



Identification of particles and Track Efficiency

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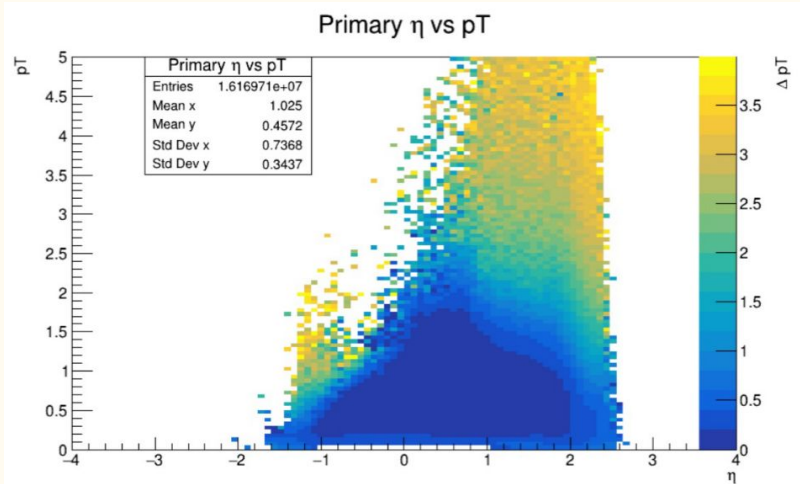
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Cuts

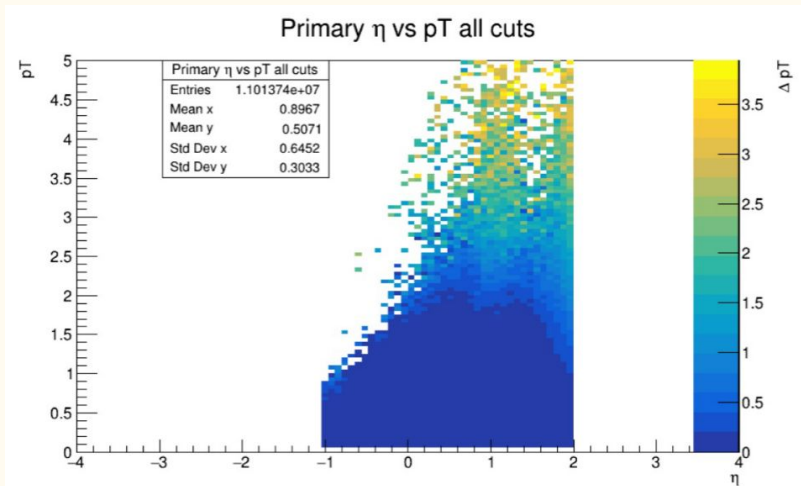
- Eta (-1 , 2)
- DCA ≤ 2
- Num of Hits $\Rightarrow 20$
- Impact parameter $b < 13$

System

- Fixed Target
- Xe(A = 124) + W(A = 184)
- Events 384,800



(a) Without cuts



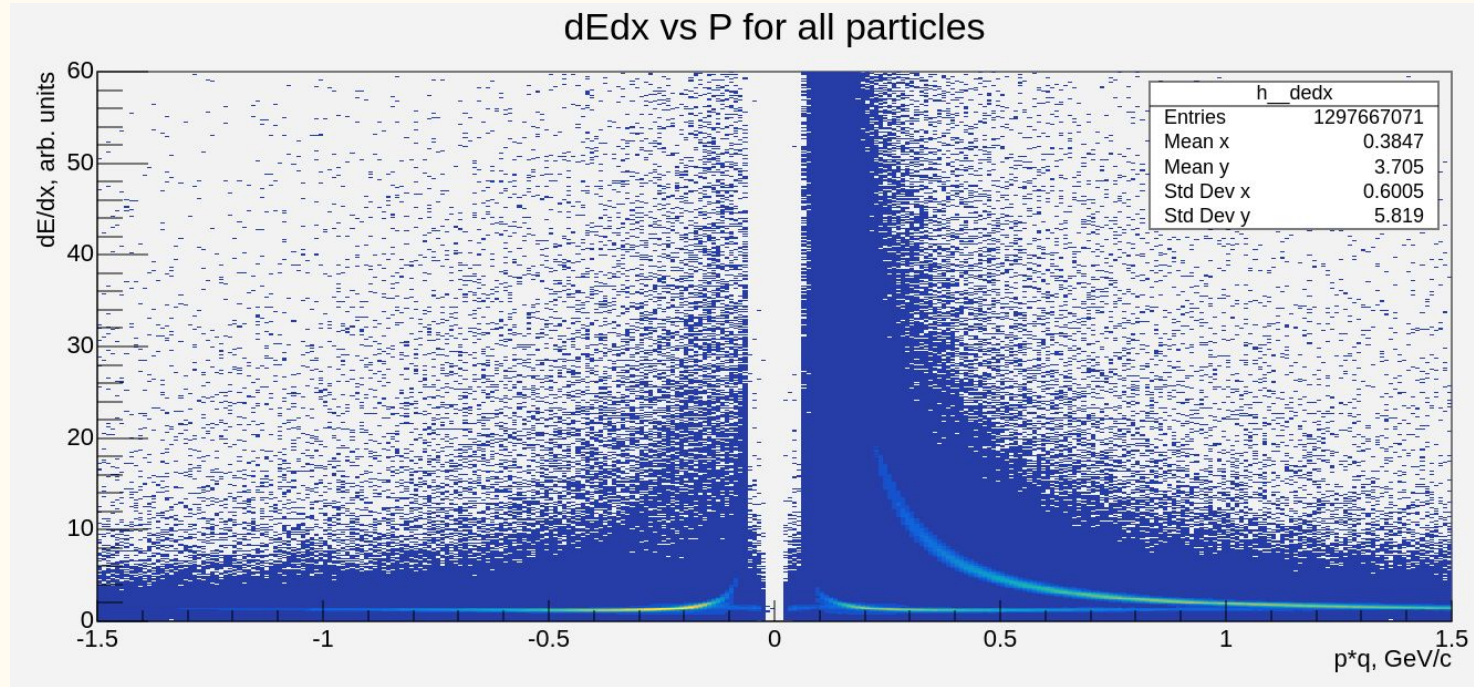
(b) With cuts

Bethe-Bloch equation

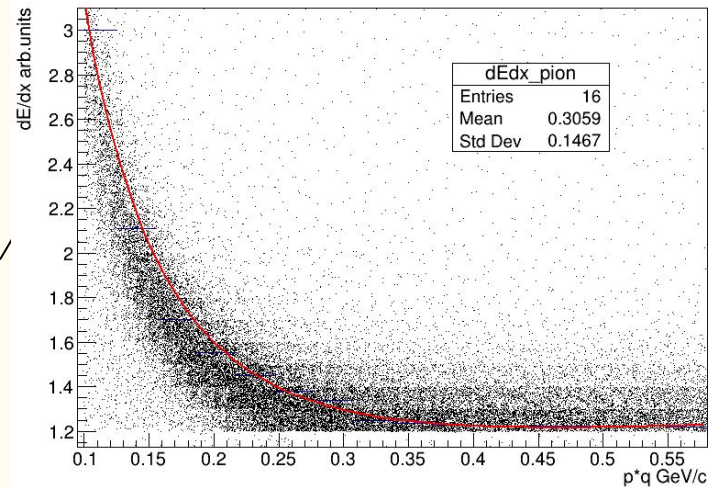
Using the Bethe-Bloch equation, adjustments were made for energy loss

$$-\frac{dE}{dx} = \underbrace{2\pi N_A r_e^2 m_e c^2}_{0,1535 \text{ MeVcm}^2/\text{g}} \rho \frac{Z}{A} \frac{z^2}{\beta^2} \left[\ln \left(\frac{2m_e \gamma^2 v^2 W_{\text{máx}}}{I^2} \right) - 2\beta^2 \right]$$

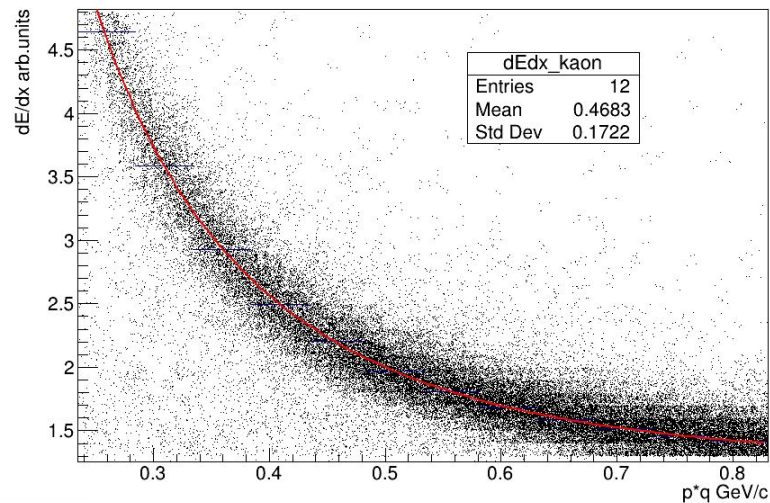
All Particles



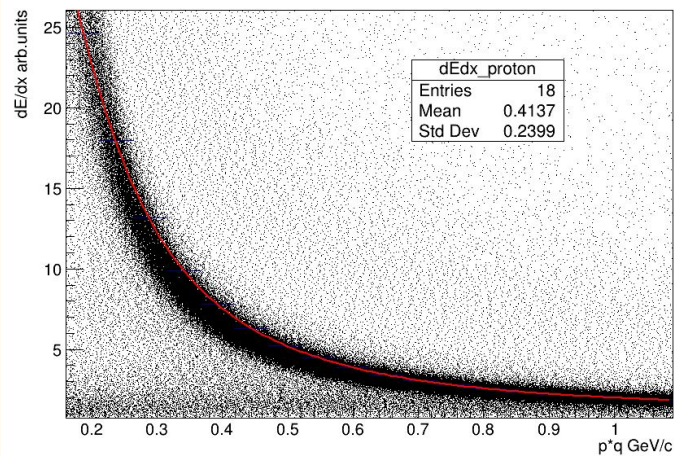
dE/dx parameterization for the pion



dE/dx parameterization for the kaon



dE/dx parameterization for the proton

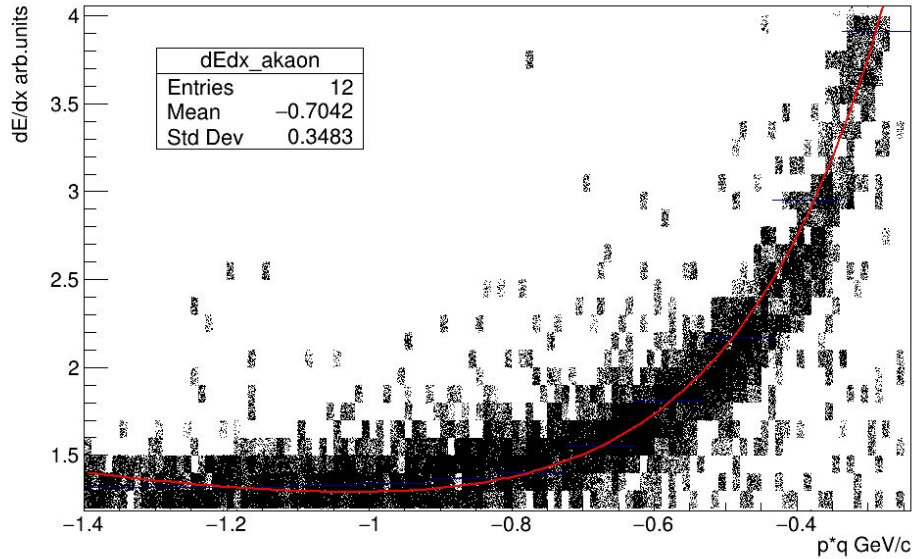


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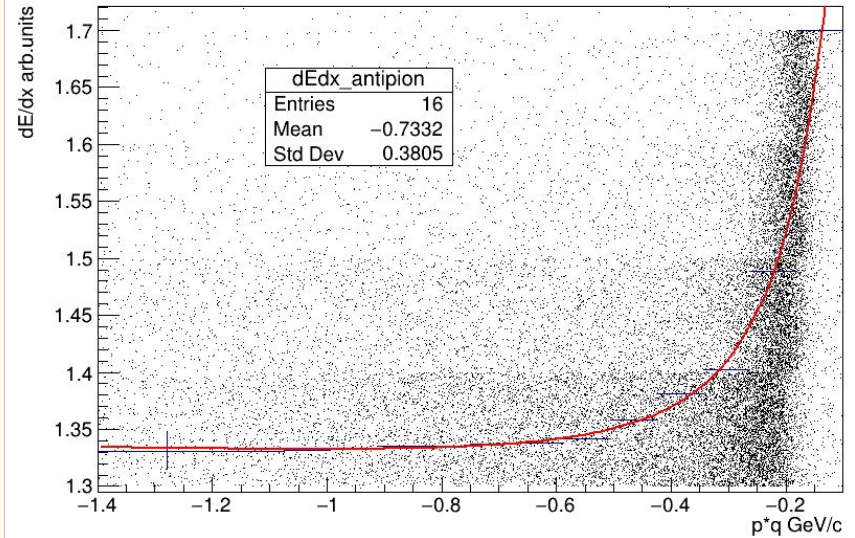
In the case of the simulation to the energy we are using, antiprotons cannot be found

Antiparticles

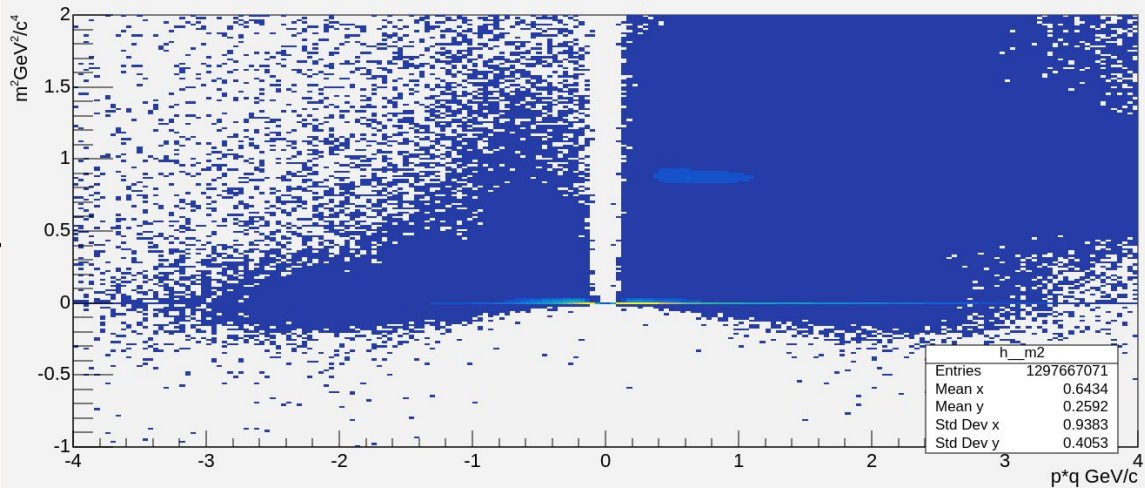
dE/dx parameterization for the antikaon



dE/dx parameterization for the antiproton

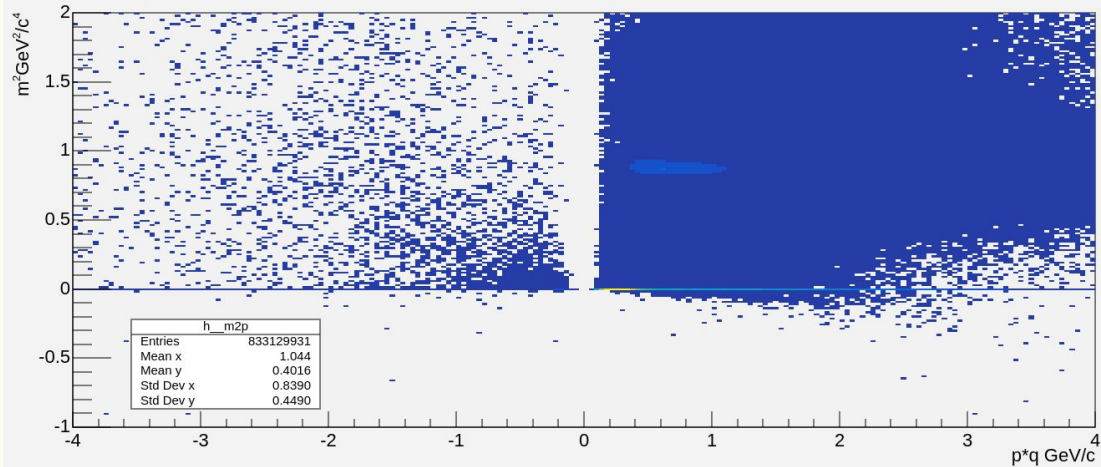


m^2 vs P for all particles

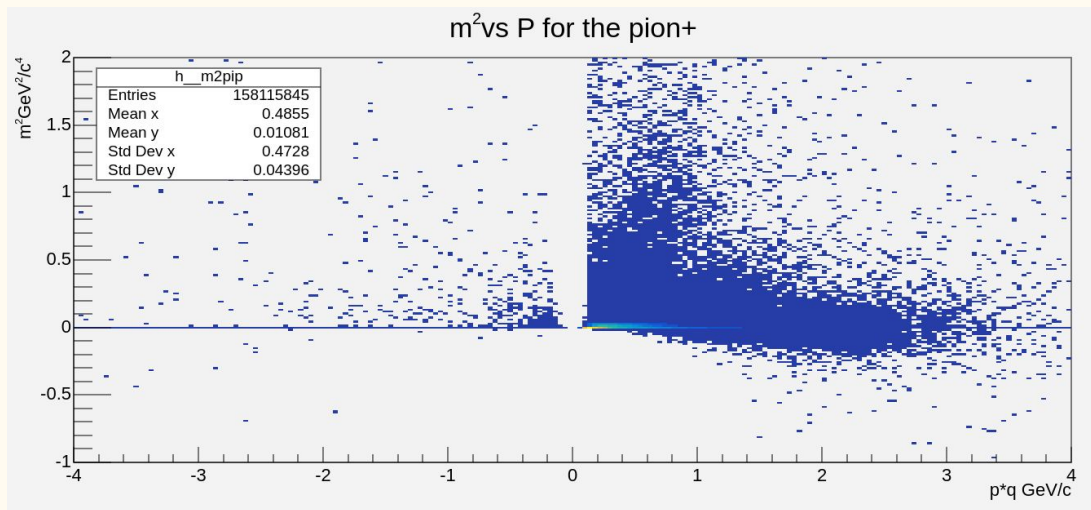
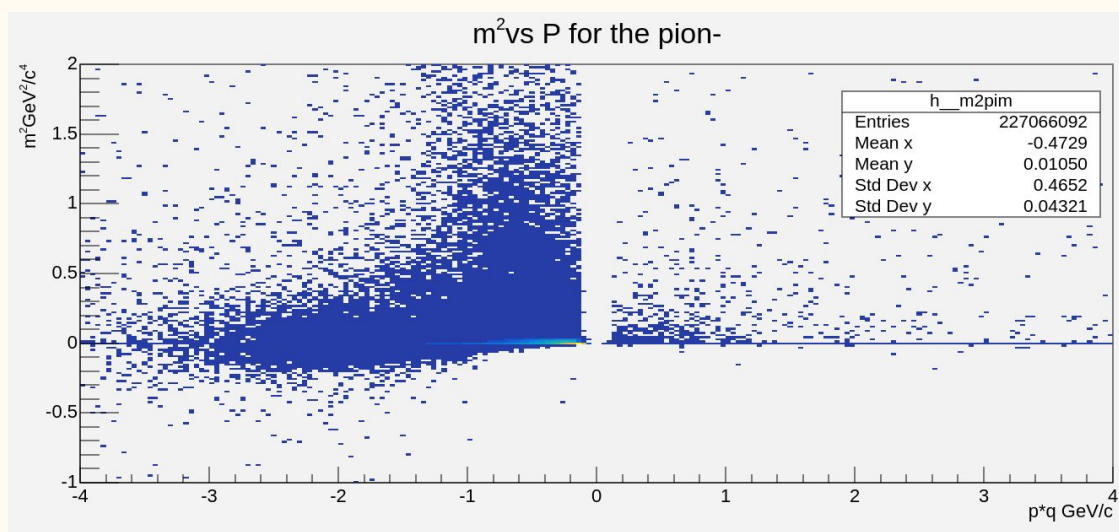


Mass²
All particles
Protons

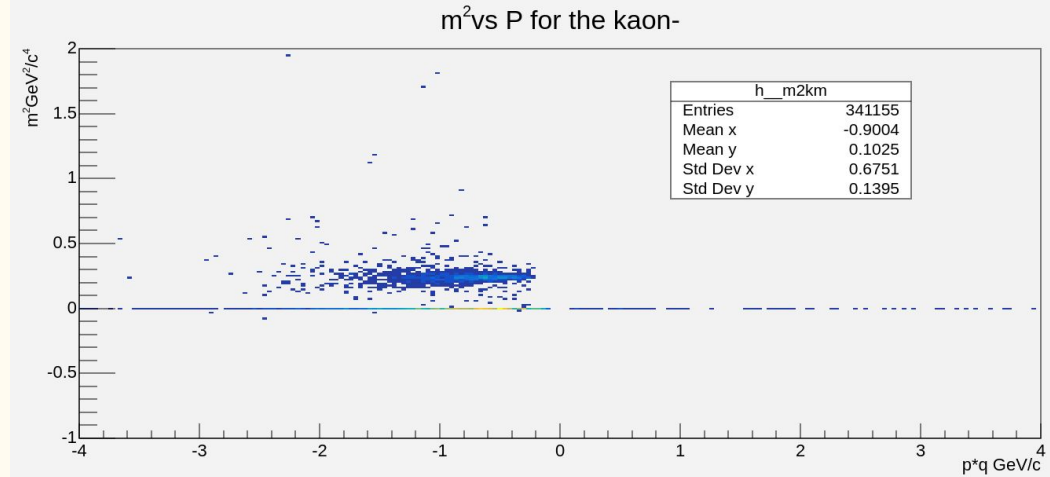
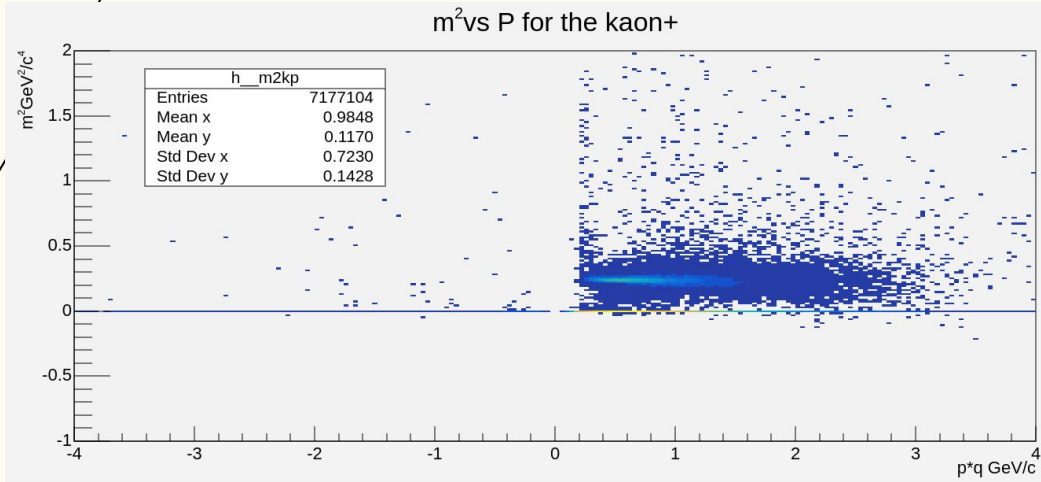
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Pion and Antipion



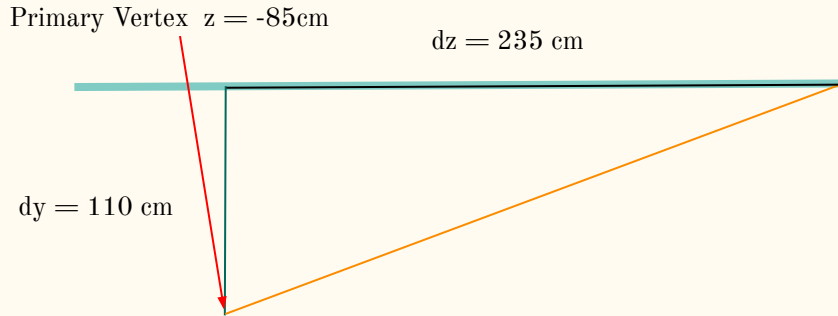
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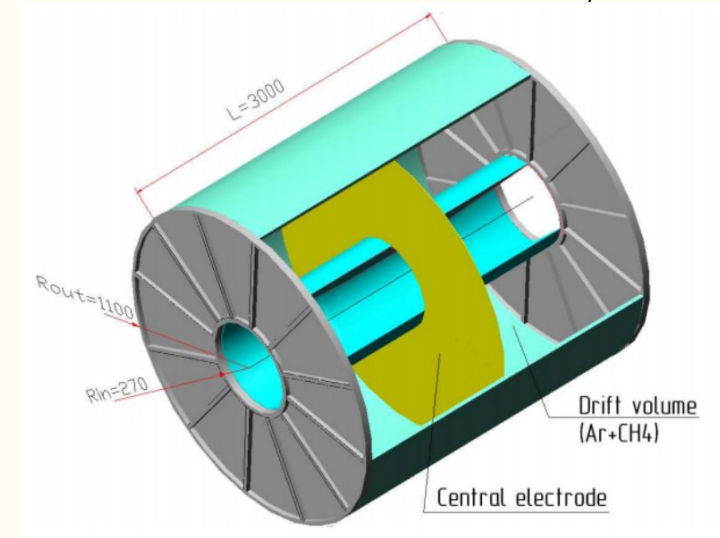
Geometric cut on pT

Needed Variables

Using as a maximum momentum P , the momentum of a pion that gets all the Energy of the center of mass.



TPC dimensions [5]



This is possible because it is a Fixed Target Experiment

Geometric cut on pT

Pion Max momentum

$$P^2 = E_{cm}^2 - m_\pi^2 = (2.9)^2 - (0.139)^2 = 8.3906 \text{ Gev}$$

pT cut:

$$\mathbf{pT = 3.557 Gev}$$

Equation to Solve:

$$\frac{dy}{dz} = \frac{p_T}{p_z} = \frac{p_T}{\sqrt{P^2 - p_T^2}}$$

$$p_T = \sqrt{\frac{P^2}{\left(\frac{dz}{dy}\right)^2 + 1}}$$

Track Efficiency as a function of pT

Cuts on MC Tracks:

Only Primary Particles

Only Charged particles

eta in (-1, 2)

impact parameter $b < 13$

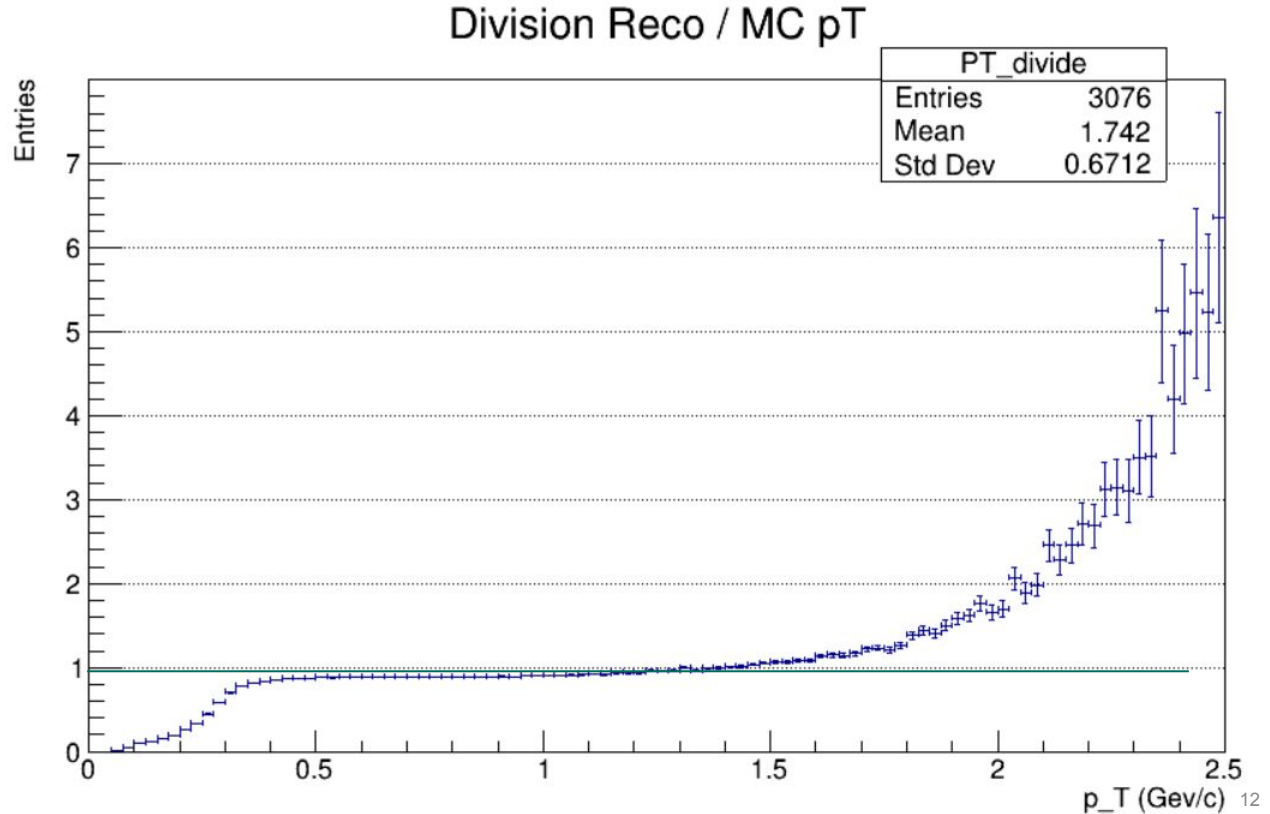
Cuts on Reco Tracks:

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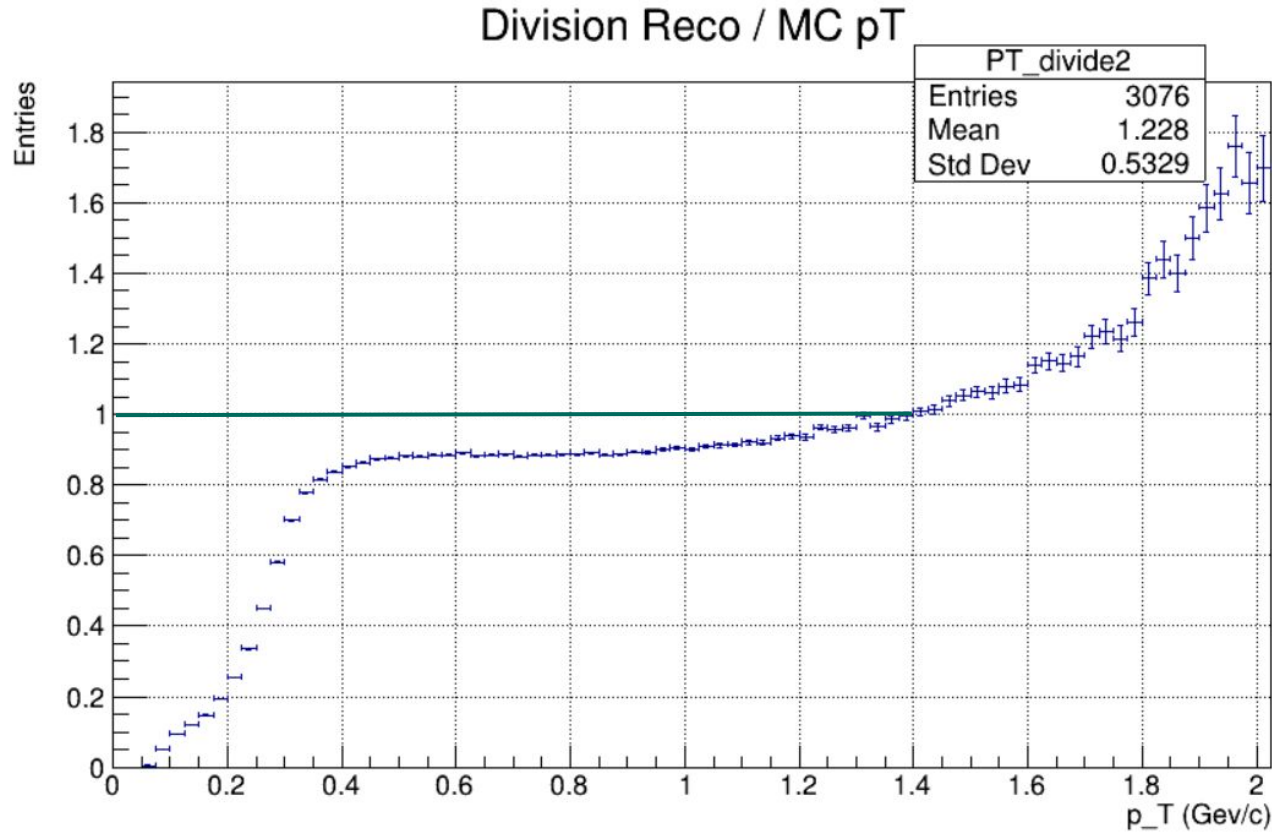
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Zoom Track Efficiency as a function of pT



Track Efficiency vs z-Vertex - Eta

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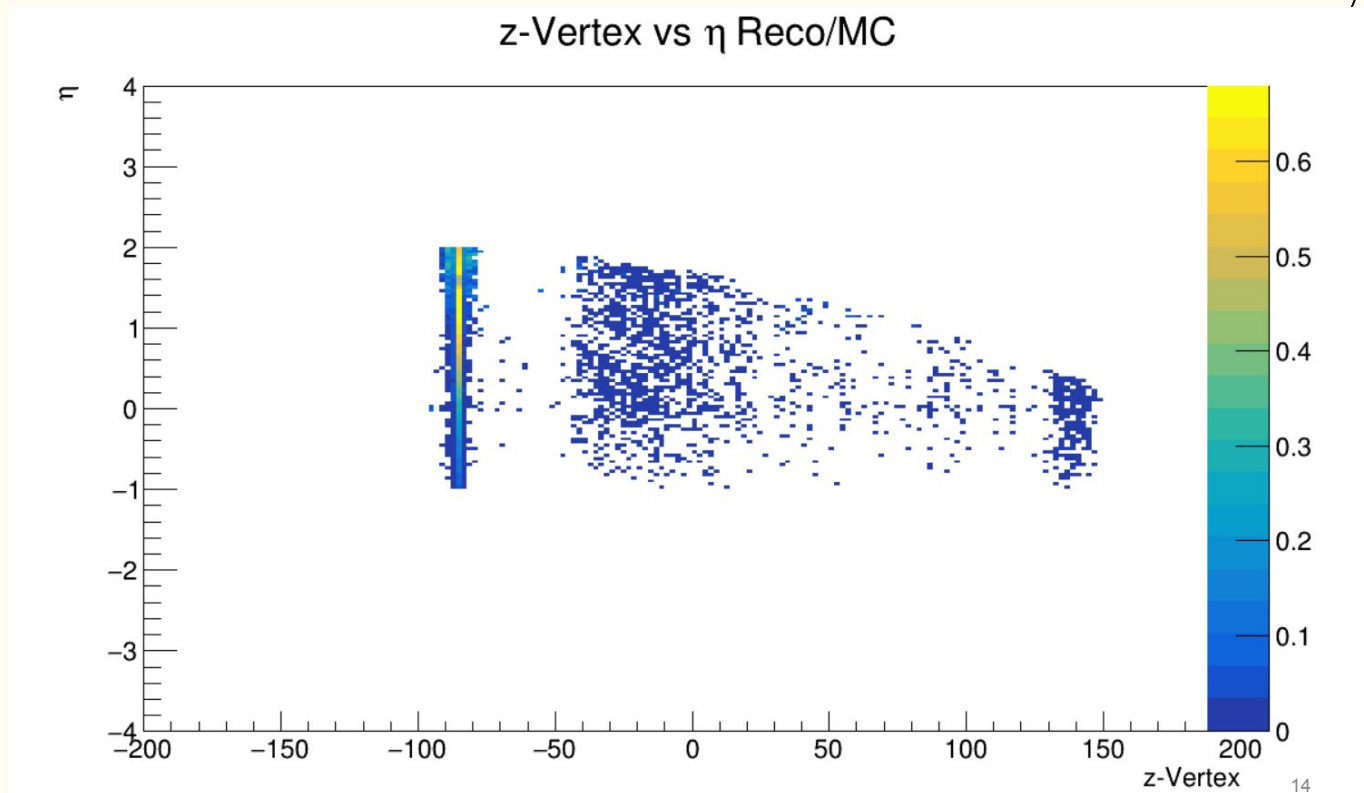
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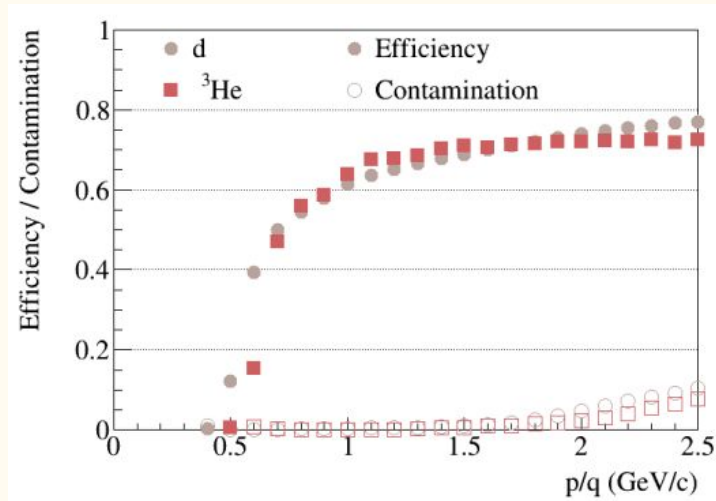
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Future work

Implement the identification of particles for the use of centrality wagon and use selection by particle species for charged



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