



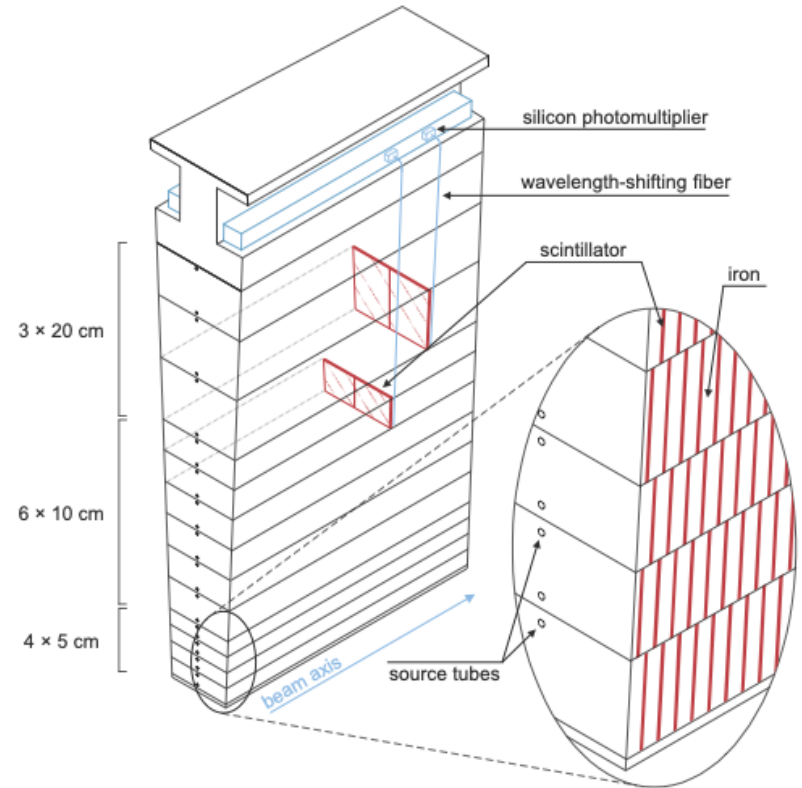
ALLEGRO HCAL update

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ALLEGRO Hadronic Calorimeter

- Design based on alternating steel and scintillator layers
 - Well studied and tested design
 - 5 mm absorbers, 3 mm scintillators
- **Barrel:** 13 radial layers
- **Endcap:** 6 / 9 / 22 radial layers
- 128 modules in ϕ , 2 tiles per module $\rightarrow \Delta\phi \sim 0.025\text{rad}$
- Proposed implementation of θ -segmentation in the simulation is presented today
- Submitted pull requests:
 - [k4geo: #409](#)
 - [k4RecCalorimeter: #128](#)

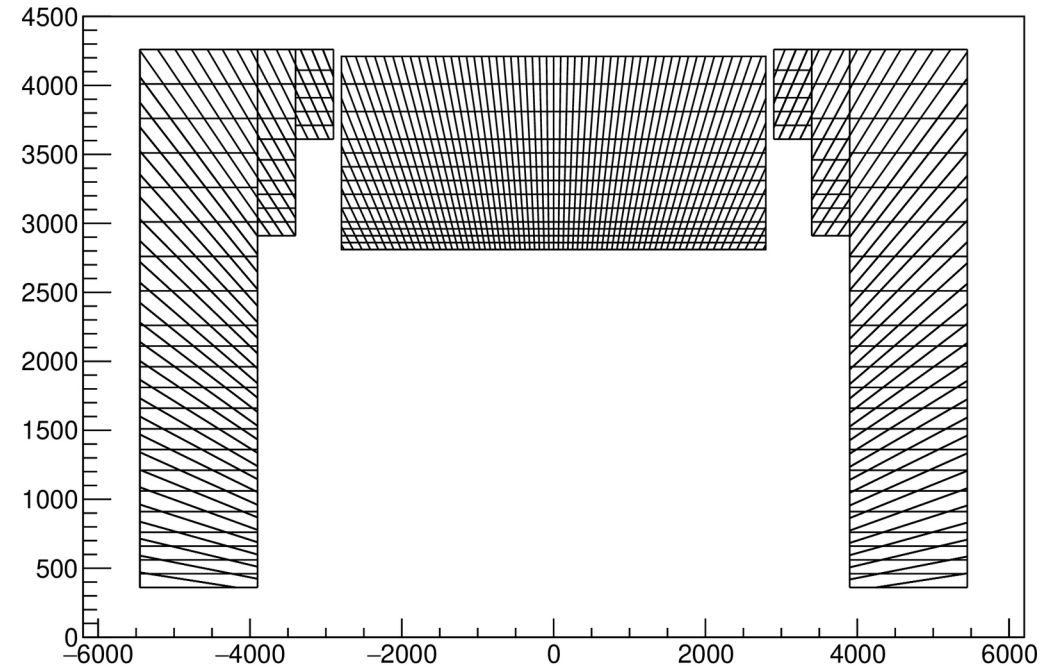


Current implementation of HCal segmentation

- Current segmentation class for HCal:
 - `FCCSWGGridPhiTheta_k4geo`
 - with `grid_size_theta="0.022180"`
- Each G4 hit is assigned a *cellID* formed based on the hit position in the theta grid:
`FCCSWGGridPhiTheta_k4geo::cellID()`
- *CellID* encodes the theta bin number in the grid
- A cell energy is calculated by collecting the hits with the same *cellID* hence with the same theta bin number:

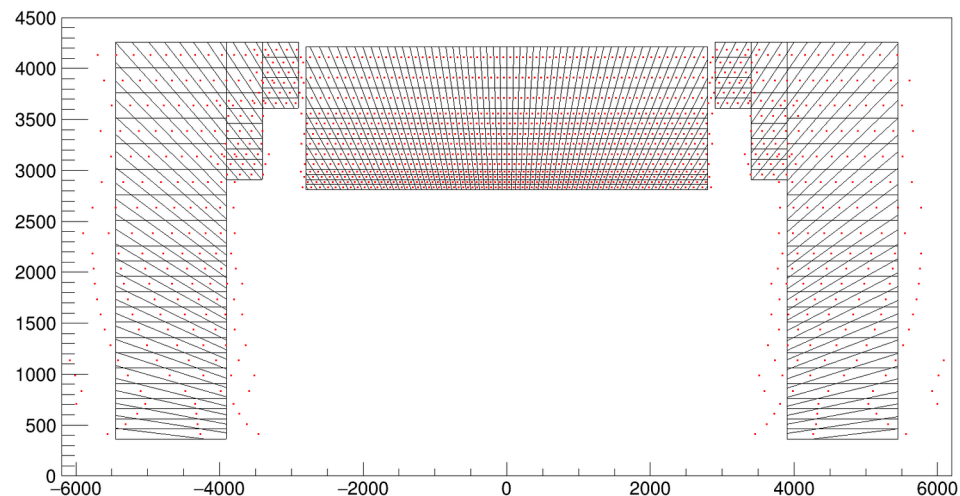
`CreatePositionedCaloCells`

→ effectively this means the inclined cell geometry →
this is unphysical for Tile Calorimeter (with vertically oriented tiles)



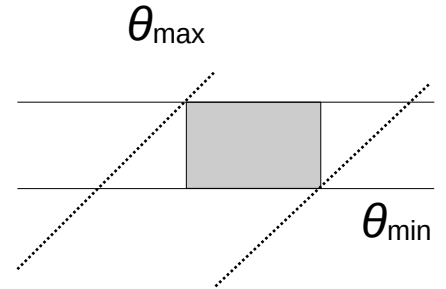
Assigned cell positions

- Cell positions are assigned using the *CellPositionsHCalPhiThetaSegTool*
- This tool use the *position()* function of the segmentation class which determines the **theta and phi bin center values** based on **theta and phi bin numbers** encoded in the *cellID*
- Cell position z-coordinate** is calculated at the cell center radius using the theta value corresponding to the theta bin center → **for some cells it results in a position outside the HCal range**



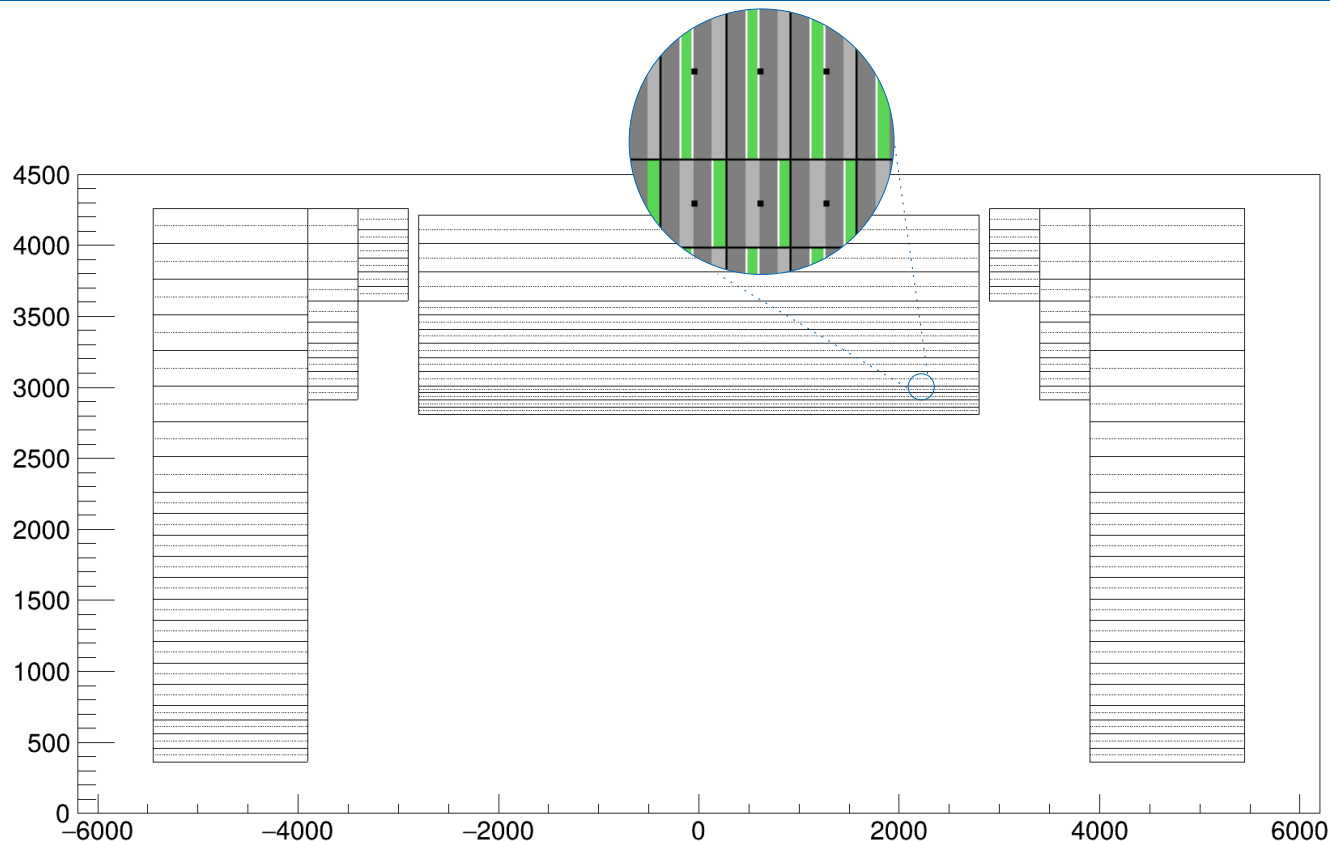
New segmentation classes

- Two new segmentation classes are created in the *k4geo* package:
 - FCCSWHCalPhiRow_k4geo* (not used by default)
 - Assigns the *cellID* to the G4 hits based on the “row” id of the volume
 - The “row” id is the number of row in a layer
 - Row: 2×Master plate + 1×Spacer plate + 1×Scintillator
 - FCCSWHCalPhiTheta_k4geo* (used by default)
 - Defines a cell borders in z-axis and assigns the same *cellID* to the G4 hits which are inside a given cell borders
- Both classes have the *position()* function that returns the **global position** of a cell
 - This function is now used by *CellPositionsHCalPhiThetaSegTool* to assign the cell position
- Both classes have the *cellTheta()* function that returns a two element array of the cell *thetaMin* and *thetaMax*
 - This can be used to find neighbour cells between HCal Barrel and HCal Endcap, also between HCal and ECal
- Both classes have the *neighbours()* function that returns a vector of neighbours *cellIDs* within the same system (Barrel or Endcap)



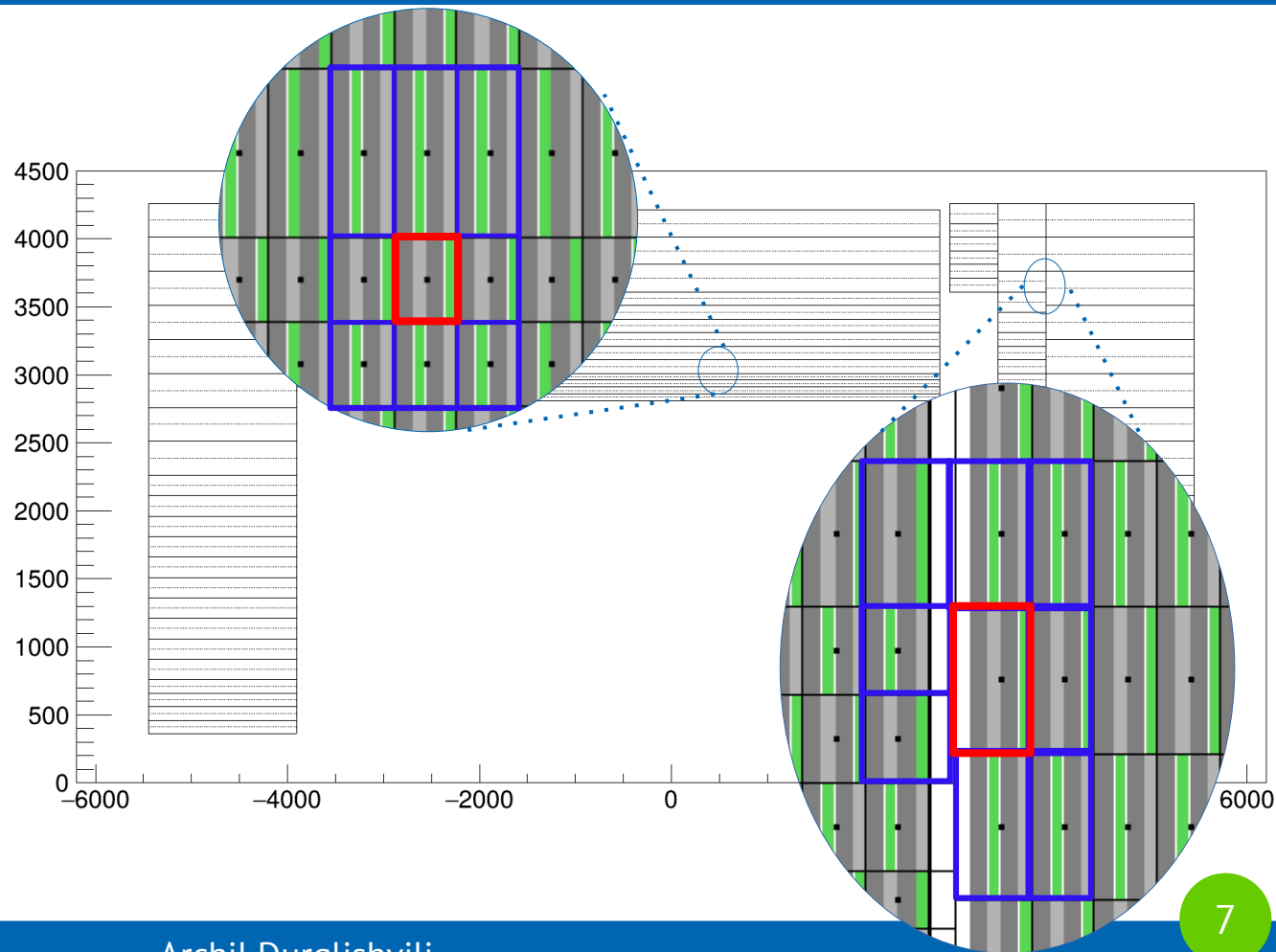
FCCSWHCalPhiRow_k4geo segmentation

- Each row in a layer is considered as a cell
 - Width of the row: 18mm
 - Can group several rows in a single cell by changing the *grid_size_row* parameter in the xml file
 - Value can be different for different layers
- 310 cells per layer in the Barrel
- 27 / 27 / 85 cells per layer in the Endcap in one side
- Center of the row is considered as a cell position



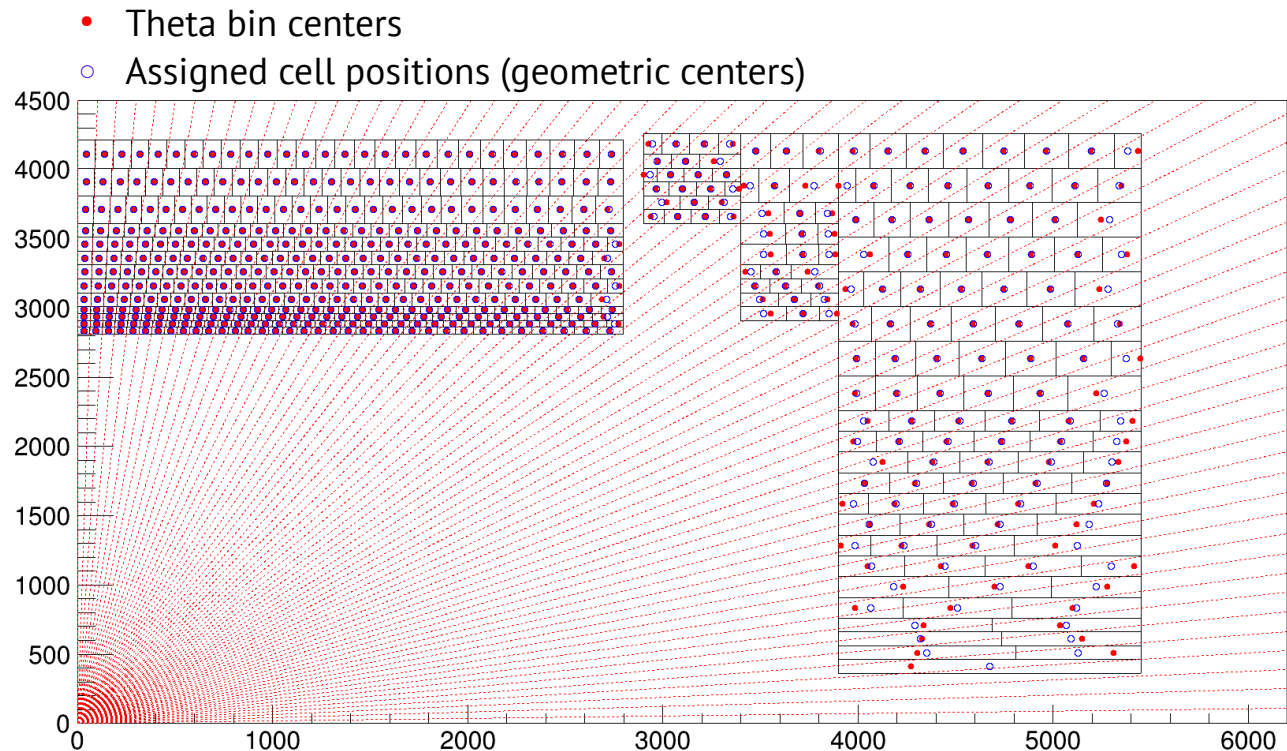
FCCSWHCaPhiRow_k4geo: cell neighbours

- In each part of the HCal, a cell neighbours are defined as all surrounding cells of a given cell in the same phi bin
- **Linking three parts of the Endcap:**
 - All surrounding cells in the same partition
 - The cells from the adjacent partition with:
 - $R_{inner} \leq R_{inner}^{nei.} \leq R_{outer}$
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- **Linking Barrel and Endcap:** first cells from the different partition overlapping in the theta range of the given cell
- **Adding neighbours from the adjacent phi bins leads to a very off reconstructed polar angle from the truth angle, using TopoClusters of single charged pions**
 - This is under under investigation...



FCCSWHCalPhiTheta_k4geo segmentation

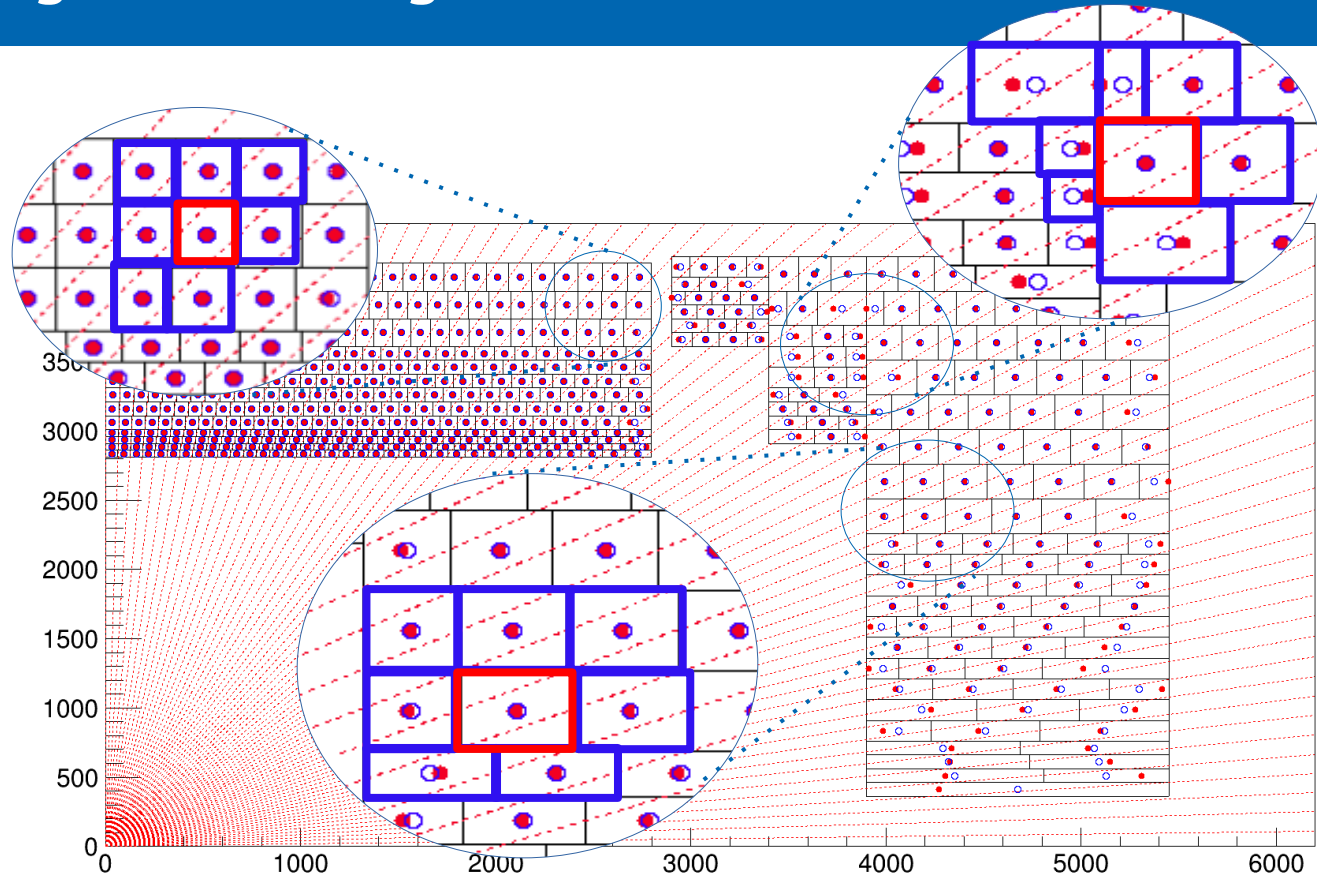
- Cell borders are defined such that closely follow the theta projective towers with the size of $\Delta\theta = 0.02218$ rad
- No hard-coded numbers for grouping of the cells
- The algorithm finds the theta bin centers within the z-range of each layer and takes the middle point between each pair of theta bin centers as a cell border
- All the hits with the z-coordinate within the given cell borders are assigned the same *cellID*



FCCSWHCalPhiTheta_k4geo: cell neighbours

- **Barrel:**
 - Previous and next adjacent cells in the same layer
 - From the **previous layer**: the cell with the same theta bin number + the cell with the previous (next) theta bin number if $\theta < \pi/2$ ($\theta > \pi/2$)
 - From the **next layer**: the cell with the same theta bin number + the cell with the next (previous) theta bin number if $\theta < \pi/2$ ($\theta > \pi/2$) + the cell with the next-to-next theta bin number if it overlaps with the given cell in z-coordinate
- **Endcap:** all surrounding cells that share at least part of a border with the given cell
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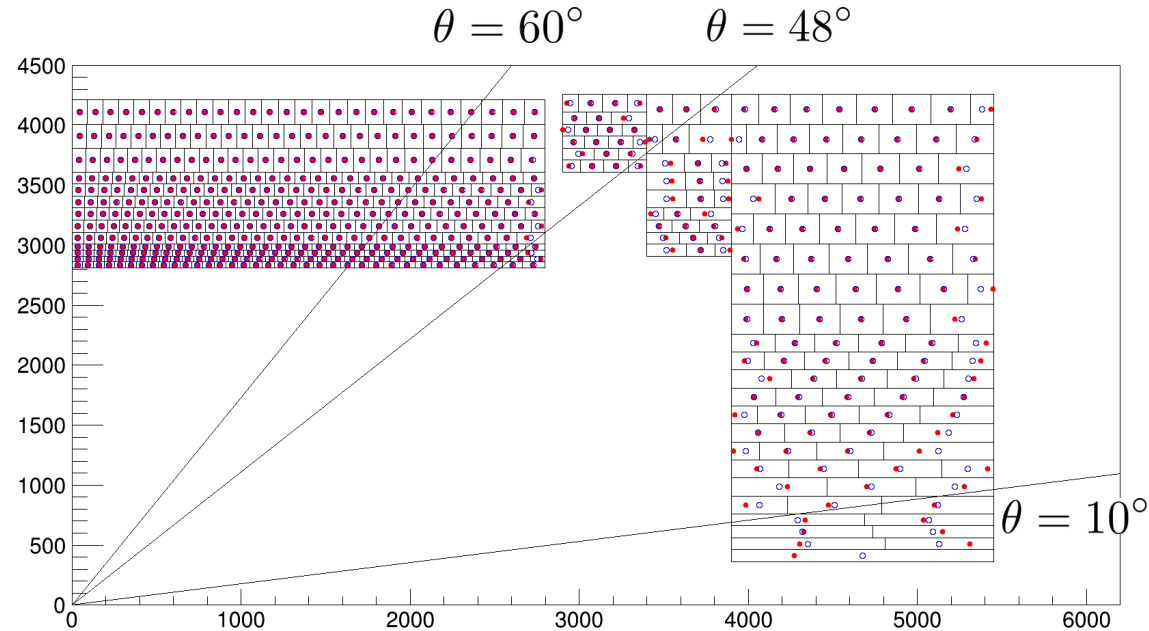
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Neighbour from the adjacent phi bins of all selected cells are added in the list of neighbours.

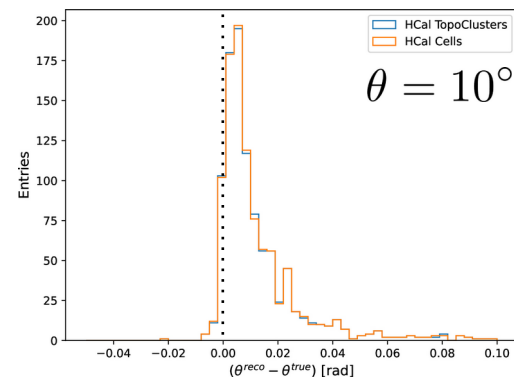
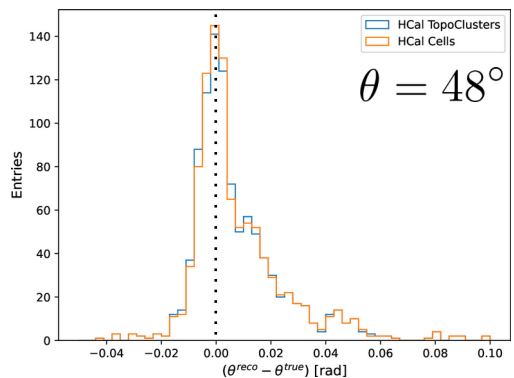
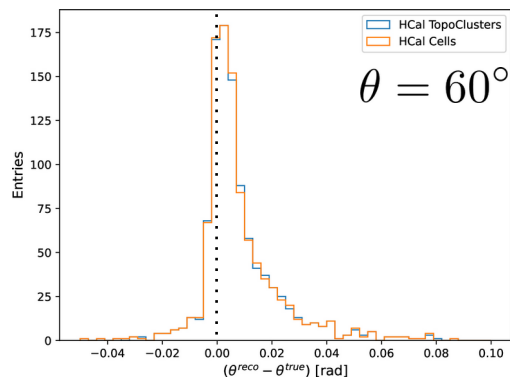
Polar angle reconstruction performance check

- Single charged pions are simulated at three different polar angles
- Both ECal and HCal are included in the simulation
- Topo-Clusters are built using only HCal cells without electronic noise map
- The theta angle is reconstructed as the energy weighted sum of:
 - a) all HCal cells theta positions
 - b) all topo-clusters theta positions

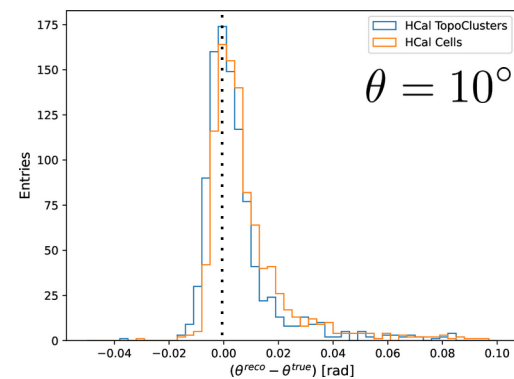
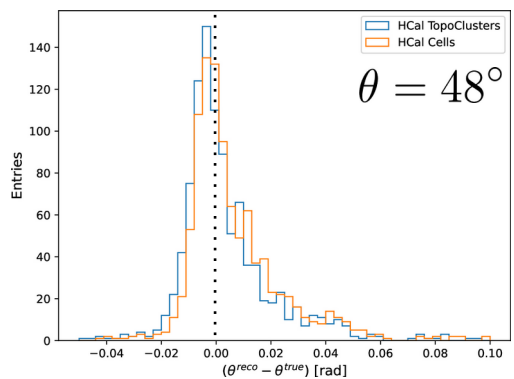
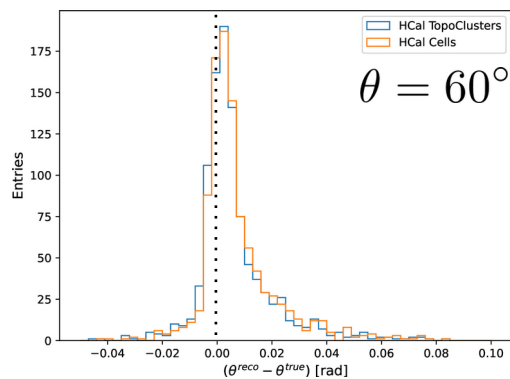


Polar angle reconstruction: cluster-based vs cell-based

Phi-Row segmentation

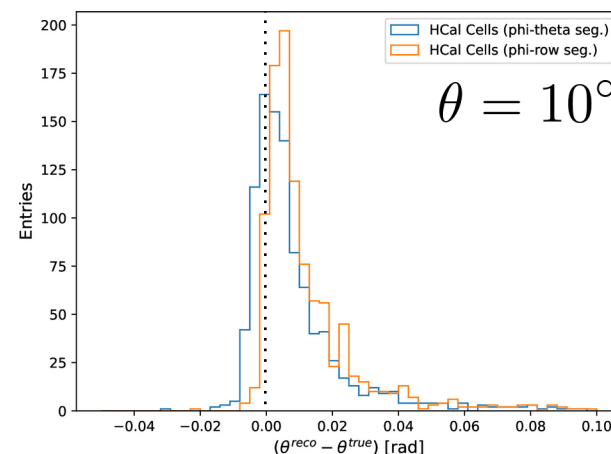
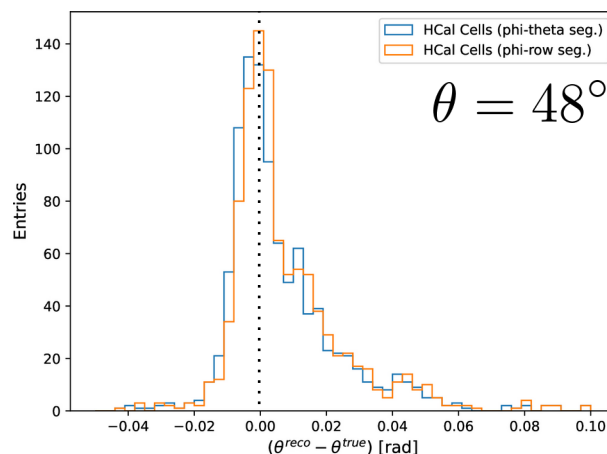
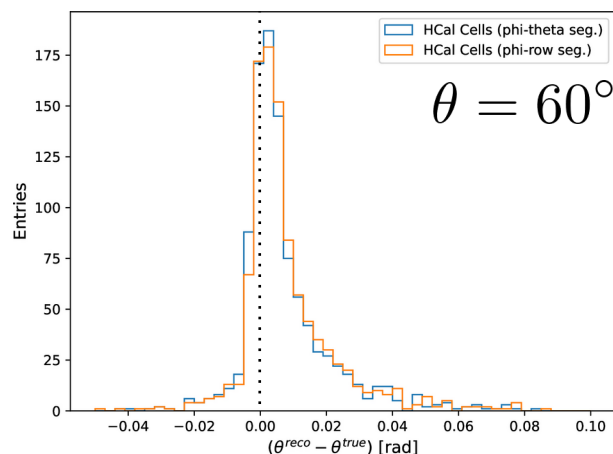


Phi-Theta segmentation



Polar angle reconstruction: cluster-based vs cell-based

Cell-based polar angle reconstruction



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Summary

Two new HCal segmentation readout implementations are presented

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 - Single tile/row as a cell
 - Highest possible granularity
- **Phi-theta**
 - Groups several tiles into a cell such that closely follow the theta projective towers with the size of $\Delta\theta \sim 0.022$ rad
 - This is set as the default readout segmentation
- Pull Request of the changes are submitted:
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- Calo Neighbours code is also updated for the new readouts, however, this is not included in the PR

Preliminary results of polar angle reconstruction performance are presented

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Thank you for your attention

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