



Vertex Track Performance Studies

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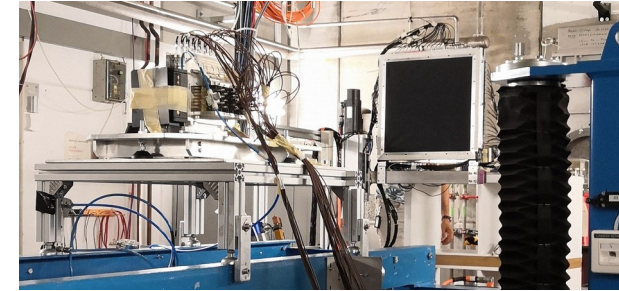
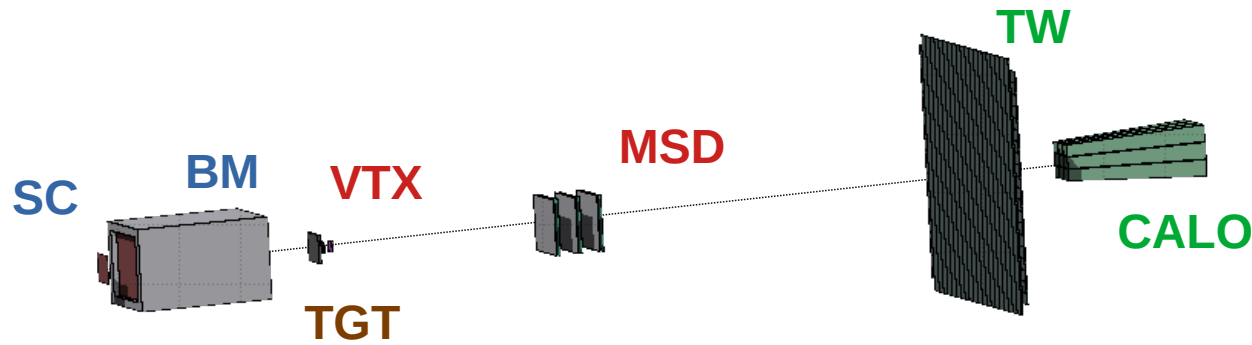
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Cluster Reconstruction

- cluster position and its resolution
- fit of clusters in the different planes and its resolution
- residuals
- pulls
- Chi2 plots
- Studies on MC and first results on GSI2021 data

GSI 2021 Analysis

- Data-taking at GSI (Darmstadt, Germany) in 2021
- ^{16}O 400 MeV/u on 5 mm C target
- Partial setup: no magnet, only one module of calorimeter

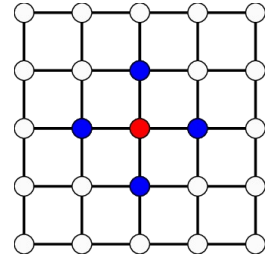


MC used Dataset:

- /gpfs_data/local/foot/Simulation/GSI2021_MC/16O_C_400_2_shoereg.root
- /gpfs_data/local/foot/Simulation/GSI2021_MC/16O_C_400_3_shoereg.root

Clusterization

- first neighbour search
- Two pixels are called first neighbours if they are contiguous in line or column
- search in an iterative way



- position of the cluster computing Center of Gravity
- sum in every pixel

$$x = \frac{\sum f_n x_n}{\sum f_n} \quad y = \frac{\sum f_n y_n}{\sum f_n}$$

where f_n is the PulseHeight which is always 1

$$\sigma_x = \sqrt{\frac{\sum f_n (x_n - x)^2}{\sum f_n}} \quad \sigma_y = \sqrt{\frac{\sum f_n (y_n - y)^2}{\sum f_n}}$$

“Performance of the reconstruction algorithms of the FIRST experiment pixel sensors vertex detector”

<http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.nima.2014.08.024>

Track reconstruction

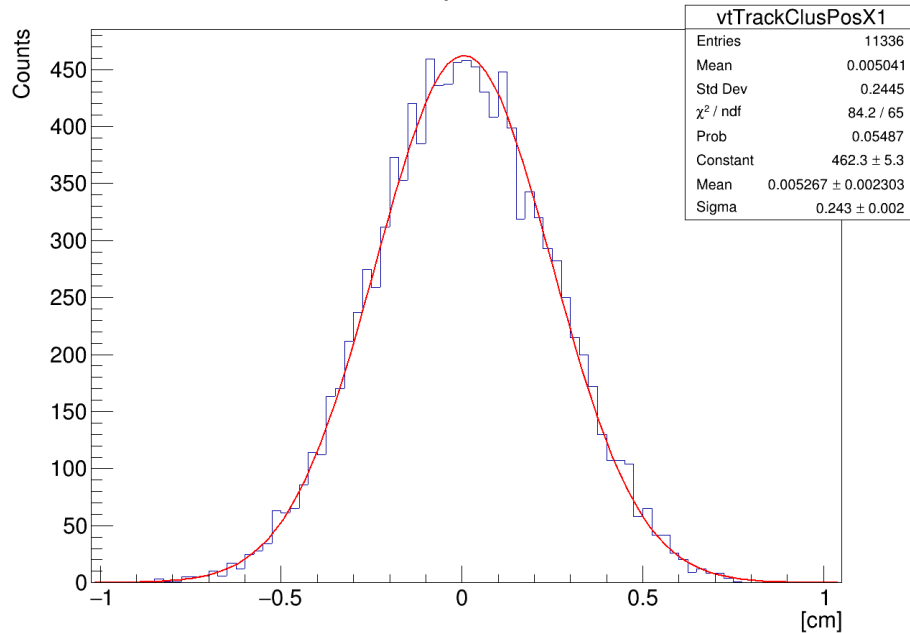
- cluster positions on each sensor
- searching for all possible combinations between the clusters of the last plane and the previous plane
- 2) the micro-track is extrapolated to previous layers
- 3) a good cluster candidate is added to the micro-track
- repeat 2) and 3)
- At the end of the process, a final **linear fit** is done for the position of the track, composed of a fit in (x,z) and a fit in (y,z)
- I added the following function to study the performance of the fit in branch Ubaldi_studies
TAGbaseTrack:: GetCovMatrix, GetChi2, GetPvalue

Position of the cluster

- Let's start from the measurement of the position. As example, x coordinate of clusters for the sensor 1

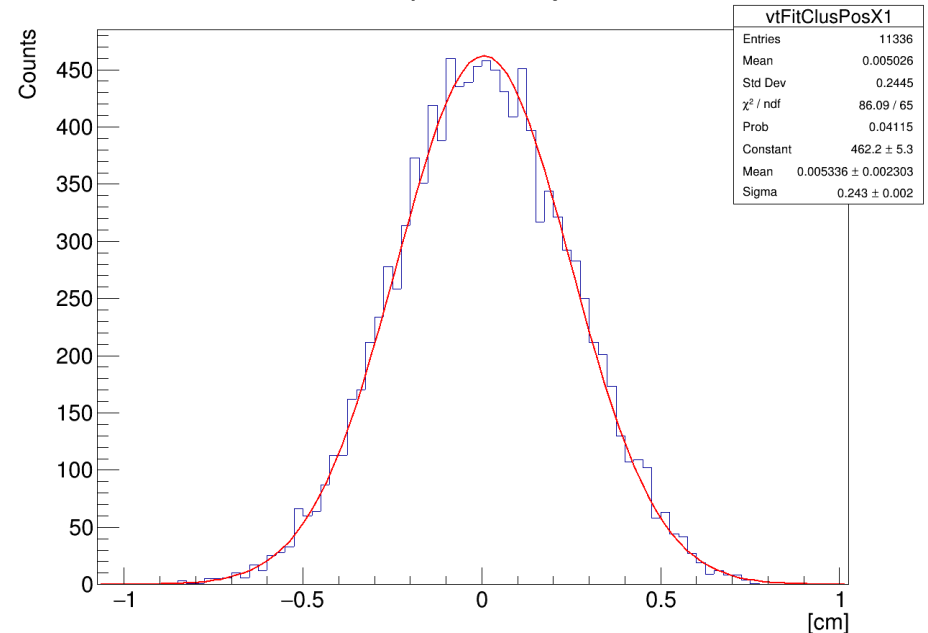
From measurement:
$$x = \frac{\sum f_n x_n}{\sum f_n}$$

Vertex - Clus X position in sensor 1



From fit:
$$x = mz + q$$

Vertex - Clus X position by fit in sensor 1



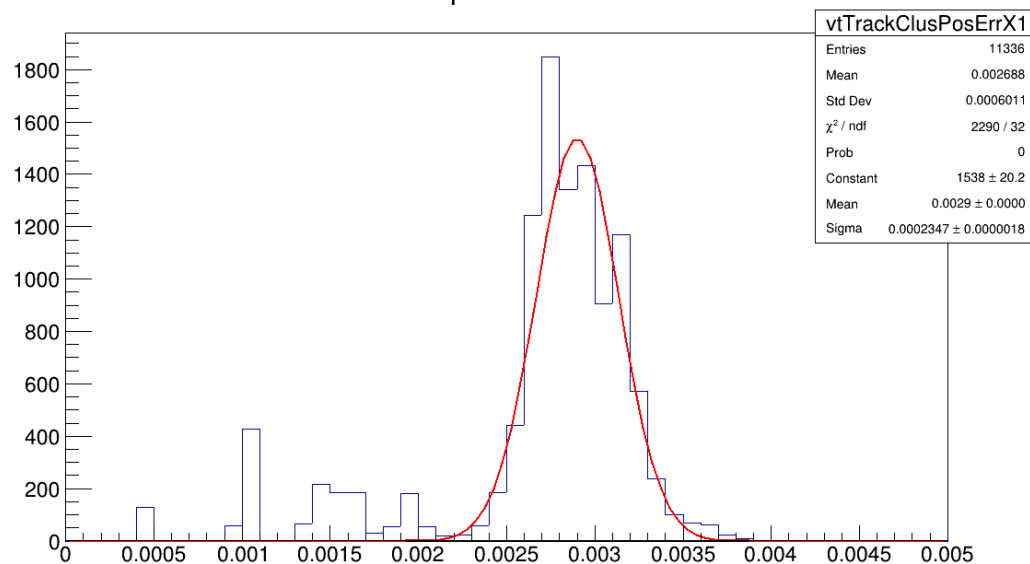
Resolution of the cluster

- The resolution associated to the position is shown. As example, x coordinate of clusters for the sensor 1

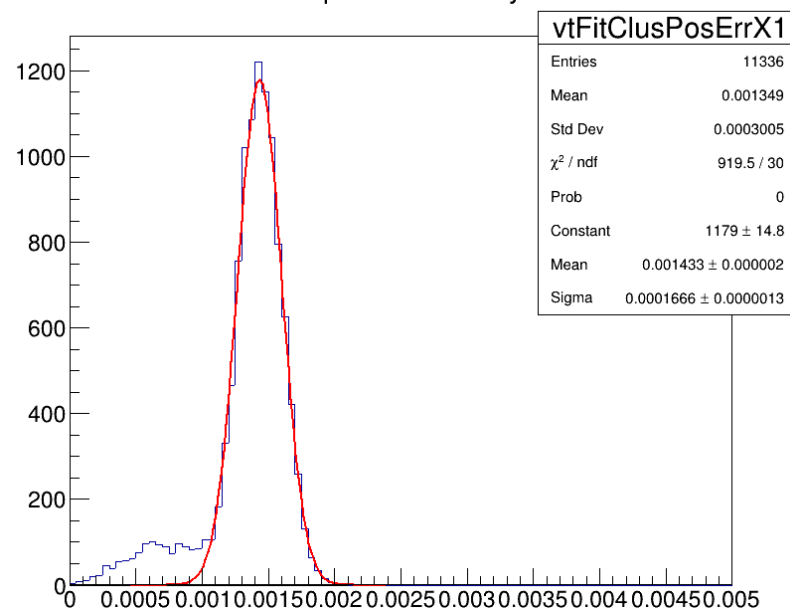
For the measurement:
$$\sigma_x = \sqrt{\frac{\sum f_n(x_n - x)^2}{\sum f_n}}$$

For the fit:
$$\sigma_x = \sqrt{\left(\frac{dx}{dm}\sigma_m\right)^2 + \left(\frac{dx}{dq}\sigma_q\right)^2 + 2\frac{dx}{dm}\frac{dx}{dq}\text{cov}(\sigma_m, \sigma_q)}$$

Vertex - Clus X position error in sensor 1



Vertex - Clus X position error by fit in sensor

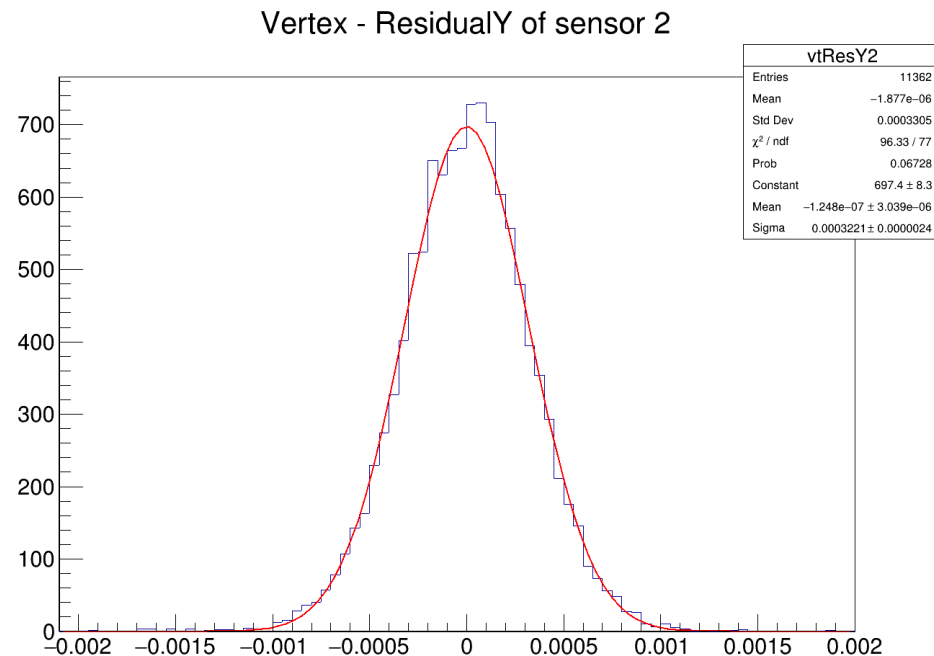
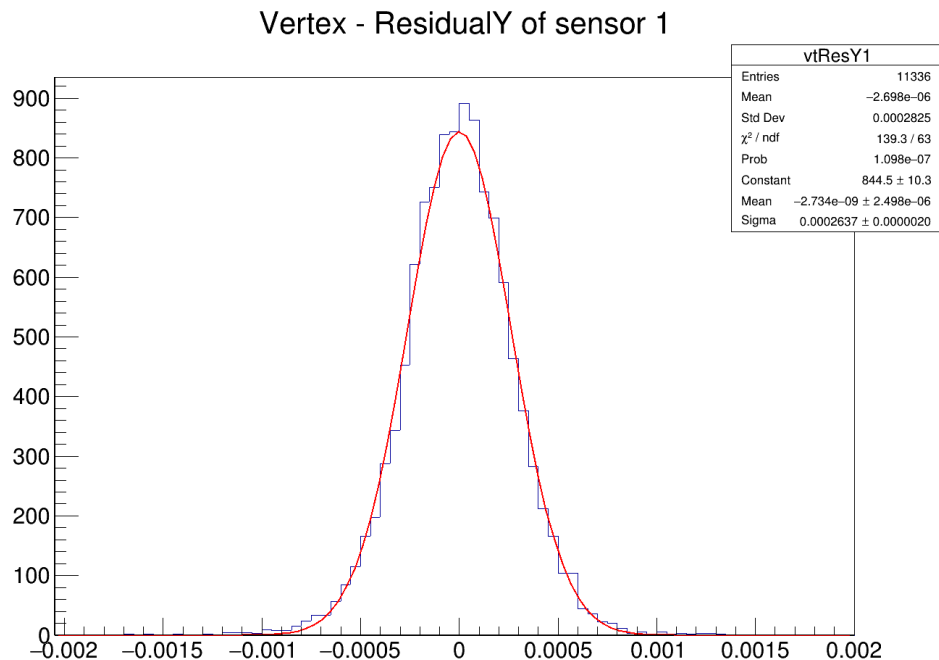


The mean of the error is about 30 μm . Is it overestimated wrt what said in Frontiers Paper?

Residuals Y coordinate

$$r = y_{meas} - y_{fit}$$

- I measure the residual as in the formula. As example, y coordinate of clusters for the sensor 1



Is the mean of the residual the spatial resolution of the VT detector as reported in Frontier paper?

<https://doi.org/10.3389/fphy.2020.568242>

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In the following slide, the pull in x for all the sensors

Then the pull

$$g_c = \frac{\tau_f - \tau_c}{\sqrt{\sigma_c^2 - \sigma_f^2}} \quad (10)$$

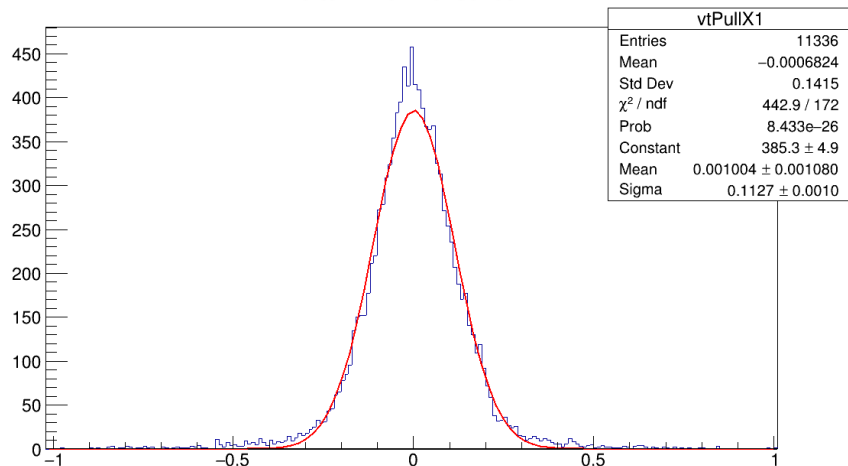
is usually a standard Gaussian. The denominator of the expression for g_c may at first sight look a bit surprising, but it is simply the error on the numerator, taking into account the correlation between the errors in the fit result τ_f and the measure τ_c .

f stands for the fit
c stands for the measurement

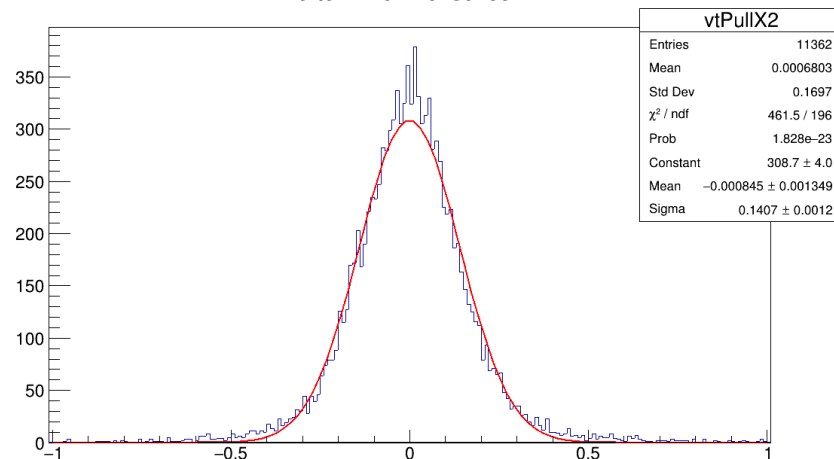
Pull X coordinate

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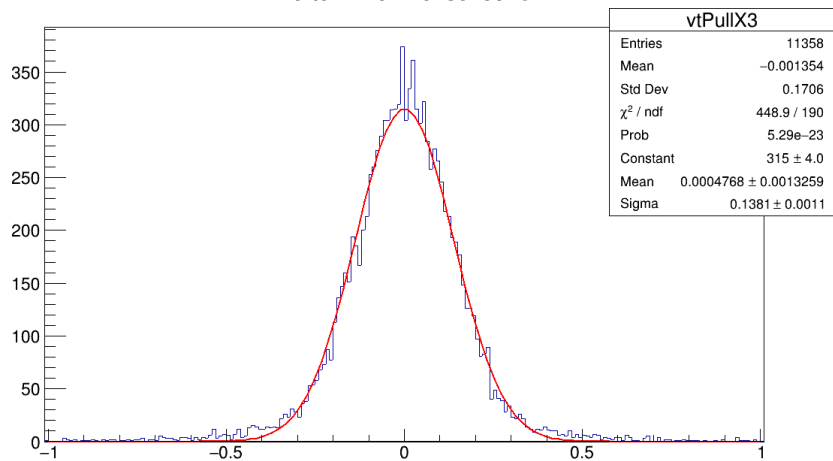
Vertex - PullX of sensor 1



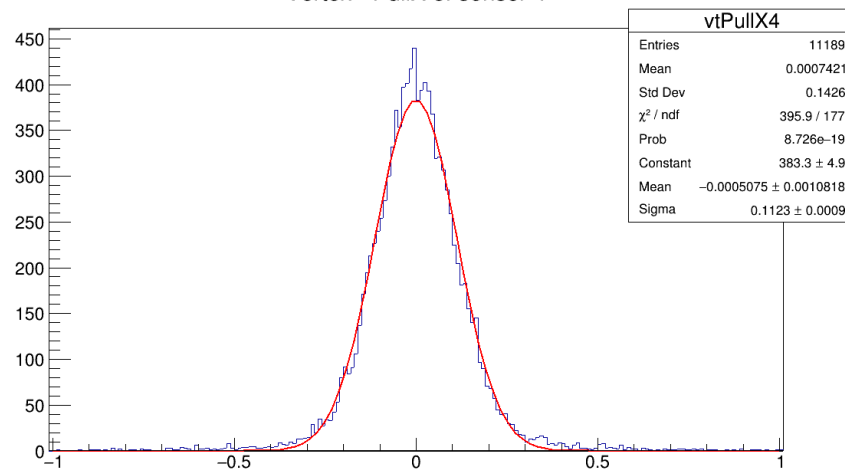
Vertex - PullX of sensor 2



Vertex - PullX of sensor 3



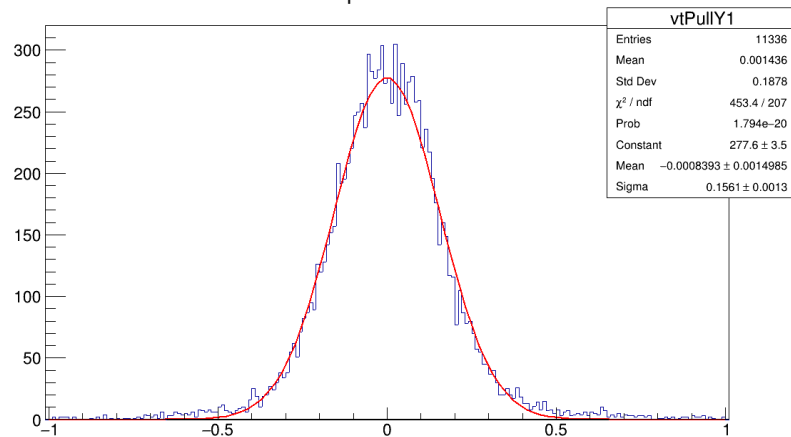
Vertex - PullX of sensor 4



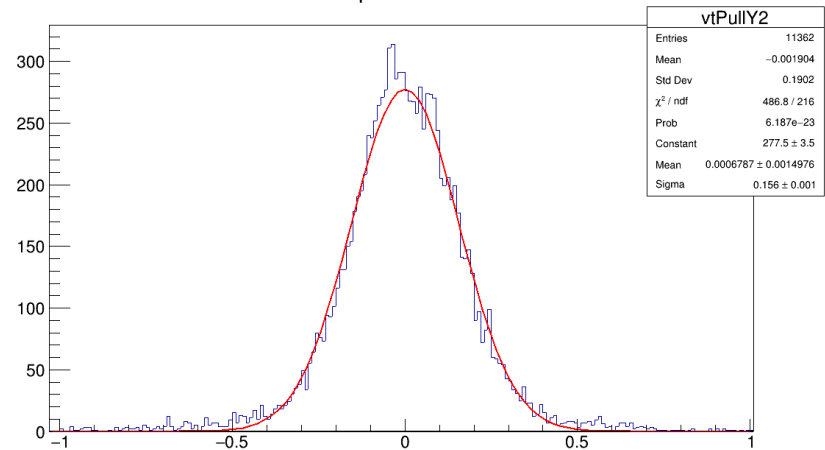
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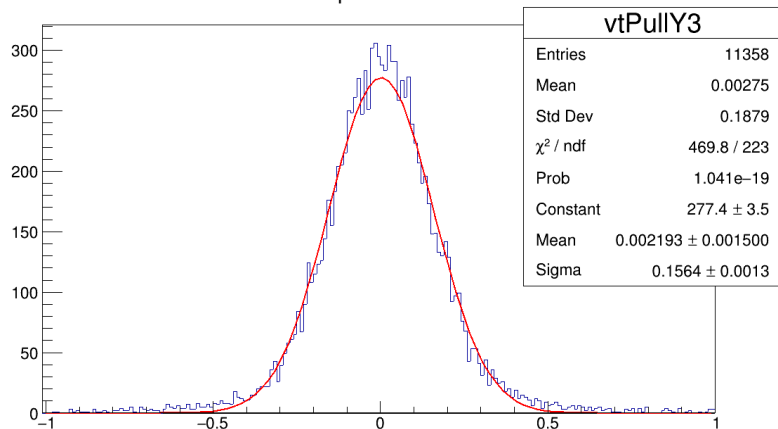
Vertex - pullY of sensor 1



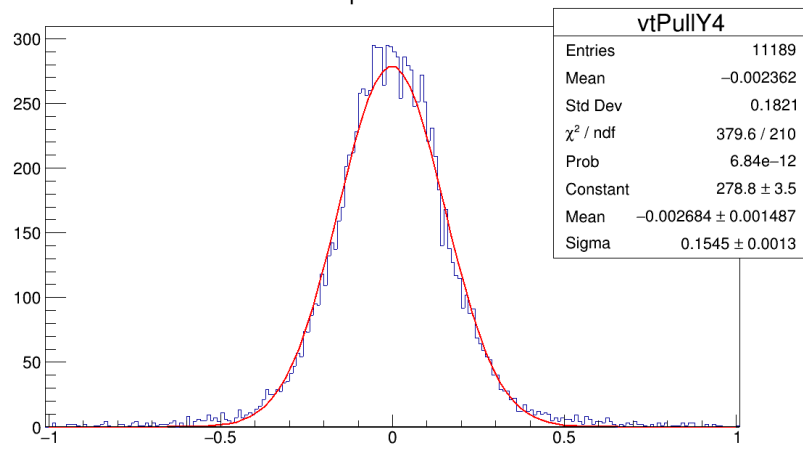
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Vertex - pullY of sensor 3



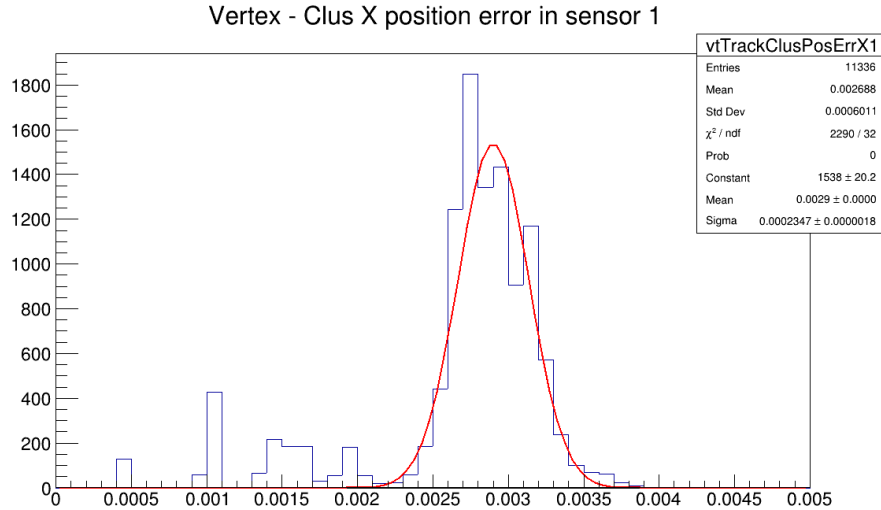
Vertex - pullY of sensor 4



Observations

- In the best condition, a mean around 0 and a σ_{pull} around 1 are expected.
- In this case $\sigma_{\text{pull}} \sim 0.2 \rightarrow \sigma_{\text{measurement}}$ **is overestimated**

Resolution of the cluster



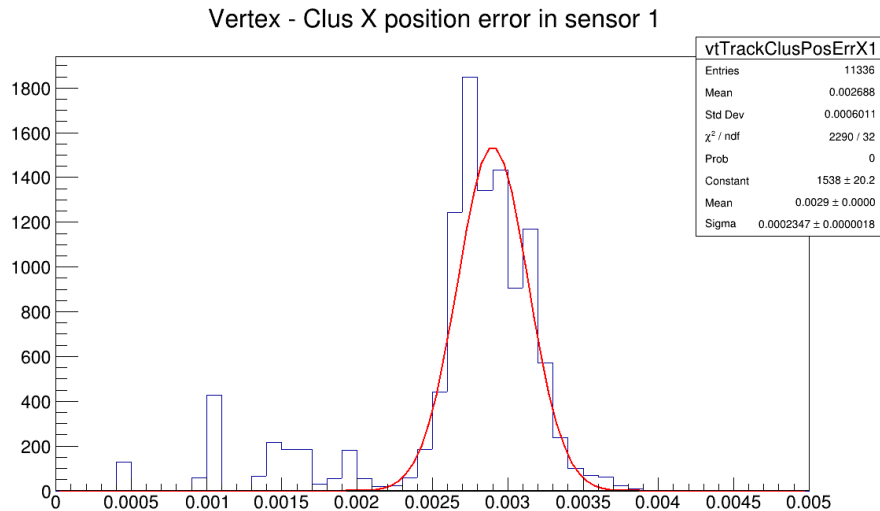
The $\sigma_{\text{measurement}}$ I am using now is the mean of this distribution:
Since the estimator of the position is a mean,
I want to use as $\sigma_{\text{measurement}}$ the one associated to the mean:

$$\sigma_x = \sqrt{\frac{\sum f_n (x_n - x)^2}{\sum f_n}}$$

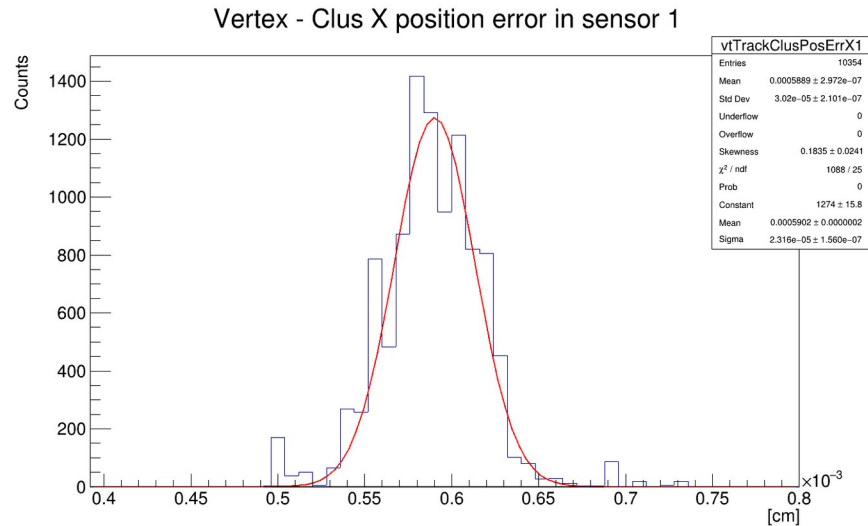
$$\sigma_\mu = \frac{\sigma_x}{\sqrt{n}}$$

Resolution of the cluster

- I run again my data with the new $\sigma_{\text{measurement}}$. Ex. resolution in x of sensor 1



$$\sigma_x = \sqrt{\frac{\sum f_n(x_n - x)^2}{\sum f_n}} \sim 30 \mu\text{m}$$



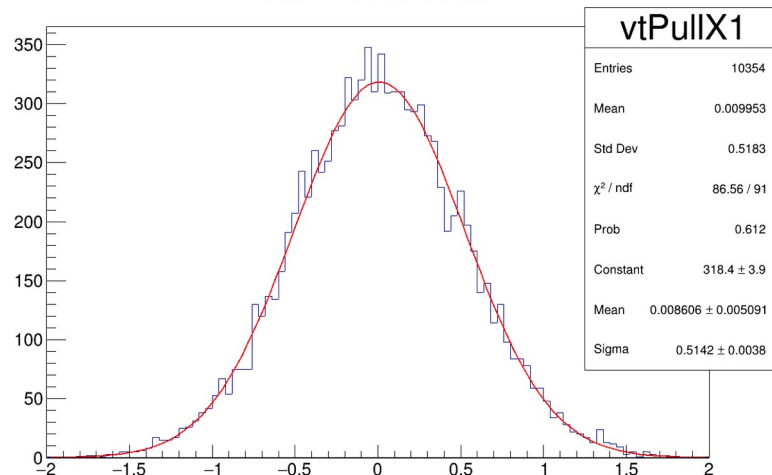
$$\sigma_\mu = \frac{\sigma_x}{\sqrt{n}} \sim 6 \mu\text{m}$$

- Omitting all the steps already seen, I measure the new pulls in the next slide

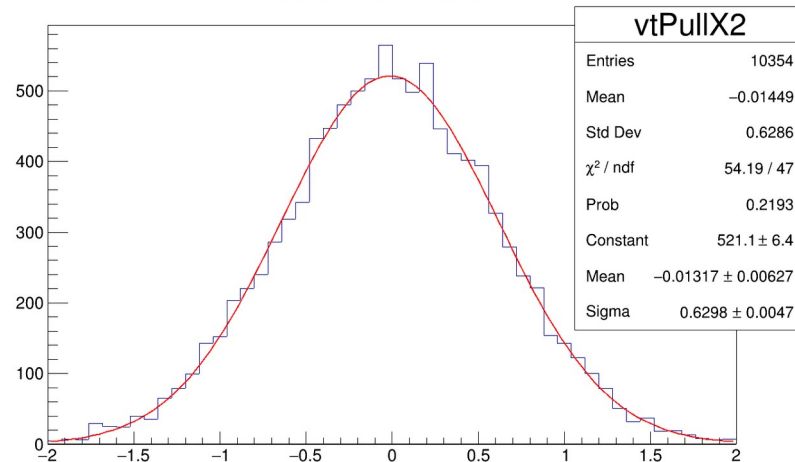
Pull X coordinate

$$g_c = \frac{\tau_f - \tau_c}{\sqrt{\sigma_c^2 - \sigma_f^2}}$$

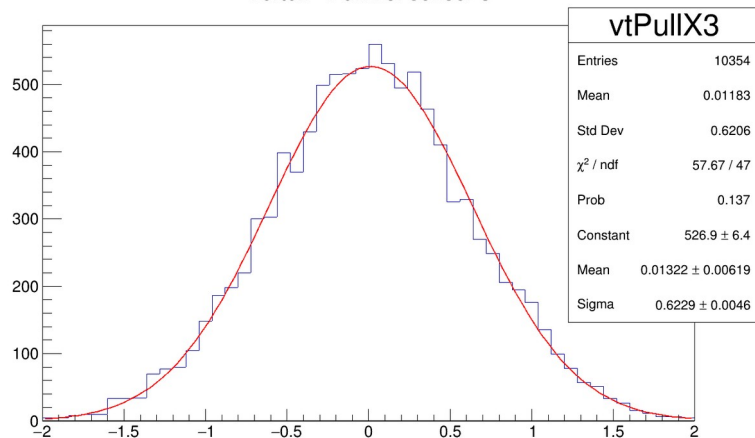
Vertex - PullX of sensor 1



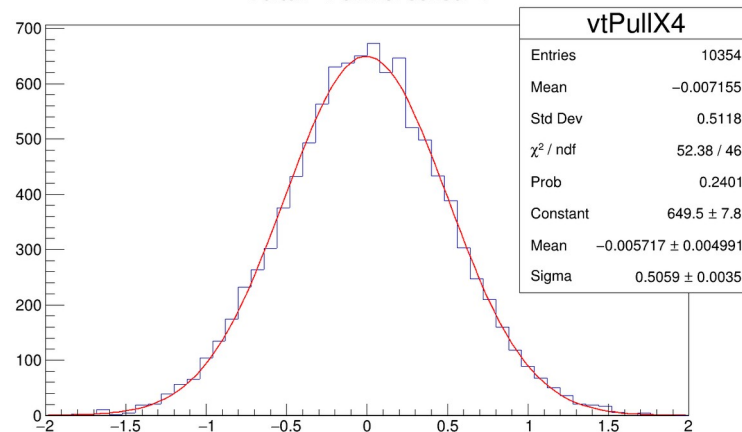
Vertex - PullX of sensor 2



Vertex - PullX of sensor 3



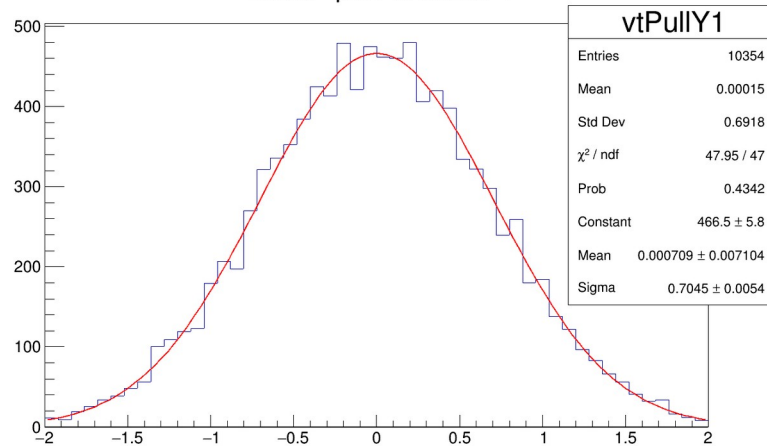
Vertex - PullX of sensor 4



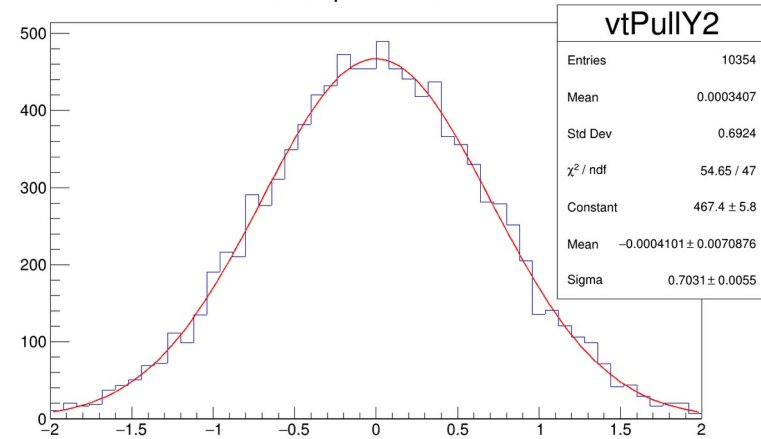
Pull Y coordinate

$$p = \frac{x_i - f(z_i)}{\sqrt{\sigma_{meas}^2 - \sigma_{fit}^2}}$$

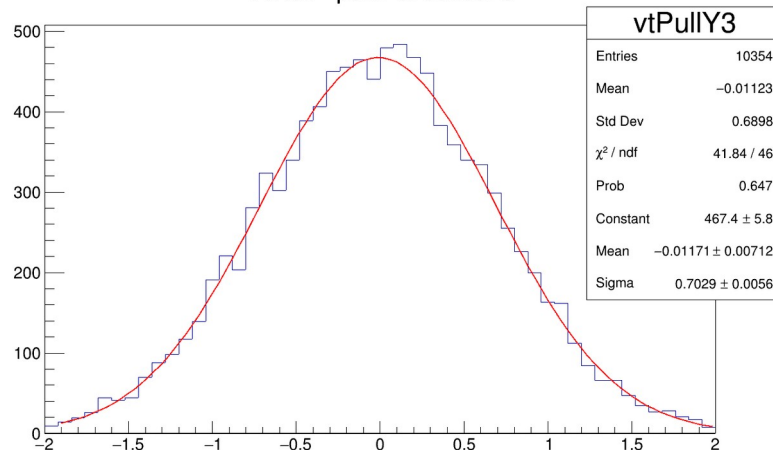
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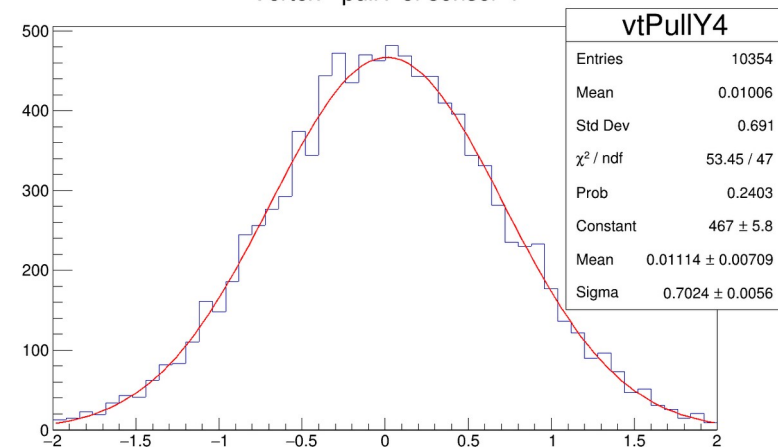
Vertex - pullY of sensor 2



Vertex - pullY of sensor 3



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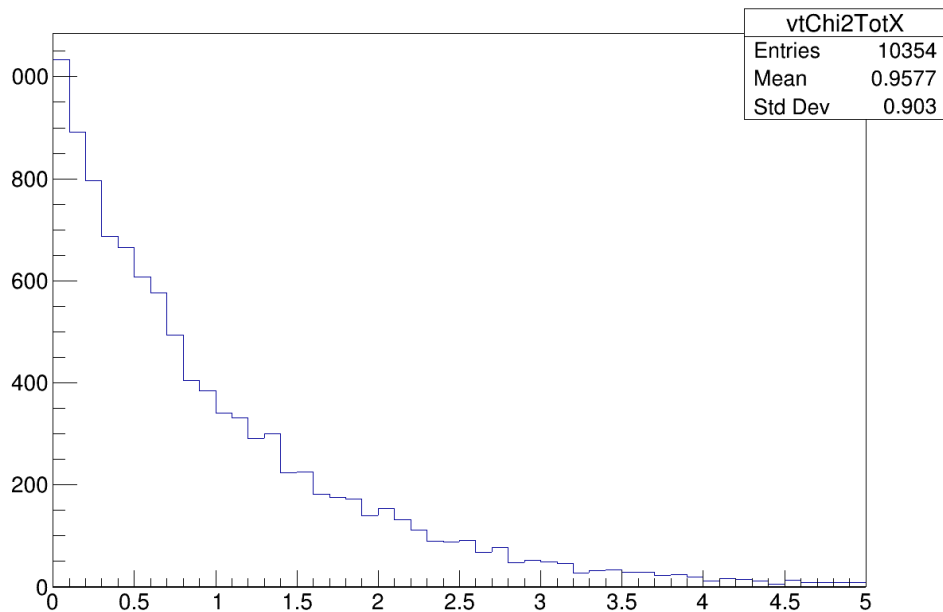
Chi2 Test X coordinate

The Chi2 distribution of every fitted track and its pvalue is shown.

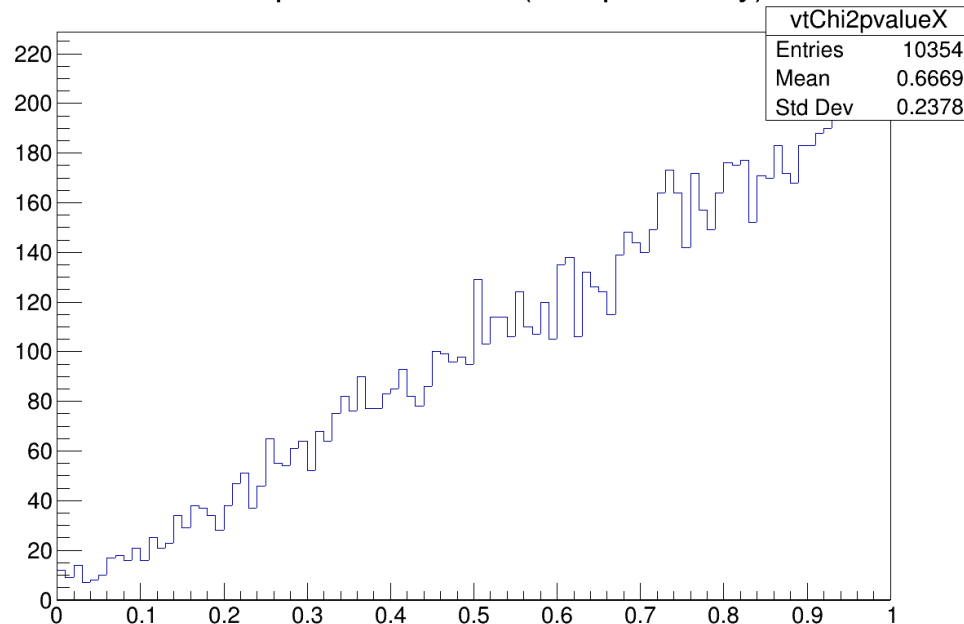
The mean of the distribution should be ~ 2 (dof = 4 (number of points) / 2 (m,q parameters))

The p value distribution should be uniform

Vertex - Total Chi2 X



Vertex - p value of the fit (chi2 probability) X



Observations

- went from 0.2 to 0.7 → error still overestimated
- Chi2 distribution show the fitting is still not perfect
- let's multiply $\sigma_{\text{measurement}}$ by $1/\text{sqrt}(2)$ (which is 0.7) in order to obtain σ_{pull} close to 1

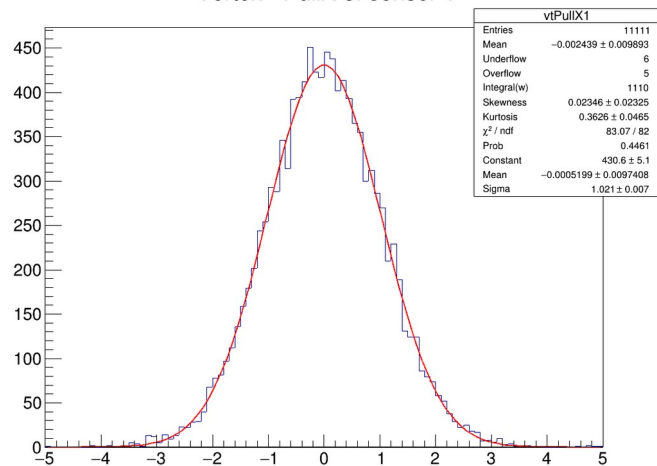
So I go from $\sigma_x = \sqrt{\frac{\sum f_n (x_n - x)^2}{\sum f_n}}$ to $\sigma_{\mu'} = \frac{\sigma_x}{\sqrt{2n}}$

- In the following slide, I show the new pulls (omitting al the steps)

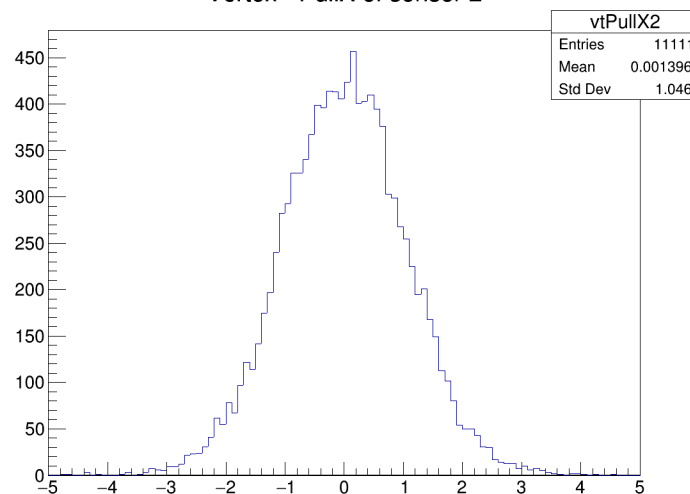
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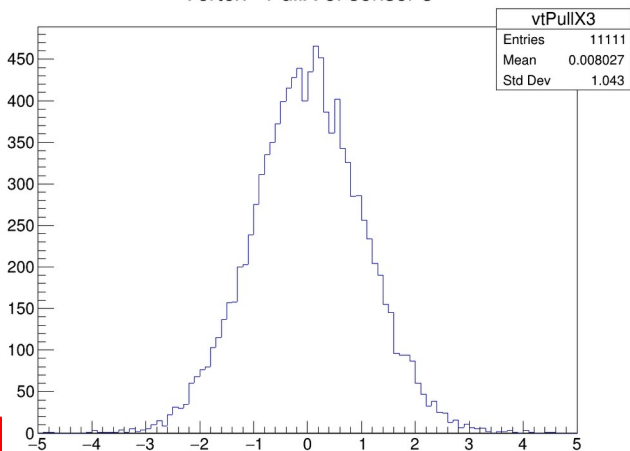
Vertex - PullX of sensor 1



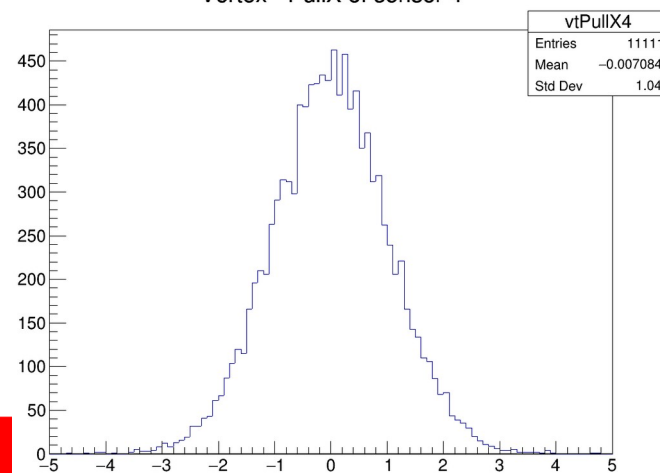
Vertex - PullX of sensor 2



Vertex - PullX of sensor 3

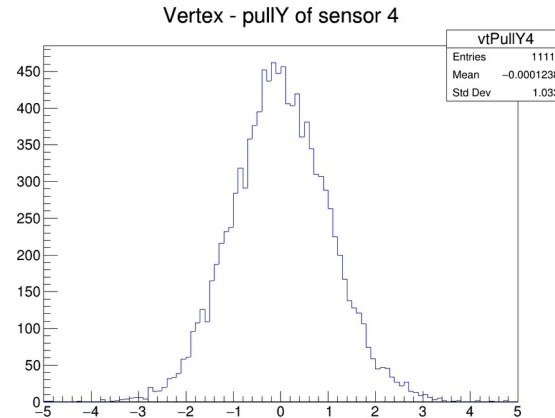
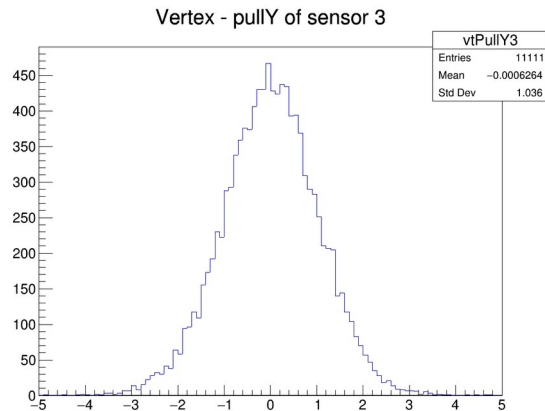
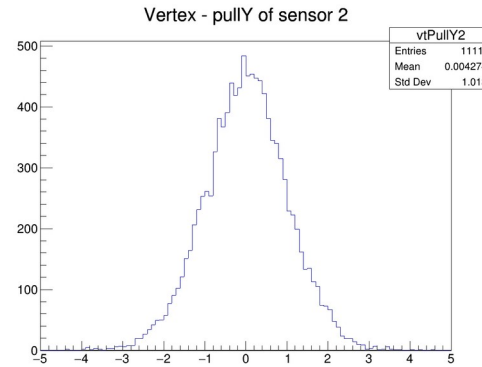
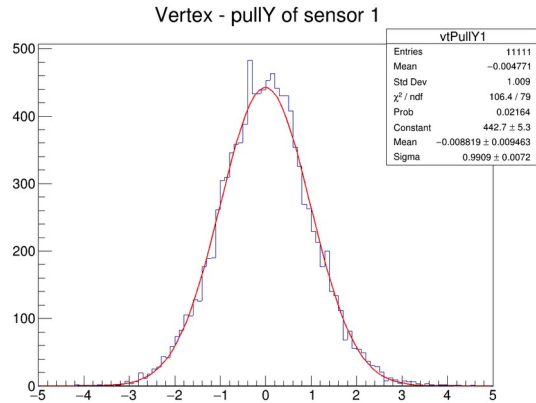


Vertex - PullX of sensor 4

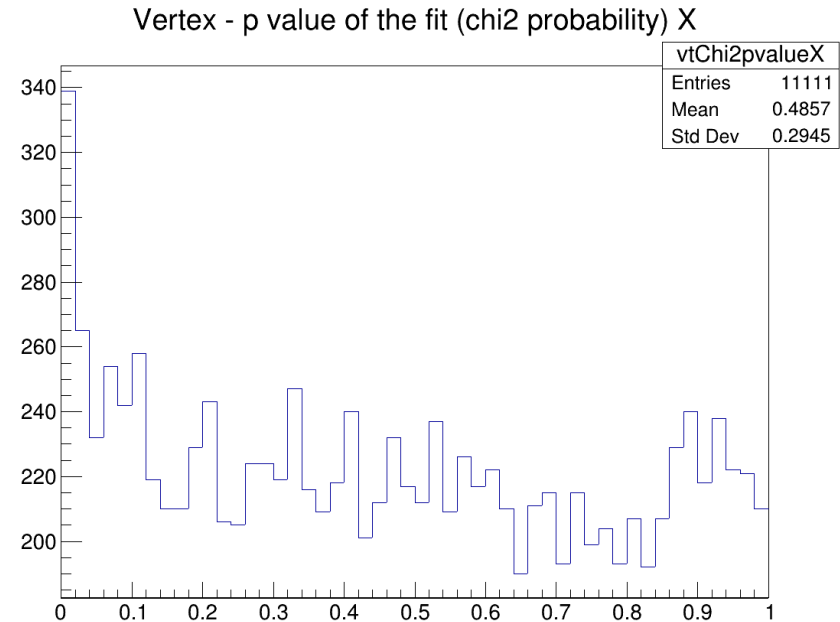
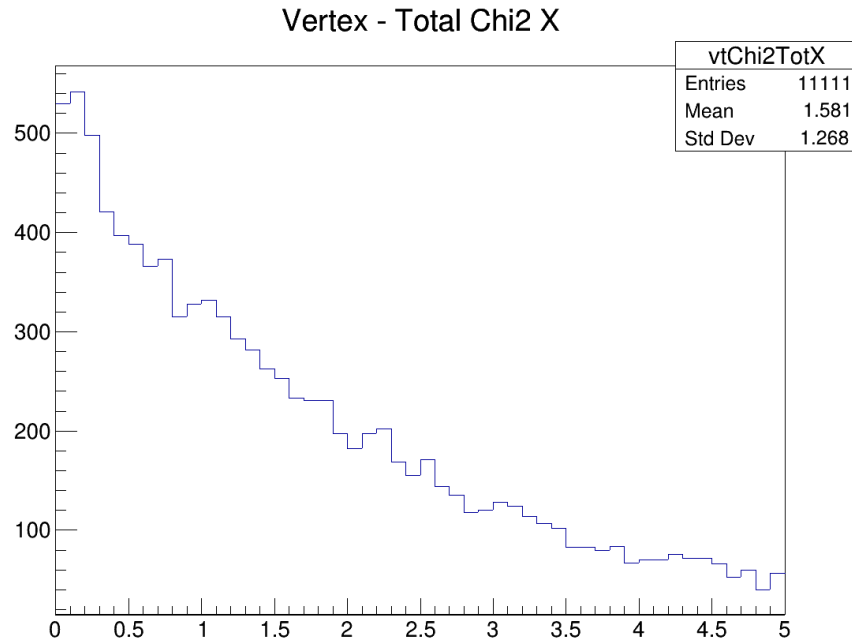


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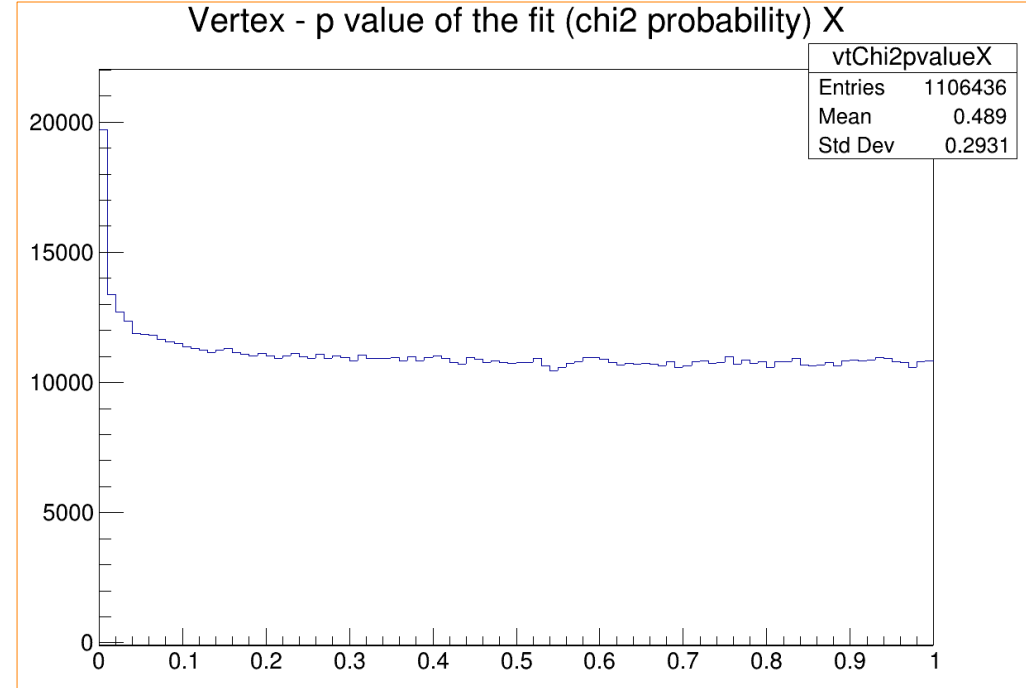
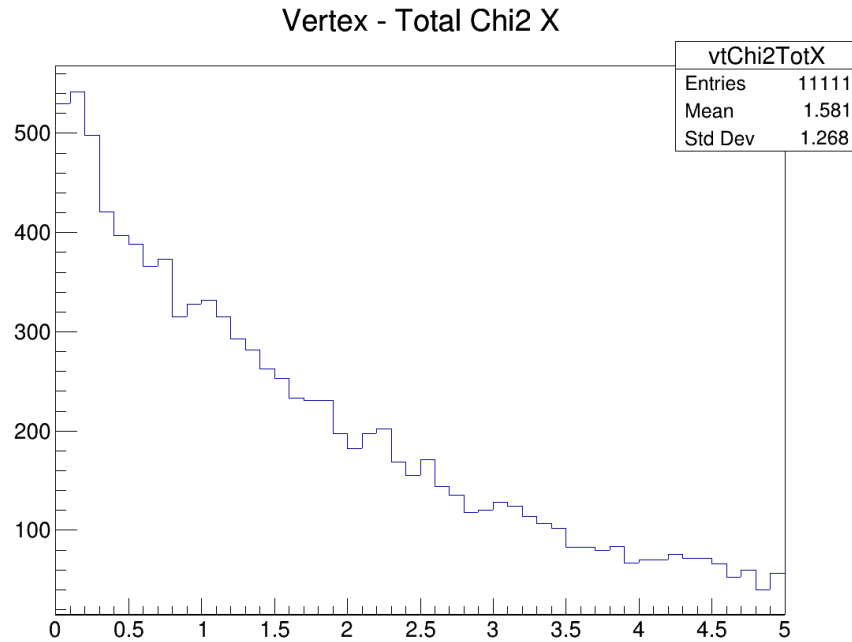


Chi2 Test X coordinate



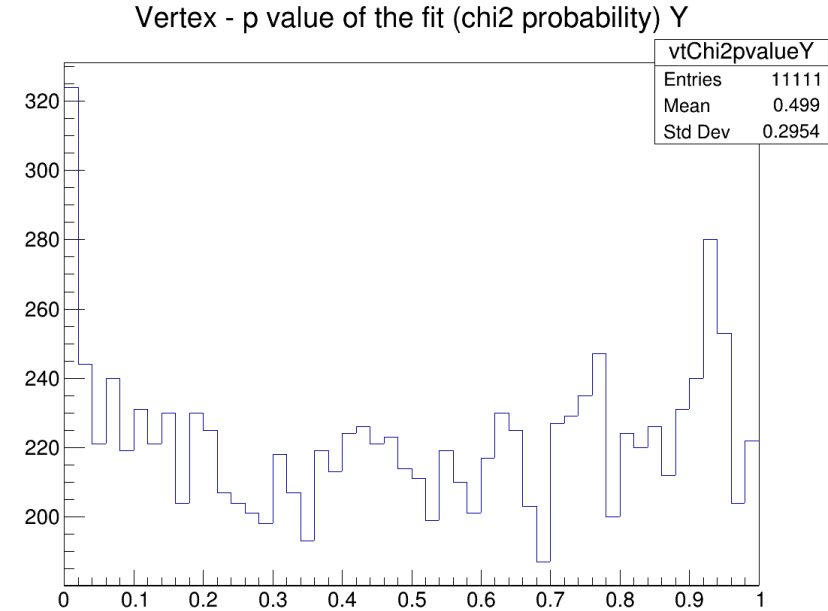
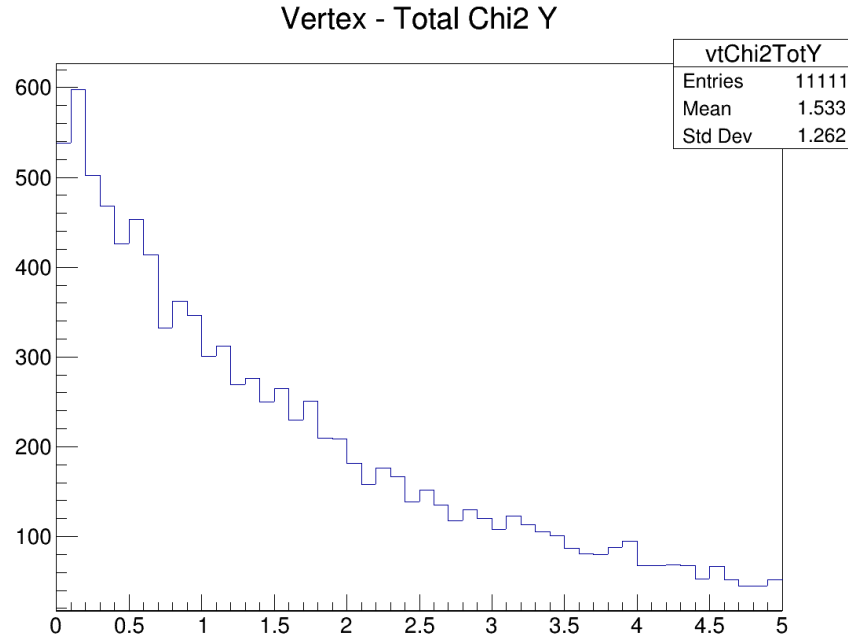
The p-value distribution is now much more uniform

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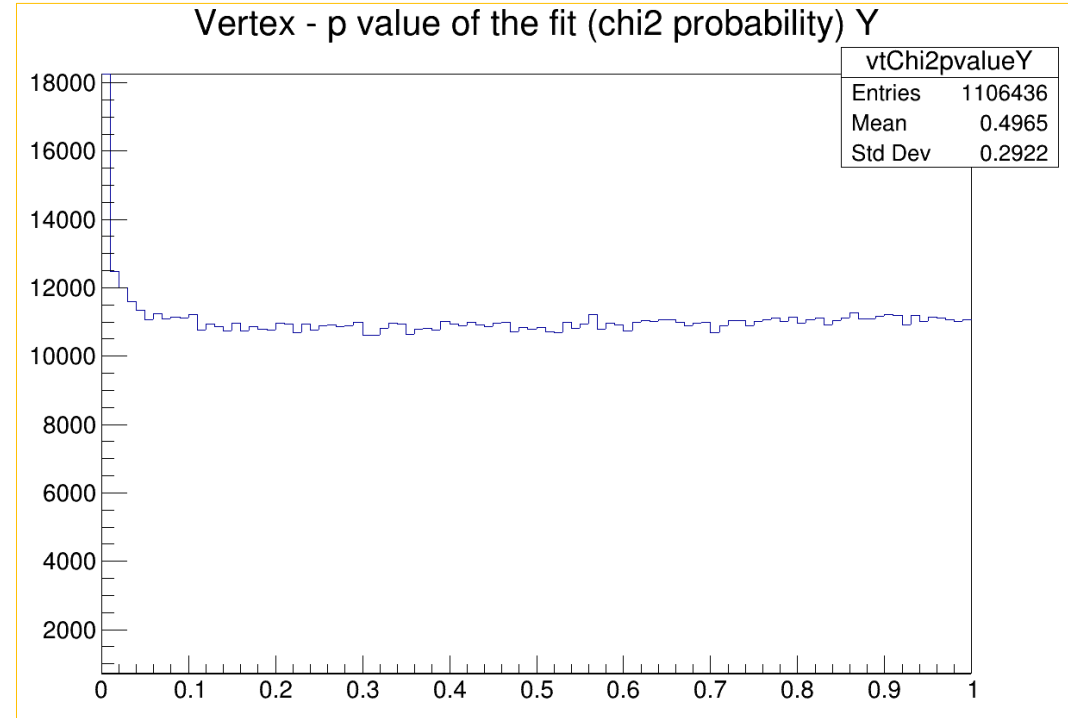
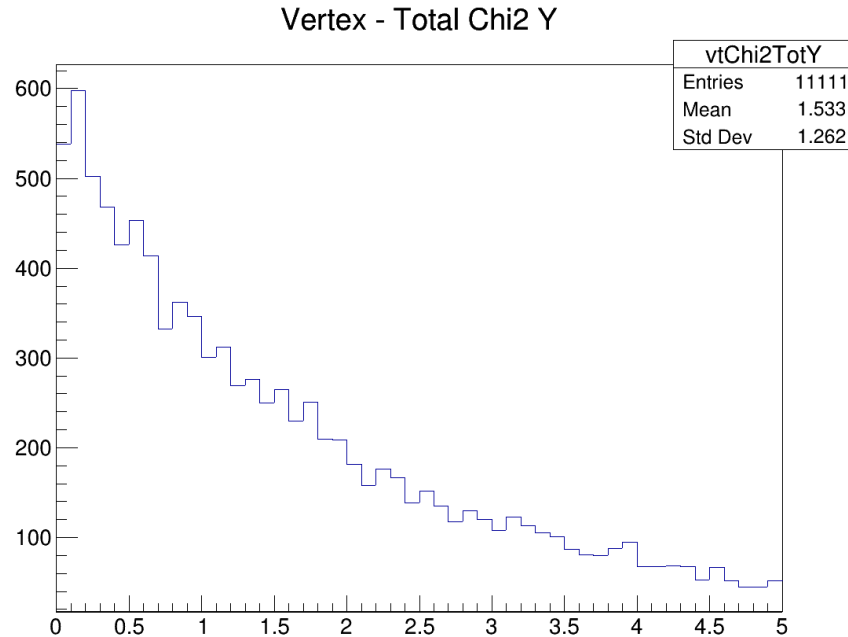
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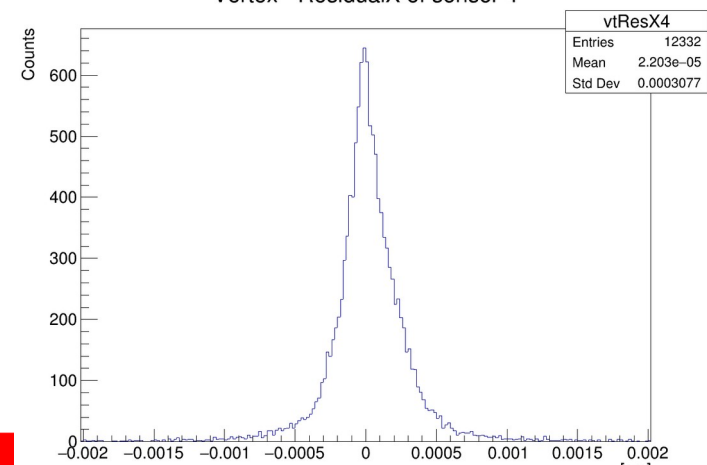
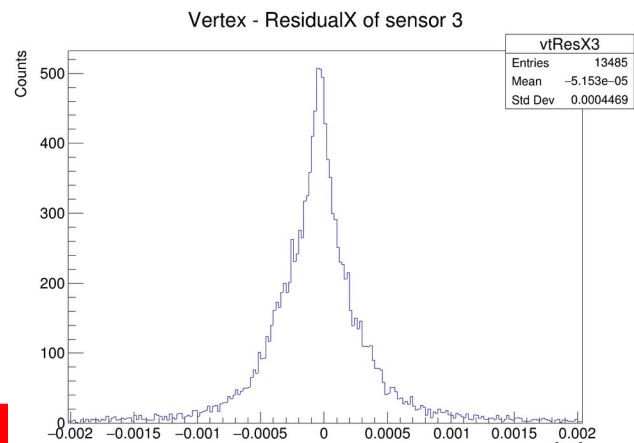
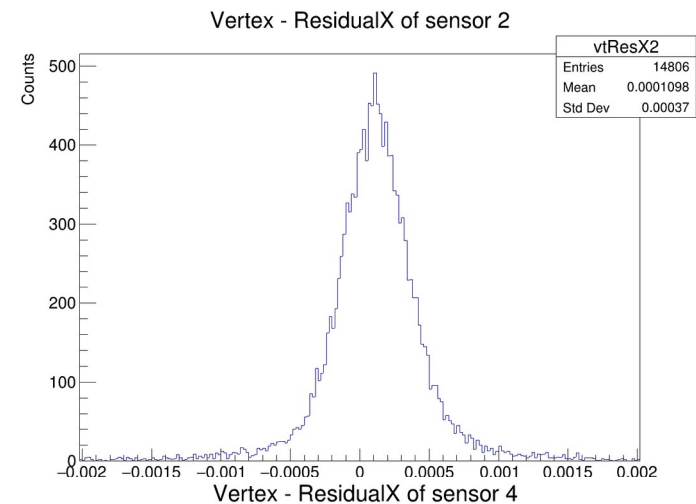
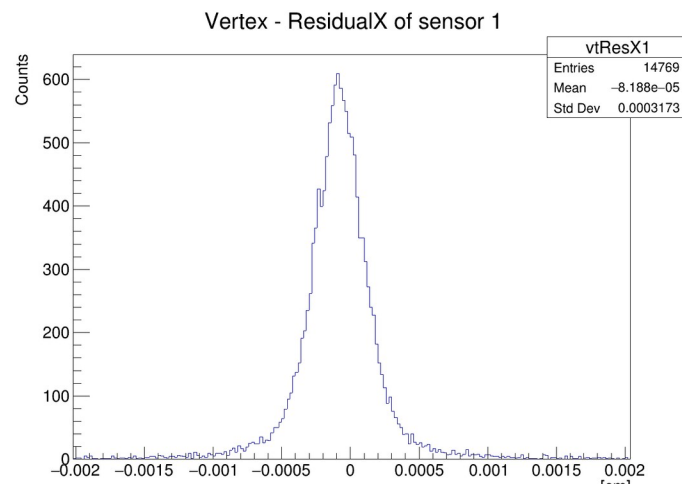
- According from pulls, the resolution associated to the cluster position is overestimated.
- Things become better if I use the following resolution associated to the position

$$x = \frac{\sum f_n x_n}{\sum f_n} \quad \sigma_{\mu'} = \frac{\sigma_x}{\sqrt{2n}} \quad \text{where} \quad \sigma_x = \sqrt{\frac{\sum f_n (x_n - x)^2}{\sum f_n}}$$

- How it can be explained physically?
- Is actually the mean the best estimator of the position of the cluster?
- How does it changes the performance of the reconstructed track?
next time: track efficiency, purity etc

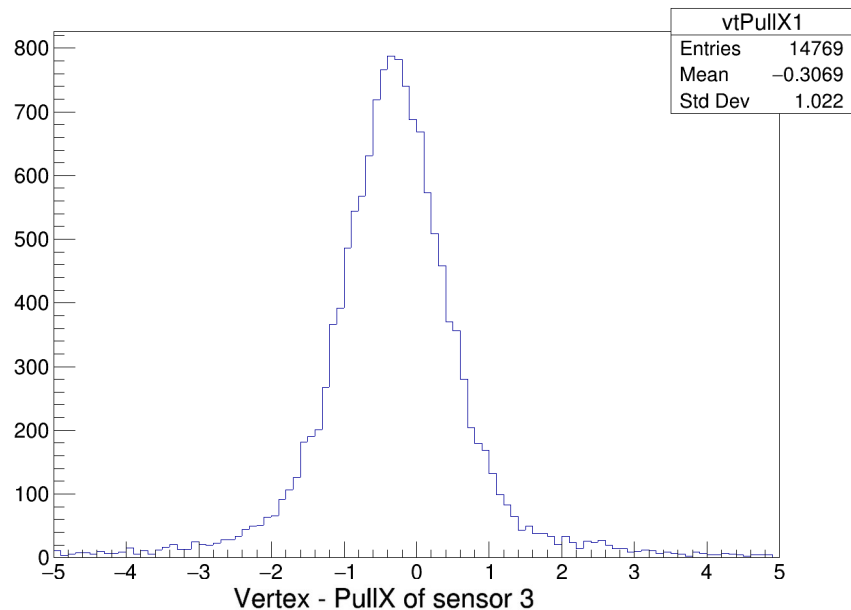
Observations

back up slides

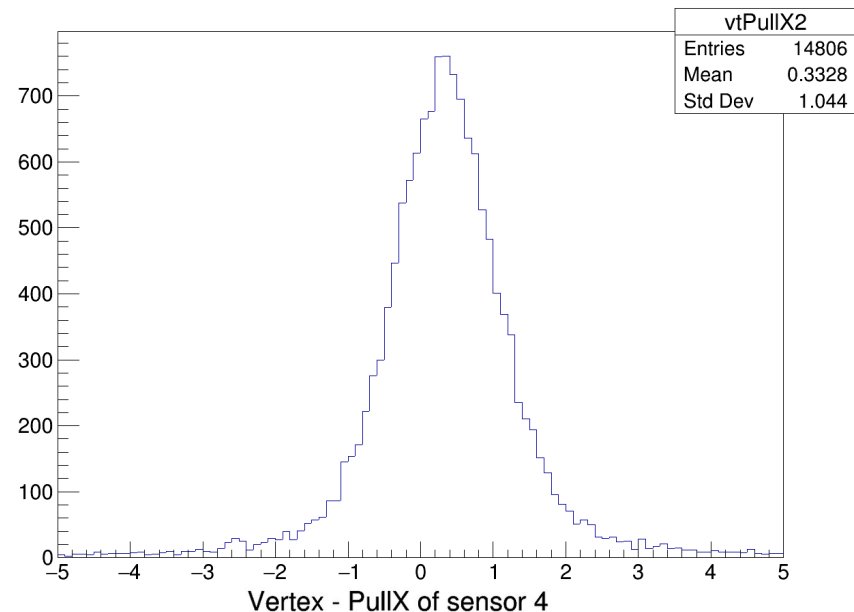


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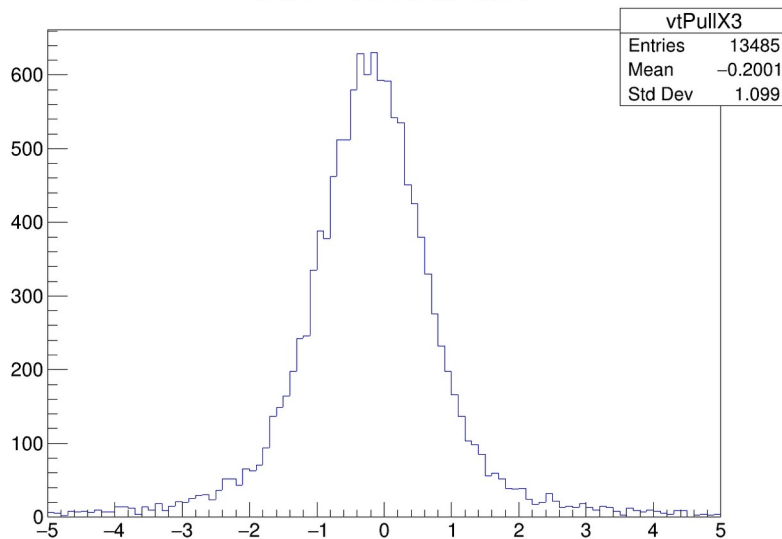
Vertex - PullX of sensor 1



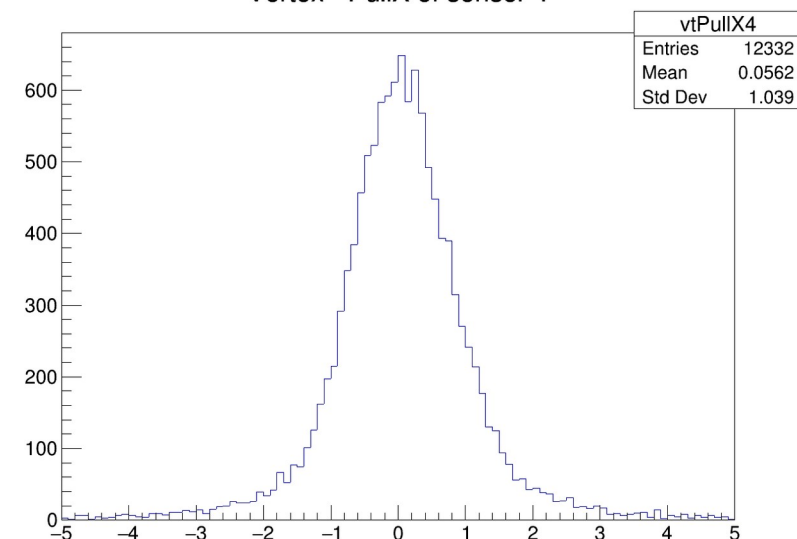
Vertex - PullX of sensor 2



Vertex - PullX of sensor 3

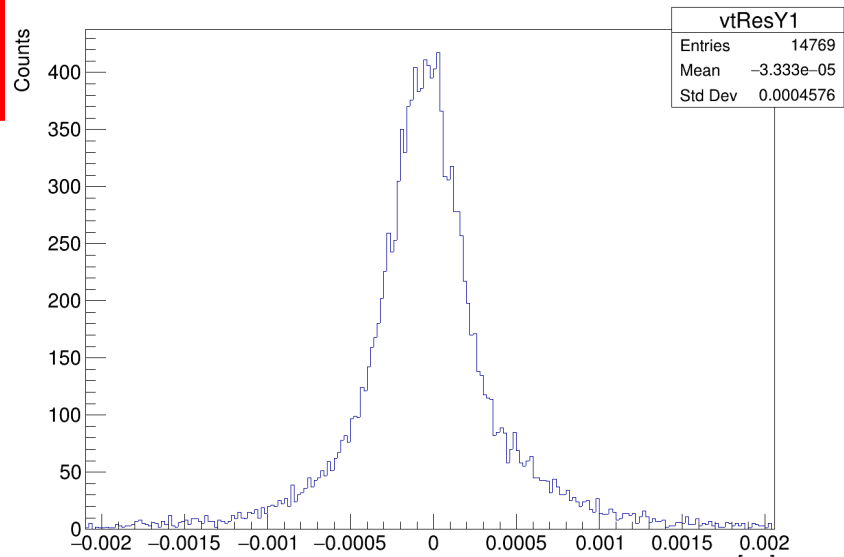


Vertex - PullX of sensor 4

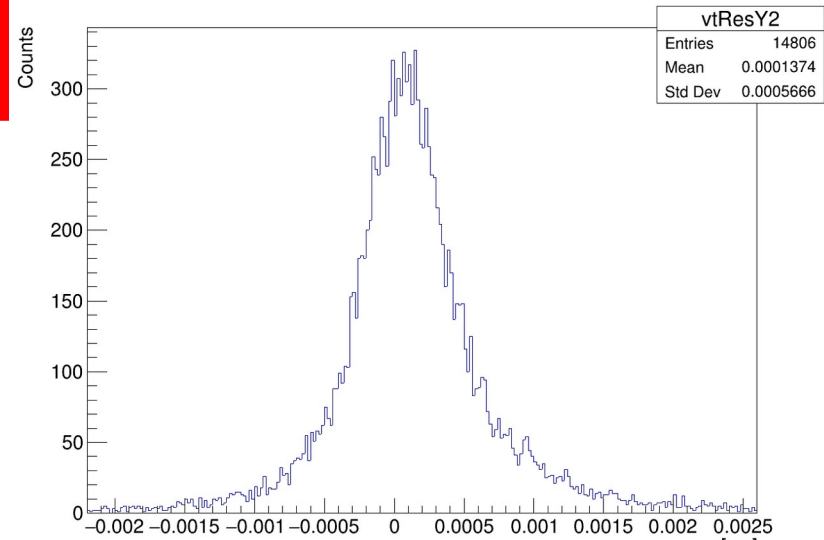


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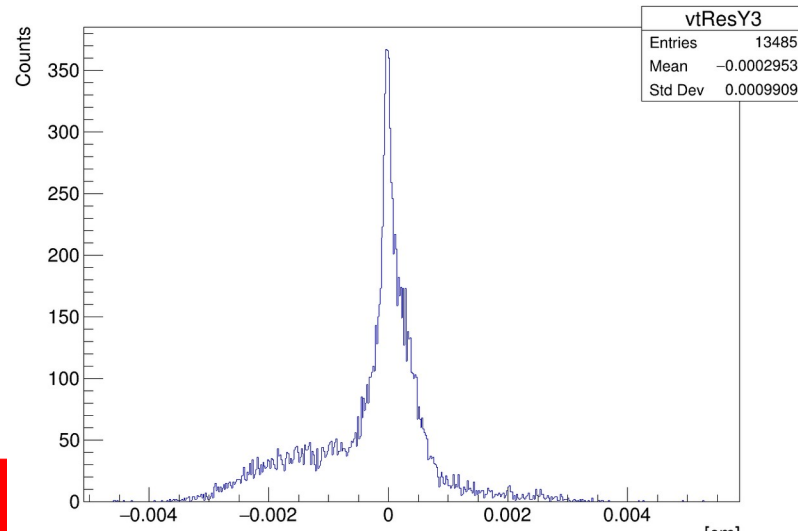
Vertex - ResidualY of sensor 1



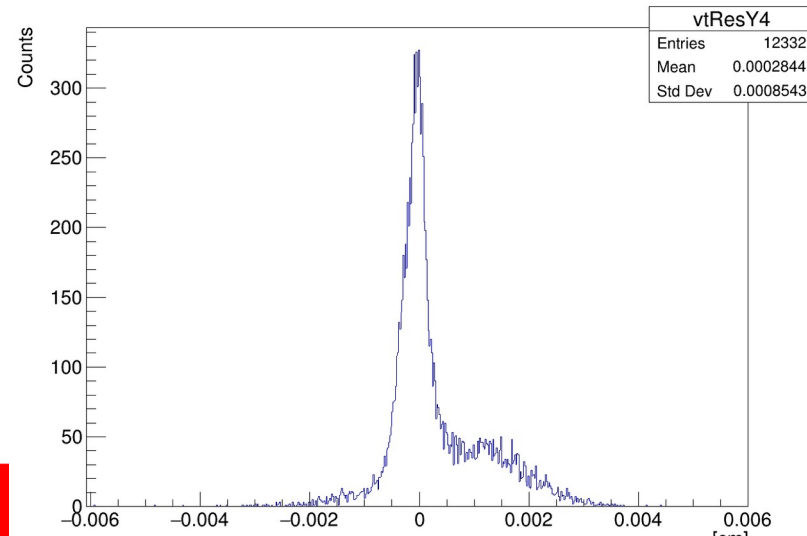
Vertex - ResidualY of sensor 2



Vertex - ResidualY of sensor 3

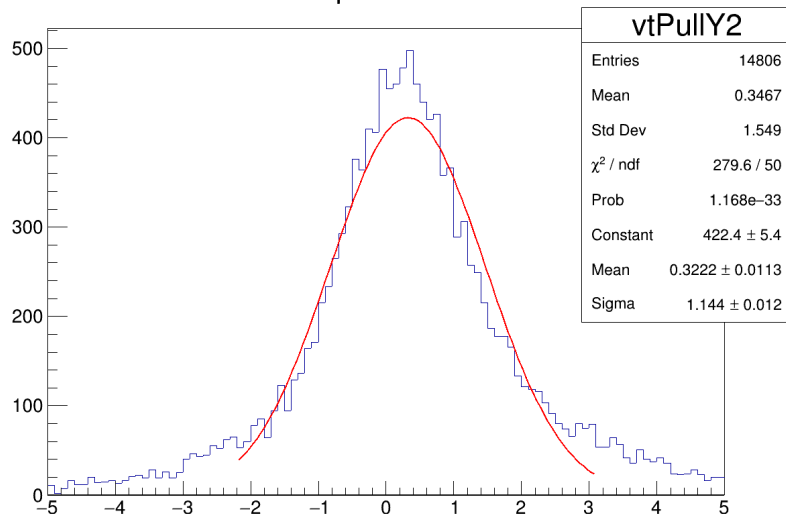


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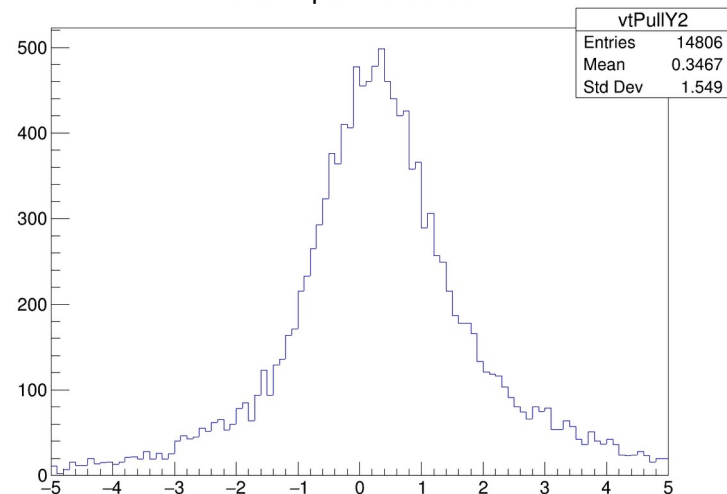


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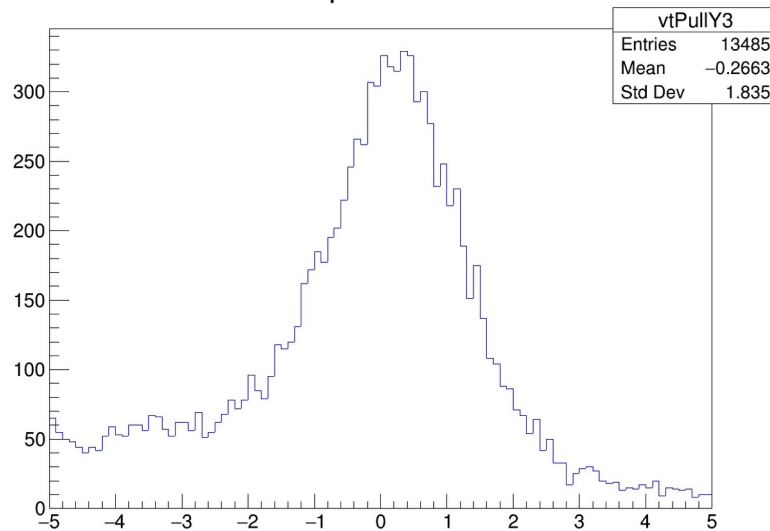
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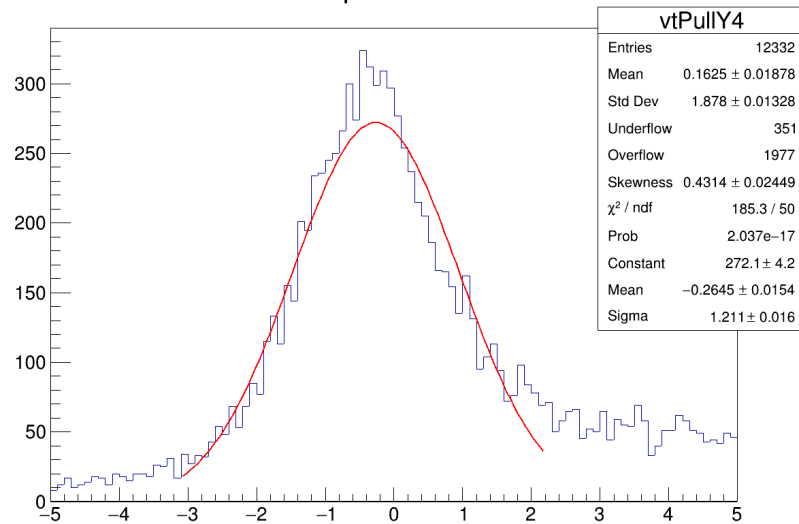
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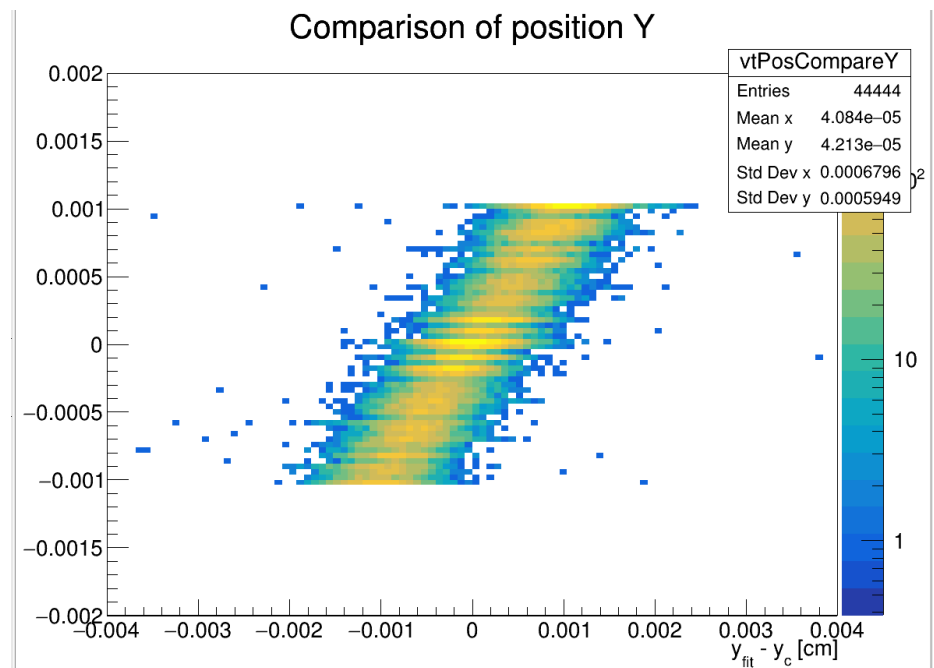
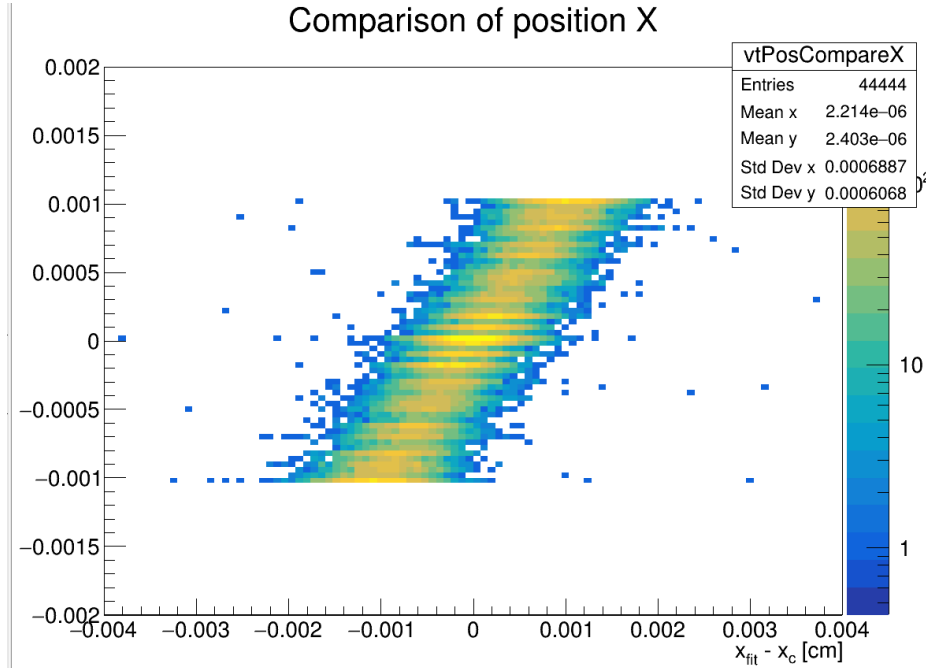


Vertex - pullY of sensor 4



MC DATA

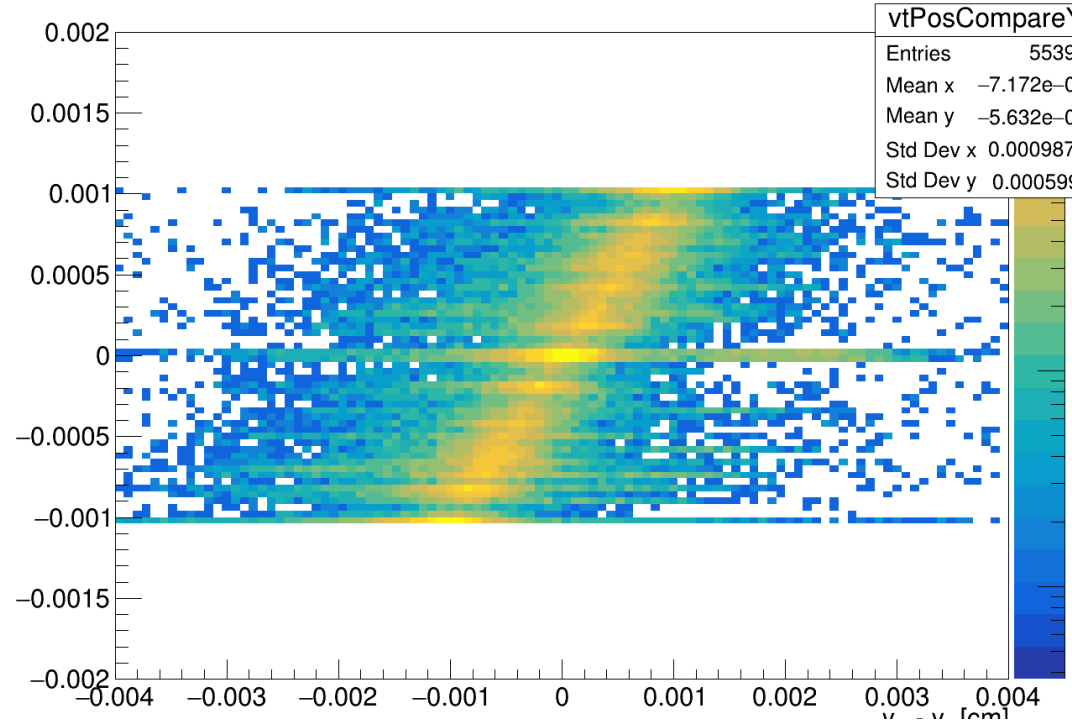
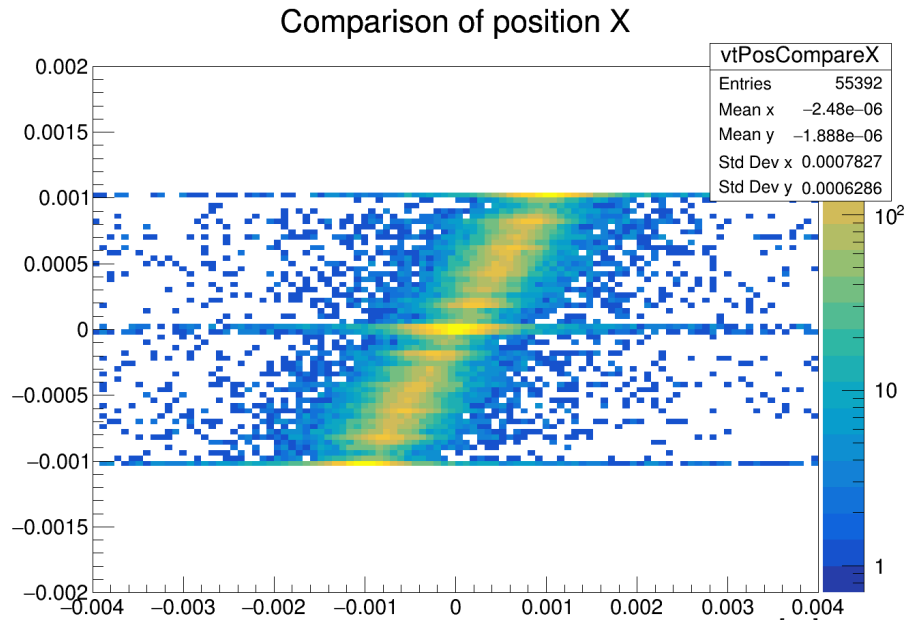
There is dependence between the measurement x_i and the center of the pixel x_c ?



The relation seems linear. The fit has a shift of 1 pixel

REAL DATA

There is dependence between the measurement x_i and the center of the pixel x_c ?
Comparison of position Y



The relation seems linear. The fit has a shift of 1 pixel

Observation

It is right to use the mean and its standard deviation as best estimator of the position of a cluster?

We are supposing that every fired pixel is a independent and identically distributed (IID) random variable, distributed as a gaussian.

We know actually that they are not independent, but fired according to the energy loss of the particle

$$x = \frac{\sum f_n x_n}{\sum f_n} \quad \sigma_x = \sqrt{\frac{\sum f_n (x_n - x)^2}{\sum f_n}}$$

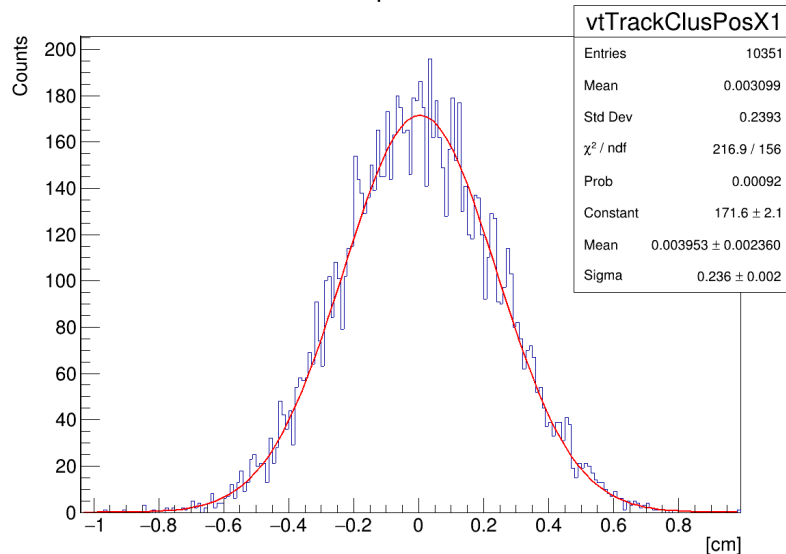
Observations

another estimator of position is needed? → Let's try median

Position of the cluster

measure using **median** for cluster position

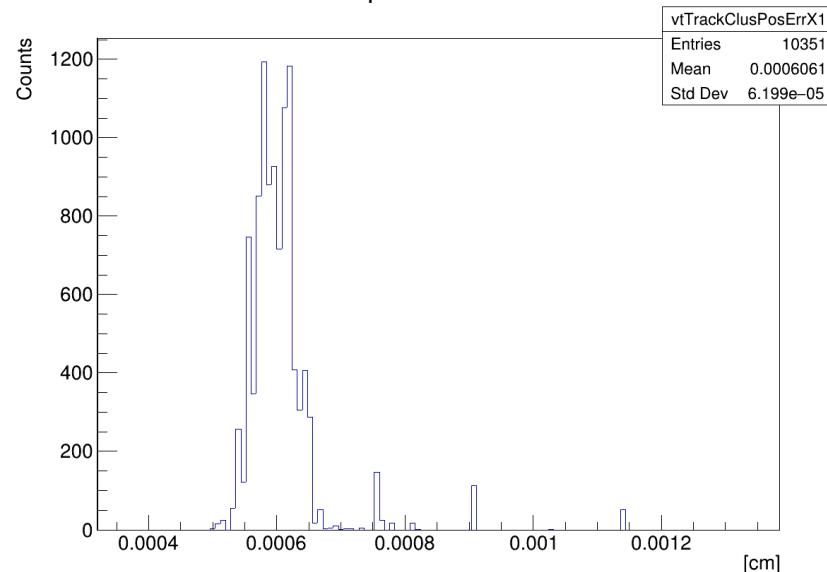
Vertex - Clus X position in sensor 1



if n is odd, $\text{median}(x) = x_{(n+1)/2}$

if n is even, $\text{median}(x) = \frac{x_{(n/2)} + x_{((n/2)+1)}}{2}$

Vertex - Clus X position error in sensor 1



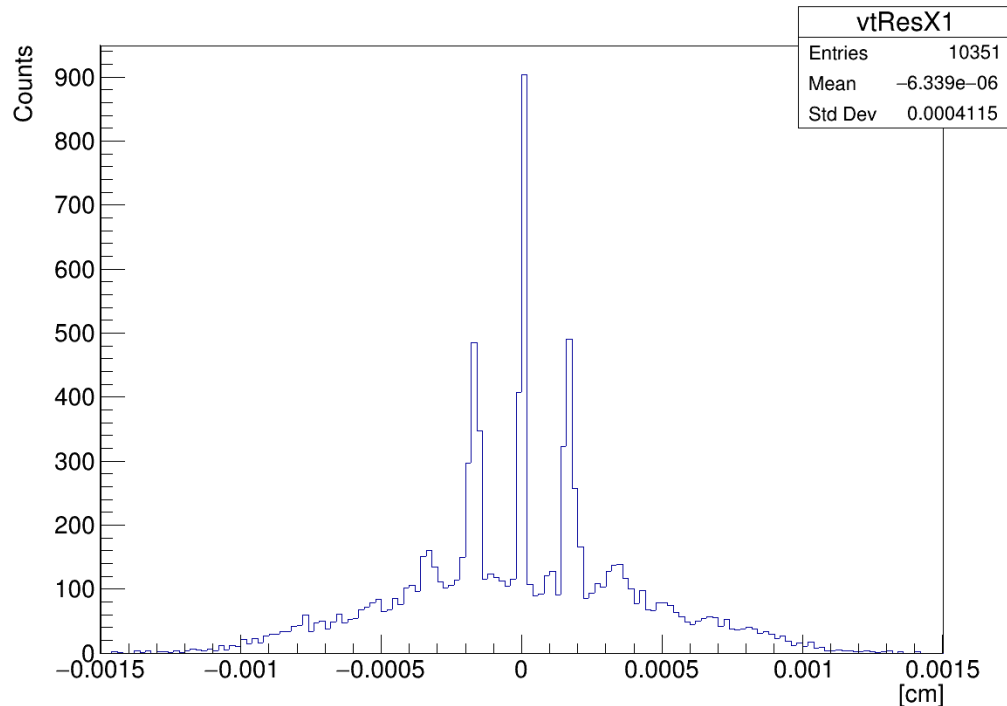
$$\sigma_{\mu} = \frac{\sigma_x}{\sqrt{n}}$$

$$\sigma_x = \sqrt{\frac{\sum f_n (x_n - x)^2}{\sum f_n}}$$

Residuals and pull X coordinate

$$r = x_{meas} - x_{fit}$$

Vertex - ResidualX of sensor 1



peaks?

$$p = \frac{x_i - f(z_i)}{\sqrt{\sigma_{meas}^2 - \sigma_{fit}^2}}$$

Vertex - PullX of sensor 1

