



# Test Beam 2024

## Pion beam analysis

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# General information

From DRAGO simulation studies:

chi = 0.35 to optimise response linearity

Using expected containment = [0.865, 0.87, 0.875, 0.88, 0.885, 0.89]

Simulation from last July, being updated with TB actual setup  
Some simulations with pion beams already run, analysis ongoing

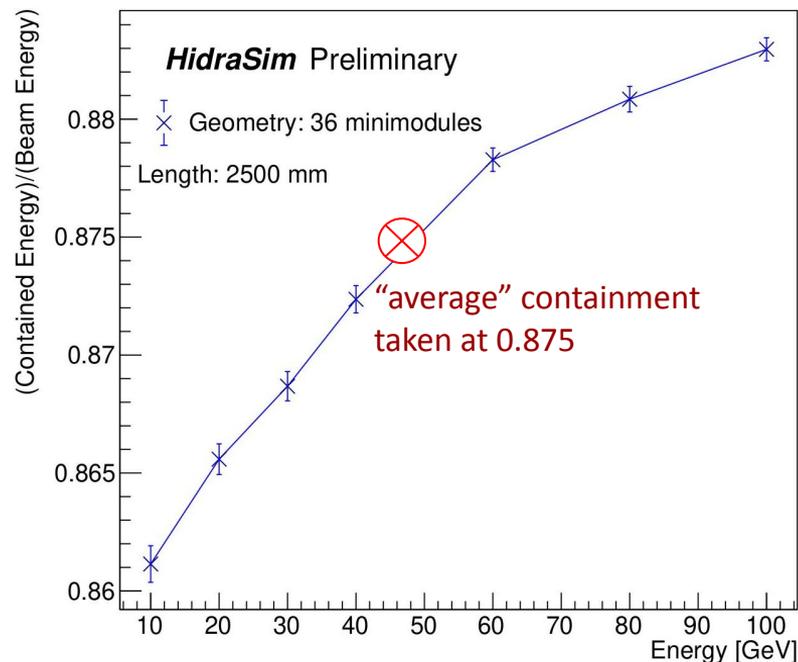
Using "newHV" runs = ["1000", "0967", "0966", "0965", "0963", "0962"]

Since contained energy inside calorimeter changes by a factor > 2% in our test beam range, simulation expected containment is used to account for this effect  
Otherwise non-linearity is guaranteed

$$E_{DR} = \frac{1}{C_{AVG}} \frac{S - \chi C}{1 - \chi}$$

Average pion energy deposited inside DRAGO prototype, with respect to beam (truth) energy

Pion Containment in [10, 100] GeV Range

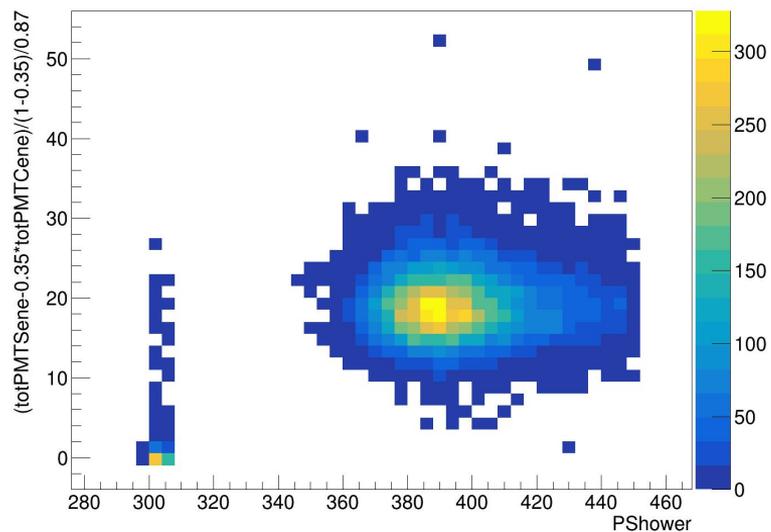


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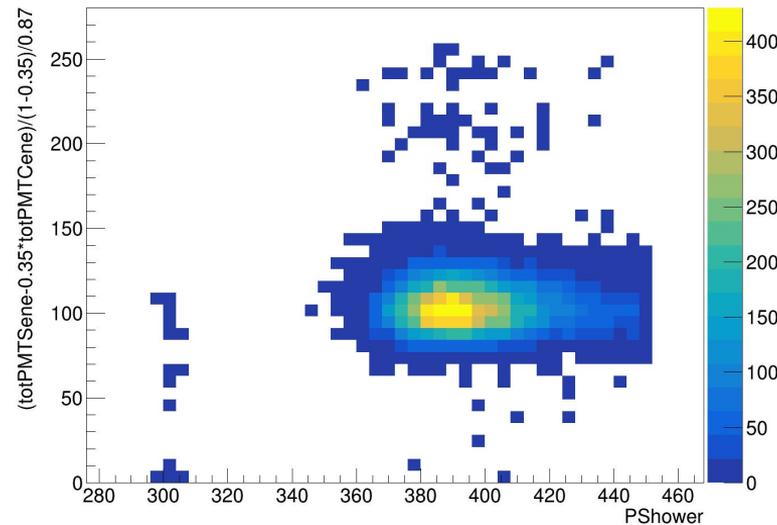
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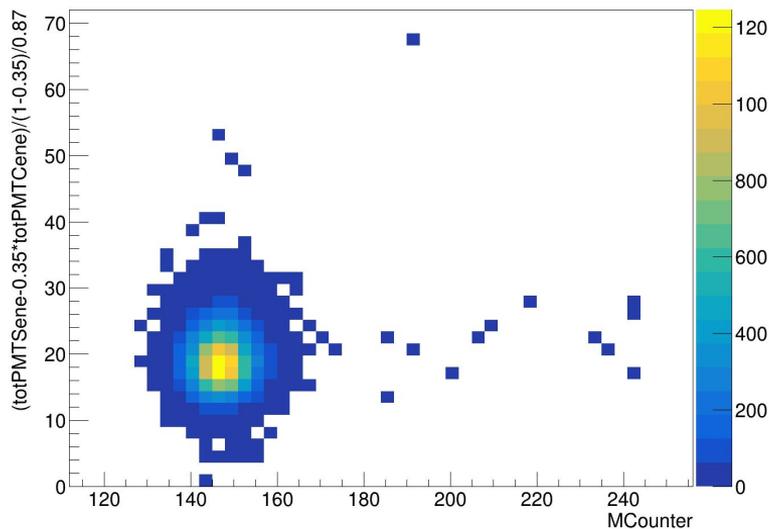


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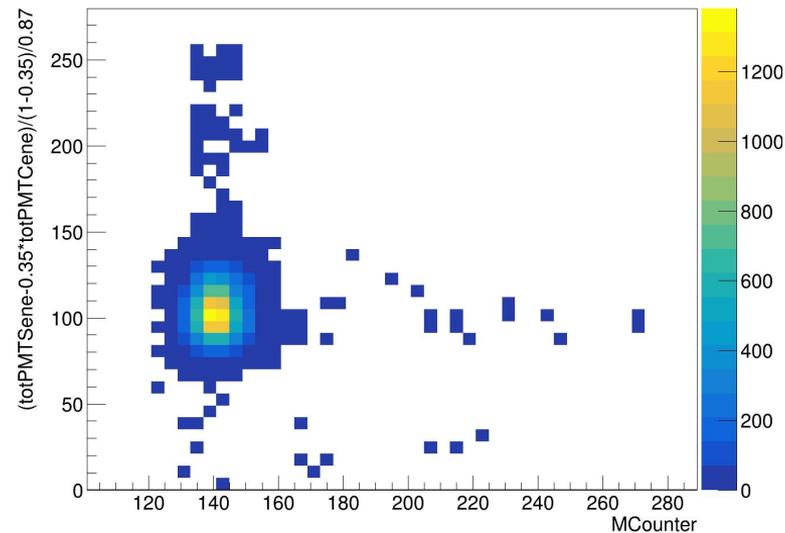
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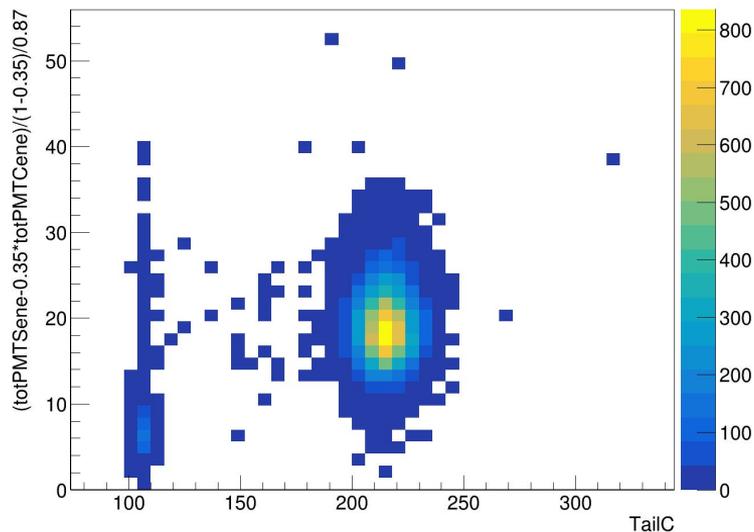


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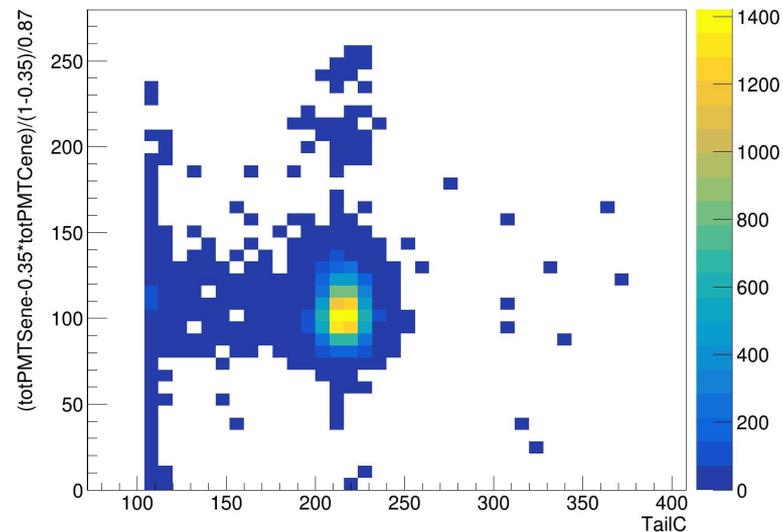
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Reco E Vs TailC, 20 GeV pions



Reco E Vs TailC, 100 GeV pions

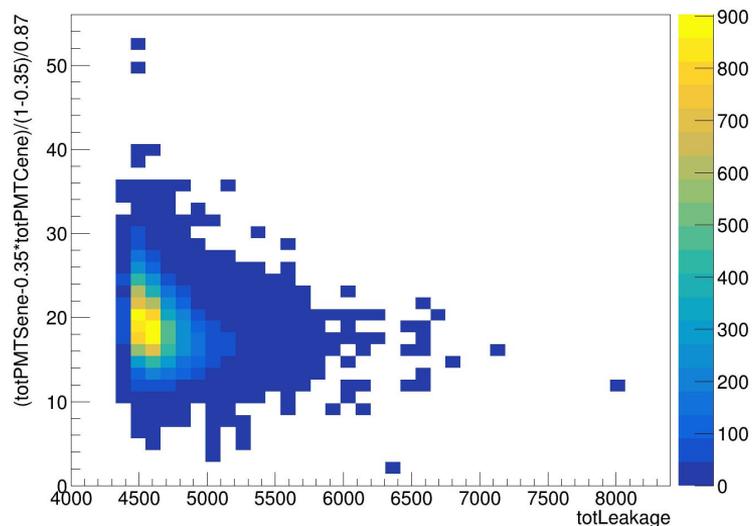


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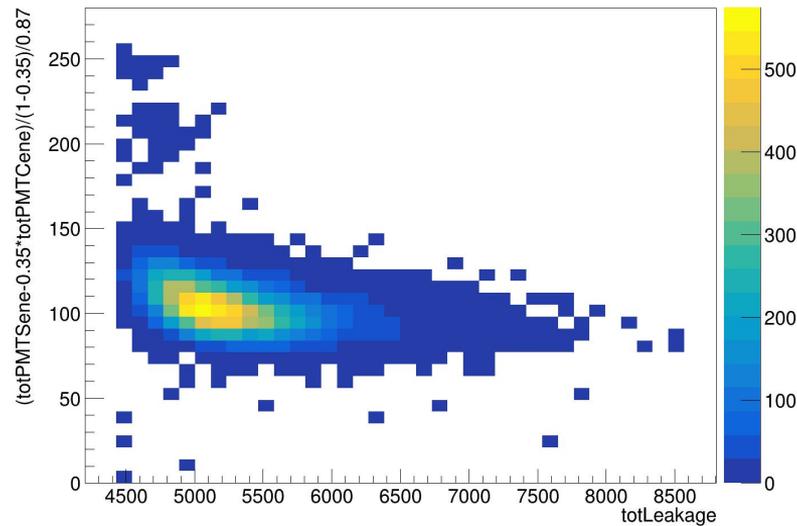
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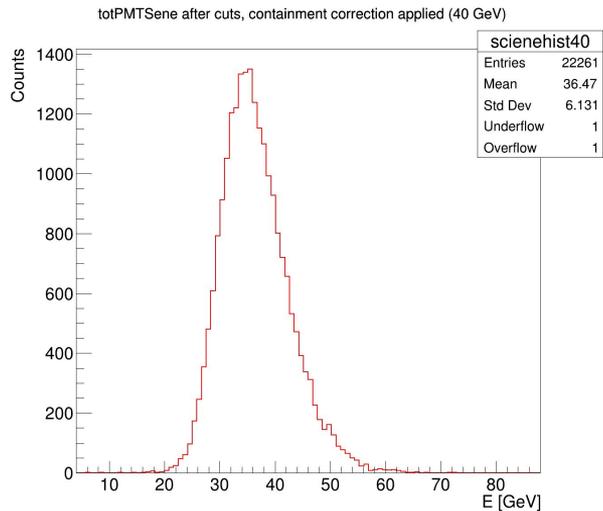
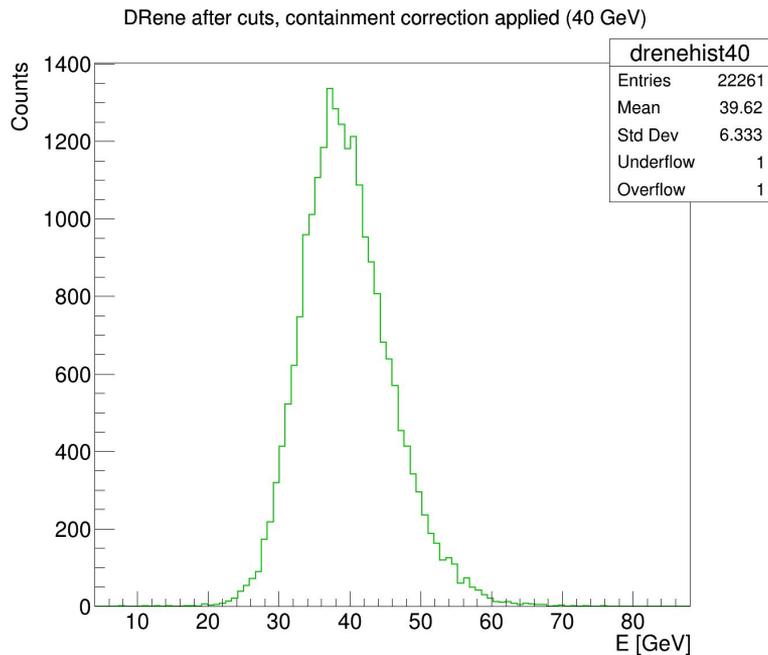


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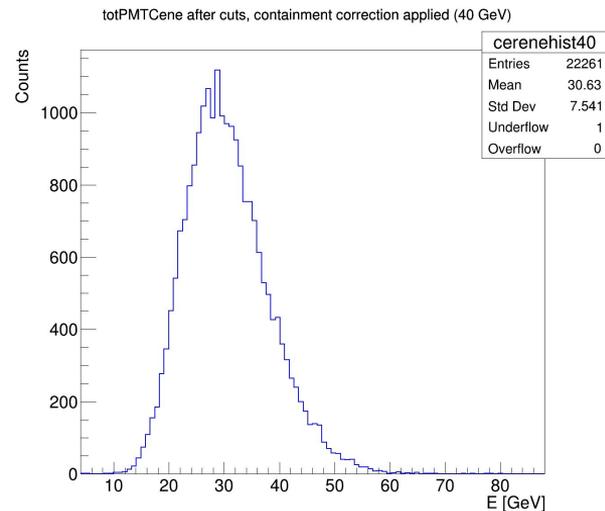
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Reco Energy through dual-readout



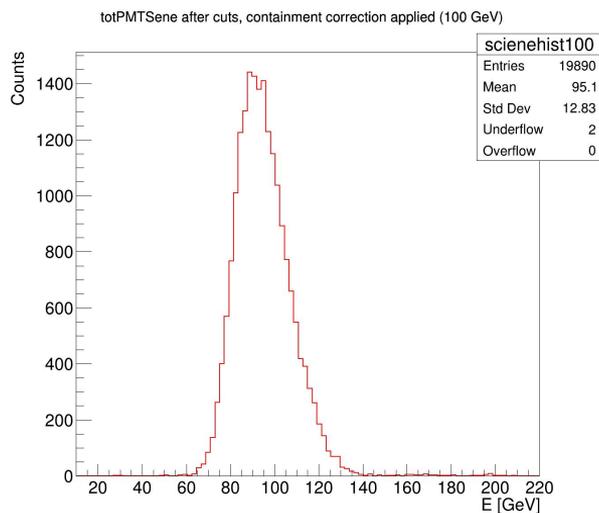
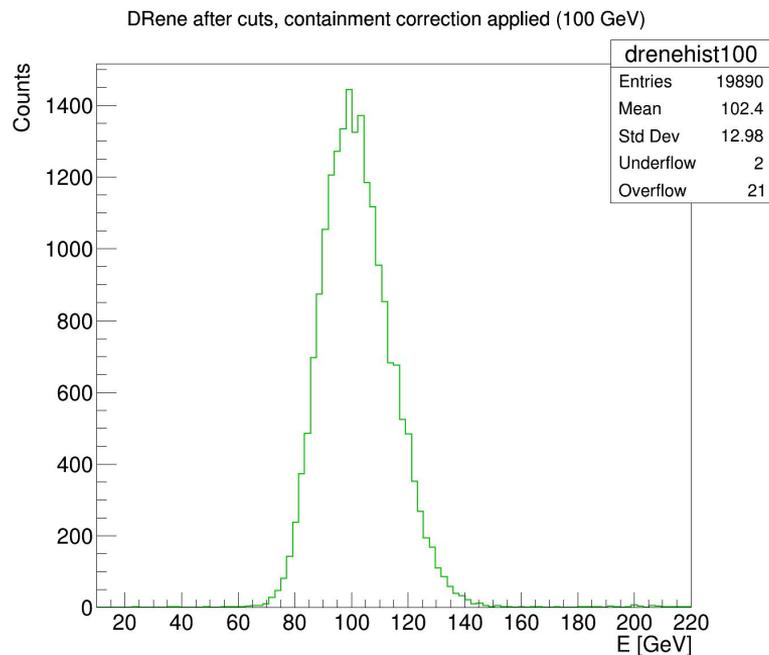
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C channel



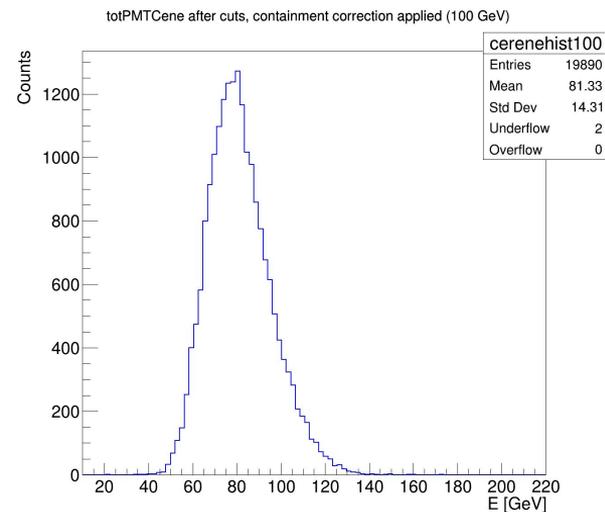
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# Energy dependences

Two main factors impacting energy response:

- Low energy tail -> due to leakage fluctuations
- High energy tail -> light attenuation in optical fibres

(hadron showers developing deeper in the calorimeter are less attenuated)

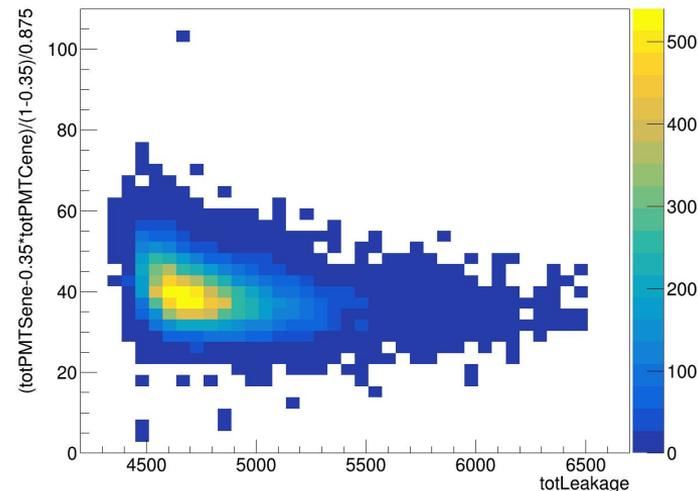
Steps to try reducing high-energy tail contribution:

Before adding timing information to data trees (thanks Iacopo!)  
we had no information about shower development position

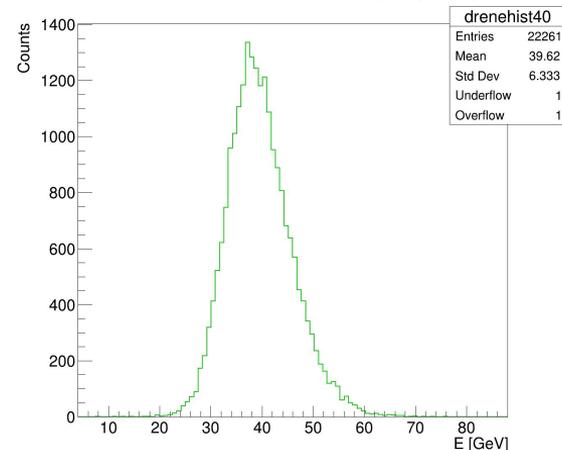
Use “asymmetry” variable (which was already implemented for electron beam analysis), reasoning in following slides

After timing was included, tried different approaches to exploit it

Reco E Vs totLeakage, 40 GeV pions

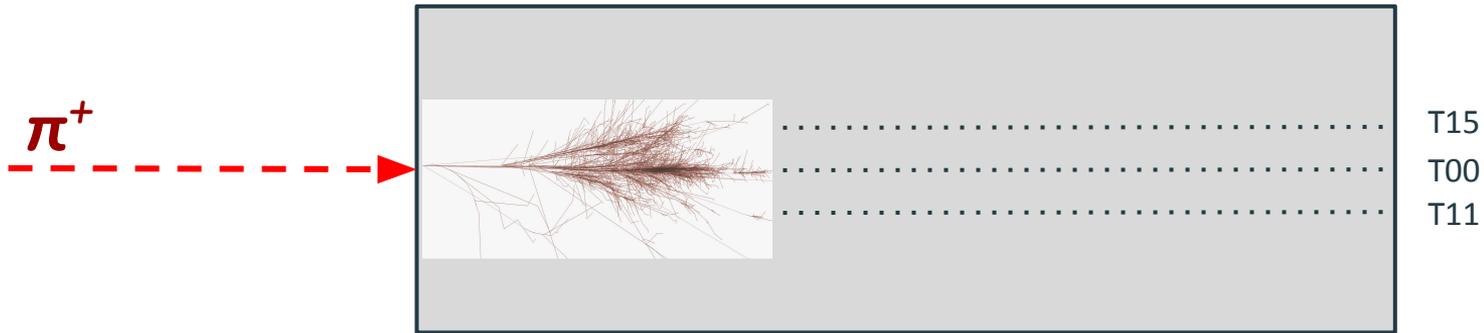


DRene after cuts, containment correction applied (40 GeV)



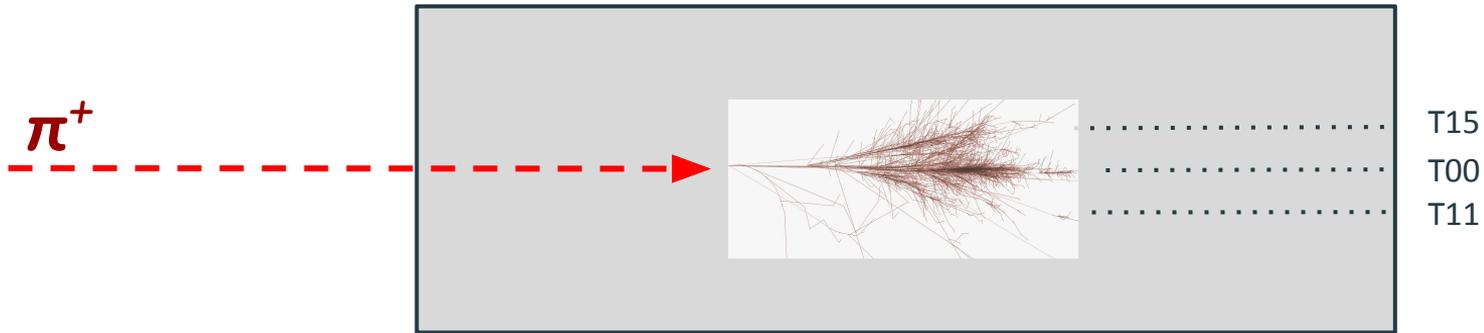
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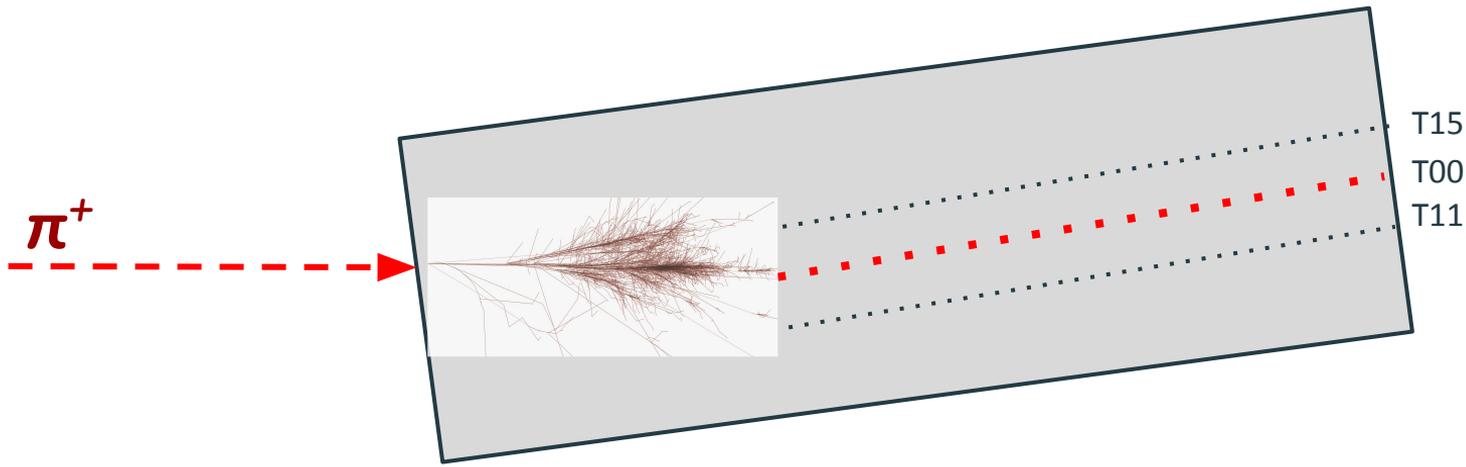
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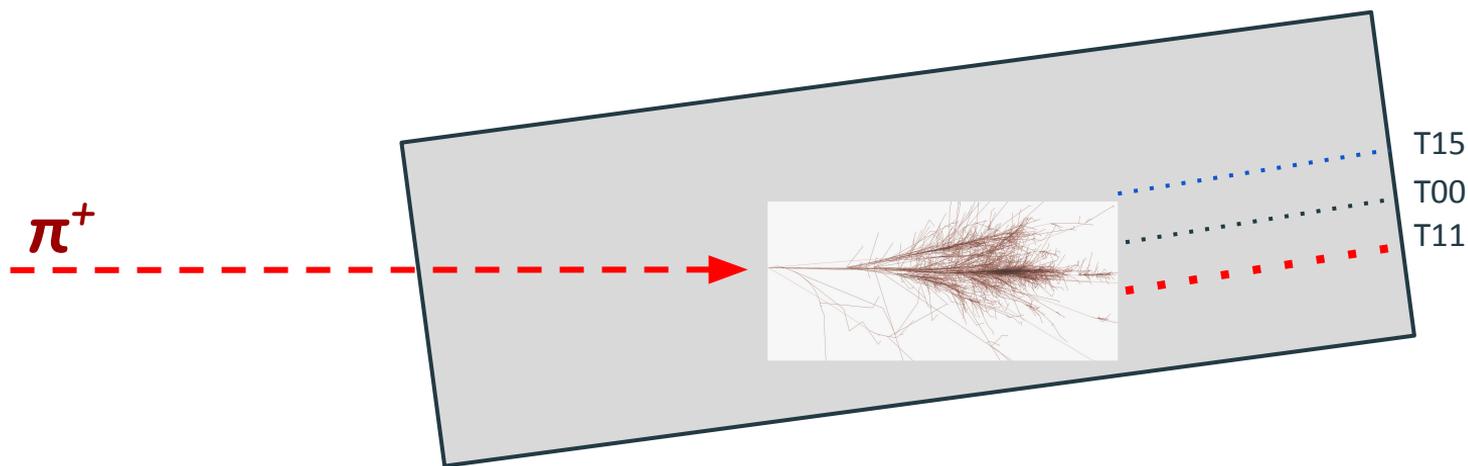
## Calorimeter tilted

For early-initiating showers (hence, similar attenuation with respect to electromagnetic ones) still similar energy deposit in rows above and below central one



## Calorimeter tilted

For late-initiating showers (less attenuated signal) lower towers read higher energy with respect to higher ones (on average)  
-> more asymmetrical



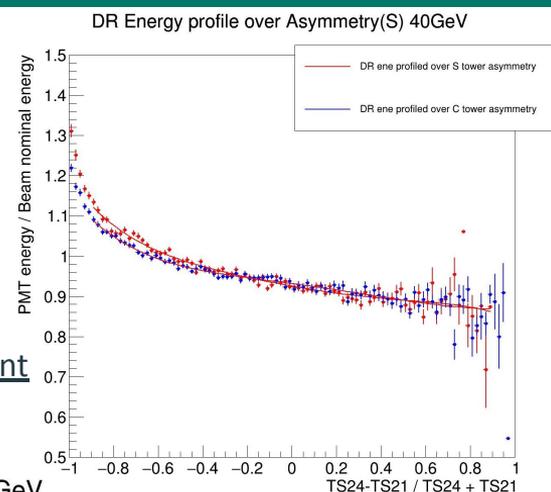
# On pion energy correction

Observed better results using ring2 towers instead of T11 and T15

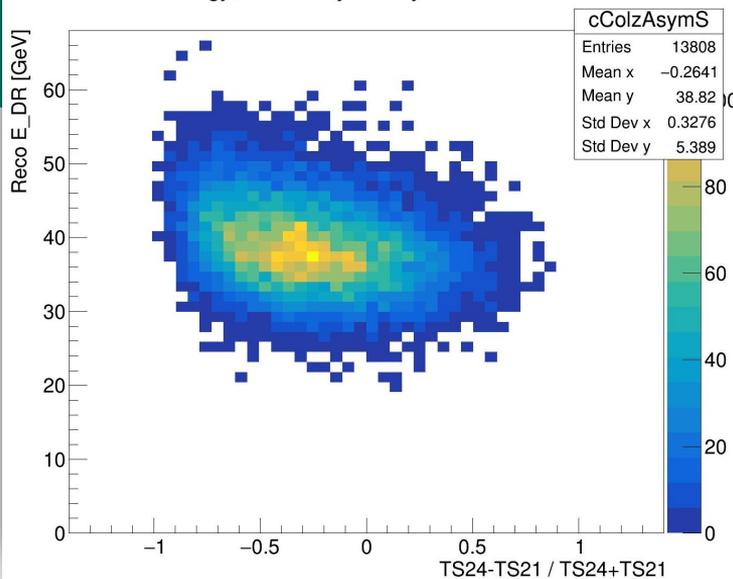
Also tried sums of (T23+T24+T25) and (T20+T21+T22), no significant improvement

Fit asym = (TS24-TS21)/(TS24+TS21) with 5deg polynomial, for only one energy working point

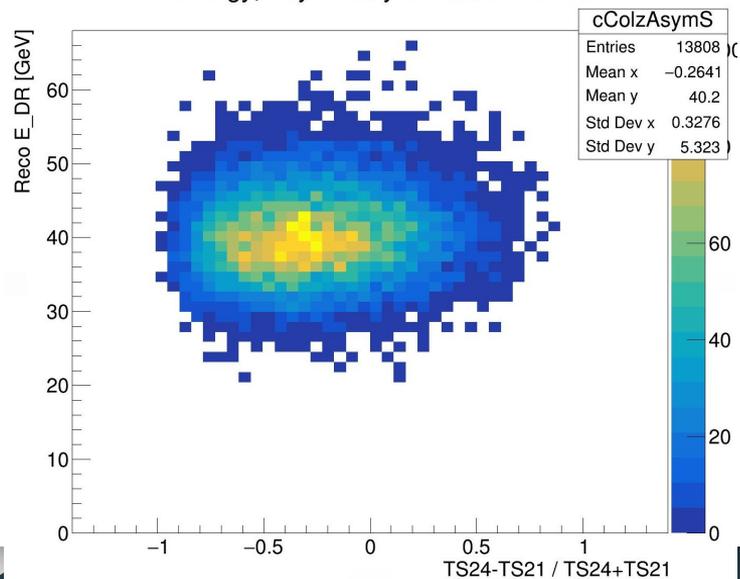
For any point,  $E_{DR} = E_{DR} / f_{S_{40GeV}}(\text{asym})$



DR energy, before asymmetry correction 40 GeV



DR energy, Asymmetry correction 40 GeV



Profile of recoE/nominalE with respect to asymmetry variable

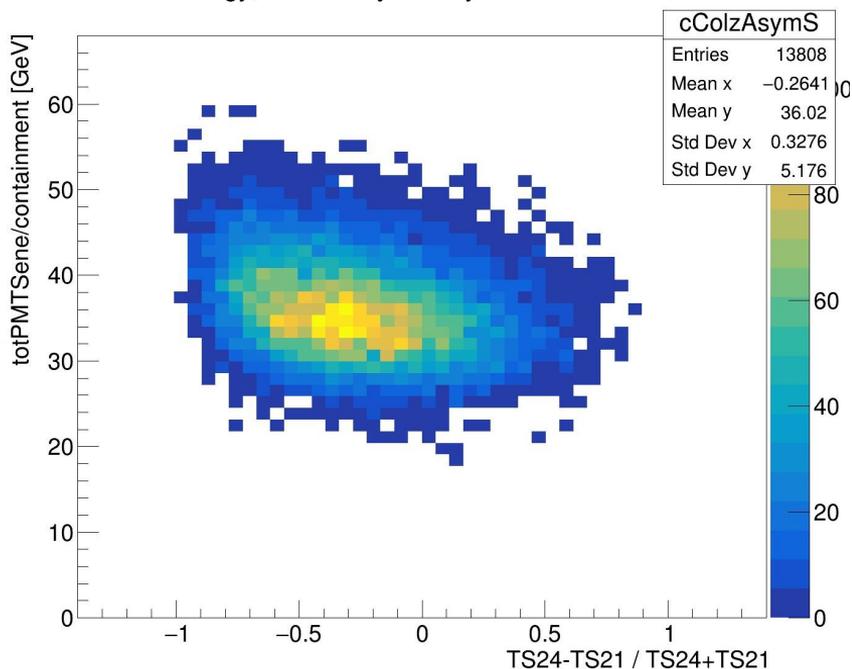
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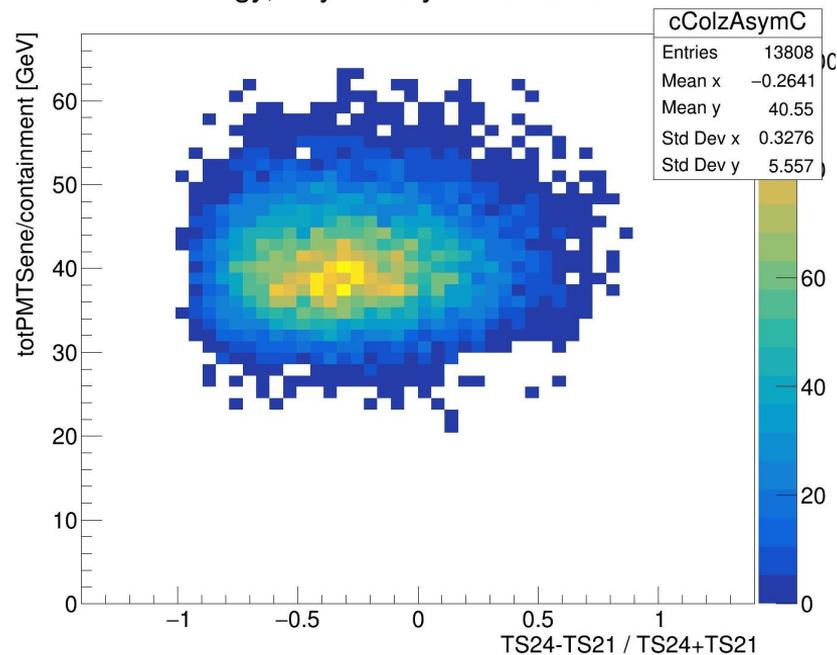
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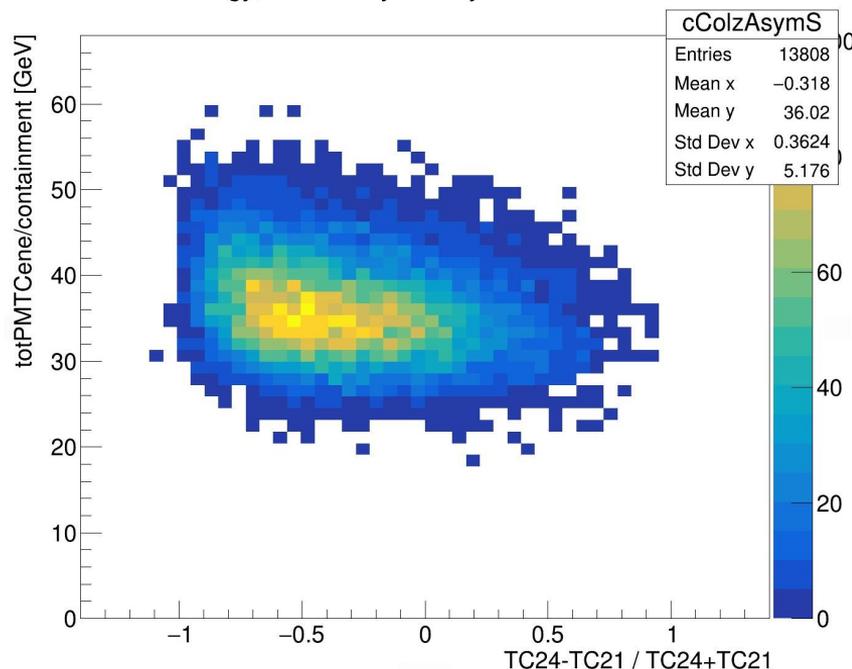
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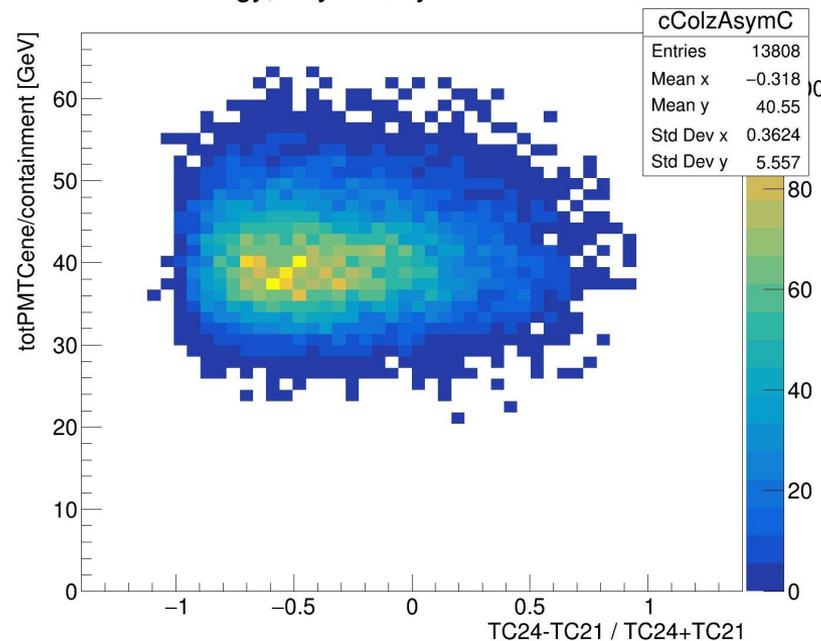
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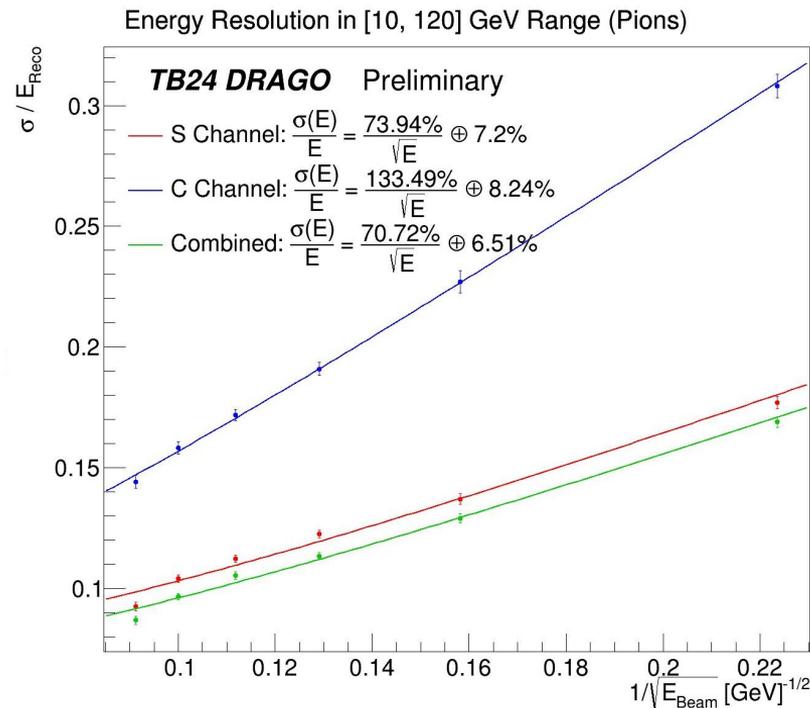
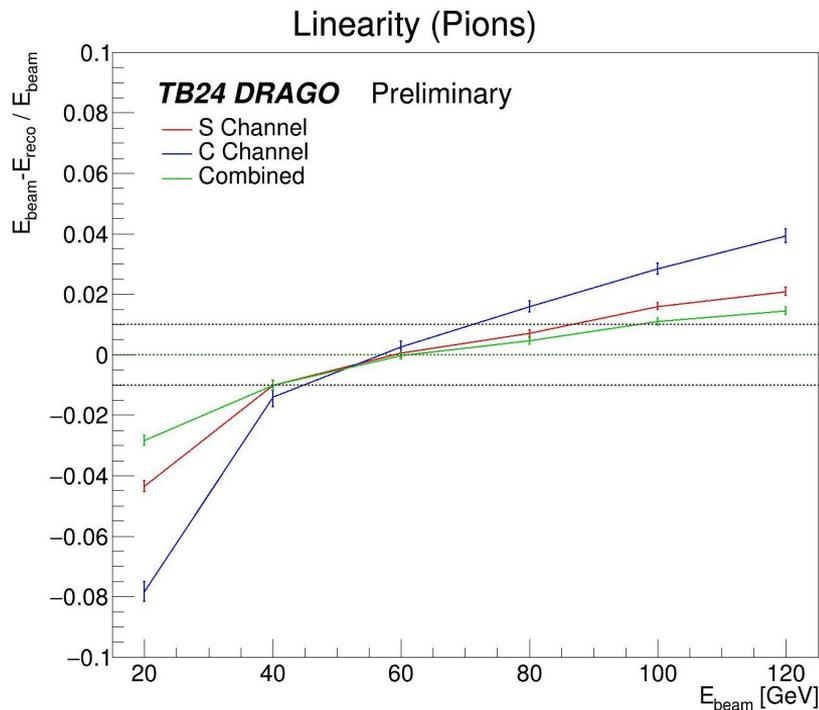


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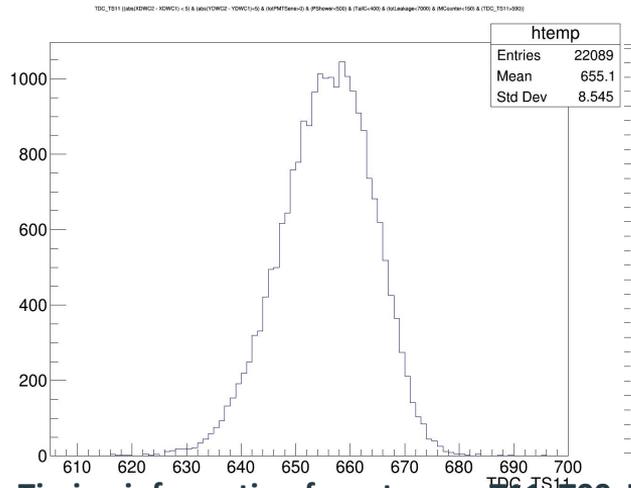


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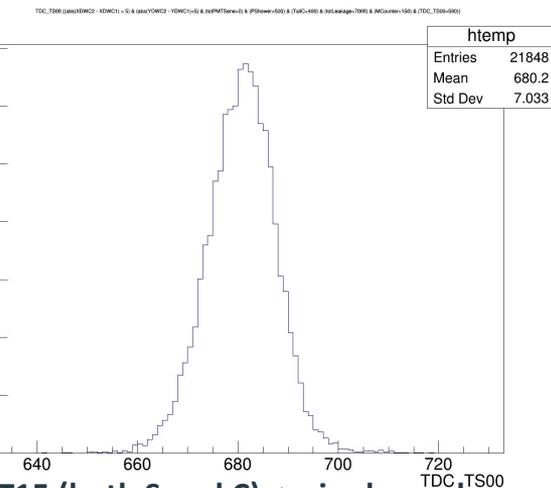
Using correction with asymmetry only



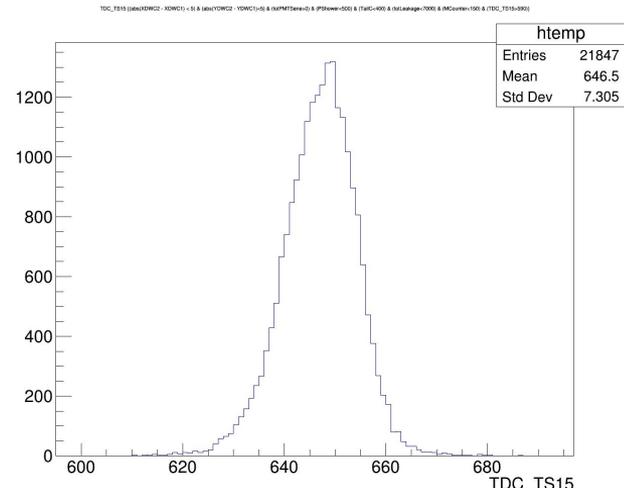
## Tower 11



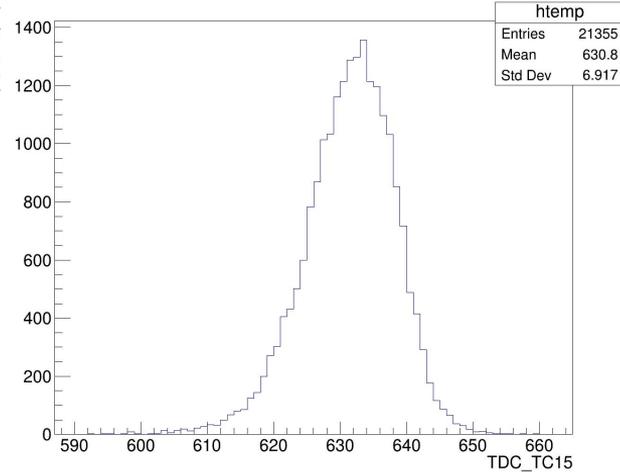
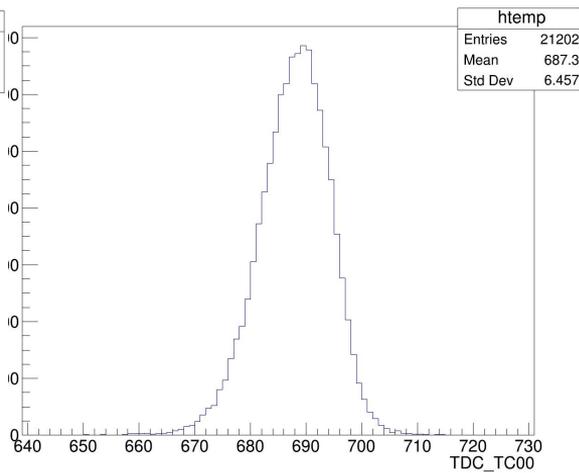
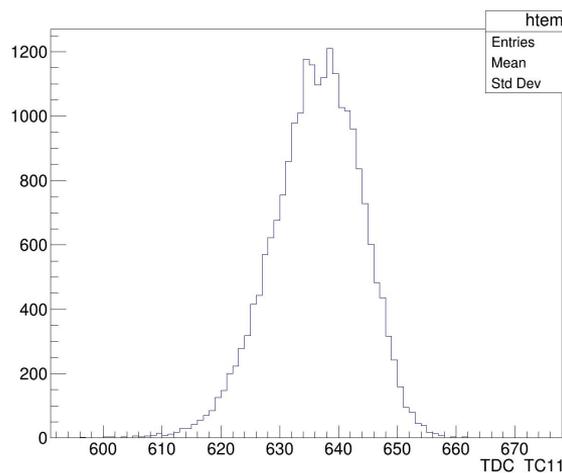
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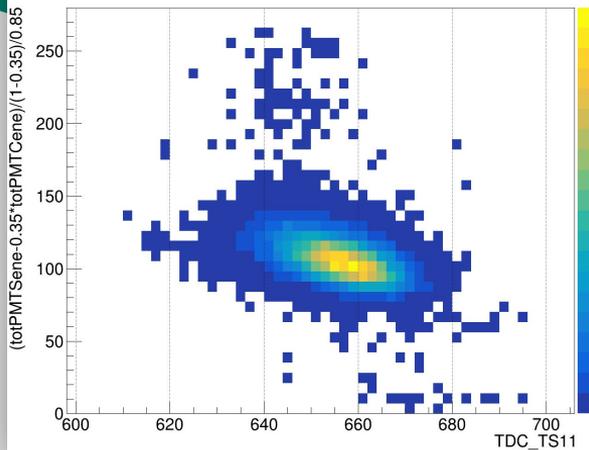
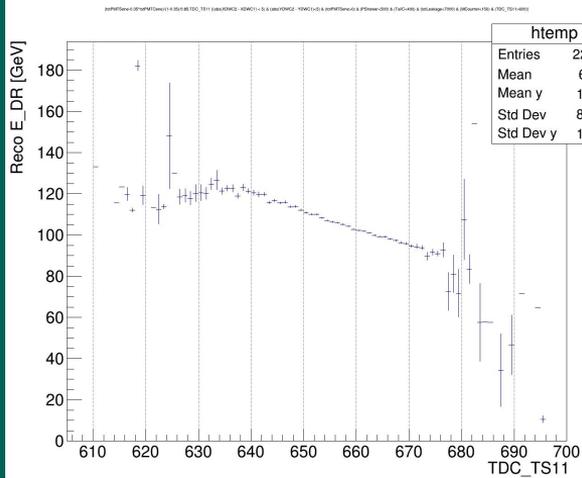
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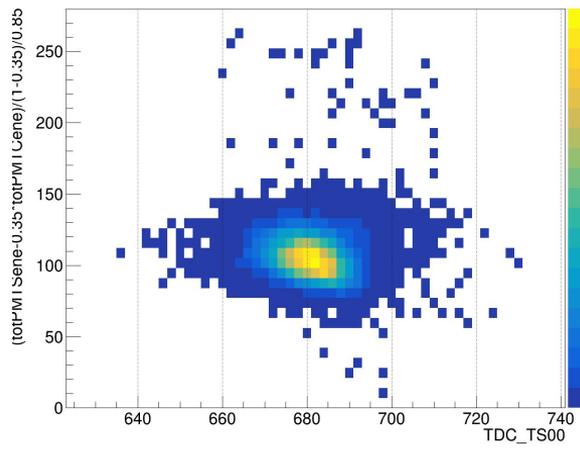
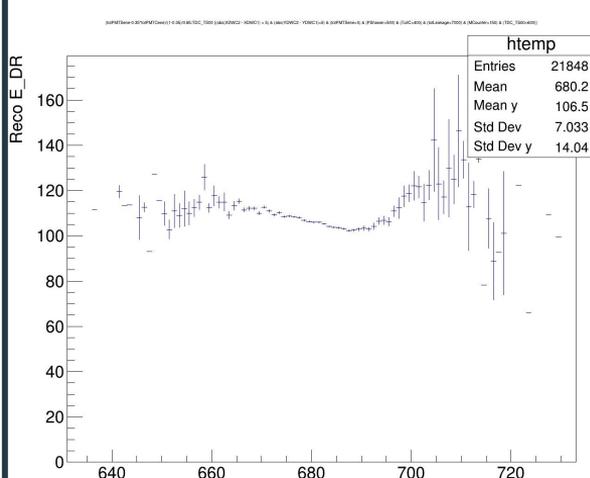
**Timing information from towers T11, T00, T15 (both S and C) -> six channels**



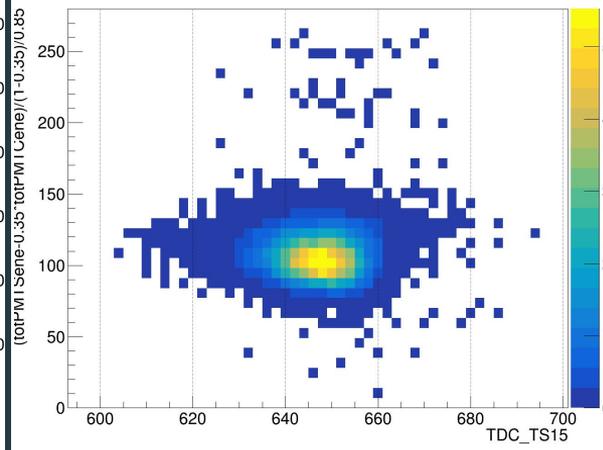
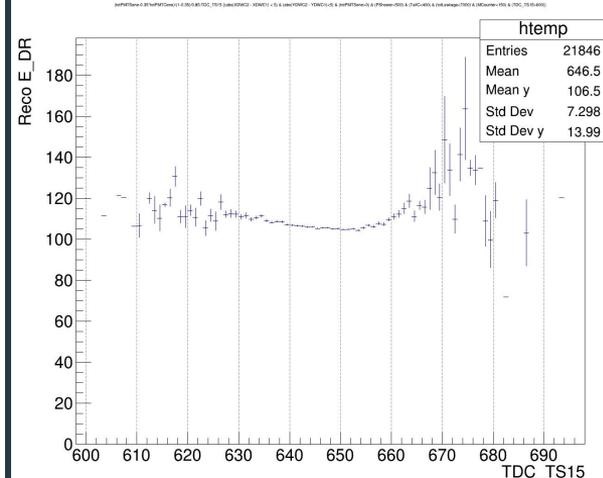
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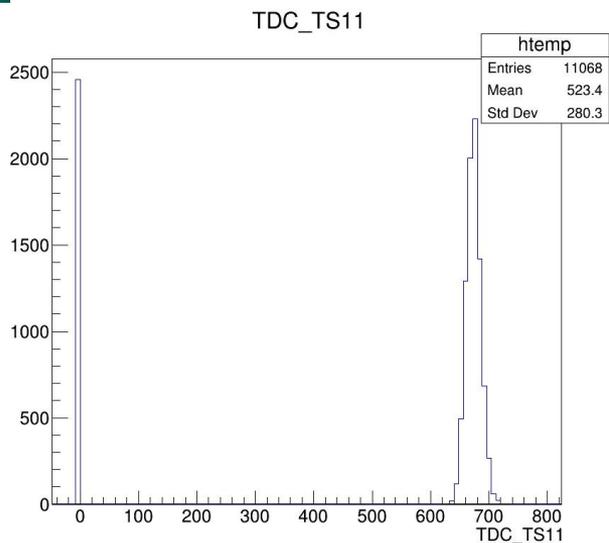
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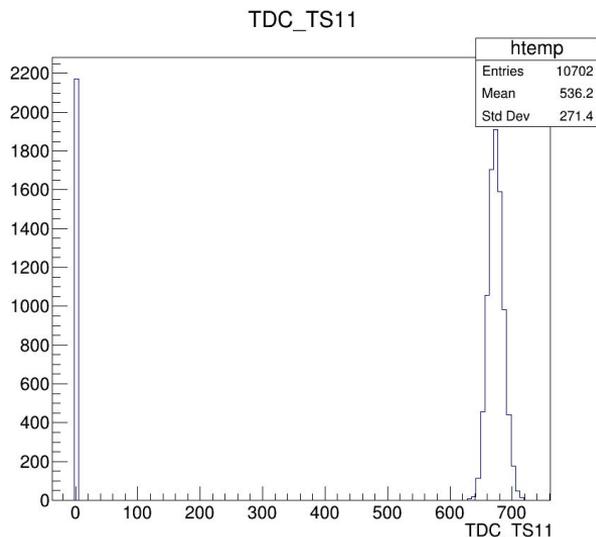
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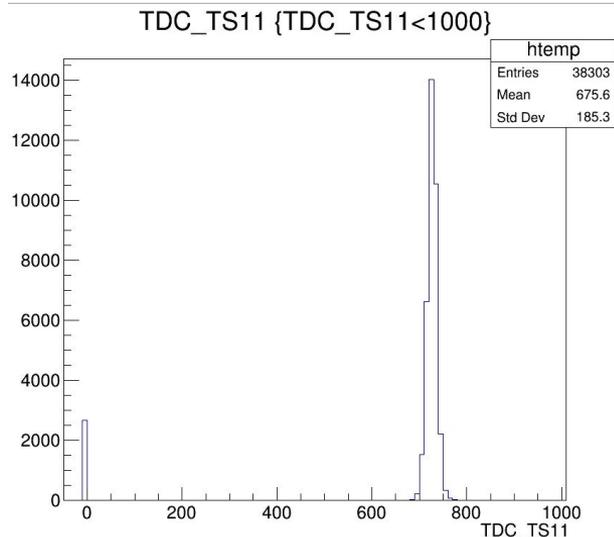
Run 0968, 20 GeV pions, before cuts



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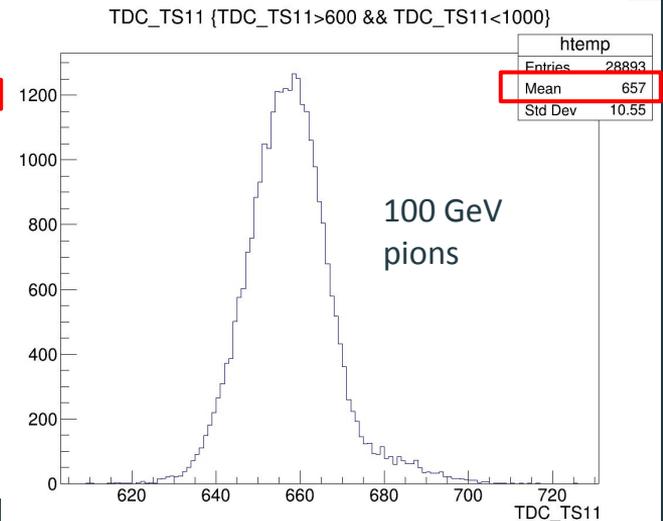
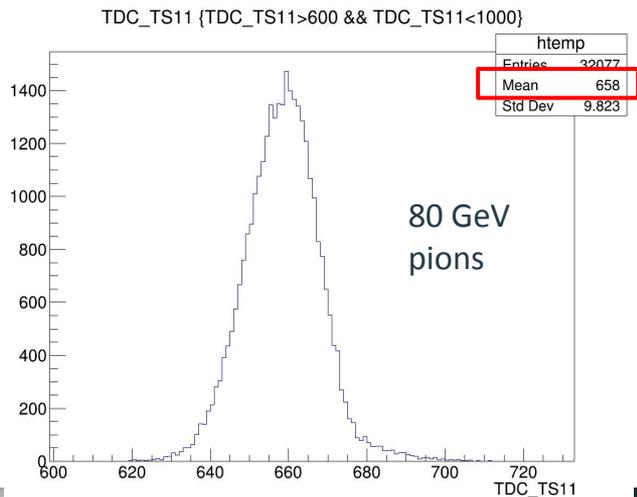
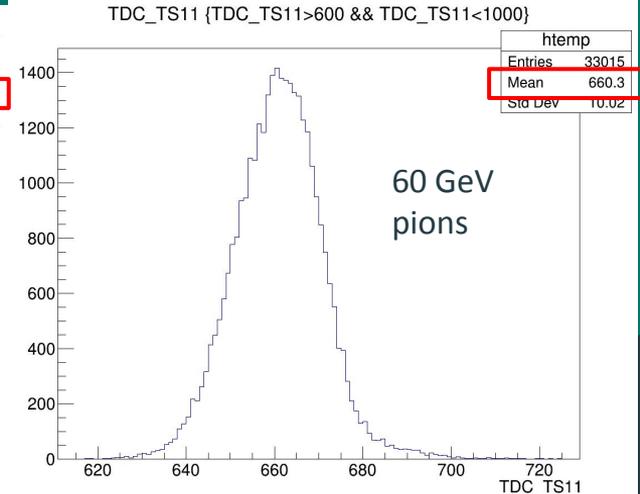
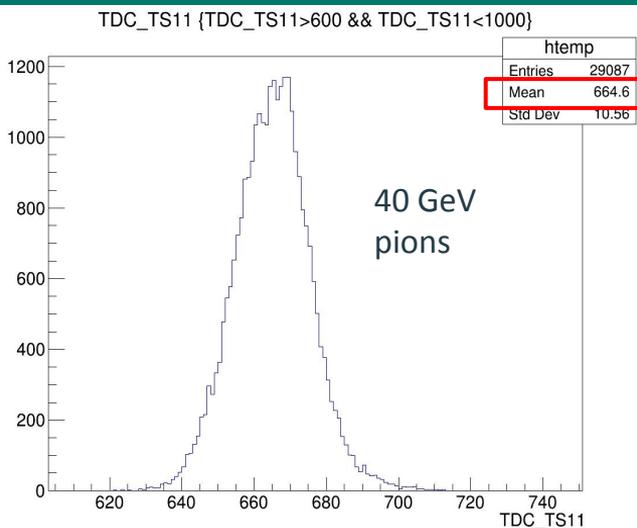


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Not clear how to shift TDC distribution with energy

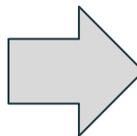
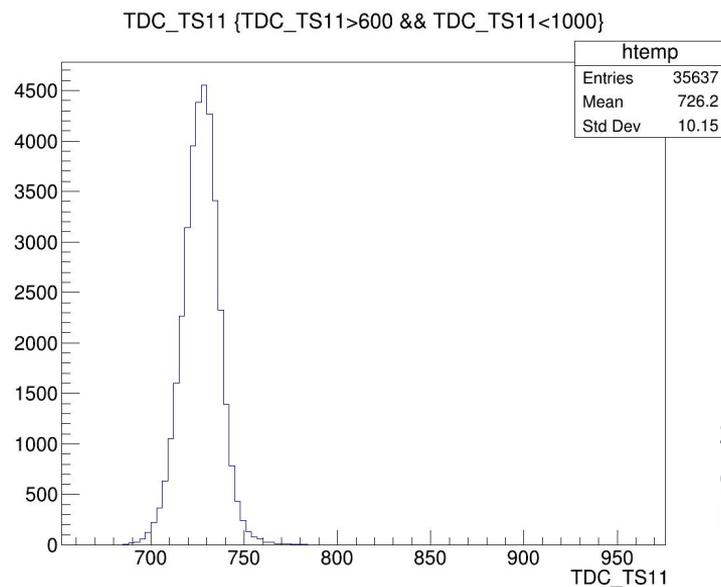


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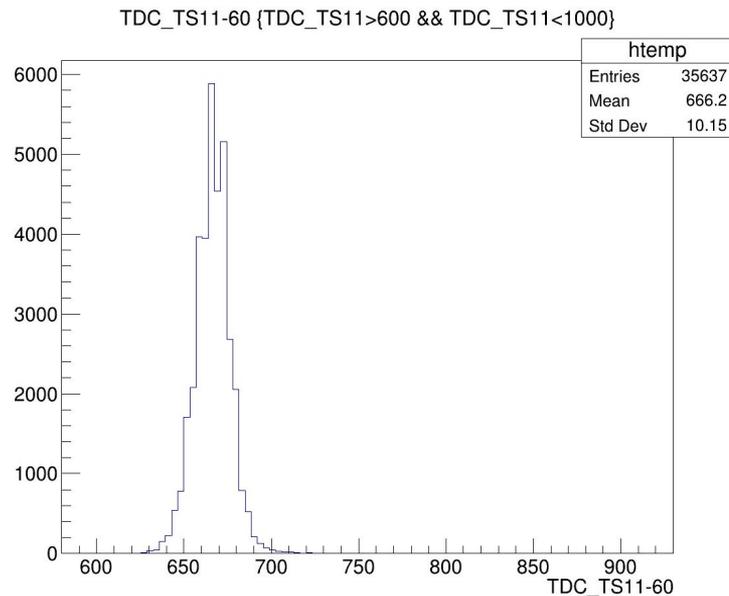
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Shifting  
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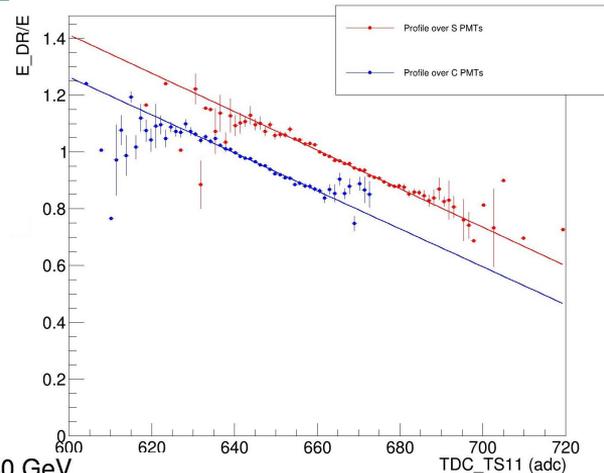


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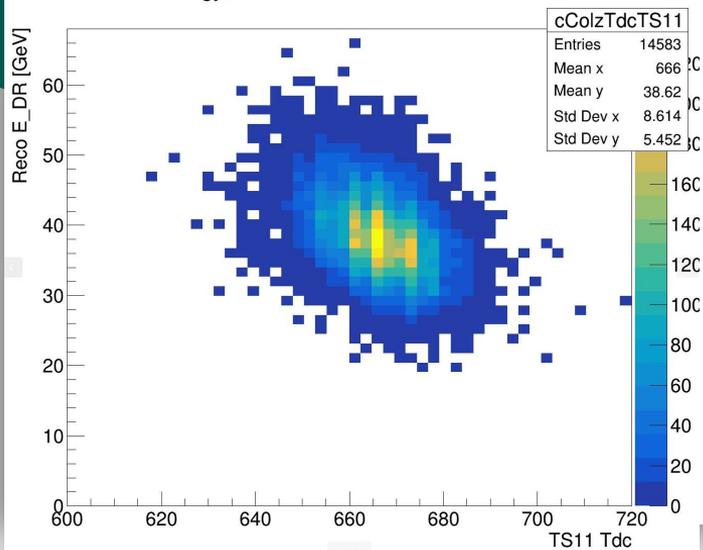
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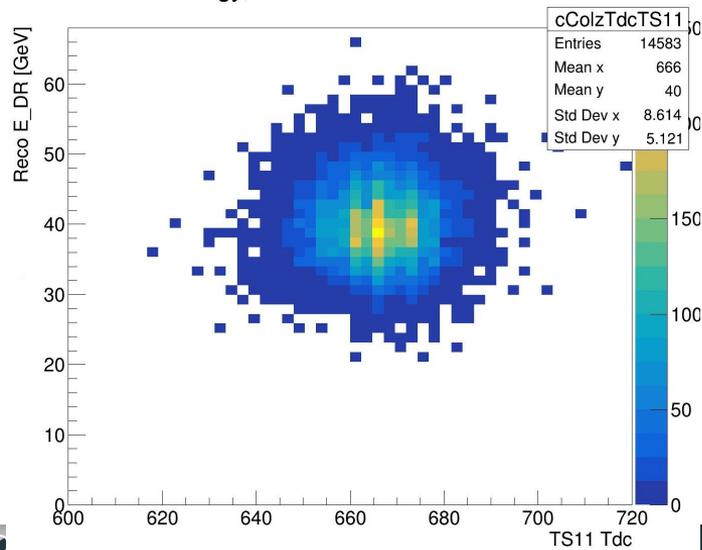
DR Energy profile over TDC\_TS11 40GeV



DR energy, before Tdc TS11 correction 40 GeV



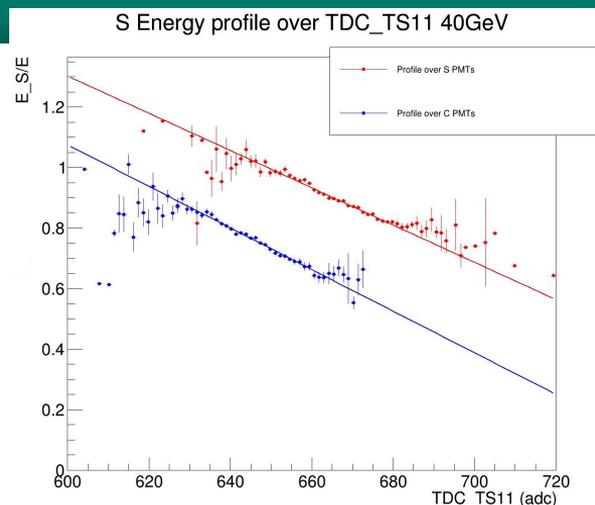
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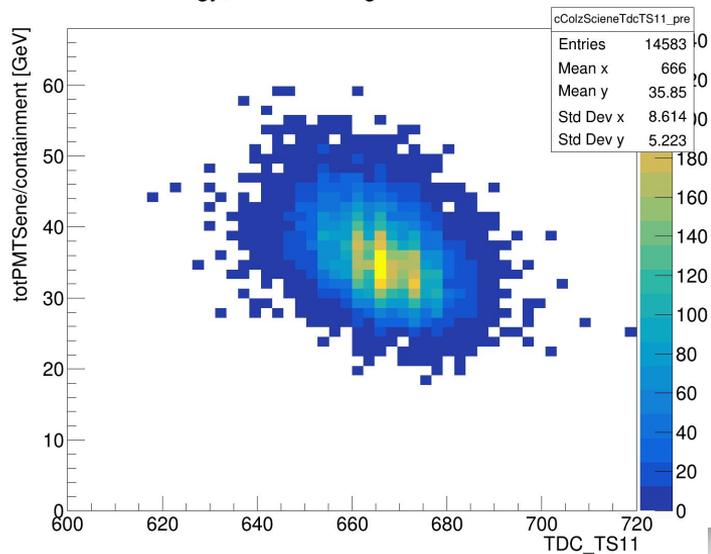
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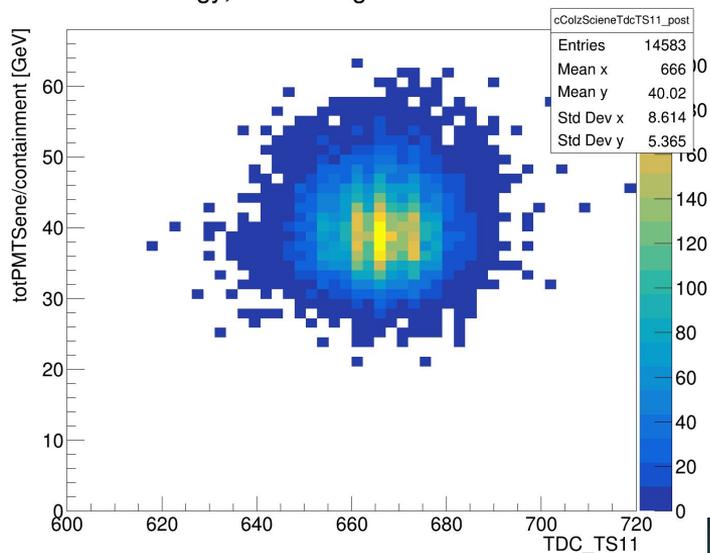
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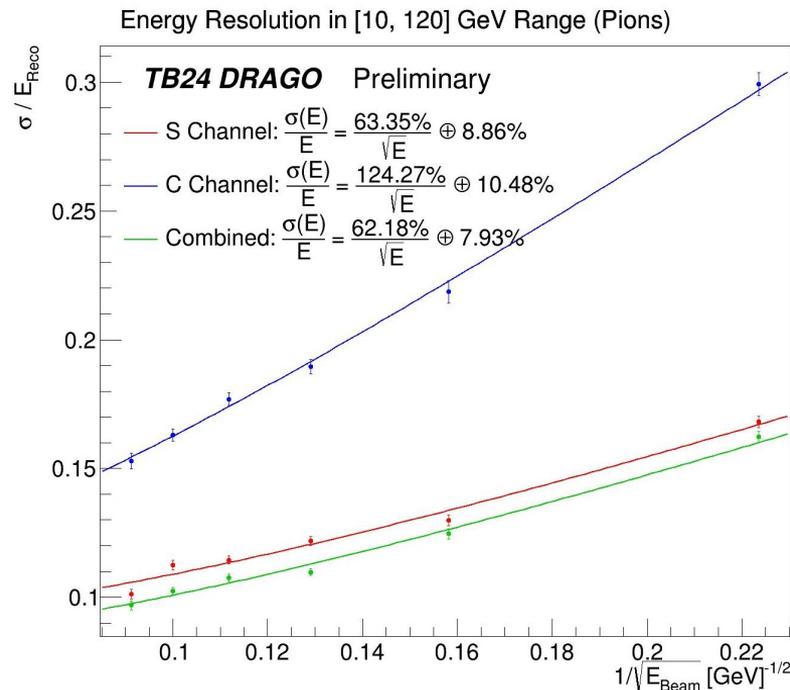
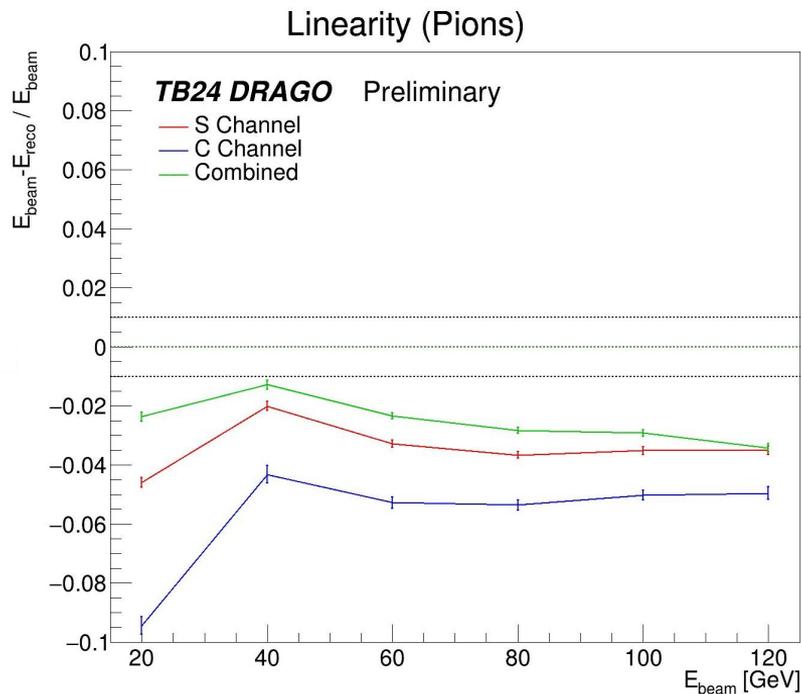
S energy, before timing correction 40 GeV



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## Using correction with timing only information

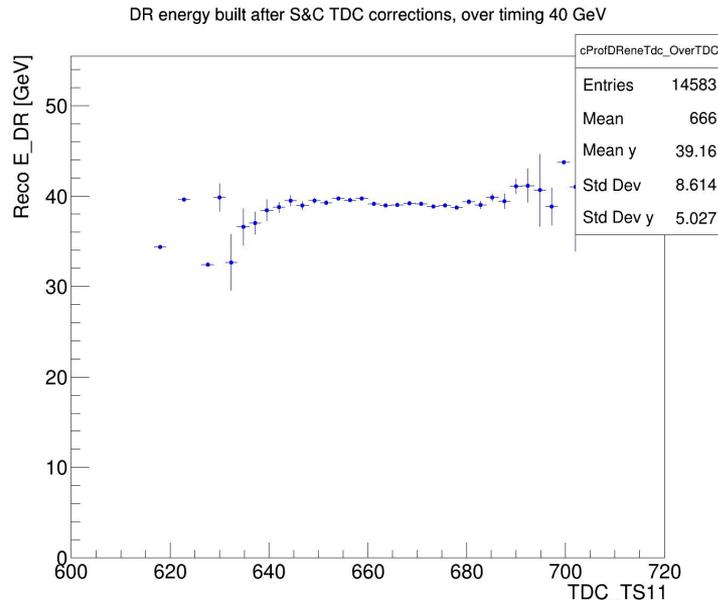
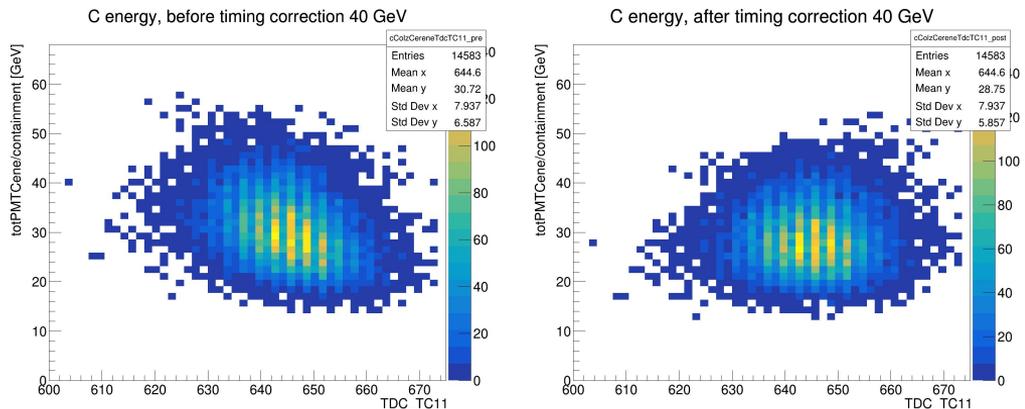
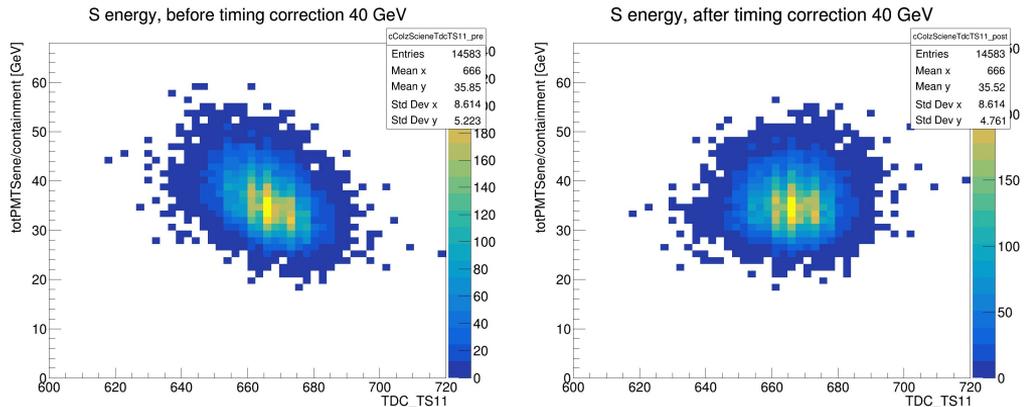


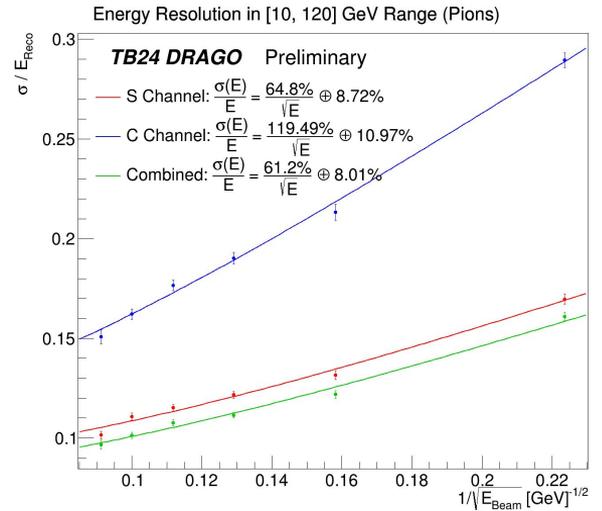
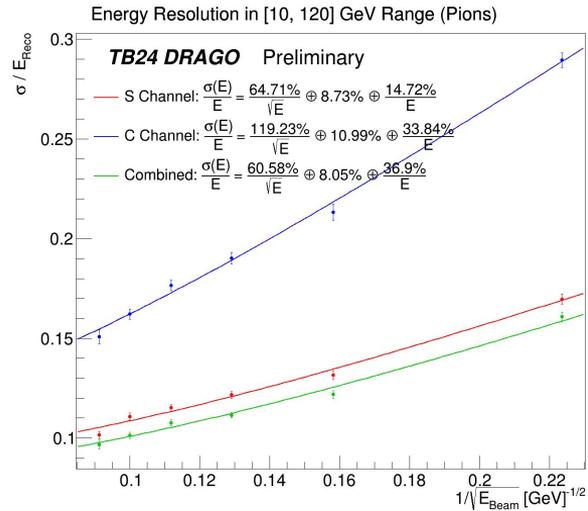
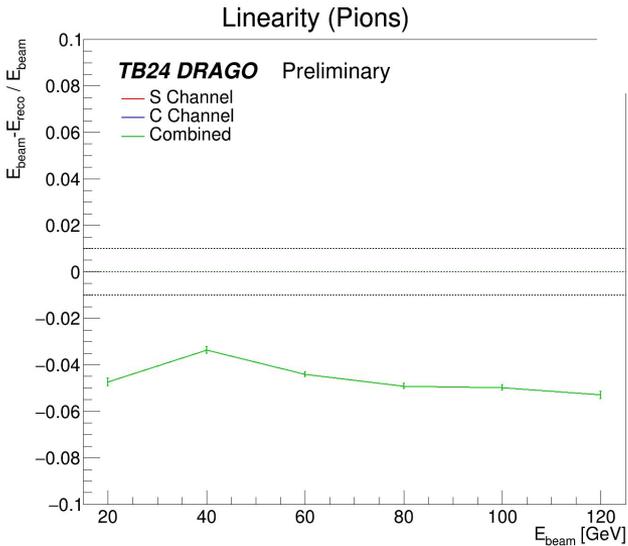
Also tried, but not shown here, tests with timing correction upon energy already corrected with asymmetry, and vice-versa  
 -> No significant improvement

Second idea:

Use timing to correct S and C channels, and only later apply dual-readout formula

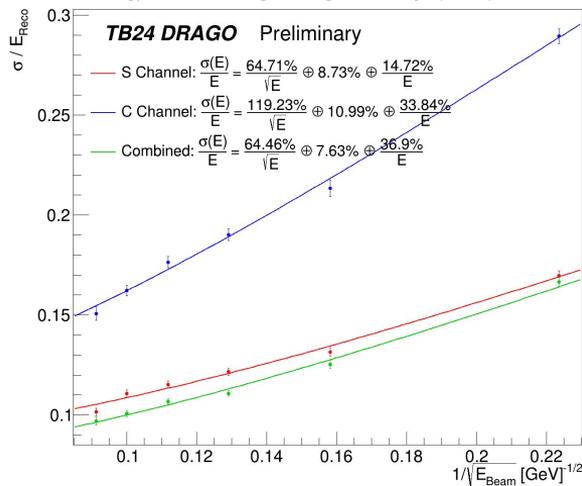
**This time, use most probable value instead of truth energy**



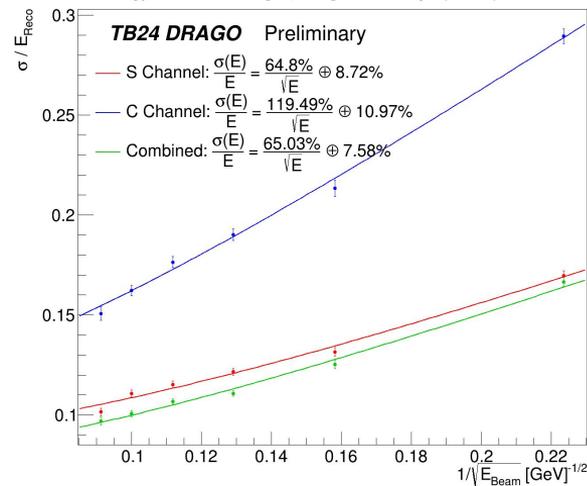


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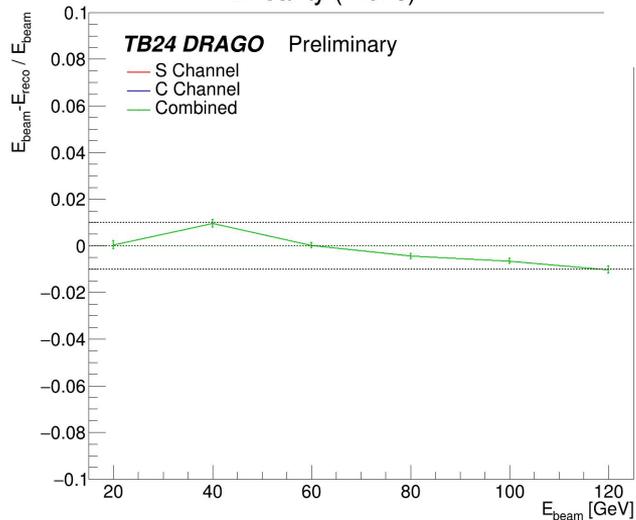
Energy Resolution in [10, 120] GeV Range (Pions)



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Linearity (Pions)



chi = 0.44

# Electron equalisation runs

In order to understand the large spread of reconstructed energy in pion runs, turned back to the electron equalisation/calibration procedure

When shooting electrons in T00, only very low energies are seen in external towers

Equalisation runs at 20 GeV with “oldHV” settings on T00

Energy Scan runs taken with “newHV” settings on T00

Here, baseline reference for all plots are obtained from run 0766 -> new HV, 20 GeV electrons

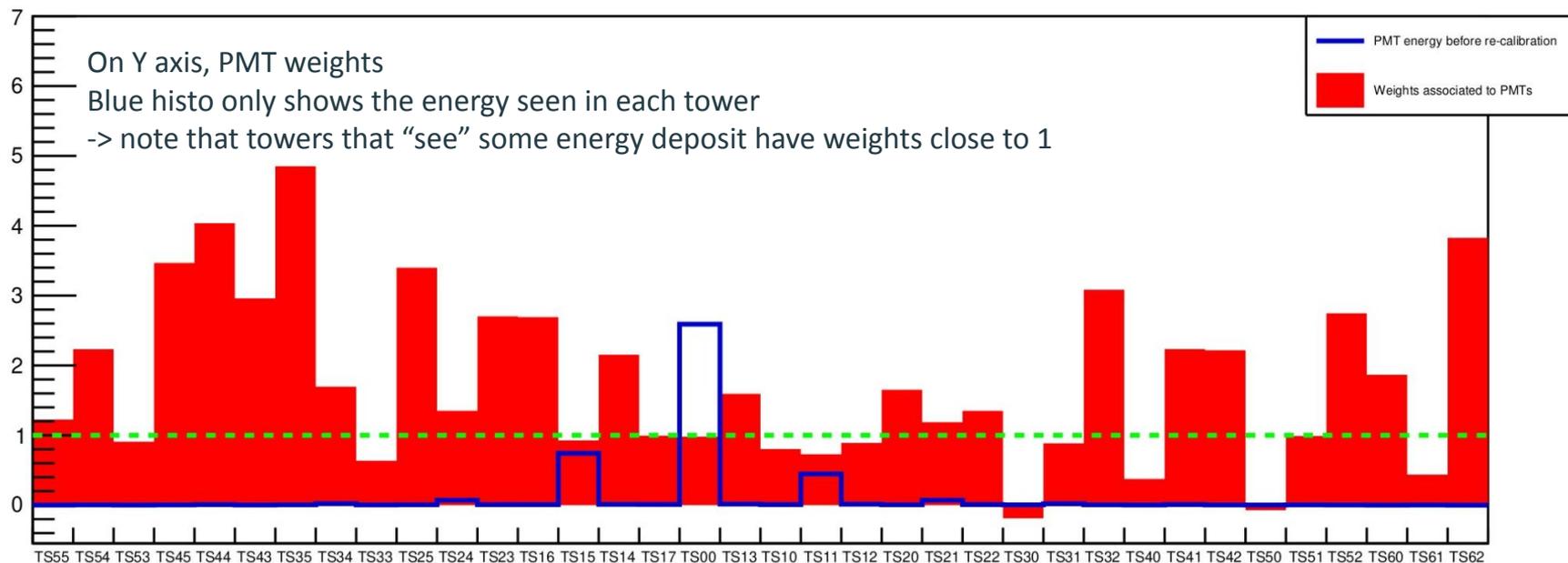
Scans are done on all equalisation runs (eq run on T00 is 0745)

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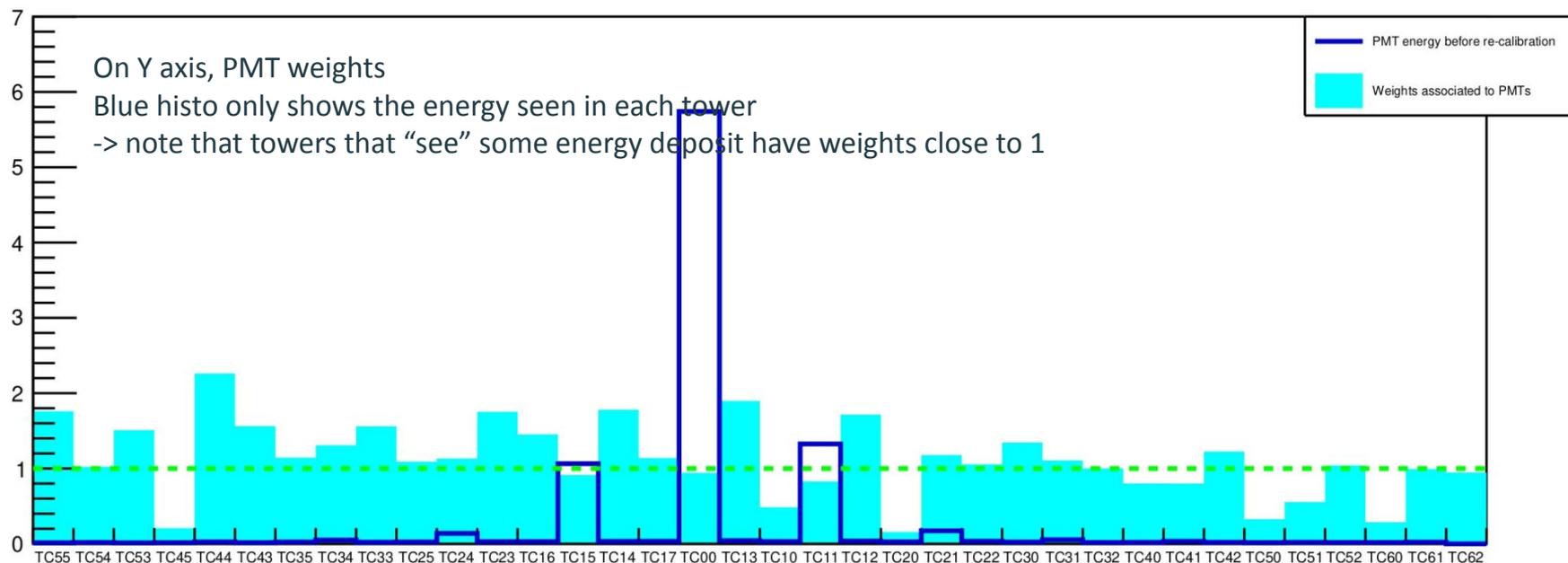


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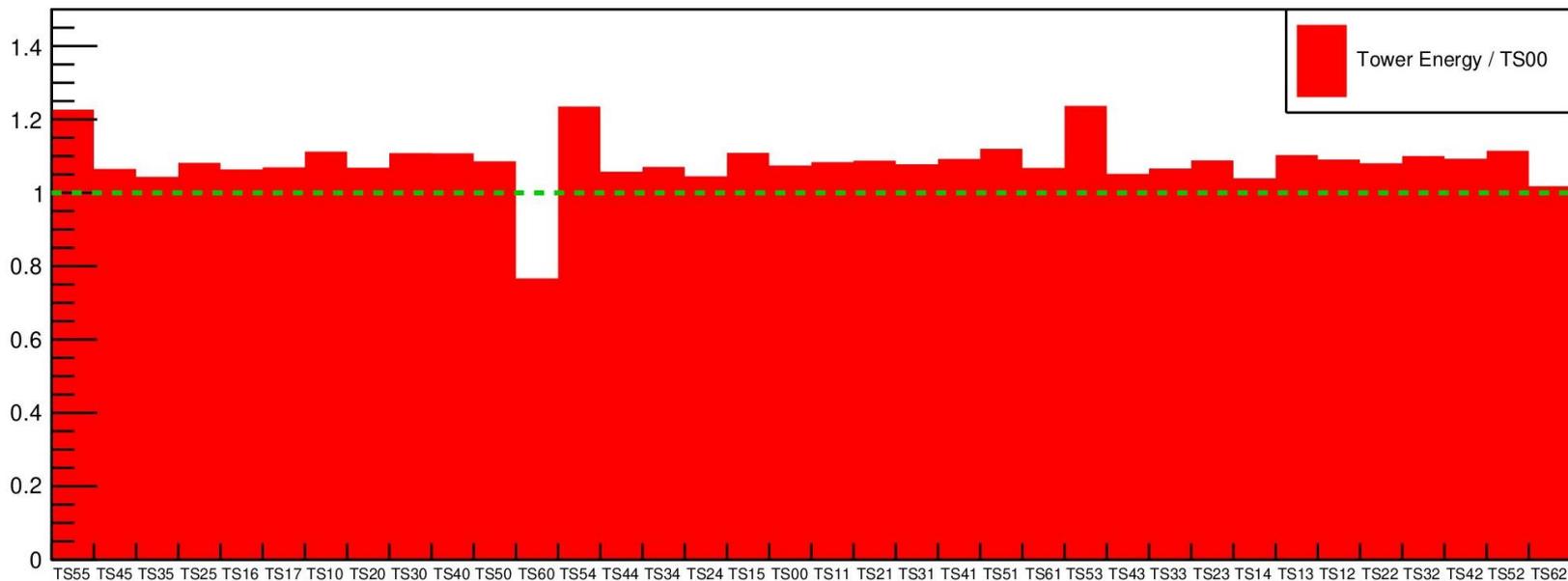


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Scienc PMT ratio over TS00

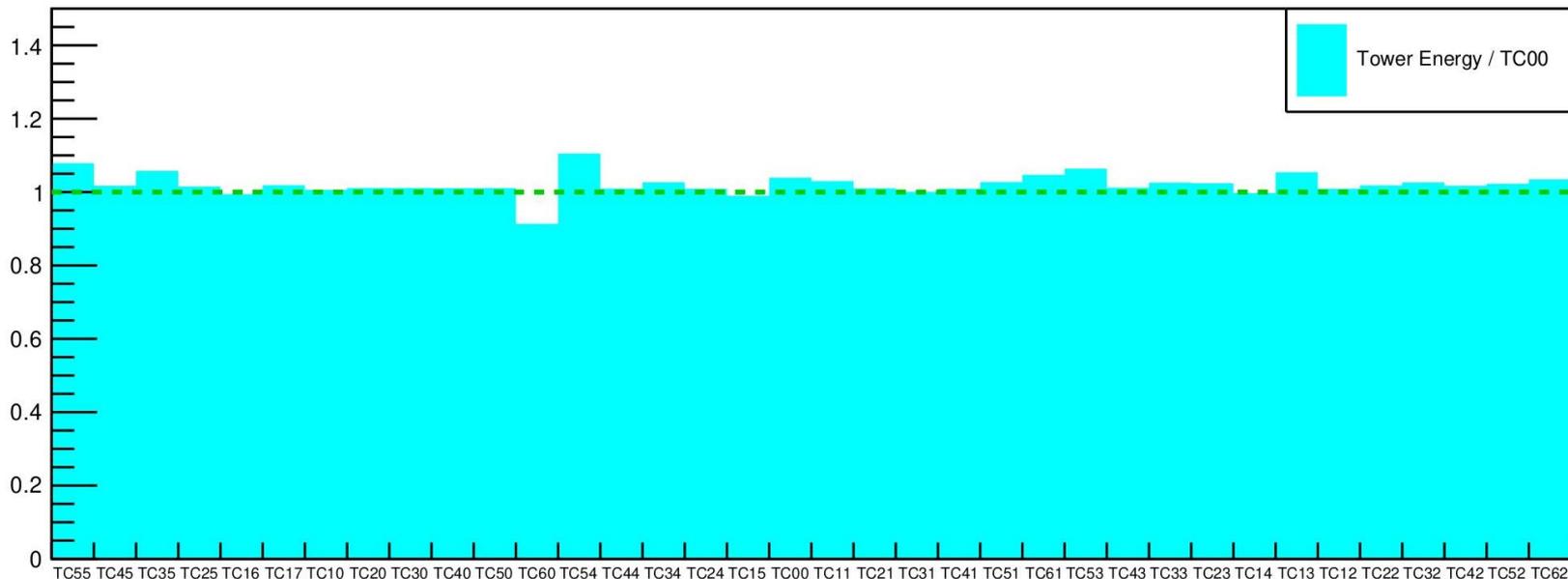


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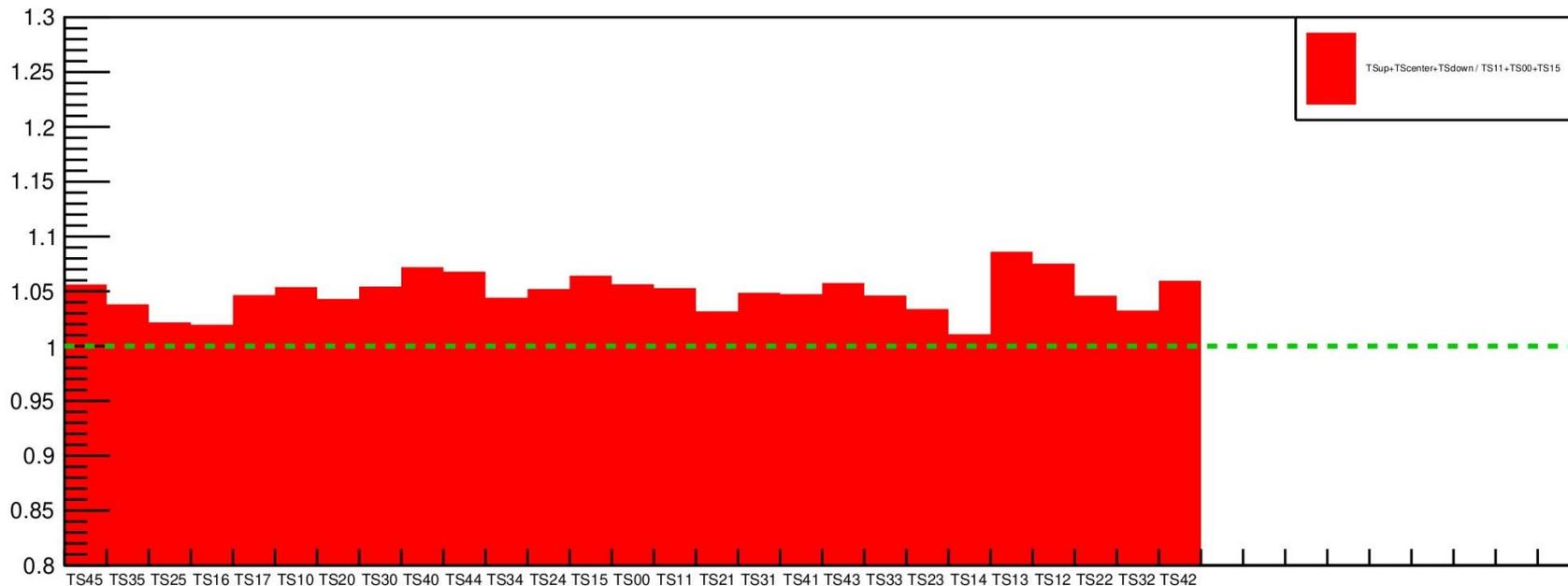
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Showing sum of three towers (ratio with respect to T15+T00+T11 in run 0766)

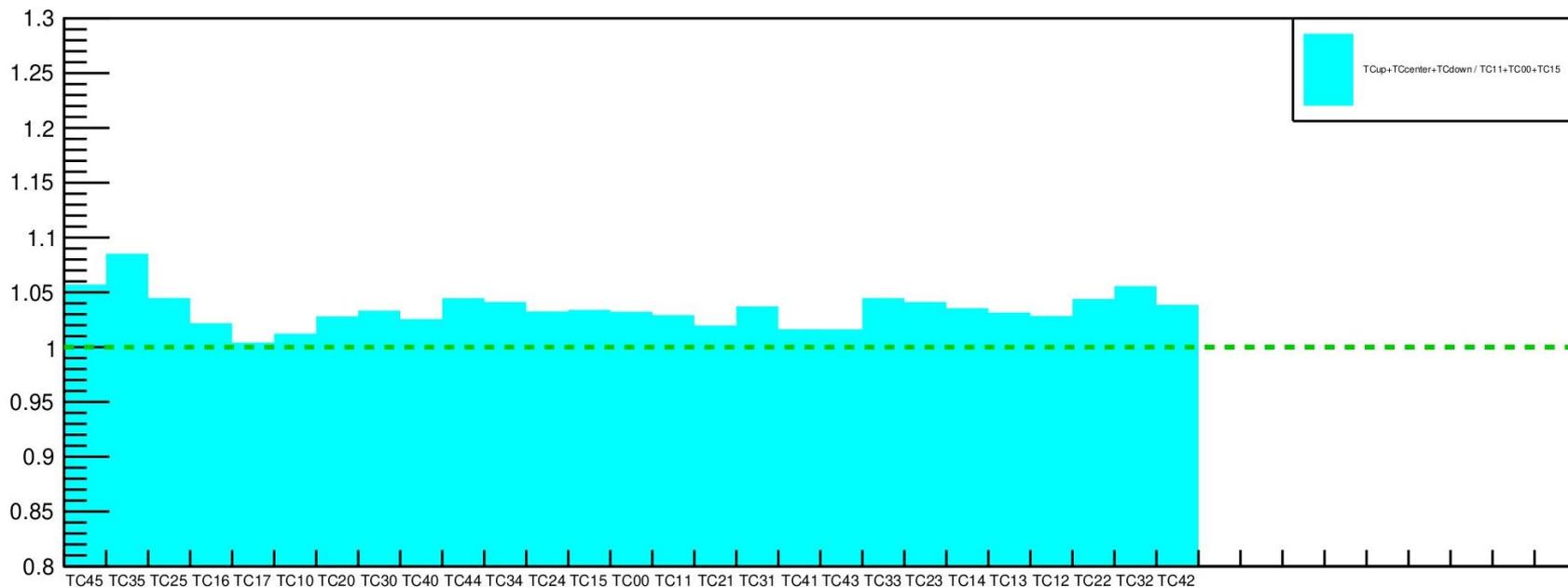
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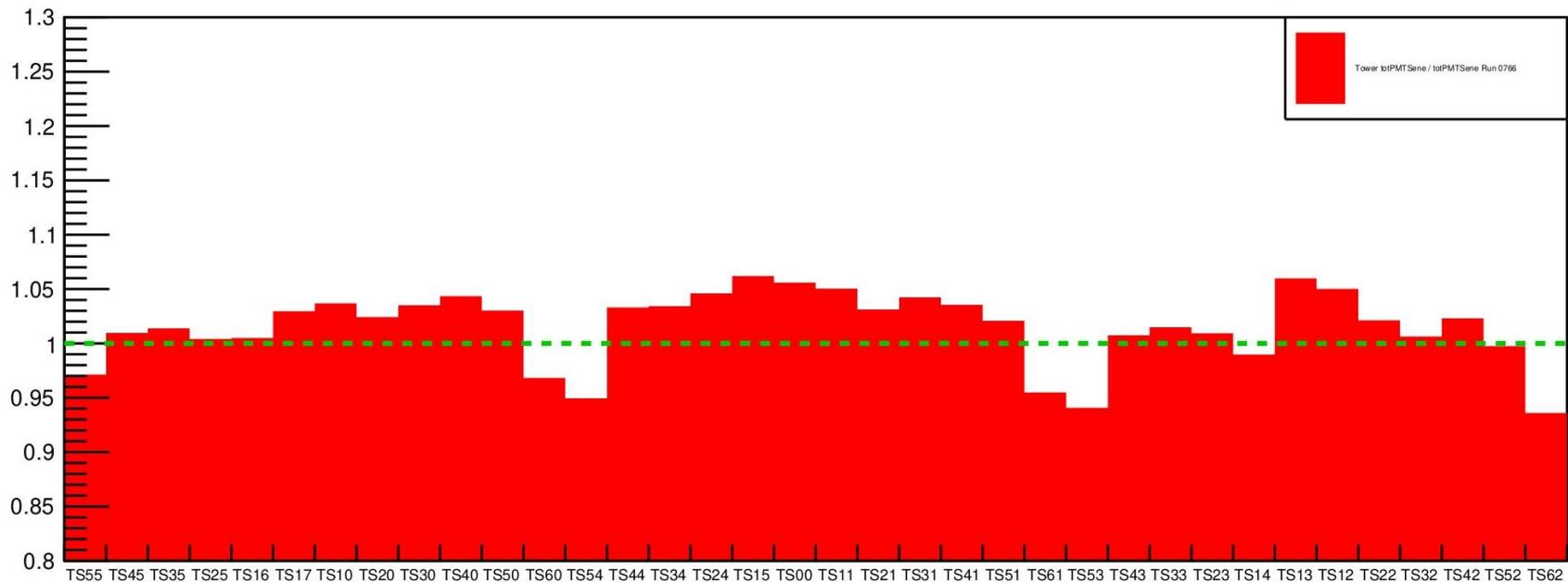
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# Electron equalisation runs

Showing tower above the one we are shooting at (ratio with respect to T15 in run 0766)

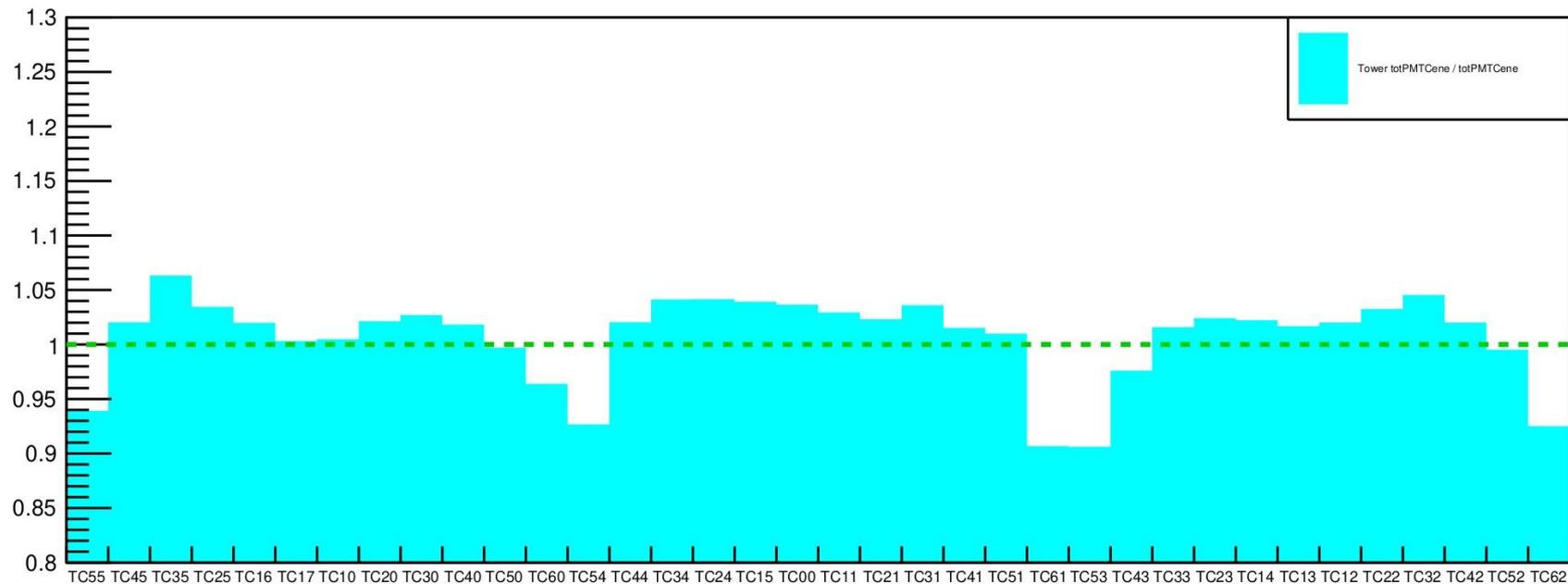
Tower totPMTSene / totPMTSene run 0766



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# Leakage counter studies

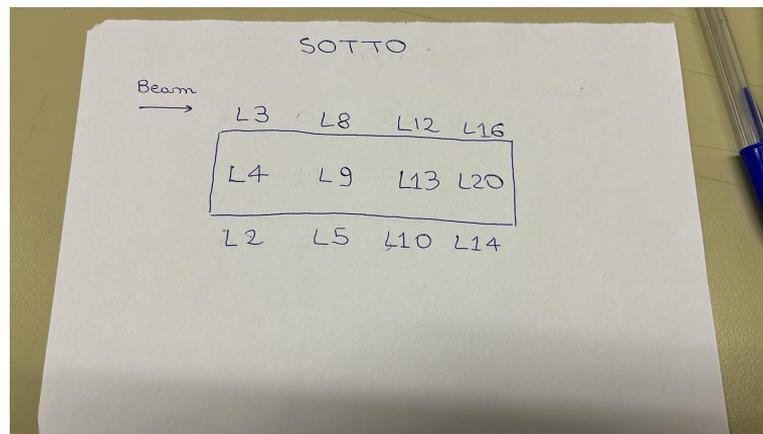
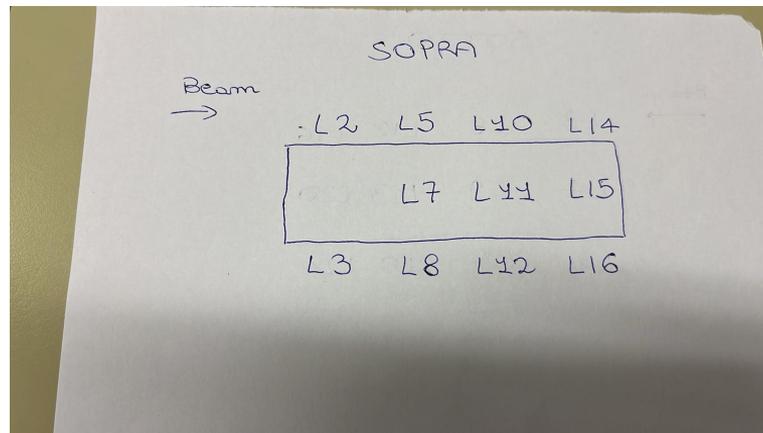
Compare “rings” of leakage counters with time info

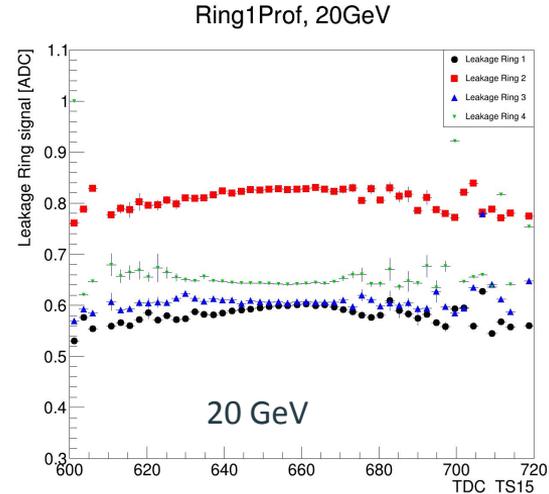
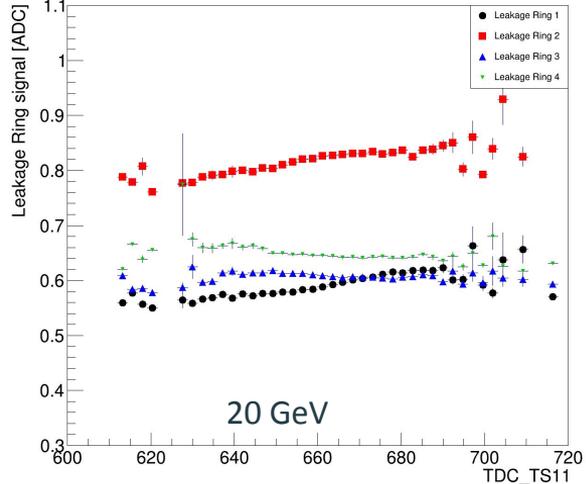
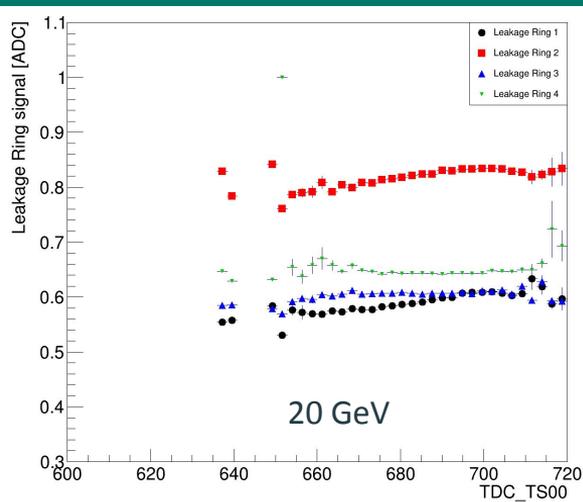
$$df["leakRing1"] = df["L02"] + df["L04"] + df["L03"]$$

$$df["leakRing2"] = df["L05"] + df["L07"] + df["L08"] + df["L09"]$$

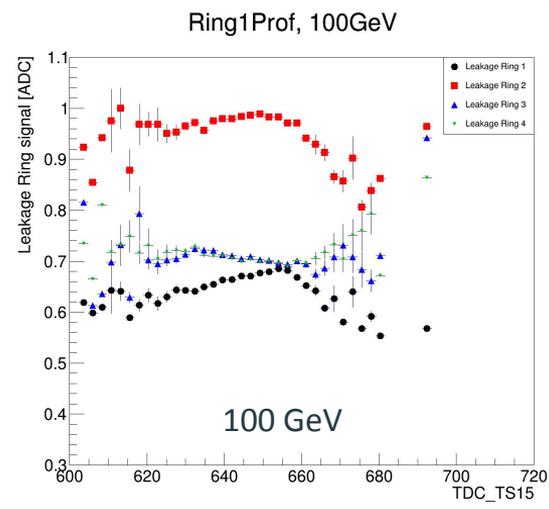
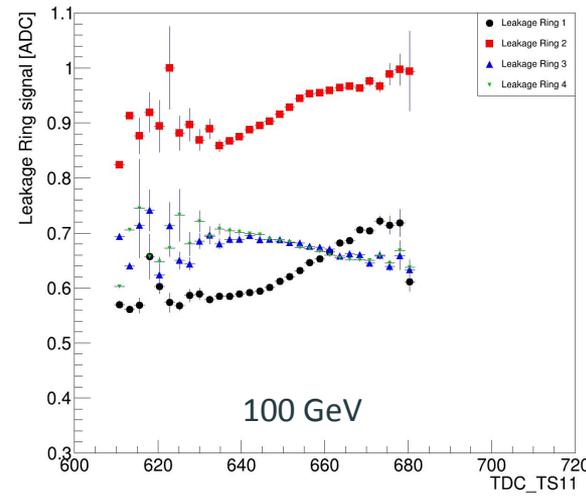
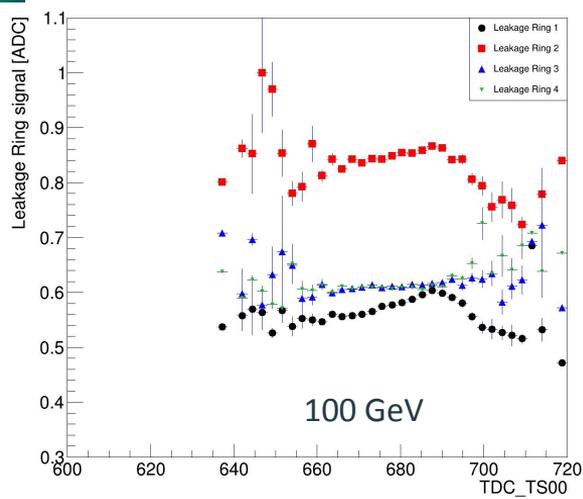
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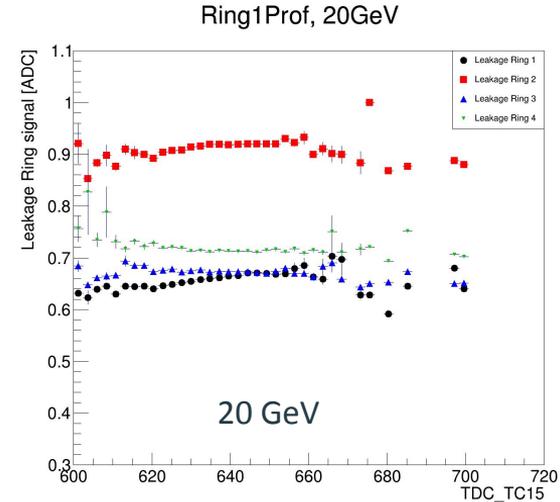
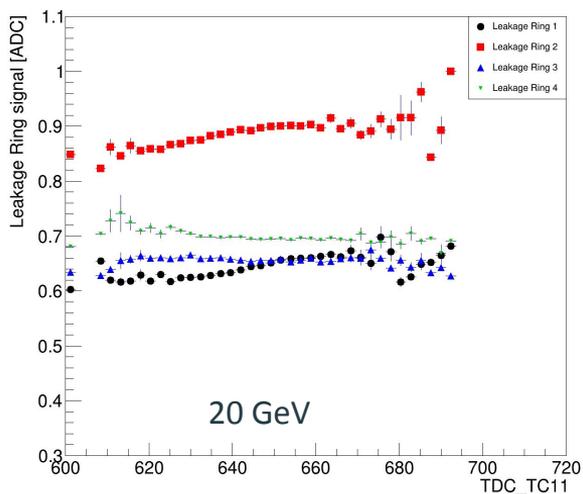
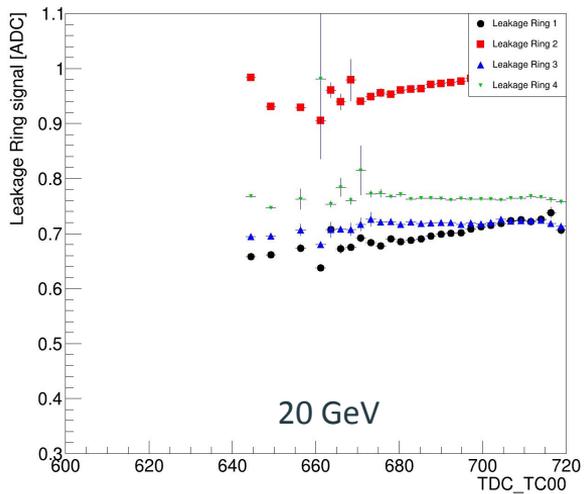
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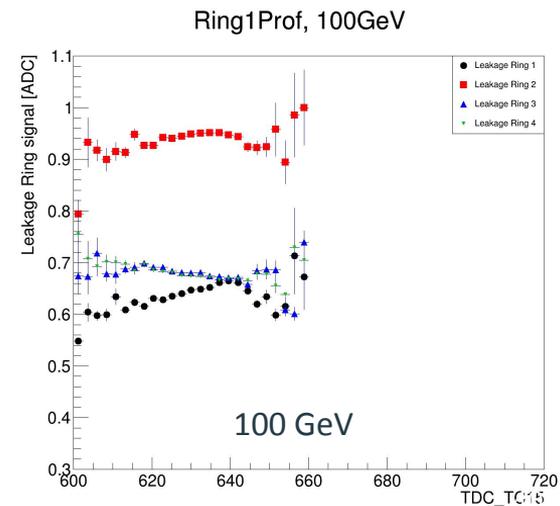
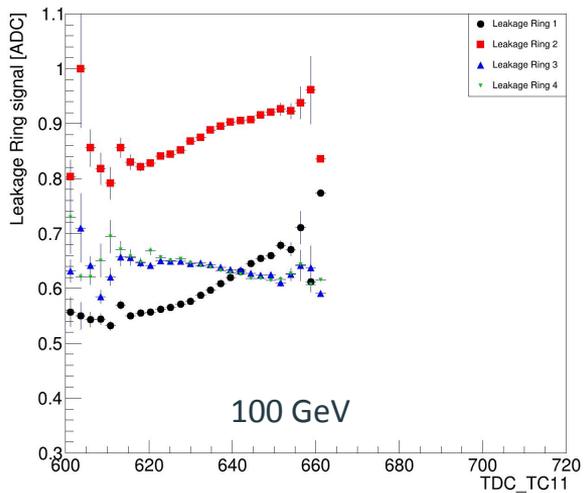
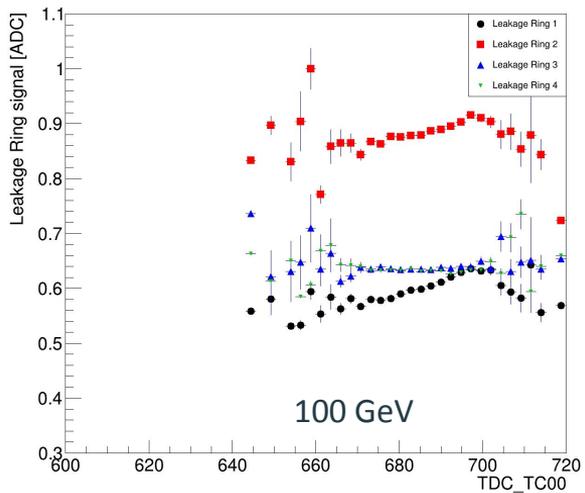


## S towers TDCs





### C towers TDCs



# Backup