

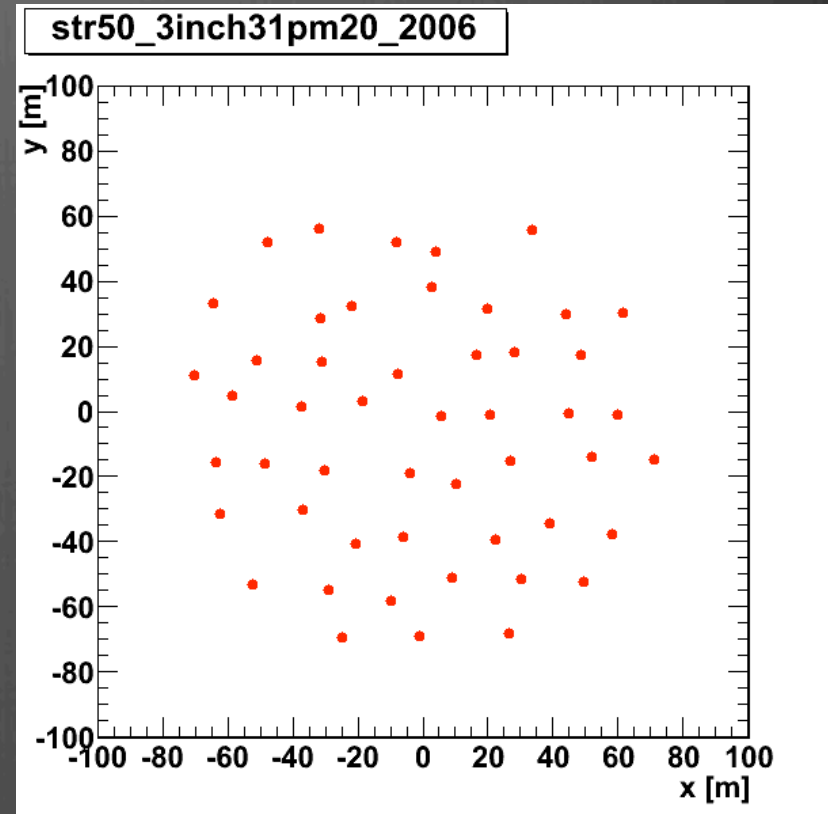
# Update on effective volumes and energy reconstruction

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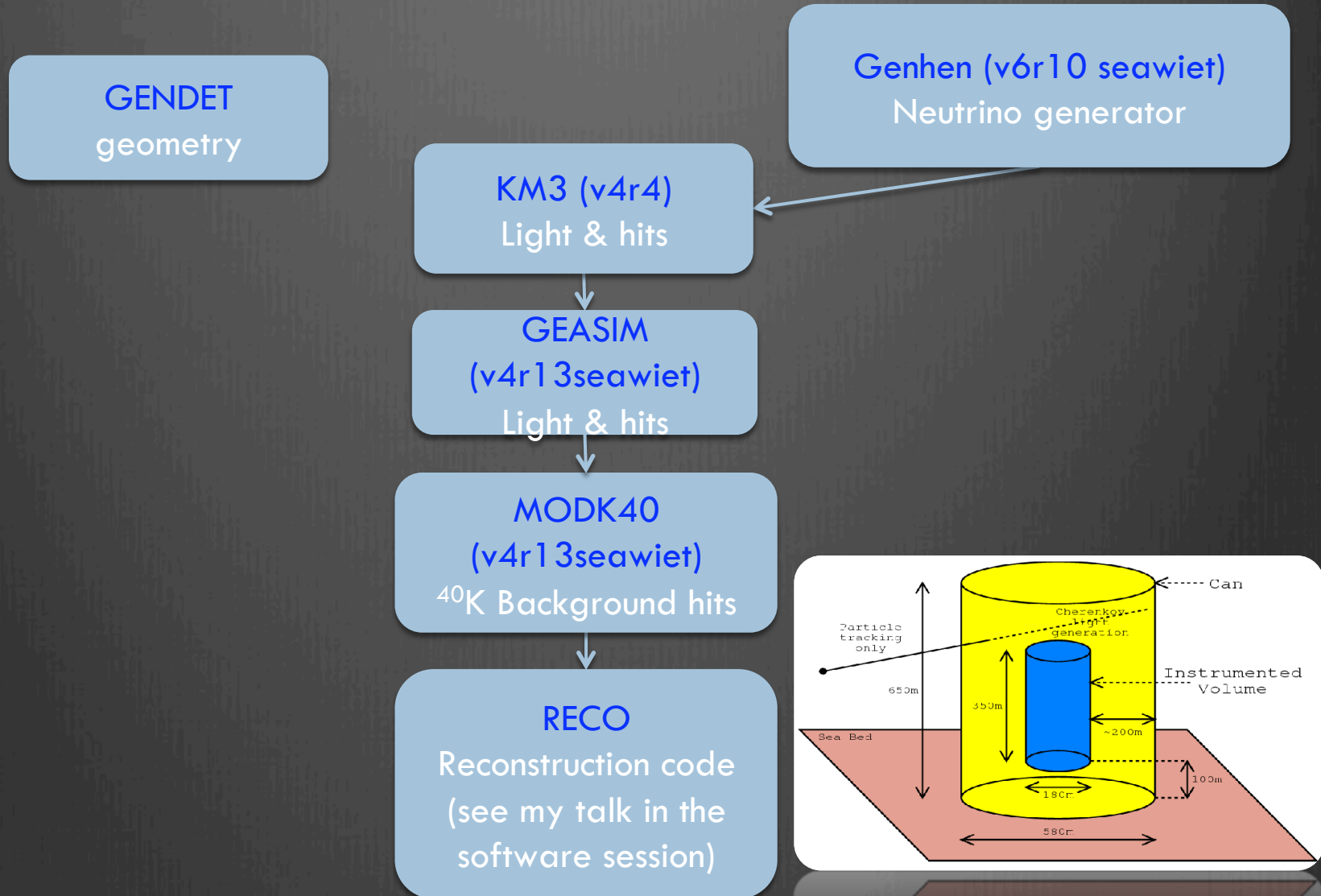
# Detector layout

- ✓ 50 Strings
- ✓ OM=31 3" PMTs
- ✓ 20 OM in each string
- ✓ 6 m vertical distance between OM
- ✓ 20 m average distance between strings

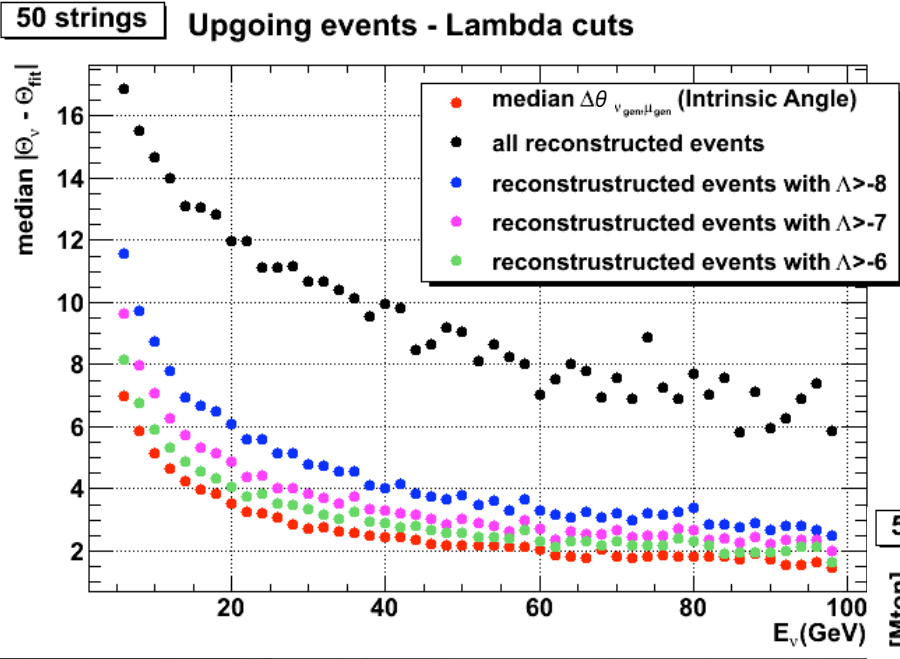
Instrumented volume = 1.75 Mt



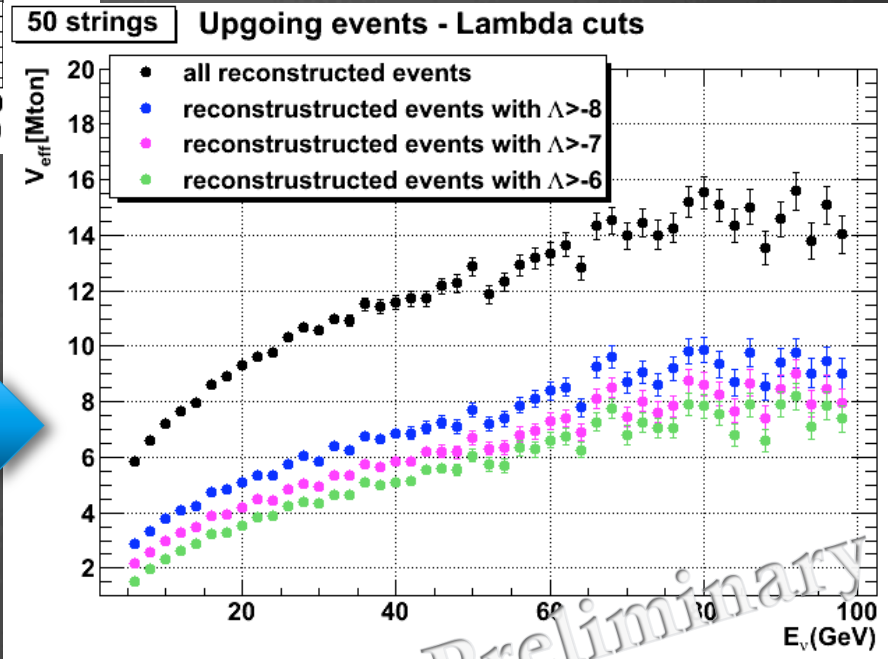
# Simulation chain



# Effective volumes and angular error



With more stringent cuts both the angular error and the effective volumes are reduced



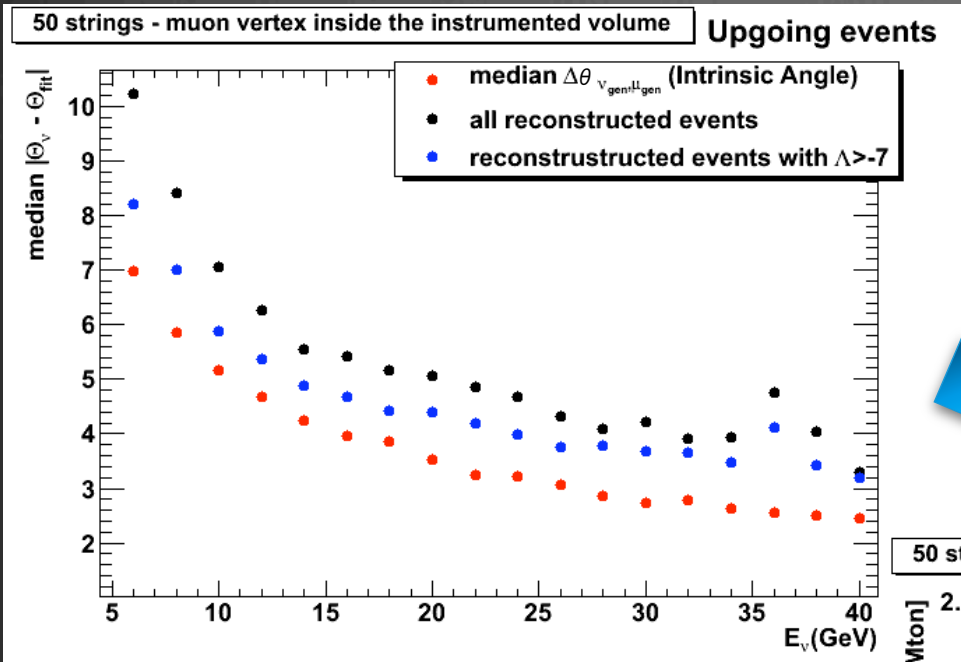
Only events generated inside the can volume ( $\approx 100$  Mton)



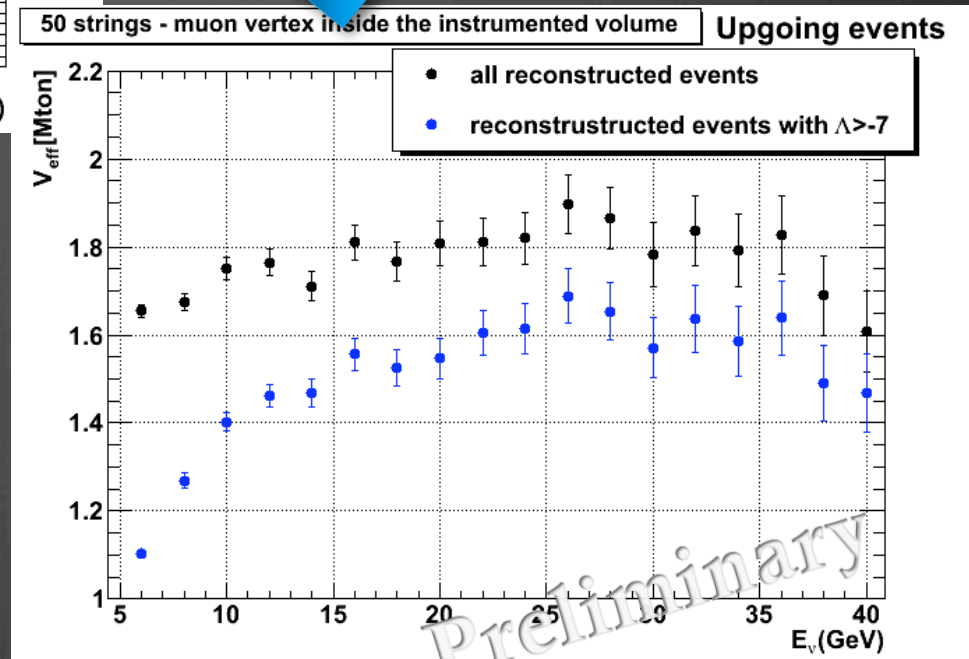
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# Effective volumes and angular error

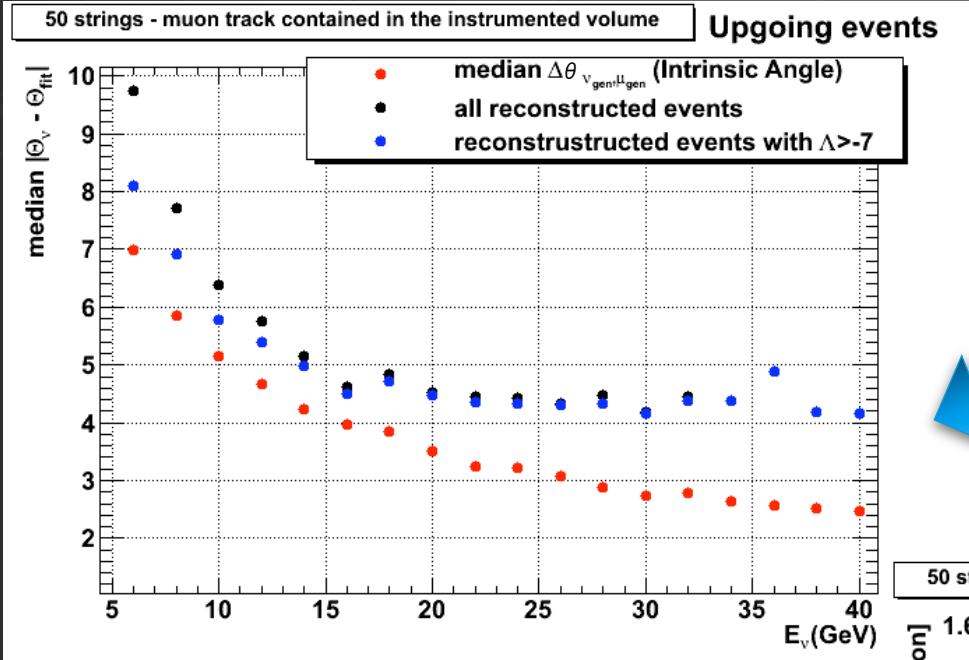


Only events with the muon vertex inside the instrumented volume

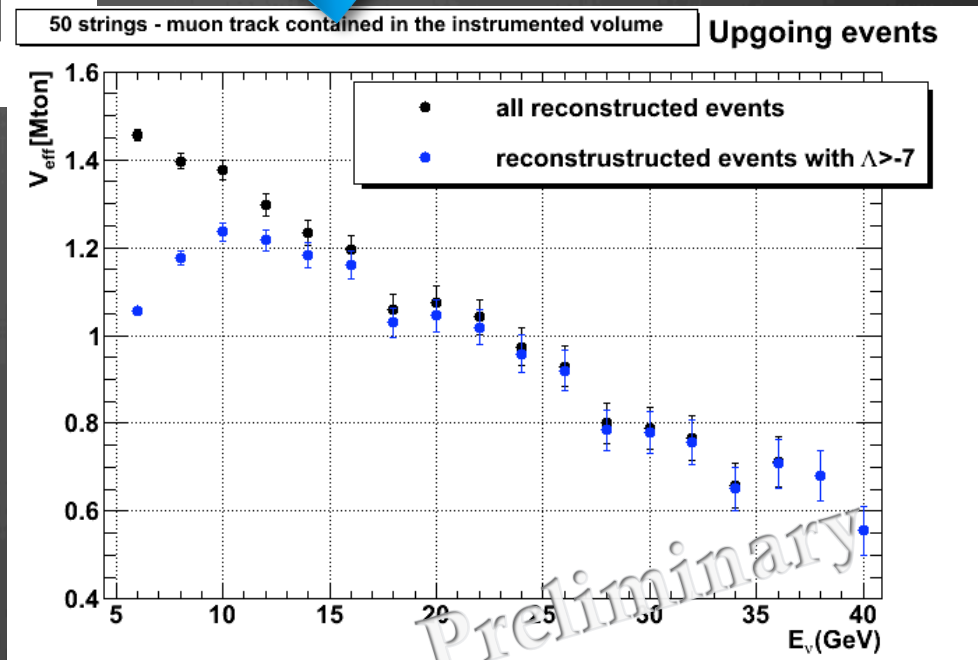
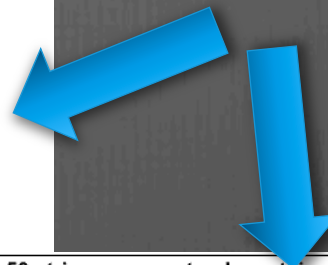


Public plots?

# Effective volumes and angular error



Only events with the muon track full contained in the instrumented volume



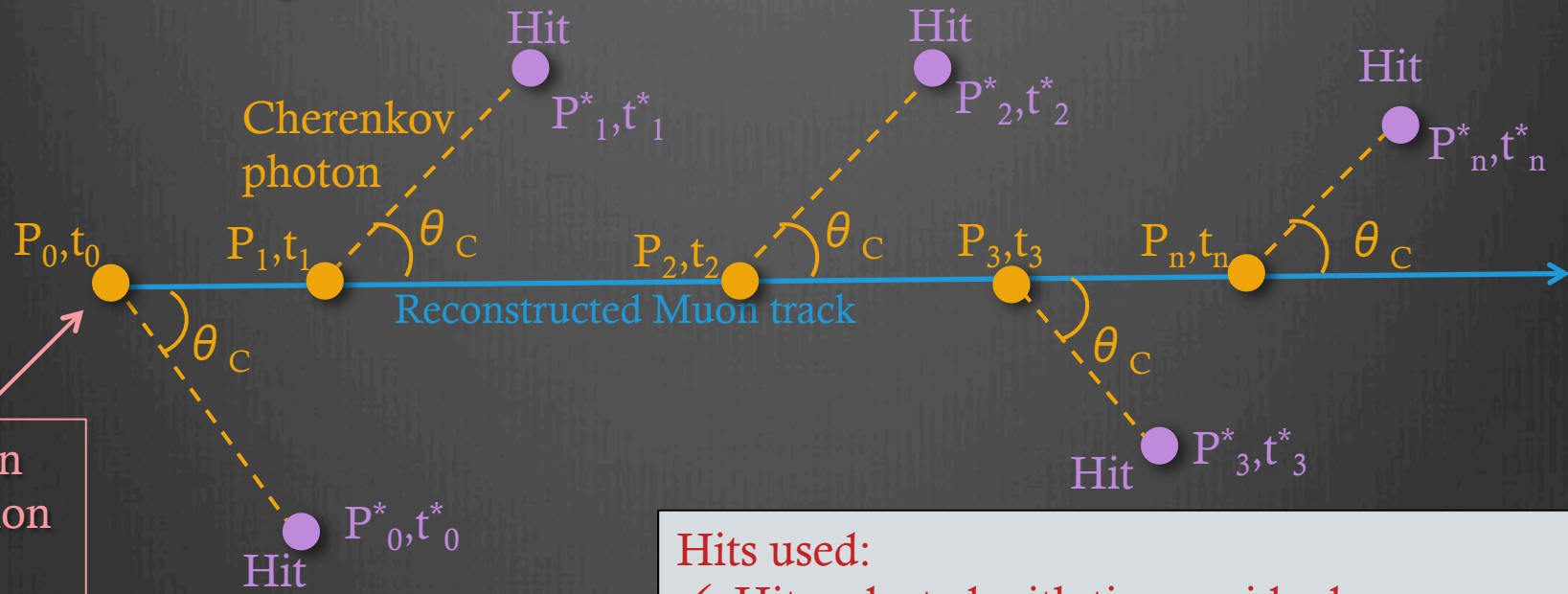
Probably this condition is too stringent: considering the high absorption length of light in water, an energy estimate will be possible even if the track goes outside the detector

# Muon Track length estimate

- Results presented in Catania too optimistic: I used unwittingly info about the vertex from the MC truth!
- New procedure described in the following slides:
  - ✓ First estimate of the muon track length based on the hits projection on the track → track length overestimated because of hits from hadronic shower
  - ✓ Study of the hadronic shower
  - ✓ Attempt to calculate the vertex from hadronic shower

# Muon Track length estimate – part I

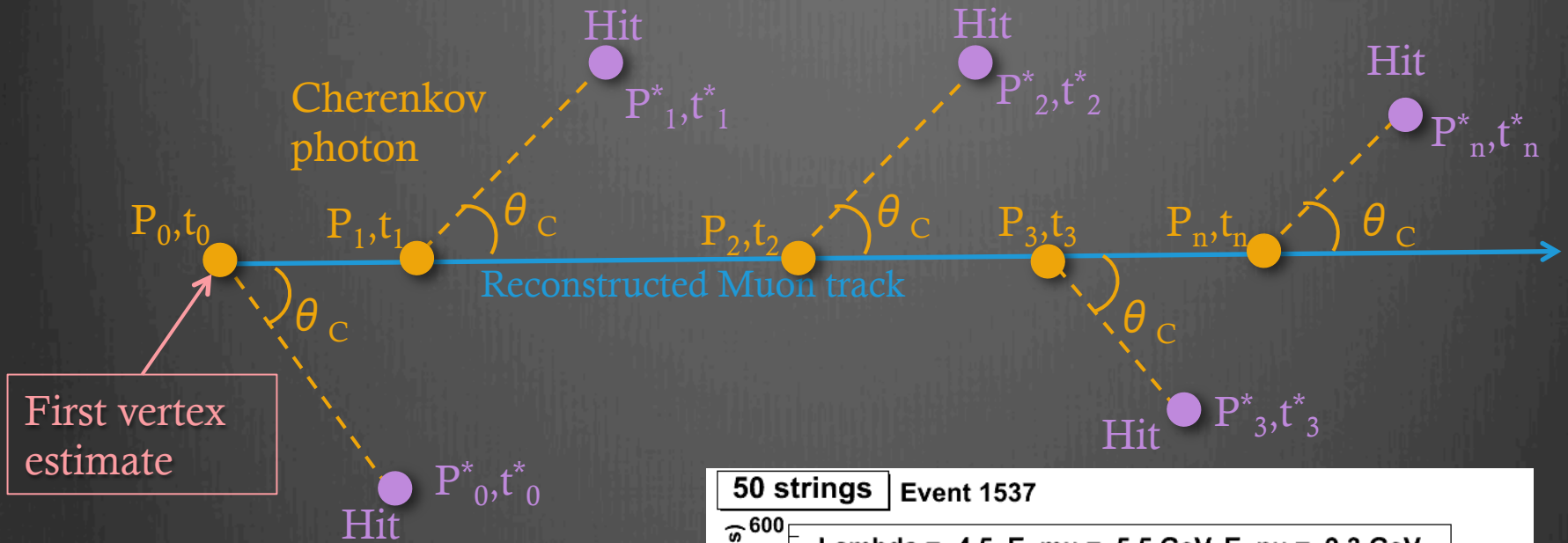
- From the position  $P_i^*$  and the time  $t_i^*$  of each hit, the photon emission point  $P_i$  and the emission time  $t_i$  can be calculated
- The distance between the first point  $P_0$  and the last point  $P_n$  is an estimate of the muon track length



## Hits used:

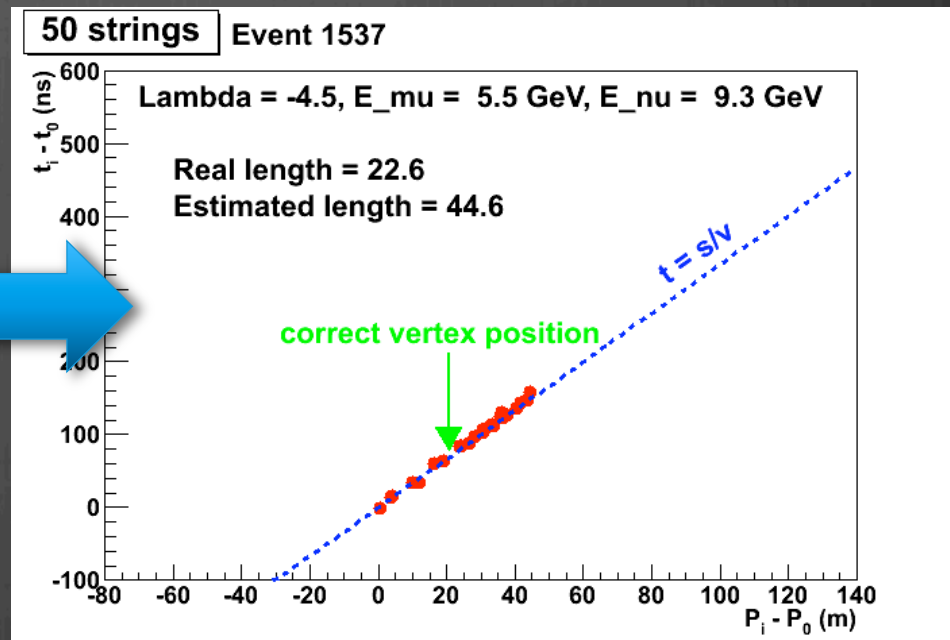
- ✓ Hits selected with time residual  
 $-10\text{ns} < \Delta t_{\text{res}} < 10\text{ns}$
- ✓ High density of points  $P_i$  along the track required (1Point/2meter)

# Muon Track length estimate – part I



Track length often overestimated because of hits from hadronic shower

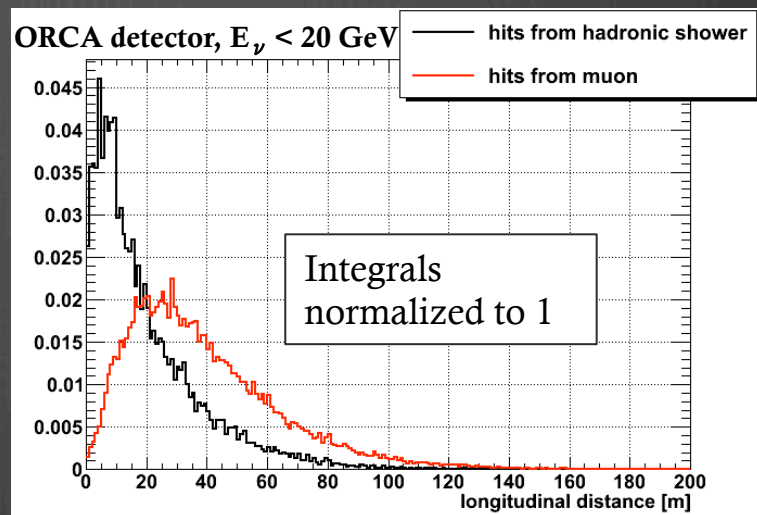
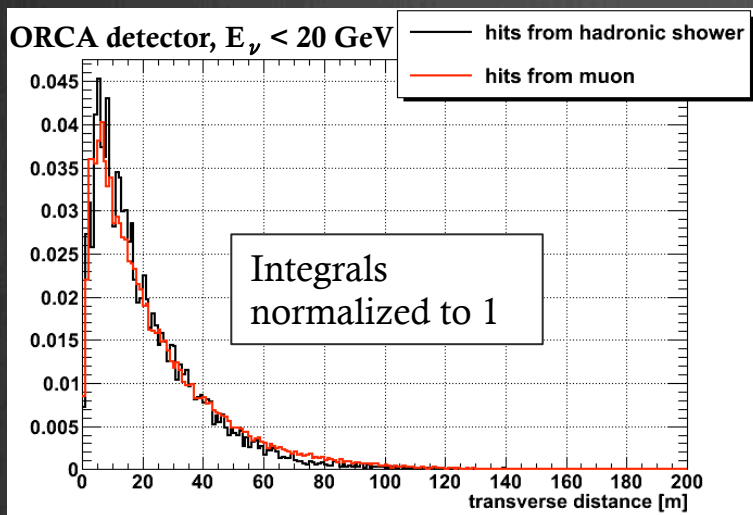
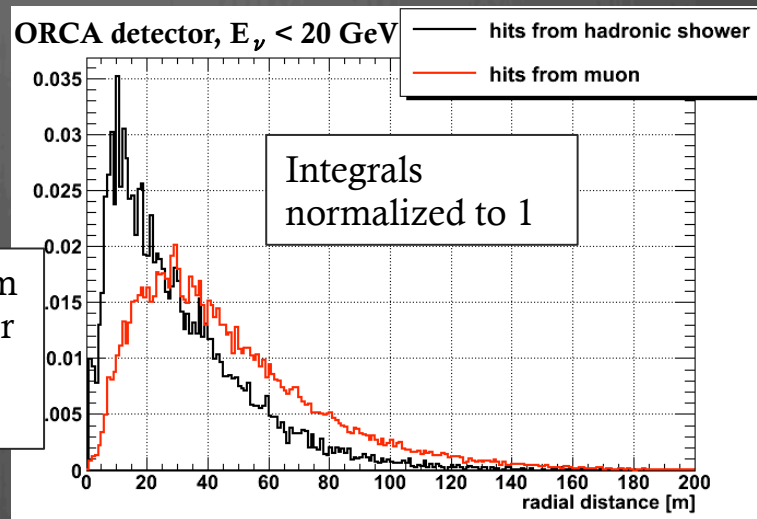
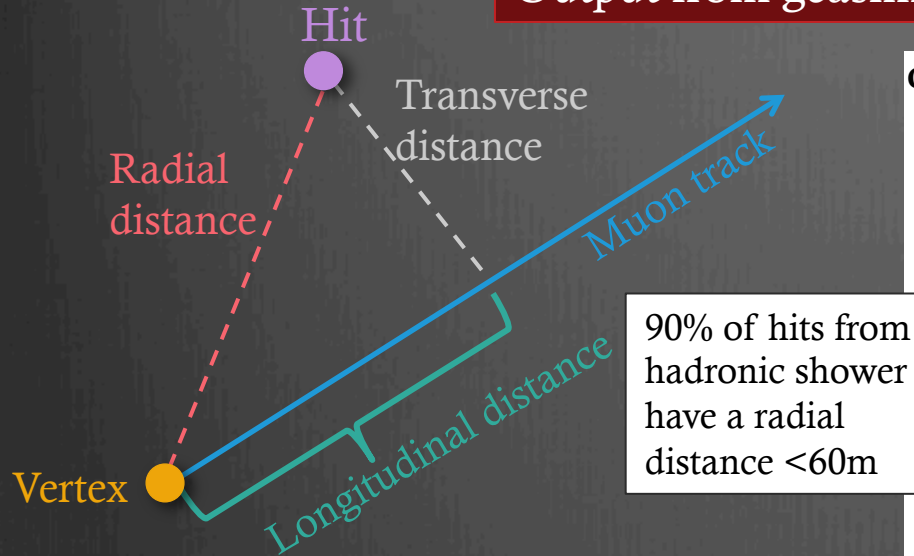
A different vertex estimate in needed





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Output from geasim  $\rightarrow$  no  $^{40}\text{K}$  background



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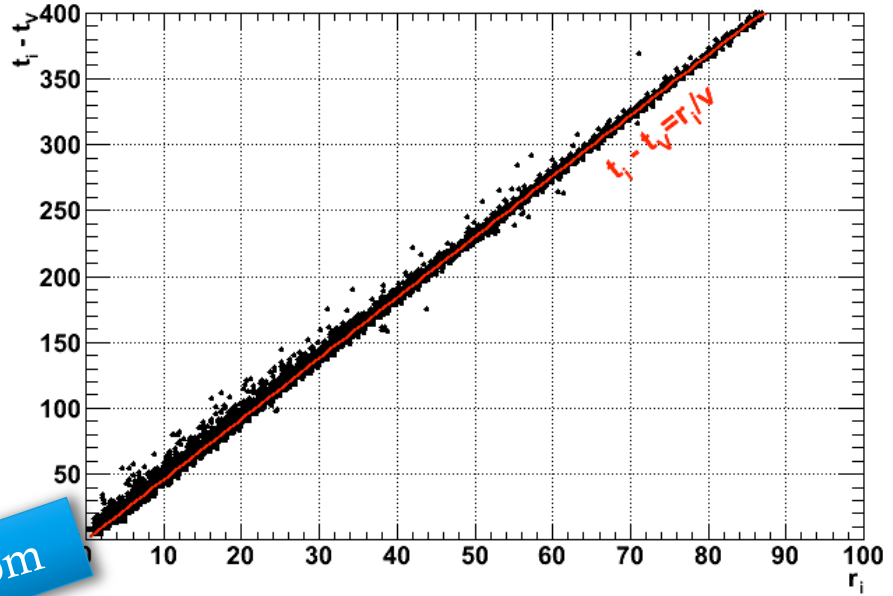
Assuming the evolution of the shower as a spherical wave, each hit time should be:

$$t_i = t_{\text{vertex}} + r_i/v$$

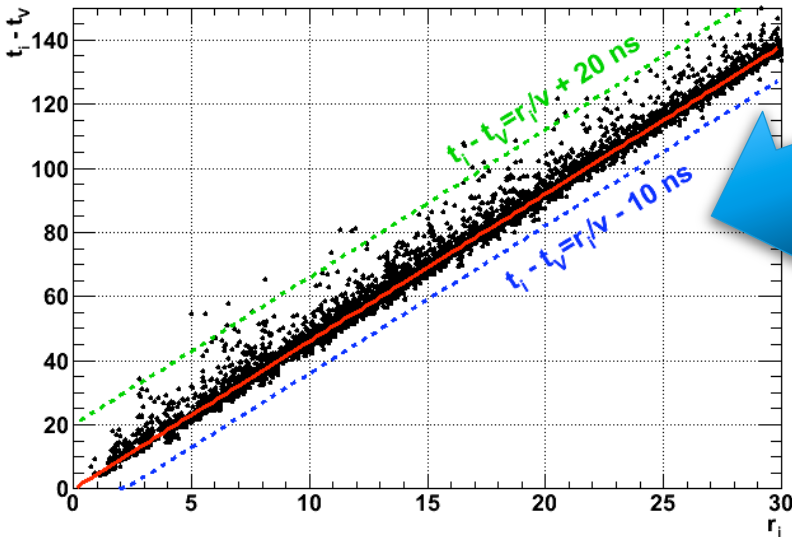
Radial distance  
hit-vertex

light speed in water

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Defining a “time residual” as  
 $\Delta t = \text{recorded} - \text{expected time}$   
 $= t_i - (t_v + r_i/v)$ ,  
 99% of hits from shower have  
 $-10\text{ns} < \Delta t < 20\text{ns}$



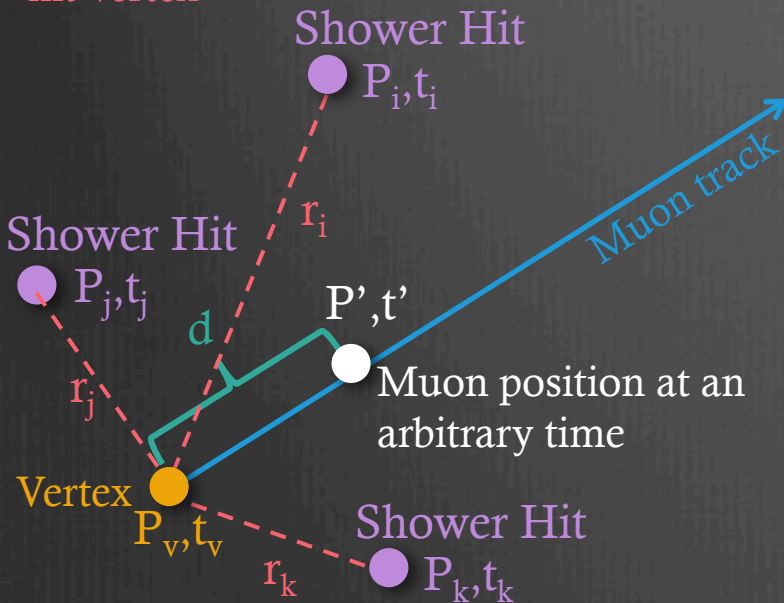
# Hadronic shower vertex

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light speed in water

Radial distance  
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From this equation an estimate of the vertex position can be calculated expressing  $r_i$  and  $t_{\text{vertex}}$  as a function of the distance along the track between the vertex and the position  $P'$  of the muon at an arbitrary time  $t'$

If  $v_x, v_y, v_z$  are the director cosines of the muon track and  $P'=(x', y', z')$

$$x_v = x' - d \cdot v_x$$

$$y_v = y' - d \cdot v_y$$

$$z_v = z' - d \cdot v_z$$

$$t_v = t' - d/c$$

$d$  can be calculated analytically for each hit solving a quadratic equation: 2 solution

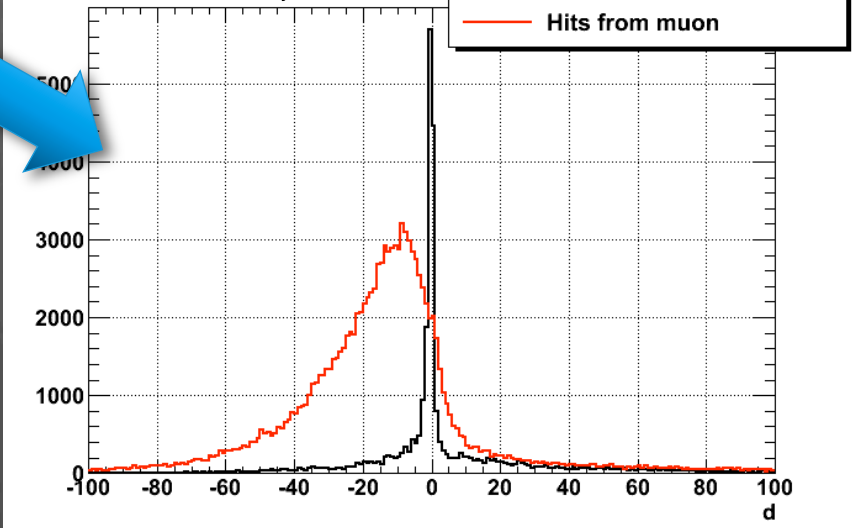
# Hadronic shower vertex

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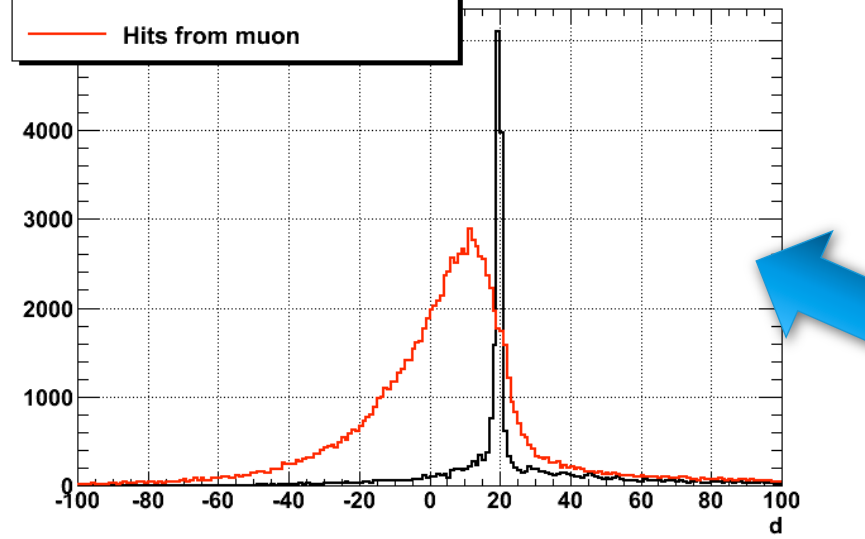
To test the calculation of  $d$  described before, I used as reference the real muon track

Test I:  $P' = \text{real vertex} \rightarrow d \text{ should be } = 0$

ORCA detector,  $E_\nu < 20 \text{ GeV}$



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Test II:  $P' = \text{real vertex moved of } 20 \text{ m along the muon track} \rightarrow d \text{ should be } = 20$

# Vertex + track length estimate

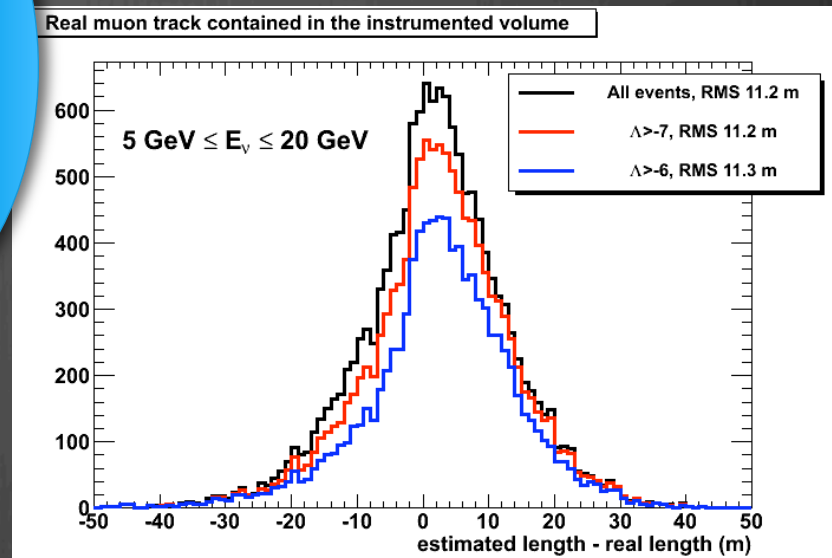
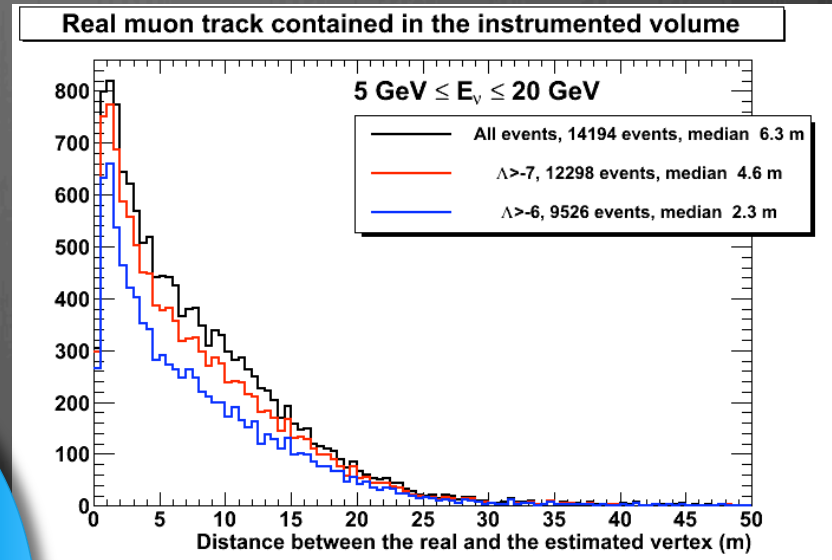
- Same procedure applied to the reconstructed track with all hits
- Find a peak in the  $d$  distribution is complicated because you have a sum of hits from shower + hits from muon + hits from  $^{40}\text{K}$
- When the peak is not clear I try to clean my hit list using what I learnt about the radial and temporal distribution from the MC truth
- Vertex estimate is possible with this method only for 30% of events that have the muon track contained in the instrumented volume and that permit a first estimation of the muon track length with the projected hits ( $5\text{GeV} < E_\nu < 20\text{GeV}$ )
- If this method fails, I use the first vertex estimate described before from the first photon emission point
- The track length is estimated as the distance between the estimated vertex and the last photon emission point accepted

# Results: vertex + track length estimate

Events generated with  $5\text{GeV} < E_\nu < 20\text{GeV}$  and the real muon track fully contained in the instrumented volume:

- $N_{\text{gen}} = 16380$  events generated with at least 5 signal hits
- $N_{\text{rec}} = 15397$  reconstructed events
- 14149 events permit the track length estimate ( $L > 0$ )
- 12298 events permit the track length estimate and have  $\Lambda > -7$
- 9526 events permit the track length estimate and have  $\Lambda > -6$

	% w.r.t. $N_{\text{rec}}$
$L > 0$	92%
$L > 0 \ \&\& \ \Lambda > -7$	80%
$L > 0 \ \&\& \ \Lambda > -6$	62%

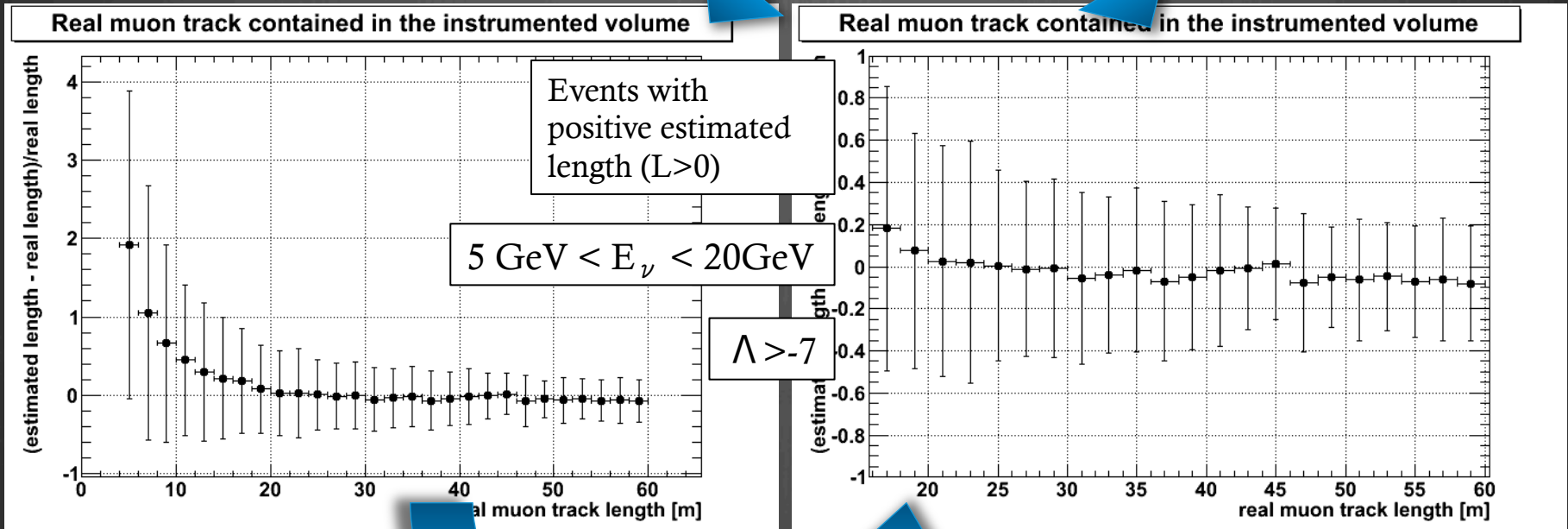




# Muon Track length estimate

Only events with  $E_\nu < 20\text{GeV}$  and the muon track fully contained in the instrumented volume (1.75 Mton)

- Horizontal errors: only to highlight each bin range
- Vertical errors: standard deviation from the mean value



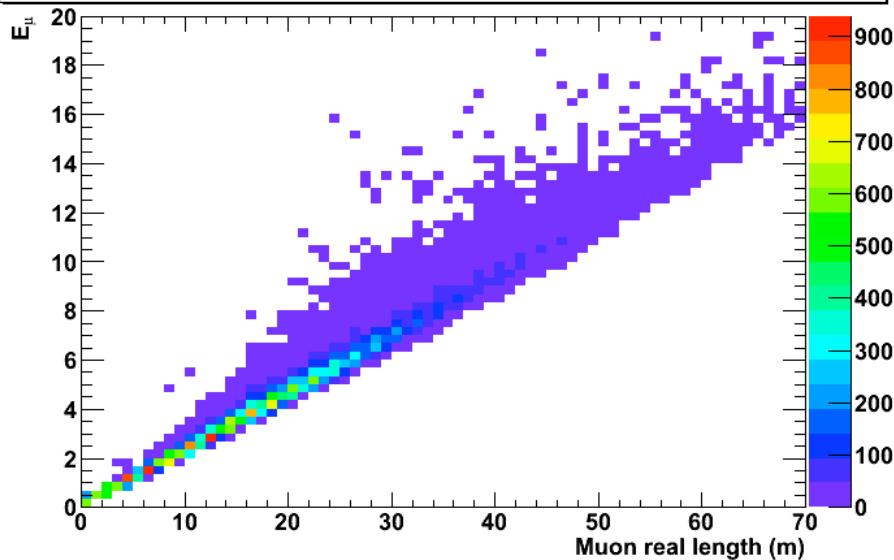
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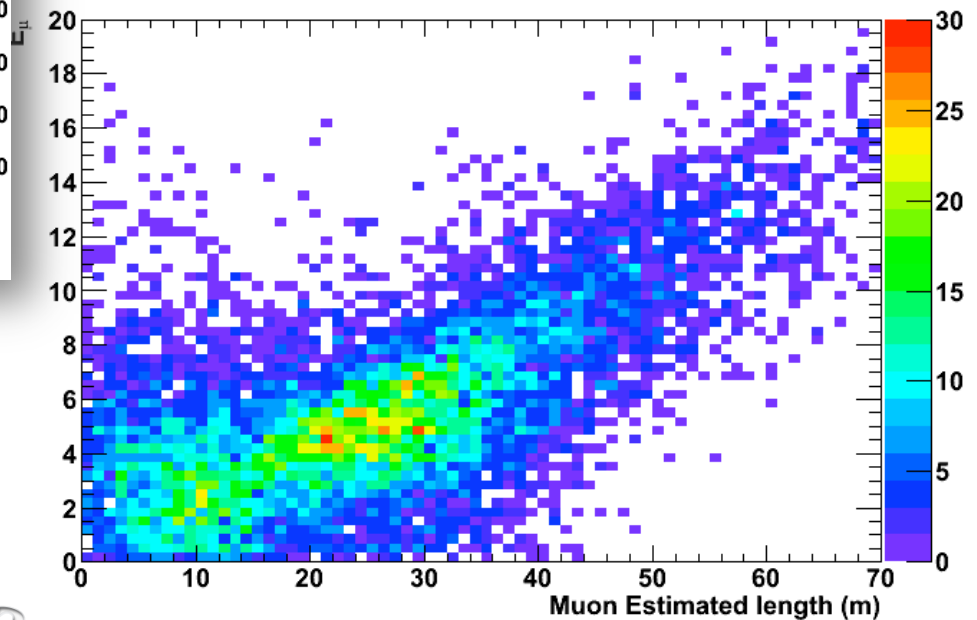
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Real muon track contained in the instrumented volume



Real muon track contained in the instrumented volume  $\Lambda > -6$



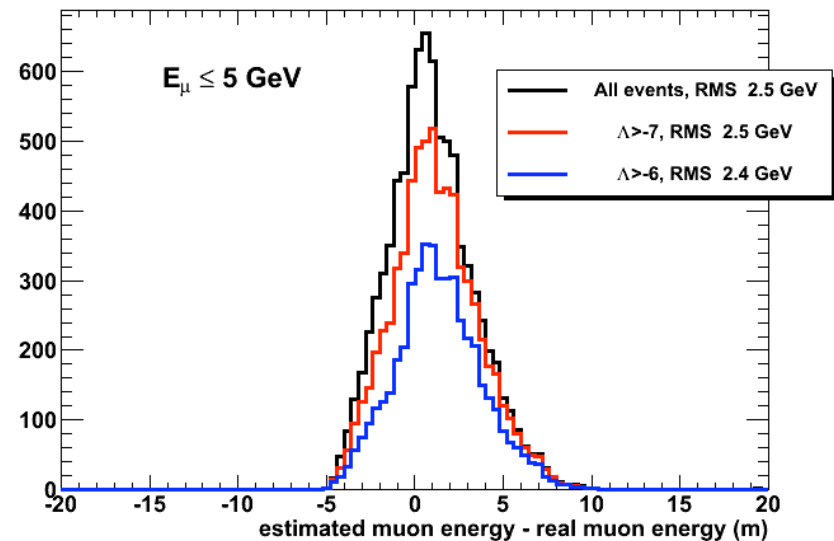
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# Muon energy estimate

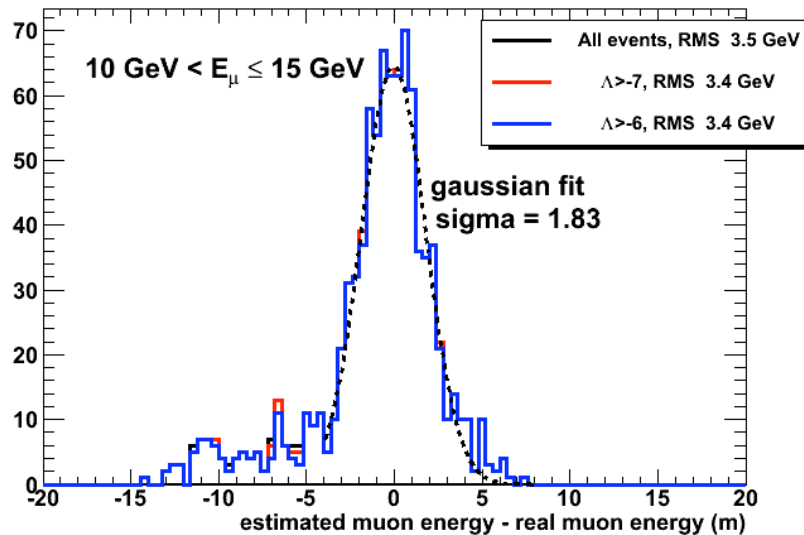
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Muon energy calculated from the track length

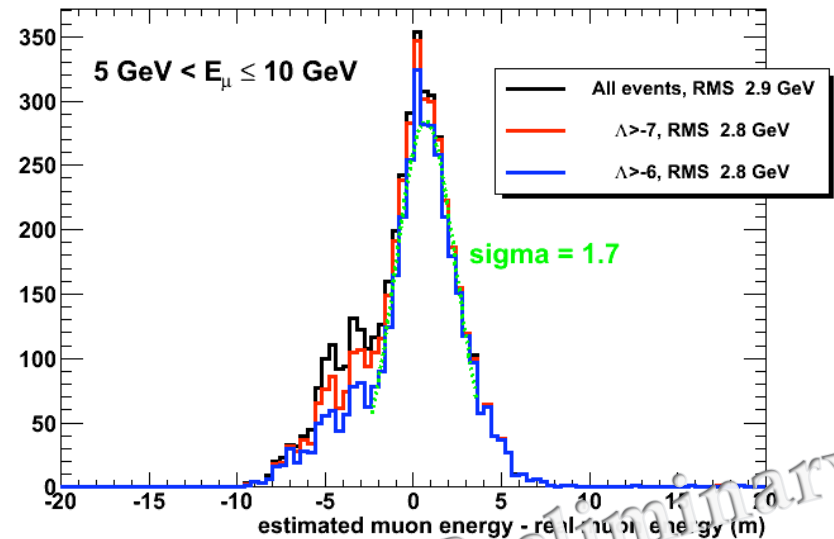
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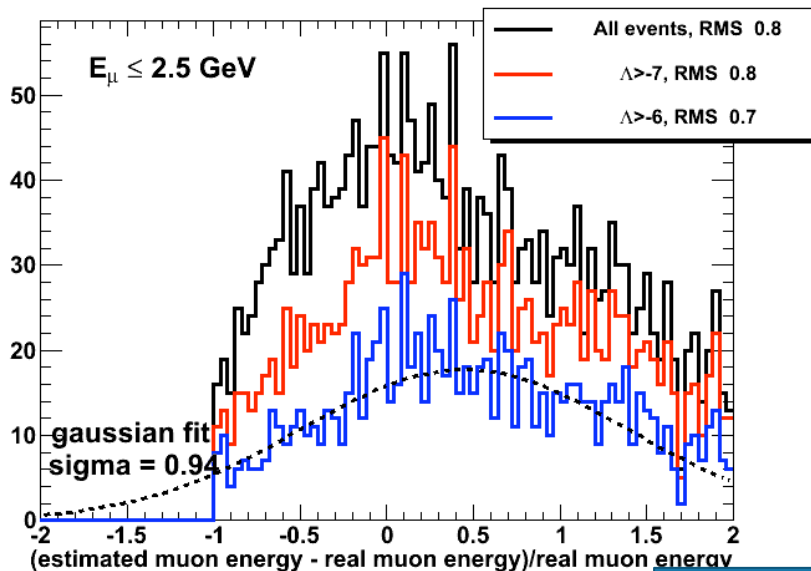
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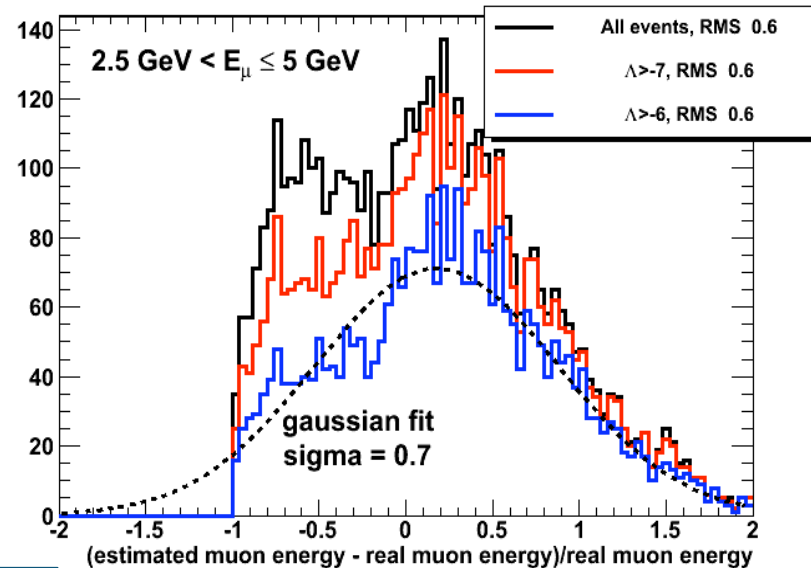


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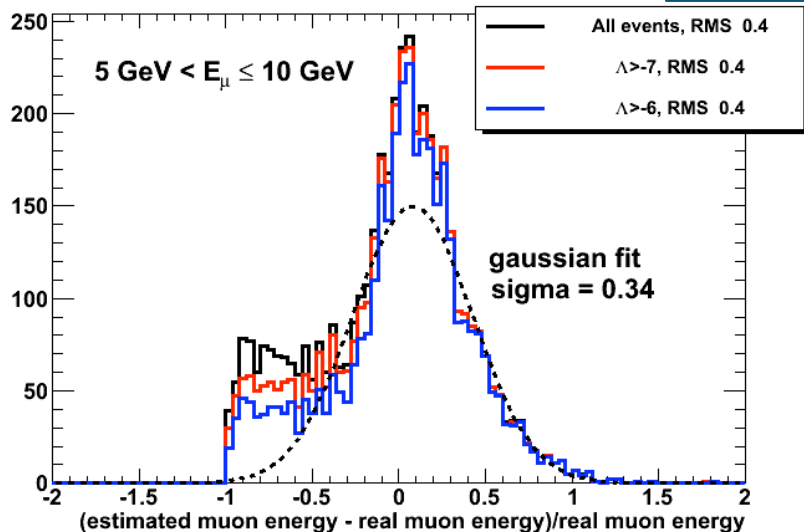
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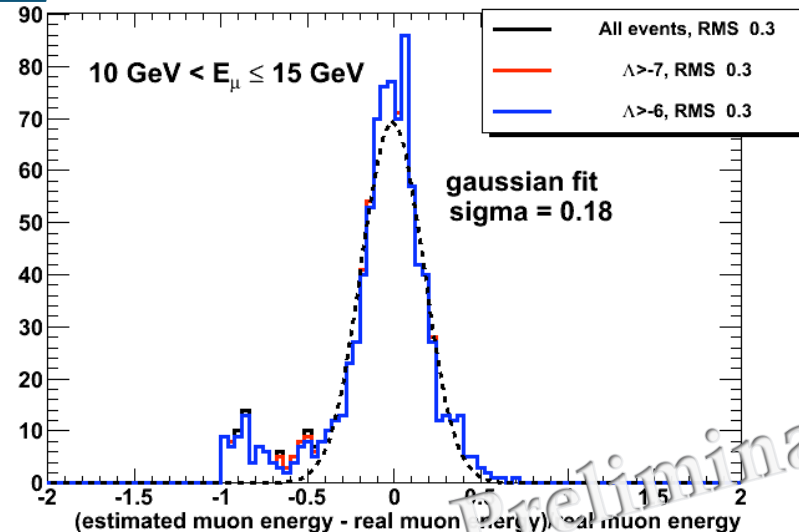


Real muon track contained in the instrumented volume



$E_{\nu} < 20 \text{ GeV}$

Real muon track contained in the instrumented volume



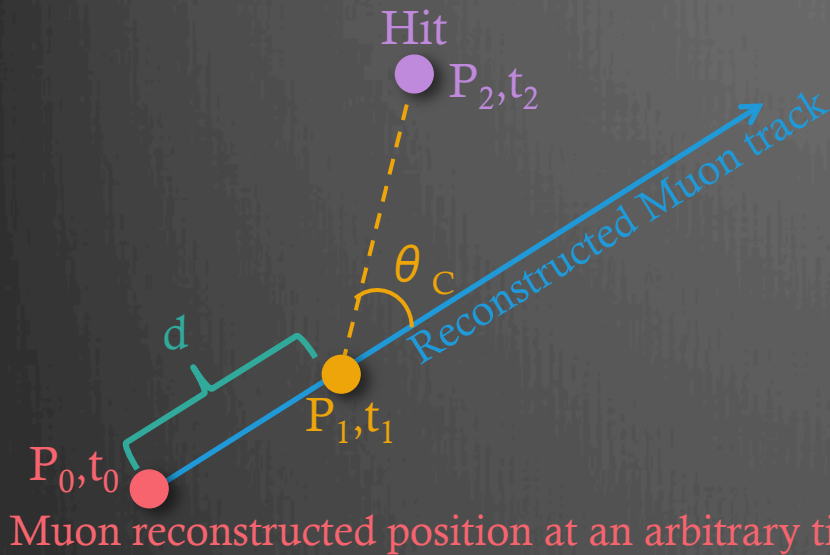
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# Outlook

- ❖ Improvement on the interaction vertex estimate using a minimization instead of the analytical solution
- ❖ Try to estimate the shower energy
- ❖ Containment conditions and veto
- ❖ Simulations with genie

# Backup slides

# Old Muon Energy Reconstruction



- For each hit,  $P_1$  and  $t_1$  can be calculated from  $P_2$  and  $t_2$
- The relation between  $d$  and  $t = (t_1 - t_0)$  should be  $d/t = \text{muon speed} = c$
- Maximum value of  $d = P_1 - P_0$  can be used to estimate the muon track length

**ATTENTION:** In my first calculation I've used  $P_0$  as an estimate of the vertex position but it's not correct!

The track reconstruction gives the position  $P_0$  at an arbitrary time  $t_0=0$  and in the simulation  $t=0$  is the interaction time so  $P_0$  is a good estimate of the vertex position only in the simulation!

The vertex position can be estimated from the first  $P_1$  or from the distribution of the hits in the hadronic shower.

