

HCAL Energy Resolution Studies

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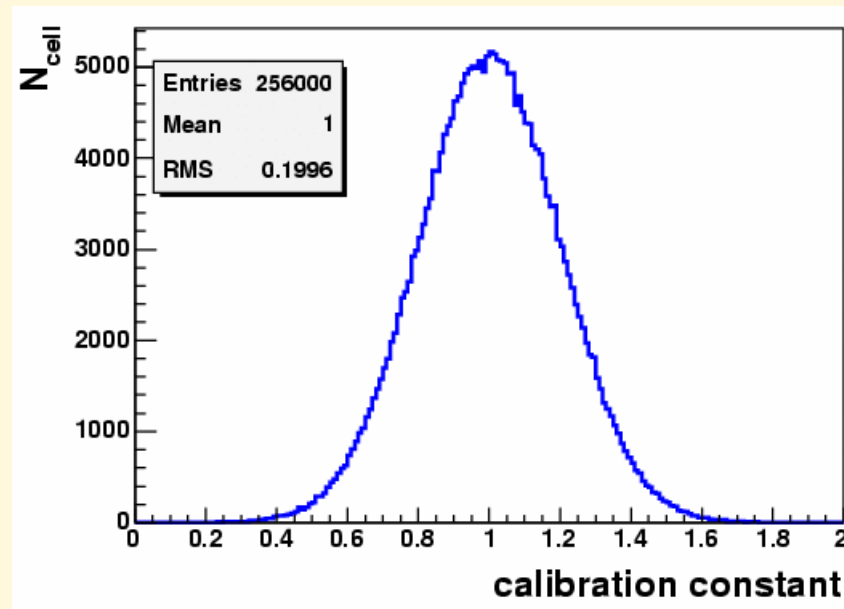
- GEANT3 simulation by Alexei Raspereza
- (Fluka hadronic interactions model)
- HCAL prototype geometry
- LCIO/ROOT analysis package by Roman Pöschl

- examine hadronic shower by π^+
- energy deposited in scintillator tiles
- energy resolution

- investigation of cell energy miscalibration on HCAL energy resolution
⇒ Which calibration precision is needed?

Cell energy miscalibration

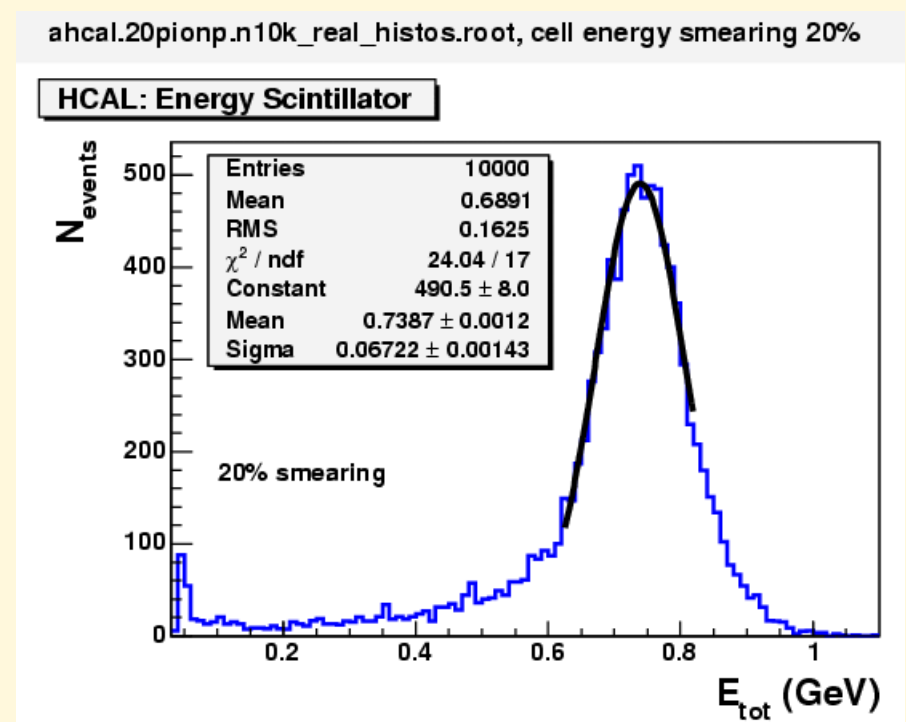
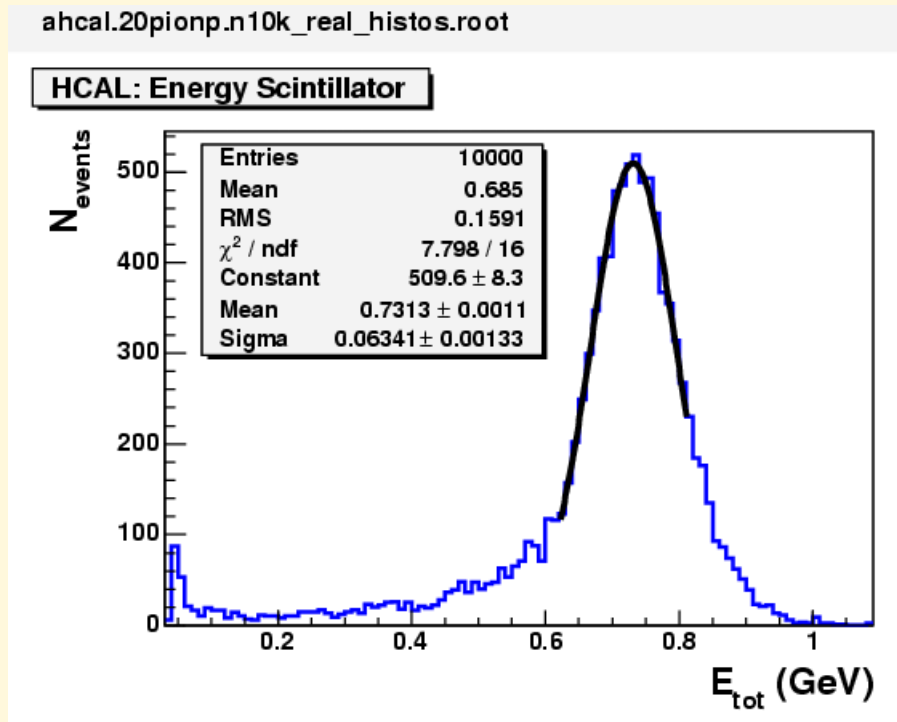
- energy in cell i is multiplied by a calibration constant c_i
- ***same constant c_i for all events and all π energies***
- constants are Gaussian distributed with width σ
- nomenclature: “20% miscalibration” $\Leftrightarrow \sigma=0.2$



Energy resolution 20 GeV π^+

perfect calibration

20% miscalibration



Gauss-Fit: $\sigma/\text{mean} = 8.7(2)\%$

9.1(2)%

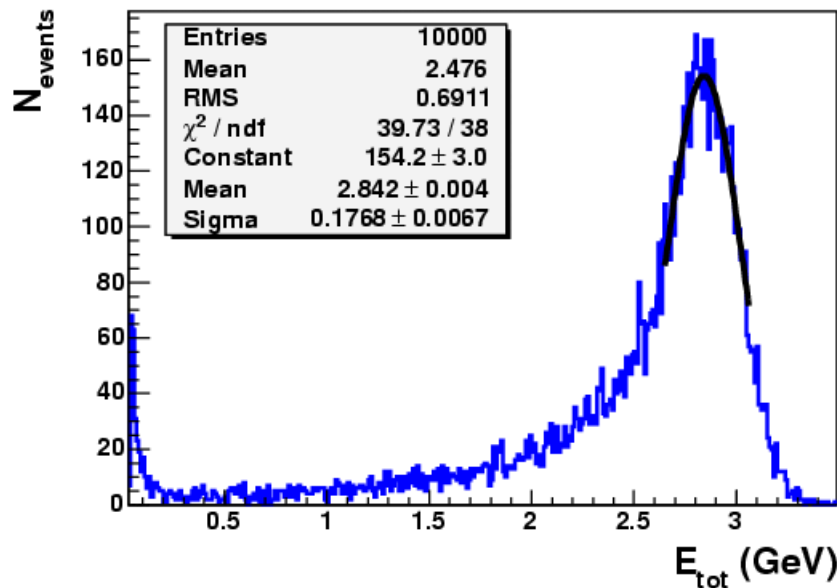
Energy resolution 80 GeV π^+

perfect calibration

20% miscalibration

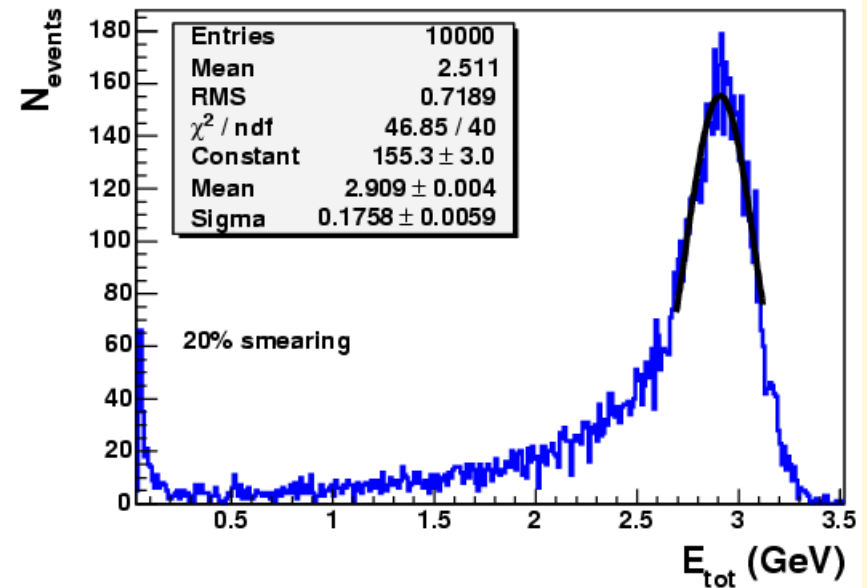
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HCAL: Energy Scintillator



ahcal.80pionp.n10k_real_histos.root, cell energy smearing 20%

HCAL: Energy Scintillator

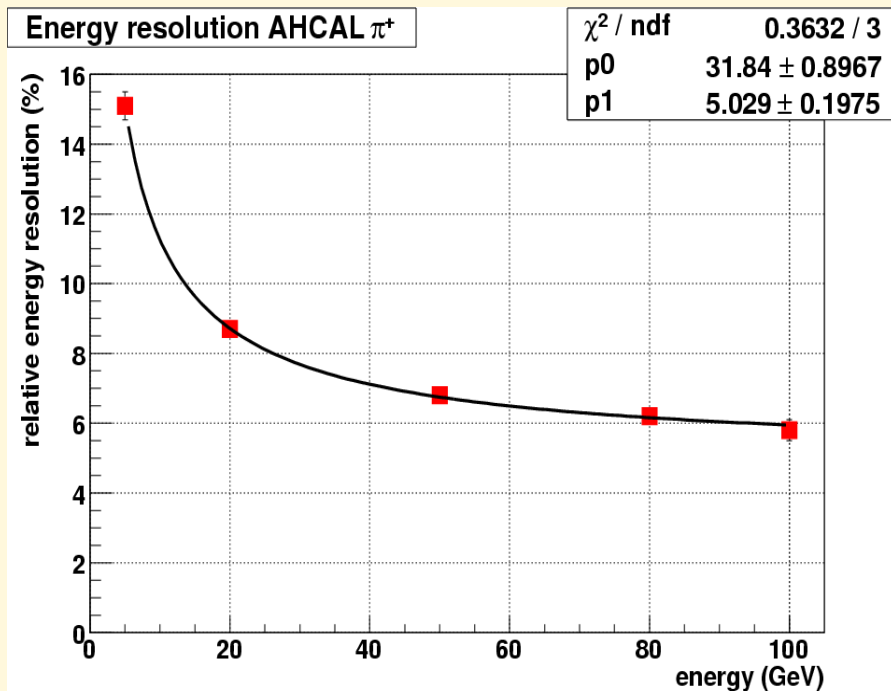


Gauss-Fit: $\sigma/\text{mean} = 6.2(2)\%$

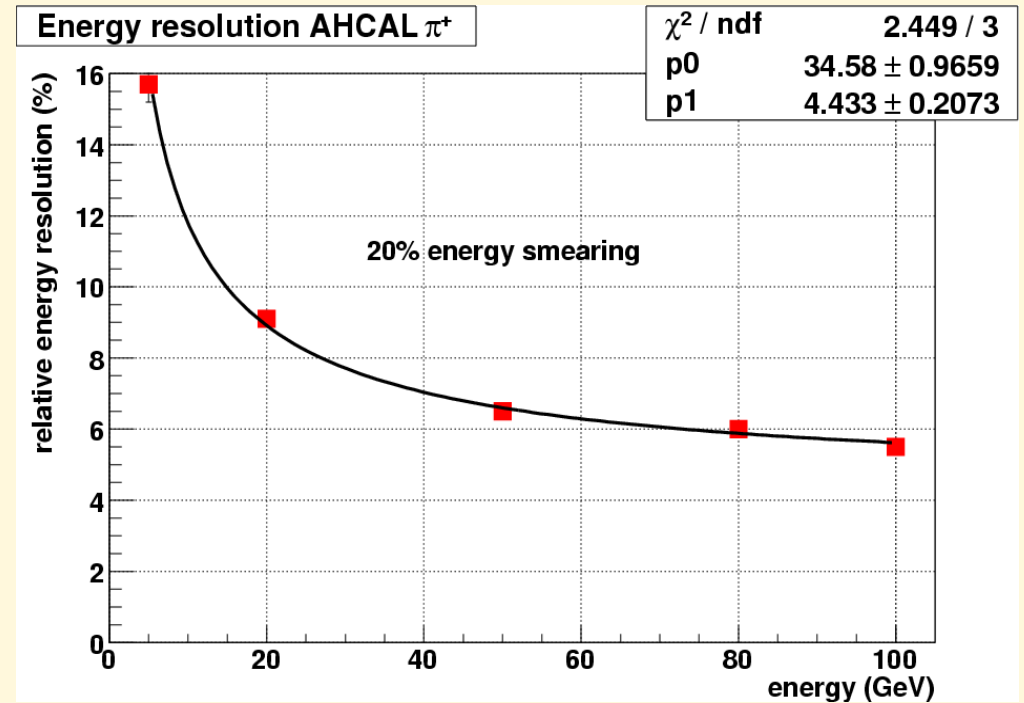
$6.0(2)\%$

Energy resolution

perfect calibration

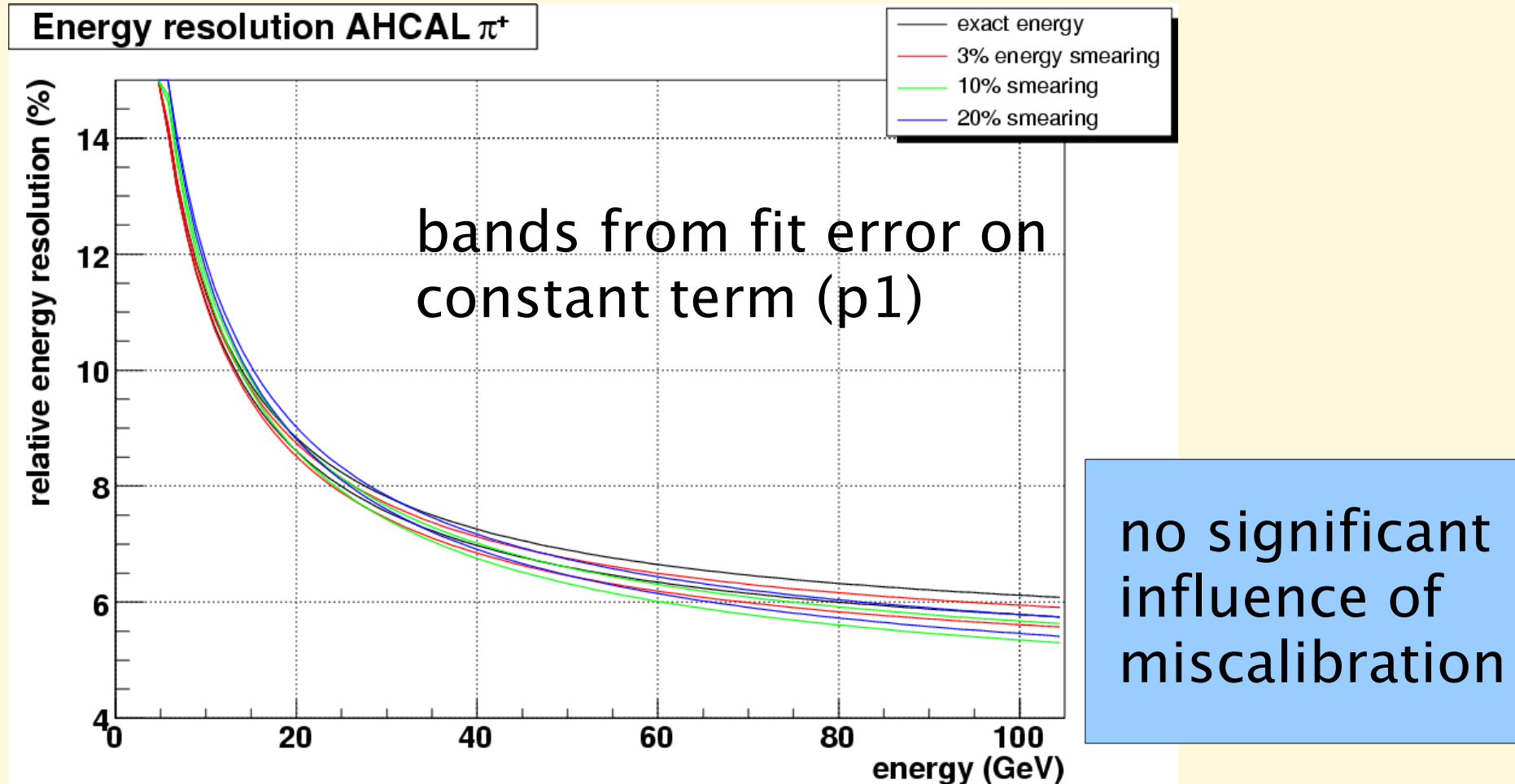


20% miscalibration



$$\text{Fit: } \frac{\Delta E}{E} = \sqrt{\left(\frac{p0}{\sqrt{E}}\right)^2 + (p1)^2}$$

Energy Resolution



Conclusions

- 20% cell energy calibration enough

To be investigated:

- ⇒ duration of calibration runs
- ⇒ photo-electrons/MIP requirement

To come:

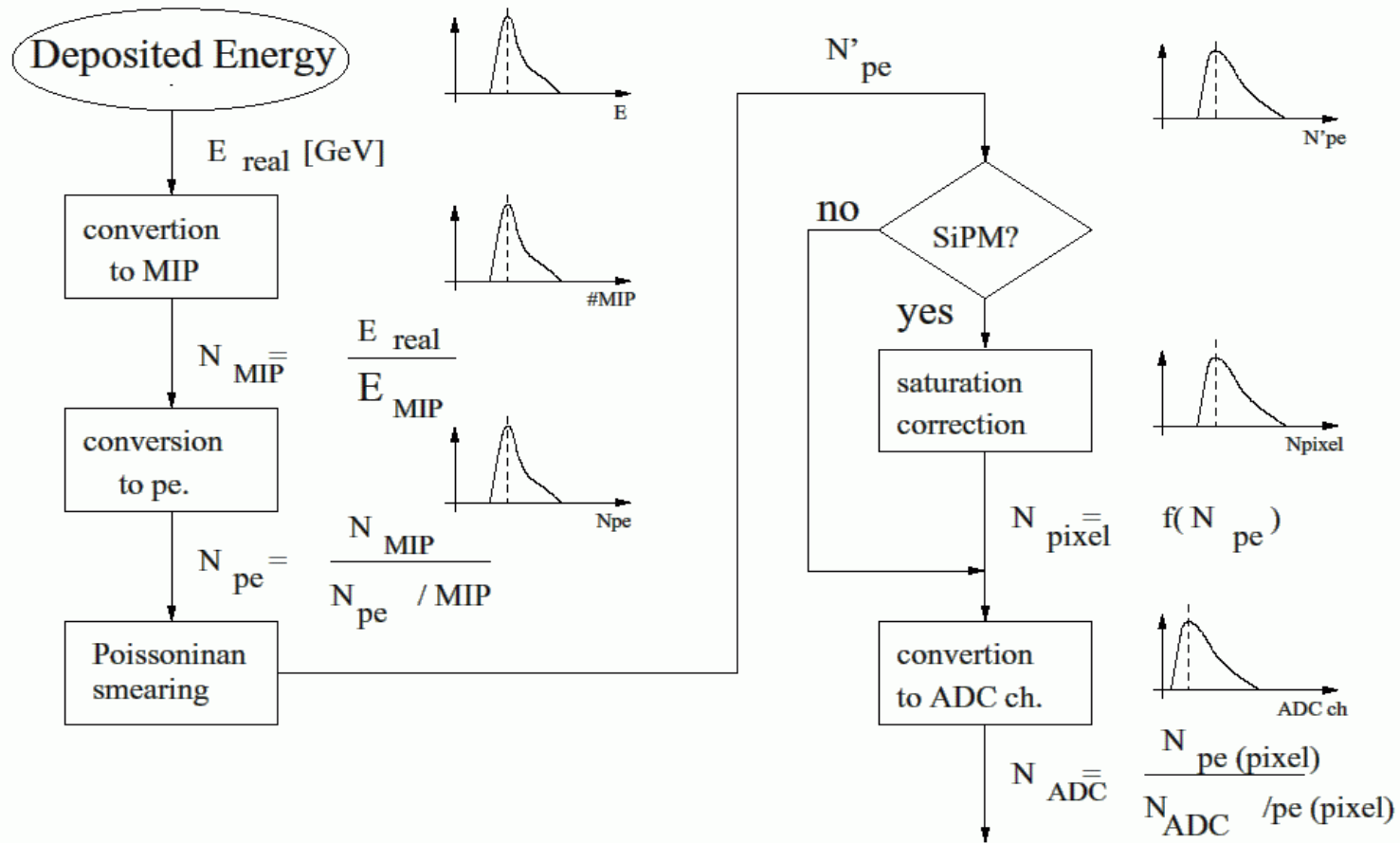


Fig. 9. Flowchart of Monte Carlo implementation of photodetector physics.