Feasibility studies of proton electromagnetic form factors with the $\bar{\text{P}}$ANDA detector

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Monte Carlo Simulations

Full MC simulation:

$\bar{p}p \to e^+e^-$

- $p(\bar{p}) = 1.7, 3.3, 6.4 GeV/c$
- $G_E/G_M = 0.0, 1.0, 3.0$
- $N = 10^6$

$\bar{p}p \to \pi^+\pi^-$

- $p(\bar{p}) = 1.7, 3.3 GeV/c$
- $N = 10^8$

CPU/HDD usage per event

$p(\bar{p})[GeV/c]$		1.7	3.3	6.4
CPU [s]	sim	0.47	0.58	0.65
	digi	0.29	0.29	0.32
	reco	2.08	2.05	1.91
	pid	1.19	1.26	1.31
	total	4.03	4.18	4.19
HDD [kB]	sim	20.3	27.0	38.0
	digi	5.9	6.8	7.7
	reco	6.7	6.7	6.5
	pid	1.4	1.4	1.5
	par	0.4	0.4	0.4
	total	34.7	42.3	54.1

Selection criteria for e^+e^-

- The event must have only one positive and one negative particle after reconstruction
- For both the positive and the negative particle in the $\bar{p}p$ CM frame $\sqrt{s}/2 - \lambda < E < \sqrt{s}/2 + \lambda$ where $\lambda = 0.2(\sqrt{s}/2)$
- For both the positive and the negative particle, $0.8 < E/p < 1.4$ [(GeV)/(GeV/c)]
- For both the positive and the negative particle, $dE/dx_{STT} > 5.8$ [GeV/cm]
- Both the positive and the negative particle must fire more then 5 crystals in the EMC

where E is the energy, p is the momentum and dE/dx_{STT} is the energy loss in STT of the reconstructed particle.

Results of the simulation using deposited energy from EMC and momentum provided by tracking

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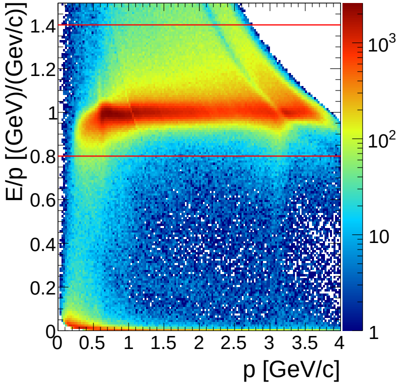

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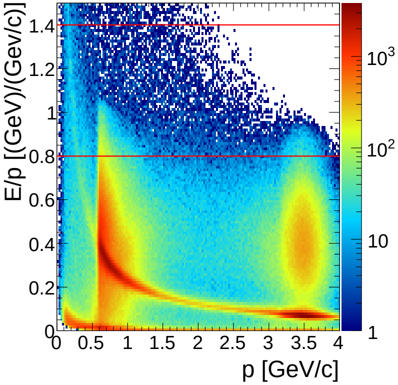
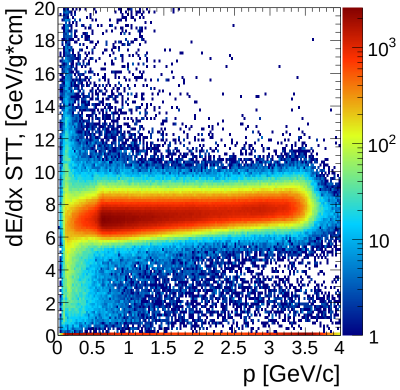


Energy loss in STT

$\bar{p}p \to e^+e^-$



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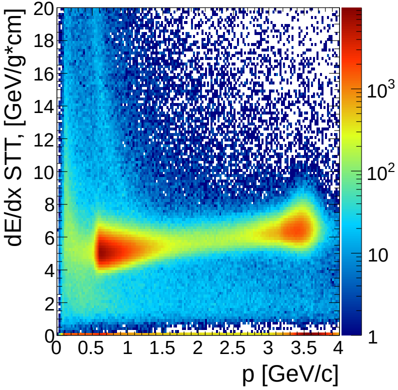
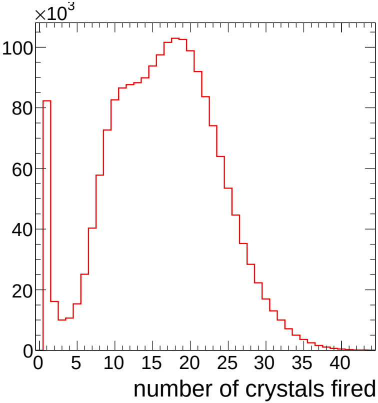


Number of crystals fired in the EMC

$\bar{p}p \rightarrow e^+e^-$



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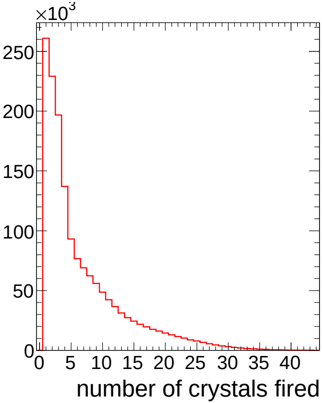
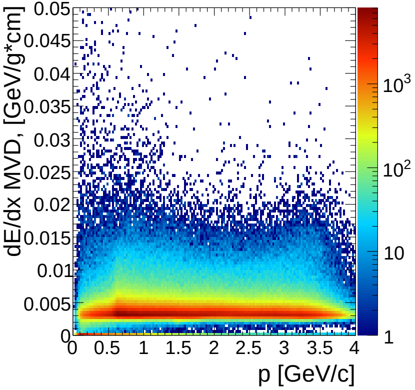
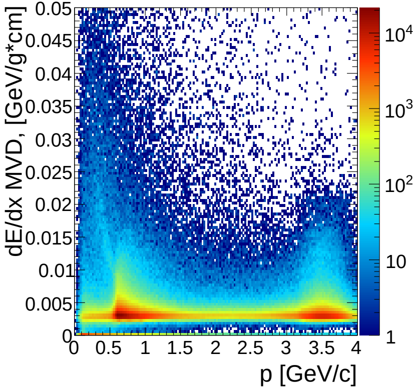


Energy loss in MVD

$\bar{p}p \rightarrow e^+e^-$



$\bar{p}p \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-$



Cherenkov angle provided by barrel DIRC

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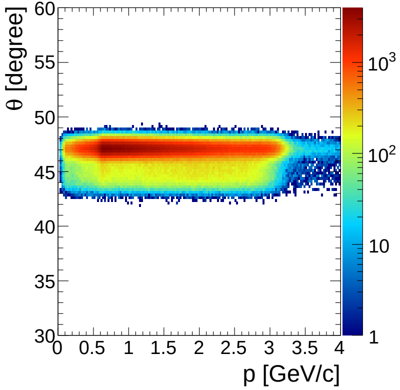

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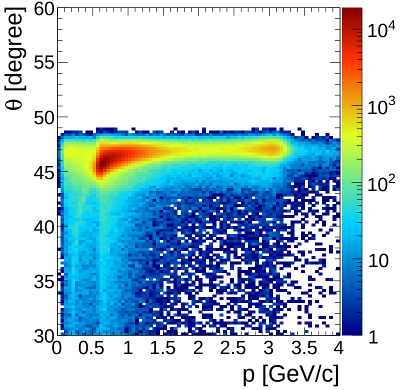

Cherenkov angle provided by disc DIRC

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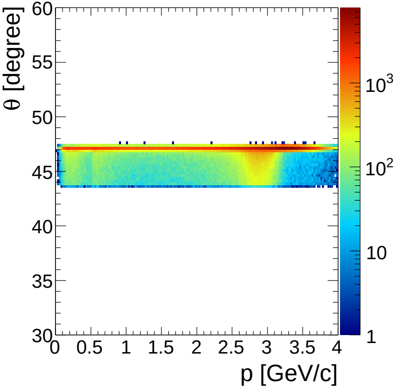

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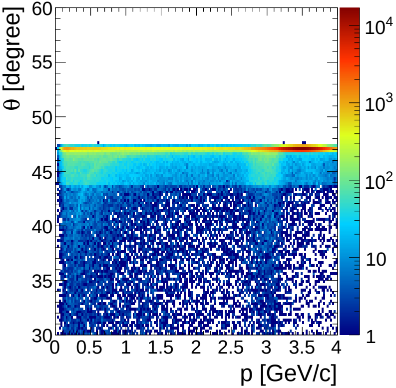

$cos(\theta_{CM})$ of generated and reconstructed particles

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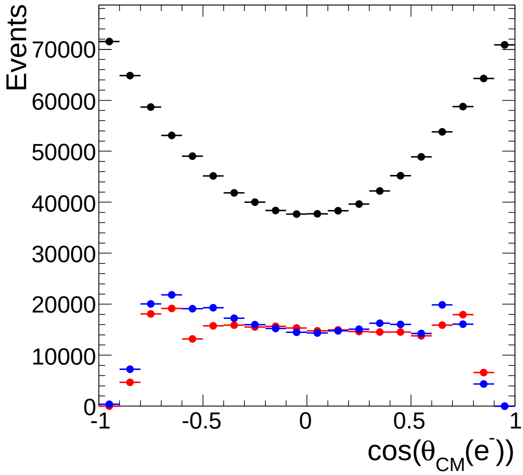
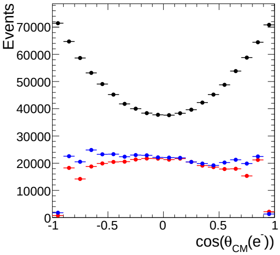
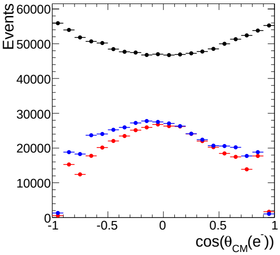


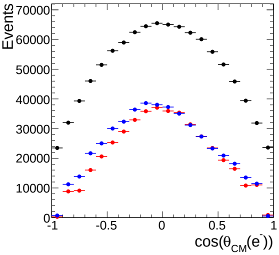
$cos(\theta_{CM})$ of generated and reconstructed particles

$\bar{p}p \rightarrow e^+e^-$, $p(\bar{p}) = 1.7\,GeV/c$

$G_E/G_M = 0$ $G_E/G_M = 1$ $G_E/G_M = 3$



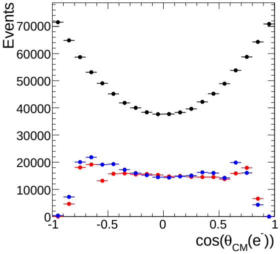




$cos(\theta_{CM})$ of generated and reconstructed particles

$$\bar{p}p \to e^+e^-,\ p(\bar{p}) = 3.3 GeV/c$$

$G_E/G_M = 0$



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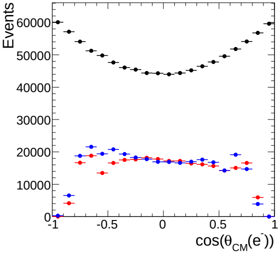

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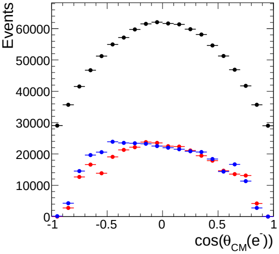
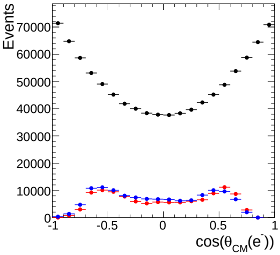


$cos(\theta_{CM})$ of generated and reconstructed particles

$$\bar{p}p \rightarrow e^+e^-, \; p(\bar{p}) = 6.4 GeV/c$$

$G_E/G_M = 0$



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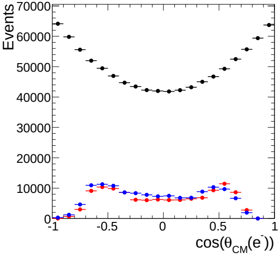

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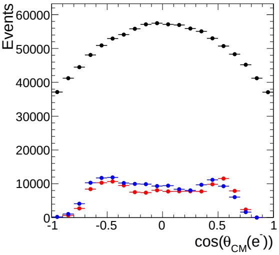

Number of e^+e^- pairs left after the cuts

$p(\bar{p}) = 1.7 GeV/c$	e^+e^-	e^+e^-	e^+e^-
G_E/G_M	0	1	3
Monte Carlo	10^6	10^6	10^6
Reconstructed, E/p only [raw]	671789	693238	736018
Reconstructed, E/p only [cal]	679208	699140	736624
Reconstructed, all cuts [raw]	345505	369083	416965
Reconstructed, all cuts [cal]	385188	407571	453615

Number of e^+e^- and $\pi^+\pi^-$ pairs left after the cuts

$p(\bar{p}) = 3.3 GeV/c$	e^+e^-	e^+e^-	e^+e^-	$\pi^+\pi^-$
G_E/G_M	0	1	3	-
Monte Carlo	10^6	10^6	10^6	$1.13 * 10^8$
Reconstructed, E/p only [raw]	612284	627293	669042	39480
Reconstructed, E/p only [cal]	605598	619833	659180	69050
Reconstructed, all cuts [raw]	253404	266618	304387	19
Reconstructed, all cuts [cal]	275577	285850	324193	34

Number of e^+e^- pairs left after the cuts

$p(\bar{p}) = 6.4 GeV/c$	e^+e^-	e^+e^-	e^+e^-
G_E/G_M	0	1	3
Monte Carlo	10^6	10^6	10^6
Reconstructed, E/p only [raw]	472986	486727	529612
Reconstructed, E/p only [cal]	461182	474381	515372
Reconstructed, all cuts [raw]	108728	113713	128039
Reconstructed, all cuts [cal]	118298	124433	142283

Summary and Outlook

Summary

- Developed set of cuts gives signal efficiency about $11 - 45\%$
- Achived background rejection factor about 10^6

Outlook

- Check momentum resolution for e^+e^- and $\pi^+\pi^-$