



Istituto Nazionale di Fisica Nucleare



# Tracking analysis on full setup

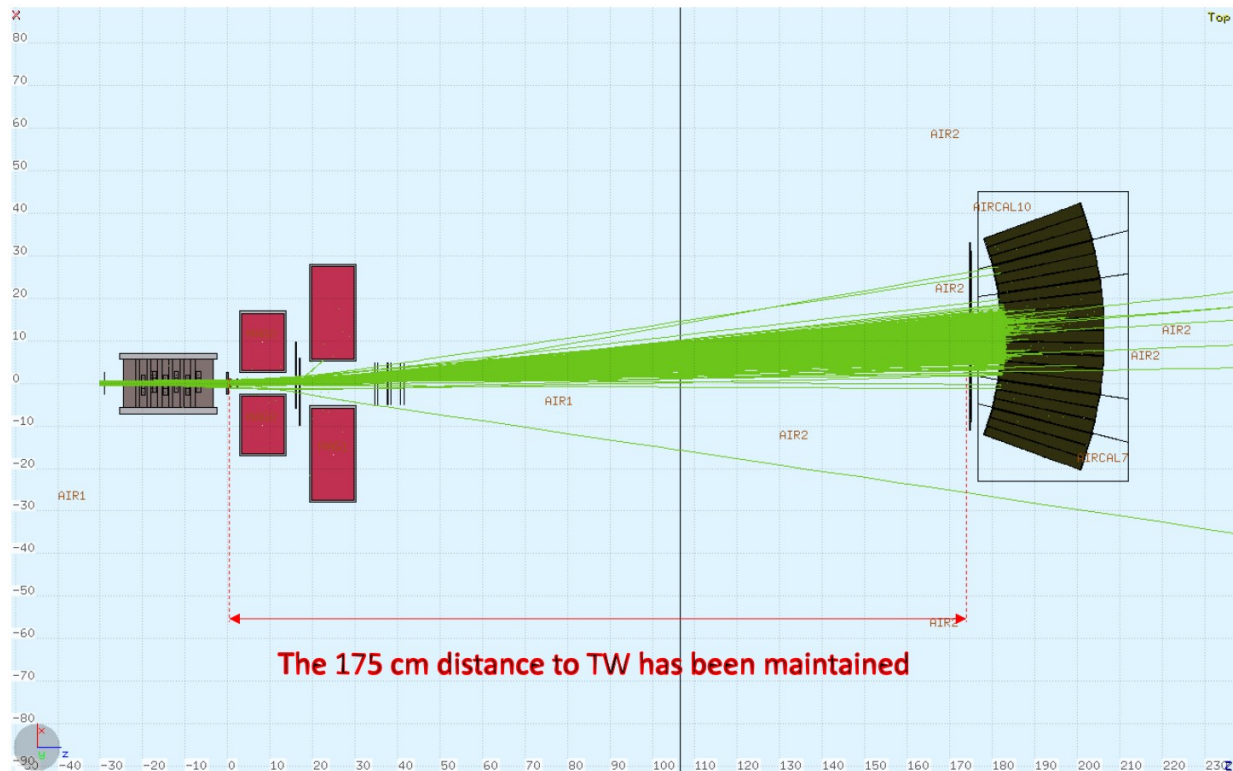
R. Zarrella

FOOT Physics Meeting 02/2024

## Full setup simulation

- All detectors in nominal position
- Magnetic field rotated as real one
- TW & CALO at  $X = +11$ cm
- $^{12}\text{C}$  @ 200 MeV/u on 5 mm of C
- $10^7$  primaries on target

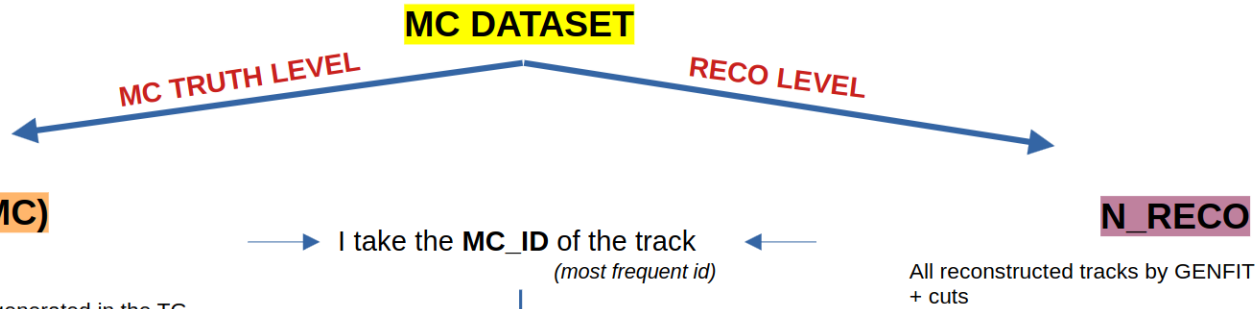
**Test of full reconstruction  
chain with tracking**



The 175 cm distance to TW has been maintained

*From Giuseppe & Silvia's presentation @ PM of July*

# Analysis strategy



*From Giacomo's presentation(s)*

**N\_Reference (MC)**  
all TAMCParticles  
• primary beams  
• primary fragments generated in the TG  
• which cross the **1<sup>st</sup> TW layer**  
  
(all the particle inside the geometrical acceptance of the setup without secondary fragmentation beneath the detectors)

**N\_Good Reco**  
(Tracks with MC\_ID which satisfies MC GENERATION requests)

- Cross sections computed using the formula:

$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\theta}(Z, \theta) = \frac{Y(Z, \theta)}{N_{beam} N_{target} \Omega_{\theta} \epsilon(Z, \theta)}$$

- Systematical impact studied with the **reco ratio**:

$$reco\ sys = \frac{\sigma_{reco} - \sigma_{MC}}{\sigma_{MC}}$$

- Analysis cuts:

$$\begin{aligned} \chi^2 / n_{dof} &< 2 \\ n_{global\ tracks} &> 1 \\ \text{TW point} &\text{ in one track (at most)} \\ n_{global\ tracks} &== \text{TW point} \end{aligned}$$

Same strategy as Giacomo for the analysis but...

- **Magnetic field is present**
- **Full spectrometer for tracking → VT-IT-MSD-TW**

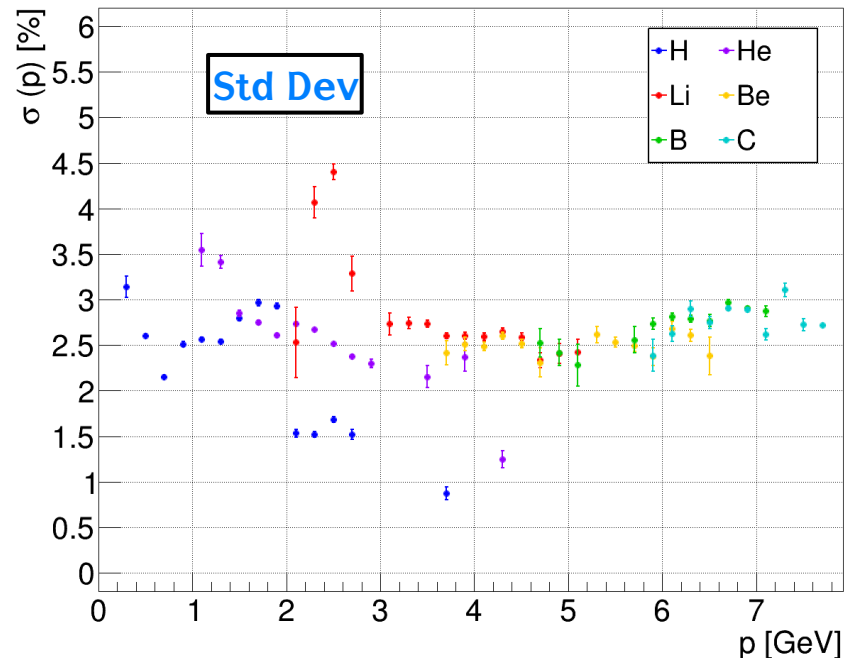
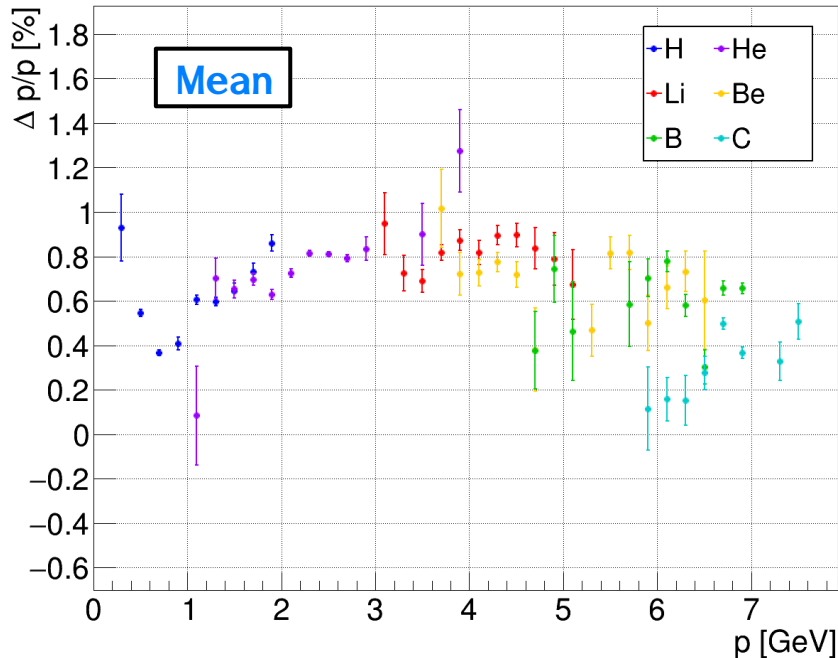
# Momentum resolution



$$\frac{\Delta p}{p} = \frac{p_{reco} - p_{MC}}{p_{MC}}$$

(Calculated @ TG-AIR interface)

- Slight overestimation of  $p$  (<1%)
- $p$  resolution  $\sim 2.5\%$  in the whole energy range



# Let's jump to the end! Cross section

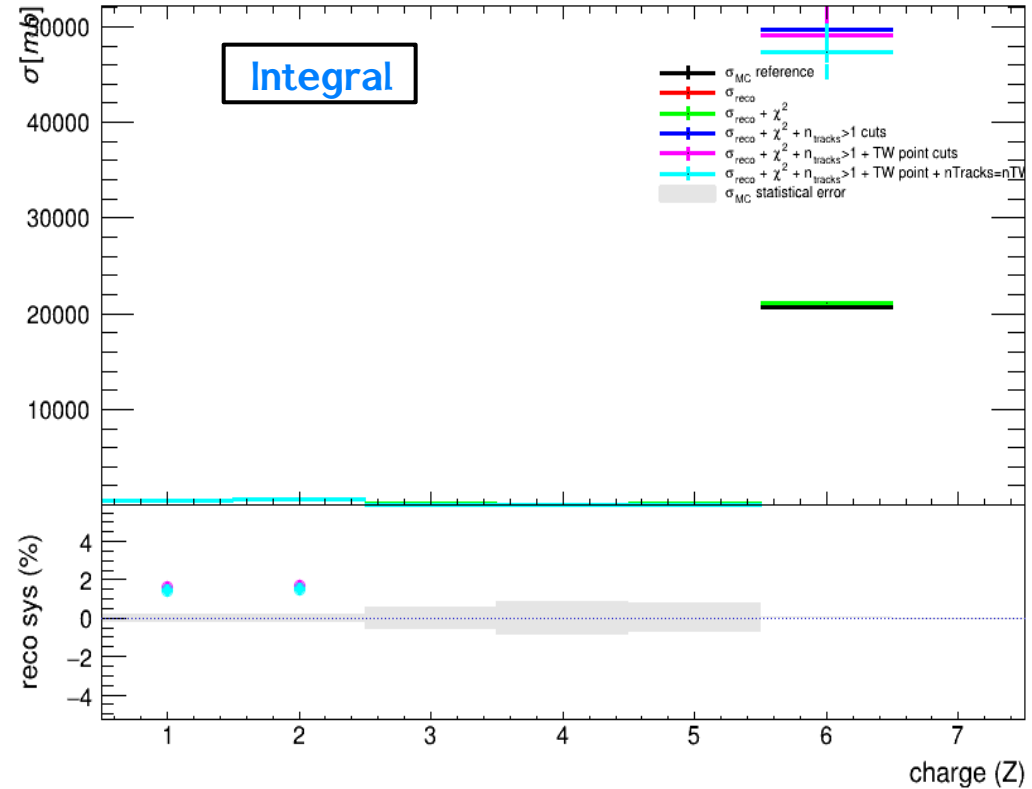


*Resolution is good!*  
*What about the cross section?*

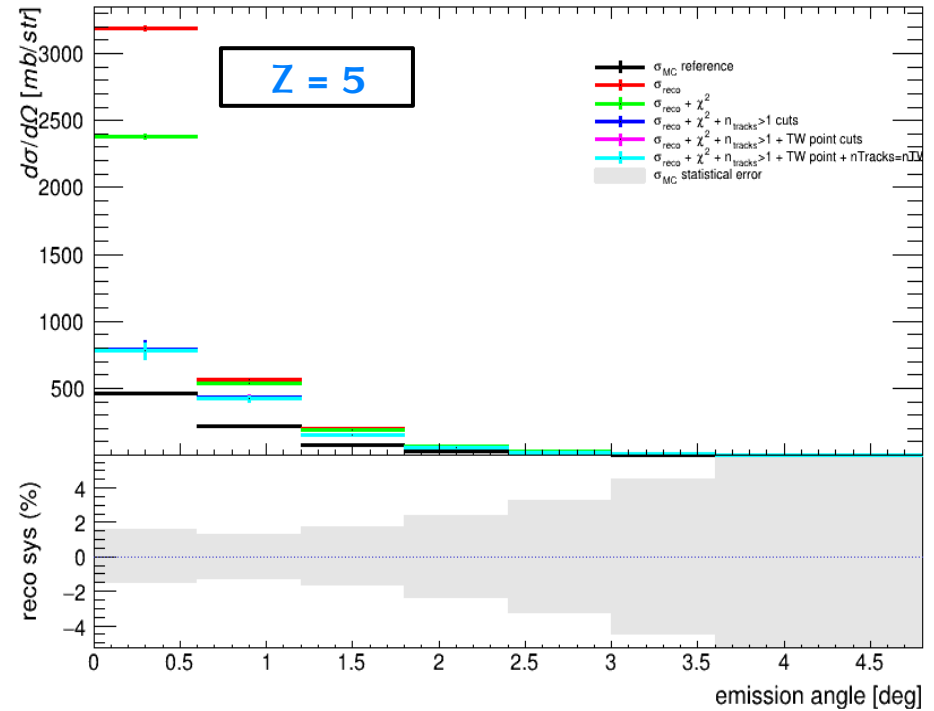
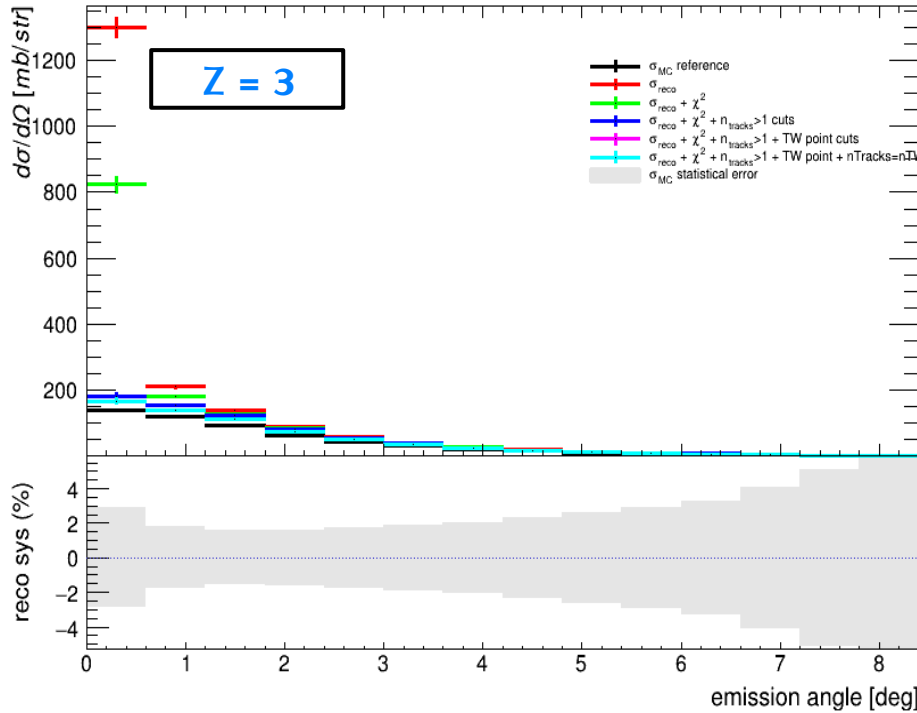
Integral cross section in Z

- H and He at 2% level
- All the other are out of the graph...

*What?*



# Let's jump to the end! Cross section



*So... apparently nothing is working with B field (?)*



# The problem of $\gamma$ -decay



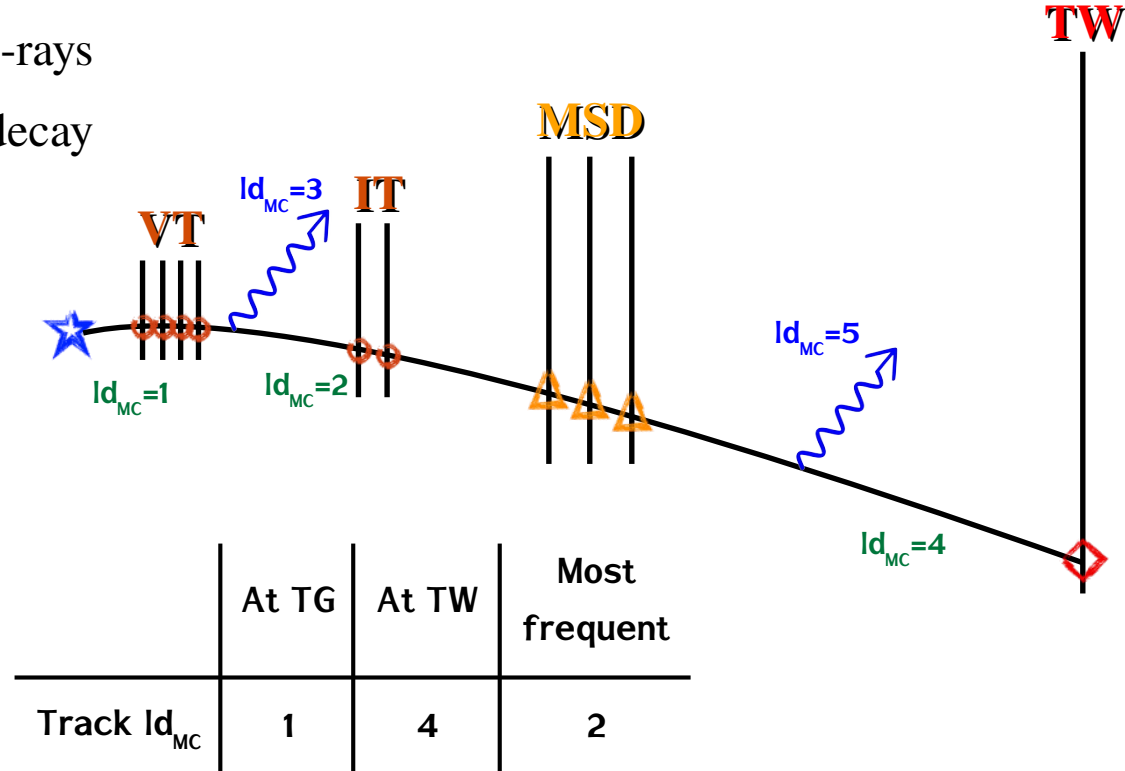
**Any  $\gamma$ -decay changes the MC Id of a particle!**

(see Giuseppe's talk later)

- Breaks any control on MC information along the track!
- Fragments produced in excited state can emit  $\gamma$ -rays
- FLUKA update introduced in-flight prompt  $\gamma$ -decay  
(please correct me if I'm wrong!)
- Much less relevant for GSI2021\_MC  
(Primary? Energy?)



**Recursive check of "mother" particle when  $\gamma$ -decay happens**

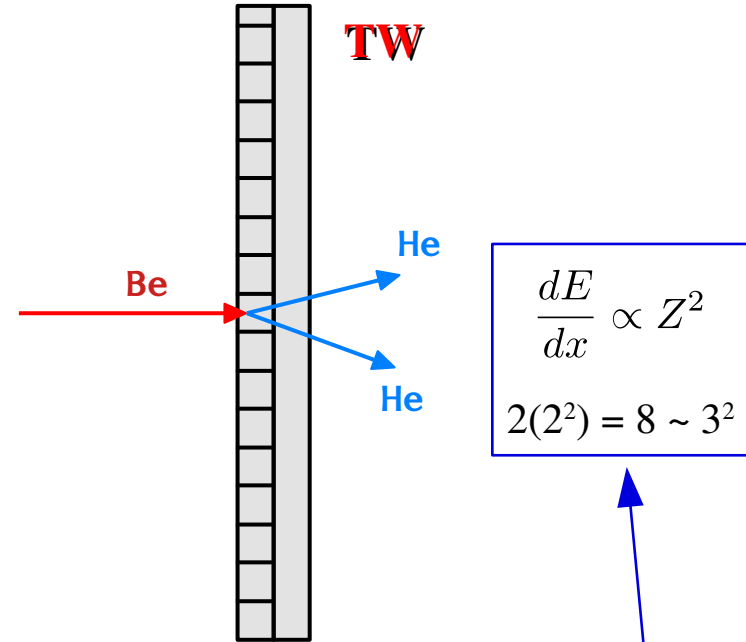


# The problem of TW fragmentations



## Change of MC Id inside the TW

- Breaks some controls on MC Z information along the track!
- Can become quite a mess...
- Mostly leads to wrong Z association in efficiency calculation

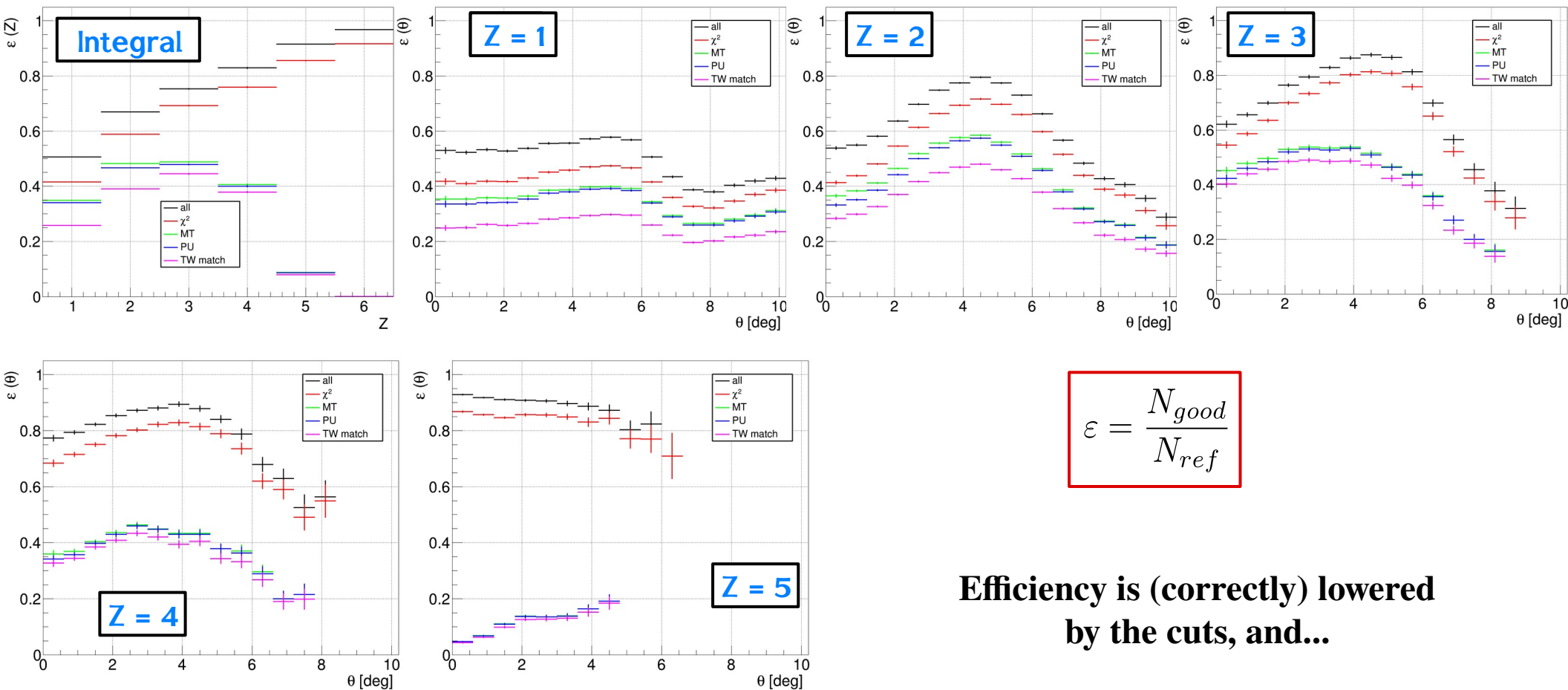


- Recursive check of “mother” particle when TW-frag happens
- Now accounted for in efficiency

|   | MC at TG | MC at TW-in | MC at TW-out | MC TWpoint | Reco TW |
|---|----------|-------------|--------------|------------|---------|
| Z | 4        | 4           | 2            | 2          | 3       |



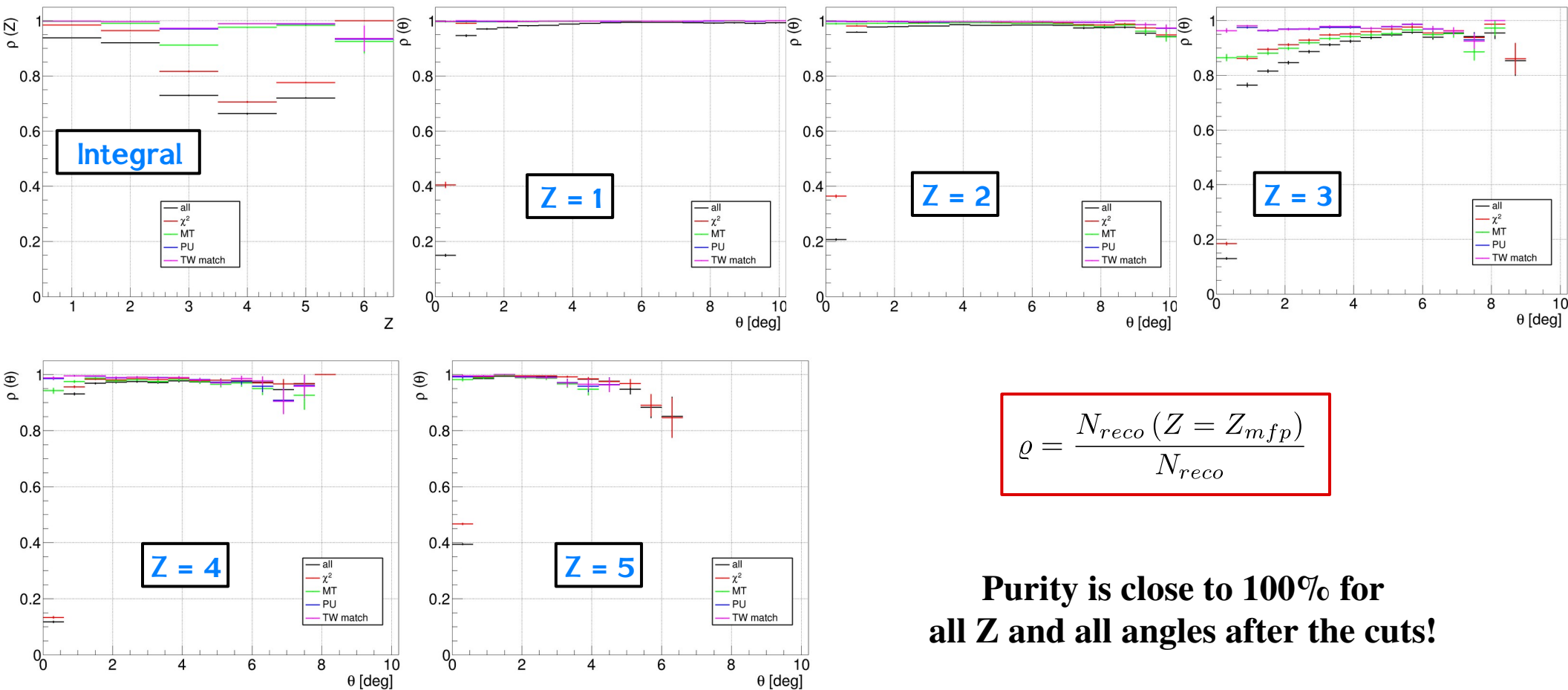
# Tracking efficiency



$$\varepsilon = \frac{N_{good}}{N_{ref}}$$

Efficiency is (correctly) lowered by the cuts, and...

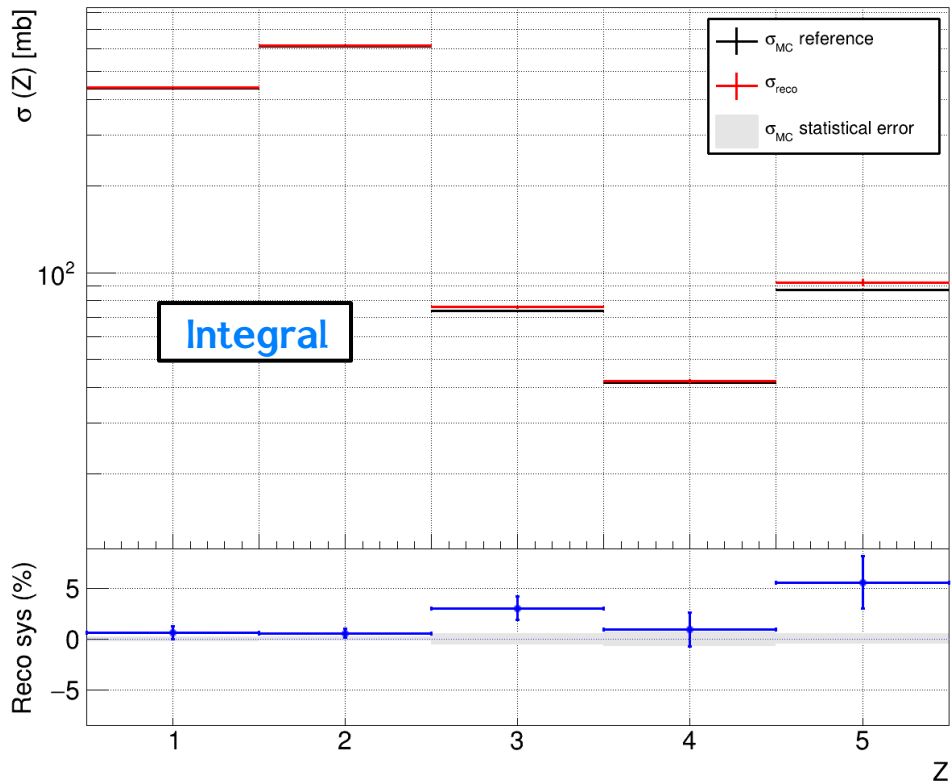
# Tracking purity



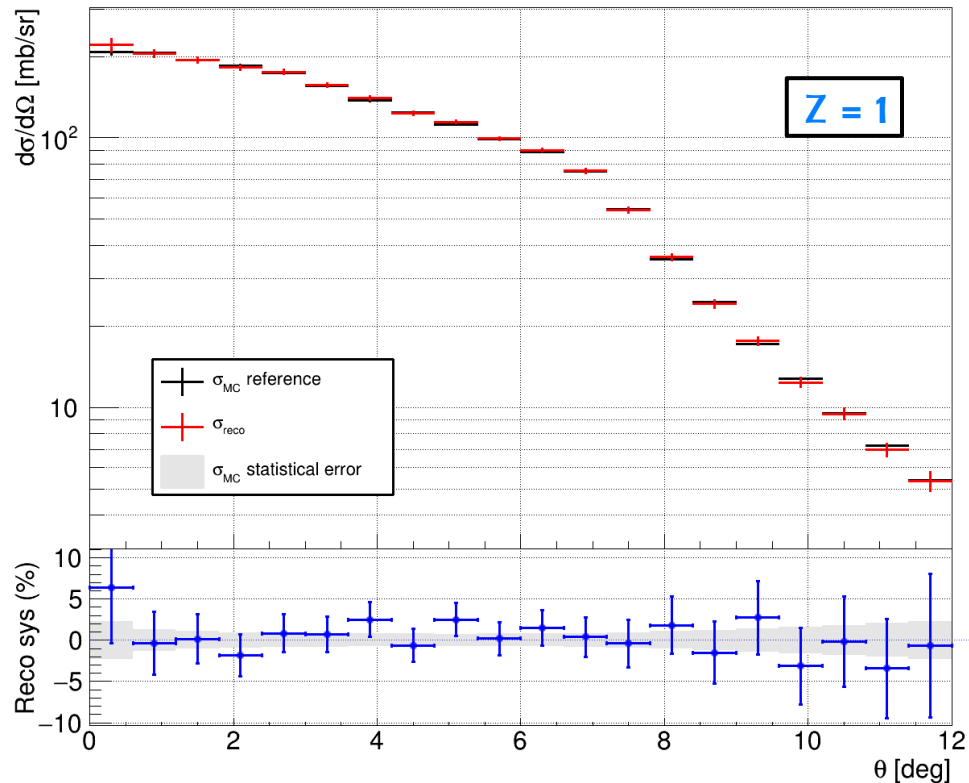
$$\rho = \frac{N_{reco}(Z = Z_{mfp})}{N_{reco}}$$

**Purity is close to 100% for all Z and all angles after the cuts!**

# Cross section reconstruction

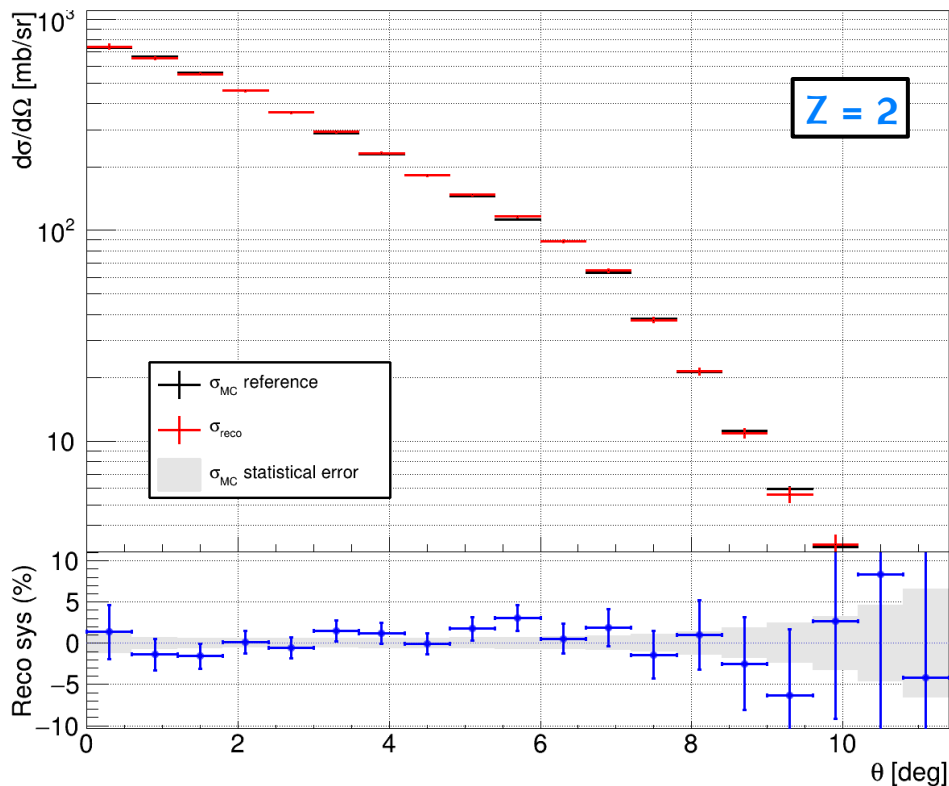


- Integral cross section is now @ 5% level!

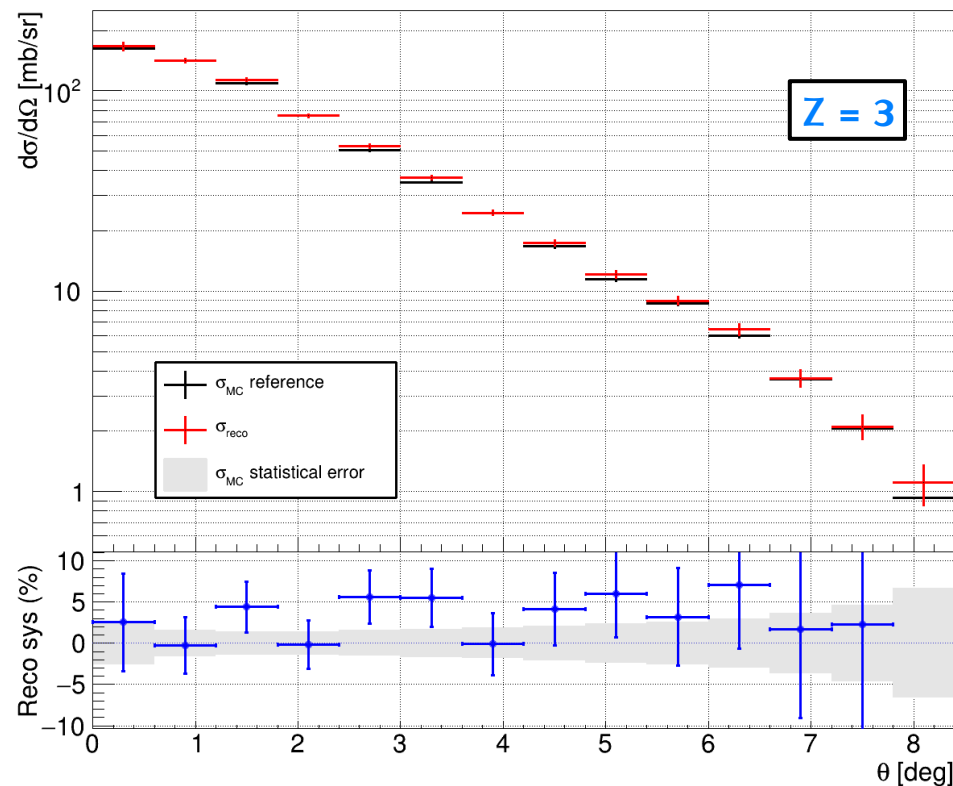


- $Z = 1$  compatible over all angular range

# Cross section reconstruction

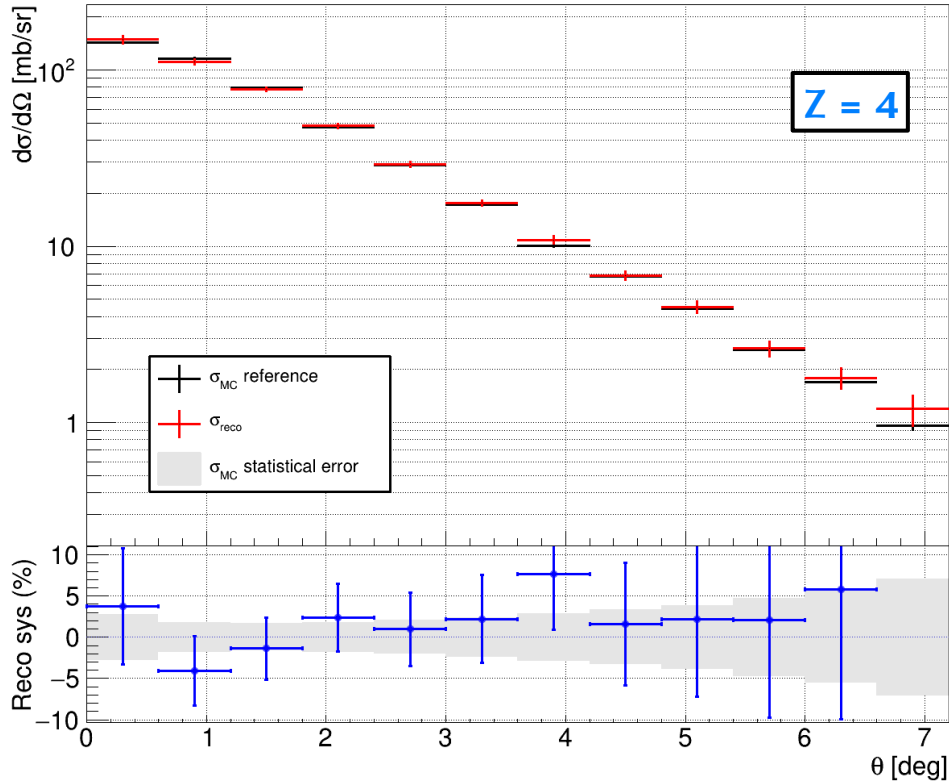


- $Z = 2$  compatible over all angular range

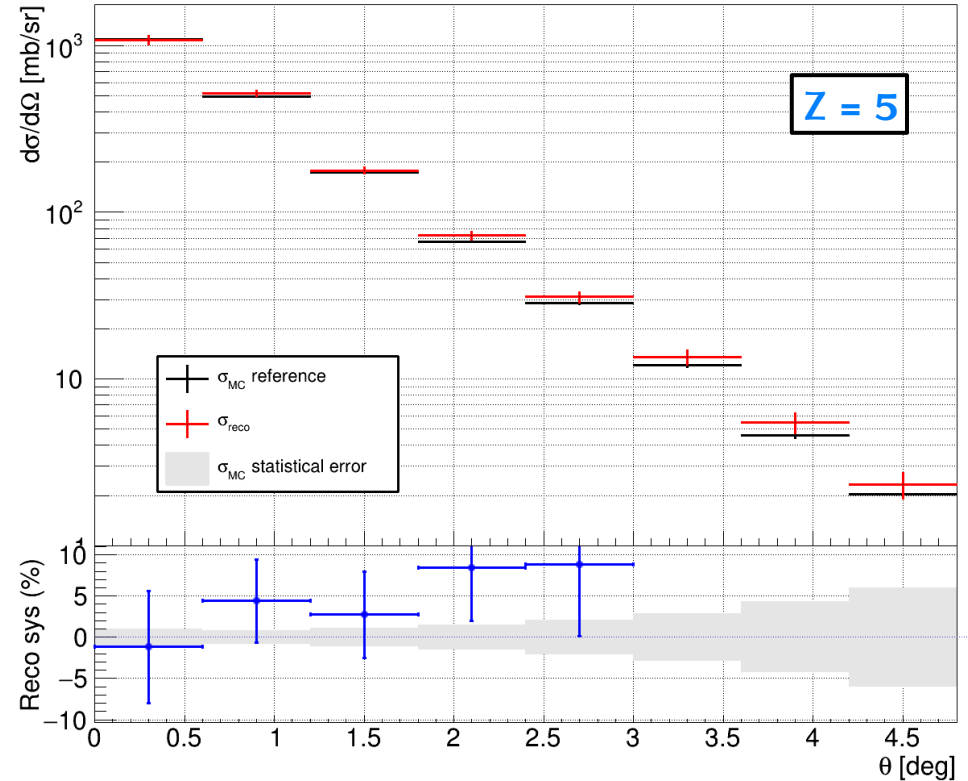


- $Z = 3$  slightly overestimated but @  $\sim 5\%$

# Cross section reconstruction

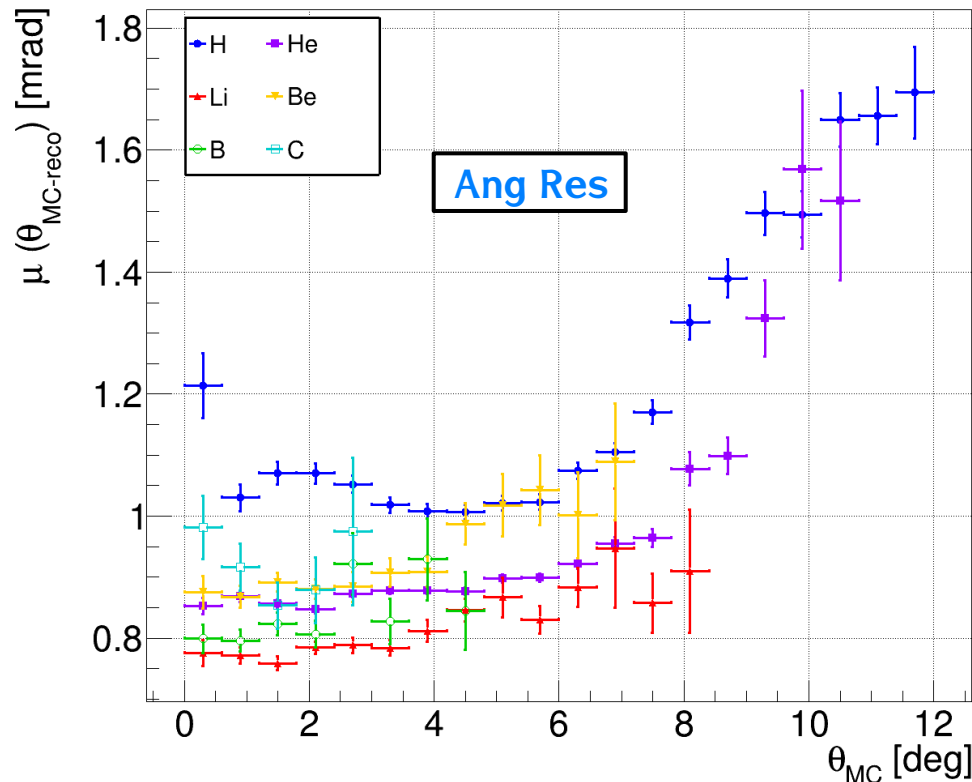
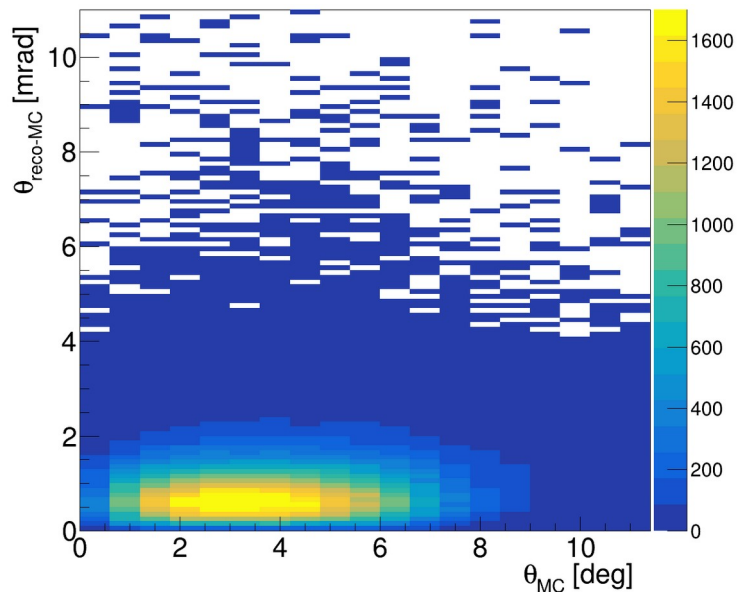
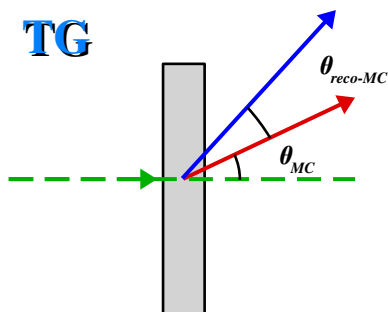


- $Z = 4$  compatible over all angular range



- $Z = 5$  slightly overestimated but @  $\sim 5\%$  up to  $3^\circ$

# Bonus: angular resolution



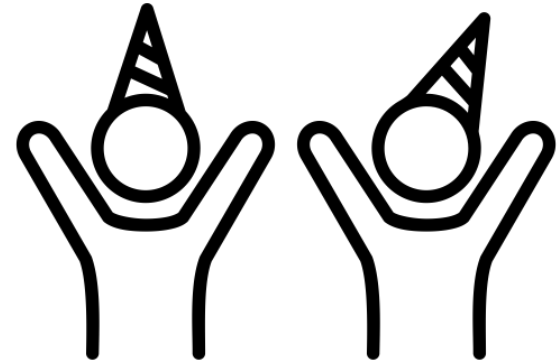
**Angular resolution  
of 1 mrad up to 8°**

# Conclusions



Global reconstruction on MC simulation of full setup

- **Momentum resolution at the level of 2.5%**
- Handled counting errors coming from  $\gamma$ -decays and TW fragmentations
- **Reconstructed cross section compatible with MC**
  - ✓ Within statistical uncertainties for most ions
  - ✓ At the level of 5% for Li and B (up to  $3^\circ$ )
- **Angular resolution at the level of mrad**
- Need to perform the same exercise on CNAO2023 (very similar)
- **Still many information missing!** (*e.g. Z from MSD,  $E_k$  from CA*)



**Need for configuration/calibration files to move to experimental campaigns**