# PWGPP-729: Electron bremsstrahlung correction + conditional PID momentum and position bias correction

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# Outlook

# Mean energy loss correction and bremstrahlung

Inter-detector matching and combined track properties

# Conditional machine learning based correction of momenta and position bias (DCA, TOF)

- momentum bias
- TOF (space and time) and DCA residuals
- Optimally applicable in analysis

# Similar conditional machine learning algorithm for the distortion correction - delta TO as conditional variable

# Bremstrahlung and energy loss correction in the reconstruction

The loss of energy in the detector material could significantly affect the properties of the particles A considerable part of the energy lost during the propagation of the track from the production point to the outer detectors

#### **Consequences:**

• momentum determination bias and particle extrapolation bias  $\rightarrow$  deterioration of inter-detector matching (efficiency,  $\chi 2$  ...)

#### Mean energy loss use to correct for the effect assuming particle identity known

- In case of mis-identification the energy loss is biased
- In case of electron mean energy loss not sufficient to correct for the bremstrahlung

#### Goal:

• Prepare PID conditional modification of track properties (pt, DCA, TOF matching)



TPC only tracks not sensitive to the bremstrahlung in the ITS material Bremstrahlung probability in TPC is small

• impact negligible in comparison to bremstrahlung in service and ITS before TPC

Position and energy fraction of bremstrahlung not known

The DCA properties (position, angle + △ q/pt(ITS/TPC)) depends on the bremstrahlung position and bremstrahlung loss

https://pdg.lbl.gov/2018/reviews/rpp2018-rev-passage-particles-matter.pdf

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Original

qPt correction - geometrical interpretationlog (prec/ptrue)- fractional momentum lossInput Variables:

- Geometrical: 'dcaDelta', 'phiDelta'
- PID and QA : "fPIDForTracking", 'tpcNcls'
- itsmask,
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Correction

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# fractional momentum loss due brestrahlung: (time section: )

- corrected data significantly narrower using std nor and quantile norm
- normalization of the mean and median bias depends on the cost function used (square residual, abs residuals, weighted mean)

# Impact of PID miss-identification (cross at qPt~ 3) (time section: )

# Work in progress:

- more data needed more flat in parameter space
- adding local error estimator of the correction to dashboard
- use also dQpt between ITS and TPC as additional constraint

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# Dashboard widgets

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