

# CDC Simulation Studies

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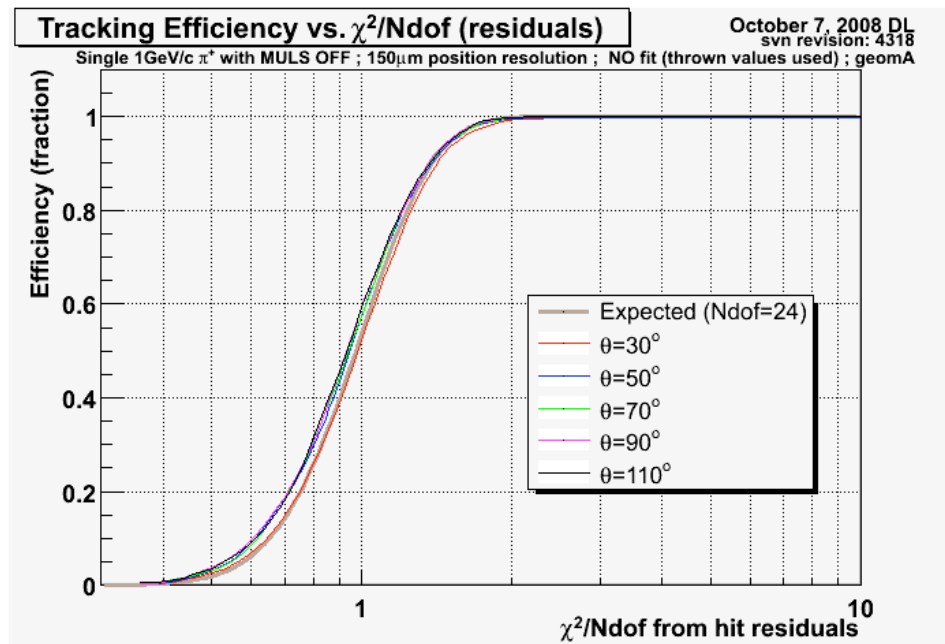
# 4 CDC Geometries Studied

These represent the axial/stereo configurations that will be studied via simulation. The orientation is listed from outermost layer (top) to innermost layer (bottom).

Relative  $\phi$ -shifts between layers is implemented in all designs for axial wires. Stereo wires are also  $\phi$ -shifted for geometries "C" and "D".

Geometry A	Geometry B	Geometry C	Geometry D*
8 axial	8 axial	4 axial	3 stereo $-6^\circ$
2 stereo $+6^\circ$	4 stereo $+6^\circ$	4 stereo $+6^\circ$	8 axial
2 stereo $-6^\circ$	5 axial	4 stereo $-6^\circ$	4 stereo $+6^\circ$
5 axial	4 stereo $-6^\circ$	4 axial	4 axial
2 stereo $+6^\circ$	3 axial	4 stereo $+6^\circ$	4 stereo $-6^\circ$
2 stereo $-6^\circ$		4 stereo $-6^\circ$	4 axial
3 axial		4 axial	

# Consistency Checking



4k single  $\pi^+$  1GeV/c events were thrown at 5 discrete angles ranging from  $30^\circ$  to  $110^\circ$ . Multiple scattering etc. was turned OFF

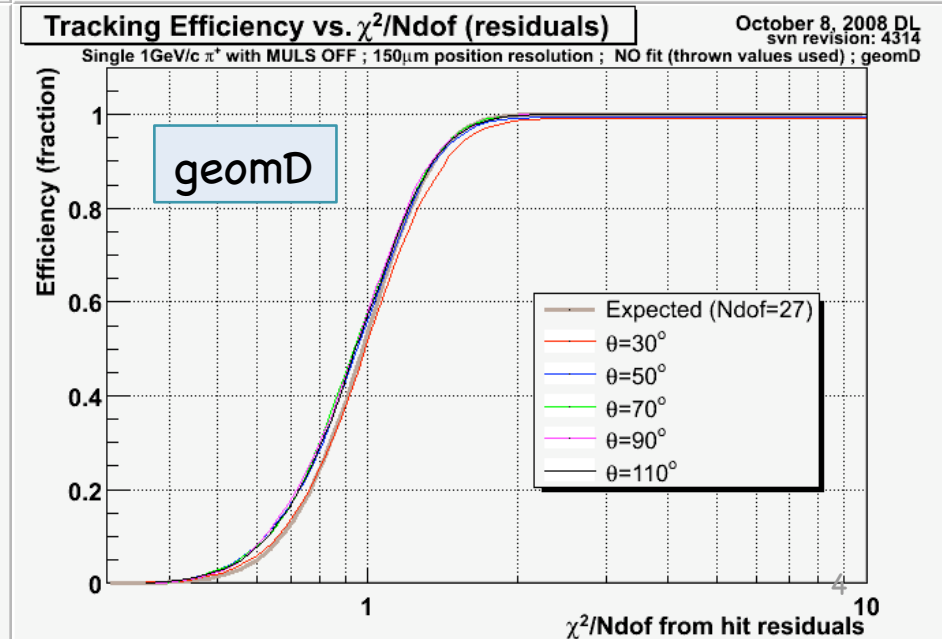
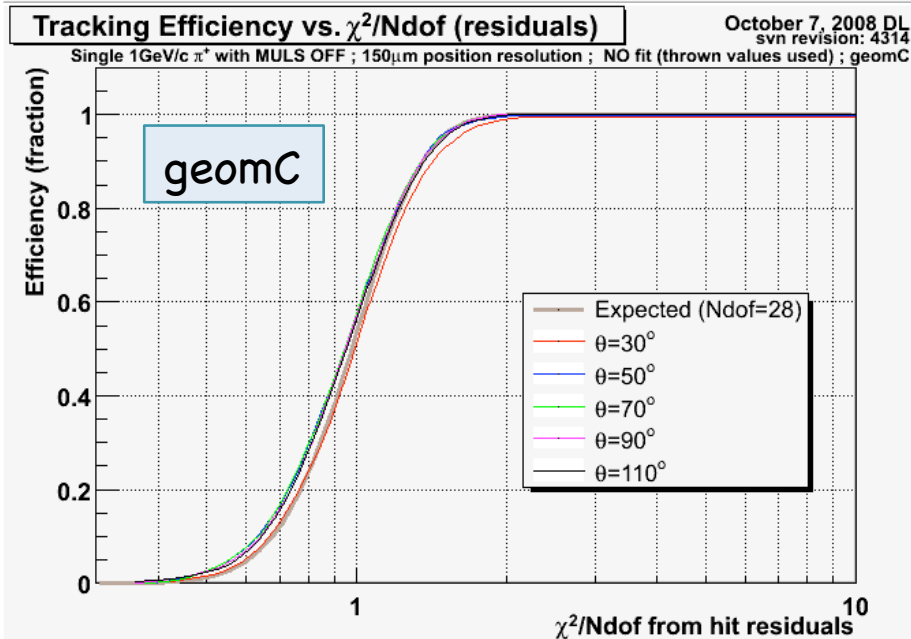
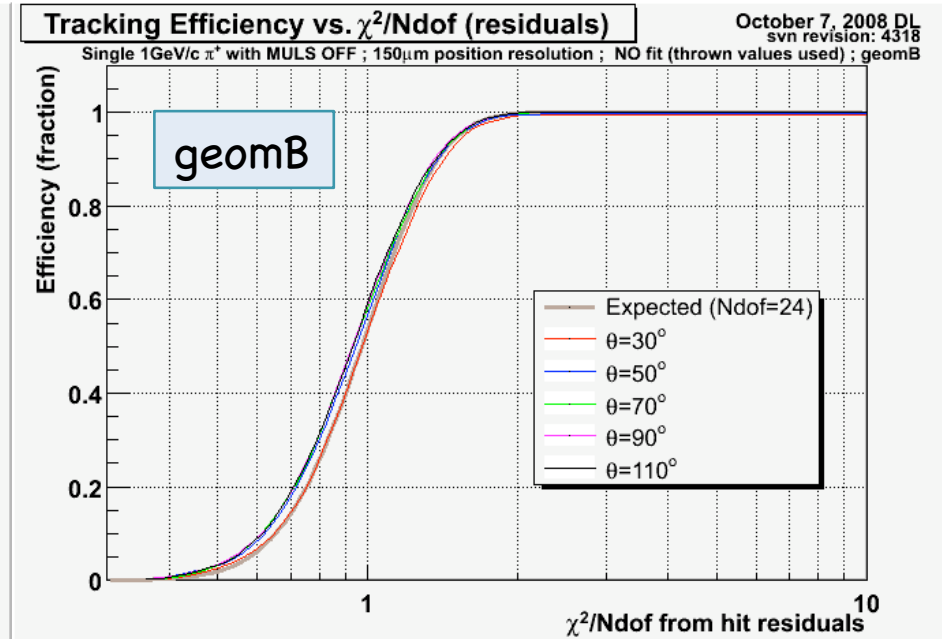
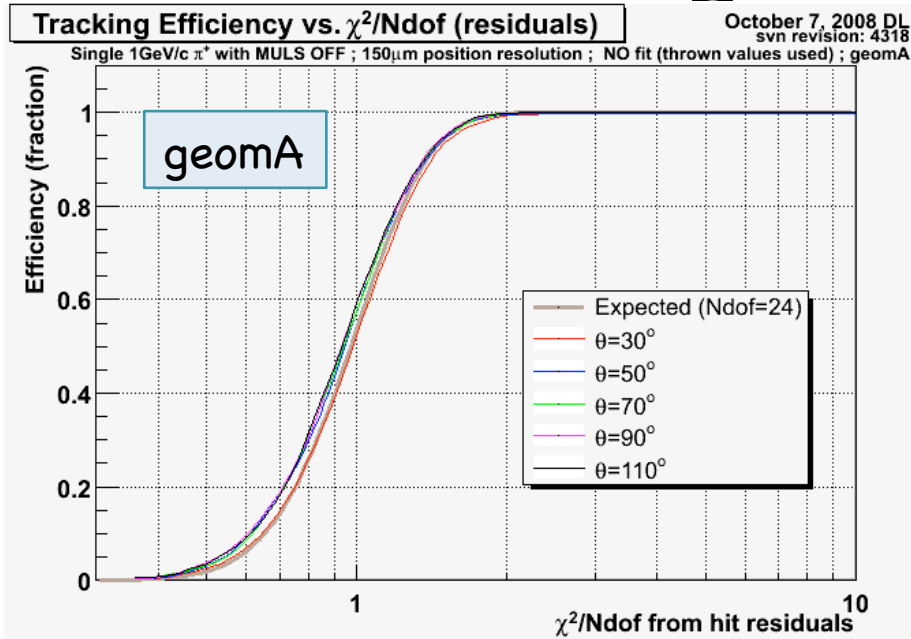
Drift times were smeared via Gaussian to give them a position resolution of 150  $\mu\text{m}$

A tracking  $\chi^2$  was formed from the hit residuals using the known 150  $\mu\text{m}$  resolution

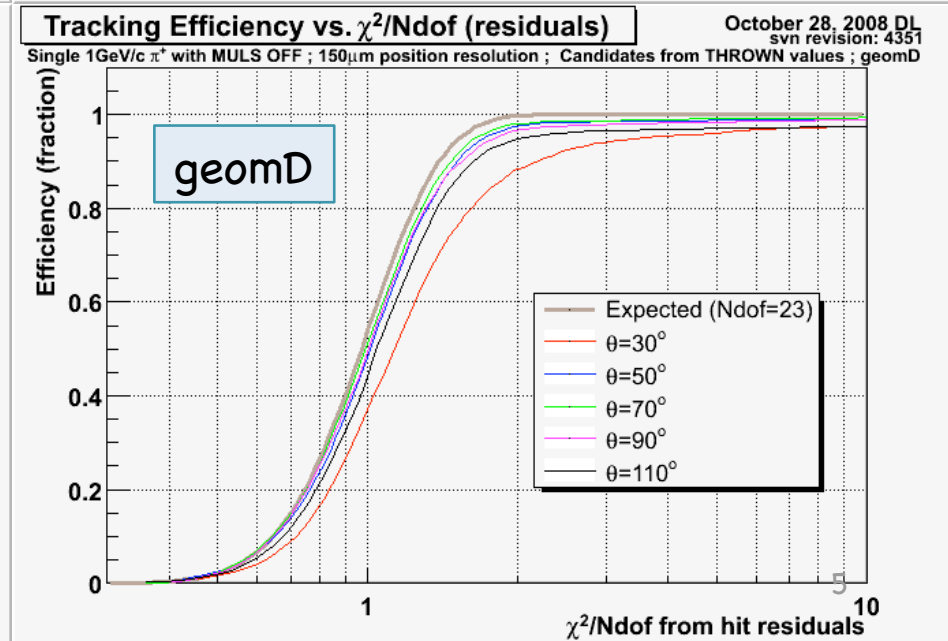
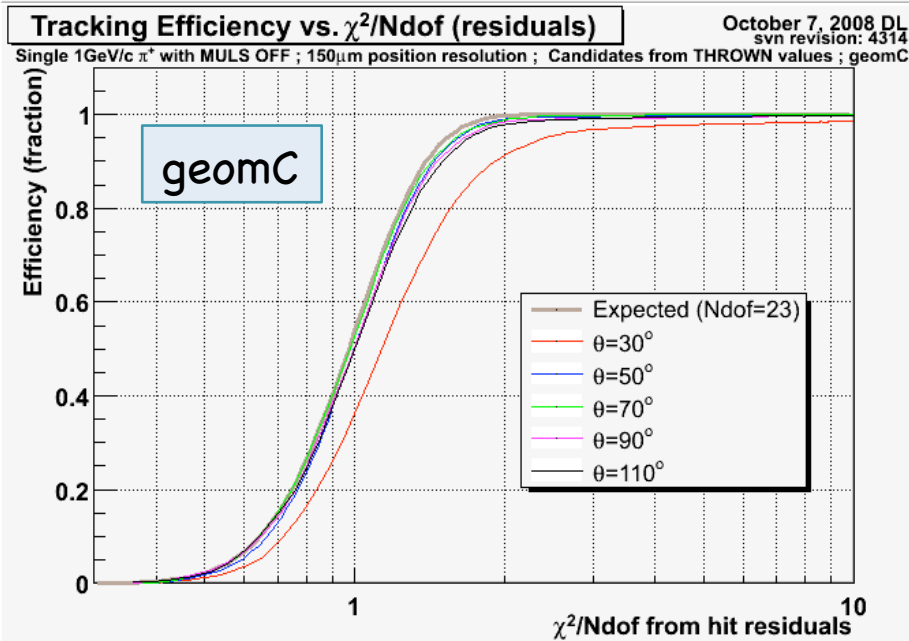
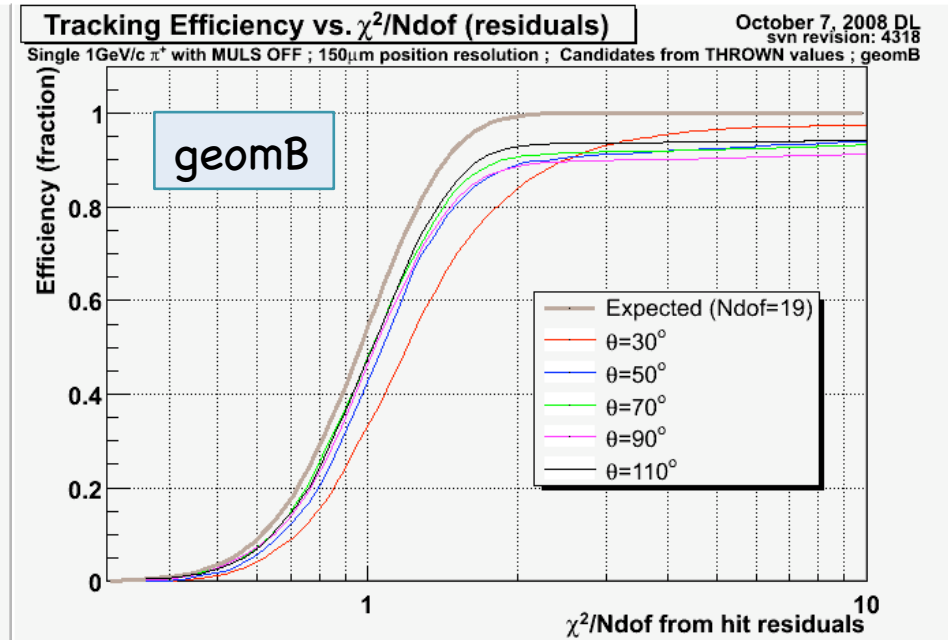
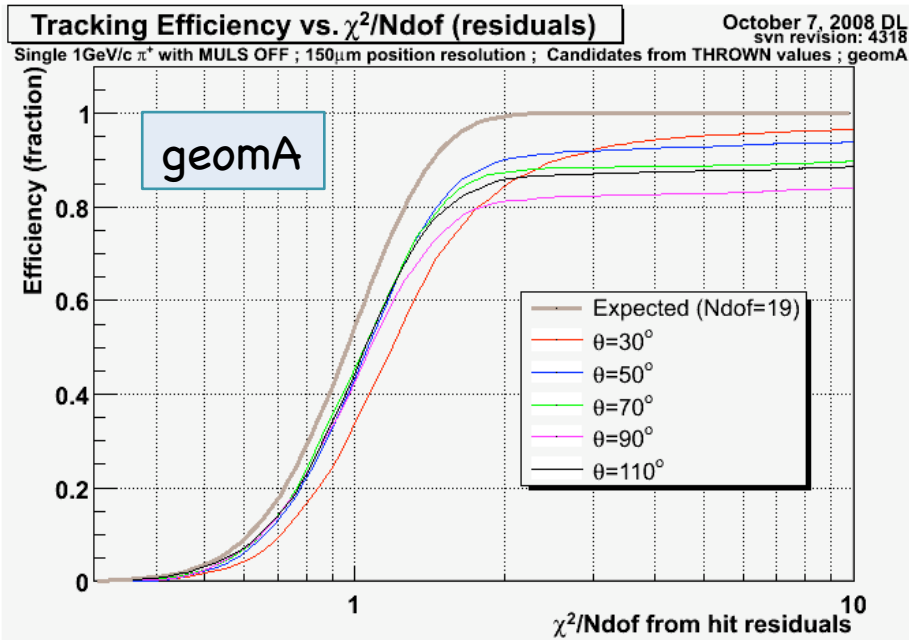
The  $\chi^2$  distribution was integrated and compared to the known cumulative  $\chi^2$  function

To check consistency between the simulation and reconstruction geometries as well as transport through the magnetic field etc. , thrown values were used

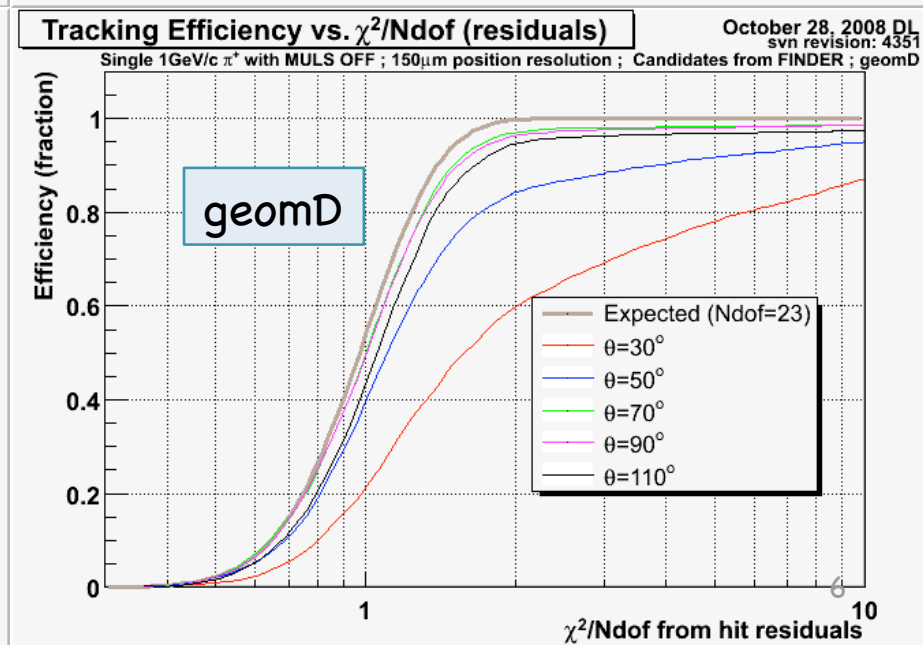
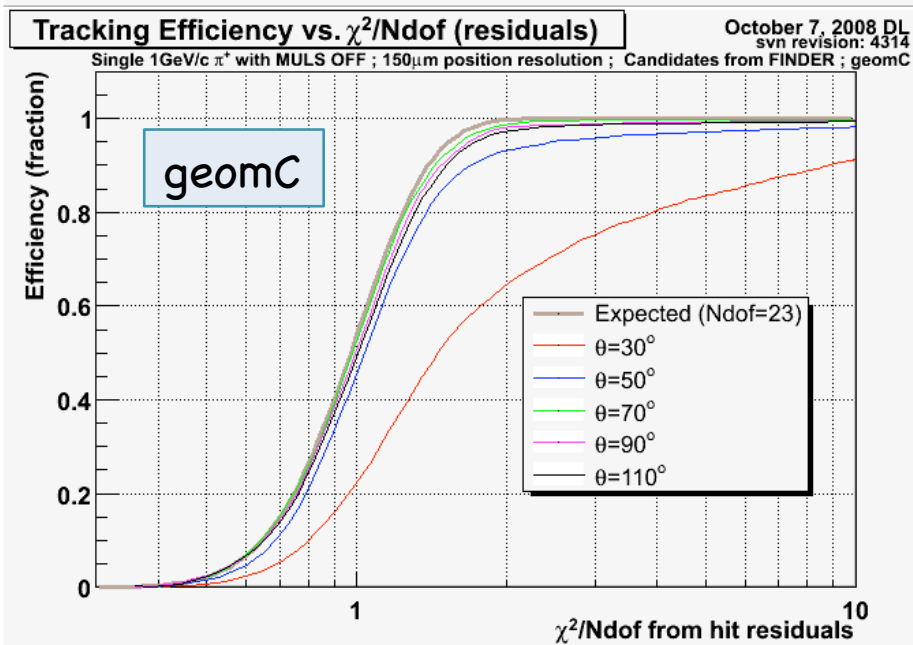
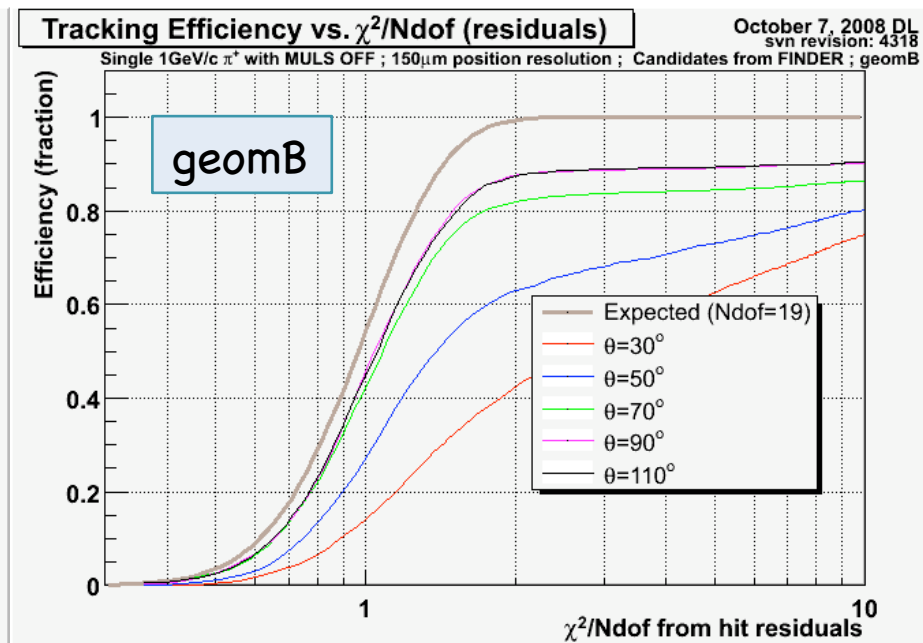
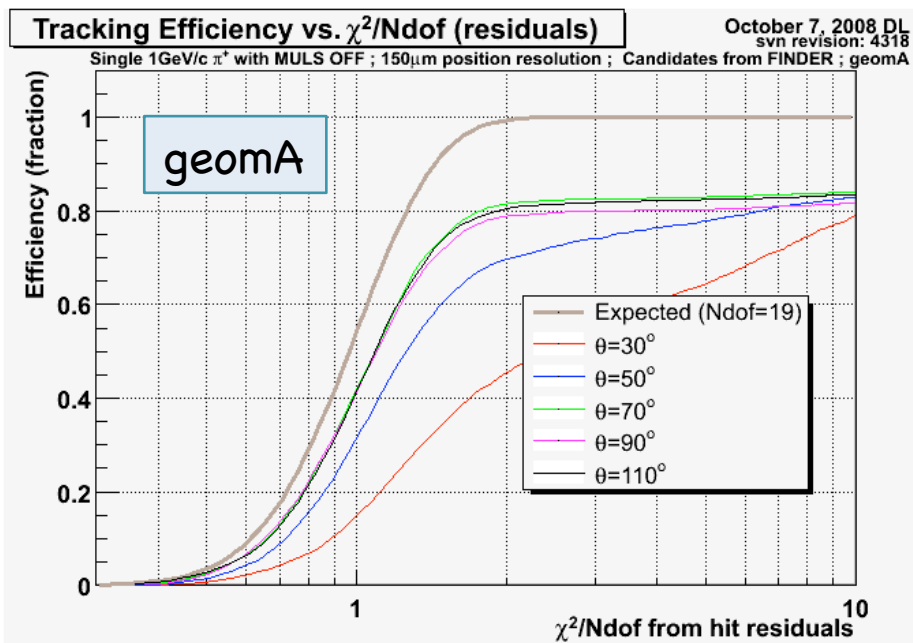
# Checking All 4 Geometries



# Wire and time -based fits starting from the right answer



# Full Reconstruction

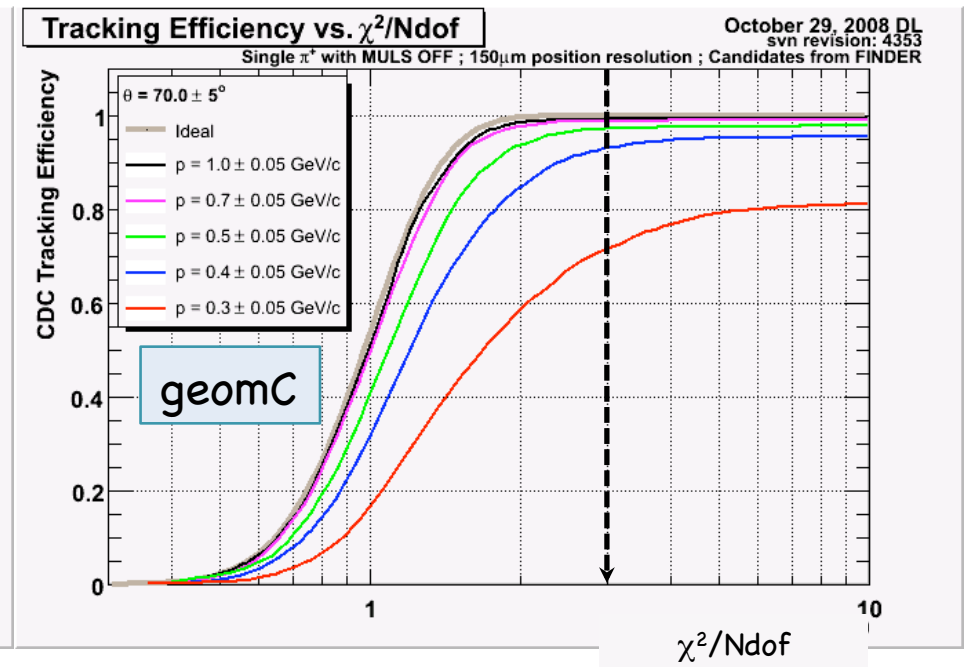
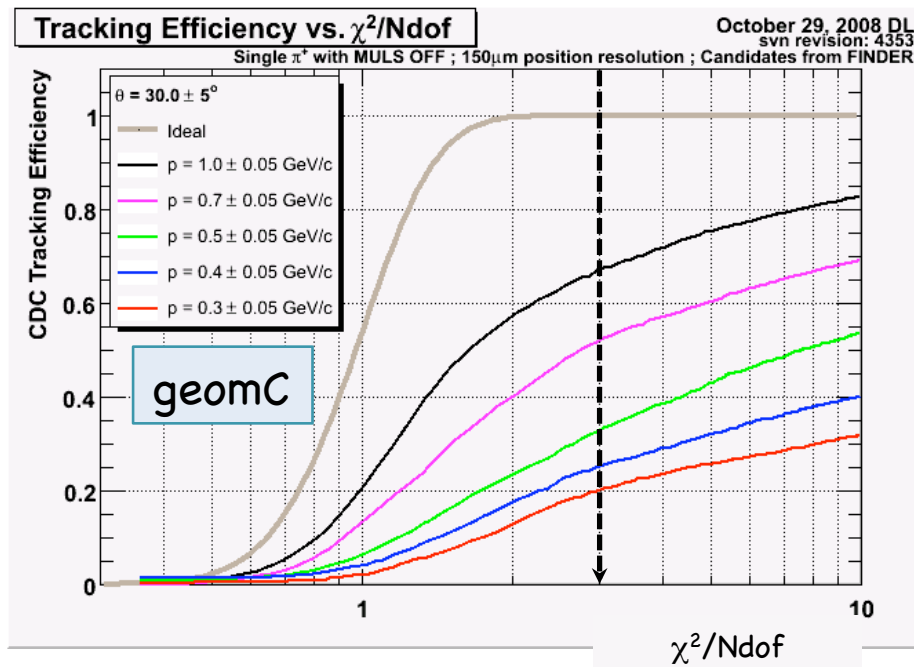


# Tracking Efficiency vs. $\chi^2/\text{Ndof}$

These two plots show that the tracking efficiency is a strong function of both polar angle and momentum. Plots like these were made for several values of  $\theta$  and the efficiencies at  $\chi^2/\text{Ndof}=3$  were plotted vs. momentum (shown on next slide).

30°

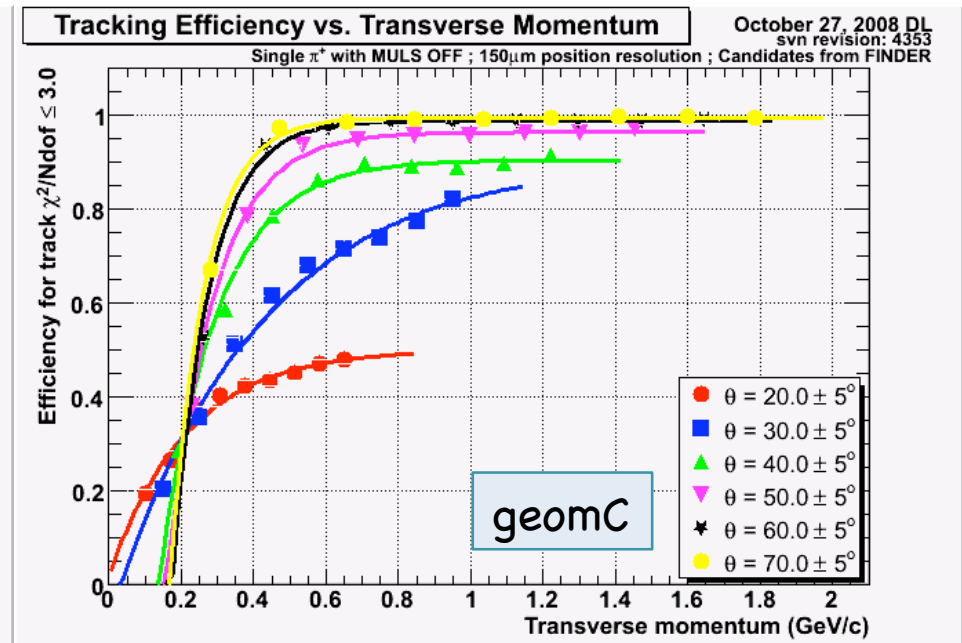
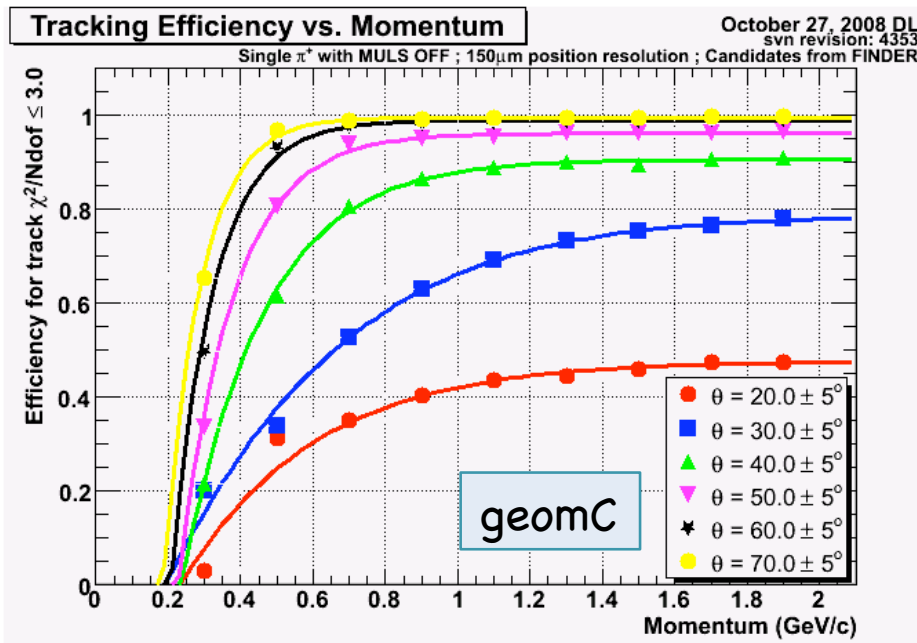
70°



# Tracking Efficiency

These plots show a more complete view of the efficiency throughout the expected phase space.

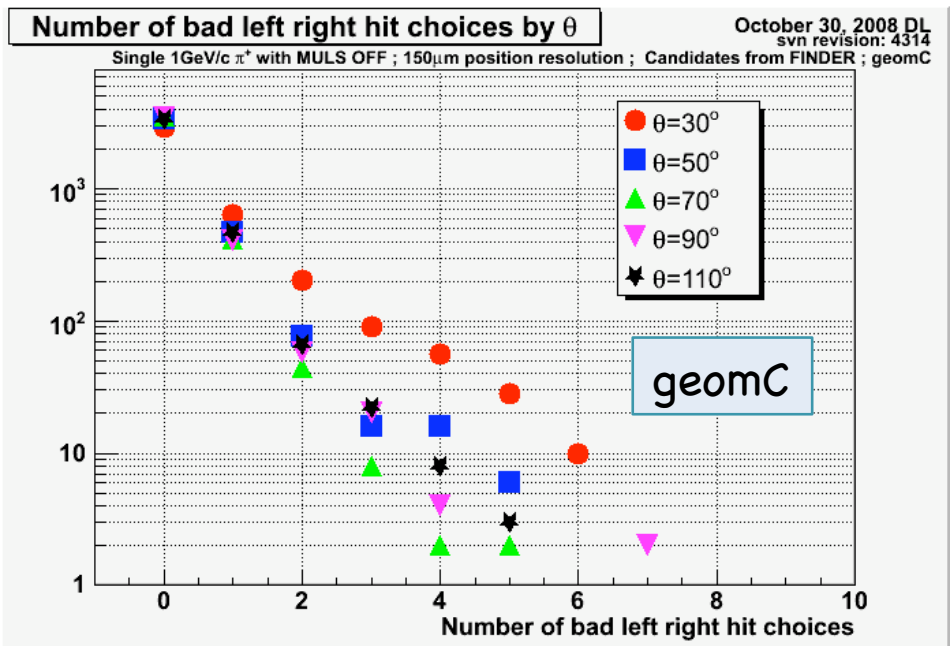
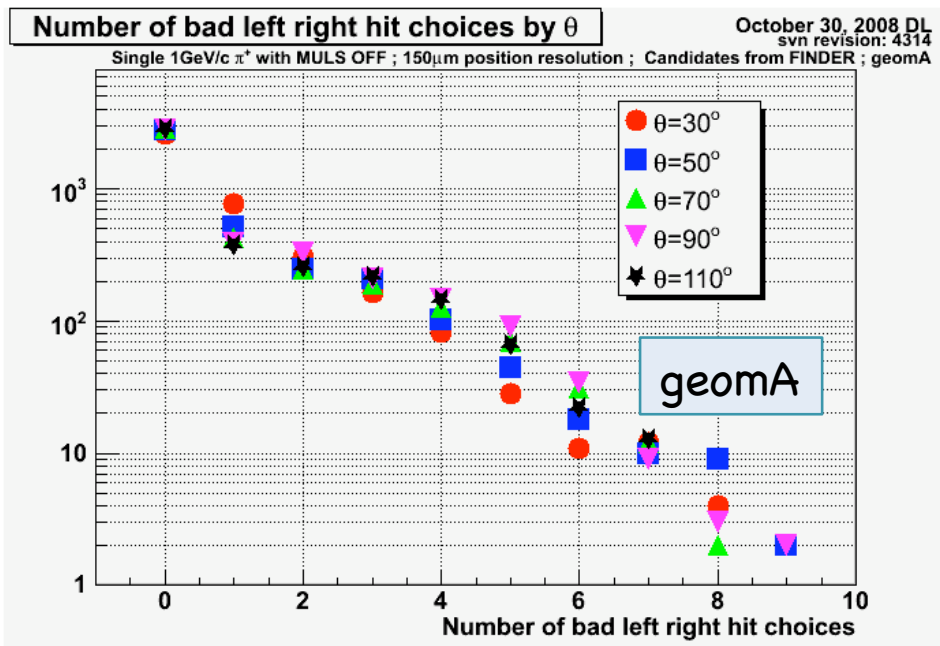
Fitting was done with the "ALT1" global fitter which included a wire-based pass and no special treatment for selecting left/right solutions.





# Number of bad left-right choices

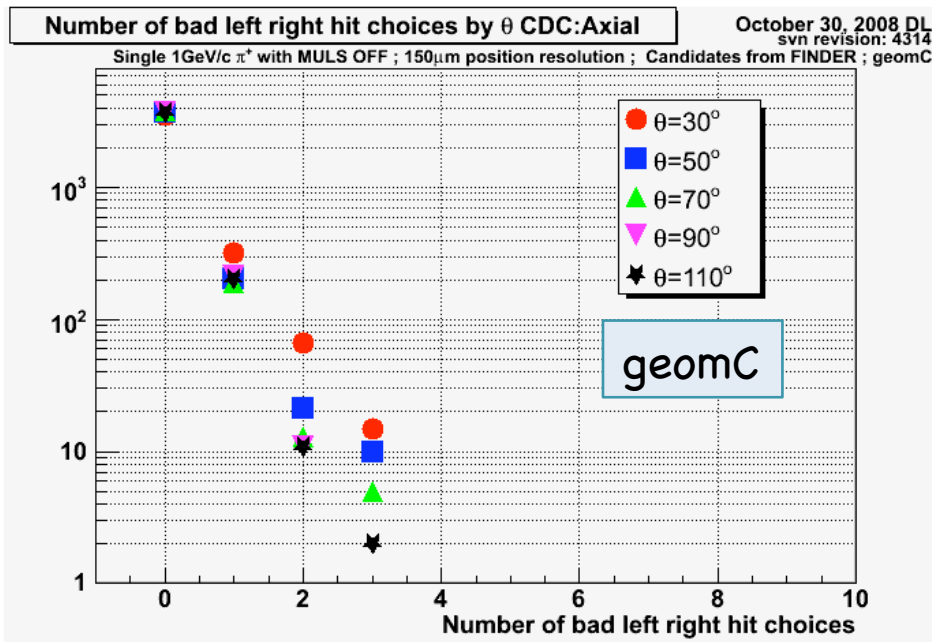
These plots show that the number of incorrect left-right assignments for geomC is significantly less than for geomA, but that for 30 degrees, it is still an issue.



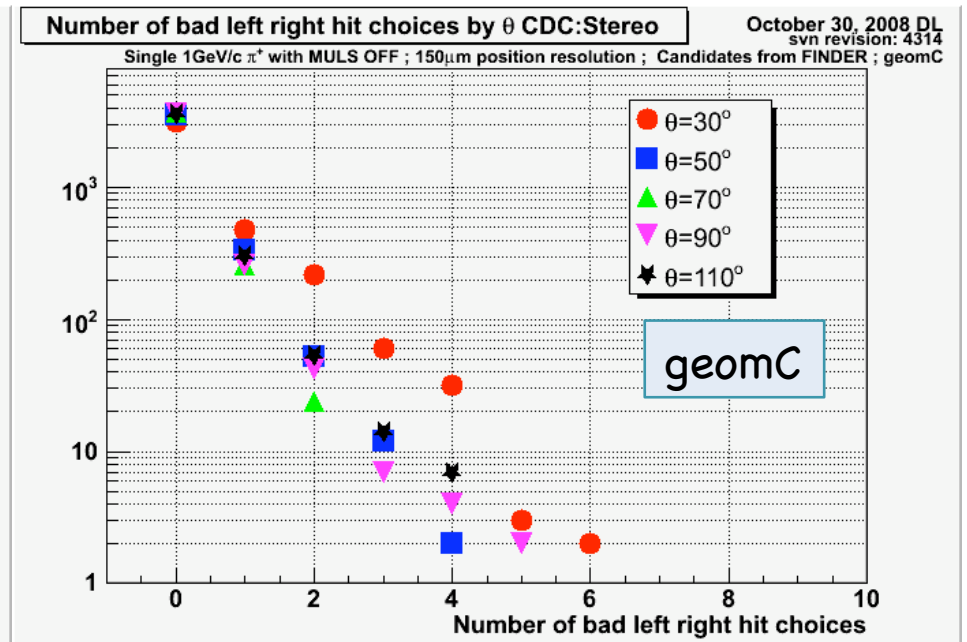
# Bad L-R choices by axial and stereo

The number of incorrect left-right choices is increased at  $30^\circ$  for both axial and stereo layers, though slightly worse for the stereos. This, however, is just a symptom of the actual problem...

## CDC Axial Wires

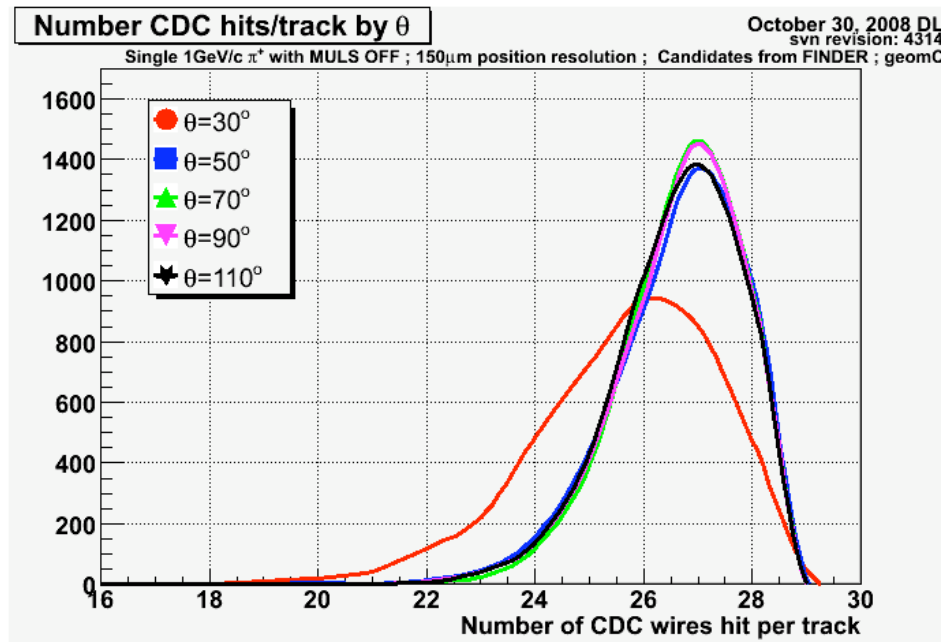


## CDC Stereo Wires



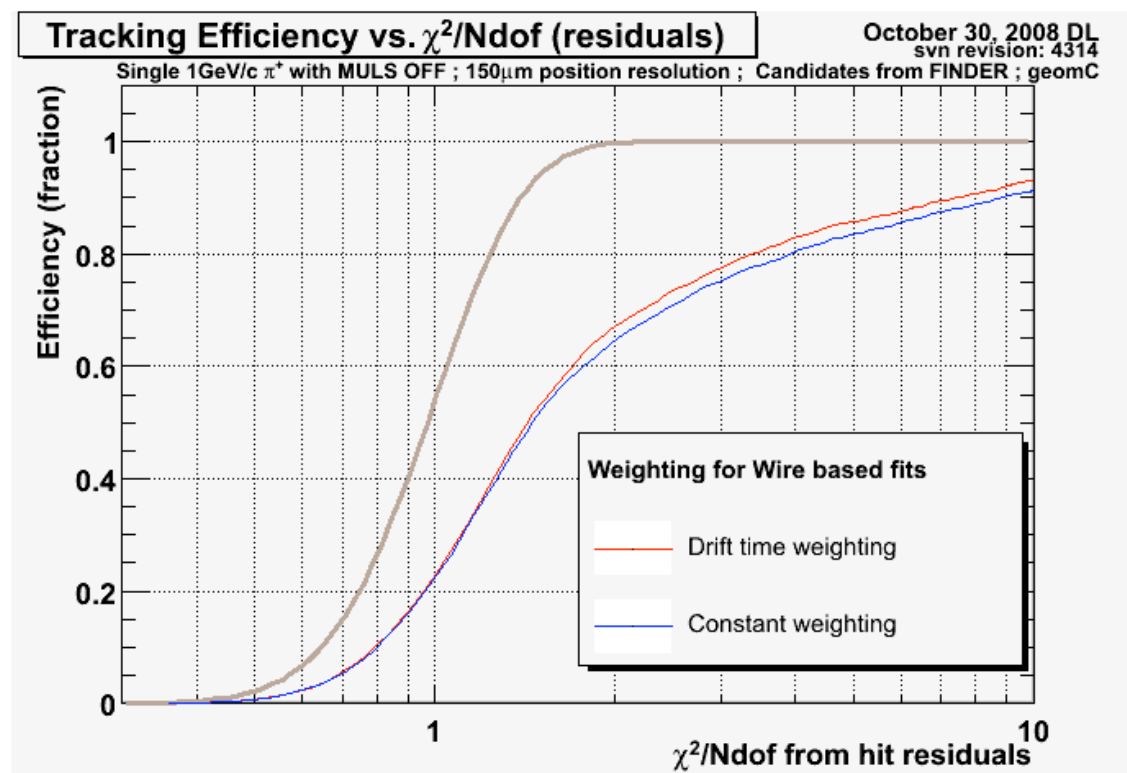
# Number of CDC hits/track

The total number of CDC hits per track is less for  $30^\circ$  on average than for higher angles. This is probably due to the fact that the stereo tubes extend further from the beamline at the ends than the center, introducing additional gaps



# Weighting for Wire based Fits

The weighting of the individual hits used in the wire-based fits has been constant up to now. In this plot, it is changed to be proportional to the drift time. The change was trivial in the code, costs no more in execution time, and gains a couple of percent in efficiency for 30° tracks.



# Summary

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