

# Data Driven Beam MC

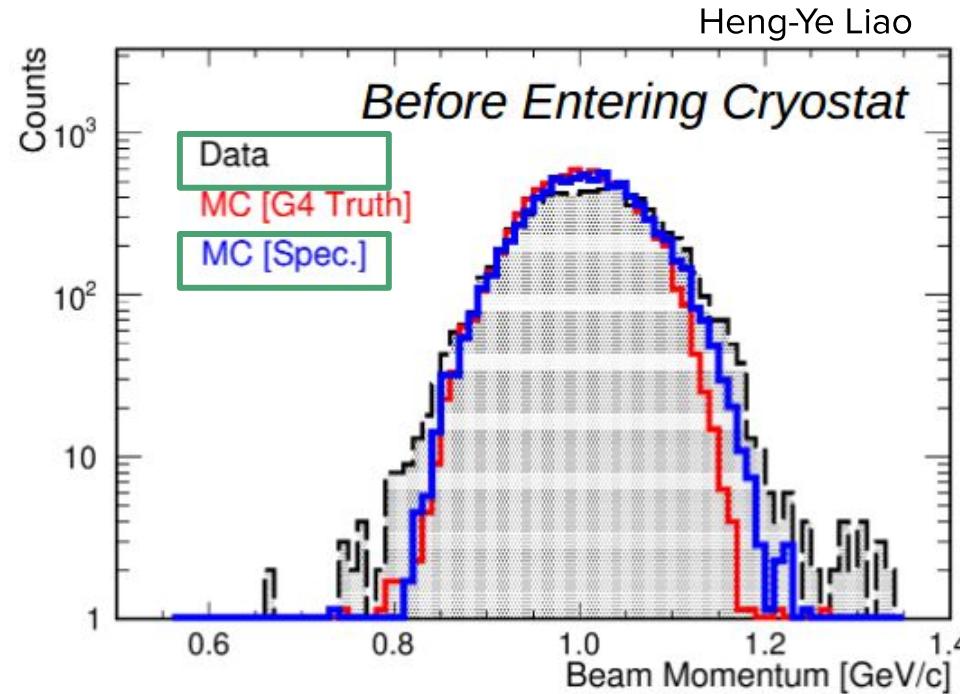
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# Introduction

Recently, Heng-Ye showed an attempt at treating Data-MC discrepancies via reweighting beam line momentum

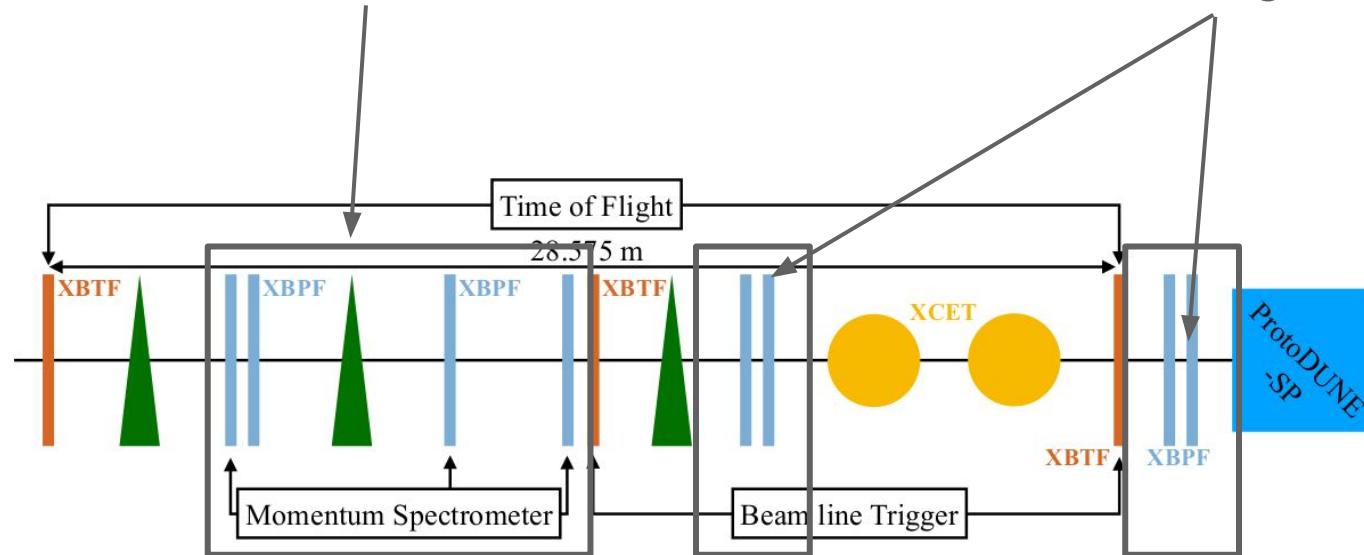
Motivated a discussion on the right approach to this and (offline) a different attempt at doing this  
→ Data Driven MC



# Data Driven MC

Idea: rather than generate MC based solely on beam line simulation (position & momentum), use the distributions in data as the starting point

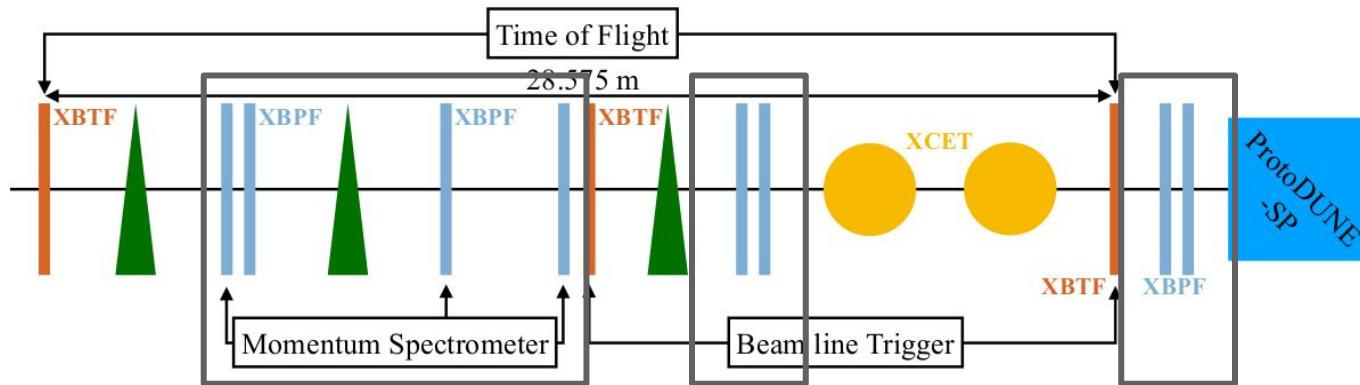
Sample the reconstructed momentum and struck fibers in the tracking monitors



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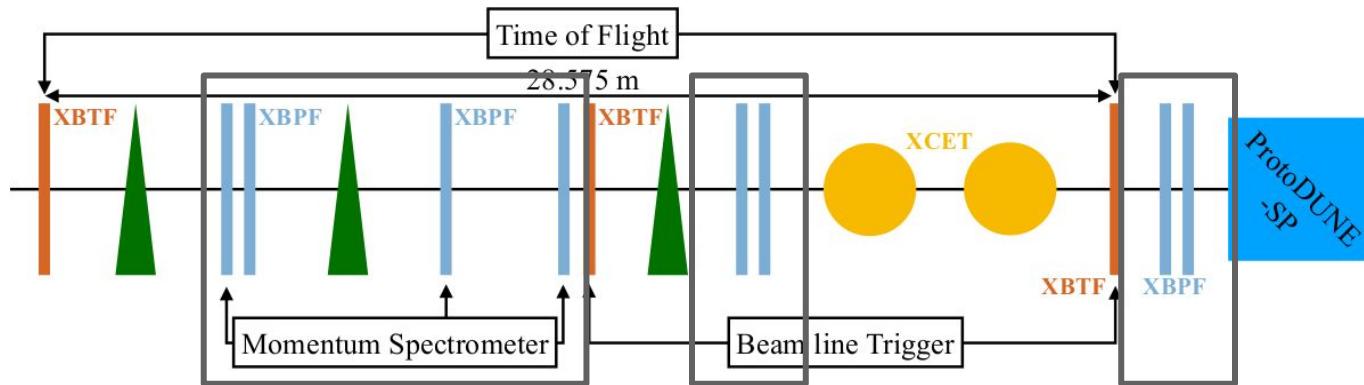
The positions in the tracking monitors will give us the direction & starting point of the generated beam particle (after projecting to some **generator point** --  $z \approx -196$  cm)

Note: using the locations of the fiber monitors & the direction of the beam from surveys → Could lead to systematic effects in positions/directions



# Data Driven MC

The momentum is a bit trickier: sampling in reco space, but need to generate in true  
→ Idea: Unfold from reco momentum in spectrometer to true momentum at the front of the detector



# Implementation in dunetpc

Branch in dunetpc: **feature/calcuttj\_PDSP\_DataDriven\_Beam**

Module: **dunetpc/dune/EventGenerator/PDSPDataDrivenBeam\_module.cc**

Script to make inputs: **dunetpc/dune/EventGenerator/make\_THn\_beam\_input.py**

Note: needs some preprocessing of data events as an input to this

# PDSPDataDrivenBeam\_module

Get distributions of momentum & struck fibers from data for various

Notes:  
various  
numbers

Also fills the ProtoDUNEBeamEvent object

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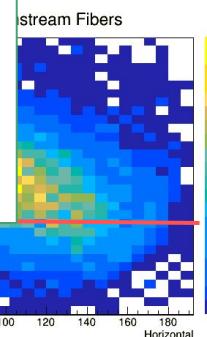
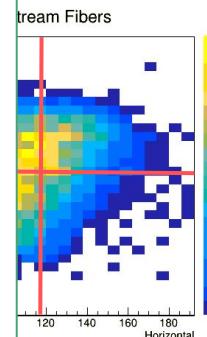
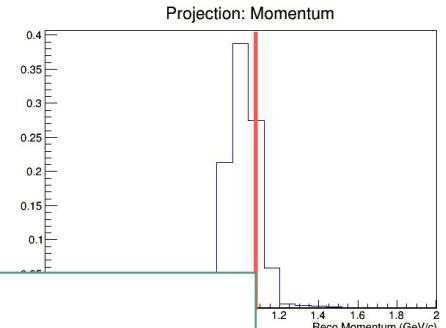
Uses only data events with single fibers struck in momentum spec.  
Sampling population  
Sampling population

Not creating background particles associated with beam

Sampling

Throw

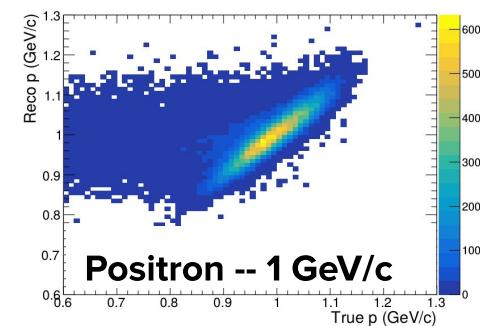
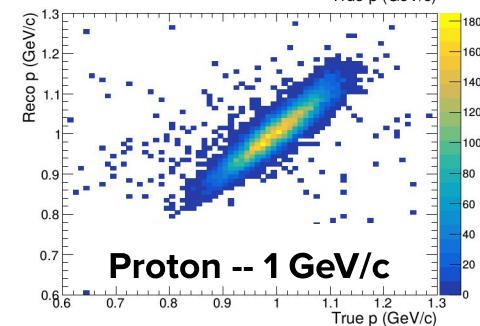
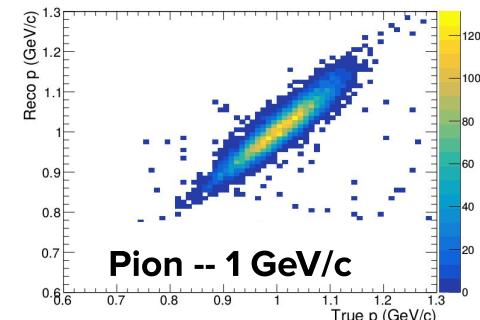
→ Accept/reject accordingly



# Reco-to-True momentum

For this: sampling in reconstructed space, but need true momentum at the point at which we generate the particles

- Finite resolution on spectrometer measurement
- Energy loss throughout beamline (most important for positrons)

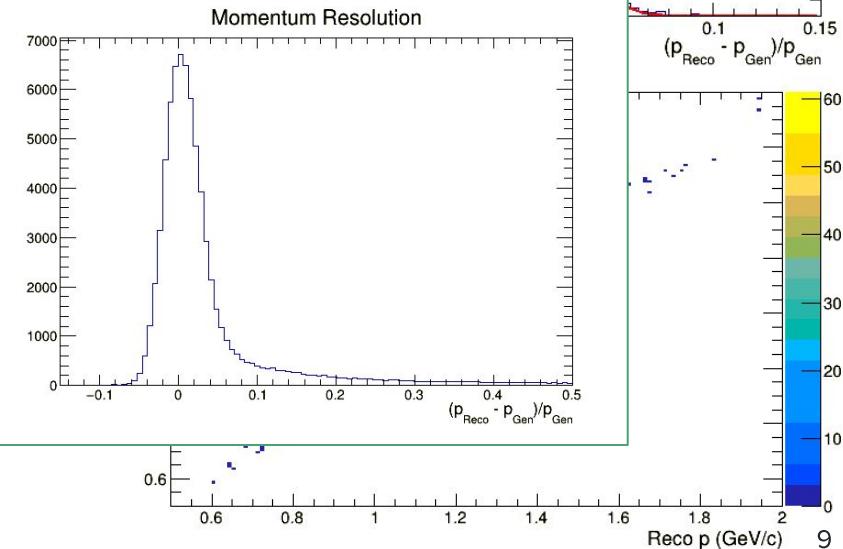
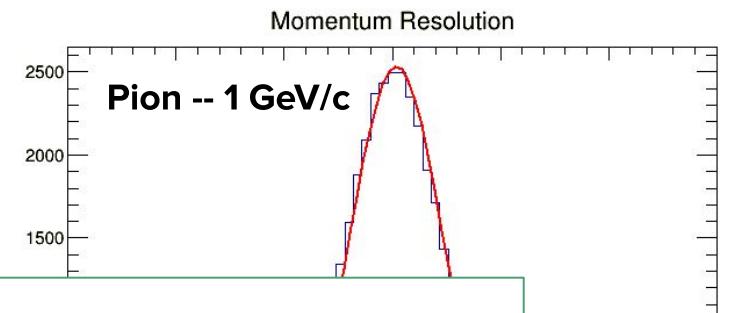


# Reco-to-True momentum

Current implementation:

Note:

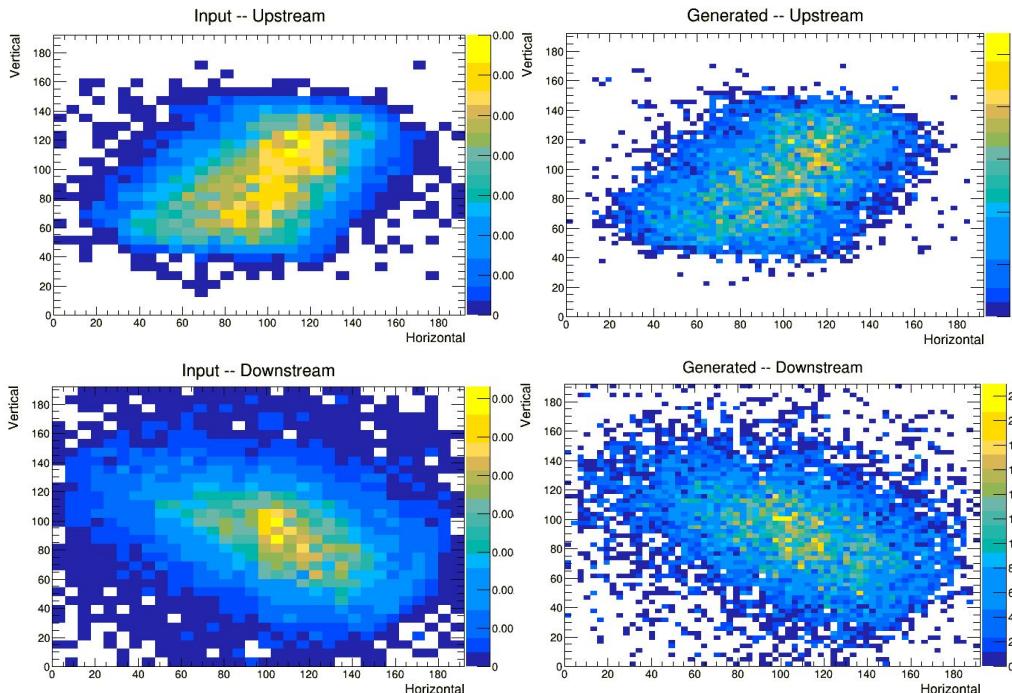
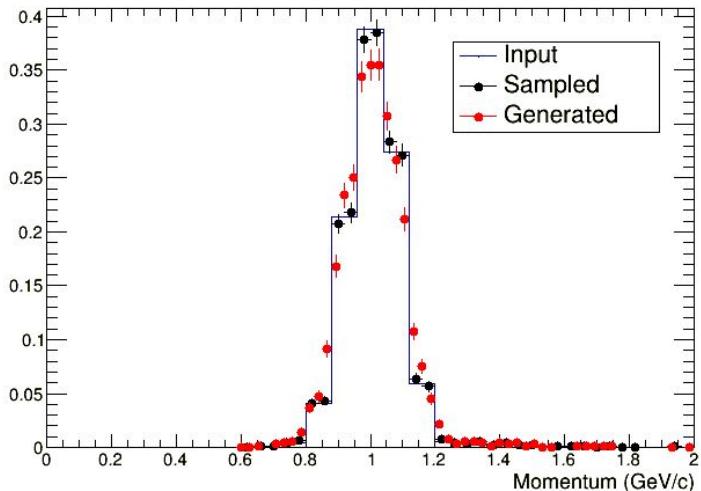
- Fit  $p_{\text{Reco}} = p_{\text{Gen}} + \alpha \cdot [(\text{r}_0 - \text{r})^2 + (\theta_0 - \theta)^2]^{\beta}$
- For positrons, this will be slightly different because they lose more energy throughout the beamline
- The fit parameters are constant for all particles
- True momentum is  $p_{\text{Gen}}$



# Preliminary Results

Used 1 GeV run 5387 to create PDFs  
(selected only pions & protons)

Generated 10k events



Samweb def:  
**calcuttj\_pdsp\_datadriven\_1GeV\_v08\_60\_00\_v3**

# Testing

Sent the generated files through the Prod2 reco chain (without cosmics)

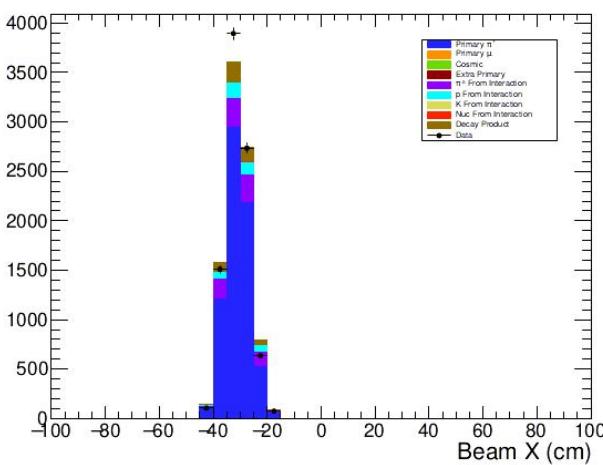
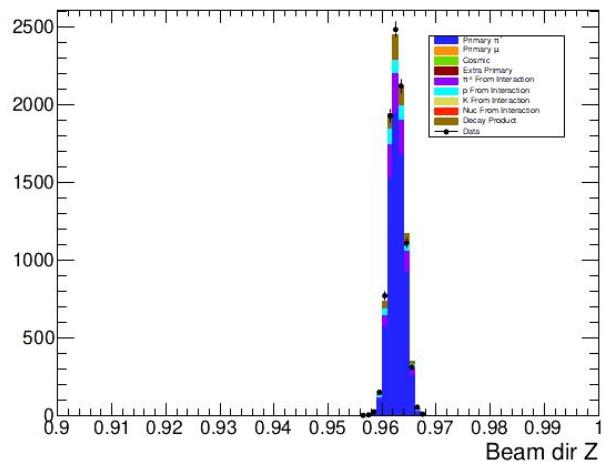
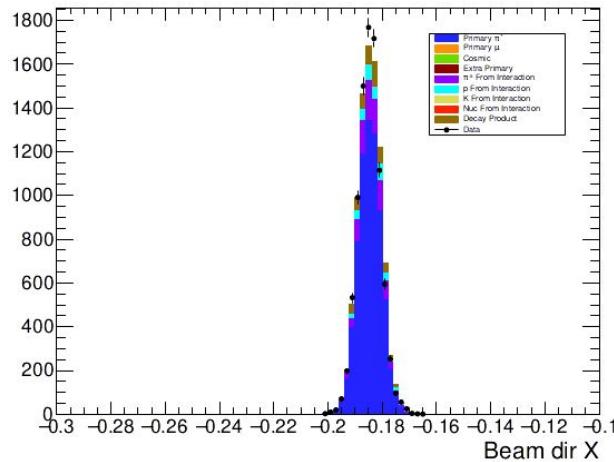
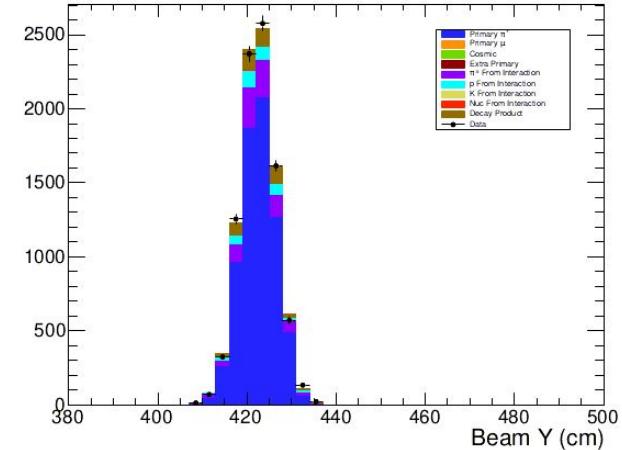
Samweb defs:

- Generated: **calcuttj\_pdsp\_datadriven\_1GeV\_v08\_60\_00\_v3**
- w/ G4, Detsim, Reco: **calcuttj\_pdsp\_datadriven\_reco\_1GeV\_v08\_60\_00**

Comparing to run 5387

# Testing -- Beam Position & Direction

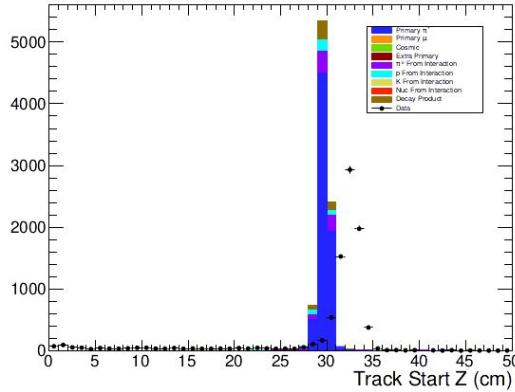
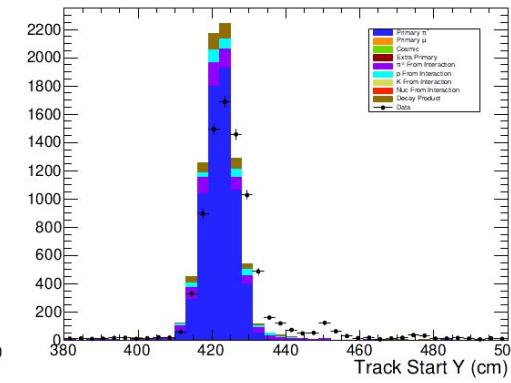
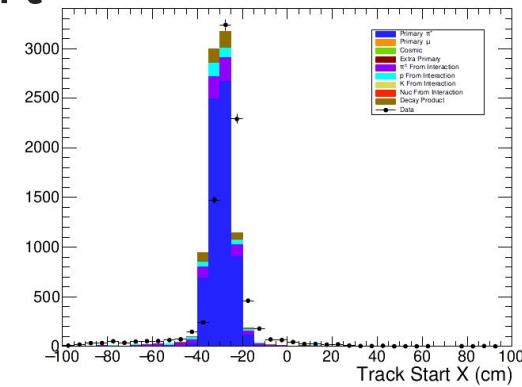
New generation & data match as expected for ProtoDUNEBeamEvent info  
→ Data was used as an input to the generator



# Testing -- Reco Track Start

Reconstructed track position (before  
SCE) correction

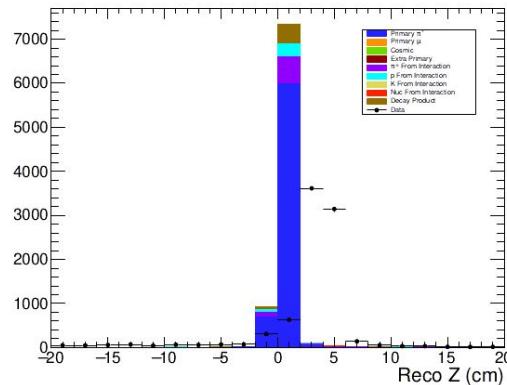
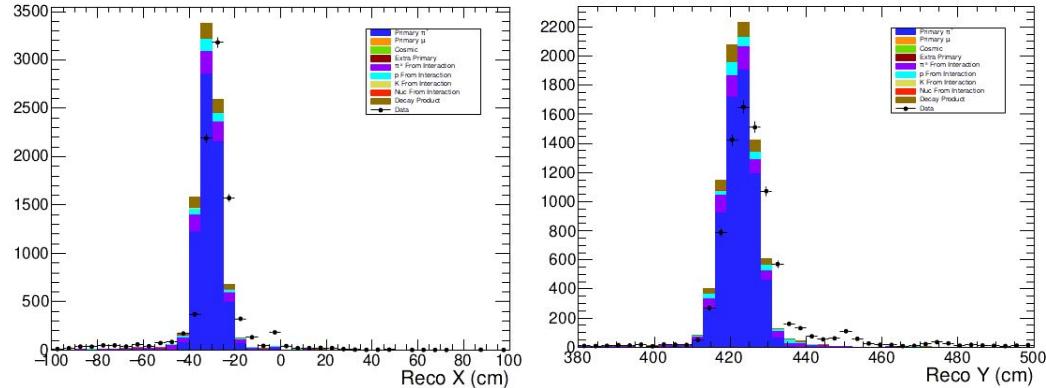
Difference in Z (bottom) suggests  
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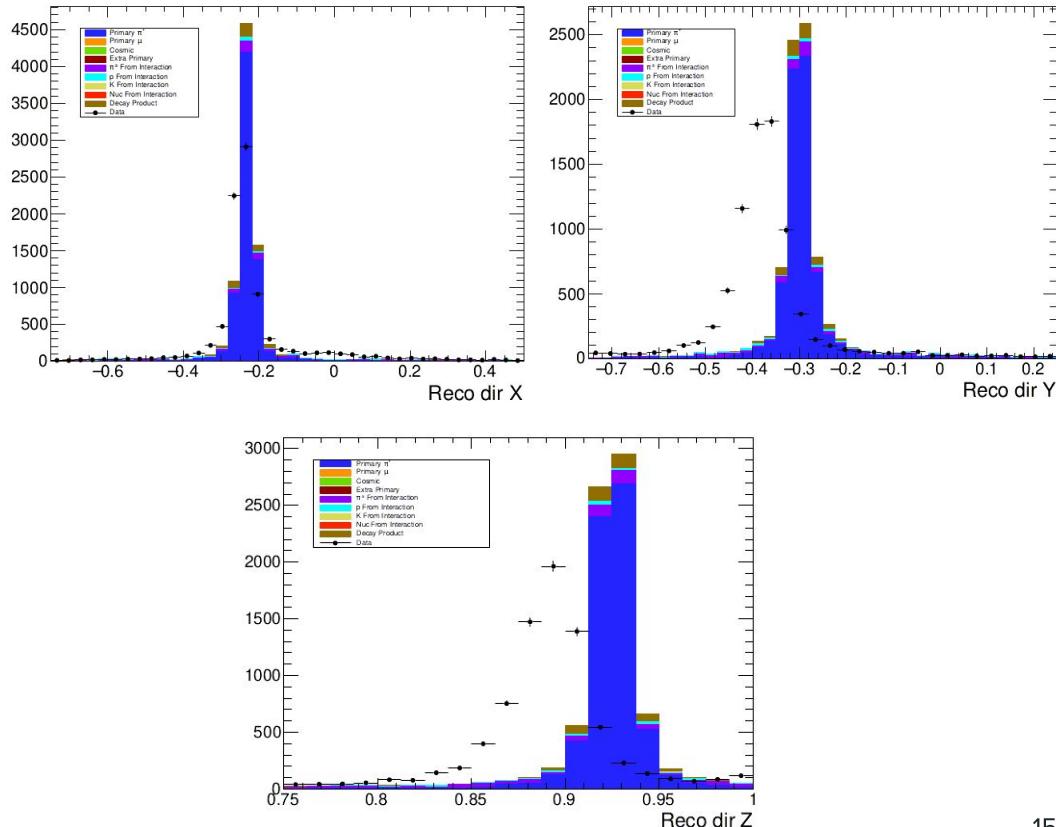
Reconstructed track position (after  
SCE) correction

Difference in Z (bottom) suggests  
difference in SCE/correction



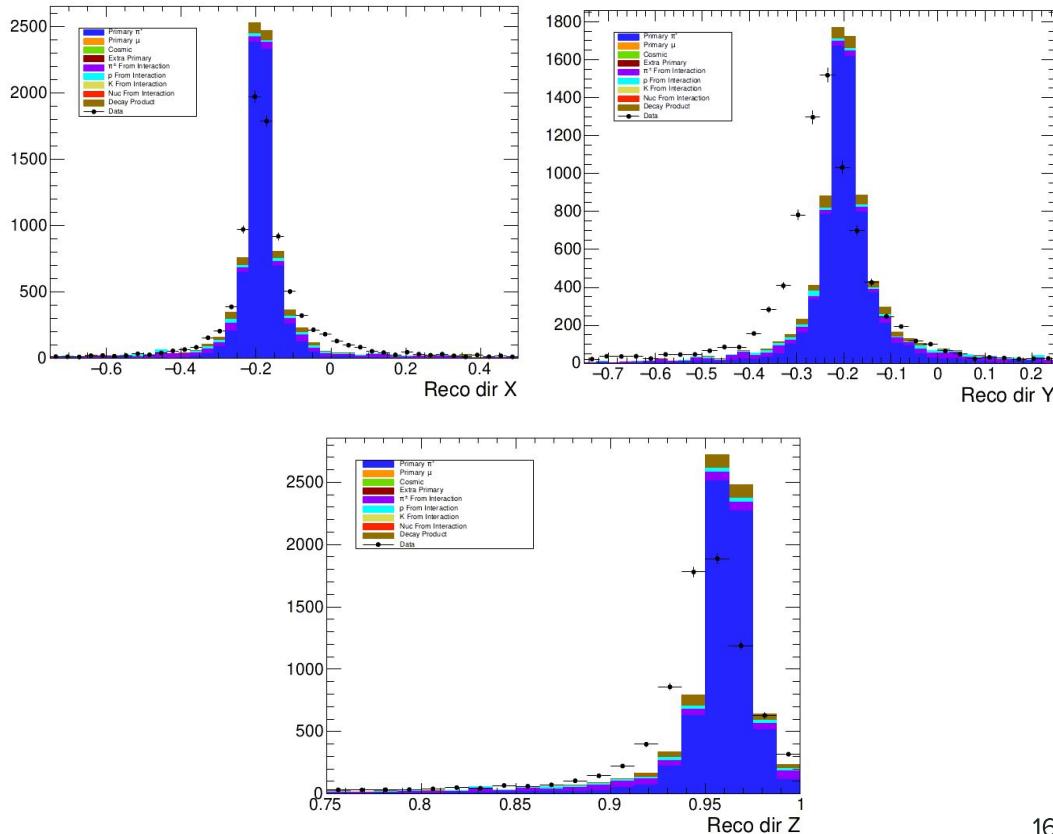
# Testing -- Reco Track Direction

Reconstructed track direction  
(before SCE) correction



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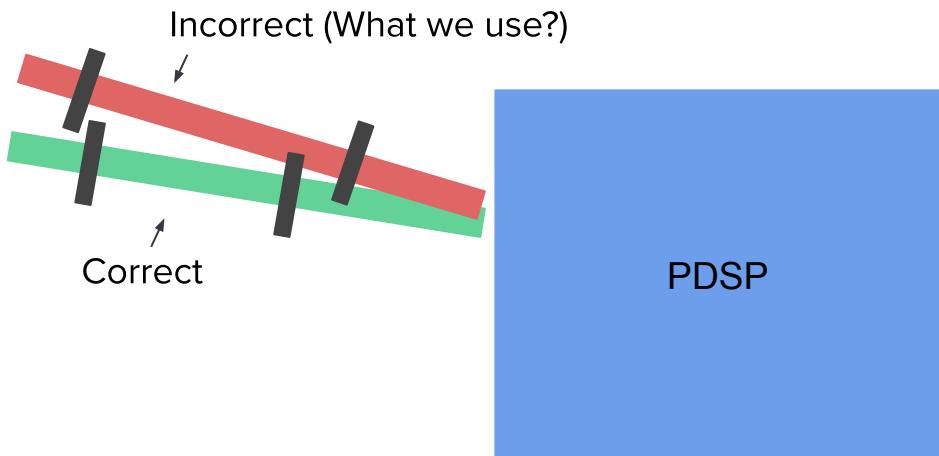
Reconstructed track direction (after  
SCE) correction



# Considerations

The intent of the data-driven MC is to get the MC to match the data as best as possible

- But what if data is ‘wrong’? I.e. the surveyed positions of the monitors/direction of the beam are wrong → Will lead to errors in positioning/direction
  - How do we identify this?  
→ How do we disentangle from SCE or detector deformation?
  - Does it matter?



# To-do

Explore binning options for input (balance efficiency in sampling)

Consider better transformation of reco → true momentum (i.e. smearing matrix)  
→ Also implement for positrons

Mix some muons into pion samples (can't tell difference in beam PID @ 1GeV)

Extend to other runs (need input PDFs & testing)

Add background particles to generator