

The particle identification using BDT in the Semi-Digital Hadronic calorimeter

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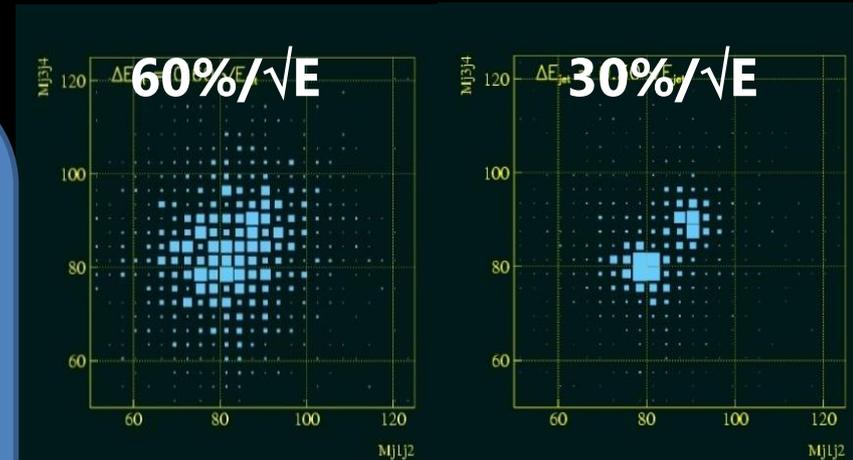
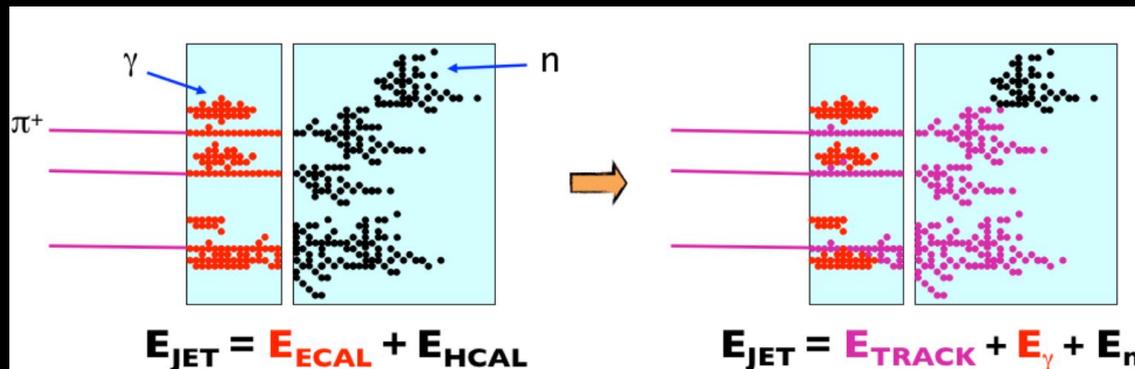
Outline

- **Semi-Digital Hadronic calorimeter (SDHCAL)**
- **Particle identification using Boosted decision tree (BDT)**
- **Conclusions**

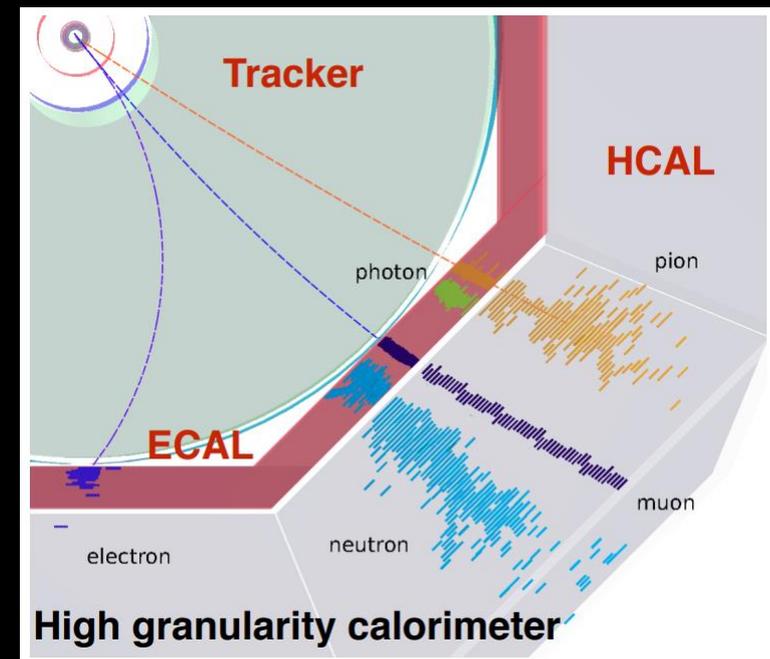
Particle Flow Algorithm (PFA) oriented Calorimeter

Particle Flow Algorithm: an algorithm that tries to reconstruct individual final state particle from the information recorded in detector.

- It can lead to measure jet energy accurately, and consequently improve the energy reconstruction and event identification
- High granularity needed

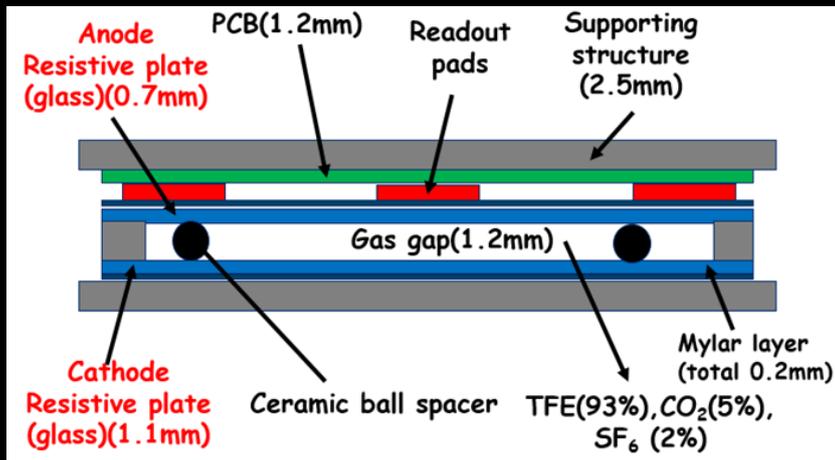


Simulation of W, Z reconstructed masses in hadronic mode.



SDHCAL prototype — Main features

Detector: **GRPC** (glass resistive plate chamber, 1 X 1 m²) operating in **avalanche mode**



1 × 1 cm² pads.

Semi-Digital readout, 2bits — 3 thresholds

→ Counts **how many** and **which pads** have a signal larger than one of three thresholds

Advantages of Resistive Plate Chambers:

- High efficiency
- Good Homogeneity
- Well contained avalanches
- Not expensive, robust, ...



Energy resolution

SDHCAL prototype — Main features

Embedded electronics:

PCB separated from the GRPC by a mylar layer (50 μm)

→ **Bottom** : 1 \times 1 cm² pads, one layer 9216 pads.

→ **Top**: 144 **HARDROC2** (**HA**dronic **R**pc **D**etector **Rea**Out **Chip**)



Absorber:

Stainless steel (20mm)

Surface planarity < 1mm

Thickness tolerance 50 μm



Stainless steel Absorber(15mm)

Stainless steel wall(2.5mm)

GRPC(\approx 6mm)

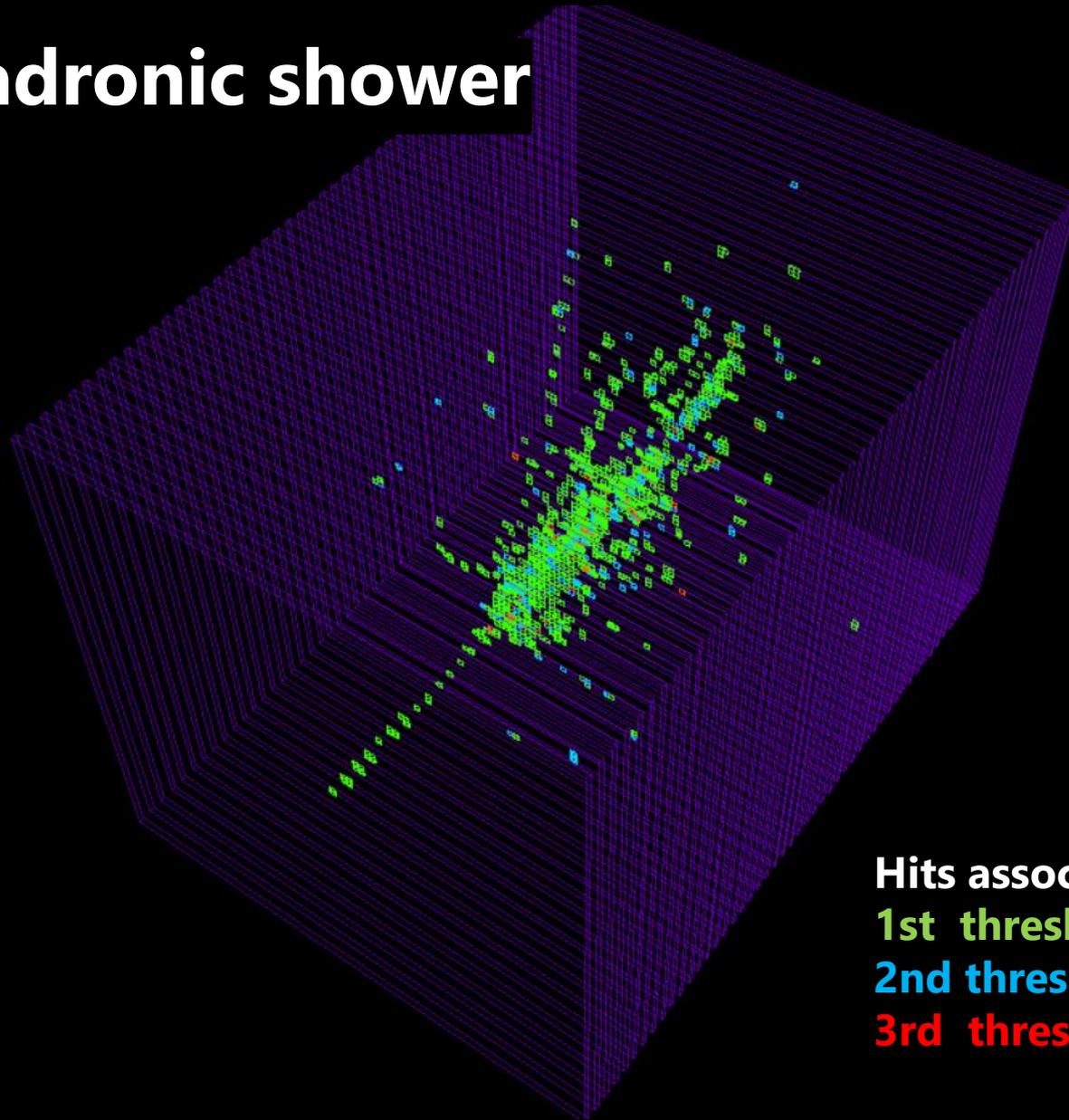
Stainless steel wall(2.5mm)

SDHCAL
Since 2011

SDHCAL prototype
Size: 1m x 1m x 1.4m
No. of layers: 48
Cell size: 1cm x 1cm
No. of channels: \approx 440K

TB: 2012, 2015, 2016, 2017 and 2018 with ECAL

Hadronic shower



Hits associated to:
1st threshold (110 fC)
2nd threshold (5pC)
3rd threshold (15pC)

SDHCAL prototype — Performance

$$E_{reco} = \alpha N_1 + \beta N_2 + \gamma N_3$$

→ N_1 = Nb. of hits with 1st threshold < signal < 2nd threshold

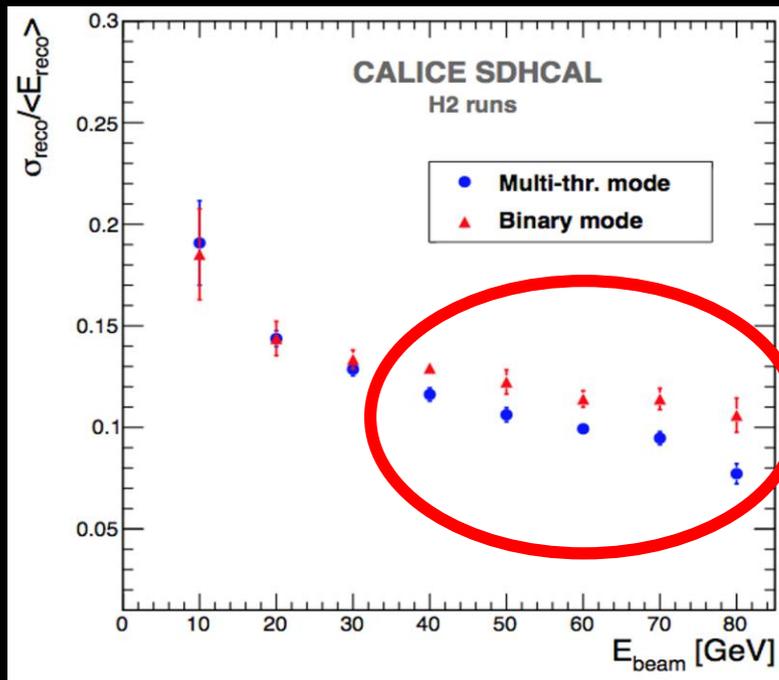
→ N_2 = Nb. of hits with 2st threshold < signal < 3rd threshold

→ N_3 = Nb. of hits with signal > 3rd threshold

→ $N_{tot} = N_1 + N_2 + N_3$

α, β, γ are parameterized as quadratic functions of N_{tot}

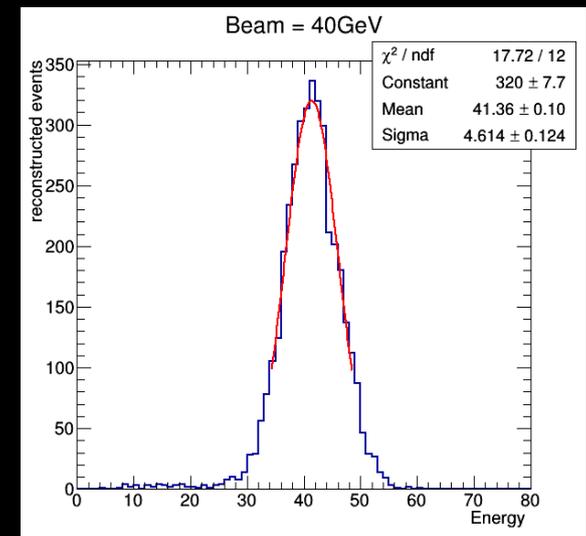
→ They can be computed by minimizing a χ^2



$$\chi^2 = \sum_{i=1}^N \frac{(E_{beam}^i - E_{reco}^i)^2}{\sigma_i^2}$$

$$\sigma_i = \sqrt{E_{beam}^i}$$

SDHCAL with 3-threshold results in better energy resolution than binary mode for $E_{beam} > 30$ GeV



PID with BDT

◆ Tool: Standard cuts, BDT

Standard cut: shower begins after 5 layer

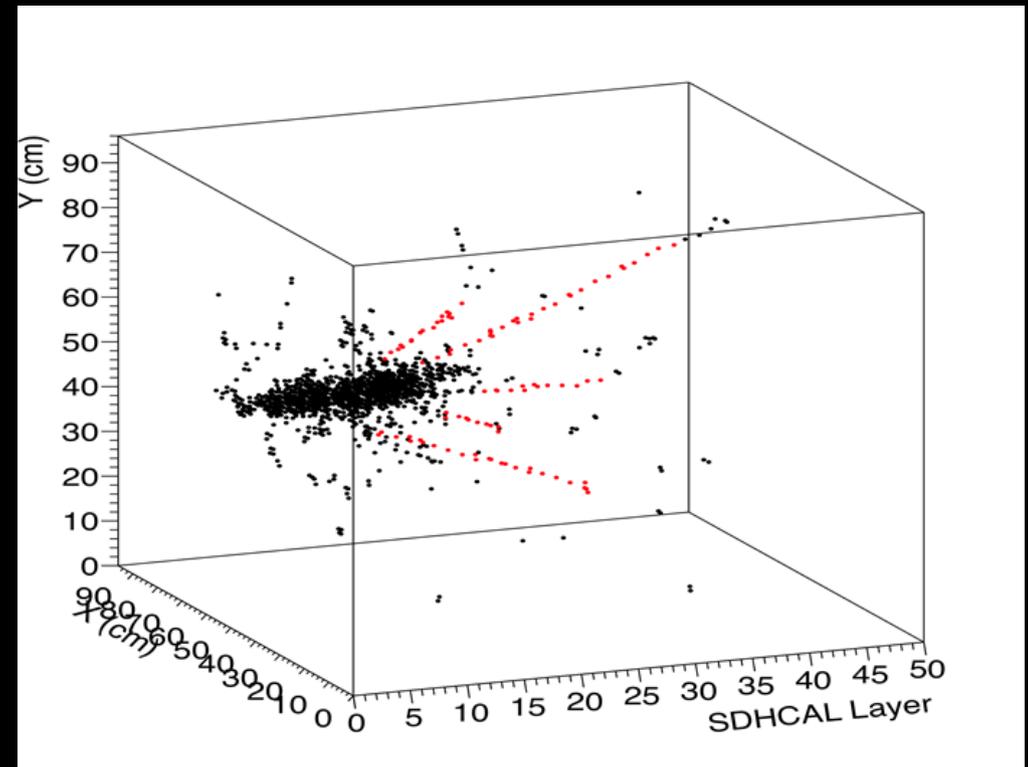
◆ TMVA package

◆ BDT 6 var Input:

1. First layer of the shower (**Begin**)
2. Number of tracks in the shower (**TrackMultiplicity**)
3. Ratio of shower layers over total fired layers (**NInteractinglayer/Nlayers**)
4. Shower density (**Density**)

5. Shower radius (**Radius**)

6. Maximum shower position (**Length**)

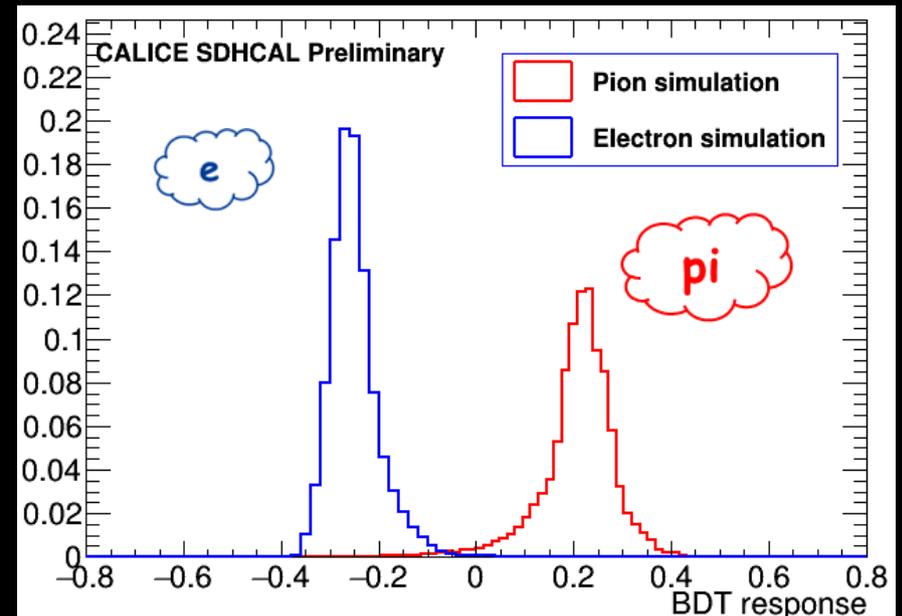
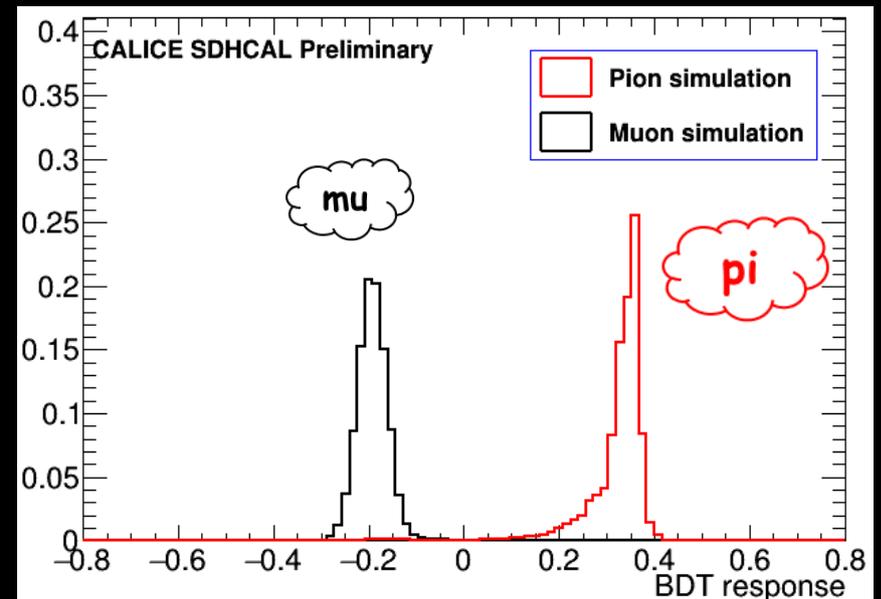


Strategy I: with MC samples training

Training phase

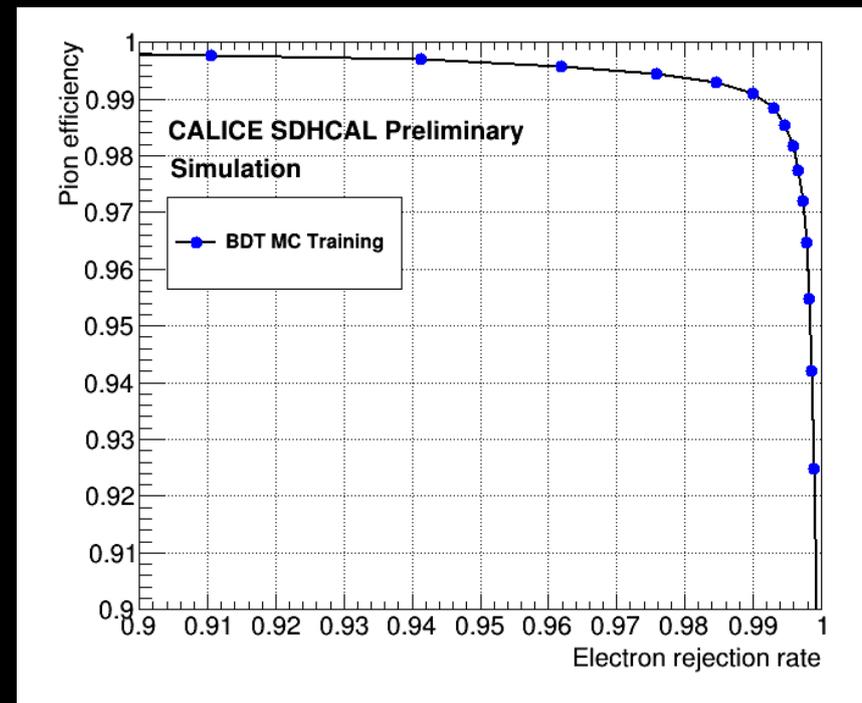
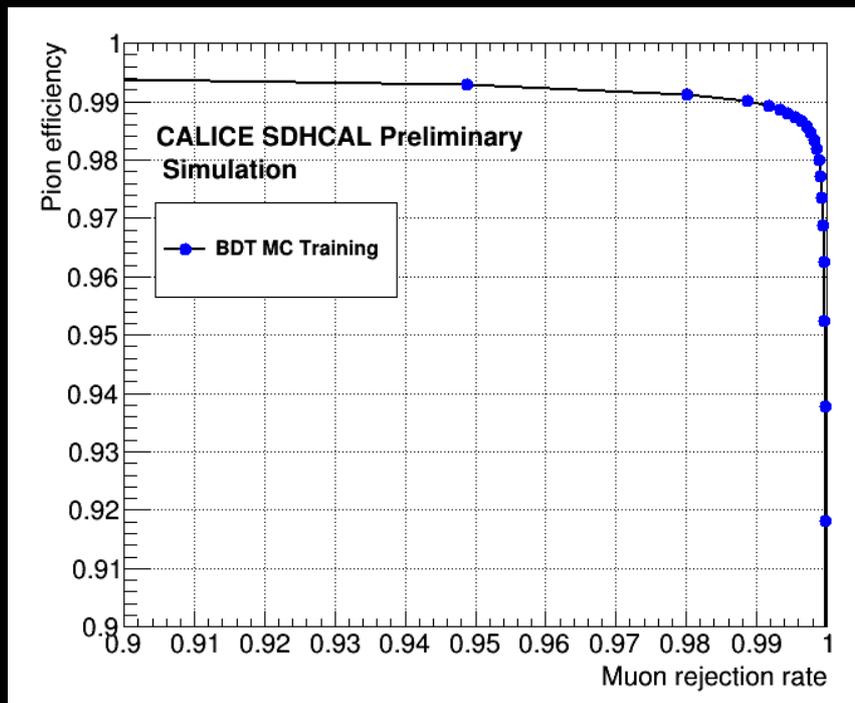
- ◆ **Signal:** 10000 simulated **pion** events for per energy point (10,20,30,40,50,60,70 and 80GeV)
- ◆ **Background1:** 10000 simulated **electron** events for per energy point (10,20,30,40,50,60,70 and 80GeV)
- ◆ **Background2:** ≈ 7500 simulated **muon** events for per energy point (10,20,30,40,50,60,70 and 80GeV)

Test phase: the same as training phase but with independent samples



PID: Performance

- ◆ Good **pi/e** and **pi/muon** separation
- ◆ High **pion efficiency** exceeding **99%** with electron and muon **rejection rate** of the same level (**>99%**)



PID: beam data validation

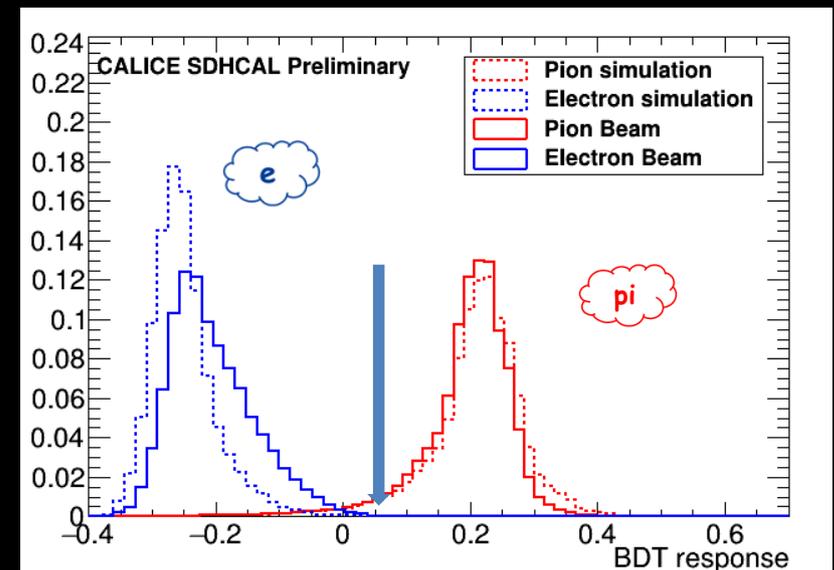
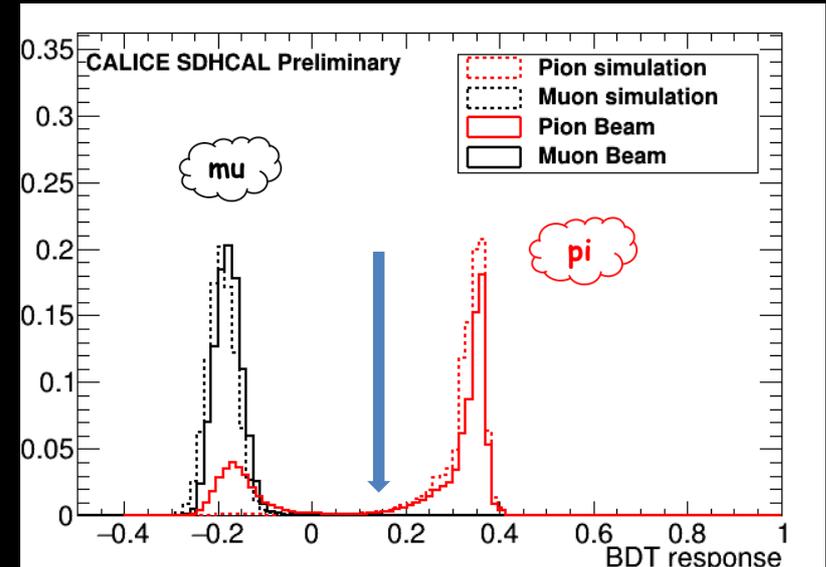
SPS 2015

◆ **electron** 10,20,30,40 and 50 GeV

◆ **Pion**

10,20,30,40,50,60,70,80 GeV

◆ **Muon** 110 GeV

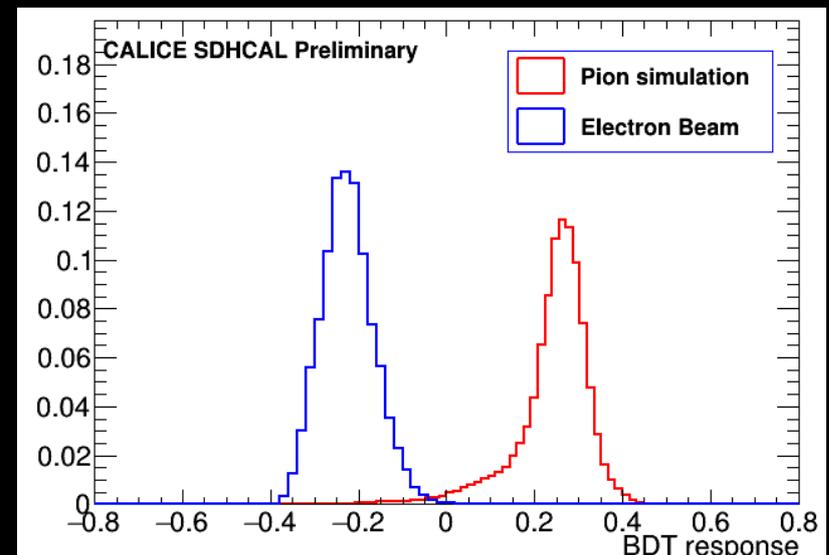
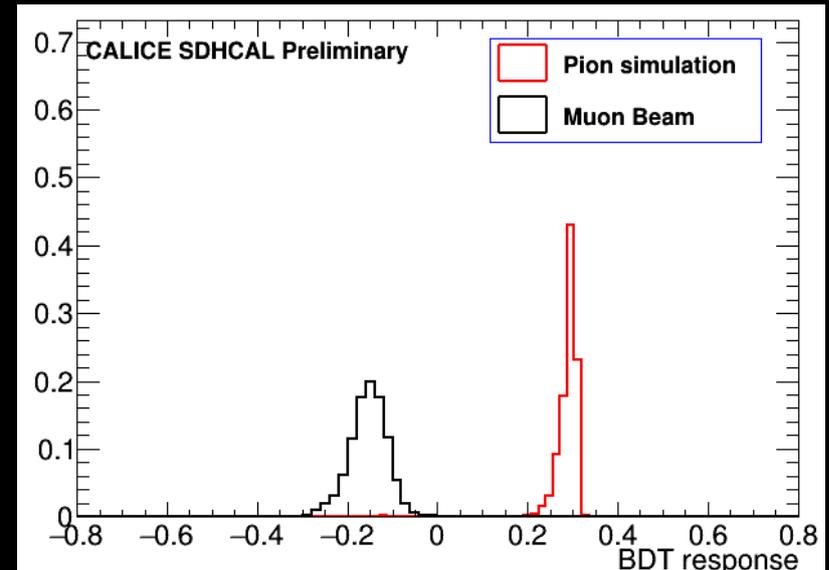


Strategy II: with data samples training

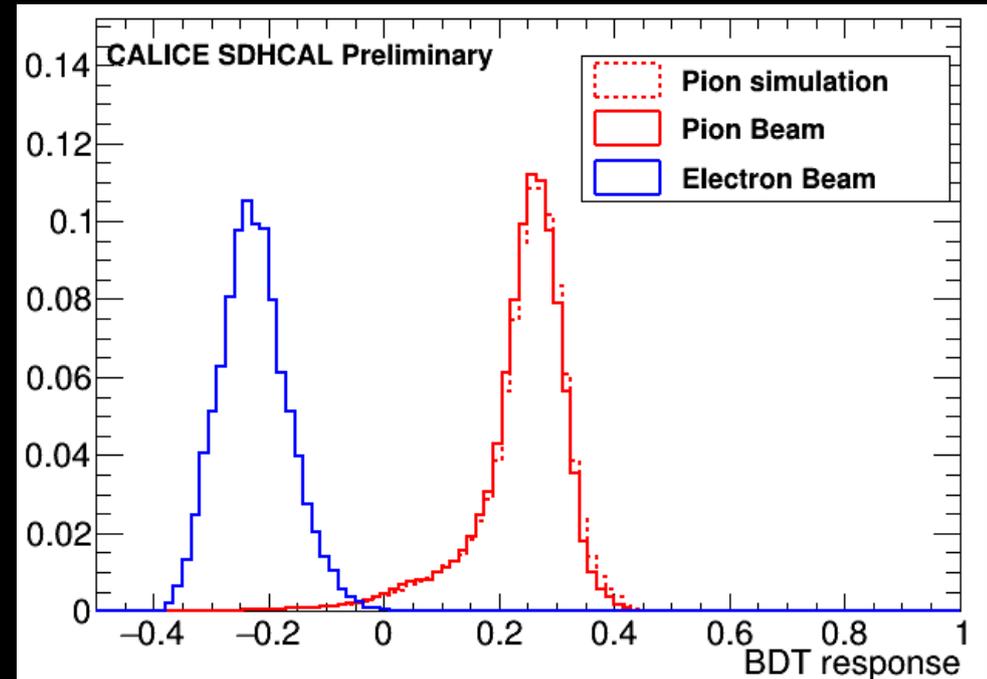
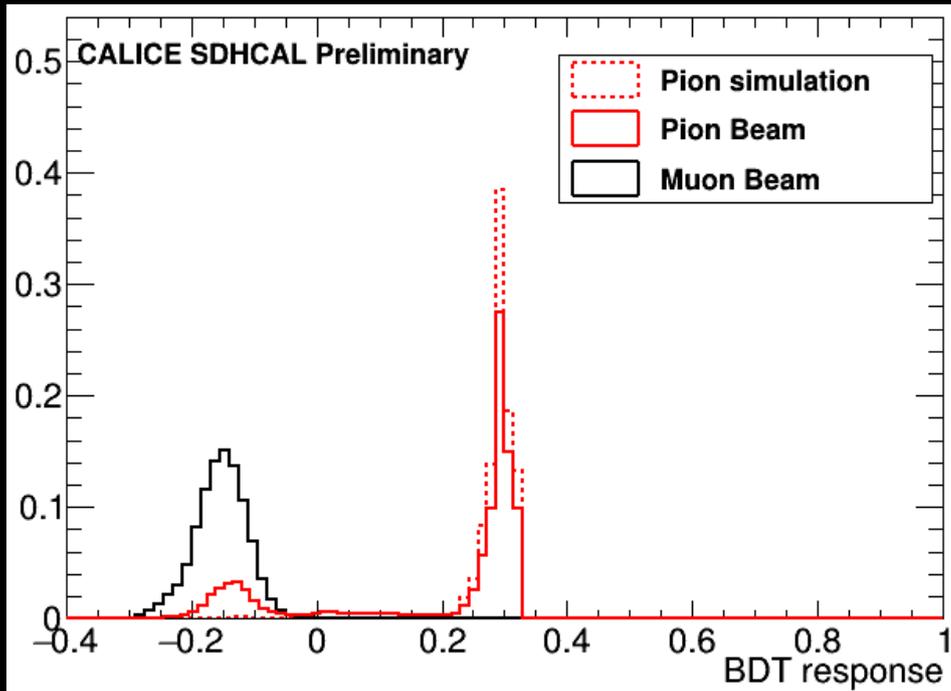
Training phase

- ◆ **Signal:** 10000 simulated **pion** events for per energy point (10,20,30,40,50,60,70 and 80GeV)
- ◆ **Background1:** 25000 beam **electron** events for energy 10,20,30,40,50 GeV
- ◆ **Background2:** \approx 25000 beam **muon** events for energy 110GeV

Test phase: the same as training phase but with independent samples

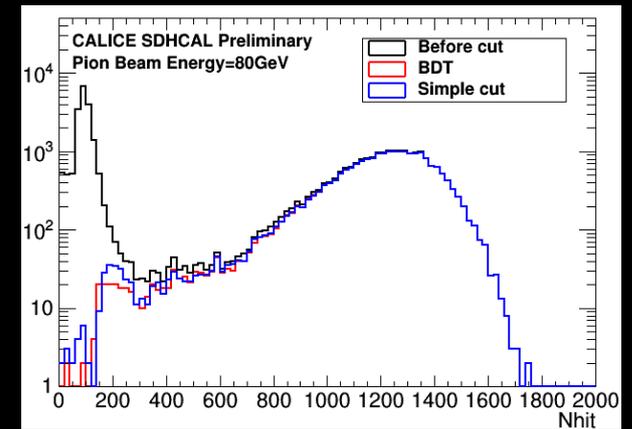
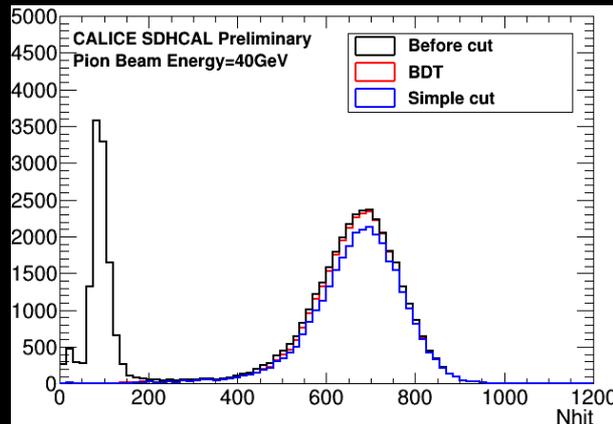
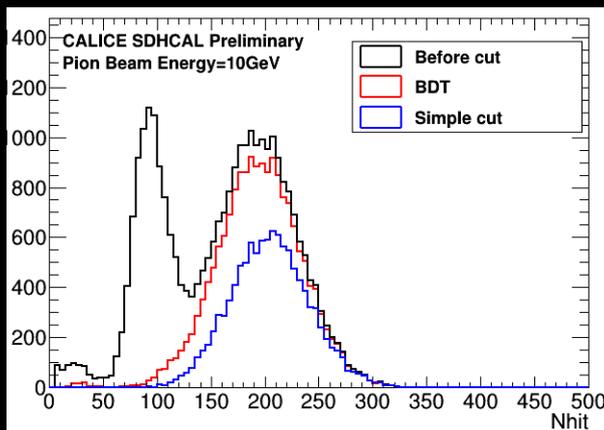
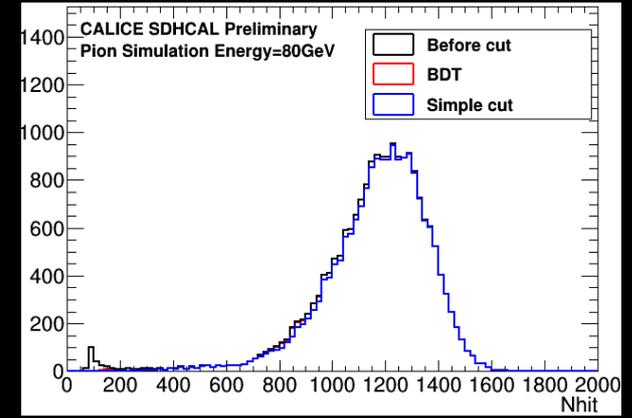
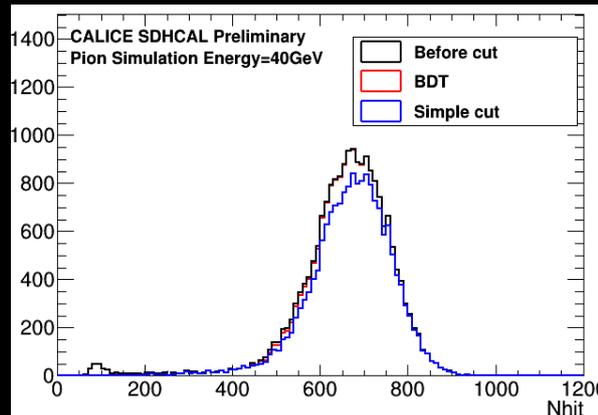
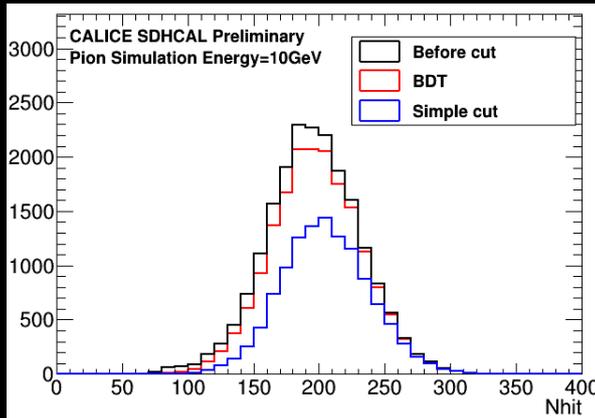


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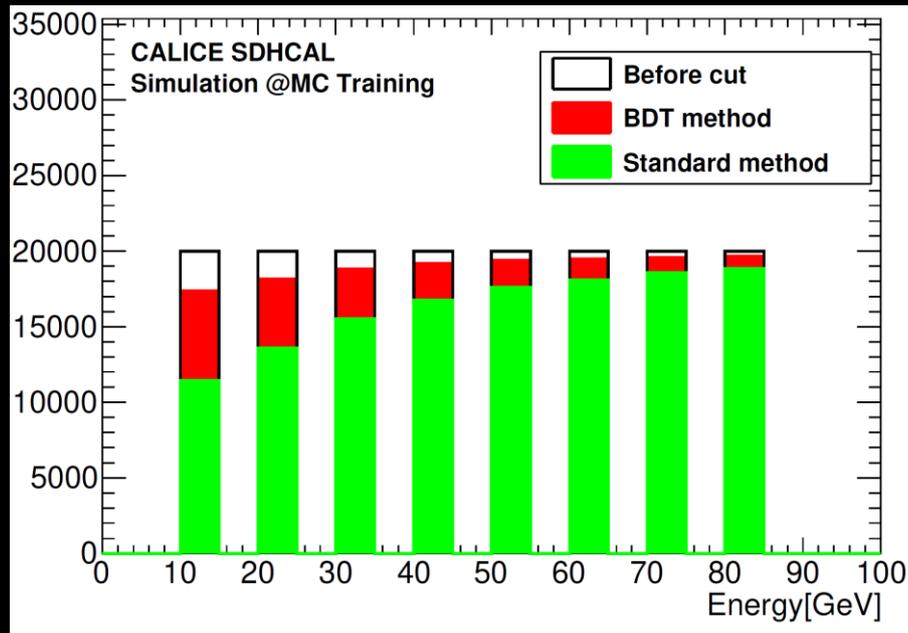
**Good separation power and in agreement
with strategy I**

Nhit: standard method & BDT

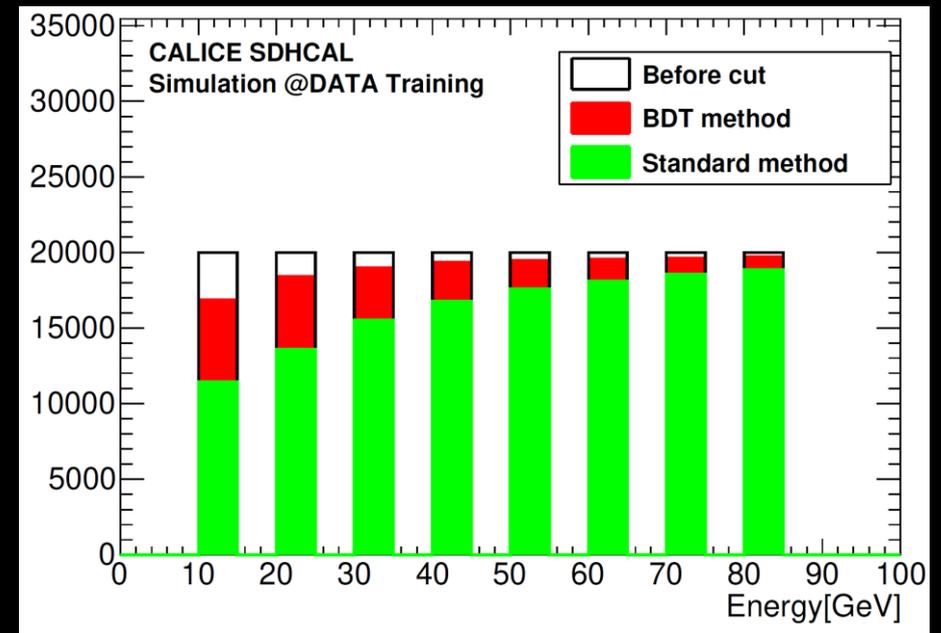


→ In the low energy, BDT saves many events

The improvements on statistics



BDT with MC Training



BDT with DATA Training

Summary

- **Technological prototype running successfully since 2012**
- **Many results validate the potential of the concept**
- **PID with BDT is reliable: Good pion efficiency with high electron and muon rejection rate**
- **Good improvement on statistics comparing with standard method**

Thanks for your attention !