

Pandora LAr TPC Reconstruction

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Pandora Multi-Algorithm Approach

- Pandora provides a multi-algorithm approach to LAr TPC pattern recognition:
 - Uses a large numbers of algorithms (80+) to examine hits and identify particles.
 - Each algorithm carefully developed to address specific topology
 - Some algs very sophisticated, others rather simple: gradually build-up picture of events.
- Multi-algorithm approach made possible using functionality provided by Pandora SDK:
 - Algs provide all logic, but must use APIs for access to, or to modify, hits/clusters/particles.
 - Advanced functionality enables complex algorithms using recursion or reclustering.
- Intense development during the past year, prioritising MicroBooNE:
 - Continually improving communication with analysis/reco groups, plus LArSoft.
 - All developments are reusable for DUNE and proto-DUNE
 - Highly adaptable framework

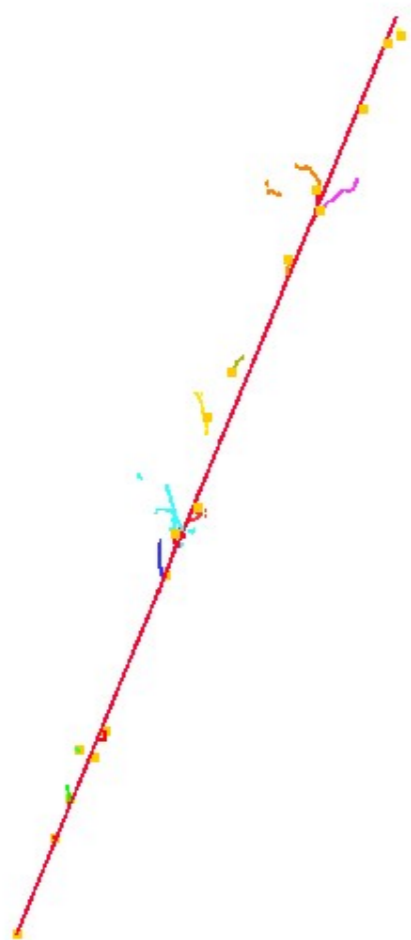
Further algorithm details [here](#)
Today: an overview...



Pandora Cosmic vs Nu

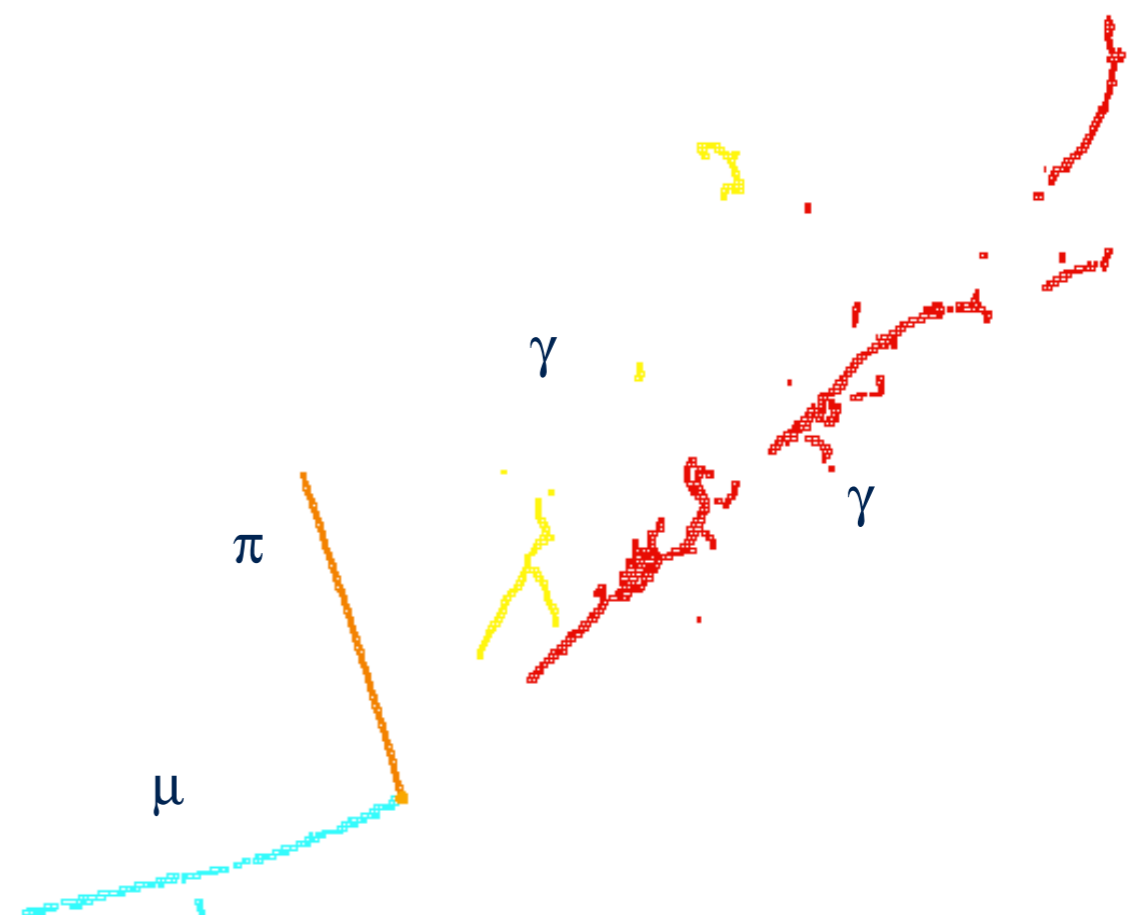
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Cosmic pass



Optimised for cosmic rays reconstruction

Neutrino pass



Optimised for neutrino reconstruction



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Illustration of the potential of the multi-algorithm approach. Two very different “passes” can be done based on Pandora algorithms (selected through settings .xml files)

Cosmic pass

- Strongly track-oriented
- Top-level particles representing cosmic ray muons
- Showers are assumed to be delta rays - daughters of cosmic ray muons
- Cosmic removal highly relevant for protoDUNE

Optimised for cosmic rays reconstruction

Neutrino pass

- Identify neutrino interaction vertex
- Particles emerging from the vertex are reconstructed as individual primary particles
- Daughters of the neutrino can have own daughters
- Careful treatment shower/track reconstruction

Optimised for neutrino reconstruction



Pandora Algorithms Overview

More than 80 algorithms, years of development in Pandora

1) Track clustering in 2D

2) Vertex reconstruction in 3D

3) Track reconstruction in 3D

4) Shower reconstruction in 3D

5) Mop-up in 2D and 3D

6) Event building in 3D

Each step encloses different algos

2D Reco Snippet from PandoraSettings XML file:

```
<algorithm type = "LArClusteringParent">
  <algorithm type = "LArTrackClusterCreation" description = "ClusterFormation"/>
  <InputCaloHitListName>CaloHitListW</InputCaloHitListName>
  <ClusterListName>ClustersW</ClusterListName>
  <ReplaceCurrentCaloHitList>false</ReplaceCurrentCaloHitList>
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2D Cluster Creation

2D Cluster Merging/Splitting

All of the 2D reconstruction framework can be applied to the dual phase detector at ProtoDUNE.

Not enough time in this talk, but please find more details here: <http://goo.gl/NlxBj7>
MicroBooNE technical note available soon



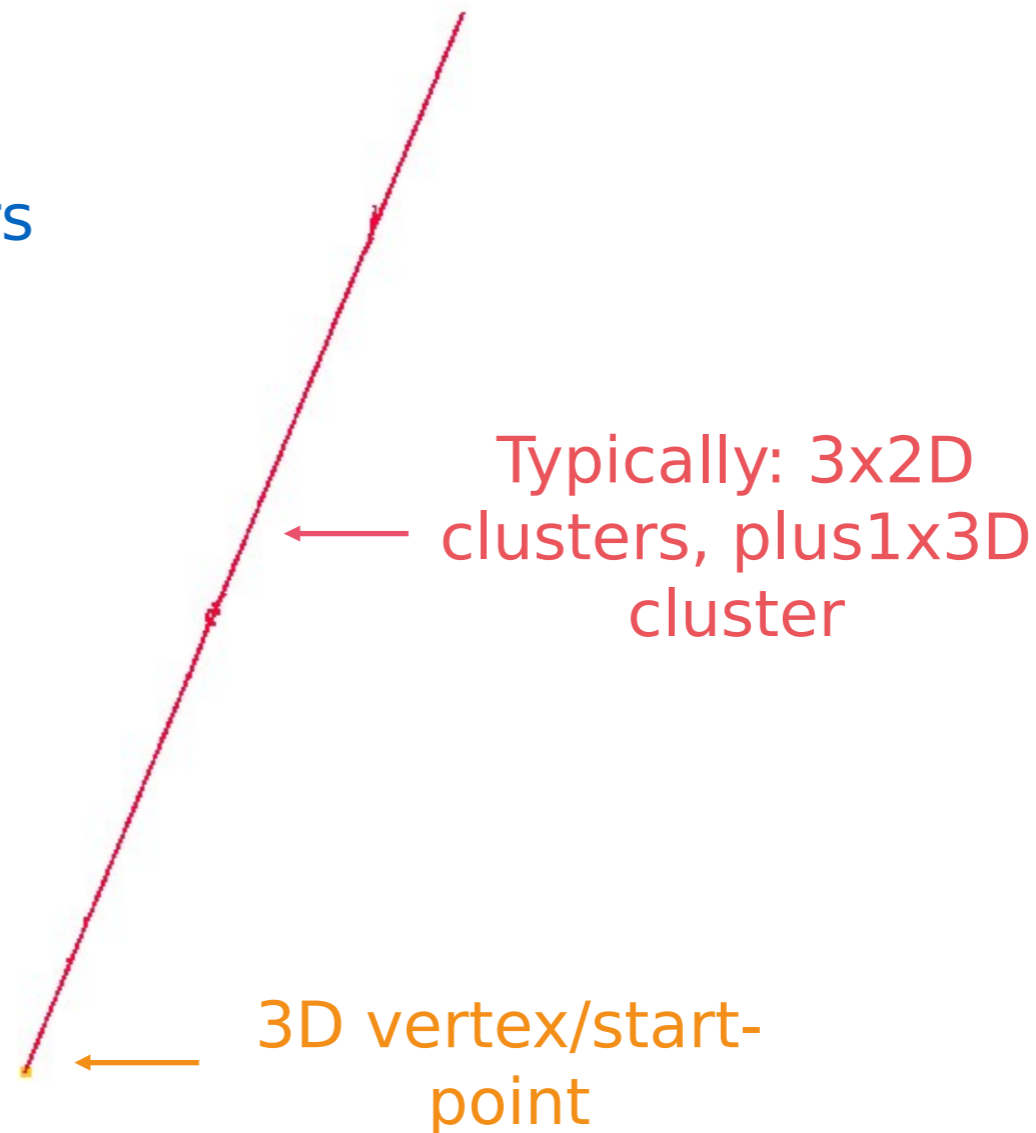
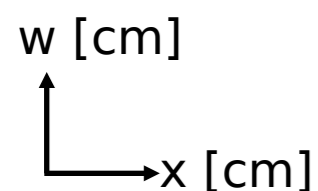
Pandora Example Events

Cosmic Ray Muon: Display 1/2

Cosmic pass

The reconstructed cosmic ray contains:

- Particle metadata
- A 3D vertex/start-point
- A list of 2D and 3D muon clusters
- A list of daughter particles



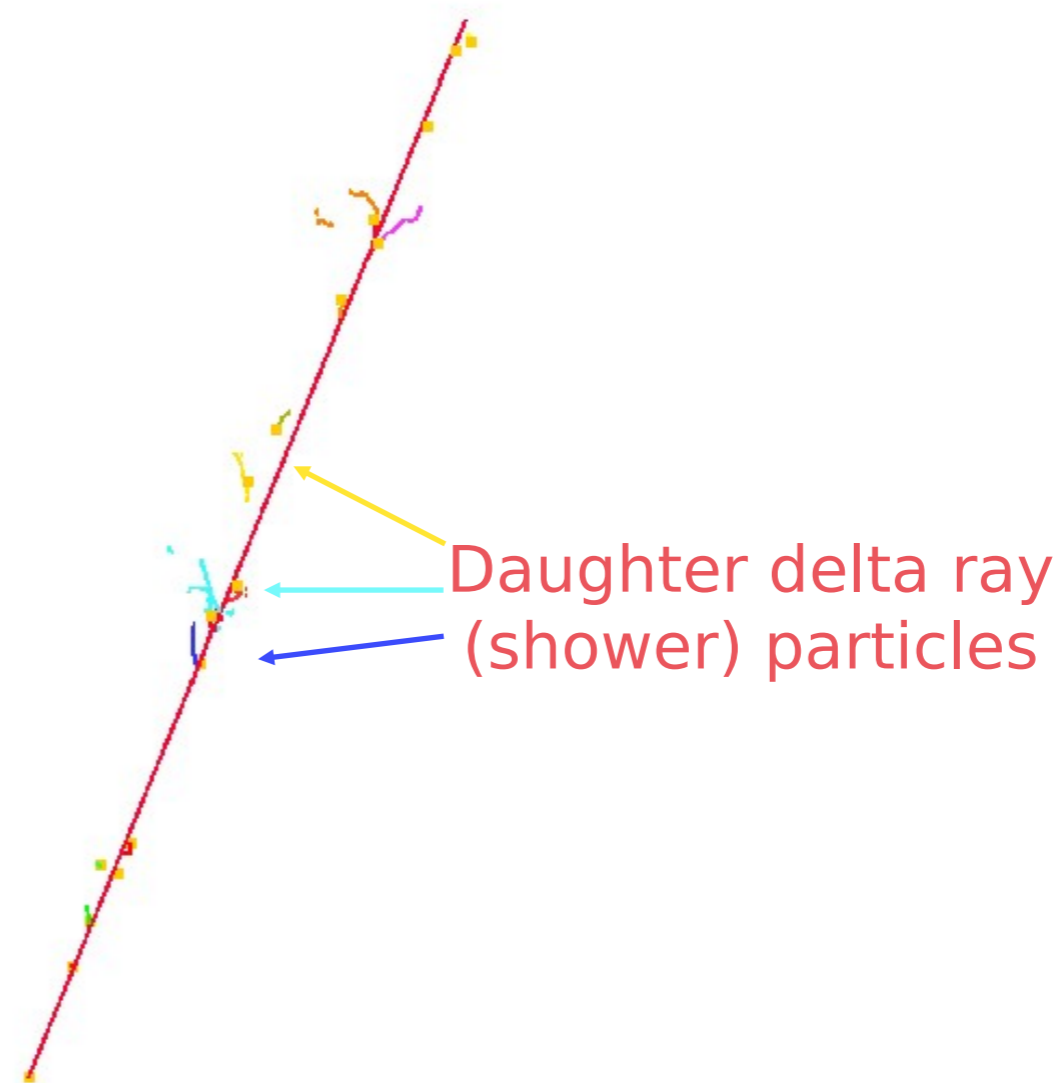


Pandora Example Events

Cosmic Ray Muon: Display 2/2

Cosmic pass

- Daughter delta-rays, each of which has:
 - Particle metadata
 - A list of 2D clusters and a 3D cluster
 - A 3D vertex position



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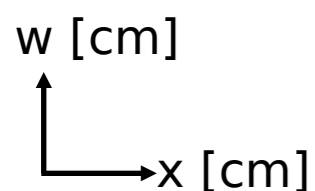
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Pandora algorithms and tools create **3D SpacePoints** for each reconstructed particle. The full **particle hierarchy** is also reconstructed, so a typical event output is as shown below:

5 GeV ν_e CC: Display 1/4

Neutrino pass

- The reconstructed neutrino particle contains:
 - Metadata: PDG code, 4-momentum, etc
 - A 3D interaction vertex
 - A list of daughter particles



3D neutrino
interaction
vertex





Pandora Example Events

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5 GeV ν_e CC: Display 2/4

- Primary daughter particles of the neutrino, each of which has:
 - Particle metadata
 - A list of 2D clusters and a 3D cluster
 - A 3D interaction vertex
 - A list of any further daughter particles

Neutrino pass

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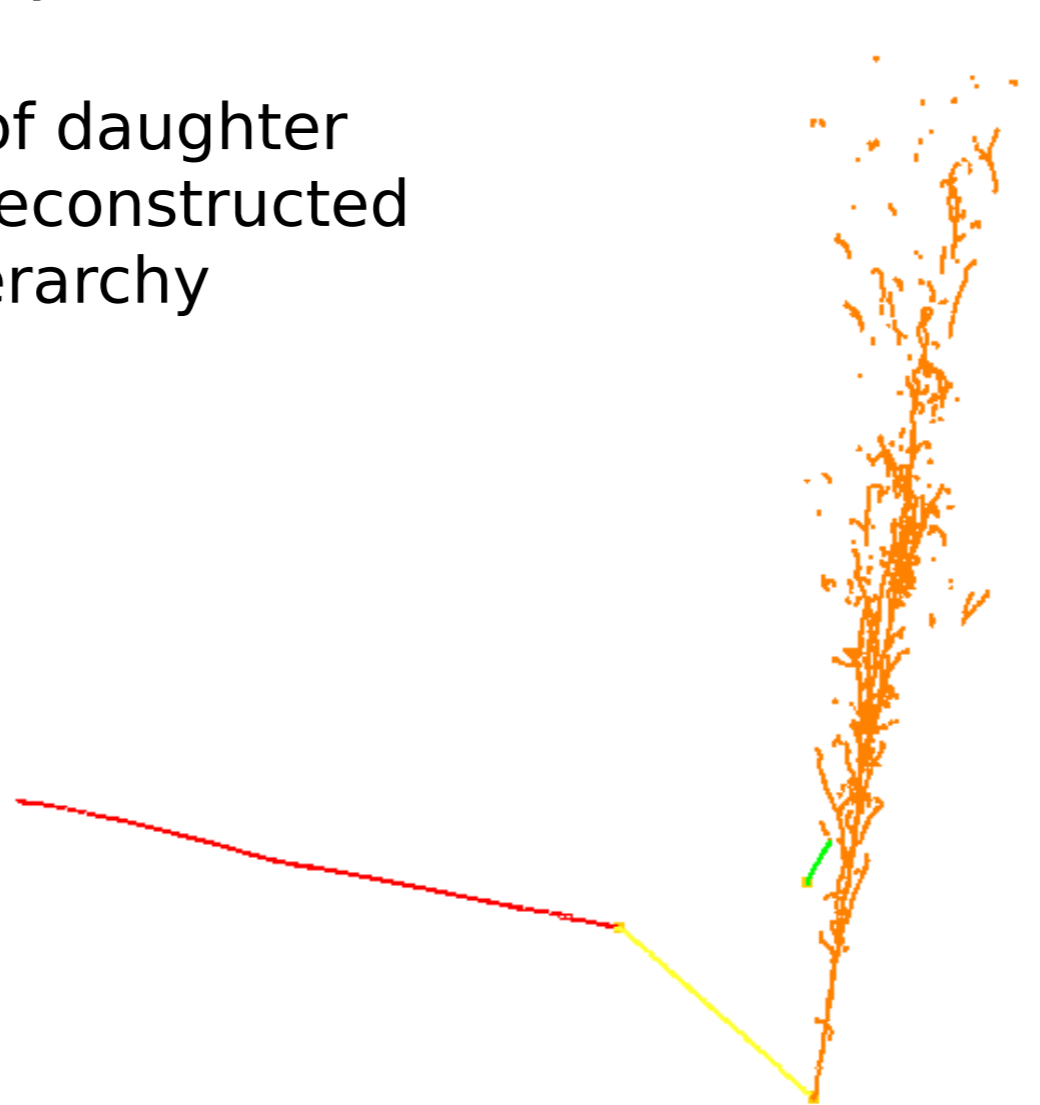
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- Complete list of daughter particles in the reconstructed particle hierarchy

Neutrino pass

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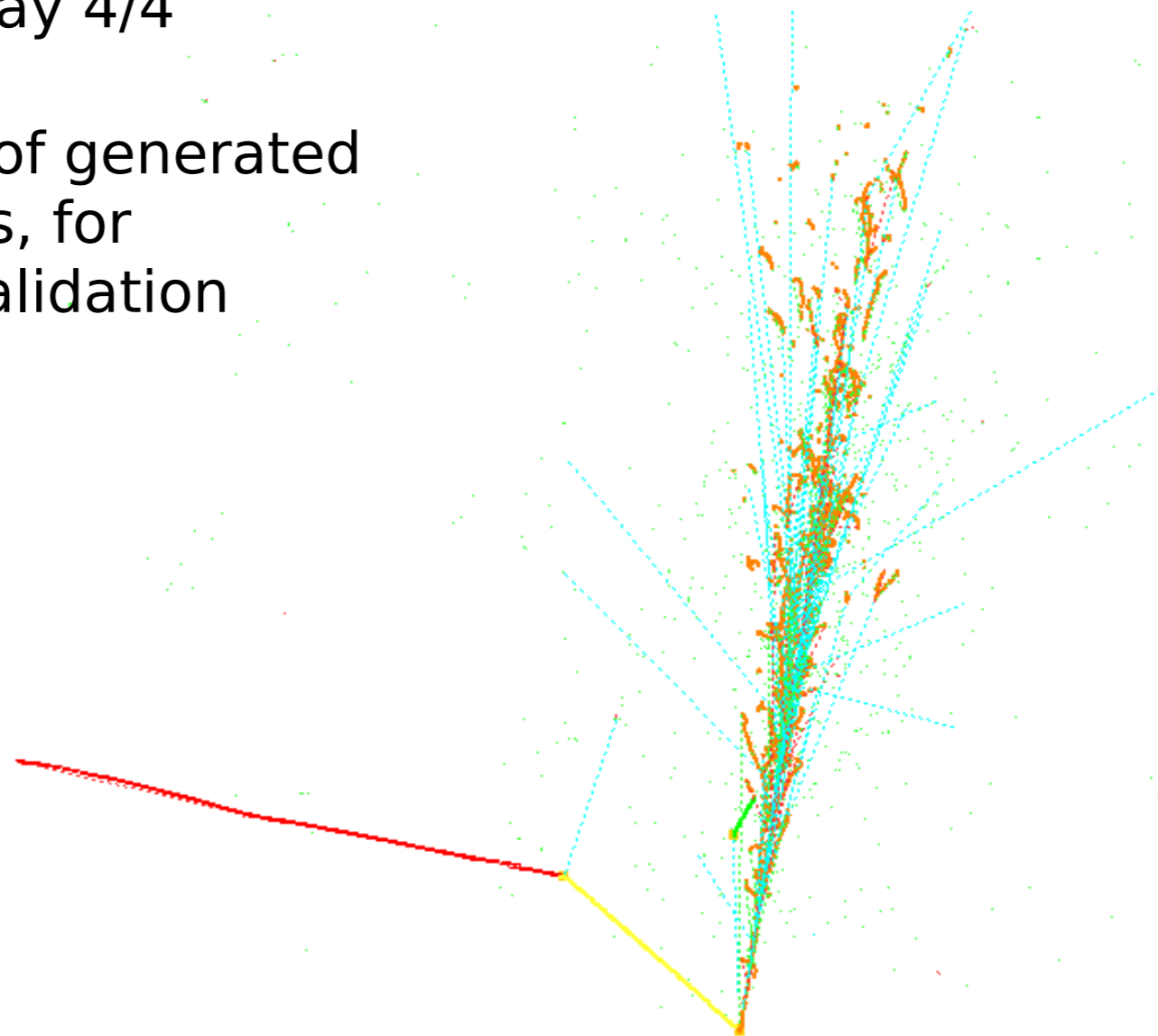
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- Overlay details of generated particles, for reference/validation

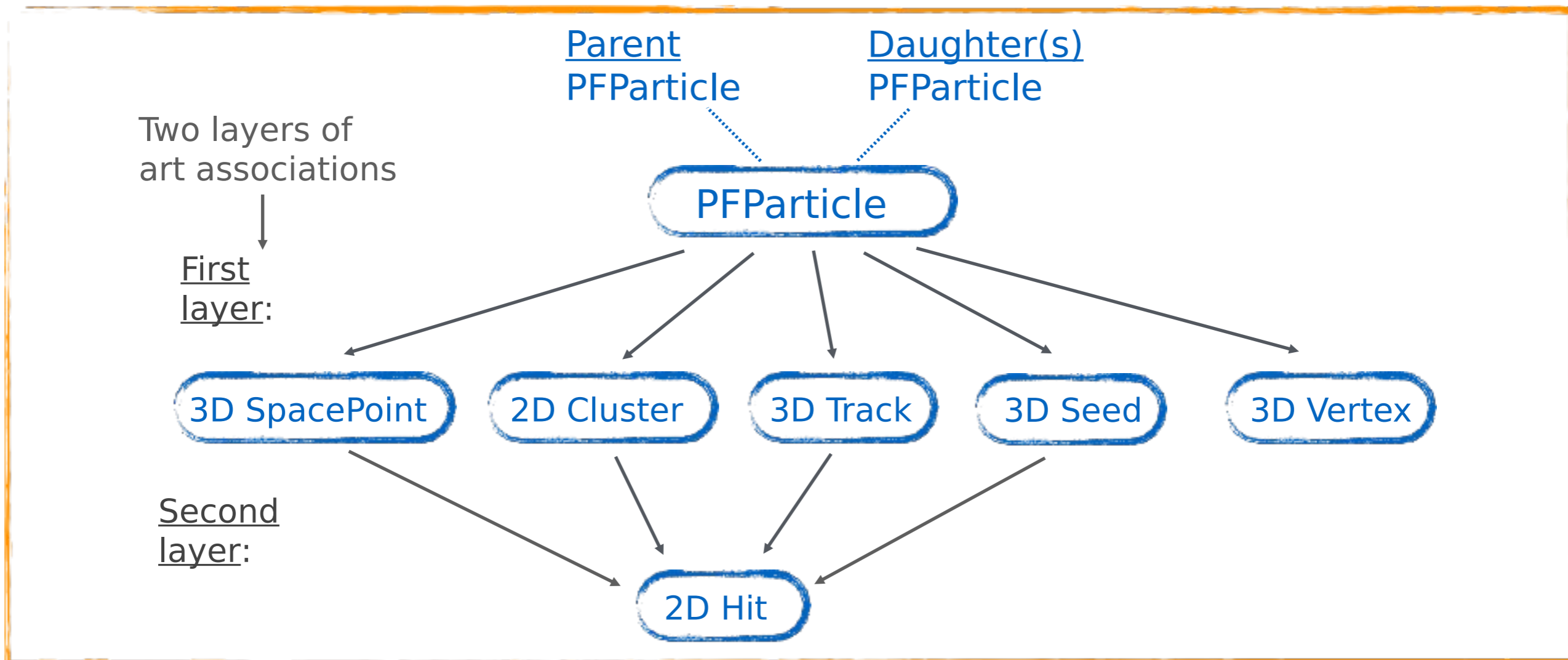
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Pandora Output to LArSoft



- Note distinction between Found Tracks and Found Showers provided by Pandora and any downstream Fitted Tracks or “Value-added” Showers (with calorimetry information).
- LArSoft output must be handled carefully: use PFParticle functionality to navigate along particle hierarchies, then must always use art associations to navigate to related objects.
- Example usage: [larpandora/LArPandoraInterface/LArPandoraHelper](#)



Pandora Performance Metrics

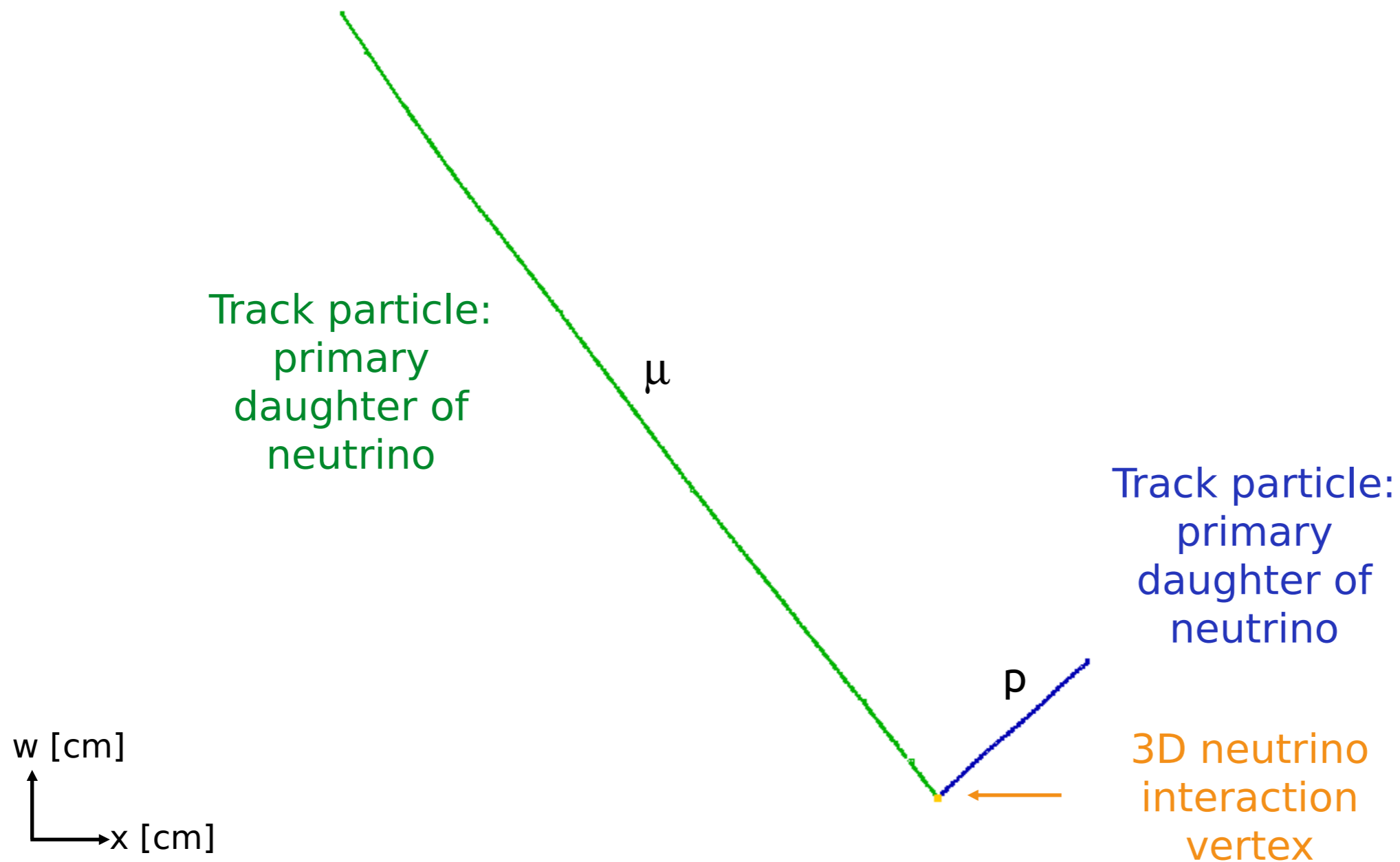
- Use **performance metrics** to assess reconstruction output and drive development:
 - Look at specific types of neutrino interactions in simulation.
 - Carefully match reconstructed particles to each true (primary) particle.
 - Count reconstructed particles for each true particle and assess quality of matches.
- A well-defined approach (see backup for full details), but **not very forgiving**: events with minor errors, readily dismissed by eye, often classed as failures.
- Striving for perfection - look to **match precisely one reco particle to each true particle**.

Next pages illustrate performance for MicroBooNE with the most current LArSoft release (LArSoft v05_04_00 - v05_08_00)



Pandora Performance: CC QEL μ , p

MicroBooNE simulation: BNB $\nu\mu$ CC QEL





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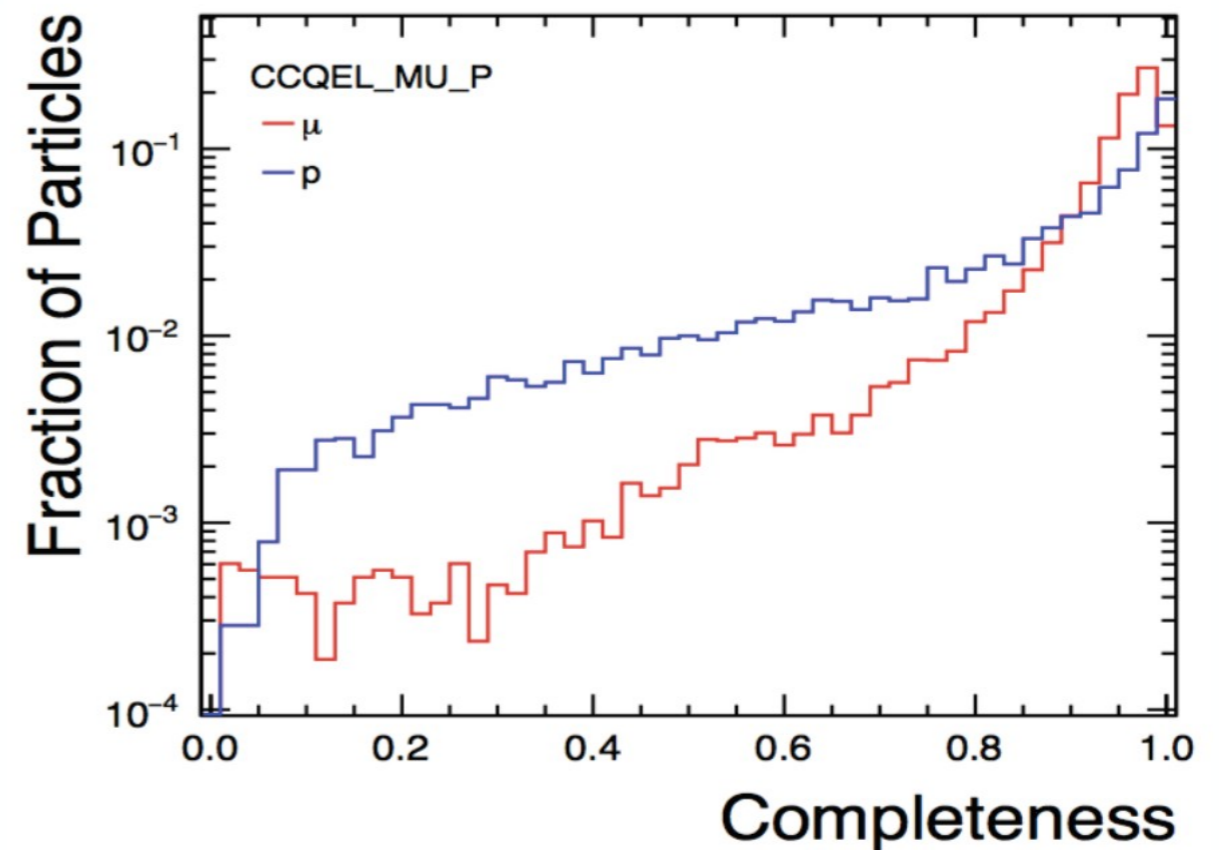
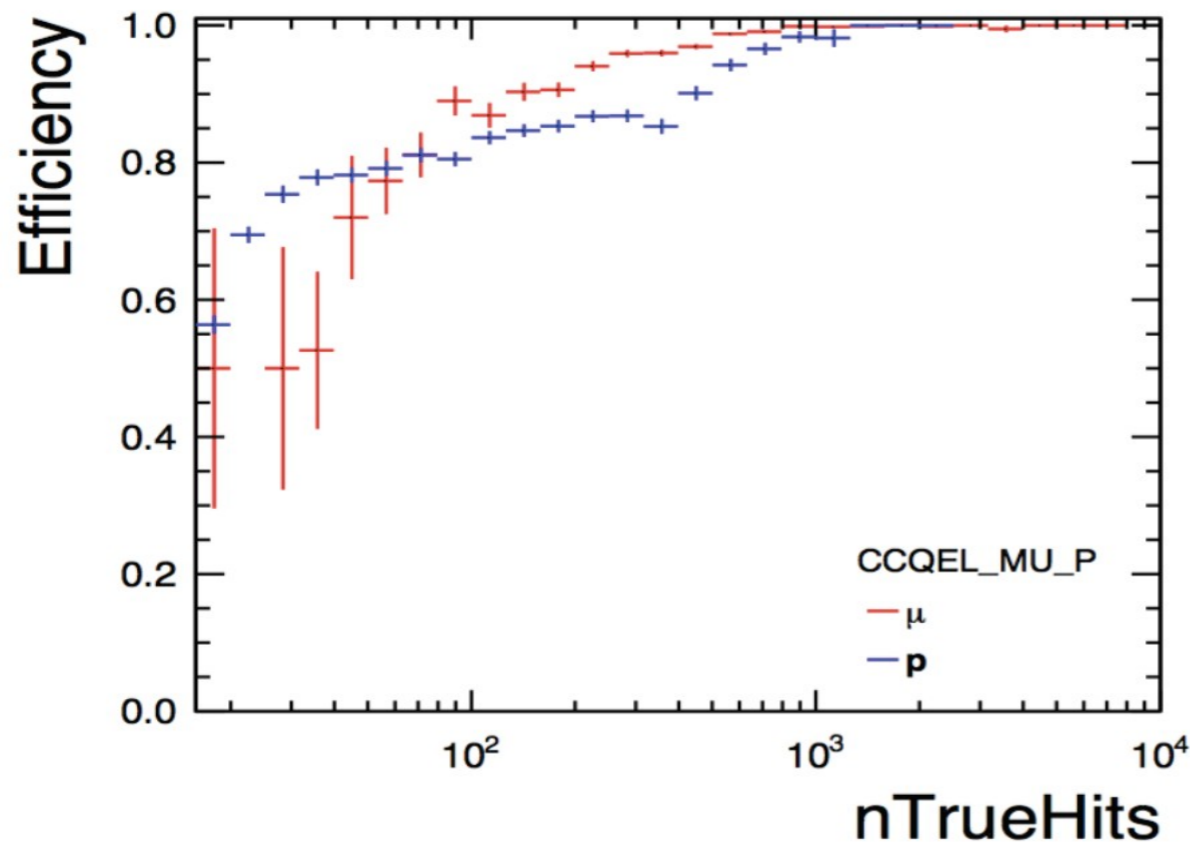
MicroBooNE simulation: BNB $\nu\mu$ CC QEL μ , p

Input: LArSoft v05_08_00

#MatchedPFOs	0	1	2	3+
μ	2,7 %	90,7 %	6,1 %	0,5 %
p	19,8 %	76,4 %	3,5 %	0,3 %

#Events: 22,102
#Perfect: 71.1%

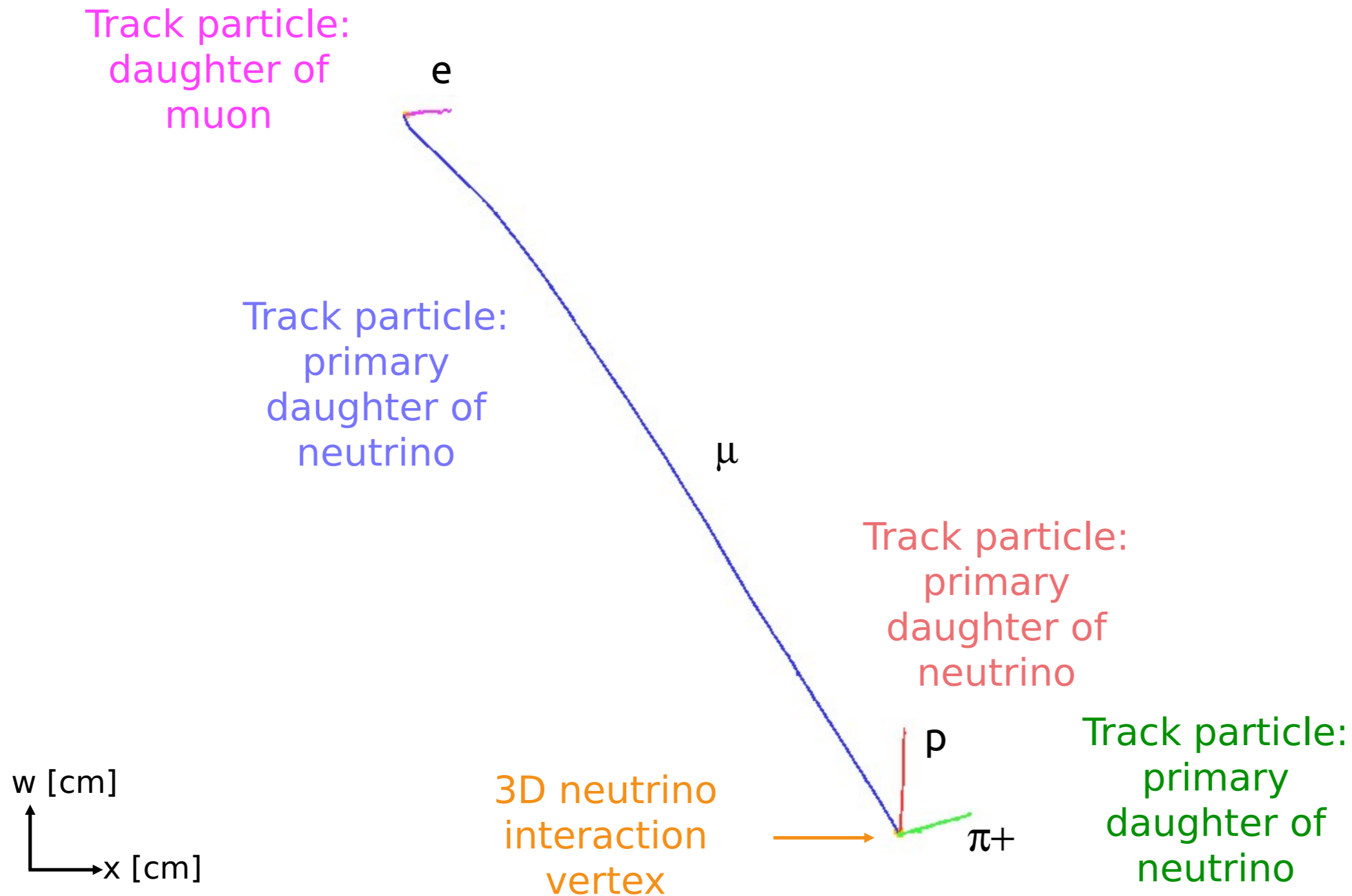
Results for Neutrino 2016





Pandora Performance: CC RES μ , ρ , π^+

MicroBooNE simulation: BNB $\nu\mu$ CC RES μ , ρ , π^+





Pandora Performance: CC RES μ , p , π^+

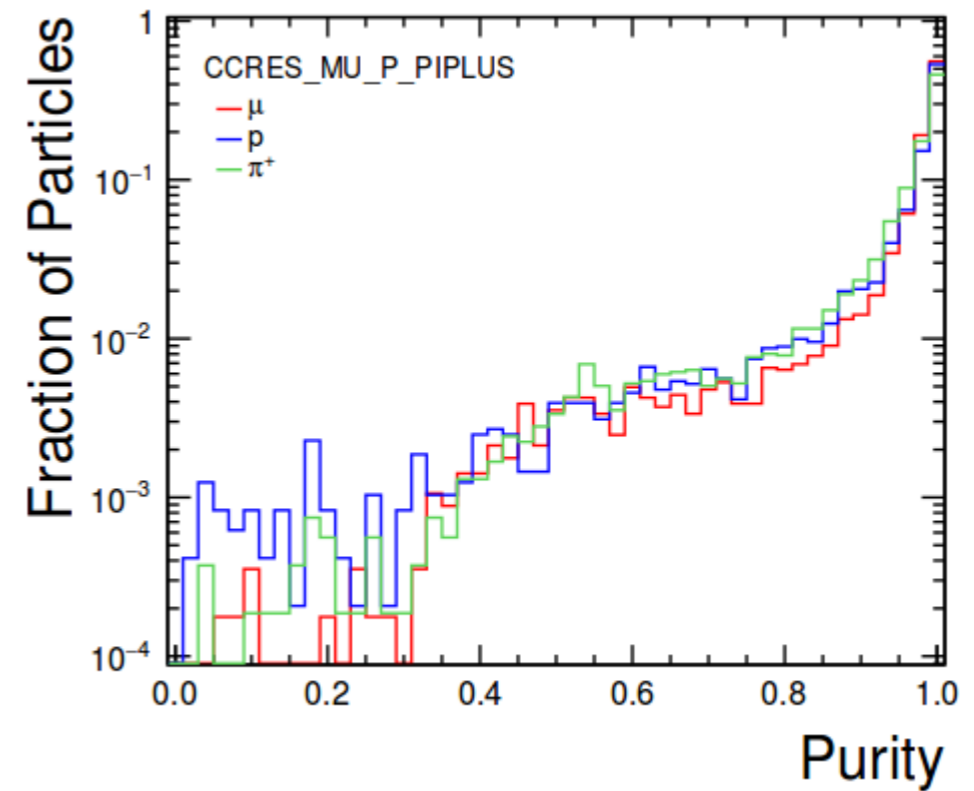
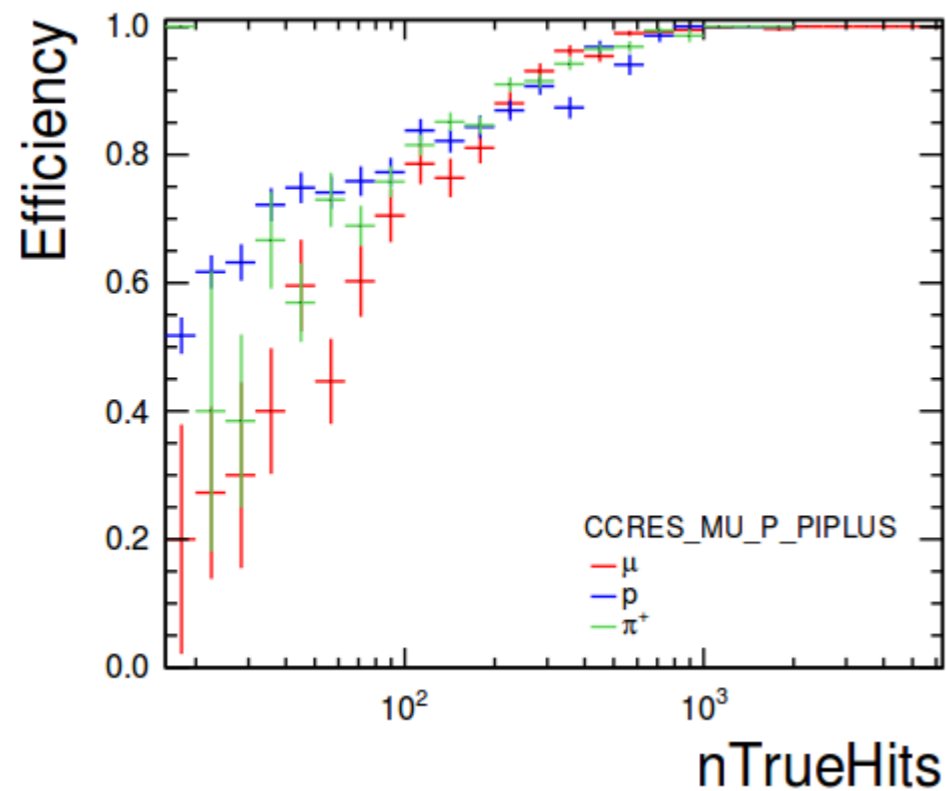
MicroBooNE simulation: BNB $\nu\mu$ CC RES μ , p , π^+

Input: LArSoft v05_08_00

#MatchedPFOs	0	1	2	3+
μ	6.8 %	87.7 %	5.1 %	0.4 %
p	20.5 %	75.0 %	4.0 %	0.5 %
π^+	11.6 %	71.3 %	13.0 %	4.1 %

#Events: 6,070
#Perfect: 50.8%

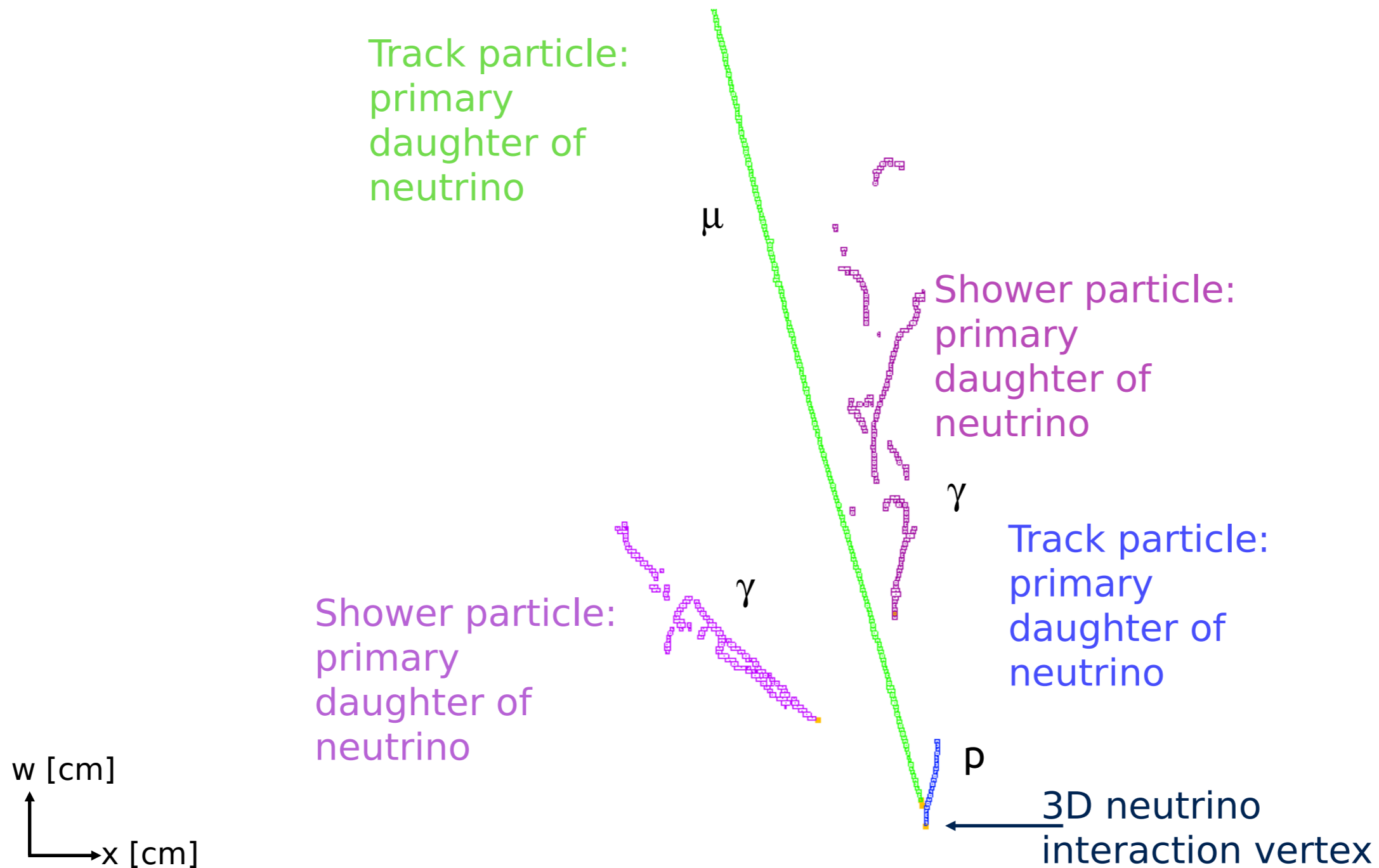
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Pandora Performance: CC RES μ , ρ , π^0

MicroBooNE simulation: BNB ν_μ CC RES μ , ρ , π^0





Pandora Performance: CC RES μ , p , π^0

MicroBooNE simulation: BNB ν_μ CC RES μ , p , π^0

Input: LArSoft v05_08_00

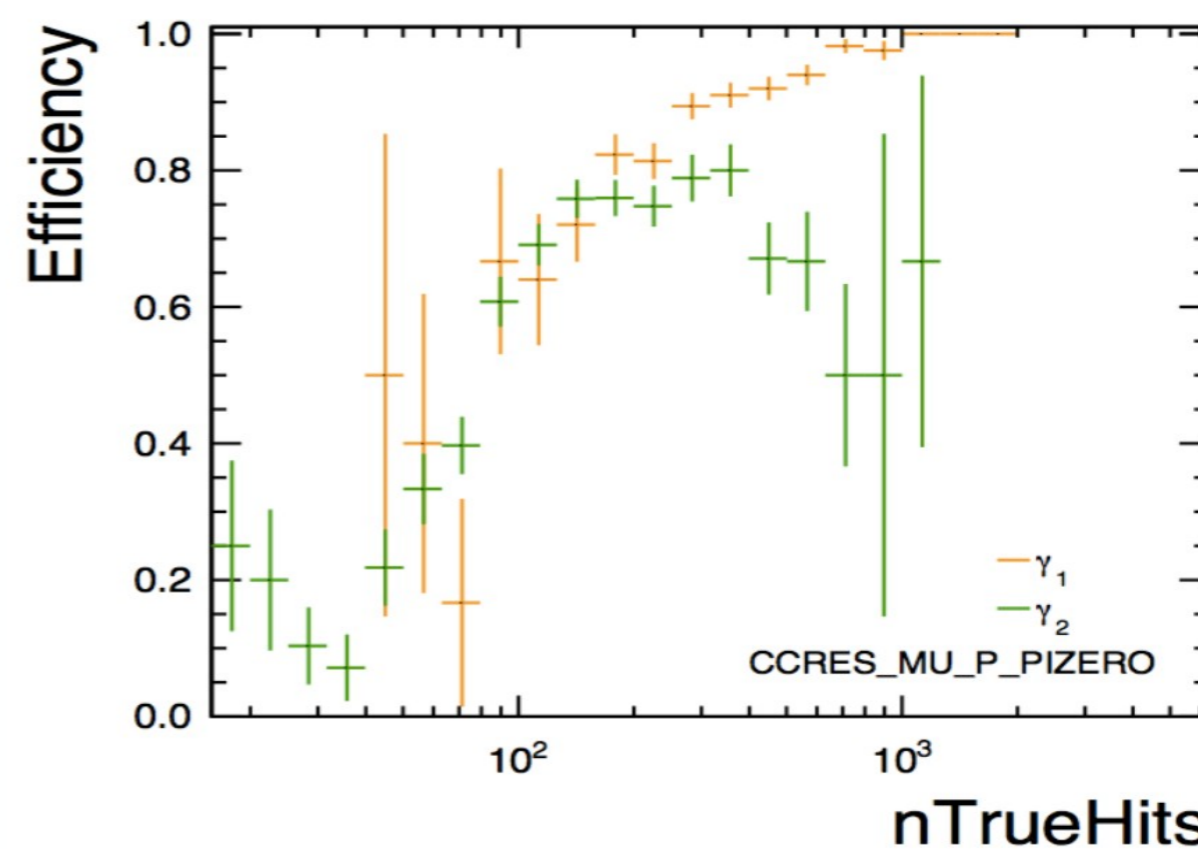
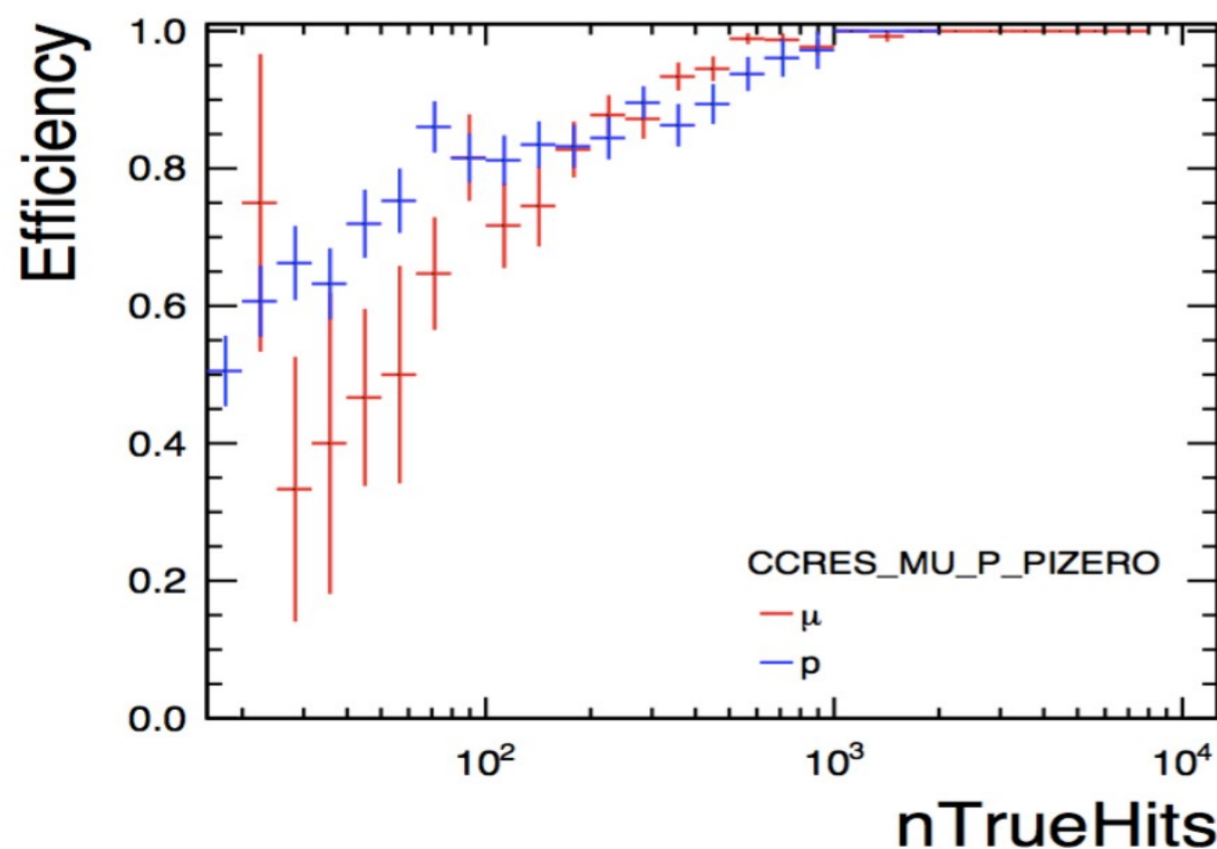
#MatchedPFOs		1	2	3+
μ	7,9 %	87,4 %	4,4 %	0,3 %
p	19,8 %	74,0 %	5,5 %	0,7 %
γ_1	10,8 %	60,0 %	18,2 %	11,0 %
γ_2	35,9 %	51,0 %	10,1 %	3,0 %

#hits(γ_1) > #hits(γ_2)

#Events: 1,874

#Perfect: 22.3%

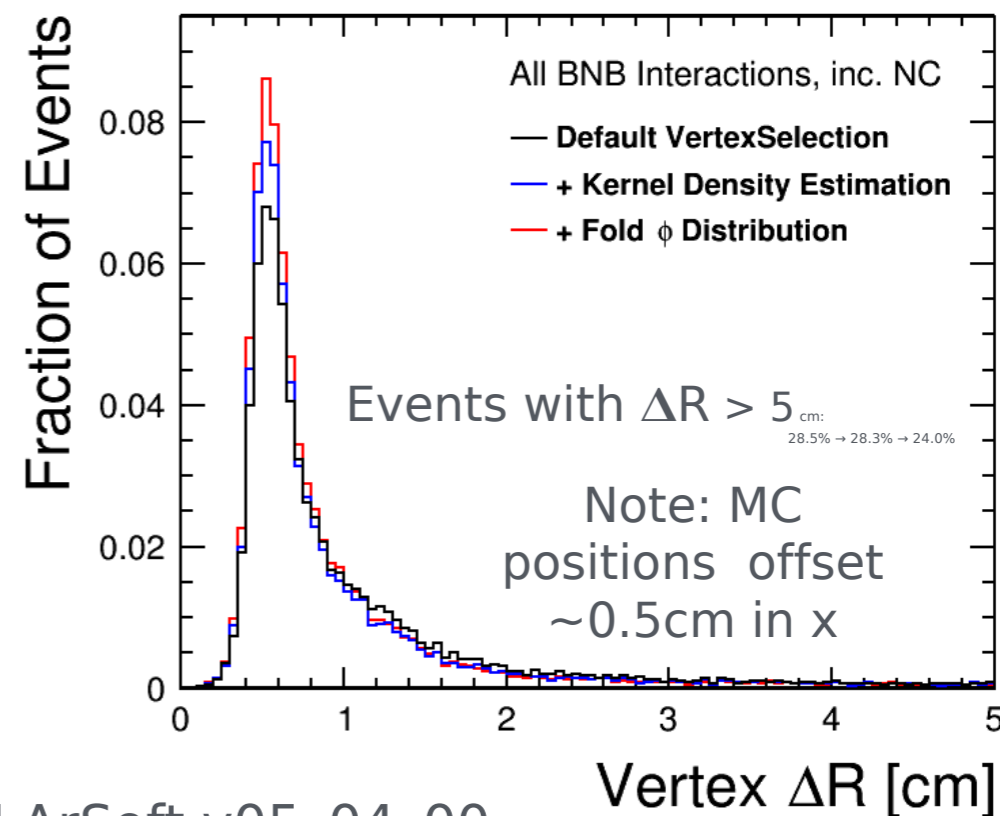
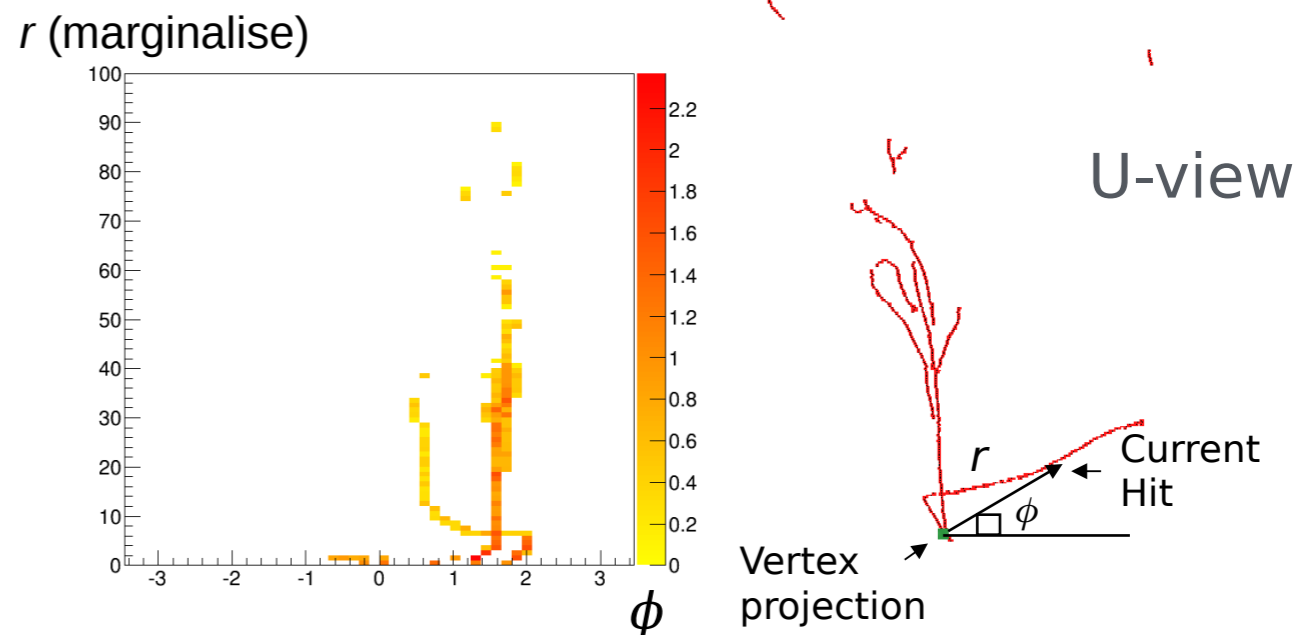
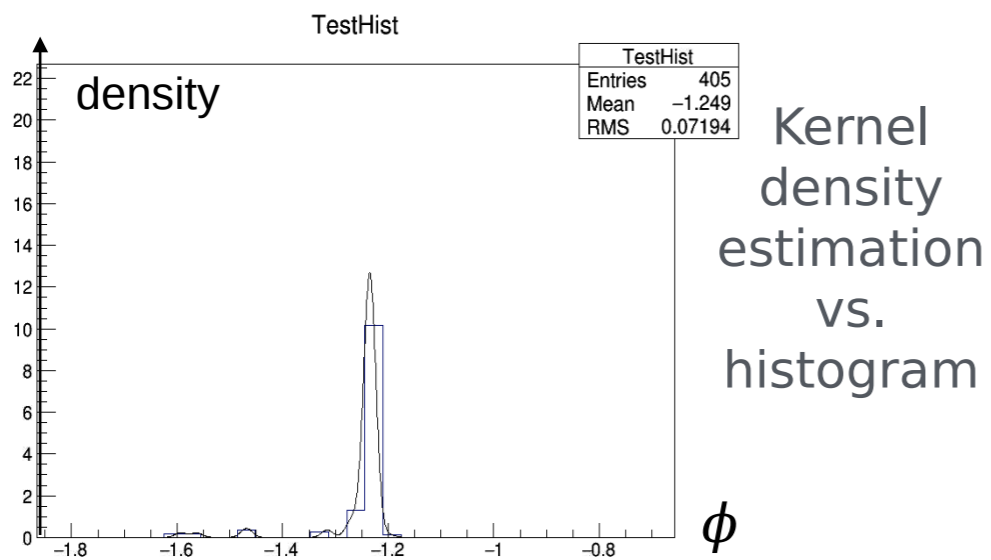
Results for Neutrino 2016





Vertex Improvements

- Use pairs of 2D clusters to produce list of 3D candidate vertex positions. Assess each by examining surrounding hits.
- Use kernel density estimation to provide non-parametric estimations of hit ϕ distributions (each r -deweighted).
- Sample distributions to obtain score that promotes grouping hits in tight ϕ ranges, each for distinct particle leaving vertex.
- Fold ϕ distribution into range 0 to π , with cancellation between π -separated hits to disfavour candidates placed on tracks.
- The existing vertex reconstruction can easily be adapted to incorporate the features of the protoDUNE detector(s)

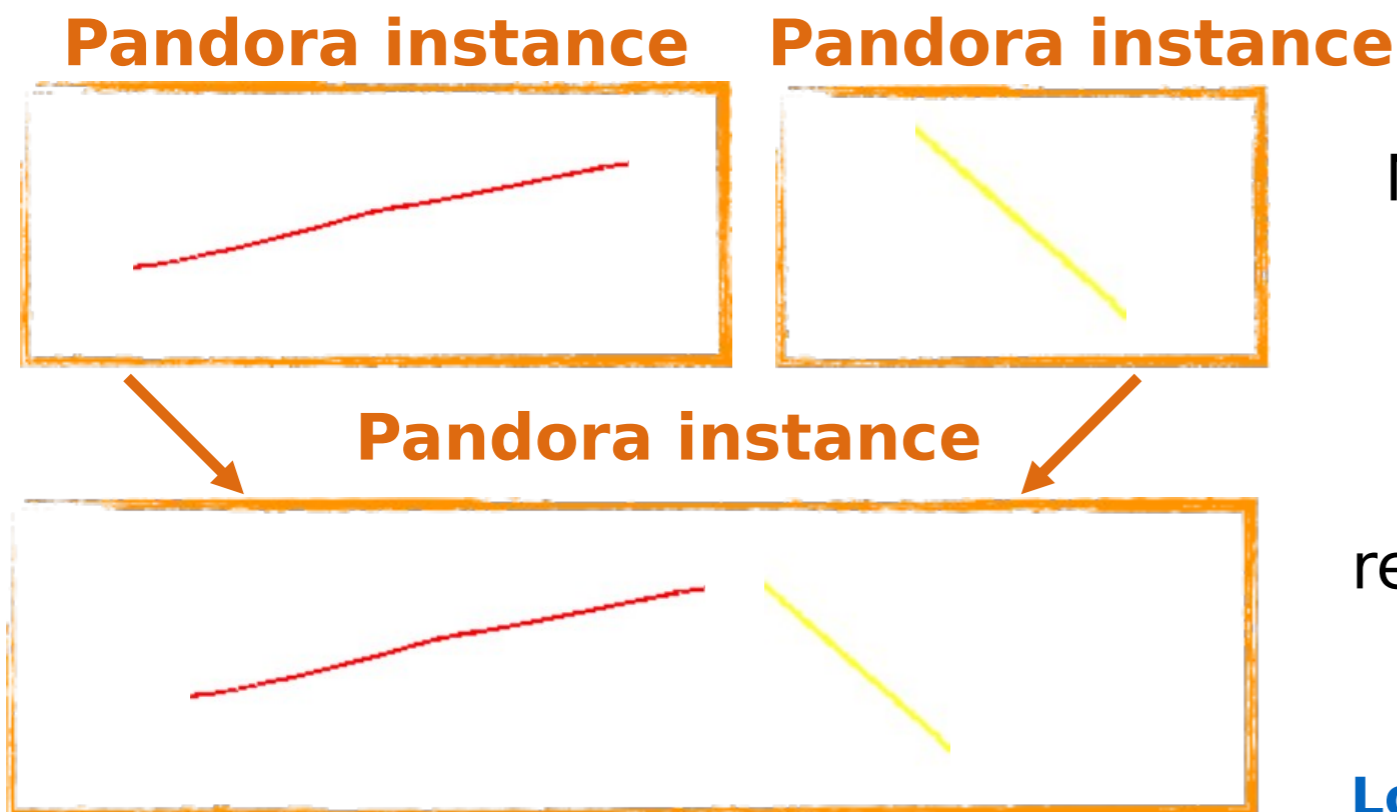


Input: LArSoft v05_04_00



Pandora for DUNE

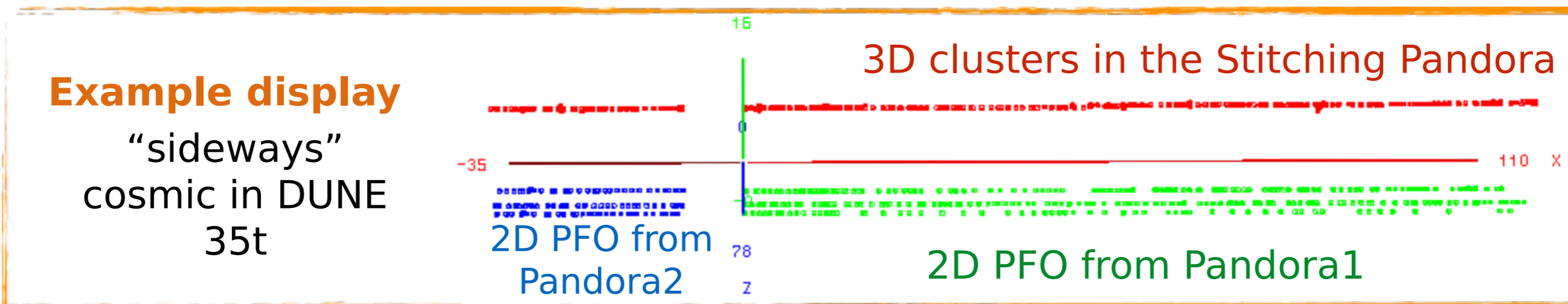
- Handle events crossing between multiple TPC ‘drift volumes’:
 - Technical details addressed: Pandora instances apply MicroBooNE reco to each volume.
 - Logic required to decide i) which particles to stitch together and ii) which is the parent.



N independent Pandora instances to reconstruct particles in N different drift volumes

N+1 instance grabbing the reconstructed particles and comparing them as 3D particles in a world volume

Logic to match them: Stitching (todo list)



3D clusters in the Stitching Pandora



Pandora for DUNE

- Path for providing Pandora multi-algorithm reconstruction for DUNE seems clear:
 - Pandora interfaces ensure that all MicroBooNE developments reusable for DUNE.
 - Some additions required, but more a case of re-optimisation than all-new development.
- Optimise for event topologies associated with different beam spectrum:
 - Reduce 'tensions' between algorithms for tracks, dense showers and
 - sparse showers.
 - Re-consider CPU and memory efficiency for events with larger numbers of hits.
- Achieve high quality communication with reco and analysis working groups.
- Pandora is an open project and new contributors would be extremely welcome.



Thanks for your attention!

Pandora's home on the web: <https://github.com/PandoraPFA> Contact details overleaf...



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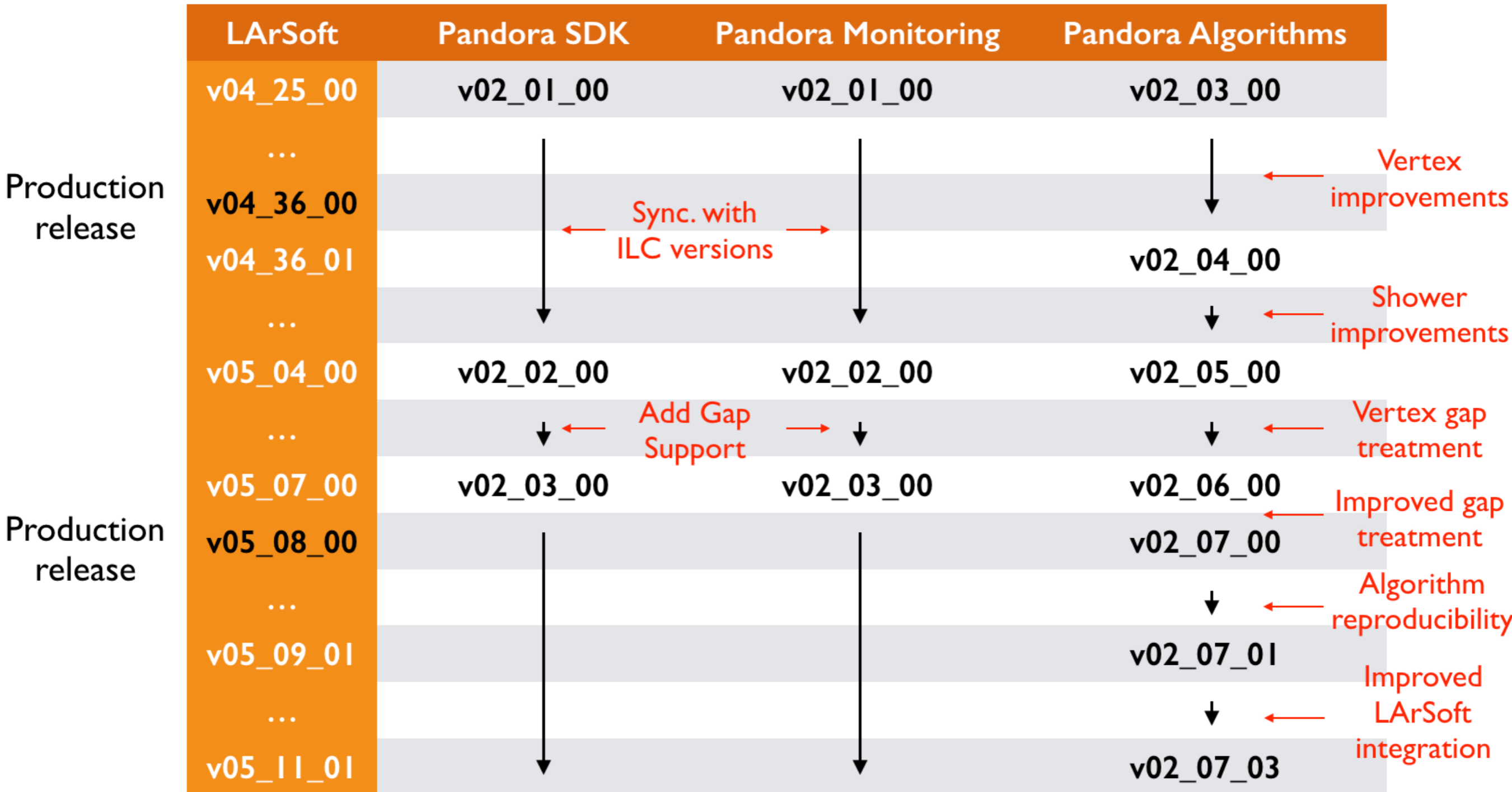
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Pandora LArSoft Integration

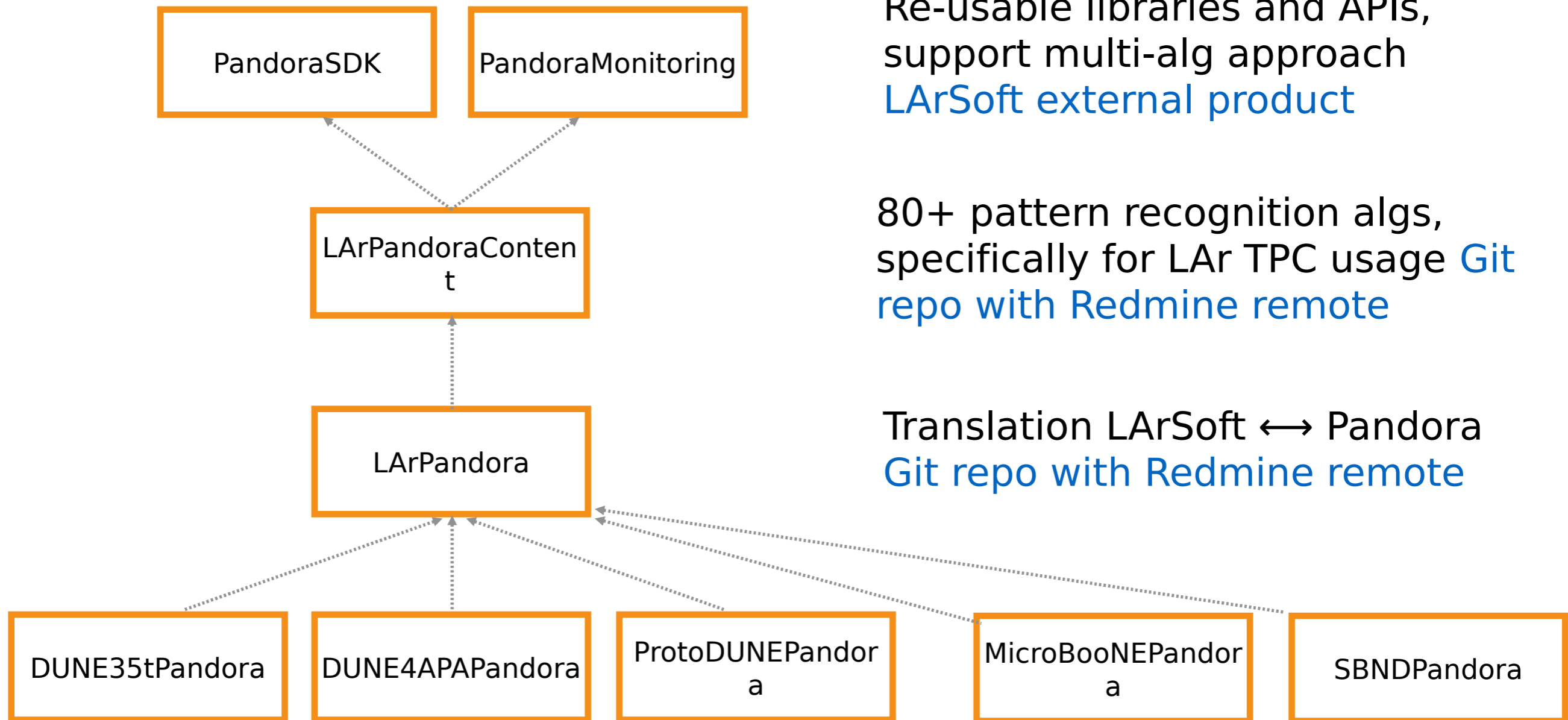
Place some of the more recent Pandora developments in a LArSoft context:





Pandora LArSoft Integration

Simple cartoon showing current packages and an indicative hierarchy:



Re-usable libraries and APIs, support multi-alg approach
LArSoft external product

80+ pattern recognition algs, specifically for LAr TPC usage
Git repo with Redmine remote

Translation LArSoft ↔ Pandora
Git repo with Redmine remote

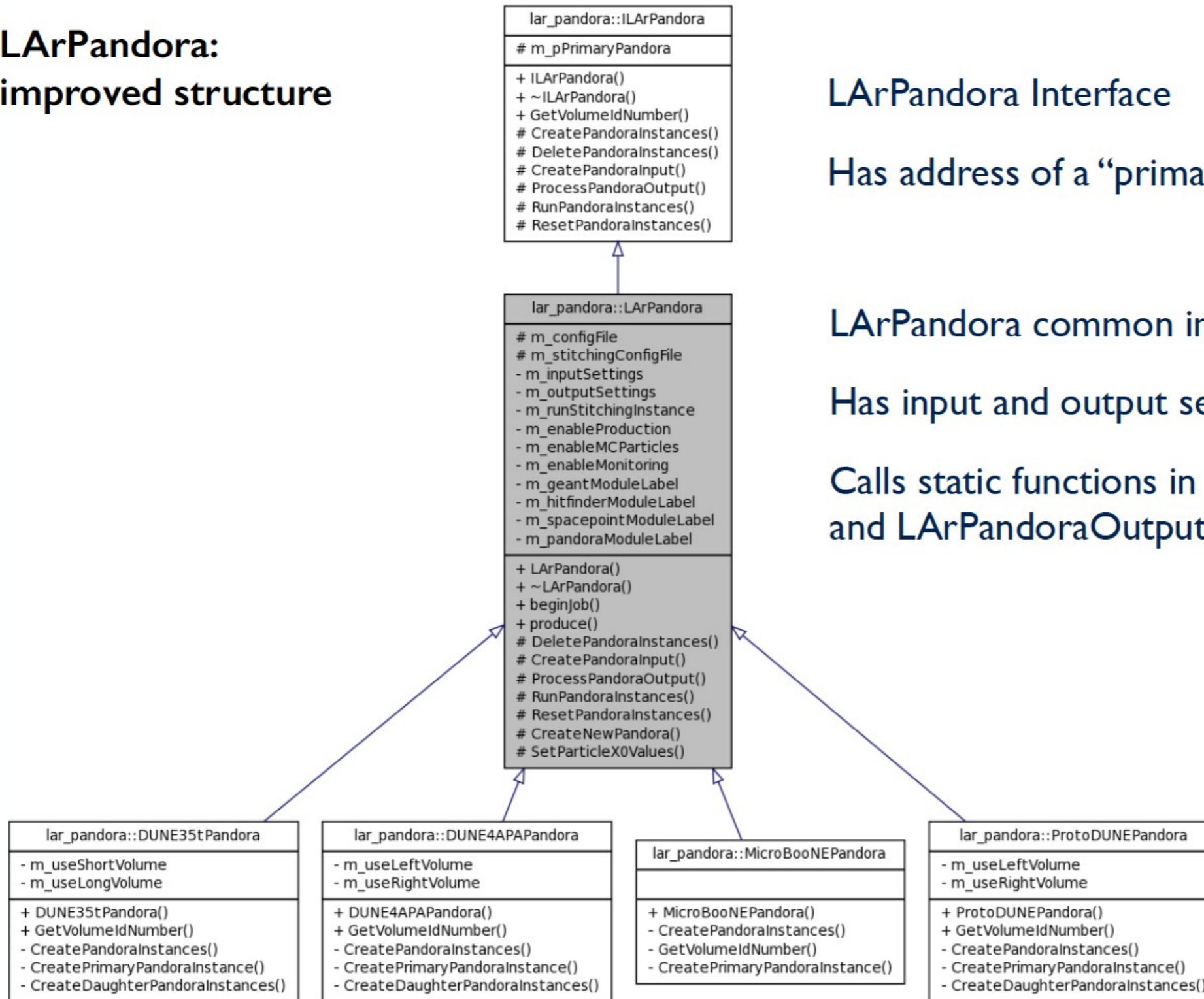
Any detector-specific aspects. Create Pandora Instances, define drift volumes
Git repos with Redmine remote

Ongoing: Replace detector-specific producer modules with a single, abstracted module.



LArPandora Structure

**LArPandora:
improved structure**



LArPandora Interface

Has address of a “primary” Pandora instance

LArPandora common implementation

Has input and output settings instances

Calls static functions in LArPandoraInput and LArPandoraOutput

Create Pandora instances

Define drift volumes



Pandora Validation Tools

Comprehensive list of reco particle to MC primary matches

Clickable list of objects for each MC primary
Indication of reco quality: **angry** colours for poor matches

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> Running Algorithm: 0x2531790, LArEventValidation
--- RAW-MATCHING-OUTPUT ---
MCNeutrino, PDG 14, Nuance 1004
RecoNeutrino, PDG 12
VtxOffset x: 17.0039 y: 9.98628 z: 39.4616 length: 44.1144
RecoNeutrino, PDG 14
VtxOffset x: -0.876671 y: -0.541977 z: -0.558838 length: 1.17243

Primary 0, PDG 22, nMCHits 1535 (397, 545, 593)
-MatchedPfo 0, PDG 11, nMatchedHits 1441 (376, 513, 552), nPfoHits 1534 (377, 605, 552)
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Primary 1, PDG 13, nMCHits 367 (84, 182, 101)
-MatchedPfo 1, PDG 13, nMatchedHits 345 (78, 173, 94), nPfoHits 350 (80, 176, 94)

Primary 2, PDG 22, nMCHits 137 (50, 37, 50)
-MatchedPfo 2, PDG 11, nMatchedHits 100 (50, 0, 50), nPfoHits 102 (50, 0, 52)
-MatchedPfo 0, PDG 11, nMatchedHits 37 (0, 37, 0), nPfoHits 1534 (377, 605, 552)

Primary 3, PDG 2212, nMCHits 83 (24, 41, 18)
-MatchedPfo 3, PDG 13, nMatchedHits 75 (22, 37, 16), nPfoHits 75 (22, 37, 16)
-MatchedPfo 1, PDG 13, nMatchedHits 5 (2, 3, 0), nPfoHits 350 (80, 176, 94)

Primary 4, PDG 2112, nMCHits 33 (8, 14, 11)
--- PROCESSED-MATCHING-OUTPUT ---

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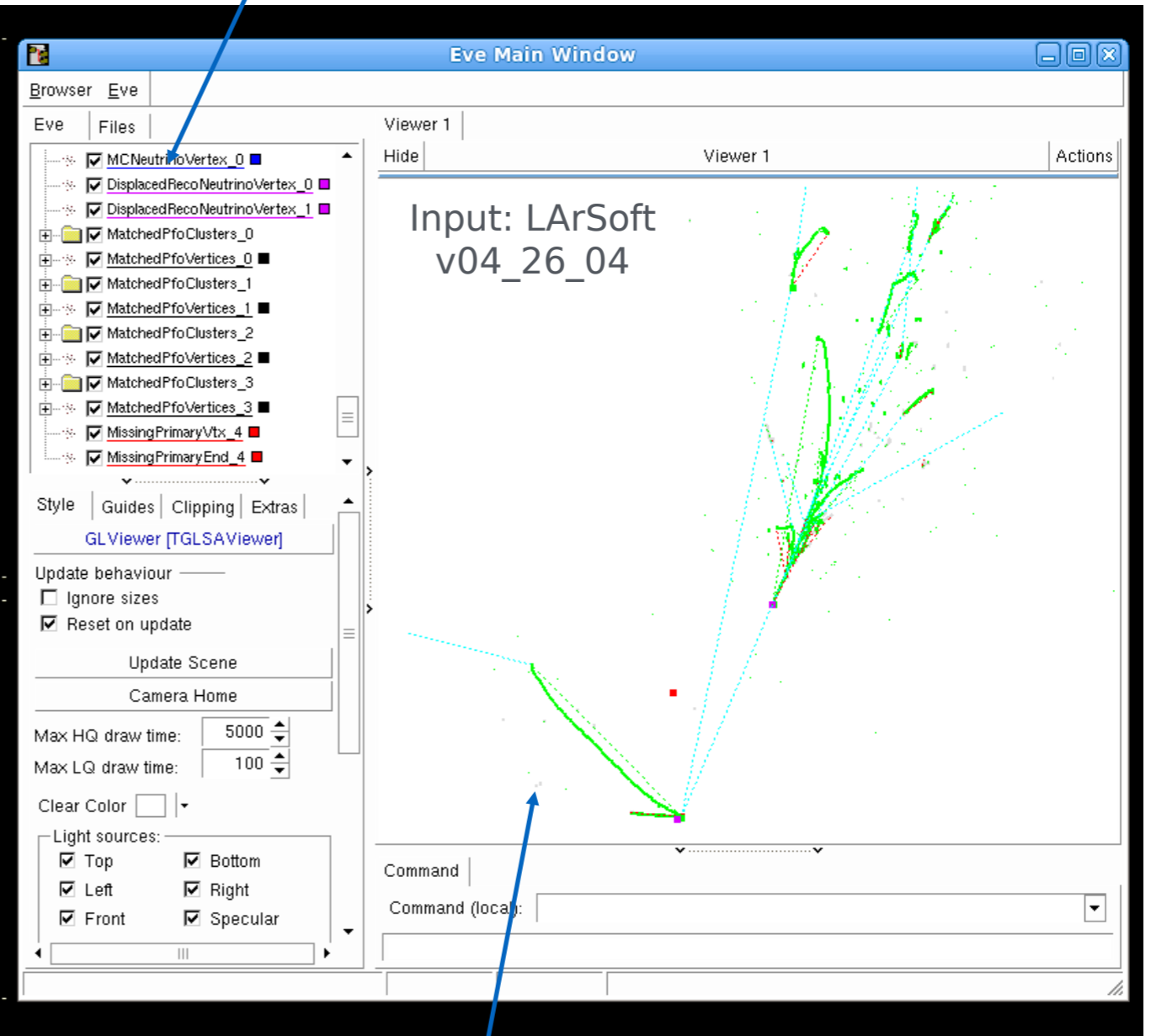
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Is correct? 0
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Press return to continue ...

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Output of our interpretative matching scheme

Matched particles appear in **green**
Split particles appear in **red**
Markers placed at vtx/end of missing particles

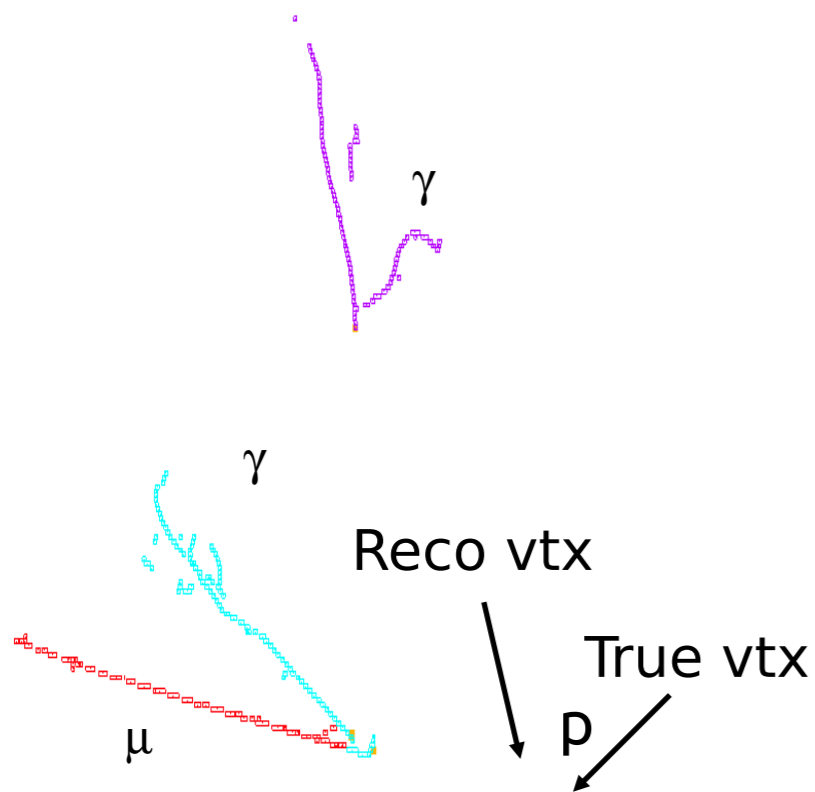


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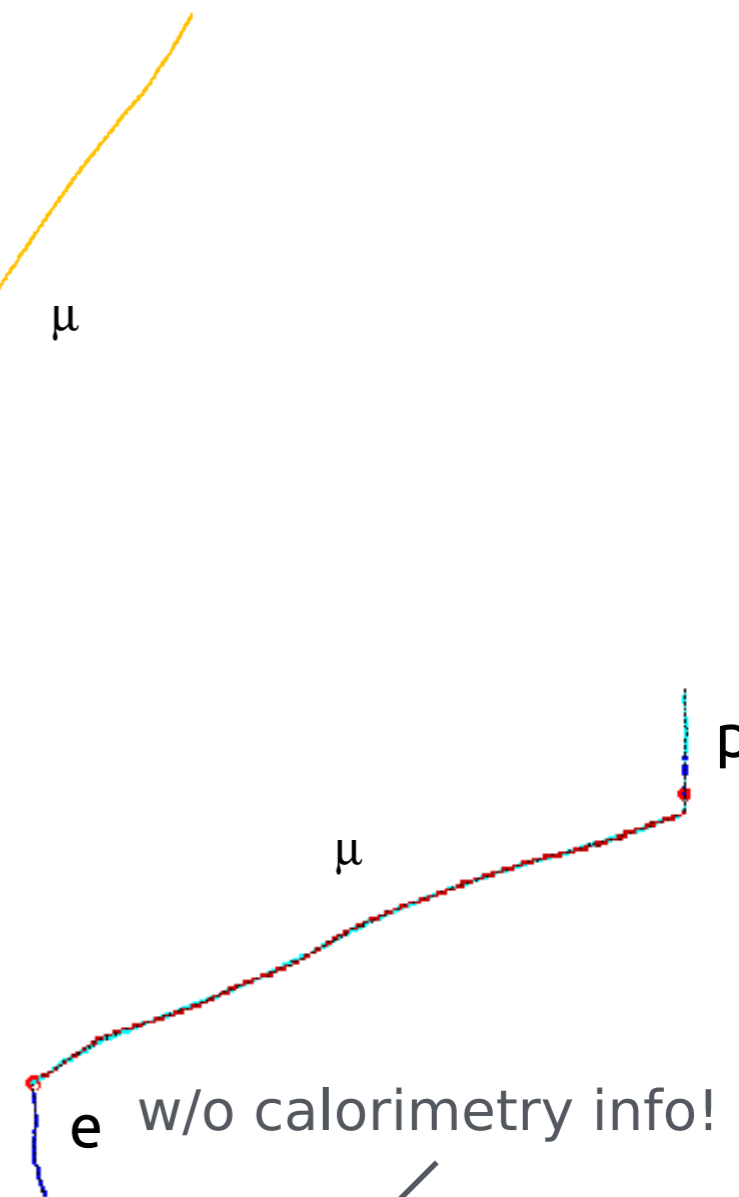
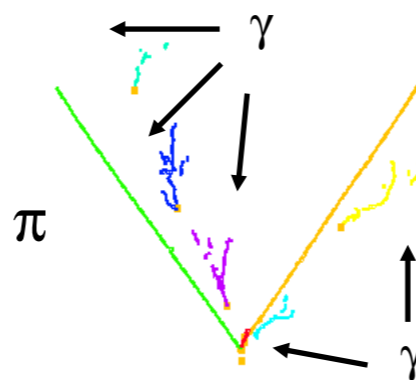
What kind of things go wrong?

Input: LArSoft v04_16_00

ii) Sparse showers split into multiple particles



i) Reconstructed vertex slightly displaced, so proton is lost



iii) Distinguish between proton and electron? True vtx: high Z.



Pandora Performance Metrics

Metrics are calculated based on reconstructed PFParticles (and their associated collections of 2D hits)

1. Determine the primary true particle in each 2D hit.
 - Use true particle hierarchy to determine primary “reco targets”.
 - Associate hits to primary particles making largest E contribution.
2. Match reconstructed particles to true particles:
 - For each reco/true combination, find number of ‘matched’ 2D hits (common to both reco and true particles). Fold all daughter reco and true particles back into parent primaries.
 - Matching algorithm, find all “strong” matches, then pick-up remaining “weak” matches:
 - Find strongest (most shared hits) match between any reco and true particle
 - Repeat step i, using reco and true particles at most once, until no further matches possible
 - Assign any remaining reco particles to true particle with which they share most hits

True particles must have ≥ 15 true hits
Reco/true particles must share ≥ 5 hits to match



Calculate Performance Metrics:

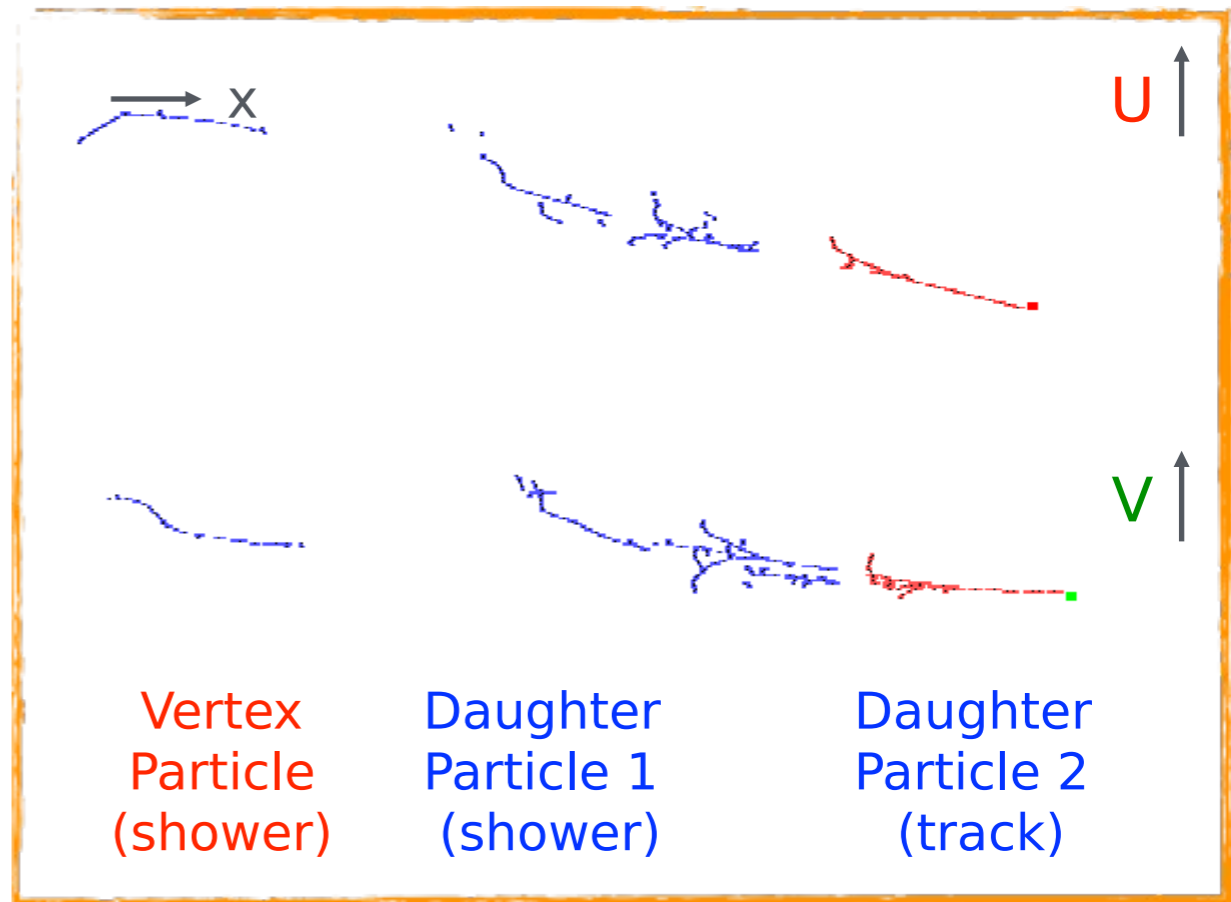
- ‘Efficiency’ = fraction of true particles with at least one matched reco particle
- ‘Completeness’ = fraction of 2D hits in true particle shared with the reco particle
- ‘Purity’ = fraction of 2D hits in reco particle shared with the true particle

Striving for perfection
- look to accurately match one reco particle to each true particle.



Shower Improvements

- Added SplitShowerMerging algorithm to improve completeness of sparse showers:
 - Find vertex-associated particles.
 - Fit cones to constituent 2D clusters.
 - Iteratively pick-up daughter particles.
 - Expect sparse elements labelled as tracks.
- “Looser” version of VertexBasedPfoMerging algorithm e.g. only need clusters in two views.



#MatchedPFOs	0	1	2	3+
μ	4.9% → 5.7%	90.0% → 89.8%	4.6% → 4.1%	0.5% → 0.4%
p	16.7% → 17.7%	76.1% → 75.6%	6.3% → 5.8%	0.9% → 0.9%
$\gamma 1$	4.5% → 5.8%	55.3% → 63.6%	25.0% → 19.0%	15.2% → 11.6%
$\gamma 2$	23.4% → 26.0%	58.9% → 58.7%	13.6% → 12.0%	4.1% → 3.3%

BNB $\nu\mu$ CC RES $\mu, p, \pi 0$ Input: LArSoft v04_16_00

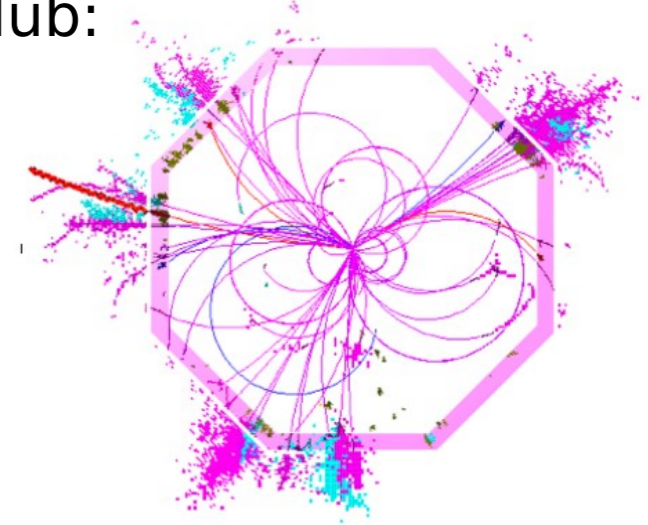
#hits($\gamma 1$) > #hits($\gamma 2$)

Still work to do: Pandora approach means each alg only makes “safe” cluster merges, so do expect left-over elements.

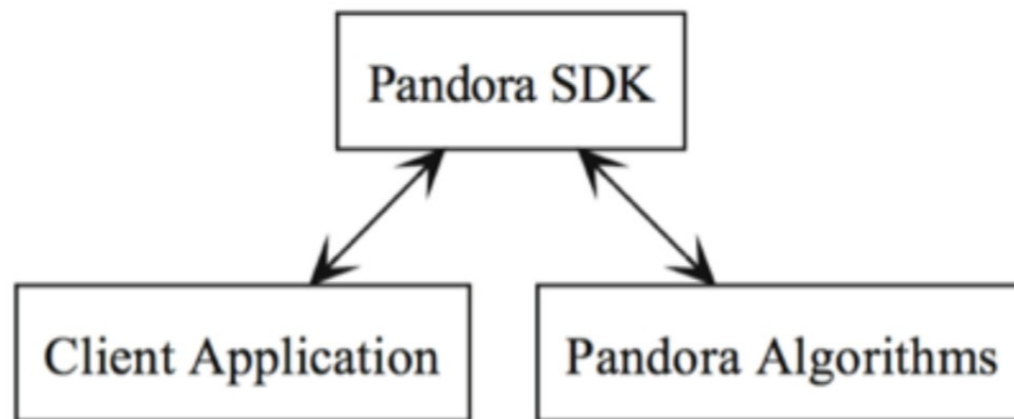


Pandora: Open Source

Pandora is an open source project, code is available from GitHub:
<https://github.com/PandoraPFA> (EPJC.75.439)



Code is distributed with LArSoft



LArPandoraInterface

LArPandoraContent

User provides input information
User can add own algorithms, specify algorithm configuration
receives output via PandoraSettings XML file

**Multi-algorithm
pattern
recognition**
PandoraPFA

See documentation here:

<https://github.com/PandoraPFA/Documentation>