Beam Time Report and Online Analysis

AlCap Collaboration Meeting

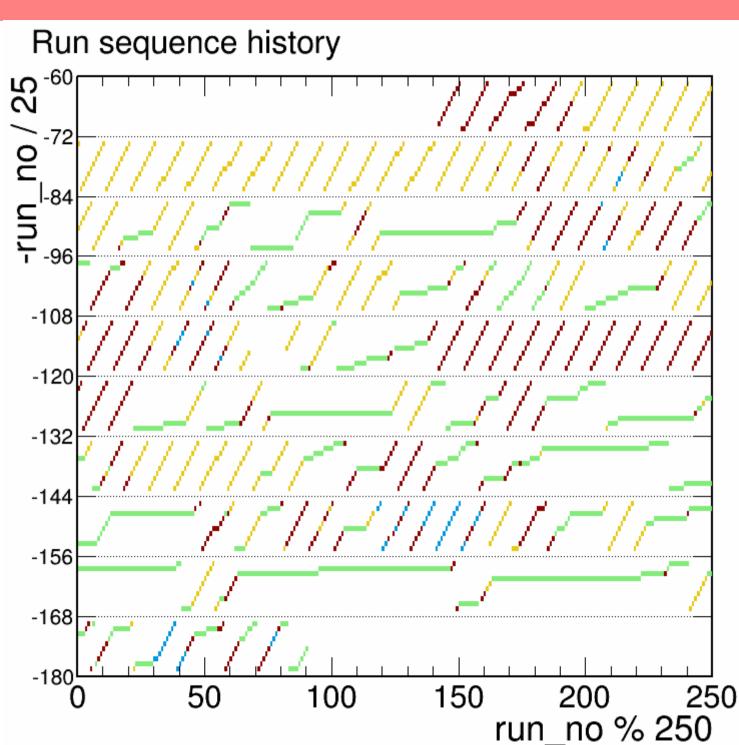
Outline

- Beam Time Report
 - How it was compiled
 - Visual summary
- Online Analysis
 - Examples of some of the plots we produced while at PSI

Beam Time Report

- On Dropbox
- Compiled as follows:
 - elog ordered
 - went through and summarised the relevant elogs, noting any run numbers that are mentioned
 - run number ordered
 - went through the elogs again, in conjunction with the run info DB to account for as many run numbers as possible
 - Changes to DB
 - Phill will talk about

- Different colours indicate different data qualities
- If a run seemed to be autostarted it is plotted on the same level
- Long, green runs appear later in the run



Online Analysis

Online we:

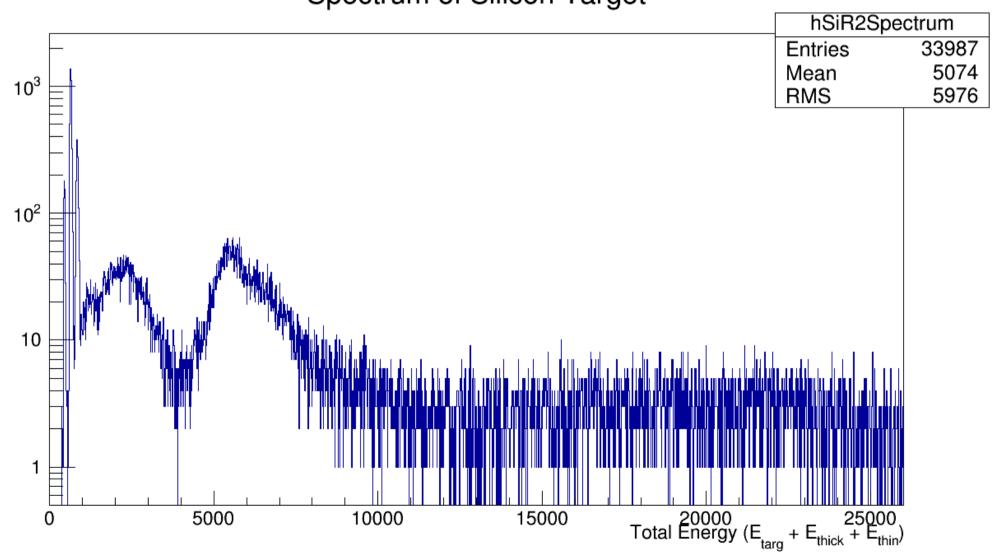
- produced (very) rough proton and muonic x-ray spectra for Si
- saw odd structure in CAEN digitisers
- saw punch-through muons during momentum sweeps
- produced rough dE/dx plots
- saw that Ge-S has a large time difference with muSc (~42 us)

We learned that

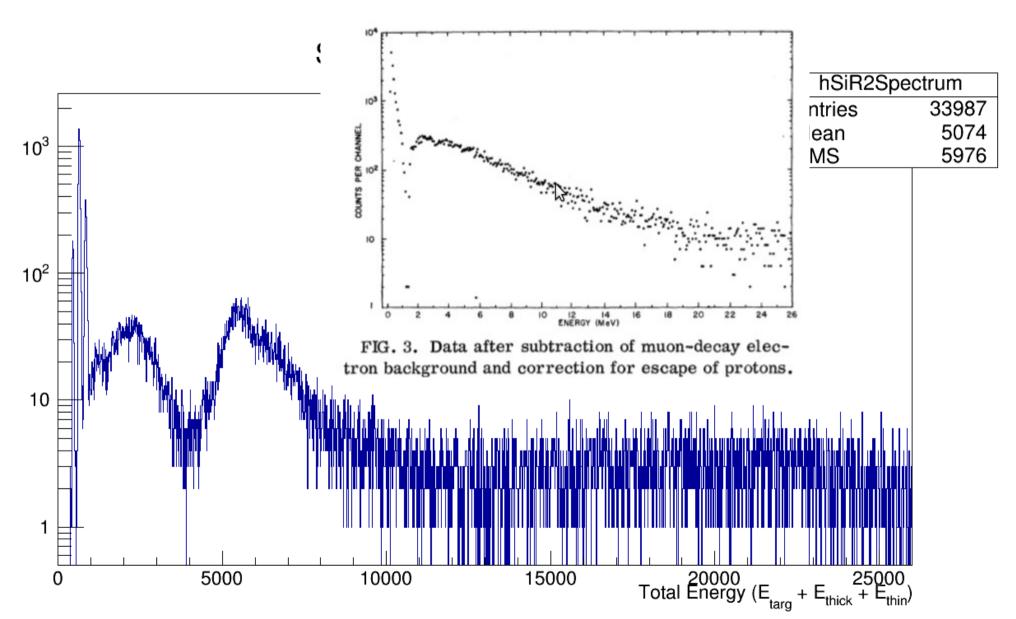
- there is a common trigger on the Ge detectors (UH CAEN)
- there is a negative Ge reset pulse

Silicon Spectra (elog:693)

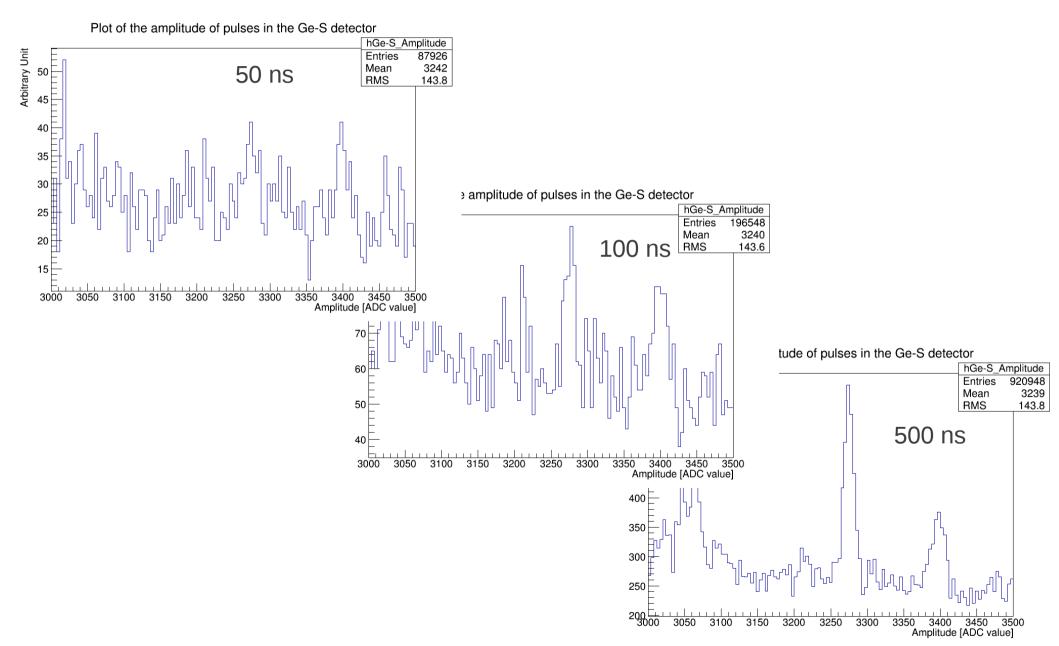
Spectrum of Silicon Target



Silicon Spectra (elog:693)

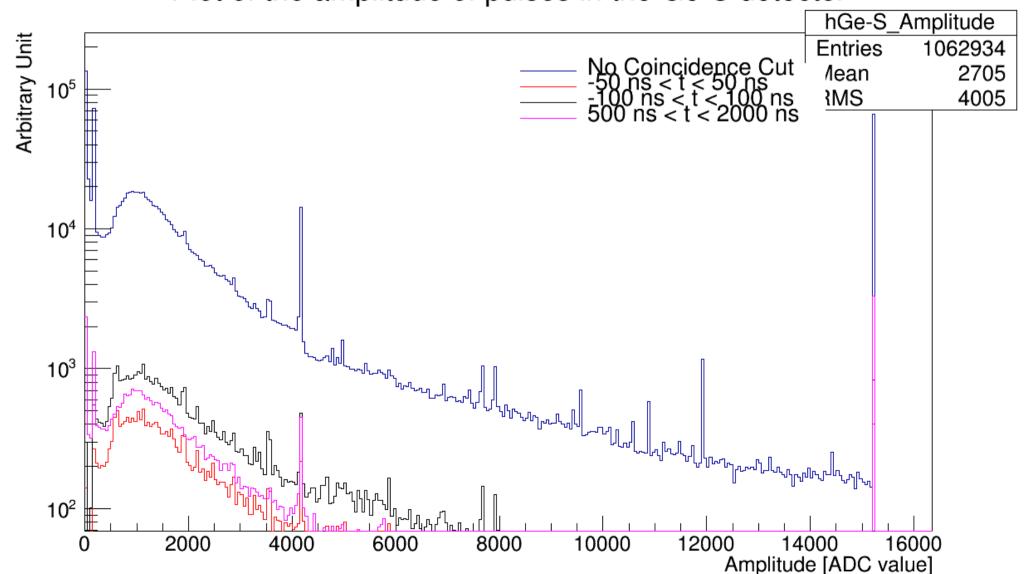


Si Muonic X-Ray Spectra (elog:679)



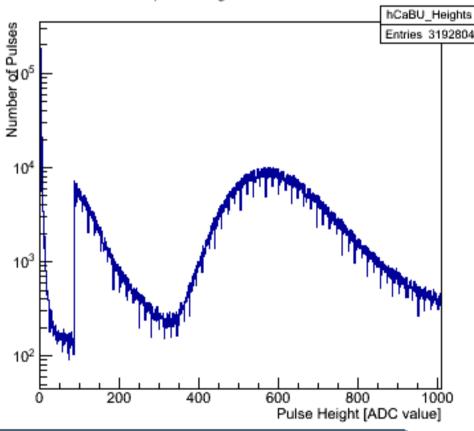
Muonic X-Ray Spectra (elog:520)

Plot of the amplitude of pulses in the Ge-S detector

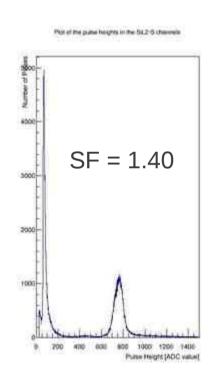


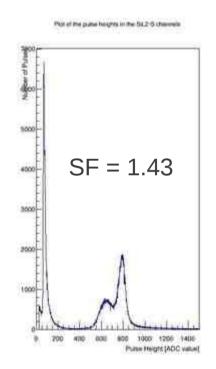
Odd Structure in CAEN Digitisers (elog:375)

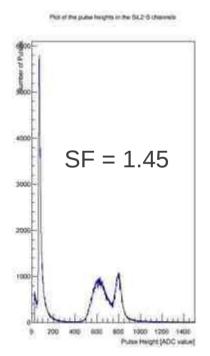
Plot of the pulse heights in the muSc channels

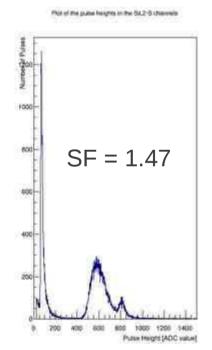


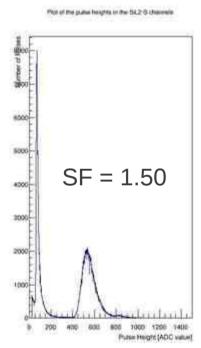
Punch-through Muons (elog:274)





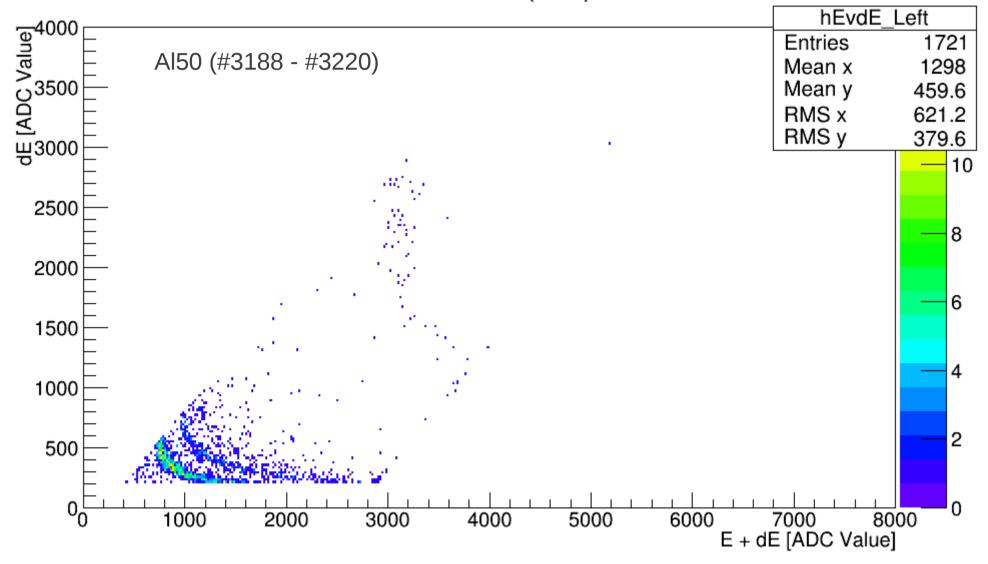






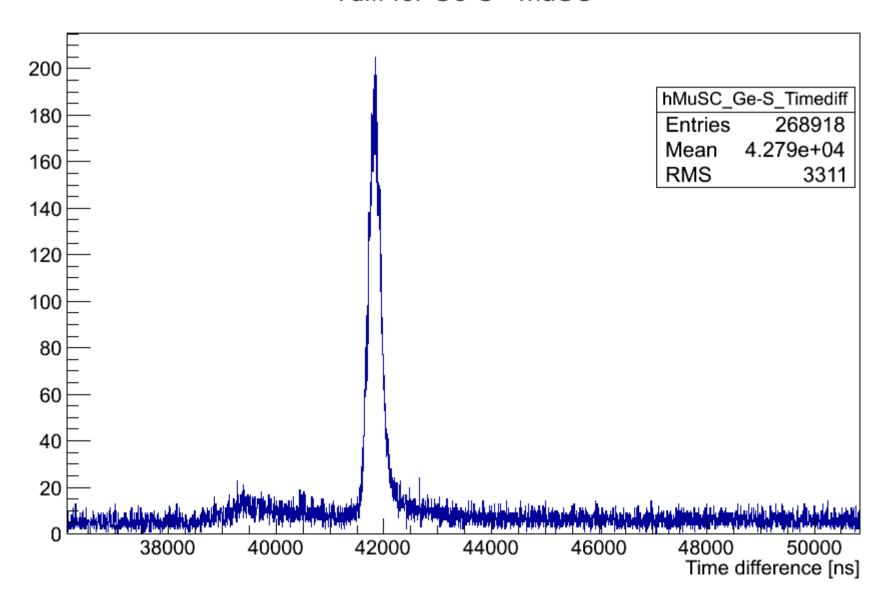
dE / dx Plots (elog:643)

dEdx vs E (Left)



Large Ge-S – muSC TDiff (elog:384)

Tdiff for Ge-S - muSC

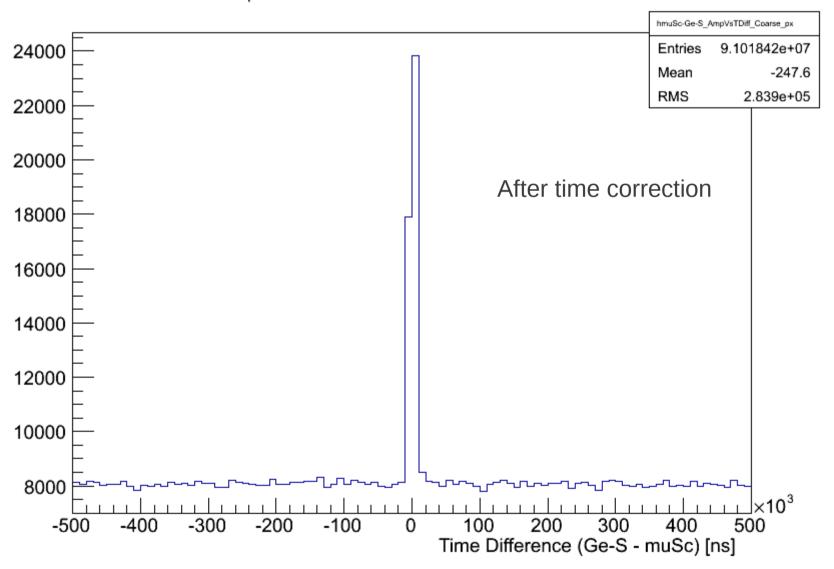


Ge-S – muSc Correlation

- Tried to reproduce this with run 2076 (SiR)
 - Couldn't
- Tried run 2600 (Al100)
 - Could
- Spent some time trying to solve the problem but couldn't work it out

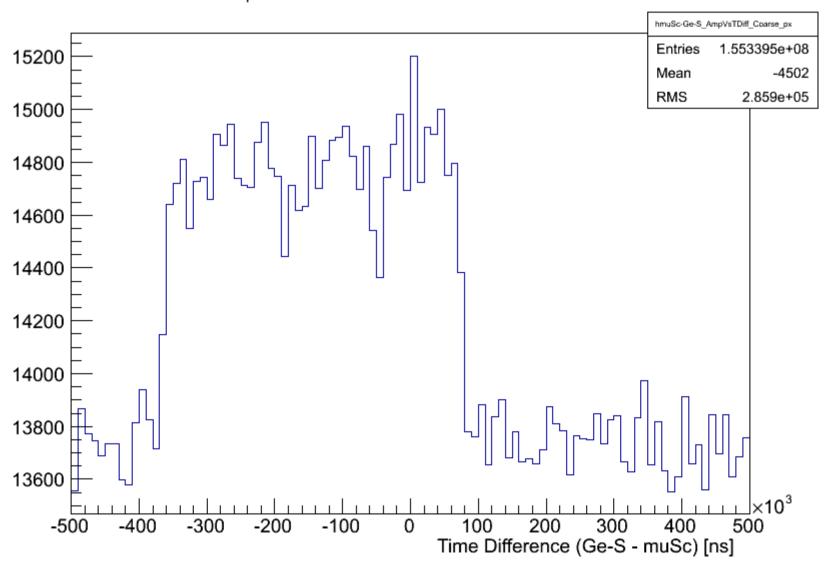
Run 2600 (Al100 run)

Plot of the amplitude vs time difference for the muSc and Ge-S detector



Run 2076 (SiR run)

Plot of the amplitude vs time difference for the muSc and Ge-S detector



Discussion Points

- Is there anything else we did / learned?
- How do we communicate problems we find with runs?
- How long do we spend trying to solve problems before deciding to throw the run away?