

# ArgonCube 2x2 Physics Study

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## 0.1 Introduction

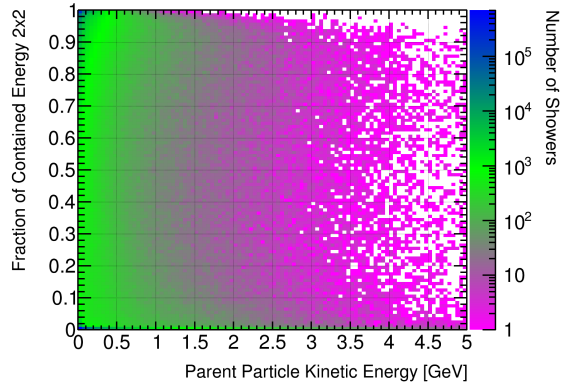
### EM Showers

### $\pi^0$ Showers

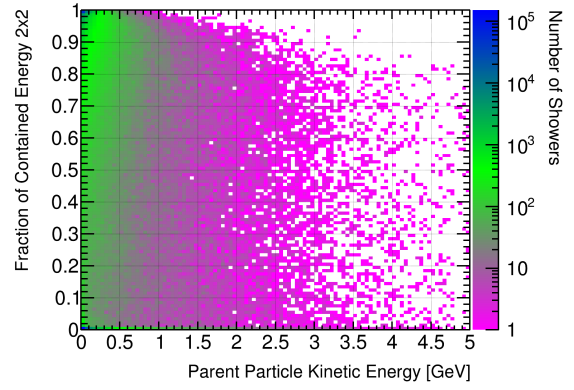
### Proton Induced Showers

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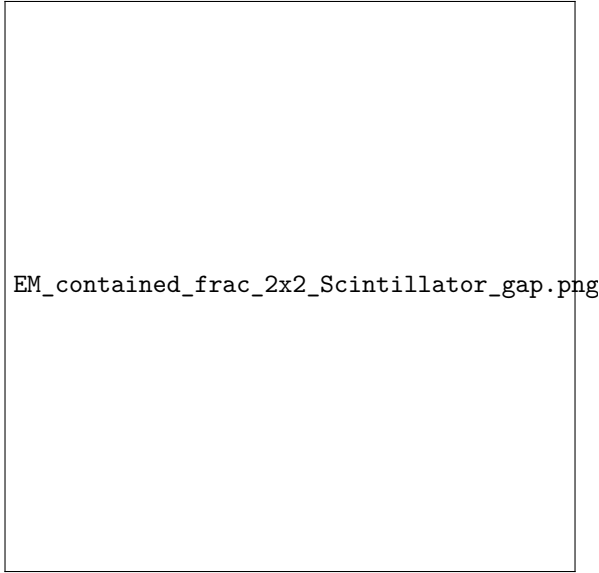
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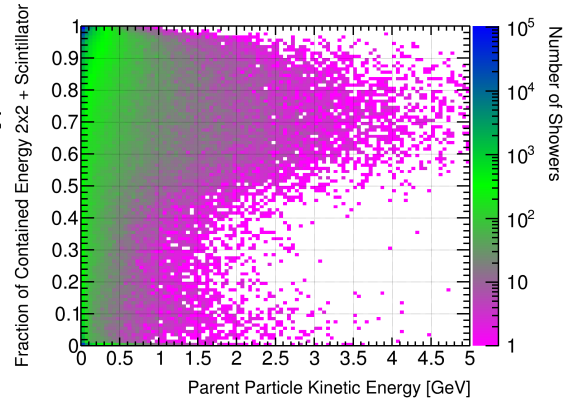
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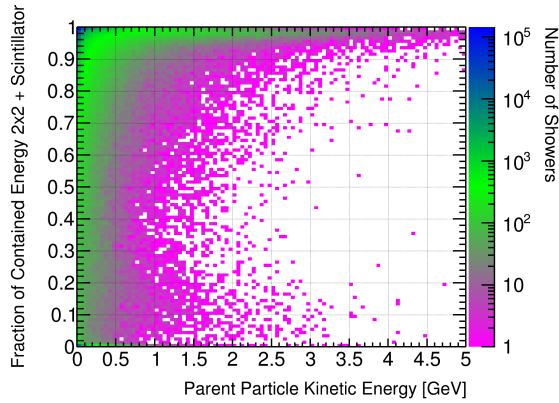
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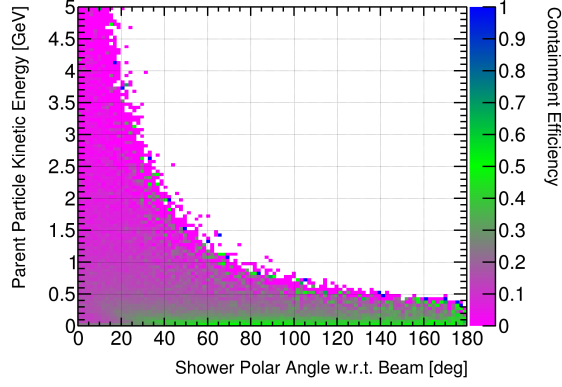


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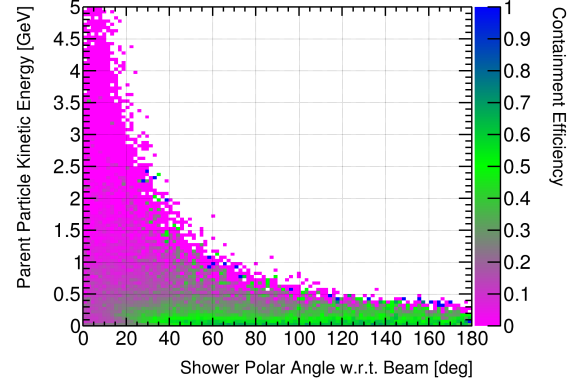


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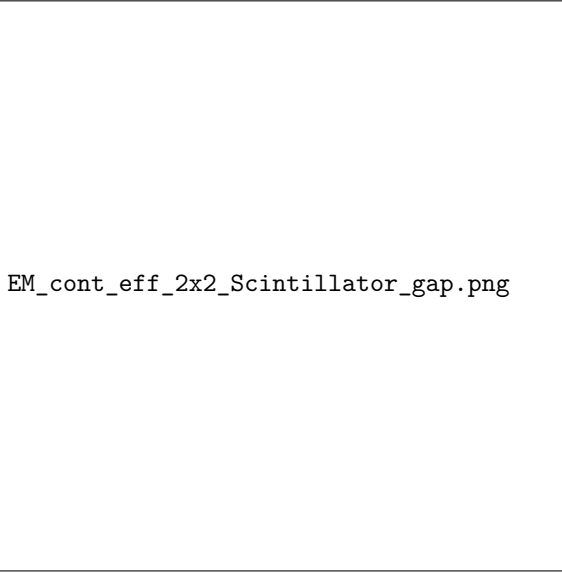
**Figure 1:** Fraction of kinetic shower energy ( $e^\pm$  mass ignored) deposited within the active detector volume.



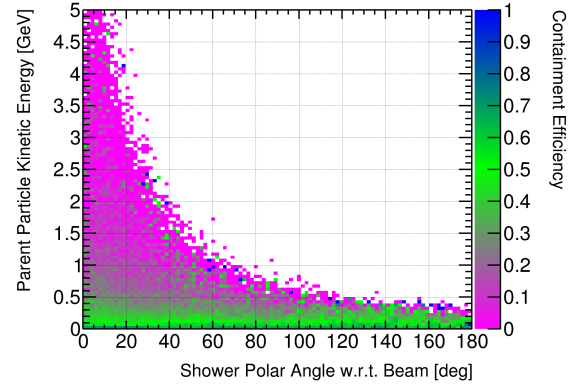
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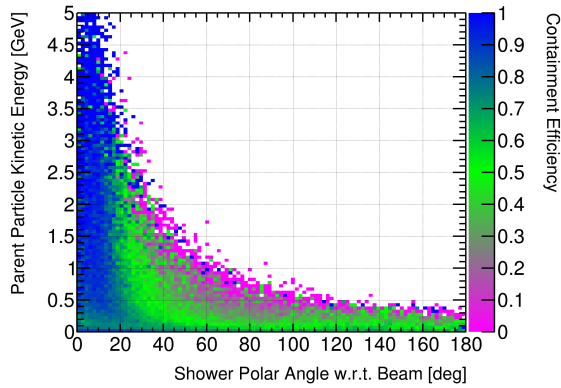
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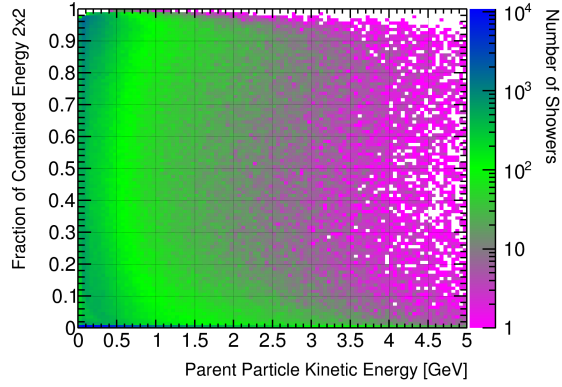


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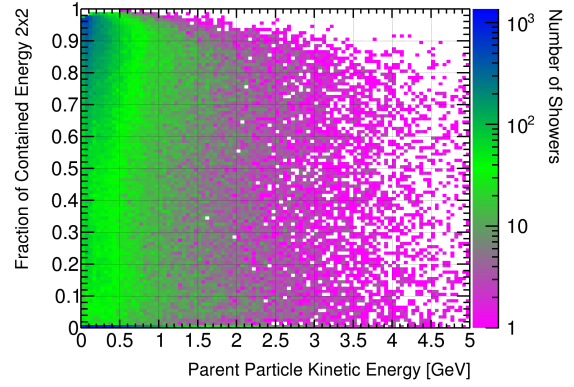


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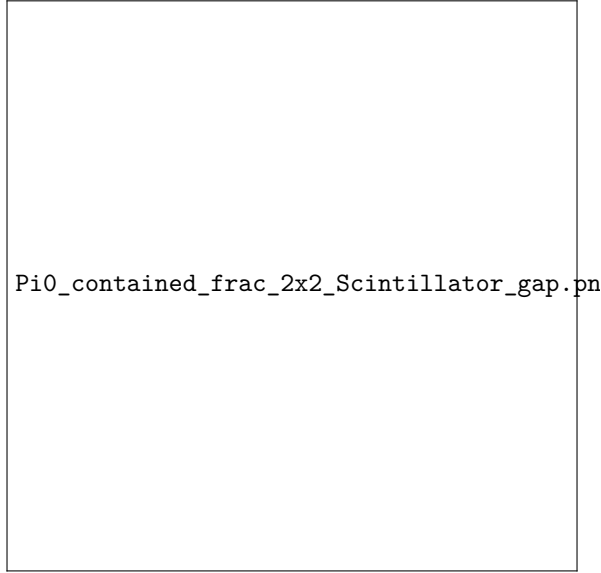
**Figure 2:** Shower-containment efficiency. A shower is classed as contained if at least 90% of the kinetic shower energy ( $e^\pm$  mass ignored) is deposited within the active detector volume.



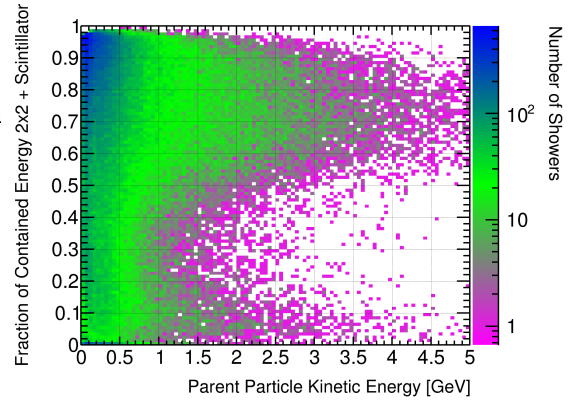
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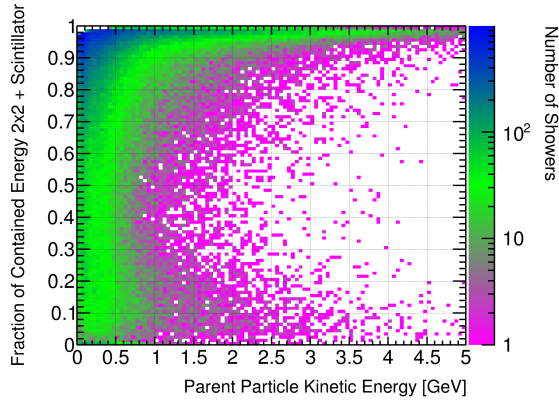
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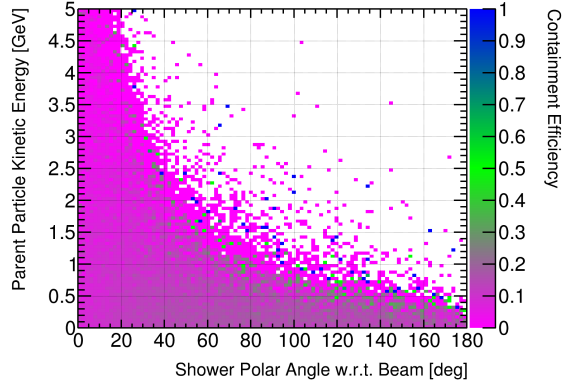


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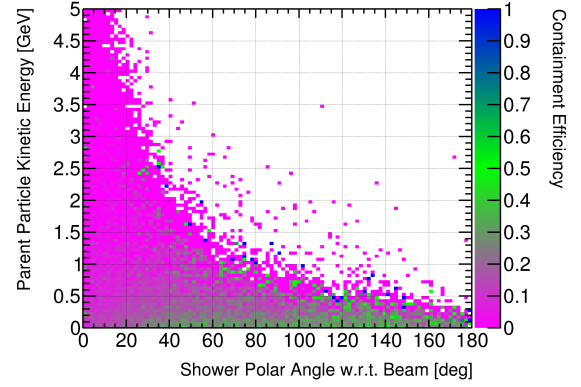


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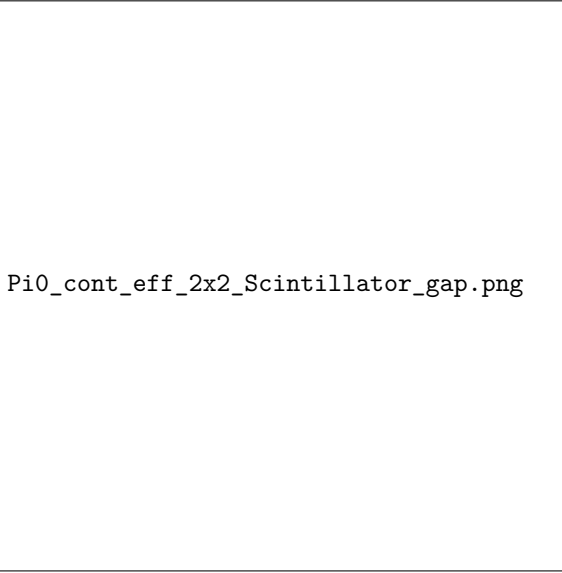
**Figure 3:** Fraction of total shower energy (including the  $\pi^0$  mass) deposited within the active detector volume.



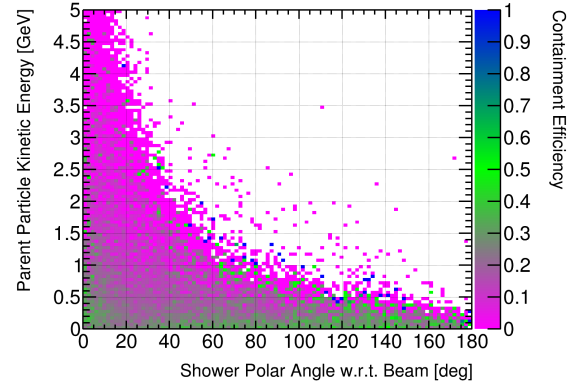
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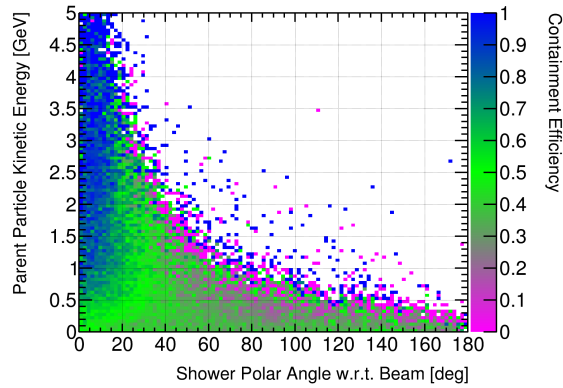
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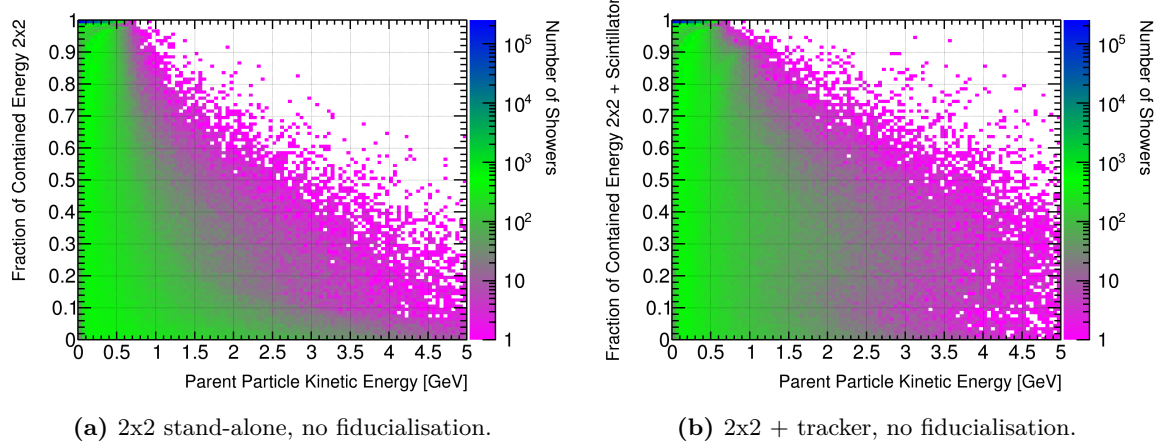


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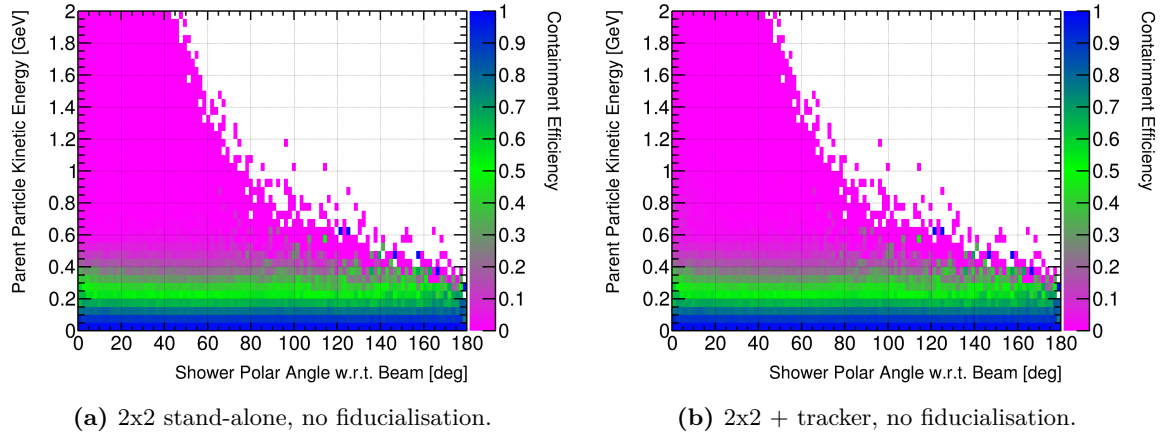


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**Figure 4:** Shower-containment efficiency. A shower is classed as contained if at least 90% of the total shower energy (including the  $\pi^0$  mass) is deposited within the active detector volume.



**Figure 5:** Fraction of initial proton kinetic energy deposited within the active detector volume.



**Figure 6:** Shower-containment efficiency. A shower is classed as contained if at least 90% of the initial proton kinetic energy is deposited within the active detector volume.