News on the Forward Tracker

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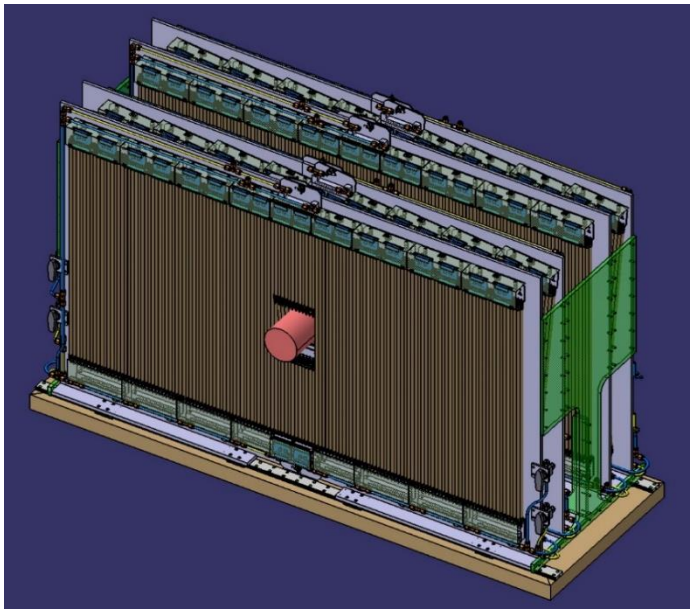
- Frames for FT1, 2
- Production of FT1, 2 modules
- Measurement of anode wires positions

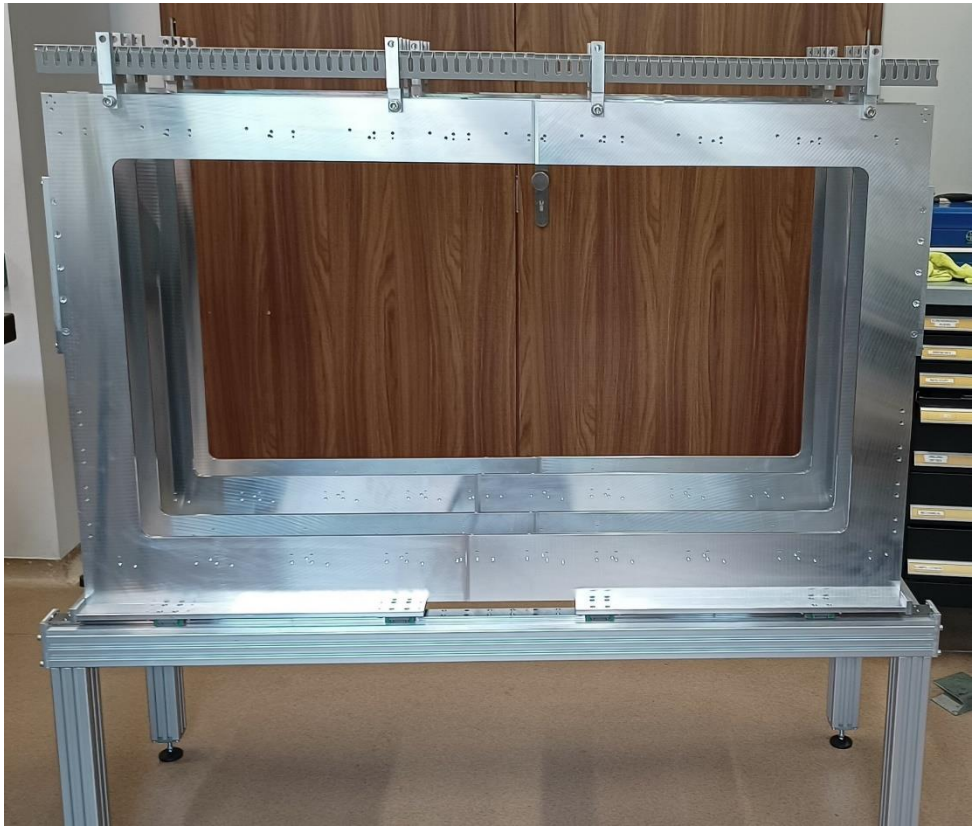
FT1, 2



Support frames for FT1, 2

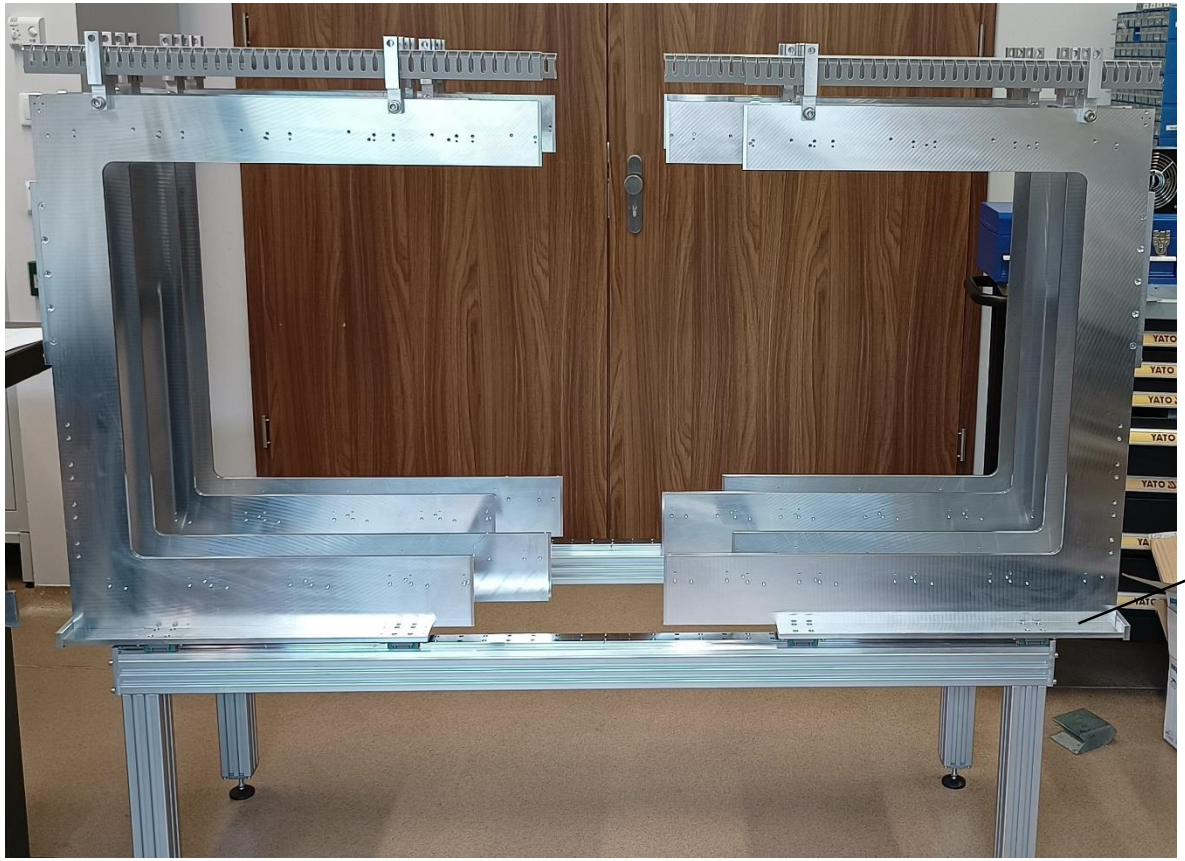
4 rectangular frames, each consisting of left and right half-frame,

support 8 double layers of straws: (0°, +5 °), (-5°, 0°), (0°, +5 °), (-5°, 0°)

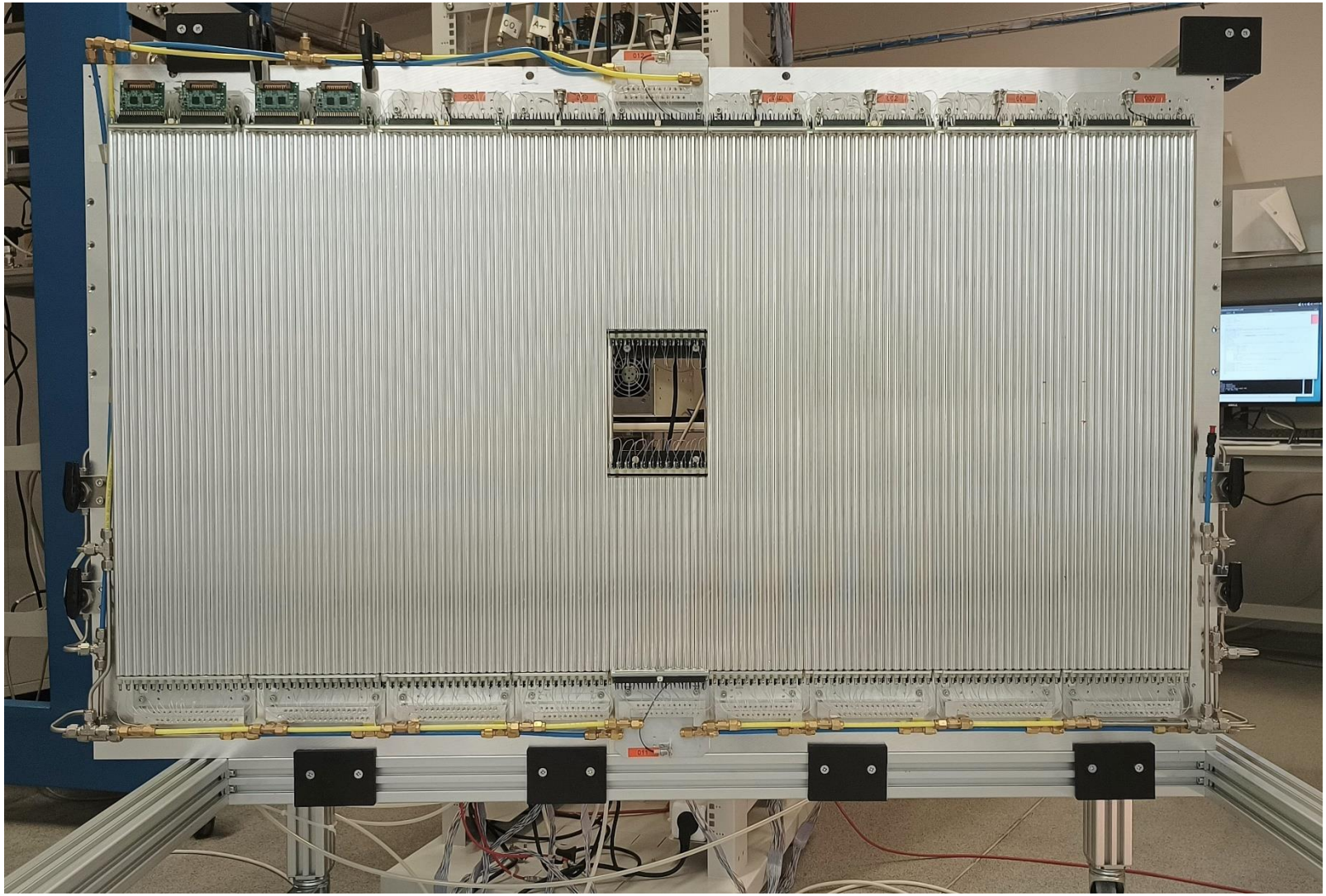


Support frames for FT1, 2

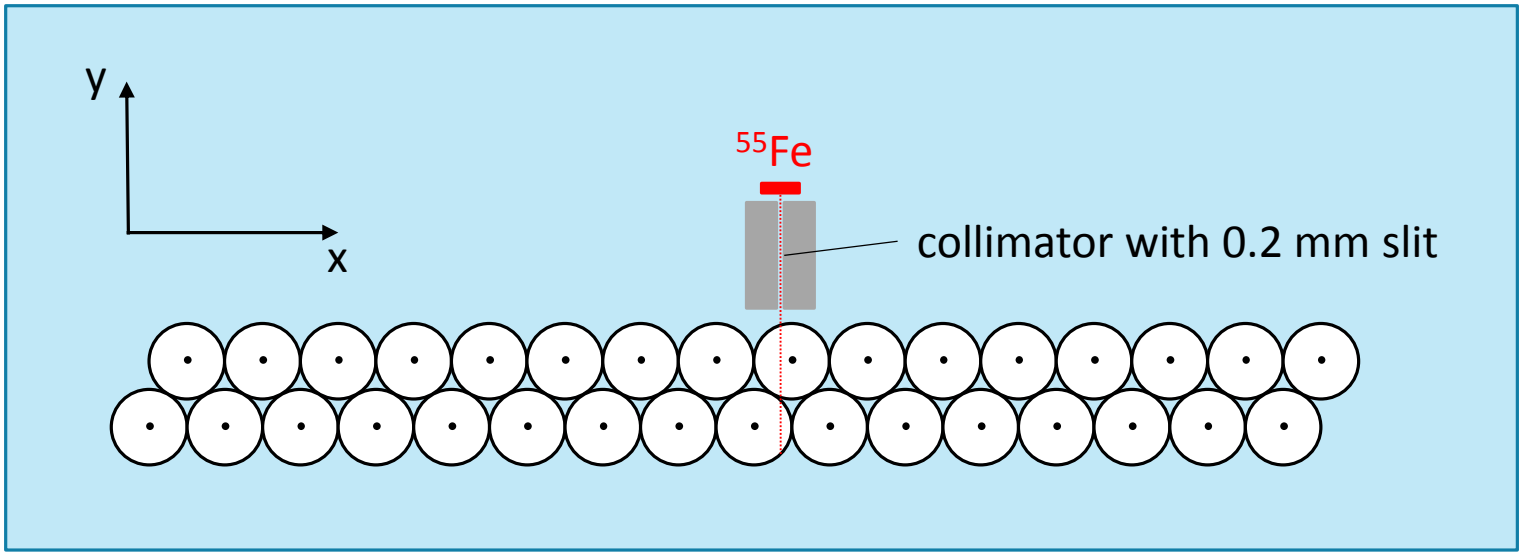
The half-frames are mounted on two movable tables to facilitate the installation on the beam line.



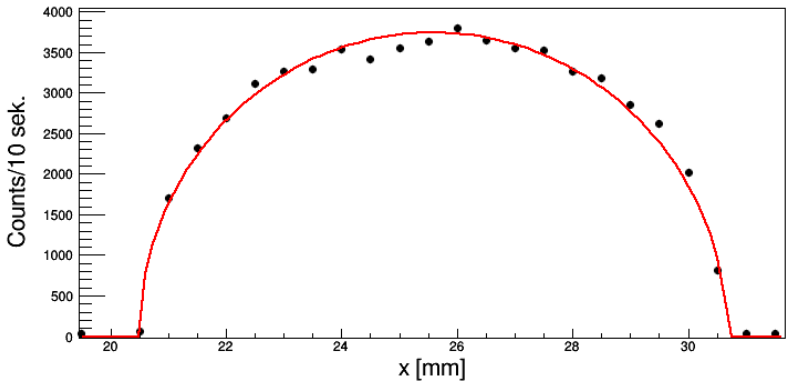
Frame with mounted straw tube modules



Inspection of straw positions in the module



Number of counts *N* in the straw in function of the source x-coordinate (scanning step Δx = 0.5 mm)



Straw circumference:

$$(x - x_0)^2 + (y - y_0)^2 = R^2$$

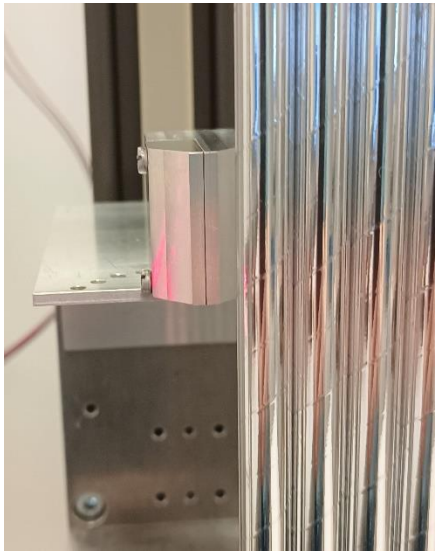
Number *N* of absorbed X-rays:

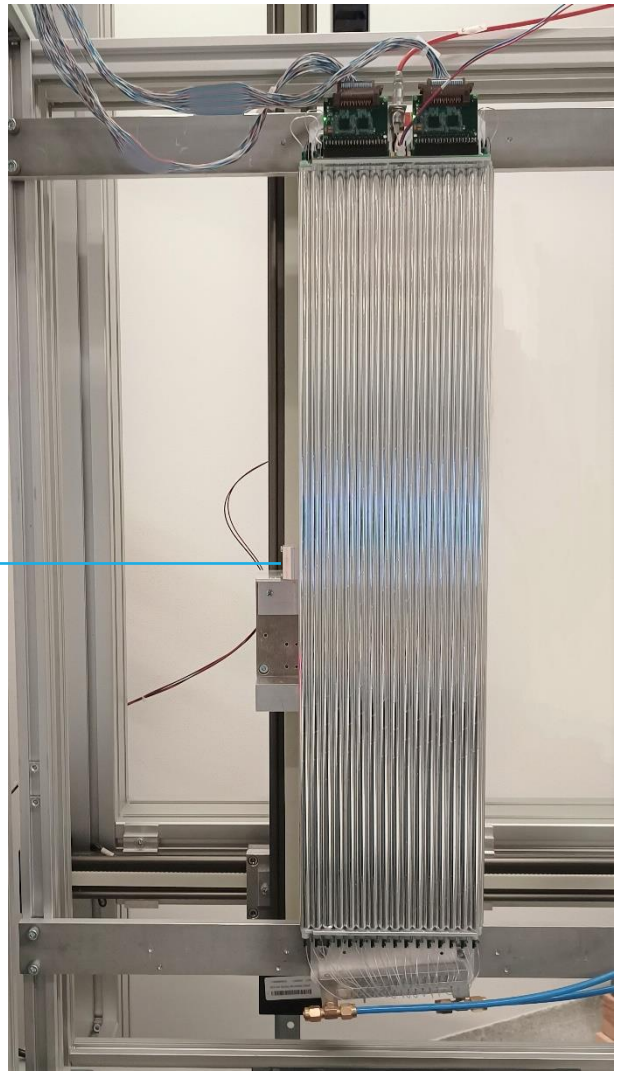
$$N = a(y - y_0)$$

$$(x - x_0)^2 + (N/a)^2 = R^2$$

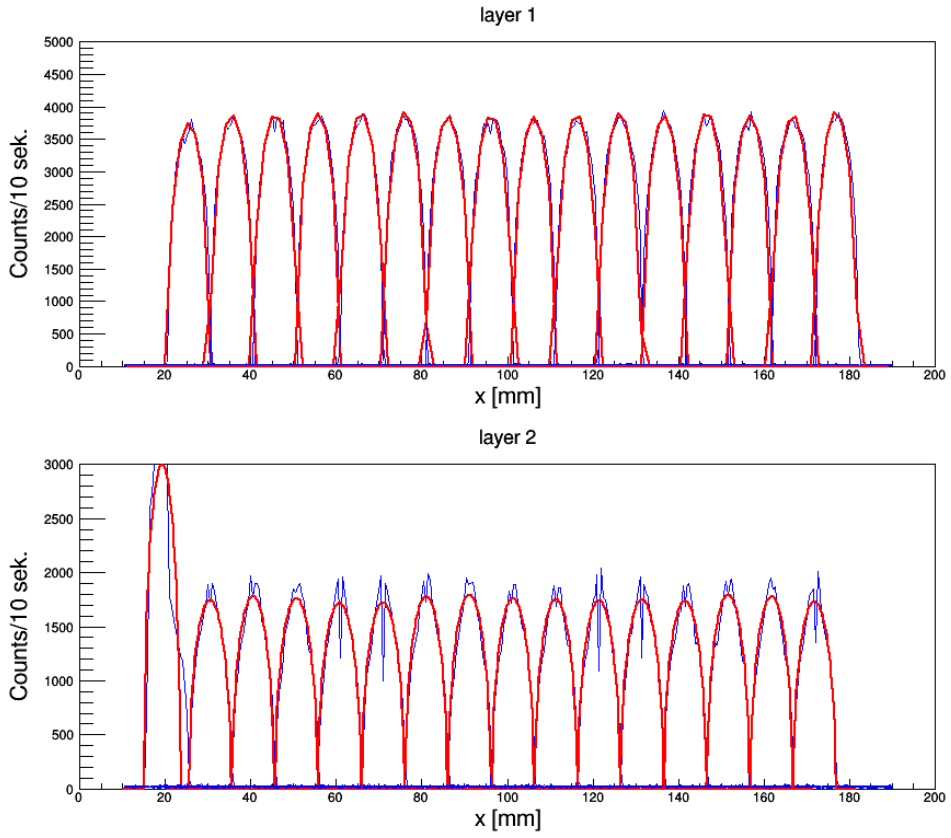
Tested module mounted near x-y positioning stage

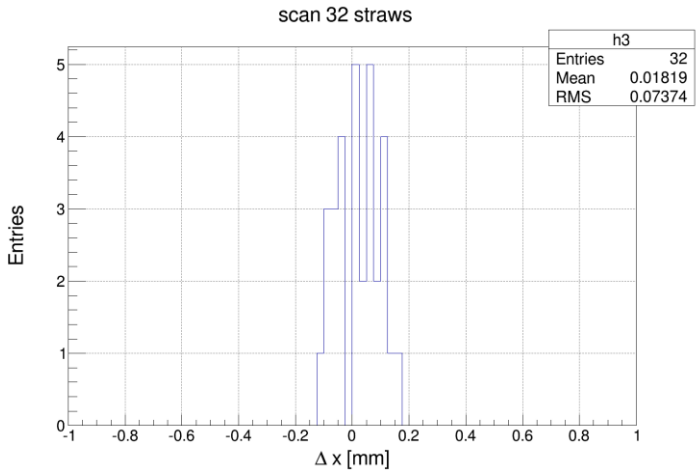
slit collimator





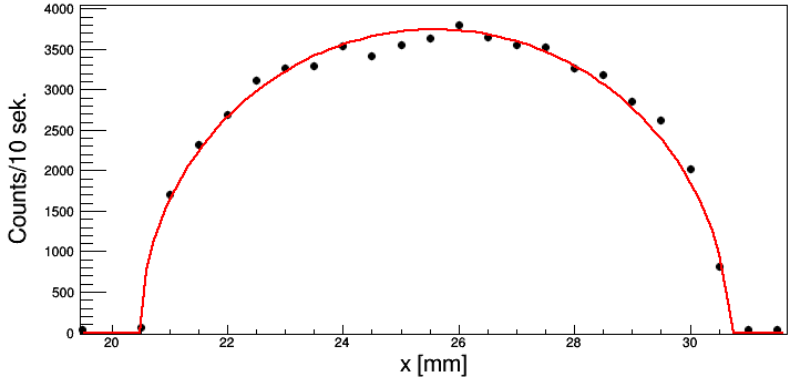
Skan of straw positions



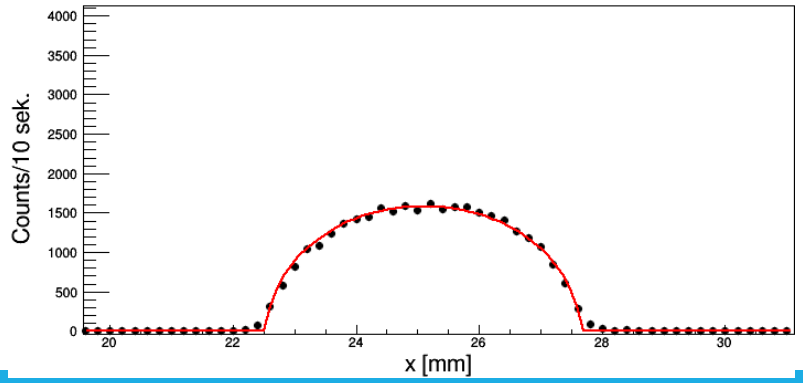


Inspection of anode wire positions

Number of counts in function of the source x-coordinate
(skanning step Δx = 0.5 mm)



As above but after adding 2% O_2 to the working gas
(skanning step Δx = 0.2 mm)



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