able to run yet.

Future Work

- Early work, seek to augment in the following ways:
 - Ensure seeds are changed for each run
 - Eliminate scraping by choosing good muons
 - Statistics (implementation: G4MICE on GRID)
 - Include emittance errors
 - Reconstruction of particles (rather than Monte Carlo truth)
- Next steps after this: Change <u>B</u> field of spectrometers and study effect in change in emittance