

RKTrackRep

A New Track Representation for GENFIT

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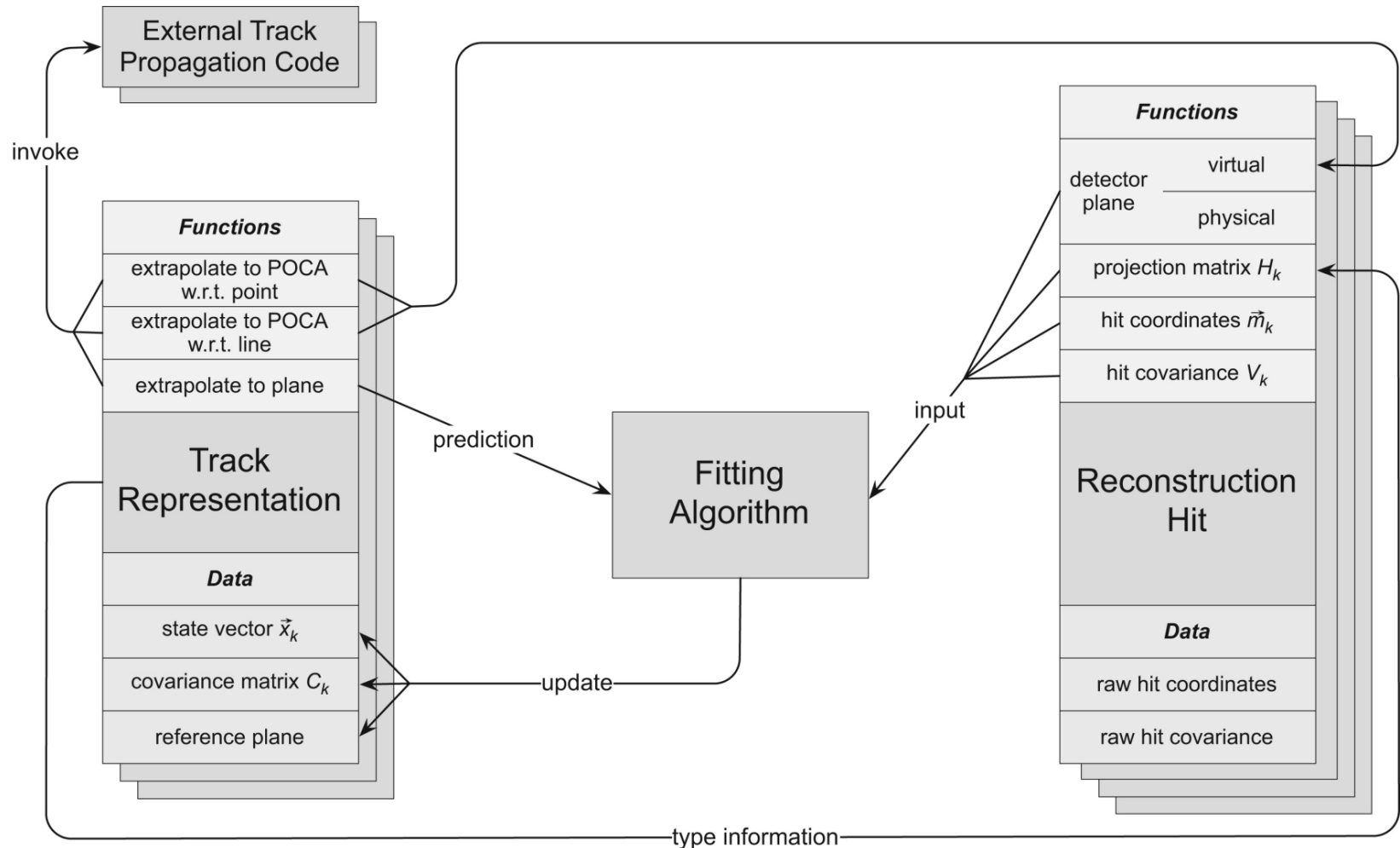
GENFIT

GENFIT [*NIM A doi:10.1016/j.nima.2010.03.136*] is the track fitting framework used in PandaROOT

Three modular components:

- Track fitting algorithms (currently Kalman filter)
- Reconstruction hits (inherit from `GFabsRecoHit`)
 - Orientation and dimensionality of hits in planar detectors not restricted
 - Information from non-planar detectors (e.g. STT, TPC) used without simplifications
- Track representations

GENFIT – Structure



GENFIT – Track Representations

- Comprise track parameters, covariance matrix and track extrapolation functionality
- Fitting algorithms communicate via base class `GFAbsTrackRep`
- Several track representations can be fitted simultaneously
 - Different mass hypotheses with same track representation
 - Different track representations to compare parameterizations and/or track extrapolation codes
 - Different track representations for different regions of phase space

RKTrackRep – General Features

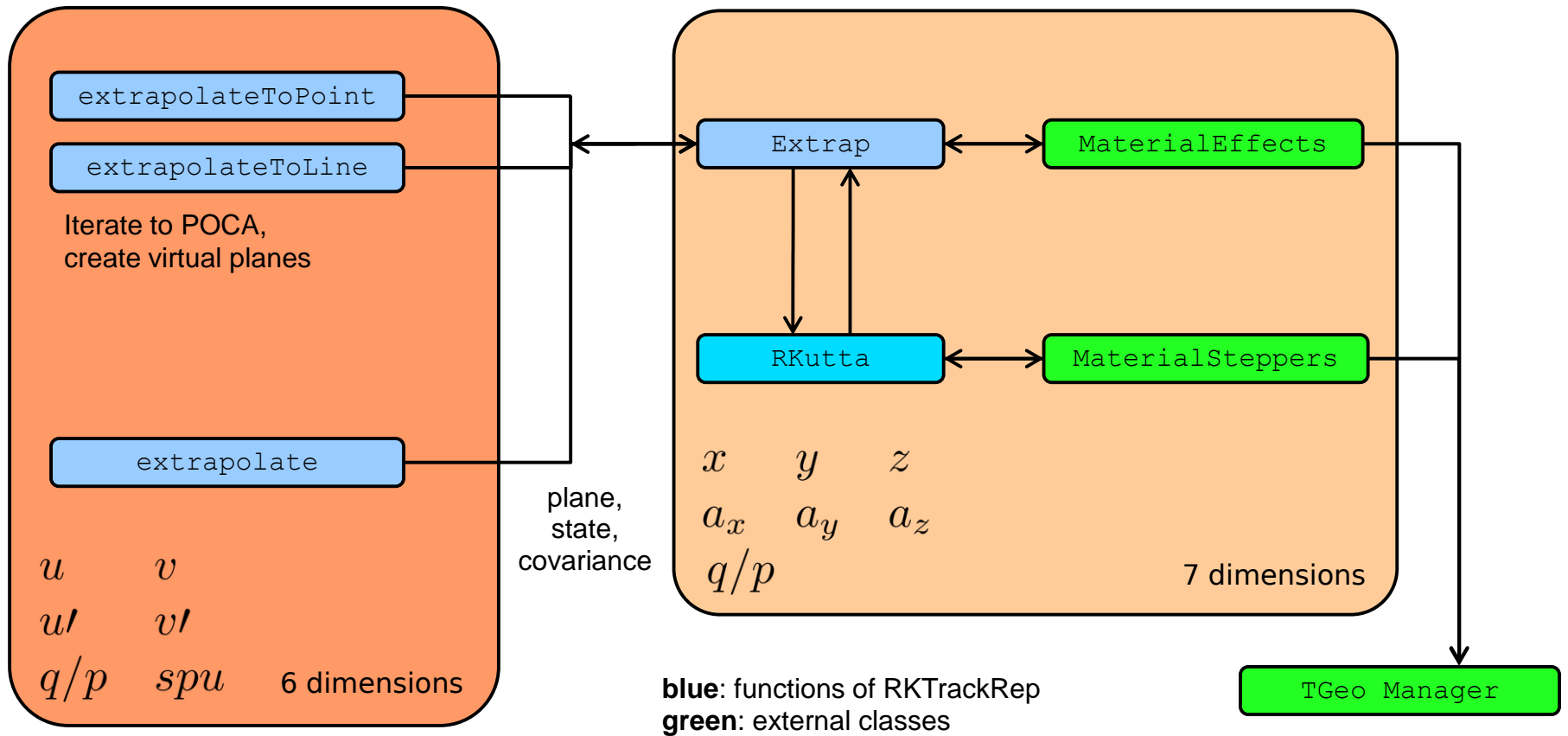
- Uses same track parametrization as GEANE
- Uses a Runge Kutta solver to track particles
- No restriction in track direction

tracks cannot be parallel to z-axis in `GeaneTrackRep`,
when dip angle $\lambda = 90^\circ \rightarrow$ division by $\cos \lambda = 0$ e.g. in calculation
of multiple scattering covariance matrix (in SC system)

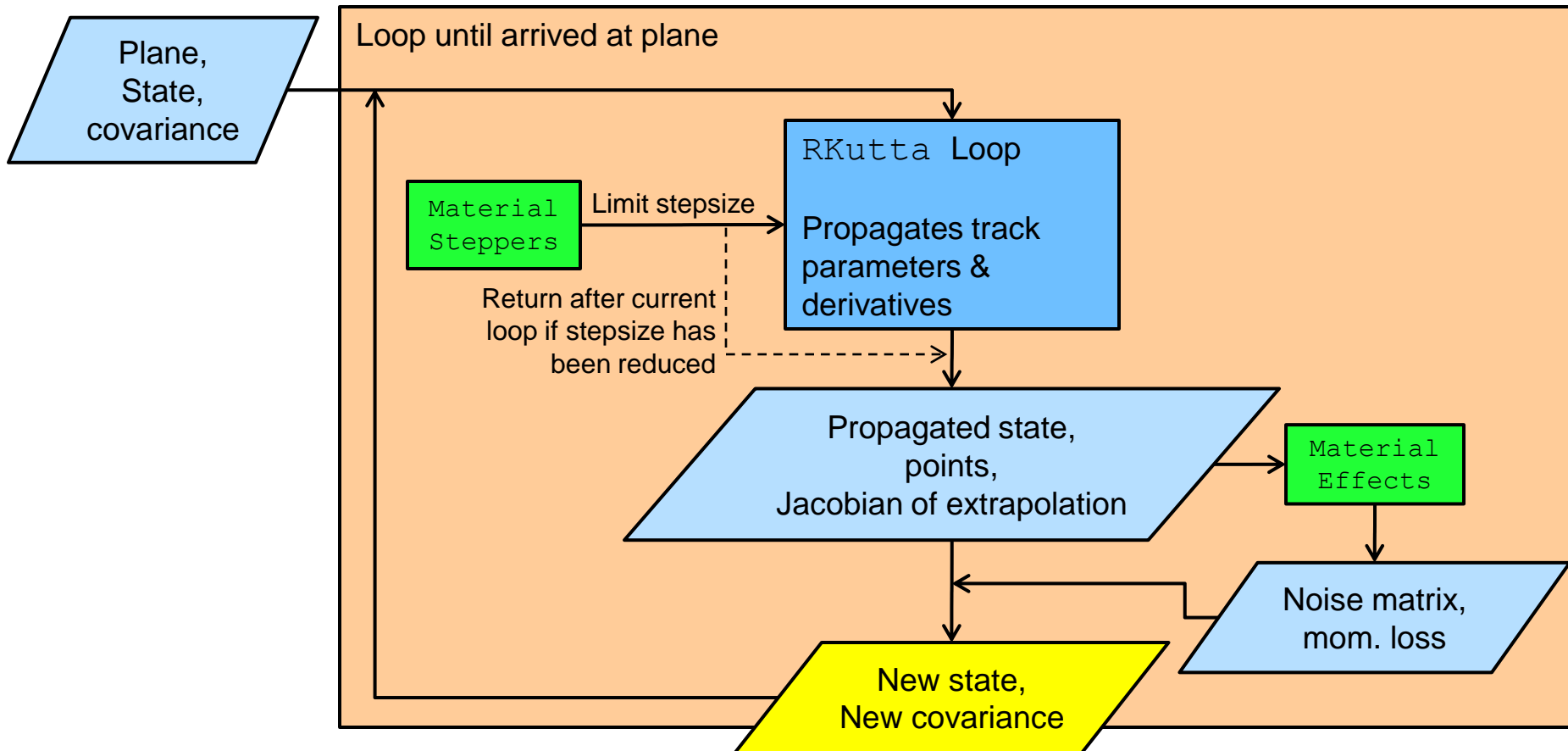
(see A.Fontana et al., *Track following in dense media and inhomogeneous
magnetic fields*, p. 23)

- Interface to geometry and materials via `TGeo` classes
which is standard in PandaROOT
- Custom interface to magnetic field `FairField`

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RKTrackRep – Extrapol



RKTrackRep – Material Model

- Material parameters from `TGeo`
- dE/dx calculated by extra class `energyLoss`, uses Bethe Bloch formula from PDG booklet
- Momentum loss calculated from dE/dx , radiation length, mass and momentum
- Noise matrix (multiple scattering, energy loss straggling) ported from GEANE
- Currently working on implementation of bremsstrahlung (porting from GEANE)

RKutta – History of the code

- Originally based on **Runge-Kutta Method of Nystroem** from M.Abramowitz, I.A.Stegun, *Handbook of Mathematical Functions*, 25.5.20, National Bureau of Standards Applied Mathematics Series – 55, 1964
- Original **FORTRAN code GRKUTA** written by R.Brun, M.Hansroul, V.Perevoztchikov
- **Porting to C++**, new interface and Jacobian calculation by Igor Gavrilenko, ATLAS, CERN
- Minor modifications by Sergei Gerassimov, COMPASS, CERN & TU Muenchen

Runge Kutta Extrapolation Algorithm

- Force in magnetic field: $\vec{F} = q \vec{v} \times \vec{B}$
- Equation of motion in vacuum:

$$\frac{d\vec{p}}{dt} = \frac{d \left(m \gamma \frac{d\vec{x}}{dt} \right)}{dt} = c^2 \kappa q \vec{v}(t) \times \vec{B}(\vec{x}(t))$$

- Can be rewritten with geometrical quantities only:

$$\frac{d^2 \vec{x}}{ds^2} = \kappa \frac{q}{p} \left(\frac{d\vec{x}}{ds} \right) \times \vec{B}(\vec{x}(s))$$

direction \vec{a} position \vec{r}

With Lorentz factor γ

Proportionality factor κ

Distance along trajectory s

RKutta – Extrapolation Algorithm

Quantities needed for the Runge Kutta algorithm

\vec{r}_i coordinates at point i . (\vec{r}_0 start coordinates) [cm]

\vec{a}_i normalized direction of momentum at \vec{r}_i

$\frac{q}{p}$ charge/momentum $\left[\frac{e}{\text{GeV}/c} \right]$

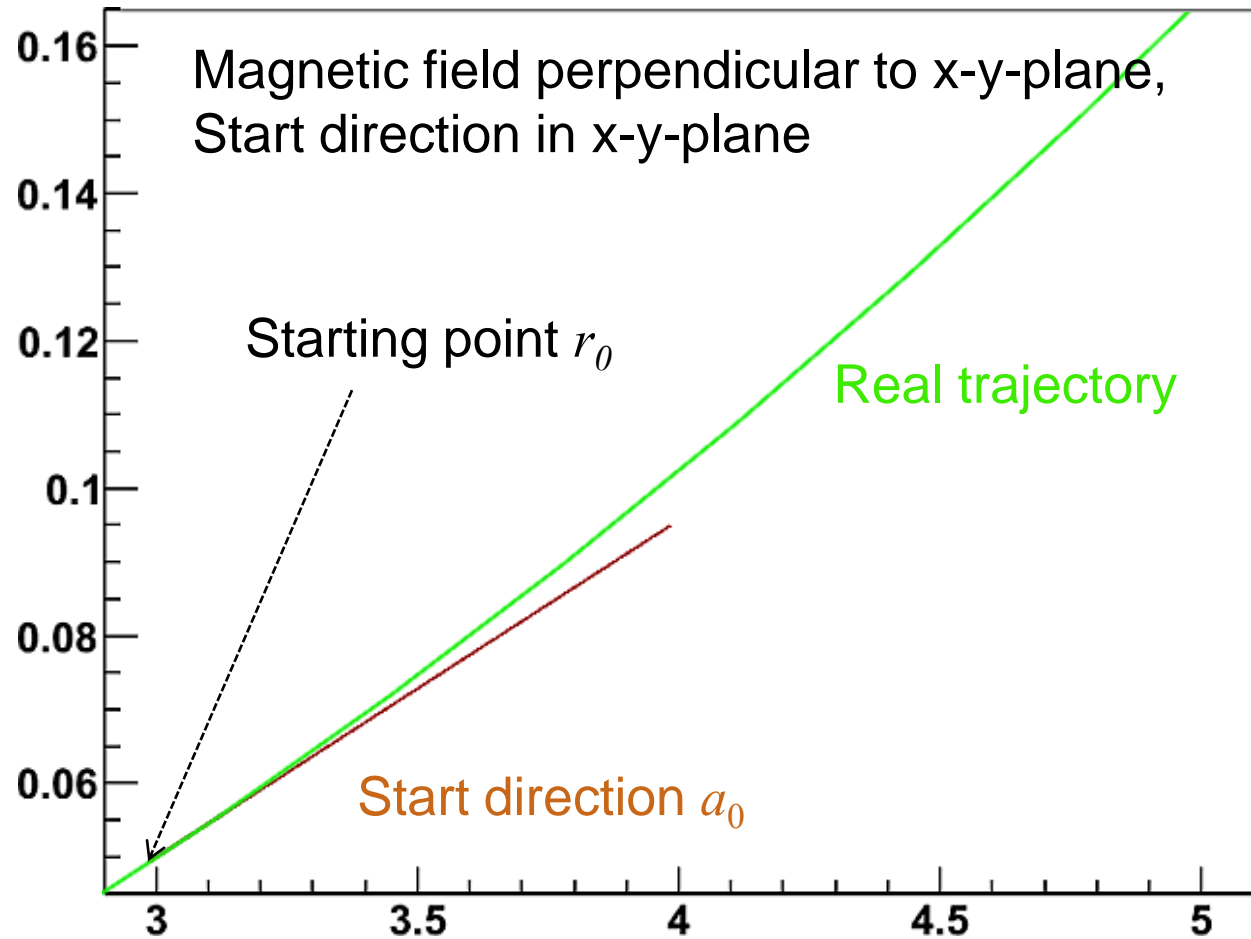
\vec{B}_i magnetic field at \vec{r}_i [kGs]

$$\vec{H}_i = \kappa \frac{q}{p} \vec{B}_i \cdot S$$

κ proportionality factor [$0.149896229 \cdot 10^{-3}$]

S Stepsize for Runge Kutta solver [cm]

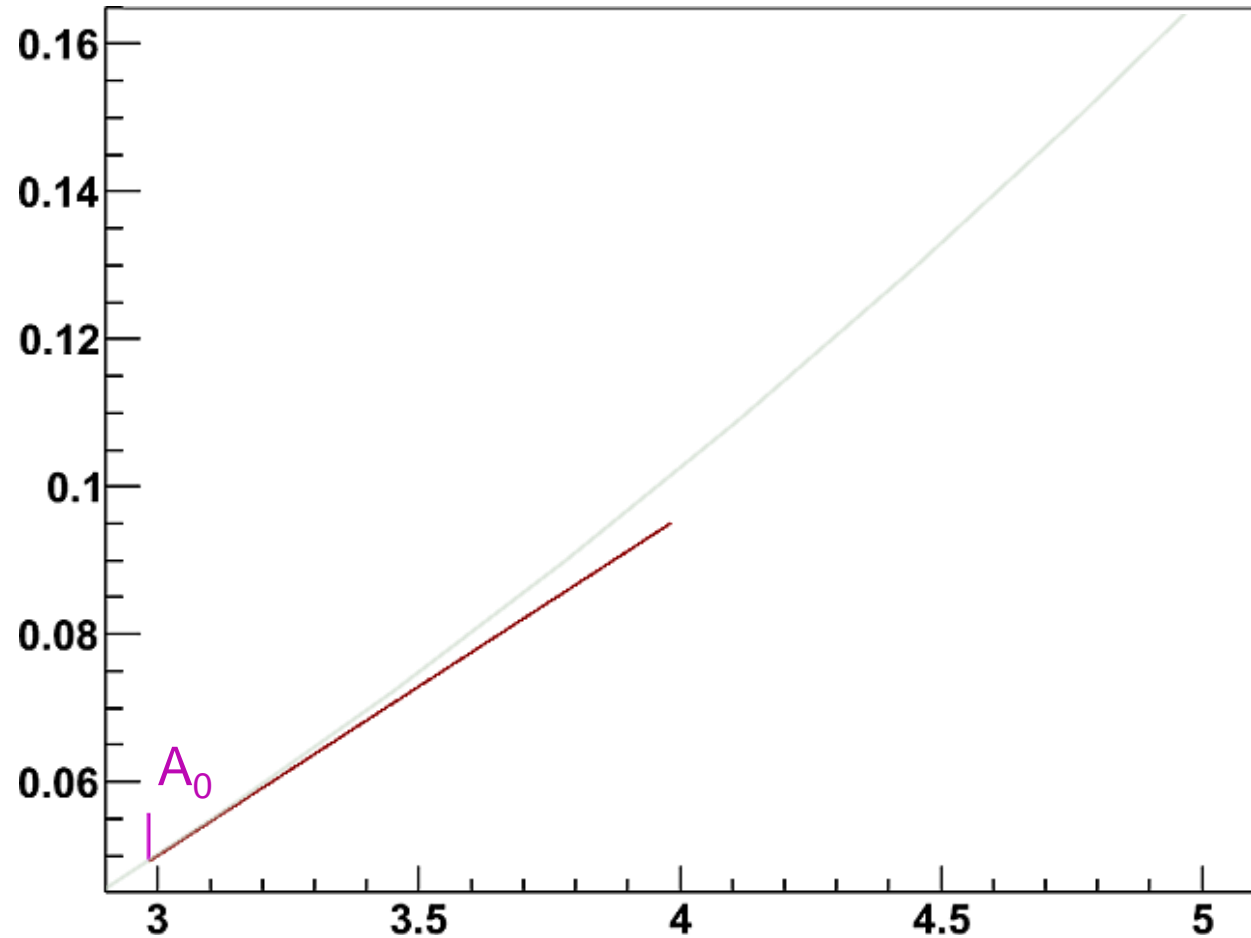
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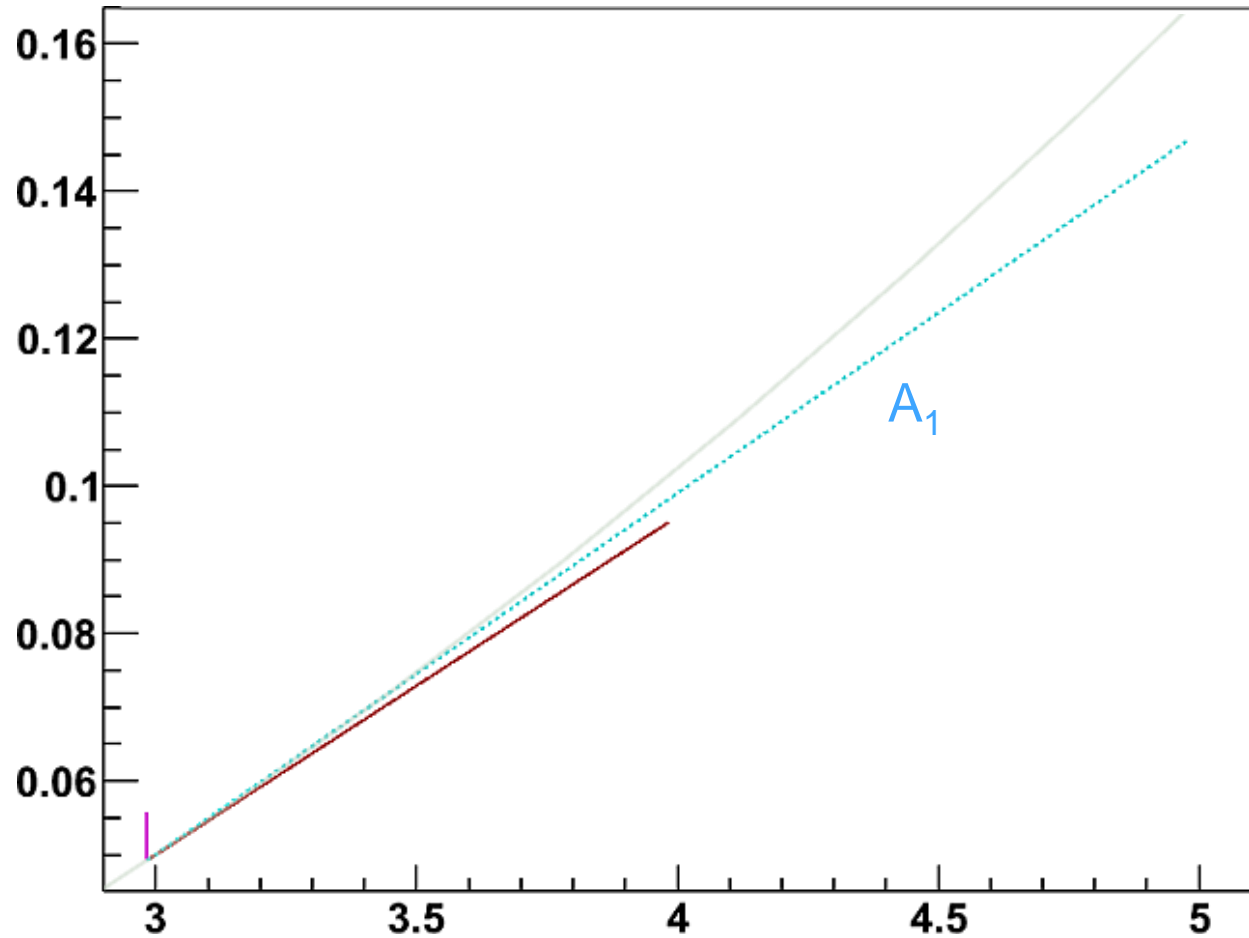
Equation of motion
(right side multiplied
with stepsize S)



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$$\vec{A}_1 = \vec{A}_0 + 2\vec{a}_0$$

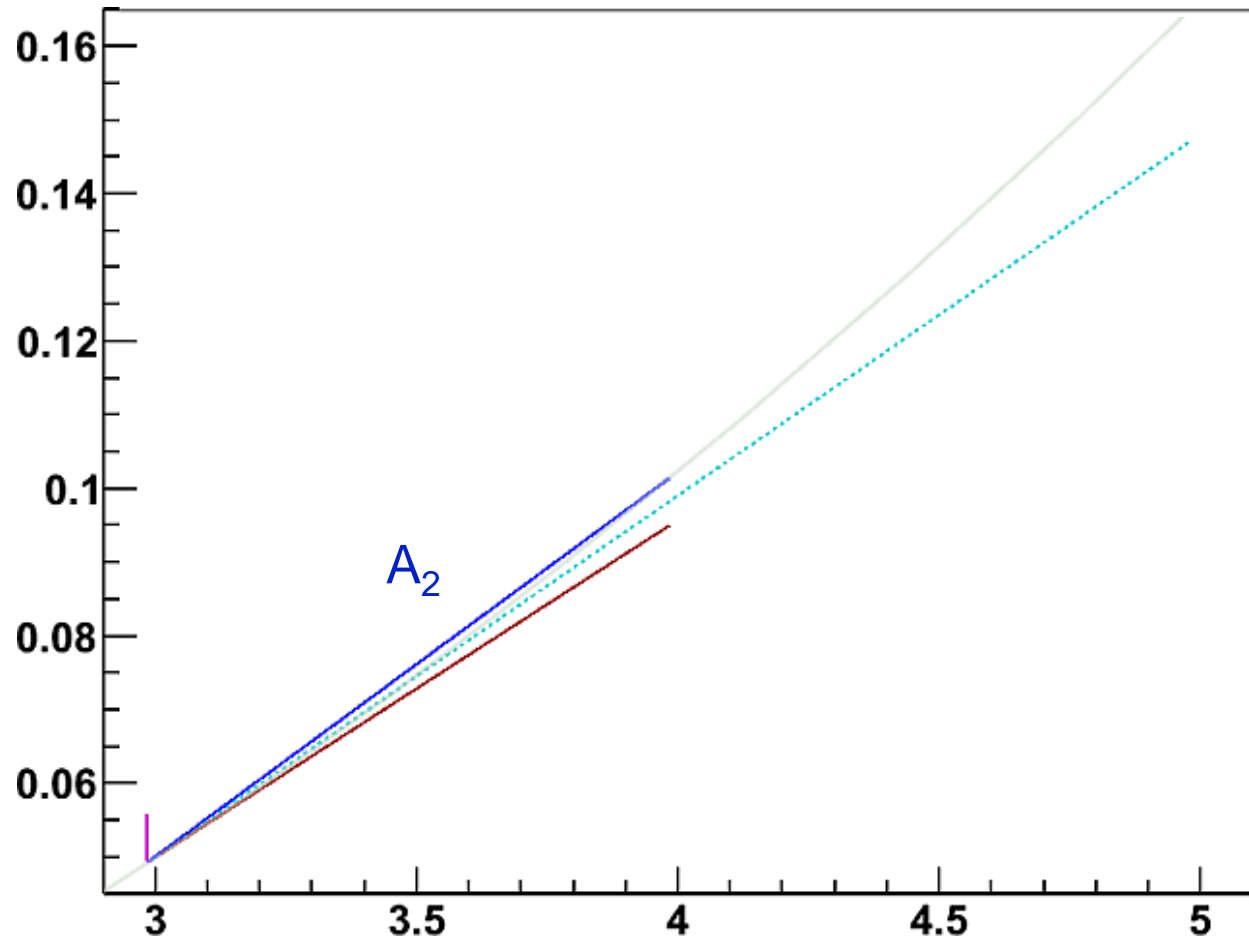


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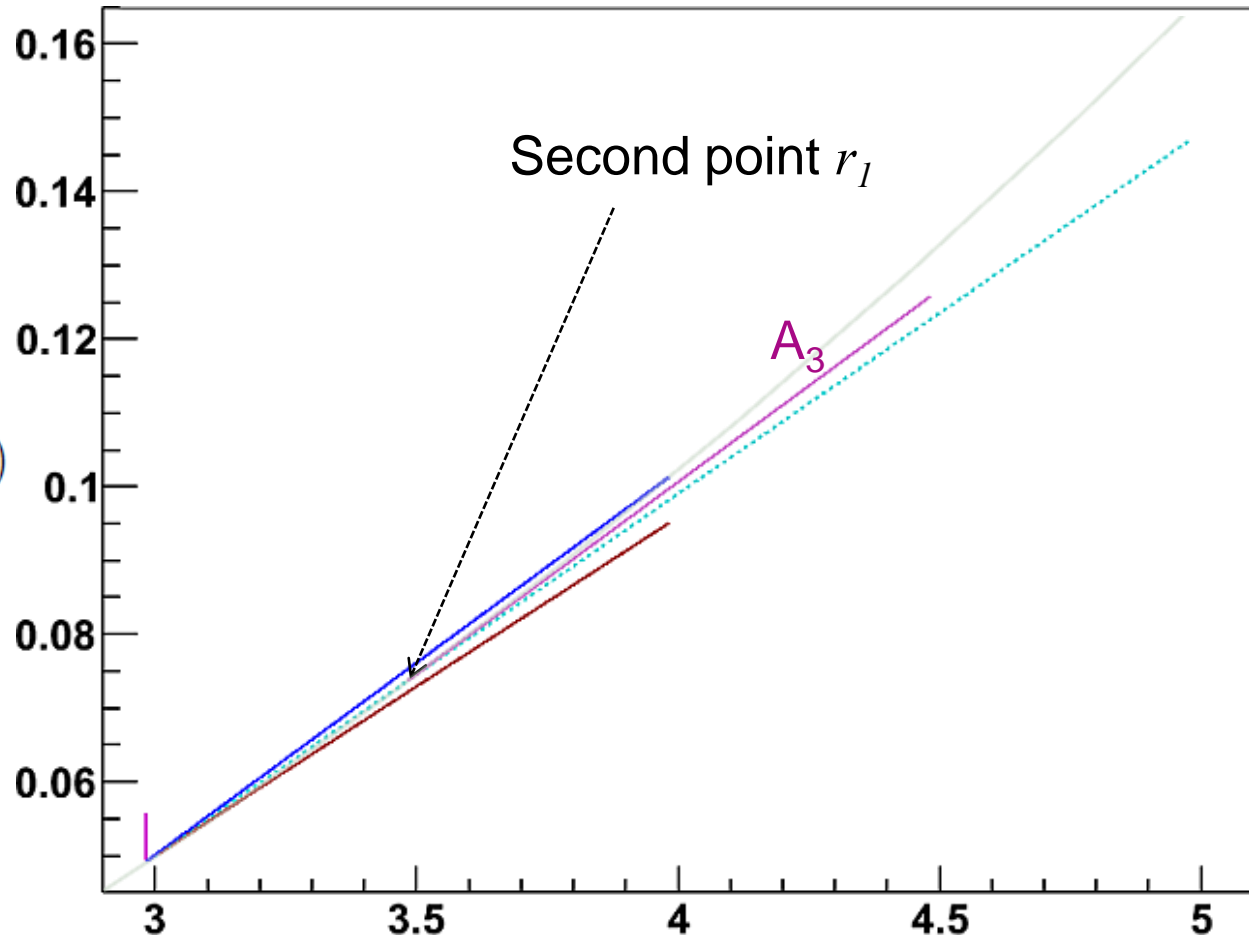


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Second point ($i = 1$)

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{r}_1 &= \vec{r}_0 + \frac{1}{4}S \cdot \vec{A}_1 \\ \vec{A}_3 &= \vec{A}_2 \times \vec{H}_1 + \vec{a}_0 \end{aligned}$$

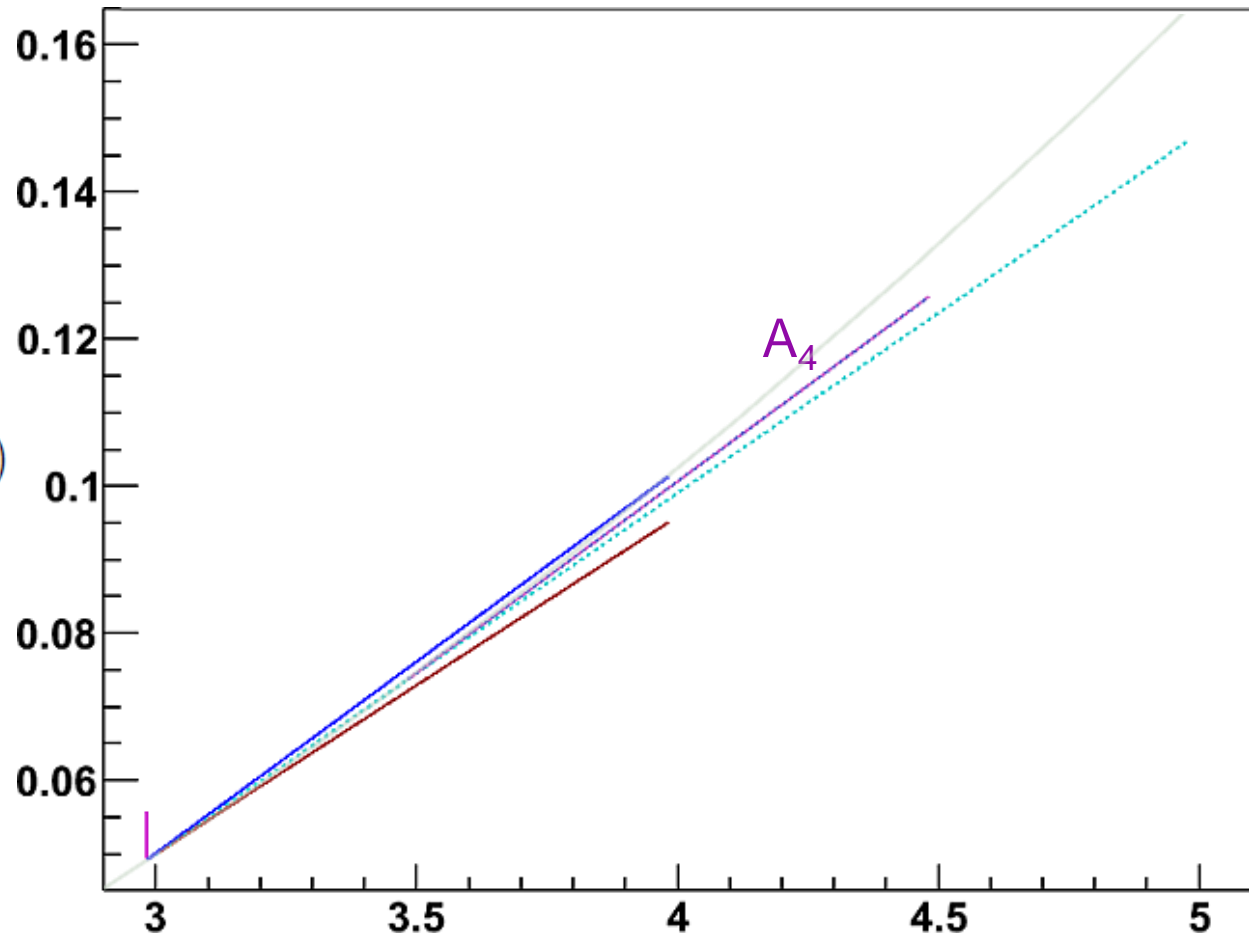


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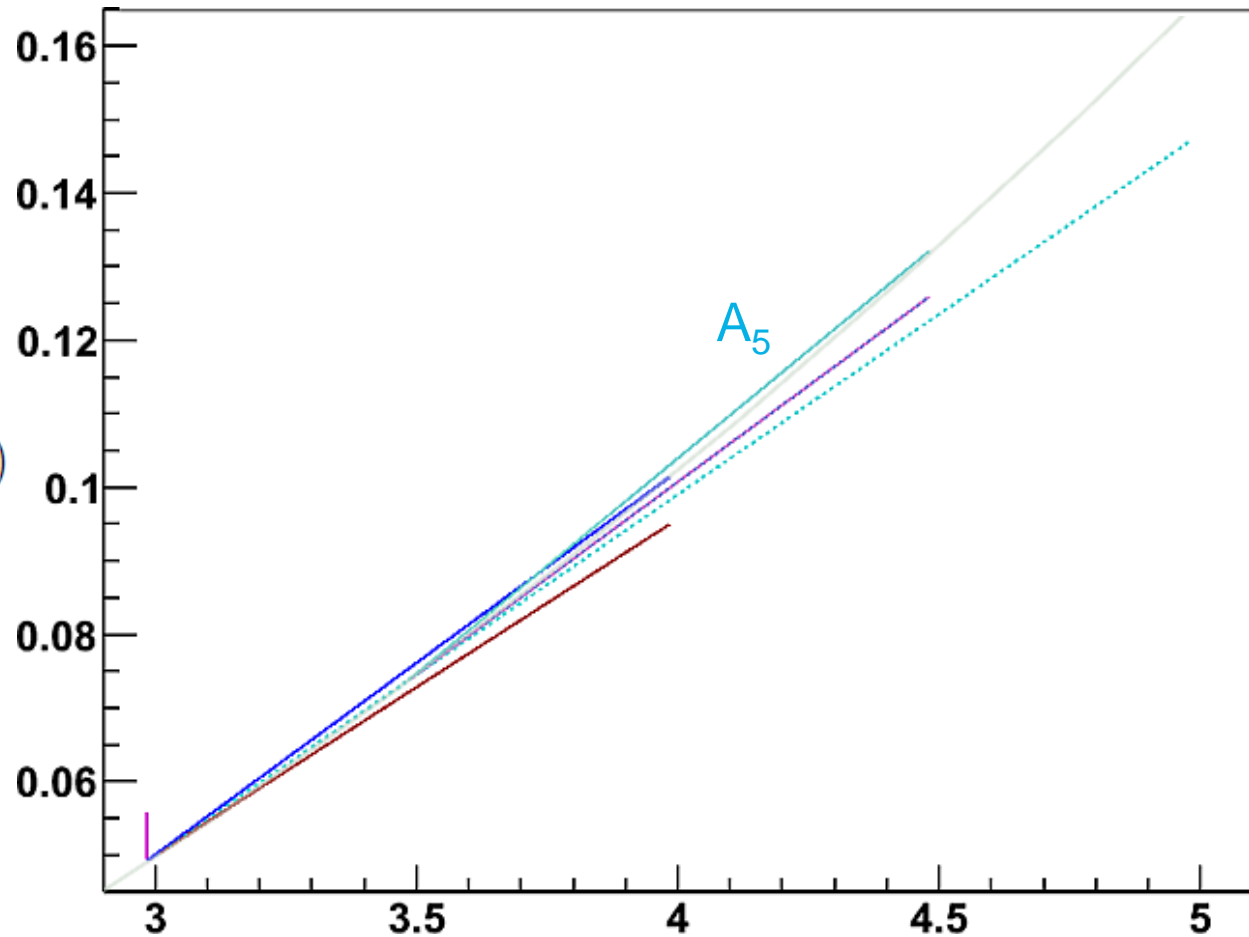


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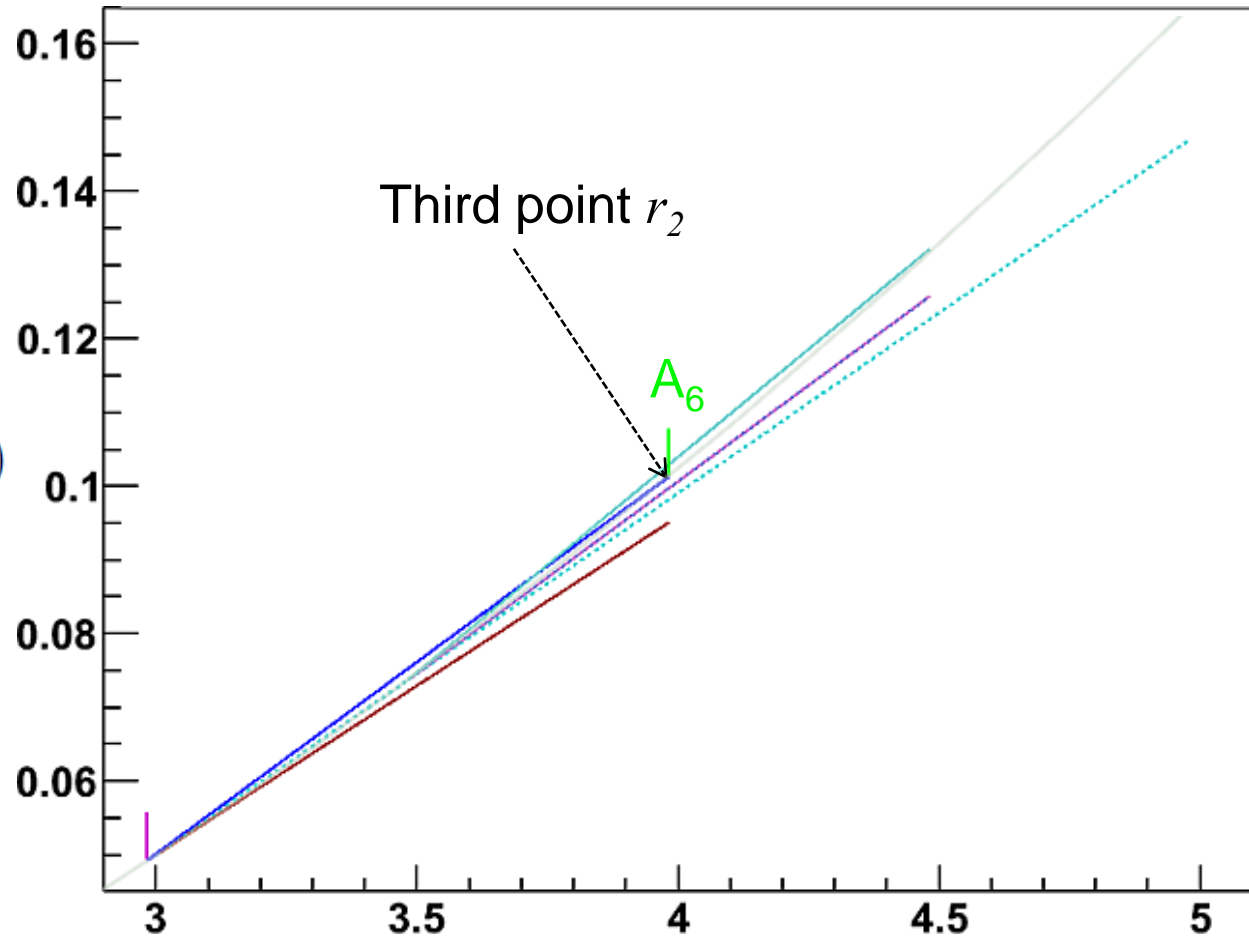
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$$\begin{aligned}\vec{r}_2 &= \vec{r}_0 + S \cdot \vec{A}_4 \\ \vec{A}_6 &= \vec{A}_5 \times \vec{H}_2\end{aligned}$$



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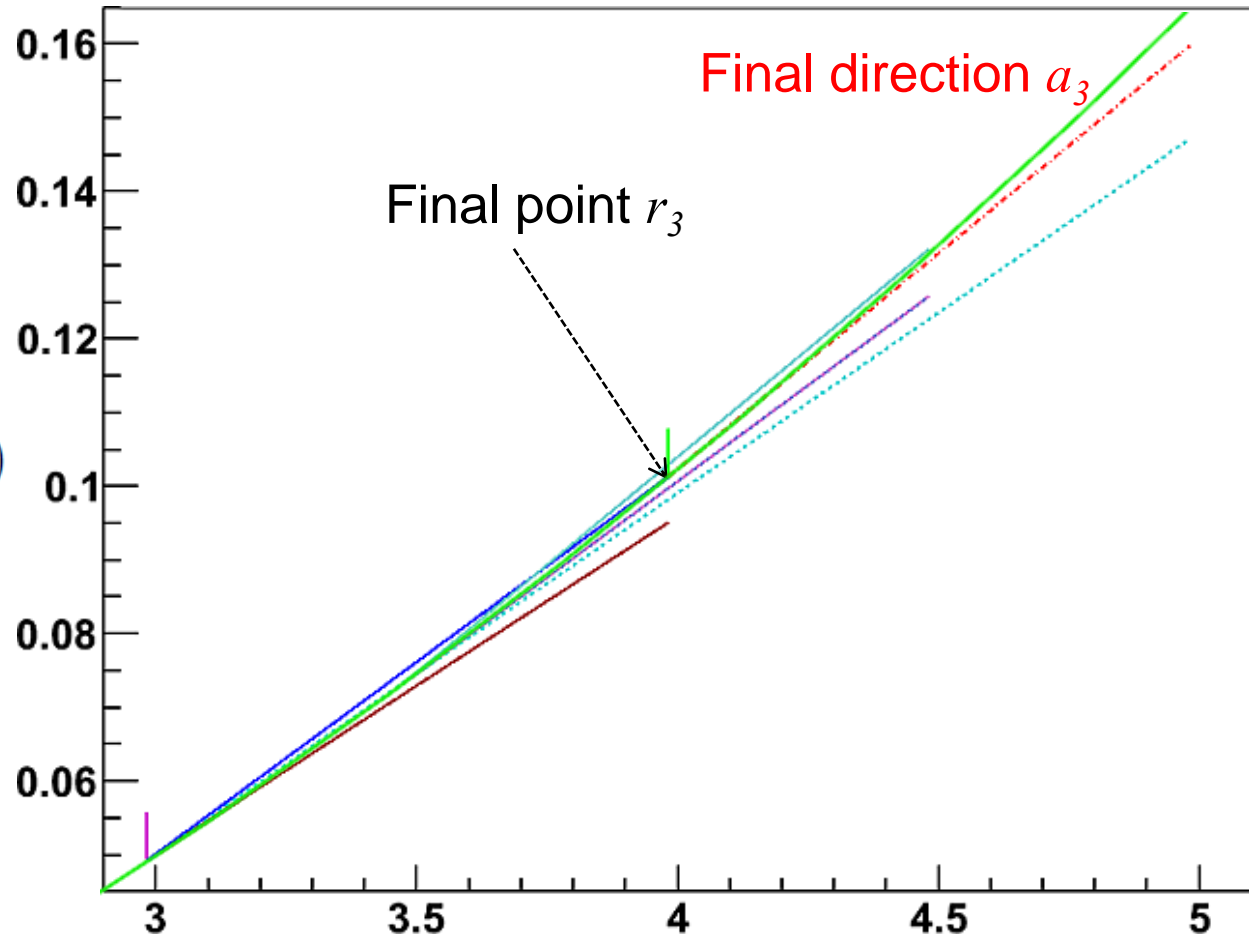
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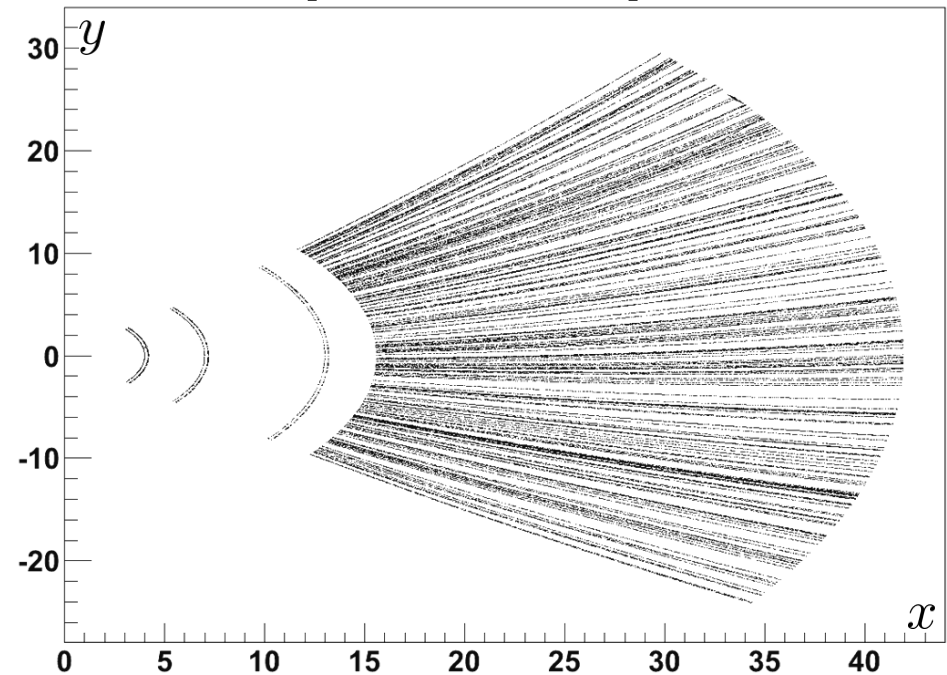


$$\vec{r}_3 = \vec{r}_0 + \frac{1}{3}S \left(\vec{A}_2 + \vec{A}_3 + \vec{A}_4 \right)$$

$$\vec{a}_3 = \left(\vec{A}_0 + 2\vec{A}_3 + \vec{A}_5 + \vec{A}_6 \right) / \left| \vec{A}_0 + 2\vec{A}_3 + \vec{A}_5 + \vec{A}_6 \right|$$

Performance study of RKTrackRep and comparison to GeaneTrackRep

- Monte Carlo Simulation
 - 2000 particles/simulation
 - Theta=90°
 - 2mm Si + TPC gas
(~2% radiation length)



- Fitted with GENFIT (RKTrackRep and GeaneTrackRep)
- Quality of fitting tested with **pull**:

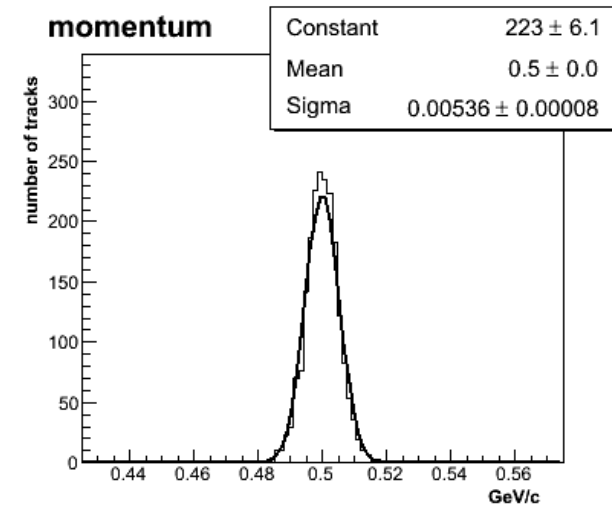
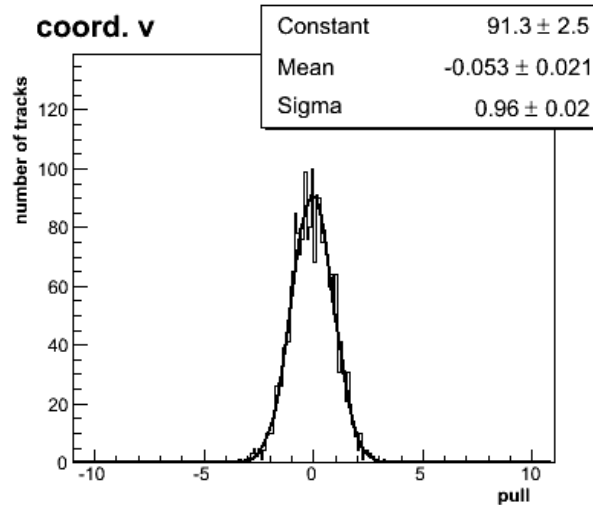
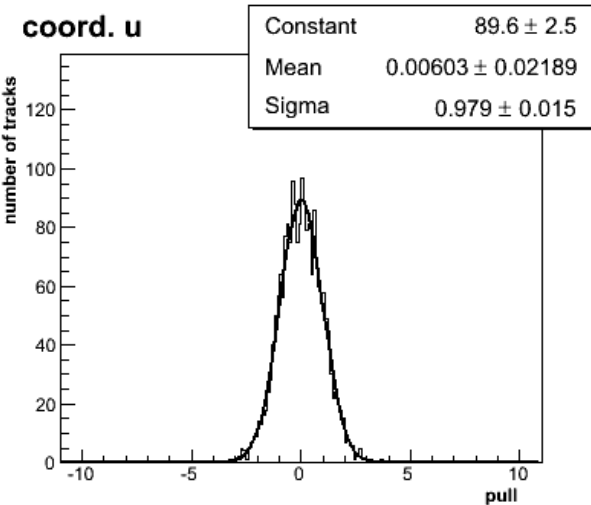
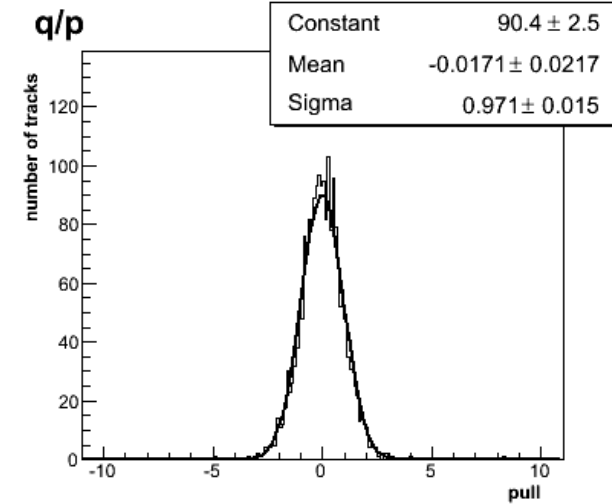
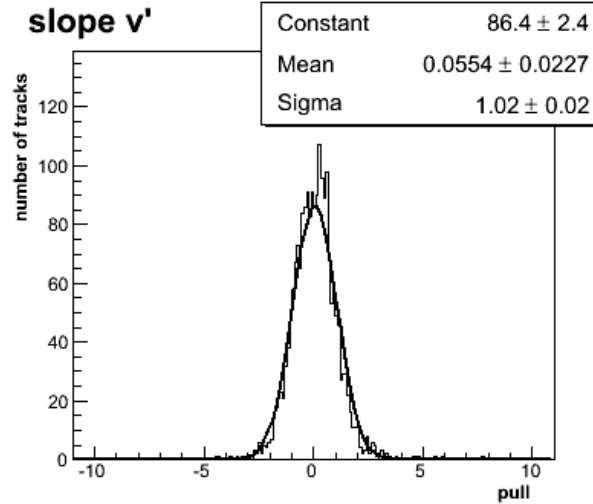
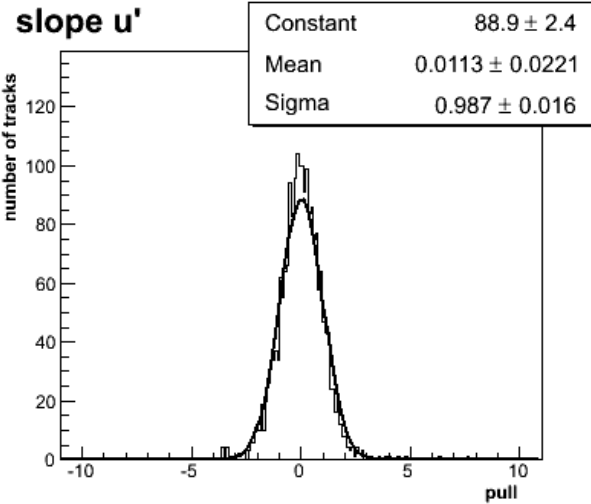
$$\text{pull}(x) = \frac{x_{\text{fit}} - x_{\text{true}}}{\sigma_{x, \text{fit}}}$$

- For a perfect fit pull distribution is a gaussian centered at 0 with width 1

RK

0.5 GeV μ^-

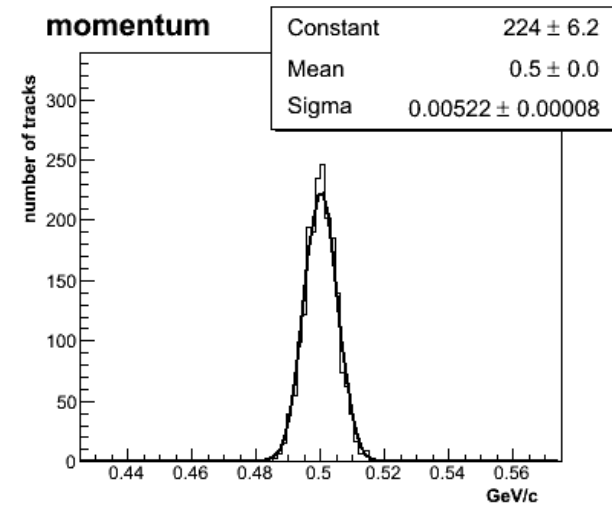
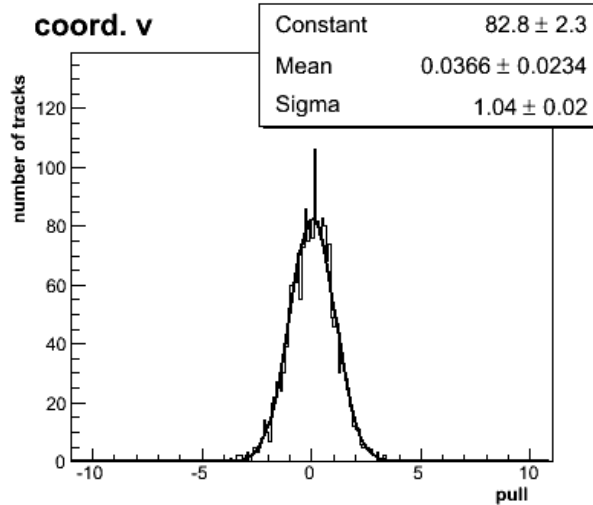
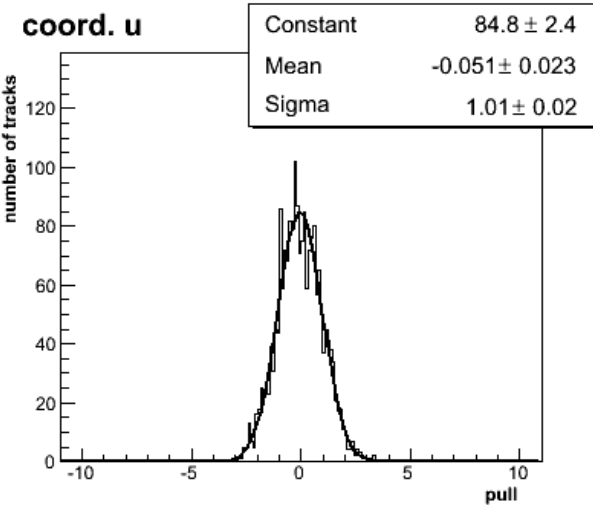
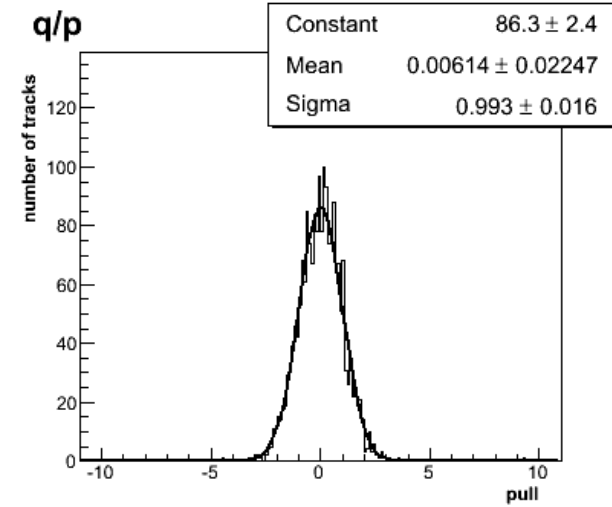
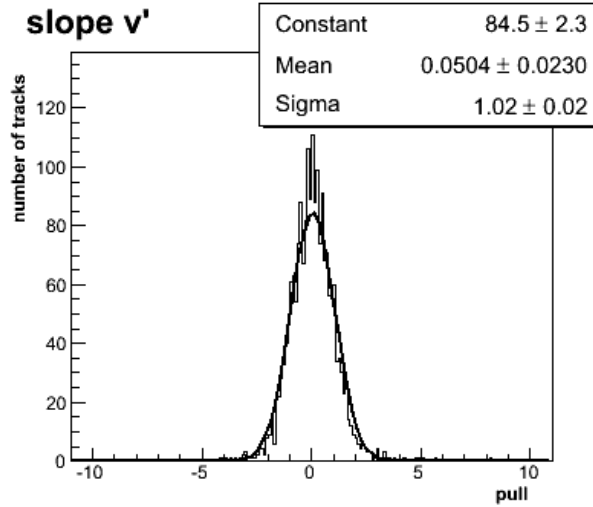
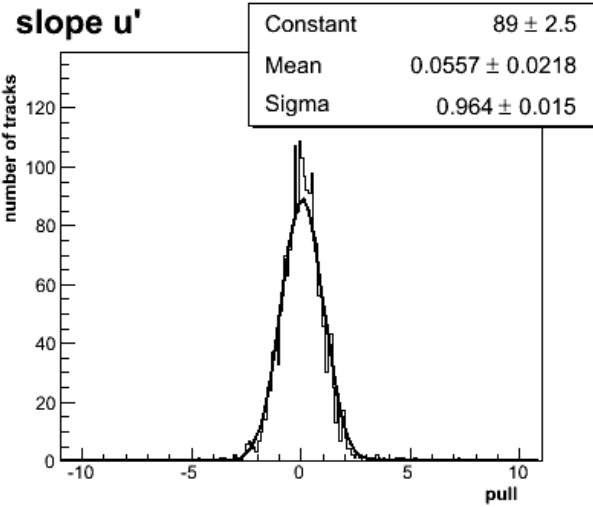
efficiency 99.95 %



GEANE

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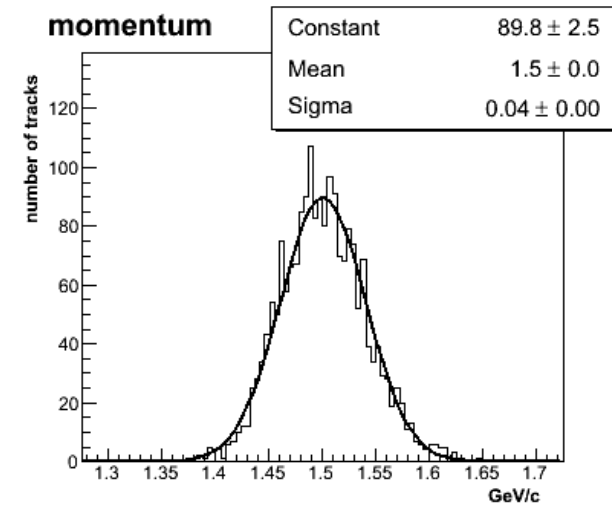
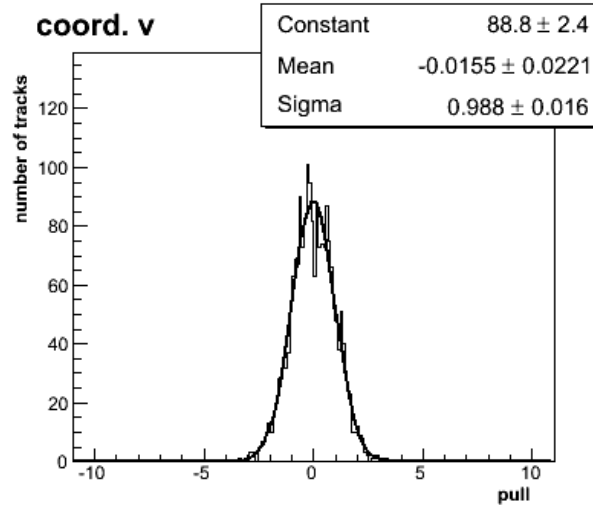
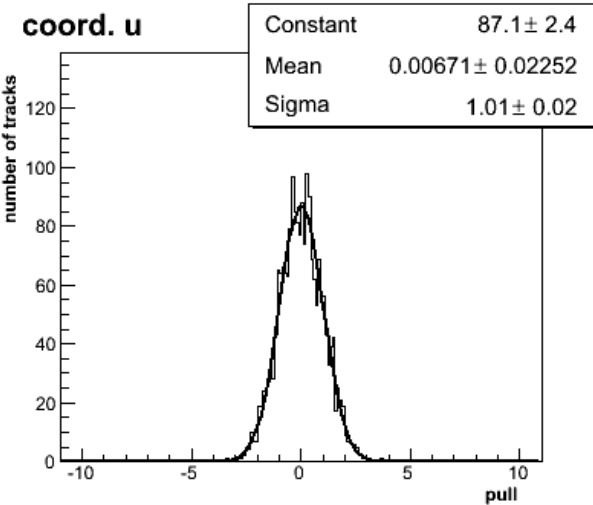
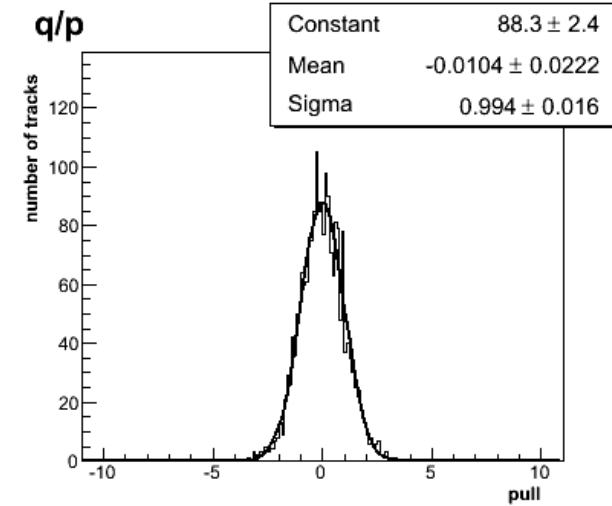
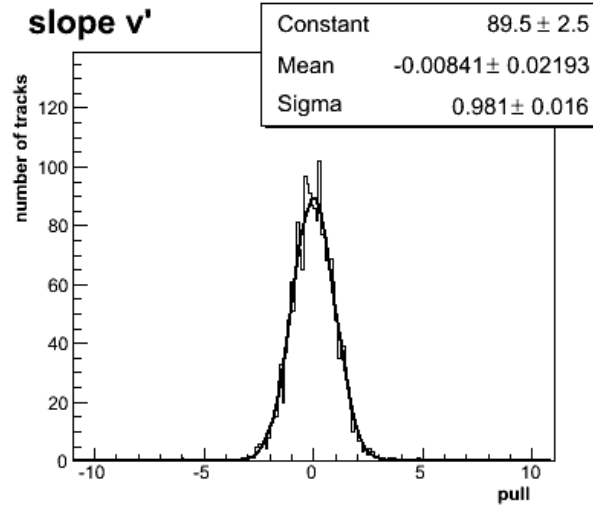
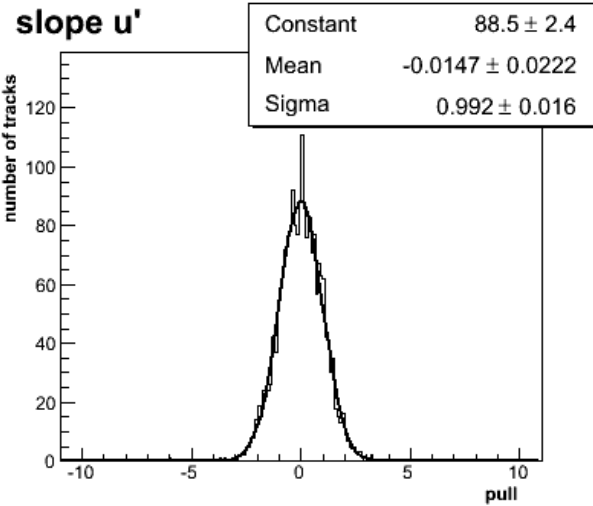
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RK

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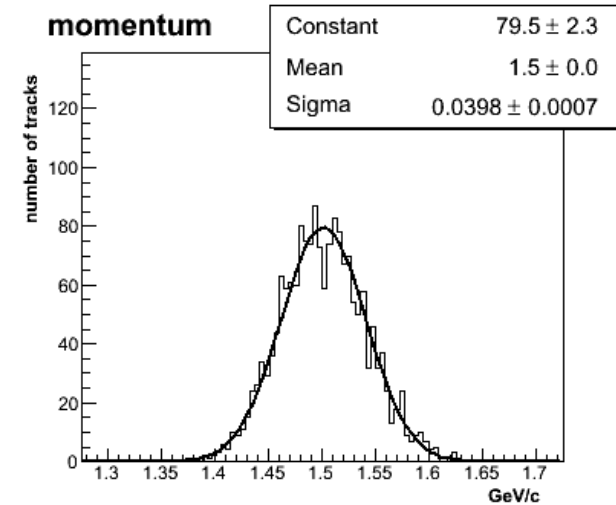
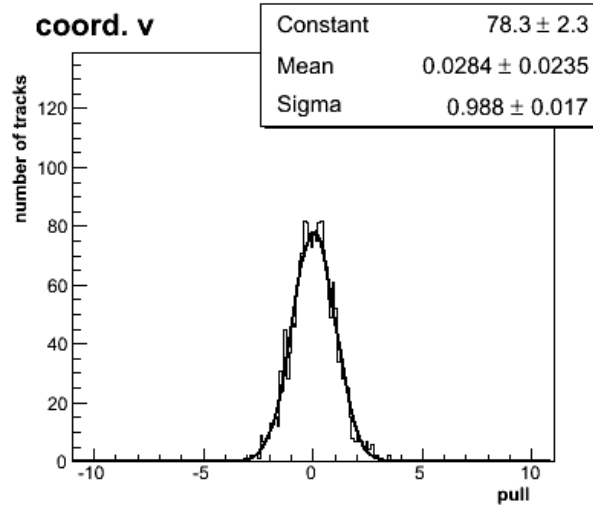
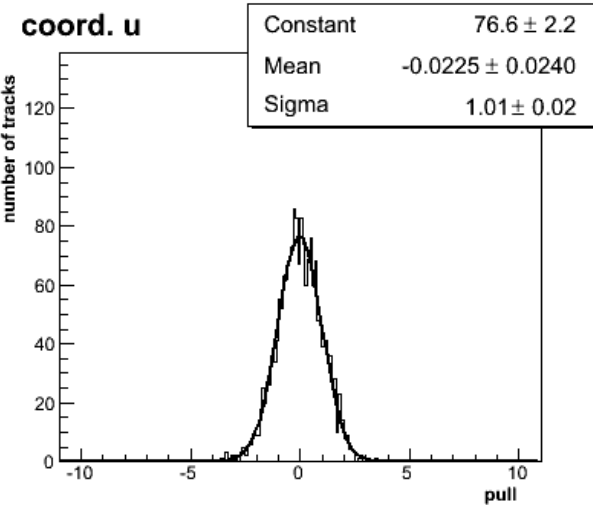
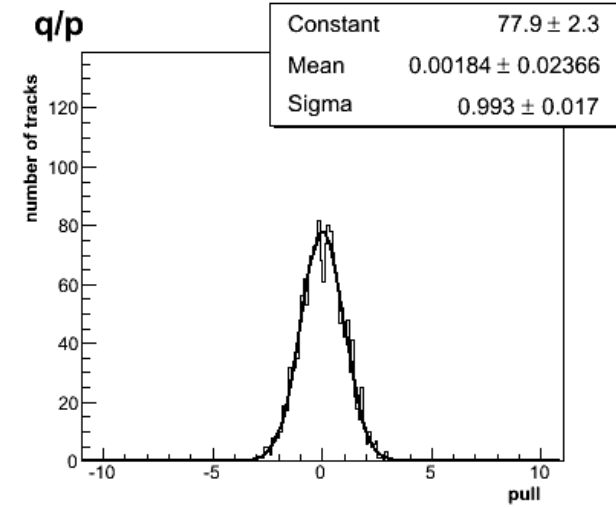
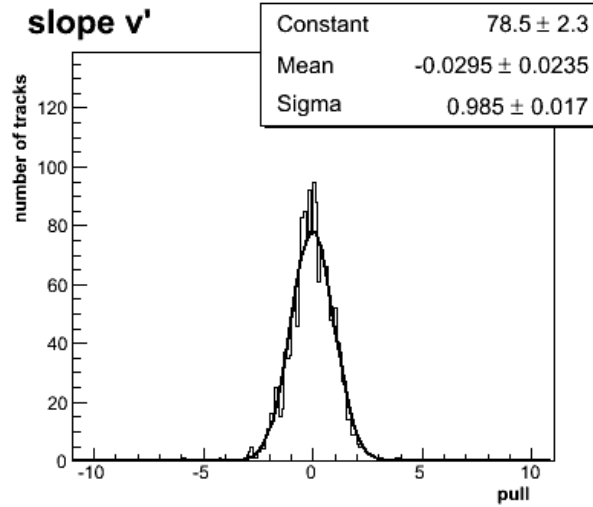
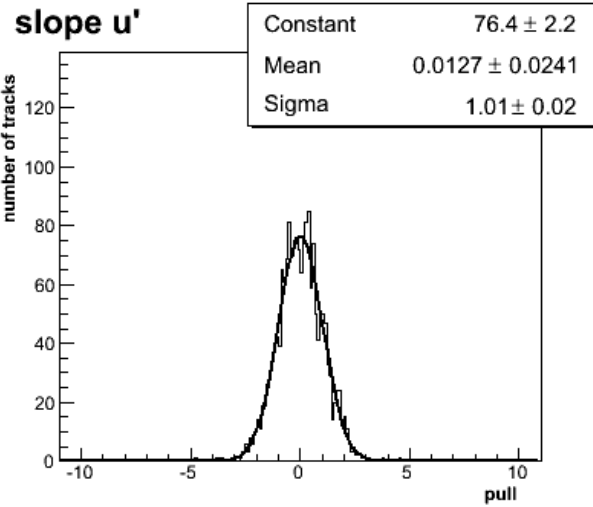
efficiency 100 %



GEANE

1.5 GeV μ^-

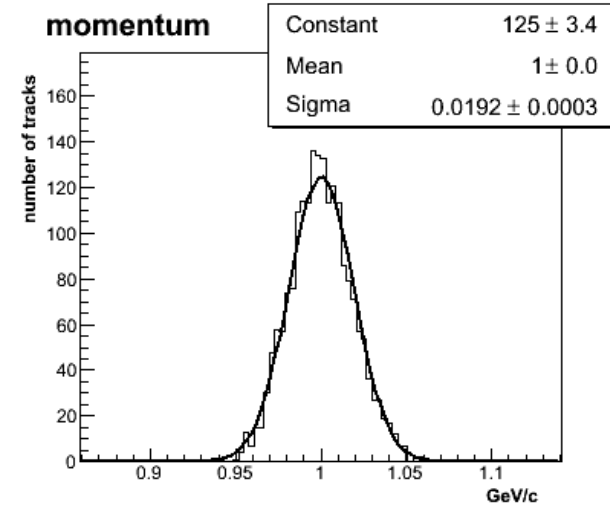
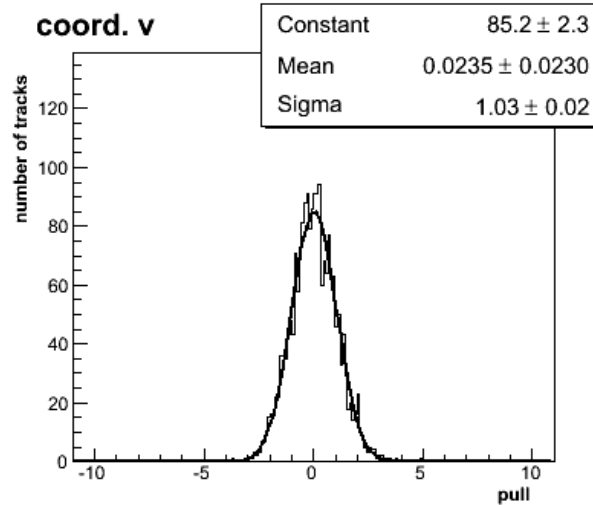
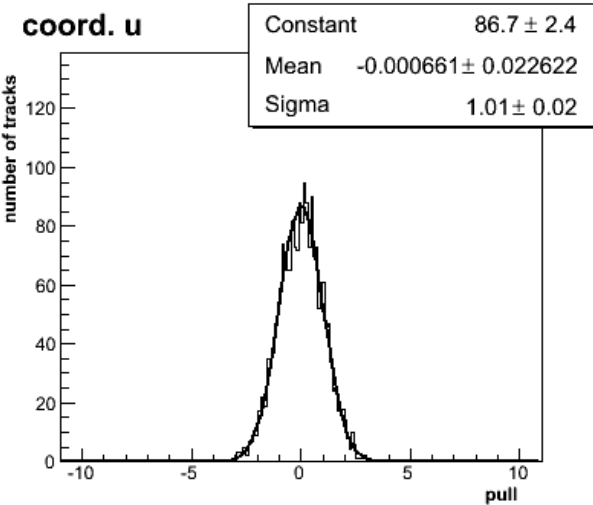
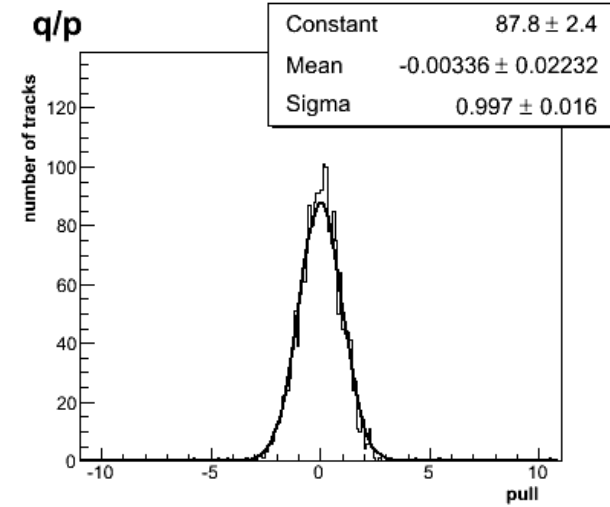
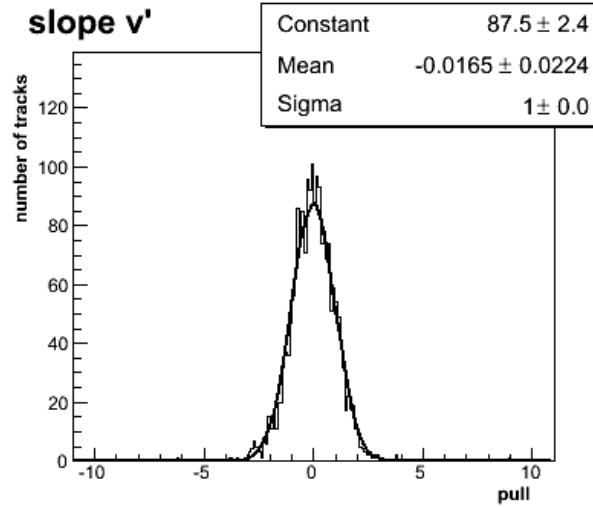
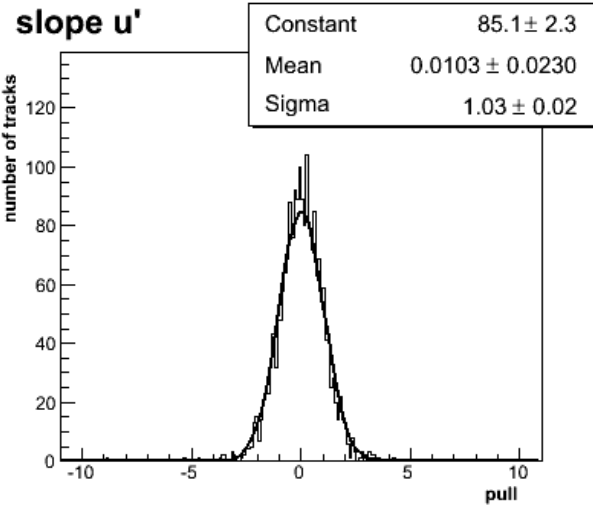
efficiency 88.15 %



RK

1.0 GeV p

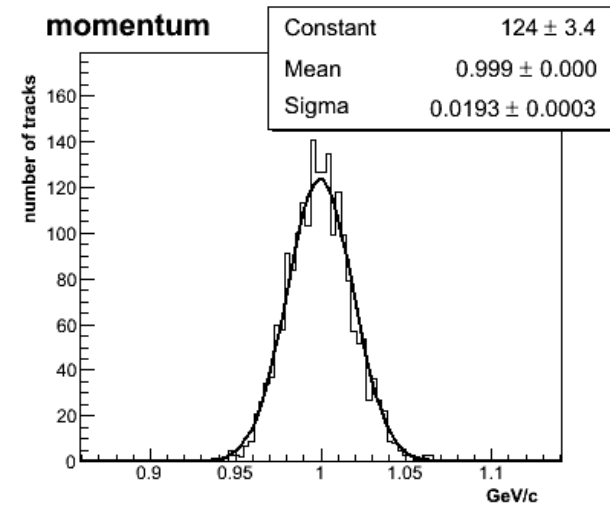
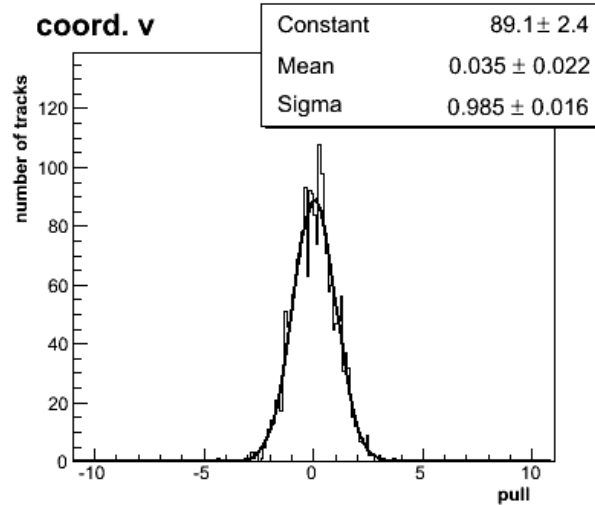
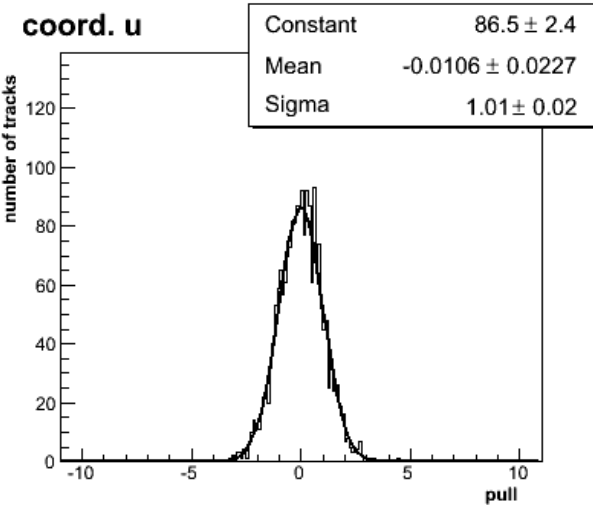
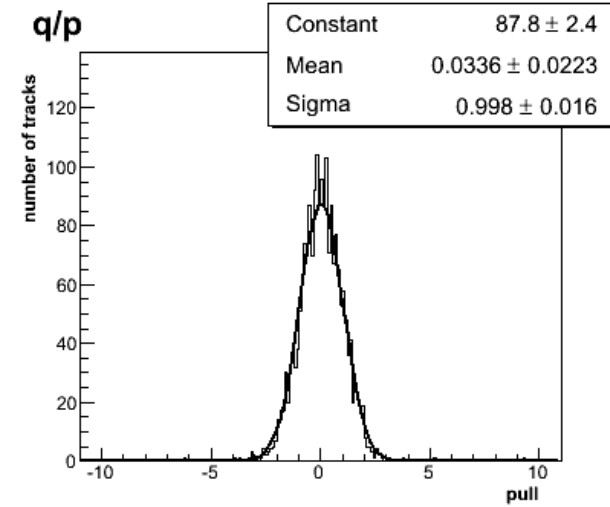
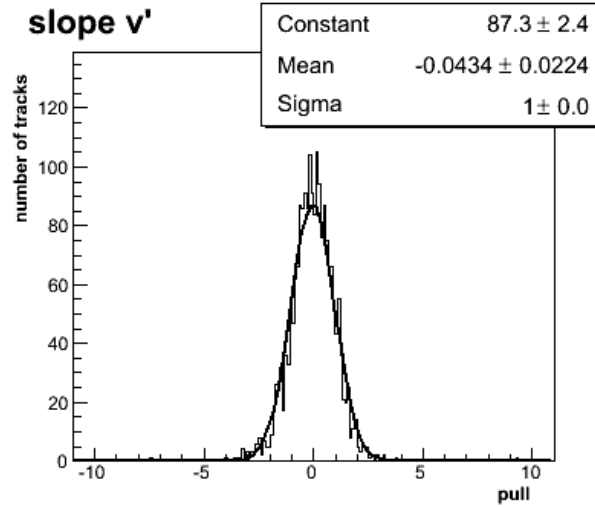
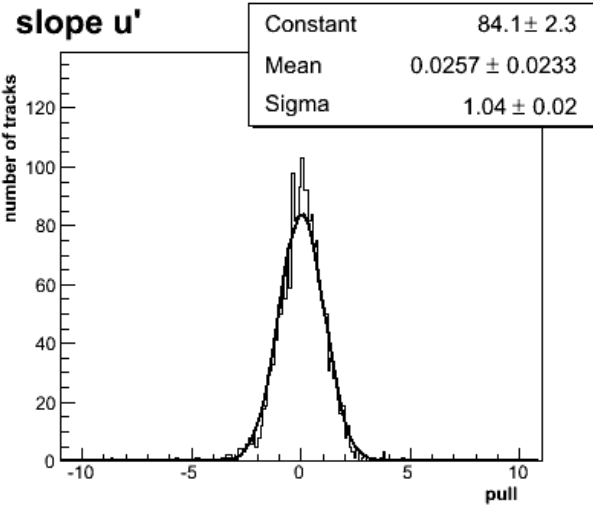
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GEANE

1.0 GeV p

efficiency 99.9 %



Comparison Overview

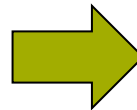
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Energy	Particle		Slope u'		Slope v'		Coordinate u		Coordinate v		q/p		
			Mean	Sigma	Mean	Sigma	Mean	Sigma	Mean	Sigma	Mean	Sigma	
0.5 GeV	μ^-	99.95%	0.0113	0.987	0.0554	1.020	0.00603	0.979	-0.0530	0.960	-0.01710	0.971	RK
		97.70%	0.0557	0.964	0.0504	1.020	-0.05100	1.010	0.0366	1.040	0.00614	0.993	GEANE
100.00%		-0.0147	0.992	-0.0084	0.981	0.00671	1.010	-0.0155	0.988	-0.01040	0.994	RK	
88.15%		0.0127	1.010	-0.0295	0.985	-0.02250	1.010	0.0284	0.998	0.00184	0.993	GEANE	
1.5 GeV	μ^+	100.00%	-0.0011	0.982	-0.0277	0.990	-0.02510	0.995	0.0226	1.020	0.01820	0.999	RK
		95.60%	0.0164	0.975	-0.0337	1.000	-0.03070	0.987	0.0419	1.020	0.03430	1.010	GEANE
1.0 GeV	p	99.90%	0.0103	1.030	-0.0165	1.000	-0.00066	1.010	0.0235	1.030	-0.00336	0.997	RK
		99.90%	0.0257	1.040	-0.0434	1.000	-0.01060	1.010	0.0350	0.985	0.03360	0.998	GEANE

- Very similar performance, within uncertainty of only 2000 MC events none of the track representations is significantly better.
- RKTrackRep tends to have a better reconstruction efficiency and slightly better pull distributions

Conclusion

- RKTrackRep is almost complete (bremsstrahlung is under development)
- Can be used for complete panda phase space, including forward tracks ($\theta=0$)
- Overall performance and resolution is comparable to GeaneTrackRep

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GeaneTrackRep(FairGeanePro* geane,  
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              const TVector3& momerr,  
              double q,  
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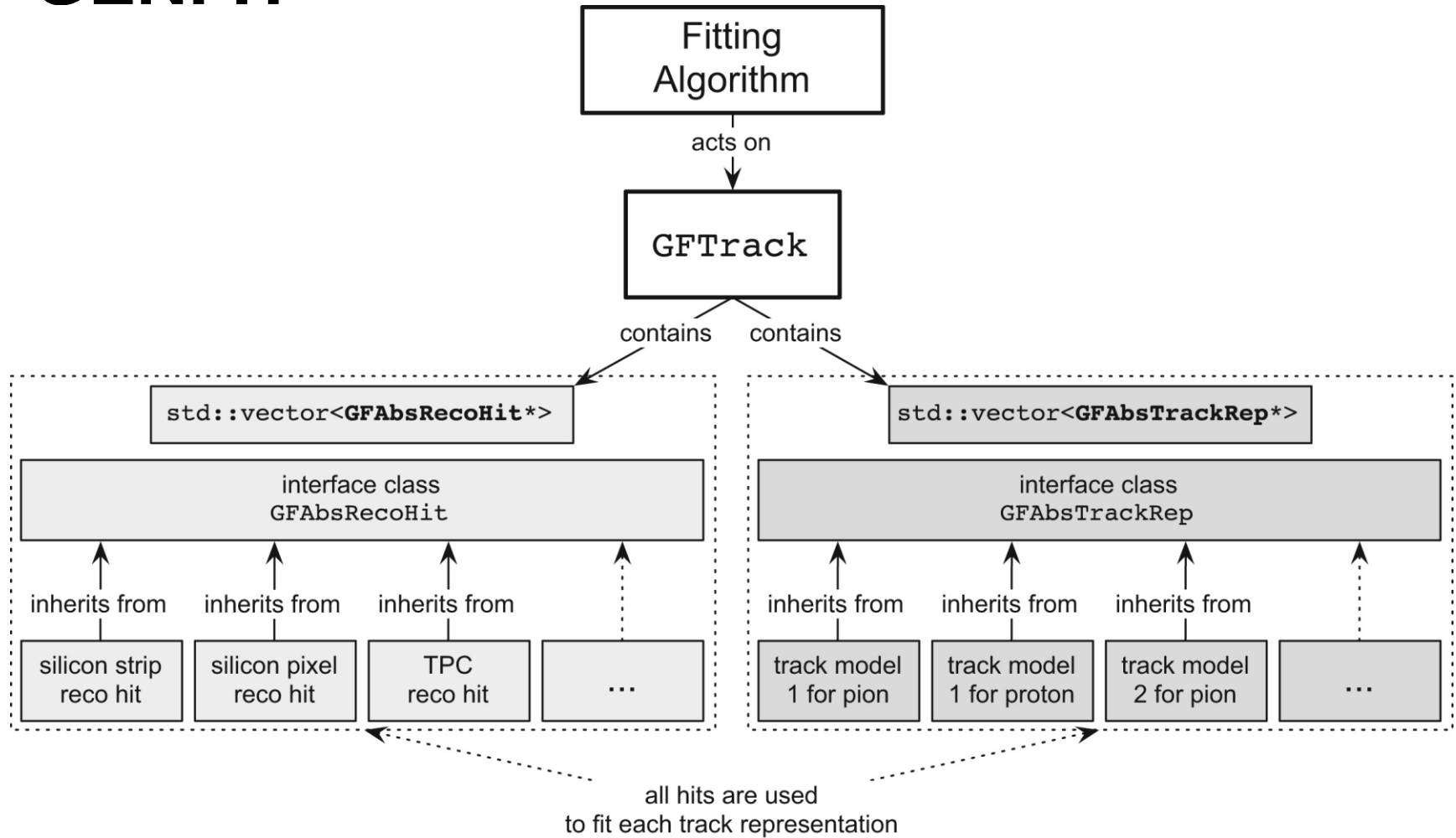


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```

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Track Representation – Interface

- virtual double **extrapolate**(const GFDetPlane& plane, TMatrixT<double>& statePred, TMatrixT<double>& covPred)
 - Extrapolates track to the given detector plane,
 - returns path length, predicted state (by ref.), predicted covariance (by ref.)
- virtual void **extrapolateToPoint**(const TVector3& point, TVector3& poca, TVector3& normVec)
 - Extrapolates track to the point of closest approach (POCA) to a point in space
 - Returns POCA (by ref.), flight direction at POCA (by ref.)
- virtual void **extrapolateToLine**(const TVector3& point1, const TVector3& point2, TVector3& poca, TVector3& normVec, TVector3& poca_onwire)
 - Extrapolates track to the point of closest approach to a line
 - Returns POCA (by ref.), flight direction at POCA (by ref.)

RKTrackRep – Material Model

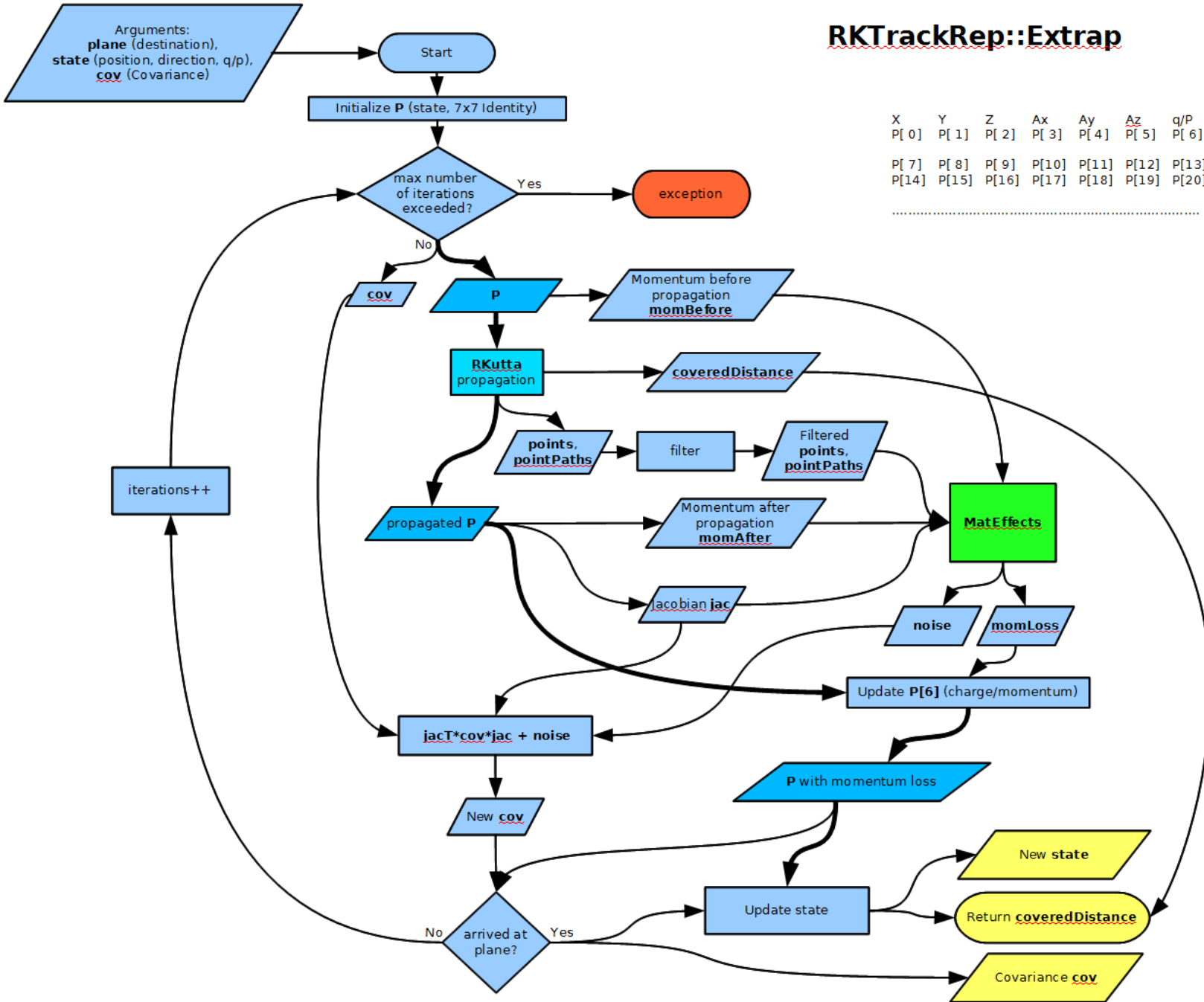
Steppers

- Steppers must inherit from `GFAbsMatStep`
- Multiple steppers can be used in parallel
- `GFTestMatStep`:
 - Gets material parameters from `TGeo`
 - calculates dE/dx
 - limits stepsize so that a specified maximum momentum loss will not be exceeded

Effects

- Effects must inherit from `GFAbsMatEffect`
- Multiple effects can be used in parallel
- `GFTestMatEffect`:
 - Gets material parameters from `TGeo`
 - Momentum loss (Bethe Bloch)
 - Noise matrix (multiple scattering, Energy loss straggling)
 - Currently working on implementation of Bremsstrahlung

RKTrackRep::Extrap

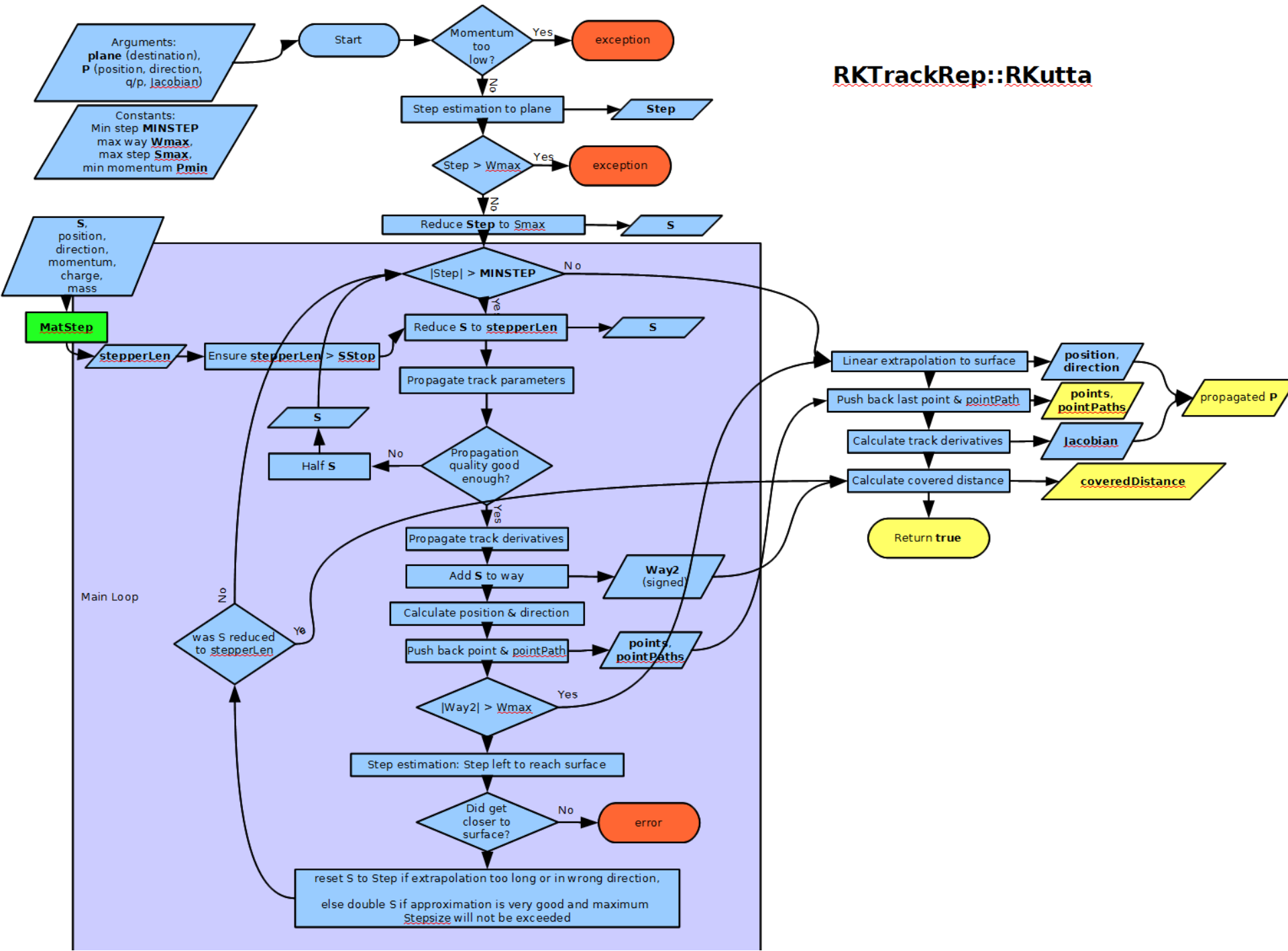


X	Y	Z	Ax	Ay	Az	q/P
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P[7]	P[8]	P[9]	P[10]	P[11]	P[12]	P[13]*P[6]
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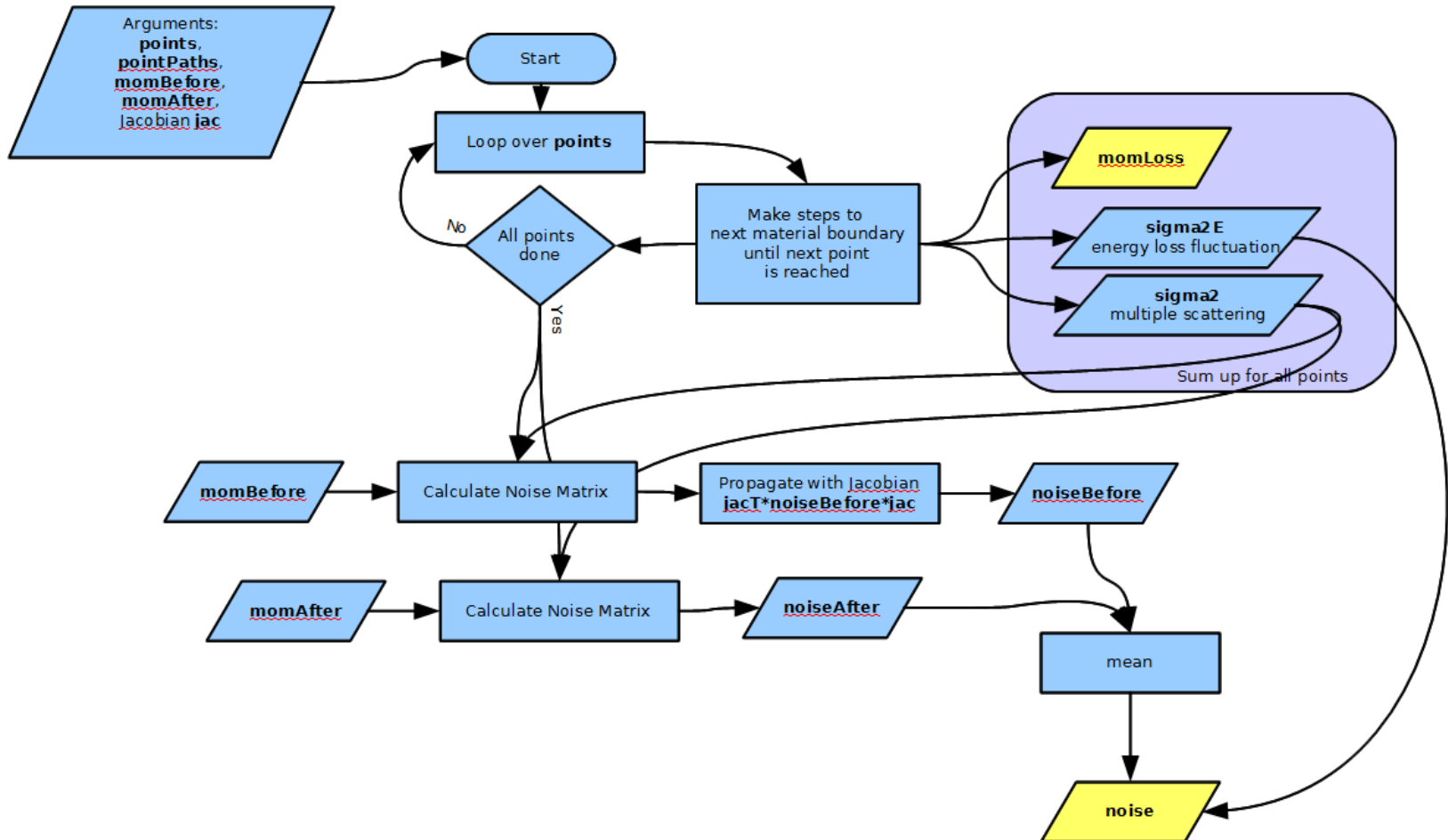
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d()/dX_before
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GFTestMatEffect

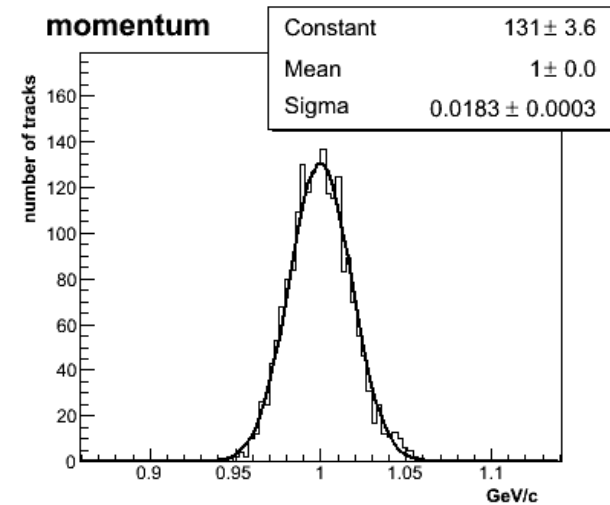
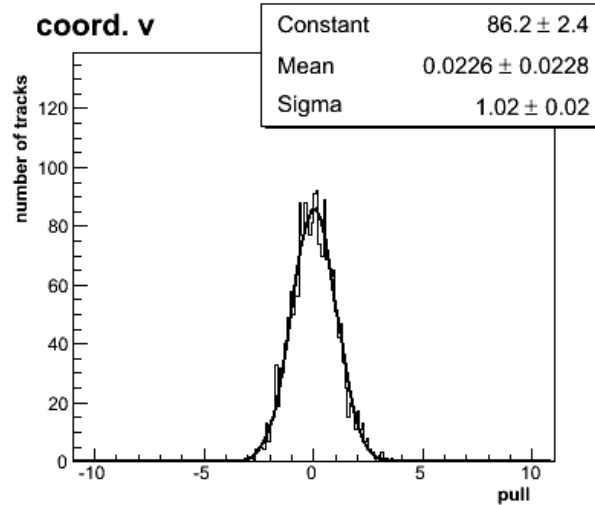
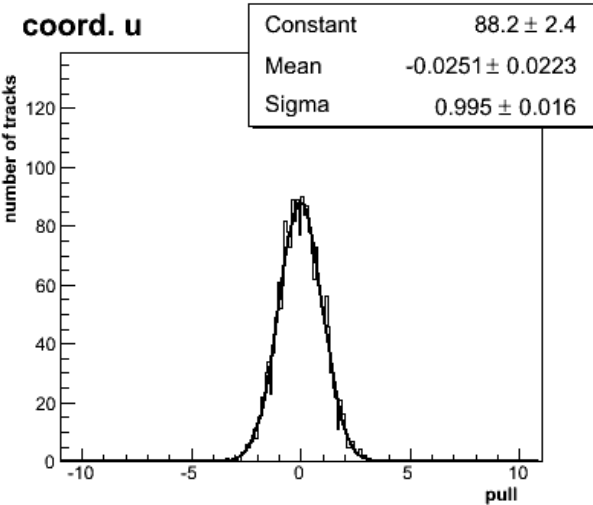
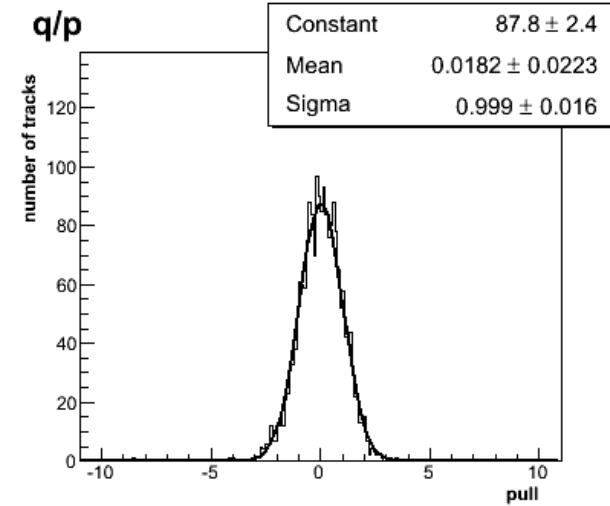
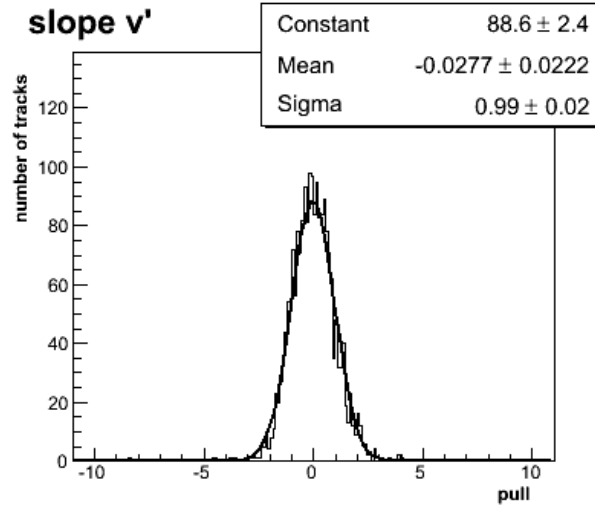
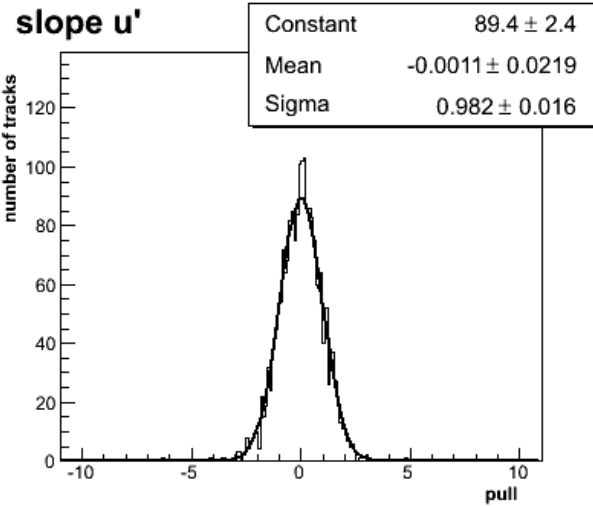


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1.0 GeV μ^+

time 0:46

efficiency 100 %



GEANE

1.0 GeV μ^+

time 0:59

efficiency 95.6 %

