

Identification of:  $\pi^+$ ,  $\pi^-$  and  $p$  in:  $\gamma p \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- p$

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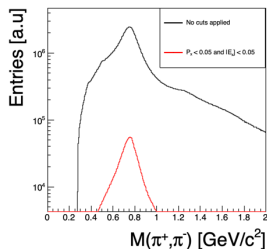
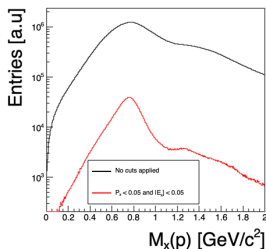
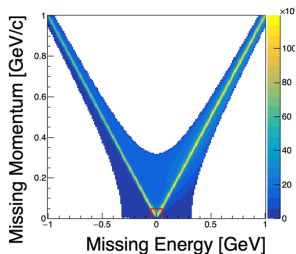
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# Overview

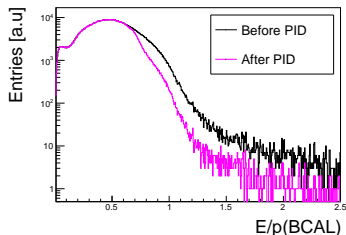
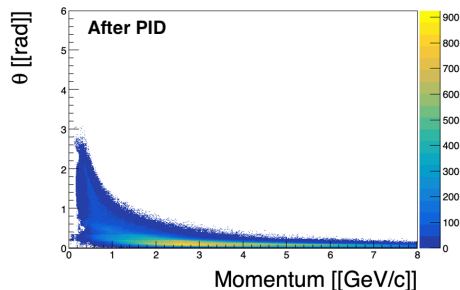
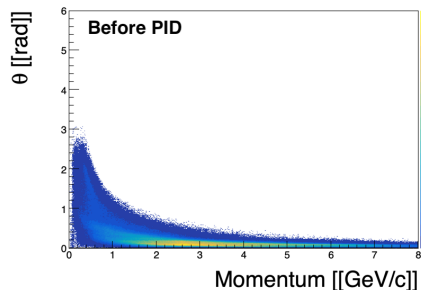
- Test PID-algorithms on measured data
- Define and understand efficiencies of algorithms
- Use specific channels to have "clean" particle samples:
  - i) For leptons:  $\pi^0 \rightarrow e^+ e^- \gamma$
  - ii) For pions and protons:  $\rho \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-$
  - iii) For kaons:  $\Phi \rightarrow K^+ K^-$
- Today: channel ii) measured in 2017 GlueX data set
- **Goal:** Determine identification efficiencies for charged particles
- Algorithm used:
  - ▶ Neural Networks + Bayesian probabilities
  - ▶ Detailed description on input variables, training procedure and performance in PID tech-note

# Event Selection

- Perform cut on missing momentum:  $P_x < 50 \text{ MeV}/c^2$  and missing energy:  $E_x \in [-50 \text{ MeV}, 50 \text{ MeV}]$
- All results shown in the following are based on these cuts
- No kinematic fit applied  $\rightarrow$  Only unfitted observables used

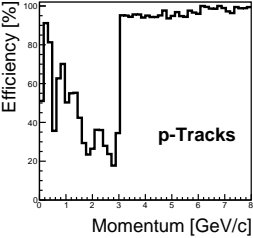
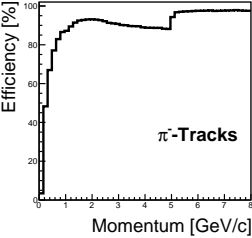
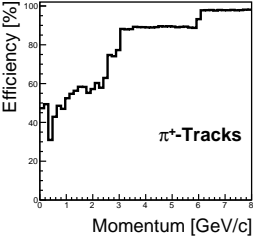
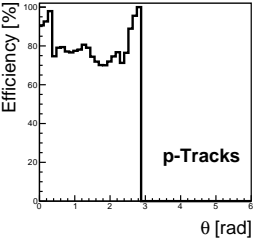
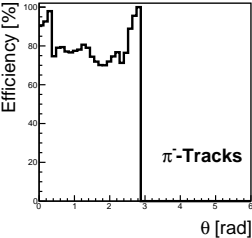
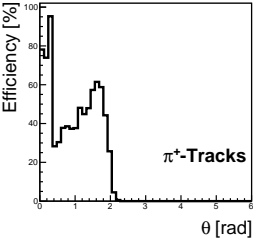


# Observables used to monitor Efficiencies



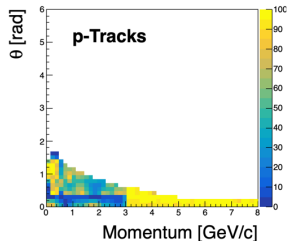
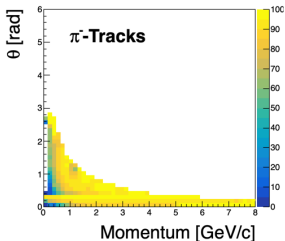
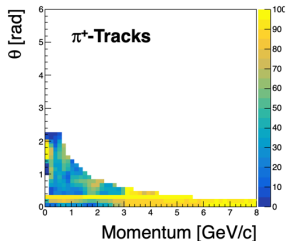
- Look at  $\theta$ , momentum and energy deposits in calorimeter
- Examples shown here:  $\pi^-$ -Tracks
- Define efficiency:  
 $\frac{\# \text{Tracks before PID}}{\# \text{Tracks after PID}}$

# Efficiencies in one Dimension



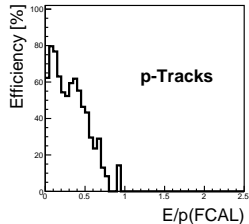
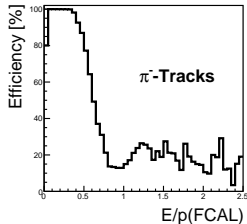
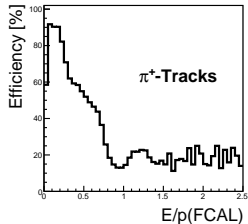
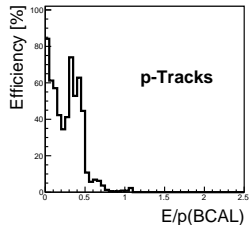
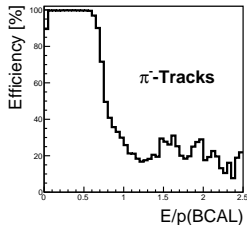
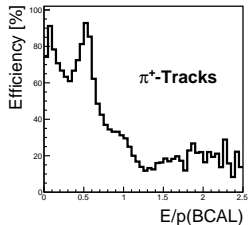
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# Efficiencies in two Dimensions



- Identification for protons done for momenta  $\leq 3$  GeV/c
- Efficiencies shown on z-Axis

# Efficiencies in the Calorimeters



- Look at calorimeter to check lepton-misidentification
- Misidentify  $\pi^\pm$  and p as leptons for  $E/p \gtrsim 0.5$

# Summary and Outlook

- Checked identification efficiencies for  $\pi^\pm$  and  $p$
- Used  $\rho \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-$  within the 2017 data set
- Compare (integrated) efficiencies between measured and simulated (single) particle tracks:

Particle	Efficiency ( $\rho \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-$ ) [%]	Efficiency (simulated single tracks) [%]
$\pi^-$	90	94
$\pi^+$	71	73
$p$	62	73

- Repeat study for simulated  $\rho \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-$  events
- Need to understand why agreement is bad for protons
- Next: check efficiencies for leptons in measured/simulated  $\pi^0 \rightarrow e^+e^-\gamma$  events