

# Photon Reconstruction Performance at CEPC Baseline Detector

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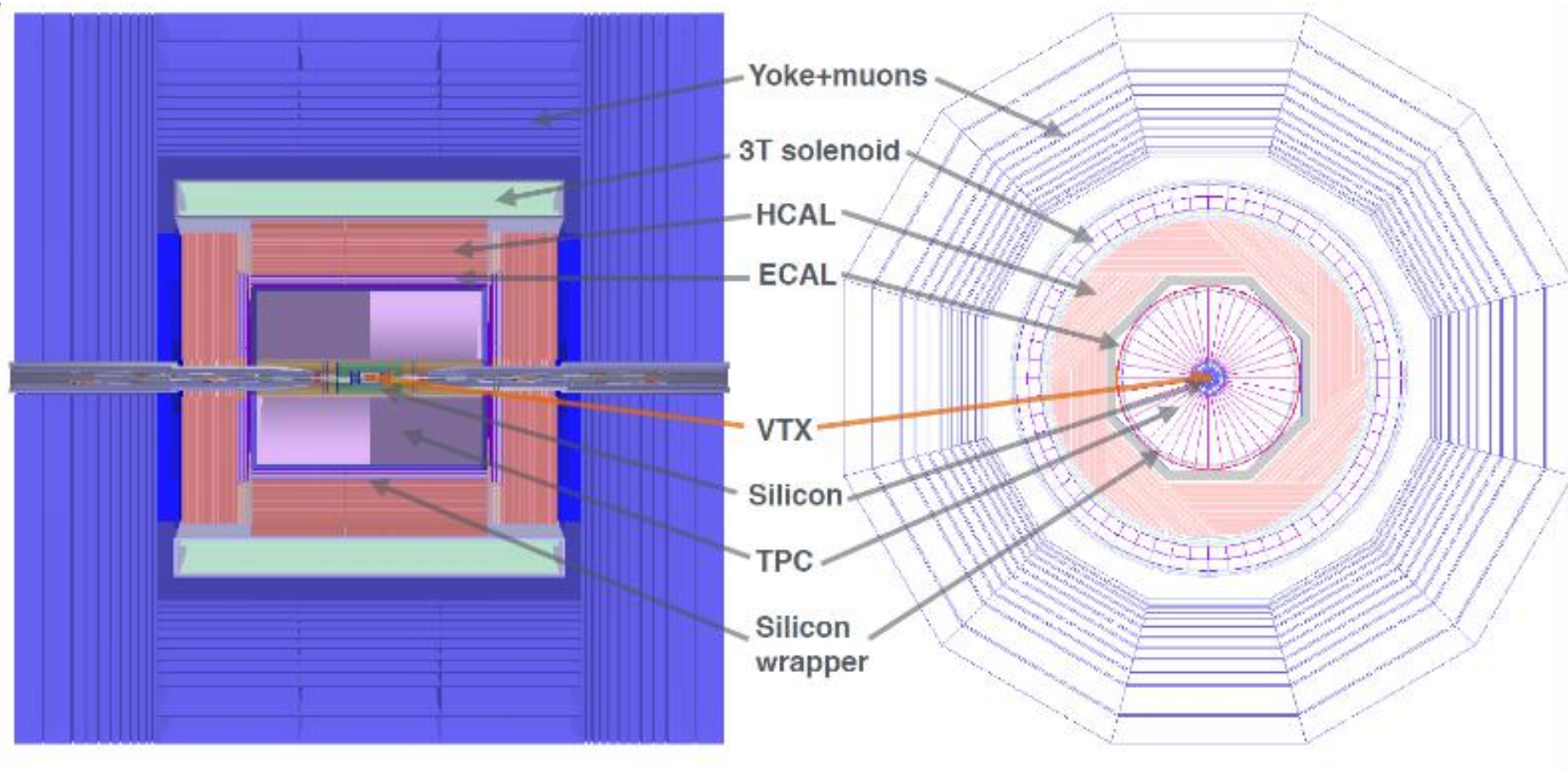
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# Motivation

- The CEPC is a future large scale collider complex. It is a proposed **Higgs/Z factory**.
- Photon reconstruction is essential for the CEPC **physics measurement**.
- Photon reconstruction performance is **a critical benchmark** for the CEPC **detector** design and optimization.

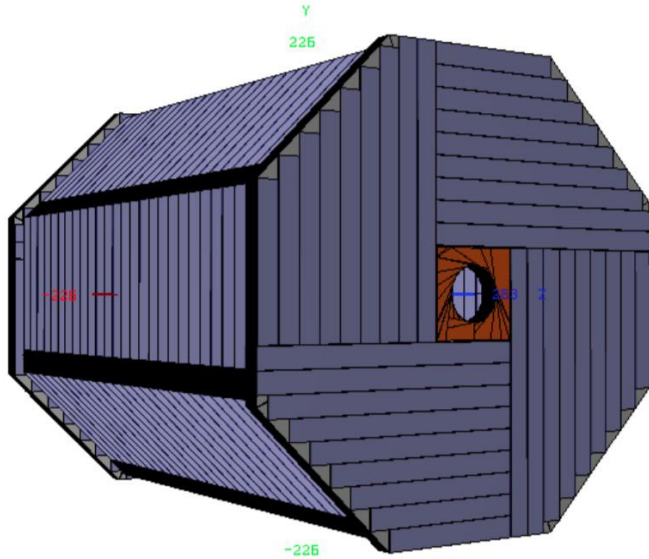
# The Baseline Detector

- The Particle Flow Algorithm oriented detector

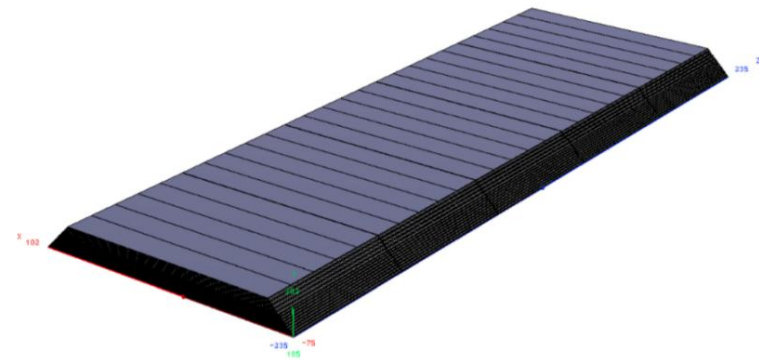


# CEPC Baseline ECAL

- The CEPC uses sampling structure ECAL that is composed of silicon sensors and tungsten absorber plane.
- The **barrel** section is made of 8 staves. Each stave is organized into 5 modules. Each module contains 5 columns. The radius of the barrel section is 2028 mm.
- The two **endcap** sections are composed of 8 quadrants. Each quadrant is made of 2 modules. The two endcap sections are located at  $\pm 2635$  mm.



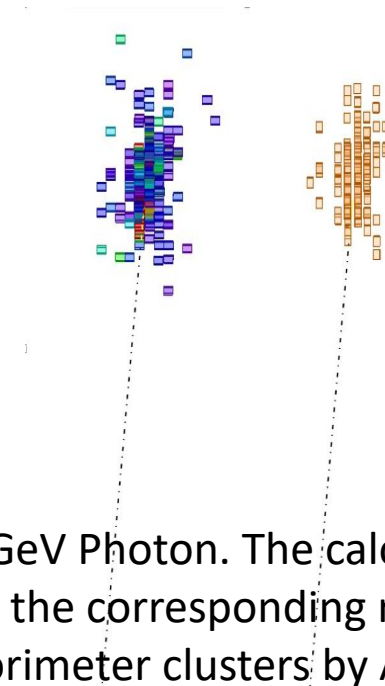
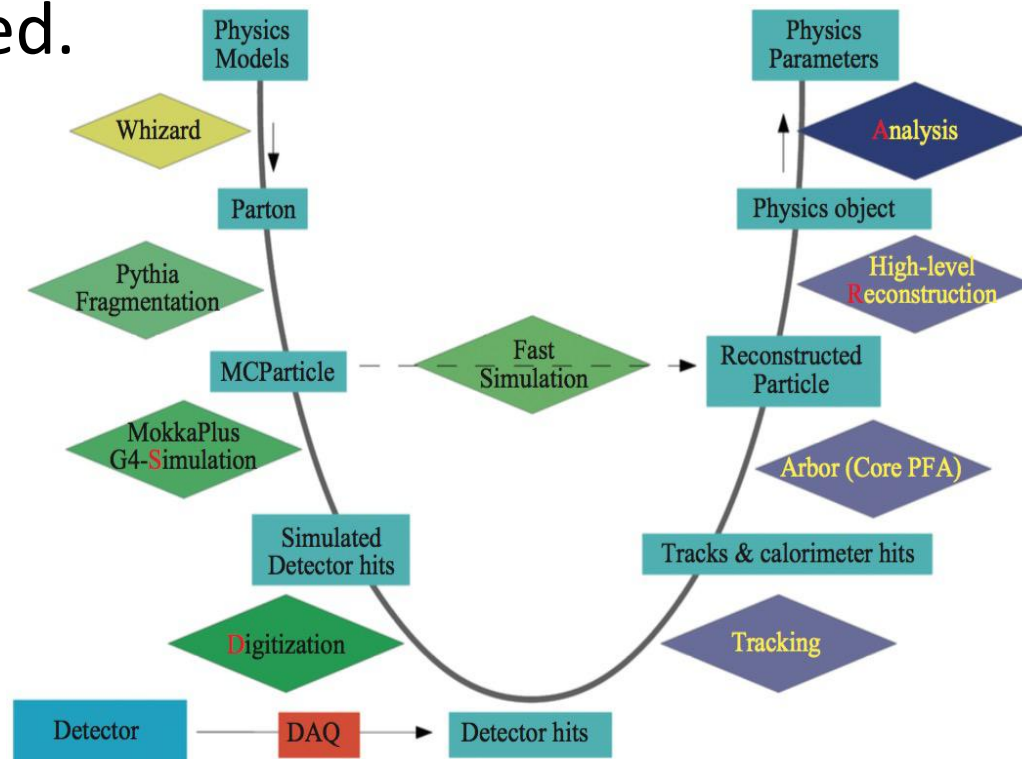
Schematic of the CEPC ECAL layout



Schematic of the structure of one ECAL stave

# Baseline Software

- Whizard and Pythia are used to generate final state particles for physics processes. MokkaPlus is used for Simulation. Arbor is used to reconstruct physics objects for further analysis.
- A dedicated particle flow reconstruction toolkit, **Arbor**, has been developed.



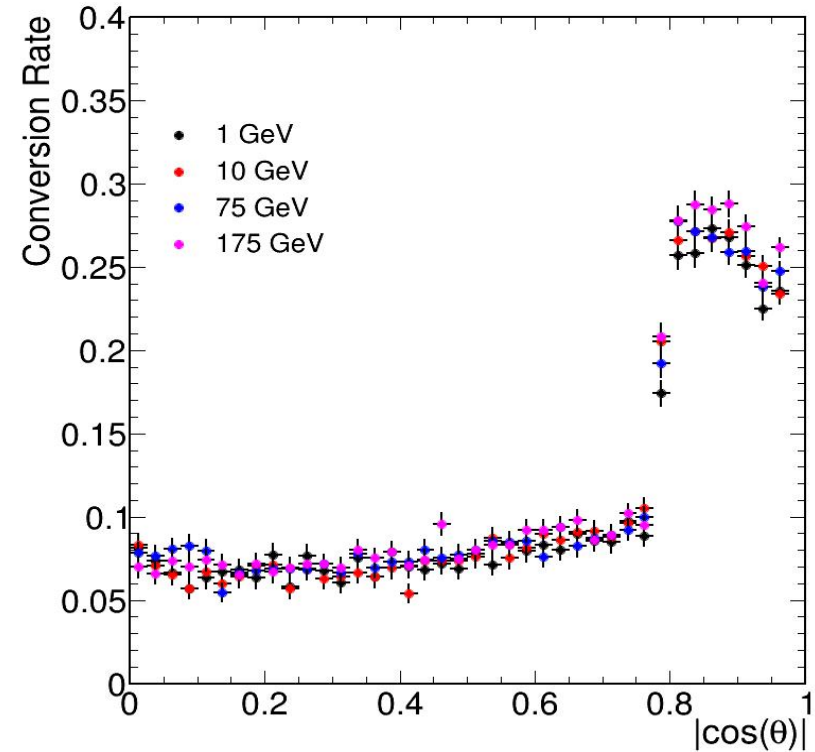
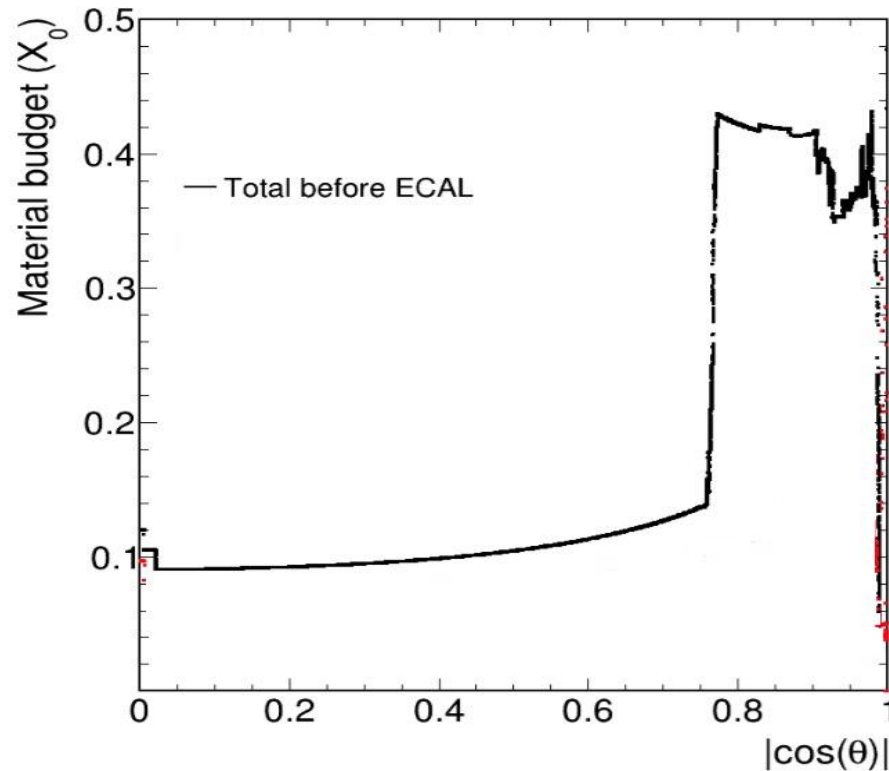
10 GeV Photon. The calorimeter hits and the corresponding reconstructed calorimeter clusters by Arbor.

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# Conversion Rate

- Photons may convert to  $e^+e^-$  pairs when they interact with the materials in front of ECAL.

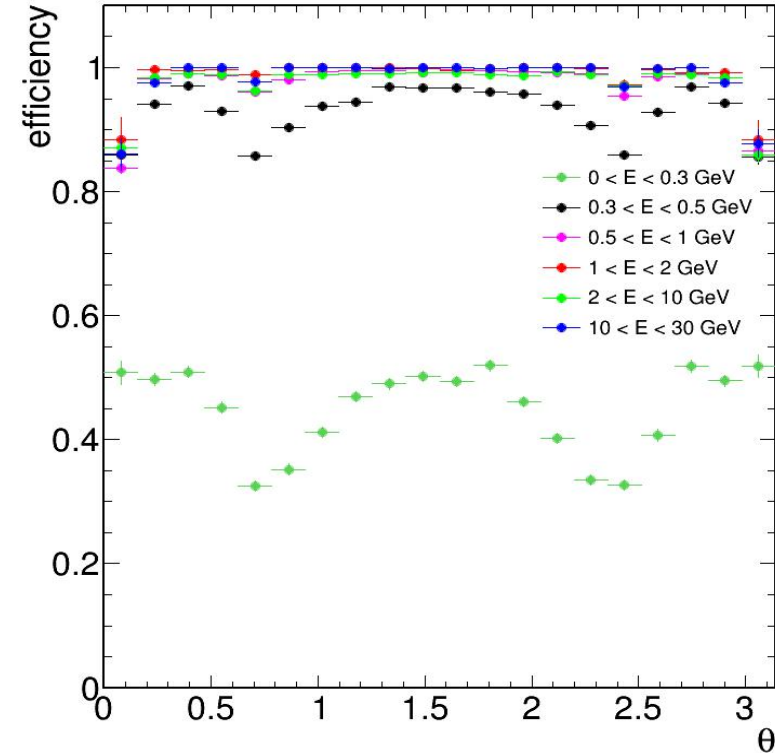
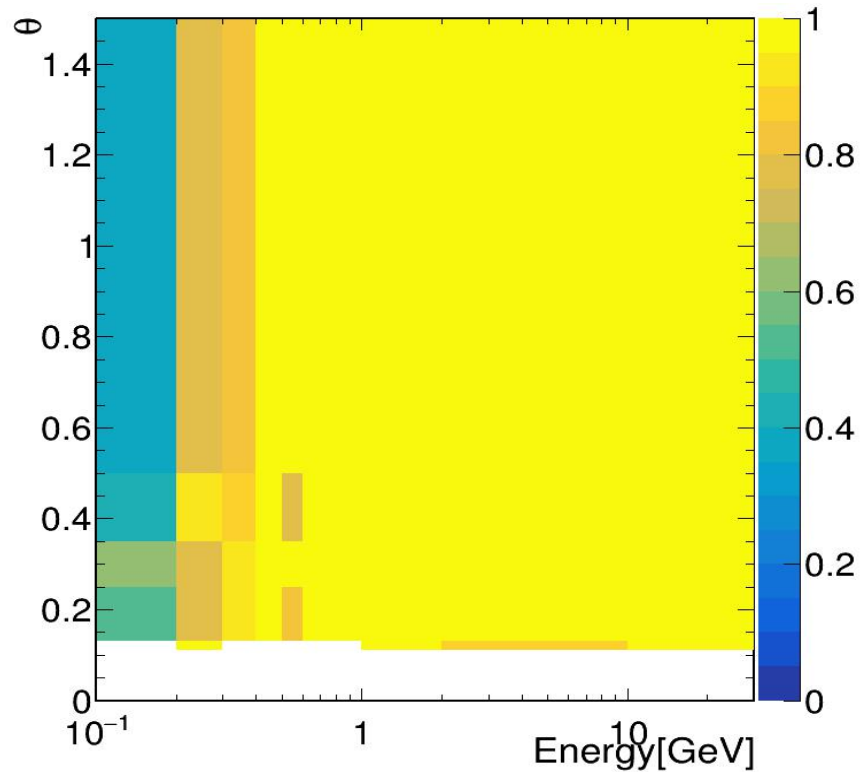


The Photon conversion rate is **proportional** to the material budget.

**5-10%** of photons in the central region and **~25%** of photons in the forward region will convert to  $e^+e^-$

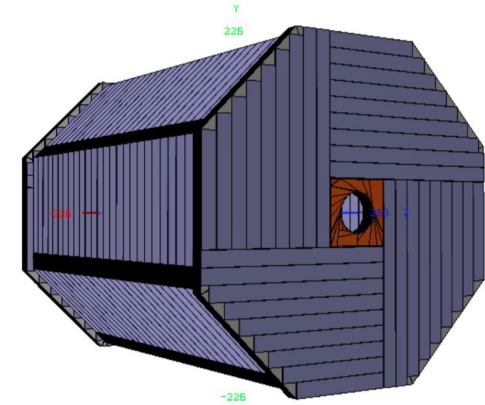
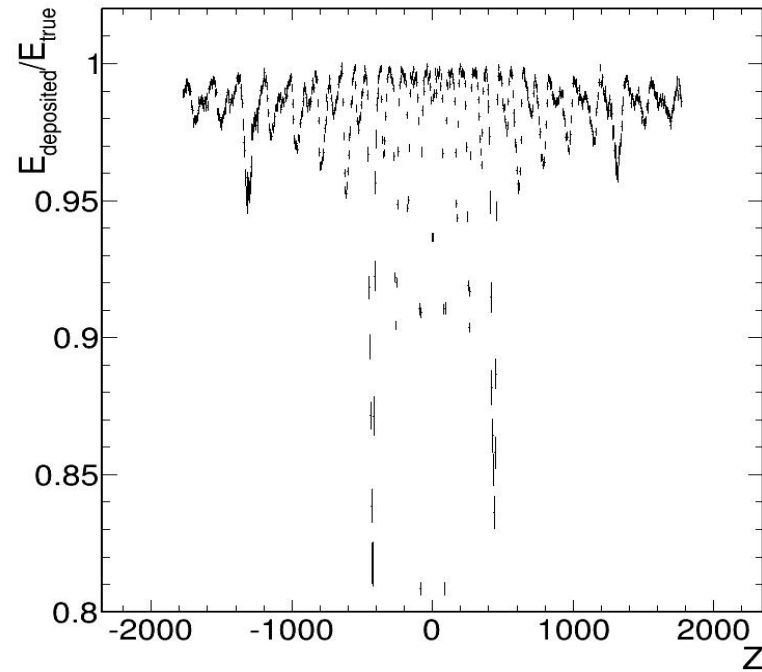
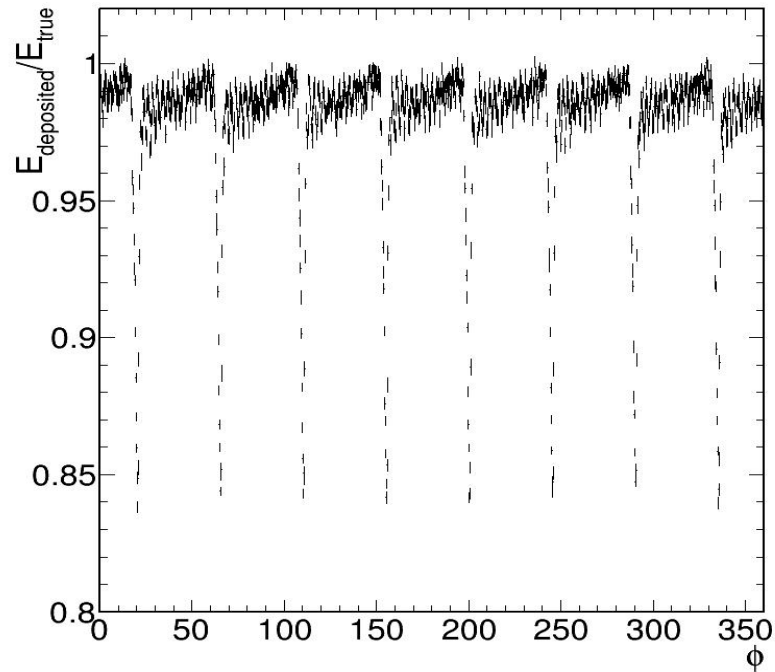


# Reconstruction Efficiency



- Between 200 MeV and 500 MeV, efficiencies are varying from 70% to 99% and they are reaching 99% when  $E > 500$  MeV.
- The photon reconstruction efficiency is sensitive to the dead zone between the ECAL barrel and endcaps.

# Photon Energy Resolution

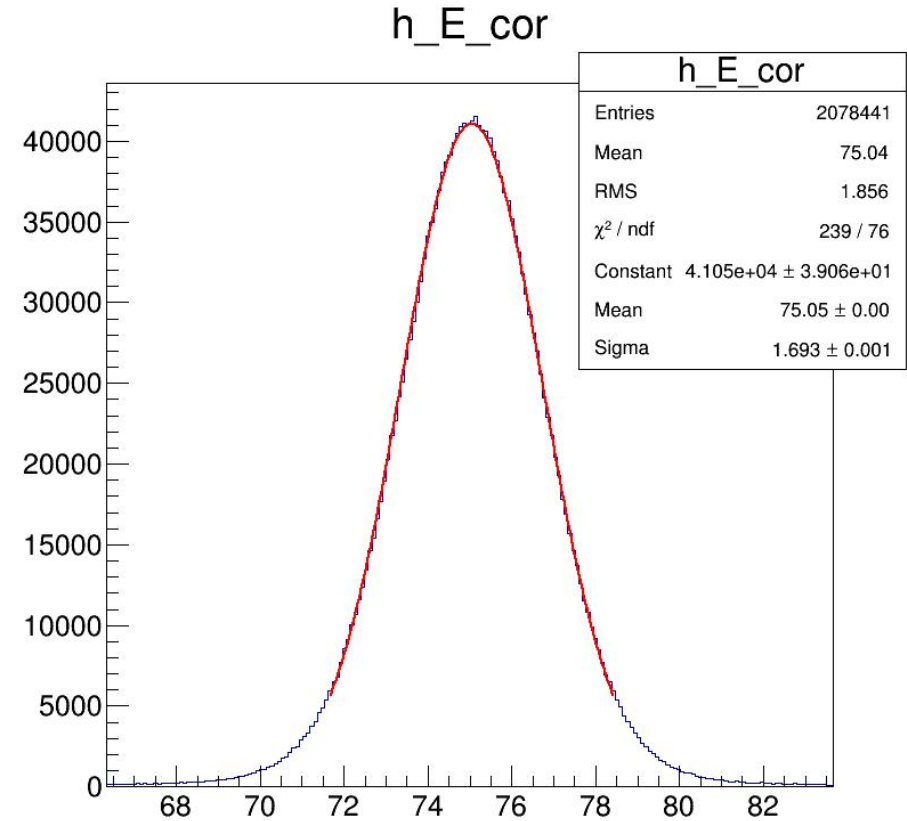
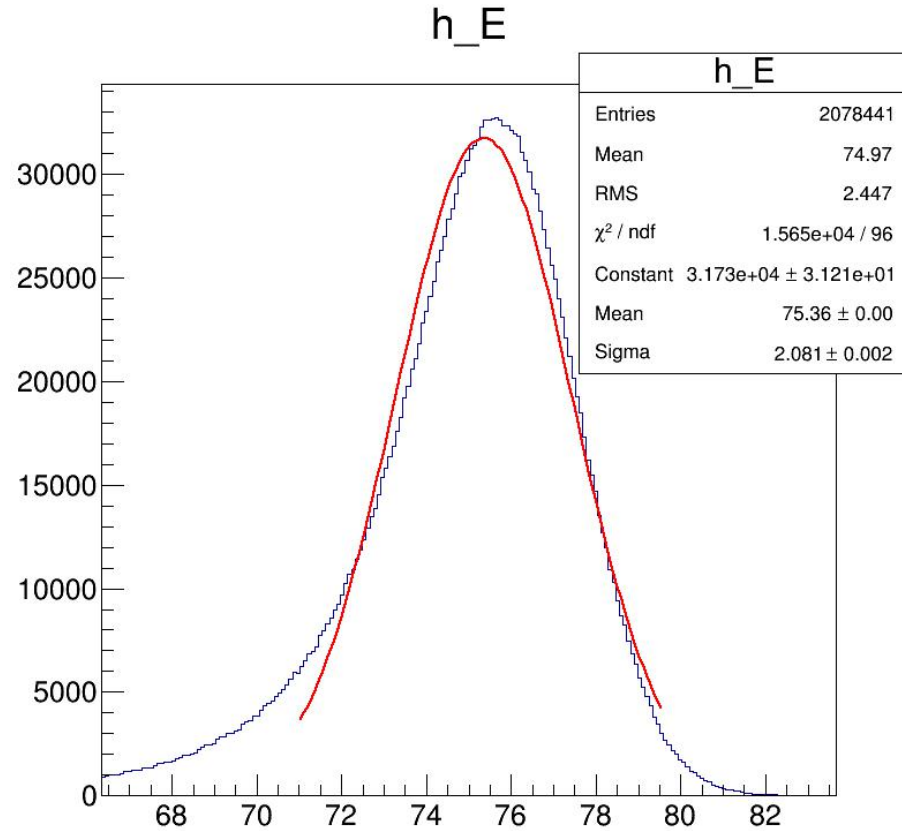


The  $E_{\text{deposited}}/E_{\text{true}}$  distributions as a function of  $\Phi$  and  $Z$  with 50 GeV photons in the central region. They reflect the detailed geometry structure of the baseline detector.

The geometry-based correction algorithm has been developed to scale the EM clusters located at the geometry cracks. The corrected energy is:

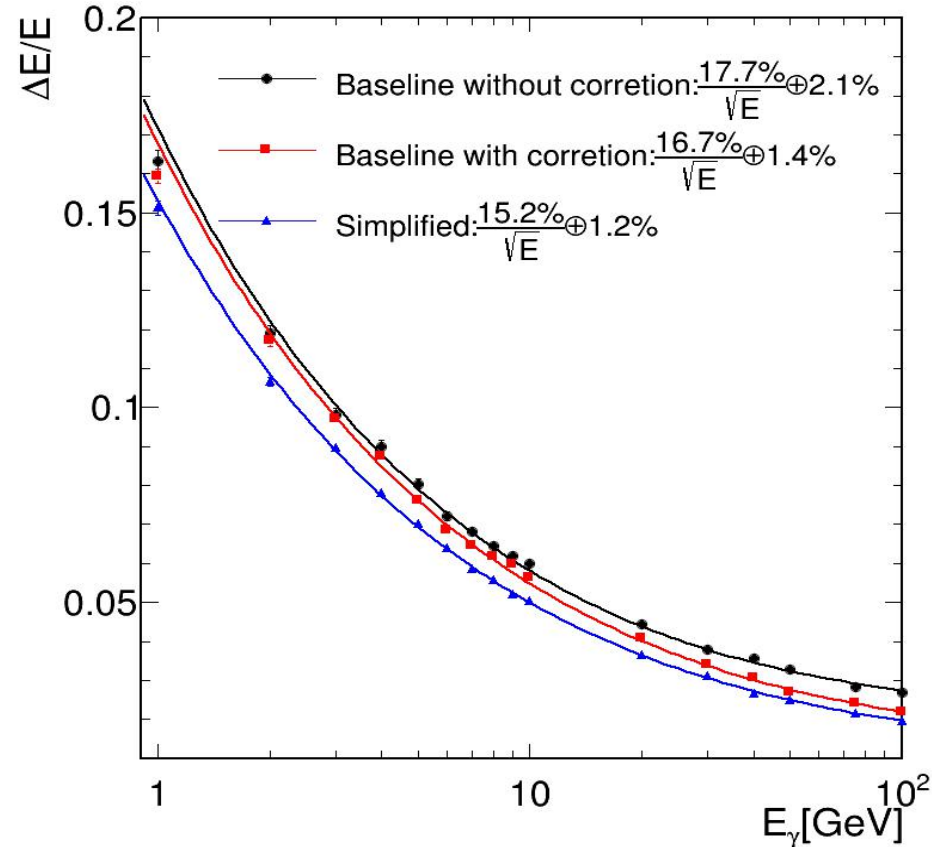
$$E_{\text{corrected}} = \frac{E'_{\text{true}}}{E'_{\text{deposited}}} \times E_{\text{deposited}}$$

# Photon Energy Resolution



The energy distribution of 75 GeV photon **before (left)** and **after (right)** applying the correction.

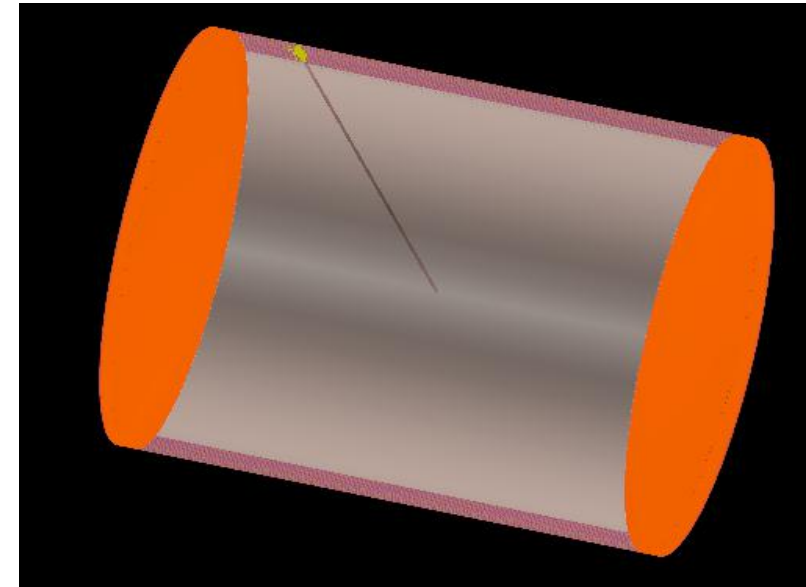
# Photon Energy Resolution



The simplified geometry (ECAL):

no material in front

no gaps between two modules.



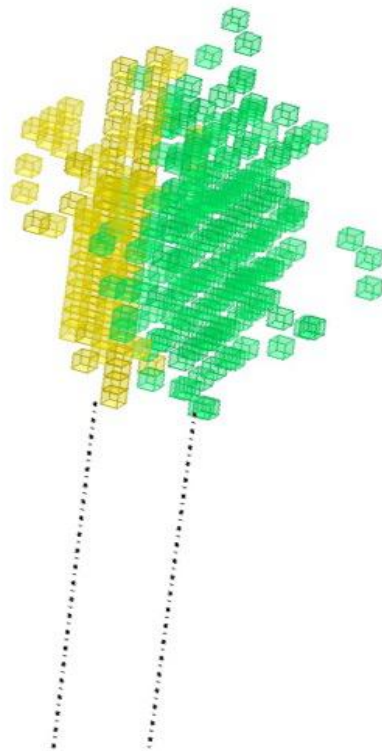
Since the input sample is chosen at 50 GeV, correction at high energy is more significant. The energy-dependent correction algorithm will be developed for later analysis

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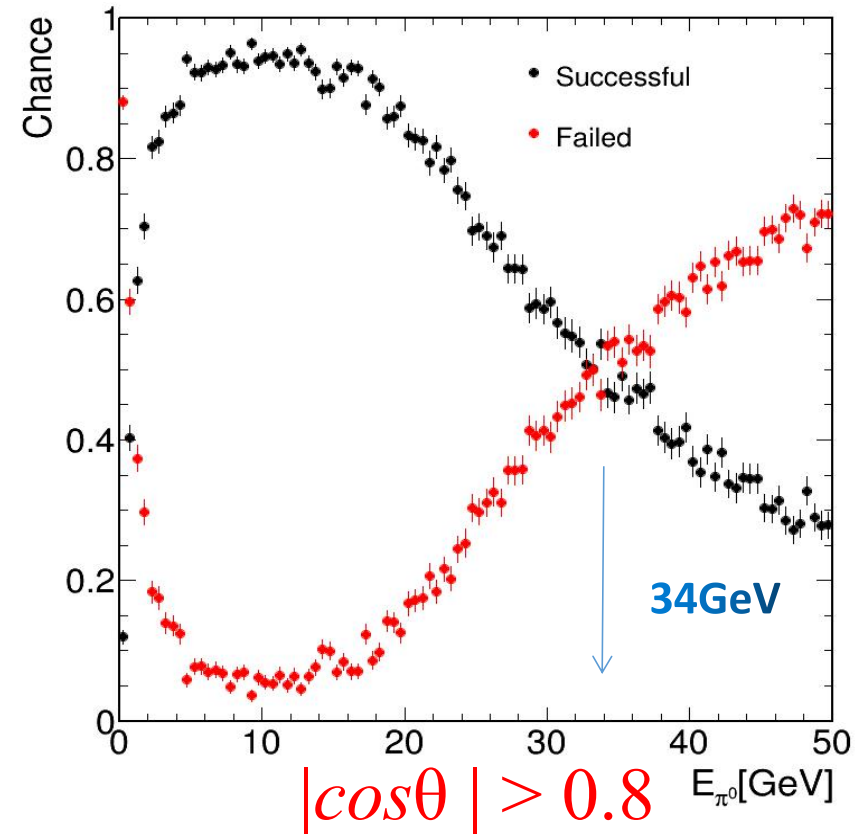
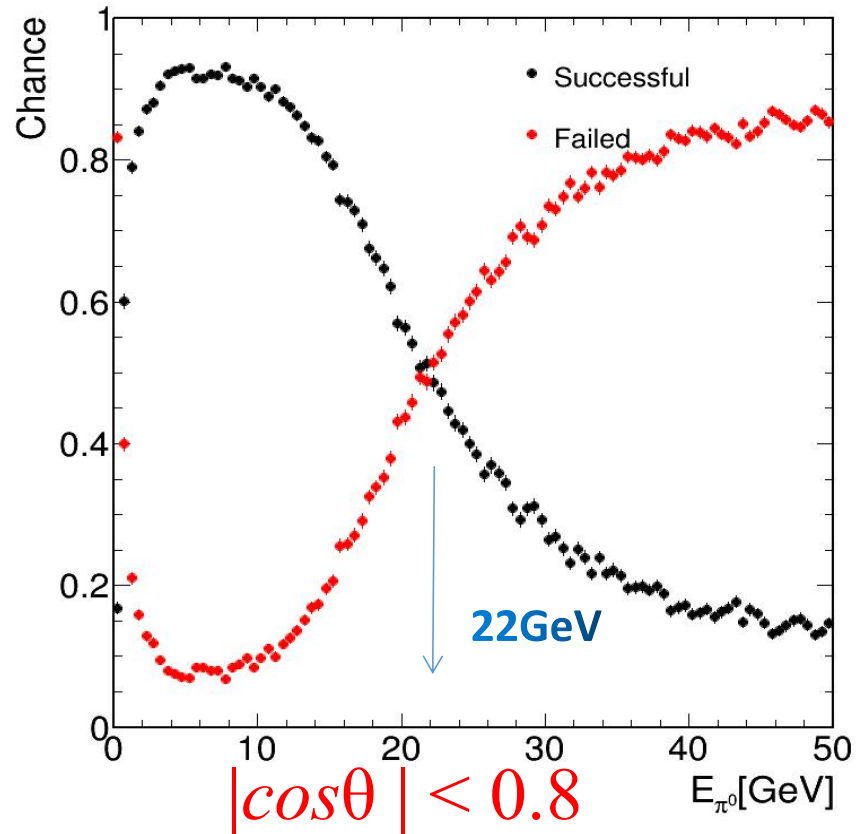
- The photon reconstruction, especially the separation performance of nearby photon clusters, can be characterized by  $\pi^0$  reconstruction.



A successfully reconstructed 19 GeV  $\pi^0$ . The calorimeter showers are close to each other but can be separated.

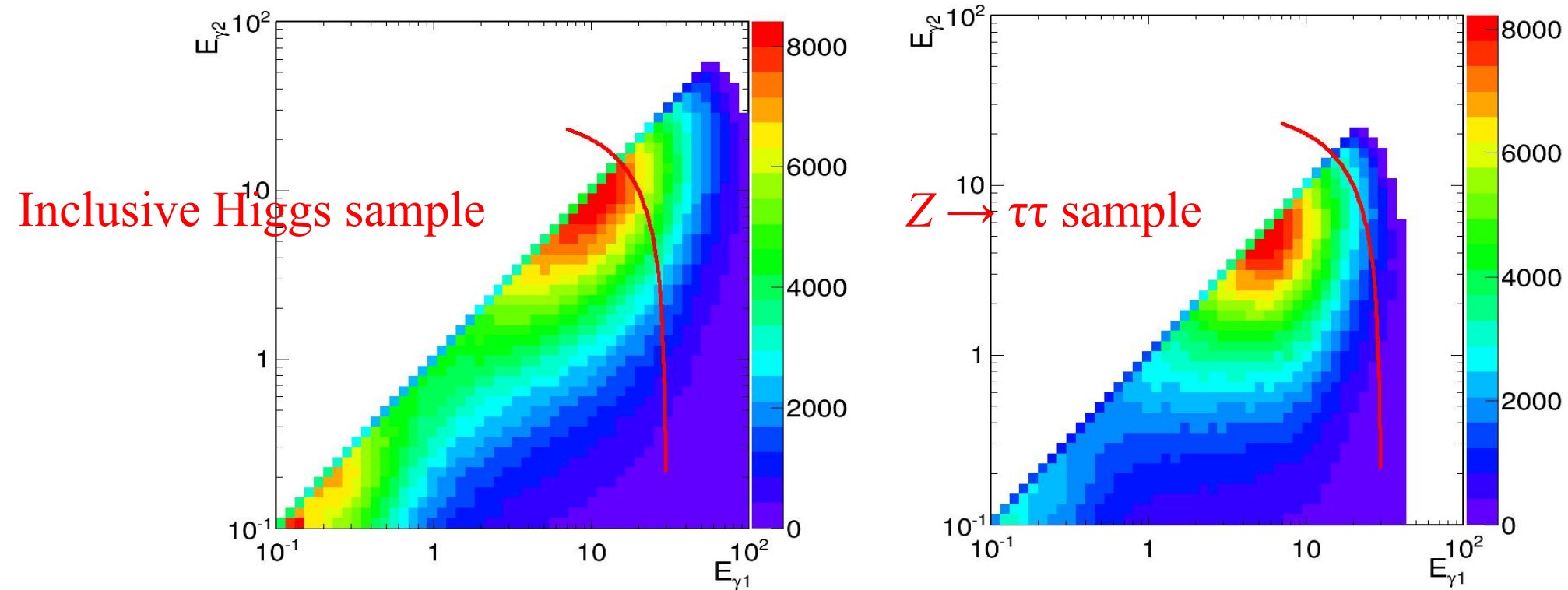
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- The chance of the successfully reconstructed  $\pi^0$  is defined as the probability of successfully reconstructed two photons at least and with the leading invariant mass between  $(0.135-5\sigma, 0.135+5\sigma)$  MeV.



# Performance on Diphoton events

- The generated  $\pi^0$  distributions in different samples.



Roughly **15%** of the  $\pi^0$  generated in the inclusive Higgs sample has its energy above the average critical energy (30 GeV).  
Only **3%** of the  $\pi^0$  generated in  $Z \rightarrow \tau\tau$  events exceeds the critical energy threshold.



# Conclusion and Next Setp

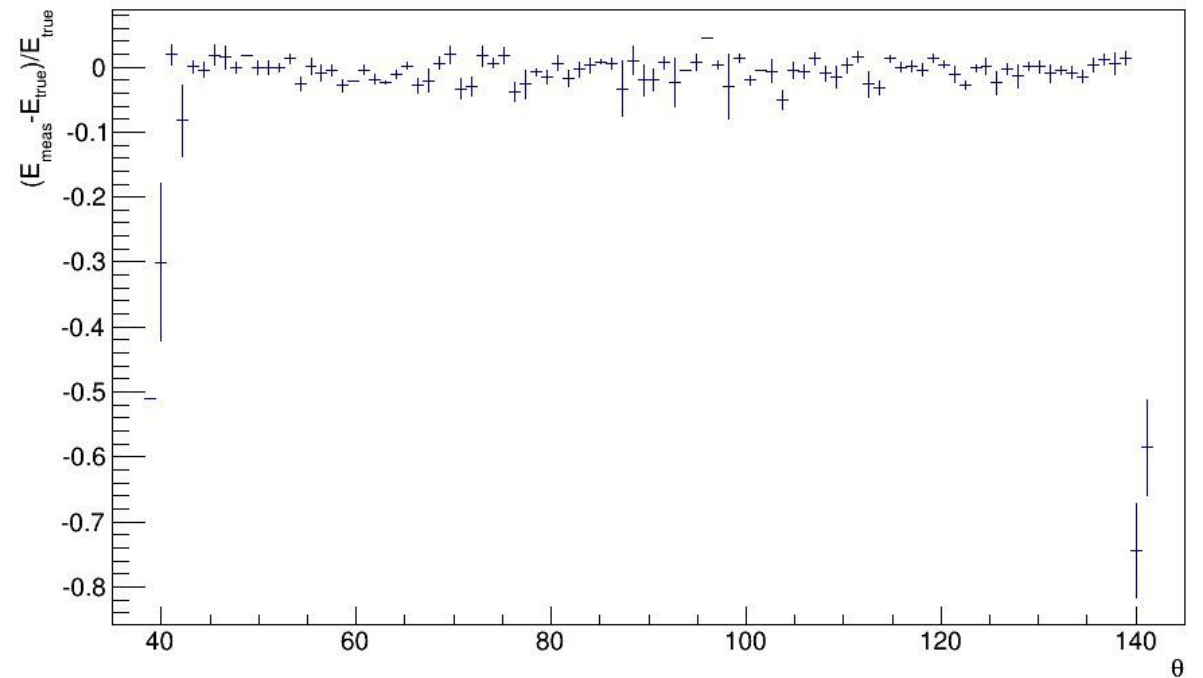
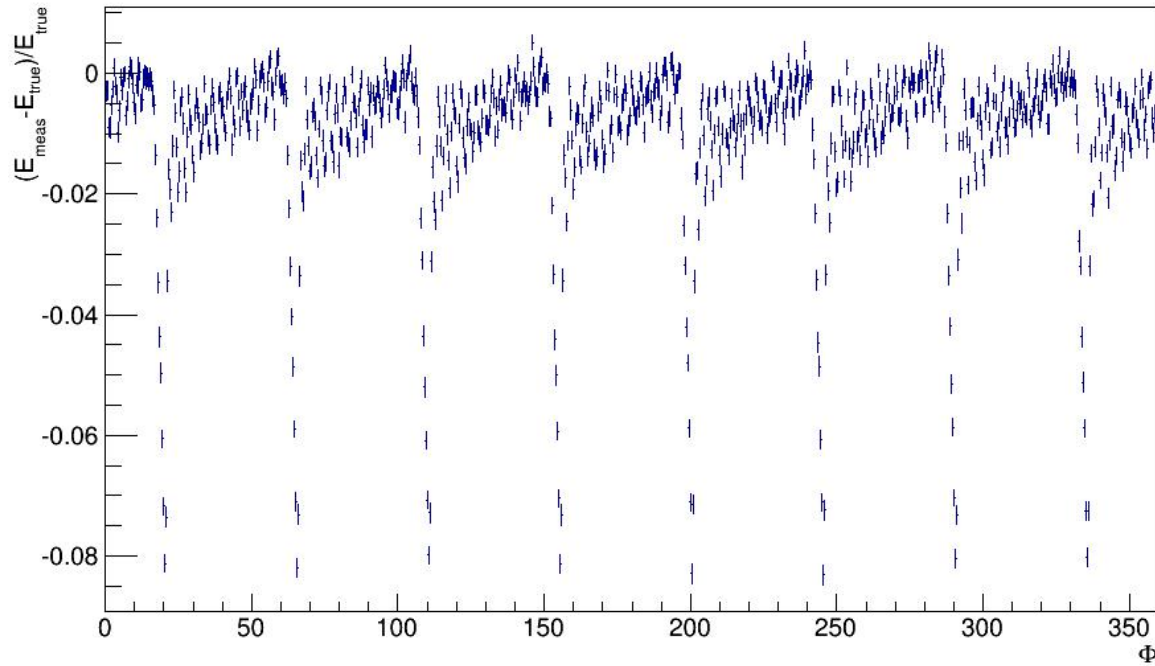
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- A high **efficient reconstruction performance** is observed at single photon sample.
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- We analyze the  $\pi^0$  reconstruction efficiency as a function of the  $\pi^0$  energy, the critical energy of 22/34 GeV at the barrel/endcap region (corresponding to 50% of the successful reconstruction rate) is observed using a general PFA reconstruction algorithm (Arbor). This  $\pi^0$  reconstruction efficiency and the separation performance could be enhanced by applying a dedicated  $\pi^0$  finding and identification algorithm.

# Geometry defects & correction

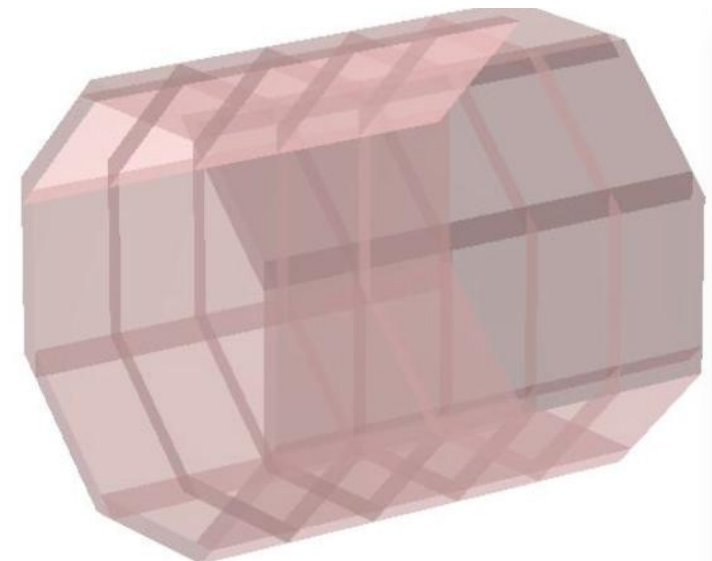


Energy deposited in ECAL depends on the  $\phi$  and  $\theta$ .

Need corrections ( $\phi$ ,  $\theta$ ,  $E_{\text{true}}$ ).

**Only Considering the unconverted Photon in the Barrel case at the hit level**

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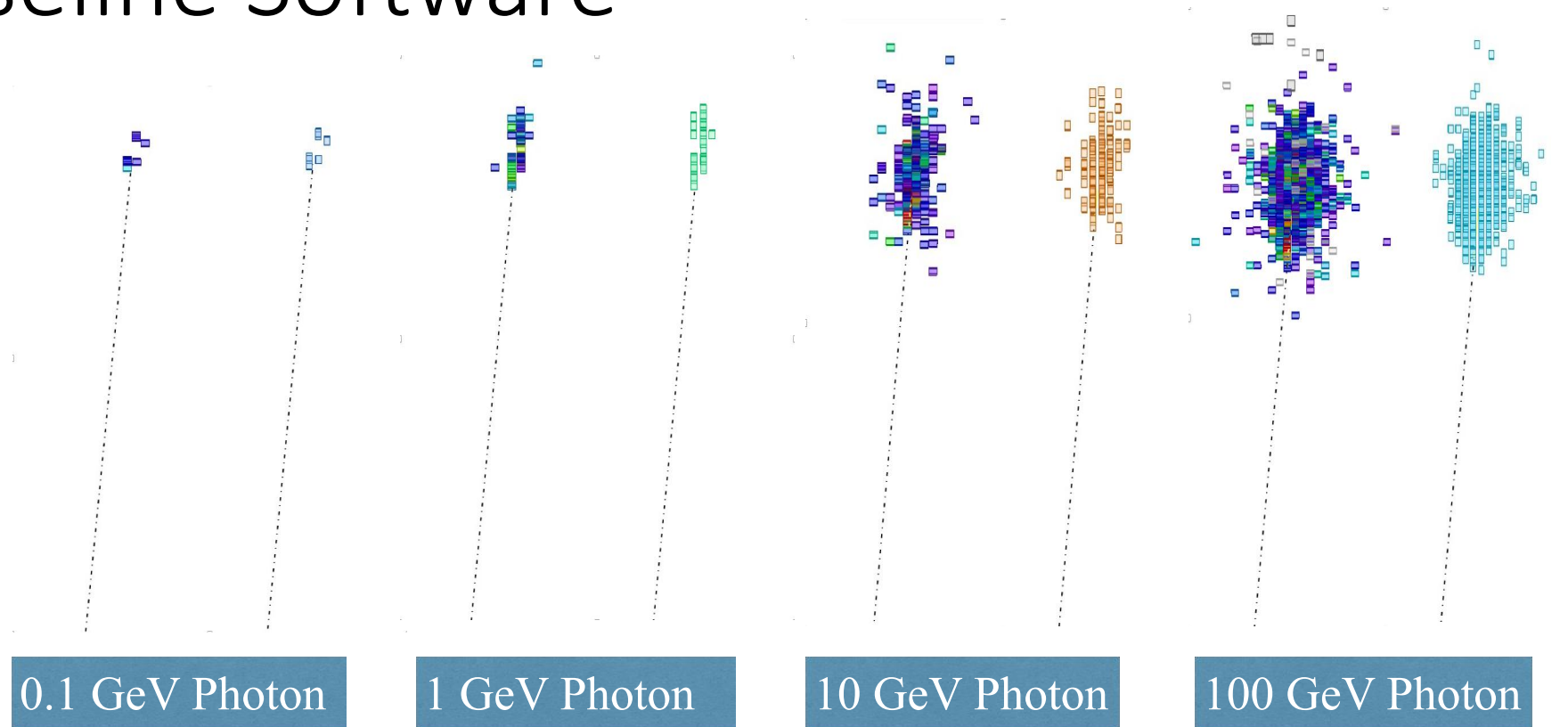
# Motivation

Photons can be produced from ISR, FSR and decays of unstable particles.

Precise photon measurements are essential:

- jet energy resolution
- measurements of  $H \rightarrow \gamma \gamma$
- studies of radiative process
- the  $\tau$  identification
- They impact all aspects of the physics at the CEPC

# Baseline Software



The calorimeter hits and the corresponding reconstructed calorimeter clusters of photons.

