

# ECAL time reconstruction using weights

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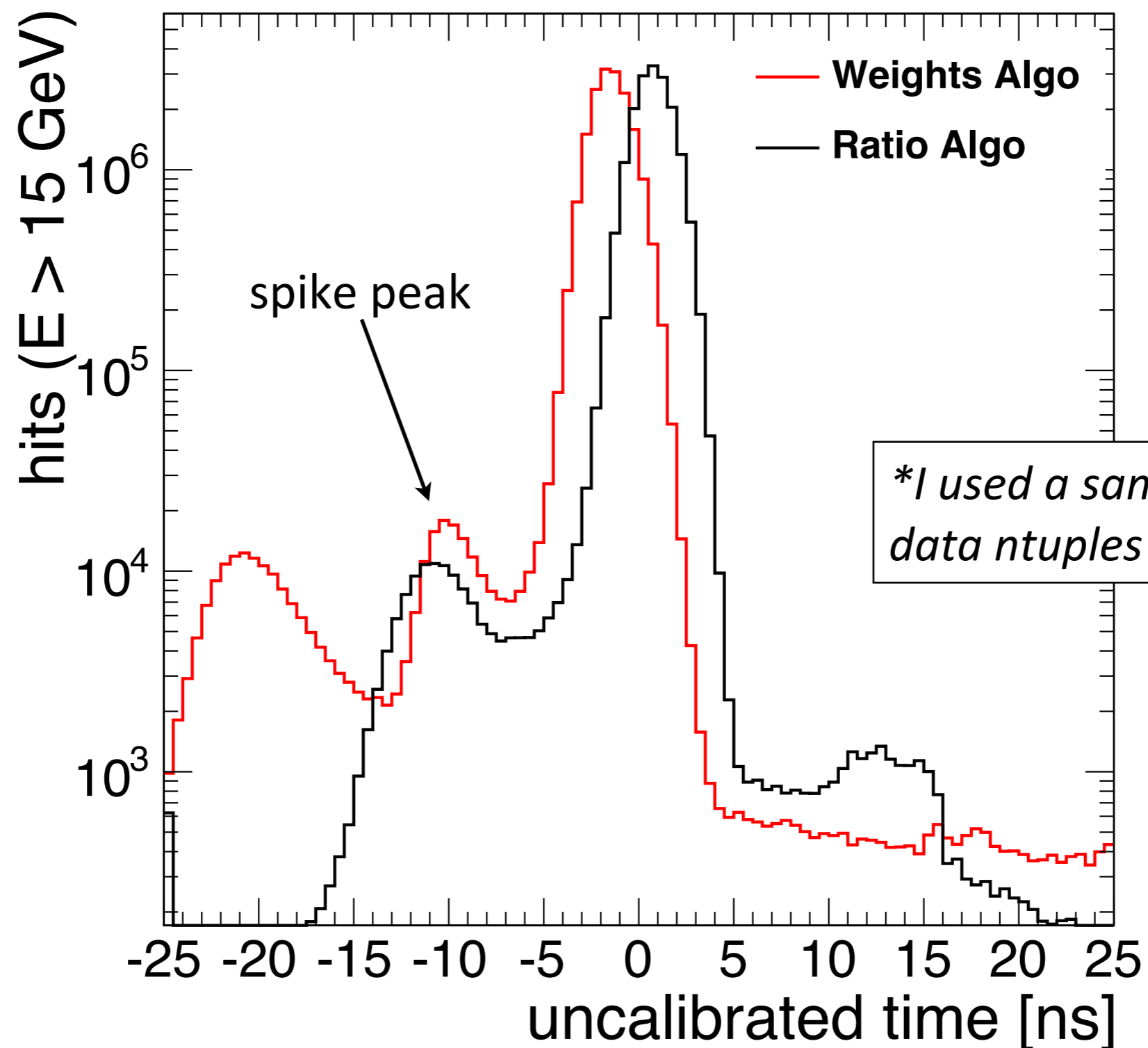
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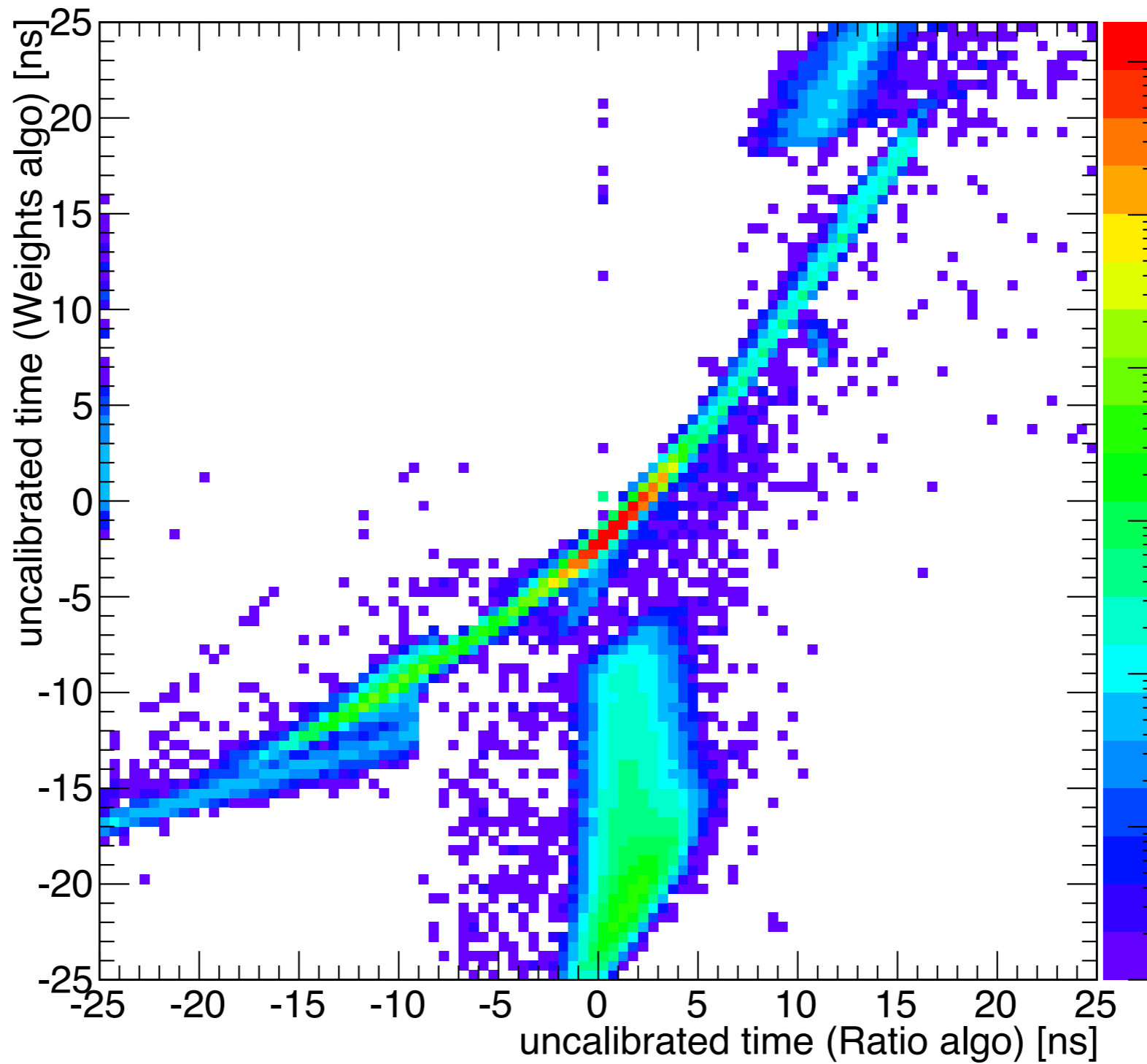
- Purpose of this study: provide alternative time reco using weights to aid the discussion evolving in [hn](#)
- Weights algo to reconstruct amplitude & *time* see: **[Eur. Phys. J. C 46, s01, 23–35 (2006)]**
- Software generating the time weights was fixed few weeks ago *broken since (CMSSW\_0XX)*
- Tested (so far) only for Gain 12 signals
- ***Disclaimer: this is a first attempt trying to reconstruct ECAL time of LHC data using the weights Algo, what's reported here should be consider preliminary***

- $S_i$  denote the non pedestal subtracted MGPA samples (10 integer ADC counts) e.g.  $S[] = \{210, 209, 209, 218, 548, 650, 602, 510, 423, 355\}$  with pedestal  $\sim 210$
- $w_i$  denote weights for amplitude reco (10 floating numbers)
- $t_i$  denote weights for time reco (also 10 floating numbers)
- $A$  denotes the reco amplitude  $\delta t$  denotes signal's jitter
- $A$  and  $\delta t$  are evaluated from the inner products
  - $A = w_i * S_i$
  - $A * \delta t = t_i * S_i$  (thus we need to divide with  $A$  the  $t_i * S_i$  to get  $\delta t$ )
- $\delta t$  has units of ADC clock [25 ns], in CMSSW **uncalibTime** =  $-\delta t * 25$
- **offline time** = **uncalibTime** + **timeIC** (offline time intercalibration)
- We have **timeIC** only for Ratio Algo, no **timeIC** is available for weights algo

- **3+5 amp & time jitter compensating weights** have been generated for **Data/MC** and **EB/EE** using pulse shapes hardcoded in **CMSSW** (Data have 2ns phase)
- We know that **pulse shape in CMSSW is imperfect**
  - expect some amplitude dependence in reco time
  - we can apply EB weights to EE digis and MC weights to Data (+2ns offset) to get a feeling of the systematic uncertainties due to the imperfect knowledge of shapes

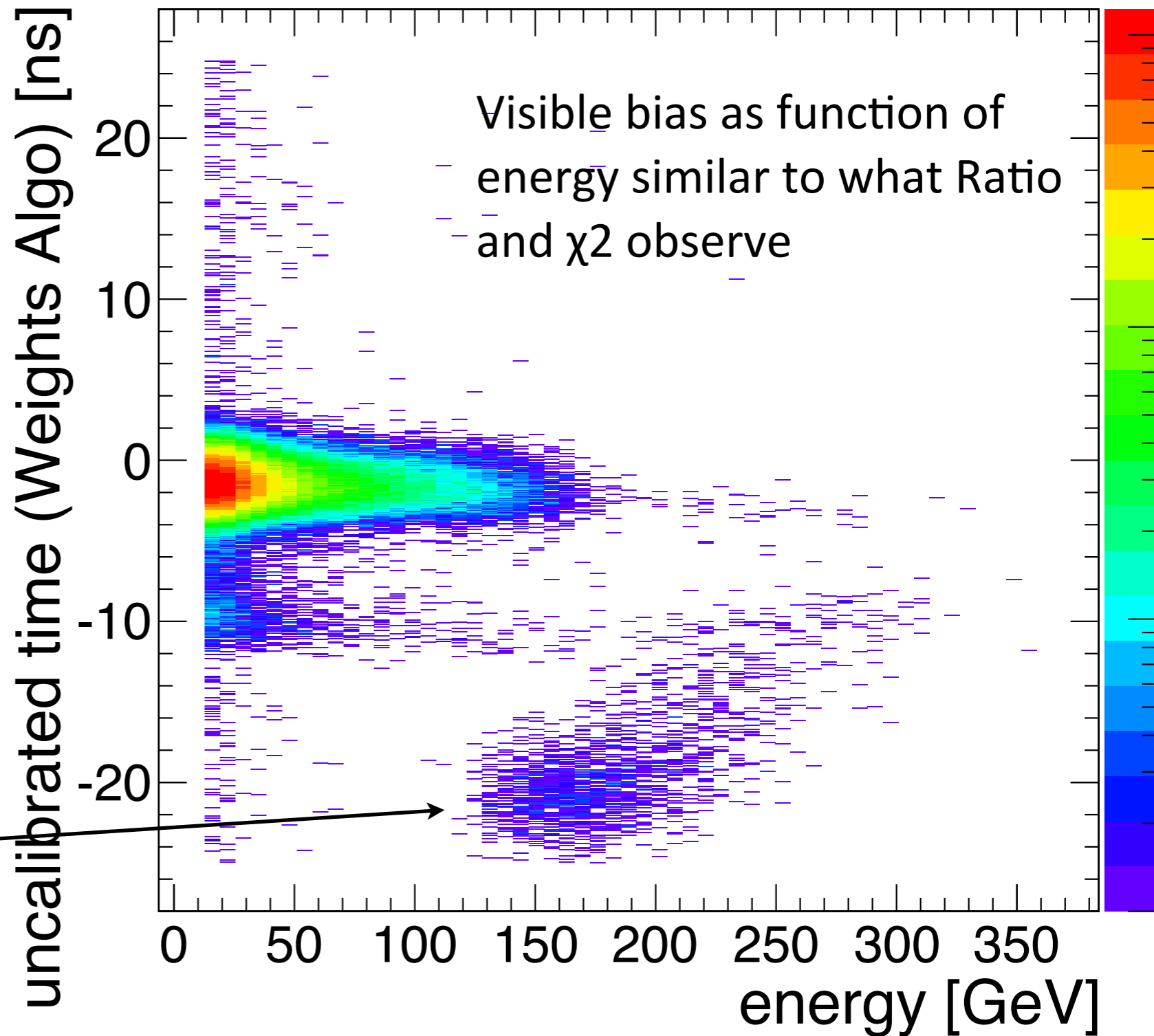
- float amp\_weights\_EB\_MC[] = {-0.3828459, -0.3828459, -0.3828459, 0, 0.1846295, 0.424762, 0.3493013, 0.1768834, 0.01296132, 0};
- float time\_weights\_EB\_MC[] = {0.04066309, 0.04066309, 0.04066309, 0, 1.325176, -0.04997078, -0.504338, -0.5024844, -0.3903718, 0};
- float amp\_weights\_EE\_MC[] = {-0.3820672, -0.3820672, -0.3820672, 0, 0.2047881, 0.4153016, 0.3395061, 0.1720173, 0.01458851, 0};
- float time\_weights\_EE\_MC[] = {0.0579372, 0.0579372, 0.0579372, 0, 2.054817, 0.01276306, -0.7870374, -0.8303249, -0.6240293, 0};
- float amp\_weights\_EB\_data[] = {-0.3837665, -0.3837665, -0.3837665, 0, 0.1549371, 0.4275022, 0.3594514, 0.1878533, 0.02155539, 0};
- float time\_weights\_EB\_data[] = {0.002620844, 0.002620844, 0.002620844, 0, 1.21463, -0.03812831, -0.4031324, -0.4313319, -0.3499002, 0};
- float amp\_weights\_EE\_data[] = {-0.3835888, -0.3835888, -0.3835888, 0, 0.1646038, 0.4132025, 0.354657, 0.1895535, 0.02874949, 0};
- float time\_weights\_EE\_data[] = {0.0119698, 0.0119698, 0.0119698, 0, 1.883419, 0.06886431, -0.6895168, -0.7495467, -0.5491289, 0};





Linear behavior for small  $\delta t$

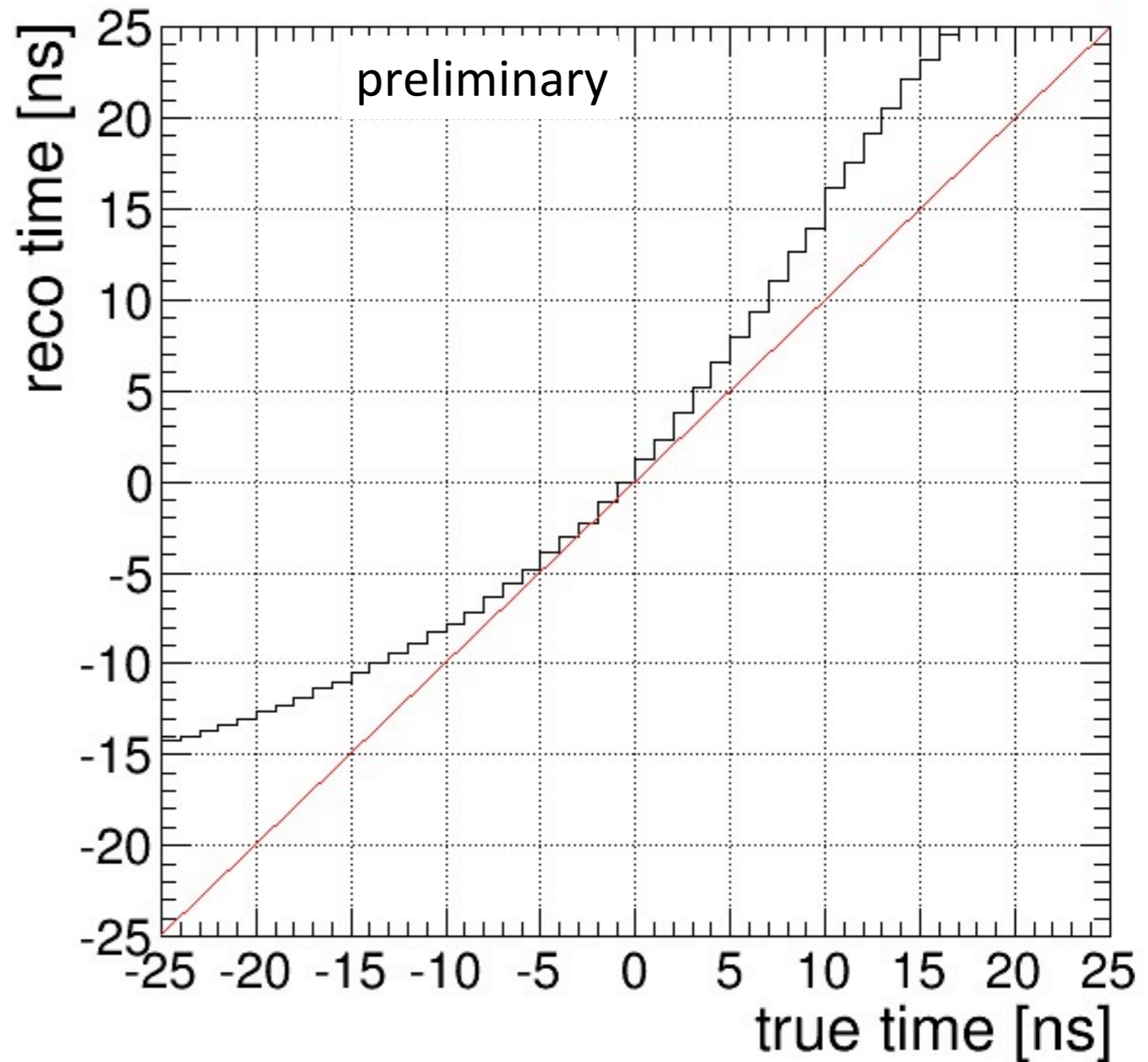
Blob should be due to a calibration run (probably laser) data are old 7 TeV and w/o any cleaning, but OK for the purpose of this report





# Reco vs True time in MC

True time is the time offset injected in the CMSSW ECAL pulse that was reco'ed with the nominal weights (expecting  $\delta t=0$ )



- Reconstructing ECAL time using weights is **fast and simple** (just 1 line of code *once weights are known*)
  - `for (int i=0 ; i<10 ; i++)  $\delta t = -t[i]*S[i]/A;$`
- A first attempt to reconstruct ECAL time with weights seems promising, performance is unknown though ... should be studied