

# Detector Requirements Analysis on the Pion-Kaon Separation

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## Objective:

- To reconstruct long-lived C-hadrons with the fully charged final states  $D^0 \rightarrow K\pi$ ,  $\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow pK\pi$ , etc.
- To maximize the reconstruction efficiency and purity, distinguish the real signal and the combinatory background
- To scan the detector performance and give preferred working points.

For objects with pion, kaon and/or proton in its decay product:

**Performance** depends on

- Momentum (fully charged final state)
- Hadron separation, especially  $\pi$ ,  $K$  separation
- VTX reconstruction. (for heavy flavor hadrons)

**Software:** The software for **simulation** is **MOKKA** and **reconstruction** is **MARLIN**. Both of them are **Geant** based. MARLIN is a modular C++ reconstruction framework that takes in **LCIO data** and runs multiple processors with either default or user defined parameters, each deals with a specific part of reconstruction.

And the **main categories** are: hit reconstruction, track reconstruction and particle reconstruction.

**Sample:** A simulated sample of  $e^+e^- \rightarrow Z \rightarrow q\bar{q}$  inclusive events at  $\sqrt{s} = 91.2 \text{ GeV}$ .

**Method:** Use full Simulation validated fast simulation to quantify the dependence between the objective particle reconstruction performance (Max. Efficiency $\times$ Purity) and the intrinsic detector performance (VTX - impact parameter resolution, mass or momentum resolution, PID - separation power)

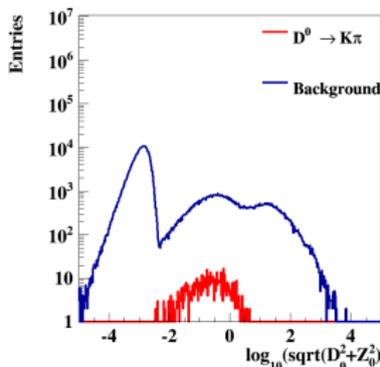


# Impact parameter and PID for reconstruction

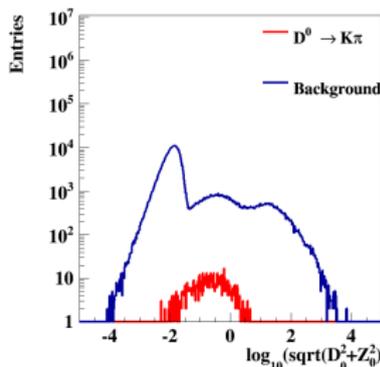
## Selection Process for $D^0 \rightarrow K\pi$

Step 1: Calculate the nearest distance ( $D_0$ ,  $Z_0$ ) of the track and use Gaussian random number generator to mimic ( $D_0$ ,  $Z_0$ ) resolution. Set a primary cut to select the signal.

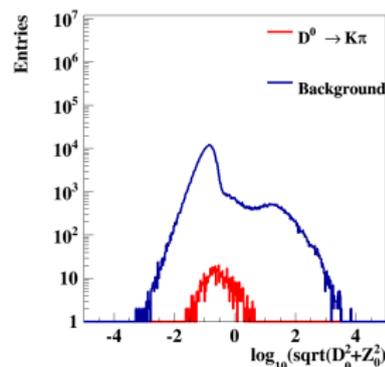
$1\mu m$



$10\mu m$



$100\mu m$

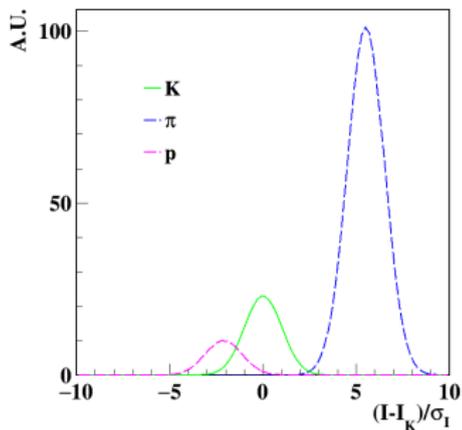


# Impact parameter and PID for reconstruction

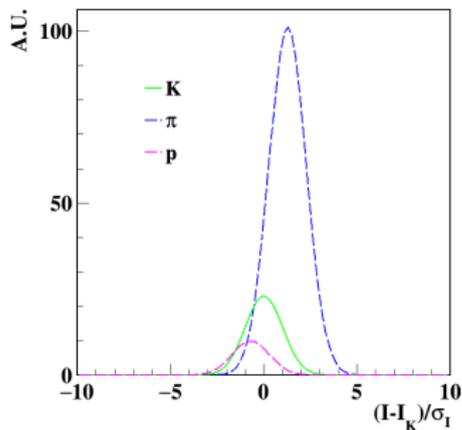
## Selection Process for $D^0 \rightarrow K\pi$

Step 2: If PID is hadron, use Gaussian distribution to generate random number for good PID resolution and Uniform distribution for bad.

Good PID separation



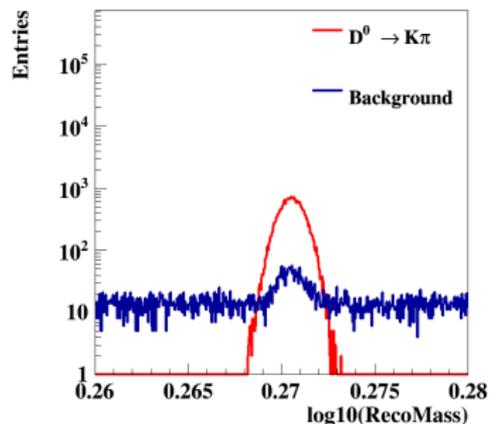
Bad PID separation



# Impact parameter and PID for reconstruction

## Selection Process for $D^0 \rightarrow K\pi$

Step 3: If the two particles after step 2 are  $K$  and  $\pi$  respectively, select those which satisfy certain constraints on mass error. 4-momentum is computed using two particles at the production vertex.



# Impact parameter and PID for reconstruction

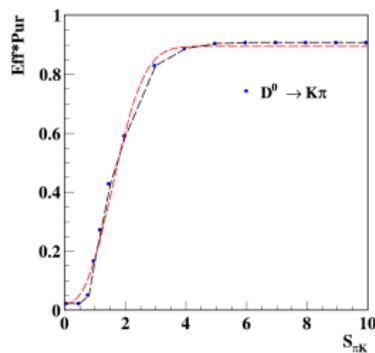
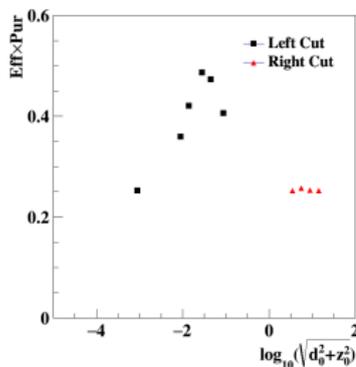
## Selection Process for $D^0 \rightarrow K\pi$

Step 4: Optimization impact parameter's cut for maximizing  $Efficiency(\varepsilon) \times Purity(p)$ .

Theorem (The parameterization of  $\varepsilon \times p$ )

$$0.87 \times (1 - e^{-0.19 \times S^{2.49}}) + S_0 \quad (2)$$

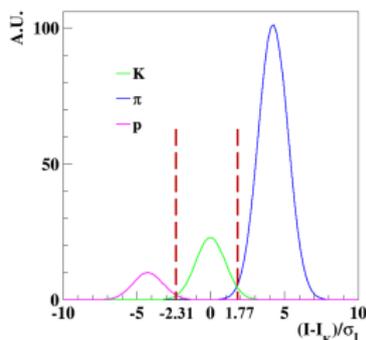
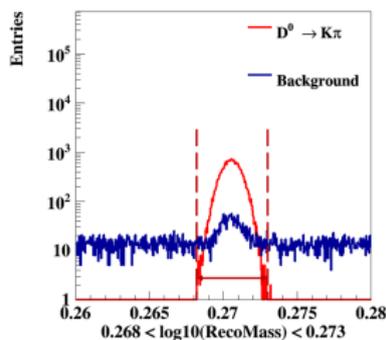
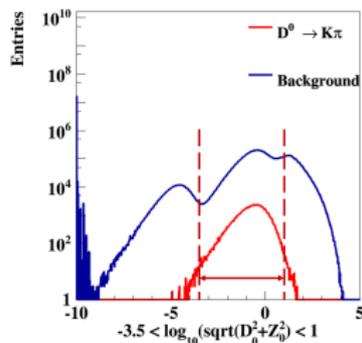
$$\varepsilon = \frac{N_{D^0 \rightarrow D_0}}{N_{D_0}}$$
$$p = \frac{N_{D^0 \rightarrow D_0}}{N_{D^0 \rightarrow D_0} + N_{other \rightarrow D_0}} \quad (3)$$



# Impact parameter and PID for reconstruction

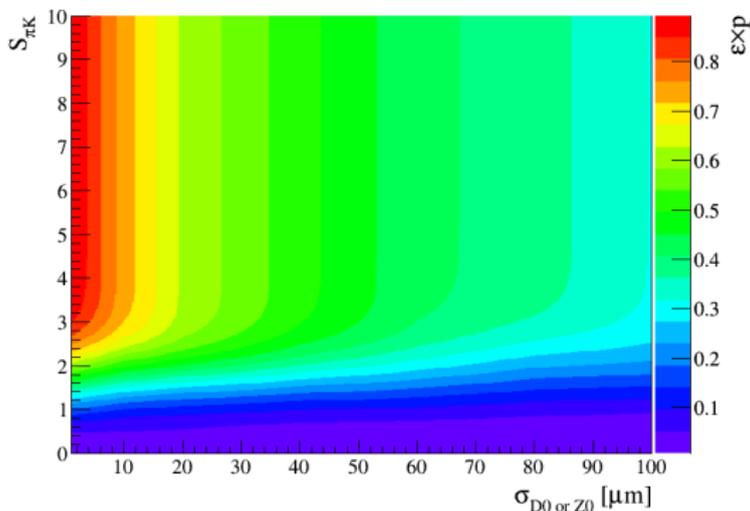
$$\sigma_{mass} = 2 \text{ MeV}, \sigma_{dEdx} = 5\%, \sigma_{TOF} = 100 \text{ ps}$$

constrain	cut	$\epsilon$	$p$	$\text{Max}(\epsilon \times p)$
Impact Para.	$10^{-3.5} < \sqrt{D_0^2 + Z_0^2} < 10^{1.0}$	0.917	0.463	0.425
Mass	$1.855 < \text{Recomass} < 1.875$	0.912	0.912	0.833
PID $3\sigma$	$K : -2.31 < \frac{I-I_K}{\sigma_I} < 1.77$	0.942	0.915	0.863



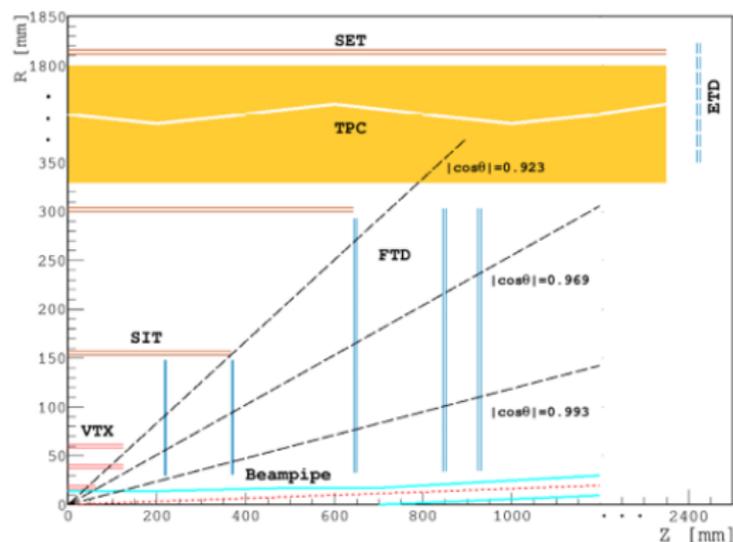
# Impact parameter and PID for reconstruction

If both the  $\varepsilon$  and  $p$  of the  $D^0$  reconstruction are required to be better than 90%, the requirement for  $(D_0, Z_0)$  resolution is  $4 \mu m$  with the pion and kaon separation power equal to  $3\sigma$ .



**Figure:** Surface distribution:  $\varepsilon \times p$  as a function of dEdx & TOF resolution for  $\pi, K$  and  $(D_0, Z_0)$  resolution.

# Detector Concept



The outer radius ( $R_{in}$  and  $R_{out}$ ) and drift length of the TPC are chosen as the boundary conditions to record the time of flight for particles  $\pi$ ,  $K$ ,  $p$ .

Figure: Preliminary layout of the tracking system of the CEPC baseline detector concept

## Theorem (TOF in Z-direction Projection)

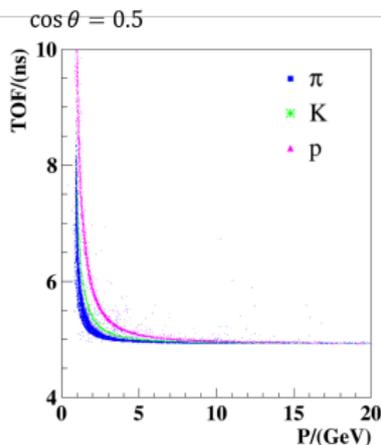
$$t_z = t_{total} = \frac{\Delta z}{\beta_z \gamma c}, \quad (4)$$

where  $\Delta z$  equals to the difference of  $z_{in}$  and  $z_{out}$ , which are depended on the inner and outer radius of the TPC ( $R_{in}$  and  $R_{out}$ ).

A circular helix of radius  $R$ , slope  $R/\tan\theta$  and central axis ( $A_x, A_y, A_z$ ) of the particle VTX is described by the following parametrization:

## Theorem (Circular Helix)

$$x = R\cos\phi + A_x, y = R\sin\phi + A_y, z = \frac{R\phi}{\tan\theta} + A_z, \quad (5)$$



**Figure:** Time of flight for  $\pi, K, p$  through the TPC chamber

# dEdx&TOF distribution for $\pi, K, p$

$$p = 2\text{GeV} \cos\theta = 0.5$$

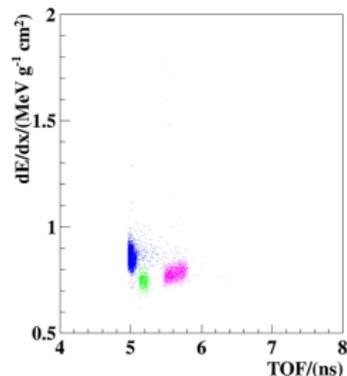
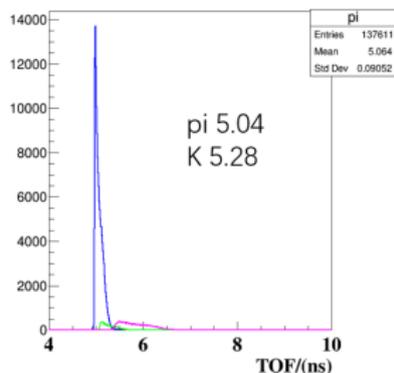
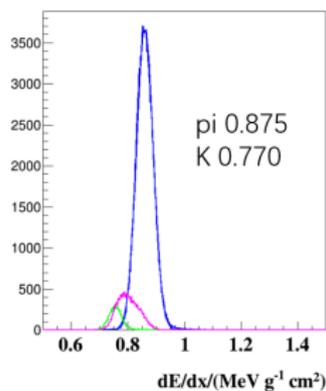


Figure: dEdx and TOF distribution for  $\pi, K, p$  with specific momentum and direction

# $\Delta dEdx$ & $\Delta TOF$ distribution for $\pi, K$

The difference of  $dEdx$  and  $TOF$  between  $\pi$  and  $K$  is shown below:

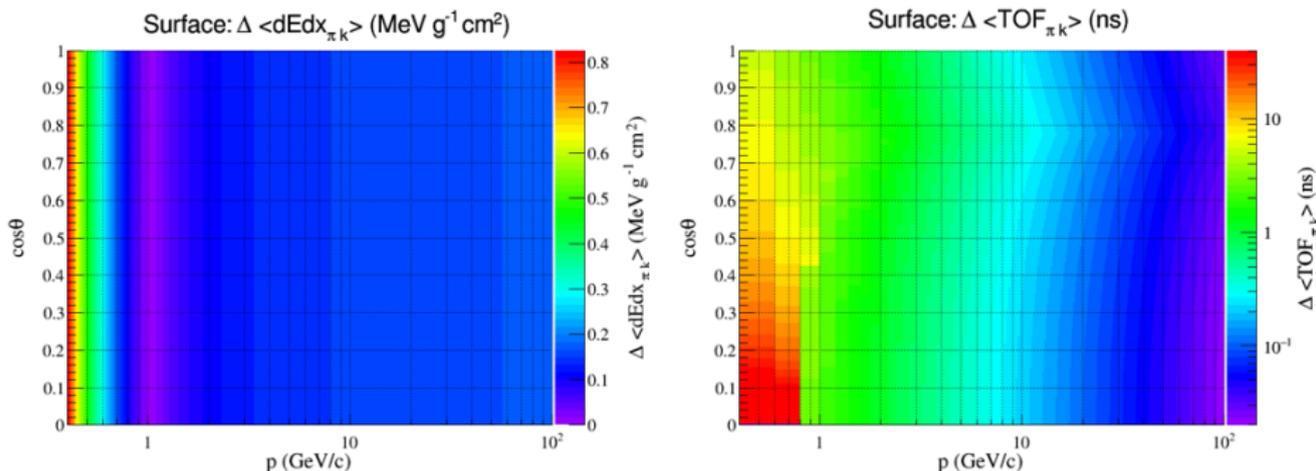
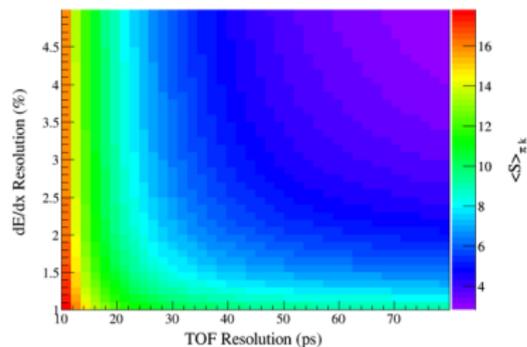


Figure: Surface distribution:  $\Delta dEdx$  &  $\Delta TOF$  for  $\pi, K$  in kinematic space

# Separation Power for $\pi - K$

$$p = 2\text{GeV} \cos\theta = 0.5$$



**Figure:** Surface distribution: Separation Power as a function of  $dE/dx$  & TOF resolution for  $\pi, K$

## Theorem (Separation Power for $\pi - K$ )

$$S_{\pi K} = \sqrt{\frac{(I_{\pi} - I_K)^2}{\sigma_{I_{\pi}}^2 + \sigma_{I_K}^2} + \frac{(T_{\pi} - T_K)^2}{\sigma_{T_{\pi}}^2 + \sigma_{T_K}^2}} \quad (6)$$

where  $I(T)$  and  $\sigma_I(\sigma_T)$  are the average  $dE/dx(\text{TOF})$  measurement and the corresponding resolution.

In the ideal case assuming no degradation and  $\sigma_I$  and  $\sigma_T$  are in the range of  $[1 - 5\%]$  and  $[10 - 80\text{ps}]$  respectively.

$S_{\pi K}$  is estimated at the CEPC as a function of  $\sigma_I$ ,  $\sigma_T$ ,  $p$  and  $\cos\theta$ .

# Average Separation Power for $\pi - K$

The average separation power  $\langle S \rangle$  versus  $\sigma_I$  and  $\sigma_T$  after integrating over the  $\cos\theta$  and momentum dimension.

## Theorem (The integral form)

$$\langle S_{\pi K}(\sigma_I, \sigma_T) \rangle = \frac{\int_0^1 \int_1^{20} S_{\pi K}(\sigma_I, \sigma_T, p, \cos\theta) PDF(p, \cos\theta) dp d\cos\theta}{\int_0^1 \int_1^{20} PDF(p, \cos\theta) dp d\cos\theta} \quad (7)$$

The integral form is rewritten into a summation form:

## Theorem (The summation form)

$$\langle S_{\pi K}(\sigma_I, \sigma_T) \rangle = \frac{\sum \sum S_{\pi K}(\sigma_I, \sigma_T, p_i, \cos\theta_j) PDF(p_i, \cos\theta_j) \Delta p \Delta \cos\theta}{\int_0^1 \int_1^{20} PDF(p, \cos\theta) dp d\cos\theta} \quad (8)$$

# Average Separation Power for $\pi - K$

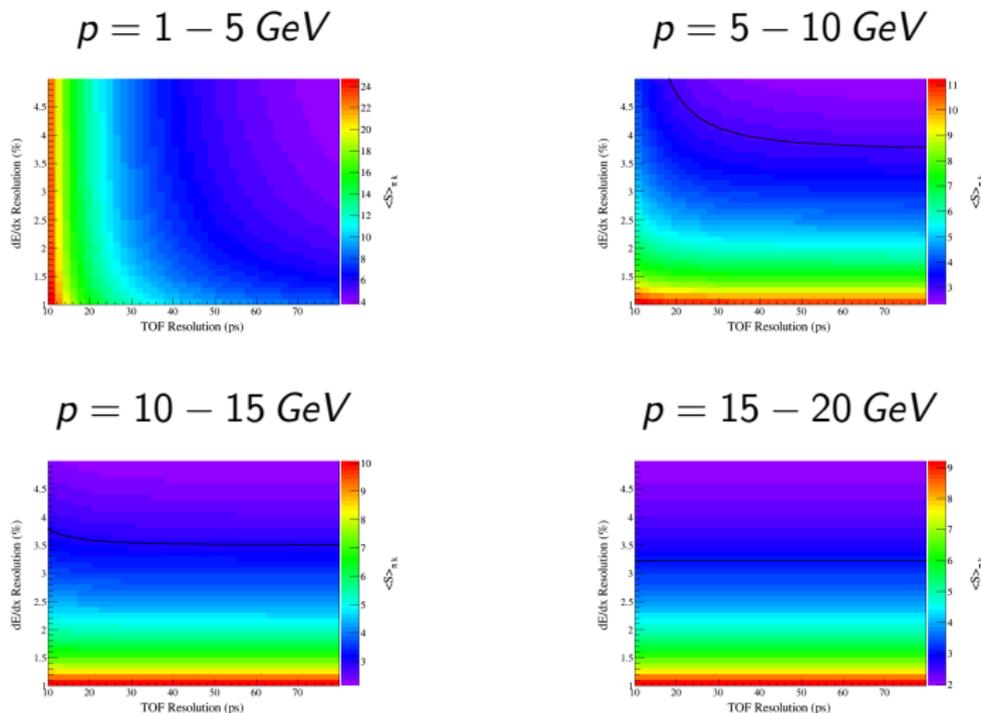


Figure: Surface distribution: Average Separation Power as a function of  $dE/dx$  & TOF resolution for  $\pi, K$

# Average Separation Power for $\pi - K$

A preferred star point is given as the dEdx and TOF resolution for detectors.

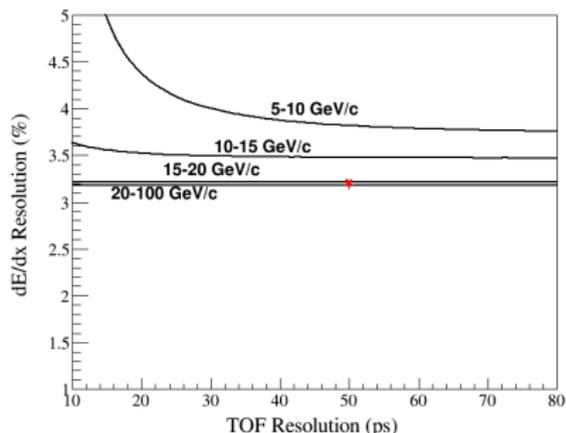


Figure: All  $3\sigma$  lines for different momentum integral range

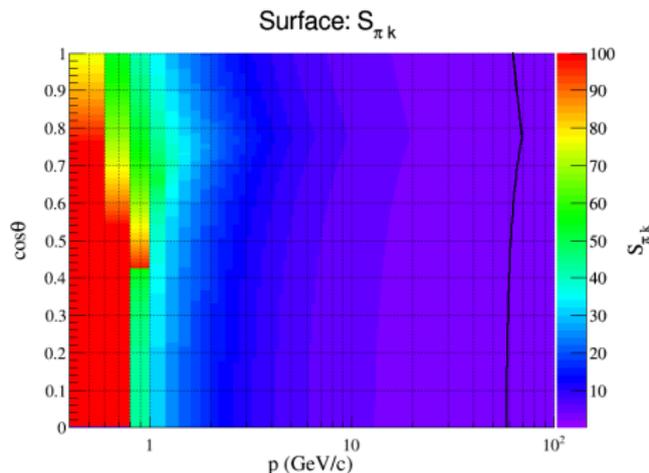


Figure: Separation power with preferred detector working point in Kinematic Space

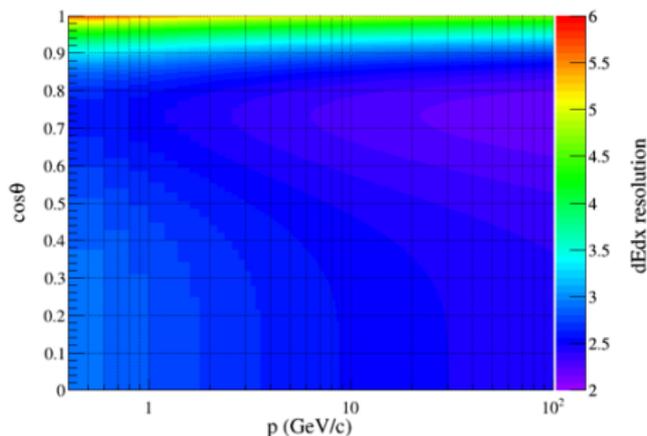
# dEdx resolution for $\pi - K$

Theorem (The parameterization of  $\sigma_I$ )

$$\frac{\sigma_I}{I} = \frac{13.5}{n^{0.5} \cdot (h\rho)^{0.3}} [2.05 + 0.8(\beta\gamma)^{-0.3}] \times [2.5 - 1.5(\cos\theta)^4 + 3.9(\cos\theta)^{10}] \quad (9)$$

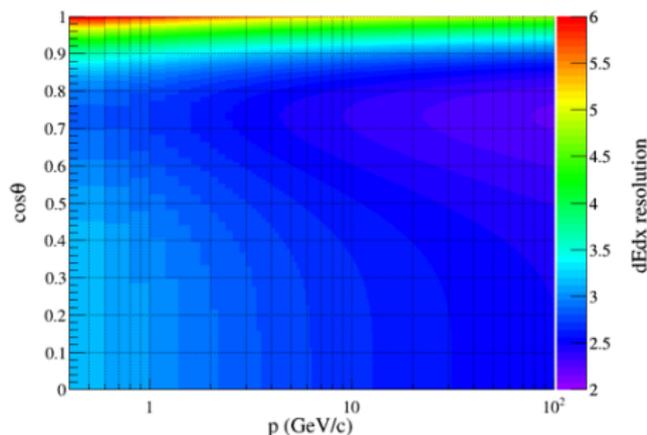
$\pi$

Surface: dEdx resolution



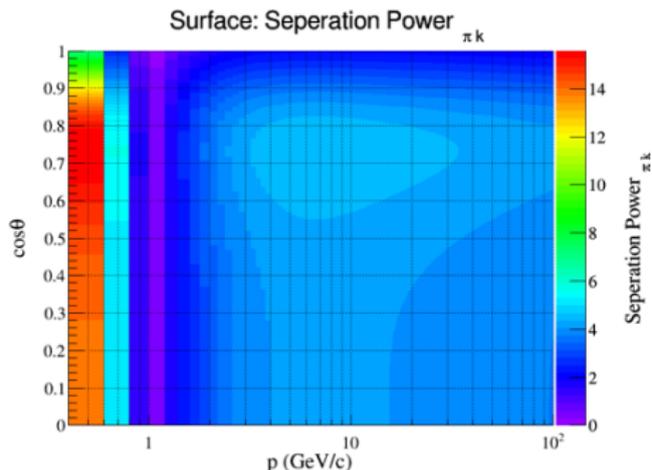
$K$

Surface: dEdx resolution



# Separation Power in Kinematic Space

Use  $dEdx$  without  $TOF$



Use  $dEdx$  with  $TOF$

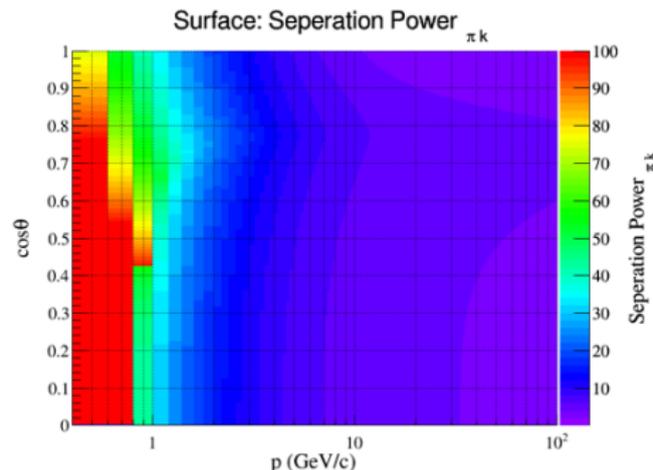


Figure: Separation Power in kinematic space for  $\pi$ ,  $K$  w/wo TOF

# Summary

To identify charged Kaon(hadrons) up to 20 GeV

VTX: reconstructed parent mass or momentum and impact parameter

PID: dEdx and TOF

## Preliminary Conclusion:

If both the  $\varepsilon$  and  $p$  of the  $D^0$  reconstruction are required to be better than 90%, the requirement for  $(D_0, Z_0)$  resolution is  $4 \mu m$  with the pion and kaon separation power equal to  $3\sigma$ .

Preferred Working Point:  $3\sigma$  separation of  $\pi - K$ , corresponding to 3.2% for  $dE/dx$  resolution and  $50 ps$  for TOF resolution, is appreciated.

Detector Separation Power: The parameterization of resolution need be proved.

## Next:

Optimize the reconstruction process.

Thanks for your attention!

# Backup

# CEPC Detector Requirement from CDR

- **Vertex detector:** the intrinsic resolution  $\sigma_{D_0}$  in the absence of multiple scattering is  $5 \mu m$ .
- **Tracker:** the intrinsic momentum resolution  $\sigma_{1/p_T}$  of the tracker is  $2 \times 10^{-5} \text{ GeV}^{-1}$ .
- **PID:** An expected pion/kaon separation better than three standard deviations.