Study of pileup in Xe+Cs(I) run

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Aim

- Study frequency and effect of
  - Close pileup (narrow window around mean trigger time)
  - Distant pileup
- Develop a BmnRoot task providing the information about pileup events (time to closest hits in BC, probability of second interaction, etc.)
- Data: Xe+CsI @ 3.8A GeV (production 04.24)

Report on close pileup at previous CM

Analysis procedure

- Define run-by-run trigger window
- Define run-by-run time windows for peak search in FD and VCS (relative to BC1S hit time)
- Collect run-by-run distributions of FD peaks outside of the trigger window (mostly Xe) and single VCS peaks
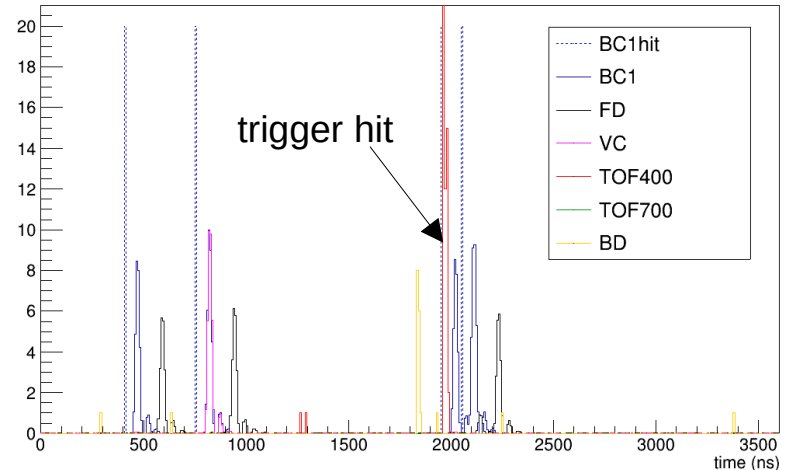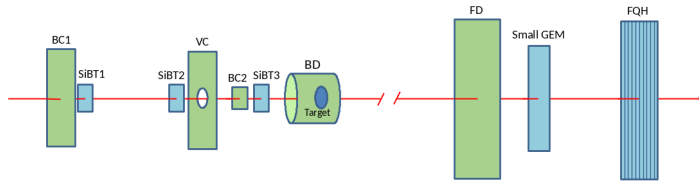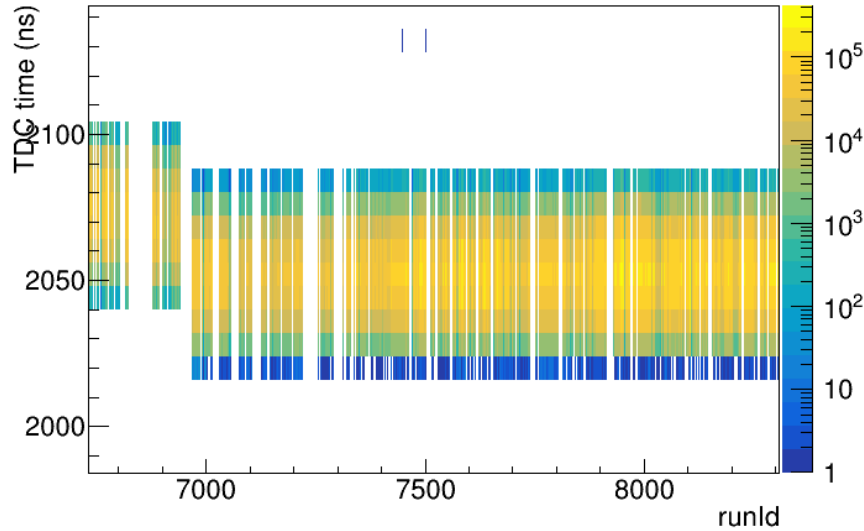
Analysis procedure

- For every hit in BC1S define the type based on corresponding peaks in FD ans VCS:

    - No interaction (**0**)

    - Interaction (**1**)

    - No interaction + VCS peak (**V0**)

    - Interaction + VCS peak (**V1**)

- Estimate the effect of pileup on digitized and reconstructed data from "fast" (TOF400, TOF700) and "slow" (SILICON, GEM) detectors
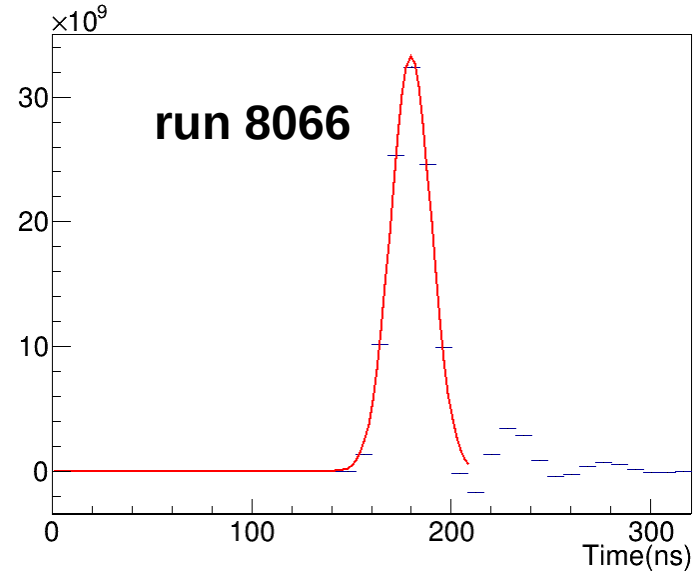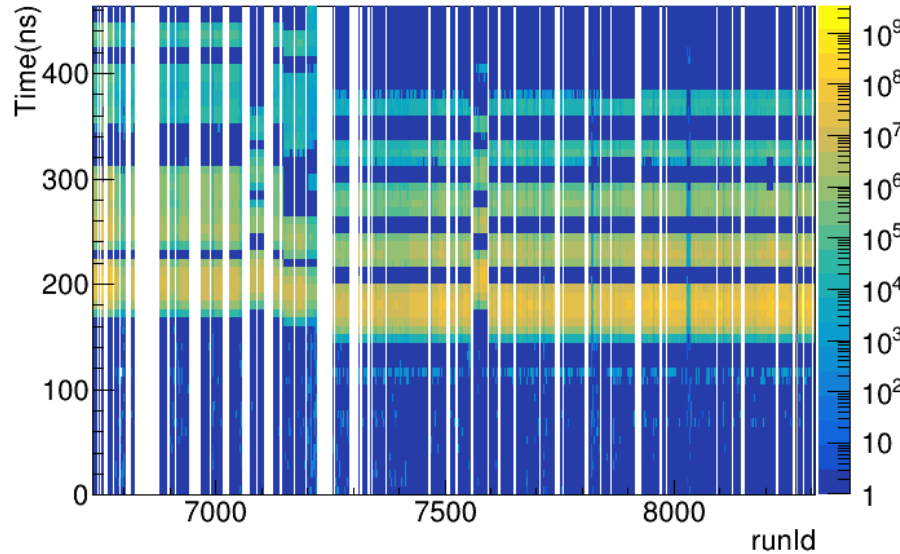
Single BC1S hit time

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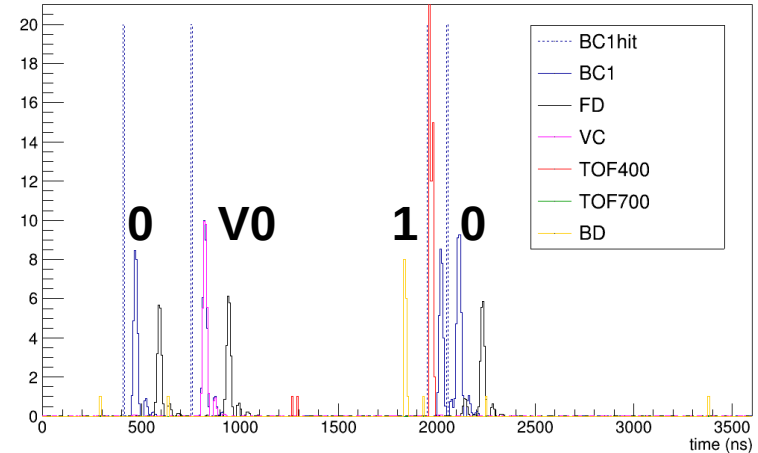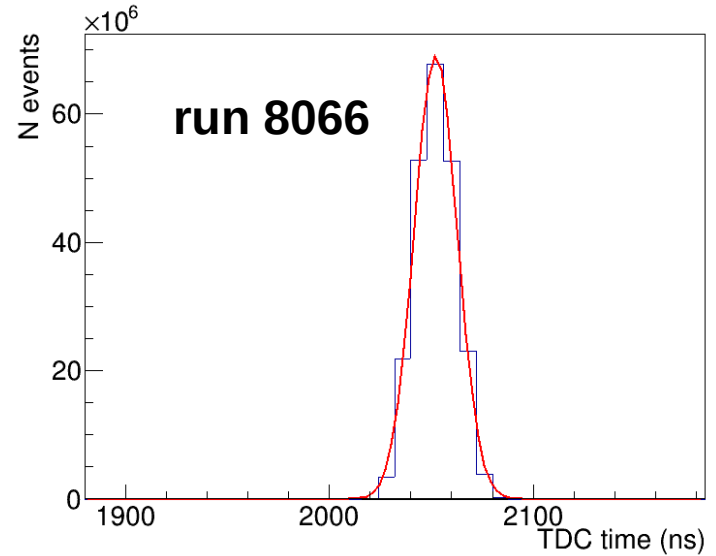
Hit in BC1S closest to mean is considered to be the trigger one

Signal shape relative to single BC1S hit time
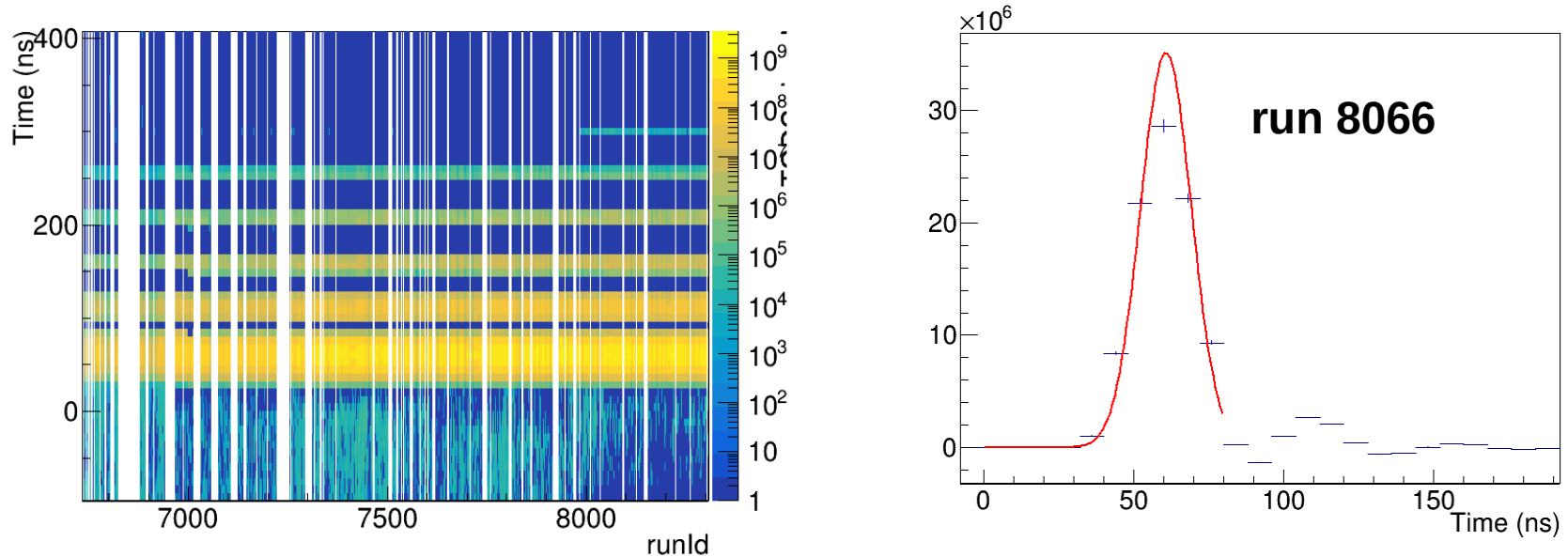
FD

run 8066

Peak is collected in mean +/- 2 sigma time from BC1S hit time

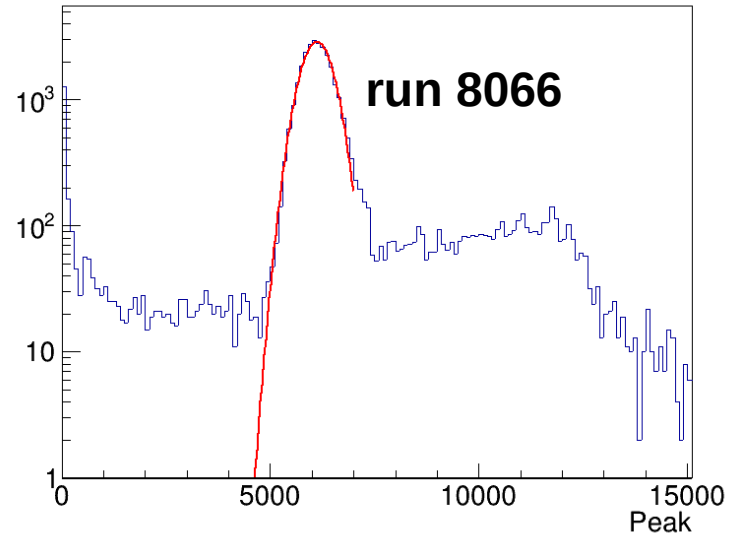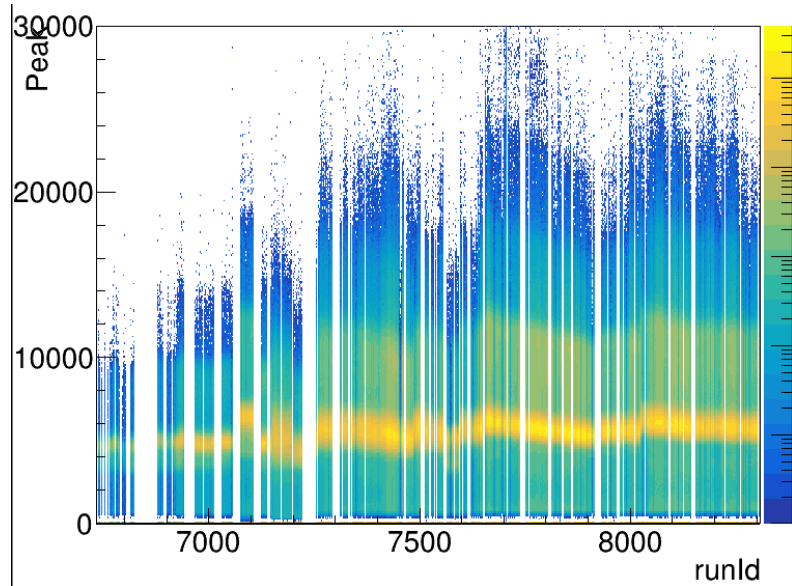# Signal shape relative to single BC1S hit time

VCS

Peak is collected in mean +/- 2 sigma time from BC1S hit time
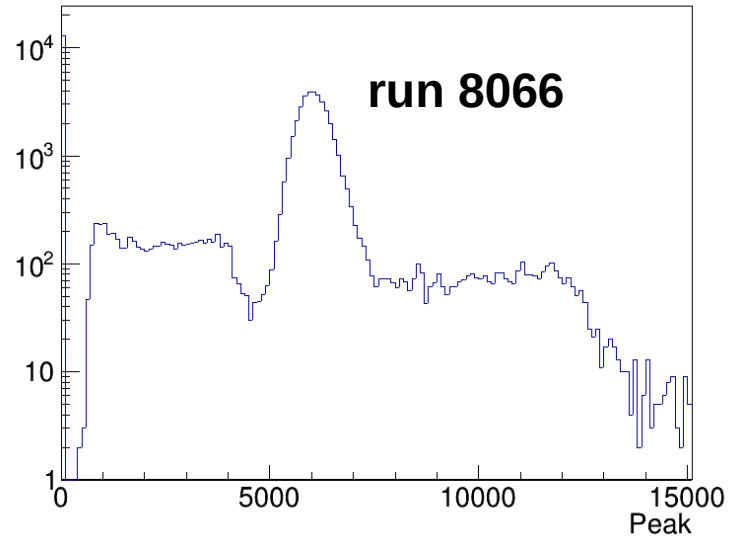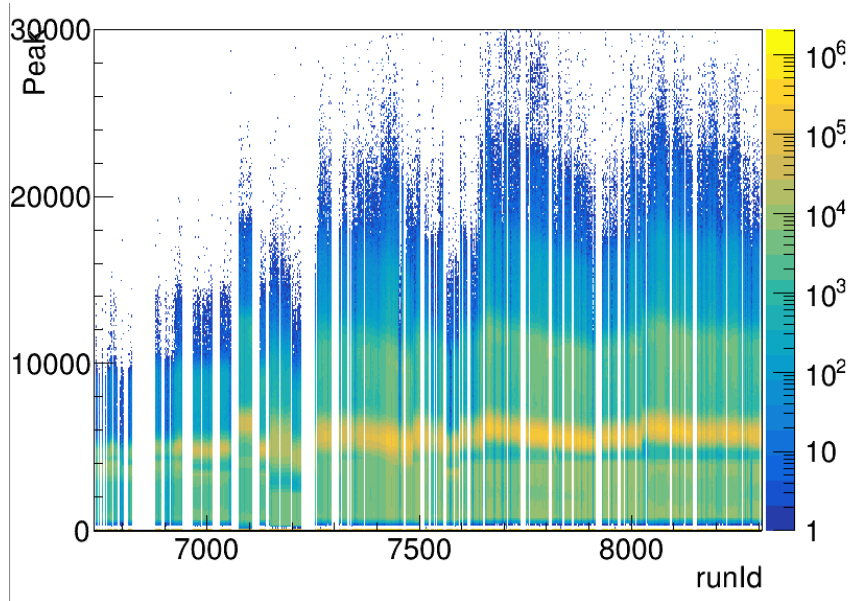
Peak distributions

FD (non-trigger only)

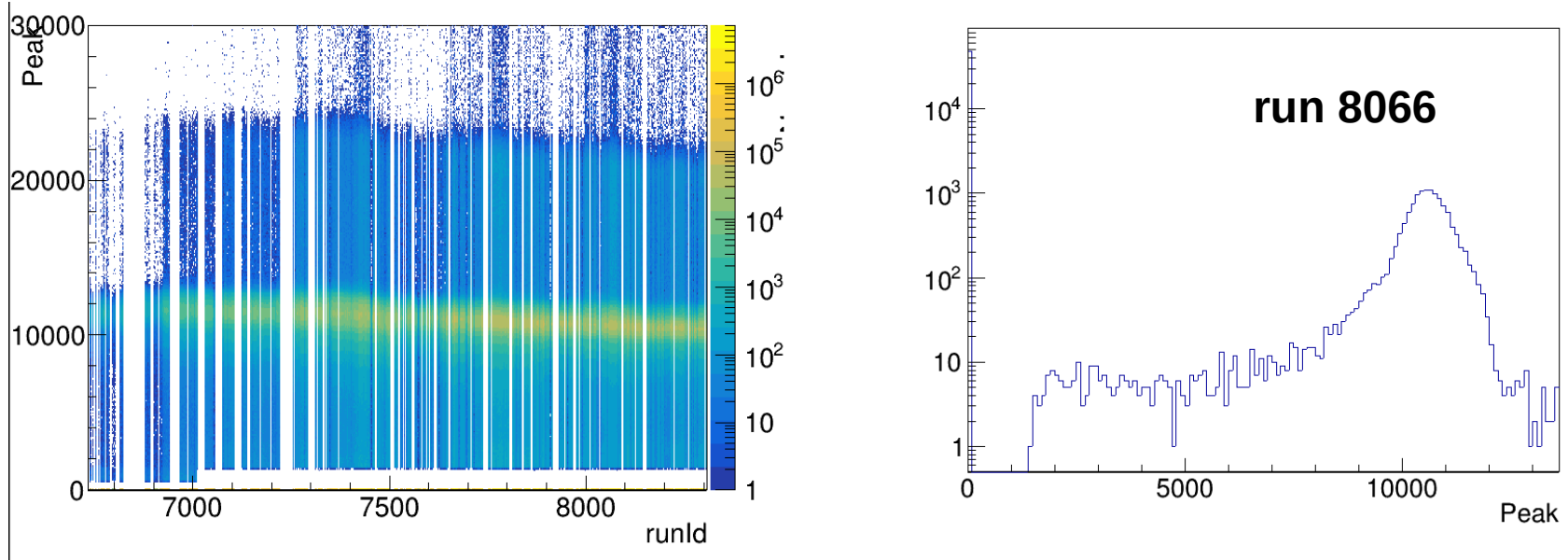No interaction if peak is inside mean +/- 3 sigma

Peak distributions

FD (all)

run 8066

No interaction if peak is inside mean +/- 3 sigma

Peak distributions

VCS

Peak less than 500 is considered as absense of veto signal

Effect of pileup at digitized data level

- Choose events with 2 hits in BC1S (runs 7596-8304)
- Define trigger hit as closest to mean time for single BC1S events.
- For different event types plot mean number of digits/hits/tracks as a function of distance from additional to trigger hit for:
  - "Fast" detectors (TOF400, TOF700)*.
  - "Slow" detectors (SILICON, GEM)
- Compare the values with those for events with single hit in BC1S.

  * digits and hits are counted in a defined (run-by-run) window relative to BC1S hit time

Digit time distributions

TOF700

run 8066
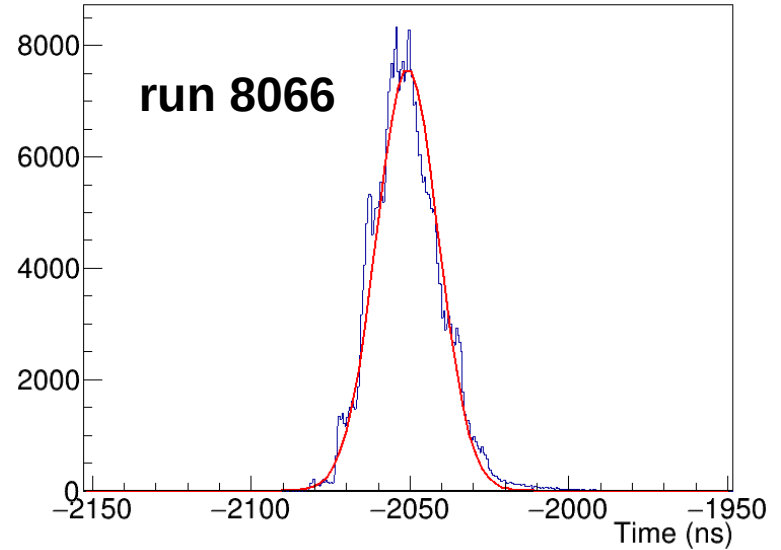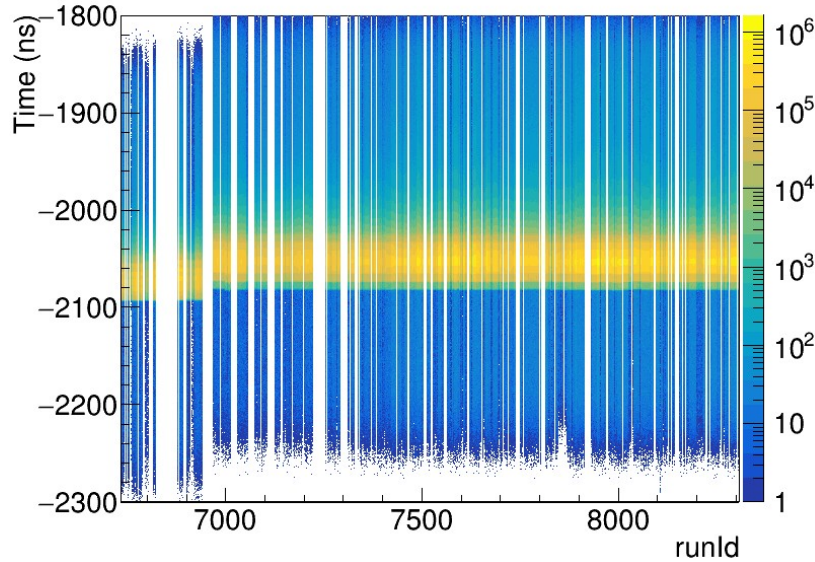
TOF digits and hits are collected in mean +/- 3 sigma time from BC1S hit

BC1S and event types

- BC1S hit type is defined based on corresponding peaks in FD ans VCS:

  - No interaction (**0**)

  - Interaction (**1**)

  - No interaction + VCS peak (**V0**)

  - Interaction + VCS peak (**V1**)
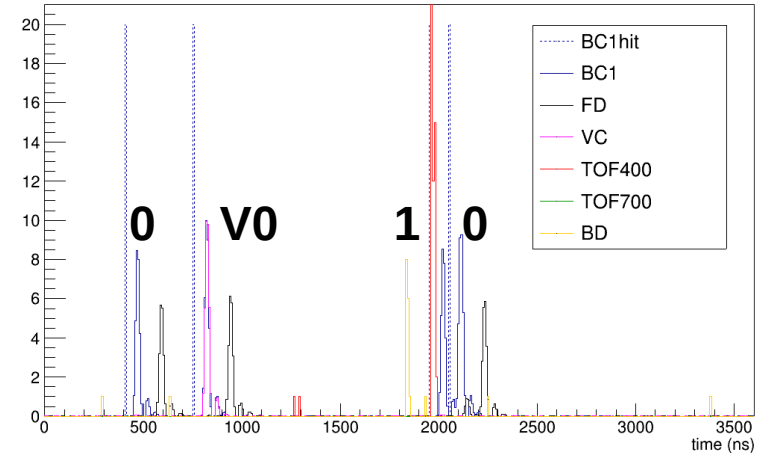
- Events with 1 hit in BC1S are assigned its type
- Events with 2 hits in BC1S are assigned a type based on type of trigger and additional hits (e.g. **1V0**).

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Effect on TOF 400 digits
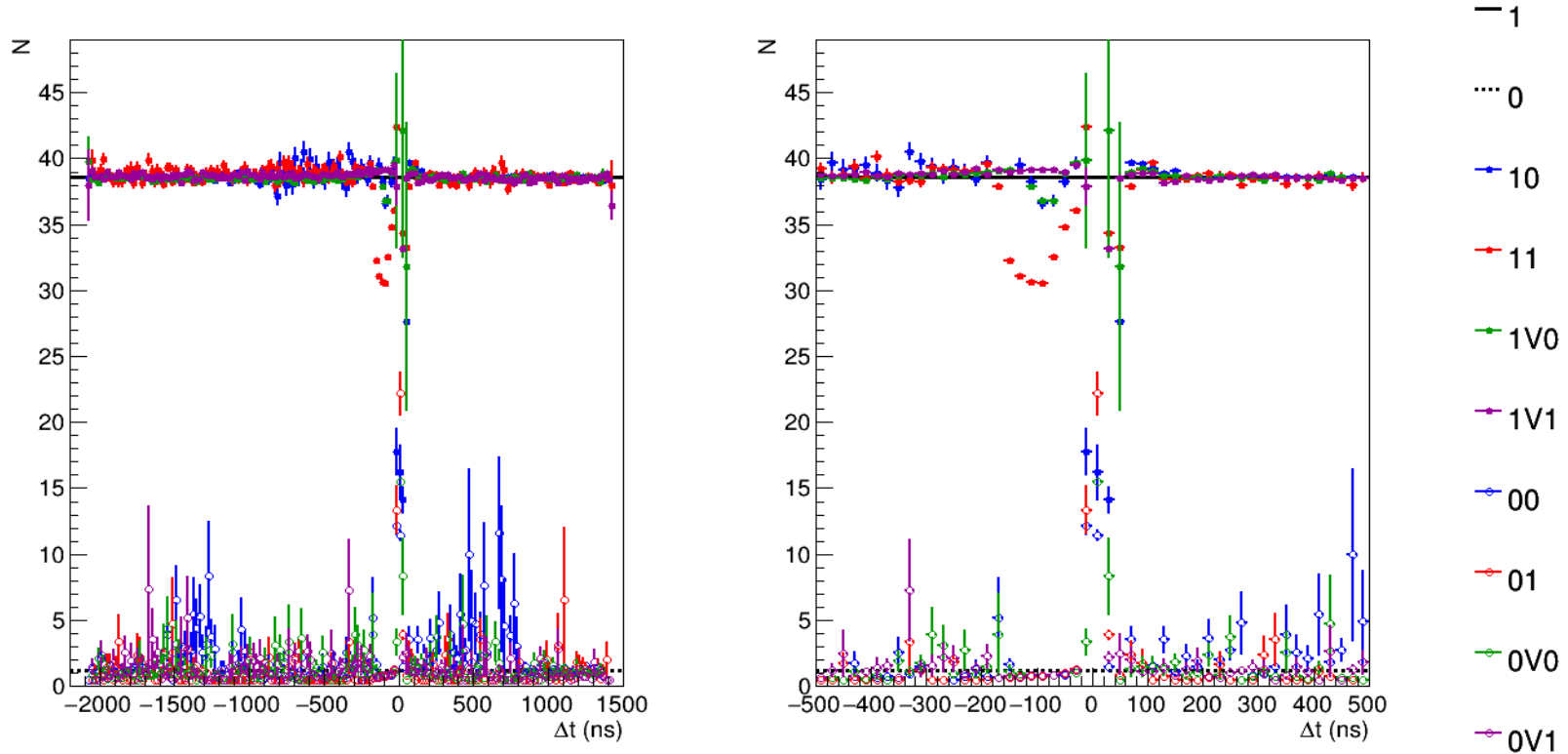
Significant effect at ~200 ns from trigger hit even without additional interaction

Effect on TOF 400 hits

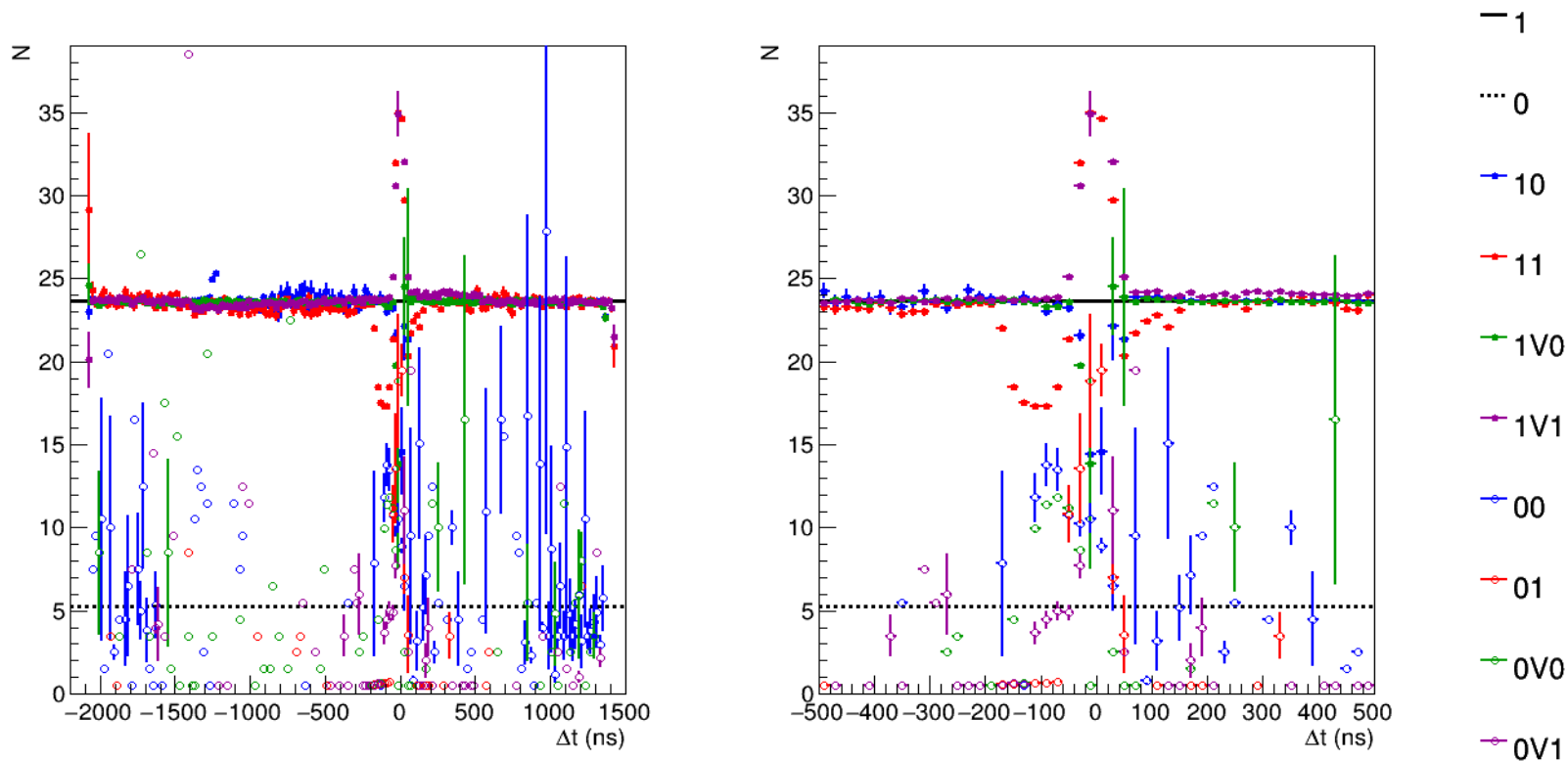Significant effect at ~200 ns from trigger hit even without additional interaction

Effect on TOF 700 digits
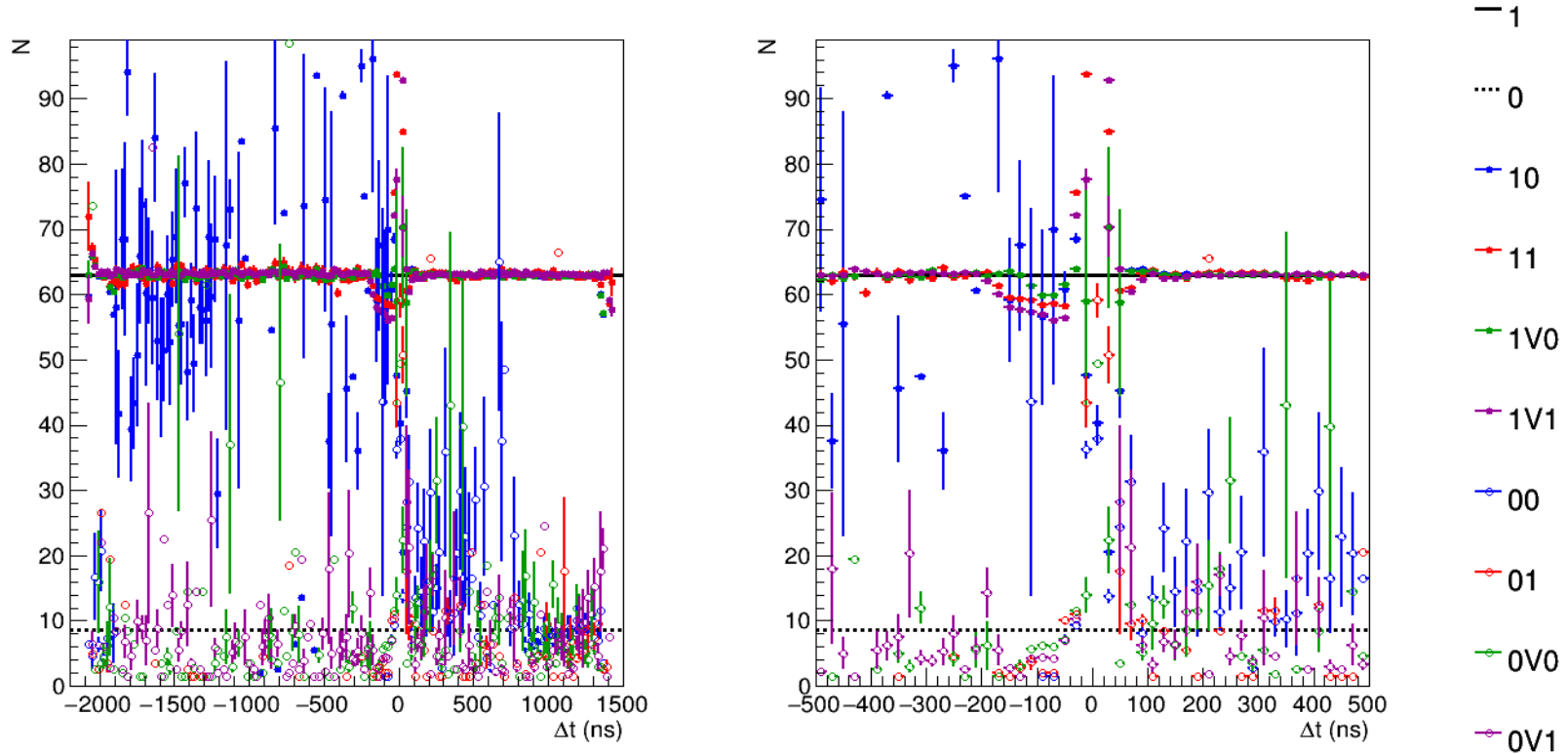
- Significant effect at ~200 ns from trigger hit even without additional interaction
- Hope for improvement in 10 class with the new data production

Effect on TOF 700 digits
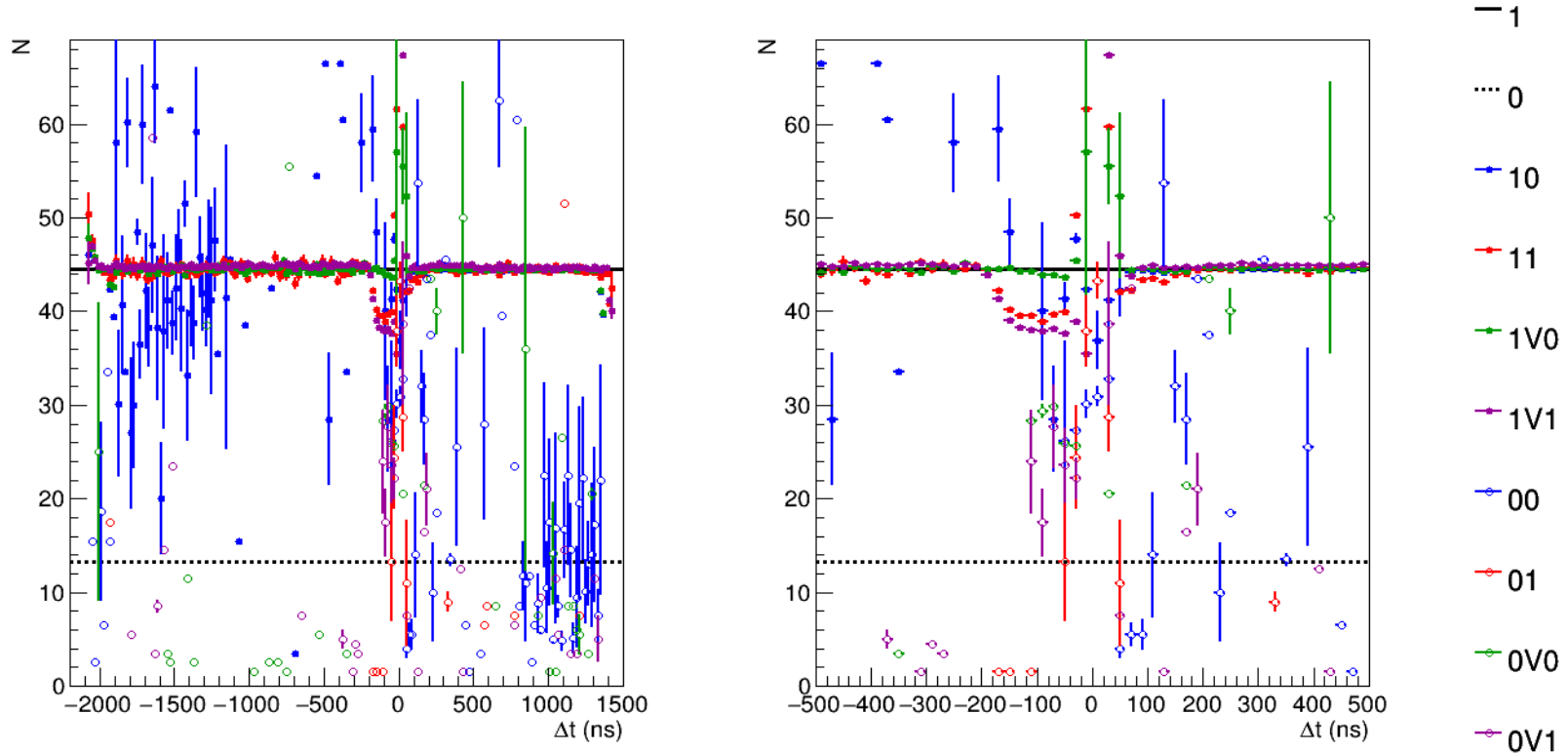
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- Hope for improvement in 10 class with the new data production

Effect on SILICON
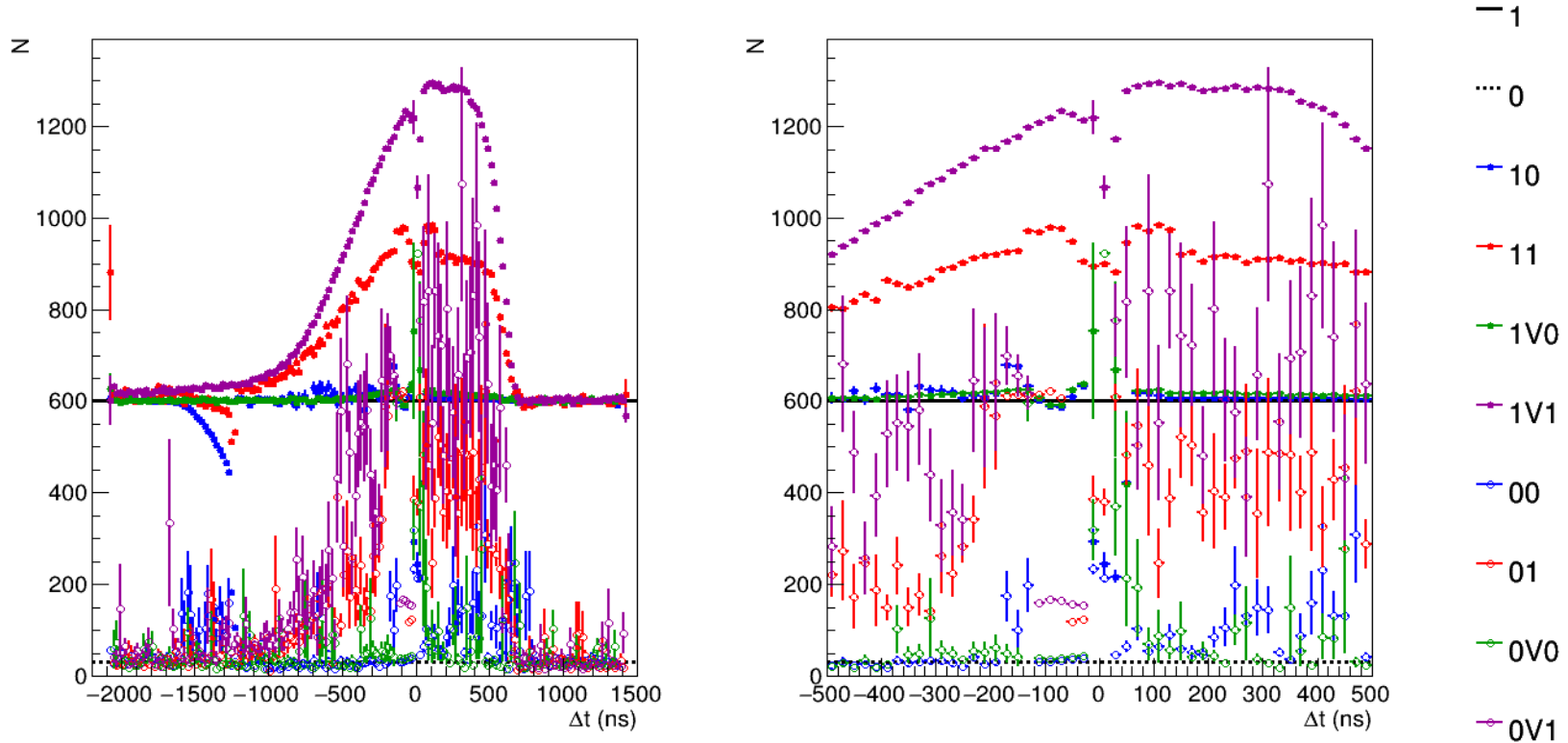
- Significant effect at ~100 ns from trigger hit even without additional interaction
- Significant long-range effect in case of additional interaction

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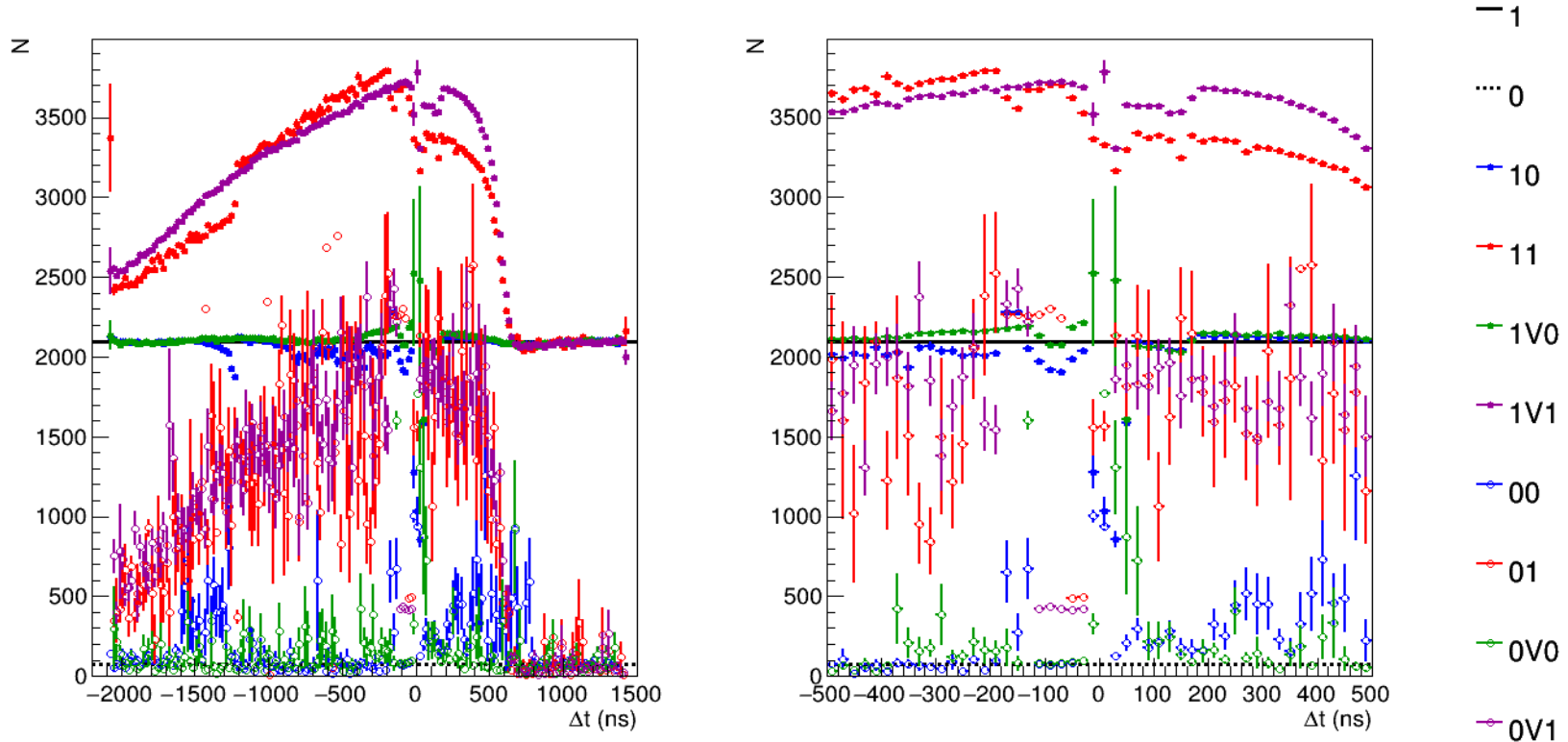
Effect on GEM

- Significant effect at ~200 ns from trigger hit even without additional interaction
- Significant long-range effect in case of additional interaction

Effect on tracks

- Significant effect at ~200 ns from trigger hit even without additional interaction
- Significant long-range effect in case of additional interaction

Effect on selected tracks
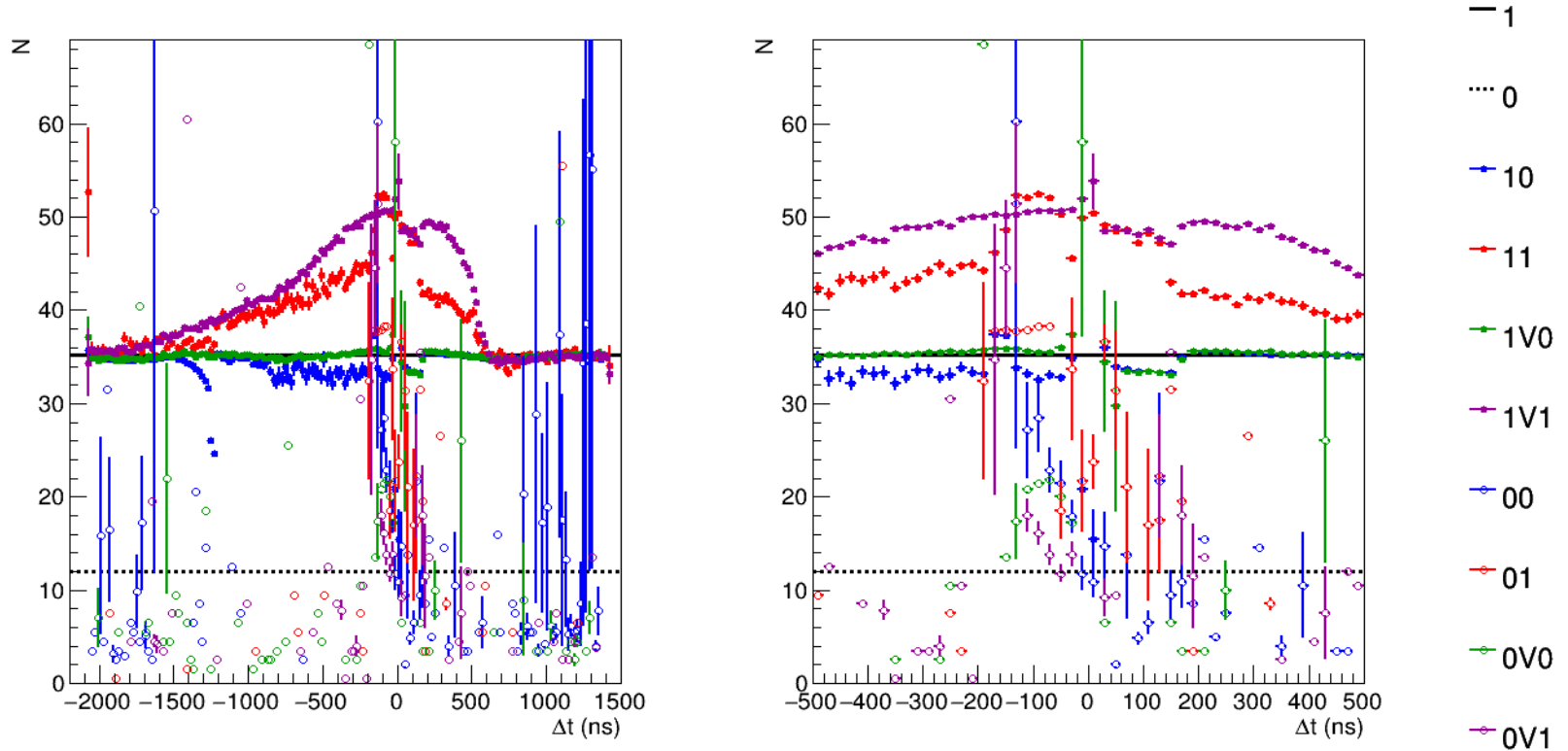
- Significant effect at ~200 ns from trigger hit even without additional interaction
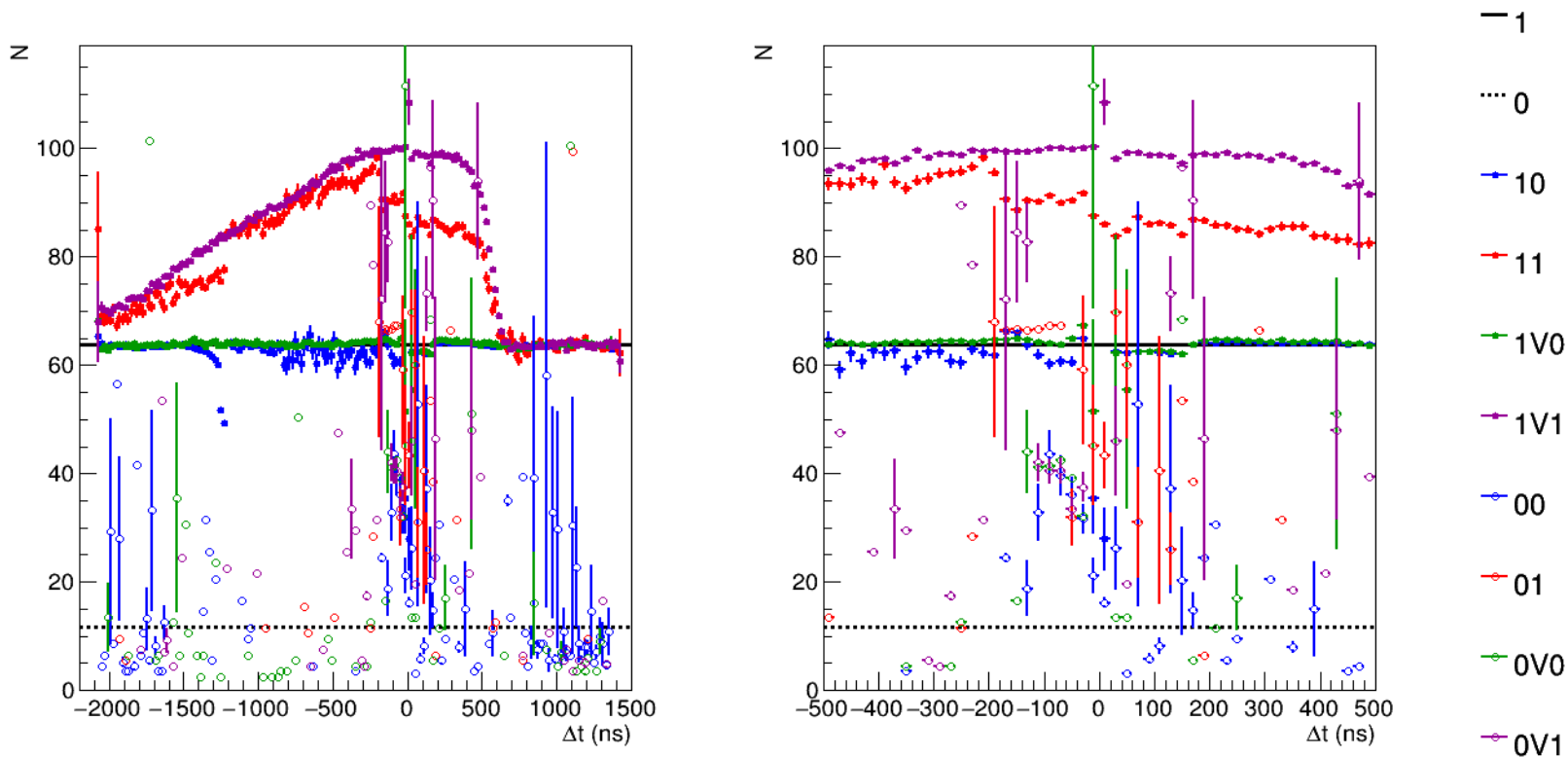- Long-range effect is smaller but still significant
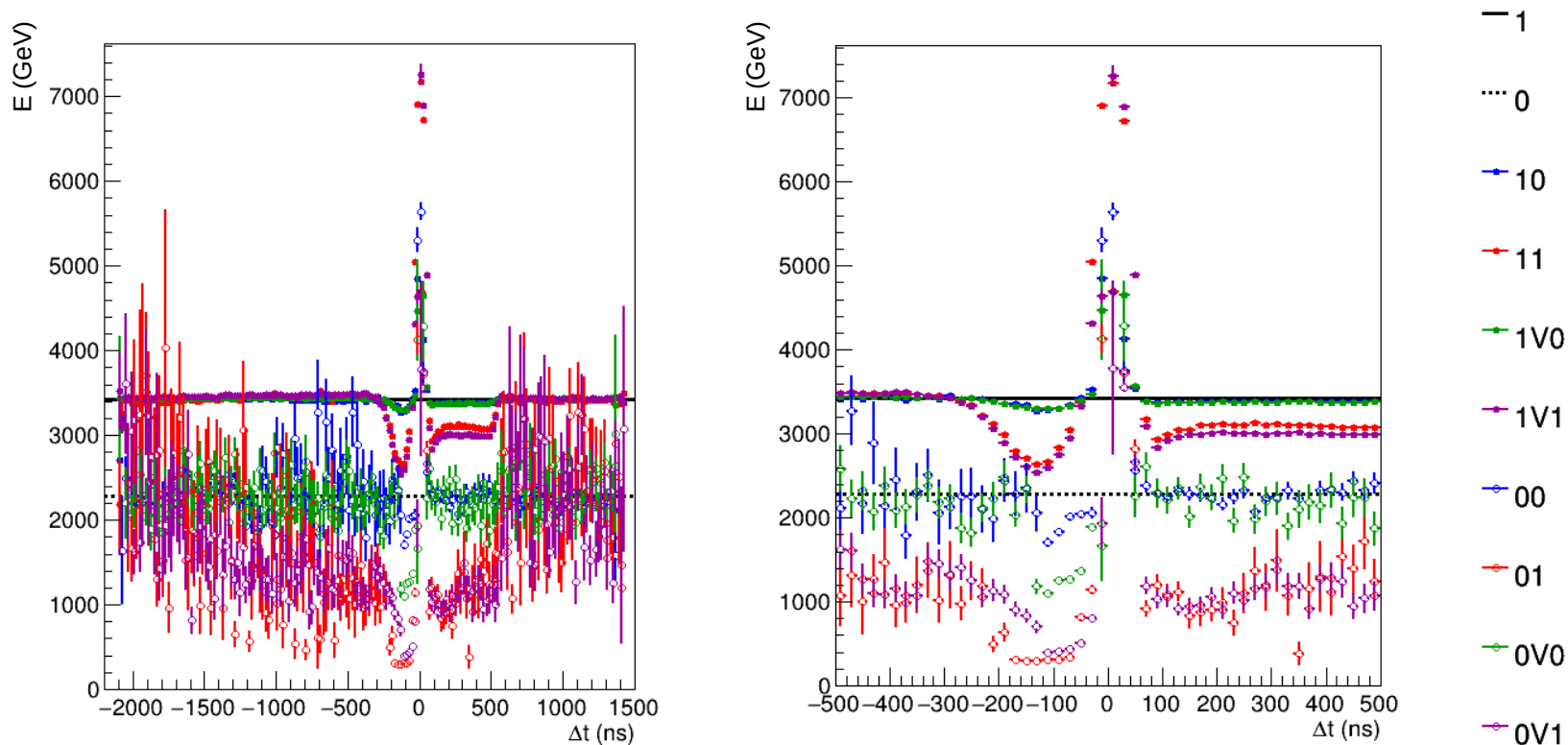
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Effect on FHCal

- Significant effect at ~200 ns from trigger hit even without additional interaction
- Long-range effect up to ~600 ns

Proposed pileup rejection

- Interaction associated with the trigger hit in BC1S (**1**)
- No interaction (**1** or **V1**) before and 700 ns after the trigger hit
- No hit in BC1S (**V0**) at +/- 200 ns before and after the trigger hit

Multiple BC1S
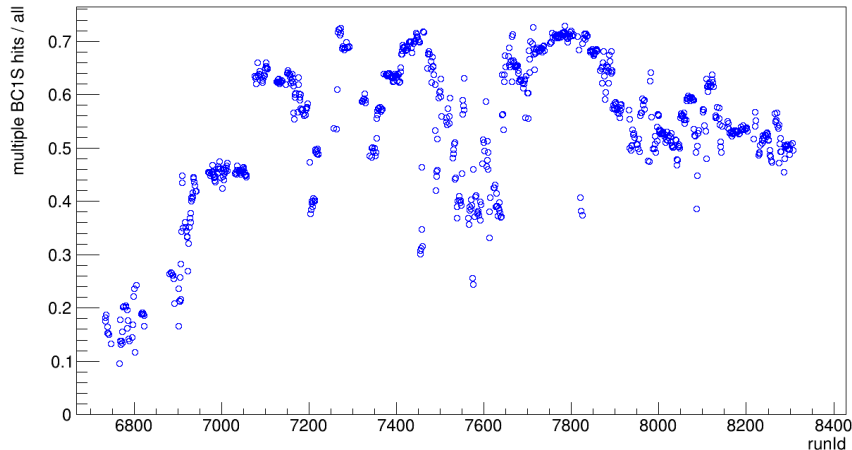
Pileup

Effect on reconstructed data (multi-hit events)

N tracks

N good tracks

E_{FHCal} (GeV)
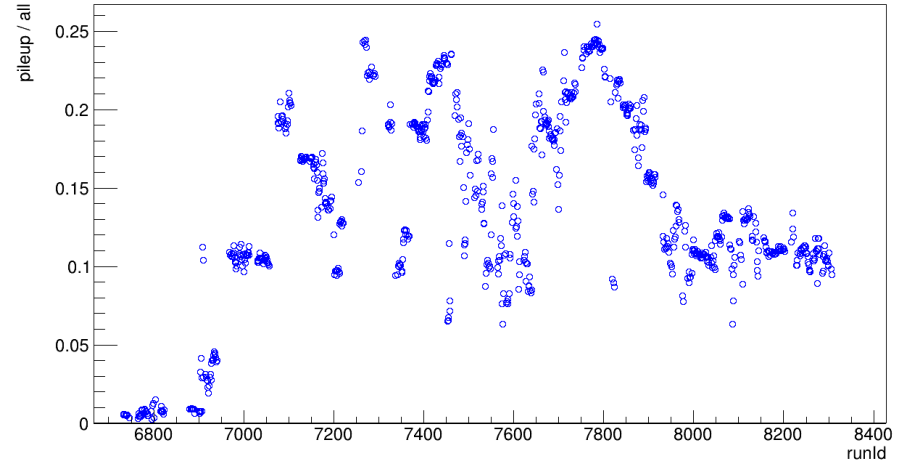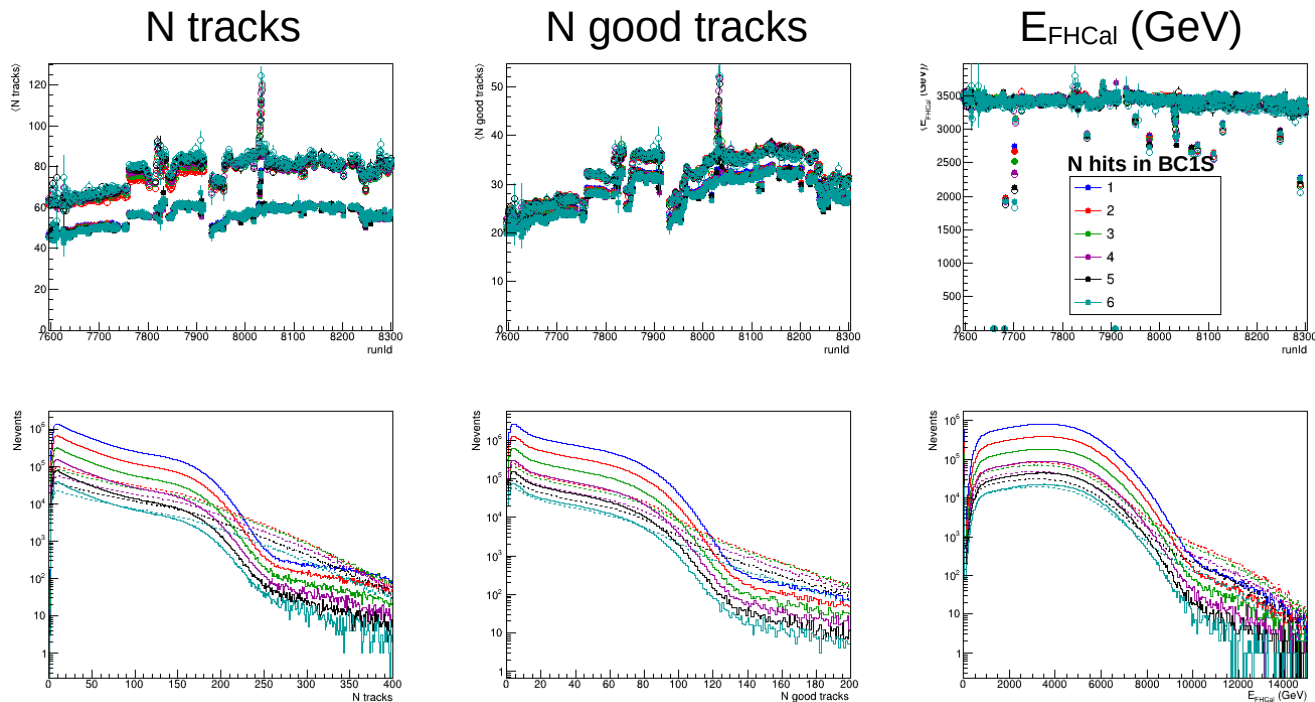
- Events w/o pileup (filled markers) are in agreement with single BC1S events
- Pileup events (empty markers) agree with one another

Effect on reconstructed data (multi-hit events)
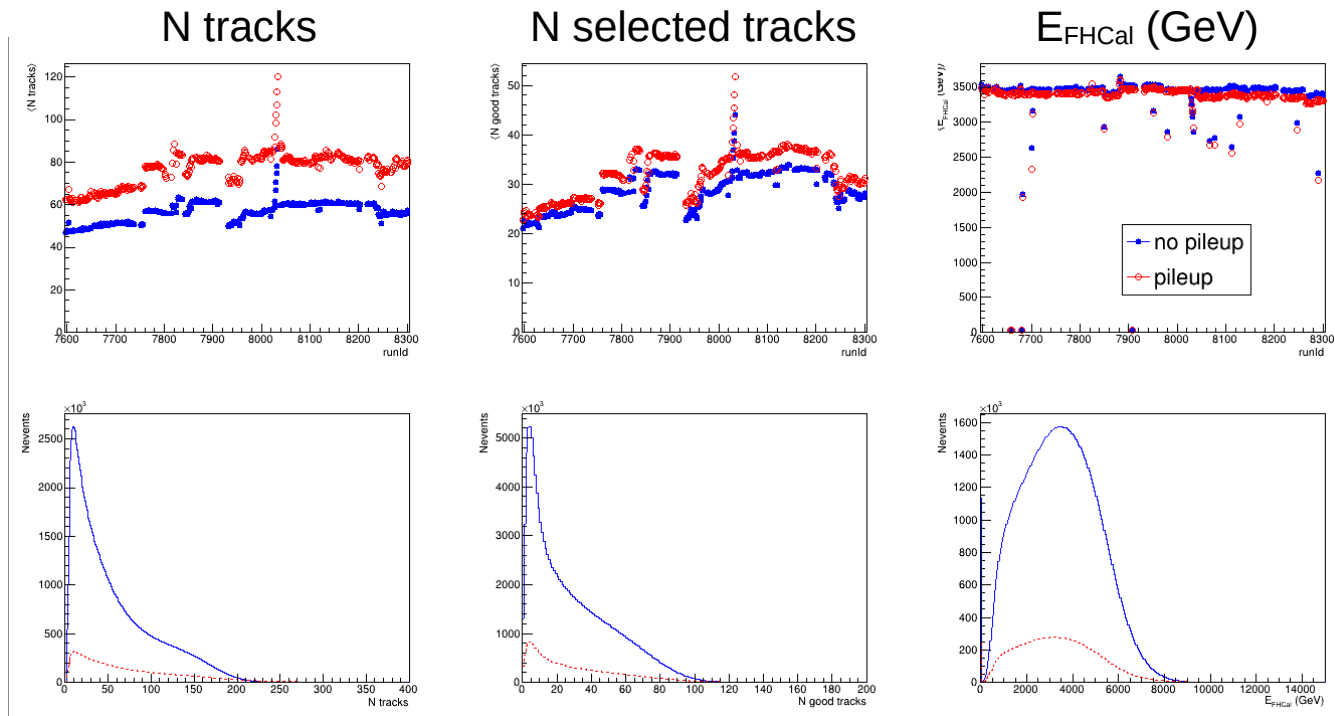
- Significant effect on number of reconstructed tracks
- Little effect on FHCal energy

Share of pileup events (CCT2)

- Up to 35% of pileup events for the CCT2 trigger

BmnRoot task for event classification

- Collects run-by-run distributions to obtain needed constants
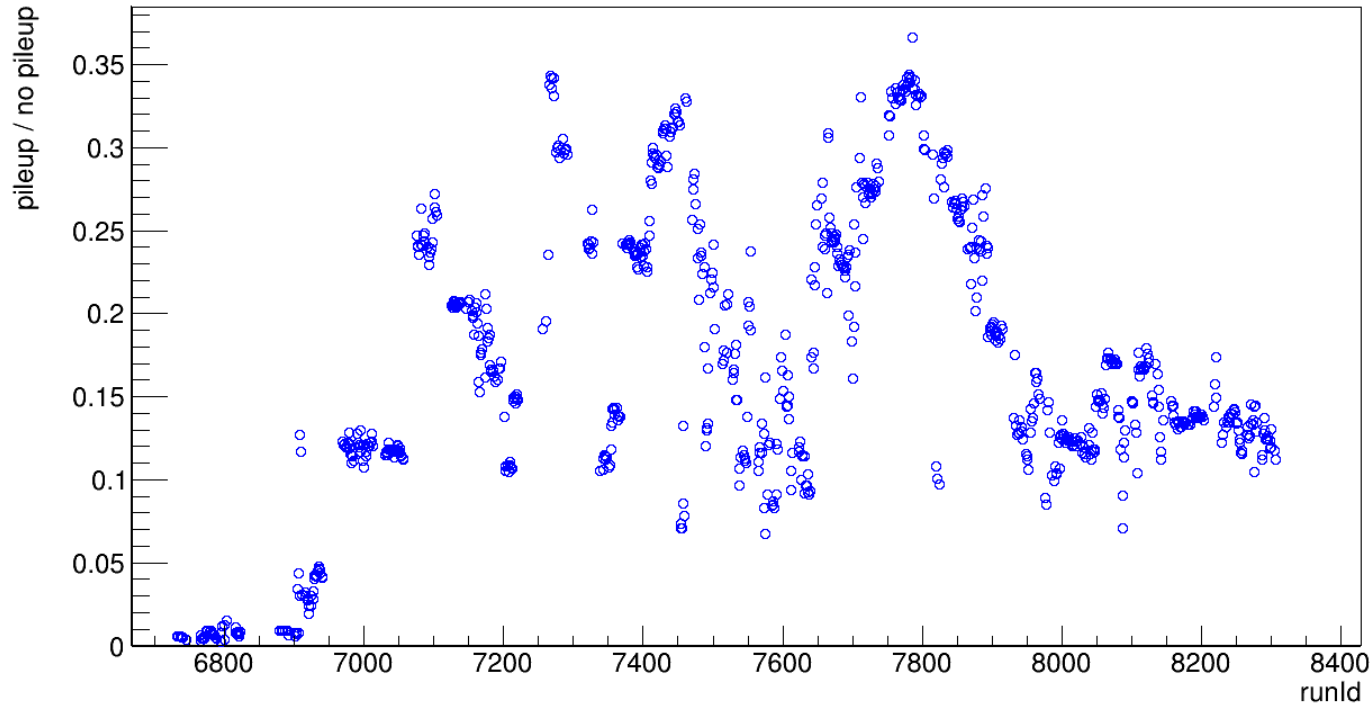
- Based on run-by-run constants calculates peaks and defines classes of BC1S hits in event

- Provides time distances (positive and negative) from trigger to the closest hits of selected class

- Creates additional branch with variables:

    - Index of trigger hit in BC1S

    - For every hit in BC1S

        - Hit class

        - Time distance to trigger hit

        - Corresponding FD and VCS peak values

        - Number and amplitude sum of BD digits

        - Number of TOF400 and TOF700 digits

HOWTO

In the analysis macro (to use with current production):

```
#before the analysis task
auto eventSelector = new BmnEventSelector();
eventSelector->SetRunId(run_number);
eventSelector->SetInputFileName("$VMCWORKDIR/input/eventSelector_calib_run8.root");
fRunAna->AddTask(eventSelector);
```

In the analysis code:

```
#include "BmnEventSelector.h"
#in Init() function:
auto hitInfo = (BmnBC1ShitInfo*)ioman -> GetObject("BmnBC1ShitInfo");
#in Exec() function:
auto dt0=hitInfo -> GetClosestBC1ShitsDt(BmnEventClass::k0);
auto dtV0=hitInfo -> GetClosestBC1ShitsDt(BmnEventClass::kV0);
auto dt1=hitInfo -> GetClosestBC1ShitsDt(BmnEventClass::k1);
auto dtV1=hitInfo -> GetClosestBC1ShitsDt(BmnEventClass::kV1);
if(dt0.at(0)>-200 || dt0.at(1)<200 || dtV0.at(0)>-200 || dtV0.at(1)<200) continue;
if(dt1.at(0)>-3000 || dt1.at(1)<700 || dtV1.at(0)>-3000 || dtV1.at(1)<700) continue;
```

Summary

- BmnRoot task for classification of pileup events has been developed and tested.

    – may be used "on the fly" with current production

    – BC1 hit classes will be available in the next DST production

- Significant effect on digitized and reconstructed data of additional hit in BC1S without interaction at ~200 ns from trigger

- Short-range effect on "fast" detectors in case of additional interaction

- Long-range effect on "slow" detectors in case of additional interaction. Still part of muli-hit events may be used.

BACKUP