



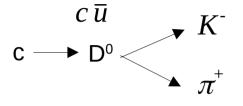
Machine learning (ML) for D^o reconstruction in ep collisions

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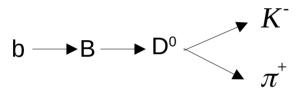
D^o Decay

Heavy quarks (charm and beauty) are produced through hard parton scatterings in the initial stage of the collisions

 $m_{charm} \sim 1.275 \text{ GeV/c}^2$ $m_{beauty} \sim 4.18 \text{ GeV/c}^2$



Prompt D⁰-meson (fragmentation of charm quark)



Non-prompt D⁰-meson (fragmentation of beauty quark)

Signal means simply D0 meson (prompt or non-prompt)

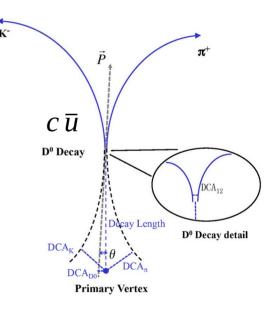
Reconstruction of D⁰ meson using combinations of pion and kaon:

- Pion and kaon from true D0 meson (signal)
- Pion and kaon from others (combinatorial background)

D0 reconstruction Rongronga Ma

Two prongs decay

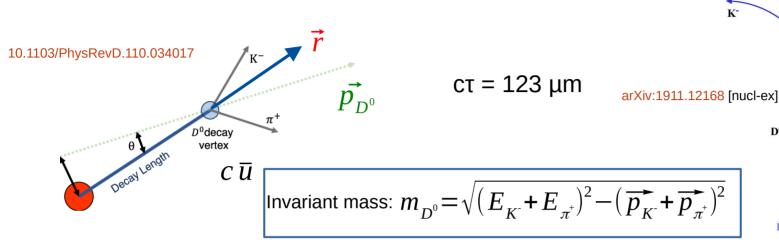
 $m_{D0} = 1.86483 \text{ GeV/c}^2$



Binary classifier: Machine learning model to separate signal Do meson from background

Multi class classifier: Machine learning model to separate prompt, non-prompt Do meson, and background

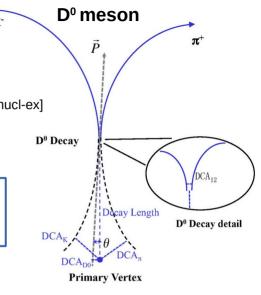
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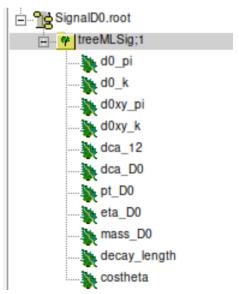


Topological Variables:

- → DCA $_k$ and DCA $_n$ + with respect to the reconstructed primary vertex (d0_k, d0_pi) mm
- → Decay length of D⁰ meson (decaylength)
- → Cos θ (angle between **r** and **p**_{D0})
- → DCA₁₂ distance between the daughter tracks of D⁰
- → DCA_{D0} impact parameter of reconstructed D⁰ meson
- → m_{D0} invariant mass of kaon and pion pairs
- → pt_D0 reconstructed pt of the D0 meson
- → eta_D0 reconstructed η of the D^o meson

Toplogical variables using STAR experiment classes

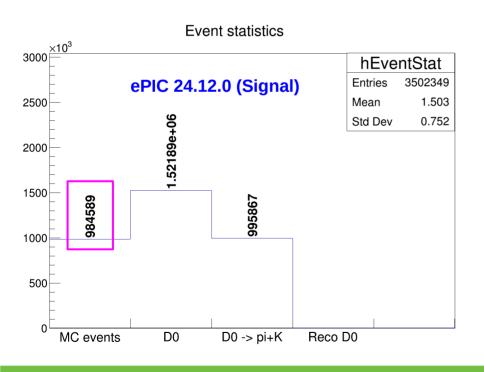


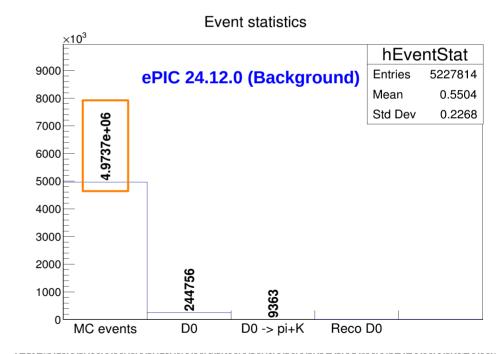


Data Sample for ML ($Q^2 = 100$)

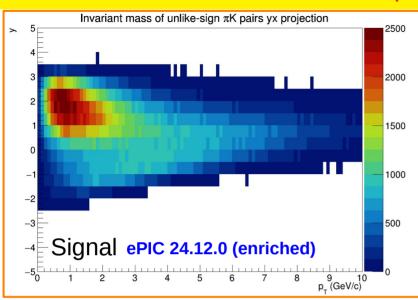
- Different algorithms: BDT (Boosted Decision Tree) XGBoost Classifier, Convolutional Neural Network (CNN), Generative Adversarial Networks (GANs), Auto Encoder (AE)

 Simulation of D0 and Lc samples
 - BDT requires the features for the signal D^o meson and background D^o meson (fake combinations of pion,kaon)
 - D⁰ enriched same created filtering PYTHIA8 ep, NC, 10X100, Q² >100 events (~493M) such that each event consist one D⁰ → k-π+ known as Signal taken from 24.12.0/epic_craterlake/SIDIS/D0_ABCONV/pythia8.306-1.1/10x100/q2_100): Total files 1869 and Events = 984589
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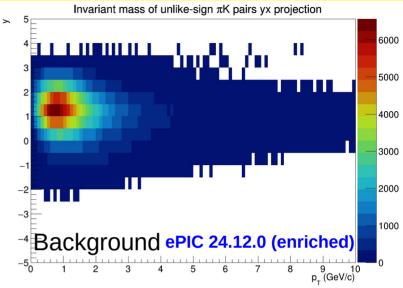


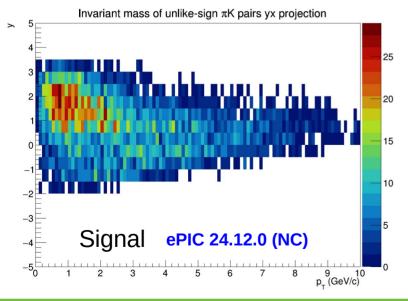


Phase Space of D⁰ meson (Q²=100)

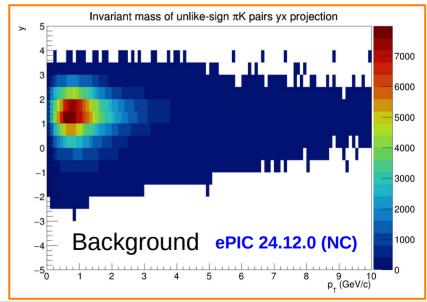








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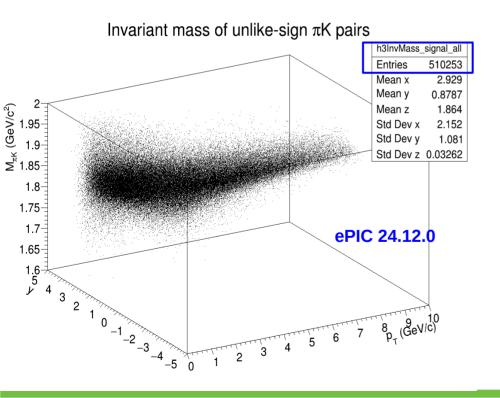


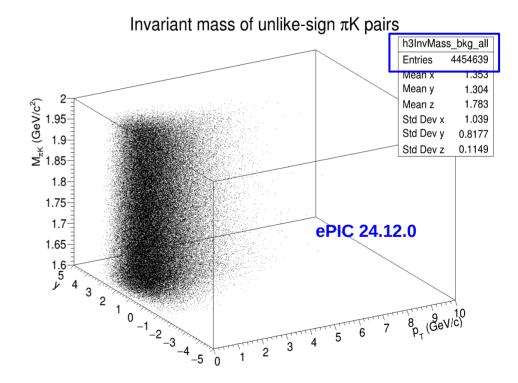
Implementation of ML Model ($Q^2 = 100$)

The model is developed using hipe4ml

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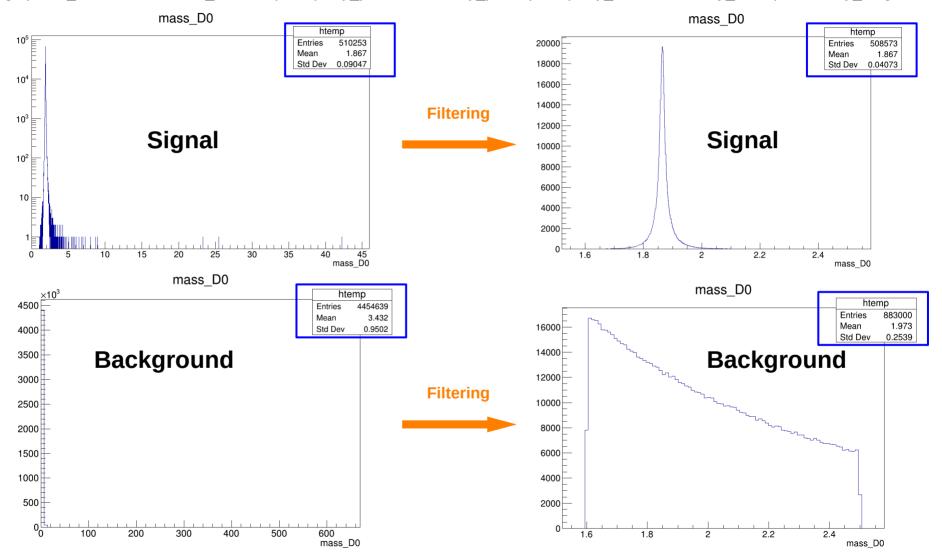
- → Started with integrated p_T and η as a first implementation
- In general we use signal from the MC and background (fake pion/kaon combinations) from the sidebands
- → Split ML data into training and test: 80% and 20% for testing (important to look if there is over-fitting/under-fitting)



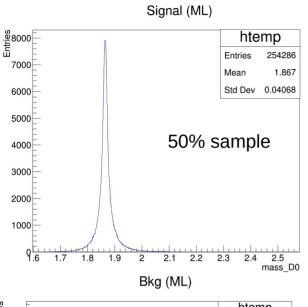


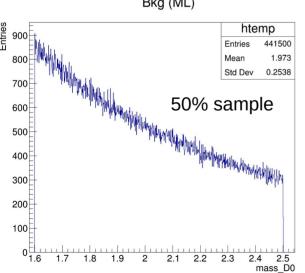
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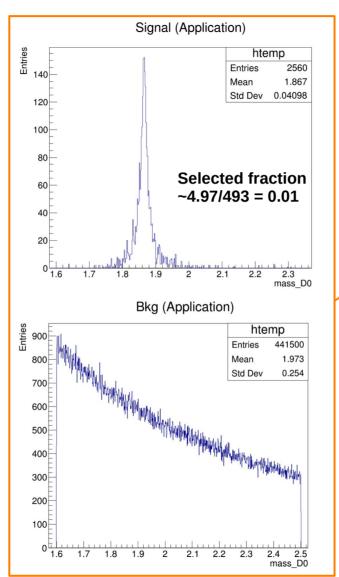
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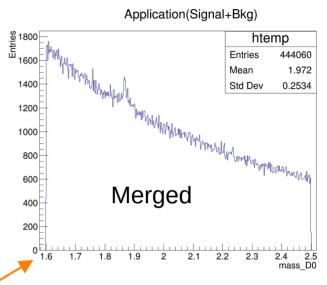


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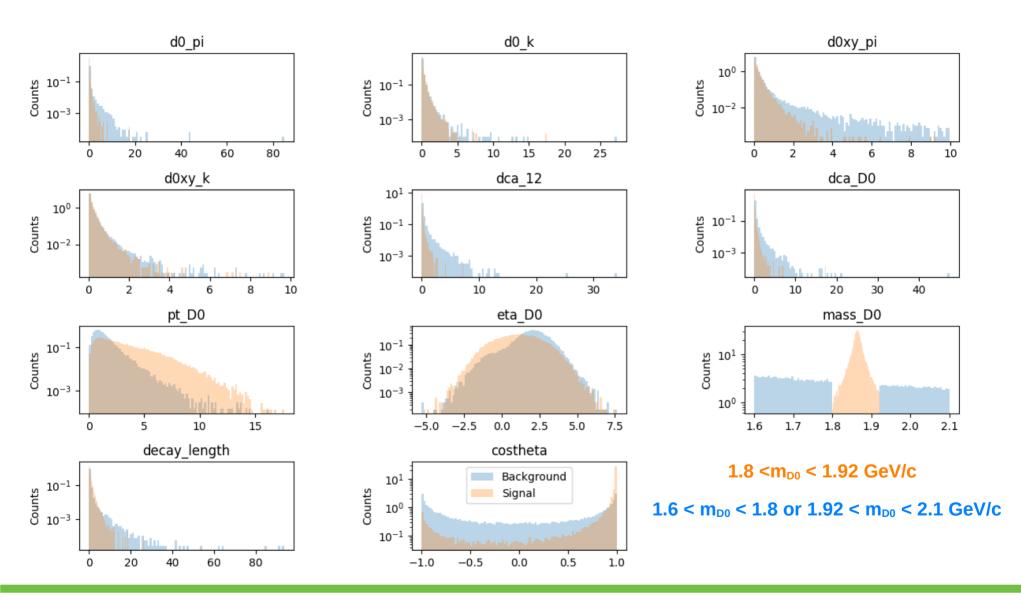
Integrated p_T and η

- Signal (40,000) applying mass cut of $1.8 < m_{D0} < 1.92 \text{ GeV/c}$
- **Background candidates (40,000) 1.6 < m_{D0} < 1.8 or 1.92 < m_{D0} < 2.1 GeV/c**
- Removed variables (p_T , d0xy_k, d0xy_pi, η_{D0} and m_{D0})
- Total data (Signal+Background) = 80,000

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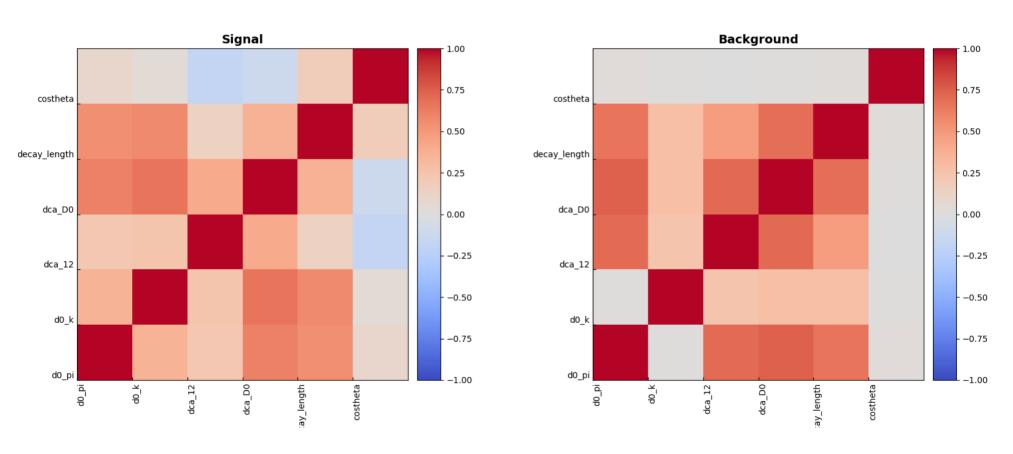
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Signal and Background Distributions



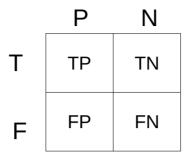
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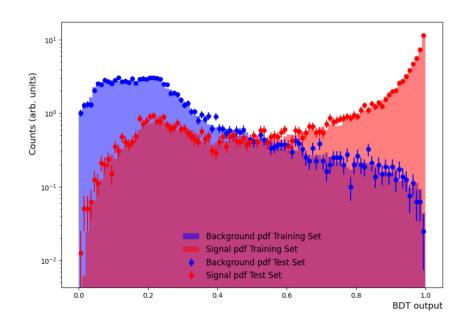
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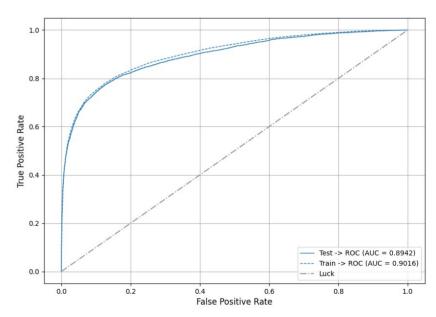


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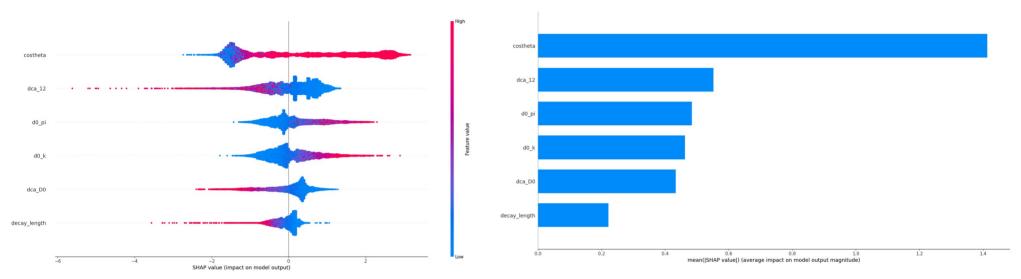
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For the classifier y_i is transformed in probability using Softmax function

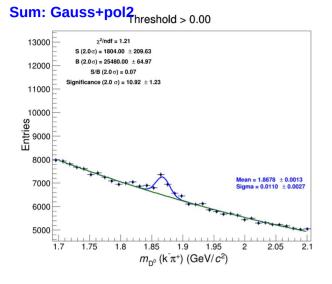
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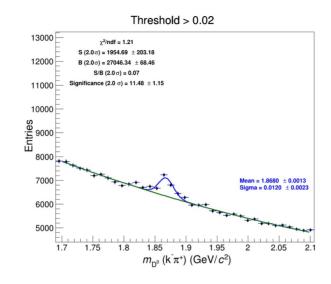


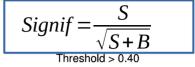
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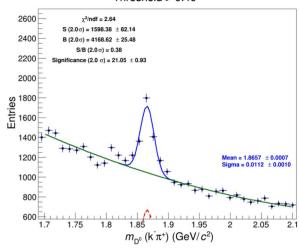
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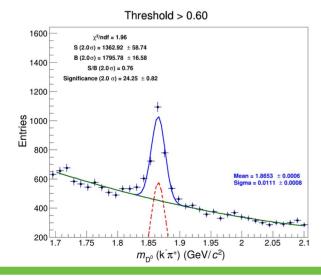


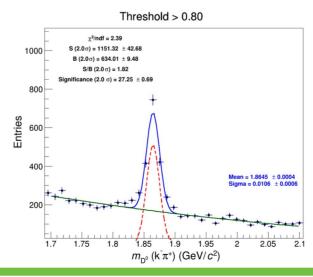


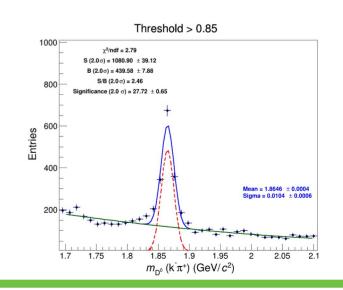








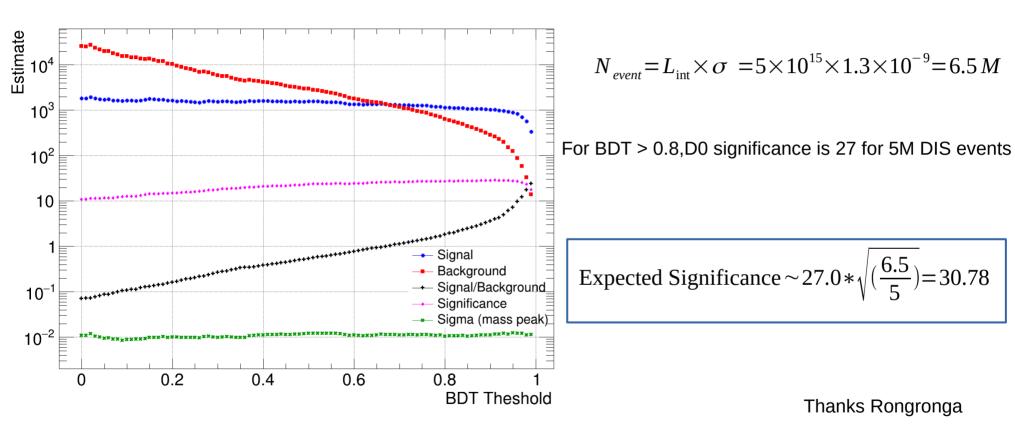




Estimation of Signal and Background ($Q^2 = 100$)

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PYTHIA simulation for 10x100 ep collisions with Q² > 100: $\sigma \sim 1.3e-6$ mb, Expected luminosity of 5 fb⁻¹



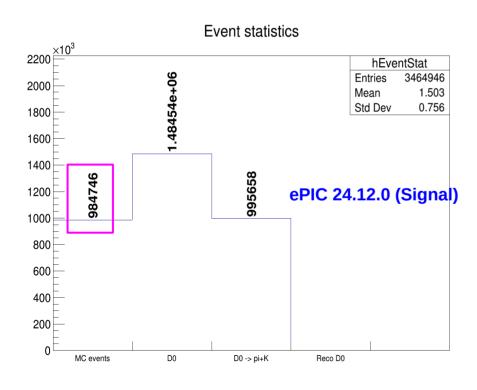
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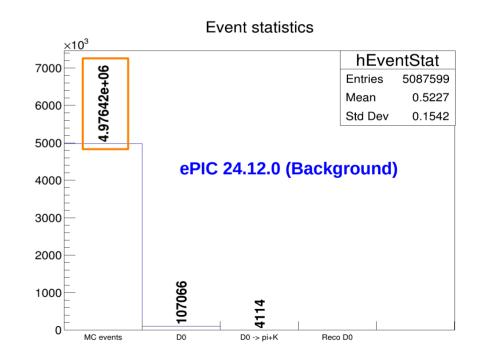
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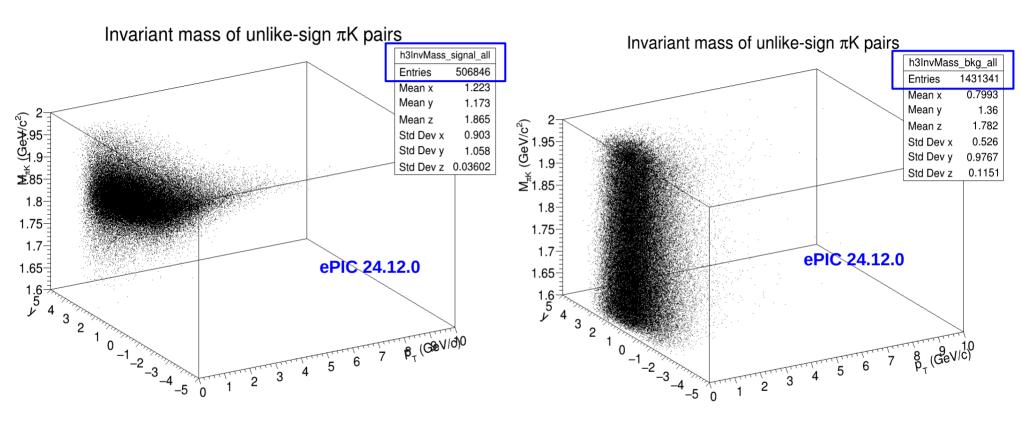
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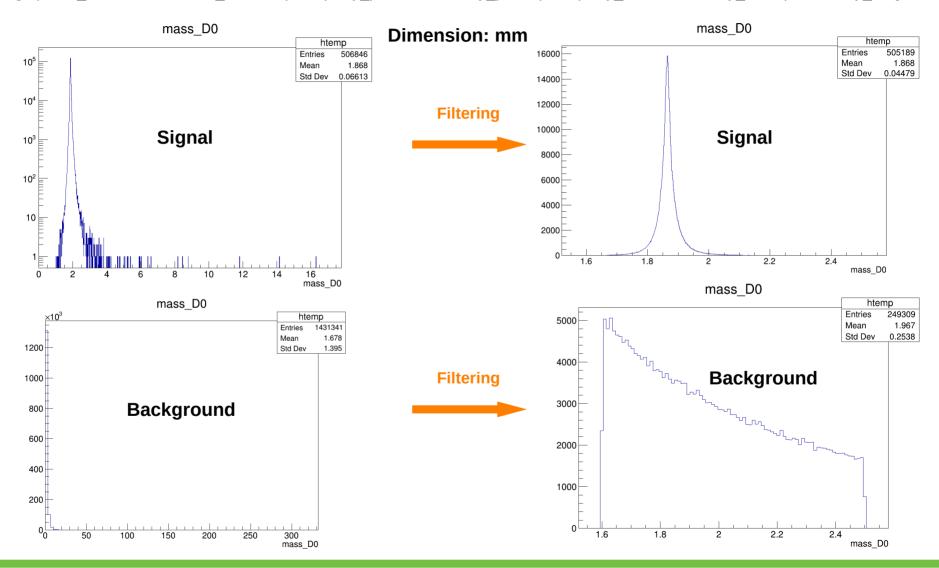


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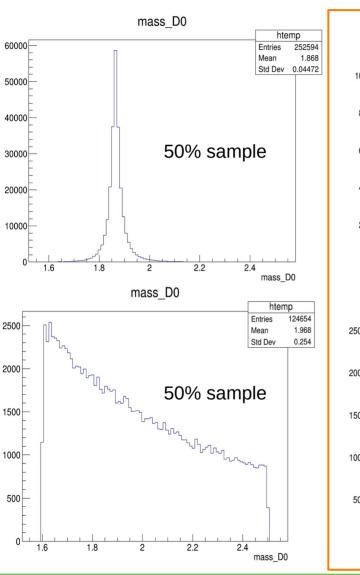


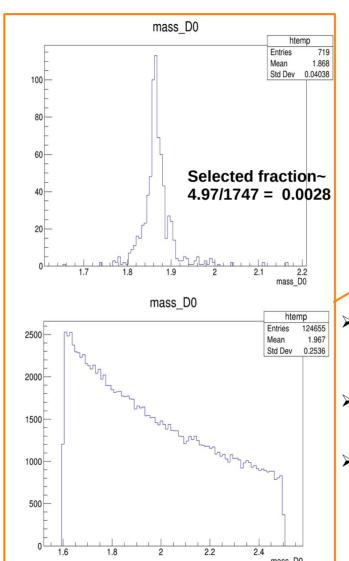
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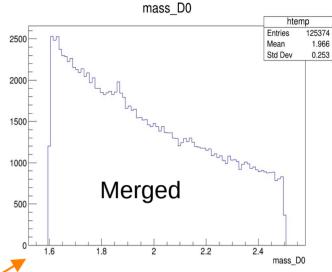
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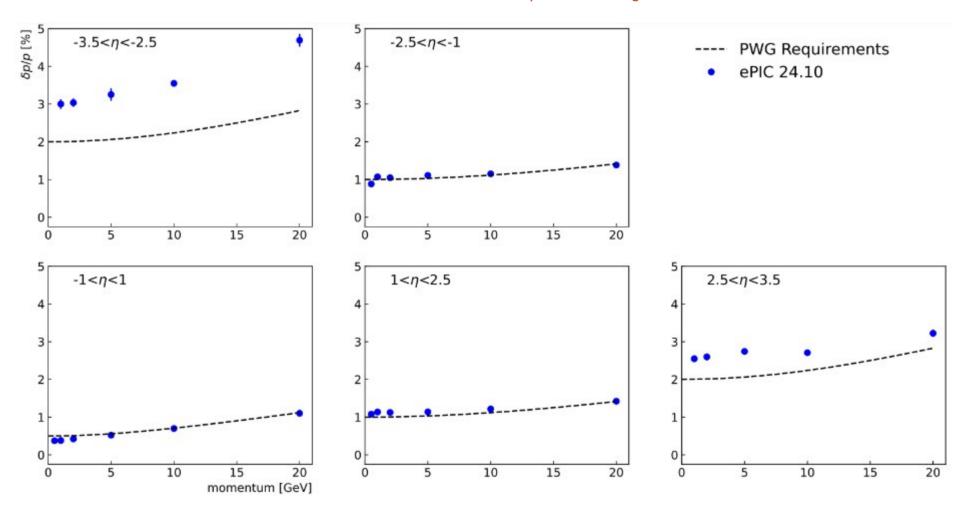




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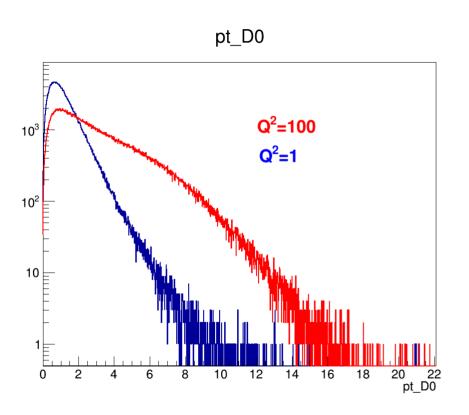
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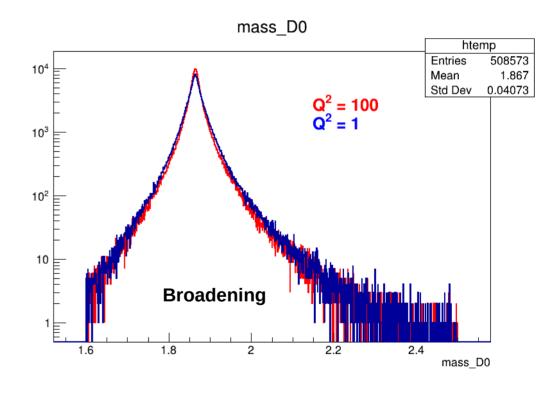
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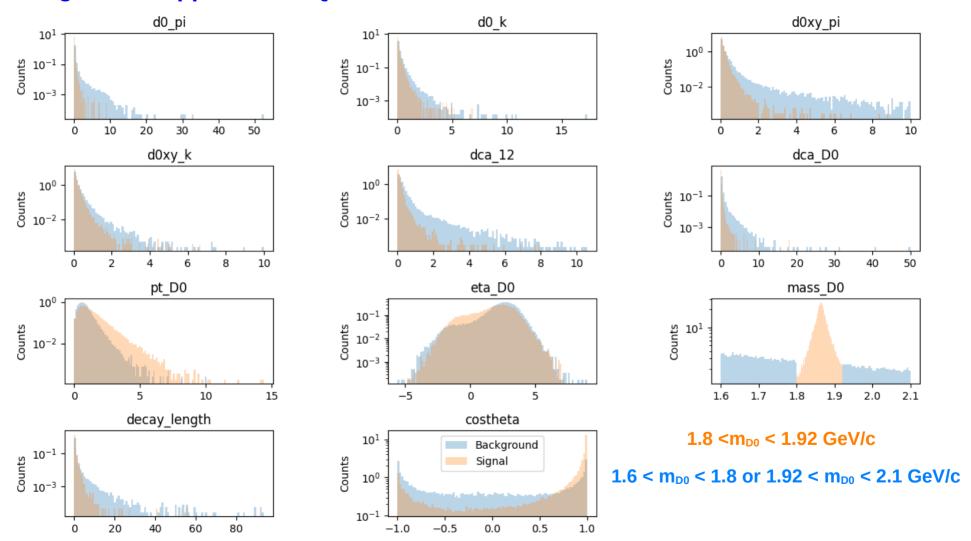
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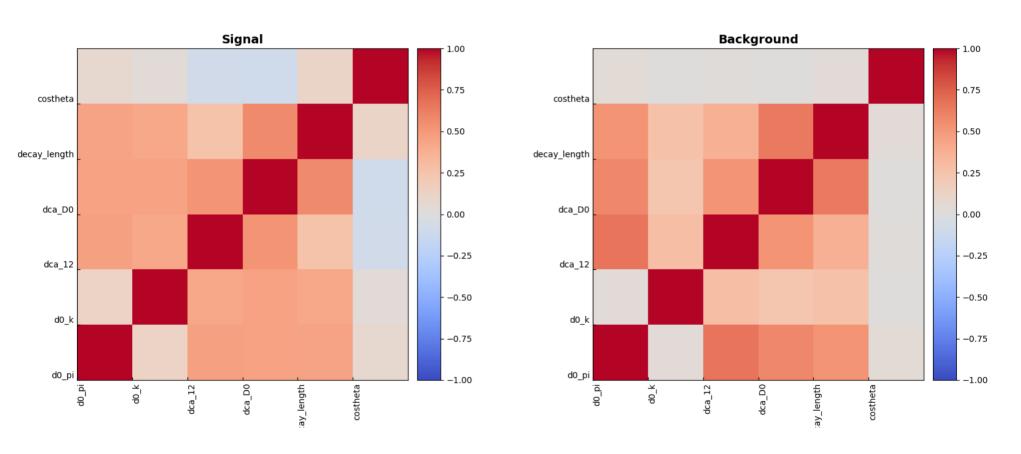
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Using similar approach as Q²>100



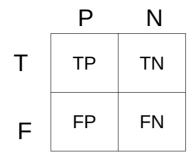
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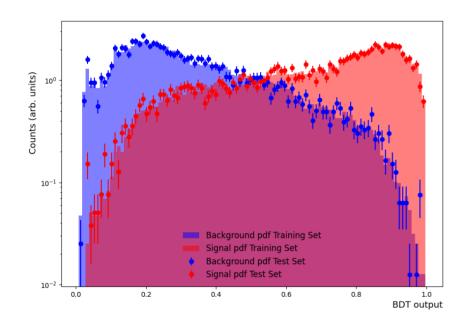
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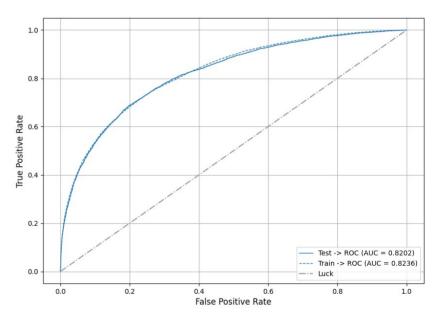


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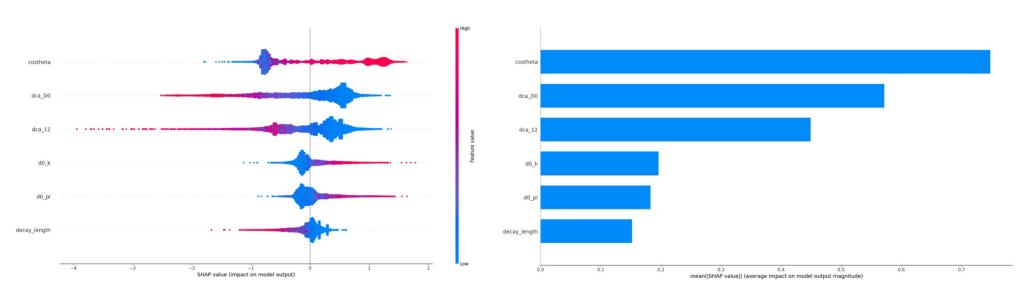
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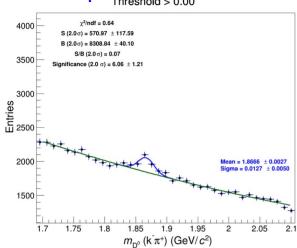
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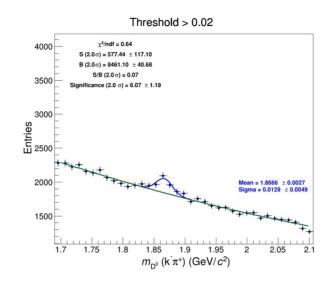


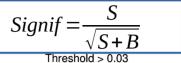
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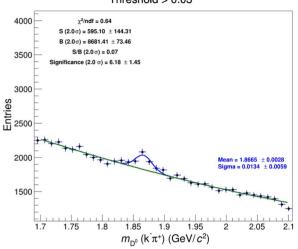
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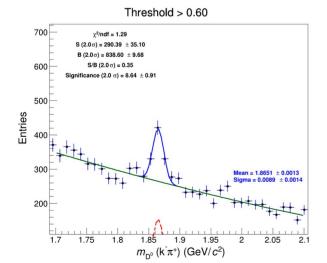


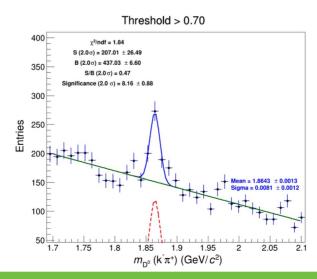


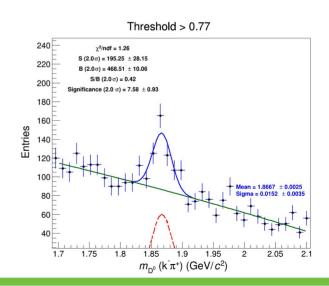




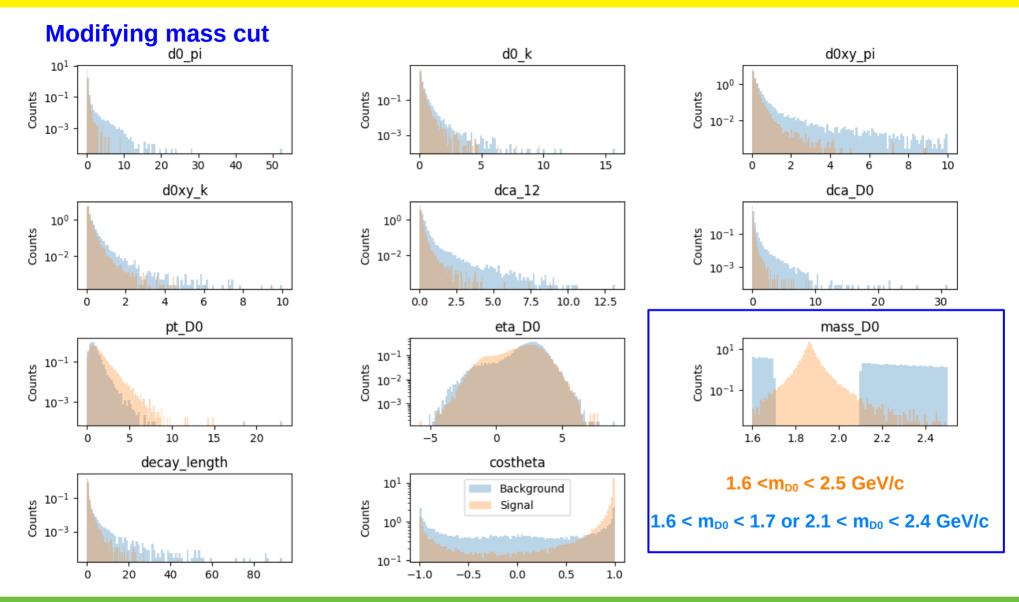






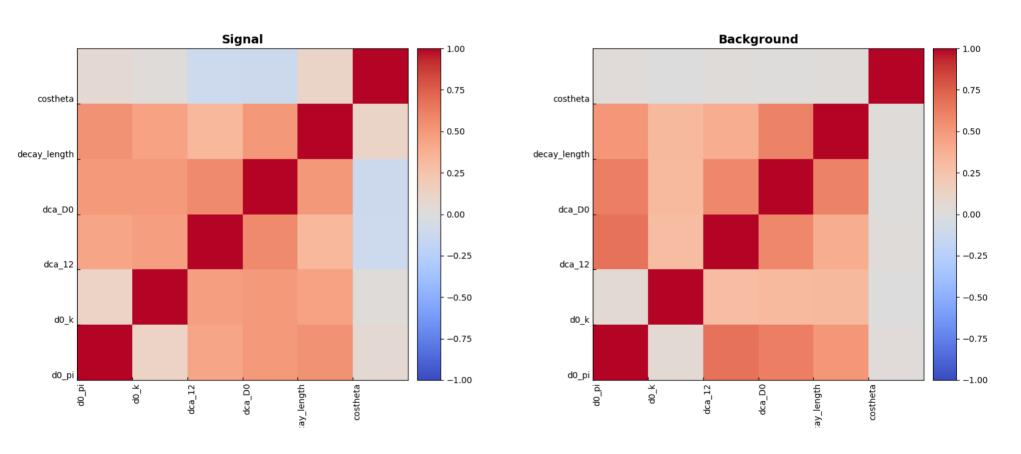


Signal and Background Distributions ($Q^2 = 1$)



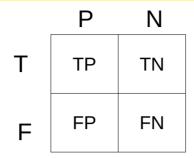
Feature Correlations

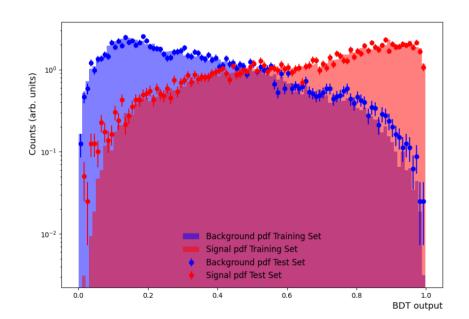
Highly correlated variable carries similar information, one of them can be removed while training the model



Model Performances

Model can be saved to .onnx format



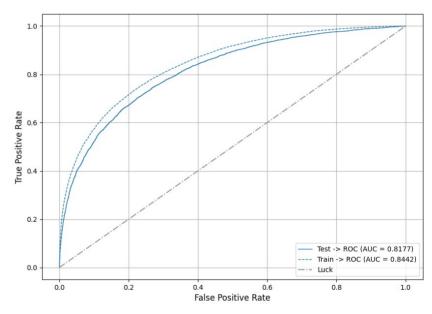


How Boosted Decision Tree (BDT) classifier separates signal from background

$$TPR = \frac{True\ Positive(TP)}{True\ Positive(TP) + False\ Negative(FN)}$$

$$FPR = \frac{False\ Positive(FP)}{False\ Positive(FP) + True\ Negative(TN)}$$

AUC: Area Under Curve



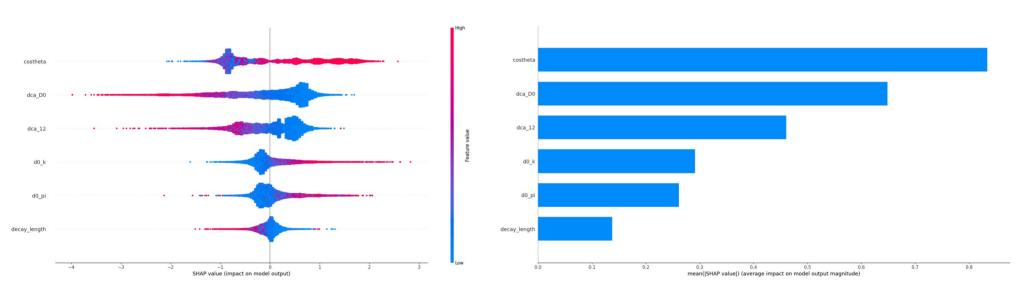
Receiver Operating Characteristic (ROC)

A perfect classifier would have a point at (0, 1), indicating no false positives and all true positives

Features of Importance (Training)

SHAP (SHapley Additive exPlanations)

Concept of Game theory in Mathematics



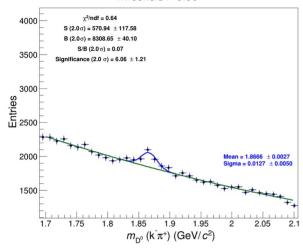
Estimation of Signal and Background

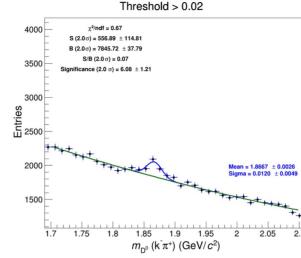


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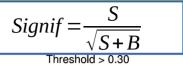
Signal weighted by 0.01 while background same

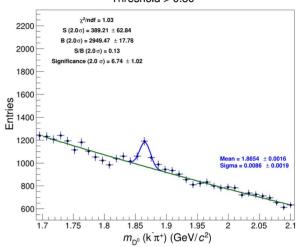


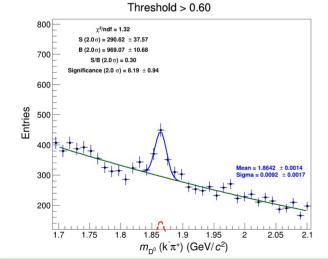


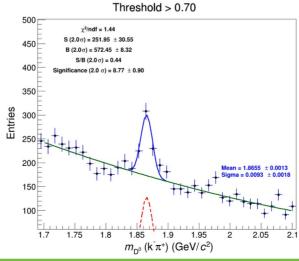


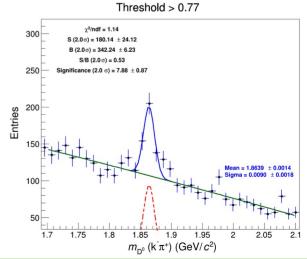
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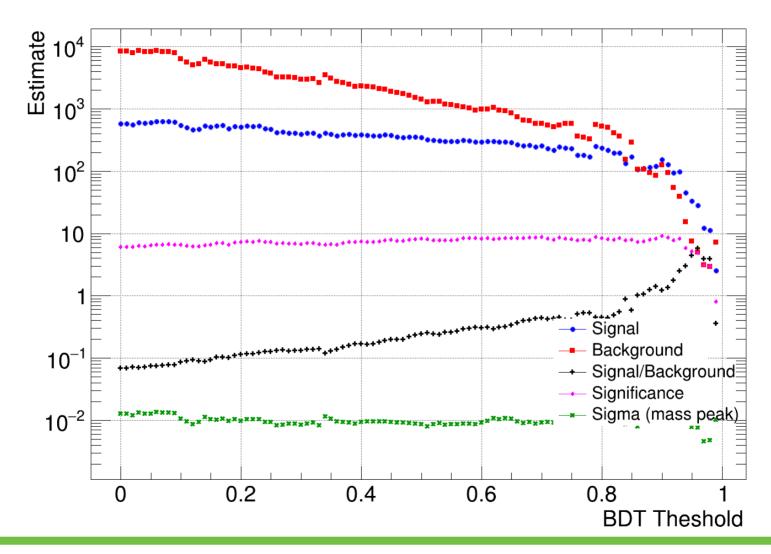






Estimation of Signal and Background

Signal scaled by 0.01 while background same



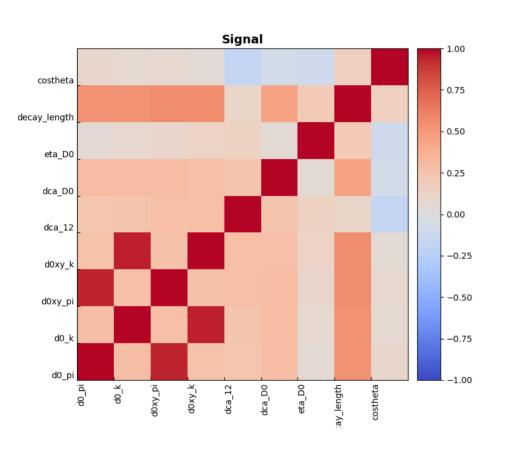
Summary and Future Plan

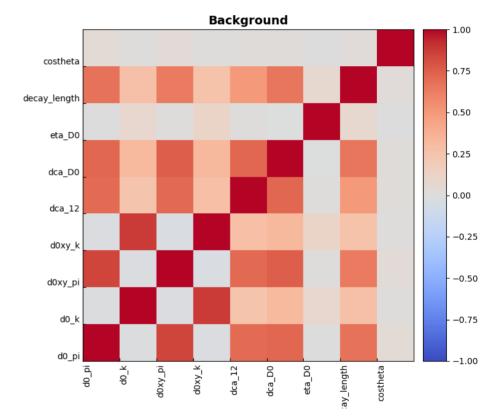
- ➤ Machine learning model studies performed for the D^o reconstruction in ep collisions
- Future Steps:
 - Further optimize to the model to get large ROC score
 - Implement other models e.g. Neural Network (Auto Encoder)
 - Remove perfect particle identification and use particle identification from lookup tables
 - Further make it more differential in p_T and η (under testing)
 - ◆ Implement a similar model for Λ_c⁺ reconstruction
 - Estimate Λ_c^+/D^0 ratio using machine learning

THANK YOU!!!

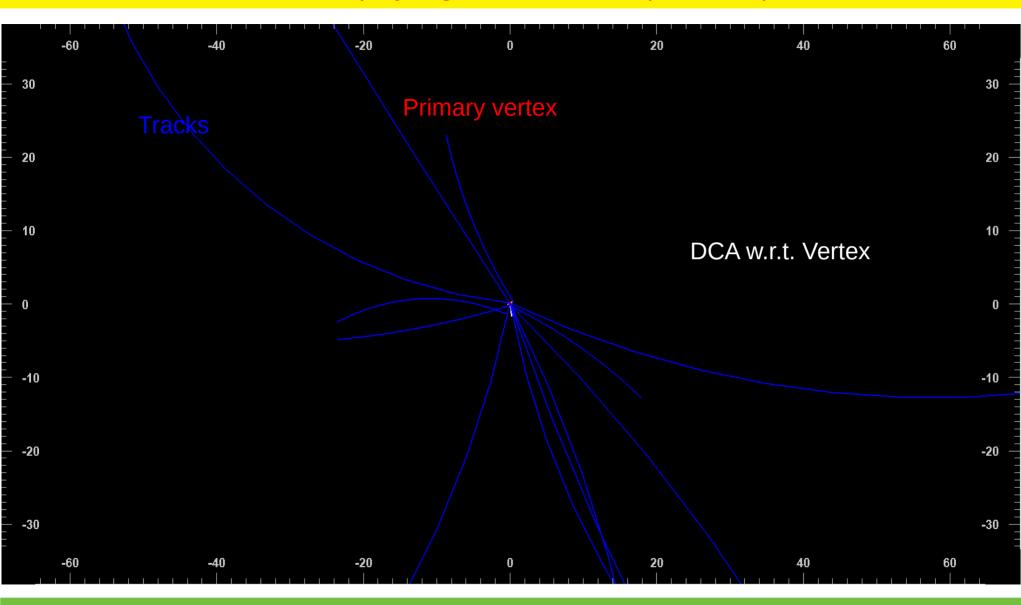
Feature Correlations

d0xy is strongly correlated to d0 so removed while training the machine learning model

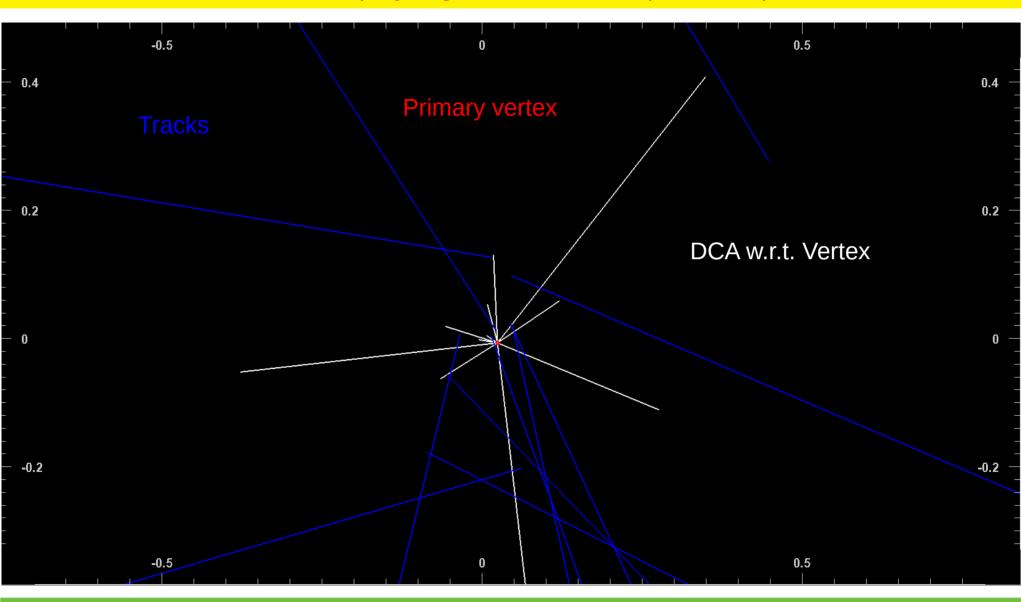




Event display Signal Reco Event (XY Plane)



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Simulation output

Total Events: 493857567

 $D^0 \to K^- \pi^+$ 995867

Event generator	Decay channel	# of D0 events	# of DIS events sampled	Output location
PYTHIA 8 ep, NC, 10x100 Q ² > 100	D ⁰ → π + K Decay daughters within eta < 3.5	~ 990k	493857567	root://dtn-eic.jlab.org// work/eic2/EPIC/RECO/ 24.12.0/epic_craterlak e/SIDIS/D0_ABCONV/ pythia8.306-1.1/10x10 0/q2_100/hiDiv
PYTHIA 8 ep, NC, 10x100 Q ² > 1	$D^0 \rightarrow \pi$ + K Decay daughters within eta < 3.5	~ 990k	1747000357	root://dtn-eic.jlab.org// work/eic2/EPIC/RECO/ 24.12.0/epic_craterlak e/SIDIS/D0_ABCONV/ pythia8.306-1.1/10x10 0/q2_1/hiDiv