

# Beam Distributions with Maximal Apertures

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# Review of Previous Talk

- Neuffer found significantly worse performance with C compared to Hg
  - Found larger emittance for C
- I looked at emittances at 3 m
  - Various Hg distributions had very different emittances
    - Differences primarily result from different beam pipe apertures
  - Neuffer used the one with the smallest emittance
  - C emittances were larger than Hg
  - C emittances worst with dump no tilt; with dump better with tilt

# Review of Previous Talk

- New default for MARS event generator has significant impact on performance
  - Largest impact is total count reduction, less so on spectrum
  - Transverse emittances virtually unchanged
- C energy spectrum peaked at much higher energy than Hg
  - Overall production may be comparable to Hg (about to be proven otherwise...)
  - NBPR design likely very different for Hg and C
  - But Bob argued correctly that capturing flux at higher energies is likely more costly and less efficient

# Review of Previous Talk

- C with dump no tilt has significantly worse production

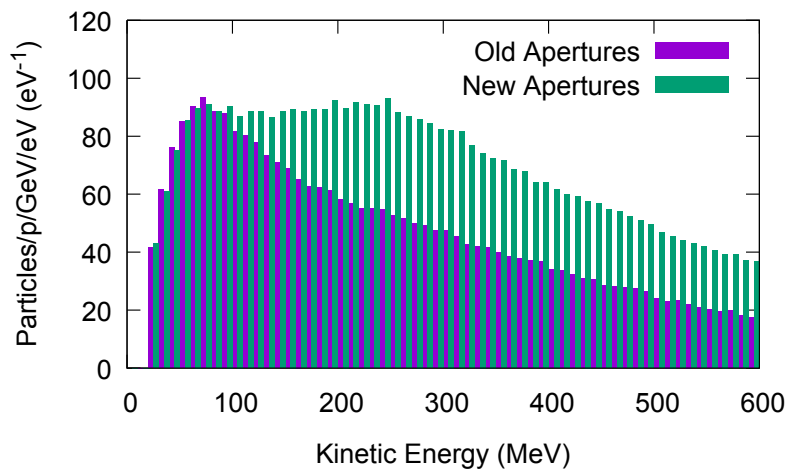
# Maximal Aperture Runs

- Ran both C and Hg with
  - 13 cm inner radius to 85 cm
  - 23 cm inner radius beyond that
- Compare distributions at 3 m to results with old apertures
- Emittances are larger, and are identical for Hg and C: emittances determined by apertures!
  - Differences in C apertures based on tilt, etc: likely differences in interaction with aperture

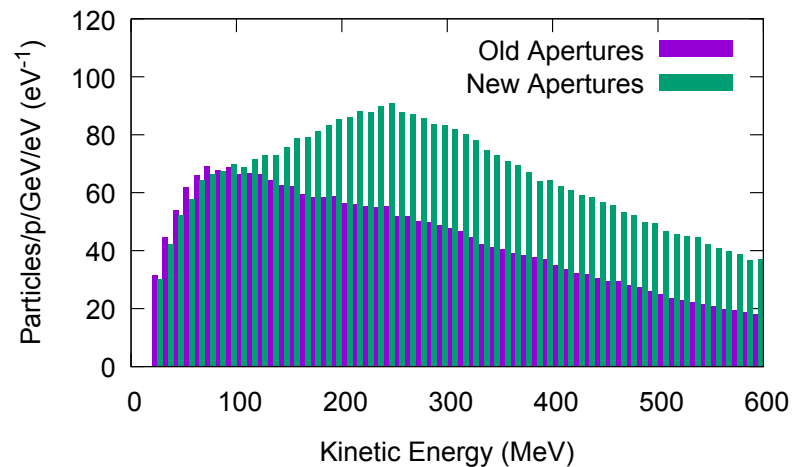
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Hg old	30.7	13.4	35.2	15.1	21.0	14.4	21.9	15.1
Hg new	60.2	17.5	66.6	18.8	62.8	14.6	64.8	14.8
C old	51.5	22.1	52.7	23.9	36.5	26.0	36.6	27.4
C new	60.7	18.5	64.5	19.4	63.8	15.4	66.1	15.6

# Hg at 3 m

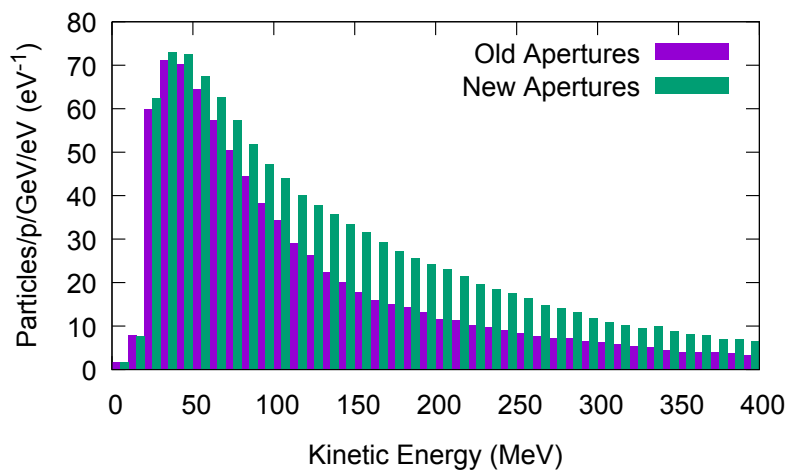
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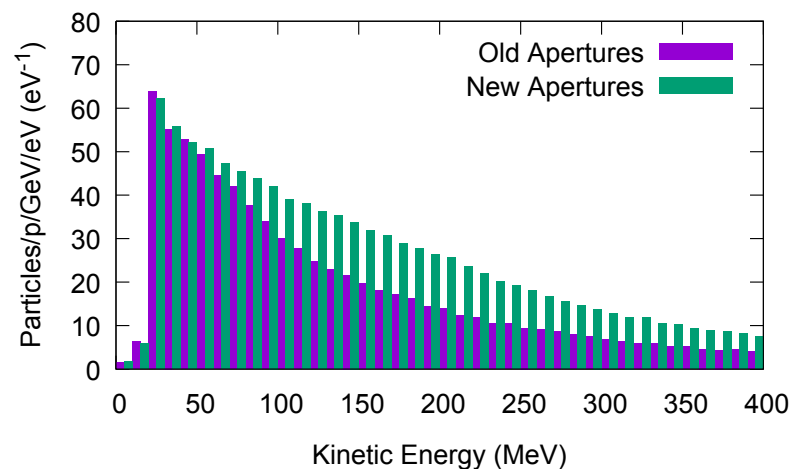
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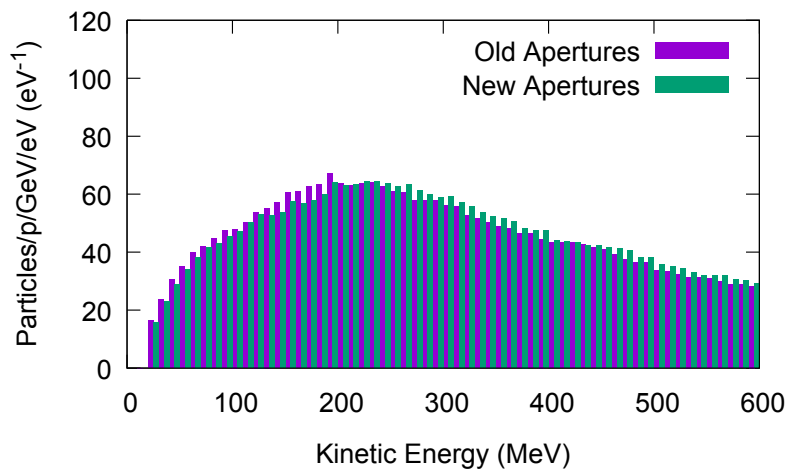


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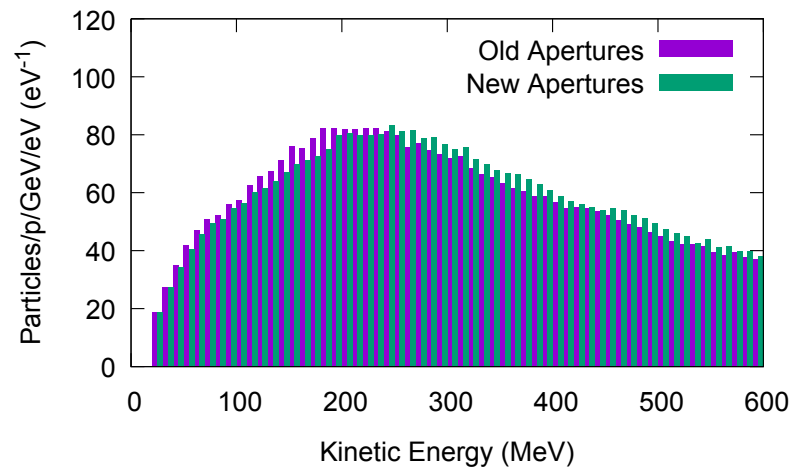
- Hg: widening apertures gives more particles at higher energy
- C: less change seen: only difference is that 13 cm portion got shorter in new version
- Some decrease in low energy pions: pions were losing energy in beampipe?

# C at 3 m

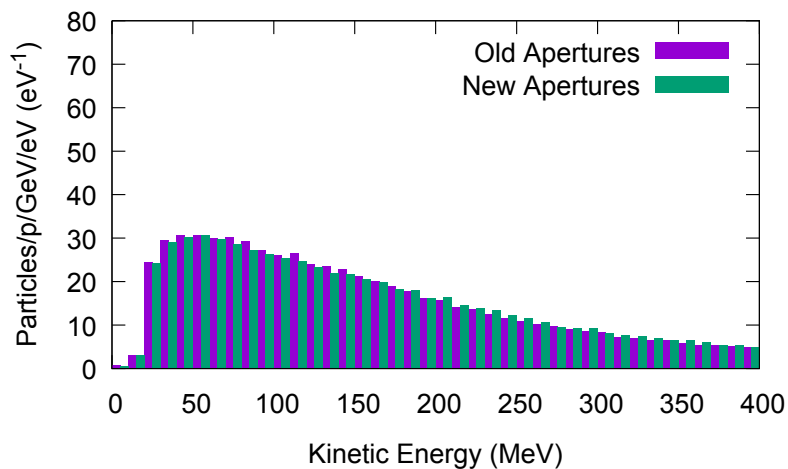
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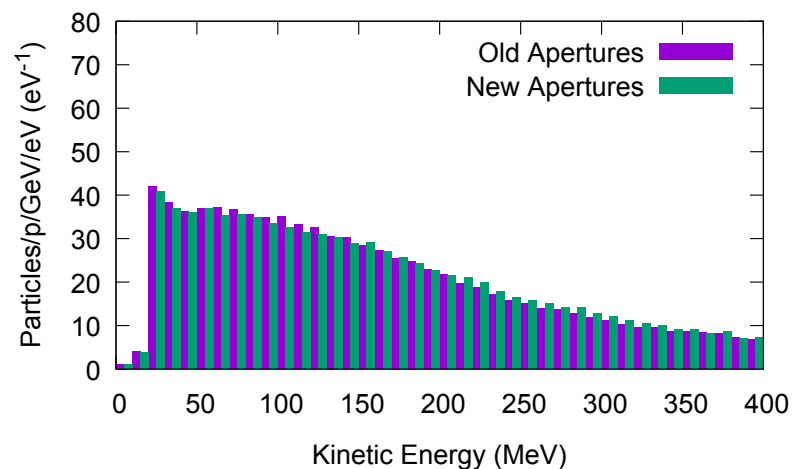
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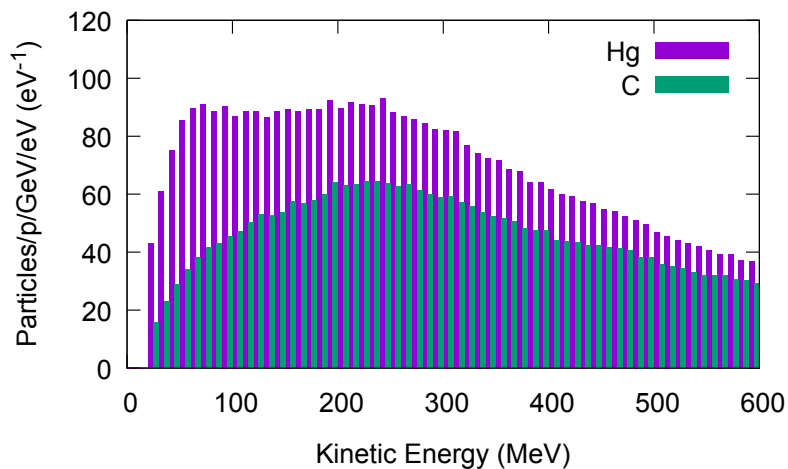
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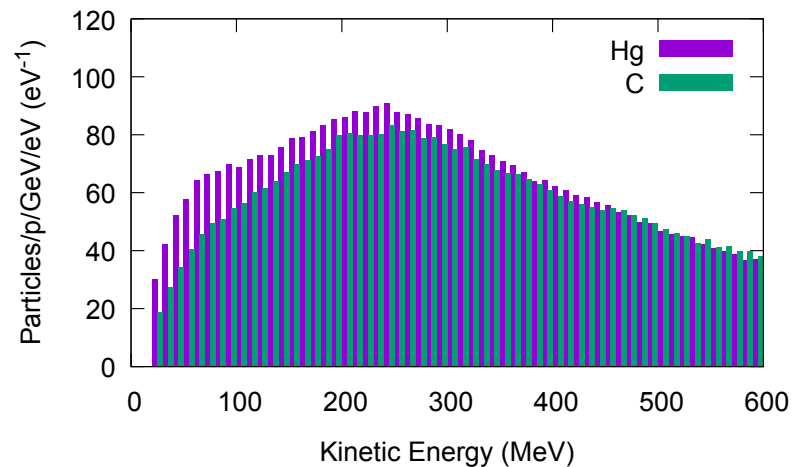


# Hg vs. C at 3 m

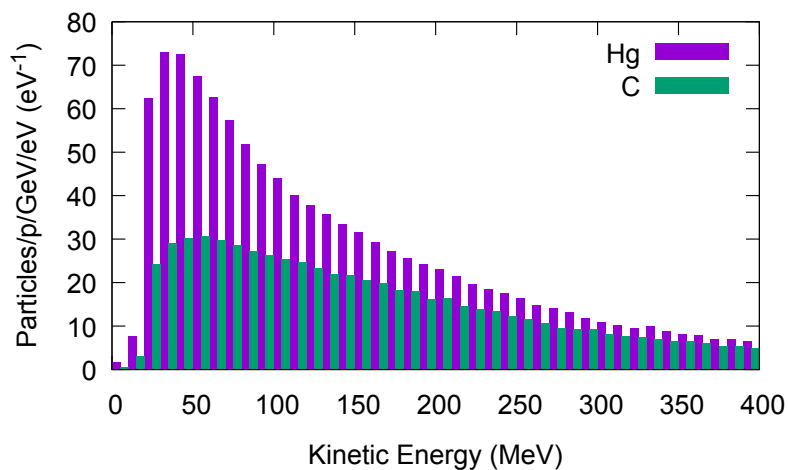
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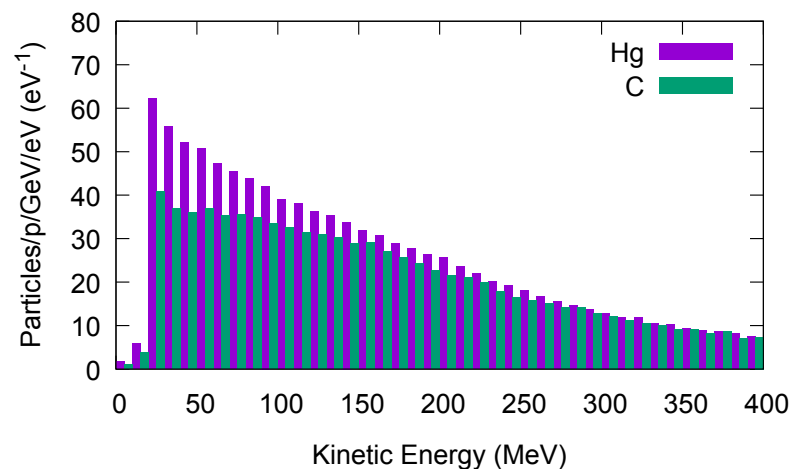
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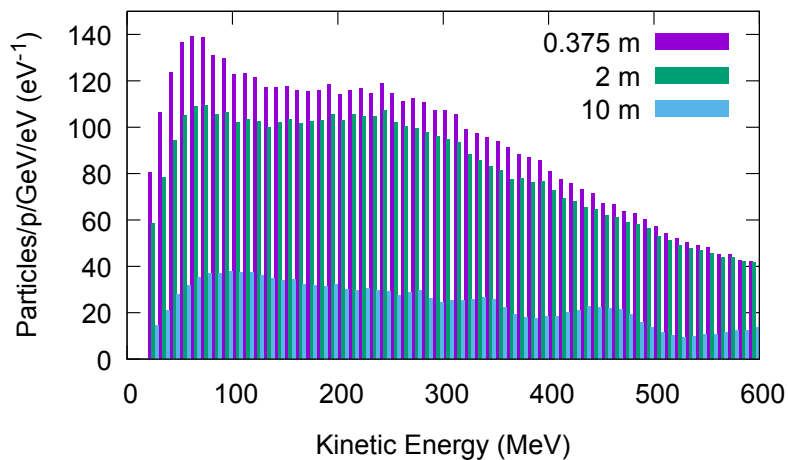


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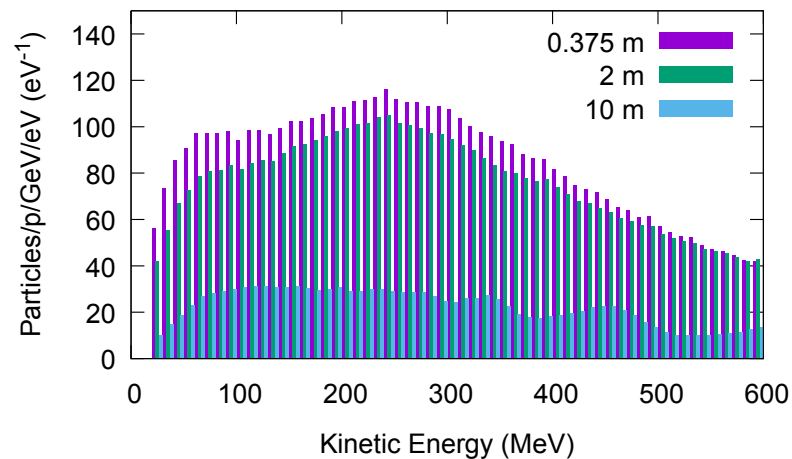
- Hg production always higher than C
- Distributions get very similar at high energy, especially for positive charges
- Pion production peak at 250 MeV shows up in Hg as well as C
  - This peak may be related to geometry: higher fields may move this to higher energy
- Still holds that C and Hg will require different NBPR, but less so than I initially thought
  - Note that NBPR will function differently for both signs (more so in Hg): must be a compromise, designed simultaneously for both signs

# Spectrum vs. Distance (Hg, MARS)

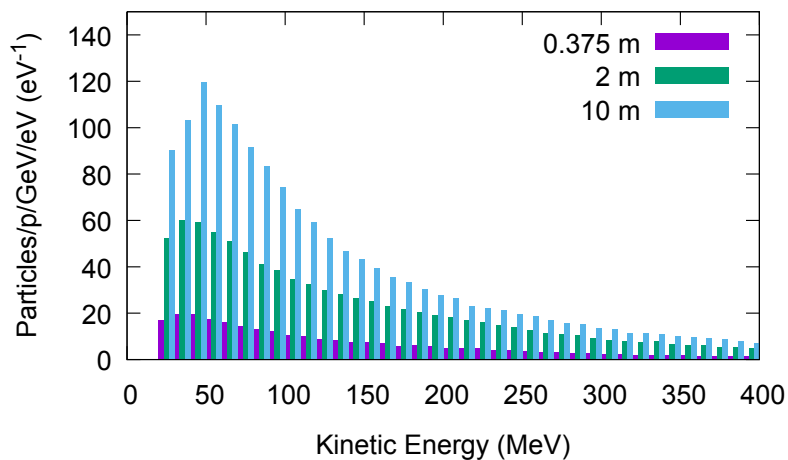
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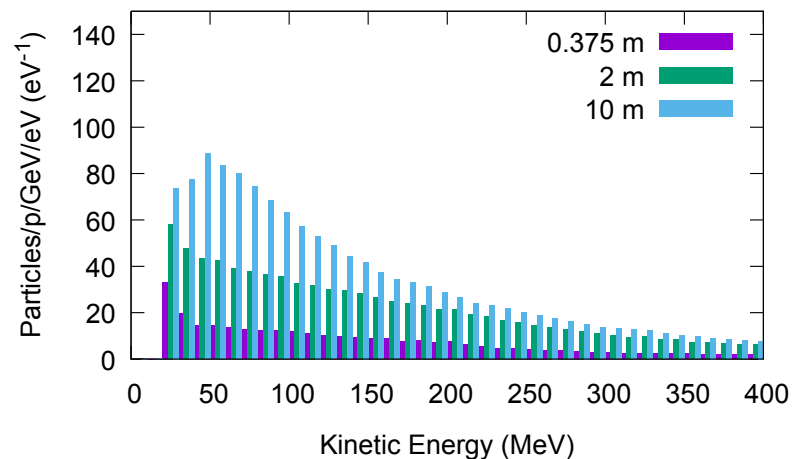
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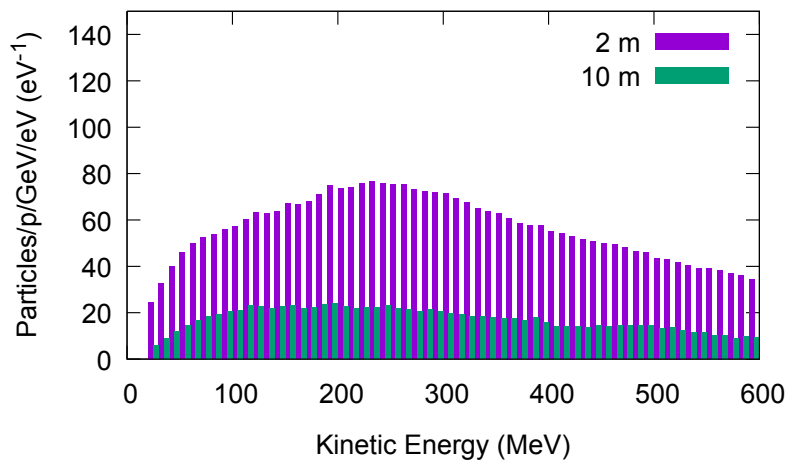


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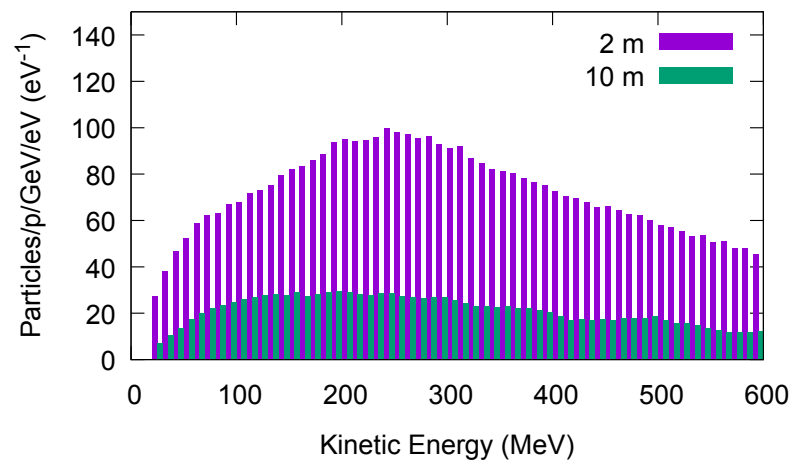


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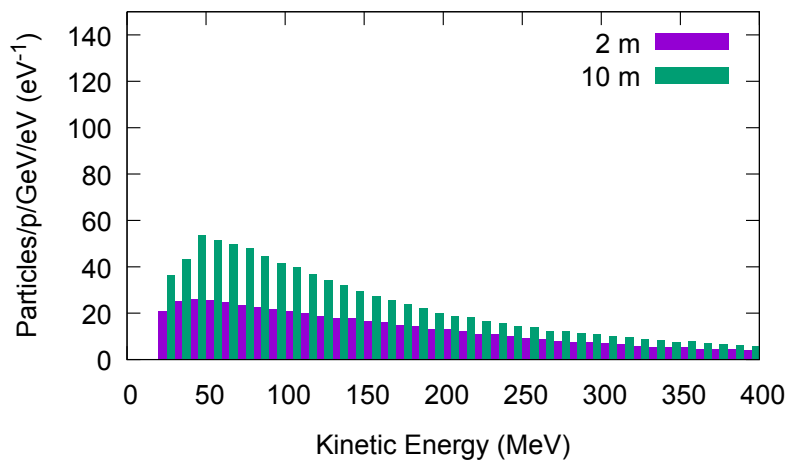
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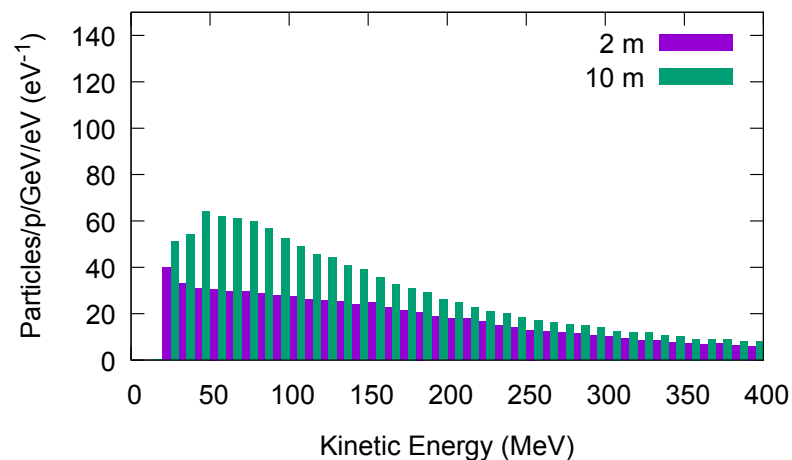
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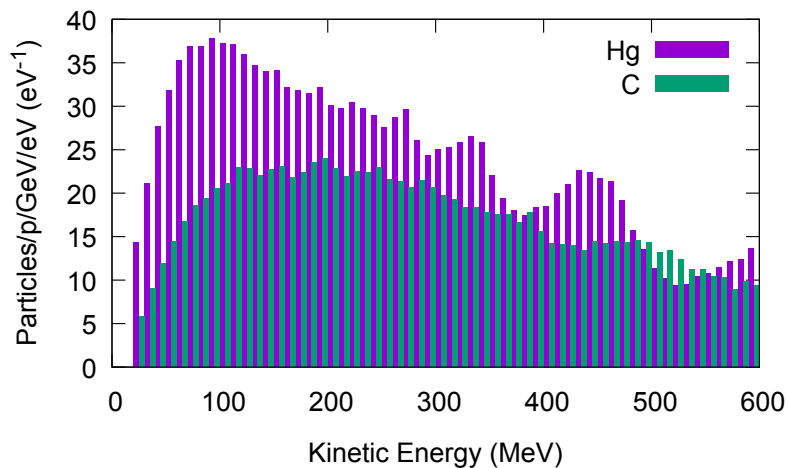


# Spectrum vs. Distance

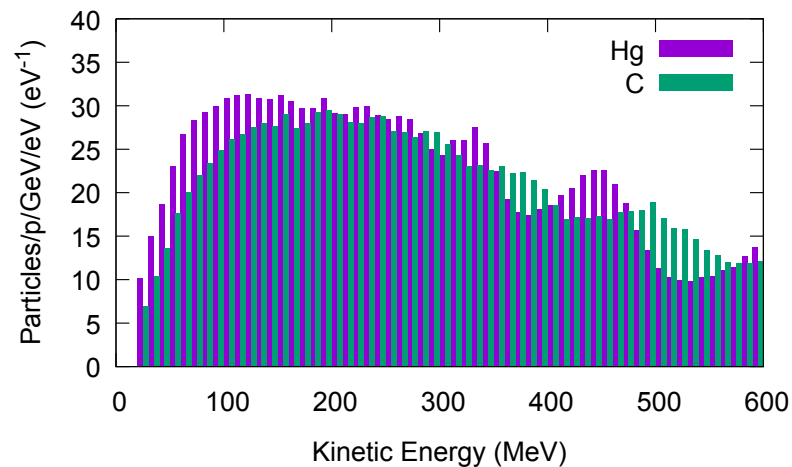
- Going down to 10 m, many more pions lost than muons created
- Peak at 250 MeV goes away
- Conclusion: many pions (and maybe some decay muons) lost on apertures
- High energy spectrum oscillates for Hg
  - Longer betatron period for high energies
  - Expect to eventually flatten out
  - Less so for C: production over larger longitudinal range?
- Transmission would be improved by higher fields
  - Consistent with Hisham's results
  - Spectrum would be weighted toward higher energy

# Hg vs. C at 10 m

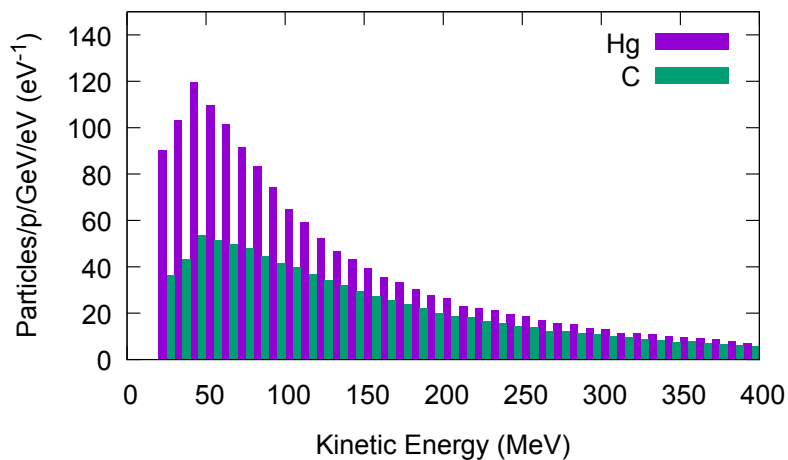
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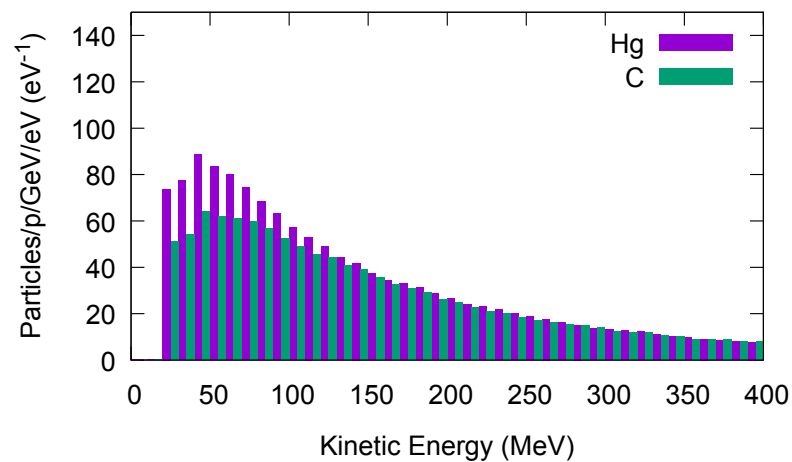
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# Hg vs. C at 10 m

- Similar to 3 m, especially for muons
- Main difference is disappearance of pion peak at 250 MeV

# Conclusions

- Emittances are determined primarily by apertures; Hg and C are the same
- High energy portion of spectrum clipped by apertures as well
- Spectrum shape differs for different signs
- Positive production similar for Hg and C
- Negative production differs significantly at low energy ( $< 150 \text{ MeV}$  for  $\mu^-$ )
- Higher fields would increase number of captured particles, but likely raise energy of spectrum



# Distribution Availability

- Distributions available at <https://pubweb.bnl.gov/~jsberg/150201-Distributions/>
- ICOOL for003.dat input, as well as raw MARS output
- At 2 m and 10 m for both Hg and C, also 0.375 m for Hg
- At 10 m, also have charged pions, kaons, and muons, plus same separated by charge signs
- MARS input files also available

# Next Steps

- What does NBPR optimized for these distributions look like?
  - What portion of the distribution does it use?
  - What is the best compromise for both signs?
    - Is this different for collider and  $\nu$  factory optimization?
  - Is there a significant difference for C and Hg?
- How does chicane change things?
- How does raising the field change things?
- Would an early absorber help?