

# RG-M Analysis Update

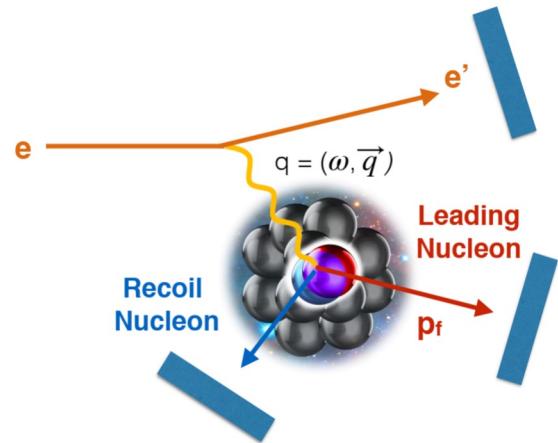
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# Overview

- Run Group M Introduction
- Low Level Analysis
- Physics Analyses
  - Short Range Correlations (SRCs)
  - Electrons for Neutrinos (e4v)

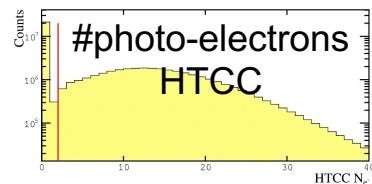
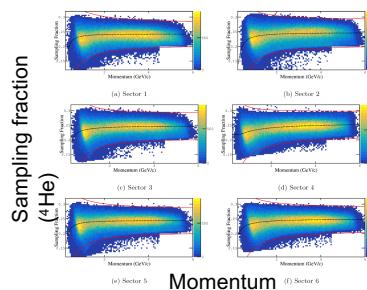
# RG-M Experiment at CLAS12

- November 2021 – February 2022
- Fully cooked production runs
- 2, 4, and 6 GeV Beam Energies
- H, D, He, C,  $^{40}\text{Ca}$ ,  $^{48}\text{Ca}$ , Ar, and Sn

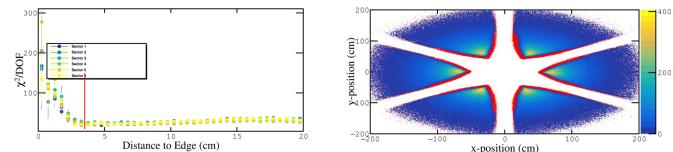


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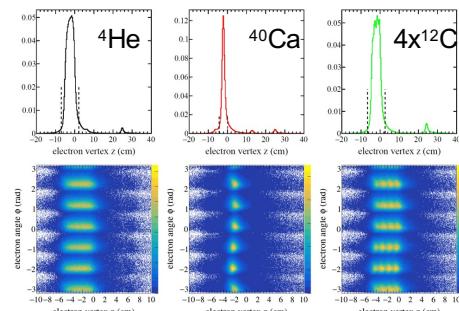
(charge, HTCC photo-electrons,  
 $\Delta E(\text{PCal})$ , Sampling fraction)



Fiducial Cuts

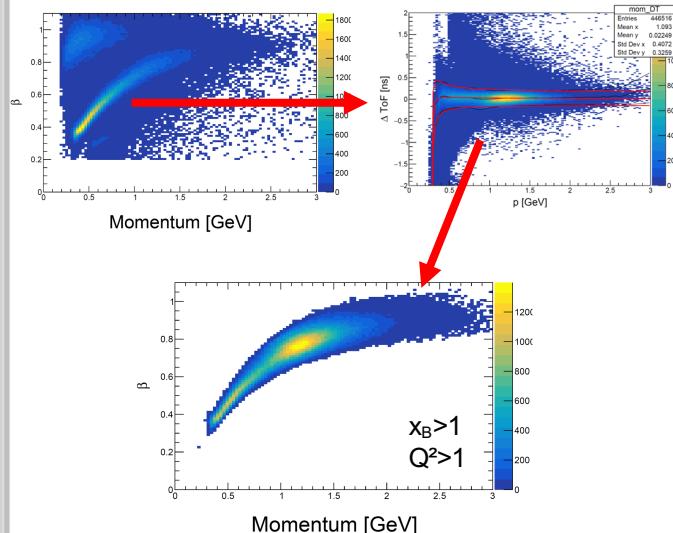


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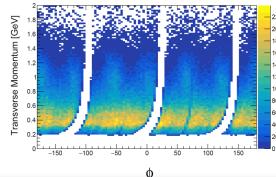


# Particle ID for Protons in 6 GeV data

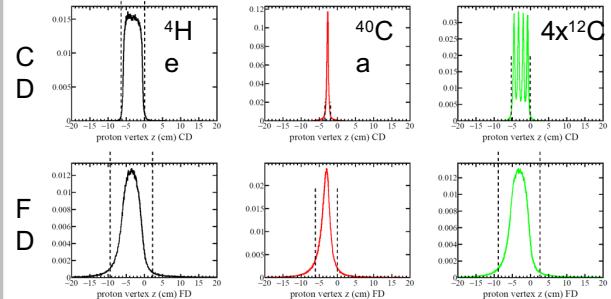
Central detector ID in  $\Delta\text{ToF}$  (=measured - expected)



Fiducial Cuts



$z$  Vertex



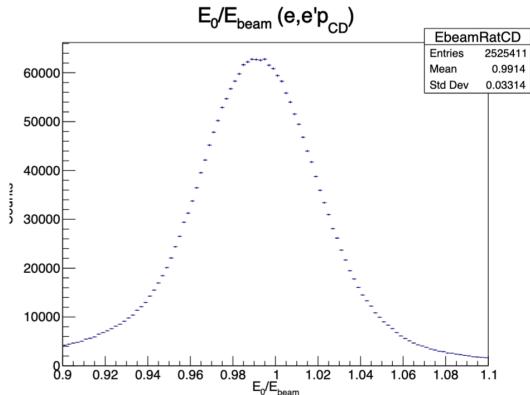
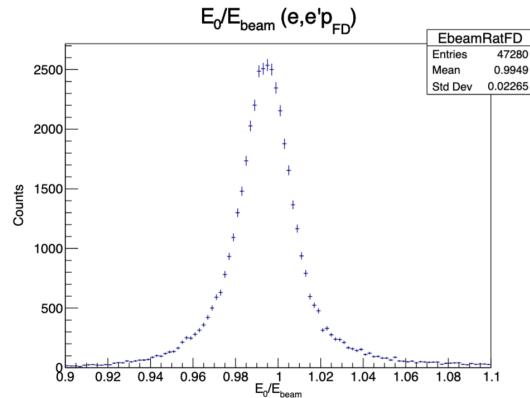
# Additional on Detector Level Analysis

- Energy Loss Corrections
- Angular Corrections
- Momentum Corrections
- Momentum Smearing Simulation
- Vertex Resolution

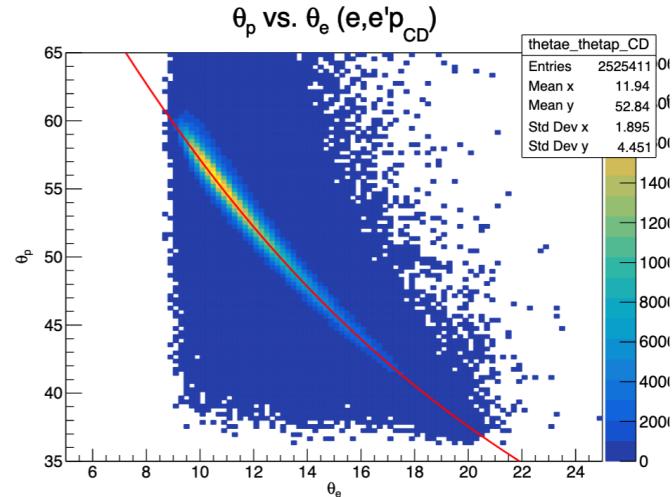
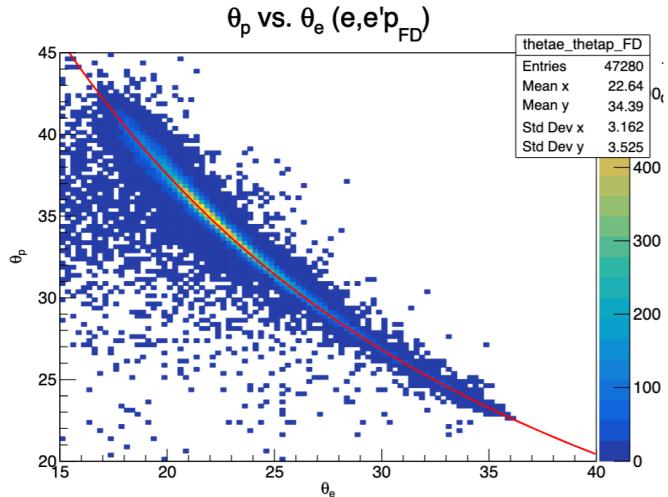
# Use Elastic Scattering Angles to Calculate Beam Energy

- $0.7 \text{ GeV} < W < 1.1 \text{ GeV}$
- $-3^\circ < \Delta\phi_{ep} < 3^\circ$
- Separate events with a proton in the FD and CD

$$E_0 = m_N (\cot(\theta_e/2) \cot(\theta_p) - 1)$$

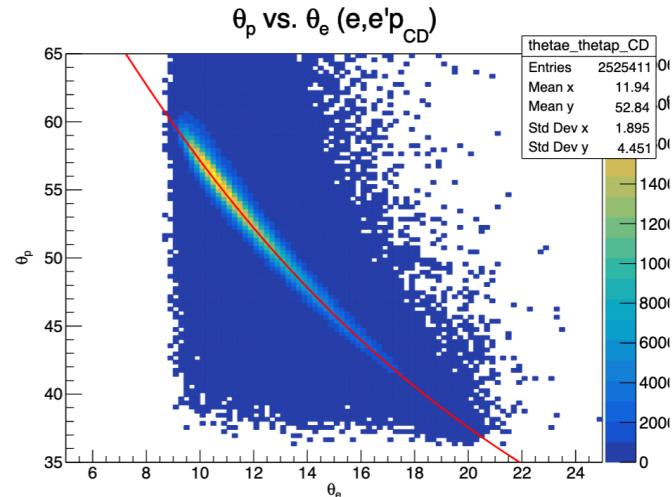
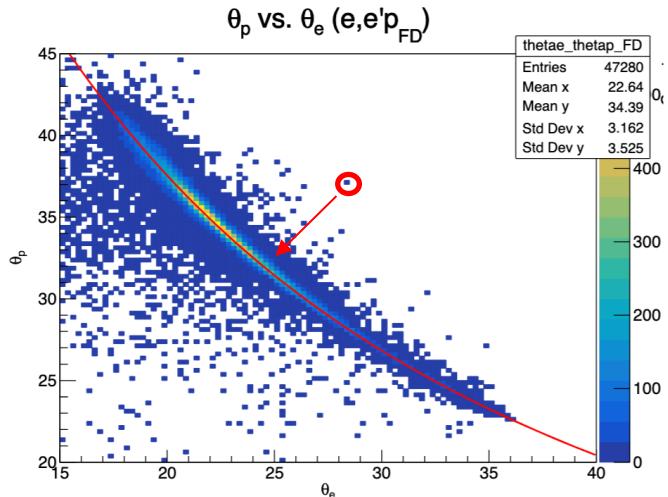


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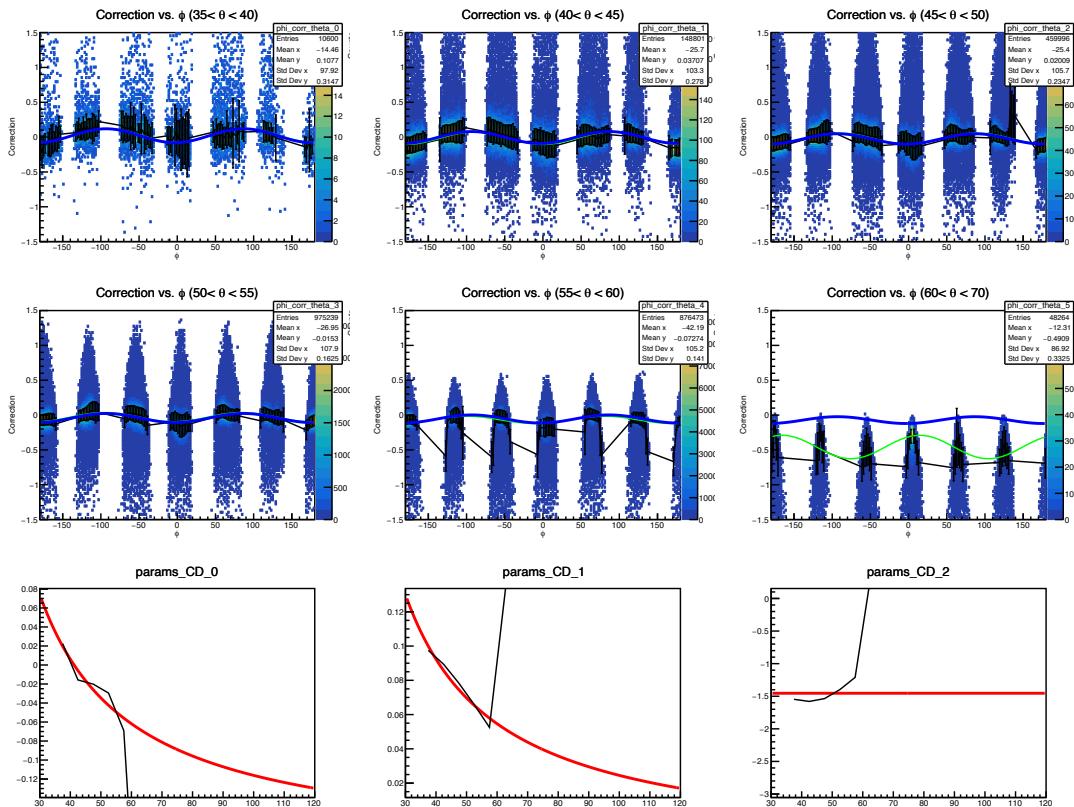
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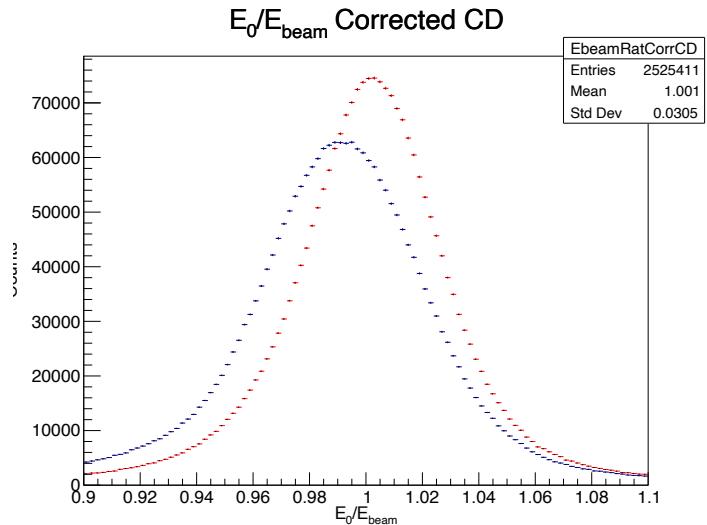
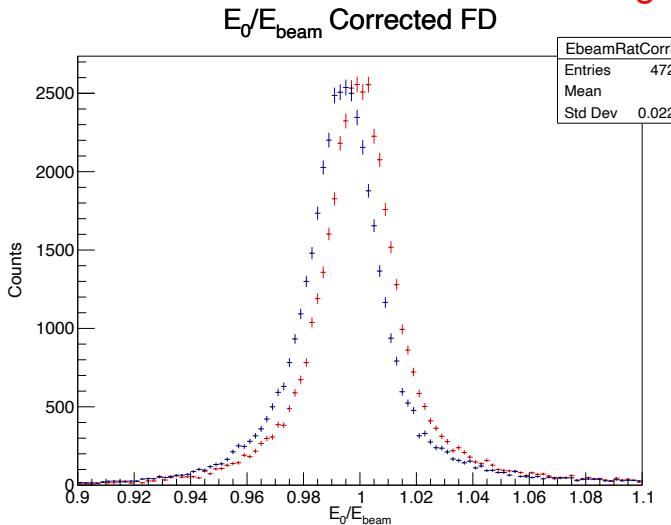
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# CD Angular Corrections



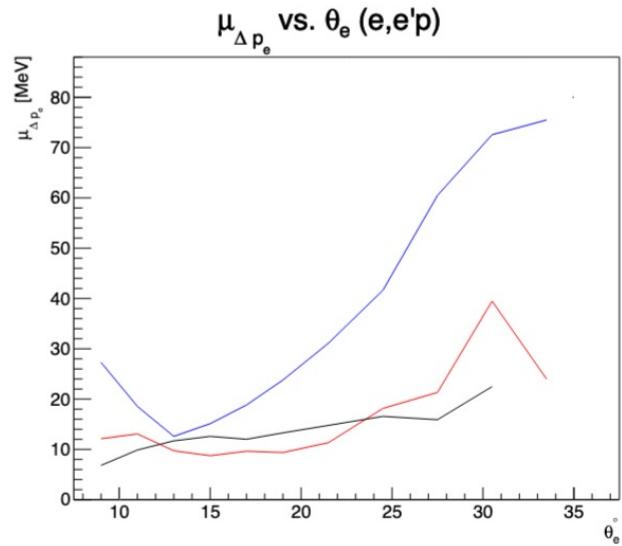
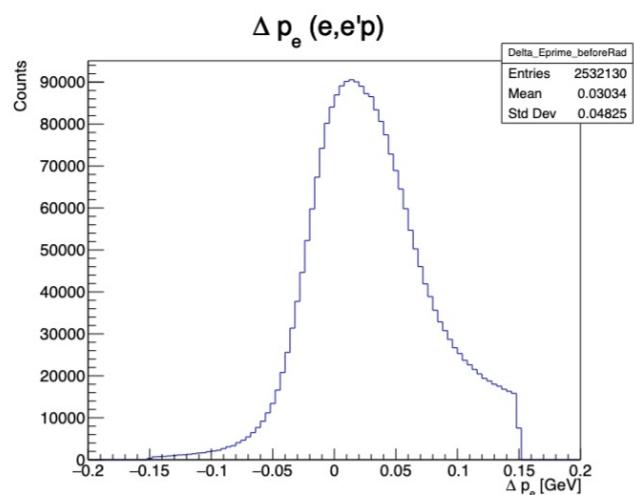
# Result of Angular Corrections

Before Angular Correction  
After Angular Correction



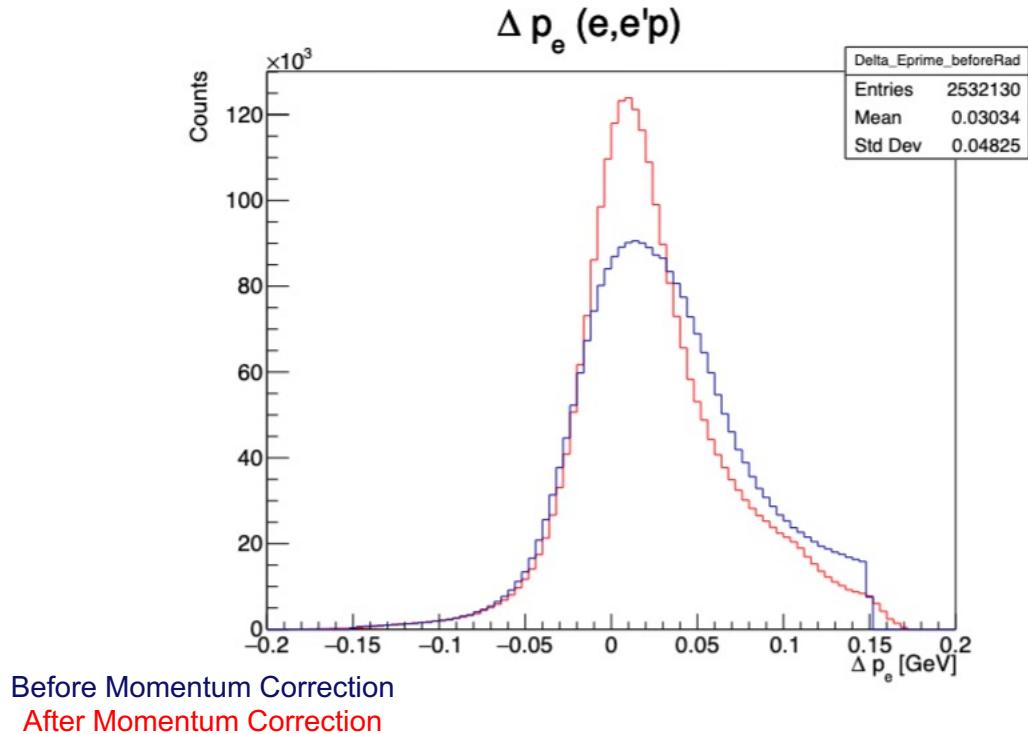
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# Momentum Correction of Electrons

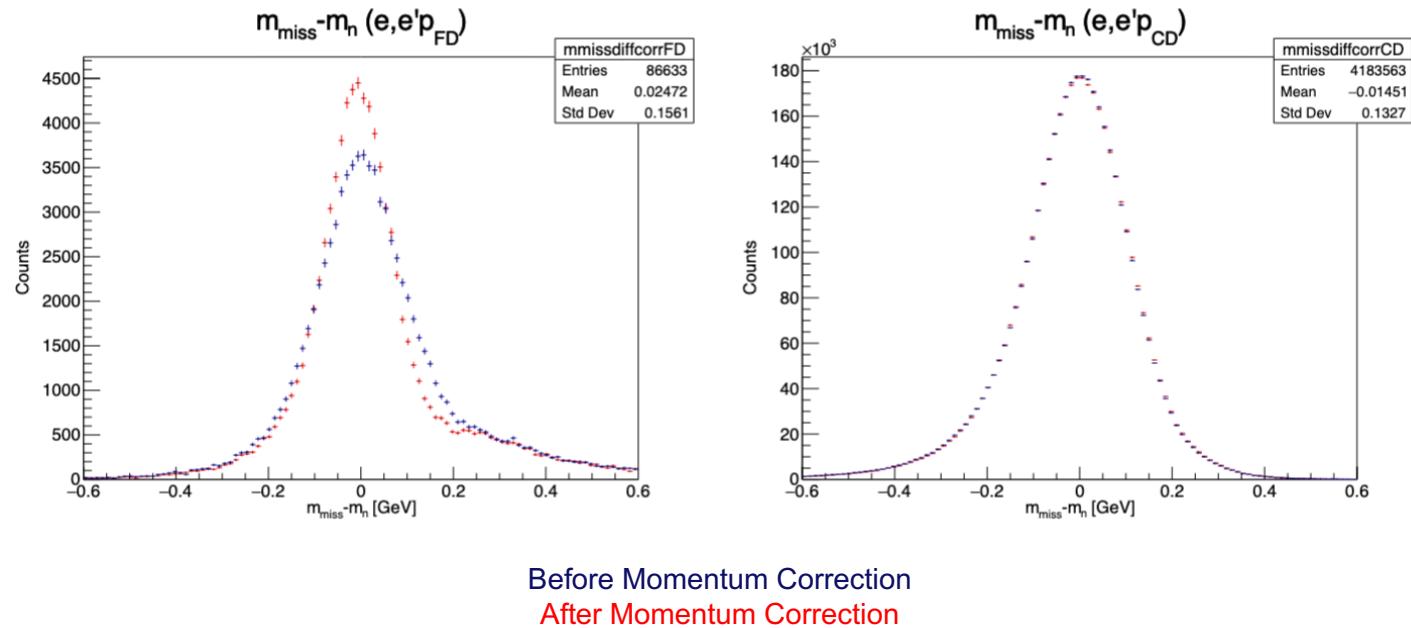


Before Momentum Correction  
After Momentum Correction  
 $H(e, e'p)$  Simulation with Radiation

# Momentum Corrections Improve Resolution

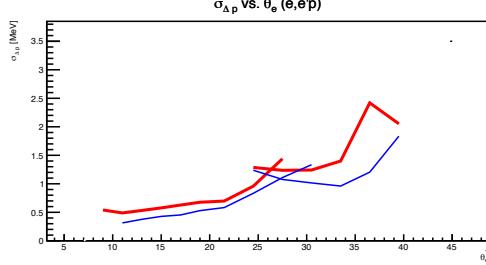
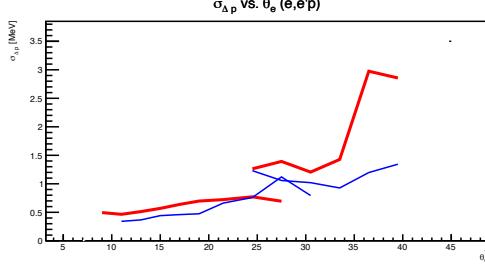
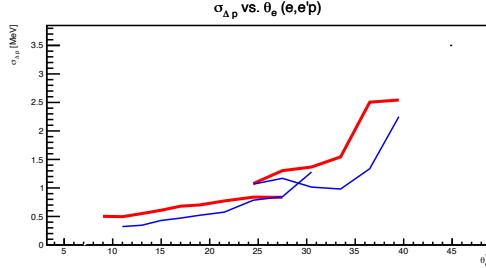
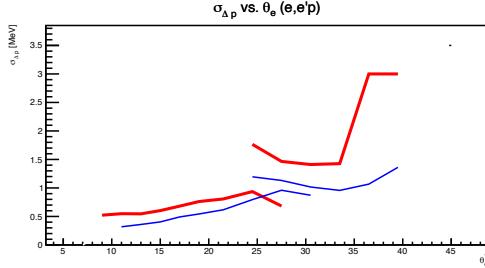
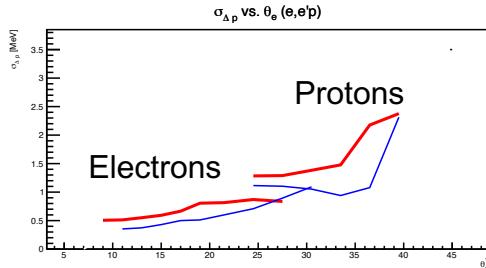
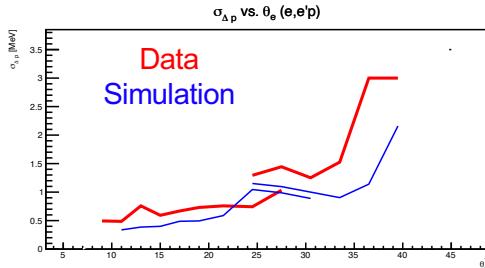


# Applying Corrections to D(e,e'p)n



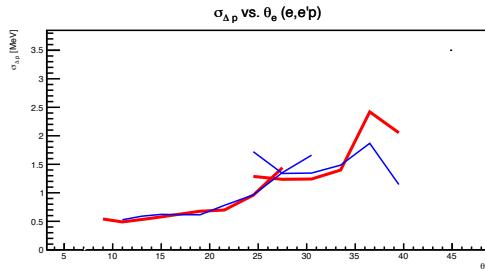
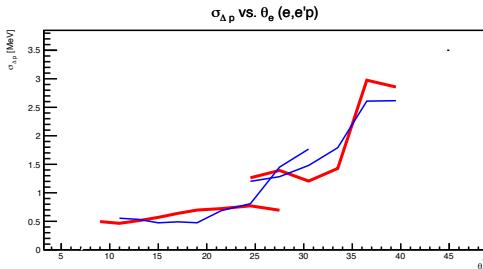
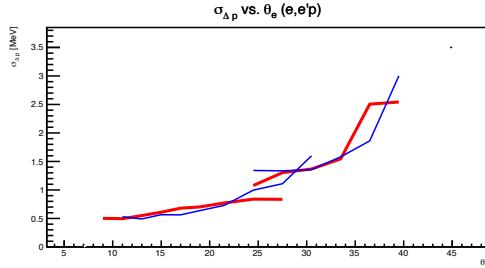
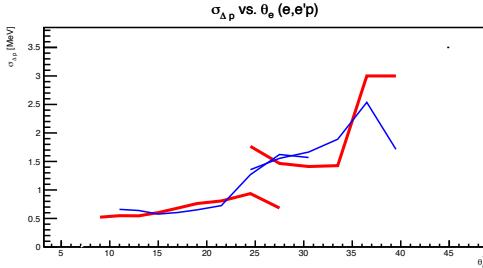
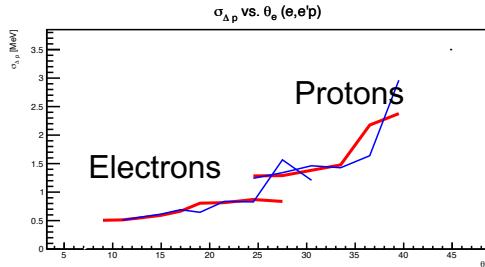
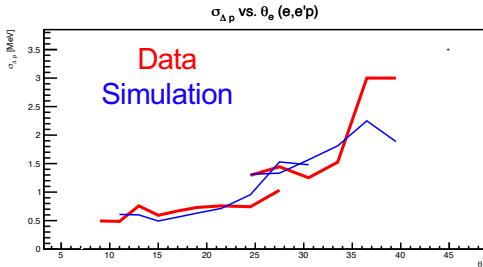
# Data vs. Simulation

Resolution  
 $p_{angle} - p$



# Data vs. Simulation with Smearing

Resolution  
 $p_{angle} - p$



# Particle ID for 6 GeV data

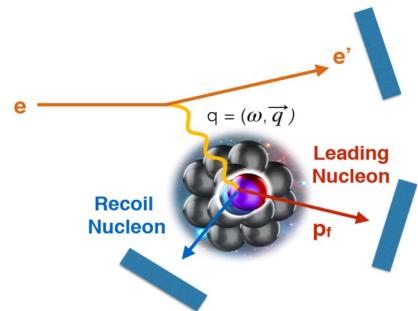
RG-M Analysis Note: 6 GeV electron proton selection and  
Particle ID

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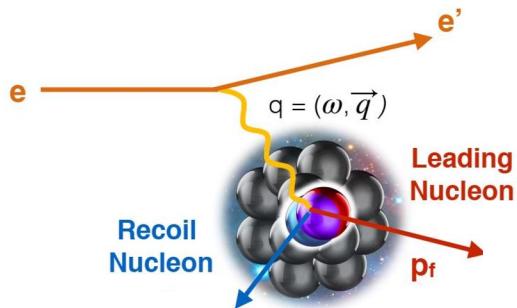
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→ Re-submit “General” Analysis Note Soon

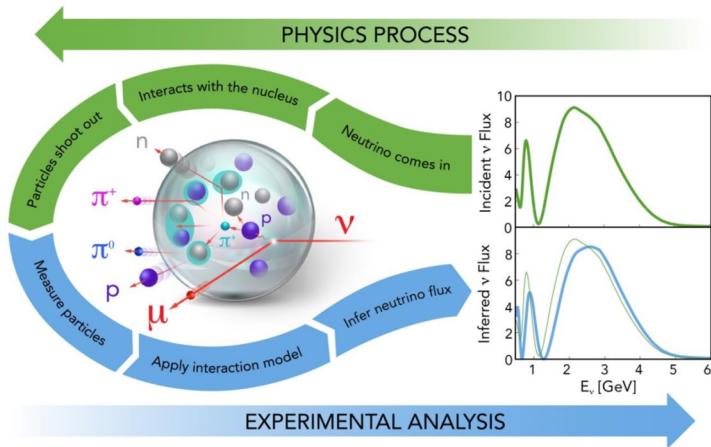


# Run Group-M Proposals

## Short Range Correlations

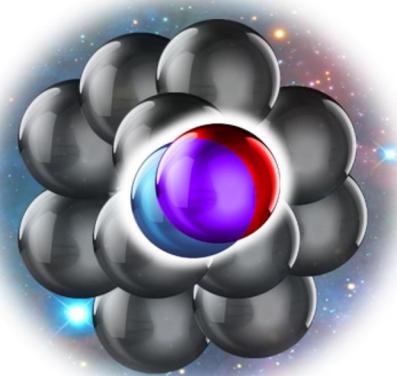


## Electrons for Neutrinos ( $e4\nu$ )



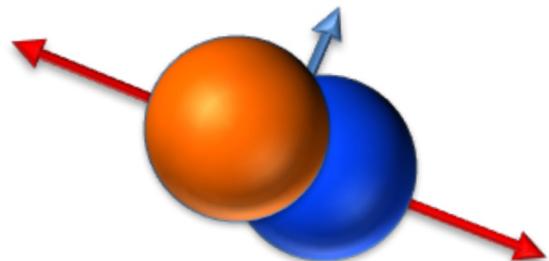
- $(e, e')$  inclusive
- $(e, e'N)$
- $(e, e'NN)$

Short range, short lived,  
highly correlated pairs



r-space

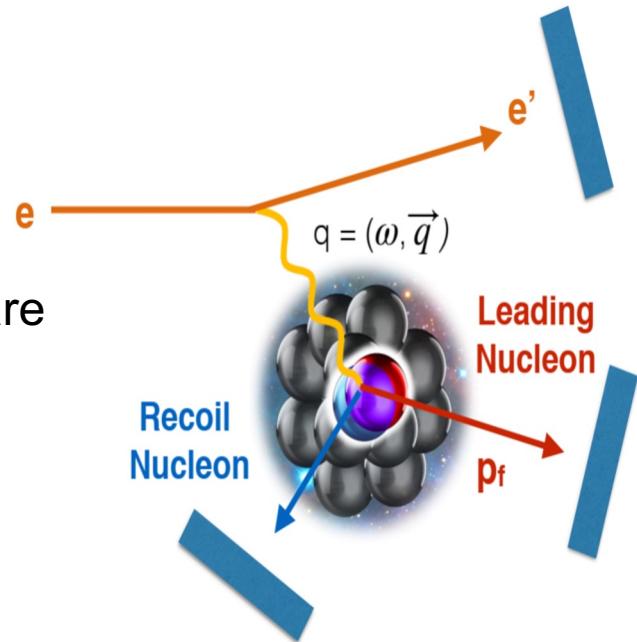
High **relative** momentum  
Low **center of mass** momentum



k-space

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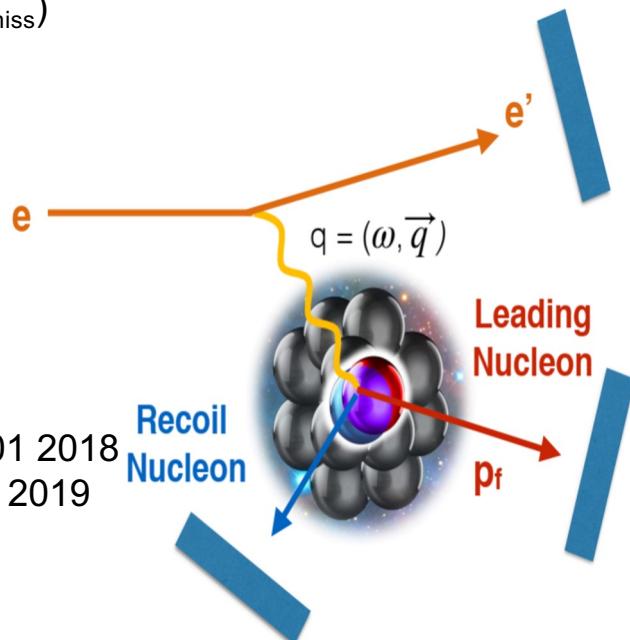


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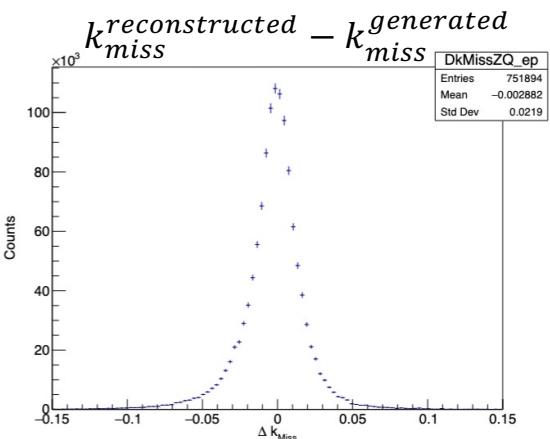
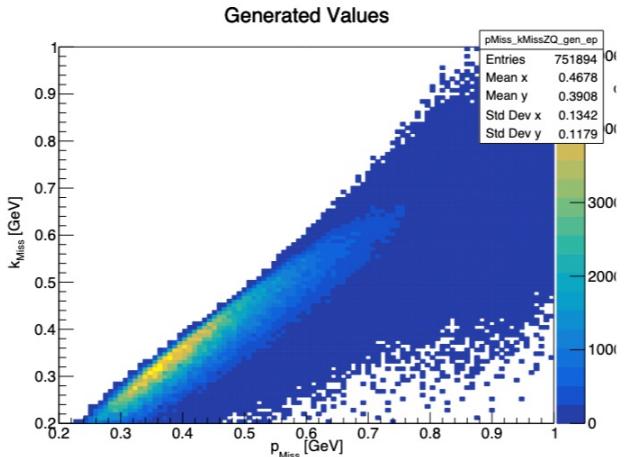
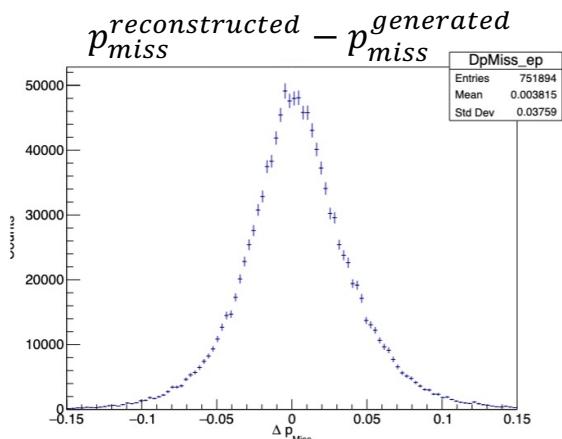
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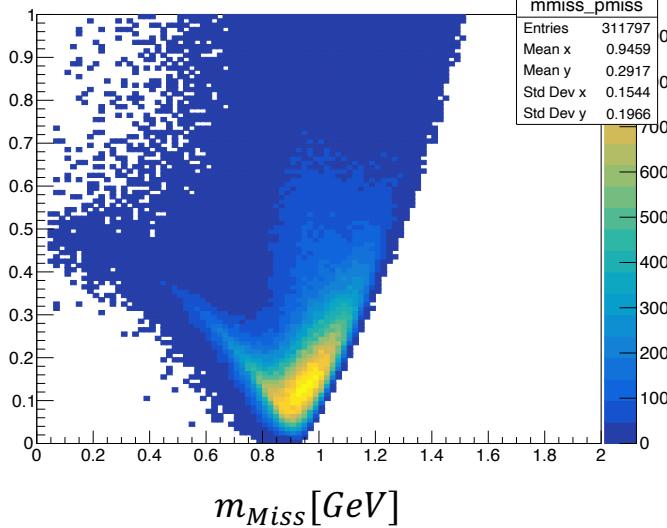
$K_{Miss}$  correlates with  $p_{Miss}$  with better resolution

$$k_{miss}^2 \equiv m_N^2 \left( \frac{p_{miss,\perp}^2 + m_N^2}{p_{miss}(2m_N - p_{miss})} \right) - m_N^2$$

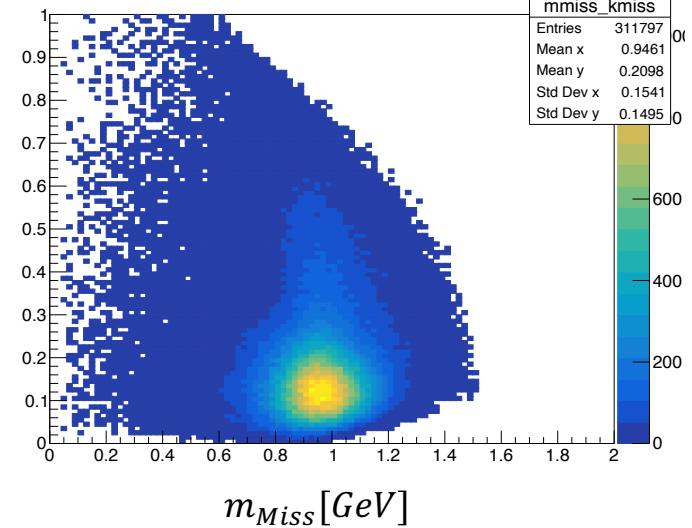


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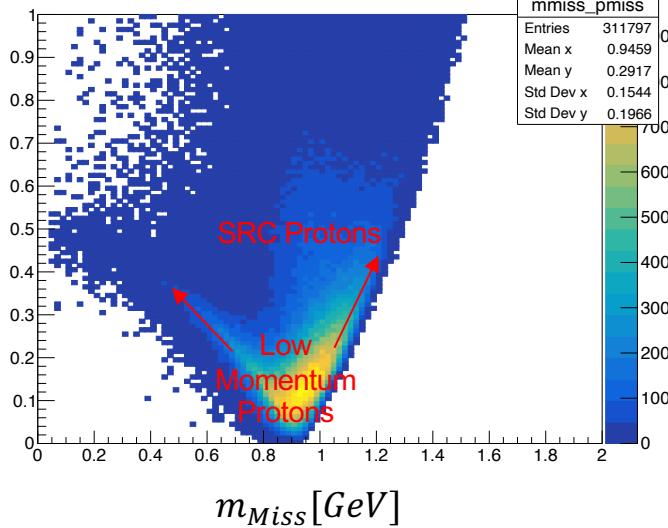


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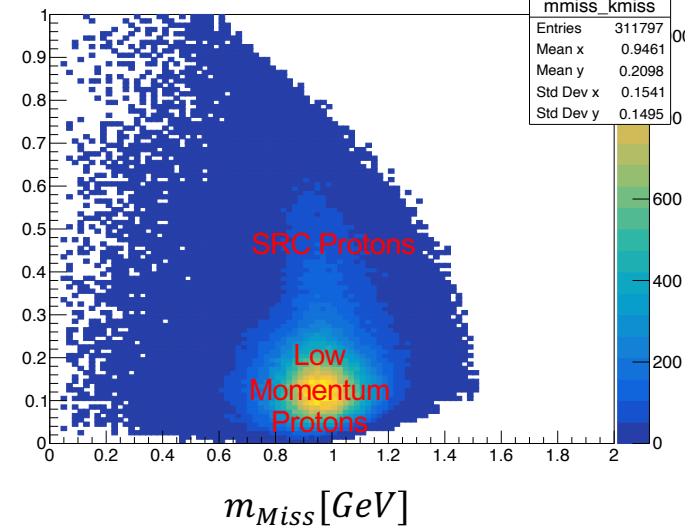


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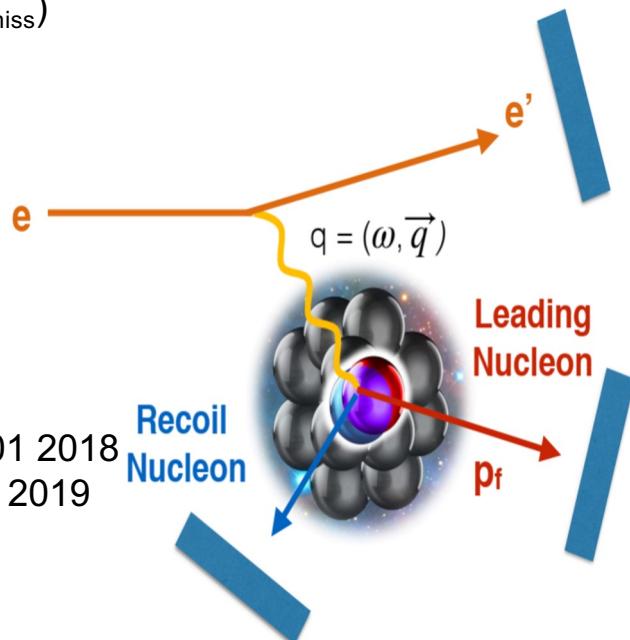


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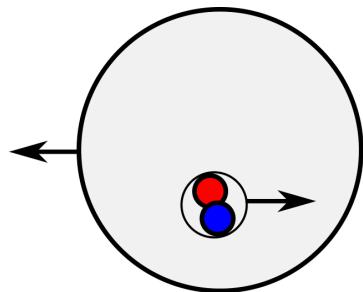
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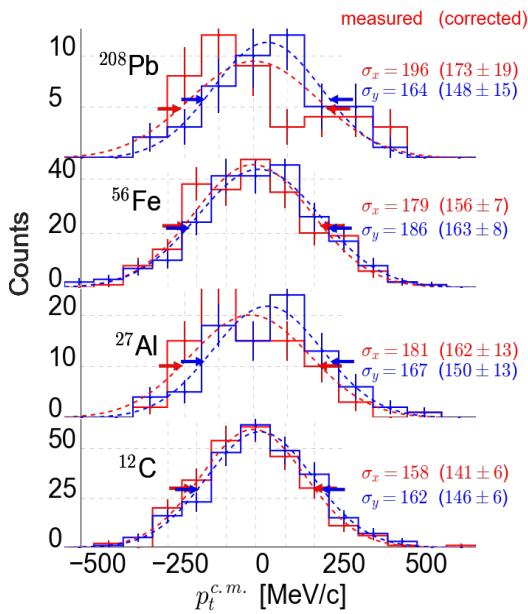
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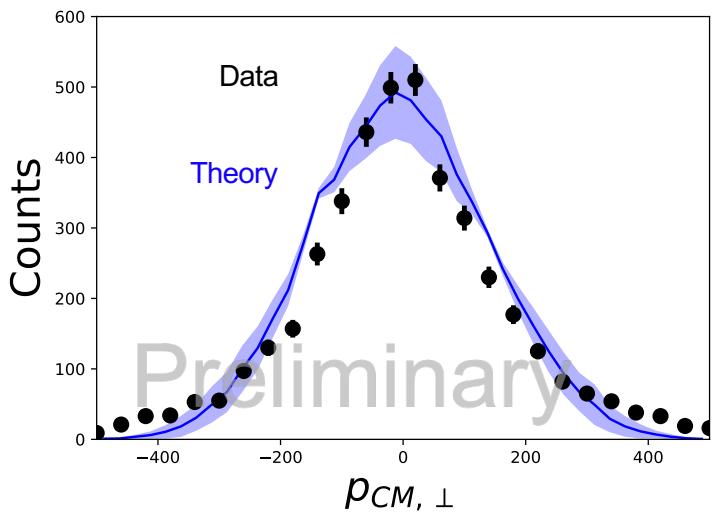
# Center of Mass Motion



## CLAS6 Data



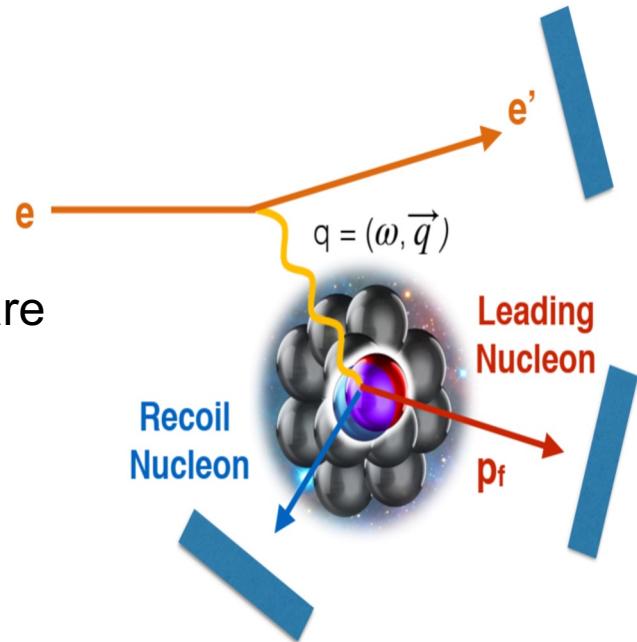
## RGM Helium



- Cohen, PRL (2018)

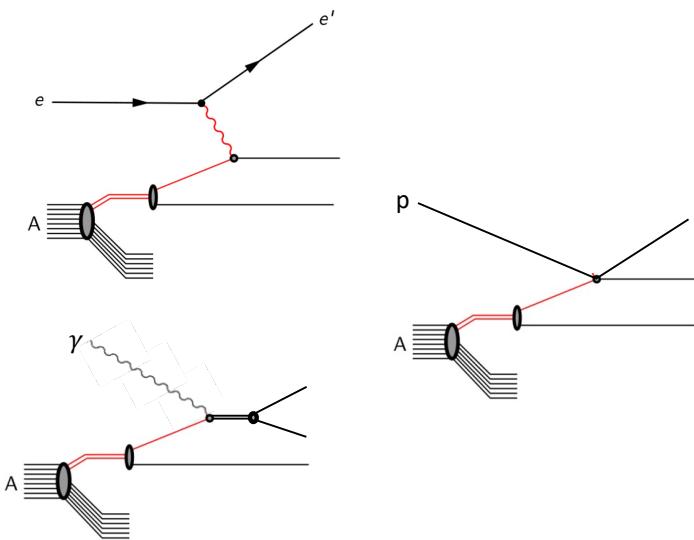
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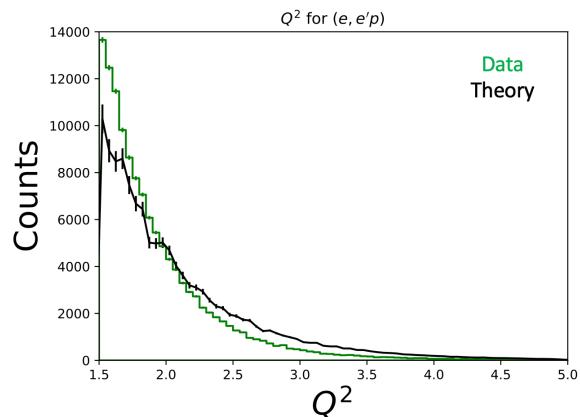


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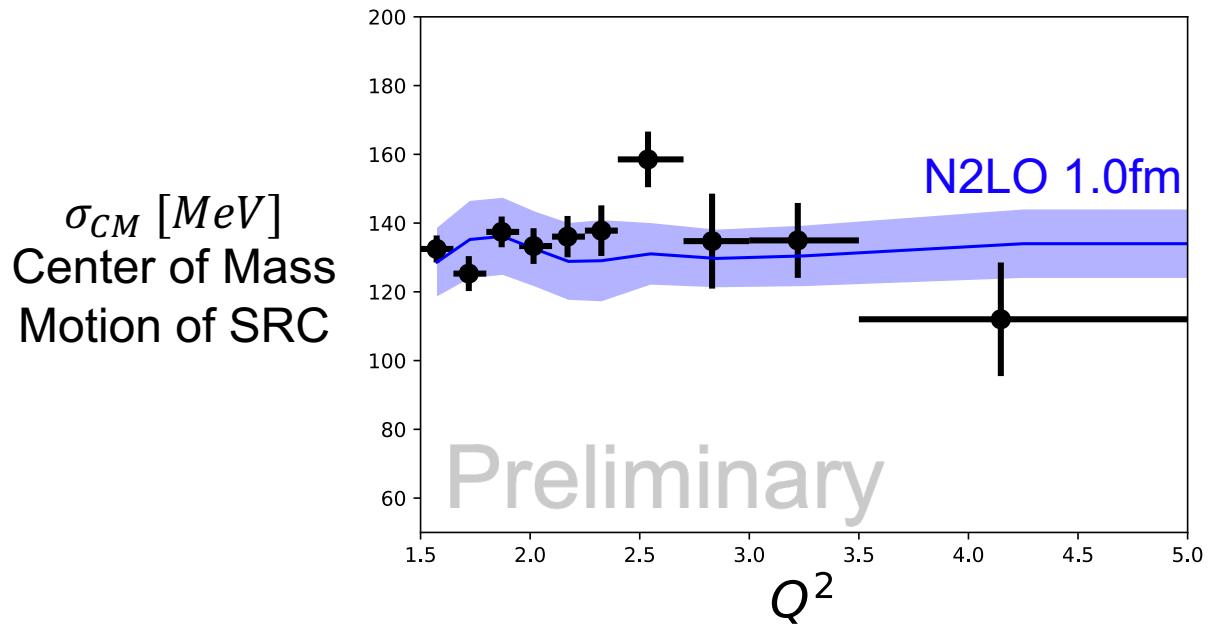
Change the  
Probe



Change the  
Scale of the  
Probe

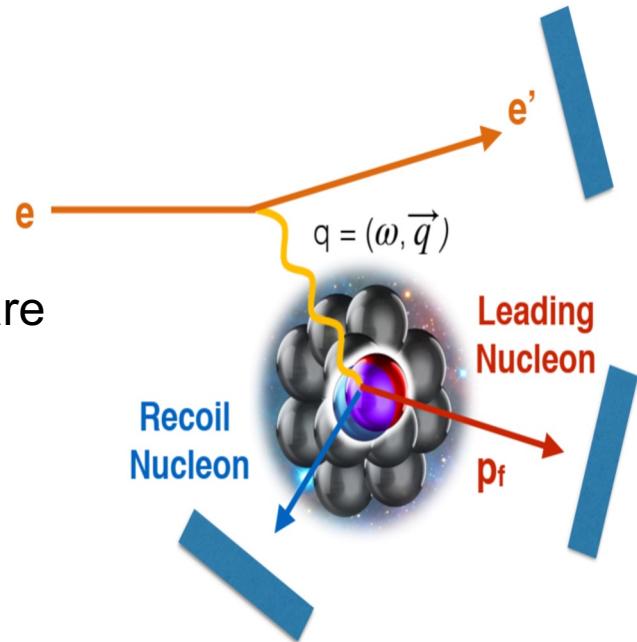


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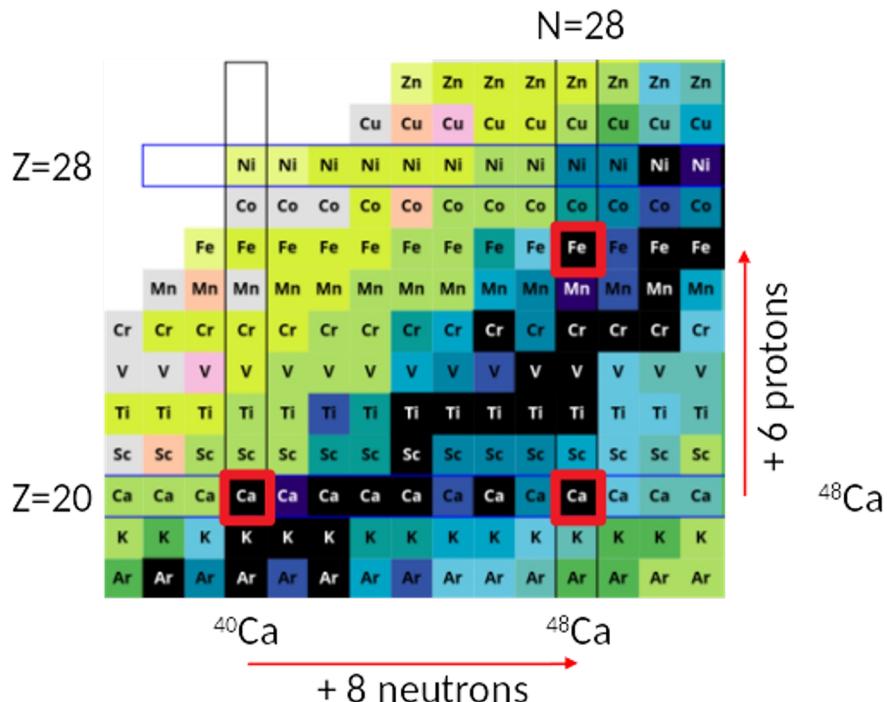


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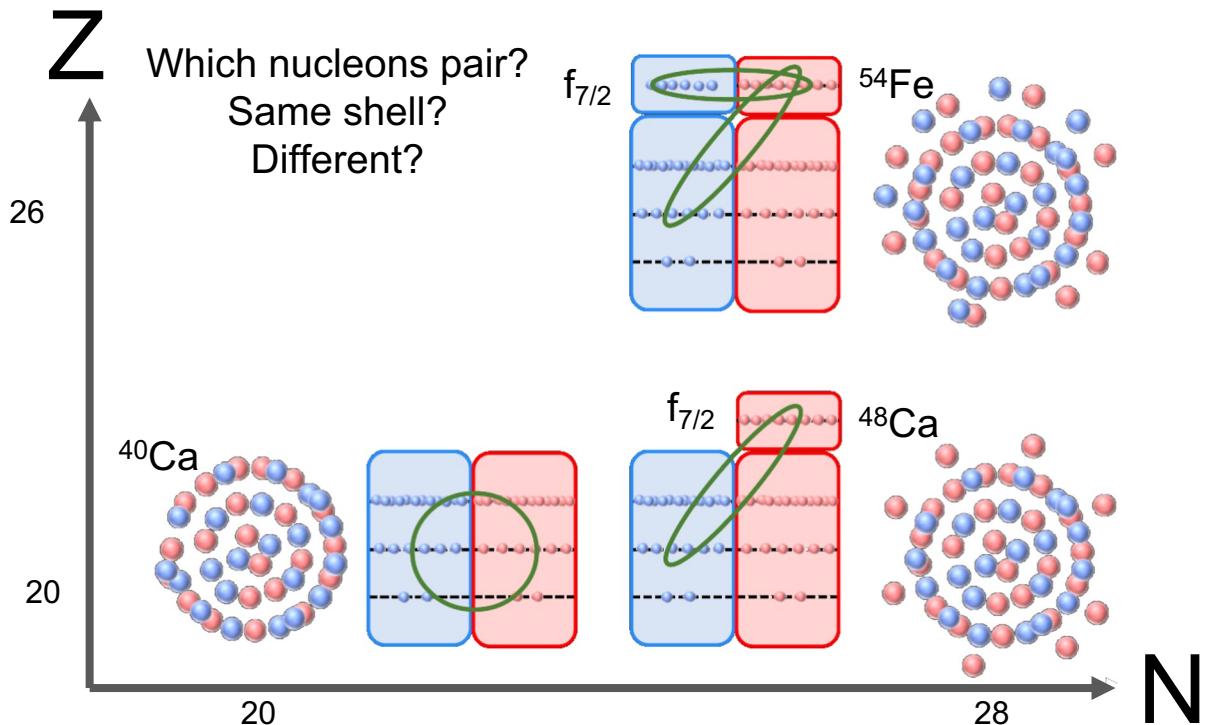
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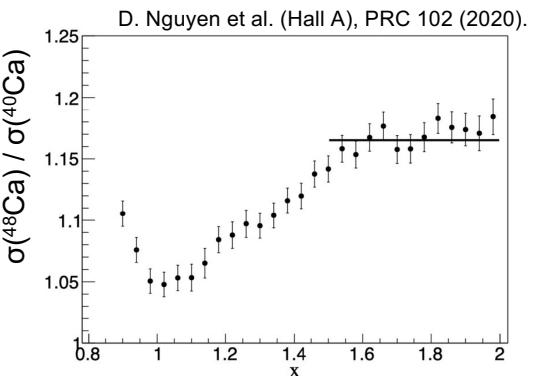


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- $(e, e'n)$
- $(e, e'pp)$
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Conclusion:  $np$  pair dominance

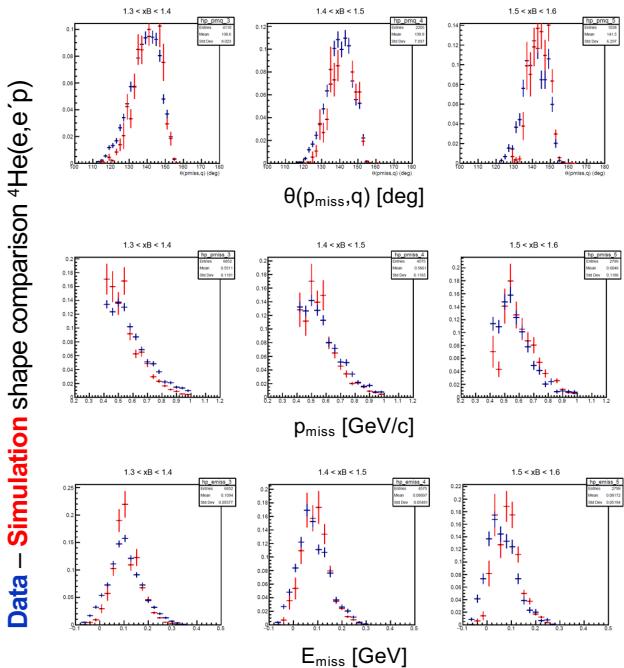
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- $(e, e')$
- $(e, e'p)$  ————— Hall C experiment 2022, under analysis:  $^{40}\text{Ca}$ ,  $^{48}\text{Ca}$ ,  $^{54}\text{Fe}$ ,  
 $^{197}\text{Au}$
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- Hall B RG-M experiment 2021/22, under analysis:  $^{40}\text{Ca}$ ,  $^{48}\text{Ca}$ ,  $^{120}\text{Sn}$ , ...

# SRCs in Asymmetric Nuclei



Good  
Agreement  
with SRC  
Simulation

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# SRCs in Asymmetric Nuclei



Advantages:

- informs on impact of nuclear structure
- many systematic effects cancel ( $\epsilon$ )

$$Ratio = \frac{yield_A/(N \cdot \rho_A)/T_A \cdot A \cdot \cancel{\epsilon}}{yield_{^{40}Ca}/(N \cdot \rho_{^{40}Ca})/T_{^{40}Ca} \cdot A_{^{40}Ca} \cdot \cancel{\epsilon}} \rightarrow \text{per nucleus yield ratio}$$

$N$ : norm ( $\sim$  beam charge)

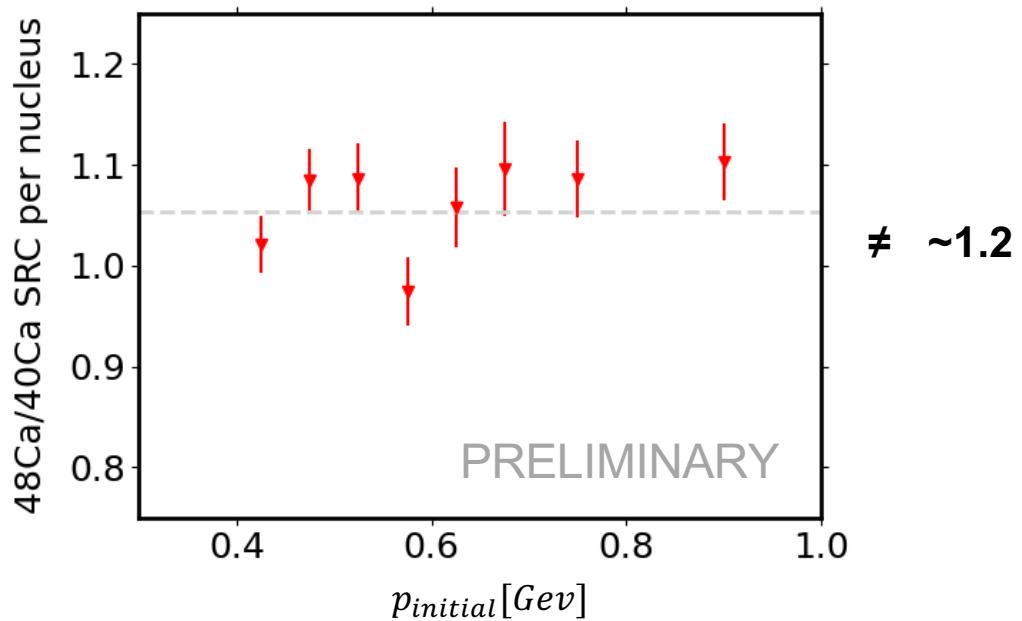
$\rho$ : area density

→ luminosity normalization

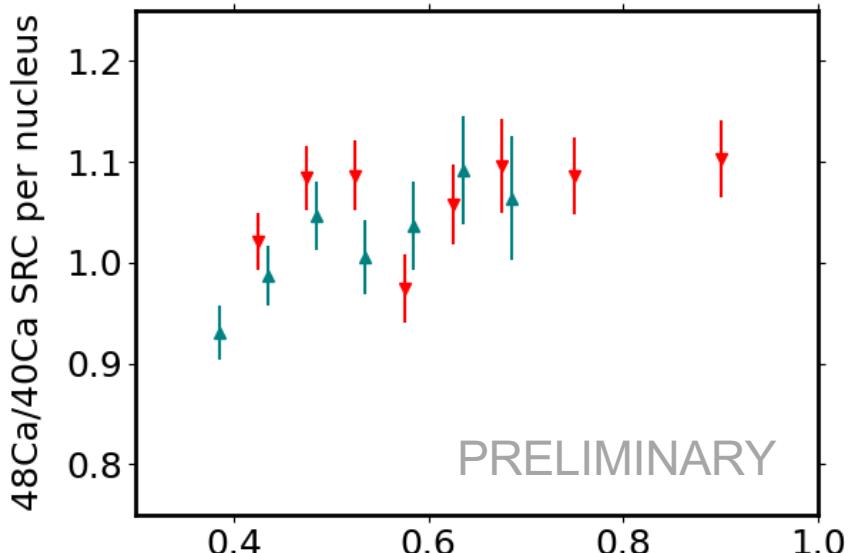
$T$ : transparency

$\epsilon$ : detector efficiency

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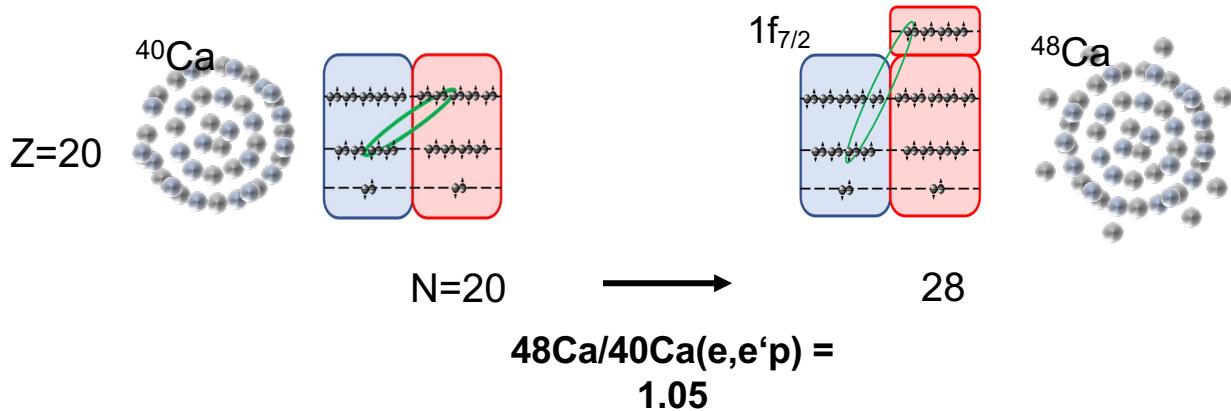
# SRCs in Asymmetric Nuclei



RG-M (Hall B)      **1.05 (10)**       $p_{initial} [Gev]$

CaFe (Hall C)      **1.02 (1)**  
[Carlos Yero (ODU), Dien Nguyen (JLAB) et al.]

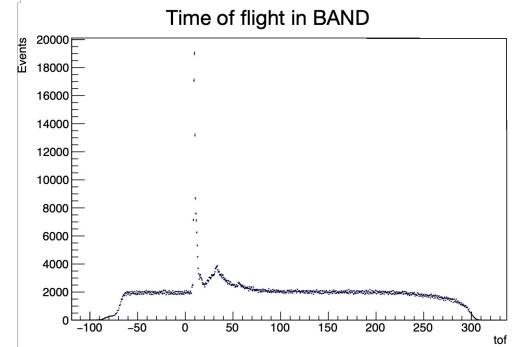
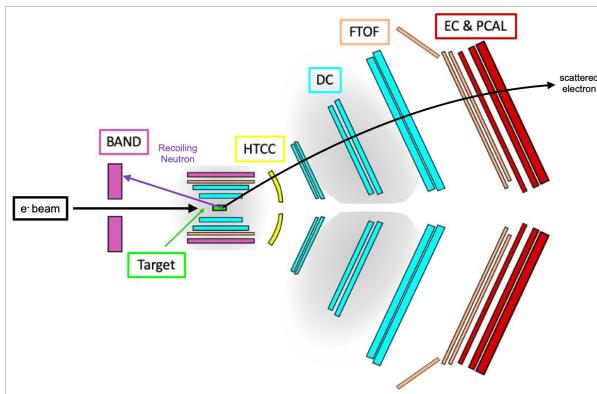
# SRCs in Asymmetric Nuclei



**Reduction in  
short-range pairing across shells!  
Long-range nuclear structure  
to impact SRC**

# Recoil-Tagged DIS in He-4

- 6 GeV He-4 data from RGM
- Neutrons in BAND
- Detect recoiling neutron to determine correlation status between struck and detected nucleons

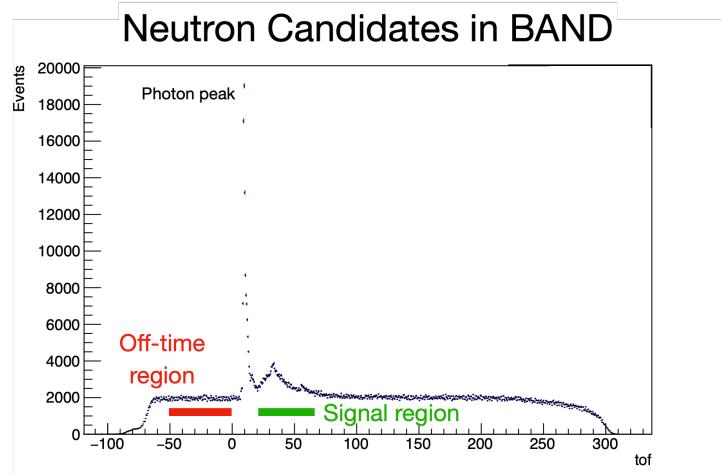


# Recoil-Tagged DIS in He-4

Random-Coincidence Background Subtraction

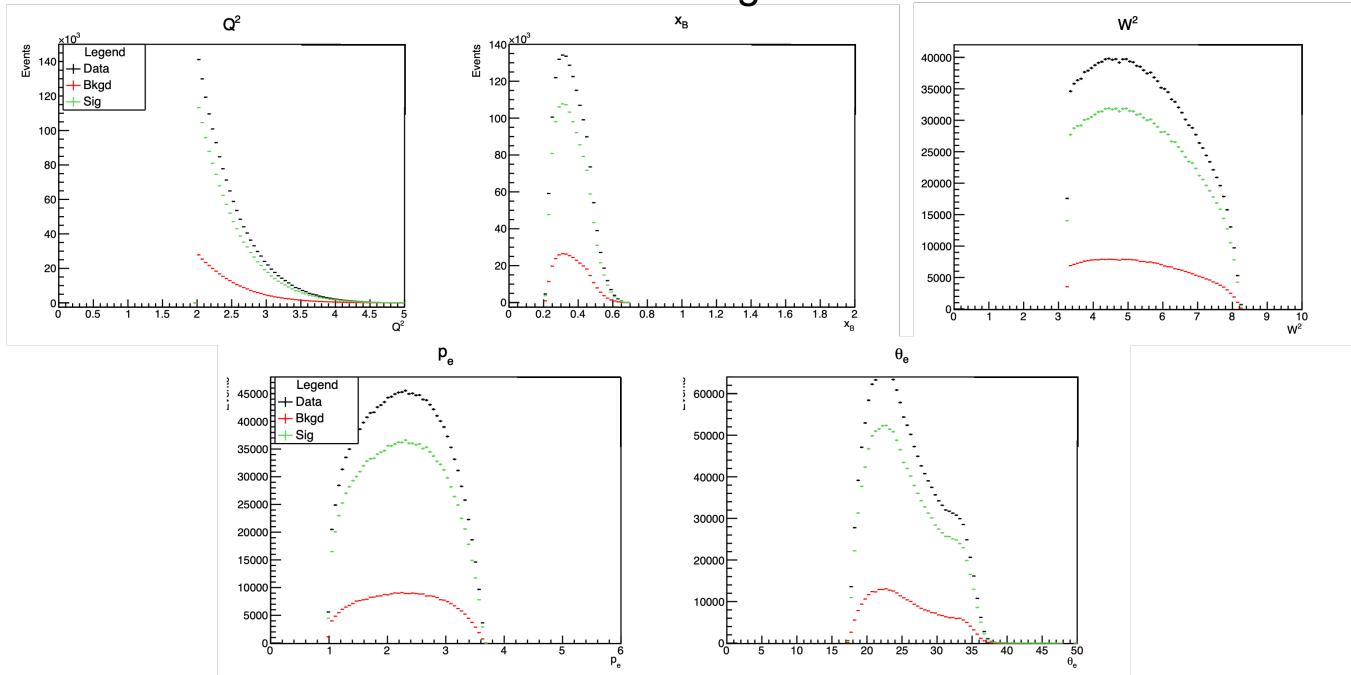
“Event-mixed background”:

Using off-time neutrons shifted into the signal region to create artificial random-coincidence background



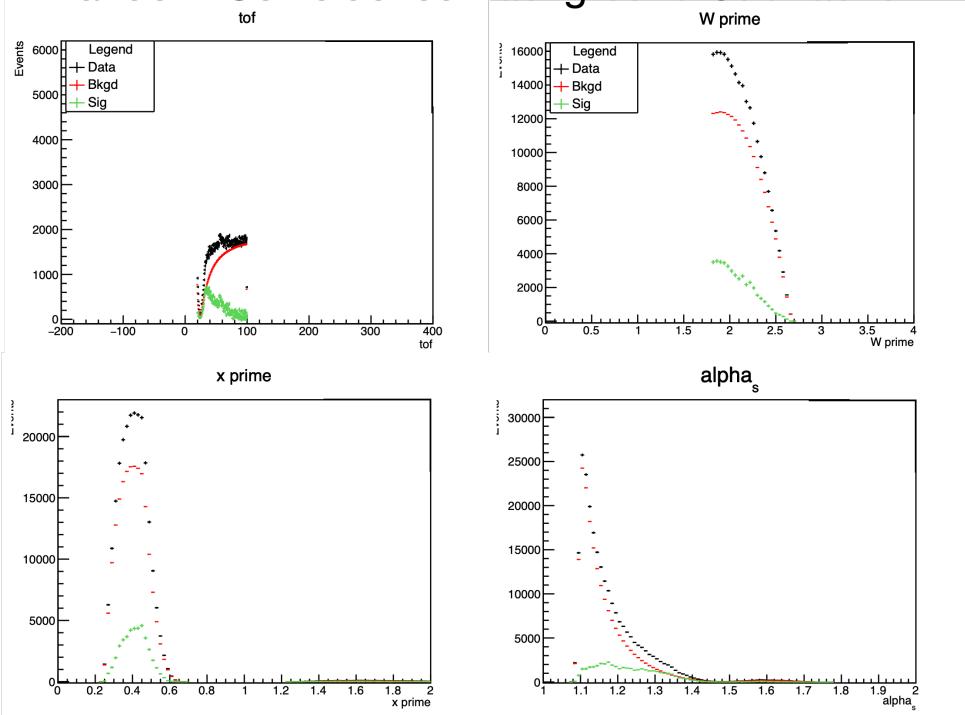
# Recoil-Tagged DIS in He-4

## Random-Coincidence Background Subtraction

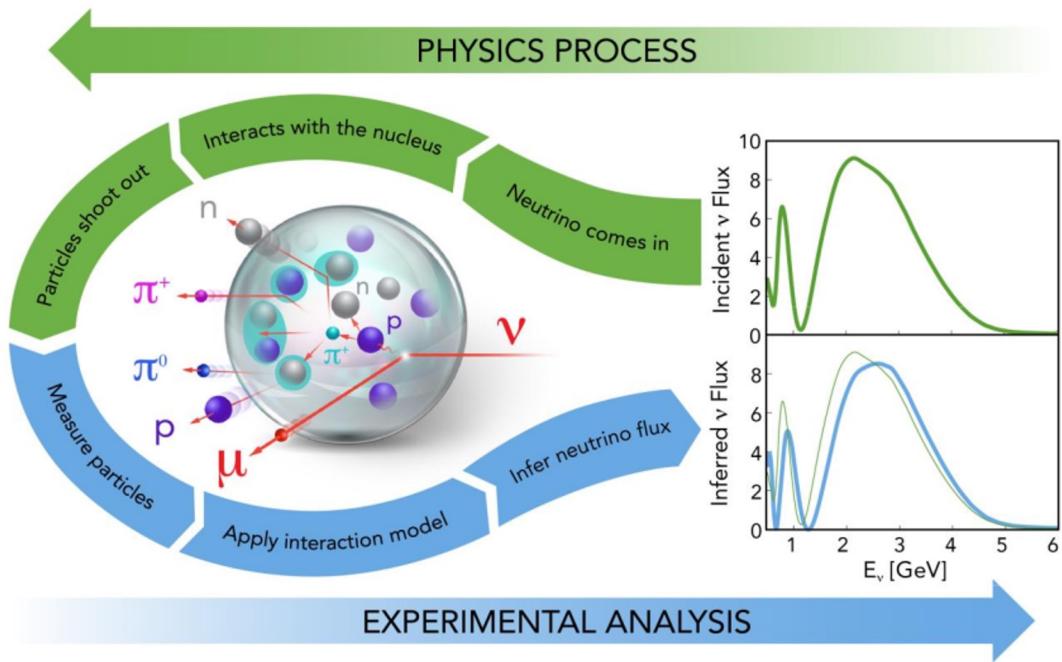


# Recoil-Tagged DIS in He-4

## Random-Coincidence Background Subtraction



# Electrons for Neutrinos



# Looking Forward

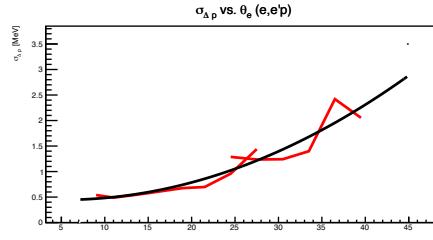
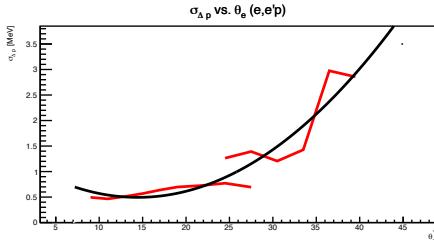
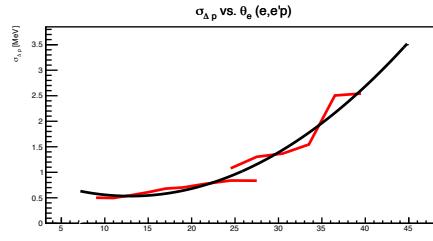
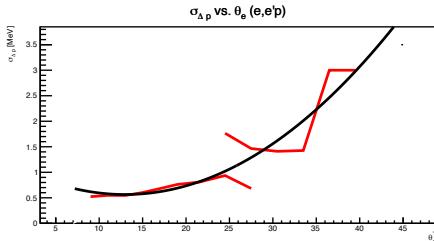
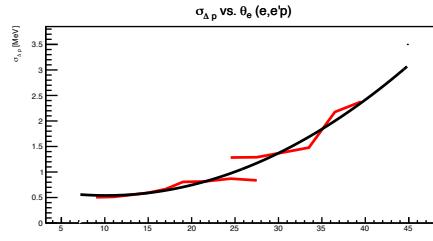
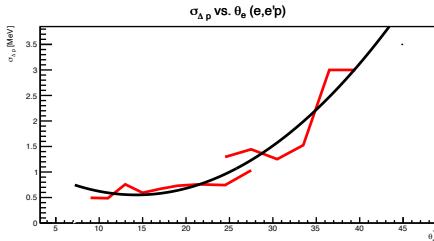
- Low Level Analysis
  - CVT acceptance needs to be understood.
  - CND neutrons are mature but still not complete.
- Other Physics Analyses
  - Measure SRC Neutrons.

# Conclusion

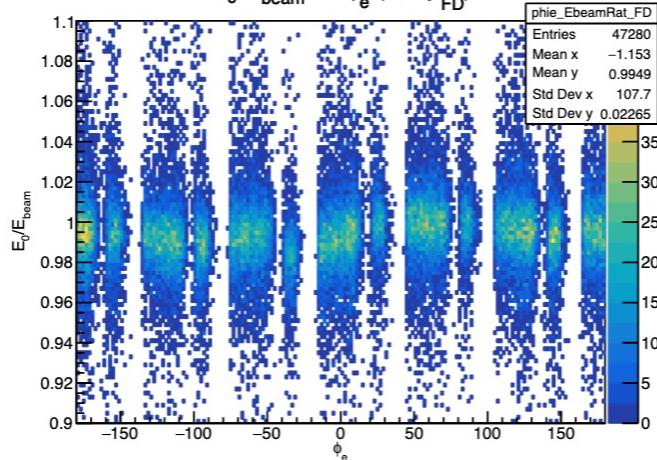
- Low Level Analysis
  - Electron PID, Fiducial, and Vertex Cuts
  - Proton PID, Fiducial, and Vertex Cuts
  - Angular and Momentum Corrections
  - Simulation Smearing to Match Resolution
- SRC Analysis
  - Q2 dependence of SRCs
  - SRCs in Asymmetric Nuclei
  - Recoil Neutrons in BAND Detector
- e4v Analysis



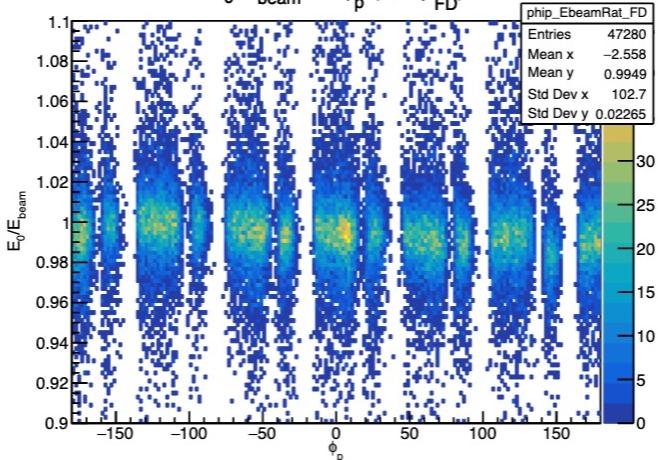
# Fit both as a function of Theta to get resolution



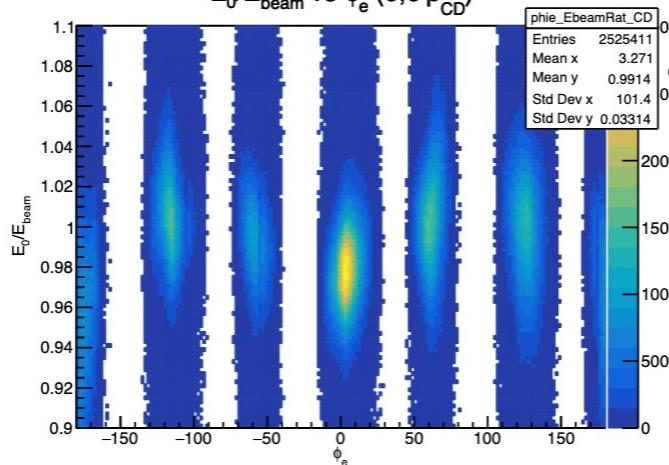
$E_0/E_{beam}$  vs  $\phi_e$  ( $e, e' p_{FD}$ )



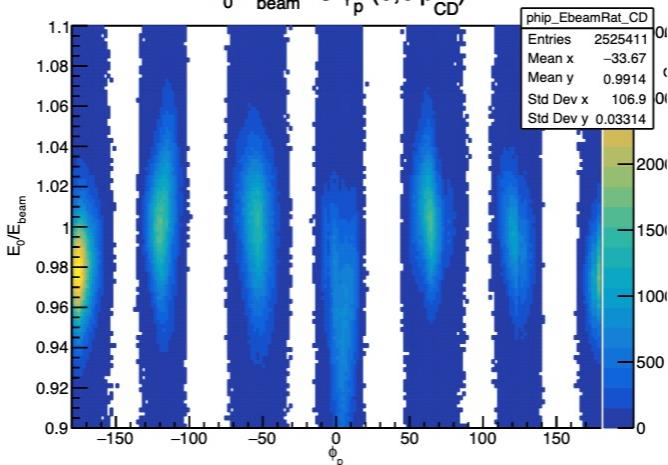
$E_0/E_{beam}$  vs  $\phi_p$  ( $e, e' p_{FD}$ )



$E_0/E_{beam}$  vs  $\phi_e$  ( $e, e' p_{CD}$ )



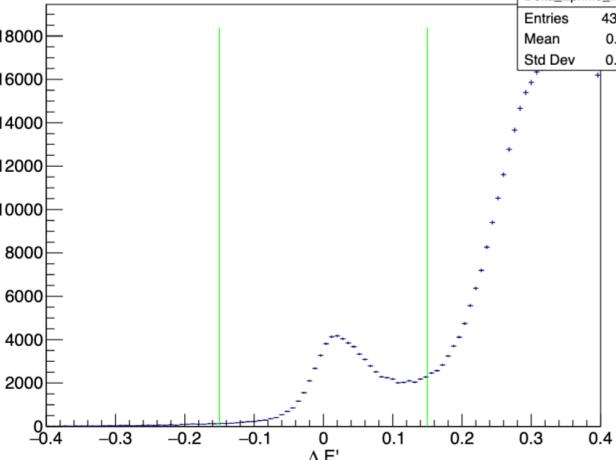
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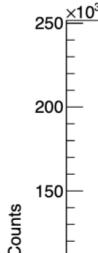
$\Delta E' (e, e' p_{FD})$ 

| Delta_Eprime_Int_FD |
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| Entries 435647      |
| Mean 0.2649         |
| Std Dev 0.1184      |

Counts

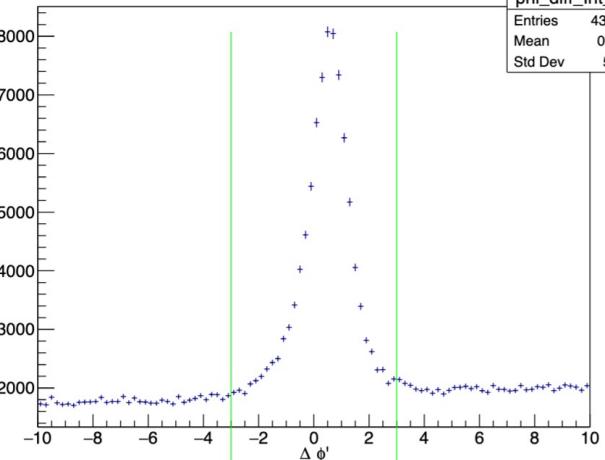
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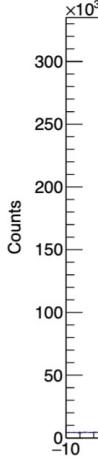
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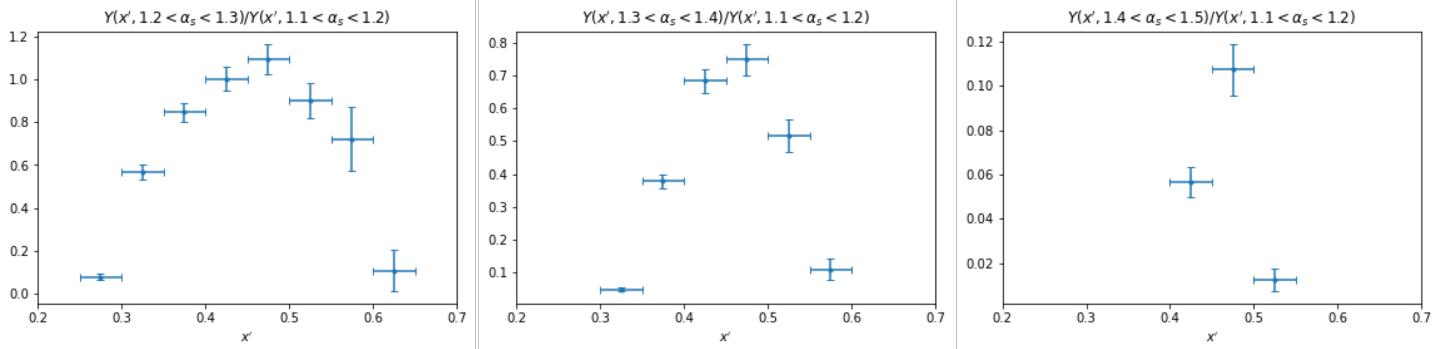
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| Std Dev 2.164   |



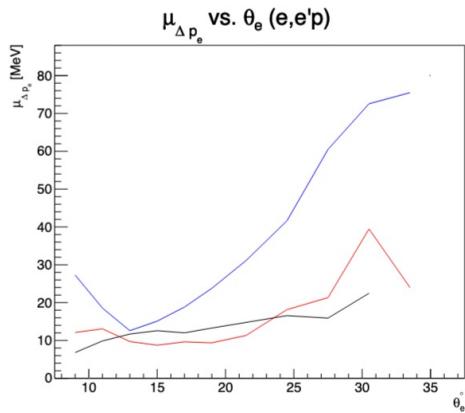
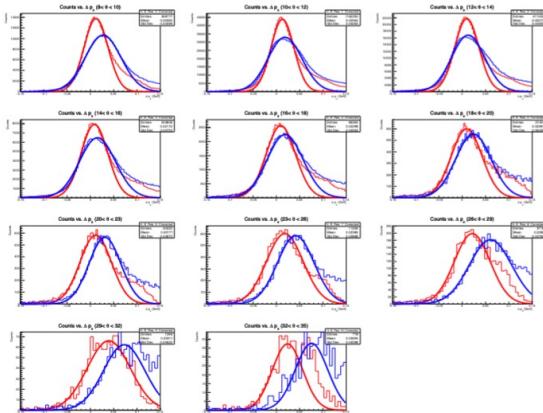
# $x'$ dependence



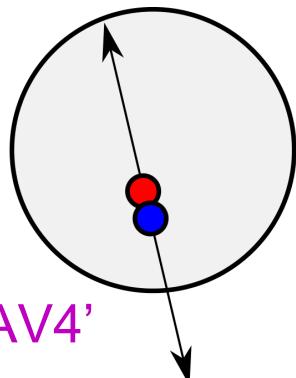
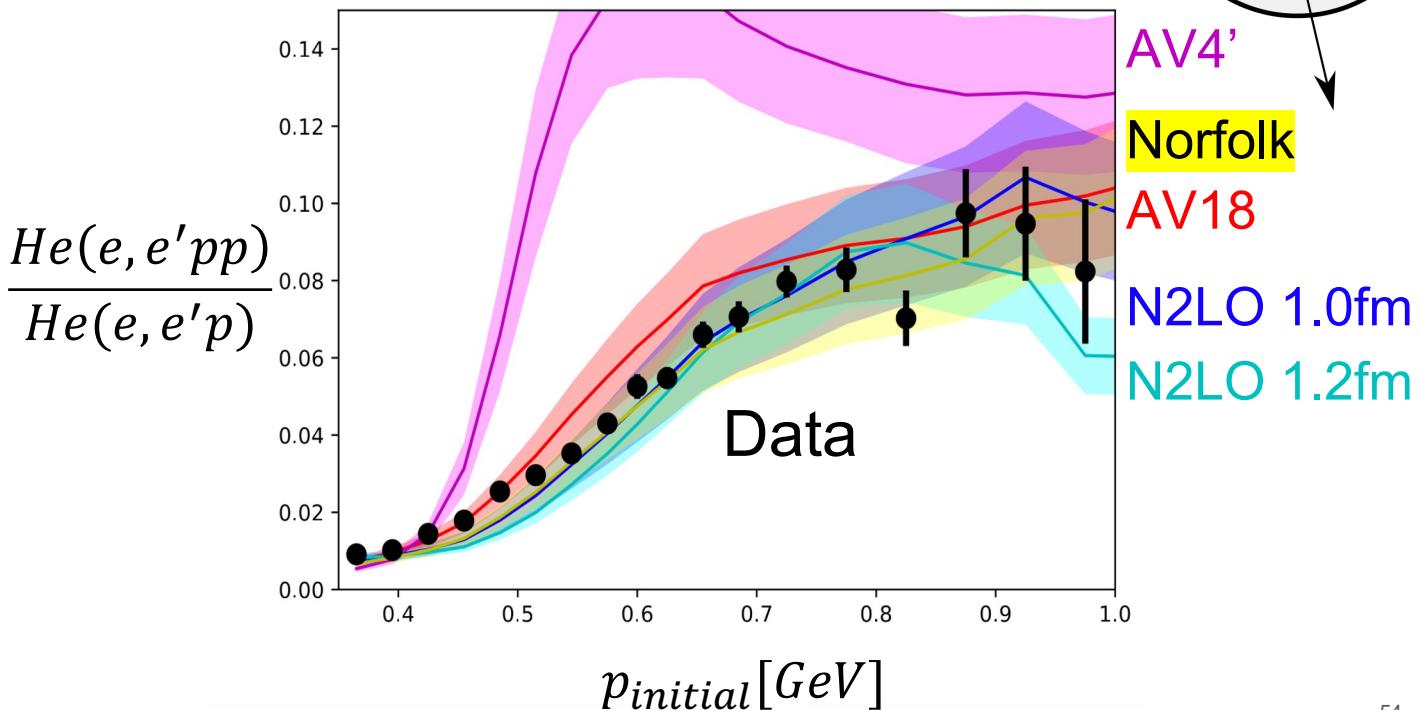
- Looking at  $x'$  dependence, for  $\alpha_s$  bins
- Ratio against reference bin  $1.1 < \alpha_s < 1.2$
- Building simulation for comparison

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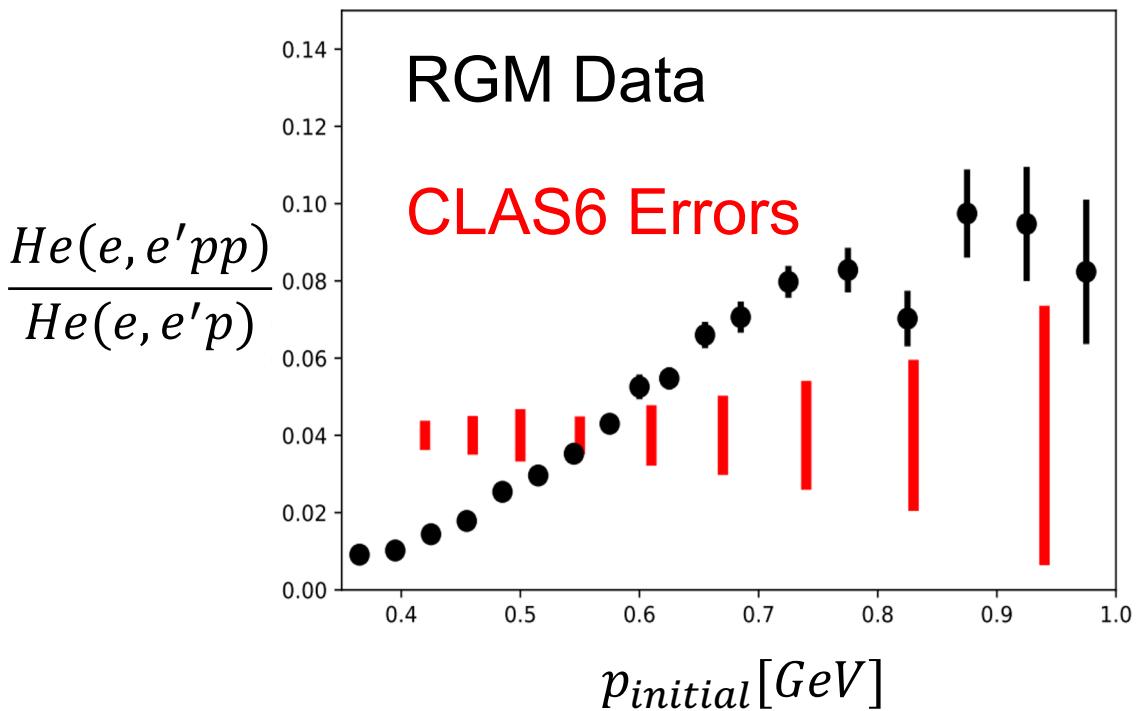
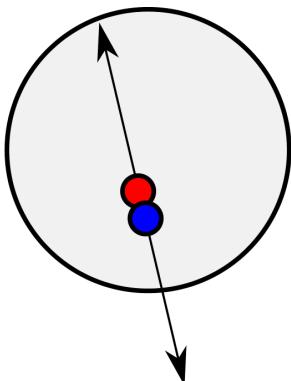
# Momentum Correction of FD Electrons



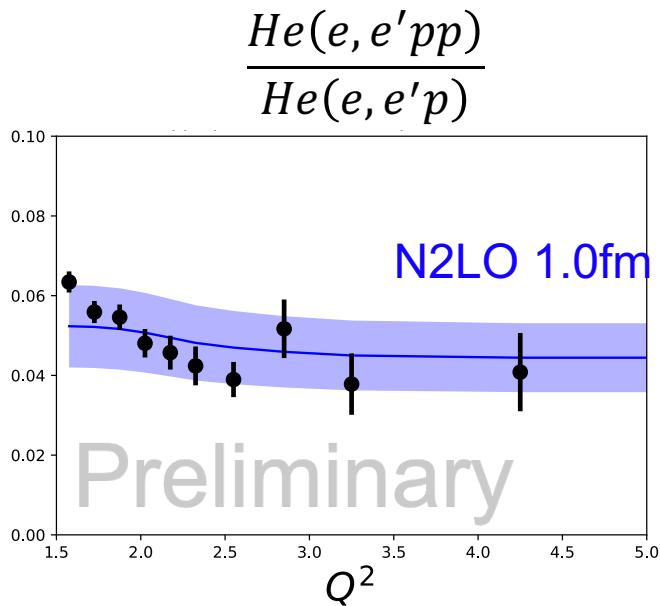
# Precision NN interaction



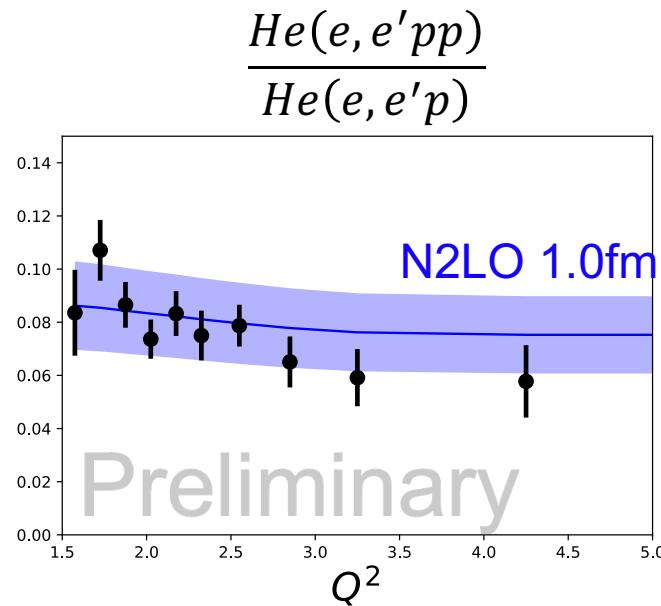
# Precision NN interaction



# Measuring SRC Probe (In)dependence



$0.55 GeV < p_{miss} < 0.7 GeV$

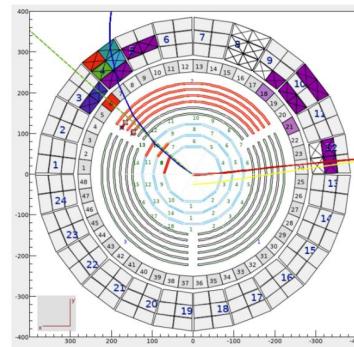
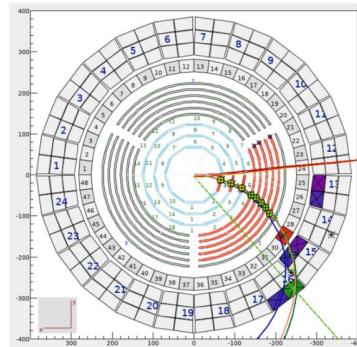
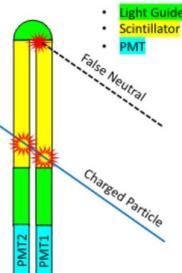


$0.7 GeV < p_{miss} < 0.85 GeV$



# Particle ID for Neutrons in 6 GeV data

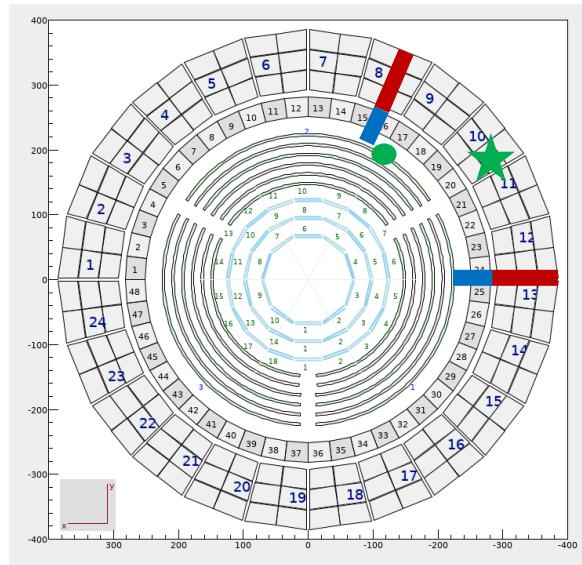
- Developed a general neutron veto for CND with Machine Learning.
- Define “features” to train model on training sample
- Evaluate performance using testing sample





# Particle ID for Neutrons in 6 GeV data

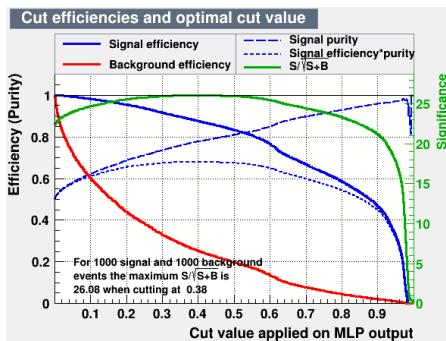
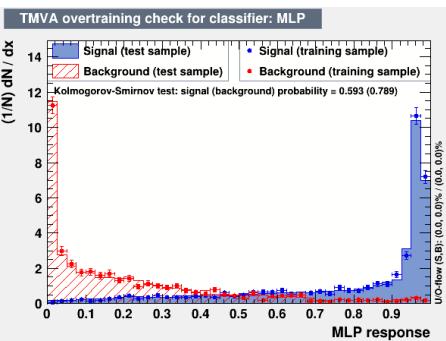
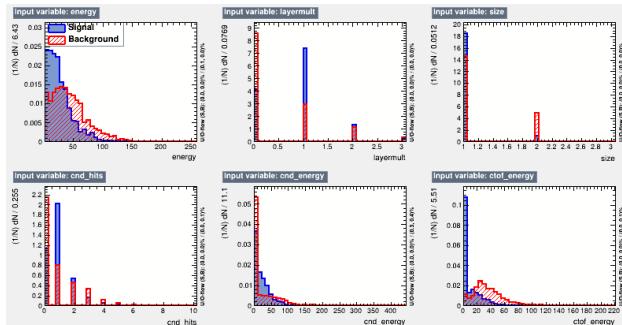
- Number of CND hits within 30 degrees of neutron
- CND energy deposition within 30 degrees of neutron
- Number of CTOF hits within 30 degrees of neutron
- CTOF energy deposition within 30 degrees of neutron
- Number of hits in CND cluster
- Neutron energy
- CND layer multiplicity (0 if CTOF only)
- Angular separation between hit in CVT layer 12 and neutron hit ( $180^\circ$  if no track)





# Particle ID for Neutrons in 6 GeV data

- $d(e, e'pn)$  (signal)
- $d(e, e'p\pi^-p)$  in which CLAS12 reconstruction misidentifies protons as neutrons (background)

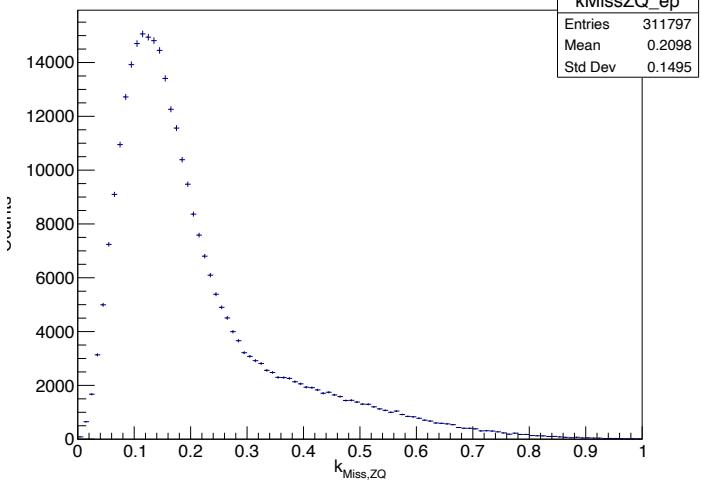


$k_{\text{Miss}, \text{ZQ}}$  ep

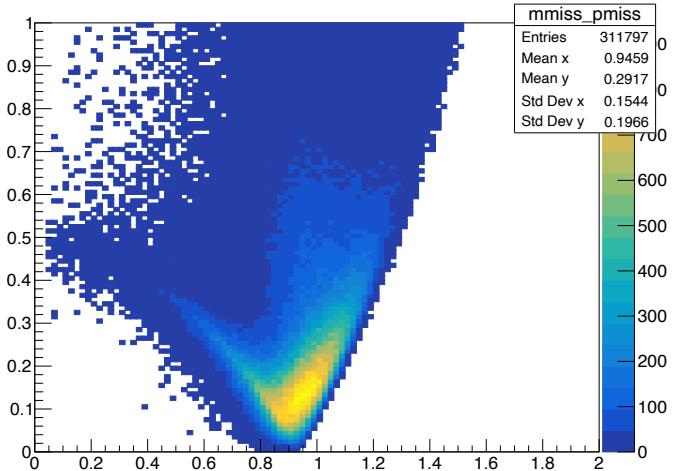
| kMissZQ_ep     |
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| Entries 311797 |
| Mean 0.2098    |
| Std Dev 0.1495 |

# Kmiss in CD Data

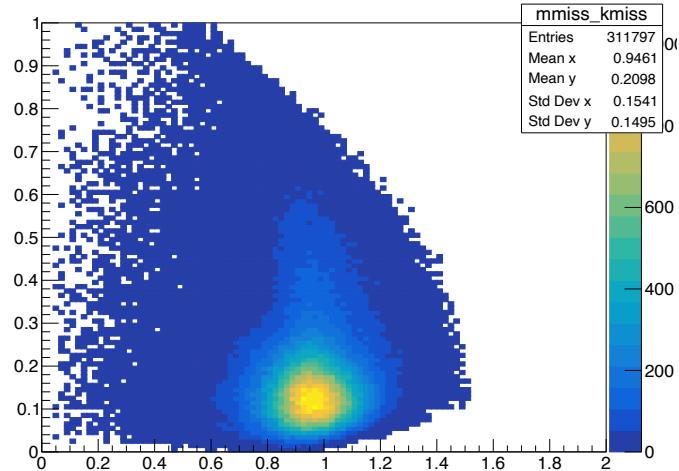
$$k_{miss}^2 \equiv m_N^2 \left( \frac{p_{miss,\perp}^2 + m_N^2}{p_{miss}(2m_N - p_{miss})} \right) - m_N^2$$



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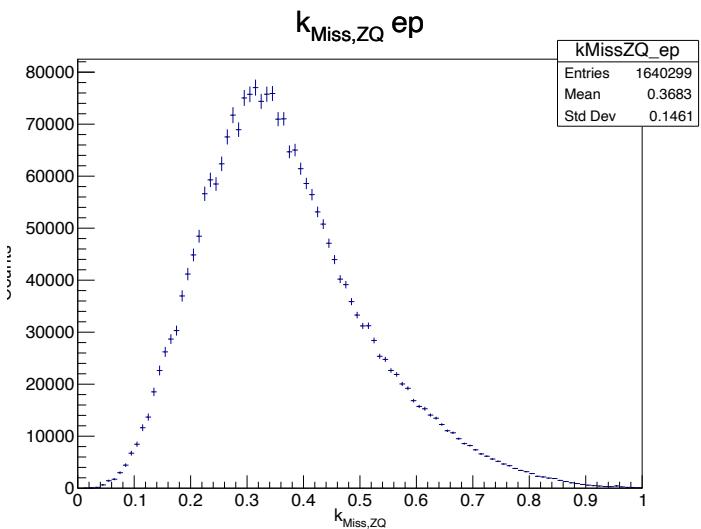


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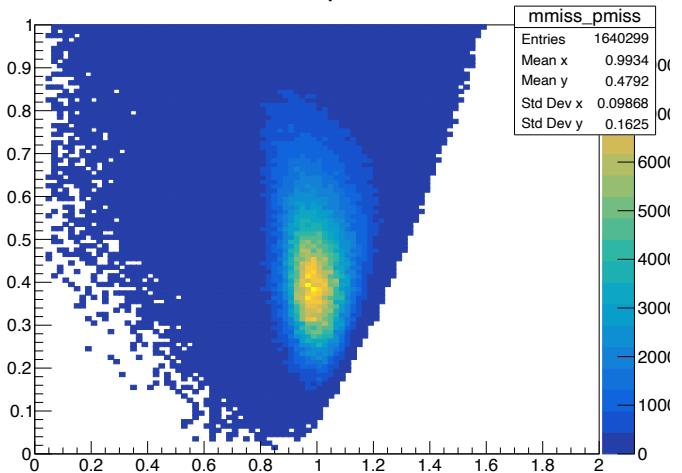
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| Entries 1640299 |
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| Std Dev 0.1461  |

# Kmiss in CD Sim

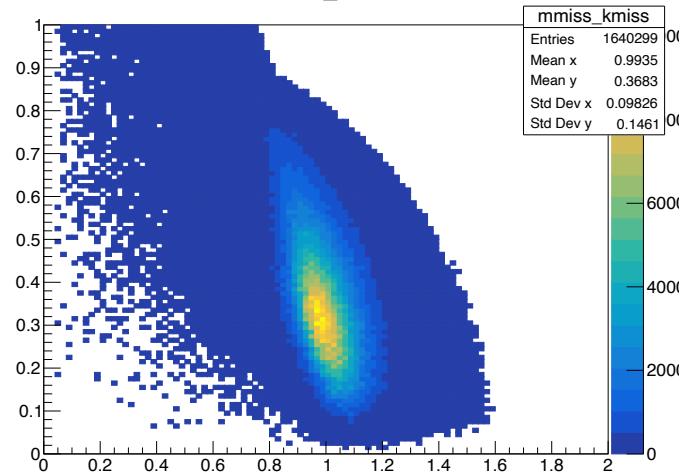
$$k_{miss}^2 \equiv m_N^2 \left( \frac{p_{miss,\perp}^2 + m_N^2}{p_{miss}(2m_N - p_{miss})} \right) - m_N^2$$



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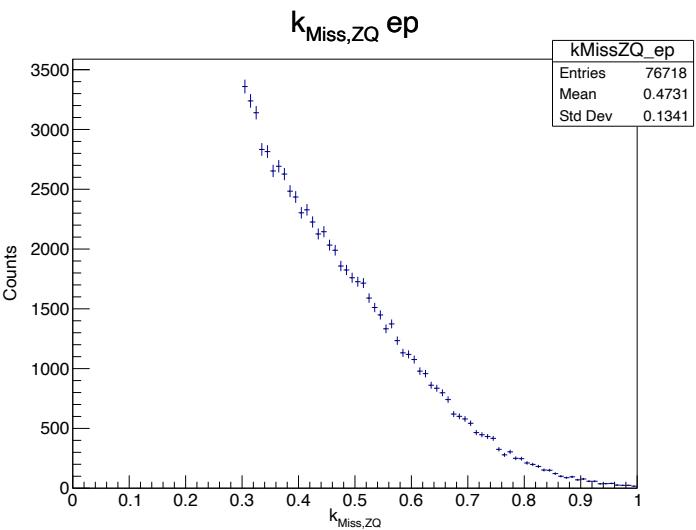


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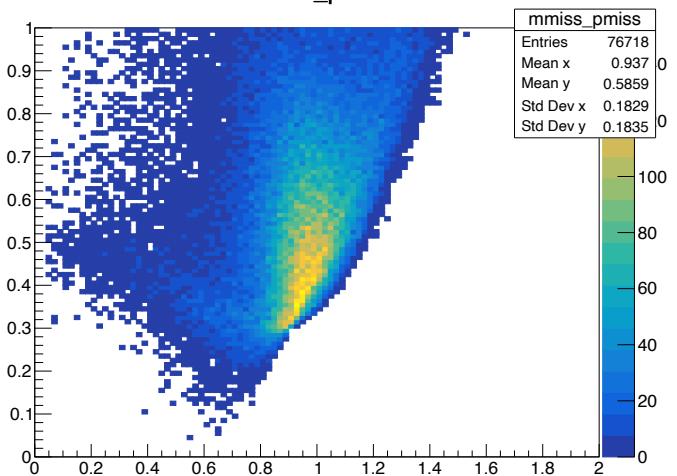


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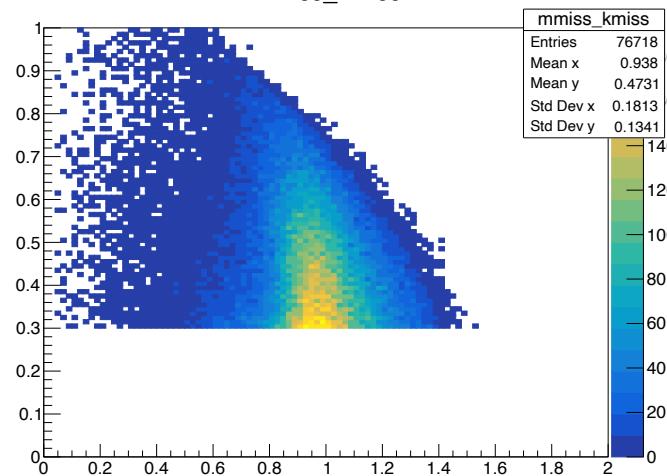
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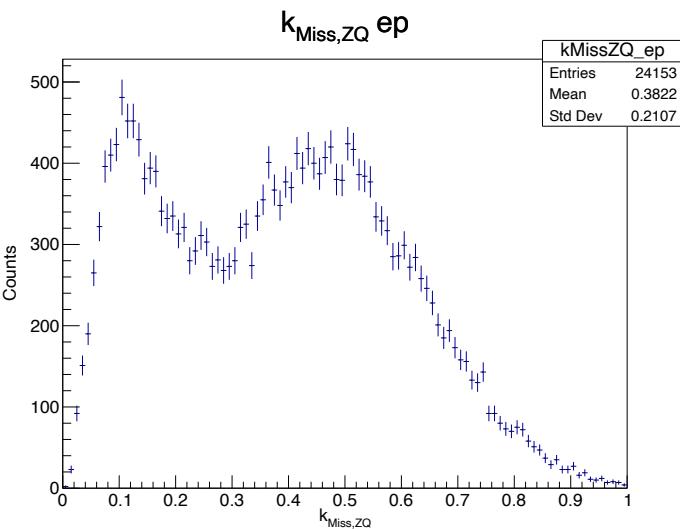


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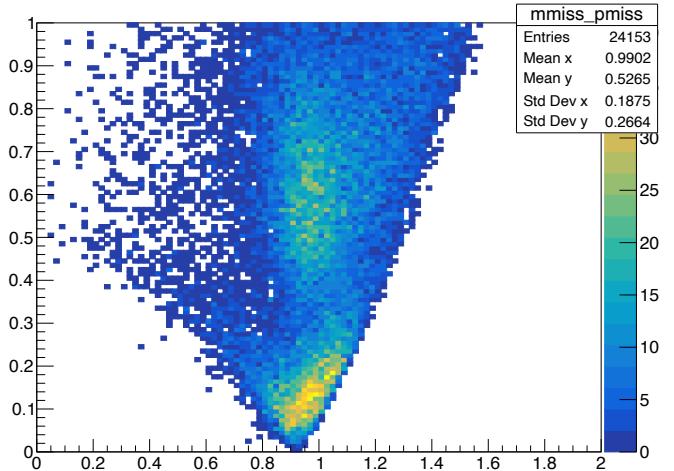


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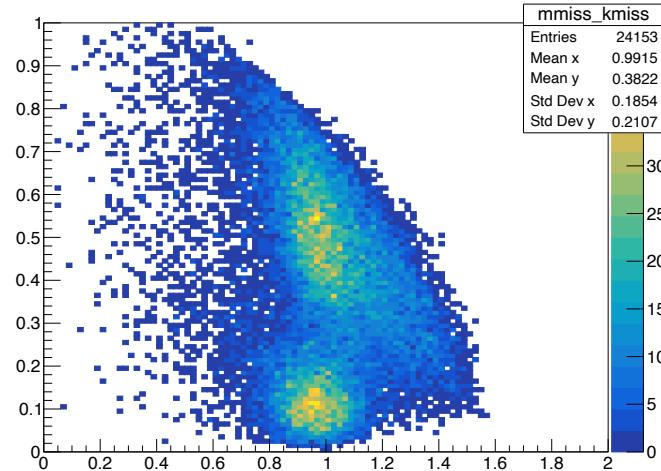
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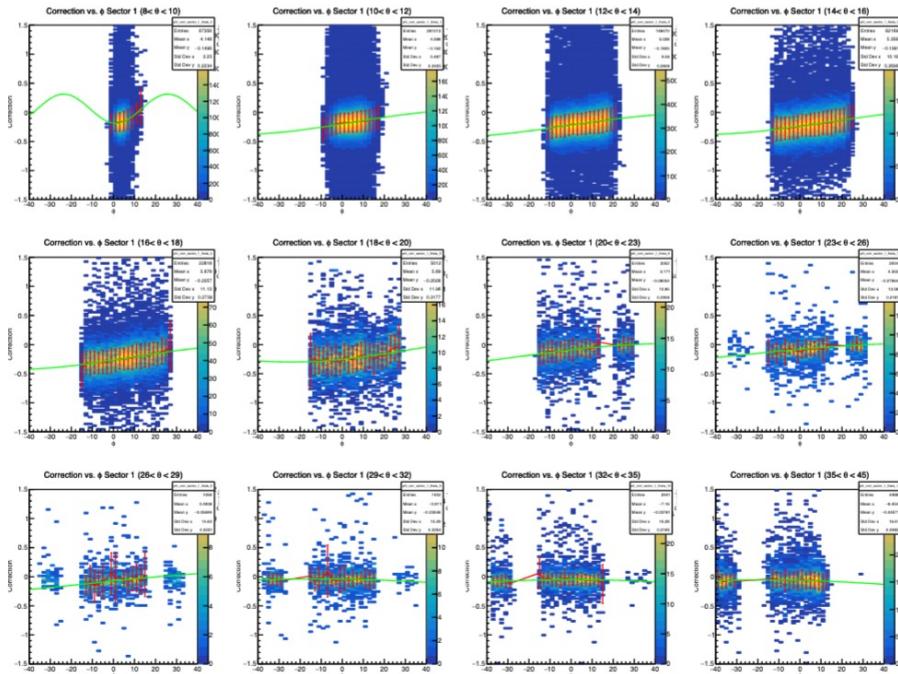
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# Angular Correction



# Momentum Correction

