



Background simulation

- 1. Simulate background at front surface of calorimeter (Zhiwen)
- 2. Simulate calorimeter response to a wide range of background particle
- of background particle 3. Combine above two sur over all contributions (EM, DIS, pio, pi+,pi-) -> background distribution
- Imbed into the signal simulation (high energy e, pi), assuming a 50ns coincidental window





Example: photon response

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SIDIS – Large Angle



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Dominant background

- 0.3 GHz low energy photon for inner-R 1+6 hexagon clusters
- But well shielded by 2-Xo preshower absorber



Background distribution





Raw signal distribution, Black: background, Red: n E deposition in preshower (MeV) Scint. Scintillator energy deposition in shower (MeV)





ElectronPion



Pion rejection w/o background @ 94% electron eff





w/ background (inner-R) Electron efficiency





w/ background (inner-R) Pion efficiency (1/rejecton)



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Trigger turn-on curve

Proposed trigger rate and rejection

$$T_L^e(11 \text{ GeV}) = Y_L^e + Y_L^{\gamma} + \frac{Y_L^h}{R_{LC}} = 11 + 51.5 + \frac{55.6}{20} = 65 \text{ kHz}$$

- Pion rejection needed ~ 20:1, but I think can be relaxed
- Additional photon rejection help more
- Single-Shower 1+6 cluster trigger tested
 - Full background spectrum considered
 - Cut on shower energy deposition > 2.6 GeV
 - Very high electron trigger efficiency



Pion turn-on curve Single-Shower trigger > 2.6 GeV



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What if we also want to rejection photons? - Add a scintillator pad

Scintillator MIP rate

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PVIDS Forward





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Updated radiation dose VS layers

- Photon (EM) <- dominant!
- Photon (Pi°)
- Electron
- Pion- Pion+ Proton



High radiation azimuthal region





Low radiation azimuthal region

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Background imbedding and distribution Mid-R, High Radiation phi slice





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Shower raw signal distribution, Black: background, Red: π, Blue: #e



• Photon (6GHz/6+1 Hex cluster)

- Electron
- Pion- Pion+ Proton Jin Huang



Updated: Per-event pion rate

for 1+6 hexagon cluster at Mid radius, high radiation slice



+ 3 GHz photon not shown



Update on PID with DC component removal (PS > MIP + Bgd + (2-3) σ)



Pion Efficiency

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Electron Efficiency

Update on PID with DC component removal (PS > MIP + Bgd + (2-3) σ)



More detail in PID cut

Middle radius, lower $\gamma \phi$ -band, full bgd



Pion Efficiency

Electron Efficiency



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Update on PID with DC component removal (PS > MIP + Bgd + (2-3) σ)





Inner radius, lower γ φ-band





Electron Efficiency

Pion Efficiency

Trigger turn on curve for 2 GeV electron Shower Hex 1+6 trigger > 1.6 GeV



Trigger turn on curve for 2.5 GeV electron Shower Hex 1+6 trigger > 2.1 GeV



Pion Efficiency

More detail in trigger cut

Middle radius, higher γ φ-band, full bgd Shower Hex 1+6 trigger > 2.1 GeV



Pion Efficiency

Electron Efficiency



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Readout occupancy per shower channel for ~75MeV zero suppression



