

Low energy hadronic physics in GEANT4 : Status and plan

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Outline

- De-excitation and Precompound
- Low Energy models for neutrons (and protons)
- Radioactive decay
- Gamma nuclear
- Ions-Ions

Pre-compound/de-excitation developments (V. Ivanchenko)

- Main developments for pre-compound/de-excitation were completed for Geant4 10.4
 - Migration to PRECO/DEEX parameters
 - Migration to new gamma data structure consistent with radioactive decay module
 - Provide long-lived isomere production
 - Added floating level states
 - Provide correlated gamma emission for radioactive decay
- For Geant4 10.5 mainly maintenance and bug fixes were performed
 - There are several items in the work plan for 10.5 to be added
- Essential for low energy hadron/ion transport are modifications in neutron and light ion cross sections

Photo Evaporation database

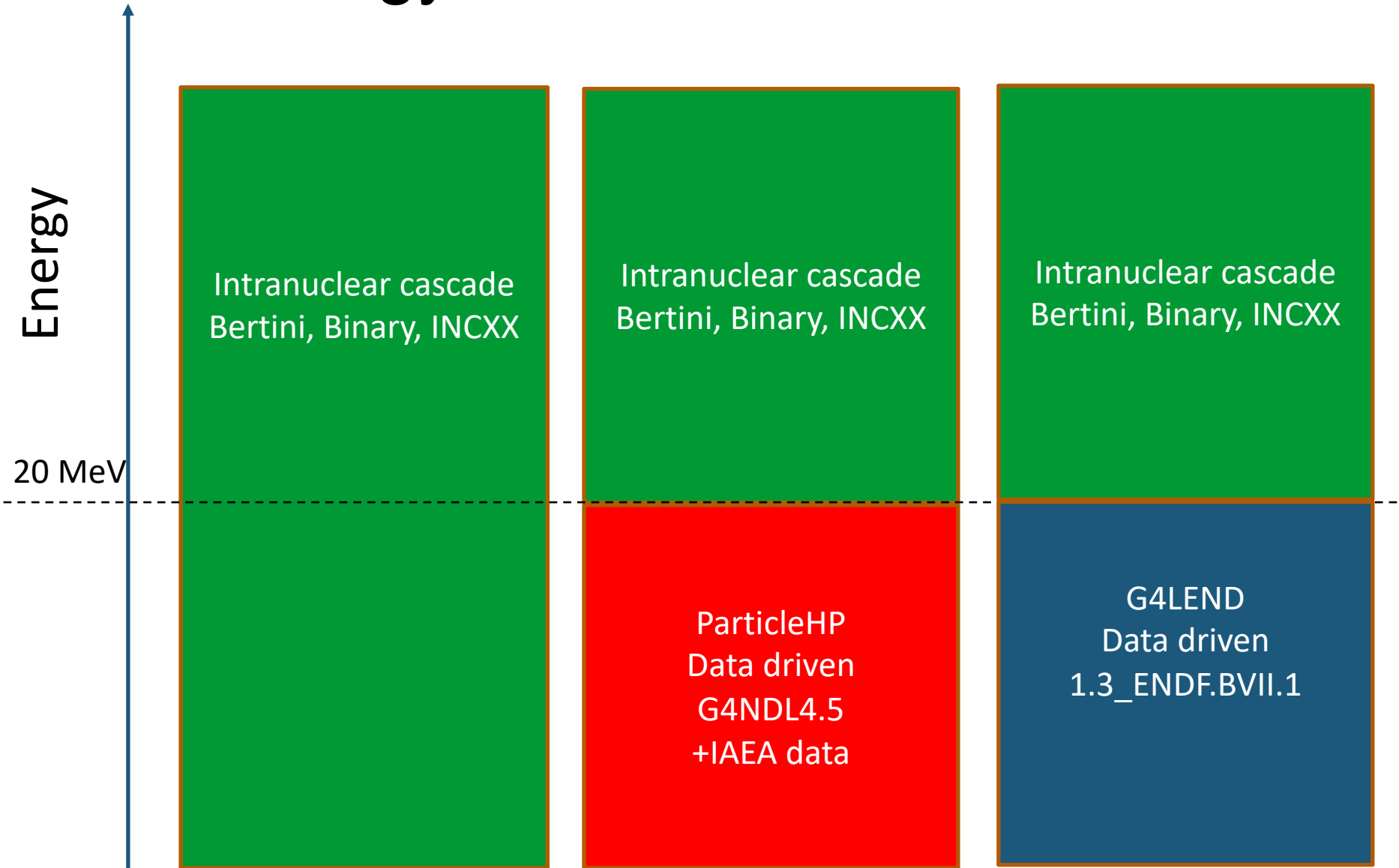
- Database is stable no changes in format for this year!
- Slight modification of few nuclei from 5.2 to 5.3
- Extension of internal conversion data to the N shell ???

G4NEUTRONXS2.0

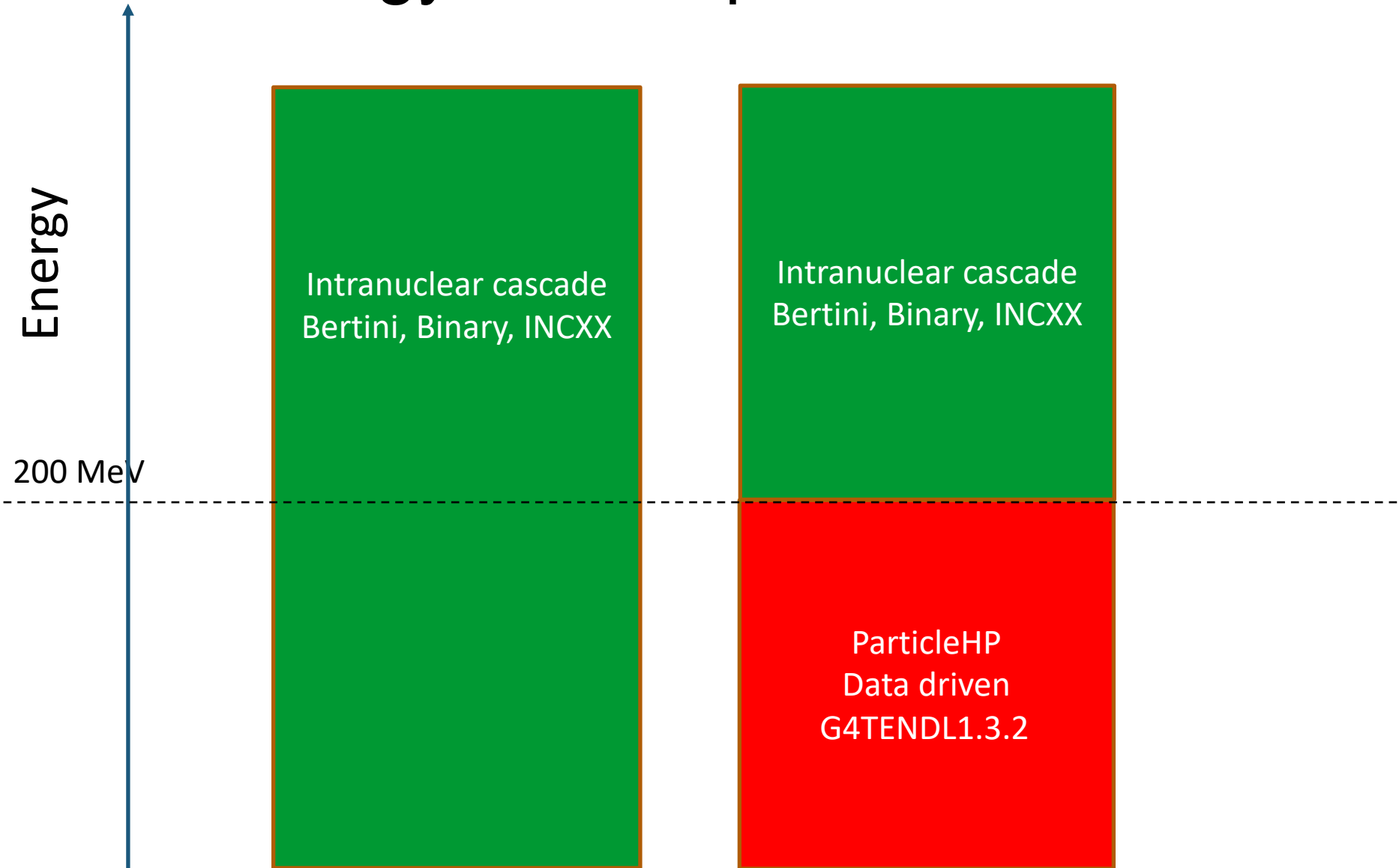
(V. Ivanchenko)

- Structure of the data set is changed because of particle HP
 - Separate directories for n, p, d, t, he3, he4 cross sections
 - Element x-sections from threshold to max hadronic energy (100 TeV)
 - Physics data tables shared between threads extracted from ParticleHP
 - Glauber Gribov cross section above 20 GeV
- Added extra isotope data for 11 more elements (was 17 before)
 - Ne, Mg, S, Cl, K, Sc, Ti, Ga, Pd, In, Pt
 - Limit on isotope abundance is reduced to 0.001 (was 0.01)
- Fixed discontinues in last bins
 - Isotope data only for $E < 20$ MeV
- Fixed G4CrossSectionDataStore code
 - Isotope selection
 - Integral approach
 - Added possibility to remove unused data sets
 - Problem #2057
- New proton and light ion inelastic x-section is tested in QBBC Physics List

Low energy models neutrons



Low energy models proton



ParticleHP status

- Maintained and developed by [T.Koi](#) till GEANT4 10.4
 - Added NREPS71 model to accurate n+C reactions
 - New TENDL data for p, alpha, triton, up to 200 MeV
- Maintenance and bug reports taken over by [D. Wright](#), [E.Mendoza](#), [D. Cano-Ott](#), [P. Arce](#)
- Some fixes by [V. Ivantchenko](#) and [A. Ribon](#)
- Update and validation of the IAEA Geant4 neutron data
[E. Mendoza](#), [D. Cano](#)

New NeutronHP IAEA data

E. Mendoza , D. Cano -Ott
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Update and validation of the IAEA Geant4 neutron data

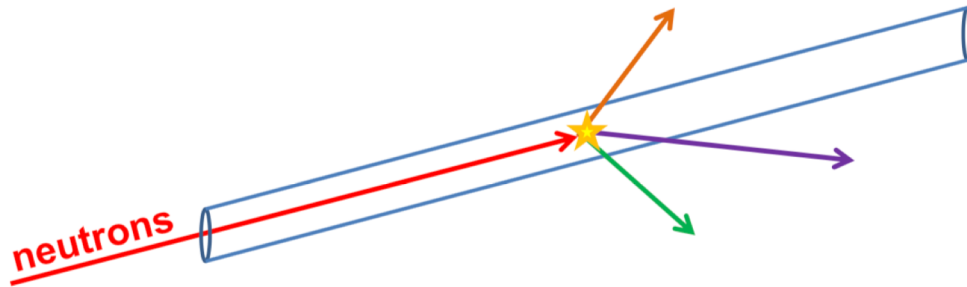
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JEFF-3.3, JEFF-3.2, ENDF/B-VIII.0, ENDF/B-VII.1, BROND-3.1 and JENDL-4.0u (version 2016/1/6).

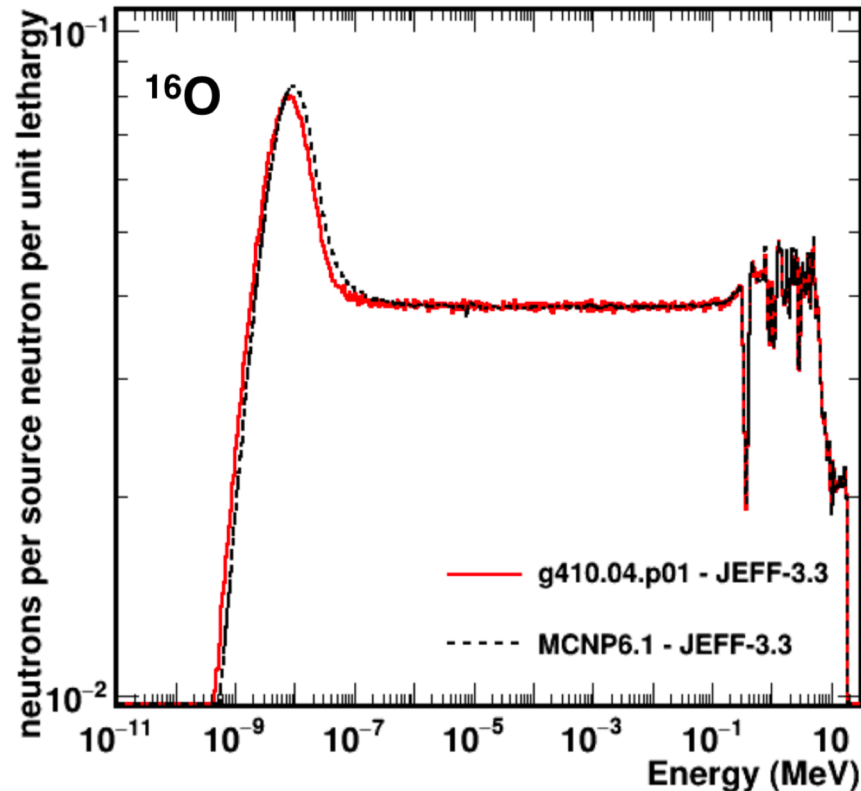
Validation of IAEA data G4 vs MCNP6

E. Mendoza and D. Cano-Ott, IAEA report, June 2018



Neutrons

- Neutrons 10^{-10} – 20 MeV
- Isotope Target



ParticleHP plan for 10.5

- Maintenance of ParticleHP
P. Arce, E. Mendoza & D. Cano Ott, T. Koi, Dennis Wright
- Maintenance and update of the IAEA Geant4 neutron data
E. Mendoza & D. Cano Ott
- Maintenance of the Wendt Fission Fragment module
B. Wendt

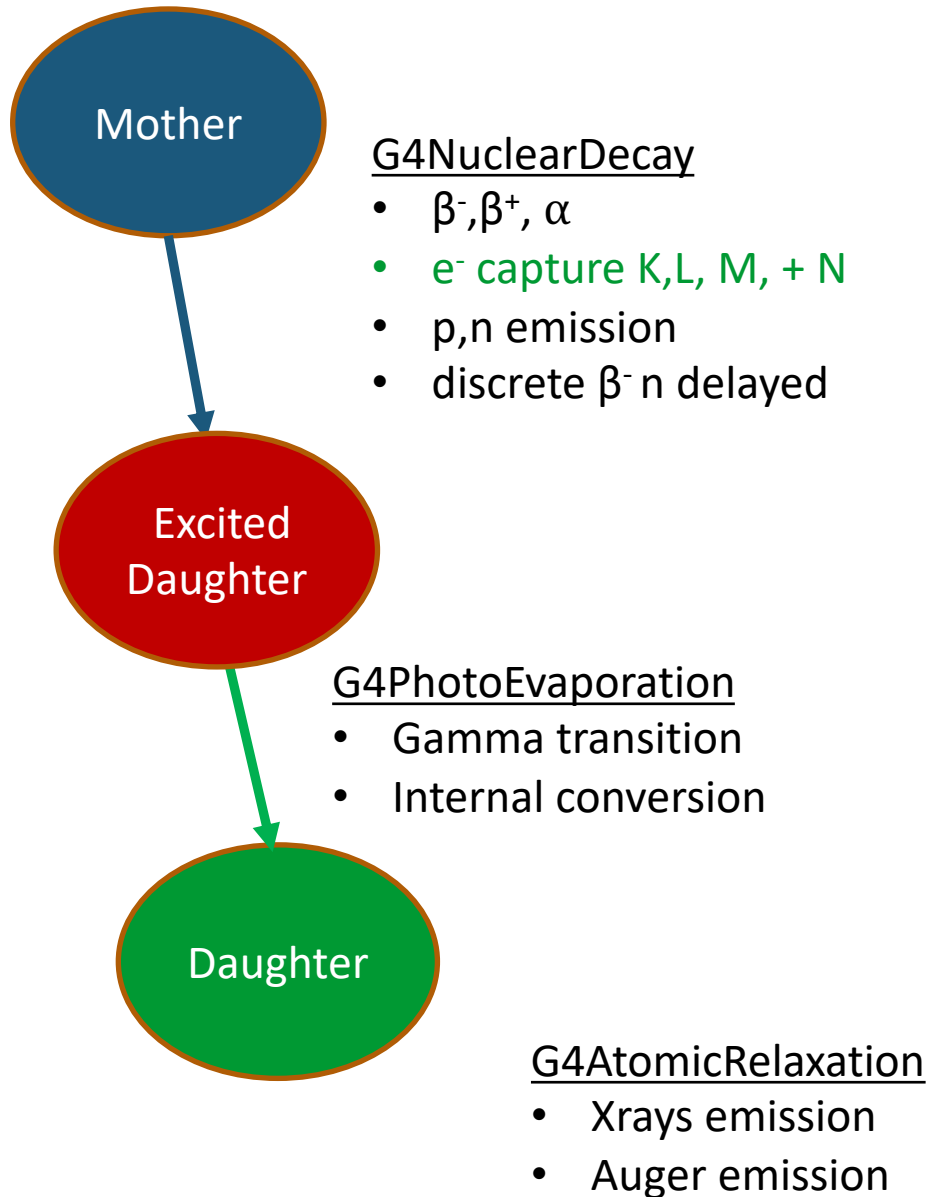
G4LEND status and plan

- Maintained and developed by T.Koi till GEANT4 10.4
- Maintenance and further development
Douglas Wright, Jerome Verbeke LLNL
- data ftp://gdo142.ucllnl.org/LEND_GND1.3/ 2014

Plan

- Development for neutron- and gamma-induced reactions J. Verbeke
- New version of LEND/GIDI Douglas Wright
- Maintenance and support of physics lists for LEND J. Verbeke & Douglas Wright

Radioactive module in Geant4



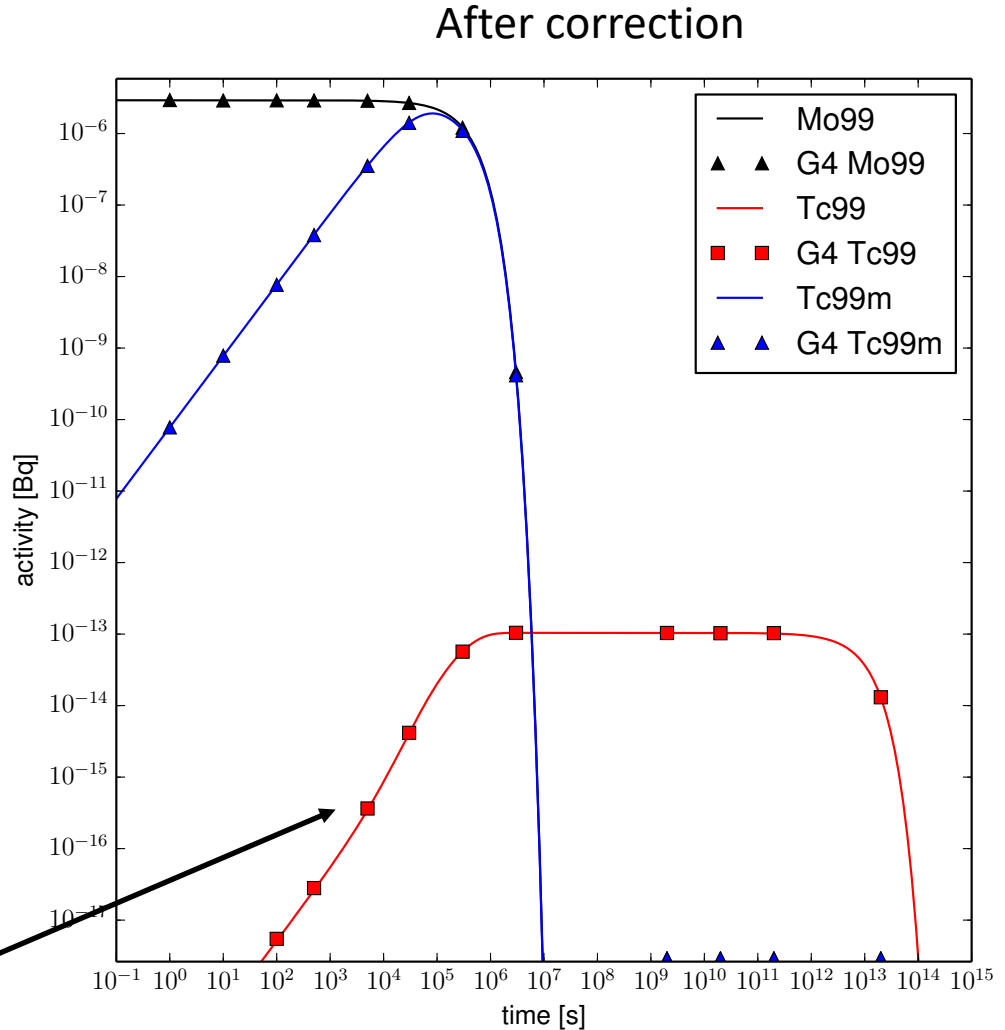
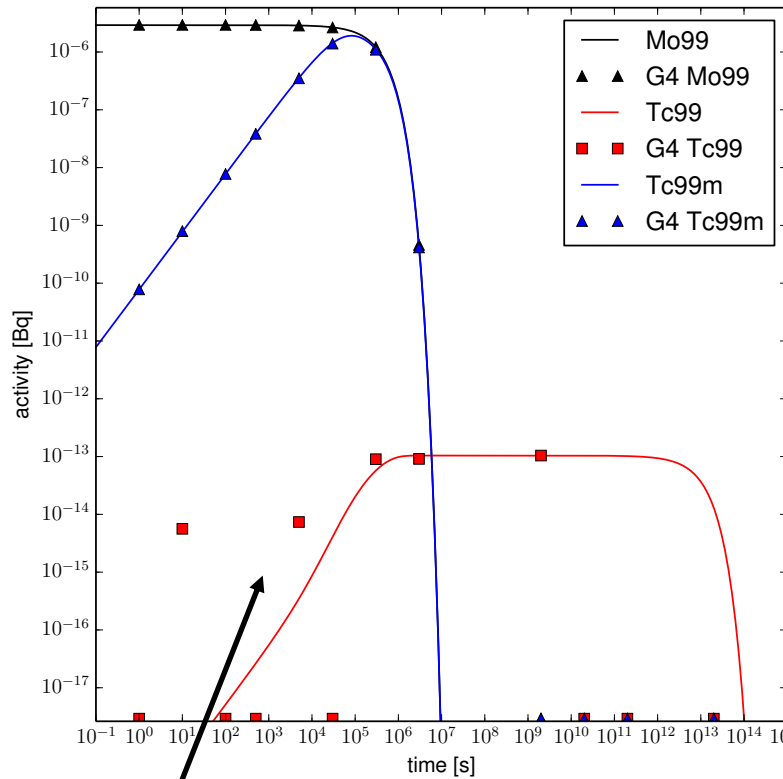
Two simulation modes

- Analog
- Biased

Code and database are
stable now!

Correction of biased mode of G4RadioactiveDecay

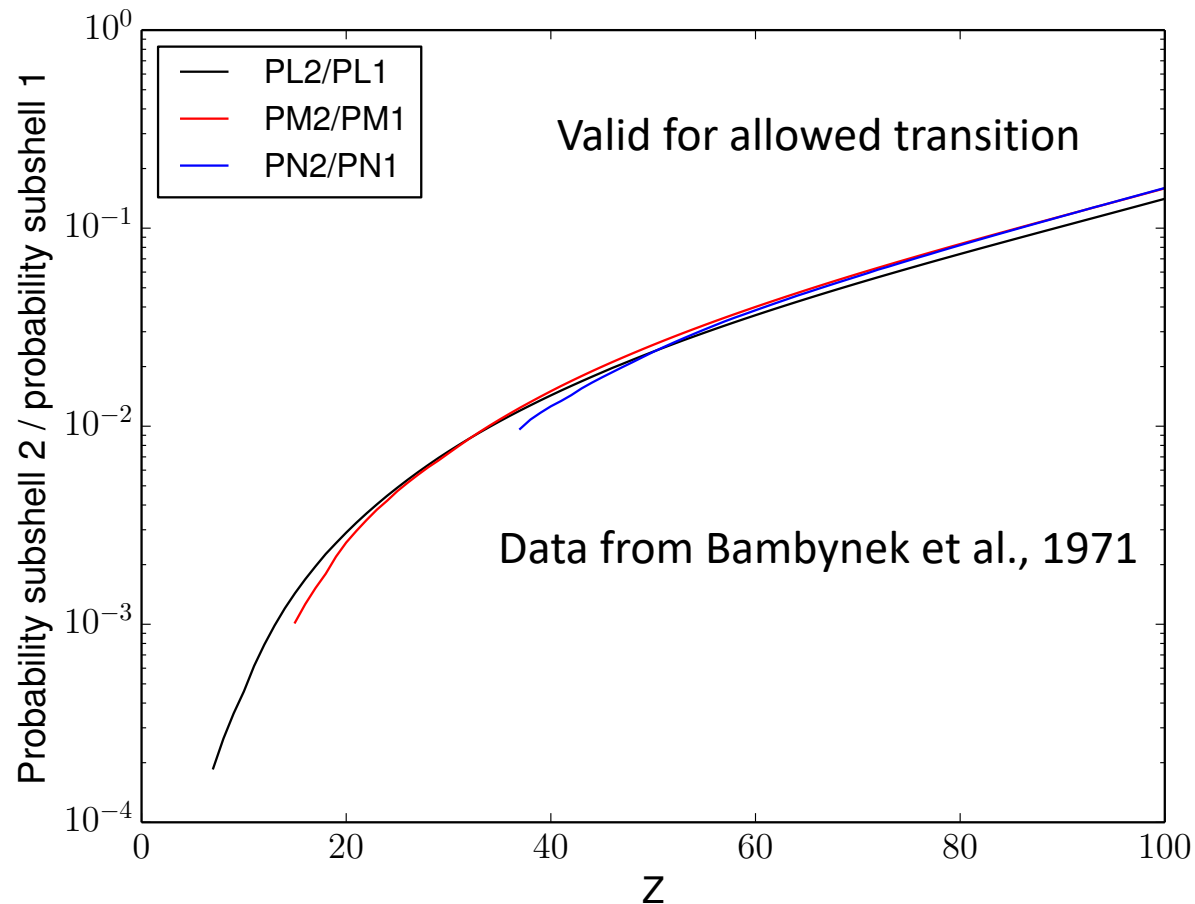
Dennis wright



Improvement of electron capture

L. Desorgher

- Extend G4ECapture to the N Shell : ^{54}Mn data in G4Database
- Improve the probability of partial probability of capture from subshell



G4RadioactiveDecay Plan

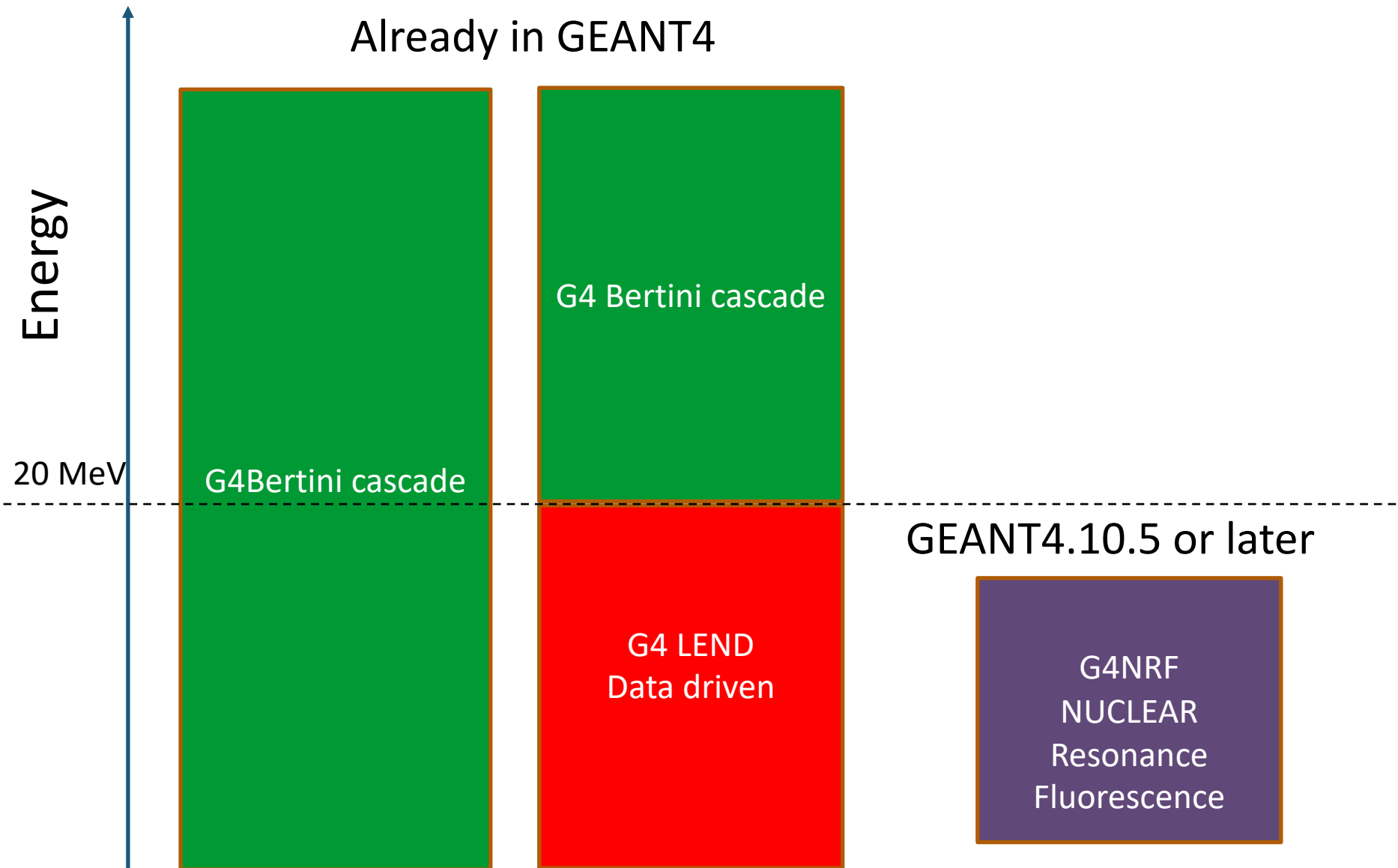
GEANT4.10.5

- RDM biasing improvements [D. Wright](#)
- Improvements Electron Capture [L. Desorgher](#)
- Maintenance of the RDM & PhotoEvaporation data-sets [L. Desorgher](#)
- Declare Radecay Mode as Creator Model Index to secondary Track

FUTURE

- Beta-delayed neutron emission, Super Heavy Elements [L. Sarmiento](#)
- Publication
- Validation plots [D. Wright](#), [L.Desorgher](#)

Gamma nuclear interaction models



Gamma nuclear G4LENDOrBertModel since G4.10.4

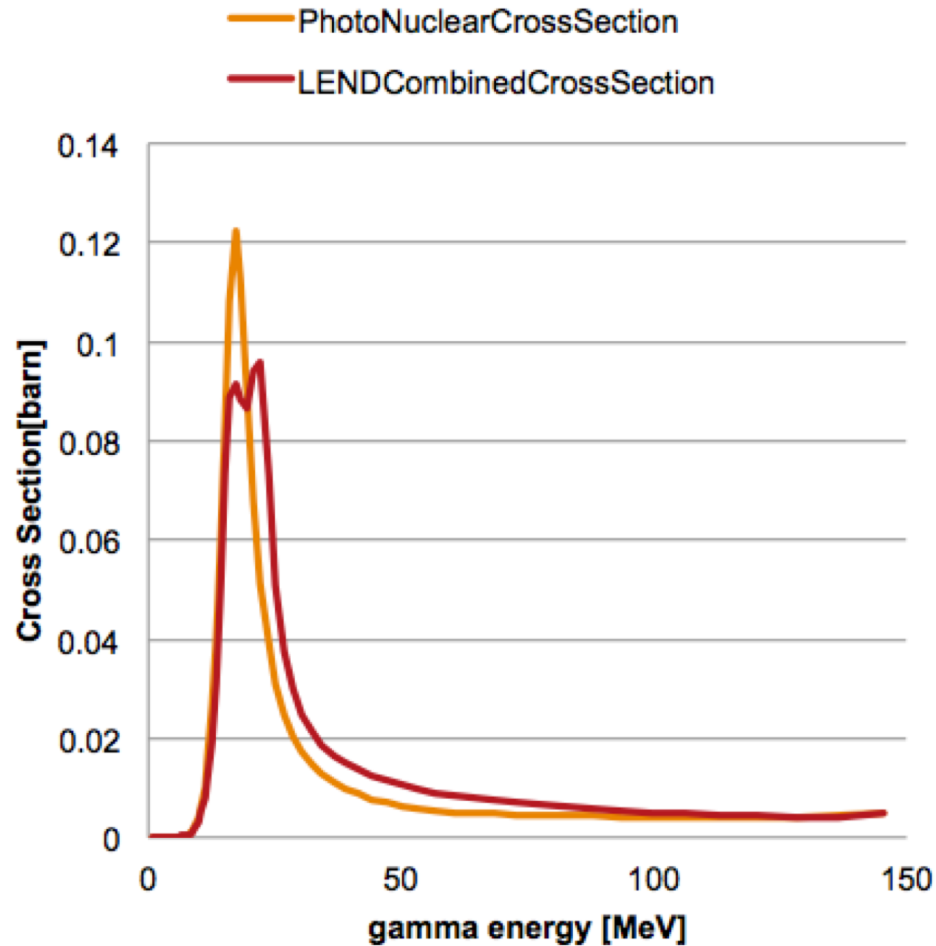
Tatsumi Koi, Dennis wright

- G4LEND models below 20 MeV when data exist
 - database has γ interaction information on isotopes from D to ^{241}Pu
 - cross sections also come from LEND, unless no data, then use G4PhotoNuclearCrossSection as we do now
- Otherwise use Bertini
- Available in ShieldingLEND physics lists
- New test will be implemented

Cross Section Comparison, LEND vs. G4PhotoNuclearCrossSection

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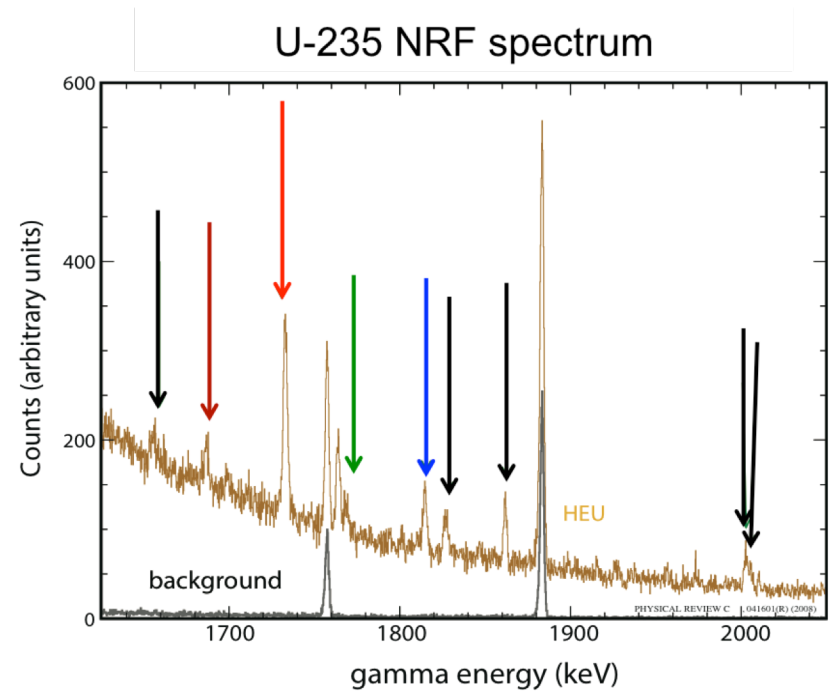
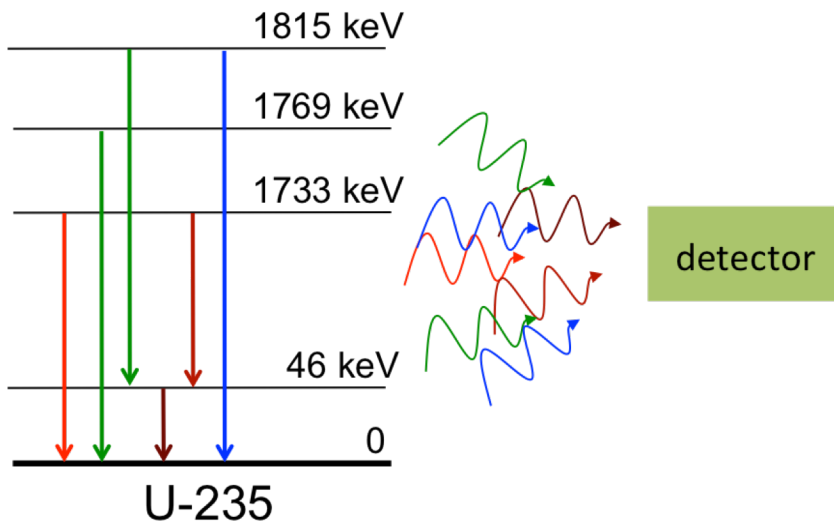
Zn-NAT



Gamma Nuclear Fluorescence G4NRF

Jayson Vavrek, MIT

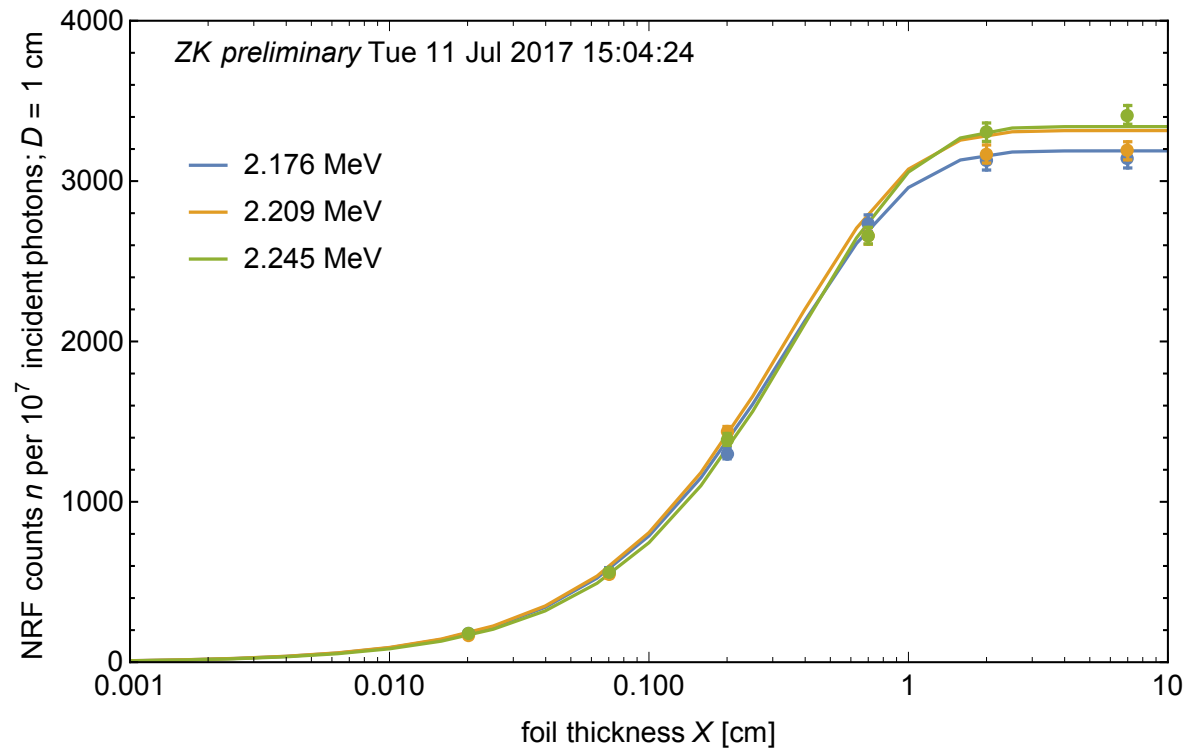
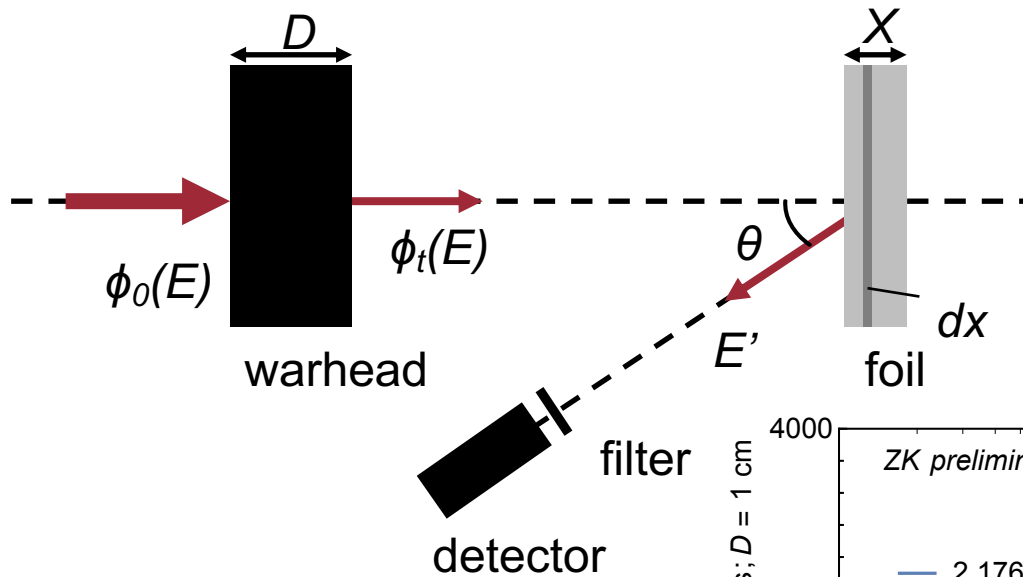
Nuclear resonance fluorescence (NRF) to make isotope-specific measurements



different line spectra for U-235, U-238, Pu-239, Pu-240...

Gamma Nuclear Fluorescence G4NRF

Vavrek et al., NIM B, 2018

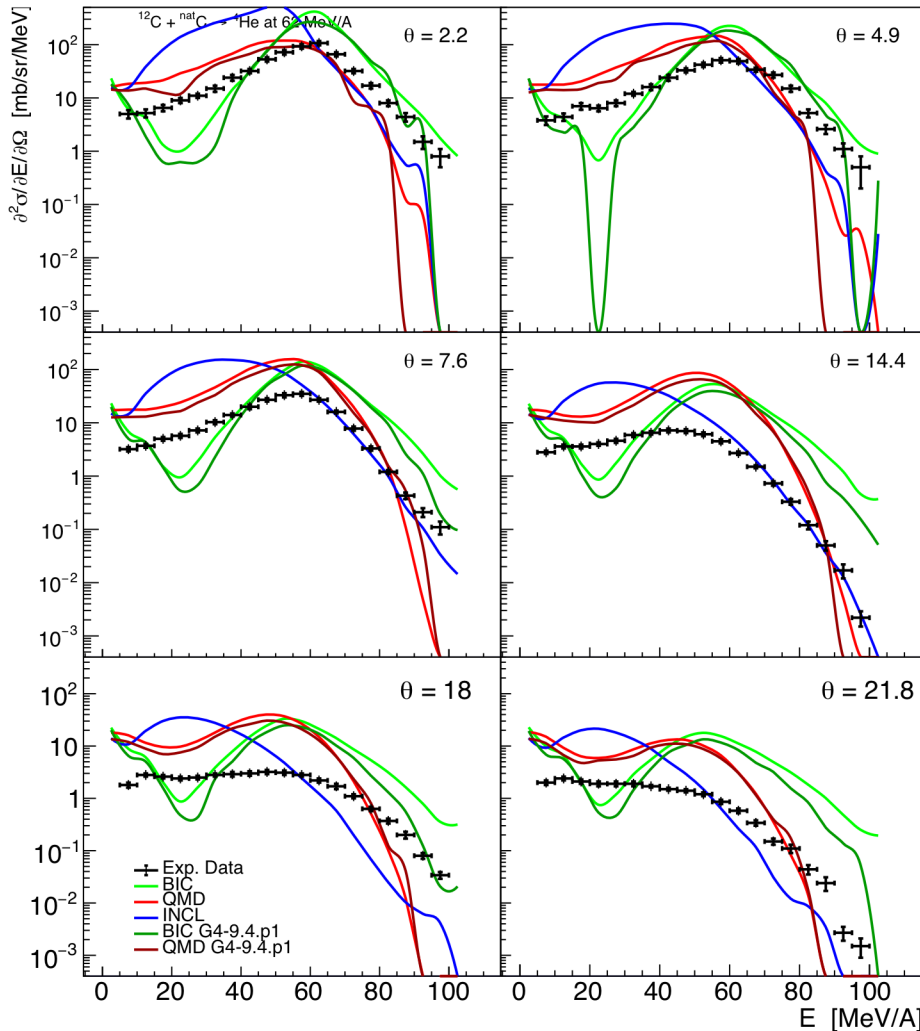


G4NRF status and plan

- G4NRF code and database completed
- Available on <https://github.com/jvavrek/NIMB2018>
- Discussion needed for inclusion into next release or later

Ions- Ions Carlo Mancini

- Update of the benchmark test with INCL model



- Development of G4 interface with SMB and BLOB