

# A fully parametric option in the LHCb simulation framework

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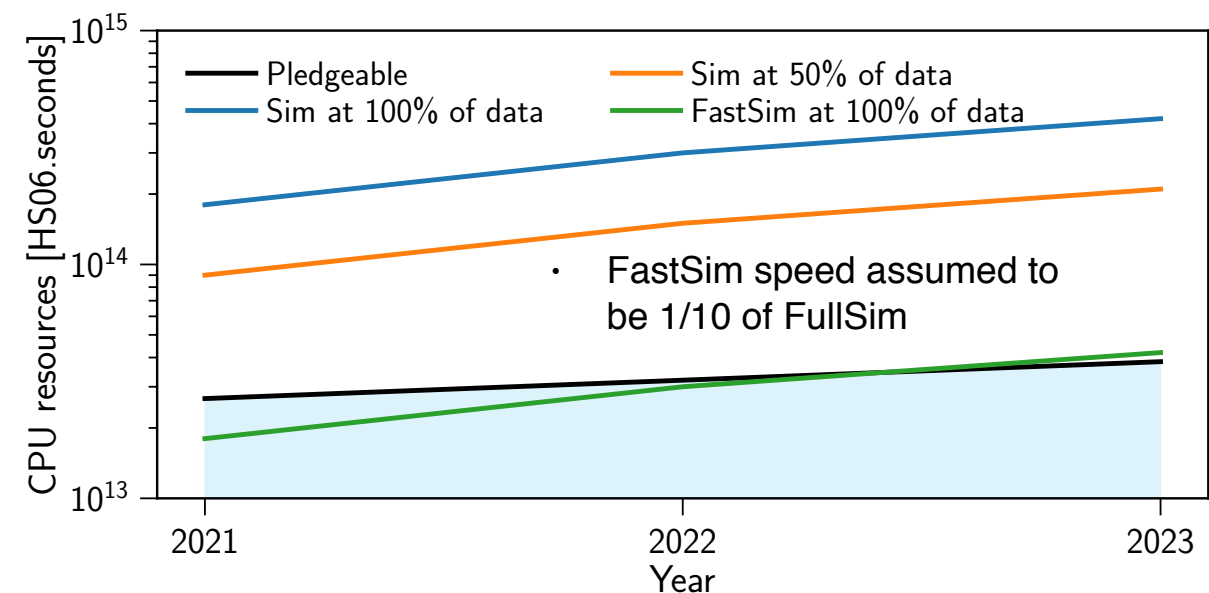
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# The Monte Carlo problem

- The role of Monte Carlo simulation in high energy physics experiment is to mimic the behaviour of a detector to understand experimental conditions and performance
- Monte Carlo is an important component of the systematic uncertainties in analyses
- Large MC samples → Large resources
- In the LHCb upgrade huge amount of data will be taken → Need to produce corresponding Monte Carlo
- Upgrade studies
- New simulation options needs to be investigated



- Requirements for a FastMC:
  - Less CPU consuming
  - Reconstructed particle information in order to use the standard LHCb tools for analysis
  - As close as possible to the full simulation in physics output

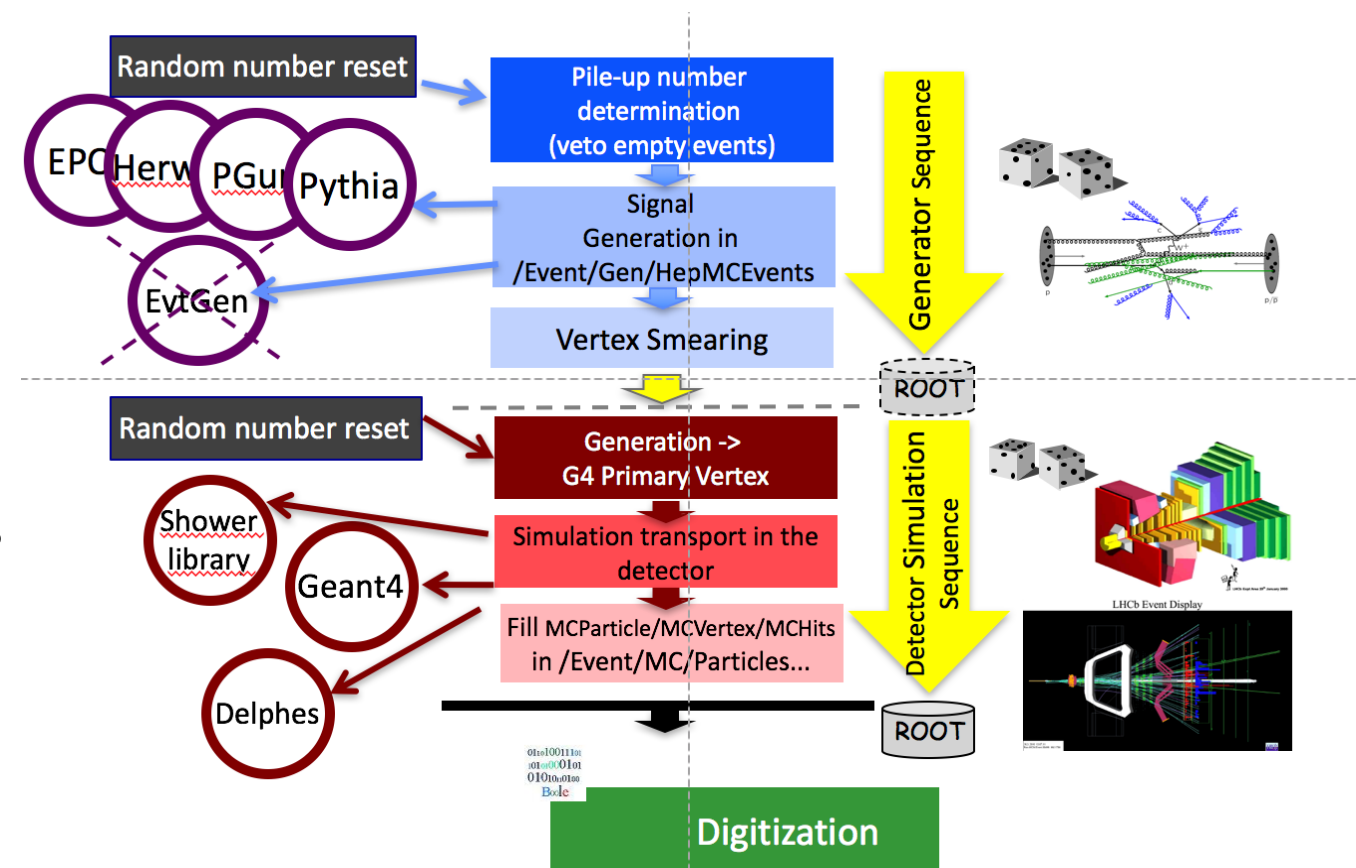
# FastSimulation options in LHCb

- Broad investigation deploying solutions when mature for physics
- Simplified detector simulation:
  - Reduced detector: RICH-less or tracker-only (In production)
  - Calorimeter showers fast simulation. (Under development)
    - See next talks: Matteo Rama and Viktoriia Chekalina
  - Muon lower energy background, used with full muon detector simulation (In production)
- Simulation of partial event:
  - Simulate only particles from signal decay (In production)
  - ReDecay, e.g. use N-times the non-signal decay part of the event (In production)
- Fully parametric simulation:
  - Parametrized tracking, calorimeter and particleID objects with a DELPHES-based infrastructure (Under development)

# FastMC: Integration of Delphes in LHCb simulation framework

- No single solution for all needs but different simulation options organised under the Gauss unique framework

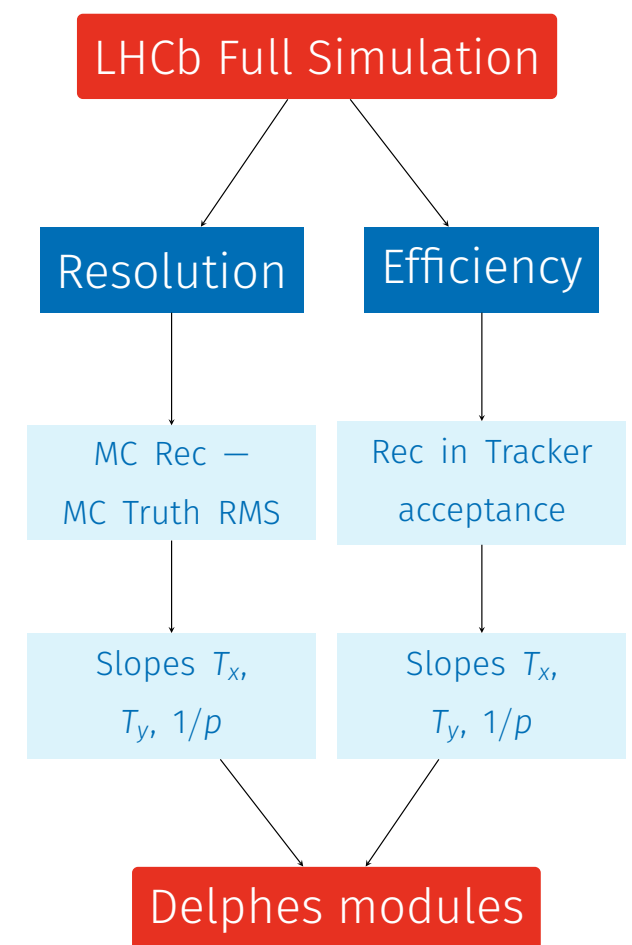
- Building an integrated, easy to use and safe simulation framework
  - Working fast simulation solutions for the whole event
  - Prototypes allowing a mix of simulation flavours for different detectors and particles
  - Output compatible with what expected by later processing



- Benchmark and physics performance measurements to choose baseline production settings

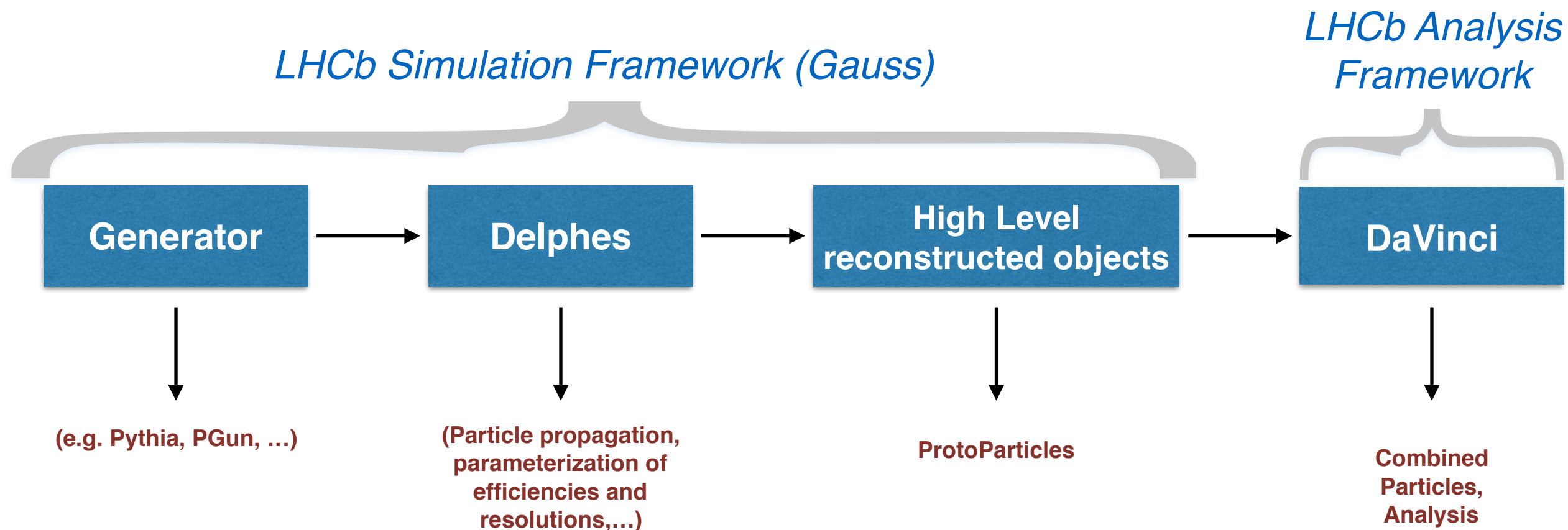
# Fully parametric fast simulation: Delphes

- Work on fully parametric ultra-fast simulation based on the DELPHES package
  - Delphes is a modular framework for fast simulation. [10.1007/JHEP02(2014)057]
  - It is written in C++ and is available as library.
  - Originally written for LHC central colliders
  - Parametrizes not only the detector response but also the reconstruction
- Crucial to cope with large amount of simulated statistics needed for Run3 and future Upgrade II. Goal:  $O(100)$ x faster than full simulation.
- Functional prototype integrated in the current LHCb Simulation framework (Gauss)
  - Tracking efficiency and resolution
  - Primary vertices reconstruction
  - Photon calorimetric objects
  - Output LHCb reconstructed high level objects,
  - Compatible with the experiment analysis tools



# Delphes

- Delphes + modifications for LHCb, has been integrated in LHCb simulation framework Gauss.
  - It takes in input particles generated from the generator part of Gauss,
  - It writes as output objects in the format necessary for LHCb analysis framework.



# Output for LHCb Analysis framework (DaVinci)

**What is the minimal output to do analysis in LHCb?**

**No lower level reconstructed objects!**

- **Proto Particles**
  - Links with tracks
  - At least one particle ID information
  - Calo objects
  - Rich
  - Get Slopes error for tracks

Smearing primary (collision) vertex

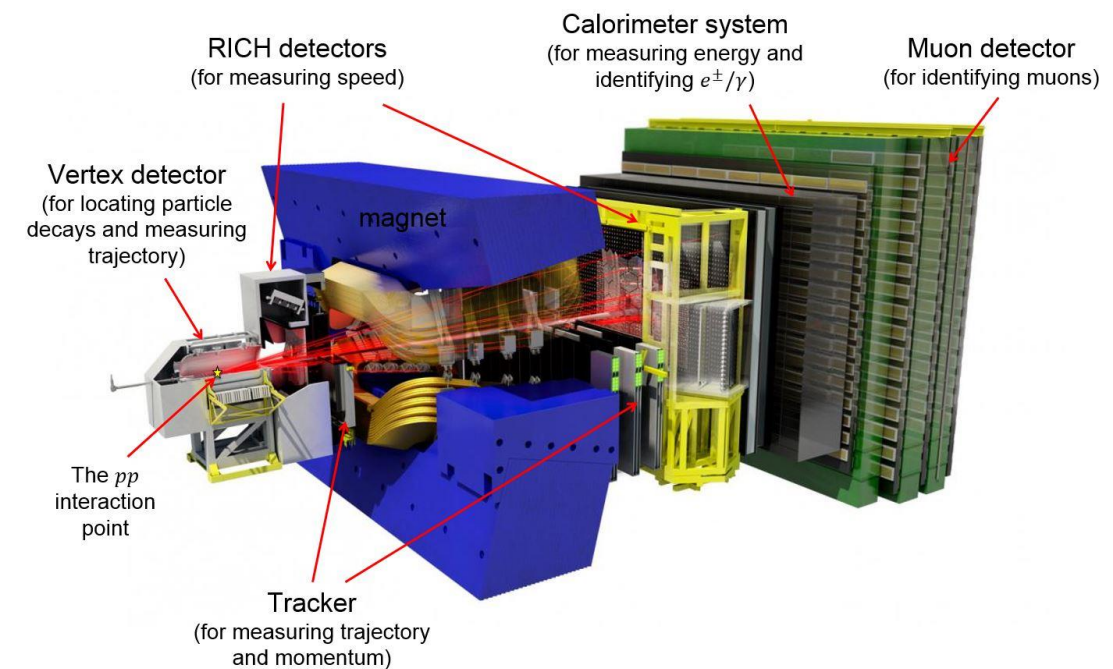
- **We want to be able to do a simple analysis with Delphes output using as much as possible existing LHCb Analysis tools**



# Status of the Tracking parameterisation

- Extensions to Delphes to be setup as a patch to the source include:

- Propagation inside the LHCb acceptance
  - Simple transport in a dipole field
  - Parameterisation of the Magnet Center as function of  $1./p$
- Parameterisation of the Efficiencies and Resolution for charged particles:
  - Binning variables: track slopes  $dp_x/dz$  and  $dp_y/dz$ ,  $1./p$



- Covariance Matrix of the track parameterised with a lookup table

- Profile of the single matrix element as function of  $1./p$
- -> Translation in to a lookup table

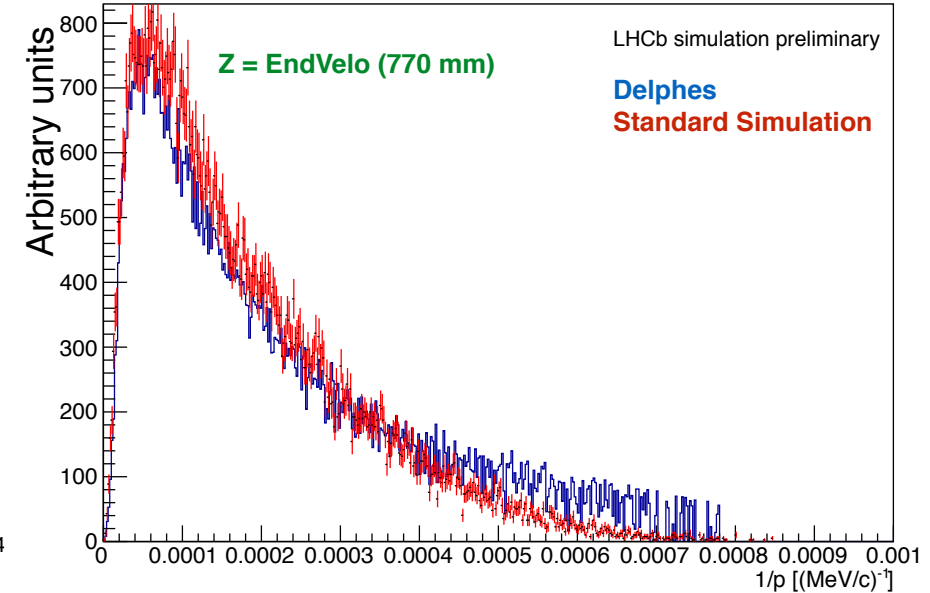
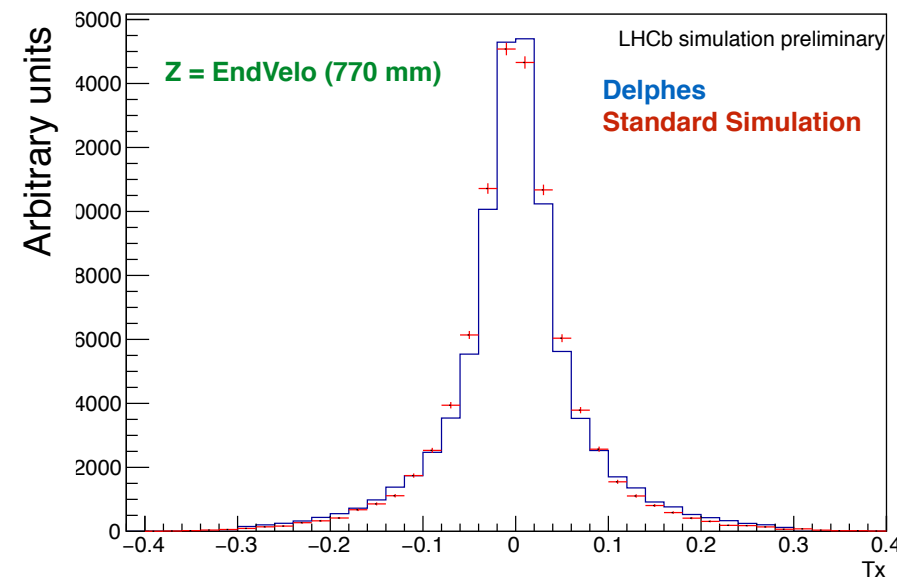
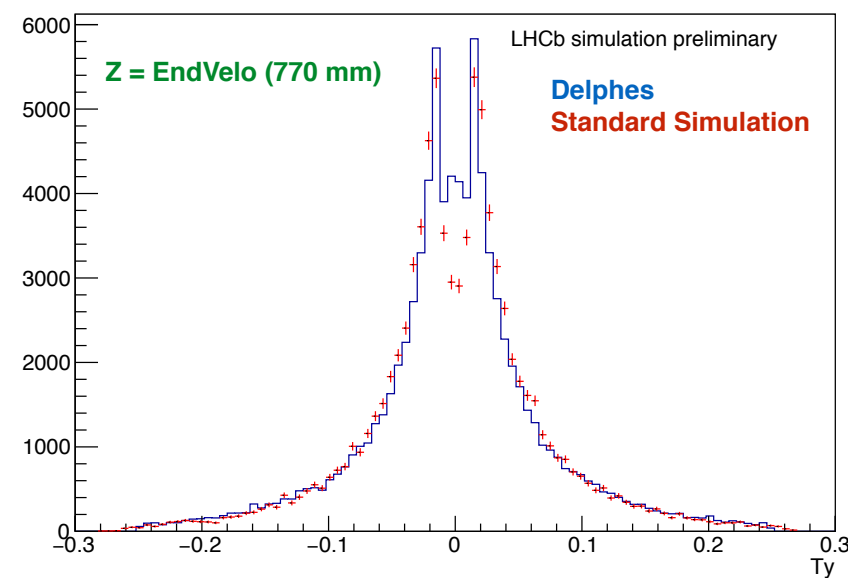
- Track quantities, i.e. ghostProb, likelihood, chi2, nDoF, also parameterised with a lookup table

- Same procedure of the Covariance Matrix



# Status of the Tracking parameterisation

- Comparison between Delphes and full simulation output for the variables used for parameterization



- Slope  $dp_x/dp_z$

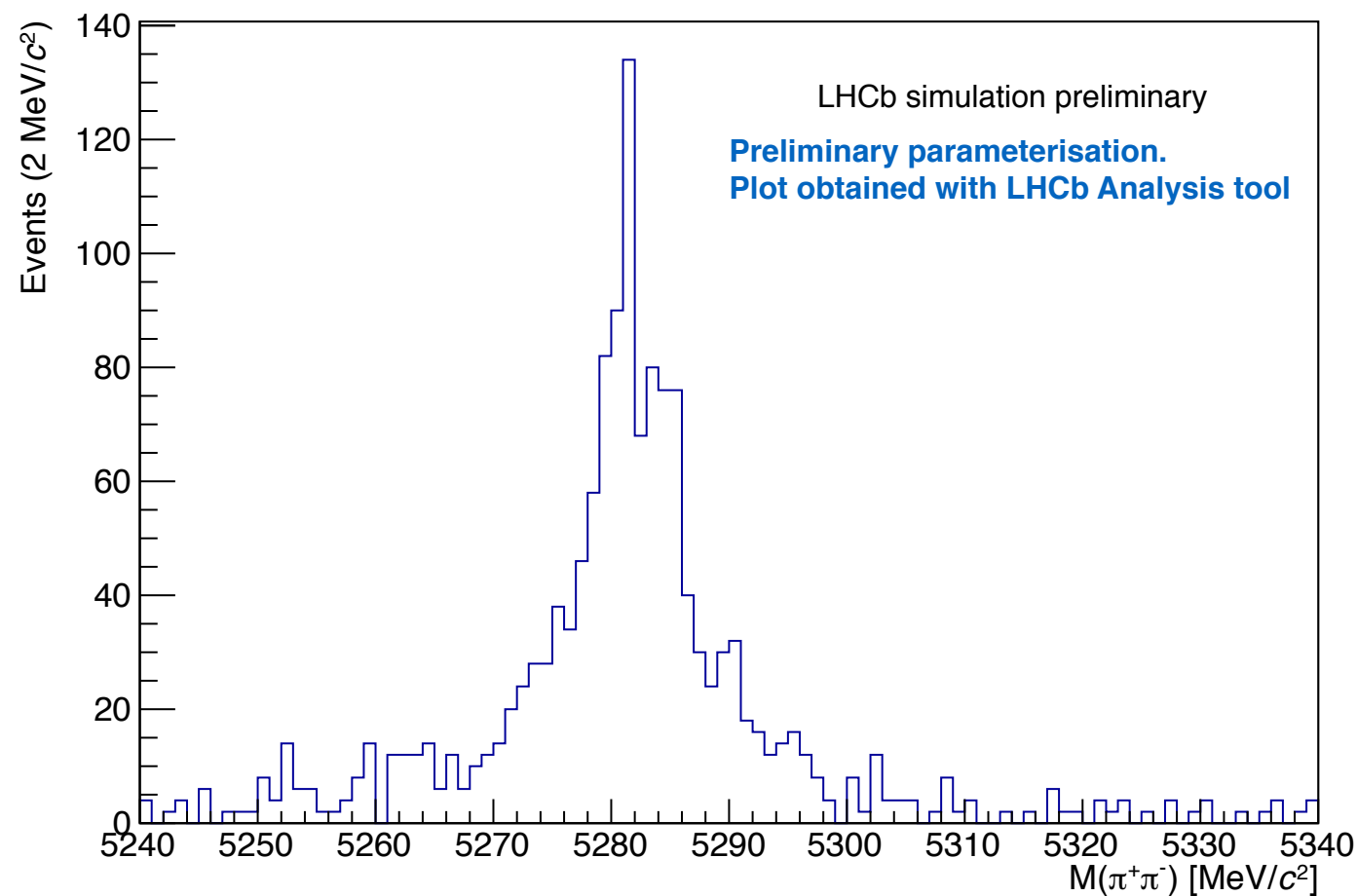
- Slope  $dp_y/dp_z$

- $1./p$

- Parameterisation specific for each data taking period and detector conditions

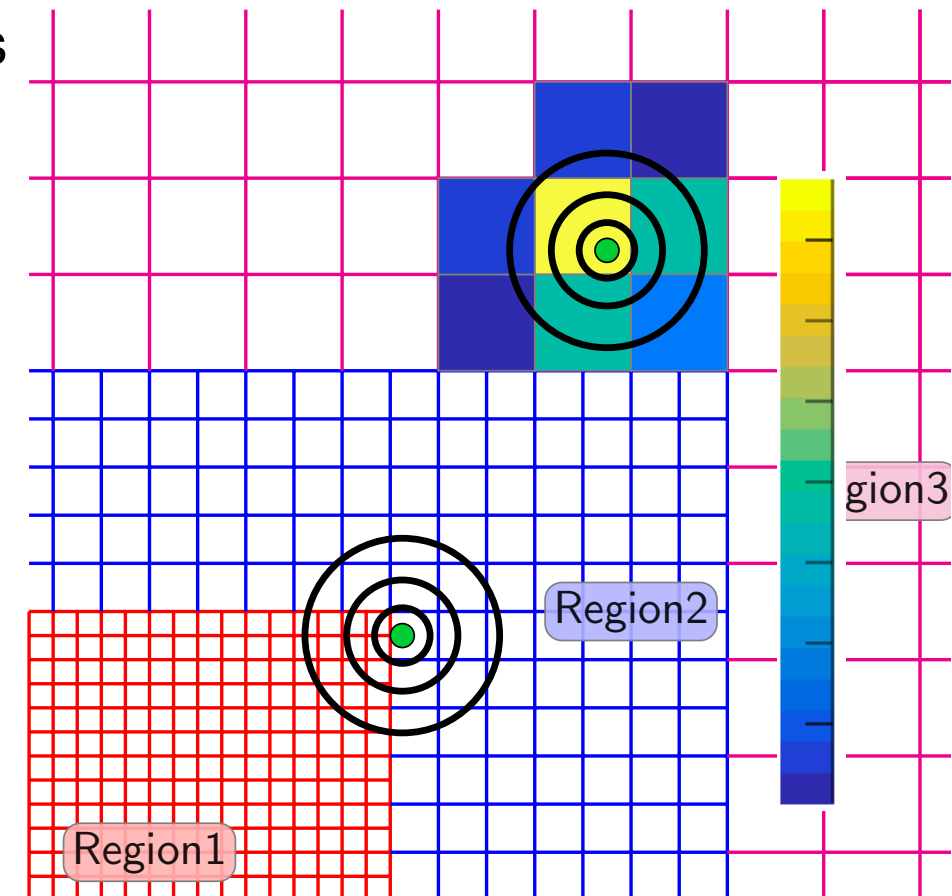
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- It is possible then to provide final reconstructed objects and process them with standard LHCb analysis framework



# Status of the Calorimeter parameterisation

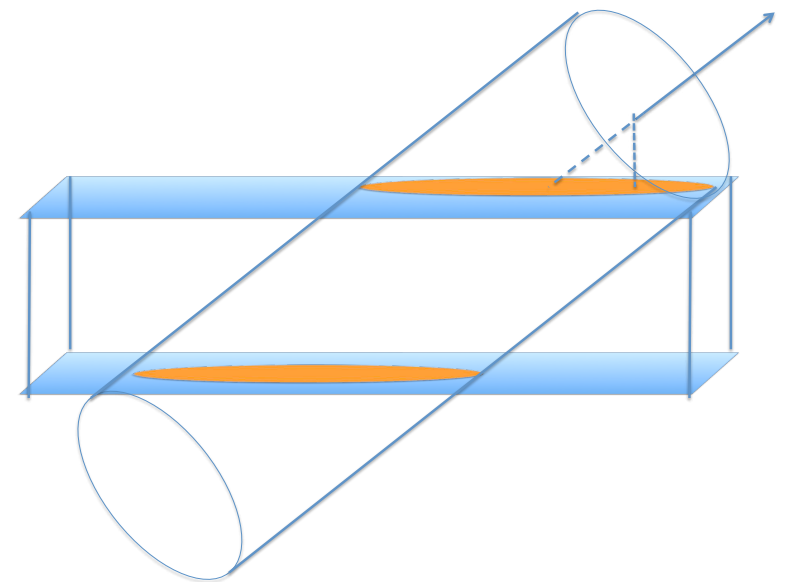
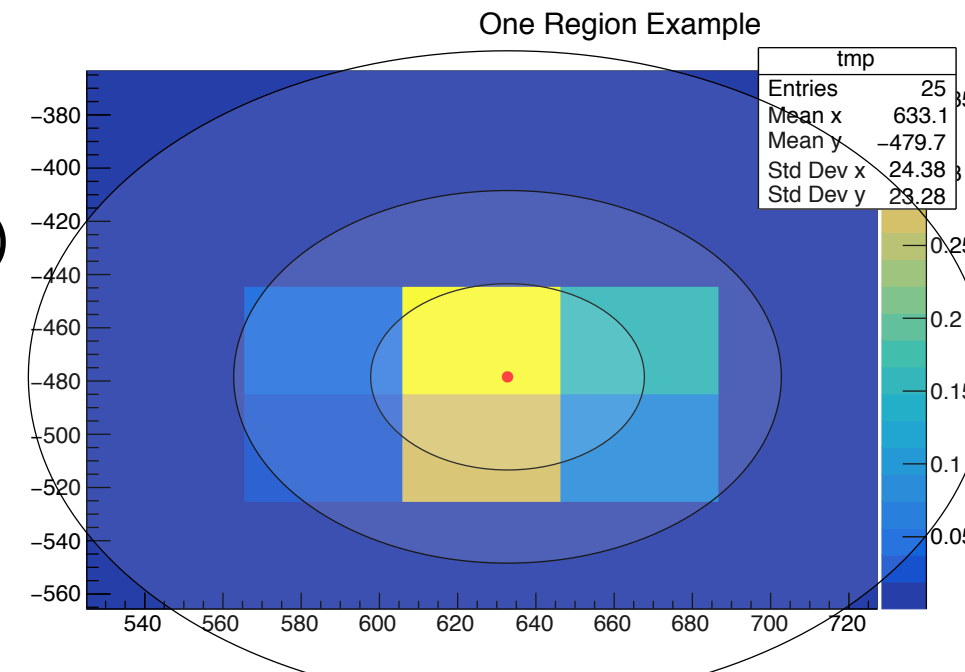
- Calorimeter parameterisation in Delphes almost complete for neutrals
- Customizable geometry based on simple loops within Delphes
- Gives the 3 regions of the current LHCb Calorimeter
- As output reconstructed ProtoParticles
- Clusterization in Delphes in order to get the particles energy:
  - Take individual MC hits<sup>(\*)</sup> and get calorimeter response from Delphes
  - Draw circles of 1, 2 and 3.5  $R_M$  to get 90, 95 and 99% of the energy



<sup>\*</sup>particles crossing the calorimeter face

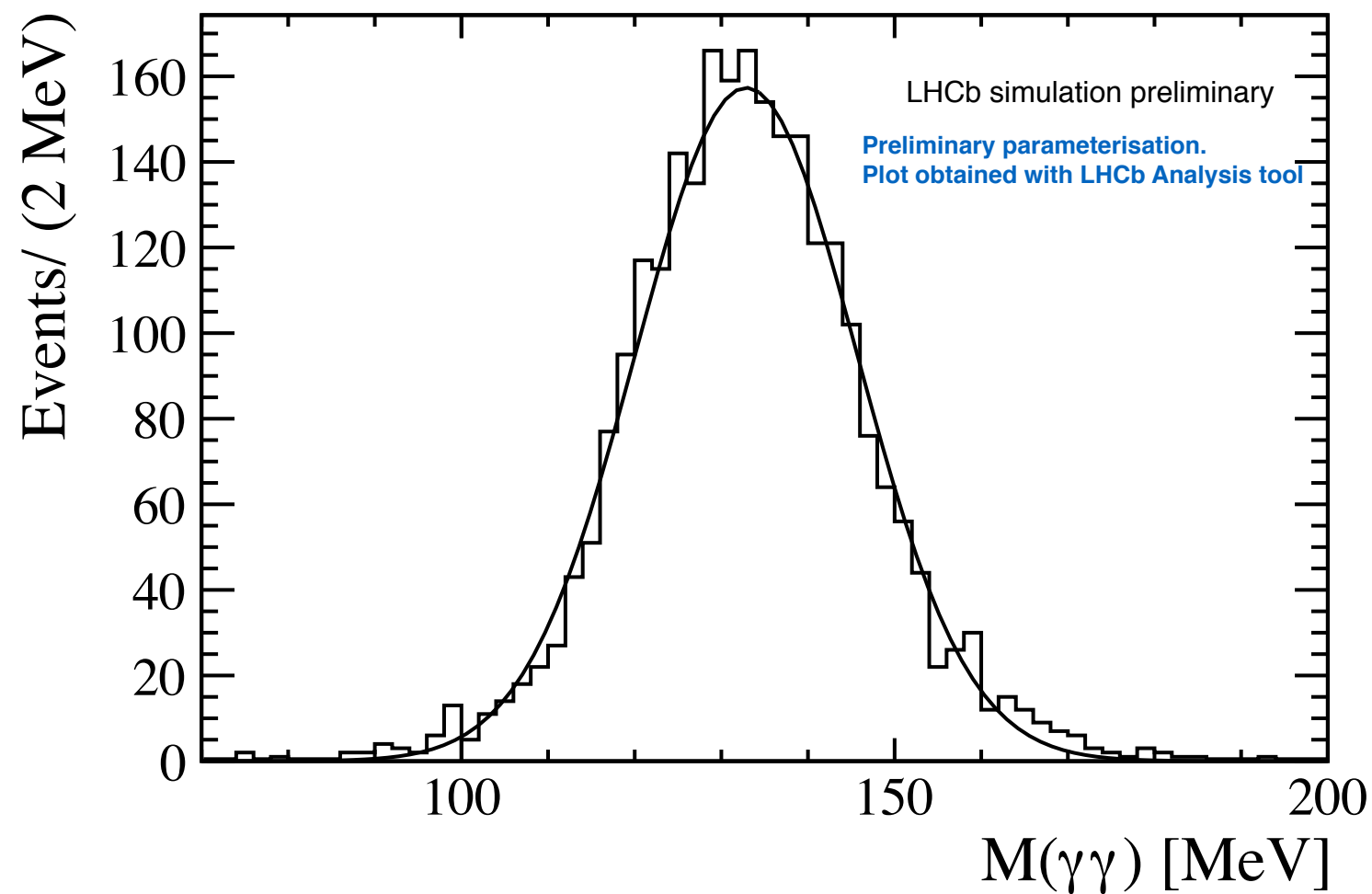
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- Building the ProtoParticle:
  - Covariance matrix of the calo cluster (E, X, Y)
  - Z position of the calorimeter cluster (measure of the shower)
  - All CaloCellIDs for every tower (built from position)
  - CaloDigit (CellID + energy of the cell)
  - The calo cluster itself (collection of digits + z position)
  - PID hypothesis (start PID as only photon, will be updated later)
- Next steps are the generalization of the Moliere radii to an ellipse and include the calorimeter parameterisation for charged particles



# Status of the Calorimeter parameterisation

- Using the standard Analysis tools of the LHCb it is possible to reconstruct the  $\pi^0$  peak from the  $\gamma\gamma$  invariant mass



# Conclusions

- Fast simulations are crucial in LHC experiments to cope with the large amount of Monte Carlo statistics needed in the future
- Delphes has been integrated within the LHCb simulation framework Gauss
- Delphes has been extended for LHCb with:
  - A simple propagator for propagating particles inside the LHCb acceptance and magnetic field;
  - Particle efficiencies and resolution smearing according to the LHCb full simulation
  - Parametric calorimeter response for neutral particles
- A complete analysis chain has been exercised and Delphes output could be used for physics analysis
- Aim to be 100 times faster than the full standard simulation based on GEANT4



**Thank you**