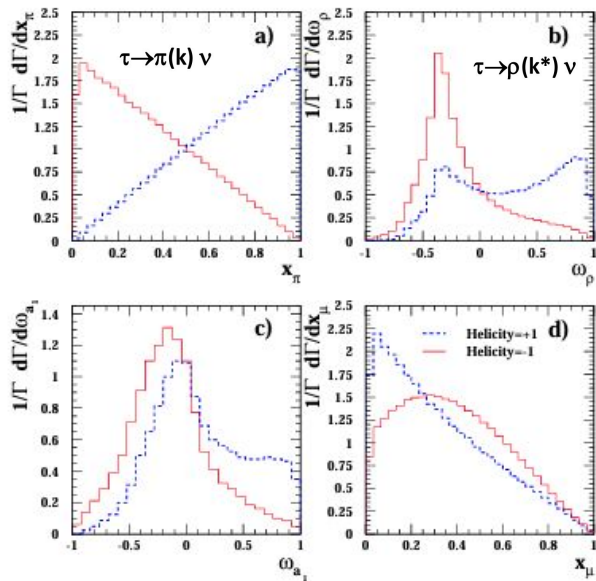


Tau Polarization Discussion

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Goal: Tau polarisation study using full simulation



[Z pole LEP+SLD paper: Physics Reports 427:257-454,2006](#)

Figure 4.2: Monte Carlo simulated distributions of polarisation sensitive kinematic variables defined in the text for (a) $\tau \rightarrow \pi\nu$, (b) $\tau \rightarrow \rho\nu$, (c) $\tau \rightarrow a_1\nu$ and (d) $\tau \rightarrow \mu\nu$ decays for positive and negative helicity τ leptons excluding the effects of selection and detector response.

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Plan for this study:

- Check performance in full sim samples: impact of reconstruction in identification of decay channels and associated systematics
- Once understood, propagate to a physics analysis
- effect on templates! → sensitivity

Using **CLD** fullsim samples

[For details: see the introductory talk \(27/May\)](#)

ZTauTau Pythia8 CLD Sample

Performance studies based on ZTauTau events (CLD sample)

Note: we are using the same card as the one used for Delphes. Polarization still to be checked. For now we are focusing on tau reconstruction.

Now we have all tau decays: generalization of the method

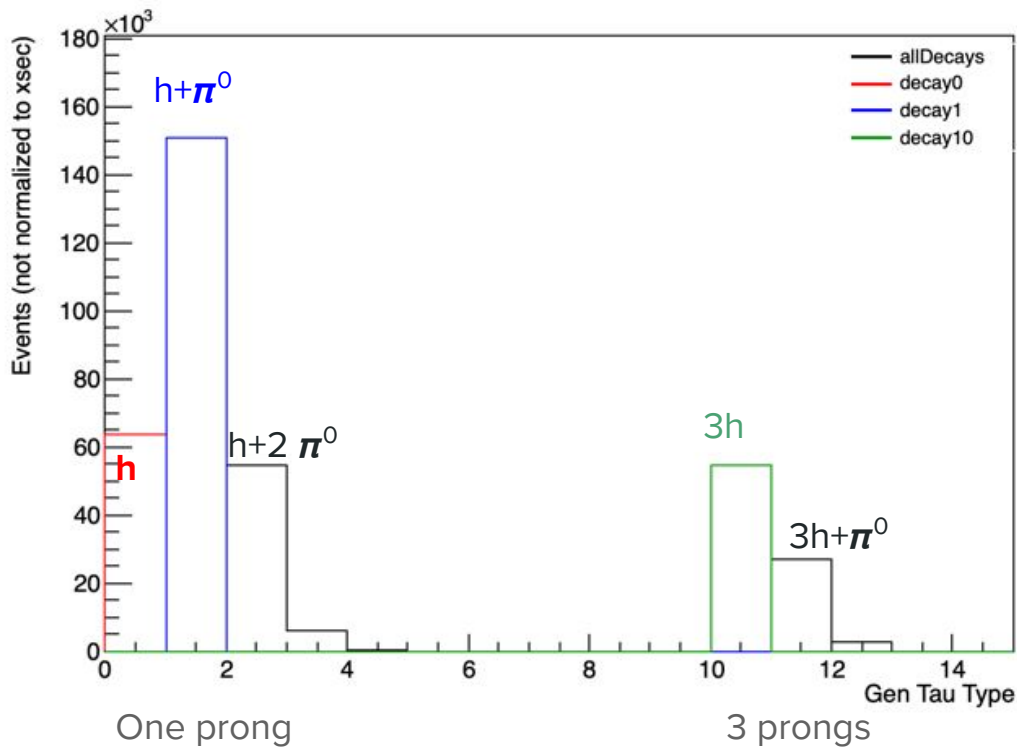
Heuristic approach (Pandora-based) expanded → reconstruct tau based on hadrons and pi0s (gen) photons (reco)

- Considering h, h+Pi0, and 3h cases
- Cone of $dR=1$ around a pion seed → this cut is configurable. Started with a very loose cut as a result of feedback from the first meeting (will be tightened & tuned)
- For now no cut on pi[±] / pi0 'components' → check momentum of candidates to tune

First checks:

- Check performance wrt to Generator Level Tau (Efficiency / Resolution)
- Focus on specific decays
- Migration

Labelling of Decay Modes at Generator Level



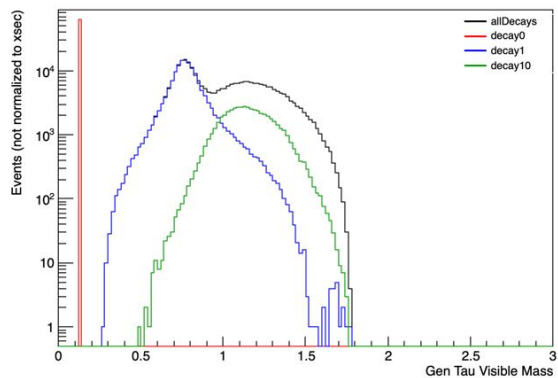
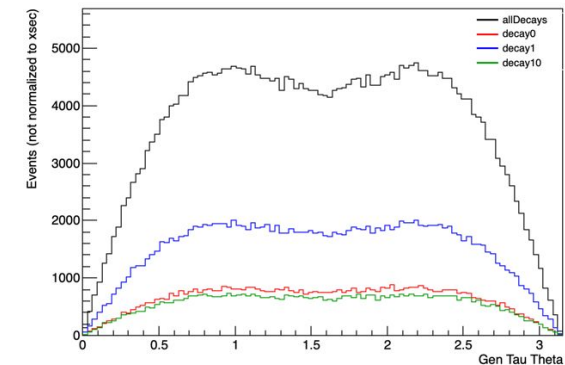
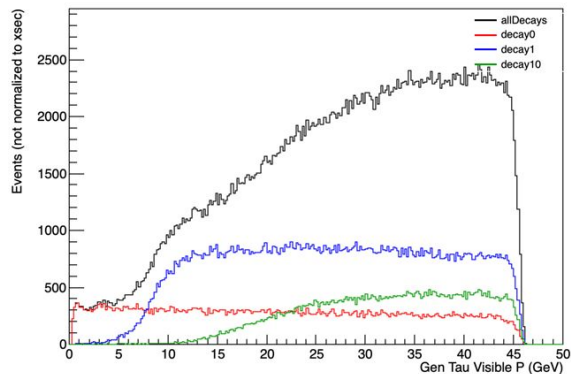
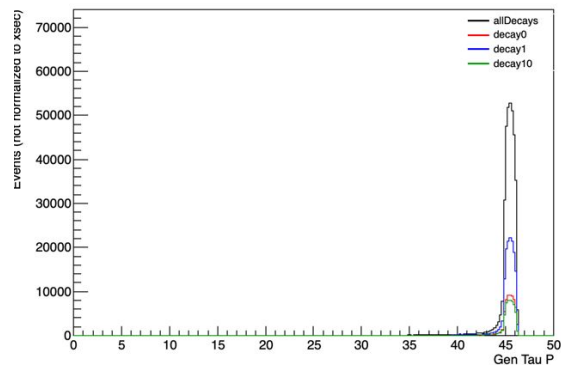
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- Decays With 1 Charged Hadron: DM = NPiOs
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Tau->Muon and Tau->Electron decays removed from the plots (in the pipeline to study for Ae)

Decays with kaons ignored for now

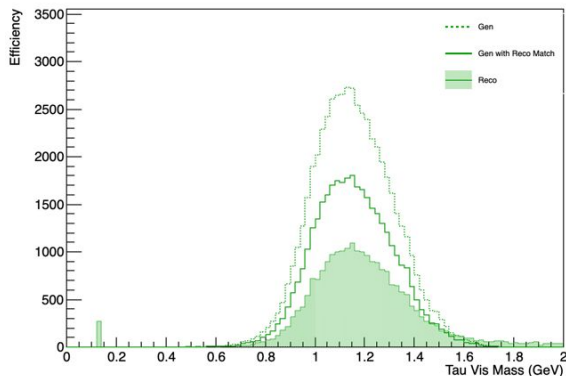
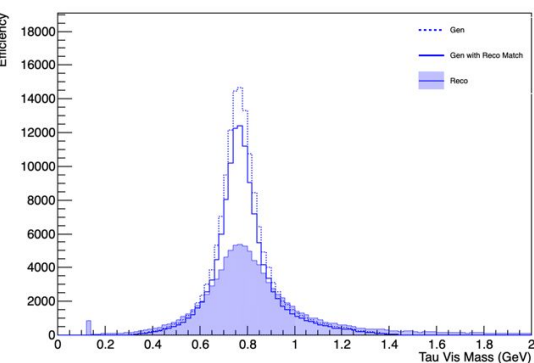
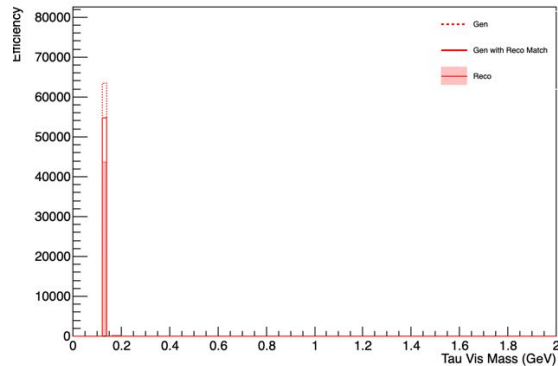
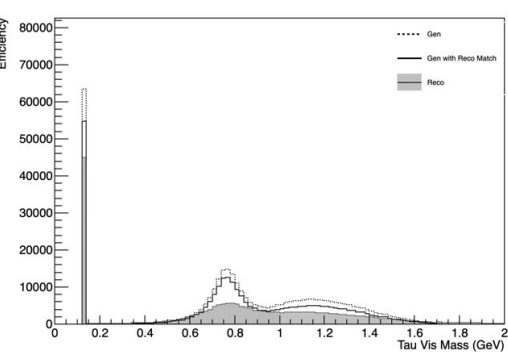
Characterization of the Taus in this sample



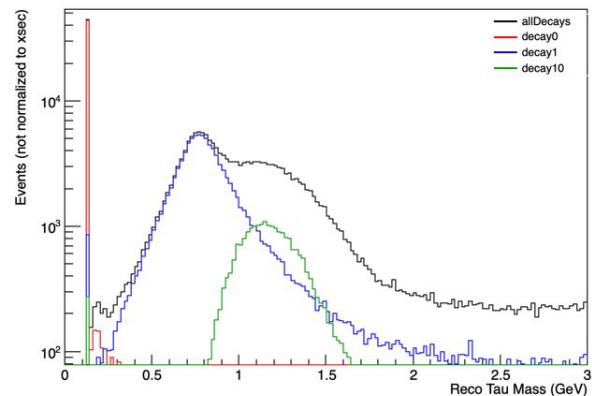
In order to have a easier comparison to offline:
building 'Visible Tau' at gen level from the decay products of the tau, removing the neutrinos

Tau Visible Mass Per Decay Mode

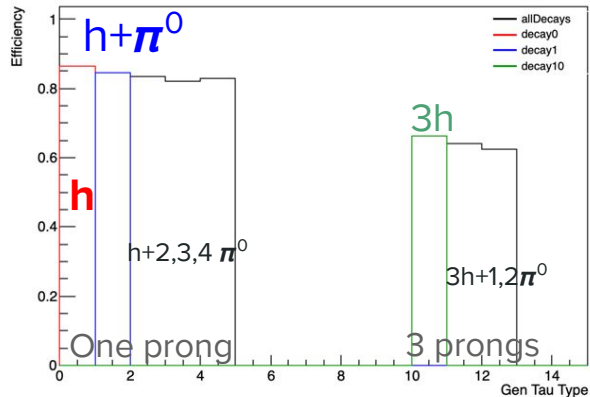
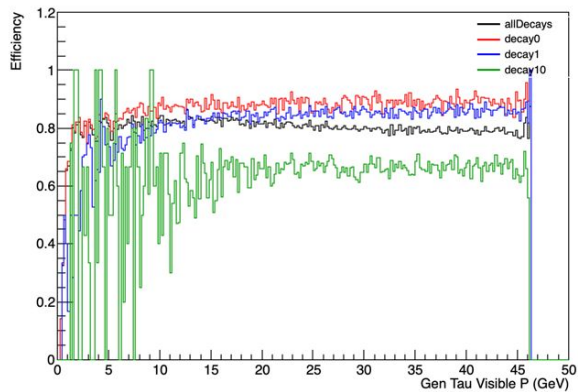
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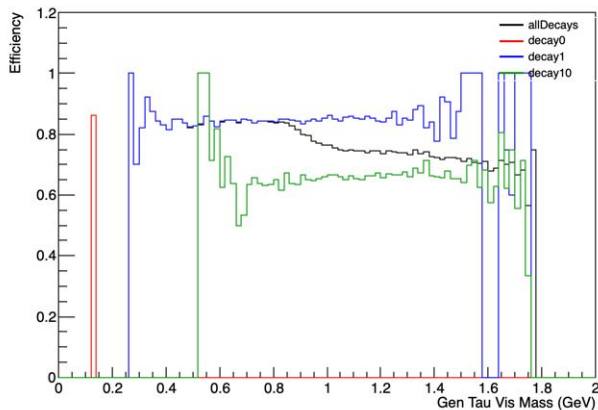
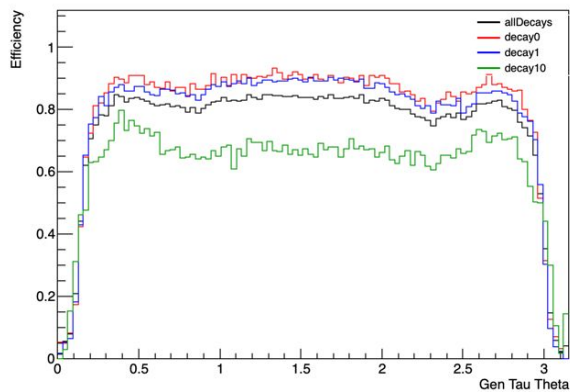
Reco (from PFO candidates)



Tau Reconstruction Efficiencies

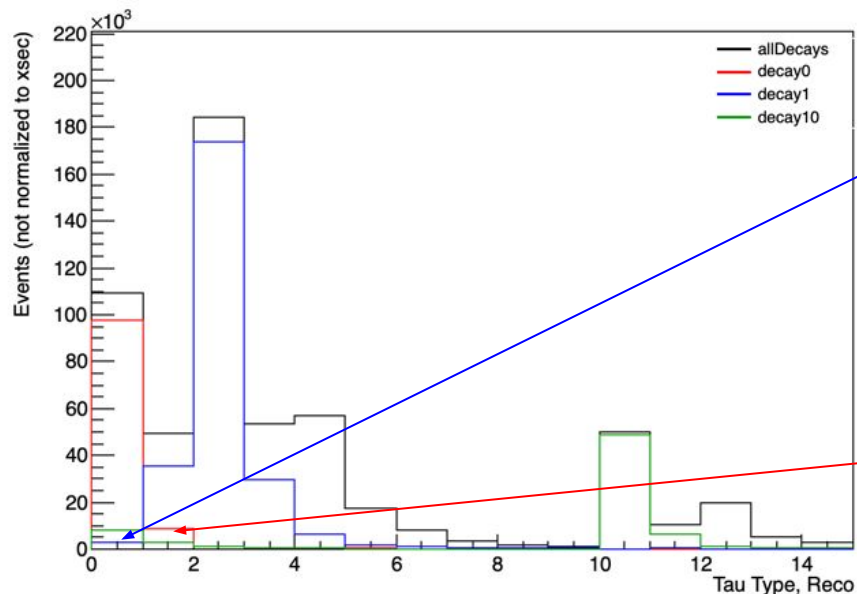


Efficiencies $\sim 80\%$ for tau reconstruction (here not checking the migration between categories, just total reco efficiency)



Note lower efficiency for the 3h case

Migration?



Very small fraction of Tau \rightarrow Rho (labelled as decay1 at gen level, blue) that are reconstructed as DM0 at reco level (only 1 pion, no photons)

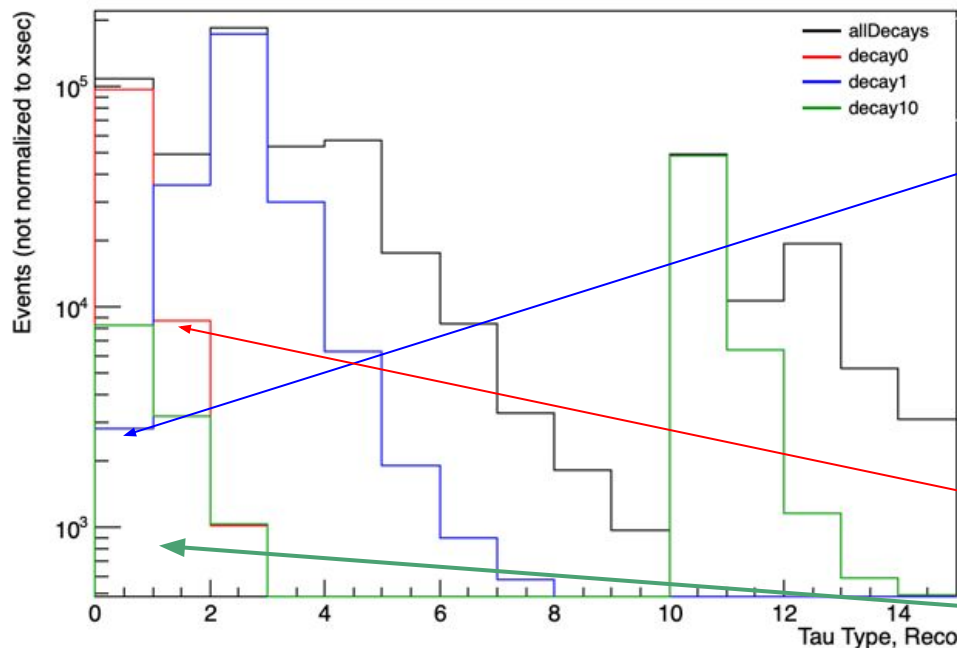
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Cases with 3 pions need some more investigation

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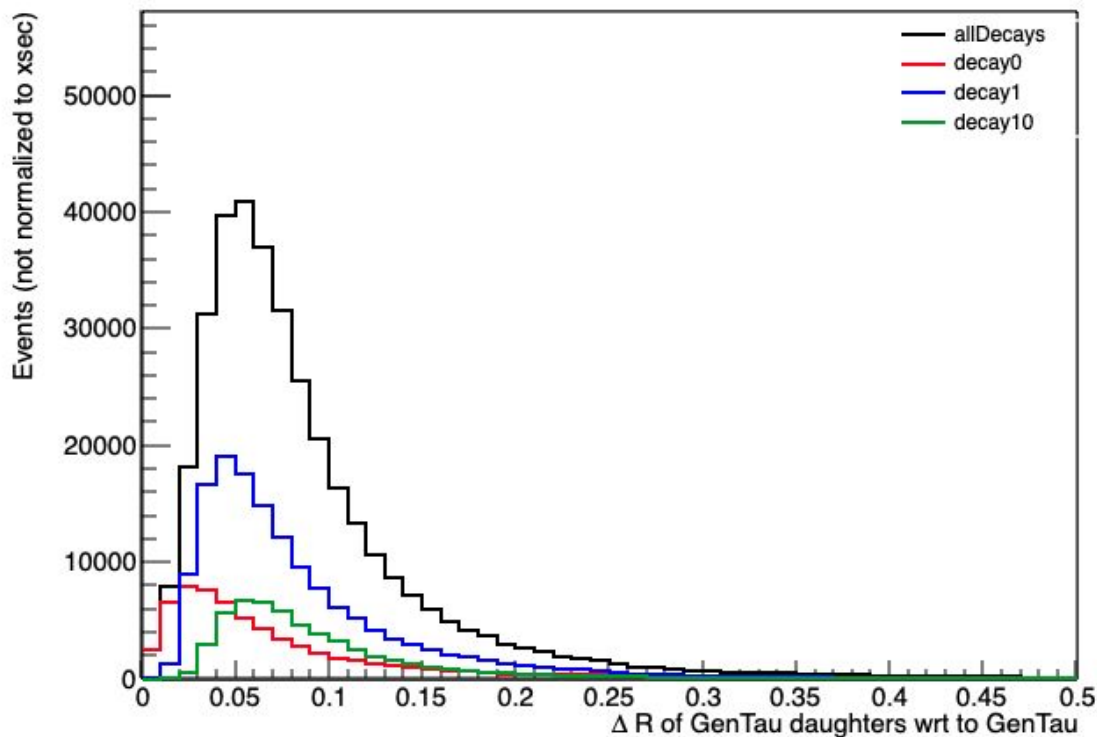
Understanding the efficiency & migration

Investigate Pion&Photon in PF:

- **DRAngle** of Tau Candidates (“Size” of the tau) → tuning
- **Min P of the Photon & Pion Candidates** ? → tuning
- **Why do we have missing Pions? Pandora / track Efficiency?**
 - First check: check PFO candidates
 - Spoiler: sizeable misidentified Pion→Neutron rate
 - Check SiTrack Efficiency
- Check Fiducial Volume ($|\cos \theta| < 0.95$?)
- Additional check to be done: right now using the ‘default’ PFO collection. Loose/TightSelected PFO collections exist, to be checked.

Angle of Tau constituents

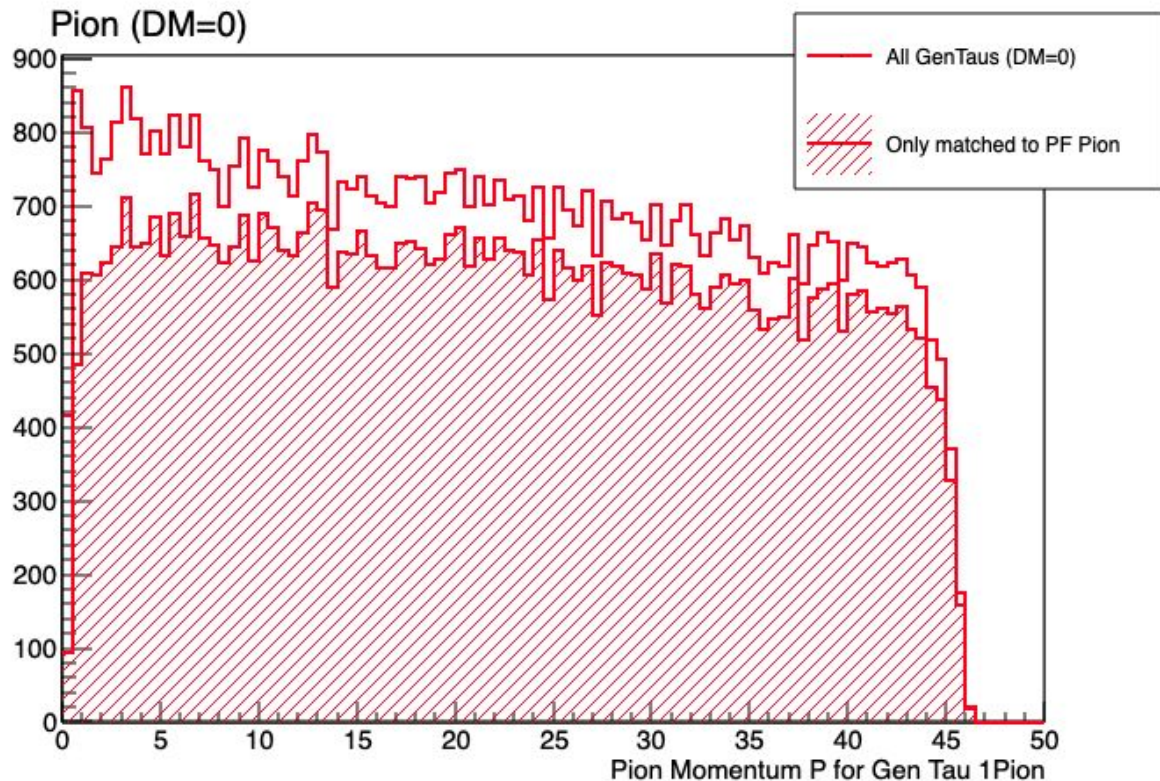
Angle of Tau Constituents



The DR (1.0) used in the previous slides is too wide \rightarrow Reconfigure to 0.4 or below

The 'Size' of the Tau is typically $<^{\sim}0.1$ (depends on DM)

Momentum of the Constituents: DM 0 (Pion)



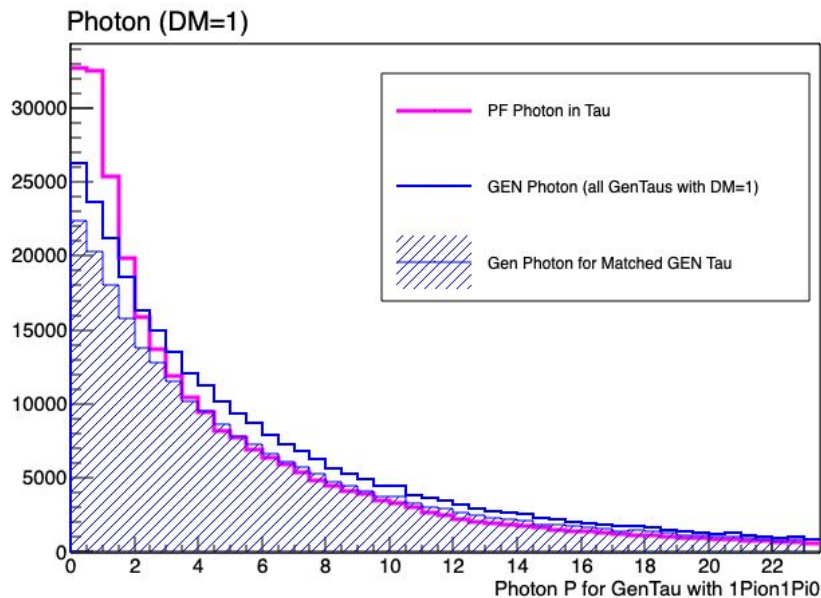
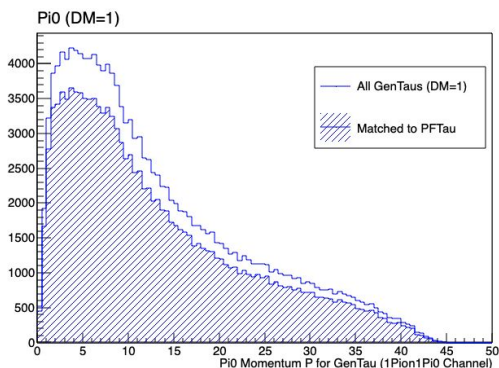
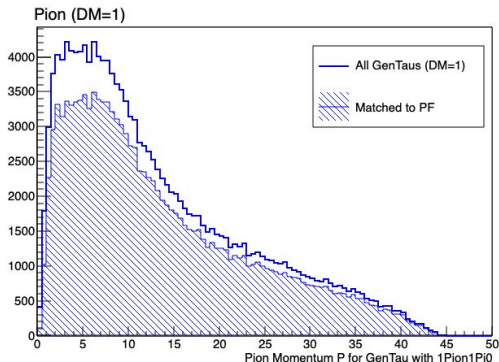
Rather flat

→ The efficiency loss does not depend on P, we lose high P Pions

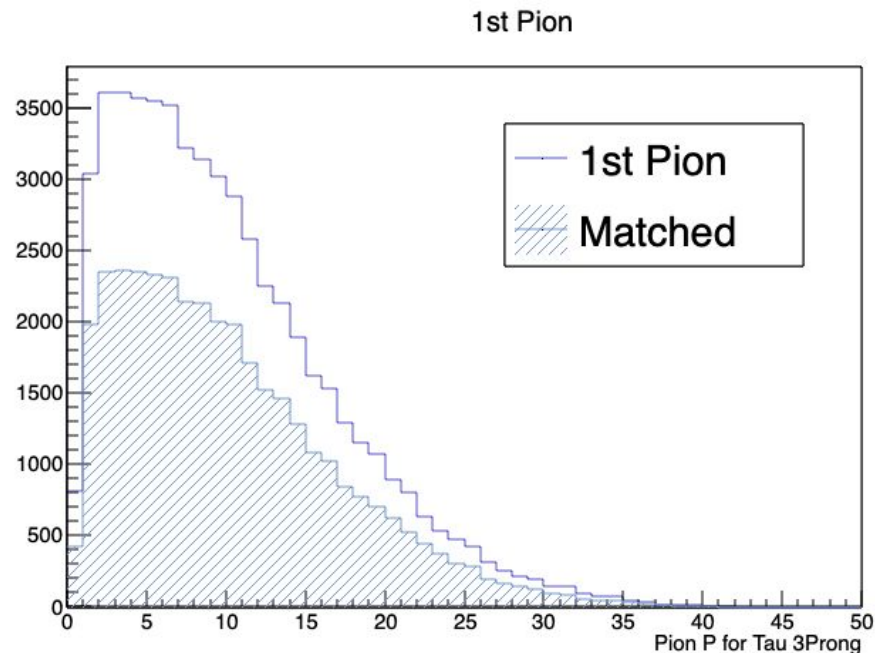
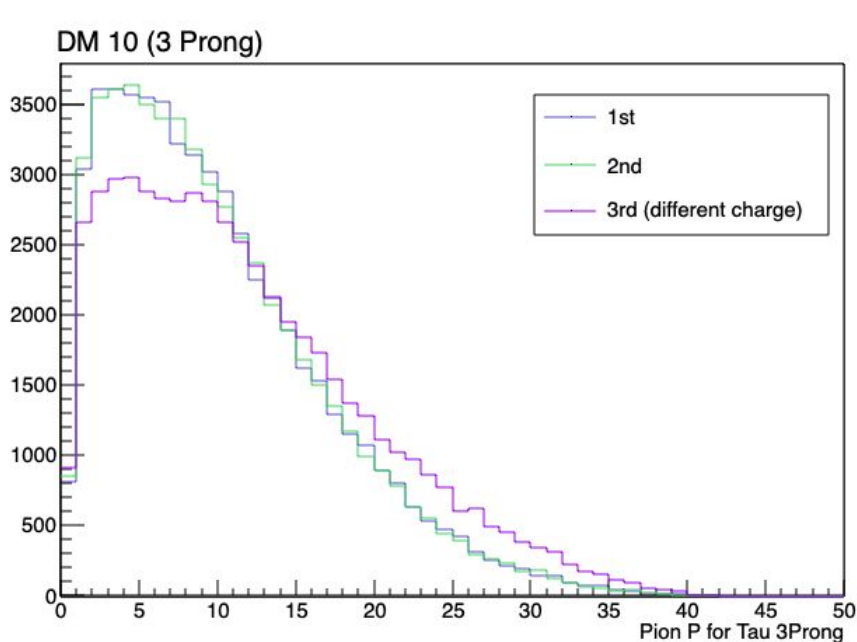
Momentum of the Constituents: DM 1 (Pion+Photon)

Pion: same message as previous slide

Photon: excess of low P photons at reco level → This can be cleaned with a cut.



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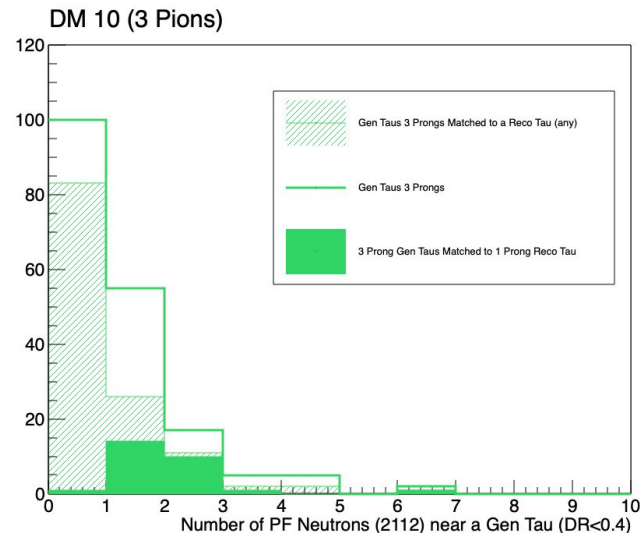
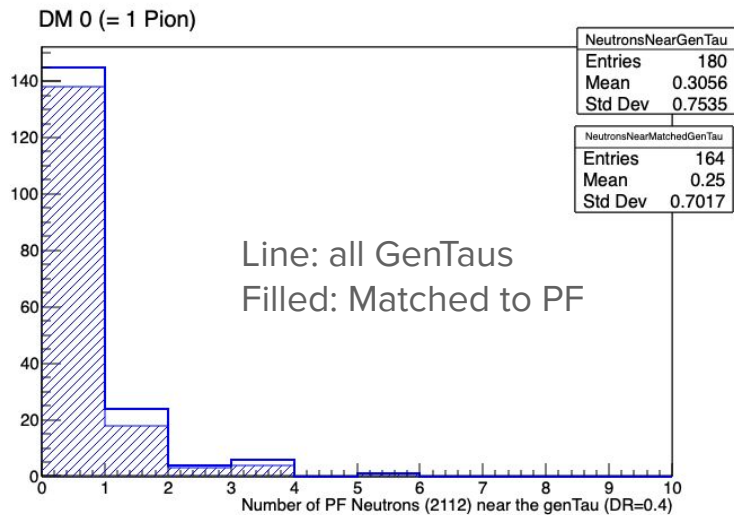


Since there is a efficiency loss per pion, and there are 3 pions here → larger effect
Why do we 'miss' these pions?

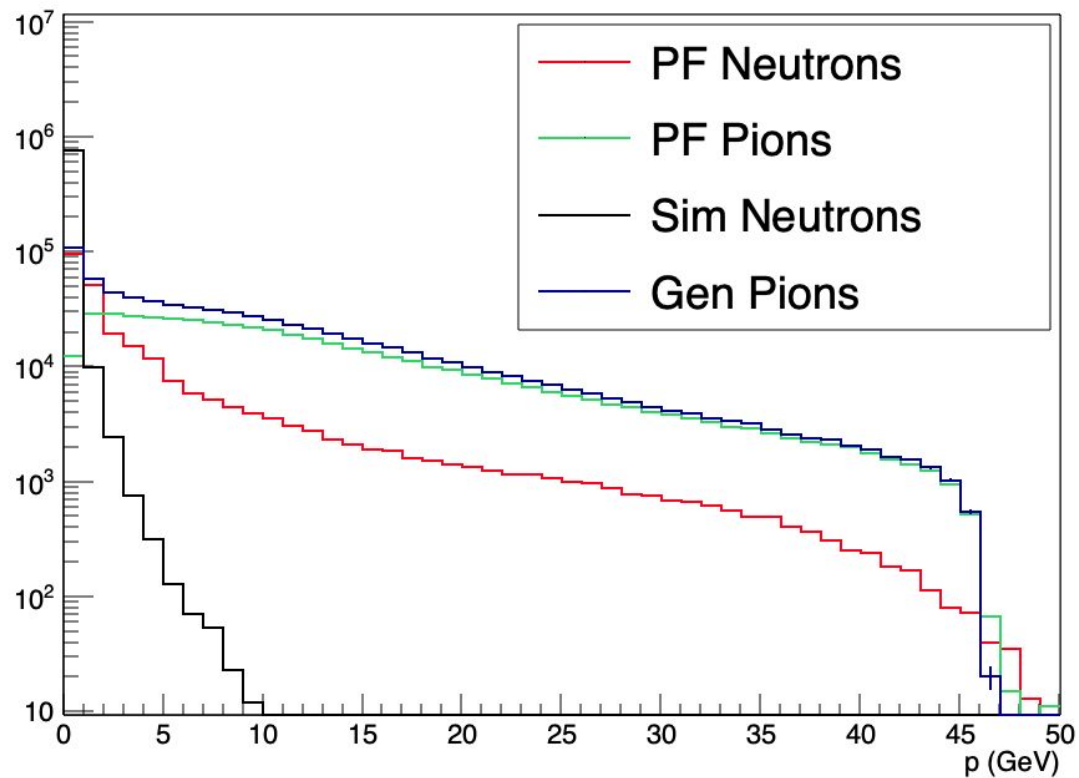
PF Neutrons within the Tau DR radius ?

Sizeable amount of high P neutrons can be found accompanying the charged Pions (inside the tau cone) → **pion gets misclassified as neutron?**

Note particularly visible in the '3Pion misidentified as 1Pion' class (filled green plot)



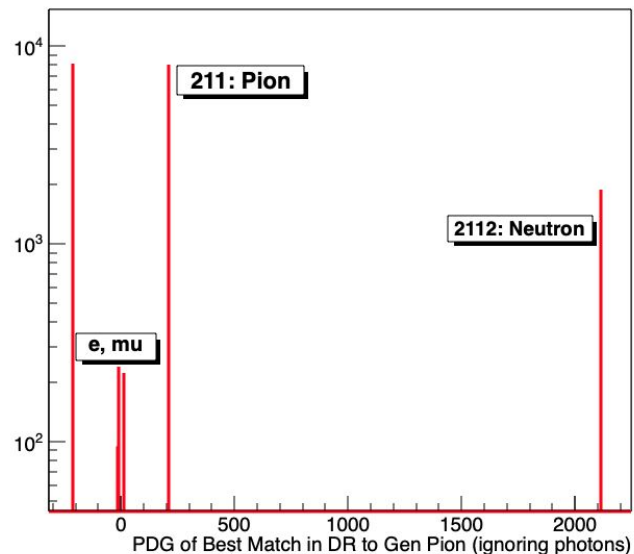
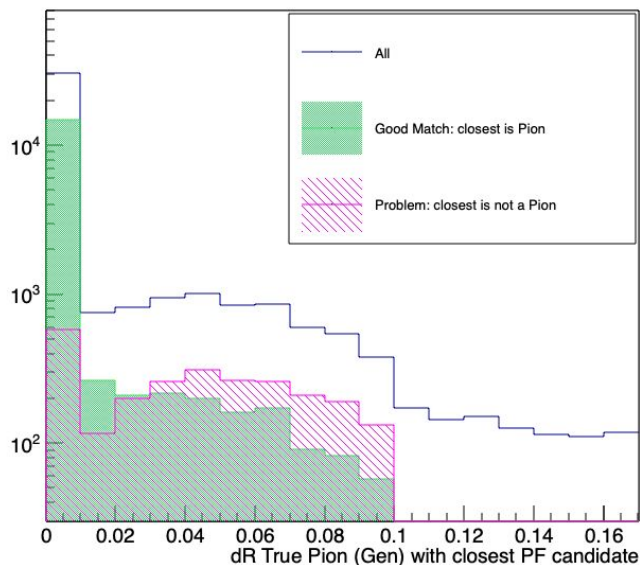
Neutrons? Gen/Sim vs PF?



Investigating the PFO collection

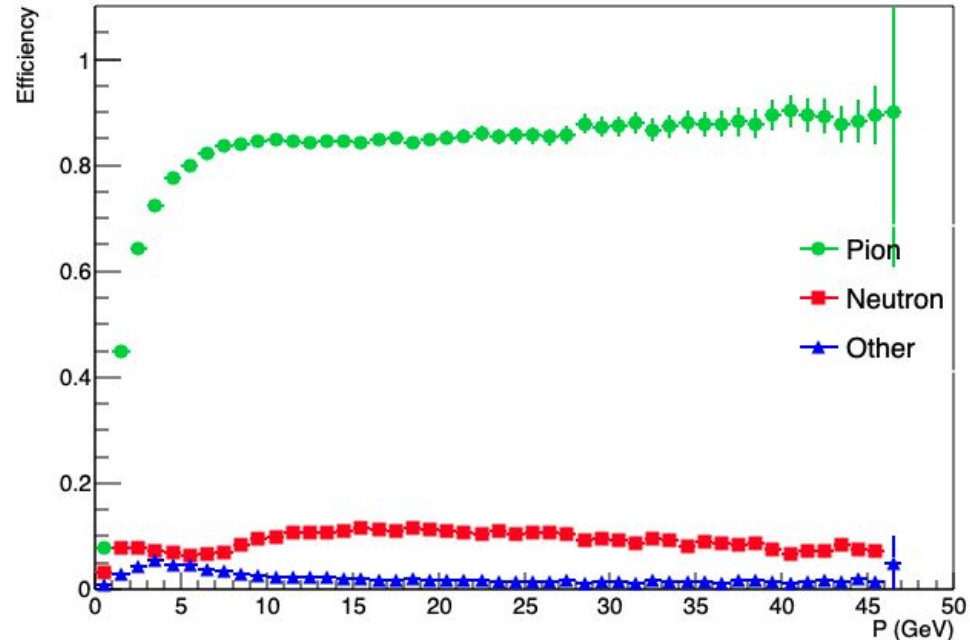
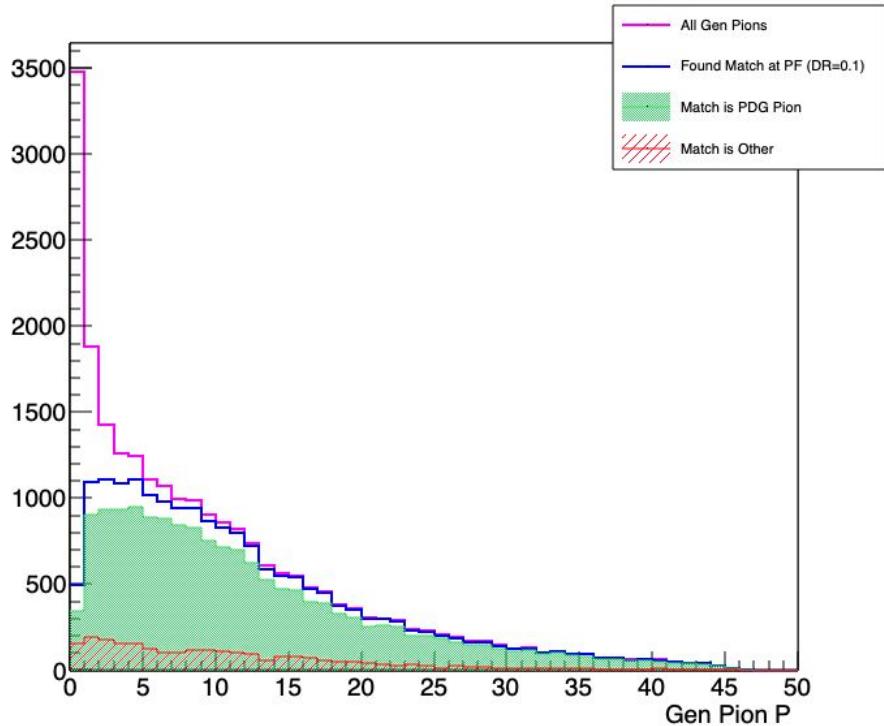
- ‘PF Efficiency’ → For each Generated Pion, loop over the PF candidates to find the closest particle in DR → check their assigned PF PDG Id (note: check both neutral and charged PFOs, but exclude photons)
- Within DR=0.1, PF identifies many Neutrons → Pandora is misidentifying Pions as Neutrons
- To be investigated further looking at the track collection that pandora uses (SiTrackRefitted) and the matching in pandora (in progress!)

Angle Best Match

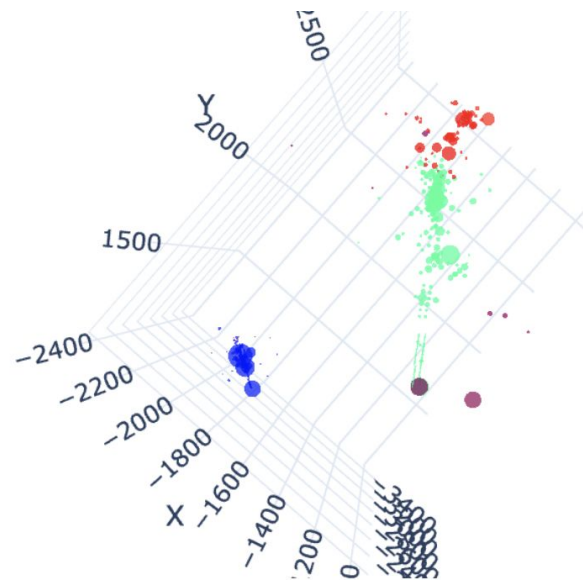
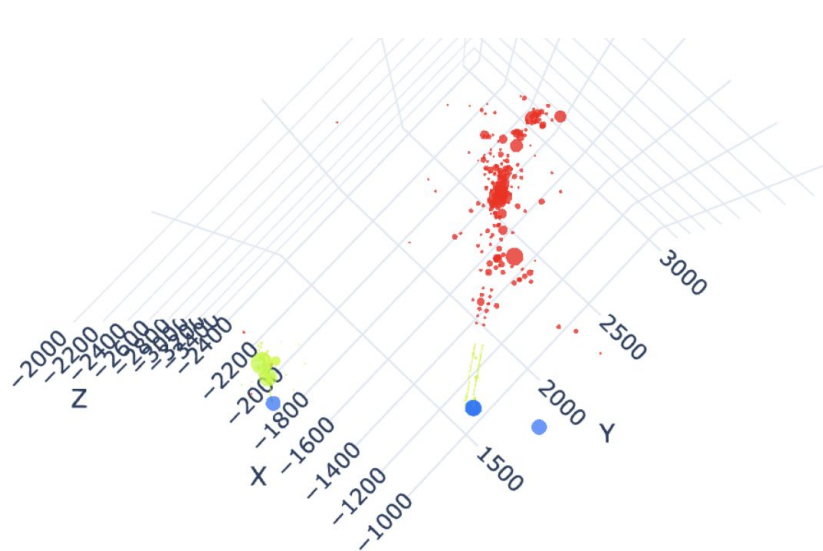


PFOs: Behaviour vs P

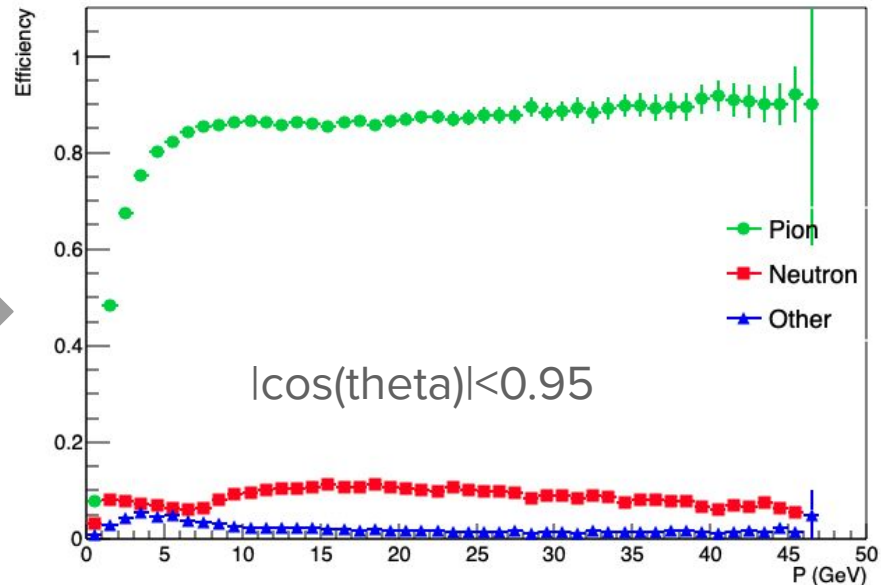
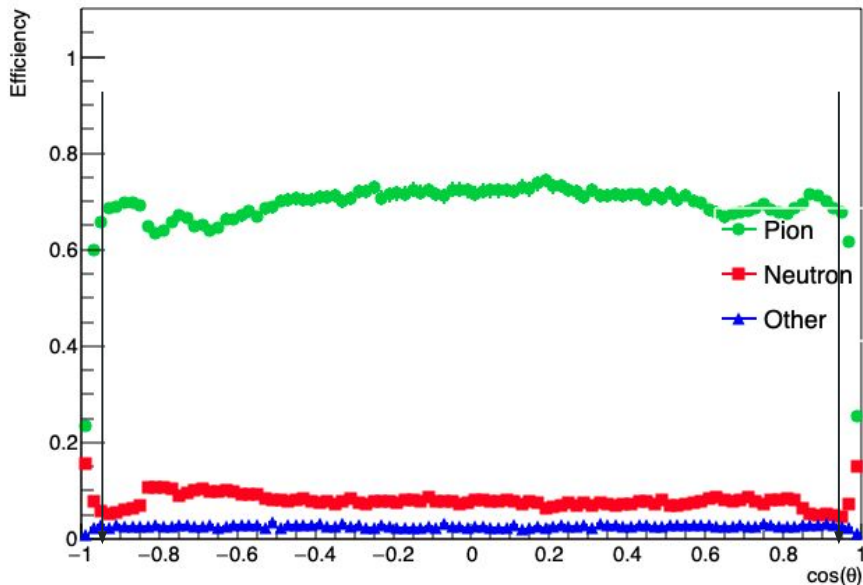
After the turnon \rightarrow Flat Plateau with
 $\sim 85\%$ efficiency (Gen Pion \rightarrow PF Pion)
 $\sim 10\%$ misID (Gen Pion \rightarrow Neutron/E/Mu within a 0.1 cone)
Note the P turn-on will affect 3Pion more than 1Pion



Example: event reconstruction of cases with missing PF Pions



Effect of fiducial volume?



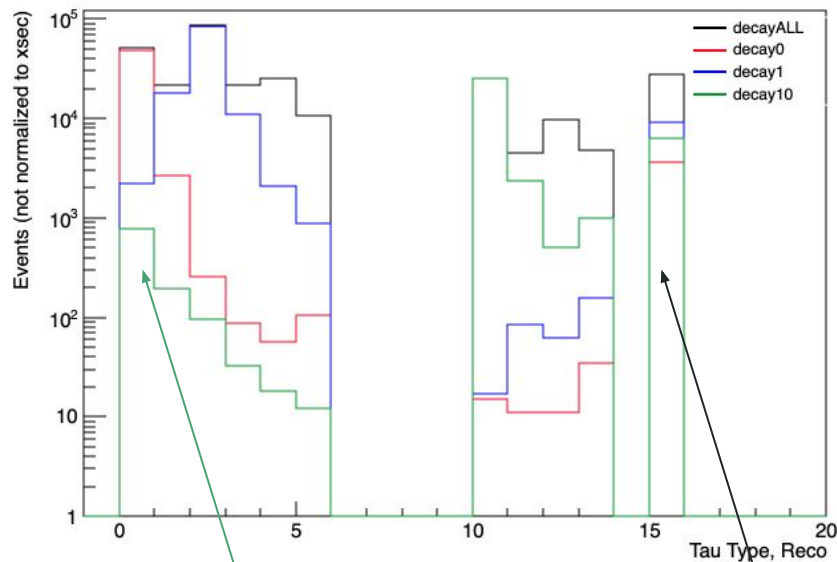
Remove $\cos(\theta) > 0.95$ from fiducial volume \rightarrow almost no change

How to mitigate this issue for 3Pion→1Pion?

The proper solution is to understand & fix the track efficiency

In the meanwhile, check for neutrons while building the tau candidate → cases with 1Pion+2 “Neutrons” can go into their own class → this cleans better the 1 Prong category

Careful: this affects the other decays, needs to be tuned.



Contamination of 3Pion in the 1Pion sample down

Cases with neutrons in the tau cone (DR=0.4). $P(\text{Neutron}) > 2$

dR=0.4

Misld Pions (Neutrons): P>1 GeV

No P cut on photons/pions

ID: Migration matrix

| Taus by ID Gen vs Reco | | Reco Taus | | | | | | |
|---------------------------|--------------|-----------|-------------------------------|---------------------------------|--------|---------------------------------|-----------------|-------|
| | | π | $\pi+\gamma$ $\pi+2\gamma$ | $\pi+3\gamma,$ $\pi+4\gamma$ | 3π | $3\pi+\gamma$ $3\pi+2\gamma$ | $\pi+$ Misld | Total |
| Truth | π | 76.2% | 4.6% | 0.2% | <0.1% | <0.1% | 5.6% | 86.7% |
| | $\pi+\pi^0$ | 1.5% | 67.9% | 8.6% | <0.1% | <0.1% | 6.0% | 84.0% |
| | $\pi+2\pi^0$ | 0.5% | 5% | 59.8% | <<0.1% | <<0.1% | 7.7% | 83.6% |
| | 3π | 1.4% | 0.5% | 0.1% | 46.3% | 4.4% | 11.5% | 66.9% |

Effect of Photon P

dR=0.4

Misd Pions (Neutrons): P>1 GeV

Min P Cut on Photons and Pions: 0.5 GeV

| | | Reco Taus | | | | | | |
|-------|-------------|-----------|-------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------|-----------------------------------|----------------|-------|
| | | π | $\pi+\gamma$ $\pi+2\gamma$ | $\pi+3\gamma,$ $\pi+4\gamma$ | 3 π | 3 $\pi+\gamma$ 3 $\pi+2\gamma$ | $\pi+$ Misd | Total |
| Truth | π | 77.8% | 3.1% | 0.2% | <0.1% | <0.1% | 5.6% | 86.9% |
| | $\pi+\pi^0$ | 2.4% | 69.6% | 6.4% | <0.1% | <0.1% | 6.0% | 84.9% |

Tested the effect on the migration of adding cuts on the P of the Photon&Pion → Interplay between $\pi+\pi^0$ and π channels.

Should be tuned more systematically, this is just a check. Secondary for now, the pion efficiency is the main problem for now

Summary

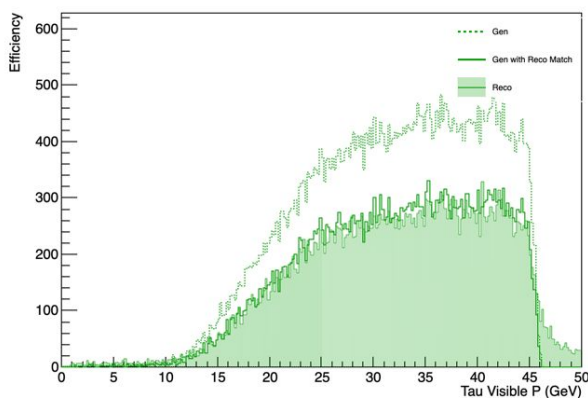
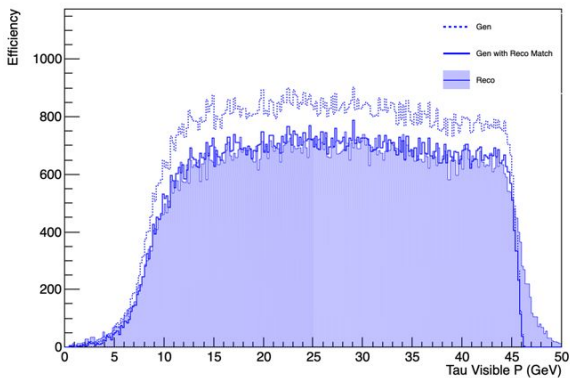
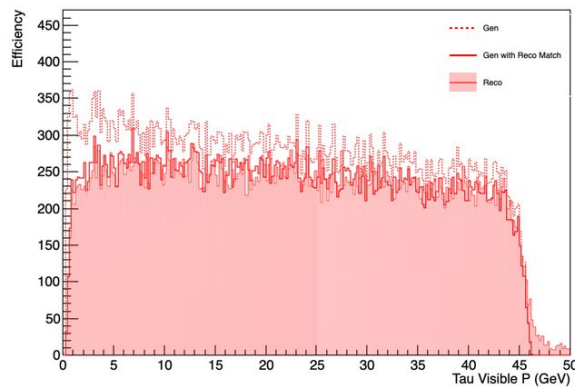
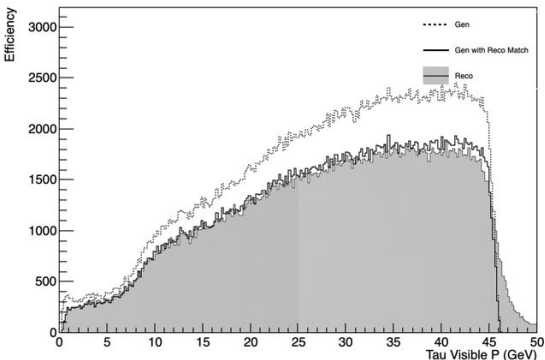
- First checks done with a ZTauTau Sample
 - Focusing on the phase space of taus in Z decays
 - **Comparison of gen to reco:**
 - Overall efficiency $\sim 80\%$. Worse for 3h decays.
 - Good mass/pt resolution, good agreement of reco variables to visible tau at gen level
 - Migration between categories \rightarrow Reco&ID efficiency is lower
 - $\sim 70-80\%$ for 1 Pion, $\sim 45\%$ for 3Pion \rightarrow too low
 - Efficiency loss driven by missing Charged Pions in PFO sample \rightarrow appearance of high P neutrons \rightarrow Misidentification of Pions as Neutrons. Missing track?
 - First looks at tuning.
 - For now, DR=0.4 (larger than typical size of tau).
 - Studying the impact of selection cuts on the photon/pion on the migration between rho/pion categories
 - **Main to do: investigate&improve charged pion identification efficiency**

Further steps

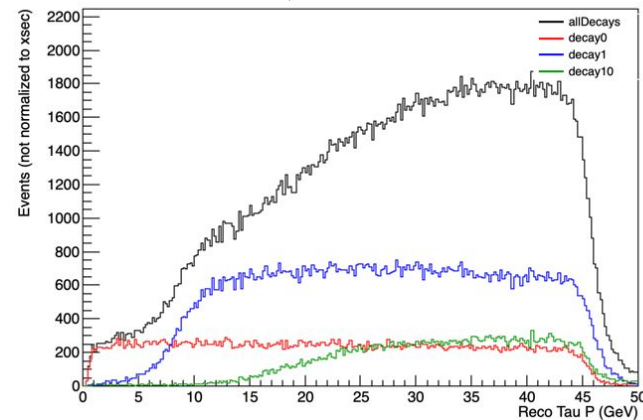
- In parallel to the reconstruction study, physics analysis to be done:
 - We need alternative polarization samples / templates to move from reconstruction to a polarization study
 - For this:
 - Checking Pythia8 implementation of polarization ([hep-ph:1211.6730](#))
 - Reweighting of current SM sample to build the templates (modelling thanks to J. Alcaraz) → should be possible to reuse the current Py8 sample
- Improvements in ML coming:
 - Move to the multi-class classification on the Z- \rightarrow tautau samples

backup

Tau Visible Momentum (P) Per Decay Mode



Reco (from PFO candidates)



dR=0.4

Misld Pions (Neutrons): P>3 GeV

No P cut on photons/pions

ID: Migration matrix

| Taus by ID Gen vs Reco | | Reco Taus | | | | | | |
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Effect of Photon P

dR=0.4

Misld Pions (Neutrons): P>1 GeV

Min P Cut on Photons and Pions: 1 GeV

| | | Reco Taus | | | | | | |
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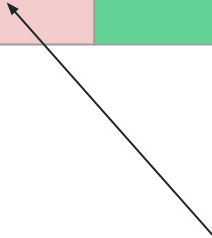
Effect of Photon P

dR=0.4

Misld Pions (Neutrons): P>1 GeV

Min P Cut on Photons and Pions: 2 GeV

| | | Reco Taus | | | | | | |
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| Truth | π | 81.8% | 1.9% | 0.1% | <0.1% | <0.1% | 3.1% | 87.1% |
| | $\pi+\pi^0$ | 10.4% | 68.9% | 3.1% | <0.1% | <0.1% | 2.9% | 85.5% |



Just to check the effect

LEP Fiducial Cuts

Table 2.1

Ideal acceptances, selection efficiencies^a and background contribution at the peak of the resonance (1994 data)

| | ALEPH | DELPHI | L3 | OPAL |
|-----------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------|
| <i>q\bar{q} Final state</i> | | | | |
| Acceptance | $s'/s > 0.01$ | $s'/s > 0.01$ | $s'/s > 0.01$ | $s'/s > 0.01$ |
| Efficiency (%) | 99.1 | 94.8 | 99.3 | 99.5 |
| Background (%) | 0.7 | 0.5 | 0.3 | 0.3 |
| <i>e⁺e⁻ Final state</i> | | | | |
| Acceptance | $-0.9 < \cos \theta < 0.7$ $s' > 4m_\tau^2$ | $ \cos \theta < 0.72$ $\eta < 10^\circ$ | $ \cos \theta < 0.72$ $\eta < 25^\circ$ | $ \cos \theta < 0.7$ $\eta < 10^\circ$ |
| Efficiency (%) | 97.4 | 97.0 | 98.0 | 99.0 |
| Background (%) | 1.0 | 1.1 | 1.1 | 0.3 |
| <i>$\mu^+\mu^-$ Final state</i> | | | | |
| Acceptance | $ \cos \theta < 0.9$ $s' > 4m_\tau^2$ | $ \cos \theta < 0.94$ $\eta < 20^\circ$ | $ \cos \theta < 0.8$ $\eta < 90^\circ$ | $ \cos \theta < 0.95$ $m_{\text{ff}}^2/s > 0.01$ |
| Efficiency (%) | 98.2 | 95.0 | 92.8 | 97.9 |
| Background (%) | 0.2 | 1.2 | 1.5 | 1.0 |
| <i>$\tau^+\tau^-$ Final state</i> | | | | |
| Acceptance | $ \cos \theta < 0.9$ $s' > 4m_\tau^2$ | $0.035 < \cos \theta < 0.94$ $s' > 4m_\tau^2$ | $ \cos \theta < 0.92$ $\eta < 10^\circ$ | $ \cos \theta < 0.9$ $m_{\text{ff}}^2/s > 0.01$ |
| Efficiency (%) | 92.1 | 72.0 | 70.9 | 86.2 |
| Background (%) | 1.7 | 3.1 | 2.3 | 2.7 |

^aThe lepton selection efficiencies given by the experiments were in some cases quoted with respect to full acceptance in $\cos \theta$; for the purpose of comparison, they were corrected to the fiducial cuts in $\cos \theta$ actually used in the analyses, assuming a shape of the differential cross-section according to $(1 + \cos^2 \theta)$.

The Monte Carlo generators are used to apply corrections at the edges of the experimental acceptance, and for small extrapolations of the measured cross-sections and forward-backward asymmetries from the true experimental cuts to sets of simple cuts that can be handled at the fitting stage. In the case of $q\bar{q}$ final states, this ideal acceptance is defined by the single requirement $s' > 0.01 s$, where $\sqrt{s'}$ is the effective centre-of-mass energy after initial-state photon radiation. The idealised acceptances chosen for each lepton decay channel vary among the experiments and are specified in Table 2.1. The results quoted for the e^+e^- final state either include contributions originating from t -channel diagrams, or the t and s - t interference effects are explicitly subtracted, allowing the same treatment of e^+e^- and $\mu^+\mu^-$ or $\tau^+\tau^-$ final states in the fits for the Z parameters.

Overview

First target: $A\tau$. Focus on π vs ρ channels, photon& π^0 identification / rejection

Second target: muon/electron vs tau discrimination (Ae)

Starting point: full simulation of single particles (π^{\pm} , π^0 , rho, muons, electrons) in CLD

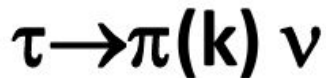
Two approaches: ML (based on hits, Graph) and heuristic (based on PFO candidates)

| Decay mode | Resonance | \mathcal{B} (%) |
|---------------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------------|
| Leptonic decays | | 35.2 |
| $\tau^- \rightarrow e^- \bar{\nu}_e \nu_\tau$ | | 17.8 |
| $\tau^- \rightarrow \mu^- \bar{\nu}_\mu \nu_\tau$ | | 17.4 |
| Hadronic decays | | 64.8 |
| $\tau^- \rightarrow h^- \nu_\tau$ | | 11.5 |
| $\tau^- \rightarrow h^- \pi^0 \nu_\tau$ | $\rho(770)$ | 25.9 |
| $\tau^- \rightarrow h^- \pi^0 \pi^0 \nu_\tau$ | $a_1(1260)$ | 9.5 |
| $\tau^- \rightarrow h^- h^+ h^- \nu_\tau$ | $a_1(1260)$ | 9.8 |
| $\tau^- \rightarrow h^- h^+ h^- \pi^0 \nu_\tau$ | | 4.8 |
| Other | | 3.3 |

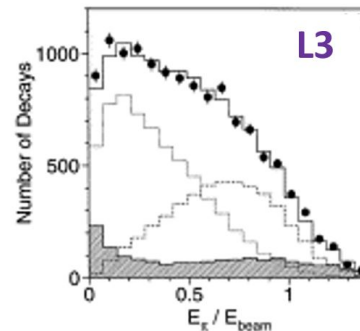
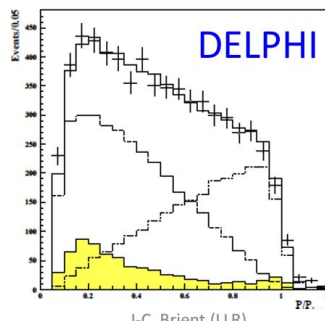
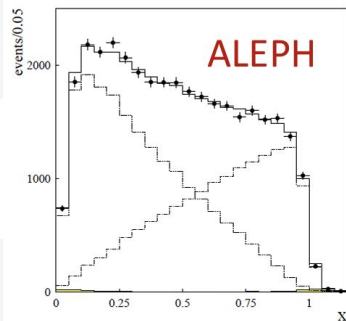
→ From LEP we know we can focus on the pion and rho decays

Notes from LEP

See J-C. Brient's presentation in [Krakow Physics Workshop](#) for a detailed discussion



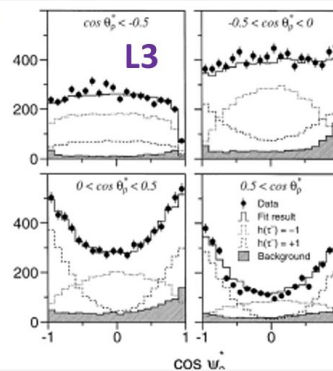
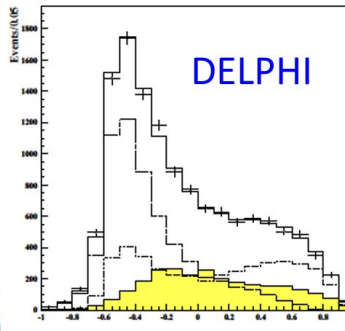
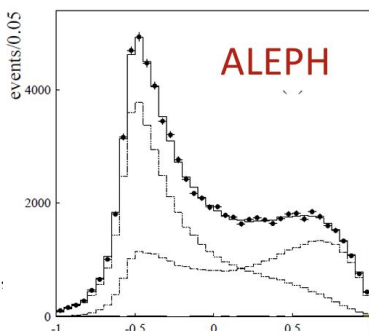
$$x_\pi = E_\pi / E_\tau$$



Effect of reconstruction on the templates?



$$\omega_\rho = \frac{W_+(\theta^*, \psi) - W_-(\theta^*, \psi)}{W_+(\theta^*, \psi) + W_-(\theta^*, \psi)}$$



Discrimination pion vs rho

Notes from LEP

Systematics errors estimation as a function of the source of the uncertainties

ALEPH

| Source | A_τ | | | | | | |
|---------------------|----------|--------|------|------------|------|-------|-----------|
| | h | ρ | $3h$ | $h 2\pi^0$ | e | μ | Incl. h |
| selection | - | 0.01 | - | - | 0.14 | 0.02 | 0.08 |
| tracking | 0.06 | - | 0.22 | - | - | 0.10 | - |
| → ECAL scale | 0.15 | 0.11 | 0.21 | 1.10 | 0.47 | - | - |
| → PID | 0.15 | 0.06 | 0.04 | 0.01 | 0.07 | 0.07 | 0.18 |
| → misid. | 0.05 | - | - | - | 0.08 | 0.03 | 0.05 |
| → photon | 0.22 | 0.24 | 0.37 | 0.22 | - | - | - |
| → non- τ back. | 0.19 | 0.08 | 0.05 | 0.18 | 0.54 | 0.67 | 0.15 |
| τ BR | 0.09 | 0.04 | 0.10 | 0.26 | 0.03 | 0.03 | 0.78 |
| modelling | - | - | 0.70 | 0.70 | - | - | 0.09 |
| MC stat | 0.30 | 0.26 | 0.49 | 0.63 | 0.61 | 0.63 | 0.26 |
| TOTAL | 0.49 | 0.38 | 1.00 | 1.52 | 0.96 | 0.93 | 0.87 |

| Source | A_e | | | | | | |
|---------------------|-------|--------|------|------------|------|-------|-----------|
| | h | ρ | $3h$ | $h 2\pi^0$ | e | μ | Incl. h |
| tracking | 0.04 | - | - | - | - | 0.05 | - |
| → non- τ back. | 0.11 | 0.09 | 0.04 | 0.22 | 0.91 | 0.24 | 0.17 |
| modelling | - | - | 0.40 | 0.40 | - | - | - |
| TOTAL | 0.12 | 0.09 | 0.40 | 0.47 | 0.91 | 0.25 | 0.17 |

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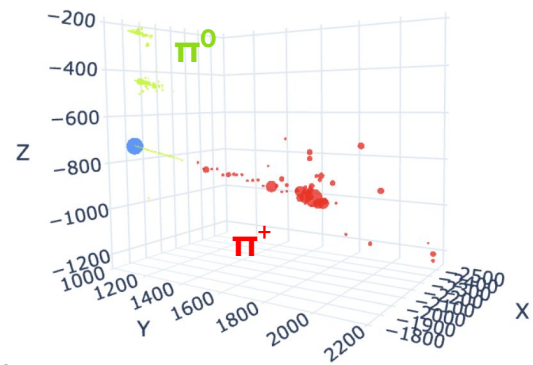
| experiments | \mathcal{A}_τ (x100) |
|-------------|---------------------------------------------|
| ALEPH | $14.51 \pm 0.52 \pm 0.29$ |
| DELPHI | $13.59 \pm 0.79 \pm 0.55$ |
| L3 | $14.76 \pm 0.88 \pm 0.62$ |
| OPAL | $14.56 \pm 0.76 \pm 0.57$ |
| Combined | $14.39 \pm 0.35 \pm 0.26$ |

At FCC Dominated by systematics

Full simulation of CLD samples

Data available @ [/eos/experiment/fcc/ee/datasets/mlpf/condor/train/single_particles_flat/*_1/](#)

- Gun hepmc
 - 0-50 GeV (uniformly distributed in energy)
 - 1 particle per event (π or ρ)
 - Random angle in the detector
- CLD simulation and reconstruction [1]
- Inputs to the ML approach:
 - All ECAL and HCAL hits and the [track state at calorimeter](#) (4)
 - Hits inputs are (x,y,z) coordinates in the detector, energy
 - Track inputs (x,y,z), p
- Input to heuristic analysis: particle flow reconstruction (with pandora)
- **NEW: Now using ZTauTau sample**

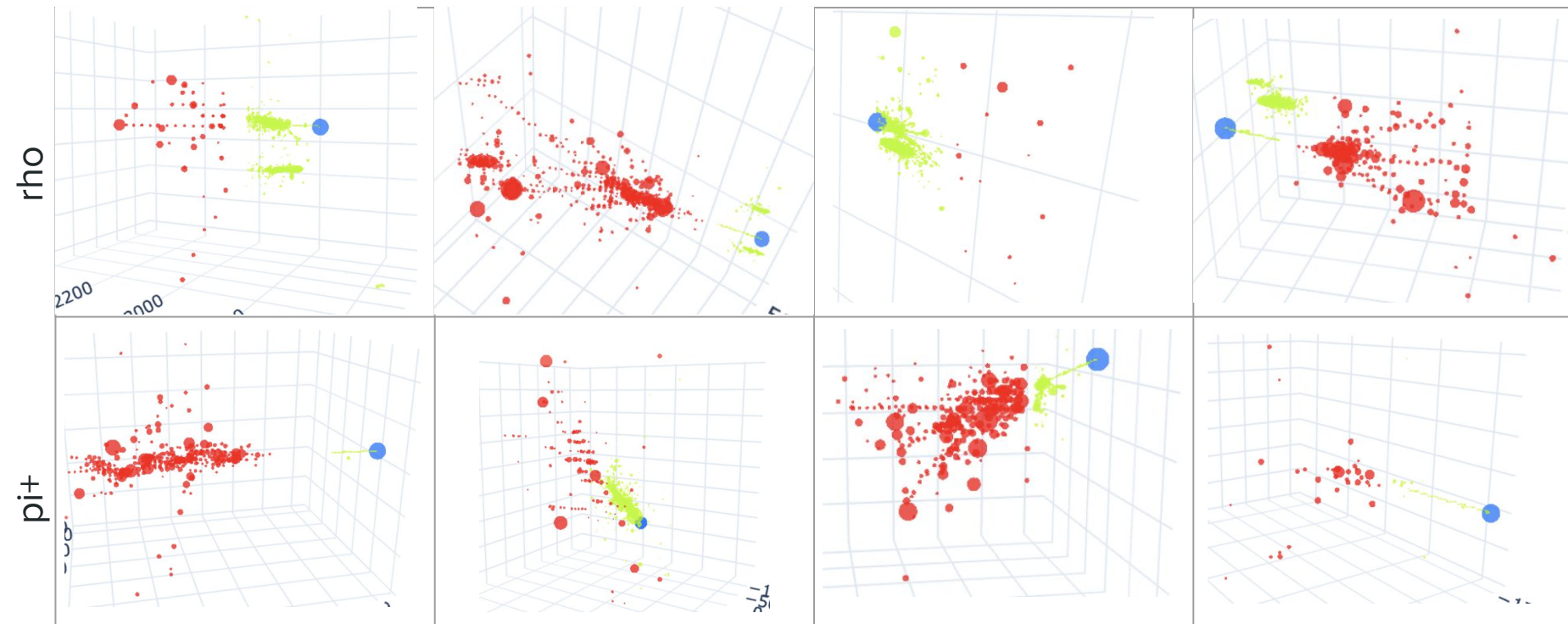


Example rho event. Track (blue), ECAL hits (green) HCAL hit (red). The size of the hits represents the energy deposit.

[1] <https://github.com/key4hep/CLDConfig/tree/main/CLDConfig>

Example events

Track (blue), ECAL hits (green) HCAL hit (red). The size of the hits represents the energy deposit.



Heuristic approach: Decay reconstruction (Pi/Rho Guns)

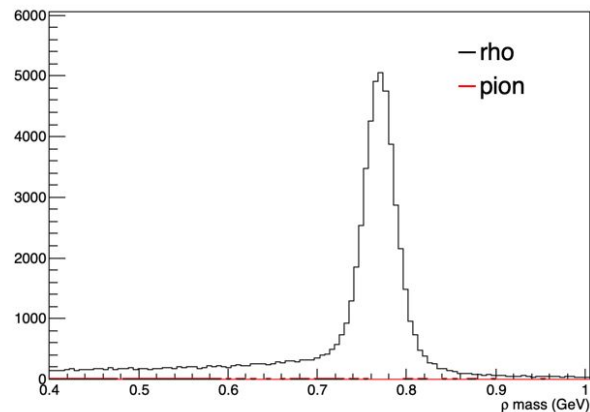
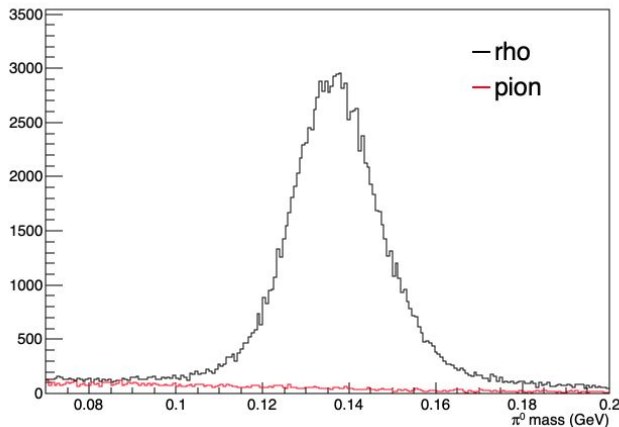
Target specific decays of the tau: identify the decay by looking at the particle flow candidates in the event (similar to the simple reconstruction presented last year, designed using Delphes)

Start directly from charged and neutral PFOs: charged pions and photons as elements for building the tau decay:

- Reconstruct Pi^0 (from pairs of photons) and Rho (clustering photons around the pion - allowing for only one photon to recover events in which either the two photons are very collimated or we have lost one photon)
- For now no pt/energy requirements on PFO candidates, and maximum distance photons and photon/pion $dR=0.1$

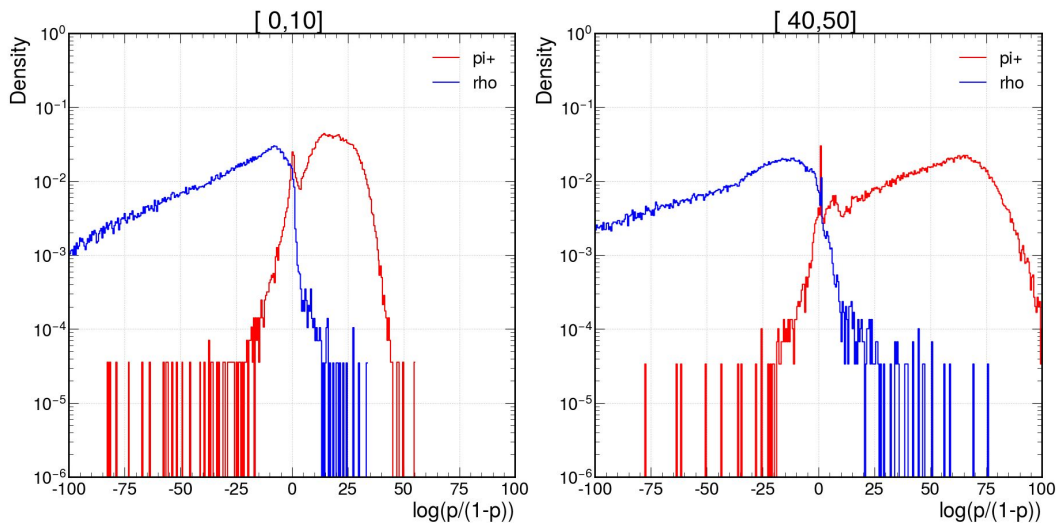
**Exclusive samples
of rho, pion+-**

Careful: arbitrary
normalization
(~100k events in
each samples)

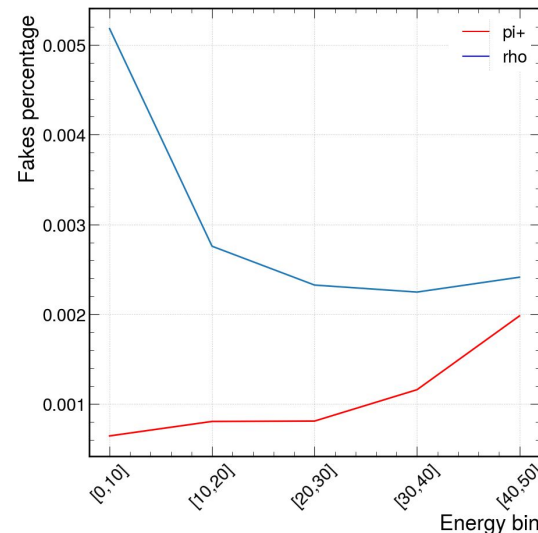


ML approach and results

- The GNN takes hits as inputs and outputs a score for rho and pi+



P= probability to be classified as pi+



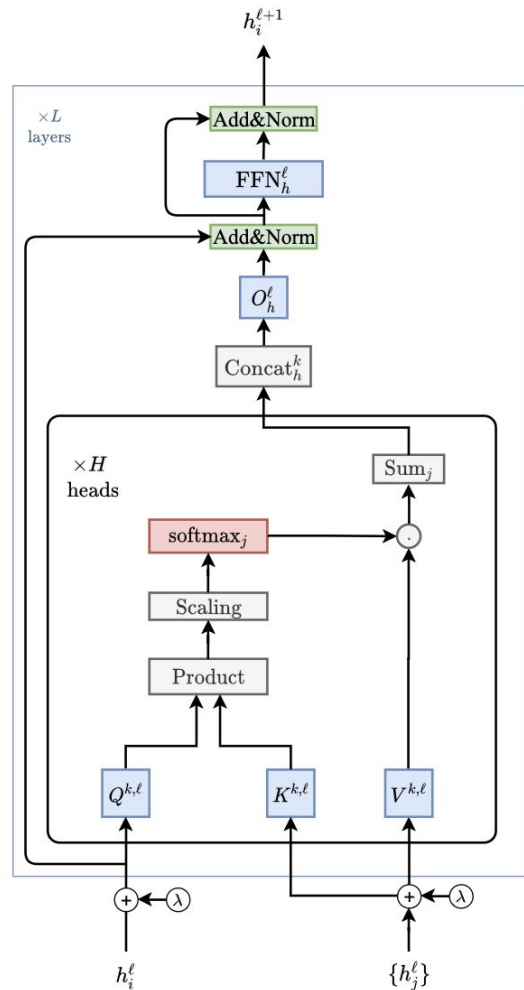
Mistag rate at 99% efficiency for pi+ (red), rho (blue)
Fakes percentage < 1% !

Reminder: Inputs to the ML approach: All ECAL and HCAL hits and the **track state at calorimeter** , Hits inputs are (x,y,z) coordinates in the detector, energy , Track inputs (x,y,z), p

Architecture

Graph Neural Network transformer

- Each hit attends to all other hits
- Graph is consider fully connected



Graph Transformer layer

1] <https://arxiv.org/pdf/2012.09699>