

Generative Models for Fast Simulation of Electromagnetic and Hadronic Showers in Highly Granular Calorimeters

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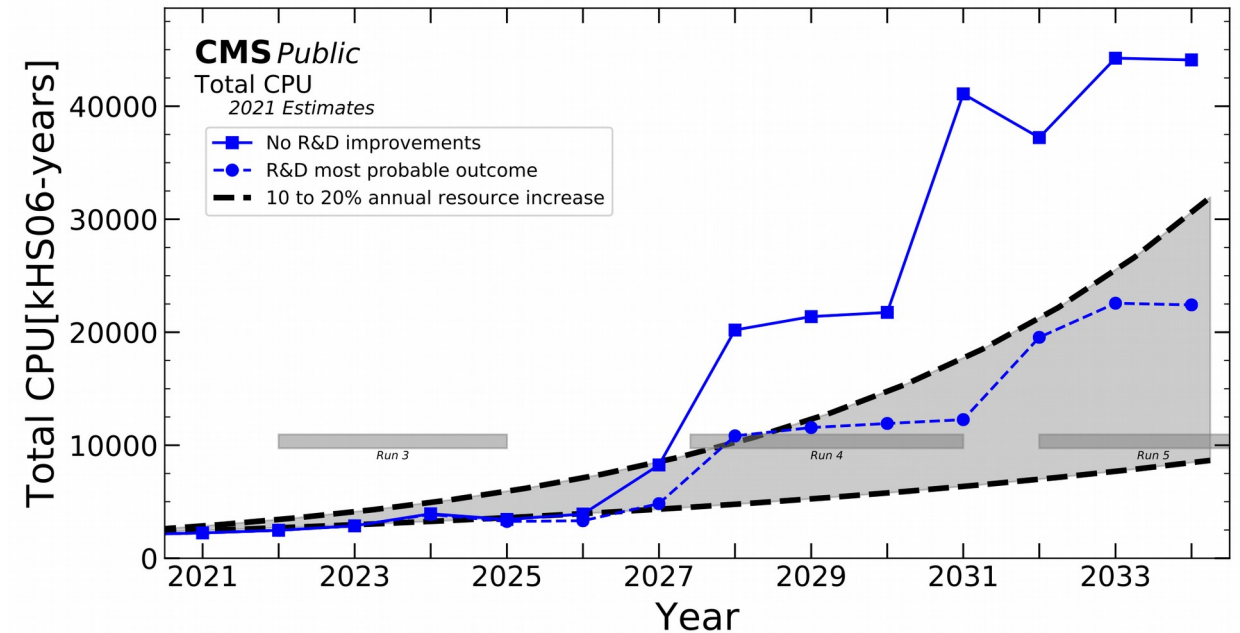
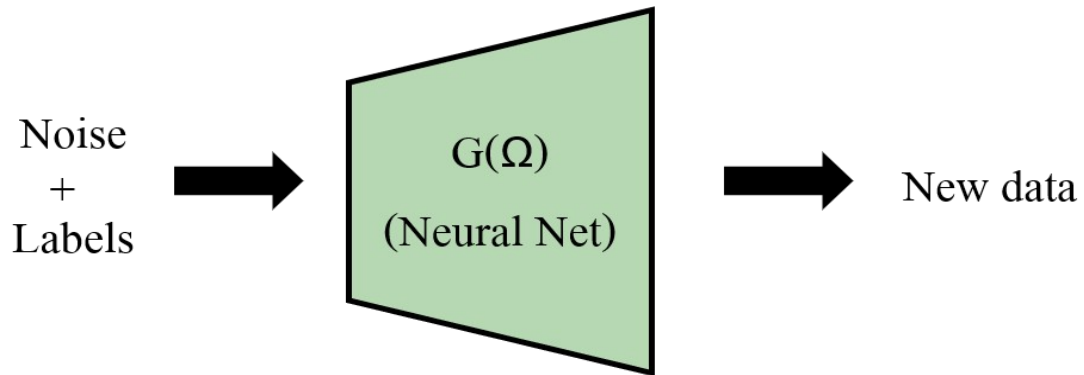


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Reducing the Strain on HEP Computing Resources

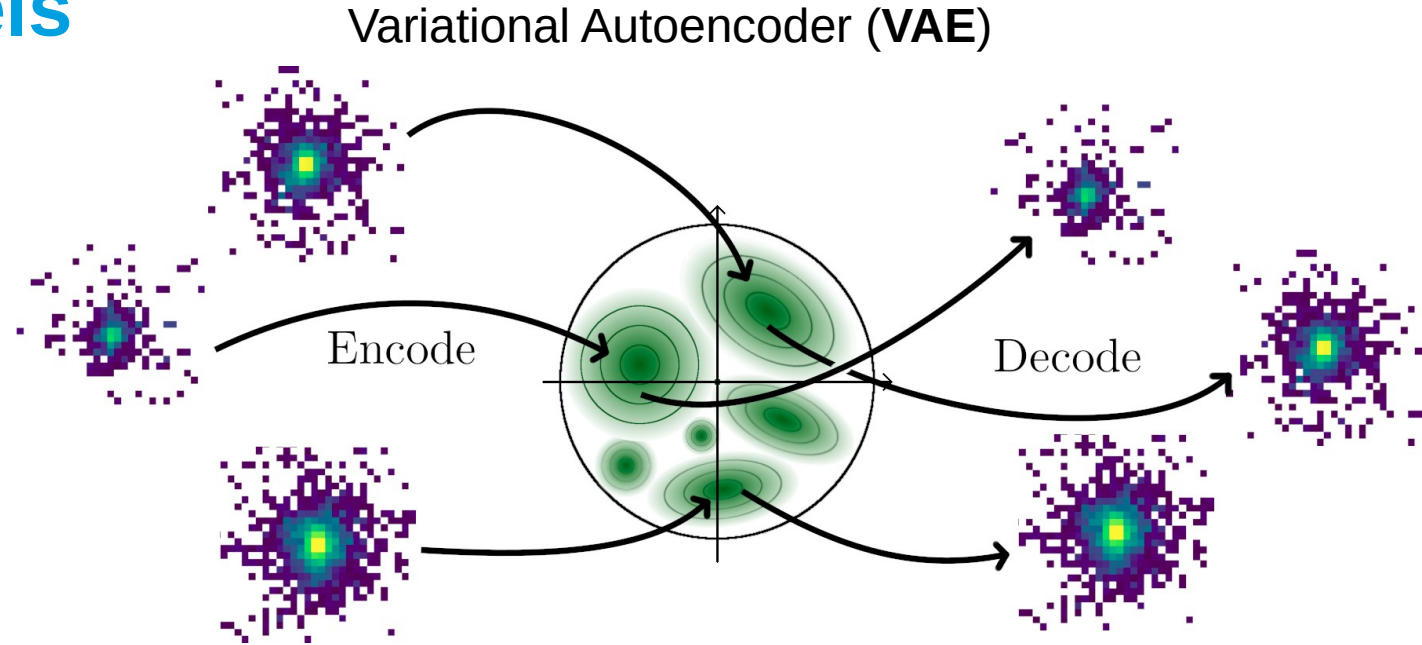
- **MC simulation (Geant4)** is computationally **expensive**
 - **Calorimeters** most intensive part of detector simulation
- Major bottleneck e.g. **HL-LHC**
- **Generative models** potentially offer orders of magnitude speed up



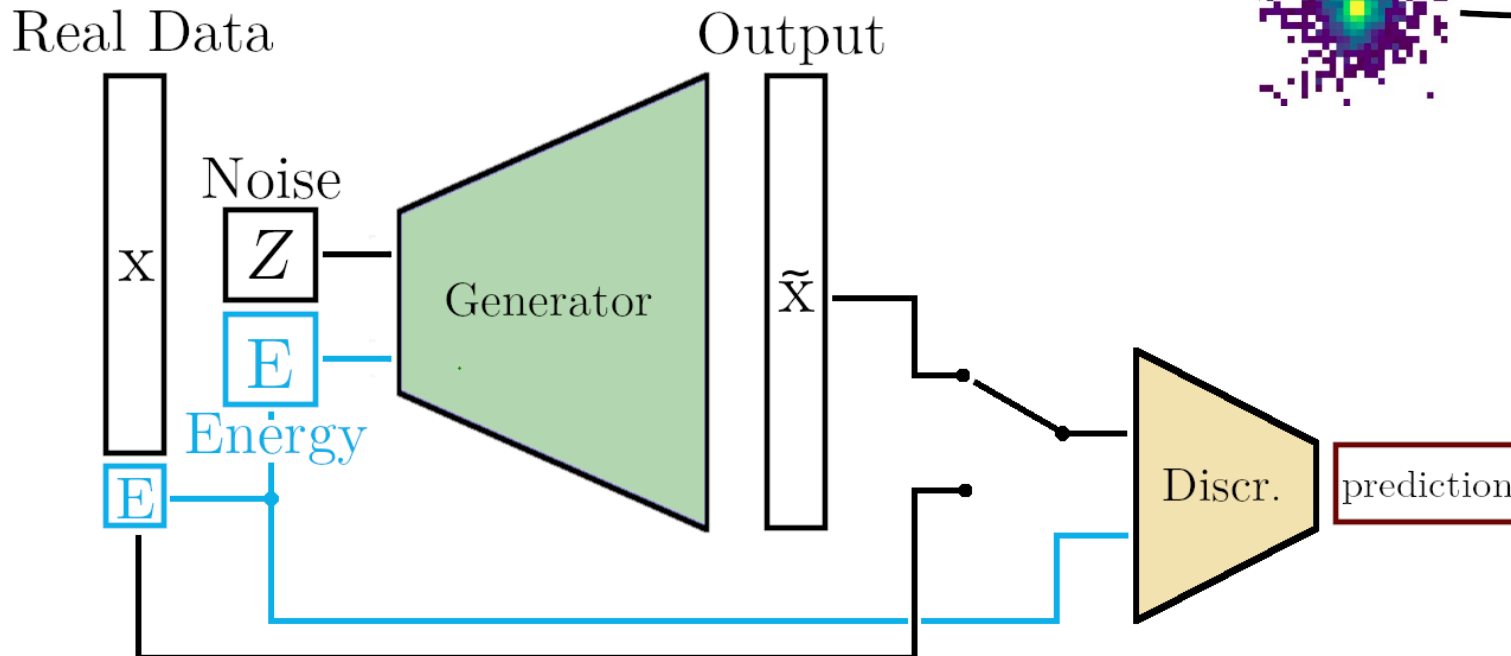
CMS Collaboration, Offline and Computing Public Results (2021),
<https://twiki.cern.ch/twiki/bin/view/CMSPublic/CMSOfflineComputingResults>

Common Generative Models

- **VAE¹**: Encoder-decoder structure
- **GAN²**: Adversarial feedback from discriminator



Generative Adversarial Network (GAN)



- Models studied:
 - Wasserstein GAN (**WGAN**)
 - Bounded Information Bottleneck Autoencoder (**BIB-AE**)

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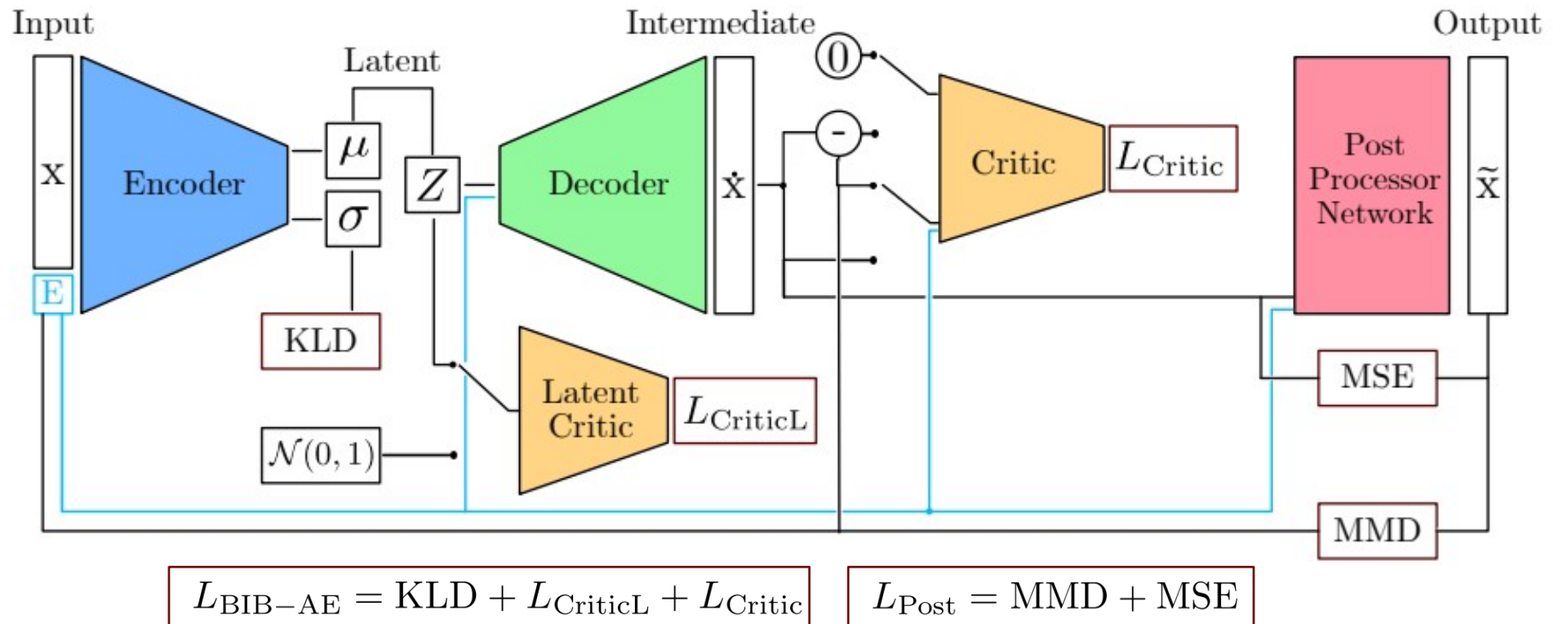
The BIB-AE

Bounded-Information Bottleneck Autoencoder

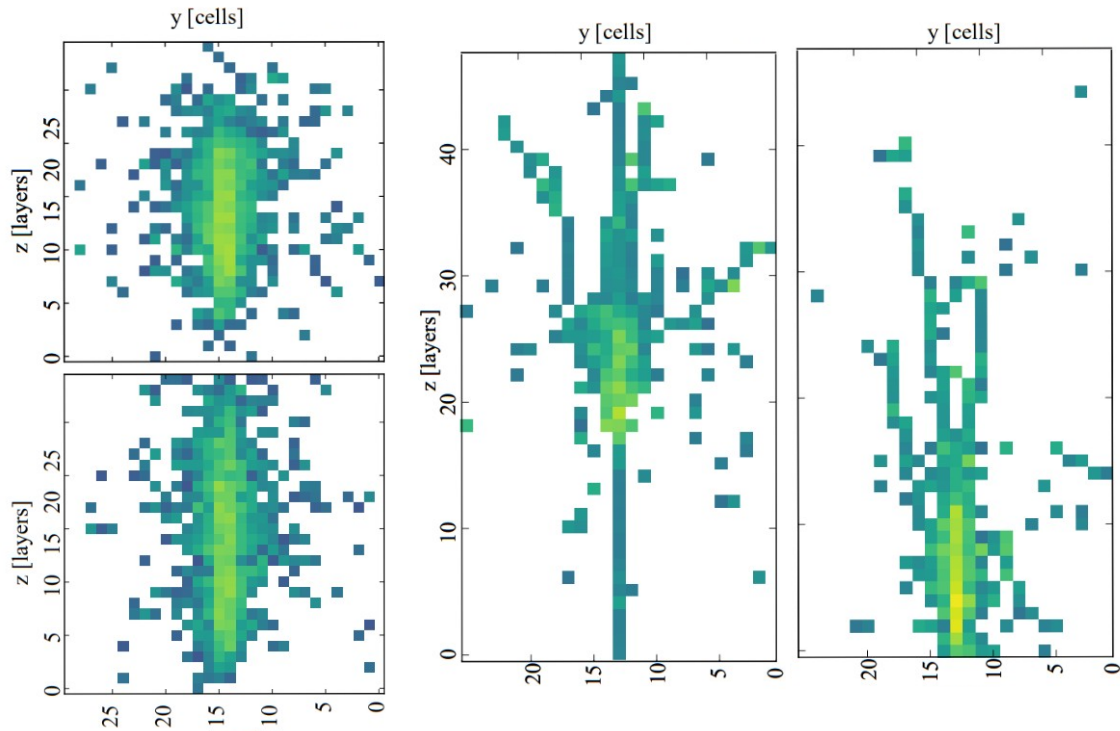
- **Unifies** features of both **GANs** and **VAEs**
- **Post-Processor** network: Improve per-pixel energies; second training
- Multi-dimensional KDE sampling: better modeling of latent space

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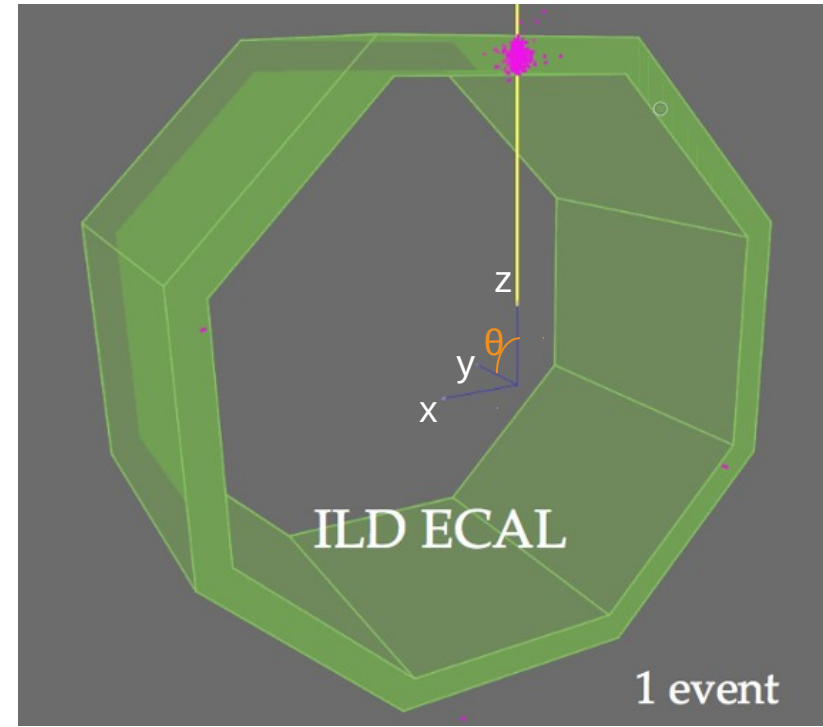


Challenges for Generative ML Calorimeter Simulations



From Photons to Pions

- **Hadronic** showers significantly harder to learn than electromagnetic showers
 - **Complex** topologies
 - Large event-to-event **fluctuations**



Multi-Parameter Conditioning

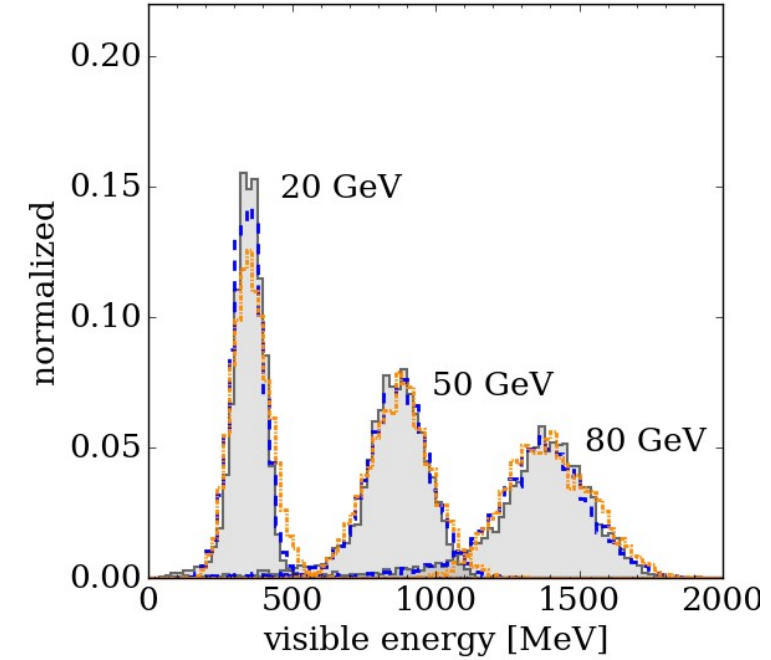
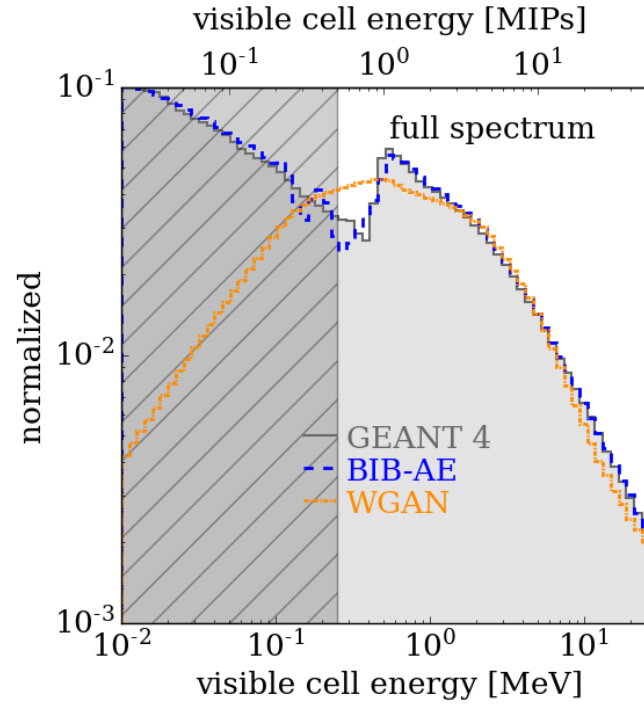
- **Simultaneous conditioning** on multiple parameters crucial for a general simulation tool
 - Start with **photons**
 - Vary incident **energy and angle**

Latest Progress

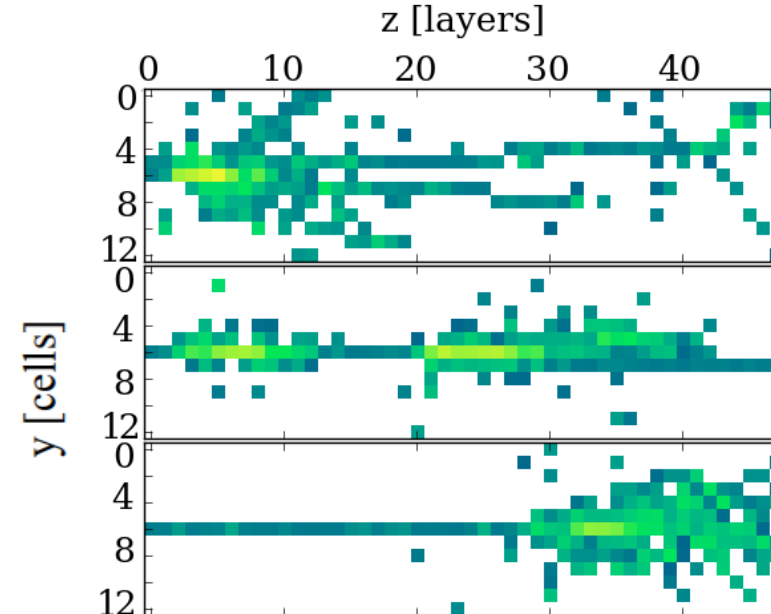
Hadronic Calorimeter Showers

- Achieve **significant speedups** (CPU/GPU)
- Achieve **high degree of fidelity**

Hadrons, Better, Faster, Stronger,
E. Buhmann, et al.
[MLST 3 025014](#) (2022)



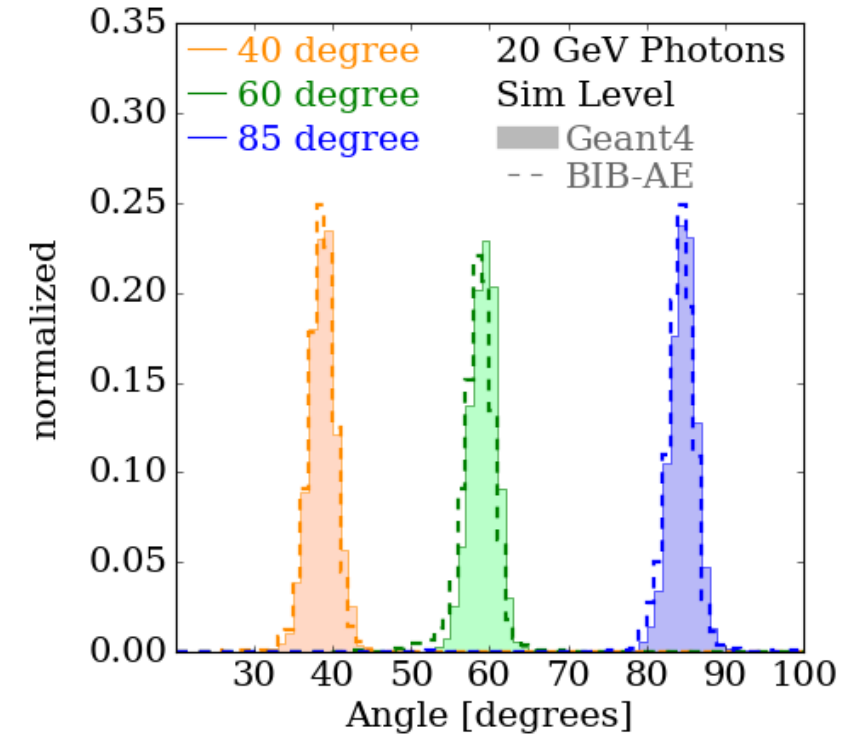
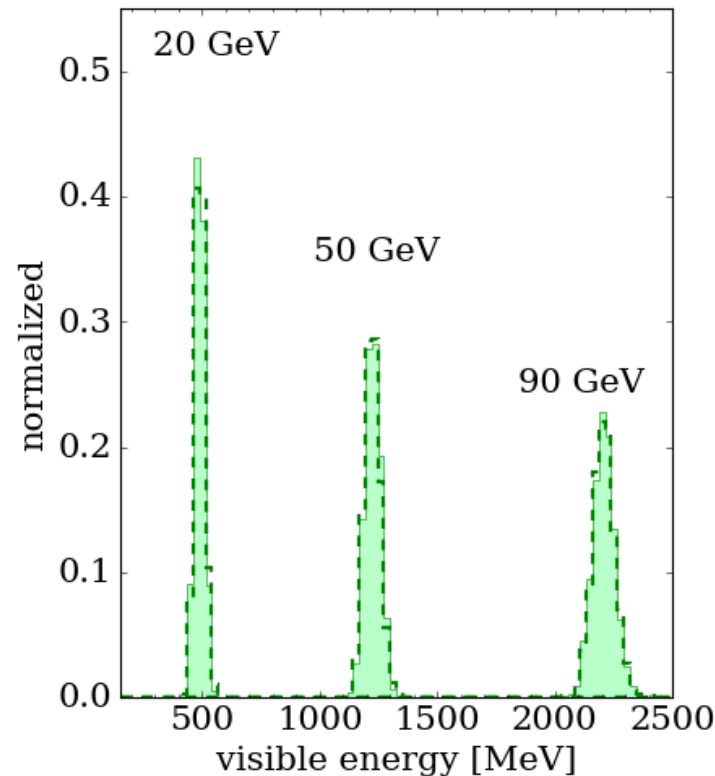
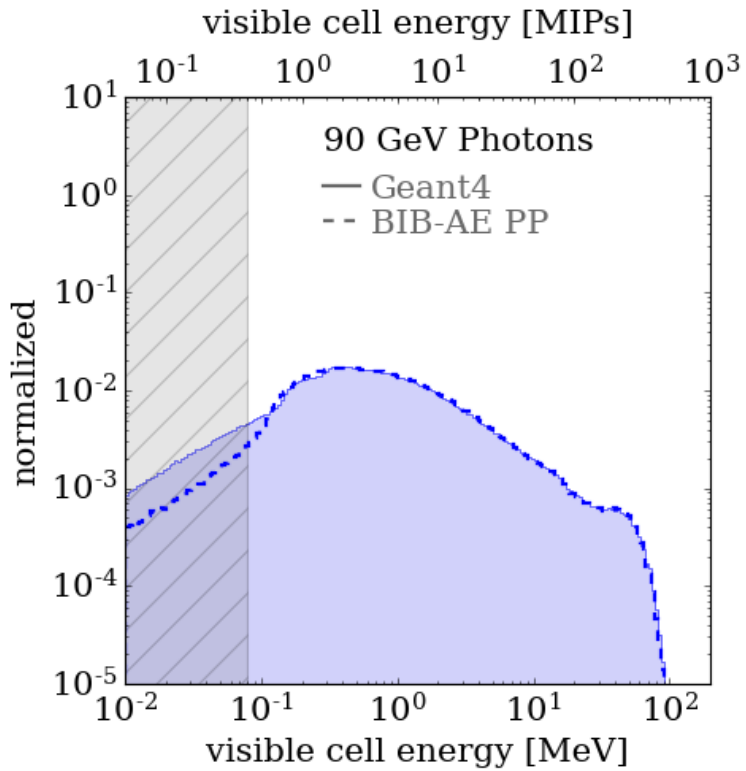
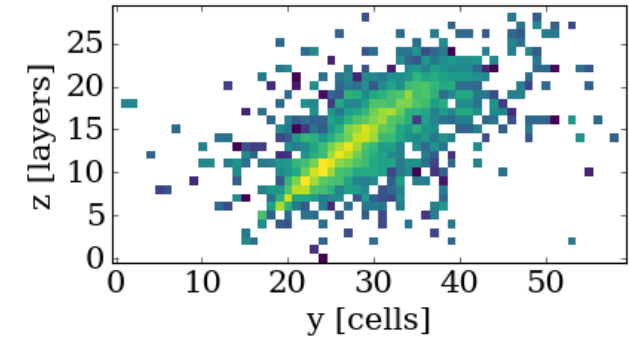
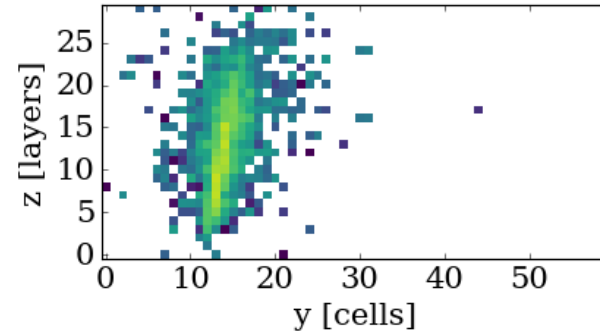
Hardware	Simulator	Time / Shower [ms]	Speed-up
CPU	GEANT4	2684 ± 125	×1
	WGAN	47.923 ± 0.089	×56
	BIB-AE	350.824 ± 0.574	×8
GPU	WGAN	0.264 ± 0.002	×10167
	BIB-AE	2.051 ± 0.005	×1309



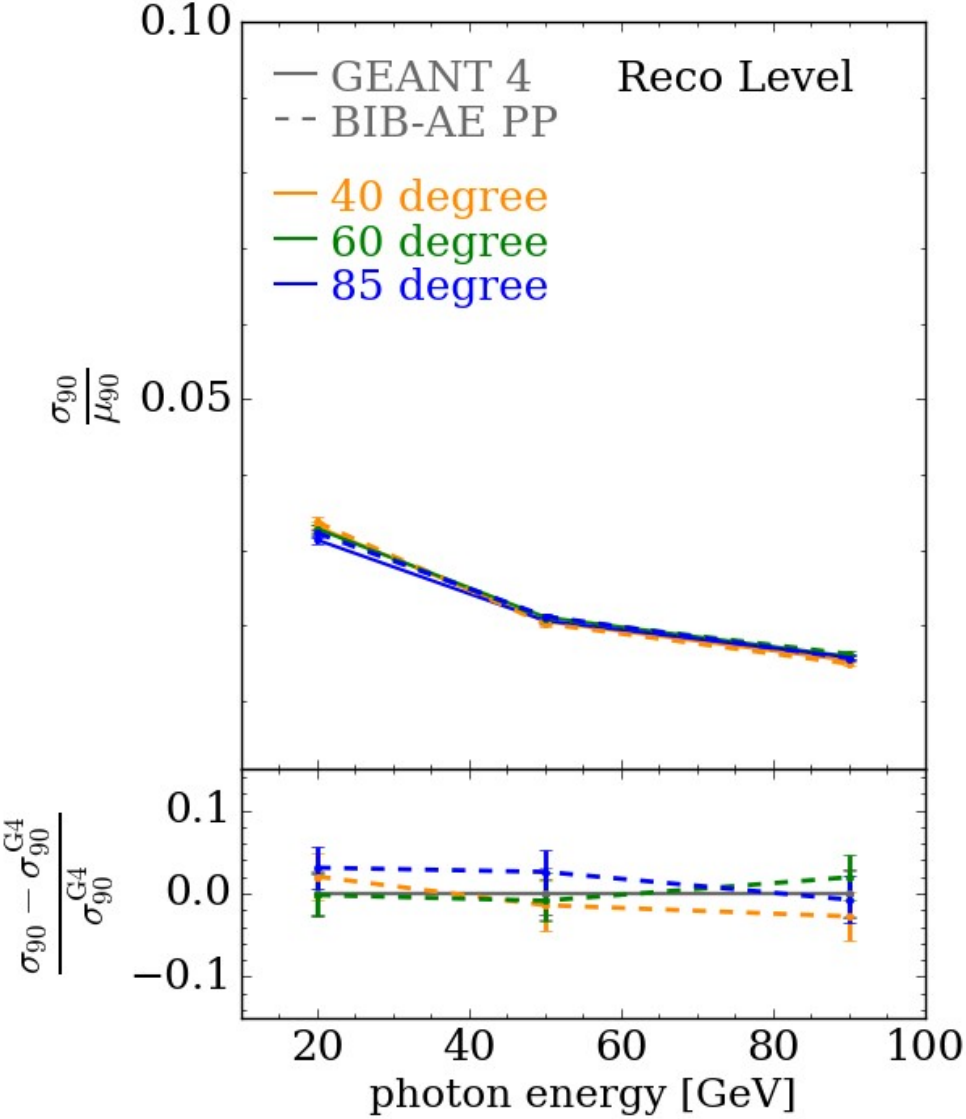
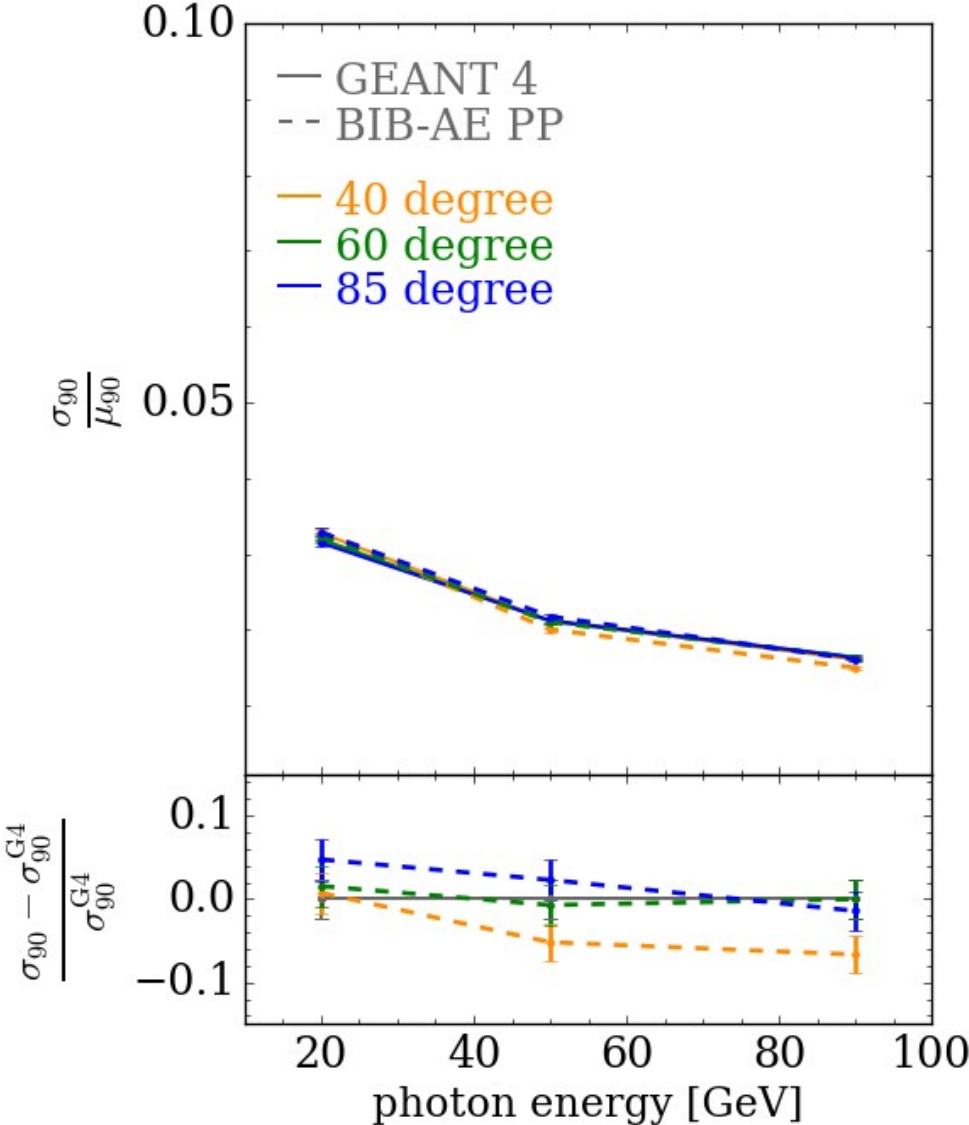
Latest Progress

Angular Photon Showers

- Simultaneous **Energy and Angular conditioning** demonstrated while maintaining strong physics performance
- Publication in preparation



Results: Energy resolution Sim vs Rec



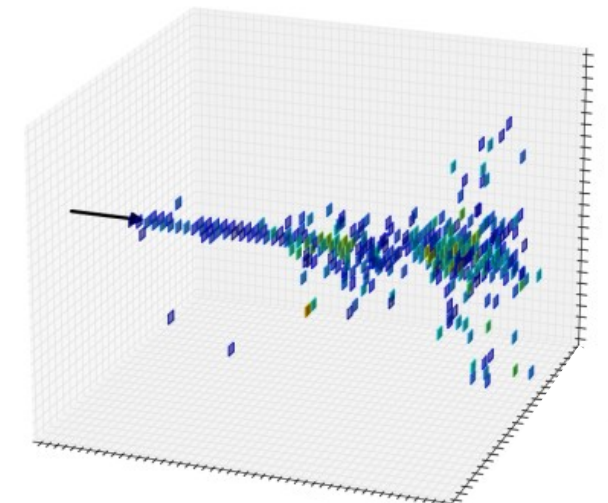
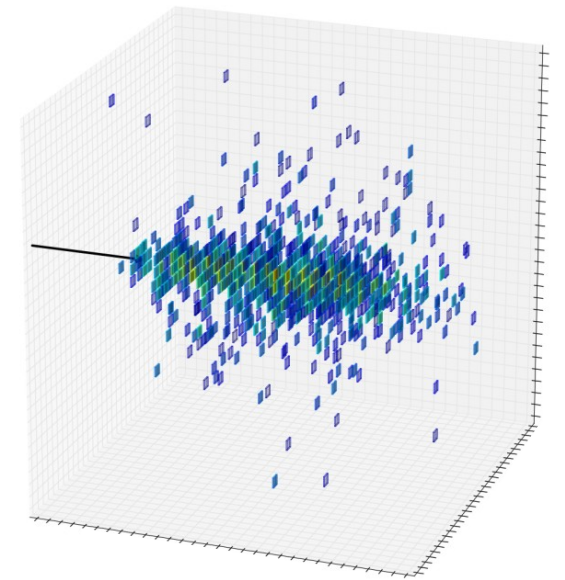
Summary

Achieved

- Generative models hold promise for **fast** simulation of showers in **high granularity** calorimeters with **high fidelity**
- Demonstrated high fidelity simulation of **hadronic** showers with generative models
- Demonstrated high fidelity simulation of **photon** showers with **angular and energy conditioning**

Next Steps

- Strategies for dealing with **complex** and **irregular geometries**
- **Integration** into the existing tools (Geant4)
- Full benchmark of **physics performance** after **reconstruction**

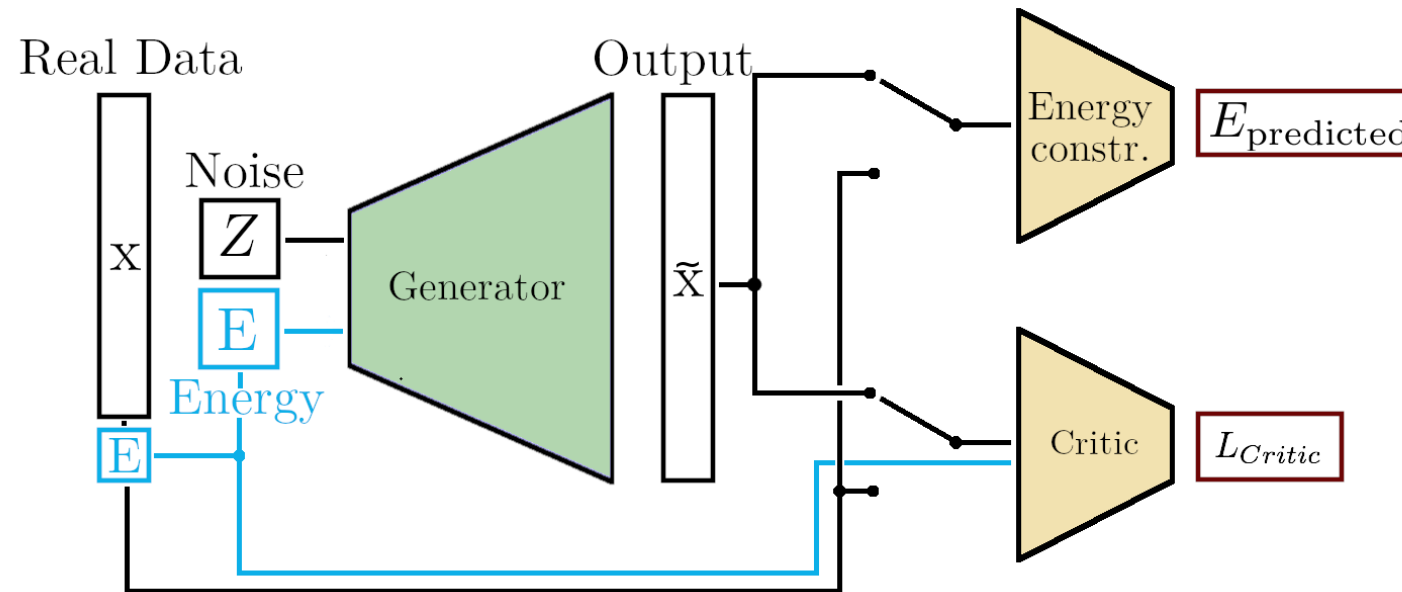


Backup

Architectures: WGAN

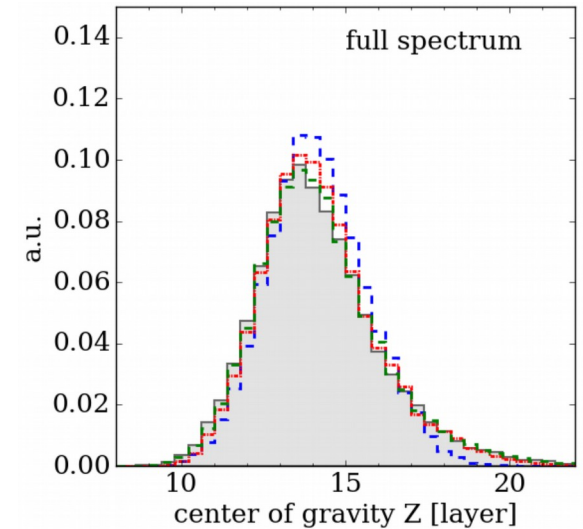
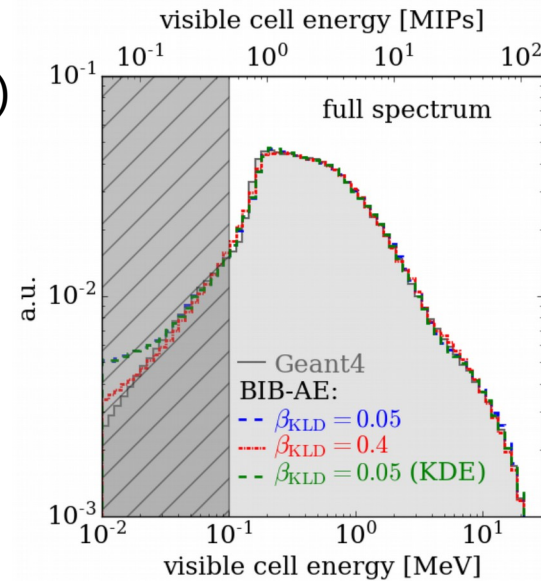
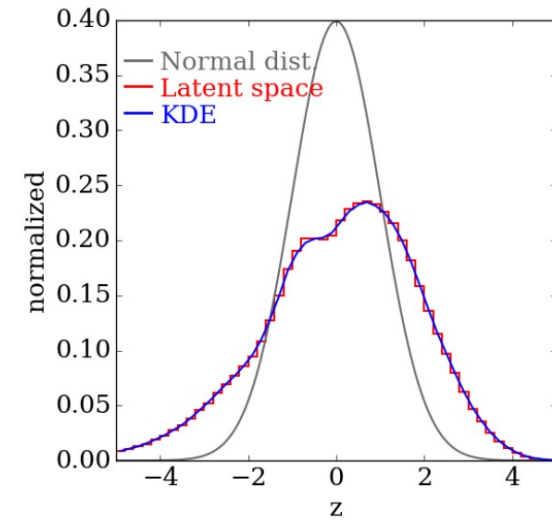
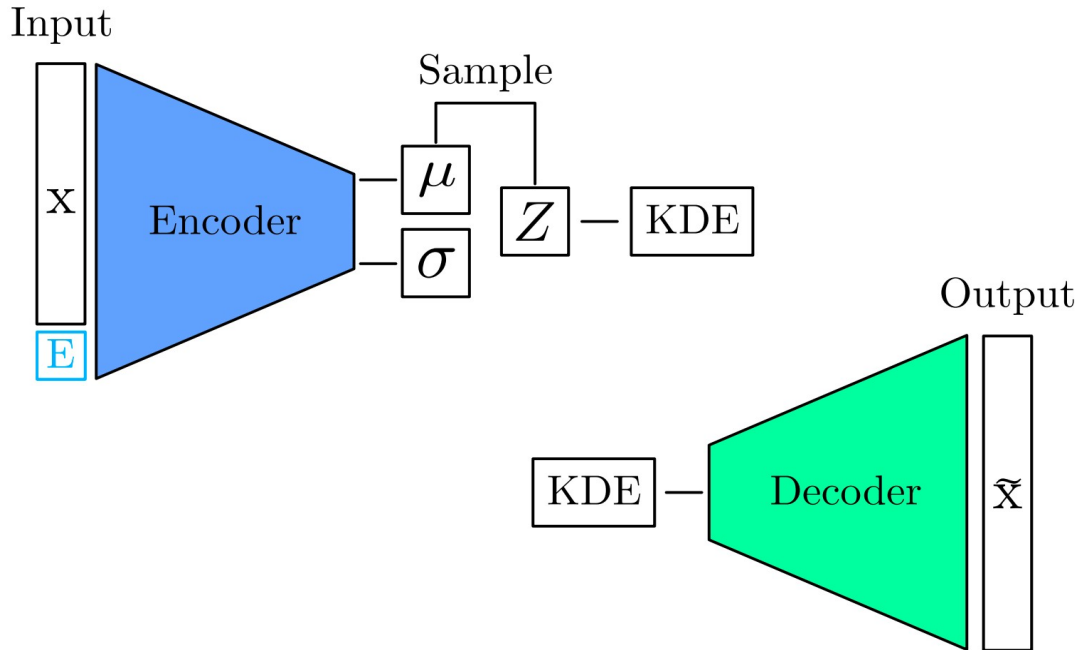
WGAN

- Alternative to classical GAN training; Generator and Critic Networks
- Wasserstein-1 distance as loss with gradient penalty: **improve stability**
- **Addition of auxiliary constrainer network for improved conditioning performance**



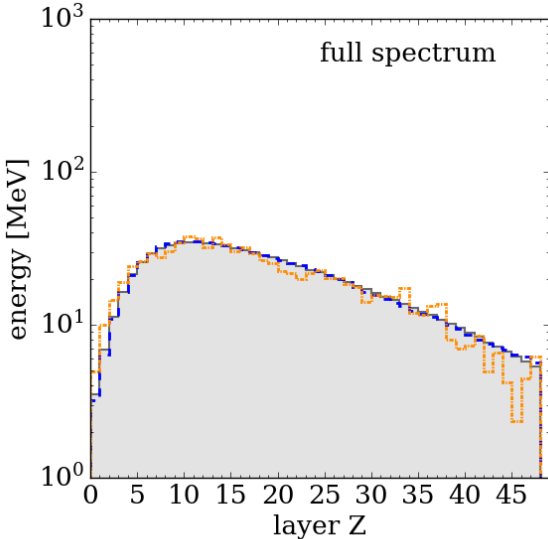
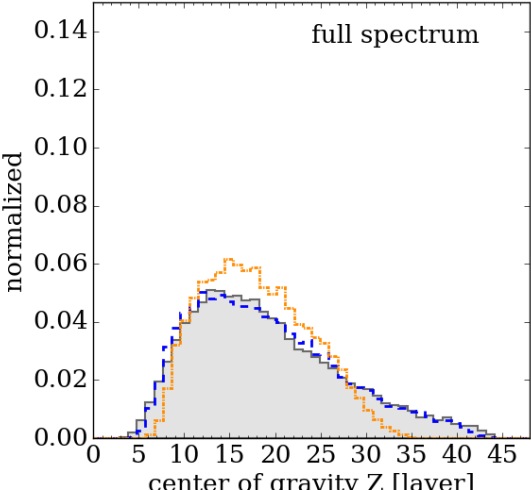
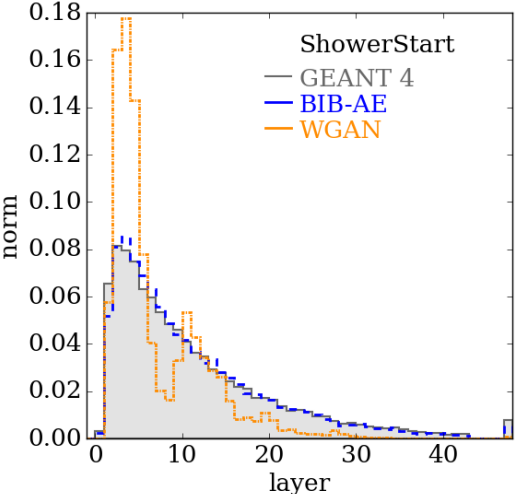
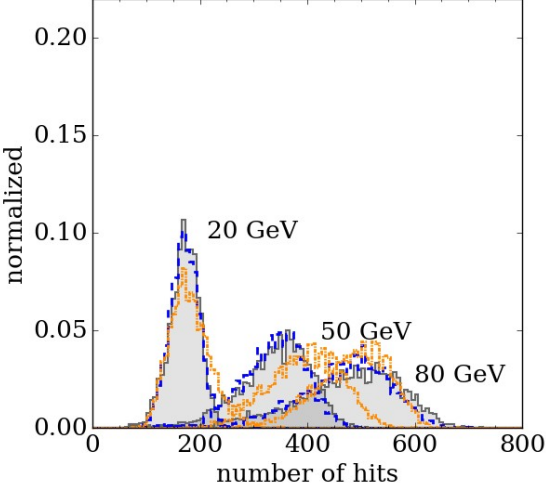
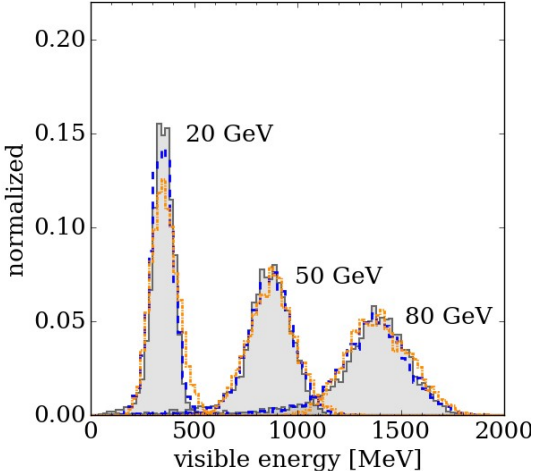
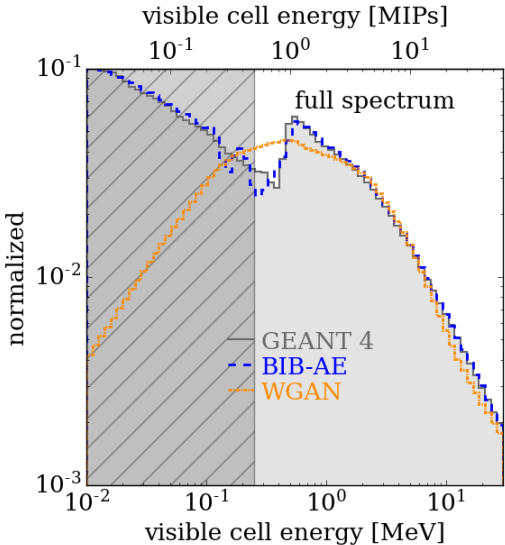
Latent Space sampling

- **Relaxing regularisation** of latent space allows more information to be stored
 - Latent space deviates from a Normal distribution
- Employ **density estimation** to produce latent sample (e.g. KDE)
- **Improve modeling of shower shape** (center of gravity)



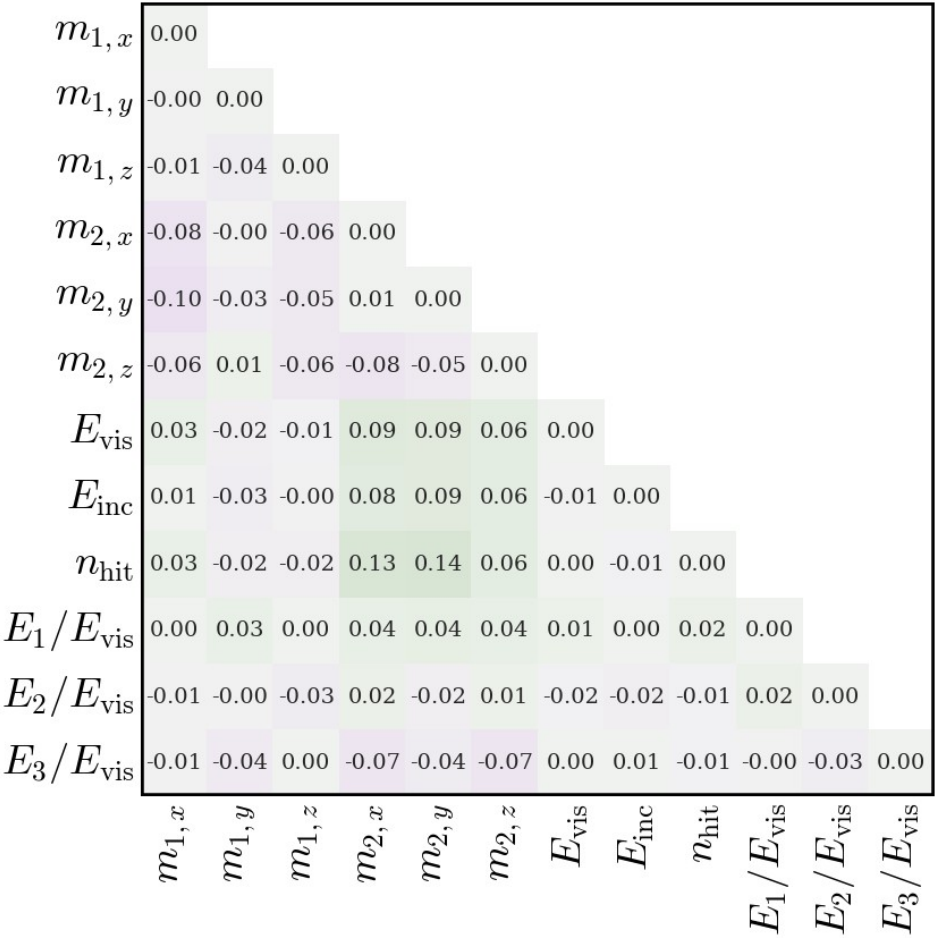
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Pion Showers: Sim Level Results

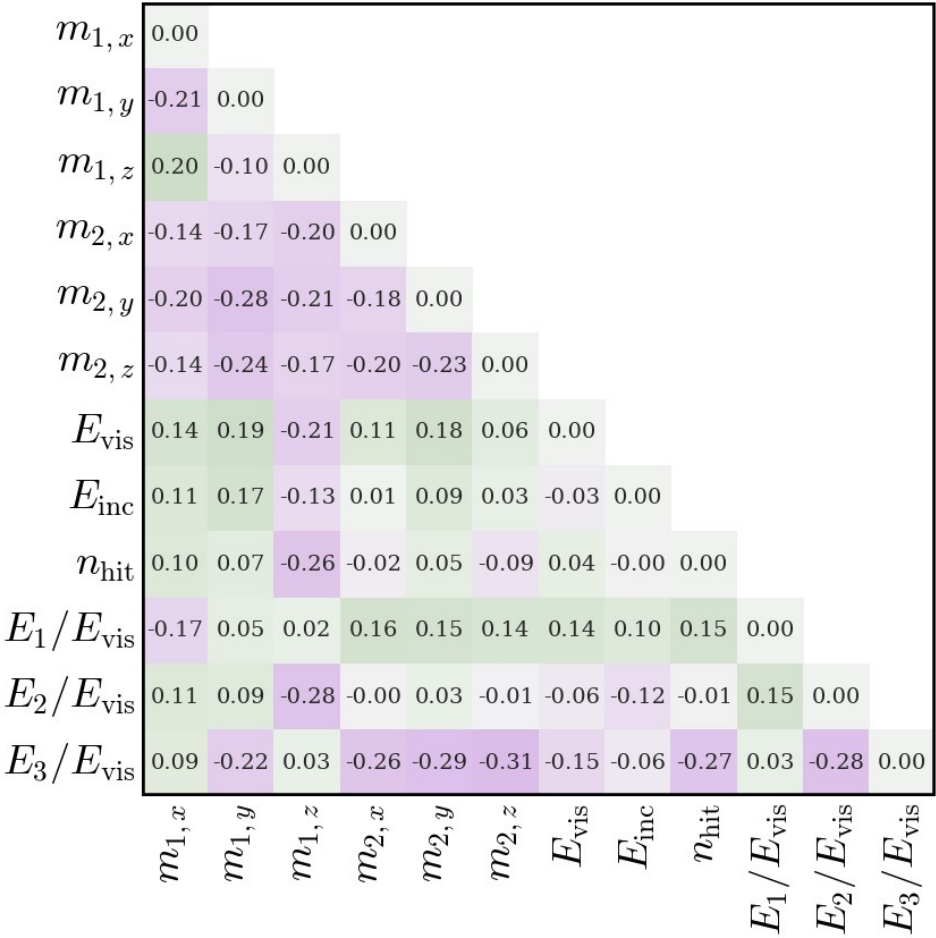


Pion correlations

GEANT4 - BIB-AE

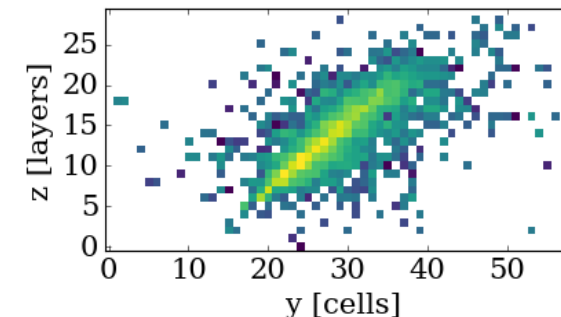
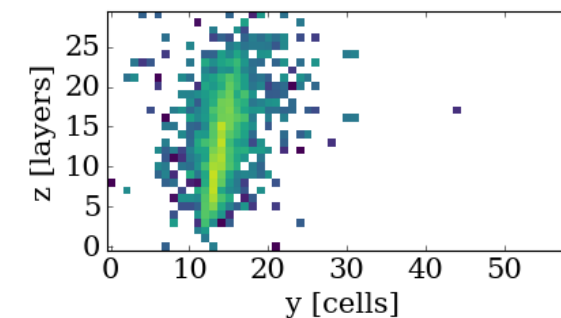
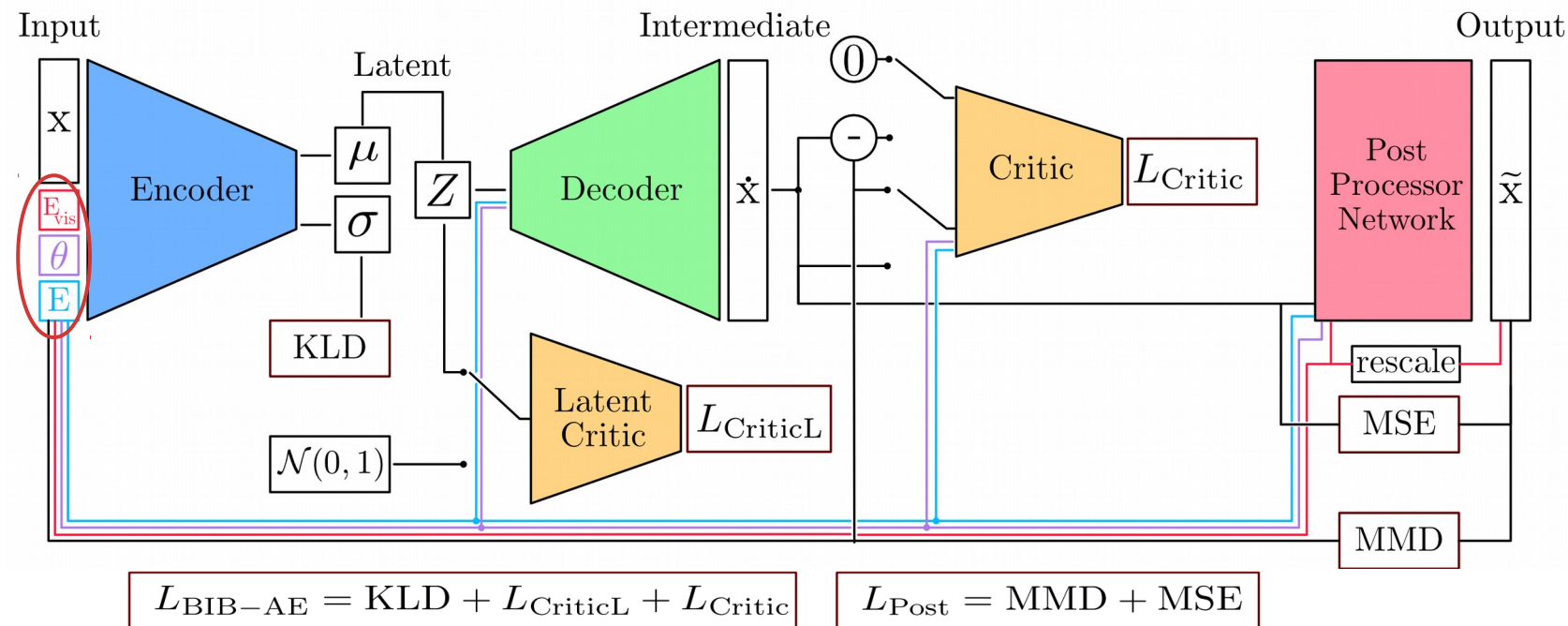
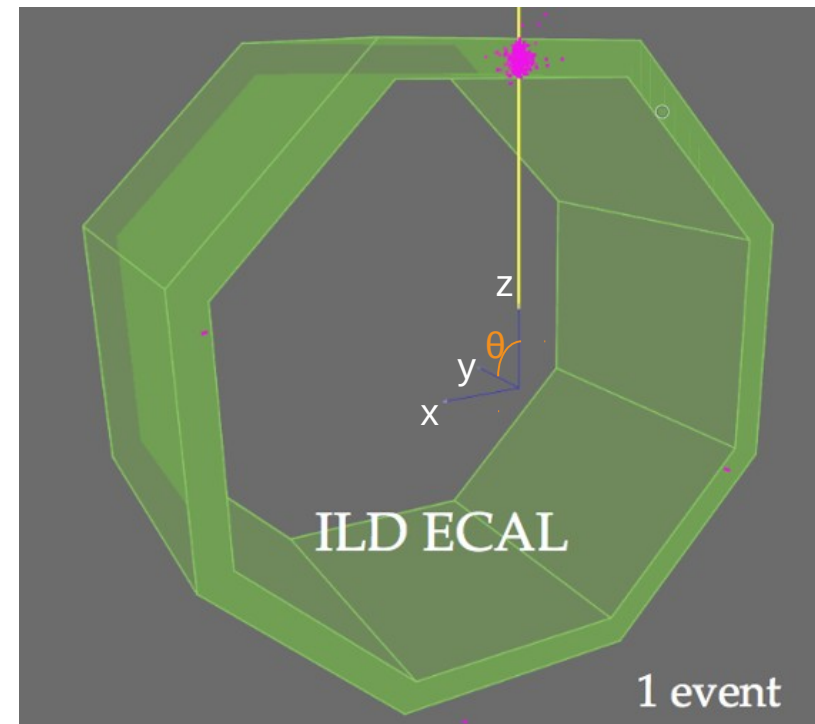


GEANT4 - WGAN

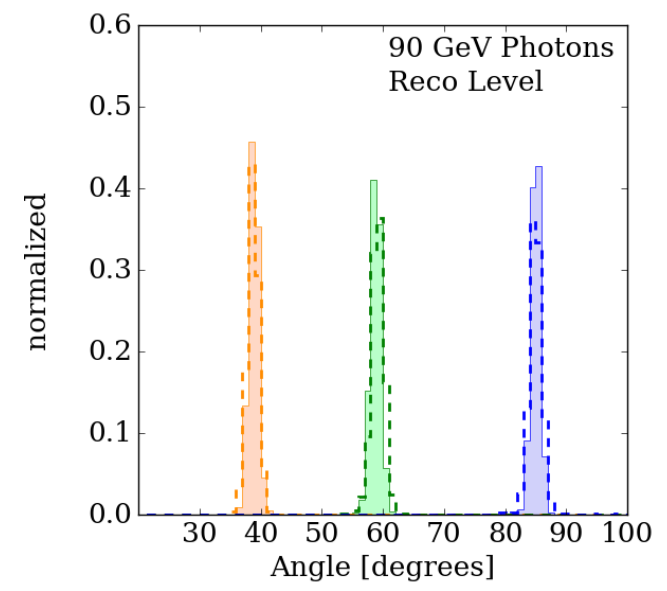
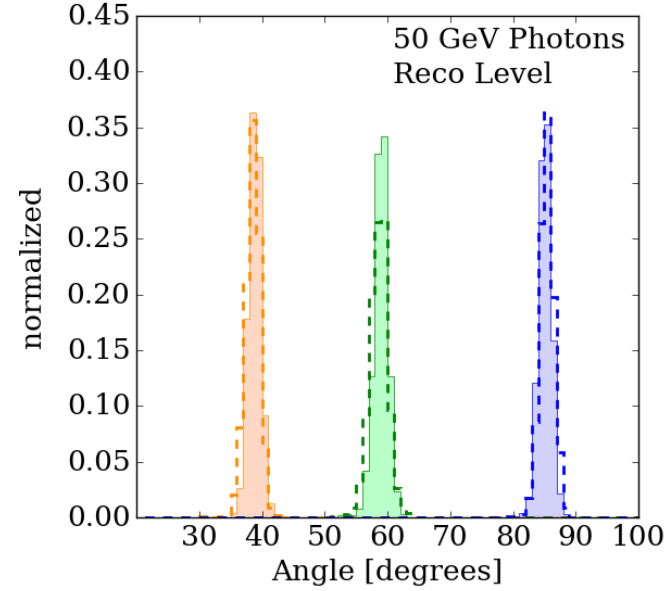
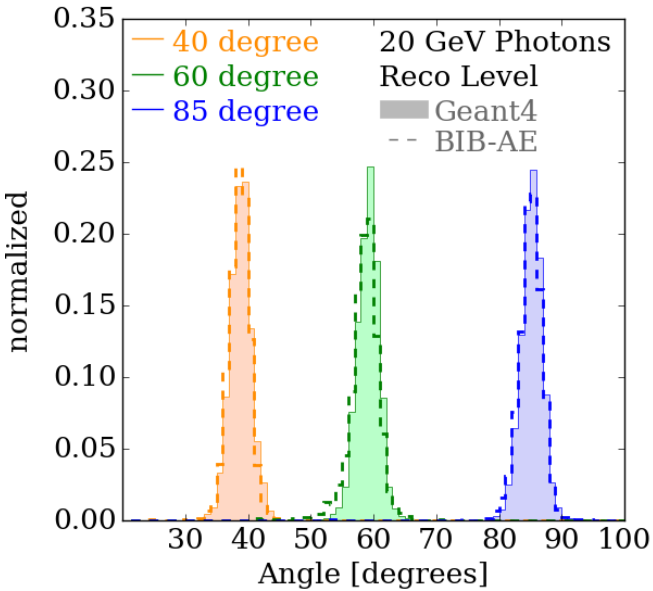
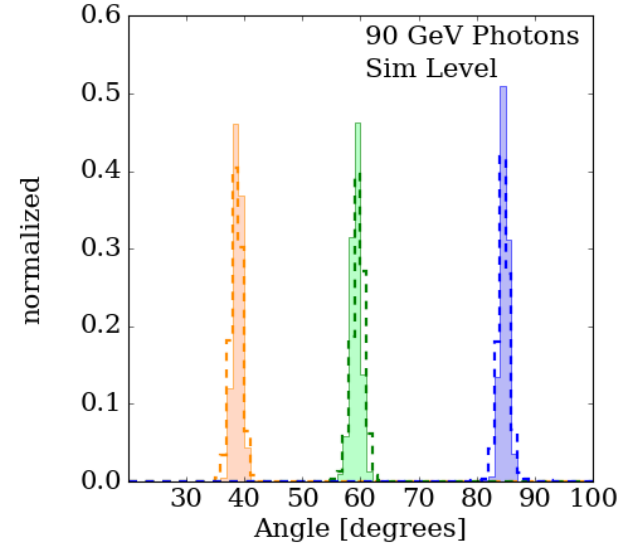
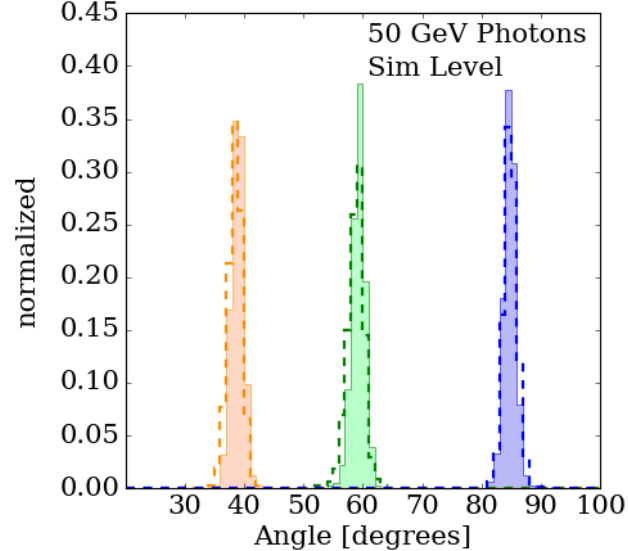
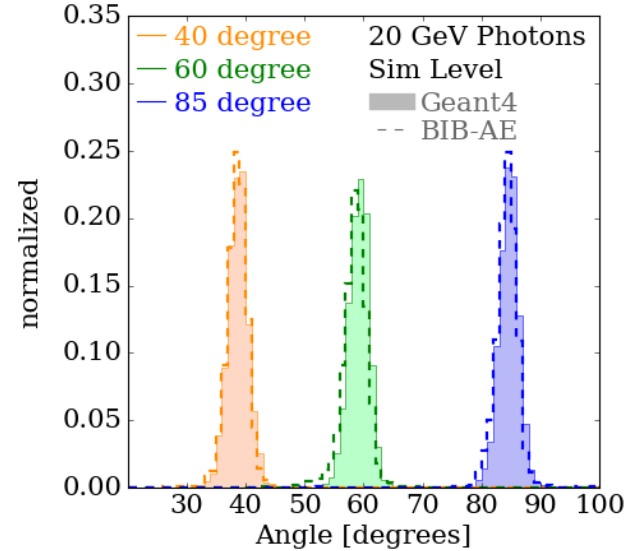


Angle and Energy Conditioning

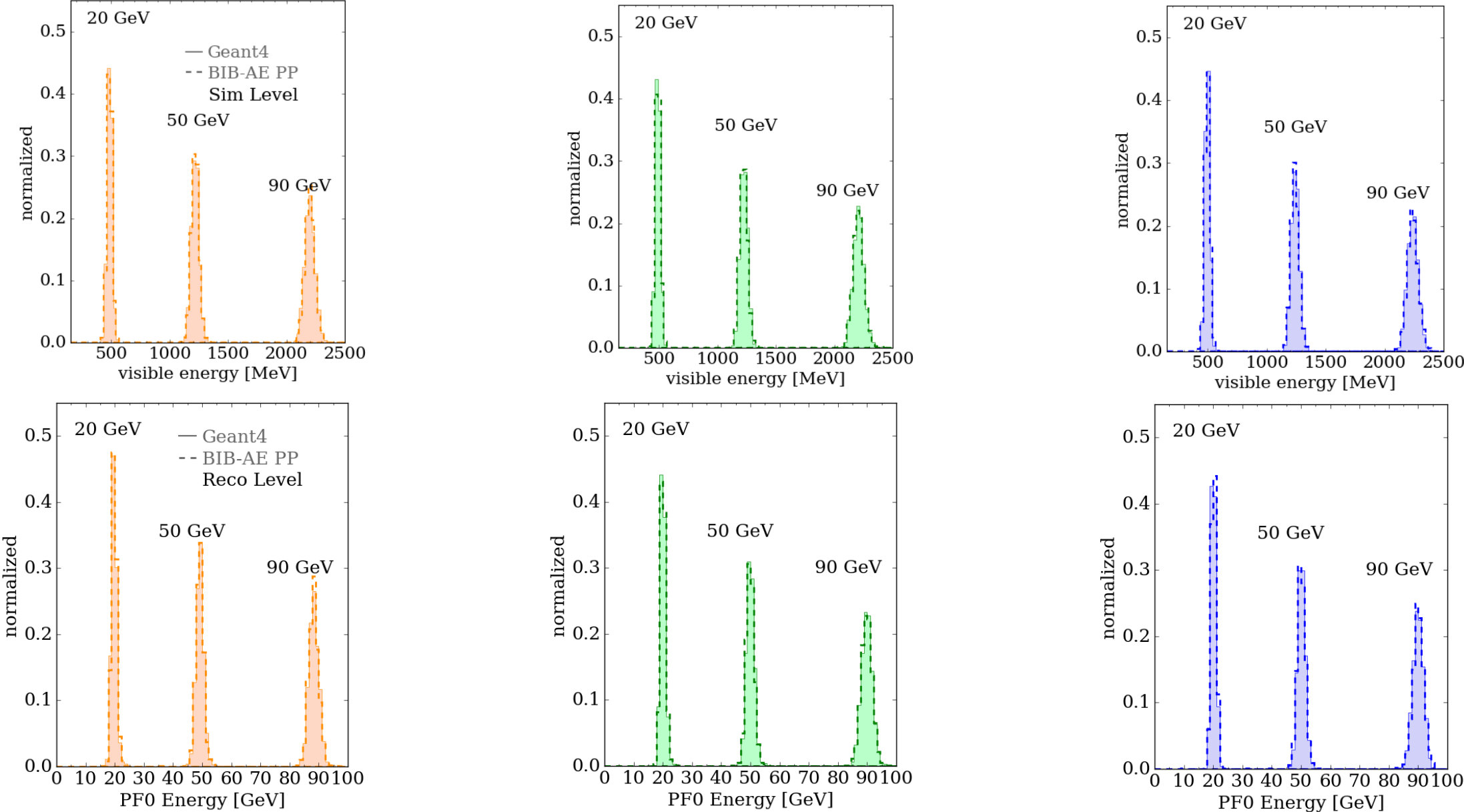
- **Multi-parameter conditioning** essential to **generalise** simulation tool
- **Normalising Flow** for latent sampling- **fast** sampling with multiple conditioning parameters
- Flow generates latent variables + E_{sum} given angle and energy
- Additional **energy sum** conditioning in Post Processor- rescale per shower energy to pin down energy sum



Results: Angular resolution- Sim vs Reco

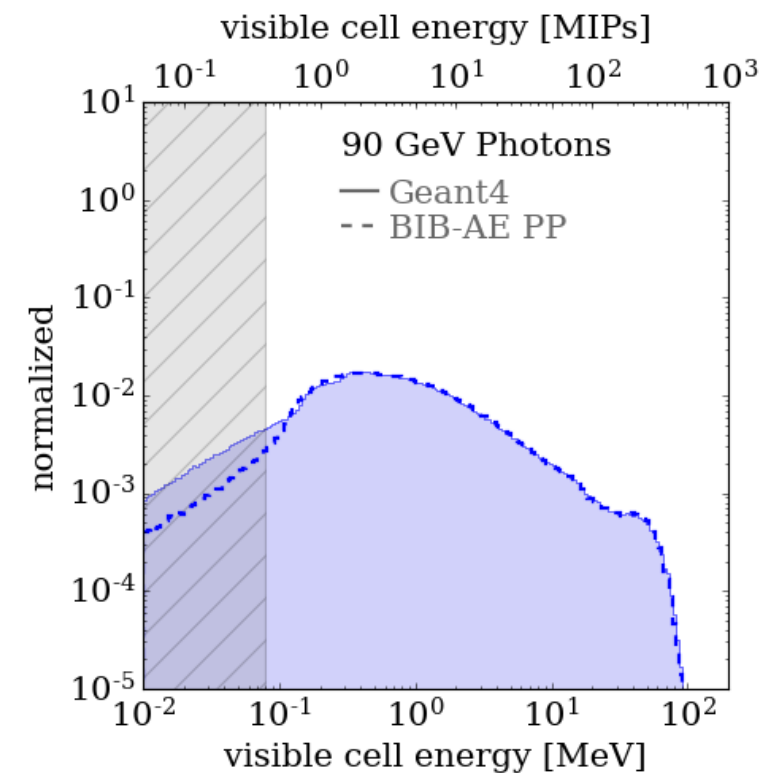
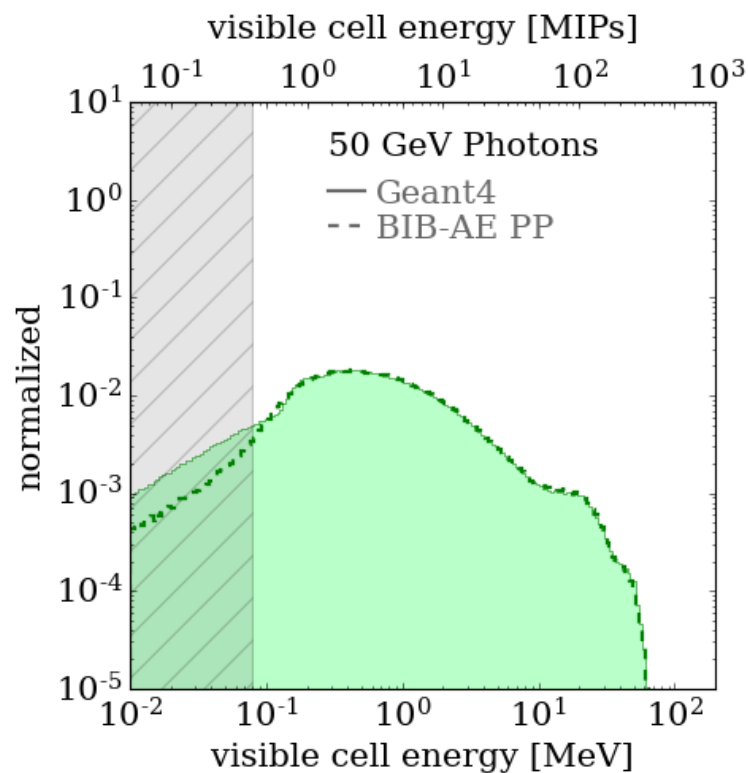
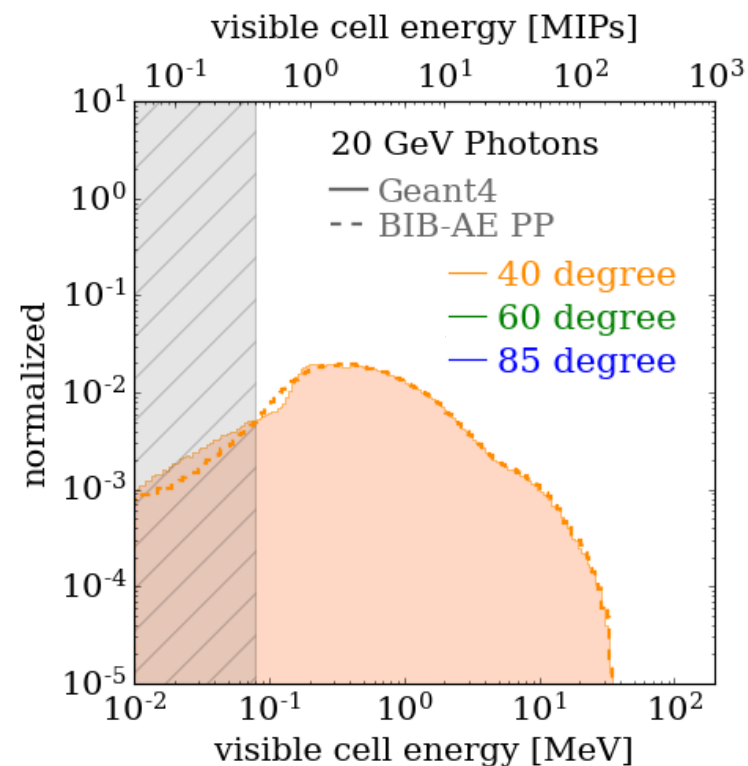


Results: Visible Energy Sum- Sim vs Reco

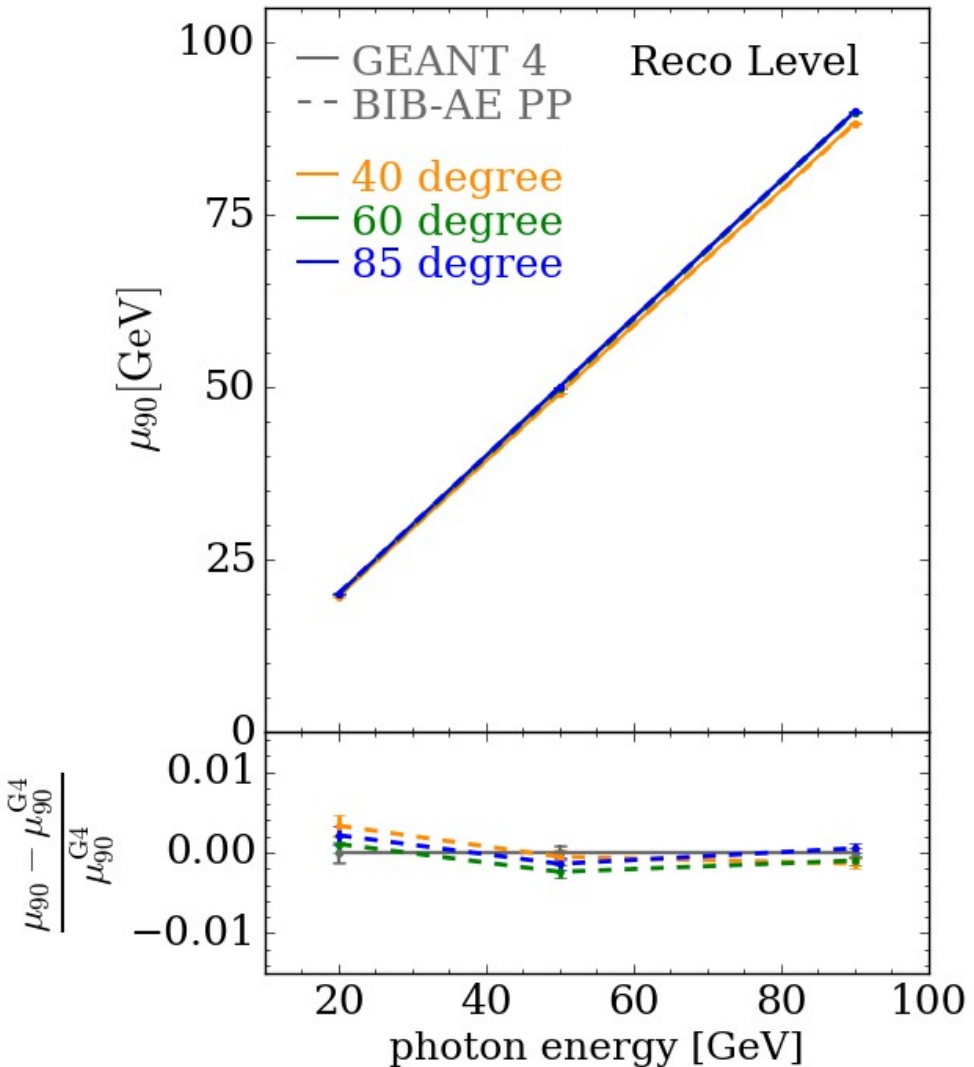
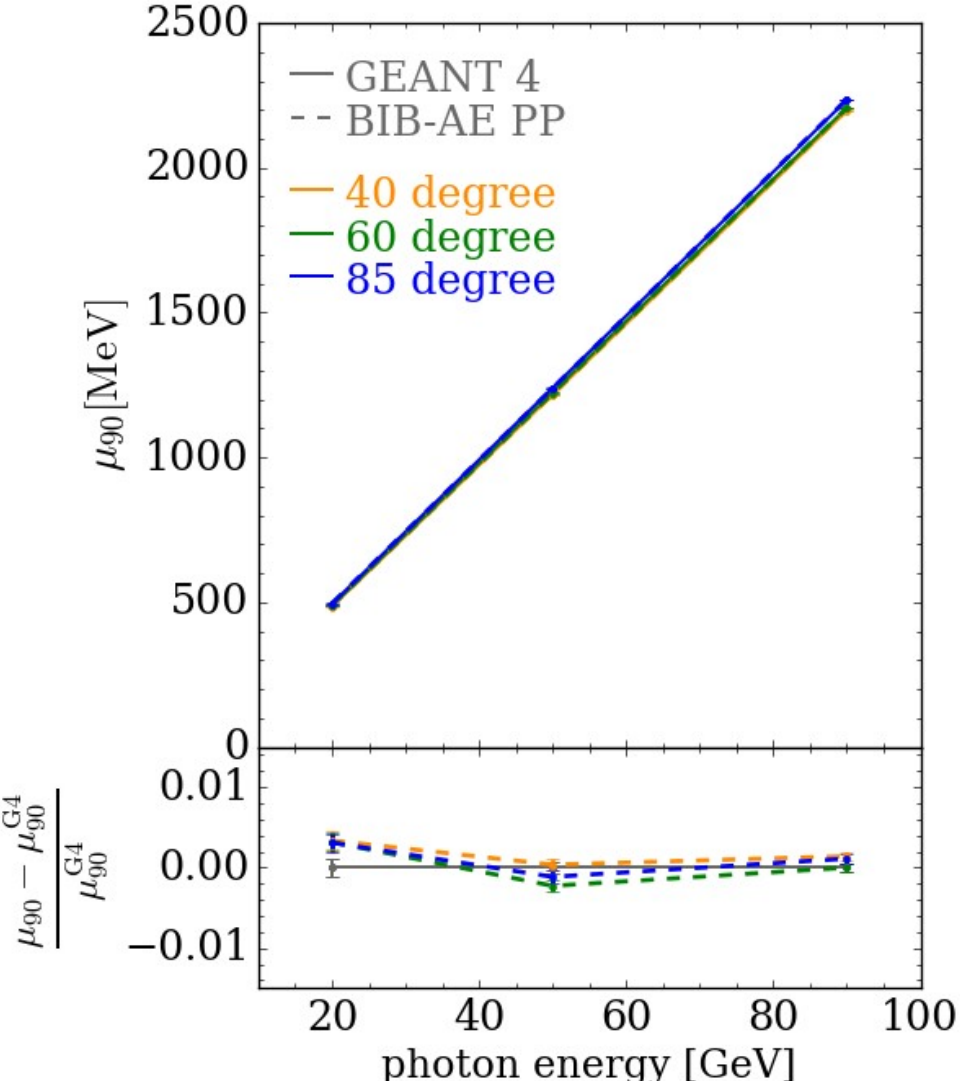


Results: Cell Energy Spectrum

- Post Processor Network retains its ability to correctly describe the cell energy distribution



Results: Energy linearity Sim vs Rec



Results: Energy resolution Sim vs Rec

