PRad RC Report

(Week of June 8 - 14)

Highlights & Book keeping:

Wed - Thur (06/08-06/09): production on H₂ continued with 10 nA beam

Friday (06/10): DAQ issues are resolved, production with 15 nA current. trigger rate ~ 5kHz, data rate ~400 MB/sec and 87% live-time.

Most weekdays beam was restored within 2-4 hours after closing the Hall.

Sunday (06/12): Reached production goal for 1.1 GeV beam on H₂ (over 600M events collected, about 25-30% are background. Also collected over 55M events with empty target.). A reference measurement on a 1um thin Carbon target completed Sunday night.

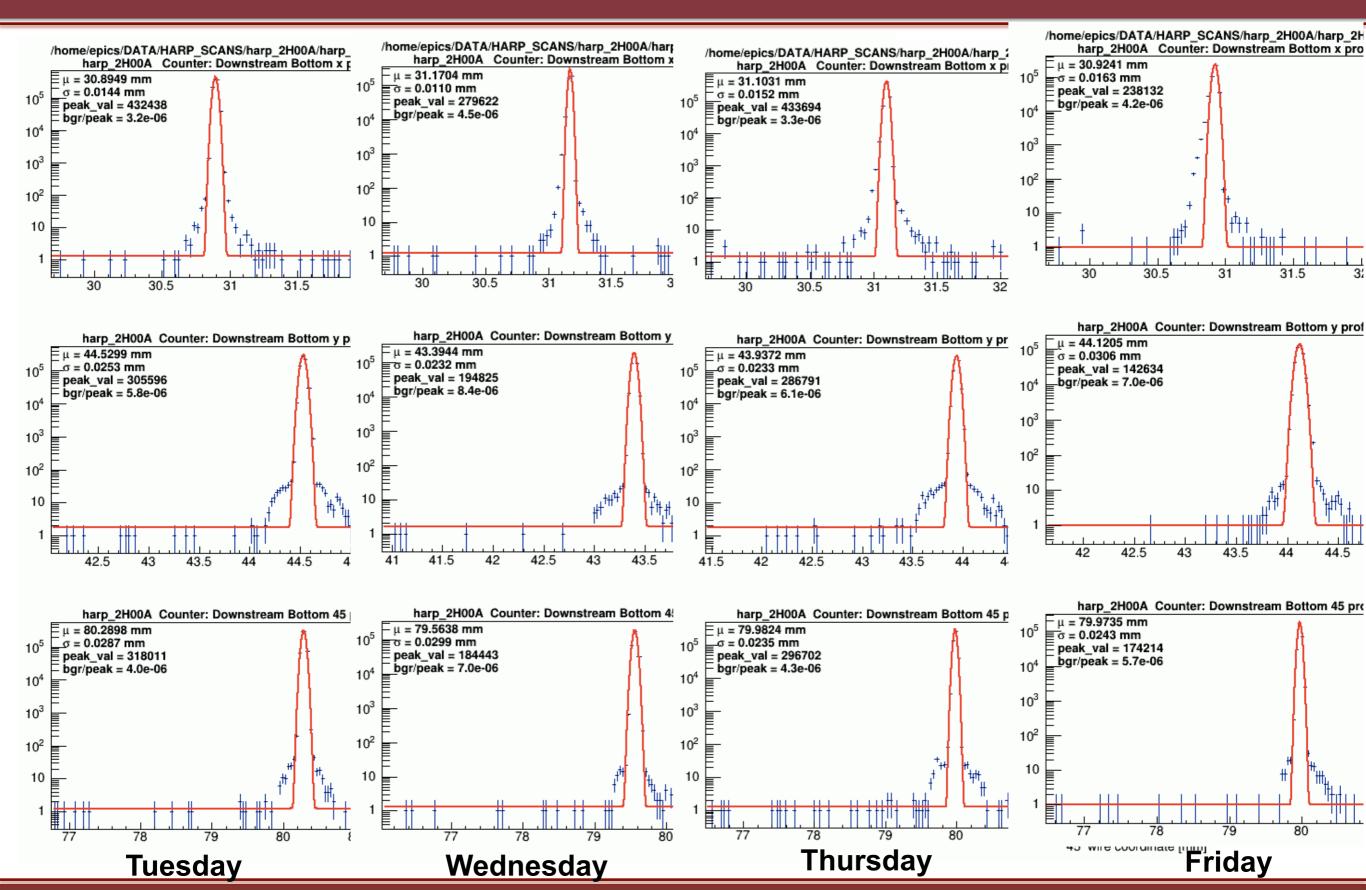
Switched to 2 pass beam on Monday (June 13), first beam on target at ~05:00 AM today morning (1 hr of production @ 15 nA).

2/3 of approved PAC days used up so far.

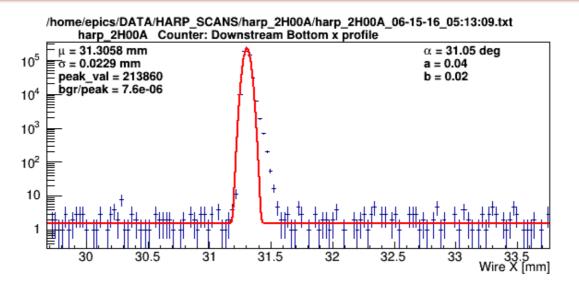
50% production and 100% of calibration data (2/3 overall) collected to date.

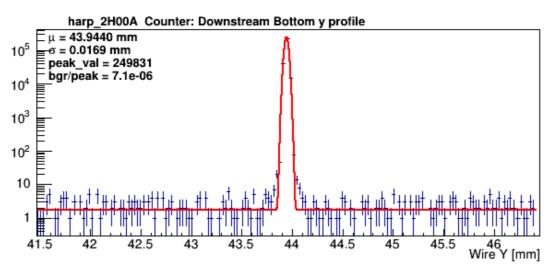
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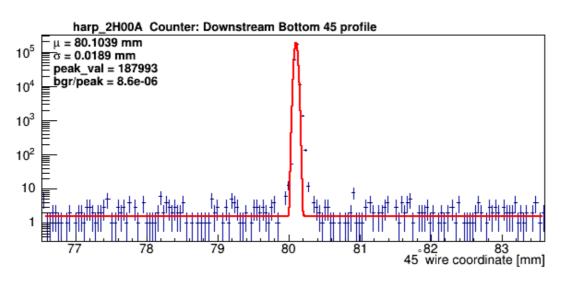
Quick and precise restoration of 1 pass beam



2 - pass beam from today morning



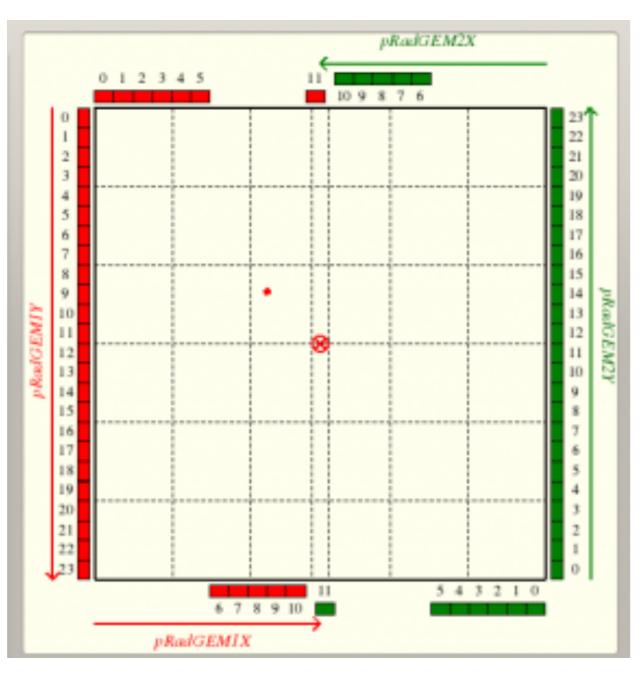




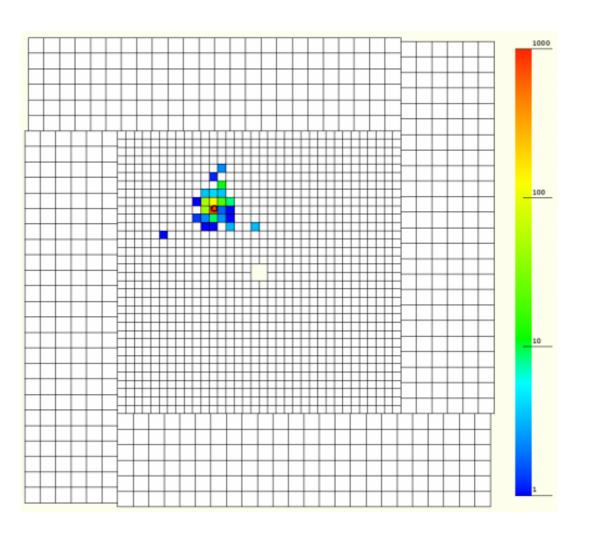
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Online matching between GEM and HyCal hits





HyCal

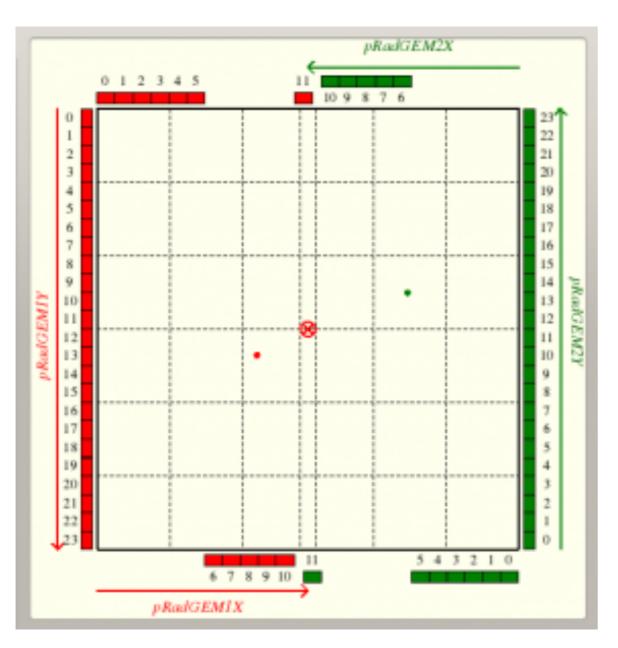


An e-p elastic scattering event

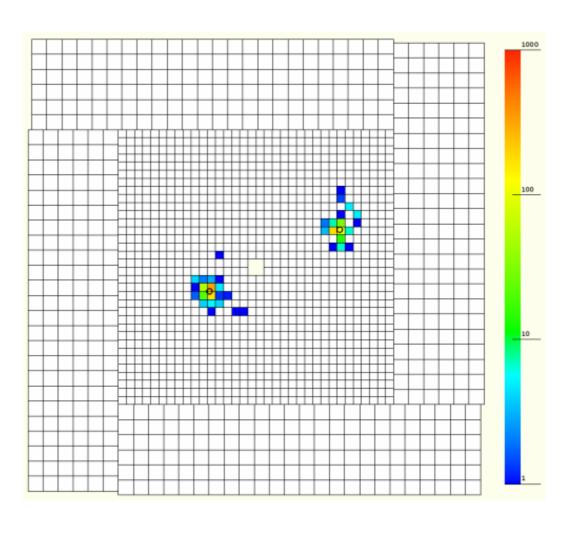
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GEM



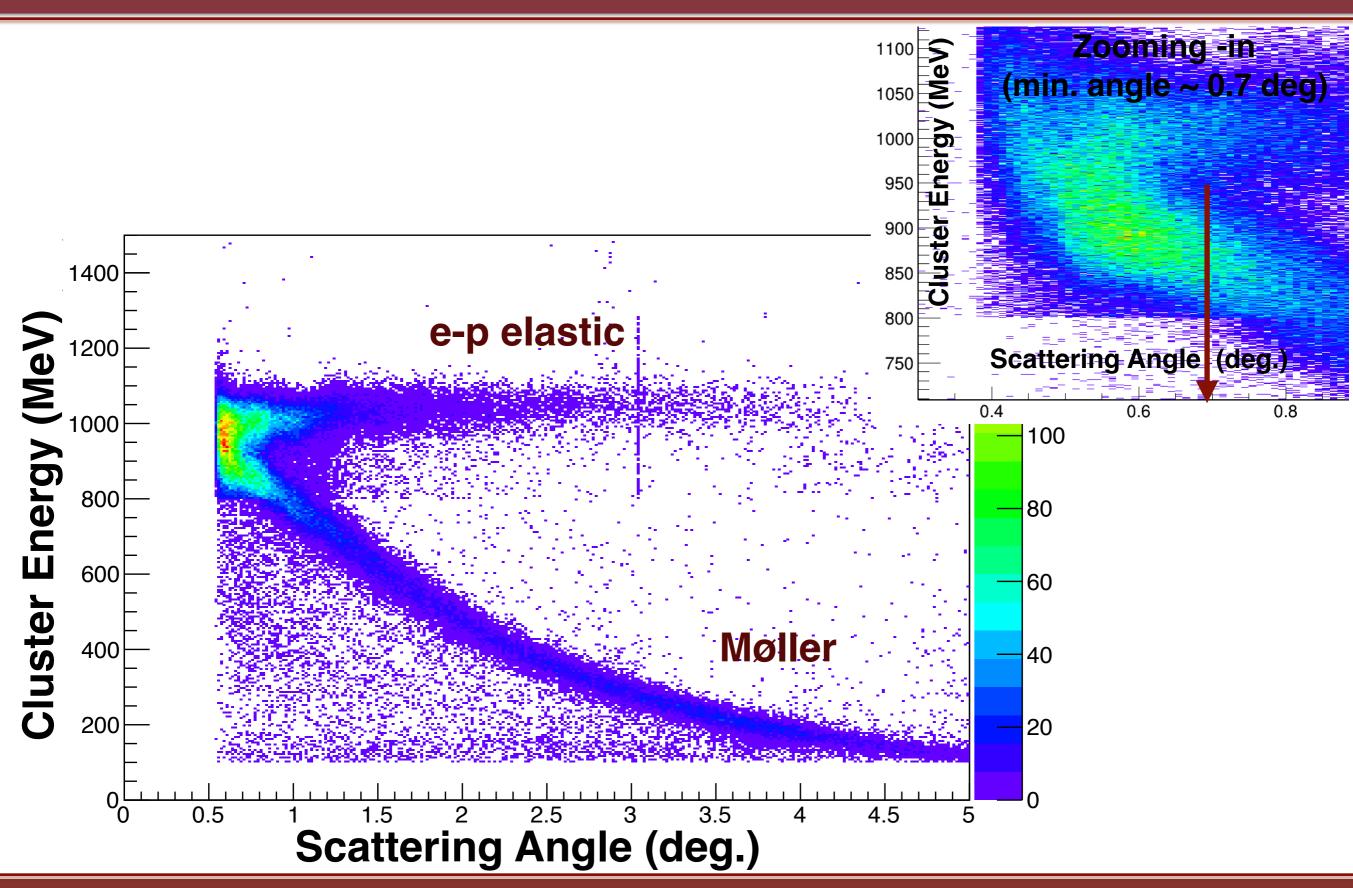
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A Møller scattering event

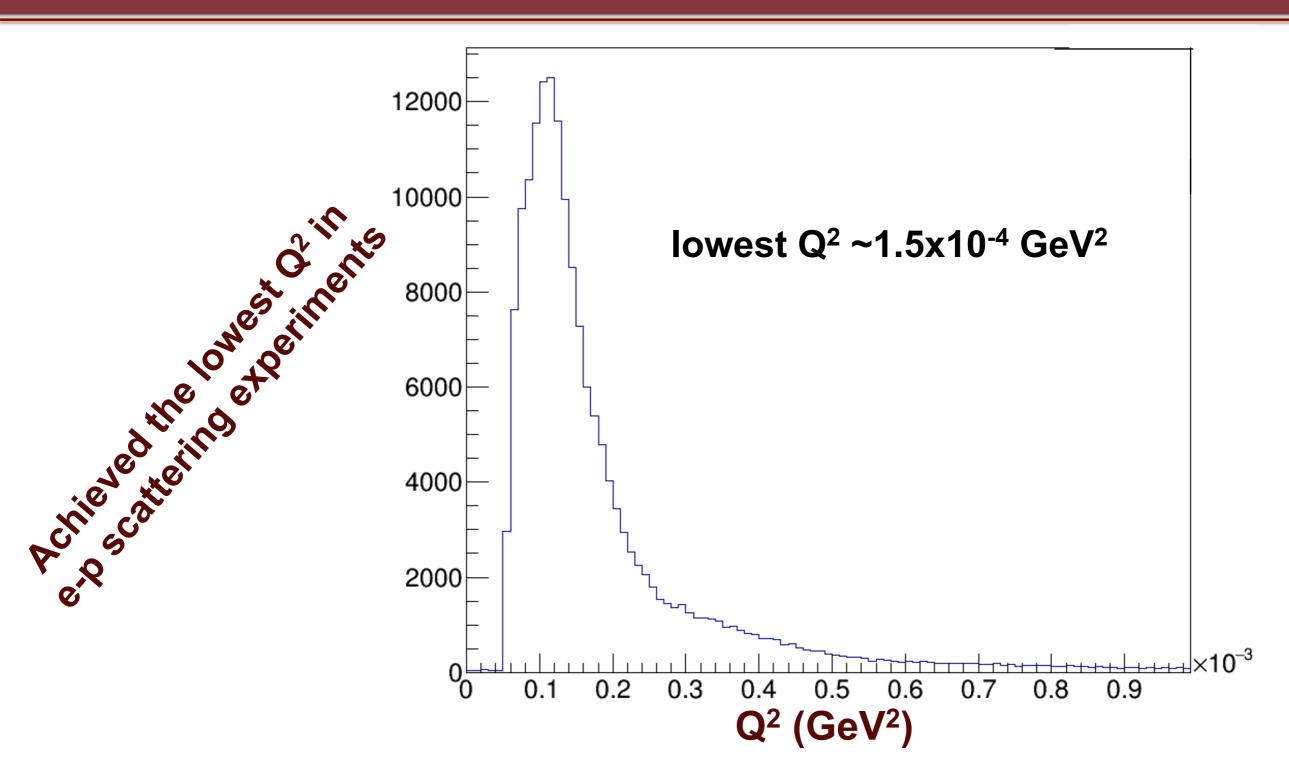
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Energy vs scattering angle with preliminary calibration



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Q² distribution of single cluster events



Preliminary matching of GEM hits with HyCal clusters (PbWO₄ only) Total energy of cluster > 700 MeV

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Plans for this week

Collect 2.2 GeV data to extend the range of Q²

The full Q² range is essential for robust extraction of proton charge radius (i.e. 2.2 GeV data just as important as the 1.1 GeV data)

Need total of 96 hrs (4 days) of running to get the full statistics (including the empty target running).

An extended weekend running is the only way we can get full statistics for 2-pass running.

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