

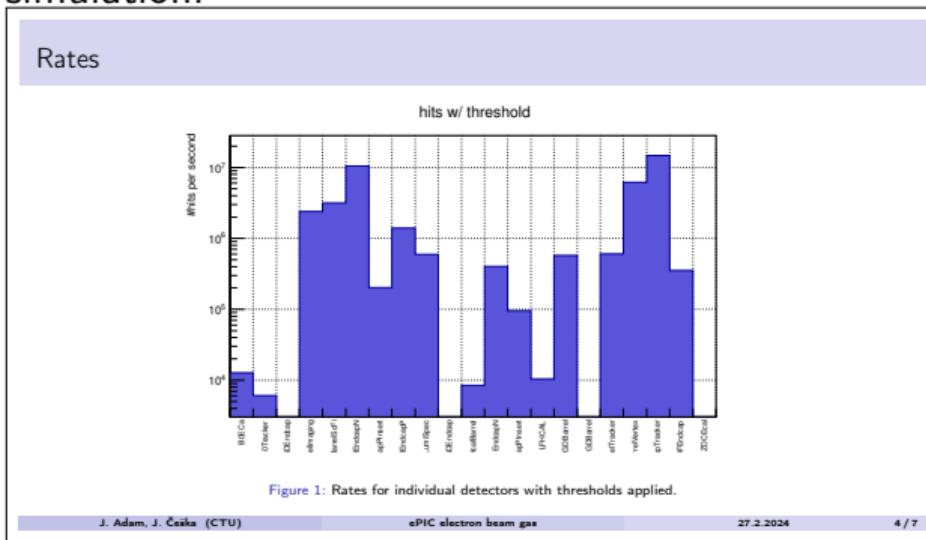
# EEEMCal gap and background studies

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# News

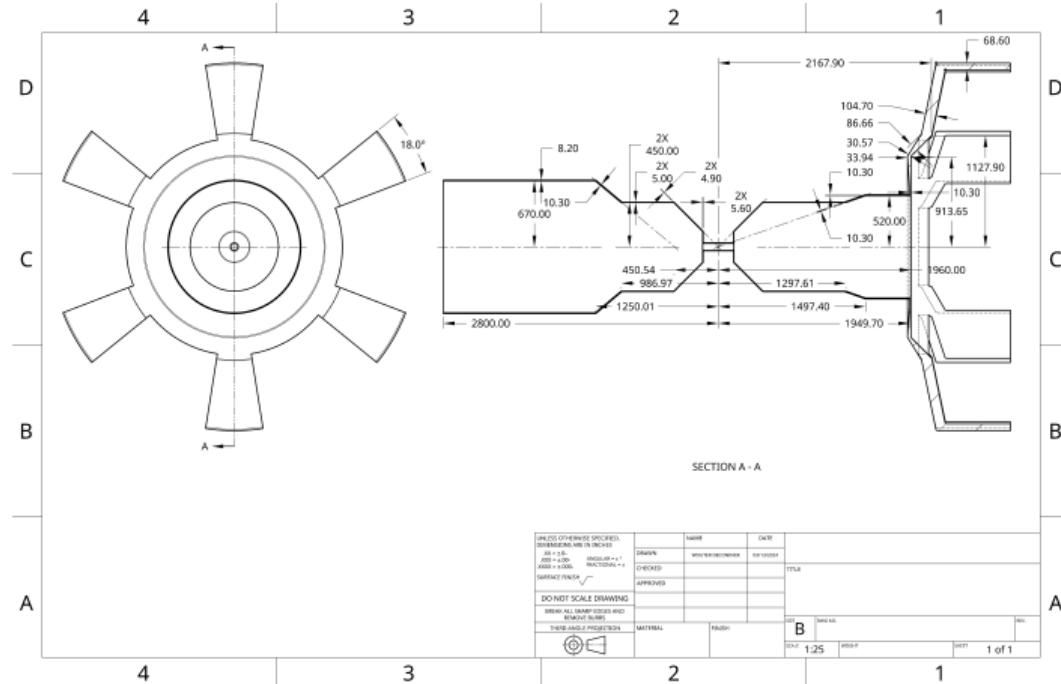
- ▶ The gap study published as benchmark  
[https://github.com/eic/detector\\_benchmarks/pull/13](https://github.com/eic/detector_benchmarks/pull/13)
- ▶ Barrel ECal length adjustment <https://github.com/eic/epic/pull/648>
- ▶ New study by Jakub on electron beam gas rates featuring updated MC simulation:



(rates given per detector)

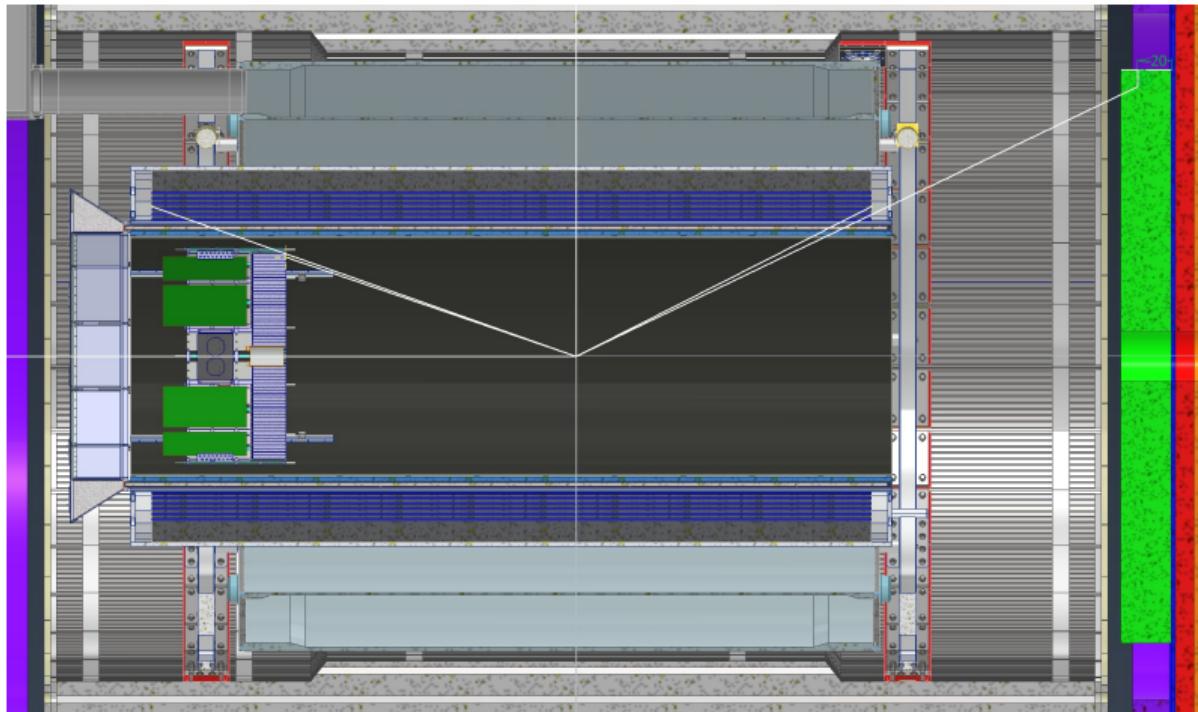
# More News

- Work by Wouter on services <https://github.com/eic/epic/pull/661>

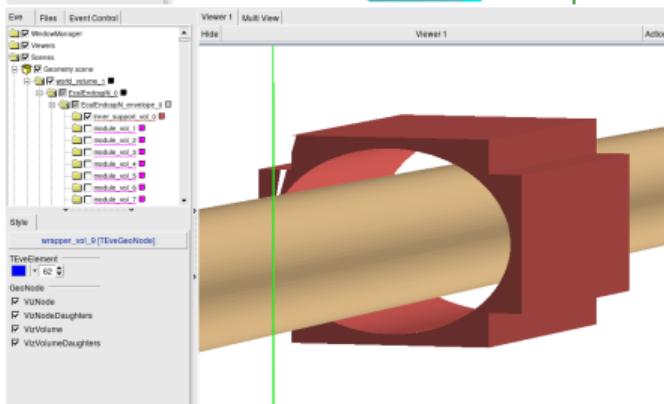
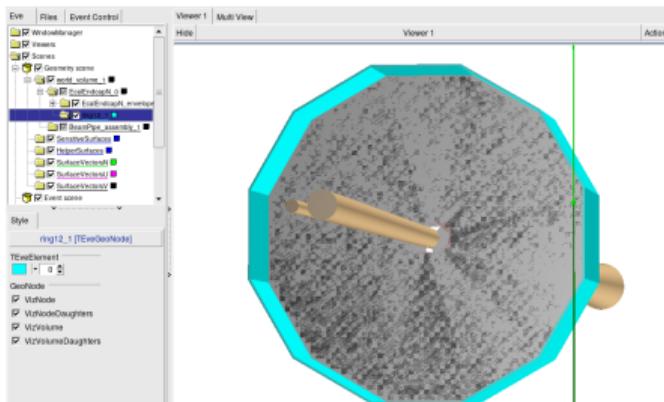


# Gap

## EMCAL Coverage

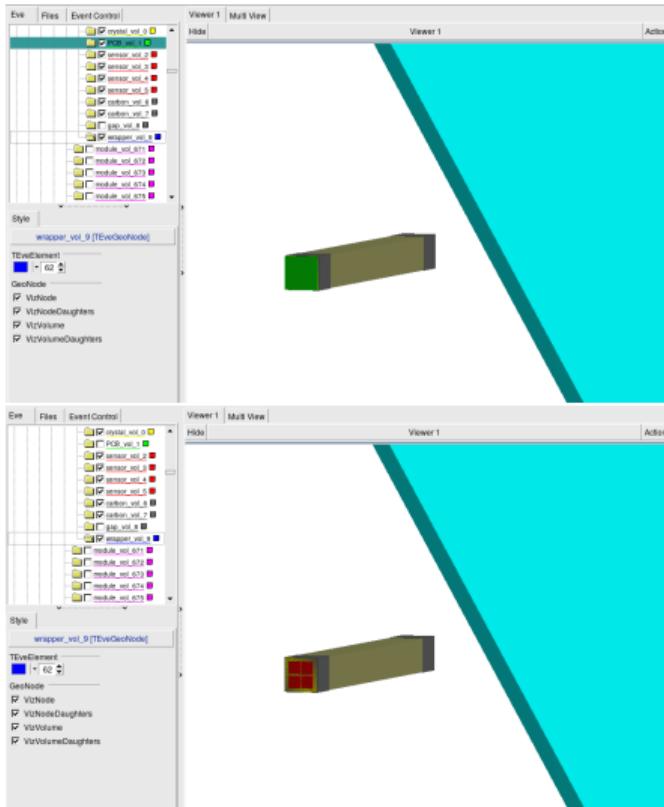


# Simulation geometry (as of 24.02)



- ▶ “ring12” (cyan) – 0.9 cm thick StainlessSteel
- ▶ “EcalEndcapN\_envelope” (grey) – StainlessSteel  
(only applies where children volumes don't override)
- ▶ “Inner\_support\_vol” (rust) – Copper
- ▶ modules (black) – Vacuum (only applies where children volumes don't override)

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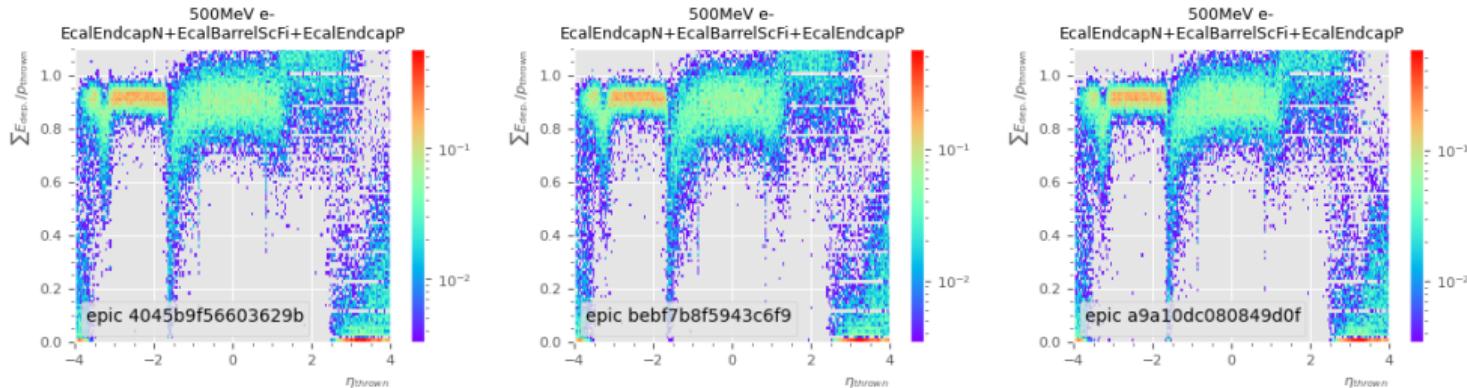
- ▶ Air gap volume manually placed around each crystal with the same thickness as carbon fiber (0.2 mm)

# Remove aluminum supports

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▼ + 4 src/HomogeneousCalorimeter_geo.cpp □
  ↑ 00 -257,7 +257,7 00 static std::tuple<int, std::pair<int, int>> add_12surface_disk(Detector& desc, A
257 257 //=====
258 258
259 259 PolyhedraRegular solid_ring12(12, r12min, r12max, structure_frame_length);
260 - Volume ring12_vol("ring12", solid_ring12, outer_ring_material);
260 + Volume ring12_vol("ring12", solid_ring12, desc.material("Air"));
261 261 Transform3D tr_global_Oring = RotationZYX(Prot, 0., 0.) * Translation3D(0., 0., Oring_shift);
262 262 ring12_vol.setVisAttributes(desc.visAttributes(plm.attr<std::string>(_Unicode(vis_struc))));
263 263
  ↑ 00 -287,7 +287,7 00 static std::tuple<int, std::pair<int, int>> add_12surface_disk(Detector& desc, A
287 287 EllipticalTube solid_sub(Innера, Innerb, calo_module_length / 2.);
288 288 Transform3D subtract_pos = RotationZYX(Nrot, 0., 0.) * Translation3D(0., 0., 0.);
289 289 SubtractionSolid calo_subtract(solid_world, solid_sub, subtract_pos);
290 - Volume env_vol(std::string(env.name()) + "_envelope", calo_subtract, outer_ring_material);
290 + Volume env_vol(std::string(env.name()) + "_envelope", calo_subtract, desc.material("Air"));
291 291 Transform3D tr_global = RotationZYX(Prot, 0., 0.) * Translation3D(0., 0., 0.);
292 292 env_vol.setVisAttributes(desc.visAttributes(plm.attr<std::string>(_Unicode(vis_steele_gap))));
293 293
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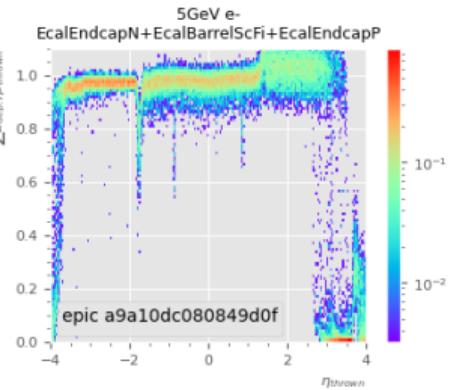
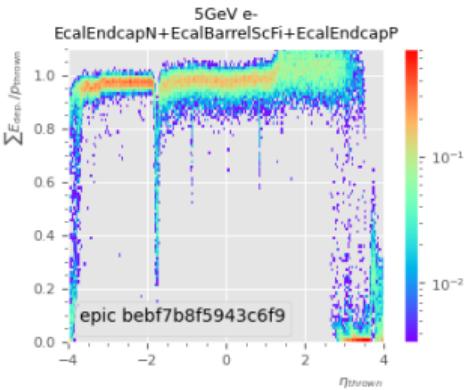
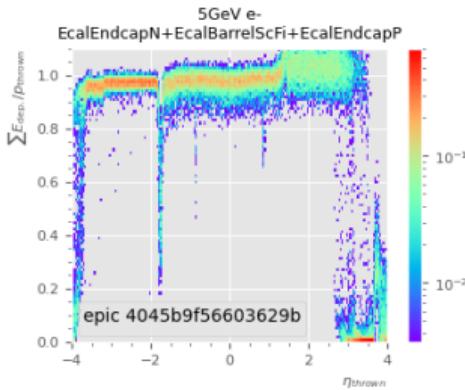
(not in the main branch, of course)

# Total energy deposition vs $\varphi$



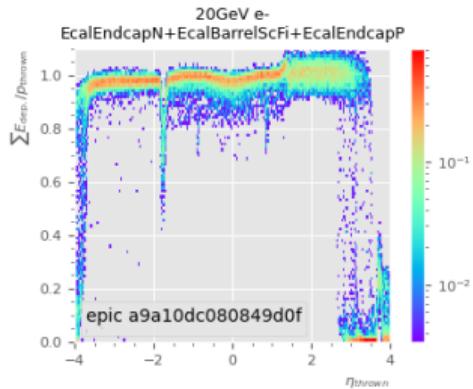
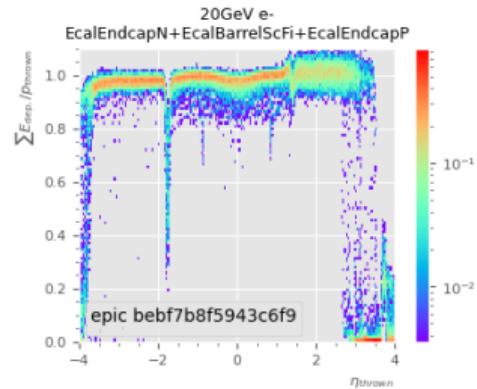
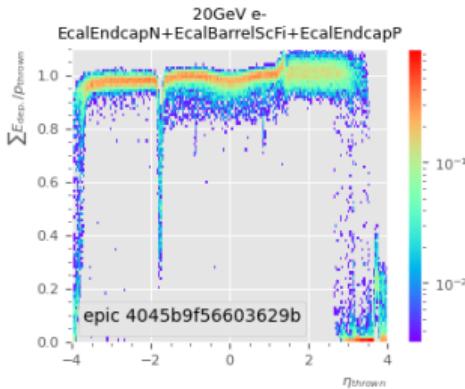
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# Background embedding

## Solution

The issue was that both signal and background vertices are thrown at a random time offset within  $2\mu\text{s}$  “integration window”

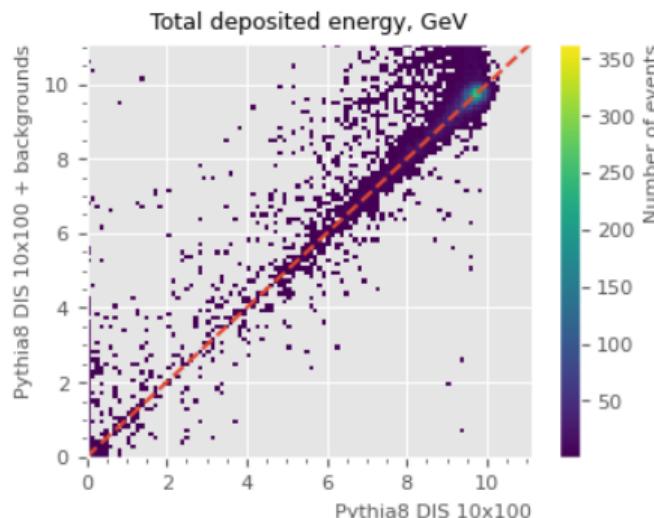
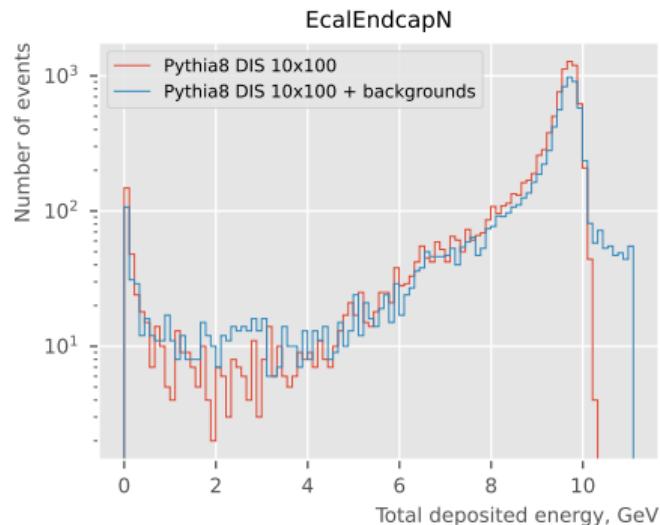
[https://github.com/eic/HEPMC\\_Merger/blob/e58058d9ef1e41f261e0dbcb75ee986aa3392bd0/signal\\_background\\_merger.py#L275](https://github.com/eic/HEPMC_Merger/blob/e58058d9ef1e41f261e0dbcb75ee986aa3392bd0/signal_background_merger.py#L275)

[https://github.com/eic/HEPMC\\_Merger/blob/e58058d9ef1e41f261e0dbcb75ee986aa3392bd0/signal\\_background\\_merger.py#L367](https://github.com/eic/HEPMC_Merger/blob/e58058d9ef1e41f261e0dbcb75ee986aa3392bd0/signal_background_merger.py#L367)

This would not fit within the  $1\mu\text{s}$  cutoff <https://github.com/eic/EICrecon/blob/8924e6abc7eddd3d8f1aff53435cb31655b0fdc6/src/algorithms/calorimetry/CalorimeterHitDigiConfig.h#L21>

The solution is to pass the `--squashTime` option to the `signal_background_merger.py`.

# Look without clustering (Backwards ECal)



# Look without clustering (Barrel ECal)

