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PFA reconstruction algorithm for CEPC crystal bar ECAL

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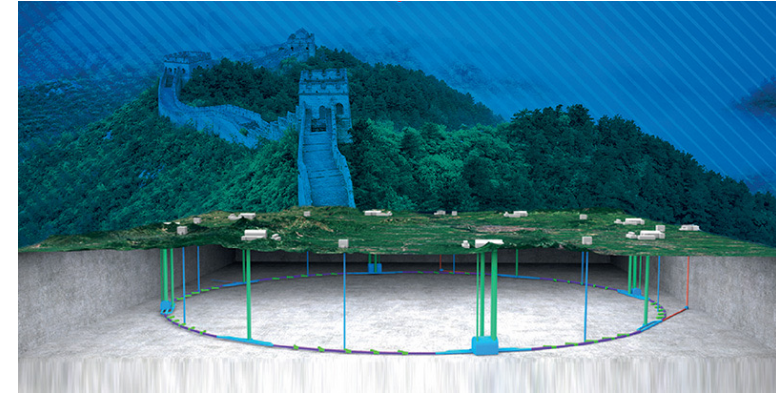
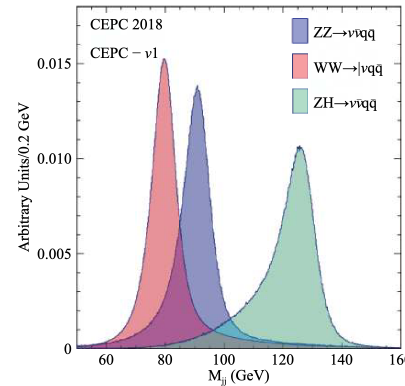
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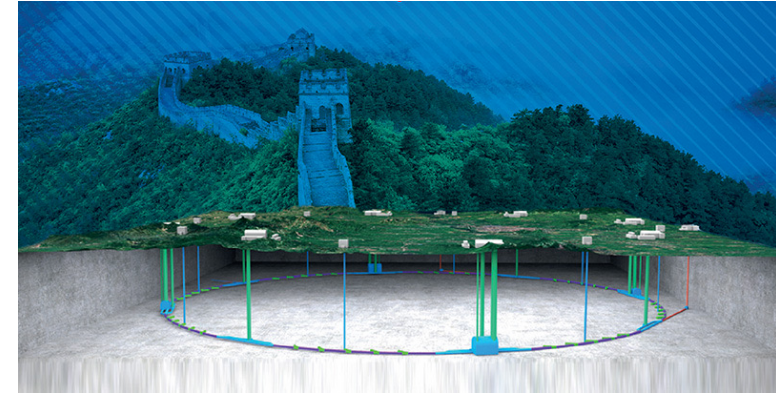
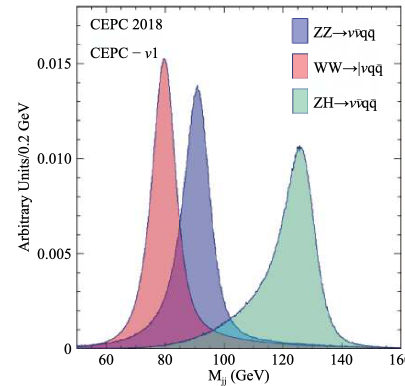


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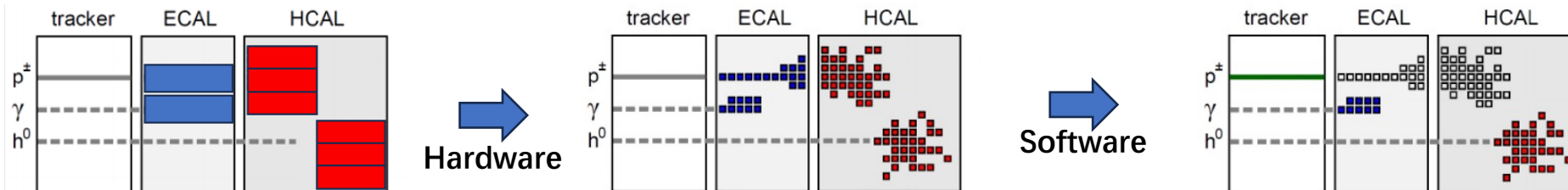
- **PFA and current PFA-originated calorimetry: hardware + software**

Hardware: separate clusters from different particles.

- High granularity.
- Compact sampling structure.

Software: correctly assign calorimeter energy deposits to the particles.

- Clustering
- Pattern recognition.

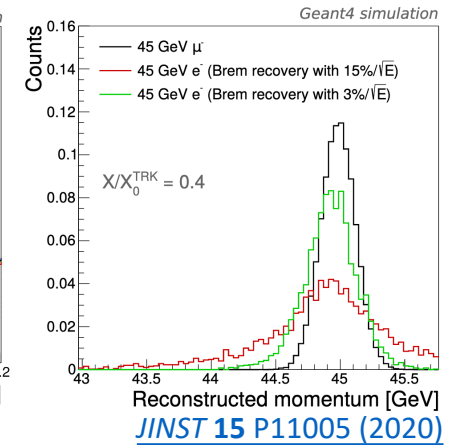
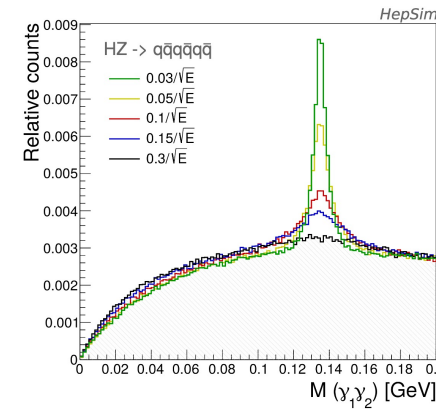


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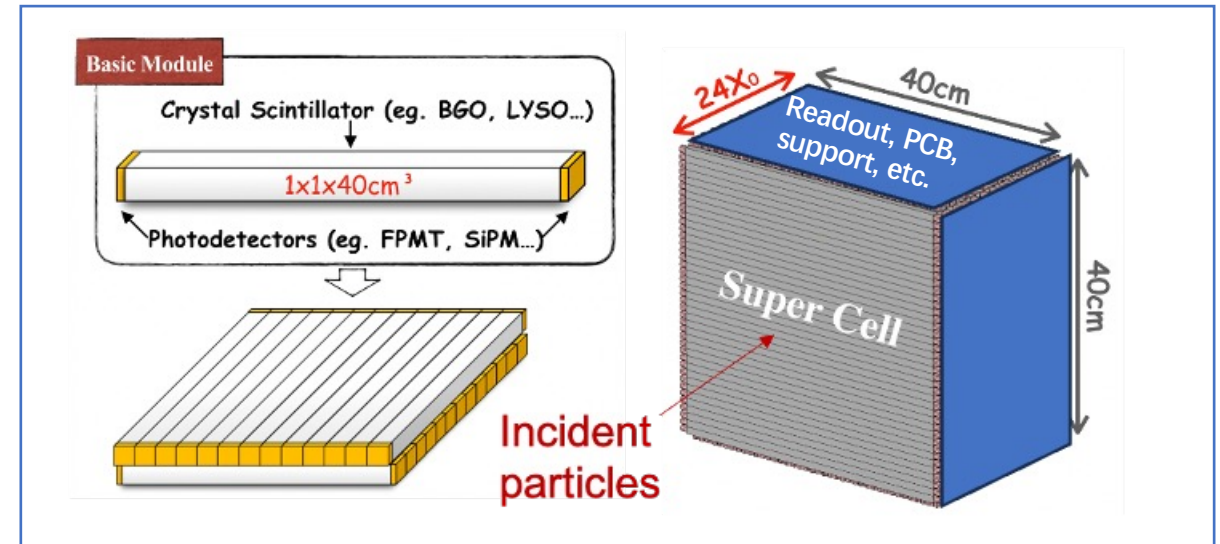
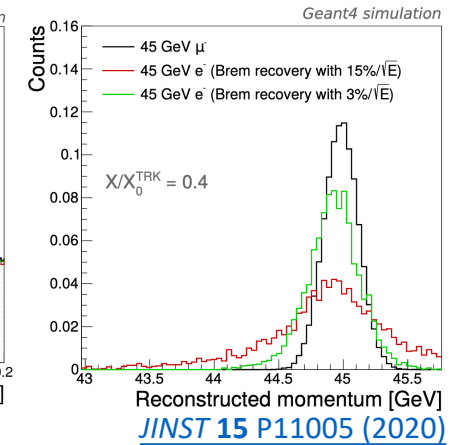
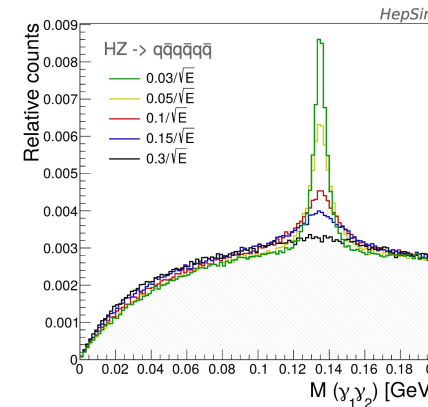


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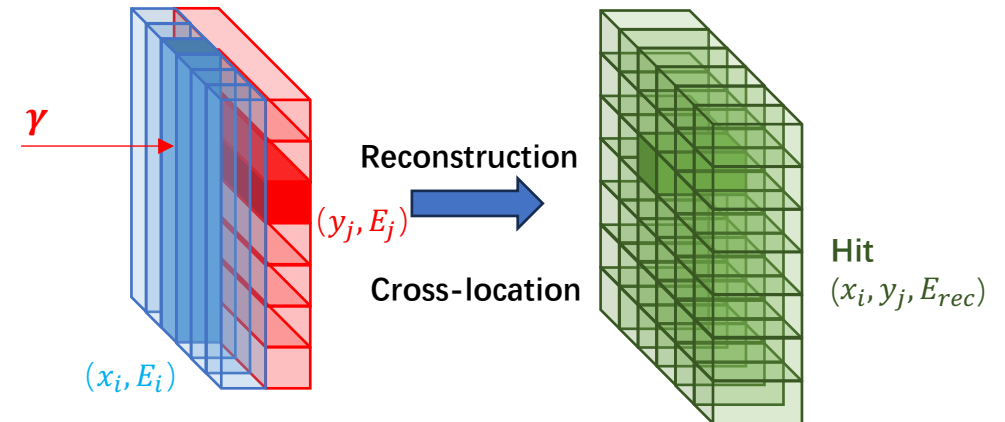
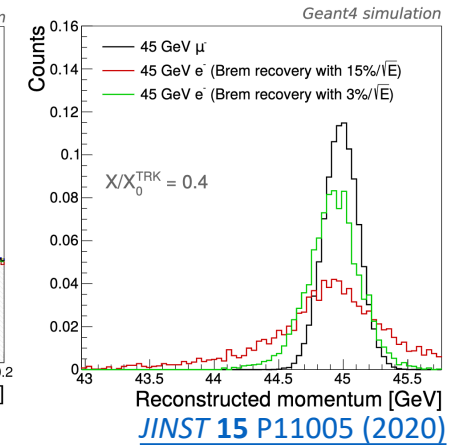
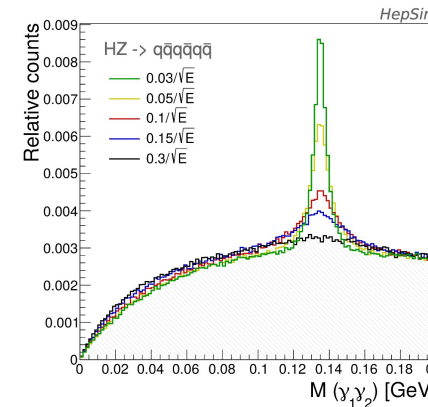


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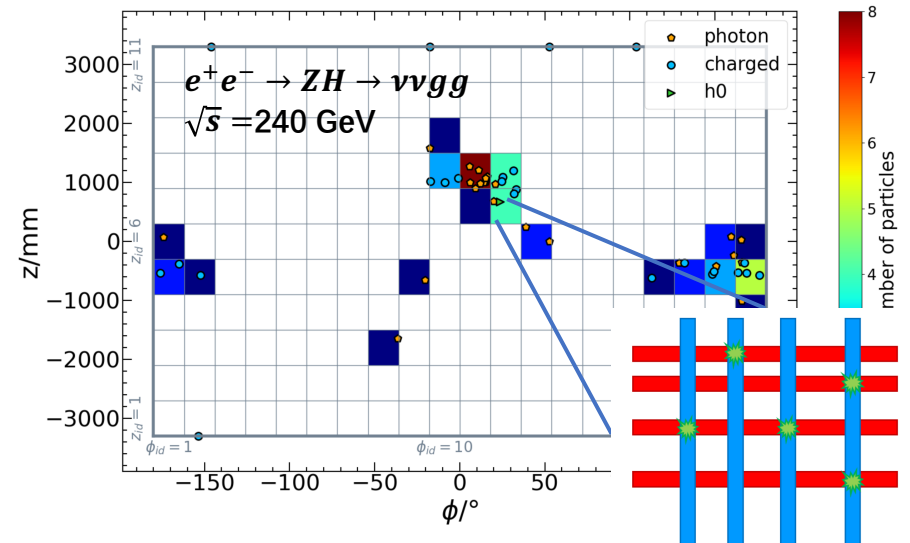
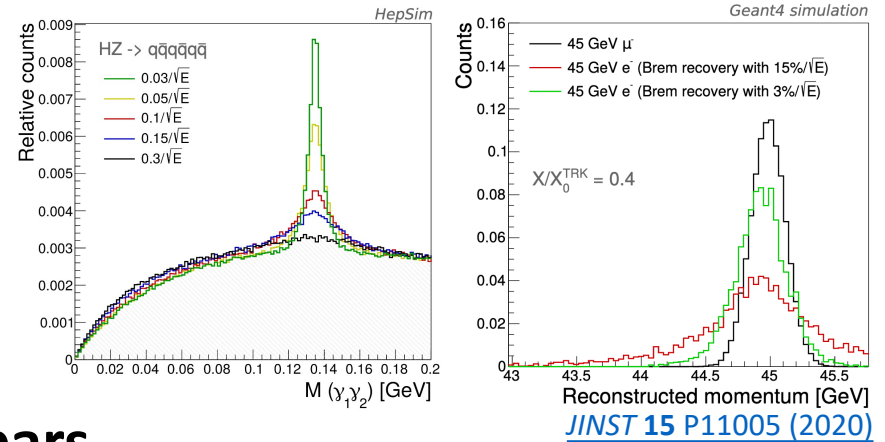
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 - More shower overlap with larger crystal R_M and X_0/λ_I .
 - **Multi-particle ambiguity in jet event**

A dedicated PFA is needed for this crystal bar ECAL

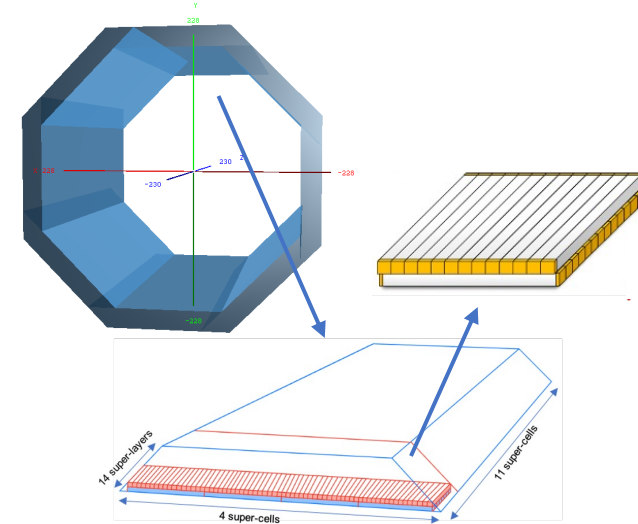
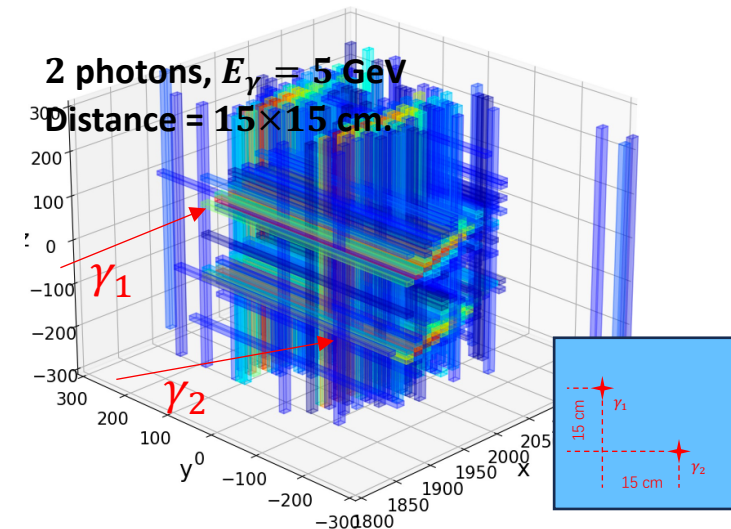
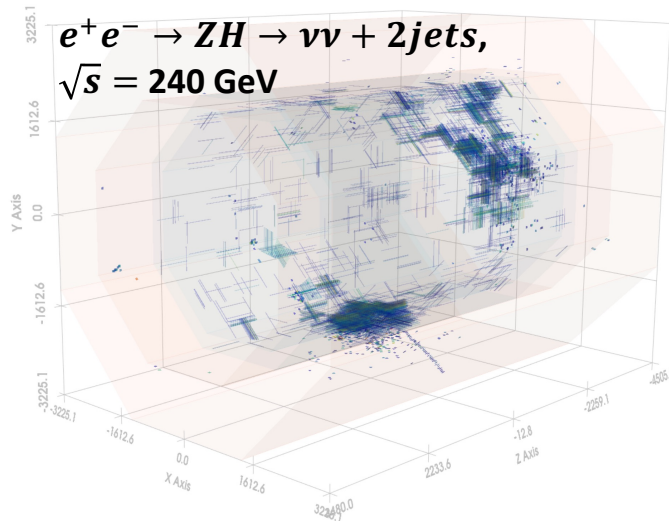


Simulation

• Detector geometry

- Global: octagonal ECAL, $R = 1.86$ m, $L = 6.6$ m, $H = 28$ cm
- Crystal Bar: $1 \times 1 \times 40 \sim 60$ cm³
- Super Cell: 2 layers of perpendicular crossing bars $\sim 40 \times \sim 60 \times 2$ cm³
- Ideal geometry: no dead area, supporting, mechanics, etc.
- Ideal digitization for energy and time.

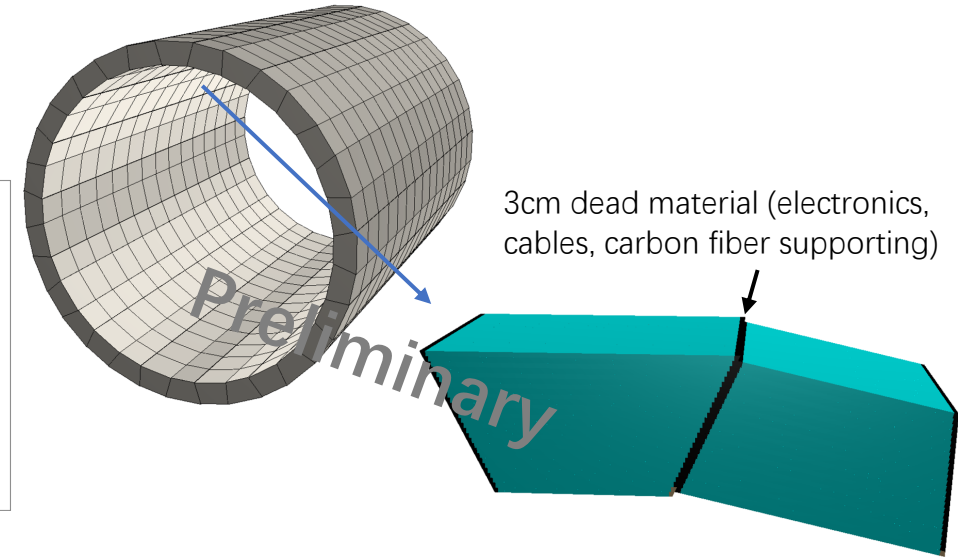
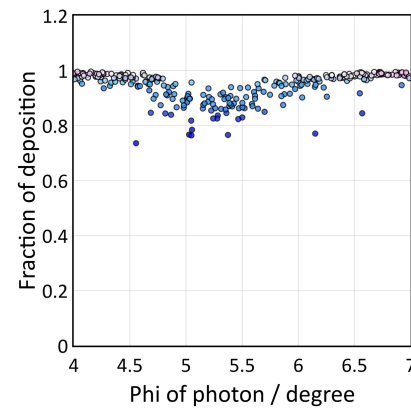
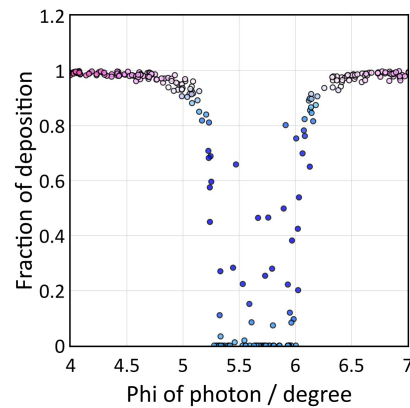
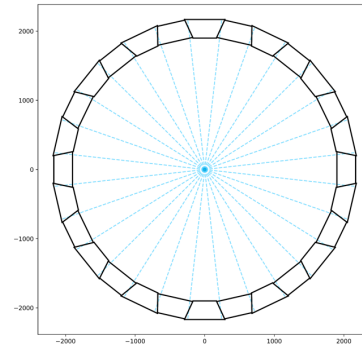
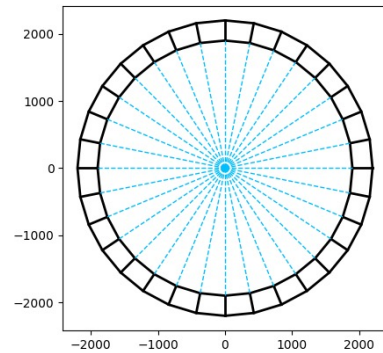
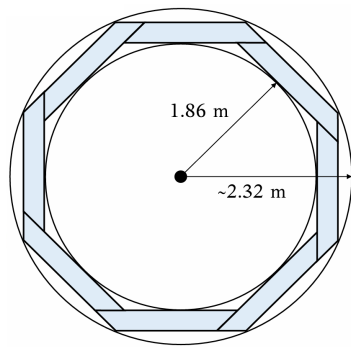
• Event display:



Simulation

- **Optimized geometry: 32-side trapezoid ECAL**

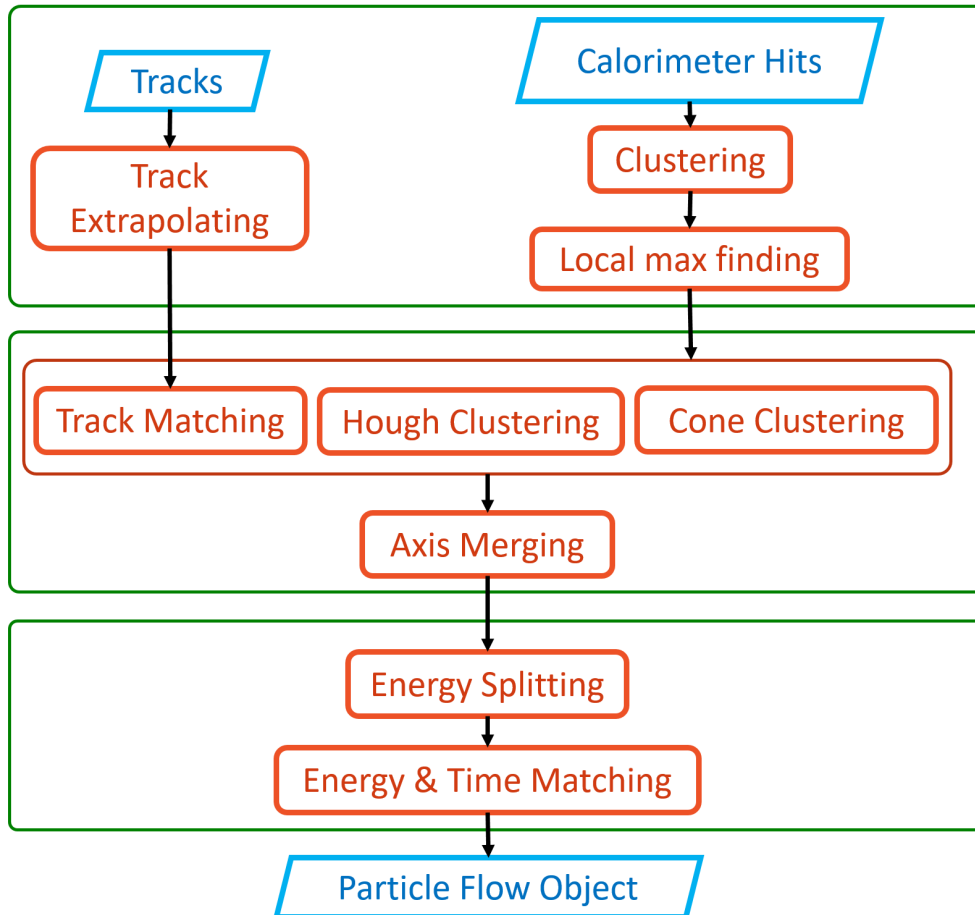
- More compact structure, smaller HCAL R_{in} .
- Minimized cracks between modules.



Photon energy leakage in crack region: <20%.
An energy correction is expected.

Reconstruction algorithm

- A pattern recognition PFA



Read-in and preparing

Pattern recognition:
simplify the ambiguity problem

Overlap splitting

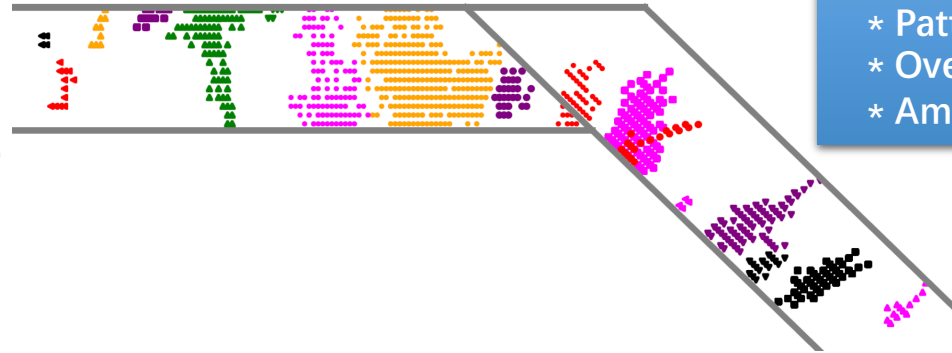
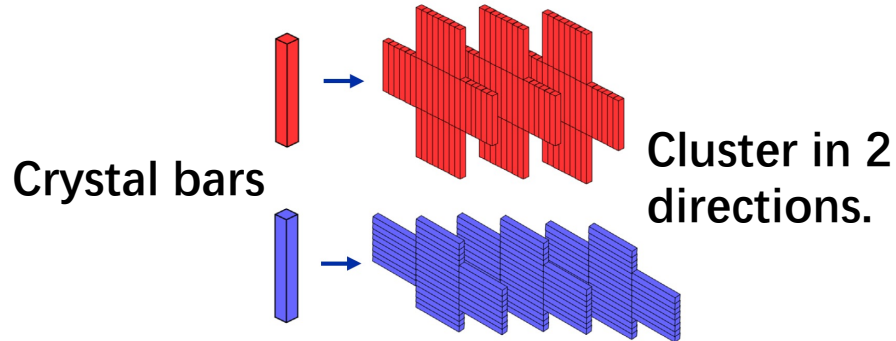
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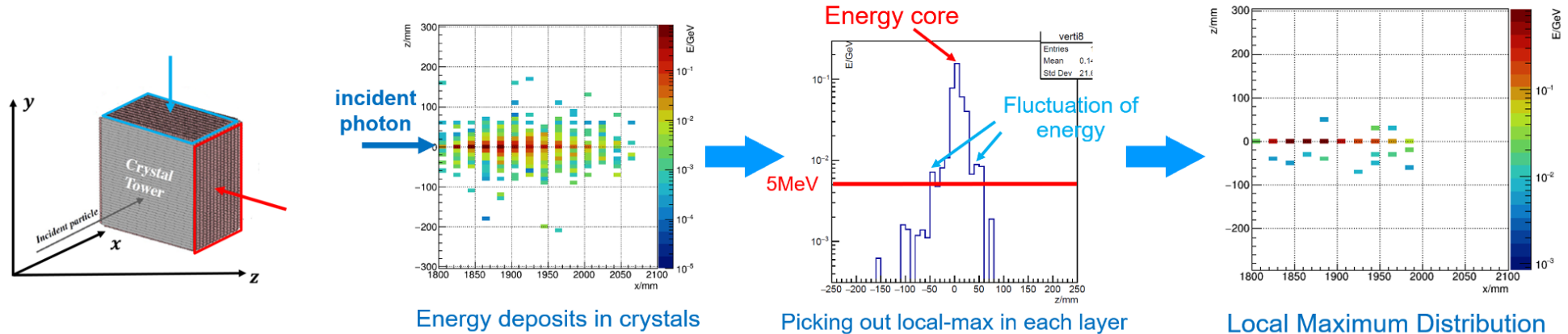


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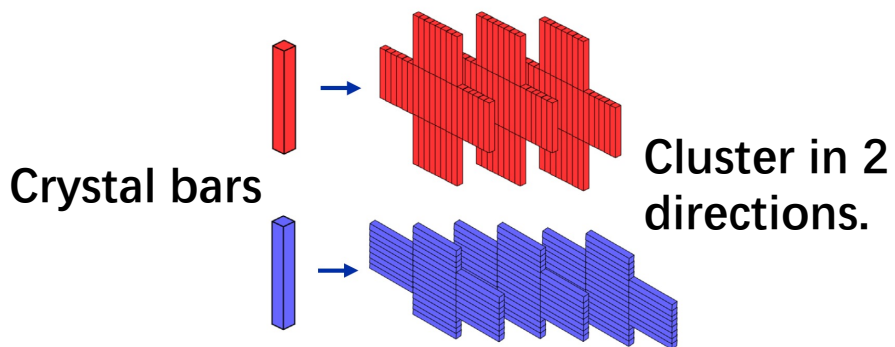
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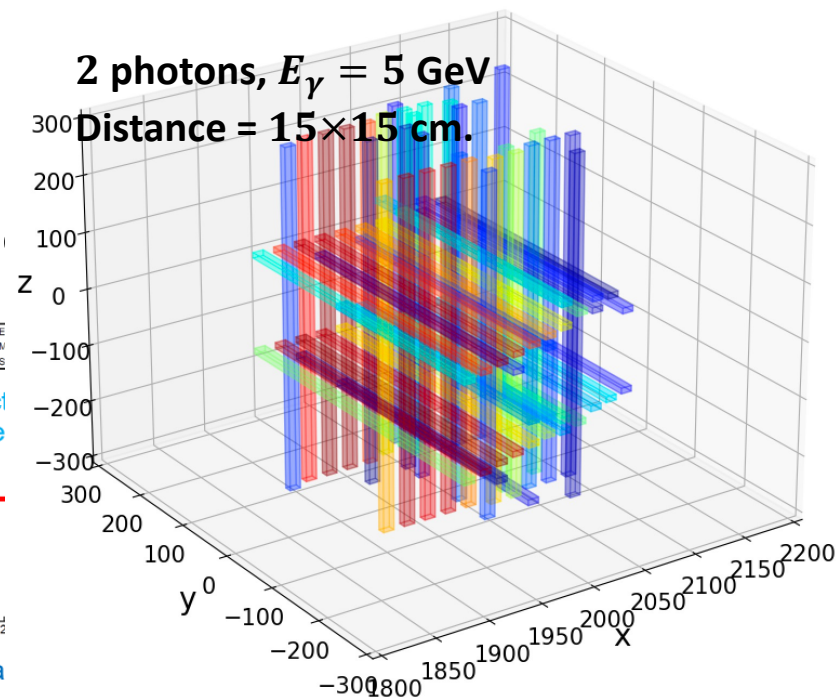
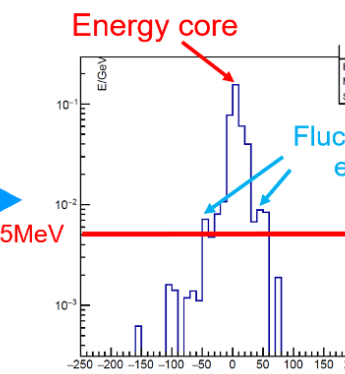
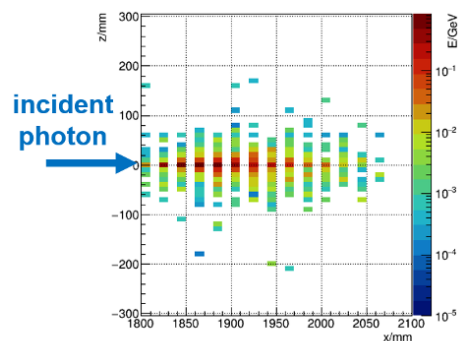
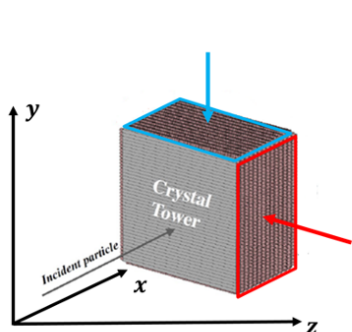


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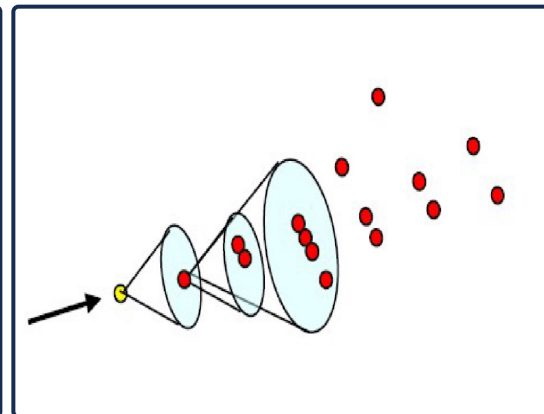
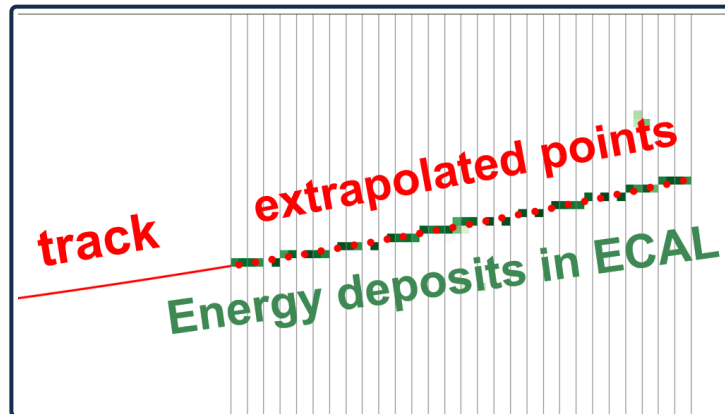


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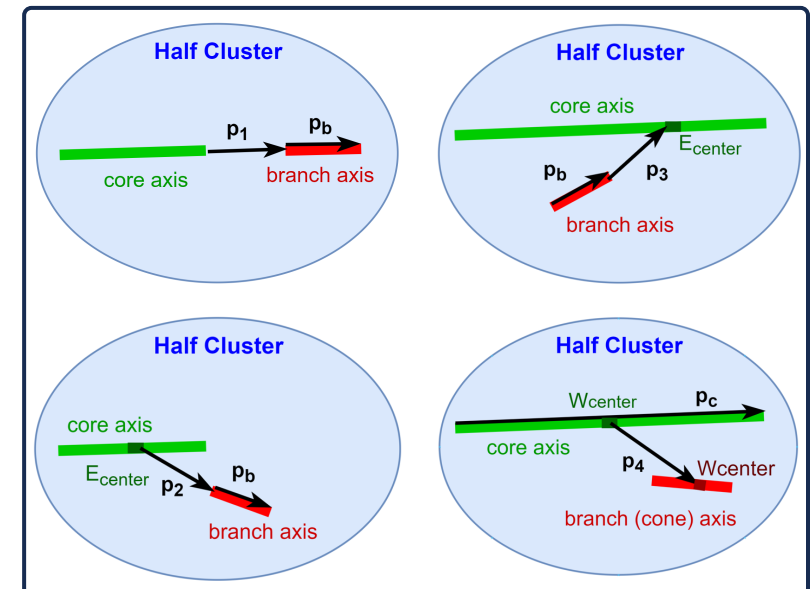
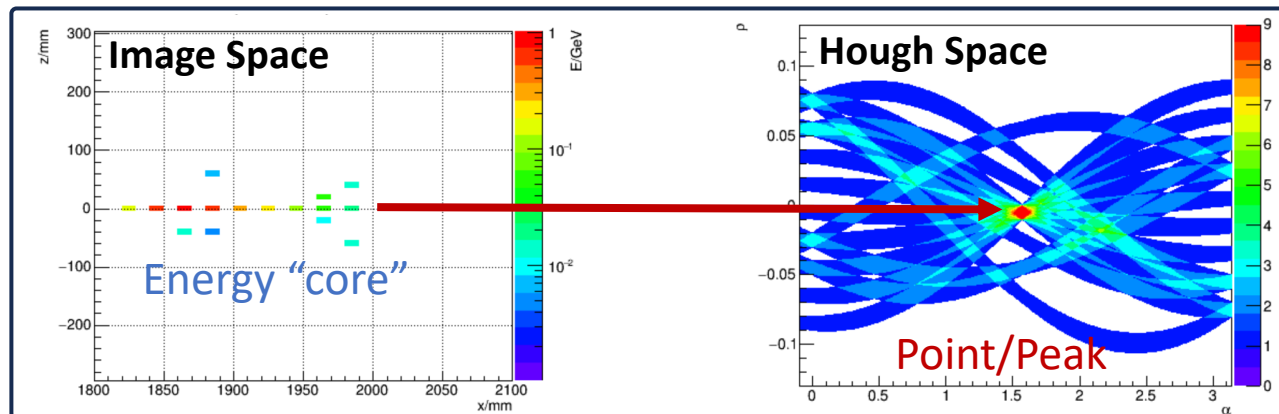


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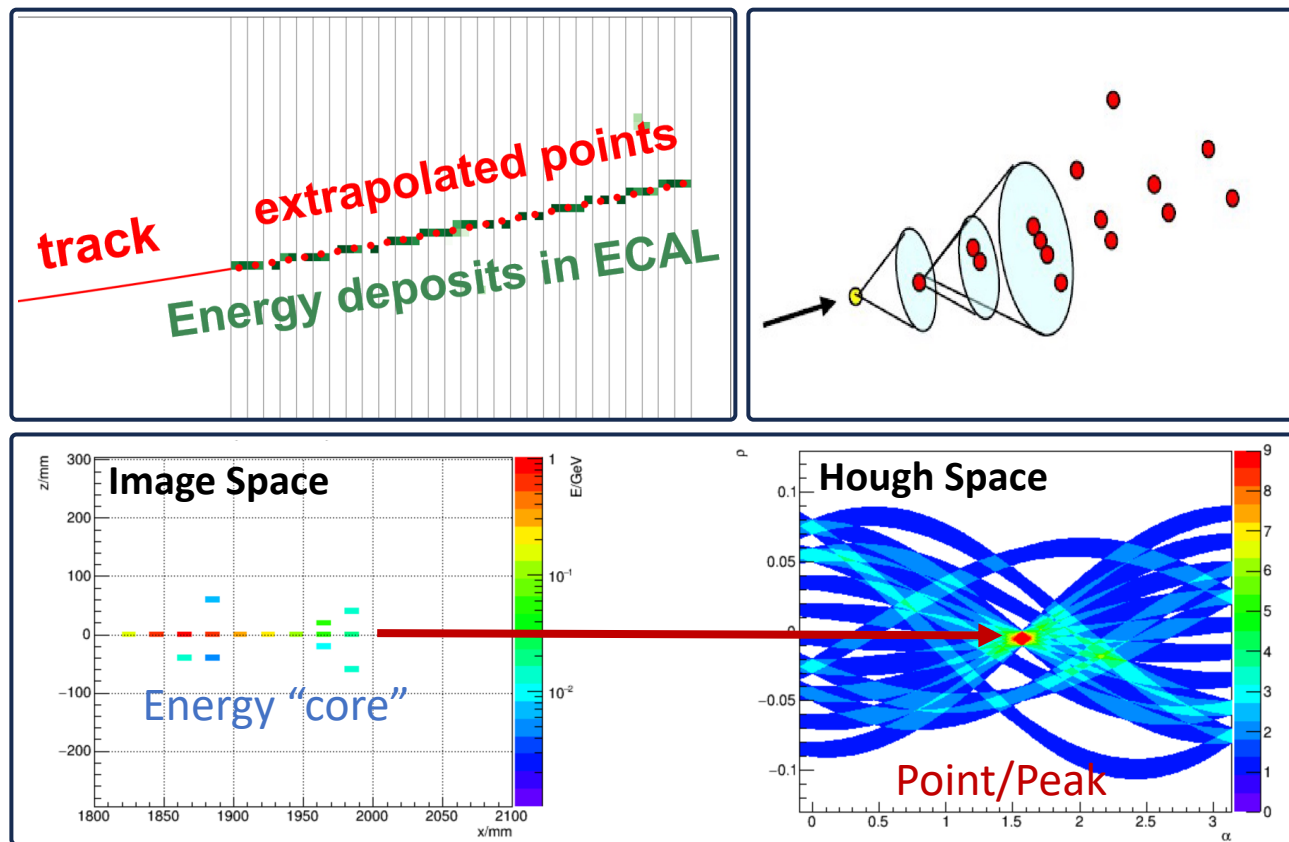
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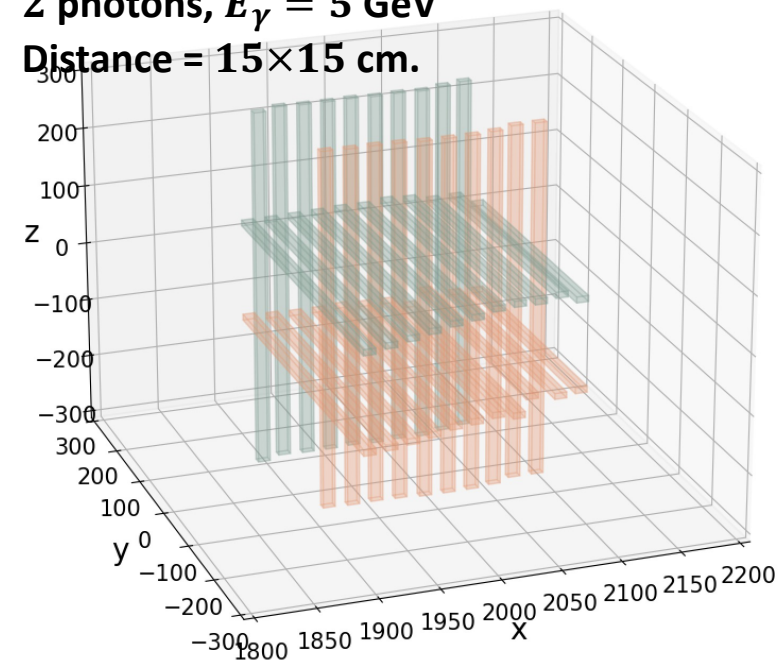


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2 photons, $E_\gamma = 5 \text{ GeV}$

Distance = $15 \times 15 \text{ cm}$.



Reconstruction algorithm



- **Splitting for the overlapped shower:**

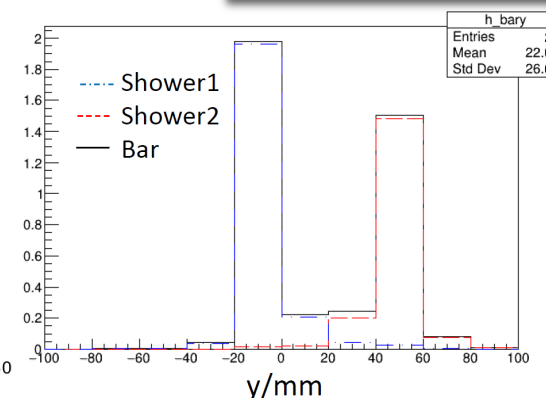
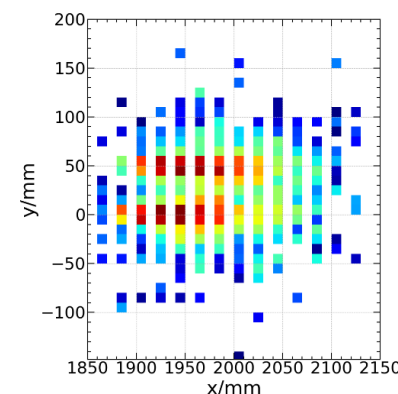
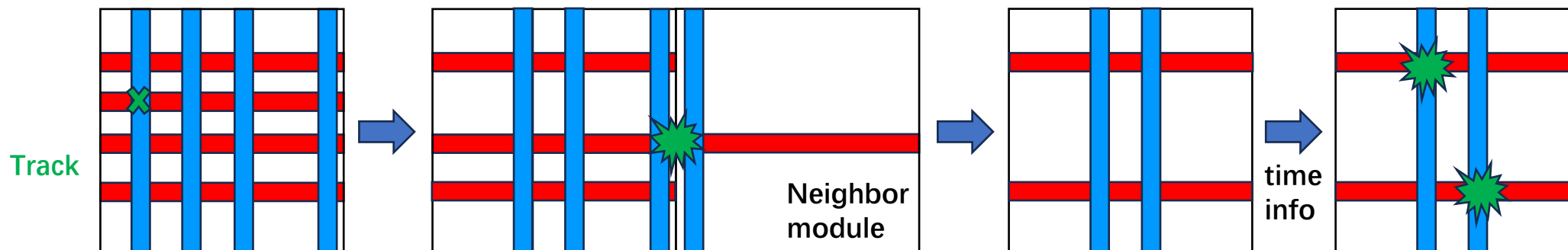
- Calculate the expected energy deposition from EM profile.

- Expected energy : $E_{i\mu}^{exp} = E_{\mu}^{seed} \times f(|x_i - x_c|)$

- Assigned weight: $w_{i\mu} = \frac{E_{i\mu}^{exp}}{\sum_{\mu} E_{i\mu}^{exp}}$

- **Ambiguity removal:**

- Information from: track, neighbor tower, time.



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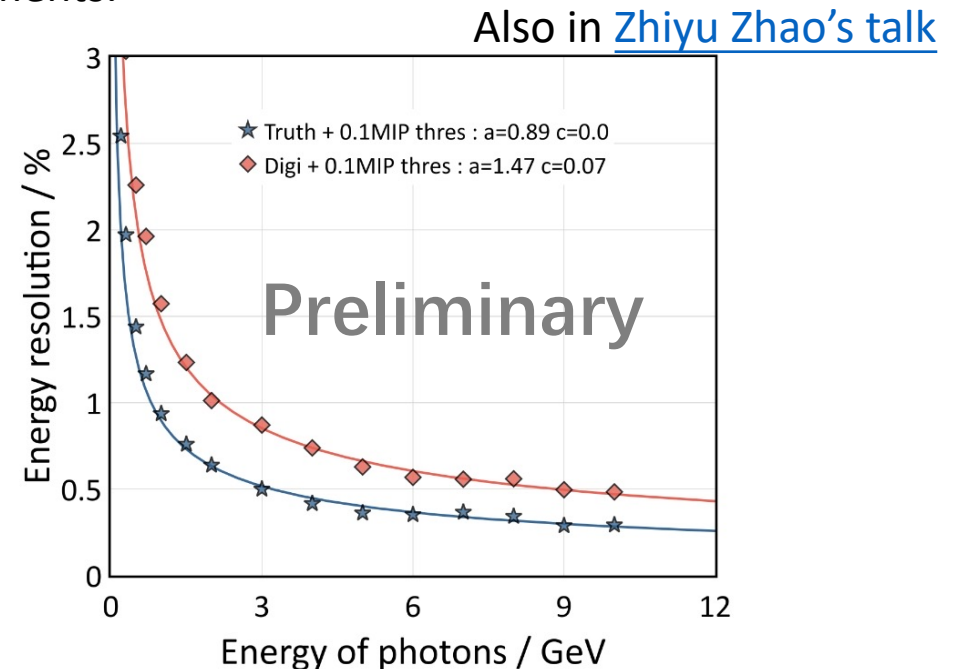
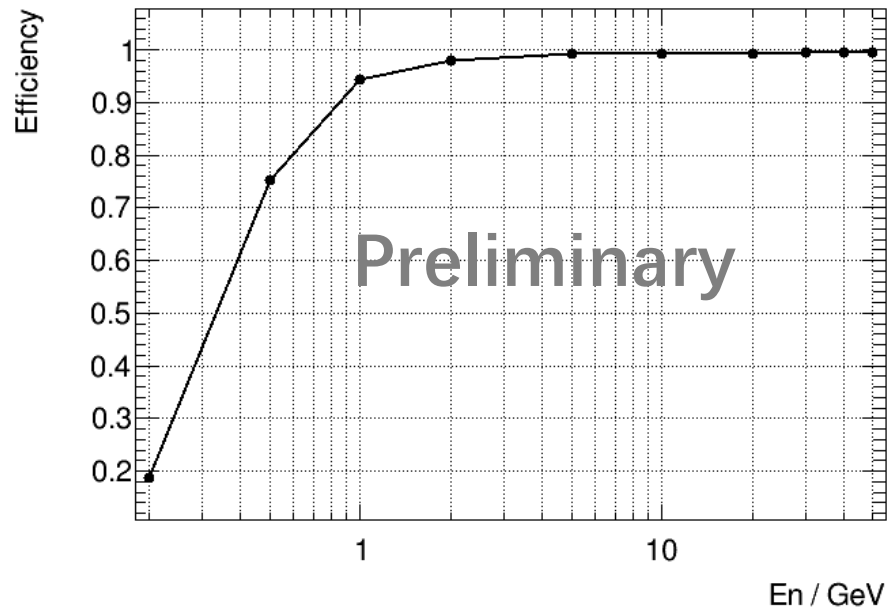
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Preliminary performance



• Single photon reconstruction

- Efficiency: $\sim 100\%$ for >1 GeV photons.
- Energy resolution: related to digitization model.
 - A realistic model is under development, including crystal scintillation \oplus ADC digitization and gain modes.
 - Parameters in the model comes from lab experiments.

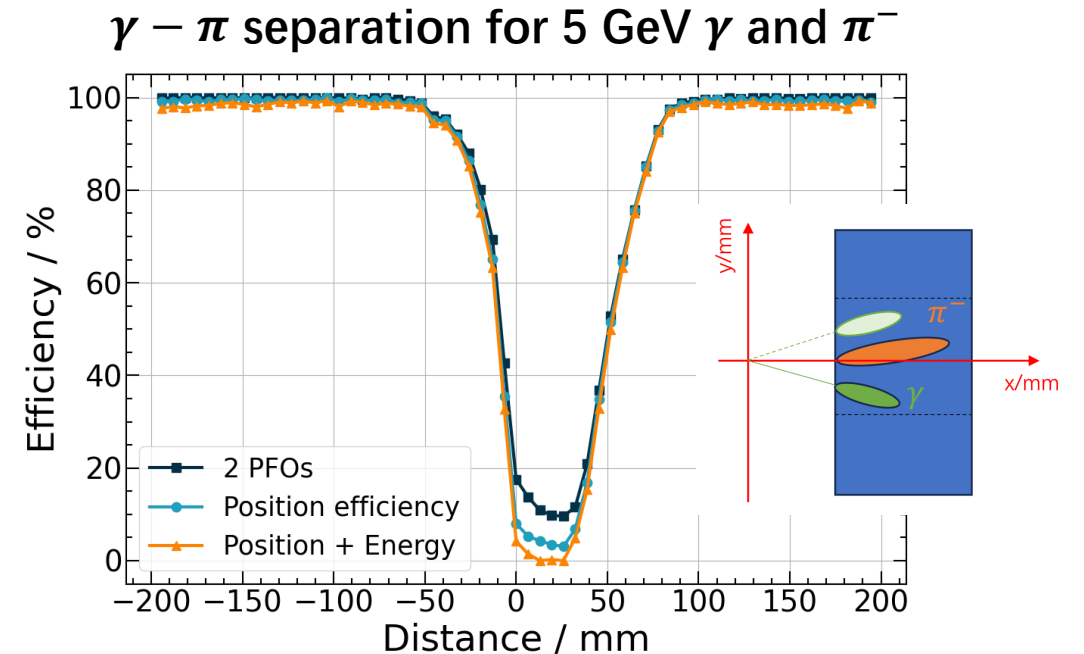
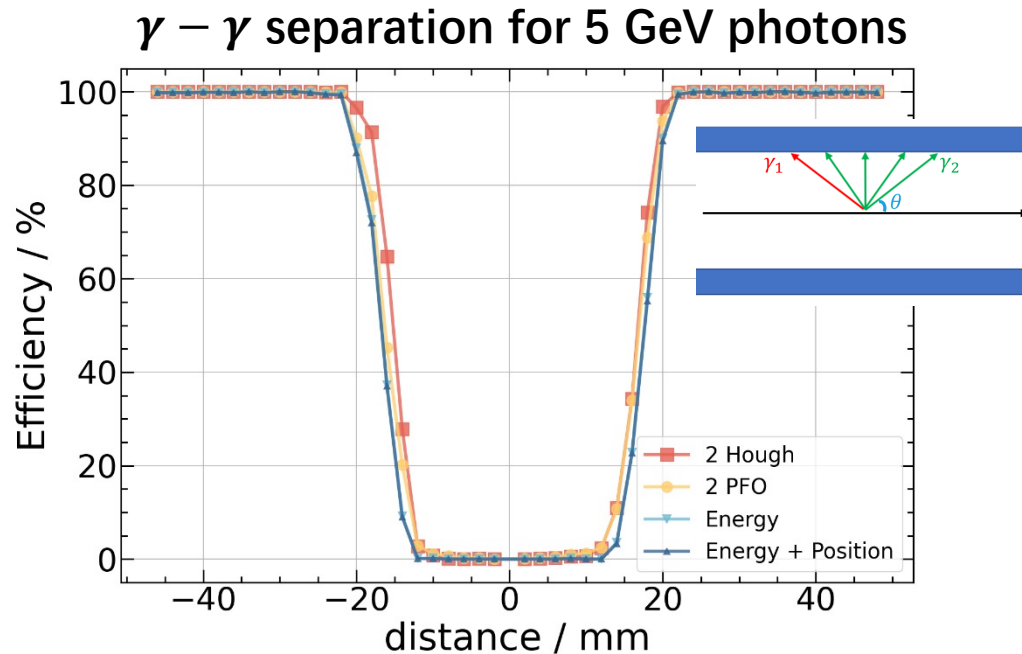


Preliminary performance



• Close-by particle separation

- Key performance in PFA reconstruction.
- $\gamma - \gamma$ separation: 2.2 cm @ 100% efficiency.
- $\gamma - \pi$ separation: 10 cm @ 100% efficiency.

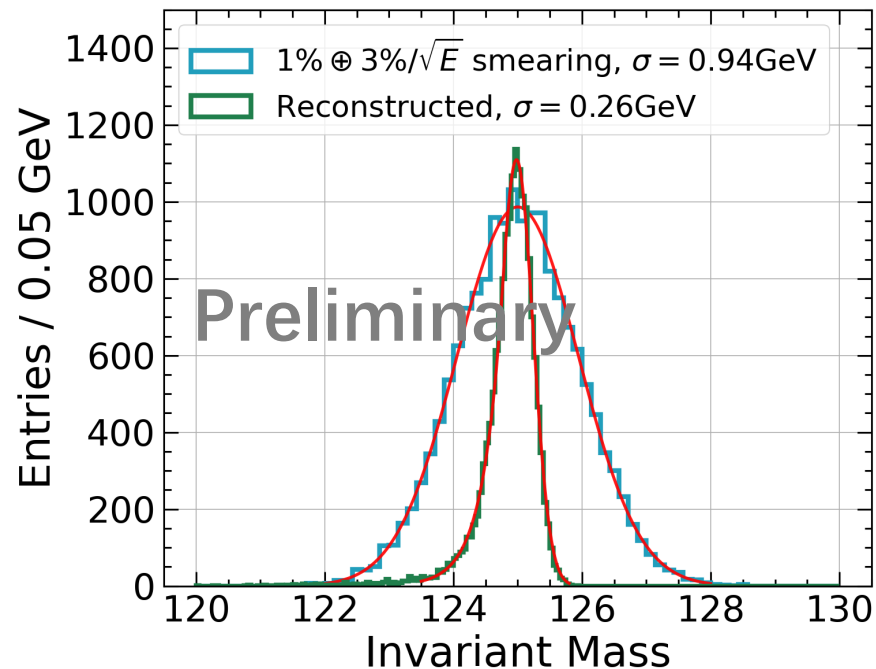


Preliminary performance



- **Physics performance: $H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$**

- Pure channel for ECAL performance, a benchmark channel for physics.
- The preliminary digitization model is considered.
- An energy correction for longitudinal leakage: $\frac{E_{dep}}{E_{inc}} = p_0 + p_1 \cdot CoreEneRatio + p_2 \cdot T_{max}Ratio$. Crack regions are excluded.

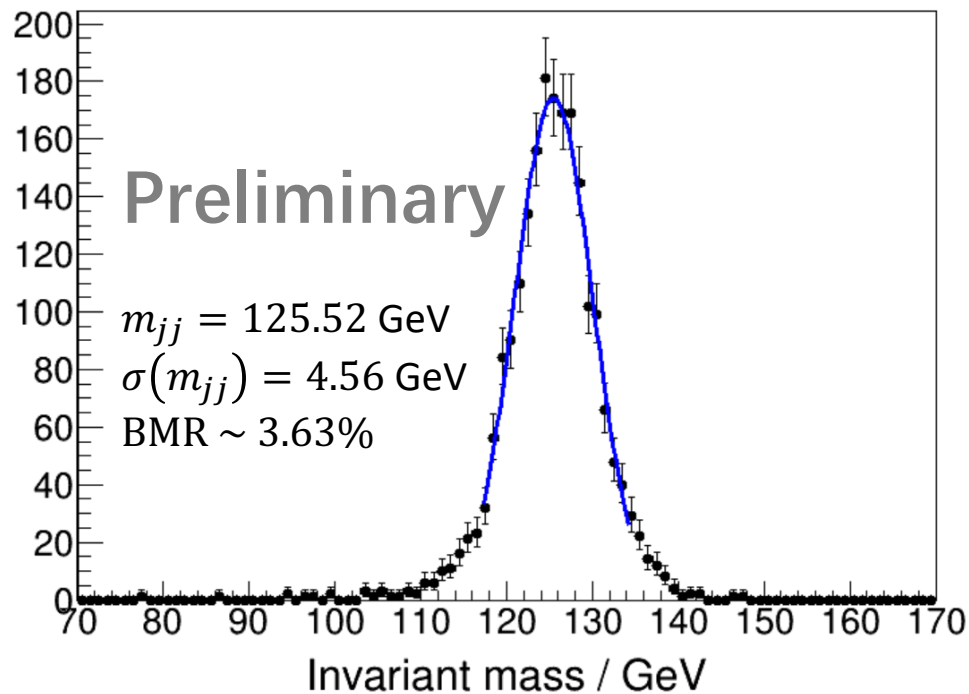


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• Physics performance: $e^+e^- \rightarrow ZH \rightarrow \nu\nu gg$

- Boson mass resolution (BMR) of di-jet event is essential for CEPC detector.
- Only consider ECAL reconstruction: **truth tracker + rec. ECAL + truth HCAL**.

$$m_{Higgs} = \sqrt{\left(p_{mc \text{ charged particles}} + p_{ECAL \text{ neutral clusters}} + p_{truth \text{ HCAL neutral clusters}}\right)^2}$$



Already included:

- Intrinsic energy resolution of ECAL and HCAL.
- Reconstruction efficiency in ECAL.
- Confusion and ambiguity in ECAL.
- Track mis-matching.

Missing for a full PFA:

- Track efficiency and resolution.
- HCAL efficiency and confusion.

Summary and prospects



- **A novel crystal ECAL design for CEPC Reference detector**
 - Optimal EM resolution, excellent low energy sensitivity, lower cost.
 - R&D progresses in hardware are introduced in [Zhiyu's talk](#).
- **A dedicated pattern recognition PFA**
 - Main challenges are the shower overlapping and ambiguity.
 - Very promising separation power and a preliminary BMR are derived.
- **Next step: a full PFA with:**
 - Optimized 32-side ECAL geometry.
 - Realistic digitization model.
 - Energy correction for the cracks between modules.
 - Full tracker and HCAL reconstruction.
 - For better understanding: decouple the contributions in current BMR / JER.

Thank you for your attention!