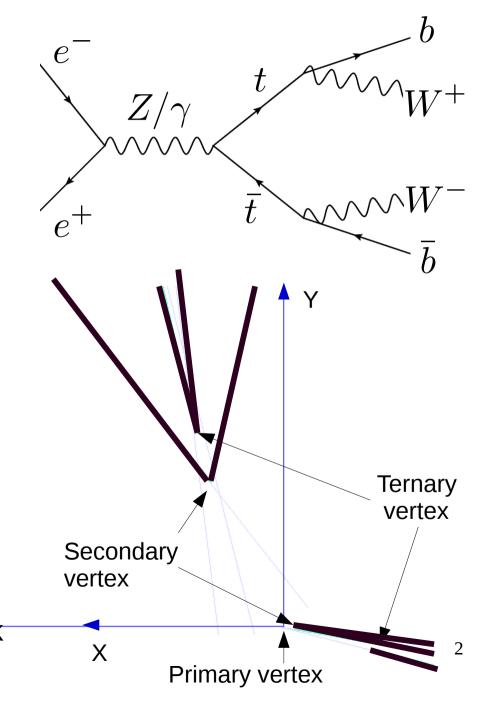


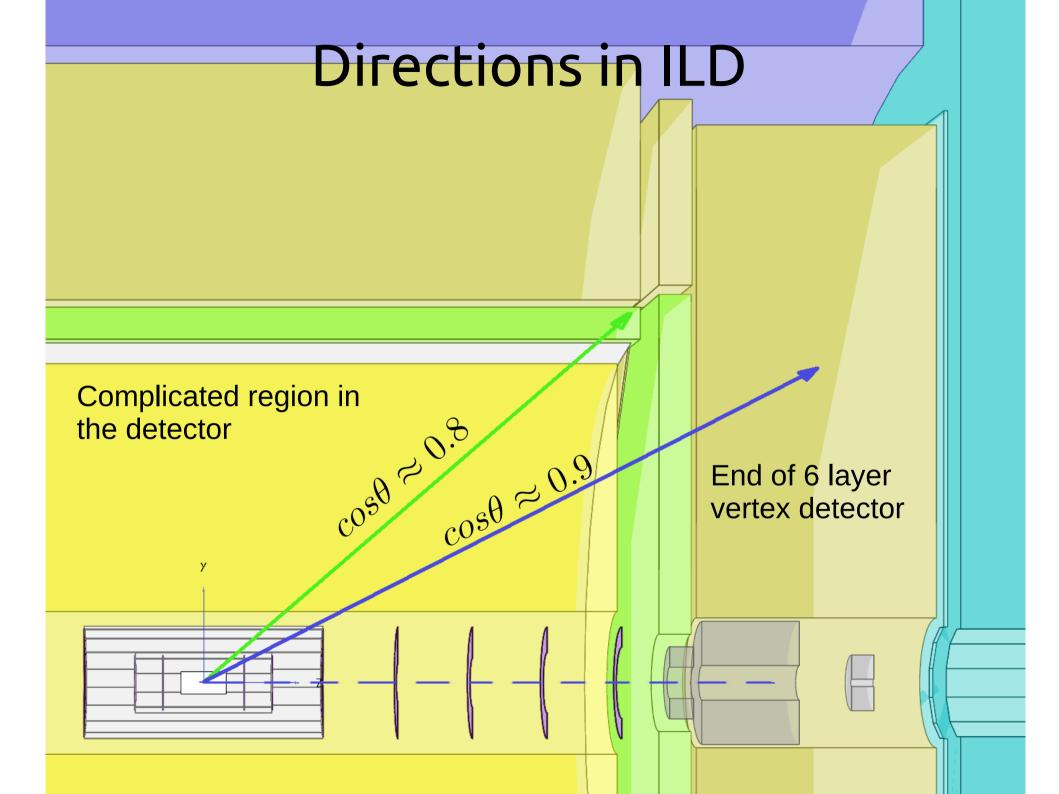
Objective

- Main purpose of this work is to detect the charge of top and antitop quarks. This is crucial for calculation of forward-backward asymmetry \mathbf{A}_{fb} in $t\bar{t}$ process at ILC
- Properties of decay products from the B-hadrons are used to determine the charge of initial tquark
- Charge of the b-quark is calculated as a sum of the charges of secondary and ternary vertex particles
- The charge of K-mesons from reconstructed vertices is directly connected to the charge of t-quark

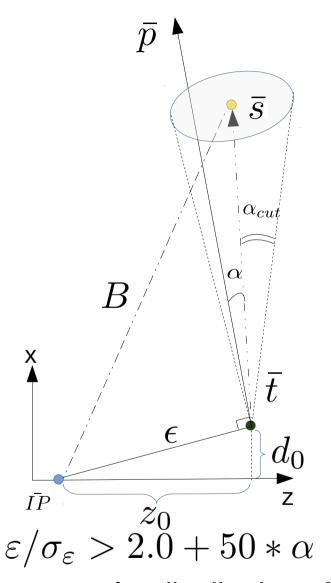


Analysis setup

- We are using 500 GeV semileptonic ttbar sample eLpR with pair background v01-16-05 (DBD)
- Same sample using CellsAutomatonMV as tracking algorithm v01-17-09 (Minivector)
- TruthVertexFinder from MarlinReco/Analysis to get the generated vertices
- Modified version of VertexChargeRecovery from MarlinReco/Analysis (Recovery)
- Technical details were given in the talk on Tuesday in Software Session of ECFA workshop 2016



Recovery optimization

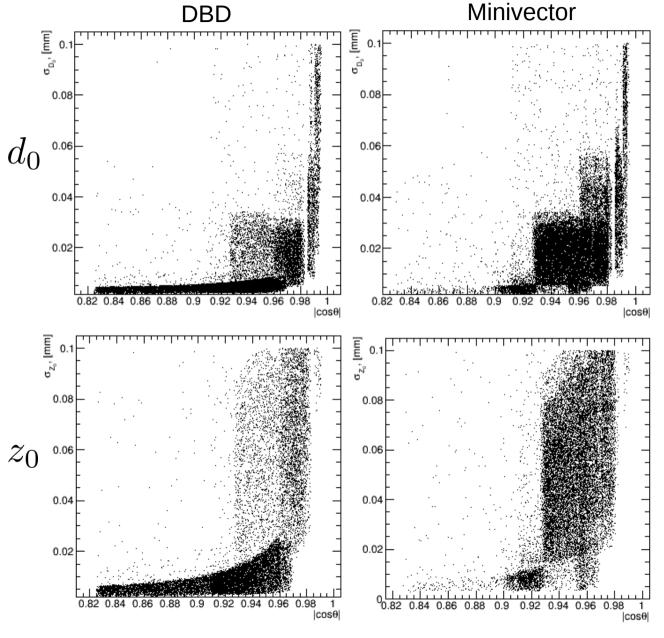


$$\epsilon/\sigma_{\epsilon} = |\frac{d_0}{\sigma_{d_0}}| + |\frac{z_0}{\sigma_{z_0}}|$$

 Angular distribution of the recovered b-tracks and background (fake) tracks. Covariance matrix is used. Minivector tracking.

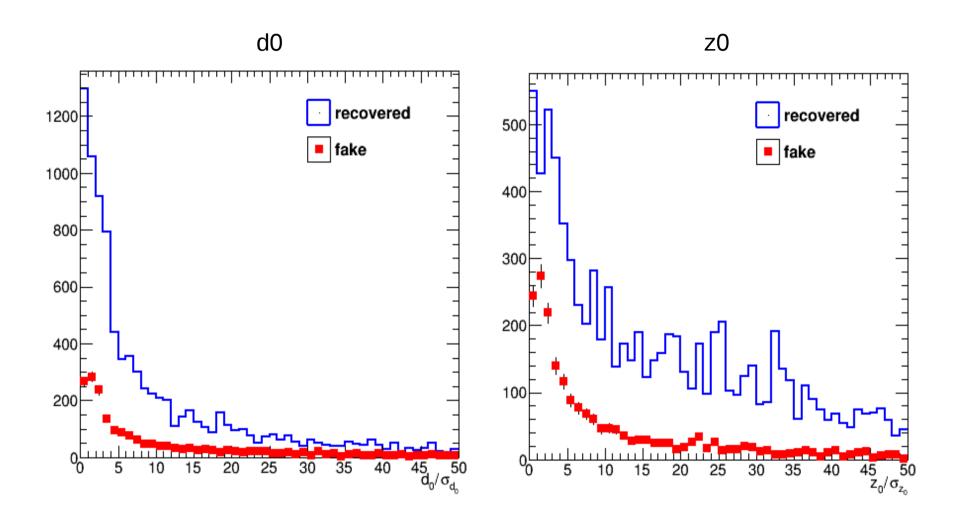
|cos0|

Track parameter uncertainties



- Angular distribution of d0 and z0 uncertainties for minivector tracking.
- The transition towards the forward region may "suffer" from reducing number of space points for measurement, needs more investigation
- Step-function-like uncertainty behaviour, more pronounced for mini-vector

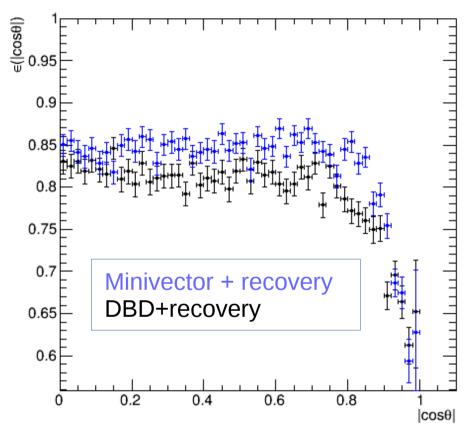
Components of the offset significance



- Excellent purity for d0 offset significance
- Purity of the recovery degrades towards small z0 offset significance, needs 7 to be improved

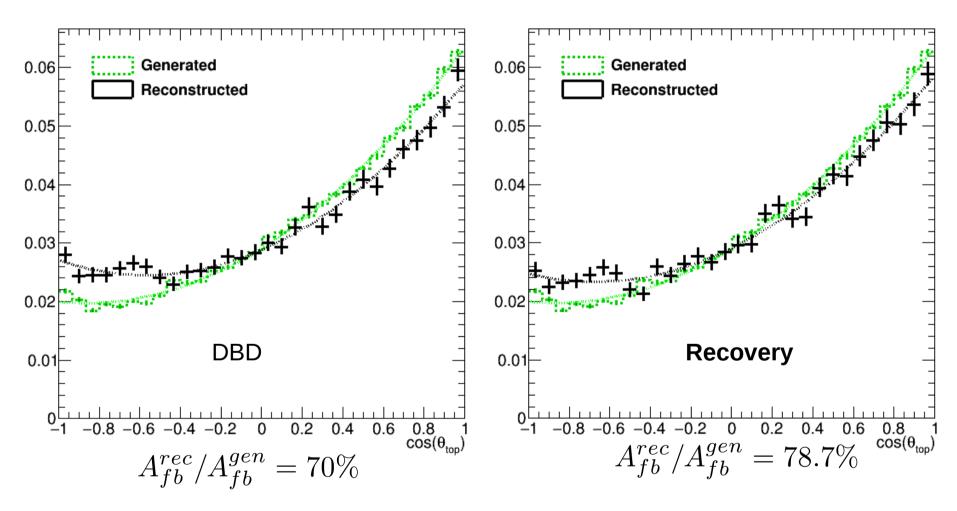
Overall charge purity

B-meson charge purity as a function of polar angle



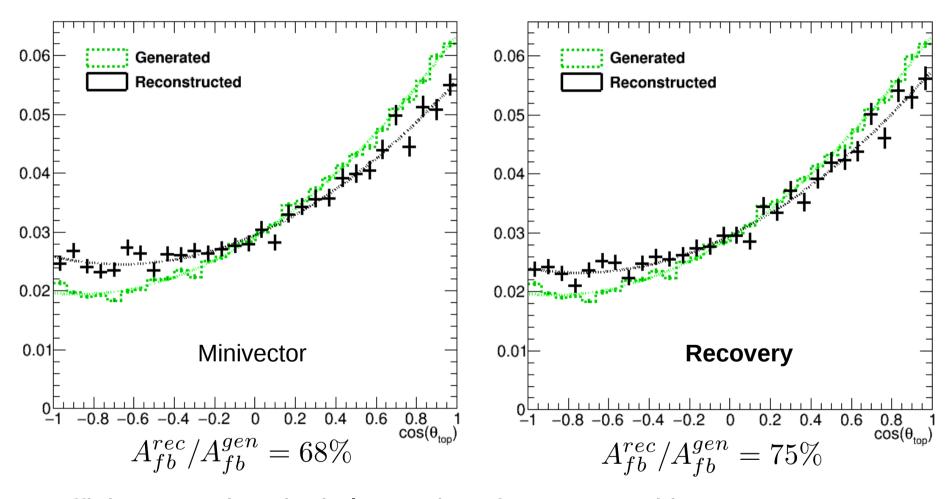
- Vertex charge purity in the barrel region 80-85%
- Degradation towards the forward region
- Minivector sample has ~3% higher vertex charge purity on average than DBD, and it has better purity in the forward region

DBD top polar angle reconstruction



Recovery improves by more than 10%.

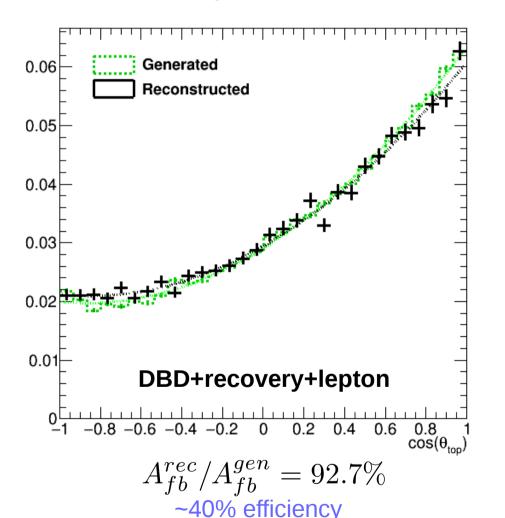
Minivector top polar angle reconstruction



- Efficiency and purity is lower than for DBD tracking
- LeptonFinder and flavour tagging are not optimized for minivector tracking

Improvement for semi-leptonic top decays

Top polar angle reconstruction for DBD using combination with lepton charge from W decay.

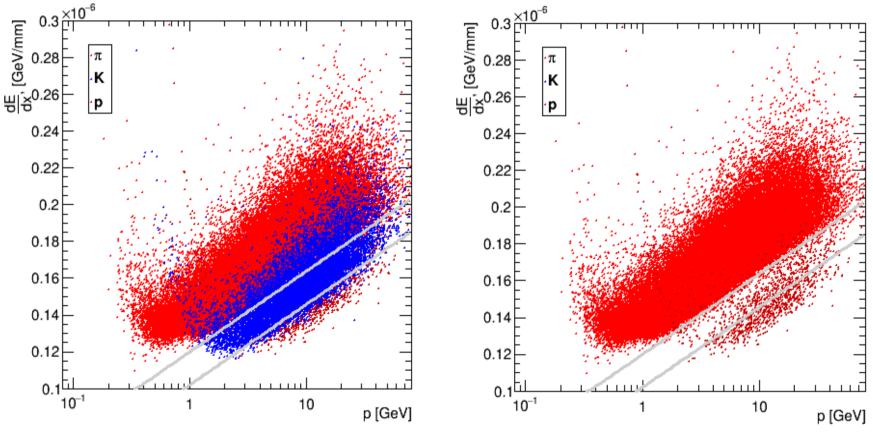


- The events are selected if there is a non-contradicting B-jet charge and lepton charge from W or $\chi^2_t < 15$
- The efficiency of this method is ~30% higher than published result [arxiv:1505.06020, EPJC (2015) 75:512]
- The efficiency can be increased by optimizing general event selection (currently on the level of ~ 55%).

$$\chi_t^2 = (\frac{m_{rec} - m_t}{\sigma_m})^2 + (\frac{E_{rec} - E_{beam}}{\sigma_E})^2 + (\frac{p_{rec}^* - p_b^*}{\sigma_p^*})^2 + (\frac{\cos\theta_{rec} - \cos\theta_{bW}}{\sigma_{\cos\theta_{bW}}})^2$$
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Kaon identification

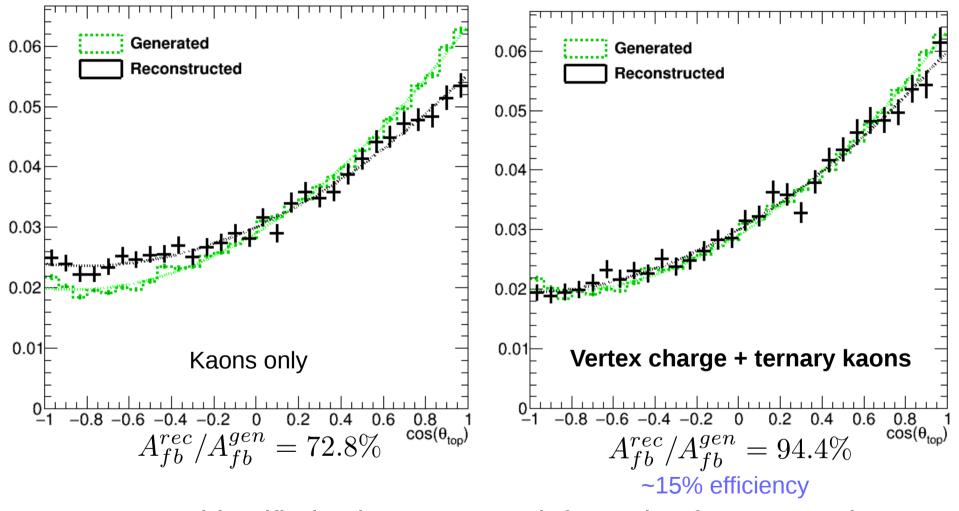
dE/dx as function of a track momentum for different types of particles from secondary and ternary vertices



- It is possible to identify kaons with high purity
- In current analysis kaons are selected using generator information for ternary tracks with TPC hits > 60 and $|cos\theta| < 0.95$

Improvement by ternary kaons

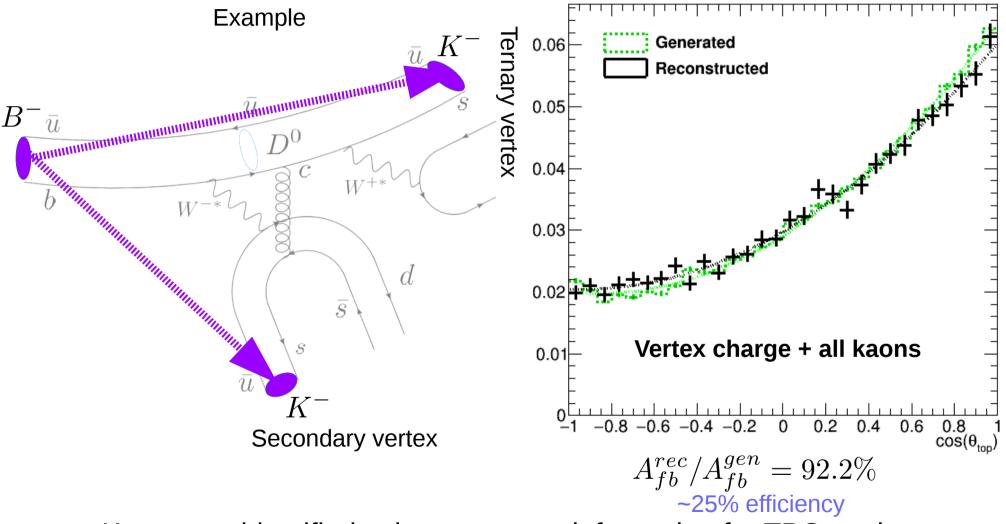
Top polar angle reconstruction using ternary kaons and vertex charge combination.



- Kaons are identified using generator information for TPC tracks.
- B-jet information only.

Improvement by all kaons

Top polar angle reconstruction using all kaons and vertex charge combination.



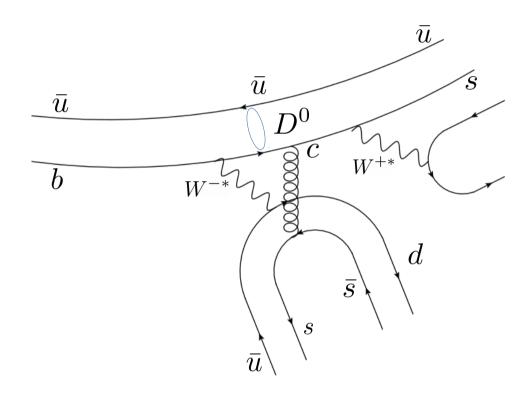
- Kaons are identified using generator information for TPC tracks.
- B-jet information only.

Summary

- Purity of the VertexChargeRecovery is increased in the forward region by using uncertainties for d0 and z0 separately
- Efficiency is reachable for semileptonic sample using the b and W charge as compared to 30% in previous studies
- Application of kaon reconstruction leads to almost perfect b charge purity with ~25% efficiency
- Research stay in Japan in July to work on new vertexing algorithm (Application for French/Japanese TYL/FJPPL funding)
- Further work:
 - Use full kaon reconstruction
 - Optimize the preselection for ttbar process
 - Apply this method to bbar process at ILC
 - Improve purity of the VertexChargeRecovery
 - Study the efficiency decrease for minivector tracking

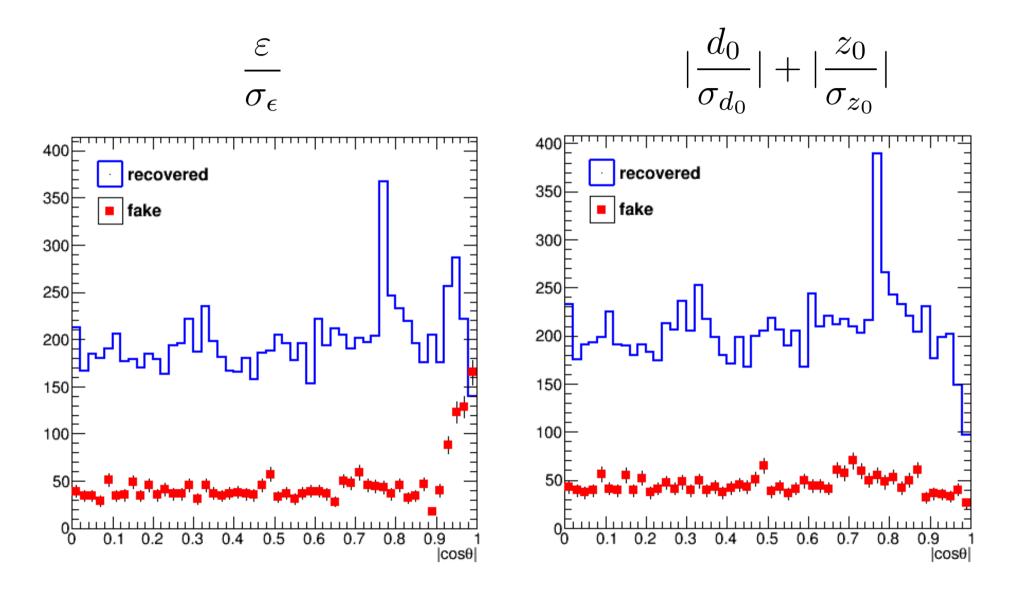
Thank you!

Kaon charge correlation



Example of B-meson decay with secondary and ternary kaons.

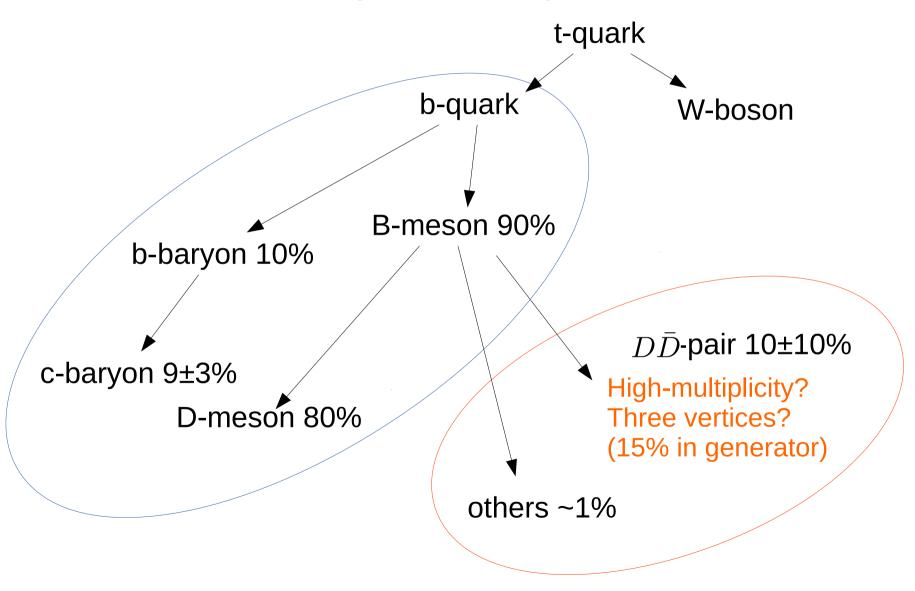
Old offset vs new offset



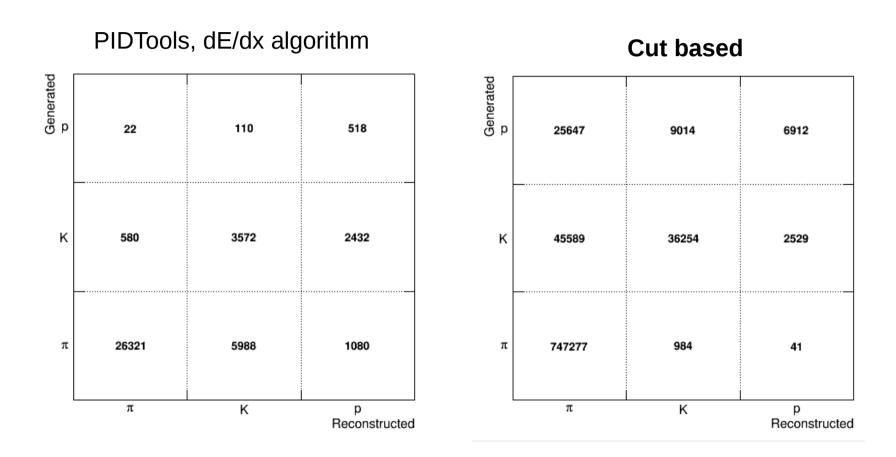
 Angular distribution of the recovered b-tracks and background (fake) tracks. Minivector tracking.

Process overview

Hadronization and decay modes of b-quark:

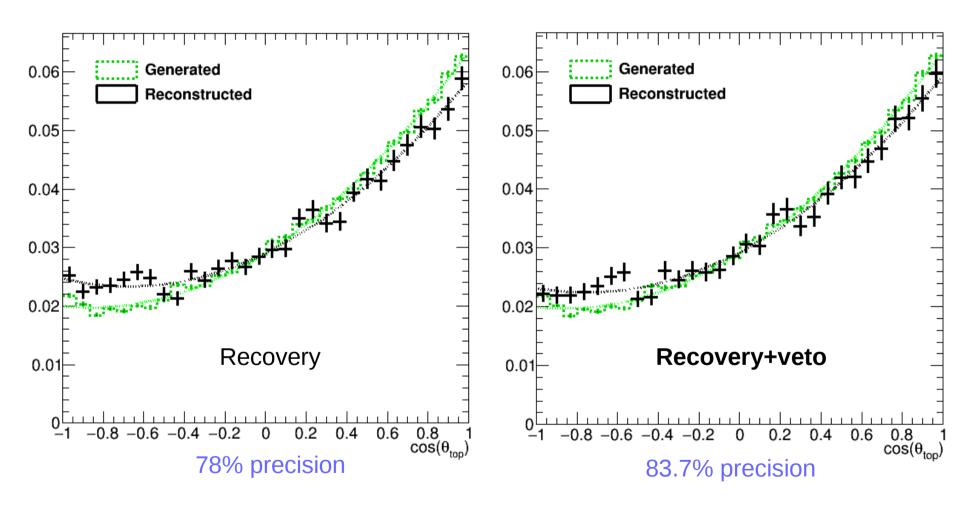


Kaon reconstruction



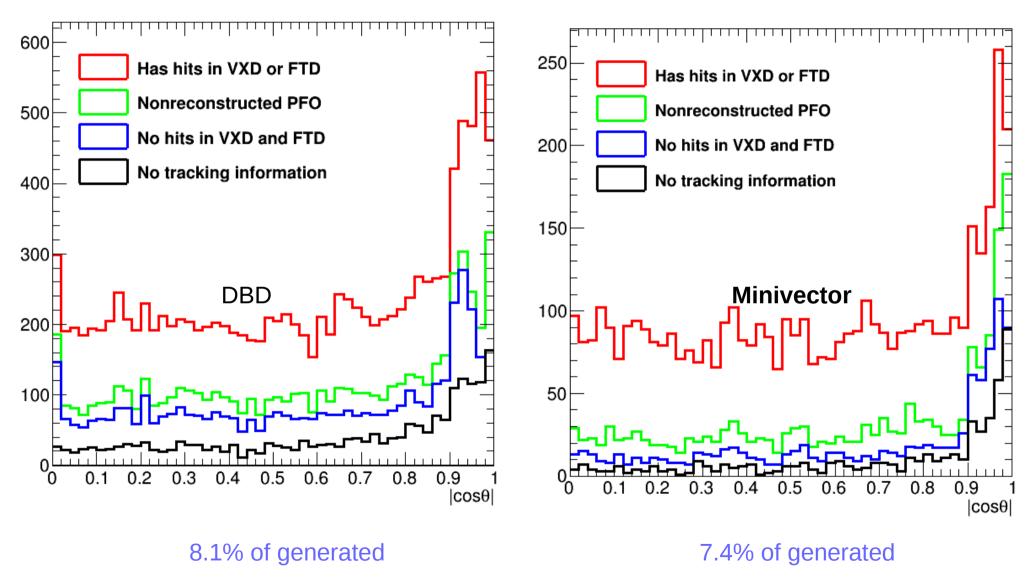
Comparison of two kaon reconstruction methods (preliminary)

Overall top polar angle improvement



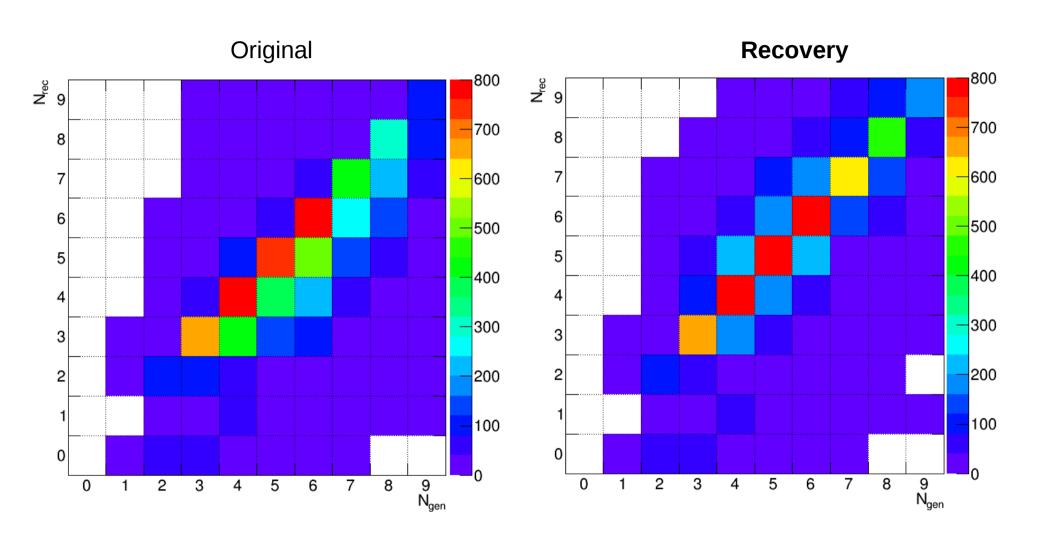
 Top polar angle reconstruction for DBD. Veto: The DDbar events are excluded using generator information

Missed tracks DBD vs Minivector+recovery



 Angular distribution of the missed tracks from reconstructed vertices. VertexChargeRecovery is used

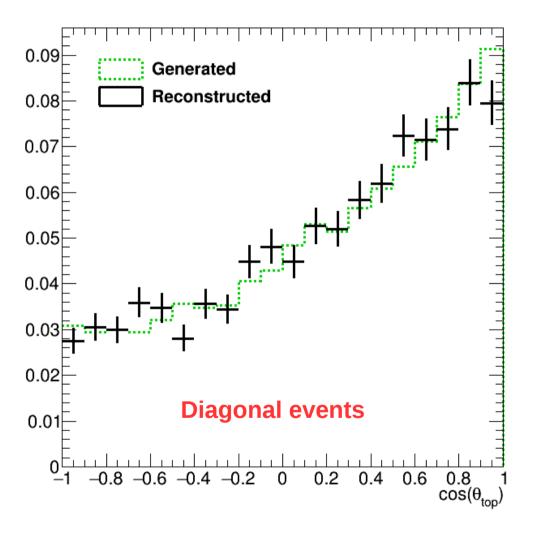
Number of tracks comparison Minivector



51.0% on diagonal

63.3% on diagonal

Top asymmetry: diagonal events

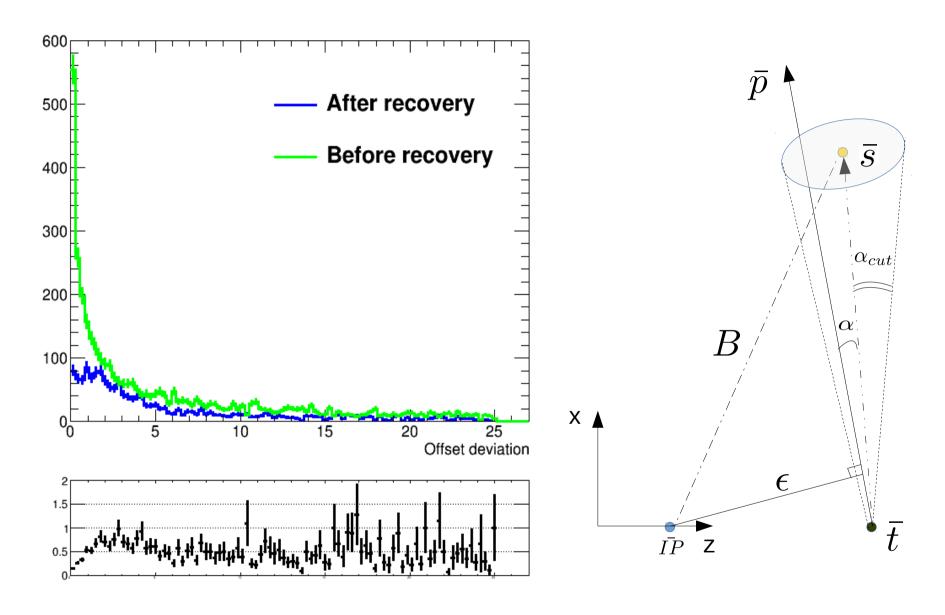


- TruthVertexFinder works correctly!
- To reach this quality we should maximize the vertex reconstruction quality:
 - Recover corrupted vertices
 - Reject corrupted vertices
 - Apply different tracking algorithms
 - Use alternative vertexing algorithm

95.5% precision

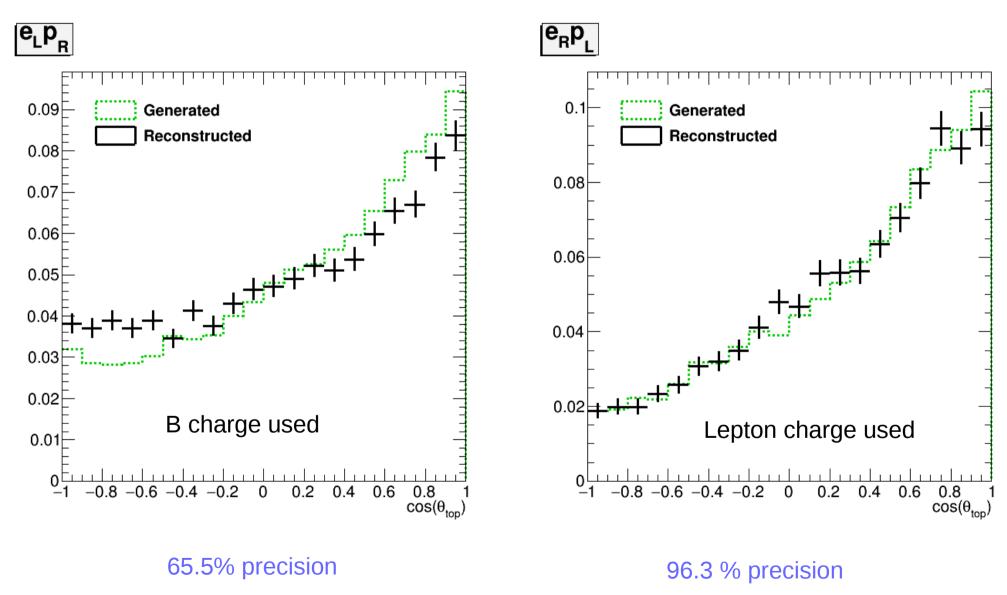
 The result of top asymmetry reconstruction with correctly reconstructed b vertices.

Offset deviation - Minivector reconstruction



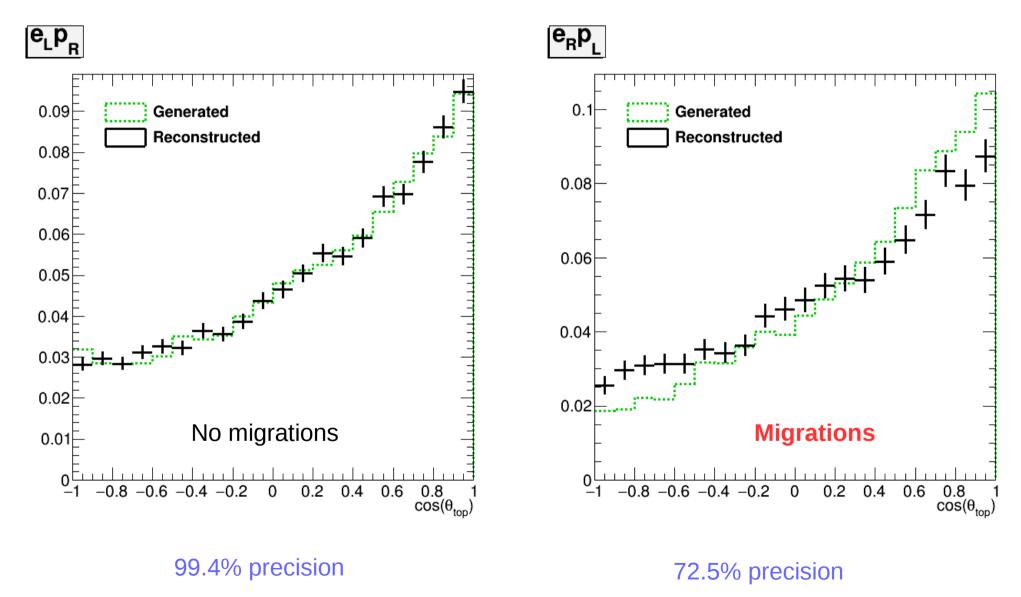
 Majority of missed tracks have low offsets. These tracks can be recoverable if their angle w.r.t. secondary vertex is small

Top asymmetry DBD



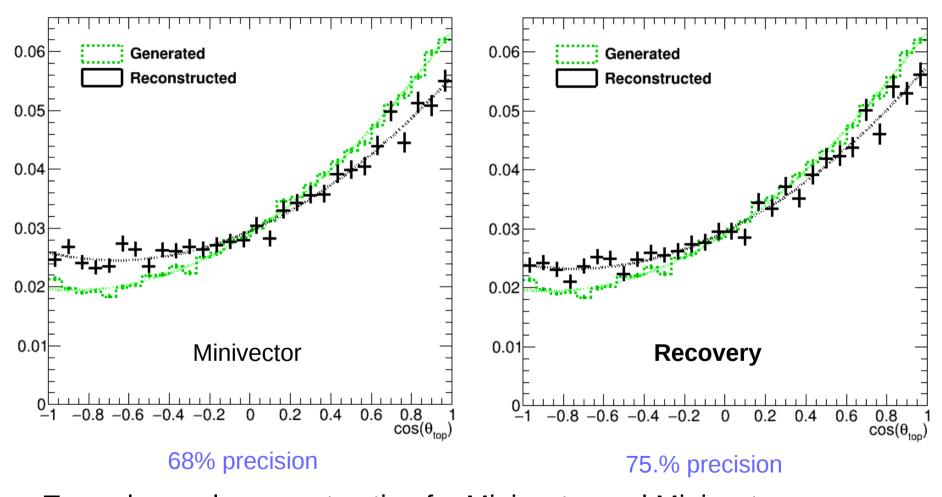
 The result of top asymmetry reconstruction with real b charge measurement. DBD tracking, no recovery

Top asymmetry: Using generated b charge



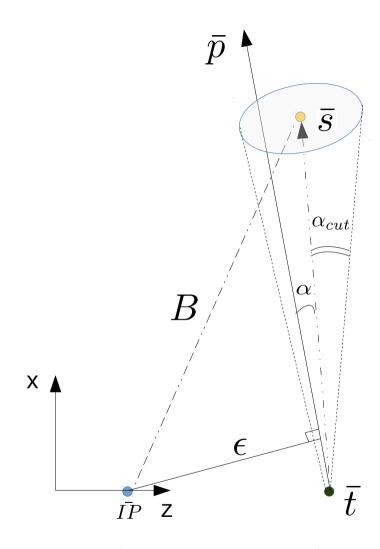
 The result of top asymmetry reconstruction with 100% purity and efficiency of b charge.

Overall top polar angle improvement



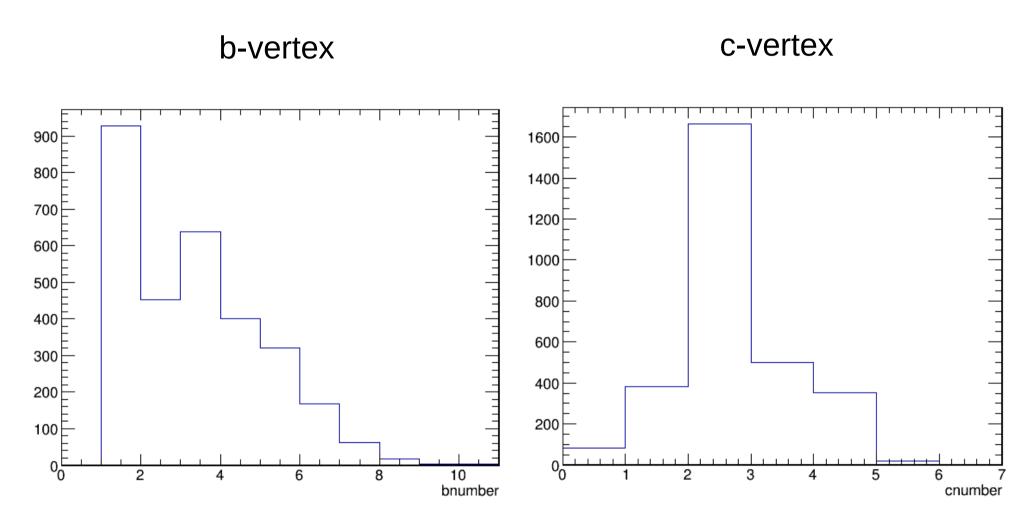
- Top polar angle reconstruction for Minivector and Minivector + new recovery.
- LeptonFinder and flavour tagging is not optimized for minivector tracking

Recovery of vertices



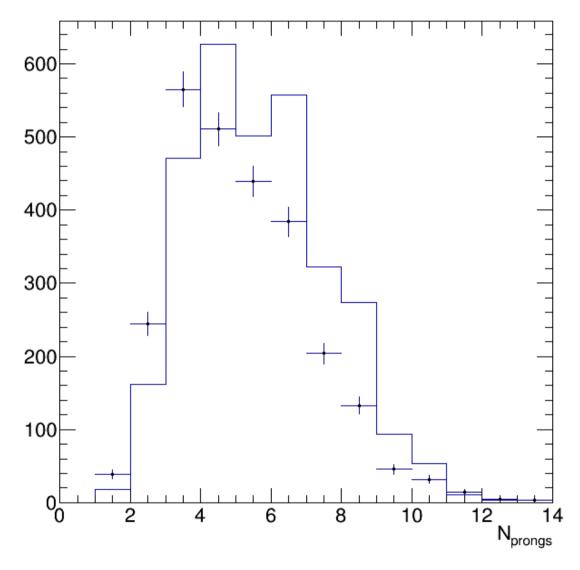
• **IP** – interaction point (primary vertex), \mathbf{s} – secondary vertex, \mathbf{t} – point of closest approach of a track, \mathbf{p} – reconstructed momentum, ϵ - offset of a track from primary vertex

Multiplicity of b-c vertices



 Number of tracks for b and c vertices. For charge measurement the 1-prong decay is dangerous and it is present in both vertices

Reconstructed vertices



• Number of tracks from generated vertices (yellow) and reconstructed (crosses). Distributions do not coincide