

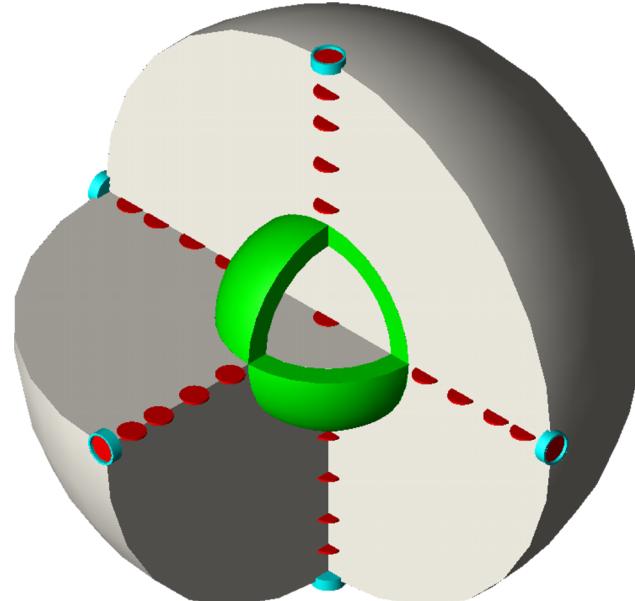
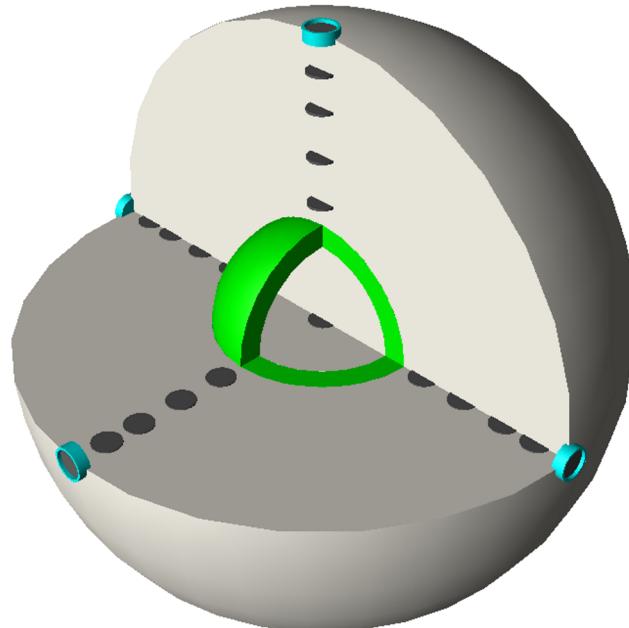
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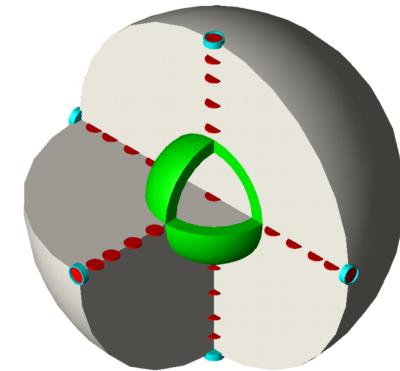
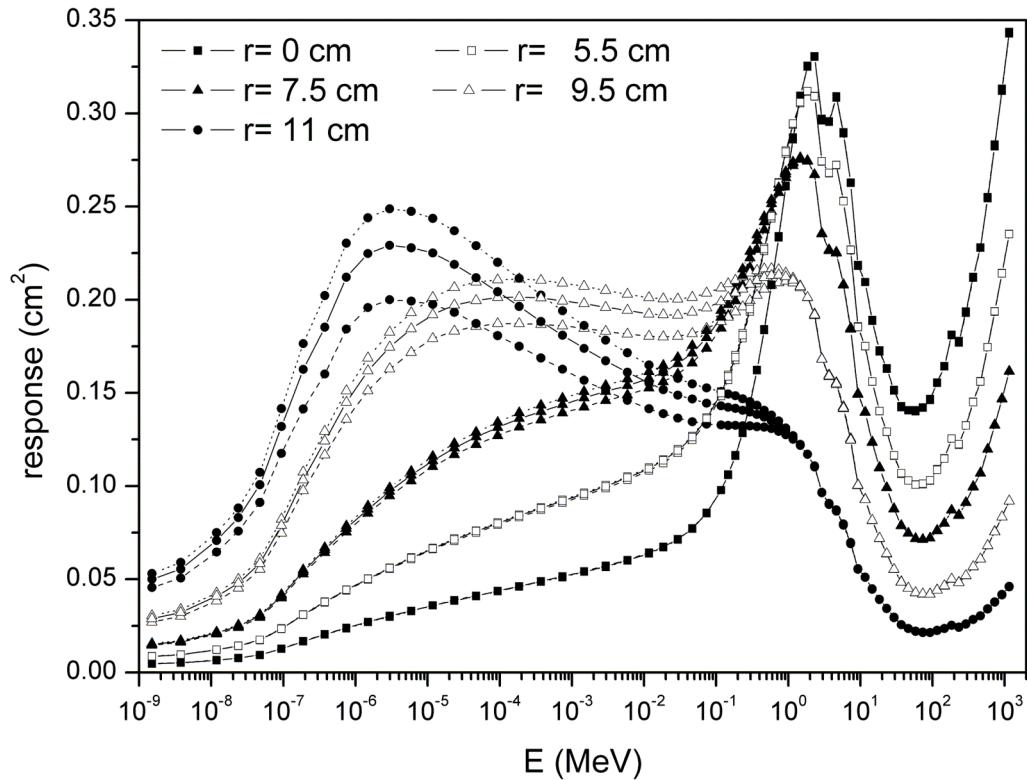
### **SP<sup>2</sup>: dalle simulazioni allo strumento**

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- 2) Numero e posizione dei rivelatori
- 3) Anisotropia e neutroni di bassa energia
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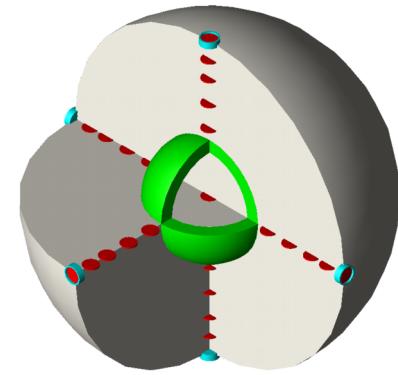
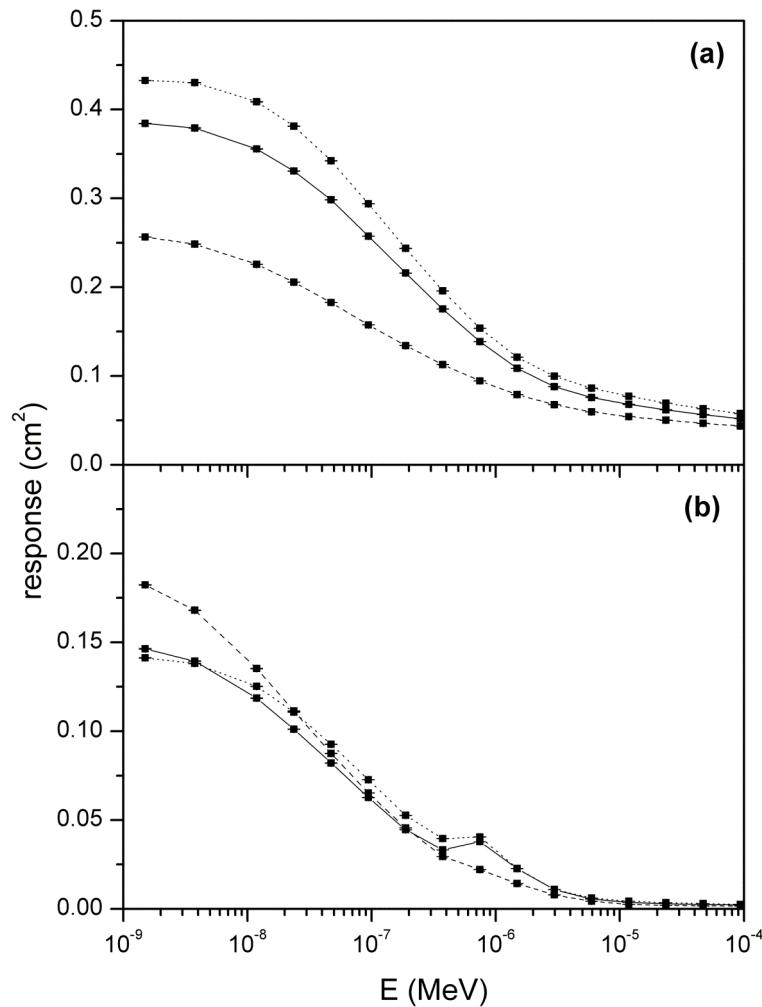


The response functions have been calculated for radial distances 0, 5.5, 7.5, 9.5, 11 cm.

Energy response functions to monoenergetic incident neutrons, averaged over the detectors located at the same distance from the center, for three different irradiation geometries:

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### 3) Anisotropia e neutroni di bassa energia

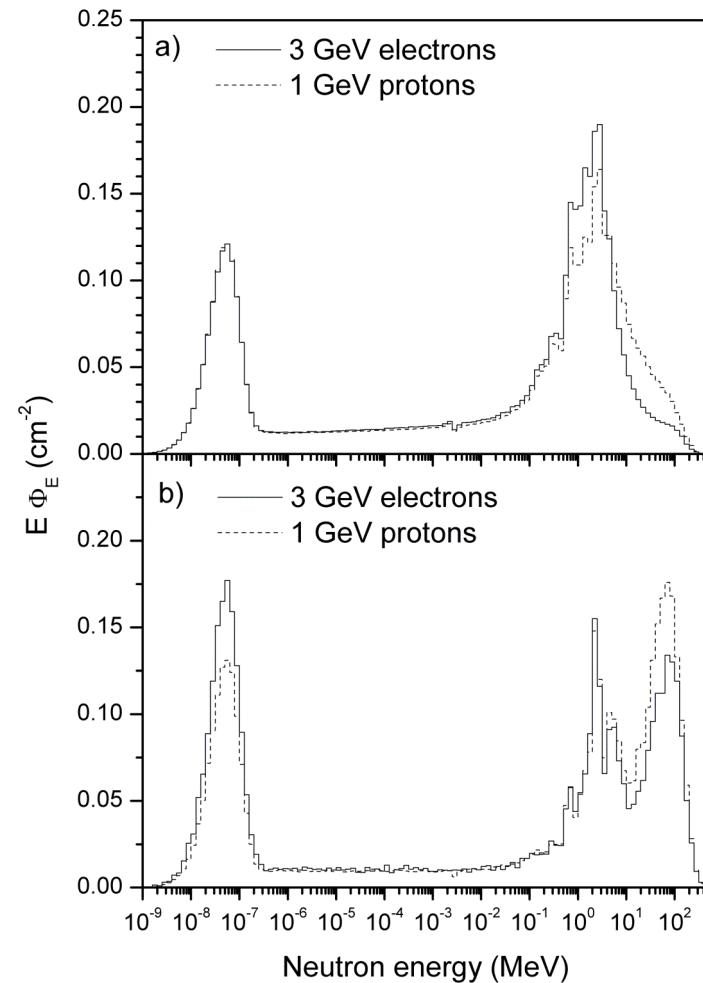
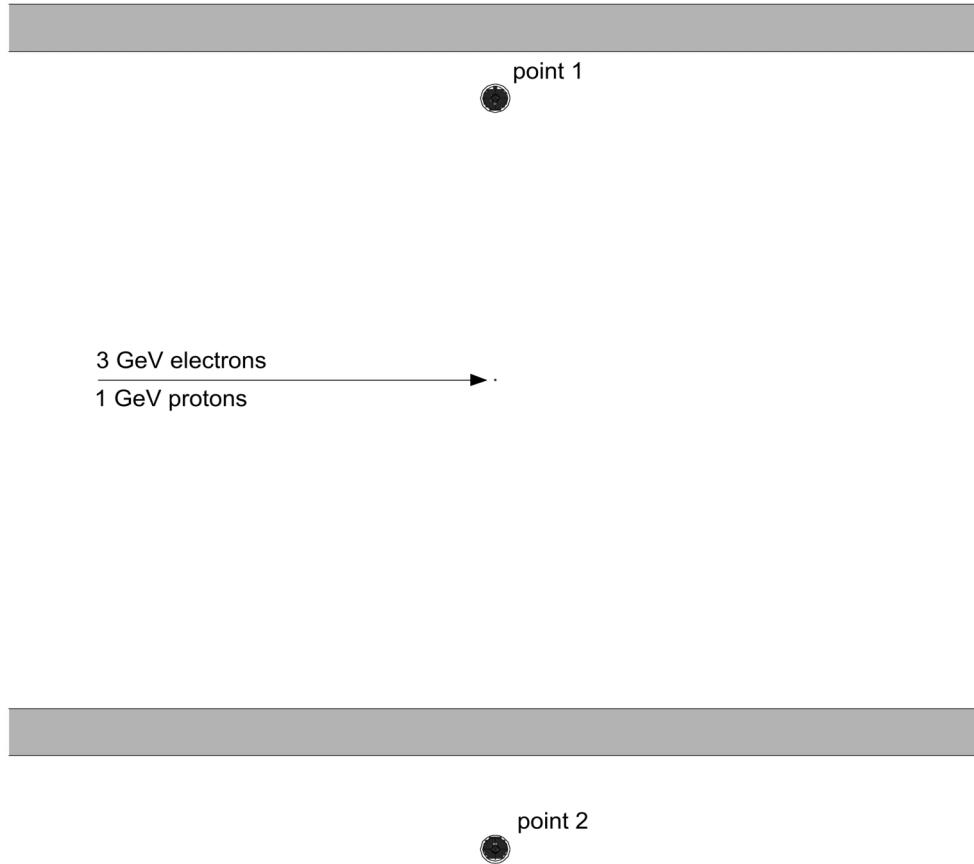


Energy response function to monoenergetic incident neutrons, averaged over the detectors located on the surface of the sphere, for three different irradiation geometries:

- along the (1 0 0) axis (dashed lines)
- isotropic (continuous lines)
- along the (1 1 1) axis (dotted lines)

- a) without cadmium layer
- b) with cadmium layer

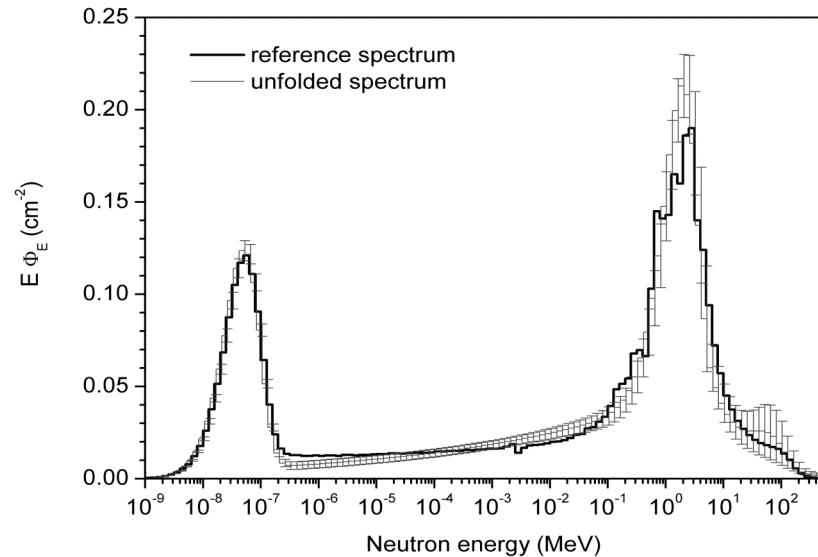
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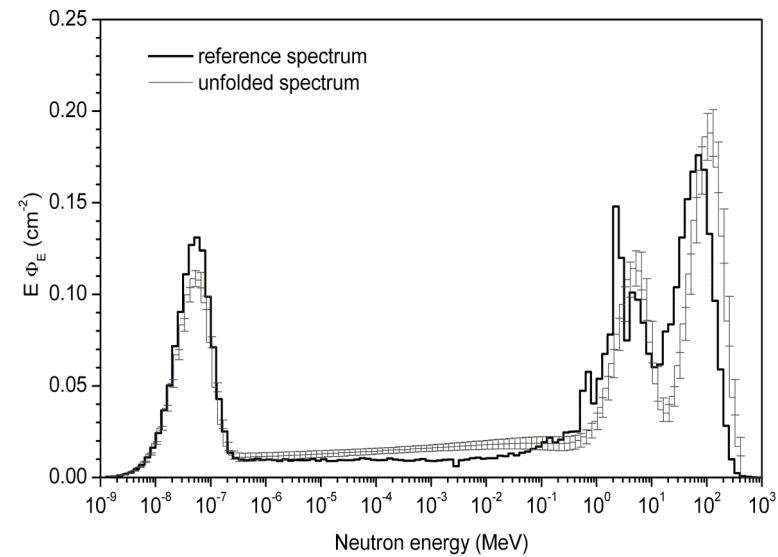
LEFT: Schematic view of the geometry used to simulate the exposure to high energy neutron field

RIGHT: Simulated high energy neutron spectra calculated according to the geometry depicted

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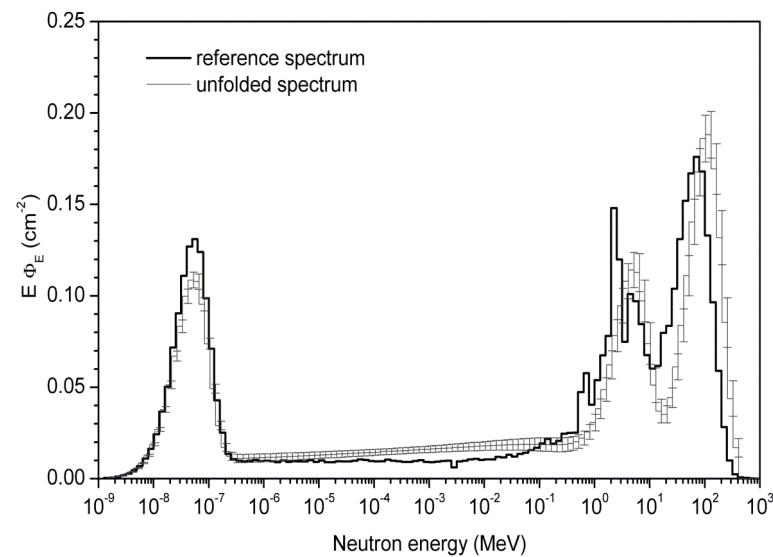
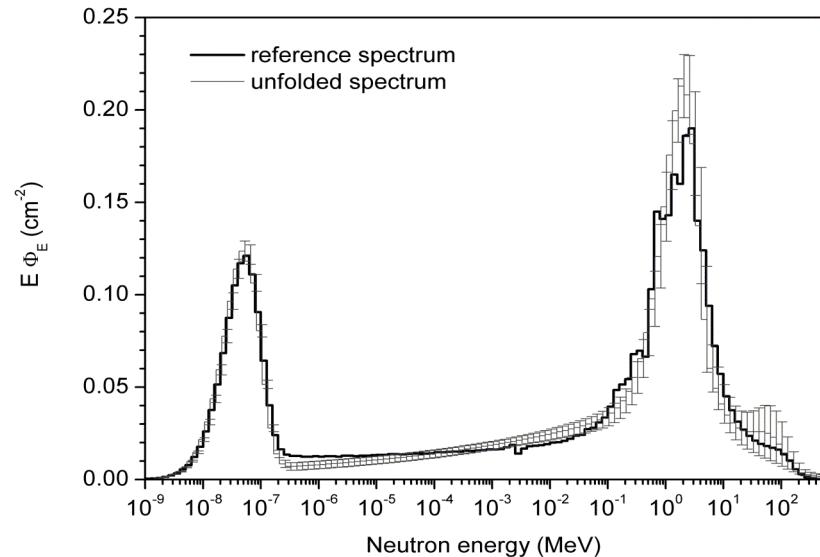


Simulated exposure to a high energy neutron field (unshielded high energy electron source).



Simulated exposure to a high energy neutron field (shielded high energy proton source).

## 4) Neutroni di alta energia (simulazioni)



neutron spectrum		total fluence ( $\text{cm}^{-2}$ )	$h^*(10)$ ( $\text{pSv.cm}^2$ )	fluence fractions (%)			
				$E < 0.4 \text{ eV}$	$0.4 \text{ eV} < E < 10 \text{ keV}$	$10 \text{ keV} < E < 20 \text{ MeV}$	$E > 20 \text{ MeV}$
high-E electrons unshielded point	reference	1	216	12.6	26.2	57.2	4.0
	unfolded	$0.98 \pm 0.02$	$218 \pm 11$	14.0	24.2	56.9	4.9
high-E protons shielded point	reference	1	247	12.8	21.8	35.1	30.3
	unfolded	$1.07 \pm 0.05$	$238 \pm 15$	11.6	22.9	29.5	36.0



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