

# CaloPointFlow

## Results for the CaloChallenge Datasets

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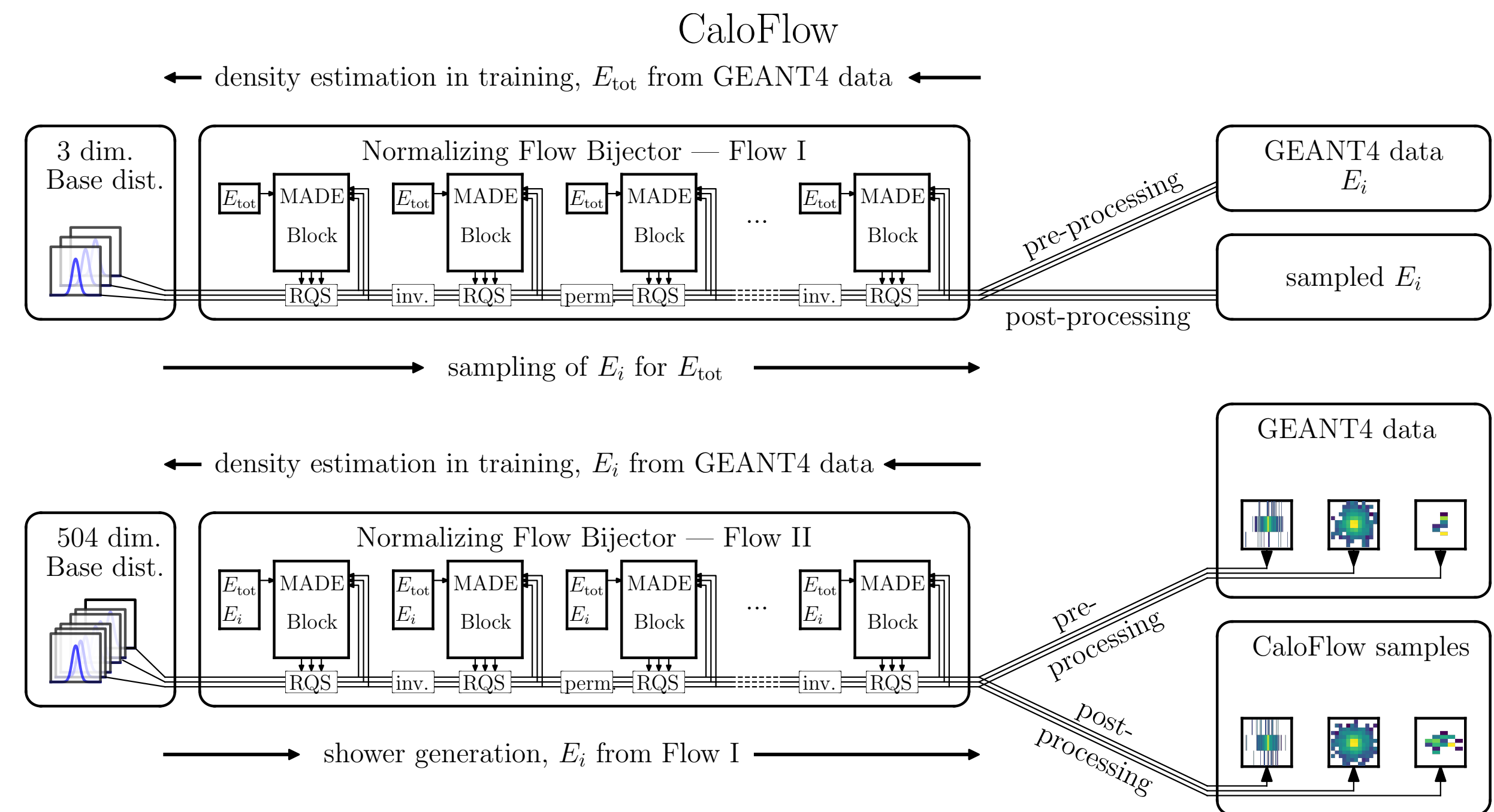


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# Motivation

## Normalizing Flows are great but hard to scale

- Directly trainable by *max. likelihood*
- Fast and stable convergence
- CaloFlow passes classifier test
- Invertible property leads to  $\mathcal{O}(n^2)$  scaling where  $n$  is the number of *input dimensions*



CaloFlow from *Krause et al.*:  
[\[2106.05285\]](https://arxiv.org/abs/2106.05285)

# Motivation

## Overcoming $\mathcal{O}(n^2)$ scaling

- Different possible routes
- Learn layer by layer (*L2LFlows* [[2302.11594](#)] / *Inductive CaloFlow* [[2305.11934](#)])
- Reduce voxelized calorimeter to point clouds
- Point cloud advantages
  - Calorimeter showers are sparse  $\rightarrow$  lower  $n$
  - Learn each point separately  $n = 4$
  - Applicable to complex geometries

# CaloPointFlow

## Approach

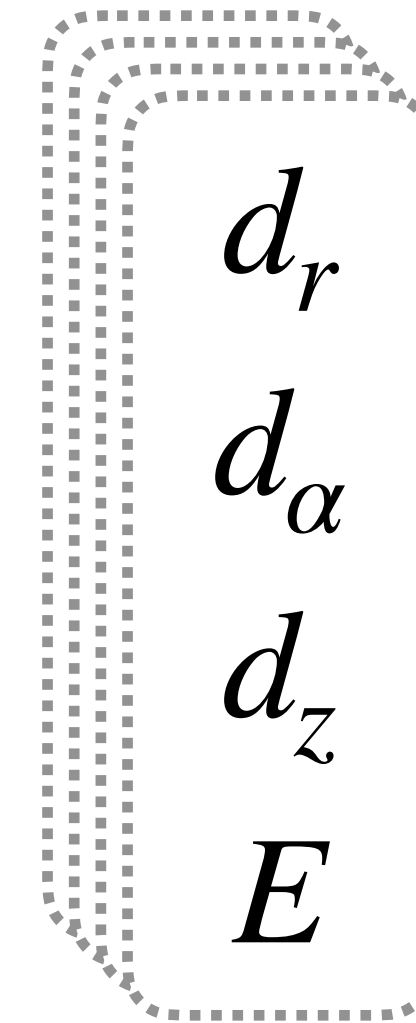
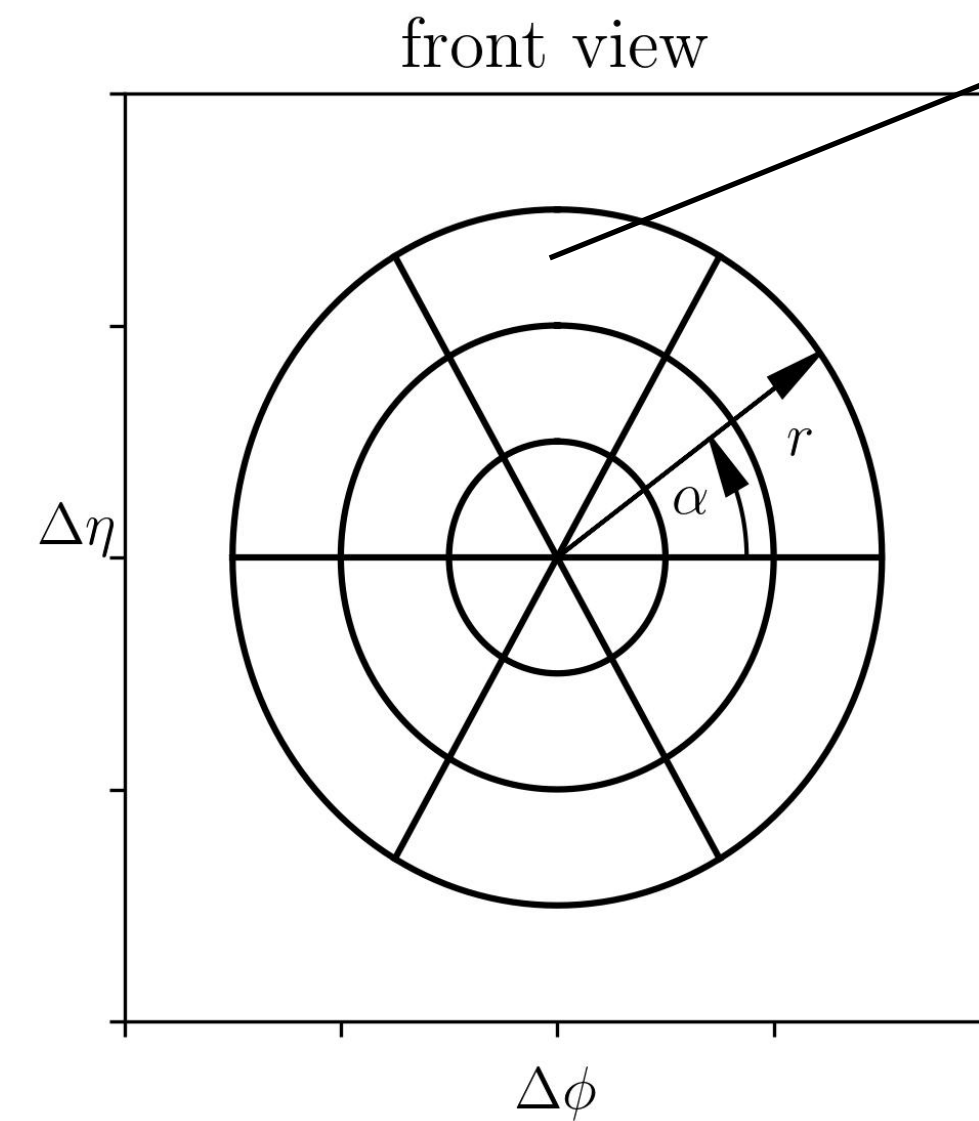
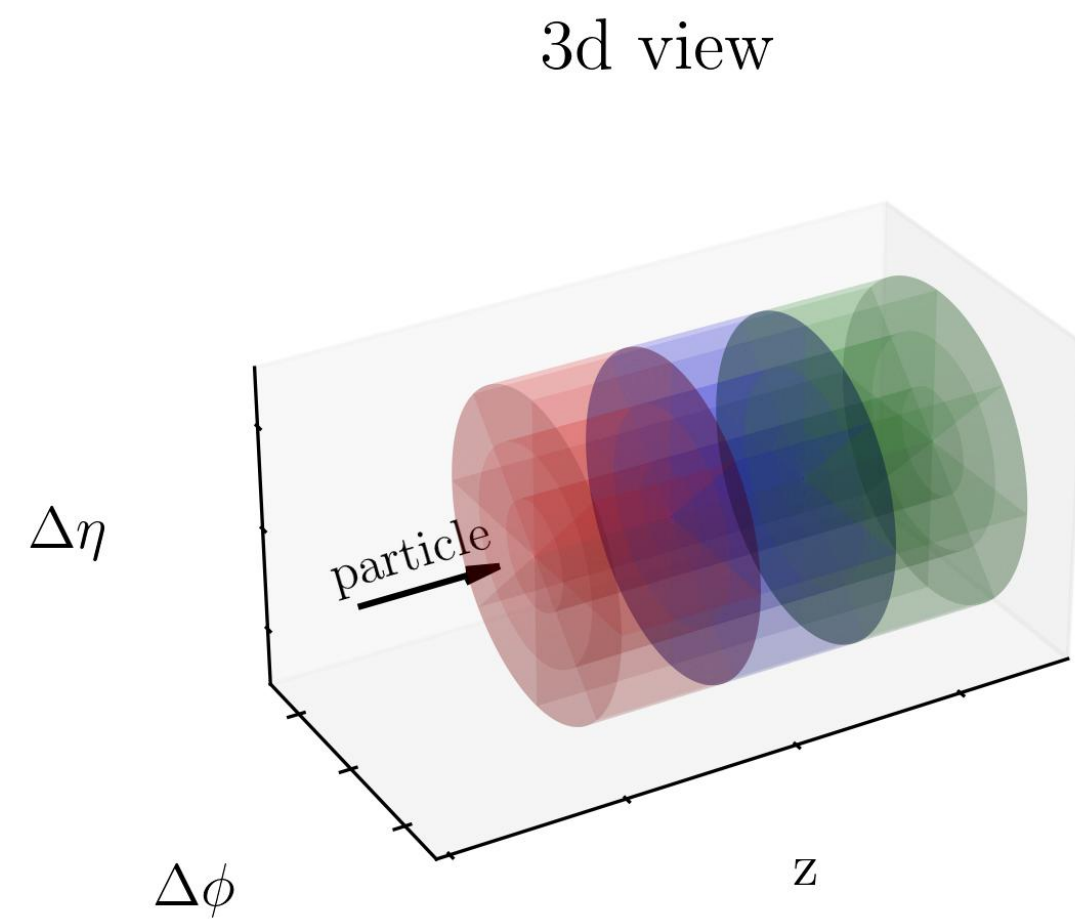
model has been published at  
[NeurIPS ML4PS](#)  
and evaluated on a different  
dataset

- Interpret calorimeter showers as point clouds
- Generate shower shape information first
- Generate each point independently conditioned on the shower shape
- Inter-point-correlations ignored
- Based on PointFlow [[1906.12320](#)]



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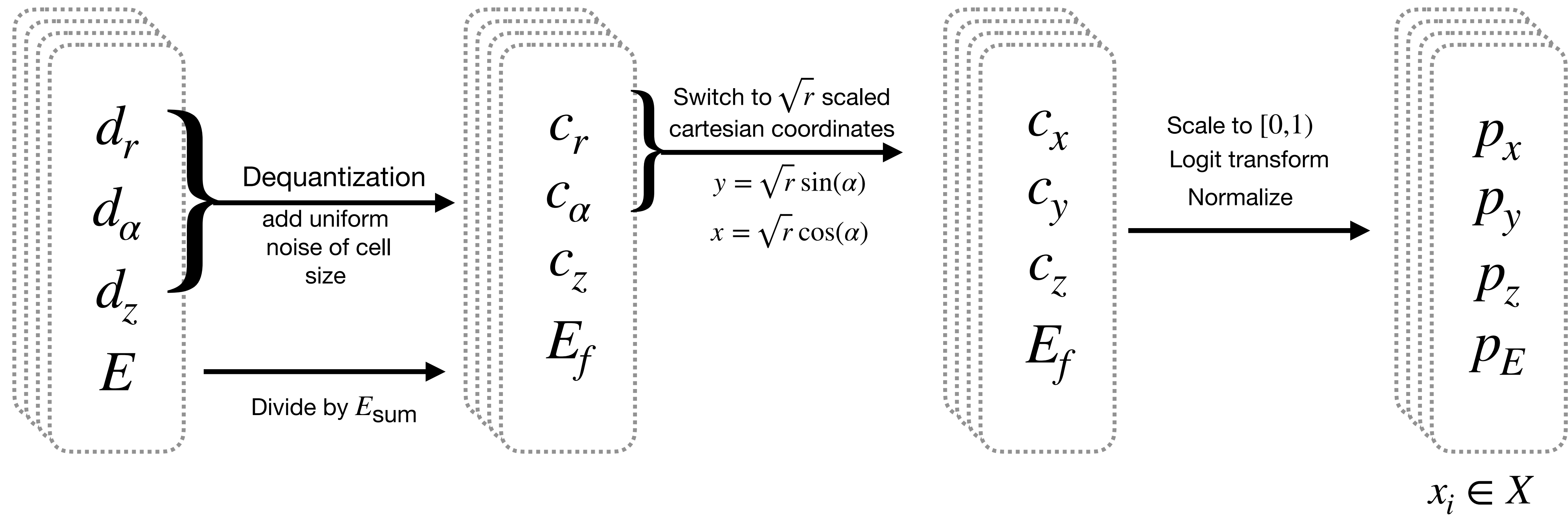
## Preprocessing



- Get rid of empty cells
- Each hit is represented as point
- One shower equals to one point cloud

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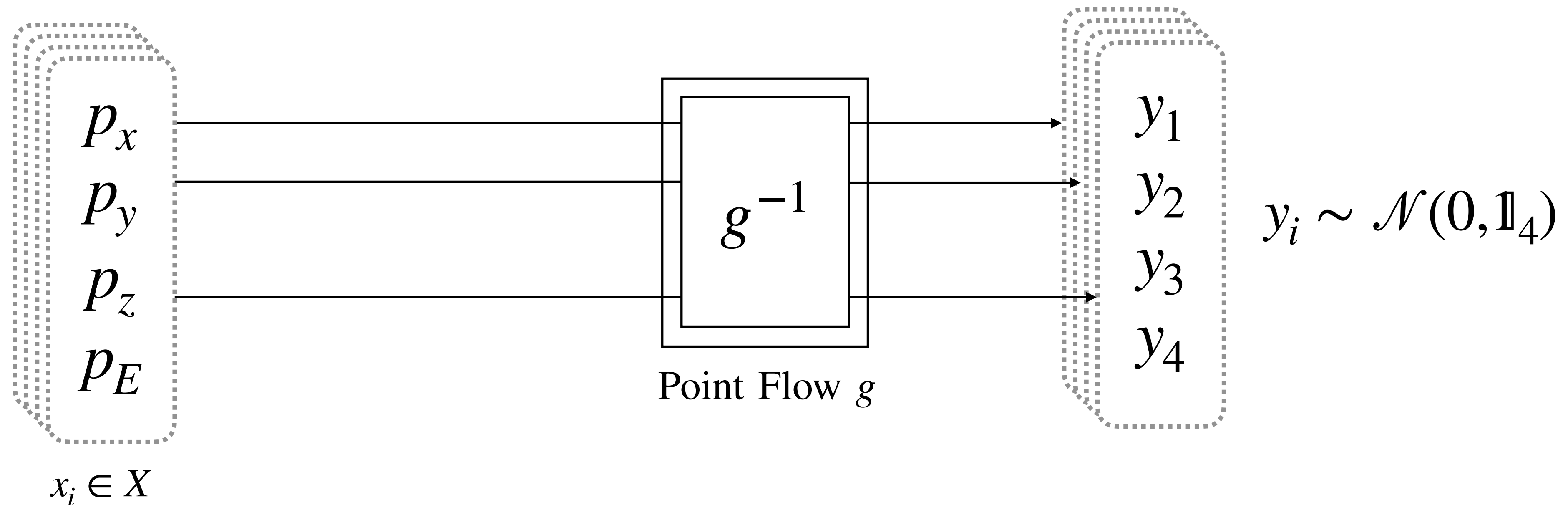
## Preprocessing



# CaloPointFlow

## Learn each point separately

- Point Flow transforms each point independently
- $g^{-1}(x_i) = y_i$
- The flow is independent of the source of the points, and therefore, the shower from which they come

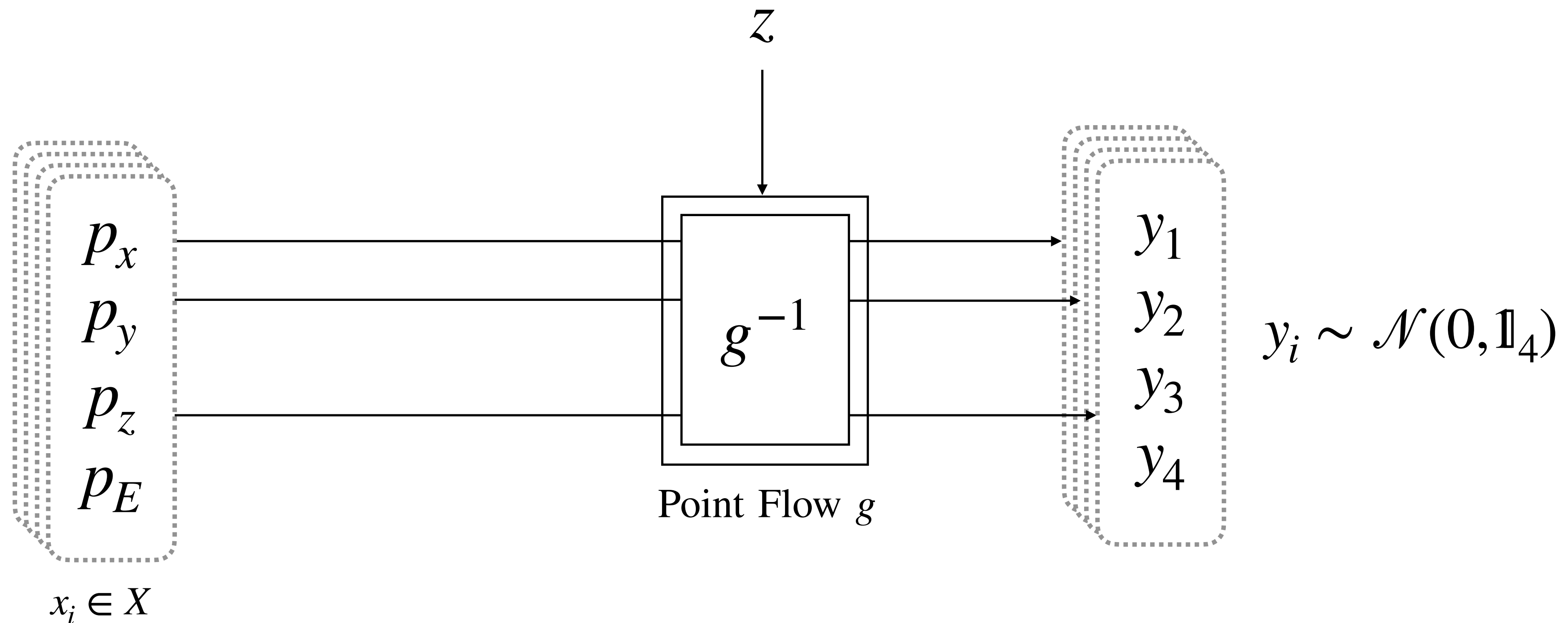


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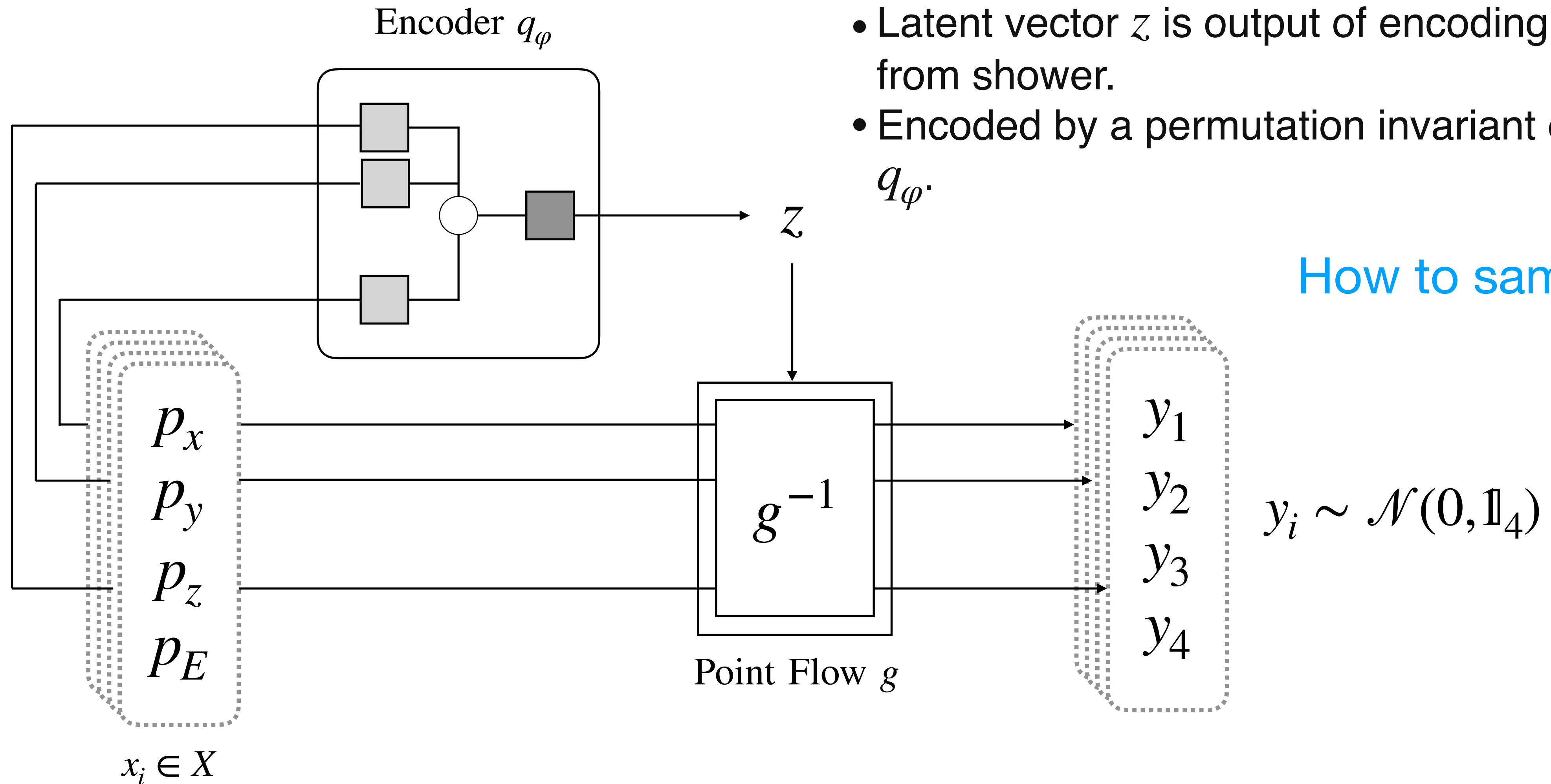
- Latent variable  $z$  contains the shower information
- Point Flow is conditioned on  $z$

How we get  $z$ ?



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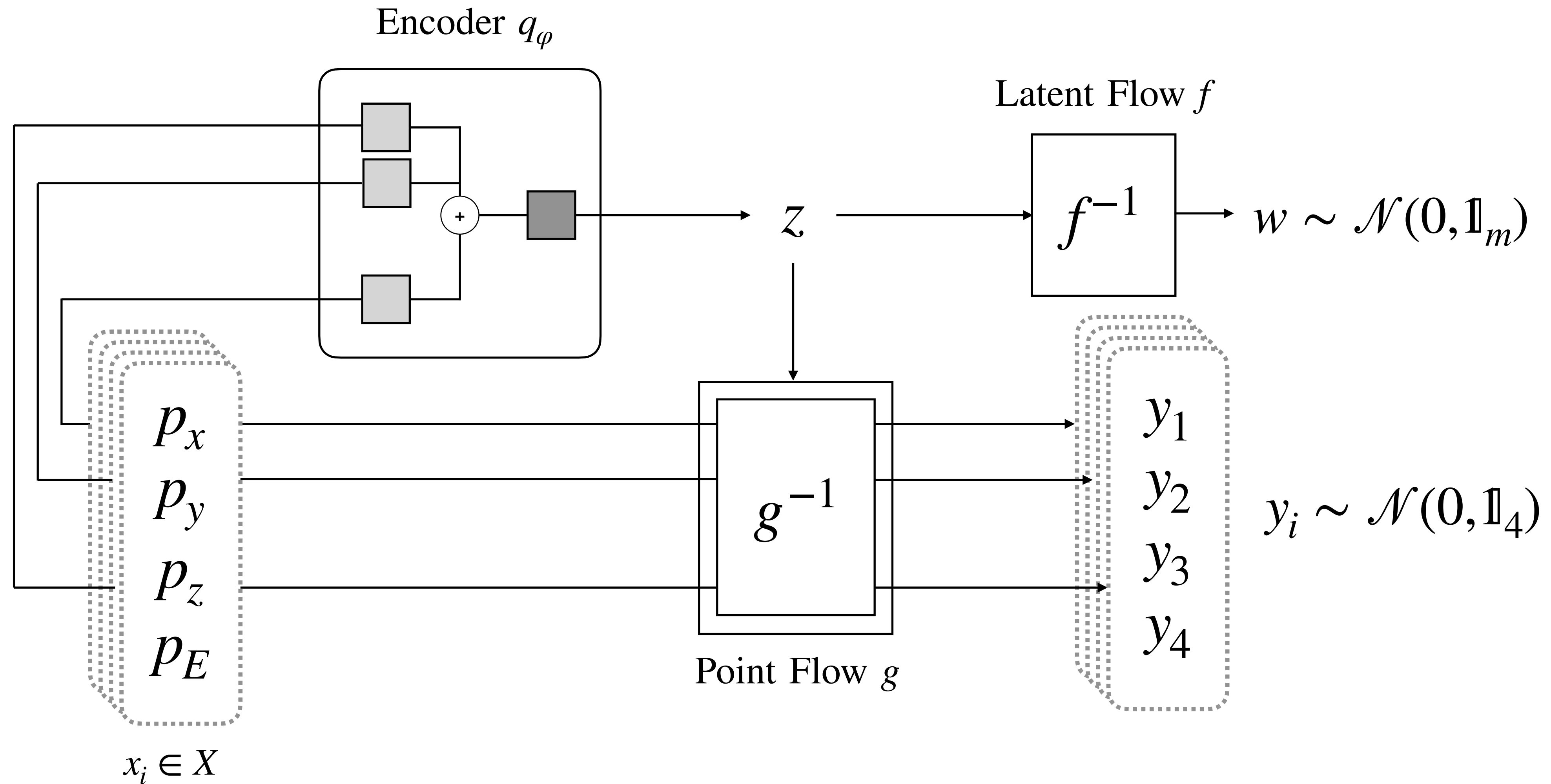


- Latent vector  $z$  is output of encoding all points from shower.
- Encoded by a permutation invariant encoder  $q_\phi$ .

How to sample  $z$ ?

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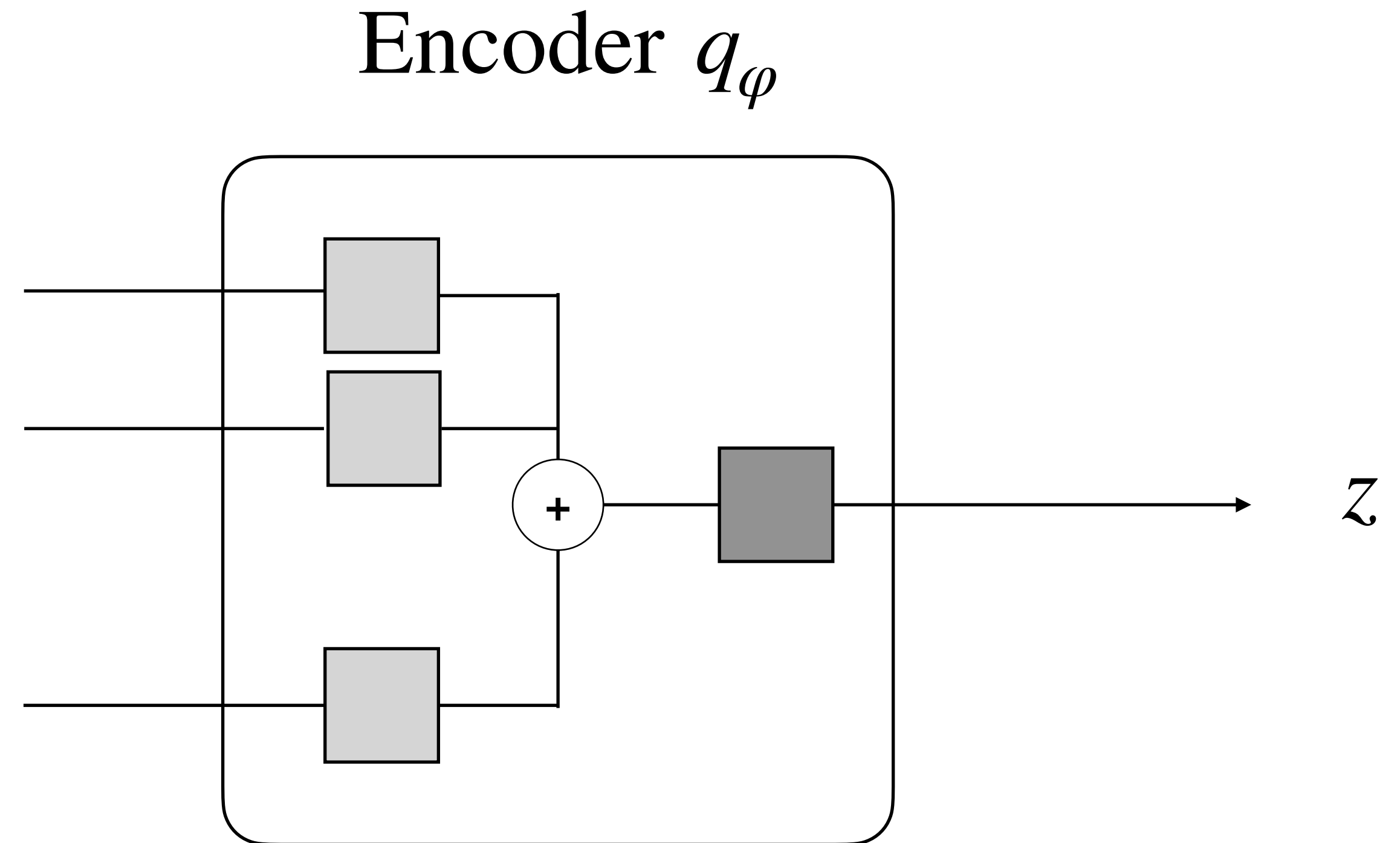
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# CaloPointFlow

Encoder  $q_\varphi$

- Encoder  $q_\varphi$  is permutation invariant
- Transform each point to a higher dim. space
- Average over all points in higher space
- Transform averaged higher space to latent space  $z$
- Based on Deep Sets [\[arxiv:1703.06114\]](https://arxiv.org/abs/1703.06114)

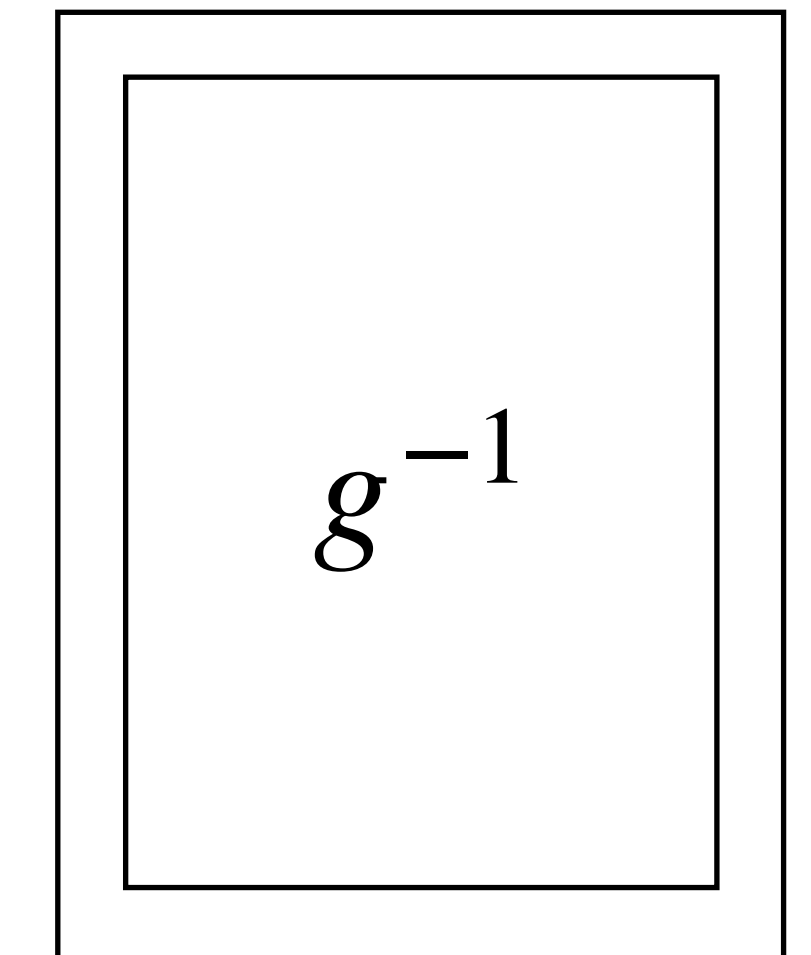
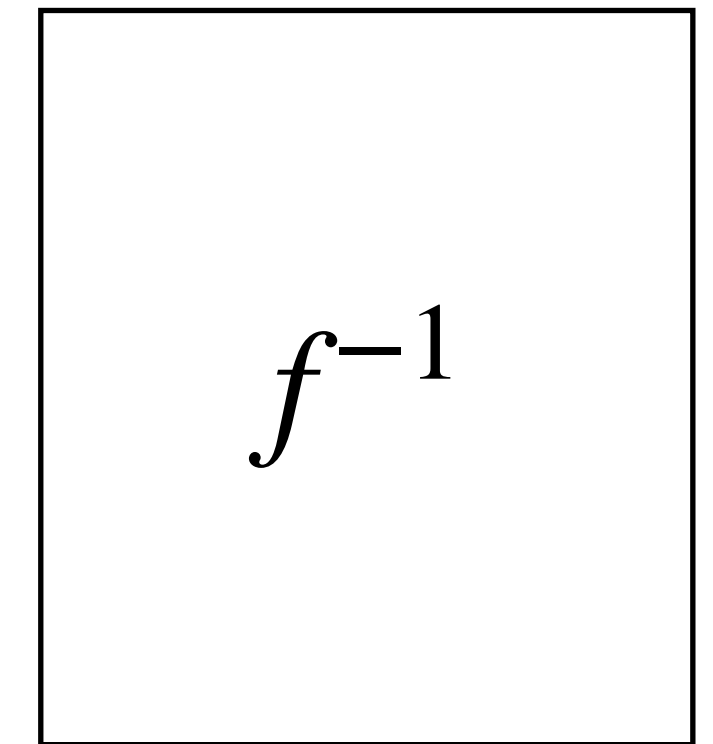


# CaloPointFlow

## Flows

- Both flows are rational quadratic spline autoregressive flows
- Latent flow  $f$  is conditioned on  $E_{\text{in}}, n_{\text{hits}}, E_{\text{sum}}$
- Point flow  $g$  is conditioned on  $z, E_{\text{in}}, n_{\text{hits}}, E_{\text{sum}}$

Latent Flow  $f$



Point Flow  $g$



# Loss Function

Can be derived from the ELBO

$$\mathcal{L} = \mathbb{E}_{q_\phi(z|X)} \left[ \sum_{x_i \in X} \ln p_\theta(g(x, z)) + \ln \left| \det \frac{\partial g(x, z)}{\partial x} \right| \right] + \mathbb{E}_{q_\phi(z|X)} \left[ \ln p_\theta(f(z)) + \ln \left| \det \frac{df(z)}{dz} \right| \right] - \mathcal{H}(q_\phi(z|X))$$

Point Flow loss  $\mathcal{L}_{\text{point}}$

Latent Flow loss  $\mathcal{L}_{\text{latent}}$

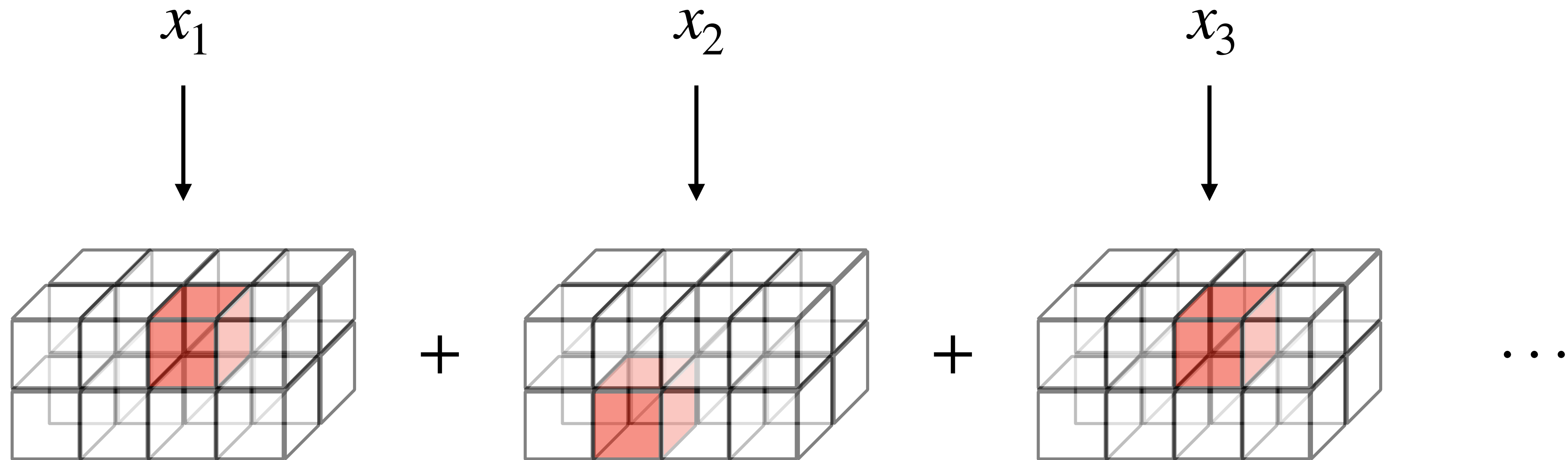
entropy loss  $\mathcal{L}_{\text{entr}}$

$$\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}_{\text{point}} + \mathcal{L}_{\text{latent}} + \mathcal{L}_{\text{entr}}$$

# Sampling

## Two problems

- Number of points not defined by CaloPointFlow
- Multiple generated points can belong to the same calorimeter cell



# Sampling

- Sample  $z$  from latent flow  $f$  conditioned on  $E_{\text{in}}, n_{\text{hits}}, E_{\text{sum}}$
- Sample points from point flow  $g$  conditioned on  $z, E_{\text{in}}, n_{\text{hits}}, E_{\text{sum}}$
- Post-process points to cell coordinate and  $E_f$
- Continue sampling until we have  $n_{\text{hits}}$  different hit cells
- Overwrite previously hit cells
- Scale energy back

$$E = \frac{E_{\text{sum}} \cdot E_f}{\sum E_f}$$

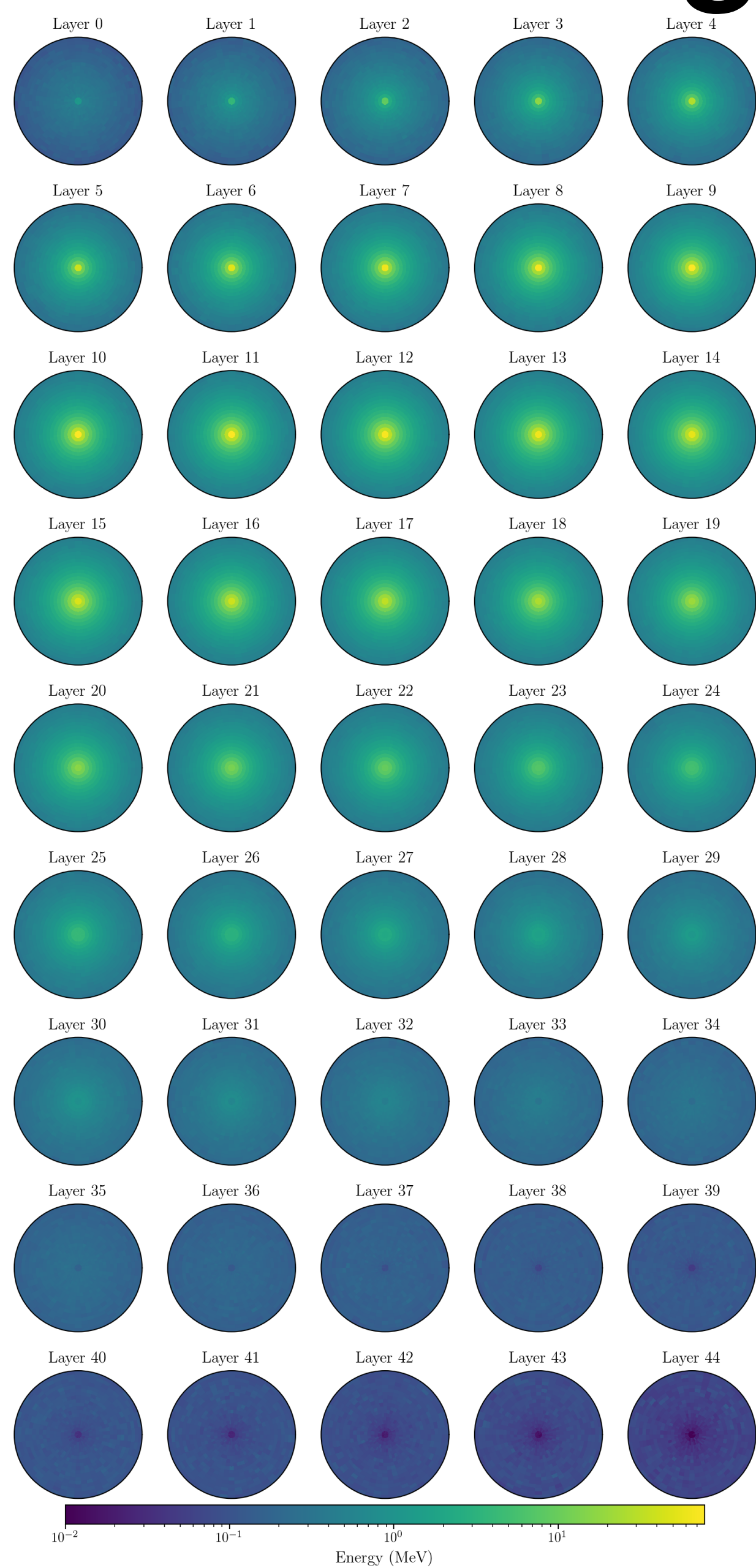
# Evaluation

- We show results for CaloChallenge Dataset 3
- All results for Dataset 2 are in the appendix and are very similar
- Dataset 1 pions and photons has been generated but there are no evaluations ready

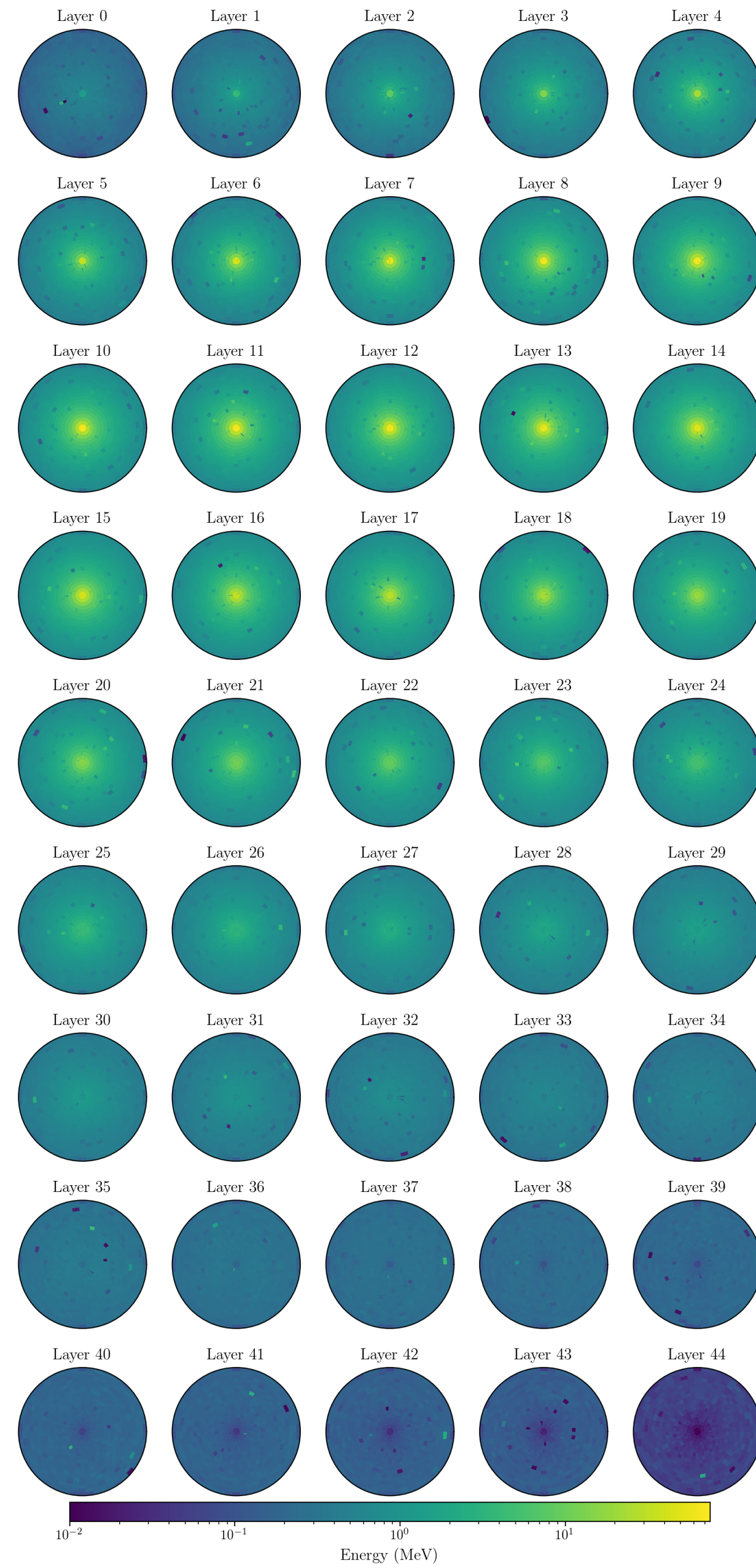
# Average shower images

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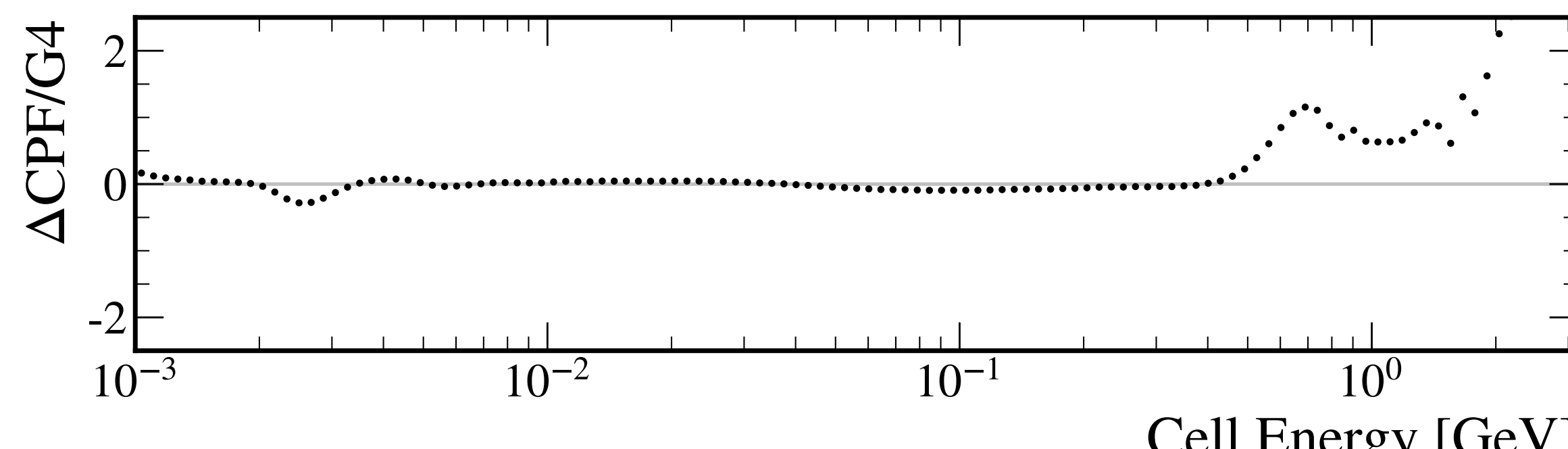
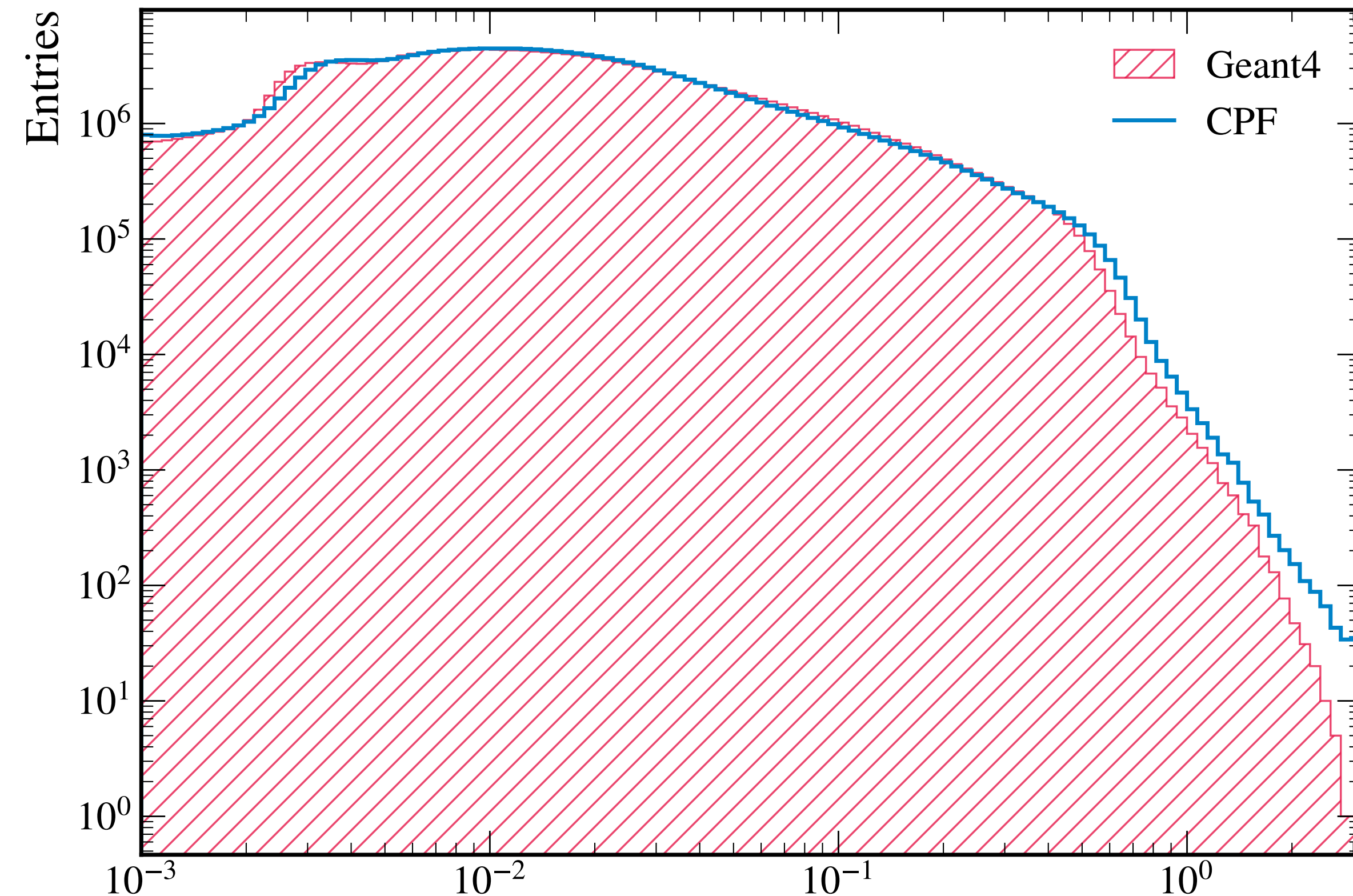


CPF



# Cell Energy Distribution

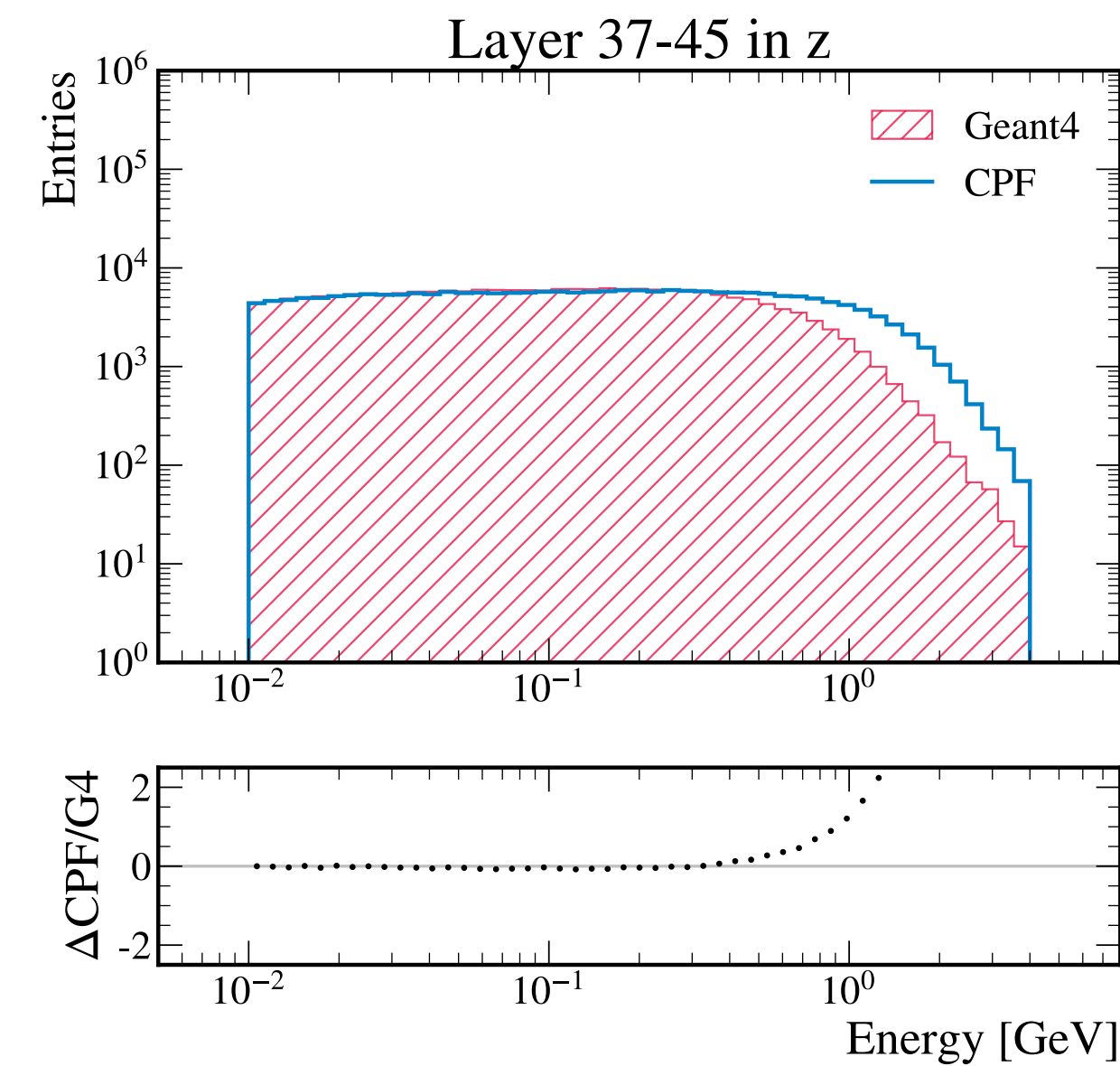
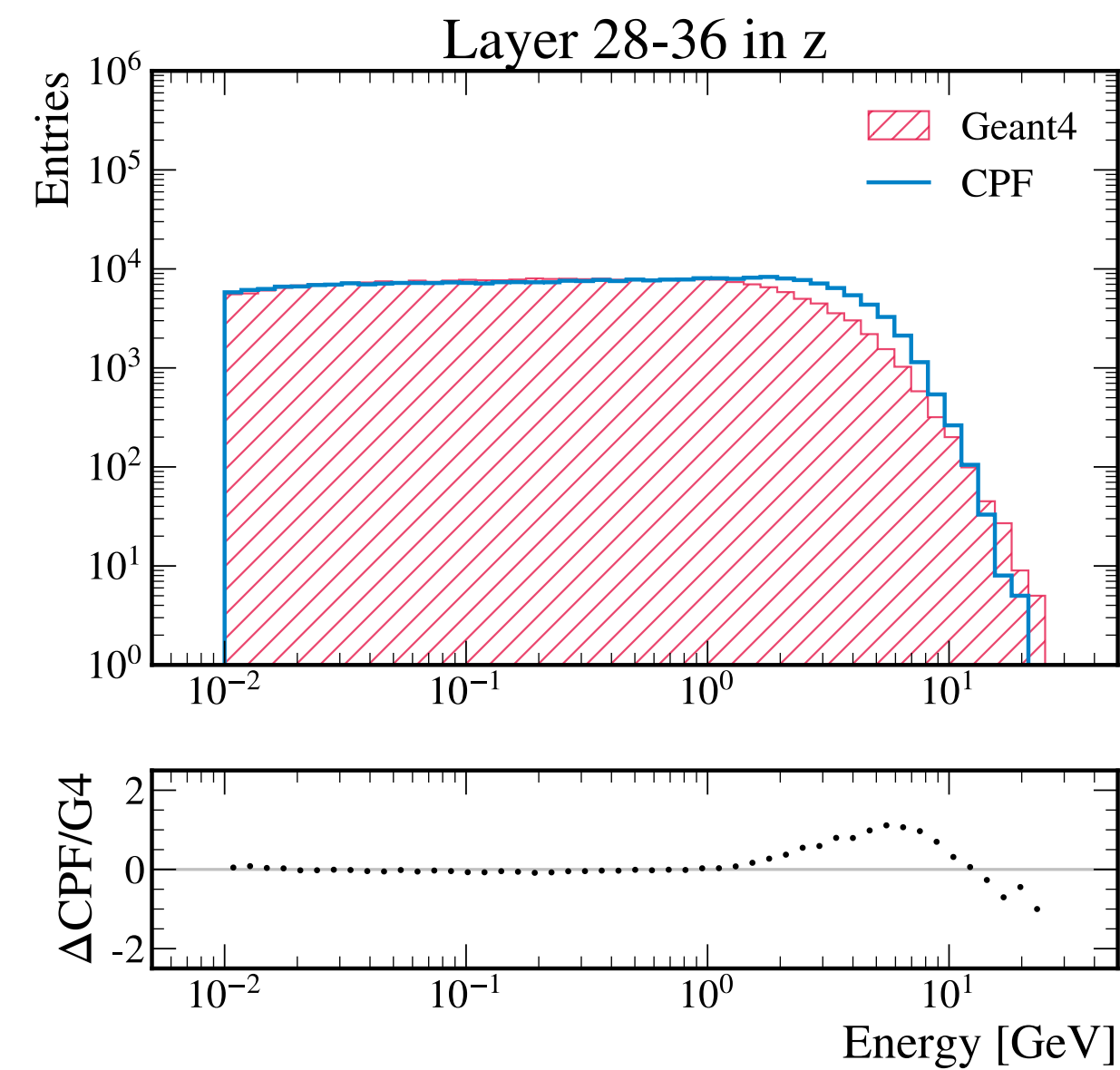
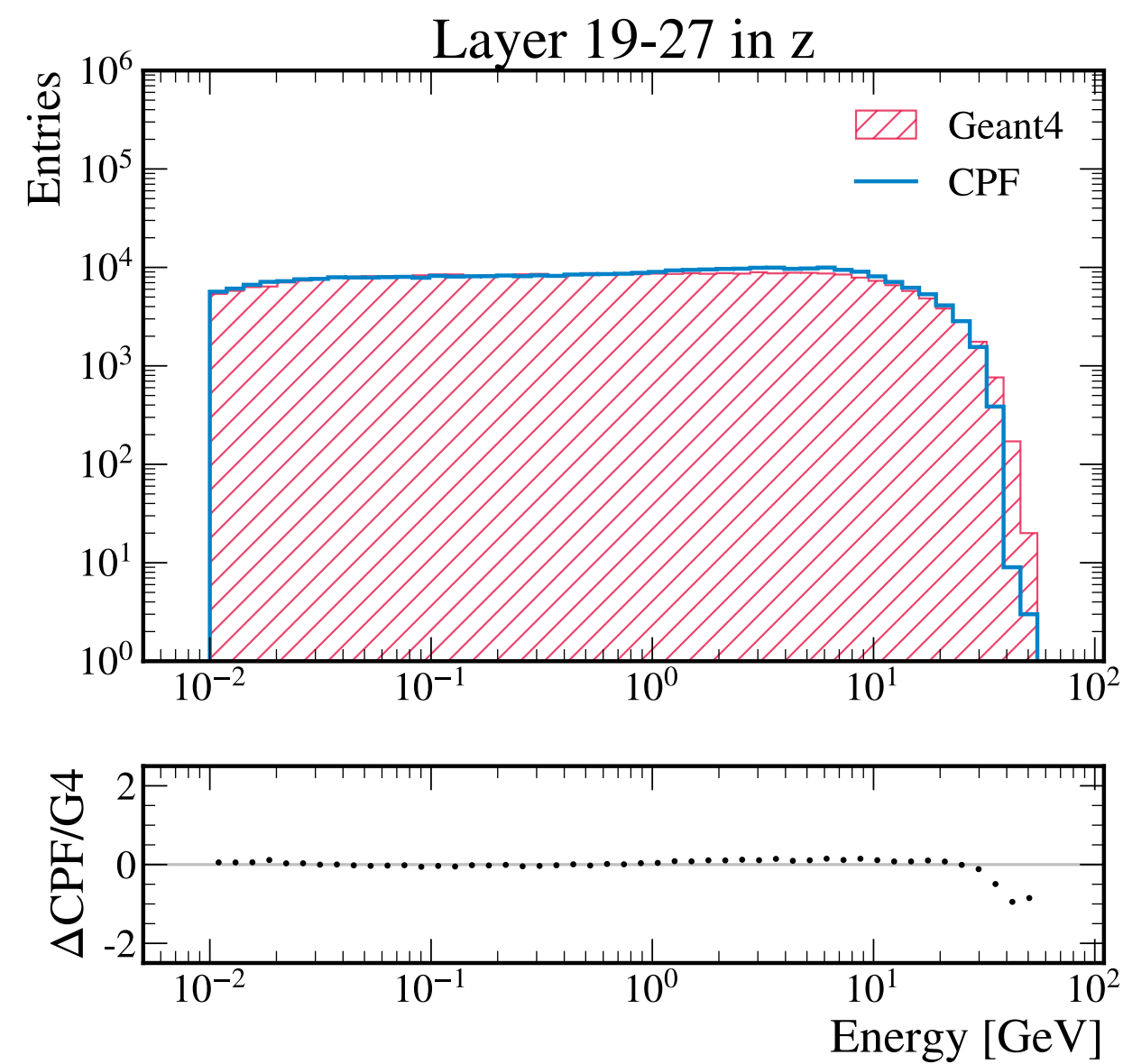
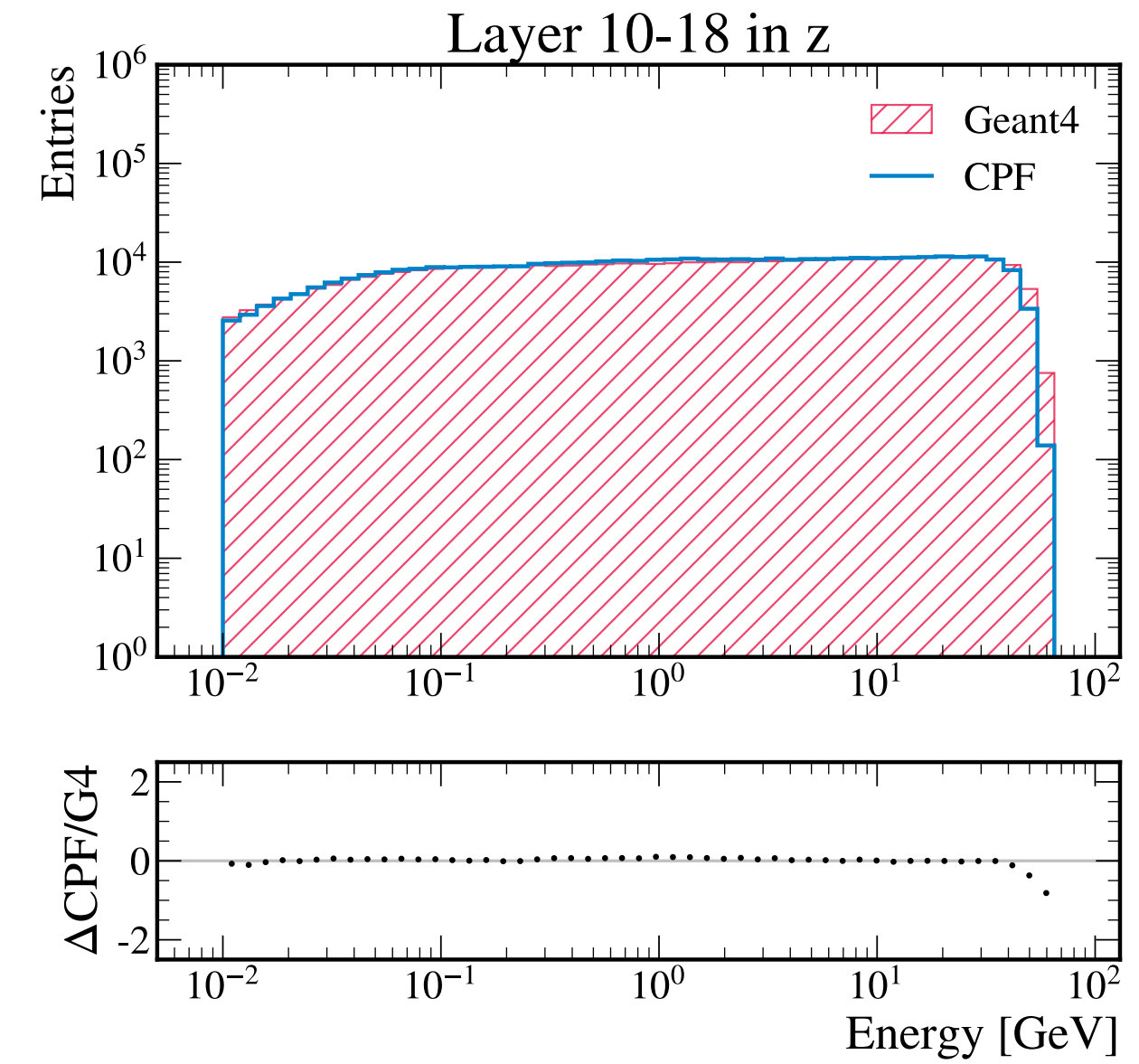
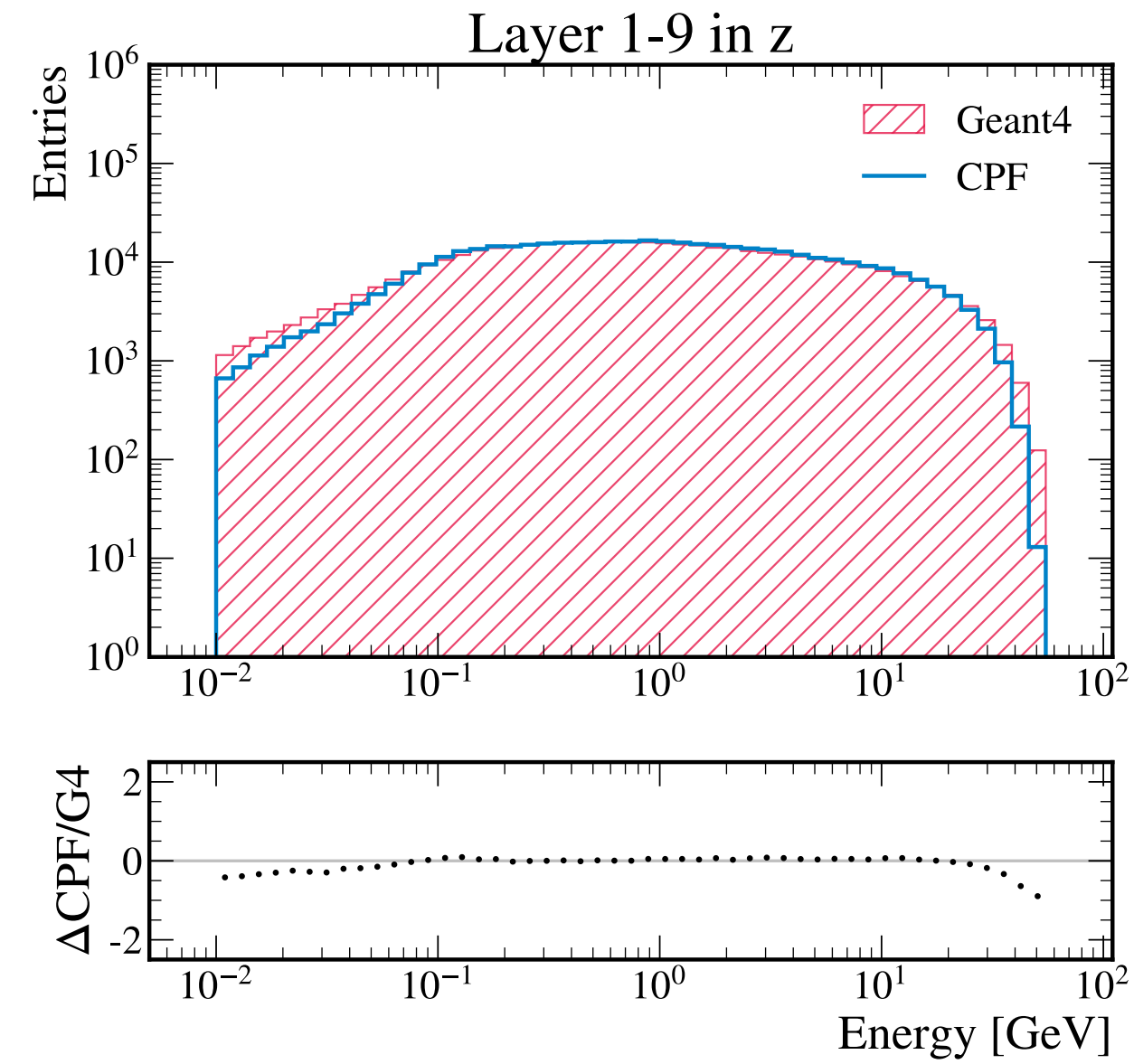
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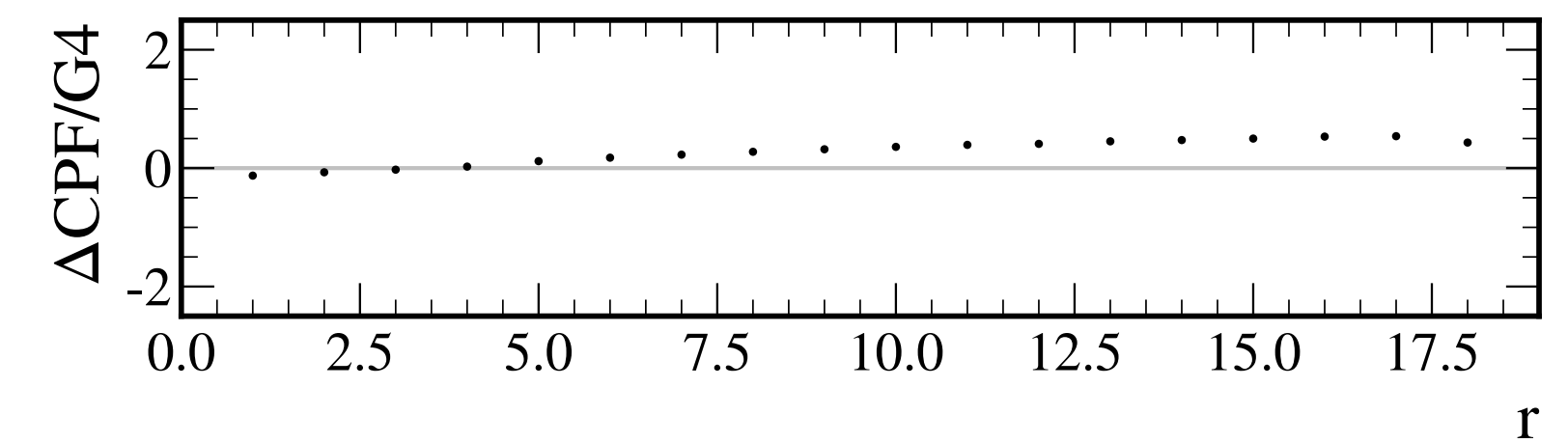
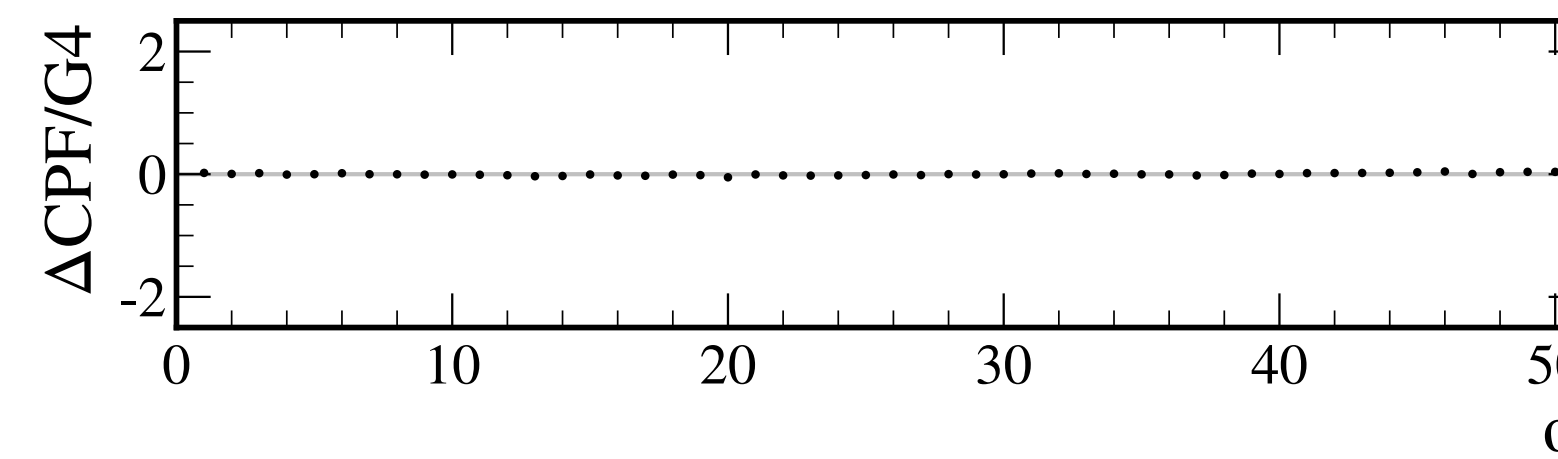
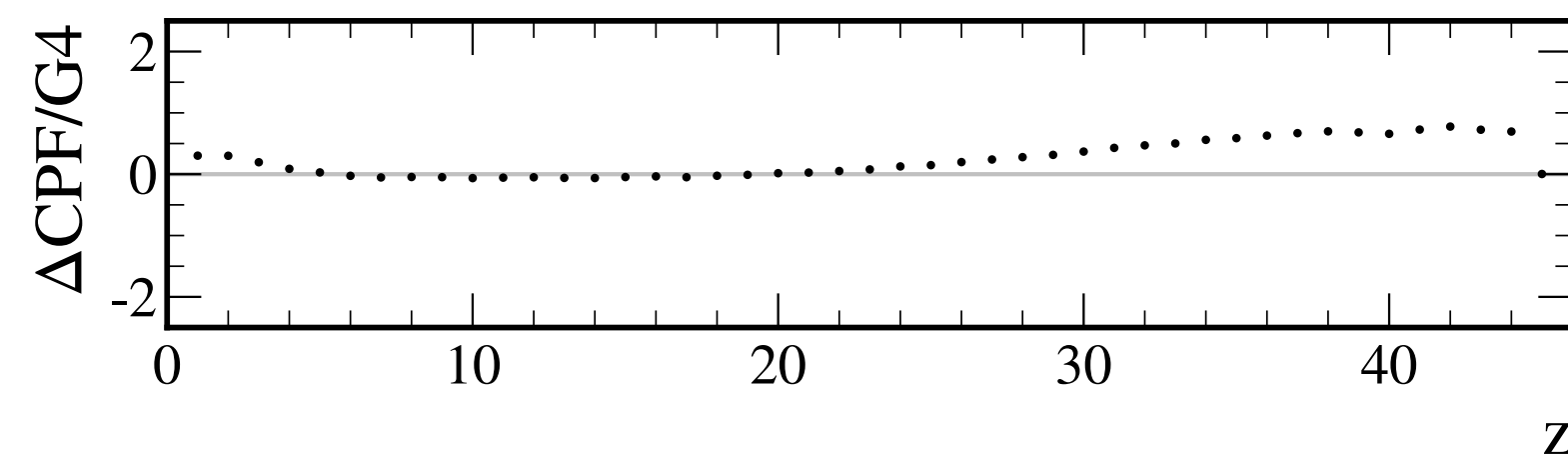
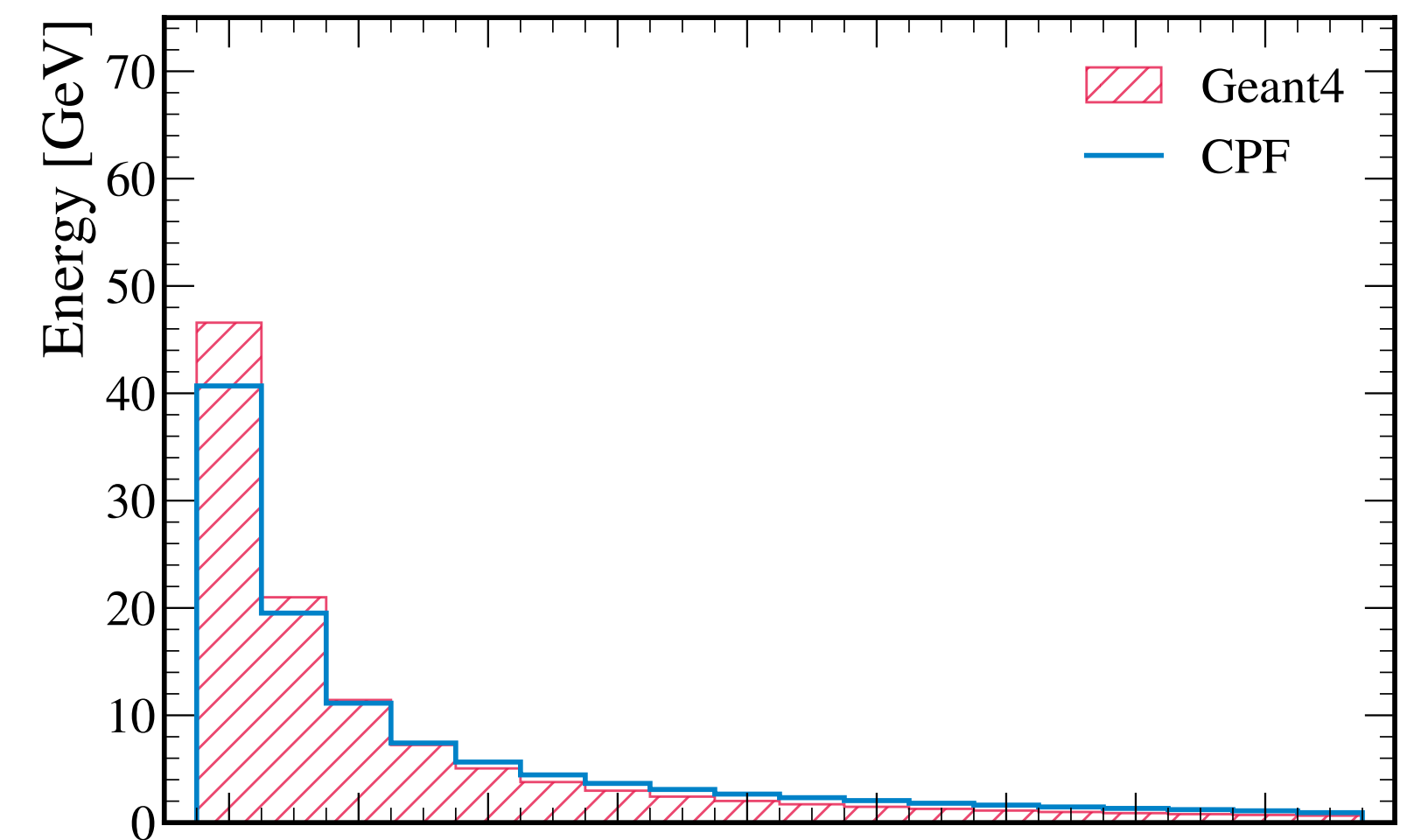
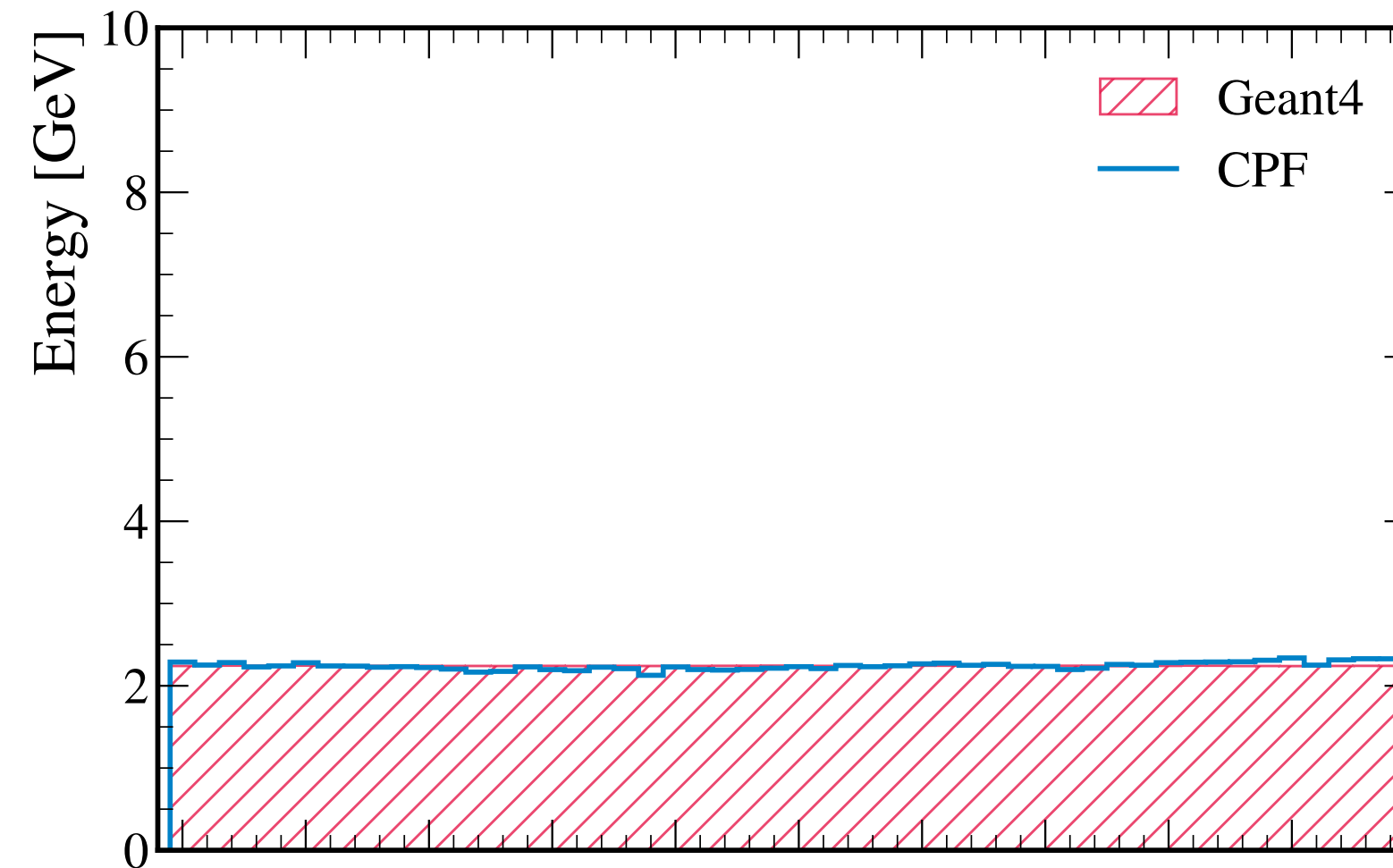
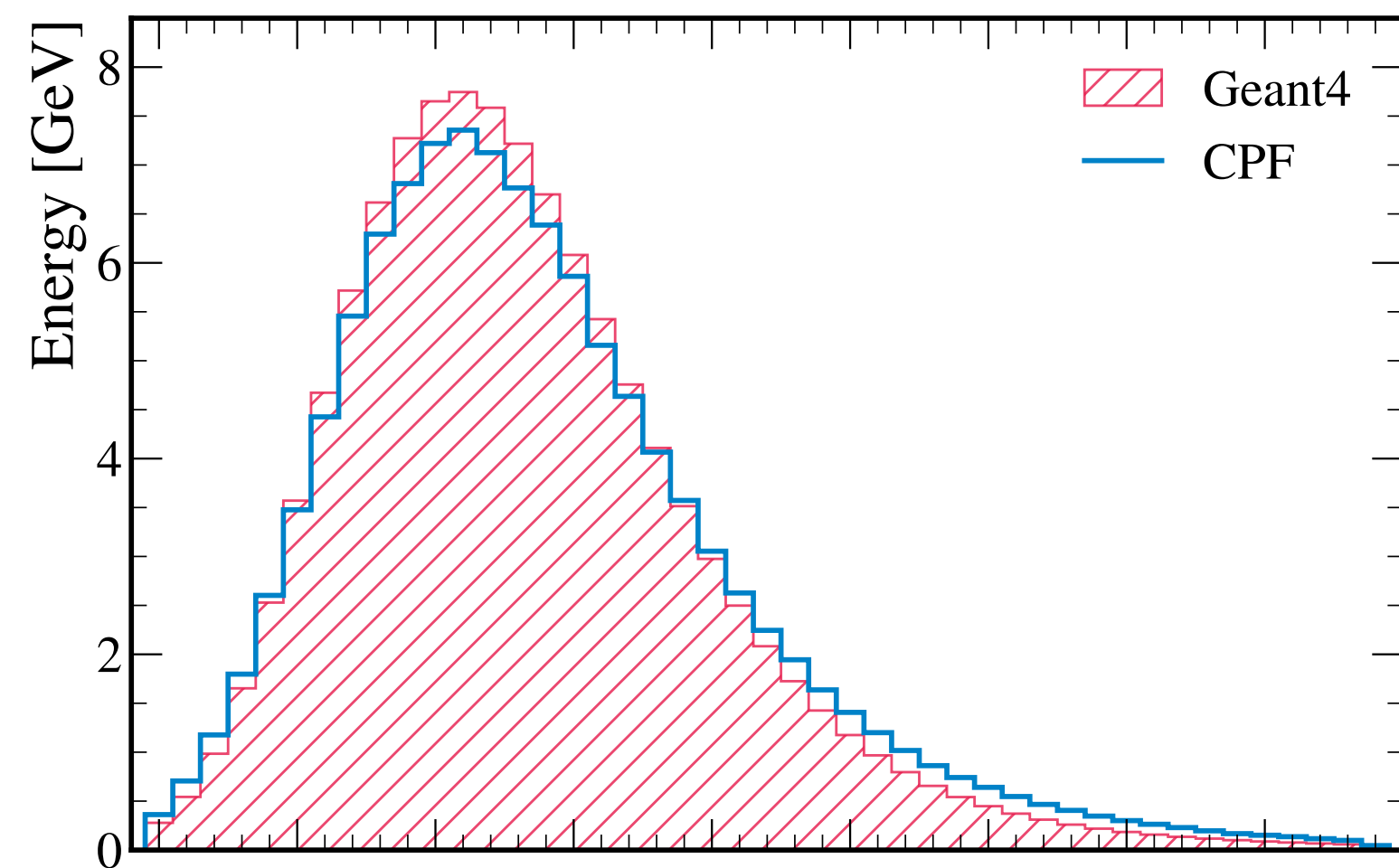
# Energy Distribution in different layer areas

- Overall good agreement
- Also problems in tails



# Shower profiles

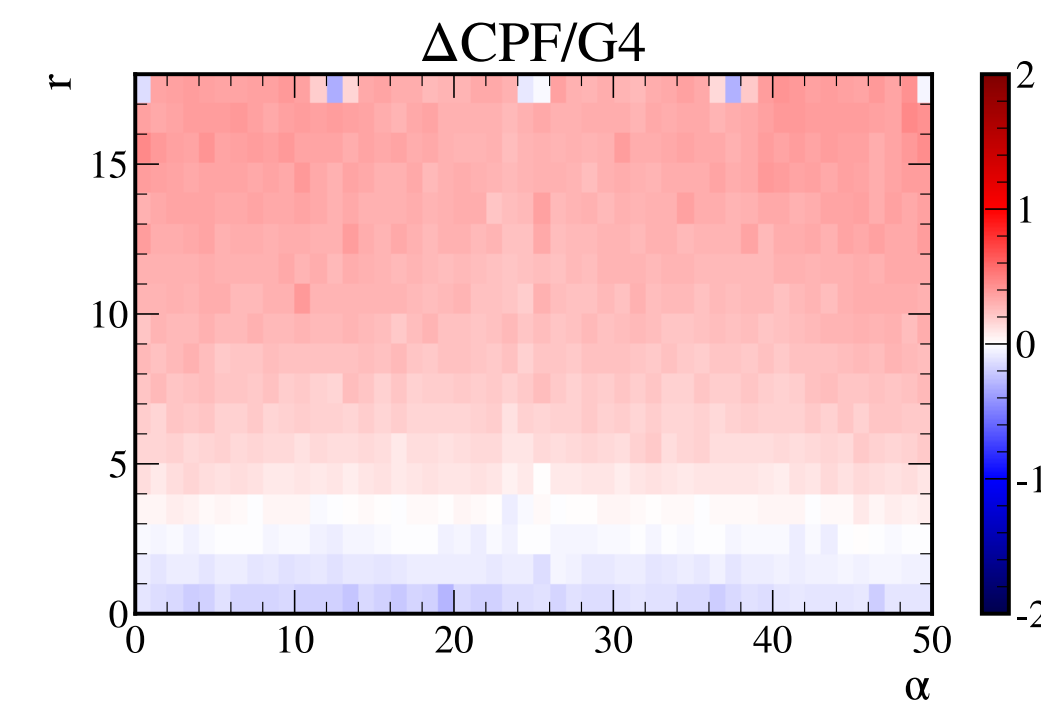
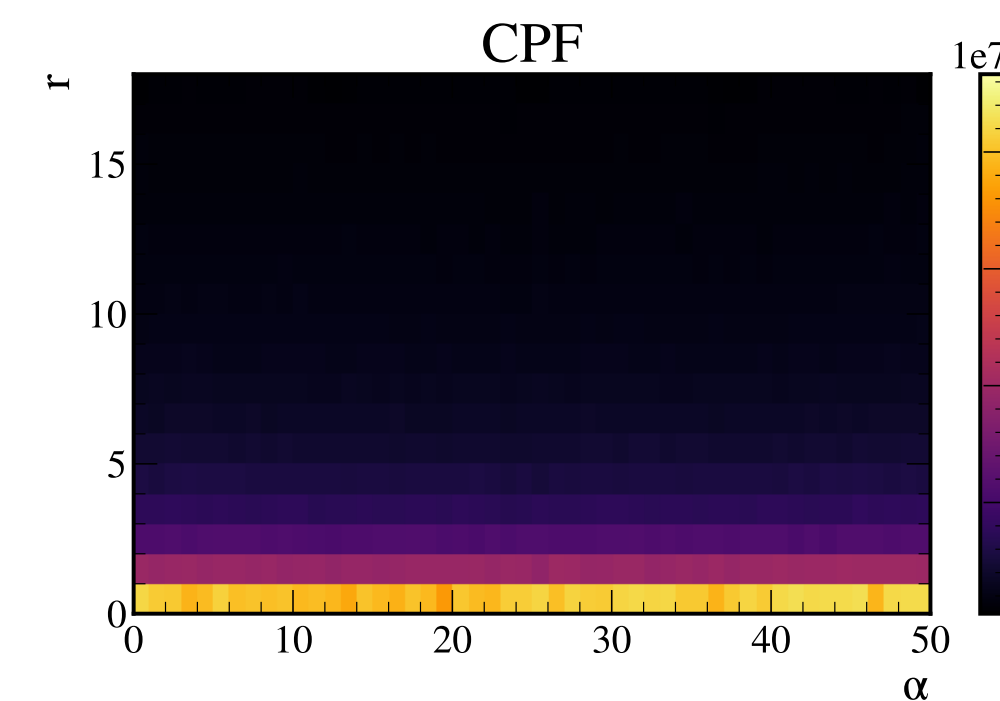
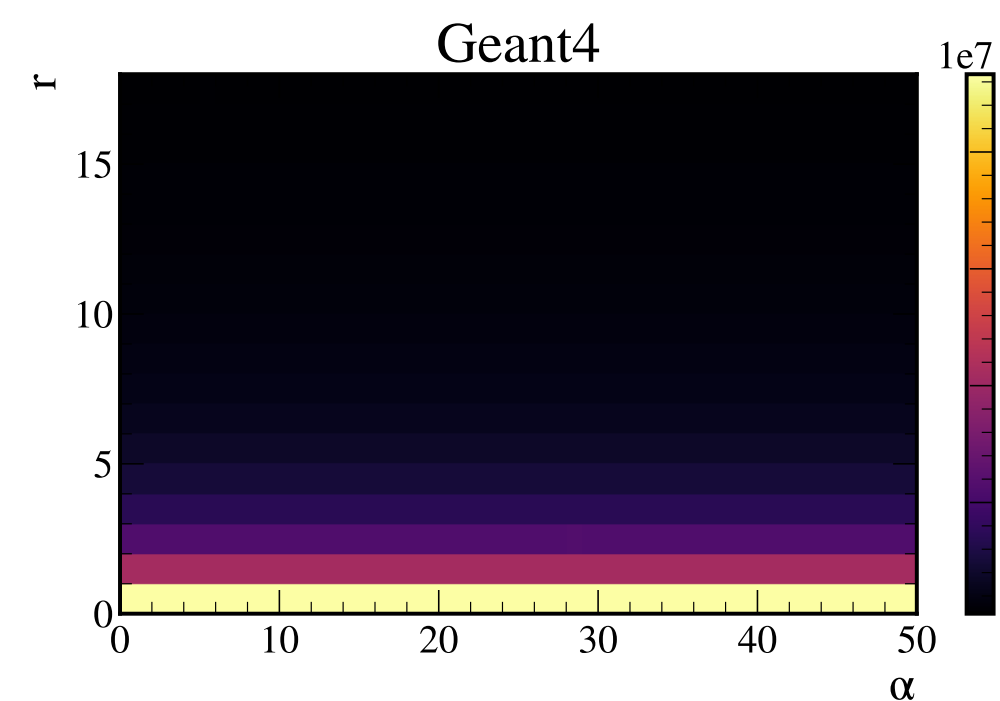
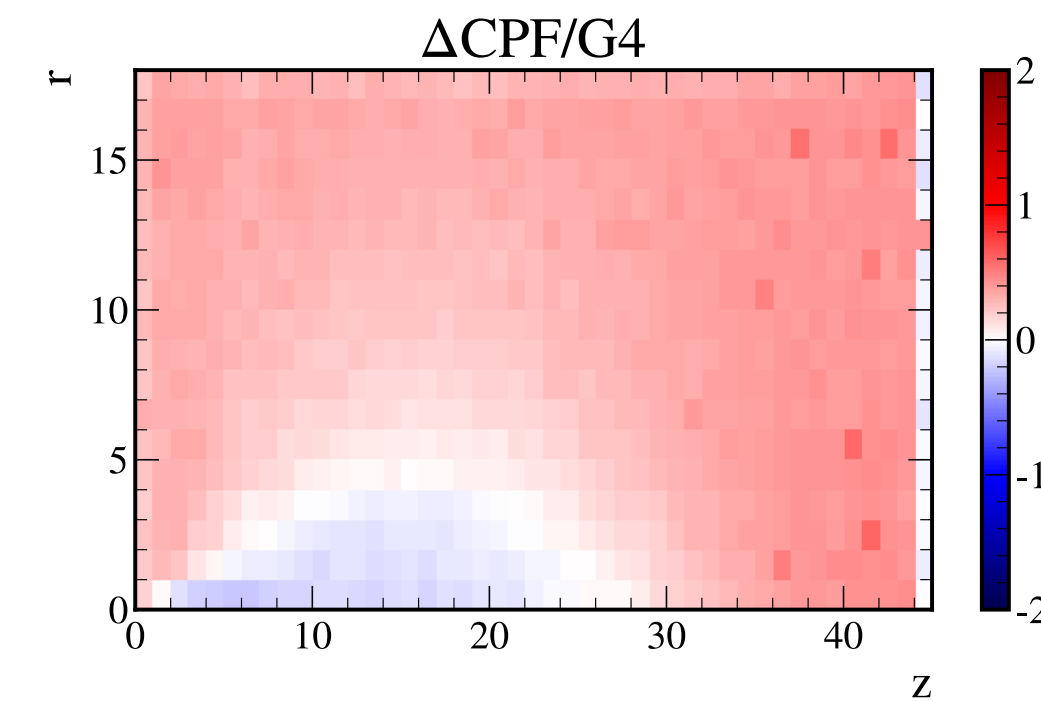
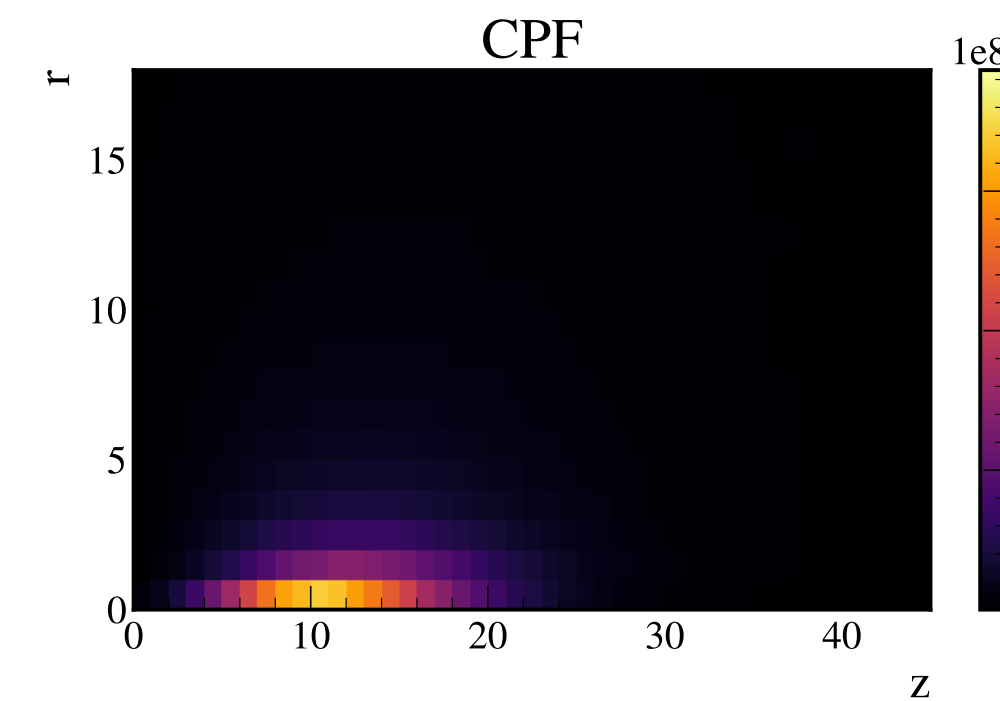
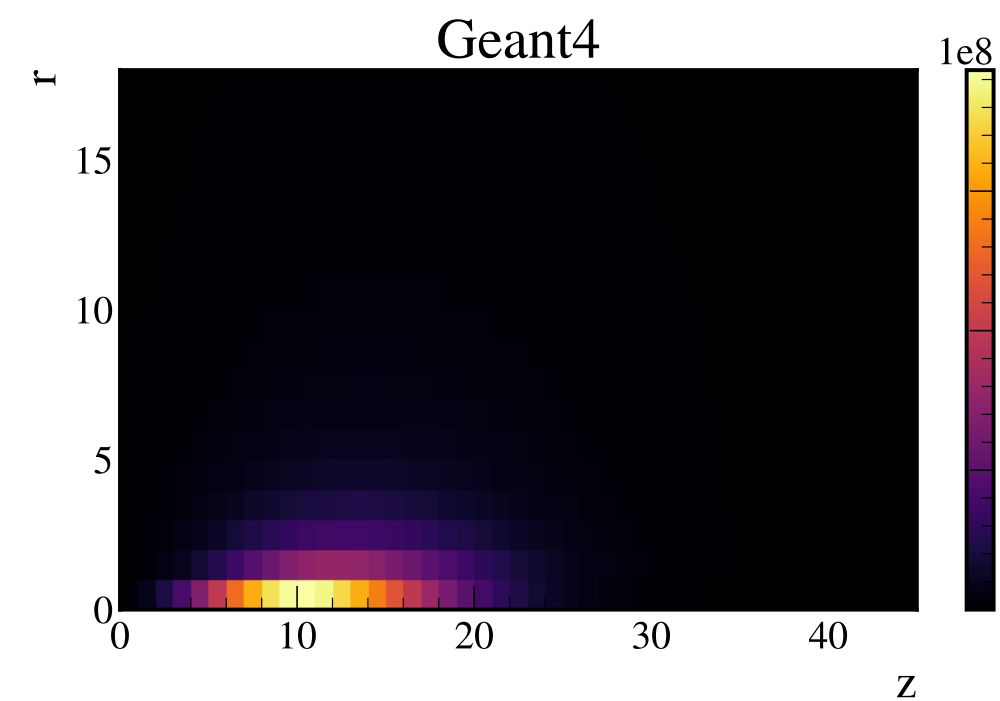
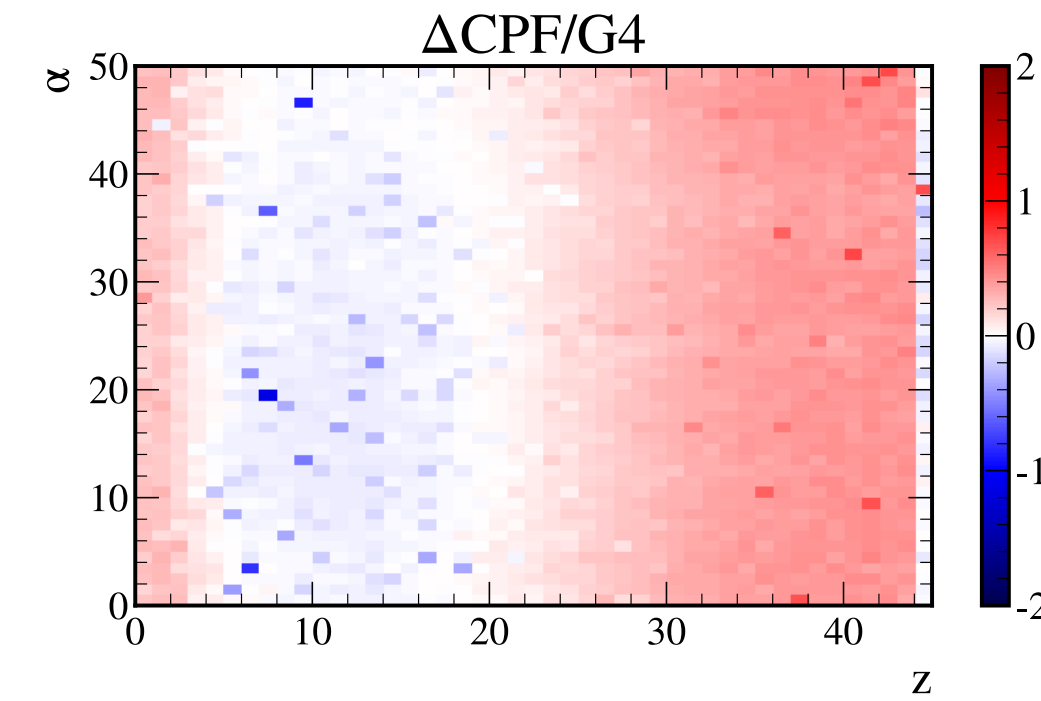
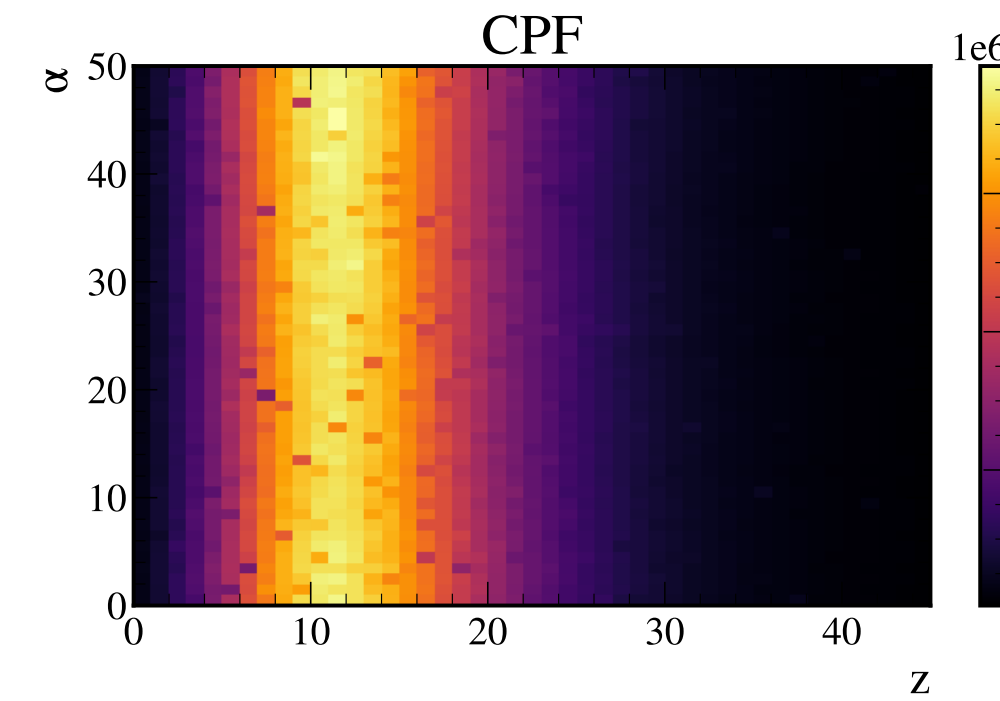
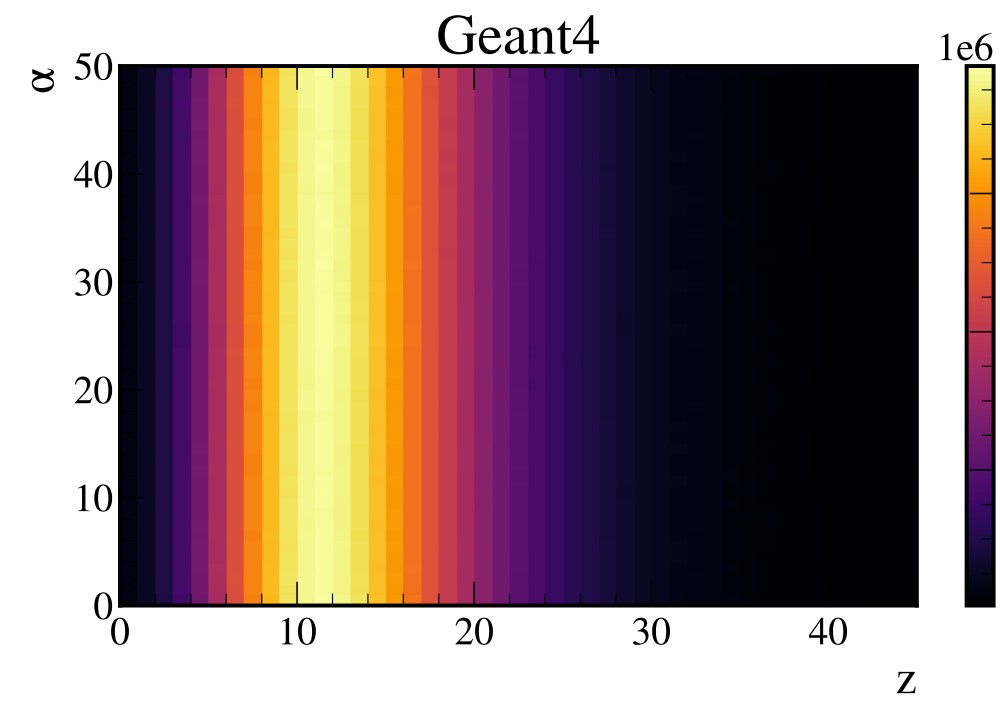
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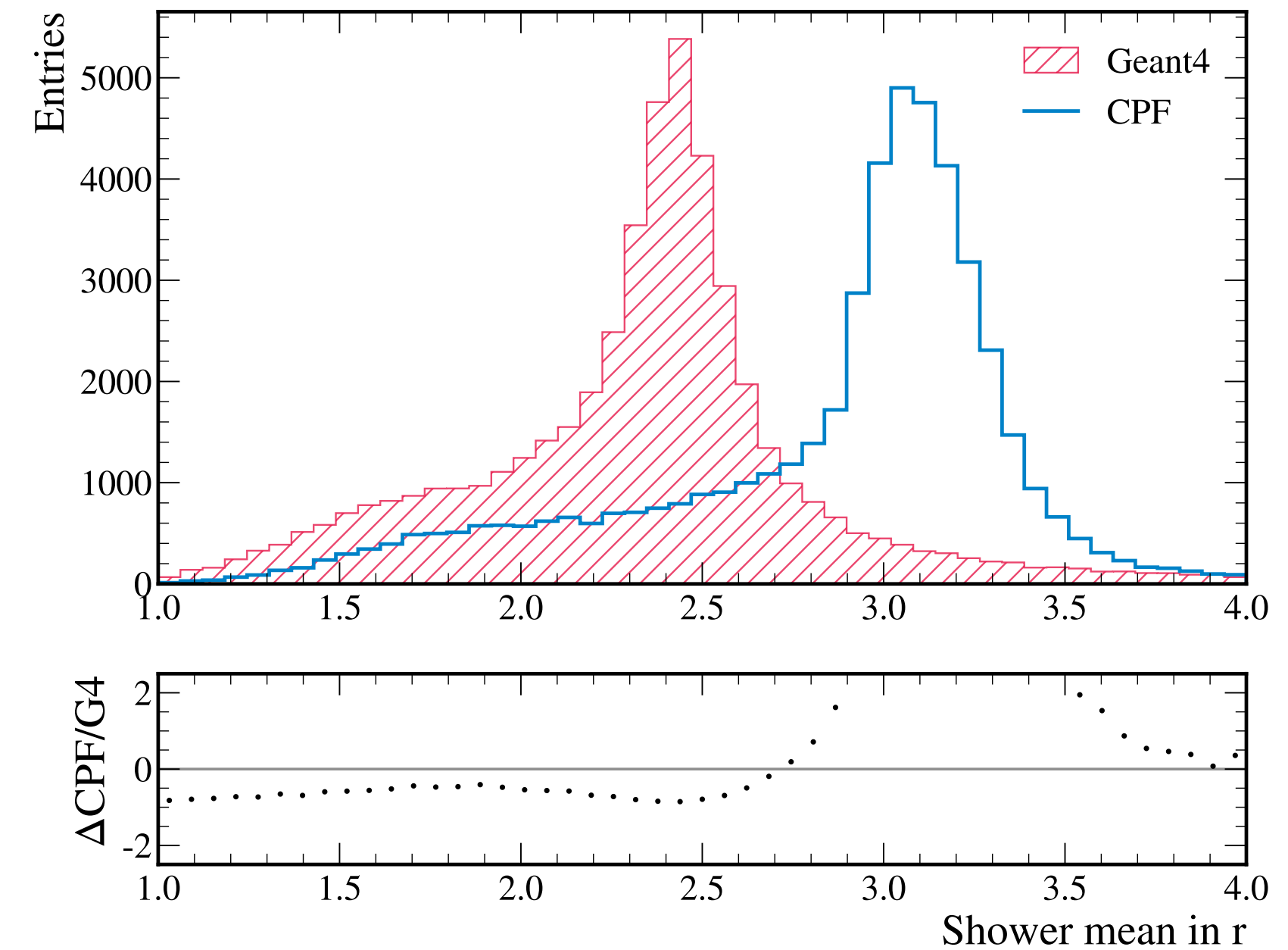
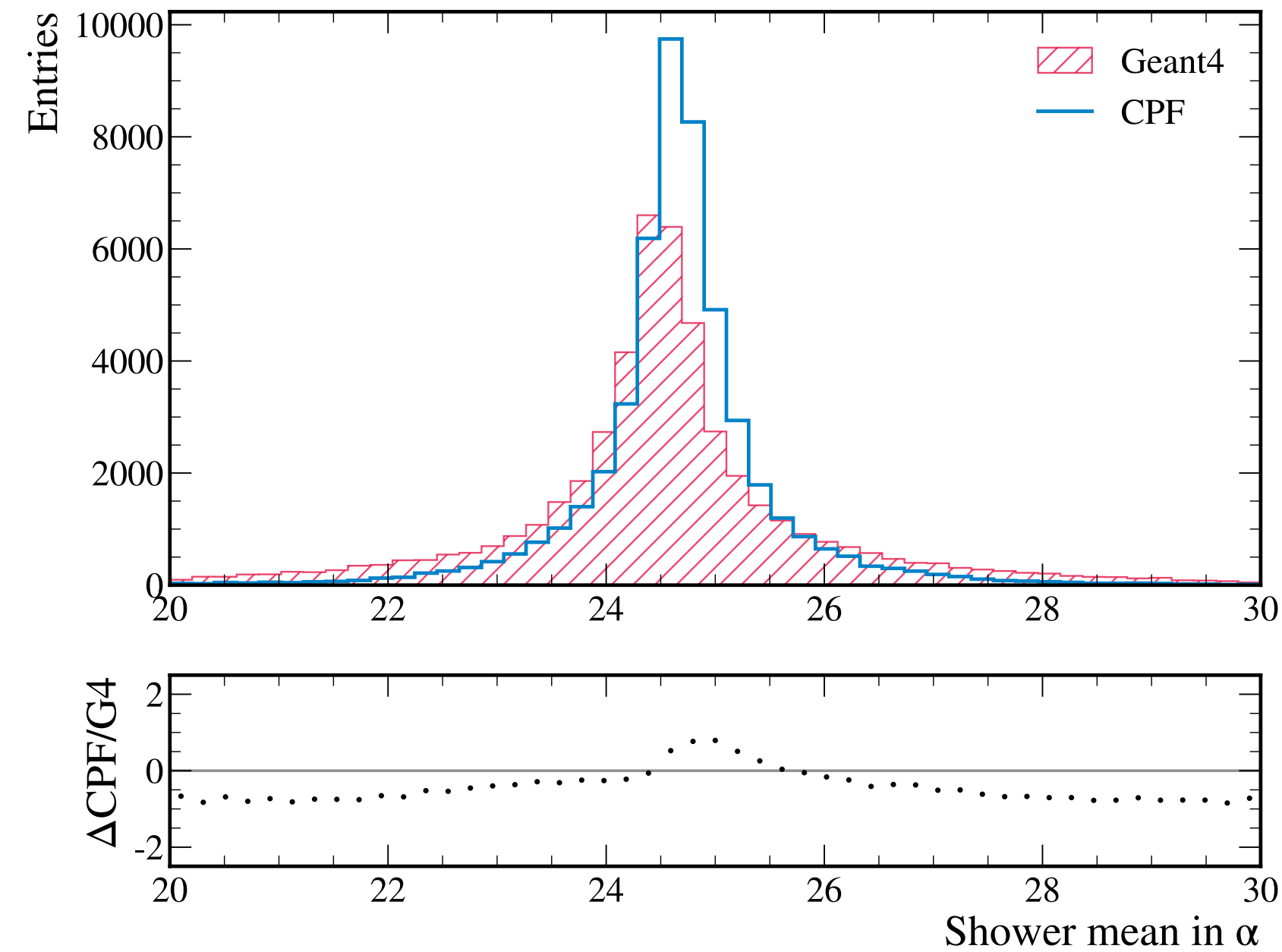
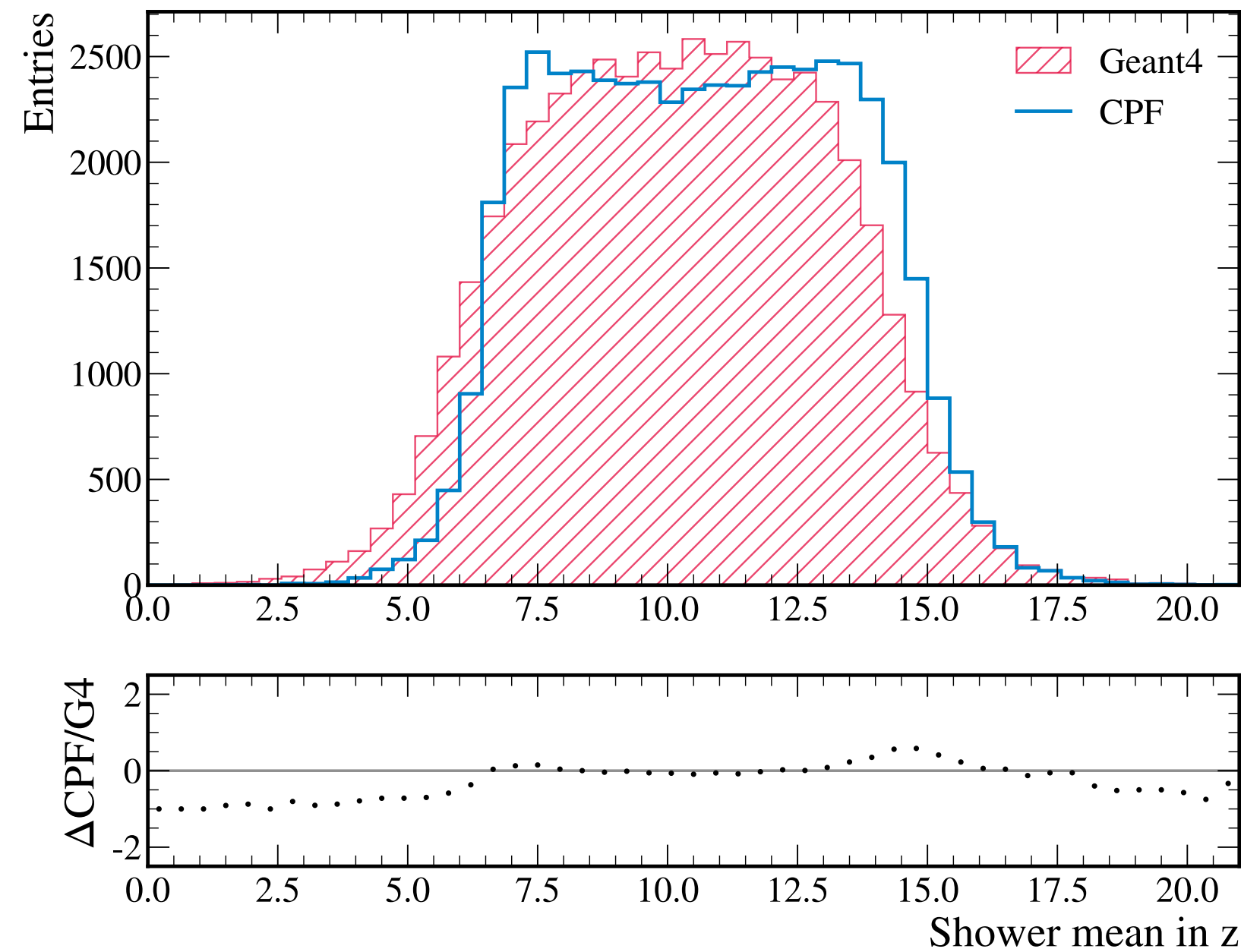
# Shower profiles in 2D

- No structural differences
- High density too low
- Low density too high



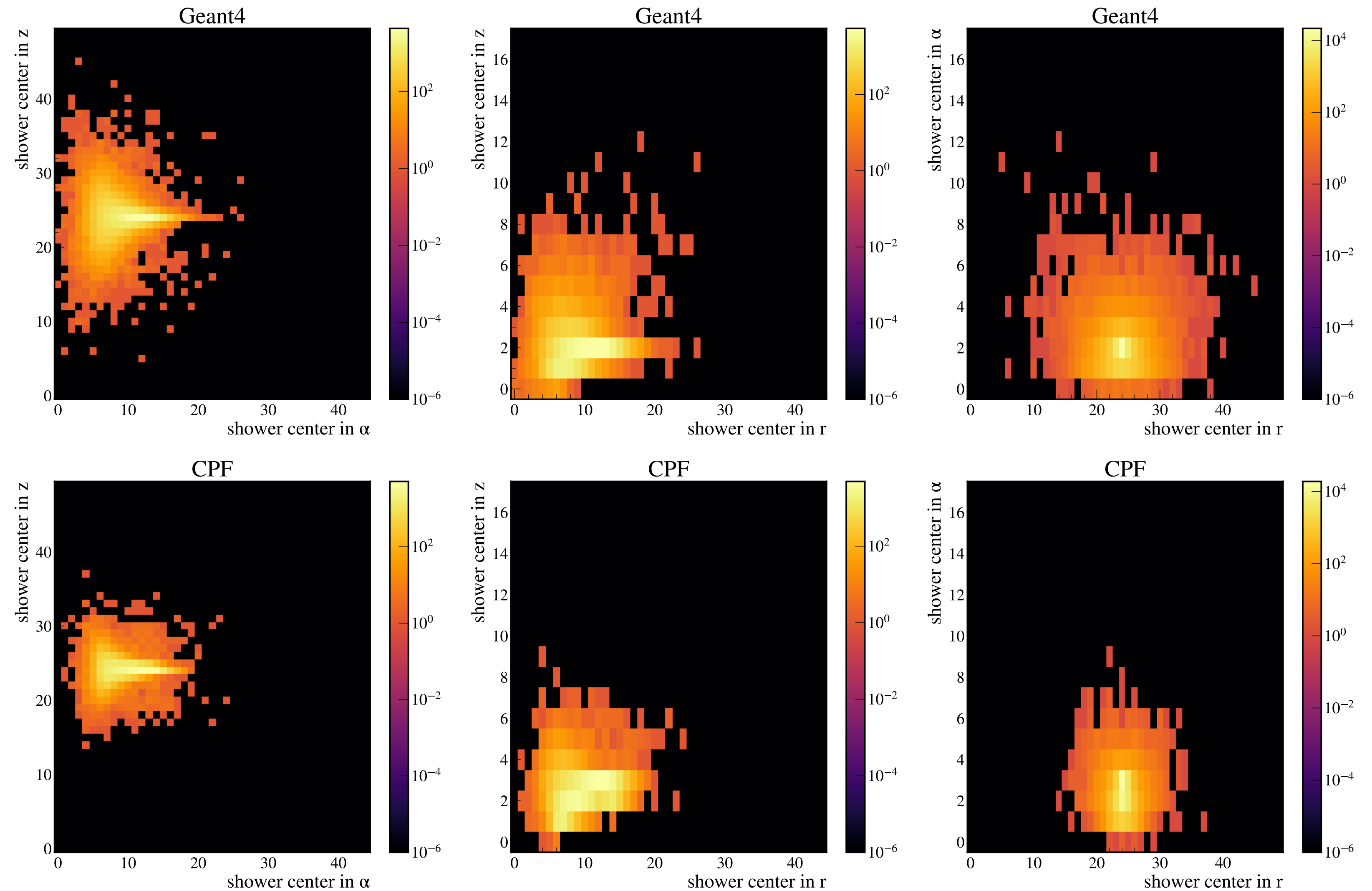
# Shower means

- Agreement with in  $z$  and  $\alpha$  with small differences.
- Huge shift in  $r$ . Overall the showers have a too large radial distributions.



# Shower means in 2D

- Same features
- structural morphing



# Eigenvalues of covariance matrix

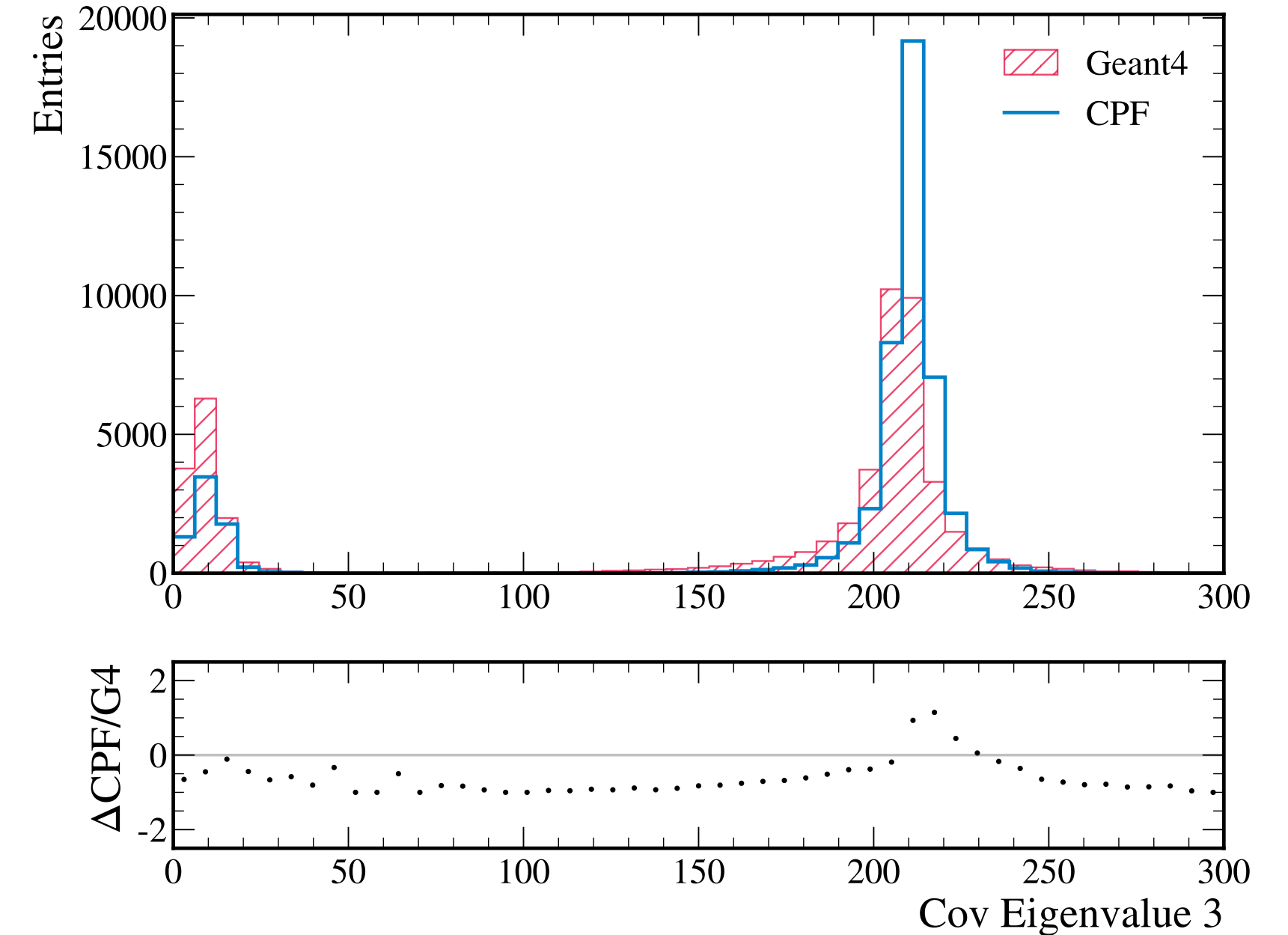
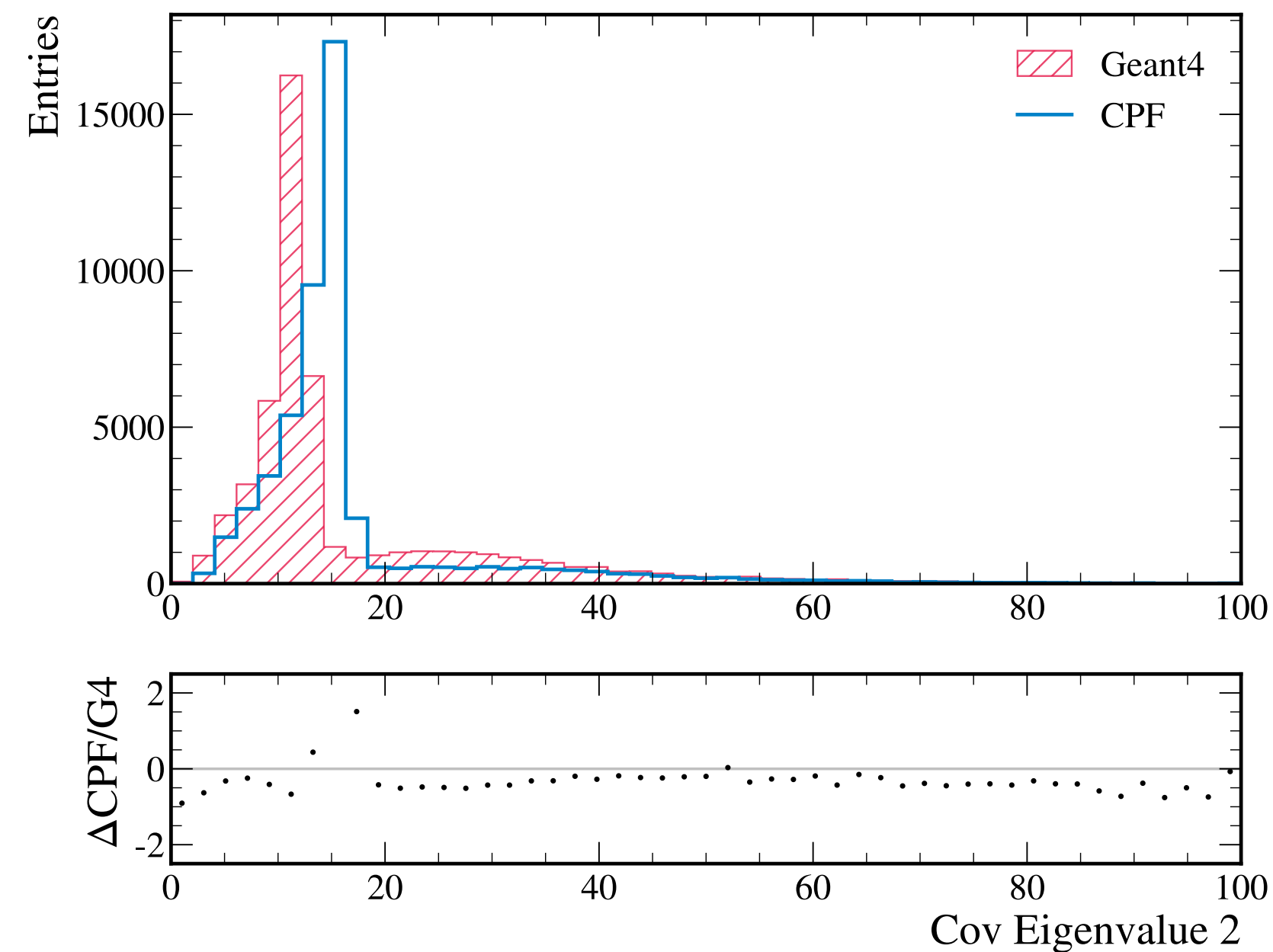
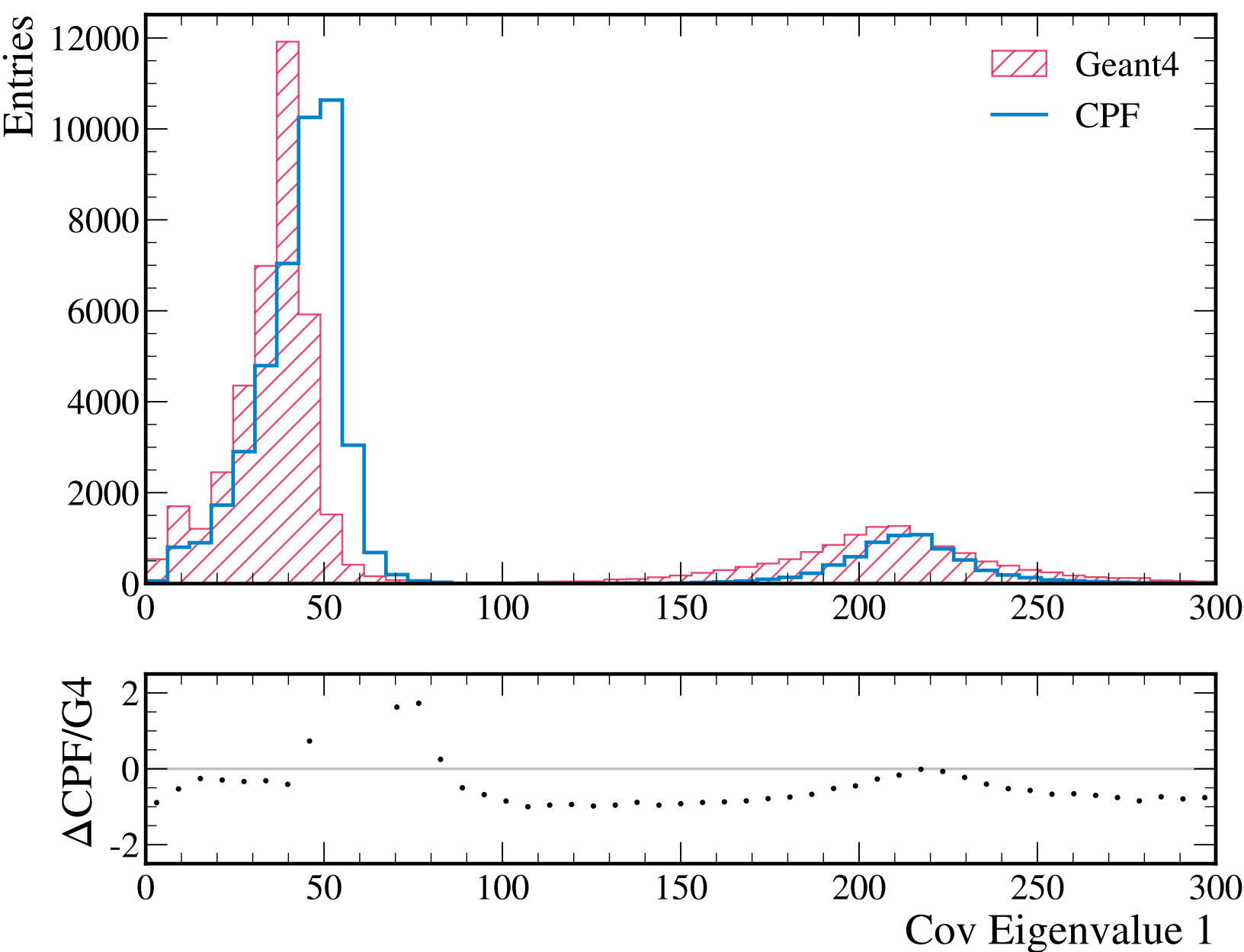
- Calculated unbiased energy weighted sample covariance matrix for each shower

$$C = \frac{1}{\sum_{i=1}^n E_i - 1} \sum_{i=1}^n E_i (x_i - \mu^*)^T (x_i - \mu^*) \text{ with } \mu^* = \frac{1}{\sum_{i=1}^n E_i} \sum_{i=1}^n E_i x_i$$

- Eigenvalue decomposition of  $C$  give as the widths of the shower base on the principal components of the shower

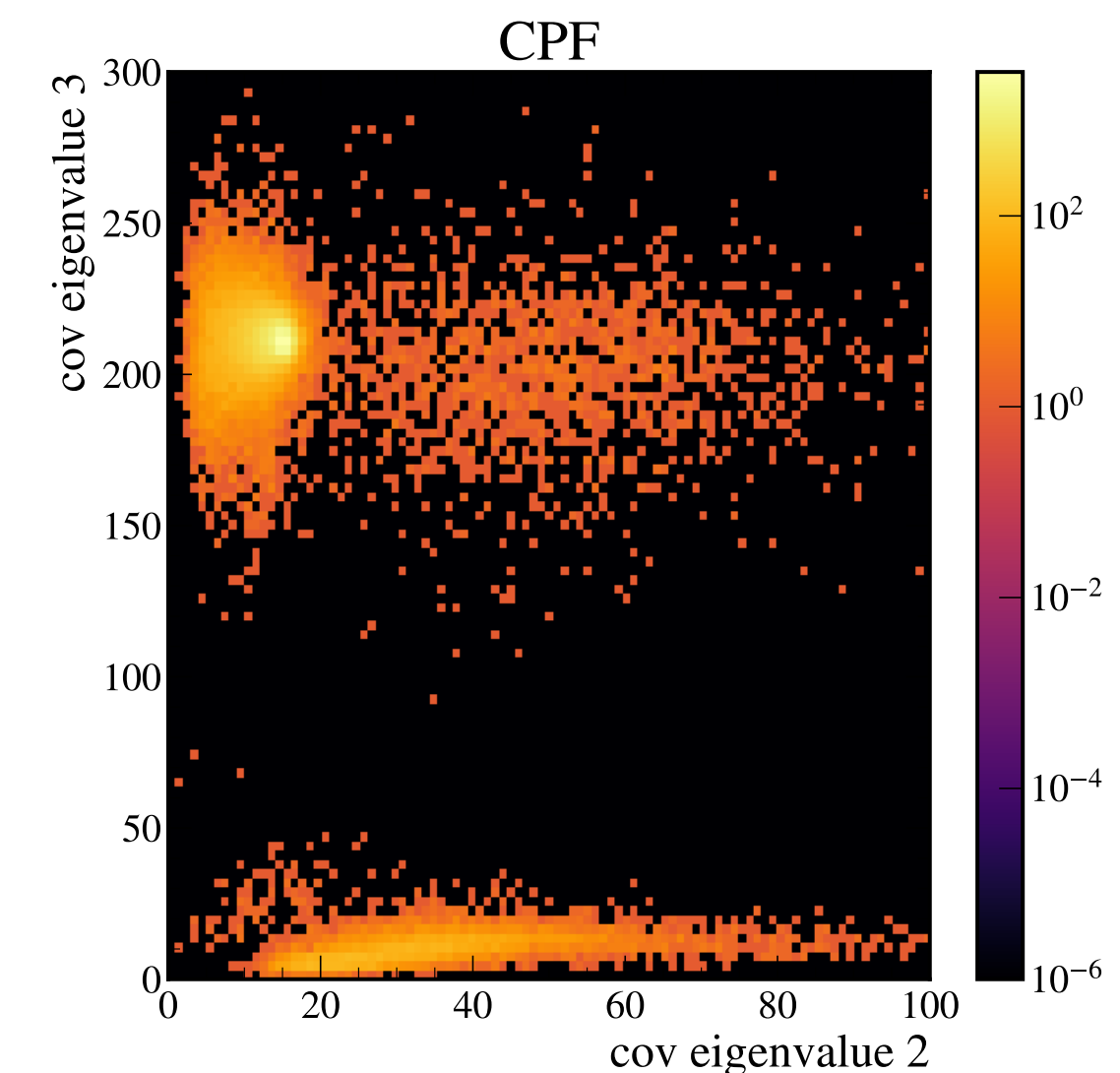
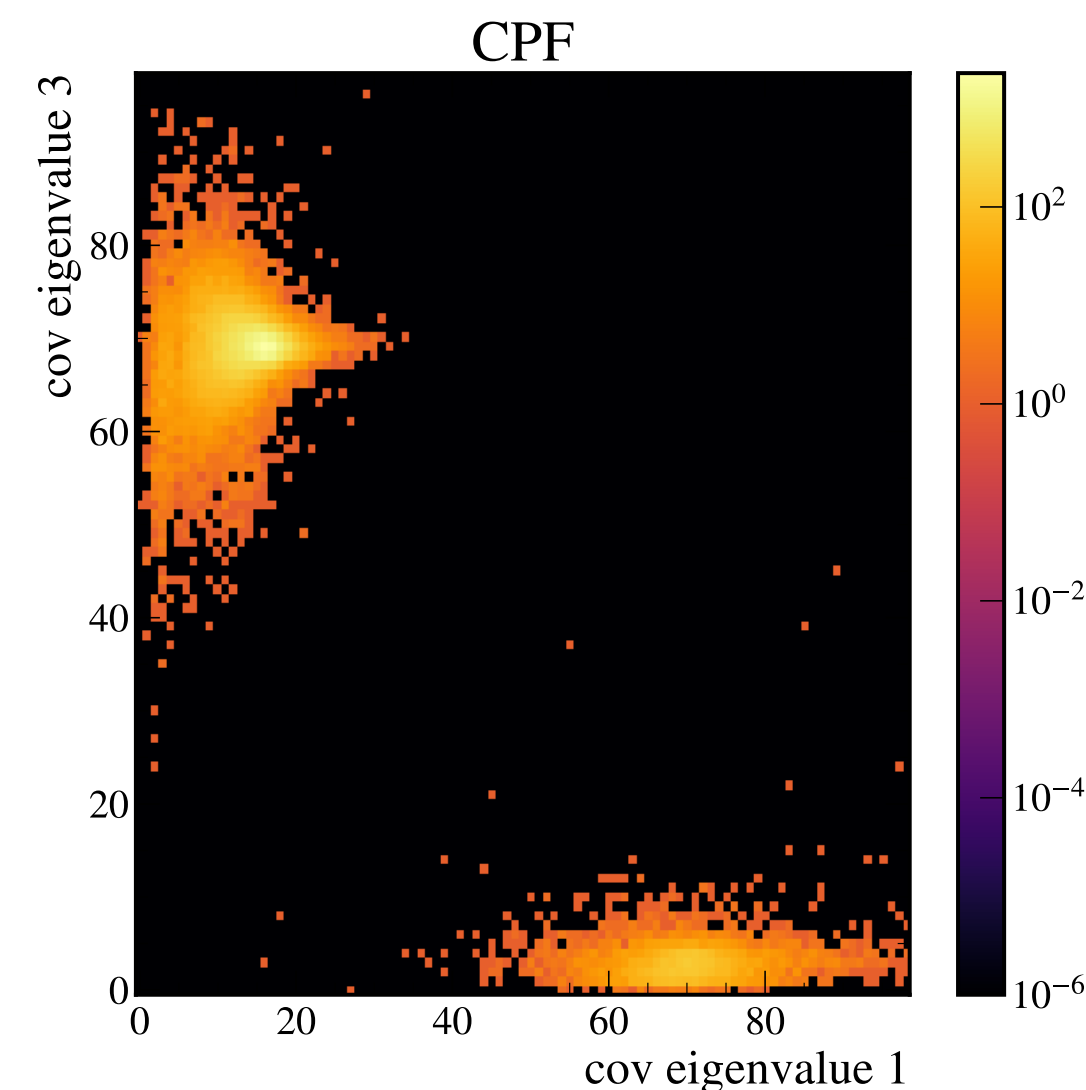
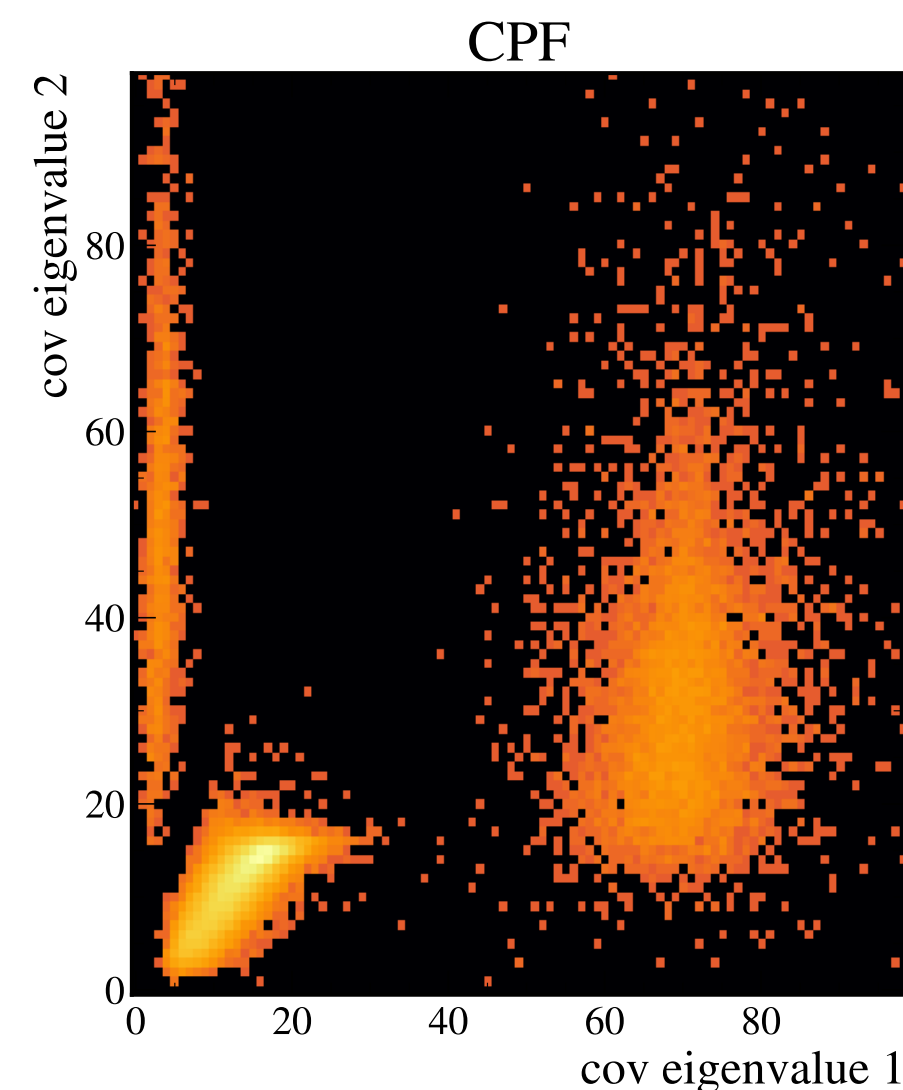
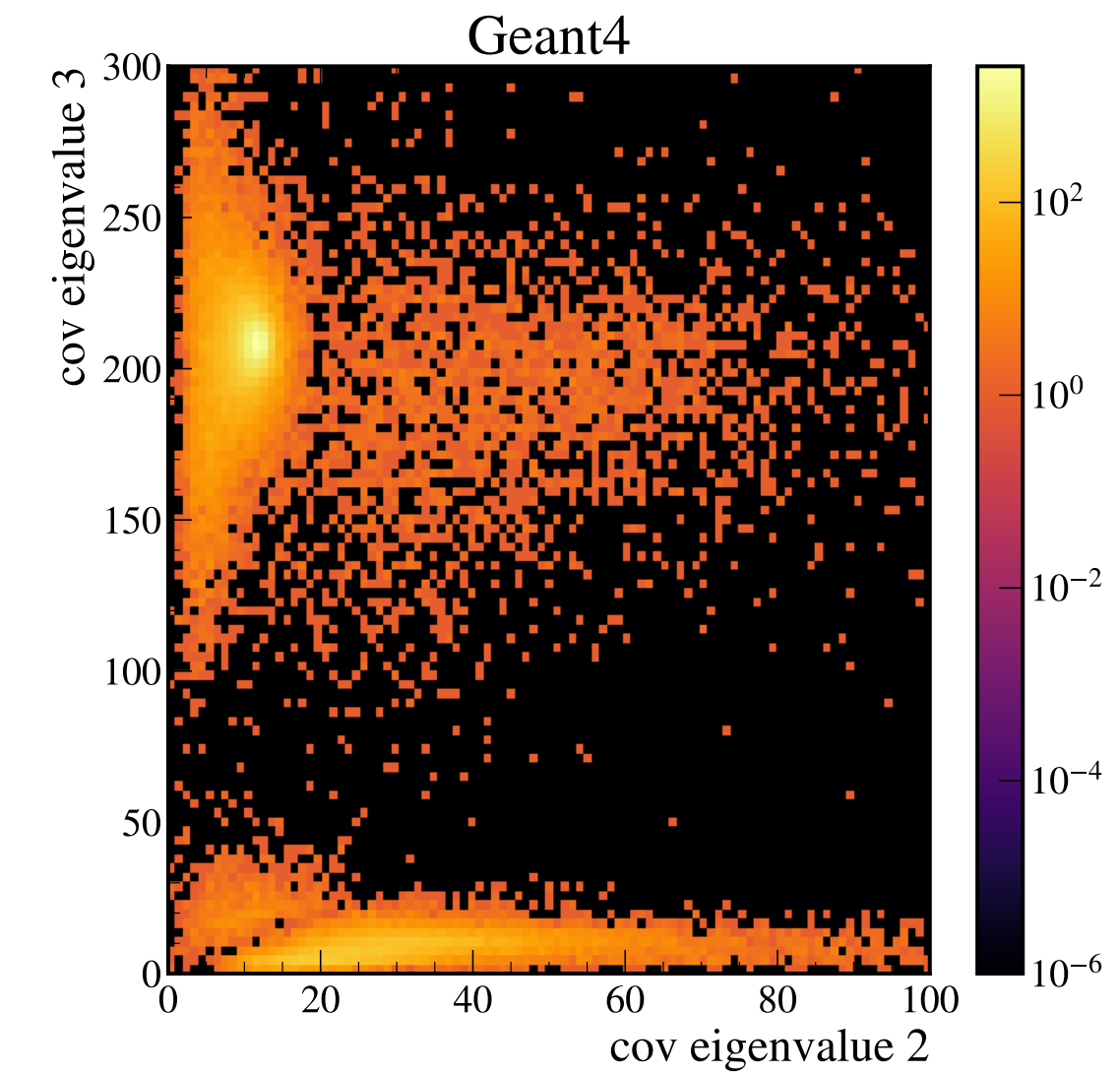
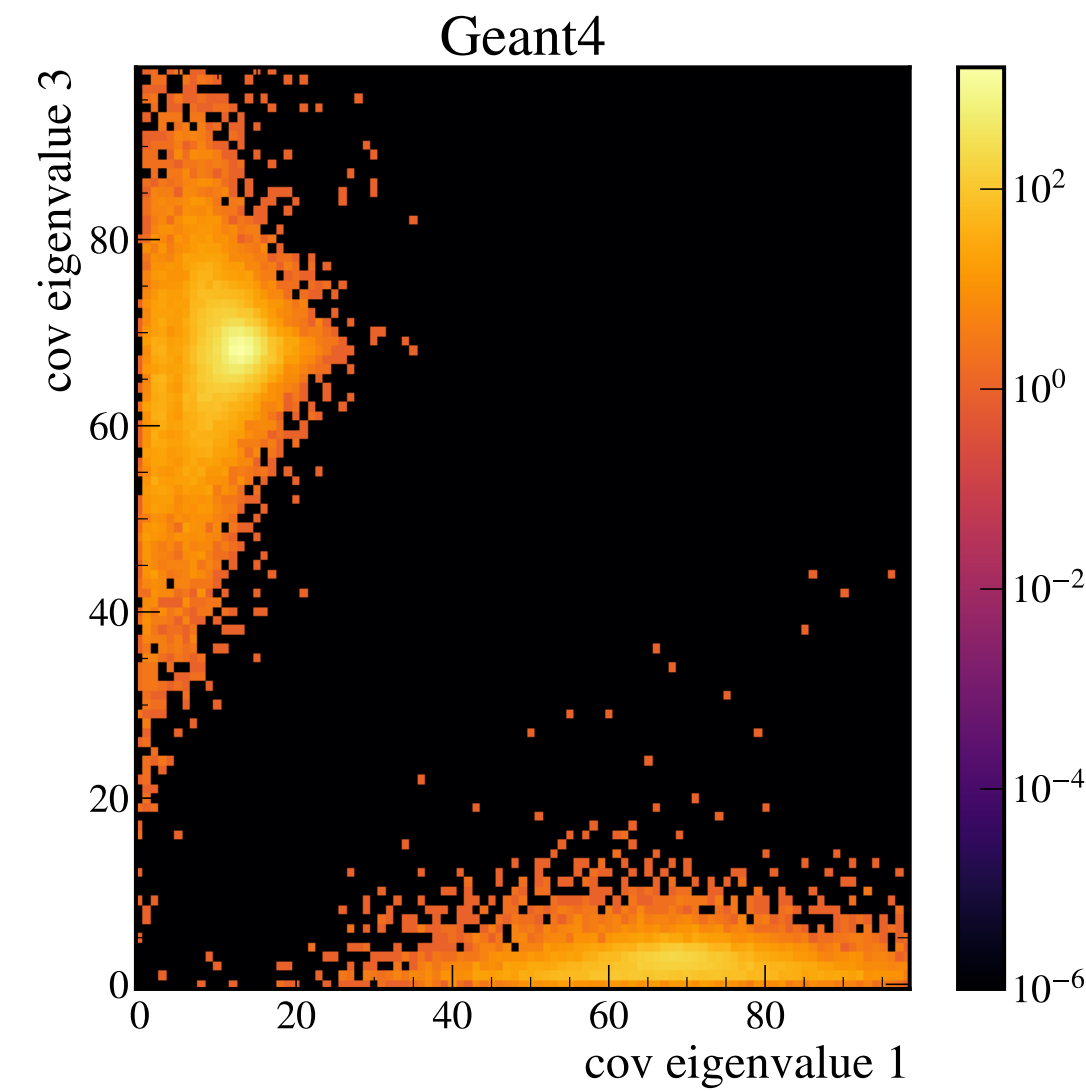
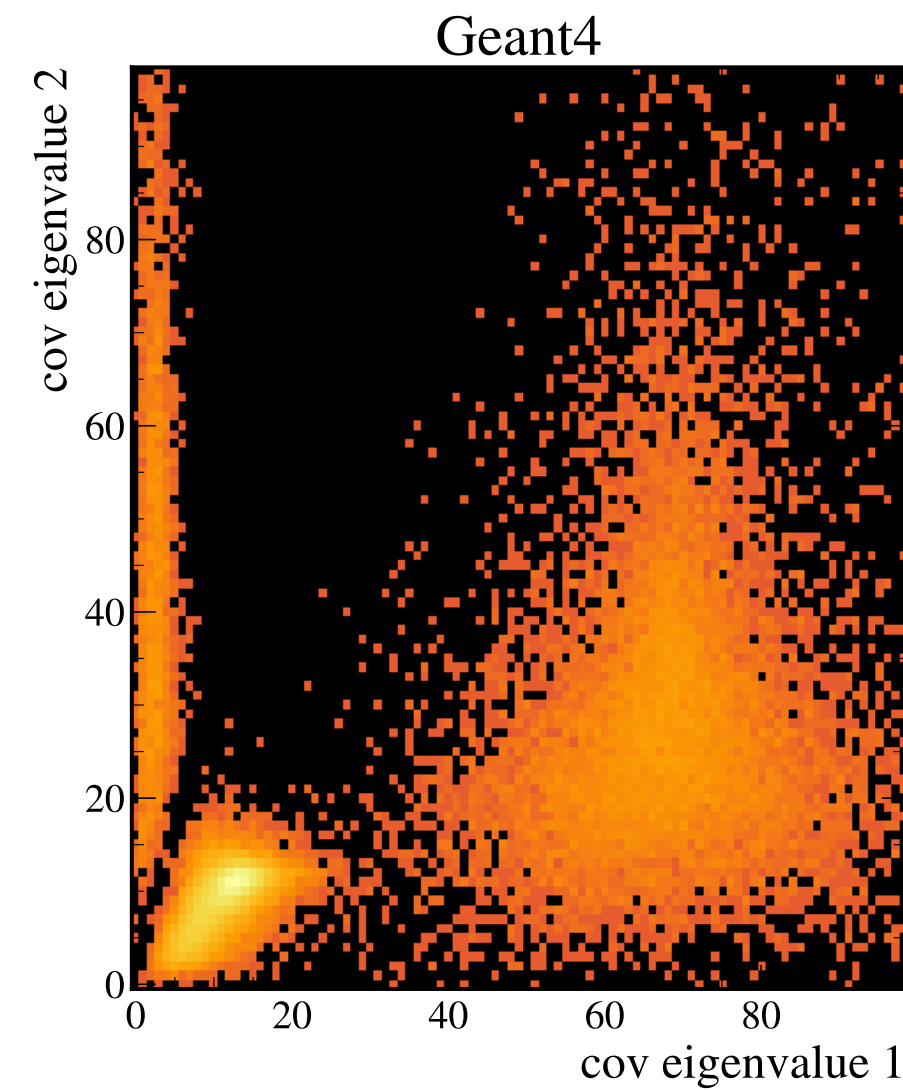
# Eigenvalues of covariance matrix

- Structural agreement between Geant and CPF
- Shifts and differences visible



# Eigenvalues of covariance matrix 2D

- Same sub-distributions visible
- Structural morphing visible
- Good proxy look of the differences between CPF and G4 shower



# Classifier Scores and Sampling Time

- CaloPointFlow does not pass Claudius classifier test

CaloChallenge Classifier	low	low-normed	high
AUC	0.9868	0.9854	0.9664
JSD	0.8006	0.7765	0.6656

- Relativ fast sampling time (including multiple sampling due to double hits)

number showers	sampling time	time per shower
50,000	548.26s	10.9652ms

- Also fast training time (  $\approx 5$ min/epoch)

# Conclusion & Outlook

- Interpret calorimeter showers as point clouds
- Tested the possibilities of a linear model without point-to-point relations
- Can handle high granular datasets
- Shower structure is overall good resembled
- There are some structural deviations
- Possible future research areas are
  - including point to point correlations
  - refine the output with a model that introduces point to point relations
- Next steps
  - Analyse results of dataset 1



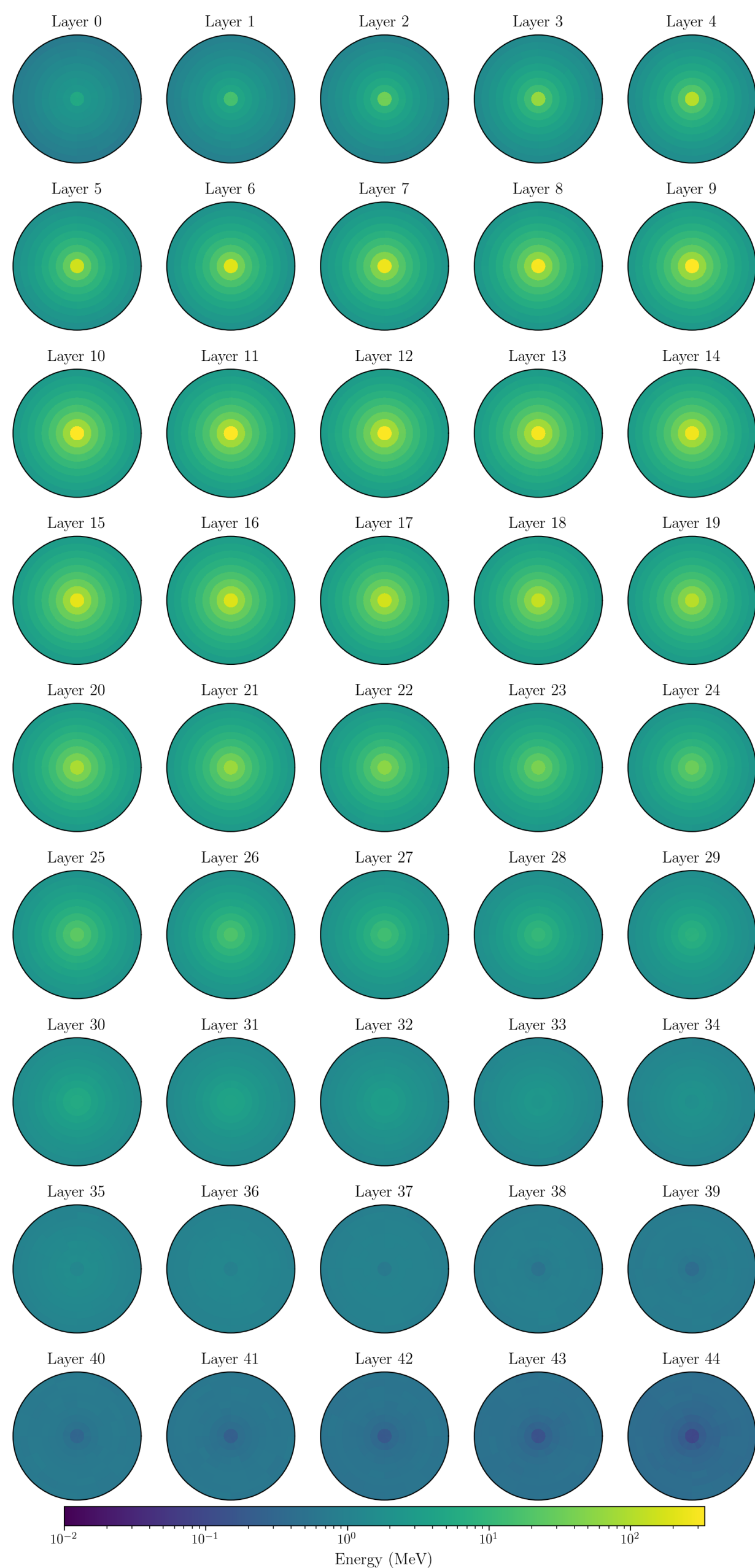
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# **DATASET 2 PLOTS**

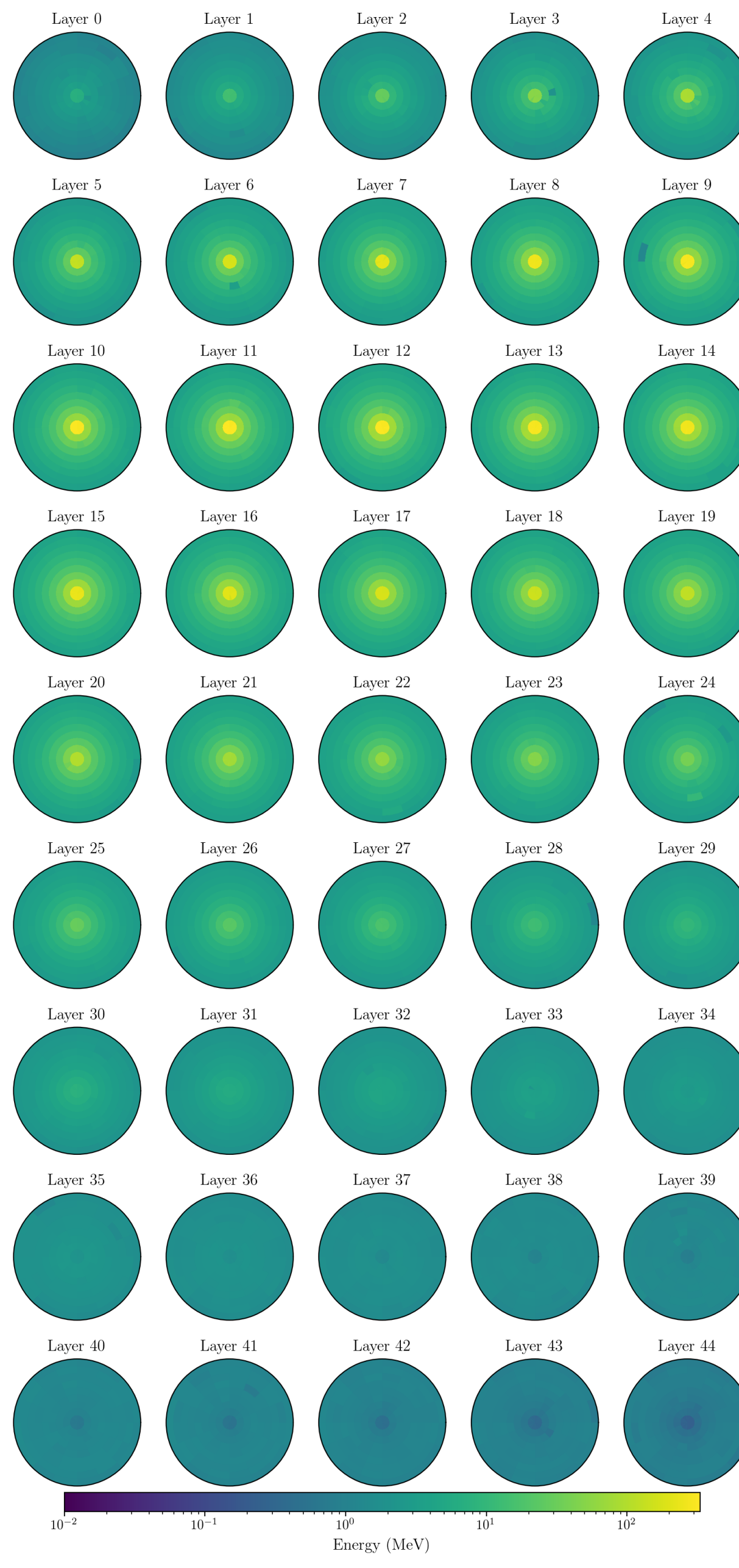
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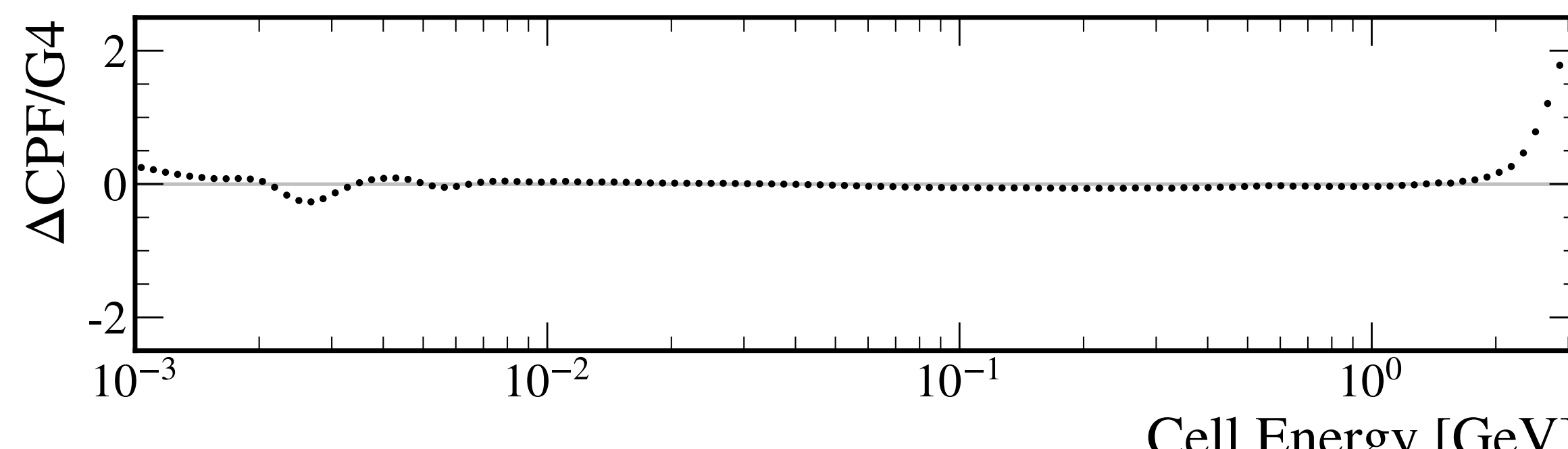
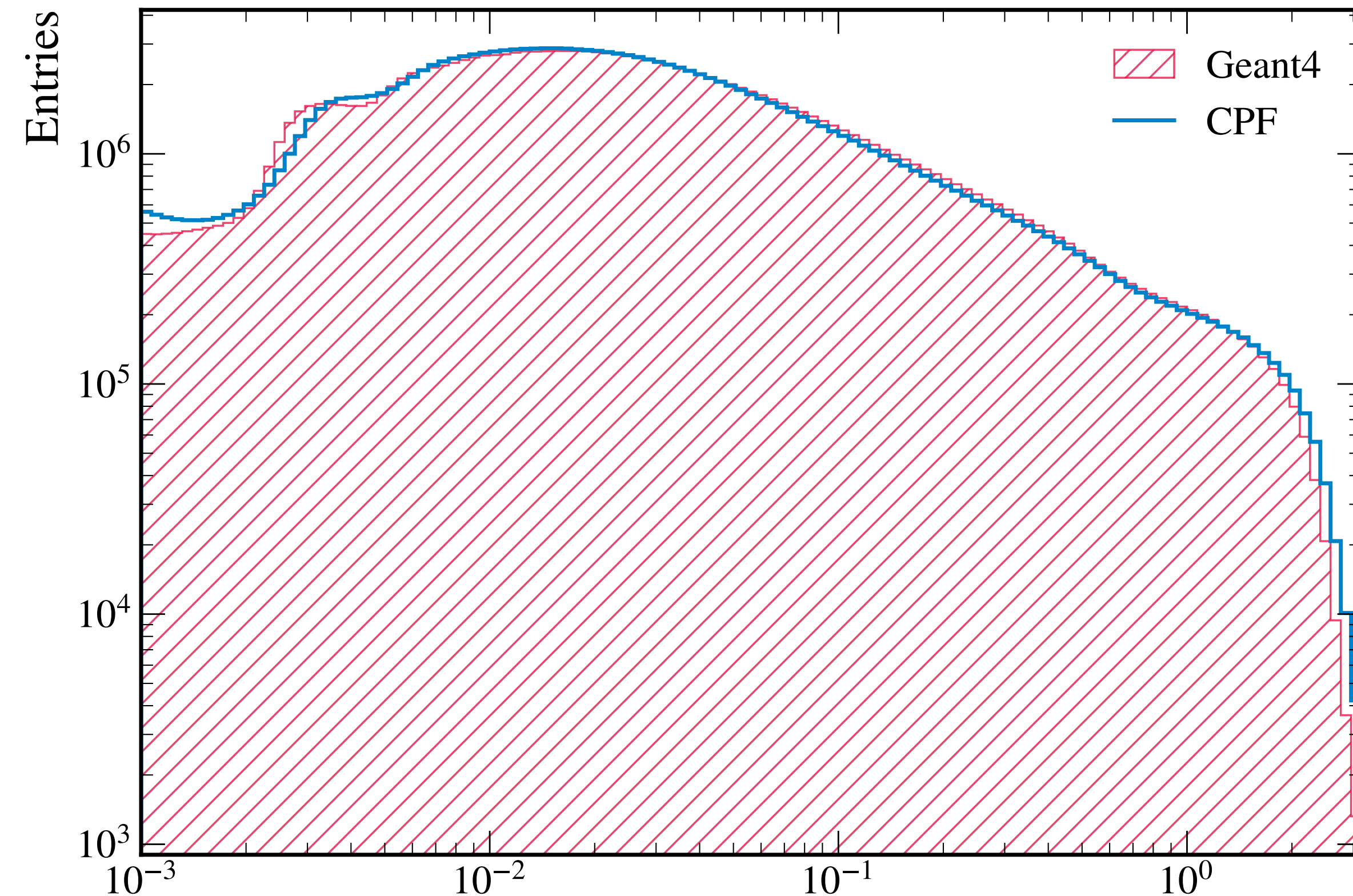


CPF



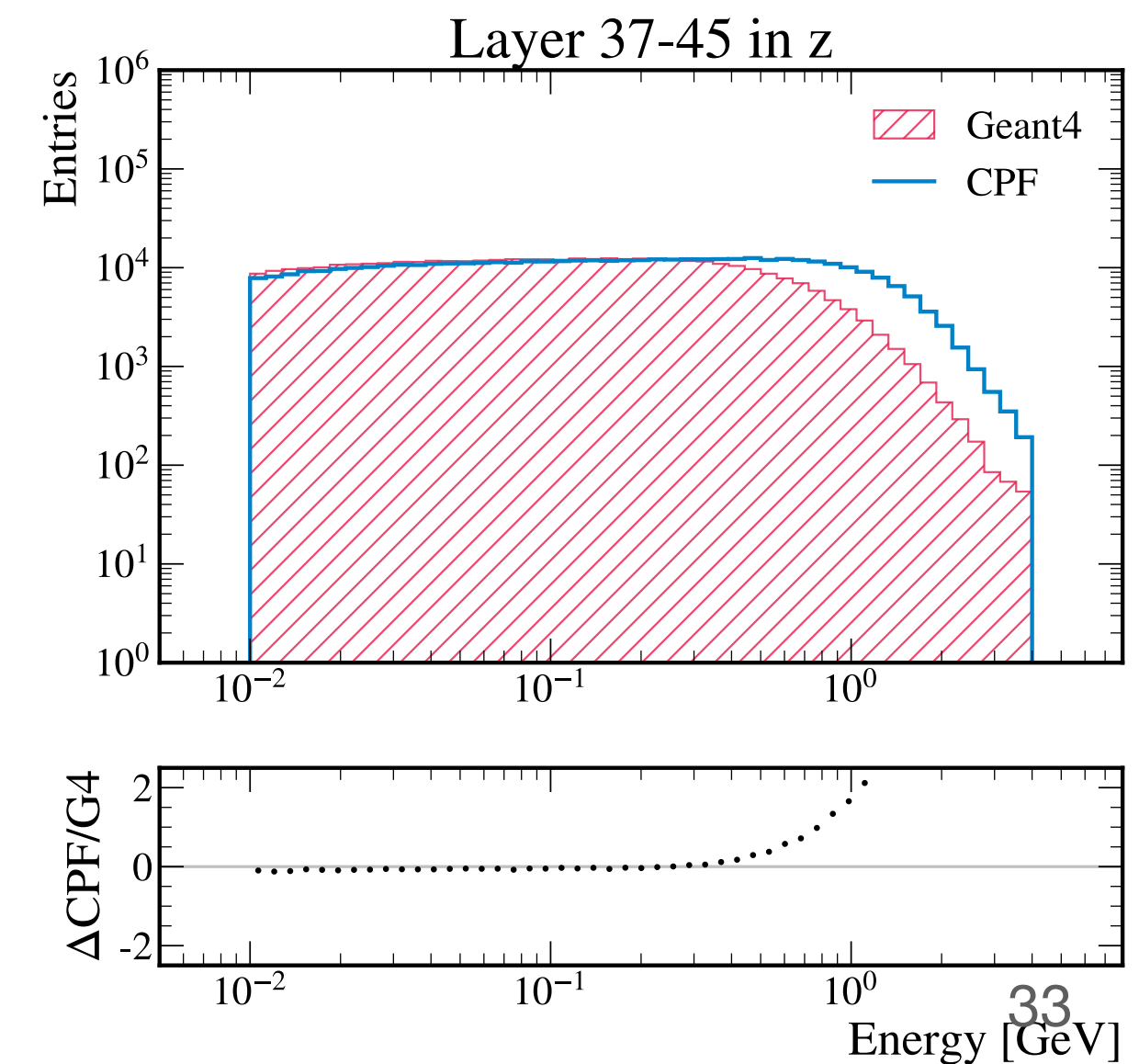
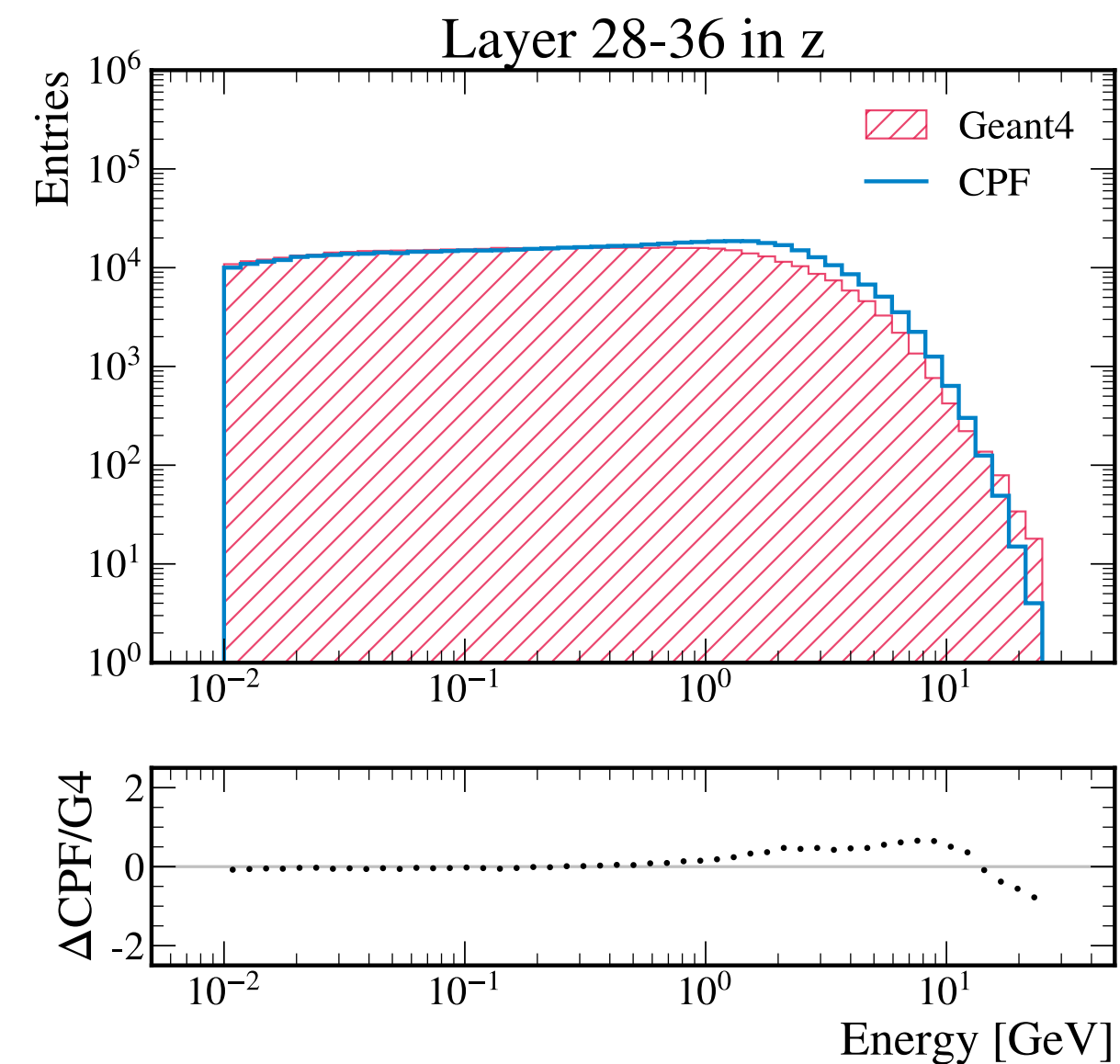
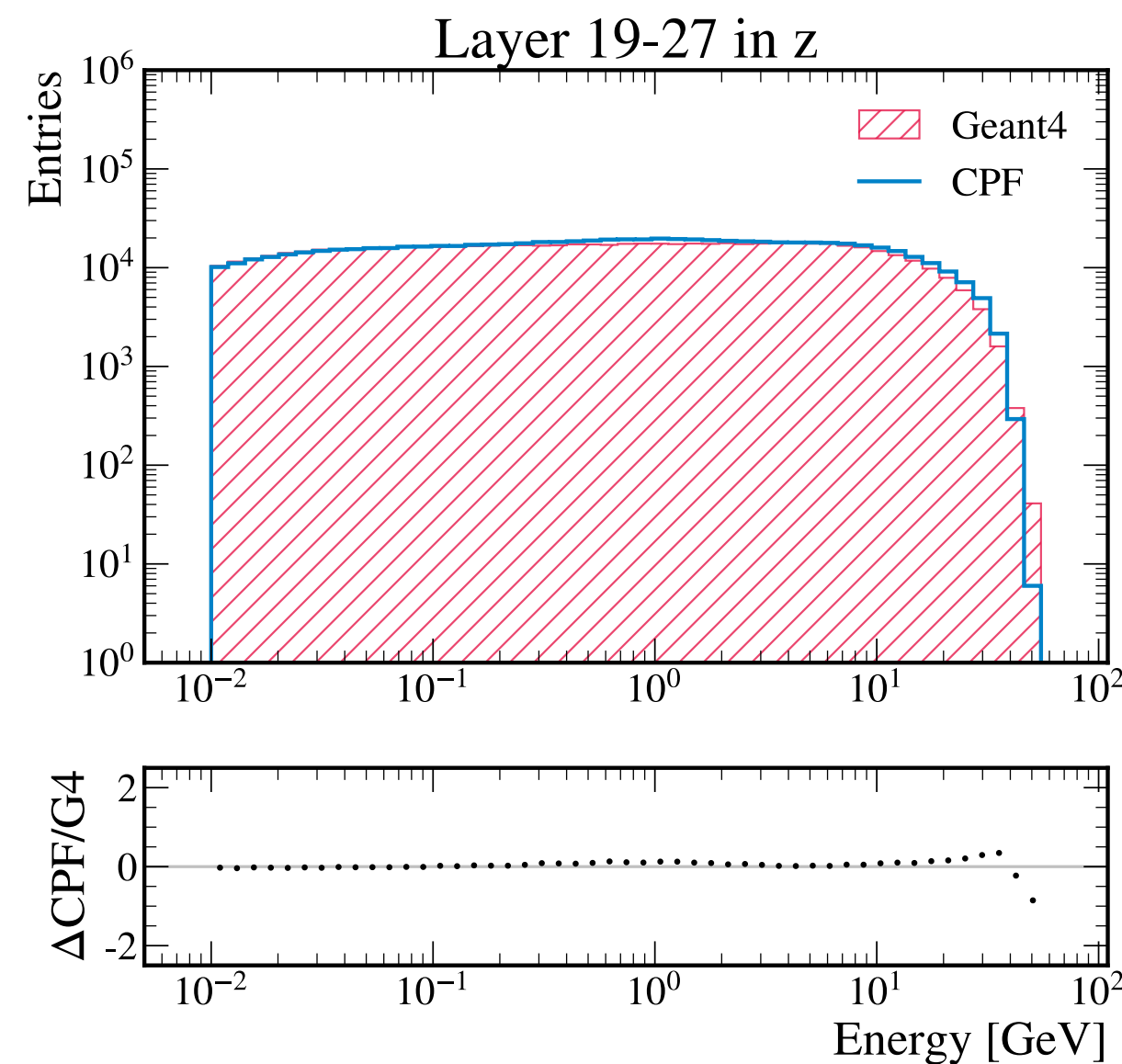
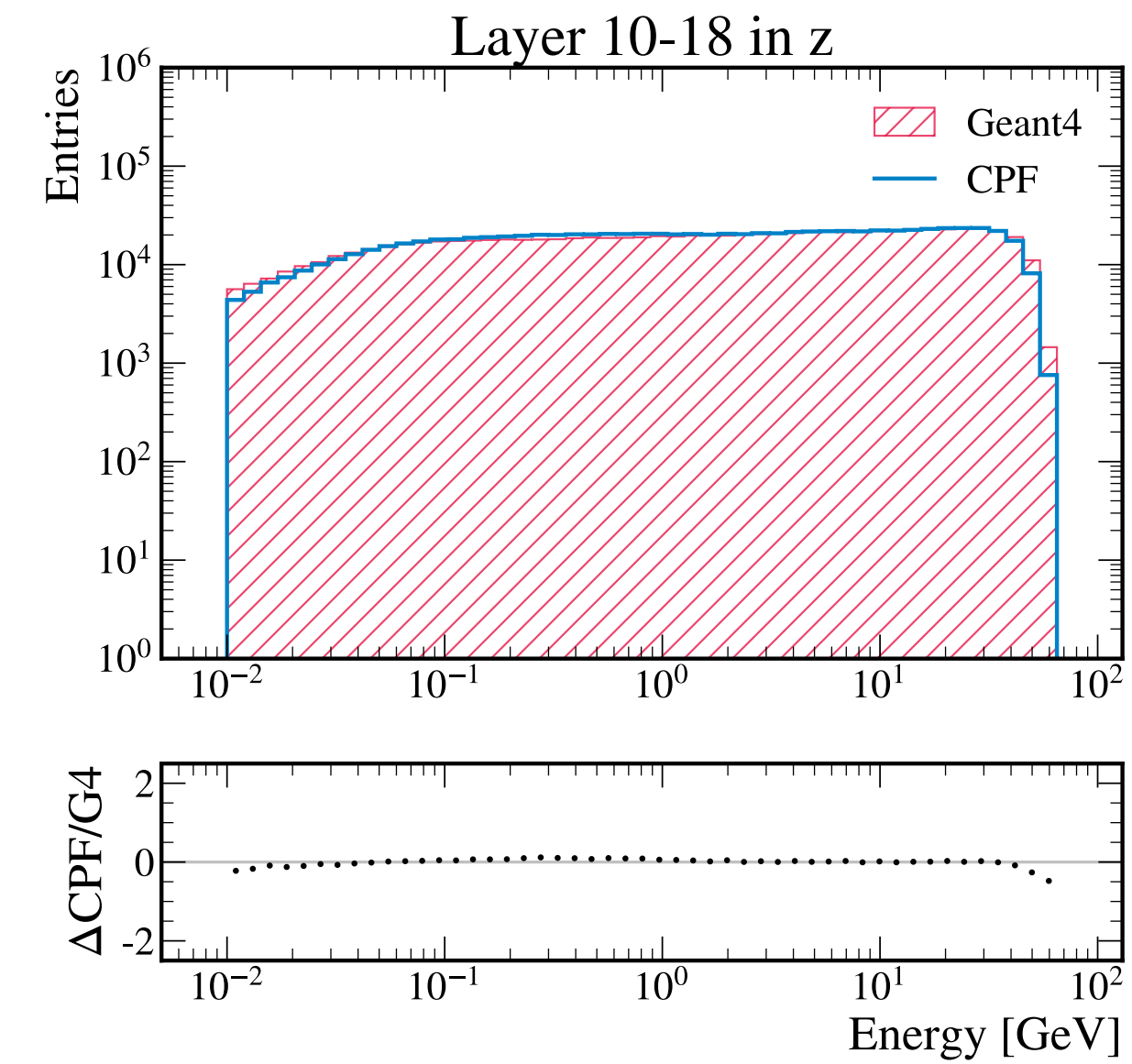
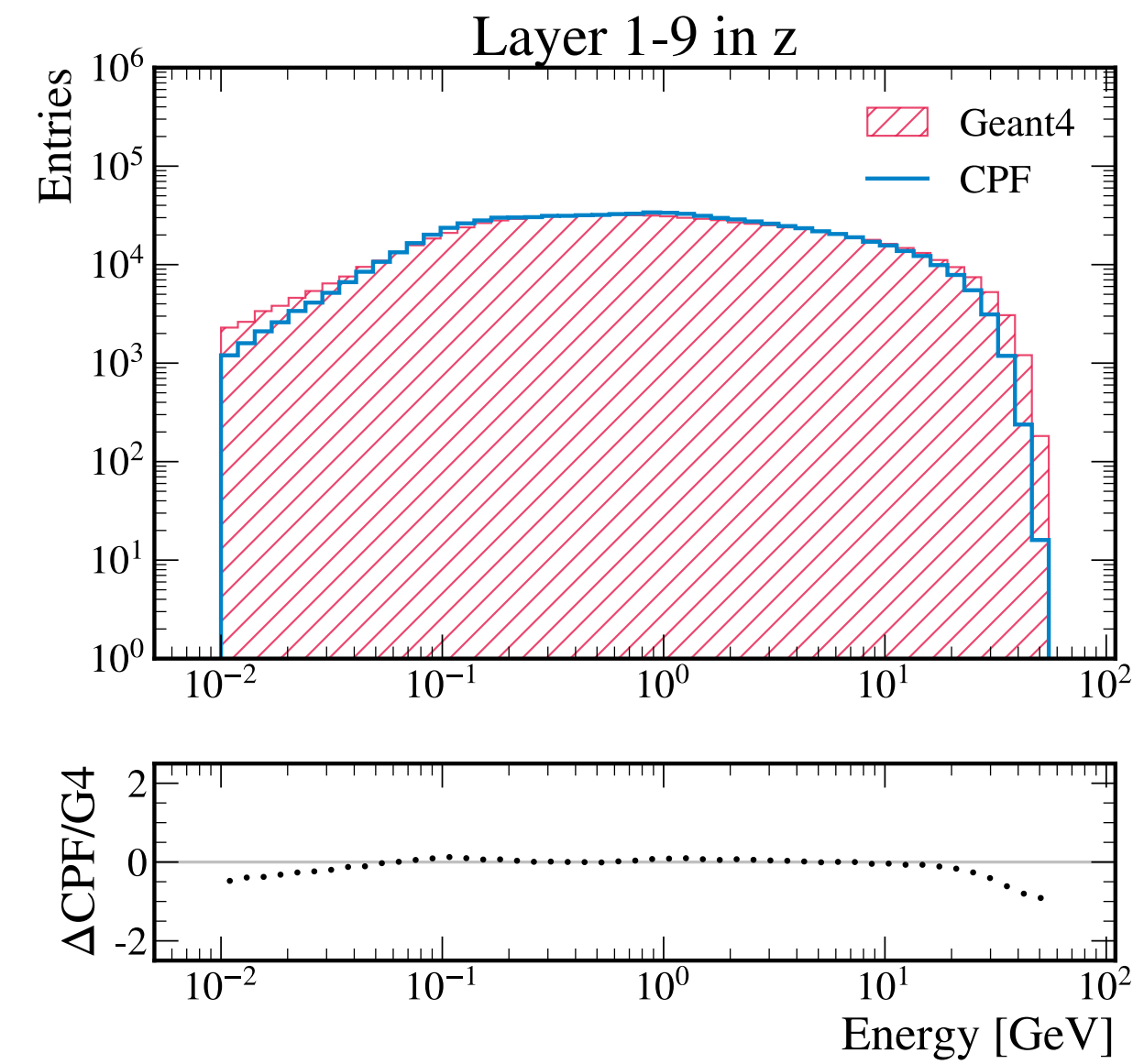
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- Agreement in high statistics area
- Differences in tails



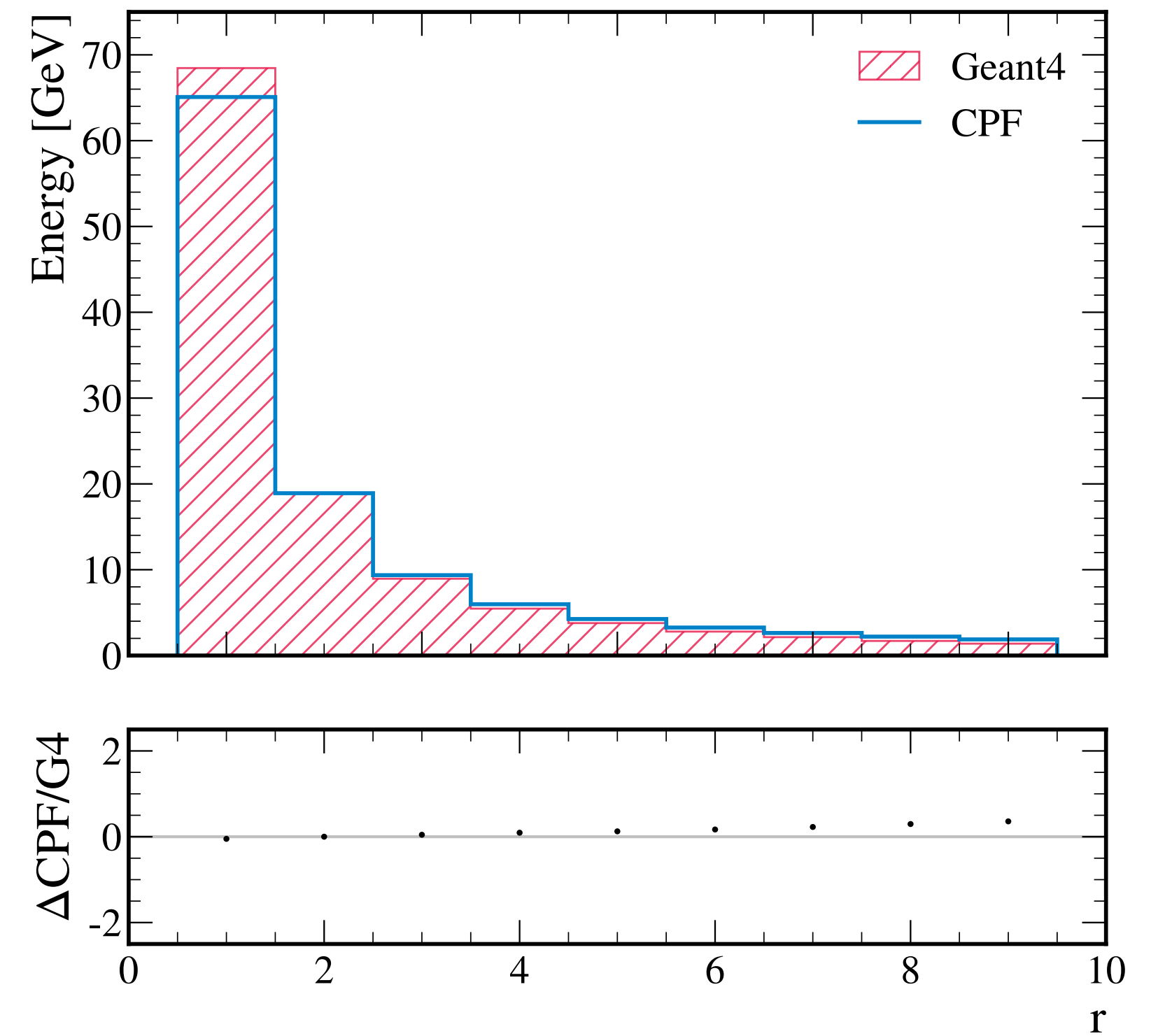
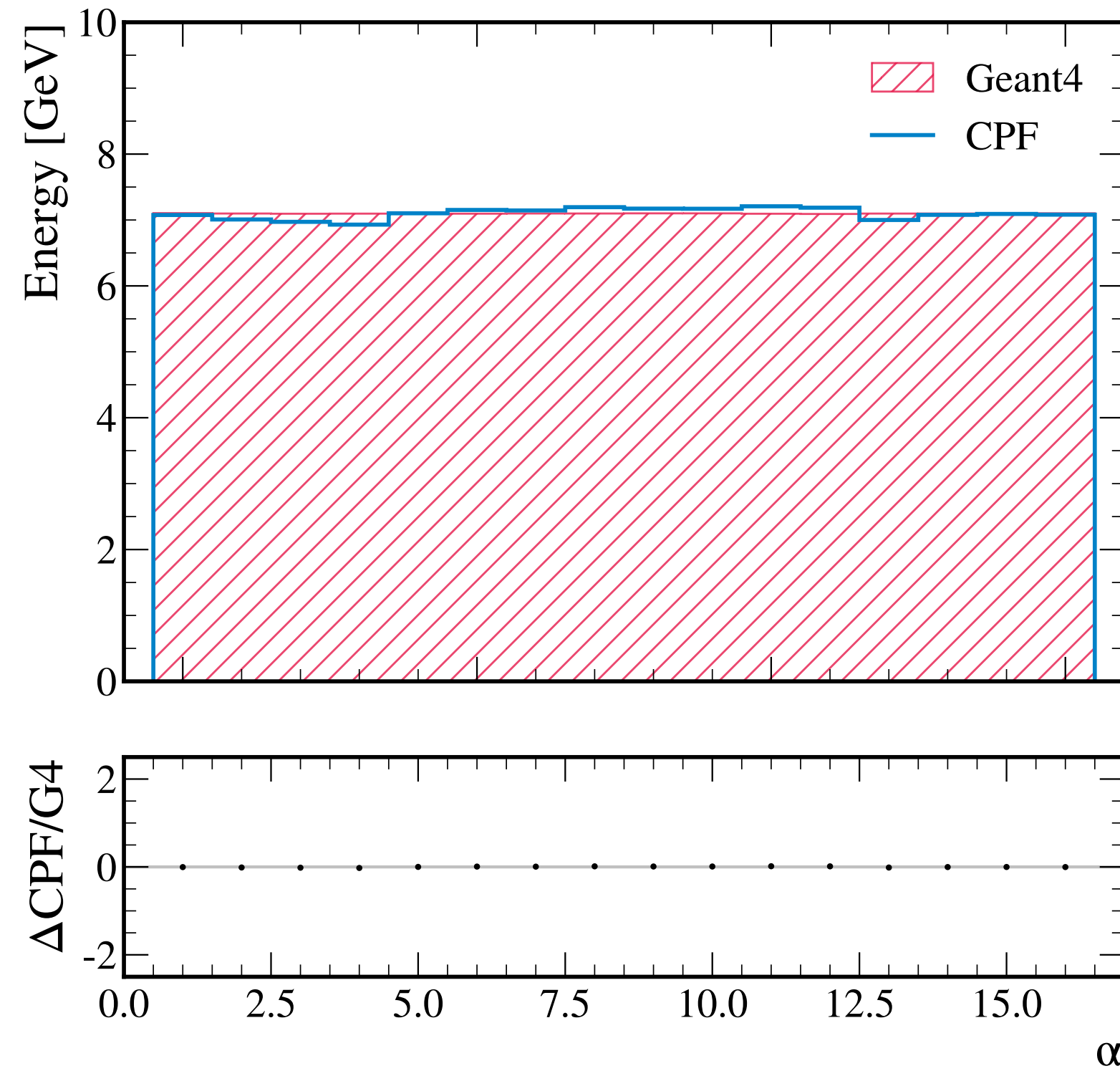
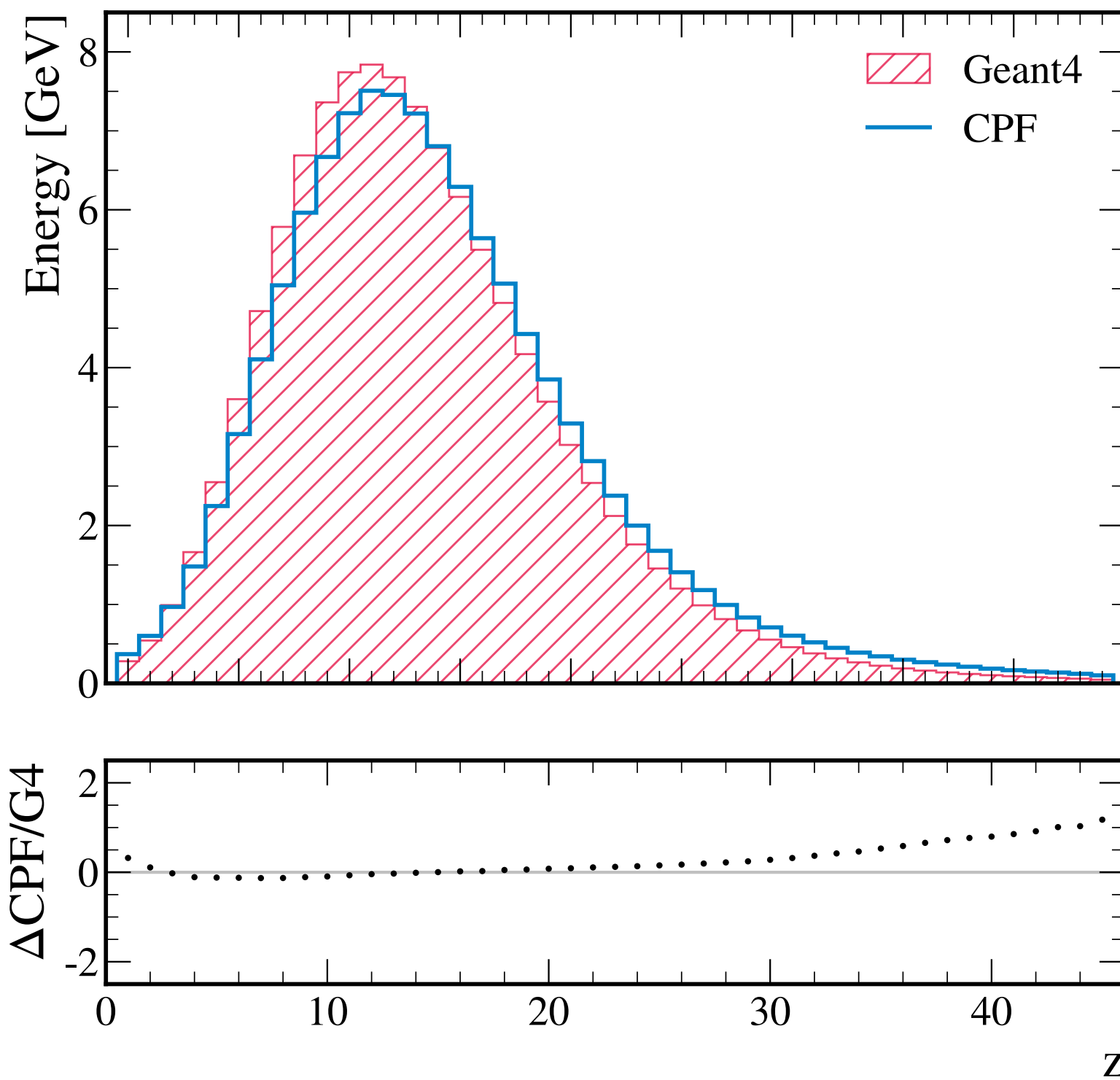
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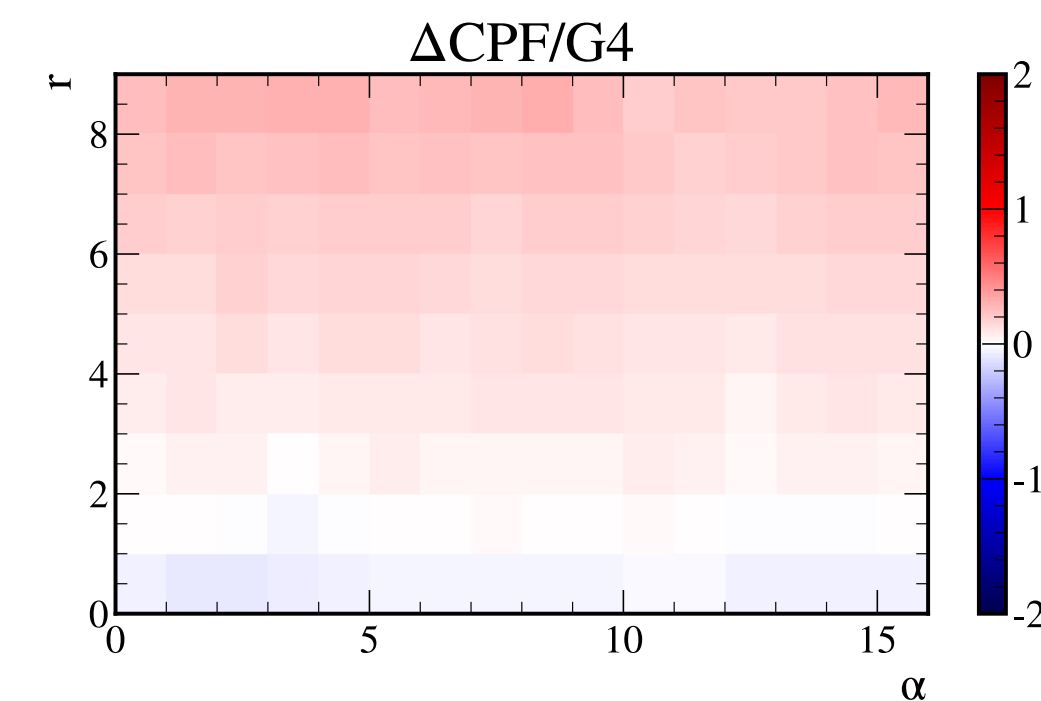
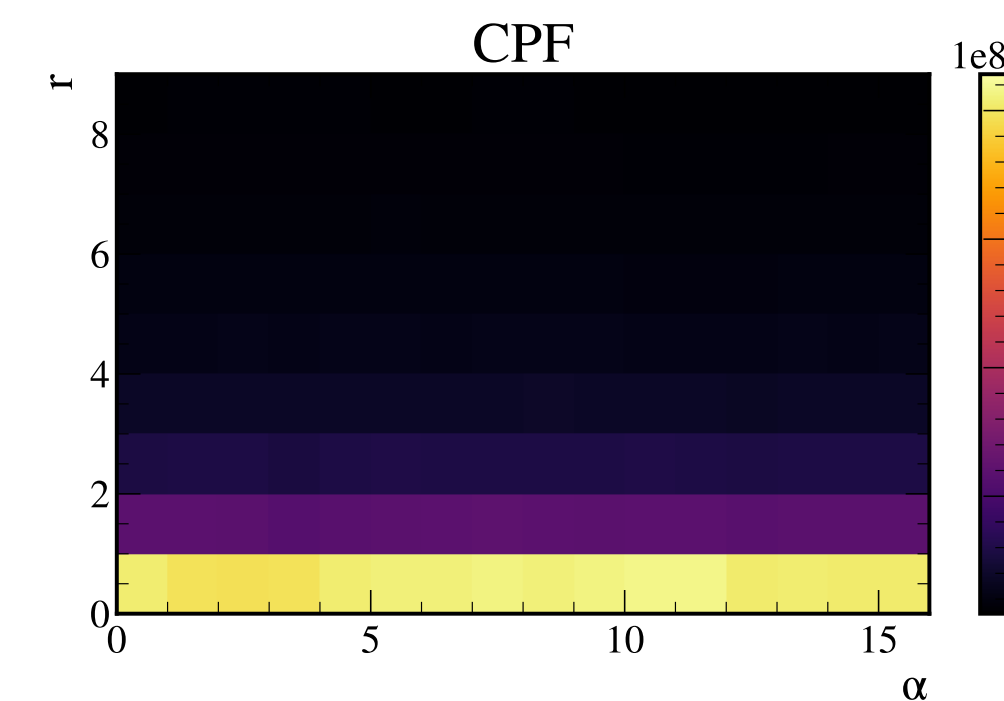
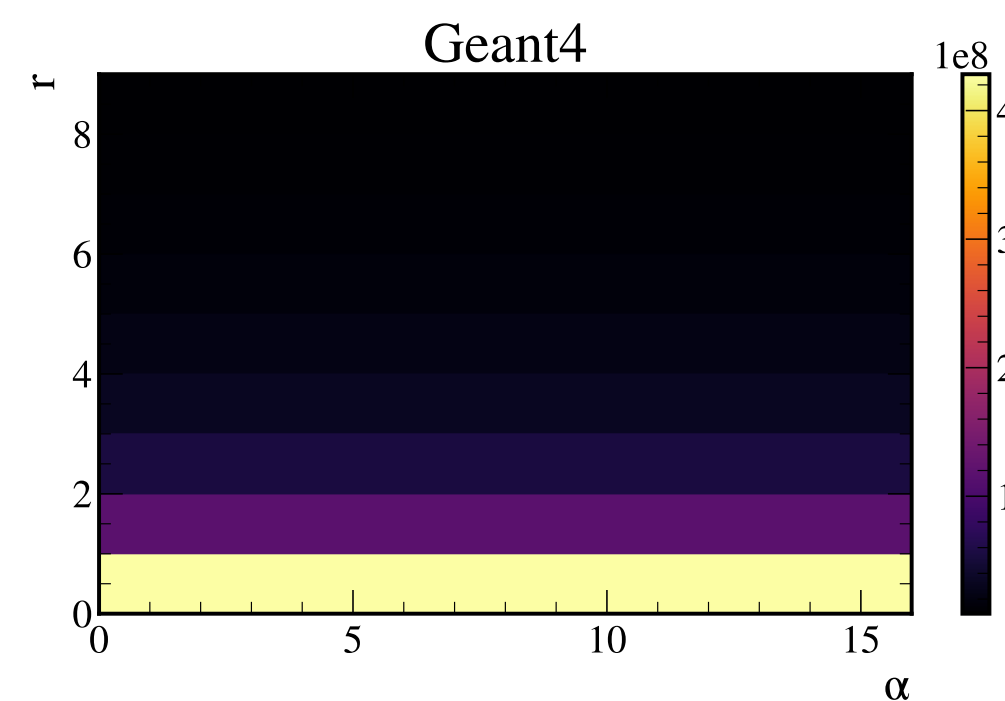
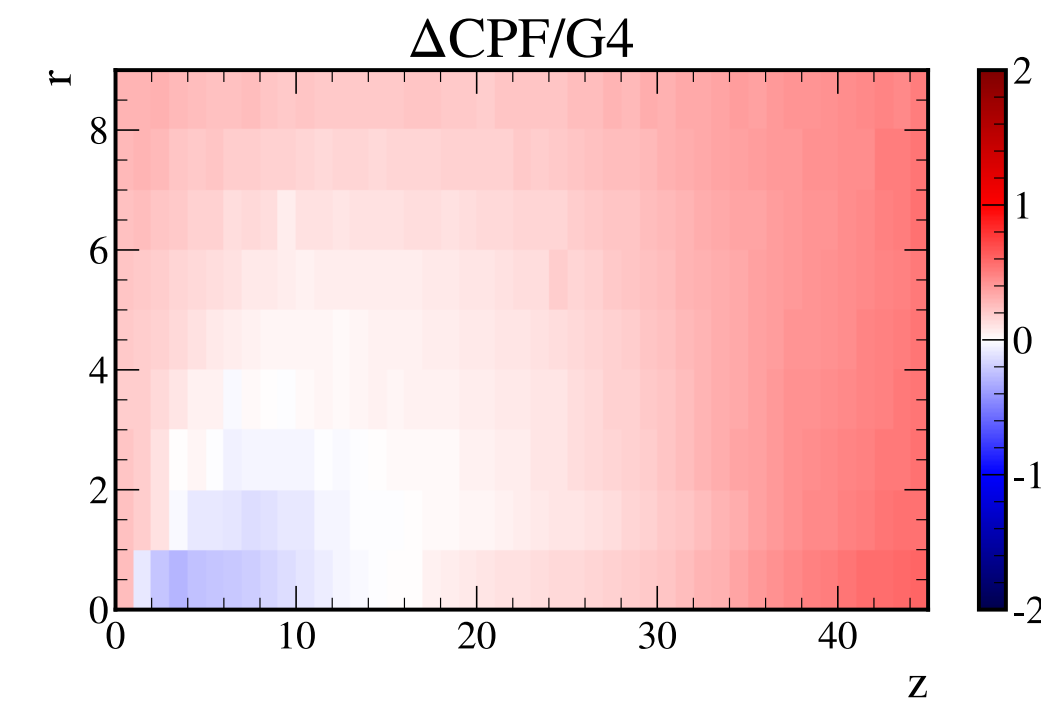
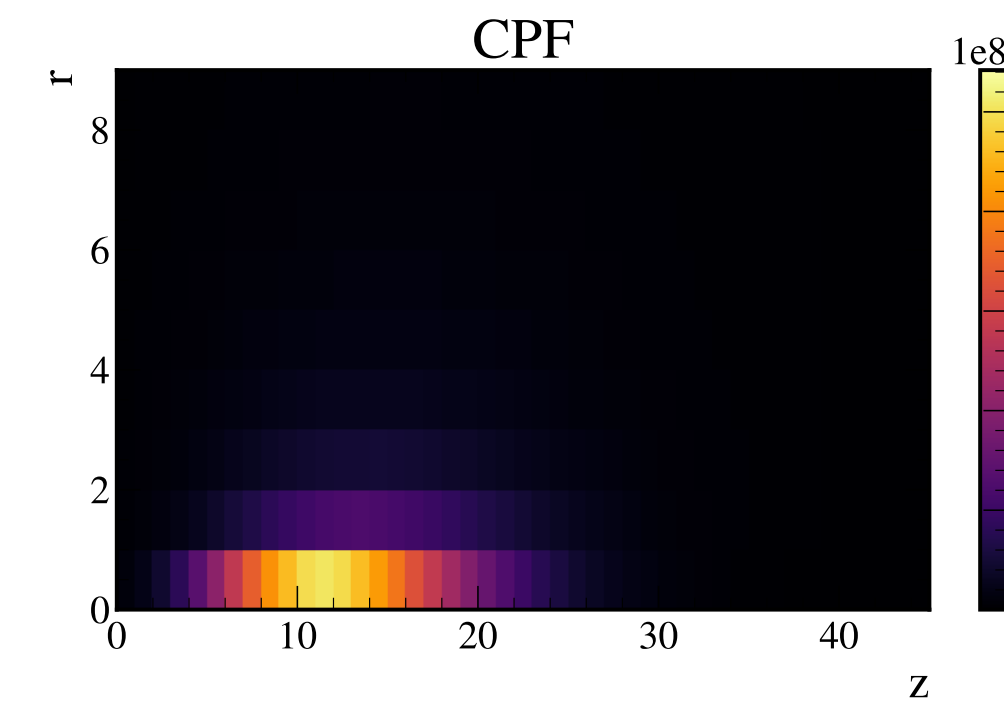
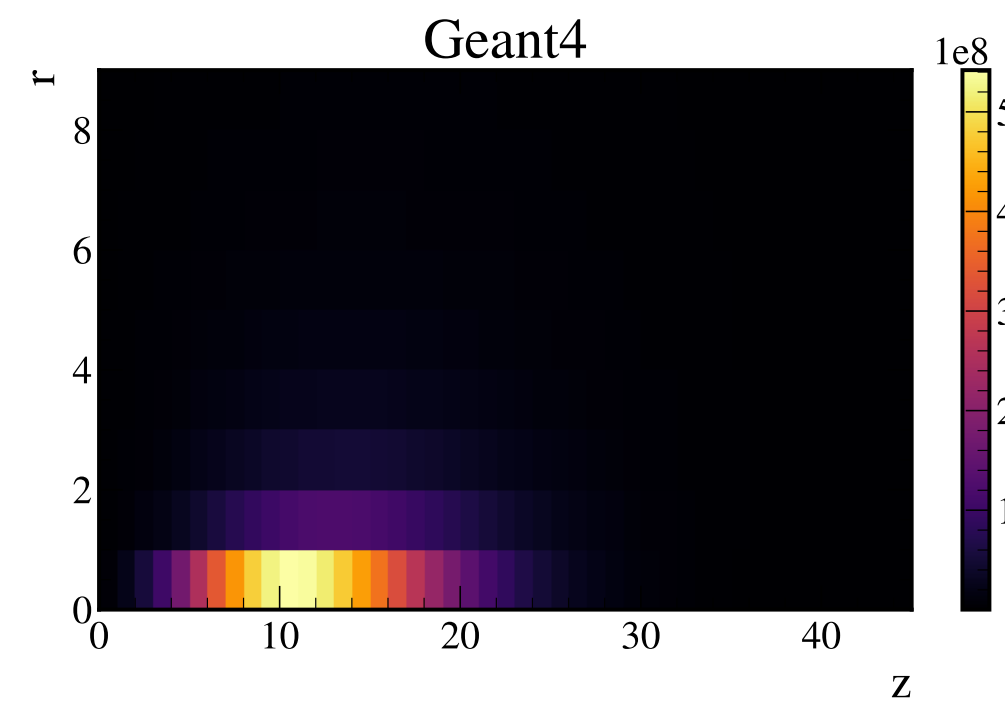
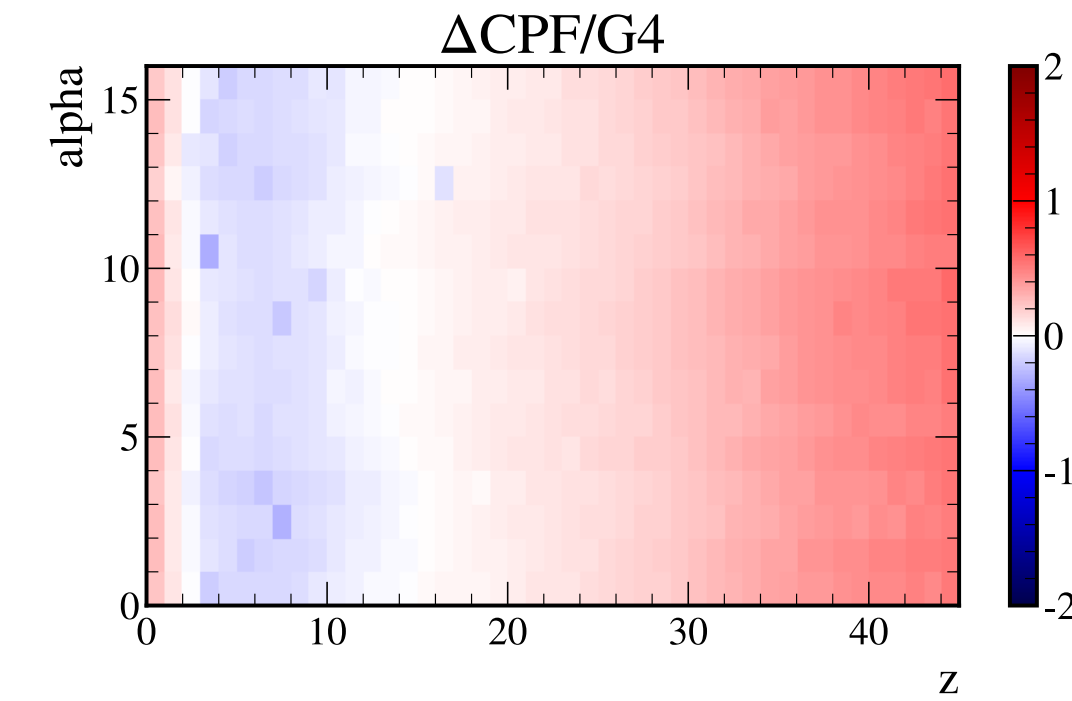
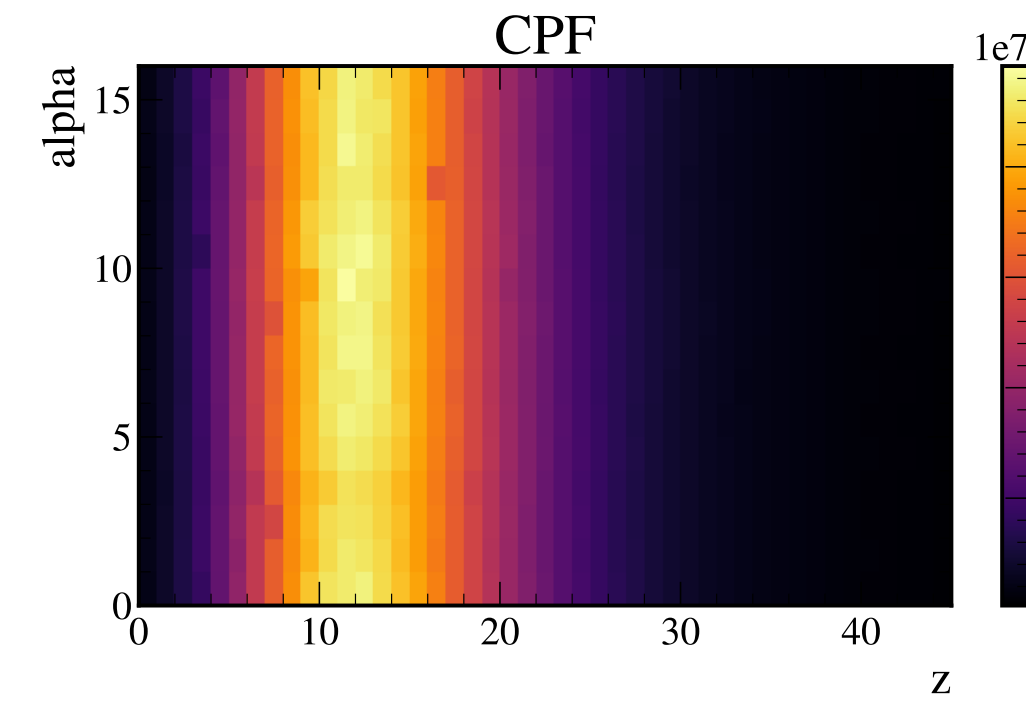
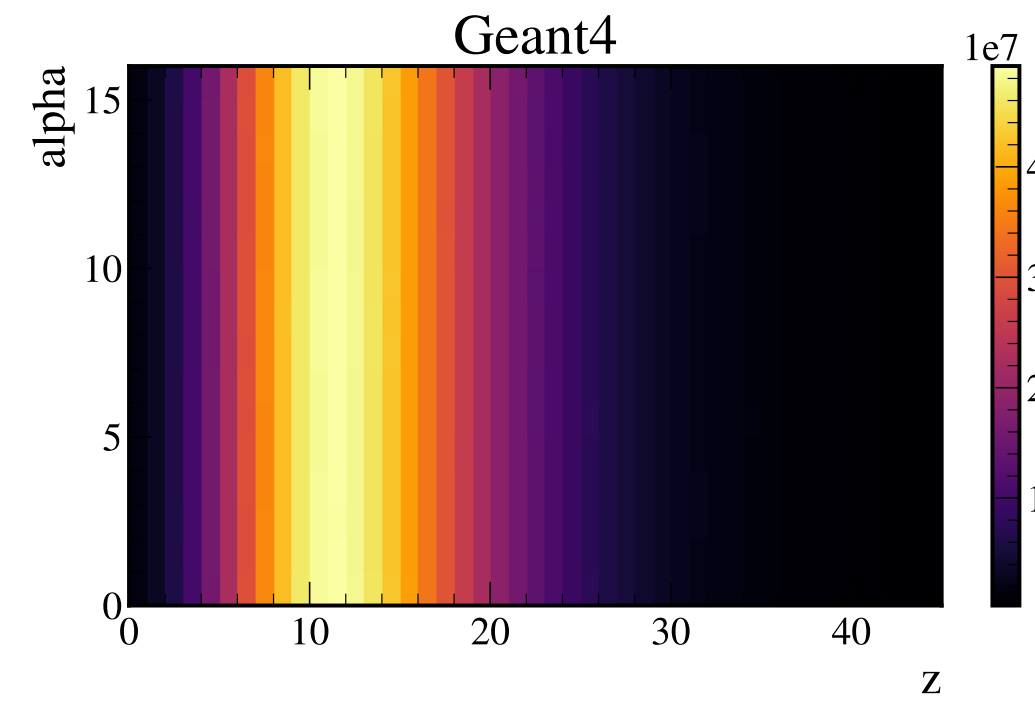
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- To high energy in tails



# Shower profiles in 2D

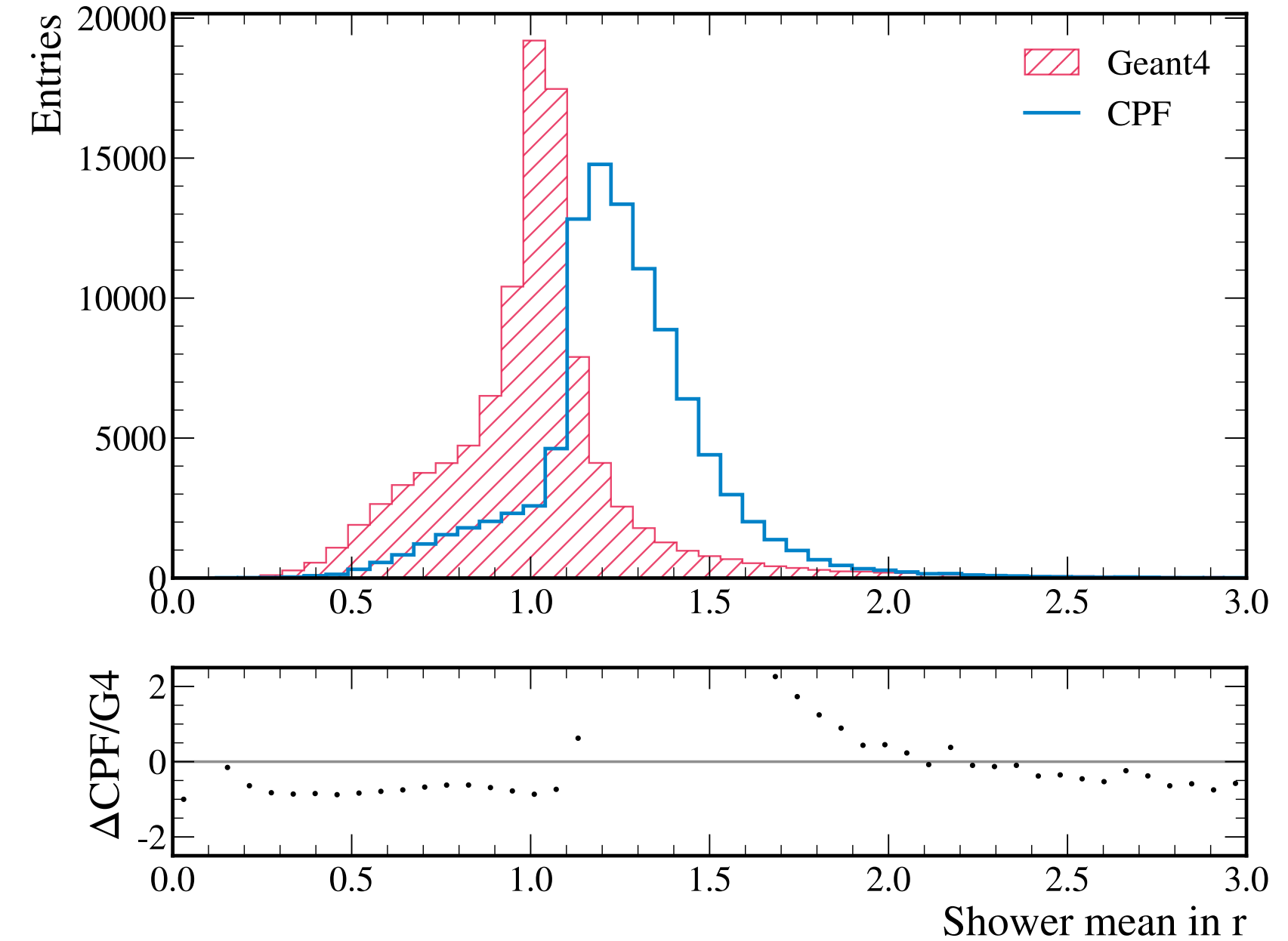
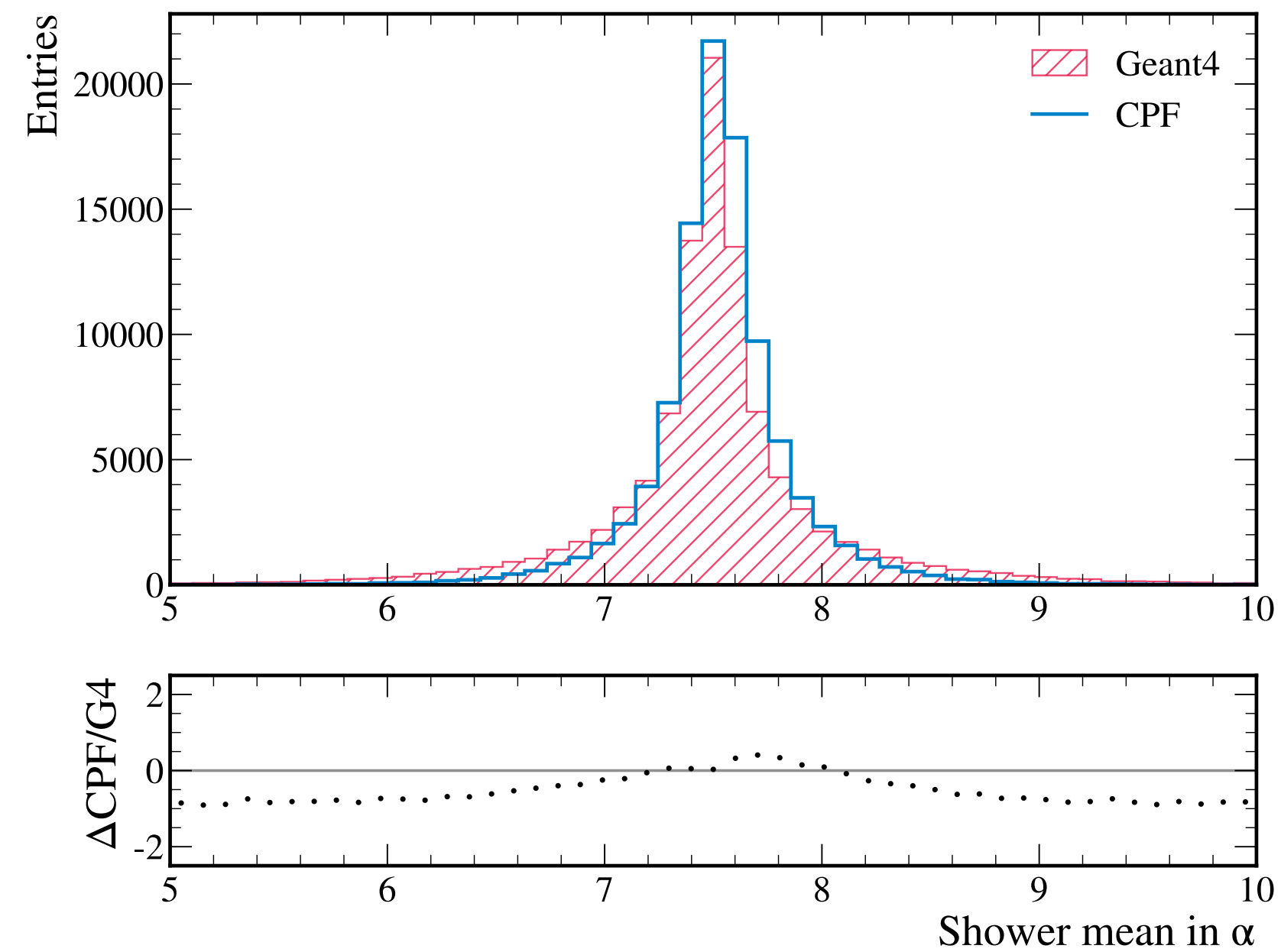
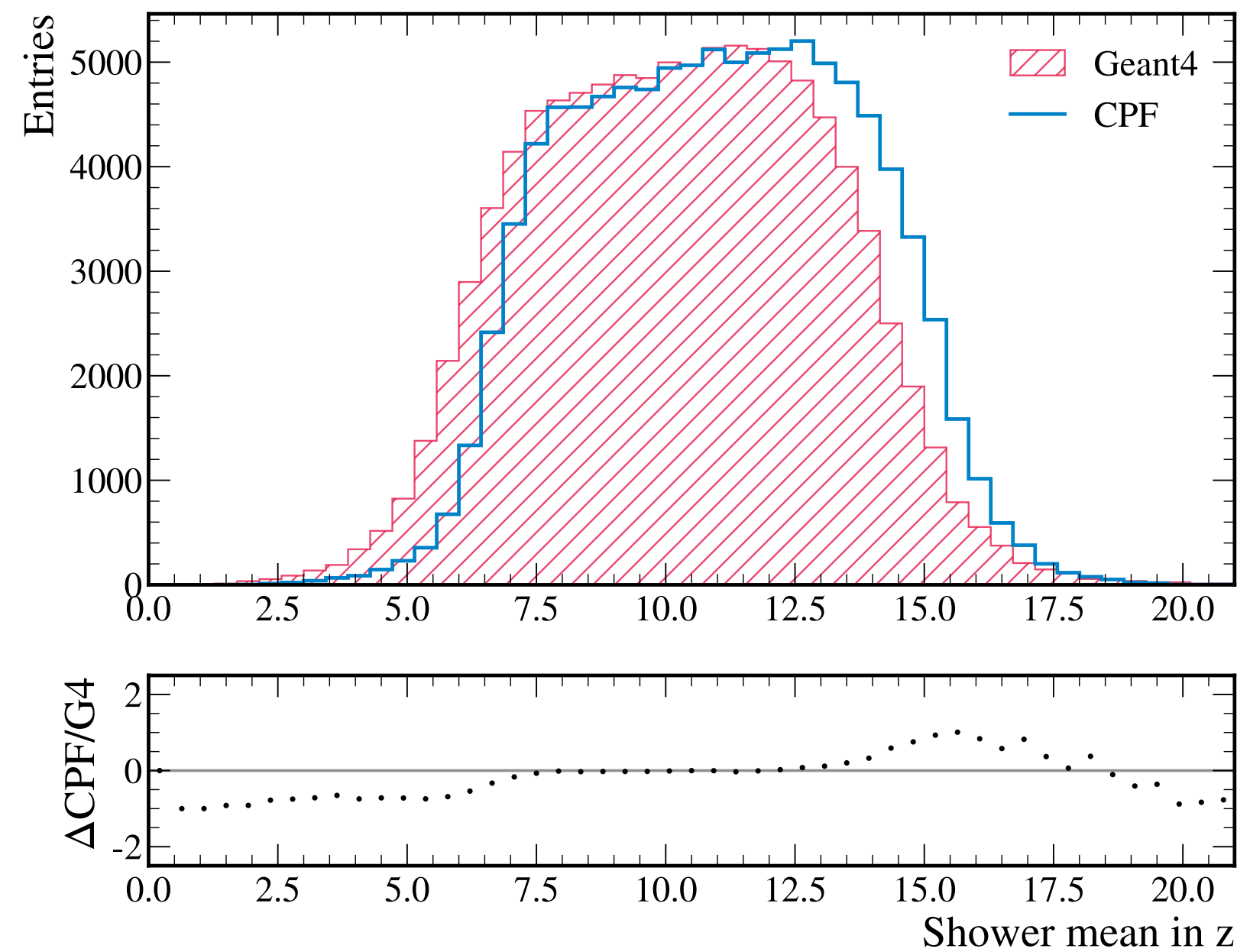
- No structural differences
- High density too low
- Low density too high





# Shower means

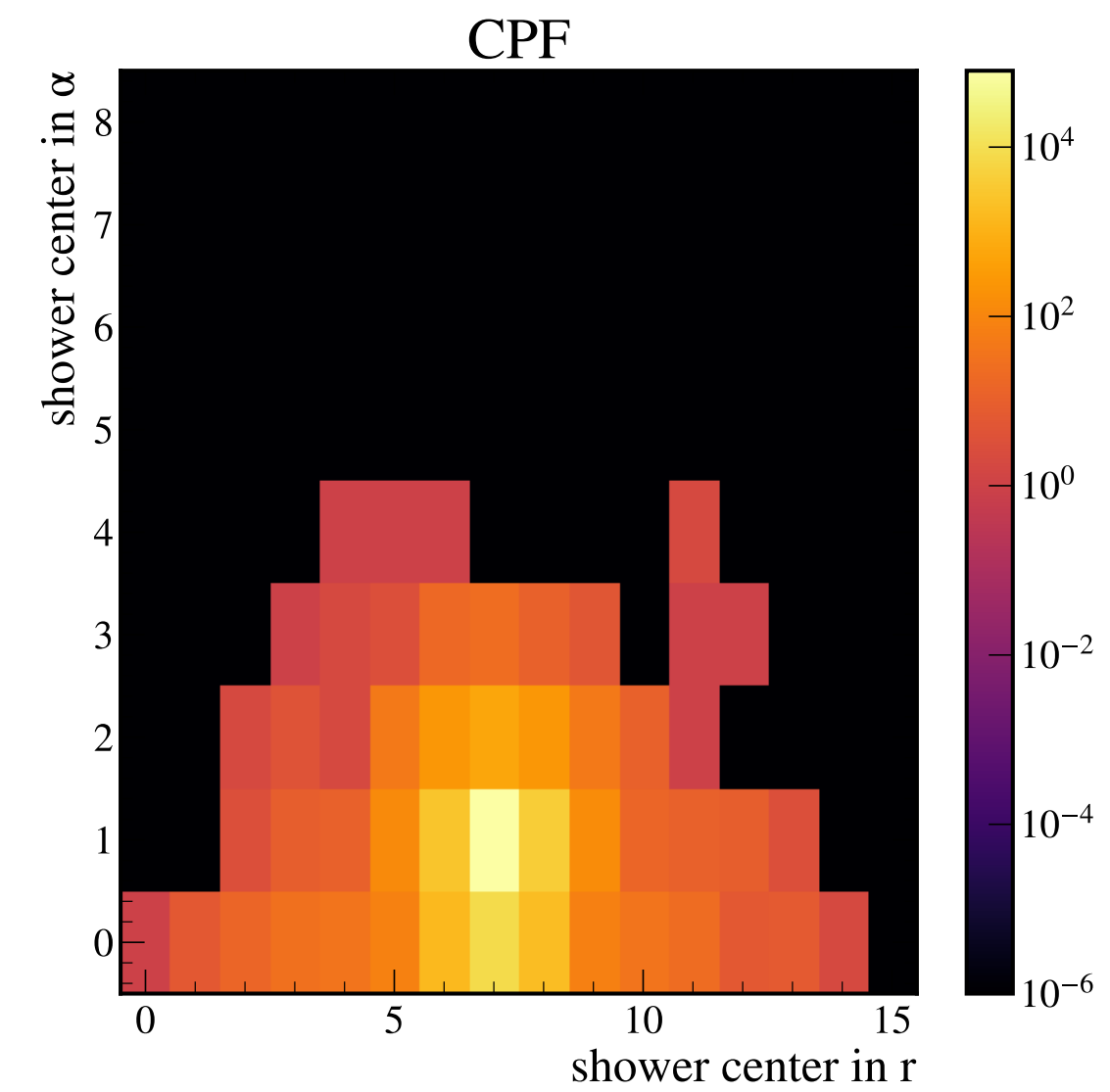
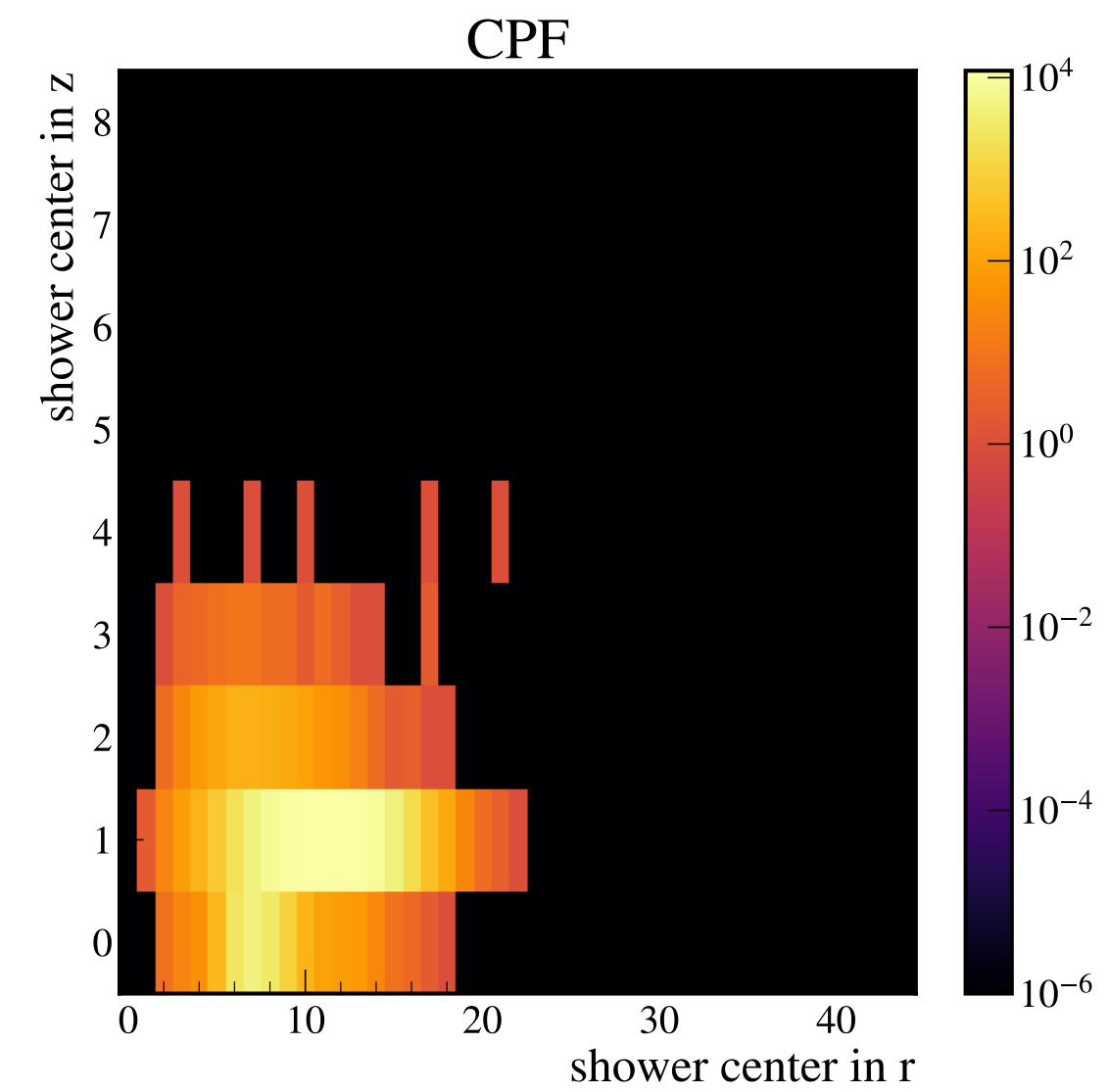
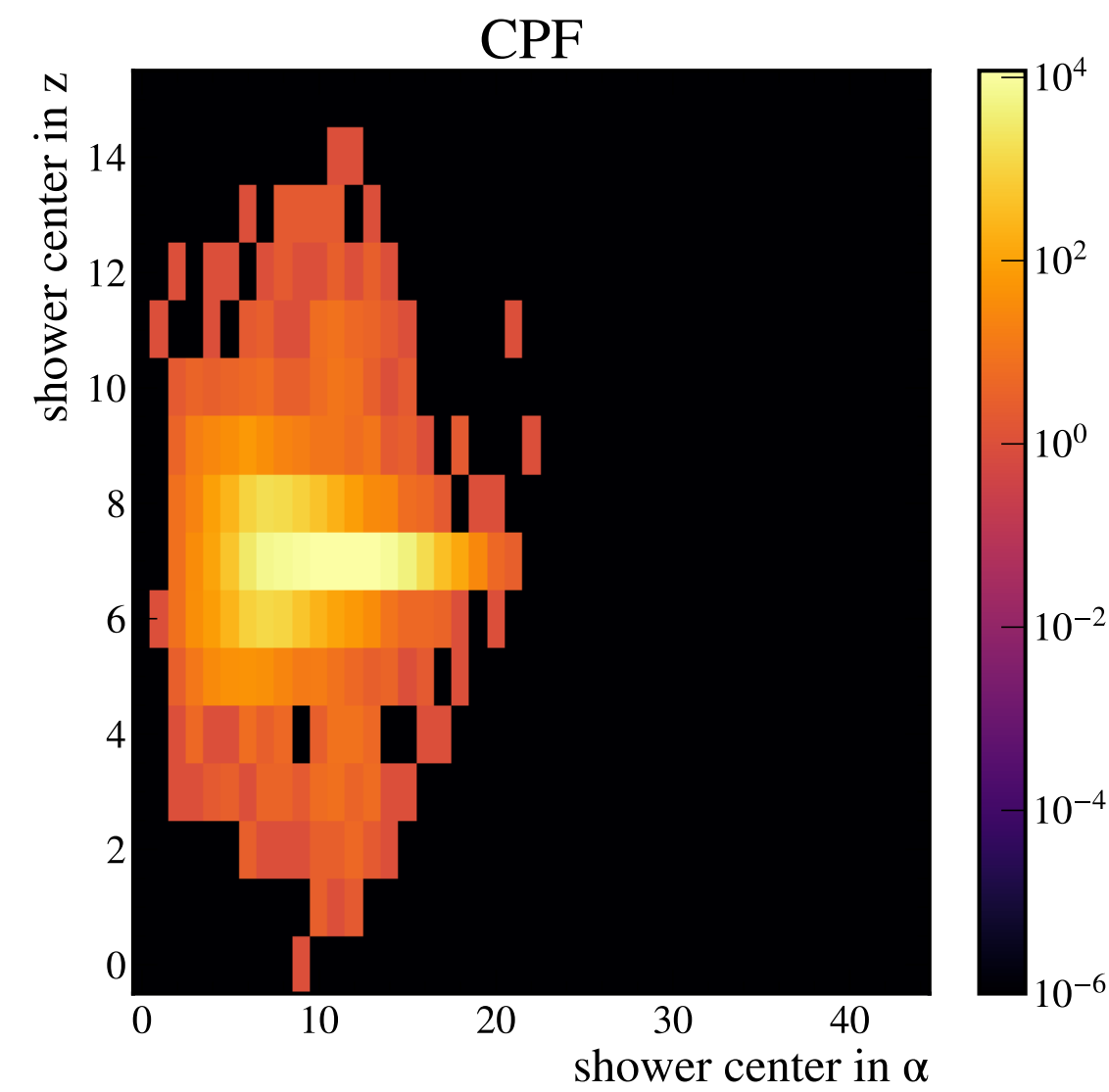
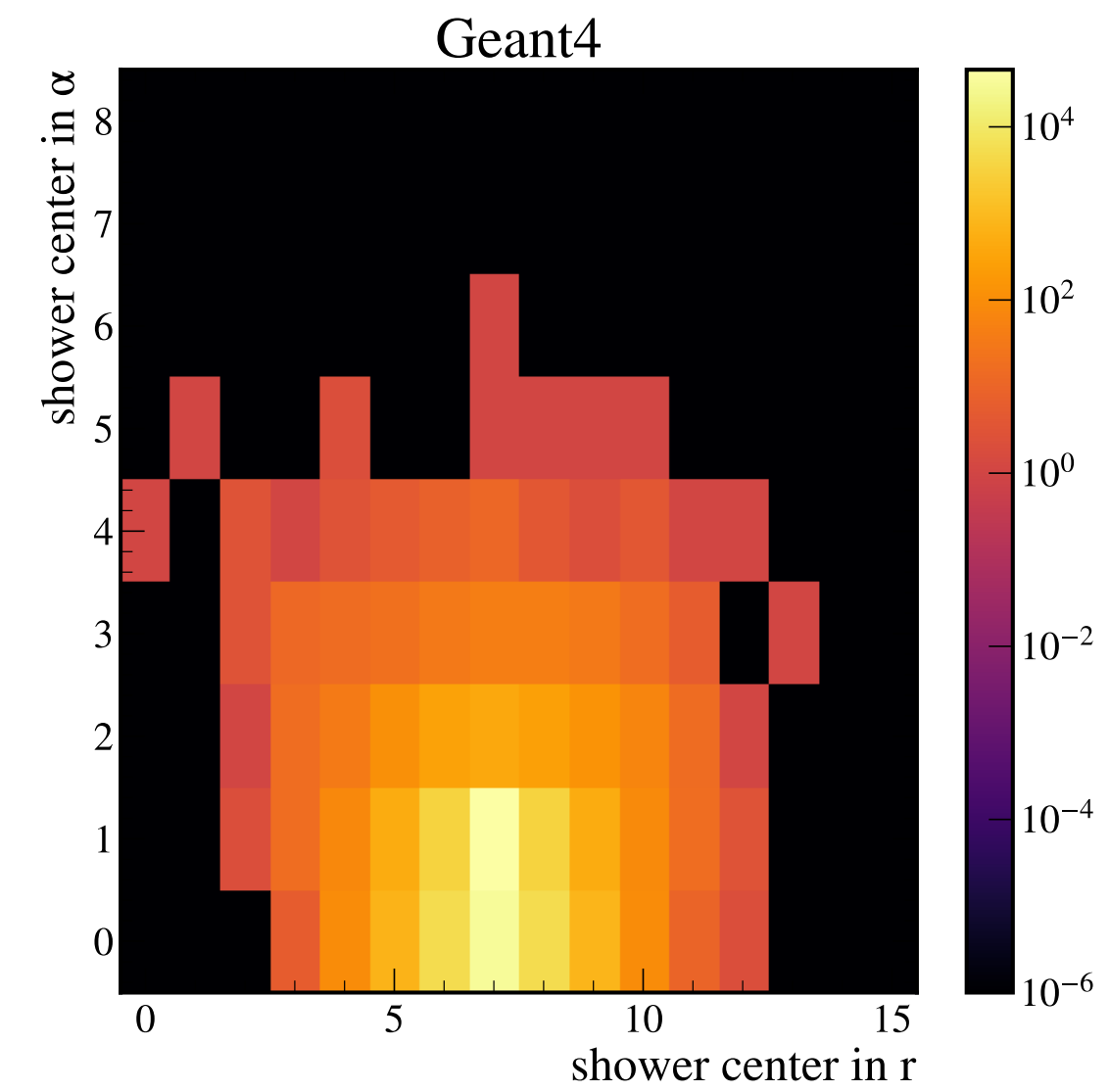
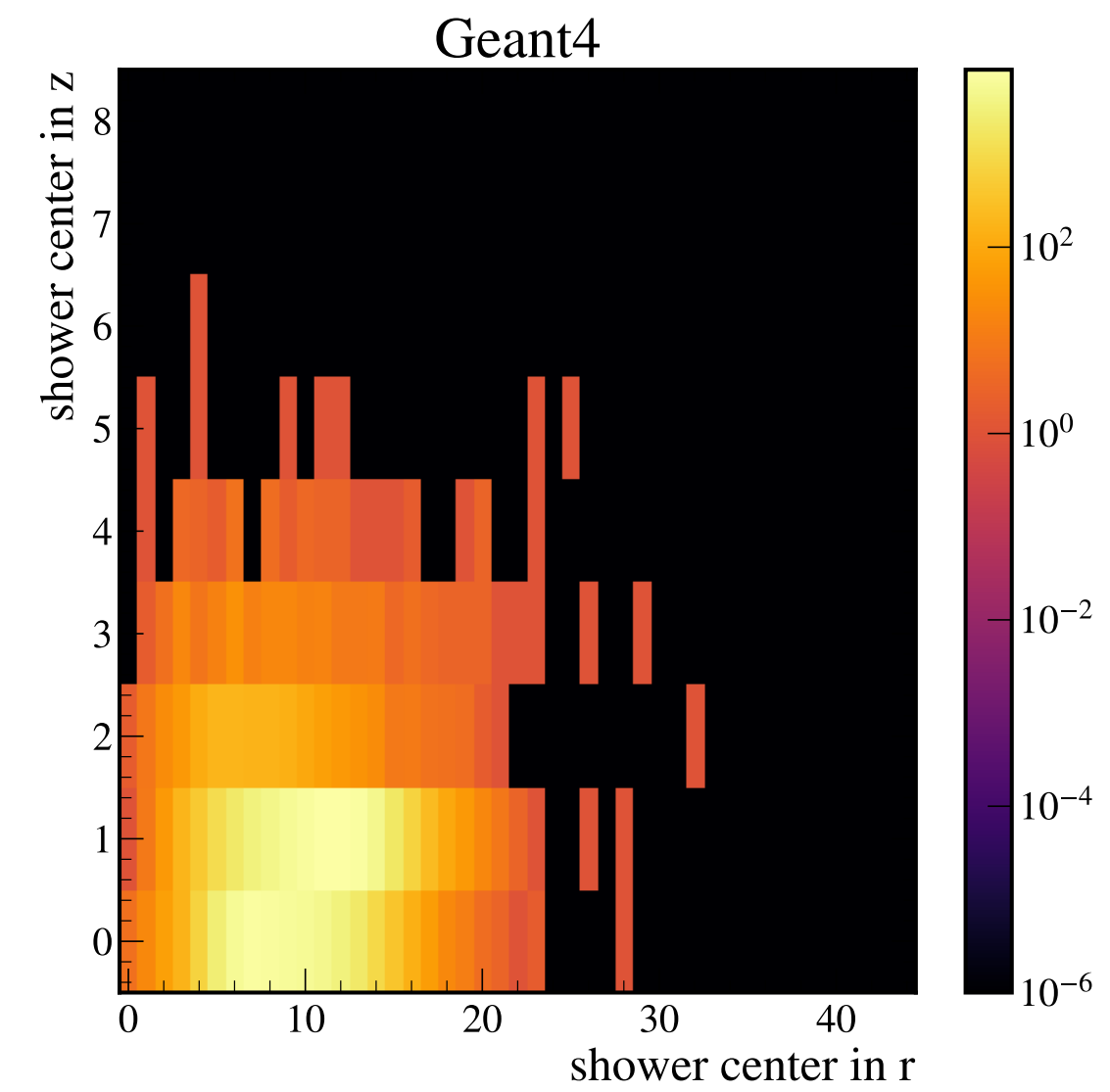
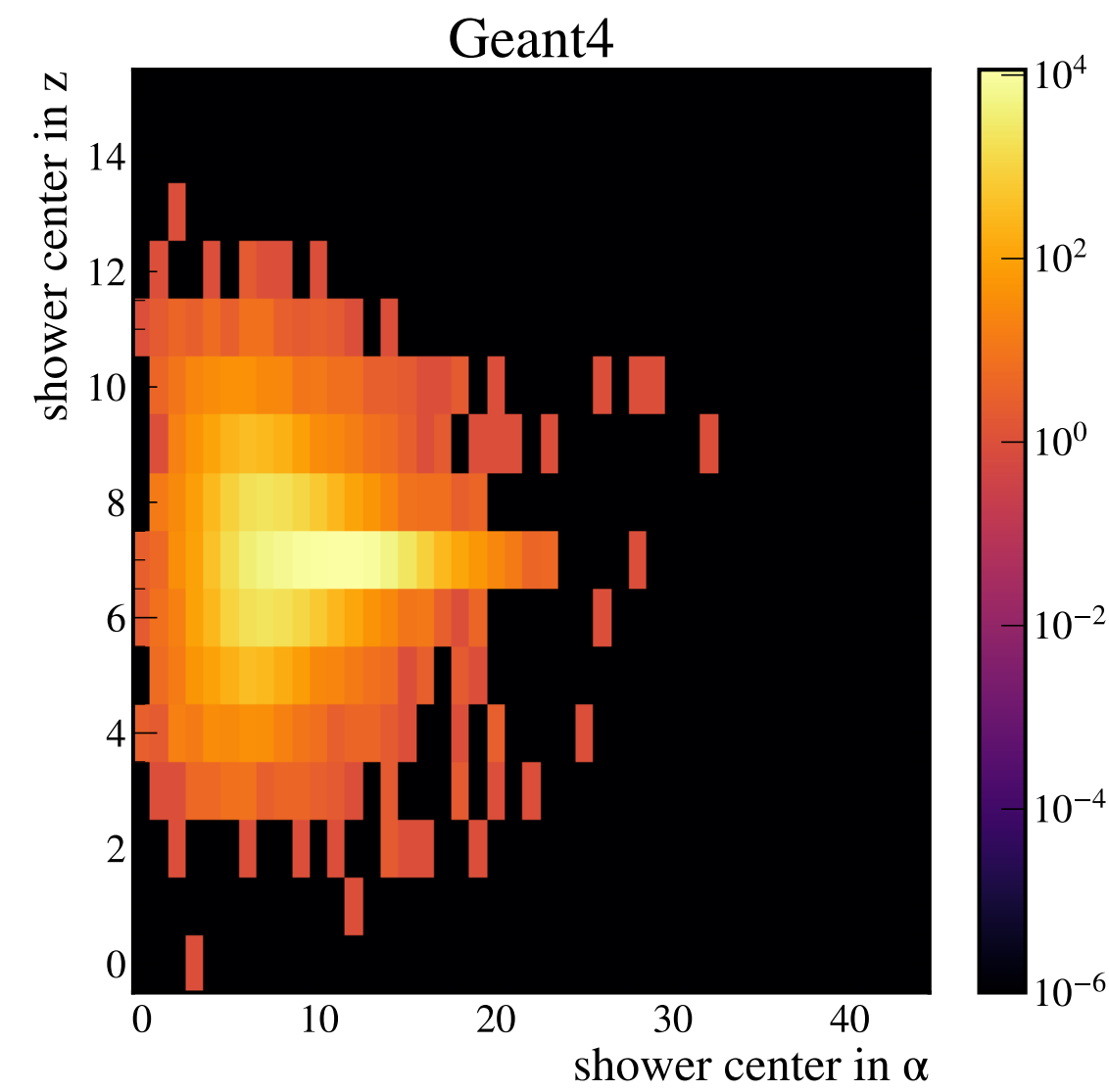
- Agreement with  $z$  and  $\alpha$  with small differences.
- Huge shift in  $r$ . Overall the showers have a too large radial distributions.





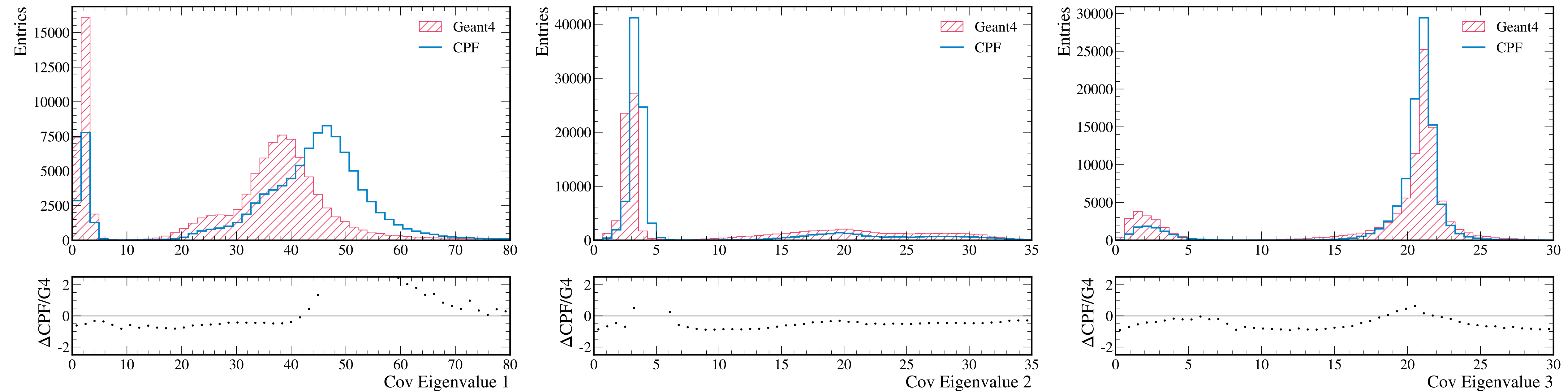
# Shower means in 2D

- Same features
- structural morphing



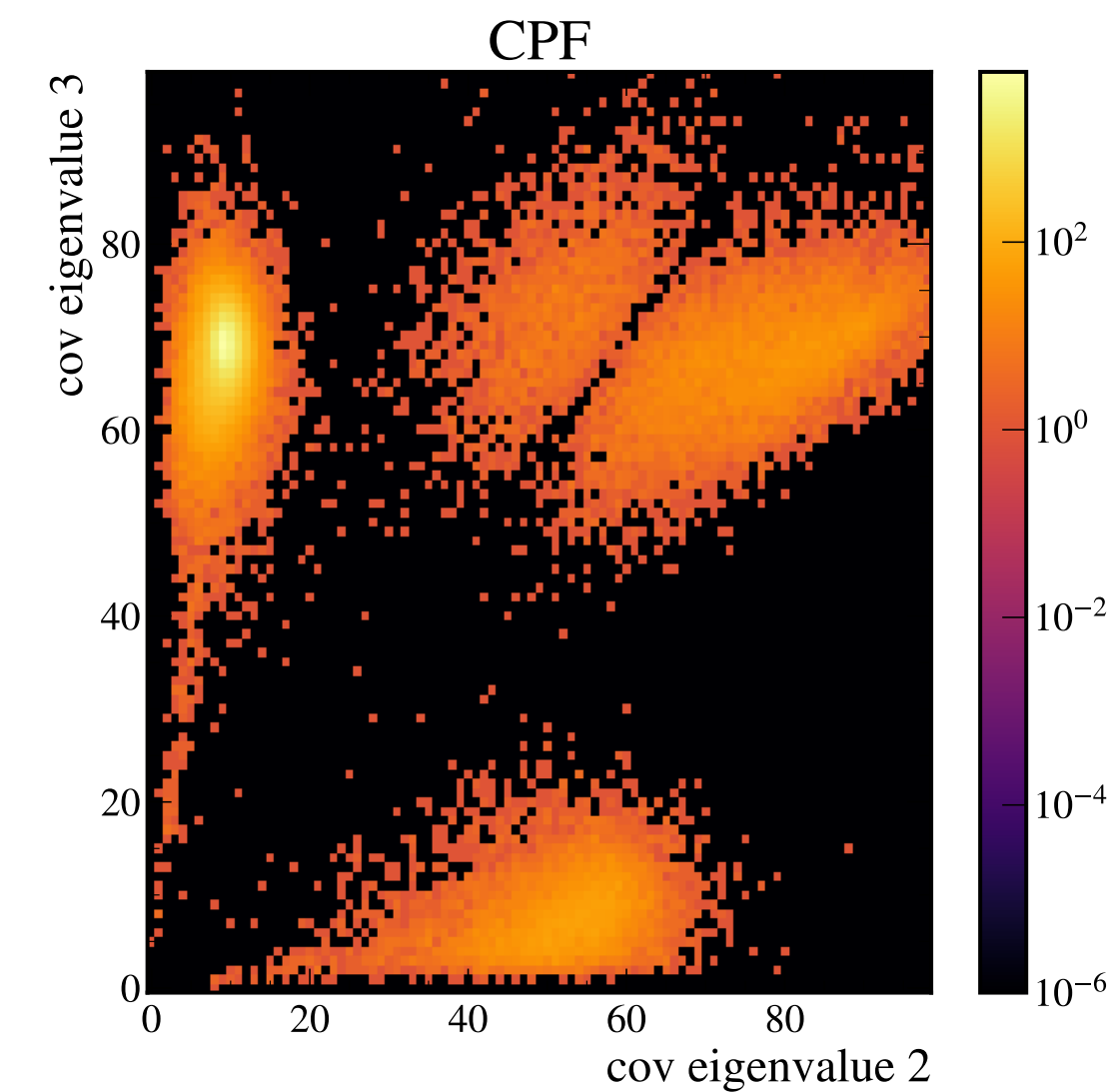
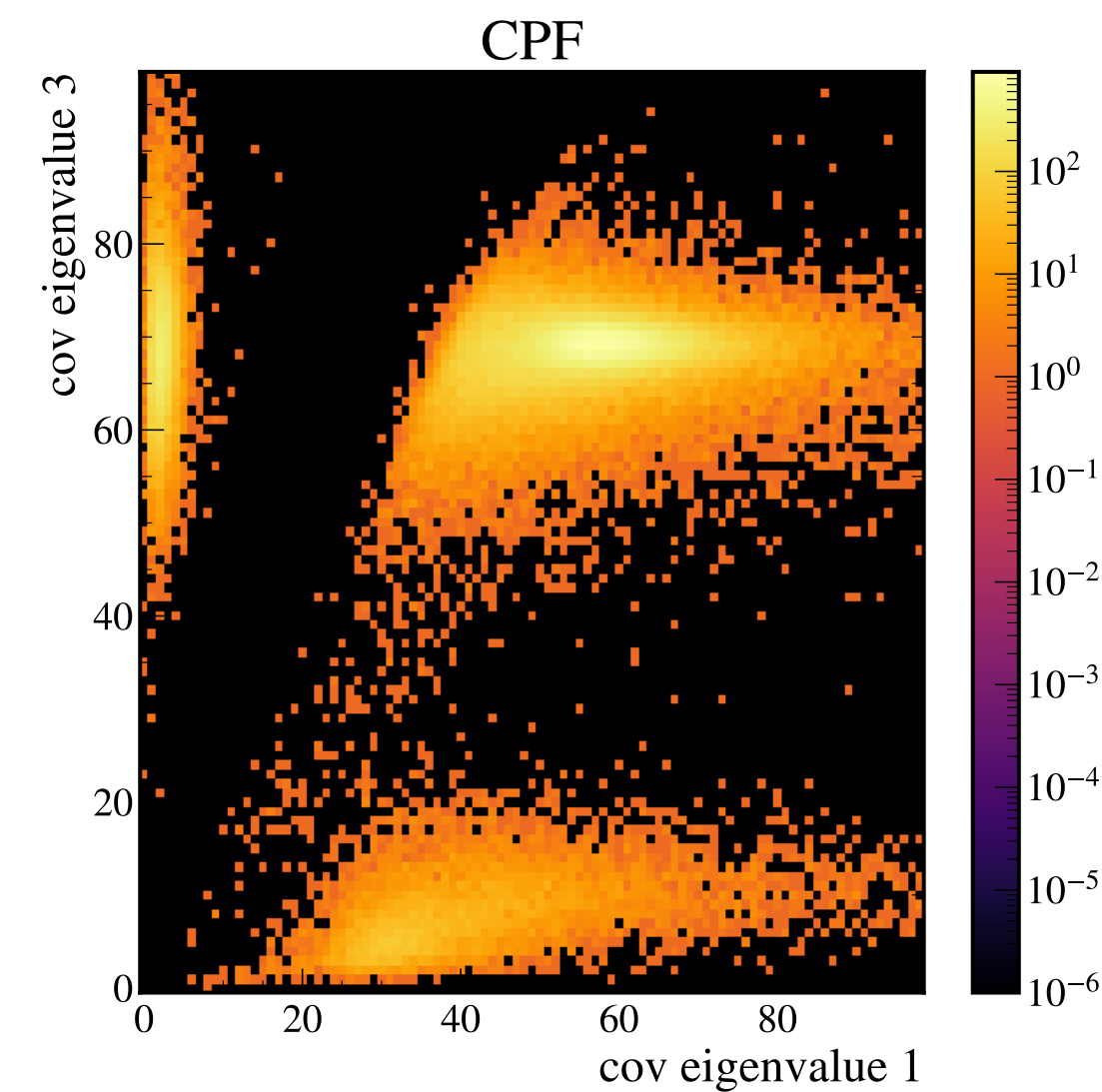
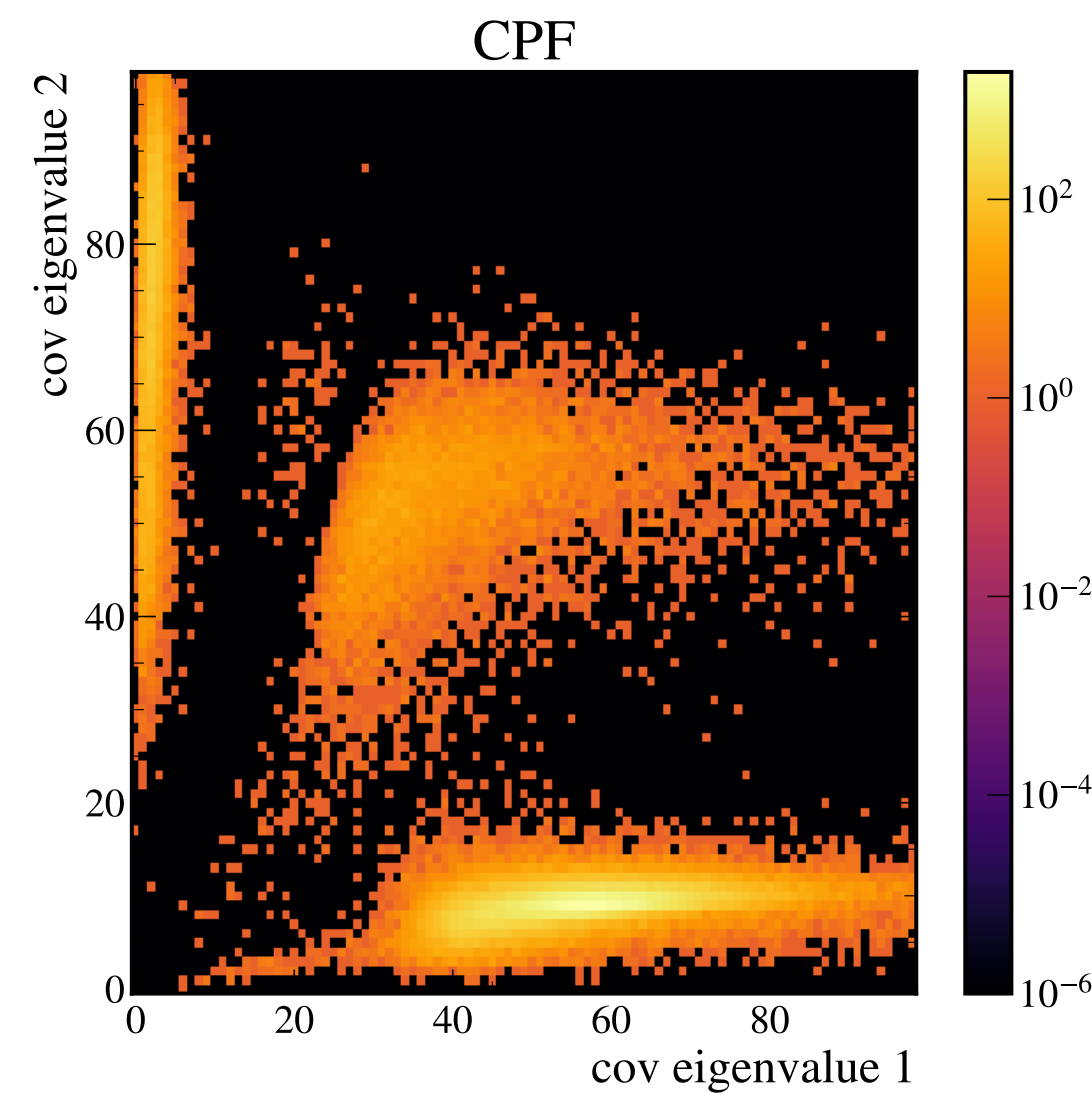
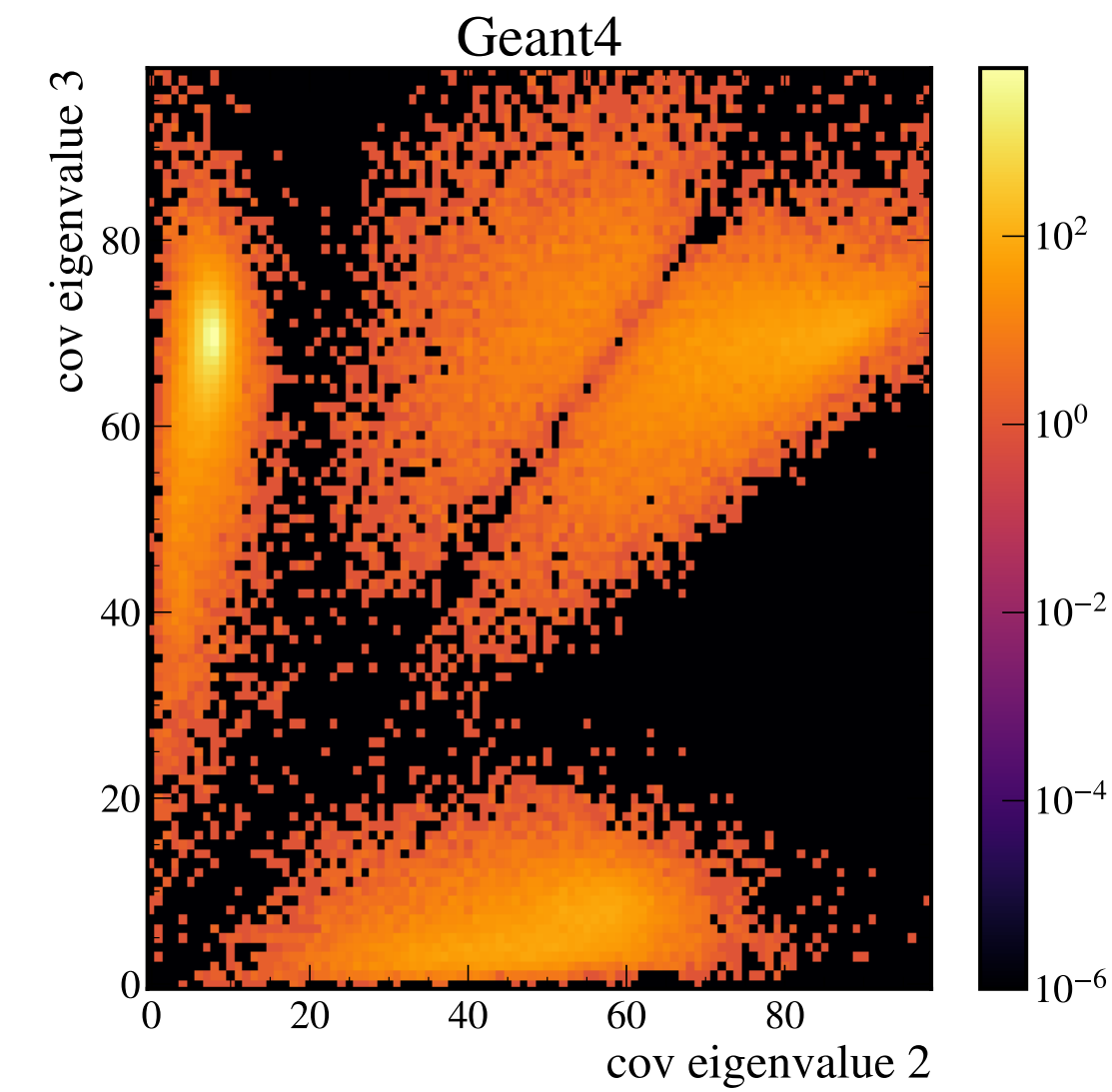
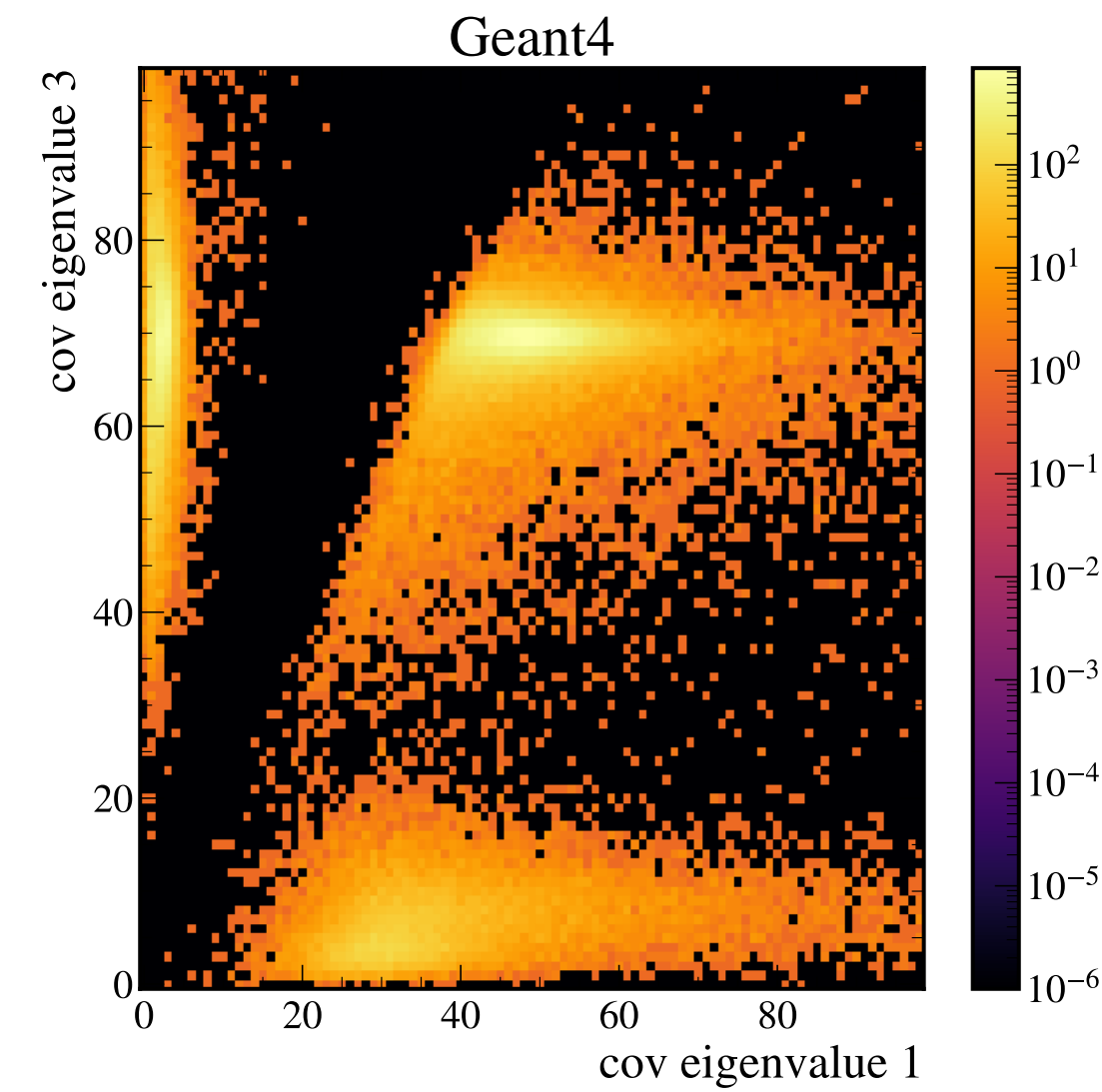
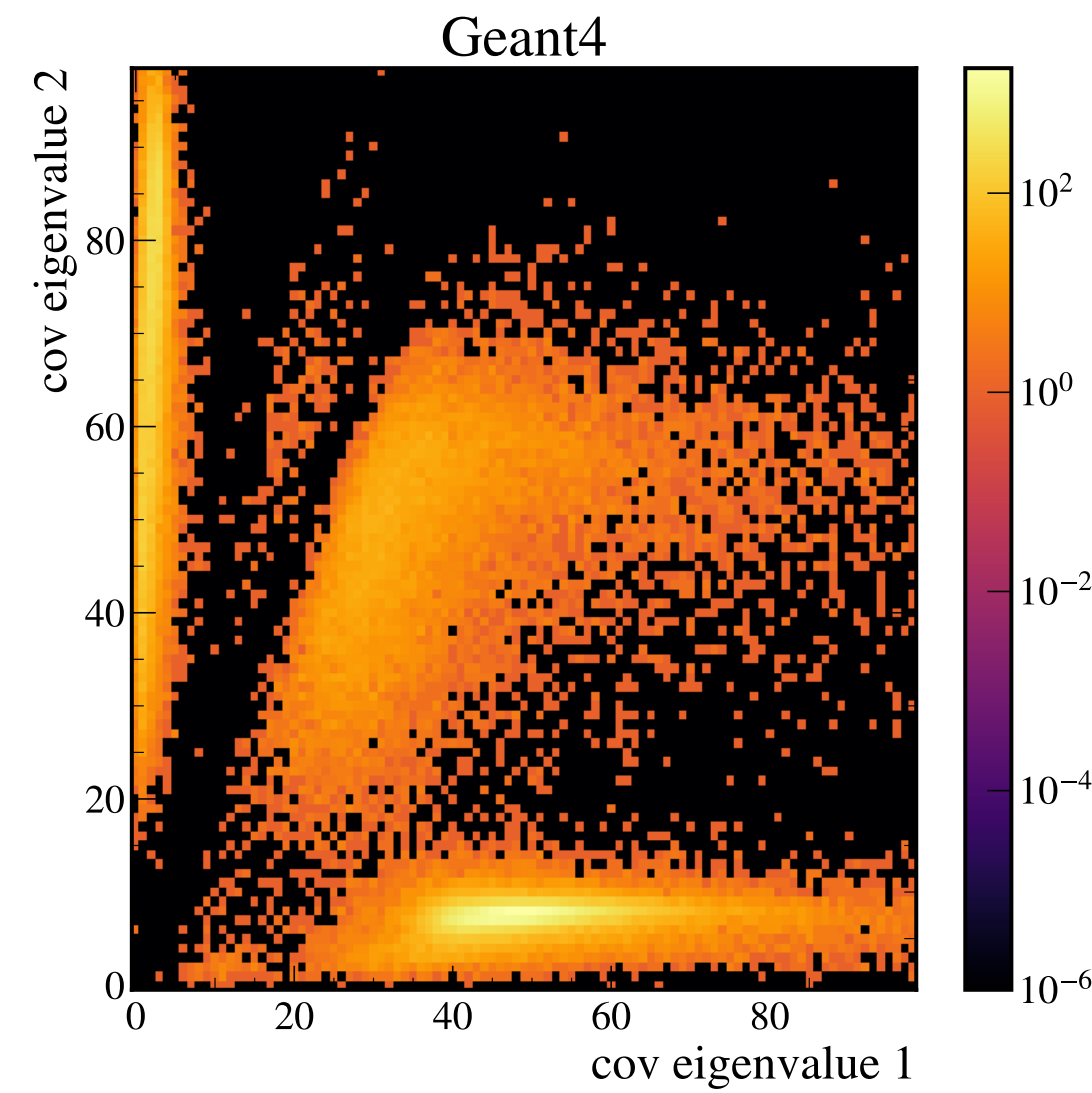
# Eigenvalues of covariance matrix

- Structural agreement between Geant and CPF
- Shifts and differences visible



# Eigenvalues of covariance matrix 2D

- Same sub-distributions visible
- Structural morphing visible
- Good proxy look of the differences between CPF and G4 shower



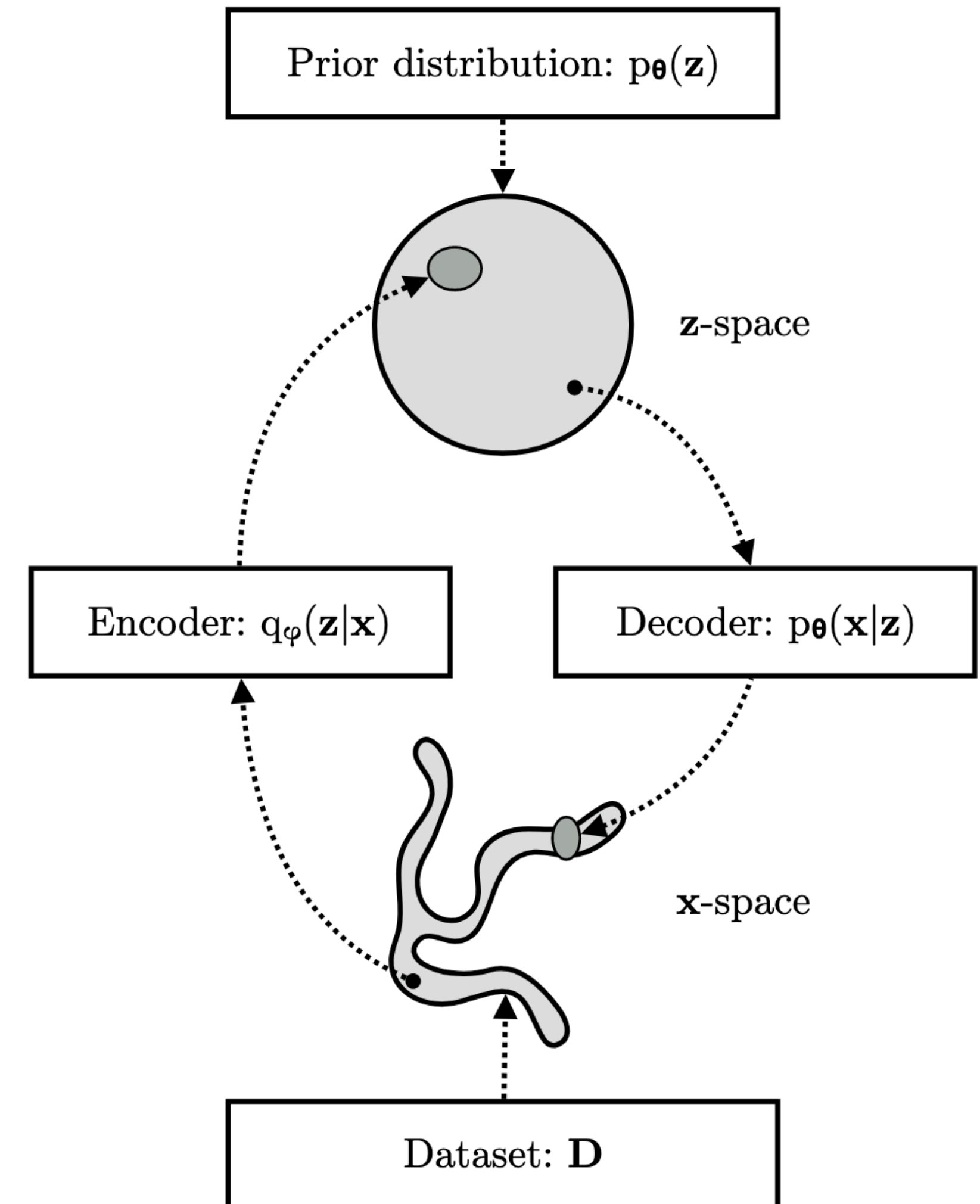
# VAE

## Variational Autoencoders

$$\text{ELBO } \mathcal{L} = \mathbb{E}_{q_{\phi}(z|x)}[\ln p_{\theta}(x|z)] - D_{KL}(q_{\phi}(z|x) || p_{\theta}(z))$$

- If we assume that the data is gaussian distributed the first term is the MSE and the last term is a regularisation that keeps the latent gaussian
- The Encoder predicts  $(\mu, \sigma)$
- To a differentiable point is sampled by  $z = \mu + \epsilon \odot \sigma$ .

here  $\epsilon \sim N(0,1)$  (reparametrization trick)



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# Encoding

## VAE with an NF Prior

$$\text{ELBO } \mathcal{L} = \mathbb{E}_{q_\phi(z|X)}[\ln p_\theta(X|z)] - D_{KL}(q_\phi(z|X) || p_\theta(z)) = \mathbb{E}_{q_\phi(z|X)}[\ln p_\theta(X|z) + \ln p_\theta(z) - \ln q_\phi(z|X)]$$

Bijjective transformation (NF)  $w = f(z)$  with  $w \sim \mathbf{N}(0,1)$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L} &= \mathbb{E}_{q_\phi(z|X)} \left[ \ln p_\theta(X|z) + \ln p_\theta(z) - \ln q_\phi(z|X) \right] \\ &= \mathbb{E}_{q_\phi(z|X)} \left[ \ln p_\theta(X|z) + \log p_\theta(f(z)) + \log \left| \det \frac{df(z)}{dz} \right| - \ln q_\phi(z|X) \right] \\ &= \mathbb{E}_{q_\phi(z|X)} \left[ \ln p_\theta(X|z) \right] + \mathbb{E}_{q_\phi(z|X)} \left[ \log p_\theta(f(z)) + \log \left| \det \frac{df(z)}{dz} \right| \right] - \mathcal{H}(q_\phi(z|X)) \end{aligned}$$

# Decoding

## Using a second Normalizing Flow

$$\ln p_{\theta}(X|z) = \ln \prod_{x_i \in X} p_{\theta}(x_i|z) = \sum_{x_i \in X} \ln p_{\theta}(x_i|z)$$

(NF)  $y_i = g(x_i, z)$  with  $y_i \sim \mathbf{N}(0,1)$

$$\begin{aligned} \ln p_{\theta}(X|z) &= \sum_{x_i \in X} \ln p_{\theta}(x_i|z) \\ &= \sum_{x_i \in X} \ln p_{\theta}(g(x_i, z)) + \log \left| \det \frac{\partial g(x_i, z)}{\partial x} \right| \end{aligned}$$

# The Algorithm

## How to tame the beast

**for**  $t = 1, 2, \dots, T$  **do**

$\mu, \sigma \leftarrow q_\varphi(X_t)$  where  $d$  is the dimension of  $\mu$

and  $X_t$  is a point cloud sample

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{entr}} = \frac{d}{2}(1 + \ln(2\pi)) + \sum_{i=1}^d \ln \sigma_i$$

$$z = \epsilon \odot \sigma + \mu \quad (\text{Reparametrization})$$

$$w \leftarrow f(z)$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{prior}} = \text{N}(w; 0, I) + \ln \left| \det \frac{df(z)}{dz} \right|$$

$$L \leftarrow 0$$

**for**  $x_i \in X_t$  **do**

$$y_i \leftarrow g(x_i, z)$$

$$L_i \leftarrow \log \text{N}(y_i; 0, I) + \log \left| \det \frac{\partial g(x_i, z)}{\partial x} \right|$$

$$L \leftarrow L + L_i$$

**end for**

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{recon}} = \frac{L}{n_{X_t}}$$

$$\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}_{\text{recon}} + \mathcal{L}_{\text{prior}} + \mathcal{L}_{\text{entr}}$$

$$\text{Adam}(-\mathcal{L})$$

**end for**