



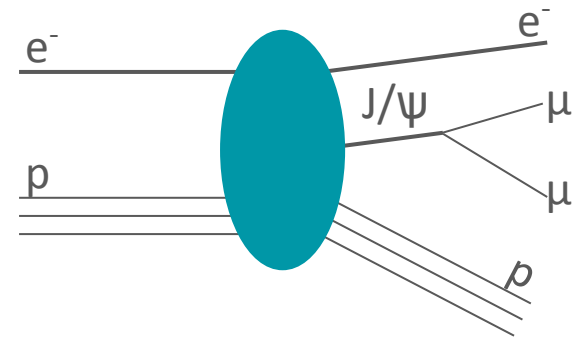
# Muon Finder Algorithm: Update

ePIC and EIC Physics Readiness Workshop  
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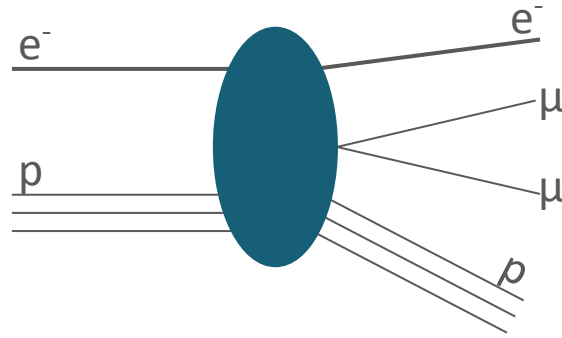
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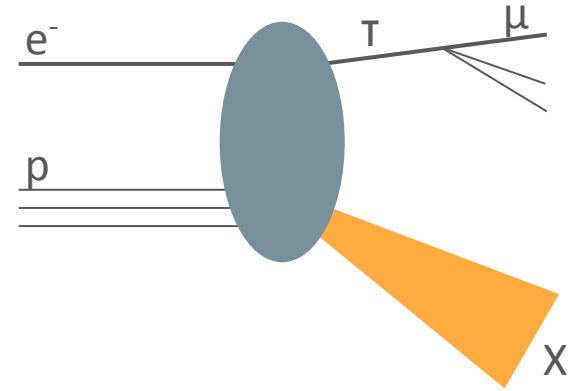
# Motivation



DVMP



TCS



CLFV

And more

# Challenges

- No dedicated muon detectors.
- Main source of contamination comes from pions.

$\mu$

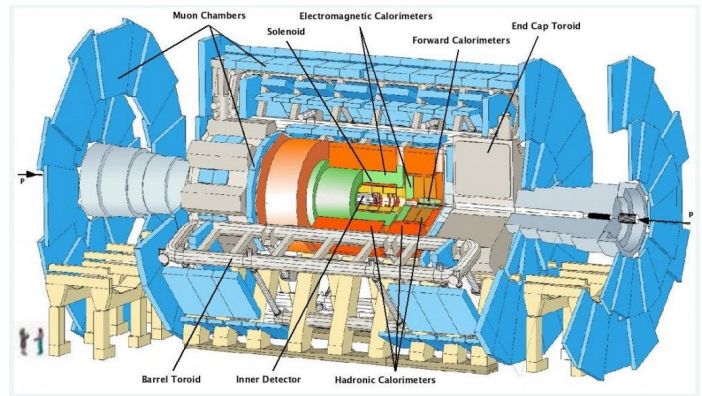
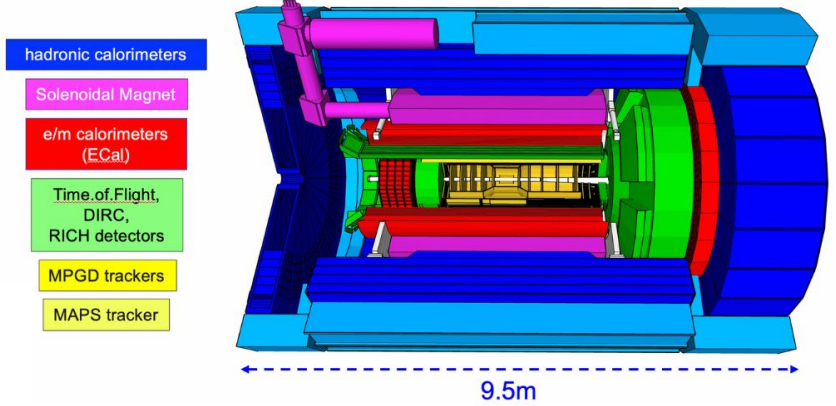
$$J = \frac{1}{2}$$

Mass  $m = 0.1134289259 \pm 0.0000000025$  u  
 Mass  $m = 105.6583755 \pm 0.0000023$  MeV  
 Mean life  $\tau = (2.1969811 \pm 0.0000022) \times 10^{-6}$  s

$\pi^\pm$

$$I^G(J^P) = 1^-(0^-)$$

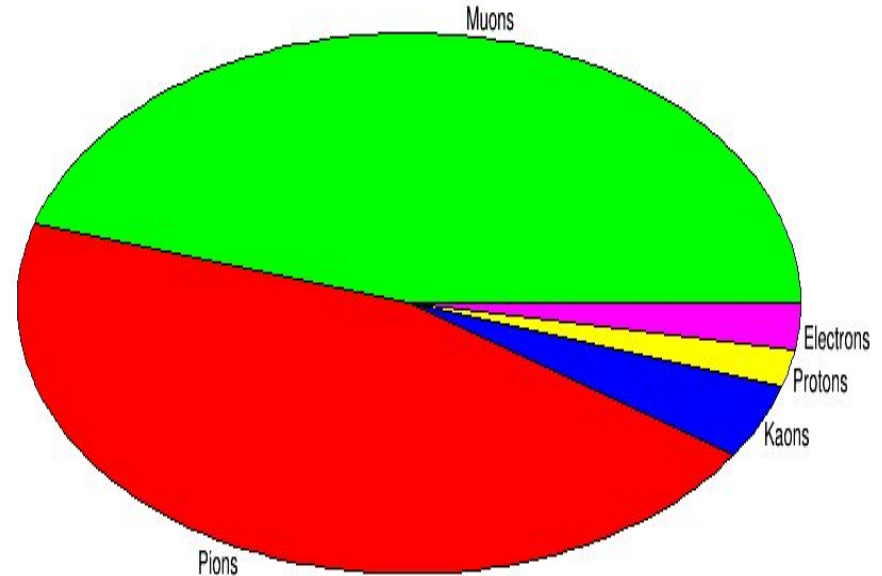
Mass  $m = 139.57039 \pm 0.00018$  MeV (S = 1.8)  
 Mean life  $\tau = (2.6033 \pm 0.0005) \times 10^{-8}$  s (S = 1.2)



# Event Sample



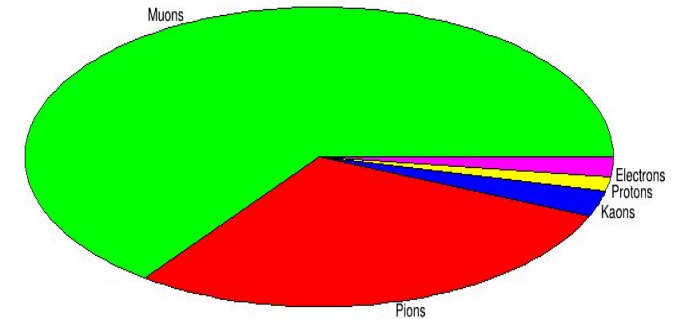
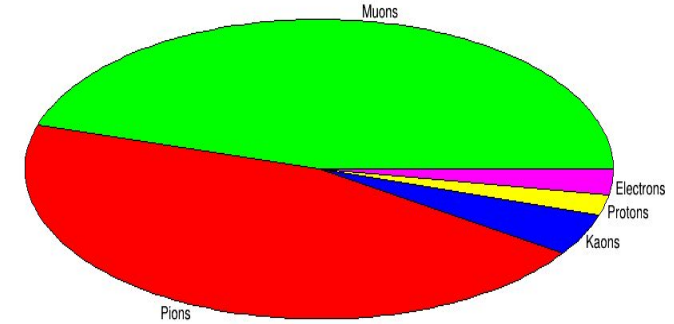
- Single particle events were generated for a range of particles.
- The sample focused on muons and pions
- Momenta: 0 to 20 GeV/c
- $\eta$ : -3 to 3
- Equal numbers of  $\pi$  and  $\mu$ 
  - Lower mix of others



# Cuts pt1



- Reconstructed PID:
  - Only particles with PID of 0 or 13 were included.
- Reconstructed momentum of  $> 1 \text{ GeV}/c$ .
- Reconstructed mass of  $< 200 \text{ MeV}/c^2$ .
- Tracks with  $|\eta|$  between 1 and 1.3:
  - Detector overlap regions

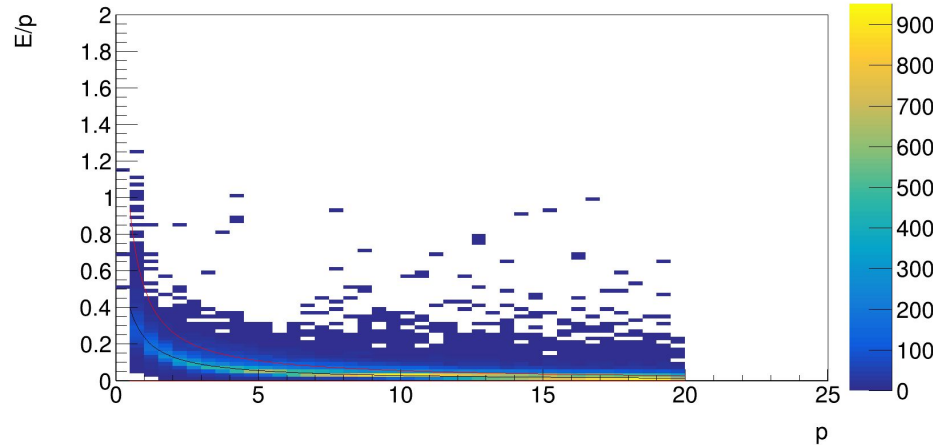


# Cuts pt2

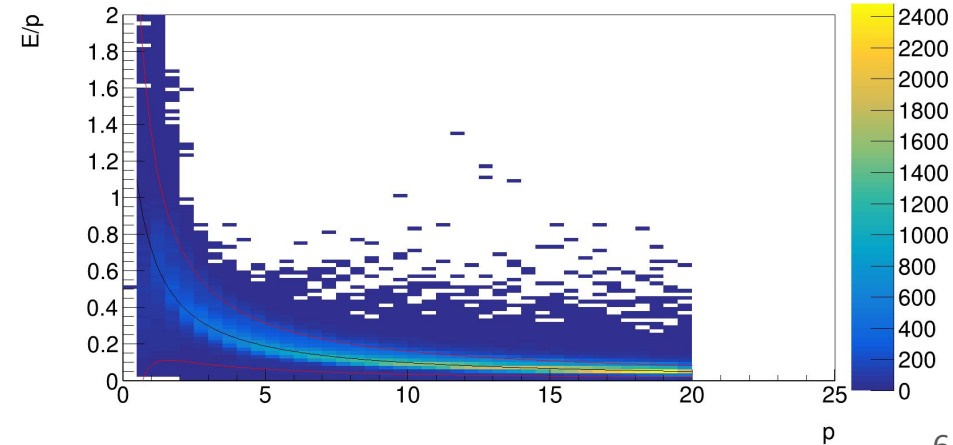


- Cuts were then made on the ratio of energy deposited in the calorimeters to the track momentum ( $E/p$ ).
- These depended dynamically on the reconstructed momentum.
- Cuts were also applied on the size of clusters in the calorimeters.

Ecal Energy vs Track Momentum for Muons



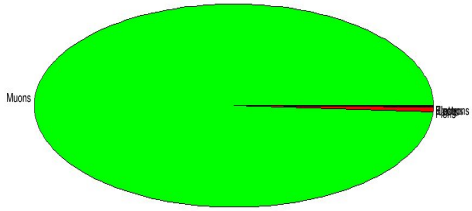
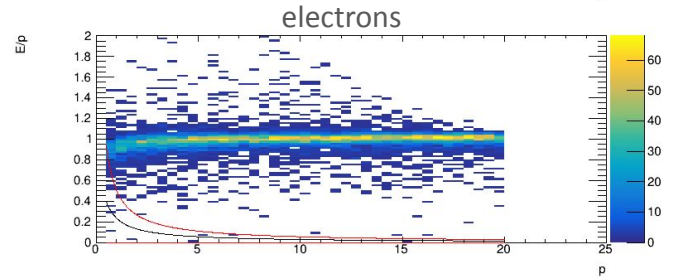
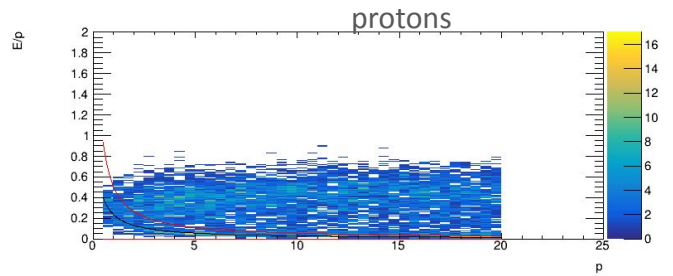
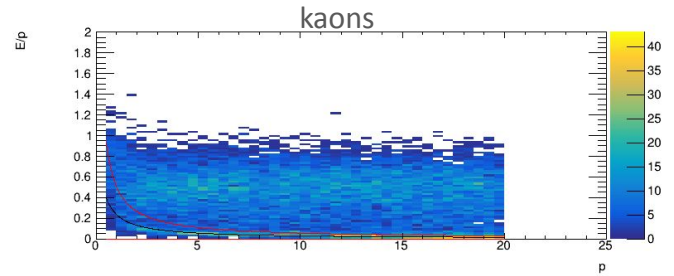
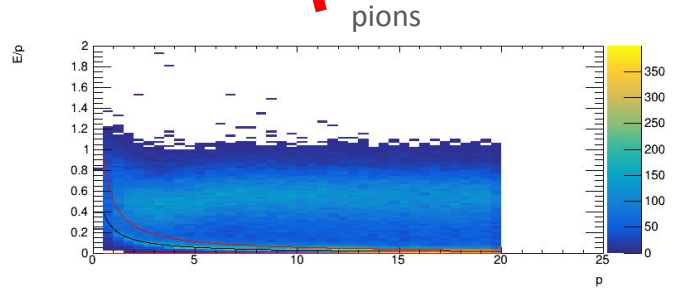
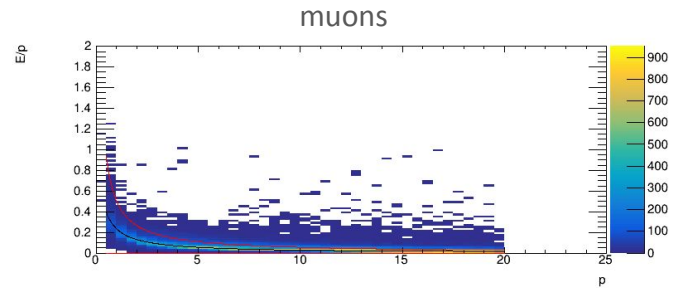
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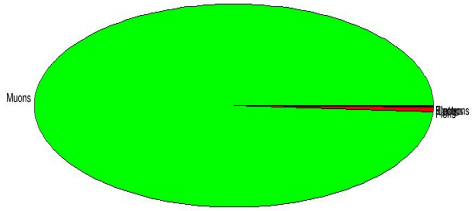
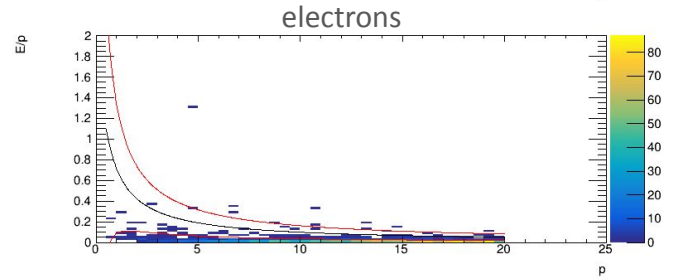
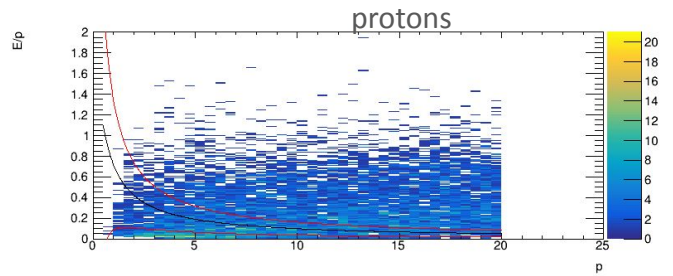
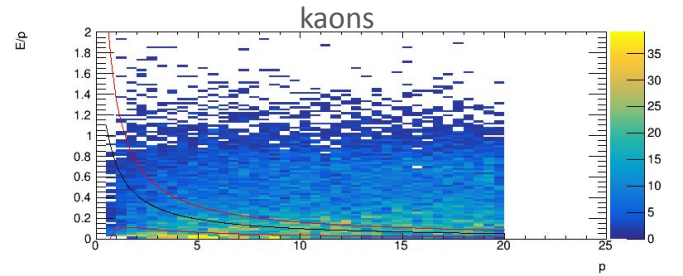
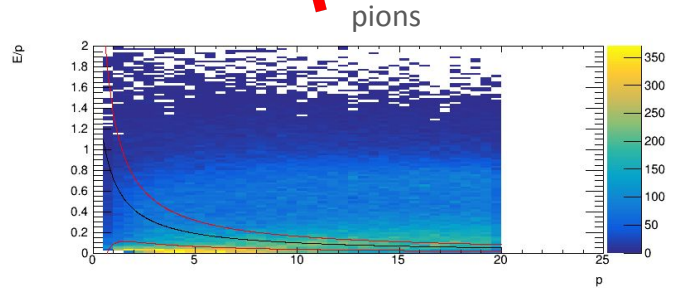
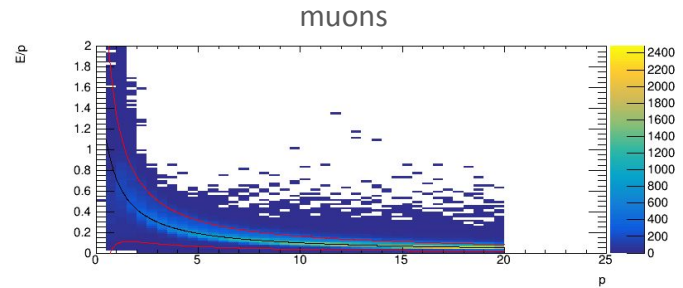
# Cuts pt2 - Ecal



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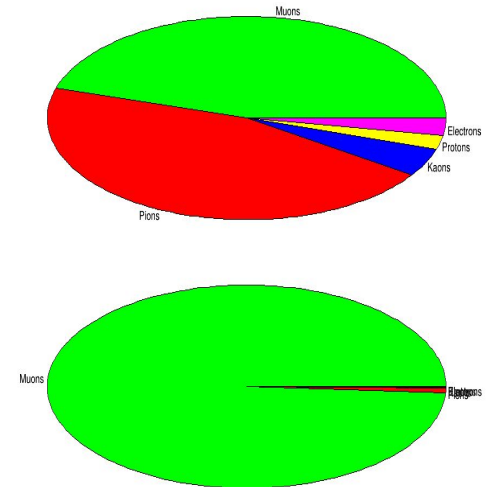
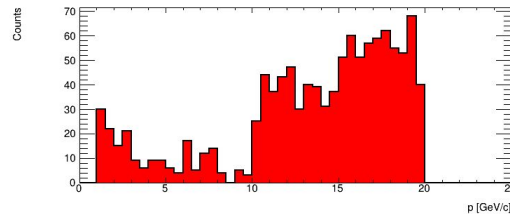
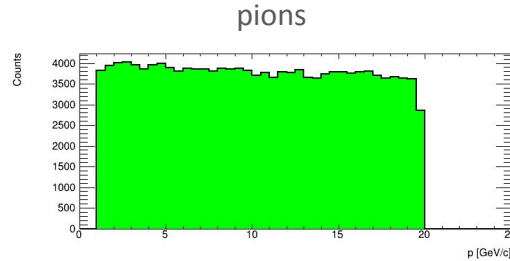
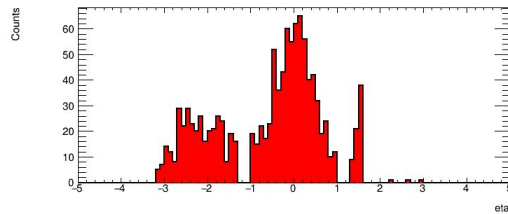
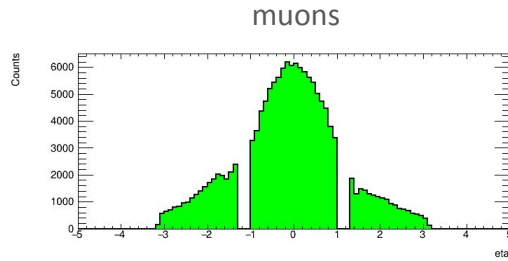
# Cuts pt2 - Hcal



# Post processed events



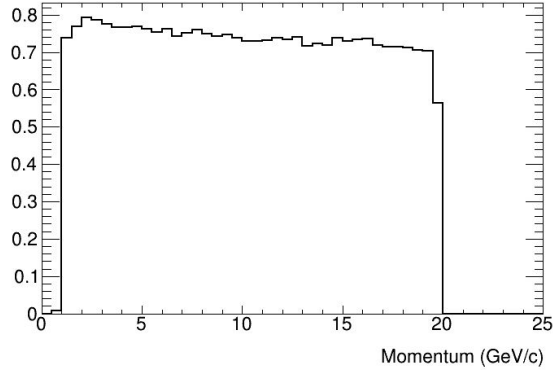
- Post cuts:
  - Muon purity: 99.1 %
  - Muon efficiency: 71.9 %



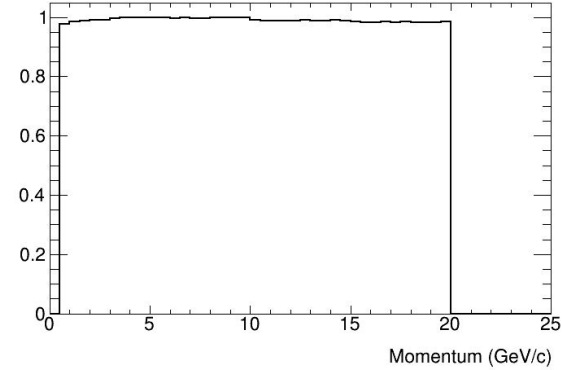
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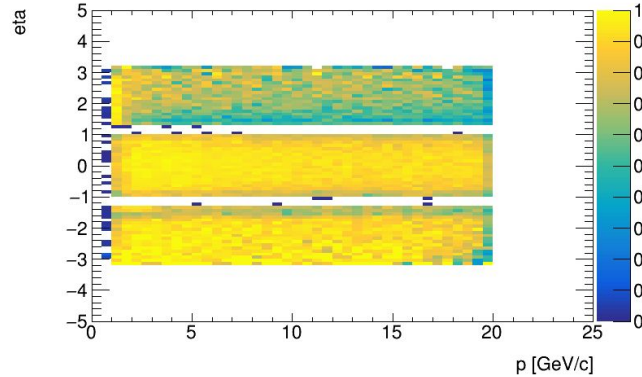
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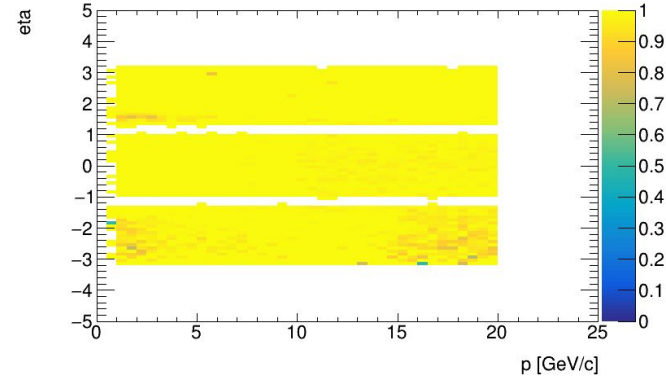
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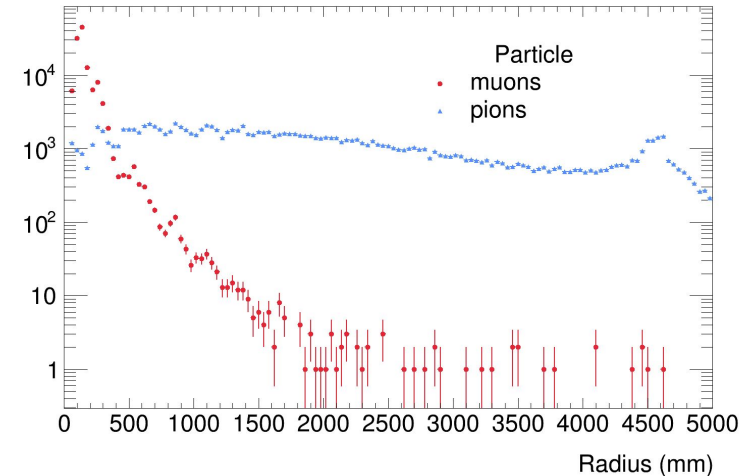
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# Future work for MuonID



- Need to consider true rates.
  - Expect 1000x more  $\pi$  than  $\mu$
- PID detectors not currently contributing to  $\mu$ ID.
  - Next detector set to evaluate
- Early investigations into shower shape ongoing.
  - Clear distinction, but need to show this can be used cleanly/easily

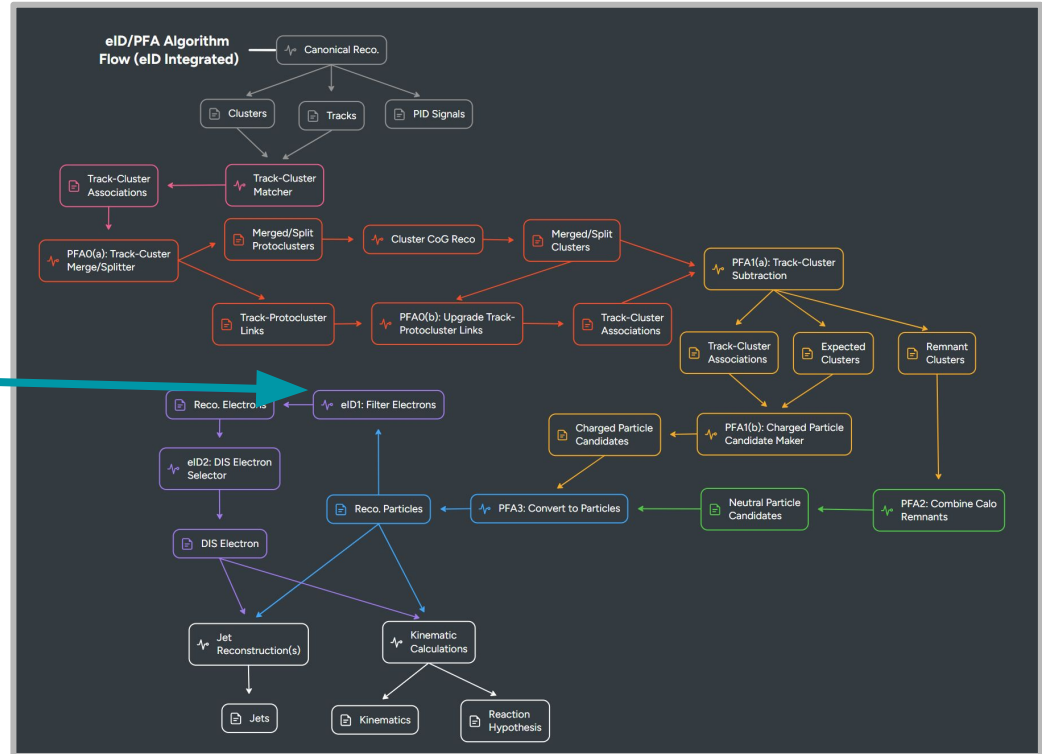


Hcal Barrel

# Discussion



- Want to shift towards a probabilistic approach
  - Parallels holistic PID
  - Distill cuts down to this
  - Cuts/quantities shown here are part of this
- Fit in as part of eID1?
  - -> lepID1 -> Filter Leptons?
  - Generic E/p algorithm
- OR separate out?
  - Filter electrons
  - Filter Muons
  - ...

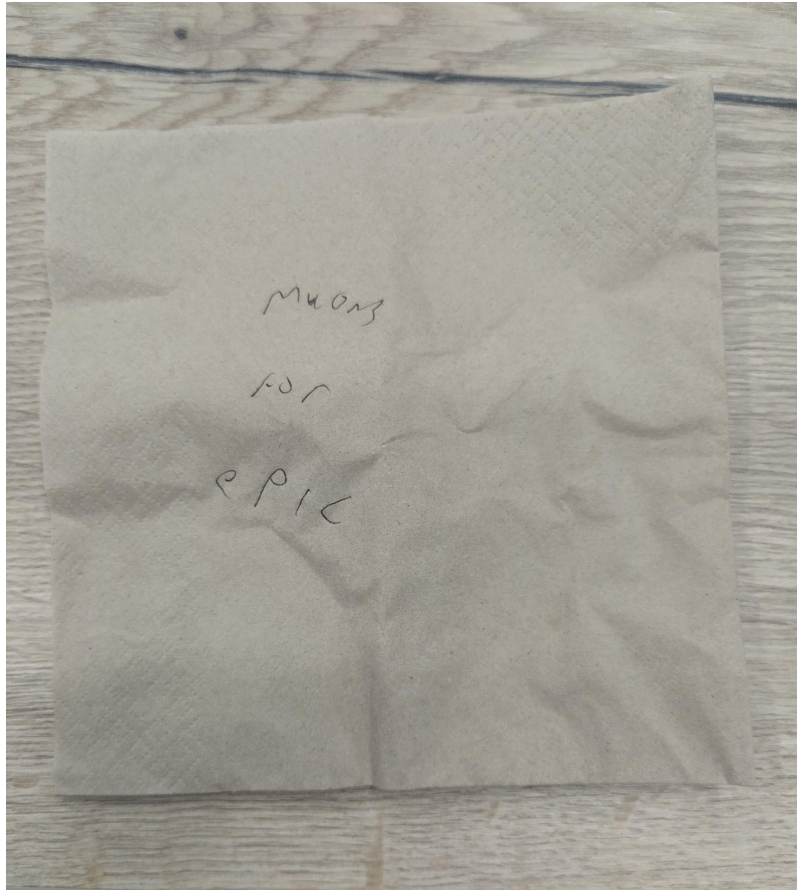




# Thanks for listening

Any questions?

# Muon Task Force



- Formed after the London meeting
- Informal group attempting to connect EDT efforts on muons to wider ePIC physics and reconstruction groups
- Biweekly Monday meetings, 1 pm UK time, in the “off” weeks of the EDT group\*
- Beginning to formalise organisation now work is progressing
- All interested collaborators welcome, ask me for connection details or reach out to Stuart Fegan in York ([stuart.fegan@york.ac.uk](mailto:stuart.fegan@york.ac.uk))

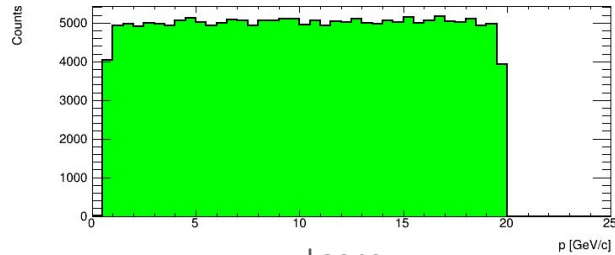
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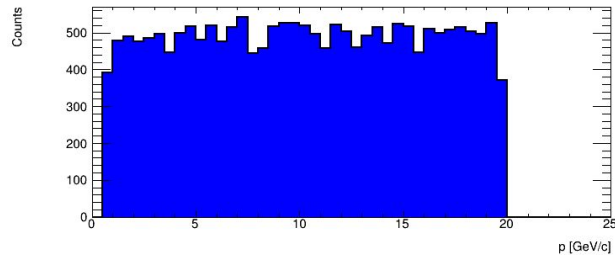


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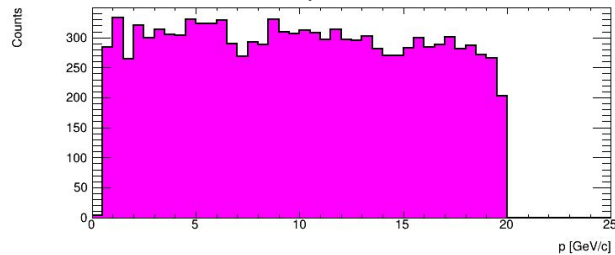
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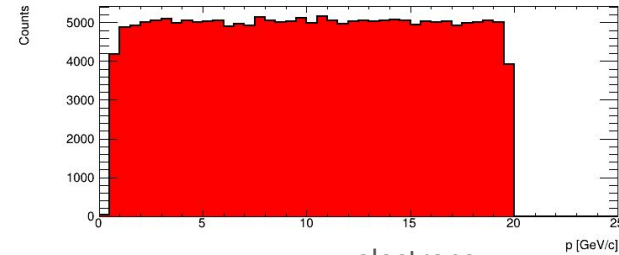
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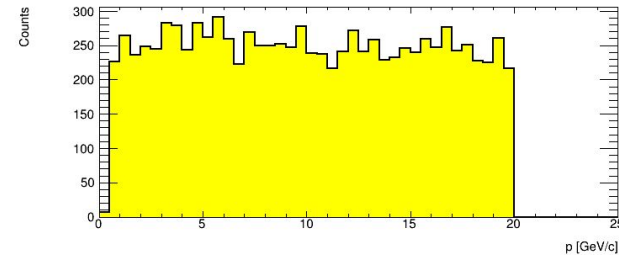
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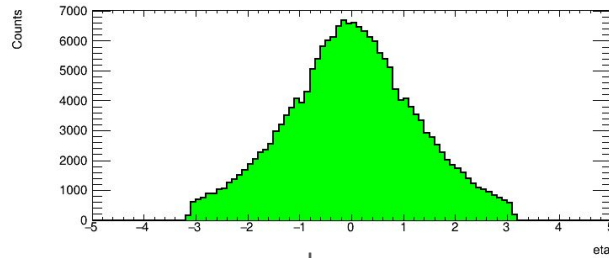
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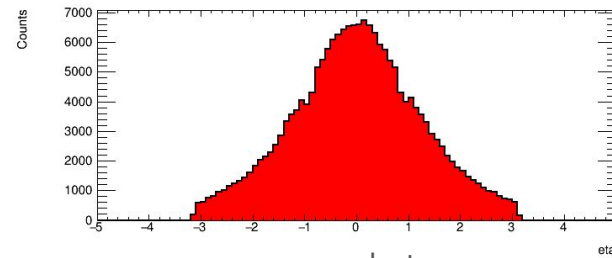
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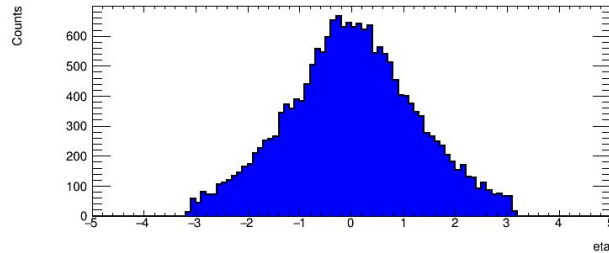
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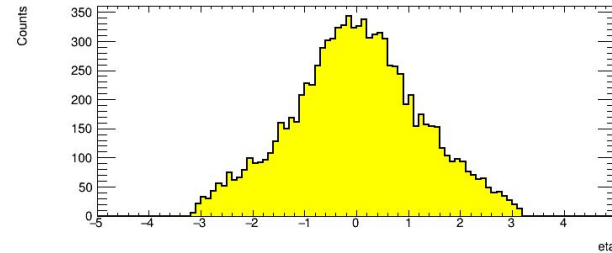
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