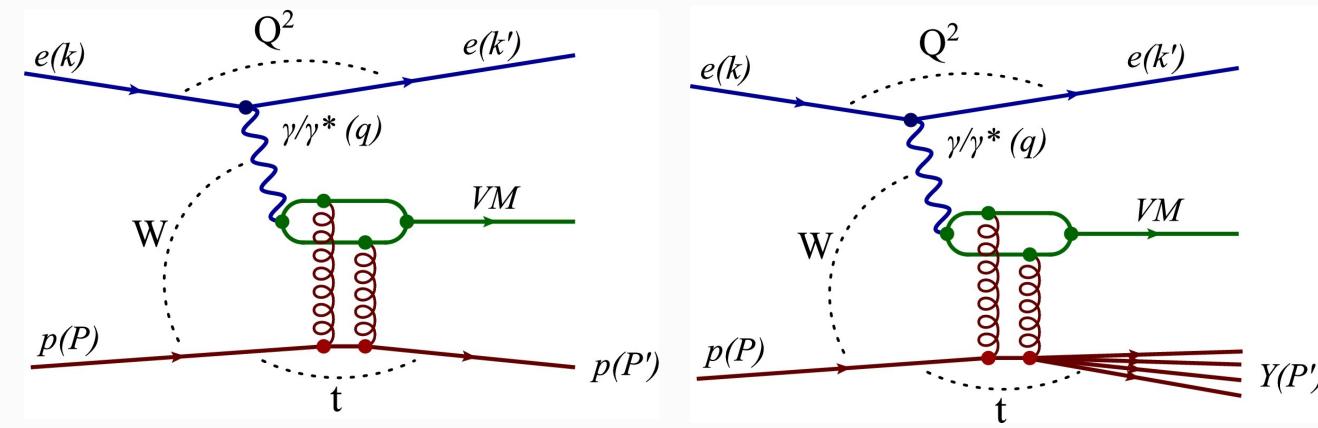
# Tracking performance from realistic seeding in $J/\psi$ photo-(electro-) production

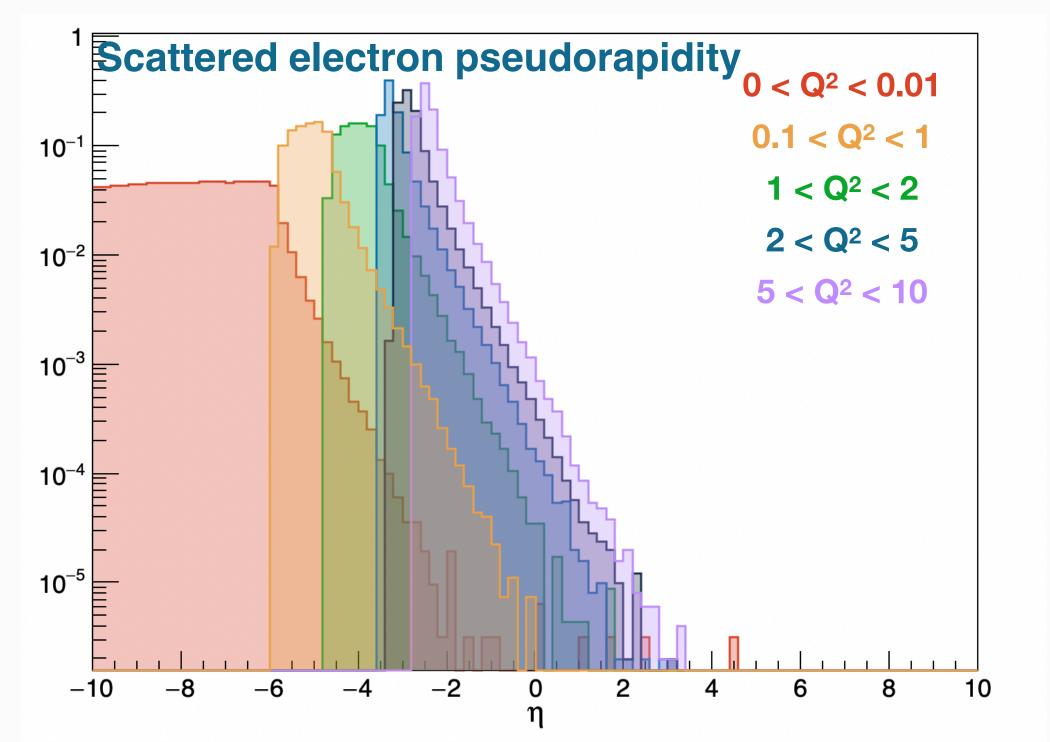
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## J/\psi photo-(electro-) production

- Coherent production of eA→eA'J/ ψ→e(e+e-)A' with eSTARLight
- Electron beam energy of 18 GeV:
  ELECTRON\_BEAM\_GAMMA = 35295
- Au ion (197, 79) 100 GeV/nucleon:
  TARGET\_BEAM\_GAMMA = 106.6
- Standard detector simulation under EPIC software framework: npsim + eic\_recon
- EPIC geometry: epic\_craterlake including barrel and endcap mpgd layers
- 0.5 M events per each Q<sup>2</sup> range

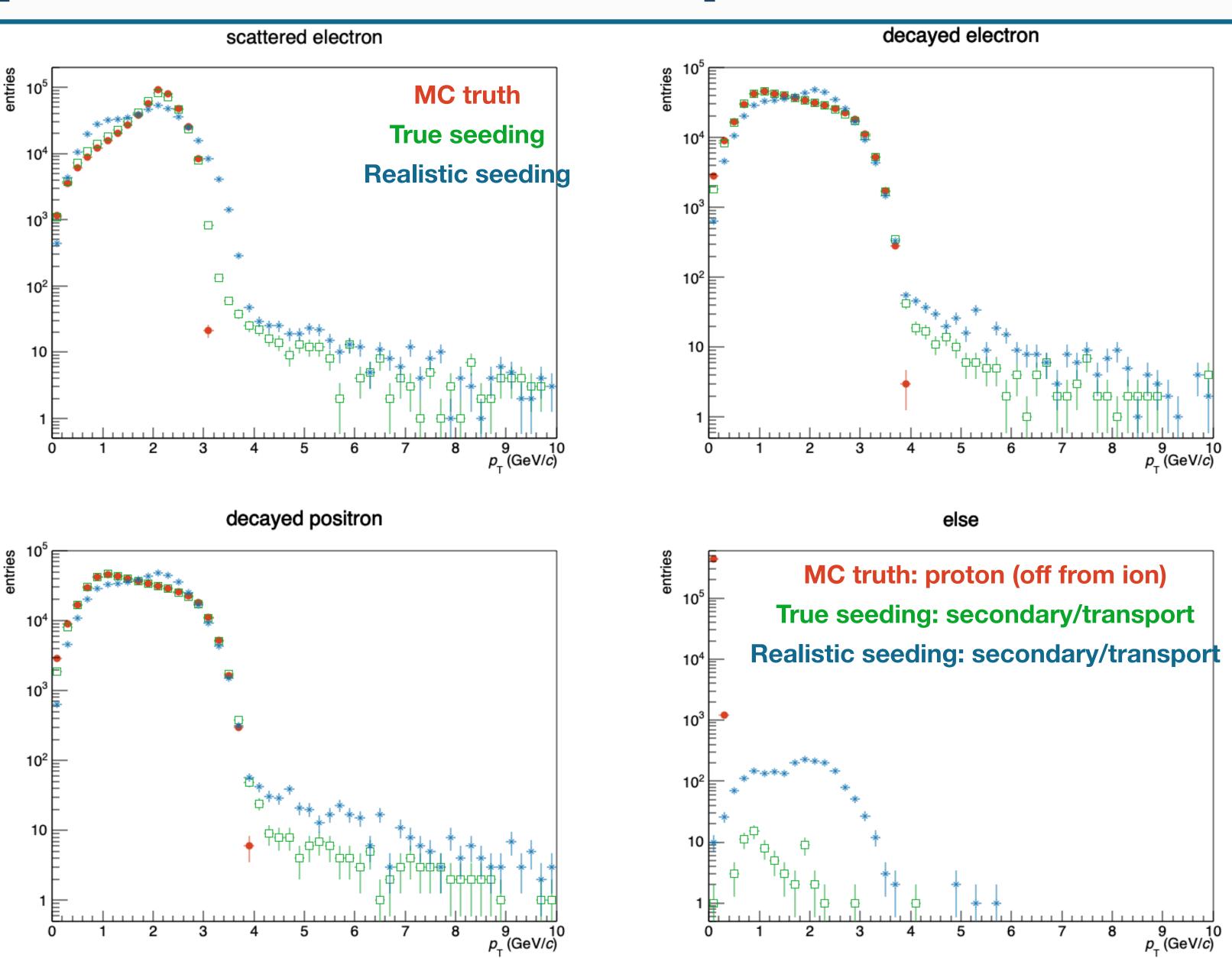




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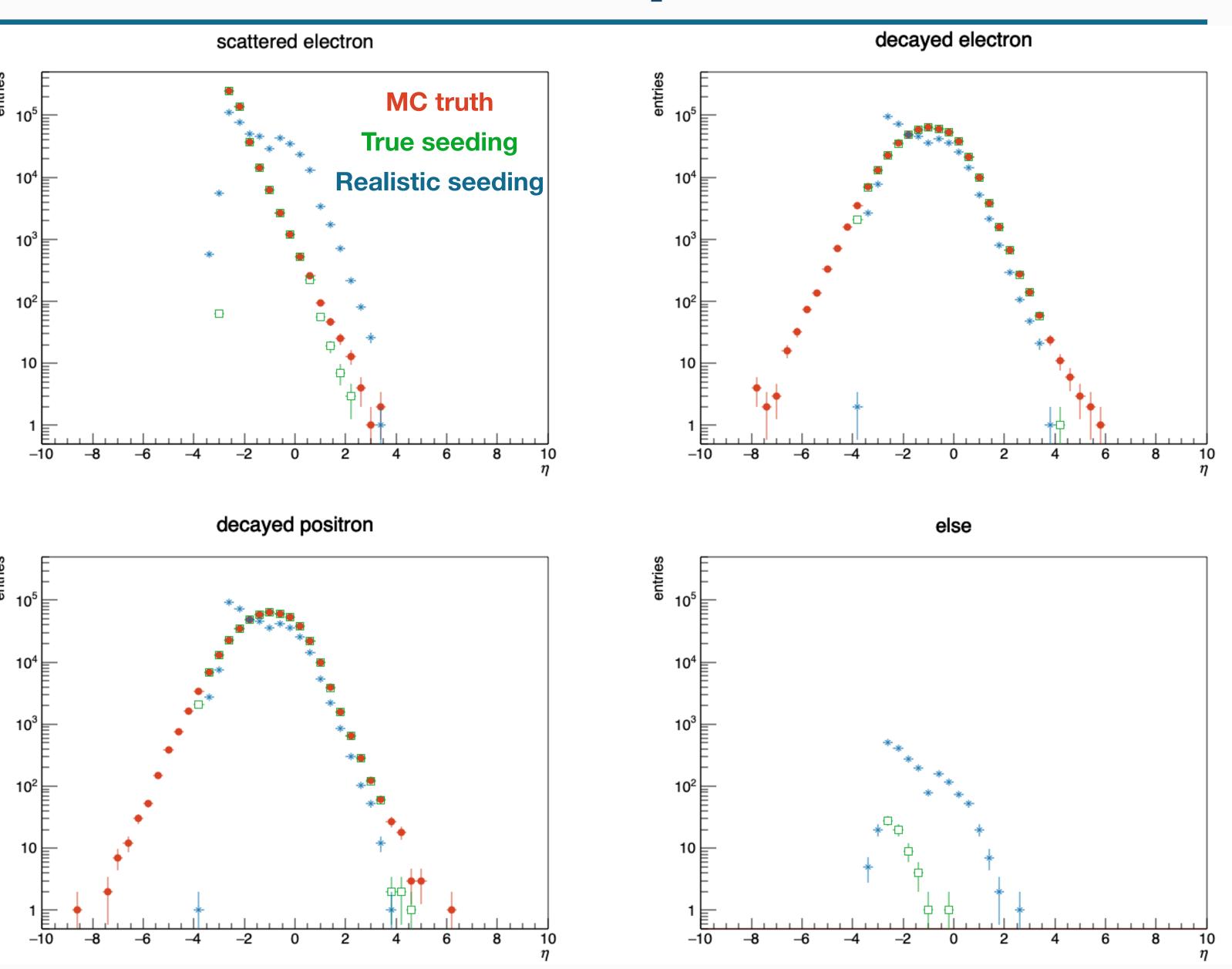
- Both scattered electron and decay products are mostly in EPIC acceptance!
- Reconstructed pT from realistic seeding not too far from the one from true seeding (and MC truth)
- Secondary fraction is different in true/realistic seeding



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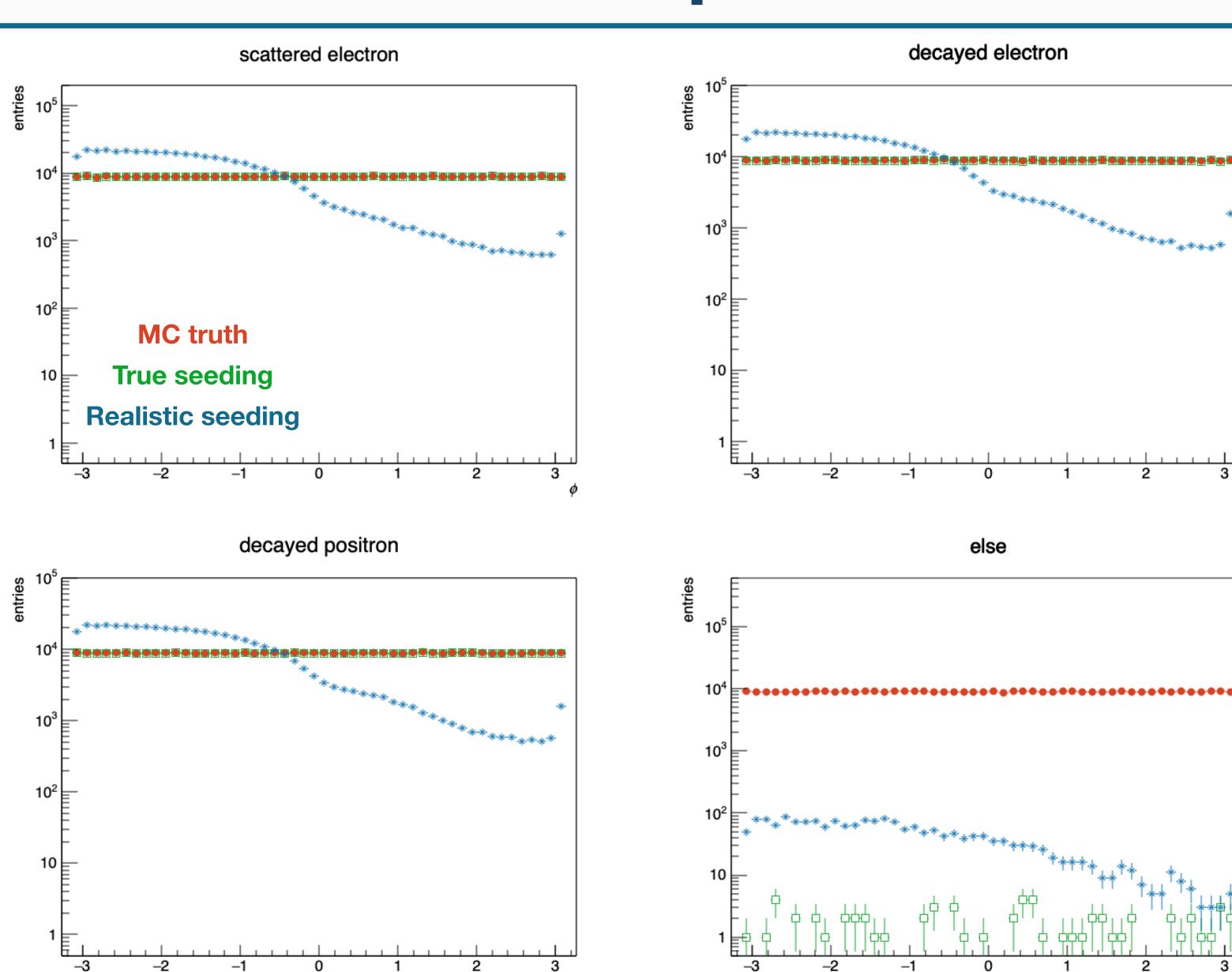
- Scattered electron and decay electron: different trend in eta
- Described in true seeding but not in realistic seeding
   -> issue in matching?
- Proton off from ion is not visible in EPIC acceptance



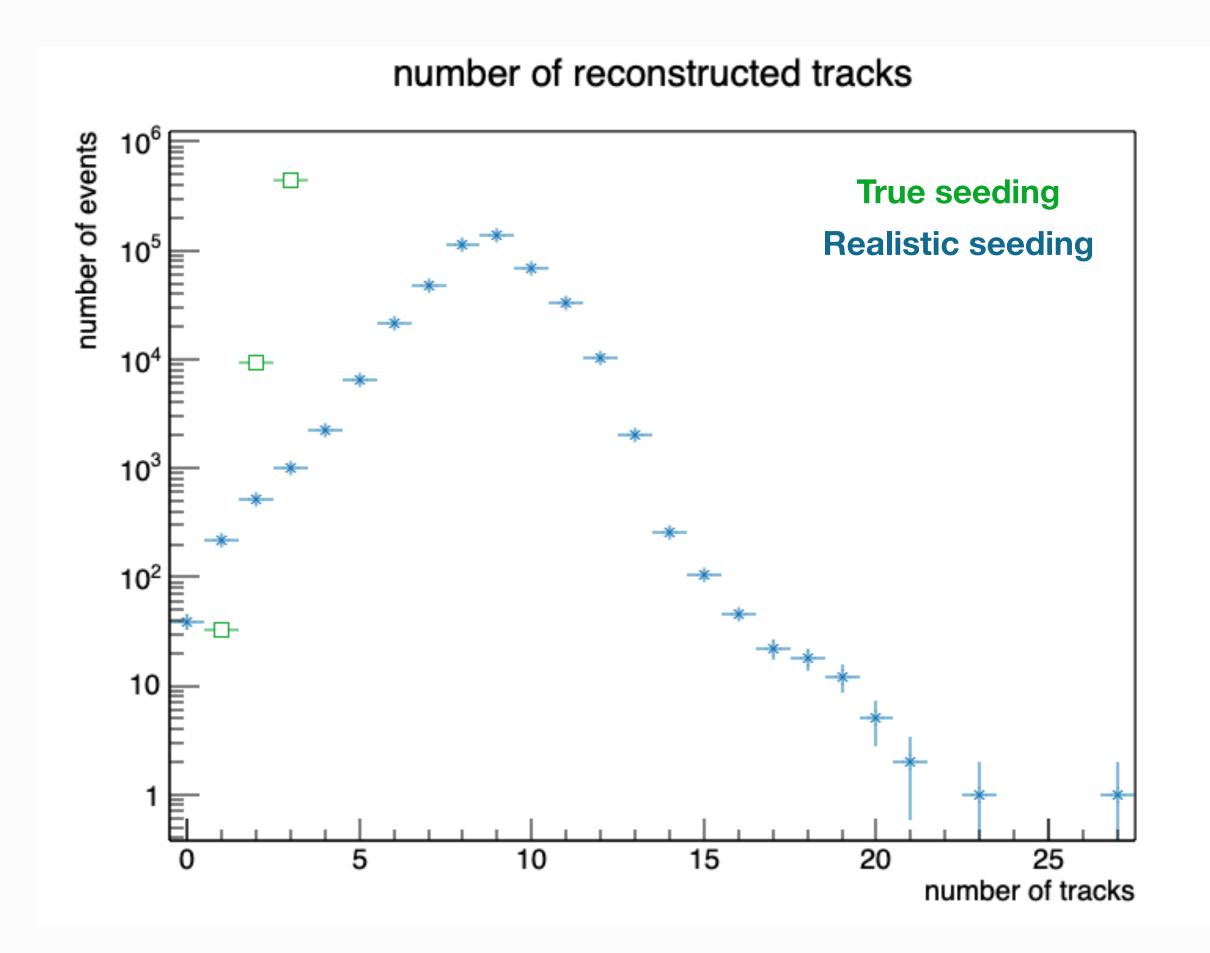
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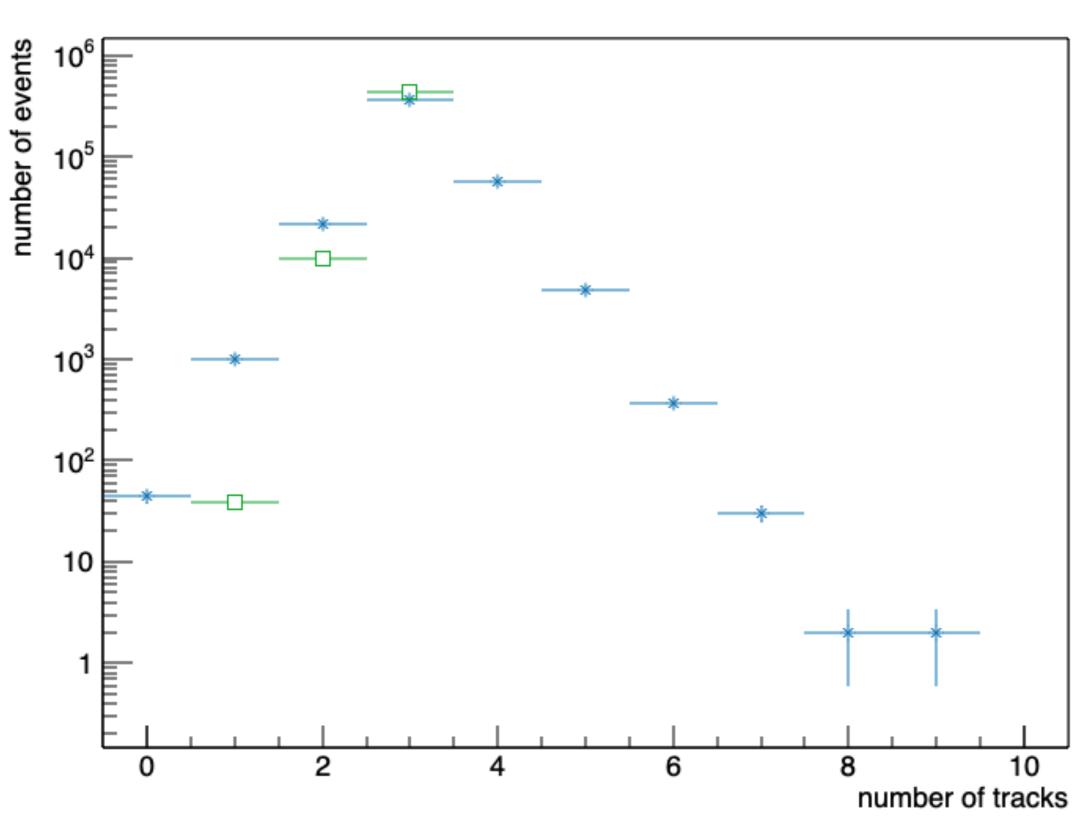
- Strange structure in phi distribution from realistic seeding
   -> issue in matching? Or in reco. algorithm in general?
- Comparison between true/realistic seeding



## True seeding vs. Realistic seeding: multiplicity



#### number of reconstructed matching tracks



- known issue: duplicated tracks realistic seeding; resulting large track multiplicity
- Next step: Track reduction in realistic sending and matching between particle and track