



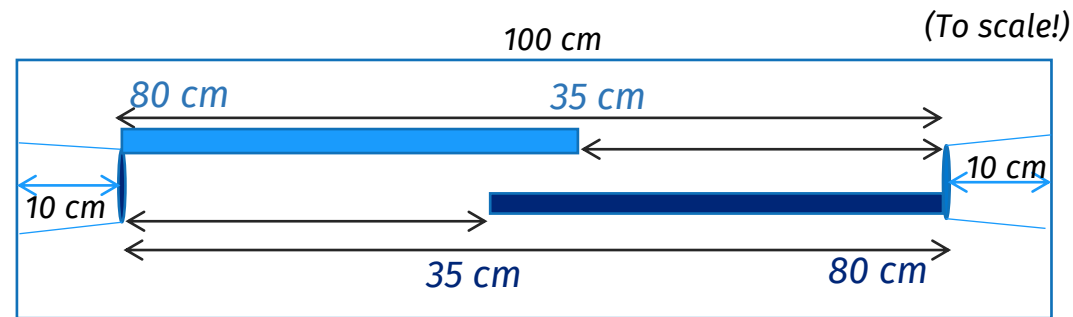
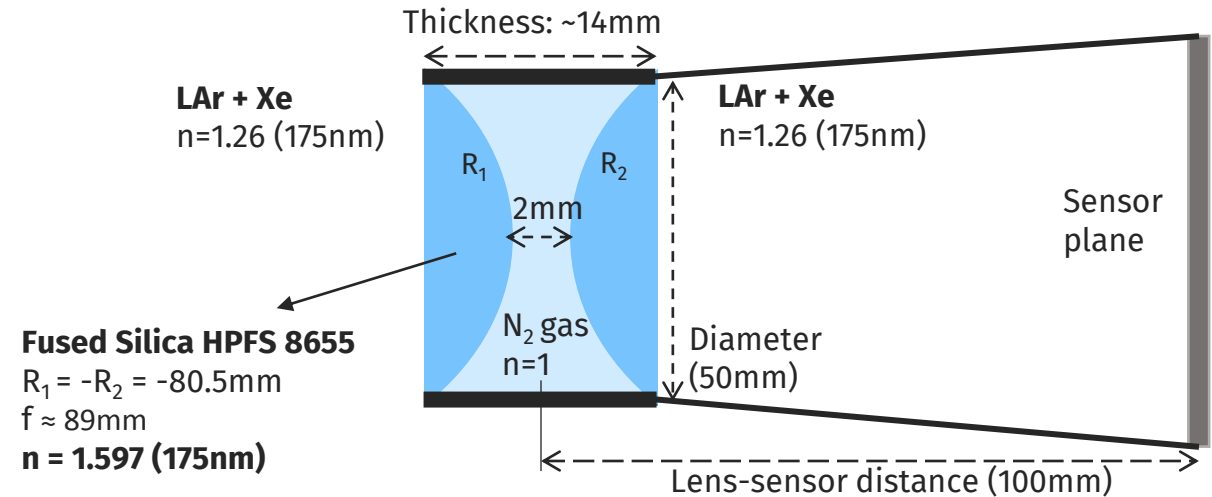
Light simulation and reconstruction with lenses in GRAIN

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Lenses in GRAIN

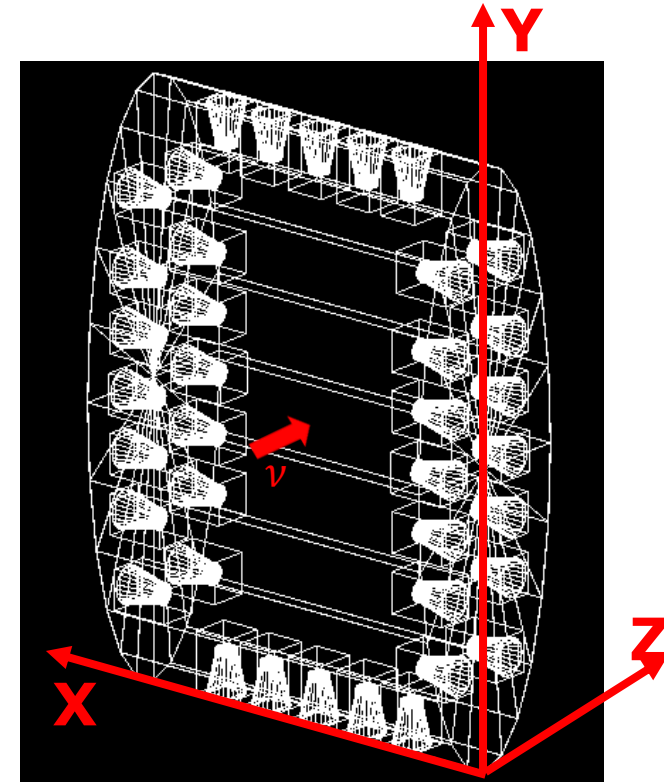
- **Gas-lens concept (first prototype):**
 - Xe-doped LAr (175nm)
 - Two plane-convex lenses
 - Focusing with inner gas layer ($n_{gas} < n_{LAr+Xe}$)
 - Lens-sensor distance fixed to optimize the depth of field
- In the current design, two opposite cameras can cover up to 100 cm:



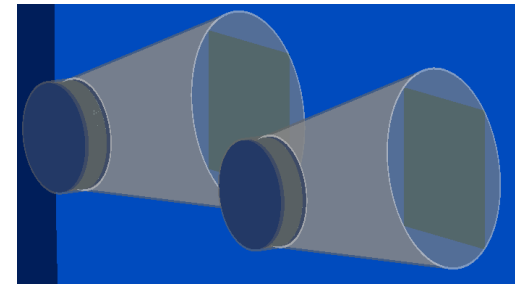
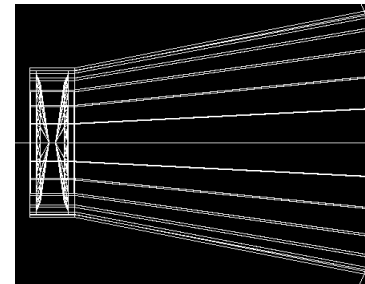
Geometry in GRAIN

- Latest GRAIN geometry (option 2), equipped with lens-cameras inside the LAr volume.
 - Except $L_x = 1000 \text{ mm}$
- **38 cameras, for maximum coverage:**
 - 14 pairs on the sides (at optimal distance)
 - 5 pairs on top/bottom
- Assuming 32x32 matrix sensors, with 2 mm pixels and 20% QE.

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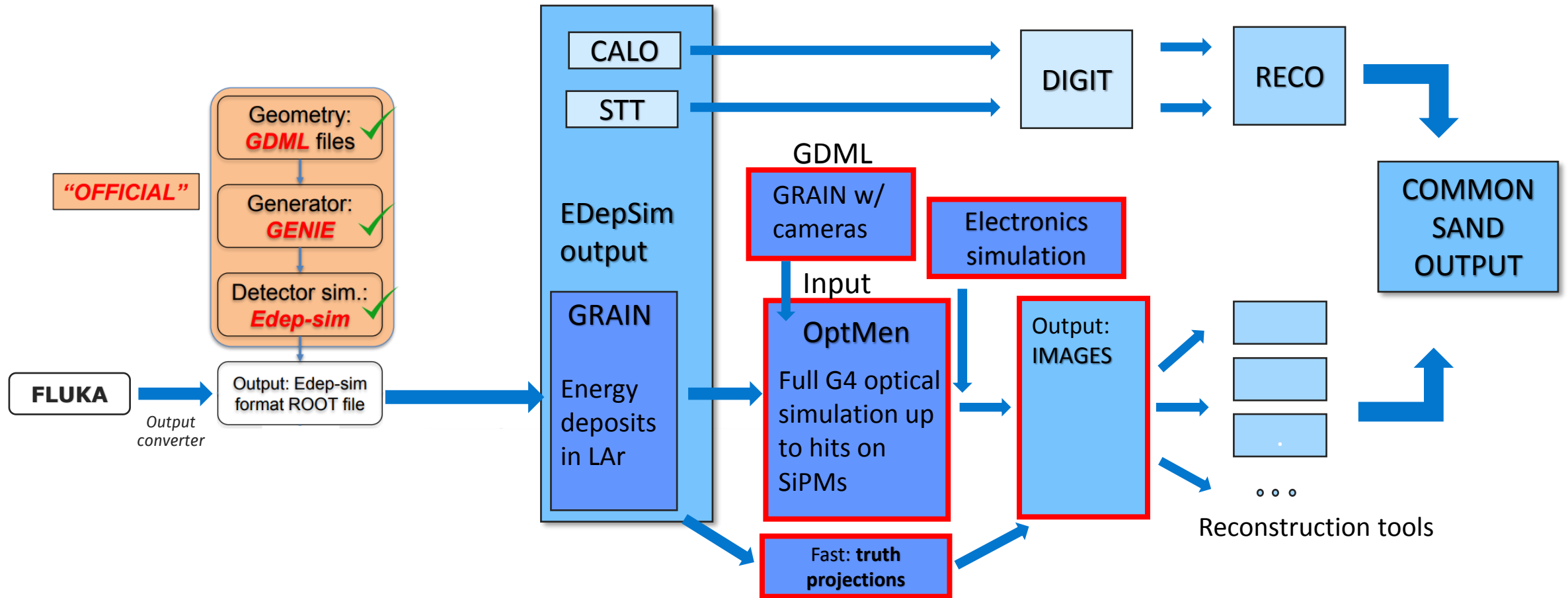


Full GEANT4 implementation:



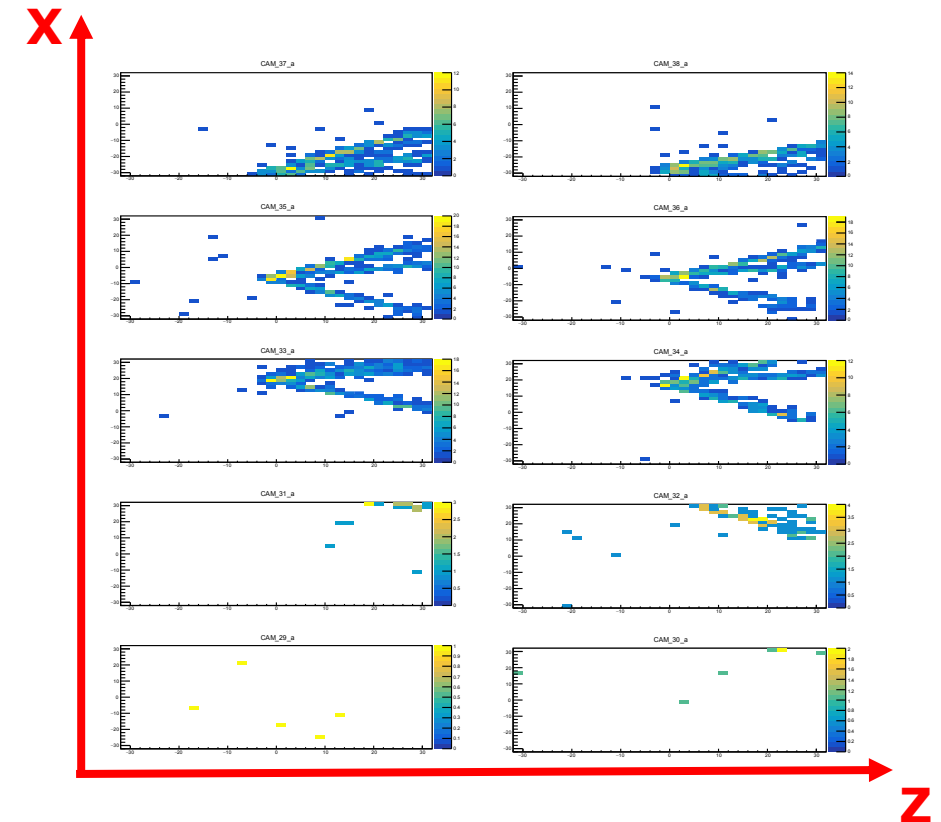
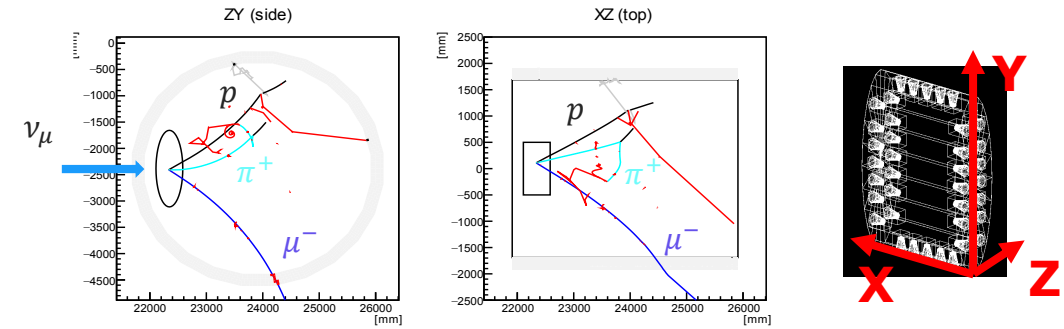
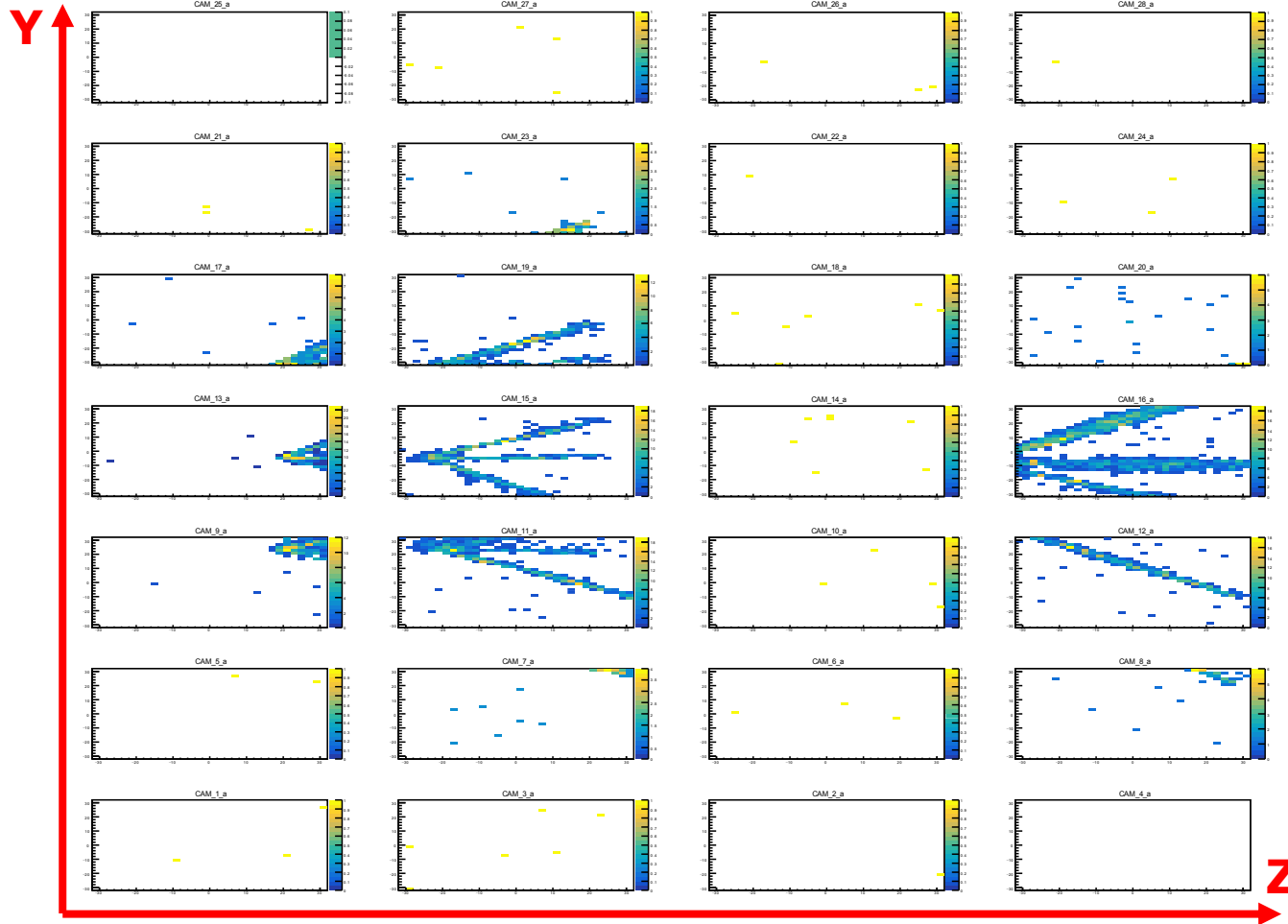
Optical simulation

- The optical simulation is integrated in the SAND framework:



Event in GRAIN

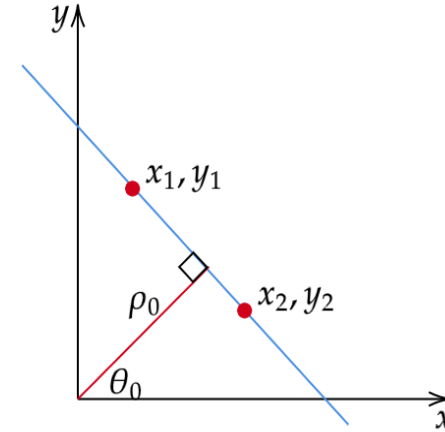
- Example of $\nu_\mu CC$ interaction inside GRAIN



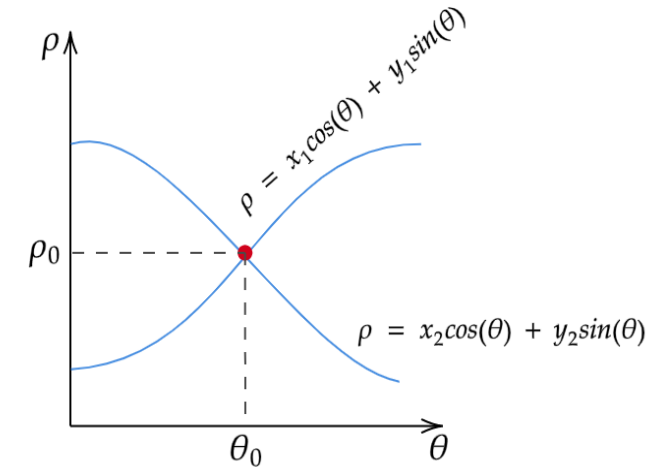
Hough transform

- Reconstruction algorithm to find and fit lines based on Hough Transform.
- Reduces the problem to a local max search in the parameter space (θ, ρ) .

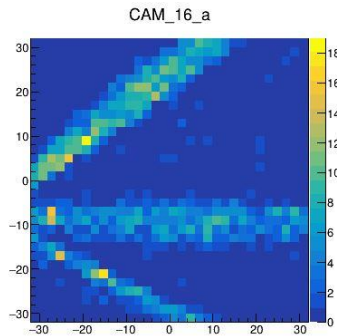
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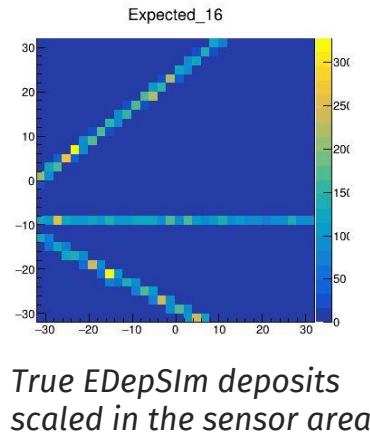
Parameter space



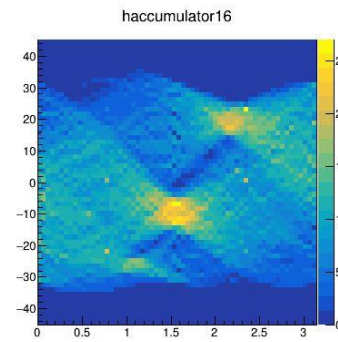
Full simulation



MC-truth projection

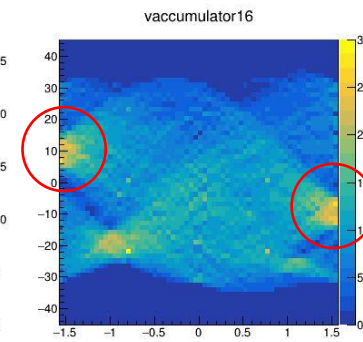


$[0, \pi]$



Horizontal lines in the middle

$[-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}]$



Vertical lines in the middle

- Local max search:
 - Multi-otsu thresholding
 - DSCAN clustering

Reconstructed lines

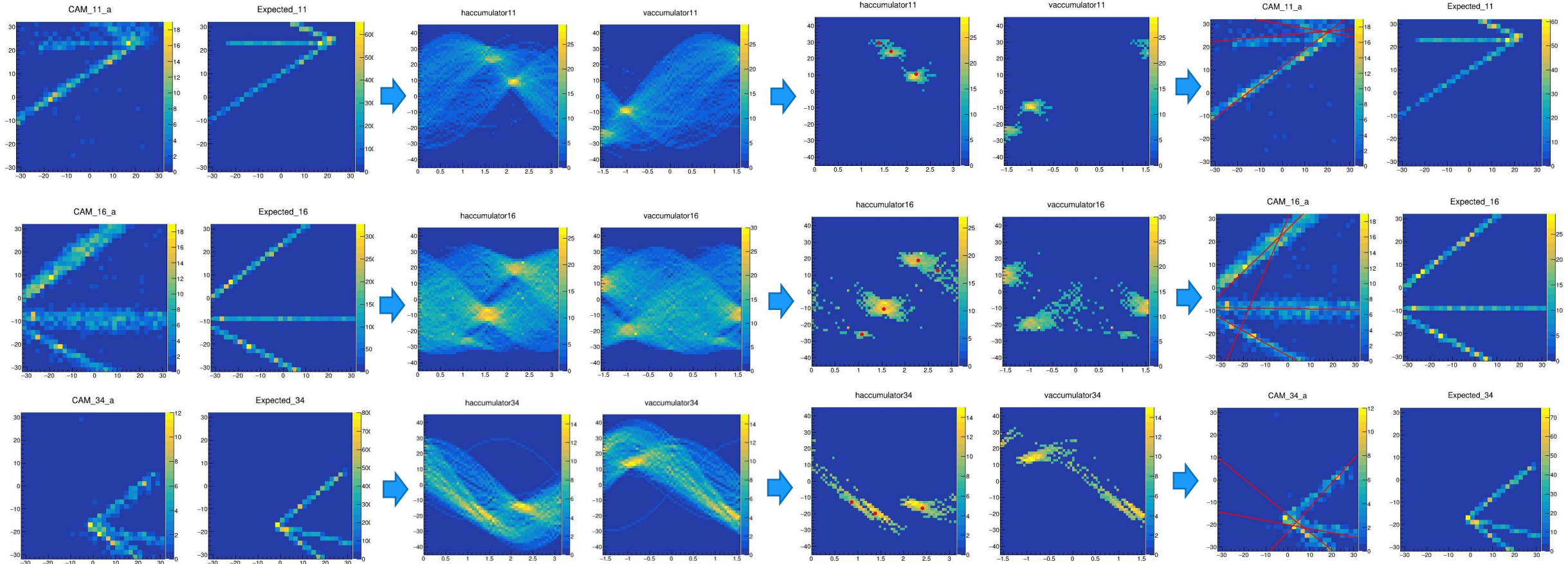
Full simulation

MC-truth projection

Hough transform:
«accumulators»

Multi-otsu thresholding
+ DBSCAN clustering

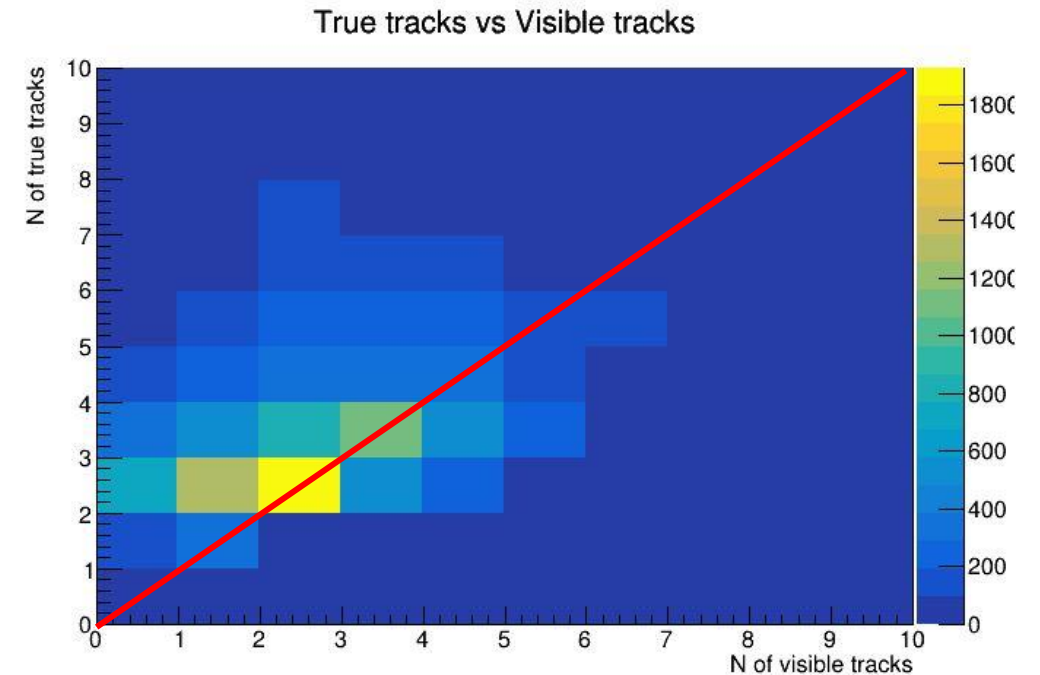
Inverse Hough
transform: fitted lines



Visible tracks in an event

- How is the reconstruction algorithm performing?
 - Compare with the «truth projections»
- A true charged track (from EDepSim) is assumed **visible** in a camera if its truth projection is **> 10 pixels**.
- At event level, take the number of visible tracks as the max number of visible tracks found in any camera.

Sample: 15k $\nu_\mu CC$ events

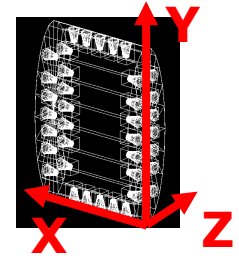


X-axis: number of visible tracks the event (primary or secondary), taken as the **max** number of visible tracks seen among all cameras.

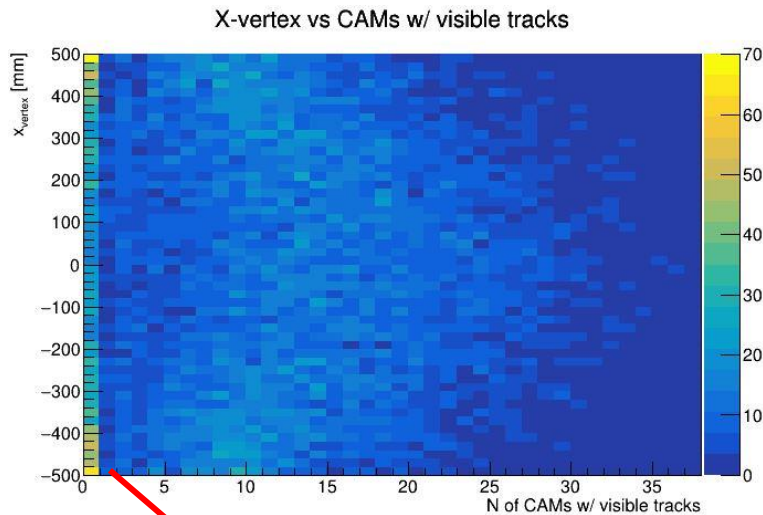
Y-axis: number of PRIMARY charged tracks at vertex from EDepSim.

Cameras with visible tracks

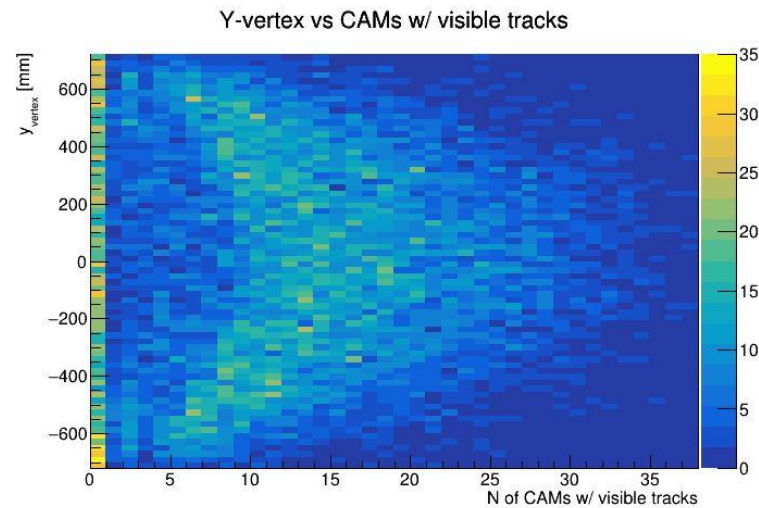
- Number of cameras with visible tracks (truth projections, > 10 pixels) as a function of the vertex position in GRAIN.
- Coordinates in the local reference system of GRAIN.



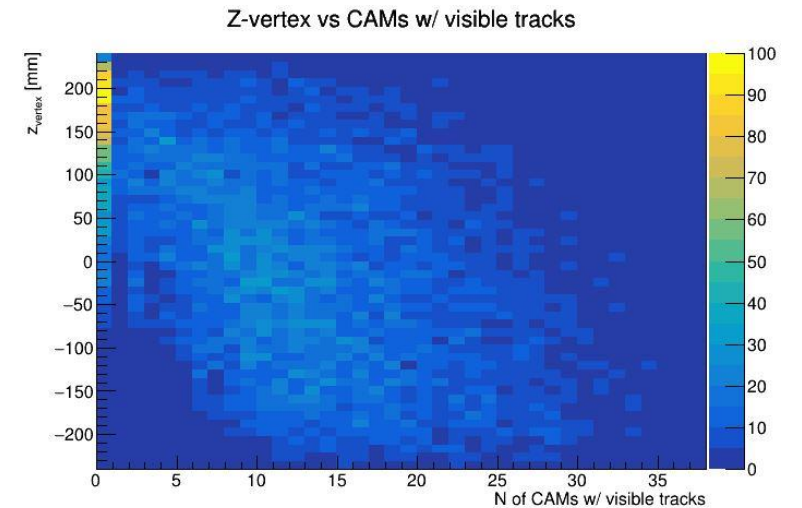
Sample: 15k $\nu_\mu CC$ events



Tracks less visible if close to GRAIN endcaps ($x = \pm 500$ mm)



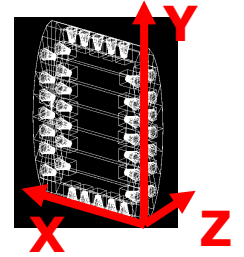
Higher number of cameras with visible tracks in the middle (x and y) of GRAIN



Tracks not visible if too downstream in GRAIN ($z > 150$ mm)

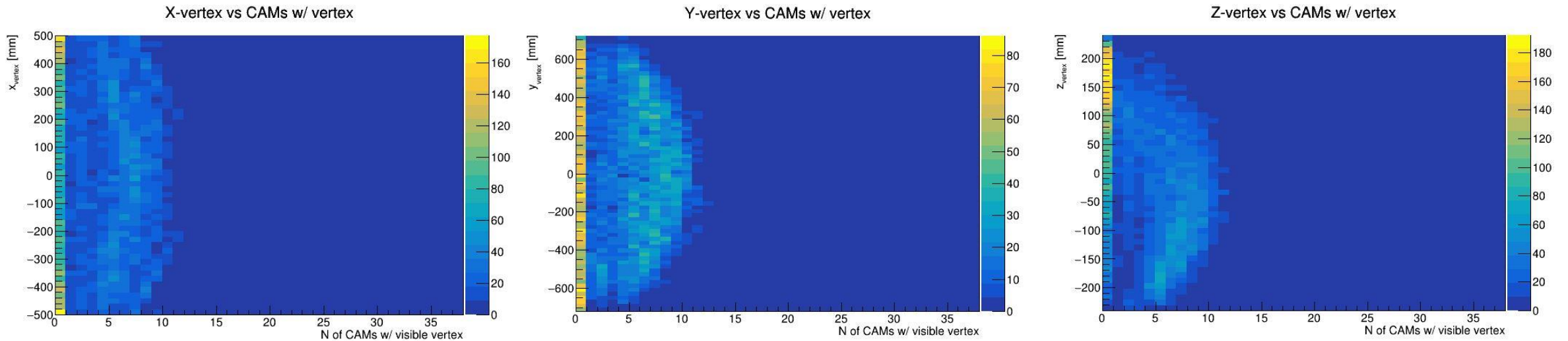
Always cameras with visible tracks if $z < -100$ mm

Cameras with visible vertex



- Number of cameras with a **visible vertex** (> 2 visible tracks, vertex projection) as a function of the vertex position in GRAIN.
- Coordinates in the local reference system of GRAIN.

Sample: 15k $\nu_\mu CC$ events

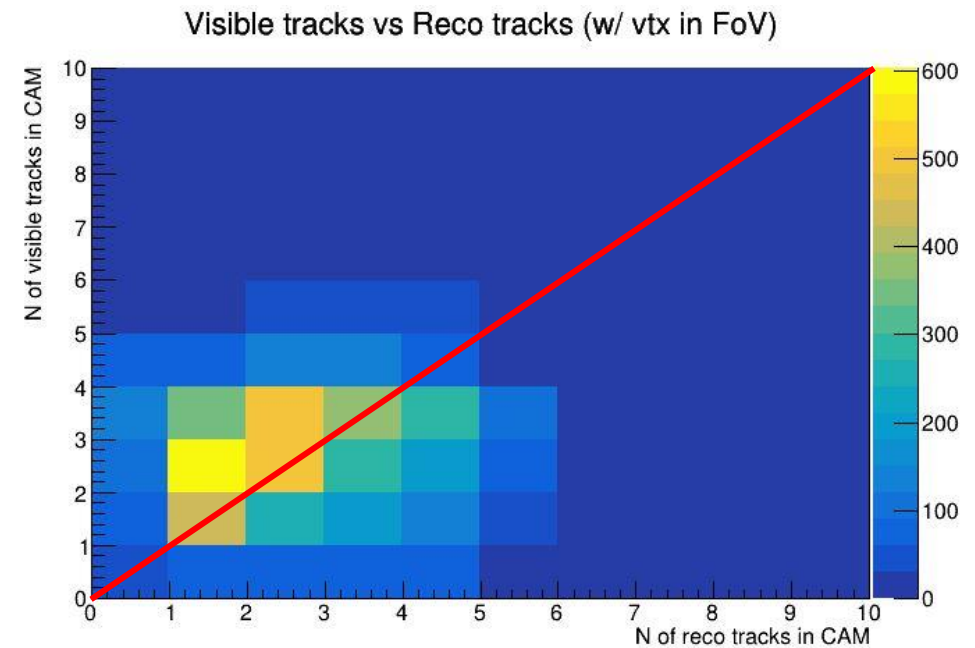
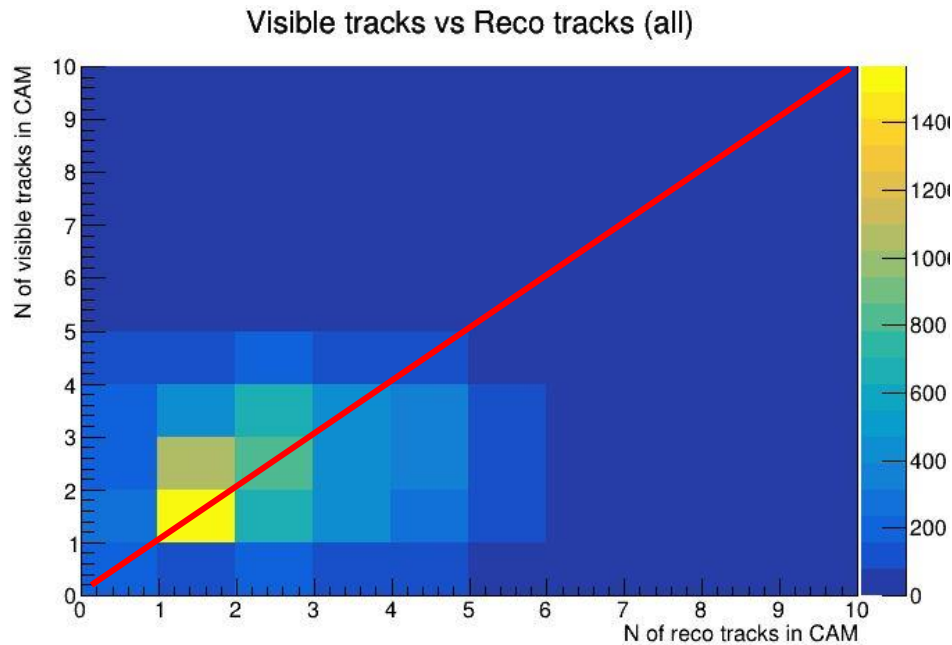


Similar distributions, but overall less cameras
No more than 10 → expected given the geometrical coverage

- Good fiducial volume in the current configuration: up to 5-10 cameras can potentially see the vertex!

Checking the reconstruction...

- Reconstructed vs visible tracks:
 - Comparing reconstructed tracks via Hough transform with visible tracks **in each camera**.
 - Sample: 1k $\nu_\mu CC$ 1p1pi, each event can have up to 38 cameras

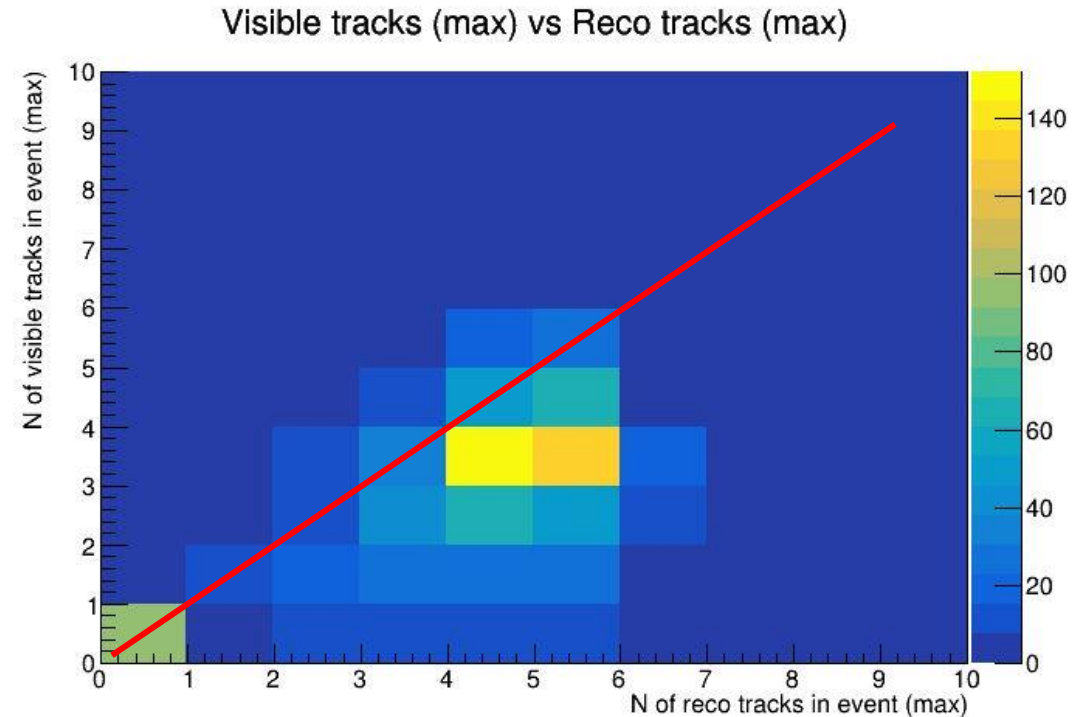


Selecting only cameras with the vertex projection (according to MC-truth)

Reconstructed tracks in event

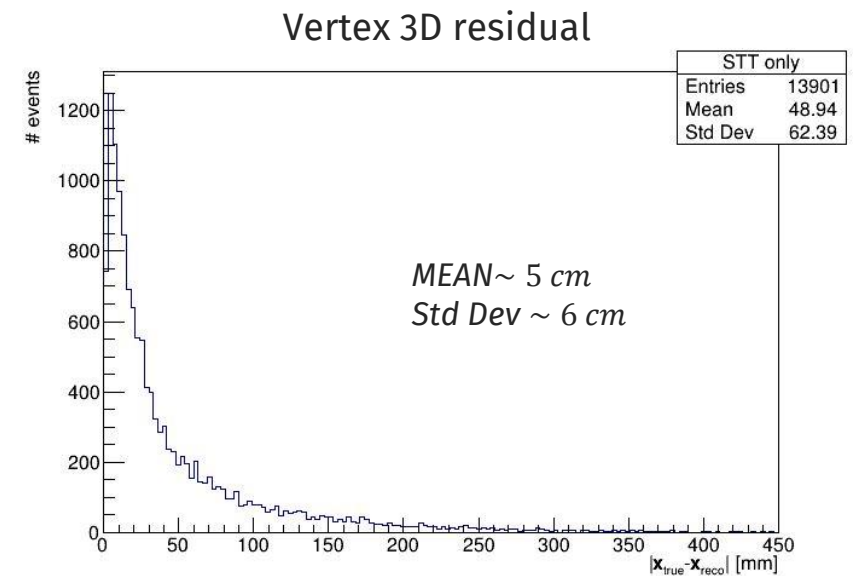
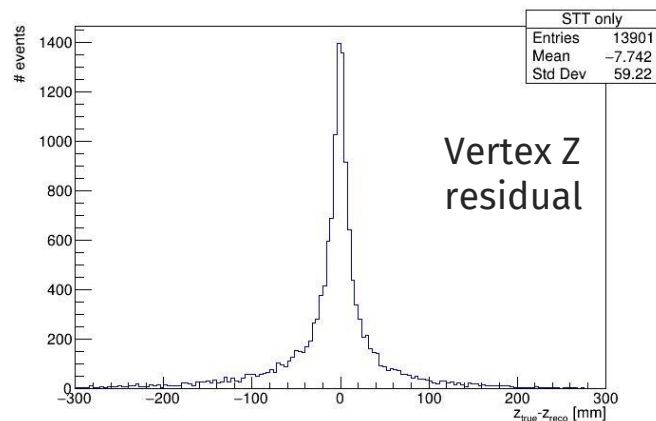
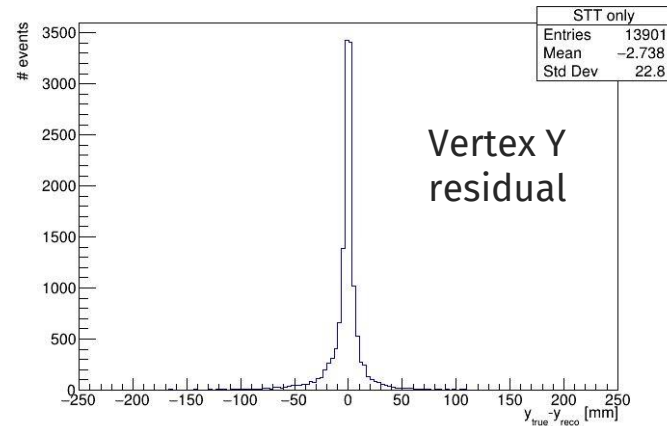
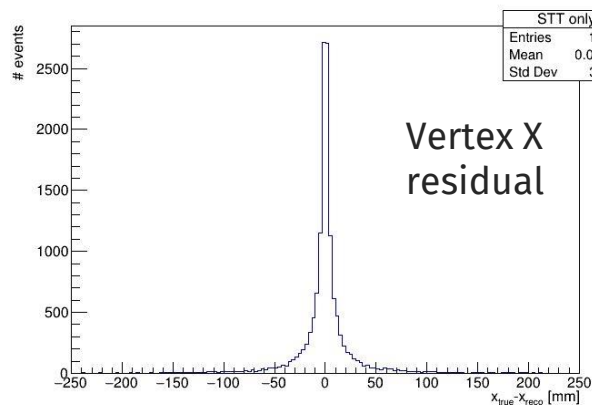
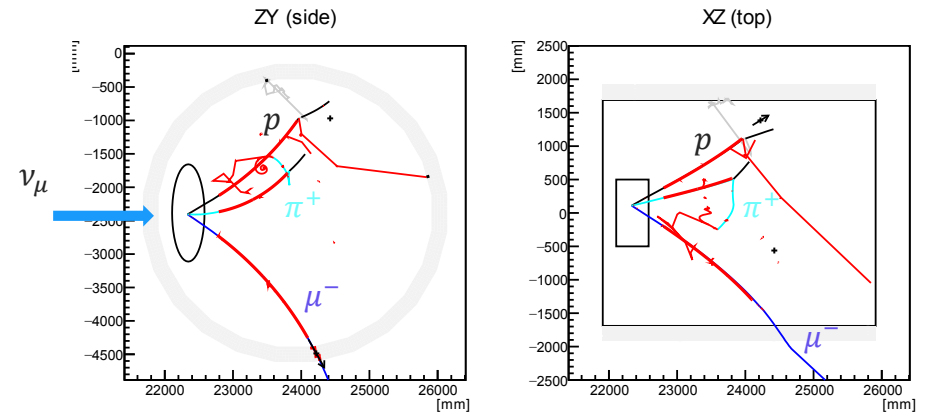
- **At event level**, take the number of reconstructed tracks as the **max number of visible tracks** found in any camera.
- **Comparison with the same quantity using visible lines.**
 - Visible tracks peaked at 3 in this sample
 - Reco tracks generally $>$ visible tracks (fake lines due to bad clustering, bias from selecting «max»)

Sample: $1k \nu_{\mu} CC 1p1\pi$



3D vertex performance: STT only

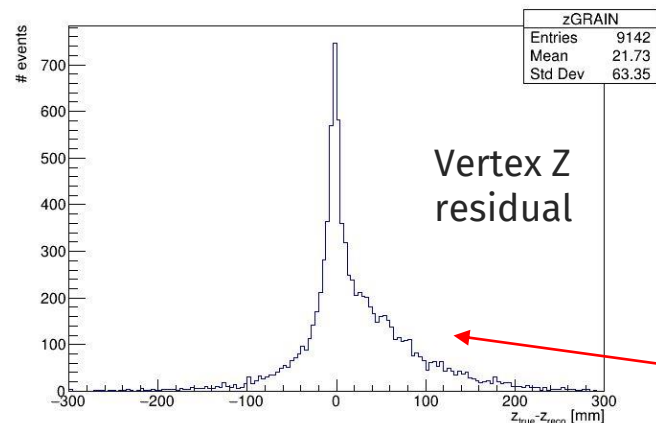
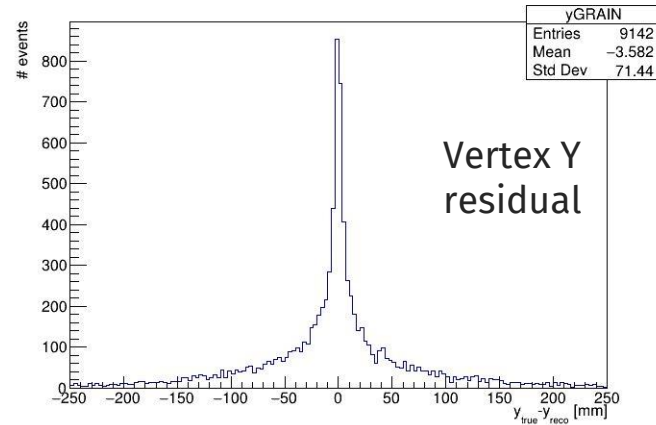
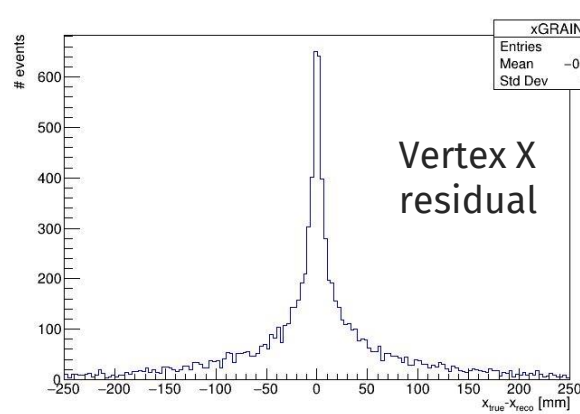
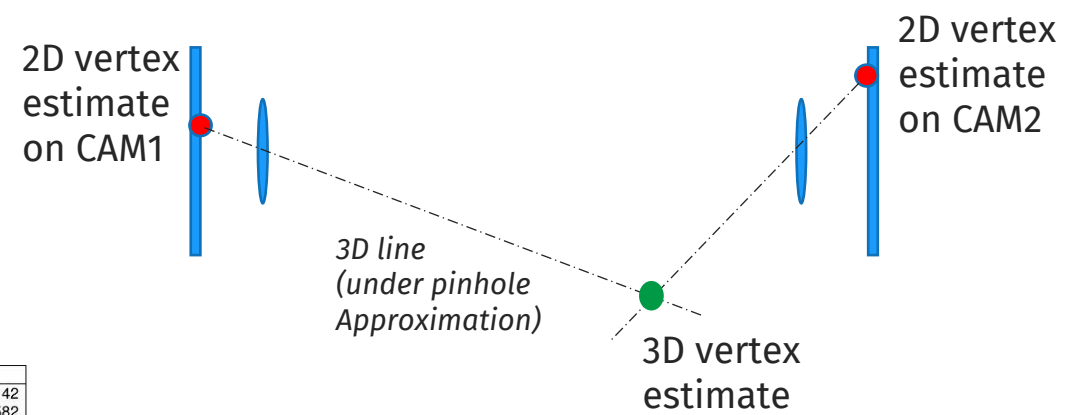
- Events in GRAIN, with > 2 tracks in STT:
 - Circular fit in ZY (first 50 ZY STT digits upstream): z_{reco} and y_{reco}
 - Linear fit in XY (first 50 XY STT digits upstream): x_{reco}



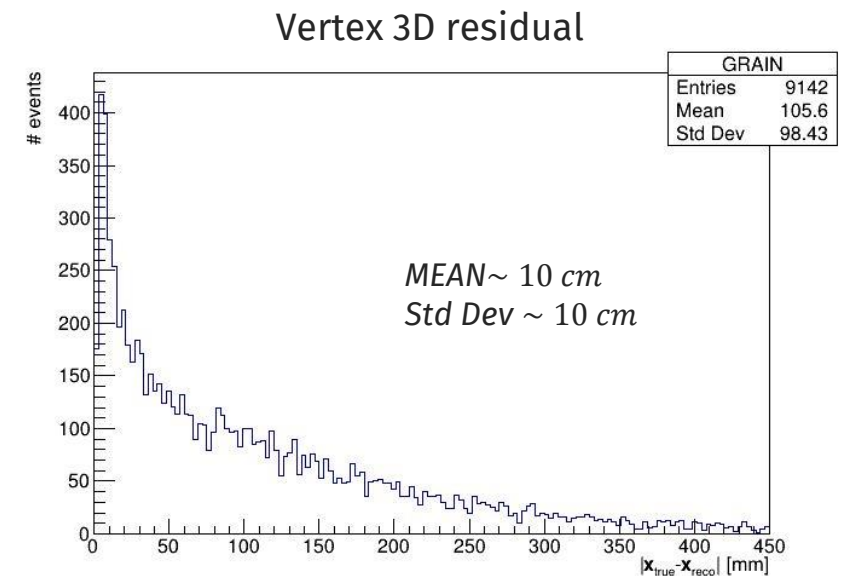
Sample:
~ 27k ν_μ CC 1p1pi

3D vertex: GRAIN only (visible tracks)

- Event in GRAIN, fitted using visible tracks
 - **Simple line fit** (one visible track at a time), intersect to find 2D estimate
 - Propagate to 3D (pinhole approx.), intersect and find the average



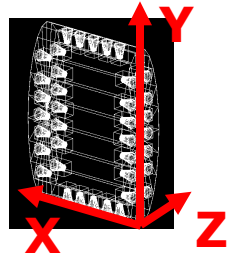
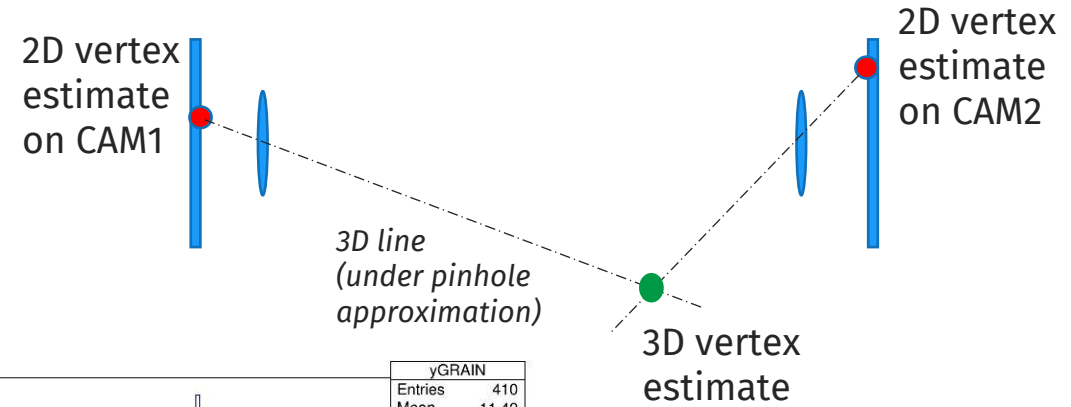
Bias in this rough 2D fitting



Sample:
~ 14k ν_μ CC 1p1pi

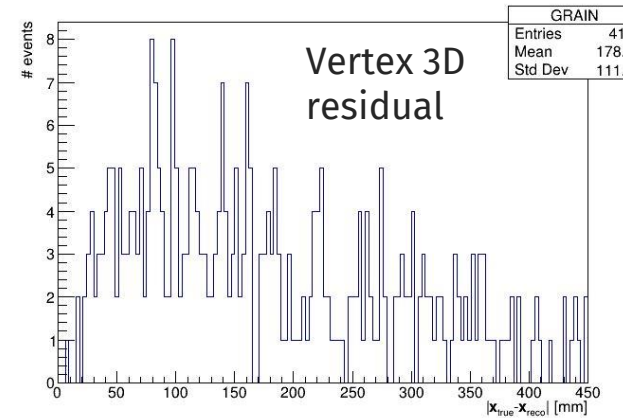
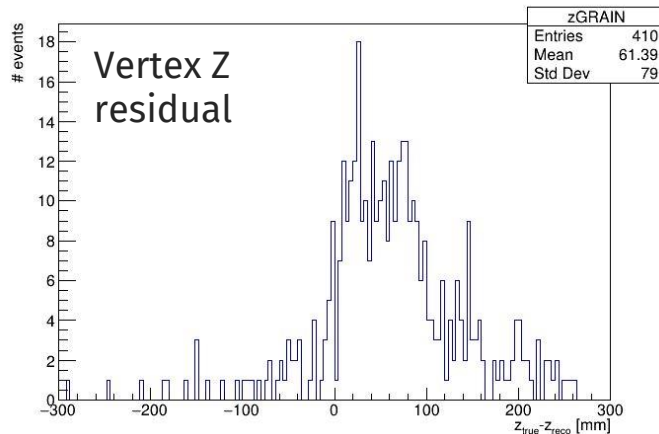
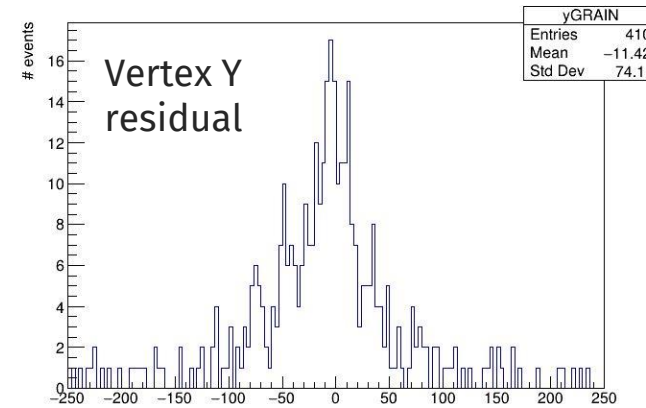
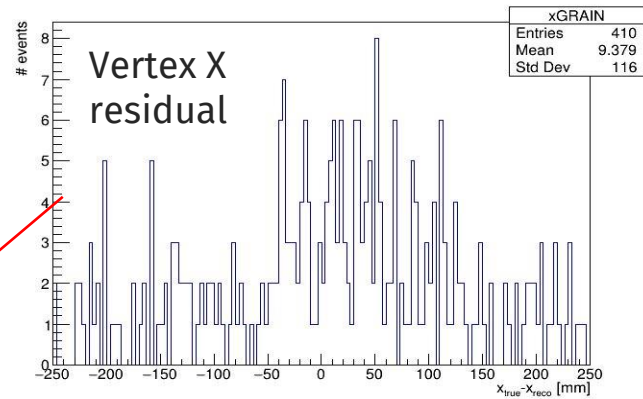
3D vertex: GRAIN only (reco tracks)

- Event in GRAIN, fitted using reconstructed tracks
 - Hough transform, intersect to find 2D estimate
 - Propagate to 3D (pinhole approx.), intersect and find the average



Expected to be worse:

- Depth for the side cameras
- Top/bottom cameras not optimized



Sample:
 $1k \nu_{\mu} CC \ 1p1\pi$

Not surprising:
still a lot of things to fix!

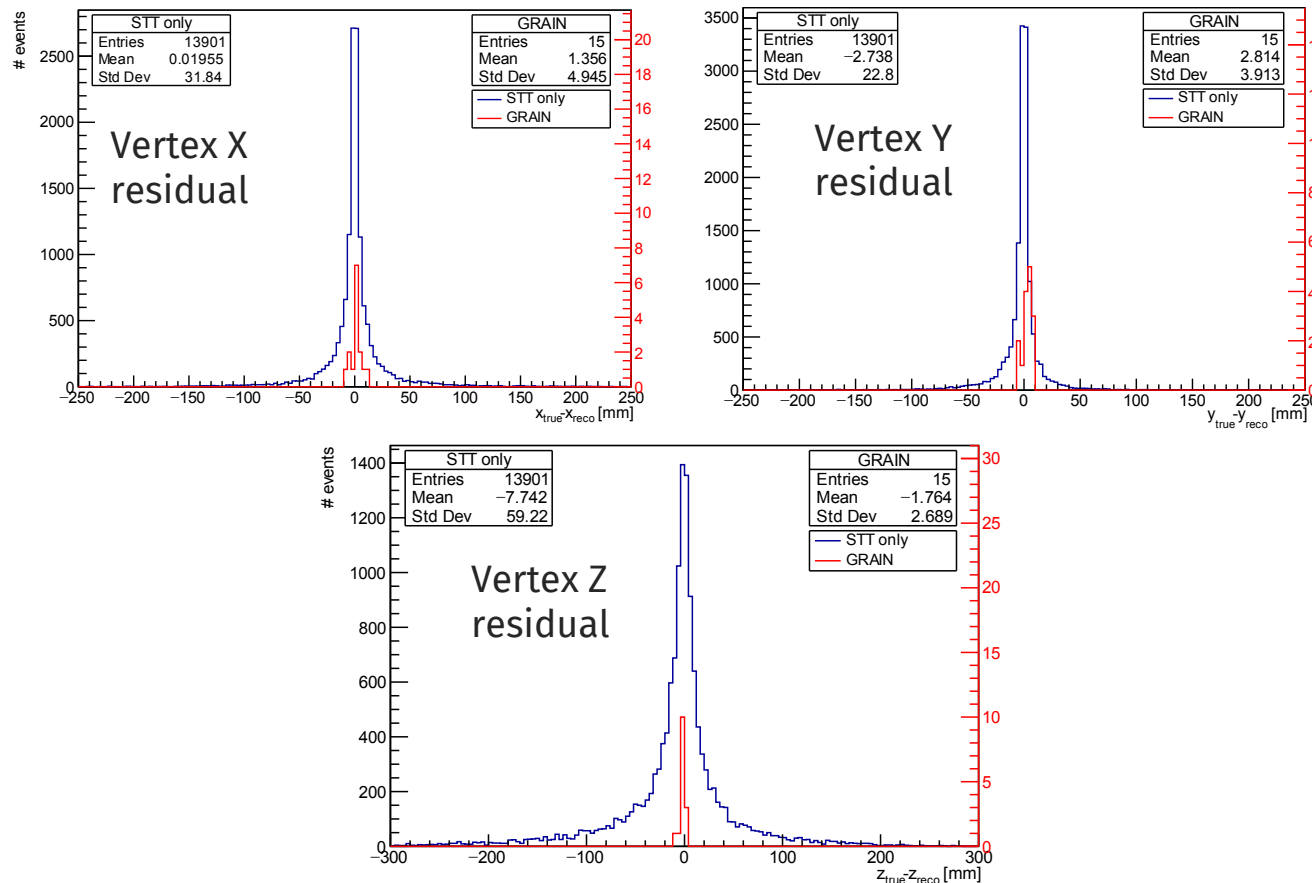
3D vertex: GRAIN only (hand-fitted reco tracks)

- Manual check of each fitted track: selection of «good» images and finding (m, q) for each line
 - 15 events in GRAIN, 2D hand-fitting (same 2D \rightarrow 3D as before)
 - Comparison with STT-only fit

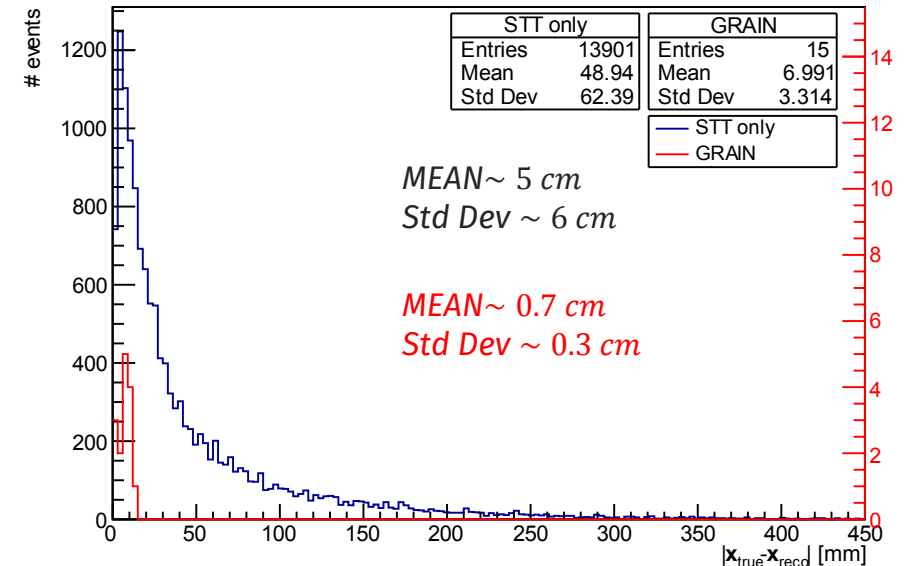
Sample:

GRAIN: 15 $\nu_\mu CC$ 1p1pi

STT: $\sim 27k$ $\nu_\mu CC$ 1p1pi

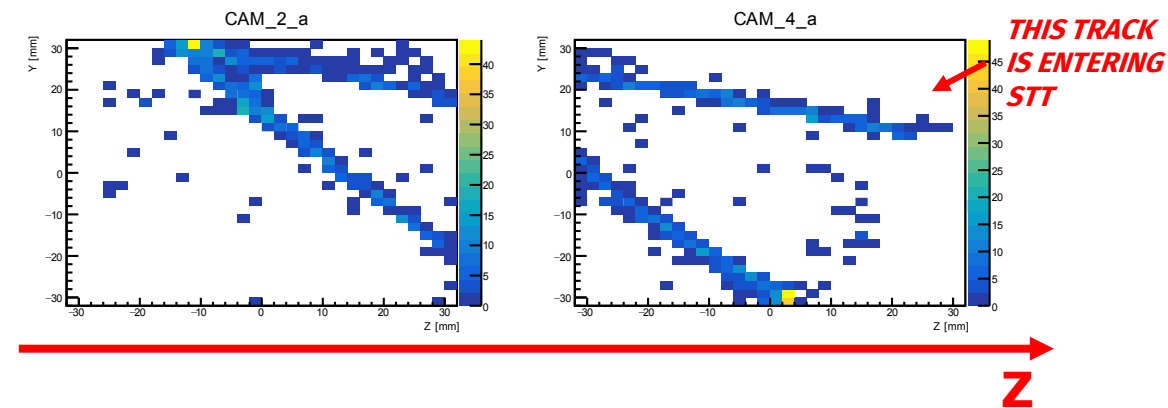
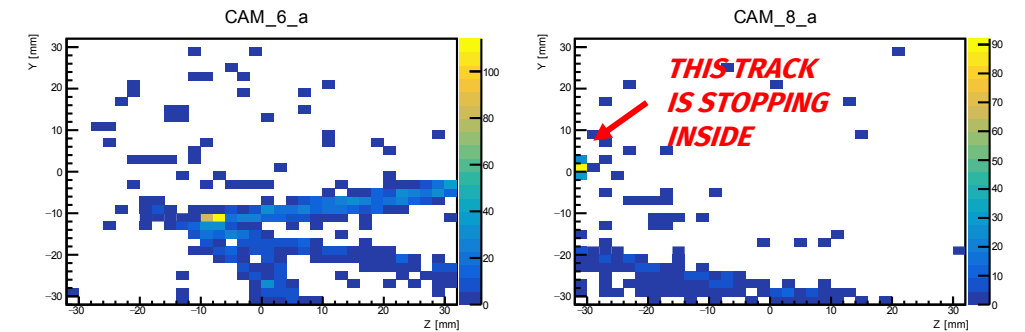
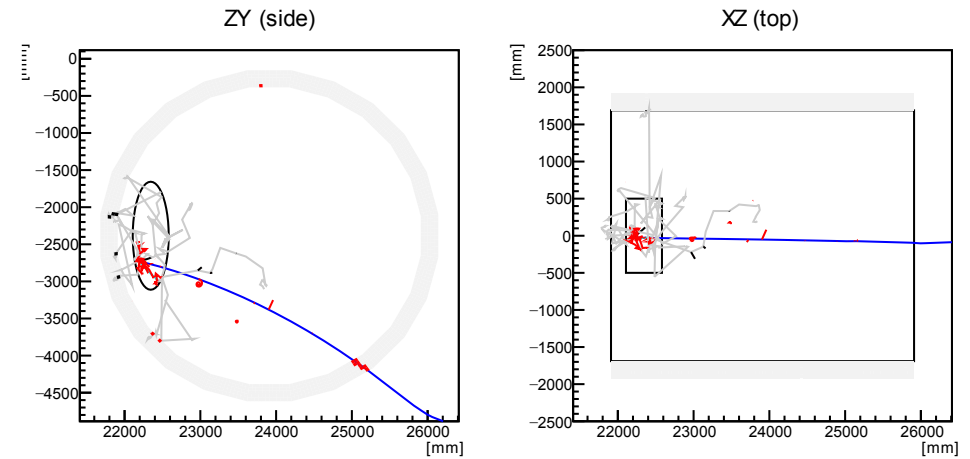
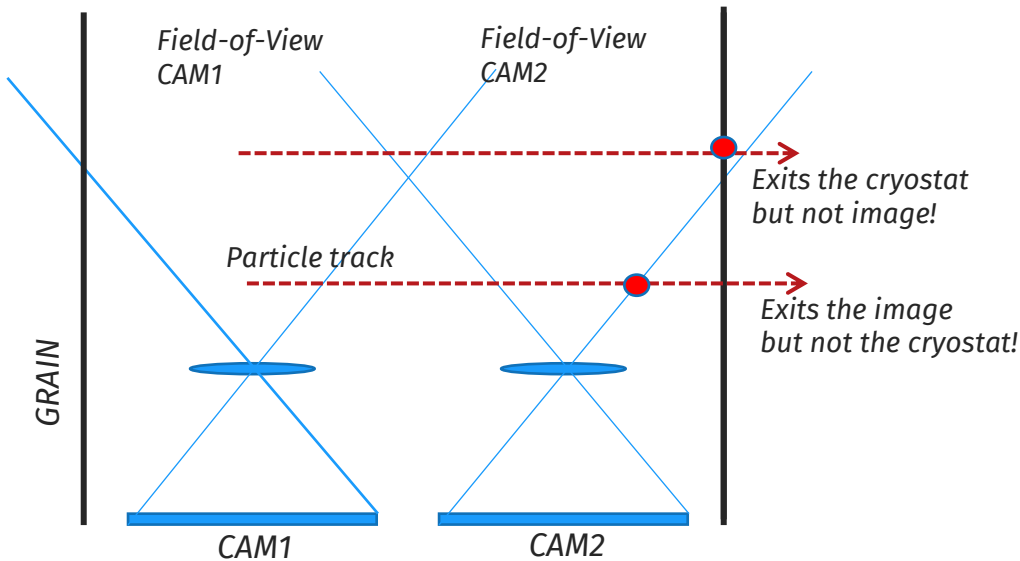


Vertex 3D residual



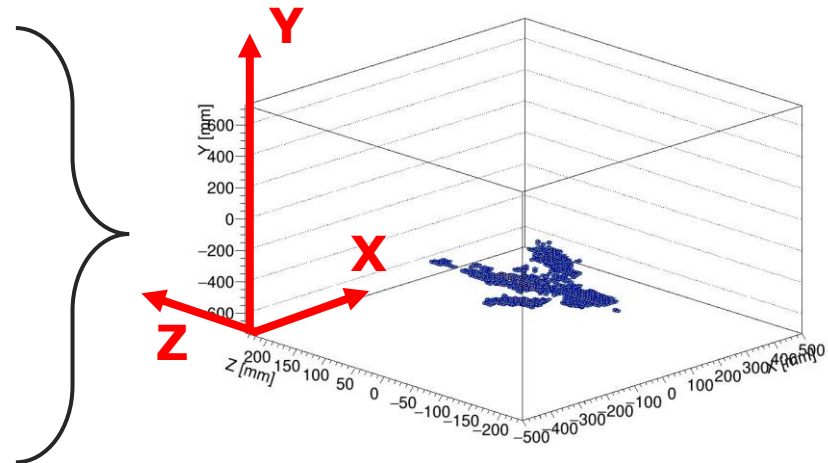
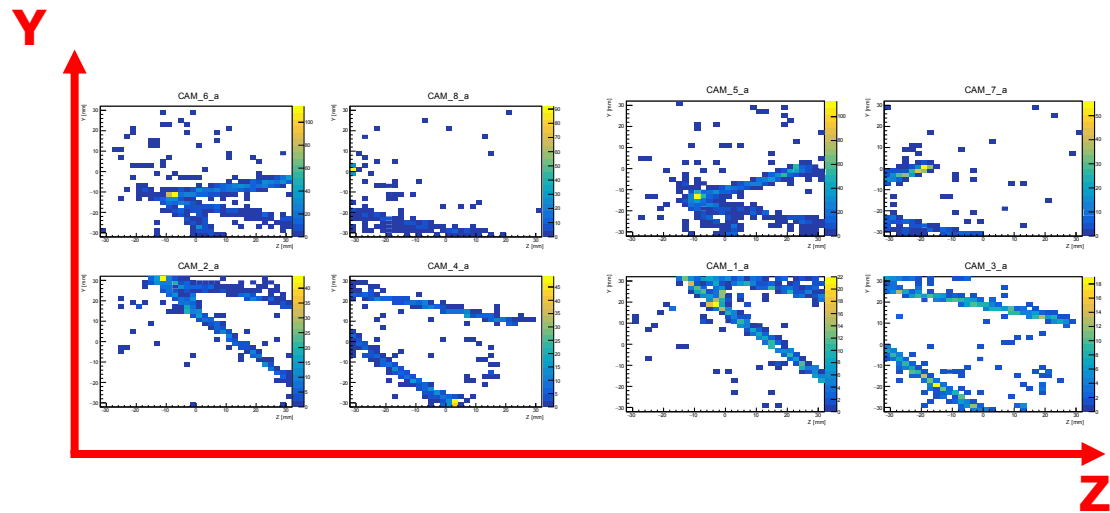
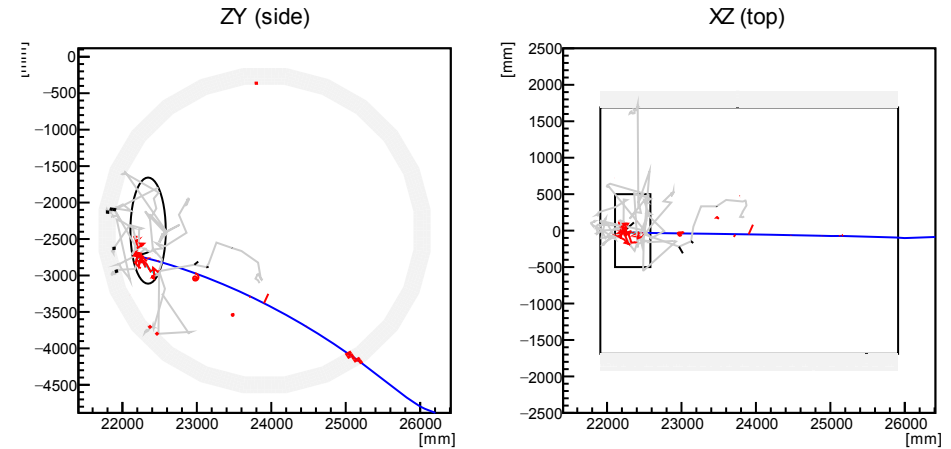
Next steps: STT matching

- Checking and matching tracks in STT:
 - Tracks stopping inside GRAIN
 - Tracks exiting GRAIN and matching STT digits.
 - Tracks stopping in GRAIN cryostat
- Working in progress...



Next steps: 3D tracks

- Matching requires 3D information...
- First examples of combining 2D data into 3D:
 - Finding the 3D volume compatible with all the views...



Summary

- **Cameras with UV lenses as imaging devices in GRAIN**
 - Geometrical configuration in new GRAIN geometry but with smaller x-dimension: good geometrical coverage of events (5-10 cameras with a «visible» vertex)
 - Reconstruction with Hough transform.
- **Preliminary agreement between visible and reconstructed tracks**
- **Preliminary determination of 3D vertex position in GRAIN**
- **Next steps:**
 - 3D tracks and matching with STT



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