

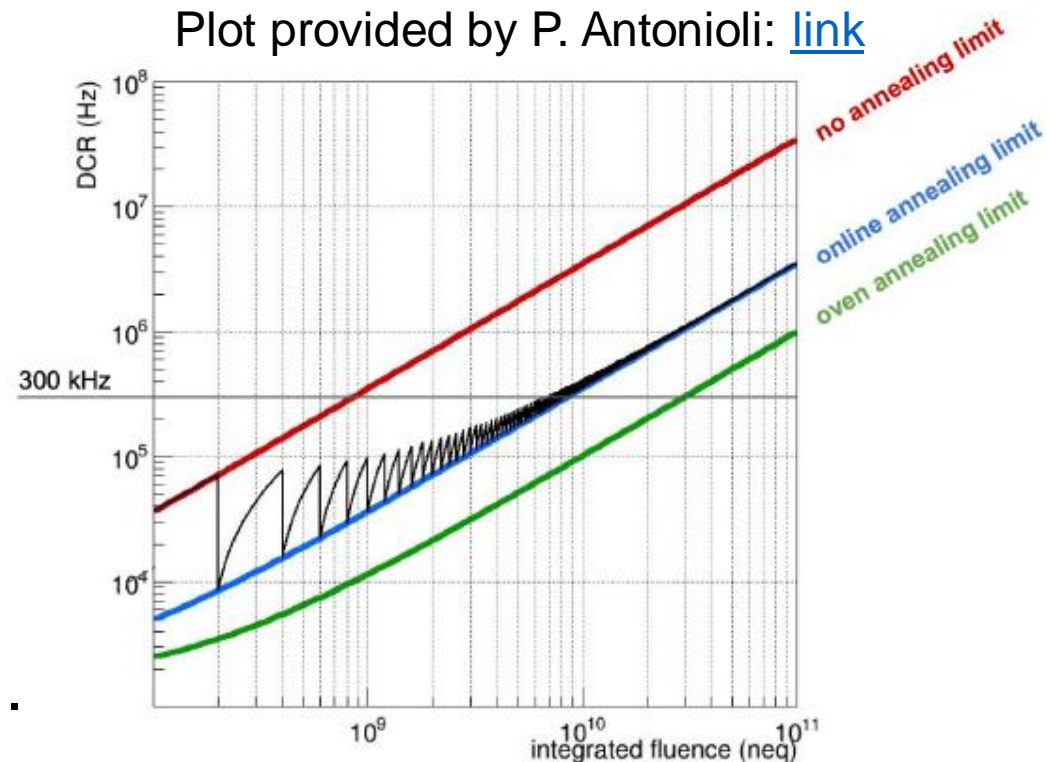
dRICH simulation – Noise

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Outline

- Implementation of the dRICH noise simulation.
- Performance study as a function of the DCR.
- Noise hits added in the [PhotoMultiplierHitDigi.cc](https://github.com/eic/PhotoMultiplierHitDigi.cc).
- Noise configurable: [dRICH.cc](https://github.com/eic/dRICH.cc)
- Pull request: <https://github.com/eic/EICrecon/pull/555>



Algorithm

```
int k = p*m_num_sec*m_num_mod*m_num_px*m_num_px;

for (int i = 0; i < k; i++) {
    int isec = m_random.Uniform(0., m_num_sec);
    int imod = m_random.Uniform(0., m_num_mod);
    int x = m_random.Uniform(0., m_num_px);
    int y = m_random.Uniform(0., m_num_px);

    auto cellID = cellIDEncoding(isec, imod, x, y);
```

```
//build noise raw hits
if (m_cfg.enableNoise) {
    m_log->trace("{:=^70}", " BEGIN NOISE INJECTION ");
    float p = m_cfg.noiseRate*m_cfg.noiseTimeWindow;
    auto cellID_action = [this,&hit_groups] (auto id) {

        // cell time, signal amplitude
        double amp = m_cfg.speMean + m_rngNorm()*m_cfg.speError;
        TimeType time = m_cfg.noiseTimeWindow*m_rngUni();
        dd4hep::Position pos_hit_global = m_cellid_converter->position(id);
```

```
digi_cfg.enableNoise      = false;
digi_cfg.noiseRate         = 20000; // [Hz]
digi_cfg.noiseTimeWindow  = 20.0 * dd4hep::ns; // [ns]
```

- Poissonian distribution of the noise.
 k noise hits expected:

$$k = \text{noise rate} * \text{time window} * n \text{ pixels}$$

- Generation of k random cell IDs.

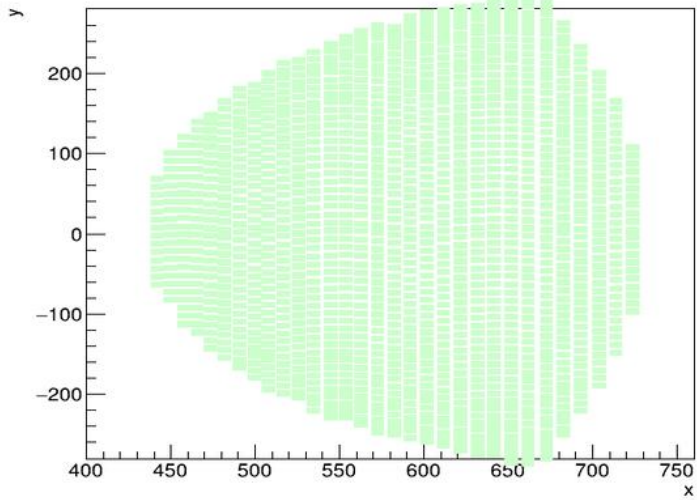
- Fill these cells with a noise hit.

Time associated to the noise hit randomly generated within the time window.

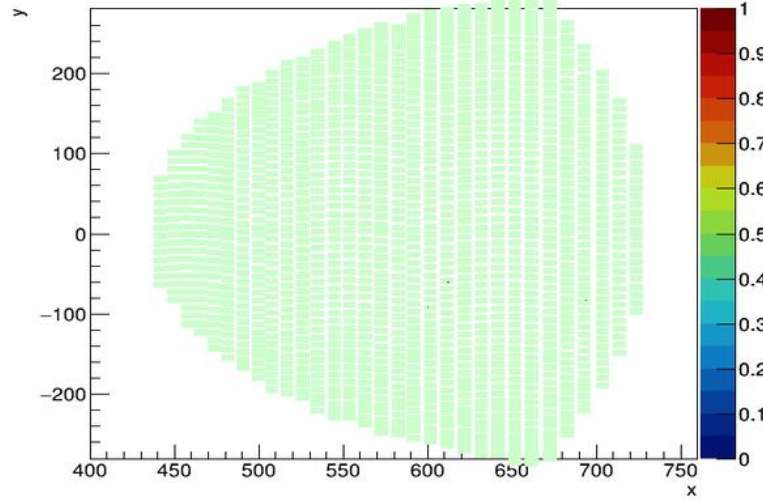
- Configurables in [DRICH.cc](https://drich.cc).

DRICH ring without noise

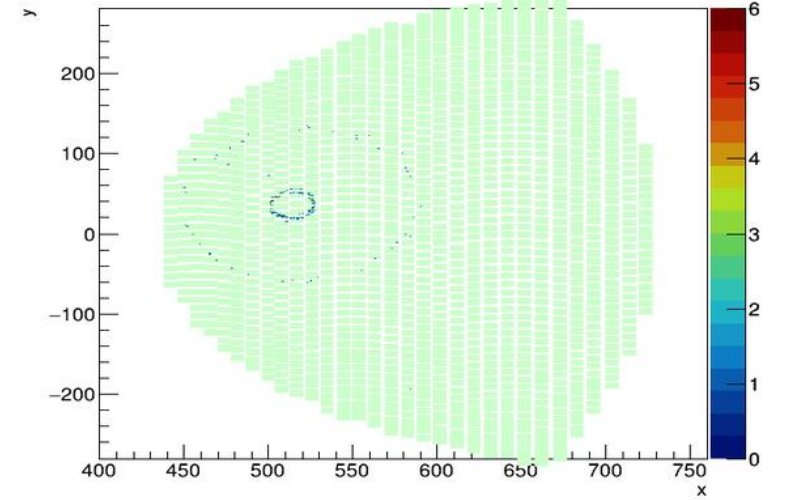
Photon hits, sector 0, all events



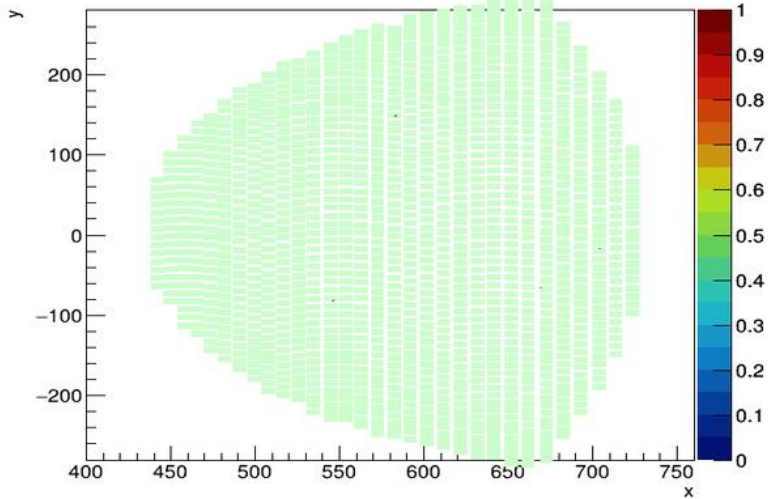
Photon hits, sector 1, all events



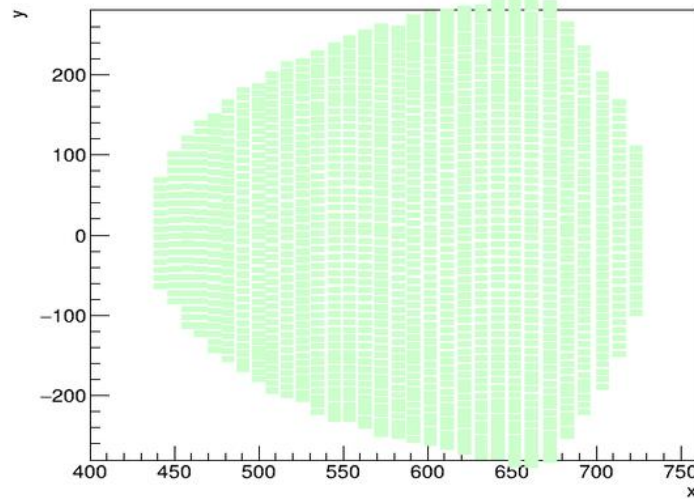
Photon hits, sector 2, all events



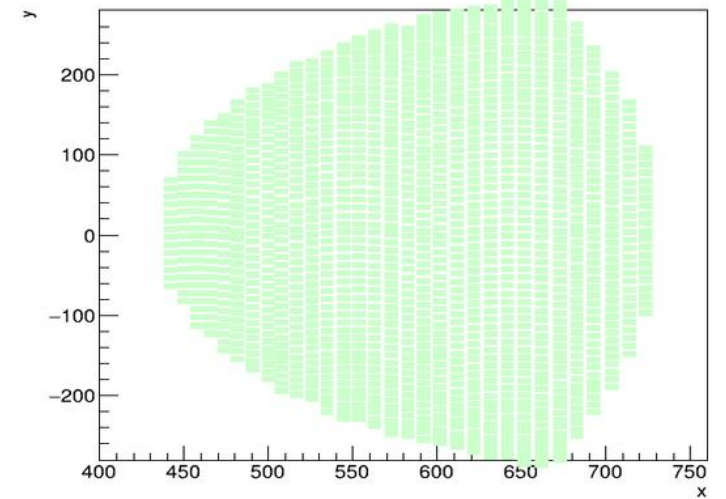
Photon hits, sector 3, all events



Photon hits, sector 4, all events



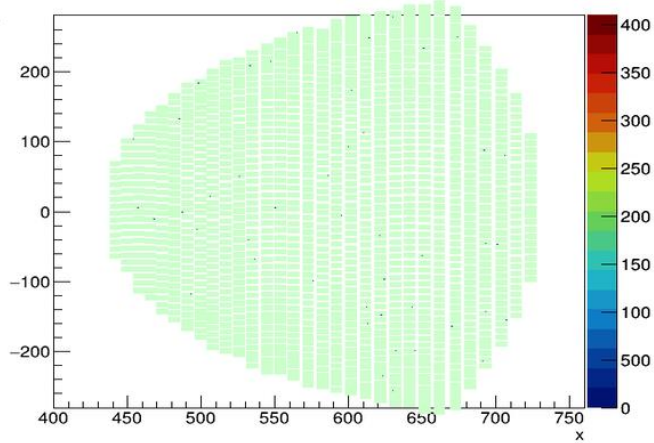
Photon hits, sector 5, all events



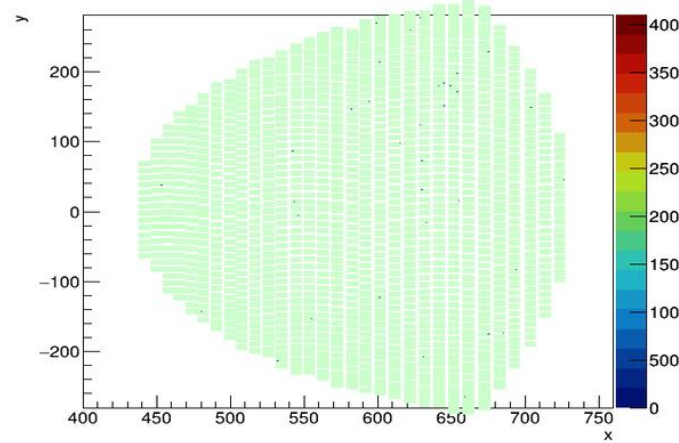
DRICH ring with noise

- Noise rate: 20 kHz*
- Time window: 20 ns

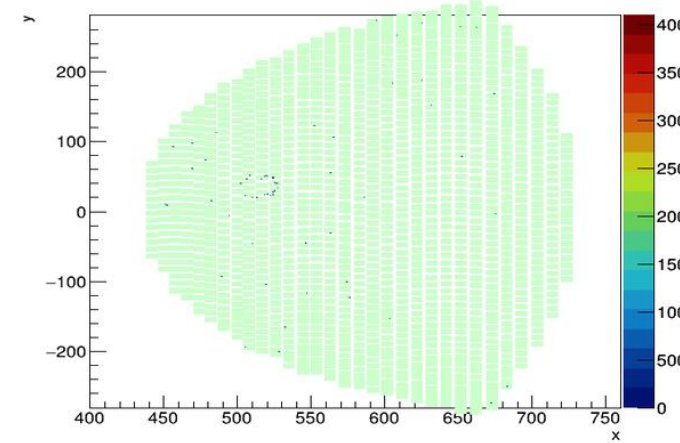
Digitized hits, sector 0, all events



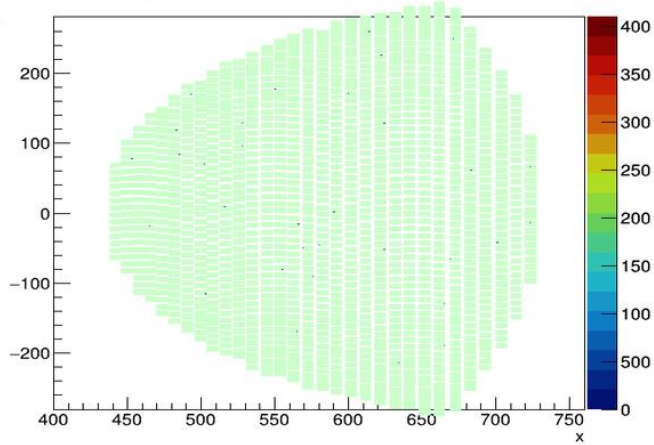
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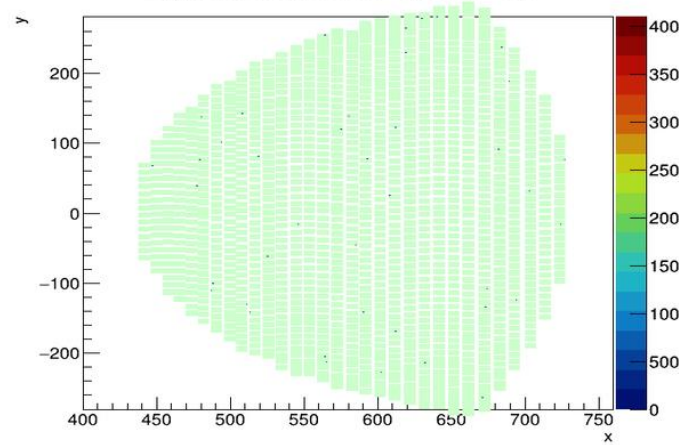
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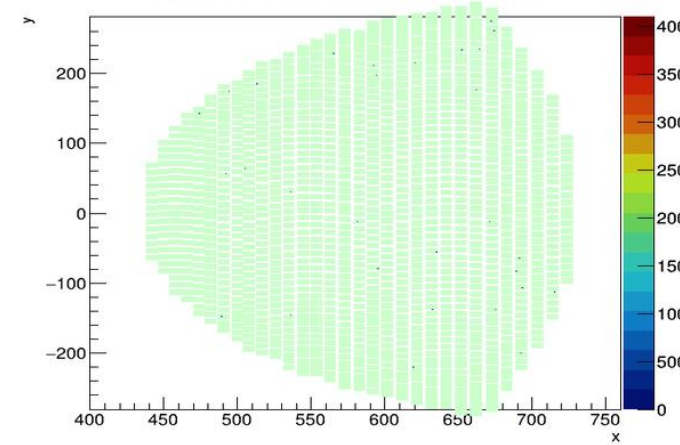
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Digitized hits, sector 4, all events



Digitized hits, sector 5, all events

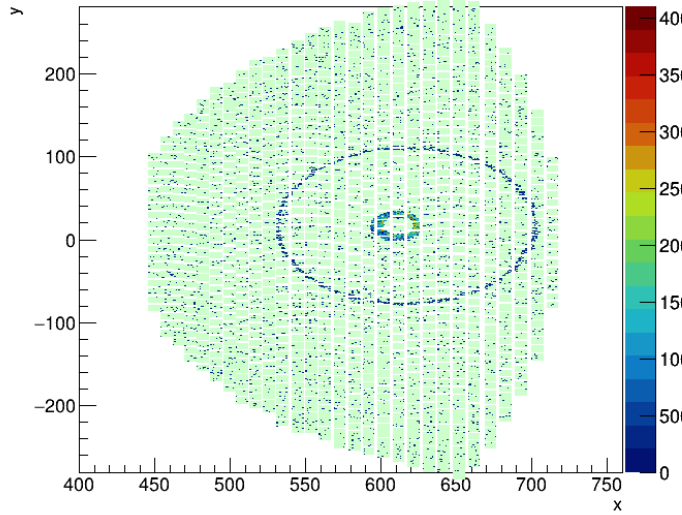


*Numbers provided by P. Antonioli: [link](#)

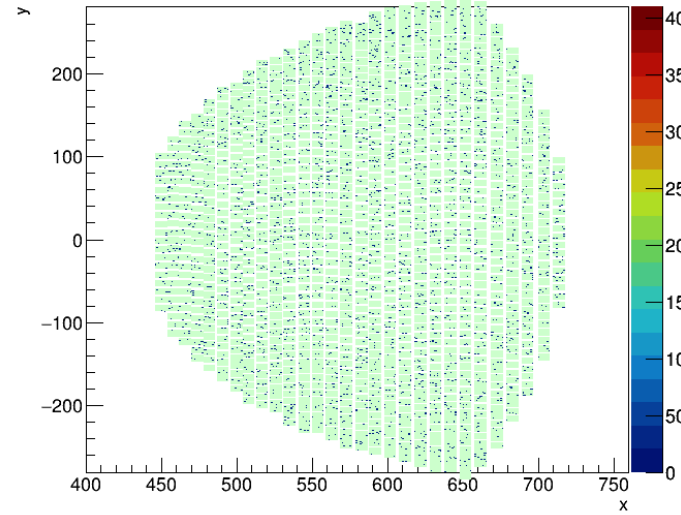
DRICH ring with noise

Gun with
100 pions.

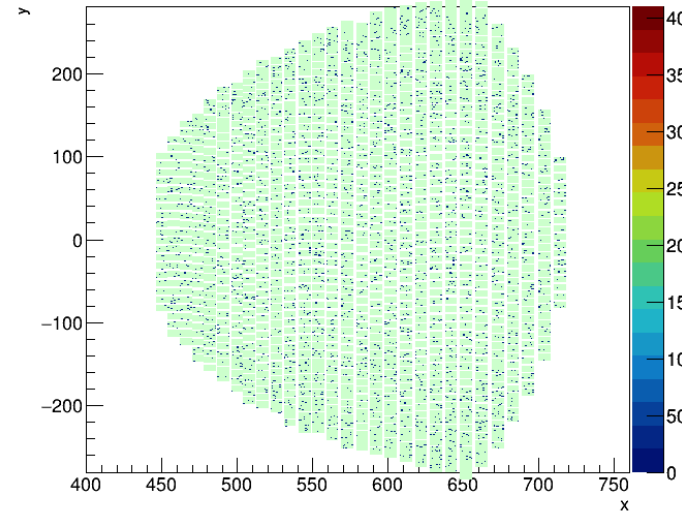
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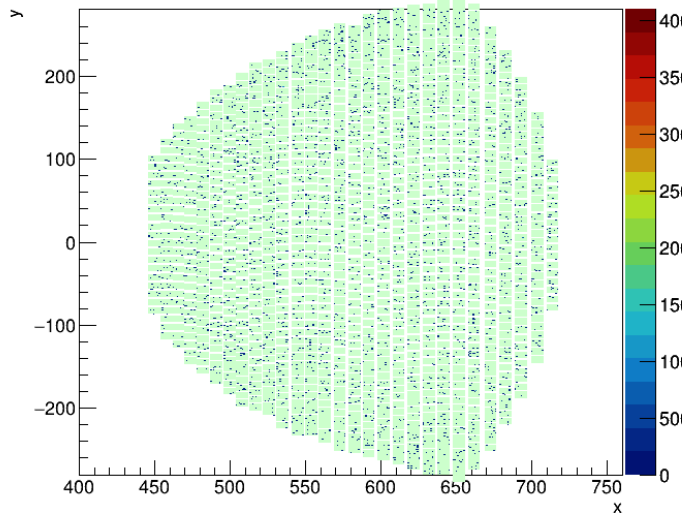
Digitized hits, sector 1, all events



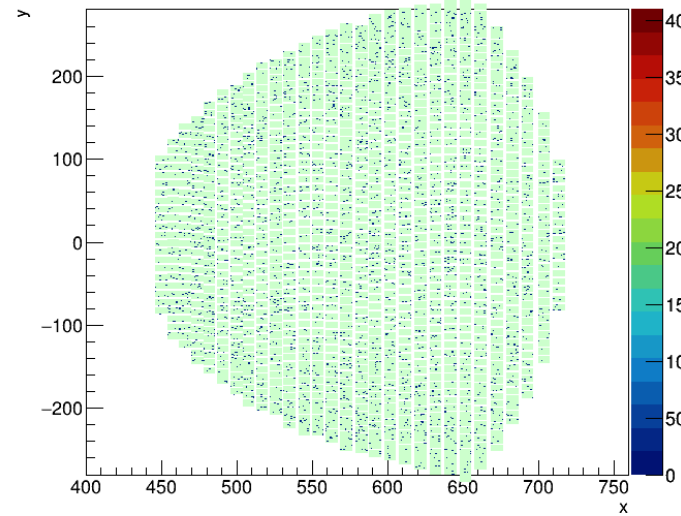
Digitized hits, sector 2, all events



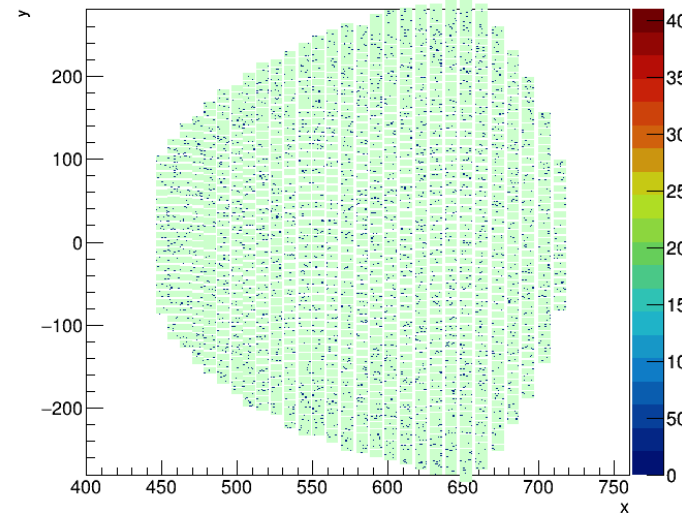
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Digitized hits, sector 4, all events

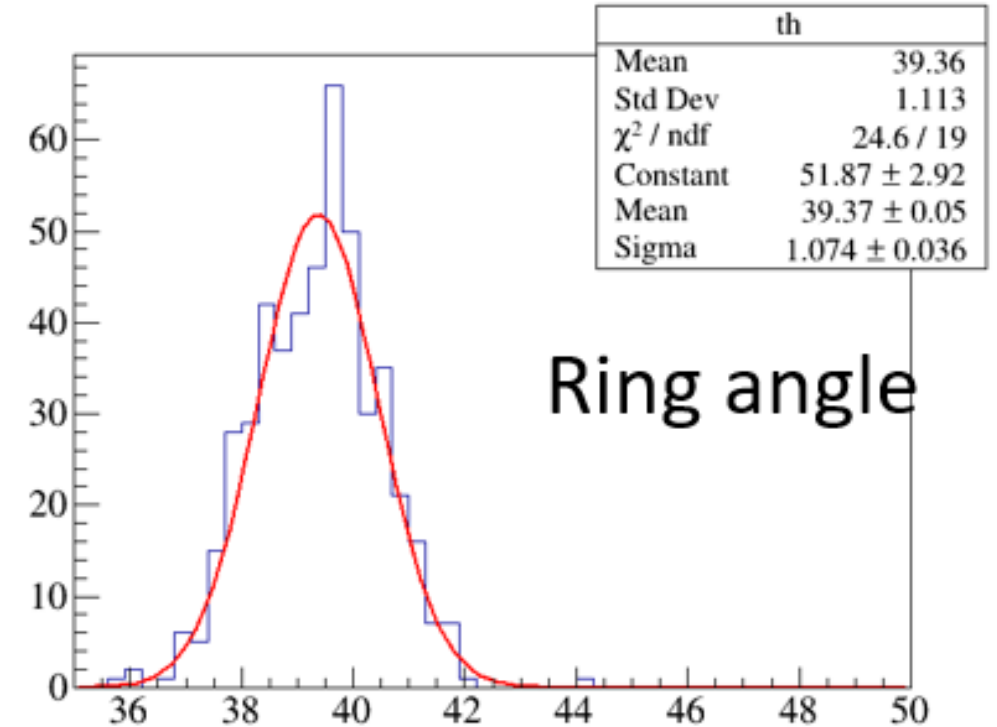


Digitized hits, sector 5, all events



Outlook

- Test the performance at different noise rate, time windows, ...

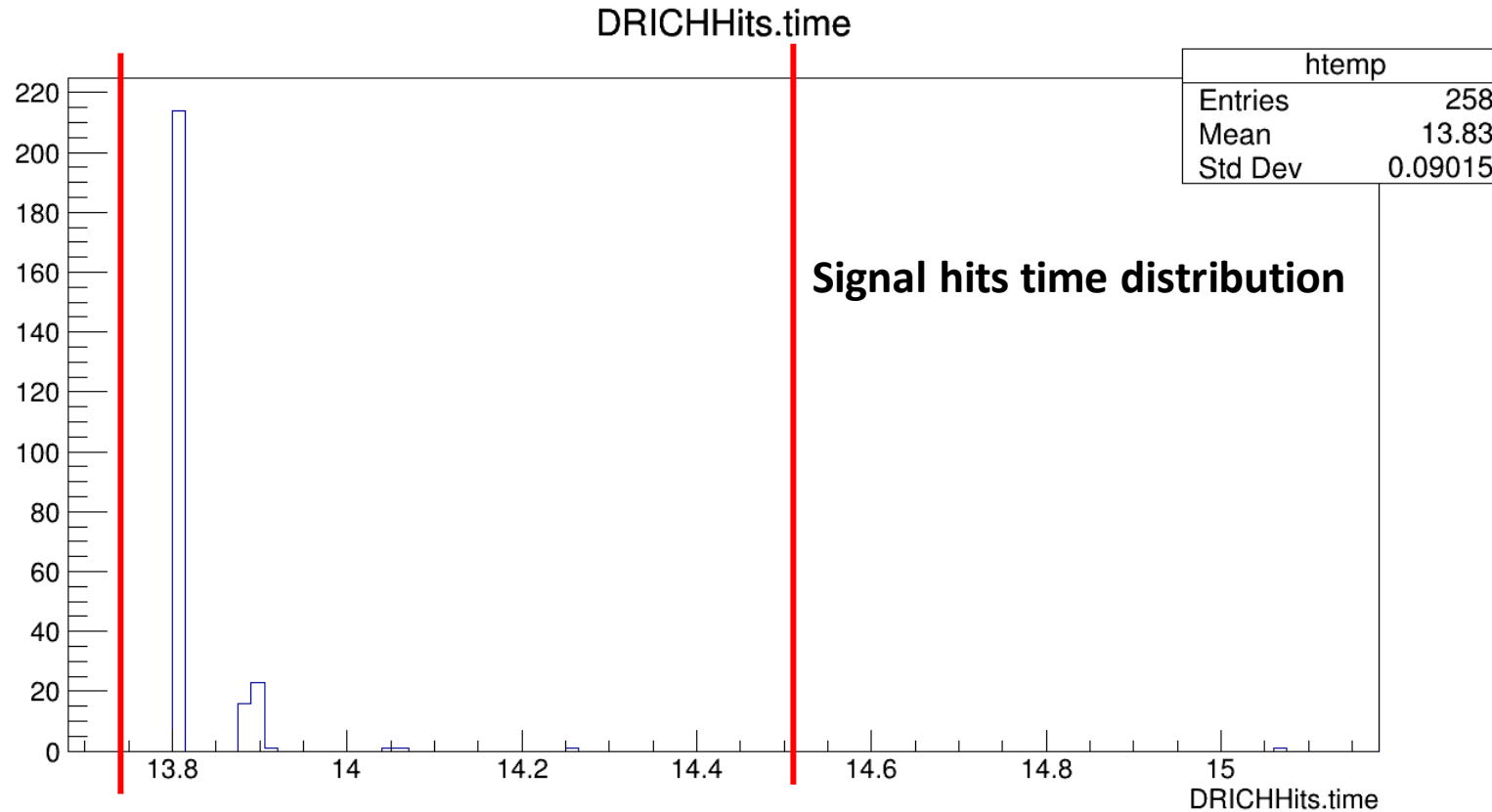


- Algorithm to reject noise hits.

*Plot presented by Chandra: [link](#)

Time shutter

- Reduce the noise with a “time shutter”.



Old Algorithm

- Loop over the sensors and generate random noise hits with a configurable **rate** in a given **time window**.

- Noise function:

```
bool  eicrecon::PhotoMultiplierHitDigi::Noise_Digits(float noiseRate, int timeWindow) const
{
    return (m_rngUni() < (noiseRate*timeWindow*dd4hep::ns));
}
```

- When the outcome of the Noise function is true, a noise hit is added to the raw hits:

```
if (Noise_Digits(m_cfg.noiseRate, m_cfg.timeWindow)){
    // cell time, signal amplitude
    double amp = m_cfg.speMean + m_rngNorm()*m_cfg.speError;
    double time = m_cfg.timeWindow*m_rngUni();
    auto pos_hit_global = m_cellid_converter->position(cellID);
    hit_groups_noise[cellID] = {HitData{1, amp + m_cfg.pedMean + m_cfg.pedError*m_rngNorm(), time, pos_hit_global}};
}
```