



Near Detector geometry and rock interaction events.

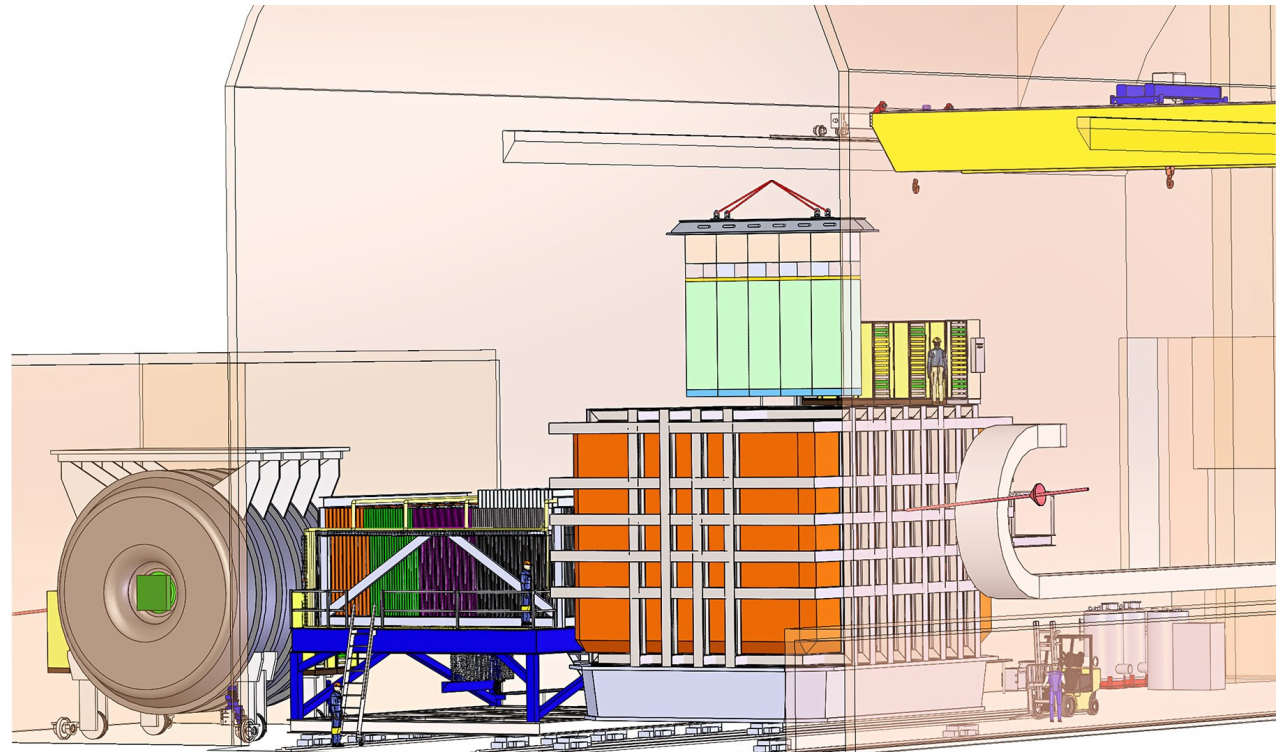
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What is this the ND Temporary Muon Spectrometer?

- The temporary muon spectrometer (TMS) is a magnetized range stack to measure the momentum and charge of muons from the ND-LAr.
- It is meant as an inexpensive option to facilitate day-one ND capabilities for early oscillation physics.
- It will operate for few years and then be replaced by the more capable ND-GAr.



An early design by M. Leitner

Performance Goals

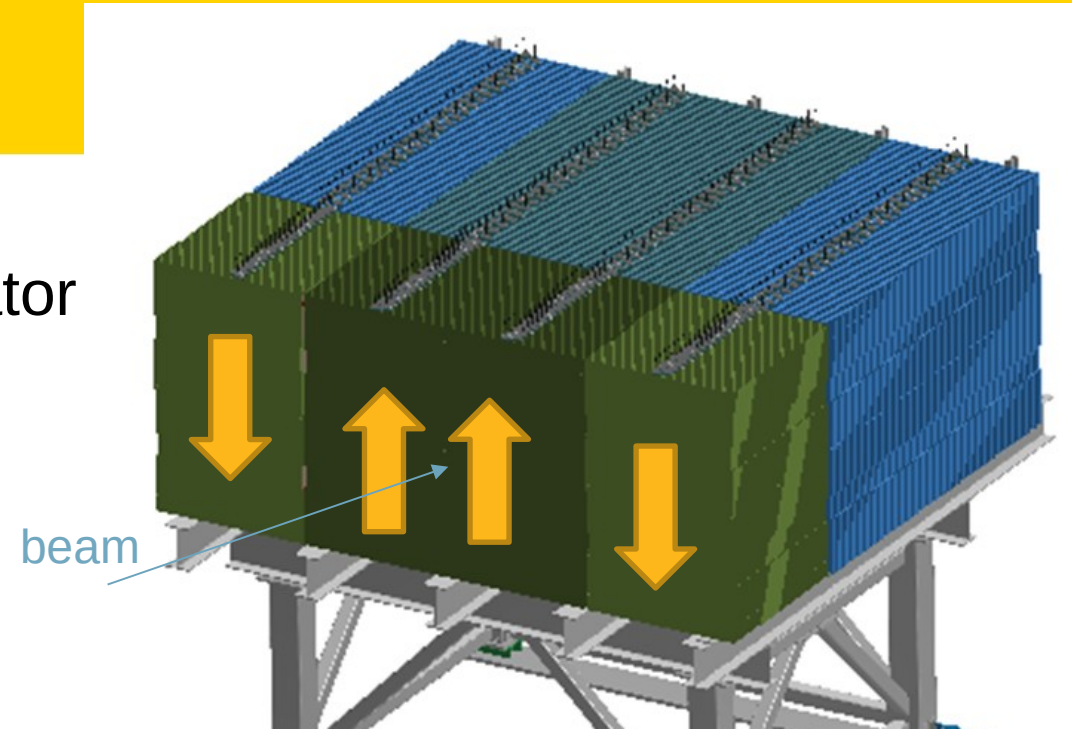
- Determine the momentum of muons escaping the ND-LAr **no worse than the Far Detector** (~4%).
- Determine the neutrino/anti-neutrino beam composition.
- Ensure broad kinematic acceptance of LAr muons.
- Note: These are the initial design goal and they are still under study.

GEOMETRY

- Dune-ND-GGD a is tool to build geometries for DUNE near detector. Dunendggd is based on the sophisticated package called GeGeDe-python based package.
- It produces GDML files. These files are used by Geant4 or Root application.
- Geometry gdml file was produced by Wichita State University.

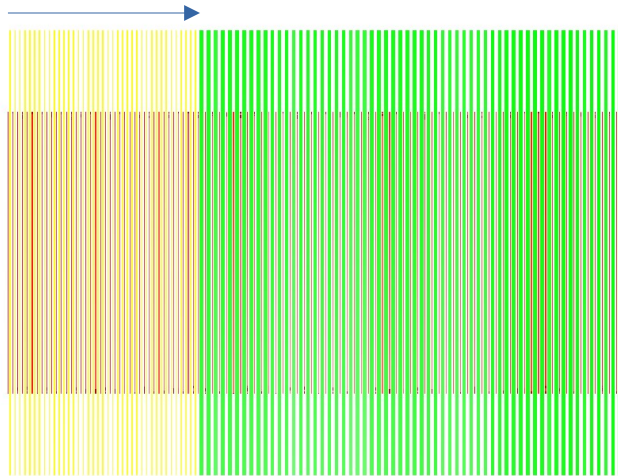
Current Design

- 100 layers of alternating steel and scintillator
 - 40 layers of 1.5 cm steel
 - 60 layers of 4 cm steel
 - 4 cm gap between layers
 - Each steel layer is comprised of three plates
 - 3.5 m central plate and flanking 1.75 m plates.
- Each module layer has four panels, each containing 48 MINOS-like scintillator slats, 3.5 cm wide, and spanning the vertical extent of the detector.
- It can move in the x-direction (PRISM)
- The 1 T field in the central plates point opposite the sides plates.
 - Field direction shown in diagram (yellow arrows).



TMS geometry 2D

40 thick layers



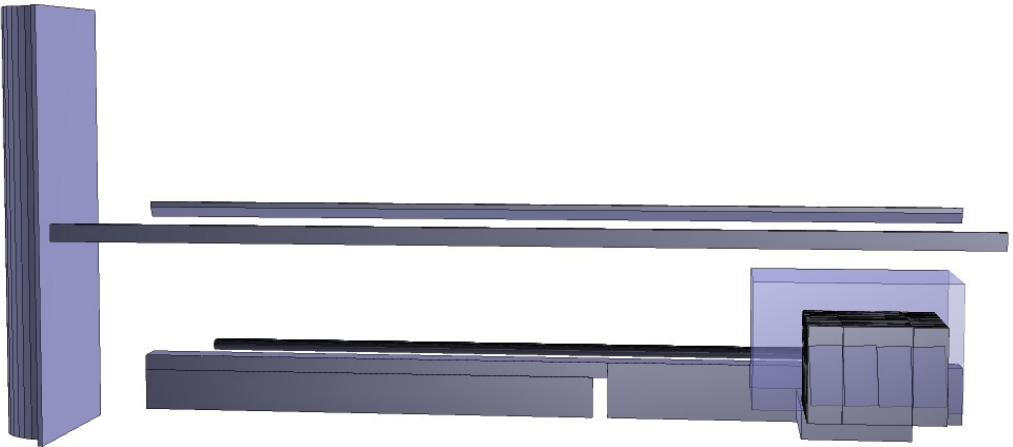
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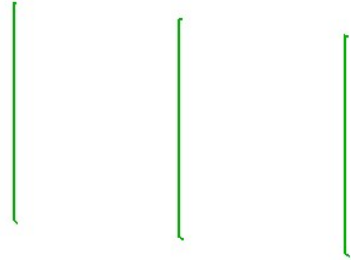
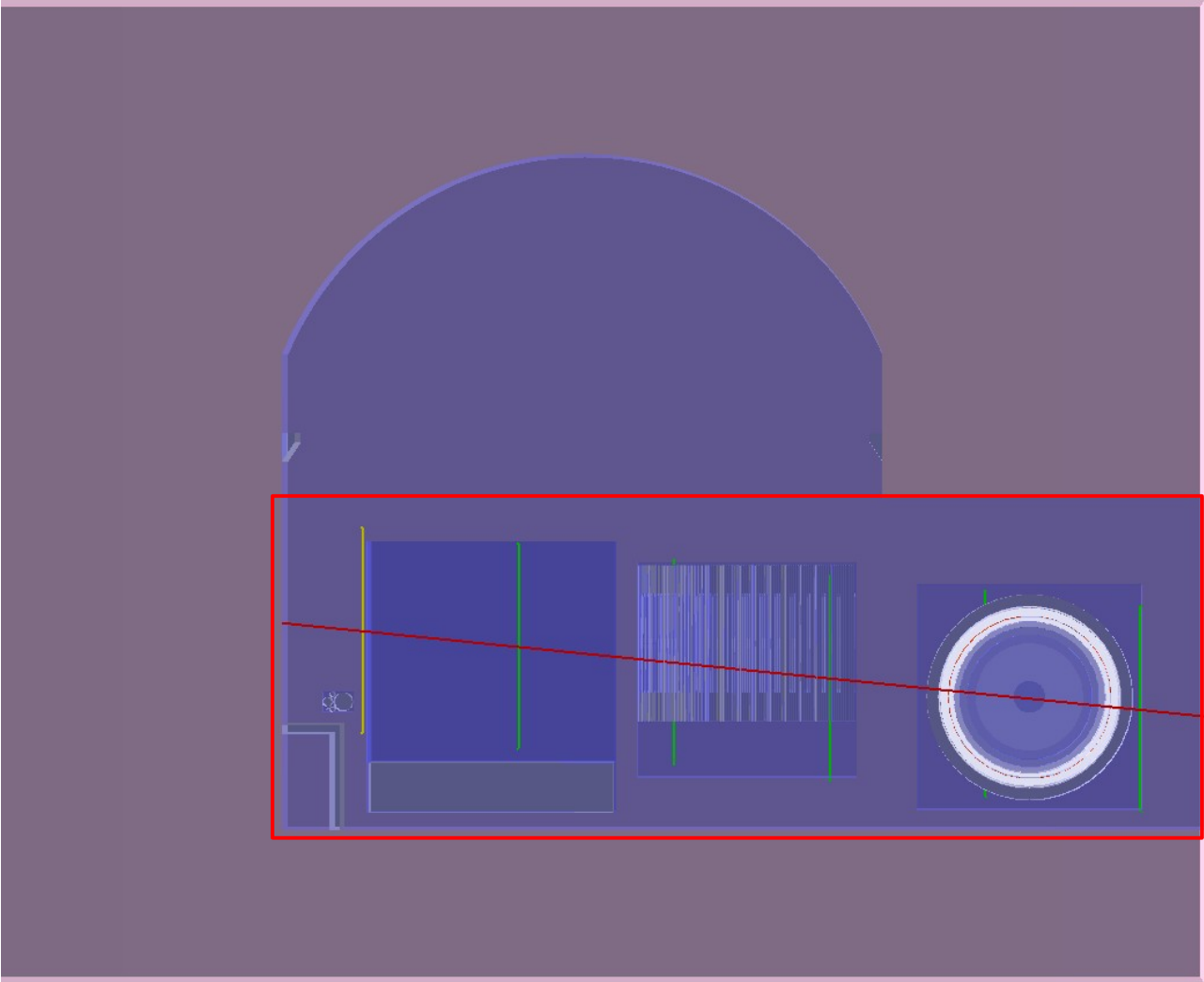
ND Hall with Lar & TMS



Rock Interaction Events

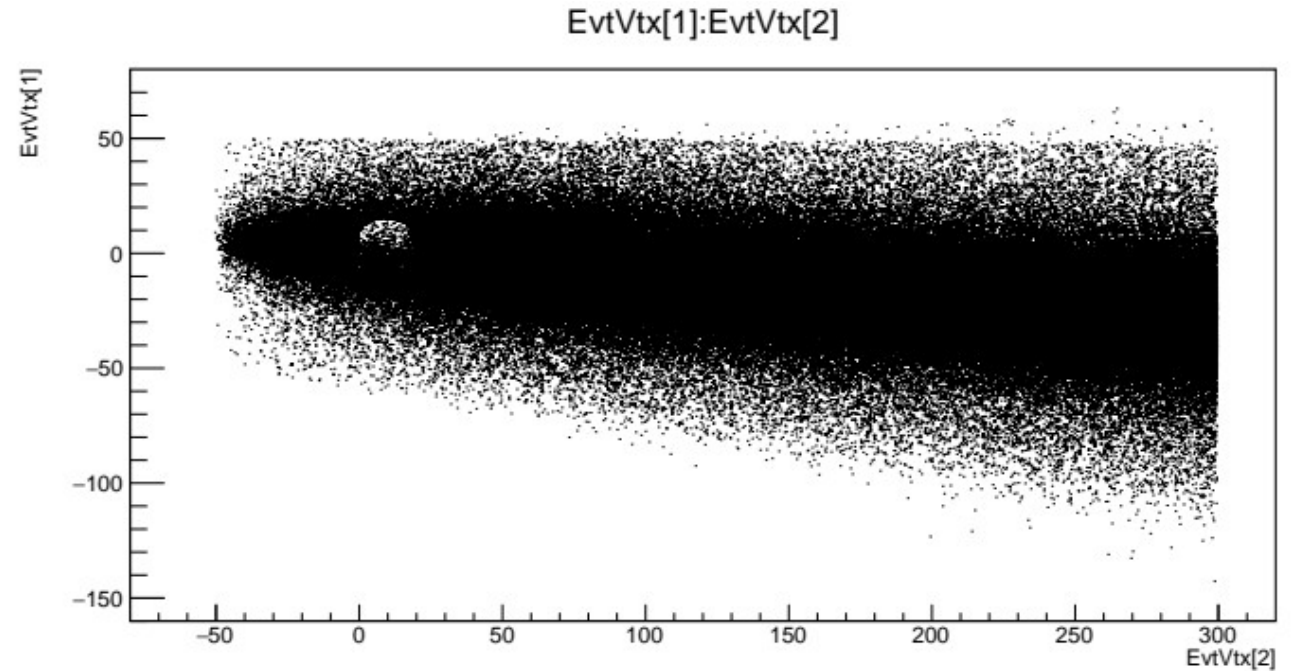
- “Rock events” is a term used for neutrino interactions outside the detector hall.
- Rock events usually refer to rock and soil neutrino interactions outside the detector hall and the surrounding materials.
- I am trying to investigate efficiently Genie rock box features.

Rock Box

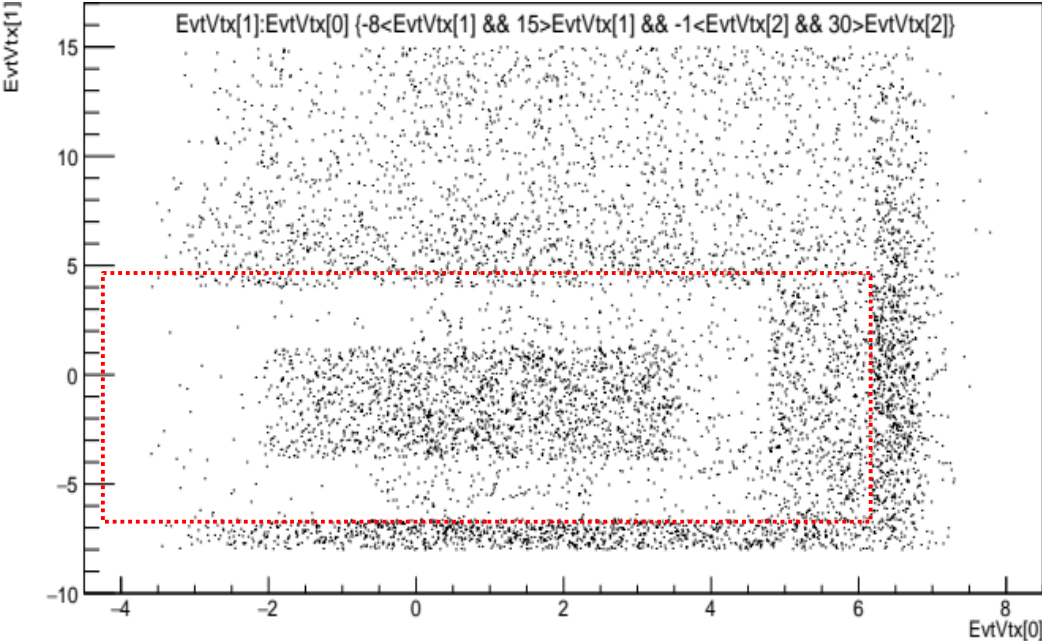
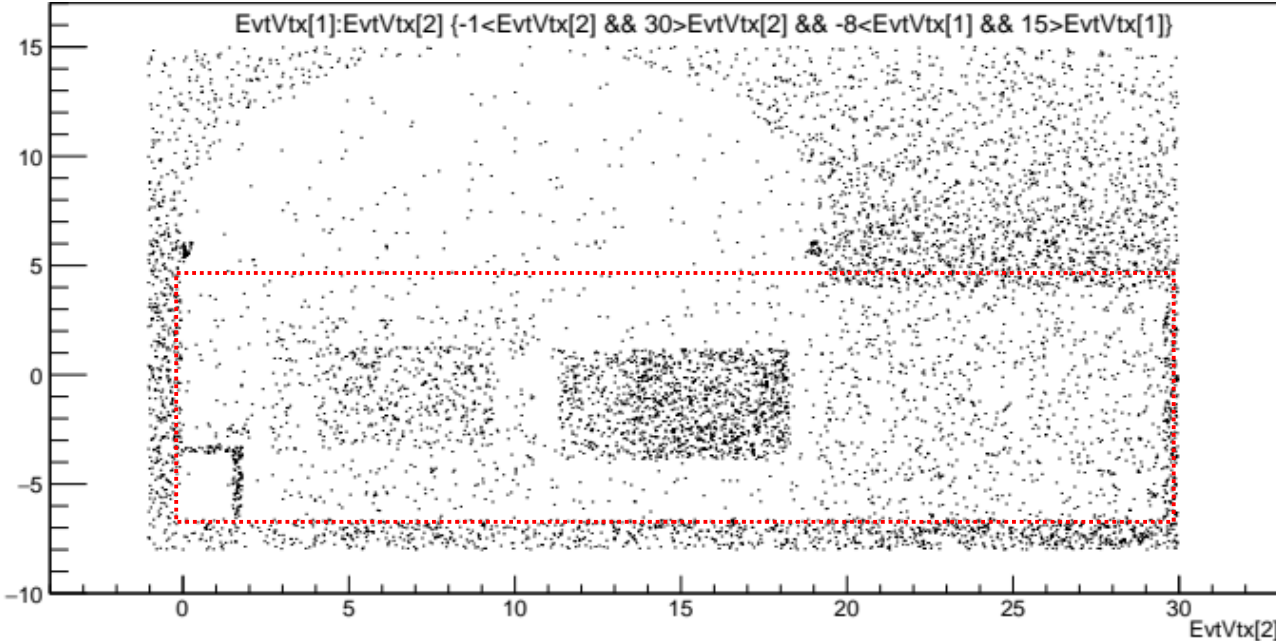


Rock Box

- Generated a common set of GENIE “gnntp.*ghet.root files.
- To generate .root files, I used a flux configuration with larger “window” to capture all the relevant interactions that contribute to particles entering the hall.



Rock Event Interaction



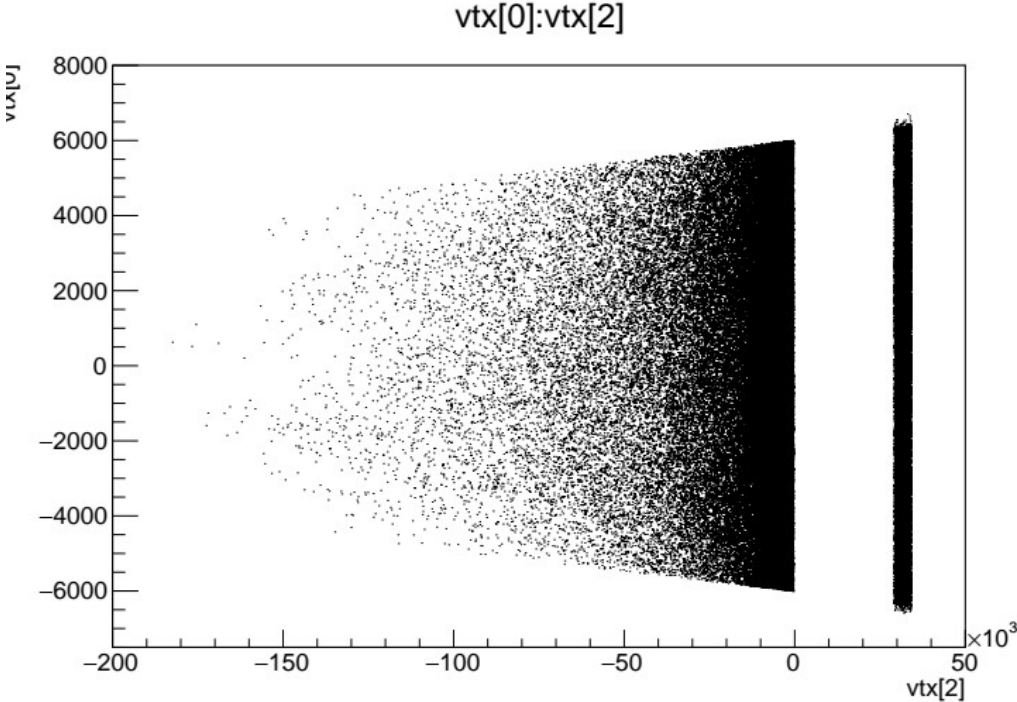
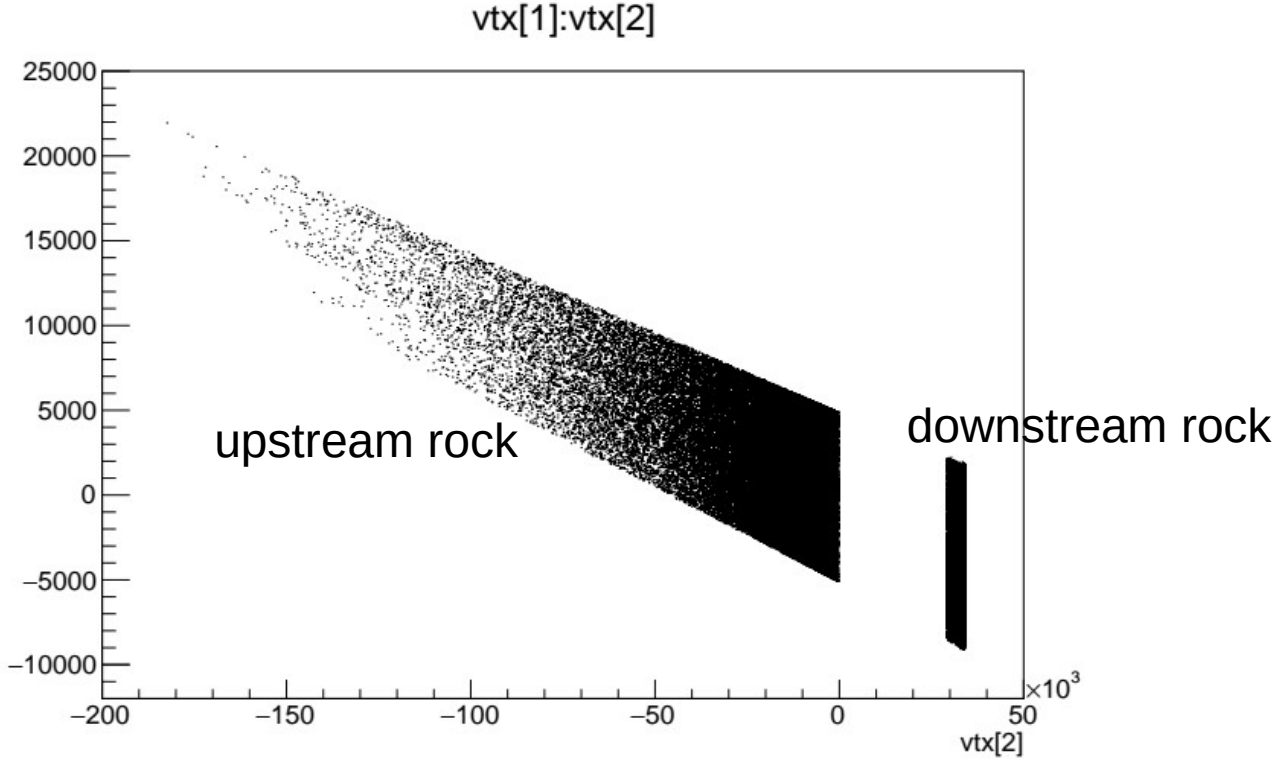
Rock Interaction Events

- Selectively keeps GENIE events which are determined to have produced particles likely to reach the hall (defined by a variable "RockBox").
- I generated rock interaction events with POT 1e16
- **rockbox:(xmin,ymin,zmin)(xmax,ymax,zmax),rockonly,wallmin,dedx,fdge,efromw**

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-g ${ND_PRODUCTION_GDML}/nd_hall_with_lar_tms_nosand.gdml \  
-t volWorld \  
-L cm -D g_cm3 \  
-e 1e+16 \  
--seed ${SEED} \  
-r ${RUN} \  
-o neutrino \  
-F "rockbox:(-6211,-6625,0)(6211,4025,2950),1,500,0.00425,1.05,1" \  
-z -500 \  
--message-thresholds ${ND_PRODUCTION_CONFIG}/Messenger_production.xml \  
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--event-generator-list Default+CCMEC
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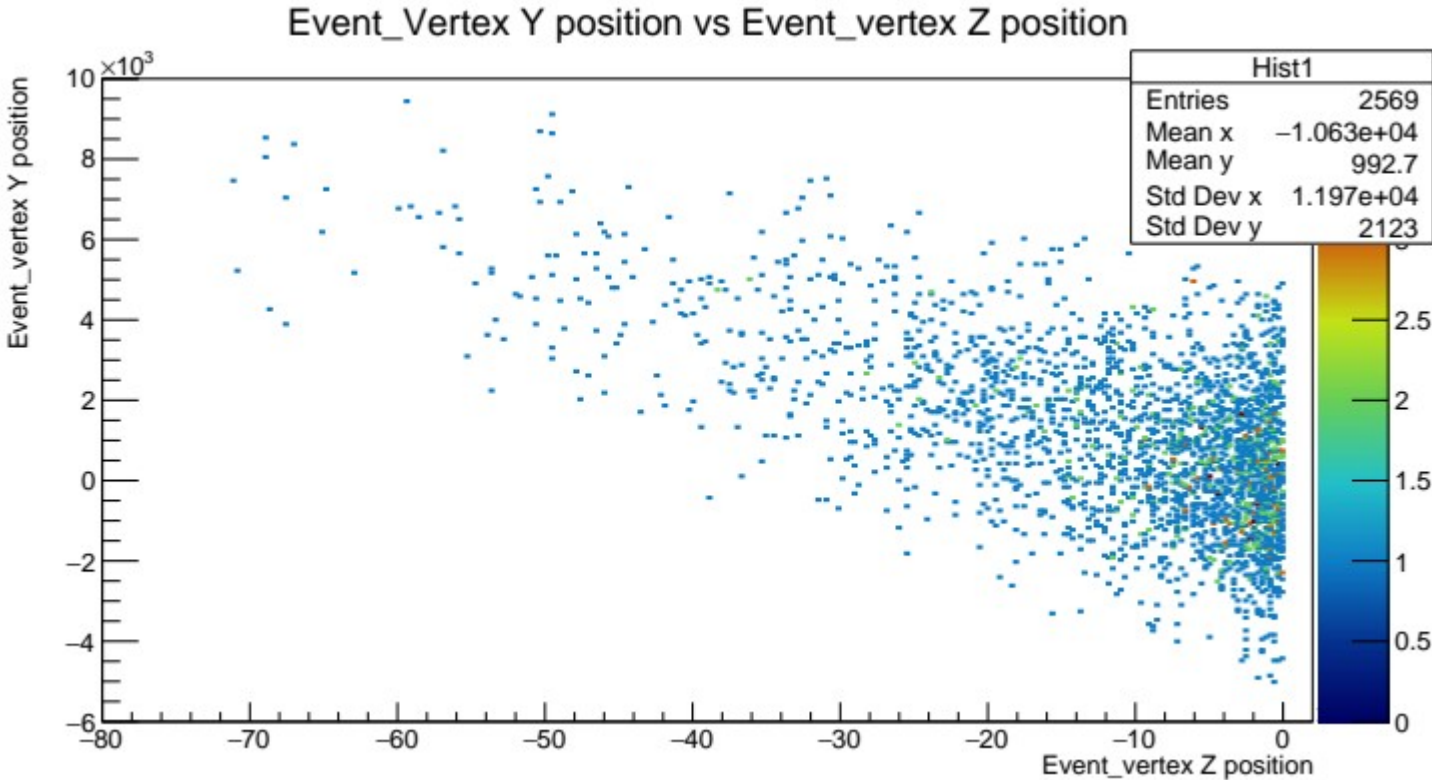
Interaction vertex with rockbox

lots of events apparent close to the hall.



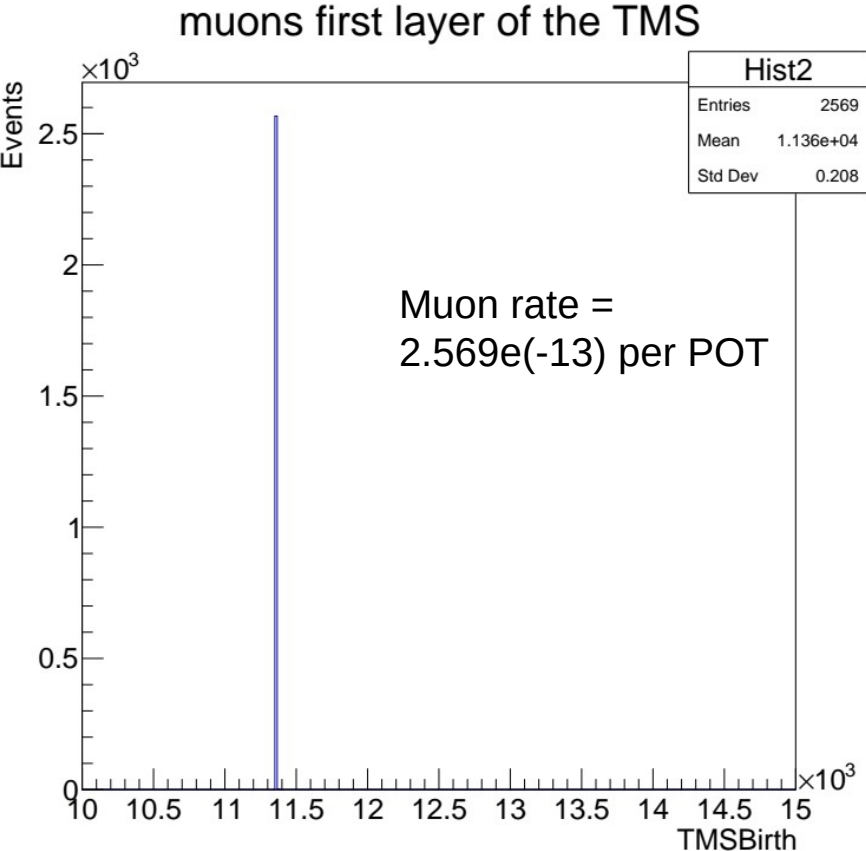
Interaction vertex with rockbox

Vertex Y position vs Z with first layer scintillator of TMS and upstream rock

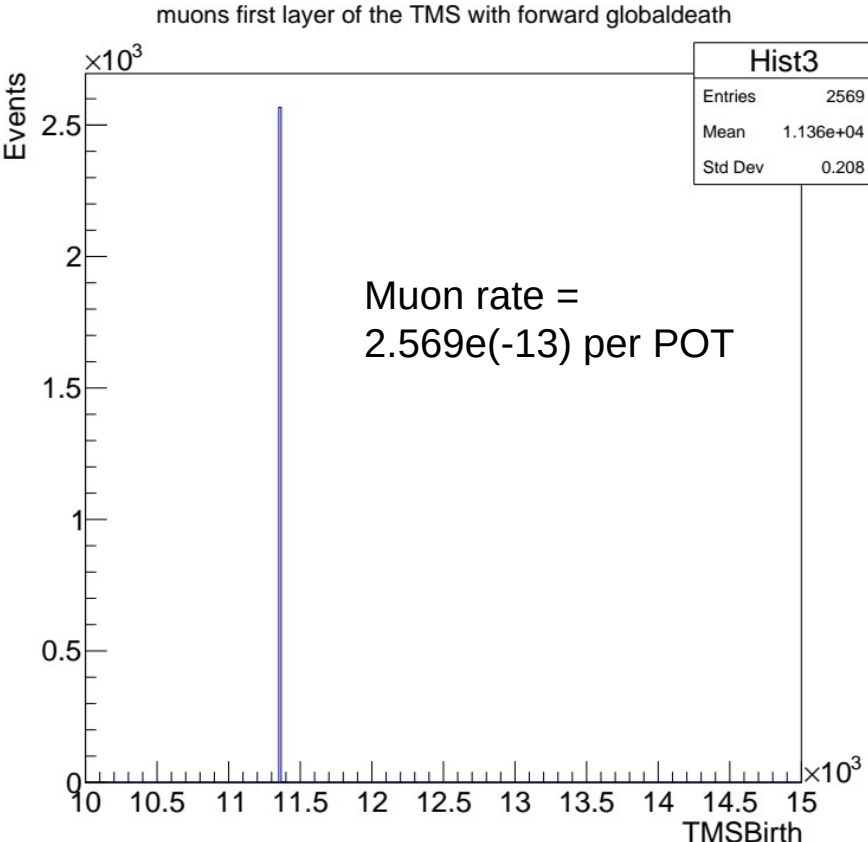


TMSBirth of Muon in TMS (1e16 POT)

From upstream rock with TMSBirth in first scintillator layer

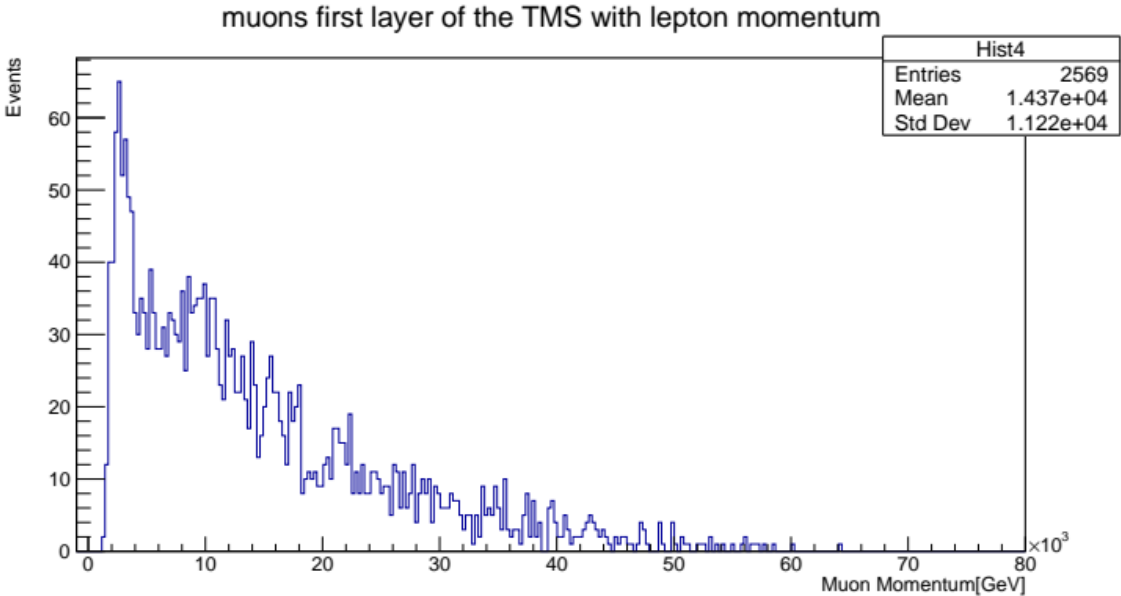


From upstream rock with TMSBirth in first scintillator layer and forward global death

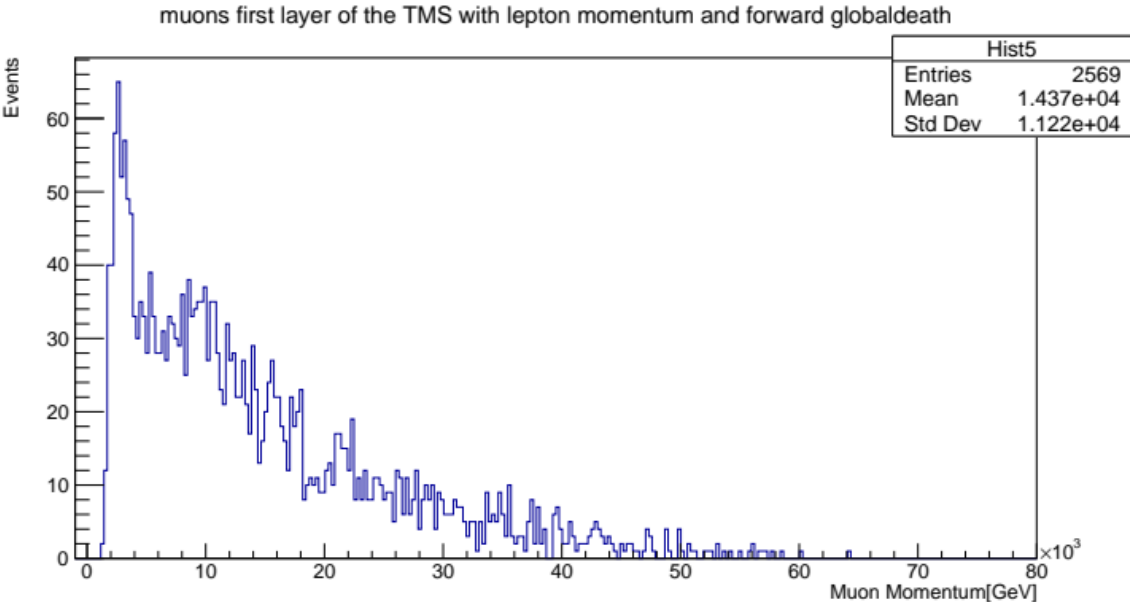


Foward Muon Momentum for TMS Particles

From upstream rock with muon momentum in first scintillator layer



From upstream rock with muon momentum in first scintillator layer and forward global death

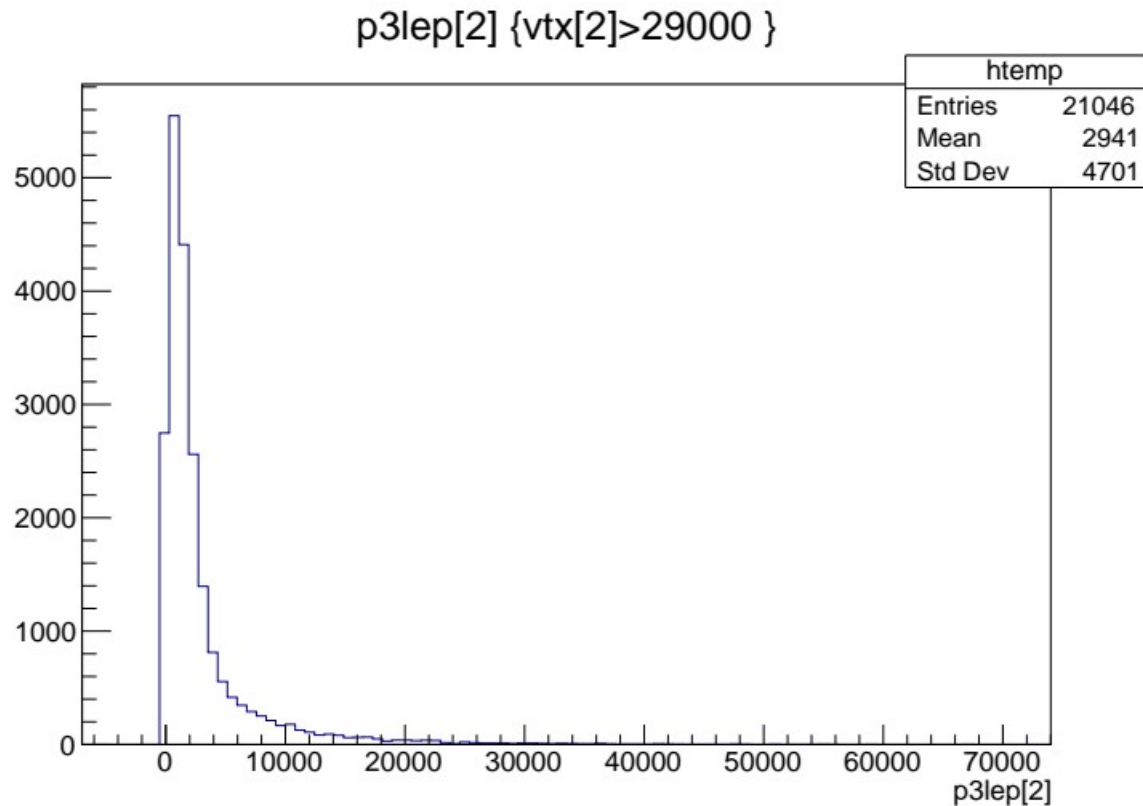


TMSBirth of backward Muon in TMS

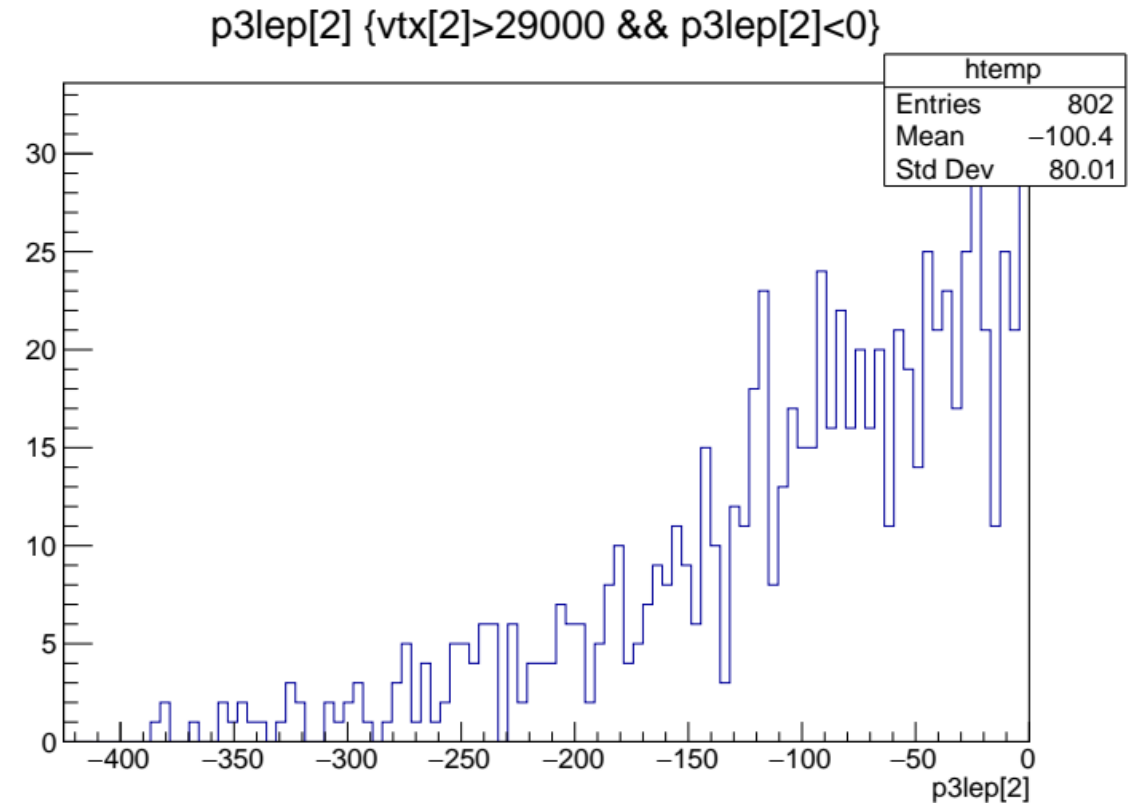
- From downstream rock with TMSBirth in first scintillator layer is empty.
- From downstream rock with TMSBirth in first scintillator layer and backward global death is empty.

Backward Muon momentum

From downstream rock with muon momentum

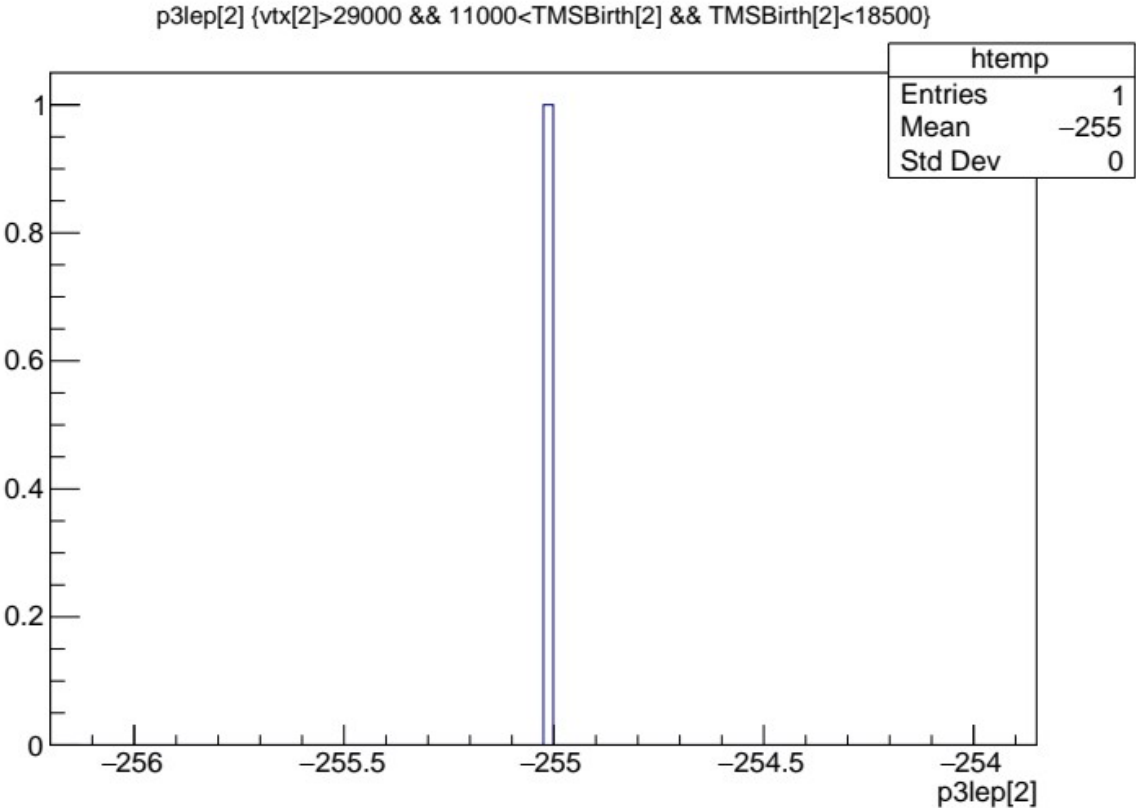


From downstream rock with muon momentum
(negative muon momentum)



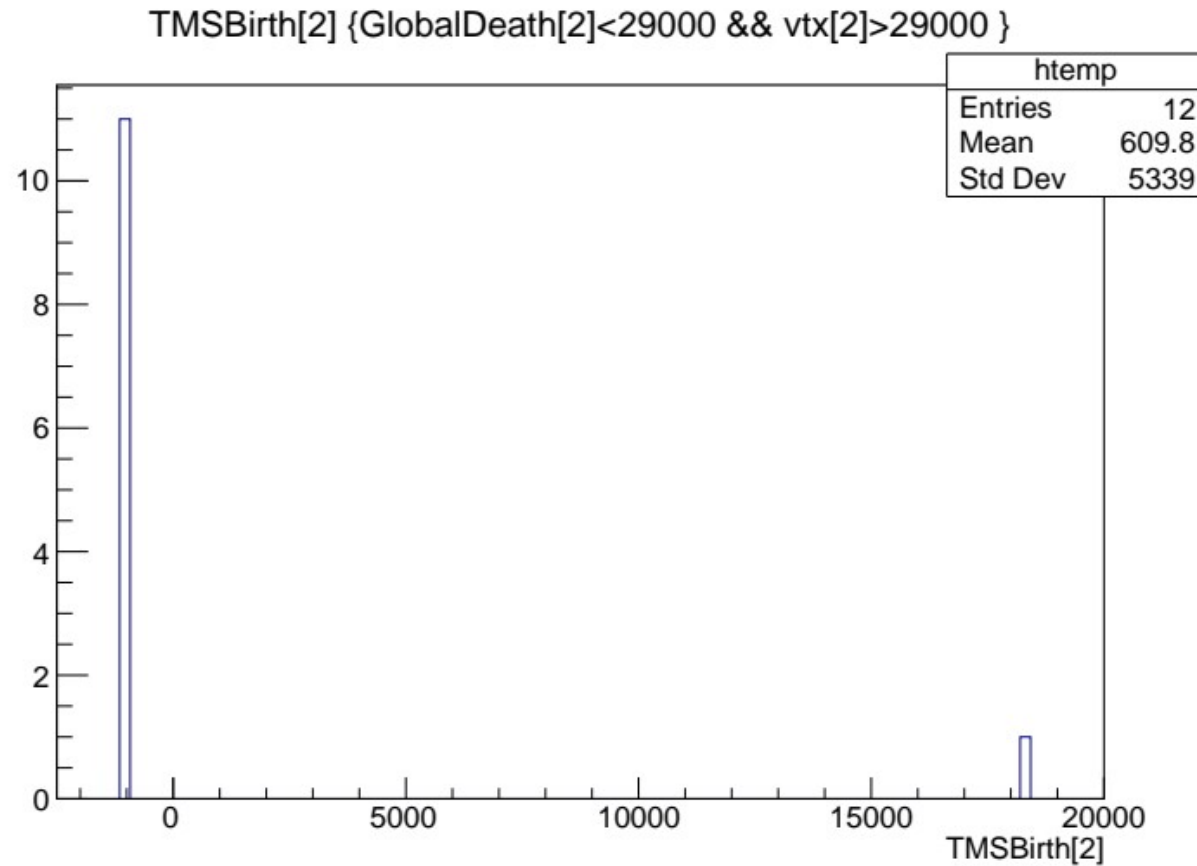
Backward Muon momentum for TMS particles

From downstream rock with muon momentum and whole TMS



TMSBirth of Backward Muon in TMS

From downstream rock with TMSBirth and backward global death

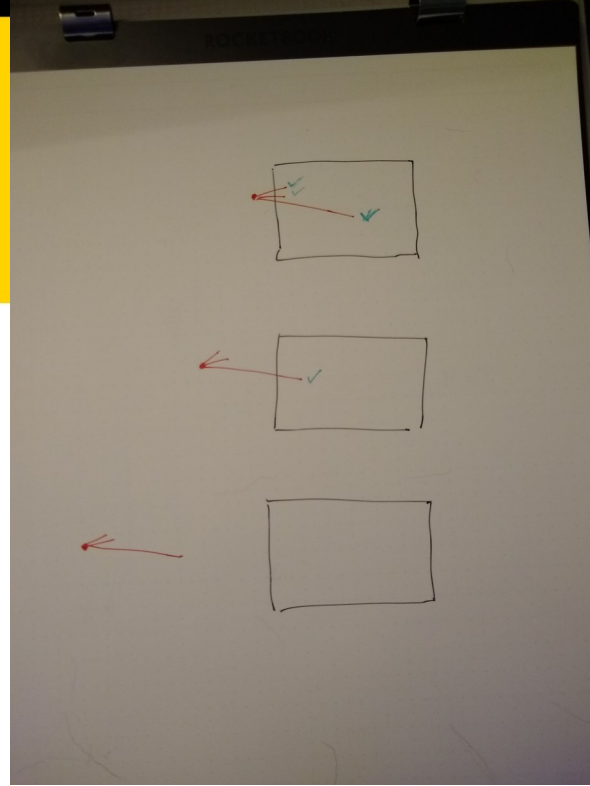


Next Steps

- add base structure on Geometry.
- add magnetic coil on Geometry.
- Our proposal to eliminating downstream rock.
- We are using the standard flux window. We can play with flux window.
- Integrating ND_Production tool.

thanks

Rock Events



- In the first case the event is near enough to the hall that all the particles make it and are recorded as they enter -- so the corresponding "rock_propagated" event has 3 particles as they enter.
- In the second case, only the muon has enough energy to punch through the rock to the hall surface, so while the "genie_rock" event has 3 particles, the "rock_propagated" event only records the one.
- In the third case none are sufficient to make it to the hall and there is no corresponding "rock_propagated" event.

F flag

- **rockbox:(xmin,ymin,zmin)(xmax,ymax,zmax),rockonly,wallmin,dedx,fudge,efromw**
- (xmin,ymin,zmin)(xmax,ymax,zmax) define the extent of the (inner) reference box in master world coordinates (always)
- **rockonly**
 - 1 = generate only outside the reference box [default]
 - 0 = also generate events within the reference box (i.e. the detector) by only excluding minuscule bubble
- wallmin minimum size (geometry natural units) beyond reference box size [default=800]
- dedx estimated dE/dx losses, used to convert energy into box size extension [default=2.5*1.7e-3]
- fudge extra fudge factor for box size [default=1.05]
- efromw expand from wall (or outer box) rather than wall just setting a minimum size [default=0 or off]

F and z flag

- the -F "<fiducial-cut-flag>" to enable the "rock box" scaling of the volume of rock considered for each neutrino ray
- the -z <setback> flag to start the rays far enough upstream.