

Influence of RPP SEPR Prediction Parameters

Implementation of Uncertainty Statistical Estimation for SEPR Calculation in OMERE

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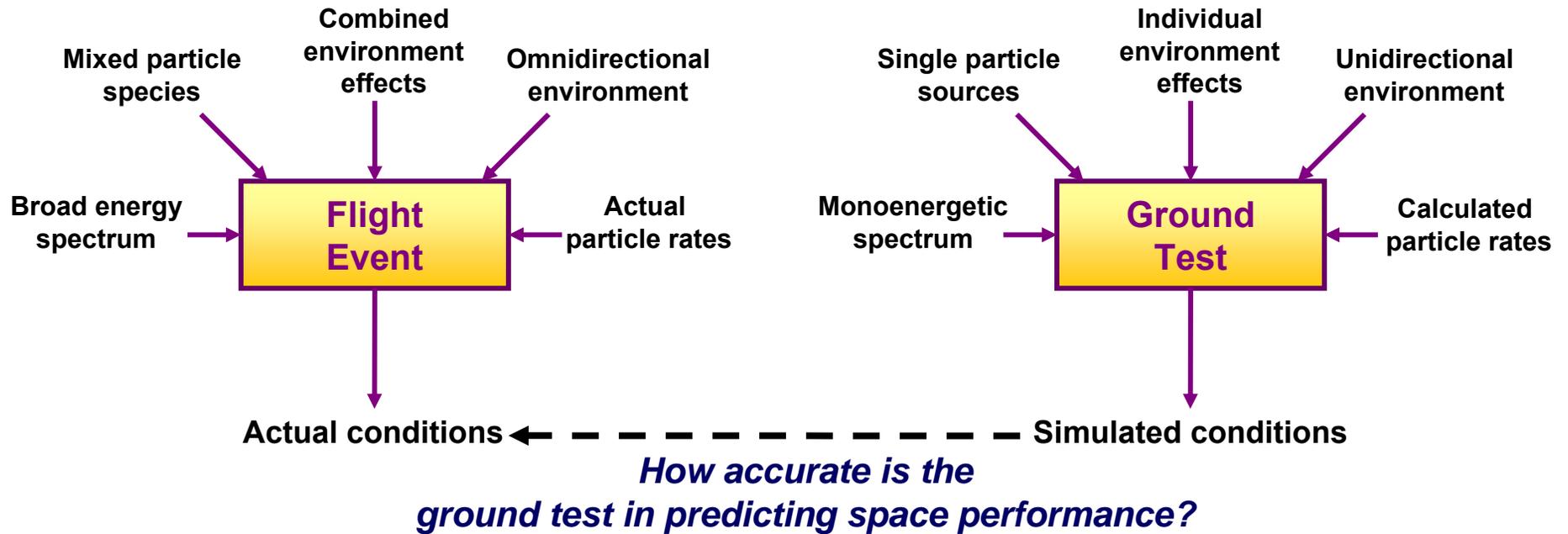
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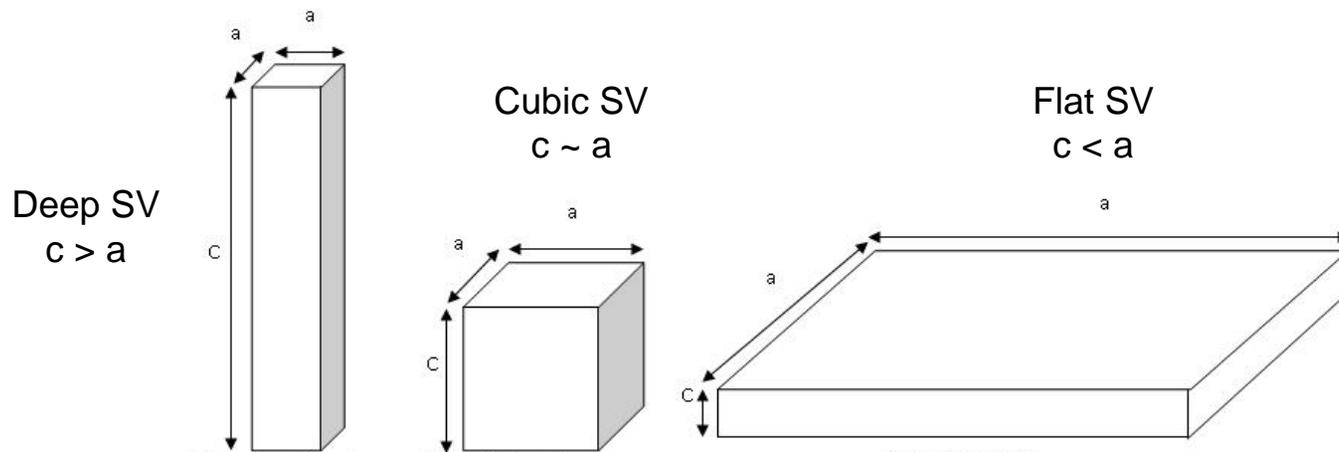
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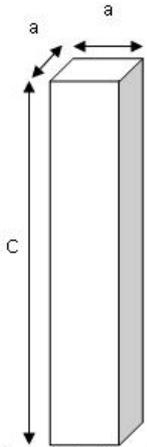
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- **Parameters studied**
 - ▶ Saturation cross section σ_{SAT}
 - ▶ Depth of the sensitive volume c
 - ▶ LET threshold LET_{th}

- **OMERE (freeware www.trad.fr) component database created with over 2000 theoretical components**
 - ▶ $10^{-9} < \sigma_{\text{SAT}} < 10^{-3} \text{ cm}^{-2}$
 - ▶ $1 < c < 100 \text{ } \mu\text{m}$
 - ▶ $1 < \text{LET}_{\text{th}} < 40 \text{ MeV.cm}^2.\text{mg}^{-1}$
 - ▶ $1 < W < 50$
 - ▶ $1 < S < 20$

- **The SER calculations have been performed with 3 sensitive volume (SV) types**

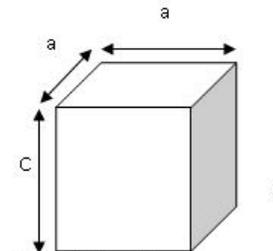




- **For deep SV, the SER is mainly due to particles with LET values around (and above) the LET_{th}**
 - Direct relation tolerable between the LET_{th} measured during the test and the LET spectrum of the environment
 - Conclusion → the LET_{th} must be carefully measured during the test in order to avoid a significant increase of the error margin

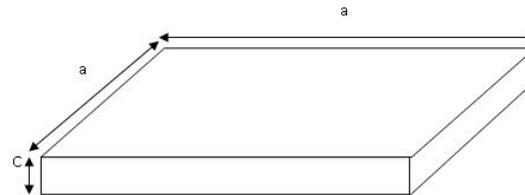
- **For cubic SV**

- The c value has a great impact on the SER



- **For flat SV**

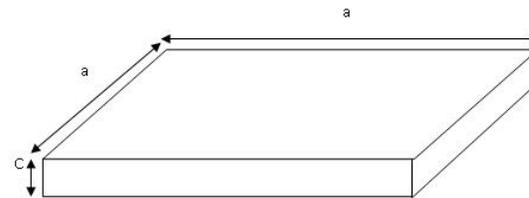
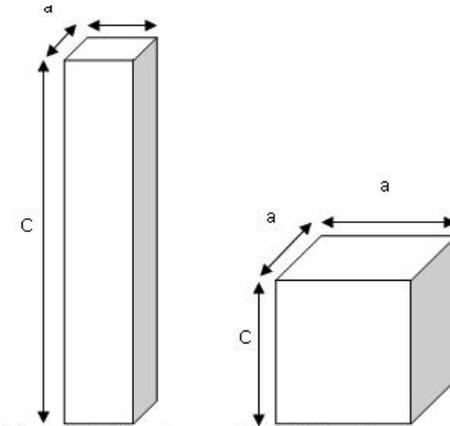
- For commonly used variation of c (1 to 10 μm), the impact on SER is negligible



- For W, S wide variation, the ratio between the lowest and highest SER can reach 10^5
 - ➔ W, S define the “elbow” region of $\sigma(L) \rightarrow$ LET range of particles involved in SEE occurrence

- W and S have a significant impact on SEE rate
 - ➔ Greater impact for deep and cubic SV than for flat SV

- W and S parameters must be carefully adjusted
 - ➔ LET_{th} and saturated cross section are not sufficient to fully characterize a device



■ Contribution of the different ion species

▶ Identification of predominant contribution elements

- Fe for flat SV at all LET_{th}
- Ions heavier than Fe for deep SV when $LET_{th} > 30$

▶ Determination of LET range for those elements

- Deep SV: elements with LET at least equal to LET_{th}
- Flat SV: low LET have predominant contribution on SER, even at high LET_{th}
- At high W and S values, SEE are mainly due to high LET particles

▶ Determination of energy range involved in SEE rate

- A wide range of energy is involved in SER prediction

- Result table summary

	LET _{th}	Cubic SV	Deep SV	Flat SV
Predominant elements	1	Fe (48%)	Fe (54%)	Fe (35%)
	10	Fe (59%)	Fe (63%)	Fe (39%)
	35	Fe (23%)	Pb (23%)	Fe (43%)
Range of LET involved in MeVcm ² /mg with 1g/cm ² shielding de (with 10g/cm ² shielding LET involved are lower)	1	0 < LET < 10	> à 1	LET < 5
	10	5 < LET < 30	> à 10	LET < 5
	35	20 < LET < 60	> à 35	LET < 5
Range of Energy for Predominant elements in MeV/nucl (1 g/cm ² shielding)		100 - 200	100 - 200	all energies
Range of Energy for Predominant elements in MeV/nucl (10 g/cm ² shielding)		200 - 500	200 - 500	all energies

- The most important contribution to the SEE rate in the incident radiation environment depends on the device parameters and SV shape

- **The shape of the sensitive volume (c parameter) remains as a major issue**
 - LET threshold and saturated cross section determined with heavy ions test are not sufficient to fully characterize a device sensitivity
 - The direct relation between the measured LET threshold and the LET spectrum environment is not always representative
- **The Weibull function shape fitted to test data (W,S parameters) impacts significantly the calculated SEE rate**
 - The "elbow" region of the cross section curve should be well described as it impacts directly the LET range of the particles involved in SER

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■ Context

- ▶ Device SEE sensitivity characterized by heavy ion test
- ▶ Number of test achieved limited (cost, time schedule...)
- ▶ There is an uncertainty in determining the Weibull parameters (W , S , σ_{sat} , L_0)
→ uncertainty in the rate calculation



■ Problem

- ▶ **Uncertainty direct calculation impossible**
 - RPP model too complicated
 - Strong hypothesis admitted for the rate calculation
- ▶ Find a method able to estimate the uncertainty in the rate calculation with a statistical approach [R. Ladbury 2007]

- **Estimation of the uncertainty in the calculation of the 4 Weibull parameters**
 - ▶ Independent information of L , $\#$ et Φ
 - ▶ Calculation of the best fit (W , S , σ_{sat} , L_0) for the test data
 - ▶ Calculation of a confidence interval

- **Hypothesis**
 - ▶ Existing test data L , $\#$ et Φ
 - ▶ Poisson statistical distribution 

- **Poisson distribution included in the fit calculation to determine the most probable Weibull parameters**
 - ▶ Most probable equation for the test data
 - ▶ Most realistic rate according to the cross section measurements performed

- **The input for the calculation is a set of test data**
 - ▶ LET L, number of event # and fluence Φ
- **At each LET, the Poisson distribution is inserted in the calculation**

- ▶ via a statistical mean value μ



$$p(\#, \mu) = e^{-\mu} \frac{\mu^{\#}}{\#!}$$

- ▶ μ is proportional to Φ and $\sigma_{cal}(L)$

$$\mu(L) = \Phi \sigma_{cal}(L)$$

- ▶ At a given LET, the likelihood for # to equal μ is p

- **A global likelihood P is calculated from the Poisson likelihoods p at each LET**
 - The global likelihood P is the product of the Poisson likelihoods

$$P(\{\#_i\}) = \prod_i P(\#_i, \mu_i) \quad \img alt="Nemo fish icon" data-bbox="615 338 664 392"/>$$

- **The cross section parameters are determined by optimizing the likelihood P with respect to the 4 Weibull parameters**

$$\sigma_{cal}(L) = \sigma_{sat} \left(1 - \exp \left[- \left(\frac{L - L_0}{W} \right)^S \right] \right)$$

Variation of the 4 Weibull parameters to maximize the global likelihood P

- The (W, S, σ_{sat} , L_0) values maximizing P give the best fit equation for the test data
- **The Weibull fit is optimized thanks to a genetic algorithm**
 - Non-determinist global optimisation method
 - The global optimum is calculated via probabilistic transition rules applied to an initial « population »

- The P value associated to the best fit is called P_{\max}
 - A maximum likelihood ratio method is used to calculate a confidence interval for the fit

$$\ln\left(\frac{P}{P_{\max}}\right) \geq -0.5\chi^2(1-\alpha,4) \qquad P_{\max} = \max(P)$$

- $X(1-\alpha,4)$ is the chi-squared statistic
- For a given space environment, a set of 4 Weibull parameters lead to only one rate value
 - The confidence interval defined for the fit enables to calculate a confidence interval for the rate

- The Weibull function depends on 4 parameters
 - To visualize the confidence interval, only the variation of two parameters can be represented

#	PHI cm2	L MeV.cm2.mg-1	smes cm2
1	9.99E+06	28.8	1.00E-07
50	7.95E+06	40.73	6.29E-06
100	3.59E+06	53.1	2.79E-05
100	2.50E+06	57.6	4.00E-05
100	9.46E+05	75.09	1.06E-04
100	4.23E+05	106.2	2.36E-04

Test data

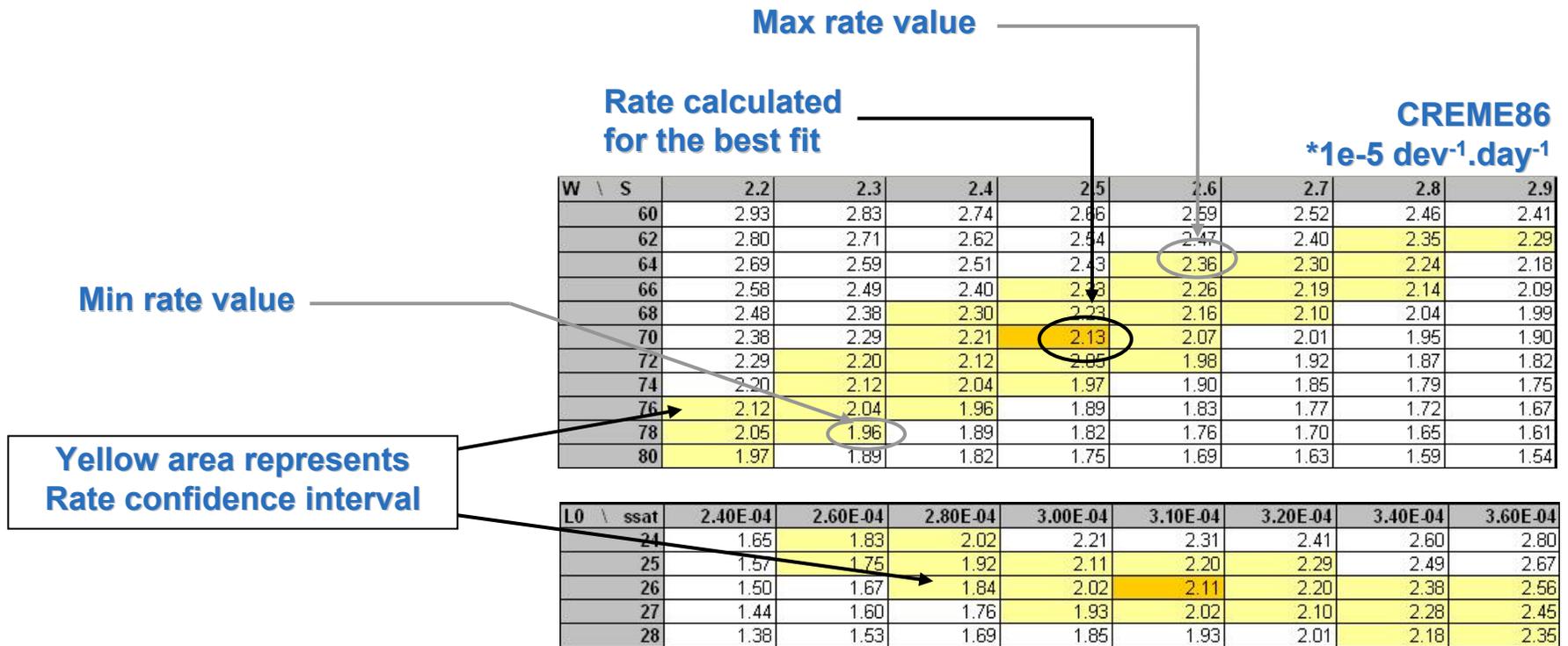
W \ S	2.2	2.3	2.4	2.5	2.6	2.7	2.8	2.9
60	-67.2	-49.8	-35.8	-24.9	-16.7	-11.2	-7.9	-6.7
62	-51.9	-36.3	-24.2	-15.2	-9.0	-5.4	-4.0	-4.7
64	-39.1	-25.4	-15.3	-8.2	-3.9	-2.2	-2.7	-5.3
66	-28.7	-17.0	-8.7	-3.5	-1.1	-1.2	-3.6	-8.0
68	-20.4	-10.5	-4.1	-0.8	-0.3	-2.3	-6.5	-12.7
70	-14.0	-6.0	-1.4	0.0	-1.3	-5.1	-11.1	-19.0
72	-9.2	-3.1	-0.4	-0.8	-3.9	-9.4	-17.2	-26.9
74	-6.0	-1.7	-0.8	-2.9	-7.8	-15.1	-24.6	-36.0
76	-4.1	-1.6	-2.5	-6.4	-13.0	-22.0	-33.2	-46.2
78	-3.4	-2.7	-5.3	-11.0	-19.3	-30.0	-42.8	-57.4
80	-3.8	-4.8	-9.2	-16.6	-26.5	-38.9	-53.3	-69.5

Best fit

Yellow area represents $\ln(P/P_{max})$ confidence interval

L0 \ ssat	2.40E-04	2.60E-04	2.80E-04	3.00E-04	3.10E-04	3.20E-04	3.40E-04	3.60E-04
24	-6.4	-3.3	-2.9	-4.9	-6.6	-8.8	-14.5	-21.8
25	-8.9	-3.7	-1.2	-0.9	-1.6	-2.7	-6.2	-11.3
26	-14.6	-7.3	-2.7	-0.4	-0.02	-0.1	-1.6	-4.6
27	-23.5	-14.3	-7.8	-3.5	-2.2	-1.3	-0.9	-2.0
28	-36.3	-25.3	-17.0	-11.0	-8.7	-7.0	-4.7	-4.1

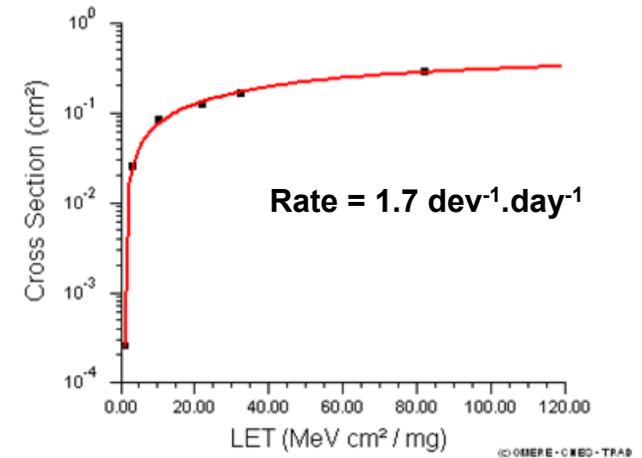
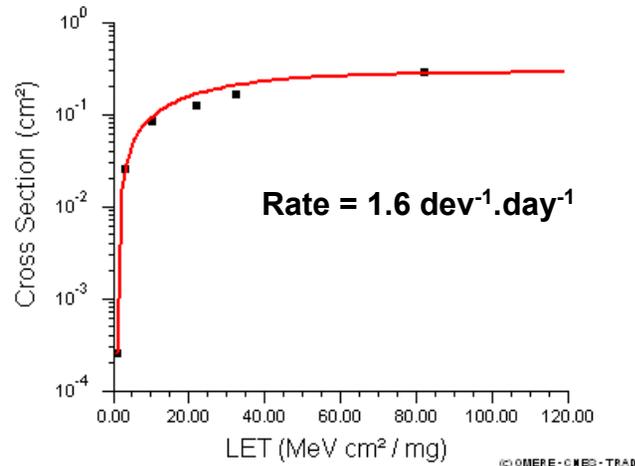
- The calculated rate uncertainty can be limited according to the test data used for the calculation
 - Confidence interval for the rate



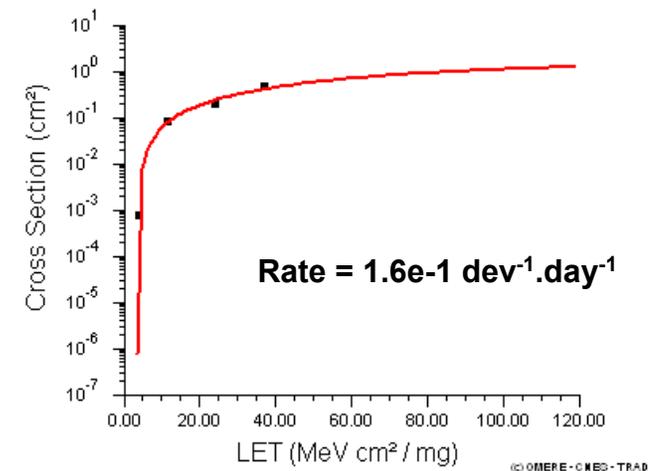
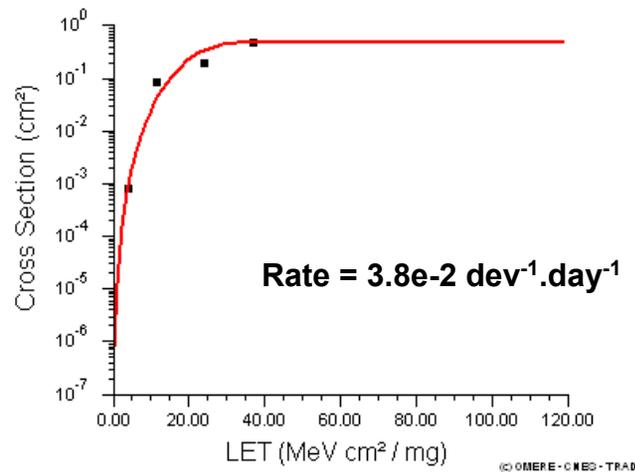
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Genetic algorithm

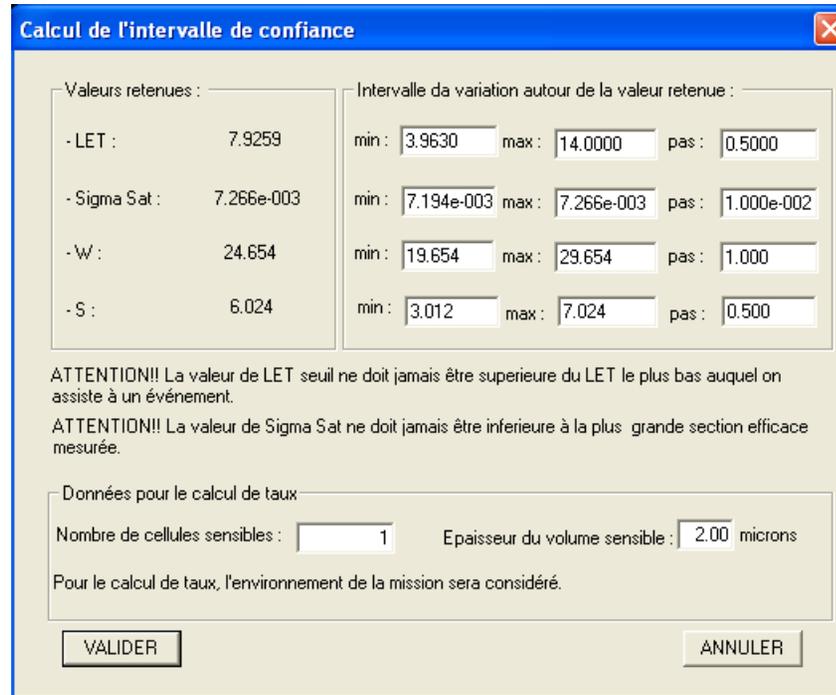
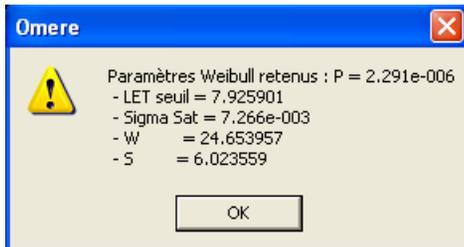
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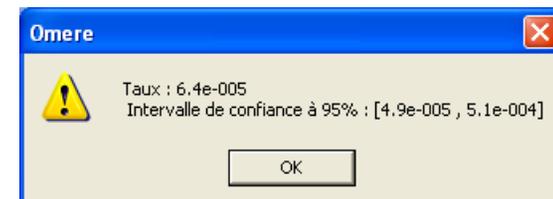
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(Calculation performed with OMERE default environment)



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- **TRAD studies realized with CNES support in the frame of SEE prediction improvement is going on in 2011...**
 - ▶ **OMERE uncertainty beta version improvement**
 - Automatic calculation of the confidence interval
 - ▶ **Charge deposition and LET variation in the SV**
 - A charge deposition calculation methodology has been proposed in 2010
→ development of a software prototype to test it in 2011
 - ▶ **Method to adapt the RPP model to the different types of SEE**
 - Application of different methodologies for SEU, SET, SEL, SEB...