

FRAMEWORK FOR PRODUCING A NEW ATM-NU SAMPLE

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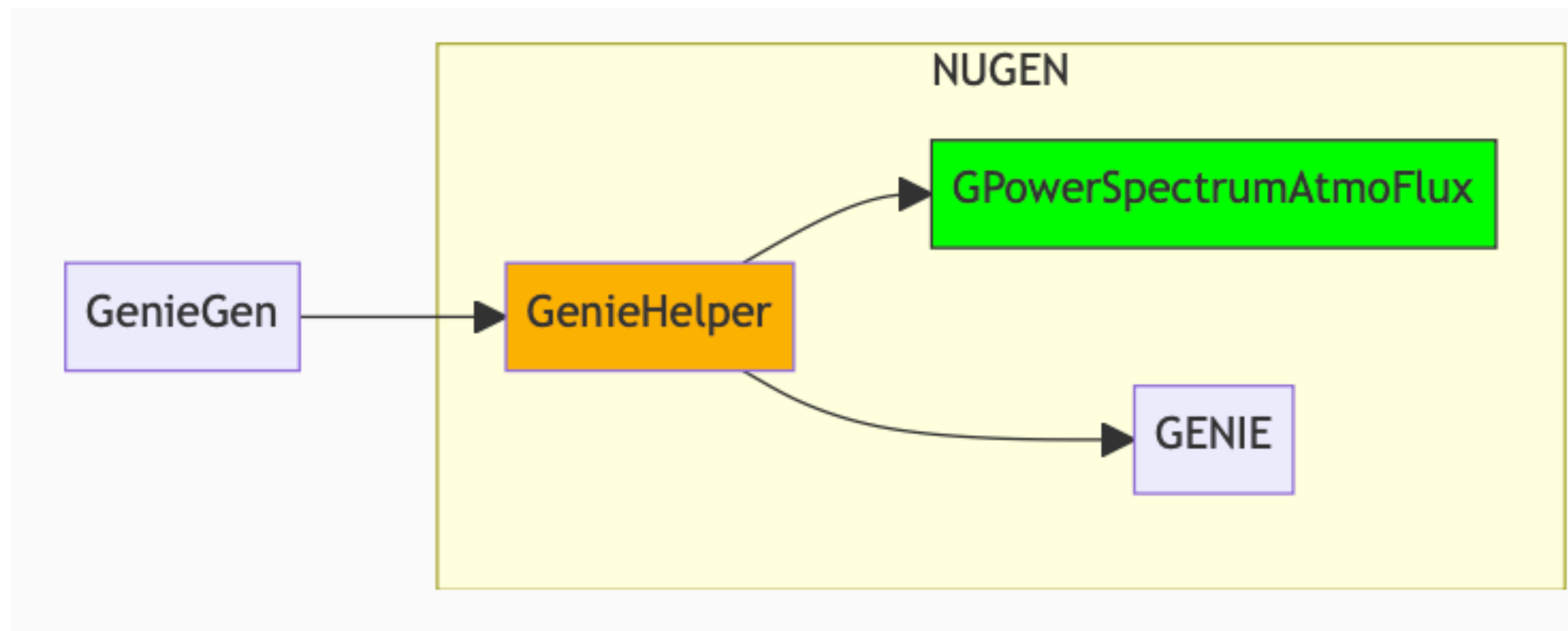
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Guiding principles for the choices made

- ▶ Use available LArSoft machinery: in NUGEN



- All NUGEN changes: <https://gitlab.in2p3.fr/pgranger/nugen>

- ▶ Easy configuration: w/ FCL

```
#include "prodgenie_atmnu_max_dune10kt_1x2x6.fcl"

physics.producers.generator.EventsPerSpill: 1
physics.producers.generator.POTPerSpill: 0
physics.producers.generator.GenFlavors: [12, 14, -12, -14, 16, -16]
physics.producers.generator.FluxType: "atmo_POWER"
physics.producers.generator.SpectralIndex: 1.8
physics.producers.generator.FluxEmin: 0.01
physics.producers.generator.FluxEmax: 100
```

- Flavors
- flux type
- energy ranges
- spectral index

- **Next step (after OK from HE-WG):** ask to merge this into a nugen/LarSoft release

1. SCHEME INCLUDED IN LARSOFT

- ▶ **In addition: mismatch between DUNE geometry and atm-fluxes coord. syst**
 - ▶ The new production scheme is using a correction which exists already in LArSoft:
 - ▶ a rotation is applied to the geom. before passing it to GENIE, to fix the mismatch

```
dune_fd_atmo_flux_rotation_precise: {  
  # the details of this rotation are explained in `dune_fd_genie_atmo`;  
  # the imparted rotation is  $\phi = 1.414$  rad (81.016 degrees)  
  # from southward direction counterclockwise  
  # (and rounded to 4 significant digits).  
  FluxRotCfg: "newxyz"  
  FluxRotValues: [  
    +0.9877, -0.1564, +0.0000, # new x axis in old coordinates: be nice and fix thi  
ngs (ends up the same)  
    +0.0000, +0.0000, +1.0000, # new y axis in old coordinates: vertical  
    -0.1564, -0.9877, +0.0000 # new z axis in old coordinates: away from Batavia,  
IL  
  ]  
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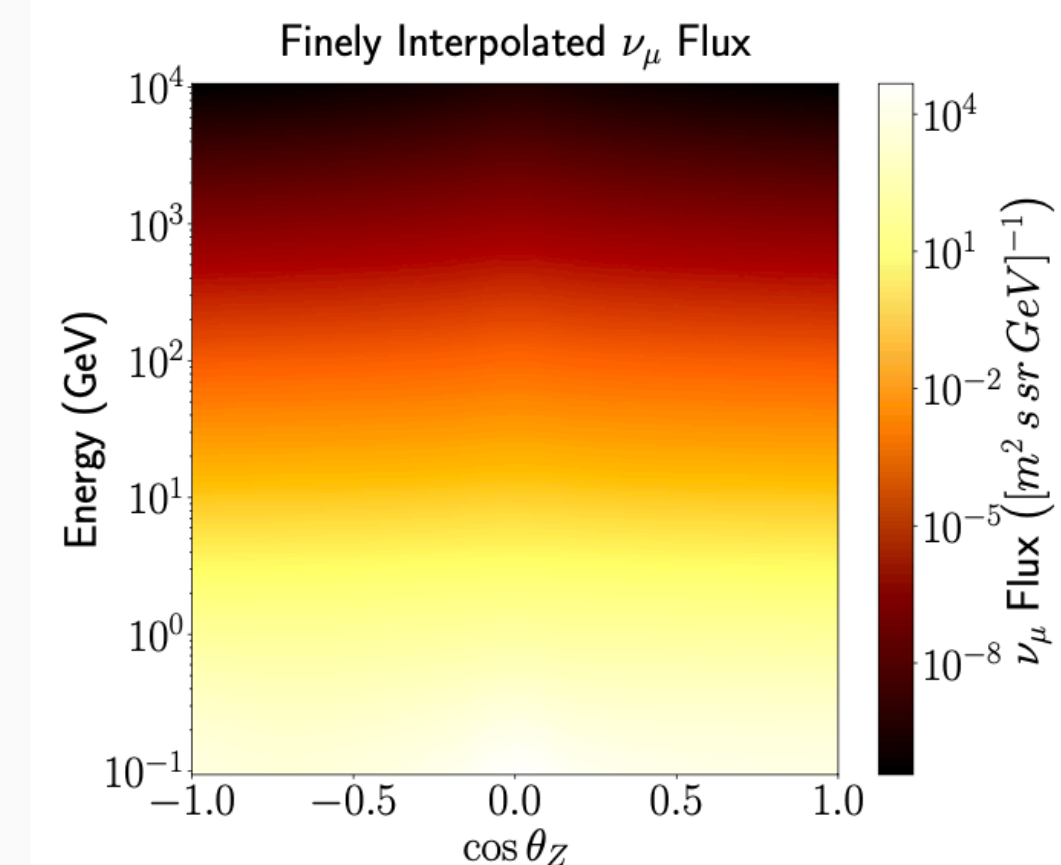
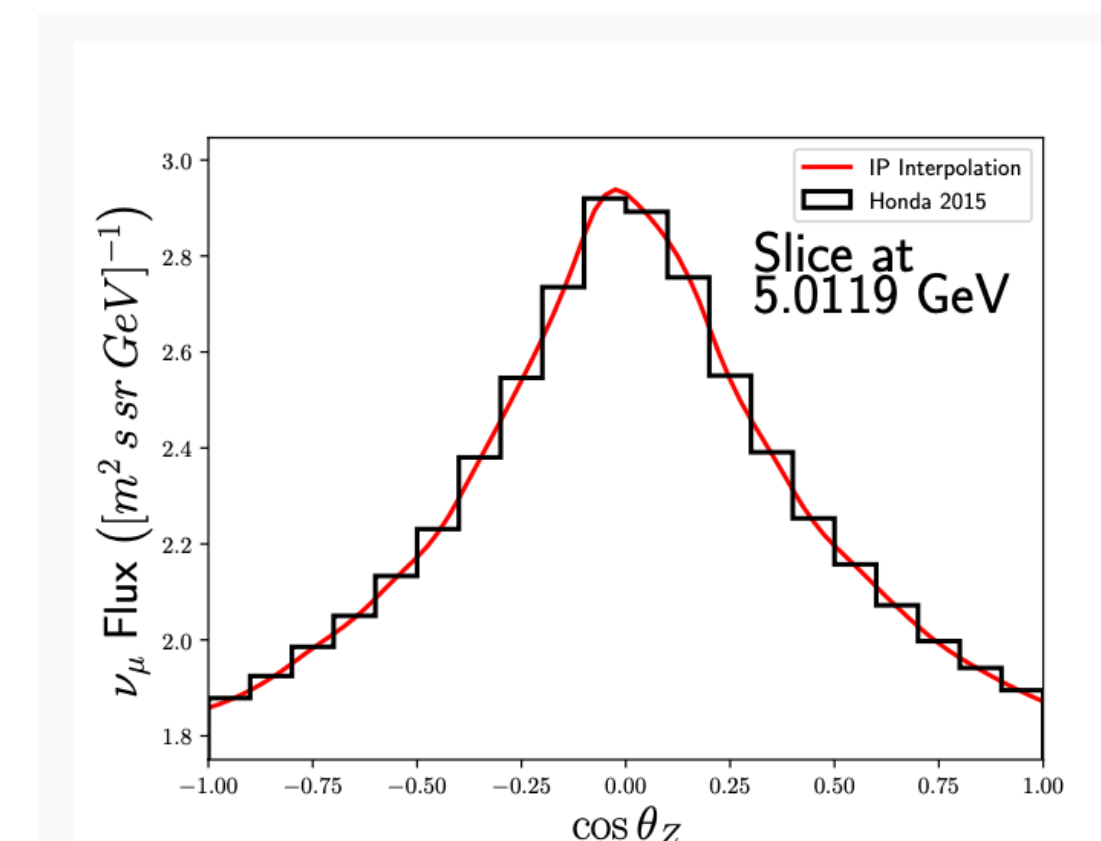
- ▶ **Step 1: events are generated isotropic, according to a power-law in energy**

- ▶ power-law function: (alpha is the spectral index)

```
double emin = TMath::Power(this->MinEnergy(),1.0-alpha);  
double emax = TMath::Power(this->MaxEnergy(),1.0-alpha);  
Ev          = TMath::Power(emin+(emax-emin)*rnd->RndFlux().Rndm(),1.0/(1.0-alpha));
```

- ▶ spectral index:
 - ▶ **default value=1.8**
 - ▶ stored in **MCTruth.GeneratorInfo()**

- ▶ **Step 2: events are weighted according to a specific flux**
 - ▶ default flux: Honda (max/min)
- ▶ **Honda flux is binned**
 - ▶ an interpolation has to be used to generate event weights ($\mathbf{W}_{\text{honda}}$)
 - ▶ implemented: IceCube "Integral preserving" interpolation (arXiv:1803.05390)
 - ▶ # bins used: 1000 (E) x 200 (cos theta) --- oversampling of 10
 - ▶ files location: /dune/app/users/pgranger/atmospherics/test power spectrum/fluxes/
 - ▶ honda_2d_homestake_2015_{nue, nuebar, numu, numubar}.root
 - ▶ solar maximum fluxes
 - ▶ this finely-binned flux is linearly interpolated during event generation

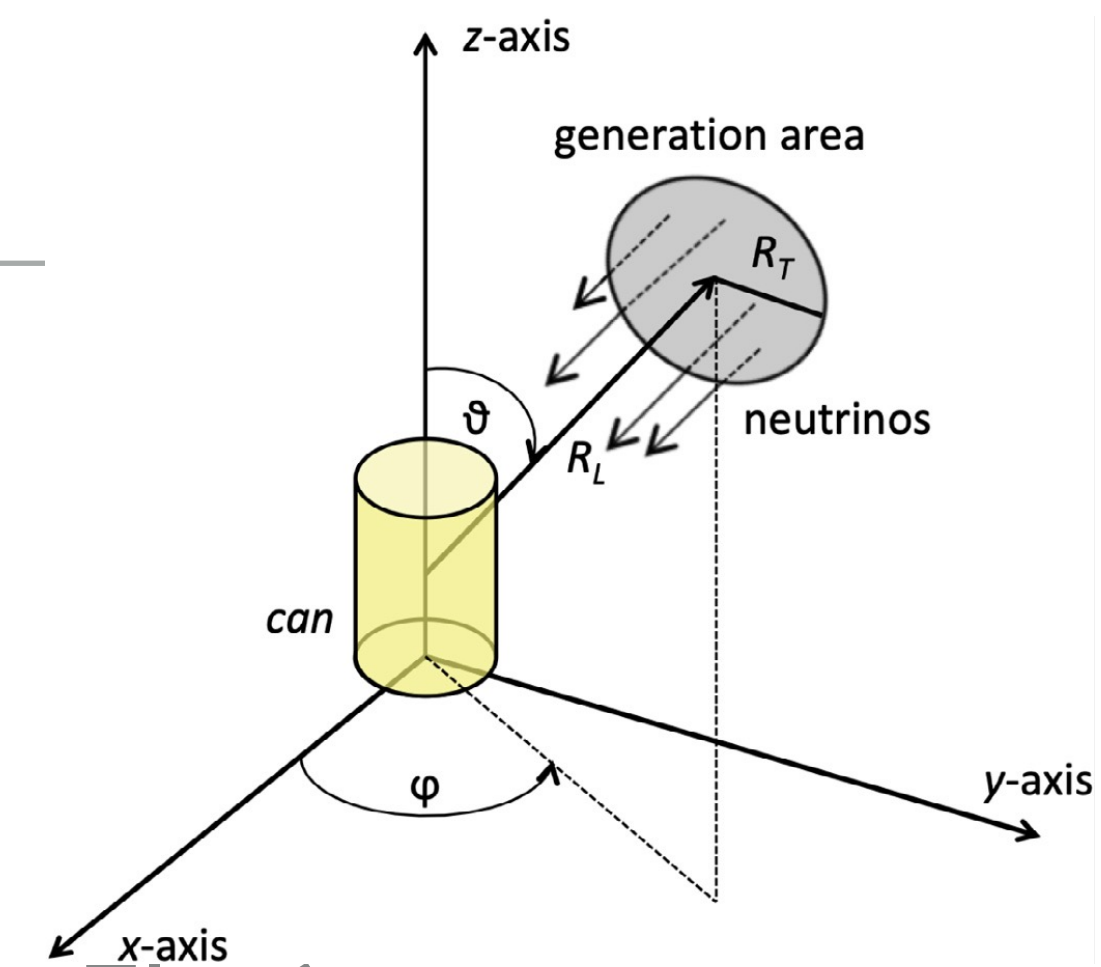


• Next step (after OK from HE-WG): these flux files to be put in cvmfs-dune storage

GENERATION SCHEME IN 1 SLIDE

▶ Genie:

- ▶ 1) Defines a generation area:
 - ▶ a circle of R_T
 - ▶ at a distance R_d from the detector center
- ▶ 2) Generates a neutrino according to flux driver (GPowerSpectrumAtmFlux):
 - ▶ power spectrum
- ▶ 3) Weights the event w/ the provided flux: W_{honda}
- ▶ 4) Keeps or discards the event according to path-length & x-sec for that neutrino
- ▶ 5) Computes the partial genie weight, used later/analysis_level, for final normalization
 - ▶ W_{genie} partial weight stored in `GenieEventRecord.Weight`



$$W_{\text{genie}} = W_{\text{honda}} \cdot I_E \cdot I_\theta \cdot A_{\text{gen}} \cdot E_\nu^X \cdot P_{\text{scale}}$$

Applied in GPowerSpectrumAtmoFlux

- ▶ I_E : energy phase space factor
- ▶ I_θ : angular phase space factor
- ▶ A_{gen} : area of gen surface
- ▶ E_ν^X : reciprocal of the gen spectrum

Applied in GENIEHelper

- ▶ P_{scale} : GENIE interaction prob. scale

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$$W_{\text{total}} = W_{\text{genie}} \cdot \frac{N_{\nu}}{N_{\text{Tot}}} \cdot P_{\text{Earth}}(E, \cos \theta)$$

W_{genie} : stored in GenieEventRecord.Weight

Stored for each subRun in sumdata::POTSummary

- ▶ N_{tot} : total number of simulated neutrinos
- ▶ N_{ν} : number of generated neutrino flavors
- ▶ same setup as in beam-ana

$P_{\text{Earth}}(E, \cos \theta)$

- ▶ transmission prob. through Earth
- ▶ earth density profile model dependent see [\[here\]](#)

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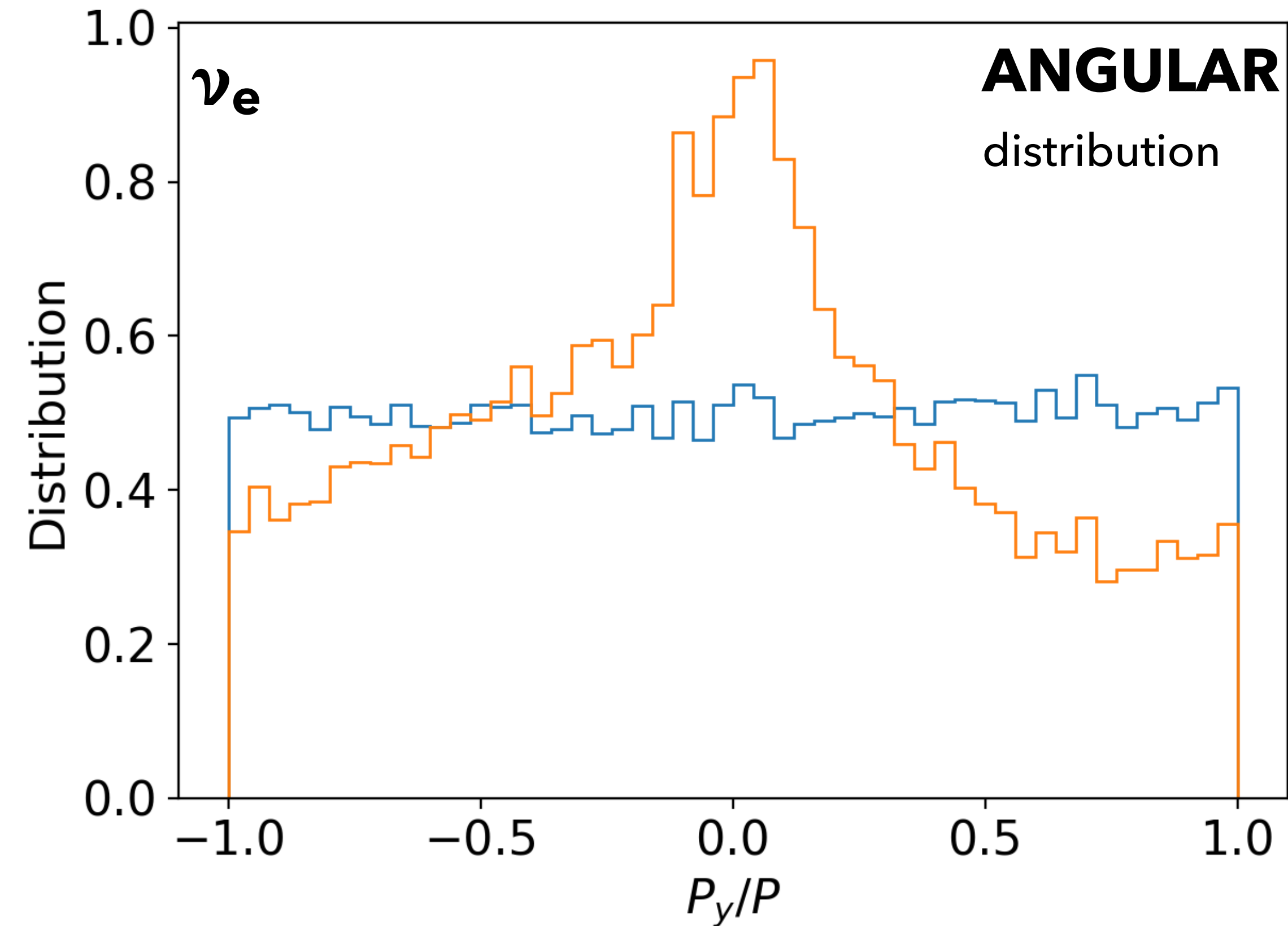
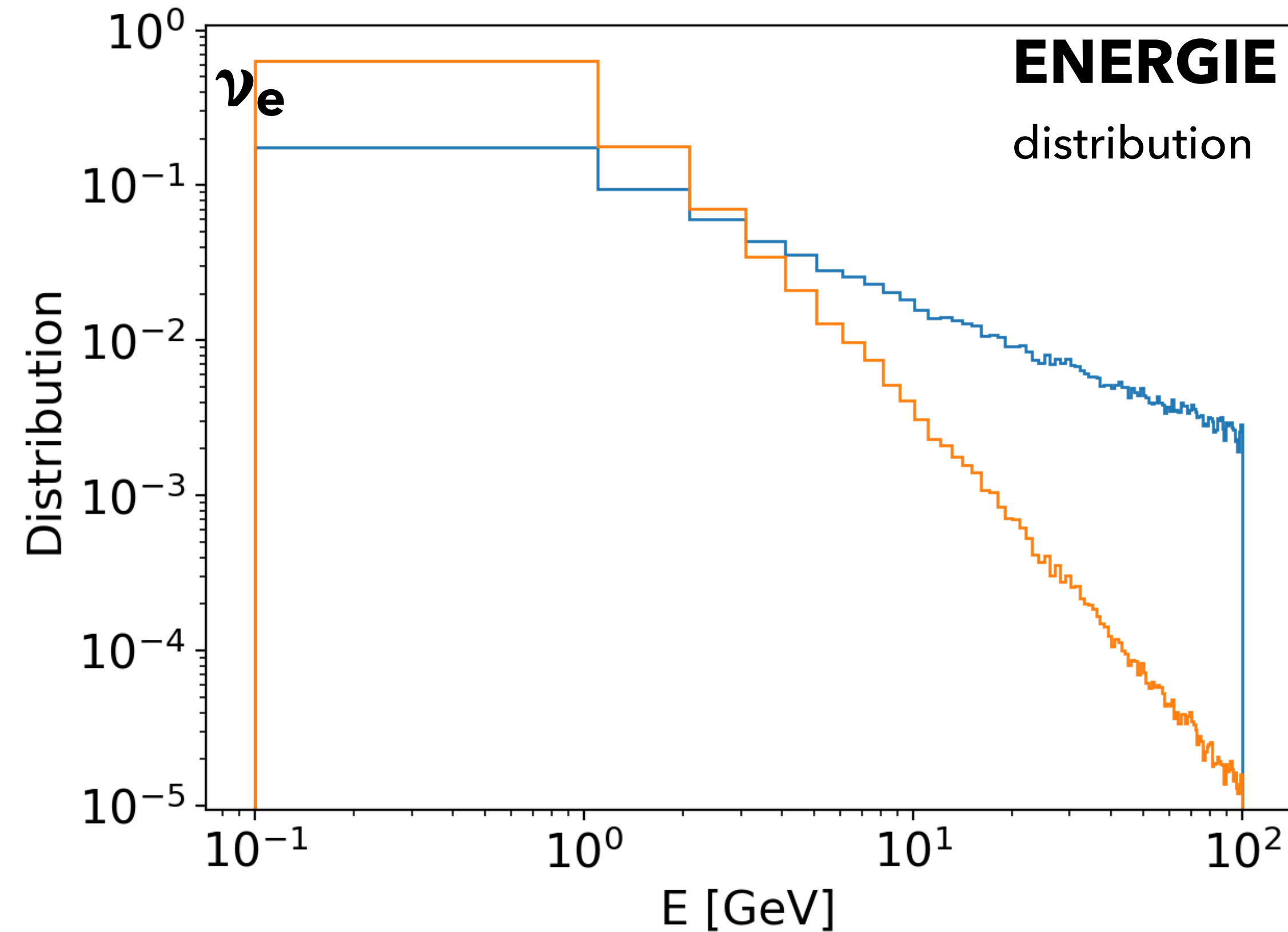
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- ▶ **Separate different oscillation channels into different files**
 - ▶ generate ν_α with ν_β flux with $\nu, \beta \in \{\text{electron}, \mu, \tau\}$
 - ▶ total output files: 12

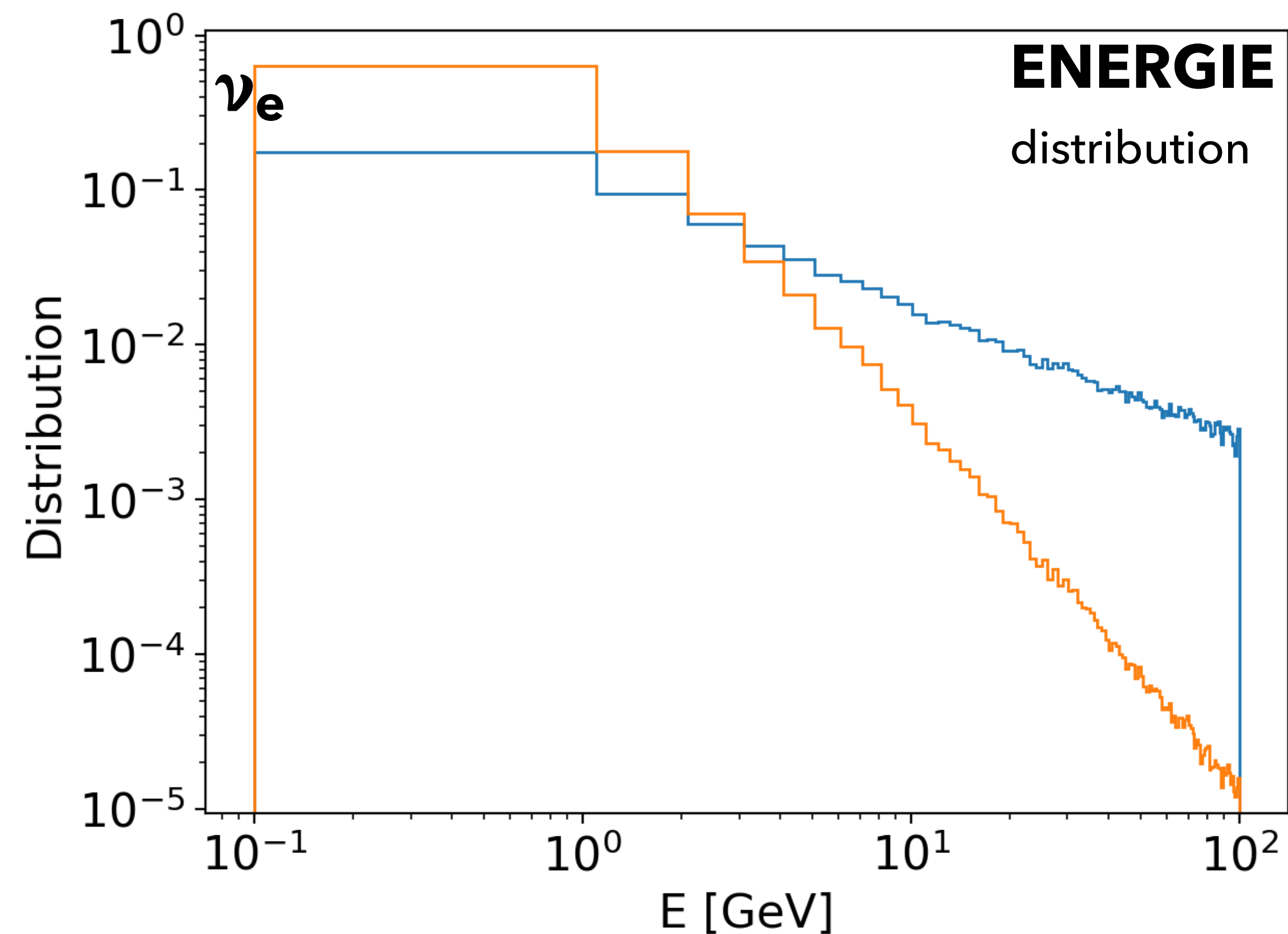


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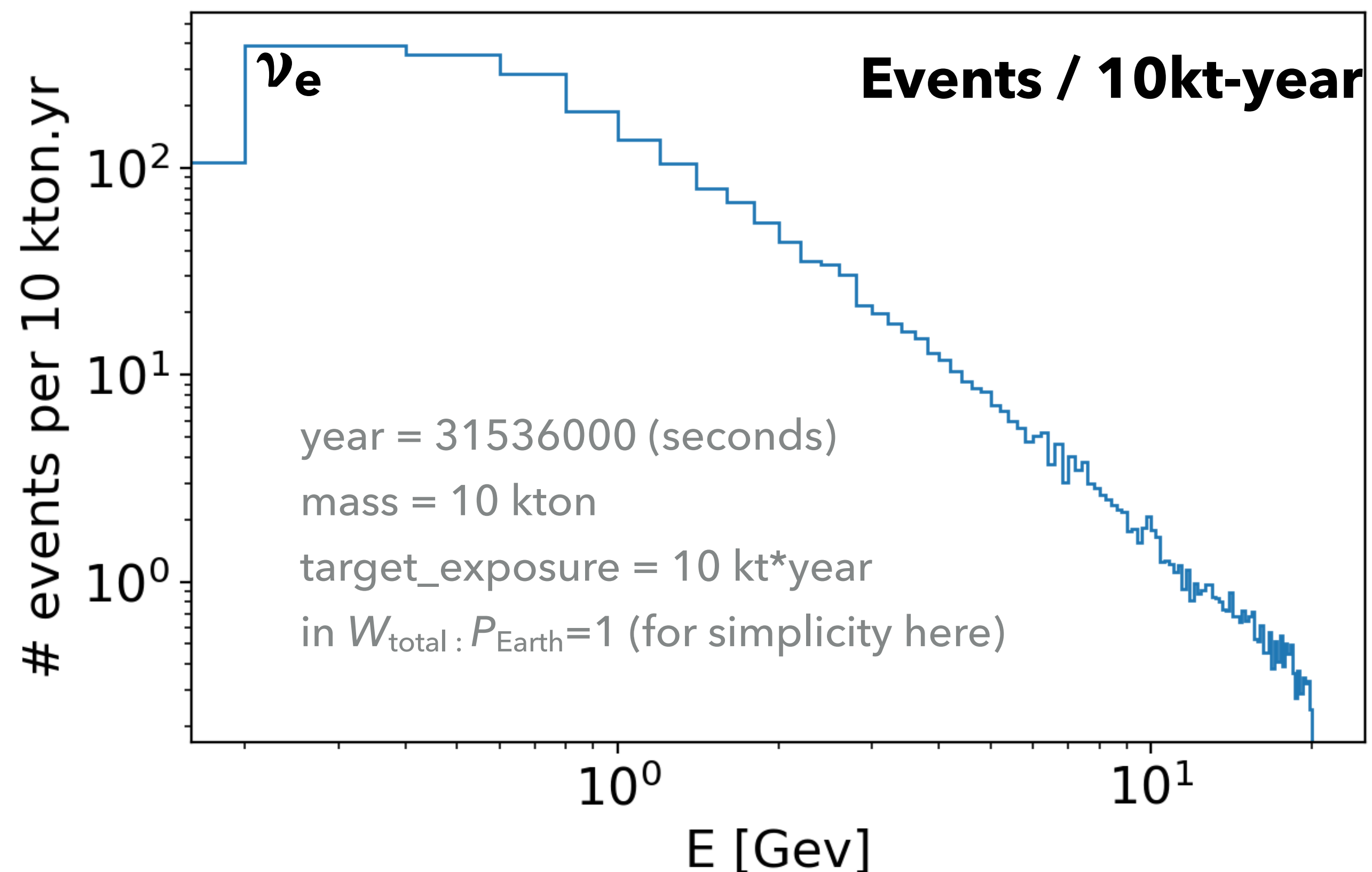
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► test samples (generated ν_e with ν_e flux): /pnfs/dune/scratch/users/pgranger/test_sample/genie/



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Normalized distrib =

RAW * W_{total} * year/target_exposure/ mass

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 - ▶ **Normalization to a desired kt-year is possible** ✓
 - ▶ **Flux implementation is flexible** ✓
 - ▶ **Production scheme included in the official DUNE LArSoft** ✓
 - ▶ scheme is using existing infrastructure, and keeps in sync w/ the beam analysis setups
 - ▶ pending ok from HE WG: ready to proceed w/ contacting reco/sim conveners to start PRs.