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Analysis of test beam data

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Beam test



- 2022 October, 2 weeks in SPS H8, 25 million events were collected
- 2023 April and May, 2 weeks in SPS H2 and PS T9 respectively, 40 million events were collected
- Electronic calibration data
- Muon scanning
- π^\pm : 1-120 GeV, e^\pm : 0.5 – 250 GeV



2023 PS T9

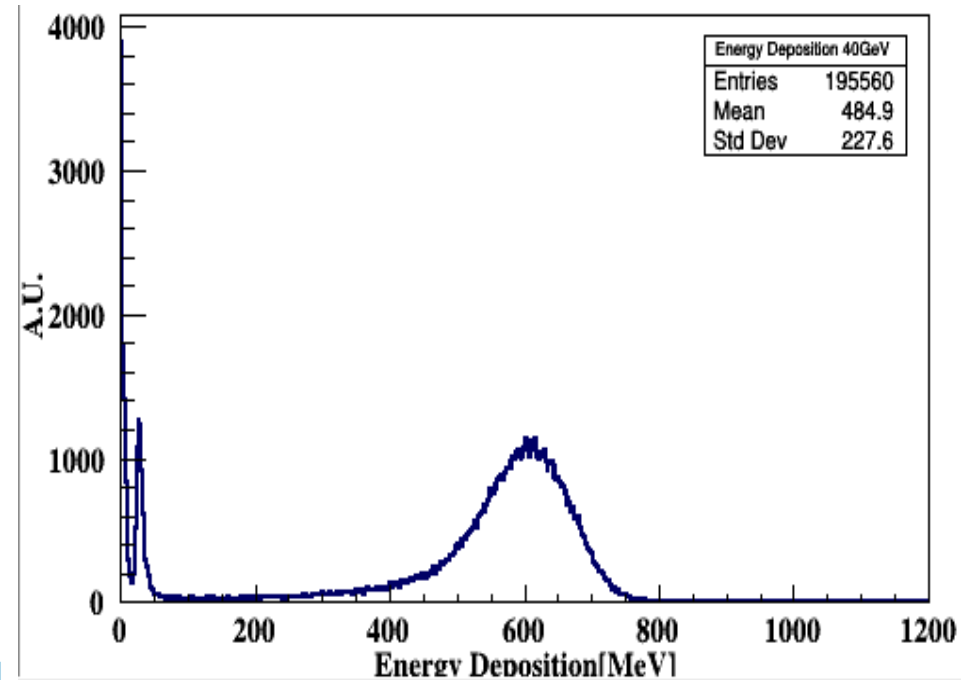
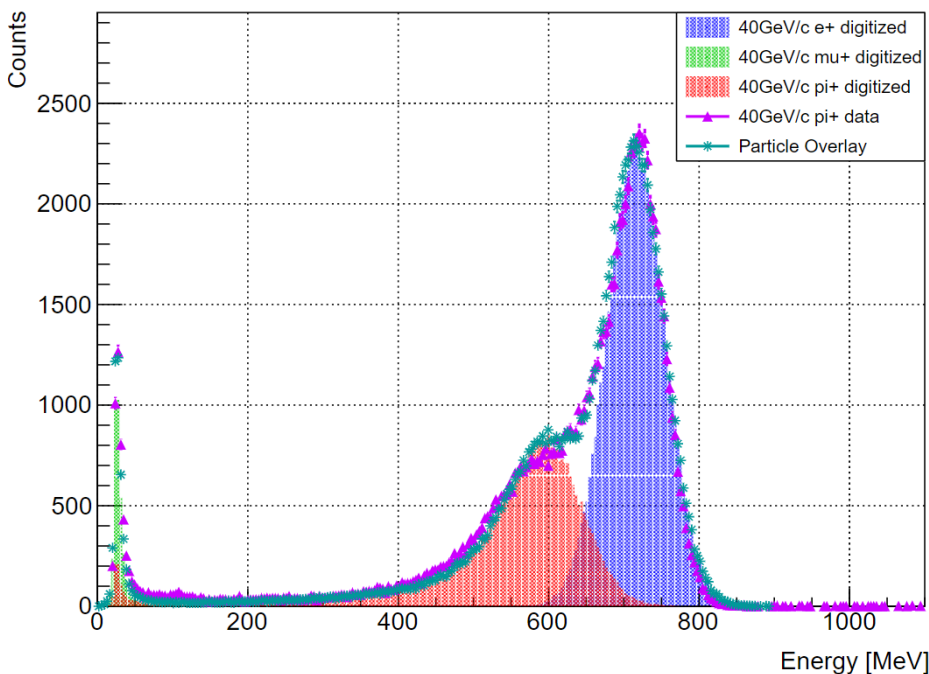


2023 SPS H2

Selection and PID



- The 2022 SPS H8 beam data is of bad purity
- The 2023 SPS H2 beam data is much better



Energy deposition of 40 GeV pion beam:2022 and 2023



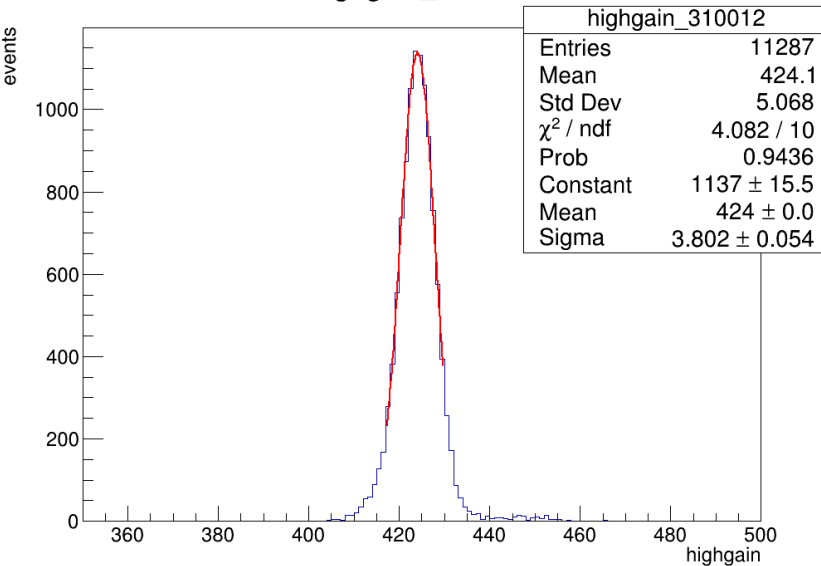
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Pedestal



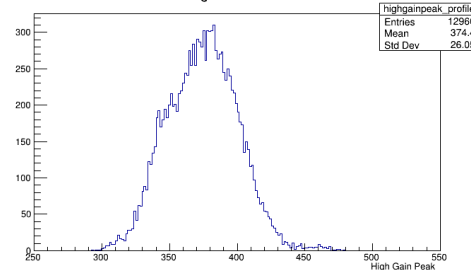
- Pedestal calibration file: generated by a forced external trigger
- The pedestal of each channel is analyzed

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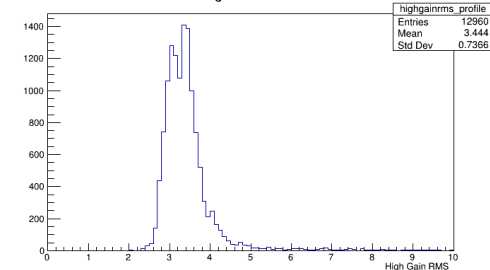


Pedestal distribution of a single channel

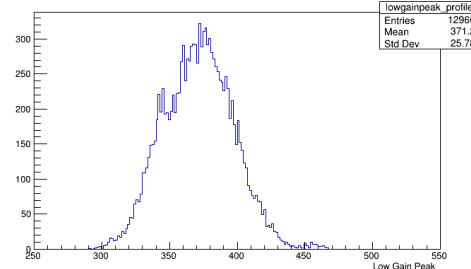
High Gain Peak



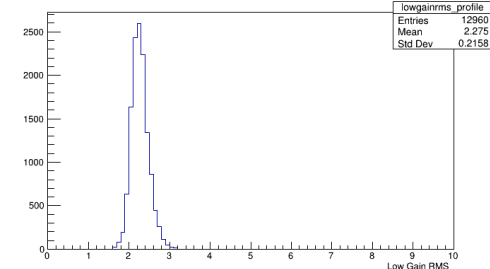
High Gain RMS



Low Gain Peak

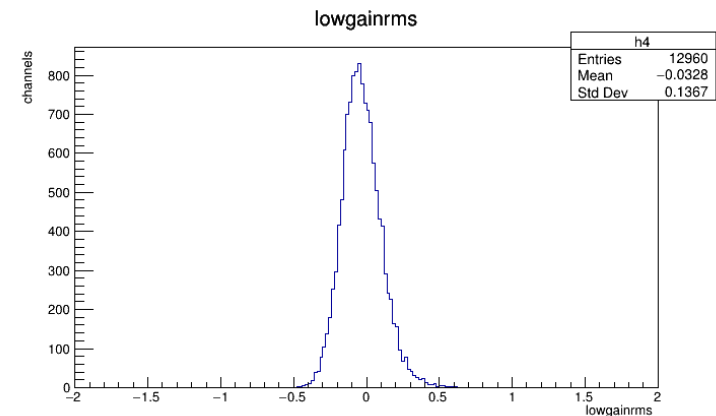
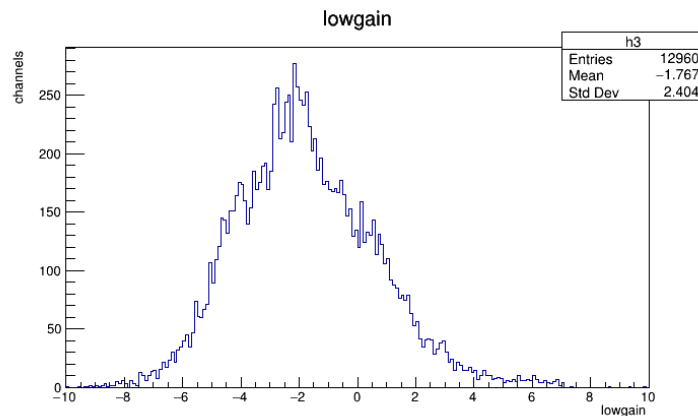
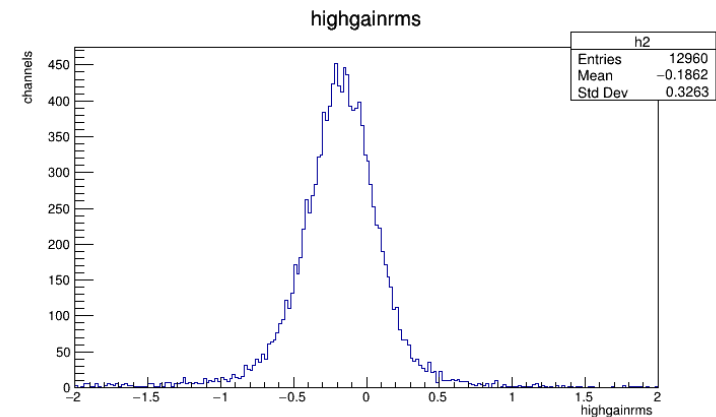
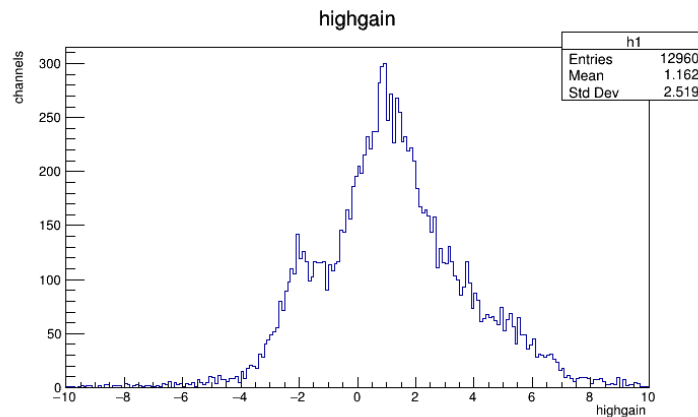


Low Gain RMS



Fitting result of all channels

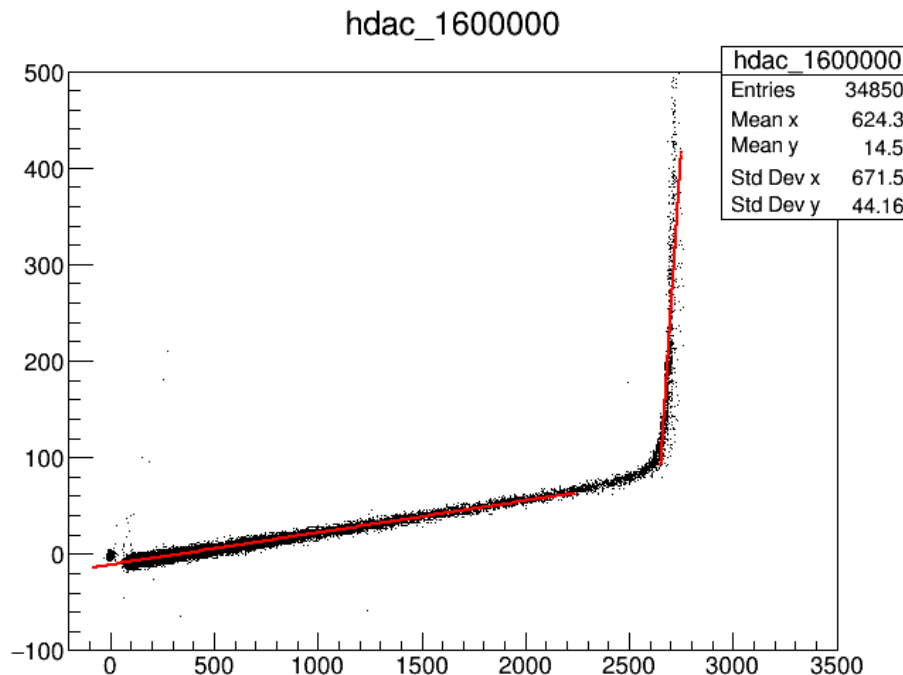
- The difference between pedestal of 2022 and 2023 is small



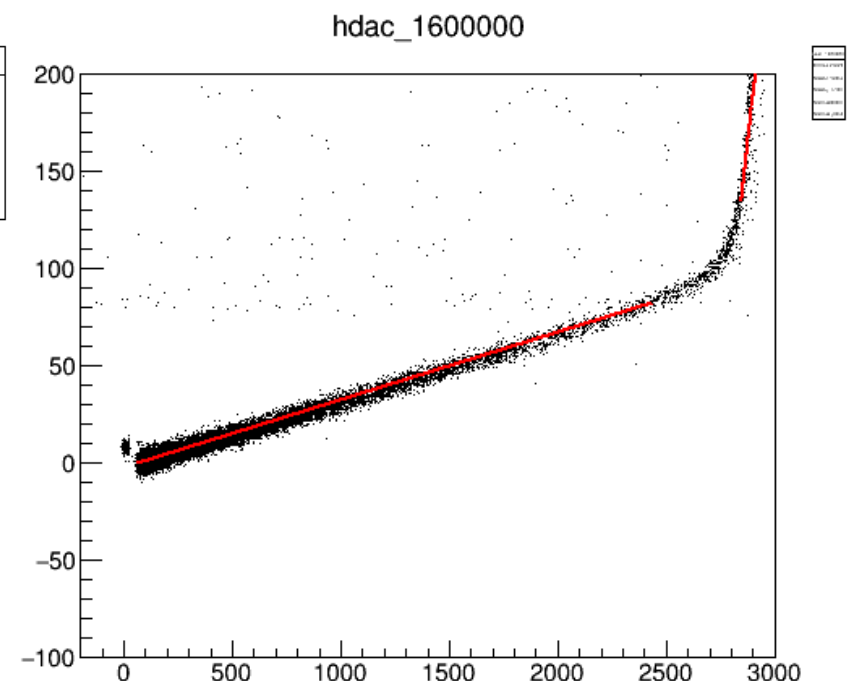
Gain ratio



- The gain ratio of the high/low gain is calibrated from pion beam data
- The saturation point of the high gain is fitted as a parameter of the fitting function



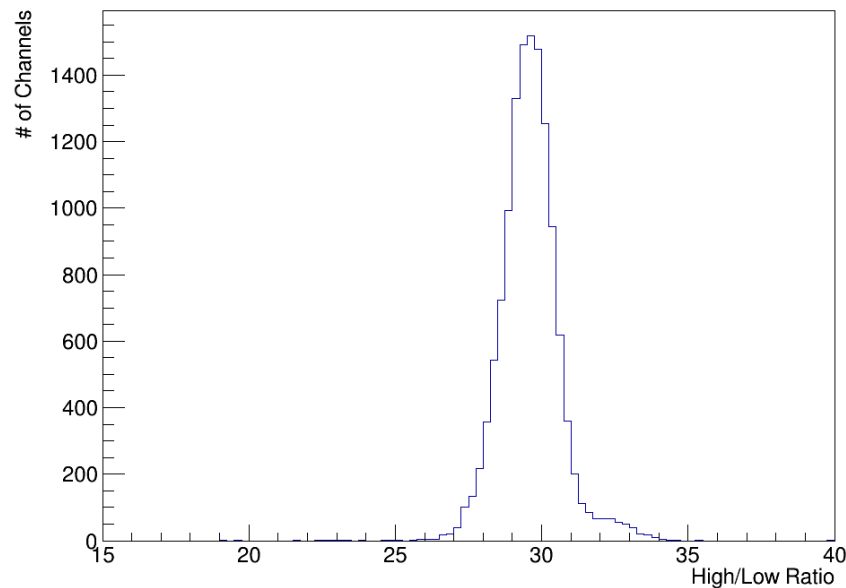
Calibration result of 2022



Calibration result of 2023

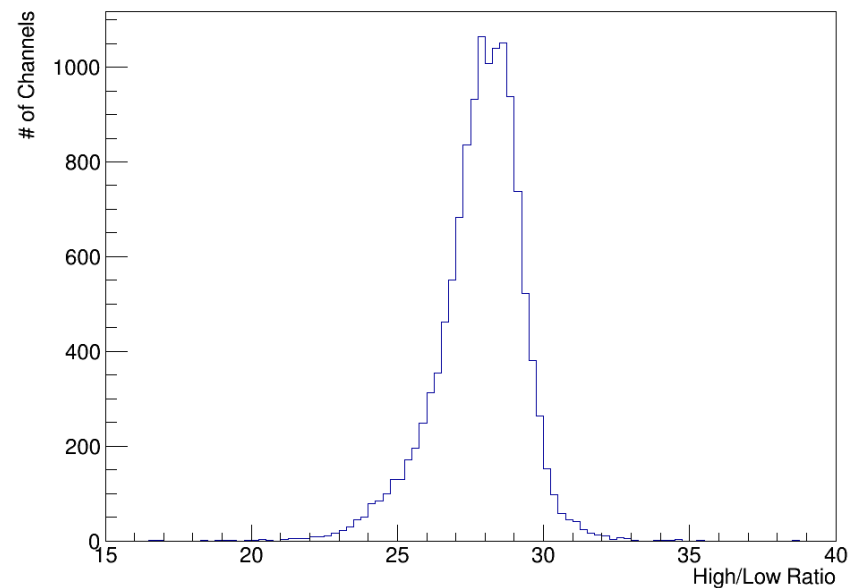
- Each channel is fitted and the parameter is stored

High/Low 2022



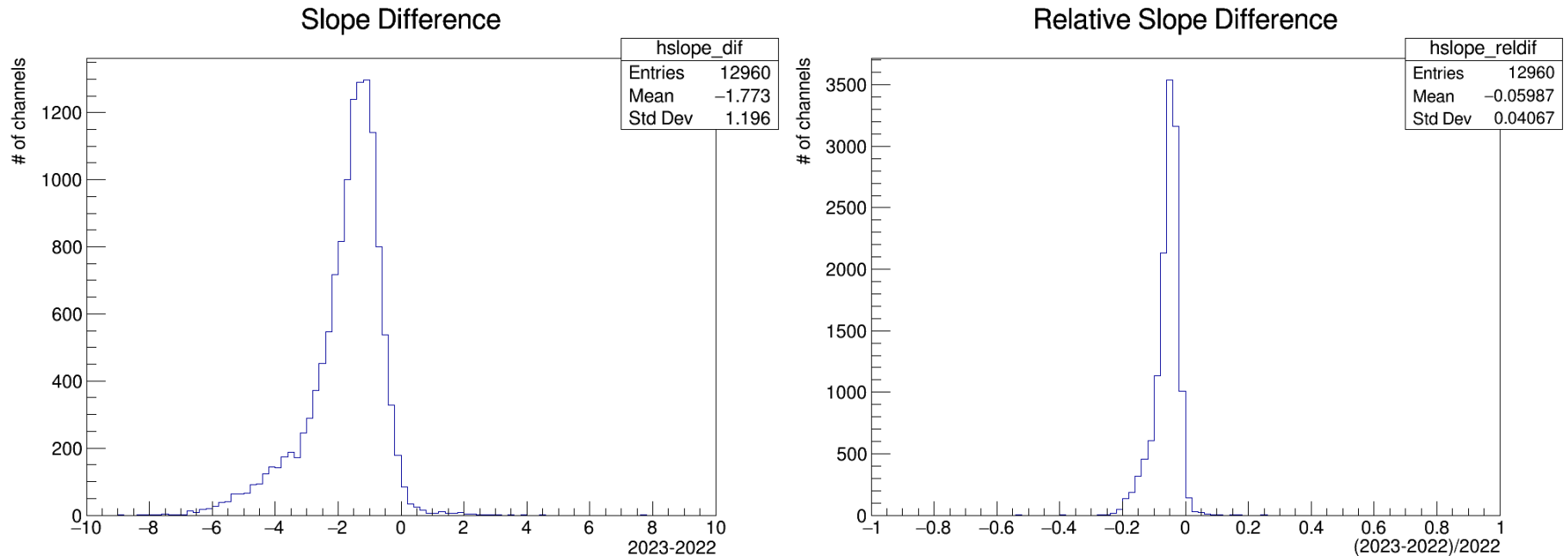
Calibration result of 2022

High/Low 2023



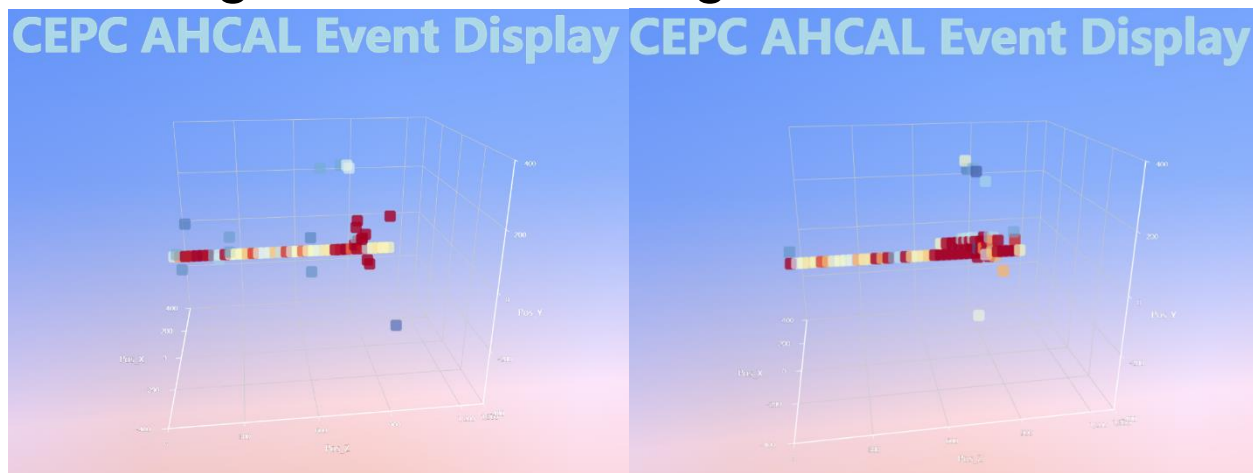
Calibration result of 2023

- The result of 2022 and 2023 has small differences, this parameter is stable



Difference on the gain ratio slope:2023-2022

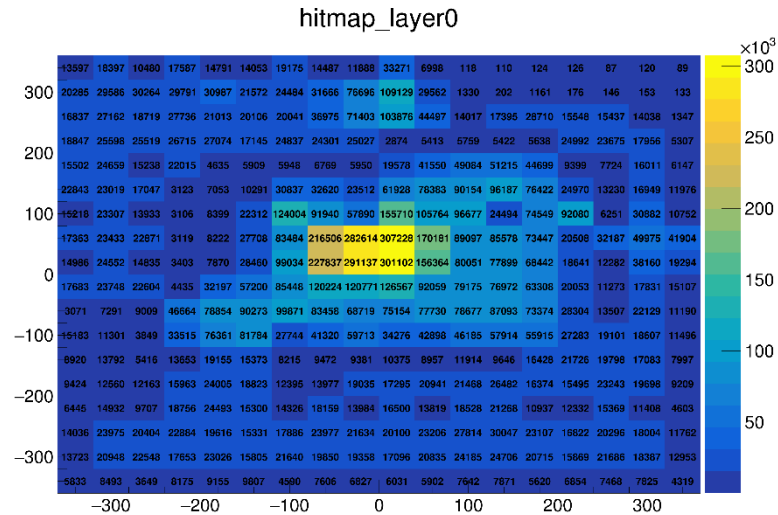
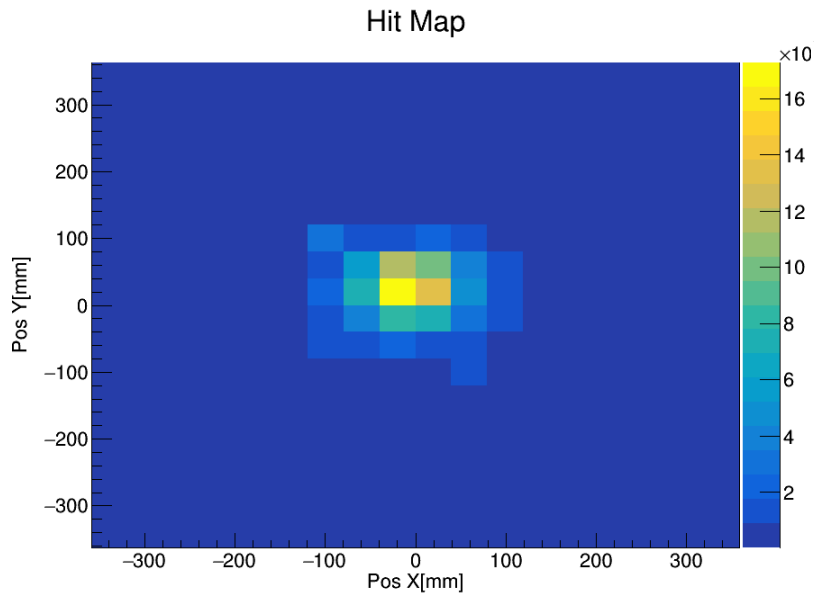
- Combined muon data
 - Different energy: 100, 108 and 160 GeV
 - Different position
 - Different configuration
 - ECAL+HCAL and HCAL alone
 - Auto gain and normal gain



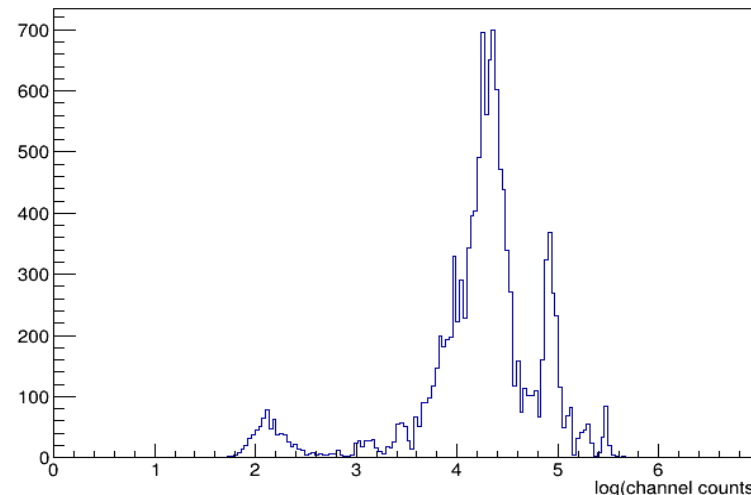
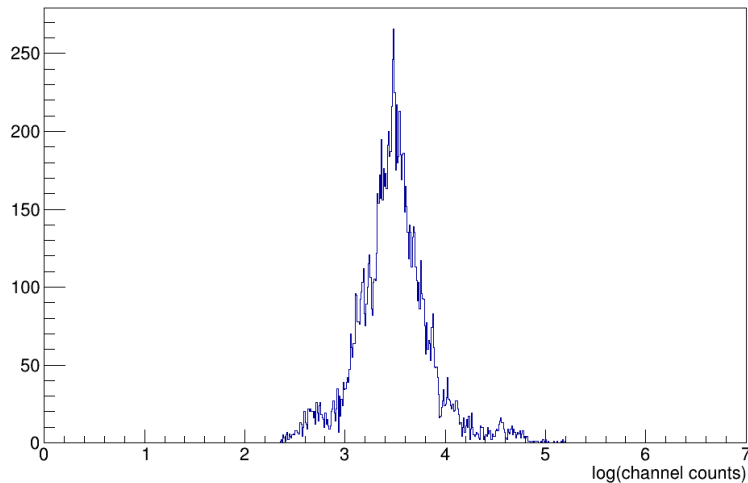
MIP Calibration



- Statistics overview

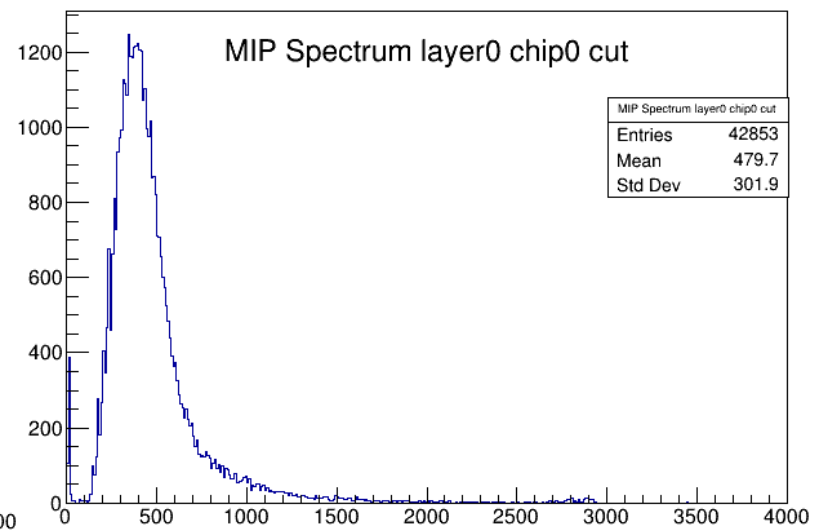
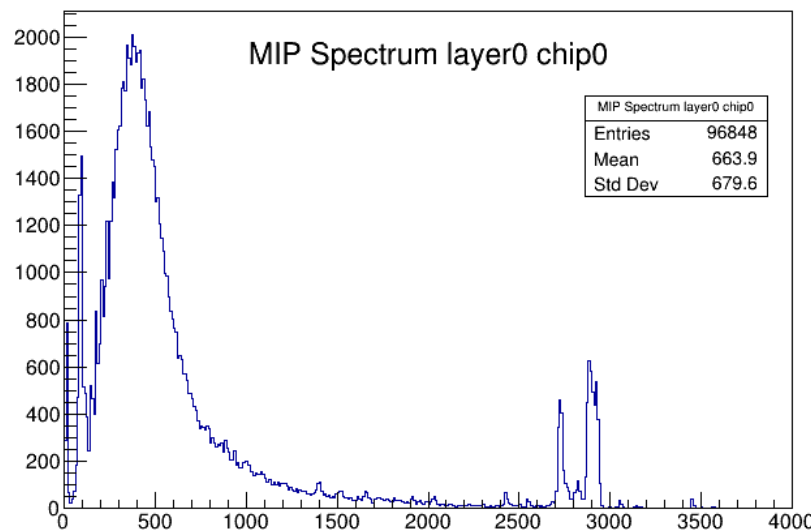


Hit map 2022
and 2023



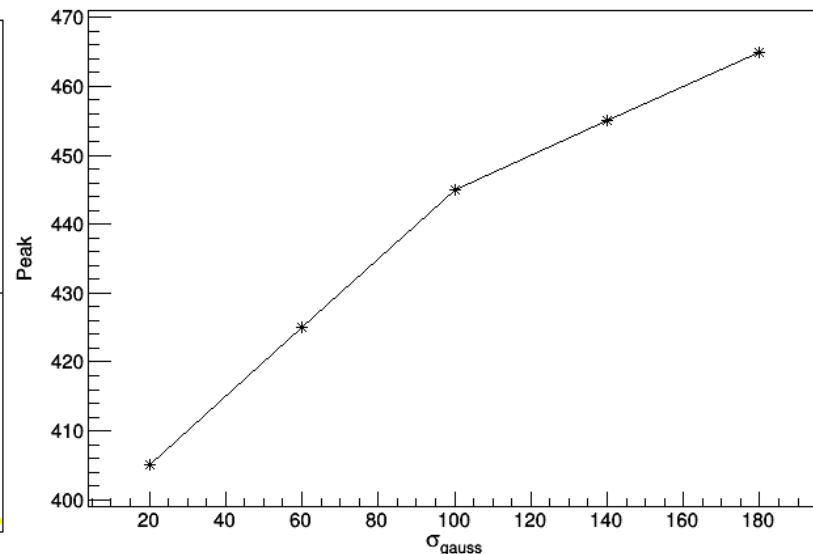
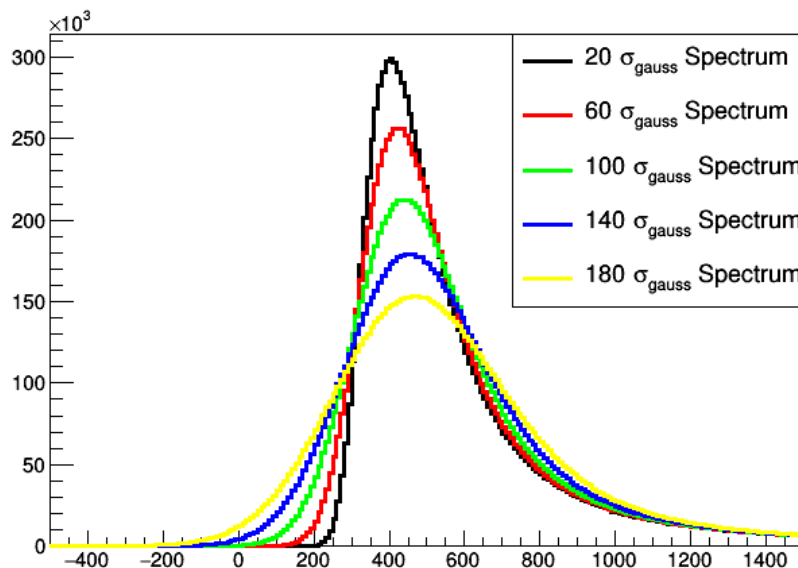
Channel counts
in log scale

- Selection criteria
 - Shower rejection
 - Max hits in a single layer < 5
 - Position Selection
 - Select hits in the area with most hits



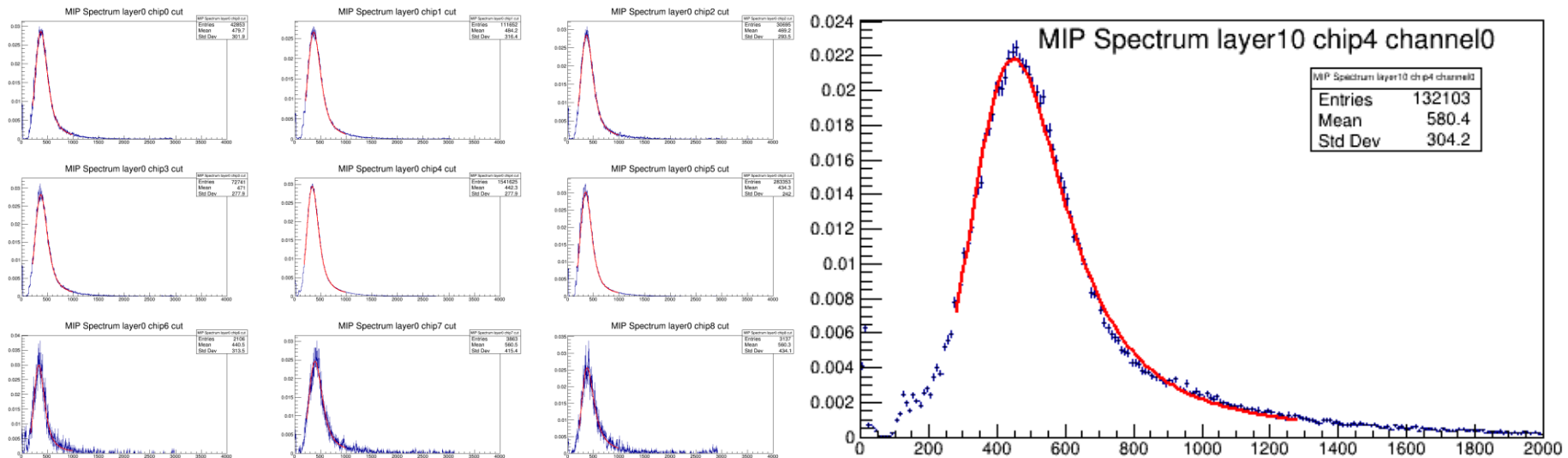
MIP Spectrum before and after Selection

- The landau-gauss function is studied
 - The peak value is not only determined by the MPV but also determined by the σ_{gauss}
 - The MPV describes the energy deposit of the MIP while the σ_{gauss} describes the detector effect



Convolution of landau and gauss at different

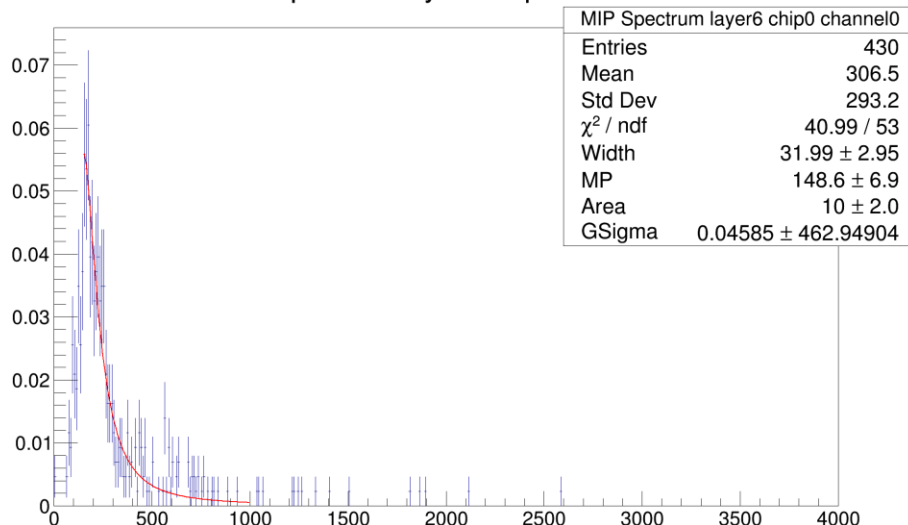
- The fitting is first done for each chip, then each channel is fitted
- All chips have good fitting for 2023 data



MIP Spectrum Fitting: chip and channel

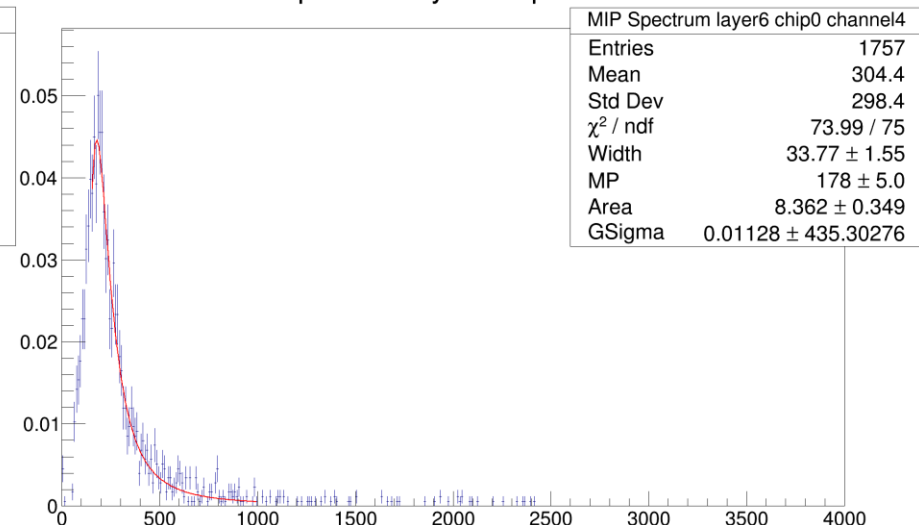
- Good channels will be tagged as 1
- Some channels fail the fitting
 - Bad chip: tagged as -1
 - Inadequate statistics: tagged as -2
 - Bad fitting: tagged as -3

MIP Spectrum layer6 chip0 channel0



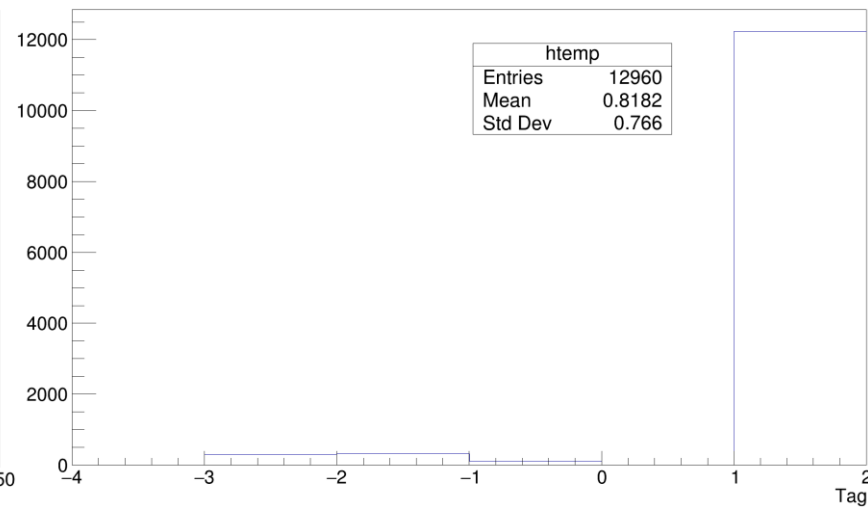
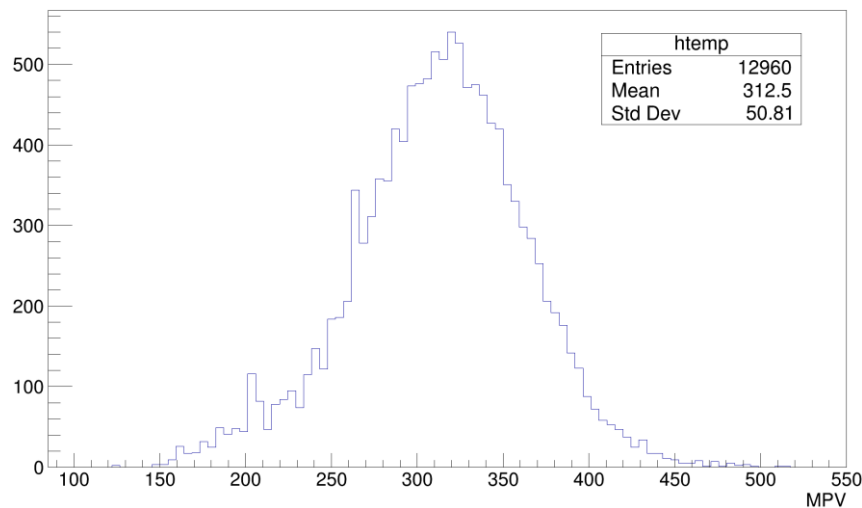
Inadequate statistics

MIP Spectrum layer6 chip0 channel4

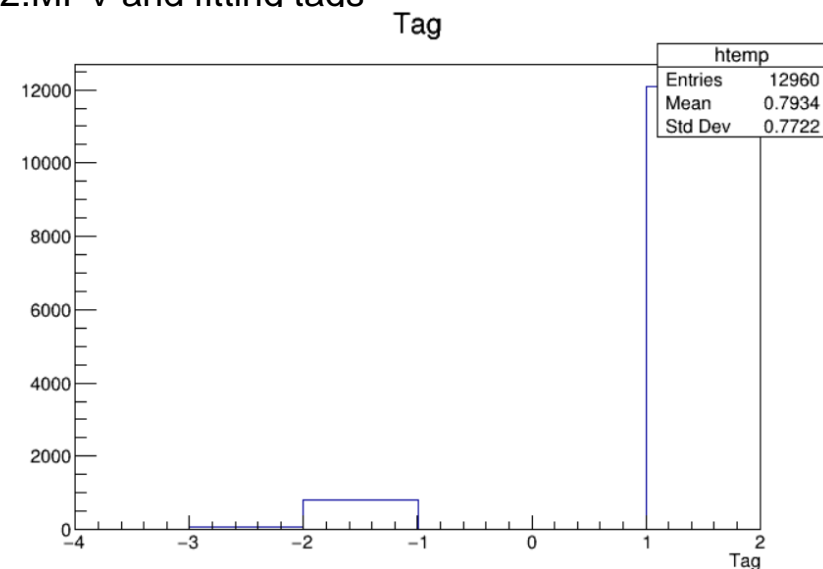
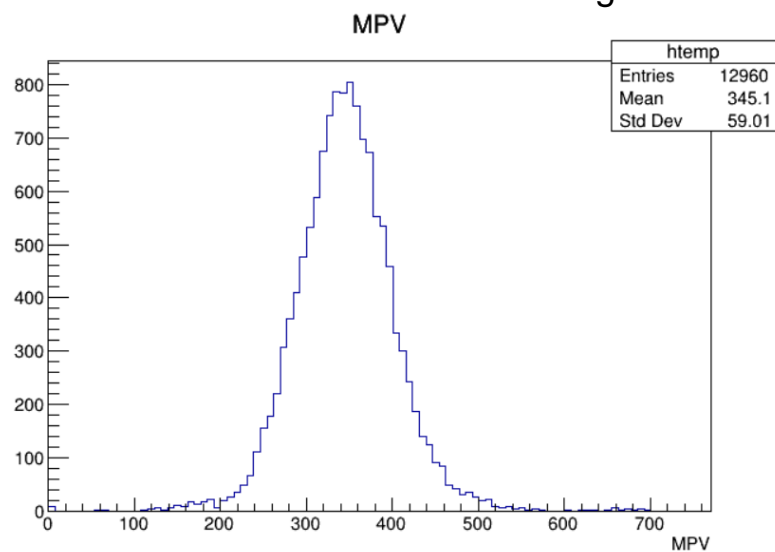


bad fitting: small MPV

MIP Calibration



fitting result 2022:MPV and fitting tags

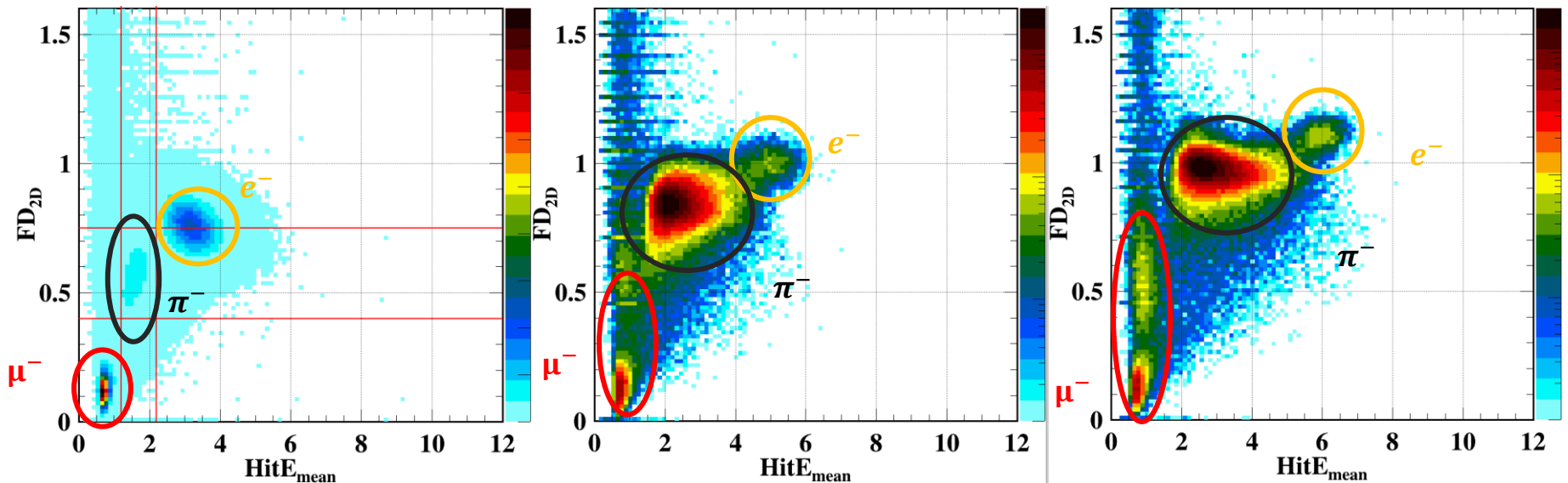


fitting result 2023:MPV and fitting tags



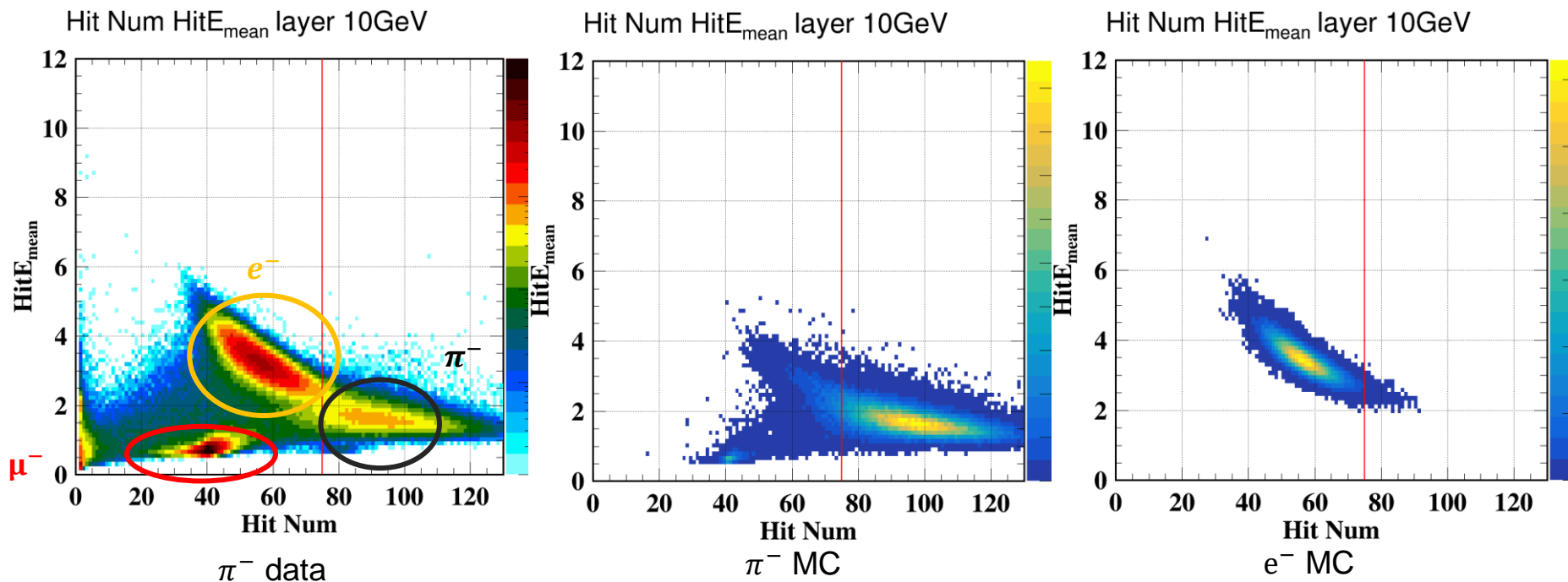
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- The 2023 SPS H2 data
 - The beam is contaminated by μ^- and e^- , especially for the beam of which the energy less than 30GeV
 - PID cut on the data is necessary to get a pure pion sample

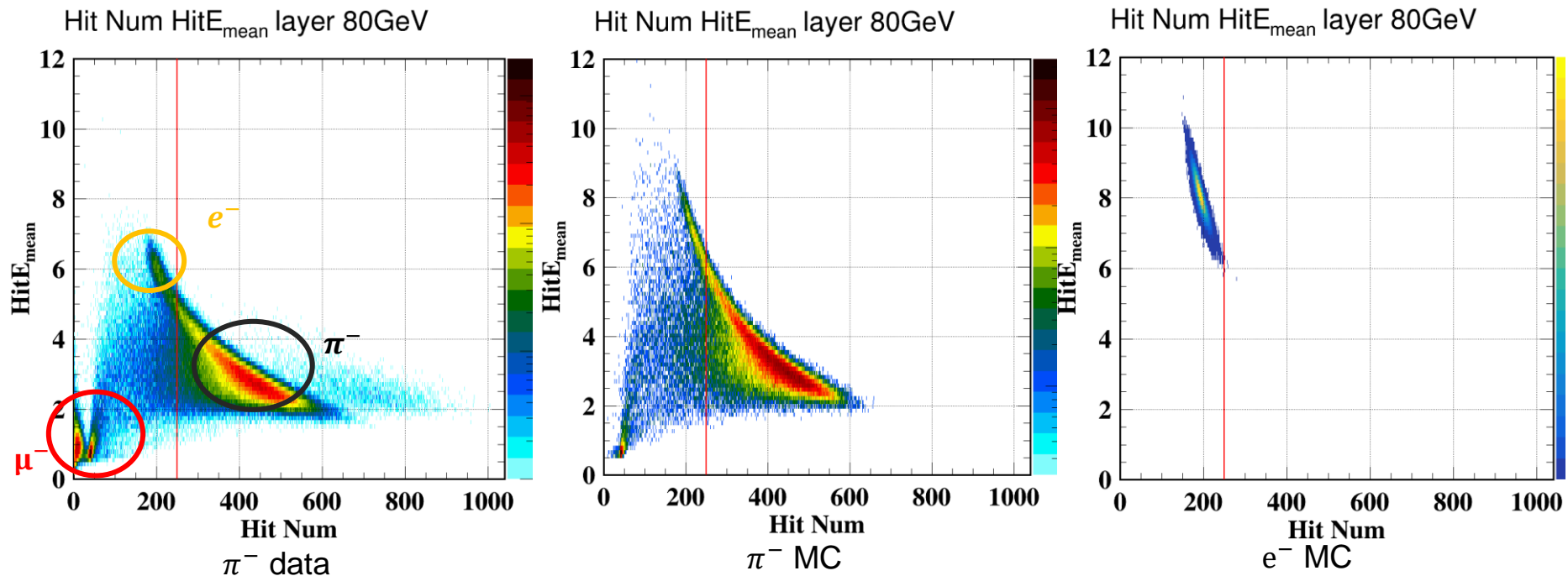


FD vs Hit Emean: 10,40 and 80GeV

- Total hit number cut
 - This cut is determined to the π^- and e^- MC
 - This cut can reject the μ^- or non-shower events
 - e^- events are also cut by the selection

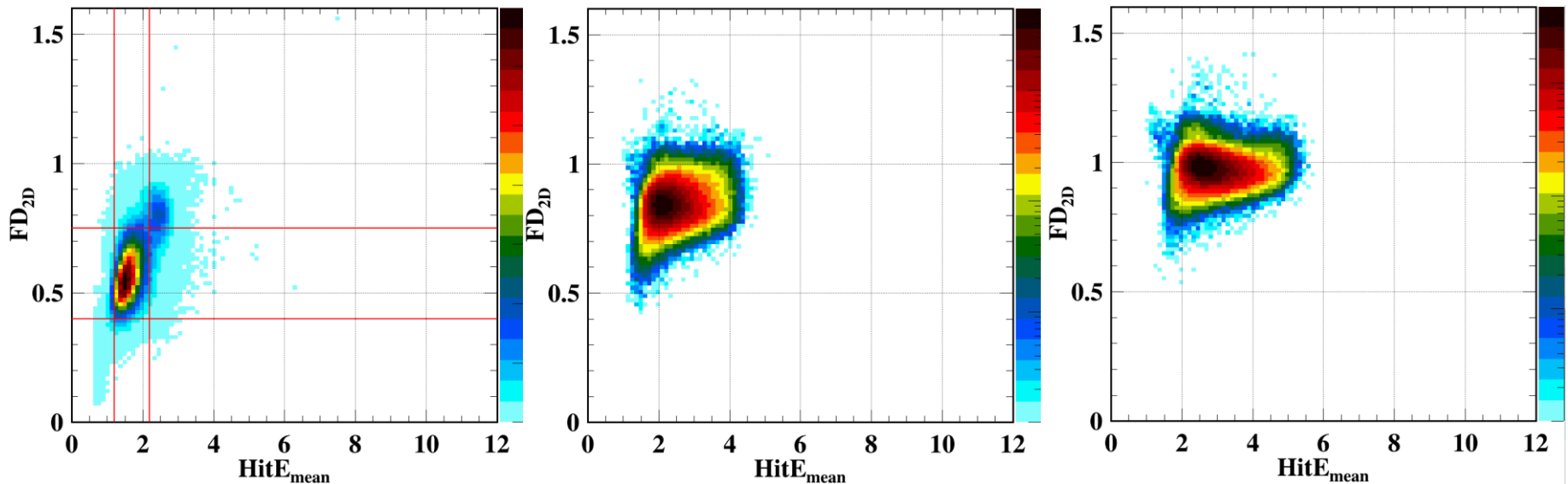


- Total hit number cut
 - The distribution of the hit number and hit E mean is highly correlated to the particle energy
 - The hit number cut varies with the particle energy respectively



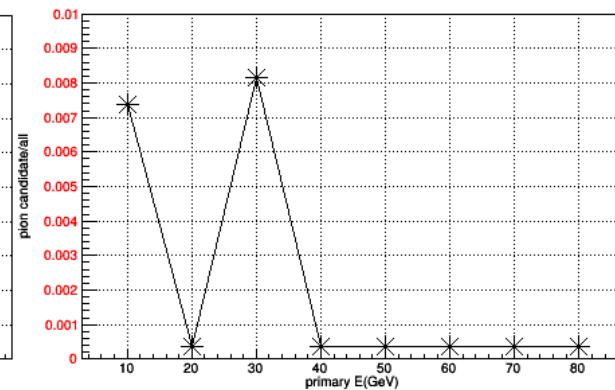
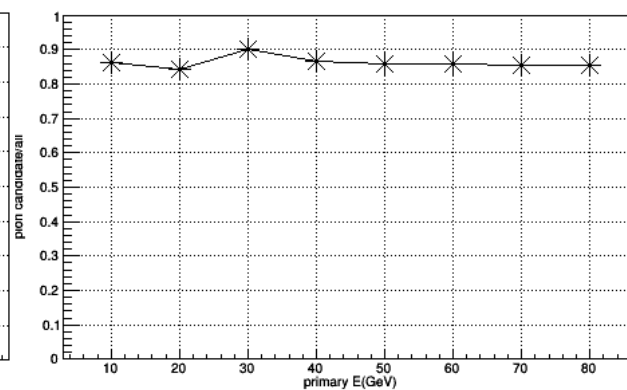
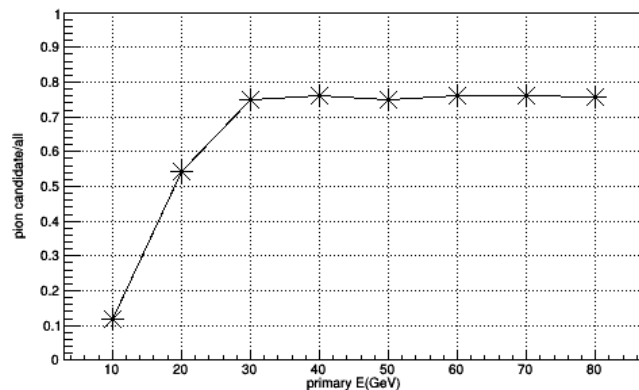
Hit No vs Hit E mean at 80GeV

- The purity after the hit number cut
 - Purity for data <30 GeV is still poor after the hit number cut
 - FD and Hit E mean cut is applied to data with energy < 30GeV
 - FD and Hit E mean cut isn't apply to the MC because of the disagreement between MC and Data on the FD



FD vs Hit E mean data : 10,40 and 80GeV

- Selection efficiency for PID cut
 - About 90% of π^- MC events could pass the PID
 - Less than 1% of e^- MC events could pass the PID
 - The PID cut could efficiently select π^- candidate from beam data while rejecting the μ^- , non-shower and e^- events

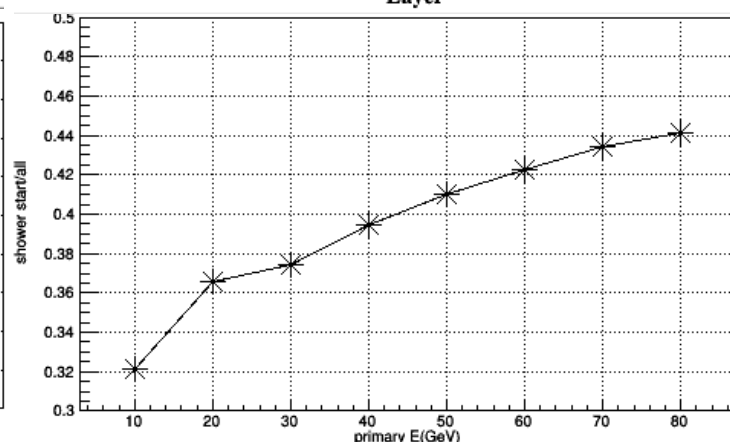
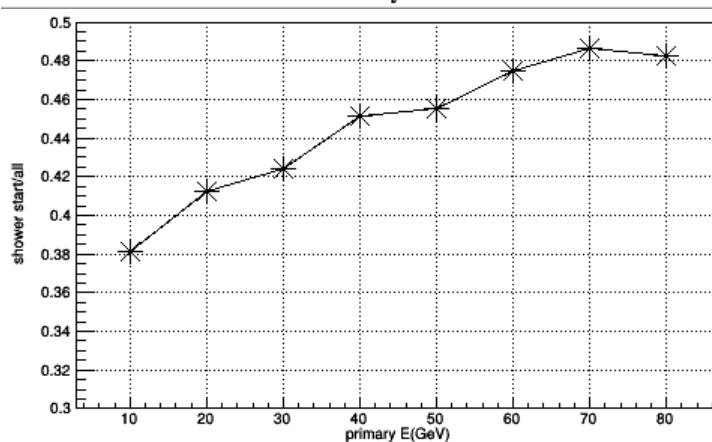
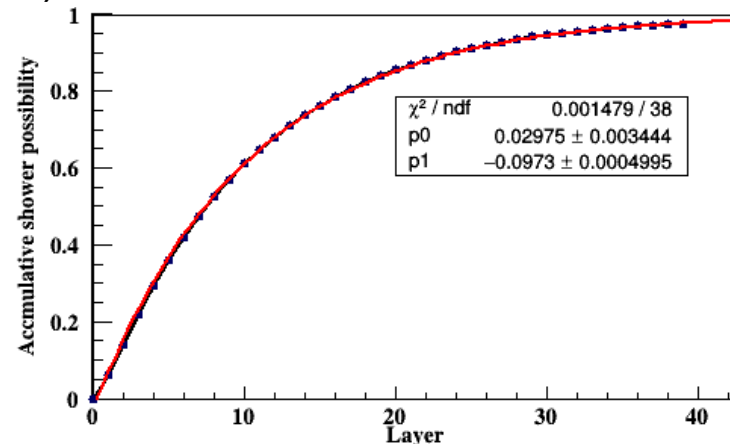
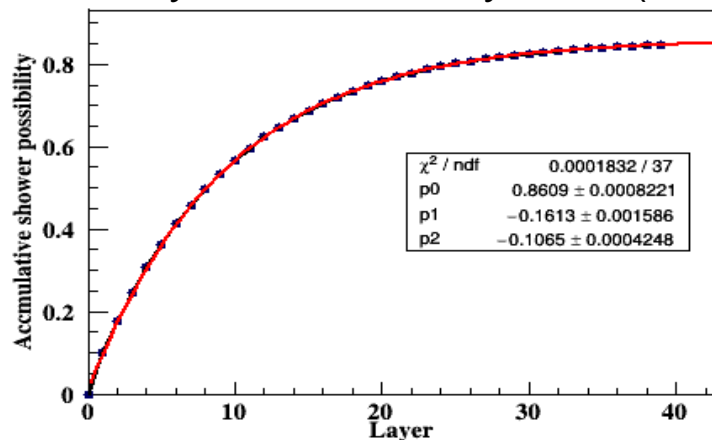


Pion candidate/all events: π^- data, π^- MC and e^- MC

Selection and PID

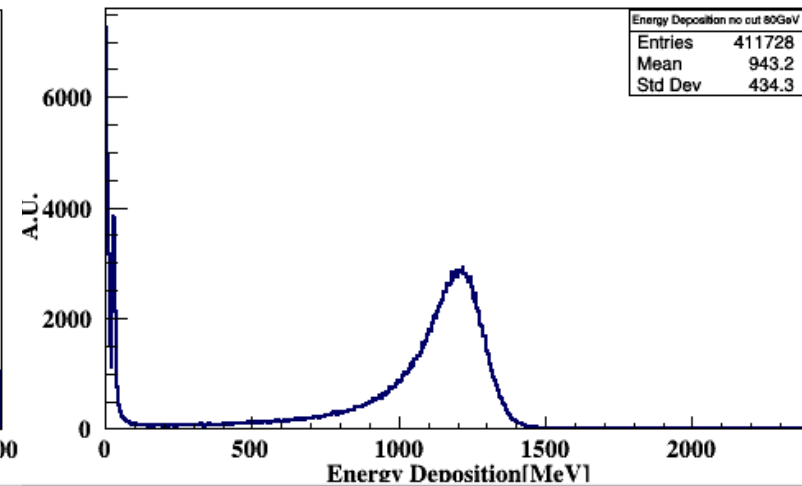
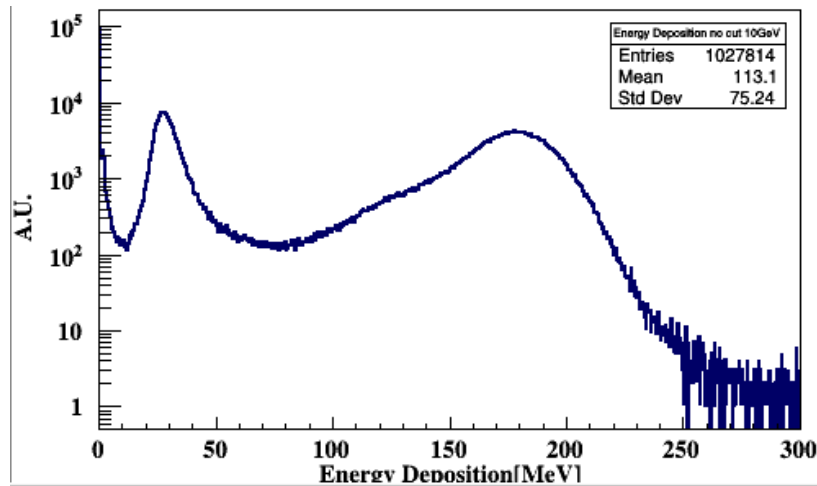


- The shower start layer is defined as the first layer with more than 4 hits
- Accumulative shower possibility is calculated according to the shower start layer
- About 10 layers equals an nuclear interaction length
- Start Layer cut: start layer < 5 ($\sim 0.5\lambda$)

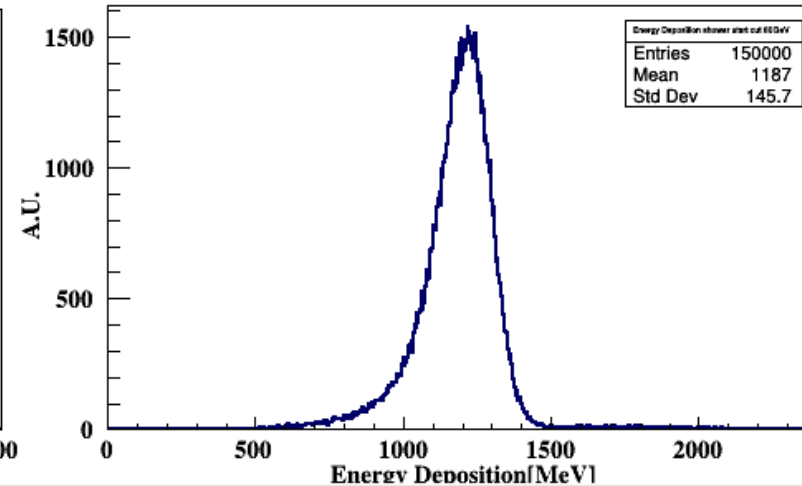
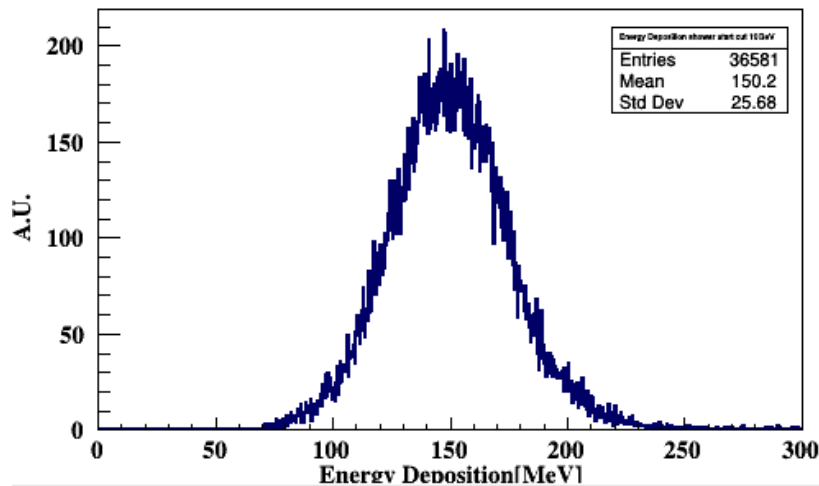


Start layer selection efficiency: π^- data and π^- MC

- The data performance of selection

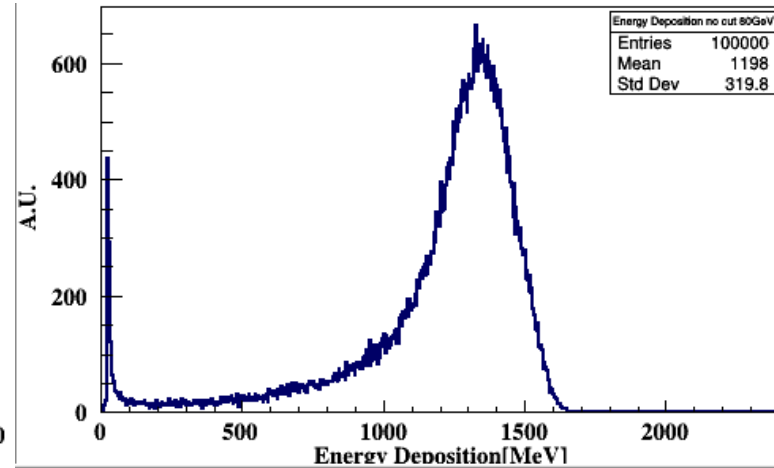
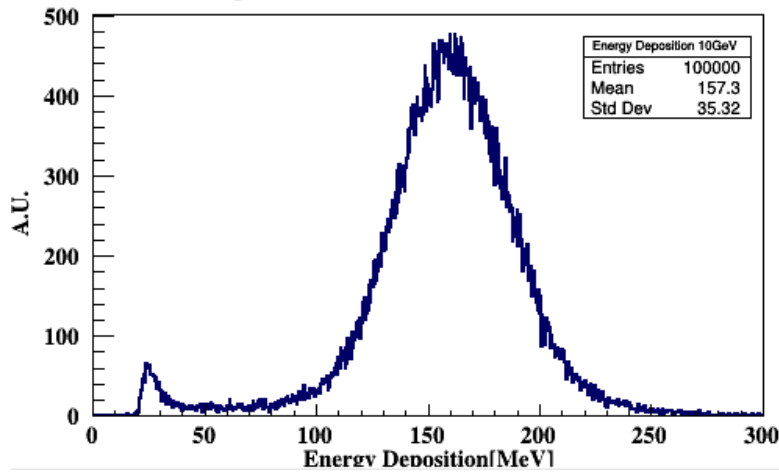


Data before selection: 10 and 80 GeV

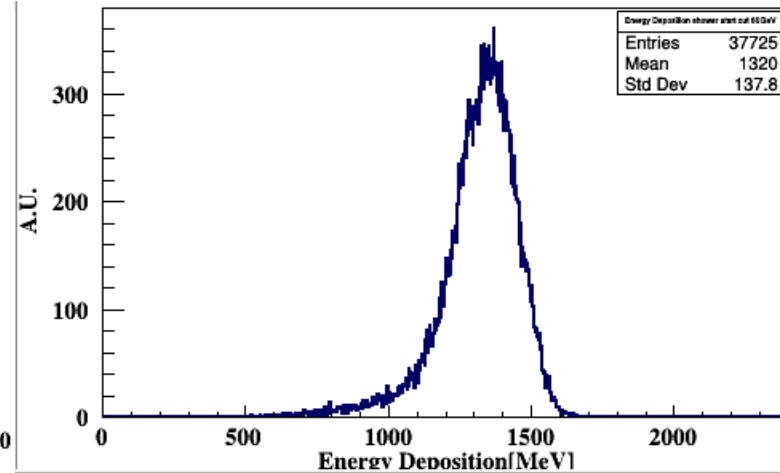
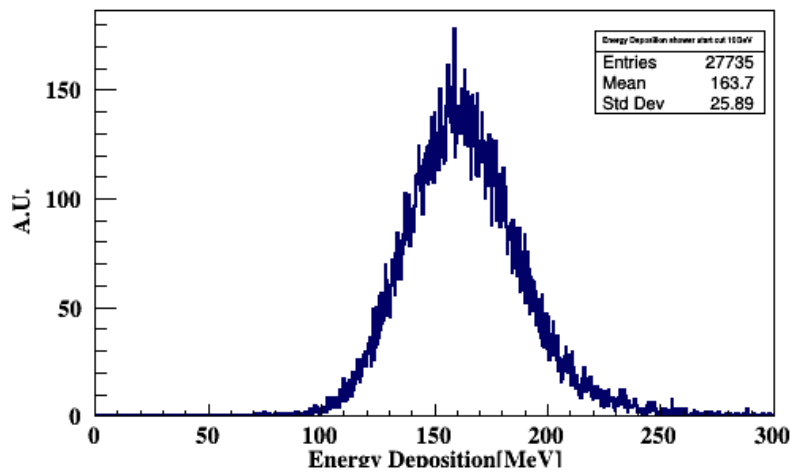


Data after selection: 10 and 80 GeV

- The MC performance of selection



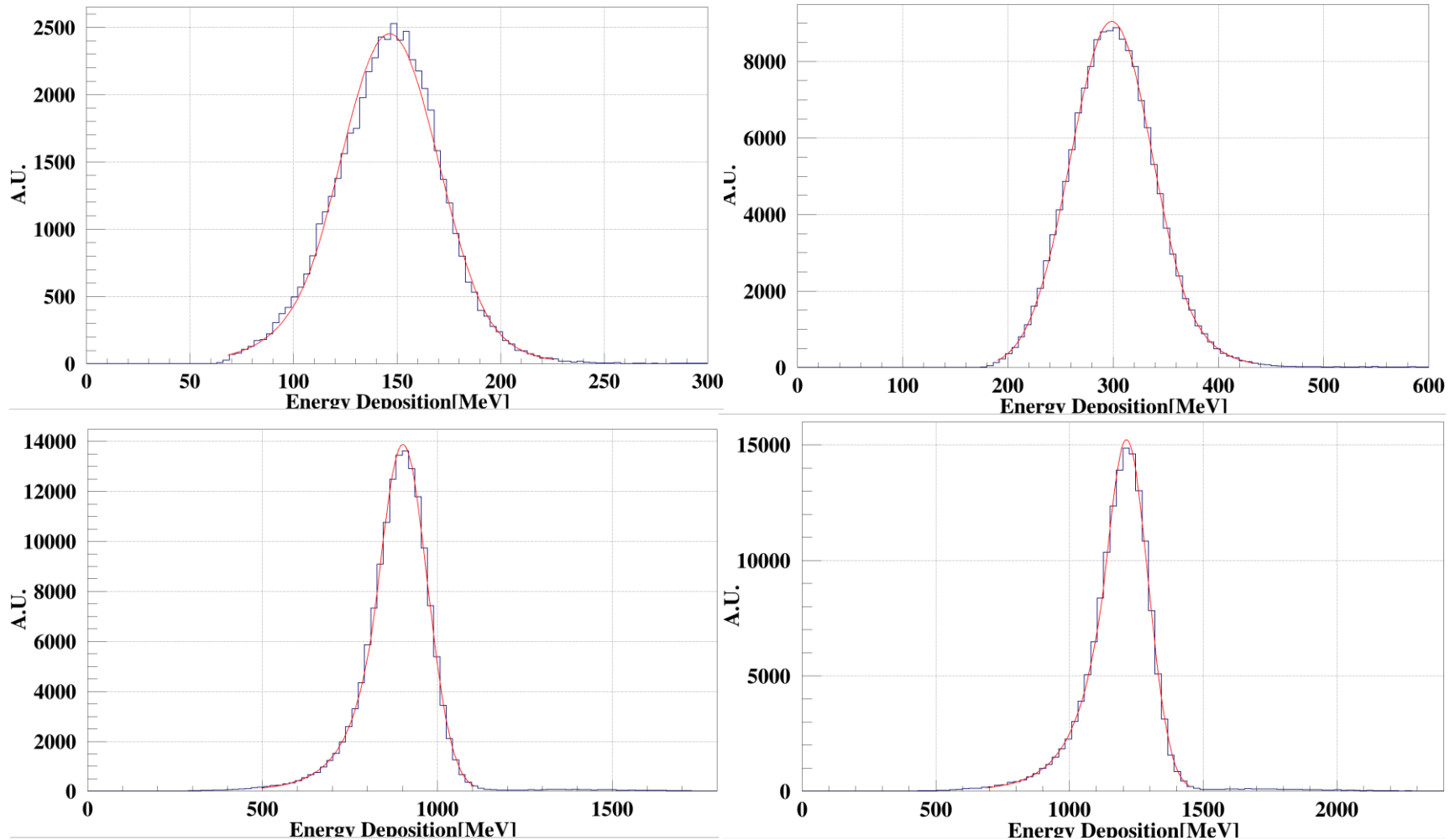
MC before selection:10 and 80 GeV



MC after selection:10 and 80 GeV



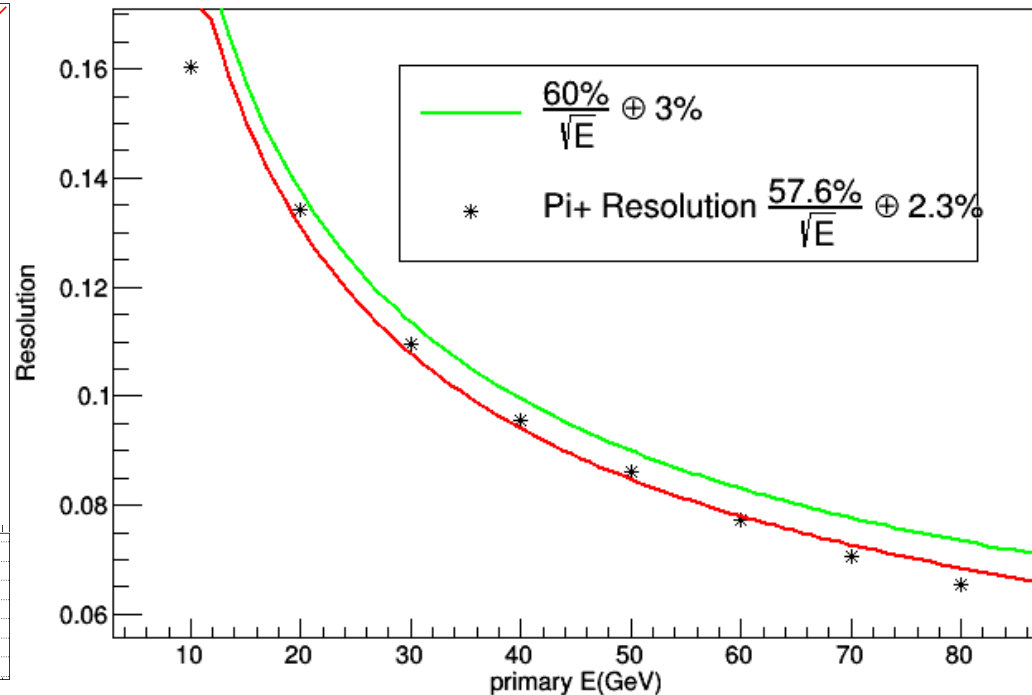
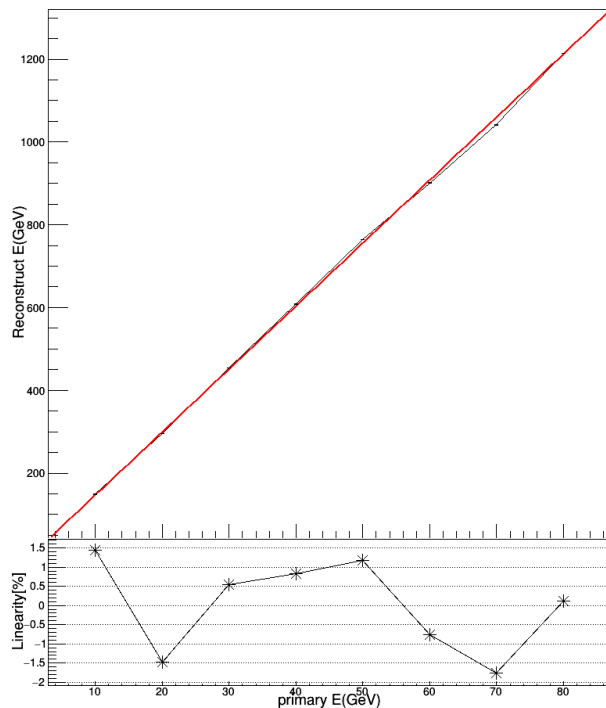
- Crystal ball function is used for fitting



Energy deposition: 10,20,60,80GeV



- The energy linearity is about $\pm 1.5\%$
- The energy resolution is $\frac{57.6\%}{\sqrt{E}} \oplus 2.3\%$



Energy linearity and resolution



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- 3 beam tests have been done, π^\pm of 1-120GeV and e^\pm of 0.5-250GeV have been collected, muon scanning and electronic calibration was also done during the test
- Calibration has been done for pedestal, gain ratio and MIP response
- The HCAL prototype reaches a energy linearity about $\pm 1.5\%$ and a energy resolution of $\frac{57.6\%}{\sqrt{E}} \oplus 2.3\%$ for hadron

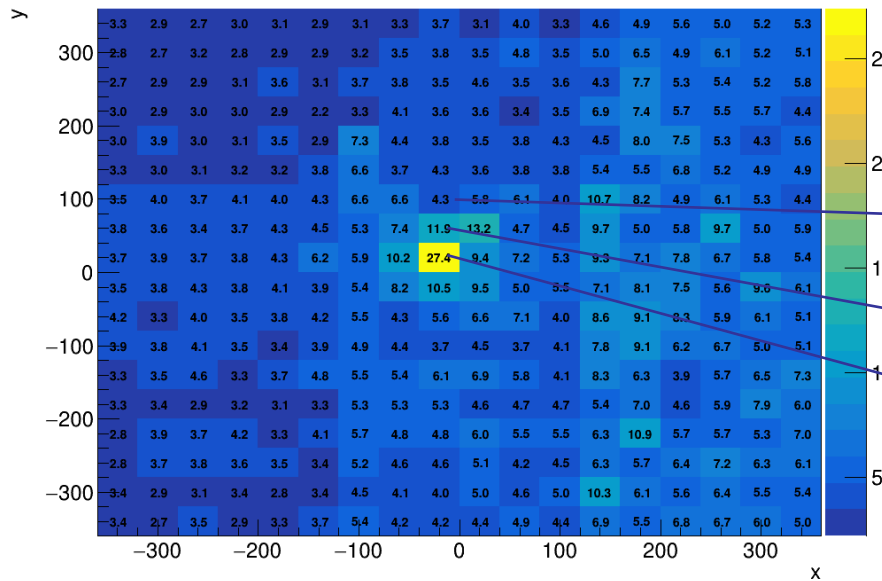


Back up

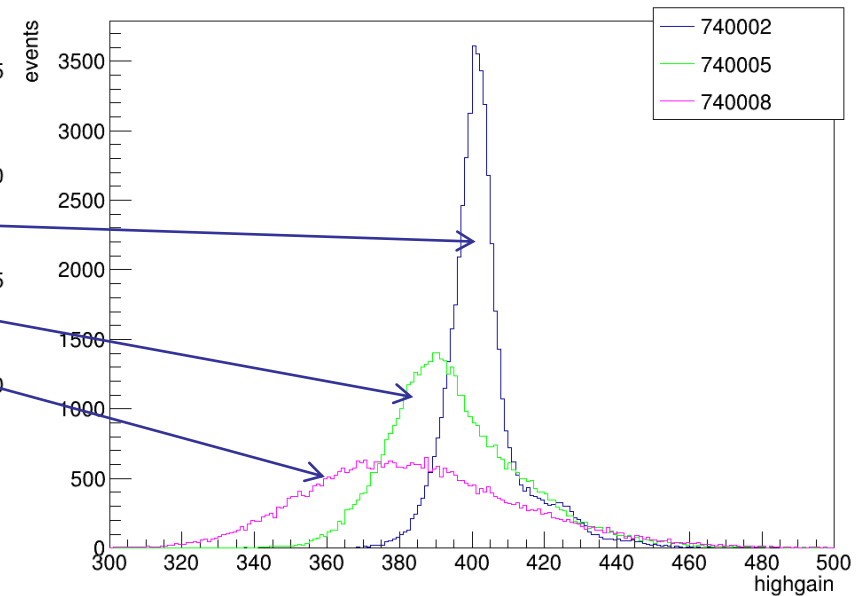
High rms channels: observed in both beam and electronic calibration files



highgainrms_7



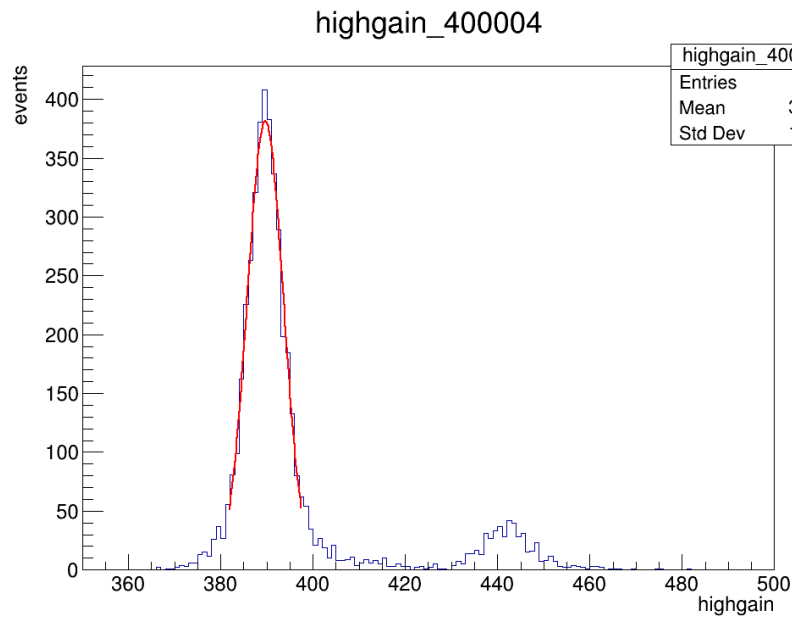
rms of each channel in layer 7



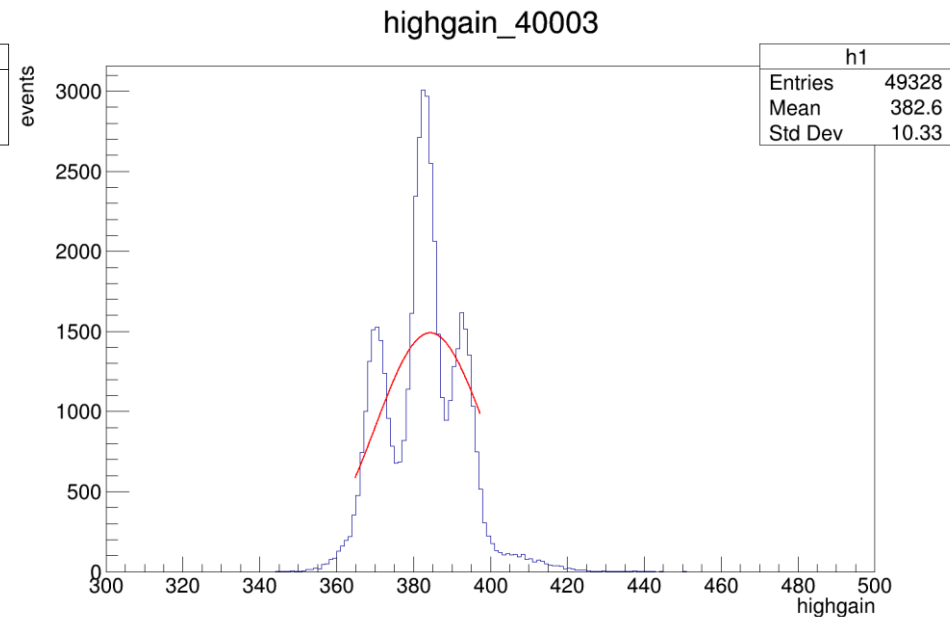
abnormal large rms



- Multi peaks
 - Extra small peak at 440 ADC
 - multiple peaks



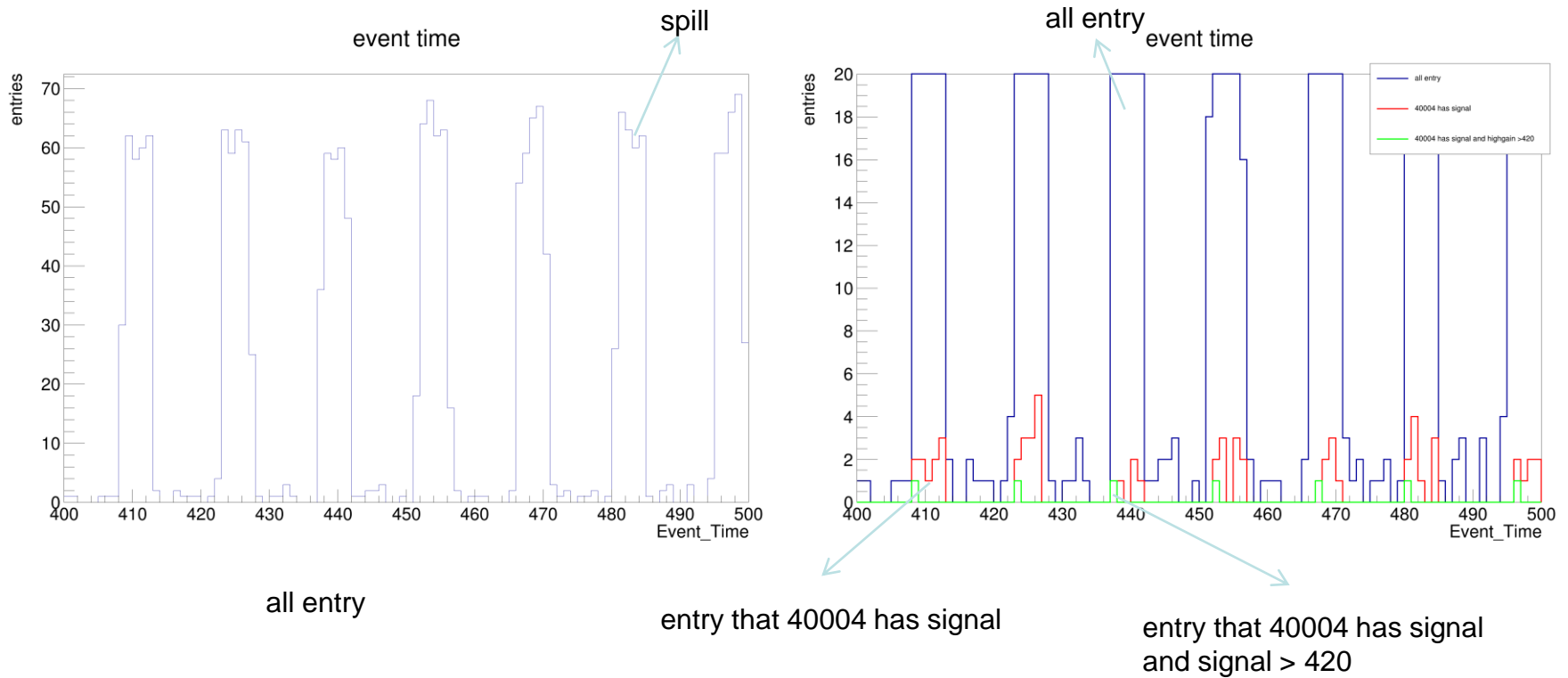
extra small peak



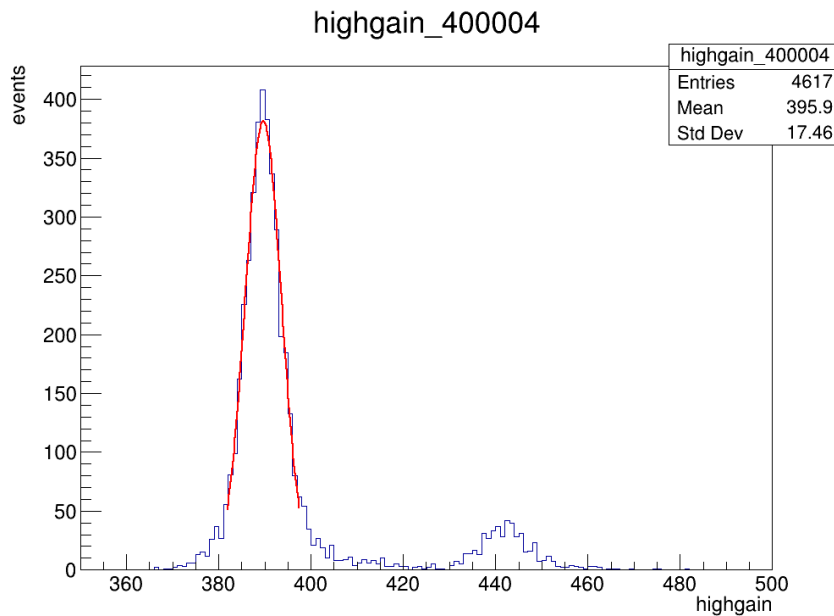
multiple peaks



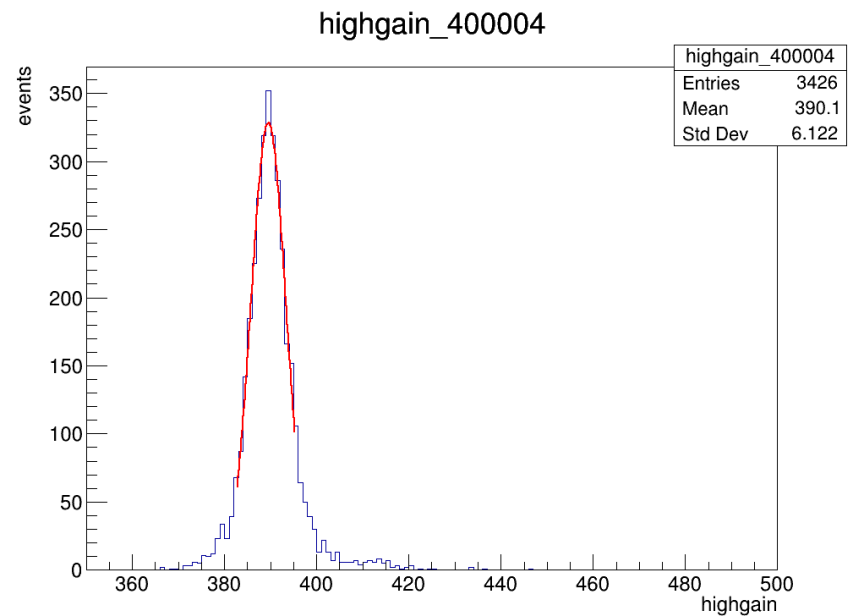
- Event time dependence
 - The **extra small peaks** are mainly in the beginning of each spill



Extra small peak --good correction

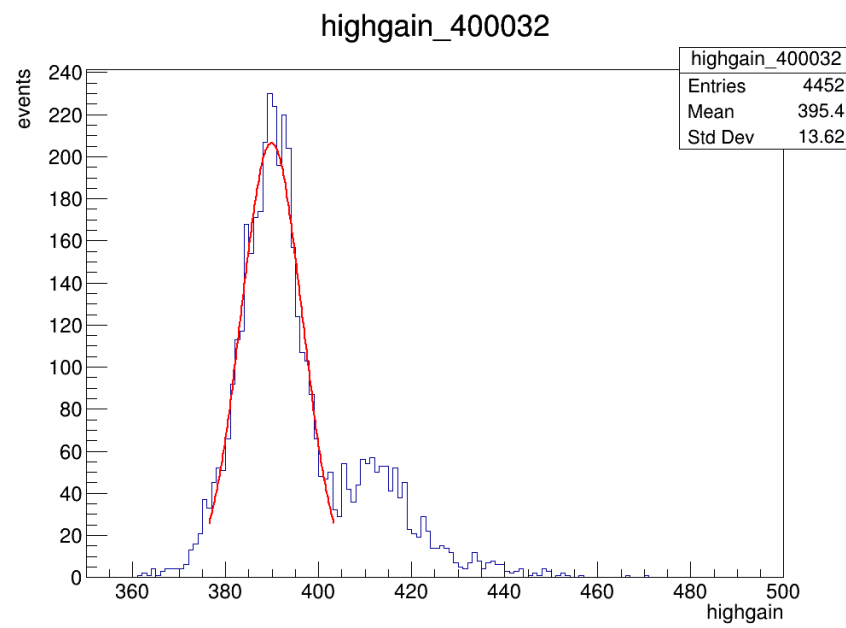


all entry

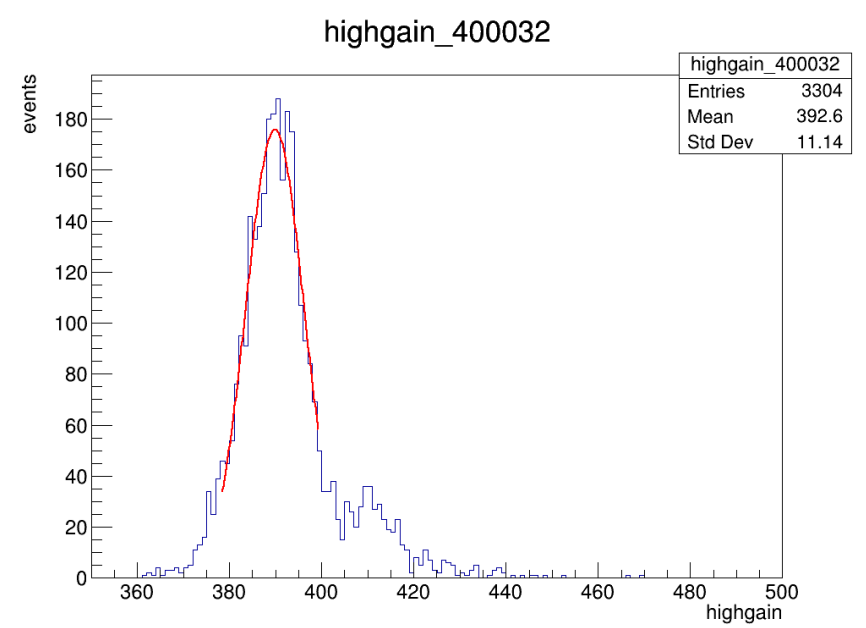


remove the first entry of every chip of every spill

Extra small peak --bad correction



all entry

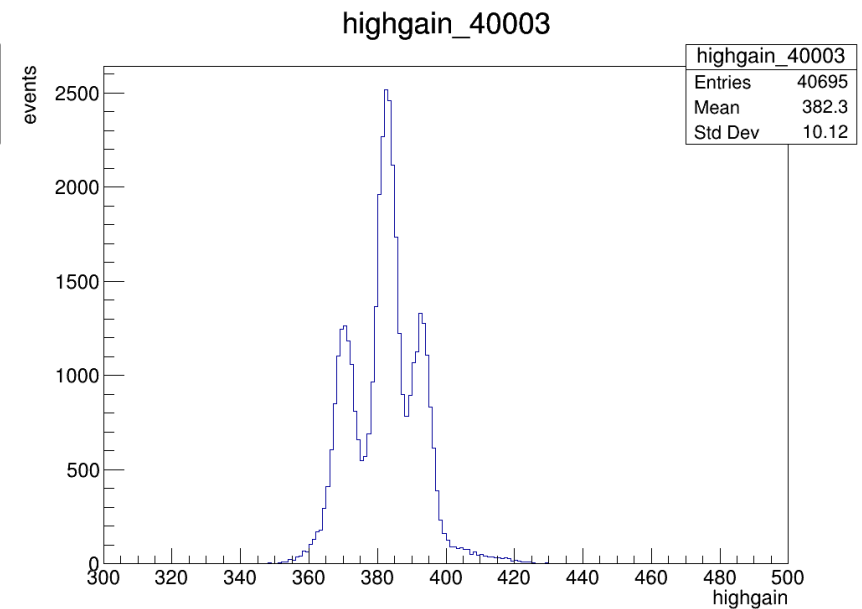
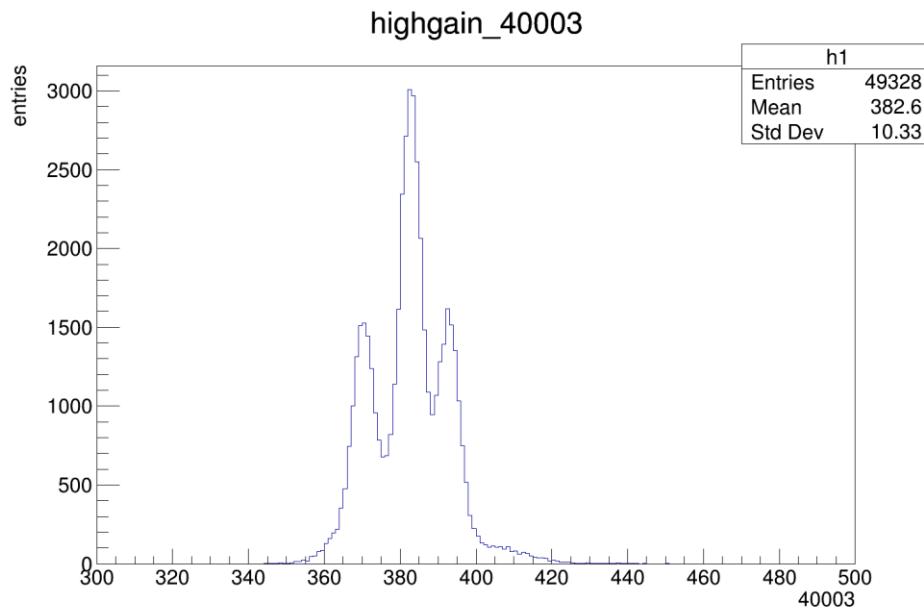


remove the first entry of every chip of every spill

This correction doesn't work for the multi peaks situation



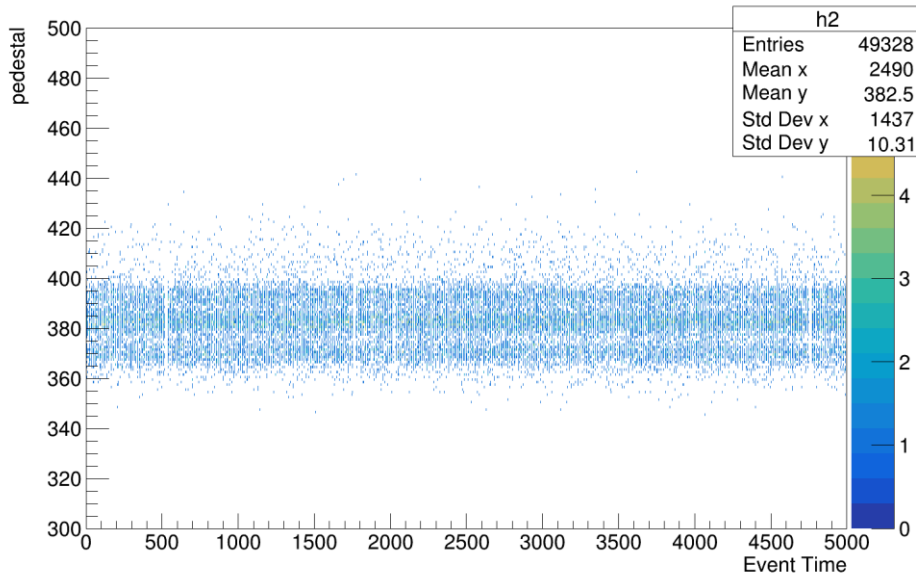
- Multi peak is introduced by the cross talk between channels



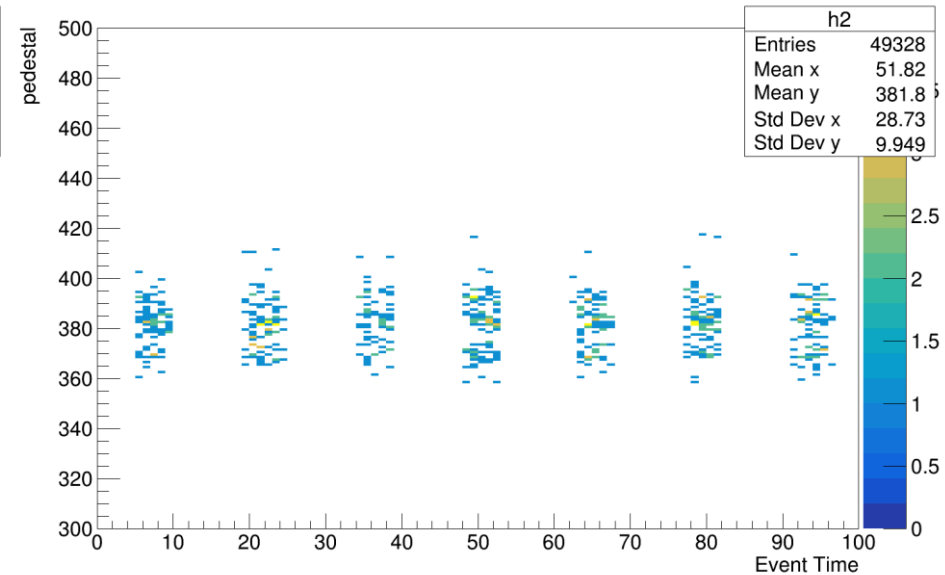
Event time dependence



Event Time 40003



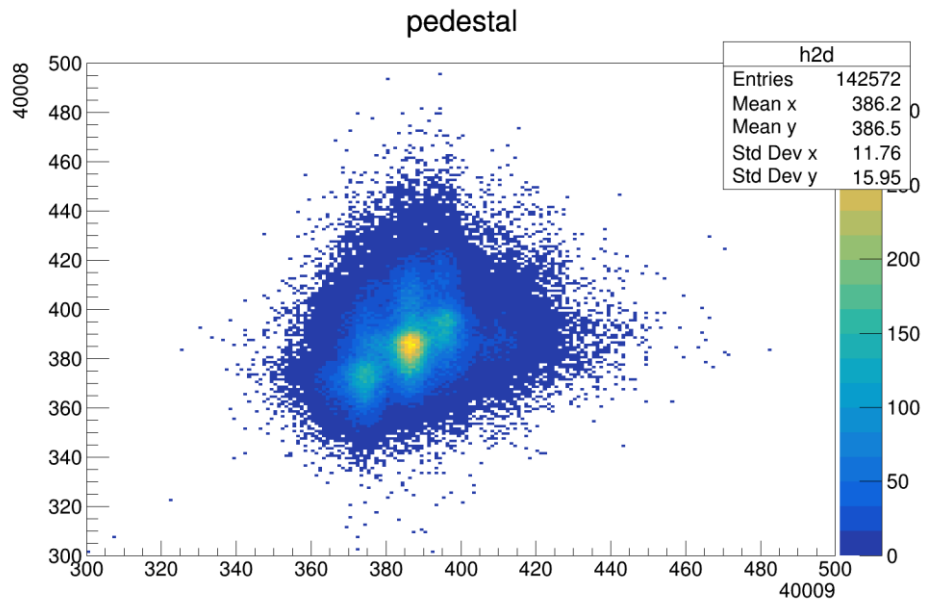
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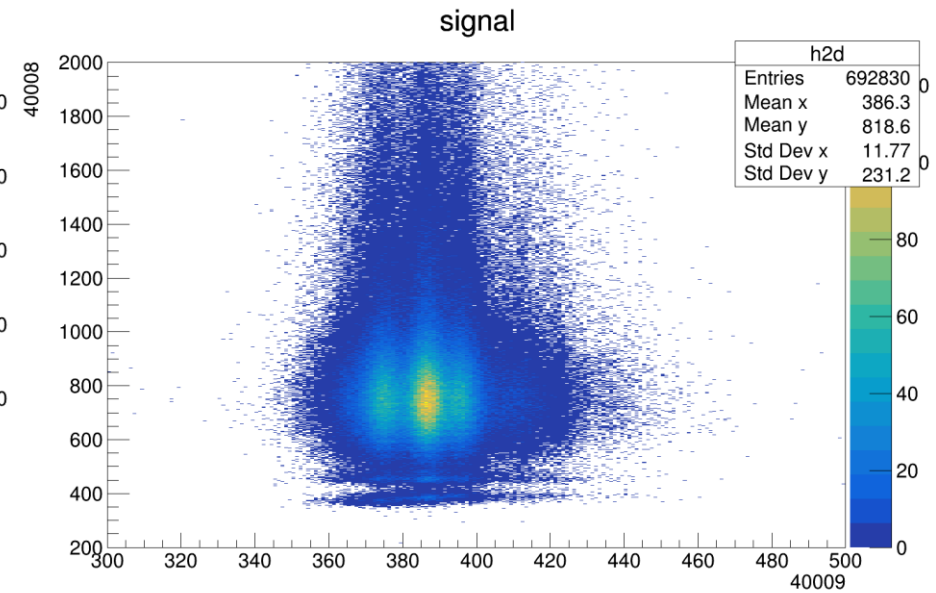
multiple peaks is independent of time



- Channel correlation
 - Pion data
 - The multi peak phenomena has channel correlation



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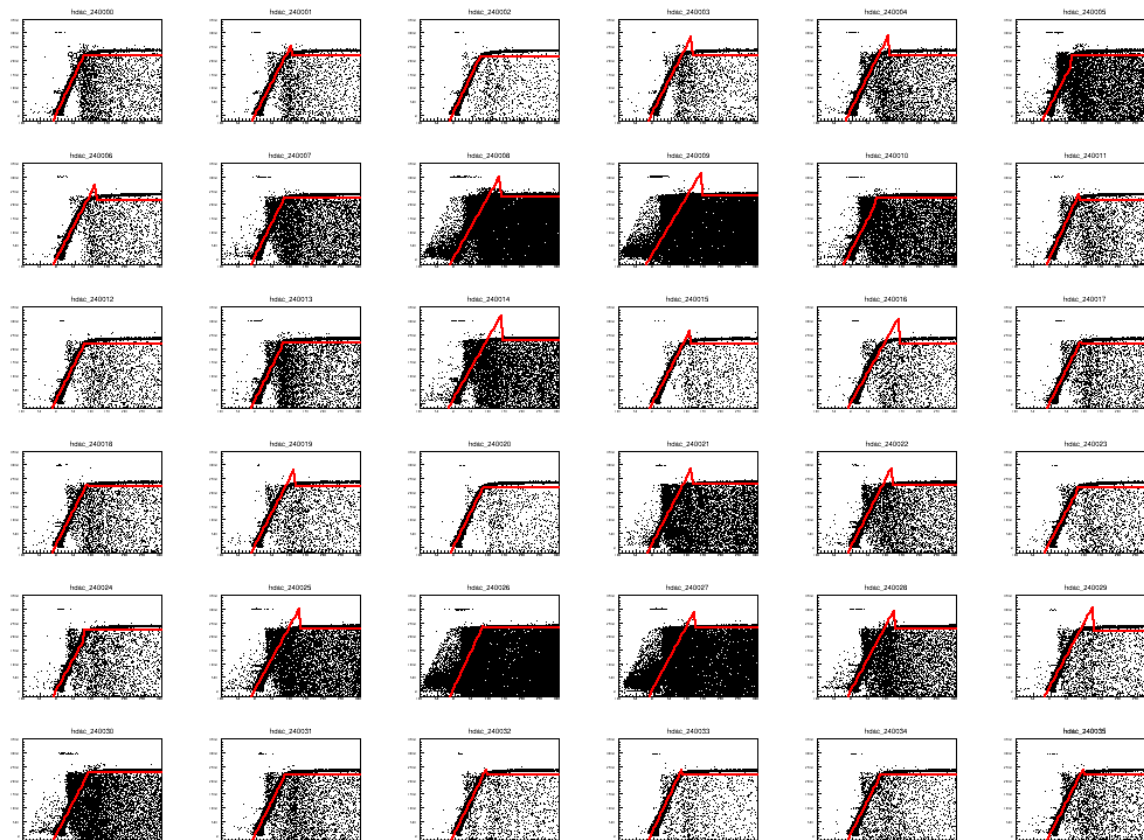


hitTag=1 vs. hitTag=0

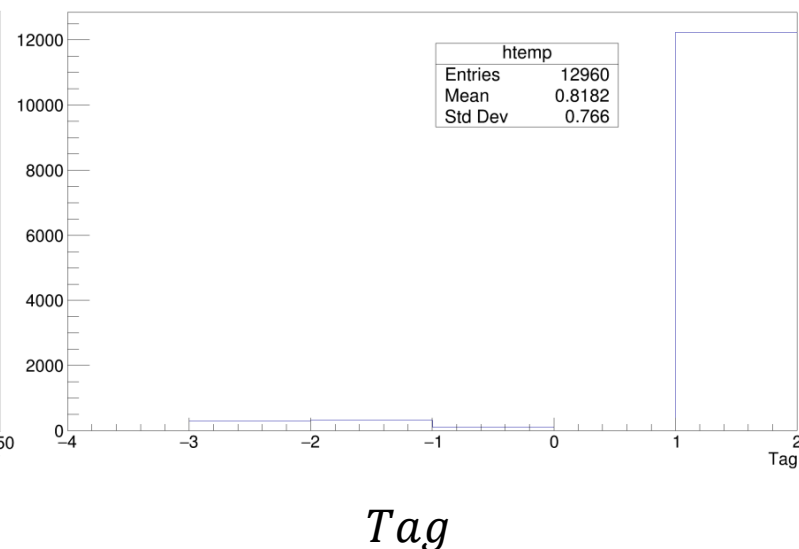
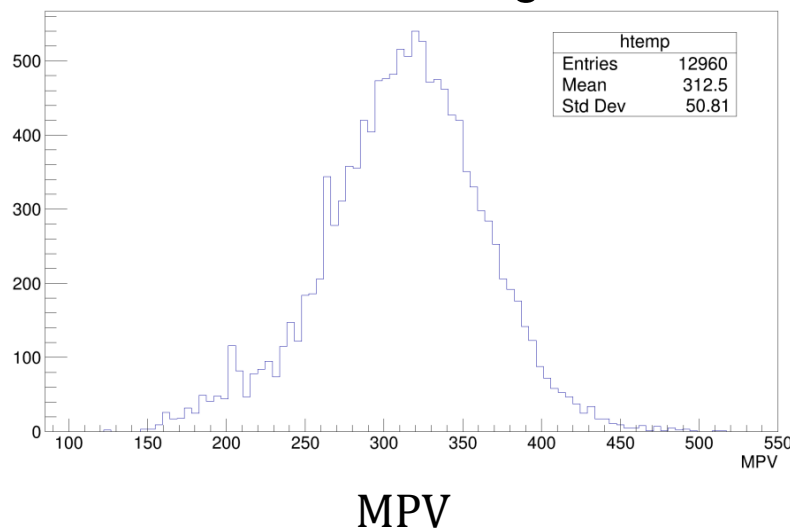
Gain ratio



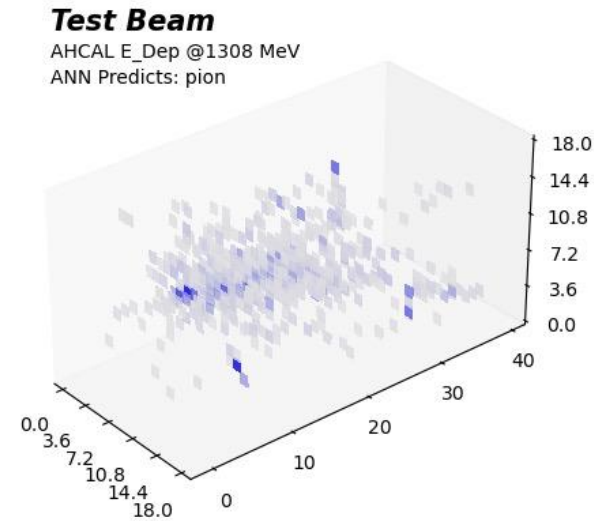
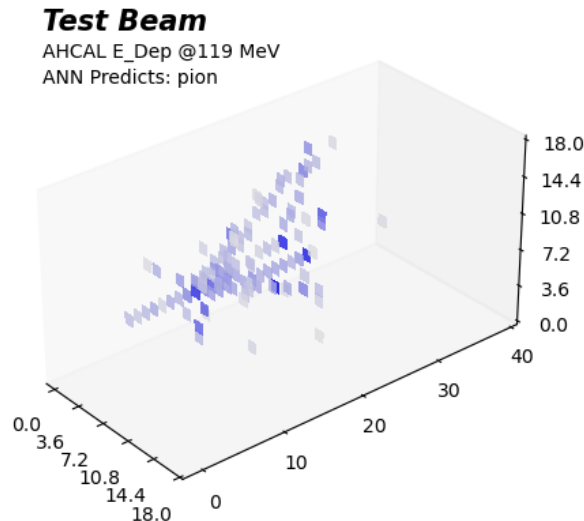
- Some channels have abnormal performance
- Abnormal channel is recorded and a typical value of gain ratio and platform is set as the parameter of this channel



- Selection Criteria
 - Entries > 700
 - $\chi^2/NDF < 20$
 - $200 < MPV < 400 \parallel |MPV_{channel} - MPV_{chip}| < 80$
 - $20 < \text{Landau Width} < 100$
 - $10 < \text{Gauss Sigma} < 150$
- Channels fail the selection will use chip MPV
- Tag: 1 for normal; -1 for abnormal chips; -2 for inadequate statistics; -3 for abnormal fitting



- HCAL alone pi- data taken in 2023 SPS is used to see the basic performance of HCAL
- Pi- energy from 10 to 80 GeV is analyzed
- Pi- MC is also generated for analysis



Fractal Dimension of Particle Showers Measured in a Highly Granular Calorimeter

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We explore the fractal nature of particle showers using Monte Carlo simulation. We define the fractal dimension of showers measured in a high granularity calorimeter designed for a future lepton collider. The shower fractal dimension reveals detailed information of the spatial configuration of the shower. It is found to be characteristic of the type of interaction and highly sensitive to the nature of the incident particle. Using the shower fractal dimension, we demonstrate a particle identification algorithm that can efficiently separate electromagnetic showers, hadronic showers, and nonshowering tracks. We also find a logarithmic dependence of the shower fractal dimension on the particle energy.

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Introduction.—When an energetic particle impinges on matter, it may interact and produce daughter particles, which may themselves interact. This process iterates while daughter particles have sufficient energy. The resulting particle cascade is called a shower [1,2]. A profound understanding of particle showers, a fundamental phenomenon of particle-matter interactions, is crucial for experimental high energy physics, astrophysics, radiation protection, and radiotherapy.

Showers can be classified into electromagnetic and hadronic types. The development of electromagnetic showers is governed by e^+e^- pair-production and bremsstrahlung interactions. Hadronic showers are composed of long hadron tracks and localized clusters produced in π^0 decay ($\pi^0 \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$) or nuclear breakup [3]. The strong interactions between nuclei and hadrons, particularly pion generation, determine the development of hadronic showers. The typical spatial configurations of these two shower types are illustrated in Fig. 1.

These cascade mechanisms give rise to the fractal nature of particle showers. The fractal structure of high energy cosmic showers in the atmosphere has been previously studied [4–6]. In this Letter, we explore for the first time the fractal nature of particle showers produced and measured in a calorimeter. This calorimeter is designed for high energy physics experiments with ultrahigh granularity. We observe a strong dependence of the number of hits obtained when the effective granularity of the calorimeter readout is varied, from which we define the shower fractal dimension. We investigate the dependence of the shower fractal dimension on the type and energy of the incident particle, and demonstrate a particle identification algorithm based only on measurements made with the calorimeter.

Method and measurement.—The detector used in this study is a hadron calorimeter designed for a future e^+e^- linear collider [7,8]. The calorimeter structure follows the

geometry of the barrel hadron calorimeter (HCAL) of the International Large Detector [9]. Prototypes of such as HCAL have been developed by the CALICE collaboration [10,11]. The calorimeter consists of 48 layers of 20 mm thick iron absorbers, interleaved with 6.5 mm thick resistive plate chambers (RPCs). In the CALICE prototypes, the RPCs are read out in binary mode with a granularity of 10×10 mm². Such high granularity is required by particle flow algorithms, which can achieve excellent jet energy resolution by separating the individual particles in a jet and measuring them in the most suited subdetectors. It also

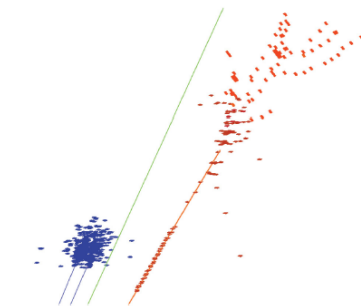
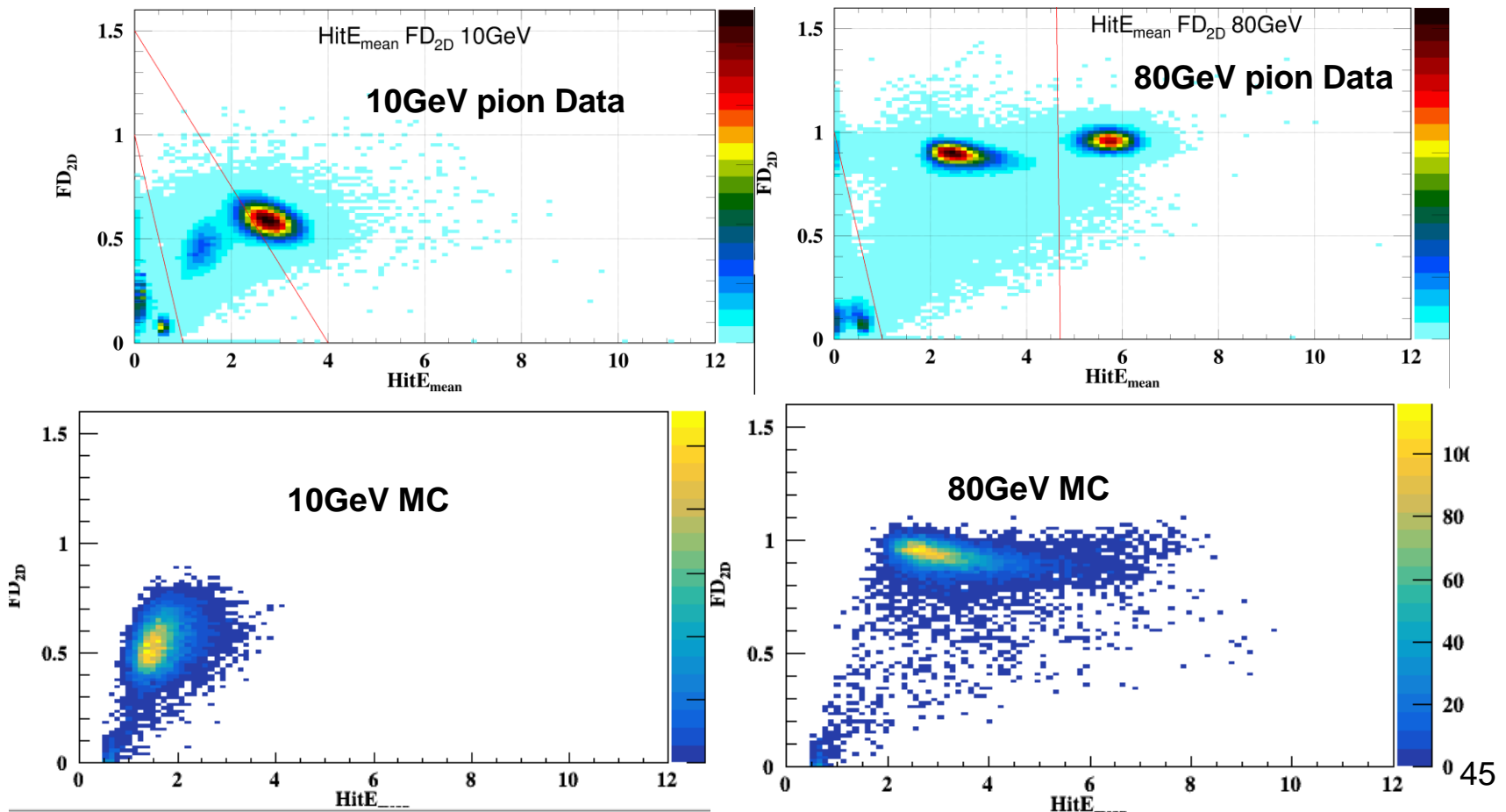


FIG. 1. A simulated $\tau^+ \rightarrow 2\gamma(\pi^0) + \pi^+ + \bar{\nu}_\tau$ event in a linear collider calorimeter. Photons and their showers (electromagnetic) are colored blue, π^+ and its shower (hadronic) are colored red. The green line indicates the neutrino trajectory, which roughly corresponds to the direction of τ^+ . The detector hits are displayed according to their size (10×10 mm²) and orientation.

Selection and PID



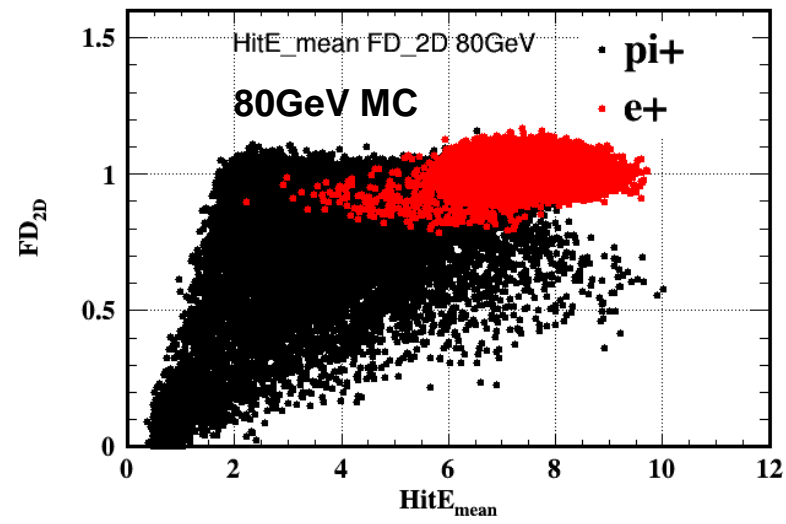
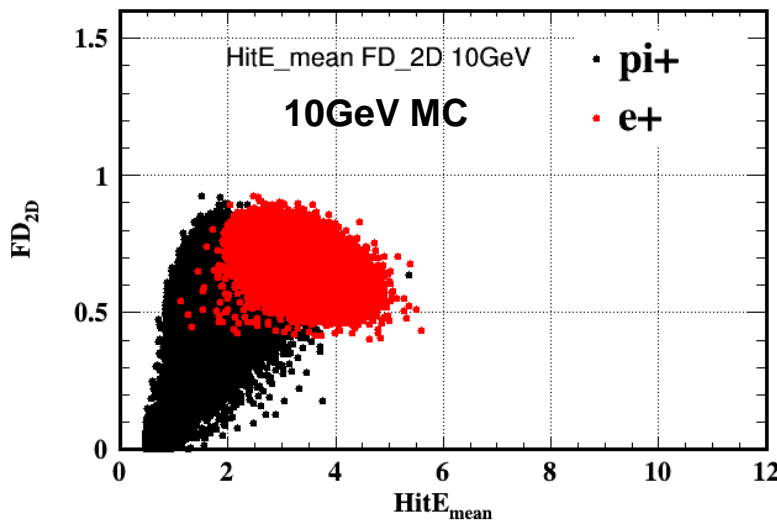
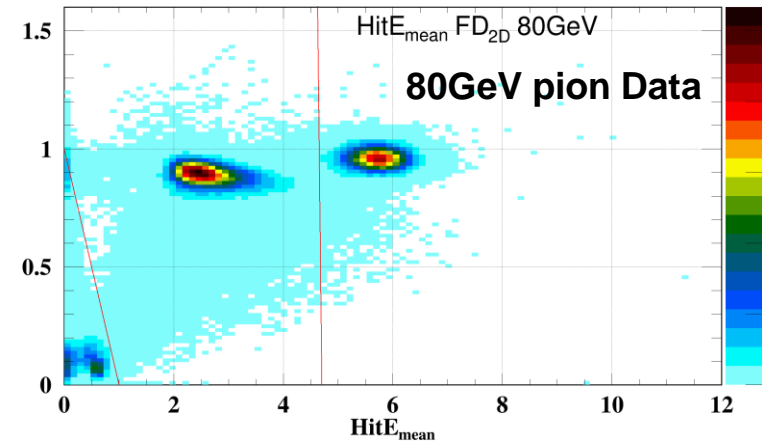
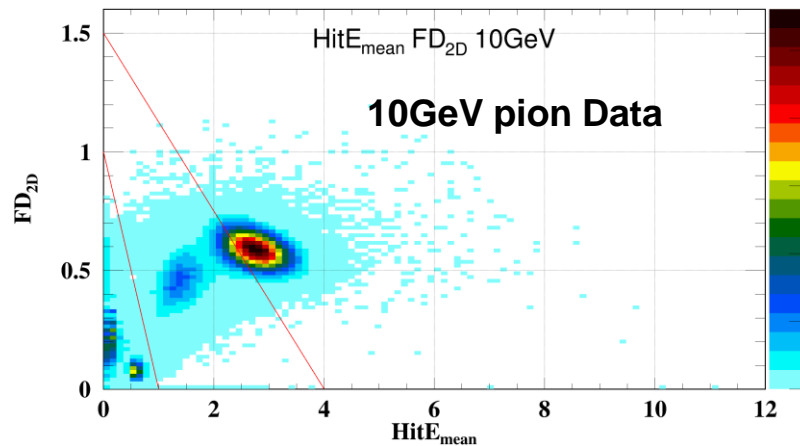
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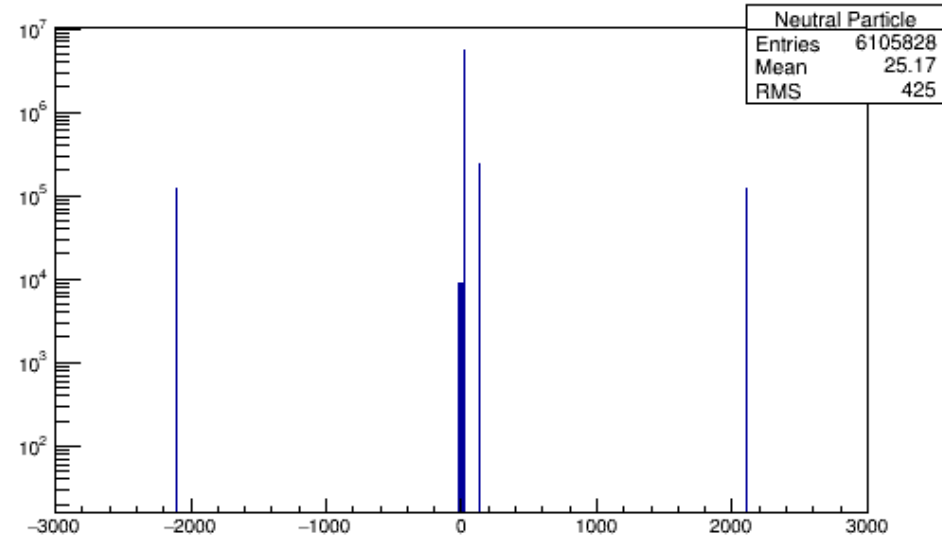


H->gg events

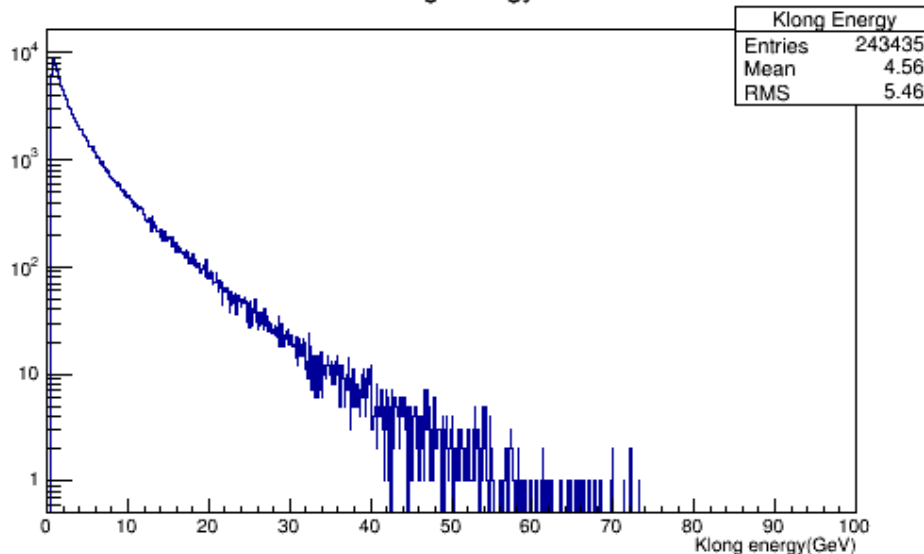


- Neutral Hadron mainly consists of Klong,neutron
- The single neutral Hadron energy $< 100\text{GeV}$
- HCAL should have good response to 0.5MIP-60GeV Hadron

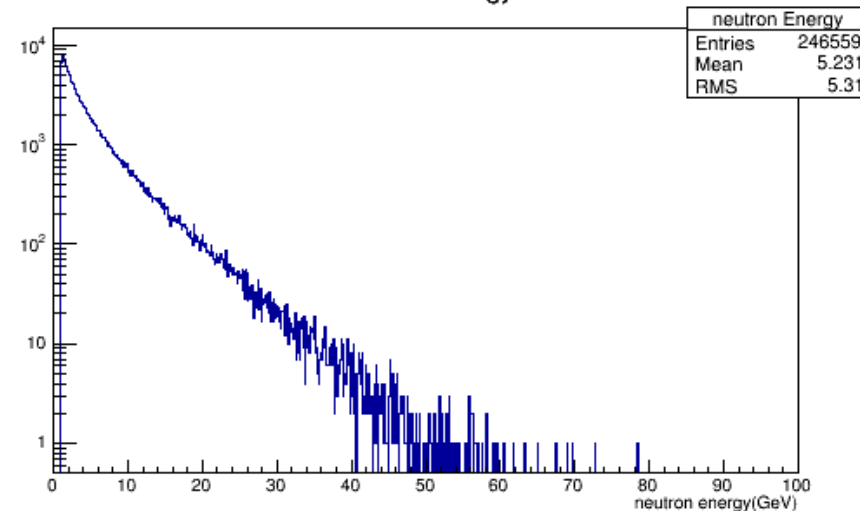
Neutral Particle



Klong Energy



neutron Energy



Start layer

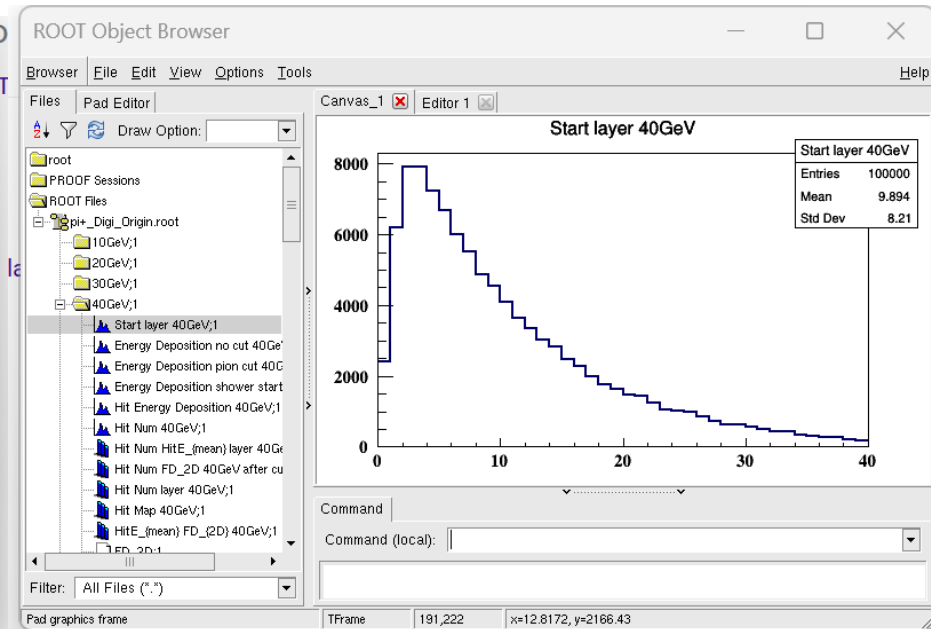
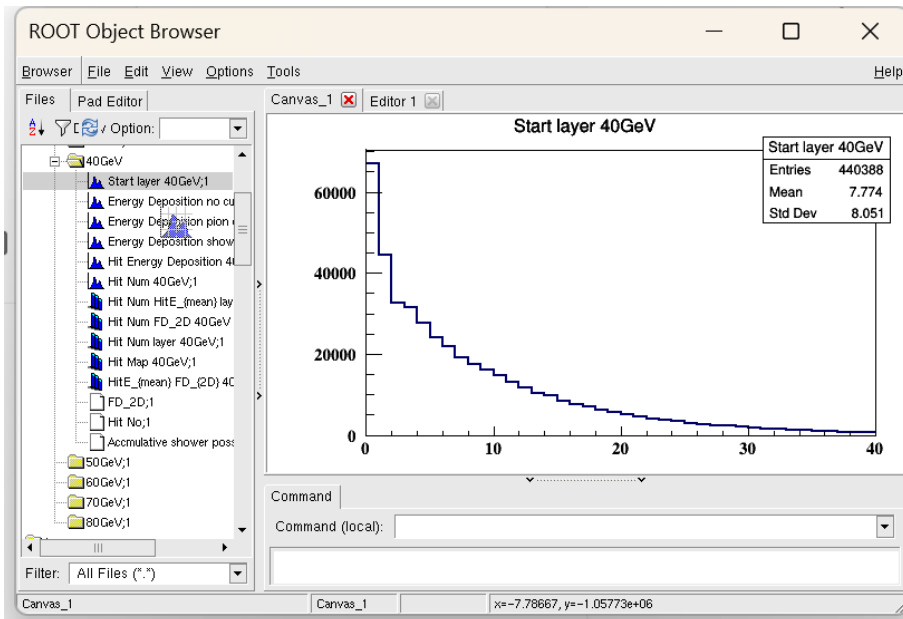
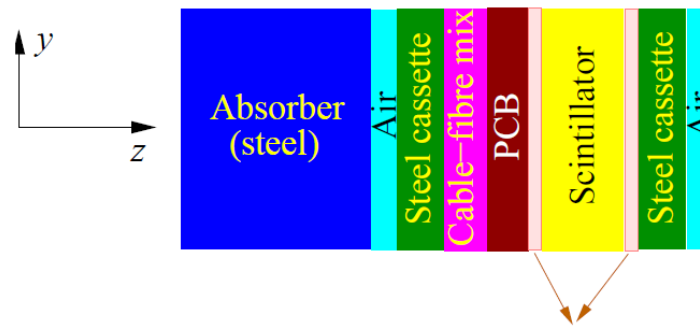
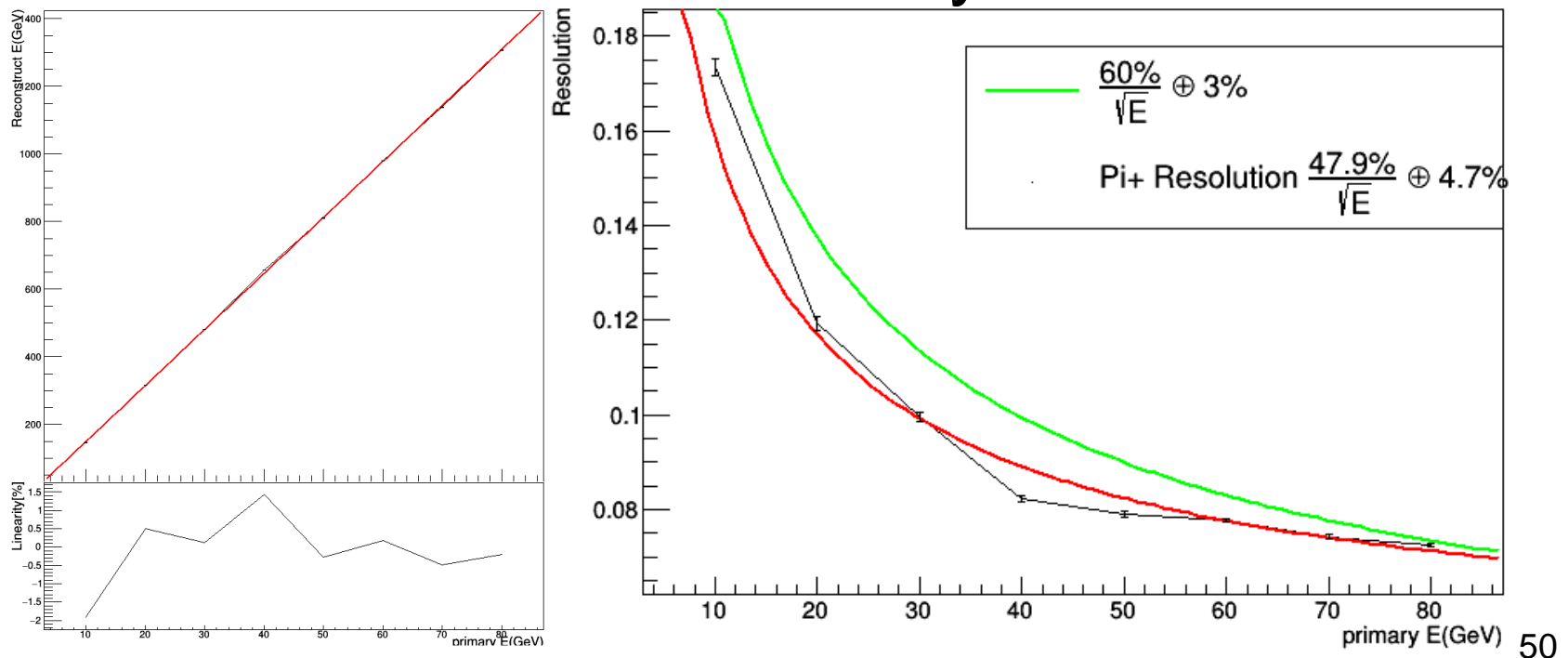


Table 1. Composition and properties of the absorber (cassette) plates and materials used in a cassette of one AHCAL layer [14], where ρ , R_M and f respectively denote the density, Molière radius and fraction of components in composite materials (steel, PCB boards and cables) while other quantities are defined in the text.

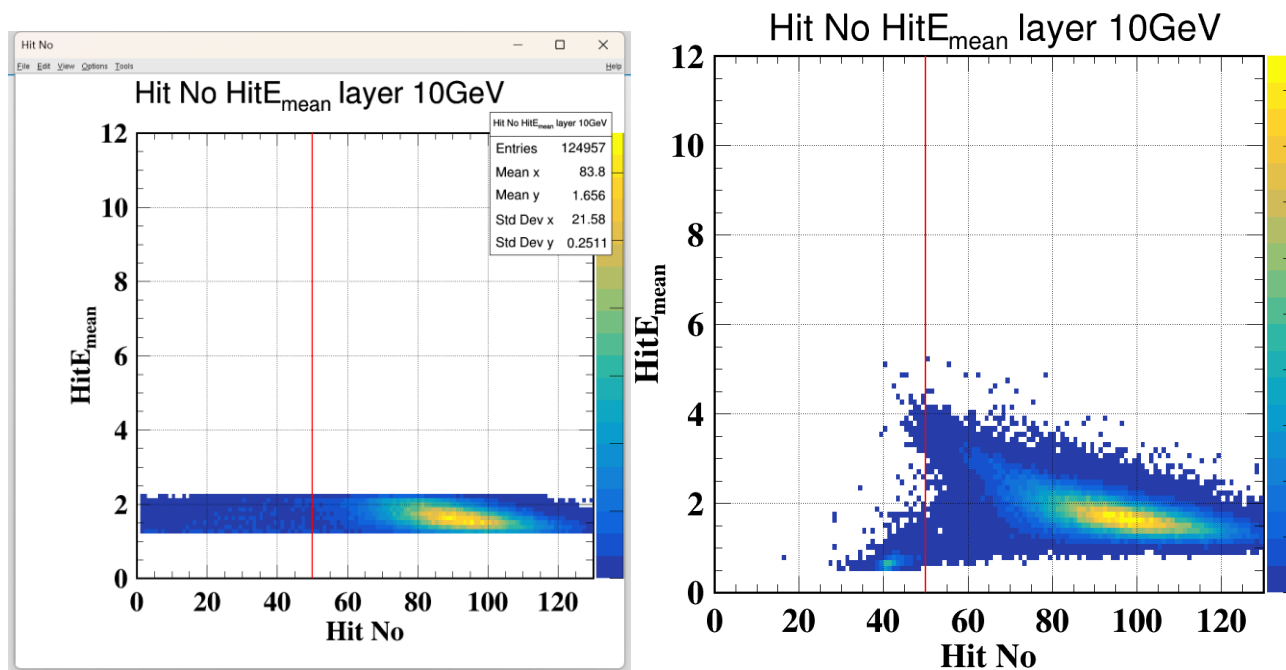
material	ρ [g/cm ³]	λ_π [cm]	λ_π/ρ [g/cm ²]	λ_n [cm]	λ_n/ρ [g/cm ²]	X_0 [cm]	X_0/ρ [g/cm ²]	R_M [cm]	f [%]
Fe	7.87	20.4	160.8	16.8	132.1	1.76	13.8	1.72	98.34
Mn	7.44	21.5	160.2	17.7	131.4	1.97	14.6	1.85	1.4
C	2.27	52.0	117.8	37.9	85.8	18.9	42.7	4.89	0.17
S	2.0	70.9	141.7	56.2	112.4	9.75	19.5	5.77	0.045
P	2.2	64.0	140.7	50.6	111.4	9.64	21.2	5.39	0.045
steel	7.86	20.5	160.8	16.8	132.1	1.76	13.9	1.72	100
tile	1.06	107.2	113.7	77.1	81.7	41.3	43.8	9.41	100
Si	2.33	59.1	137.7	46.5	108.4	9.37	40.2	4.94	18.1
O		106.8	121.9	79.0	90.2	30.01	34.2	9.52	40.6
C	2.27	52.0	117.8	37.9	85.8	18.9	42.7	4.89	27.8
H		1134	80.3	734.6	52.0	890.4	63.0	67.92	6.8
Br	3.1	56.6	175.5	47.5	147.2	3.68	11.4	4.52	6.7
FR4	1.7	71.4	121.4	52.6	89.45	17.5	29.8	6.06	100
3M foil	1.06	107.2	113.7	77.1	81.7	41.3	43.8	9.41	100
PVC	1.3	98.9	128.5	74.6	97.0	19.6	25.5	8.34	87.2
polystyr.	1.06	107.2	113.7	77.1	81.7	41.3	43.8	9.41	11.9
Cable	1.35	93.7	126.5	70.2	94.8	19.9	26.9	7.95	100
air		101k	122	74.8k	90.1	30.4k	36.6	7.3k	0.9



- Tight cut is applied to calibrated pion V2 data
- The resolution is obviously better



- Leakage cut is applied to pion data and MC
 - Start layer
 - The first layer with more than 4hits is defined as the shower start layer
 - The start layer < 5
 - Hit no
 - Different hit no cut is applied for different energy point



CALICE efficiency

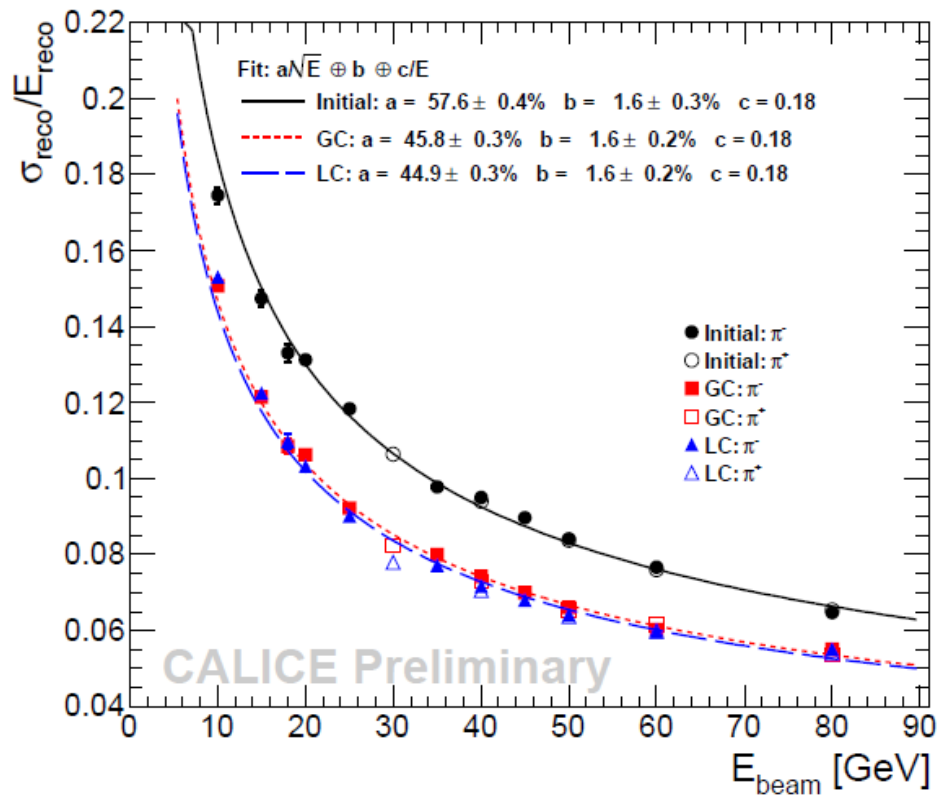
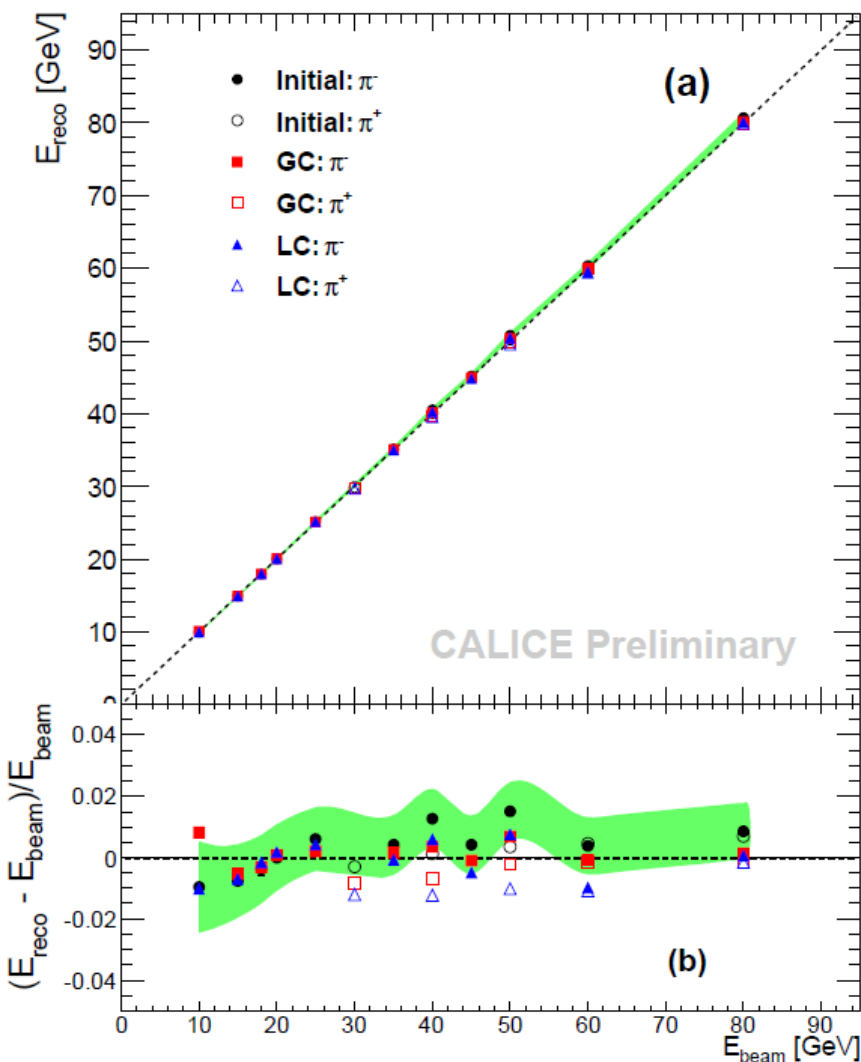


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particle type	beam energy [GeV]	all pions	selected pions
π^-	10	440208	84706
π^-	15	127554	24997
π^-	18	52880	10492
π^-	20	342798	67093
π^-	25	201243	39631
π^-	35	272987	54126
π^-	40	472345	93301
π^-	45	325092	63547
π^-	50	304023	59076
π^-	60	647090	121588
π^-	80	741440	139248
π^+	30	155210	30884
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π^+	60	449273	86947
π^+	80	272441	52442

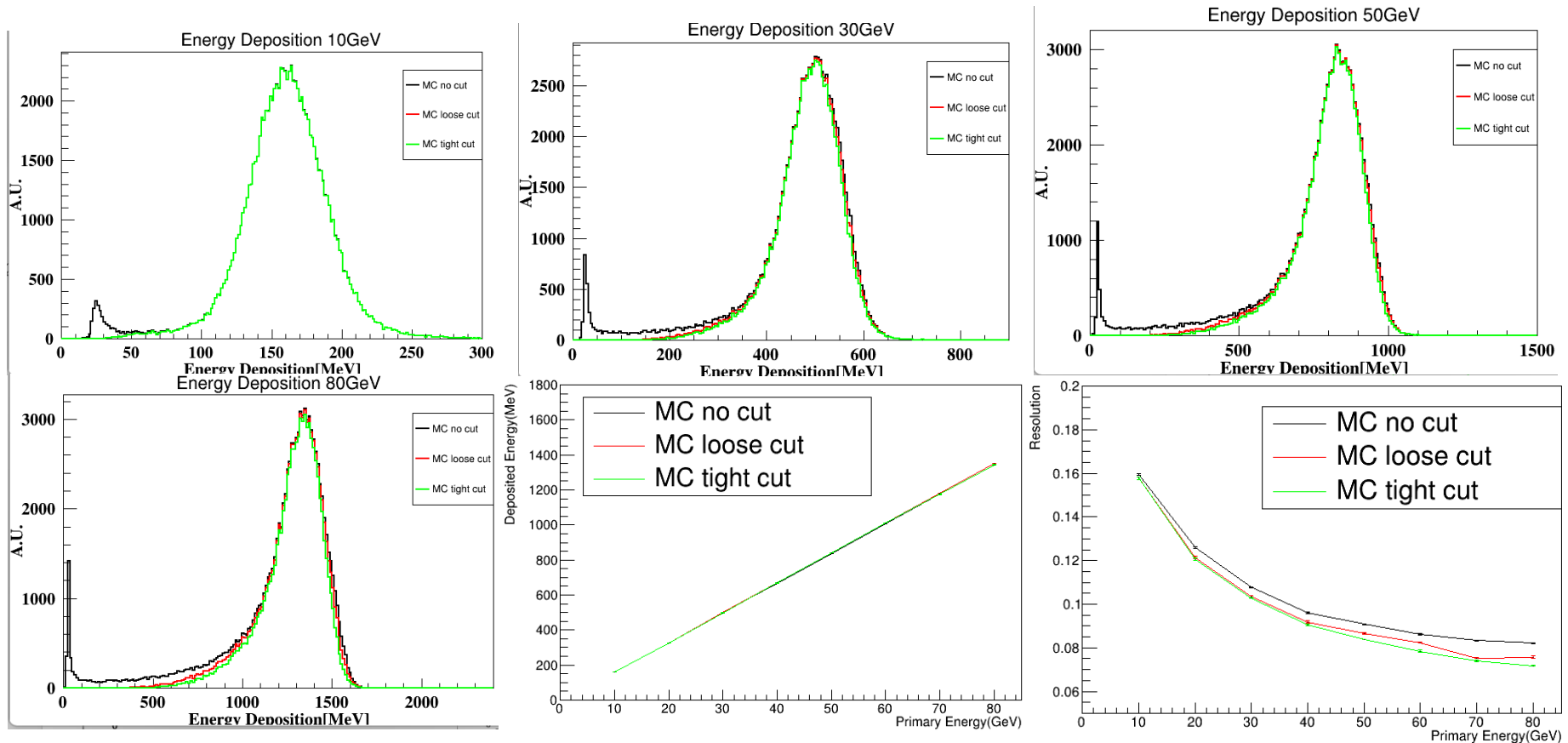
Table 1. Summary of the data samples. The total number of pions is the number of events classified as pions, after rejection of empty, noisy and double particle events, and the application of muon rejection and particle identification cuts. The number of selected pions are the events with an identified shower start in the first five layers of the AHCAL, which are used in the present analysis. For most energies, several run periods at different temperatures are combined to maximise statistics.

CALICE AHCAL



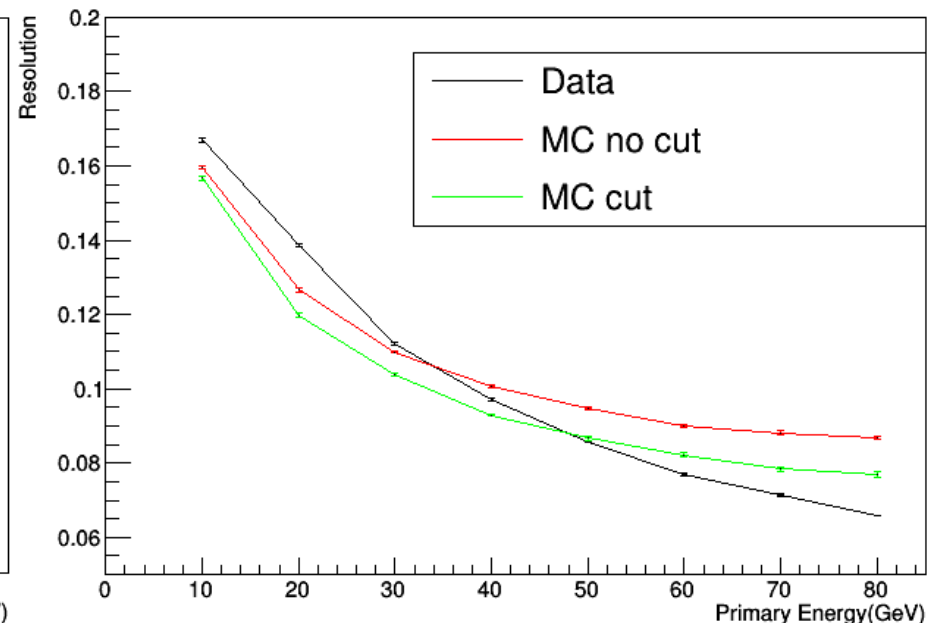
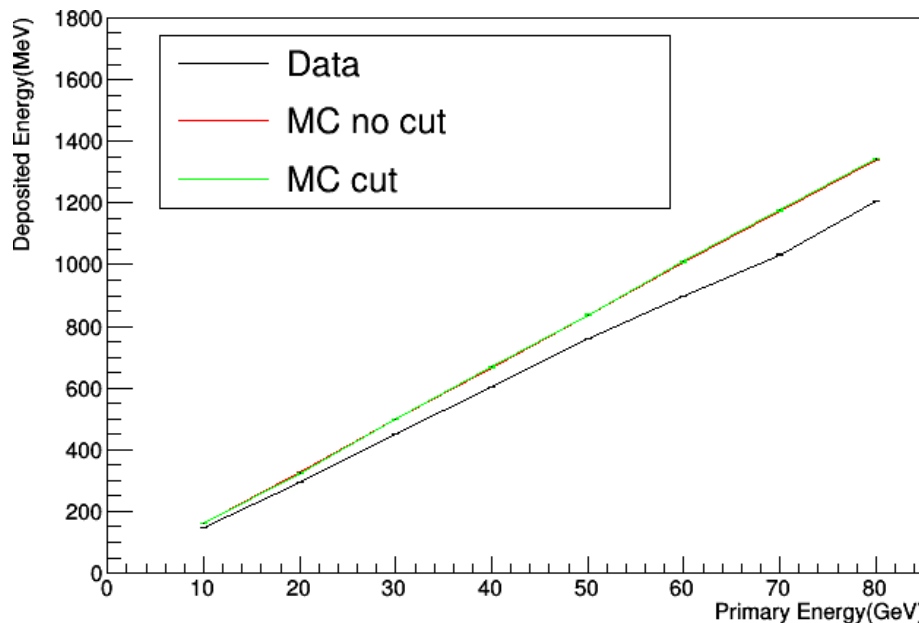


- Leakage cut has no visible influence on the linearity



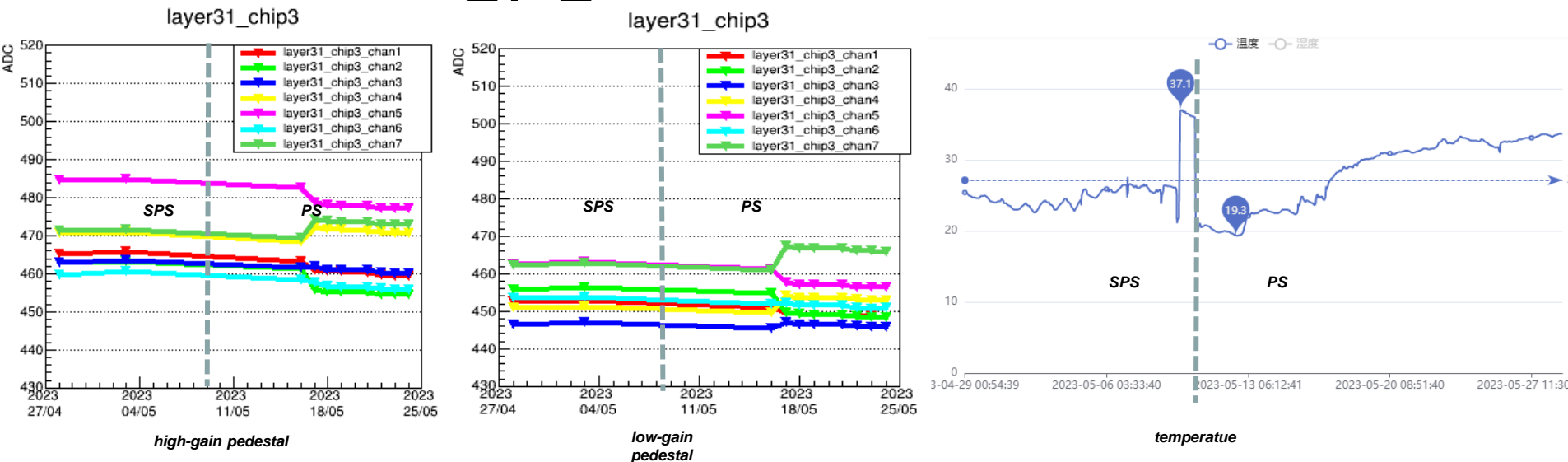


- The cut still introduces bias to the MC and makes the resolution better, but it doesn't have obvious impact on the linearity
- There is still obvious difference between Data and MC



Energy linearity and resolution

- Not so many force-trigger mode pedestal files from SPS

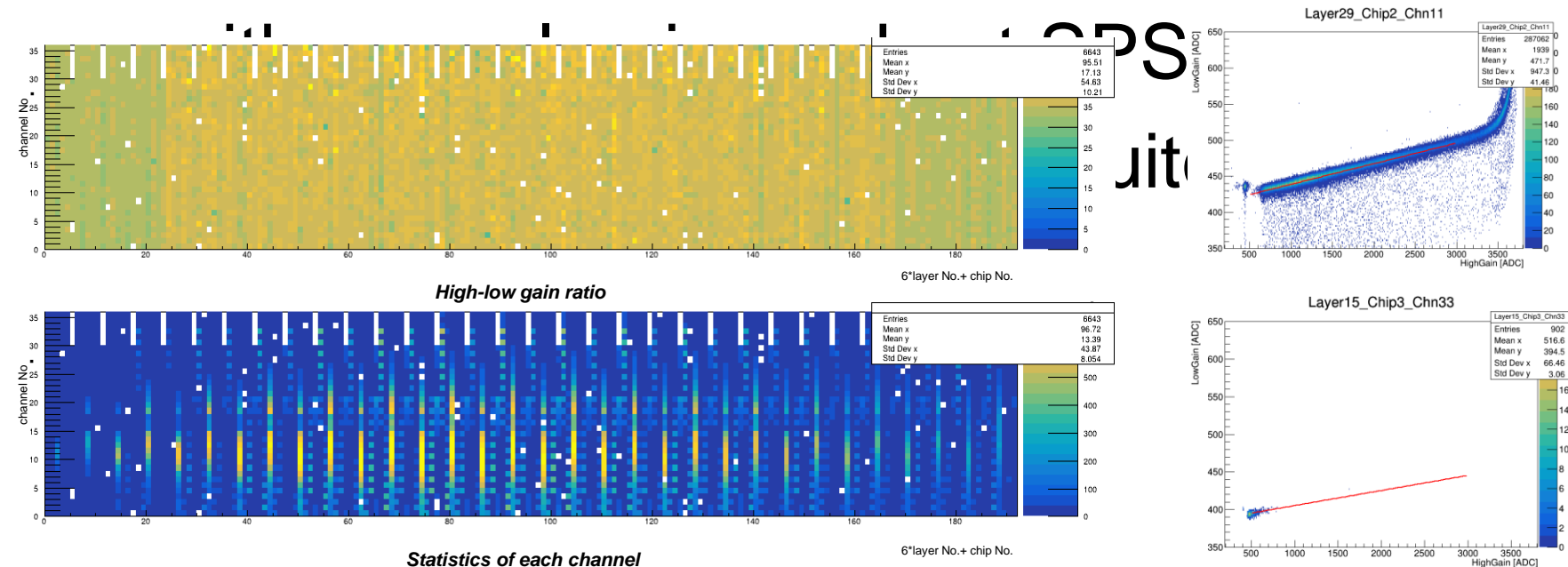


As for SPS and PS data, it shows pedestal stable respectively within 2 ADC fluctuation. However, when combined together, large fluctuation from 0 to 8 ADC.

High-low gain ratio

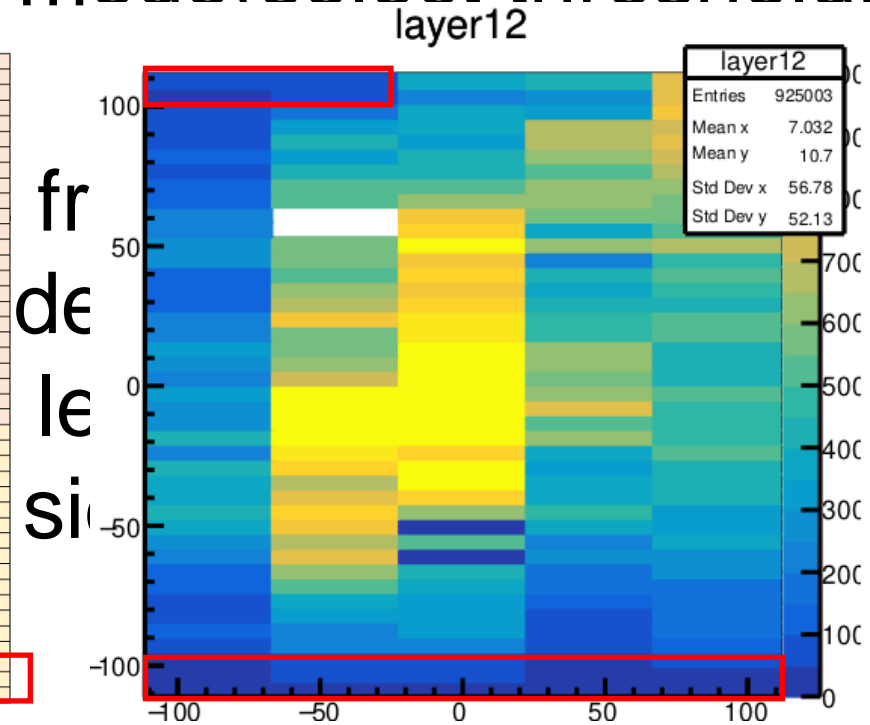
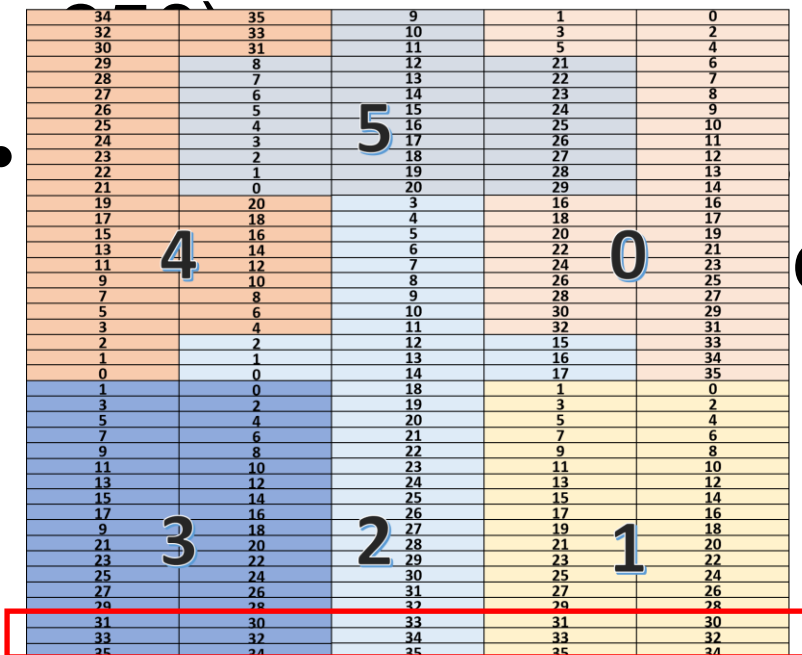


- 20GeV - 100GeV electron test beam files



(Dead channels + inadequate statistics channels) ~ 4 channels per layer

- Use SPS 100GeV/C muon- position scan data with auto gain mode (select threshold: layer12)



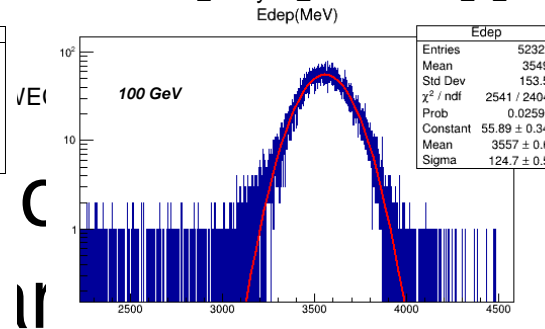
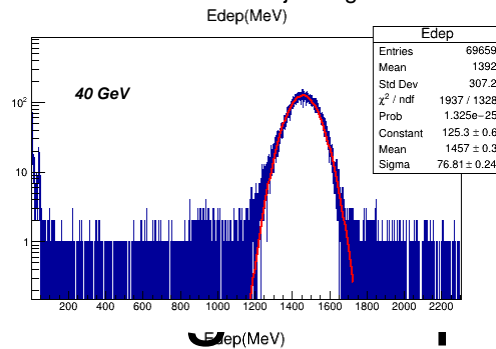
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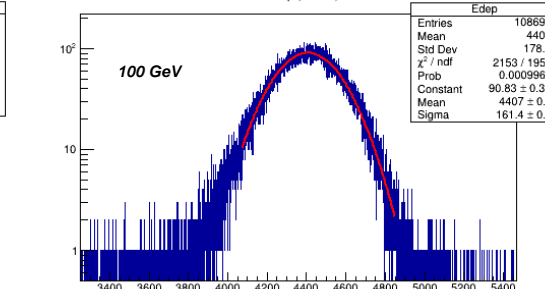
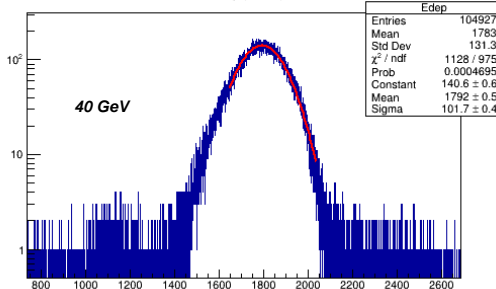
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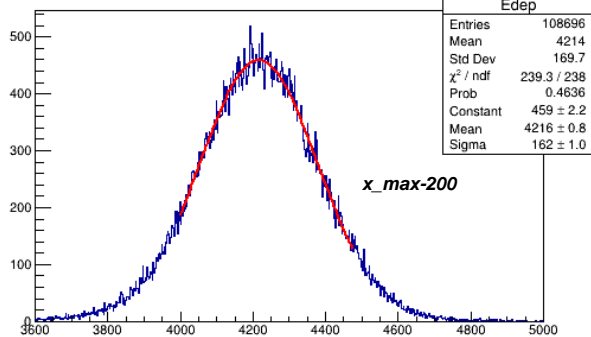
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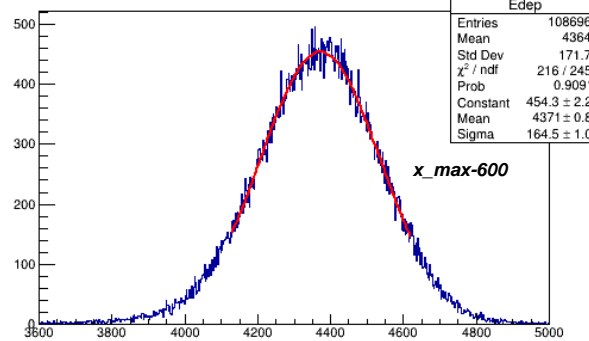
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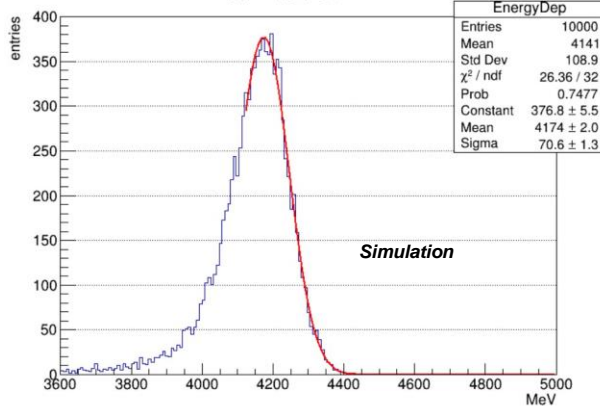
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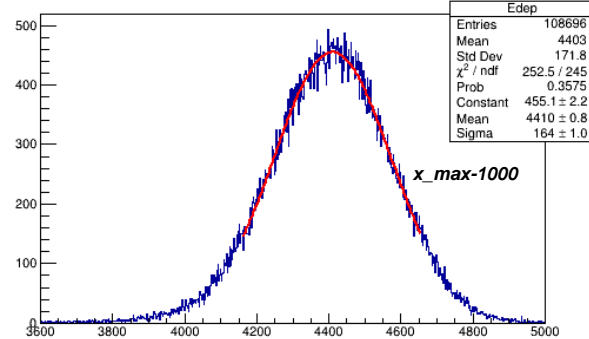
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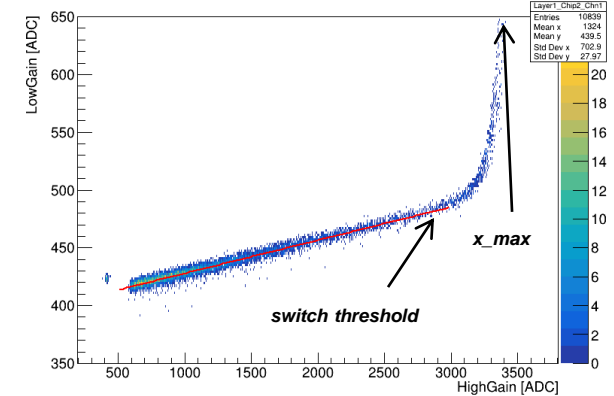
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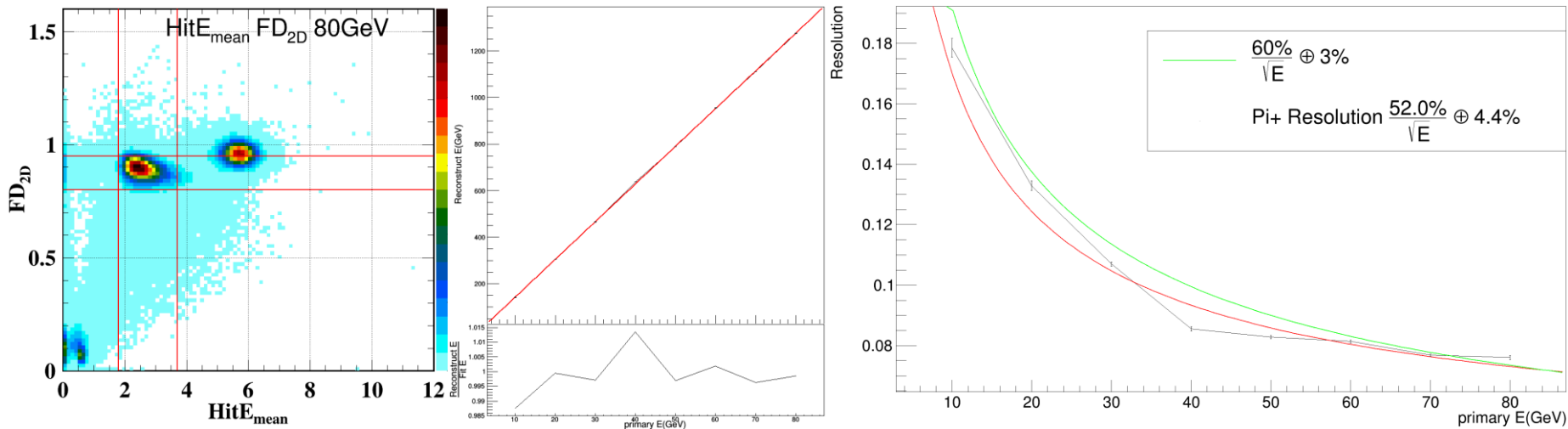
Layer1_Chip2_Chn1



Tight cut



- Different cuts will have an obvious influence on the performance
- The selection is not only PID, but also select the hadronic dominant showers in the pion beam





- Pedestal
 - Calibrated from DAC data
 - The multi-peaks disappear
 - Only high gain have some channels with high rms
- Gain
 - Calibrated from pion data instead of muon
 - V2.1: high gain is forbidden to test the reliability of high low gain switch point

- Tight cut is applied to calibrated pion V2 data
- The resolution is obviously better

