On the acceptance extension of electron analysis

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Outline

- The Firenze CALET team involved in electron analysis is working on the acceptance extension (from Acc A to Acc ?) of the electron analysis
- <u>The starting point is CALET PRL 120, 261102</u>, where the energy flux was computed using:
 - A+B below 475 GeV
 - A+B+C+D above 475 GeV
- <u>The main aim of our work is to give an independent</u> <u>measurement</u> that, even with lower statistics, could be used to **crosscheck or improve the PRL result**

Idea

	PRL result	This analysis
Strategy	<u>The analysis is divided into</u> <u>four sub-analysis</u> , one for each acceptance, which are combined in the end	<u>The analysis is unique</u> , relative to an acceptance redefinition, a bit larger than acceptance A
Advantages	 We completely exploit CALET geometric factor We optimize the analysis for each acceptance 	 We have a simple, unique procedure We have a better control on the result
Disadvantages	 Different corrections, functions, variables must be defined for each one of the four acceptances Careful optimization of all sub-analyses takes time 	 Only a subset of CALET geometric factor is used Corrections, functions and variables must be a compromise between event categories

Challenge

OBSERVATION *Treatment of Helium background*:

- The electron (e) signal has both <u>proton (p) and Helium (He)</u> <u>background</u>, which must be suppressed
- p background is unavoidable before rejection (*e.g.* BDT), but <u>He background can be suppressed using charge cut</u>
- Making use of an efficient charge cut that remove He at the beginning, the validation of the whole analysis is dramatically simplified, because <u>it allows us to consider only one source</u> of background (p) over the signal (e)

REQUIREMENT <u>The new acceptance must be defined in a</u> way that allows us to neglect He background after Charge cut, without a dramatic decrease of electron selection efficiency.

Study of Charge Reconstruction

Charge reconstruction

MOTIVATION Charge reconstruction was deeply studied for events crossing CHD, but in order to extend the acceptance we need to study charge reconstruction for events crossing IMC, but not necessarily CHD

For this purpose:

- We look for the first IMCiX-IMCiY layers traversed by the incoming particle in the detector
- We consider the energy deposit within 5 fibers from the reconstructed track on IMCiX and IMCiY
- We define an IMC charge completely equivalent to CHD charge using IMC layer *i*

 $IMC_{i} = \sqrt{[0.5*(IMCiX^{2} + IMCiY^{2})] * \cos(\theta)}$

800 GeV < E < 1243 GeV Charge in IMCX Electron Helium

Particle enters the detector before IMCX but after IMC(X-1)





Contamination < 10% Efficiency < 80%

Contamination < 30% Efficiency < 50% Contamination < 5% Efficiency < 50%

IMC1

Some comments

SUMMARY Charge reconstruction in IMC using only the first IMCiX-IMCiY layers traversed by the incoming particle in the detector does not lead to good performances

OBSERVATION In order to increase reconstruction performances we can use all IMC layers, starting from the entrance one, that have the same W thickness ($0.2 X_0$) between them:

- IMC1X, IMC1Y, IMC2X, ... IMC6Y for entrance before IMC1
- IMC2X,... IMC6Y for entrance before IMC2

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• IMC5X,... IMC6Y for entrance before IMC5

STRATEGY The IMC charge is obtained from **BDT** applied to all these variables (+ track length before first IMC layers), <u>separately</u> training each sample according to the first IMCiX-IMCiY layers traversed by the incoming particle in the detector

BDT charge





 N_e^{test} = number of *e* above threshold in test sample N_e^{total} = number of *e* events in the all sample (test or train)



Despite a clear improvement, we were not able to get low <u>**He contamination**</u> and high <u>**e efficiency**</u>

BDT charge





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Furthermore, the best reconstruction performances are obtained for the events crossing CHD as well

Definition of a new Acceptance

Some comments

SUMMARY <u>Charge reconstruction in IMC is very difficult</u> and is working only for events where the incident particle transverses IMC1: however, even in this case, we need to use information from IMC1X,...,IMC6Y, eventually correct MC charge for each layer and finally apply BDT algorithm

QUESTION Which is the relative gain in statistics?

METHOD Considering the events belonging to Acceptance *(A) OR (B) OR (C) OR (D)*, we can study which is the **relative gain in statistics** respect to Acceptance A using one of this three extended acceptances:

- E Particles crossing CHD
- F Particles crossing IMC1
- G All Particles (A+B+C+D)

Idea

The relative gain in statistics is expressed in terms of relative gain in the <u>geometric factor (GF)</u> and in the <u>effective geometric factor (EGF = GF x ϵ)</u>.

For our computation, we assume that the difference in selection efficiency ε is due to charge selection only, whereas all others selections do not have any impact.

We roughly assume ε :

- 100% if charge is reconstructed using CHD
- 90% if charge is reconstructed using IMC1
- 60% if charge is reconstructed using IMC2, 3, 4 or 5

Estimation

	EGF	Relative σ_{STAT} in Acc X / Relative σ_{STAT} in Acc A (1//EGF)
Acc G/A	2.00	0.71
Acc F/A	1.60	0.79
Acc E/A	1.55	0.80

NOTE Using the reconstruction methods currently available, we can reduce statistical uncertainty by at most 30% if we consider the analysis based on Acceptance G (A+B+C+D), but it is challenging

CONCLUSION Given the <u>20% reduction in</u> <u>statistical uncertainty</u> and the <u>relative simplicity of</u> <u>the analysis</u>, in this work we decided to study the **feasibility of an analysis based on Acceptance E**¹⁵

Setting up the analysis for Acceptance E

Acceptance E



Preselection

- HET Software trigger
- Good Kalman filter track in IMC
- Track inside Acceptance E
- Charge cut CHD < 3.5 MIP
- TASC Consistency < 2 cm
- TASC Concentration < 0.8
- Shower Track < 10°
- Gamma Fit Consistency
- Shower Concentration > 0.5

$\boldsymbol{f}_{\rm E}$ definition

MOTIVATION The variable f_E ($dE_{TASC-Y6}/\Sigma_I dE_{TASC-i}$) must be redefined because the particle can exit before TASC6Y.

STRATEGY We defined and test 3 different f_E :

- <u>Standard</u> approach: F_E from TASC Y6 (as in Acc A)
- <u>Alternative</u> approach: F_{E} from the last TASC layer transversed for at least half the log depth, appropriately correcting the energy deposit in it for the fraction of transversed log depth





As expected, the Standard approach obviously fails, whereas the Alternative approach is the best one

<u>Alternative f_e definition is used in this analysis</u>

FD-MC distributions comparison after Preselection

















 $E(t) = p_0 + p_1 \cdot t^2$



Preliminary Electron Flux in Acceptance E

Preliminary Flux in Acceptance E Statistical Uncertainty only

After BDT



See Lorenzo's talk for detailed discussion of the electron flux

Back Up

800 GeV < E < 1243 GeV Charge in IMC1



800 GeV < E < 1243 GeV Charge in IMC2 Electron Helium



800 GeV < E < 1243 GeV Charge in IMC5





If we want to keep <u>He contamination below 10%</u>, we cannot get an <u>e efficiency higher than 80%</u>



The minimum <u>He contamination is 30%</u>, but it corresponds that <u>e efficiency of 50%</u>



It is possible to keep <u>He contamination below 5%</u>, but large tails limit <u>e efficiency below 50%</u>











	Relative GF	Relative EGF
Acc G/A	100%/41% = 2.44	[73%x90%+27%x60%] / 41% = 2.00
Acc F/A	73%/41% = 1.78	[73%x90%] /41% = 1.60
Acc E/A	87%x73%/41% = 1.55	[87%x73%x100%] /41% = 1.55

Explanation of Preselection

- In all cases preselections are separately required on both x and y views using OR condition:
- TASC Concentration = TASC $\sum_{X(Y)}^{MAX} / \sum_{i=0}^{6} TASC_{X(Y)}$
- Shower Track = $|\theta_{X(Y)}^{\text{DIAGONAL}} \theta_{X(Y)}^{\text{KF}}|$
- Shower Concentration = $IMC_{X8(Y8)}^{19}$ Fibers/ $IMC_{X8(Y8)}^{10}$ Total

Energy Function (After all preselections) Fraction of deposited energy Energy resolution



As expected, Acceptance B is the most different one because of the limited lateral containment... However, it does not strongly affect energy resolution, so that function can be used for all events in Acceptance E 46

Alternative f_E definition Event Category I



Layer i+2 is transversed for L'<L/2, therefore the last layer is i+1. f_E is computed as if TASC is made of only layers X1,Y1,...,i+1

Event Category II

Layer i+2 is transversed for L'>L/2, therefore the last layer is i+2. <u>The energy deposited dEi+2 is</u> <u>corrected to dEi+2' = dEi+2 * L/L'</u> f_E is computed as if TASC is made of only layers X1,Y1,...,i+2



Proton Reweight Factor

MOTIVATION The proton weight factor applied to simulations based on AMS measurements does not lead to a good MC-FD agreement of our distributions

SOLUTION A proton reweight factor is computed rescaling proton distributions to data, by simpling considering the integral of f_E distributions above 0.01



























Residual Helium contamination



Proton in Acc B identified as Electron after K cut

