

# First looks at Tau events for reduced ILD radius

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- Tau jet is a key to control ECAL performance
- With reduced ECAL radius, confusion may increase (smaller jet opening angle)
- First look at tau decay using Garlic, ILCsoft v01-16

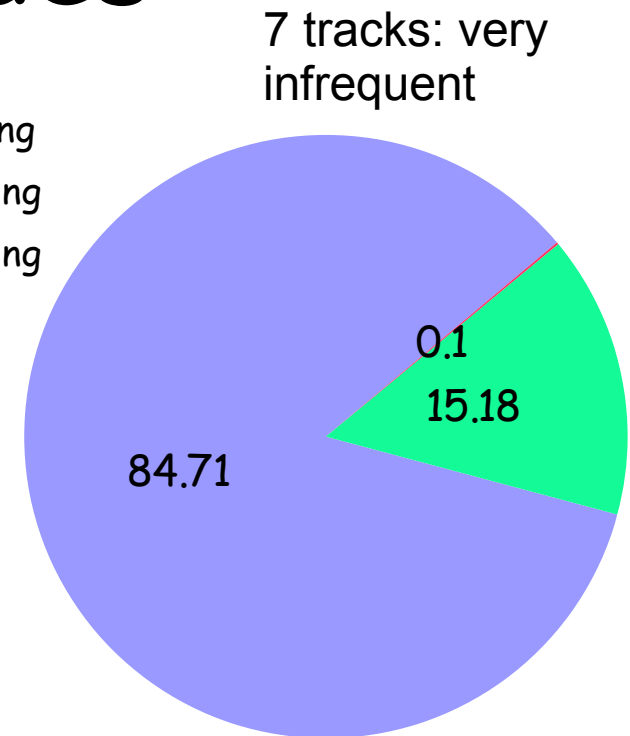
# Tau decay modes

Topologically: 3 decay modes  
(1,3,5-prong)

1-prong: single charged pion and  
any number of  $\pi^0$

3-prong:  $\pi^+ \pi^- \pi^+$

- 1-prong
- 3-prong
- 5-prong



Branching fraction of main decays

Final state	Branching fraction
$e^- \bar{\nu}_e \nu_\tau$	$17.85 \pm 0.05\%$
$\mu^- \bar{\nu}_\mu \nu_\tau$	$17.36 \pm 0.05\%$
$\pi^- \nu_\tau$	$10.91 \pm 0.07\%$
$\rho^- \nu_\tau$ ( $\rho^- \rightarrow \pi^- \pi^0$ )	$25.52 \pm 0.10\%$
$a_1^- \nu_\tau$ ( $a_1^- \rightarrow \pi^- \pi^0 \pi^0$ )	$9.27 \pm 0.12\%$
$a_1^- \nu_\tau$ ( $a_1^- \rightarrow \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^-$ )	$8.99 \pm 0.06\%$
24 other modes	10.10%

# Sample(s)

DBD generators

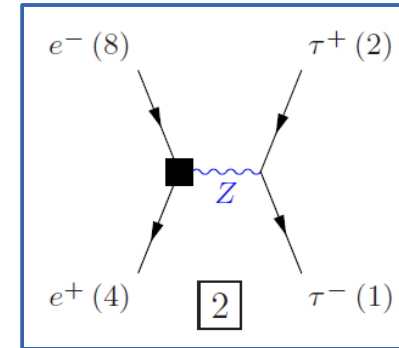
$e^+ e^- \rightarrow Z \rightarrow \tau^- \tau^+$

at 250 GeV C.M. energy

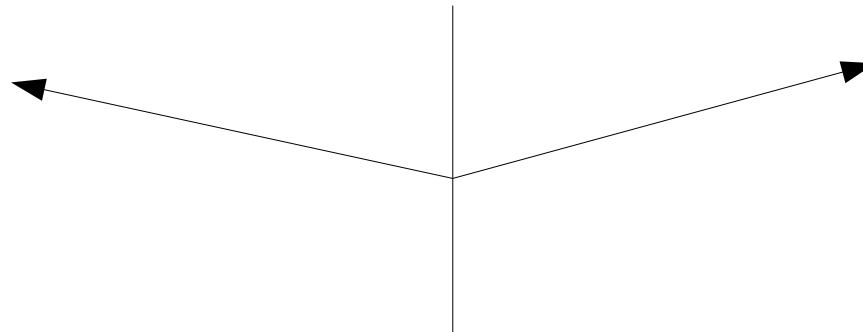
(mixed up with

$e^+ e^- \rightarrow Z \rightarrow \mu^- \mu^+$

→ preselection of  $\tau$  events using generator  
informations)

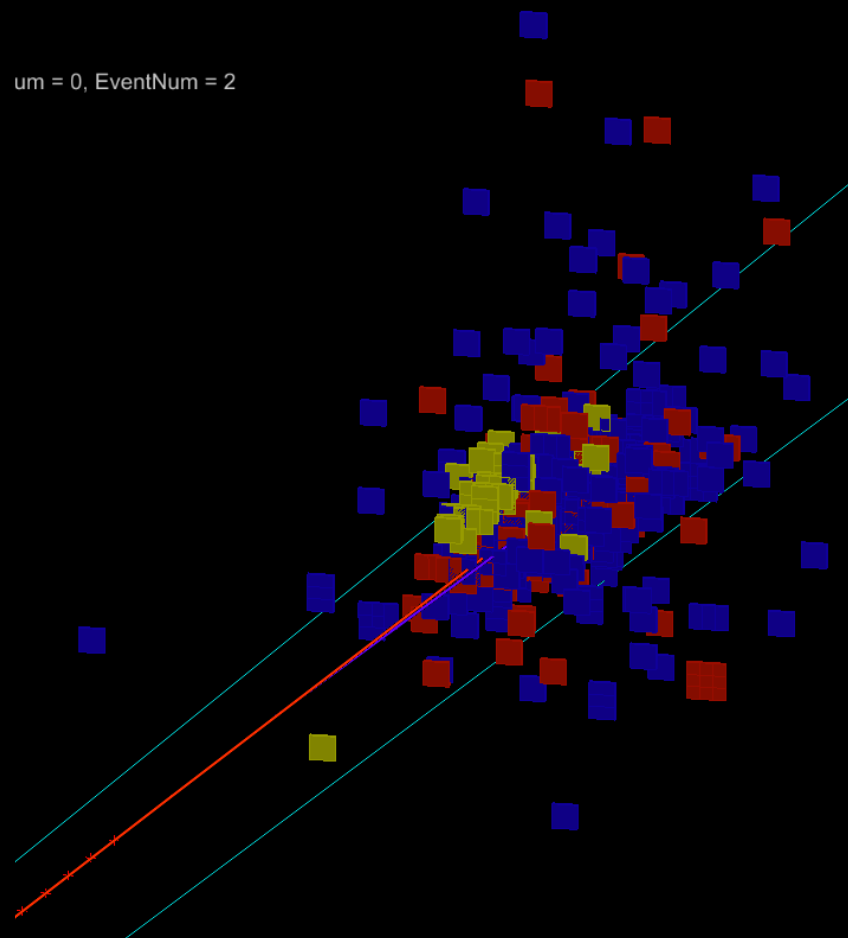


Two tau decays are separated by a plane defined by tau directions.



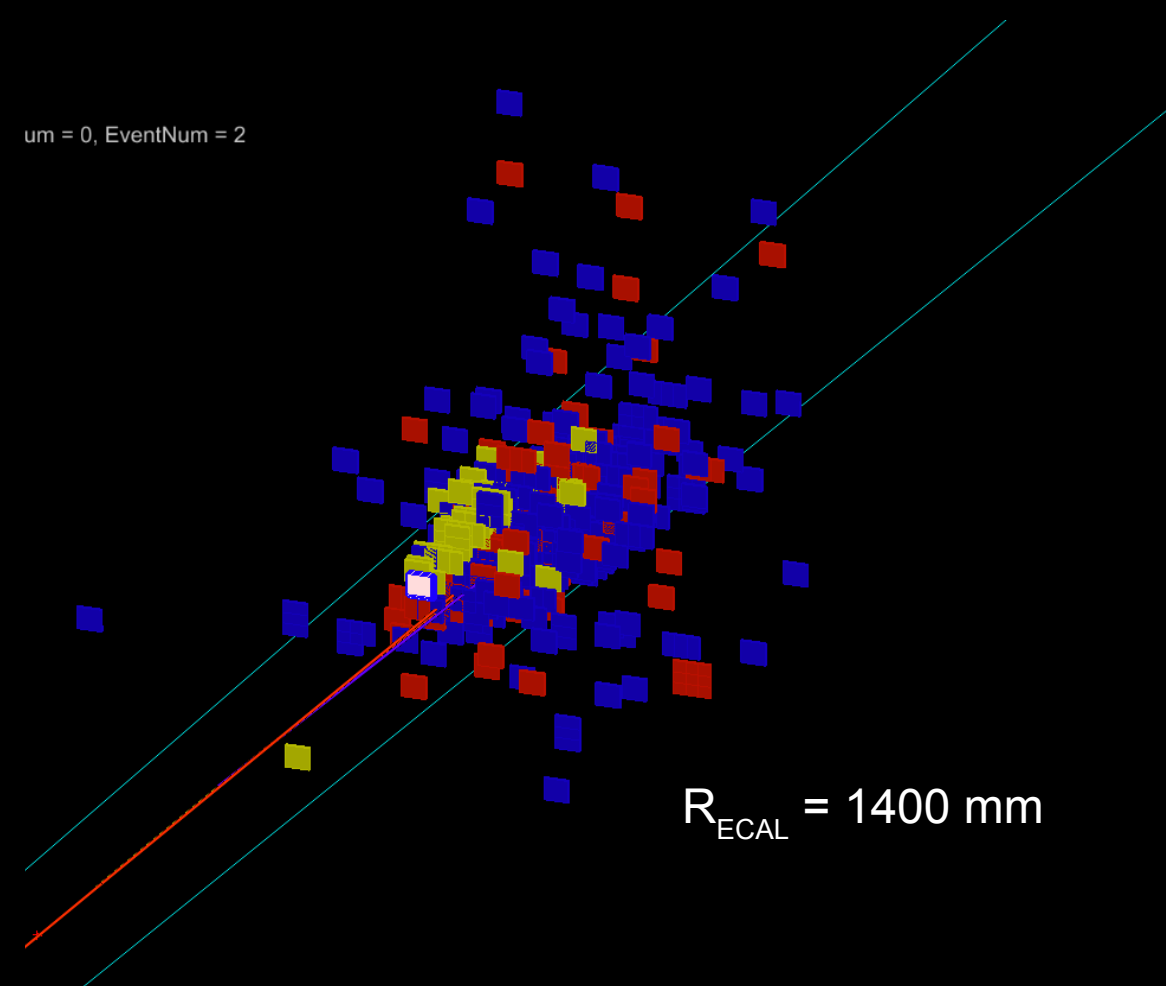
# Example

um = 0, EventNum = 2



$R_{\text{ECAL}} = 1843 \text{ mm}$

um = 0, EventNum = 2



$R_{\text{ECAL}} = 1400 \text{ mm}$

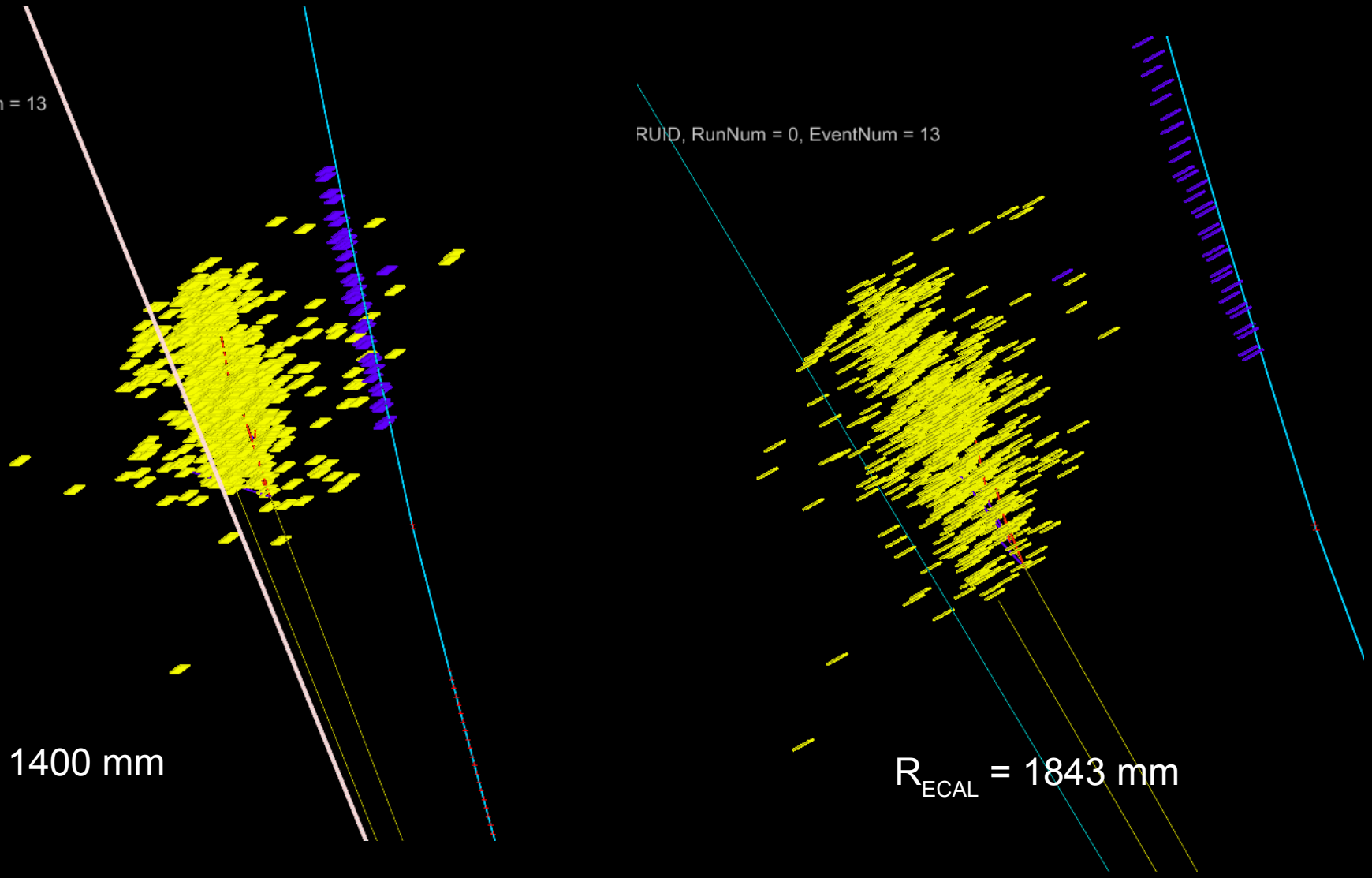
# Example (2)

RunNum = 0, EventNum = 13

$R_{\text{ECAL}} = 1400 \text{ mm}$

RUID, RunNum = 0, EventNum = 13

$R_{\text{ECAL}} = 1843 \text{ mm}$



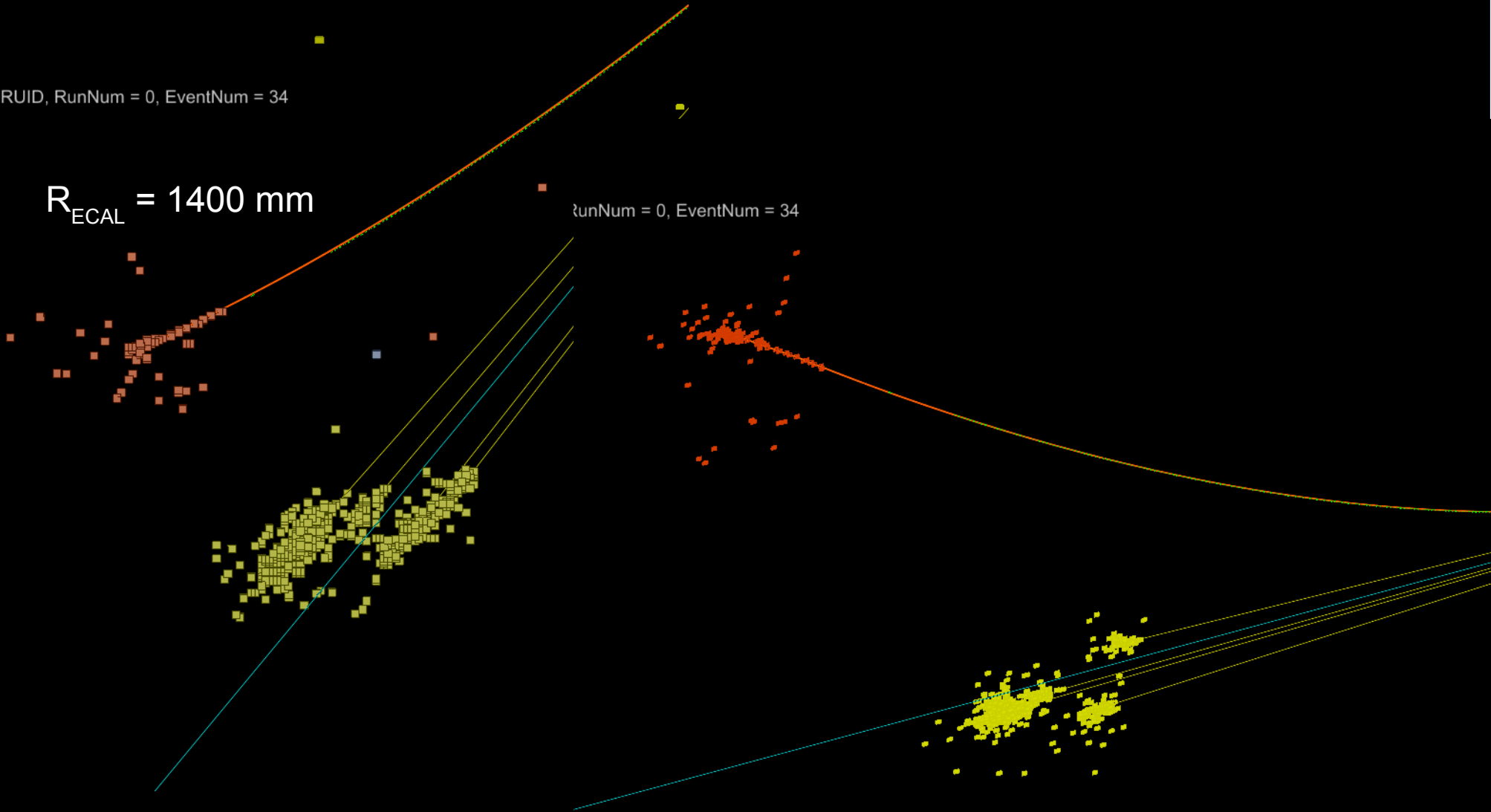
# Example (3)

DRUID, RunNum = 0, EventNum = 34

$R_{\text{ECAL}} = 1400 \text{ mm}$

RunNum = 0, EventNum = 34

$R_{\text{ECAL}} = 1843 \text{ mm}$



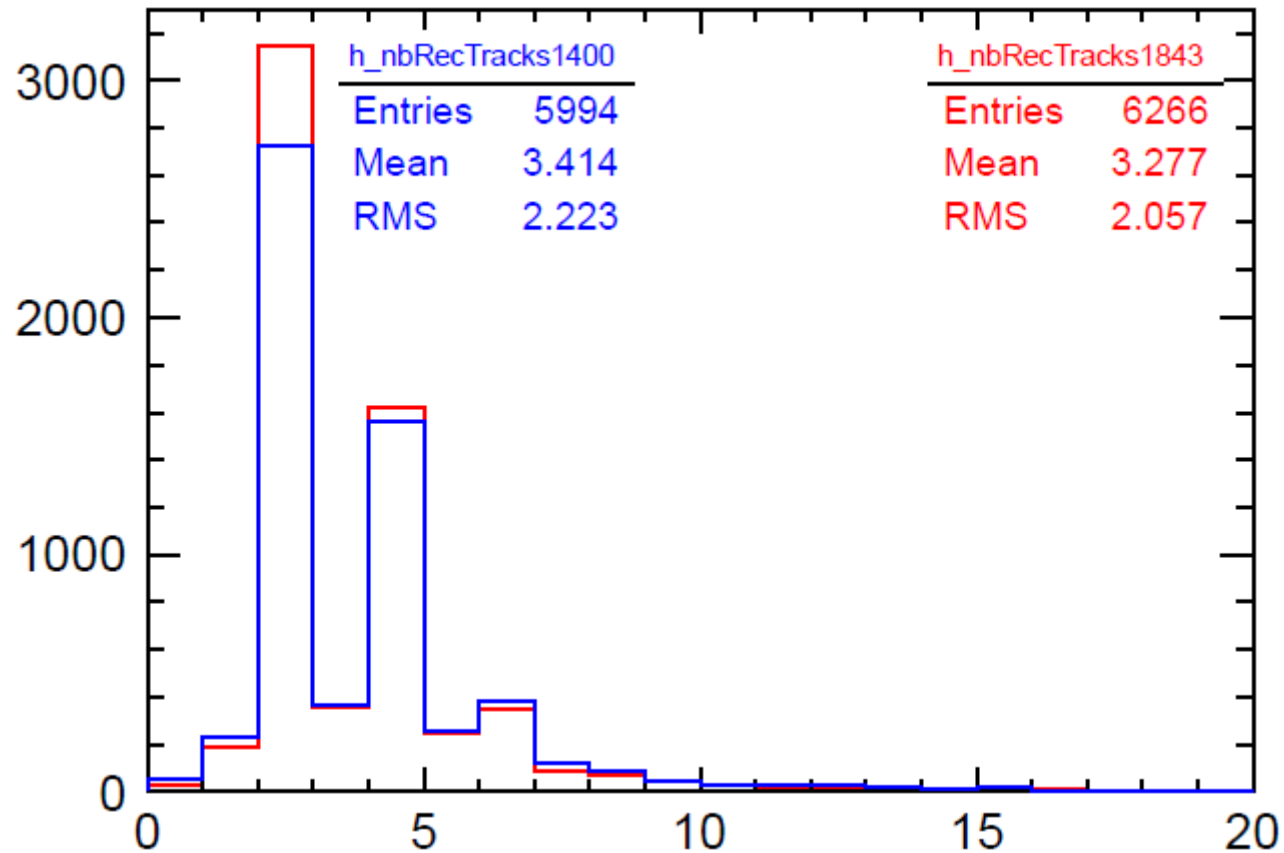
# "Counting" procedure

- Since each process is decay of two  $\tau$ 's  
 → need to separate the two "sets" of final states ( $\tau^+$  &  $\tau^-$ )
- Selection of particles which belong to final states only

1 track+ 0 $\gamma$	1tr + 1 $\gamma$	2 $\gamma$	3 $\gamma$	4 $\gamma$	5 $\gamma$
$\pi + \nu$	$M_j < 0.25:$ $\pi + \nu$	rho-nu: $1.45 < M_j < M_\tau$	mainly a1 $1.45 < M_j < M_\tau$	$M_{jet} < 0.25:$ pi-nu otherwise: a1	$0.6 \text{ GeV} < M_j < m_\tau:$ a1
	$M_j < 1.45$ rho	cut based on $M_{jet}$			

Cut values taken from Marcel R.'s thesis.  
 → to be reoptimised.

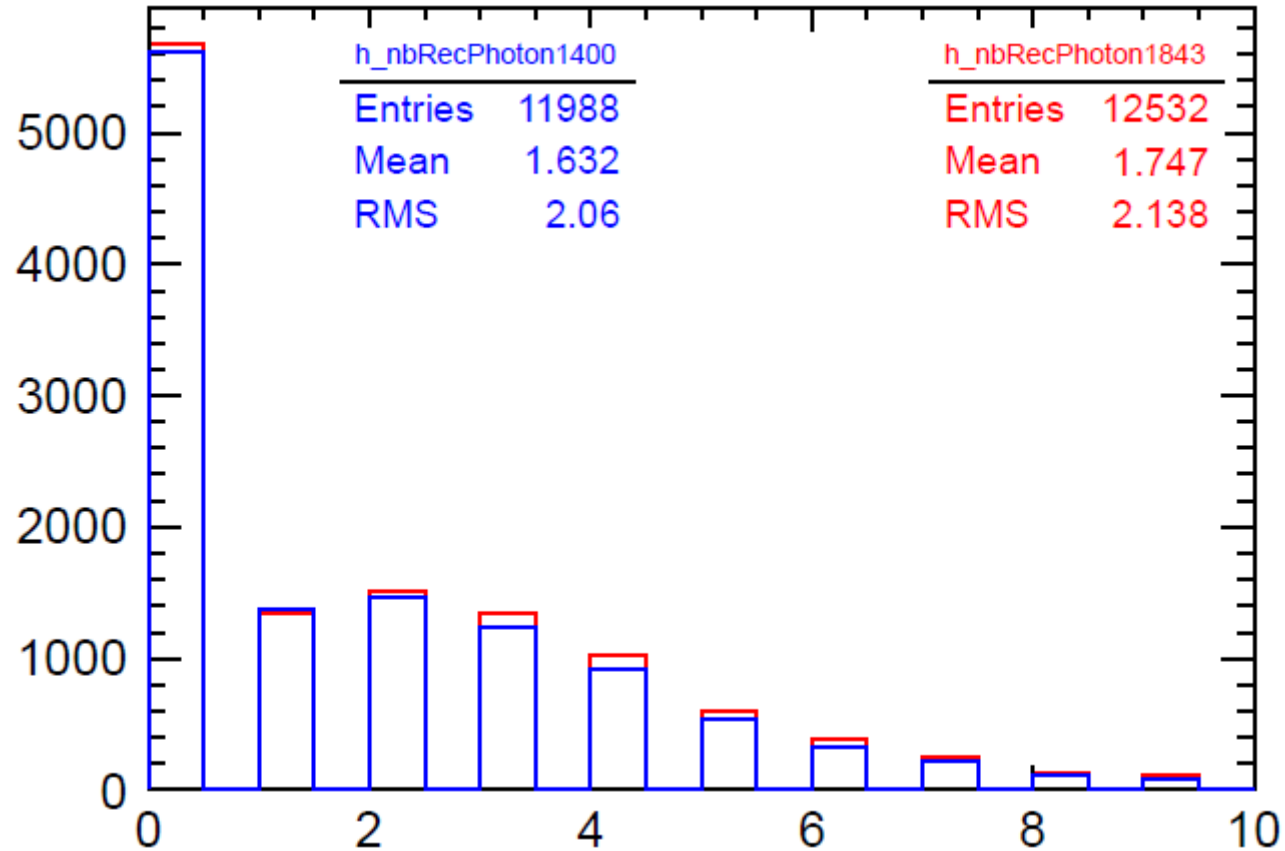
# Nb of reconstructed tracks



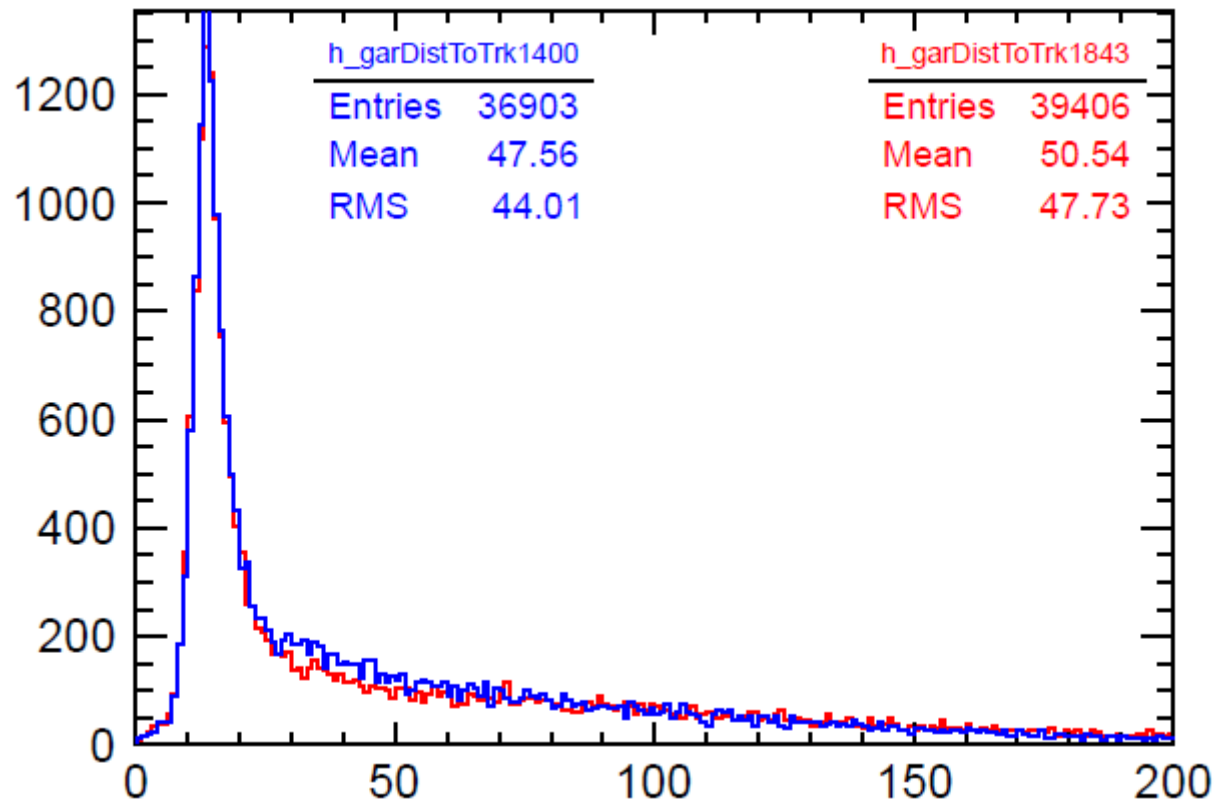
- Slight difference observed in number of reconstructed tracks between  $R_{\text{ECAL}} = 1843$  and  $R_{\text{ECAL}} = 1400$ mm



# Nb of reconstructed photons



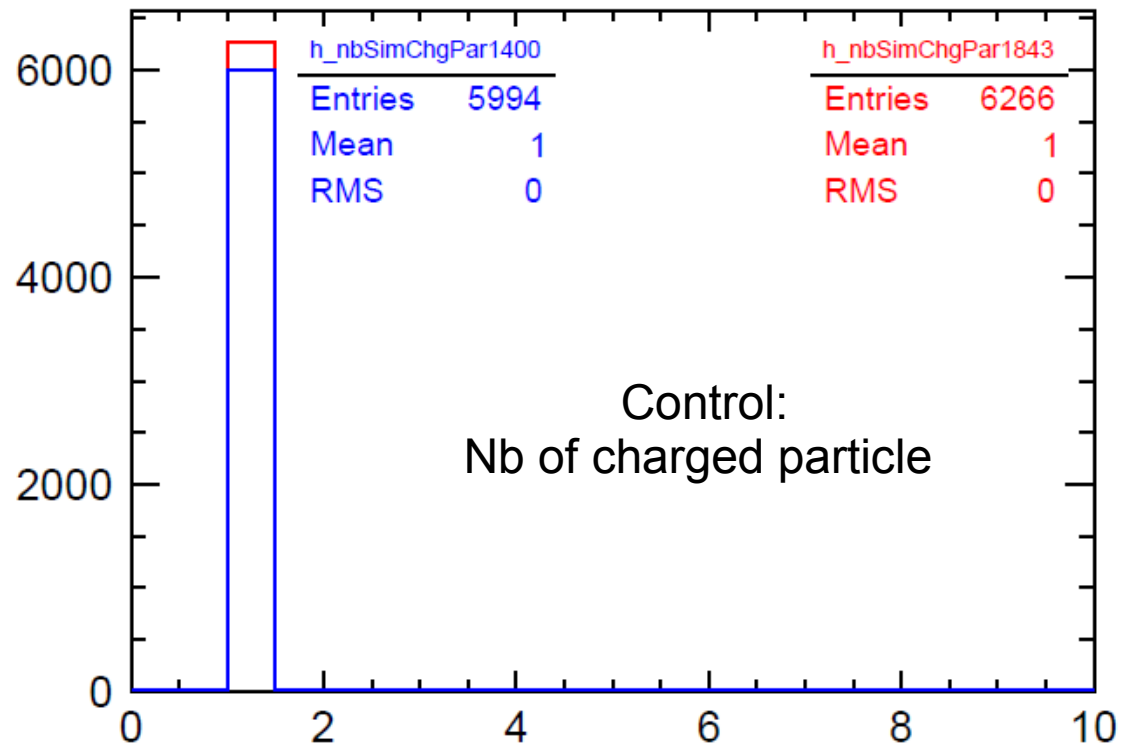
# Garlic cluster: distant to closest track



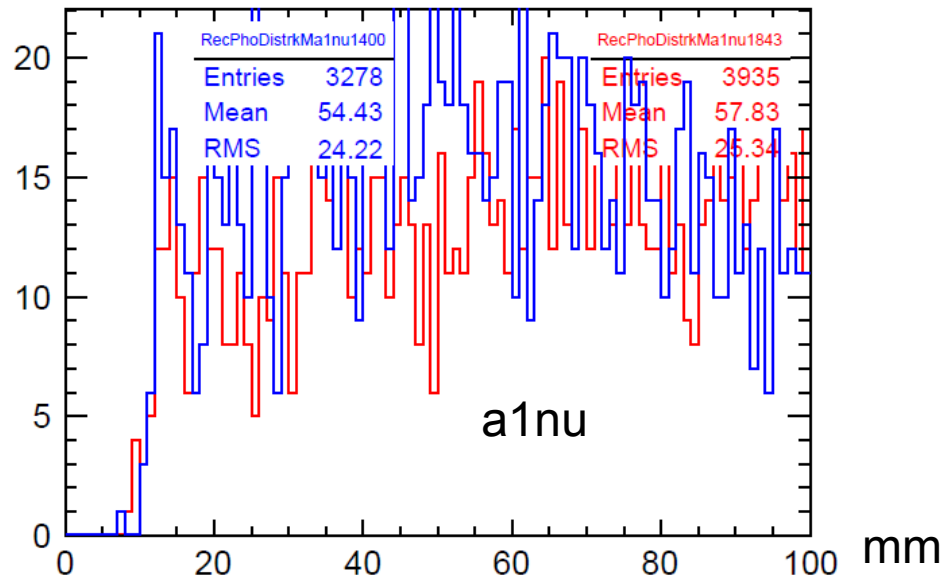
- For all reconstructed clusters
- → very similar between two ILD setups

# Reconstructed event selection

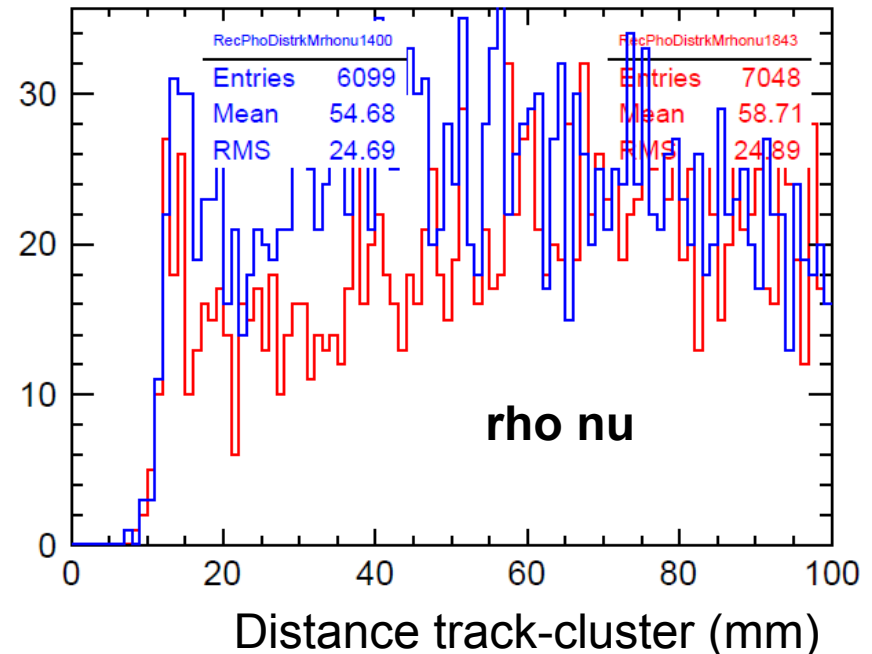
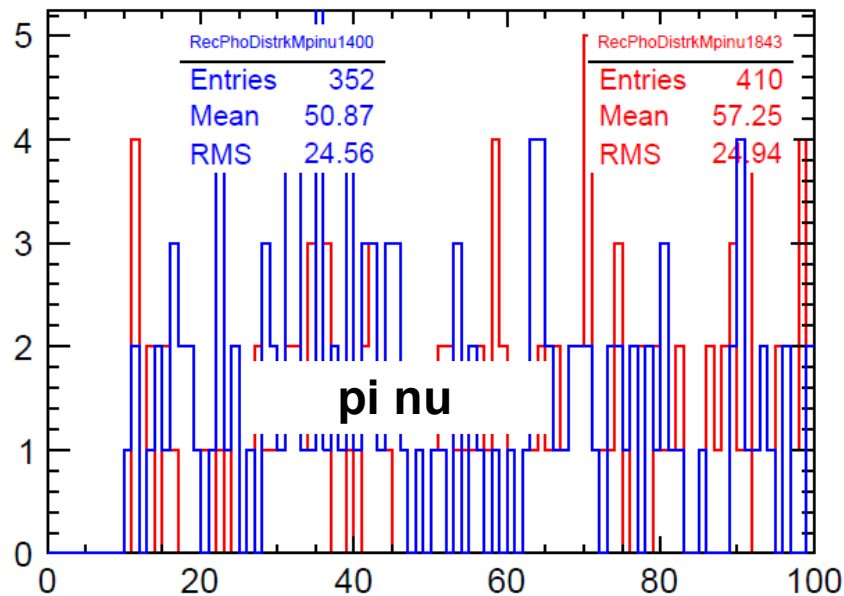
- Use only **1-prong event** for the moment
- MC process known → used to differentiate invariant mass, photon distance to track, ...
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# Photon distant to closest track

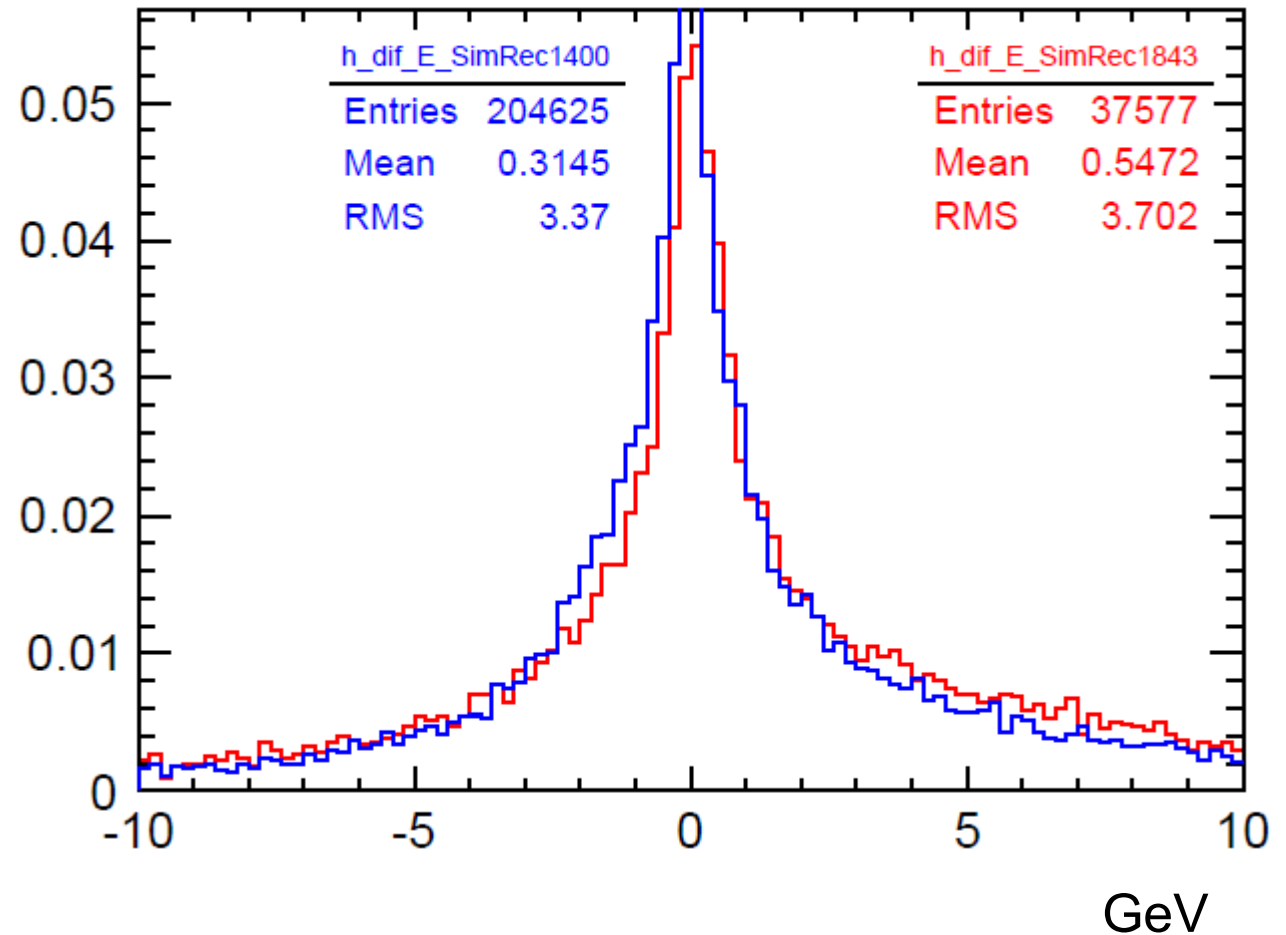


- Reconstructed invariant mass distribution for known MC process
- Cluster is photon if largest contribution comes from photon
- → cut at 15 mm



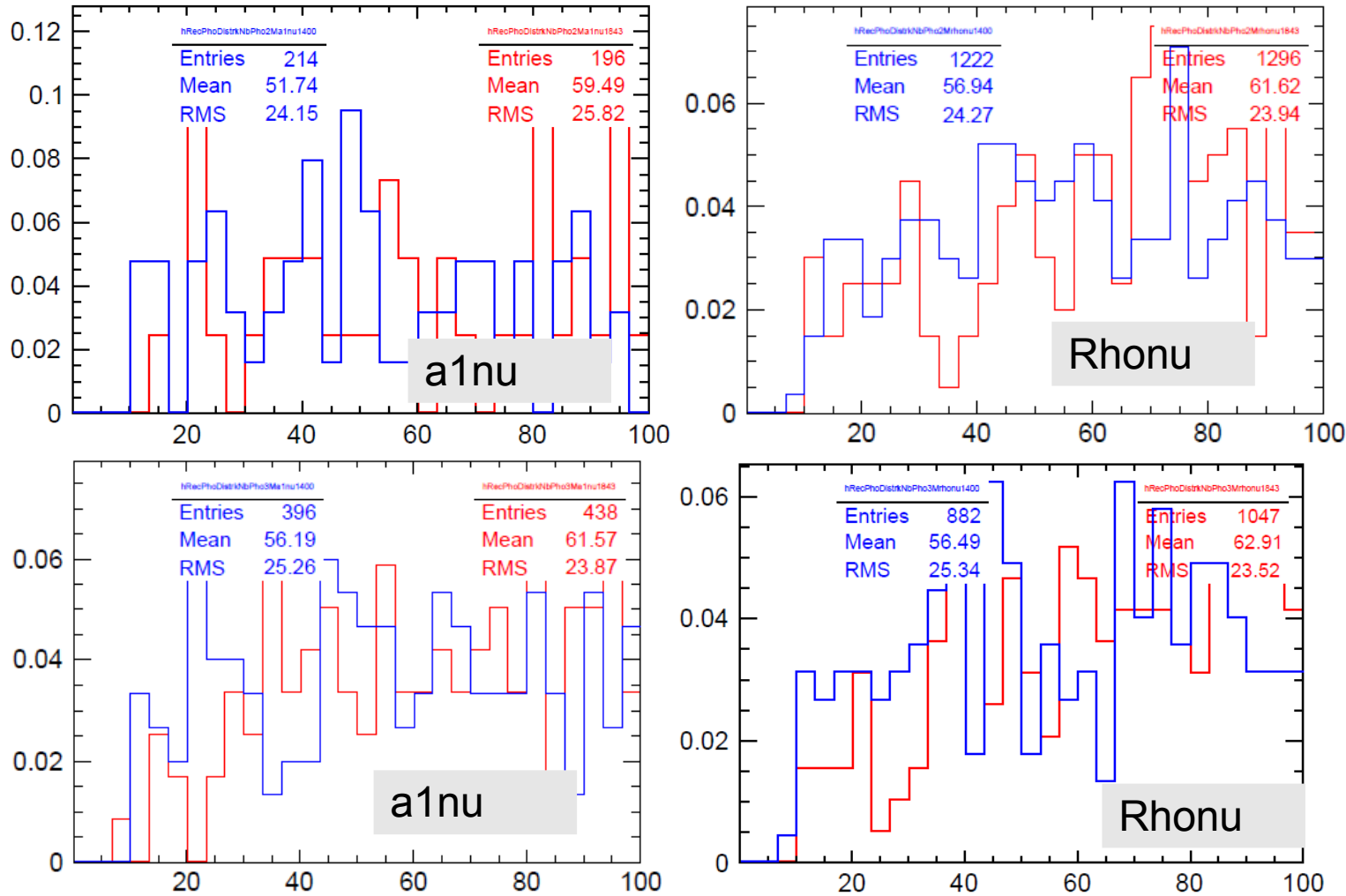
# Difference Rec-Sim energy

- Difference  $E_{\text{rec}} - E_{\text{sim}}$  is similar for  $R_{\text{ECAL}} = 1843$  and 1400 mm.



(Histograms are normalised to 1.)

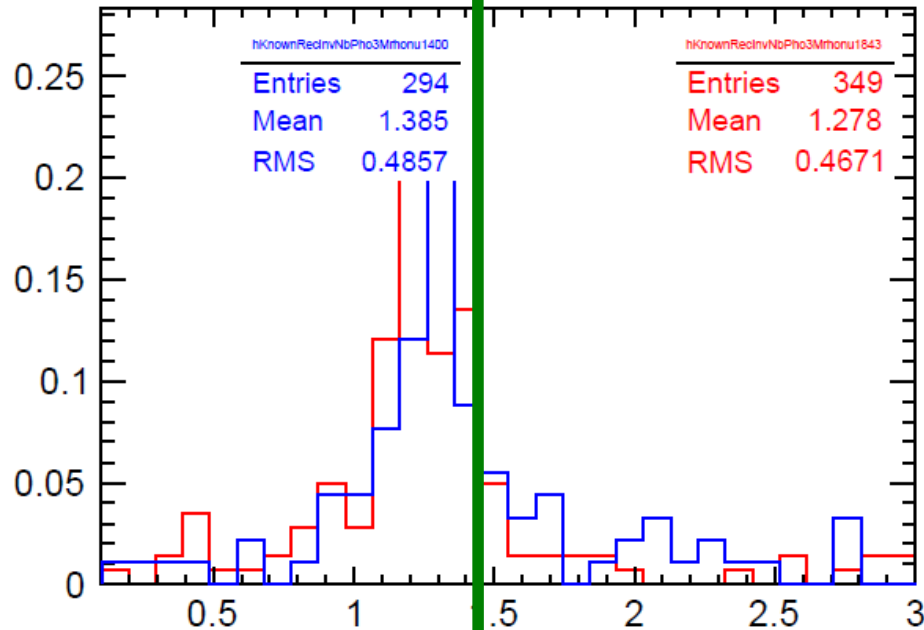
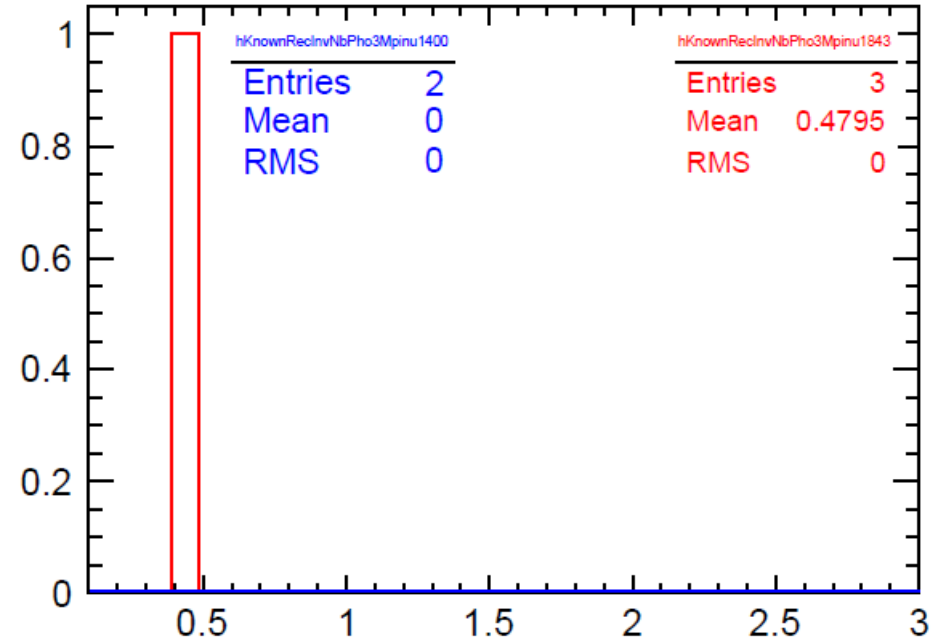
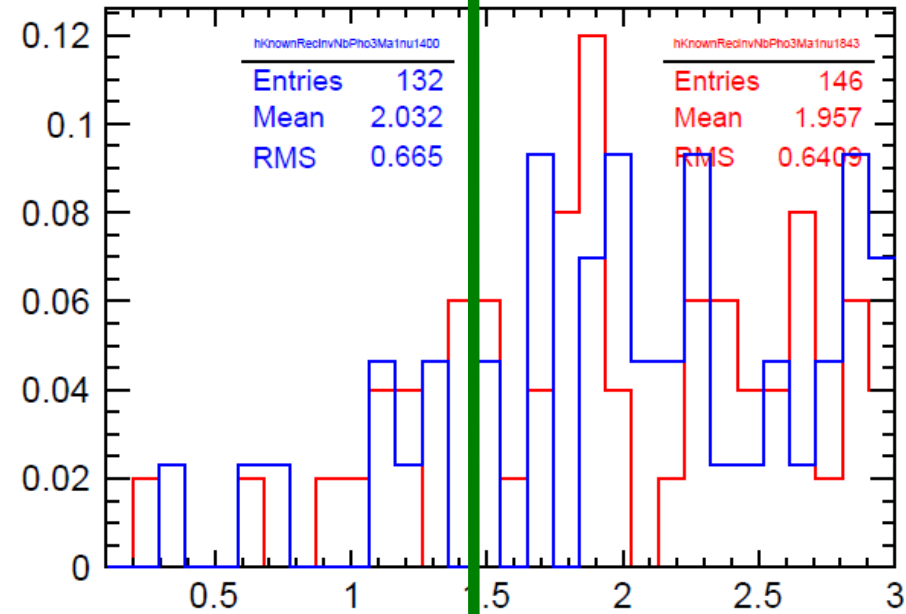
# $\pi^0$ identification



Photon distance to closest track (mm)

To look at photon energy vs distance to closest track (for better  $\pi^0$  identification)

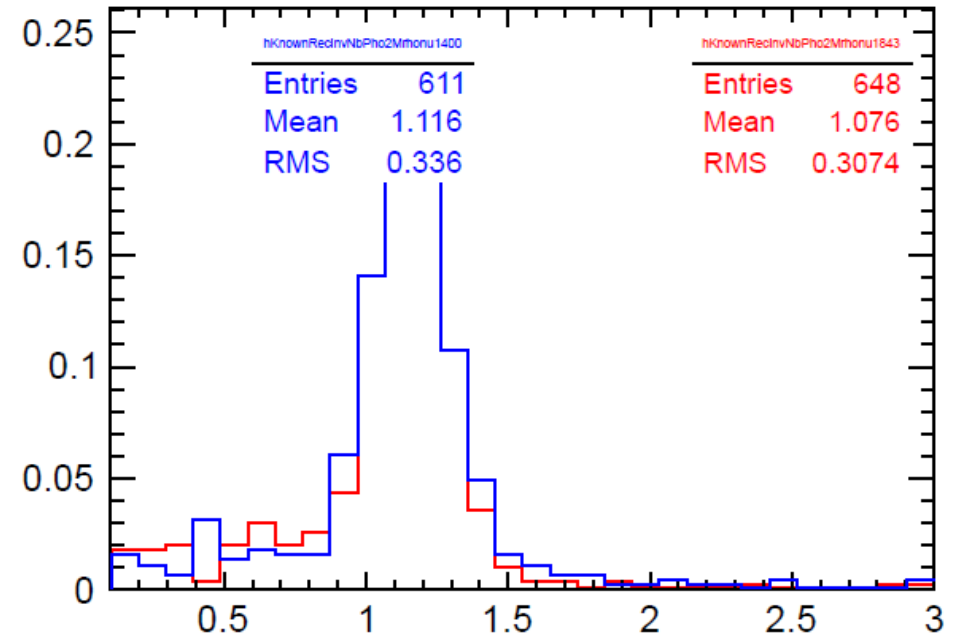
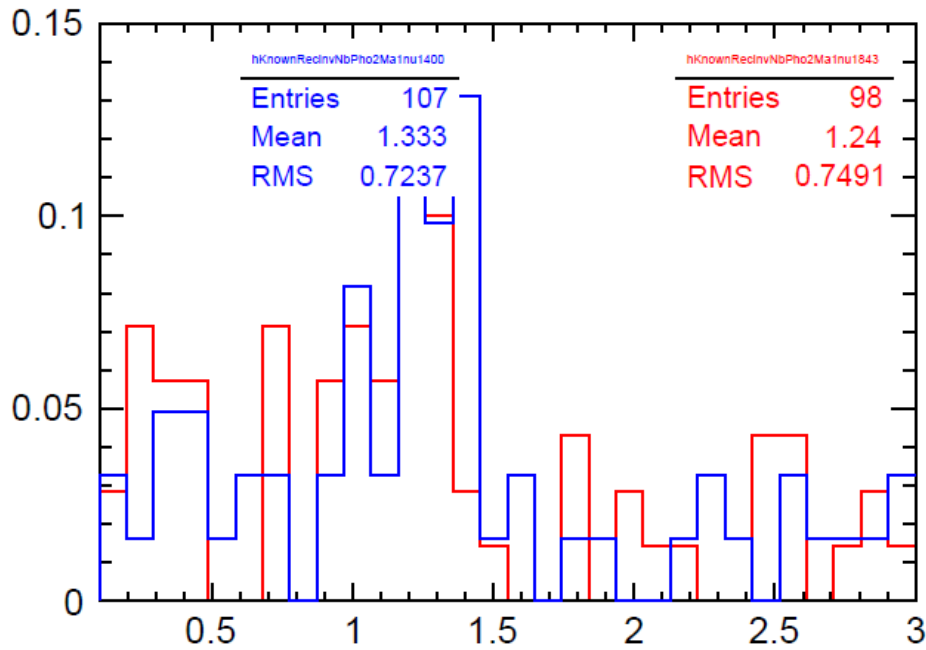
# Cut verification



Nb of photons = 3

- Distribution of reconstructed Invariant mass for for known MC process

# Cut verification



Nb of photons = 2



# Summary

- First look at tau decay using Garlic for ILD with reduced radius
  - Difference between reconstructed & simulated energy of tau final states are similar for  $R_{\text{ECAL}} = 1.8$  and  $1.4\text{m}$
  - To look at tau decay branching fraction in reconstructed events.
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- On going work: jet energy resolution for  $R_{\text{ECAL}} = 1450$  mm with reduced ECAL number of layers.  
Being performed by Dan YU (internship student at LLR).

Backup

# Process counting

$R_{\text{ECAL}}$	a1nu	pi-nu	rho-nu
<b>1843</b>	<b>1027</b>	<b>224</b>	<b>1988</b>
<b>1400</b>	<b>955</b>	<b>209</b>	<b>1903</b>
Ratio 1843/1400	1.075	1.072	1.045
Fraction to total 1843	0.32	0.069	0.61
Fraction 1400	0.31	0.068	0.62