

# Quarkonium detection and physics opportunities at the EIC



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# Physics Opportunities at the EIC

- Global properties and parton structure of hadrons
  - ✓ Scaling violations of the inclusive structure function  $g_1(x, Q^2)$
  - ✓ The gluon polarization  $\Delta g(x, Q^2)$
- Multi-dimensional imaging of nucleons and nuclei
  - ✓ Probe quark TMDs and TMD evolution
  - ✓ Probe gluon Sivers TMD
- The nucleus: a laboratory for QCD
  - ✓ Probe the linearly polarized gluon distributions
  - ✓ Nuclear PDFs
  - ✓ Strong interactions in nuclei

# Production mechanism for quarkonia

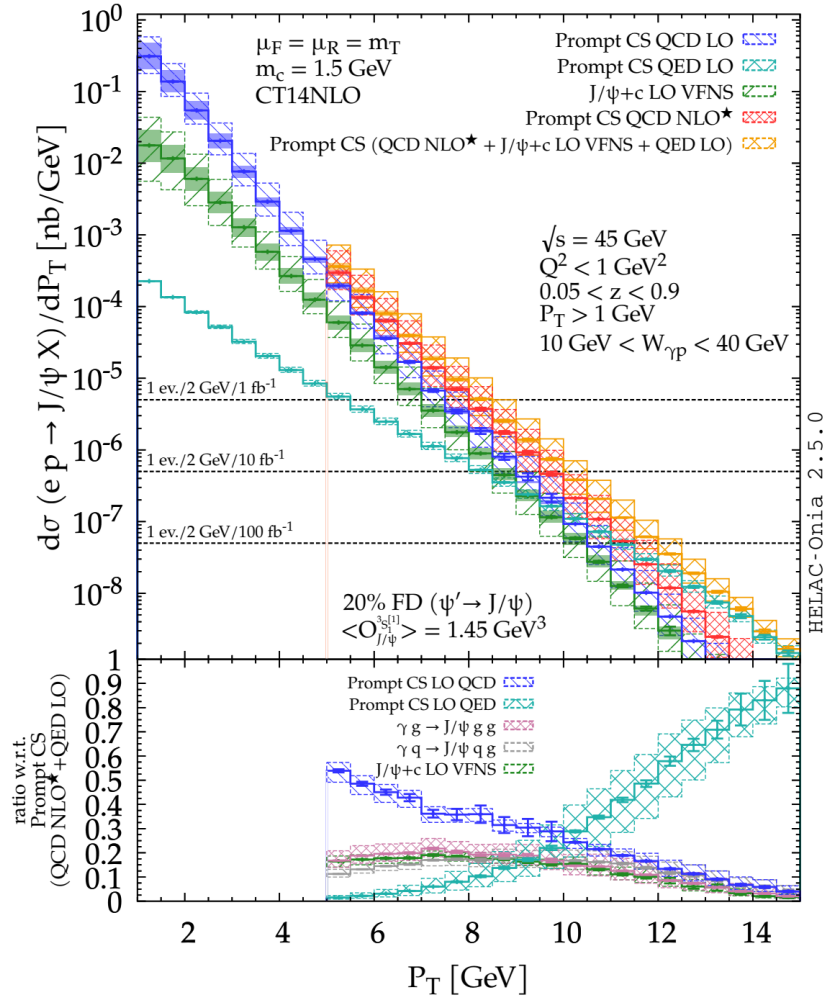
## Part of global Quarkonia puzzle

- ✓ Colour Singlet Model
- ✓ NRQCD and Colour Octet Mechanism
- ✓ Colour Evaporation Model

## Explore the cold medium effect

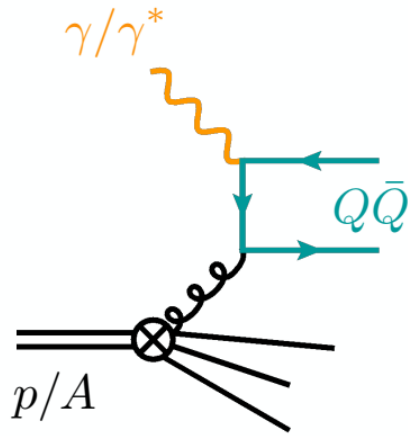
- ✓ A + A collisions
- ✓ p + A collisions
- ✓ e + A collisions
- ✓ e + e collisions

C. Flore, J.P. Lansberg et al., Phys. Lett. B (2020) 135926

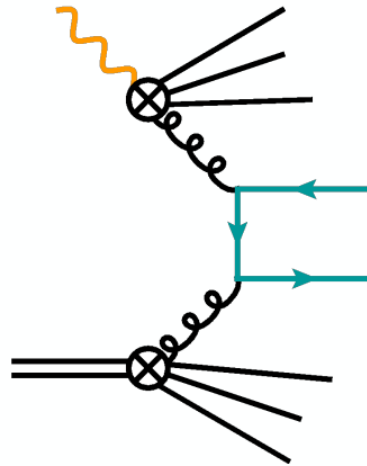


(a)  $\sqrt{s_{ep}} = 45 \text{ GeV}$

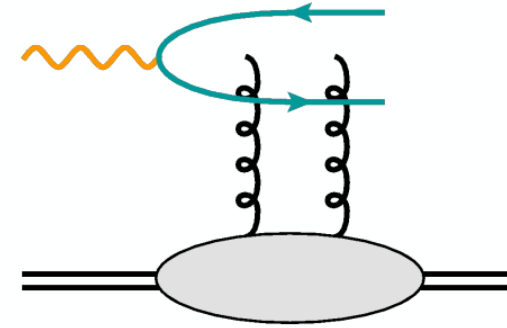
# Gluon tomography and mass decomposition



(a)



(b)

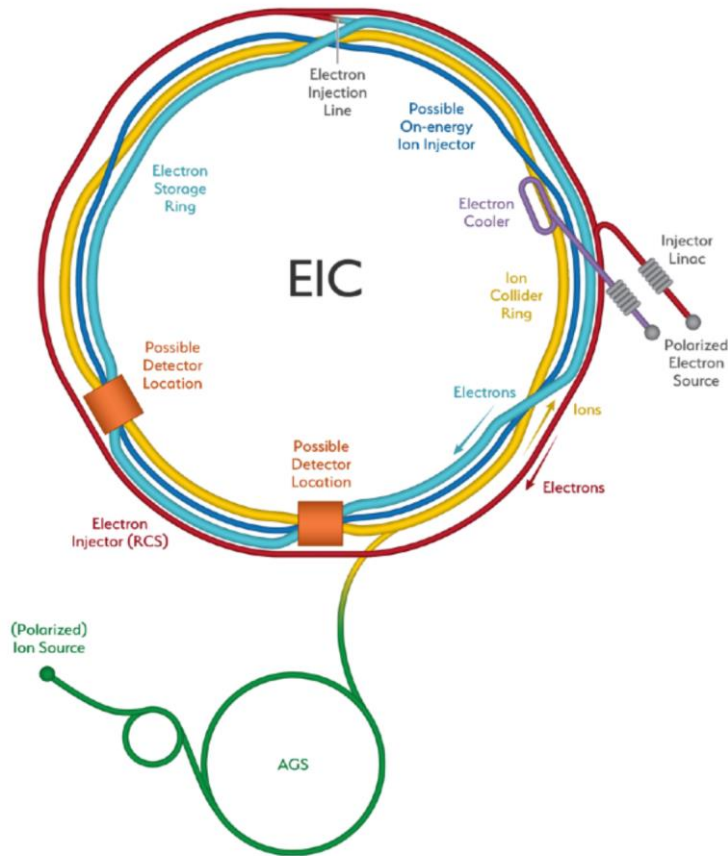


(c)

Sensitive to the gluon distribution

- ✓ Image the gluon distribution in nucleon
- ✓ The mass decomposition of proton (near threshold photoproduction)

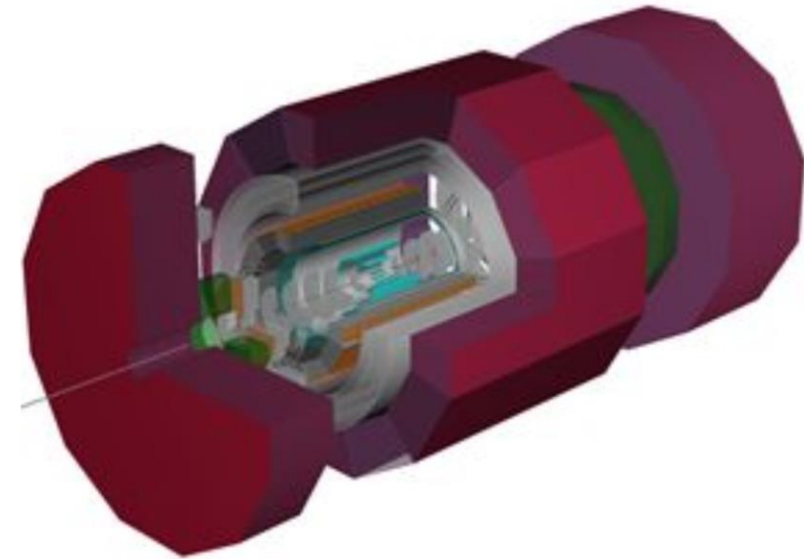
# The facility: EIC at BNL



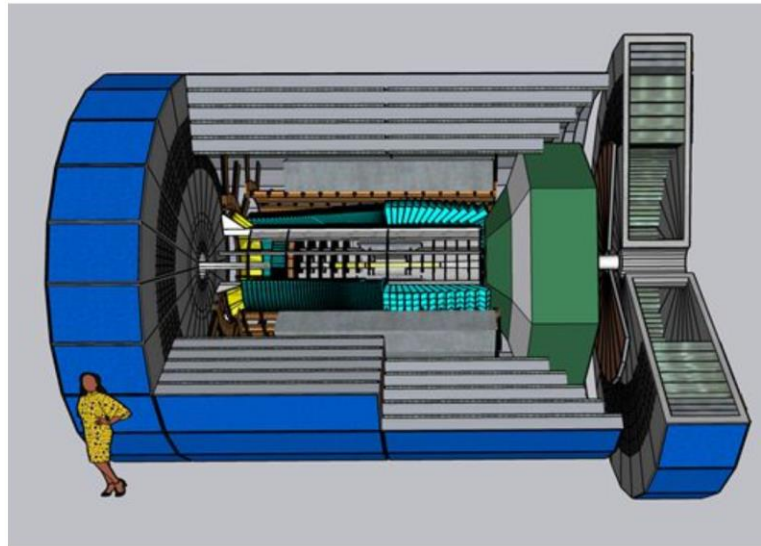
- ✓ Luminosity:  $10^{33-34} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{sec}^{-1}$  (100-1000 times HERA)
  - ✓ Hadrons up to 275 GeV
  - ✓ Electrons : 5-10 (20) GeV
  - ✓ CM energy: 20-100 (140) GeV
  - ✓ Polarized beams
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- ✓ >1200 scientists, 250 institutions [\[Webpage\]](#)
  - ✓ CD0 and site selection at Brookhaven National Lab in 2019
  - ✓ Framework for international participation being set up CD1 achieved in 2021 [\[Webpage\]](#)
  - ✓ Project hosted/managed jointly by BNL and JLab
  - ✓ EIC Yellow Report Physics-Detector studies completed 2021 [\[2103.05419\]](#)
  - ✓ Call for Collaboration Proposals for EIC detectors (1 Dec, 2021) [\[Webpage\]](#)
  - ✓ CD4 and operations expected in 2030+

# The candidates of detector system at EIC

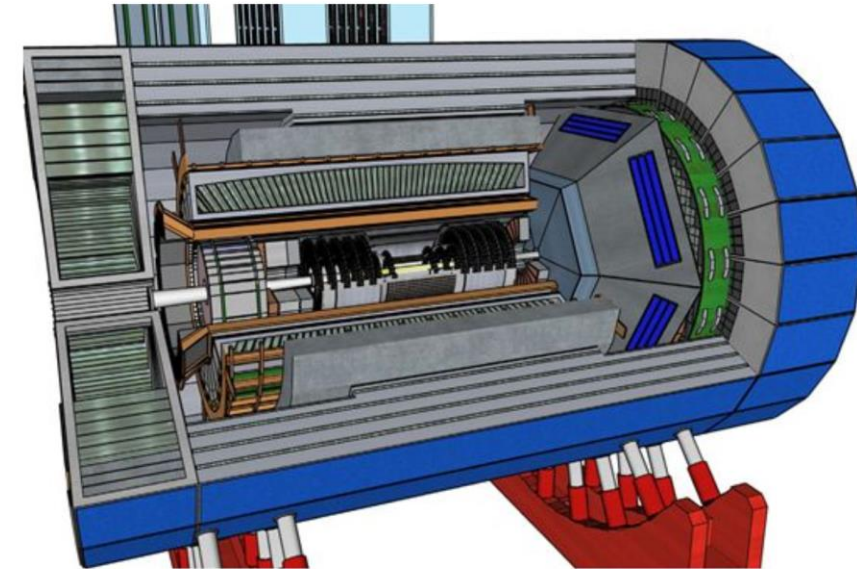
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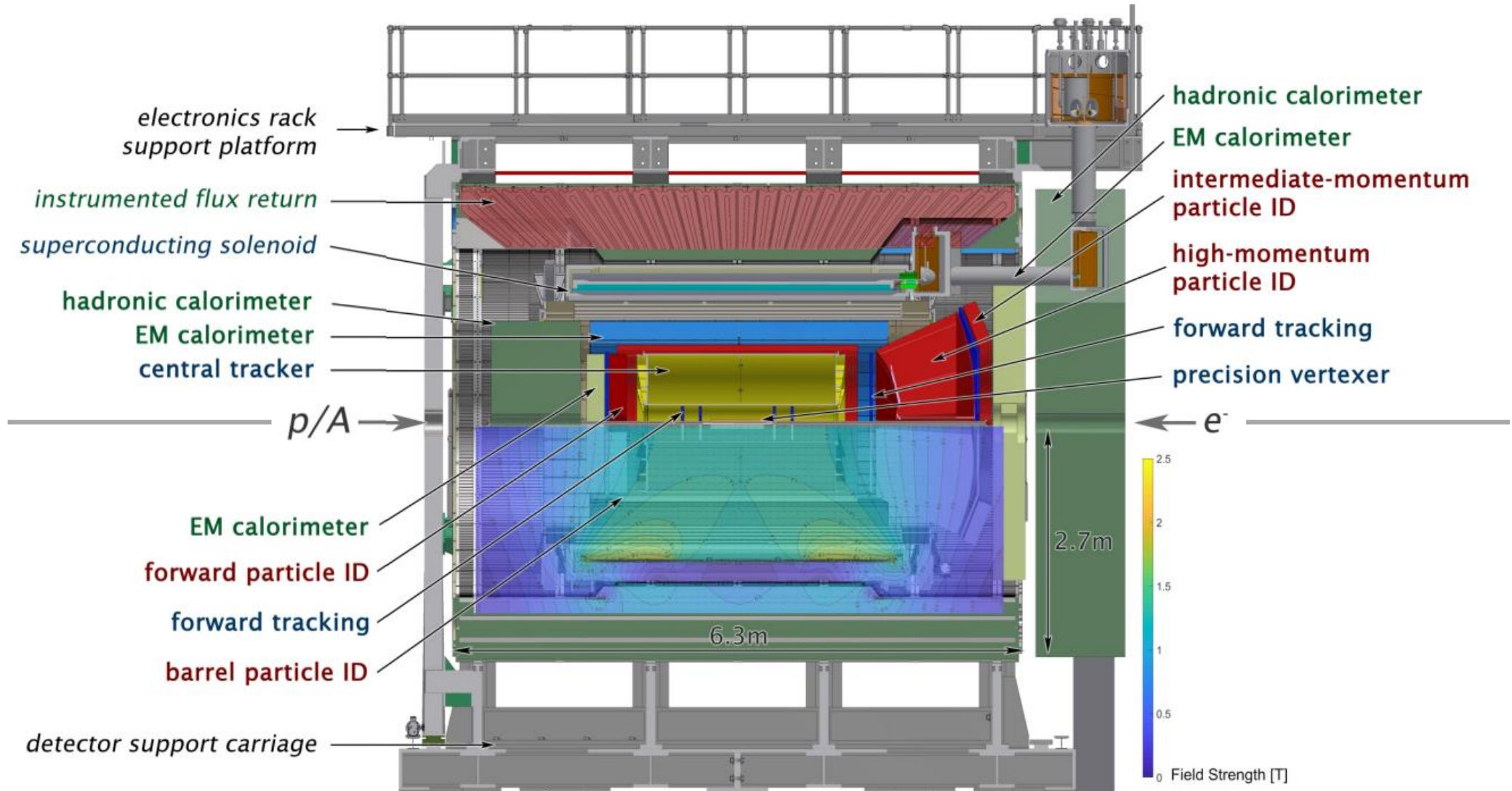
CORE: [eic.jlab.org/core](http://eic.jlab.org/core)



ECCE: [ecce-eic.org](http://ecce-eic.org)

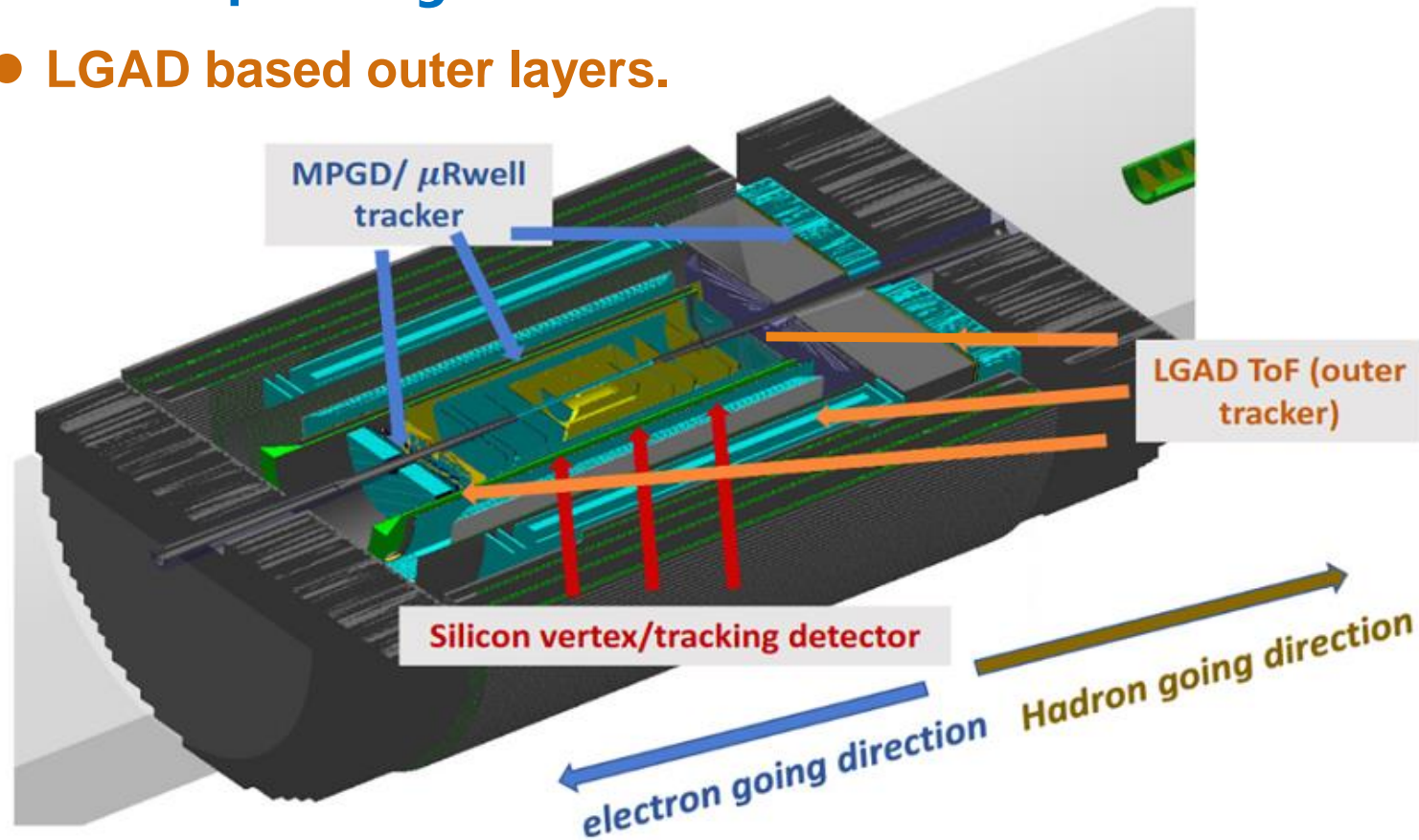


# Detector Configuration of ECCE



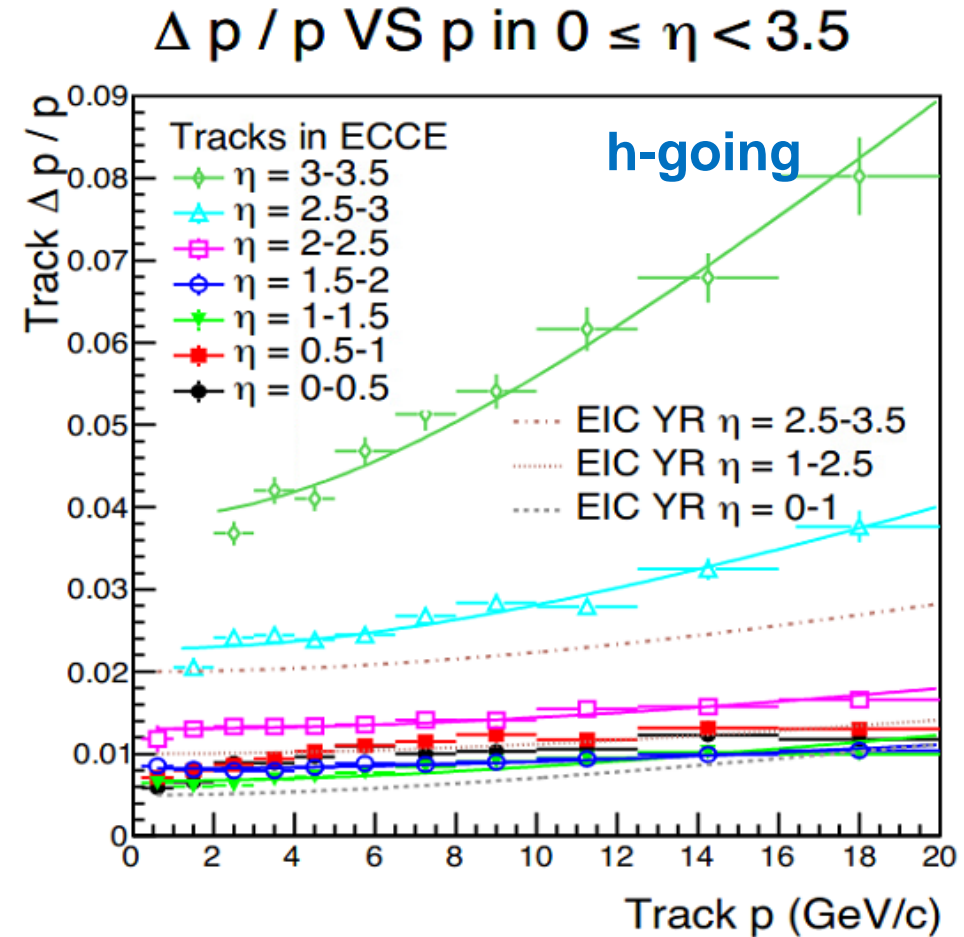
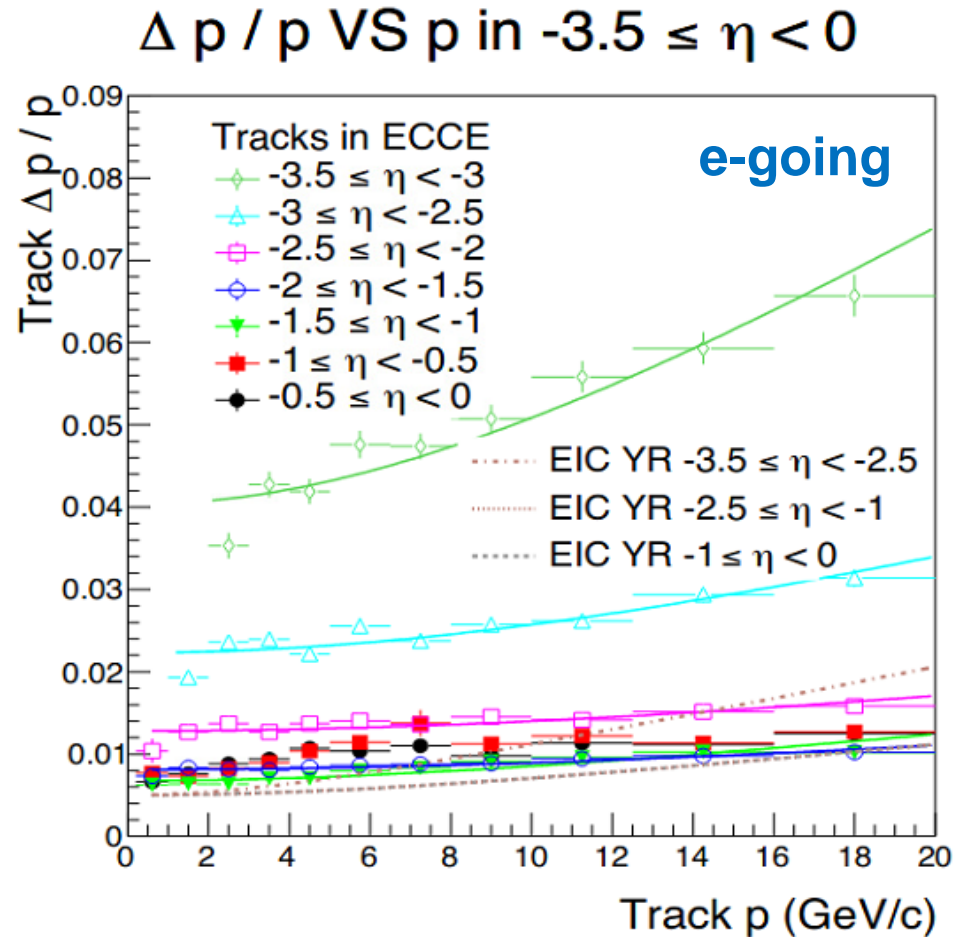
# Detector Configuration—Tracking

- MAPS based silicon vertex/ tracking layers/ planes.
- MPGD / $\mu$ Rwell gas tracker.
- LGAD based outer layers.





# Tracking performance at ECCE

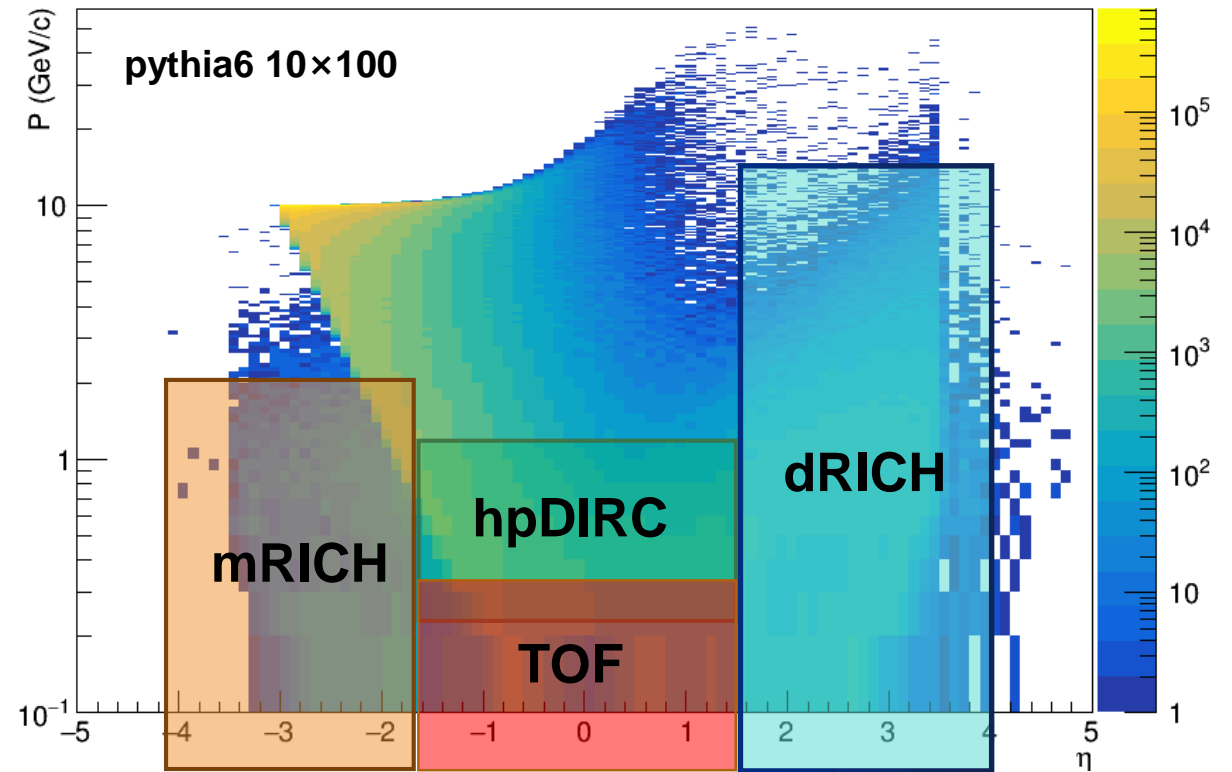
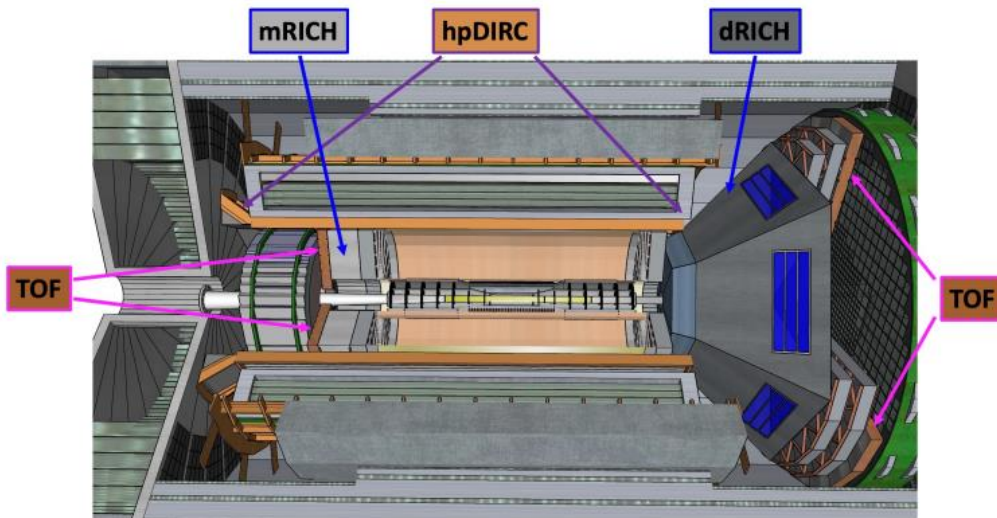


# Electron identification capability at ECCE

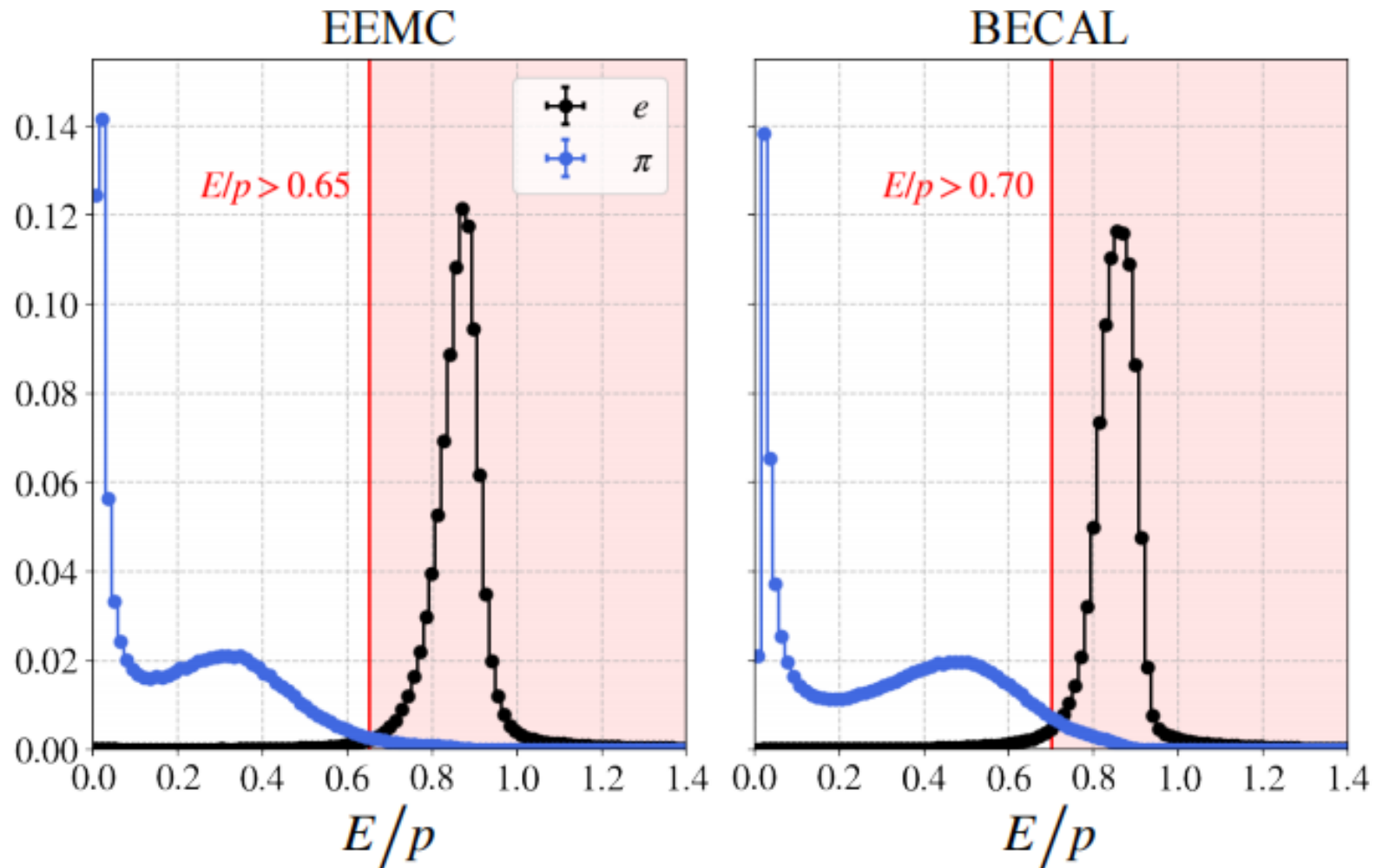
## EMCal + Tracking

- ✓ The energy deposition => E/p cut
- ✓ The transverse profile of the showers
- ✓ The position resolution

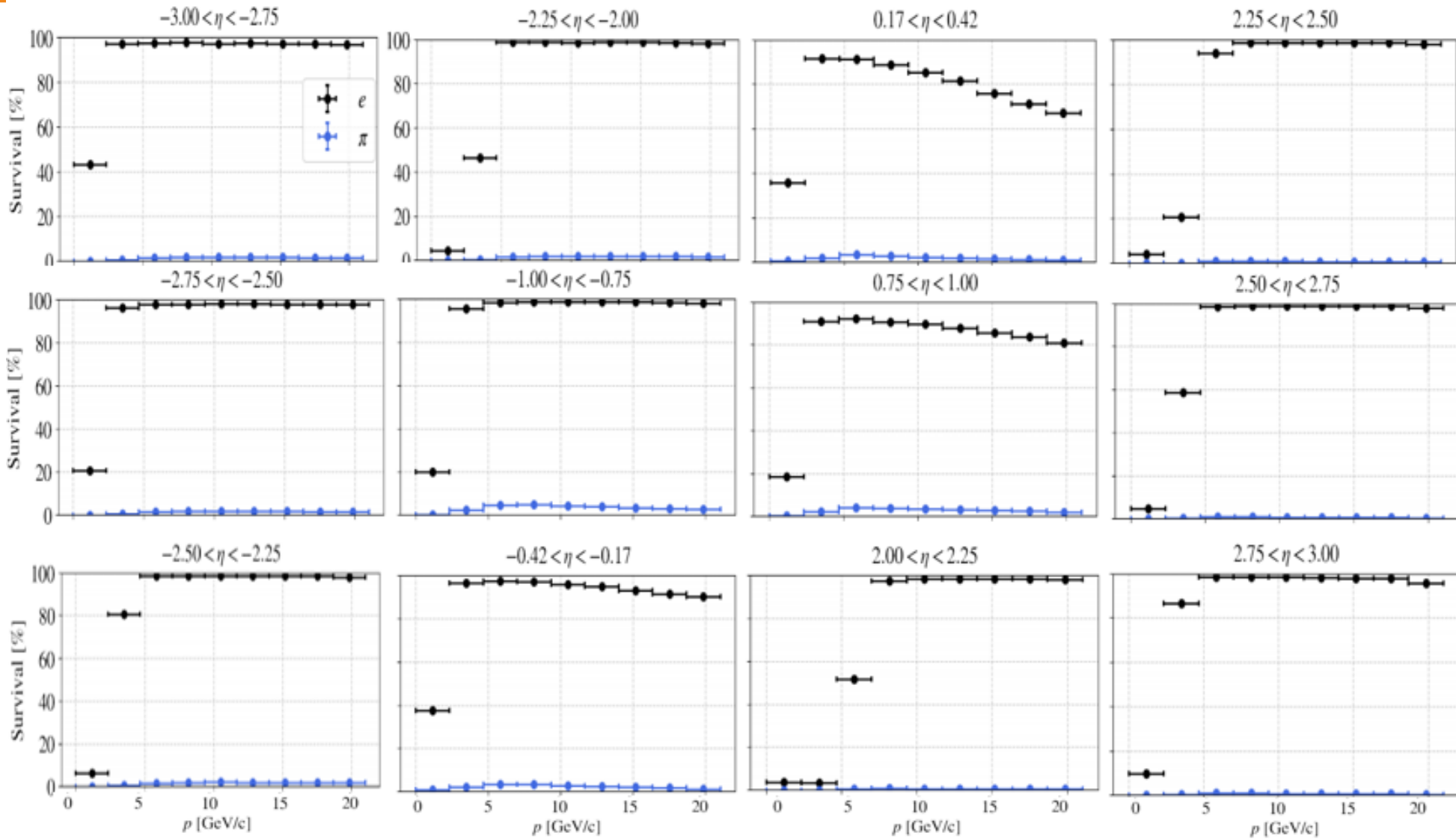
## Cherenkov + TOF



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# Electron identification capability at ECCE—Cherenkov+TOF

- **h-endcap: dRICH with two radiators (gas + aerogel)**

$\pi/K$  separation up to  $\sim 50$  GeV/c

$e/\pi$  separation up to  $\sim 15$  GeV/c

- **e-endcap: compact aerogel mRICH**

$\pi/K$  separation up to  $\sim 10$  GeV/c

$e/\pi$  separation up to  $\sim 2$  GeV/c

- **barrel: compact high-performance DIRC**

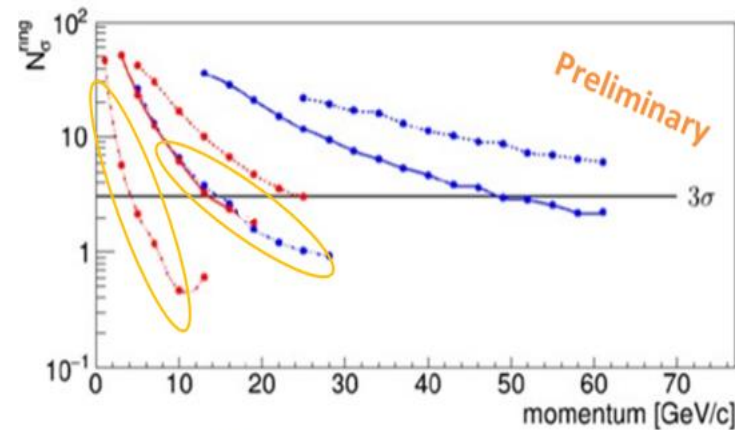
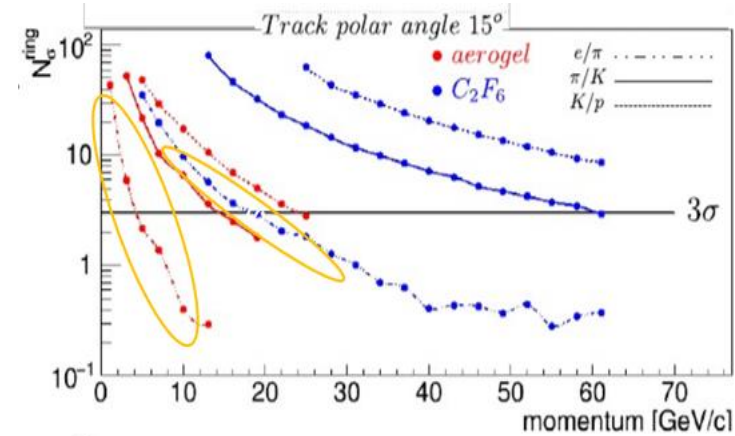
$\pi/K$  separation up to  $\sim 6-7$  GeV/c

$e/\pi$  separation up to  $\sim 1.2$  GeV/c

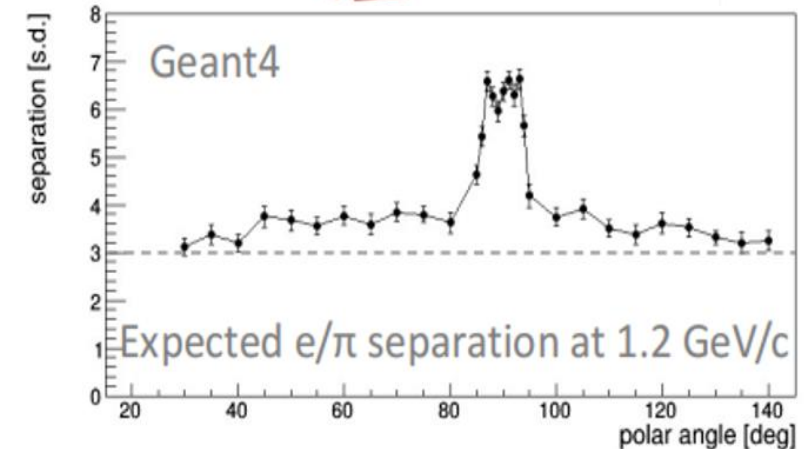
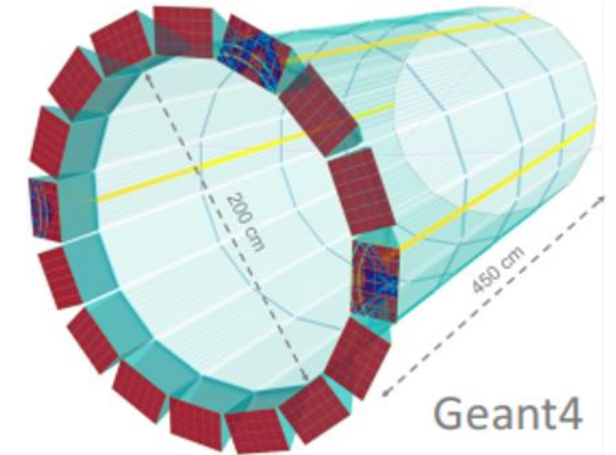
- **LGAD based TOF:**

cover lower momenta down to  $\sim 0.2$  GeV/c

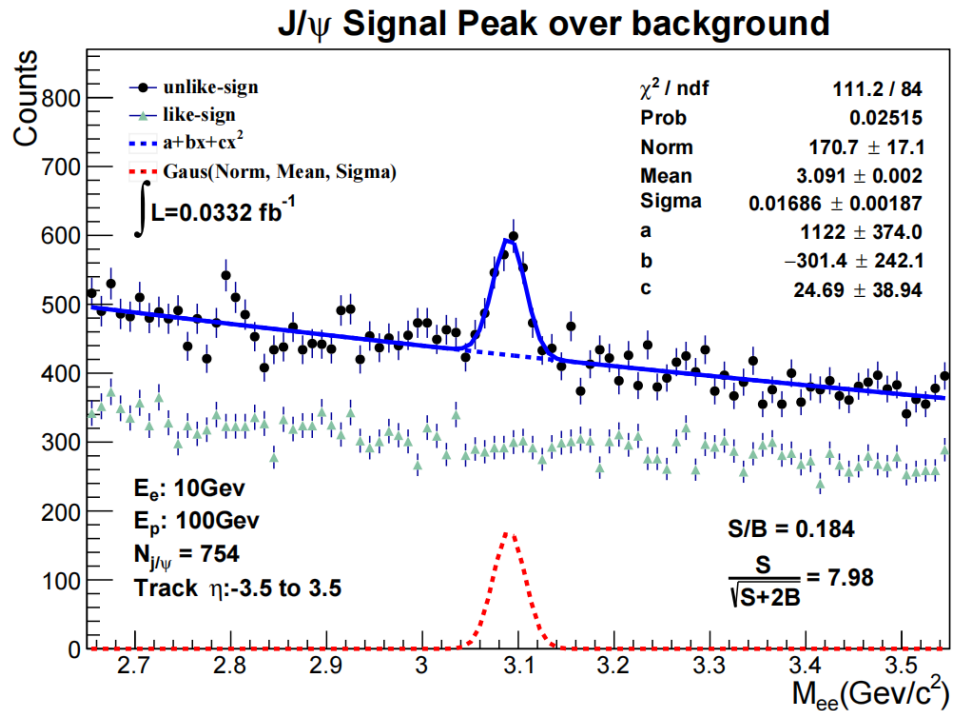
dRICH Simulated Performance



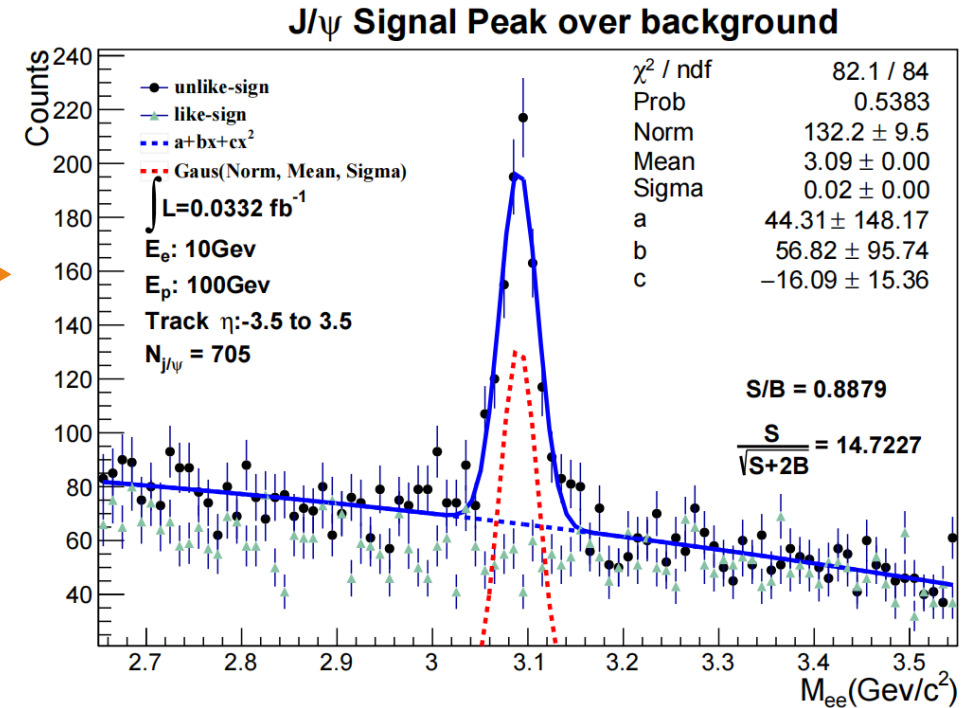
HPDIRC



# J/ψ Reconstruction

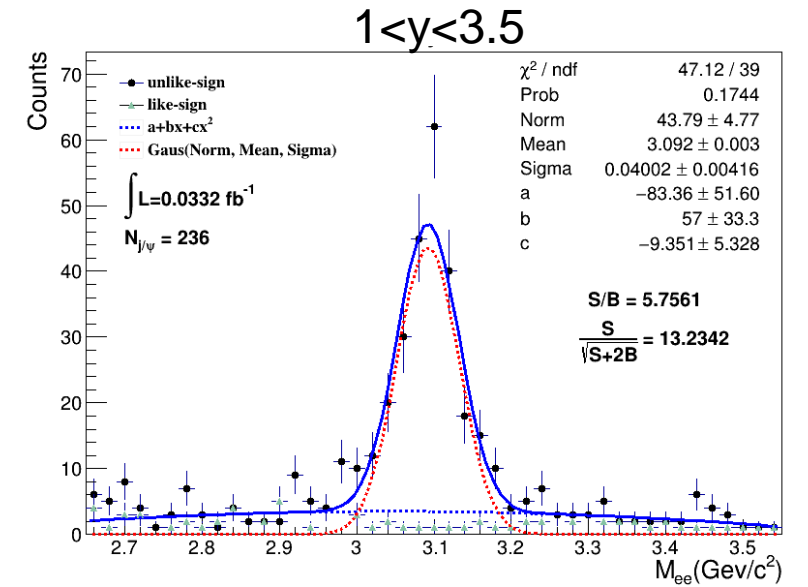
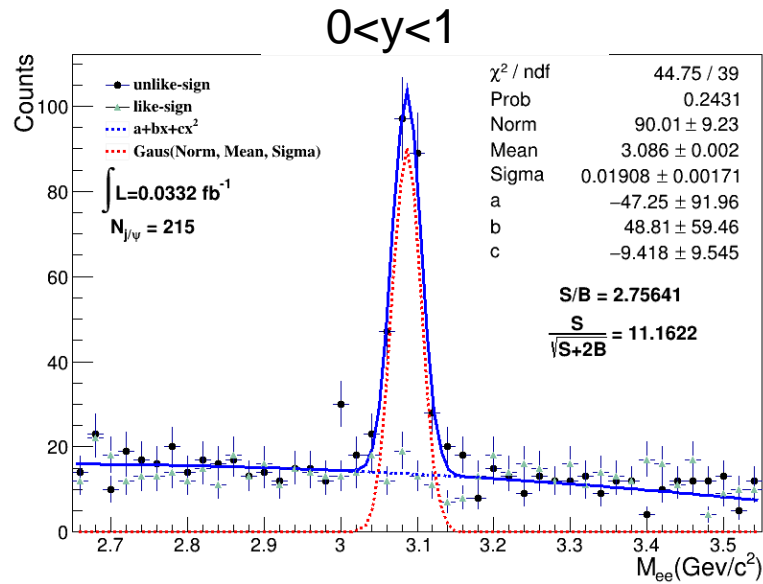
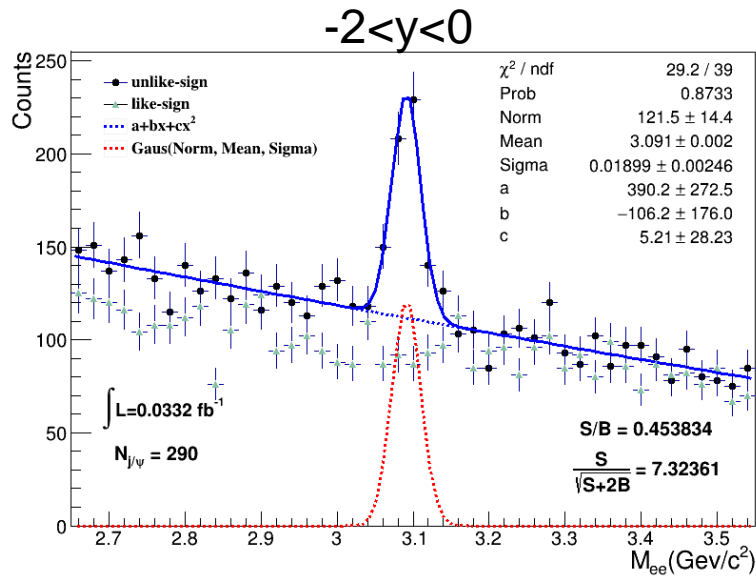


a forward  
lightcone cut  
 $x_+ < 0.5$



generator: pythia6 (eRHIC tuned) Full Geant simulation (fun4All)  
events: ~20million

# J/ψ Reconstruction



Central region with better mass width.

From e-going to h-going, signal background ratio turns better.

# The theoretical setup of exclusive process (for projection)

$$\sigma(eA \rightarrow eAV) = \int \frac{dW}{W} \int dk \int dQ^2 \frac{d^2 N_\gamma}{dk dQ^2} \sigma_{\gamma^* A \rightarrow VA}(W, Q^2)$$

$$\frac{d^2 N_\gamma}{dk dQ^2} = \frac{\alpha}{\pi k Q^2} \left[ 1 - \frac{k}{E_e} + \frac{k^2}{2E_e^2} - \left( 1 - \frac{k}{E_e} \right) \left| \frac{Q_{\min}^2}{Q^2} \right| \right]$$

$$\sigma_{\gamma^* A \rightarrow VA}(W, Q^2) = f(M_V) \sigma(W, Q^2 = 0) \left( \frac{M_V^2}{M_V^2 + Q^2} \right)^n \quad n = c_1 + c_2(Q^2 + M_V^2),$$

$$\sigma(W, Q^2 = 0) = \int_{t_{\min}}^{\infty} dt \left. \frac{d\sigma(\gamma A \rightarrow VA)}{dt} \right|_{t=0} |F(t)|^2$$

Can be related to the cross section for  $\sigma(\gamma+p \rightarrow V+p)$

eSTARLight: Michael Lomnitz and Spencer Klein, Phys. Rev. C **99** (2019) 015203

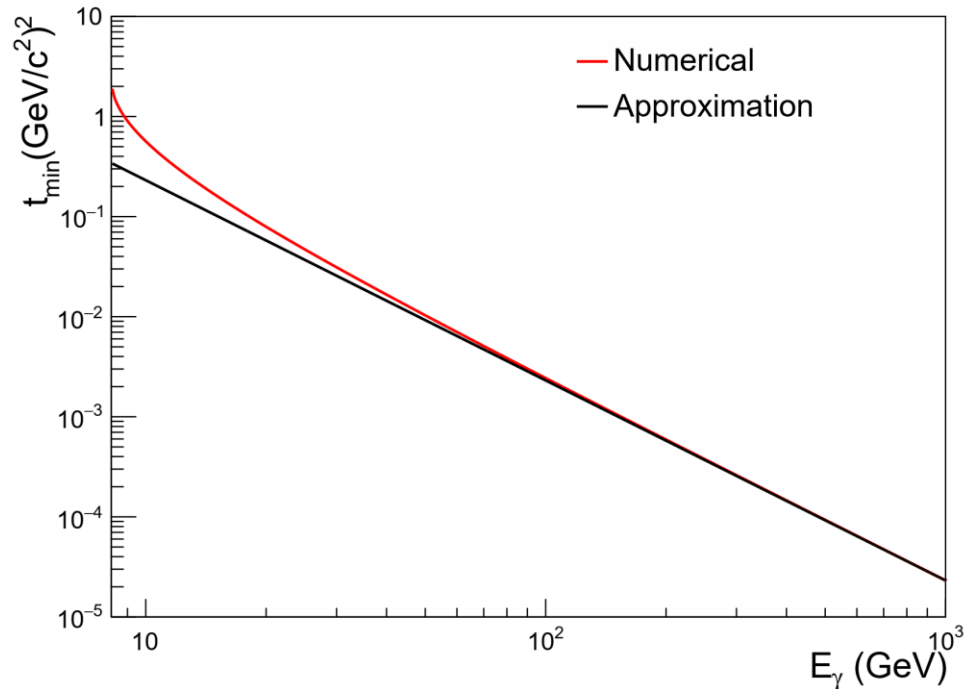
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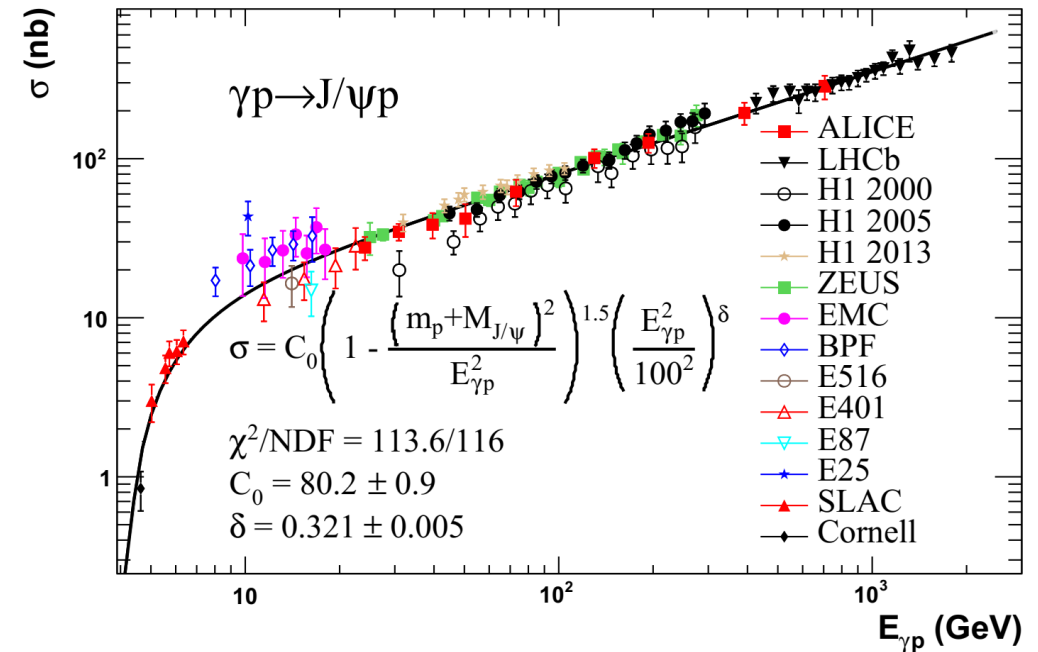
# Two improvements for eSTARLight

Minimum momentum transfer

$$t_{\min} = (M_V^2/2k)^2 \text{ Approximation}$$

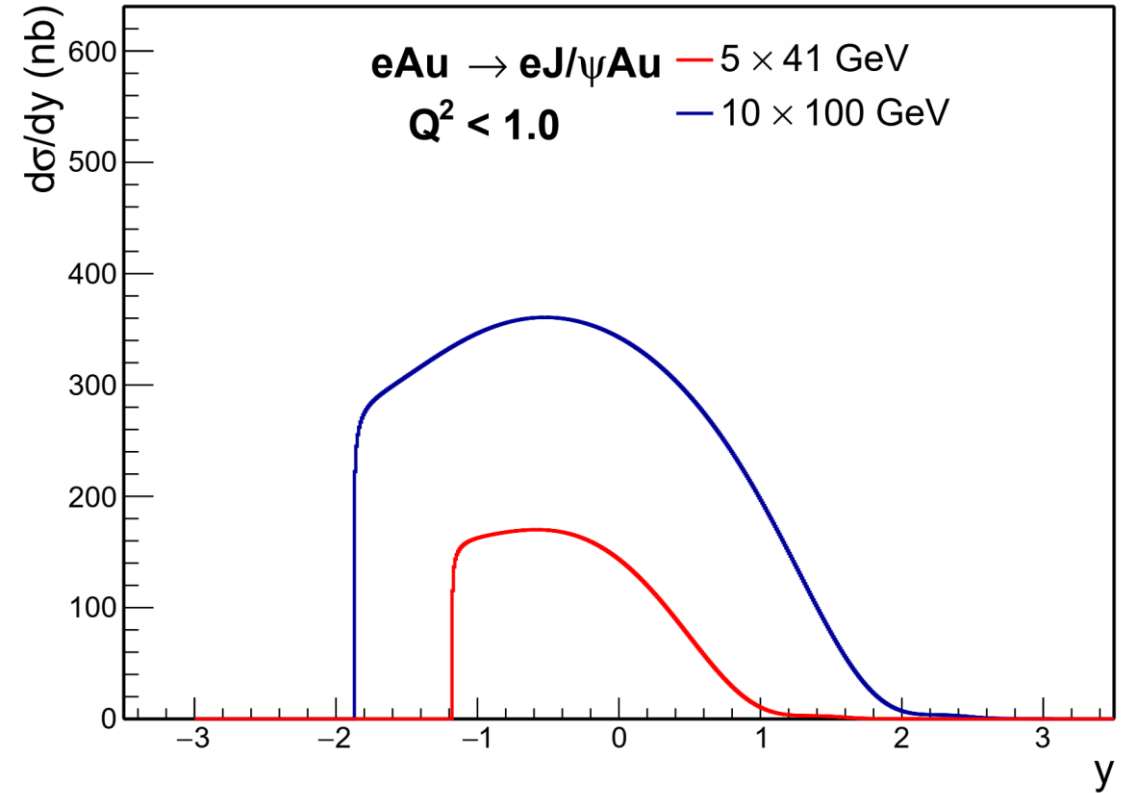
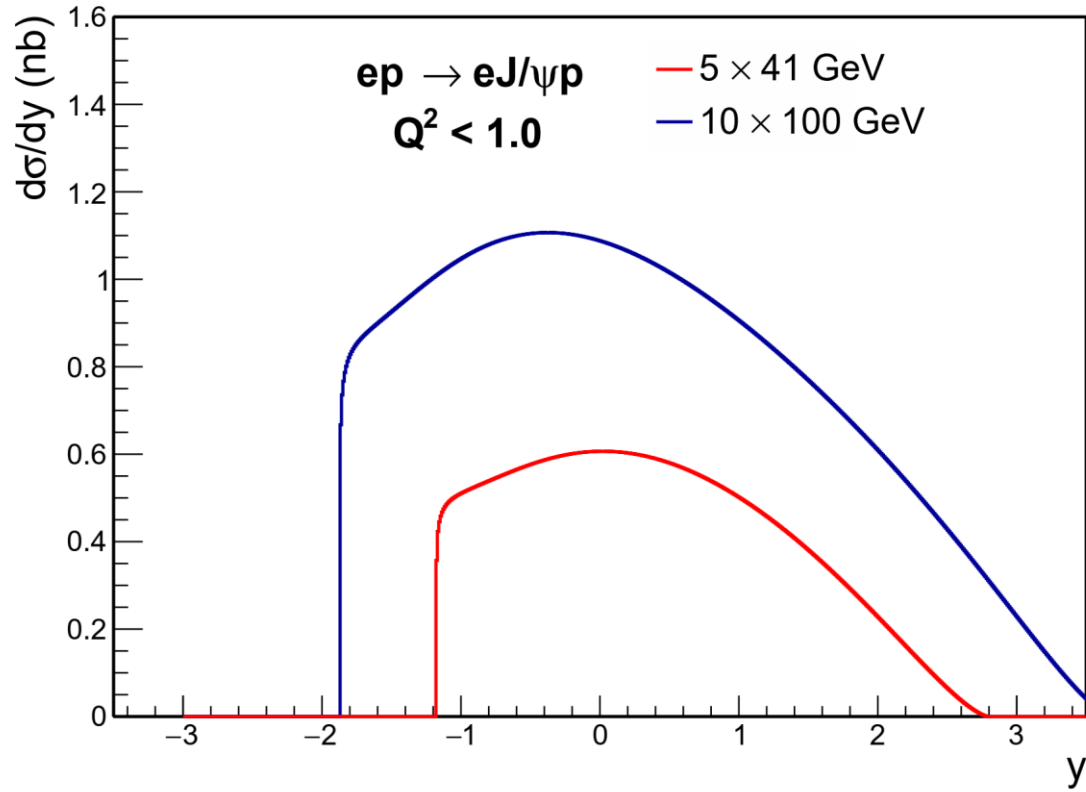


Parametrization for cross section input



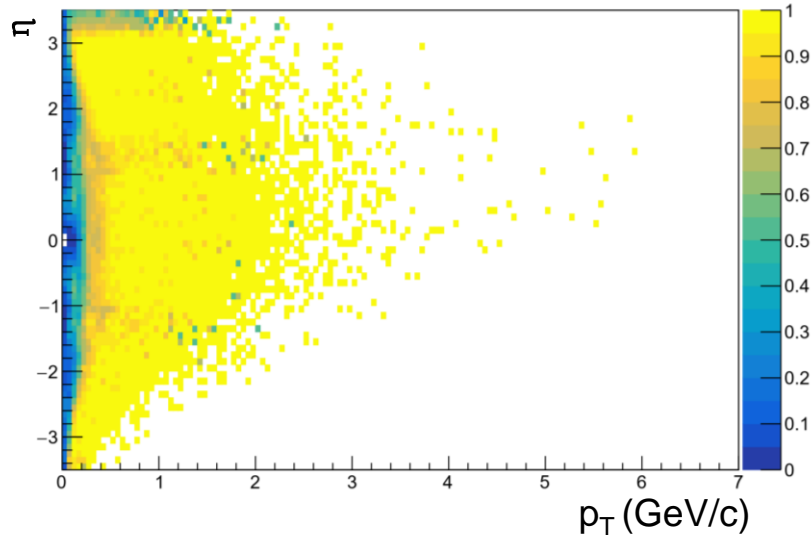
Z. Cao et al., Chin. Phys. C43 (2019) 064103

# The theoretical input for ep and eAu

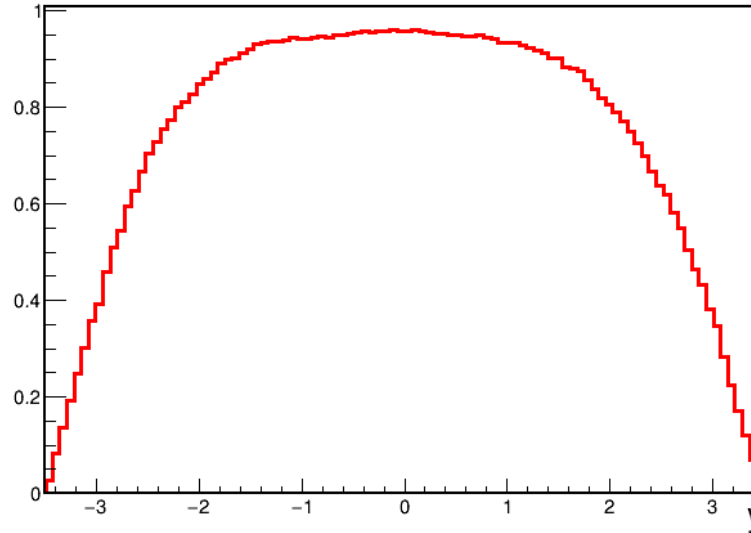


# Efficiency and S/B correction

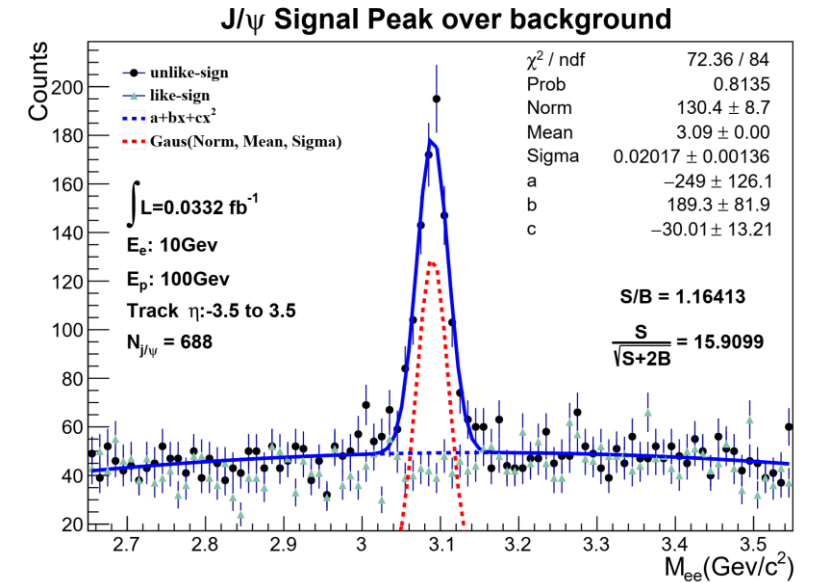
## Single electron efficiency



## J/ψ efficiency



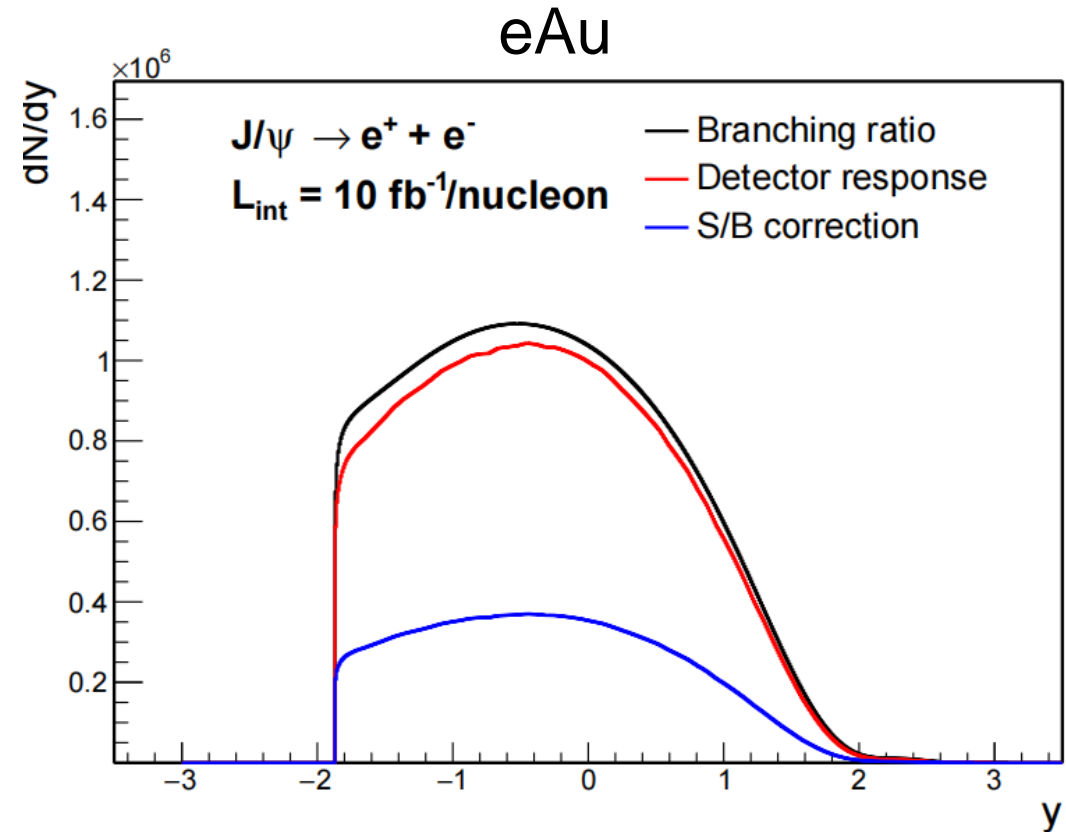
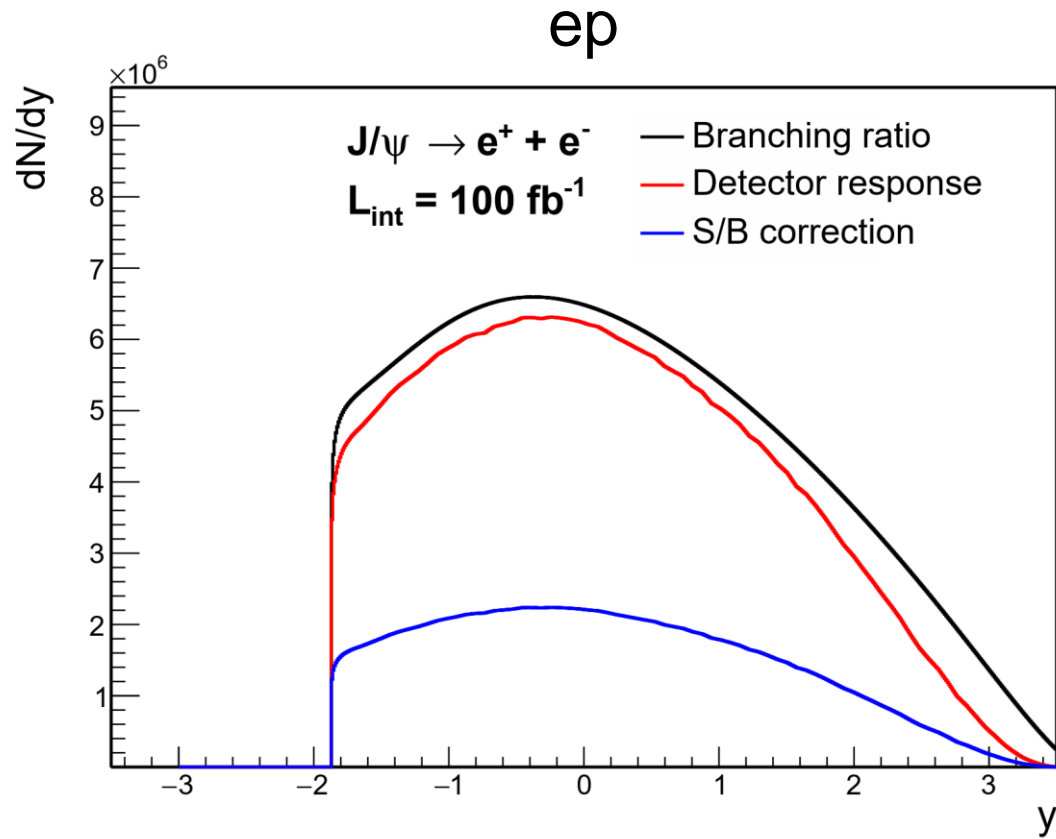
## S/B correction



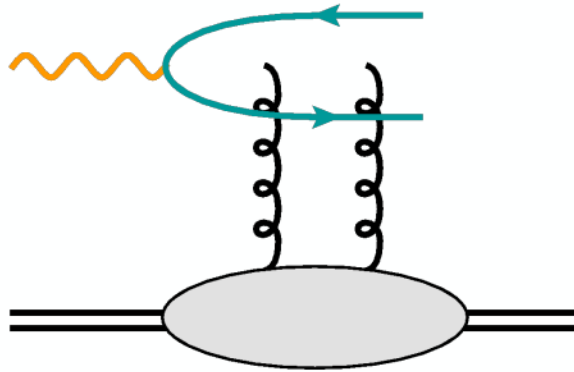
High J/ψ efficiency in central region

Forward region with a low efficiency

# The projected statistics



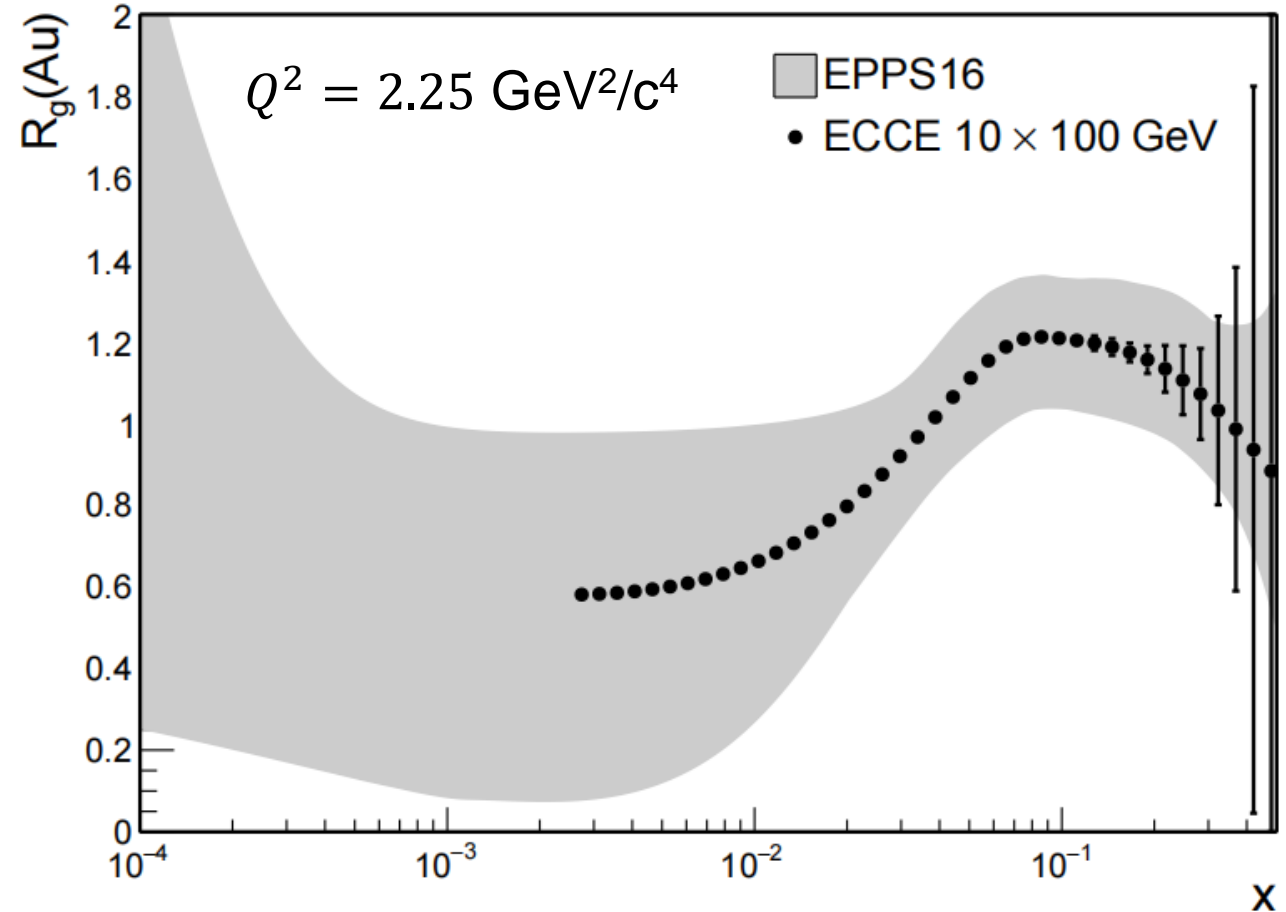
# The gluon nPDF projection



$$\left. \frac{d\sigma(\gamma A \rightarrow V A)}{dt} \right|_{t=0} = \frac{\alpha_s^2 \Gamma_{ee}}{3\alpha M_V^5} 16\pi^3 [xG_A(x, Q^2)]^2$$

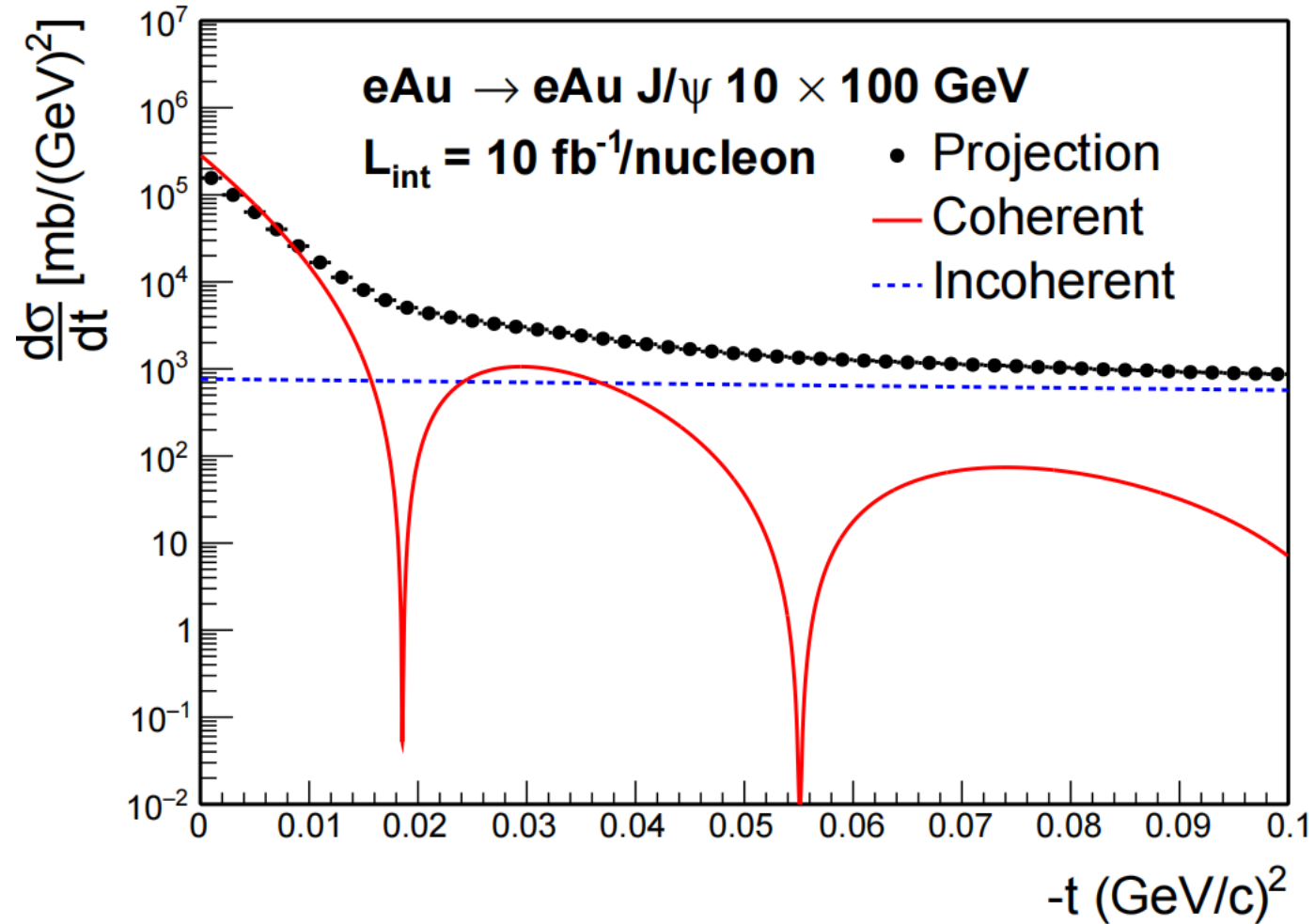
$$x = \frac{M_V e^{\pm y}}{\sqrt{s}} \quad Q^2 = M_V^2/4$$

Guzey, Zhalov, JHEP 10 (2013) 207; JHEP 02 (2014) 046



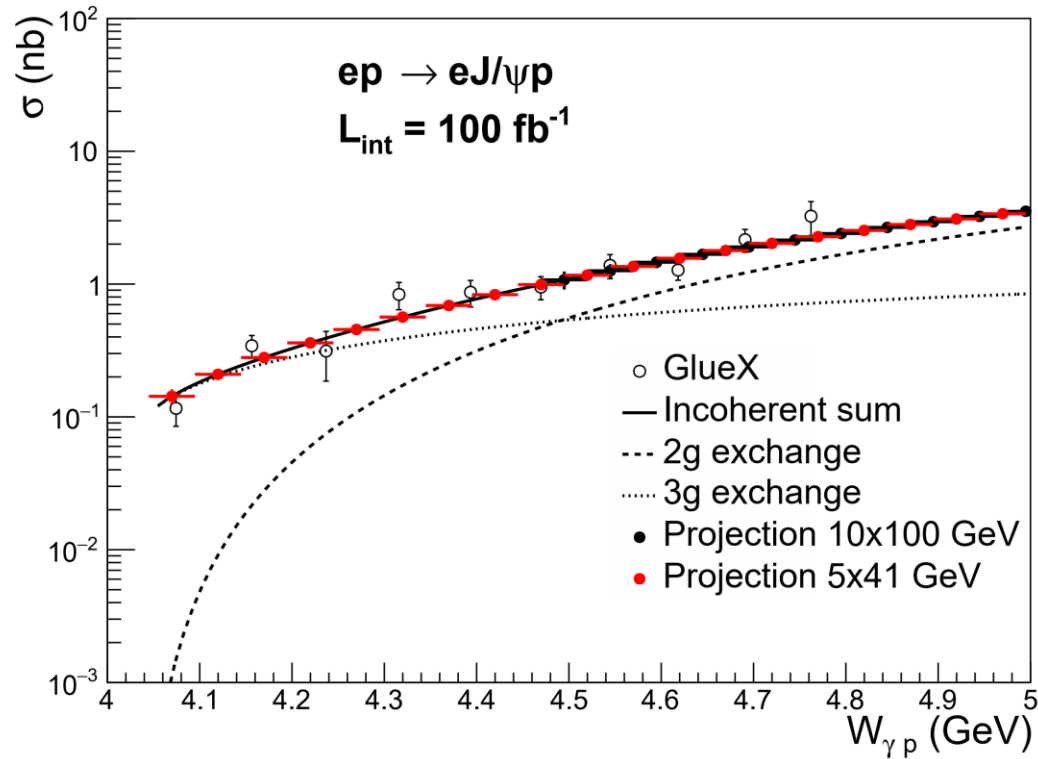
Eskola, K.J., Paakkinen, et al.  
 EPPS16: EPJC 77 (2017) 163

# The $t$ distribution projection



The momentum resolution is important!

# The near threshold production mechanism



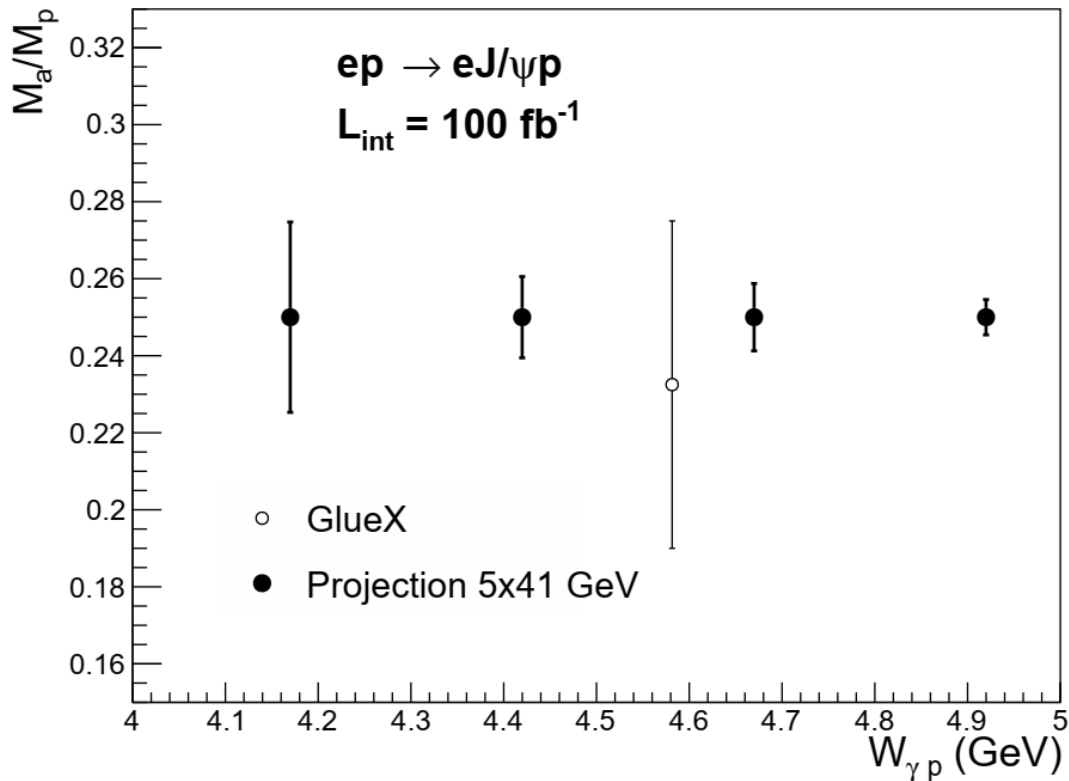
$$\frac{d\sigma}{dt} = \mathcal{N}_{2g} v \frac{(1-x)^2}{R^2 \mathcal{M}^2} F_{2g}^2(t) (s - m_p^2)^2$$

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dt} = \mathcal{N}_{3g} v \frac{(1-x)^0}{R^4 \mathcal{M}^4} F_{3g}^2(t) (s - m_p^2)^2$$

SJ Brodsky, Phys. Lett. B 498 (2001) 23–28

A. Ali et al. (GlueX Collaboration), Phys. Rev. Lett. 123, 072001(2019)

# The trace anomaly parameter projection



$$M_q = \frac{3}{4} \left( a - \frac{b}{1 + \gamma_m} \right) M_N,$$

$$M_g = \frac{3}{4} (1 - a) M_N,$$

$$M_m = \frac{4 + \gamma_m}{4(1 + \gamma_m)} b M_N,$$

$$M_a = \frac{1}{4} (1 - b) M_N,$$

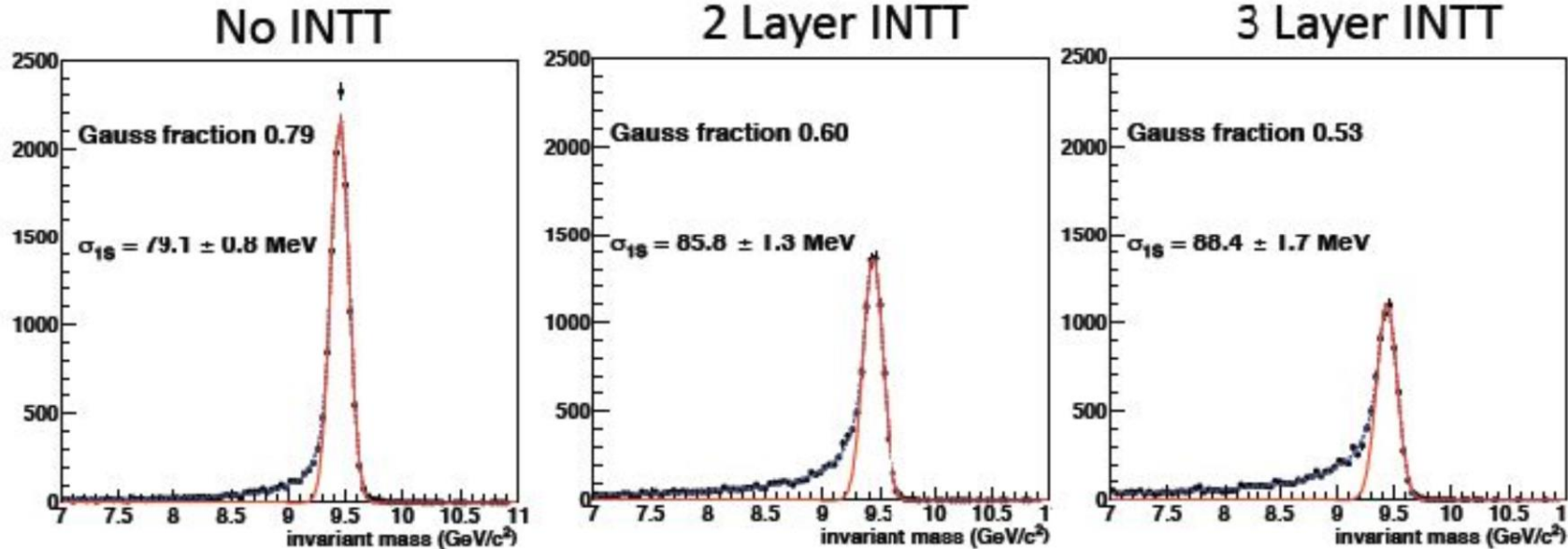
Rong Wang, Xurong Chen and Jarah Evslin,  
Eur. Phys. J. C (2020) 80:507

Extract the QCD trace anomaly parameter b



# Muon ID at EIC?

- ✓ Less bremsstrahlung
- ✓ Internal photon radiation
- ✓ Combinatorial background
- ✓ Detector technology?
- ✓ R&D and cost evaluation?
- ✓ Space limitations?



Impact from material to Upsilon (ee) measurement [early sPHENIX optimization]

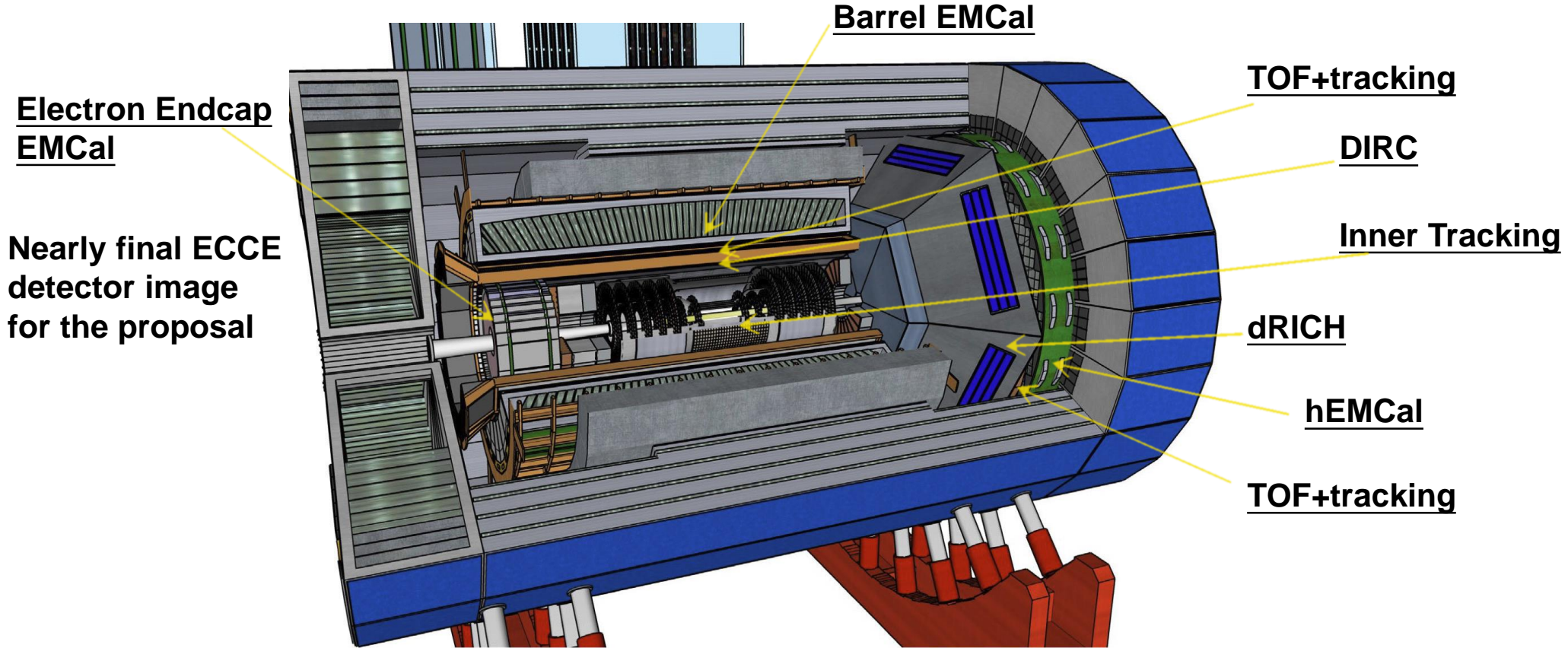
# Summary

- Rich physics opportunities with heavy Quarkonia at EIC
- Excellent capability of  $J/\psi$  reconstruction at ECCE
- Some selected projection results at ECCE
- More input, ideas and requirements from theorists

Thank you!

# Backup

# Detector Configuration (July Concept)

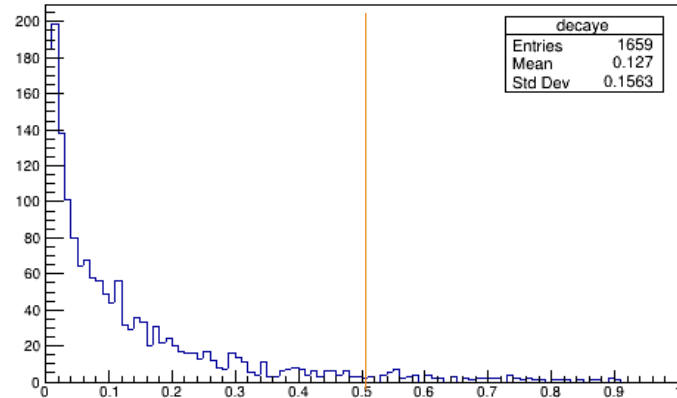


# J/ψ detection

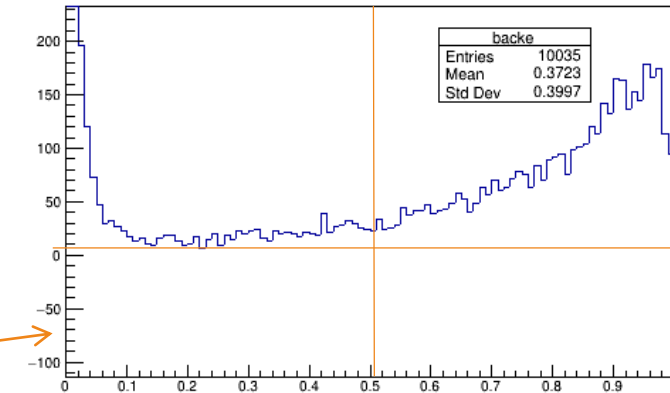
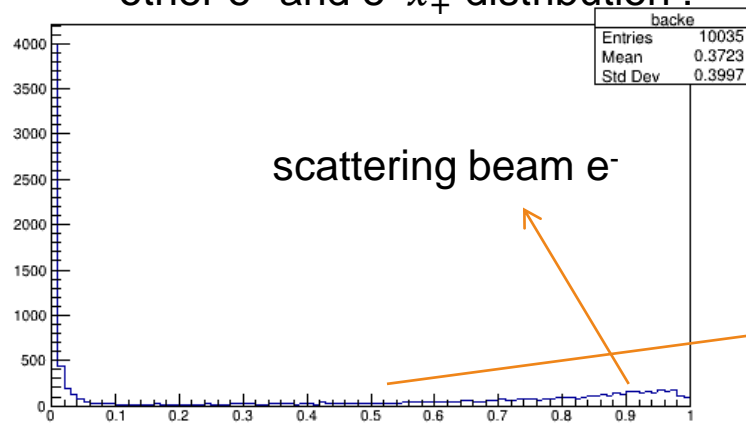
a forward light cone variables can be used to see scattering beam e<sup>-</sup> influence

$$x_+ = \frac{b_0 + (-b_z)}{a_0 + (-a_z)} \text{ (cause beam } e^- \text{ moves along negative } z \text{ axis), } b \text{ is beam } e^-.$$

e<sup>+</sup> and e<sup>-</sup> of J/ψ decay x<sub>+</sub> distribution

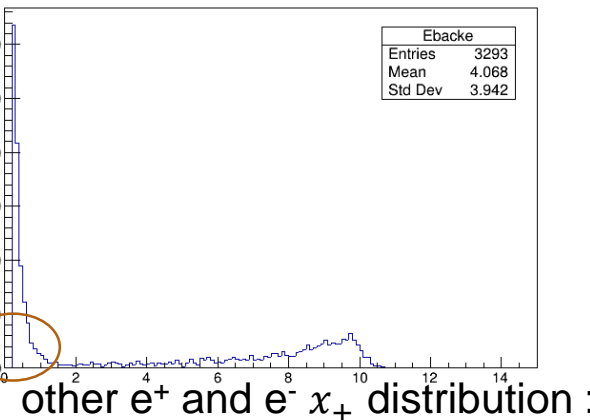
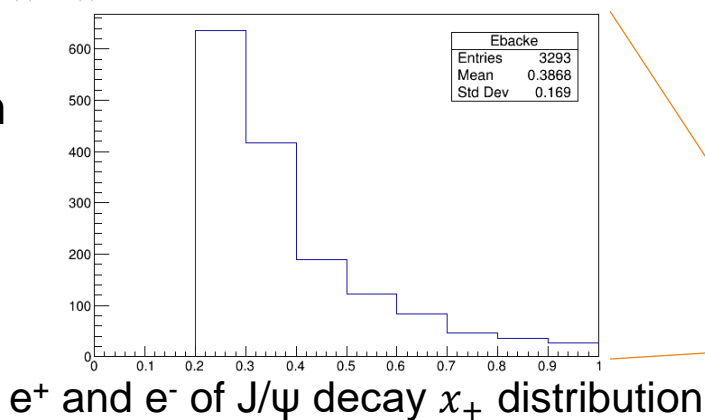


other e<sup>+</sup> and e<sup>-</sup> x<sub>+</sub> distribution :

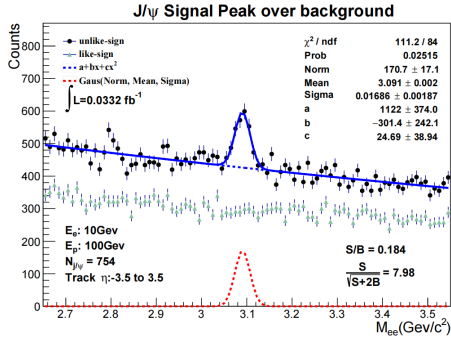


cut: x<sub>+</sub> < 0.5

influence of e<sup>-</sup> from light hadron decay

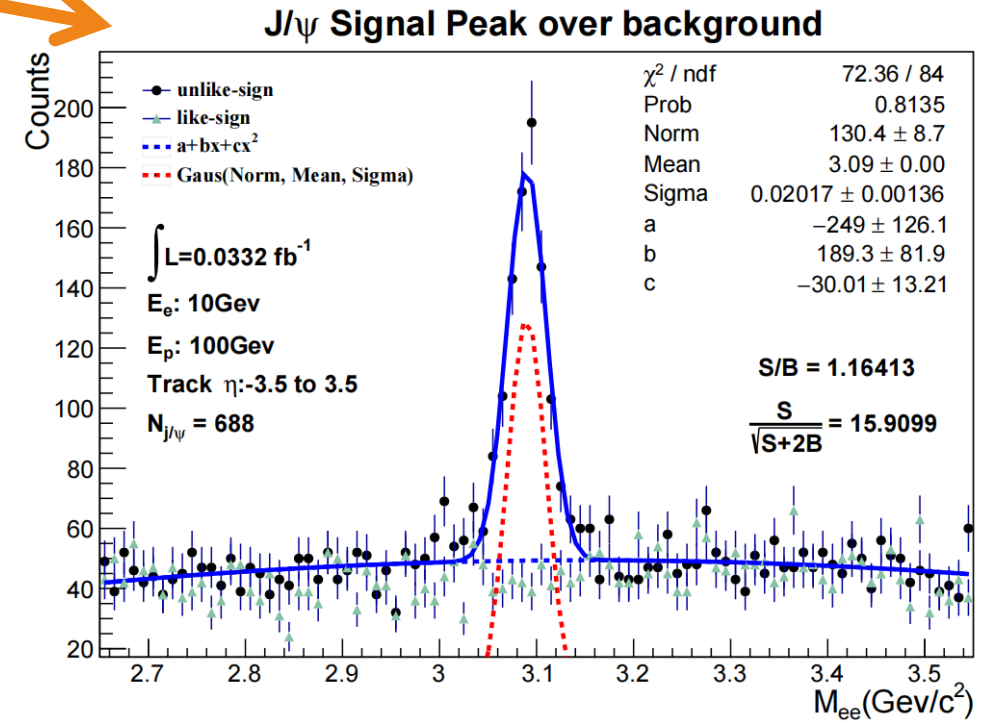
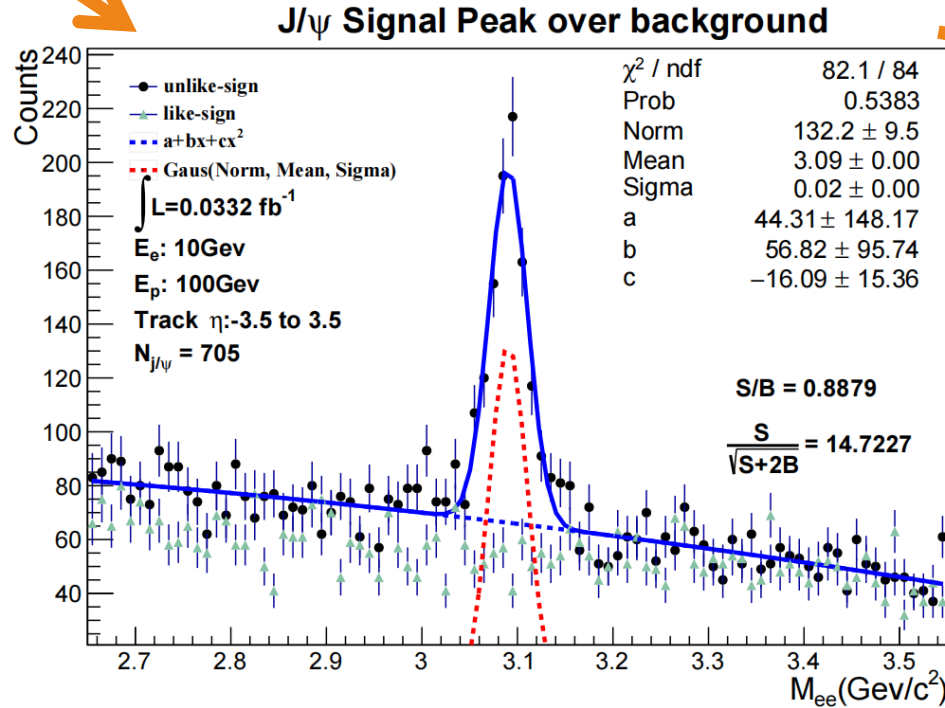


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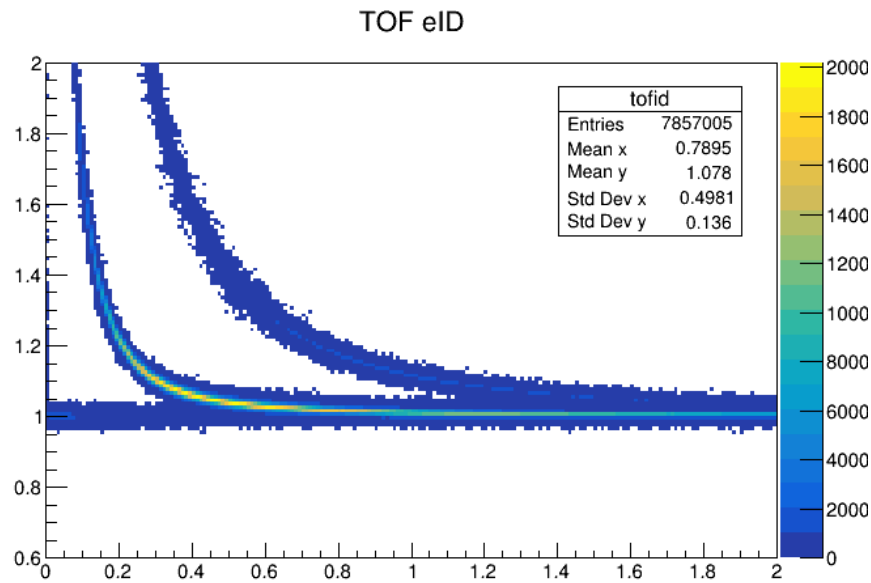
cut:  $\chi_+ < 0.5$   
 S/B: 0.184  $\rightarrow$  0.888

cut:  $E > 0.6$   
 S/B: 0.888  $\rightarrow$  1.164



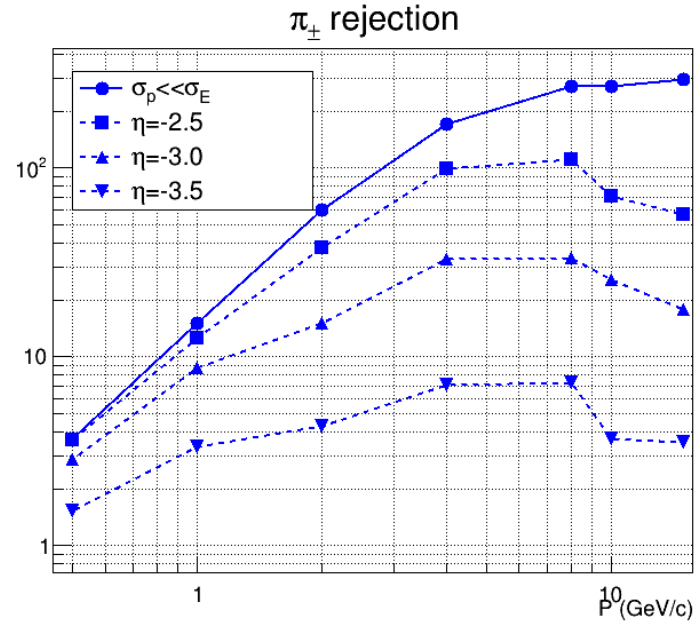
# eID—TOF(fastsimulation)

	$\eta$ range	path length	time resolution
forward	$-1.5 > \eta > -3.5$	$ 250(\text{cm}) / \cos(\Theta) $	20 (ps)
barrel	$1.5 > \eta > -1.5$	$50 / \sin(\Theta)$	20
end	$3.5 > \eta > 1.5$	$ 150 / \cos(\Theta) $	20



$p < 0.4(\text{GeV}/c)$   $|1/\beta - 1| < 0.04$   
survival possibility:  
e: 99.5%  $\pi$ : 0.1%

# Electron identification capability at ECCE



$$E/p > 1 - 1.6 \cdot \sqrt{\sigma_{EMC}^2 + \sigma_p^2} \text{ to keep } \epsilon_e = 95\%$$

	Depth, $X_0$	$\frac{\sigma_E}{E}$	Depth, $\lambda_1$
<b>W/SciFi</b> (sPHENIX, GEANT)	~20	$\frac{13\%}{\sqrt{E}} \oplus 3\%$	~0.83



# Electron identification capability at ECCE

