

# Vertical drift TPC simulation and reconstruction

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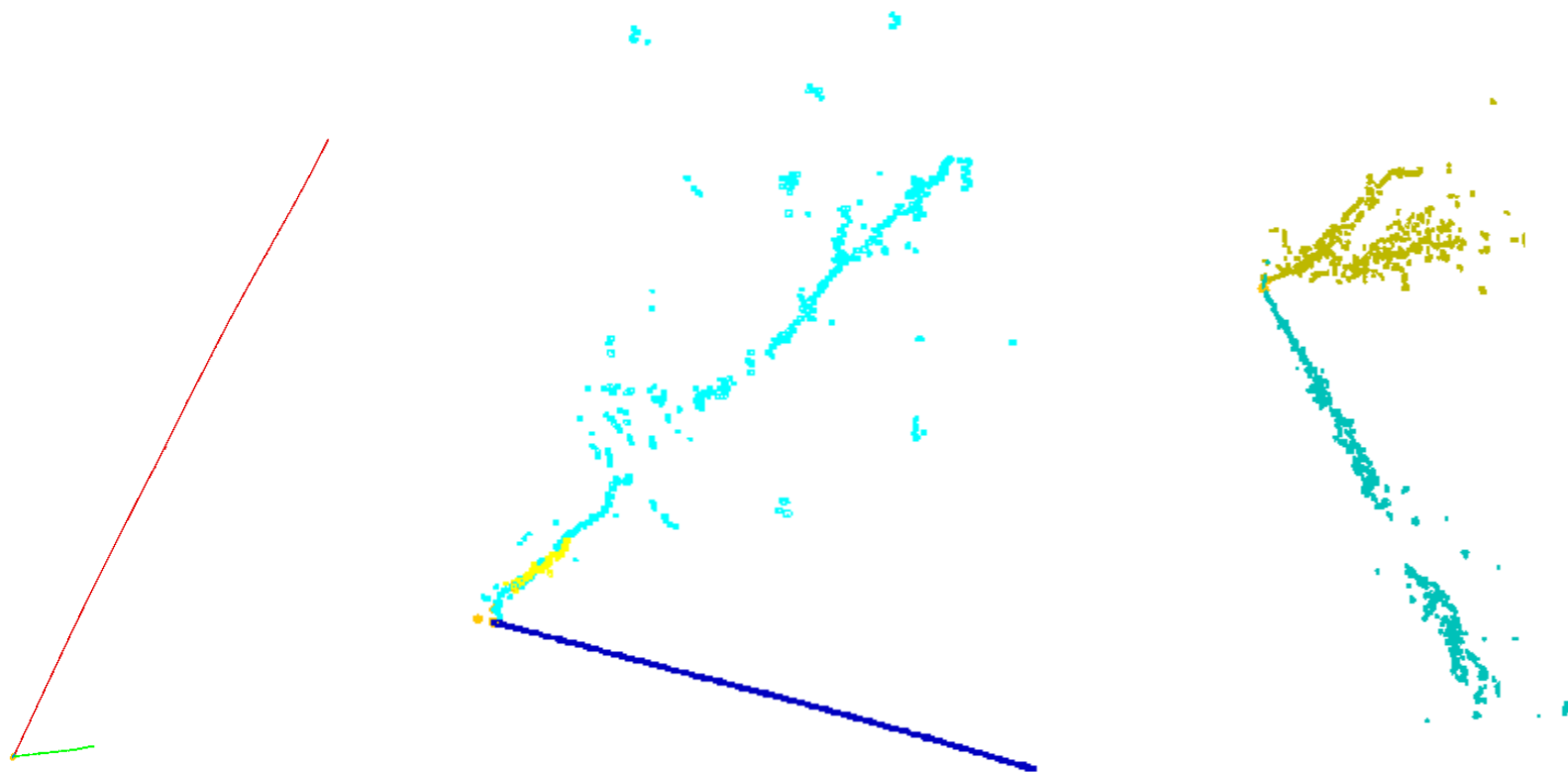
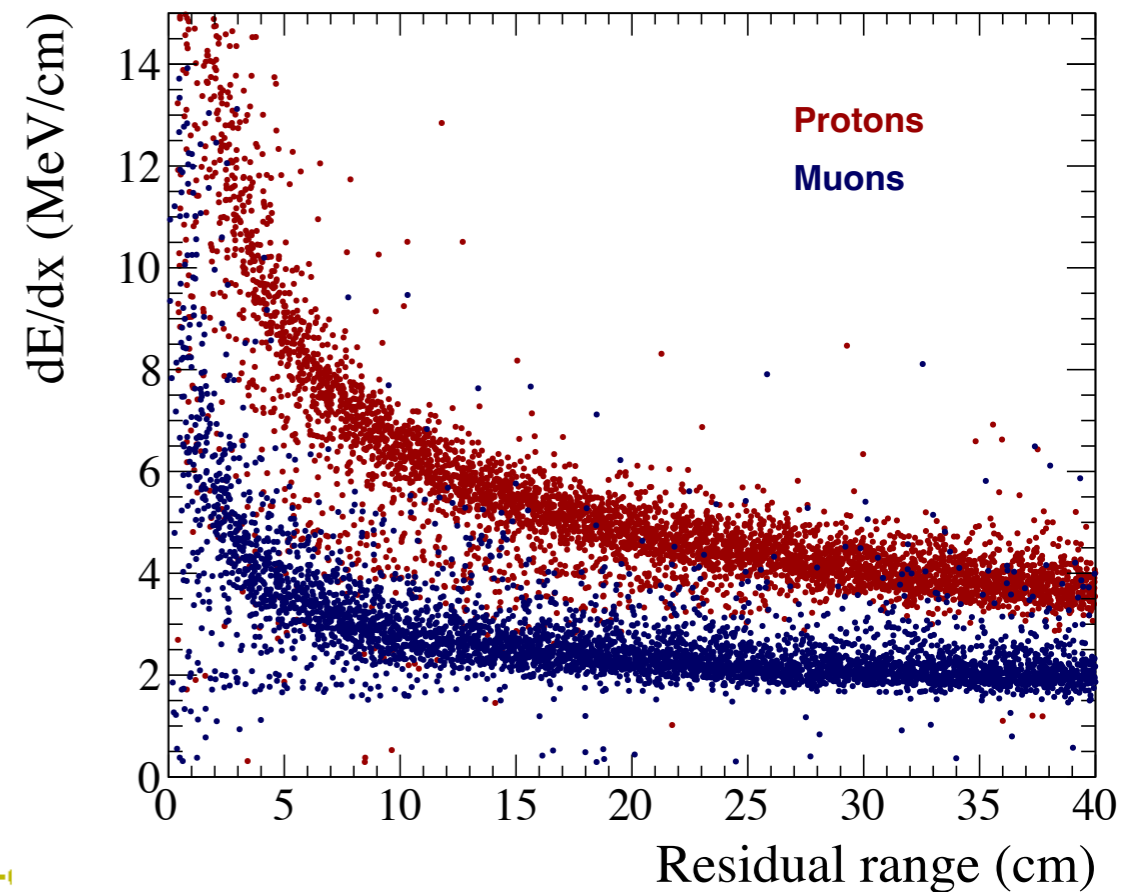
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# The Vertical Drift (VD) detector

- The 2nd DUNE far detector
  - 13.5m x 13.0m x 60m
  - Vertical drift direction
  - Separated into two drift volumes, separated by a central horizontal cathode
  - 6m drift length
  - Charge collected on anode by strips on printed circuit boards
  - Same charge projection-based principle as the Horizontal Drift (HD) detector
- Two potential designs of interest to the simulation and reconstruction
  - The '48 deg' geometry: 48, 0 and 90 degree views
  - The '30 deg' geometry: 30, -30, 90 degree views
- Here 'view' means PCB strip orientation, defined relative to the beam direction

# Reported at the previous meeting

- Most of the core simulation and reconstruction had been configured
  - Neutrino generator (GENIE)
  - G4 tracking
  - Wirecell signal simulation and processing
  - Pandora for pattern recognition
  - Basic PID



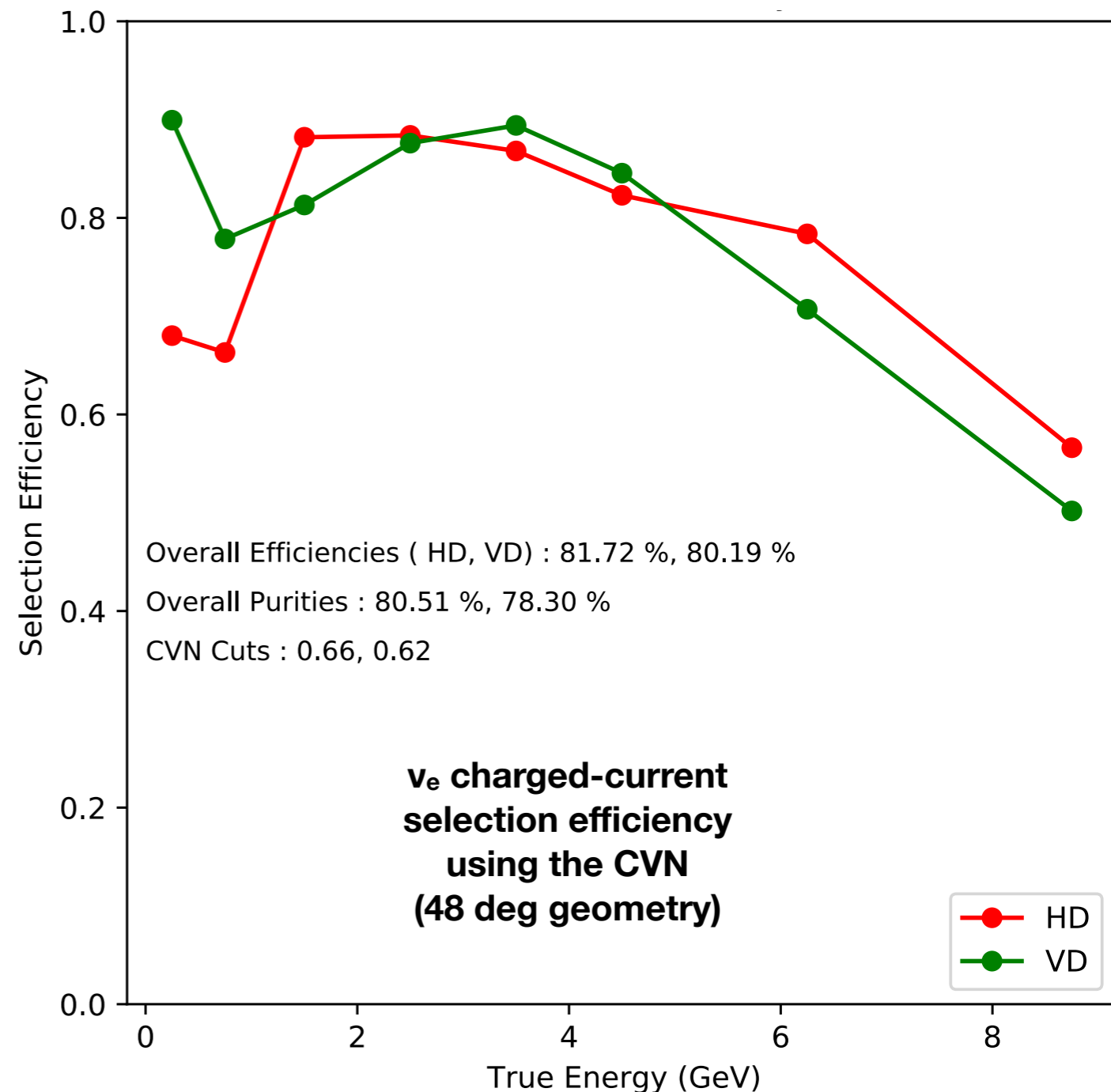
3D reconstruction of neutrinos in the 48 deg. Geometry using Pandora

# Since the previous meeting

- Software developments
  - Event level PID with the Convolutional Visual Network
  - Pandora benchmarking
  - Neutrino energy reconstruction
- An MC production was successfully run in January using the 48 degree geometry
- An imminent new MC production using the 30 degree geometry
- Both productions will involve ~6 million simulated neutrinos
- Contributed to a 3rd LBNC review
  - LBNC said very little regarding sim/reco's progress
- Planned major contributions to the vertical drift Technical Design Report (TDR)
  - Now the main focus of the FD sim/reco WG
  - The next few slides overview the main developments for the TDR provided by the WG

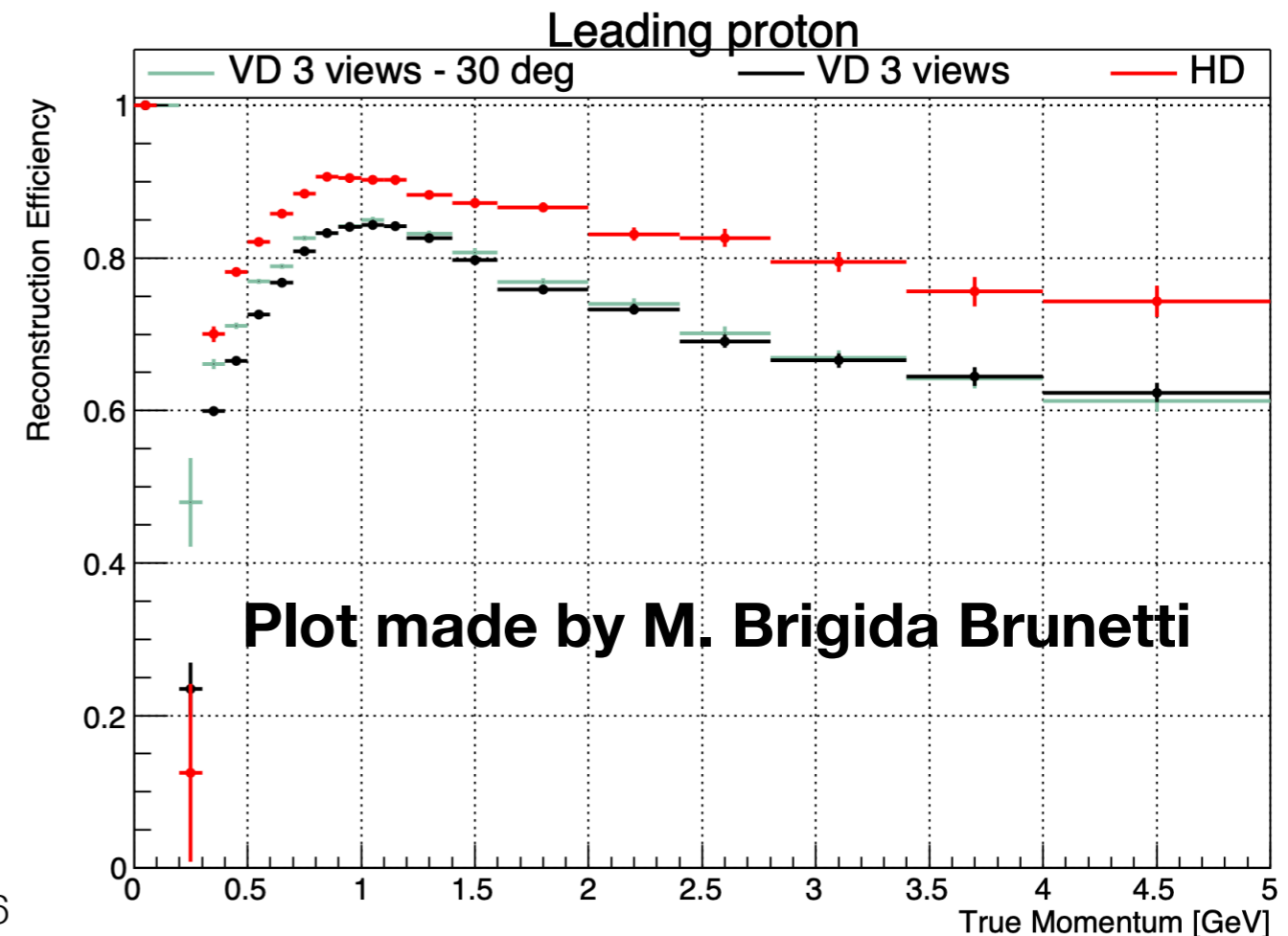
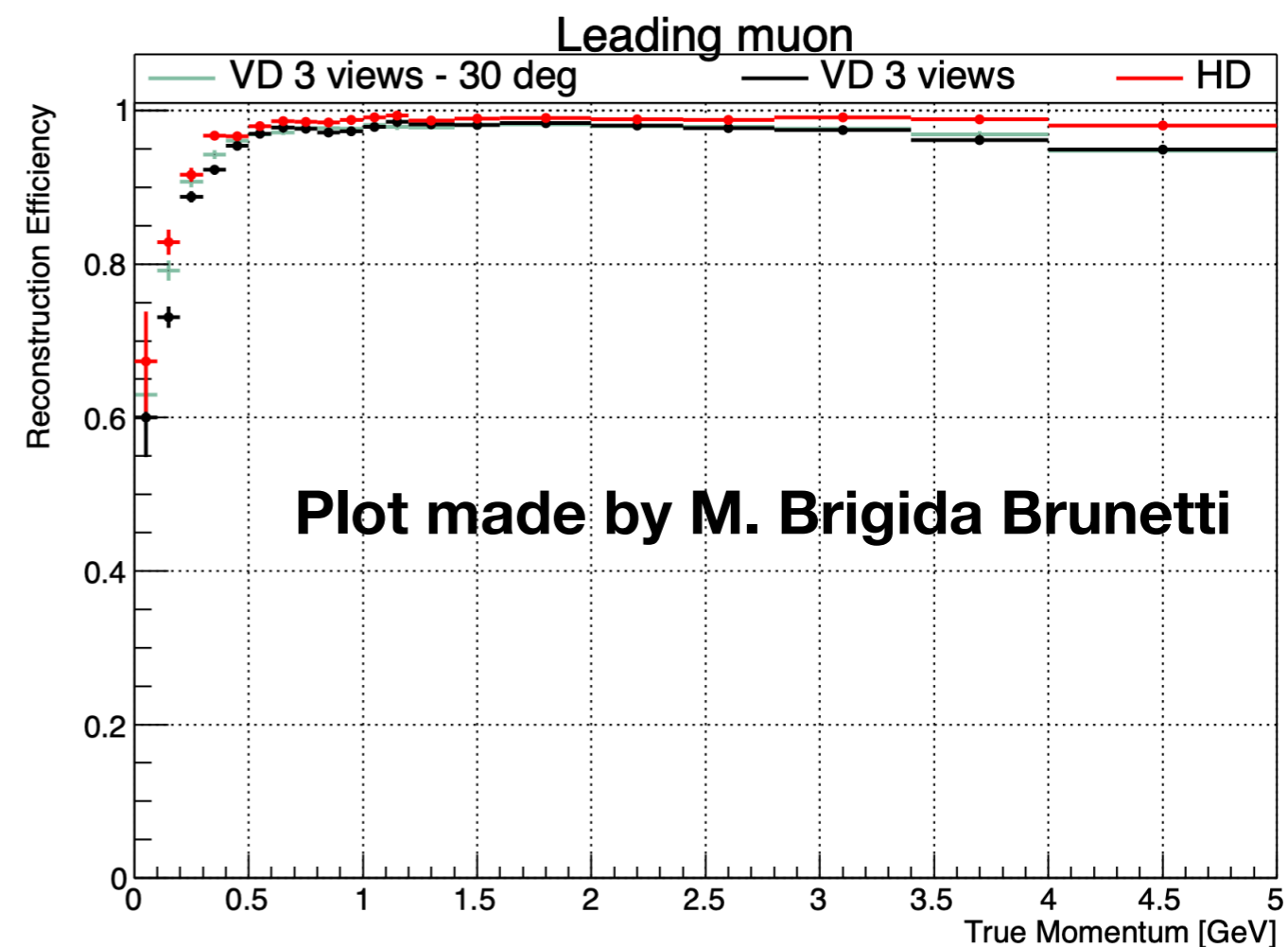
# Convolutional Visual Network (CVN)

- Deep learning-based, neutrino flavour tagger
  - Developed by L. Whitehead and S. Alonso Monsalve
- Used to select neutrino is the horizontal drift TDR analysis
- Retrained for the vertical drift
- Vertical drift performance is already competitive with the horizontal drift



# Pandora

- Vertical drift configurations and tunings taken from the horizontal drift
  - Algorithms worked out of the box; the only needed change was in the geometry parser
- Performance is competitive for reconstruction of the lepton
- ~10% efficiency drop for hadrons
  - Under investigation, possibly due to merging hadrons together
  - This should not impact the planned contributions to the TDR

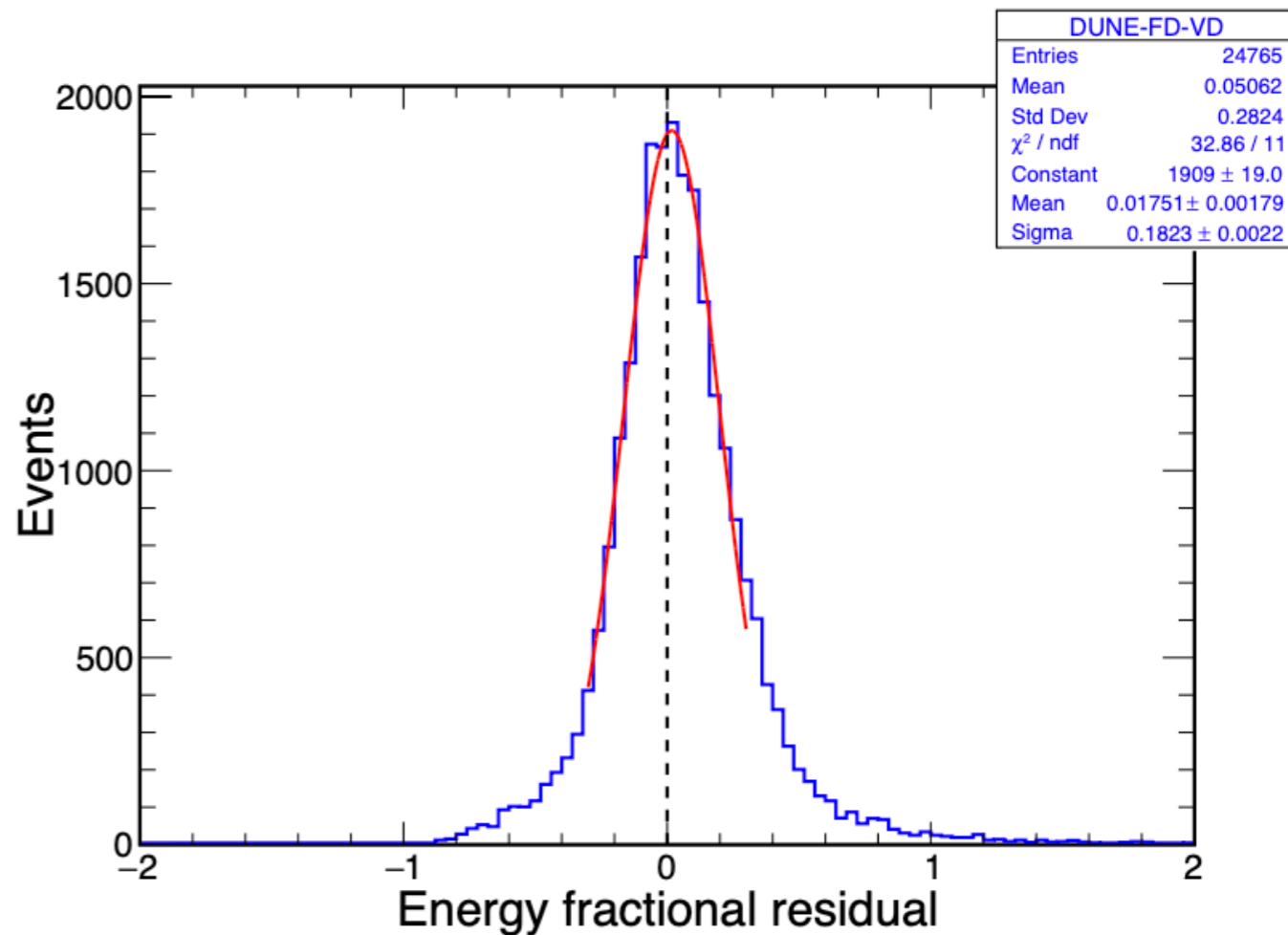


# Energy reconstruction

- Horizontal Drift TDR era method (N. Grant)

$$E_\nu = E_{\text{lep}}^{\text{cor}} + E_{\text{had}}^{\text{cor}}$$

- Pandora's 3D reconstruction is used to find the lepton track/shower; the remainder of the event is the hadronic system
- Lepton energy reconstructed using:
  - Calorimetry (electrons)
  - Ranging (contained muons)
  - Multiple Coulomb Scattering (exiting muons)
- Hadron energy estimated by calorimetry
- Competitive performance between vertical drift and horizontal drift



Resolutions	HD	VD 48 deg.	VD 30 deg.
nu_e	13%	16.7%	14.3%
Numu (contained)	18%	20.4%	19.6%
Numu (exiting)	20%	7 18.4%	18.2%

# The Vertical Drift Technical Design Report (TDR)

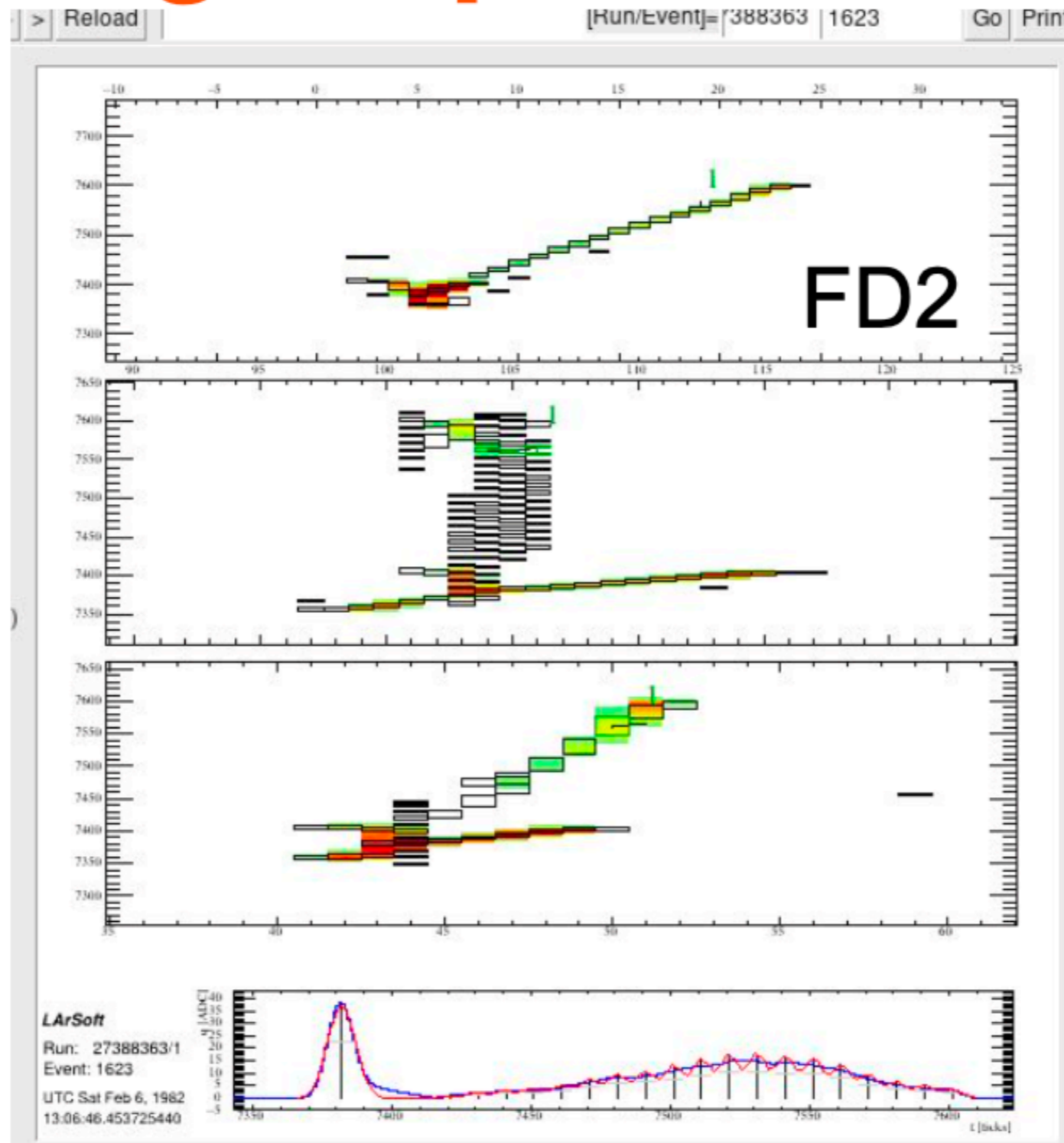
- The VD TDR will include a simplified HD TDR-style oscillation analysis
  - Neutrino selection efficiencies provided by the CVN
  - Neutrino energy biases/resolutions provided by Pandora + the energy estimator
  - Quantitative comparisons to the HD then provide expected sensitivities to oscillation physics
- An MC production for the TDR is about to begin that will provide
  - Officialised numbers for the analysis
  - HD/VD and VD 30 deg/VD 48 deg detector performance comparisons
- The current deadline for the TDR draft is end of September

# Summary

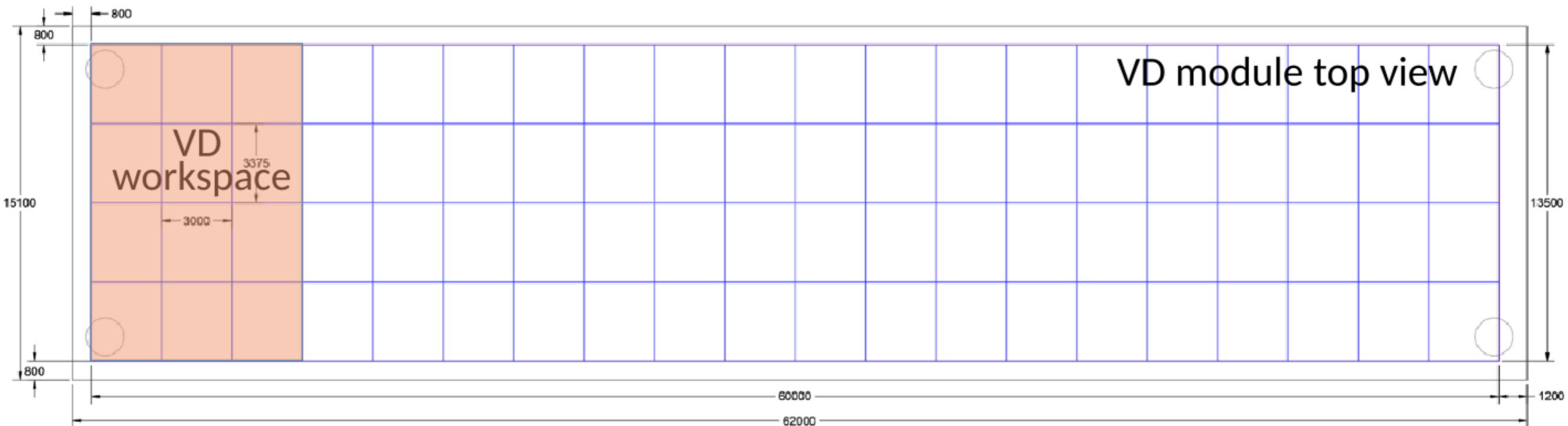
- Massive developments/improvements in the vertical drift detector's simulation and reconstruction since the last UK meeting
  - CVN training for neutrino flavour tagging
  - Pandora benchmarking
  - Neutrino energy reconstruction
- An MC production has been completed with another due to start imminently
- The main focus is now the VD TDR

# Backup

# Long waveform (48 deg.)



# The 1x8x6 workspace geometry

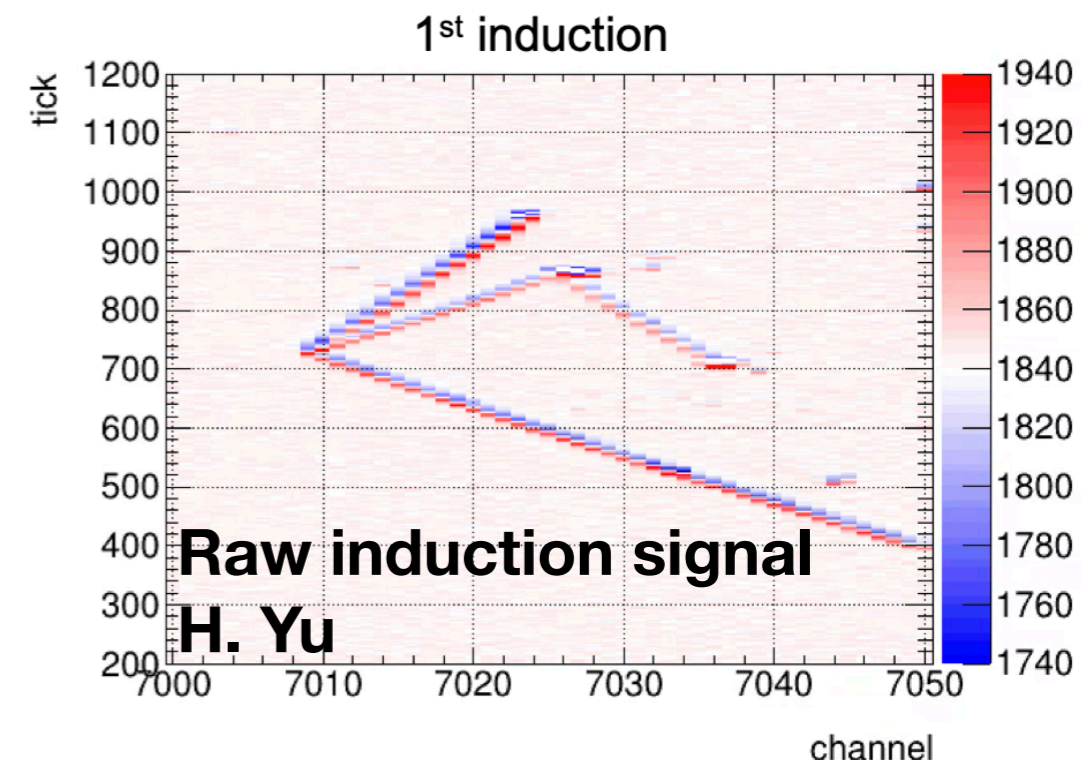
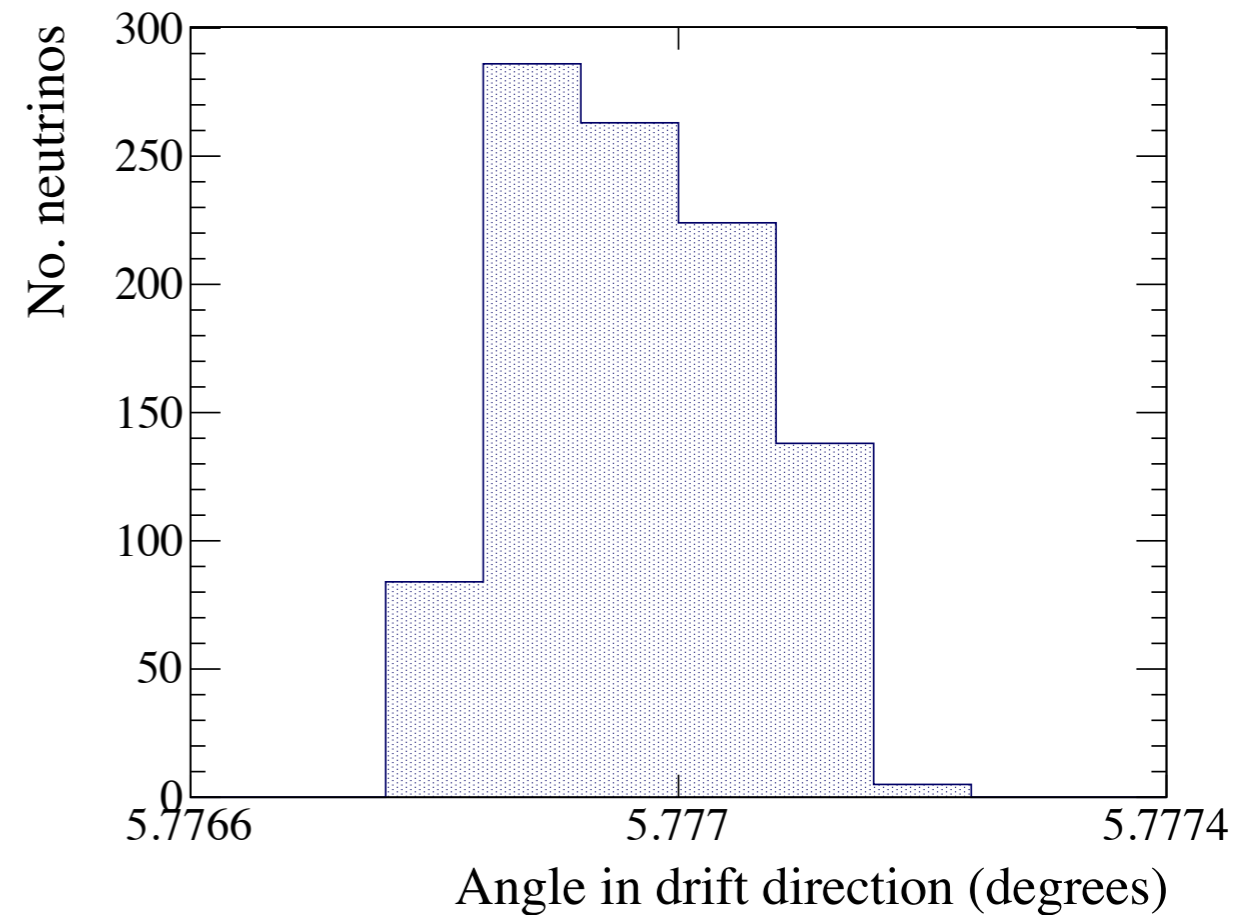


- The usual stuff applies: full size geometry 'too big' (memory consumption, run time etc) for current LArSoft workflow ideology
- Additional constraint comes from ROOT I/O limitation of max 1GB per serialised object
- So, we use the '1x8x6' geometry for all development work
  - 1 'CRM' high by 8 'CRMs' wide by 6 'CRMs' long
  - Above diagram is in terms of CRPs (1CRP == 2CRU == 4 CRMs)

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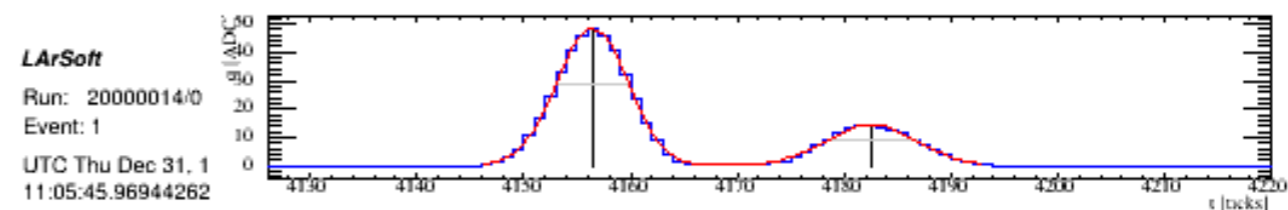
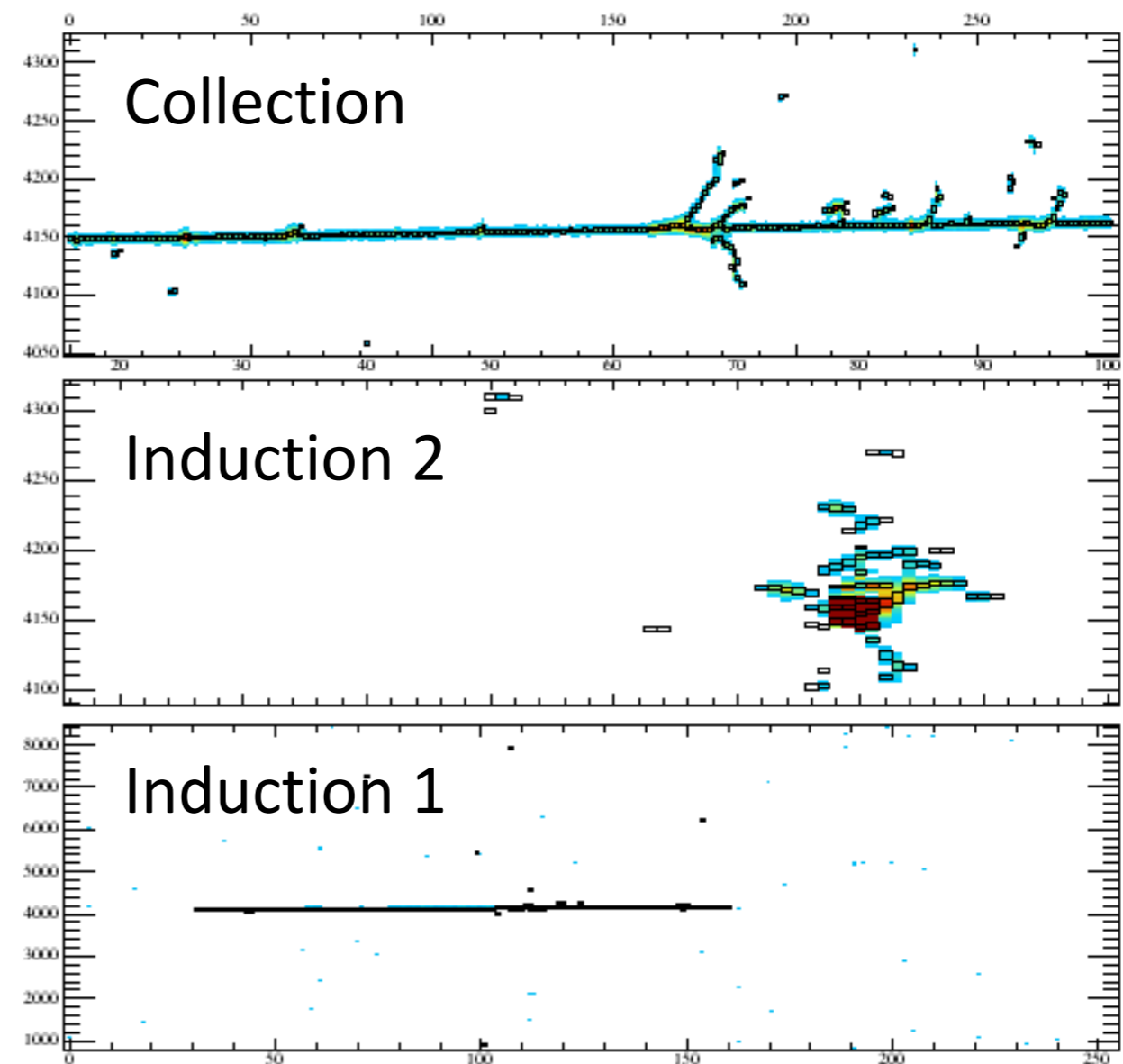
# Simulation

- LBNF neutrino simulation uses GENIE + LBNF flux
  - Flux comes from weighted dk2nu files
  - Simulation includes the beam's incident angle
- Particles are tracked through the detector using the refactored LArG4
  - Refactorisation of LArG4 breaks up the simulation into more manageable chunks
  - Physics contents remains unchanged
- The electron drift simulation and signal simulation on the readout is all performed in wirecell
  - Wirecell is a 2D drift simulation, incorporating field effects from electrons on non-incident wires
  - Wirecell includes a signal processing to disentangle the 2D effects and recover the readout true signal



# Hit reconstruction

- Uses the ubiquitous *Gaushit*
- Hit reconstruction is run on deconvolved waveforms produced in wirecell
- Hit reconstruction hand-tuned using single muon particle gun



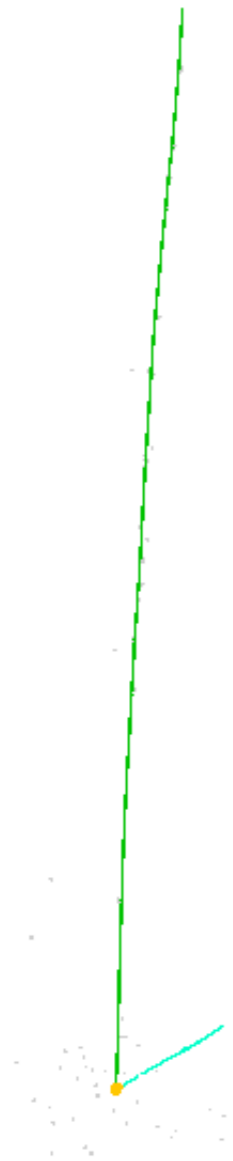
# Pandora pattern recognition and track/shower reconstruction



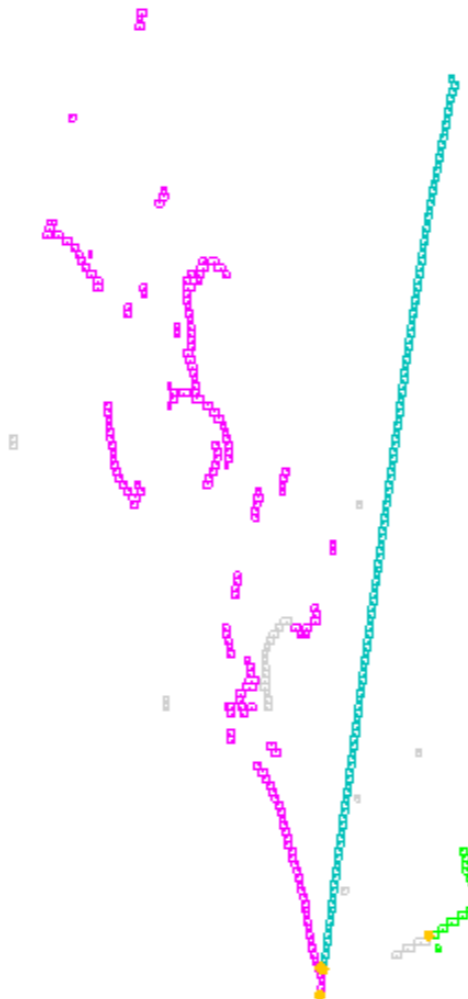
- Pandora's multi-reconstruction algorithm suite is detector agnostic
- 'larpandora' is the I/O bridge between LArSoft and pandora
- Larpandora's geometry interface maps detectorisms to pandora, keeping pandora detector agnostic
  - Geometry interface originally written for a MicroBooNE-style TPC
  - Other detectors (ICARUS, ProtoDUNE-DP etc) have been tacked onto the geometry interface, keeping development time small
  - The vertical drift detector cannot be tacked onto the geometry interface without breaking other detector operation
- The detector specific part of the interface was completely re-written such that
  - The vertical drift could be included
  - No other detectors were broken
  - It is much easier to include new detectors in the future

# Pandora event displays - 2D reconstruction (col. plane)

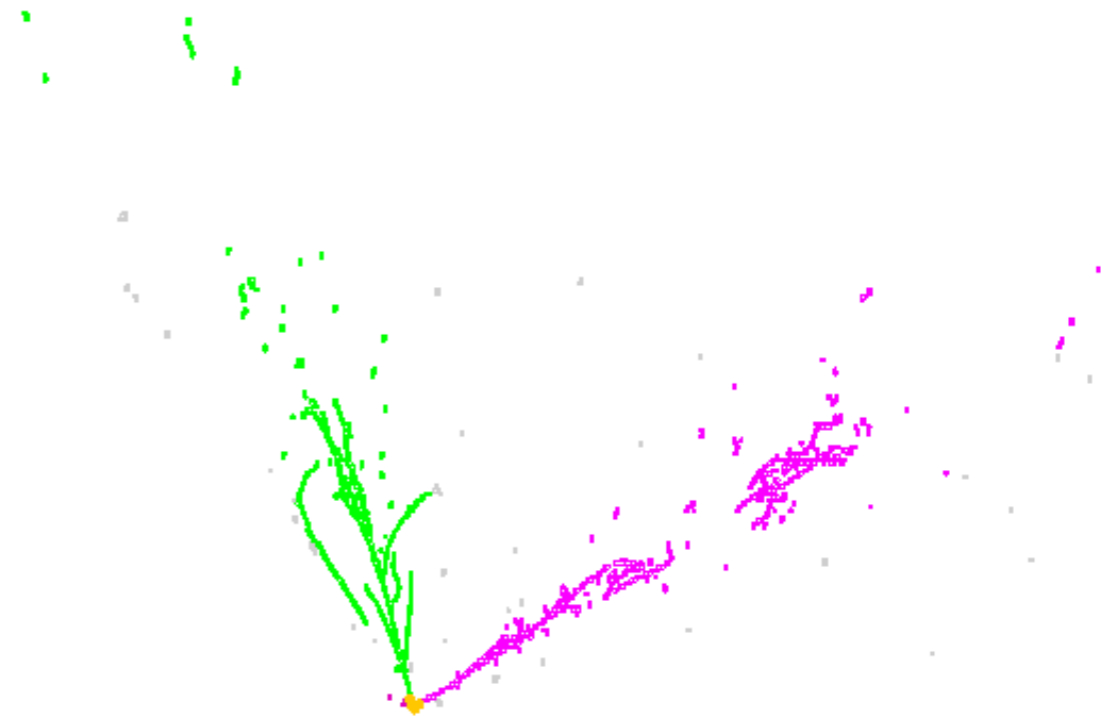
- All reconstruction ran end-to-end once the geometry interface was updated
- All necessary pandora tunings taken from horizontal drift



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**1mu + 1p + many small p**

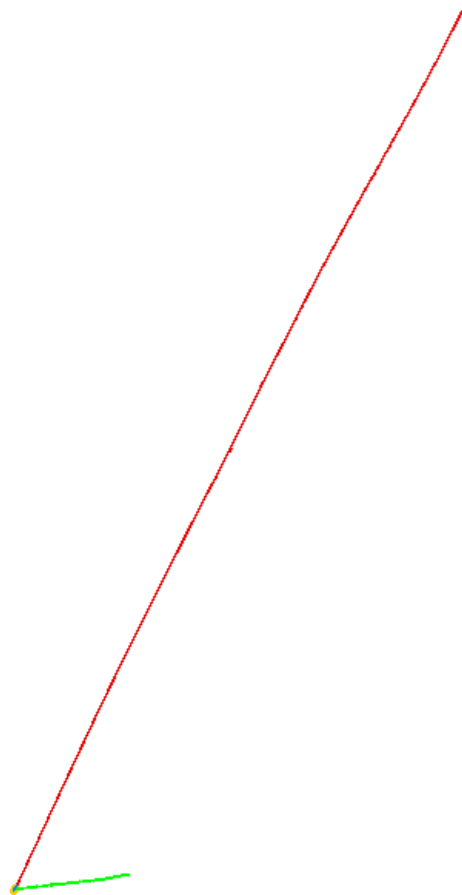


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**1P + 1Pi0**



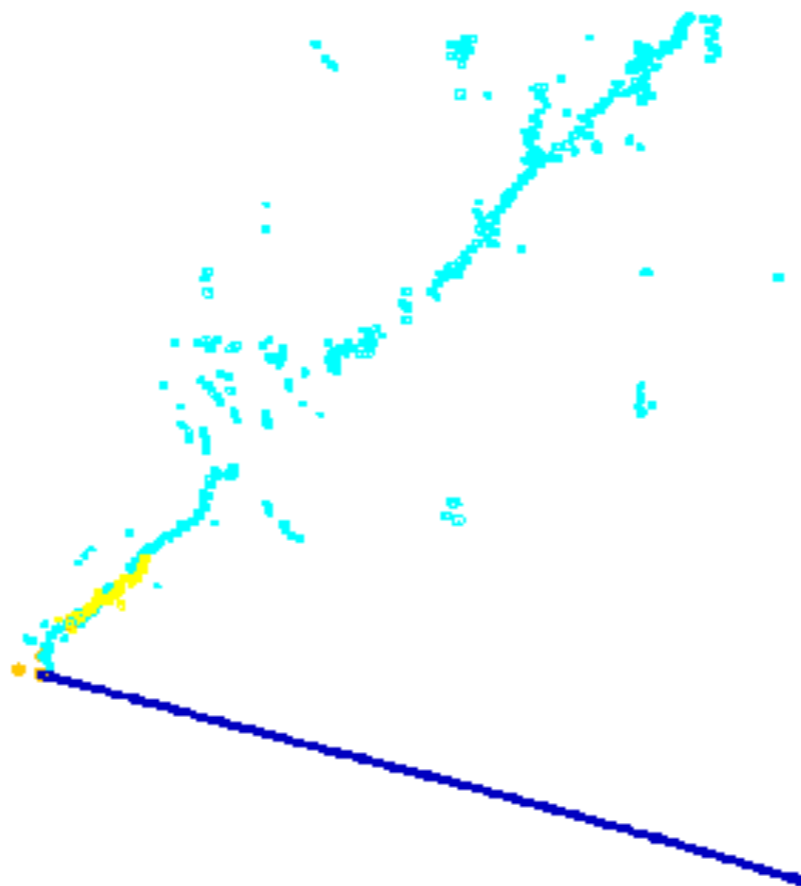
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# Pandora event displays - 3D reconstruction



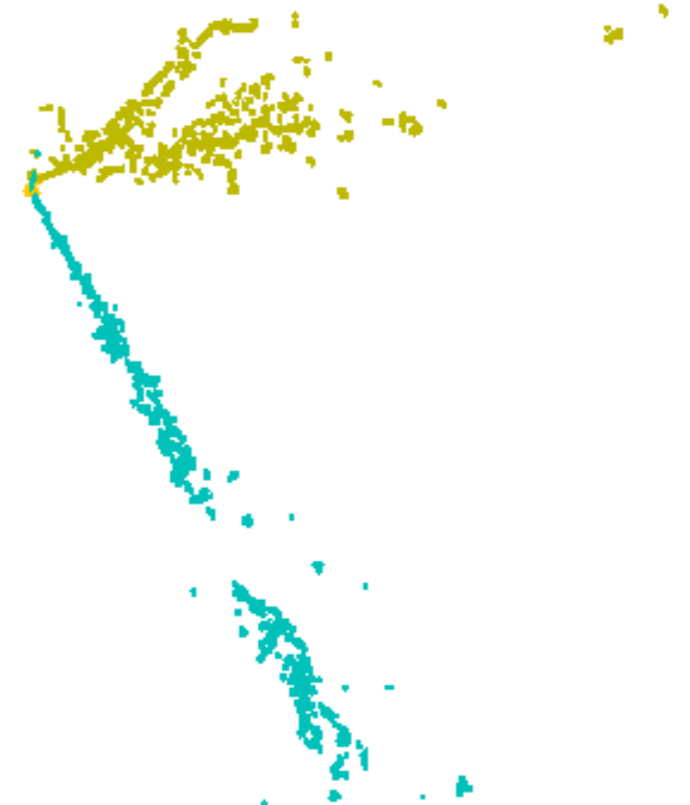
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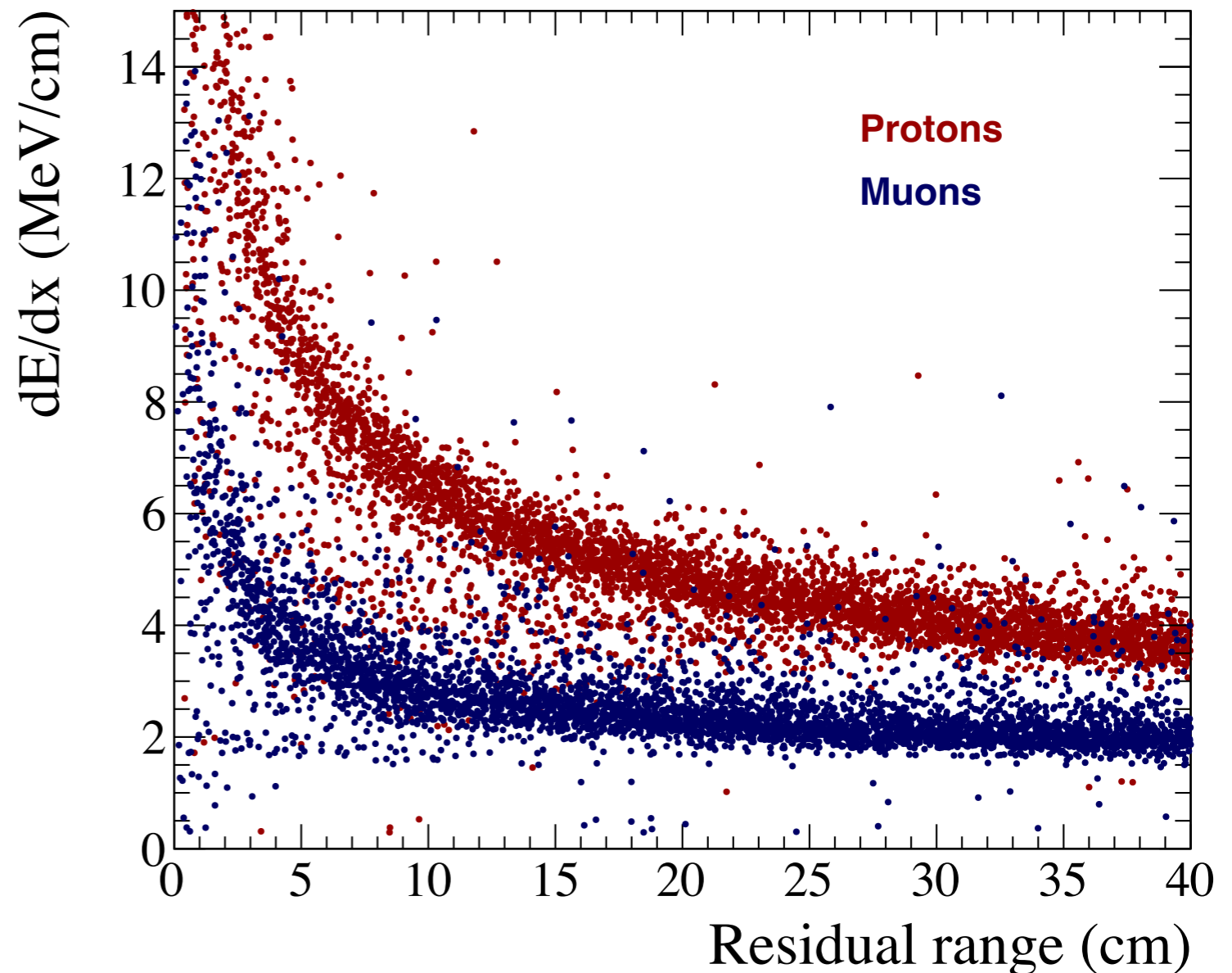


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**Missing photon and proton**

# Calorimetry and PID

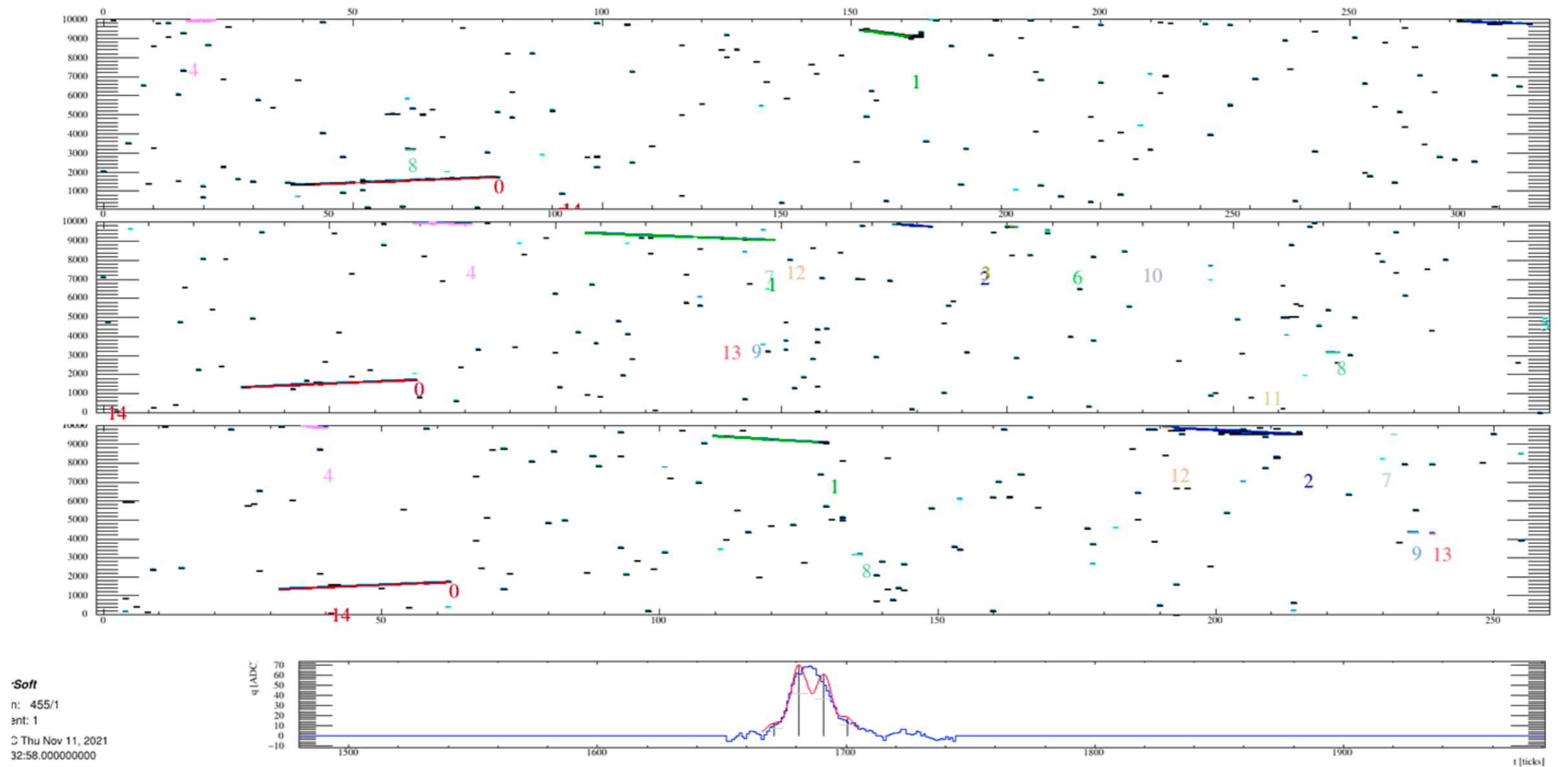
- 100x 1mu1p events
  - Fixed momentum and angles
- Demand:
  - exactly two tracks are reconstructed
  - Reject the  $dE/dx$  values for the first/last hit in a track
- Plot shows reconstructed  $dE/dx$  vs residual range using the standard calorimetry tools available in LArSoft
- Calorimetry constants were hand-tuned



# Current status

- The software is up and running, ready for public consumption
- There is currently a large-scale production ongoing, to produce  $O(1 \text{ million})$  neutrinos that are fully reconstructed using pandora
- The production will be used to validate the reconstruction, but we are also expecting analysis-level output from downstream working groups
- Future work
  - Pattern recognition validation (the pandorians)
  - CVN (BNL + L. Whitehead + S. Alonso Monsalve)
  - Neutrino energy reconstruction (unassigned; formerly developed by N. Grant)
- We have participated in LBNC reviews in May and December
  - The FD sim/reco group (who oversees the software development) have not received any specific comments back from LBNC

# Reconstruction in the vertical drift cold box (REAL DATA)



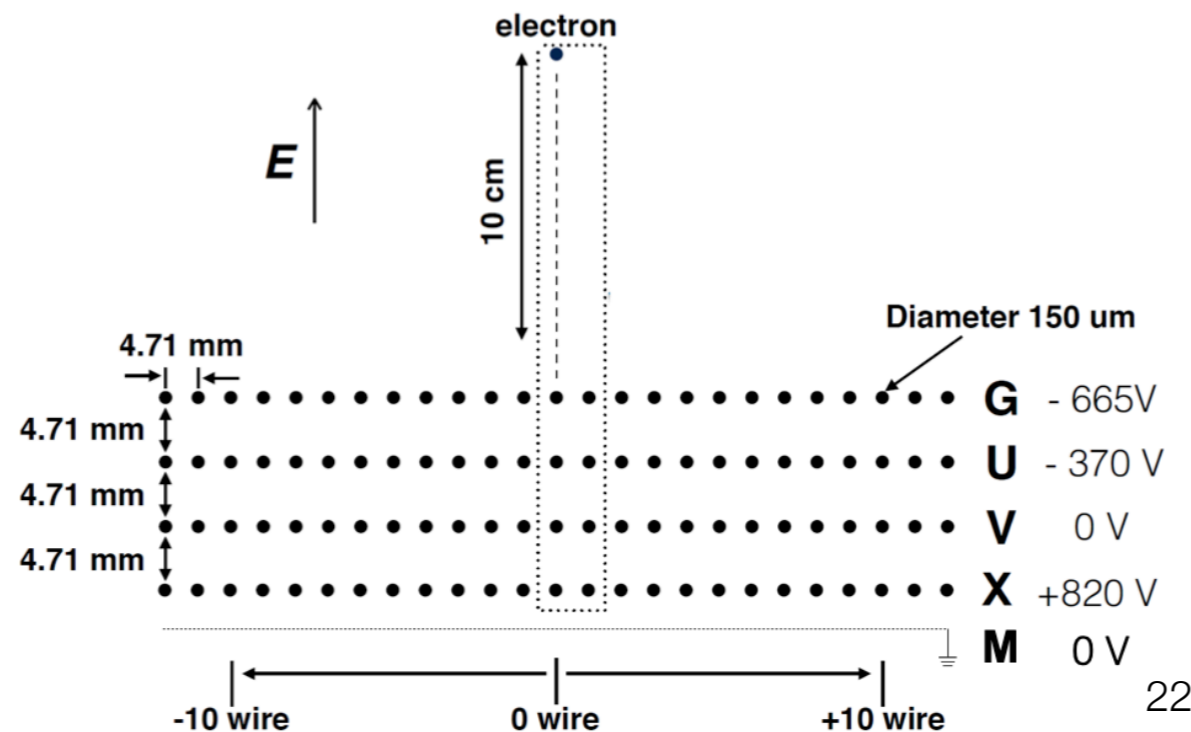
- Test of vertical drift technology ongoing in cold box at CERN with a 30 cm drift length
- Cosmic rays are being observed in the raw data
- Pandora successfully runs 'out of the box' on the collected data

# Refactored LArG4

- The ‘legacy’ larsim has been used extensively in DUNE FD, but has a few limitations
  - An ‘all in one’ simulation
  - A physics list that is hard to change/extend
  - Difficult to retrieve the energy deposits in the active detector volume
  - Many others
- The refactored larg4 fixes all of those problems.
  - For anyone who is active in simulation, this is a great addition to the workflow
  - If you’re removed from the simulation, you shouldn’t notice a difference in your analysis
- One key benefit is the particle tracking and electron drift simulation are completely separate entities -> you are able to use completely different drift simulation models without needing to edit larsim

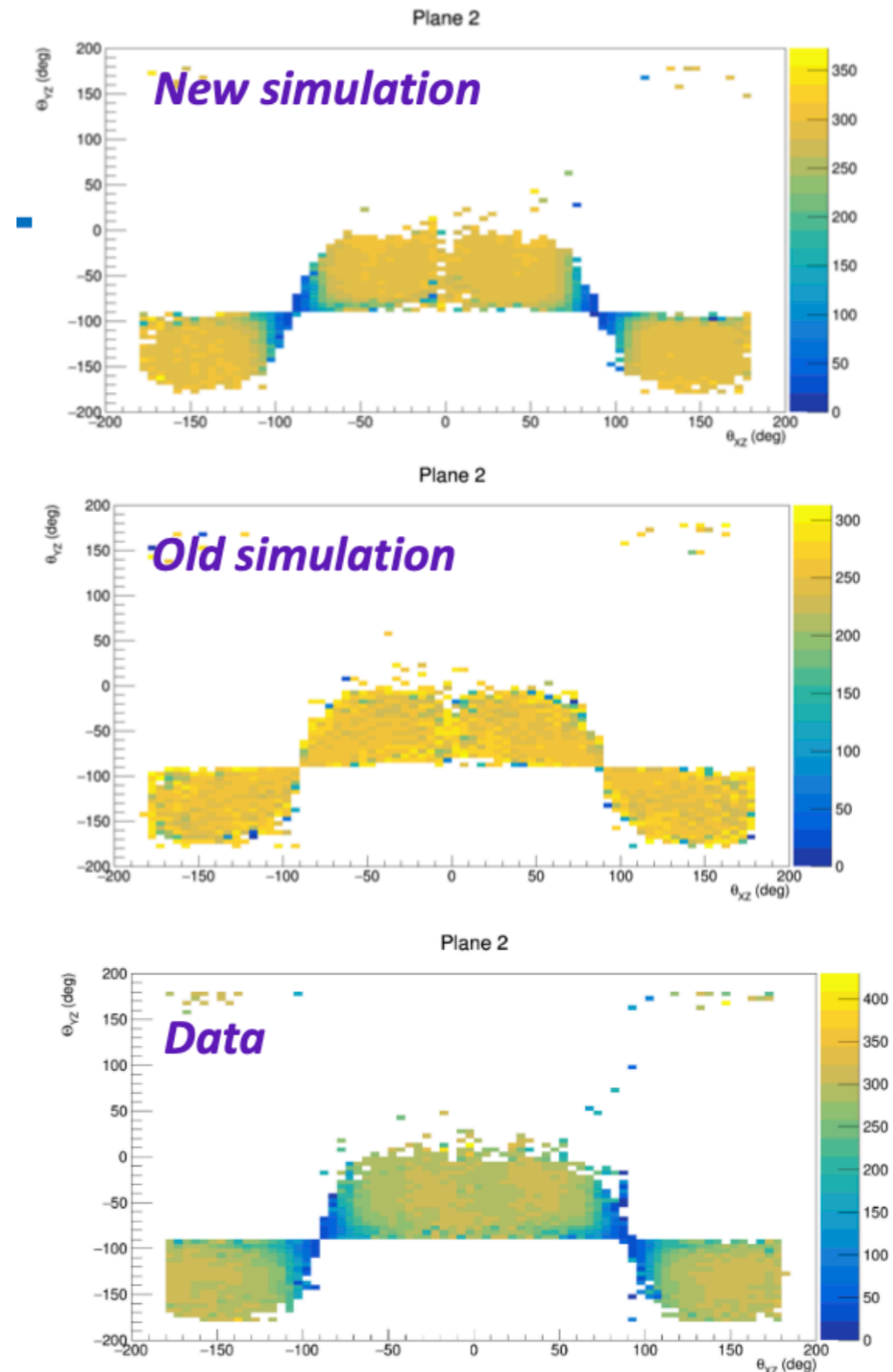
# Signal simulation and processing using wirecell

- TDR-era drift simulation simulates the effect an electron has on a wire as it marches towards it
- In truth, the electron induces a signal on neighbouring wires too
- The wirecell package from BNL provides
  - a 2D drift simulation, encapsulating this effect
  - A 2D wire signal deconvolution, disentangling this correlated effect
- Extensively tested in ProtoDUNE and MicroBooNE



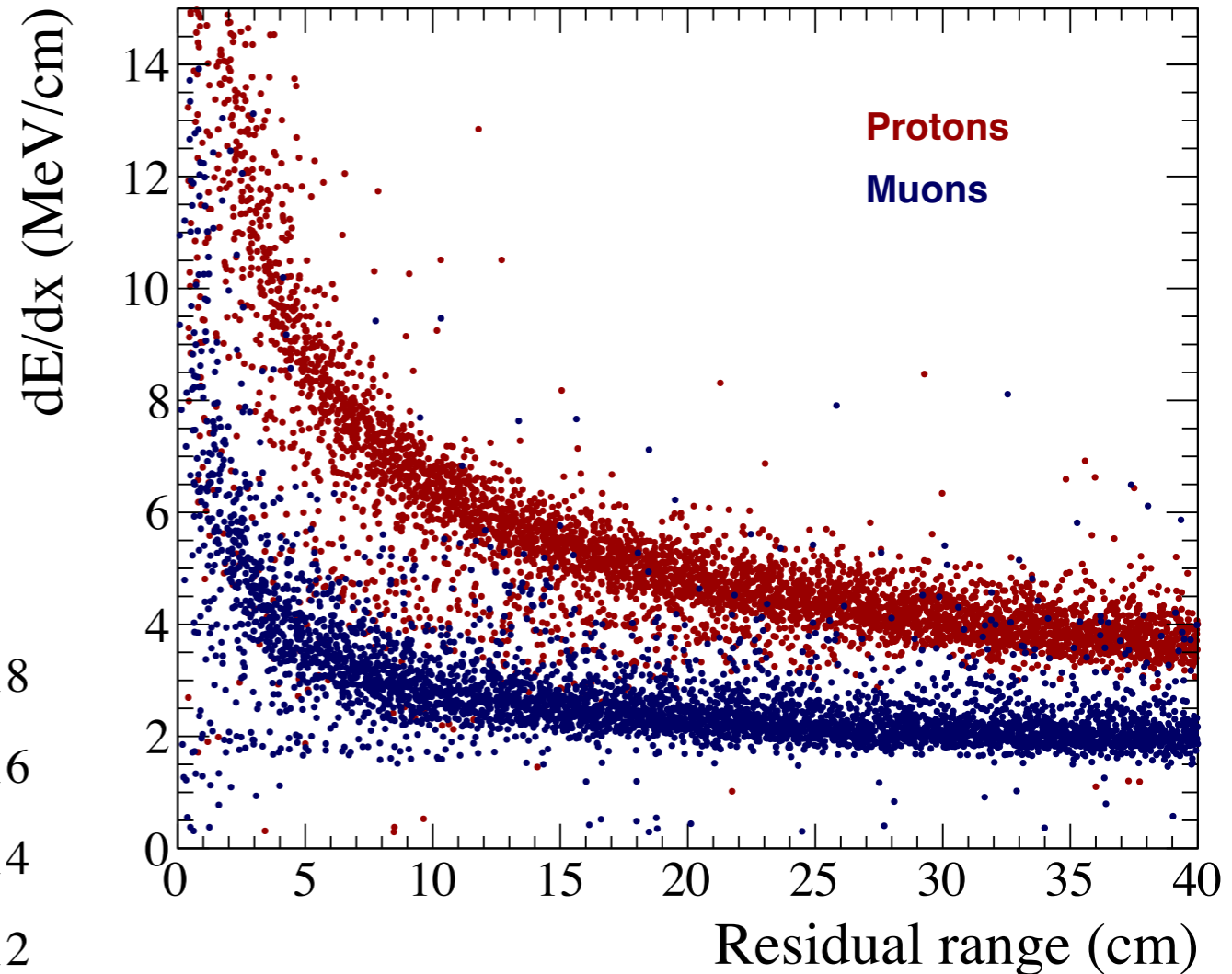
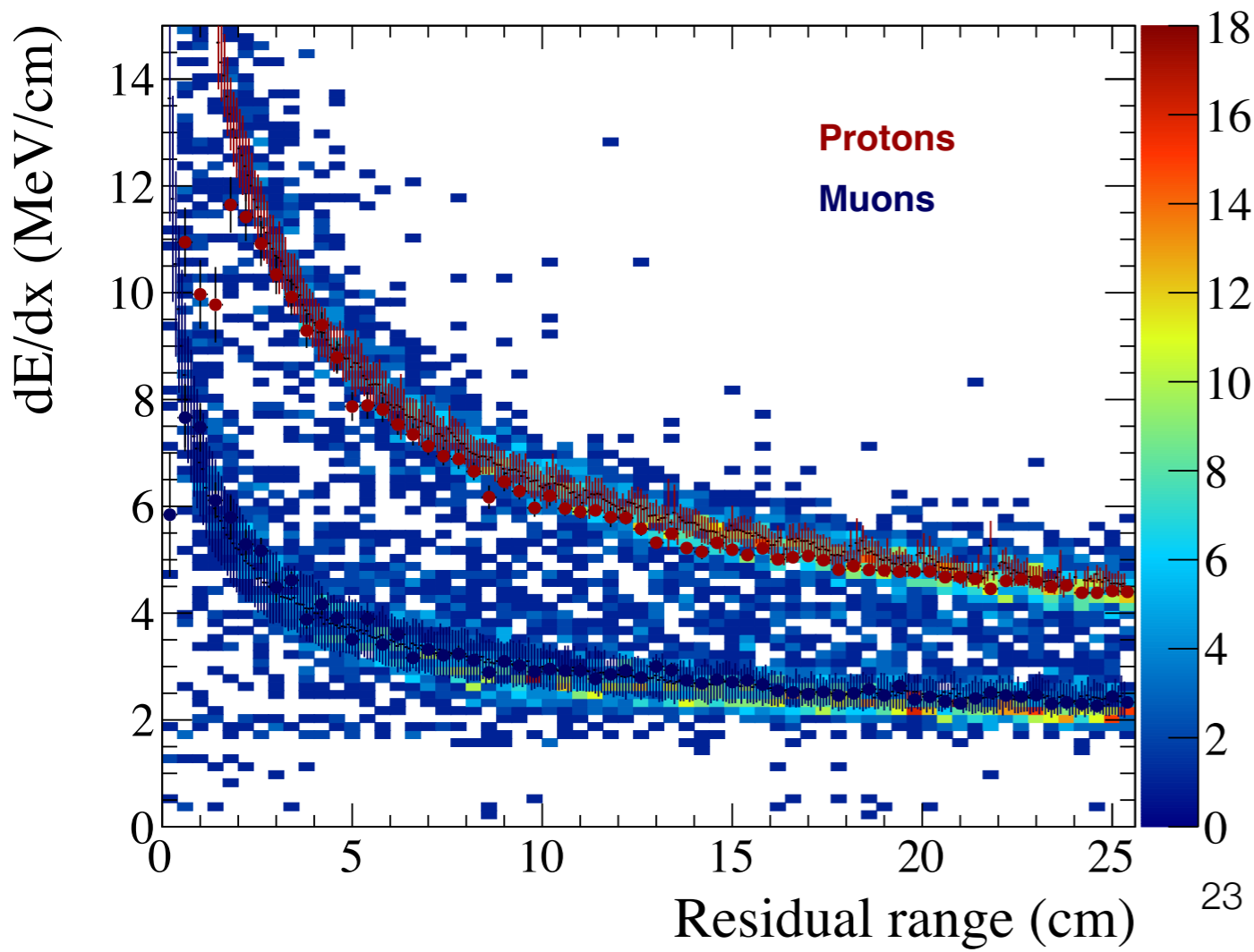
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Plots by W. Gu, A. Paudel  
Reconstructed cosmic dQ/dx MPVs in protodune



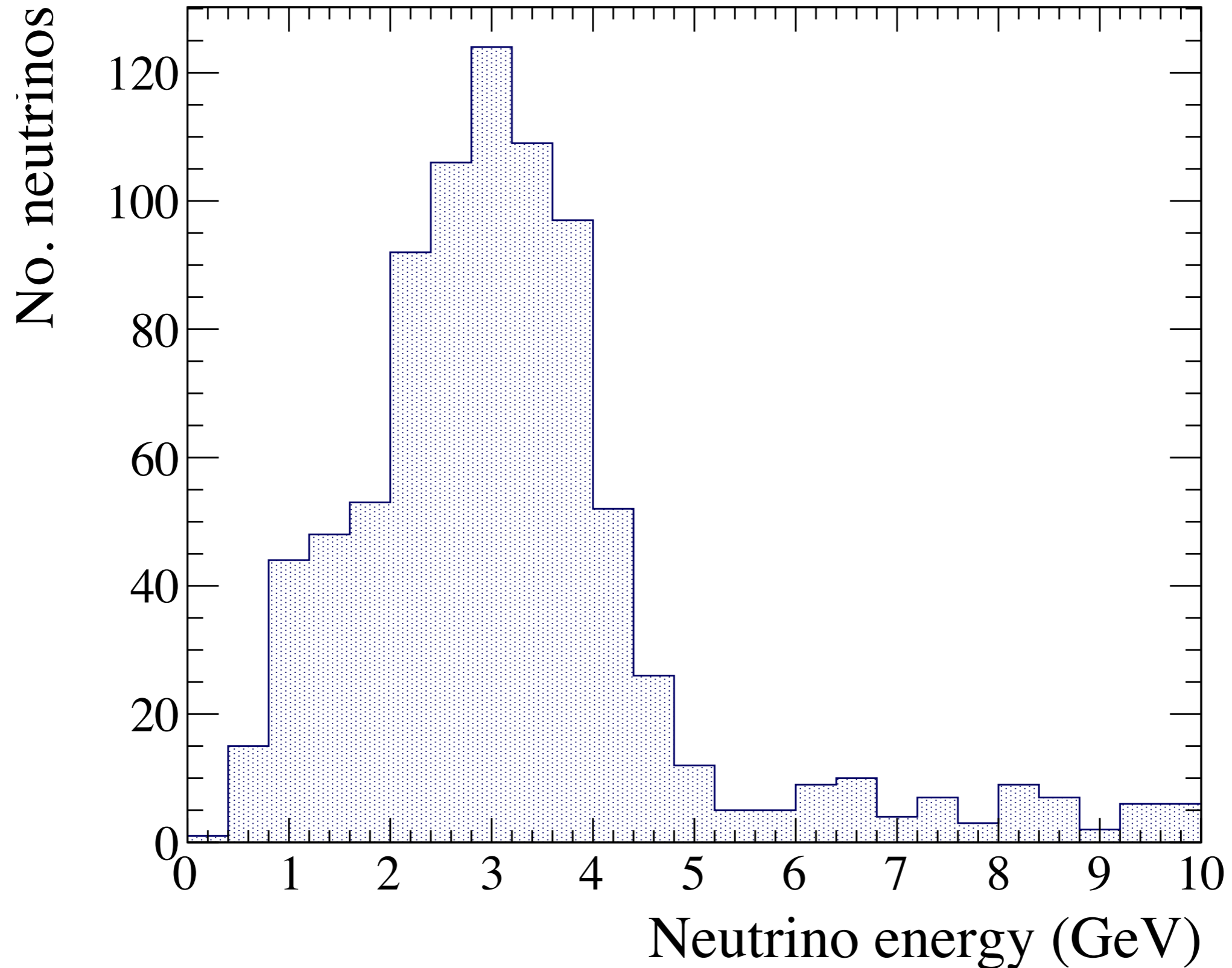
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- RHS plot shows reconstructed dE/dx vs residual range using the standard calorimetry module in LArSoft (included in the sim/reco workflow)

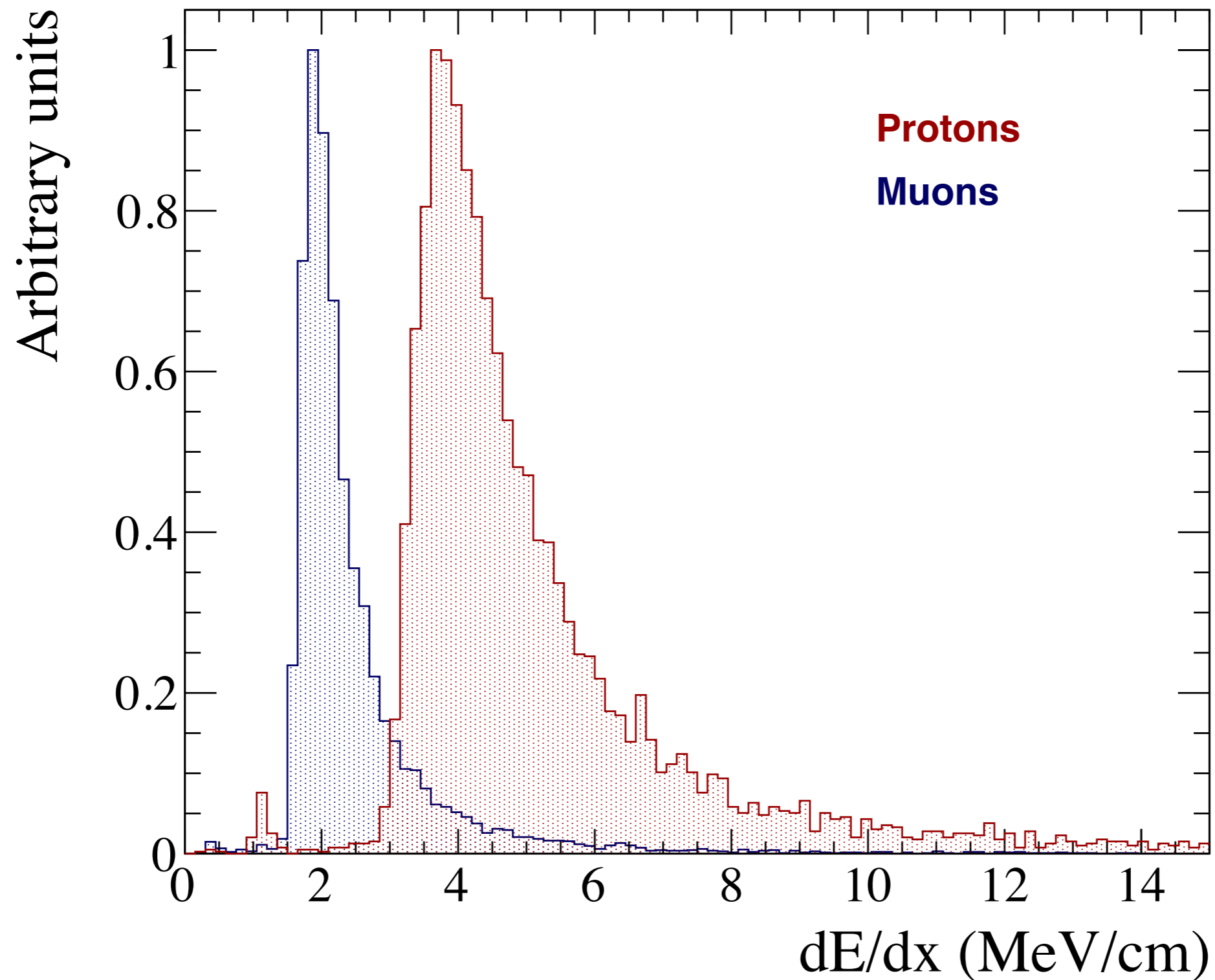


- Calo constants were hand 'tuned'
  - Calc'd a mean dE/dx per residual range bin (the thick red/blue points)
  - Calo constants varied until the muon mean dE/dx aligned with the dE/dx templates used in the chi2 PID (thin points)
- Calibration group have been notified of the reco status so that they can undertake a better tuning

# Nu energy



# $dE/dx$ (1 mu+1 p sample)



# CRU

