## MC (Mis-)Alignment Studies

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- There are some features in data alignment plots that we can't explain with tu and rw movements.
- Investigate how to recreate these shapes in MC
  - Known simple movements of sensors
- Hints towards misalignments in data
- Generally interesting to see the effect of moved sensors on residuals and kinks
  - Investigate strange behaviors
  - Determine "weak modes"

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## Data samples

- MC data: 2019 FEE, simulated with nominal detector (HPS\_IDEAL\_iter0); re-reconstruct with misaligned sensors
  - Translation in w
    - L1: top −1 mm in z
    - L4: top −1 mm in z, bottom 1 mm in z
    - L6: bottom 1 mm in z
    - L7: top −1 mm in z, bottom 1 mm in z
  - Increased separation in w between axial and stereo sensors
    - L4: top 1 mm additional separation
    - L5: top 1 mm additional separation
- 2021 physics data; reconstructed with
  - pass0 (HPS\_Run2021Pass0\_v1) and
  - iter3 (HPS\_Run2021Pass1\_v0)

detectors  $\rightarrow$  plots and data from Cam

## V-shape in ures vs v distribution



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## "Weak modes" in w movements

#### u residuals in all layers



MC L1 top, L6 bot 1 mm tw

MC L7 1 mm tw

- L6 and L7 w movements have very little influence on residuals

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## "Weak modes" in w movements

 $\chi^2$  distribution – bottom, negative tracks



• Minor influence on  $\chi^2$  distribution

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#### p vs tan $\lambda$ distribution – bottom



MC L6 1 mm tw

MC L7 1 mm tw

• Minor influence on momentum vs tan  $\lambda$  distribution

Effect in L1



L4 and L5 movements have strong effect on L1 residuals

Effect in L2



L4 and L5 movements have little effect on L2 residuals

Effect in L3



• L5 movements have little effect on L3 residuals

Effect in L4



L4 and L5 movements have strong effects on L4 residuals



- Data sample: repeat study with tritrig+beam and physics trigger MC sample
- Distance between axial and stereo sensors
  - Increase distance for multiple modules at once
  - Reduce the distance
- Other movements:
  - Understand diagonal shape in E/p (PF last week)
  - rv of double sensors  $\rightarrow$  investigate geometry
- Aligning misaligned detectors: can we recover from tw movements?