

Generative Modeling for Fast Simulation of Highly Granular Calorimeters in HEP

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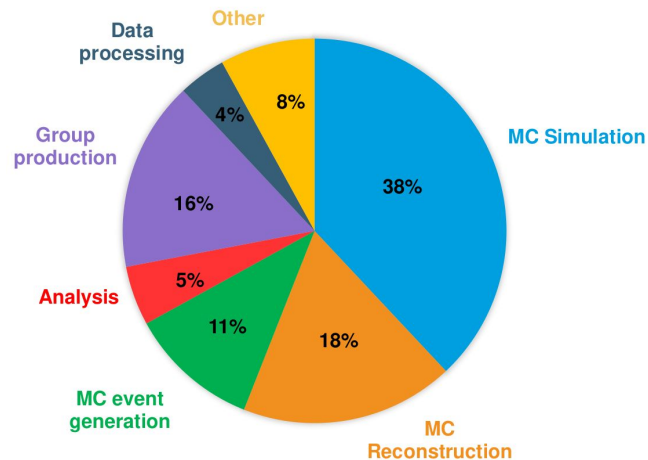


Introduction

Time-consuming Simulations

- The most computationally expensive step in the simulation pipeline of a typical HEP experiment is **MC Simulation**
 - Calorimeters most intensive part of detector simulation

WALL CLOCK CONSUMPTION PER WORKFLOW



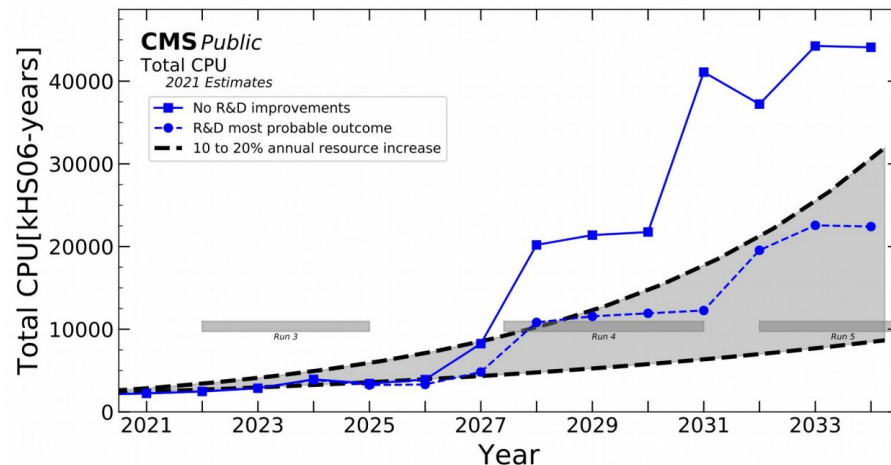
D. Costanzo, J. Catmore, ATLAS
Computing update, LHCC meeting , 2019

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- Projected computing resources required far outstrip what will be available
 - E.g High Luminosity LHC (HL-LHC)
- Future lepton colliders also benefit from much faster MC

Goal: replace (or augment) most intensive part of detector simulation (calorimeters simulation) with a faster generator, based on state-of-the-art machine learning techniques

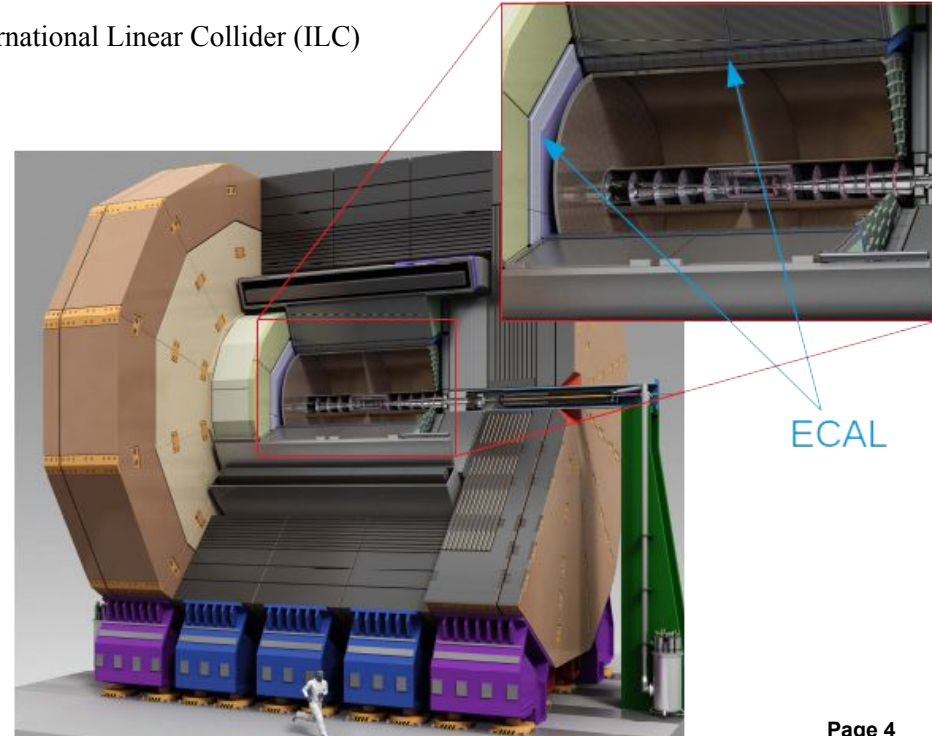


CMS Collaboration,
Offline and Computing Public Results (2021)
<https://twiki.cern.ch/twiki/bin/view/CMSPublic/CMSOfflineComputingResults>

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- Case Study: International Large Detector (ILD) concept for the International Linear Collider (ILC)
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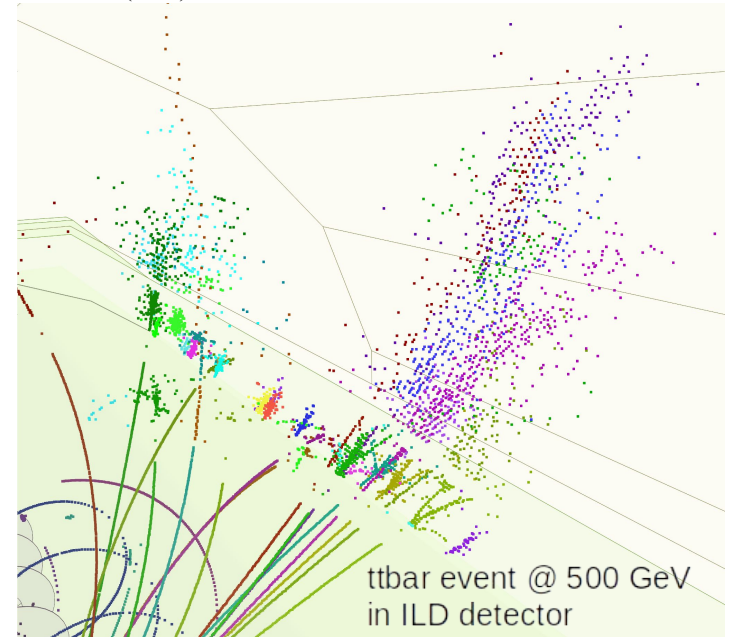
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c.f. a few cm² for
ATLAS/CMS ECAL
(before High Lumi)

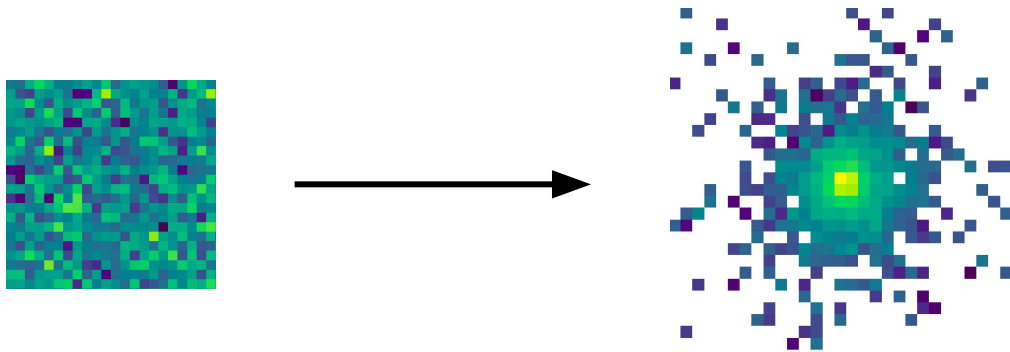
High granularity → Need for high fidelity simulation



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Generative Models

- A Generative Model is just a function that maps random noise to some structure
- In most cases the structure is an **image representation** of the electromagnetic (EM) shower in the calorimeter

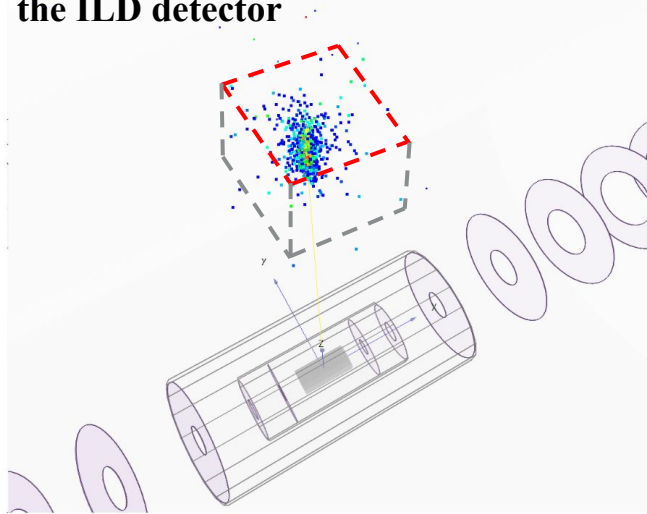


- There exist numerous generative models
 - Generative Adversarial Networks (GANs)
 - Autoencoders (AE), e.g. BiB-AE
 - Flow-based models
 - Diffusion Models (DMs)

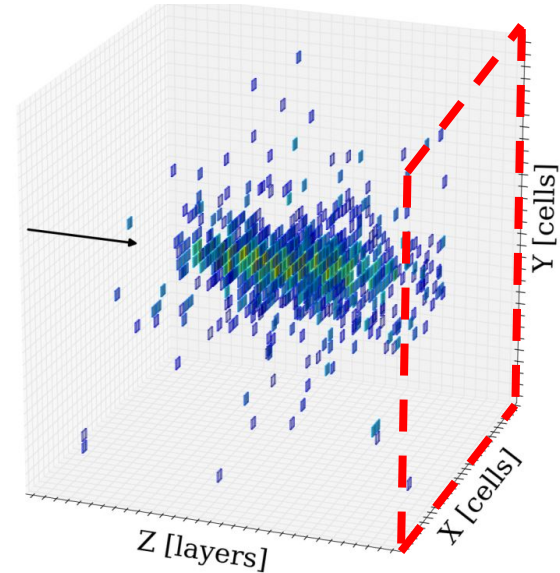
Image Representation of the EM Showers

ILD Detector

A simulated 60 GeV photon shower in the ILD detector



Regular grid 30x30x30

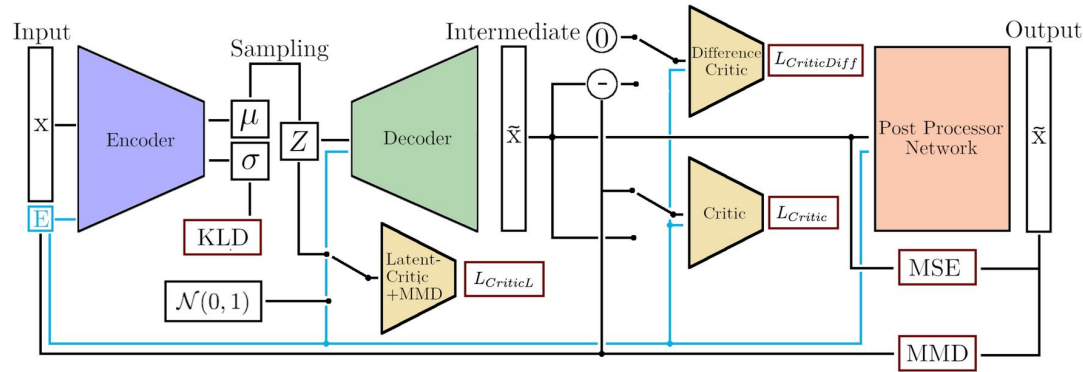


One to one mapping from detector geometry to a regular grid

Progress on 3D Regular Grid

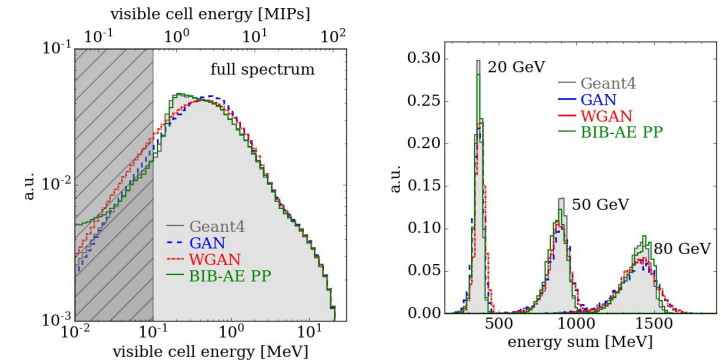
Photons and Pions

- Achieved **high fidelity** generation of **photon** and **pion** showers with **BIB-AE** architecture (and post processing)
- 90 deg impact angle, fixed position in calorimeter
- Fixed regular 3D grid geometry ($O(10-100k)$ voxels)

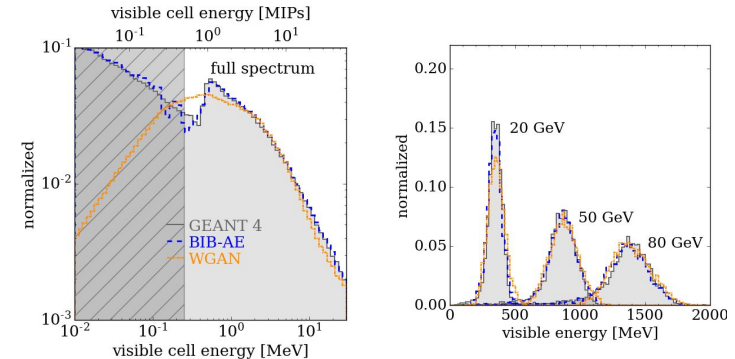


BIB-AE: Bounded Information Bottleneck Autoencoder

as well as comparison to GAN and WGAN ...



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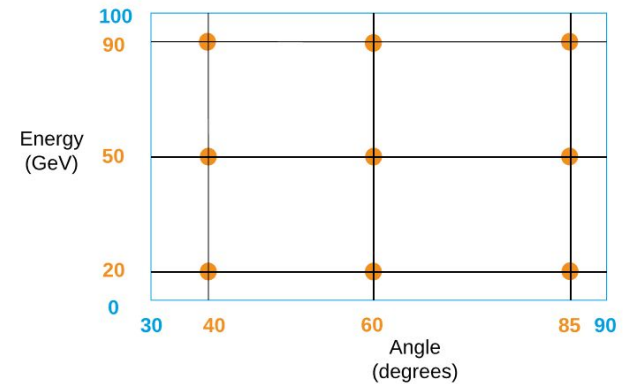
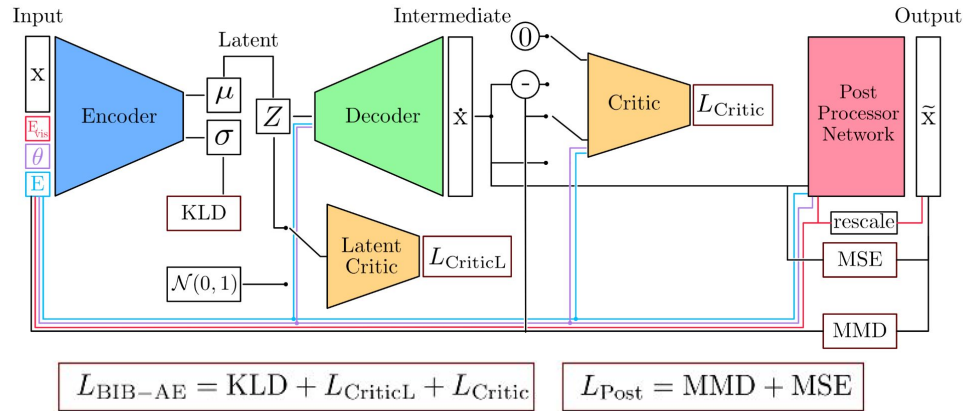
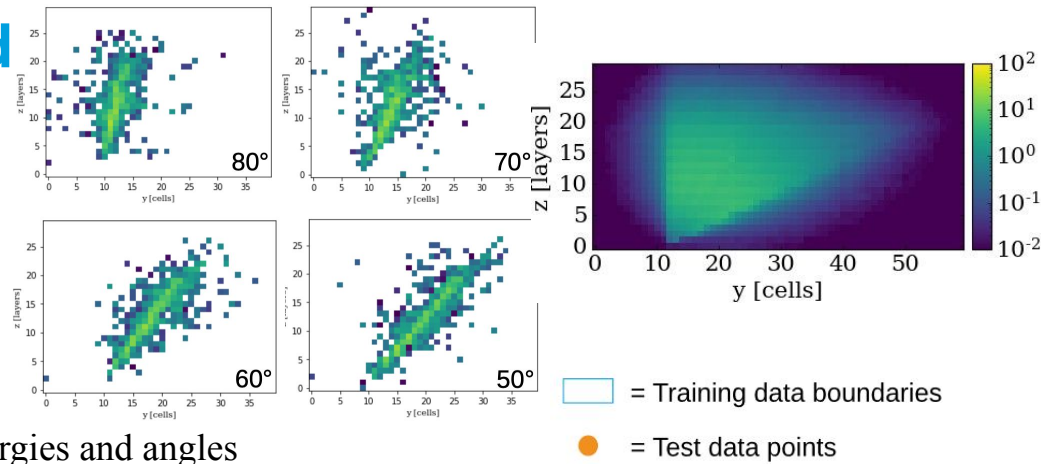


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Energy and Angular Conditioning

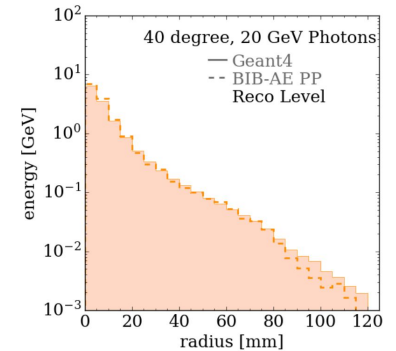
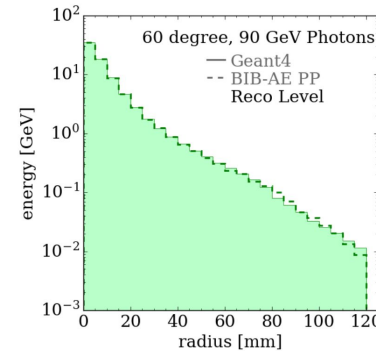
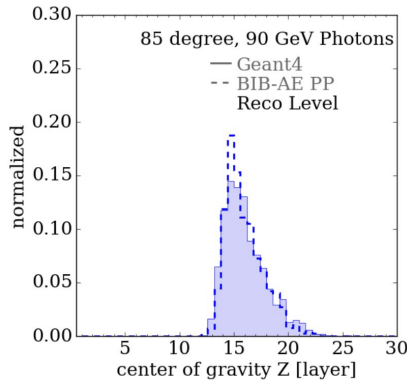
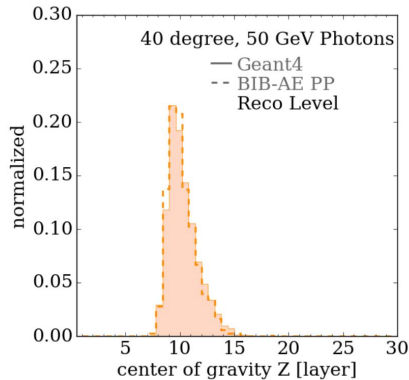
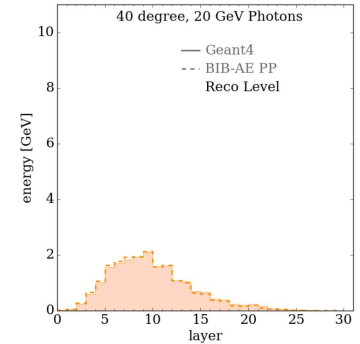
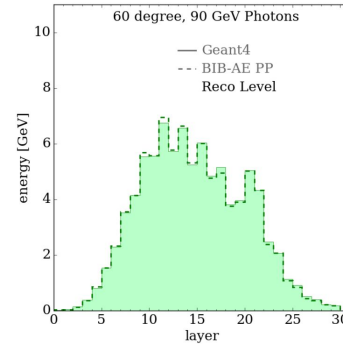
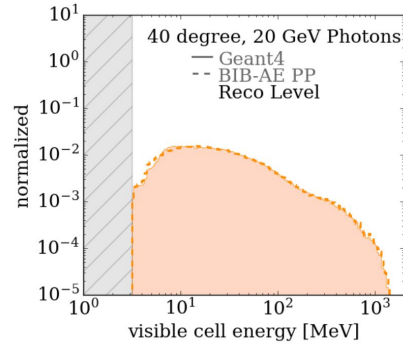
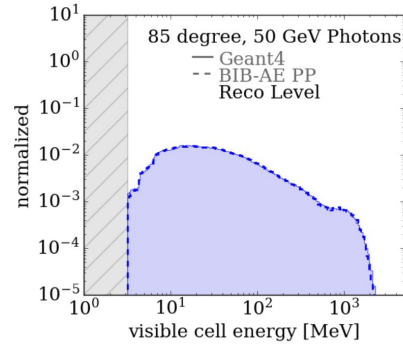
- Photons incident at fixed position
- Extend BIB-AE architecture
- Vary incident energy and polar angle**
 - Large training sample - 500k showers
 - Uniform in [10-100 GeV, 30-90 deg]
 - Test/validation samples at dedicated energies and angles



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Energy and Angular Conditioning, Performance After Reconstruction

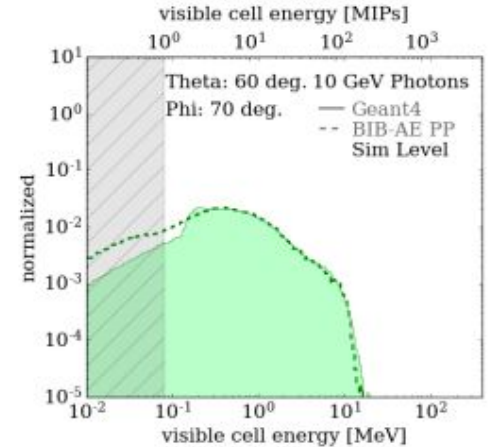
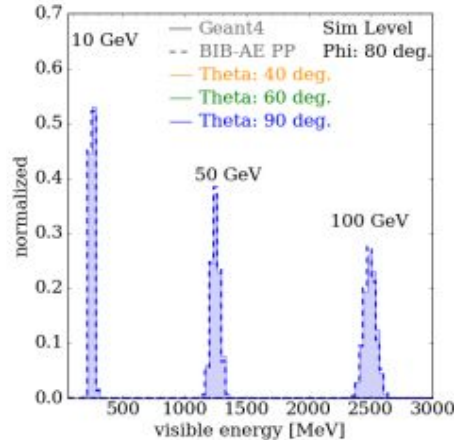
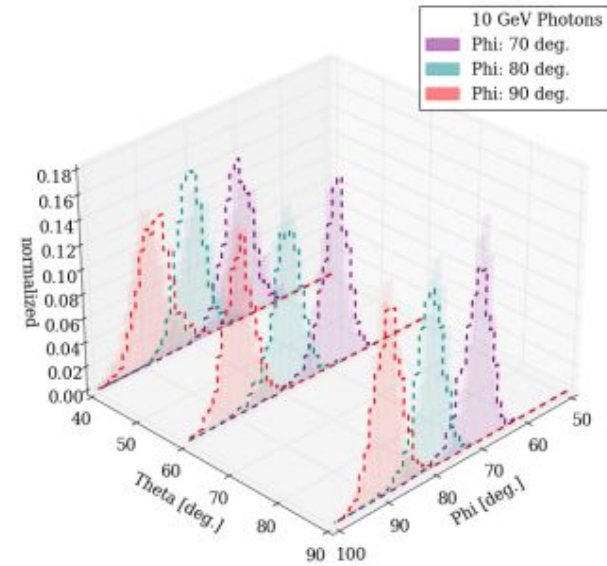
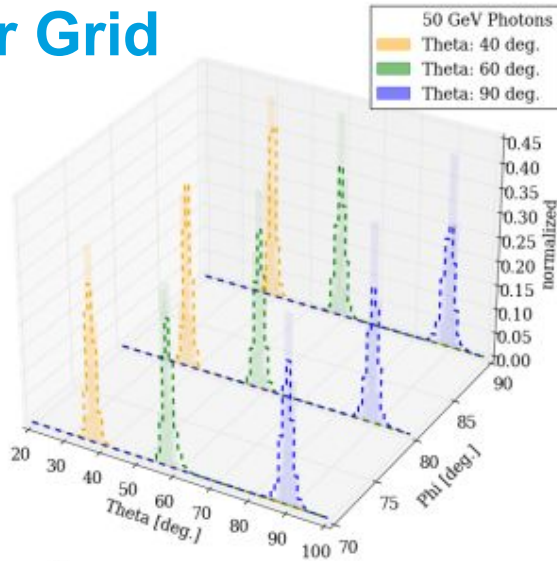
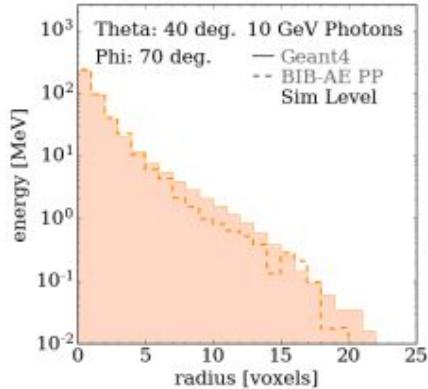
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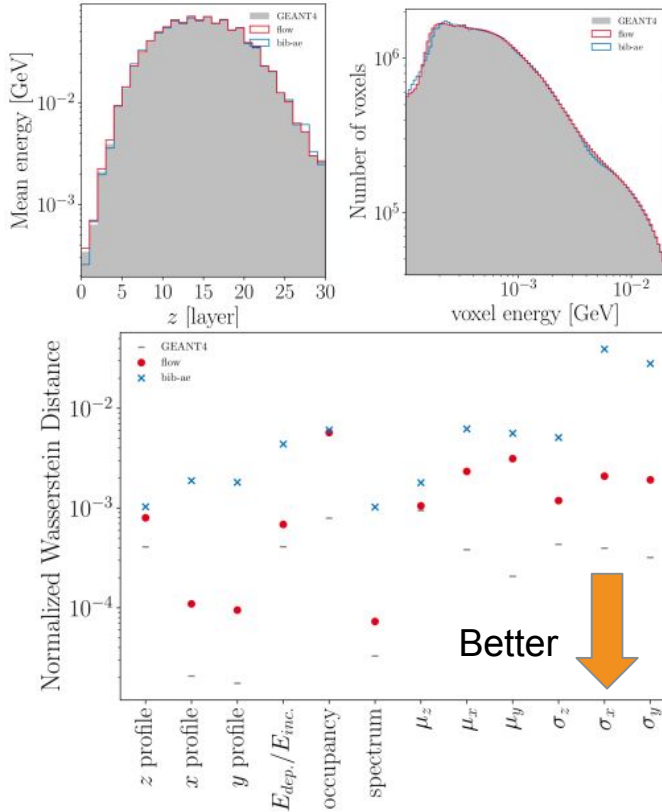
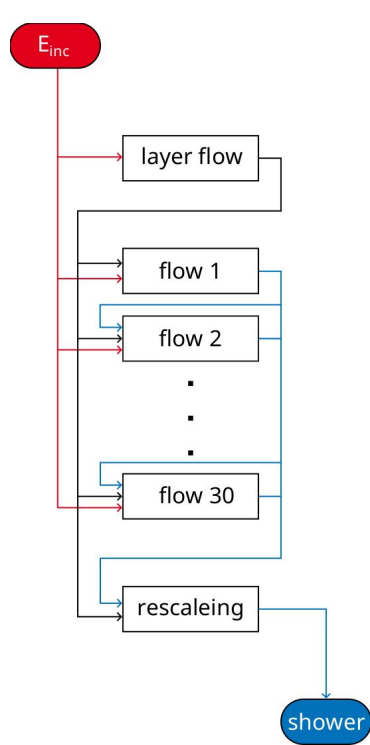
Adding Another Angle

- Need to condition on **energy**, **theta** and **phi** for full application
- **Extending phase space** can be challenging



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Layer-to-Layer Normalising Flow Model



¹ Fast and accurate simulations of calorimeter showers with normalizing flows, Krause & Shih., [Phys. Rev. D 107, 113003](#)

² L2LFlows: Generating High-Fidelity 3D Calorimeter Images, Diefenbacher et al., [arXiv:2302.11594](#)

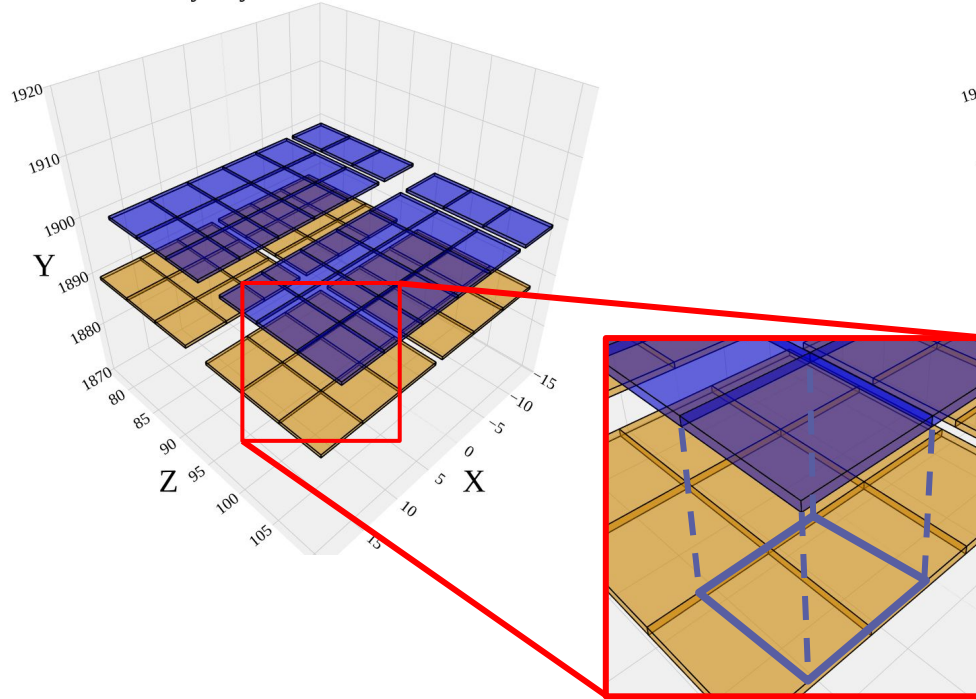
Convolutional L2LFlows: Generating Accurate Showers in Highly Granular Calorimeters Using Convolutional Normalizing Flows, Buss et al., coming soon on arXiv...

- Fully **invertible** model
- Learns to **sequentially** produce shower shape in each layer
- Extends previous work ^{1,2} to scale to full shower
- **Superior** simulation-level **performance** vs a BIB-AE across a range of observables
- More work required to achieve competitive simulation speed

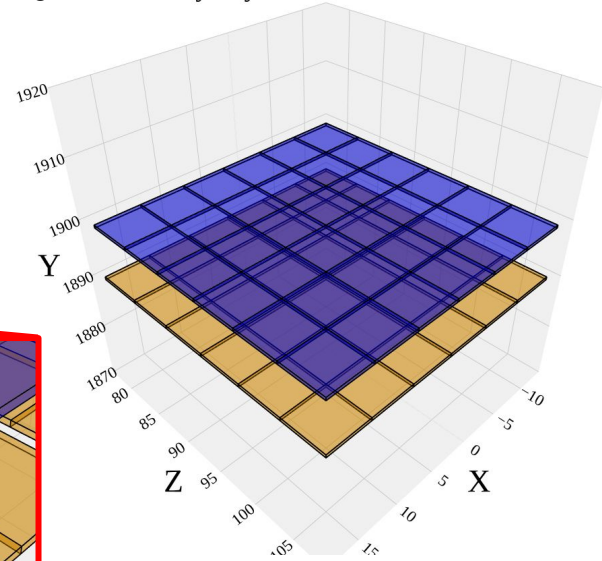
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ILD Detector, ECAL Layers Structure

Real Geometry Layout

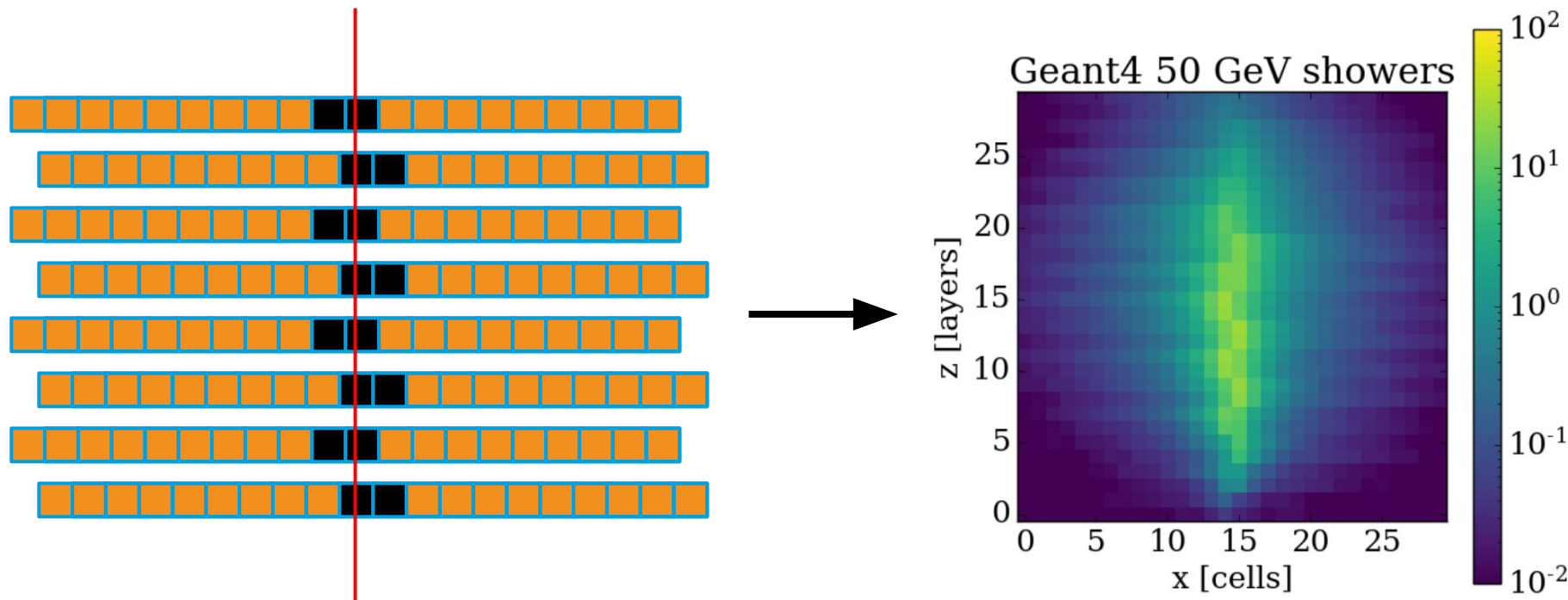


Regular Geometry Layout



Problems with Image Representation of the EM Showers

ILD Detector, ECAL Layers Structure, Staggering Effect



Models have to learn not only EM shower properties, but also geometry “artifacts”, like **staggering effect**

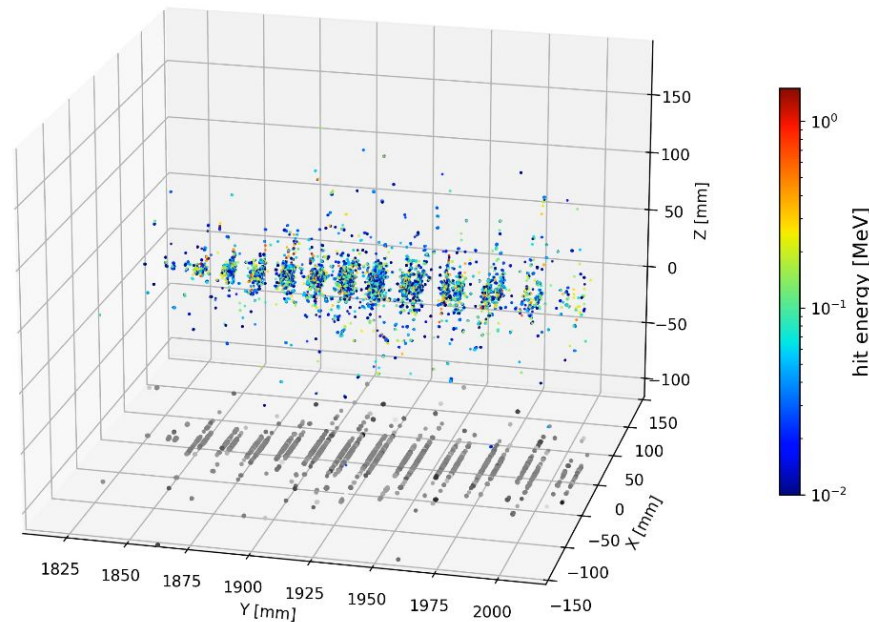
Point Cloud Representation of the EM Showers

GEANT4 Steps

A way to overcome potential issues from irregular (realistic) cell geometry would be to use much higher granularity/resolution

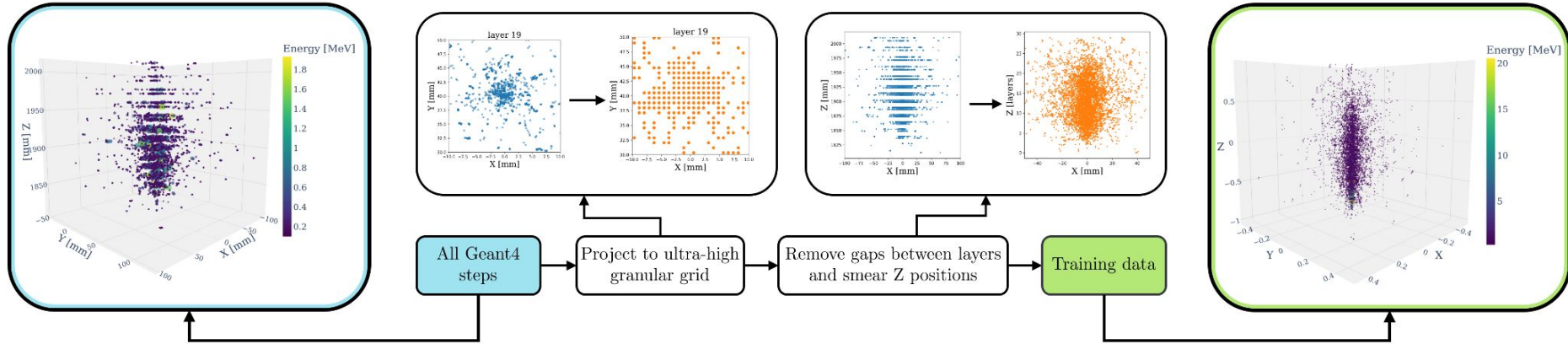
- All G4 interactions, ultimate resolution
- Detached from detector layer geometry
- Too many points to generate, $\sim 40k$ per shower (need pre-processing step to reduce number of spacepoints)

Photon
Energy: 90 [GeV]
Event: 4
Time step: 0.98246 [ns]



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Data Preprocessing

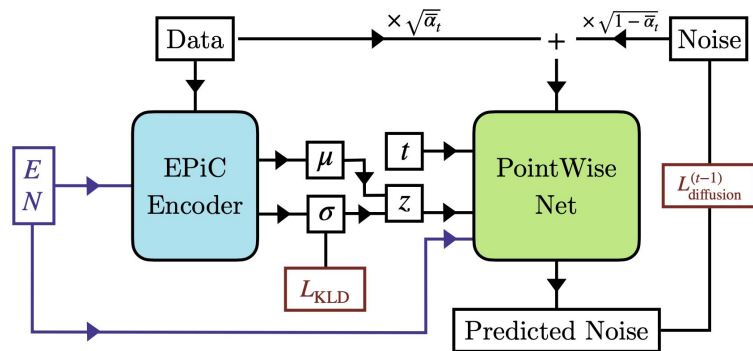


Number of points reduced to ~6k per shower, high enough resolution to move the shower in different place without harming physical properties of the shower

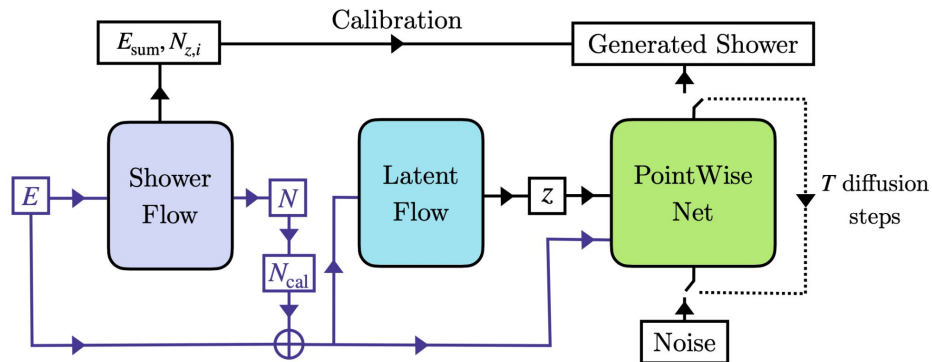
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CaloClouds, Model Overview

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(a) Training at random time step t



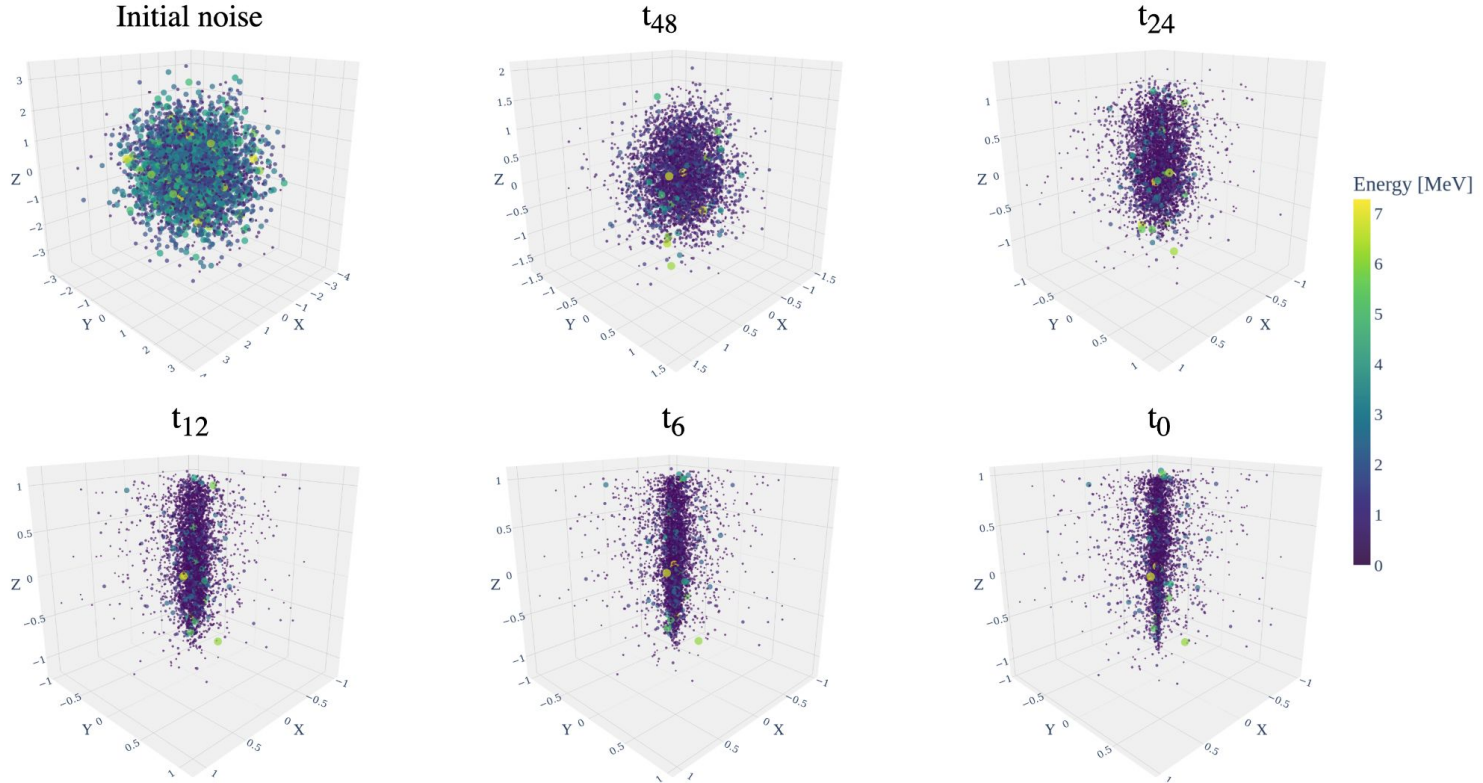
(b) Sampling with reverse diffusion through all time steps T

- GANs and VAEs convert noise from some simple distribution to a data sample

- DMs learn to gradually denoise data starting from noise

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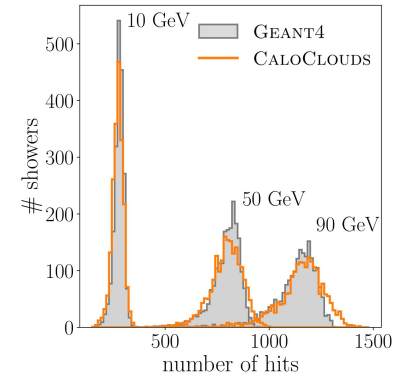
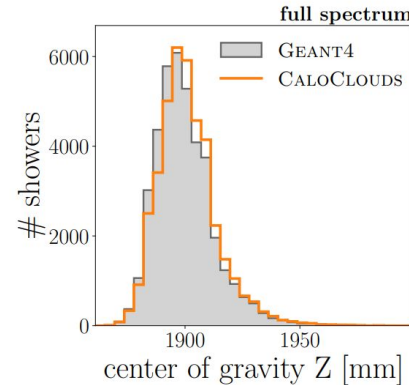
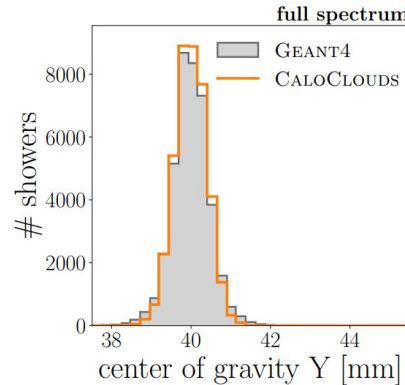
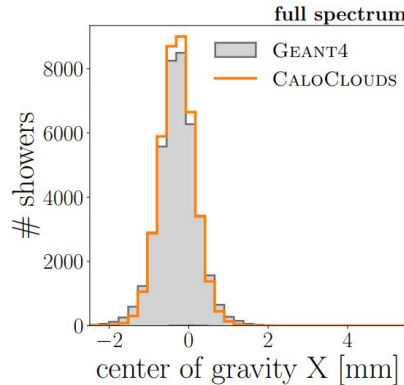
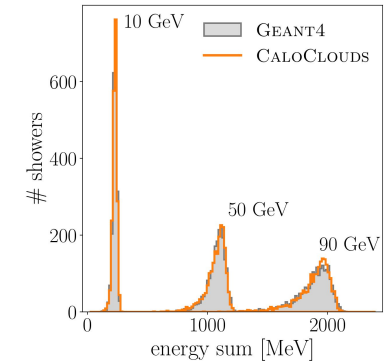
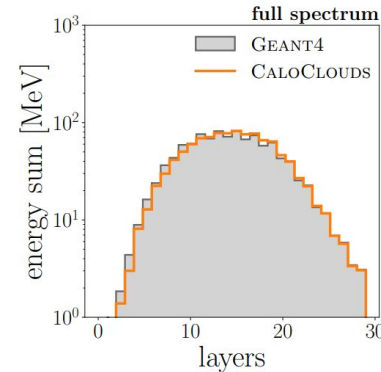
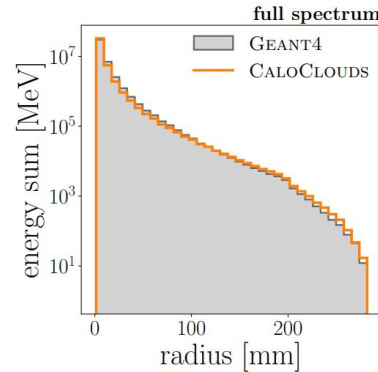
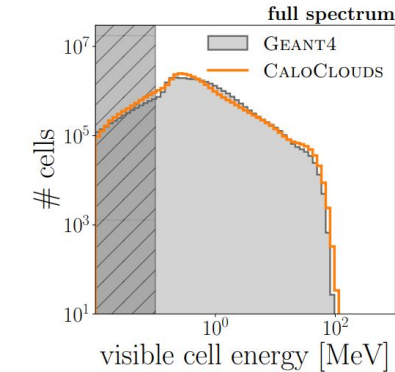
Reverse Diffusion Process



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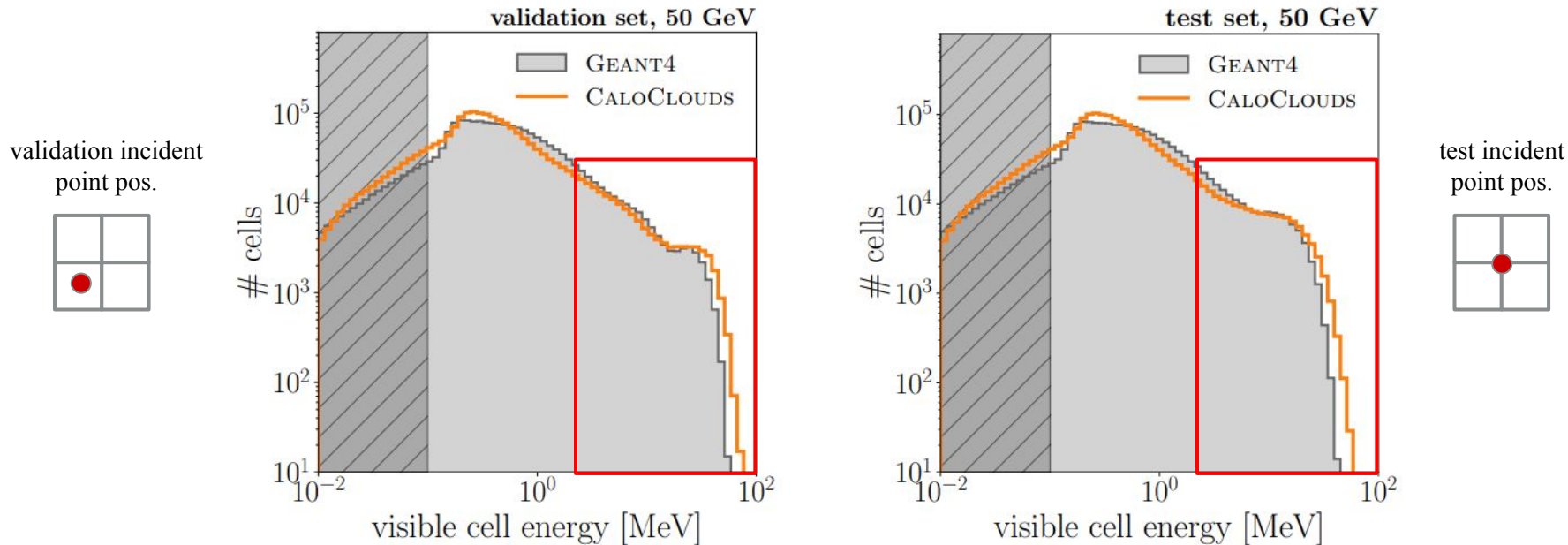
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Per-cell energy distribution for the 50 GeV validation (left) data set, created at the same position as the training data set and for a 50 GeV test (right) data set simulated at a different position with the generated point cloud translated to this position

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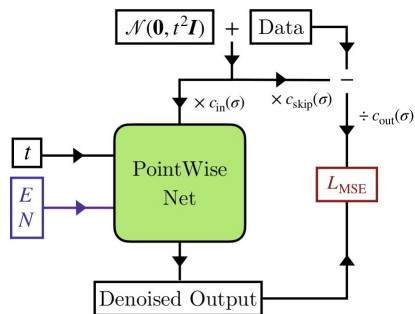
Hardware	Simulator	Time / Shower [ms]	Speed-up
CPU	GEANT4	4082 ± 170	$\times 1$
	CALOCLOUDS	3509 ± 220	$\times 1.2$
GPU	CALOCLOUDS	38 ± 3	$\times 107$

Not impressive
inference time

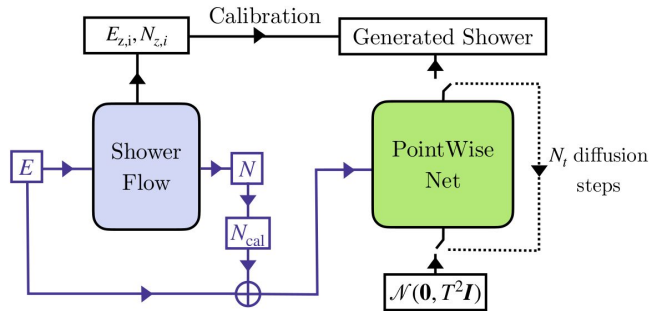
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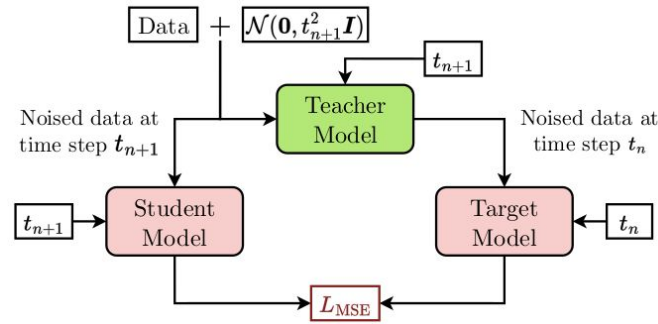
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(a) Training



(b) Sampling



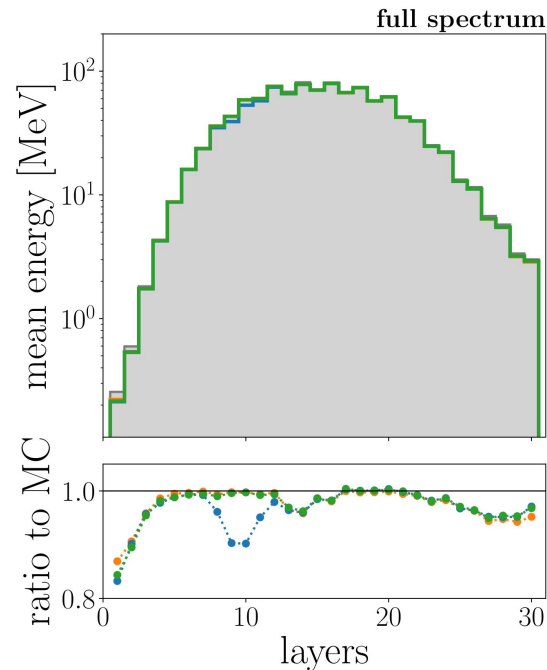
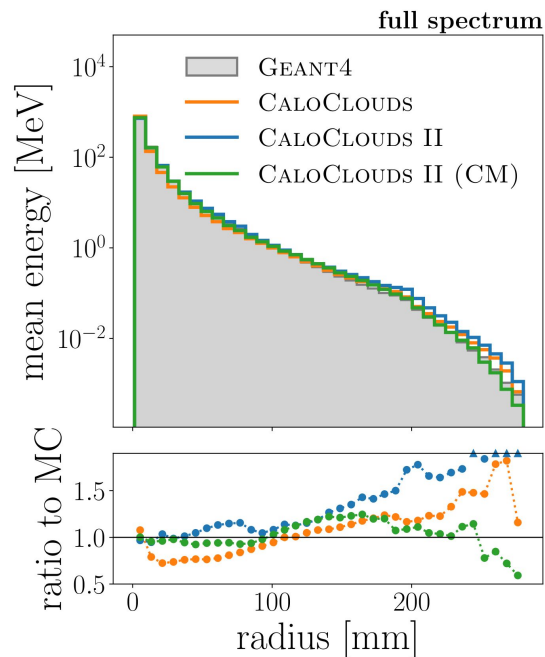
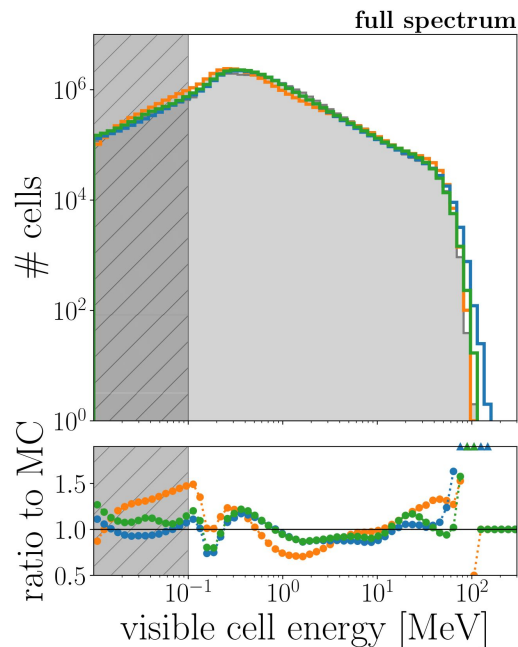
Consistency Distillation

Modified version of CaloClouds version + Consistency Distillation → significantly reduced inference time

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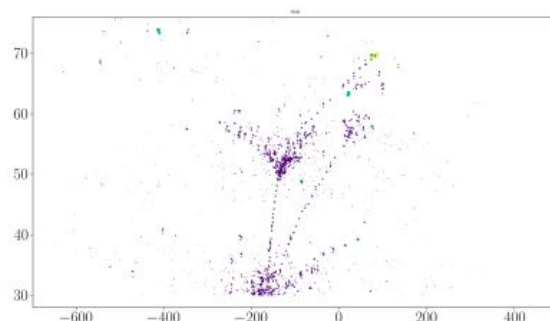
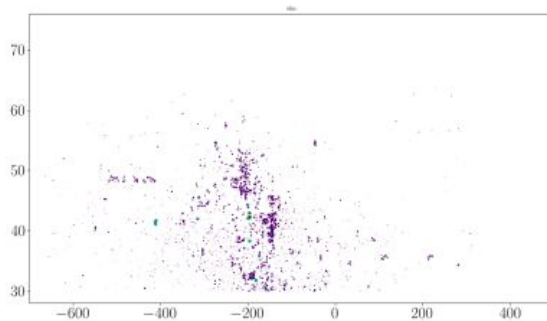
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	CALOCLOUDS II	25	1	651.68 ± 4.21	$\times 6.0$
	CALOCLOUDS II (CM)	1	1	84.35 ± 0.22	$\times 46$
GPU	CALOCLOUDS	100	64	24.91 ± 0.72	$\times 157$
	CALOCLOUDS II	25	64	6.12 ± 0.13	$\times 640$
	CALOCLOUDS II (CM)	1	64	2.09 ± 0.13	$\times 1873$

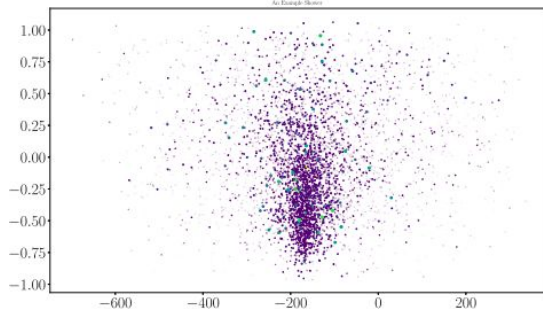
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Development of Point Cloud Model for Pions

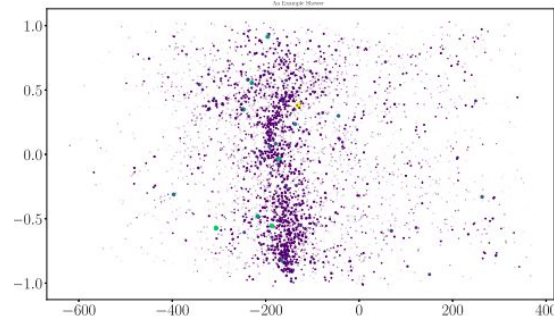
Geant 4 examples
Pi+ @ 50 GeV



CaloClouds2



CaloClouds2 with Attention



Summary

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Fair Fidelity / High speed / Easy to Scale / Layer Geometry Independent / Straightforward to Integrate

Flows Family

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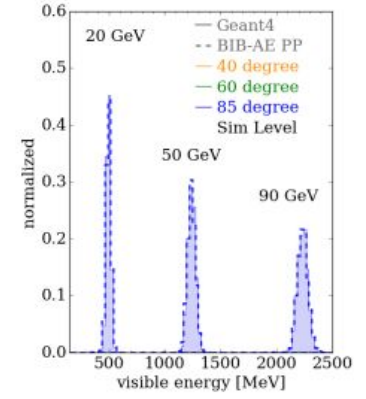
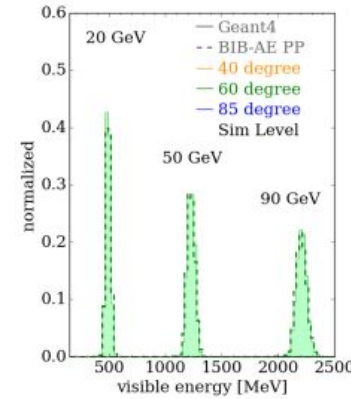
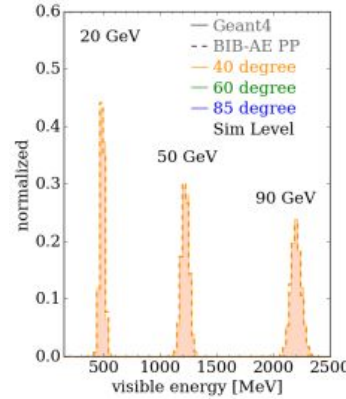
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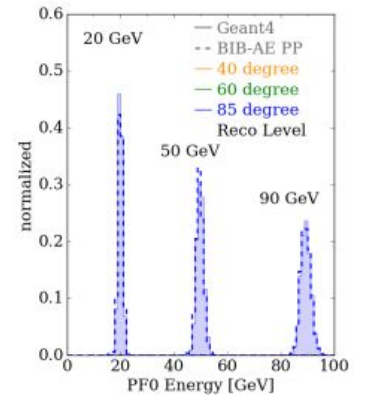
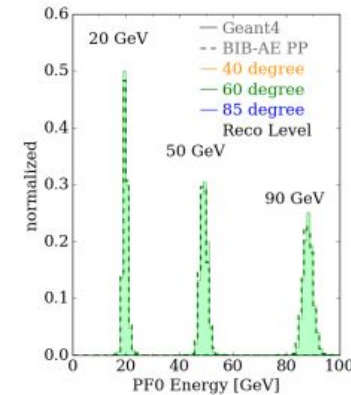
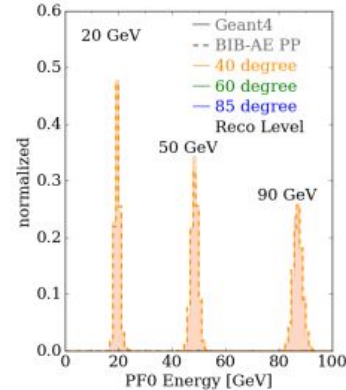
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- Sim level visible energy



- Rec level calibrated energy
 - After full PandoraPFA reco

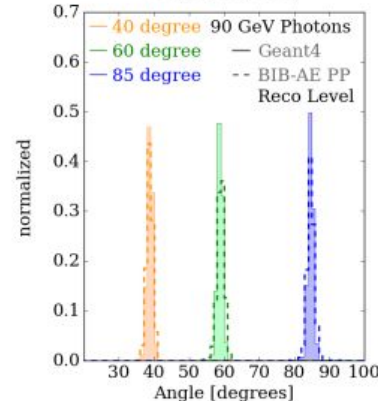
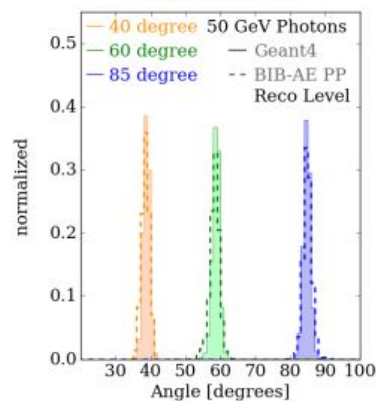
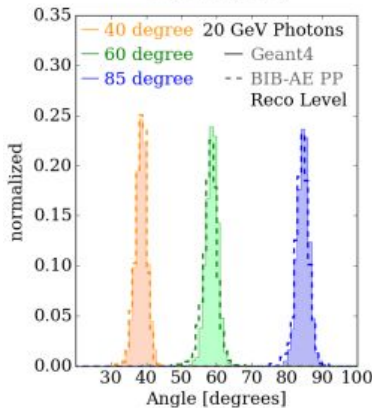
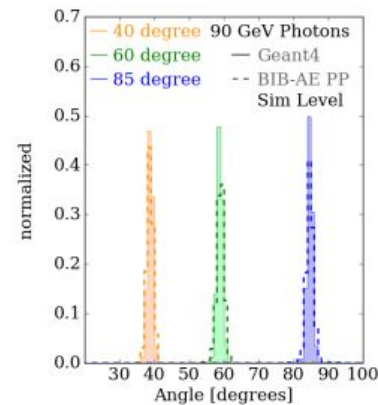
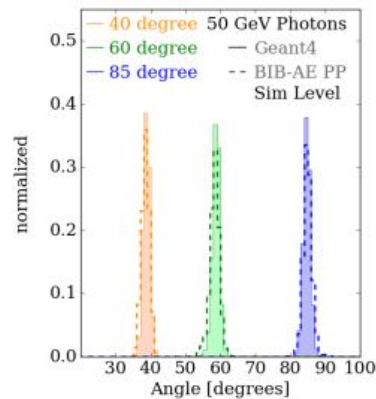
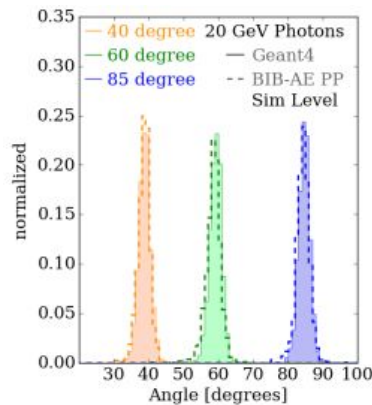


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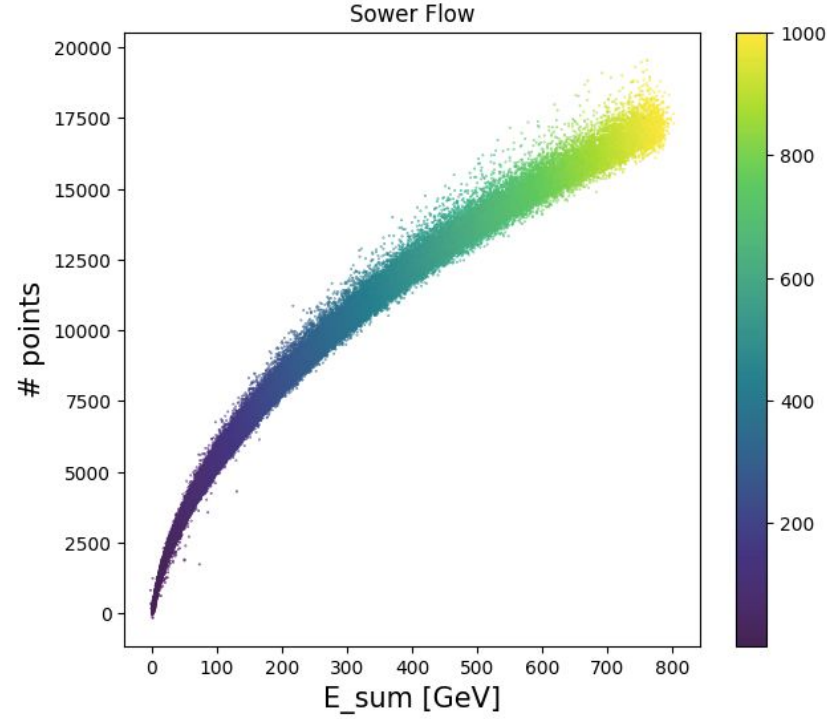
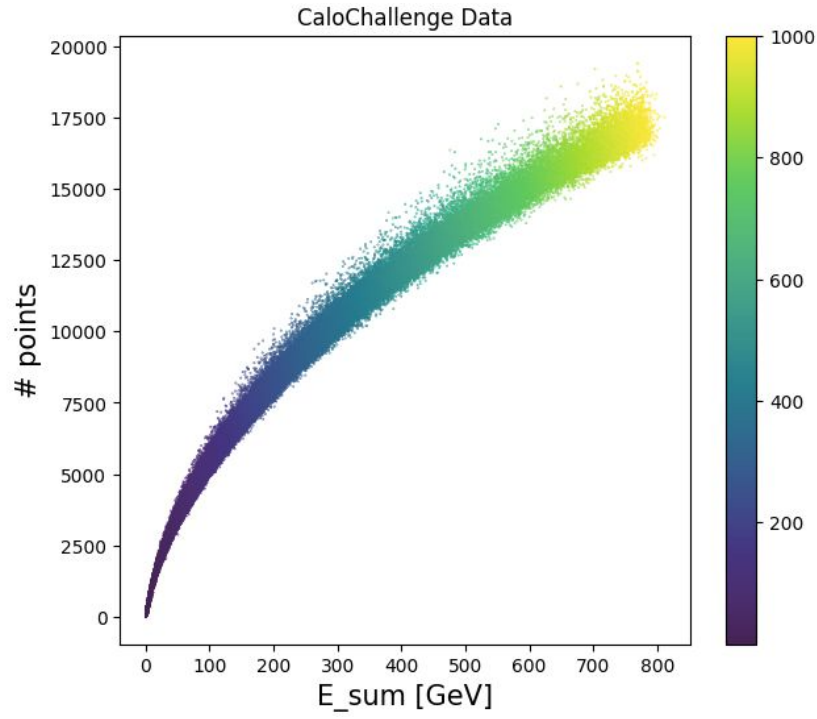
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- **Sim** level angle reconstruction
 - After full reconstruction with PandoraPFA
- **Rec** level angle reconstruction
 - After full reconstruction with PandoraPFA



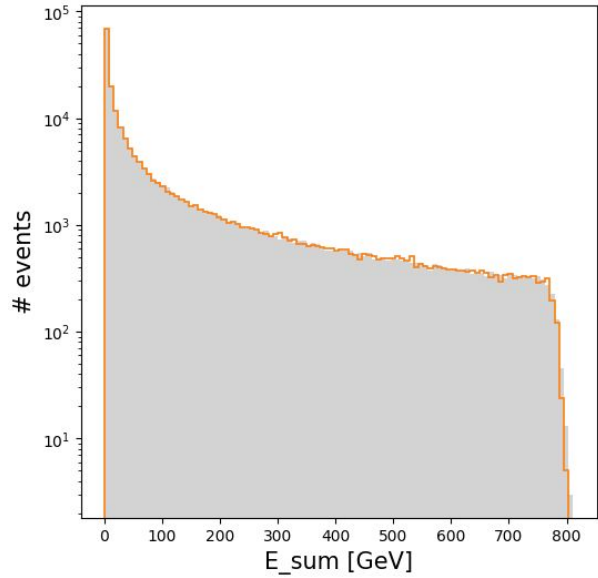
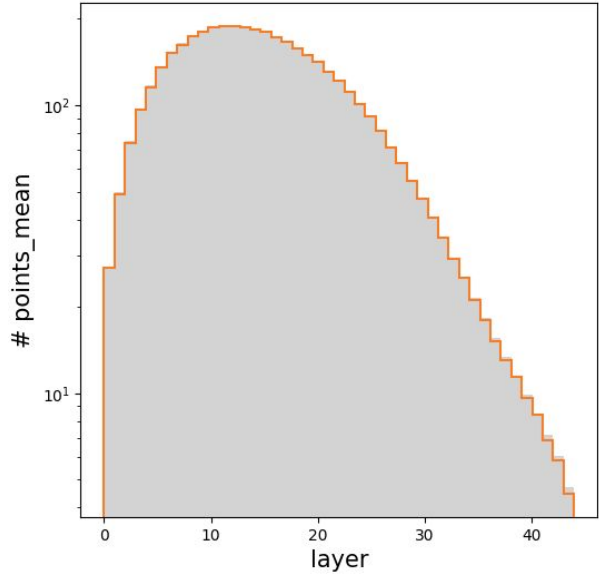
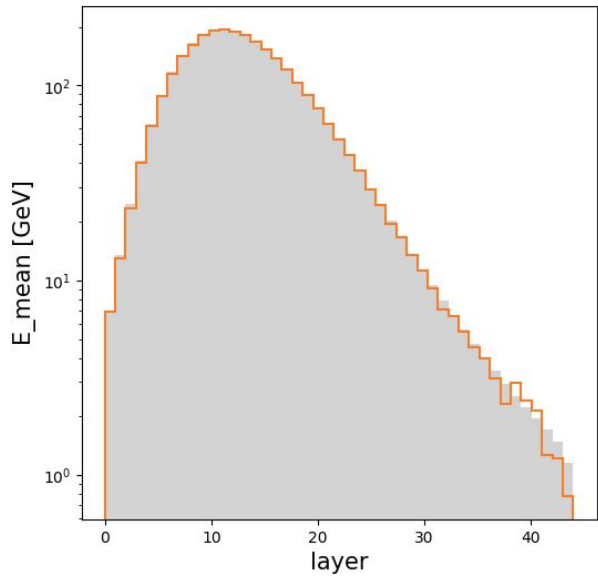
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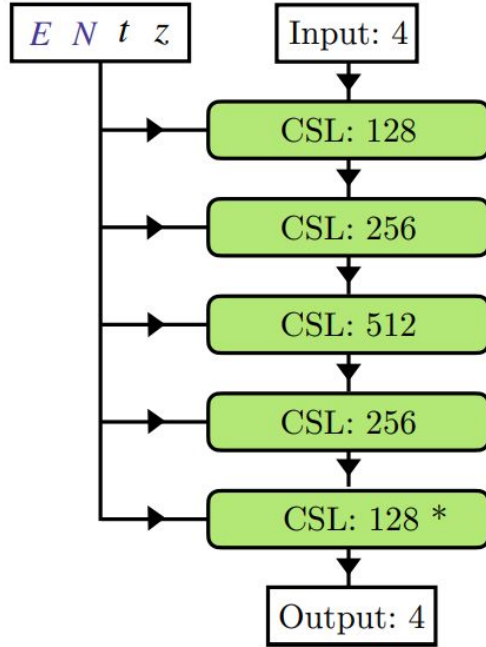
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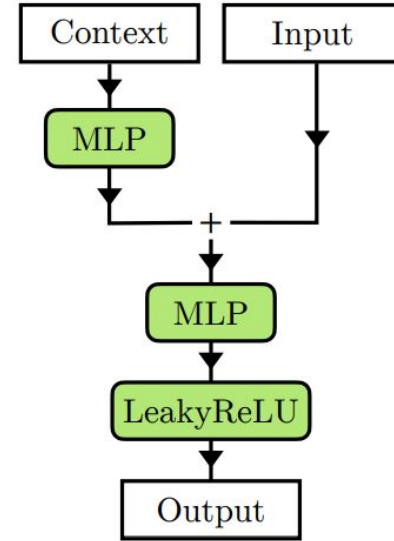


Point Cloud + Diffusion Model

PointWise Net



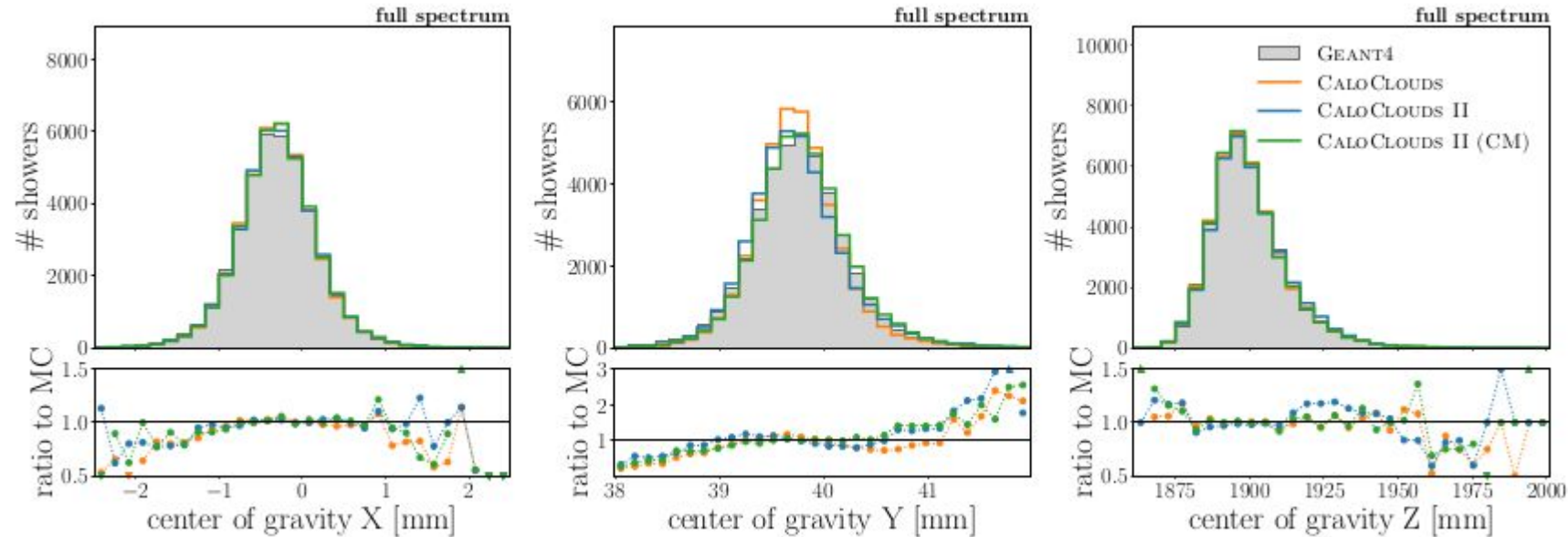
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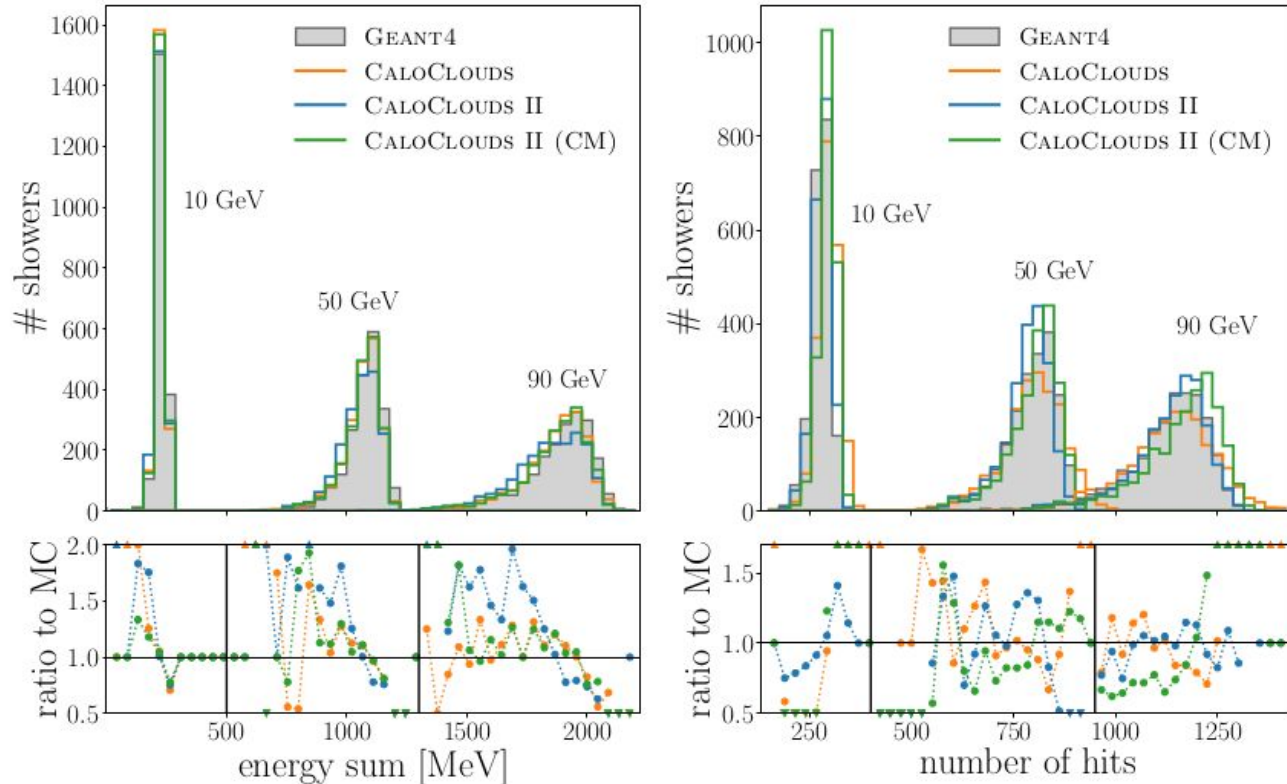
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Results, Position of the Center of Gravity



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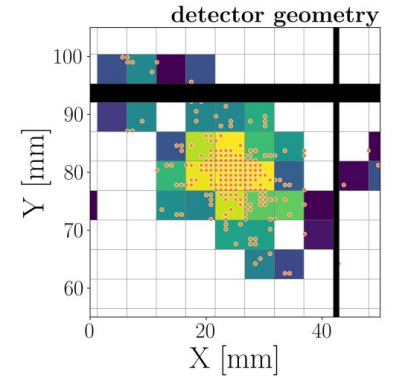
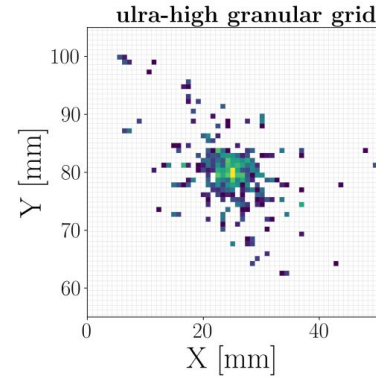
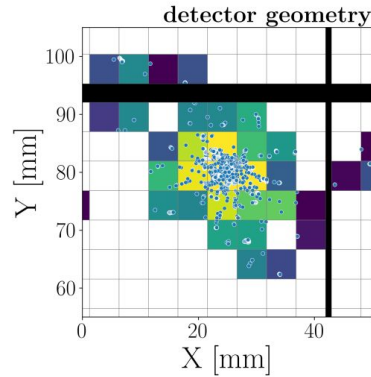
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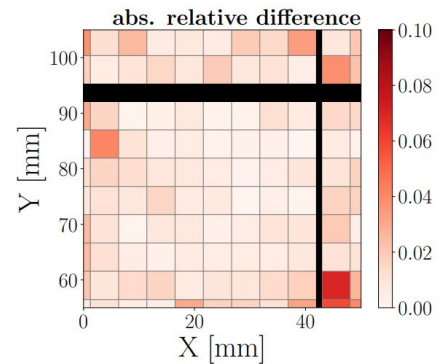
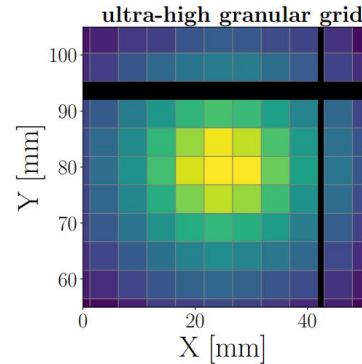
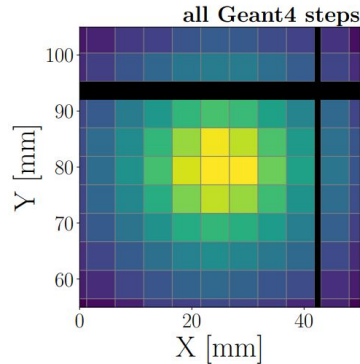
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Effects of the Pre-Clustering

Single event of 90 GeV
shower in 21th layer



2k events of 90 GeV showers
in 21th layer, overlay



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