

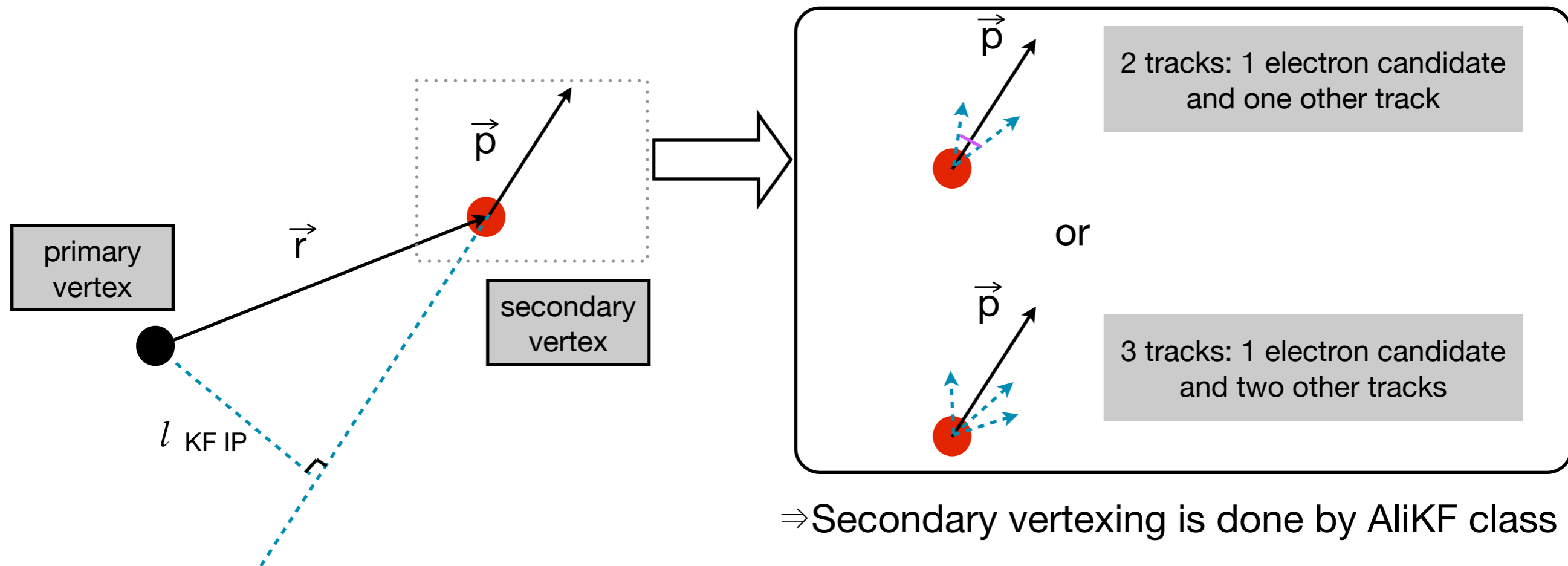
# **B tagging algorithm/software in HFE package**

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# Idea of B tagging based on Secondary Vertexing



## - distinctive variables

- ▶ signed  $L_{xy} = \frac{\vec{r} \cdot \vec{p}}{|\vec{r}| |\vec{p}|} \vec{r}$
- ▶ invariant mass
- ▶ KF secondary vertex  $\chi^2$
- ▶ impact parameter of KF particle  $\Rightarrow l_{\text{KF IP}}$
- ▶ opening angle of constructing KF particle (in case of pair)

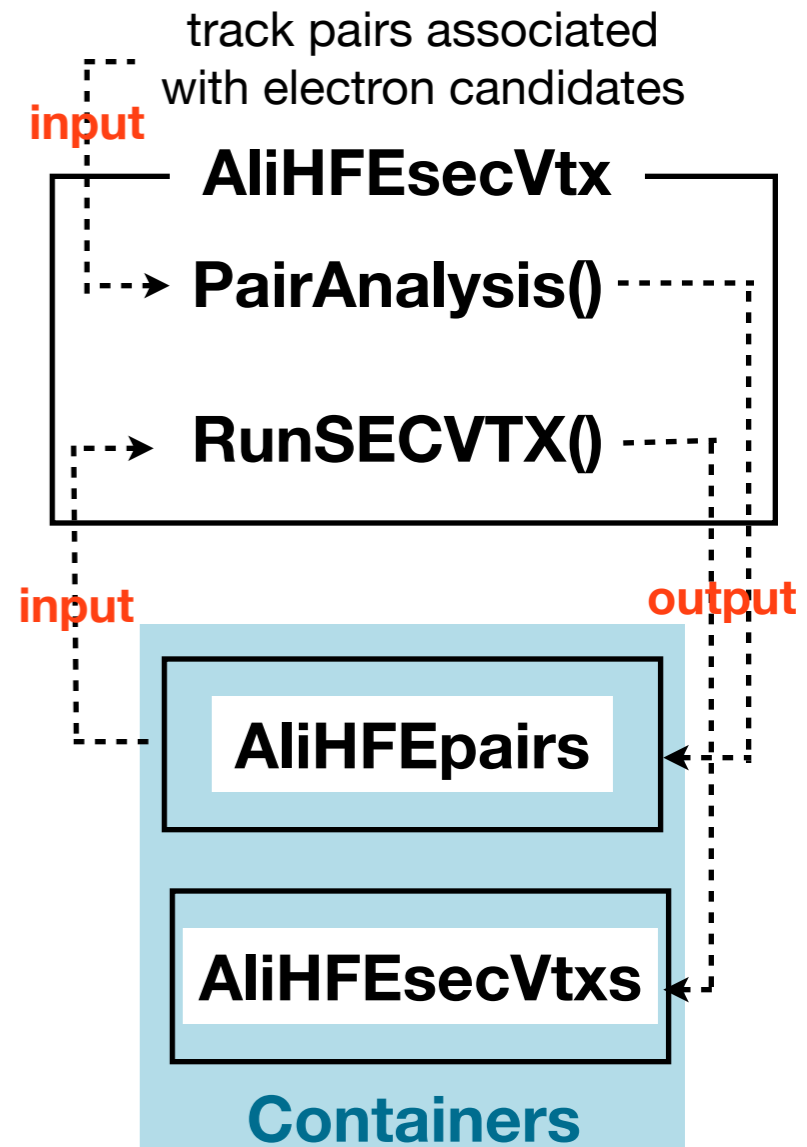
# Algorithm

## Track Loop

- apply HFE standard cuts
- apply HFE pid cuts to select electron candidate(AliHFEpid::IsSelected)
- apply  $p_T$  and DCA cuts

## Track Loop(for pairing)

- apply quality,  $p_T$  and DCA cuts for paired tracks
- pair analysis to calculate distinctive variables  
⇒ store them into container(AliHFEpairs)
- apply pair cuts and remove them from pairs container
- secondary vertex(with 2,3 tracks) analysis to calculate distinctive variables, here inputs are pairs from pairs container ⇒ store them into container(AliHFEsecVtxs)
- apply tagging cuts, tag B electron



runs inside  
AliAnalysisHFE task

# Distinctive Variables - beauty

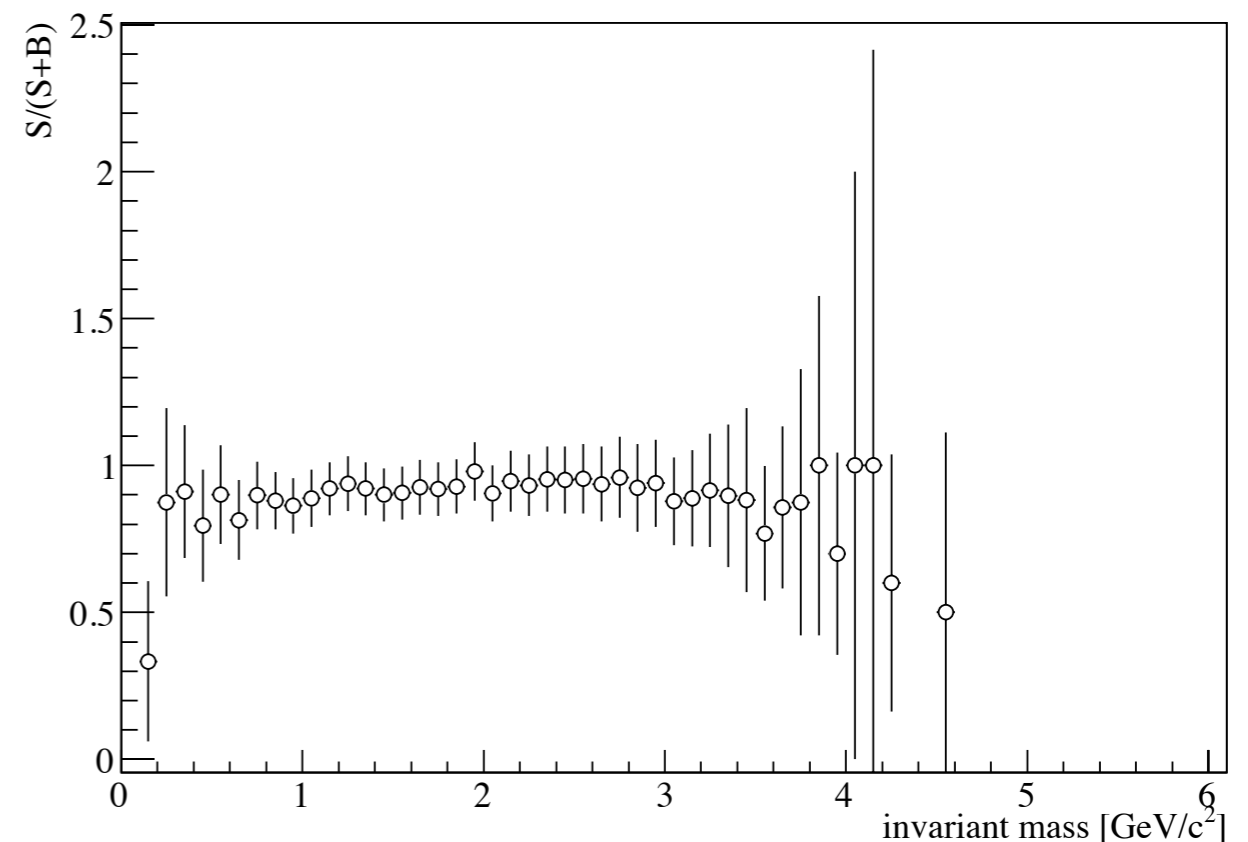
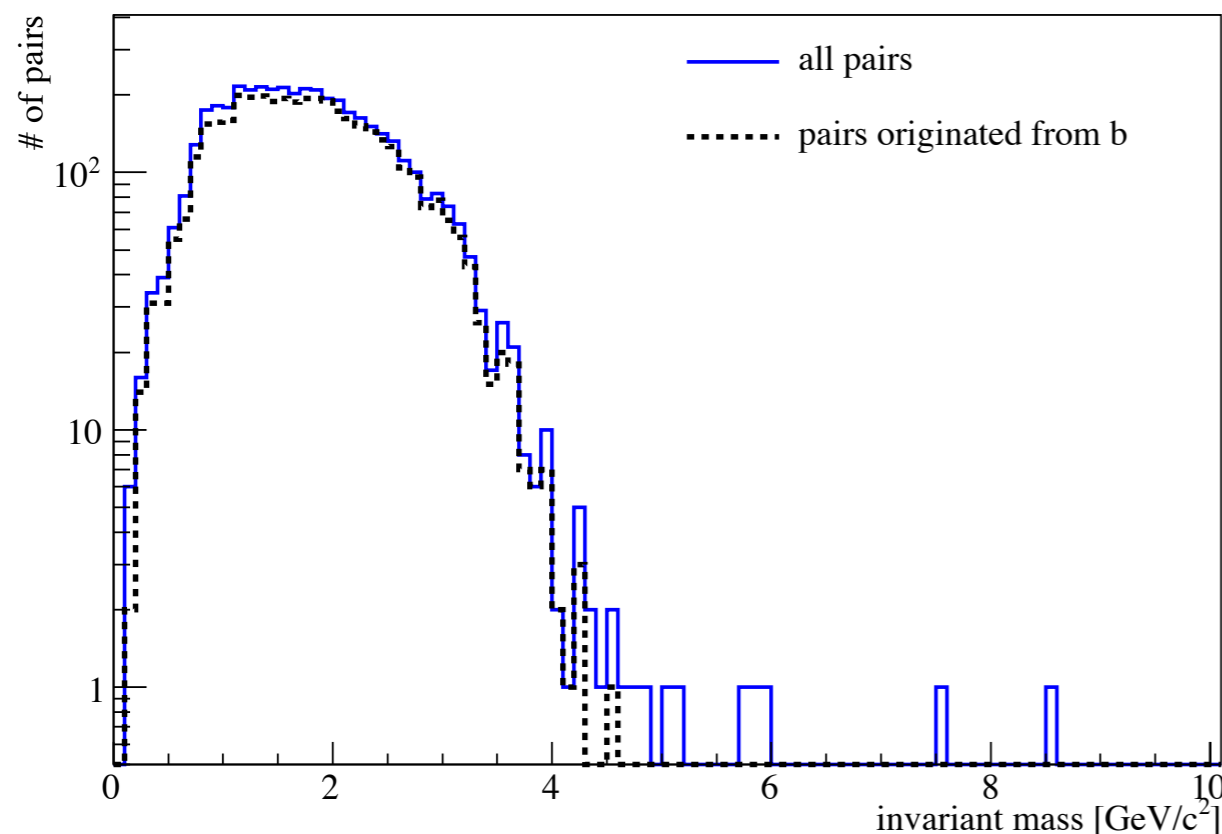
- b electron triggered samples used (7 TeV@pp, ~ 1.8M events)

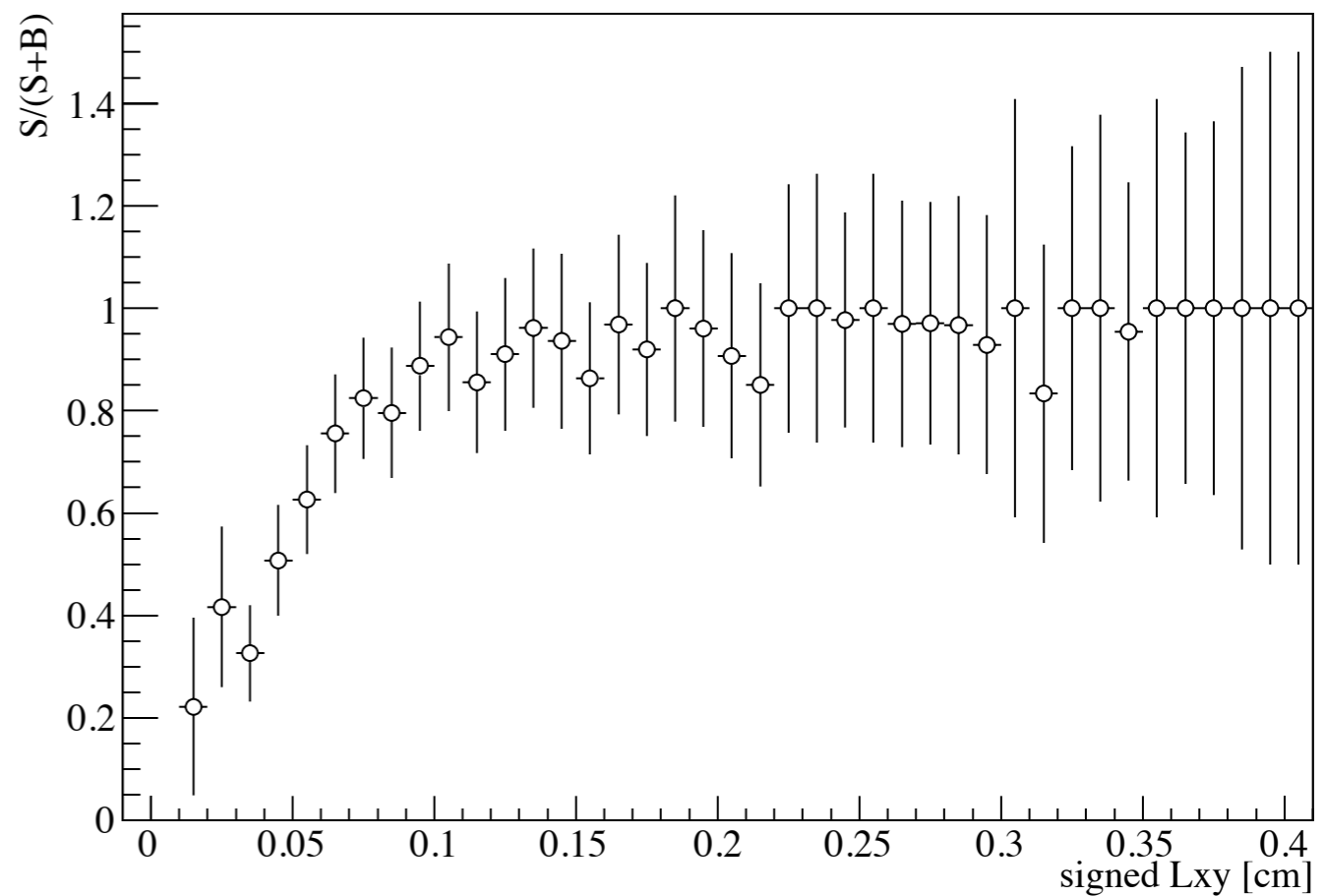
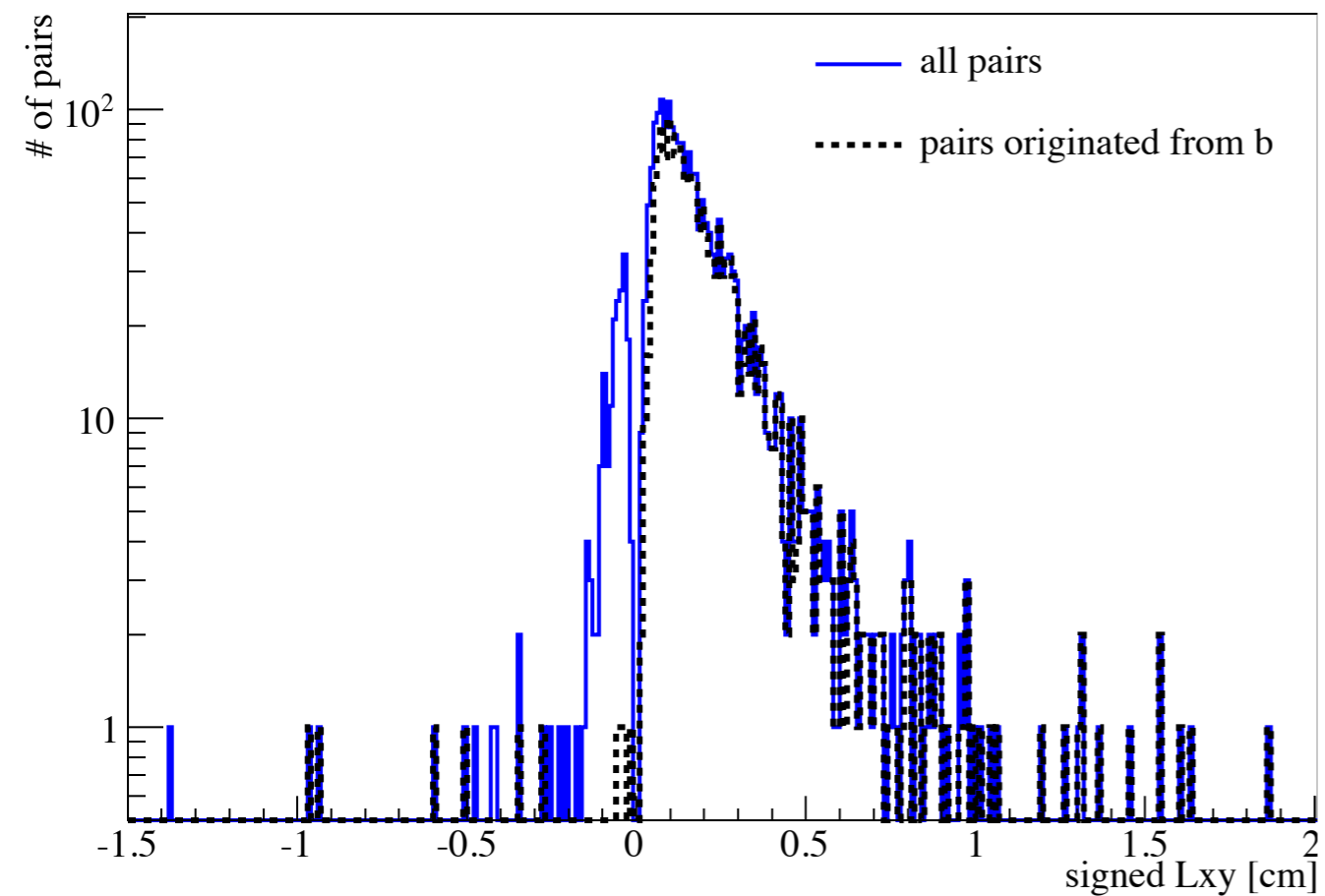
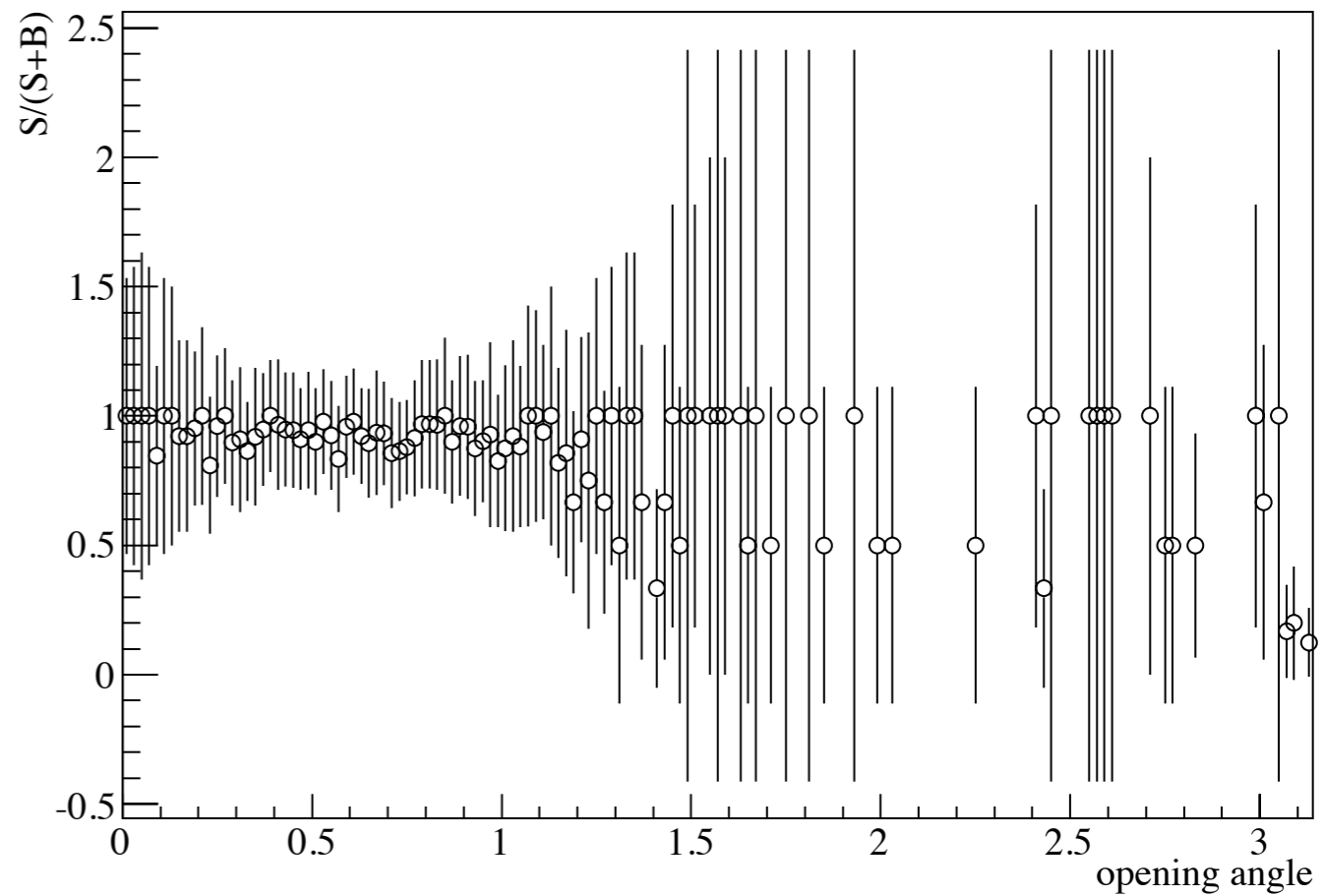
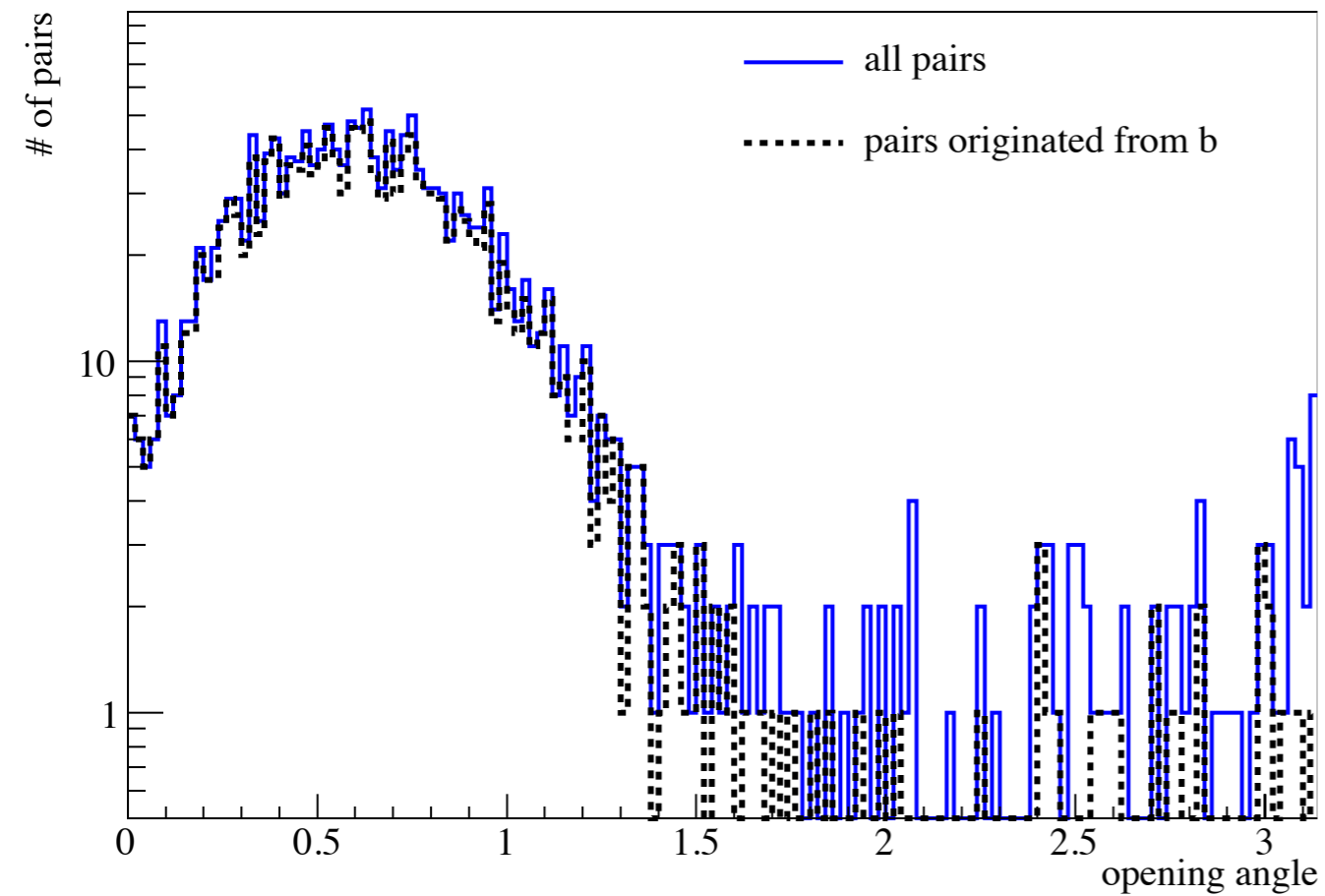
## single track cuts

- ▶ HFE standard track cuts (ITS pixel layer only for e candidate)
- ▶  $p_T > 2.0 \text{ GeV}/c$ ,
- ▶ DCA for paired tracks ( $p_T$  dependent cuts ALICE-INT-2006-015)

## pair cuts

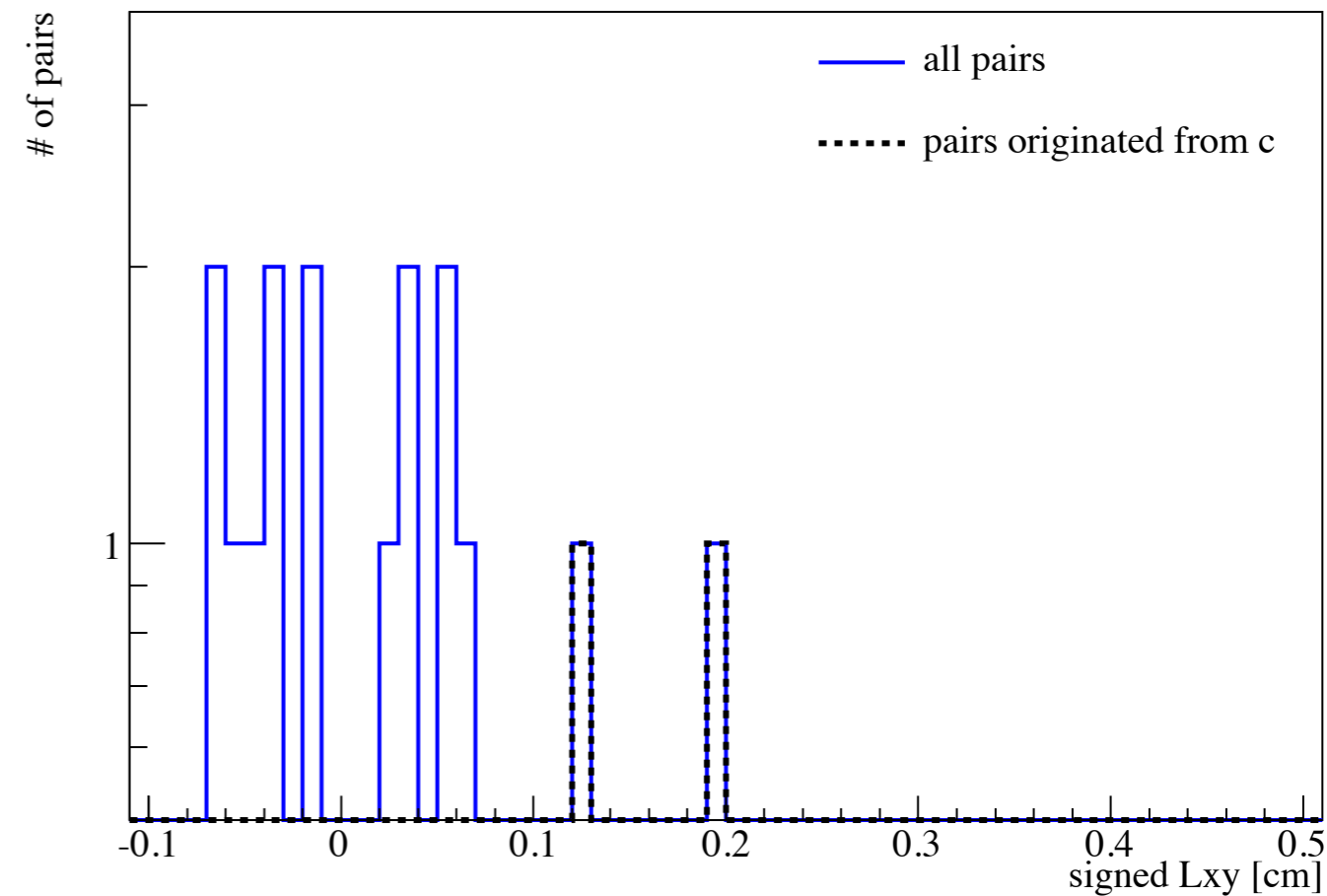
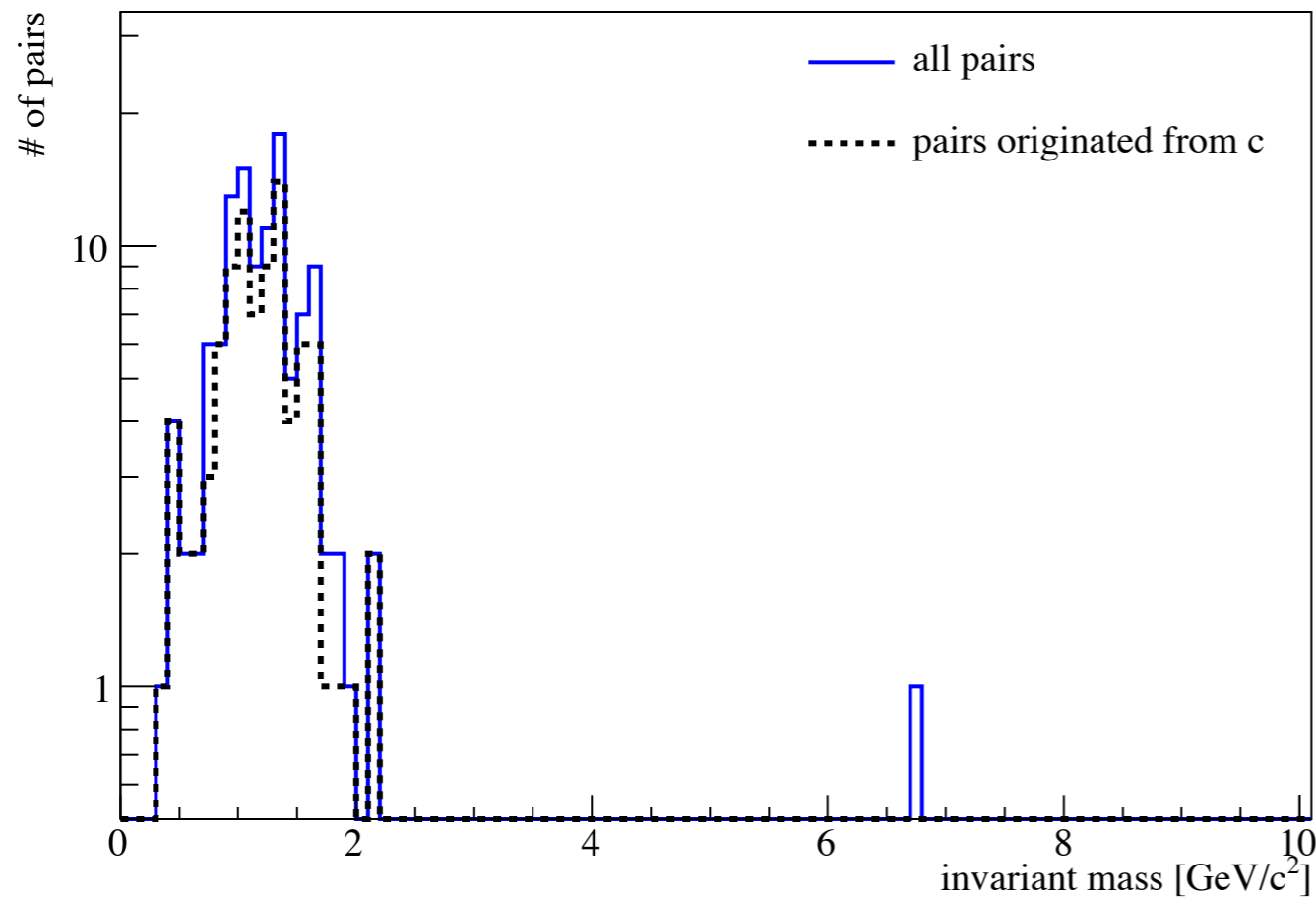
- ▶  $700 \mu\text{m} < \text{signed } L_{xy} < 1 \text{ cm}$
- ▶  $2.0 \text{ GeV}/c^2 < \text{invariant mass} < 5.2 \text{ GeV}/c^2$
- ▶ KF secondary vertex  $\chi^2 < 3.0$
- ▶ opening angle of constructing KF particle  $< 180^\circ$





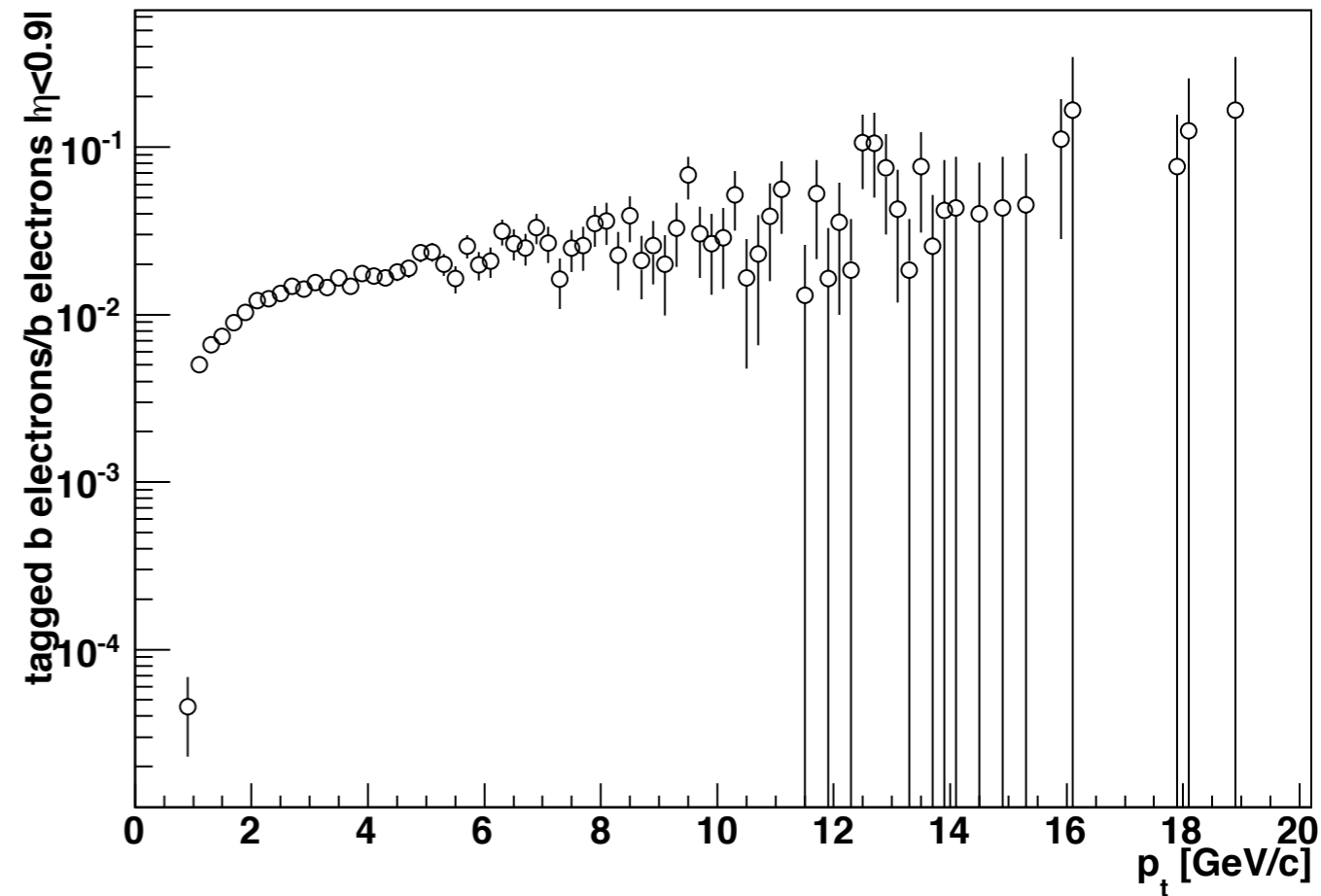
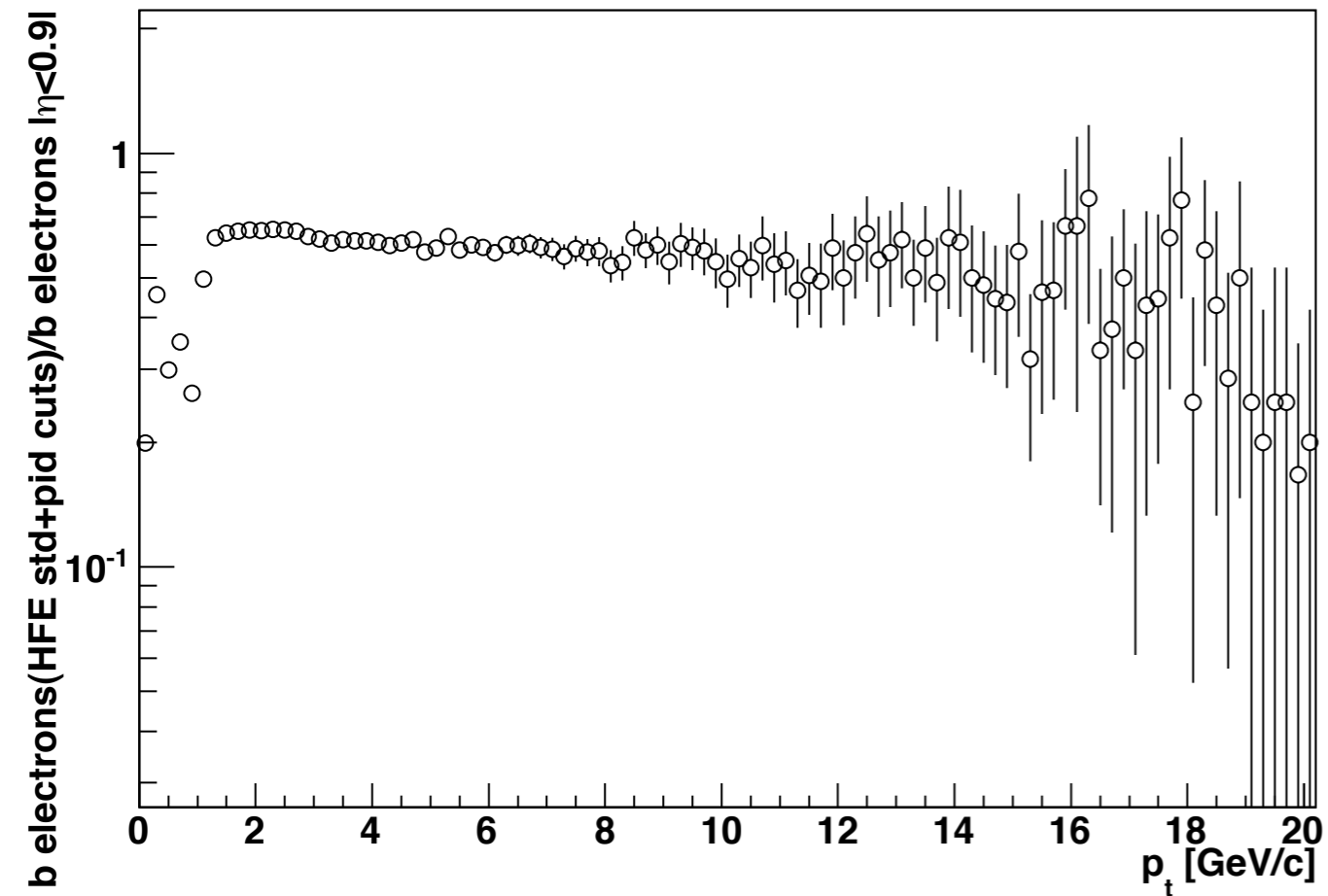
# Distinctive Variables - charm

- c electron triggered samples used (7 TeV@pp, ~ 1.9M events)



► invariant mass cut is good to suppress charm background

# Tagging Efficiency



low efficiency, then hadron contamination can be issue?

⇒ impact parameter cuts to remove primary hadron priors

# Outlook

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- SecVtx package itself has ESD/AOD and NOMC mode
- study secvtx with 3 tracks
- associating jets, use AOD tracks once AOD pid is available, easy to implement