

Validation - HowTo & Status

F2F Tracking Meeting Prague

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General Information

Purpose

- Detect degradation of the physics performance by comparing plots produced with different software versions
- Automatically executed after each nightly development build

Generated plots are shown on:

<https://belle2.cc.kek.jp/internal/validation>

How To

PACKAGE/validation directory

- .py scripts are executed with basf2 (alphabetic order)
- .C scripts are executed with ROOT after the .py

.py files

- Steering of data generation
- Create validation plots

.C scripts

Only for plotting

Data Generation

- ROOT-files with generated data must be stored in the parent directory
- Use `set_random_seed()` in steering scripts to avoid statistical fluctuations
- Beam background can be added using files in `$BELLE2_BACKGROUND_DIR`

Example

```
# add beam background to simulation
bg = []
if os.environ.has_key('BELLE2.BACKGROUND.DIR'):
    bg += glob.glob(os.environ['BELLE2.BACKGROUND.DIR'] + '/*.root')
add_simulation(main, bkgfiles=bg)

# store data
root_output = register.module("RootOutput")
root_output.param("outputFileName", ".../GeneratedData.root")
[...]
```

Validation Plots

- Possible objects: TH1 and TNtuple
- Add a description and a check to each plot and tuple
- Save validation plots in a ROOT-file

Adding description and check

```
TH1F* h = ...
h->GetListOfFunctions()->Add(new TNamed("Description", "Add_the_description_here."));
h->GetListOfFunctions()->Add(new TNamed("Check", "Add_the_instructions_for_the_checks_here."));

TNtuple* nt = ...
nt->SetAlias("Description", "Add_the_description_here.");
nt->SetAlias("Check", "Add_the_instructions_for_the_checks_here.");
```

Reference Plots and Validation

Reference Plots

- Reference plots must be stored in a ROOT-file with the same name as the created validation plots
- Current plots are compared to the reference plots

Orange frame: Some difference between current and reference histogram

Red frame: Large difference (defined by chi-square p-value below 1%)

Validate it

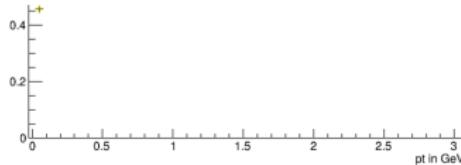
- Start validation with the command `validate_basf2`
- Add package name as argument to validate only a single package
- See `validate_basf2 --help` for more information

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Legend:

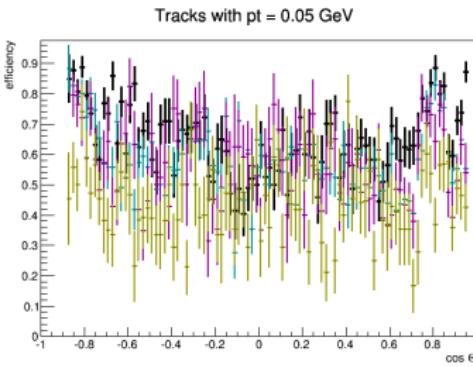
- reference
- 7710 (7735 (7753 (7769 (current))))
- 7696
- 7651
- 7631
- build-2013-12-02
- build-2013-11-10



This plot shows the single track reconstruction efficiency over the transverse momentum.

Check:

The efficiency should be stable for low pt values.



No current plot!

Description:

Events with 10 muon tracks with fixed transverse momentum are generated using the ParticleGun (500 events for each pt value). The events are reconstructed with VXDFT+Trasan+MCTrackCandCor. The plot shows the single track reconstruction efficiency in bins of polar angle for the fixed transverse momentum $pt = 0.05$ GeV.

Check:

Stable efficiency over the whole range of the polar angle.

For detailed information see [the Twiki page](#).

Status Of Tracking Validation

Generated Data

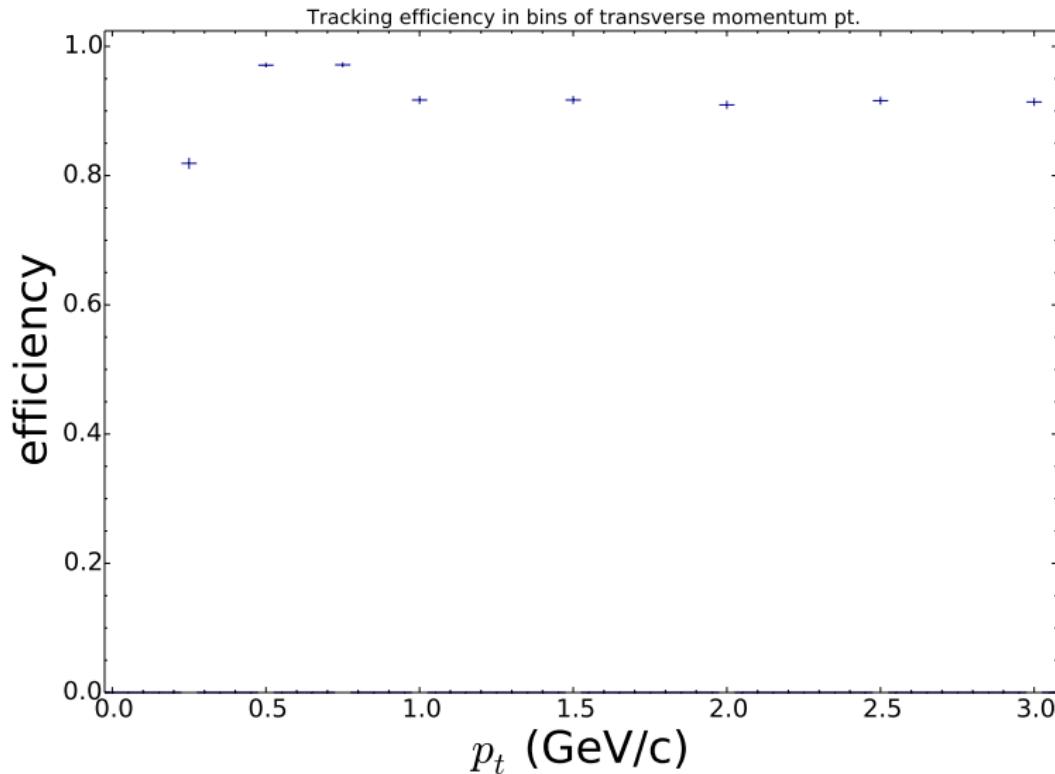
- Events with 10 μ tracks with fixed p_t
- 200 events per p_t value
- Standard simulation with beam background

Reconstruction:

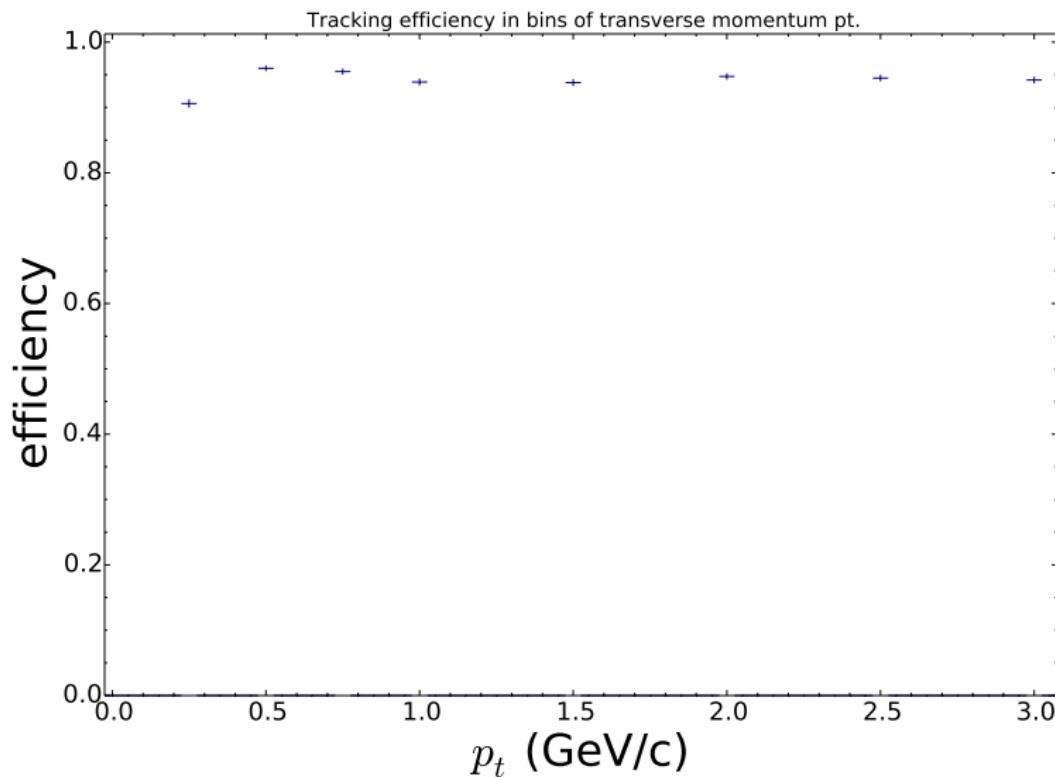
VXDTF + Trasan + MCTrackCandCombiner + GenFitter

Extract information with StandardTrackingPerformance module

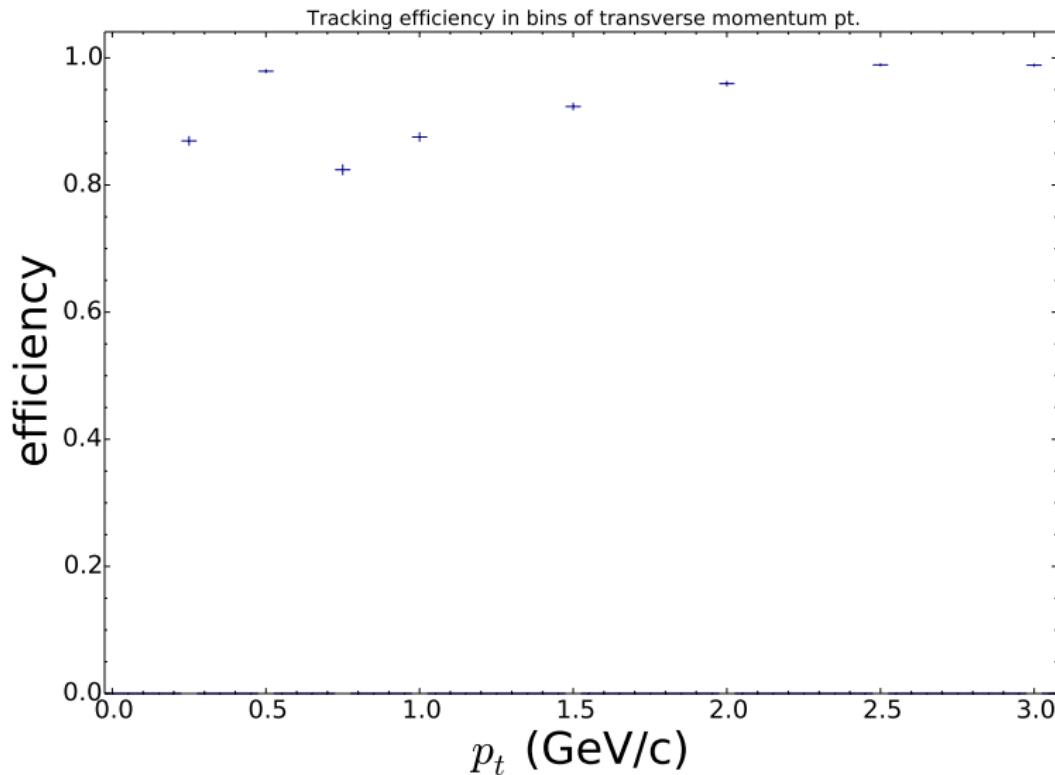
Tracking efficiency



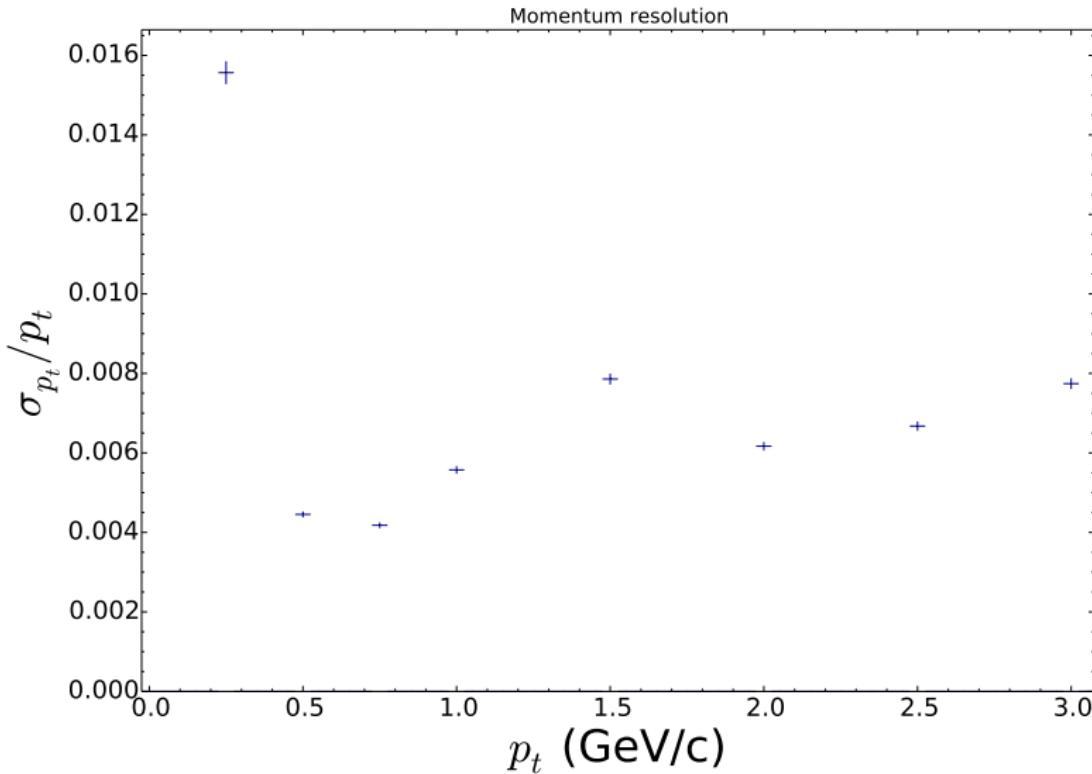
Tracking efficiency (Trasan only)



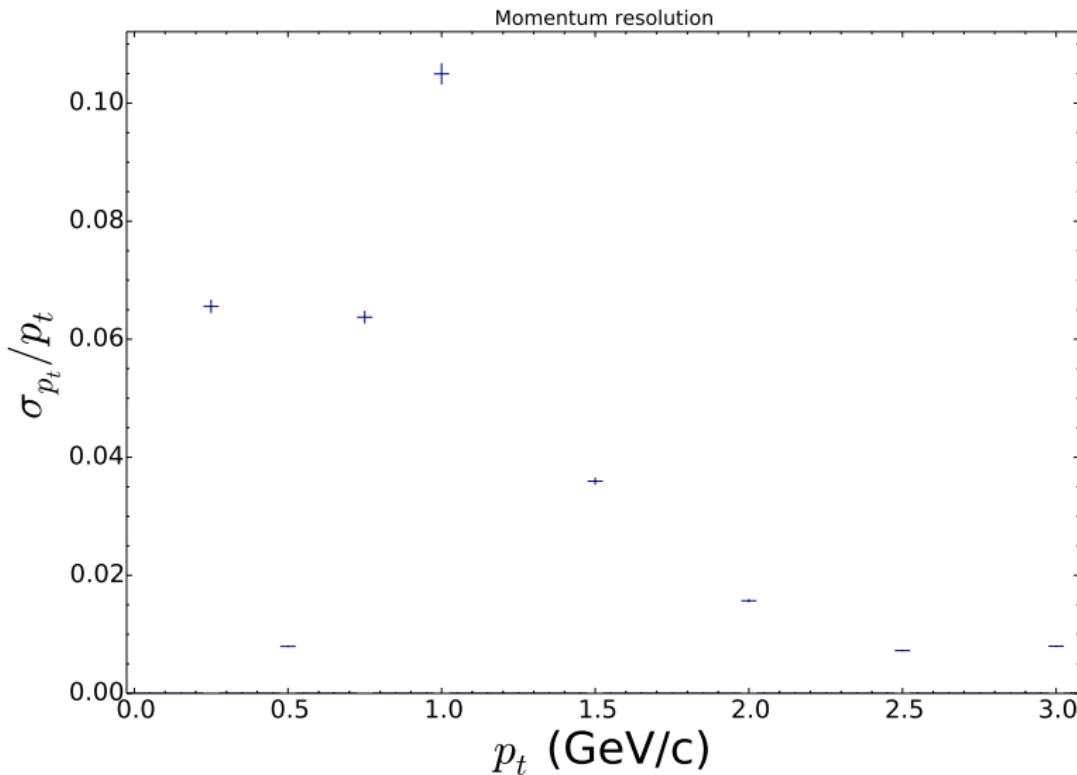
Tracking efficiency (MCTrackFinder)



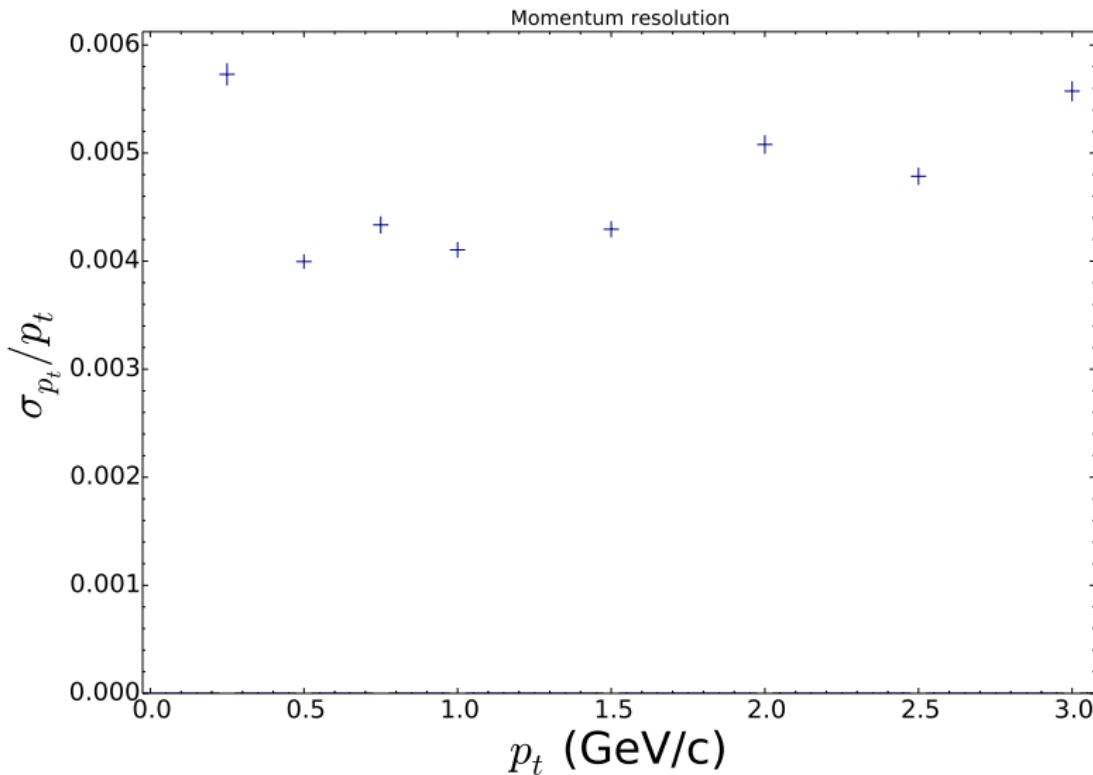
Momentum Resolution



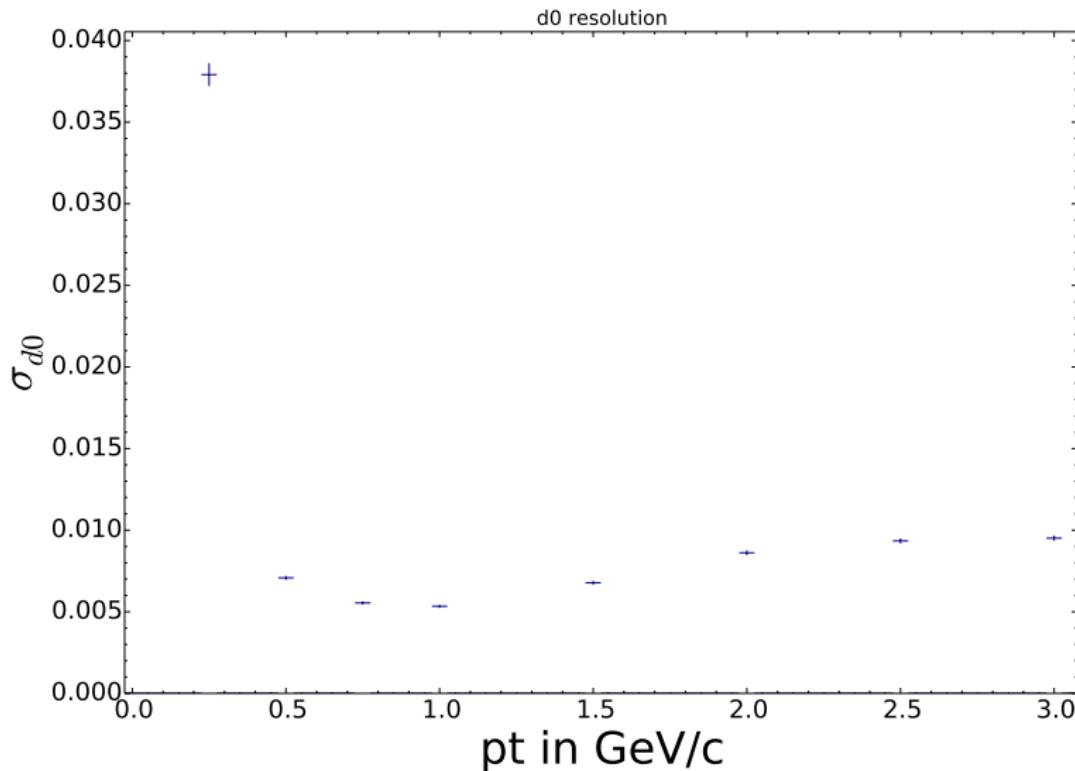
Momentum Resolution (Trasan only)



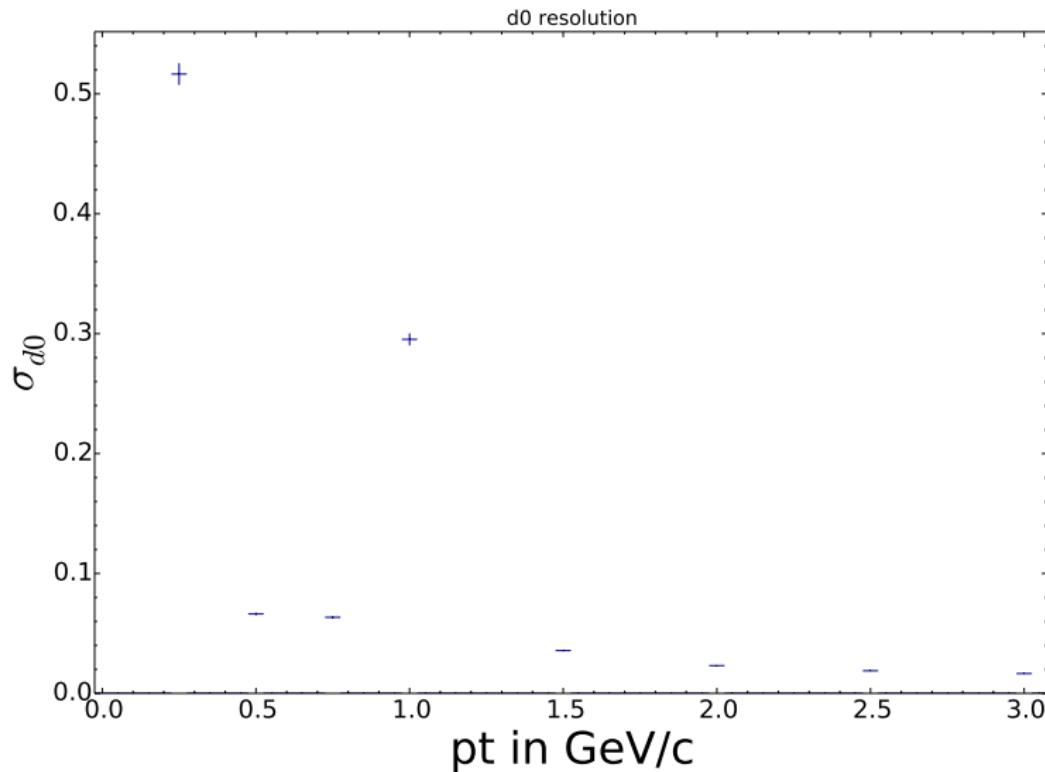
Momentum Resolution (MCTrackFinder)



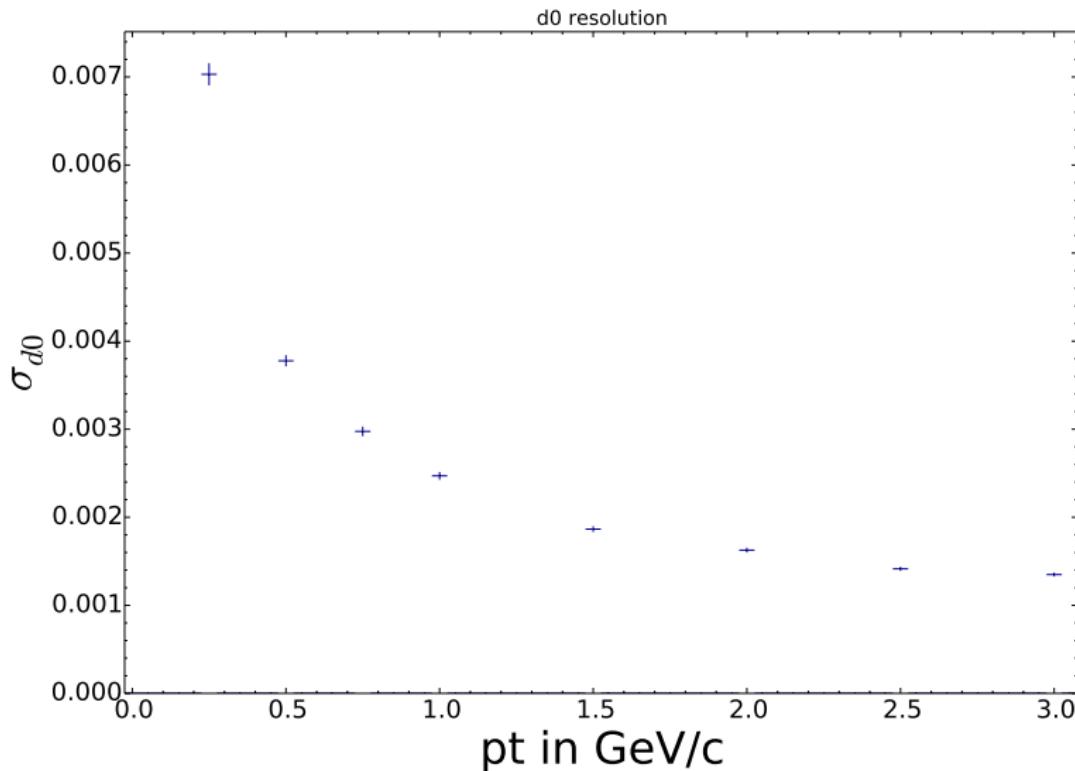
Impact Parameter Resolution



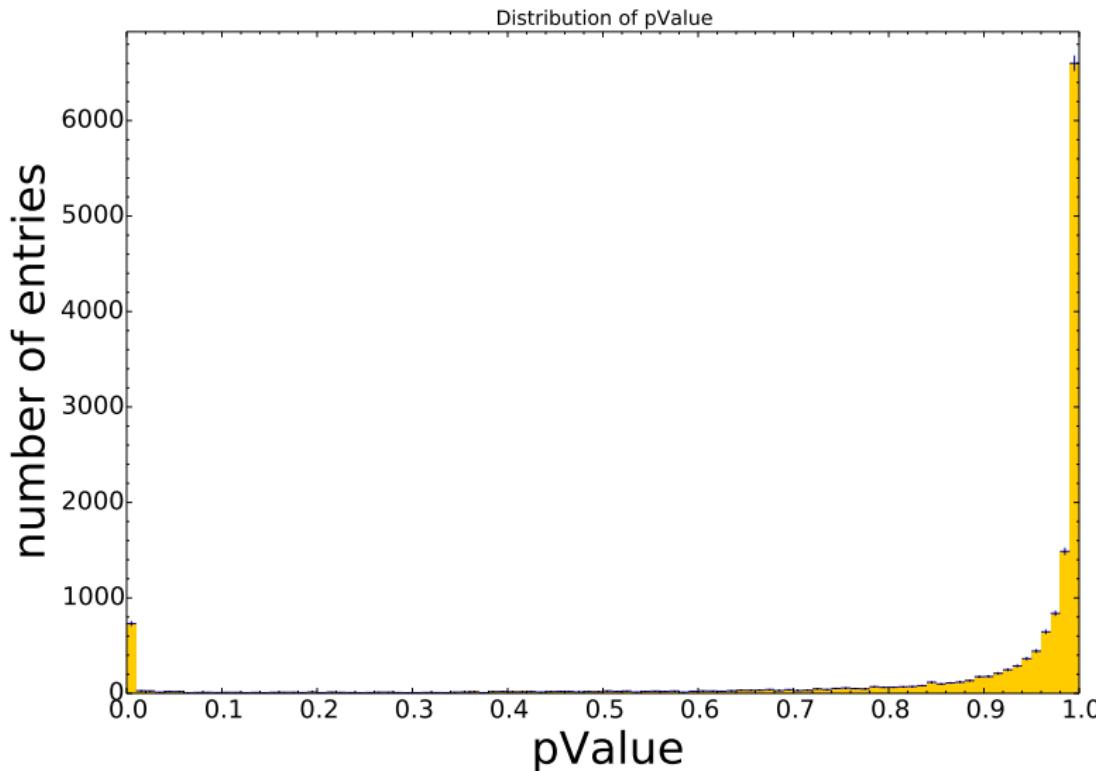
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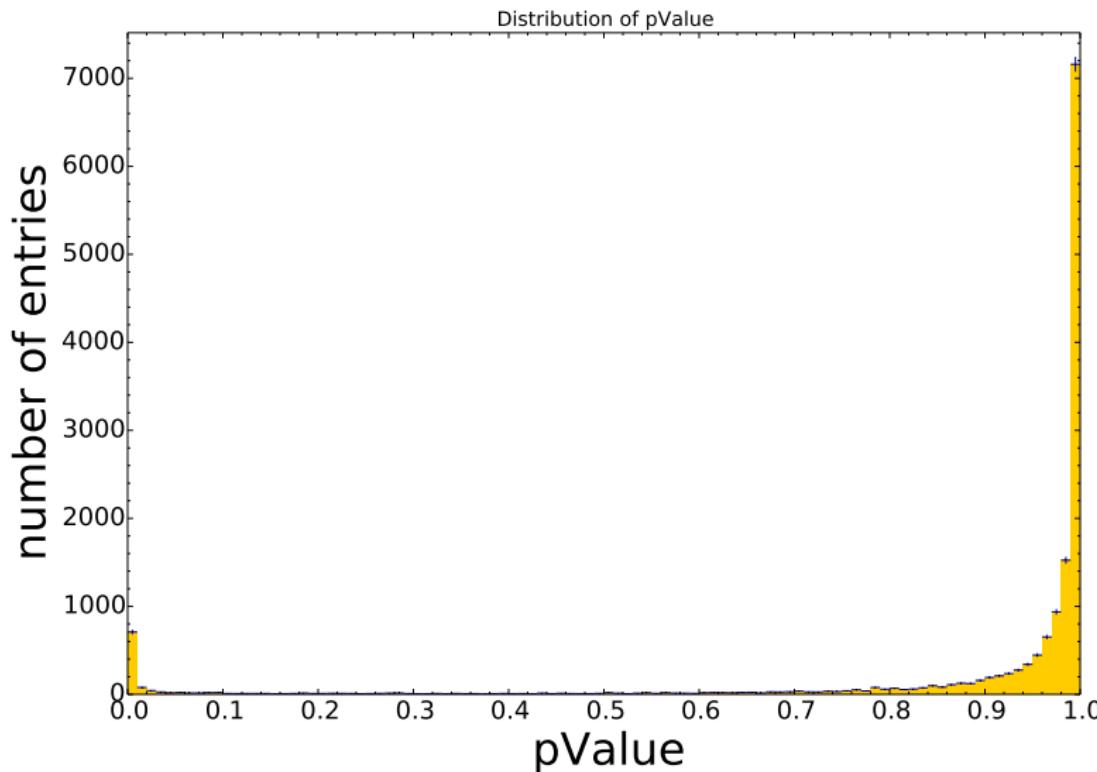
Impact Parameter Resolution (MCTrackFinder)



pValue



pValue (Trasan only)



pValue (MCTrackFinder)

