# Energy reconstruction of supernova events DUNE Photon Detector taskforce meeting

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## Introduction

- Long term goal what PD performance do we need to ensure best reconstruction of SN neutrino position and thus energy?
- Short term (today) do the best energy reconstruction with the parameters we have

#### SNB workshop recap

- ▶ Used 9000 20MeV  $e^-$  single-particle events in workspace geom
- ▶ Ar<sup>39</sup> ommitted for complexity and runtime

Resolution	Fit	RMS
Raw	26%	29%
"Realistic" corr	8.3%	13.4%

Files

Use MCC7's prodmarley\_nue\_spectrum\_ar39\_dune10kt\_1x2x6\_mcc7.1



- Supernova energy distribution
- Full MARLEY sim rather than single particles
- Includes Ar<sup>39</sup> noise

### Reconstruct event energy



totq is sum of clust.Charge(cmFit) if clust.View() == geo::kZ

- ▶ Width = 32% (fit), 34% (RMS)
- Invisible energy from full MARLEY sim?
- Picking up noise clusters? Have to cluster the clusters?

# Truth information

- Compute "true visible energy fraction"
- Of all the hits in the event, sum the true energy deposits that led to them, so long as the responsible particle is a SN neutrino descendant



- Width 15% (fit), 26% (RMS)
- At face value, intrinsic width (invisible particles from MARLEY) twice as large as the resolution achievable from single particles
- Large tail above one suspicious. Map from hits to true deposits (IDEs). Nothing preventing double-counting there...

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SN E reco

# Slicer digression

- DUNE reco seems to work "bottom up"
- Cluster hits into little segments, join those up into events
- Worried by lack of objective metrics
- MINOS and NOvA reco works "top down"
- ► First step is slicer cluster all the hits from a single interaction
- Metrics are clear, completeness and purity of this cluster
- ▶ For my needs at least, the slice for the SN event is all I need



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Stats skewed by zeros (SN slice is not the largest slice in window)

# Conclusion

- Substantial intrinsic width introduced by MARLEY sim
- Still open questions, need to:
  - Check calculation
  - Look into particle of MARLEY output
- Slicer technique showing promise
  - Not yet compared to existing clustering algorithms
  - Possibly applicable to Flash-making
- Make contact with PD topics again soon...