



Status of the Displaced Vertex Trigger

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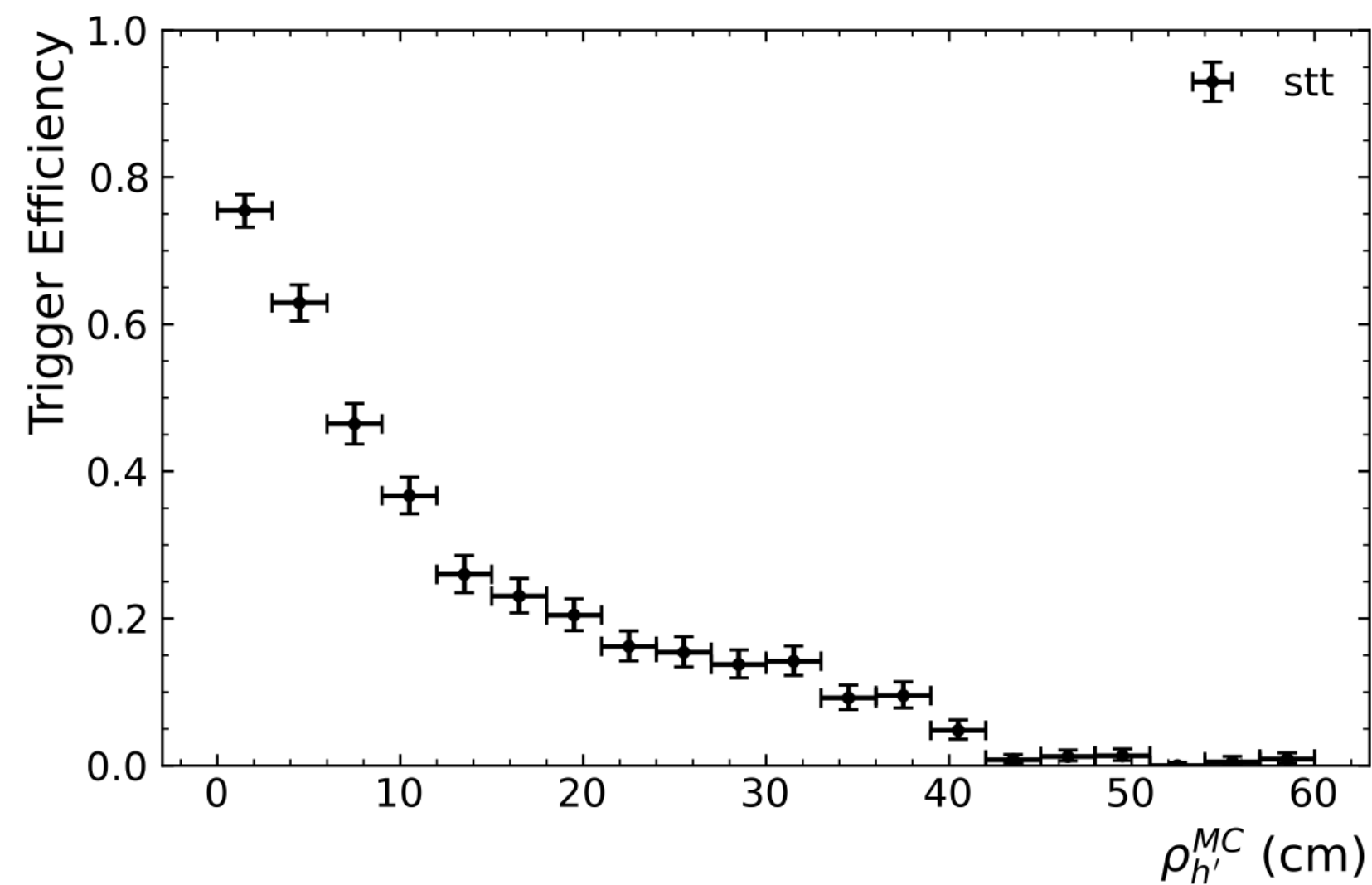
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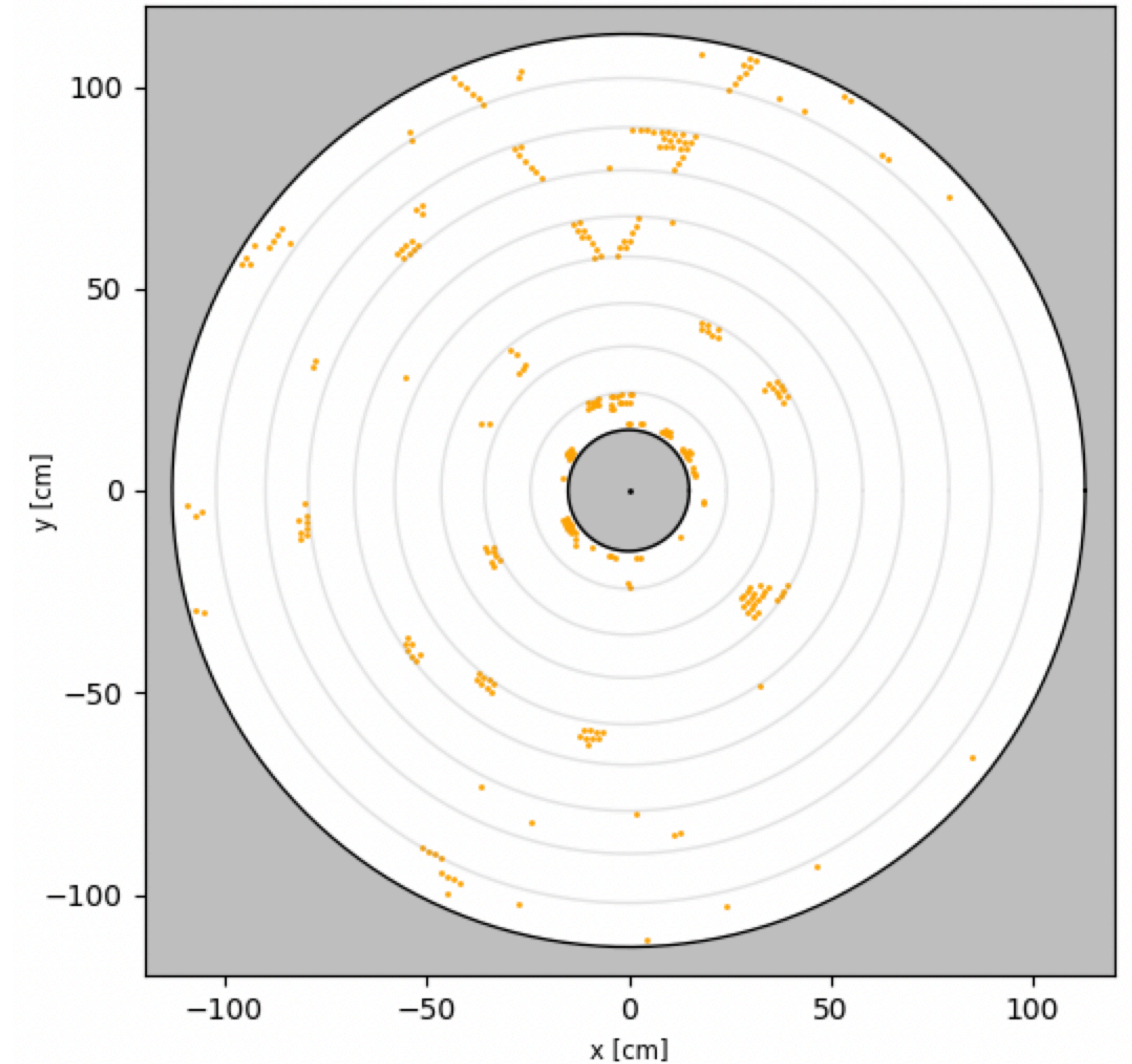
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I: L1 CDC trigger for displaced vertex events

- Development using simulated data (Patrick Ecker, KIT)
- Long lived neutral particle (dark Higgs) [0.5-4.0] GeV
- Decay to muons $e^+e^- \rightarrow A'(h' \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-)$



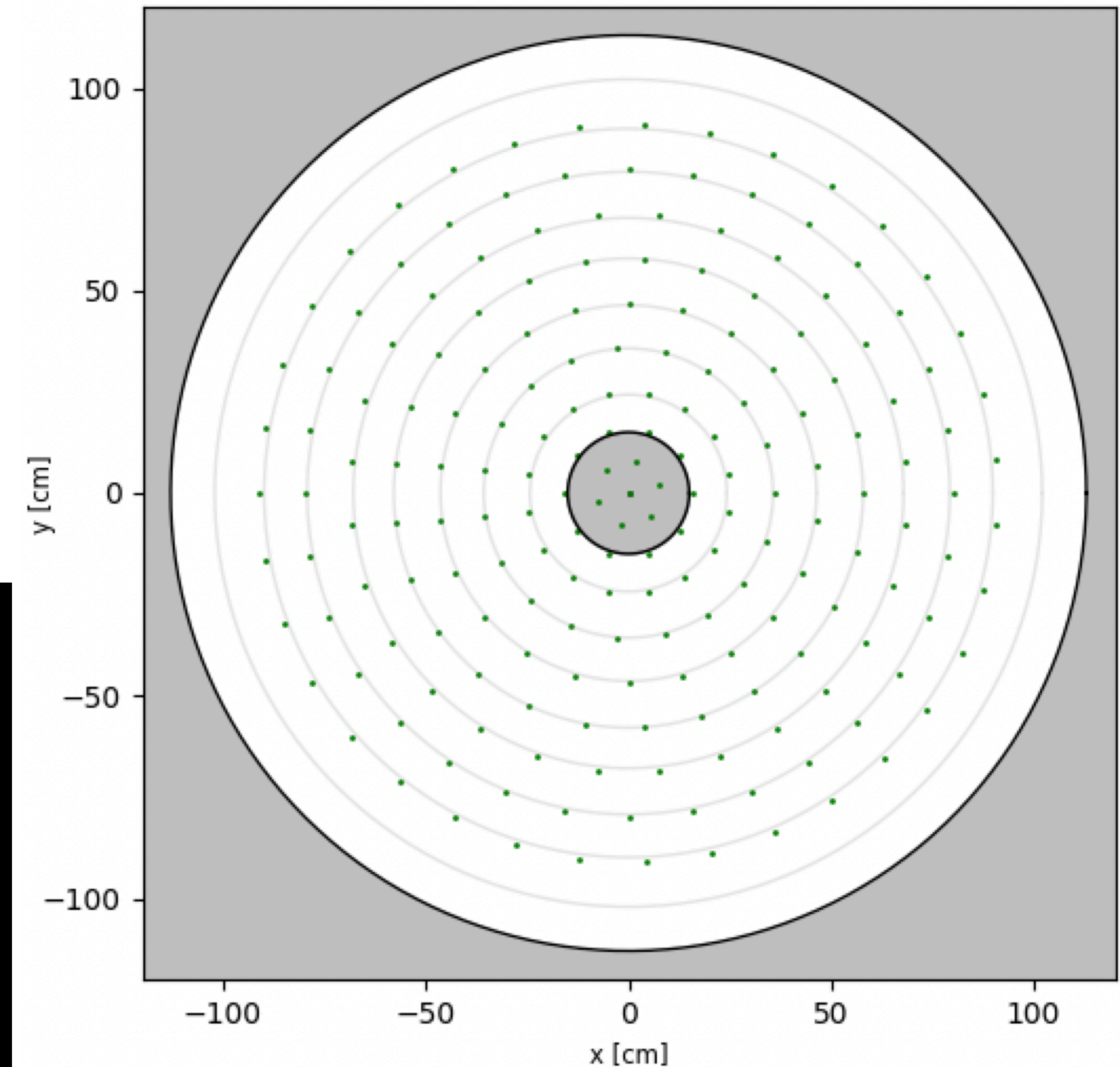
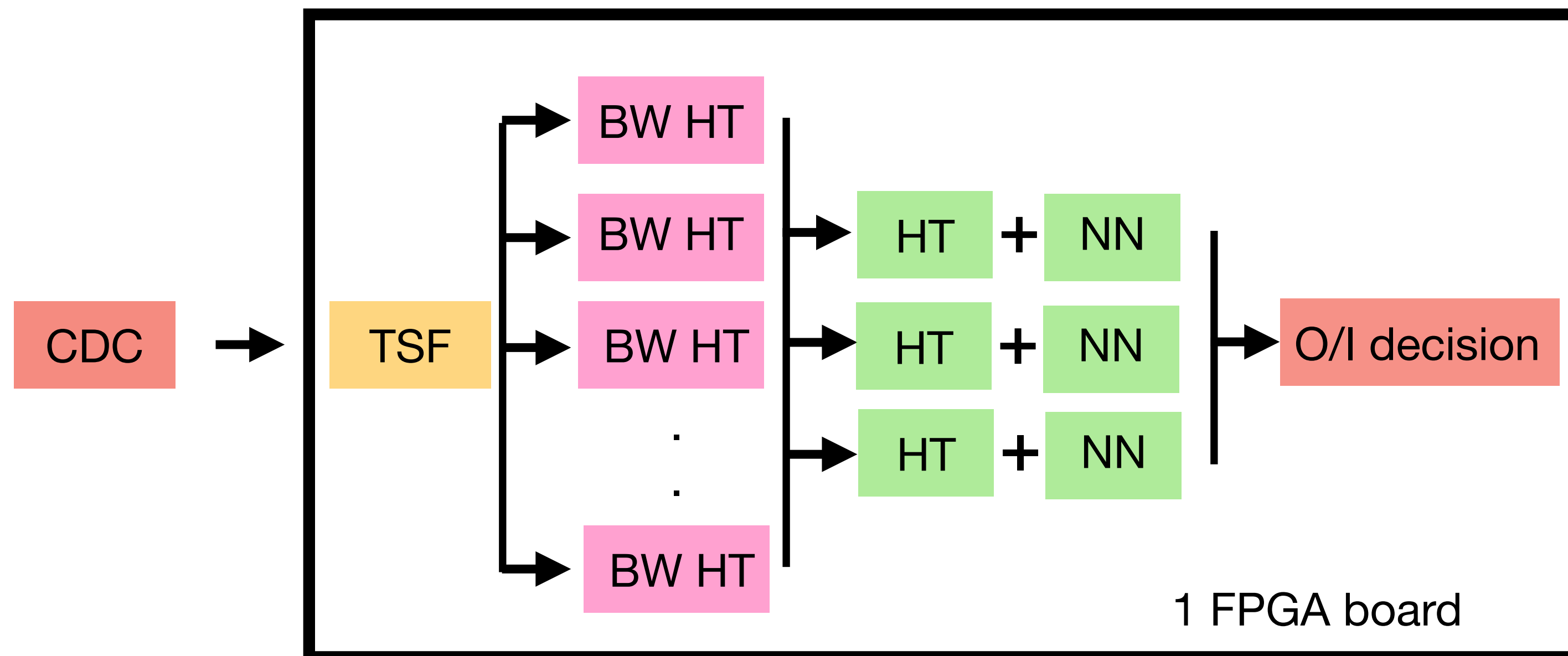
STT efficiency vs. vertex displacement
[credit: Patrick Ecker, KIT]



Example event in early phase 3 running conditions

II: Main Idea

- Reference vertices are placed in the CDC (MacroCells)
- Parallel Hough transforms (HT) assuming vertices
- Rough preselection algorithm \rightarrow subset of candidates
- Clustering algorithm in the Hough plane
- Neural analysis of cluster variables



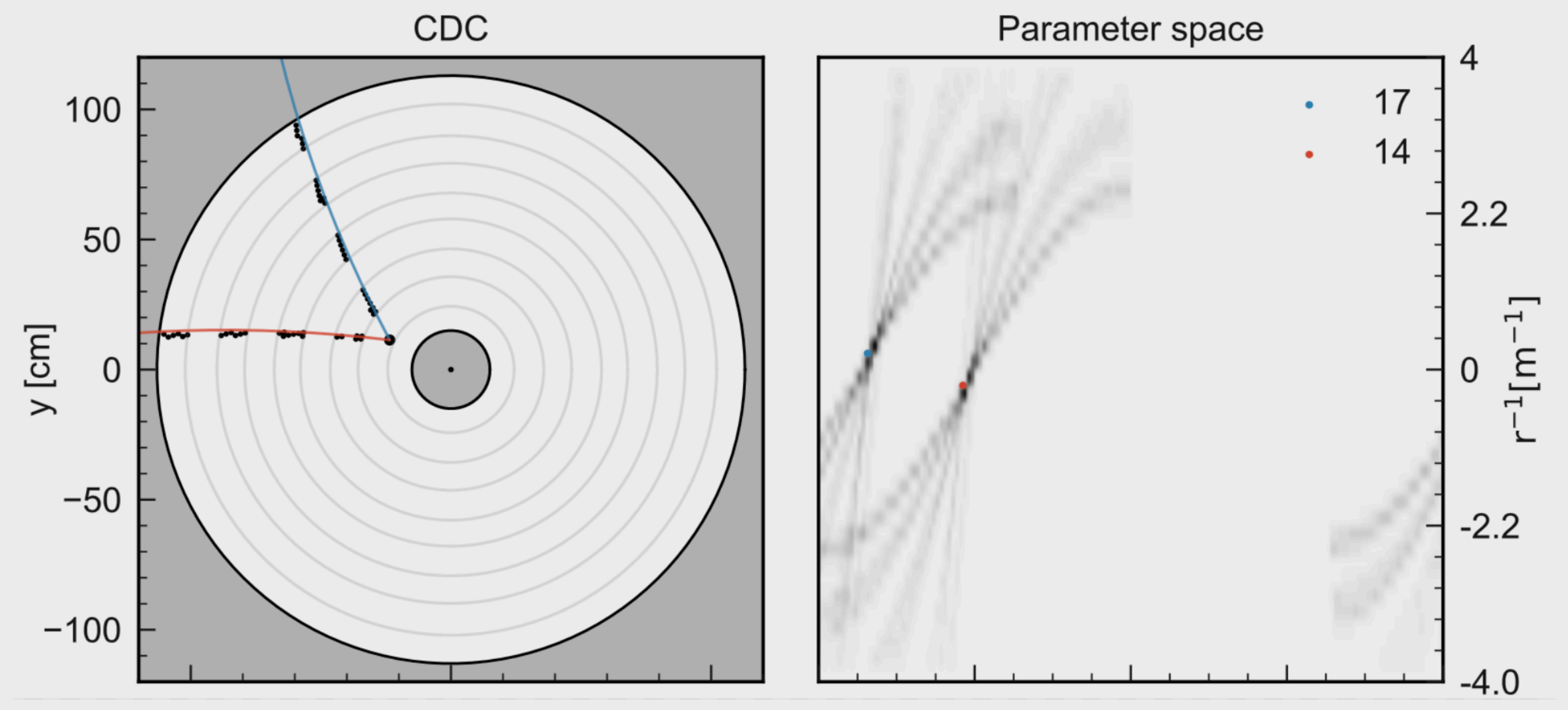
MacroCell structure (194 reference vertices)



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- Hits \rightarrow hit curves (assuming ref. vertex)
- Intersections of hit curves \rightarrow track parameters
- Clustering in Hough plane

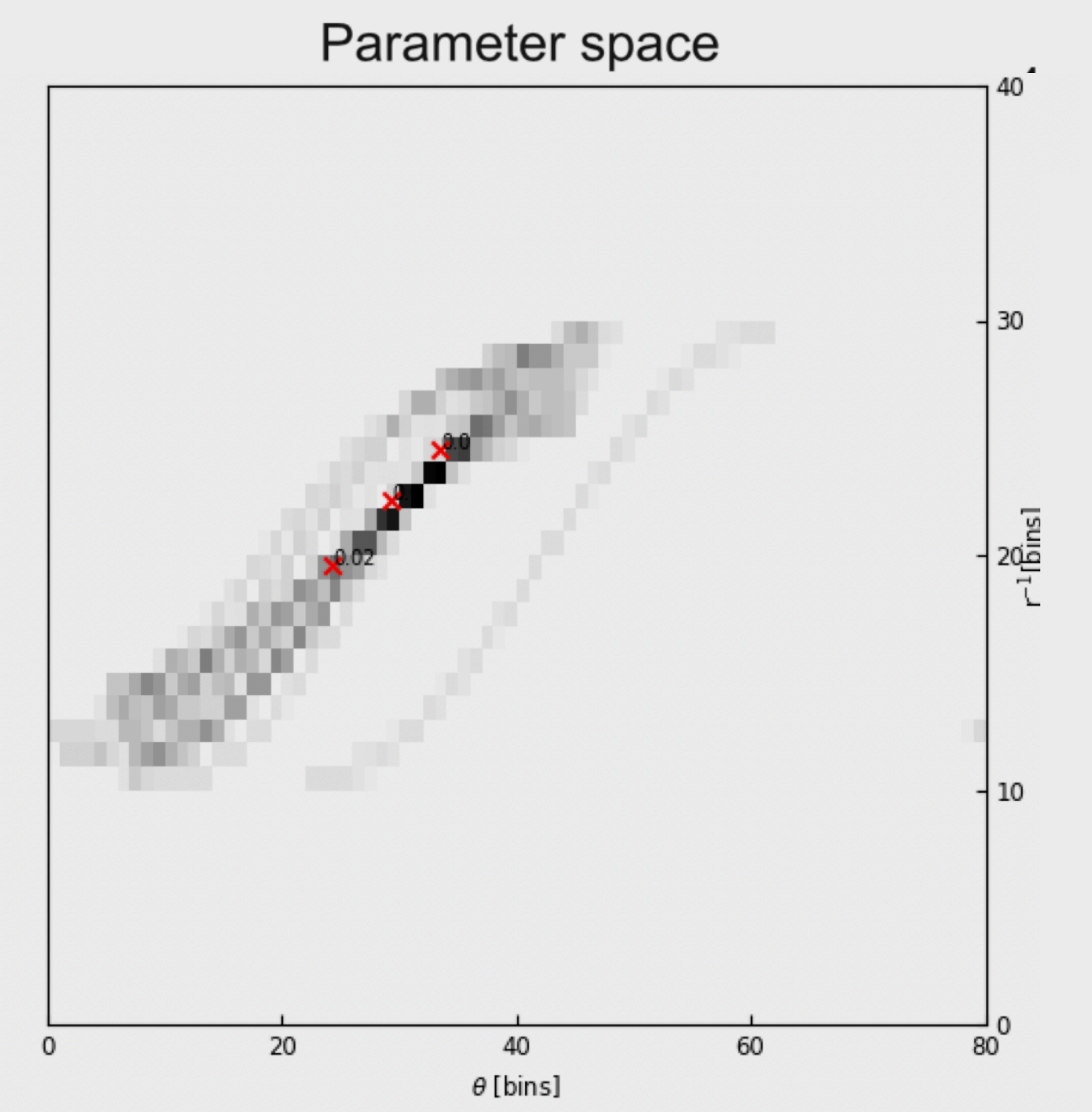
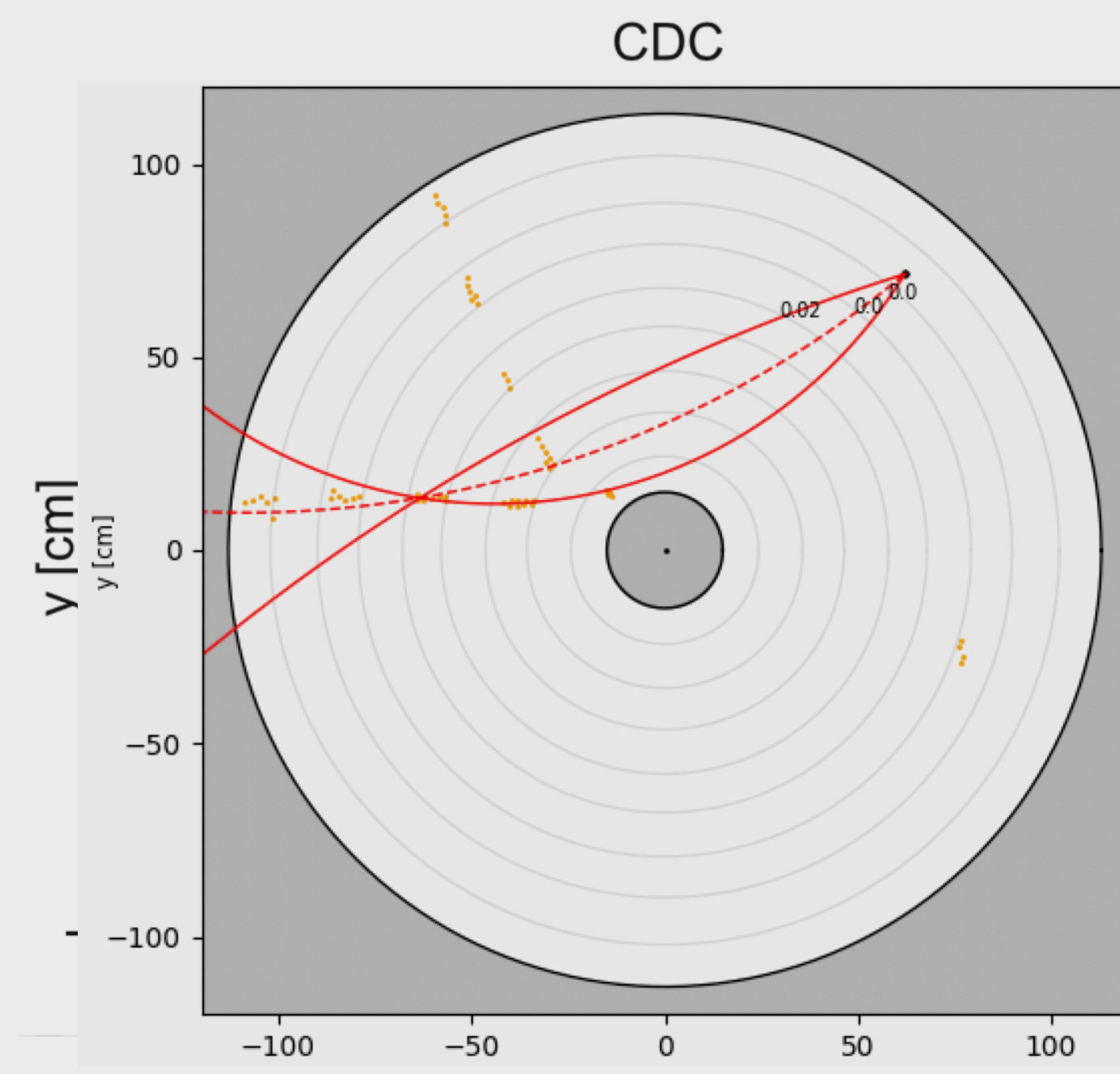




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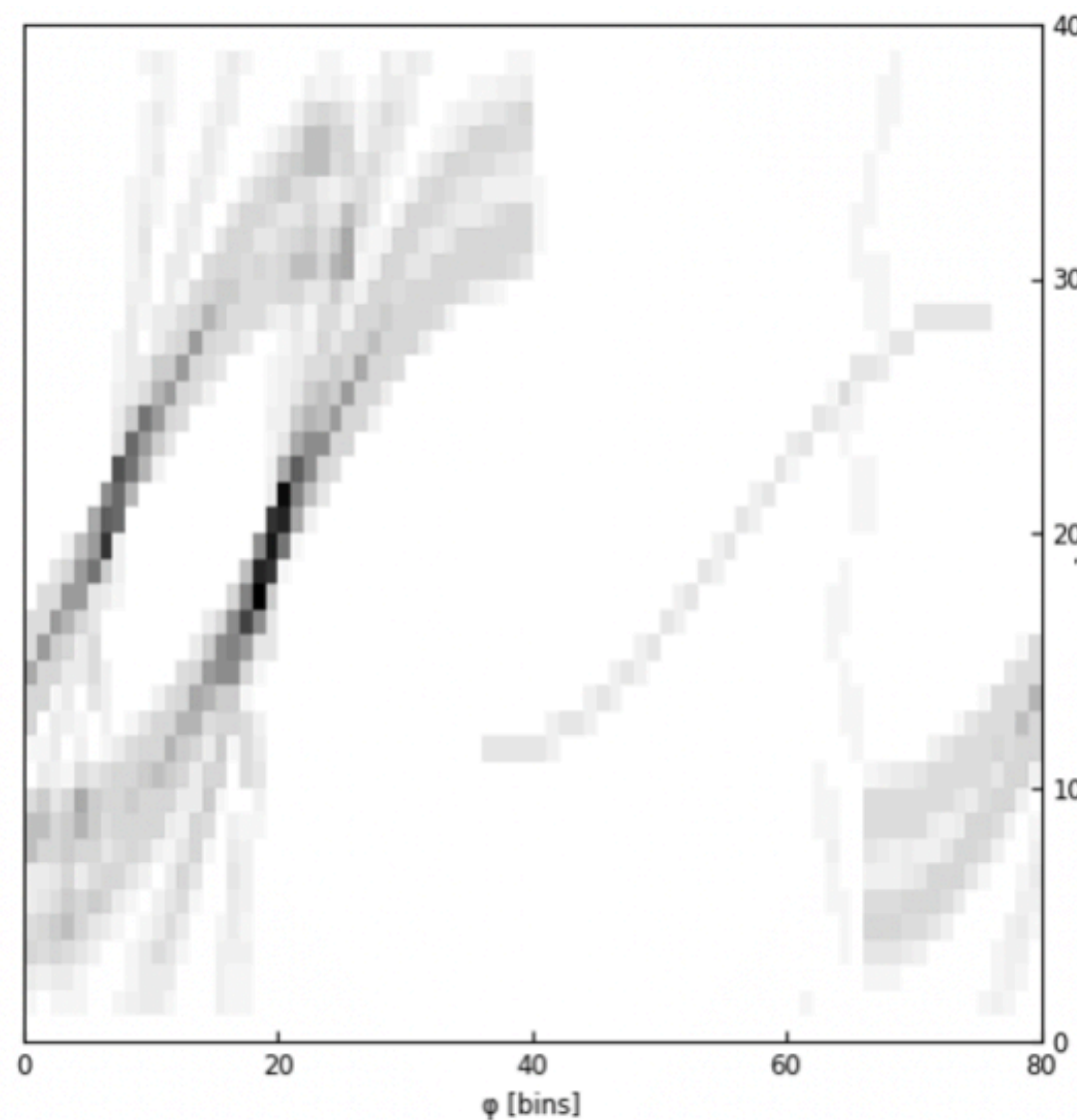
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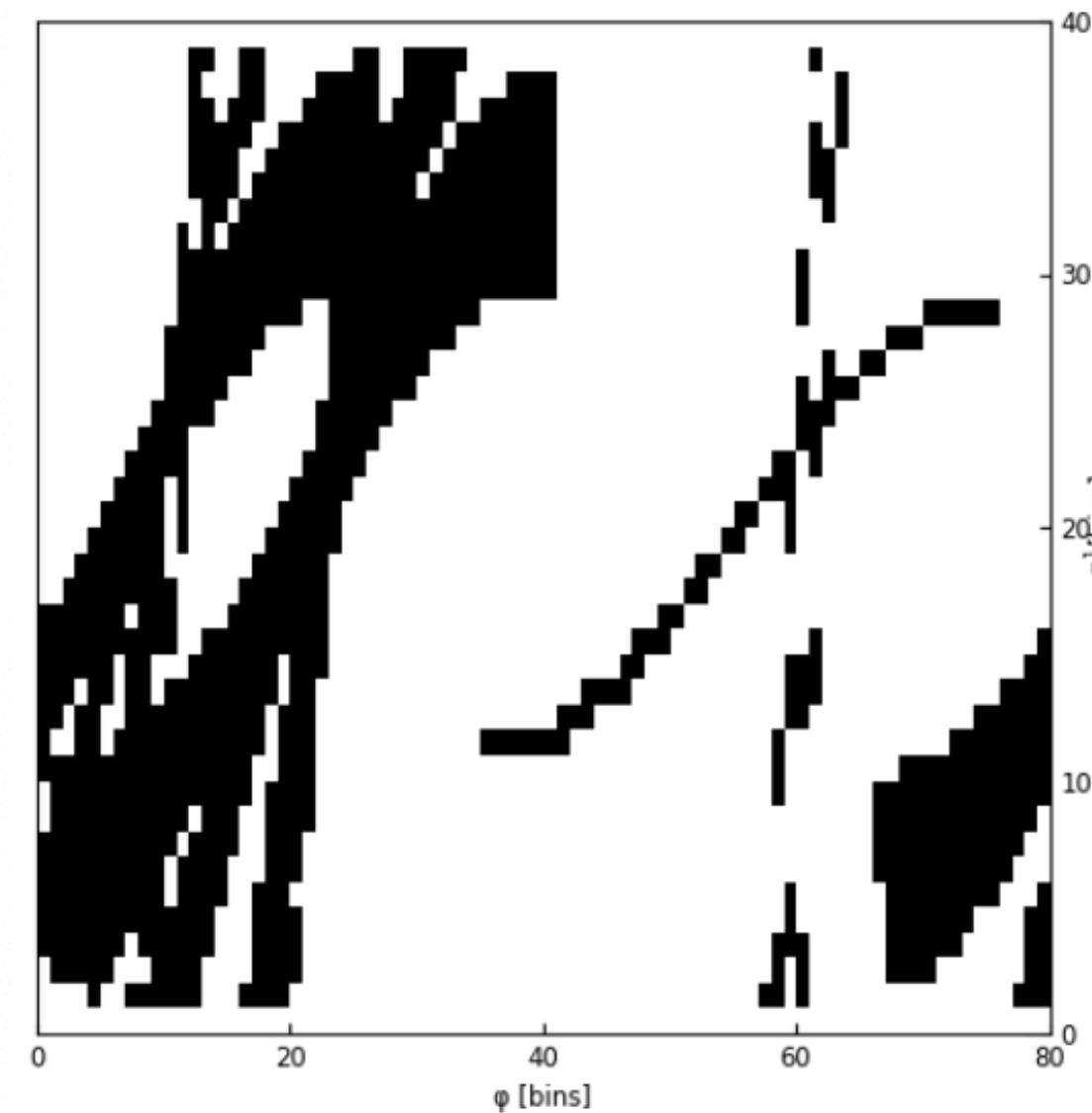
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Normal Hough matrix



b&w matrix

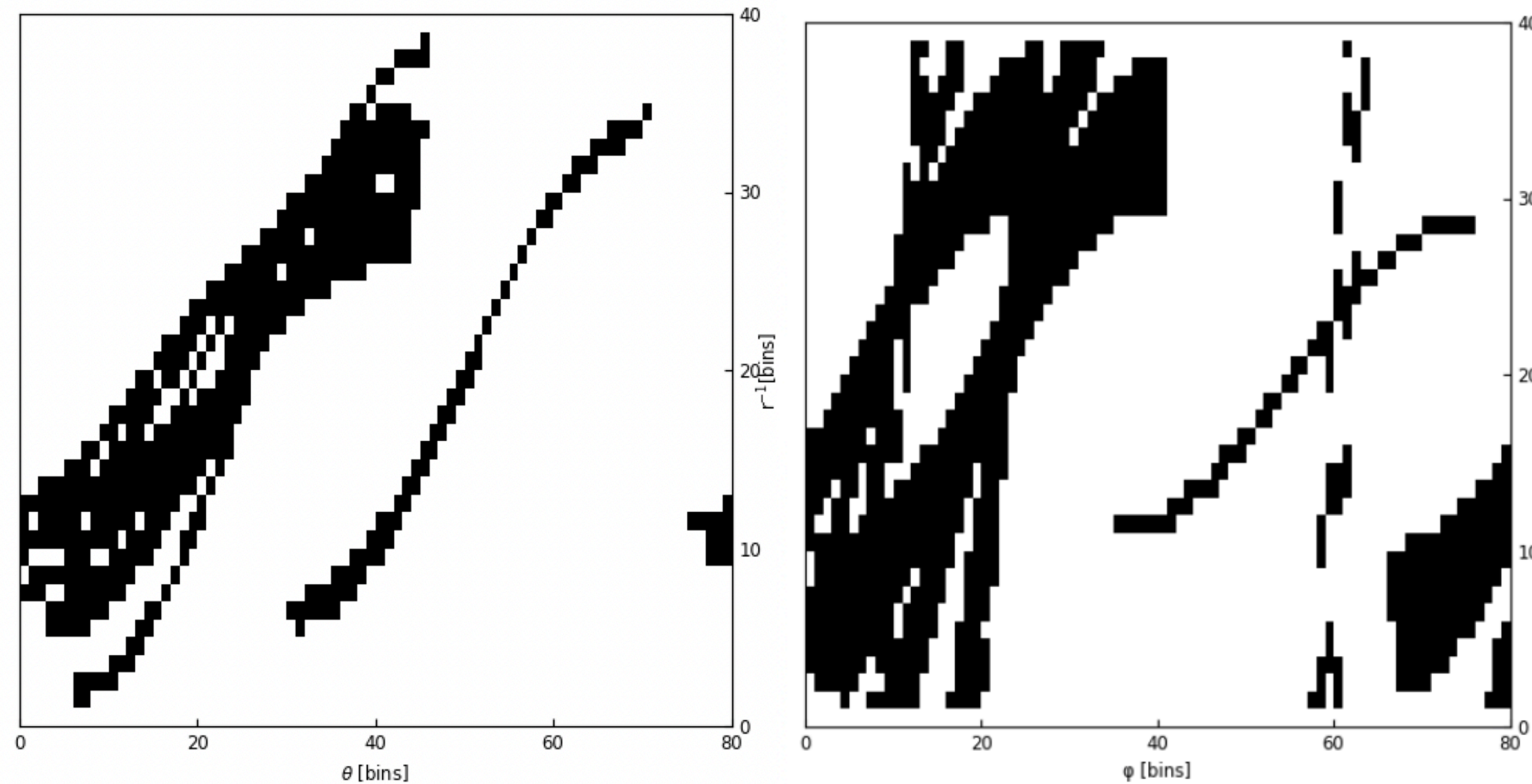
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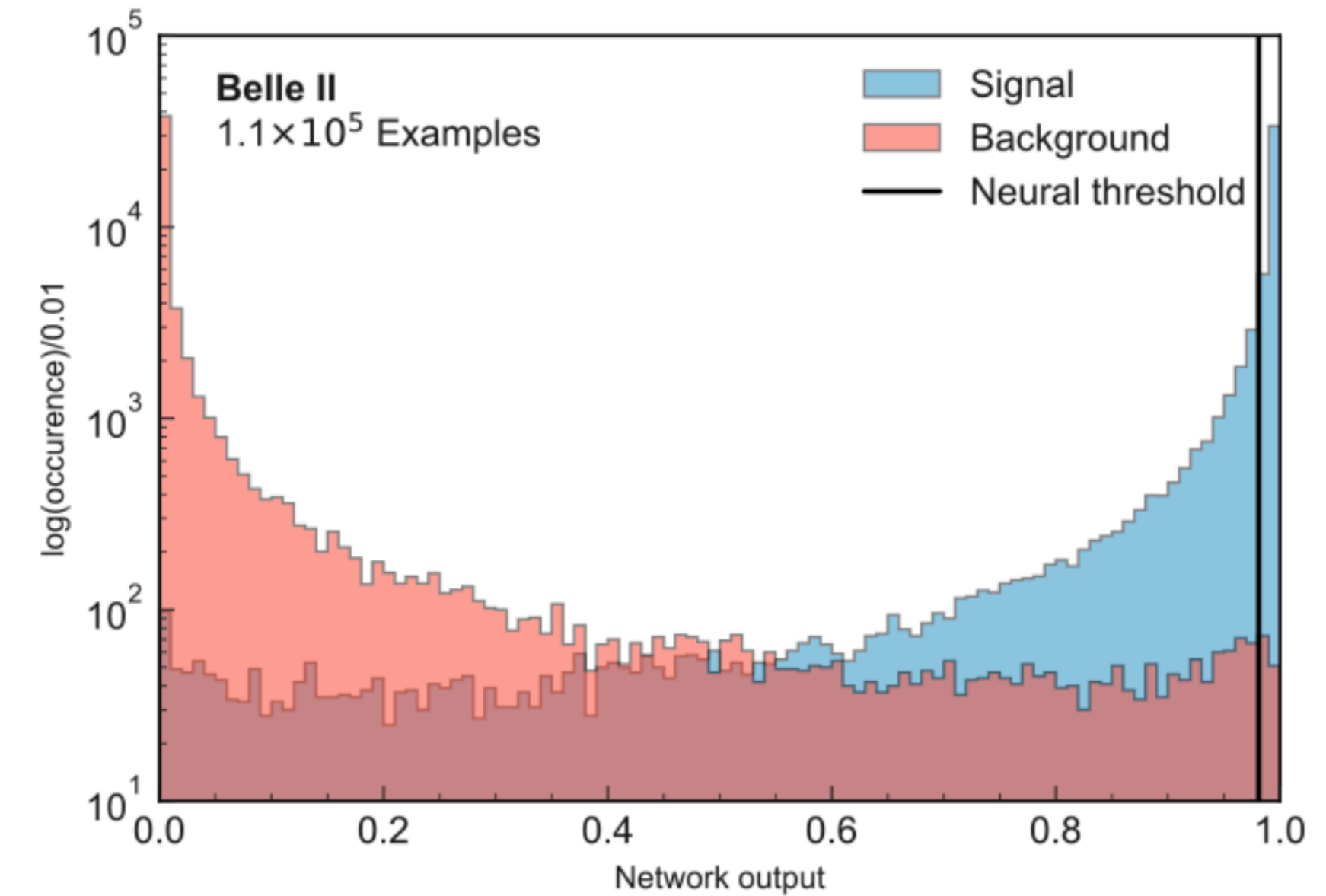
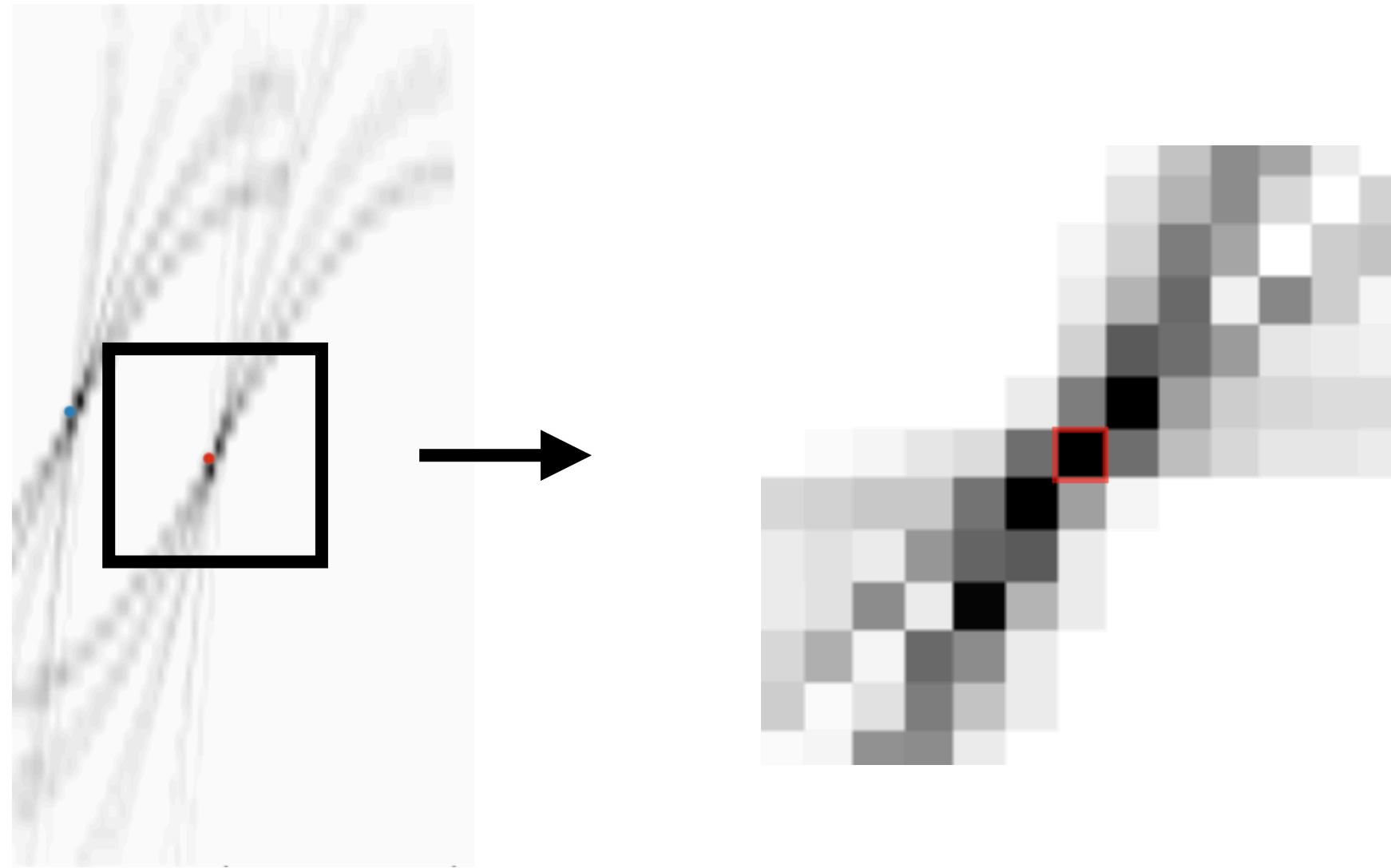
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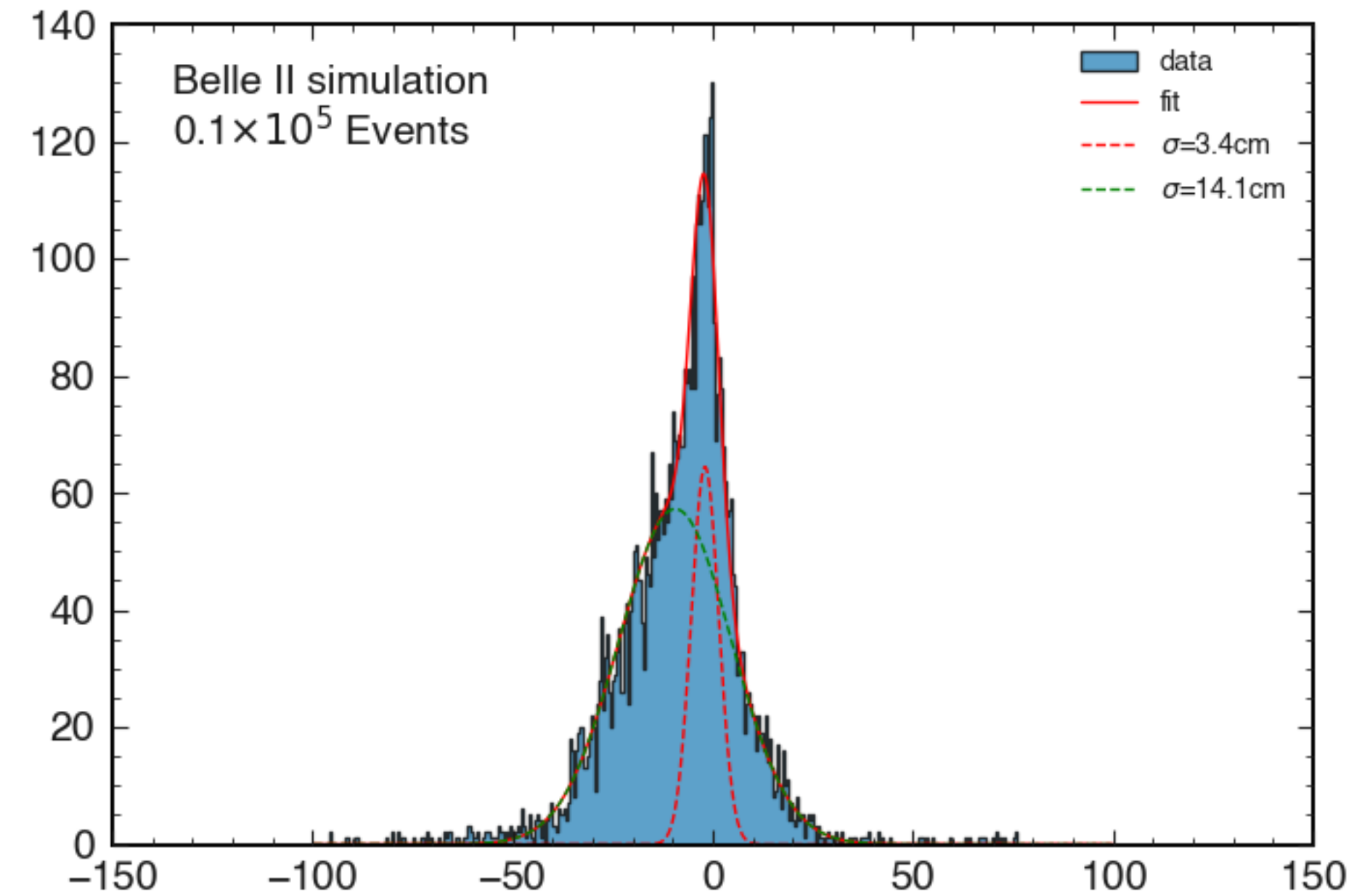
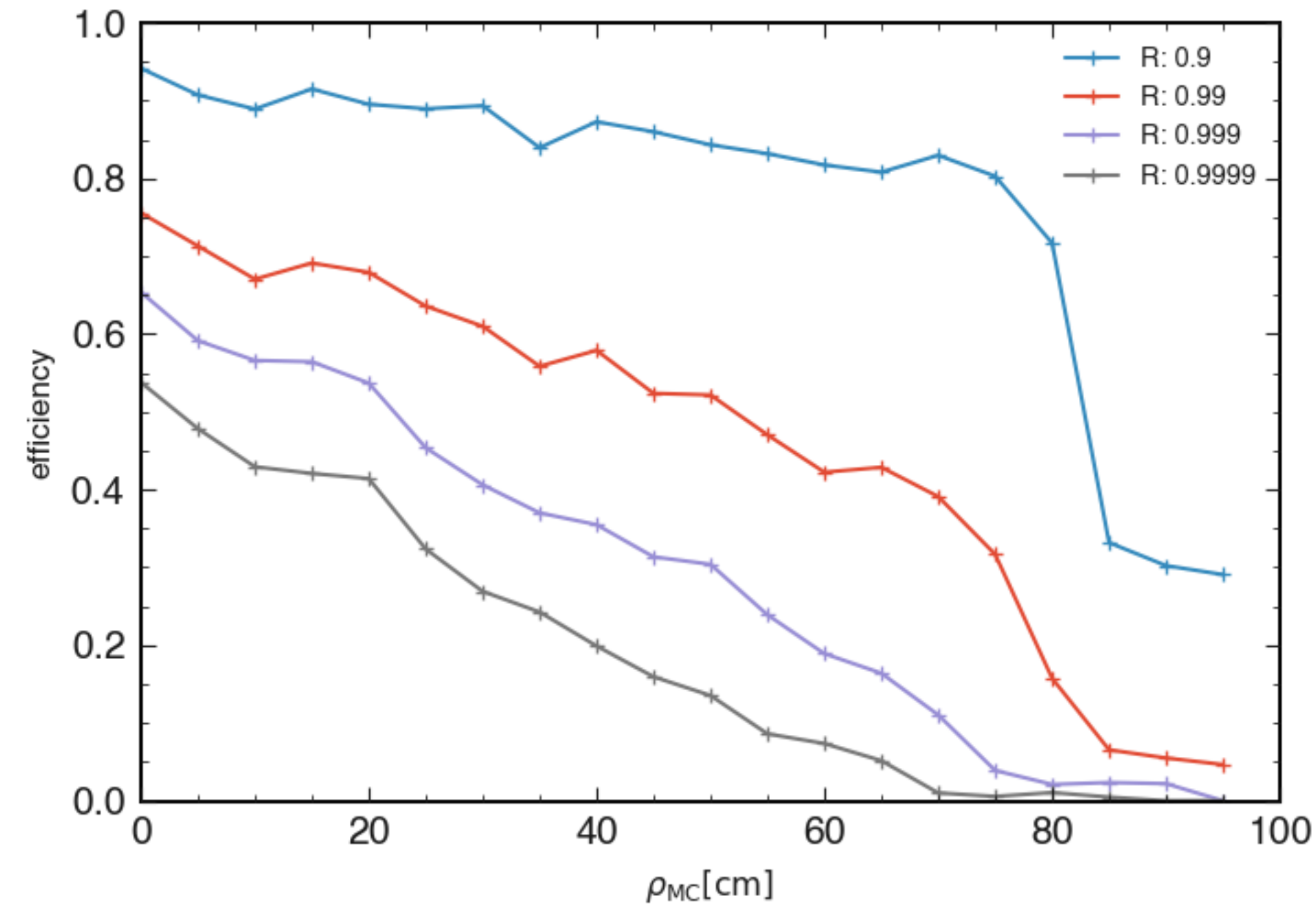
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IV: Neural Network



- Analyze regions around Hough matrix maxima
- Extract cluster variables (com, size, sigma ...)
- Cluster variables are input to neural network
- Discriminate actual tracks from fakes
- Two good tracks (of opposite charge) from the same vertex \rightarrow trigger decision

V: New results



- First network trained (very limited dataset and no optimization at all)
- Stronger in rejection than old algorithm (due to fewer MacroCells)
- Need to determine precise rejection constraint
- Vertex resolution is satisfactory for an L1 trigger



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