Charged pions in the BCAL

- 50,000 single-charged-pion events isolated from pythia sample
- Construct tracks (DReferenceTrajectory) from
 thrown momentum



Charged pions in the BCAL

~22,000 events with >1 BCAL Shower



Matching tracks to clusters

- How to decide if track matches a BCAL cluster
 - DParticleID:MatchToBCAL()
 - Calculate track's point of closest approach to cluster location
 - Compare POCA with cluster location, track matches if

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$$|\Delta z| < 10 \text{ cm & \&}$$

• $|\Delta \phi + 0.002 + \frac{0.008314}{(p+0.3788)^2}| < 3\left(0.025 + \frac{0.00058}{p^3}\right)$
- ???

- This is wrong
 - No consideration of radial coordinate means you get matches where track is not near BCAL

Matching tracks to clusters

- Compute closest distance between thrown
 track and BCAL cluster
- Only ~50% of clusters in black box



Timing

- (shower time) (flight time to POCA of reconstructed track)
- Using more stringent than default matching criteria to prevent false matches



Timing

- Potential effect on PID?
- Why?
 - Not due to bad cluster-track matching

