

The **Pandora** reconstruction for the **DUNE** experiment

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- Many open questions in **neutrino physics**
- What answers can we get with **long-baseline oscillation** experiments?
- Why the **Liquid Argon Time Projection Chamber** technology?
- The **DUNE** experiment, and the far detector prototypes
- The challenges of **event reconstruction**
- The **Pandora** approach to pattern recognition
- Reconstruction with Pandora: **performance and prospects**

- Is there CP violation in the lepton sector?
- What is the neutrino mass ordering?
- What are the mass differences and mixing angles?
→ *Long-baseline oscillation experiments*
- What are the absolute neutrinos masses?
→ *Tritium beta decay endpoint*
- Are neutrinos Dirac or Majorana particles?
→ *Neutrinoless double beta decay ($0\nu\beta\beta$)*
- Why are neutrino masses so small?
- Are there sterile neutrinos?
→ *Accelerator and reactor oscillation experiments*

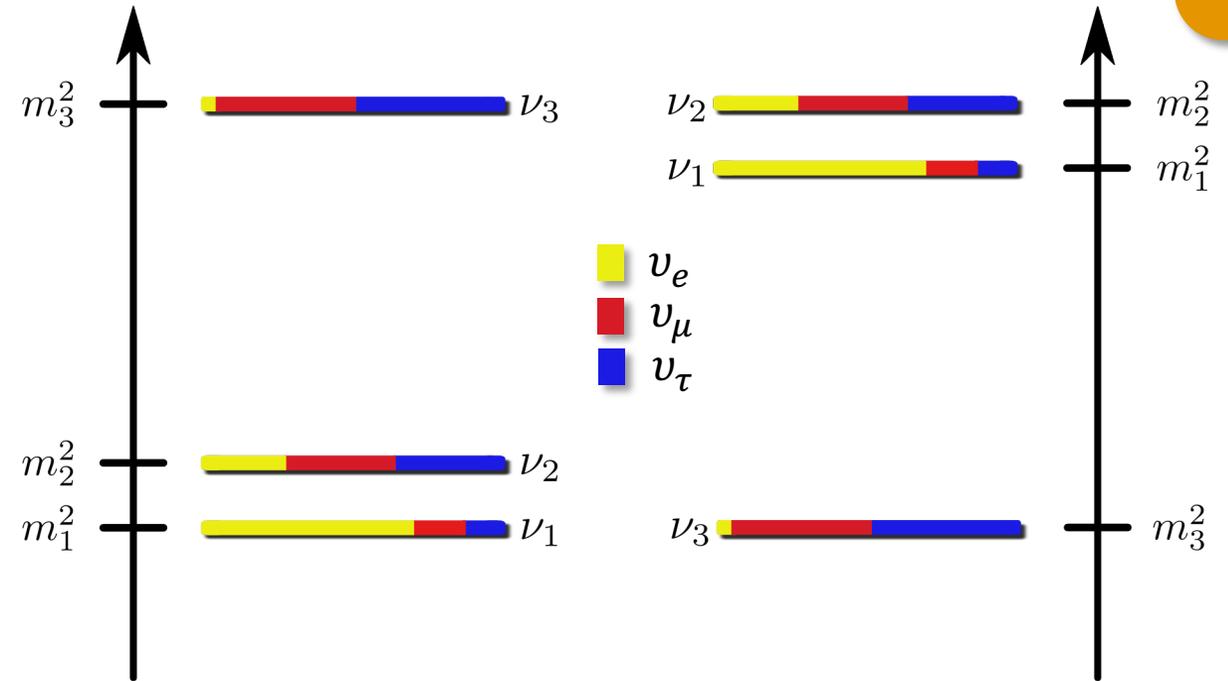


Neutrino mass hierarchy

$m_{1,2,3}$ = mass eigenstates

$m_{e,\mu,\tau}$ = interaction eigenstates

- We have observed neutrino oscillations, thus we know at least two neutrinos are massive
- $m_2 > m_1$ by convention
- Two possibilities for m_3
 - $m_3 > m_2$ (NORMAL)
 - $m_3 < m_1$ (INVERTED)
- Many ways to tackle this question: long-baseline oscillation experiments, β and $0\nu\beta\beta$ decays, cosmological observables...
- For **long baselines**, oscillation probability is modified by matter (MSW effect) in a different way for neutrinos and antineutrinos → compare to find sign of Δm_{13}^2



- Standard Model only has one known source of CP violation so far: Cabibbo-Kobayashi-Maskawa (CKM) matrix phase in quark sector
- But we know neutrinos have mass and leptons mix, because we have observed oscillation
- Is there a CP-violating phase similar to the CKM one in Pontecorvo-Maki-Nagasawa-Sakata (PMNS) matrix?
- How large is δ ? ($\delta_{CKM} \sim 68^\circ$)

Two-flavour oscillation

$$\begin{pmatrix} \nu_e \\ \nu_\mu \\ \nu_\tau \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} c_{13} & 0 & e^{i\delta} s_{13} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -e^{-i\delta} s_{13} & 0 & c_{13} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \nu_1 \\ \nu_2 \\ \nu_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

Can compare amplitudes with **long-baseline oscillation experiments** :

$$P(\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_e) \neq P(\bar{\nu}_\mu \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_e) ?$$

$$c_{13} = \cos \theta_{13} \quad , \quad s_{13} = \sin \theta_{13}$$

$$\delta_{CP} \neq 0, \pi \rightarrow \text{CP violation}$$

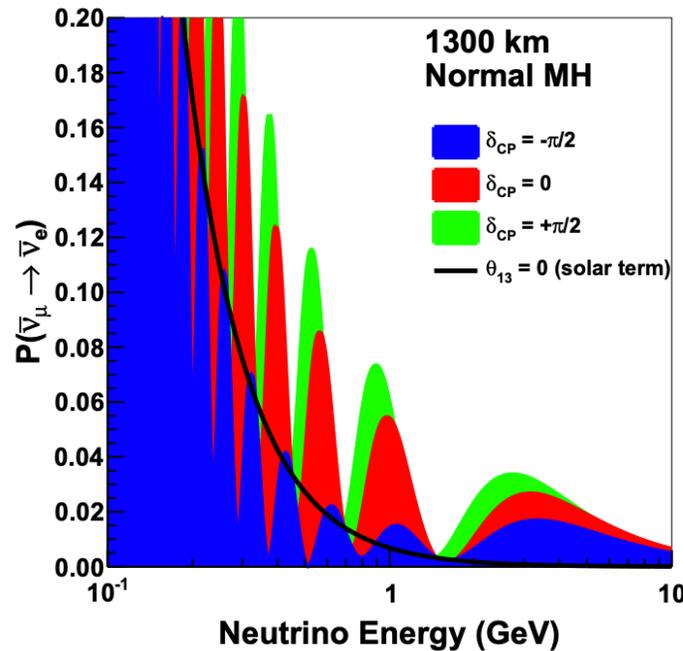
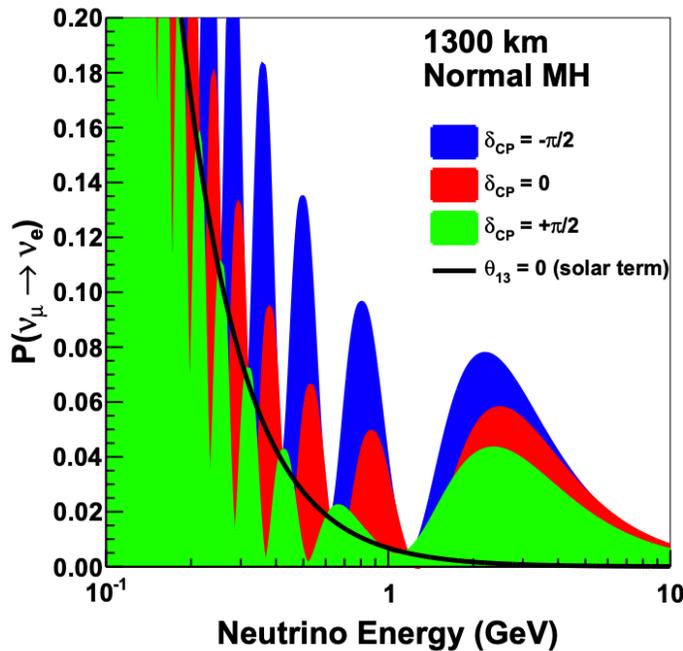
2-flavour appearance probability

$$P_{\nu_\alpha \rightarrow \nu_\beta}(L,E) = \sin^2 2\theta \sin^2 \left(1.27 \frac{\Delta m^2 (\text{eV}^2) L(\text{km})}{E(\text{GeV})} \right)$$

PHYSICS

EXPERIMENT

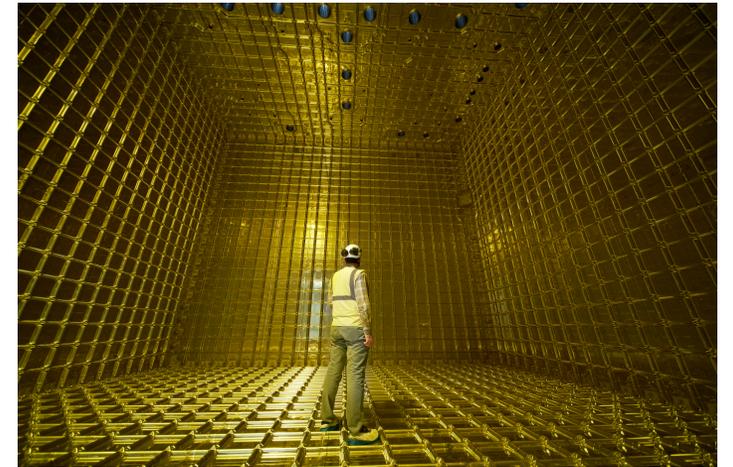
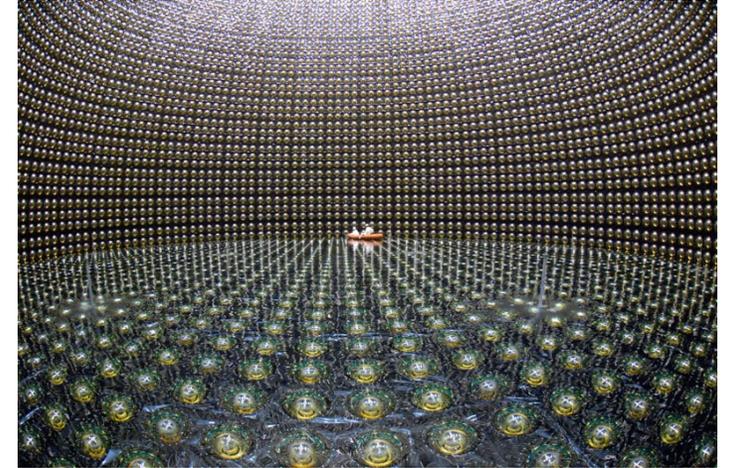
Must disentangle different effects!
Spectra shapes impacted by matter effects (larger for longer baselines), mass ordering, δ_{CP} , mixing angles...



ν_e appearance spectra for normal mass hierarchy, for different values of δ_{CP} , for a 1300 km baseline, for neutrinos (left) and antineutrinos (right)

DUNE conceptual design report
[arXiv:1512.06148](https://arxiv.org/abs/1512.06148) [physics.ins-det]

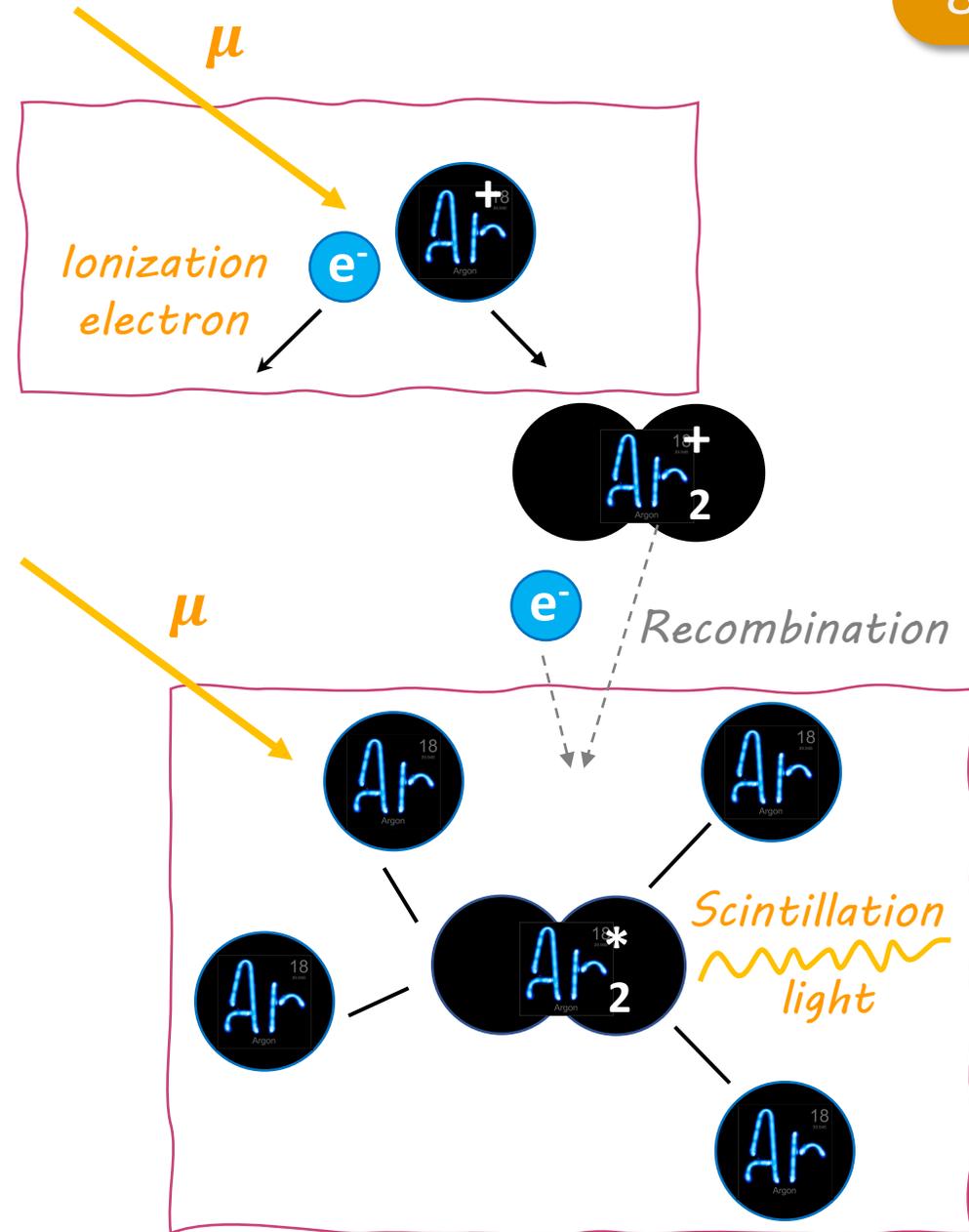
- Oscillation experiments are an excellent tool to tackle many open questions. Many parameters to be chosen!
- **Beam parameters**
- **Two baseline choices:**
 - Short baseline (precise cross section measurements, appearance/disappearance anomalies, near detectors)
 - Long baseline (mass hierarchy, CP violation)
- **What detector technology?**
 - Water Cherenkov detectors (e.g. HyperK)
 - Liquid argon time projection chambers (e.g DUNE)



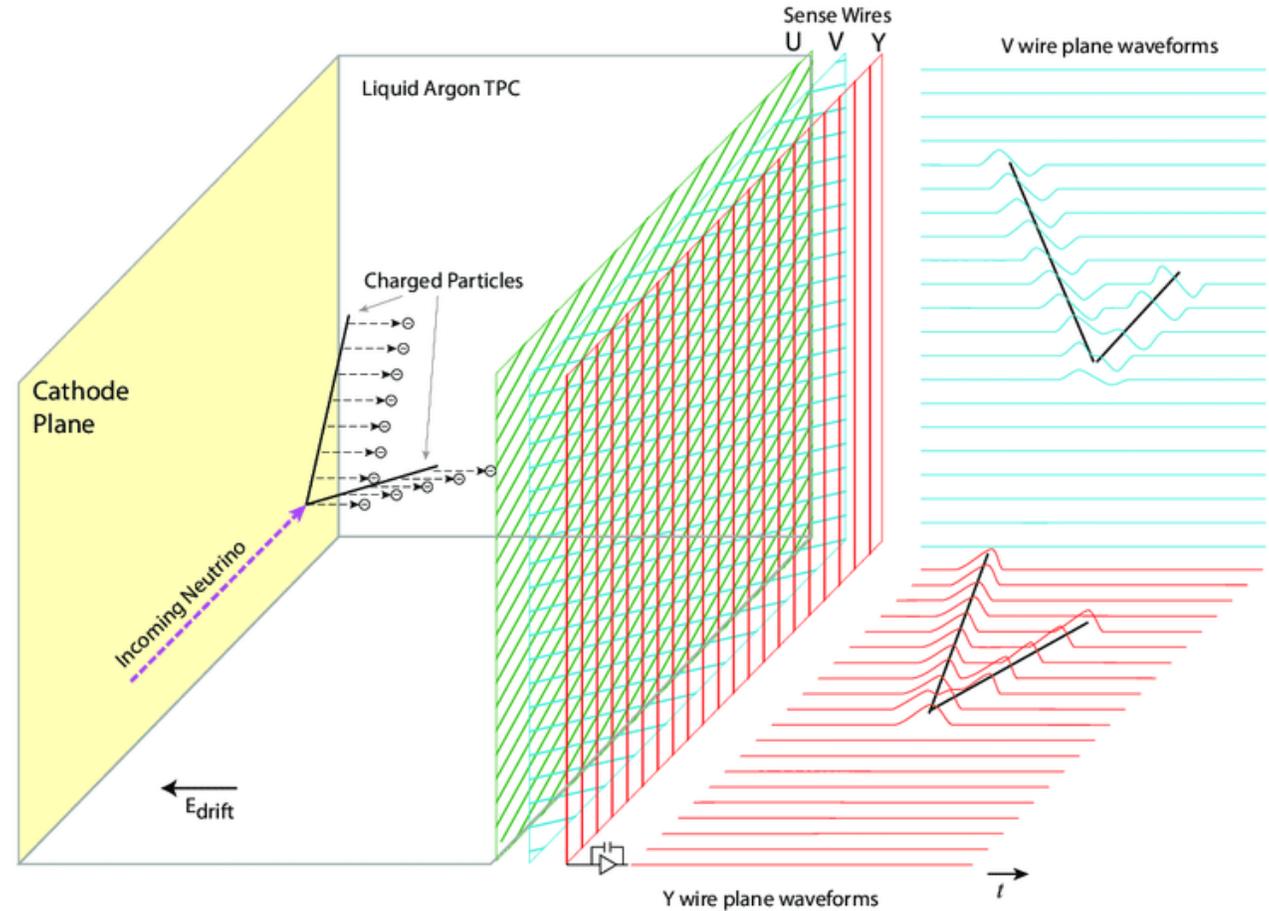
This talk: Reconstruction of interactions in Liquid Argon Time Projection Chambers (LArTPCs)

Why liquid argon?

- **Noble elements:** large use in particle physics experiments (neutrino oscillation and interactions, dark matter searches, $0\nu\beta\beta$ searches)
- Two energy loss mechanisms:
 - **Scintillation:** transparent to their own scintillation light
 - **Ionization:** stable \rightarrow low e^- capture \rightarrow long drift
- **Very good dielectrics:** can sustain high electric fields
- **Argon:** high light yield, cheap/easy to obtain, best suited for \sim GeV neutrinos



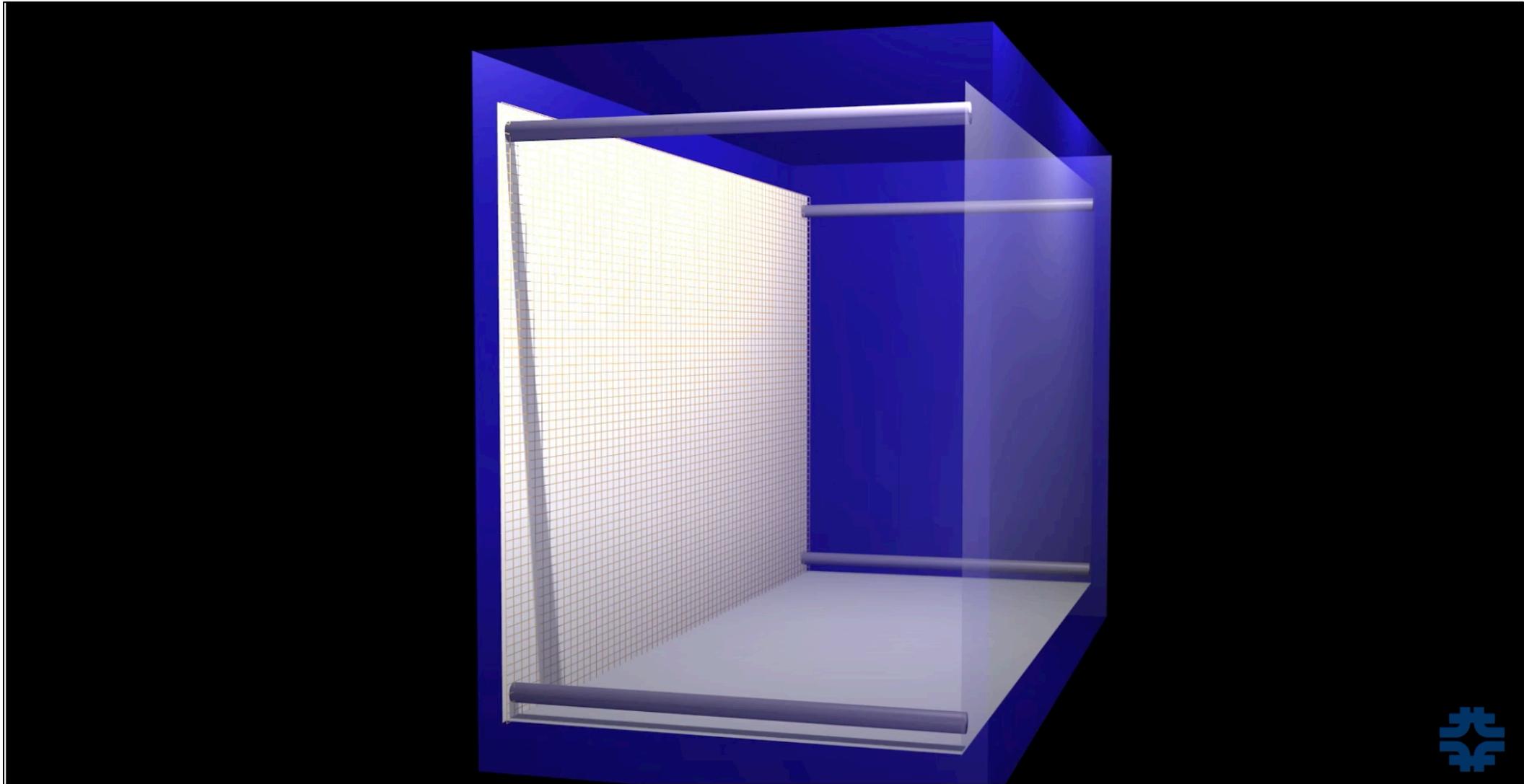
- Proposed by [C. Rubbia in 1977](#), now well-established technology for neutrino experiments
- Use **scintillation** and **ionization** to find 3D position of particles and interactions
- Drift charge recorded by several readout (RO) wire planes, with different orientations
- Each RO plane forms a 2D image (wire ID, common drift coordinate)
- Light collected by photomultipliers



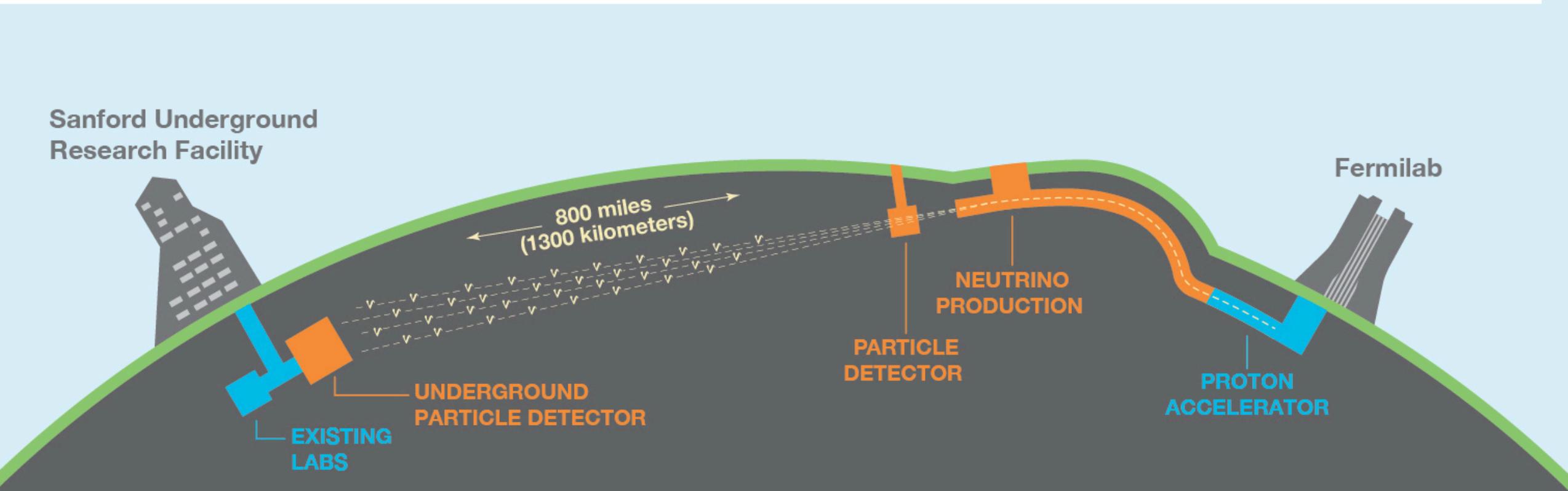
Sketch of the MicroBooNE detector

A two-view example

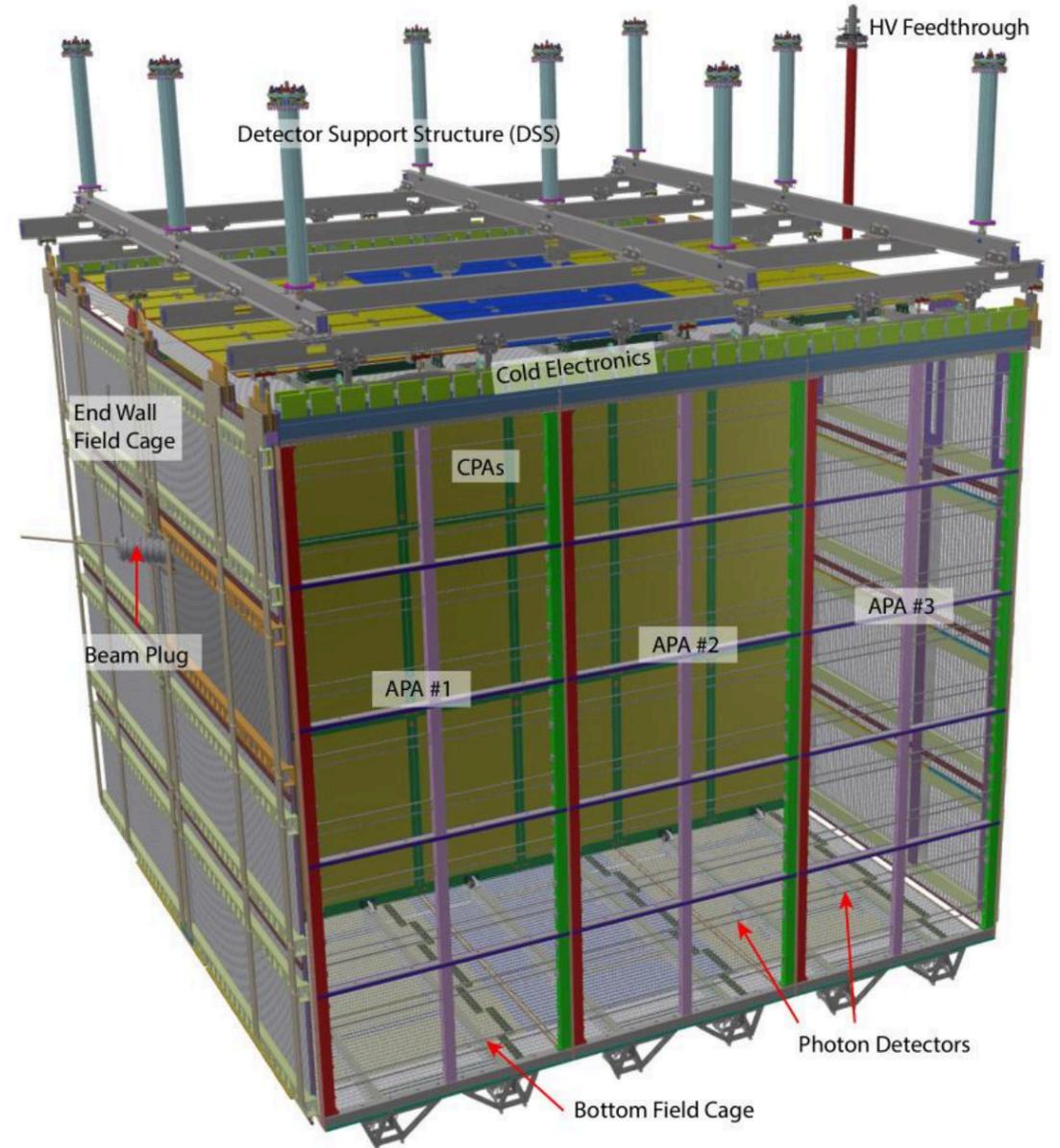
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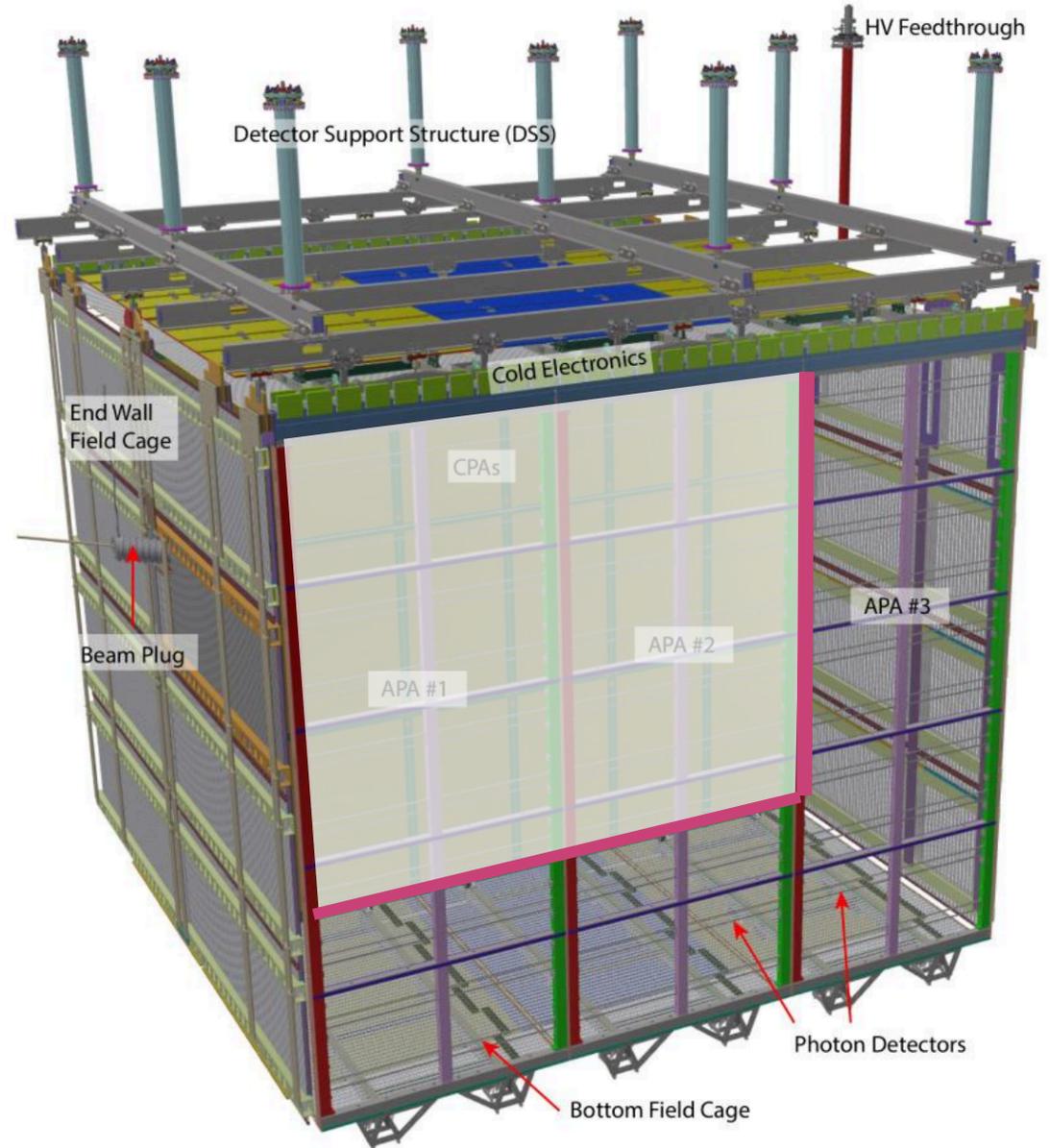
- Three near detectors, four 10-kton fiducial volume LArTPC modules at far site
- Broad physics programme: CP violation in lepton sector, three-flavour paradigm, neutrino mass hierarchy, neutrinos from supernova, proton decay, ...
- Two prototypes at CERN: ProtoDUNE Single and Dual Phase



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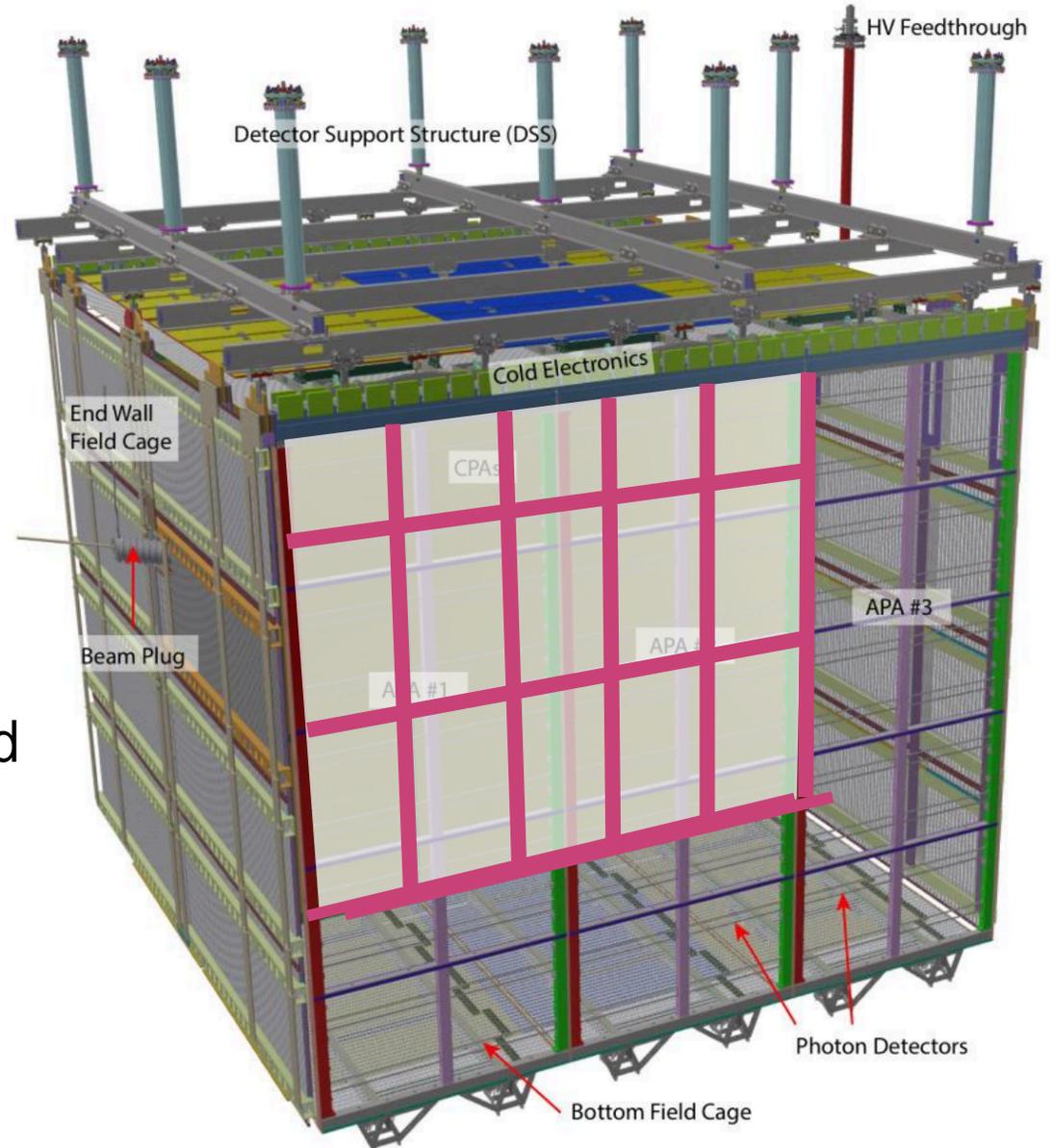


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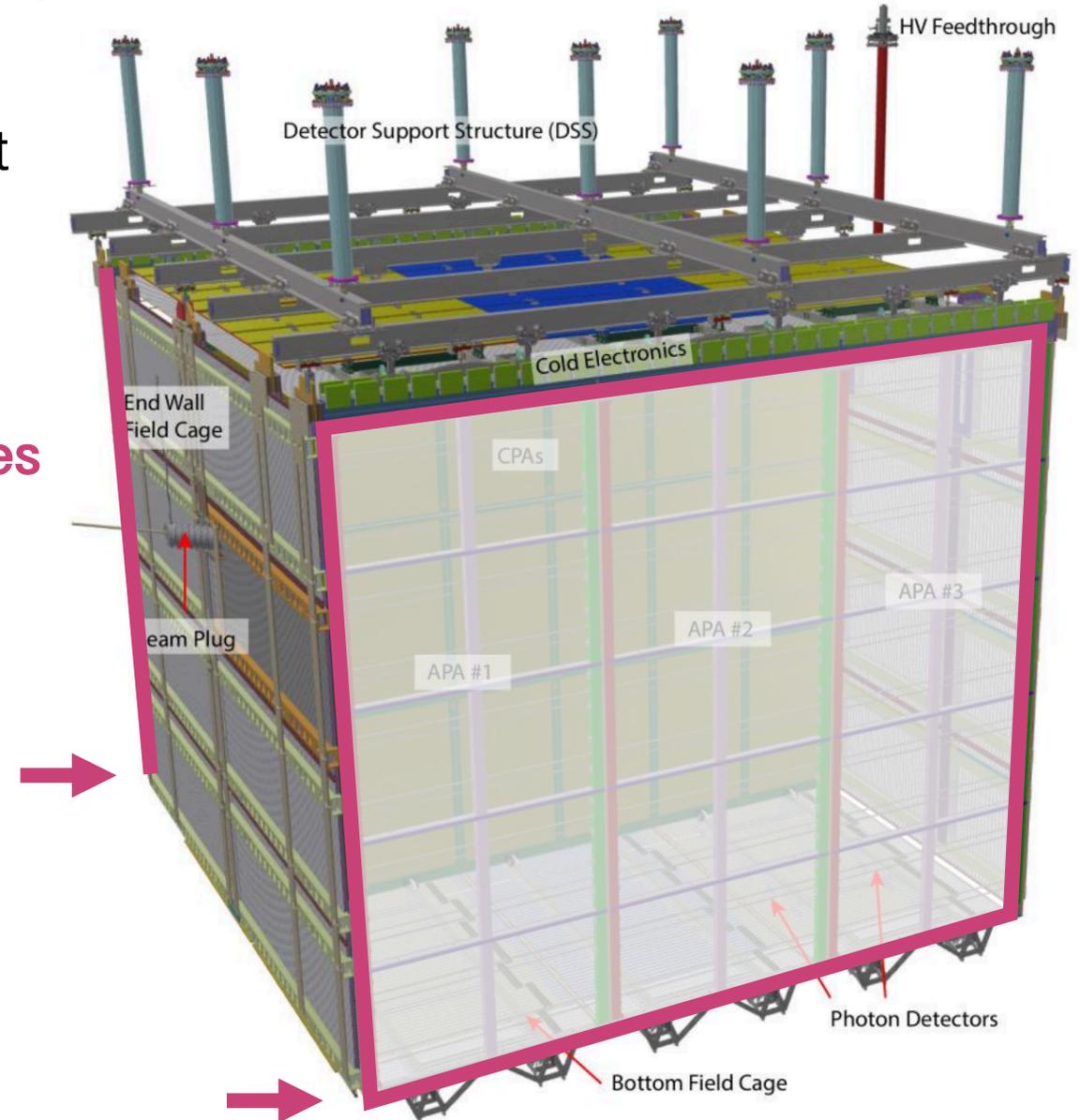
Cathode plane:

Array of 18 modules $(1.18 \times 2) \text{ m}^2$

Held at -180 kV, provides 500 V/cm drift field



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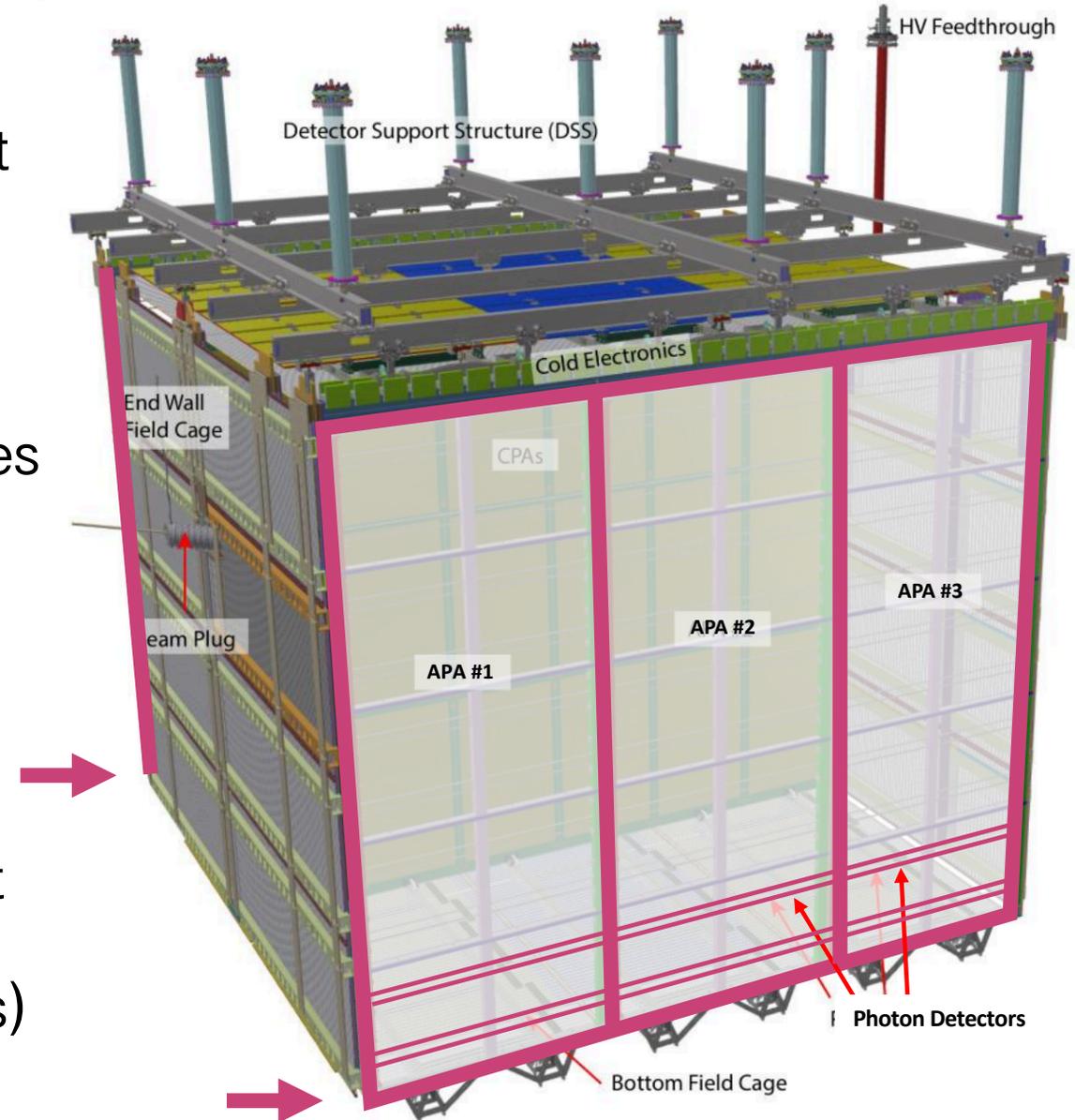


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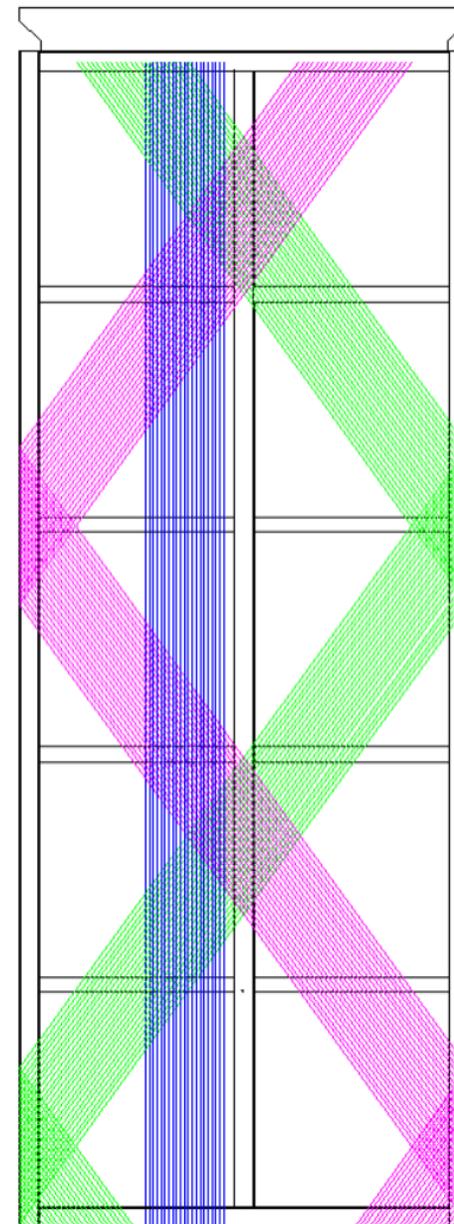
Anode plane:

Three adjacent Anode Plane Assemblies (APAs) $(6 \times 2.3) \text{ m}^2$ wide

The Photon Detection system (PDS) is integrated into the APAs: bar-shaped light guide and wavelength-shifting (WS) layer, coupled to silicon photomultipliers (SiPMs)



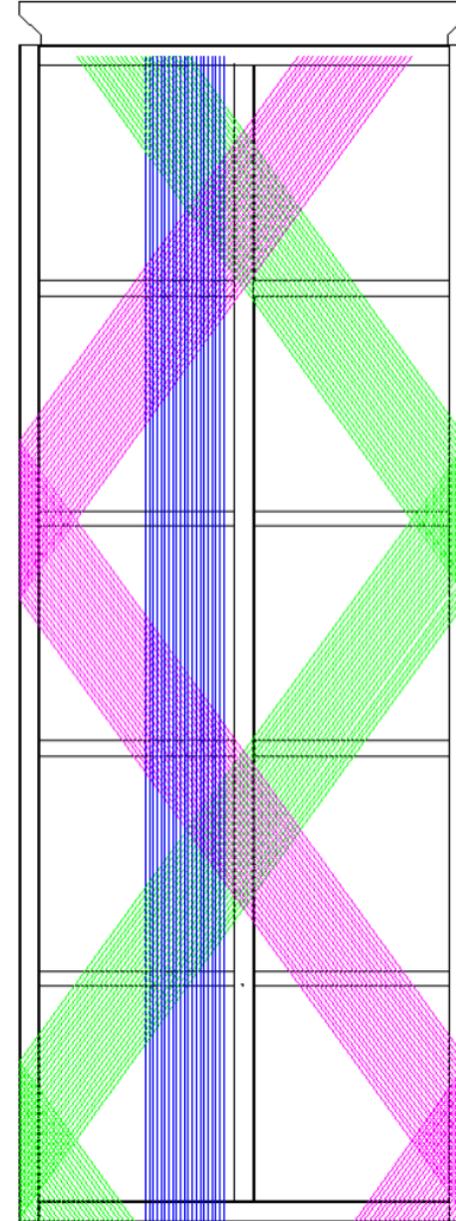
- A frame holds three parallel planes of wires oriented at different angles
- Two induction planes (**U** and **V**) at 35.7° degrees and a **collection plane** with vertical wires
- Pitch: 4.67 mm (U and V), 4.79 (W) – 2560 readout channels
- Each wire plane yields a 2D (wire coordinate, drift coordinate) image
- Key feature for reconstruction (will say more in following slides)
- Leading production role by the UK



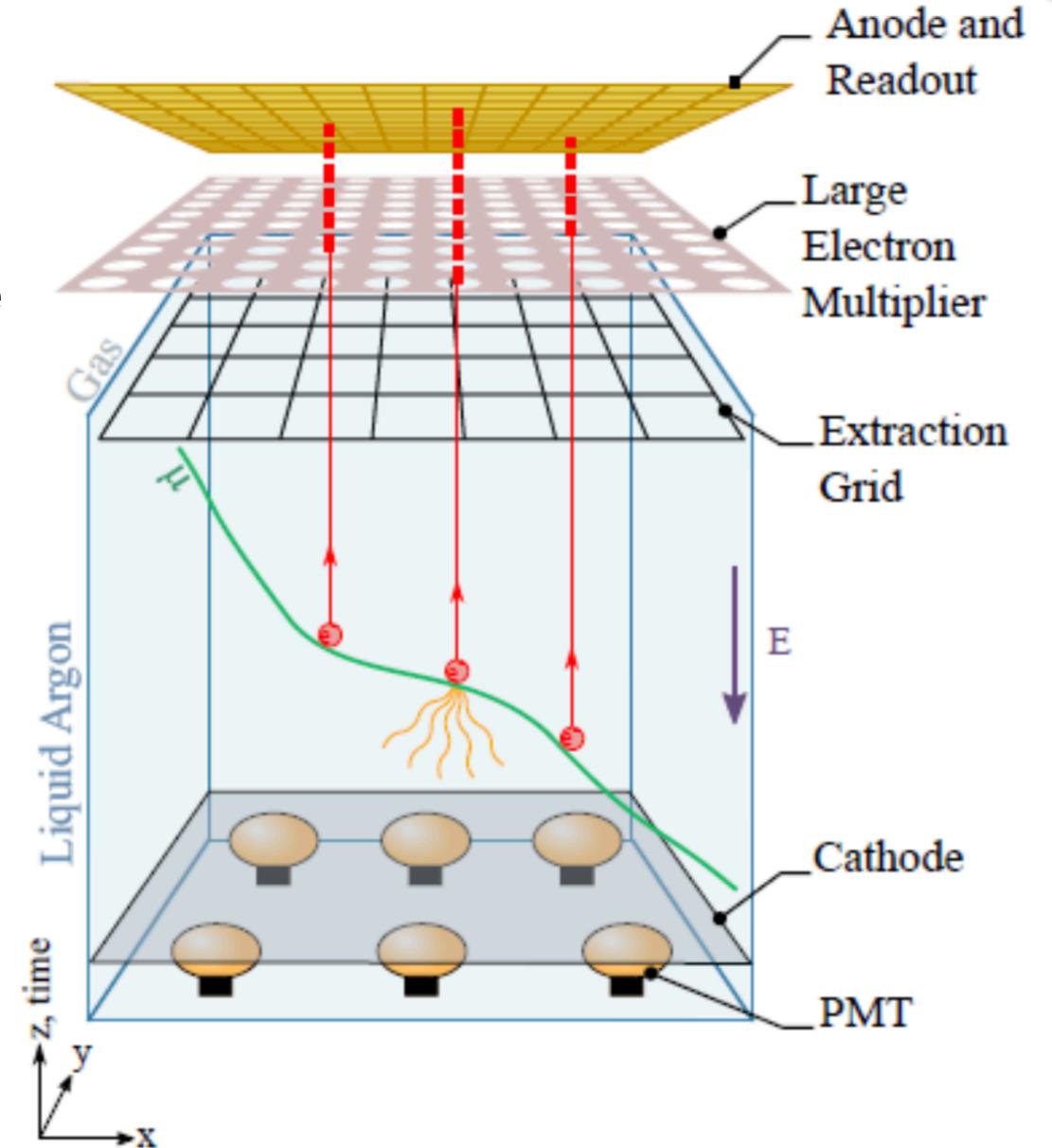
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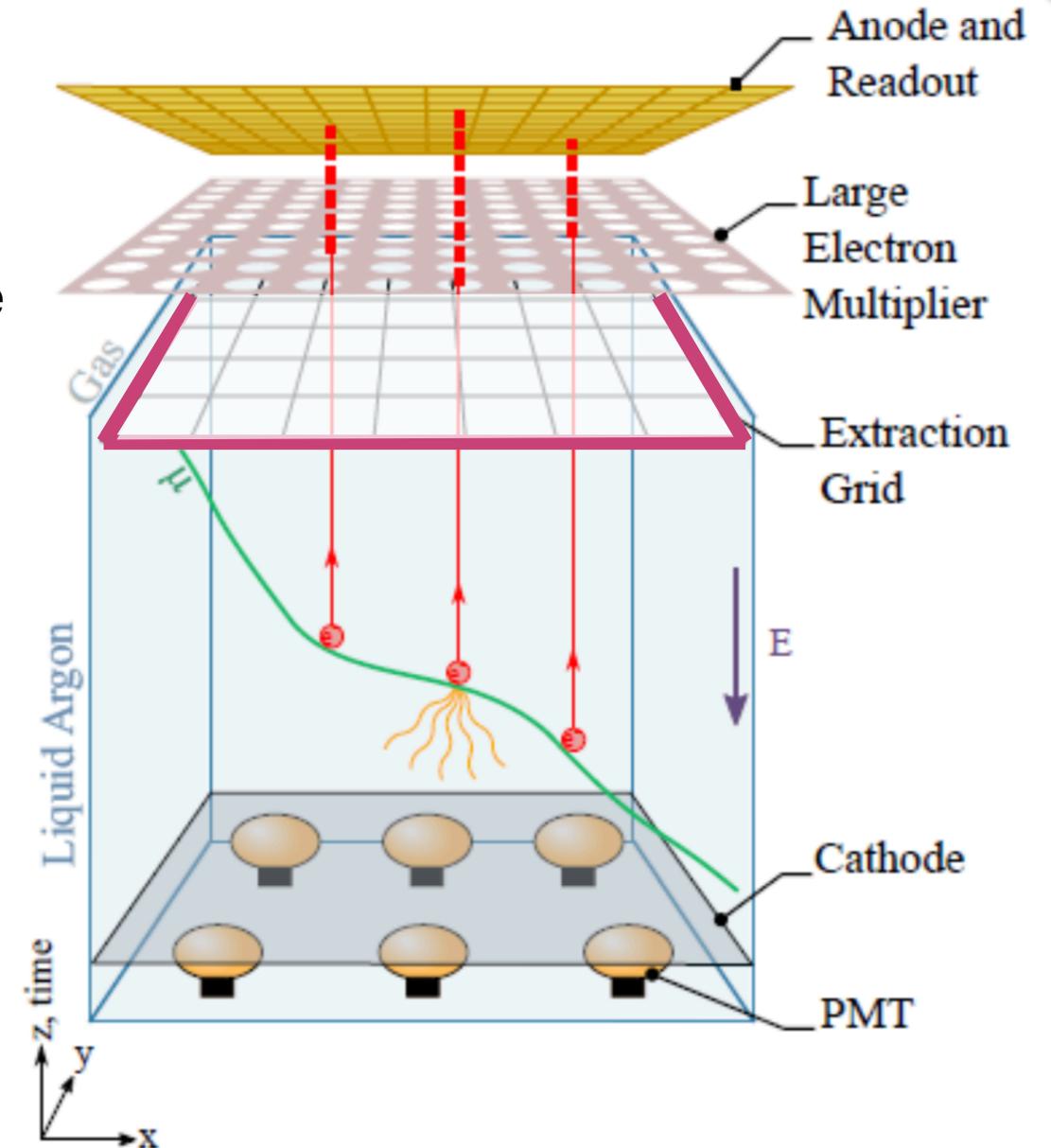
First APA ready to be installed in the protoDUNE-SP detector
Photograph: Ordan, Julien Marius



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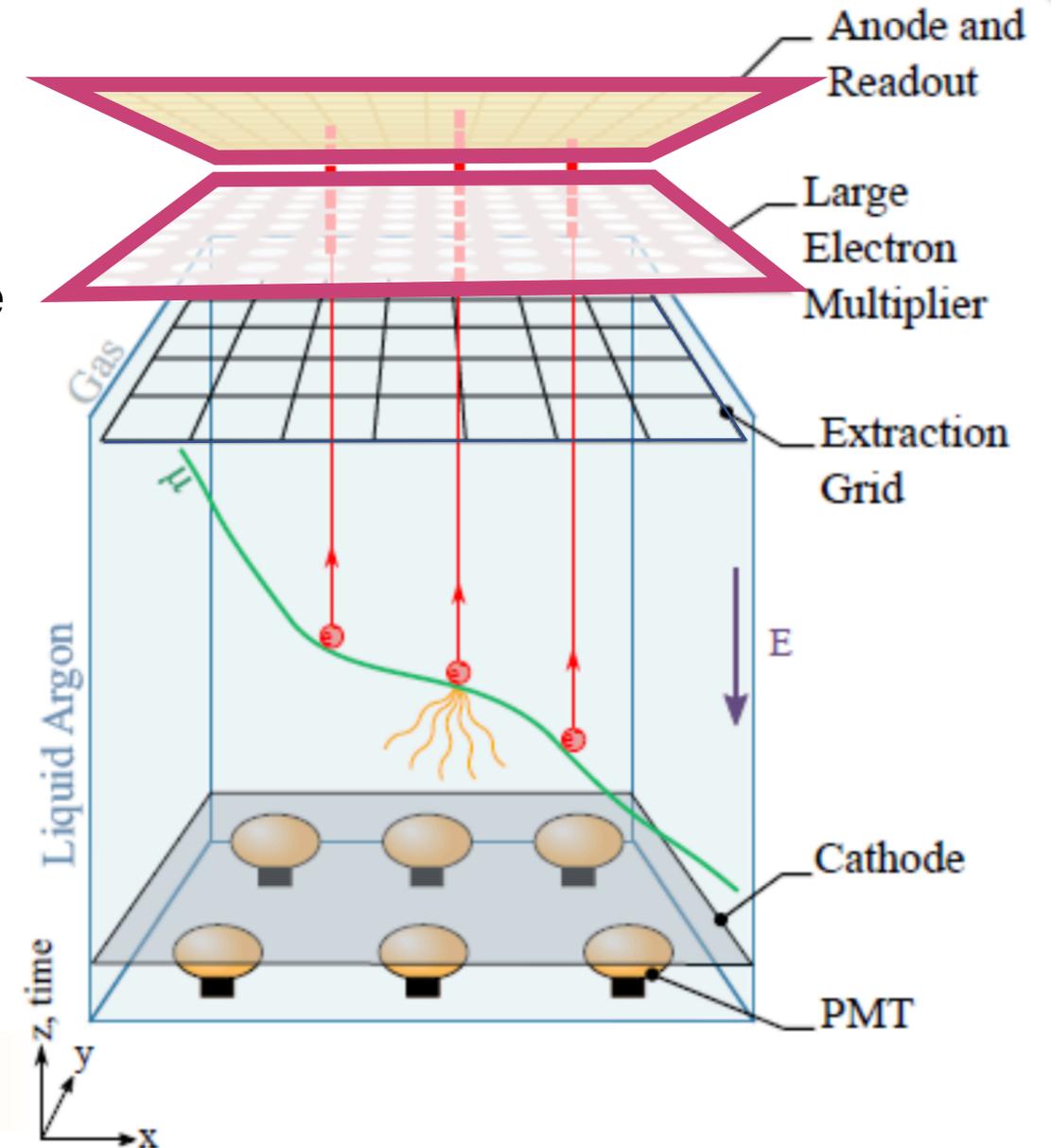


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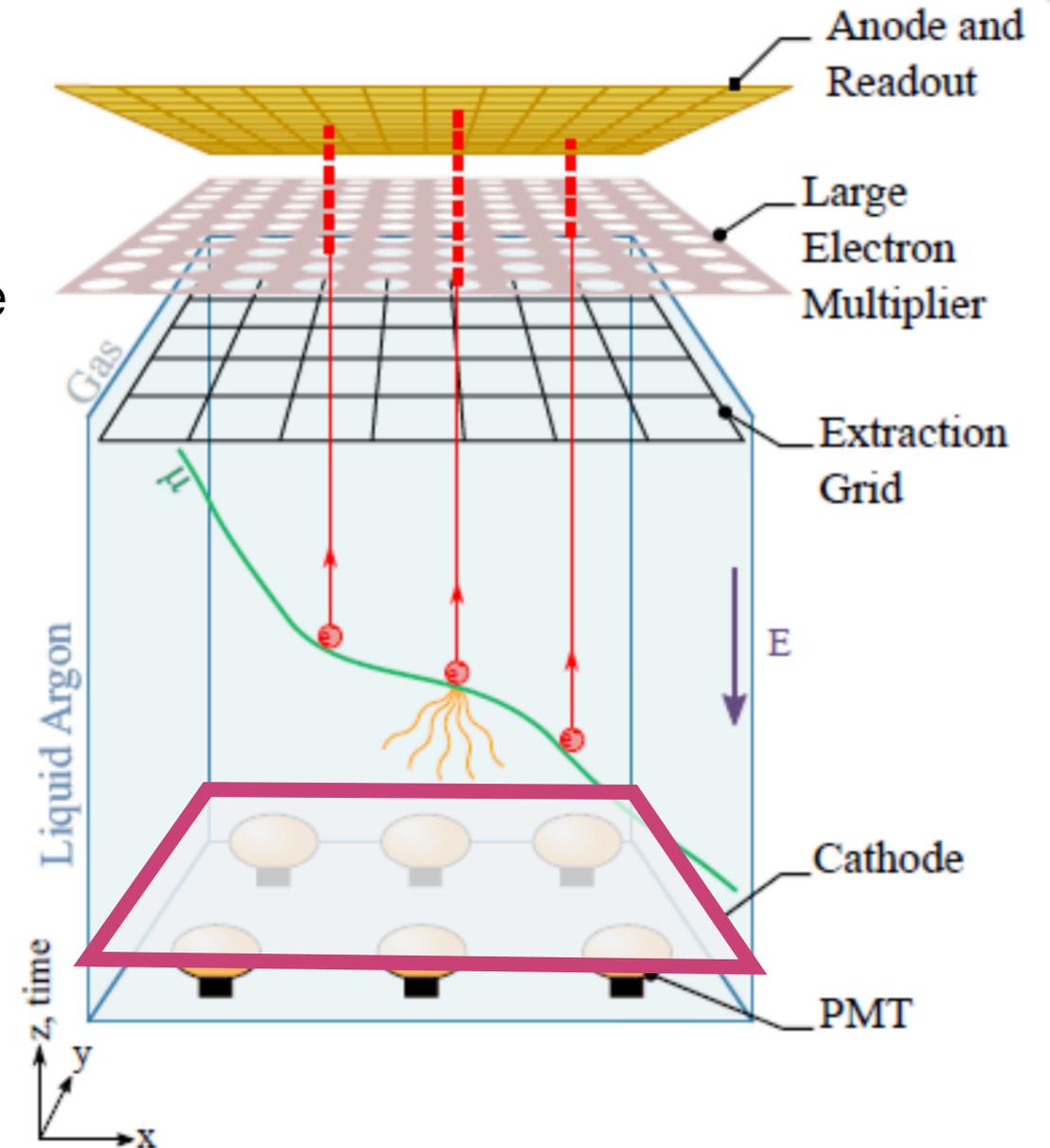
CRP = sandwich of **anode**
(two strip-based collection views)
+ 36 Large Electron Multipliers (LEMs)

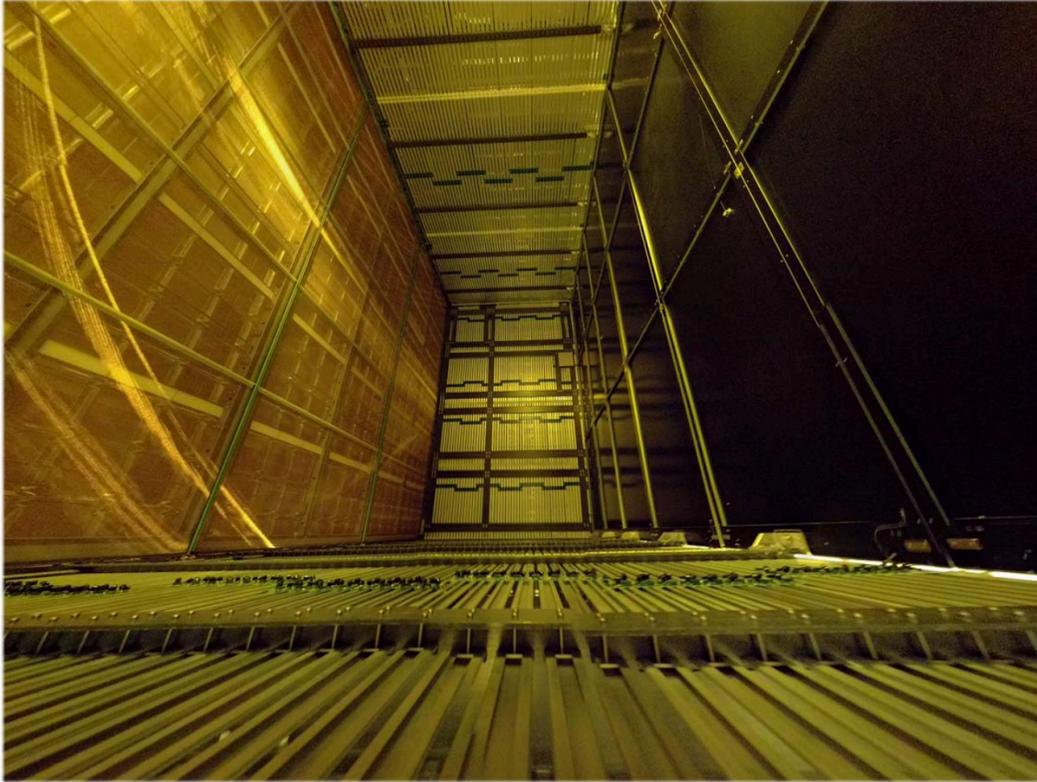


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- **Scintillation light** → **event timing**

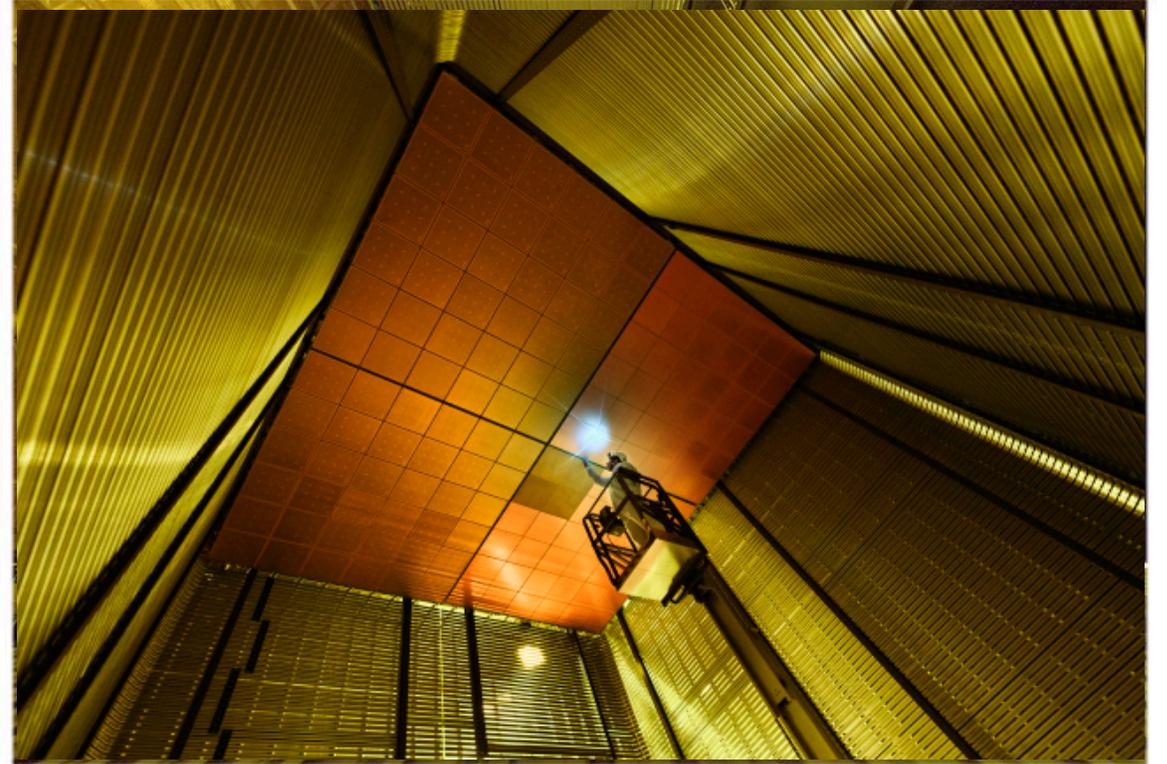
Array of 36 photomultiplier tubes (**PMTs**) below **cathode** detect scintillation light





A ProtoDUNE-SP drift volume

DUNE Project Monthly Status Report March 2018



Inside ProtoDUNE-DP

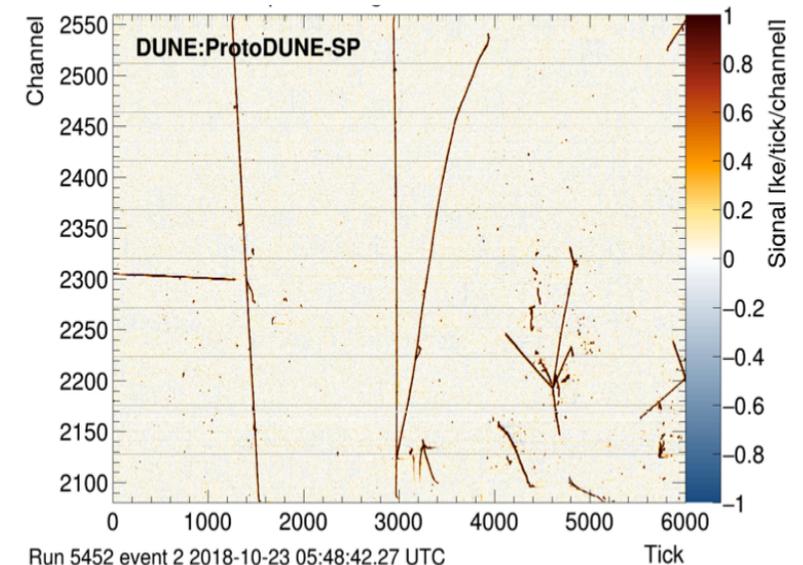
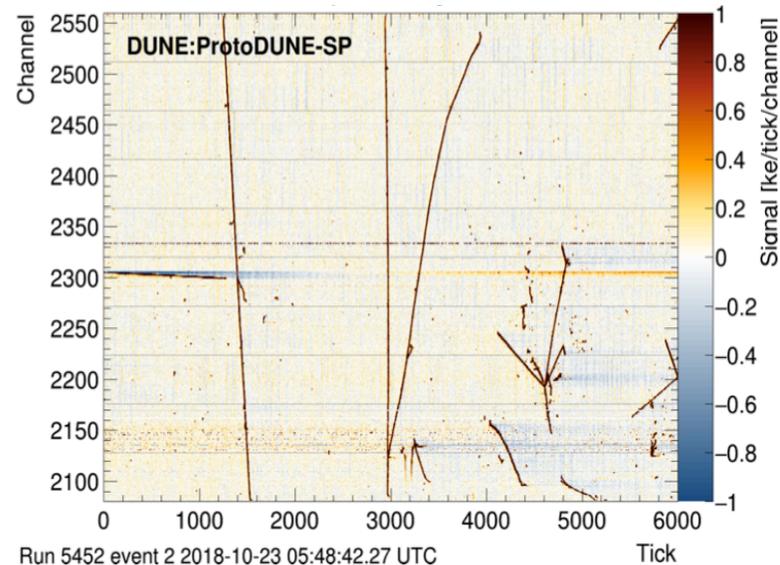
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How to go from raw data to physics quantities for analysis?

- **Data preparation: ADC counts → charge waveform**

Evaluation of pedestals, charge calibration, mitigation of readout issues, tail removal, noise suppression

Background reduction on collection plane
(a): after pedestal subtraction/calibration
(b): After ADS/time mitigation and tail/noise removal
[arXiv:2007.06722v3](https://arxiv.org/abs/2007.06722v3)



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- **Signal processing: charge waveform \rightarrow arrival time and position**

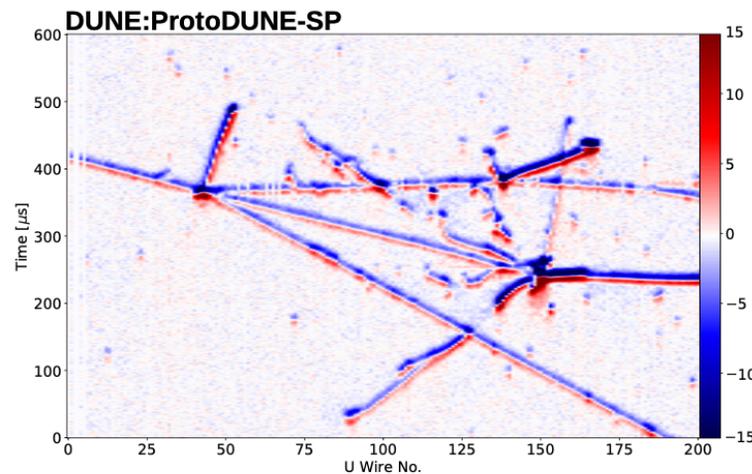
Deconvolve drift field and front-end electronics response

Interaction vertex from 7-GeV
beam particle (induction plane)

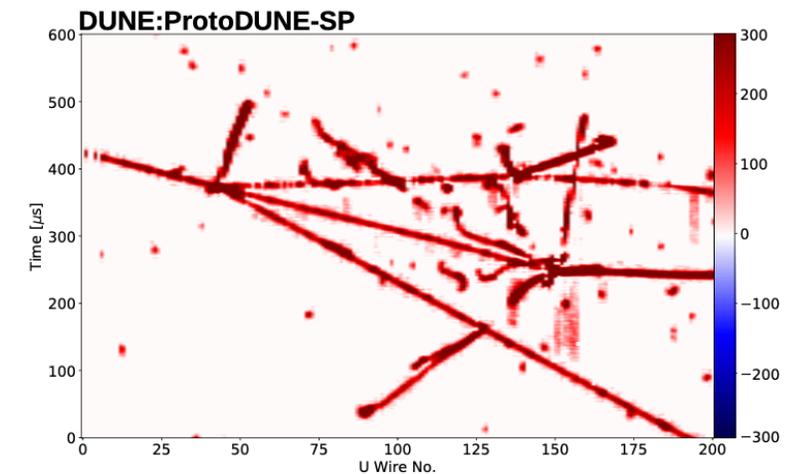
(a): raw waveform ADC counts

(b): ionization charge after 2D
deconvolution

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(a) After Noise Filtering



(b) After Deconvolution

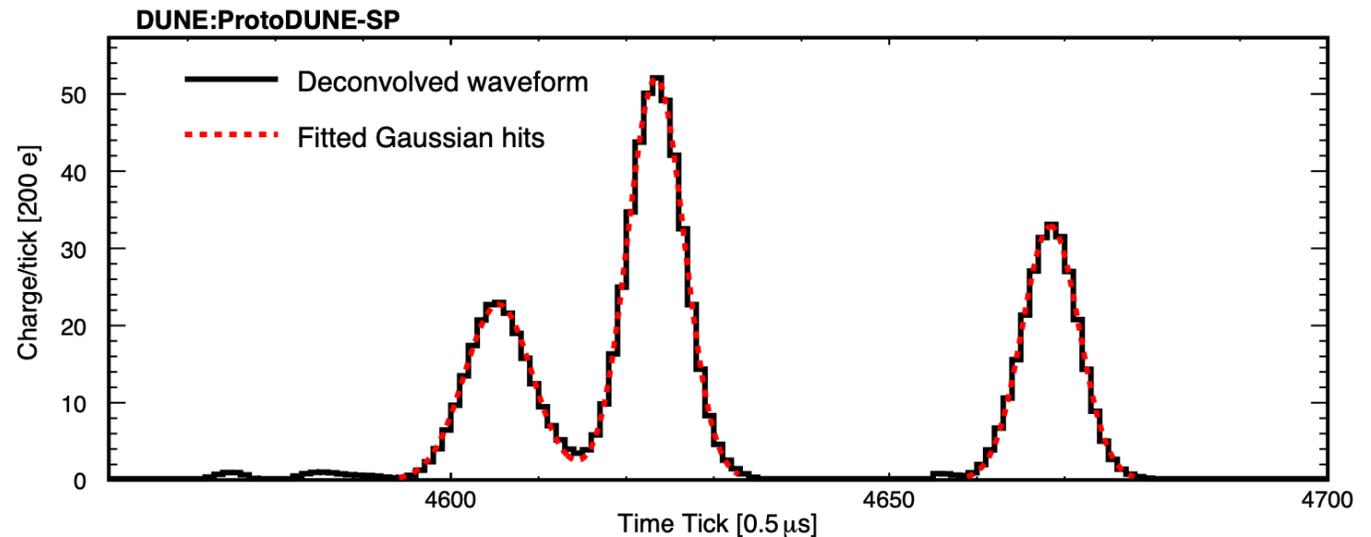
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- **Low-level event reconstruction: hit finding**

Find peaks in wire waveforms and fit them to Gaussians

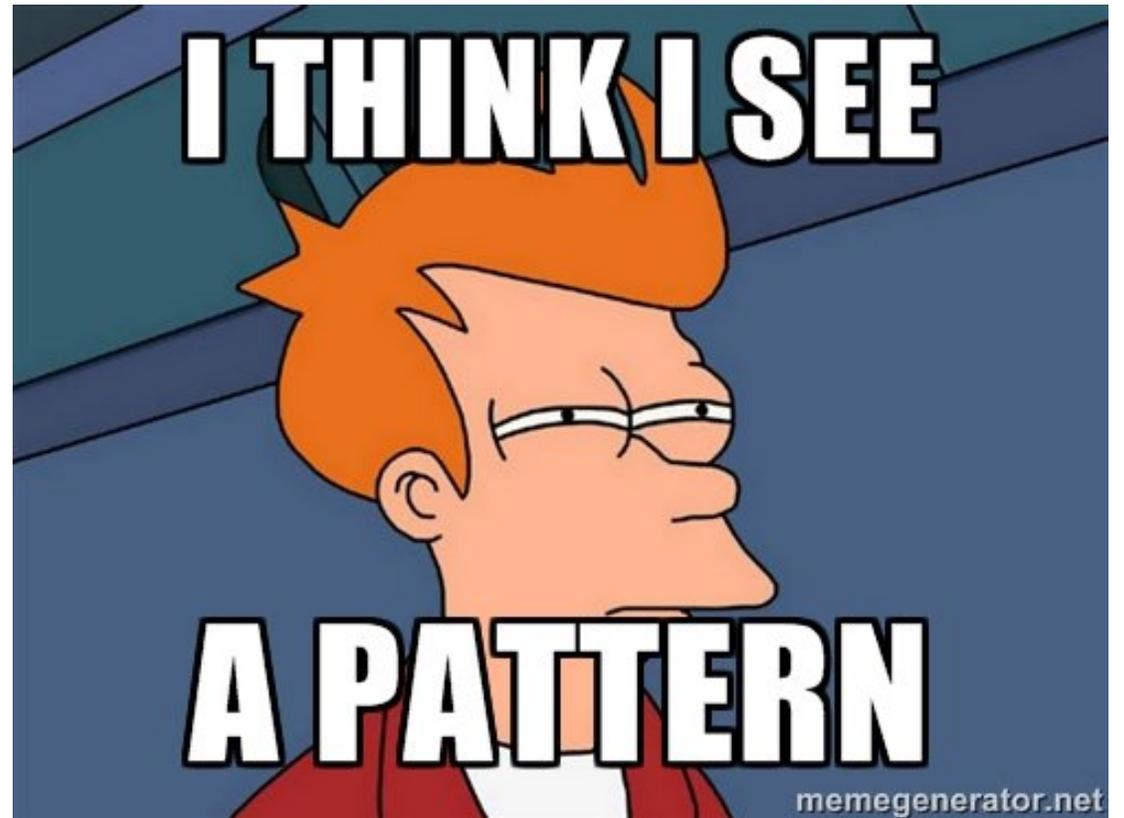
Hit: charge deposition on a single wire at a single time

Example of reconstructed waveform on a single wire
(ProtoDUNE-SP data)
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- **Pattern recognition:**
the bit you do by eye!
(A lot about that in the next slides...)
- **High-level characterization**
Particle ID, neutrino flavour and interaction type, energy...



Inputs to pattern recognition

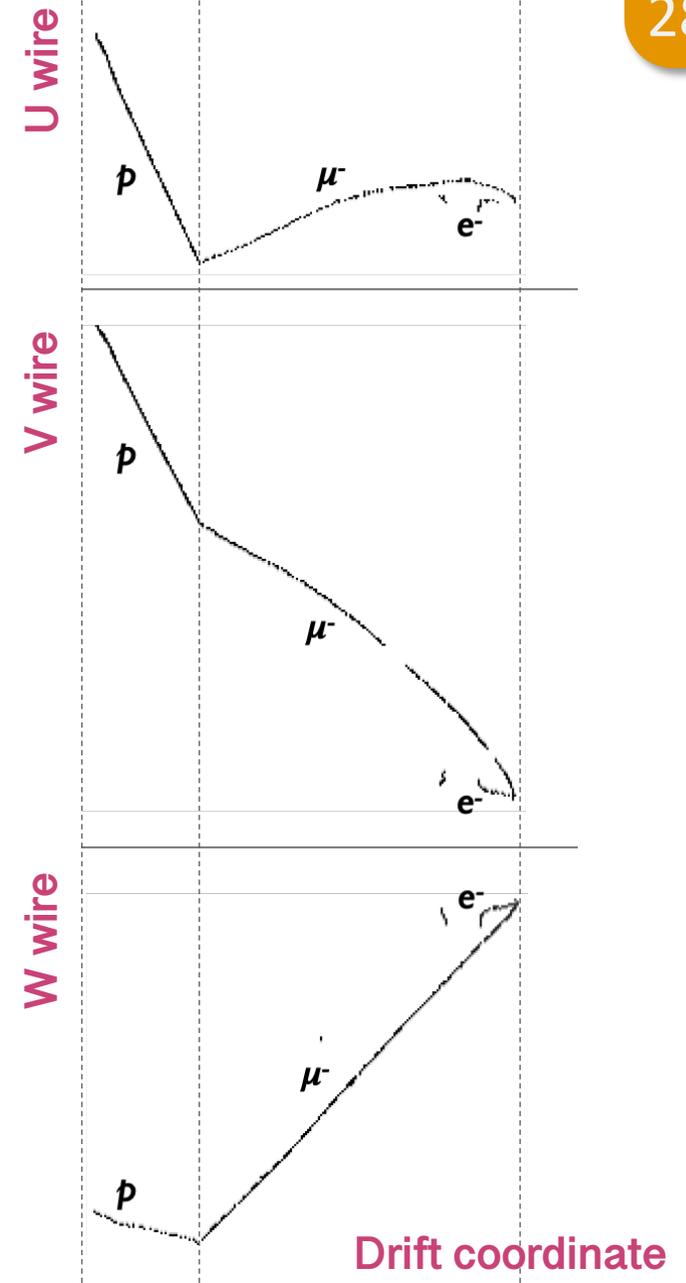
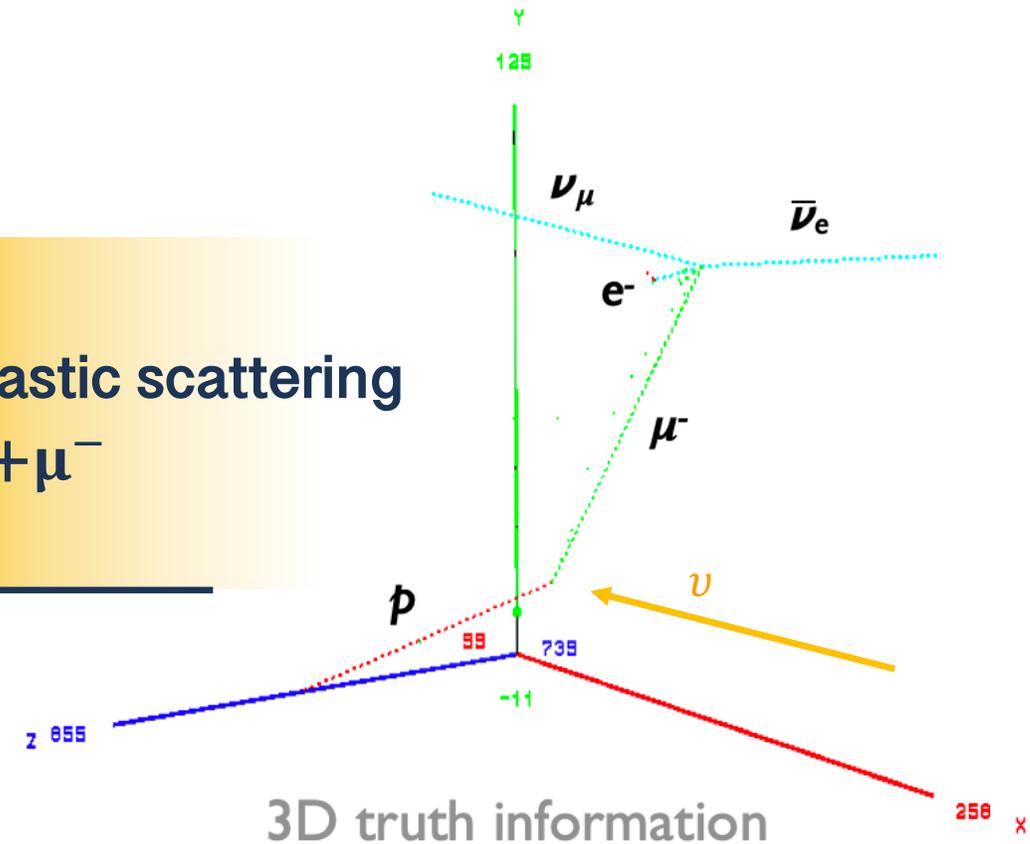
- **2D hit representations** in the plane of **wire/strip number** versus **common x coordinate**, derived from drift time

Example

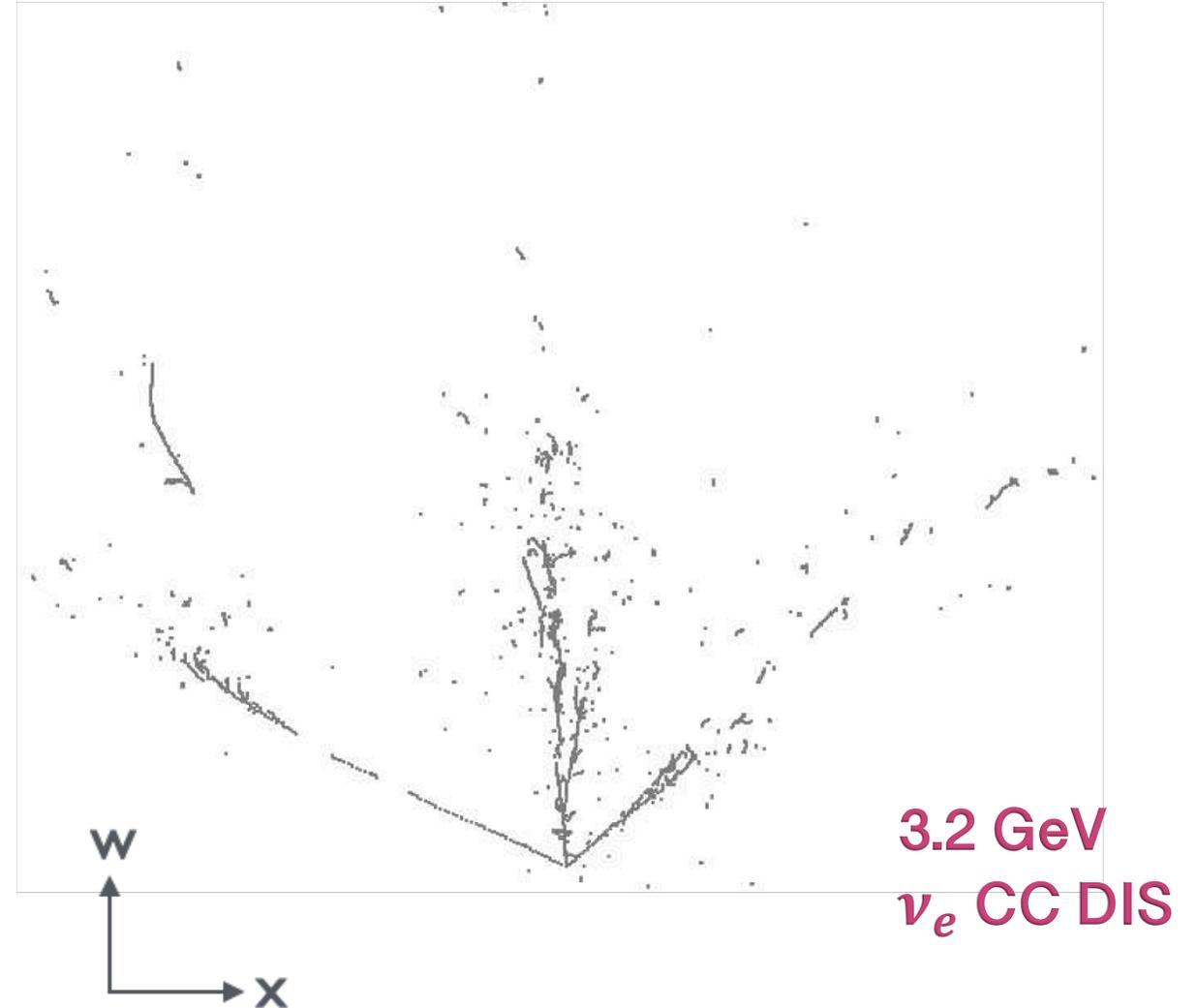
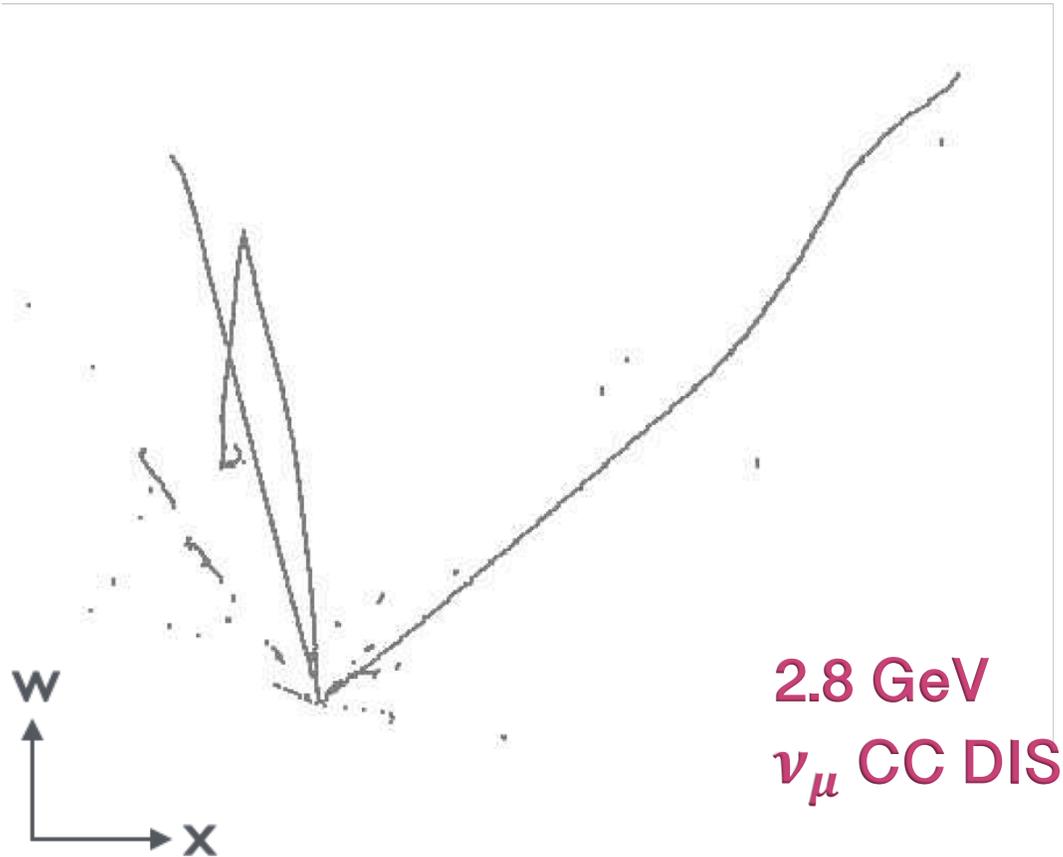
Charged current quasi elastic scattering

(CC QE) $\nu_{\mu} + \text{Ar} \rightarrow p + \mu^{-}$

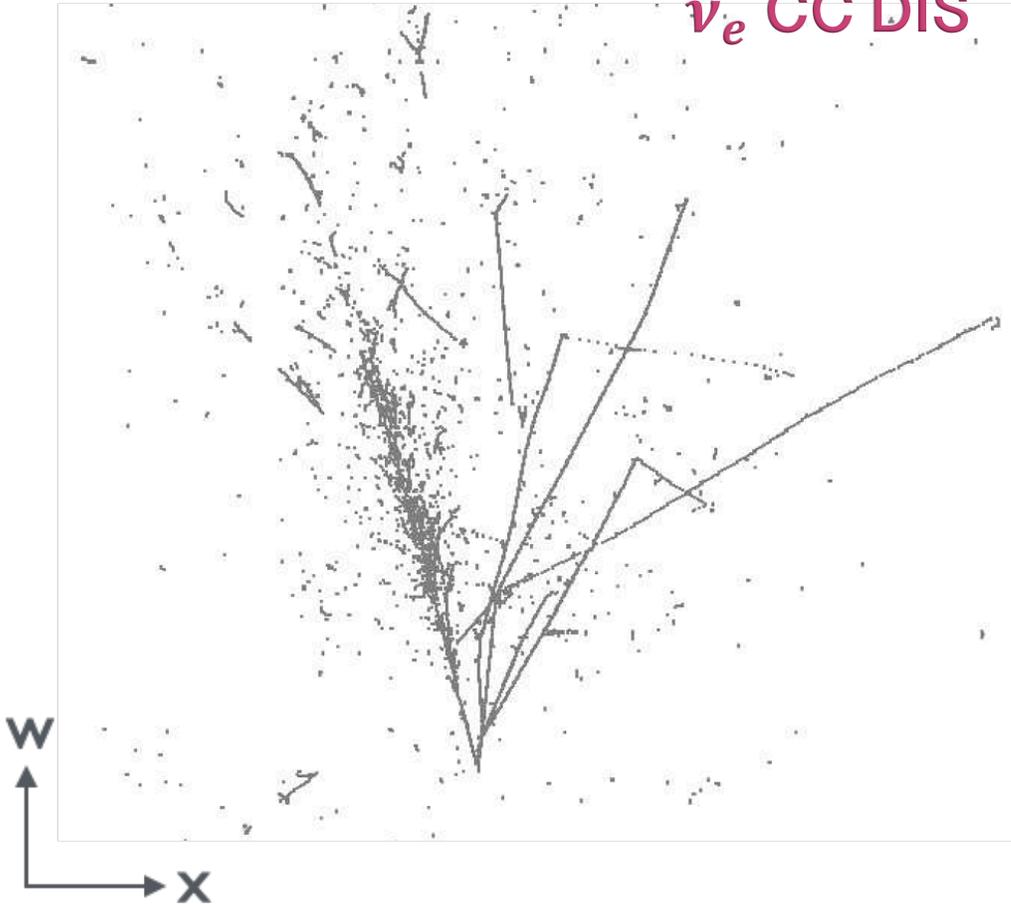
followed by muon decay



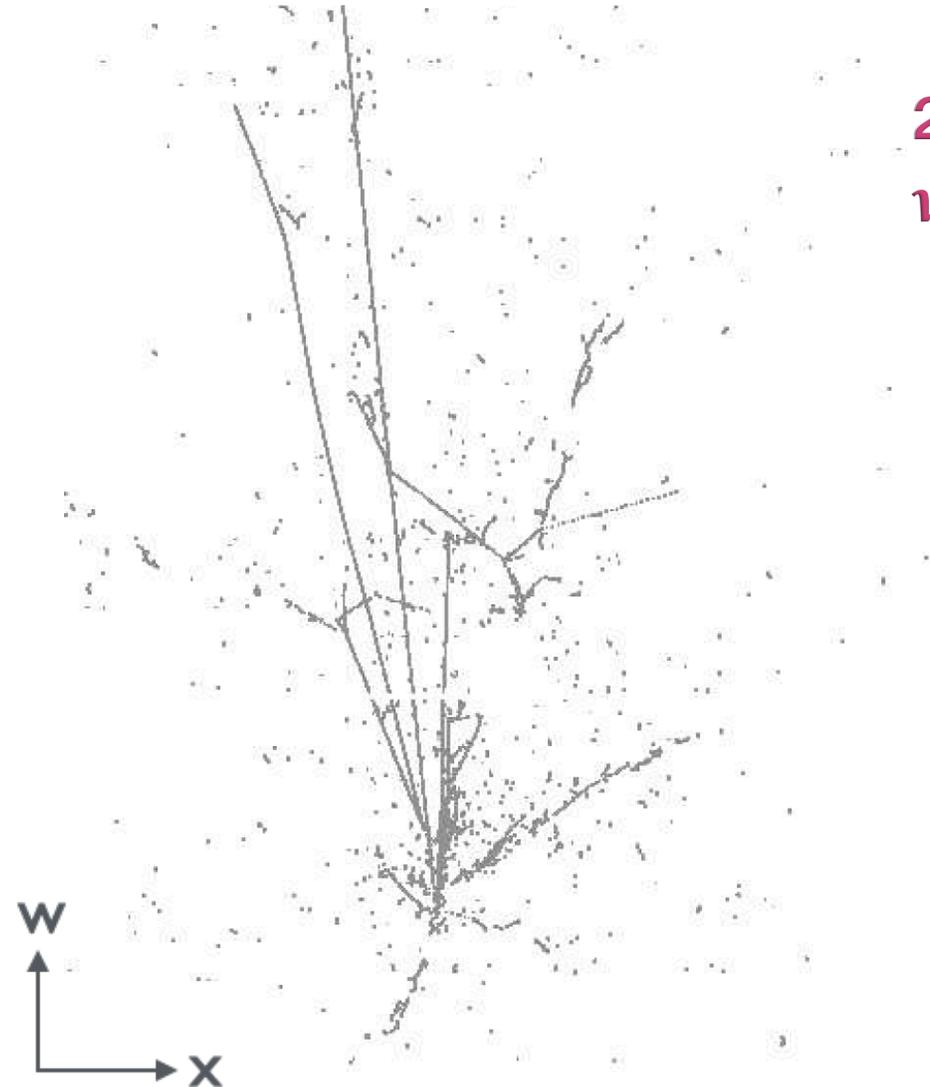
Complex, diverse topologies



12.7 GeV
 ν_e CC DIS

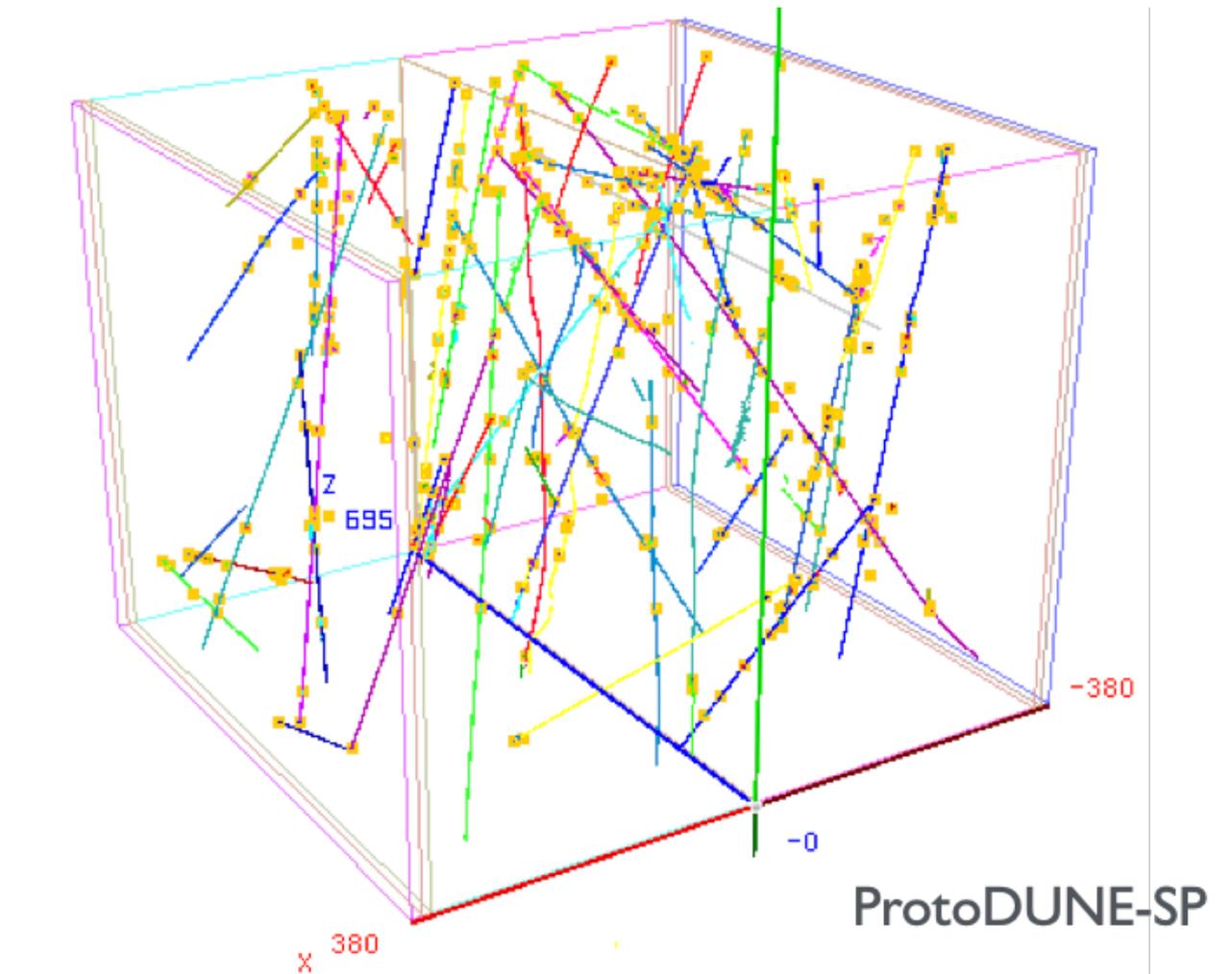


26.8 GeV
 ν_μ CC DIS



- Long exposures due to lengthy drift times (\sim ms)
→ significant cosmic ray background in surface-based detectors

Single clustering approach unlikely to work for such complex topologies!

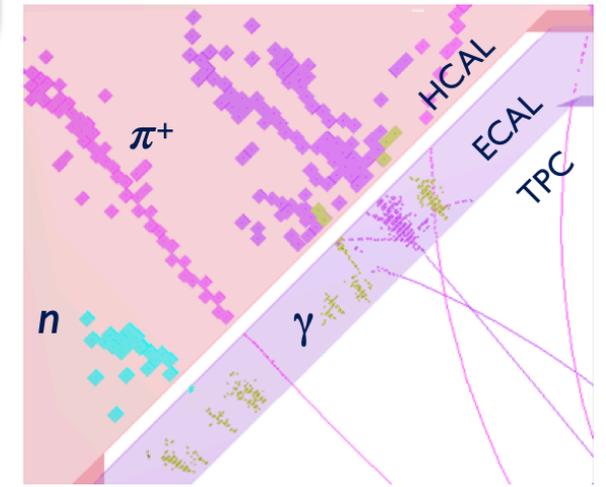


The Pandora multi-algorithm approach

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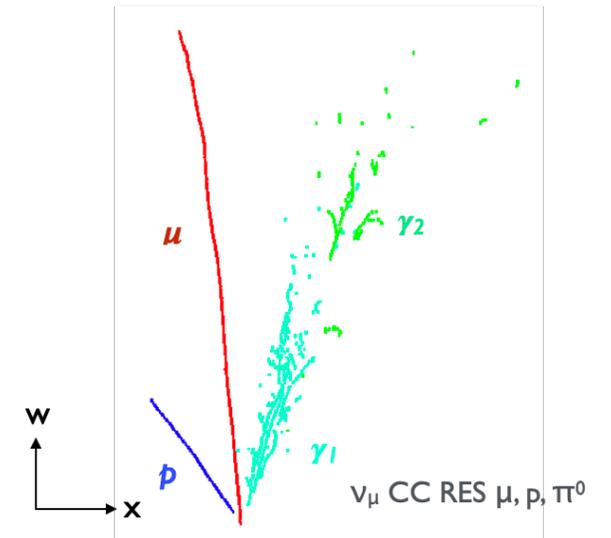
- Pandora uses a **multi-algorithm** approach
 - Build up events gradually
 - Large numbers of algorithms, each addressing specific event topologies - more sophisticated as picture of event develops
 - Each step is incremental - aim not to make mistakes
 - Build physics and detector knowledge into algorithms

**“Tried and tested” approach:
ILC/CLIC, SBND, Icarus, MicroBooNE...**



Typical ILC event topologies - 3D
NIMA.2009.09.009 NIMA.2012.10.038

BNB interaction at MicroBooNE - 3 x 2D



Two chains created for LArTPC use, with many algorithms in common

PandoraCosmic

- Strongly track-oriented
- Showers assumed to be delta rays, added as daughters of primary muons
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PandoraNu/TestBeam

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2D Reconstruction

3D Track Reconstruction

Delta-Ray Reconstruction

3D Hit Reconstruction

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2D Reconstruction

3D Vertex Reconstruction

Track and shower Reconstruction

Particle Refinement

Particle Hierarchy Reconstruction

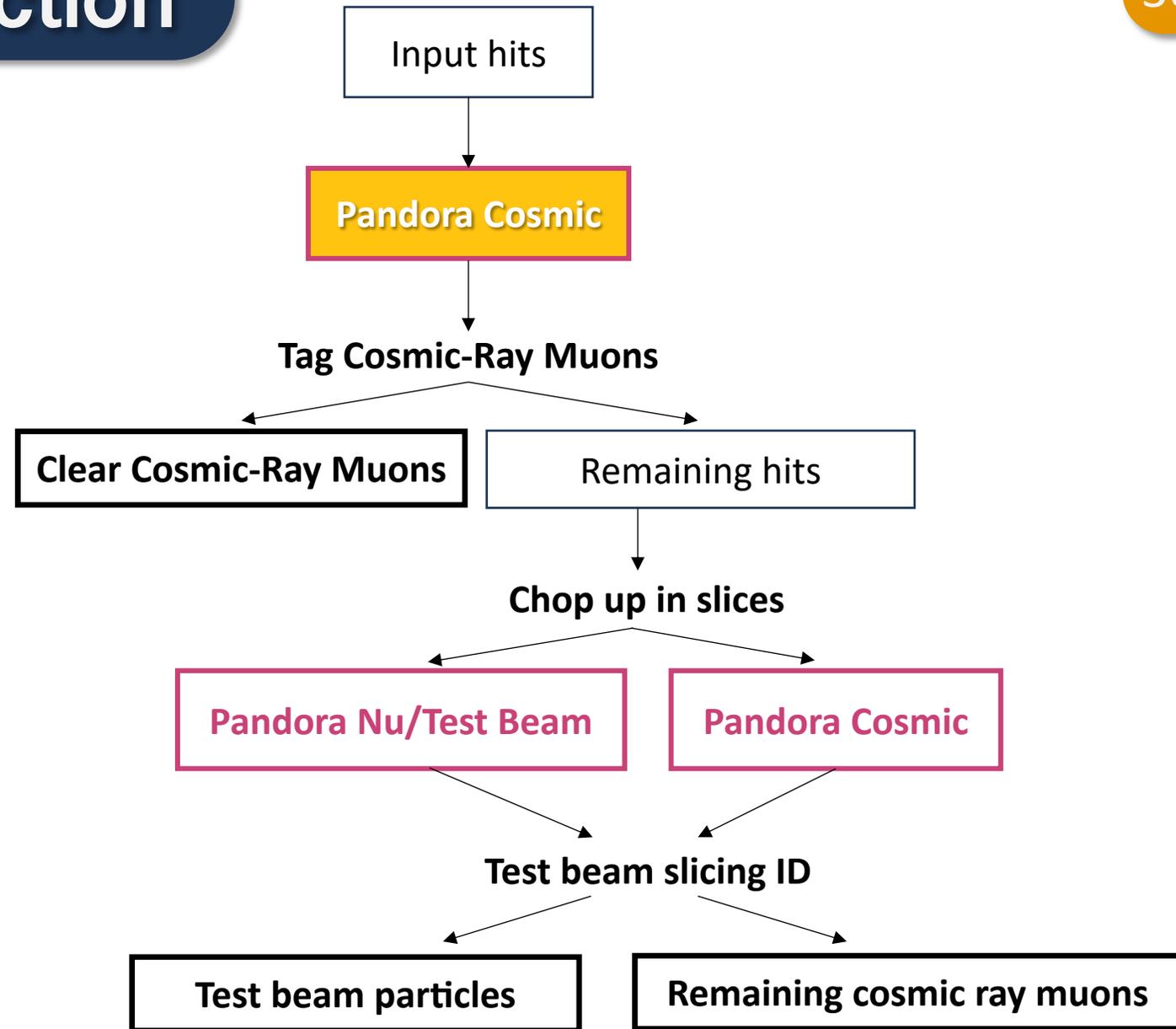
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Cosmic and **Neutrino/Test Beam**

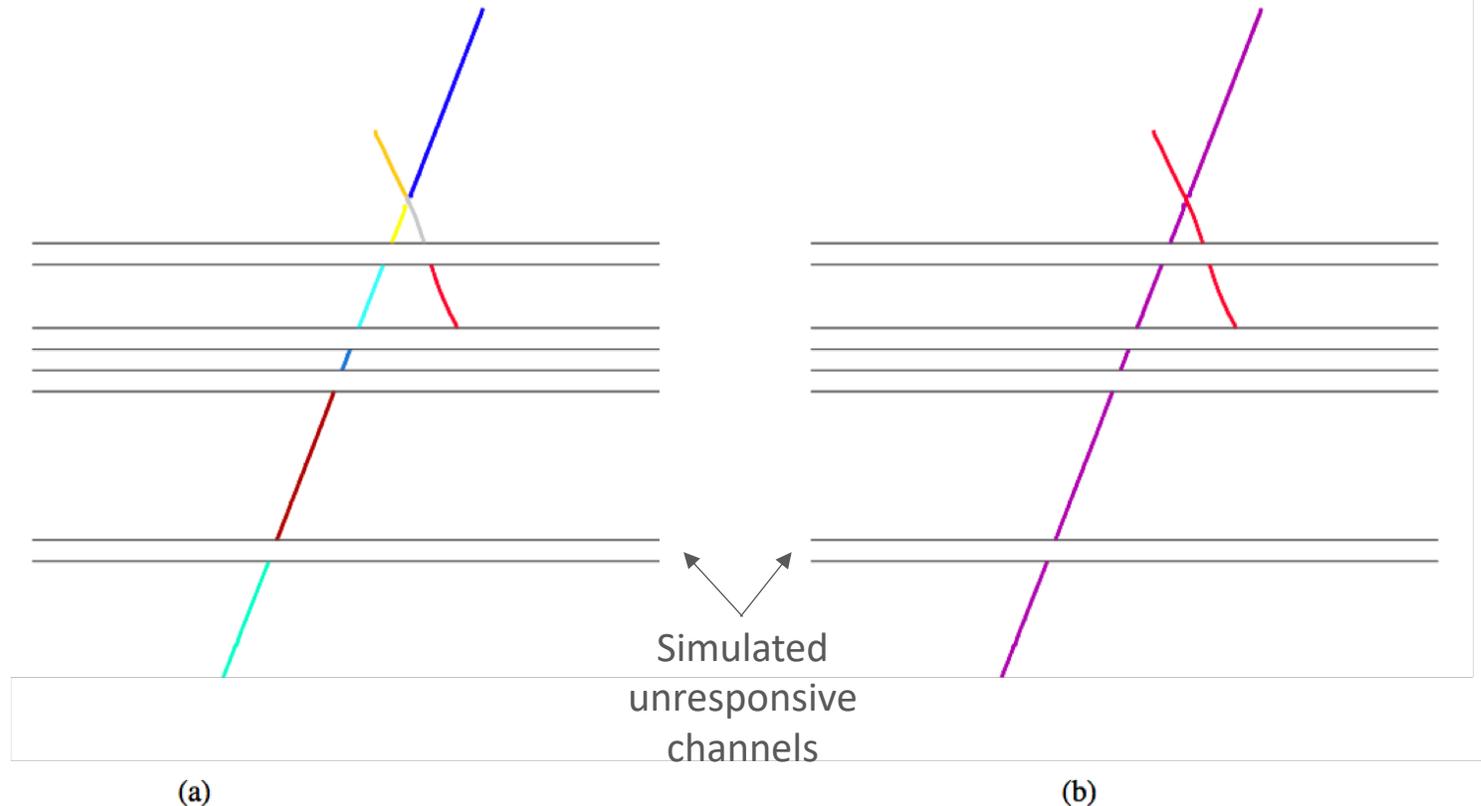
1. Cosmic reconstruction on all particles
2. Clear cosmic muons tagged
3. 3D slicing on remaining hits
4. Cosmic and Test Beam reconstruction on each slice
5. Best output selected



- For each plane, produce list of 2D clusters that represent continuous, unambiguous lines of hits
- Separate clusters for each structure, with clusters starting/stopping at each branch or ambiguity
- Clusters refined by series of 15 cluster-merging and cluster-splitting algorithms

Example Crossing cosmic ray muons

w , wire position
 x , drift position



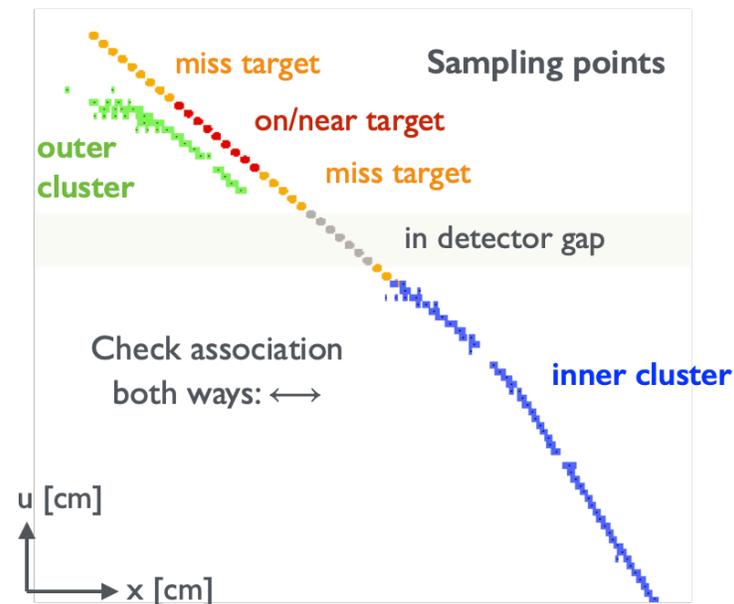
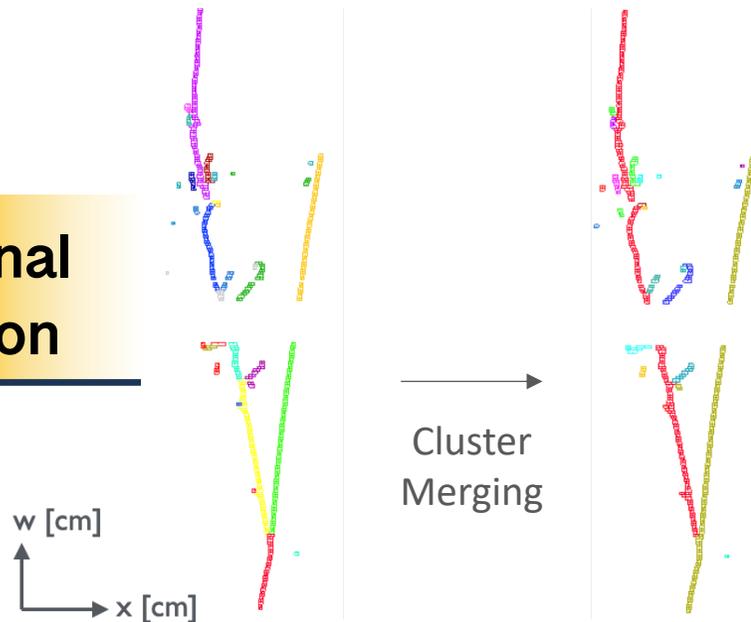
- E.g. **cluster-merging algorithms** identify associations between multiple 2D clusters
→ grow the clusters to improve completeness, without compromising purity

Completeness $\frac{\# \text{ shared MC-reco hits}}{\# \text{ hits in MC particle}}$

Purity $\frac{\# \text{ shared MC-reco hits}}{\# \text{ hits in reco cluster}}$

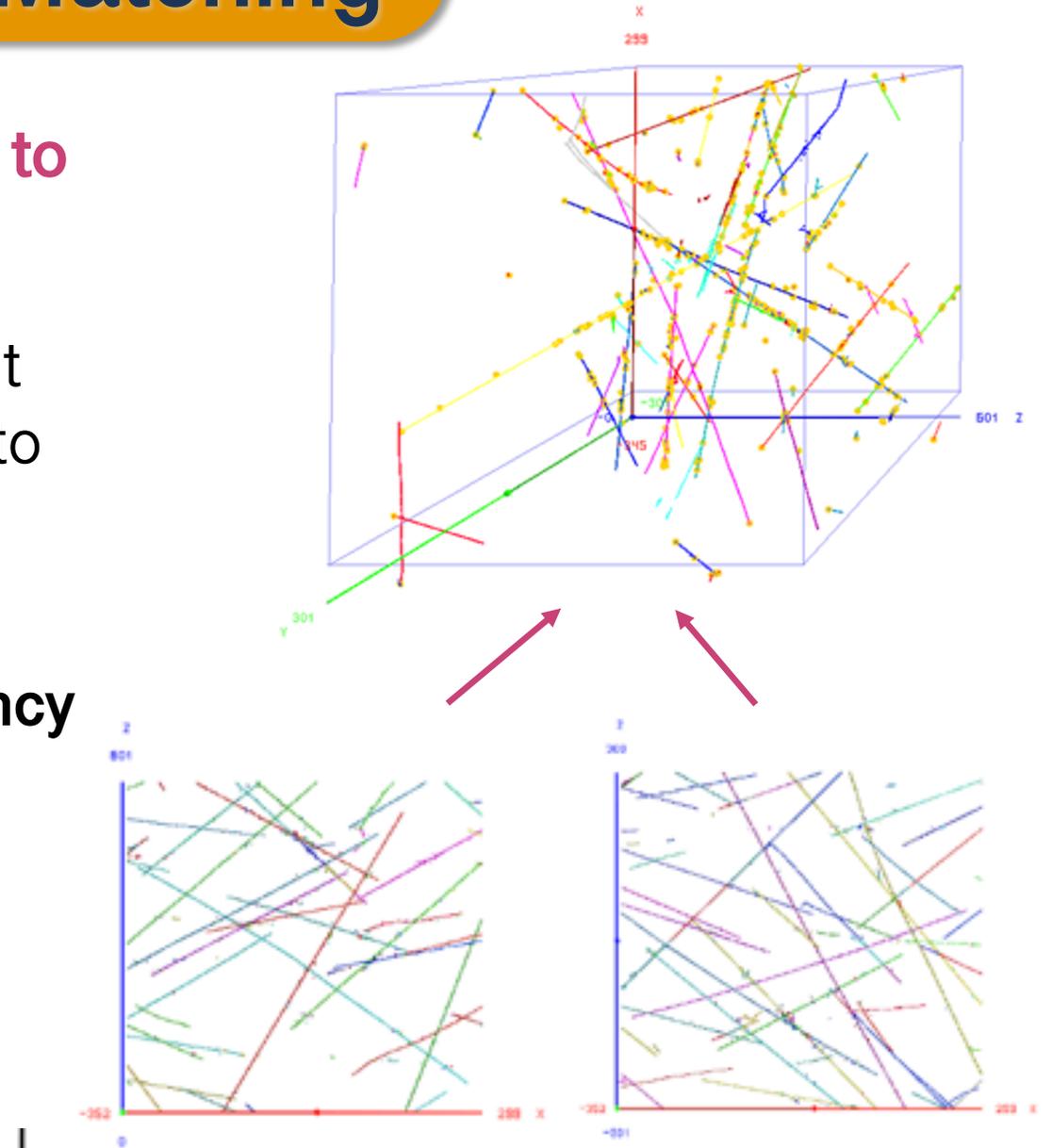
- Make cluster-merging decisions in the context of the **entire event**

Longitudinal Association

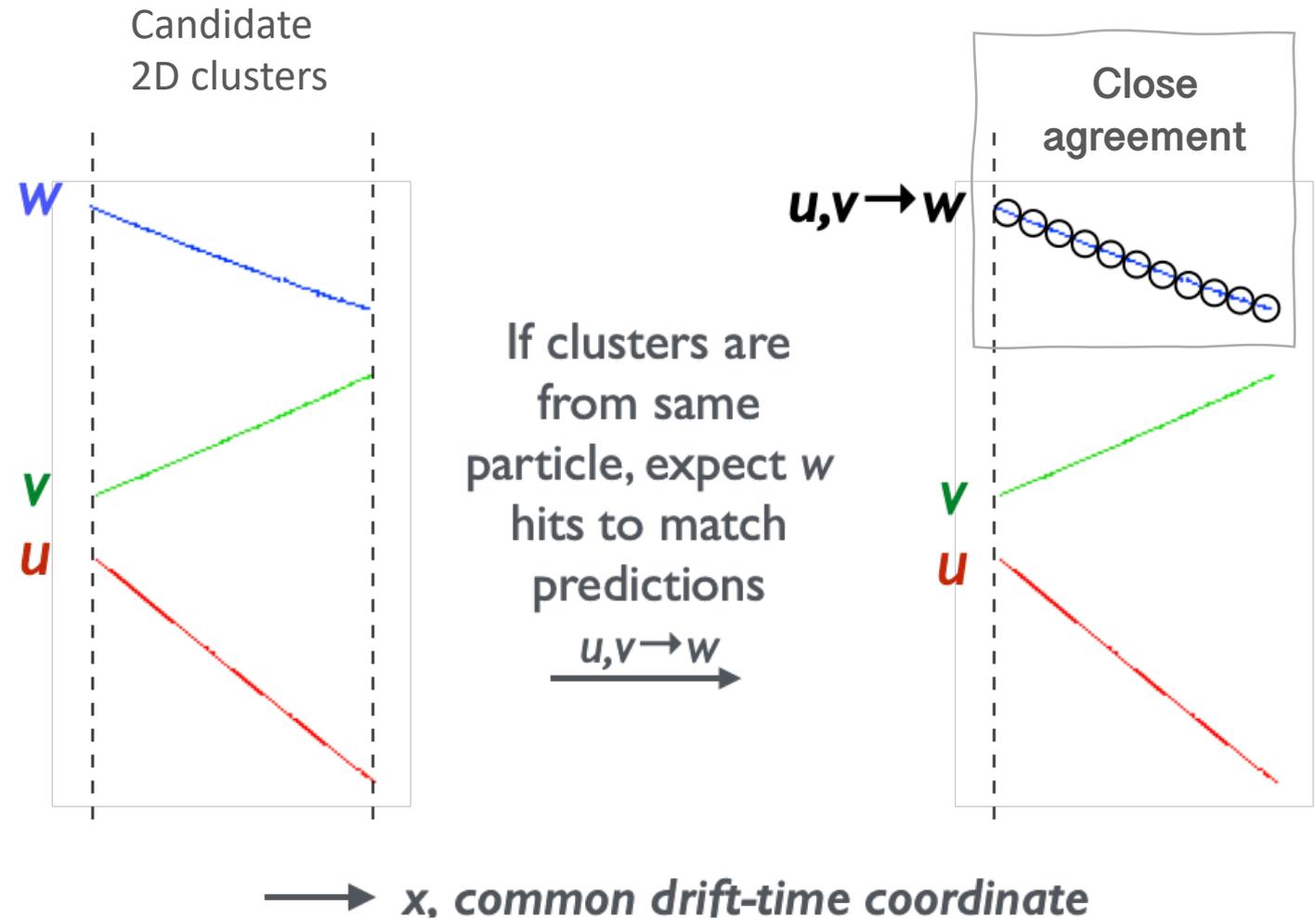


CrossGaps Association

- **Aim: match 2D clusters across views to reconstruct 3D trajectories**
- Only two non-parallel views required, but **redundant information** often necessary to correctly identify matches
- In three-view detectors such as ProtoDUNE-SP we exploit the **redundancy** to match clusters between views
- For two-view detectors such as ProtoDUNE-DP, we utilise **calorimetric information**



- Three separate 2D clusters for each particle
- Compare 2D clusters from three planes to find those representing same particle
- Exploit common drift-time coordinate and wire plane geometry
- In overlap region, compare predictions with cluster positions $\{u, v \rightarrow w, v, w \rightarrow u, w, u \rightarrow v\}$

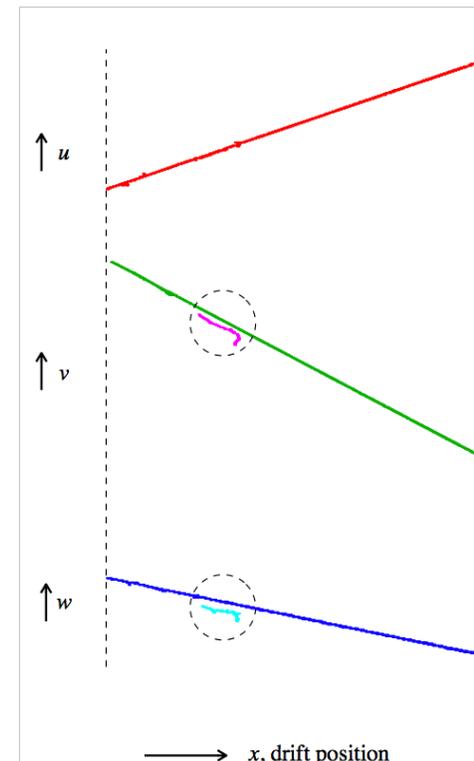
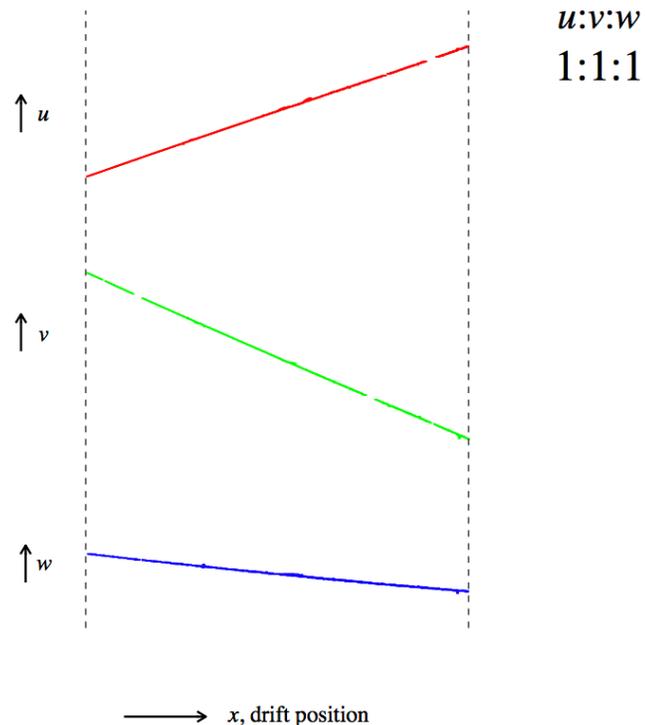


Calculate χ^2 and store all results in 3D array with overlap span and n. sampling points

- Tools use information in 3D array to make 2D reconstruction changes to **resolve any ambiguities**. If a tool makes a change (e.g. splits a cluster), all tools run again.

Clear Tracks Tool

Find unambiguous elements demanding common x-overlap $> 90\%$ for all three clusters.



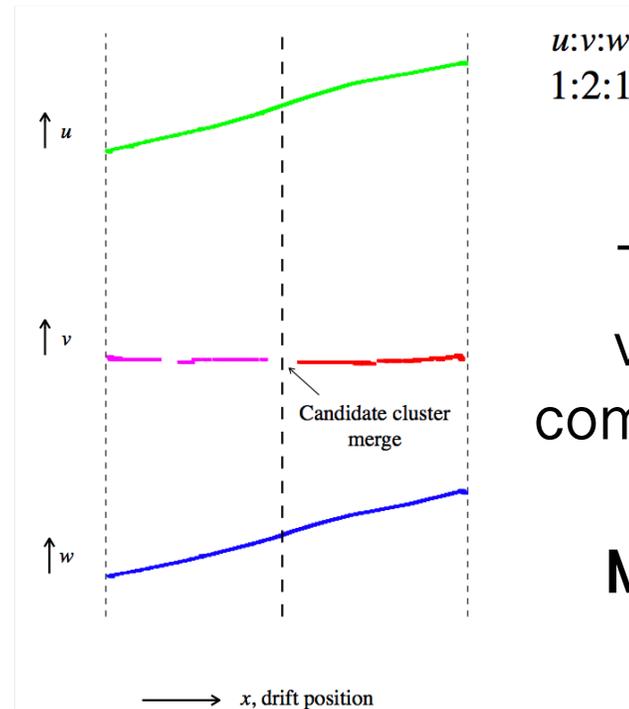
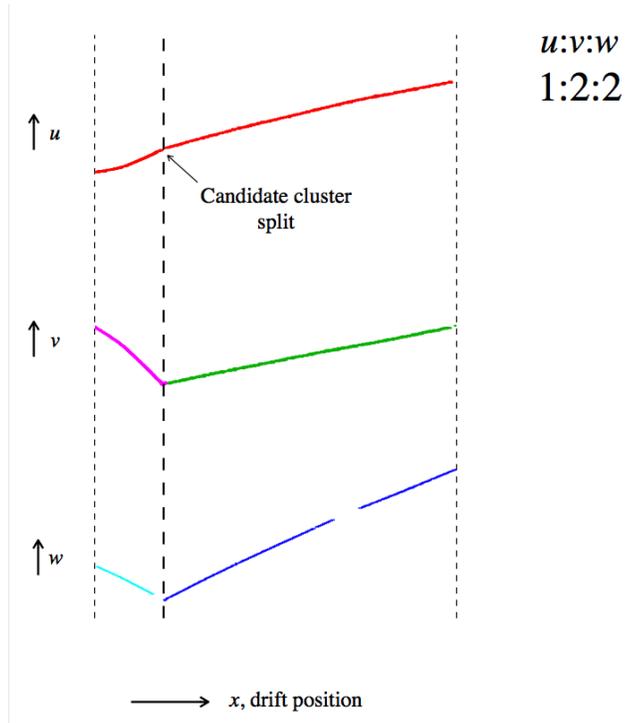
Long Tracks Tool

Resolve **obvious** ambiguities: multiple possible matches, but one element much "better" than others

- Use all connected clusters to **assess whether this is a true 3D kink topology**
- Modify 2D clusters as appropriate (i.e. **merge** or **split**) and update cluster-matching details

Overshoot Tracks Tool

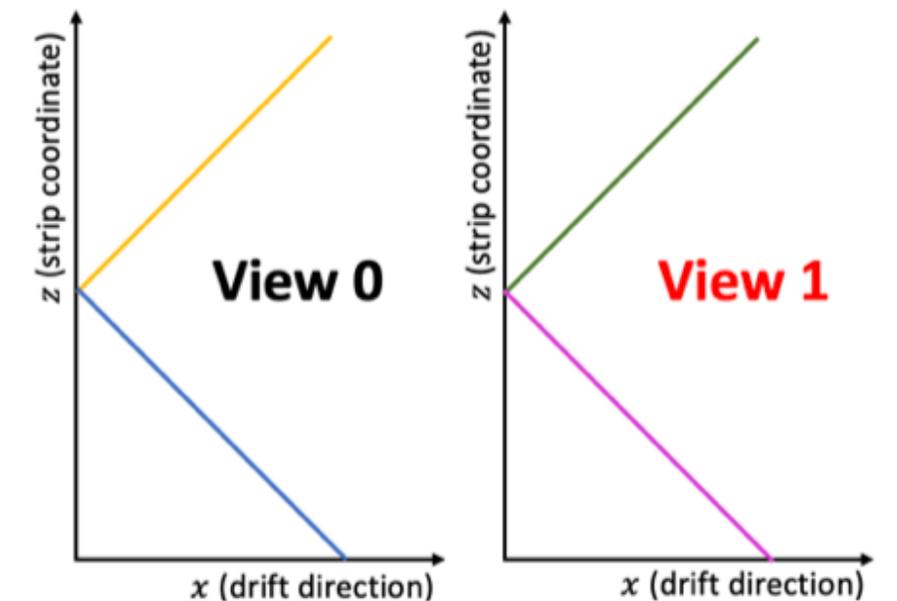
Two clusters in w and v , matched to common u cluster.
Split u cluster.



Undershoot Tracks Tool

Two clusters in v view, matched to common clusters in u and w views.
Merge v clusters.

- **2 Views only** : no redundancy to be exploited, can only match end points
→ the reconstruction can struggle to make correct matches
- Example: Di-muon particle gun Monte Carlo event in ProtoDUNE-DP

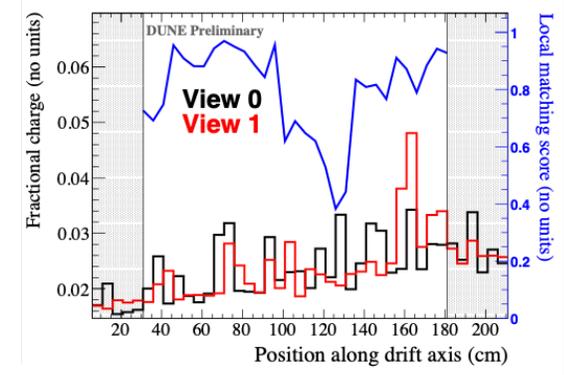
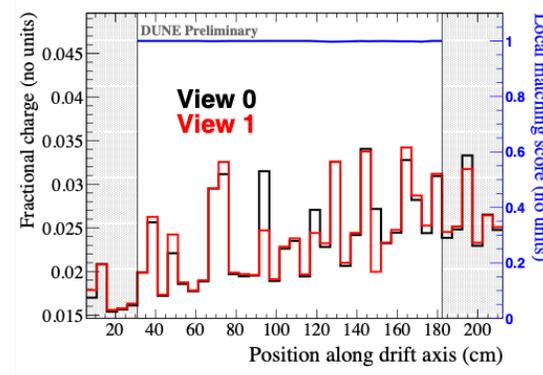
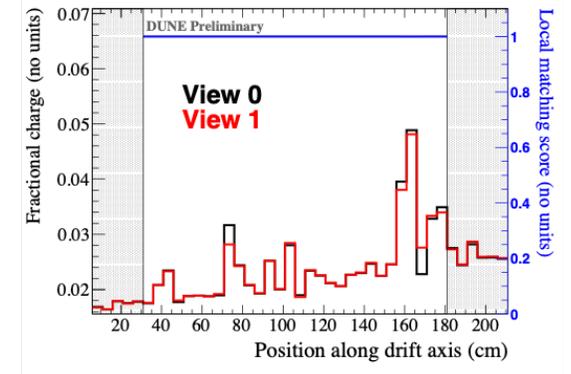
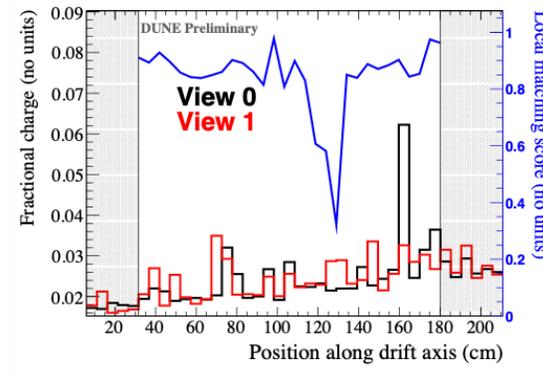


Calorimetric matching procedure

- Identify all cluster combinations
- For each combination, identify overlap region in drift coordinate

- For each possible pair, build fractional charge profiles
- Slide an 11-bin wide window across the profiles, and for each calculate **local matching score**: $L = 1 - p\text{-value}^*$ associated to centre of profile region under window (**blue curve**)
- If correct match, L consistently close to 1
If wrong match, L uniform between 0 and 1
- **Locally matched fraction** = fraction of L values above threshold (0.99)

Store all results in 2D array with locally matched fraction, n. locally matched points, etc.



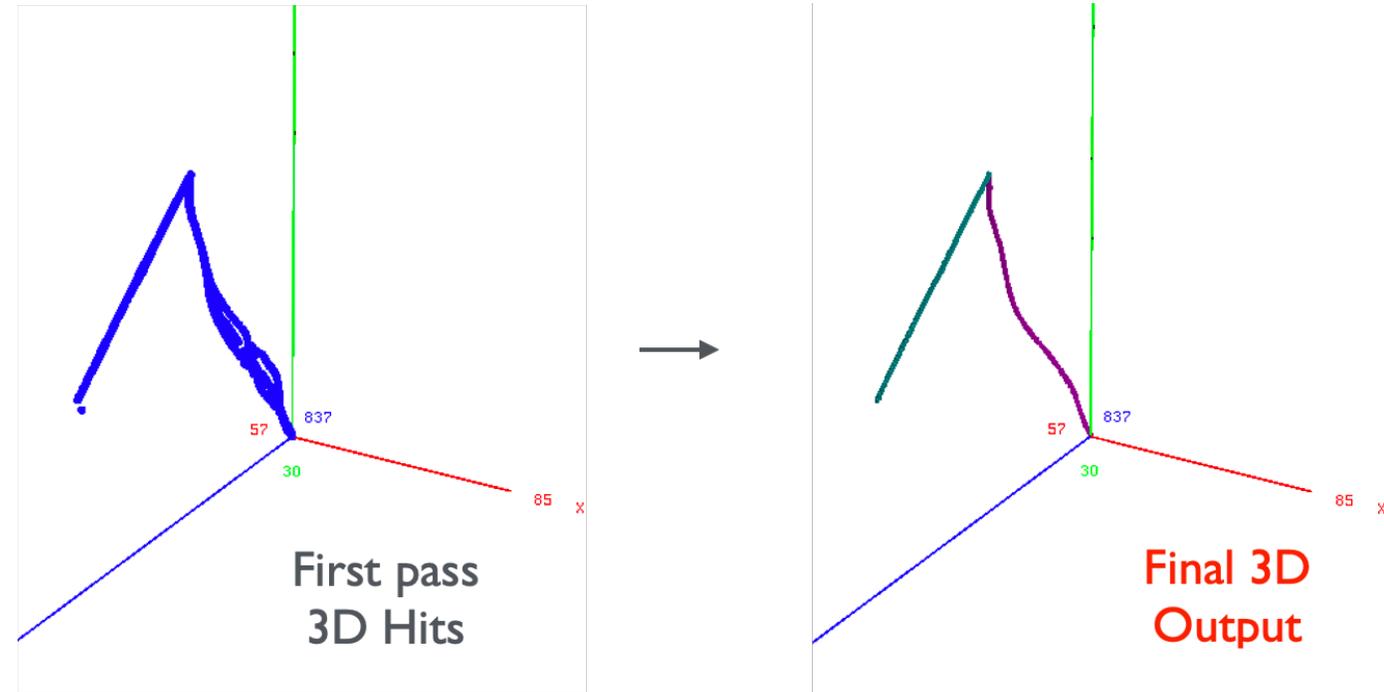
Di-muon particle gun Monte Carlo particle event in ProtoDUNE-DP

* (p-value for measuring a correlation coefficient (r), assuming true $r=0$)

3 Views case

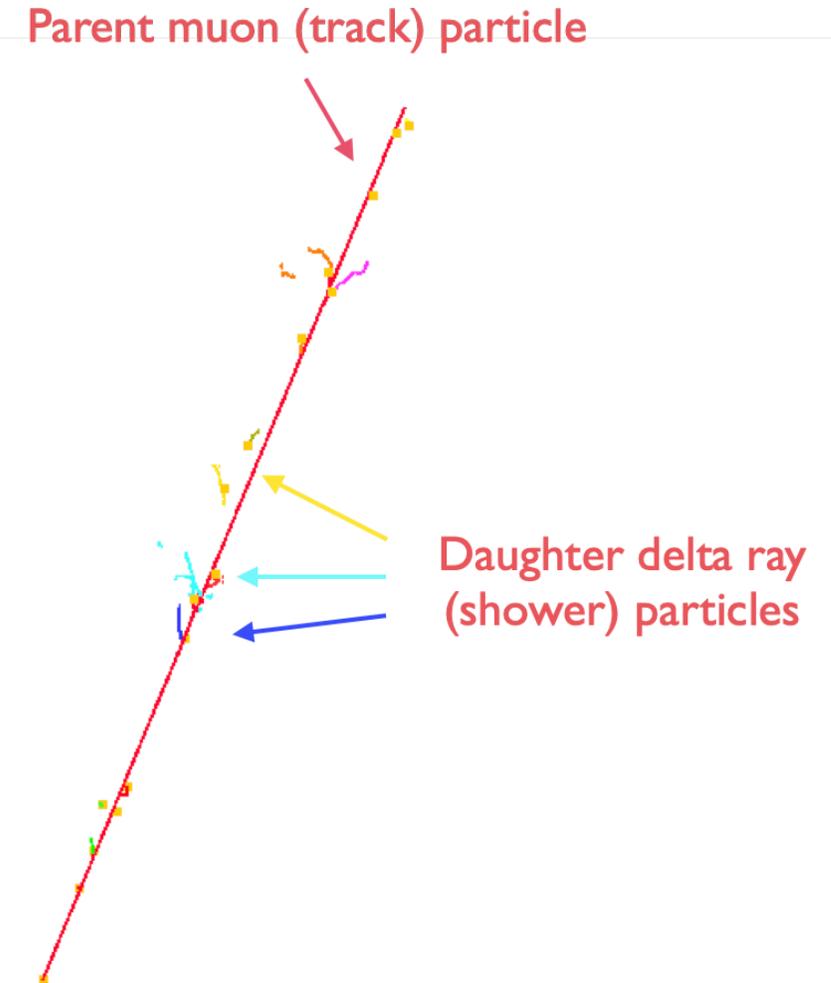
- For each 2D Hit, sample clusters in other views at same x , to provide u_{in} , v_{in} and w_{in} values
- Provided u_{in} , v_{in} and w_{in} values don't necessarily correspond to a specific point in 3D space
- Analytic expression to find 3D space point that is *most consistent* with given u_{in} , v_{in} and w_{in}

$$\begin{aligned}\chi^2 &= (\mathbf{u}_{out} - \mathbf{u}_{in})^2 / \sigma_u^2 \\ &+ (\mathbf{v}_{out} - \mathbf{v}_{in})^2 / \sigma_v^2 \\ &+ (\mathbf{w}_{out} - \mathbf{w}_{in})^2 / \sigma_w^2\end{aligned}$$



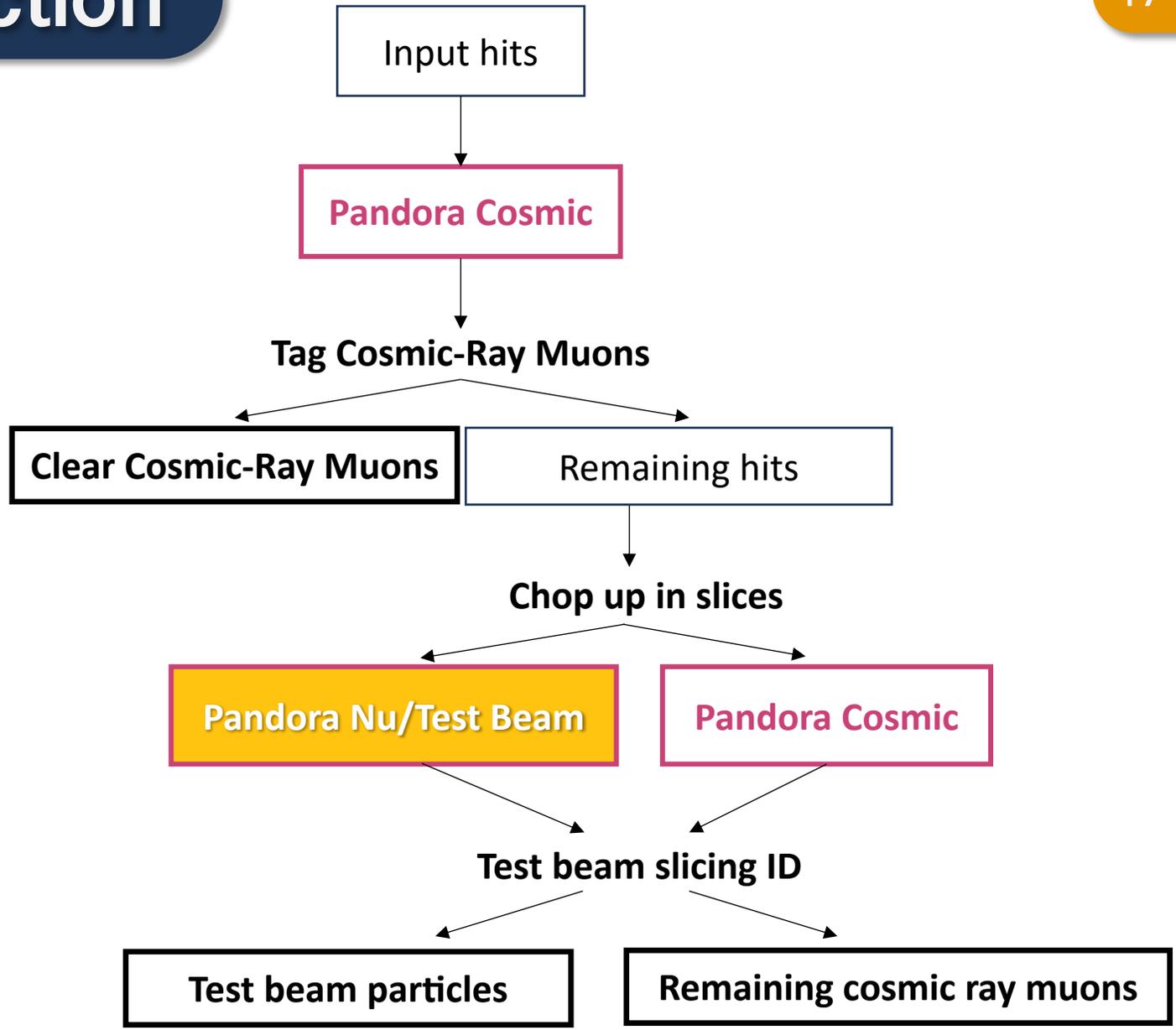
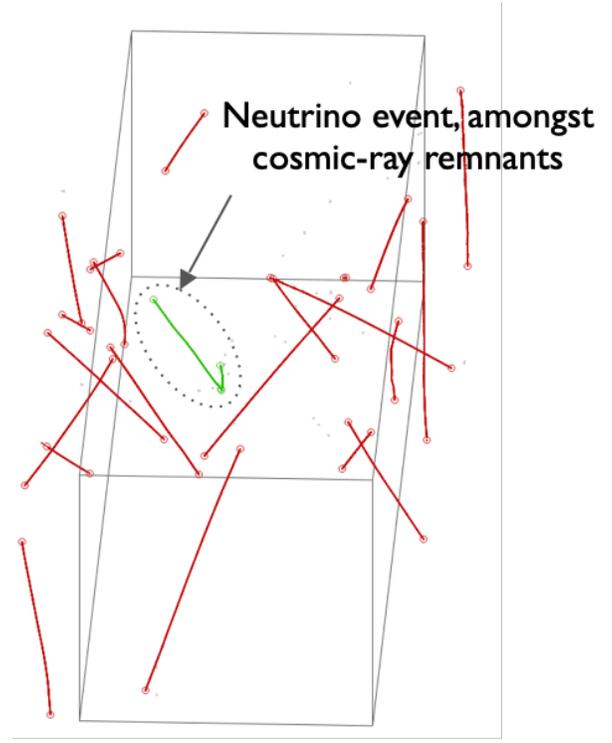
- Write in terms of unknown \mathbf{y} and \mathbf{z} , differentiate wrt y, z and solve
- Can iterate, using fit to current 3D hits (extra terms in χ^2) to produce smooth trajectory

- Assume any 2D clusters not in a track particle are from delta-ray showers
- Delta-ray clusters matched between views, creating delta-ray shower particles
- Parent muon particles identified and delta-ray particles added as daughters.



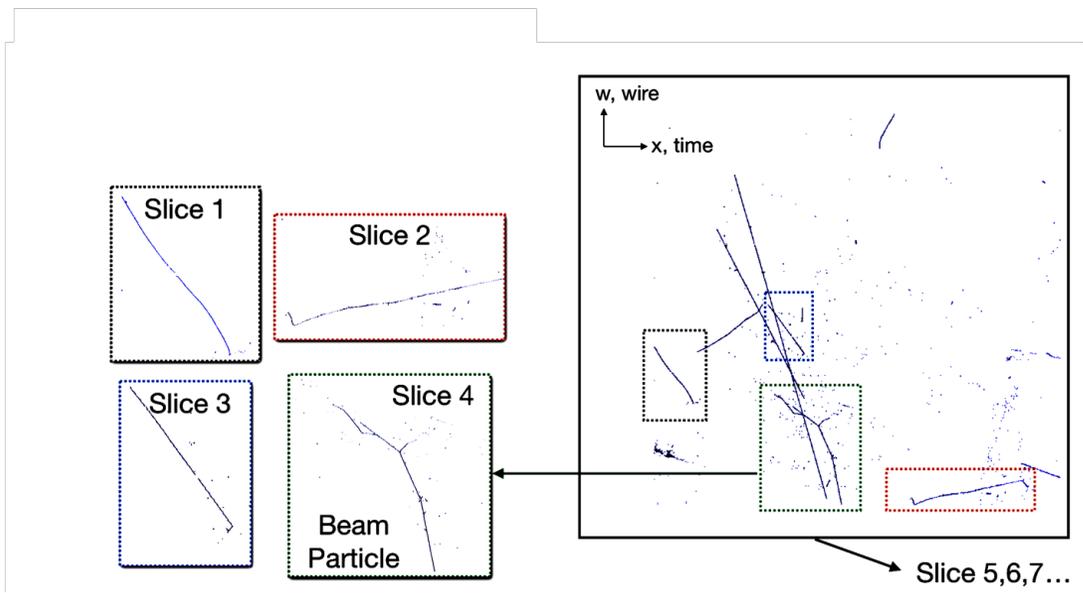
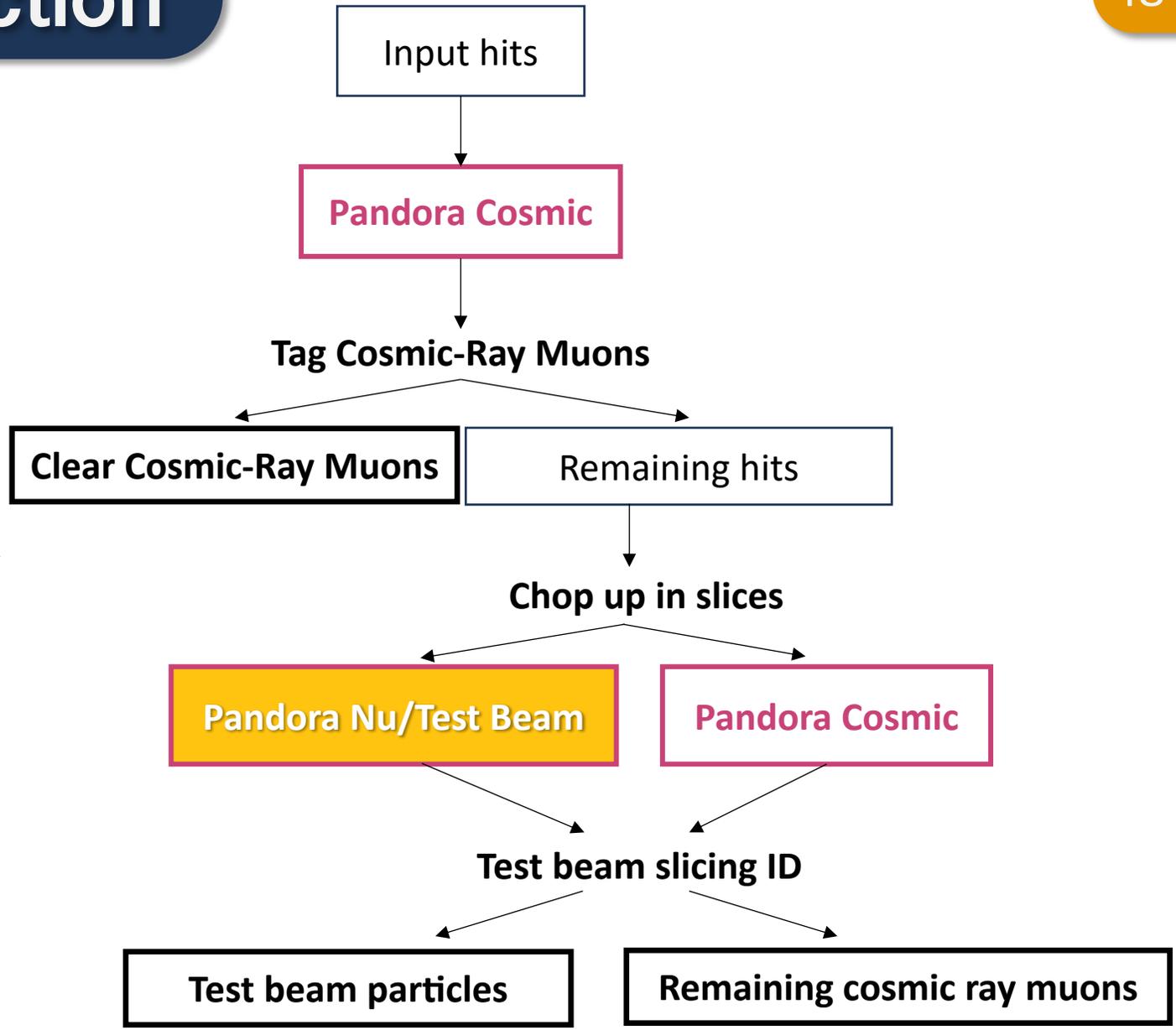
Consolidated Reconstruction

- After cosmic reconstruction is performed, clear cosmic rays are tagged;
- Must be able to deal with presence of any cosmic-ray muon remnants!



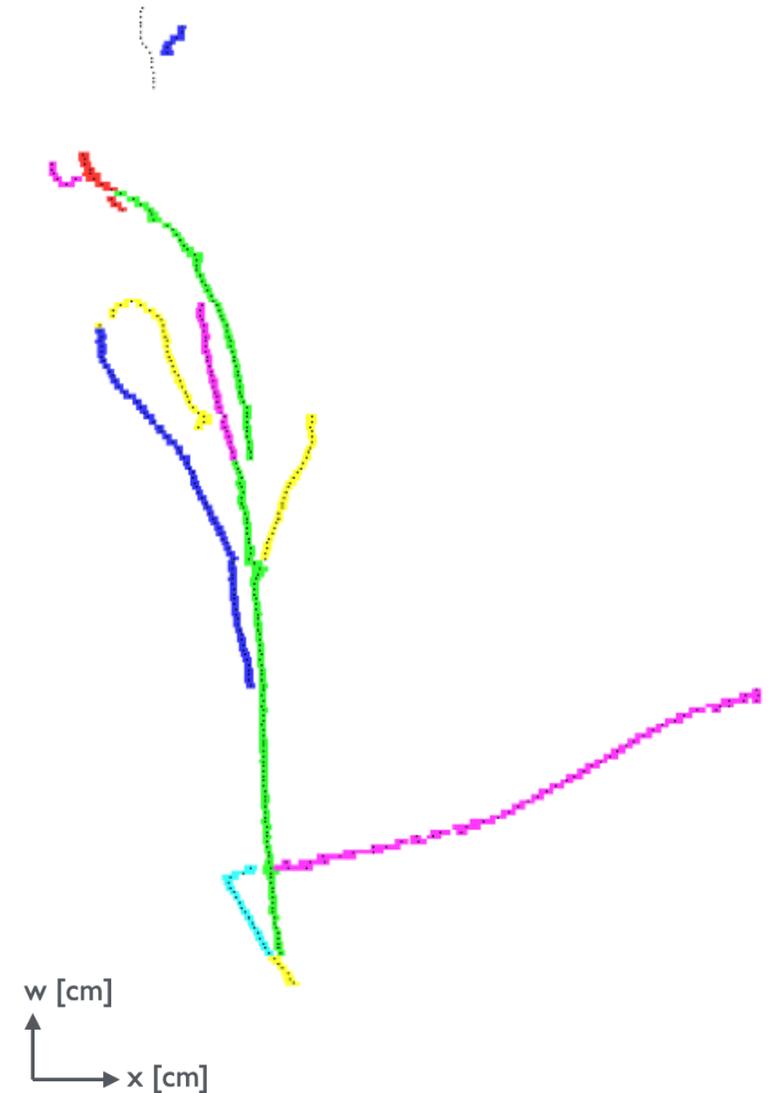
Consolidated Reconstruction

- “Chop up” remaining 3D hits into separate slices, one per interaction, and process each slice in isolation;
- Each slice ⇒ candidate neutrino particle. Cosmic and neutrino reconstructions both run on each slice!



Neutrino pass reuses track-oriented clustering and topological association.

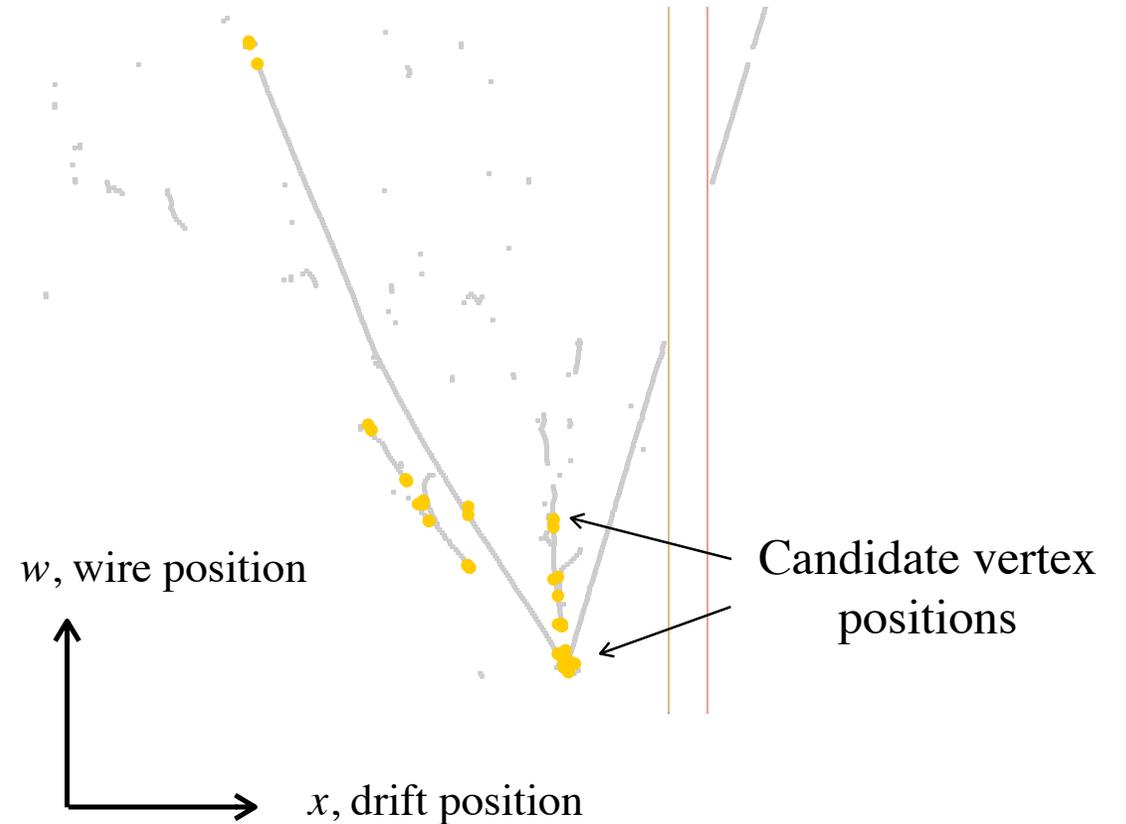
- Track reconstruction identical as in the cosmic chain
- Topological association algorithms must handle rather more complex topologies
- Specific effort to reconstruct neutrino interaction vertex
- More sophisticated efforts to reconstruct showers.



Search for neutrino interaction vertex

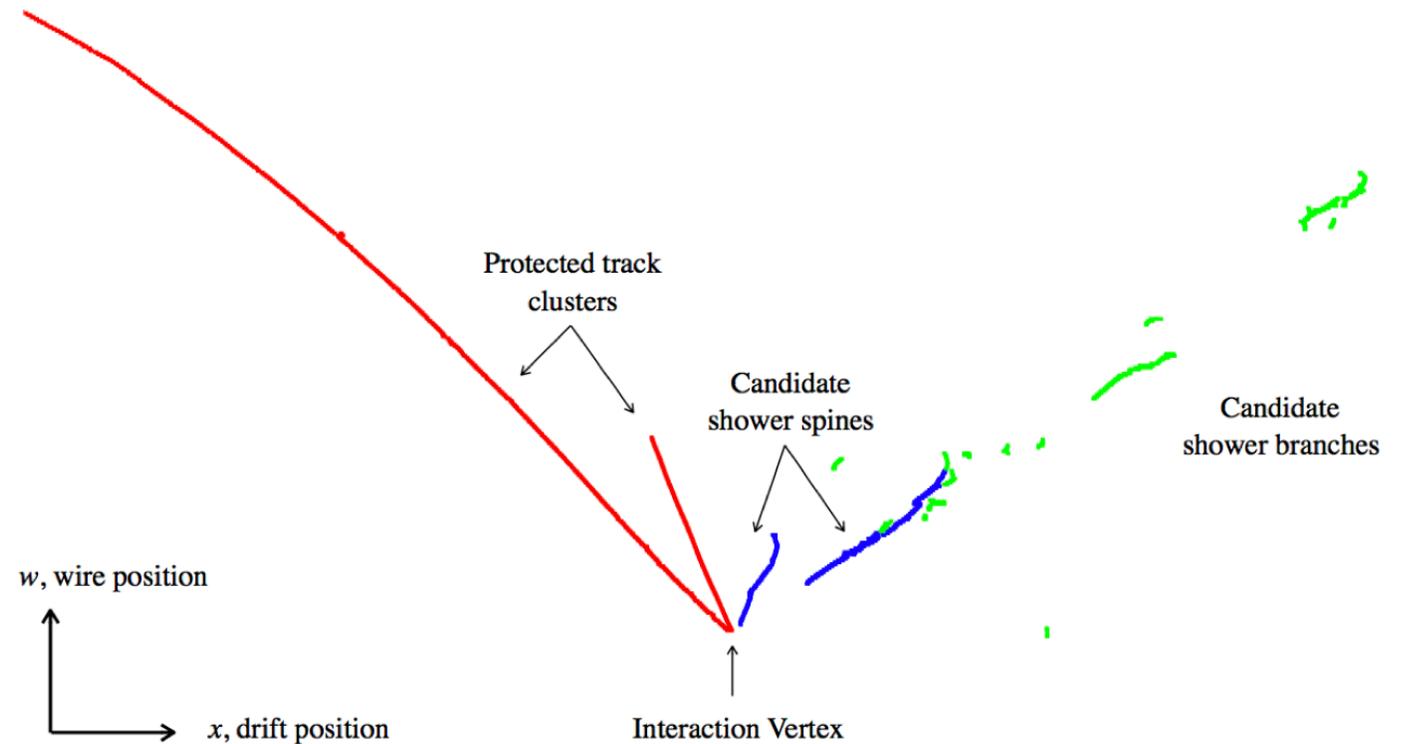
- Use pairs of 2D clusters to produce list of possible 3D vertex candidates
- Examine candidates, calculate a score for each and select the best
- Selection uses Boosted Decision Trees and a Convolutional Neural Network

Vertex used to split 2D clusters and protect primary particles when growing showers

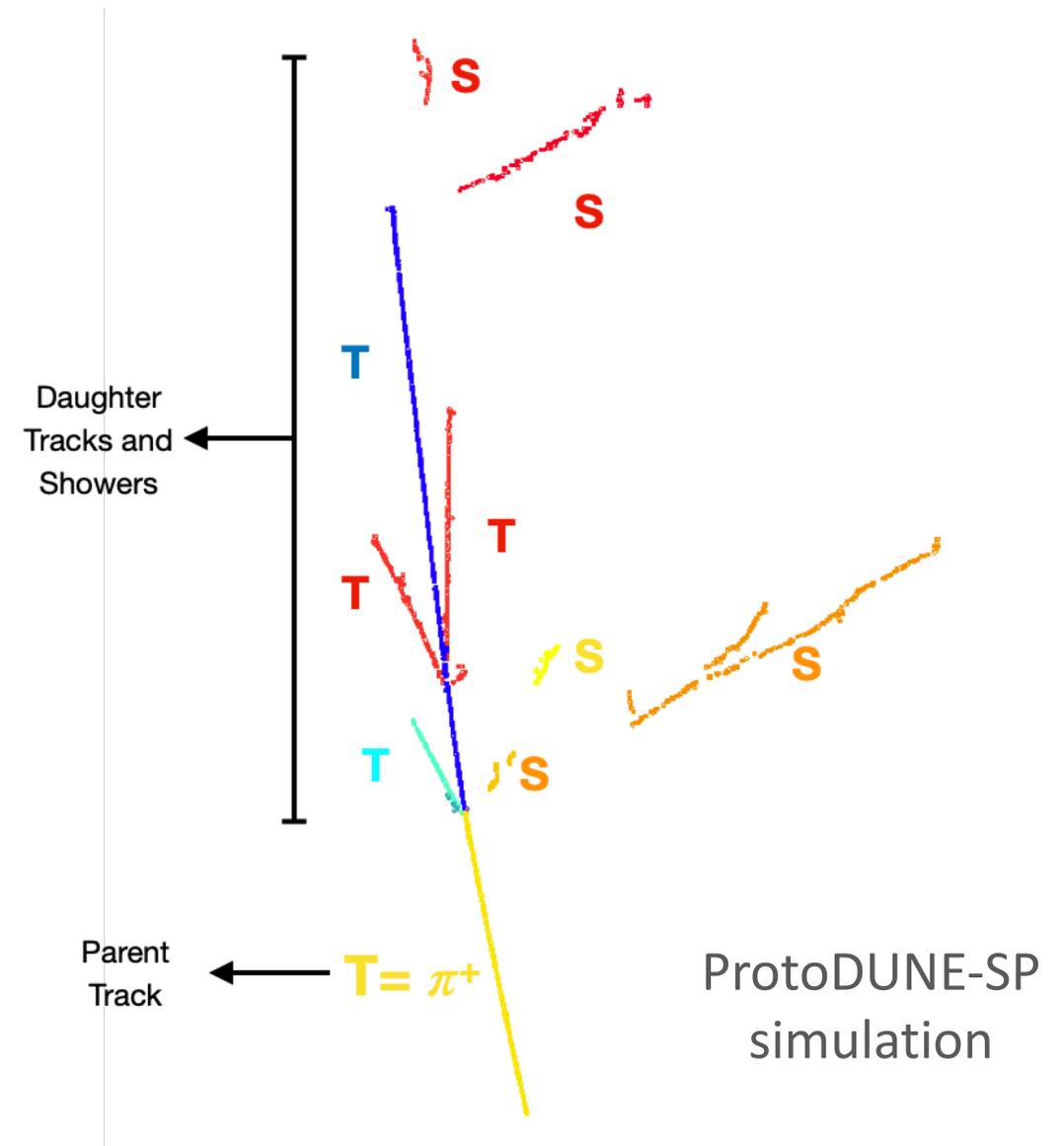


Attempt to reconstruct primary electromagnetic showers, from electrons and photons

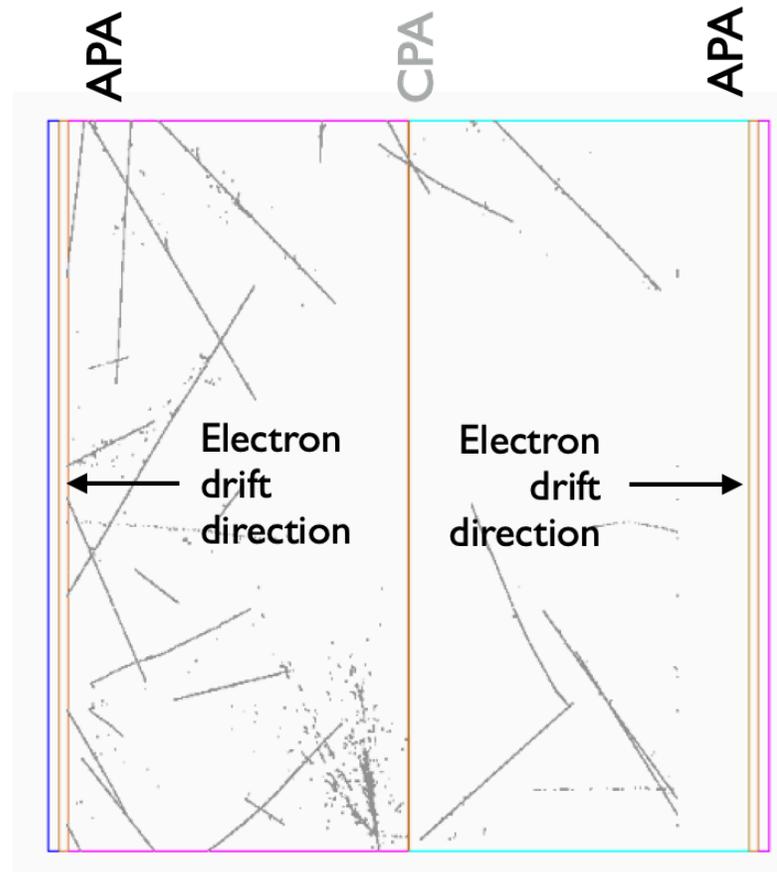
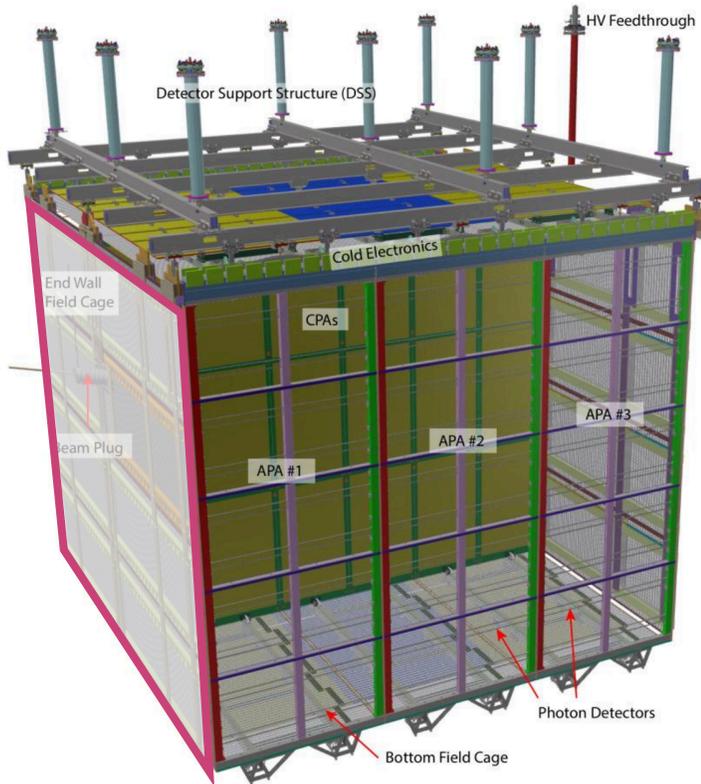
- Characterise 2D clusters as track-like or shower-like
- Use topological properties to identify shower spines
- Add shower-like branch clusters to shower-like spine clusters
- Recursively identify branches on the top-level spine candidate, then branches on branches, etc.



Use 3D clusters to organise particles into a hierarchy, working outwards from interaction vertex



Multiple drift volumes, complex topologies (CERN test beam) and significant cosmic-ray background (surface detector)

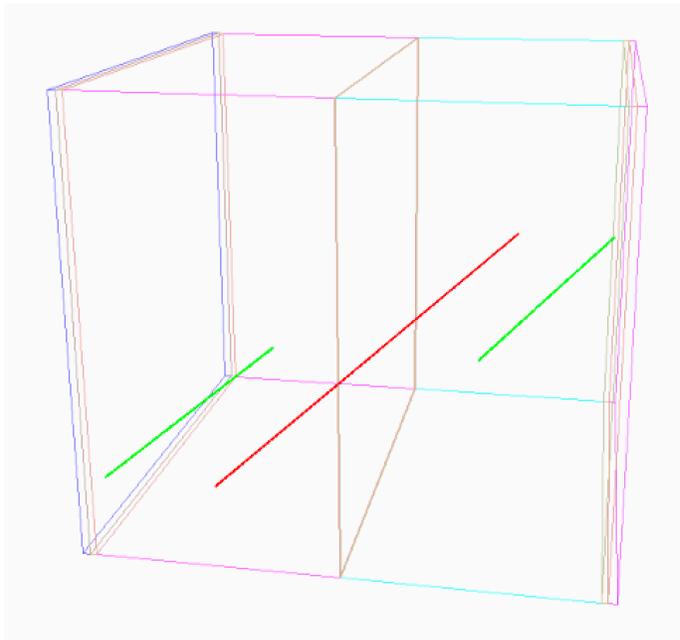


An ideal testing ground for LArTPC pattern recognition

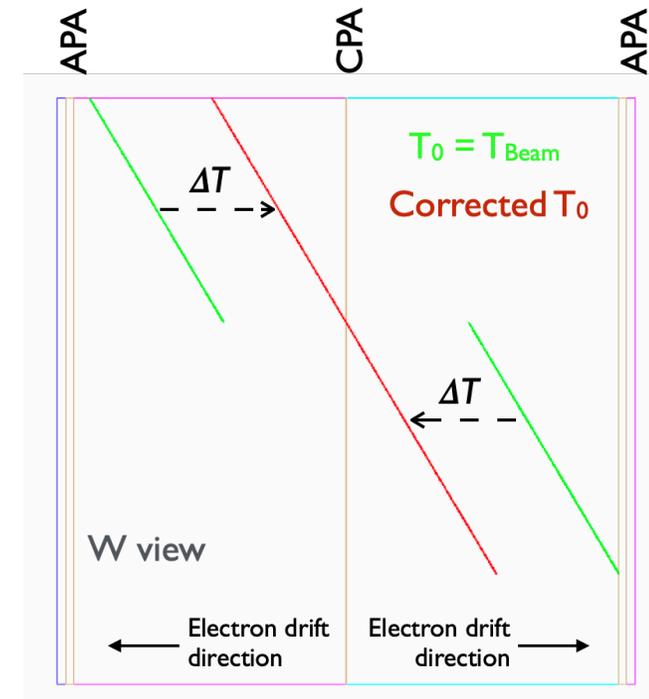
Reconstruction is first performed in each drift volume separately

In a LArTPC image, one coordinate derived from drift times of ionisation electrons

- **Only know electron arrival times, not actual drift times:** need to know start time, T_0
- For beam particles, can use time of beam spill to set T_0 , but unknown for cosmic rays
- Place all hits assuming $T_0 = T_{\text{Beam}}$, but can identify T_0 for any cosmic rays crossing volumes



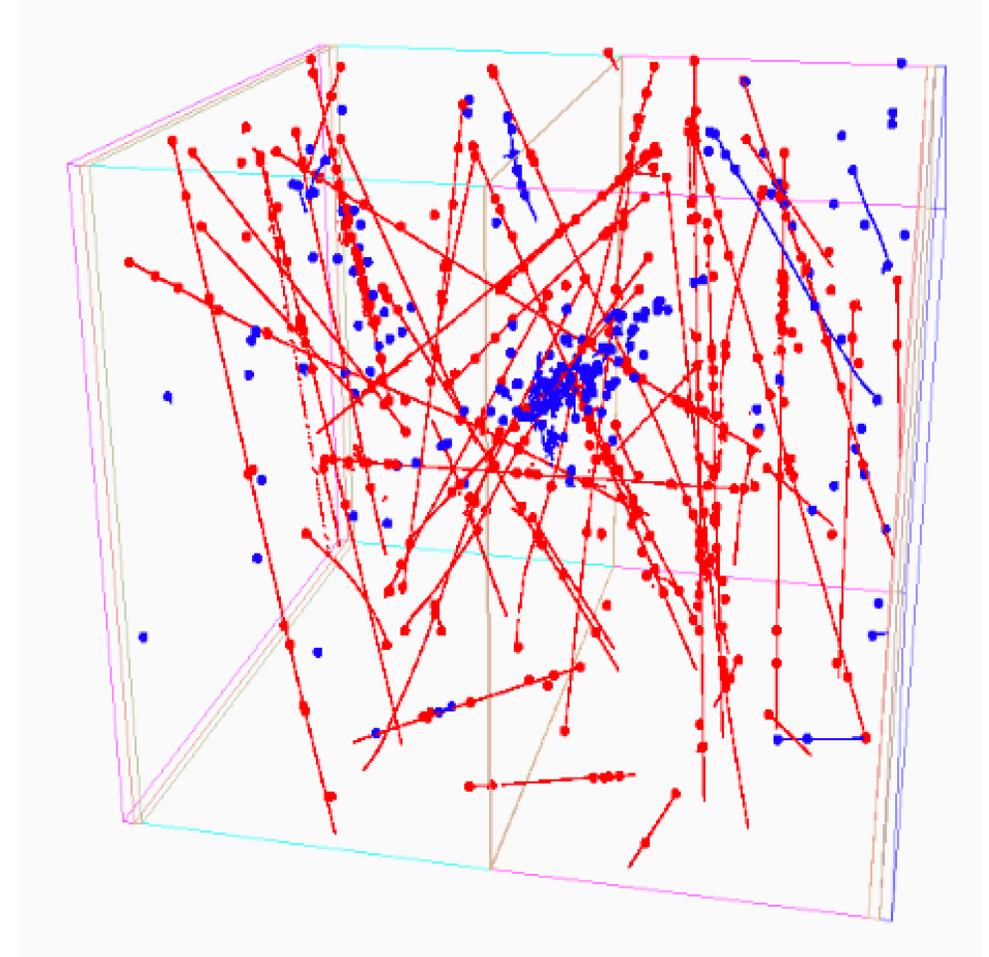
Stitch together any
cosmic rays crossing
between volumes,
identifying T_0



Identify clear cosmic rays (**red**) and hits to re-examine under test beam hypothesis (**blue**)

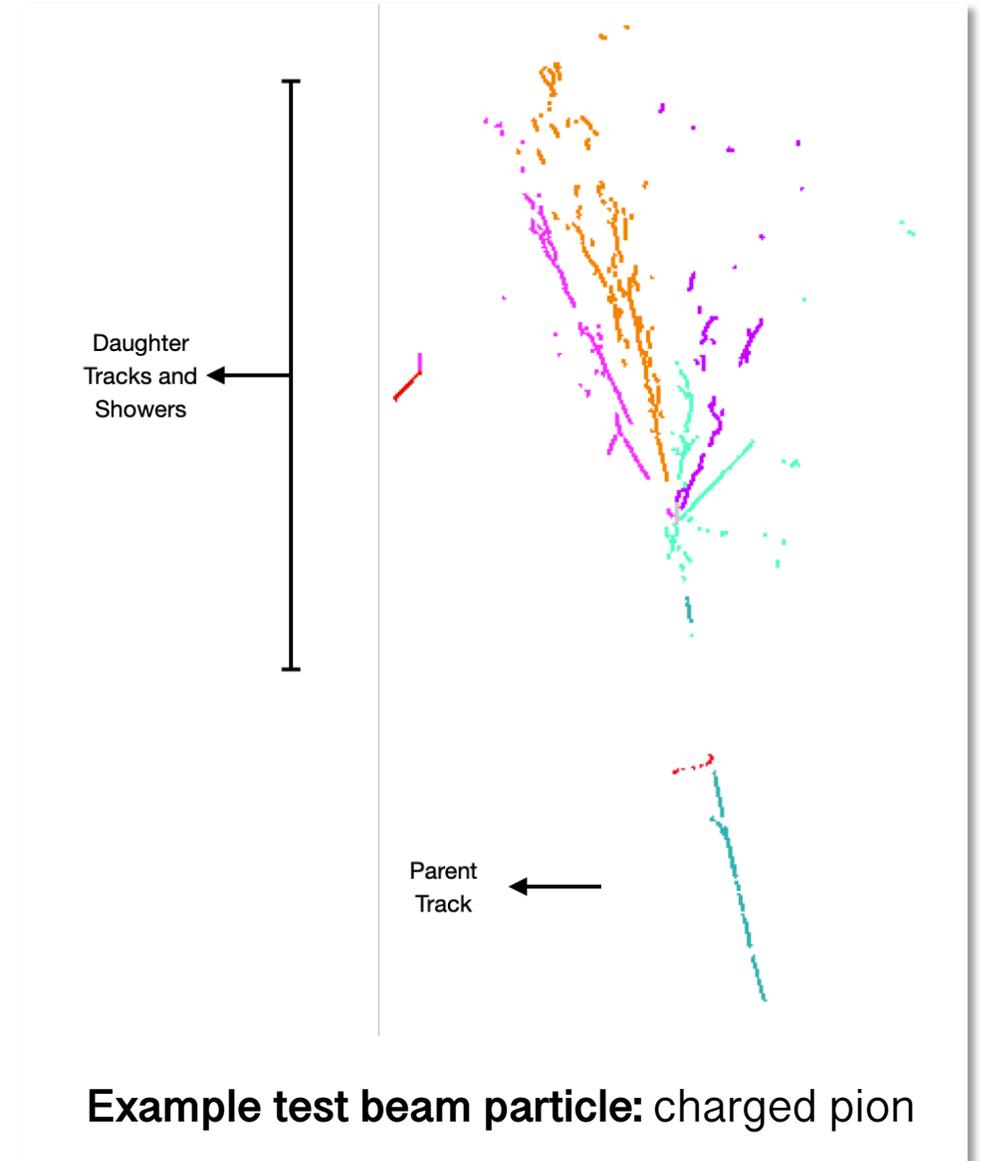
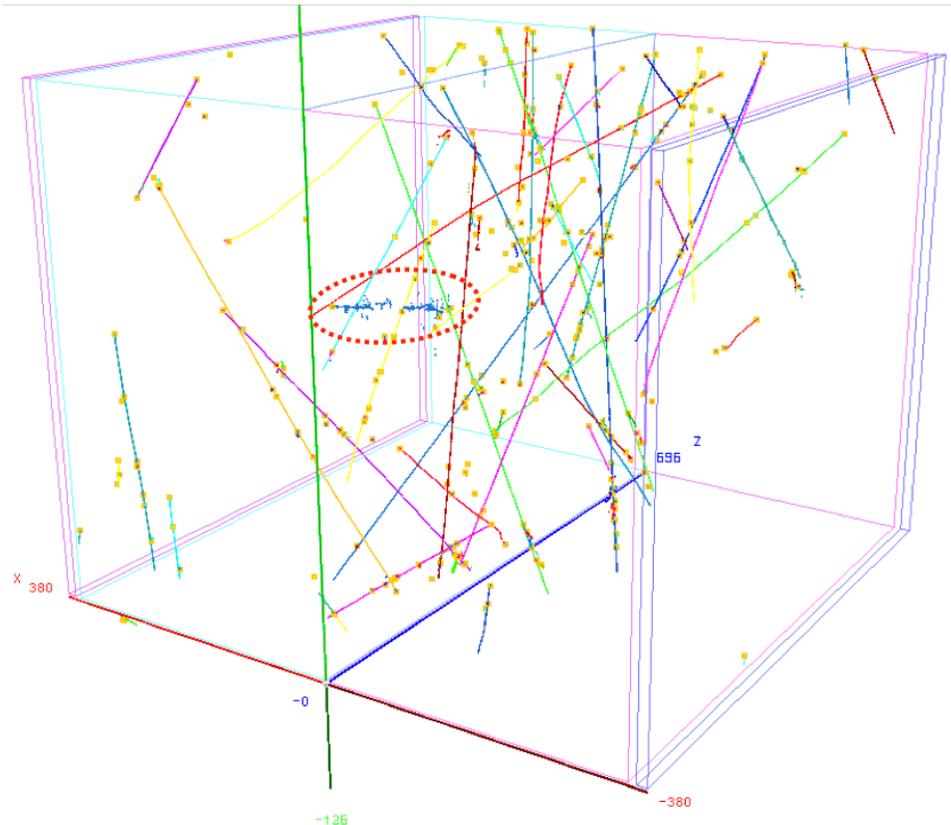
Clear cosmic rays:

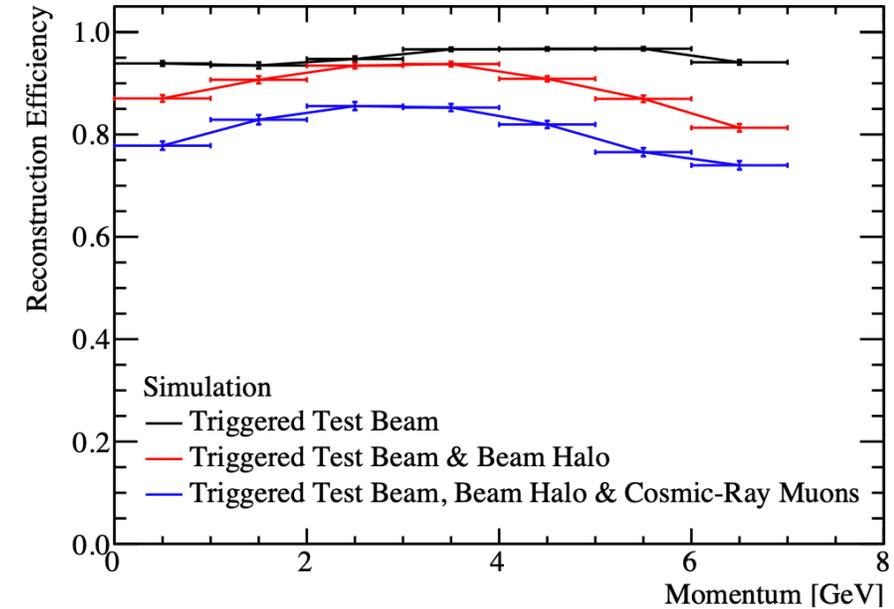
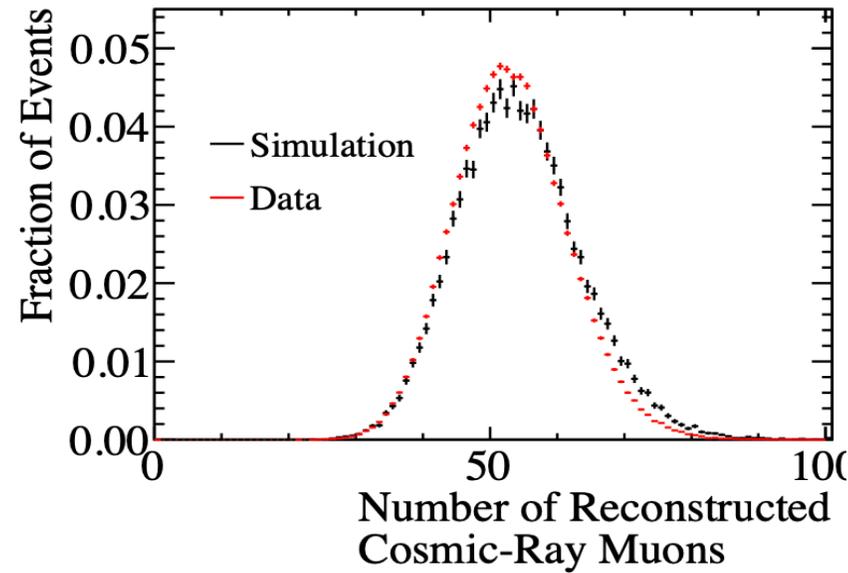
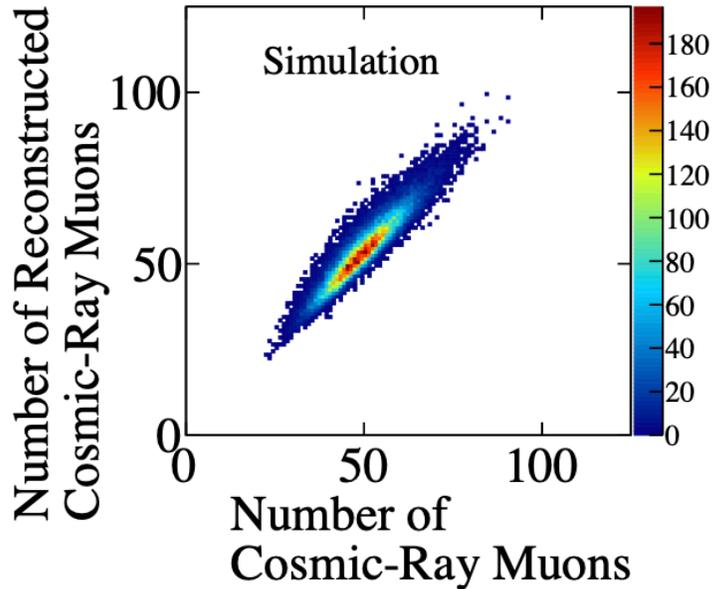
- Particles appear to be “outside” of detector if $T_0 = T_{\text{beam}}$
- Particles stitched between volumes using a $T_0 \neq T_{\text{beam}}$
- Particle passes through the detector top to bottom



Consolidated output

Example Reconstruction output:
test beam particle (electron)
and: N reconstructed cosmic-ray muon hierarchies





- **Completeness**

Fraction hits shared by MC particle with its best matched reconstructed particle

- **Purity**

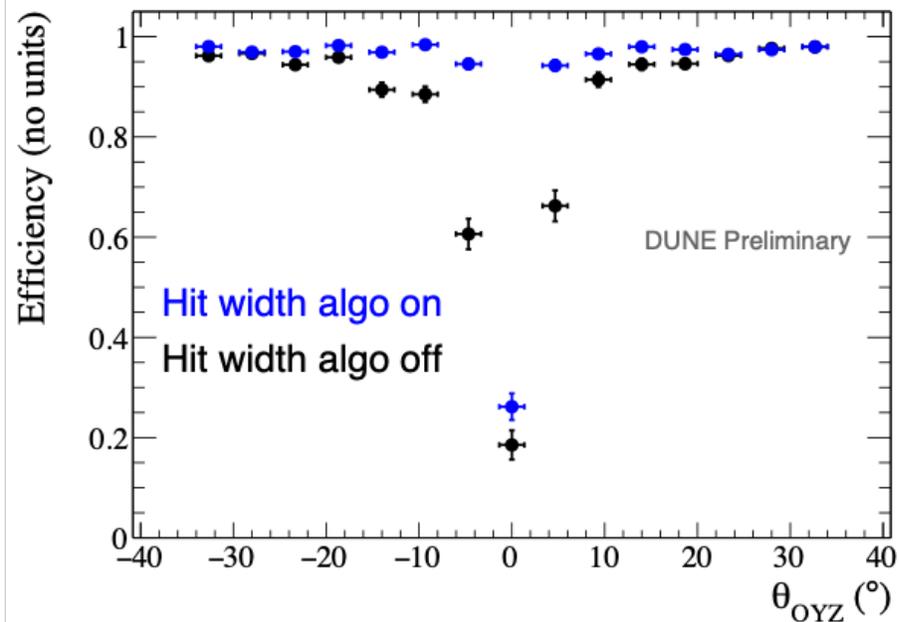
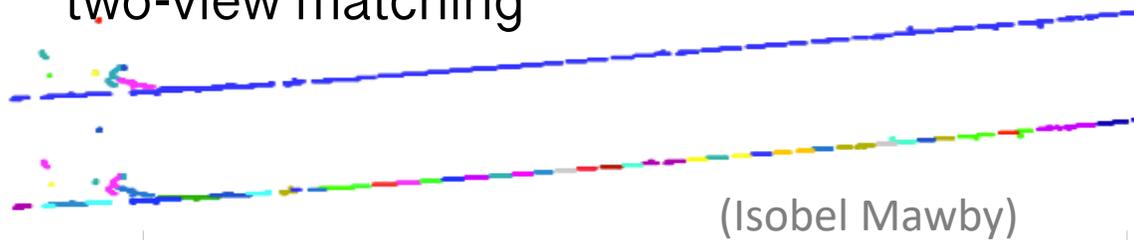
Fraction hits shared by reconstructed particle with its best matched MC particle

- **Efficiency**

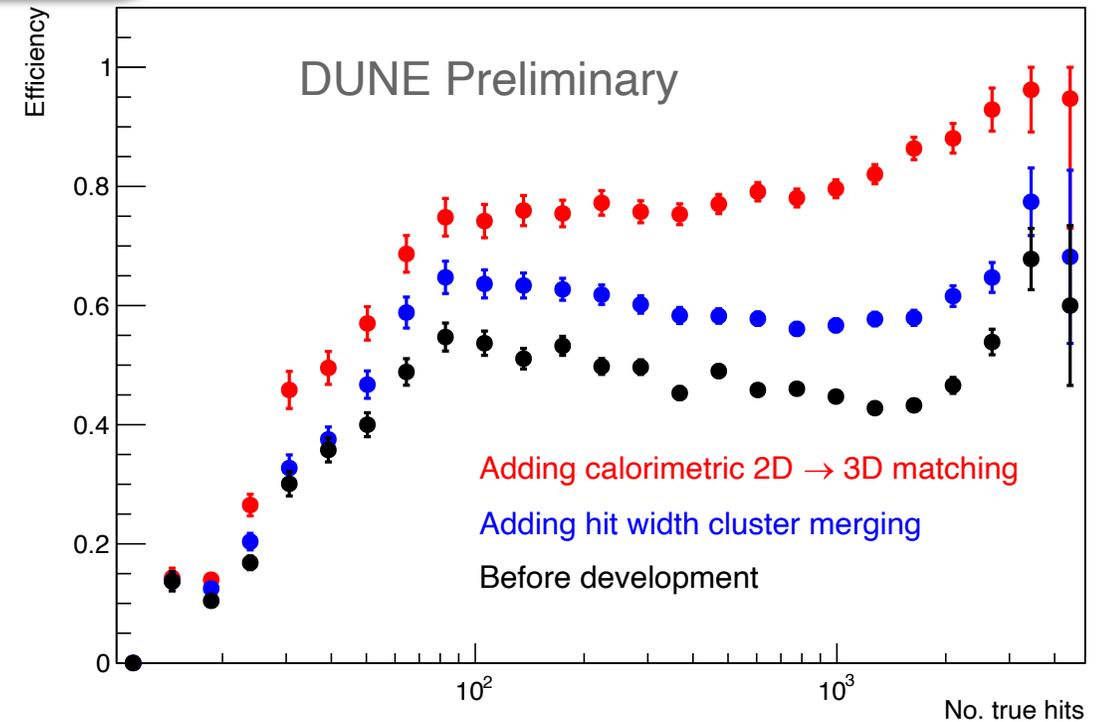
Fraction of MC particles of a given type with at least one matched reconstructed particle with $N_{\text{hits}} > 5$, completeness $> 10\%$, purity $> 50\%$

PD-DP Reconstruction progress

- Reconstruction for PD-DP work in progress
- Large improvements already obtained with hit width cluster merging and calorimetric two-view matching



Efficiency vs No. true hits



- **Correct cosmic ray fraction**

Number of cosmic rays for which each MC particle is matched to exactly one reconstructed particles

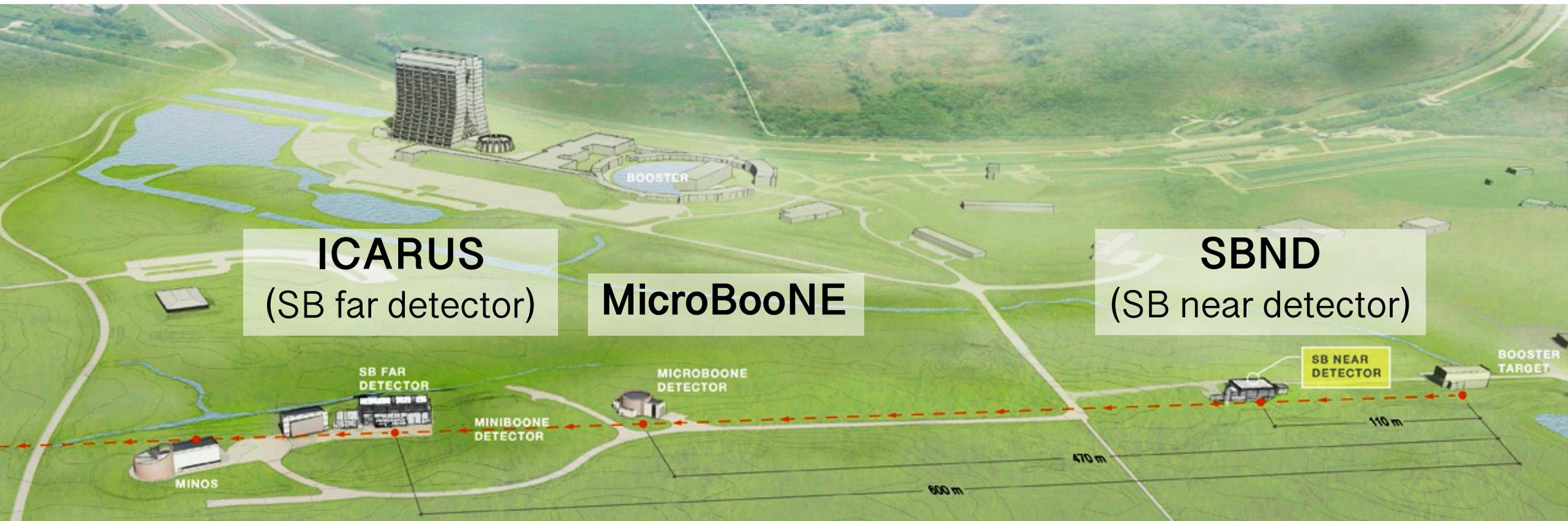
46% → **57%** → **76%**

- **The Liquid Argon TPCs is a key technology** in current and future **neutrino experiments**
- Original timeline for first DUNE far detector modules completion: 2024
- Two prototypes, ProtoDUNE Single and Dual Phase, built and tested at CERN
- **State-of-the art reconstruction is of crucial importance** to enable precision measurements at DUNE
- **Pandora's multi-algorithm approach** allows to gradually build up a picture of events, and carefully forms hierarchies of particles generated at each interaction
- Pandora has been used successfully for the reconstruction of ProtoDUNE-SP data
- Recent work has shown **high quality reconstruction can be achieved for two-view detectors** as well

Thank you for listening!
😊

Spares

- Three LArTPC detectors at the Booster Neutrino Beam (BNB) at Fermilab
- Investigate low-energy excess seen by LSND and MiniBooNE (sterile neutrino?)
- Precision cross-section measurements for neutrino interactions on argon



$$\begin{pmatrix} \nu_e \\ \nu_\mu \\ \nu_\tau \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & c_{23} & s_{23} \\ 0 & -s_{23} & c_{23} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} c_{13} & 0 & e^{i\delta} s_{13} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -e^{-i\delta} s_{13} & 0 & c_{13} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} c_{12} & s_{12} & 0 \\ -s_{12} & c_{12} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \nu_1 \\ \nu_2 \\ \nu_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

Atmospheric ν
Long-baseline ν (accelerator)

Short-baseline ν
Long-baseline ν (accelerator)

Solar ν

Table 14.6: Experiments contributing to the present determination of the oscillation parameters.

Experiment	Dominant	Important
Solar Experiments	θ_{12}	$\Delta m_{21}^2, \theta_{13}$
Reactor LBL (KamLAND)	Δm_{21}^2	θ_{12}, θ_{13}
Reactor MBL (Daya-Bay, Reno, D-Chooz)	$\theta_{13}, \Delta m_{31,32}^2 $	
Atmospheric Experiments (SK, IC-DC)		$\theta_{23}, \Delta m_{31,32}^2 , \theta_{13}, \delta_{CP}$
Accel LBL $\nu_\mu, \bar{\nu}_\mu$, Disapp (K2K, MINOS, T2K, NO ν A)	$ \Delta m_{31,32}^2 , \theta_{23}$	
Accel LBL $\nu_e, \bar{\nu}_e$ App (MINOS, T2K, NO ν A)	δ_{CP}	θ_{13}, θ_{23}

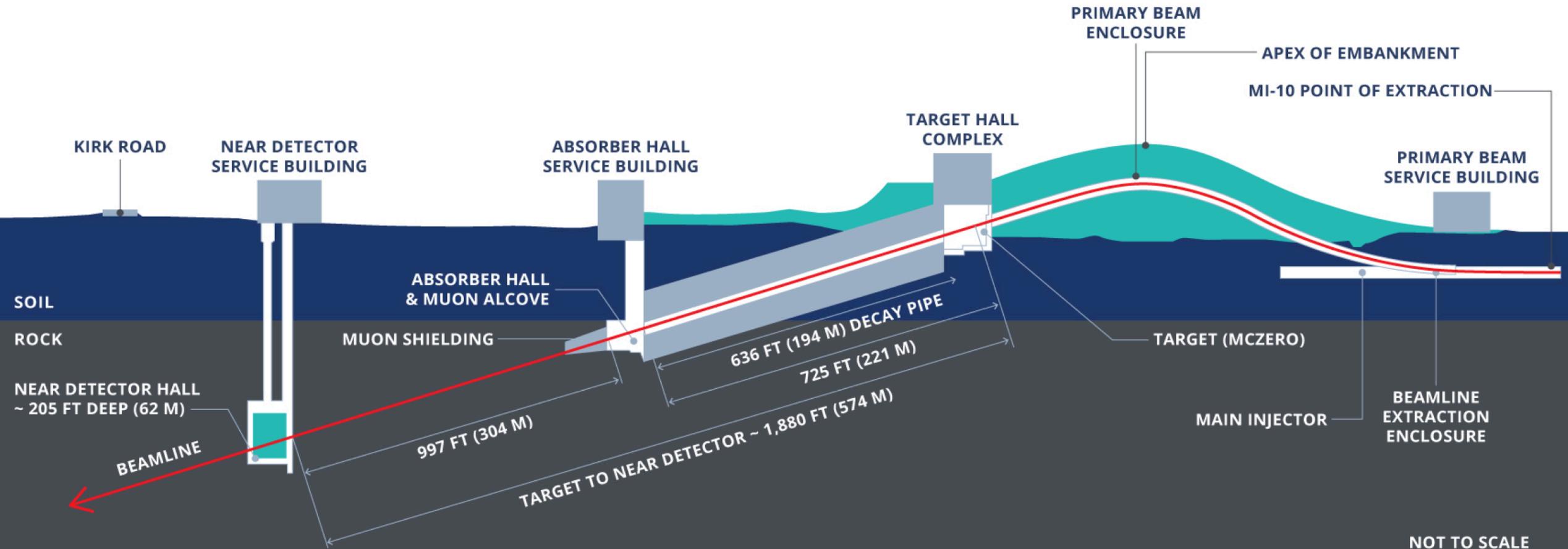
- Overconstrain 3-flavour paradigm
- $\sin^2 \theta_{13}$ via the electron neutrino appearance channel $\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_e$ with precision approaching reactor measurements
- Broadband on-axis beam \rightarrow characterise L/E oscillation behaviour with smaller systematics than atmospheric oscillation experiments
- Sensitive to new neutrino mass eigenstates
- Tests of Lorentz-invariance in the neutrino sector
- High energy beam \rightarrow study $\nu_\mu \rightarrow \nu_t$

- Deliver the world's most intense neutrino beam
- Proton Improvement Plan-II (PIP-II)
- Upgrade of existing facilities (higher energy LINAC, protons per bunch, bunches...)
- Going from 700 kW to 1.2 → 2.4 kW

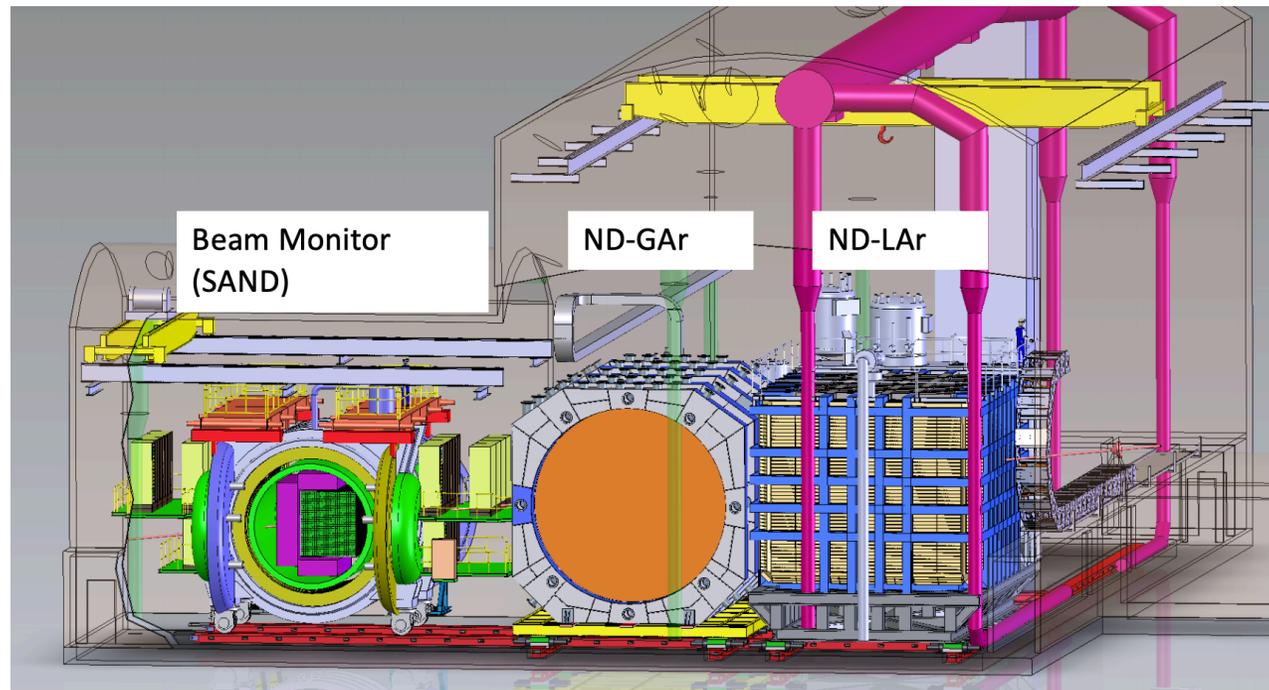


Long-Baseline Neutrino Facility (LBNF)

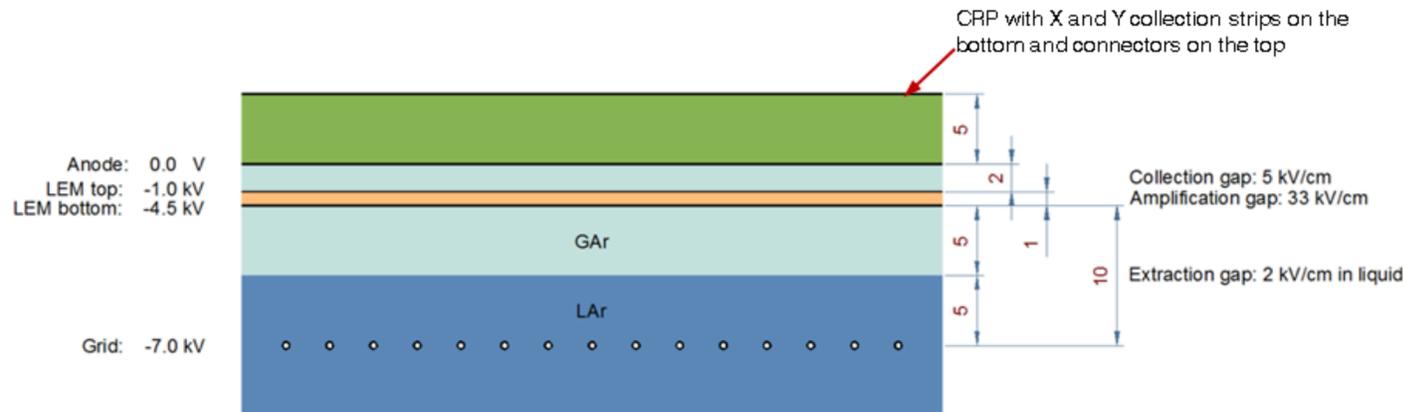
- Neutrino beam is completely new, from primary beam extraction to decay pipe and absorber



- An on-axis beam monitor (SAND)
 - A multi-purpose high-pressure GAr detector
 - A pixelated LAr TPC
- } Installed on a movable platform



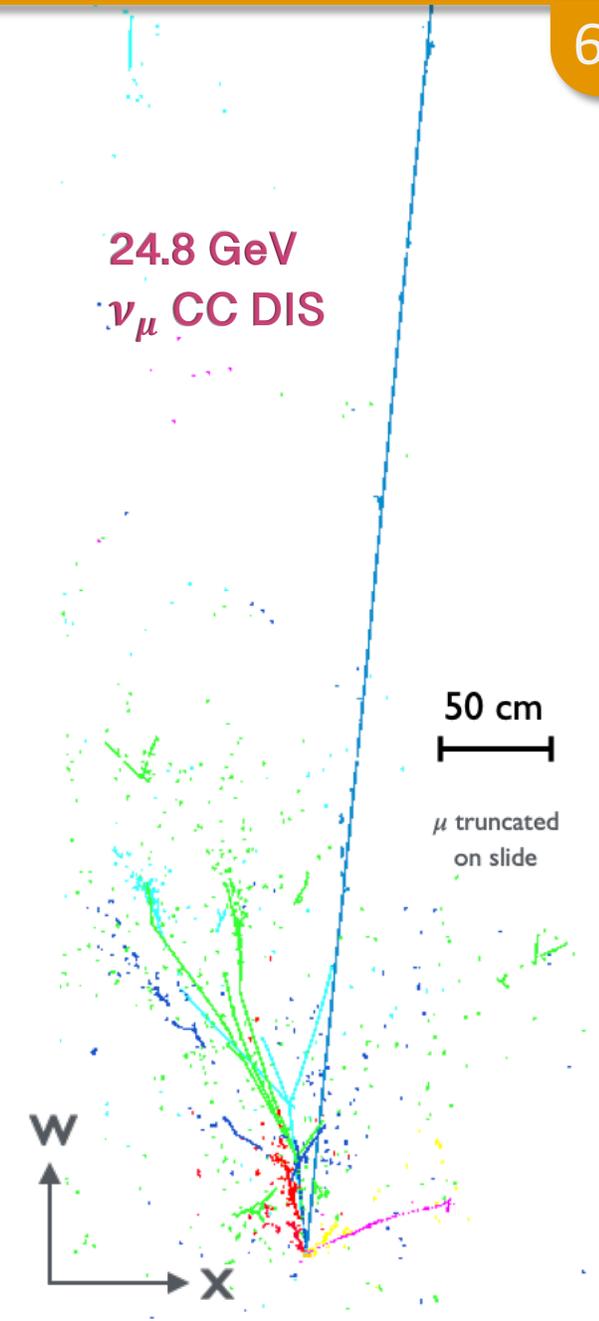
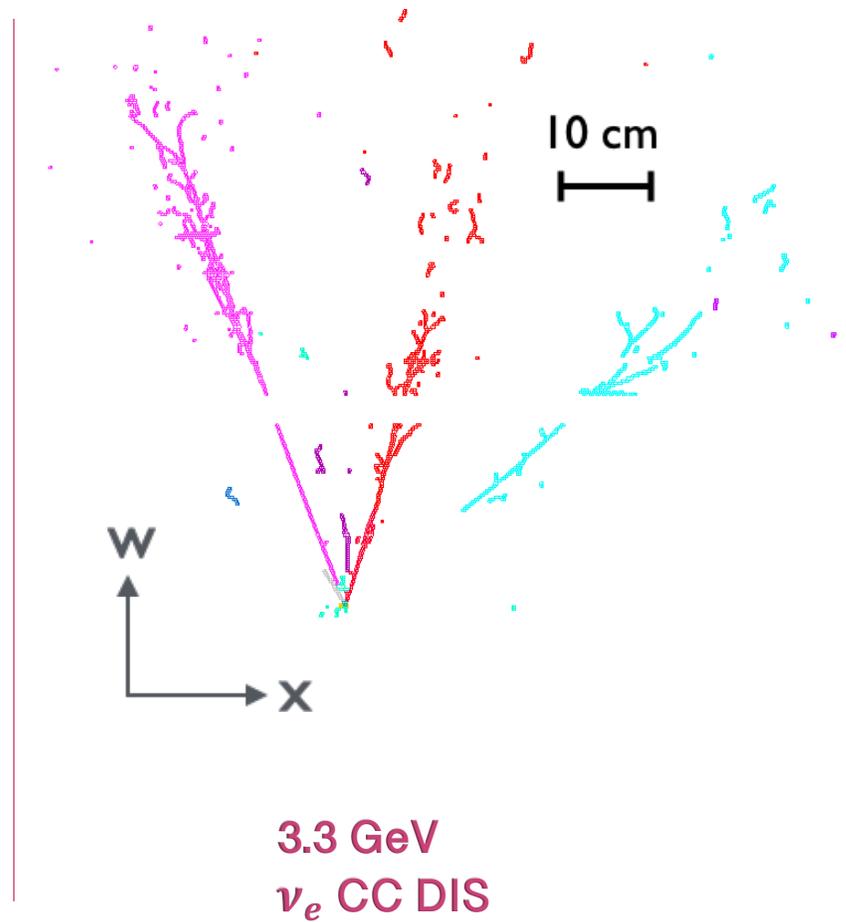
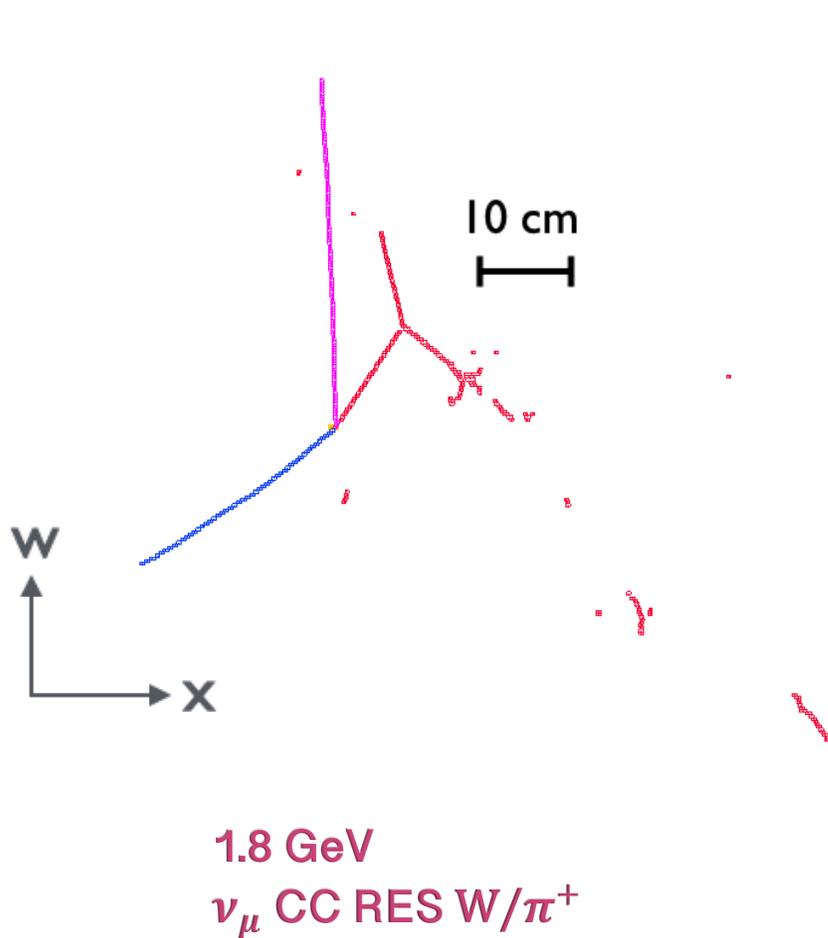
- Ionization electrons reach extraction grid just below liquid-gas interface
- Strong E field extracts electrons into gas phase
- Amplification stage: large electron multipliers with high field regions (**LEM**s)
- 2D anode (two strip-based collection views with 3.125 pitch, each forming a 2D image) → **Reconstruction will rely on only two 2D images!**



- 1 CRP = sandwich of 36 LEMs + 1920 RO channels. ProtoDUNE-SP: 4 CRPs

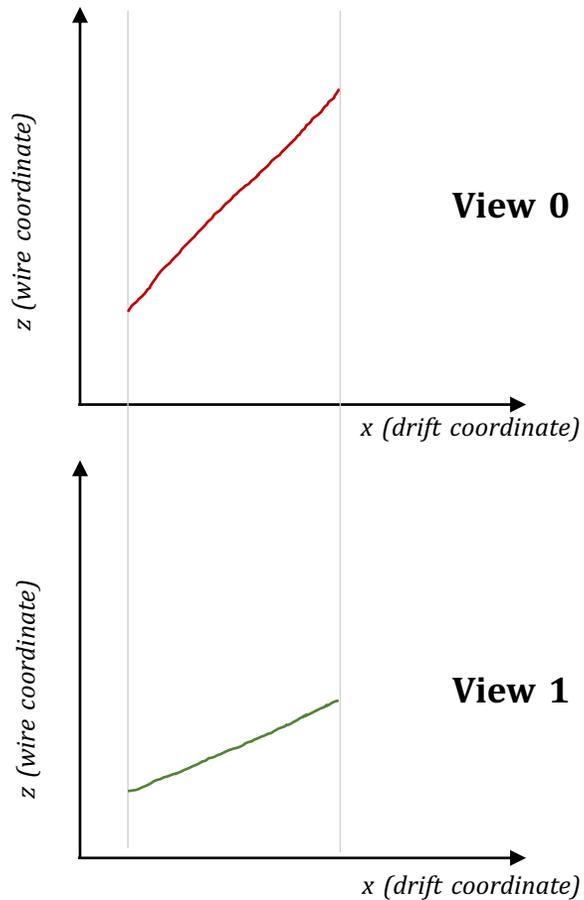
Pattern recognition challenges

- Complex, diverse topologies



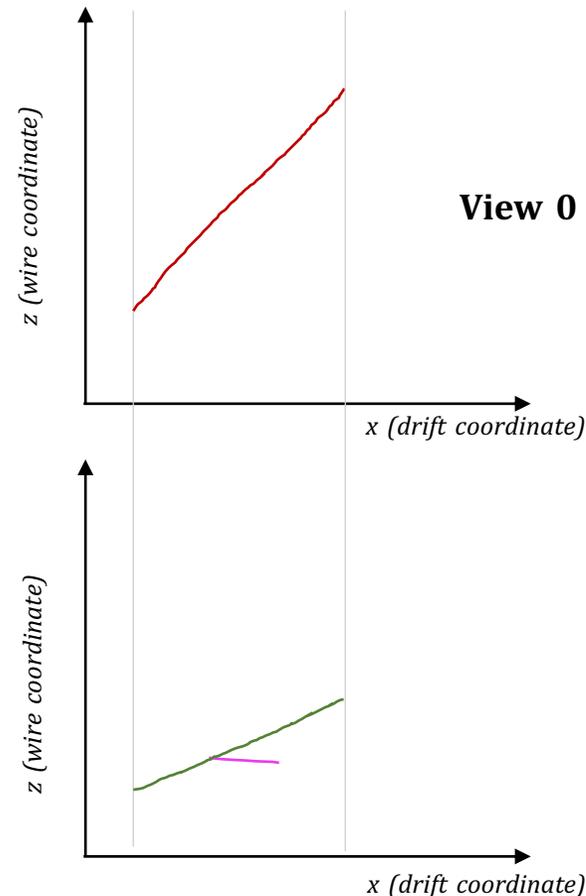
Clear Tracks tool

Non-ambiguous matching



Long Tracks tool

Obvious ambiguities matching

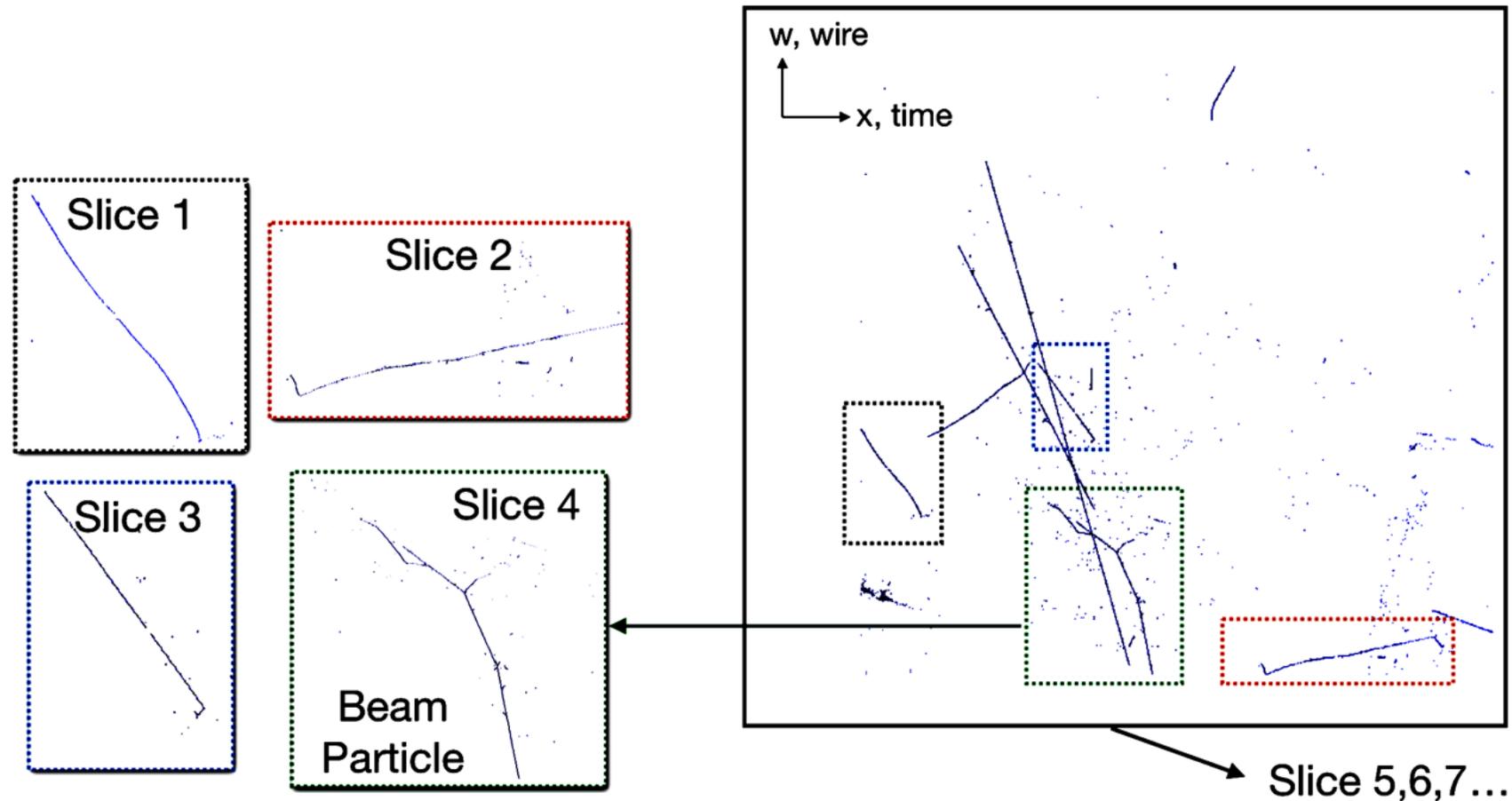


Simple Tracks tool

Best match based on ranking

- **Locally matched fraction**
The fraction of local matching scores above a threshold
- **Matching score**
Calculated as the local matching score, over whole overlap region
- **Number of matched points**
The number of local matching scores above a threshold

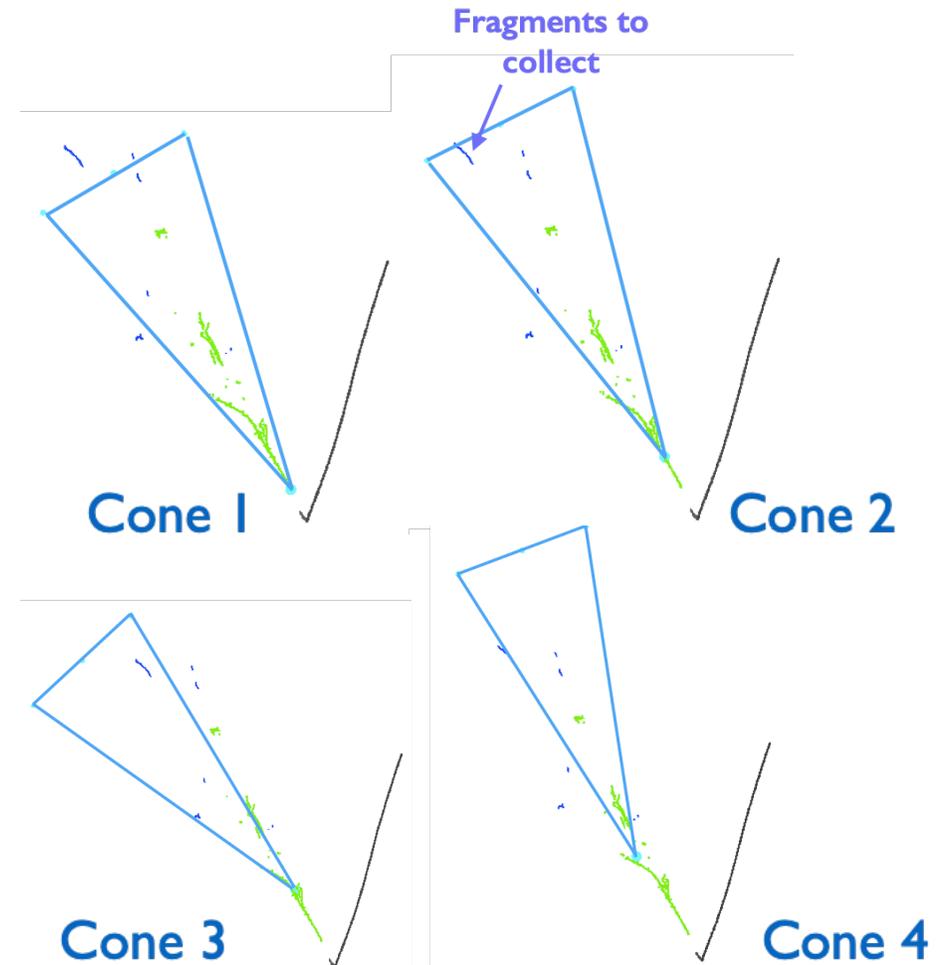
- Slice/divide **blue** hits from separate interactions
- Reconstruct each slice as test beam particle
- **Choose between cosmic ray or test beam outcome for each slice**



A series of algorithms deals with remnant clusters to improve particle completeness

Example Sparse Showers

- Pick up small, unassociated clusters bounded by the 2D envelopes of shower-like particles
- Use sliding linear fits to 3D shower clusters to define cones for merging small downstream shower particles, or picking up additional unassociated clusters
- If anything left at end, dissolve clusters and assign hits to nearest shower particles in range



- Various machine learning (ML) techniques employed in Pandora and by high-level characterization making use of Pandora products

A few examples...

- BDTs used to label slices as cosmics or nu/beam
- BDTs used for track/shower ID
- CNNs and BDTs used for vertexing
- CNNs used for PID
- Semantic segmentation for hit-wise track/shower ID being explored, with potential use for vertexing too

Semantic segmentation

Assign track and shower probability to each pixel

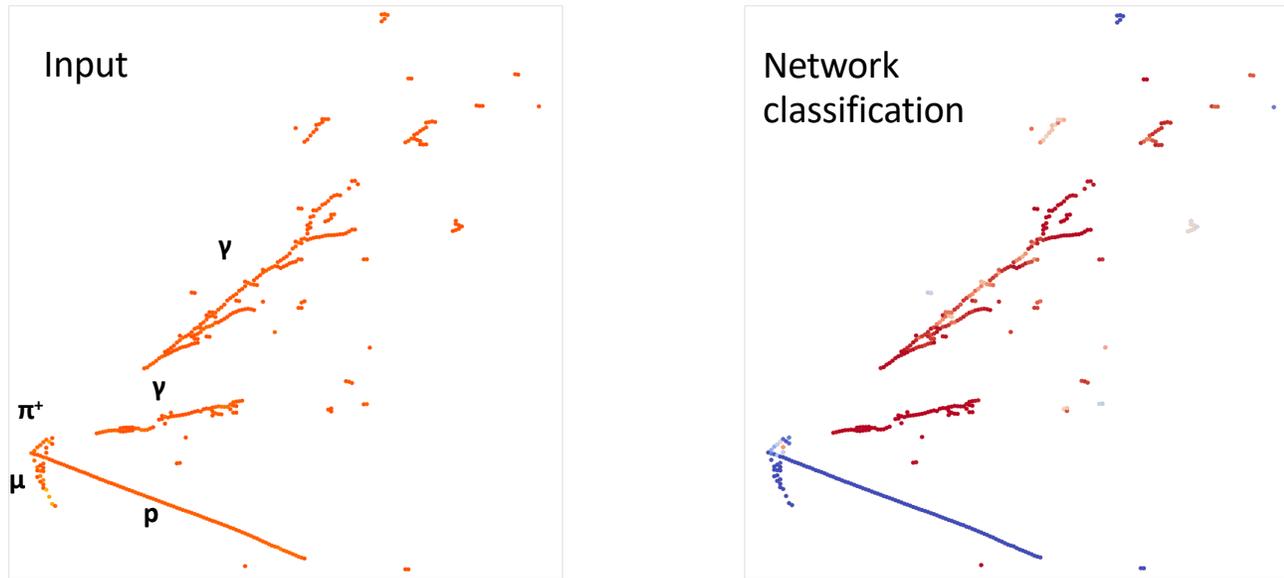


Fig: Input hits and network track (blue) and shower (red) classification for W view

True\Net	Shower	Track
Shower	91.1%	8.9%
Track	6.5%	93.5%
Σ	100%	100%

True\Net	Shower	Track
Shower	92.2%	7.0%
Track	7.8%	93.0%
Σ	100%	100%

True\Net	Shower	Track
Shower	92.3%	6.8%
Track	7.7%	93.2%
Σ	100%	100%

Tab: Confusion matrix for U view Tab: Confusion matrix for V view Tab: Confusion matrix for W view

- Provisional proof of concept to identify primary vertex via semantic segmentation
- Region-finding capability already evident
- Longer-term aim to find secondary vertices too

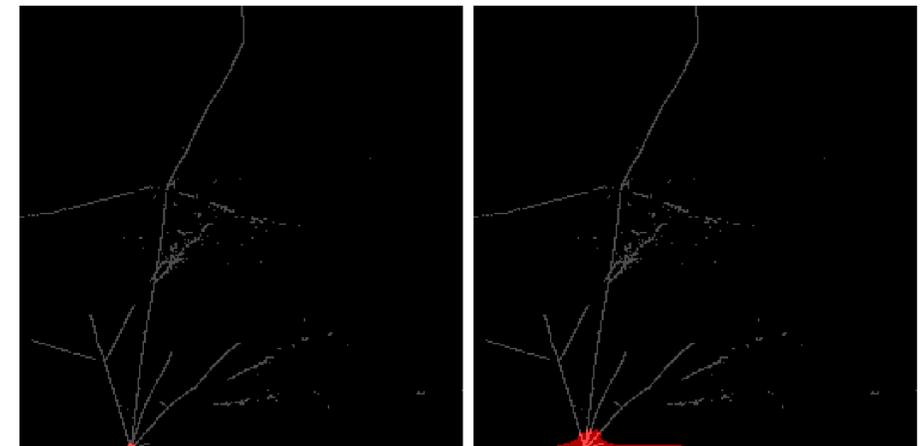


Fig: Left) Input hits and true vertex. Right) Network vertex classification

Credits: Andy Chappell

- First two FD modules completion ~ 2024
- Beam operational ~ 2026
- Last module ~ 2027

Significance from test statistics $\Delta\chi^2$:

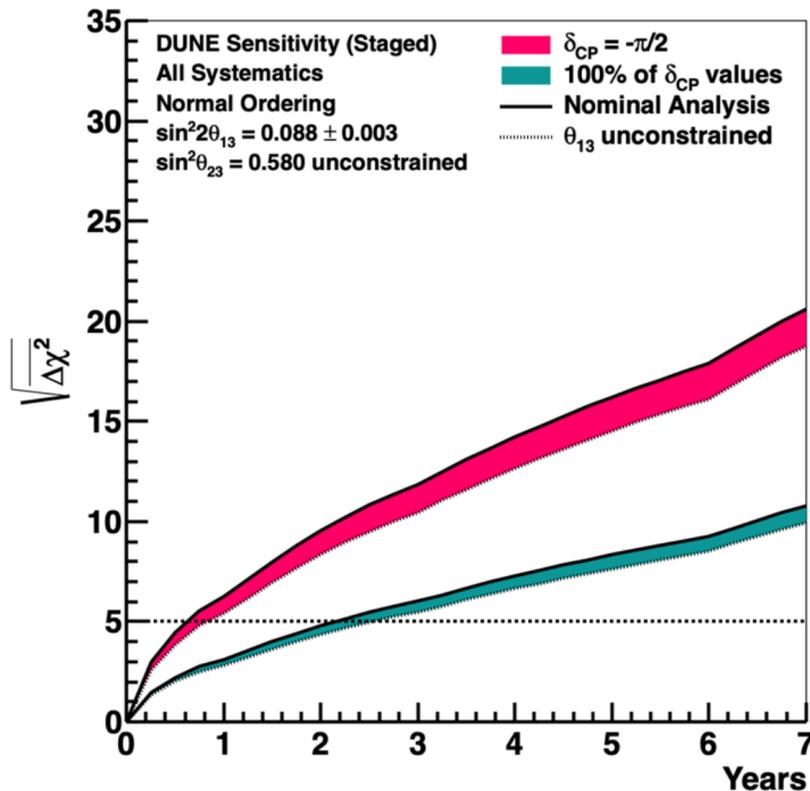
$$\Delta\chi_{MH}^2 = \chi_{IH}^2 - \chi_{NH}^2 \text{ (true normal hierarchy),}$$

$$\Delta\chi_{MH}^2 = \chi_{NH}^2 - \chi_{IH}^2 \text{ (true inverted hierarchy),}$$

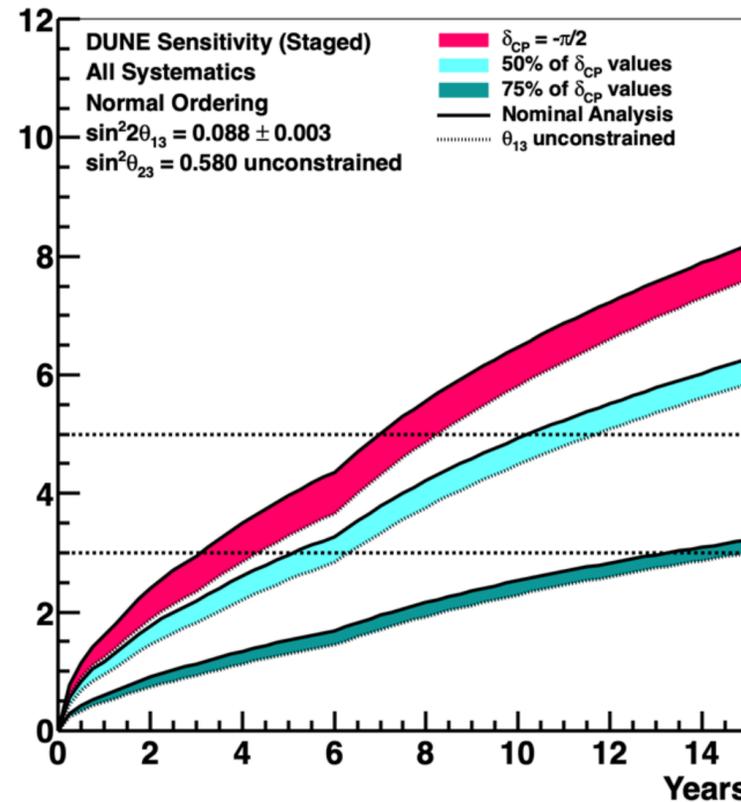
$$\Delta\chi_{CPV}^2 = \text{Min}[\Delta\chi_{CP}^2(\delta_{CP}^{test} = 0), \Delta\chi_{CP}^2(\delta_{CP}^{test} = \pi)], \text{ where}$$

$$\Delta\chi_{CP}^2 = \chi_{\delta_{CP}^{test}}^2 - \chi_{\delta_{CP}^{true}}^2.$$

Mass Ordering Sensitivity



CP Violation Sensitivity



Significance of the DUNE determination of mass ordering (left, normal ordering) and CP-violation (i.e.: $\delta_{CP} \neq 0$ or π) for different δ_{CP} values, as a function of time in calendar years. True normal ordering is assumed.

DUNE Far Detector Technical Design Report
[arXiv:2002.03005v2](https://arxiv.org/abs/2002.03005v2) [hep-ex]