

# Efficiency and Bias Study

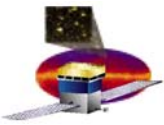
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Look at trigger and recon efficiencies as a function of angle and energy.  
Study angle bias in the reconstruction.

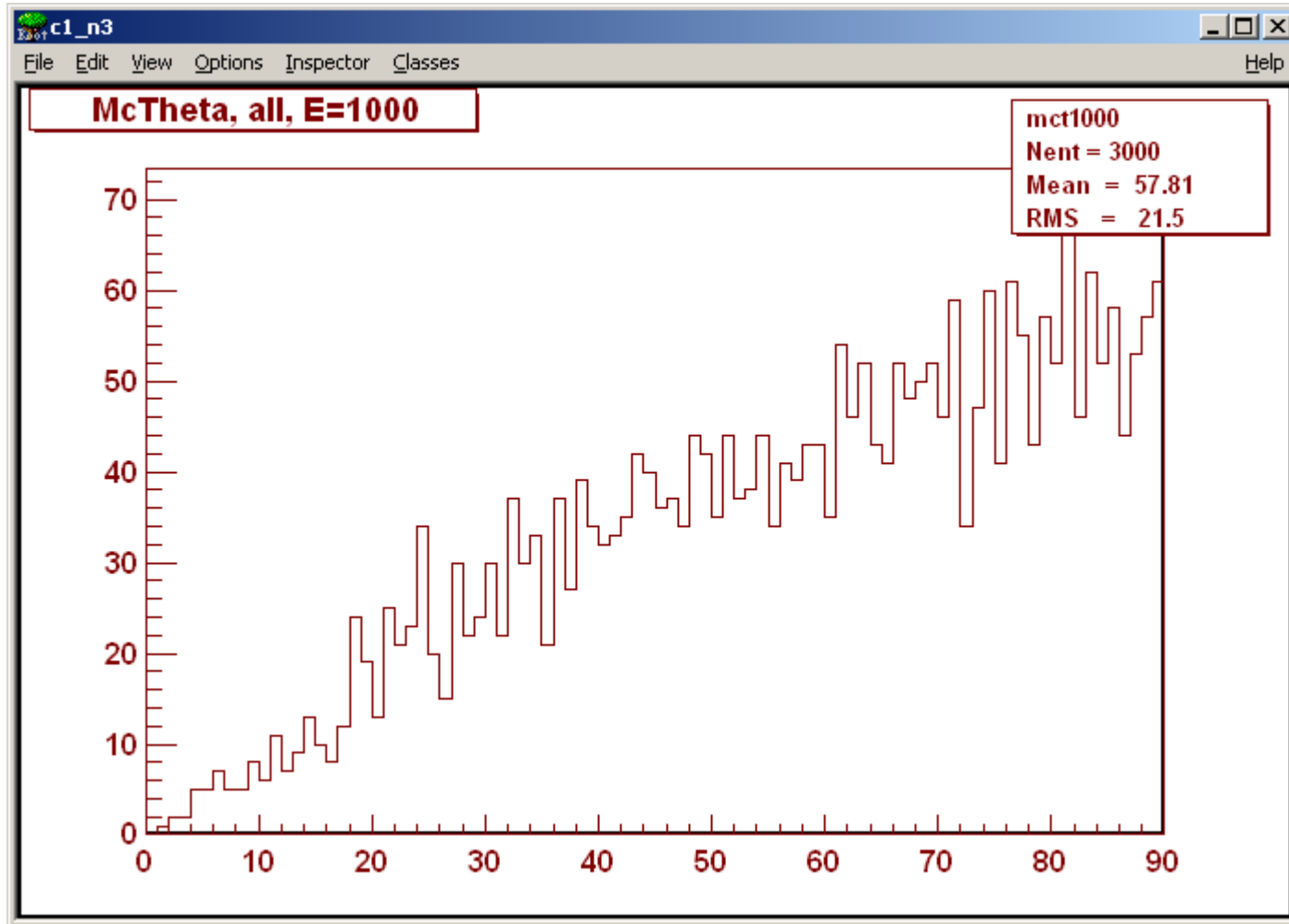
Sample: Generated over a  $18 \times 18$  cm<sup>2</sup> patch, angles from 0° to 90°, at energies between 20 MeV and 2 GeV.

- Charged particles: electrons at lower energies, muons at higher energies
- Gammas

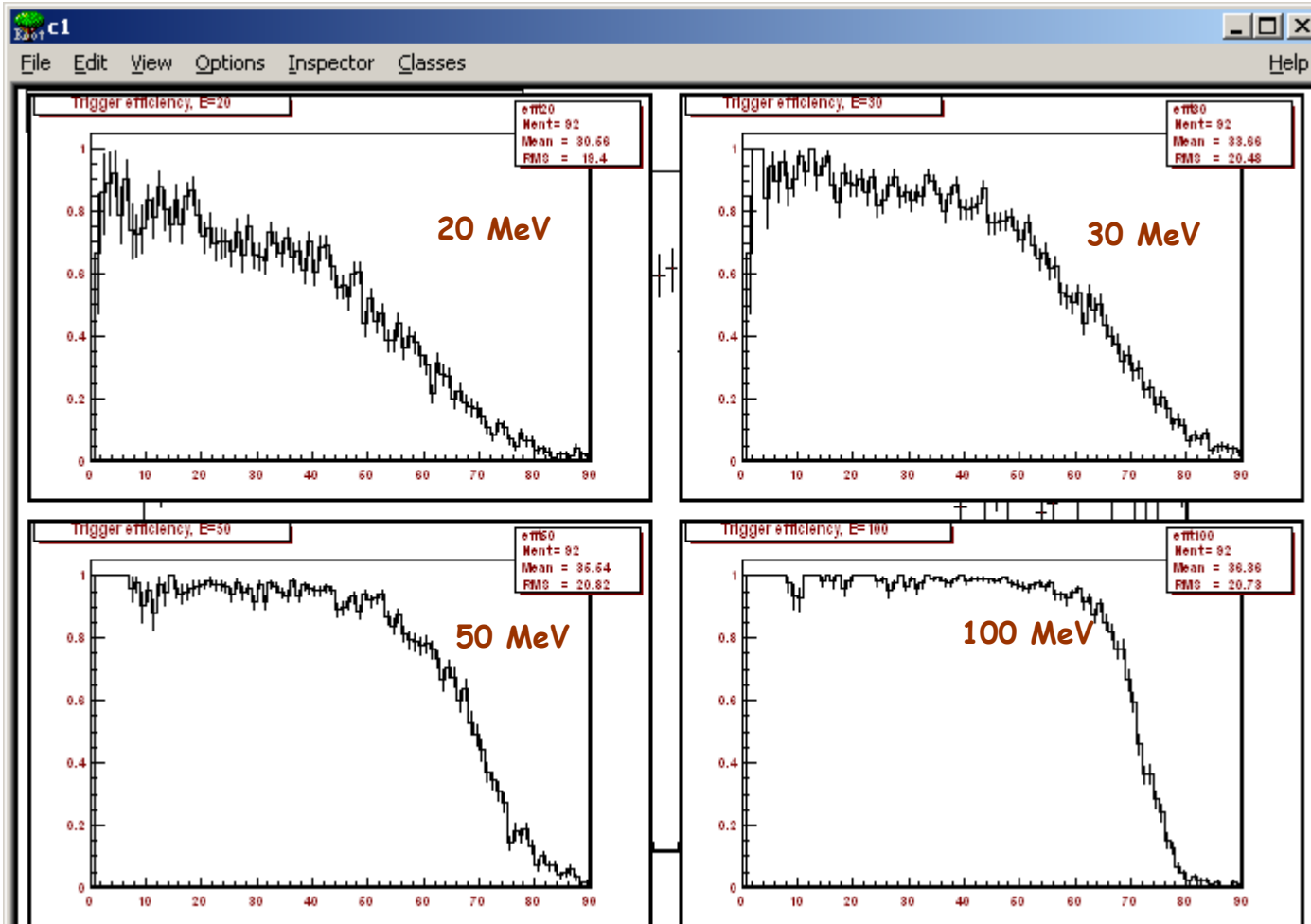
Plus... an excursion into energy measurement...



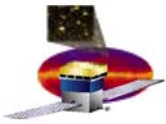
# Distribution of MC particles



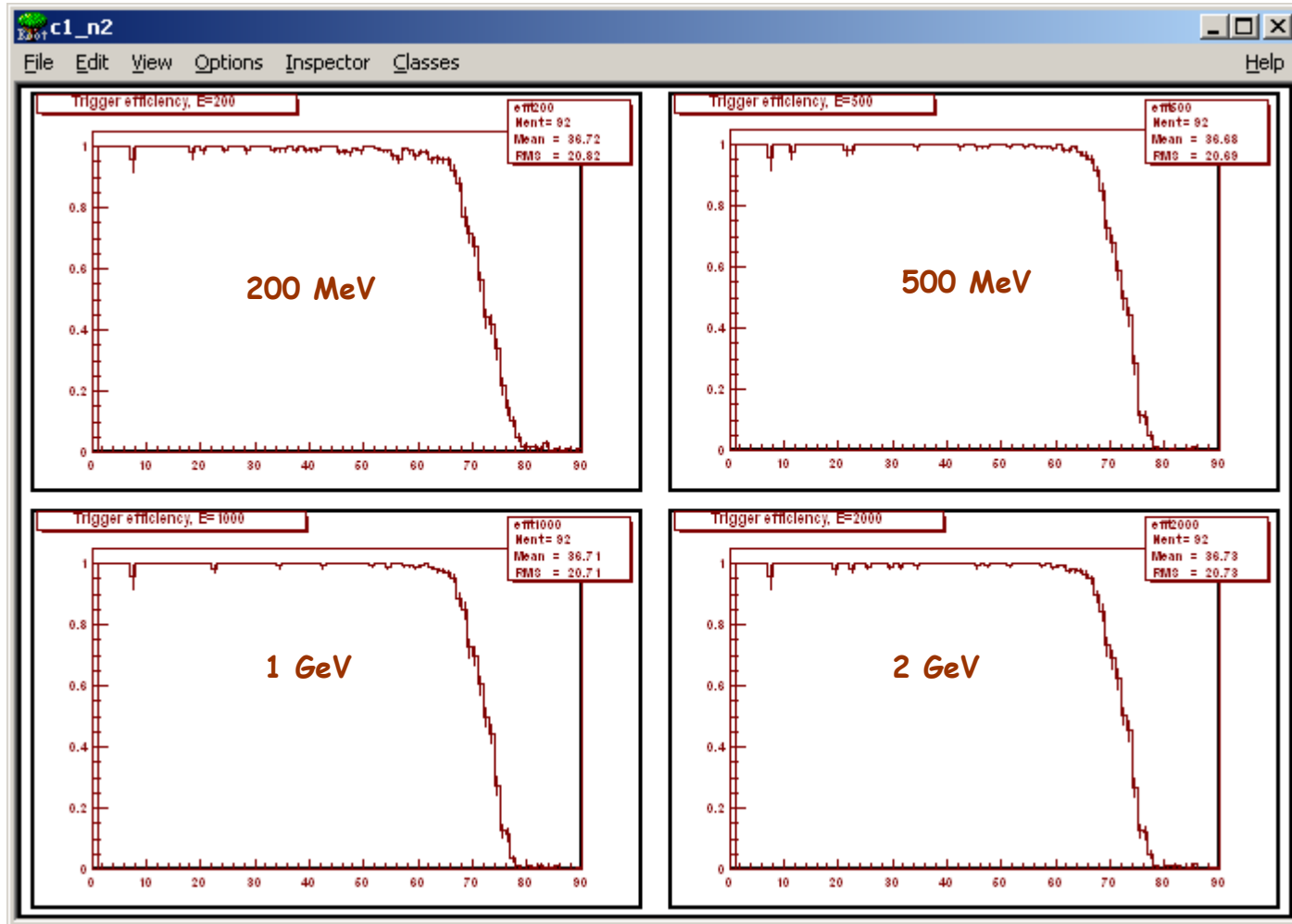
# Trigger Efficiency, Charged Particles

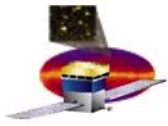


3-in-a-row trigger

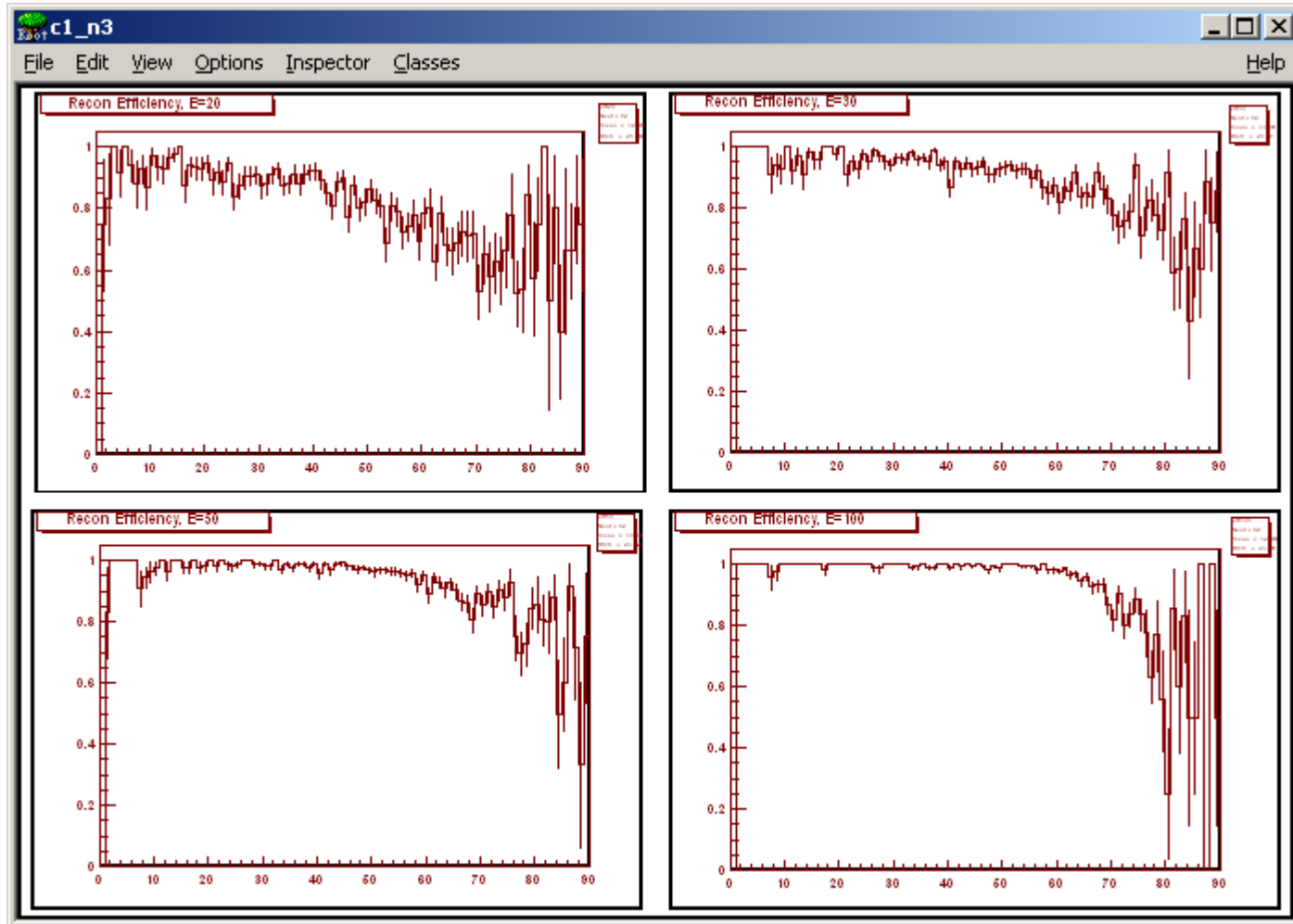


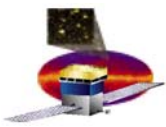
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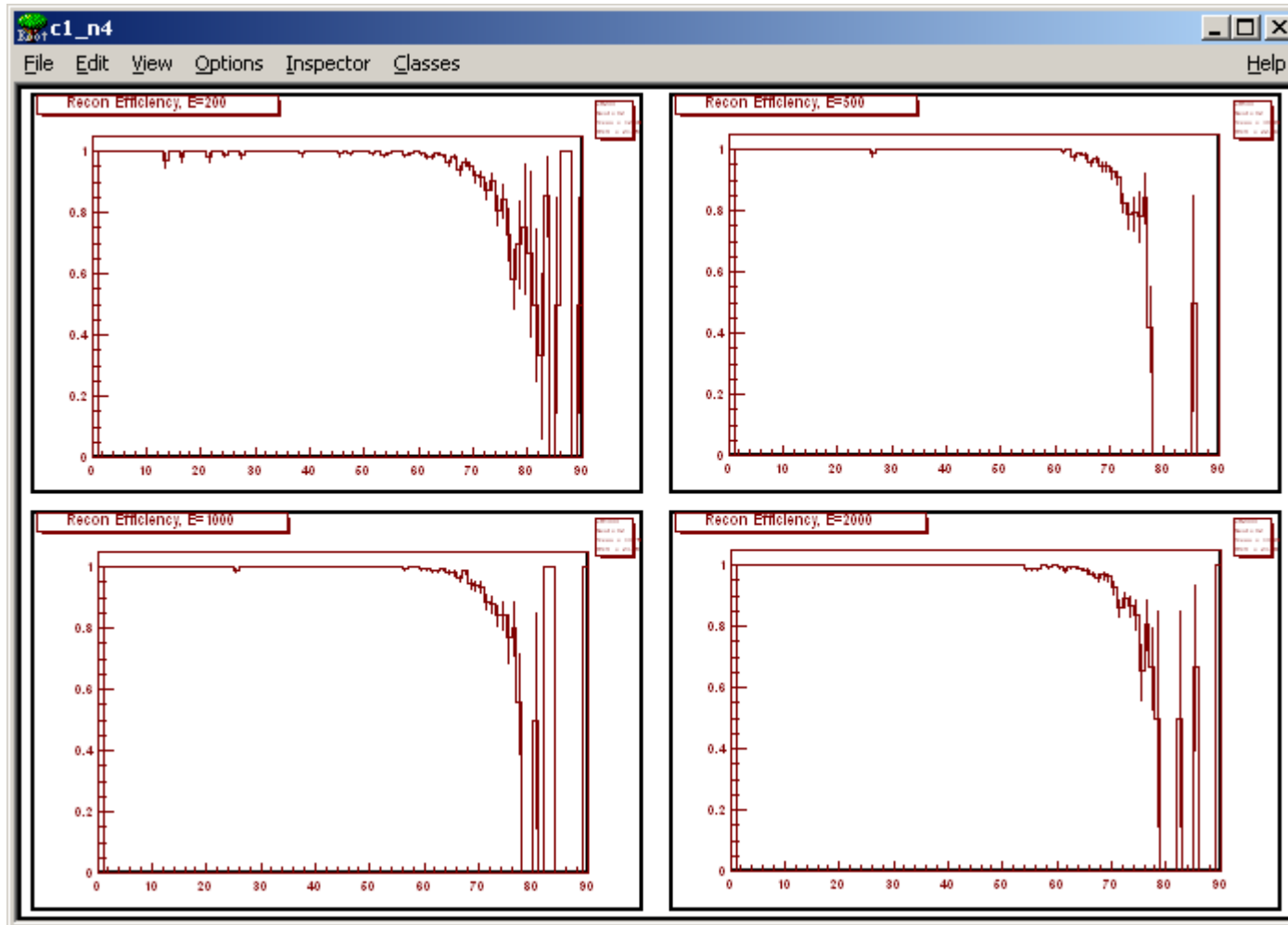


# Recon Efficiency, Charged Particles

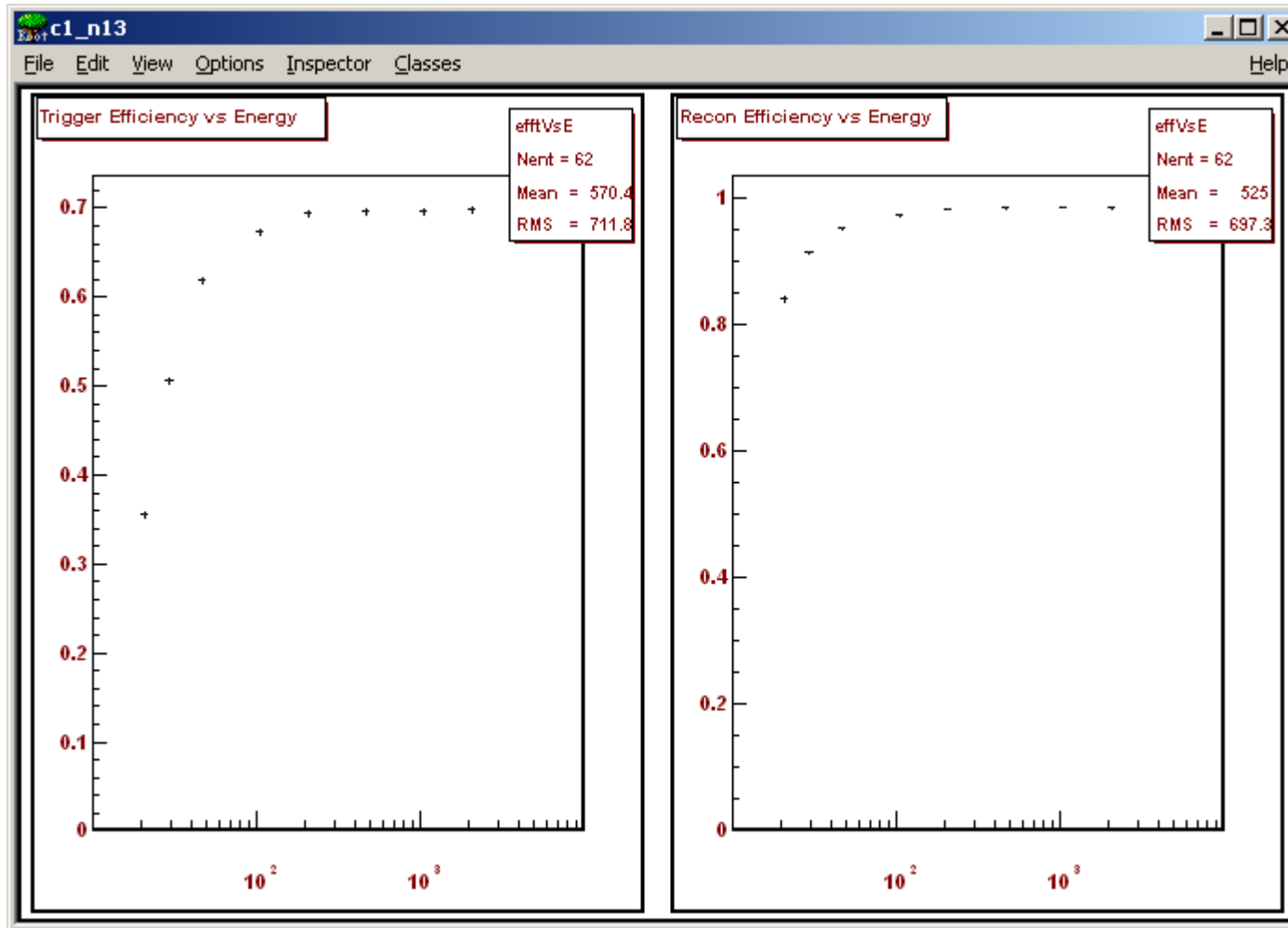


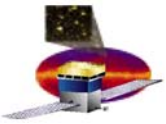


# Recon Efficiency, Continued



# Summary of Trigger and Recon Efficiencies





# Angle Bias in the Events

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Two possible sources of bias:

**Reconstruction: Difference between:**

- Angle as seen in detector (taken to be defined by first two hits in each plane)
- Angle as reconstructed

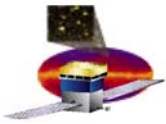
This could be due to asymmetries coming from the algorithm, notably: the multiple scattering is symmetric in  $\theta$ , but the filter uses the slope, or  $\tan(\theta)$ .

**Trigger: Difference between:**

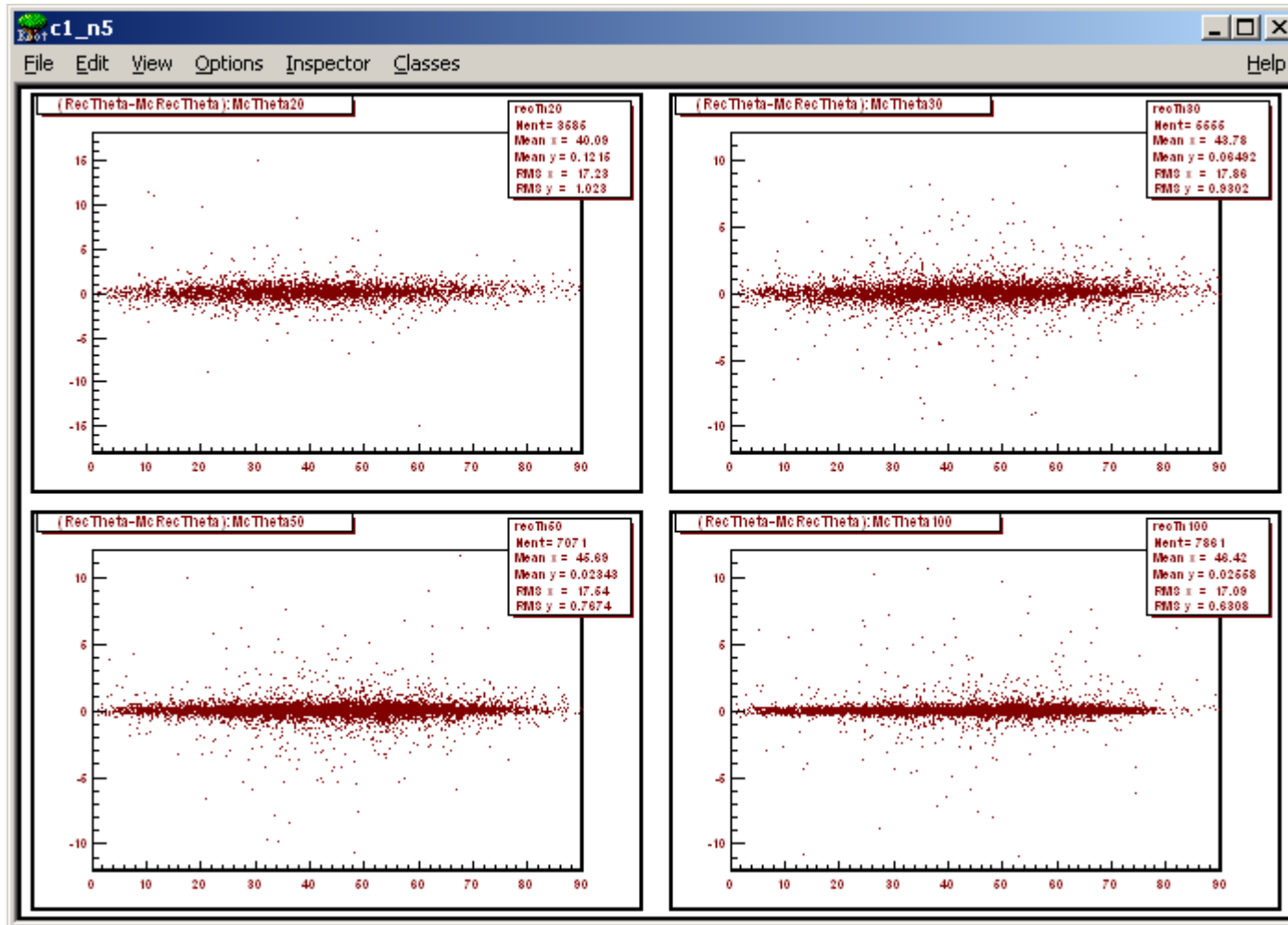
- Angle as generated
- Angle as seen in detector

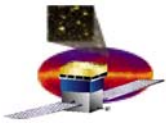
This could come from asymmetries in the trigger efficiency, coupled to the multiple scattering.



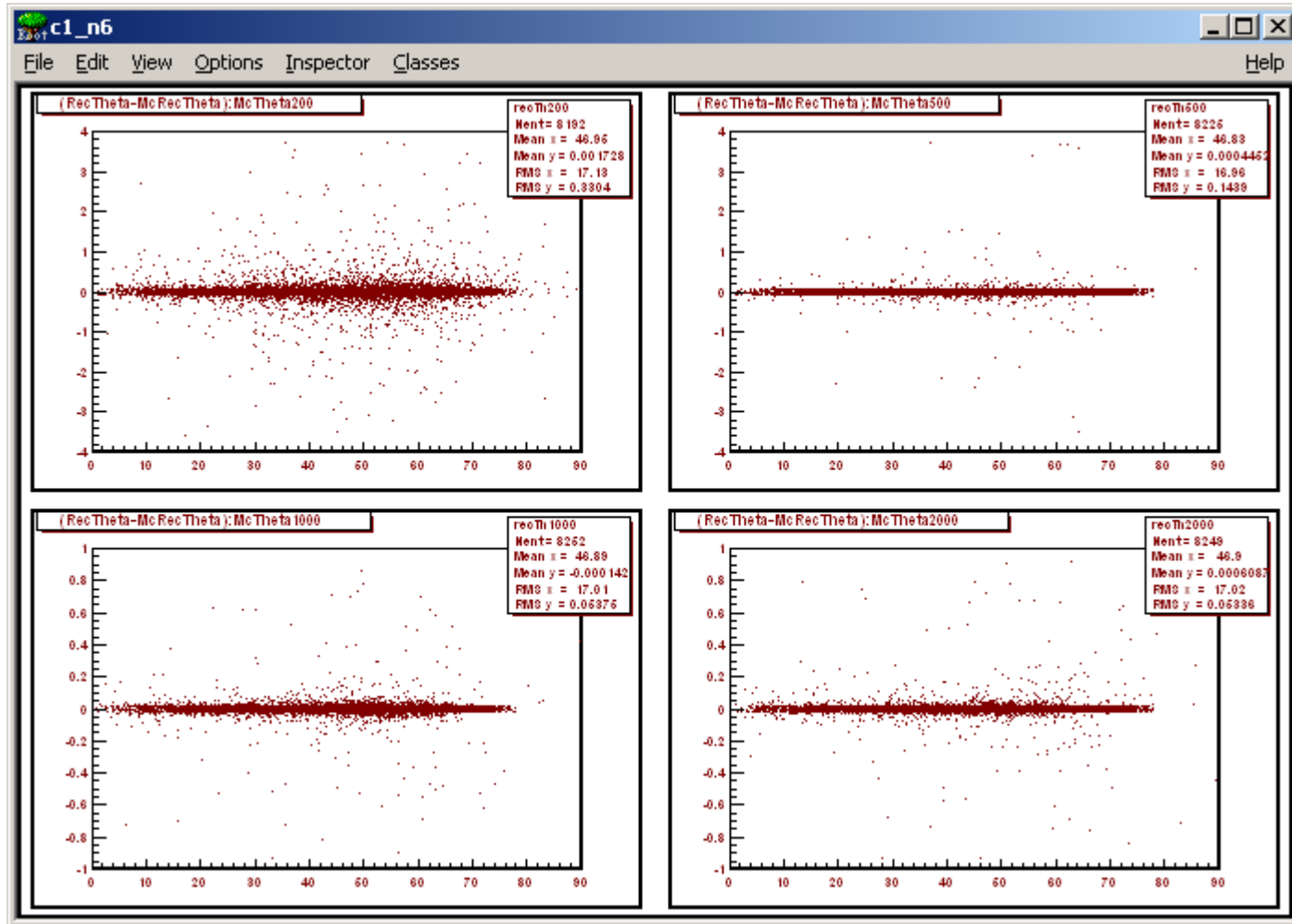


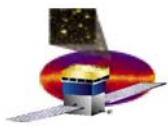
# Reconstruction Bias: ( $\Delta\theta$ vs $\theta$ )



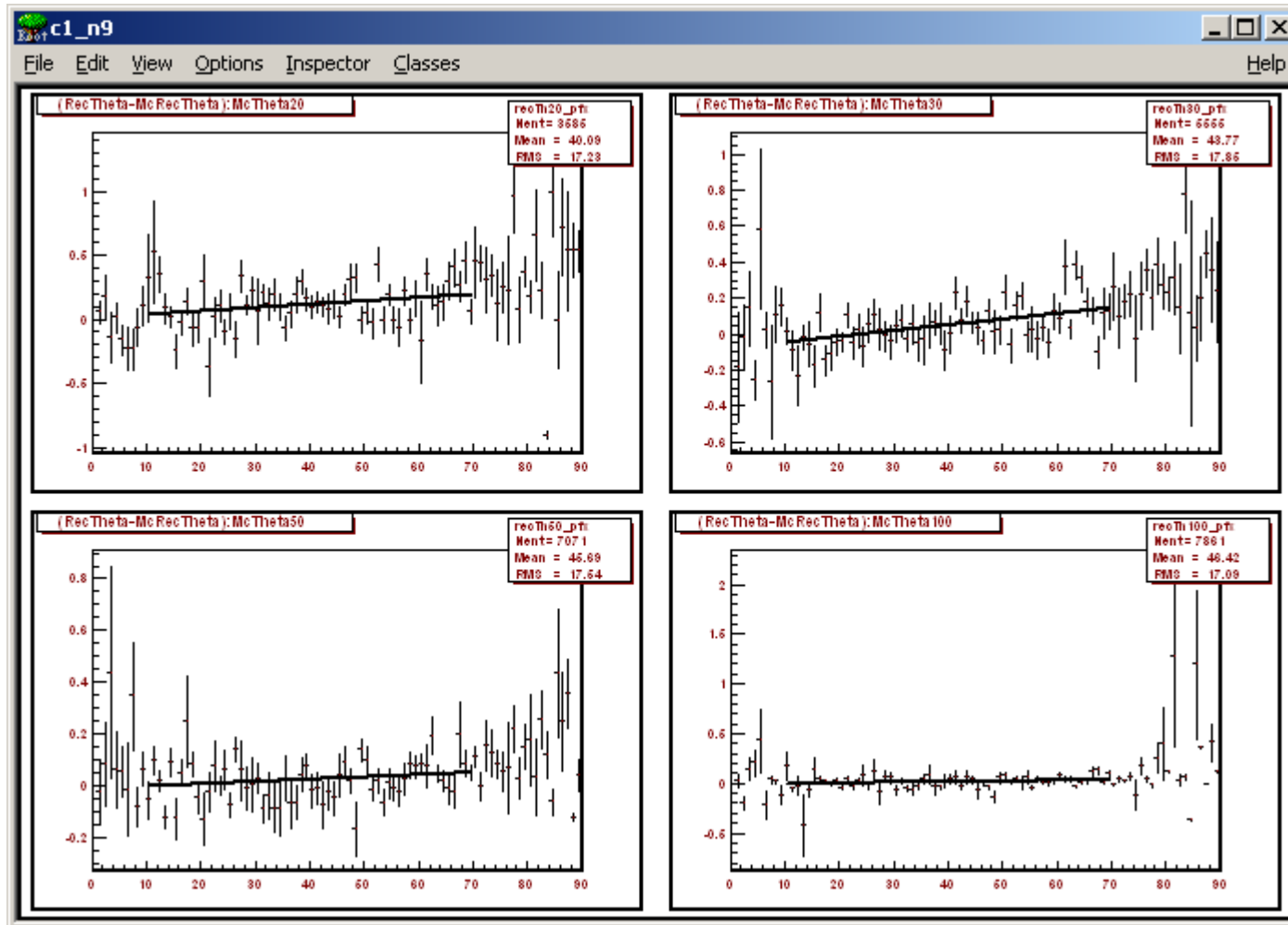


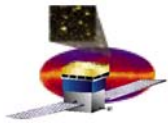
# Reconstruction Bias, Continued



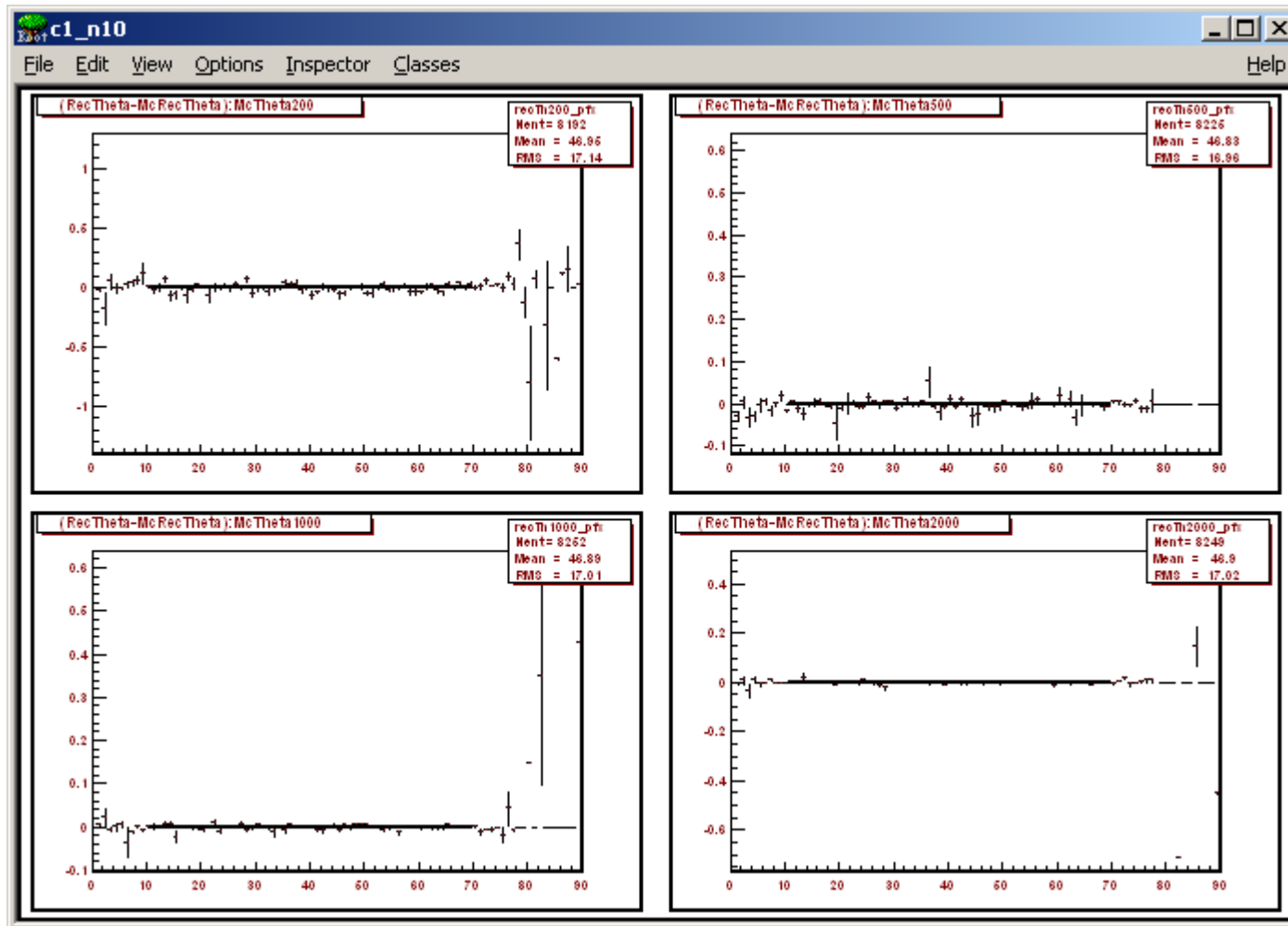


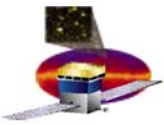
# Profiles



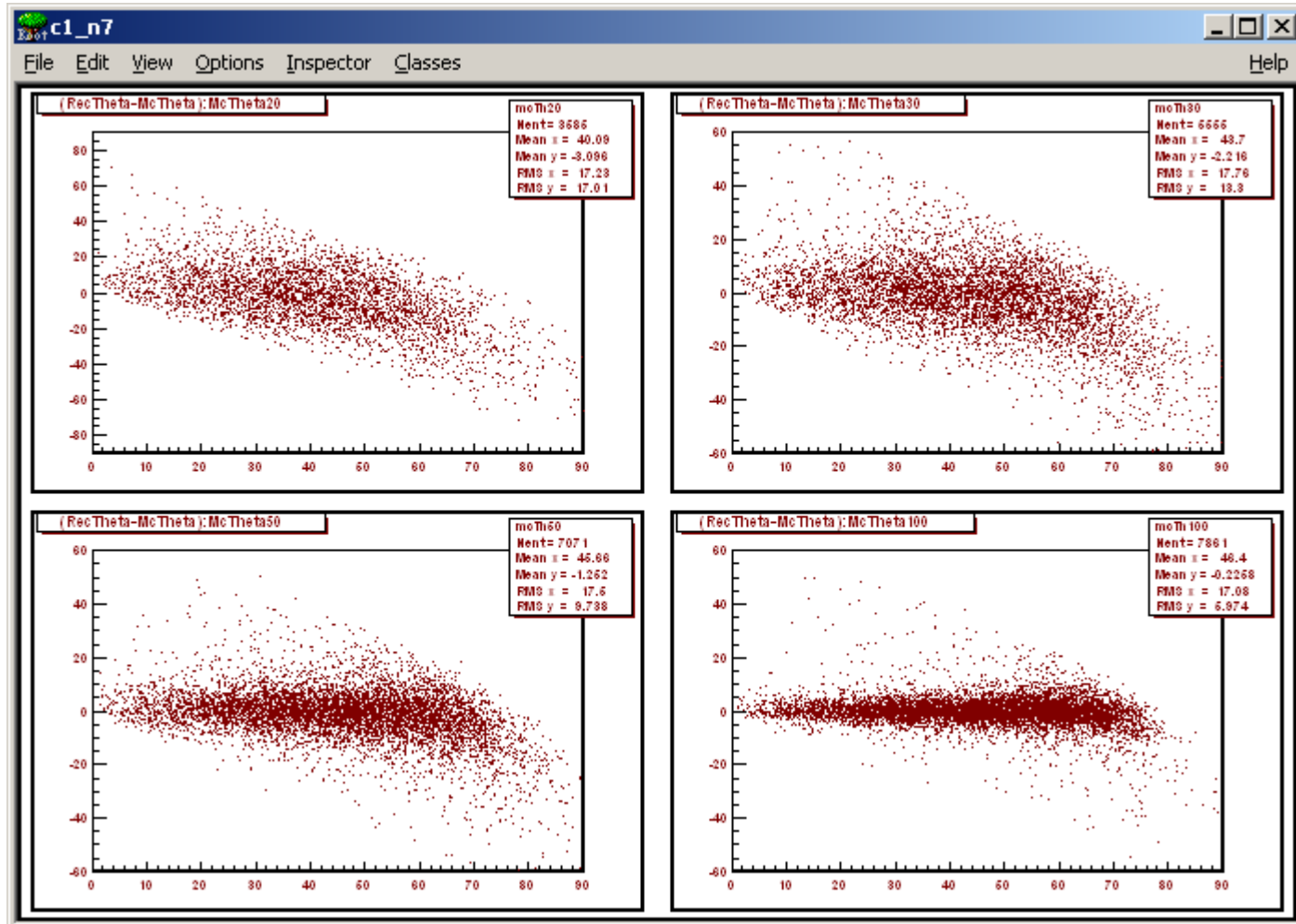


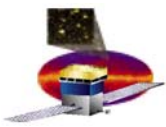
# Profiles, continued



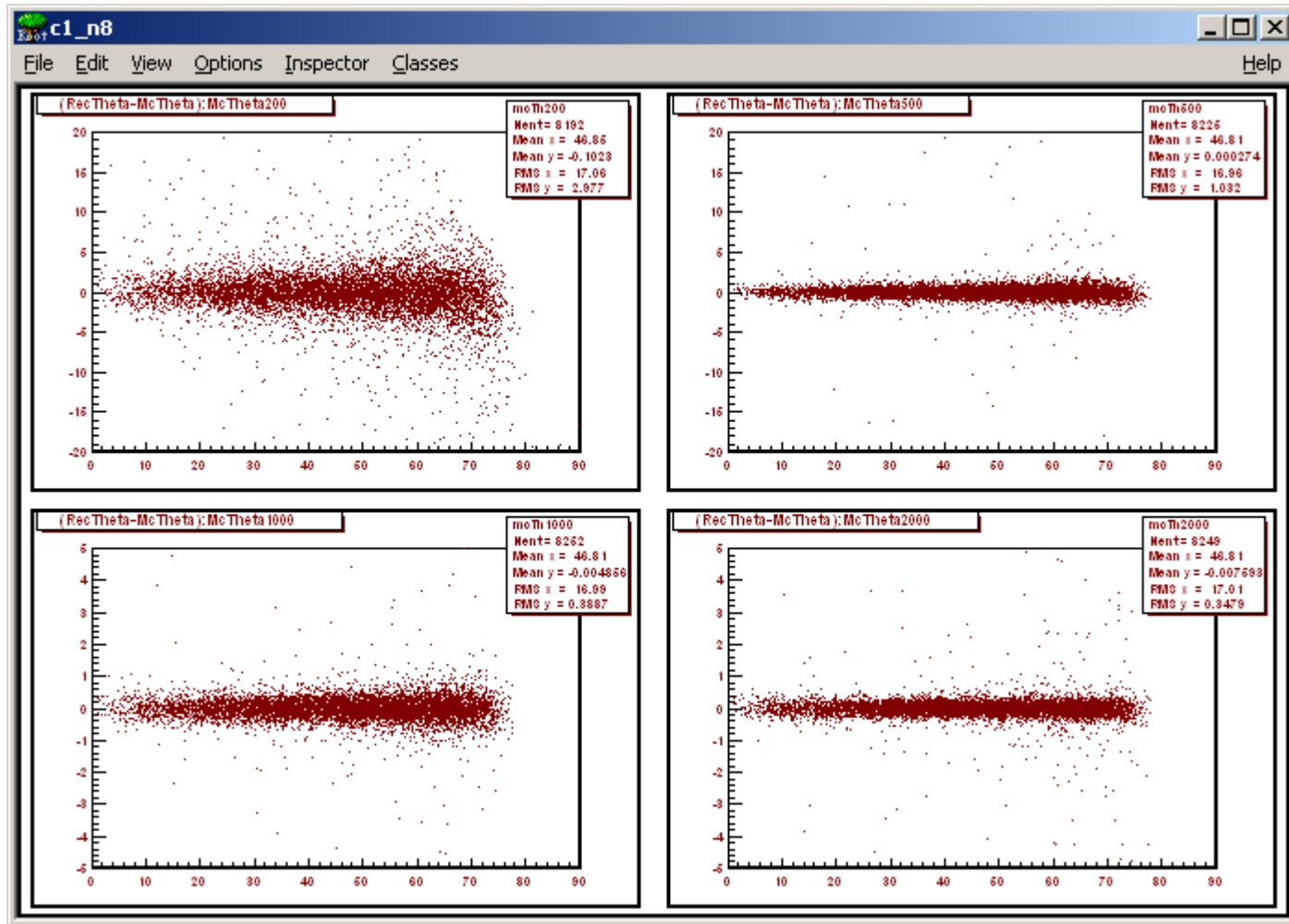


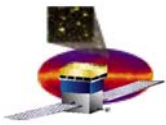
# Trigger Bias : ( $\Delta\theta$ vs $\theta$ )



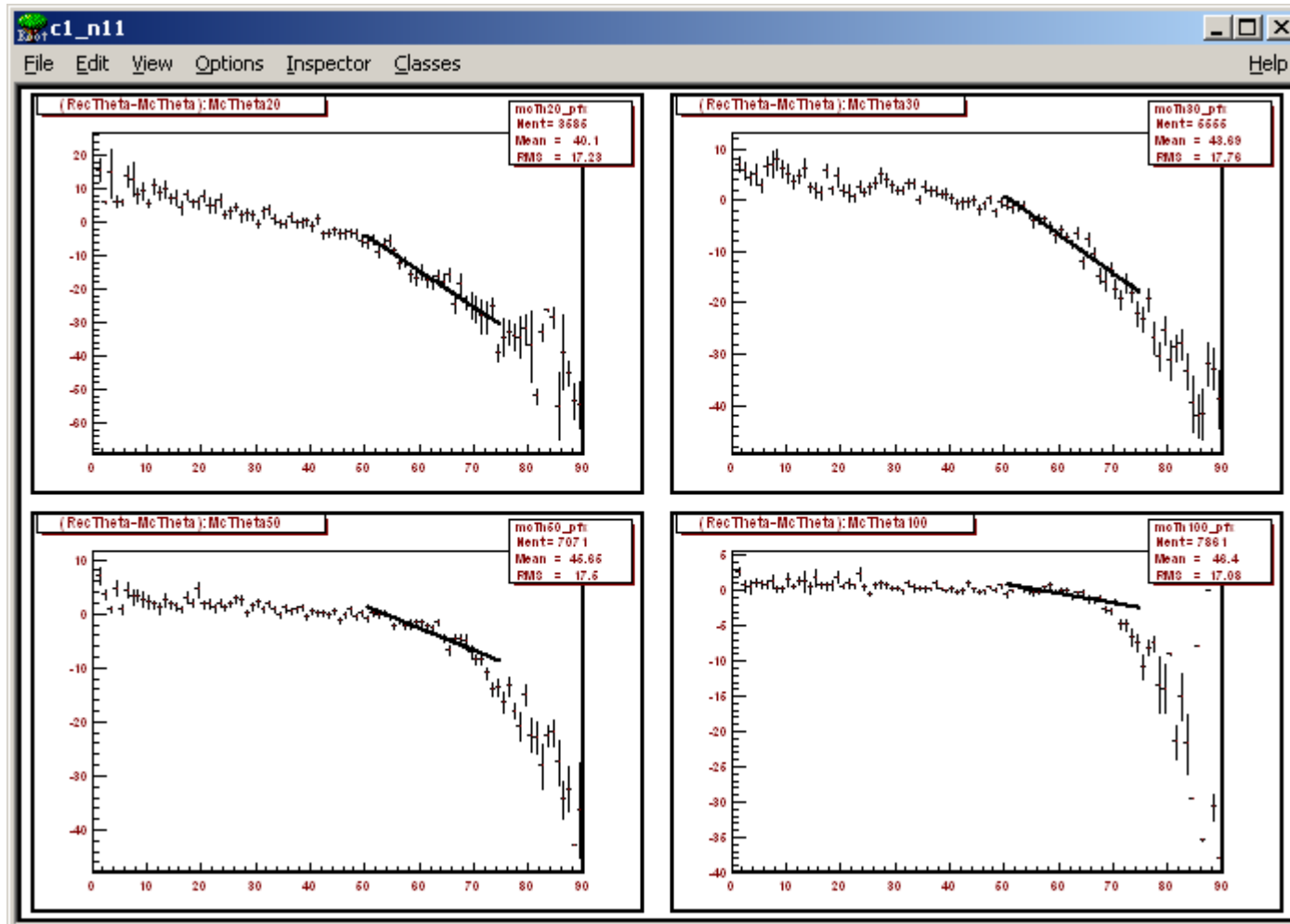


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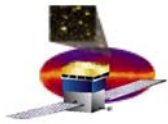


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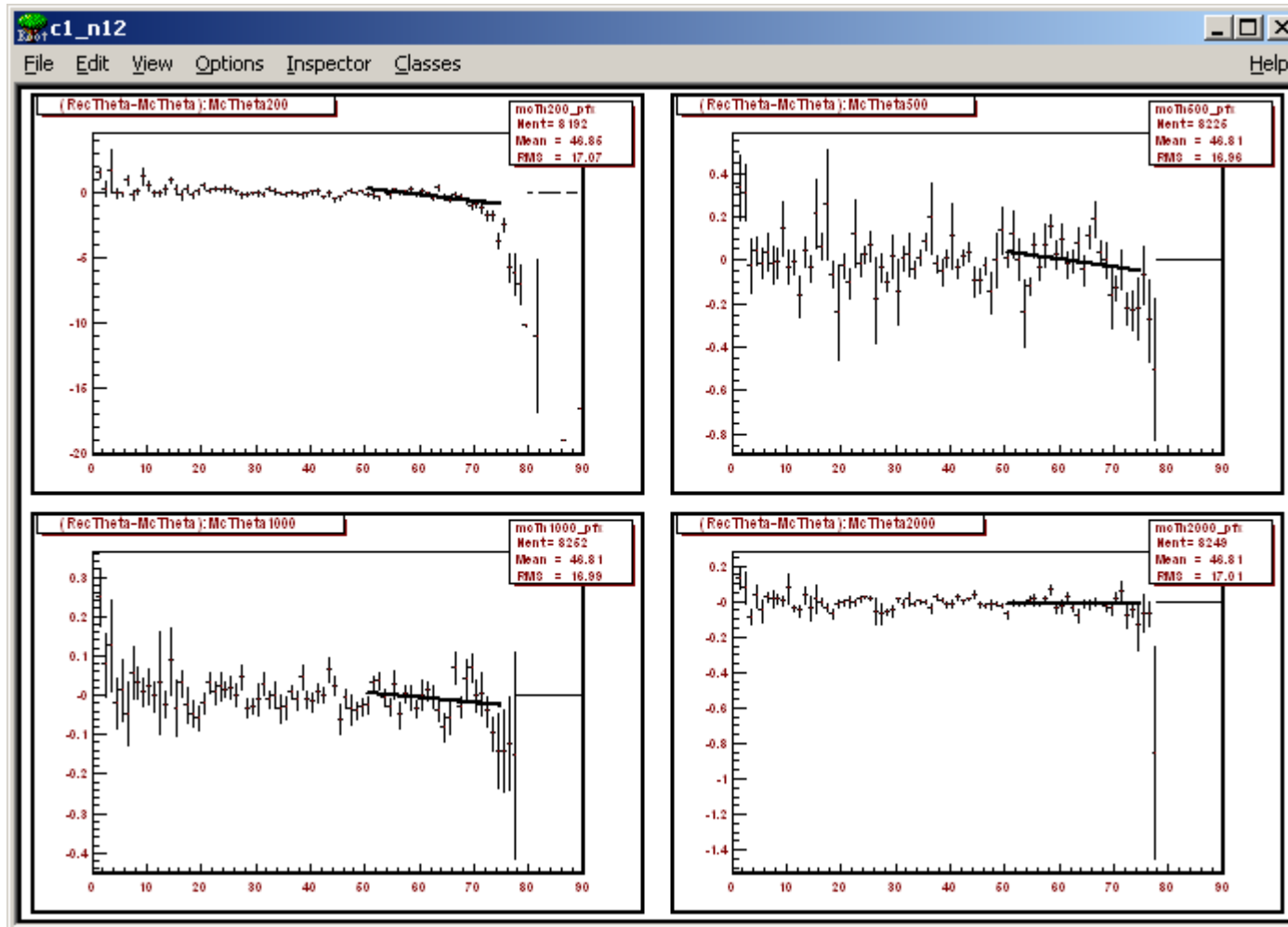


Note  
scale!

“Fits” are not significant, just to guide the eye...  
(Effect at low angle due to choice of coordinates)



# Profiles, Continued

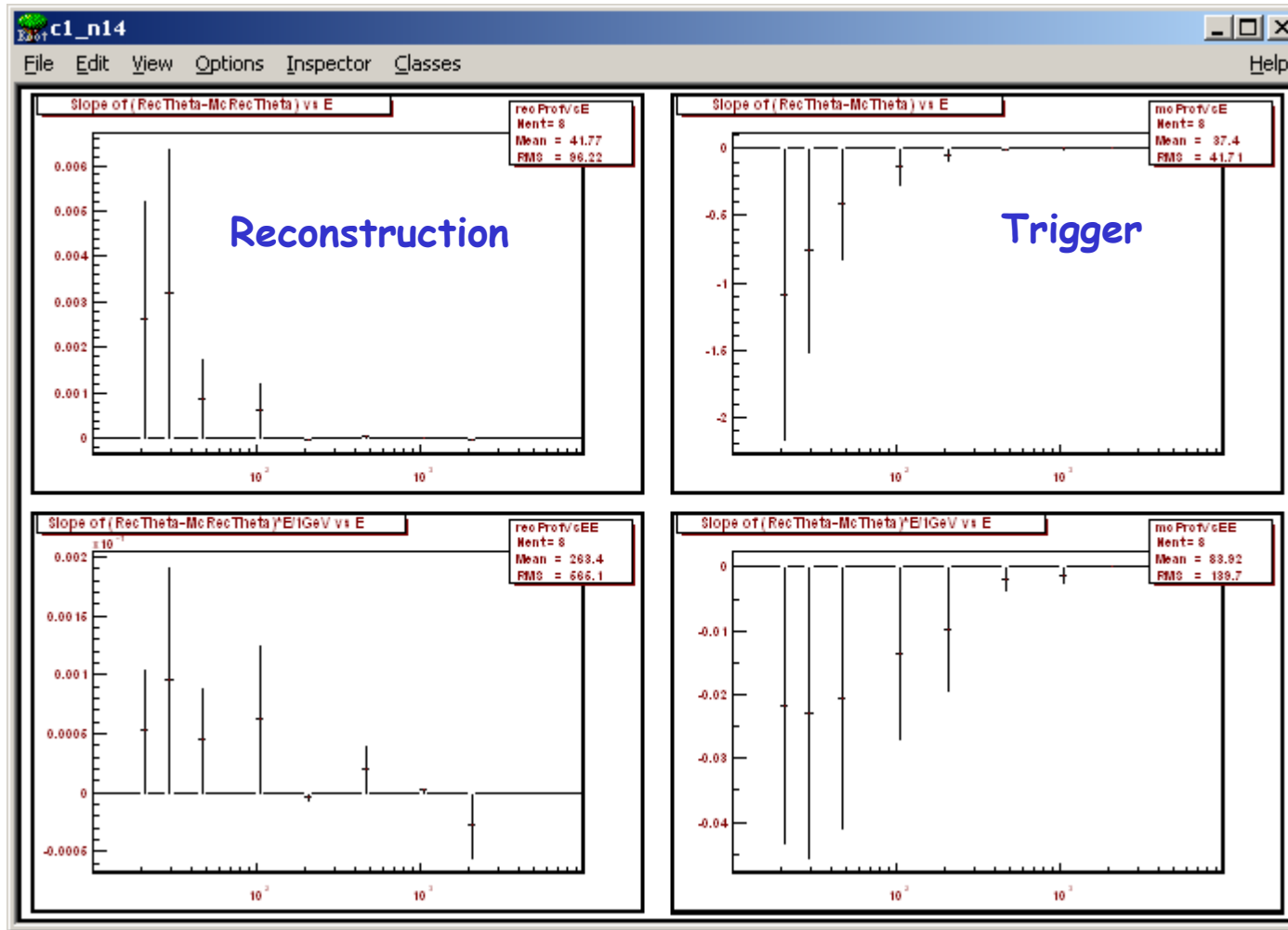


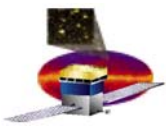


# Summary of Slopes (delta $\theta$ per incident $\theta$ )

Slope

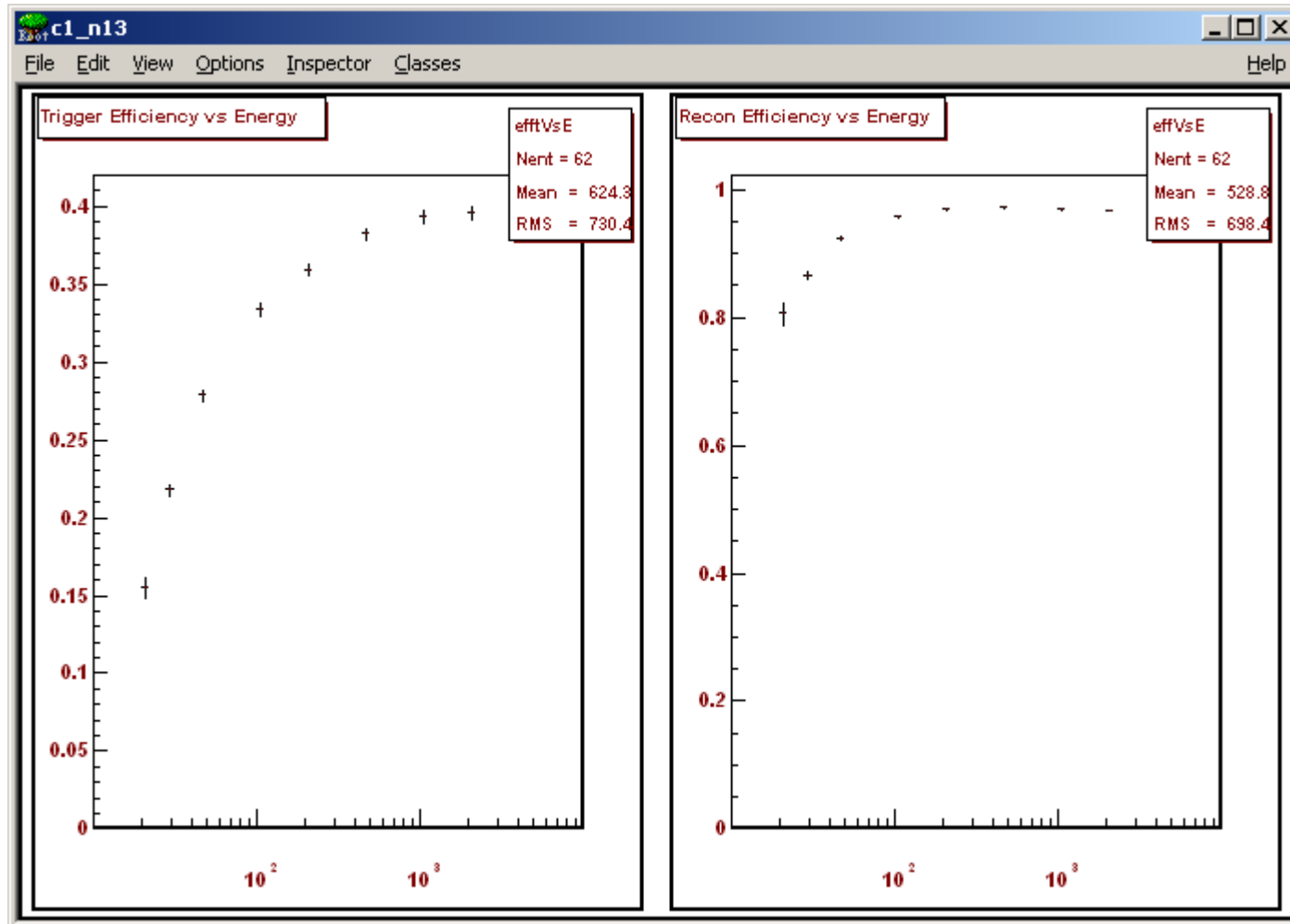
Slope\*E



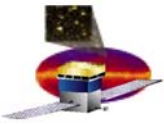


# Same for Gammas: Efficiencies

Includes single track events



Gamma/charged trigger = 0.57; naïve expectation:  $1 - \exp(-7/9 * 1.32) = 0.64$

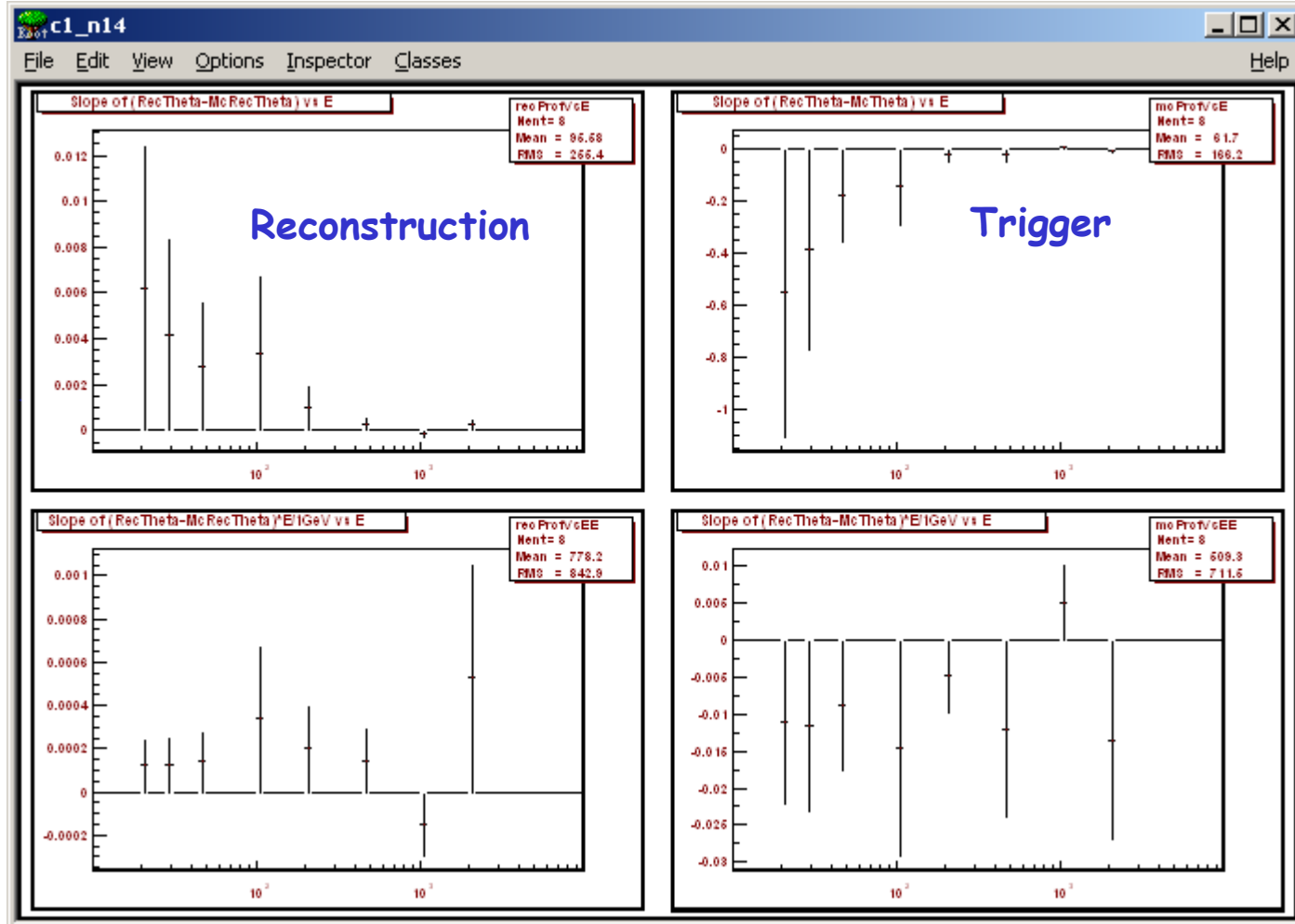


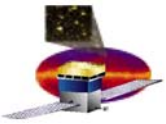
# Gammas: Angle Bias

Kludge: used "best track" to determine recon angle

Slope

Slope\*E

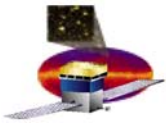




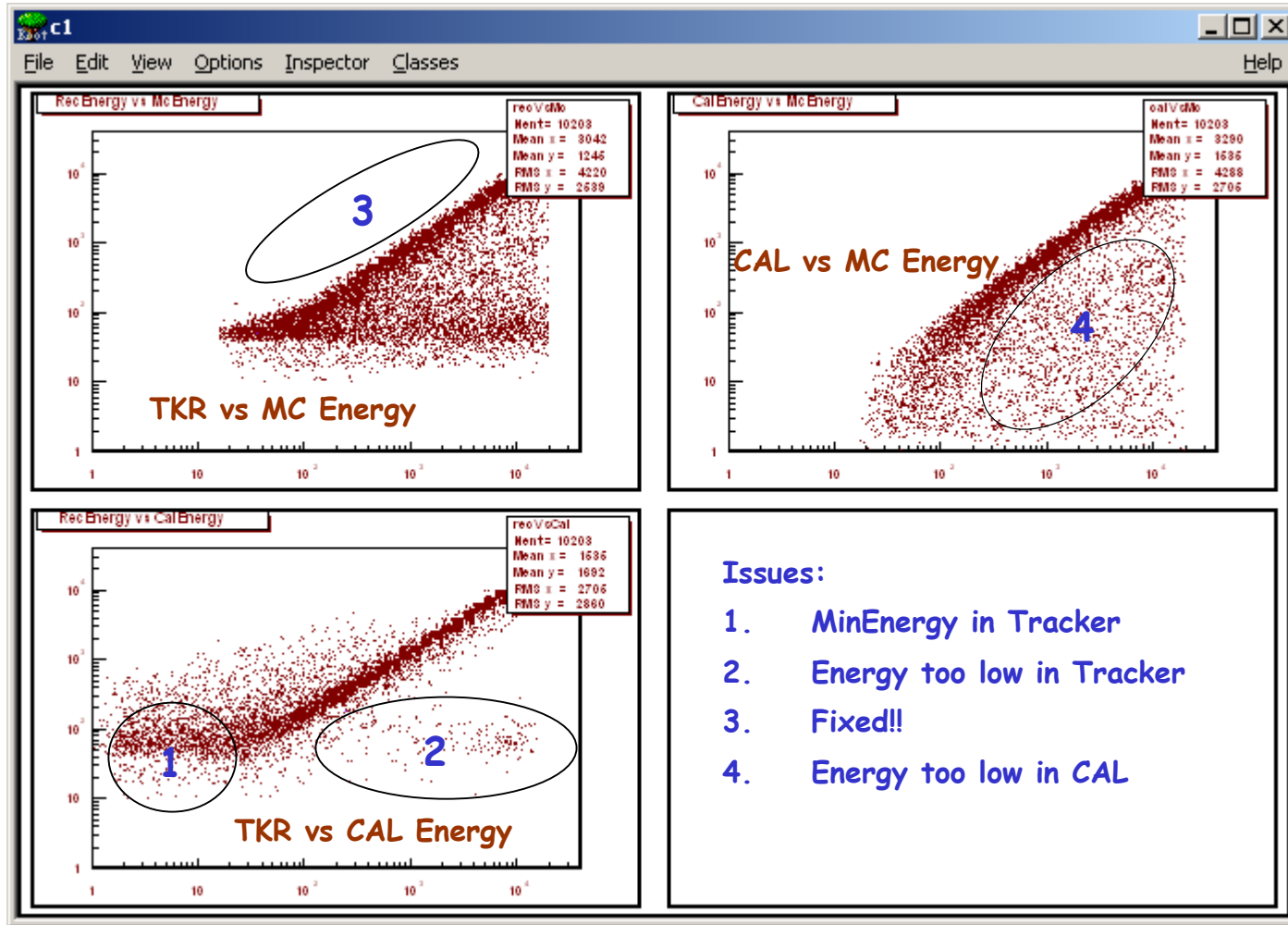
# Conclusions, So Far

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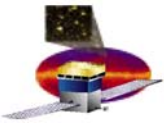
- The reconstruction of triggered tracks is faithful to the apparent angle, except for a very small positive bias, which decreases with energy and increases with incident angle.
- Tracks which scatter to smaller incident angles tend to trigger more efficiently. This introduces a substantial bias in the found angle for tracks incident at high angles and low energies
- The strategy for correcting this bias depends on knowing the energy of the track. The next slides will explore this.



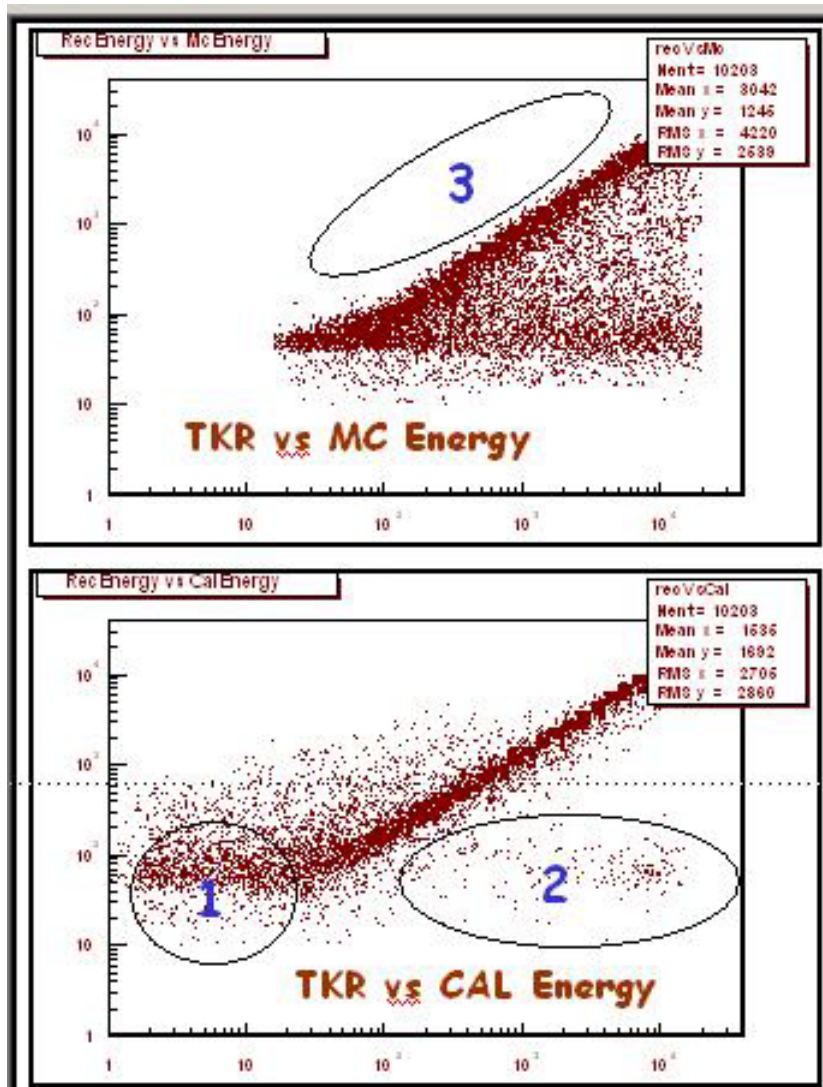
# Energy Measurement



~10000 **all\_gamma** events which trigger and reconstruct at least one track



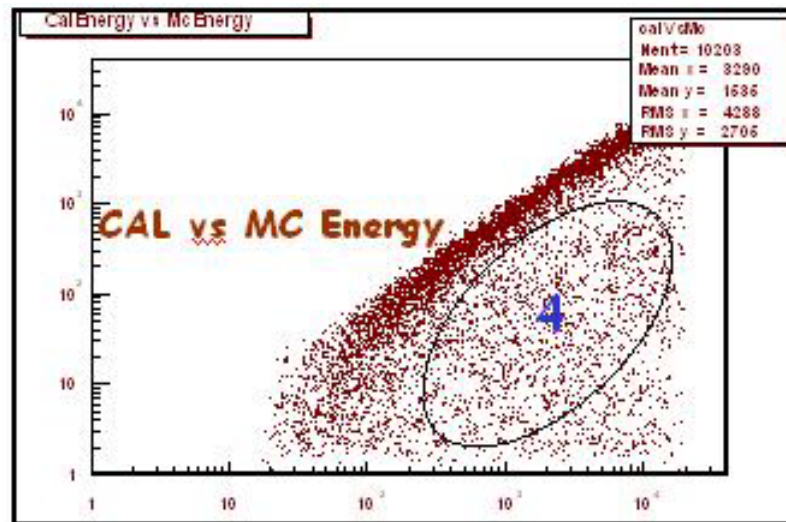
# TkrRecon Energy



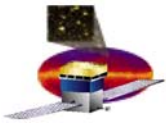
- (1) Due to the minimum energy assigned to a TKR track. Class should probably be modified to store two energies: one for purposes of Kalman, which could have a minimum, and a second, which is the "real" energy. As it stands, the Tkr Energy is too high below a real energy of ~100 MeV.
- (2) Gamma gets minimum energy, even though there is plenty of CAL energy around. ???
- (3) I had a clever explanation for this, but it was just a bug, fixed by Bill.

# Energy Measurement in the Calorimeter

## Cal Energy vs. Mc Energy

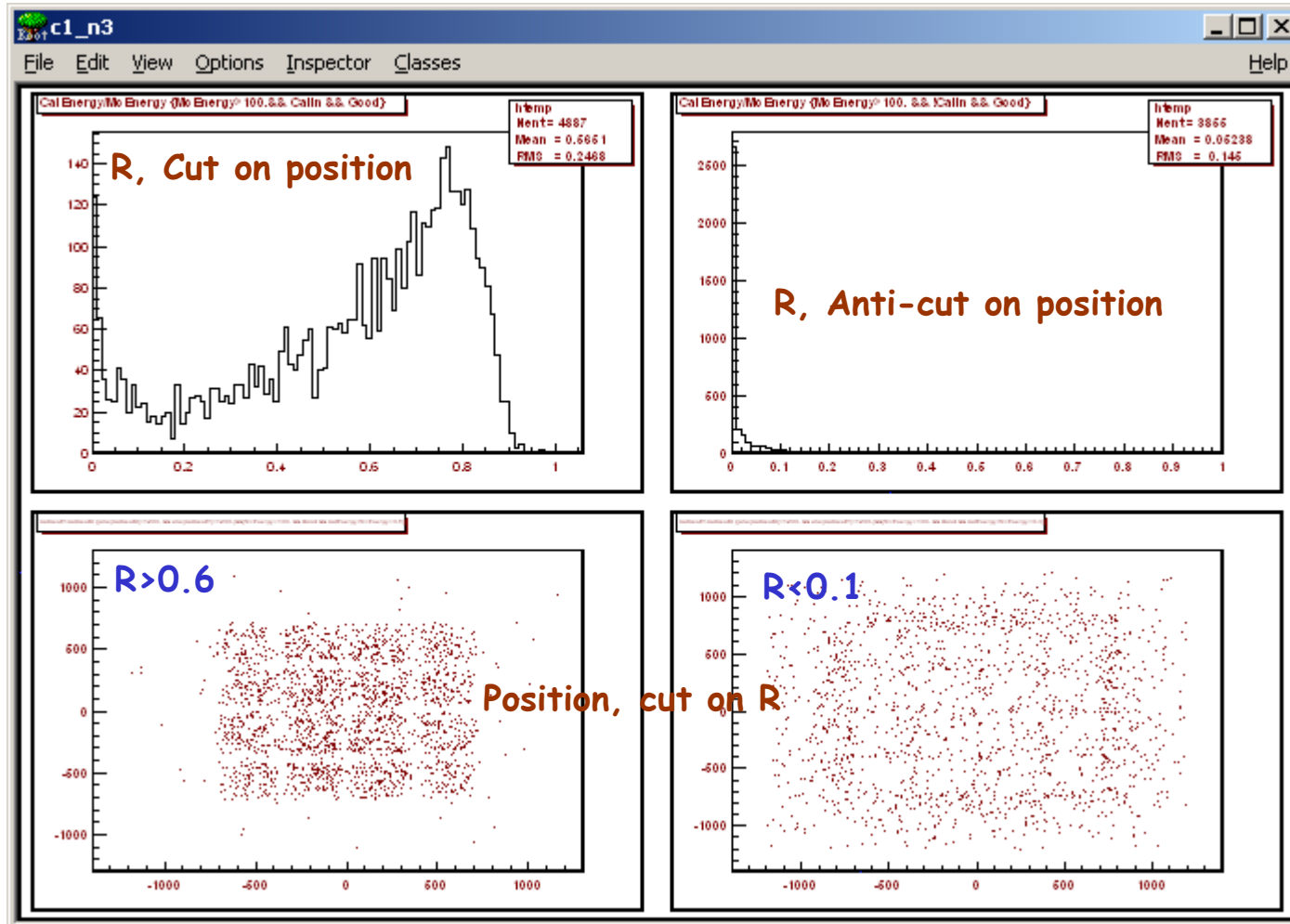


I'm going to ignore McEnergy below 100 MeV in what follows...



# Cut on Fiducial Volume in CAL

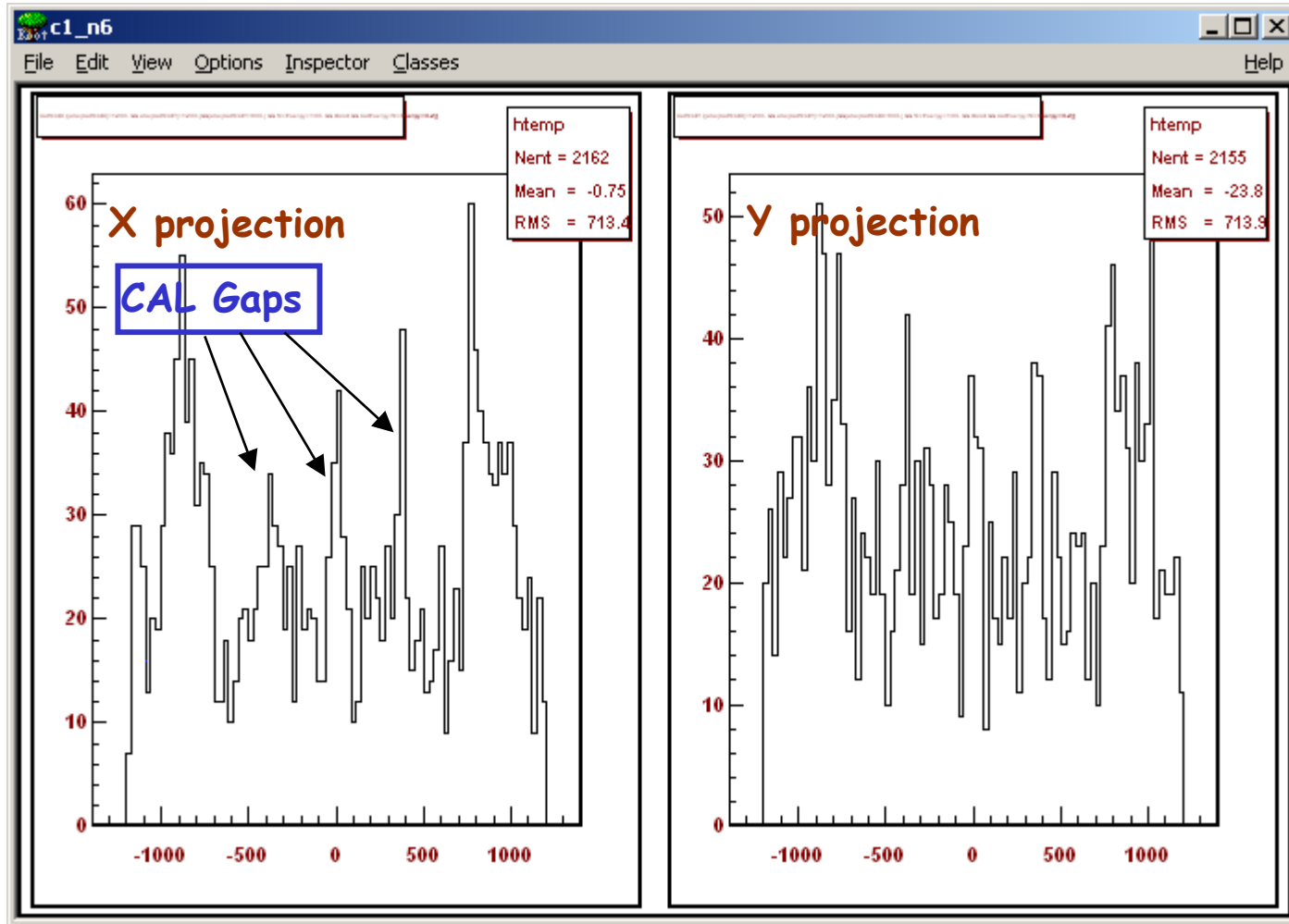
Cut: both x and y inside 710 mm at Shower Centroid

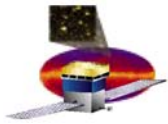


$$R = \text{CalEnergy}/\text{McEnergy}$$

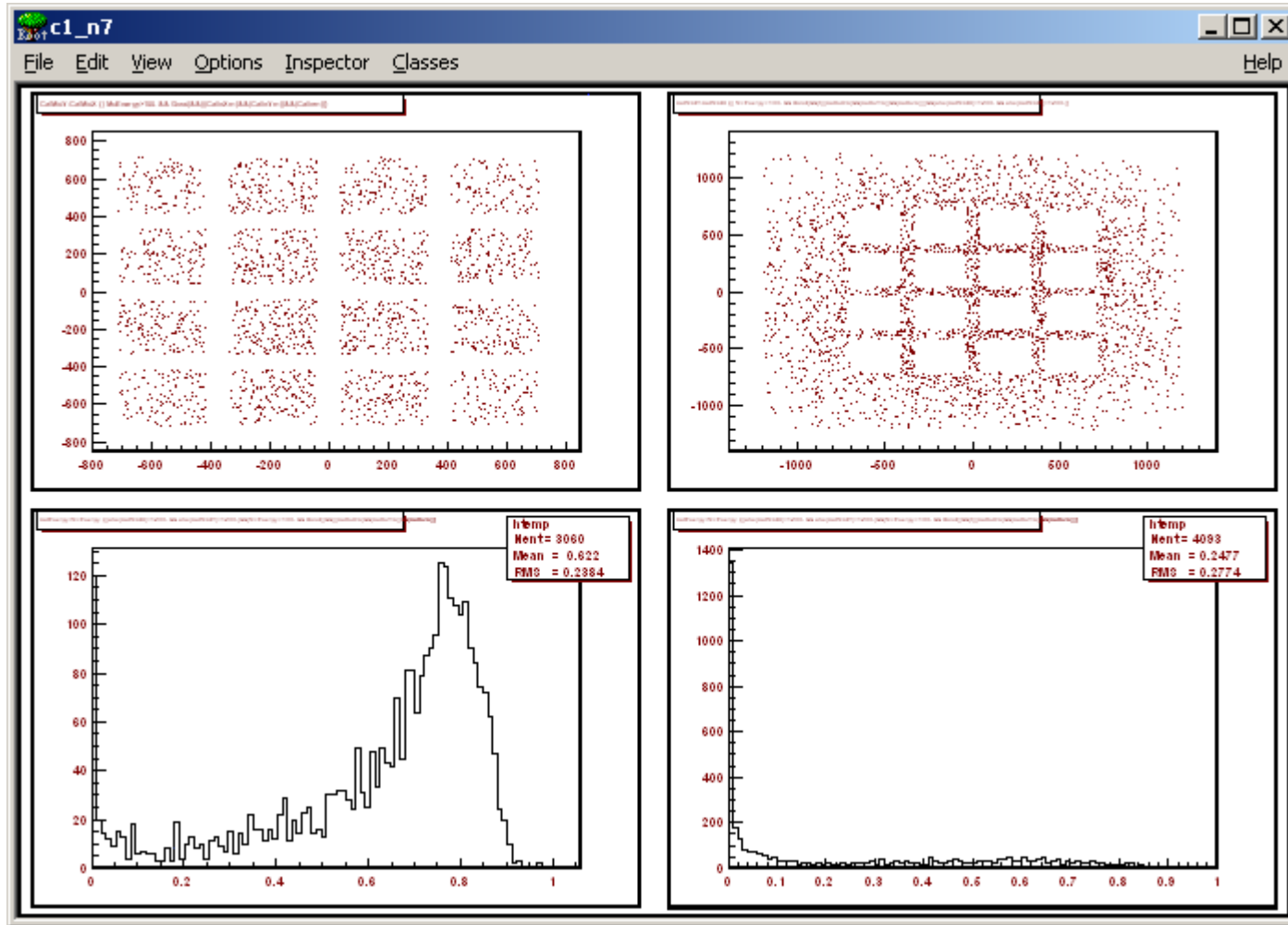


# Projections at Middle of CAL for $R < 0.3$



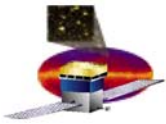


# Final Cut, including 80-mm Gaps

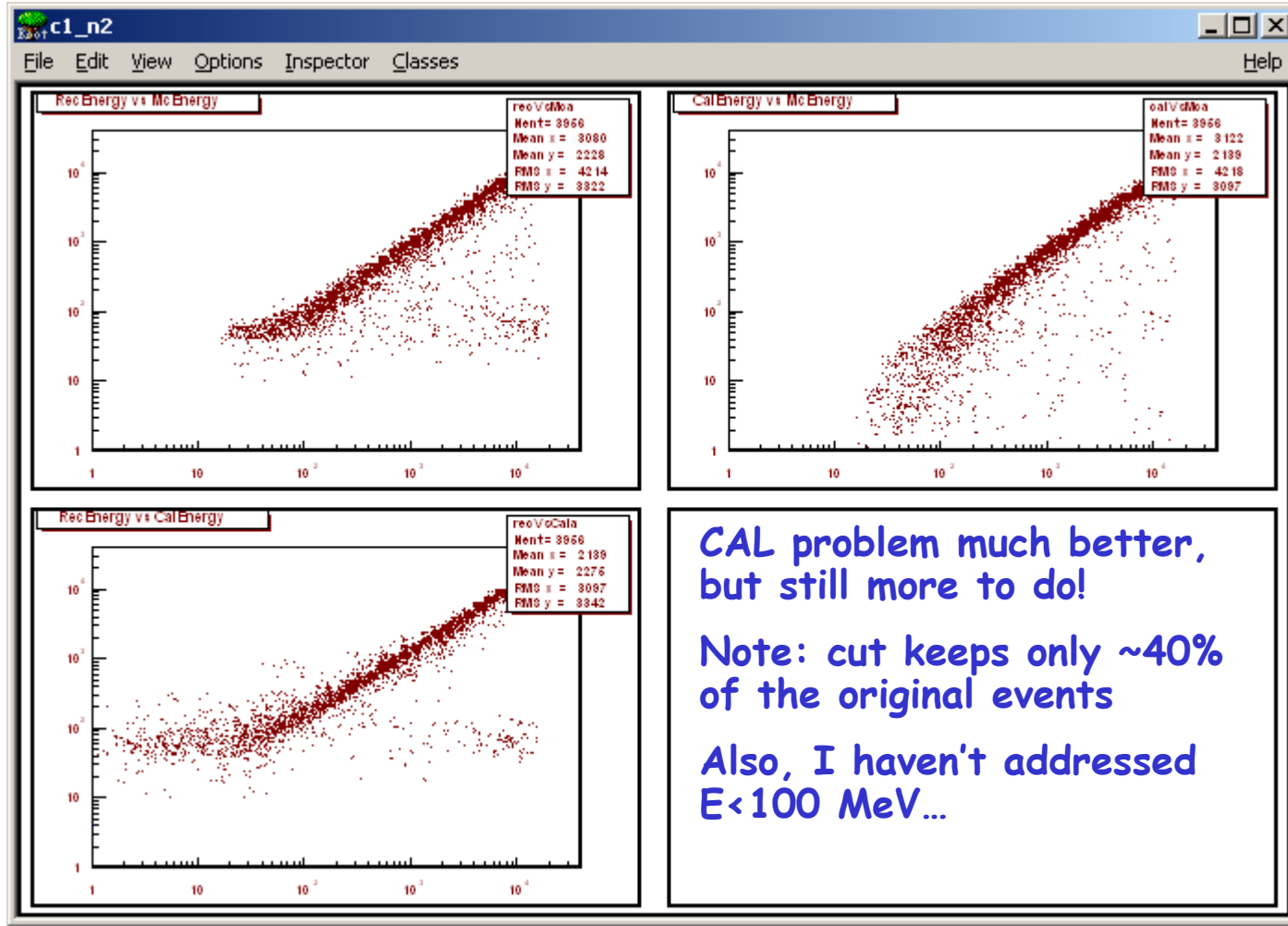


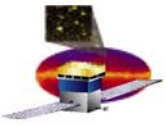
Cut

Anti-Cut



# Energy, after Cuts





## Summary: Efficiency, Bias & Energy

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- The tagging and recon efficiencies seem fine, except for their effect on the angle bias.
- There are pretty big angle biases for large-incident-angle events at low energies, and there is some indication that this remains a problem at higher energies, at least for gammas.
  - One fix is to cut out the entire region ( $>50^\circ$ ) for those analyses which require the best PSFs.
  - We can make an (angle,energy)-dependent correction, but especially at low energies, we **don't** know the energy for much of the phase space, primarily due to CAL gaps. Since we're stuck with the gaps, we need to do whatever we can to characterize these effects and to correct for them.
- There are some technical problems that are causing various TKR energy effects, over and above those coming from the CAL. There are probably some simple fixes for these. (One done already!)