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# Updates on photon PID

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# Photon ID with XGBoost

## Input features

- $l_{\text{ECAL}}, R_{\text{ECAL}}^{90}, W_{\text{ECAL}}^{\eta}, W_{\text{ECAL}}^{\phi}$
- $l_{\text{HCAL}}, R_{\text{HCAL}}^{90}, W_{\text{HCAL}}^{\eta}, W_{\text{HCAL}}^{\phi}, N_{\text{hadClus}}$
- $E_{\text{HCAL}}/E_{\text{ECAL}}$

## Single particle samples

- Single particle gun samples of  $\gamma$  and  $K_L^0$  with  $p \in [1, 80]$  GeV and  $\theta \in [8, 172]^\circ$
- `/cms/user/liugeliang/CEPC/202503/Production/ParticleGun/gamma*`
- `/cms/user/liugeliang/CEPC/202503/Production/ParticleGun/K_LO_*`

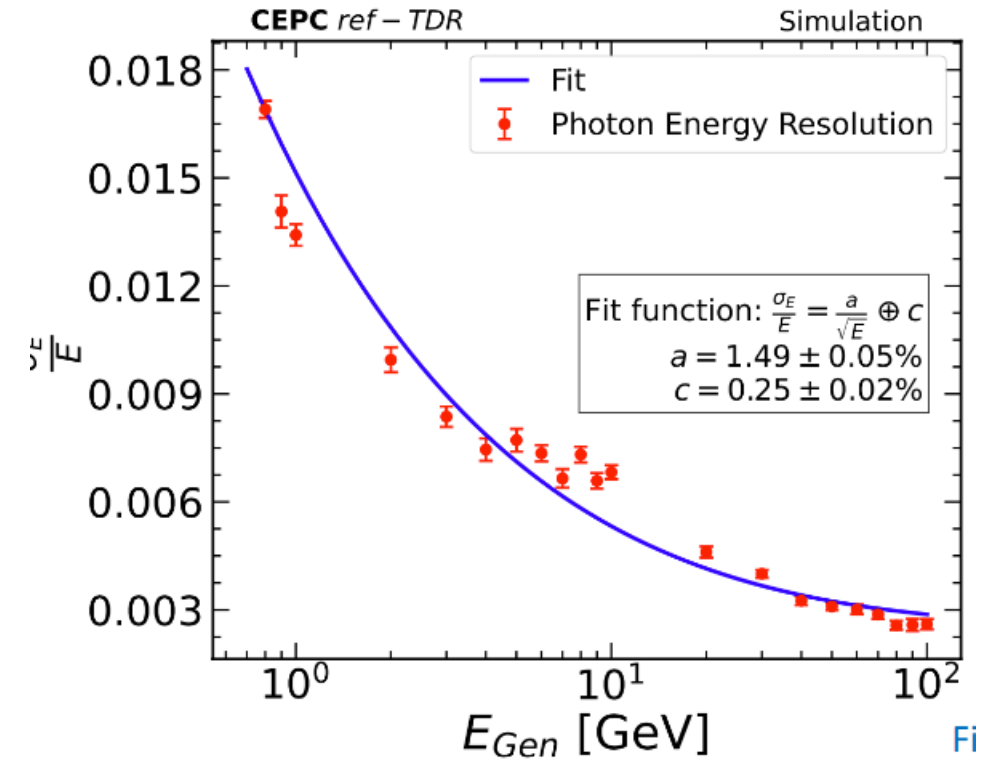
## ZH inclusive samples

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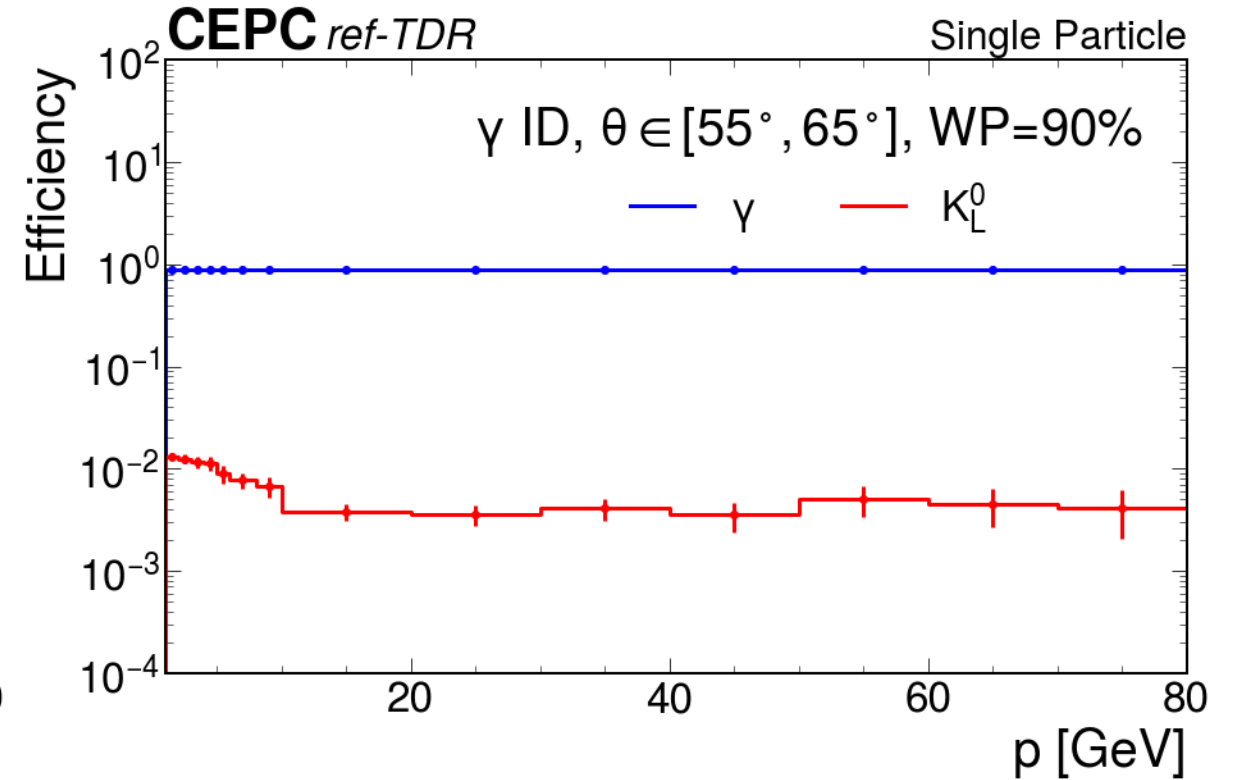
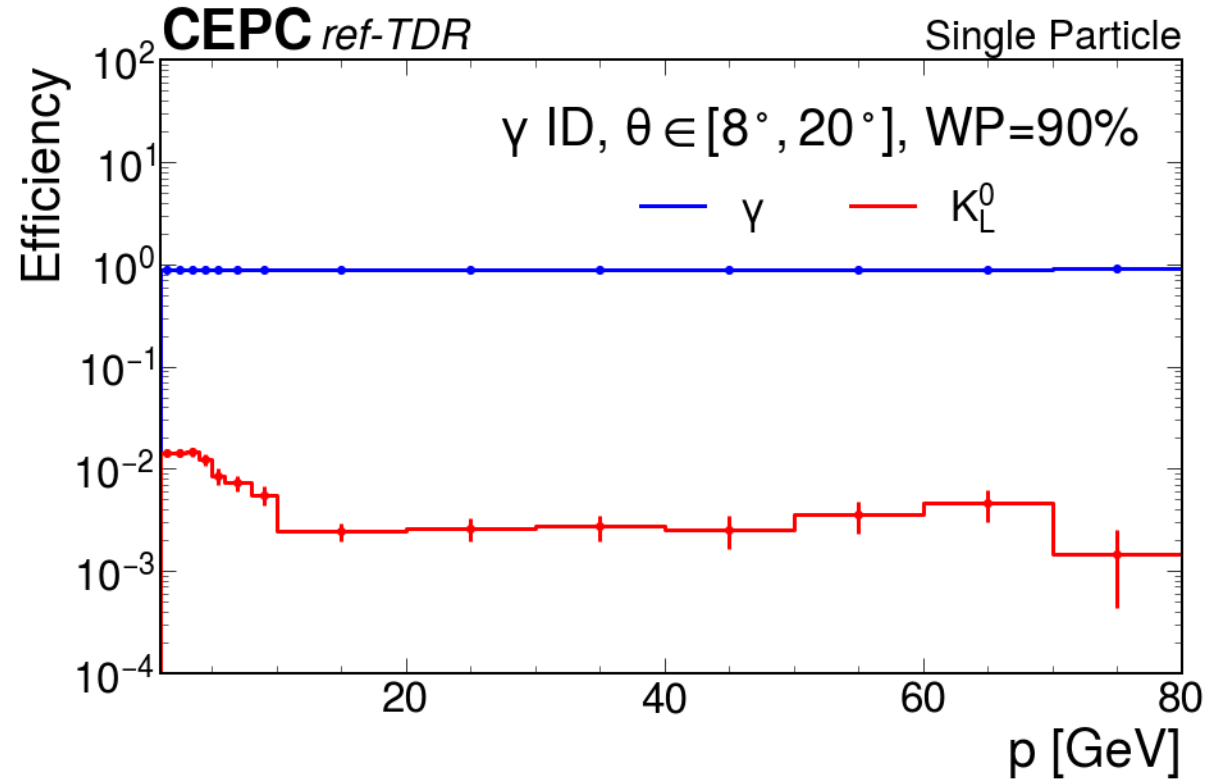
# Gen match

**Not as trivial as charged particles because there is no truth link in calorimeters**

- Photon match:  $\Delta R < 0.1, \Delta E < 3\sigma_E$
- Neutral hadron ( $K_L^0$  or neutron) match:  $\Delta R < 0.5$
- If none of them are matched, or if they are matched to a charged particle, assign to a new category as “unmatched”.



# Studies with particle gun samples



In general good separation between photon and neutral hadron.

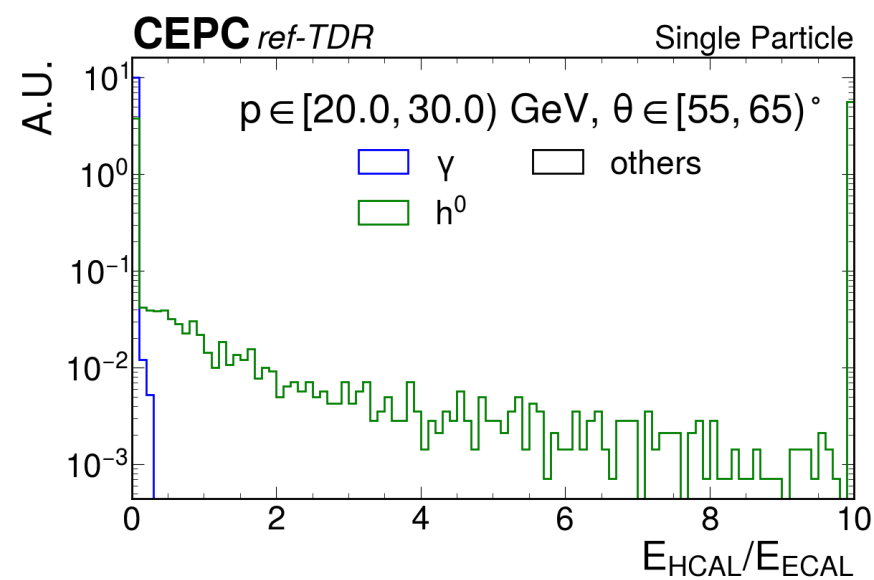
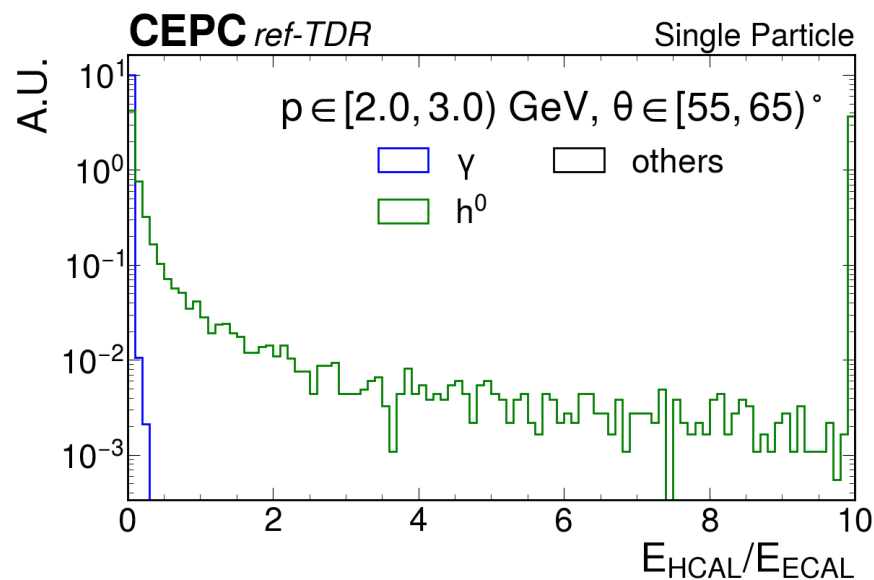
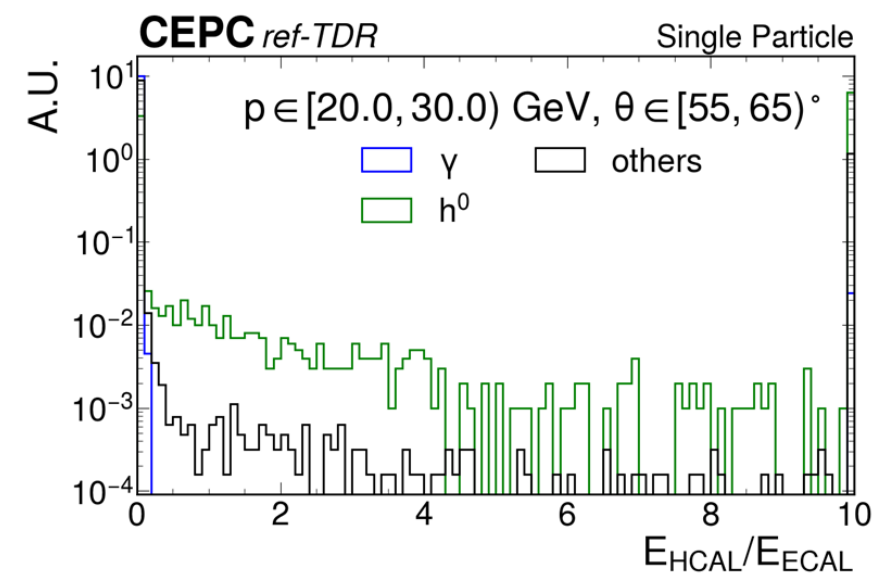
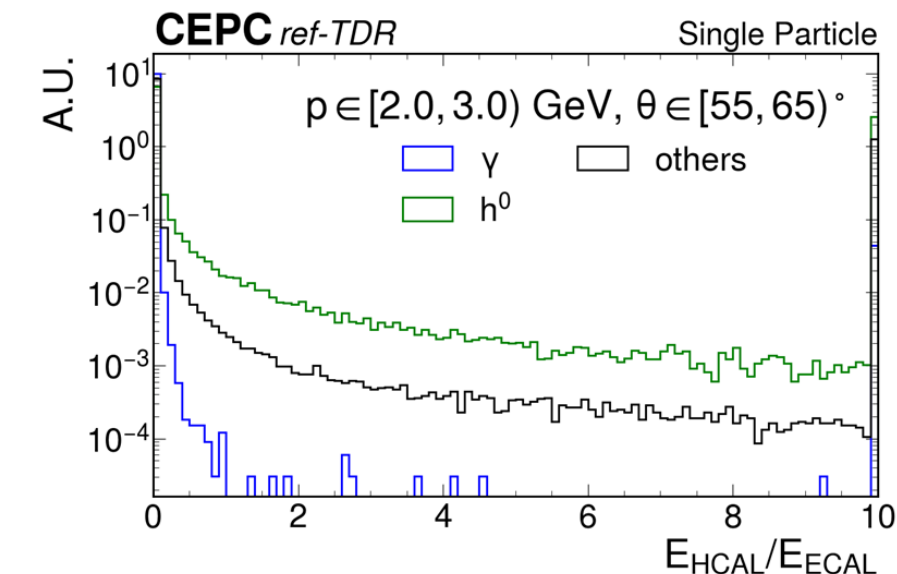
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# In ZH environments: input features

$$E_{\text{HCAL}}/E_{\text{ECAL}}$$

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particle gun

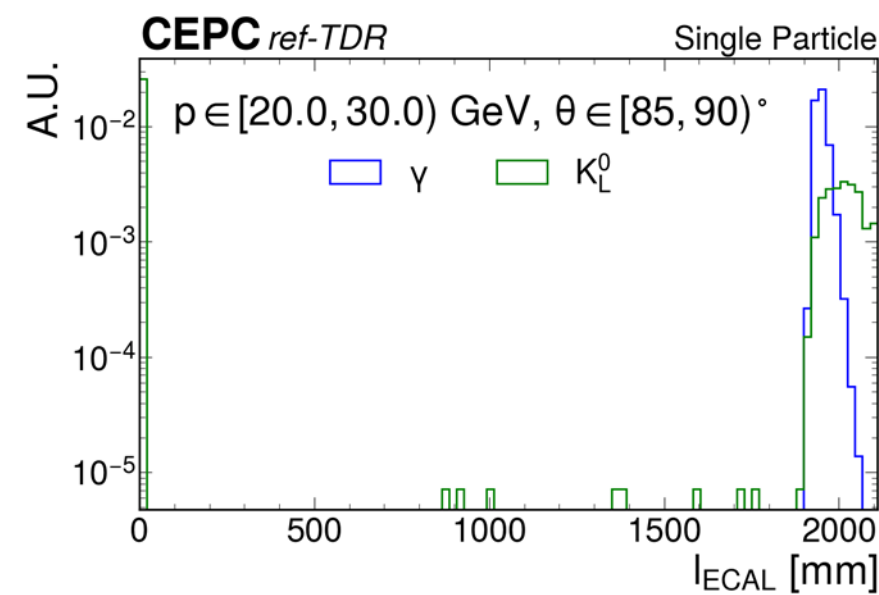
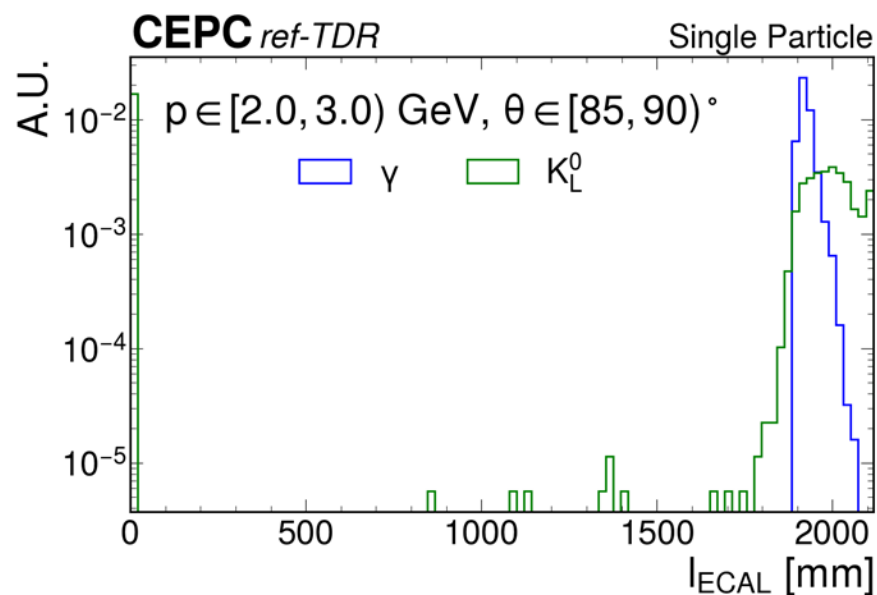
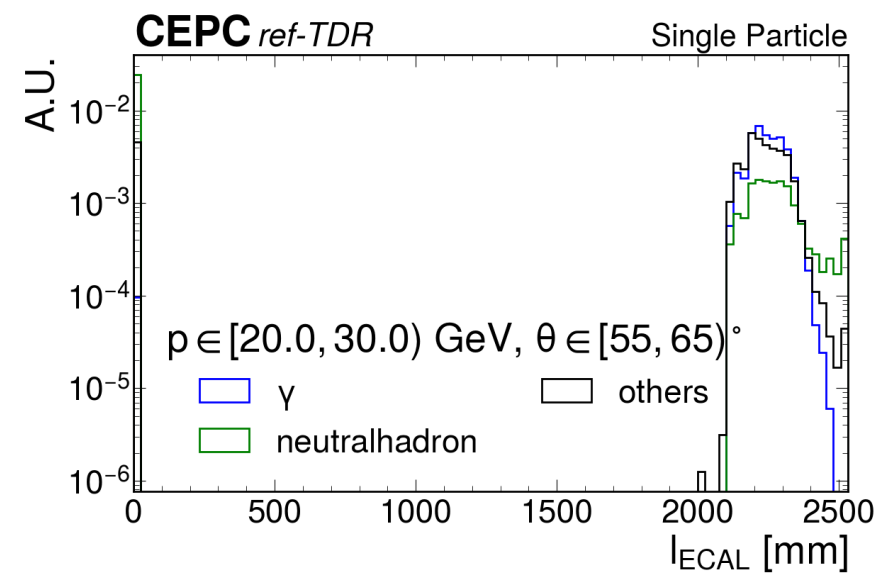
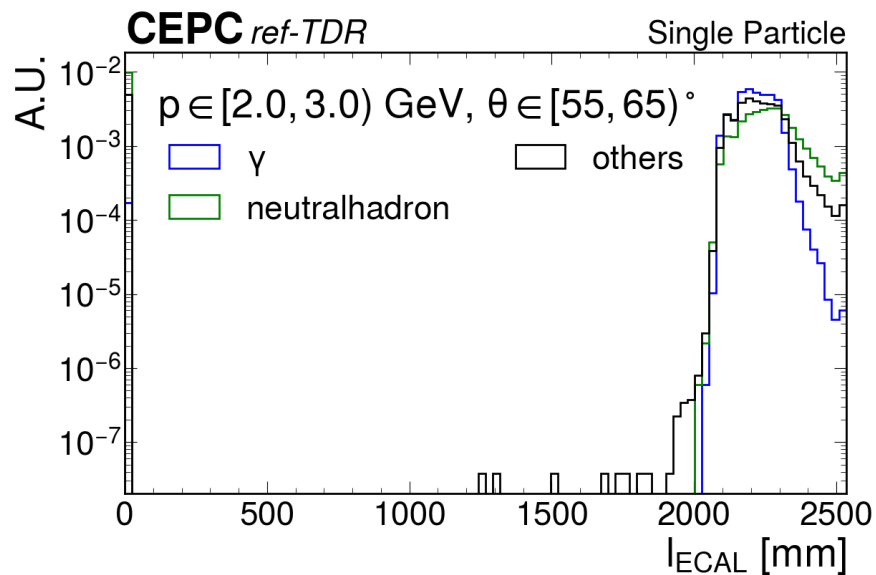


# In ZH environments: input features

$l_{\text{ECAL}}$

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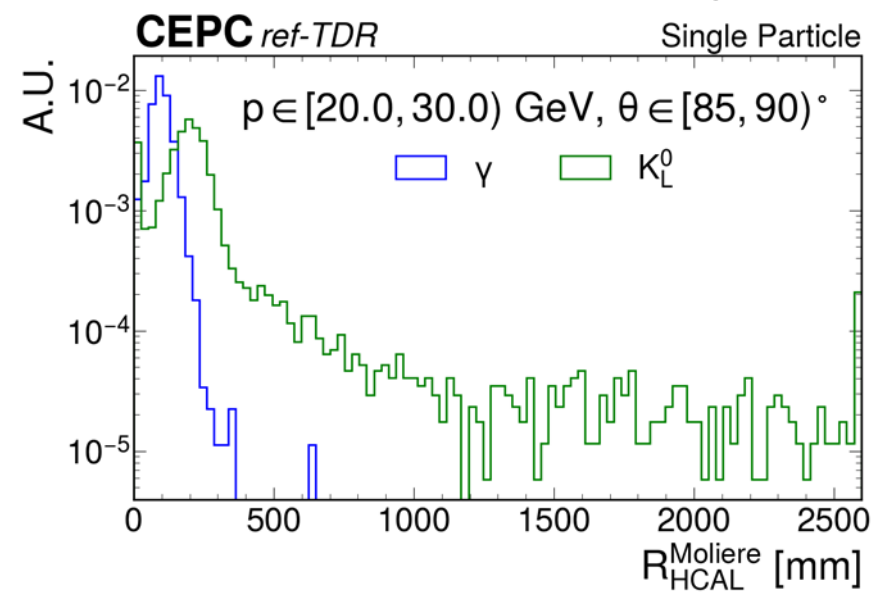
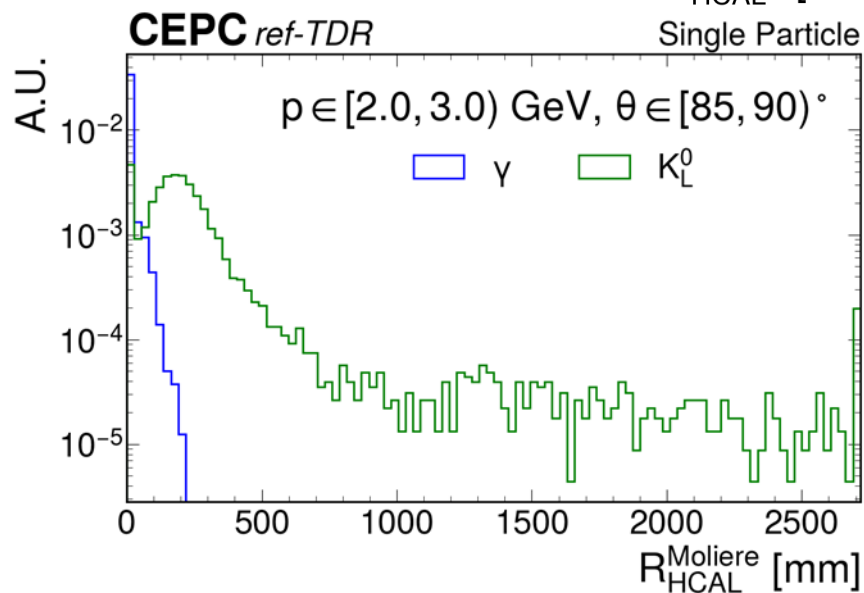
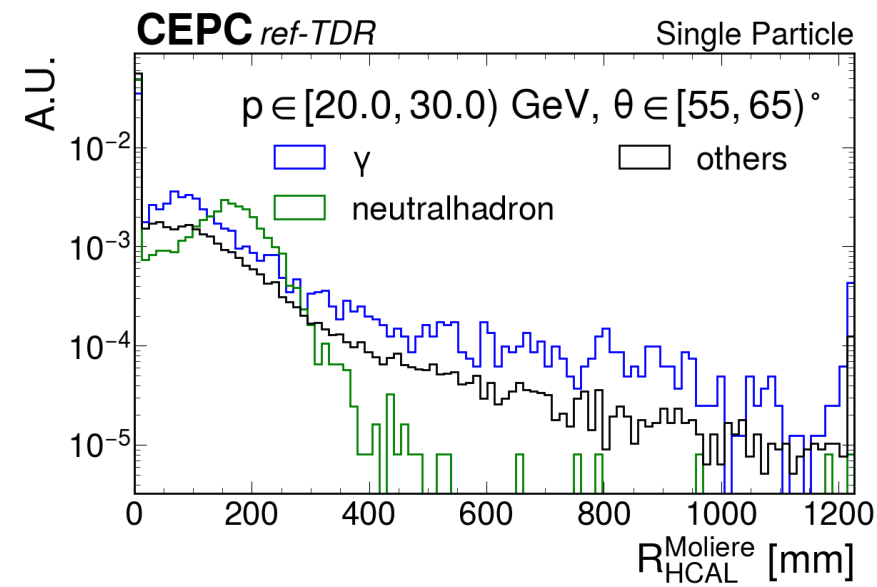
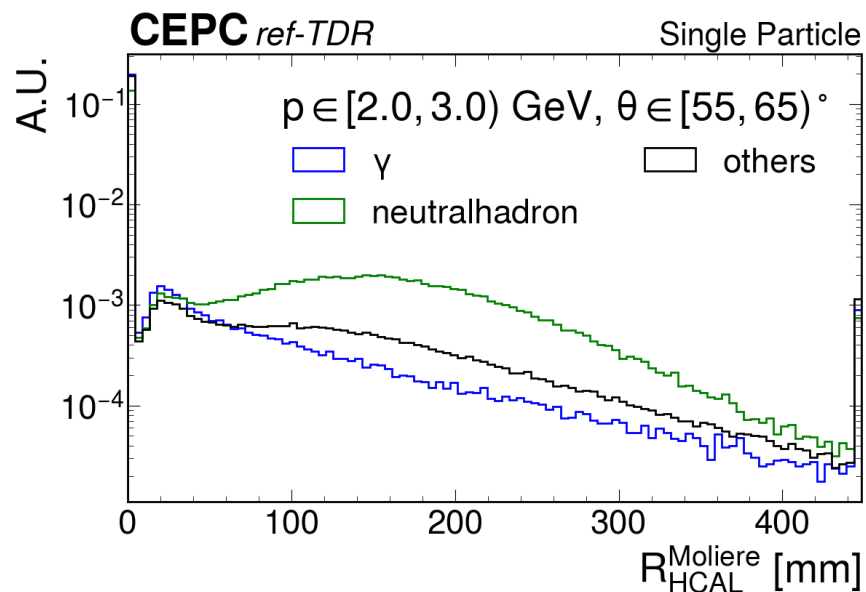


# In ZH environments: input features

$R_{\text{HCAL}}^{90}$

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particle gun

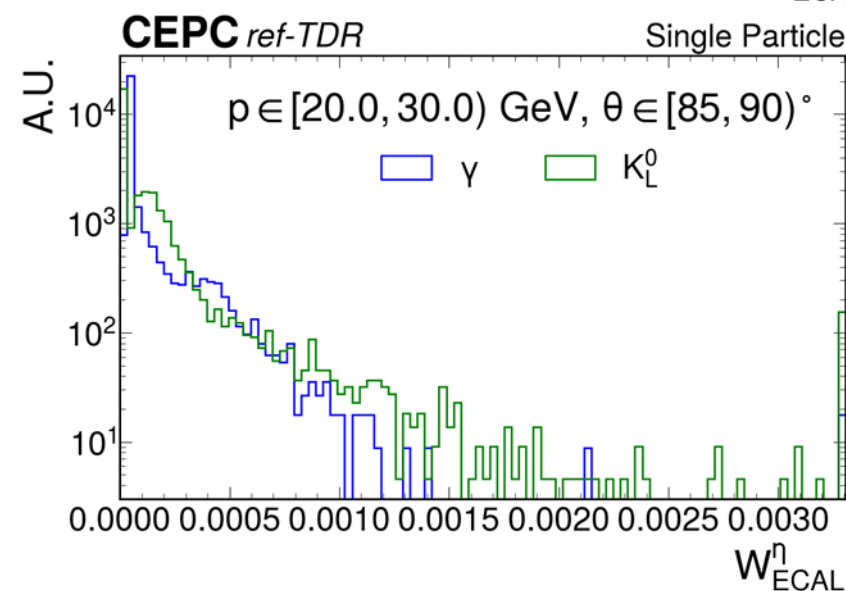
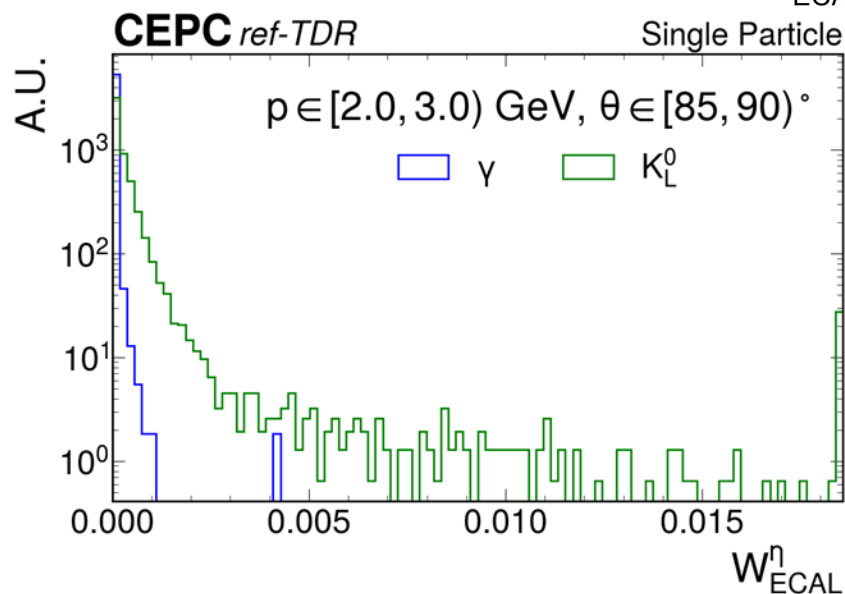
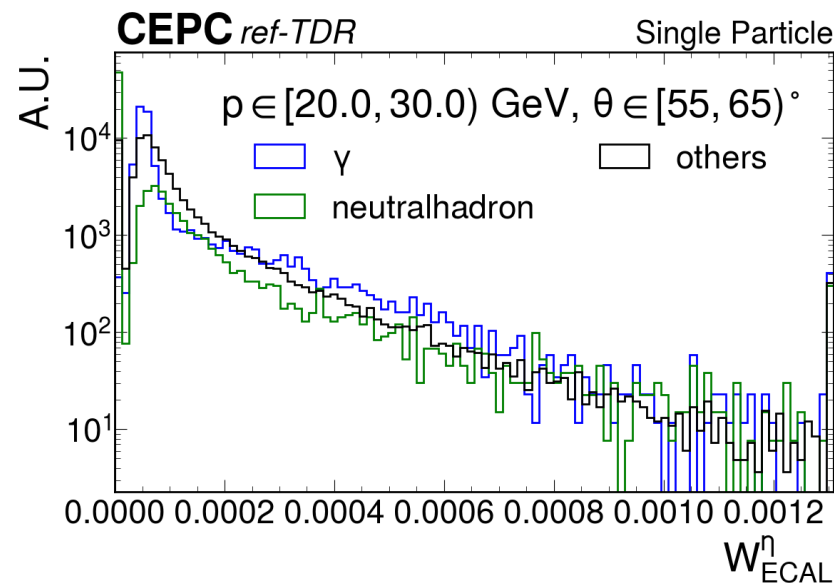
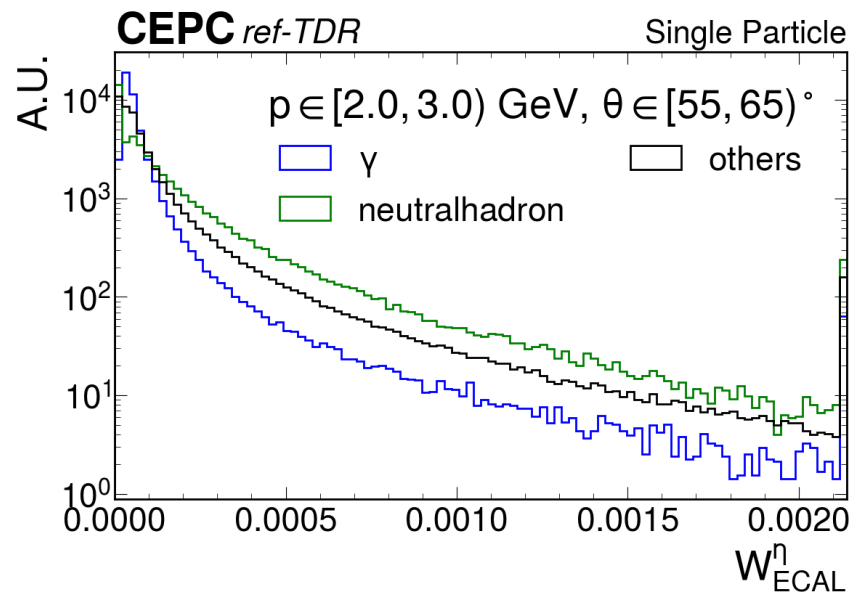


# In ZH environments: input features

$\text{Var}_{\text{ECAL}}^\eta$

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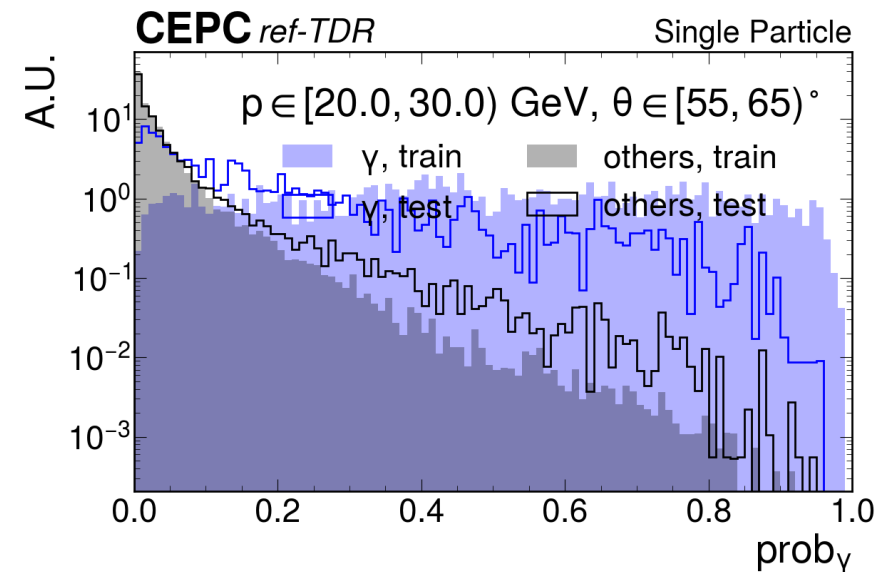
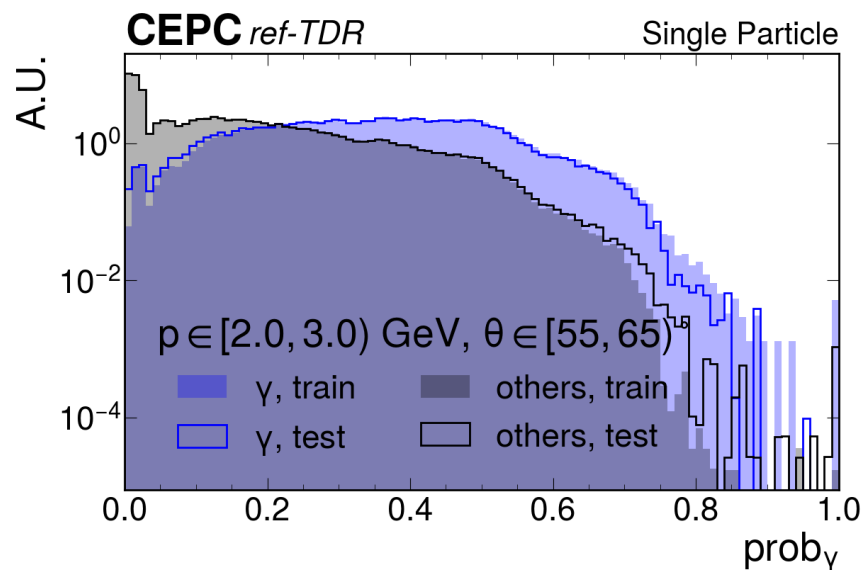
particle gun



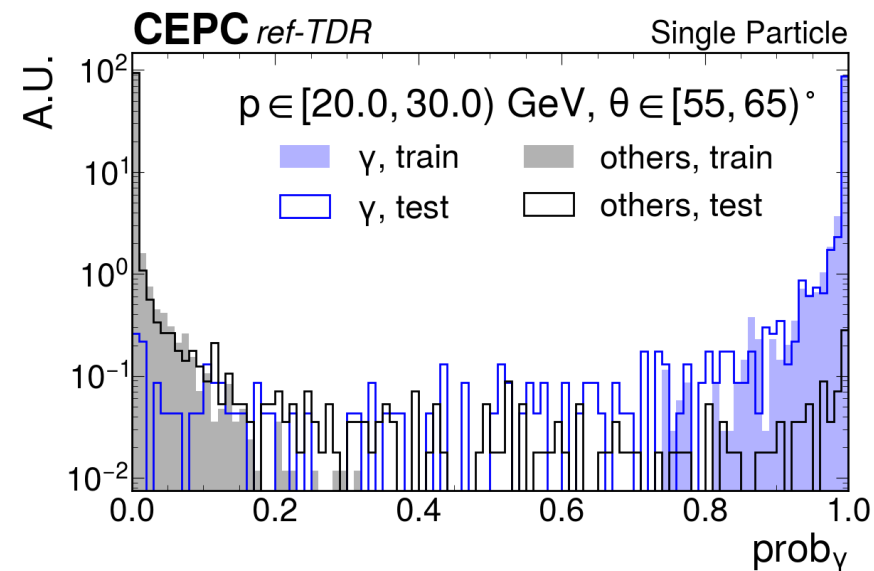
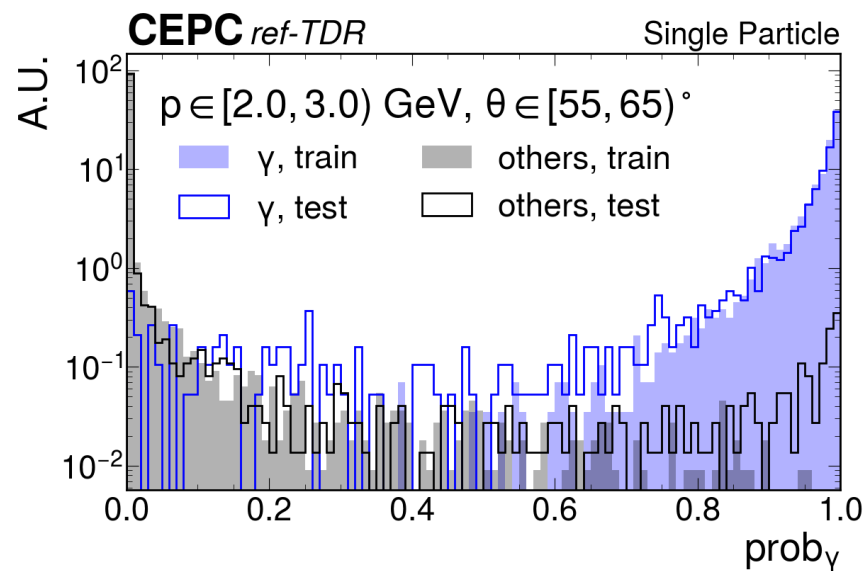


# In ZH environments: train v.s. test

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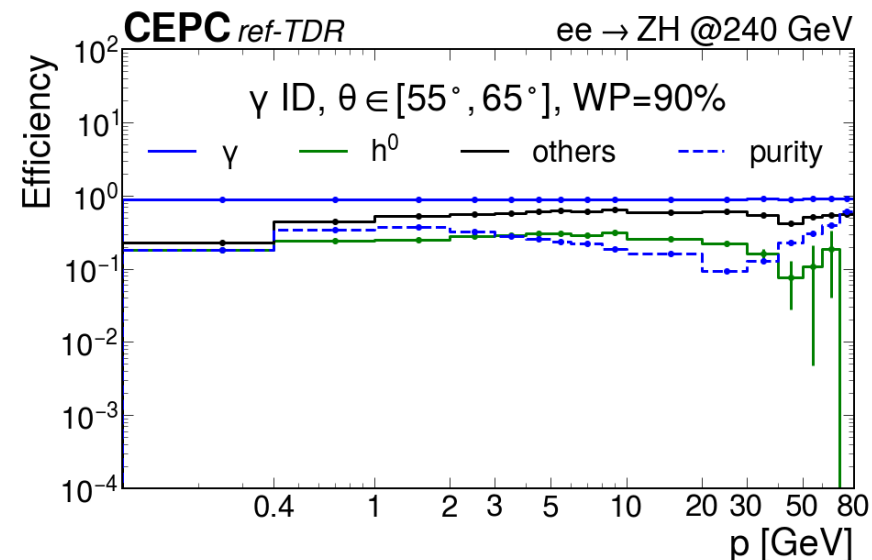
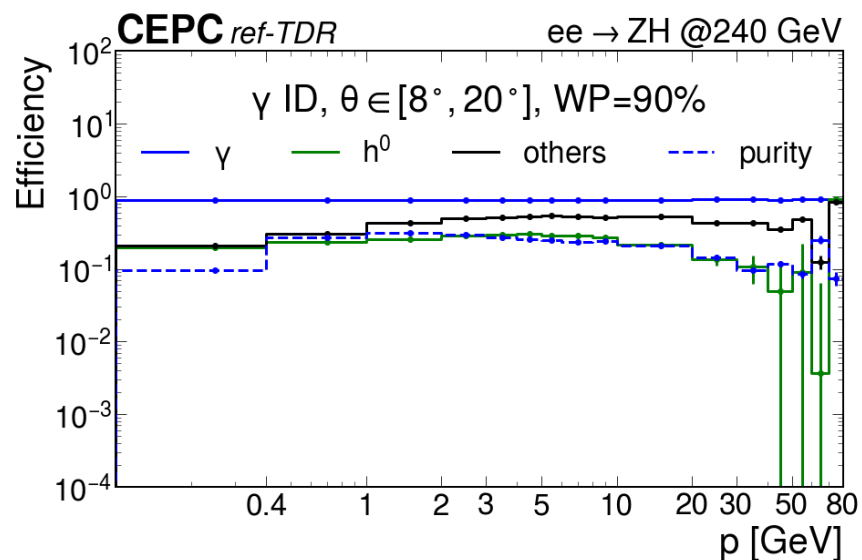


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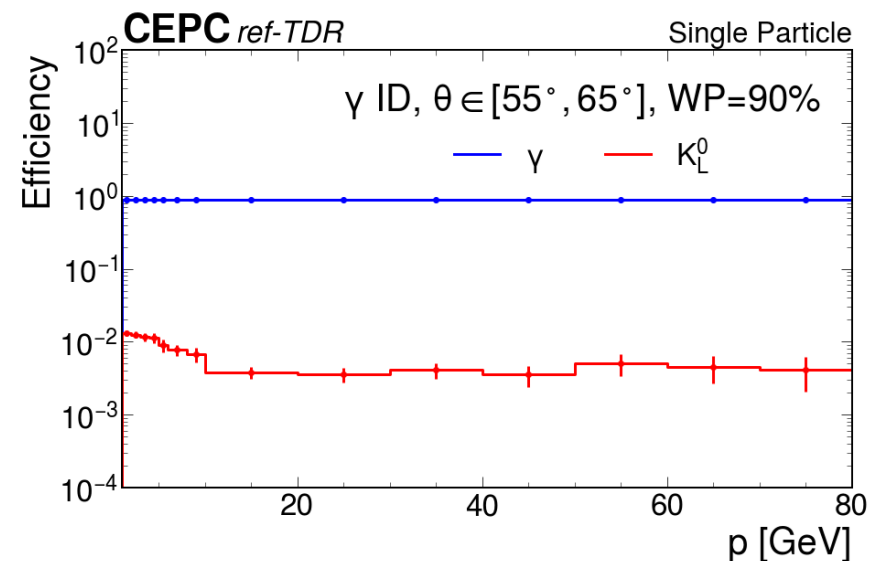
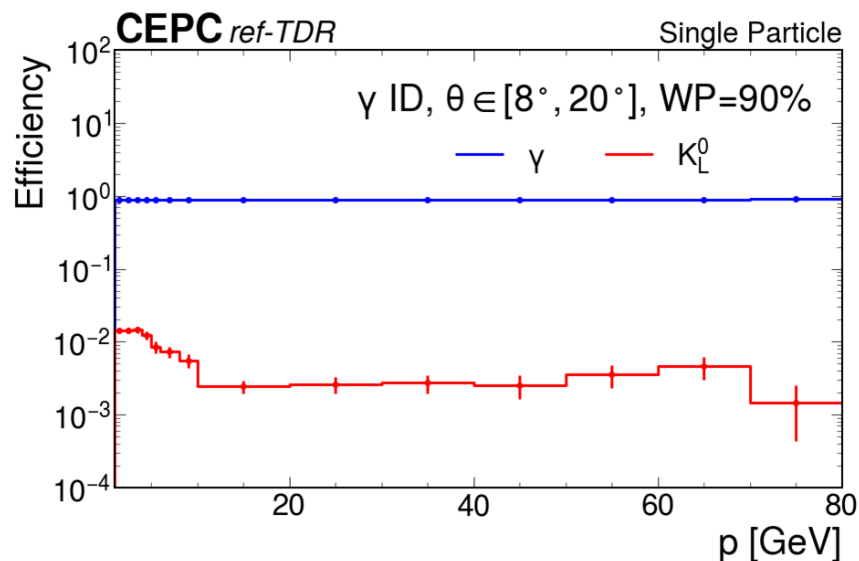


# In ZH environments: efficiency

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particle gun



# Possible reasons for the worse performances

## Gen match?

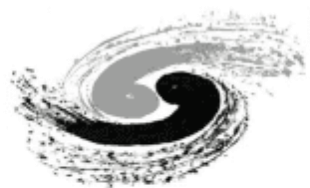
- Probably some genuine photons didn't pass the photon gen match and end up in the unmatched category.
- Especially, at high energy, the photon purity is also low, while no high-energy neutral photons are expected.

## Energy clustering in calorimeters

- It seems that in the ZH environments, the photon has much wider showers than single particle samples.
- Neutral hadrons are less likely to have large  $E_{HCAL}$ .
- A lot of unmatched neutral clusters.

## Overtraining

- As we see before.
- Probably need more samples to train.



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**Backup**

# In ZH environments: fractions

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