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Online Processing: Configuration

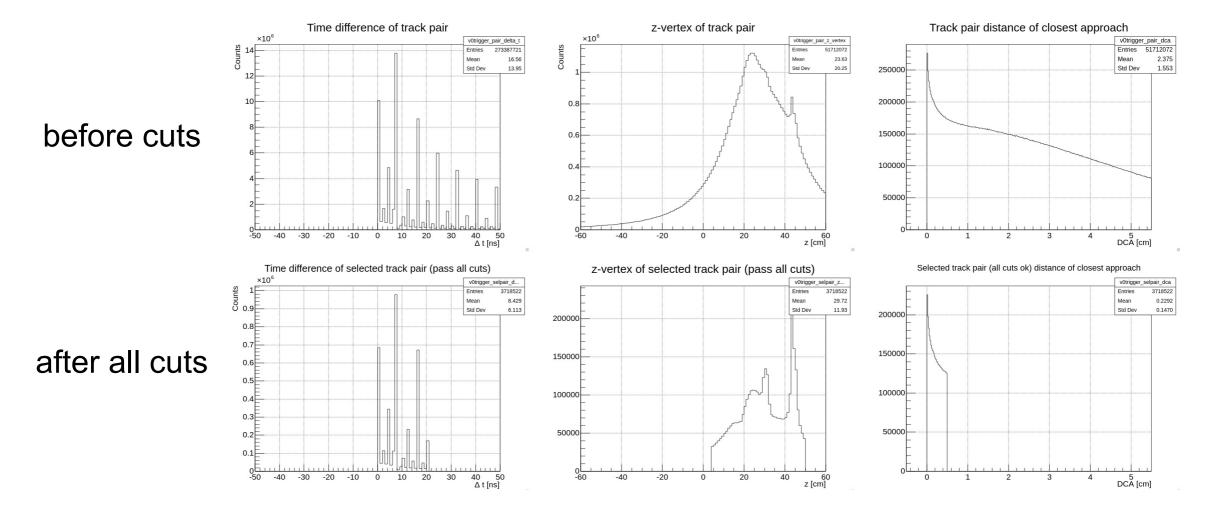
- Timeslice reconstruction (sts / trd / tof / tracking)
- V0 topology trigger
- Online event reconstruction and QA
- No event selection

V0 Topology Trigger

- Process tracks produced by CA (timeslice reconstruction)
- Single track cuts
 - First z coordinate: -10 < track.fParFirst.Z() < 50 (to ensure track starts with STS)
 - Last z coordinate: not used (open cut)
 - Impact parameter in x and y > 1 cm (to exclude primary tracks)
- Track pairs cuts
 - Delta t < 20 ns (to exclude track pairs from different events)
 - Distance at point of closest approach < 0.5 cm
 - 4 < z position of PCA < 50 (to exclude track pairs from target)

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v0trigger:
track_start_z_min: -10
track_start_z_max: 50
track_end_z_min: -50
track_impact_x_min: -1
track_impact_x_max: 1
track_impact_y_min: -1
track_impact_y_max: 1
pair_deltaT_max: 20
pair_dist_max: 0.5
pair_z_min: 4
pair_z_max: 50
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Trigger variables (Online Histogram Server)



After time and distance cut, the material distribution becomes visible (conversion pairs).

V0 Trigger: Issues

- Spiky structure in the delta_t distribution?
- Need to study delta_t distribution on much larger scale in order to define a sensible cut on same-event track pairs.
- Optimise impact parameter cuts
- Neglect material region (z > 20 cm)?

To be addressed offline.

Offline Programme

- Study and understand distributions of cut variables.
 - Run binary from tsa with timeslice tracking, but w/o trigger; analyse tracks in cbmroot
- Define proper cut variables
 - Need not be optimised to the ultimate level; study data suppression as function of cuts
- Re-run data processing offline with proper trigger settings.
- Analysis of triggered events with KFPF (Lambda).

Once this is carried out, do a replay data challenge to study performance and load on compute nodes:

- digi multiplicity trigger
- V0 topology trigger

Compare Lambda inv. Mass with both settings (selling plot for ECE May 2025).