

**Preliminary Analysis  
& Prospect  
for Glass HCal PFA Performance  
in CEPC**

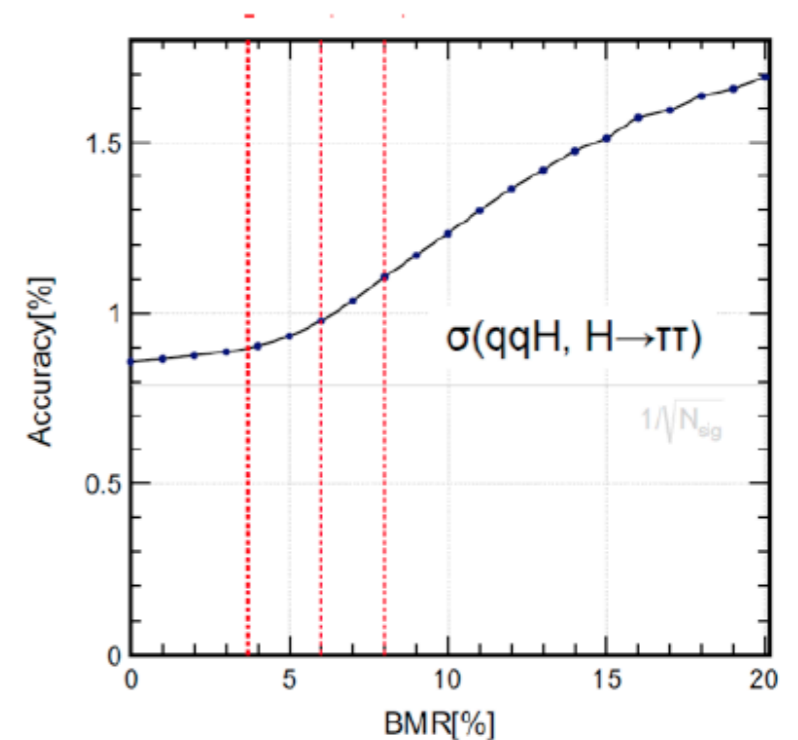
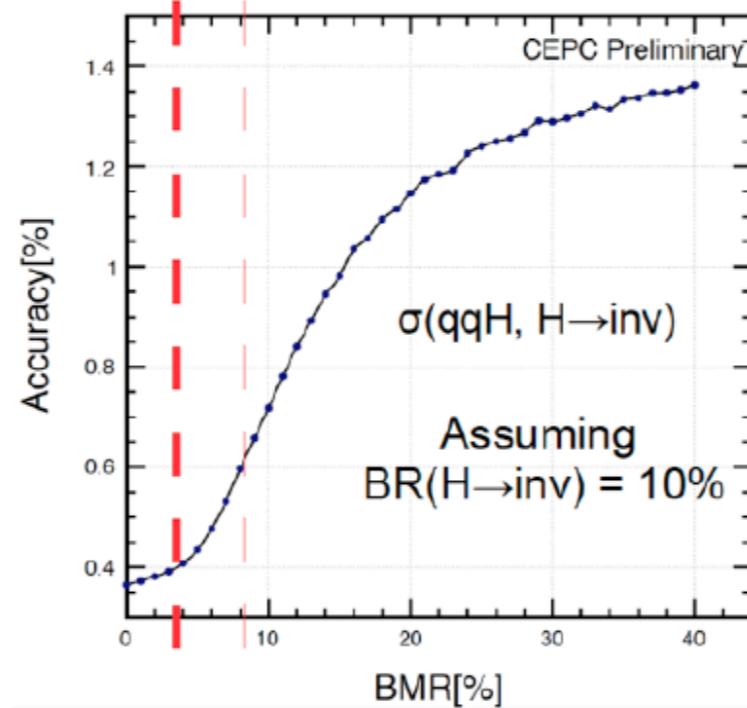
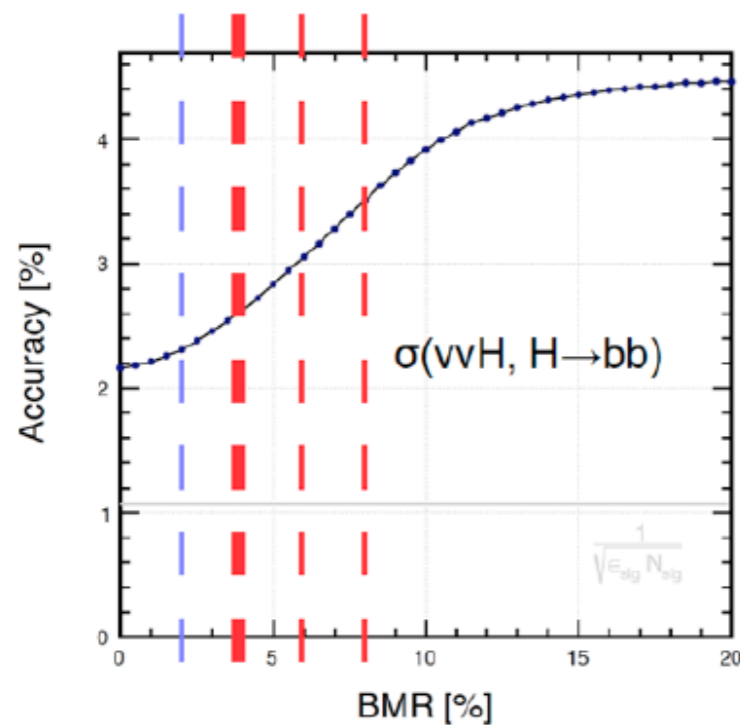
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# Plan

- Motivation:
  - Better boson mass resolution is favored by future new physics and flavor physics research
  - Scintillating glass hadronic calorimetry is a cost-effective option with better HCAL energy resolution
- Performance
  - The BMR using baseline setup & prediction
- Hit profile analysis
  - The hit response and collection efficiency

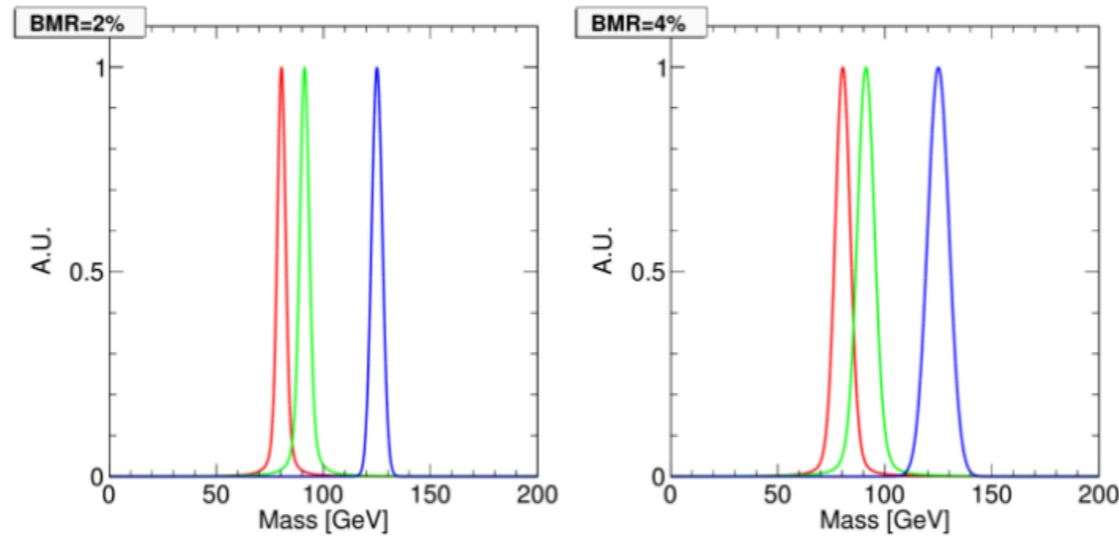
# Motivation

- BMR
  - Achieved 3.8% in CDR
  - Requirement in Higgs Physics: 4%
  - For NP or Flavor: better is better



Find more info in [Oliver Fisher's talk at CEPCWS2021](#)

# Scalar bosons with “tight” mass spectrum



- ▶ New resonances could be close to  $M_W, M_Z, M_H$

cf. the 96 GeV excess at LHC, e.g. P. J. Fox and N. Weiner, JHEP 08 (2018), 025

- ▶ New resonances with spectrum  $\delta m < M_Z - M_W$  possible.
- ▶ Difficult example: HEIDI Higgs

$$D_{HH}(q^2) = \left[ q^2 + M^2 - \mu(q^2 + m^2)^{\frac{d-6}{2}} \right]$$

⇒ Test if the “Higgs signal” stems from a continuum.

J. J. van der Bij and S. Dilcher, Phys. Lett. B 638 (2006), 234-238

- ▶ The Boson Mass Resolution should be as good as possible!

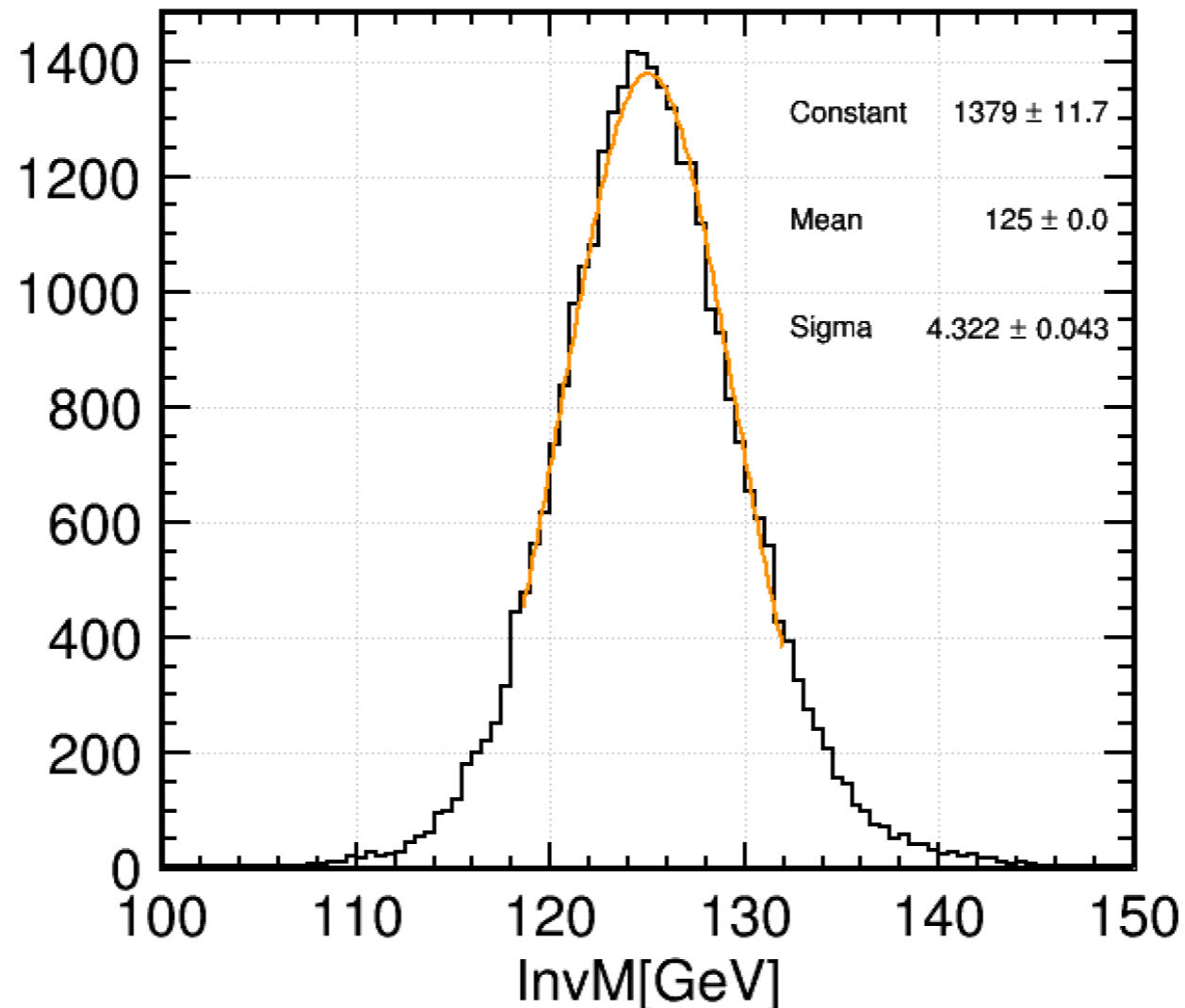


# Scintillating Glass

- Pros: cost effective, moderate light yield, tunable compositions
- Cons: quality/uniformity, radiation hardness Two type of glass tested
- Transparent options:
  - Glass I:
    - $42SiO_2-5Al_2O_3-22BaF_2-9NaF-3CaF_2-3Gd_2O_3-9GdF_3-7TbF_3$
    - density=4.2g/cm<sup>3</sup>
  - Glass II:
    - $25SiO_2 - 30B_2O_3 - 10Al_2O_3 - 34Gd_2O_3: 1Ce+$
    - density = 4.94 g/cm<sup>3</sup>
    - 40mm\*40mm\*40mm cube, 40 layers (Total thickness 1.6m, volume ~ 140m<sup>3</sup>, 2M channels)

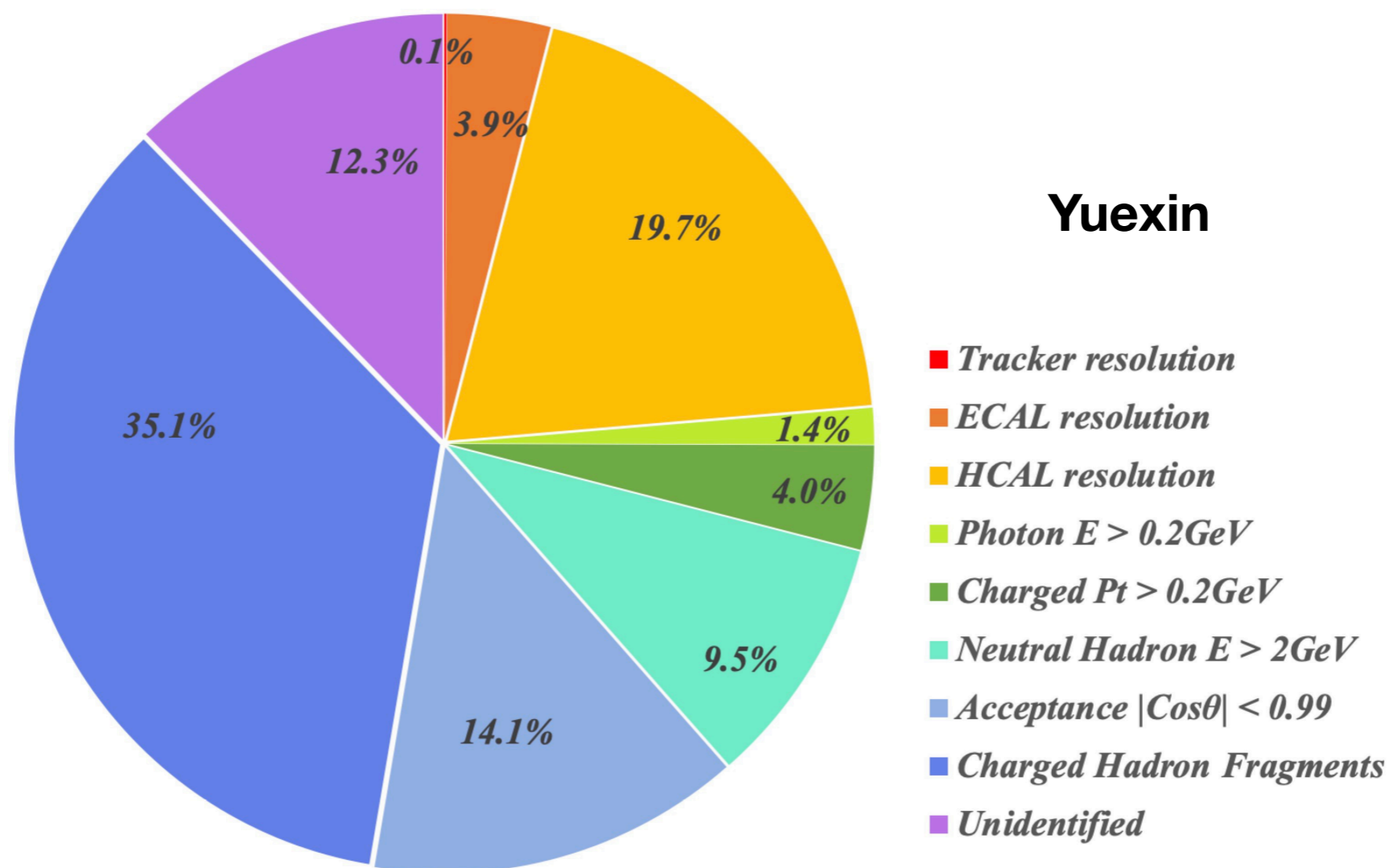
# BMR

- The BMR with homogenous glass hcal  $\sim 3.4\%$ : more than 10% improvement w.r.t. Baseline (3.8%), through Baseline Arbor with hit energy threshold cut and calibration tuning



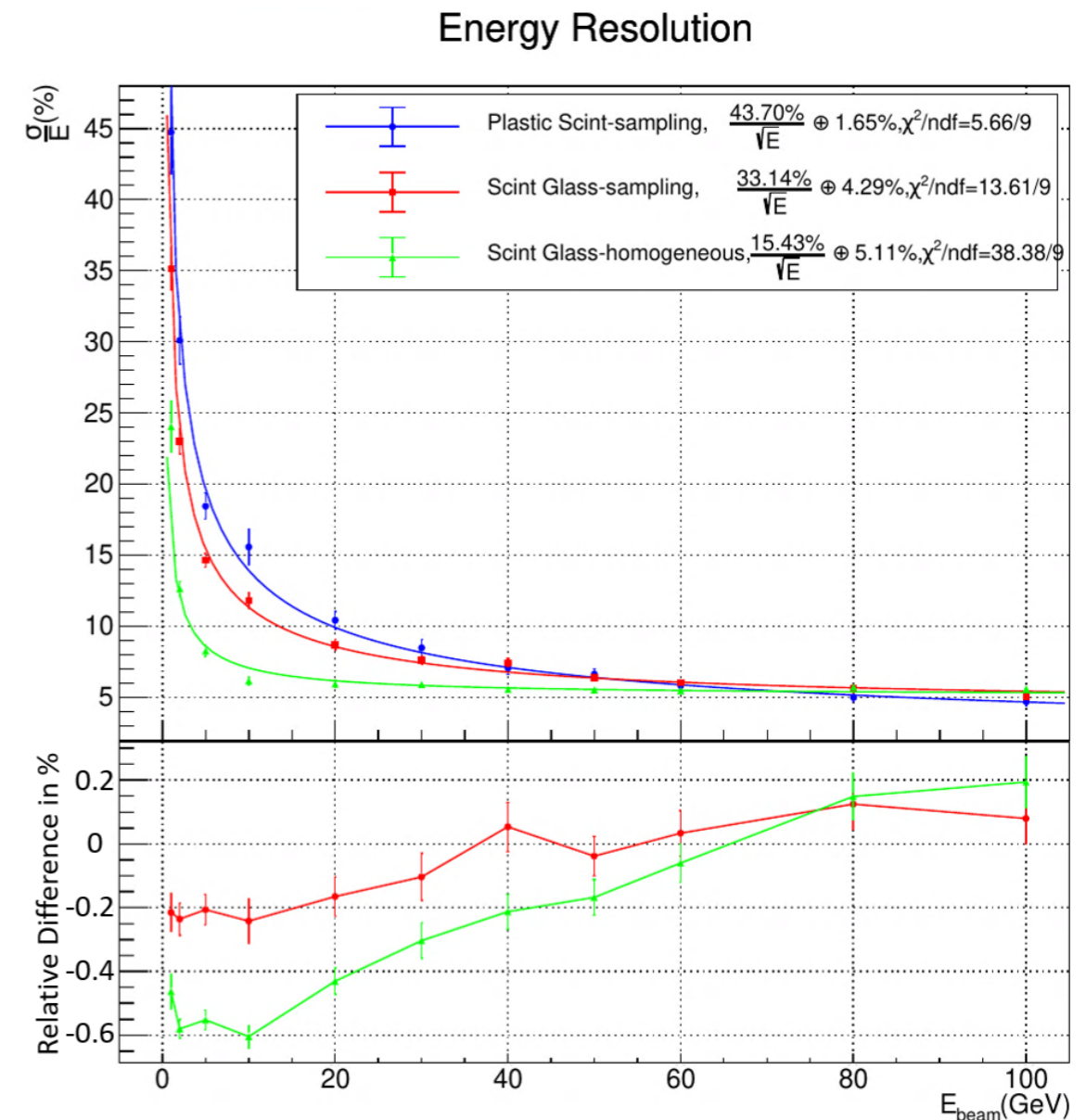
# BMR variations predicted by Fast simulation

- BMR can improve 10% if HCal resolution improves ~ 50%



# Consistent with Single Particle Energy response...

- Potentials: Geant4 simulation with single hadrons (preliminary results)
  - Better hadronic energy resolution in low energy region <30GeV
- Baseline:  $60\% \sqrt{E} \oplus 6.3\%$
- ECAL + HCAL
  - need modeling & further validation...

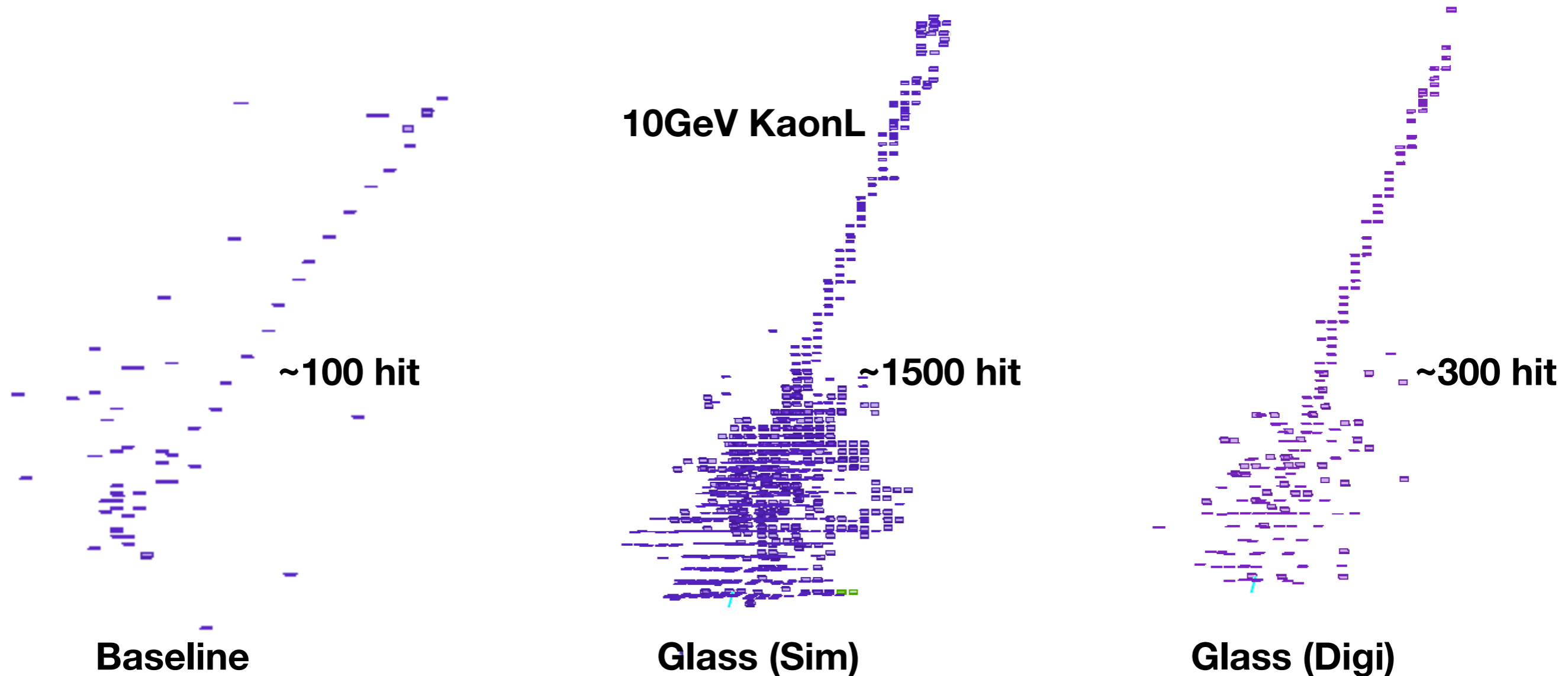


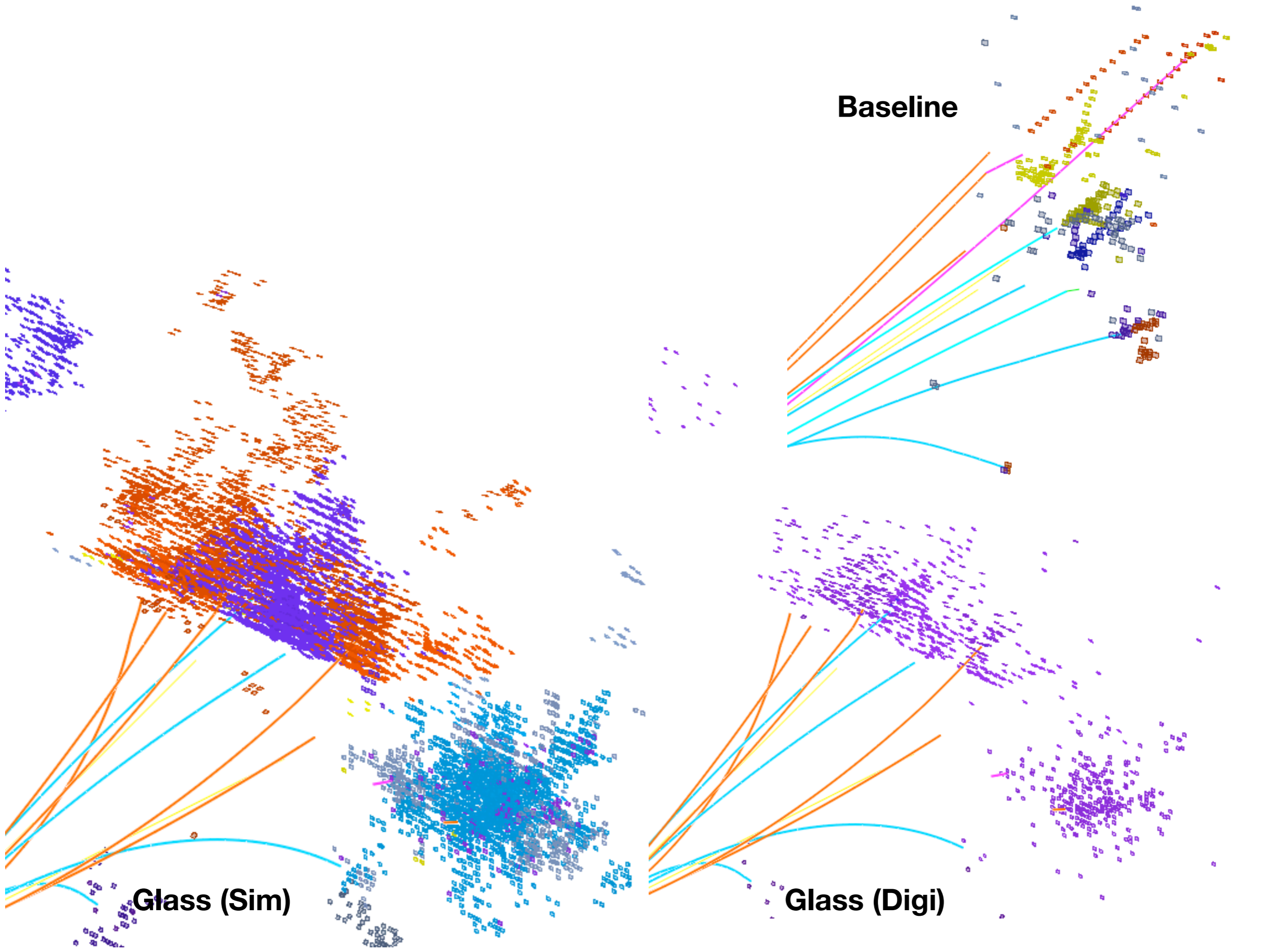
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# Hit Profile Comparison

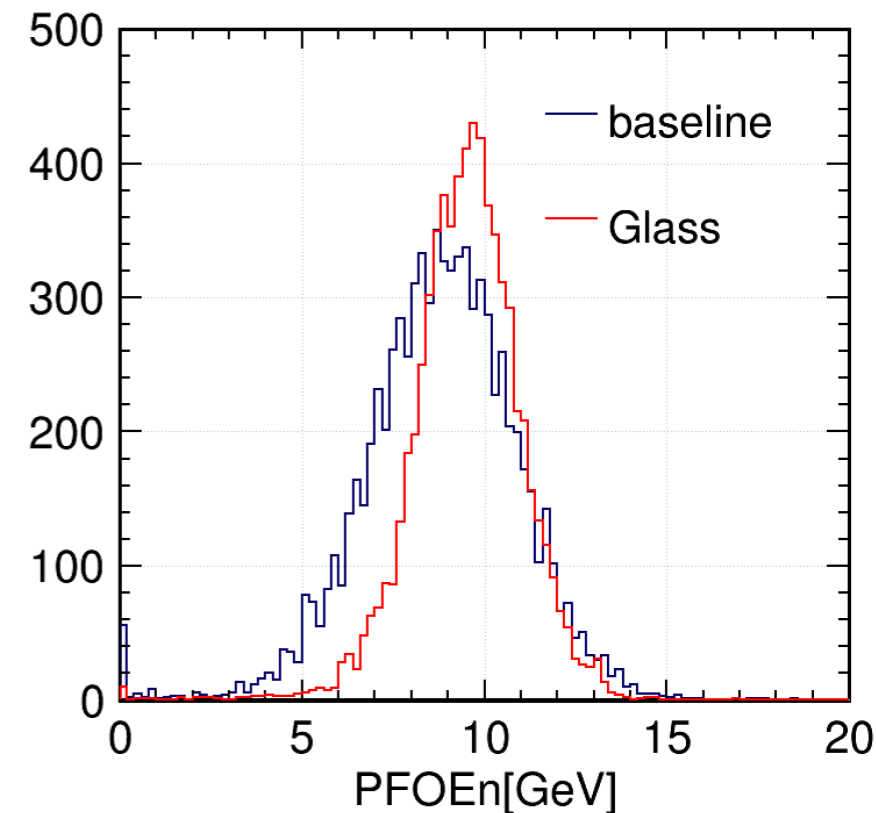
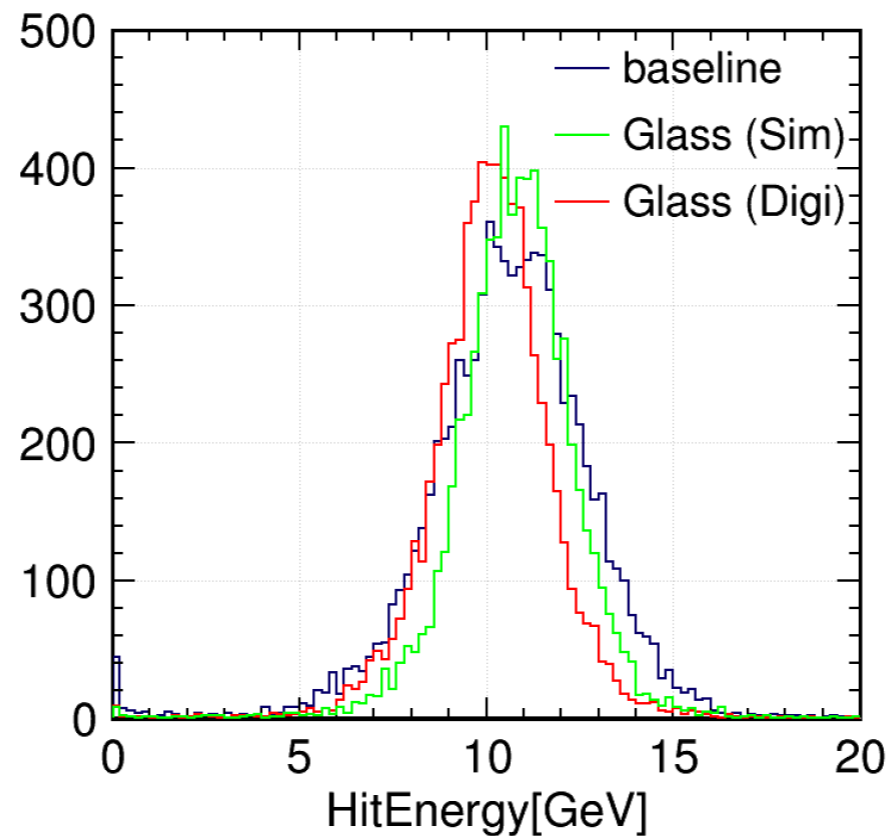
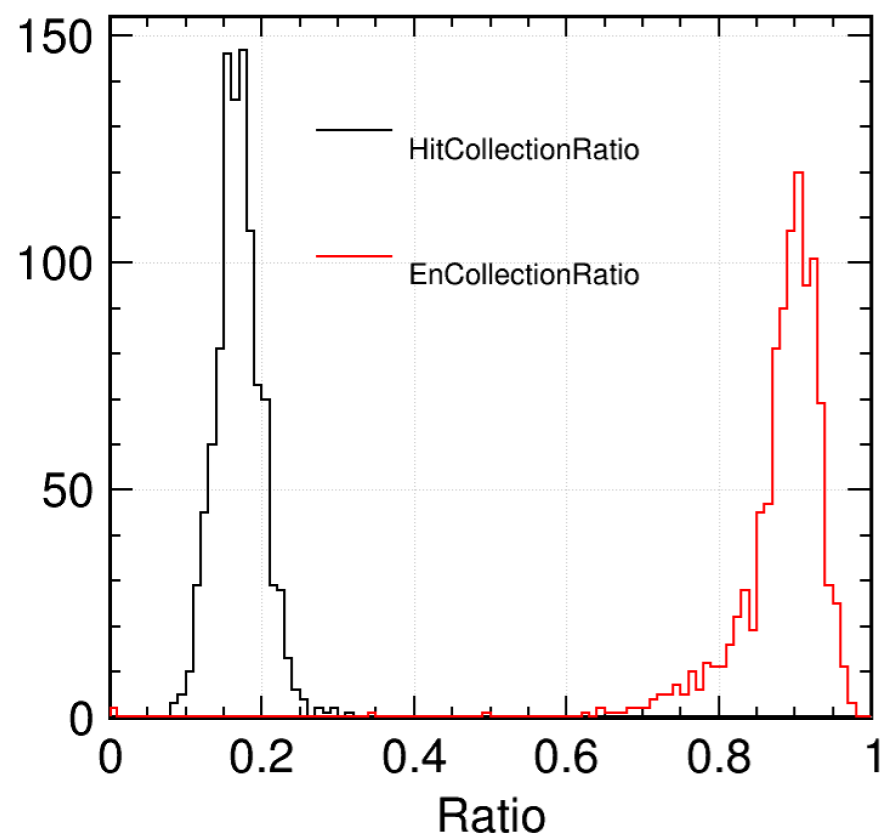
- Challenge for PFA: hit number 1 order of magnitude higher, difficult for clustering & pattern recognition
- To reduce the hit number: Digi threshold: 2.3MeV ( $\sim 0.1$  Mip, tuned using BMR)





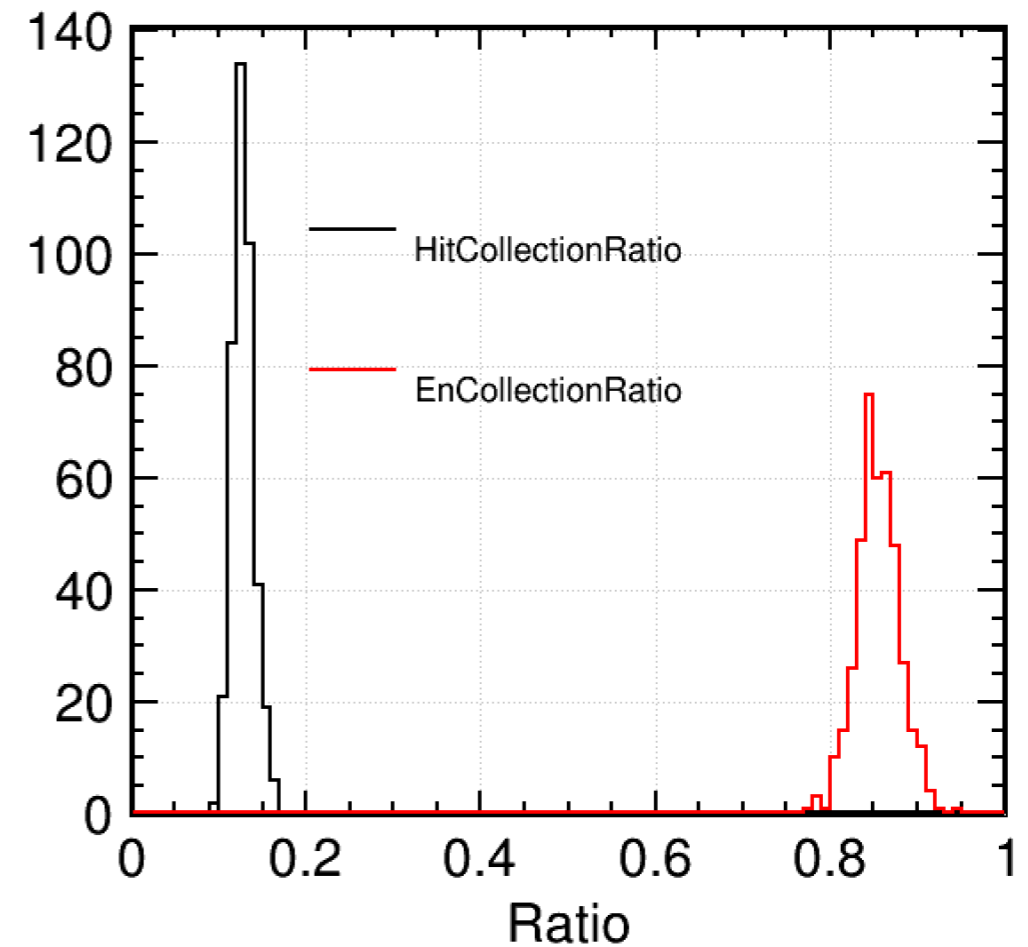
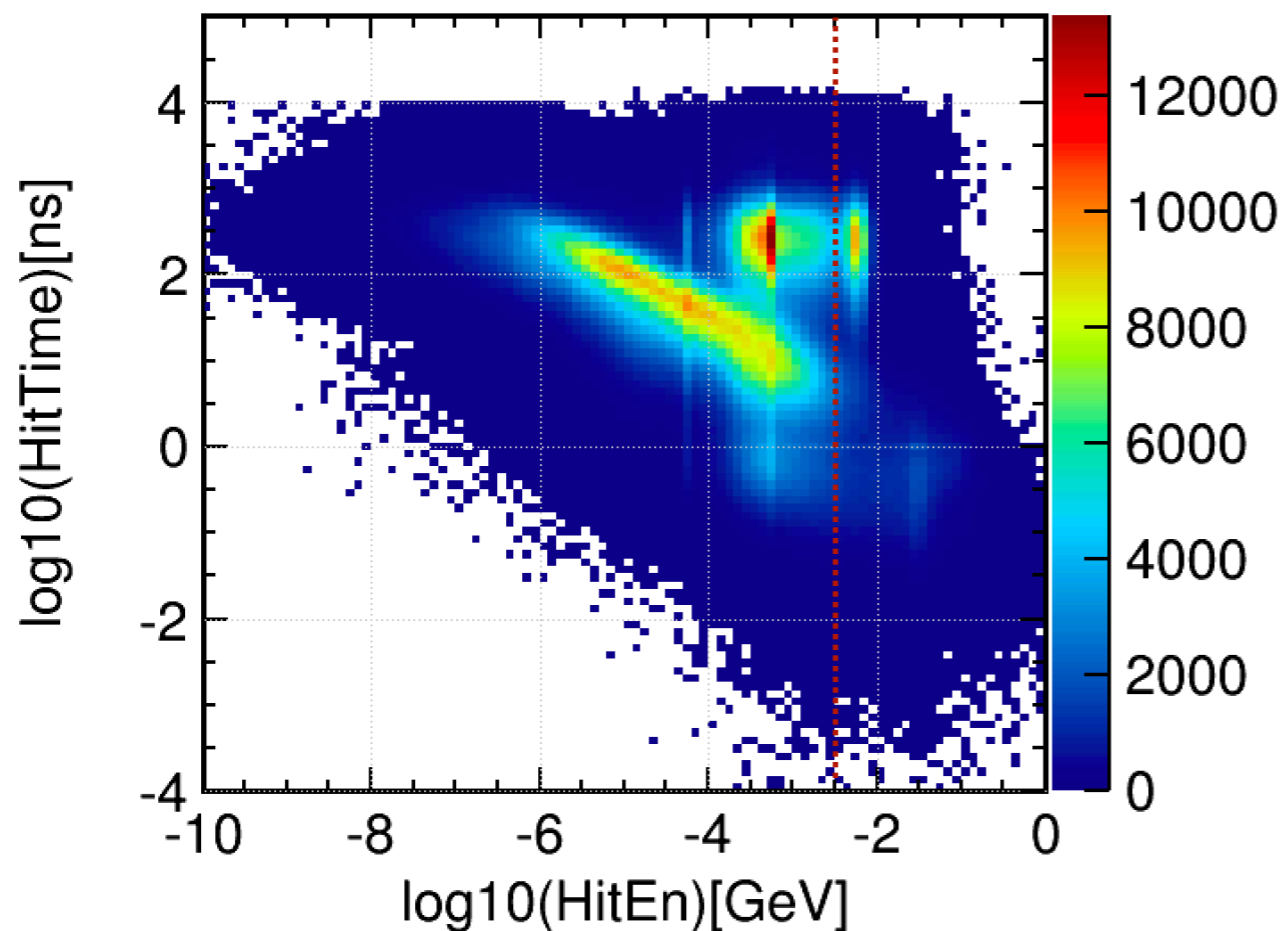
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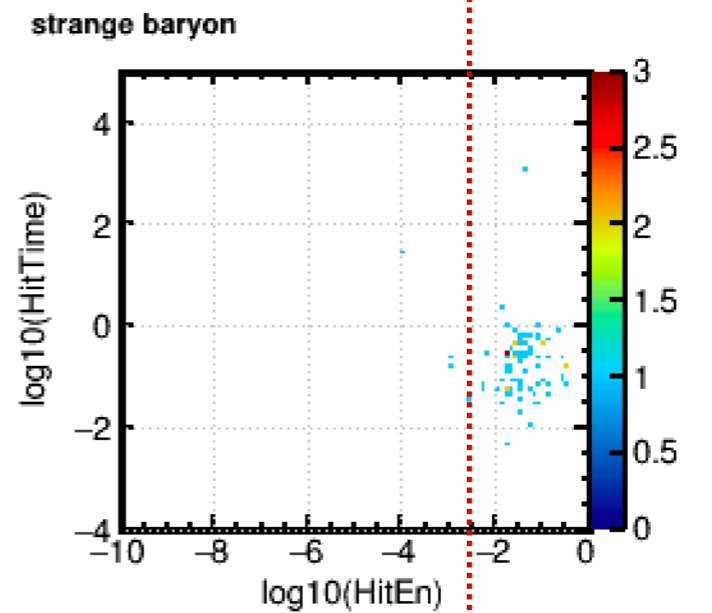
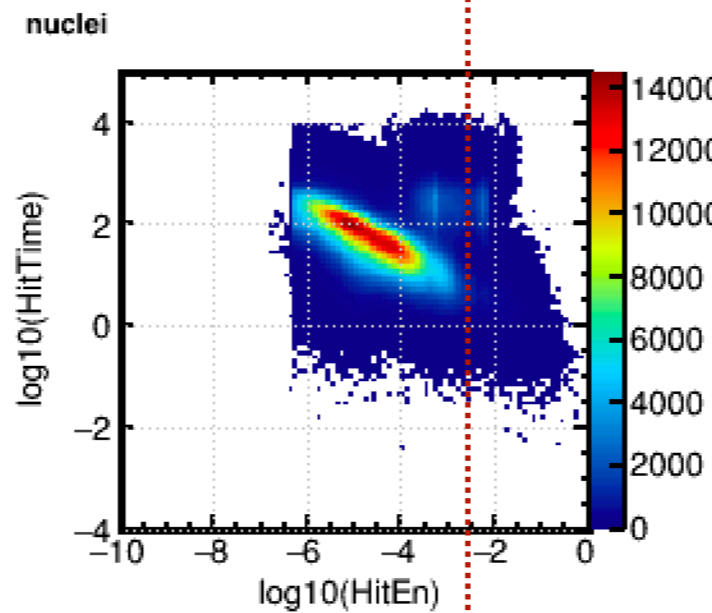
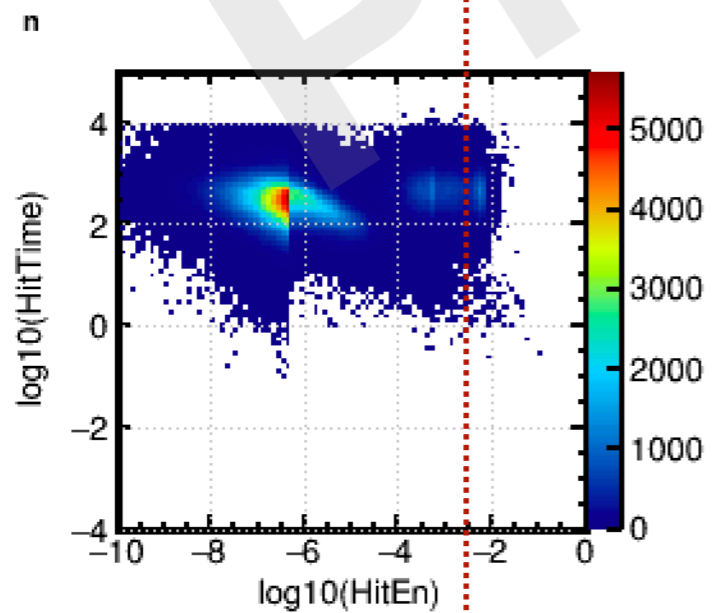
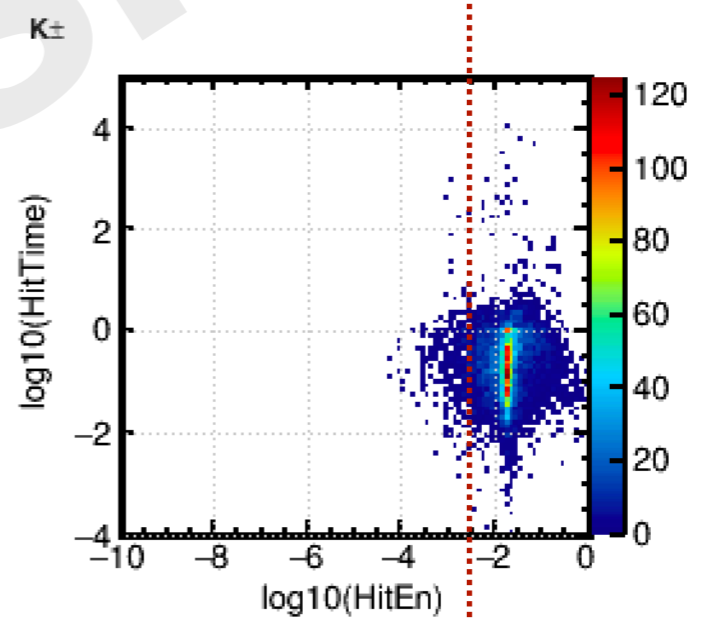
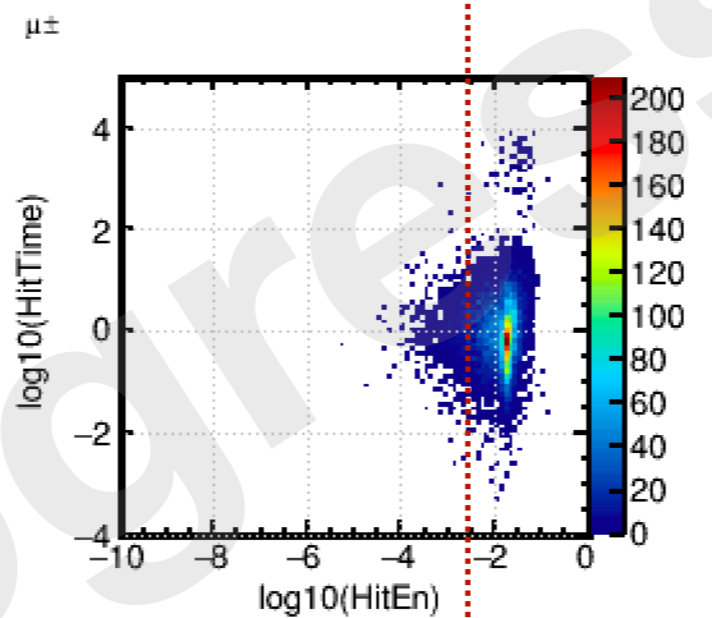
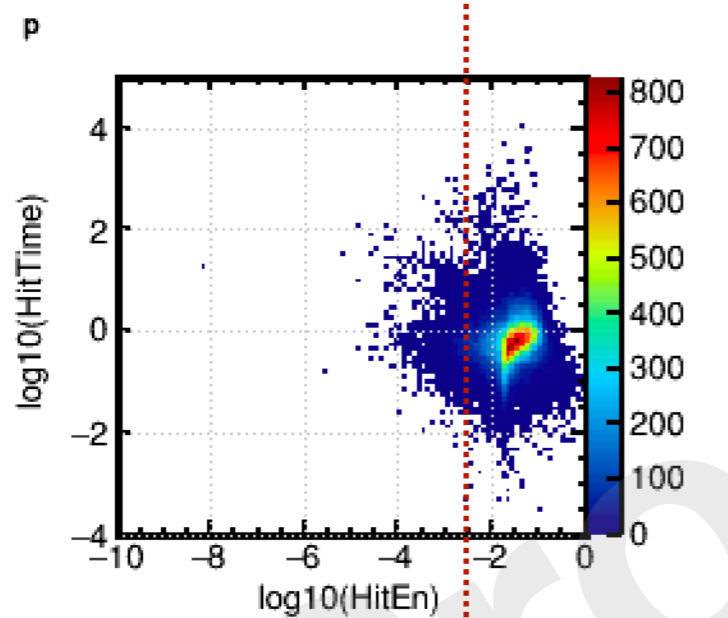
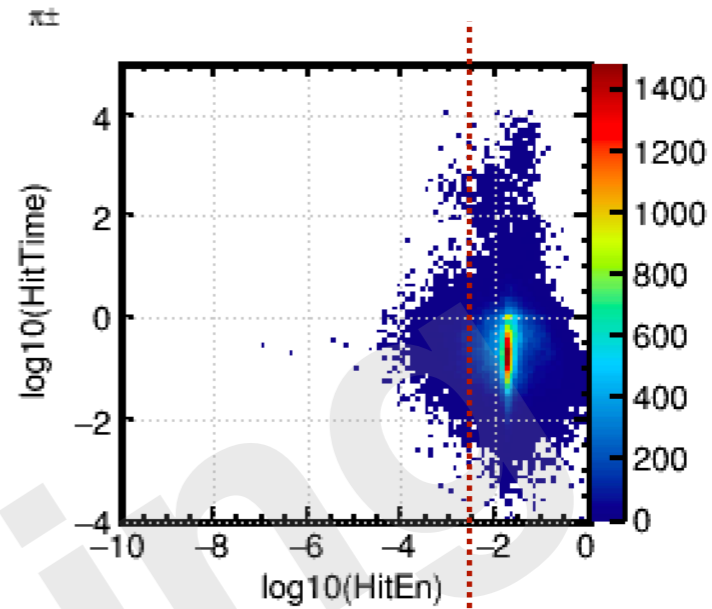
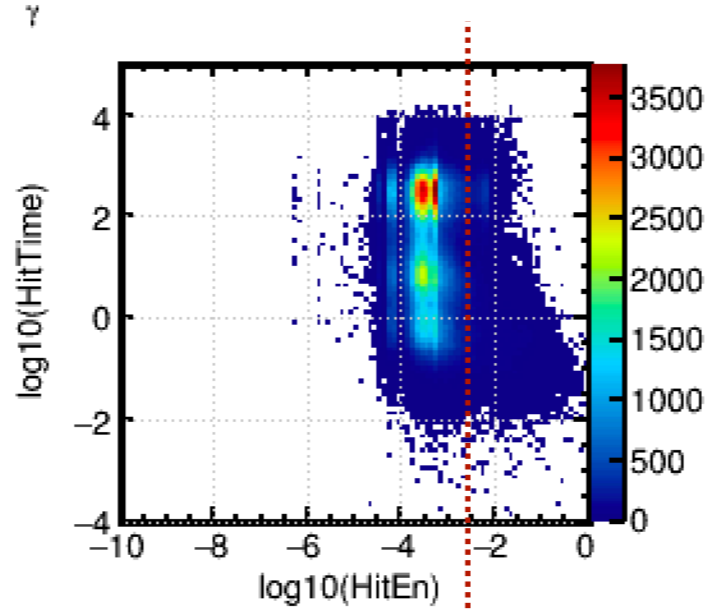
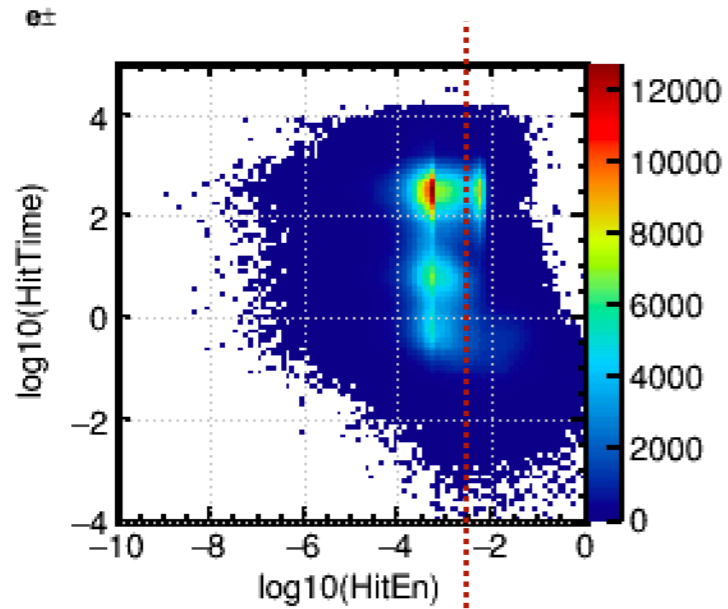
- Digi threshold: 2.3MeV ( $\sim 0.1$ Mip)
  - Hit collection efficiency  $\sim 20\%$
  - Energy collection efficiency  $\sim 90\%$
- PFO resolution for 10GeV kaon can improve 10% if all hits energy are used
  - with similar strategy used in crystal Ecal, i.e., hit absorption after clustering



# Hit Profile

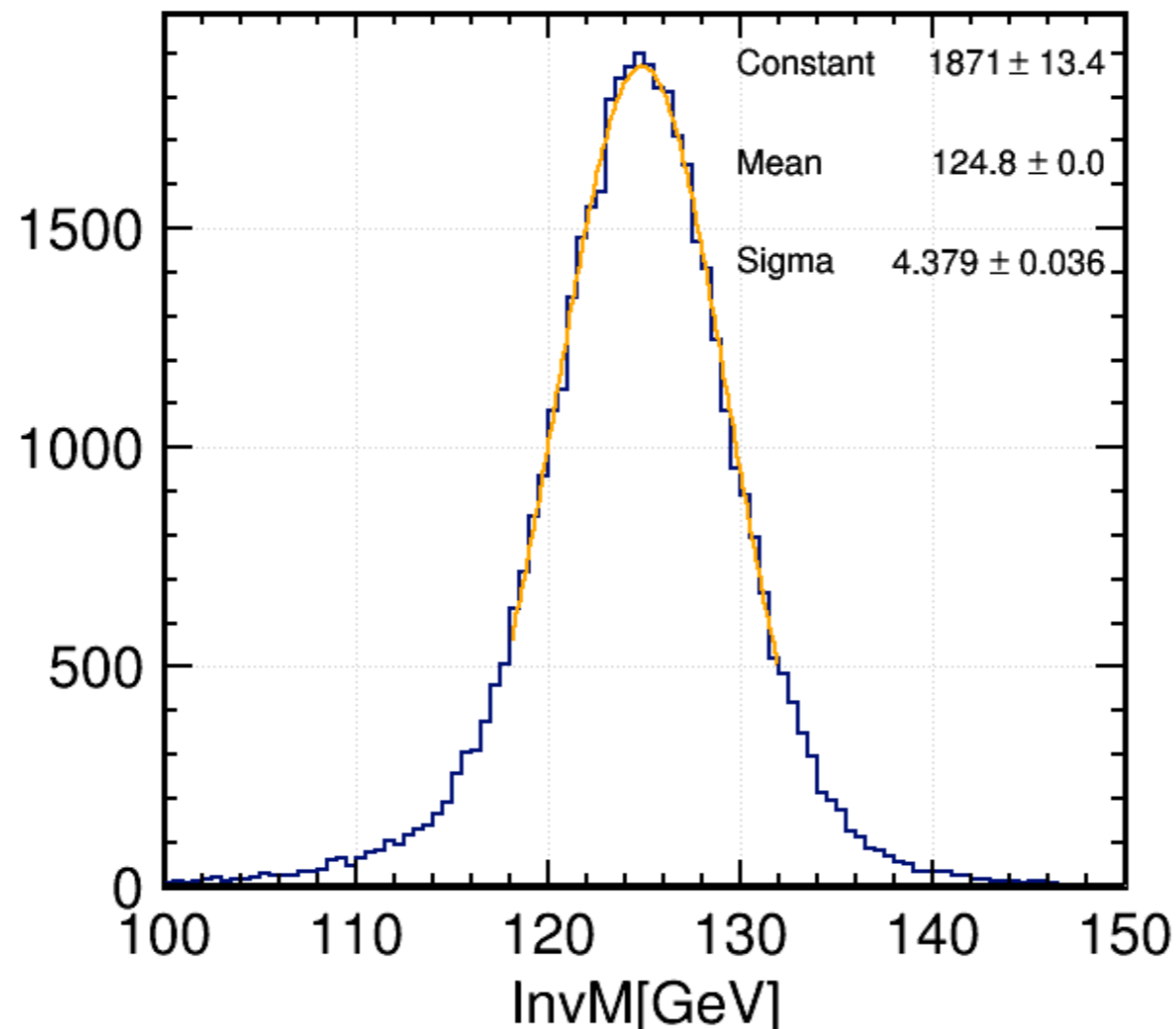
- Current Threshold: 2.3MeV ( $\sim 0.1$  Mip)
  - Time threshold can be also applied to improve
- Hit collection efficiency: 13%
- Energy collection efficiency: 85%





# Alternative Option

- Dependence with density
  - another glass option:  
 $42SiO_2-5Al_2O_3-22BaF_2-9NaF-3CaF_2-3Gd_2O_3-9GdF_3-7TbF_3$
  - Thickness: 23mm (to keep the interaction length per layer unchanged)
  - Result: 3.5%, no significant dependency



# Prospect

- Reconstruction parameter can be optimized
- A strategy applied in crystal ECAL:
  - use energetic hits for cluster building, all hits are collected in the last step
  - take advantage of both high granularity and good energy resolution
- Significant difference between EM/Had response are observed, software compensation is under considering

# Summary

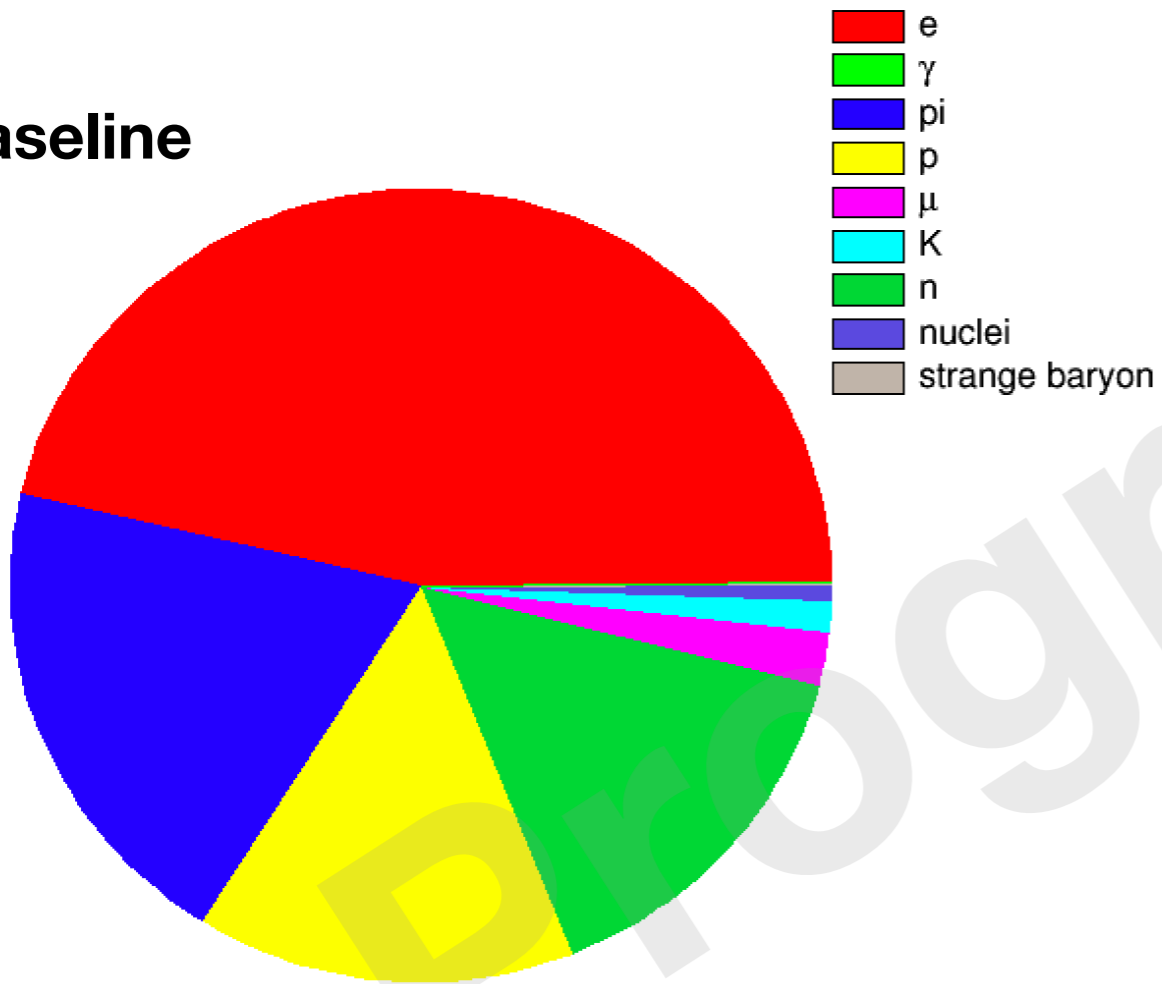
- Full absorption Glass HCAL improves the BMR by at least 10% w.r.t. Baseline design (3.4% : 3.8%)
  - Archived with simple threshold cut & calibration tuning
- Observe No significant dependence between Glass density and BMR (fix longitudinal interaction length  $\sim 5.8\lambda$ )
  - Tools ready to scan more glass candidates
- Future perspective: BMR  $\sim 3\%$ 
  - better clustering algorithm, pursuing
    - higher hit/energy collection efficiency (12.5%/85%), higher intrinsic energy resolution at Cluster level
    - similar/smaller confusions
  - Better energy estimation, software compensation...
  - Fragmentation veto using Time information
- To do: study the scaling behavior with different cell size.



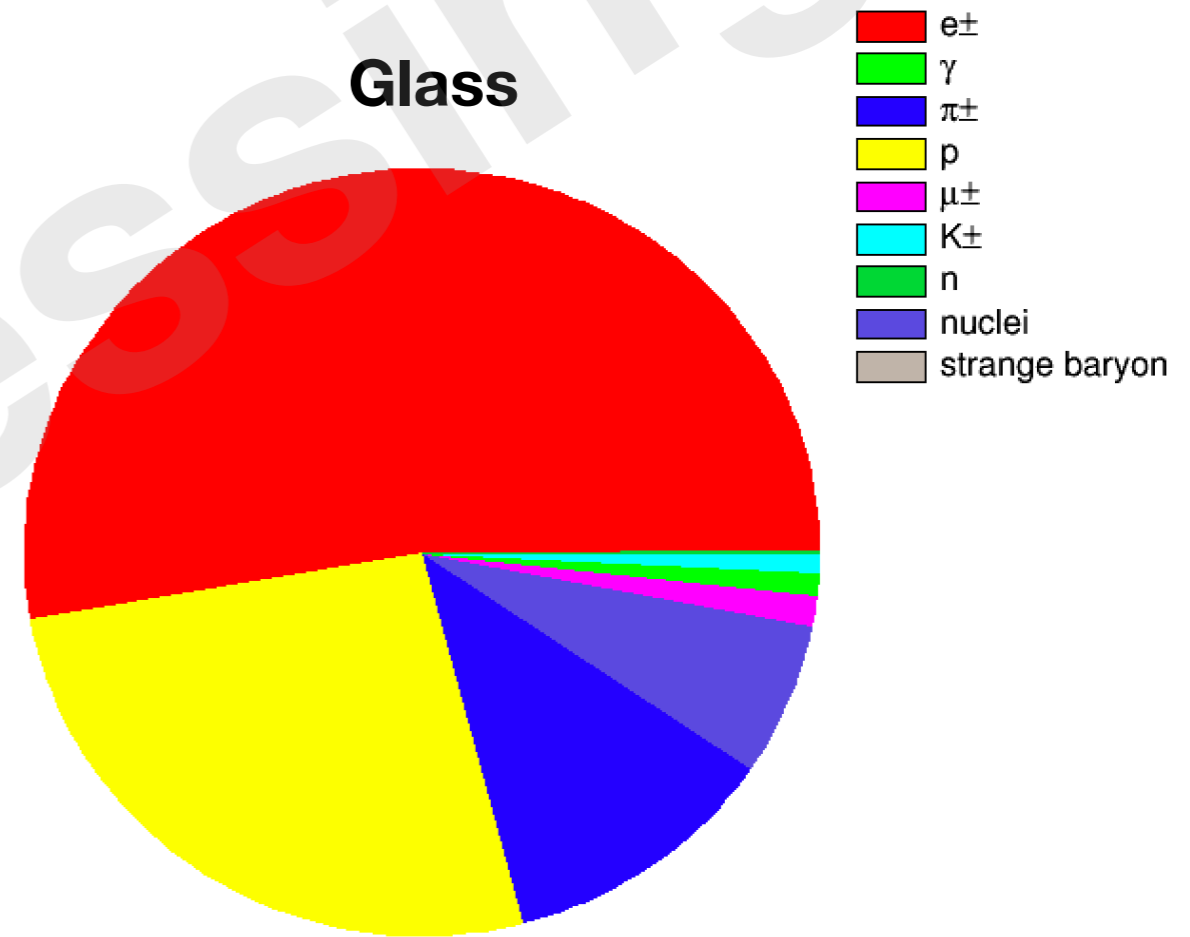
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# Hit Energy Weight

baseline



Glass



# Scintillating glass in ECFA Detector R&D Roadmap [CERN-ESU-017](#)

## Main R&D directions in calorimeters with light-based readout

### New material technologies

Novel techniques for crystal growth have broadened the range of potential configurations for crystal-based calorimeters, including crystal-fibre EM calorimeters and multiple-readout calorimeters [Ch6-18], [Ch6-19], [Ch6-20]. A SPACAL calorimeter, using co-doped garnet crystal fibres (GAGG, YAG, GYAGG), is proposed for the upgrade of the LHCb ECAL [Ch6-21], for improved energy resolution, shower timing with ten ps precision, and appropriate radiation hardness. Further improvements in radiation hardness will become relevant for future hadron colliders. Heavy scintillating glasses such as DSB : Ce<sup>3+</sup> are investigated as a cost effective alternative to e.g. the common PbWO<sub>4</sub> crystals [Ch6-22], [Ch6-23]. Beyond, new plastic scintillators will be needed to improve radiation hardness and/or for use in multiple-readout options with Čerenkov and scintillation emission. The exploration of 3D-printing technologies in the production of scintillators [Ch6-24], as well as for mass production of precision absorbers in collaboration with industrial partners are promising R&D lines.

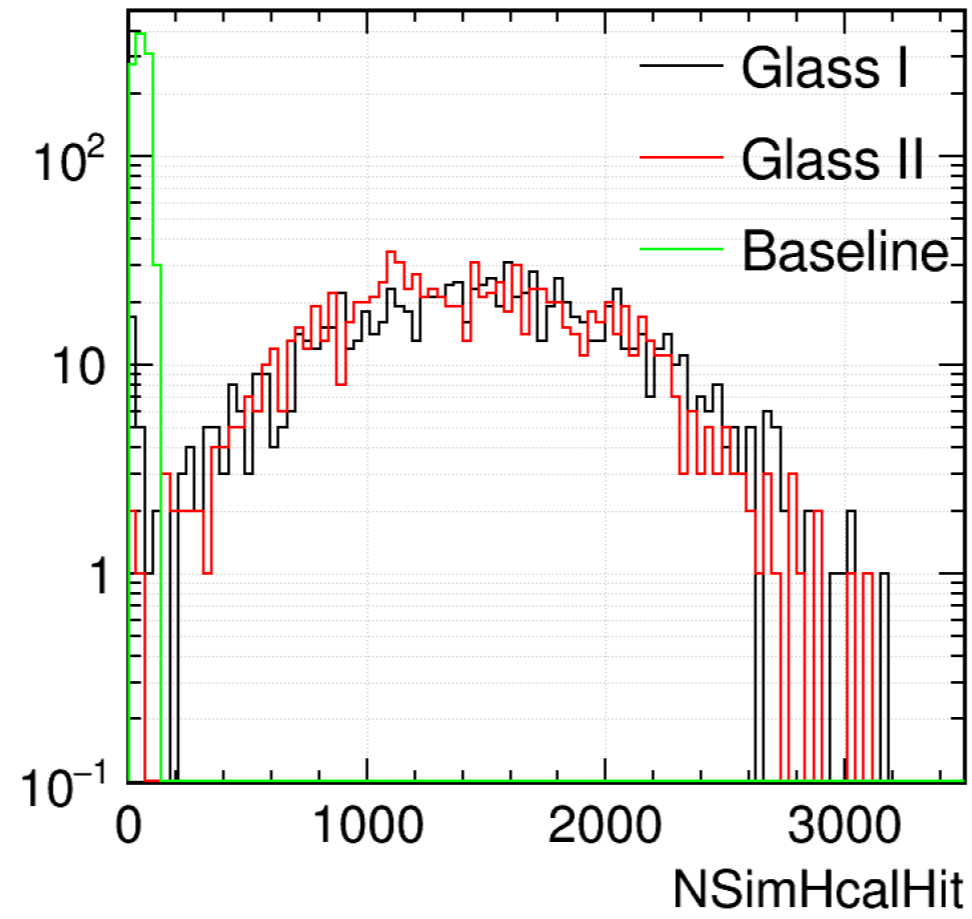
## 6.5 Recommendations

In order to implement the research directions the following set of recommendations is formulated.

- Implementation of DRDT 6.1. Support of R&D on novel optical materials and corresponding readout technologies to optimally prepare for the LHCb Upgrade II (in  $\geq$  LS4). Experiments such as KLEVER could provide an early use case of developments for LHCb. The development of heavy glasses for the Electron-Ion-Collider should be followed closely and European groups are encouraged to join this effort;



# Alternative Option



# Model

- Baseline: SDHCAL (GRPC, 1mm\*1mm cell size)
- Scintillating Glass:
  - Sampling: 15mm Steel + 8mm Glass (40mm\*40mm cell size)
  - Homogenous:
    - 23mm\*40mm\*40mm Glass I
    - 40mm\*40mm\*40mm Glass II

# Summary

- Preliminary result shows that the BMR can be efficiently improved (3.8% → 3.4%) with homogenous scintillating glass
- Further improvement is expected with
  - Timing info: 10%
  - PFA optimization: 2-3%
  - software compensation: 2-3%
- The current HCal is rather large, possible to reduce the thickness?

# Baseline Hit Profile

