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# EMShower Update: pi0 Reconstruction

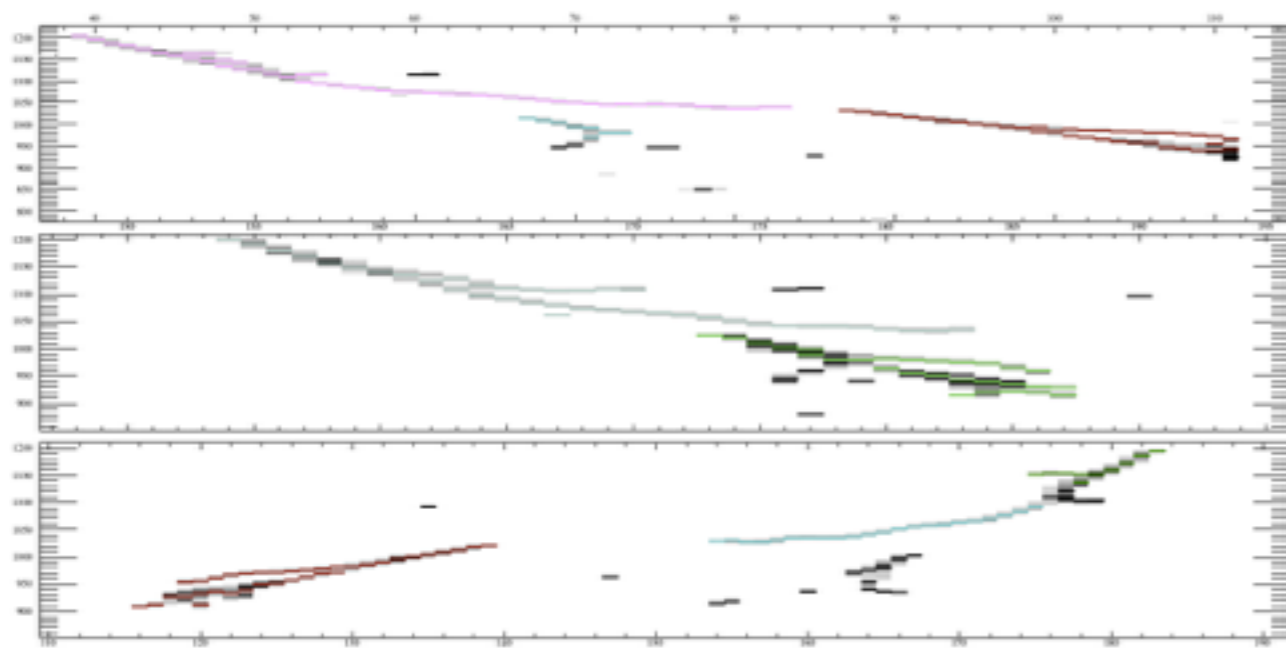
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# Shower Reminder

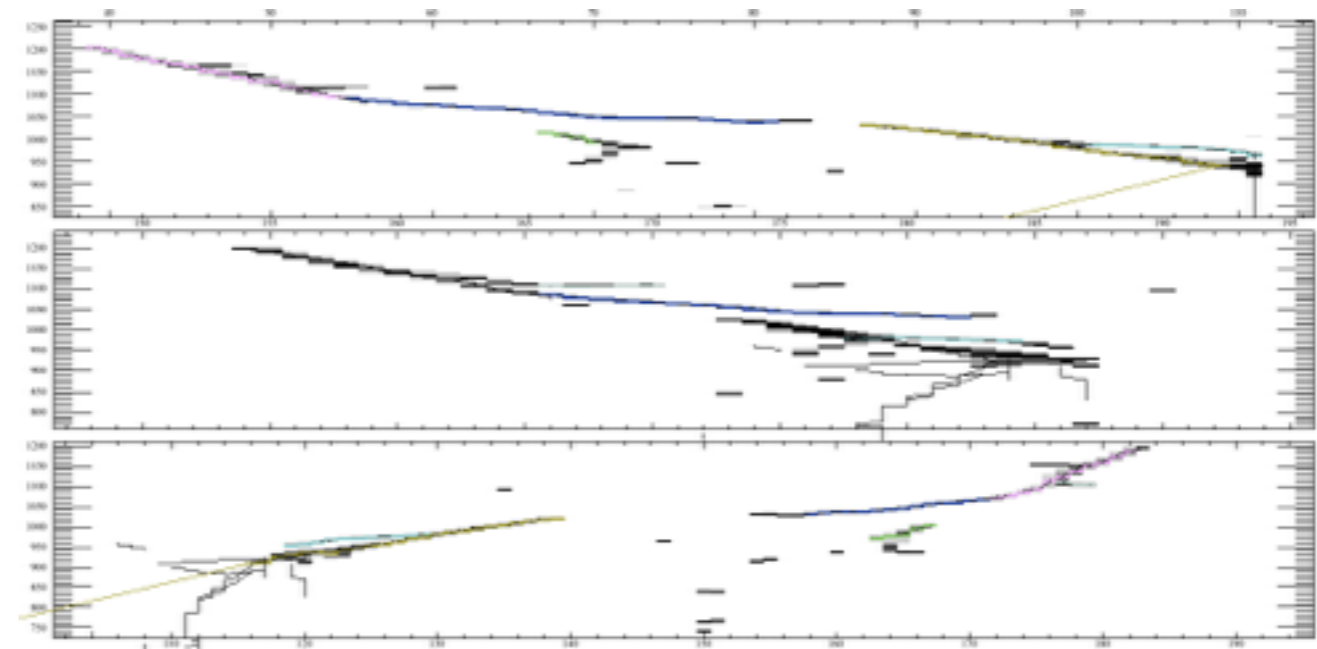
- Uses 2D clustering BlurredCluster for the initial reconstruction.
- Well developed method so most of the reconstruction is done in 2D.
- This method has been improved slightly since my last update at the FD reco meeting; probably won't be changed much from now onwards.
- Simply match between the views to form 3D shower objects.

# Shower Algorithm

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BlurredCluster

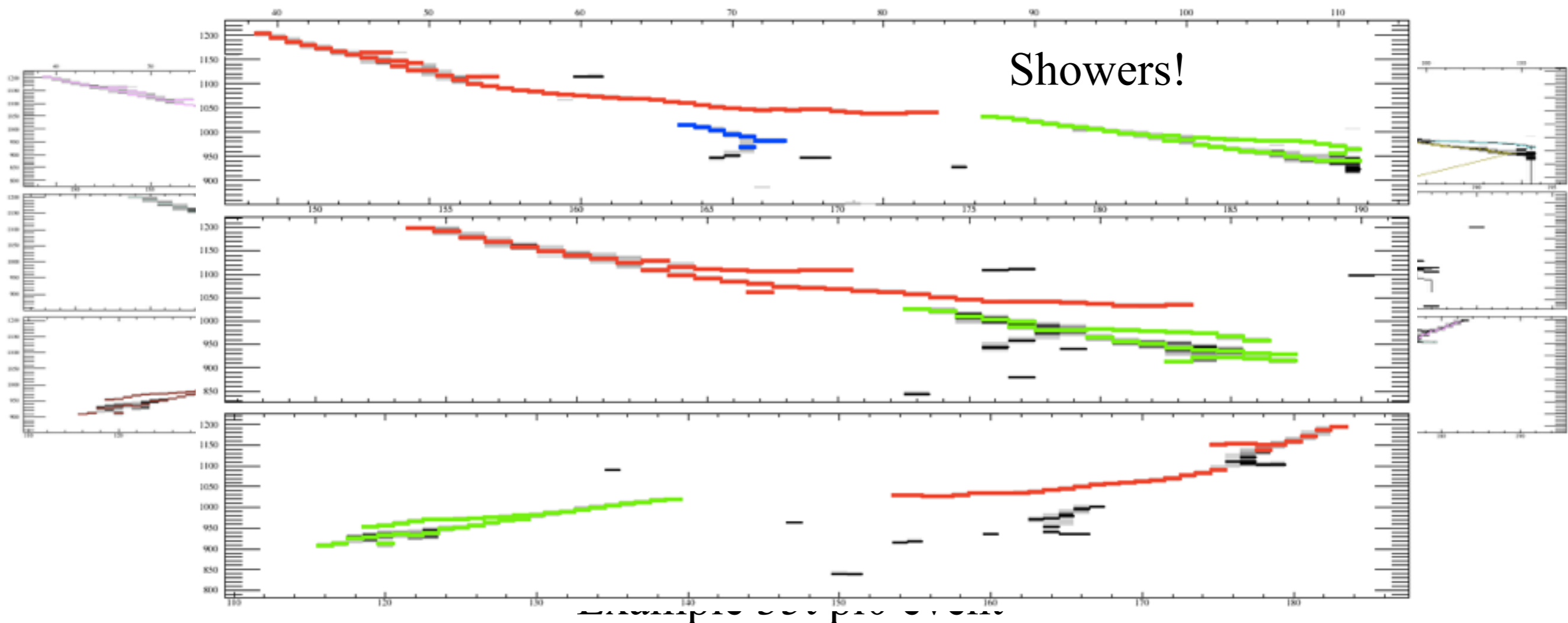


PMTrack

Example 35t pi0 event

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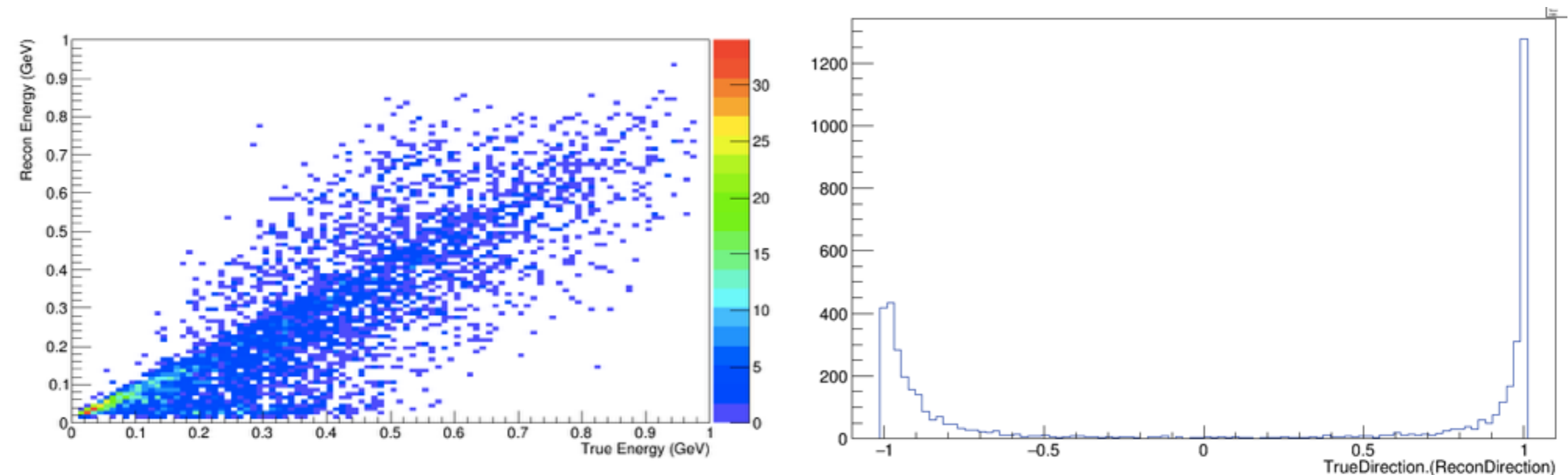




# Shower Properties

- Been working on reconstructing the properties of these showers over the last couple of weeks.
- Properties: energy, shower start,  $dE/dx$ , direction etc.
- Particular aim of this reconstruction is to reconstruct  $\pi^0$ s in the 35t. Of interest here are the direction and the energy:
  - Energy is ok, recon is slightly lower than true (small problem with fragmented showers)
  - Direction not bad, needs improvements.

# Shower Properties

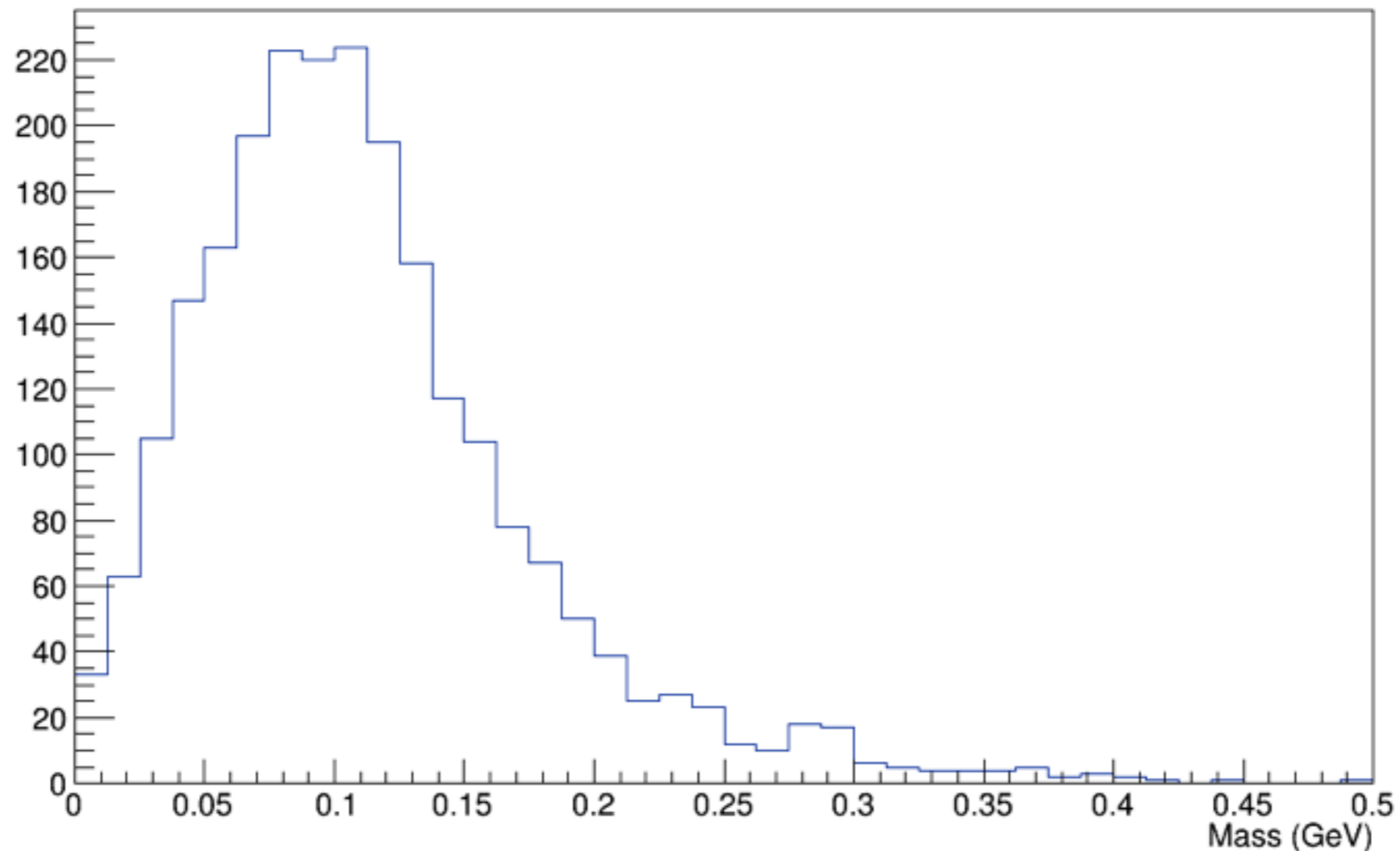


- Energy: in general ok. Need to improve slightly.
- Probably small issues with containment/fragmentation.
- Direction: normally ok but often oriented incorrectly.
- I fixed this last week but all my jobs failed so I couldn't update the plot! :(
- Karl?...

# Reconstructing pi0s

- Had a quick look at how we're doing with pi0 reconstruction using this showering technique.
- Have reconstructed a mass peak using pi0 particle gun (in 35t, can extend to FD at some point).
- For the following, I used truth info to select the largest shower for each photon in each event...
  - Want to test recon, not event selection!

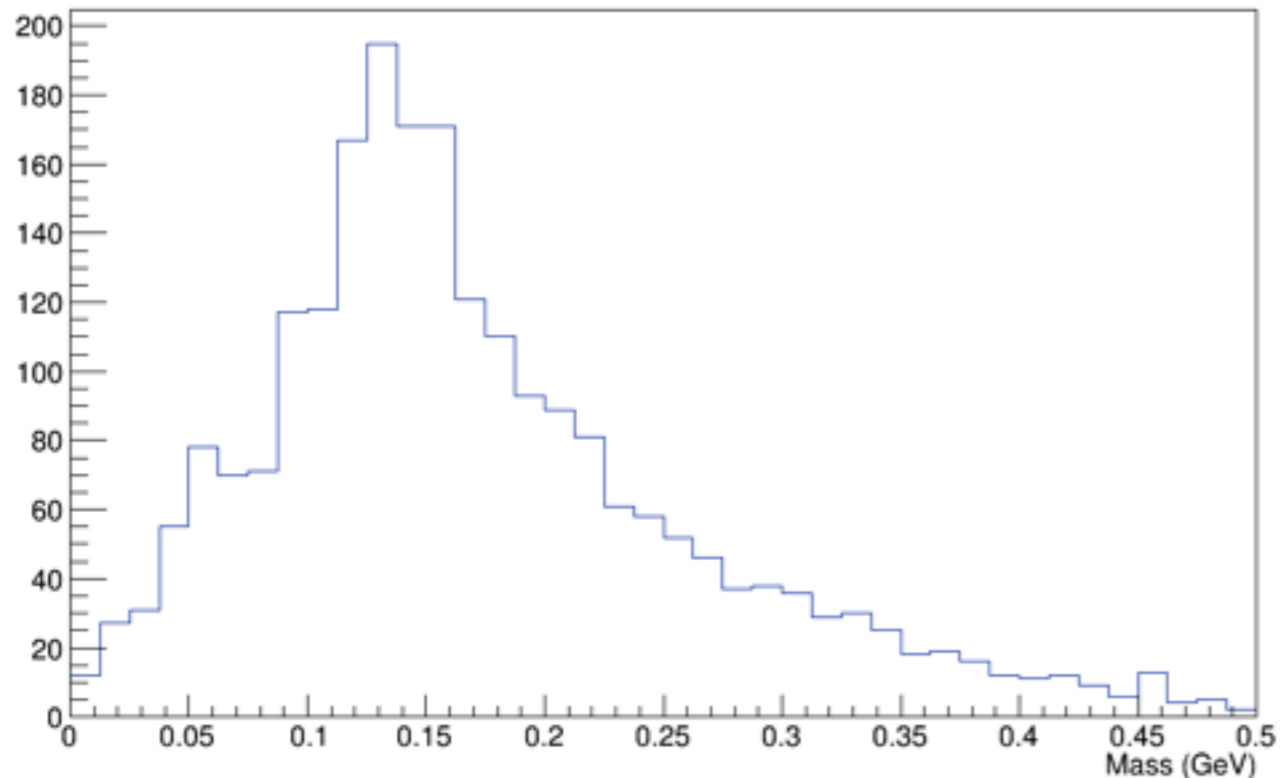
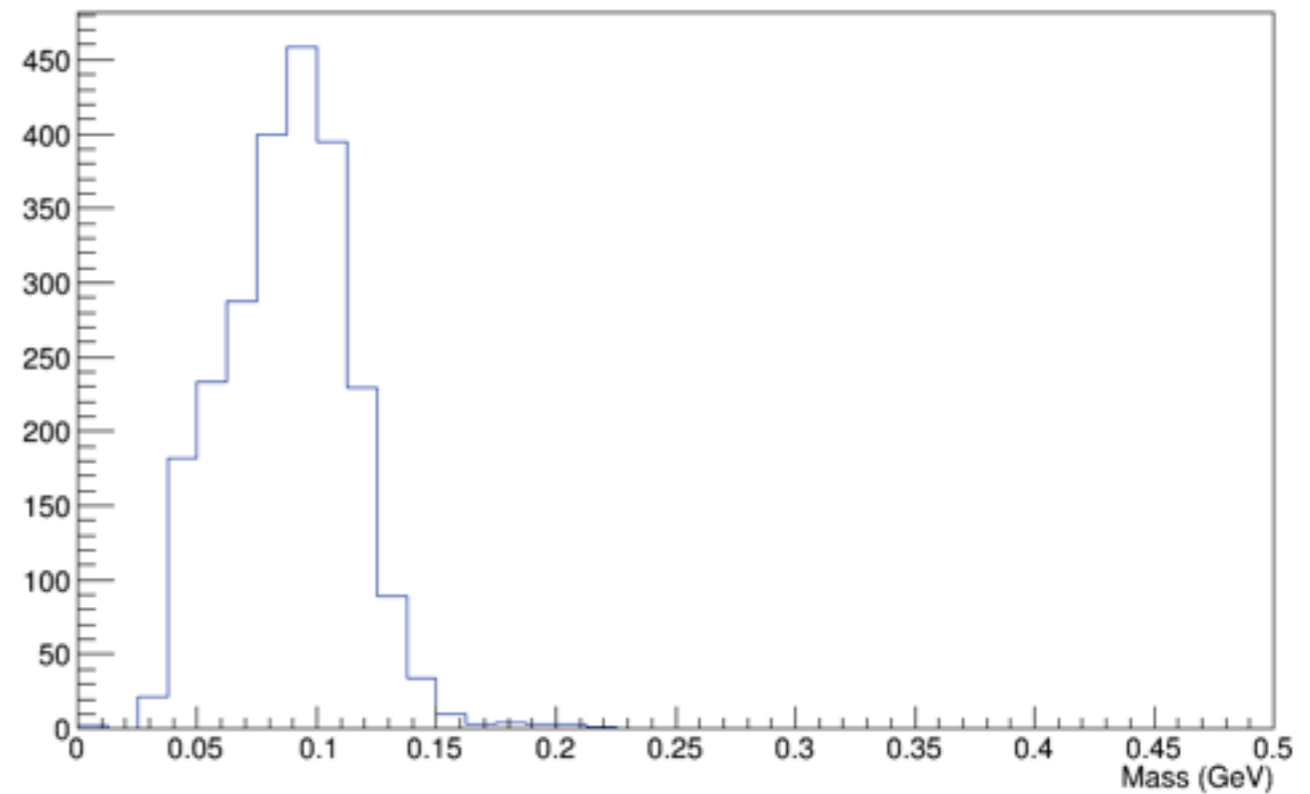
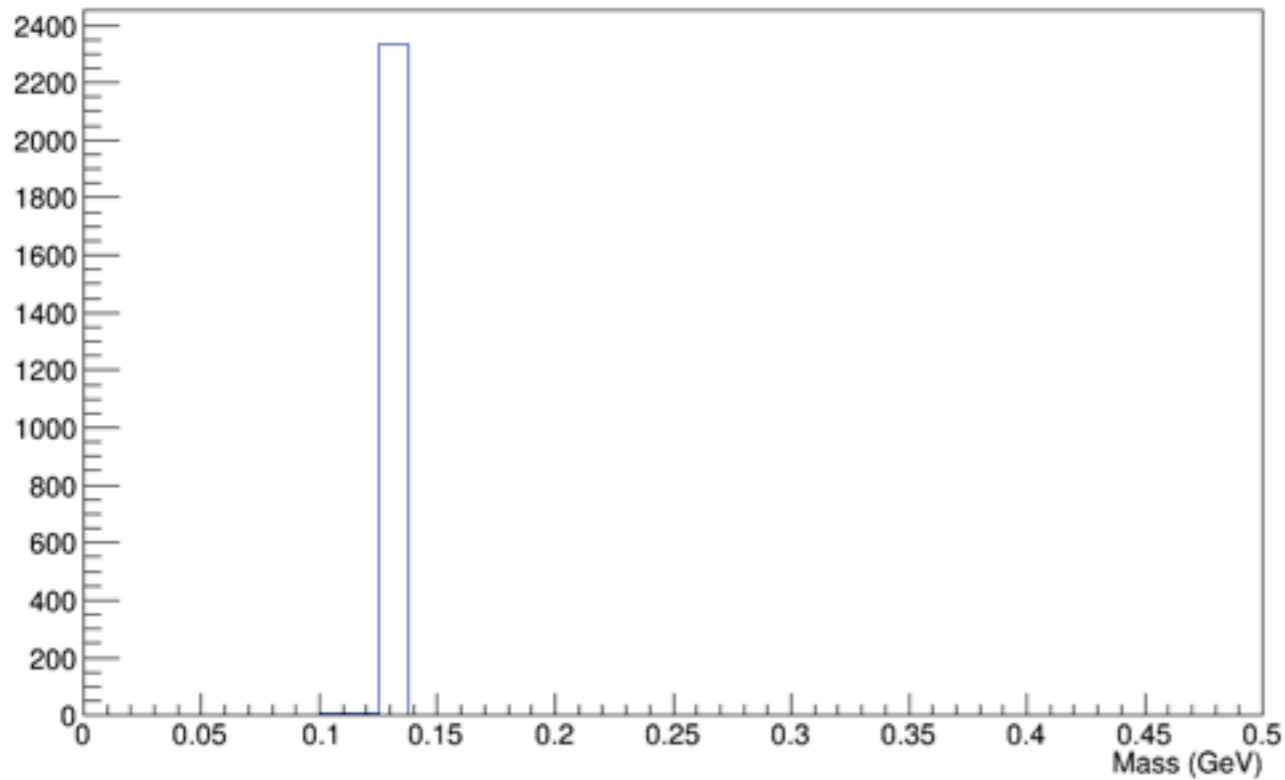
# Mass Peak



- Ok for first attempt!
- Peaks too low (energy issue) and is quite wide (direction problem).



# Mass Peak ft. True Quantities



- Top left: true direction, true energy.
- Top right: true direction, recon energy.
- Bottom right: recon direction, true energy.

# Notes

- Can see that the direction affects the mass peak the most.
- Need to run this again after fixing the orientation of the showers late last week (thought it would be done for this meeting but alas...)!
- Energy also slightly low; will try turning on cluster merging to see if this fixes fragmentation issues.
- This used an energy calibration calculated for 35t — need to redo this for FD.
- Haven't shown any new events but track/shower separation needs to be worked on.

# Next!

- Work on improving the direction determination and improving the shower completeness.
- Find correct energy calibration for FD.
- Improve track/shower discrimination to help new events.
- Need to work on showers which pass through the APAs.
- Going to try and get most of this sorted this week, in time for next MCC.