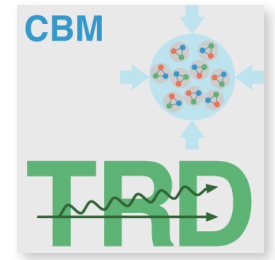


# Checking MVD productions and usage

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# What is checked?

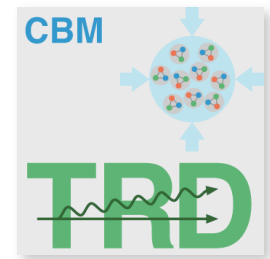
## Common productions

- `/lustre/cbm/users/isegal/mc/cbmsim/apr20_fr_18.2.1_fs_jun19p1/urqmd_pluto_w/auau/12agev/centr_0_10/sis100_electron_target_25_mkm/TGeant4/`
- `/lustre/cbm/users/isegal/mc/cbmsim/apr20_fr_18.2.1_fs_jun19p1/urqmd_pluto_inmed_had_epem_12gev/auau/12agev/centr_0_10/sis100_electron_target_25_mkm_no_mvd/TGeant4/`

Analysis was done with the PaPa framework

Simulation properties can be checked at:

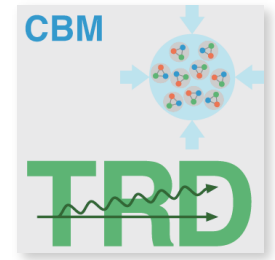
- <https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1JjWtDWYRN14zr6xK5jMiTRSeFoSf2lO3APliogg4qpo/edit#gid=111194980>



# Cut class information

	ACC	REC	FULL
MC STS hits	> 0	> 0	> 0
MC RICH hits	> 0	> 0	> 0
MC TRD hits	> 0	> 0	> 0
STS hits		> 2	> 2
$\chi^2/NDF$		< 3	< 3
RICH hits		> 5	> 5
TRD hits		> 2	> 2
RICH eID			90 %
TRD eID			80 %

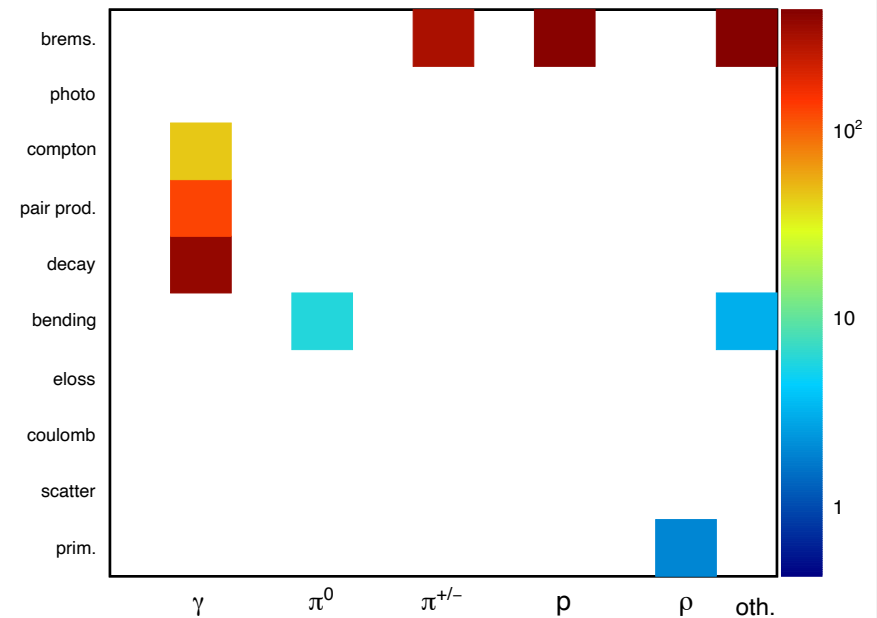
# Electron production - MC tracks



**These are all produced electrons, together with their respective production mechanism as marked by GEANT**

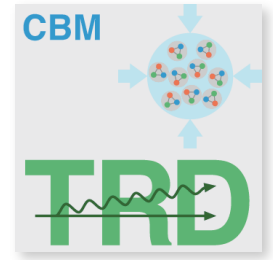
**The x axis shows the mother particle**

**The very last column are all other particles**



**P.S. If anybody knows to which mechanism “kPMagneticFieldL” (bending in magnetic field) is referring, please inform us**

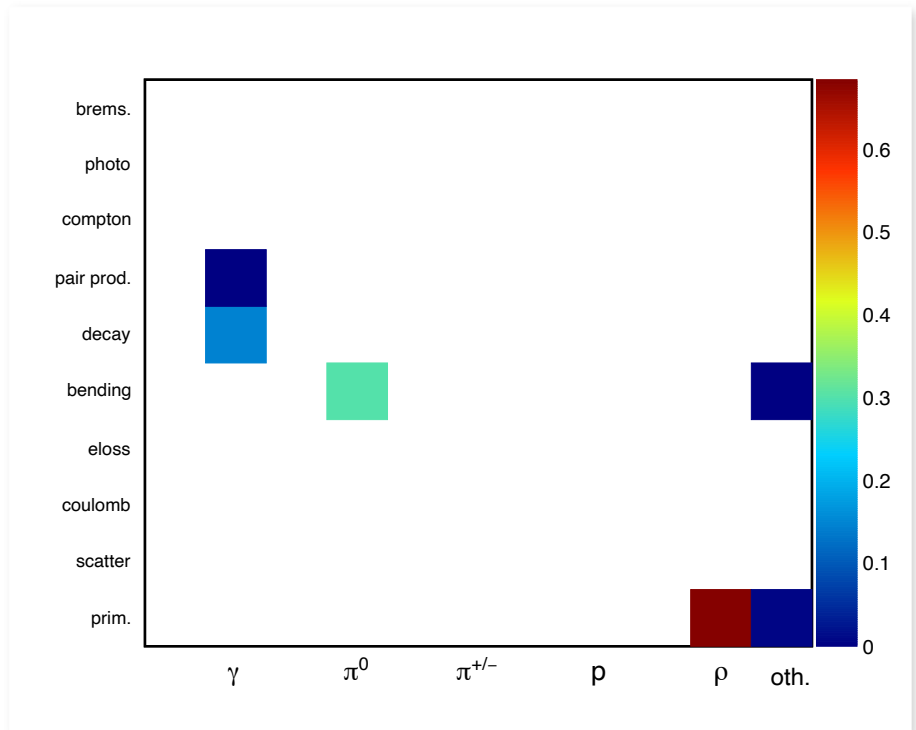
# Electron production - tracks in reconstruction cuts



The total electron load reduces drastically with regular reconstruction cuts:

- > 2 STS hits
- > 5 RICH hits
- > 2 TRD hits
- < 3  $\chi^2/\text{NDF}$

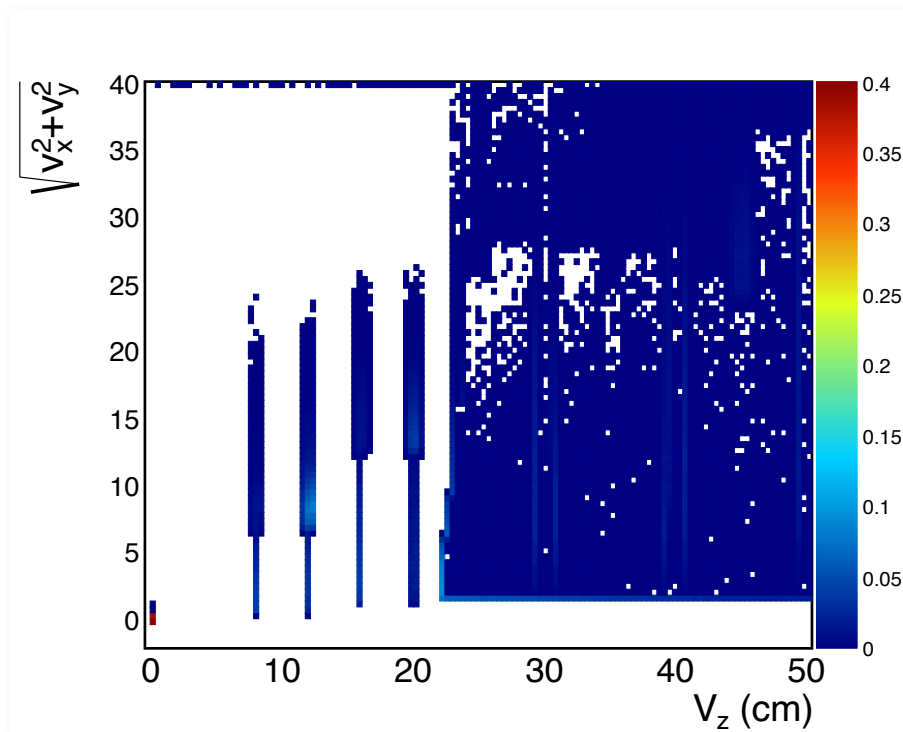
I am currently looking into the electrons from  $\pi^0$  but I don't want to be too hasty with the results



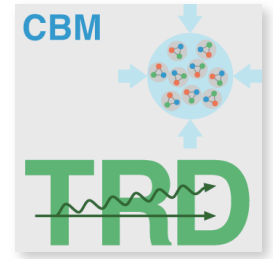
# Primary vertex of conversions - MC tracks



**The MC tracks show that most conversions are produced in the target but additional come from the detector material**



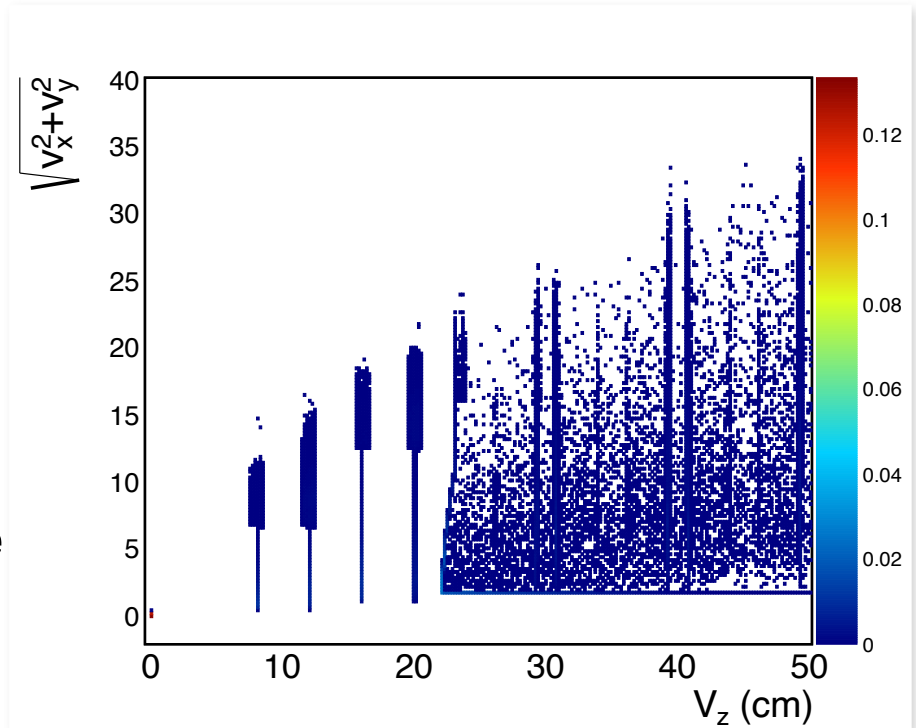
# Primary vertex of conversions - ACC cuts



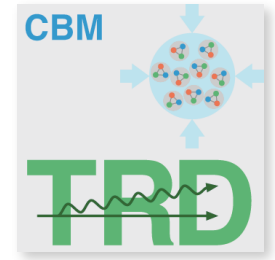
If I apply:

- > 0 MC STS hits
- > 0 MC RICH hits
- > 0 MC TRD hits

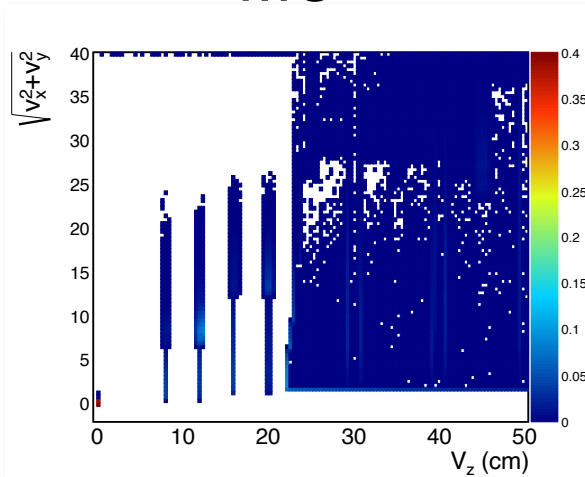
The remaining conversions reduce drastically



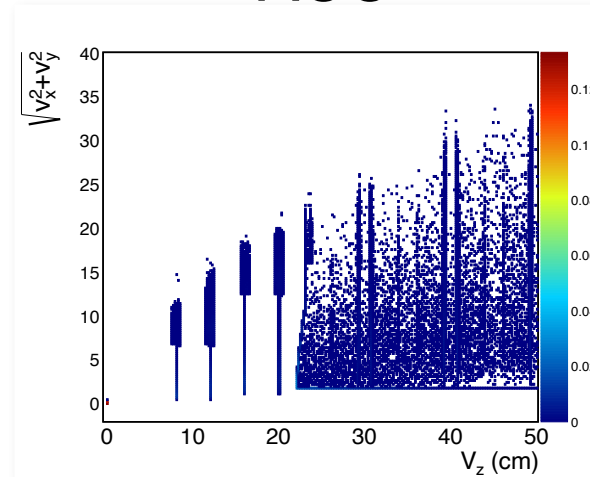
# Primary vertex of conversions



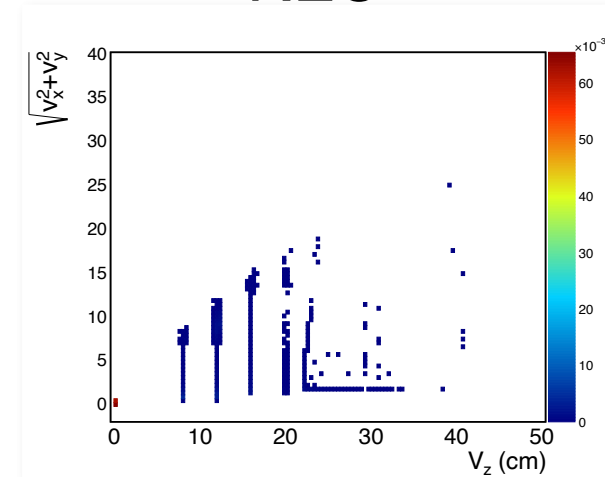
MC



ACC



REC



With all regular reconstruction cuts there are a few conversions left that could be rejected via usage of the MVD

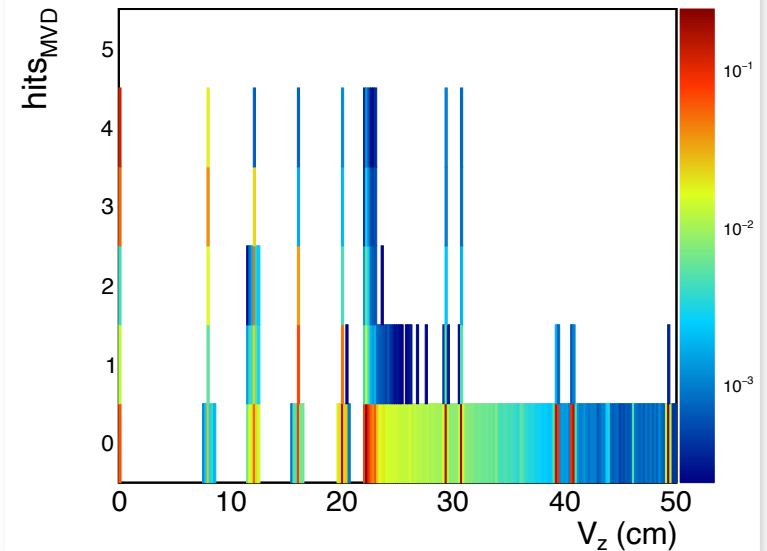


# MVD hits

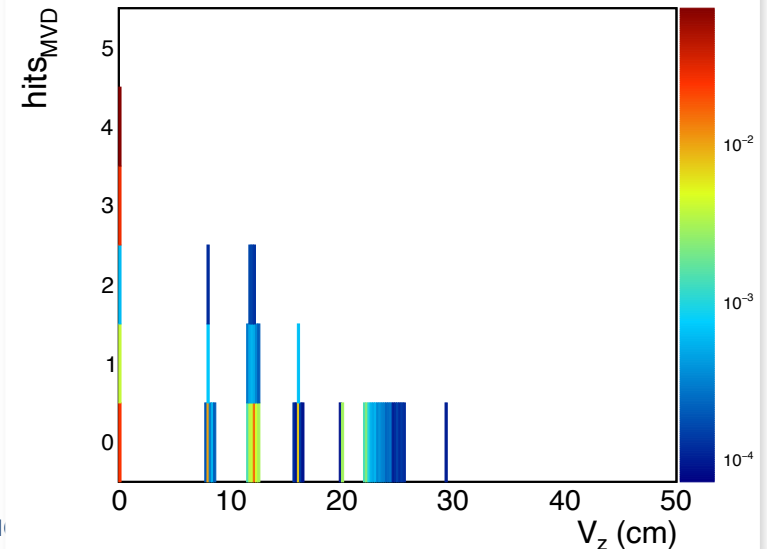
Here we see that there could potentially be the opportunity for some rejections with the usage of the MVD

ACC

CBM



REC

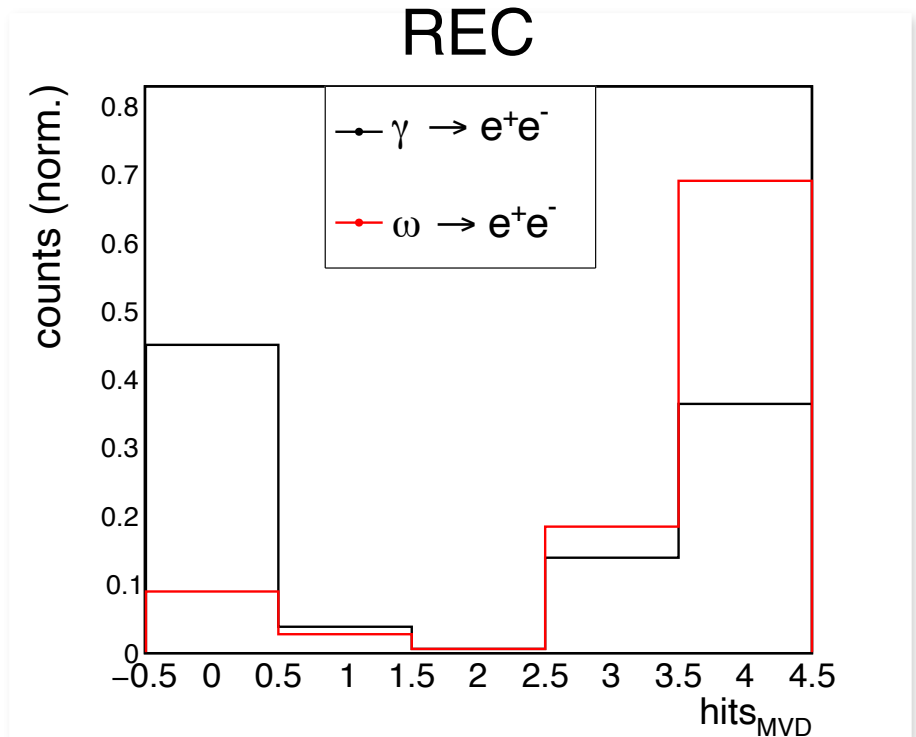


# Usage of the MVD - first look

**We would assume that the particles, coming from the target, are seen in the MVD**

**Therefore, I apply:**

**> 2 MVD hits**

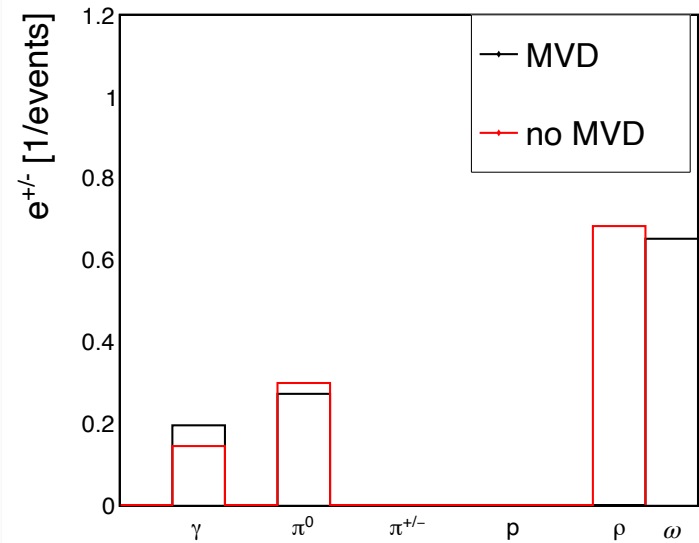


# Comparison of the productions

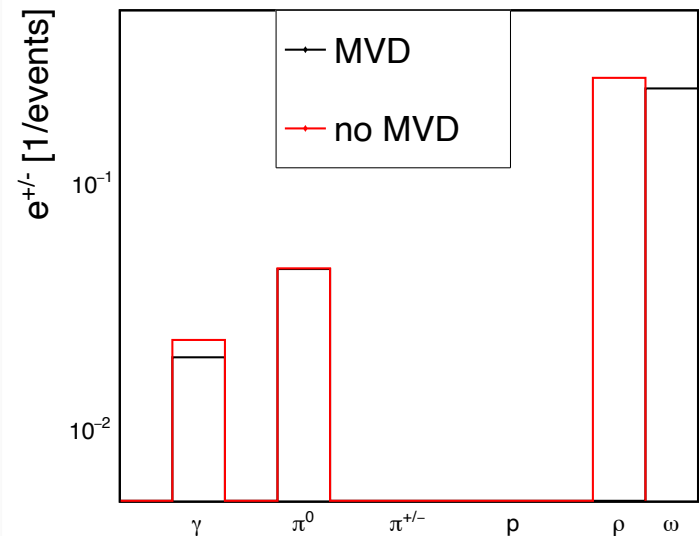
**MVD introduces some additional gamma conversions**

**However, the total  $\gamma \rightarrow e^+e^-$  contribution can be reduced in the final stack**

REC

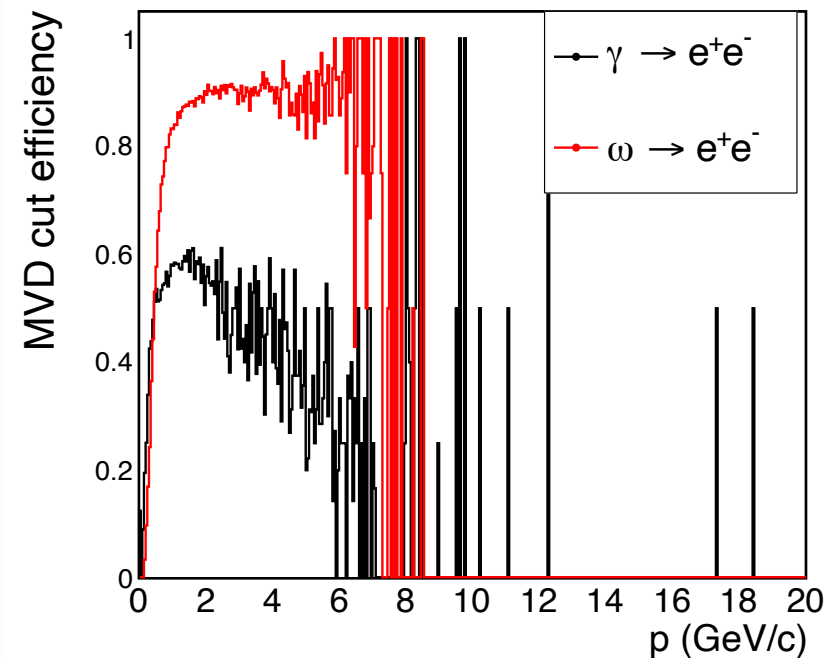


FULL



# Usage of the MVD - first look

**This cut can drastically decrease the contributions of gamma conversions at the cost of a bit of signal**



# Next steps

Use MVD for track filtering

-> reject both legs from the pairing procedure  
(this could further reduce the background)

Use larger productions to quantify the impact of the MVD  
on the invariant mass spectra

Directly compare physics observables in productions with  
and without the MVD

