

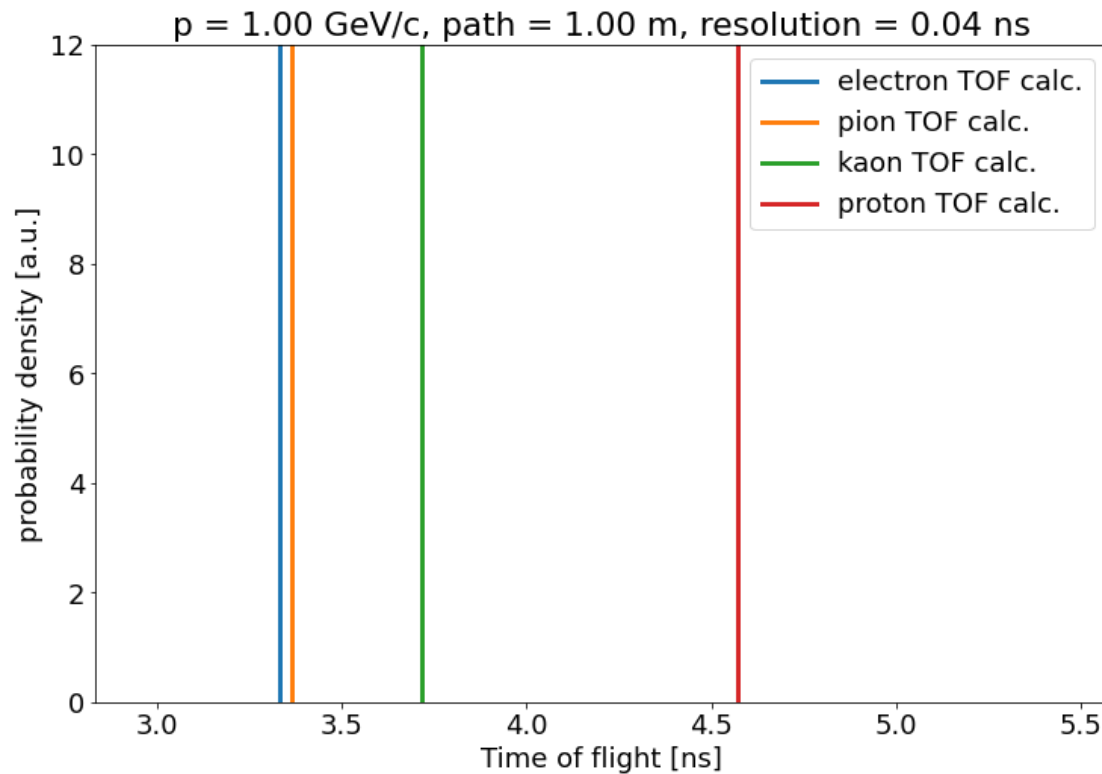
TOF Reco & Lookup Tables

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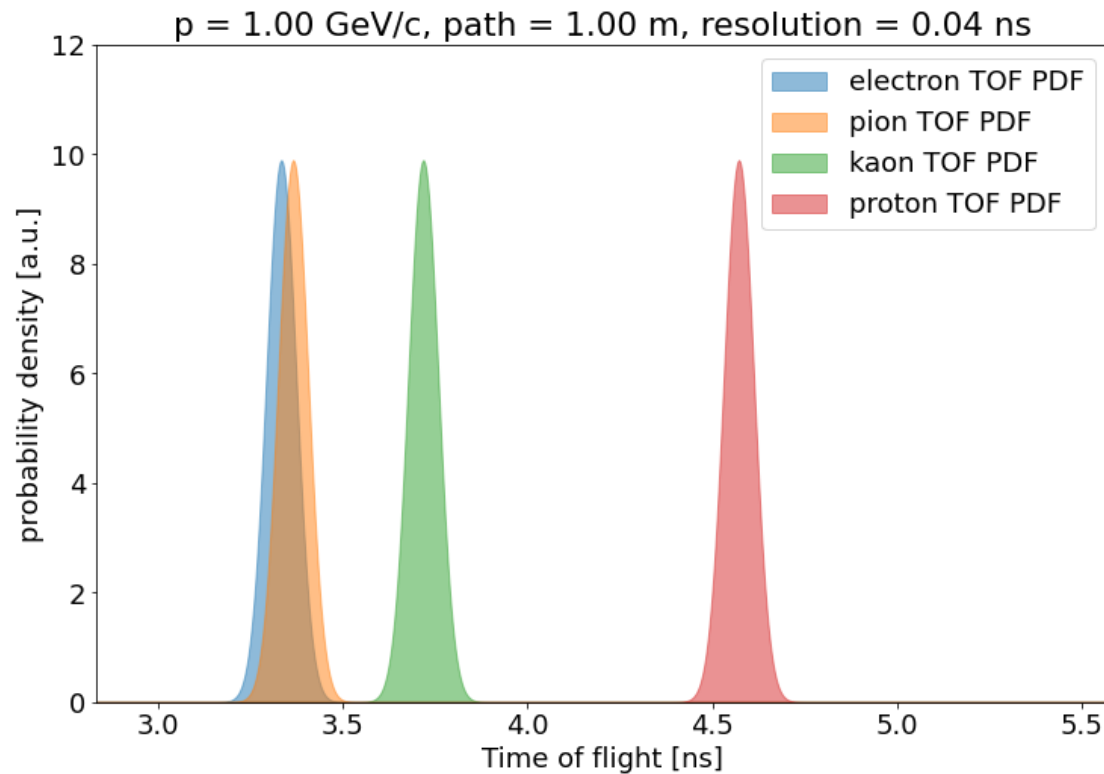
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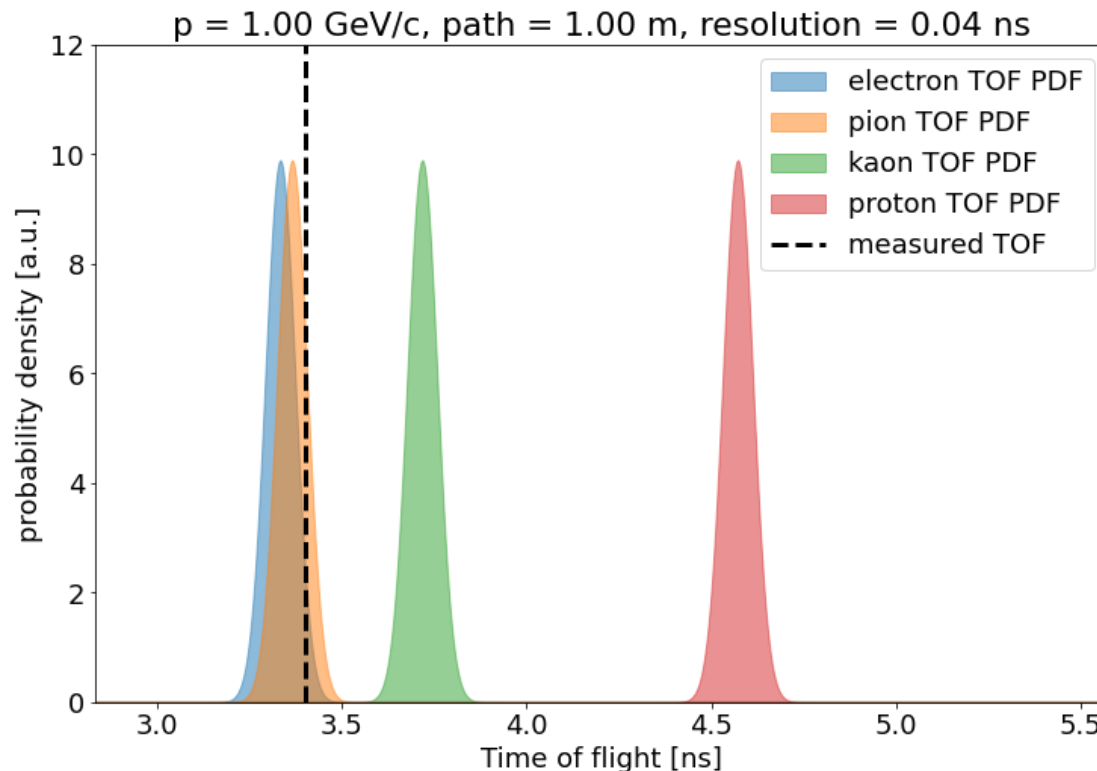
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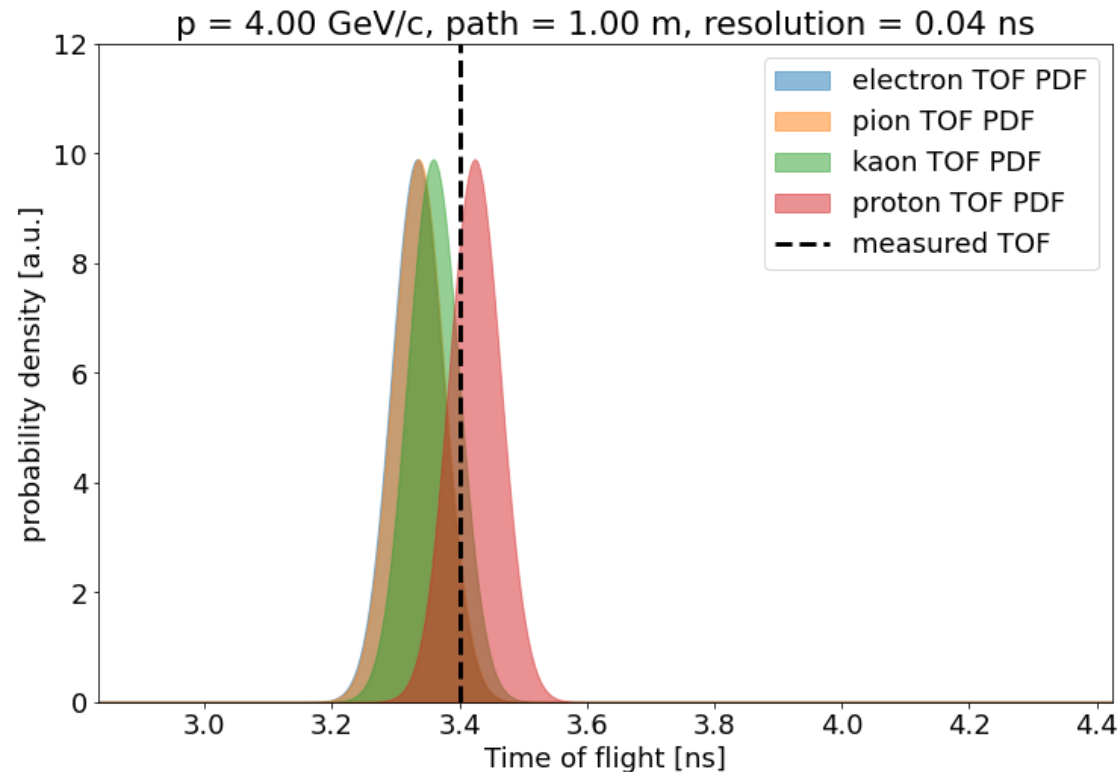
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 - $LL(e): 0.92$
- $L(\pi): 6.88$
 - $LL(\pi): 1.93$
- $L(K): 0.00$
 - $LL(K): -28.7$
- $L(p): 0.00$
 - $LL(p): -419$
- **Prob(π) = $L(\pi) / (\text{sum}(L)) = 72.3\%$**

TOF Reconstruction Recap IV

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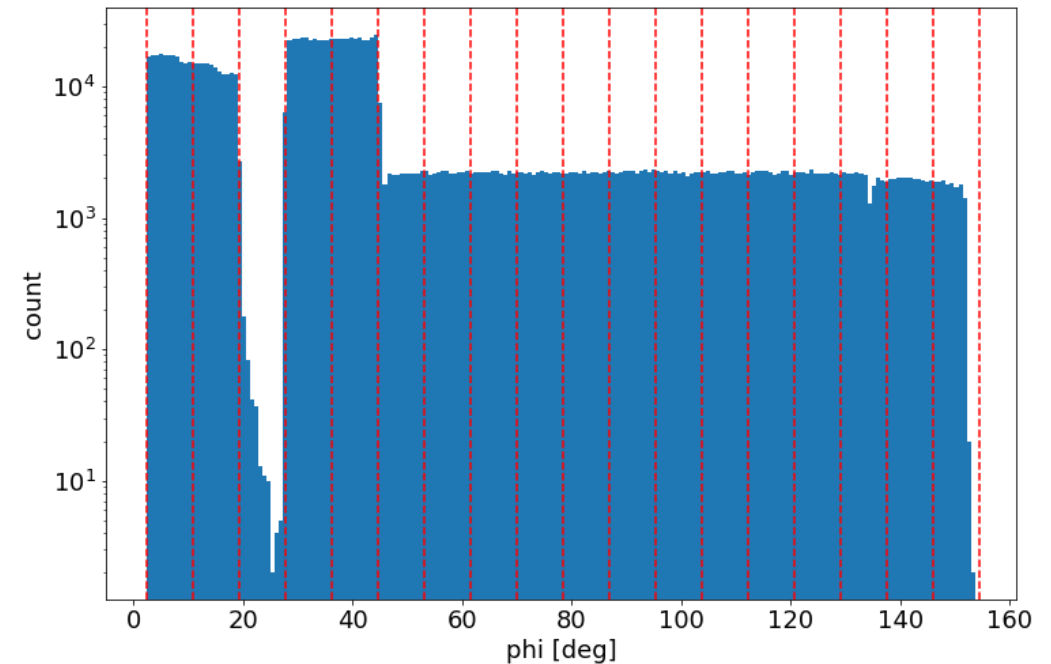
- $L(e): 2.52$
 - $LL(e): 0.92$
- $L(\pi): 2.74$
 - $LL(\pi): 1.01$
- $L(K): 5.84$
 - $LL(K): 1.77$
- $L(p): 8.31$
 - $LL(p): 2.12$
- **$\text{Prob}(\pi) = L(\pi) / (\text{sum}(L)) = 14.1\%$**

Lookup Tables for ePIC PID

- Temporary standin for ePIC physics studies.
- Each PID system provides particle ID probabilities $p(e)$, $p(\pi)$, $p(K)$, $p(p)$ in tables, binned in:
 - Truth PID, q , p , ϕ , θ . Bins in p , ϕ , θ chosen by subsystem.
 - Straightforward to extract from MC: Throw known truth particles, count reconstruction probabilities in given bin.
- “Reconstructed PID” here means “most likely hypothesis”
 - This is **a** valid choice of working point, but not necessarily the **best** or **only** possibility
 - Some surprising consequences arise...

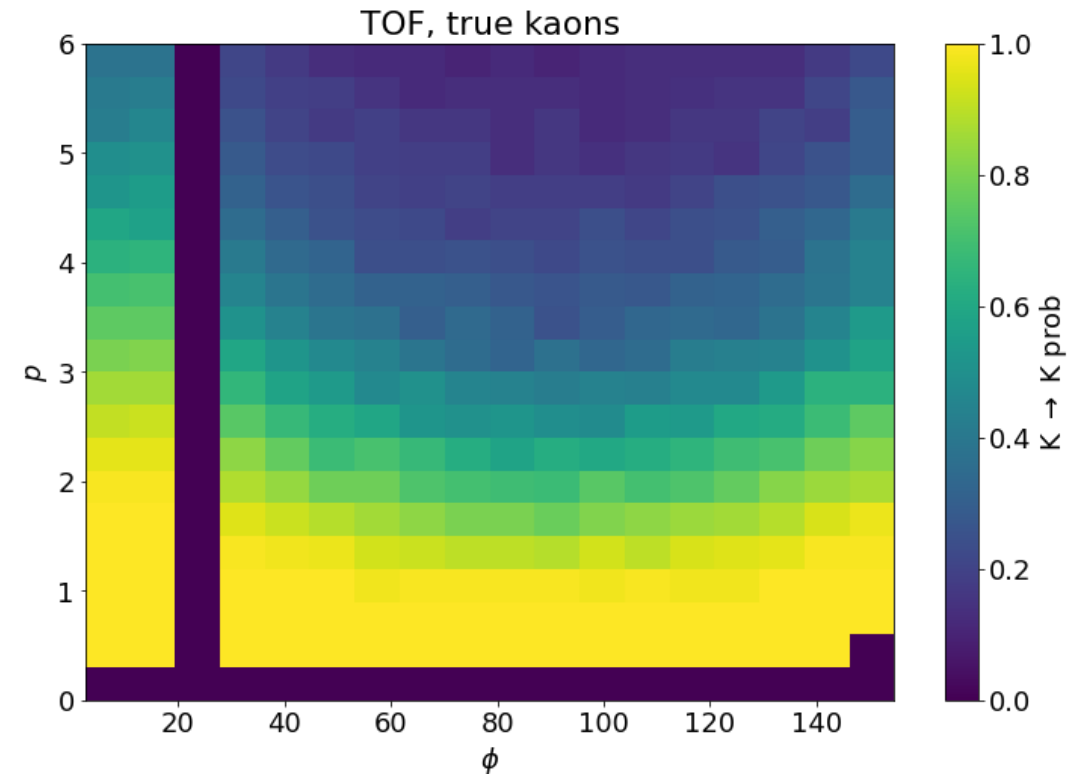
TOF Lookup Table Binning

- Existing MC sample for TOF performance study is finite
- TOF is symmetric (enough) in theta, q
- 17 bins in phi
 - Nicely covers gap between forward and barrel with single “empty” bin
 - Expect more structure in barrel than in endcap
- 20 bins in p : $[0, 6]$ GeV/c
 - Covers most structure, good enough.



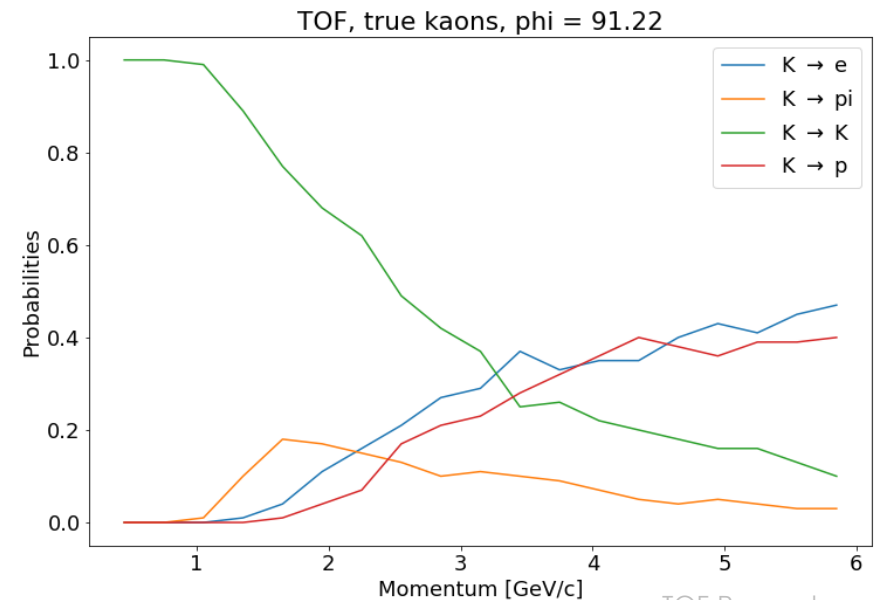
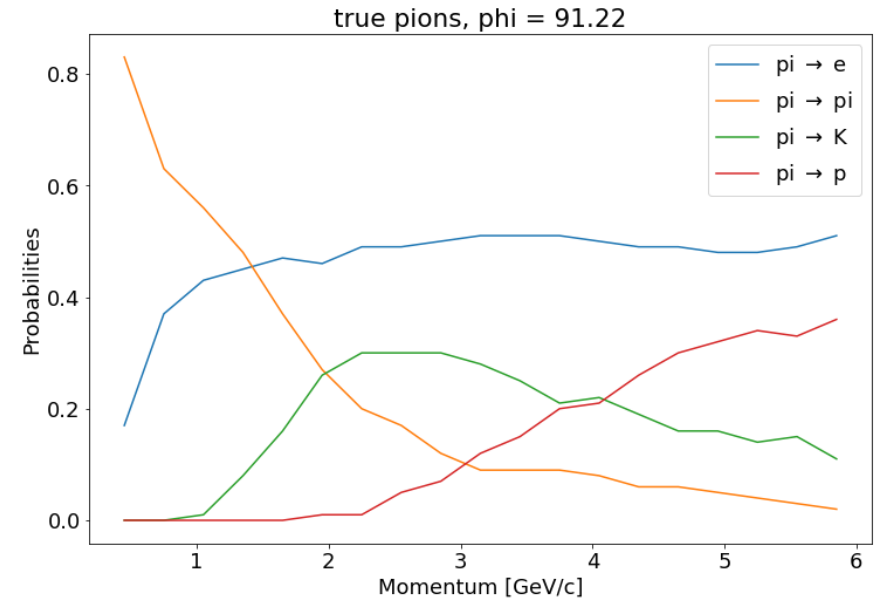
TOF Lookup Table

- Reasonable representation overall
- Submitted to Markus Diefenthaler et al, included in April production.
- Known Caveats:
 - Limited binning does not properly represent low momentum cutoff curve
 - MC sample TOF geometry likely not on very latest version, but good enough within constraints of phi binning



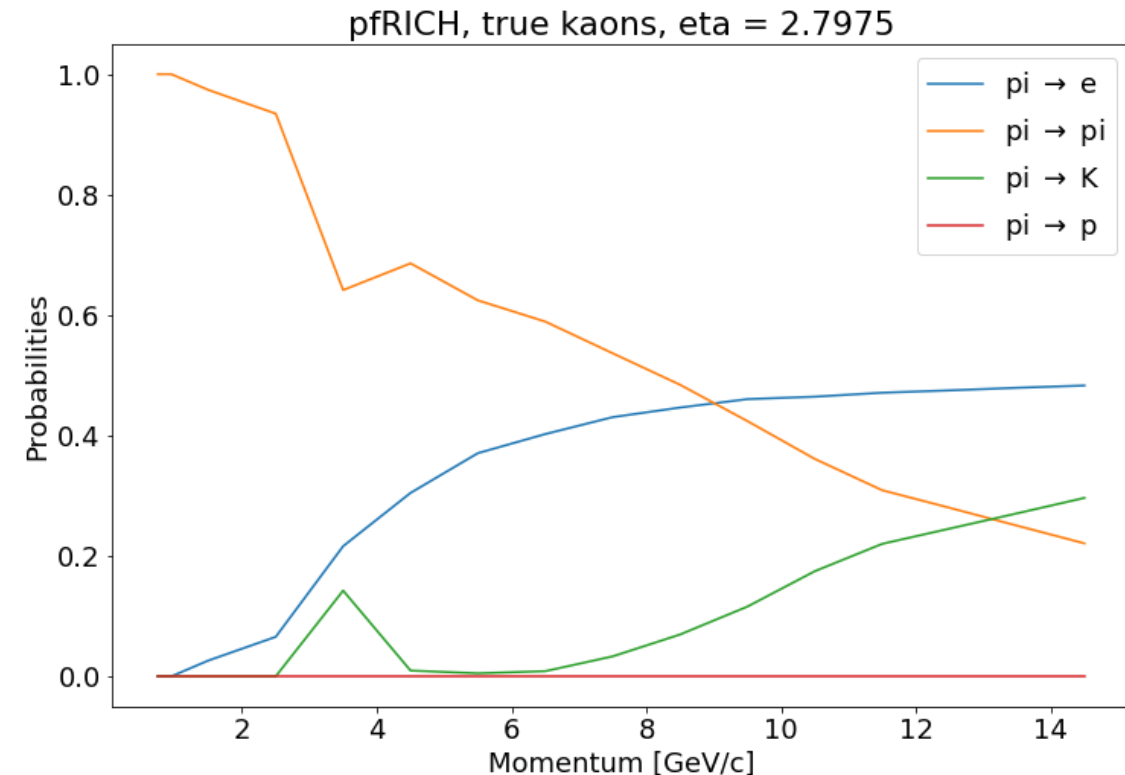
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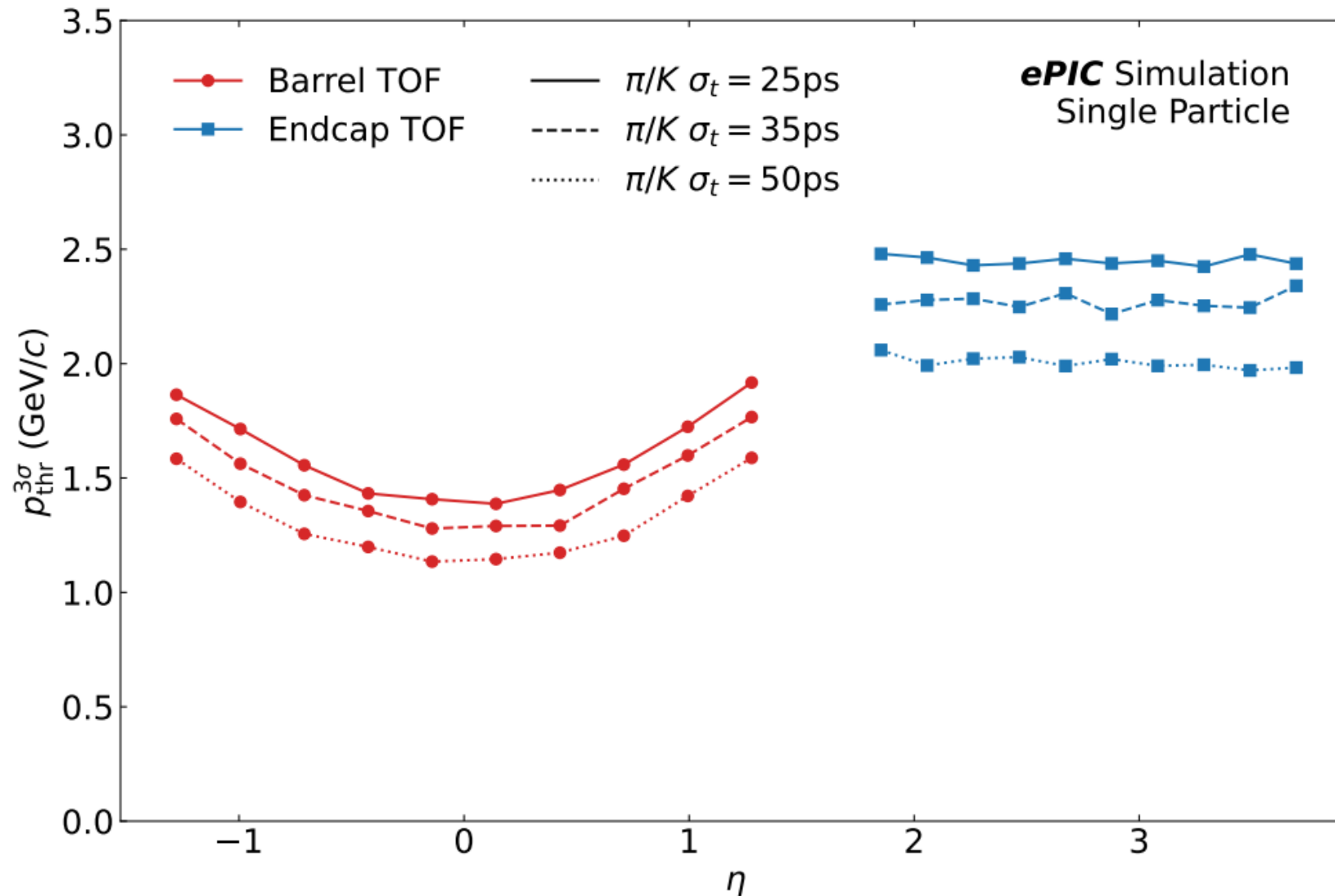
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- Not a TOF issue, but universal:



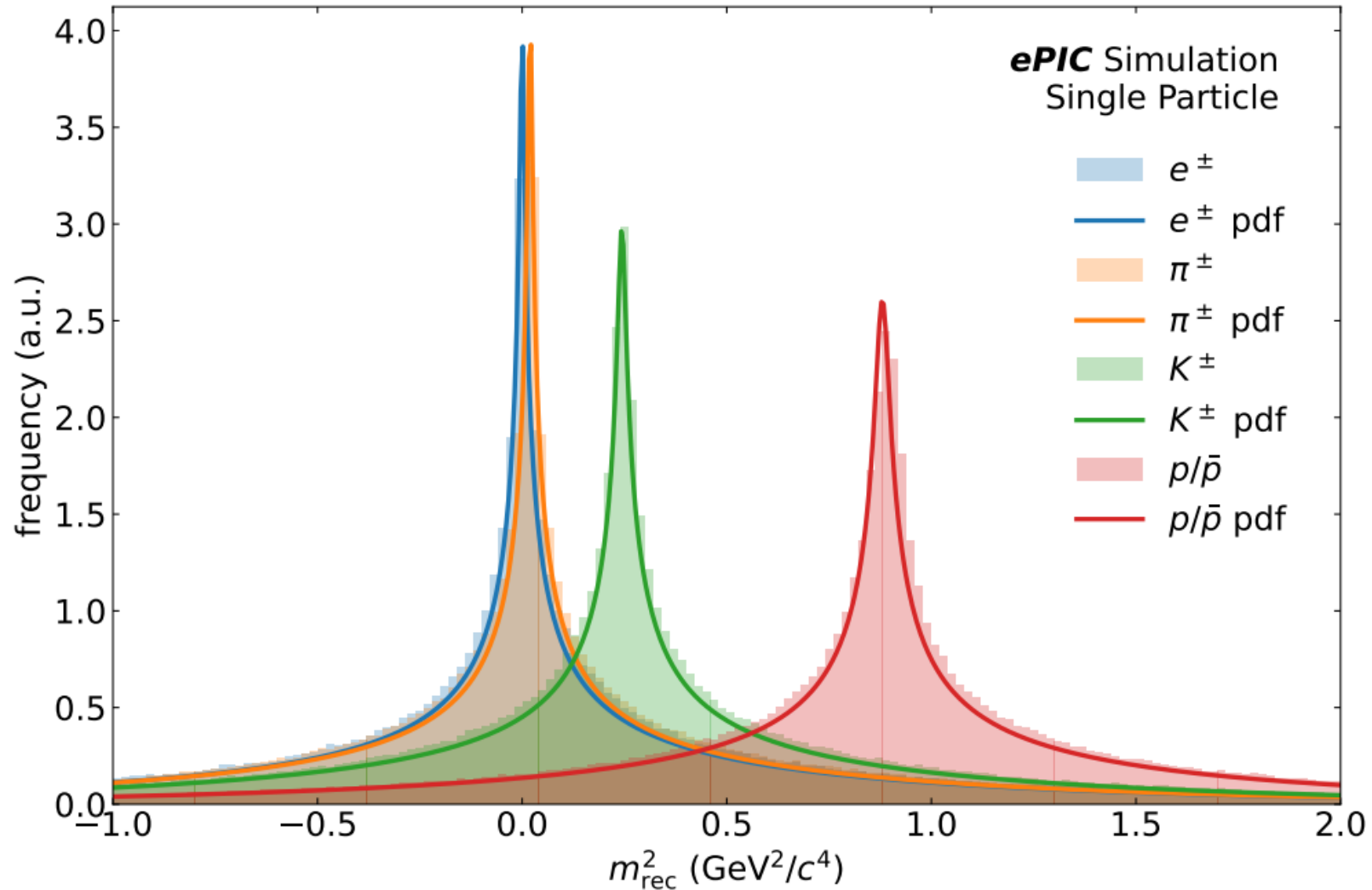
Summary

- ePIC TOF PID LUT ready for use in April production campaign
 - Total size ~56kB ASCII
- Other PID system LUTs ready as well
- First analysis ready outputs expected soon
 - Let's see how physics analysis WGs will make use of the information...

TOF Reconstruction Status

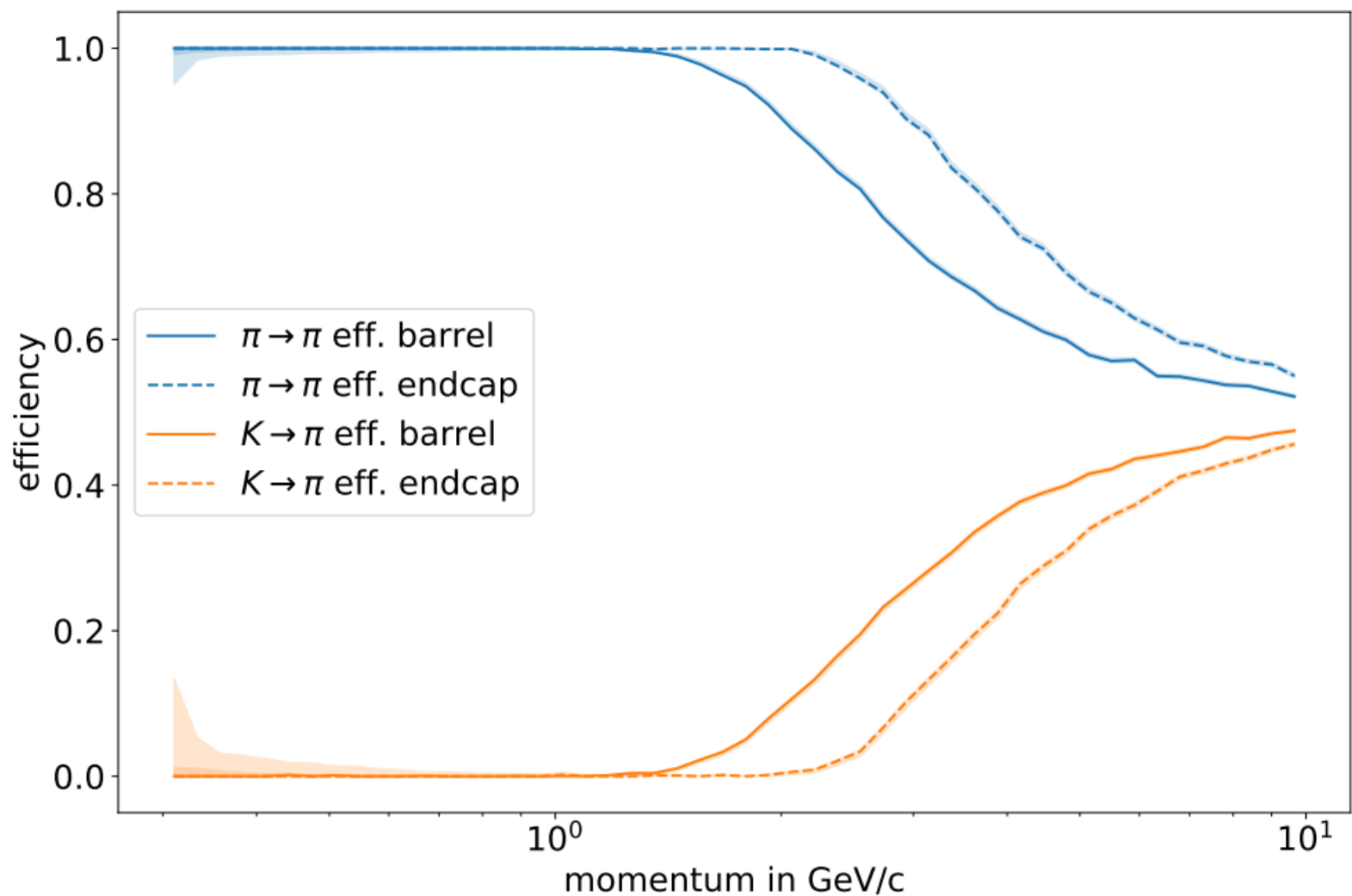


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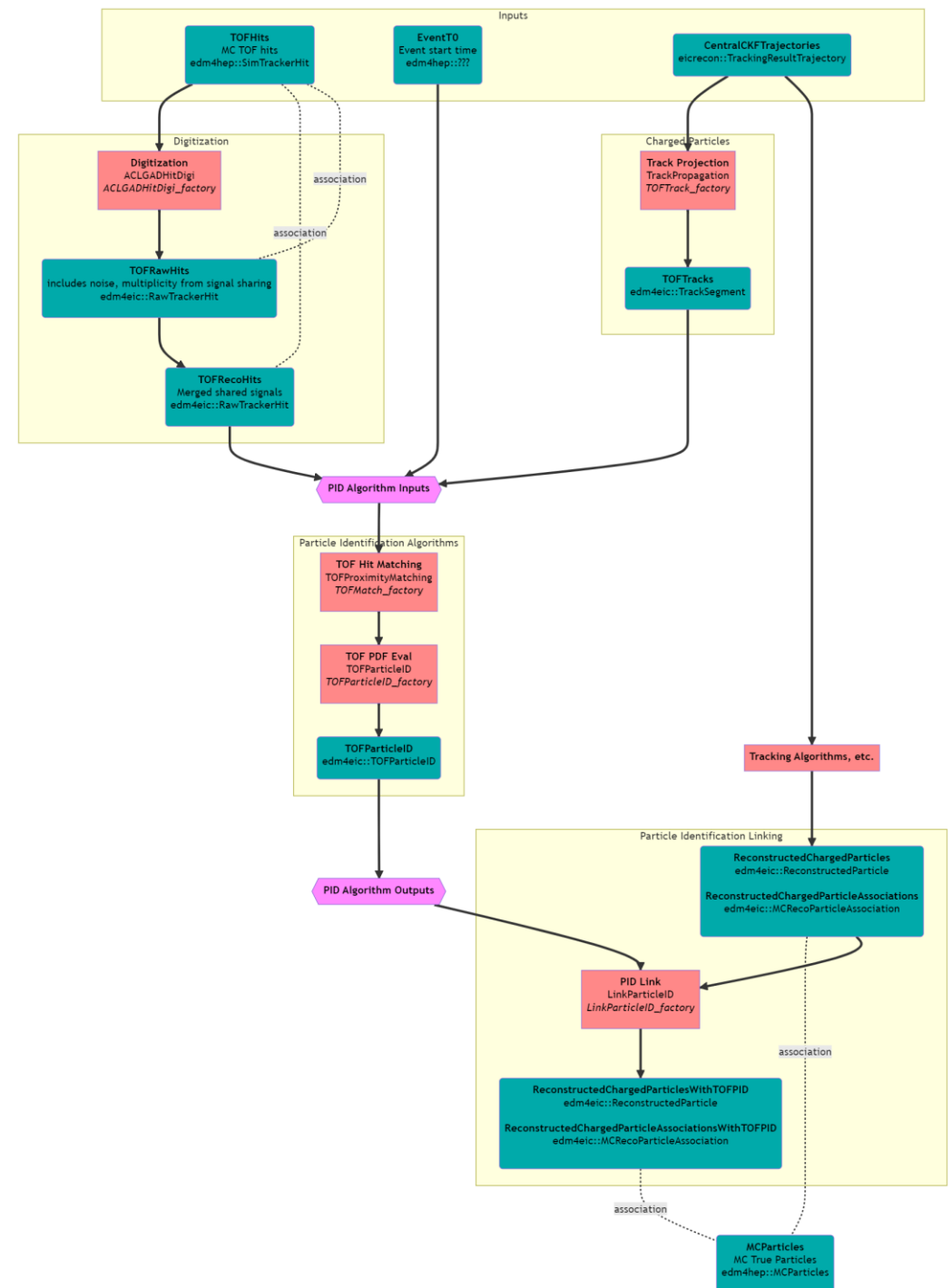
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TOF pion efficiency/mis-ID at $p_\pi > 0.5$



TOF Reconstruction Structure

- None of this semi-standalone python code is useful for combined studies
 - Or for real events for that matter.
- We know how we want to implement this into eicsoft
- Based on Chris' Dilks dRICH reco structure
 - Good to agree on general approach to unify architectures
- Can use simplest possible implementations for start, then add as much as we want over time...
- N.b.: Glaring omission: event T0 iteratively depends on TOF reco...
 - Iterative T0 reco exists in ECCE code base, anyone interested?



But... why is it not yet implemented?

- Because **I failed to do it.**
 - Wei Li (Rice) has a new postdoc interested in TOF simulation and reconstruction, will try again with their help...
 - Yano-san et al. at Hiroshima have started TOF tracking simulation studies as well and might be interested?
 - I will be happy to help with concepts and debugging.
- Ultimately need fully integrated PID reconstruction codes for all systems in eicsoft to really go forward with individual and combined studies for the TDR

Executive Summary

- We know **what** to do
- We have shown that **it** works
- We have not **done** it

Towards Combined PID Performance Plot for TDR

