



Silicon seed study

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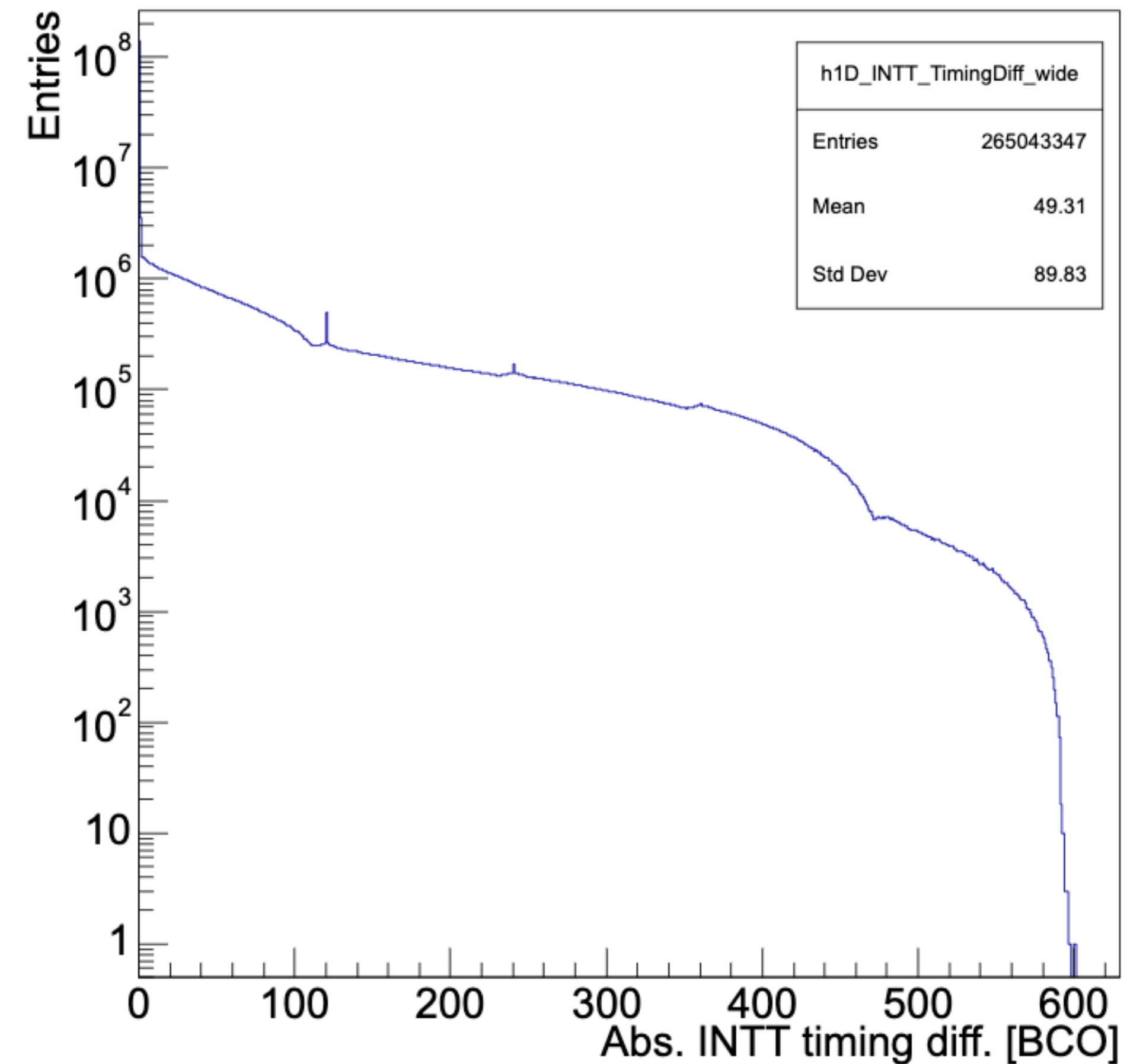
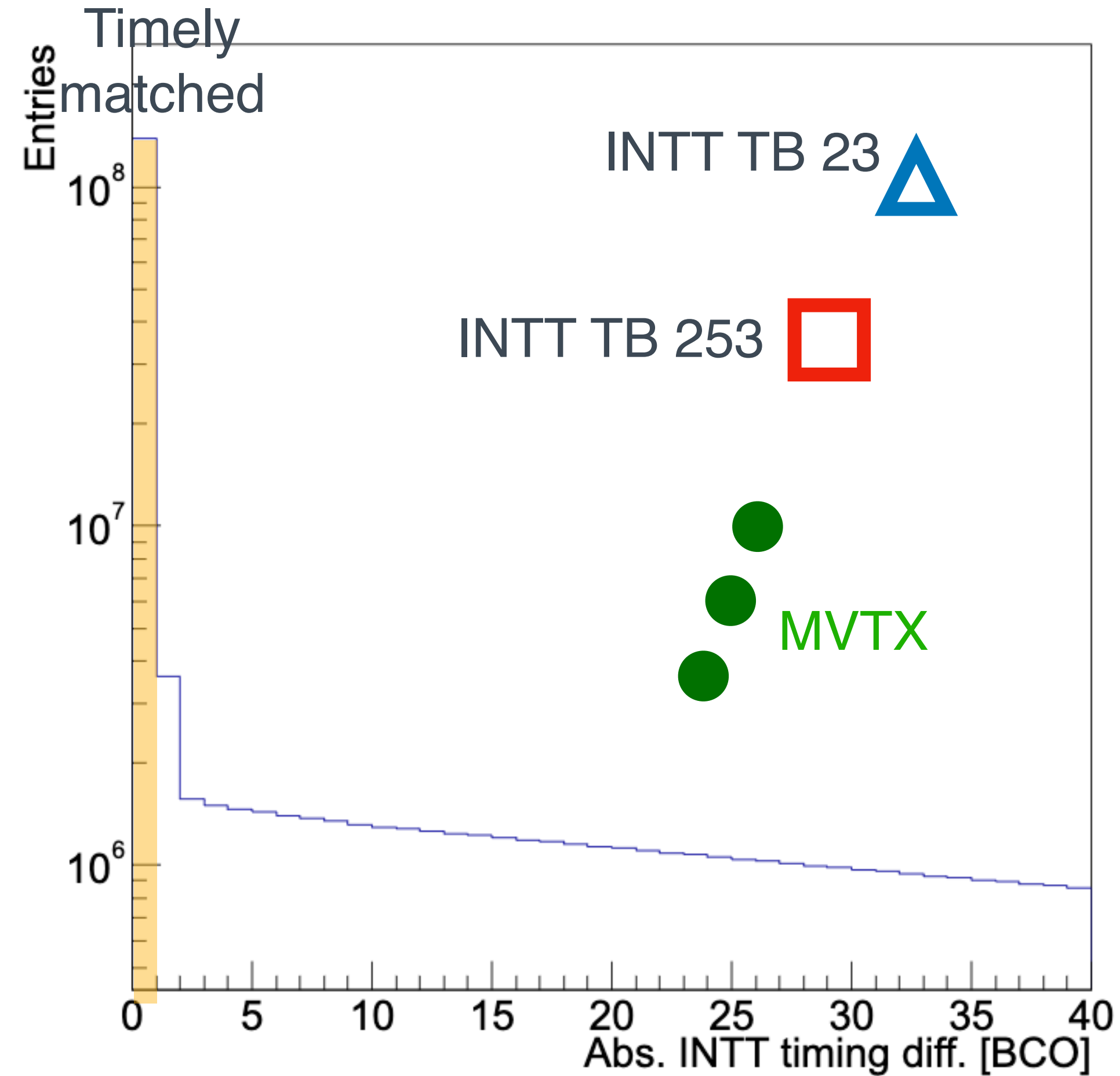


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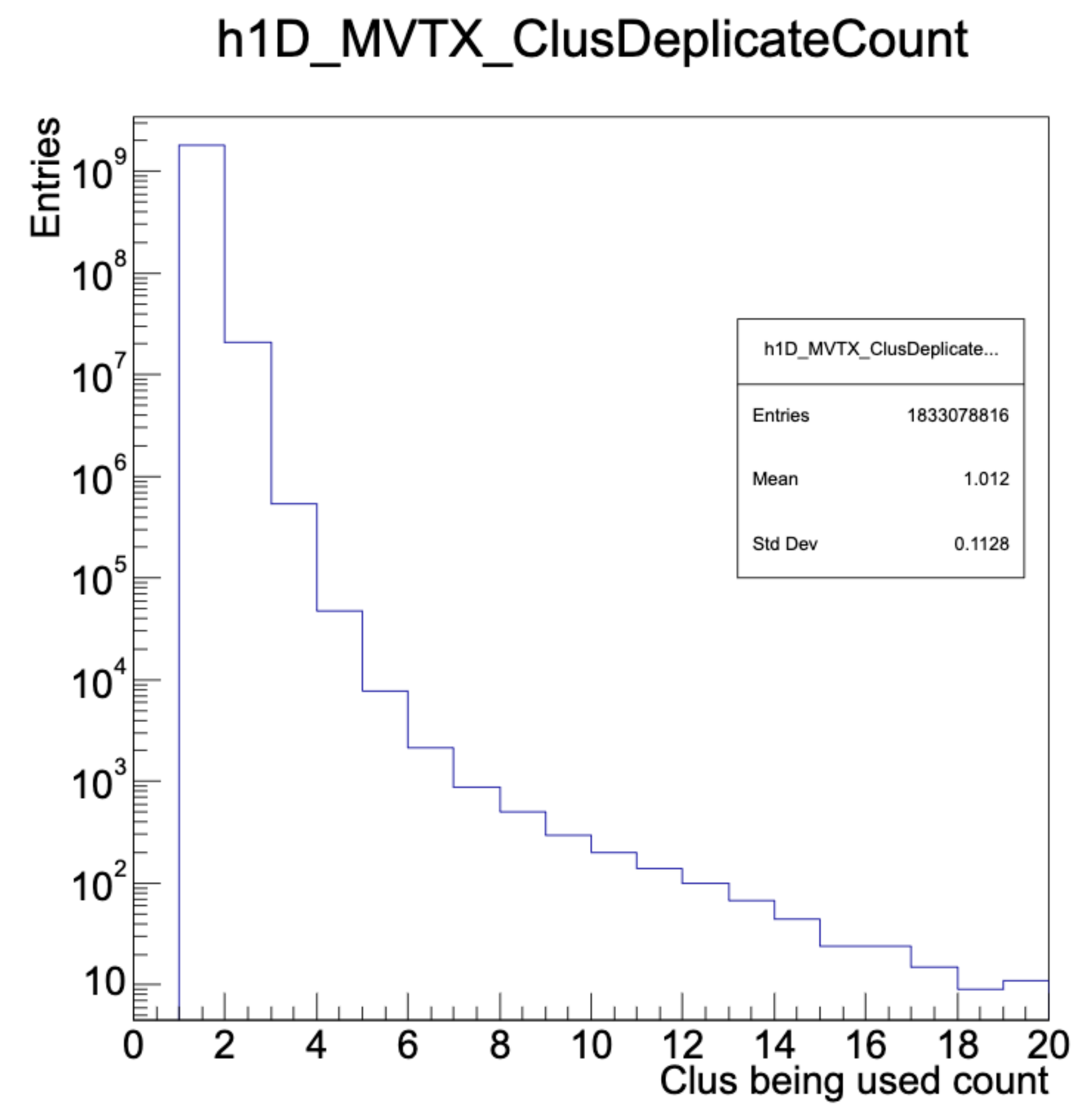
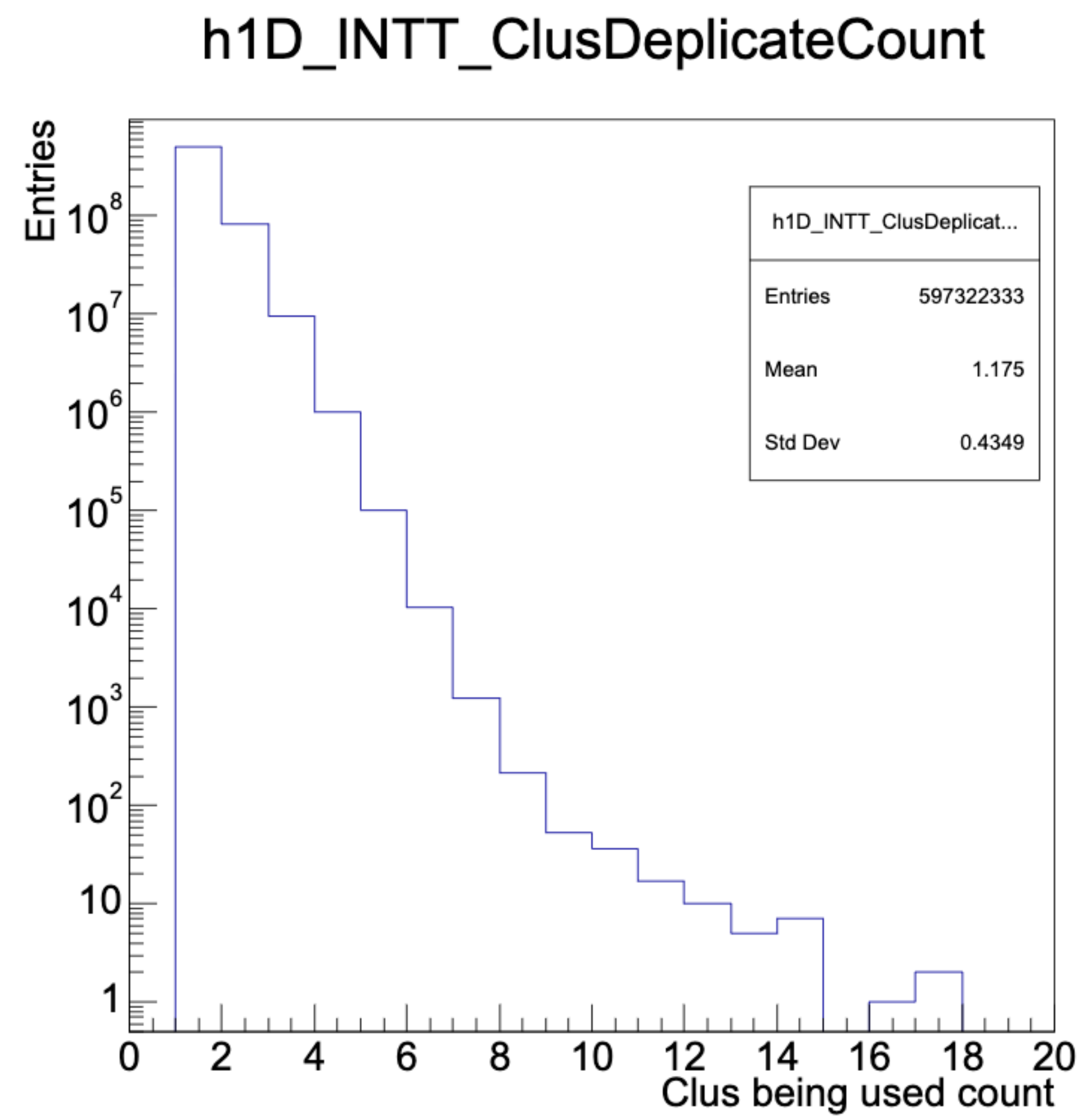
Timebucket difference of the INTT clusters in a silicon seed

The timebucket difference of the INTT clusters in a silicon seed, with different histogram ranges



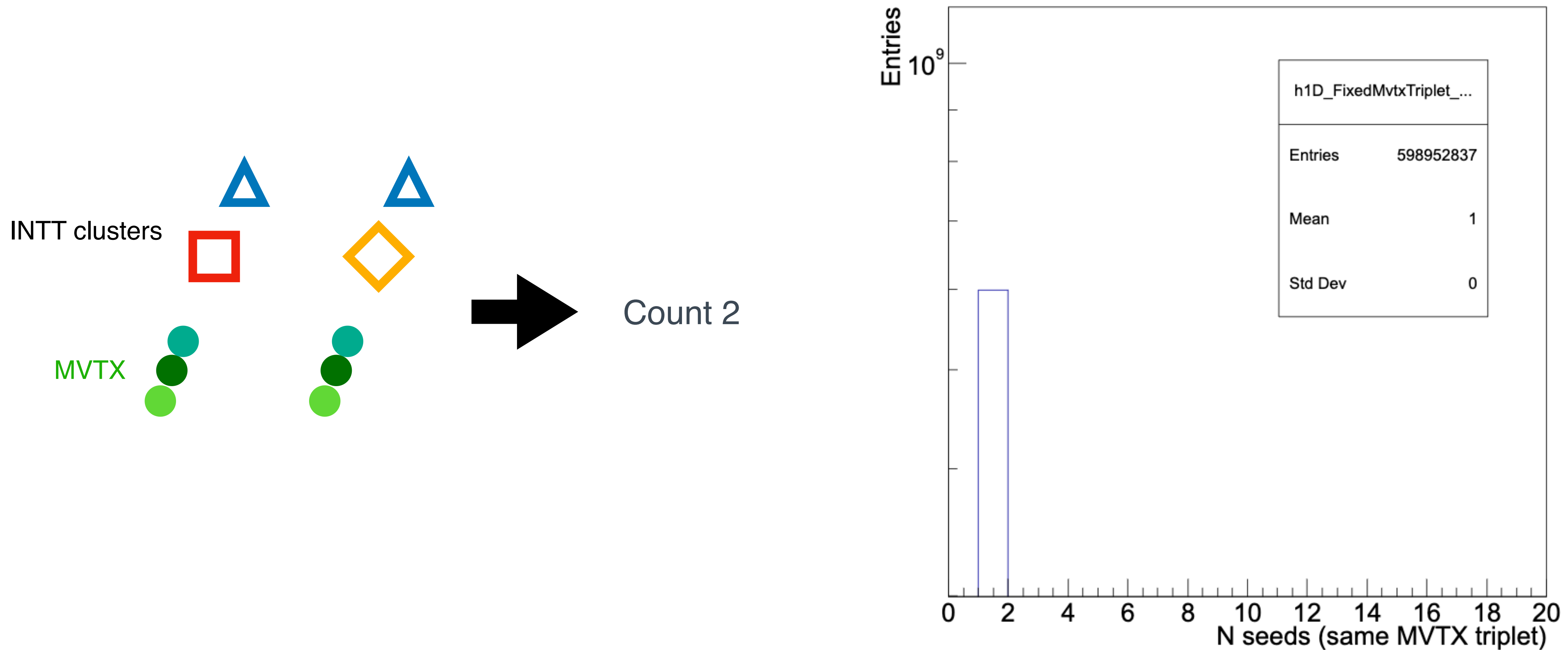
~45% of silicon seeds have INTT cluster-TimeBucket difference $\neq 0$

- Number of silicon seeds that a cluster is associated with, for both INTT and MVTX, respectively



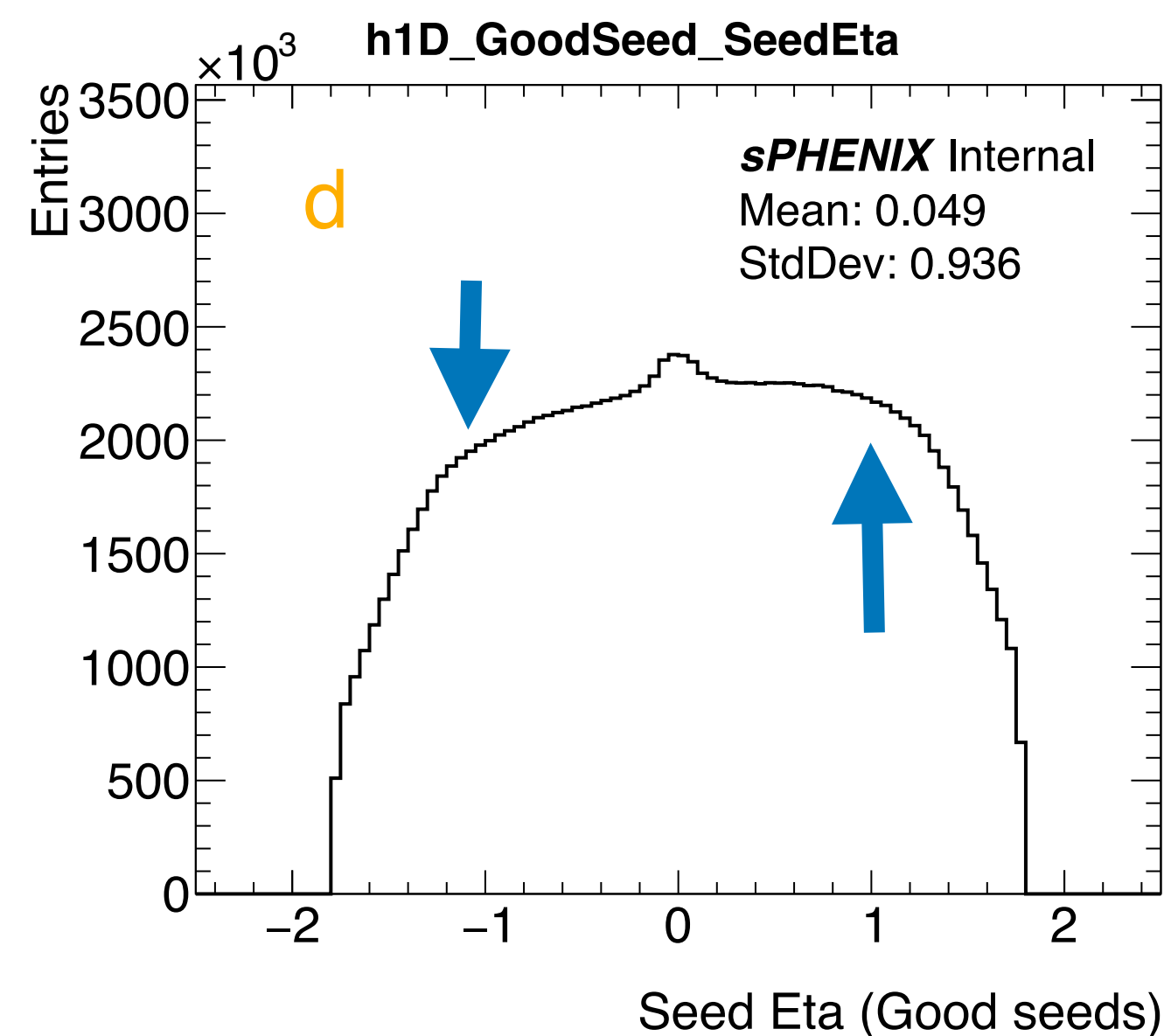
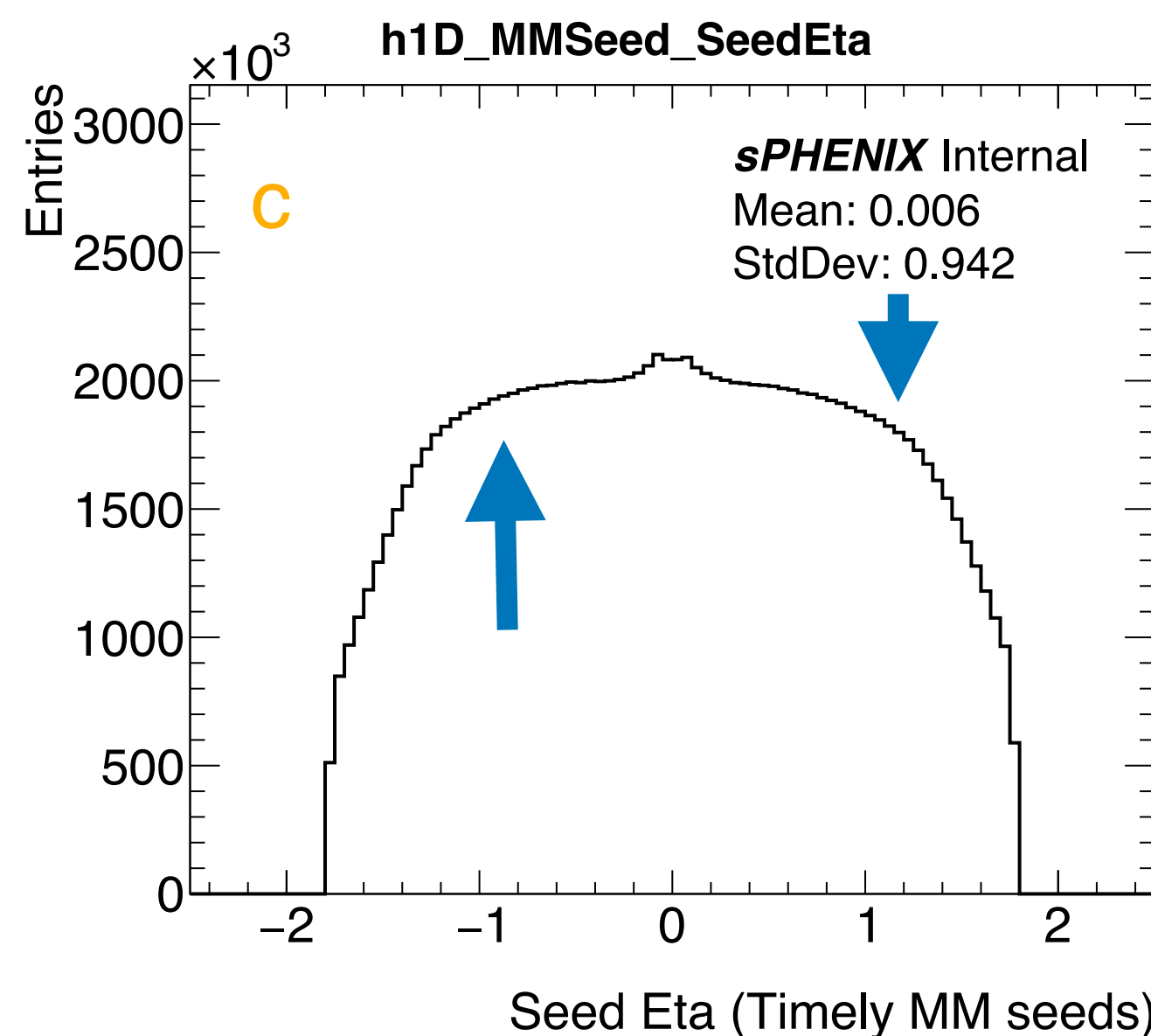
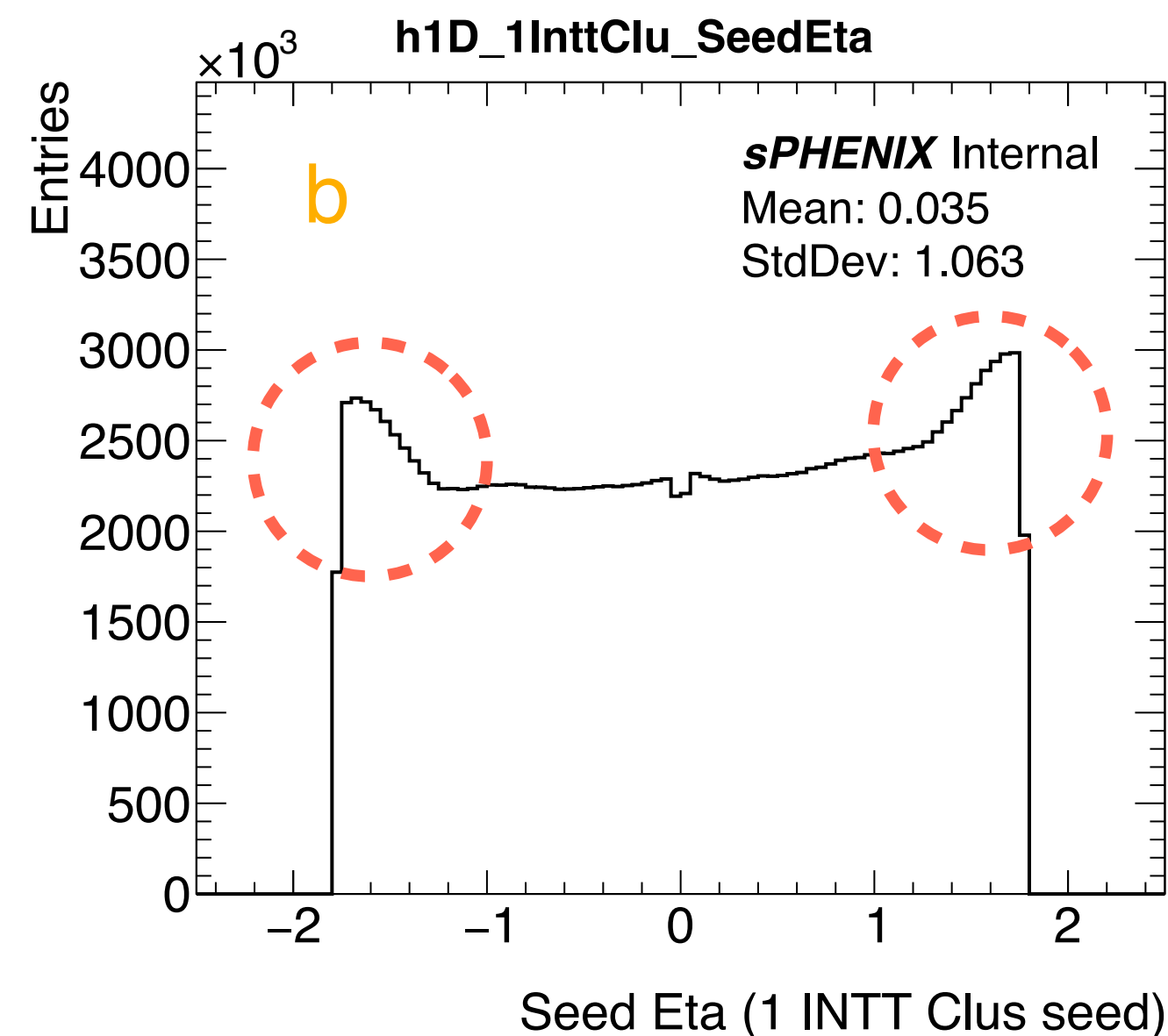
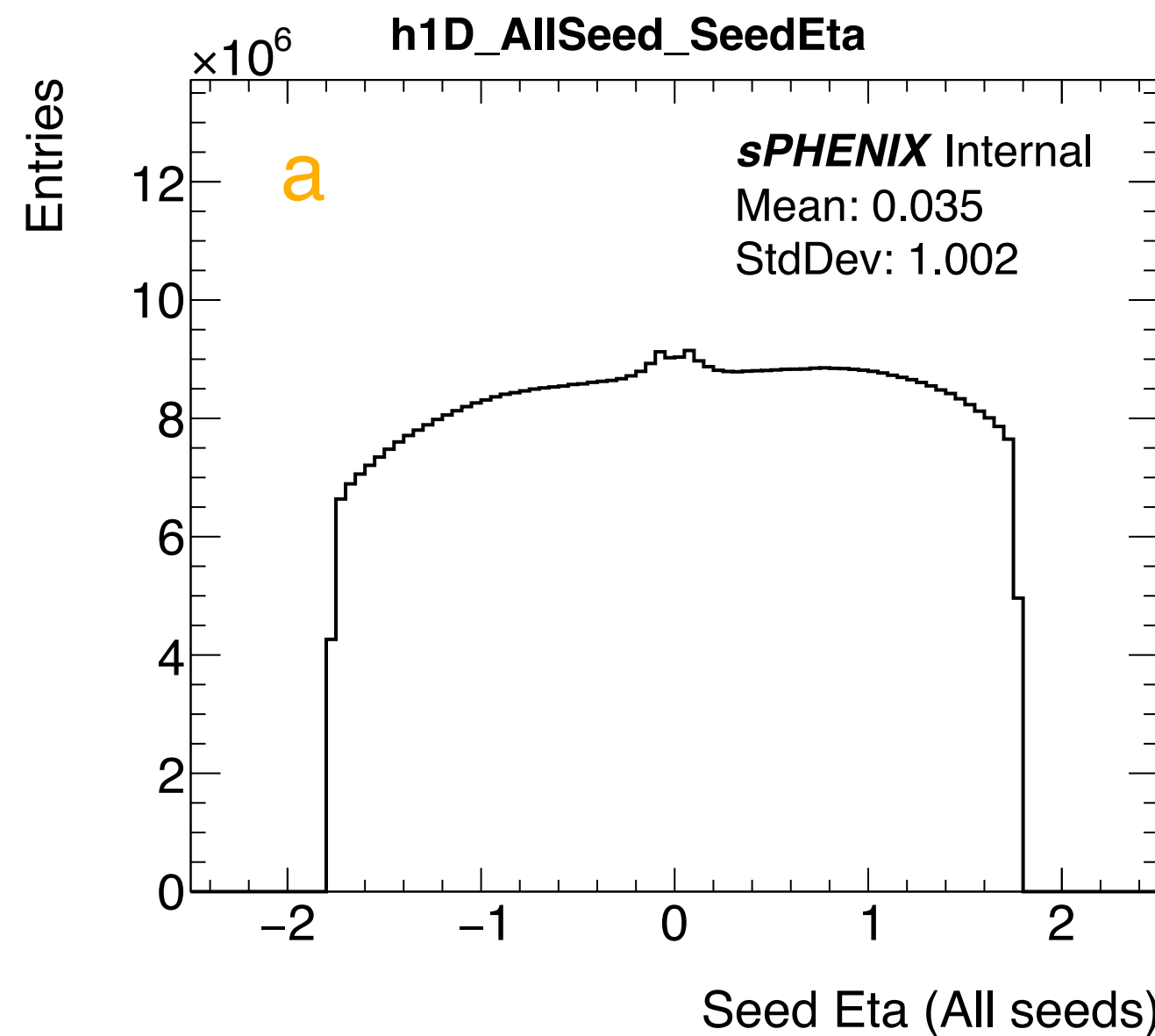
One cluster is allowed to be associated with multiple silicon seeds

- Distribution of the number of silicon seeds with a given MVTX triplet (quadruplet)
 - Using cluster_key to fix the clusters of the MVTX-triplet (quadruplet), regardless the order



For one set of MVTX clusters, currently it only corresponds to one silicon seed

Seed behavior - seed eta

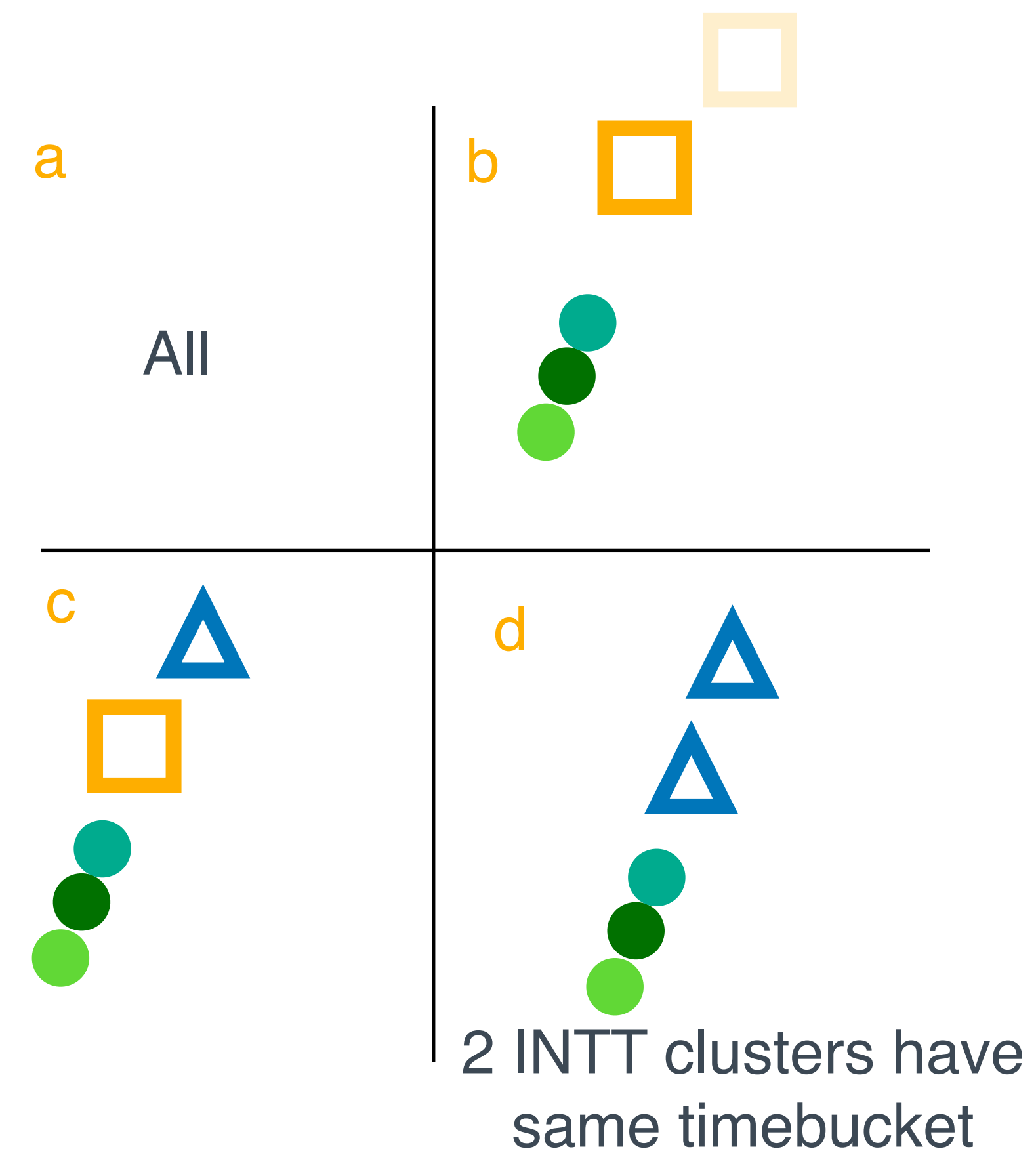


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b: Seeds with only 1 INTT cluster

c: Seeds with 2 INTT clusters (Timely mismatched)

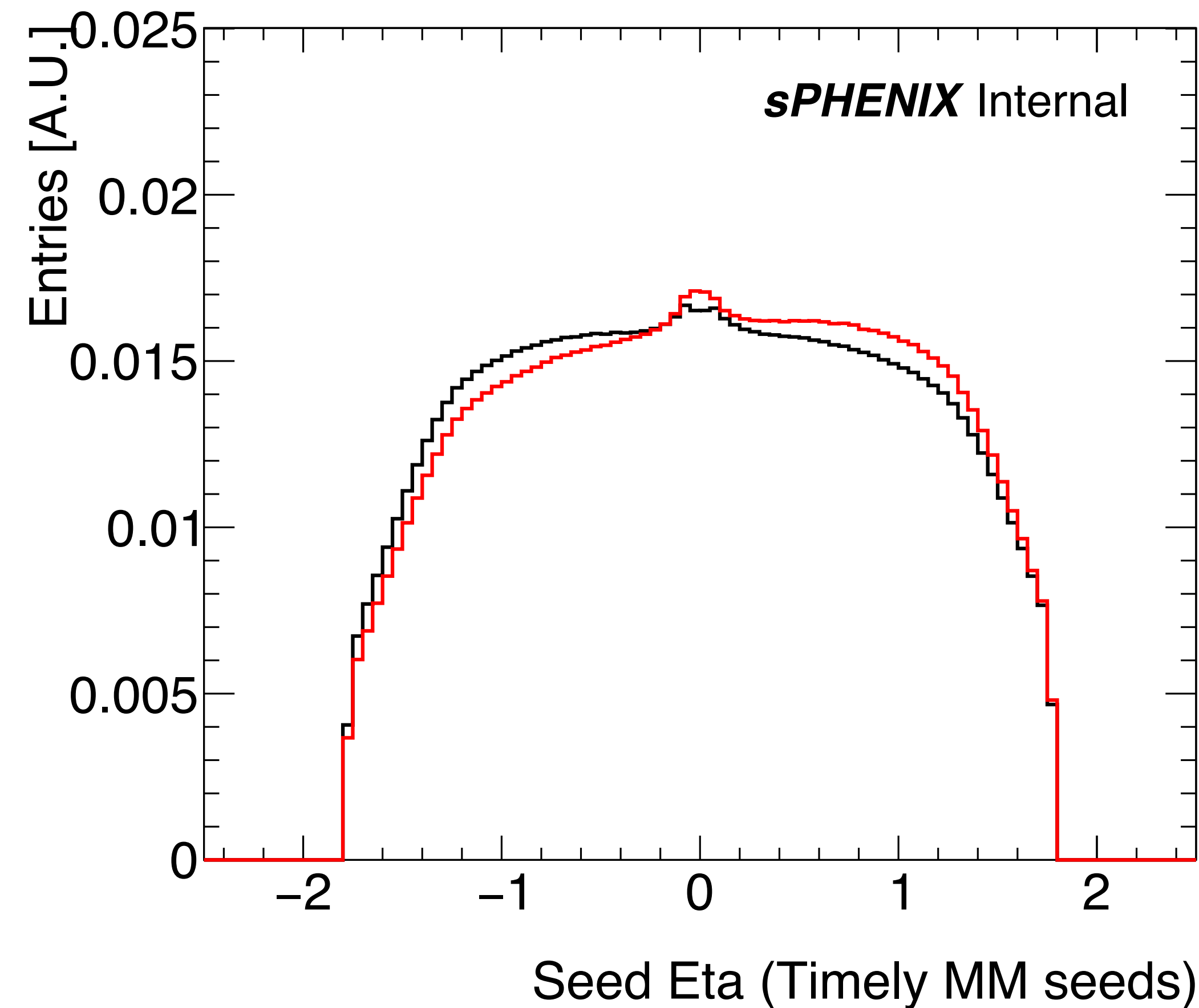
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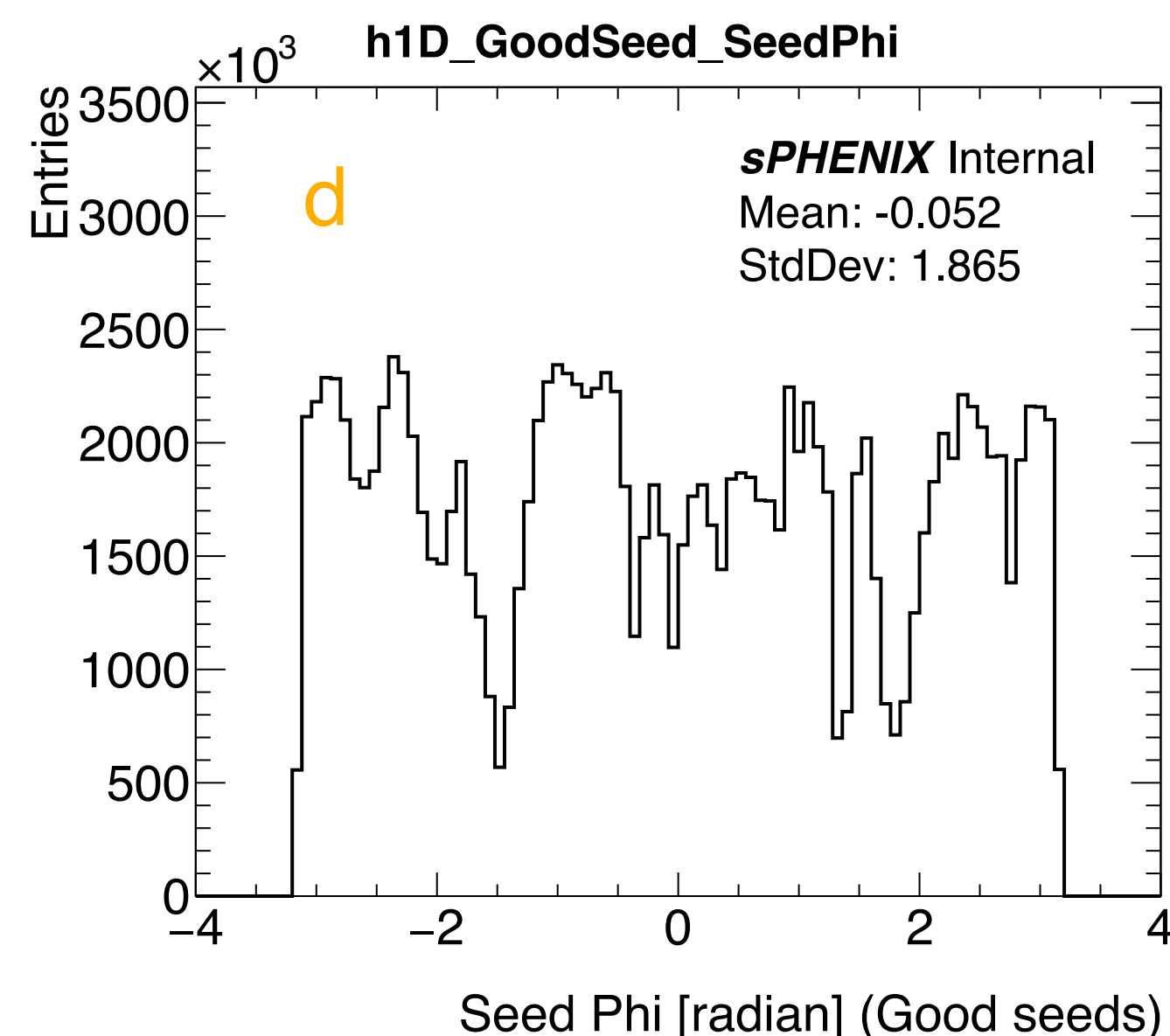
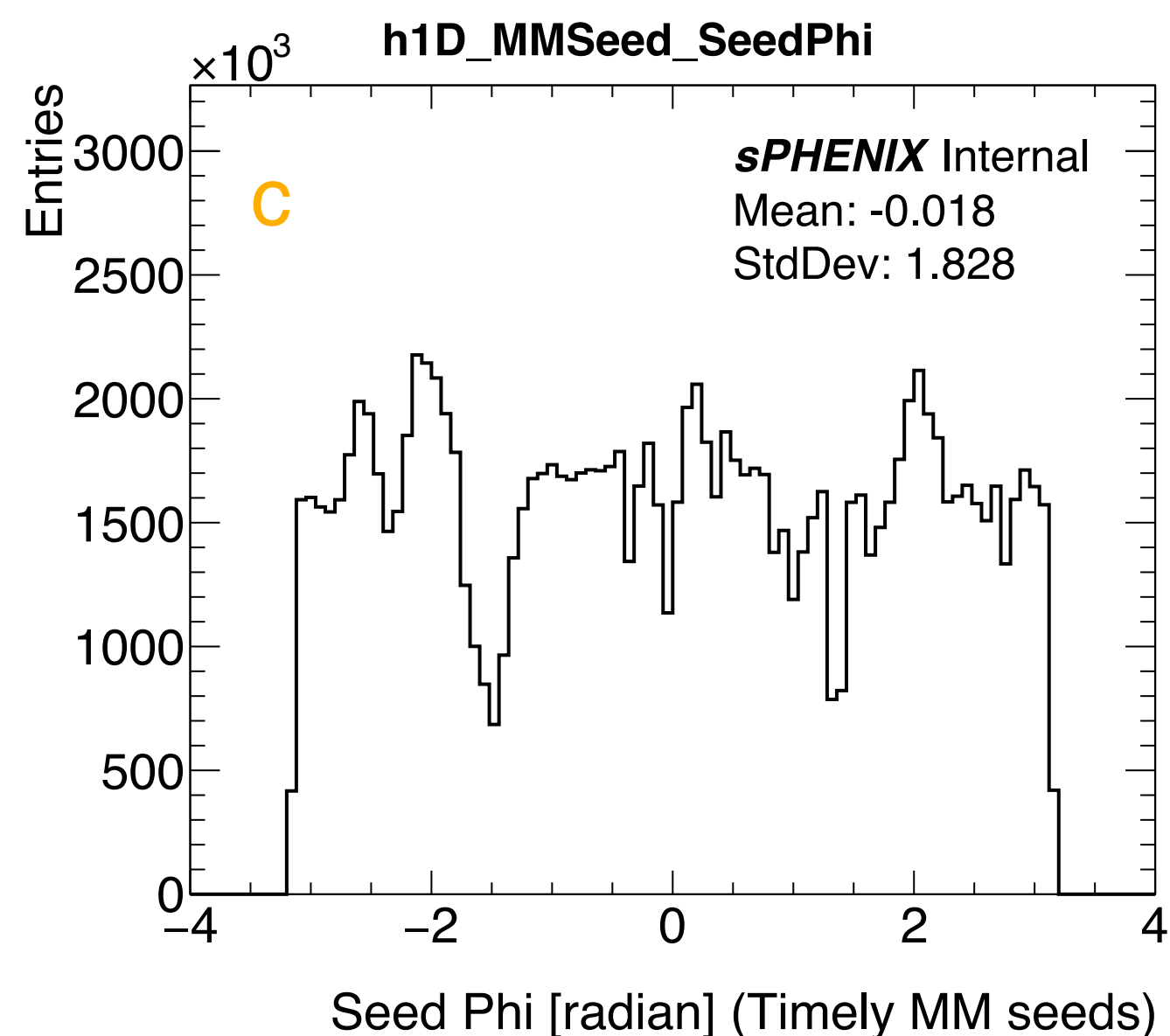
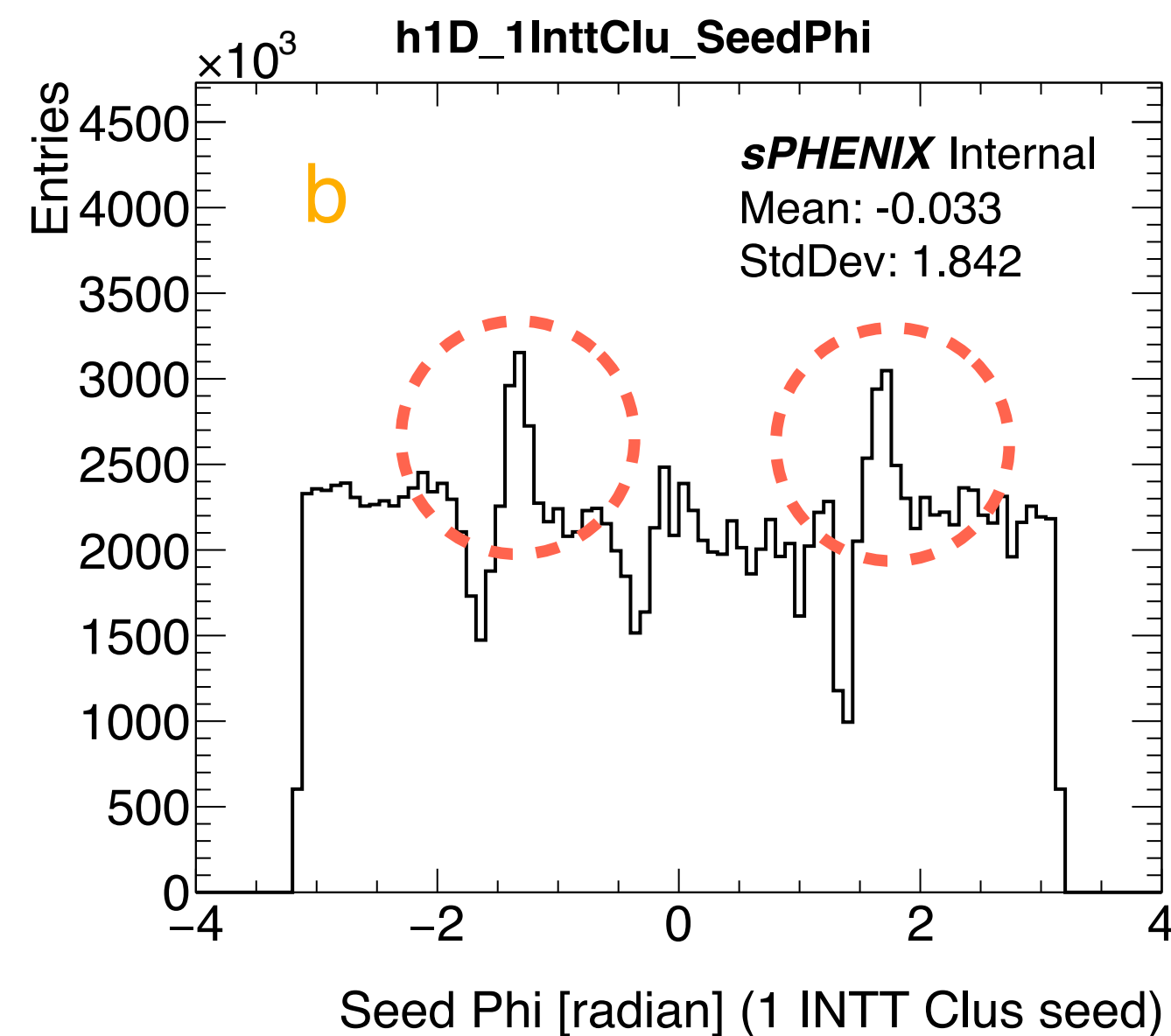
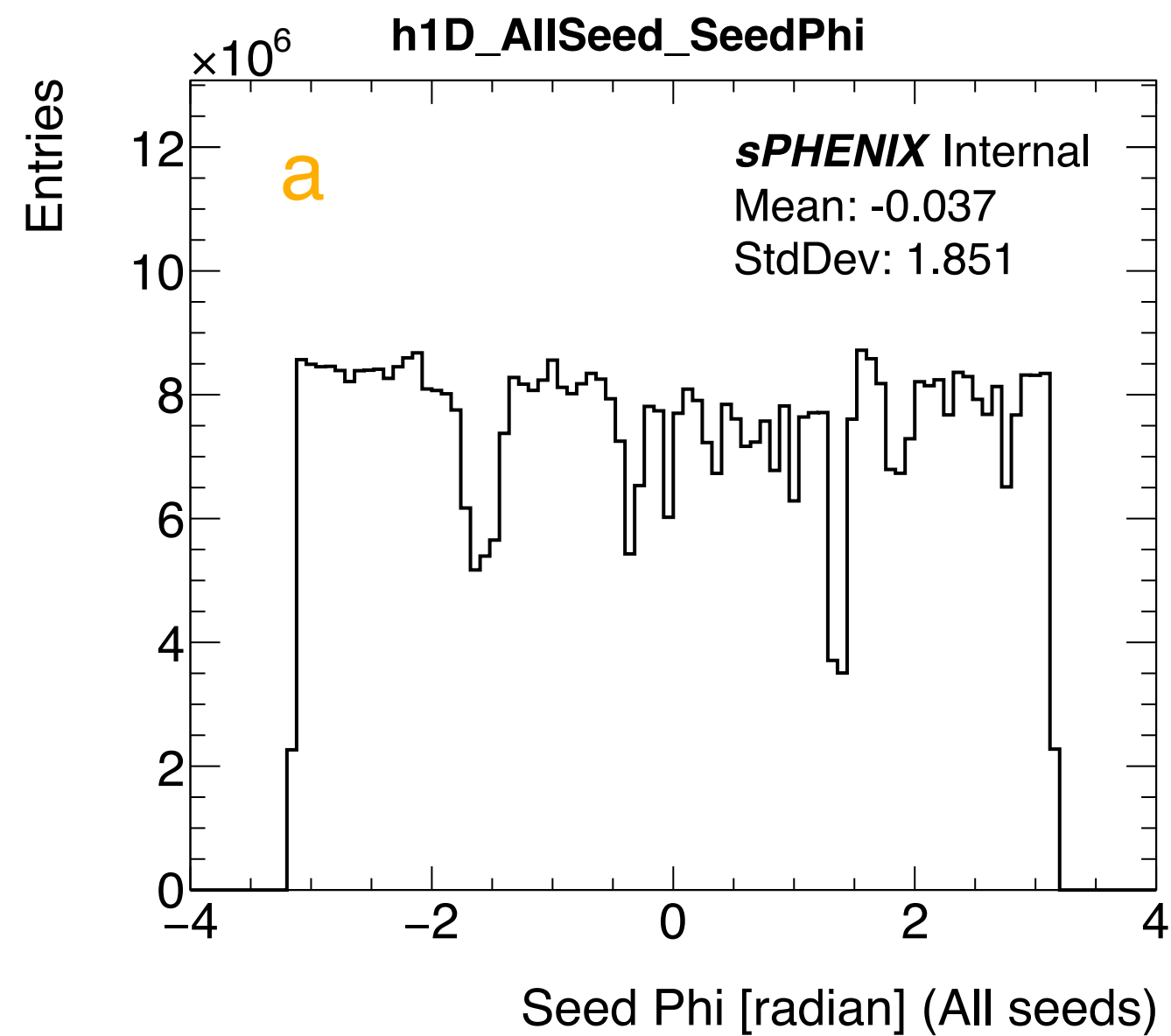
Seed behavior - seed eta

Black: Seeds with 2 INTT clusters (Timely mismatched)

Red: Seeds with 2 INTT clusters (Timely matched, same INTT timebucket)



Seed behavior - seed phi

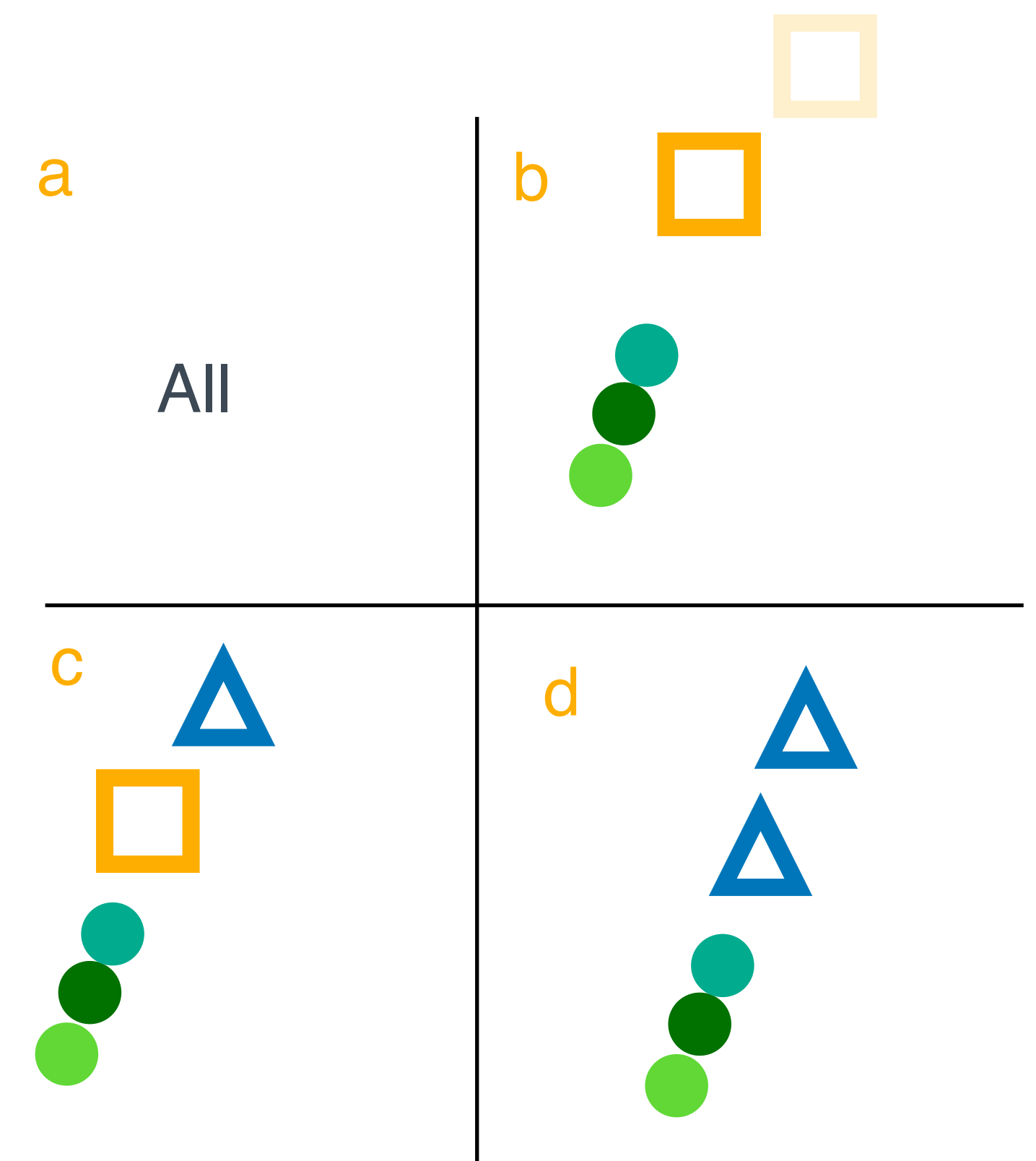


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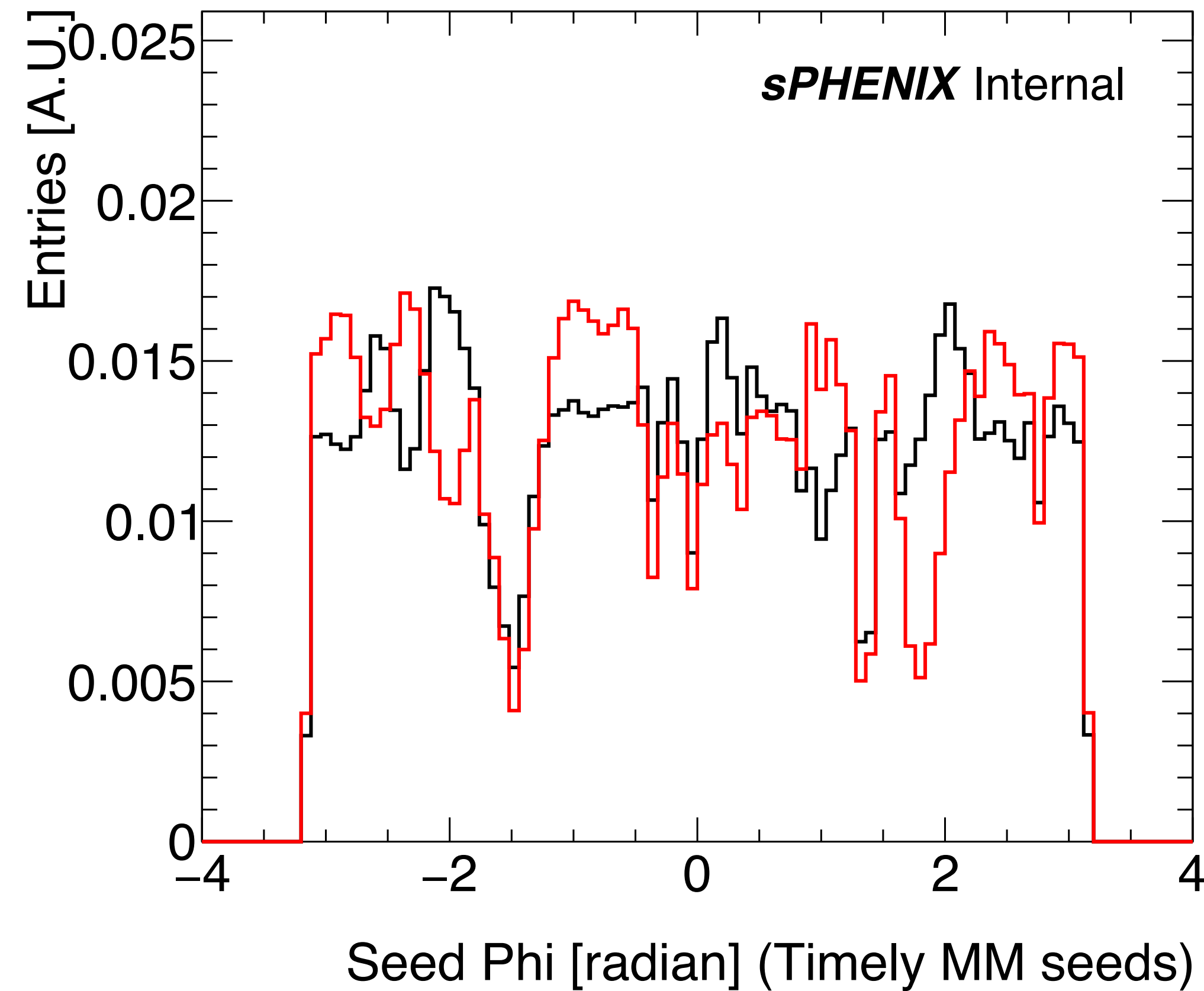
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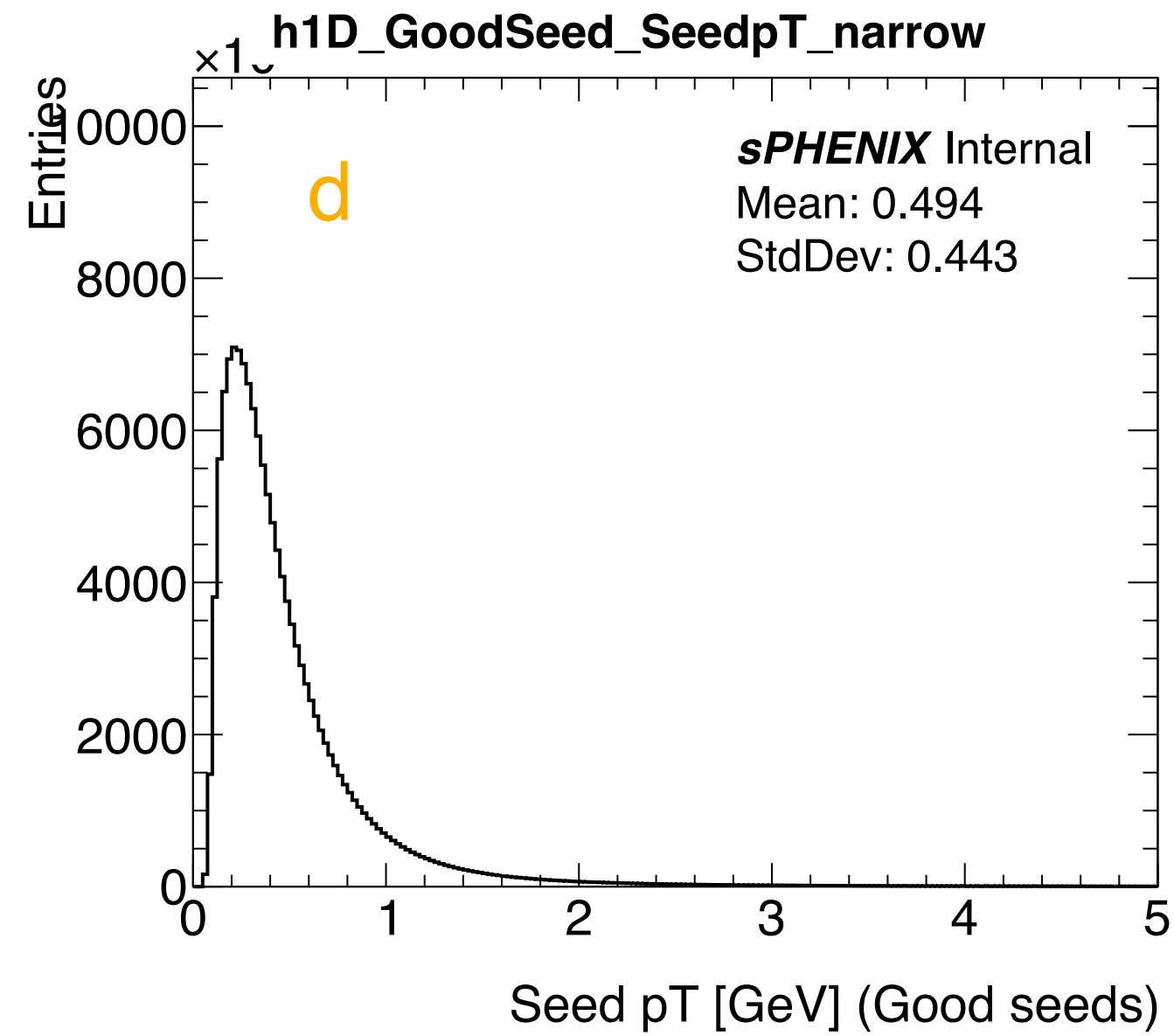
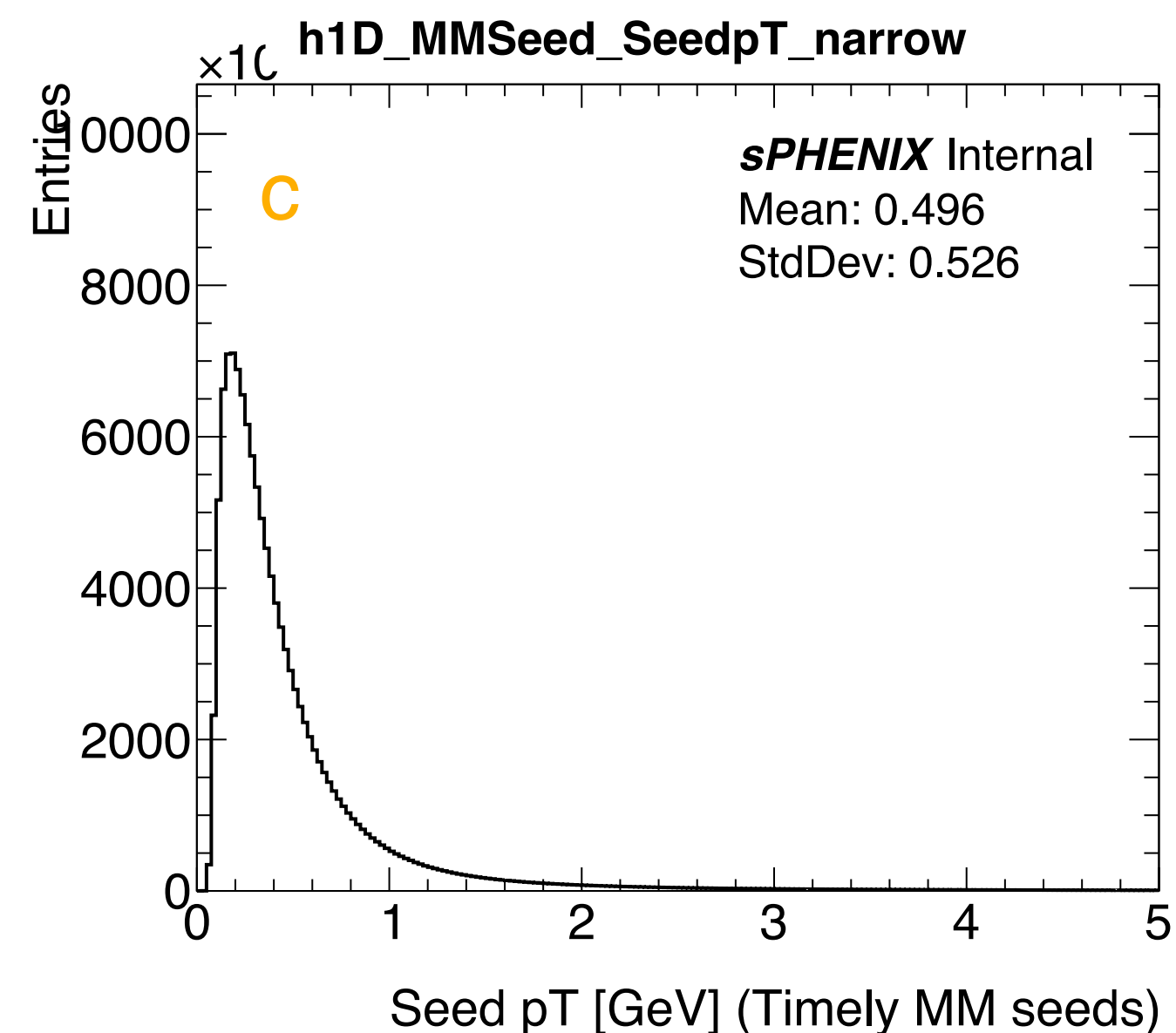
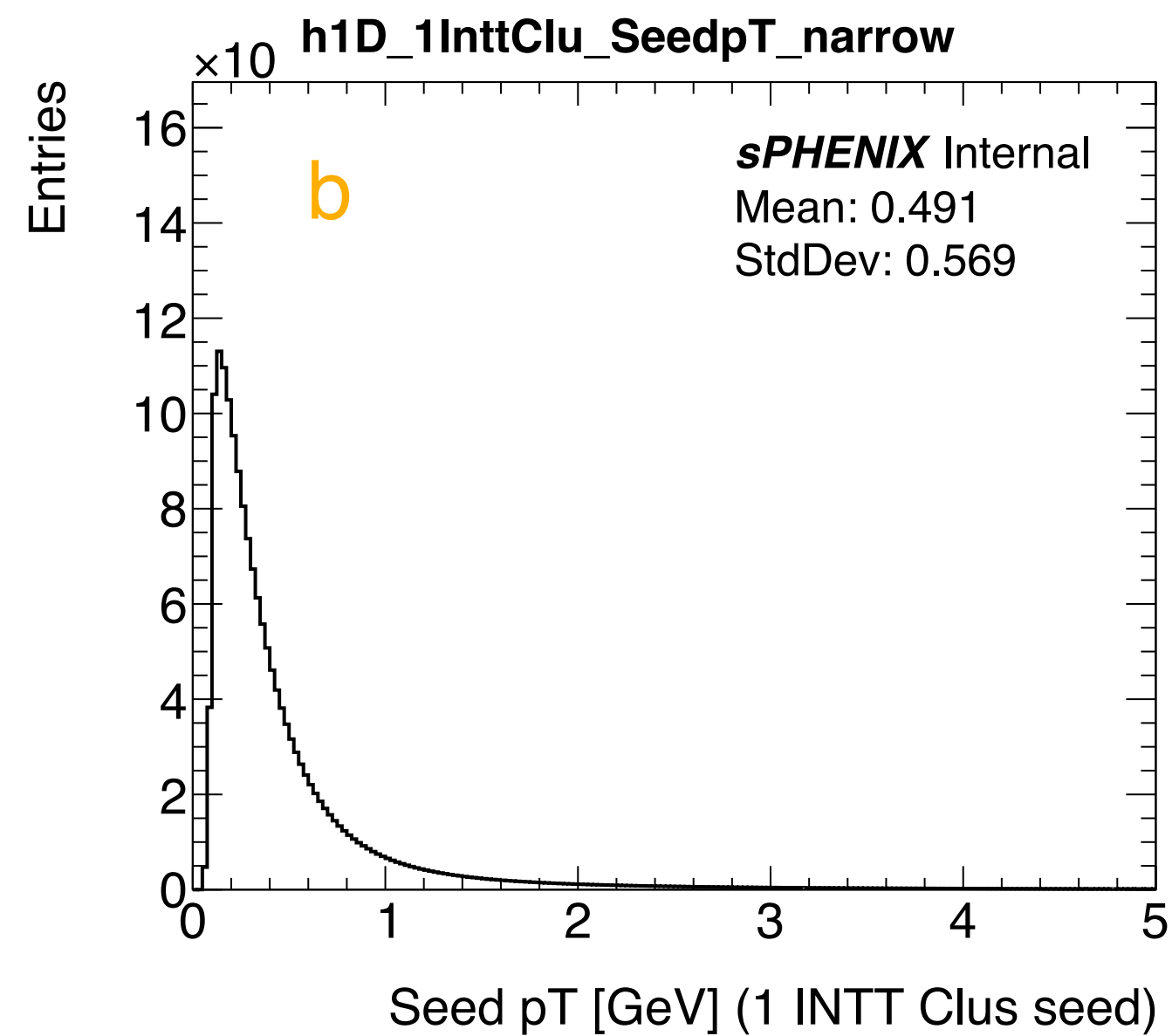
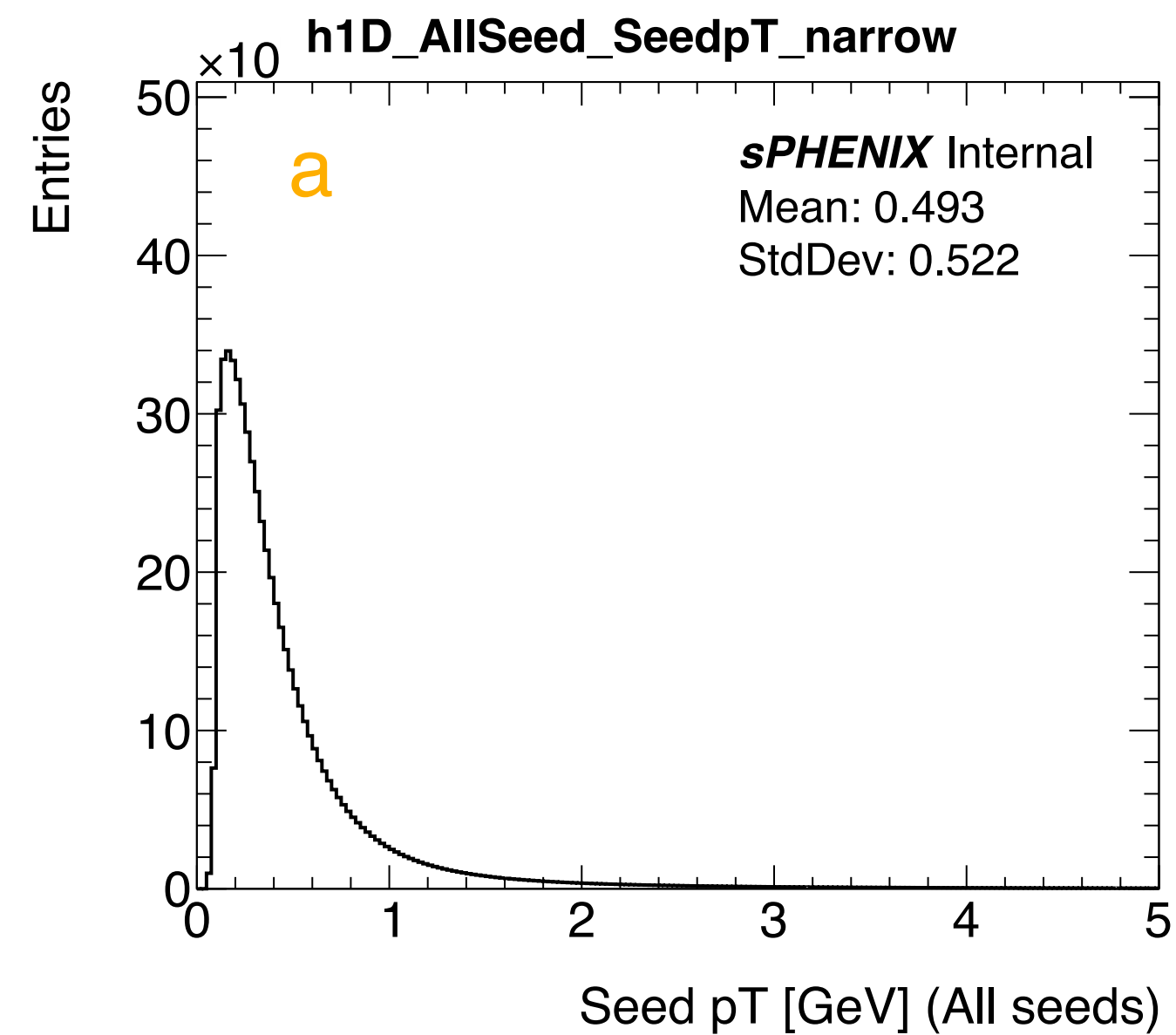


Seed behavior - seed phi

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Seed behavior - seed pT



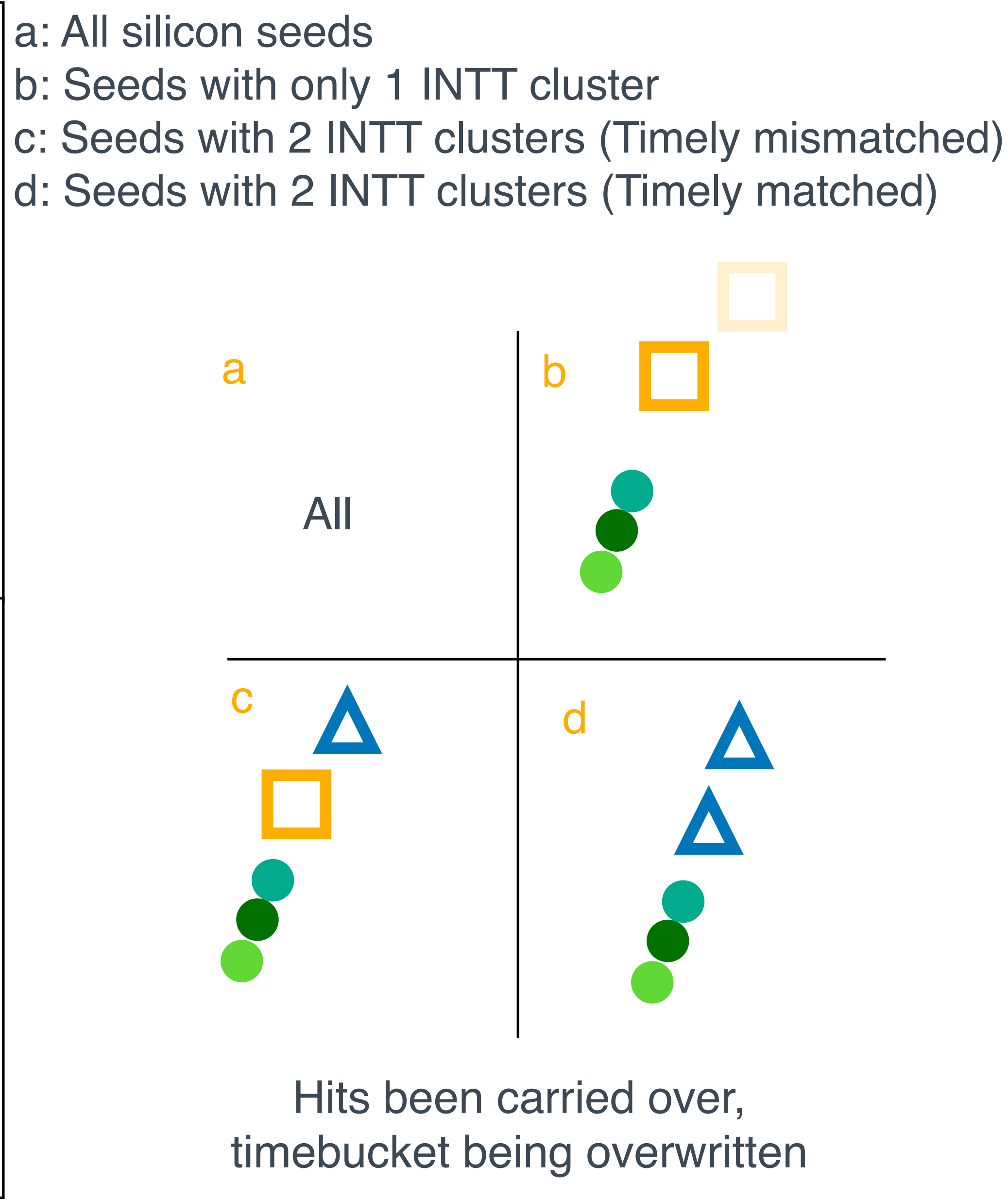
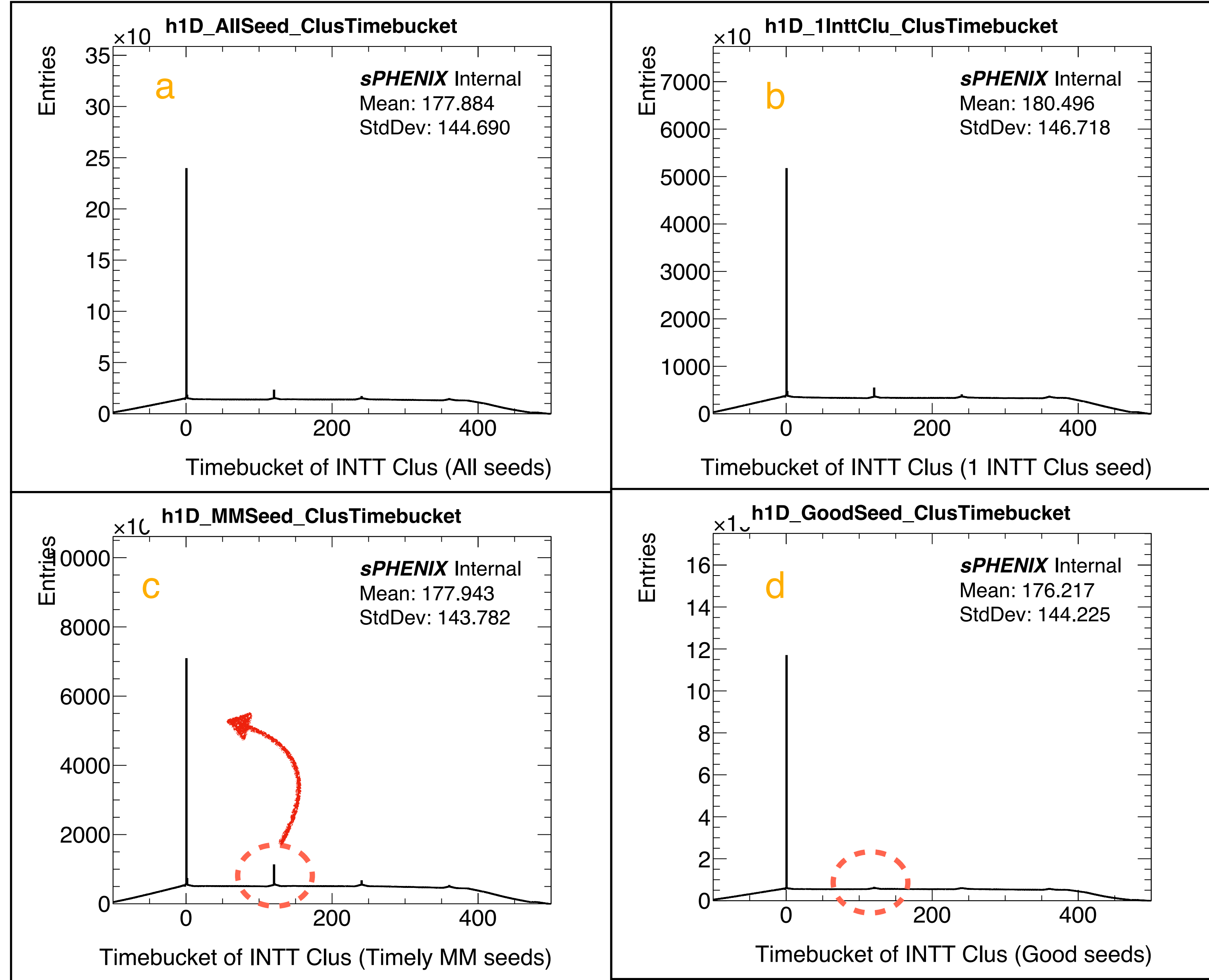
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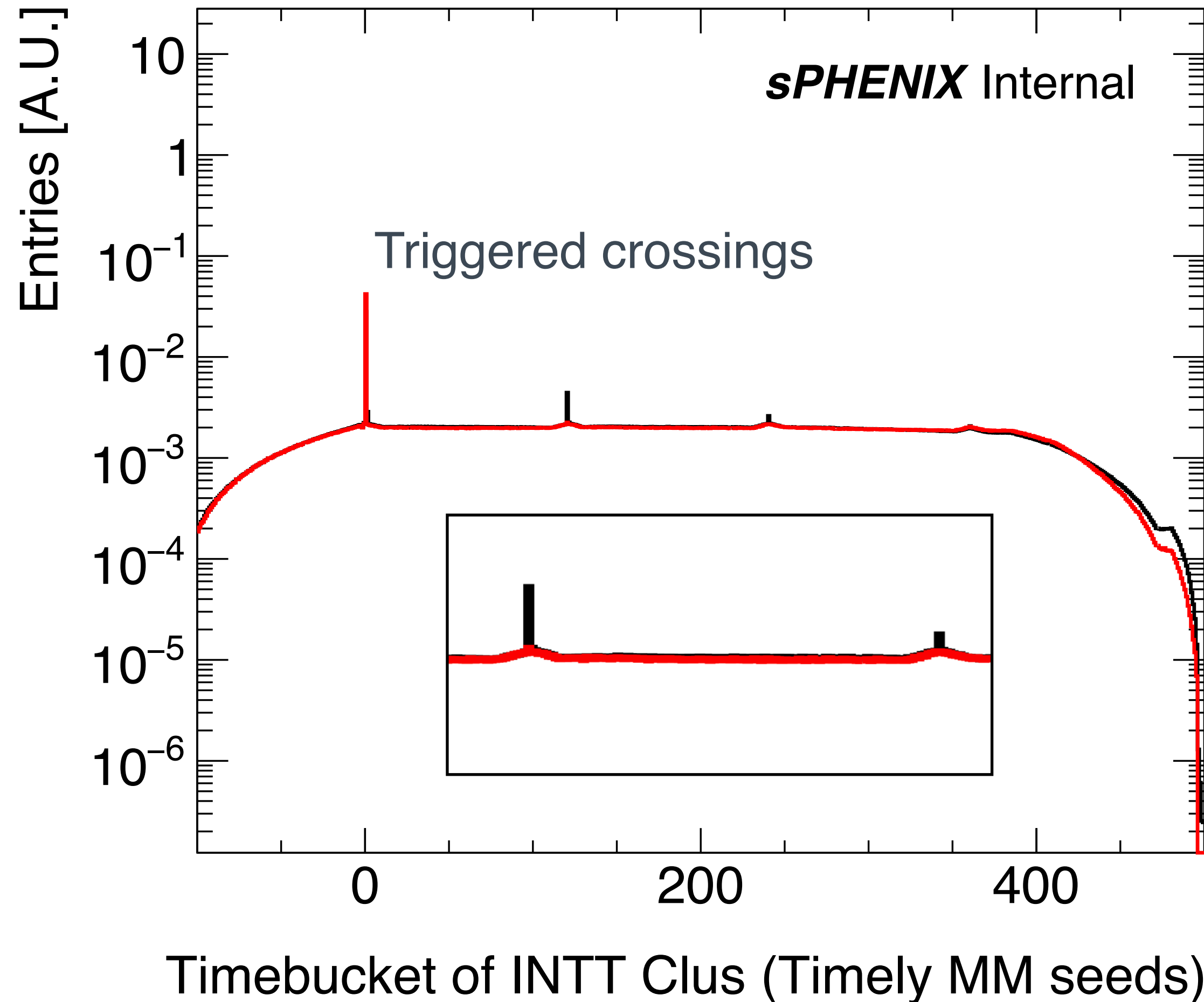
Seems to be similar



Seed behavior - cluster timebucket

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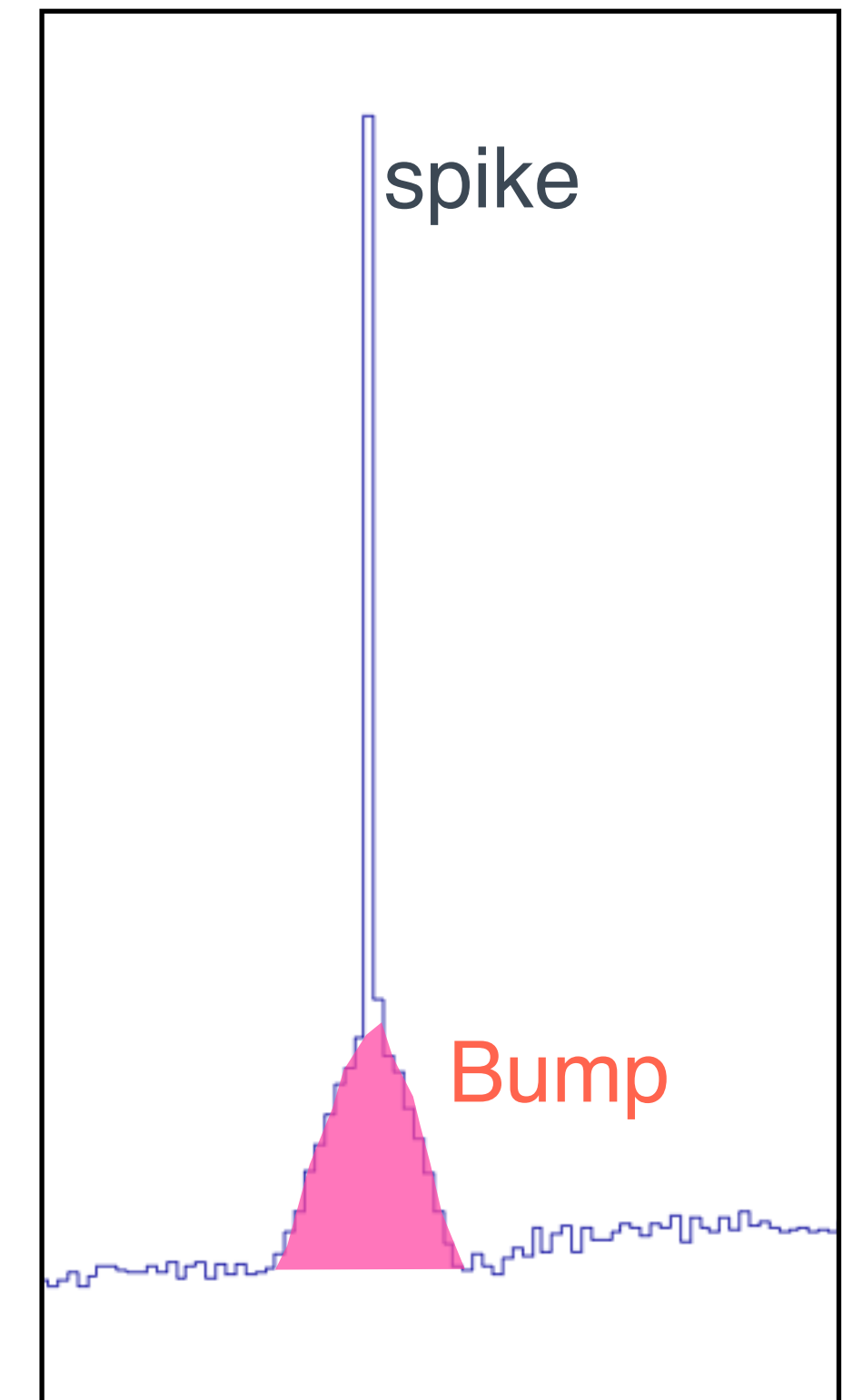
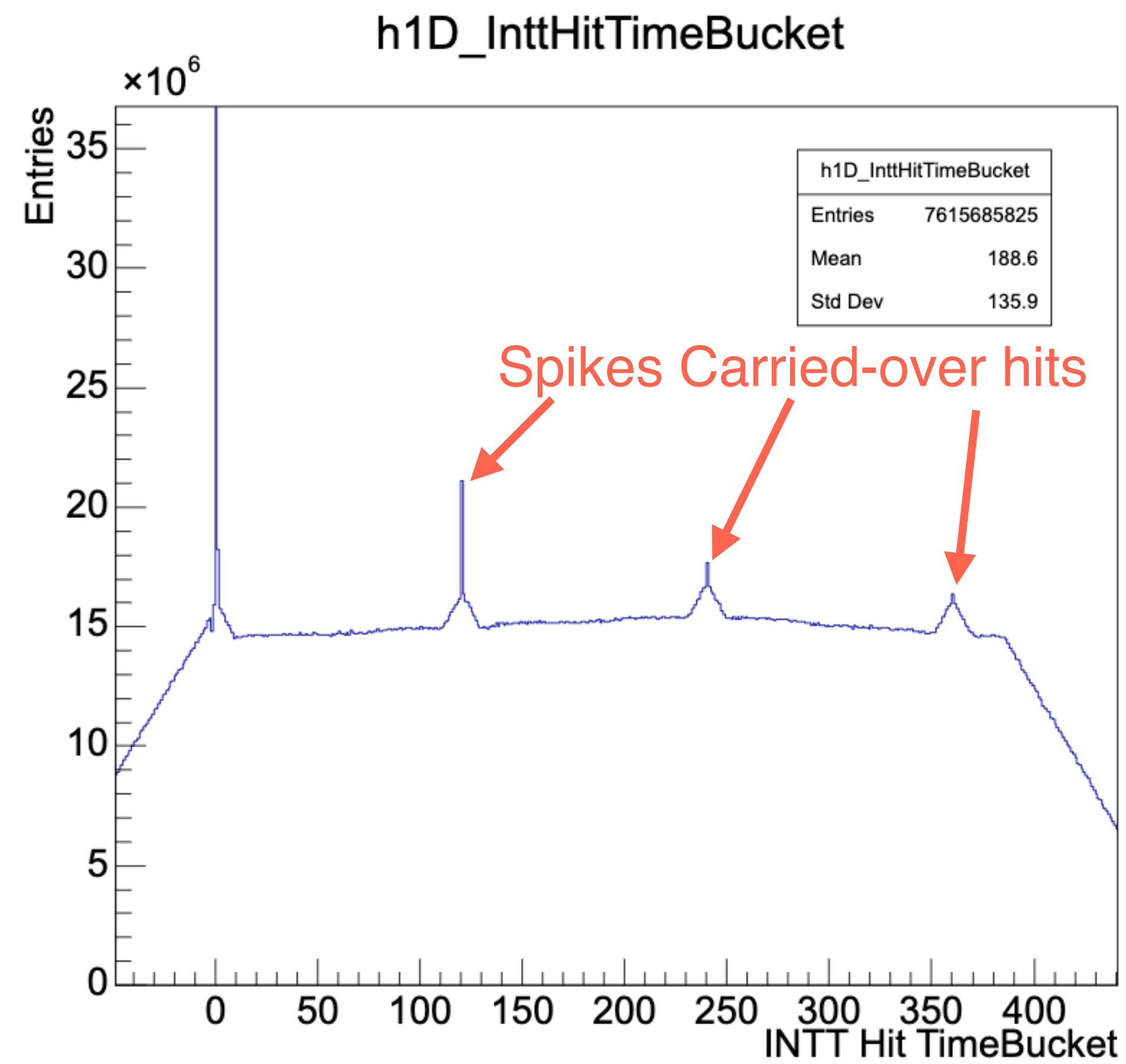
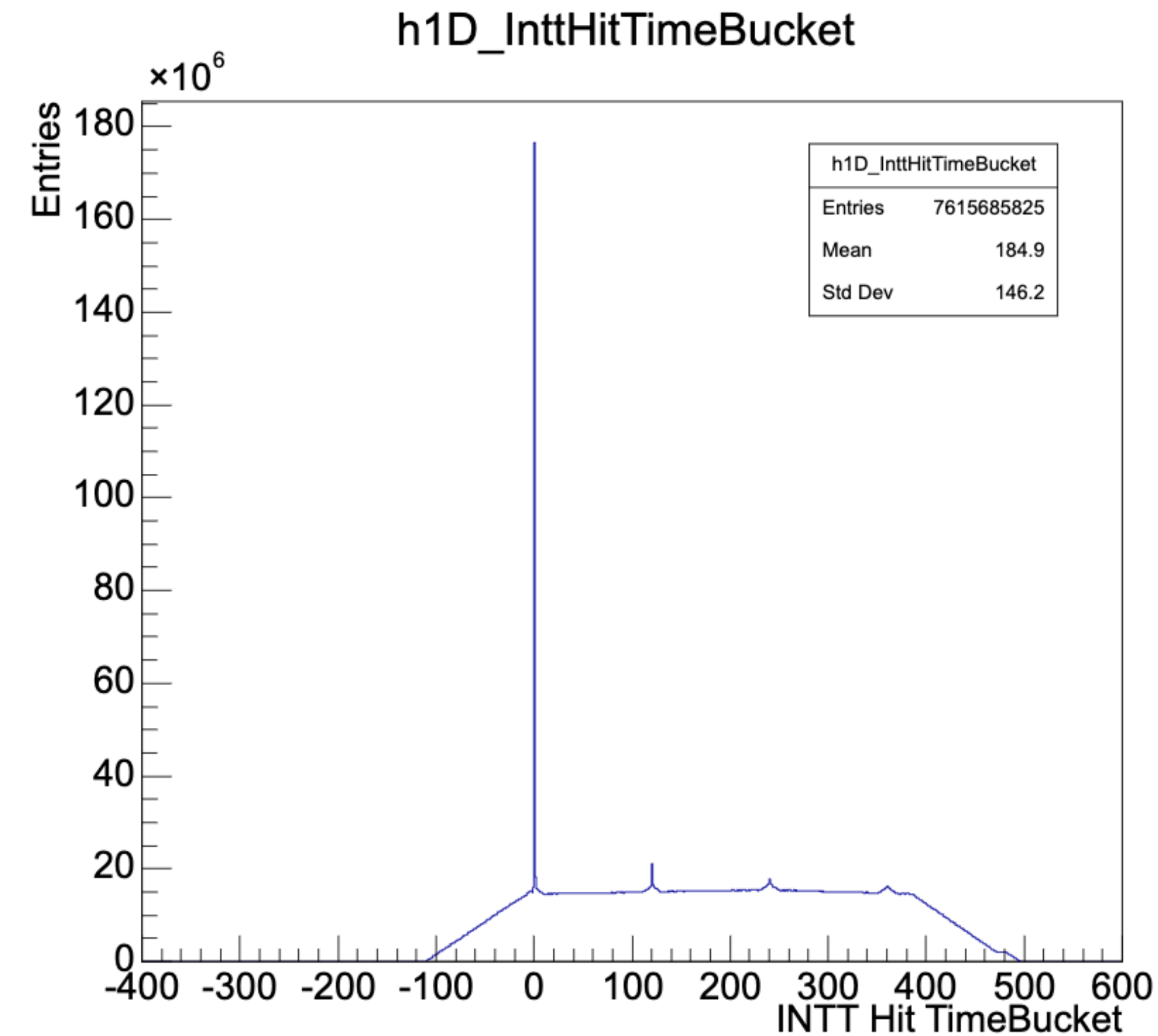


People combined 500 bunch crossings in one F4A event

INTT cluster timebucket:
 $\text{INTT_bco_full} + \text{INTT_hit_bco} - \text{offset} - \text{GL1BCO}$

Spikes retain in black histogram: real seeds, but INTT clusters different timebucket due to carried-over-hit issue

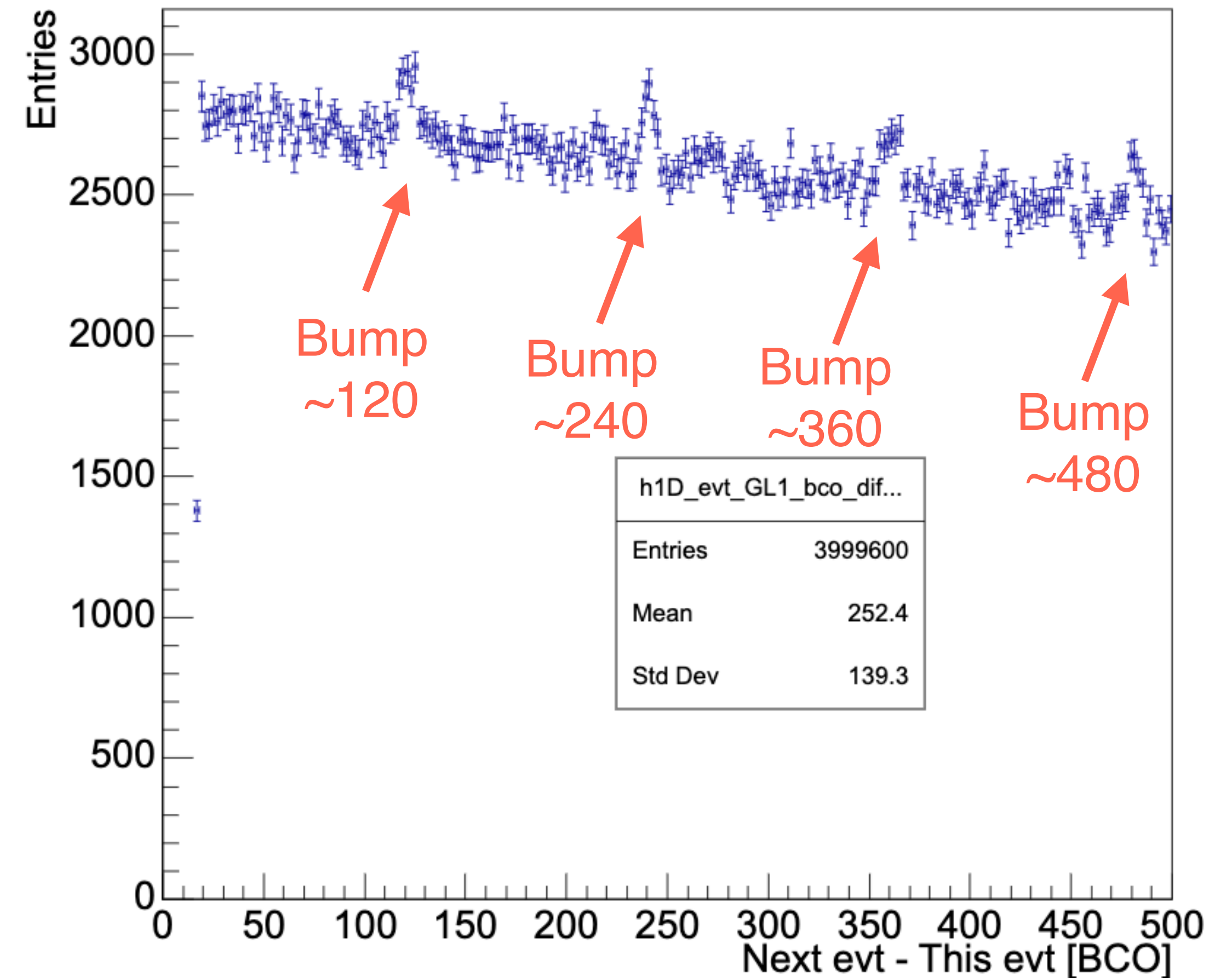
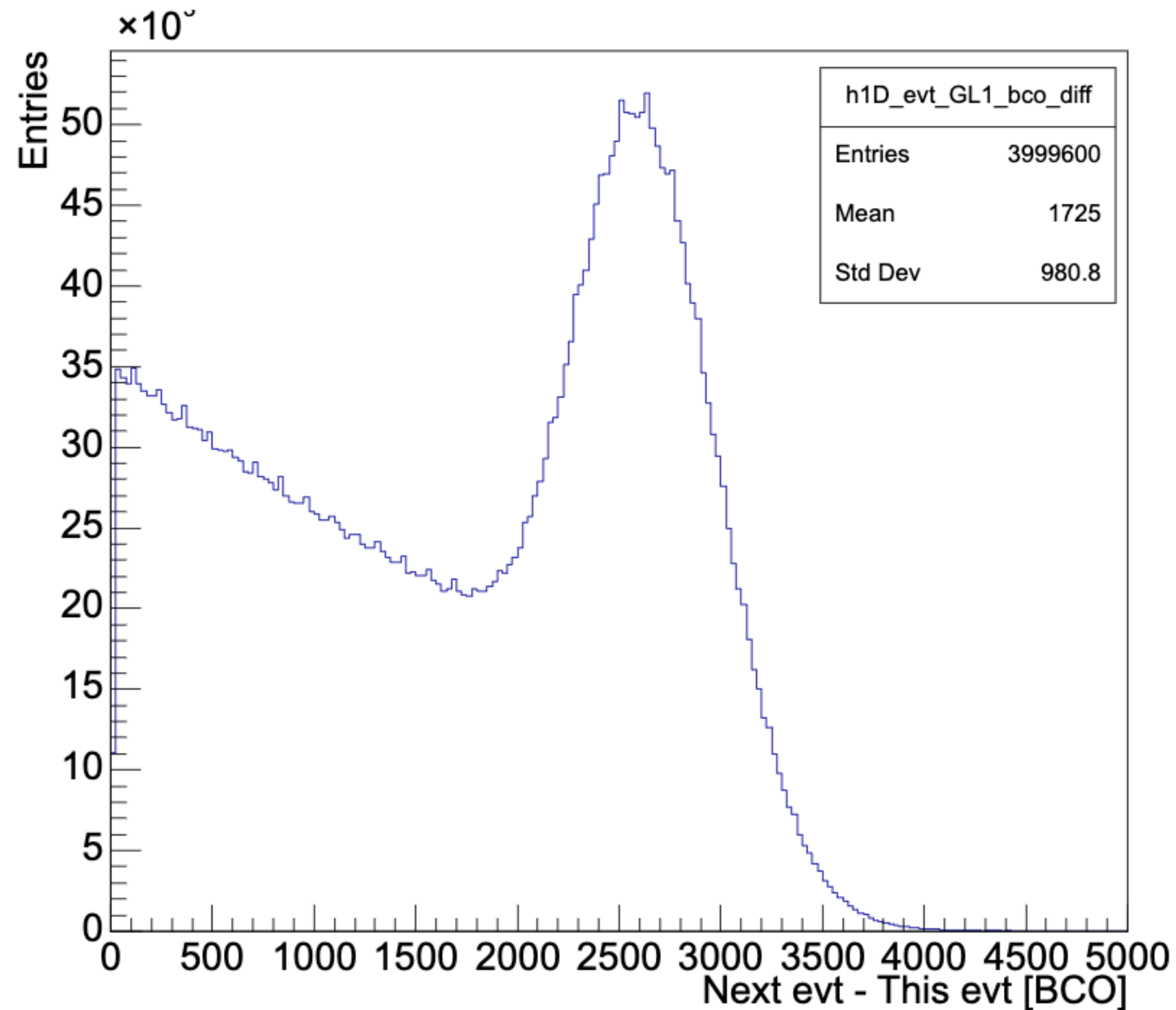
The timebucket of INTT Rawhit
(clone hit removal, hitQA, bad channel removal)



Carried-over hit in INTT streaming data: studied by Mai and Takashi previously
The bumps: maybe something different...

GL1 BCO, event interval

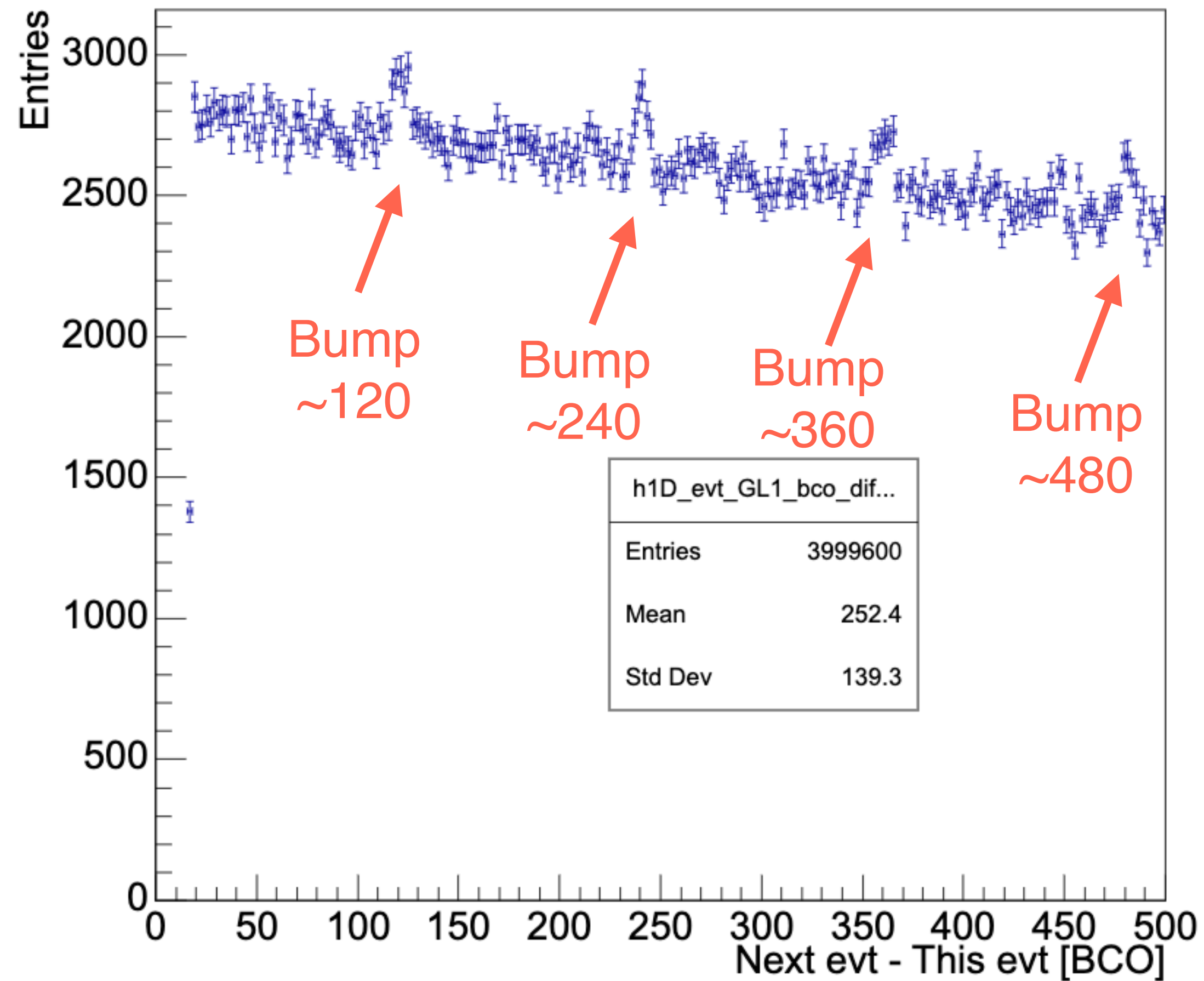
One F4A event has 500 bunch crossings, and is associated with GL1 information



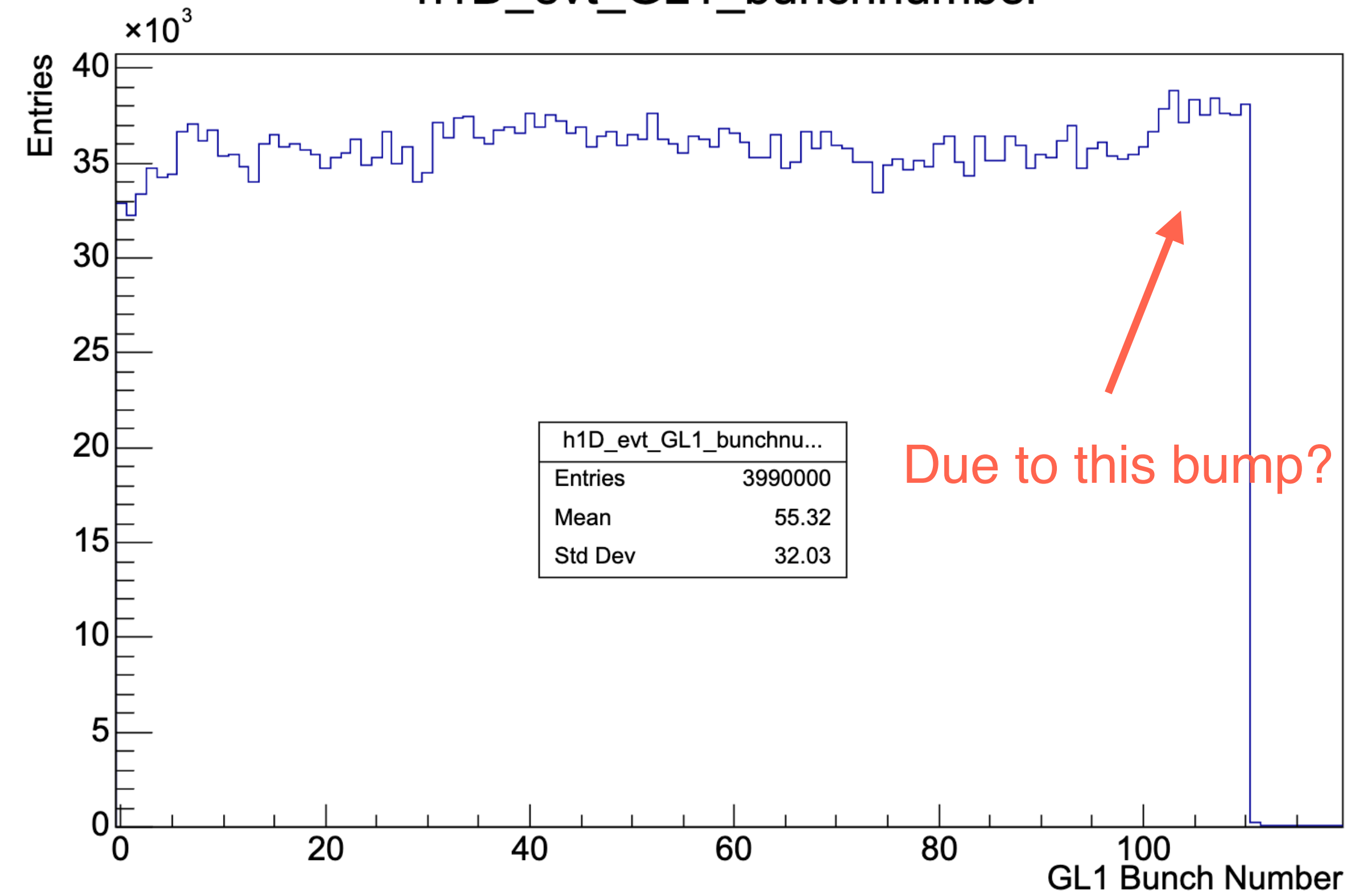
Q1: not sure why the distribution looks like this
Q2: not sure why there are bumps

Bunch crossings that fire trigger

h1D_evt_GL1_bco_diff_narrow



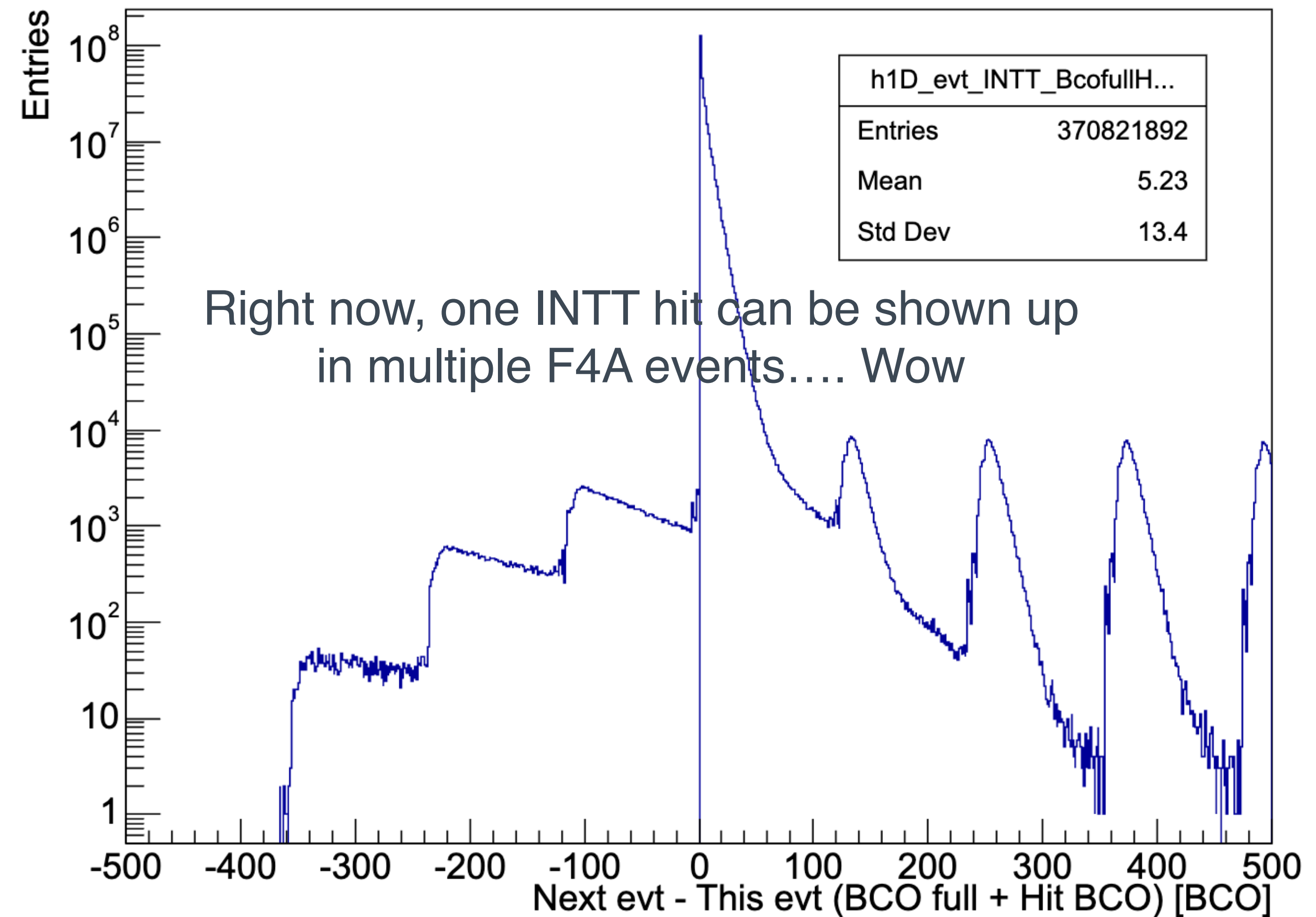
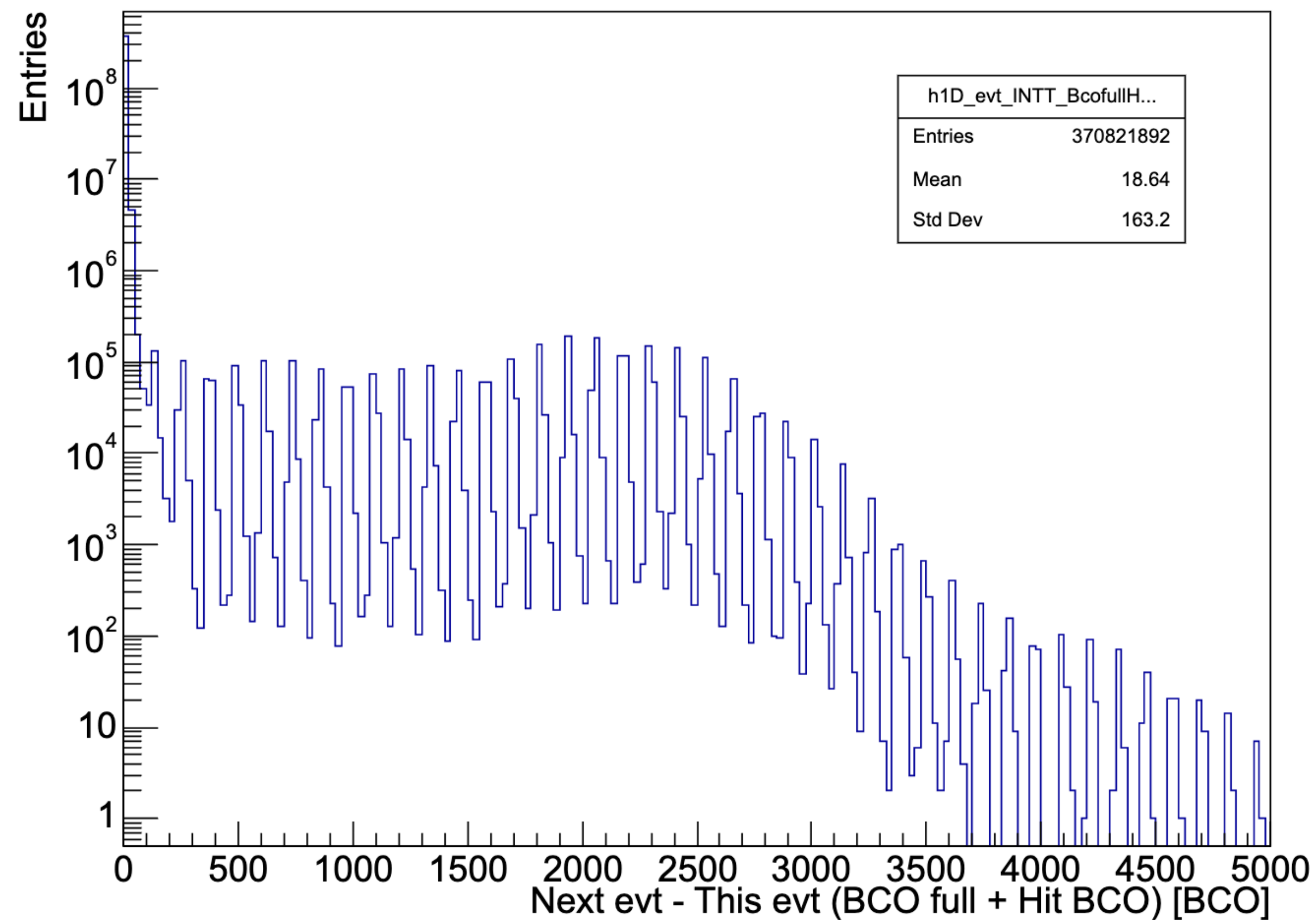
h1D_evt_GL1_bunchnumber



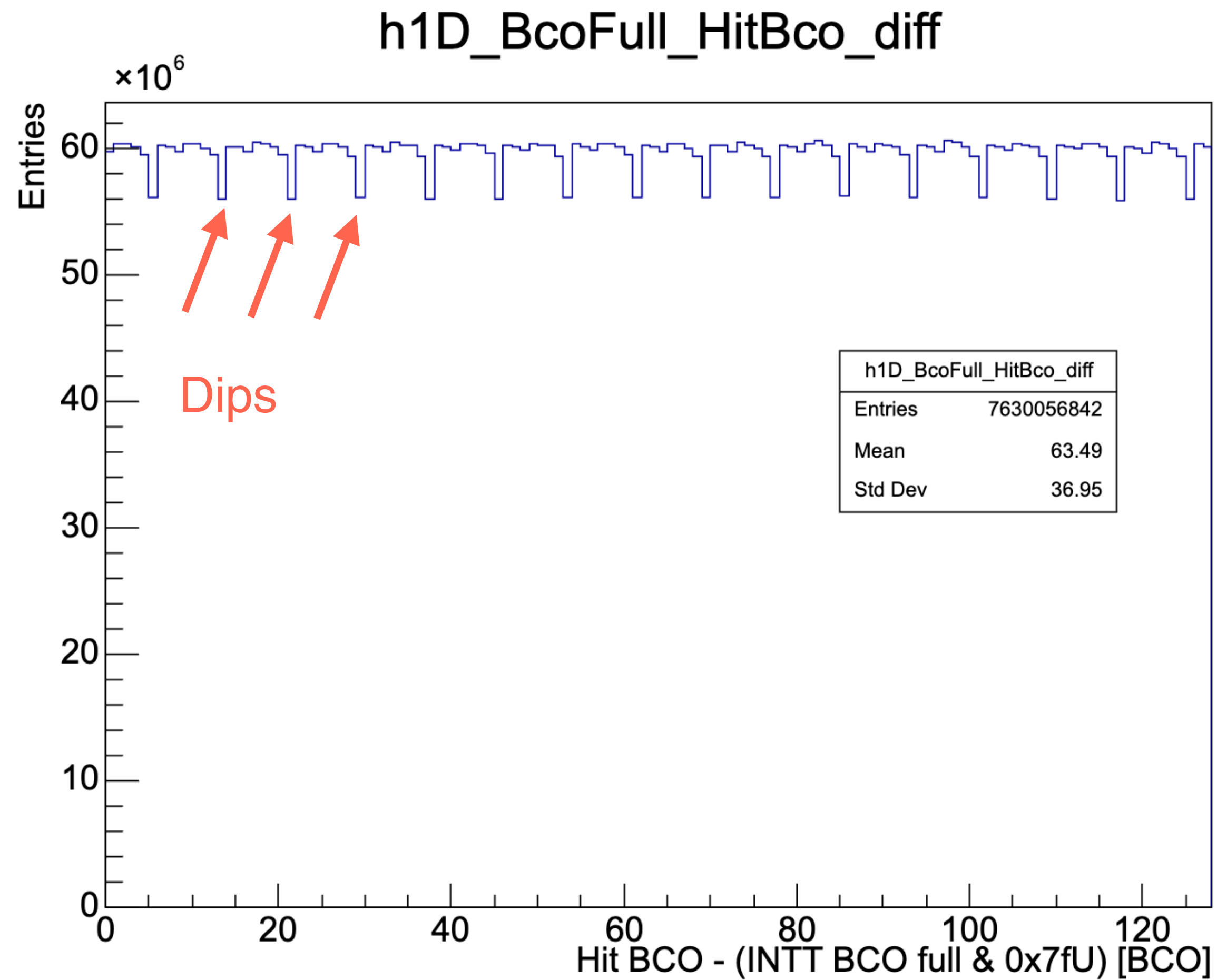
Event interval in streaming readout

Procedures:

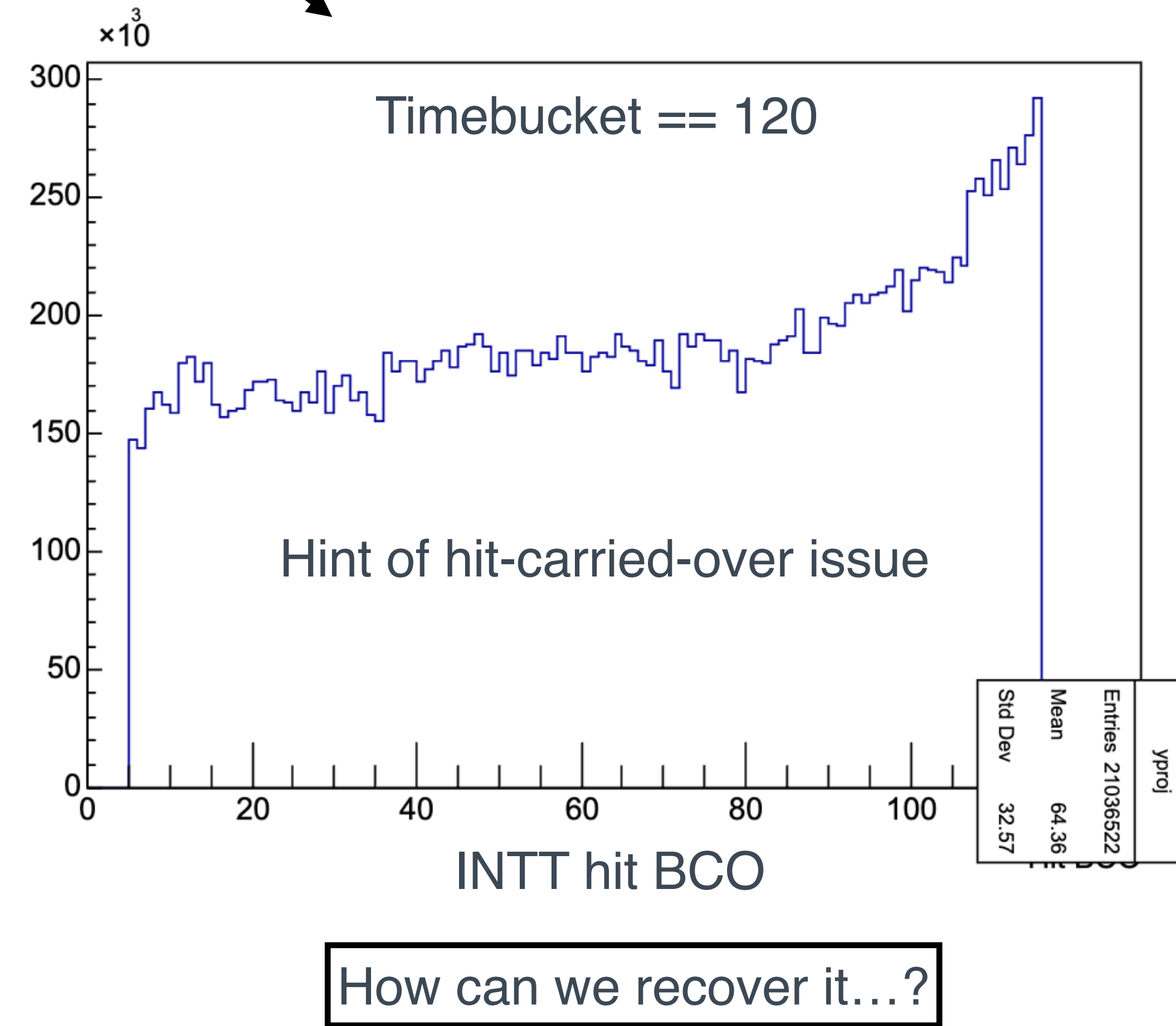
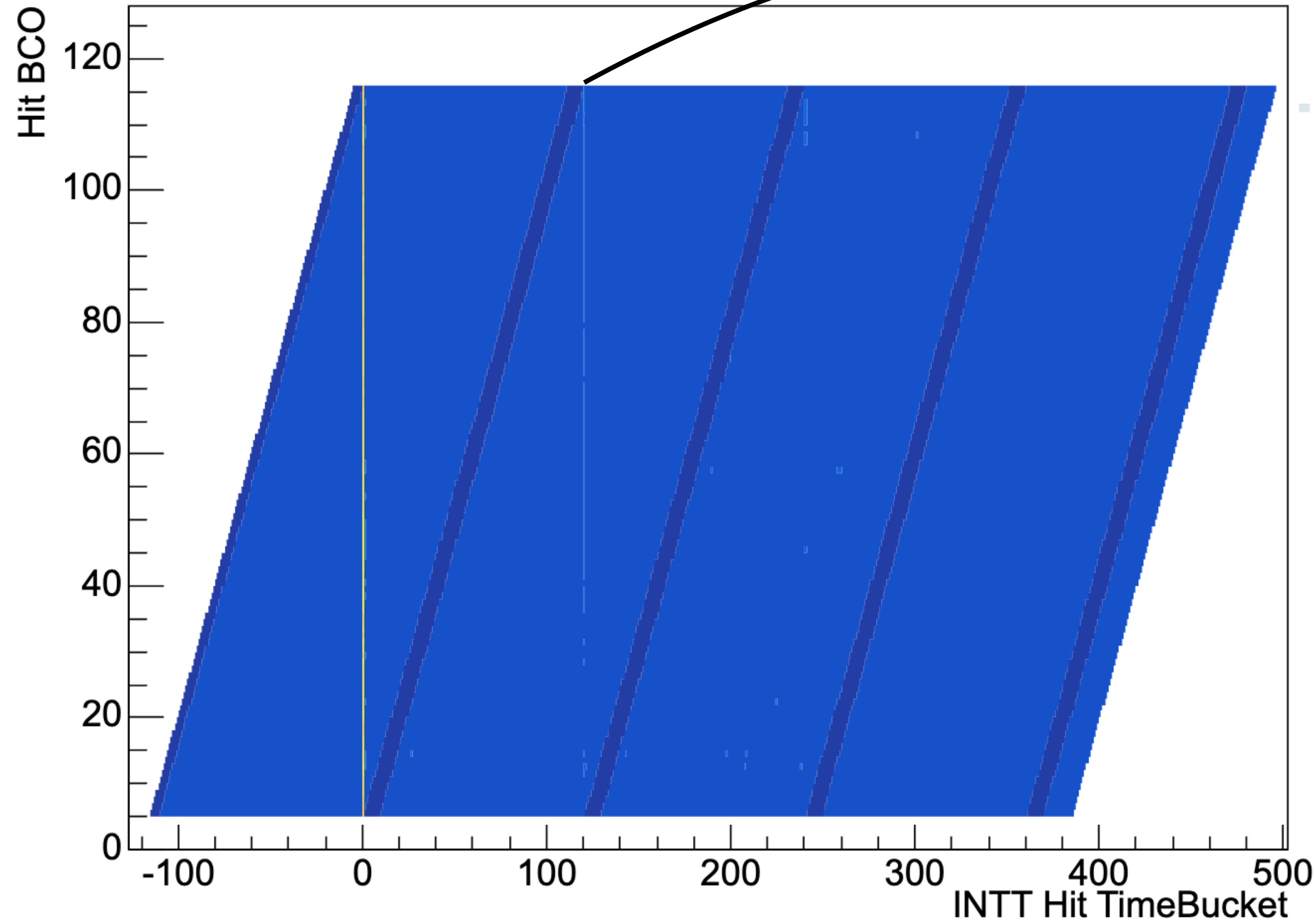
1. pick up all the unique INTT_bco_full+INTT_hit_bco (AbsBCO)
2. In one F4A event, sort those unique AbsBCOs
3. push back those sorted unique AbsBCOs to a global vector



Not sure why there are negative entries and bumps

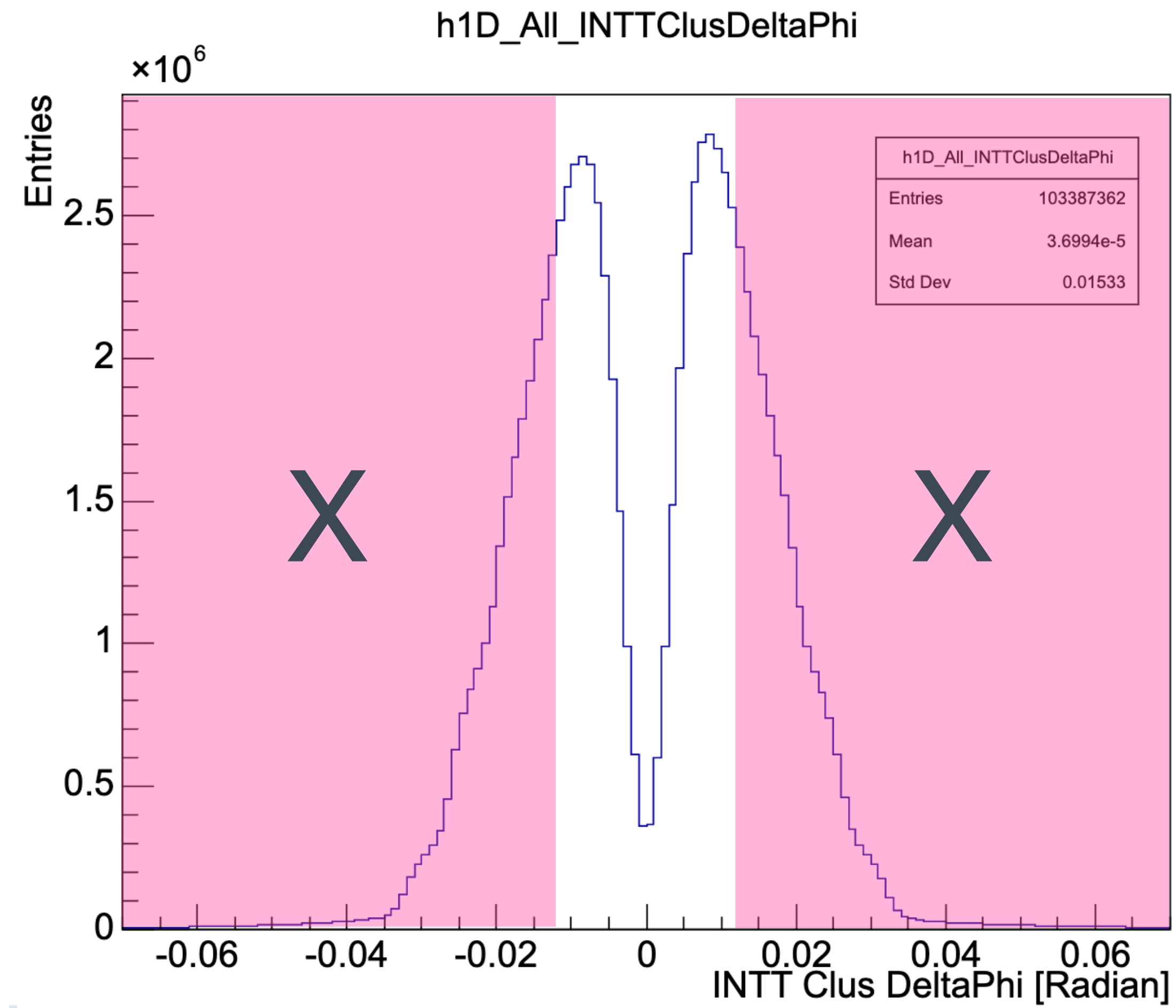


Are those dips expected?



Carried-over hit in INTT streaming data: studied by Mai and Takashi previously

- In the current seeding algorithm, one cluster can be associated with multiple seeds
- In the current seeding algorithm, one set of MVTX triplet only associates one seed
- In the seed eta, phi, and INTT-cluster-timebucket distributions, the shapes are different between good seeds and seeds with non-zero INTT cluster-timebucket difference
- Starting from the INTTRawHit level, five INTT events have been combined into one F4A event
 - The same thing should happen for MVTX as well
- So, it's (very) likely that there are some fake MVTX triplets. Therefore, currently, (I think) it's not a good idea to use silicon seeds to study the INTT hit detection efficiency (because of fake MVTX-triplets)
 - MVTX-triplet + 2 INTT clusters
 - MVTX-triplet + 1 INTT cluster -> this is your inefficiency ()
 - $\text{effi: (MVTX-triplet + 2 INTT cluster) / (MVTX-triplet + 1 INTT cluster) + (MVTX-triplet + 2 INTT cluster)}$
- Several dumps observed in event interval distributions (by GL1Bco, INTTAbsBco)



$p_T > 500 \text{ MeV/c}$
EMCal data, GL1Bco

Back up

- Analysis build: 515
 - using local trackreco package cloned from GitHub on Sep 25, 2025
- Run number: 53018 (Run24 pp run, one of the runs in the good run list)
- Cluster DST file:
 - /sphenix/lustre01/sphnxpro/production/run2pp/physics/ana504_2024p023_v001/DST_TRKR_CLUSTER/run_00053000_00053100/dst/DST_TRKR_CLUSTER_run2pp_ana504_2024p023_v001-00053018-*.root
- CDB flag: “ProdA_2024”

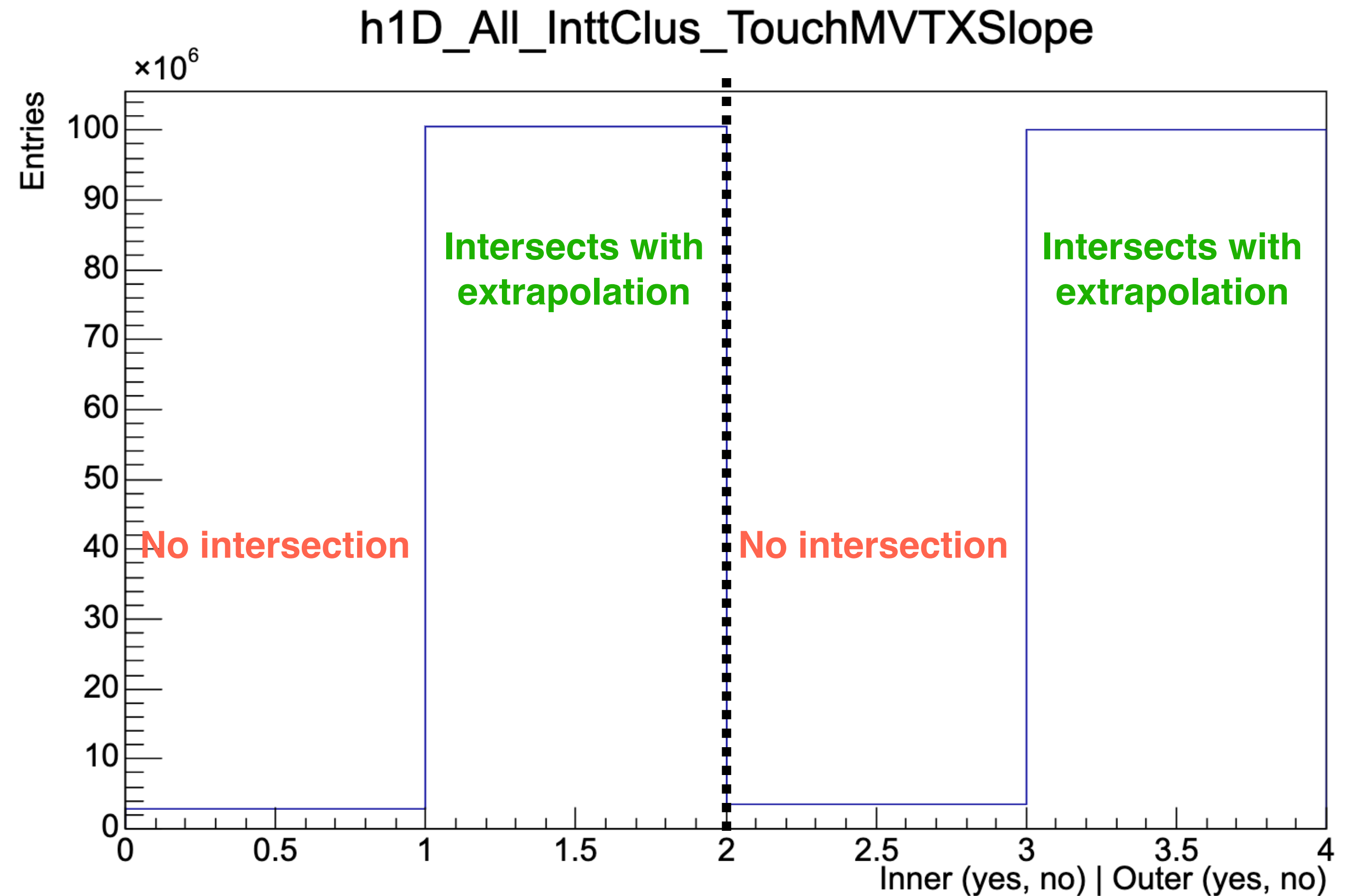
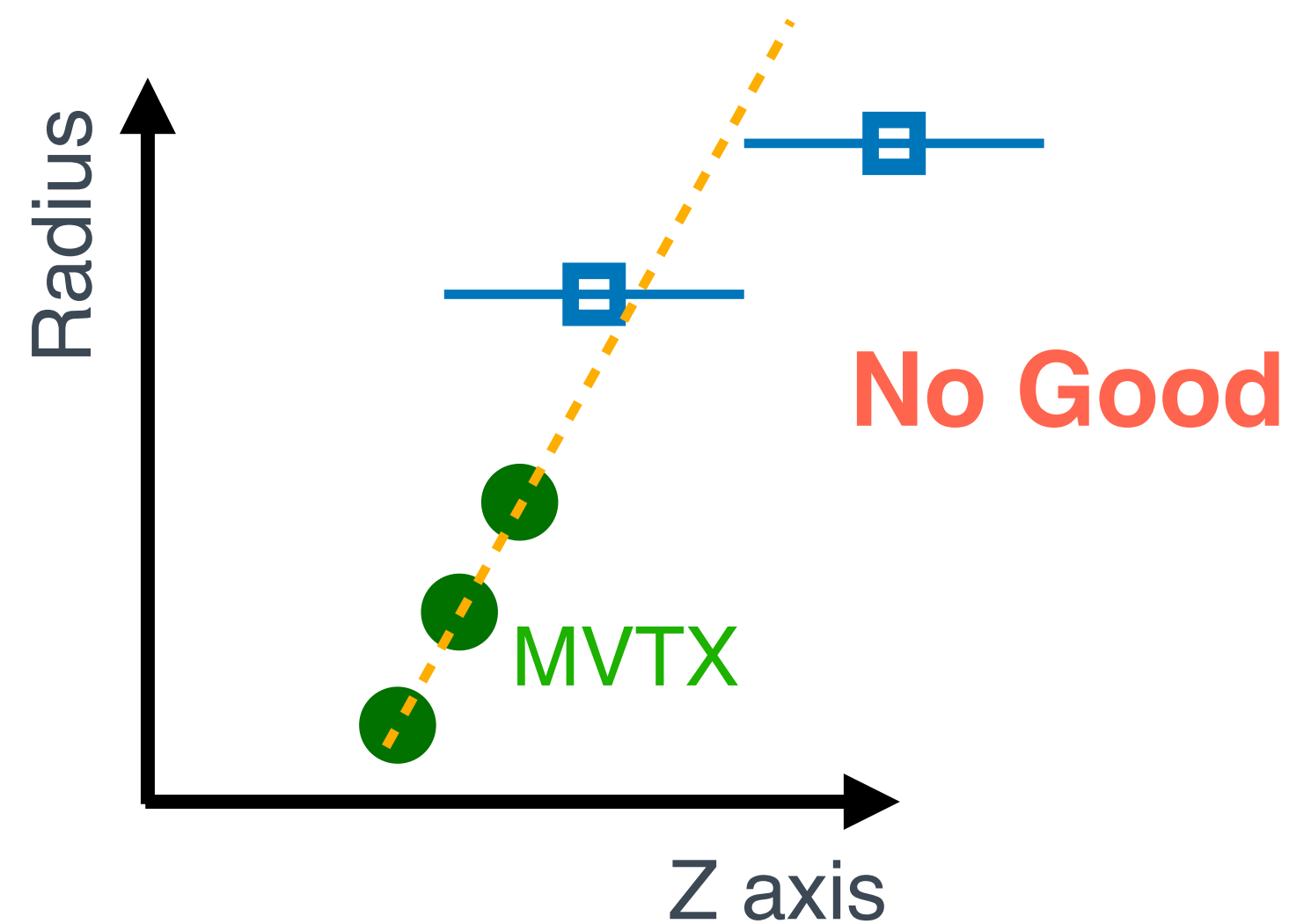
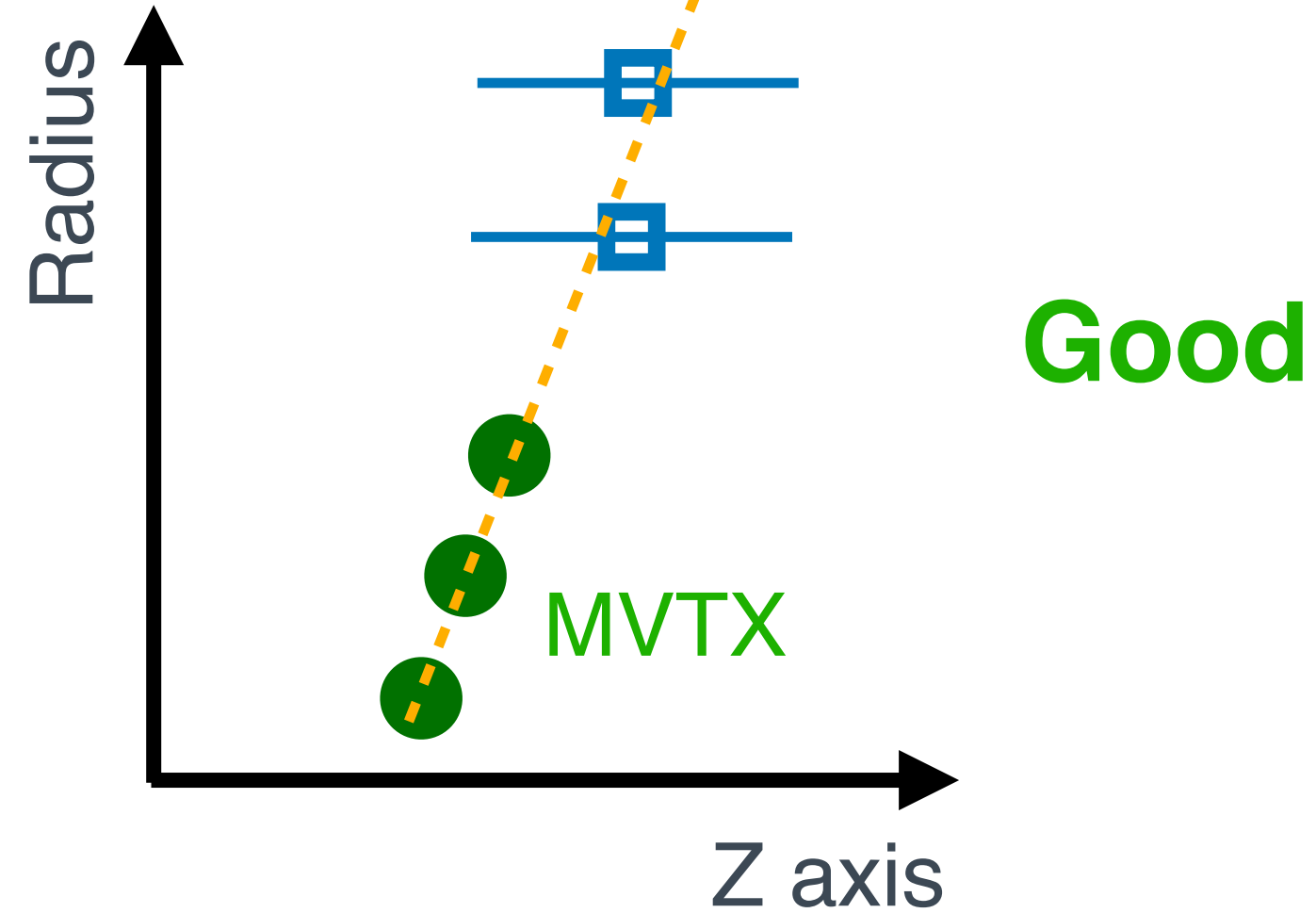
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silicon_Seeding->setStrobeRange(-5,5);  
silicon_Seeding->setInttRPhiSearchWindow(0.2);  
silicon_Seeding->setInttZSearchWindow(1.0);  
silicon_Seeding->seedAnalysis(false);
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m_searchIntt == false

- Event selections:
 - None
- Track selections:
 - None
 - ~~$n_{\text{MVTX Cluster}} \geq 3$~~
 - ~~$n_{\text{INTT Cluster}} = 2$~~
 - ~~$!(\text{Track charge} \neq 0)$~~
 - ~~$\text{Track } p_T \geq 0.2 \text{ GeV} \ \&\& \ \text{Track } p_T \leq 10 \text{ GeV}$~~
 - ~~$\text{Track } \text{Eta} \leq 1.0$~~
 - (No cut on DCA, DCAXY, track crossing value, and track-vertex association)

INTT strip intersection check

MVTX extrapolation
in z-r plane



INTT cluster in inner layer **INTT cluster in outer layer**

~3% of silicon seeds have at least one INTT cluster
not intersecting with MVTX-triplet extrapolation
(with tolerance of 0.05 cm in both sides of strip)

The MVTX cluster, 7486127996929, is used in 7 tracks.

In this track, nINTT: 1, nMVTX: 4

The MVTX cluster, 7486127996929, position is: -0.333307 2.15619 4.71476

The MVTX cluster, 291160127963144, position is: -0.669343 2.81597 5.85756

The MVTX cluster, 291160127963145, position is: -0.665772 2.81783 5.86341

The MVTX cluster, 577170590138369, position is: -1.10697 3.72623 7.42418

The INTT cluster, position and timebucket is: 5.06989 -5.66479 13.5827 175
track pt, eta, phi, charge: 0.161452 1.24265 2.10414 -1

In this track, nINTT: 0, nMVTX: 4

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The MVTX cluster, 7486127996931, position is: -0.346497 2.14951 4.74088

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track pt, eta, phi, charge: 0.568693 1.23272 1.99822 -1

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The MVTX cluster, 291160127963143, position is: -0.544075 2.88132 5.46288

The MVTX cluster, 577033151184897, position is: -0.824223 3.99064 6.57742

track pt, eta, phi, charge: 0.244602 0.858887 1.87799 -1

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track pt, eta, phi, charge: 0.244731 0.859363 1.87796 -1

In this track, nINTT: 0, nMVTX: 4

The MVTX cluster, 7486127996928, position is: -0.326816 2.15952 4.67584

The MVTX cluster, 7486127996929, position is: -0.333307 2.15619 4.71476

The MVTX cluster, 293359151218692, position is: -1.14153 2.78294 6.77136

The MVTX cluster, 577170590138372, position is: -1.67062 3.20034 8.14877

track pt, eta, phi, charge: 0.427114 1.61344 2.5023 -1

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The INTT cluster, position and timebucket is: 6.94057 -4.21435 19.5731 268

track pt, eta, phi, charge: 0.507529 1.60314 2.4502 -1

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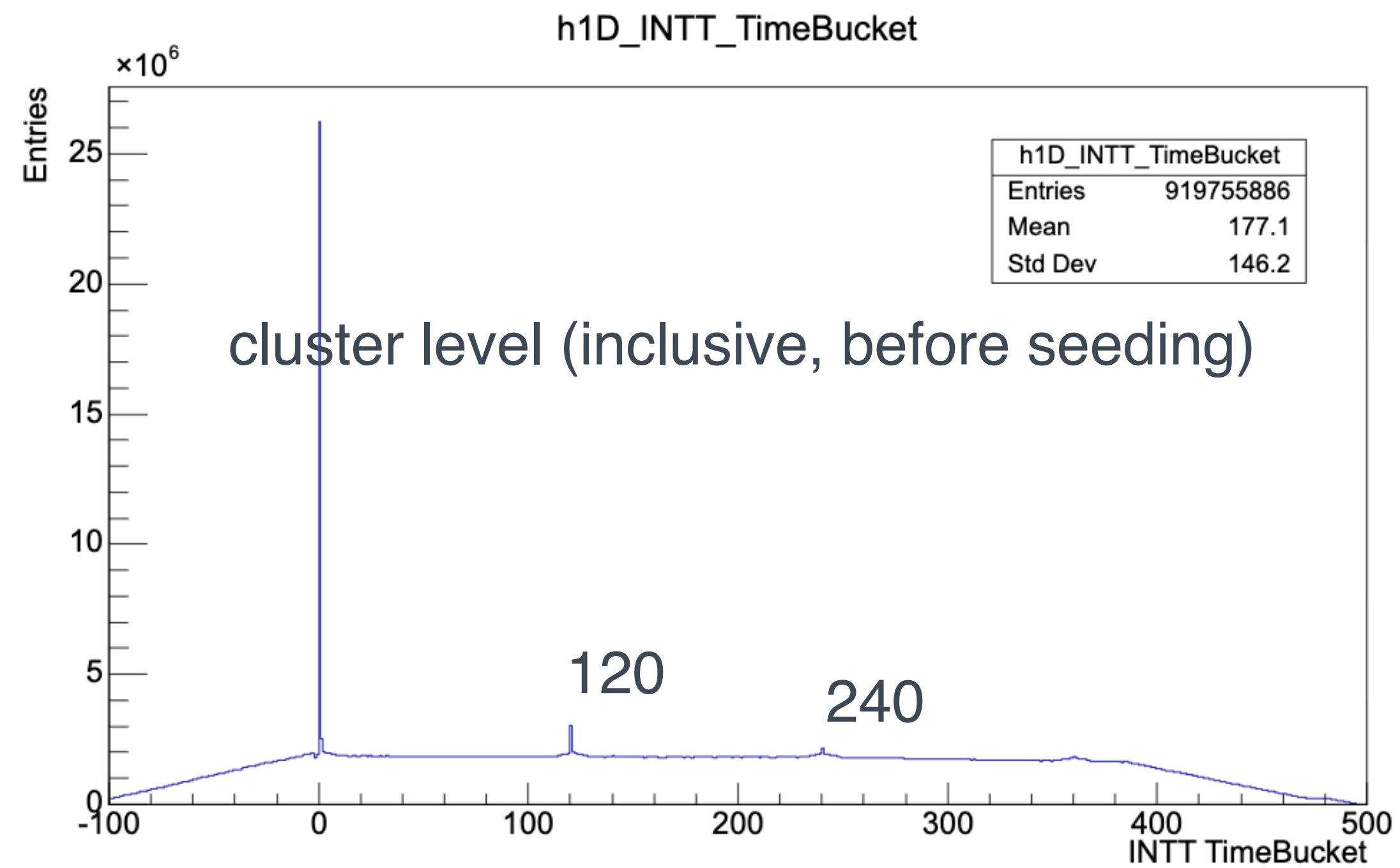
The INTT cluster, position and timebucket is: -4.76934 5.26658 15.5794 278

track pt, eta, phi, charge: 0.138008 1.60269 2.39293 -1

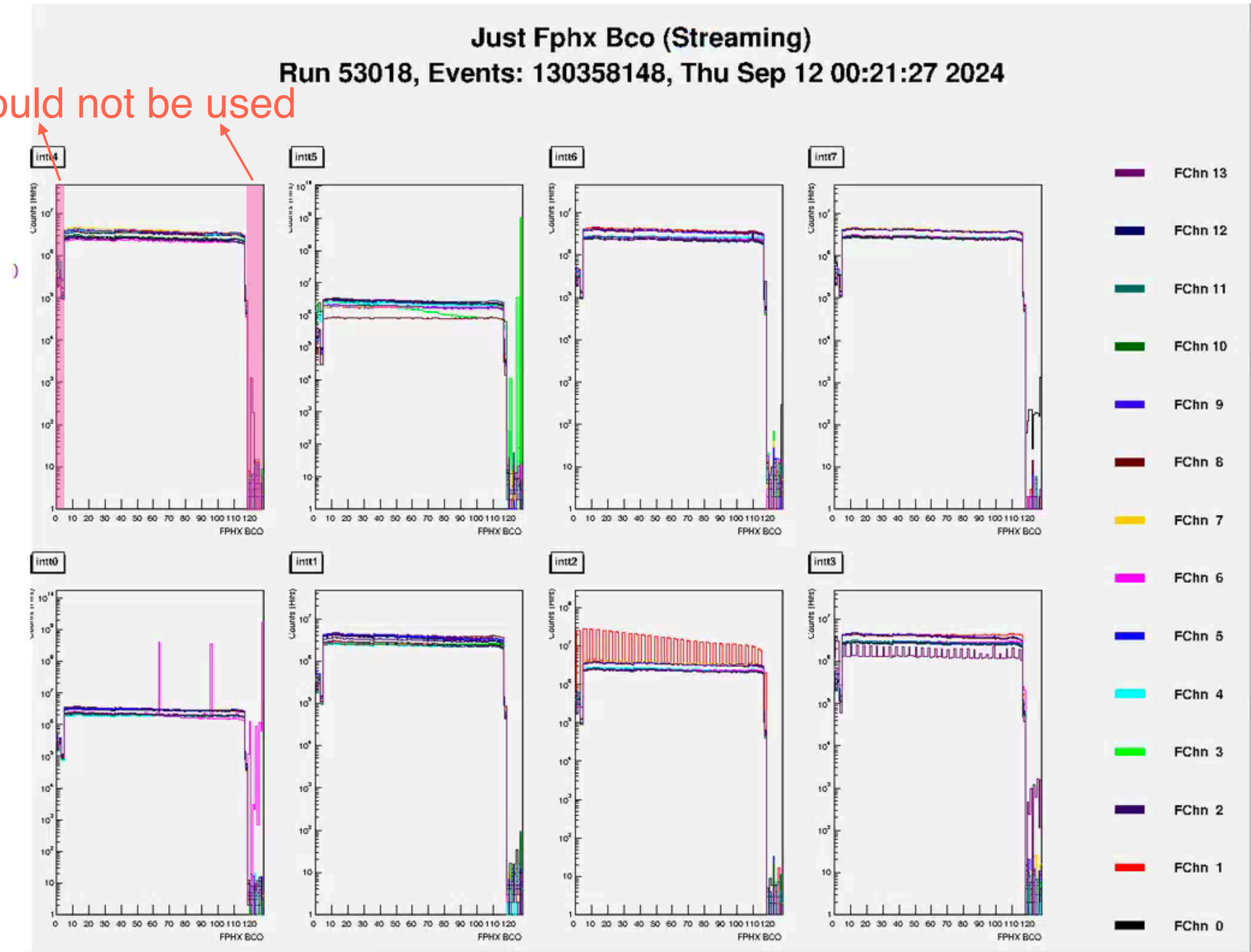
_928, _929, _931 are very close to each other

INTT cluster TimeBucket distribution

Run number: 53018 (Run24 pp run, one of the runs in the good run list)



Regions should not be used



INTT alignment paramter

- INTT geometry is a bit disconnected from the real geometry
 - Some sensors are away from their own barrels after applying the alignment parameters
 - Could be due to no constraints in the radial direction in the misalignment study

