

EPIC detector performance studies

- DD4hep and eicrecon -

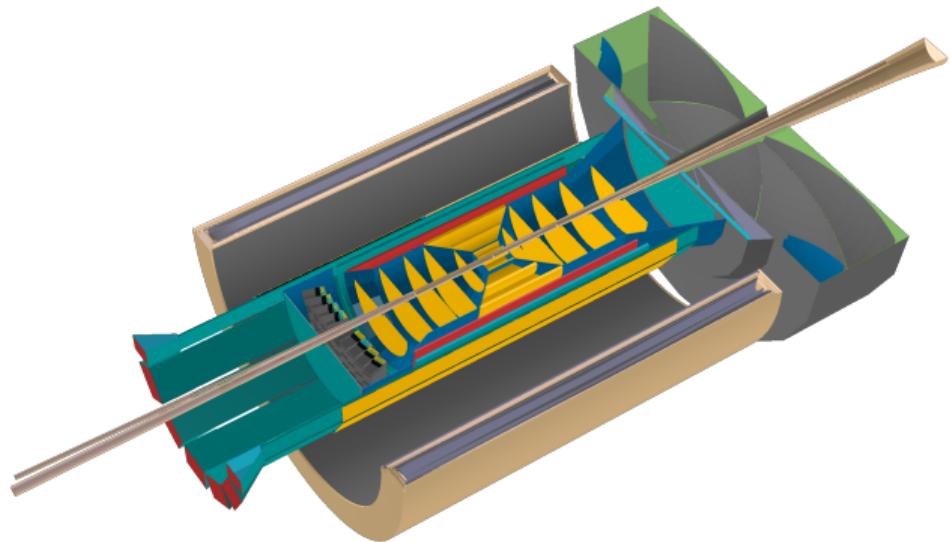
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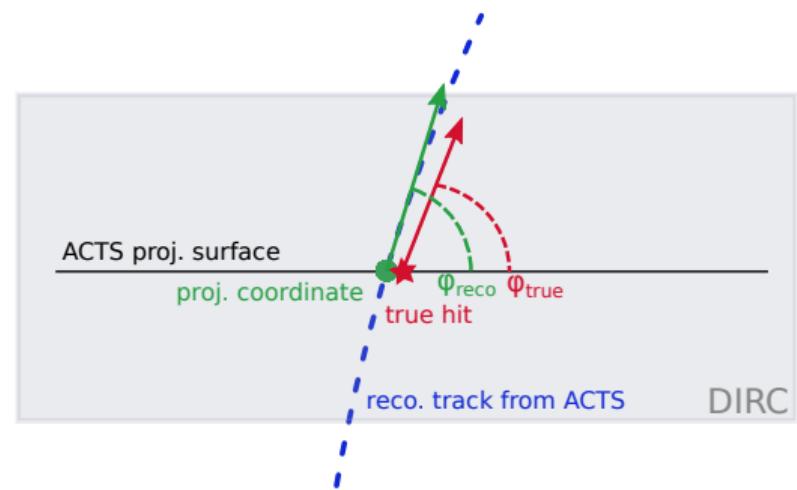
Simulation setup

- Arches with only tracking systems
- Single particle simulations:
 - flat in $0.1 < p < 10 \text{ GeV}$, $0 < \varphi < 2\pi$ and $-4 < \eta < 4$
 - 4M events per detector setup generated on ORNL Cades
- Reconstruction with latest eicrecon software
 - truth seeded ACTS tracking



Angular resolution studies - concept

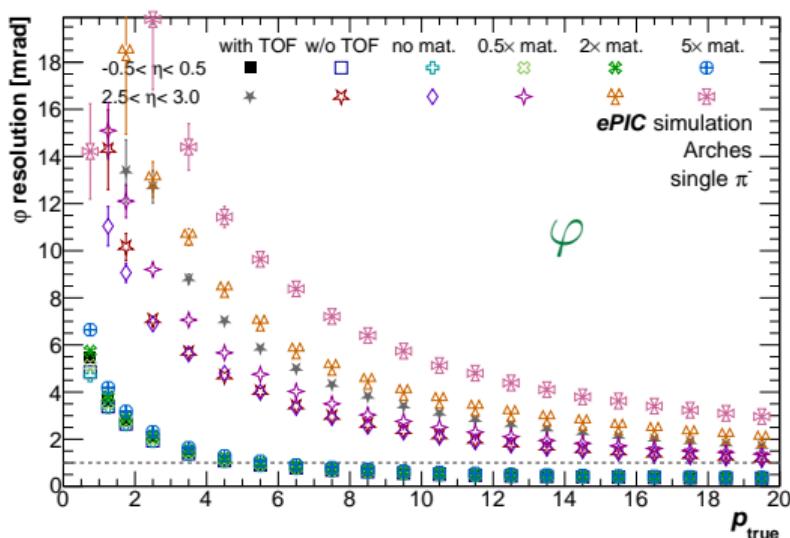
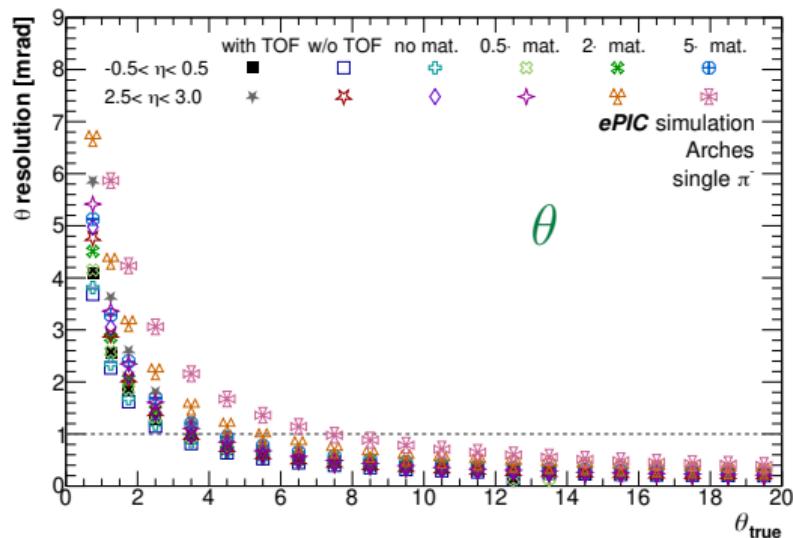
- Reconstructed angle:
 - create ACTS projection surface at entrance of Cherenkov detectors
 - momentum vector of track at projection surface provides position and angles
- True angle:
 - deactivate cherenkov light propagation in npsim
 - use hit closest to projection surface as reference for angle and position (angle obtained from hit momentum vector)
- Tracking studies processor finished ([link])



φ and θ resolution vs material budget

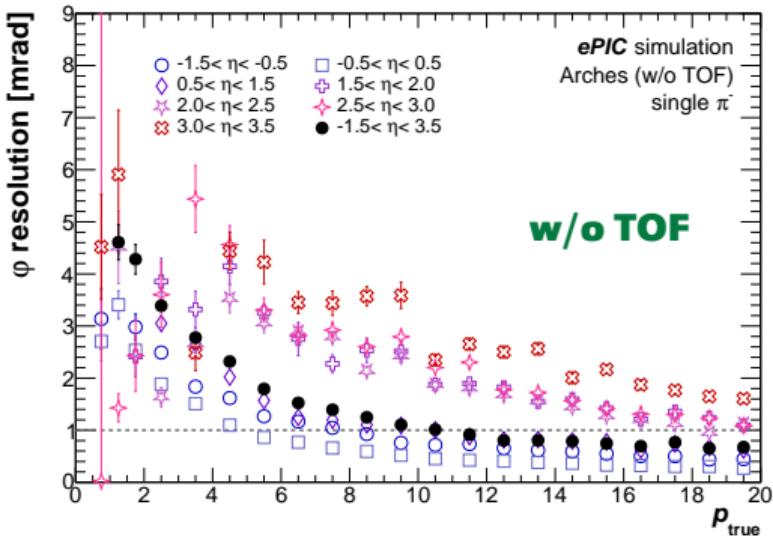
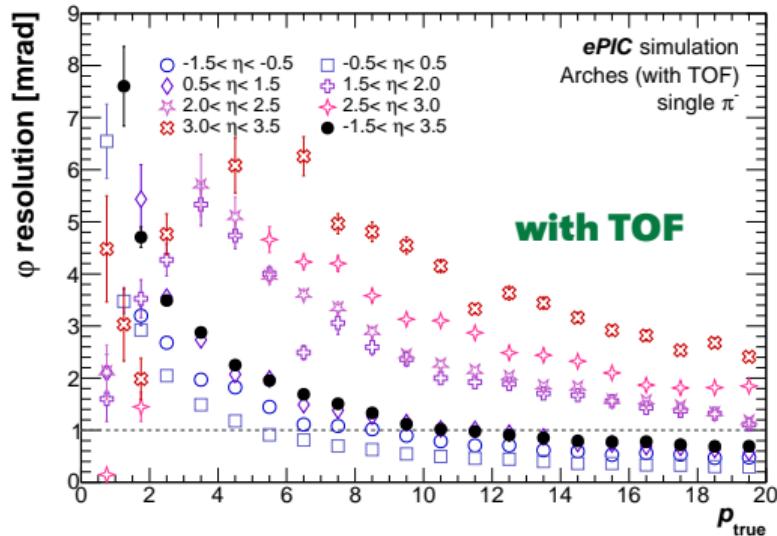
- Angular resolutions (θ and φ) determined
- Multiple material budget variations:
→ only sensors (no mat.) to factor 5 in overall material
- θ resolutions less affected (only in extreme case fwd)
- φ resolution unaffected in barrel
- Strong material budget dependence for φ in fwd!

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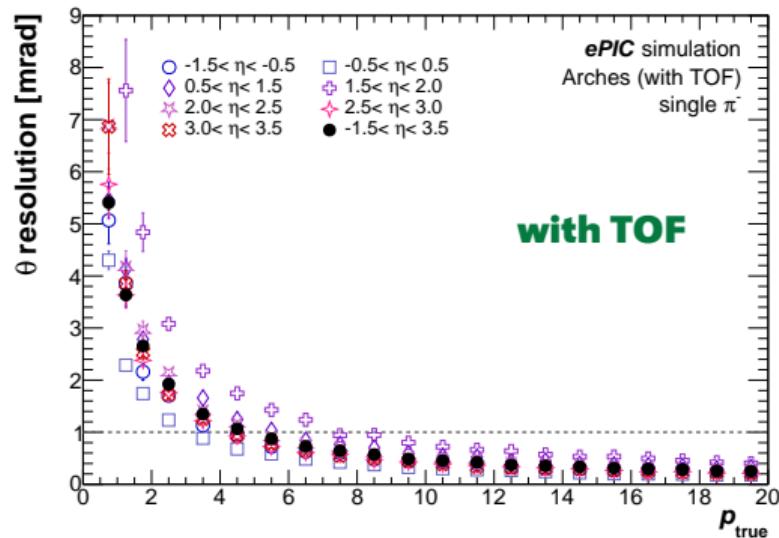
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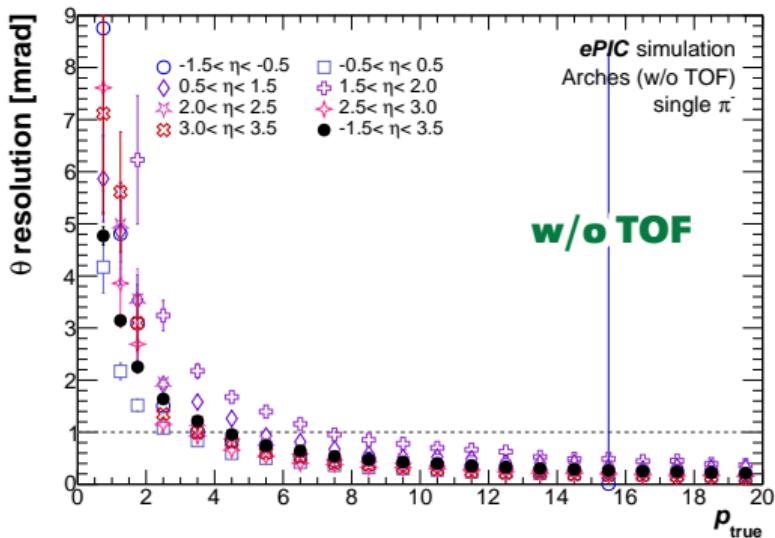
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TOF TTL studies

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Comparison of Resolutions with and w/o TOF

- Resolutions worse with TOF
 - are track quality cuts needed?
 - is material the culprit?
- Open questions to be answered in next iteration

