

Nuclear Emulsion Data Analysis

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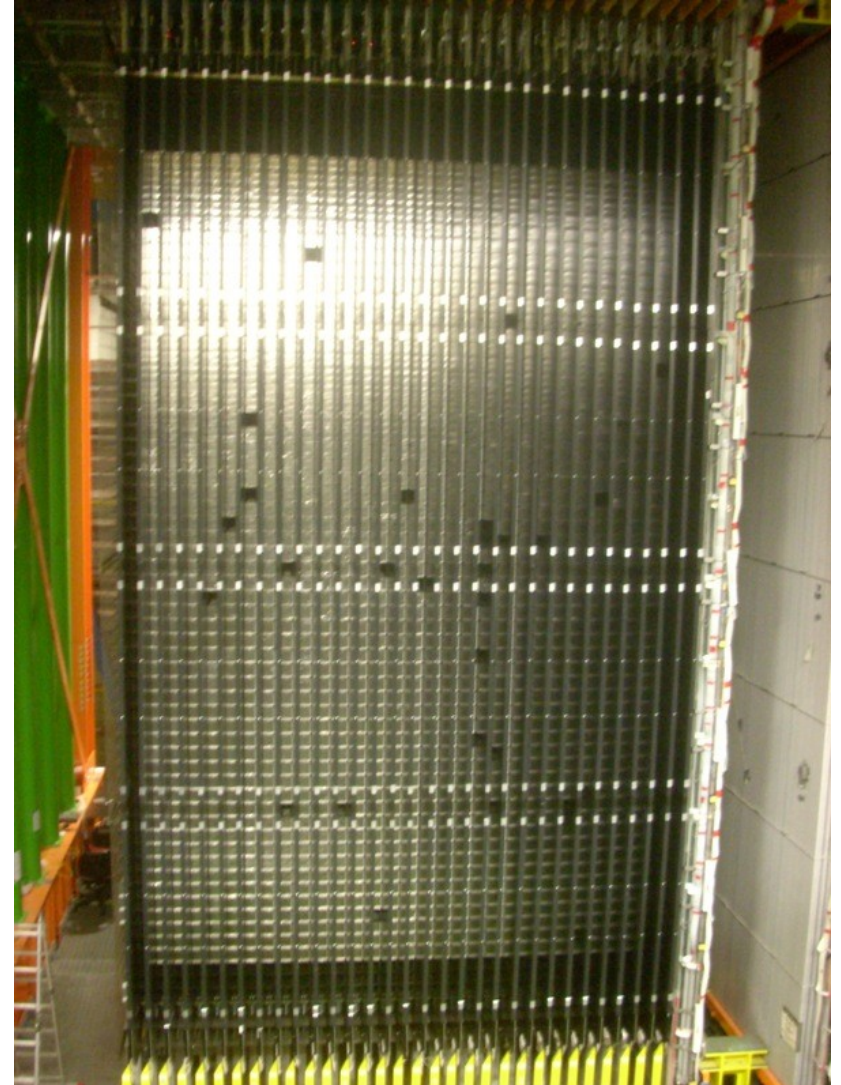
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Opera Experiment

- **History of Emulsion**
 - Photo Emulsion(Bacquerel)
 - Emulsion Cloud Chamber
 - **BEBC, E653, CHORUS...**
- **Scientific Purpose**
 - Tau neutrino appearance in mu neutrino beam
- **Nuclear Emulsion bricks**
 - Lead & Emulsion
 - 2 Changeable Sheets
 - **(45 + 210 + 45) um**



Data Acquisition

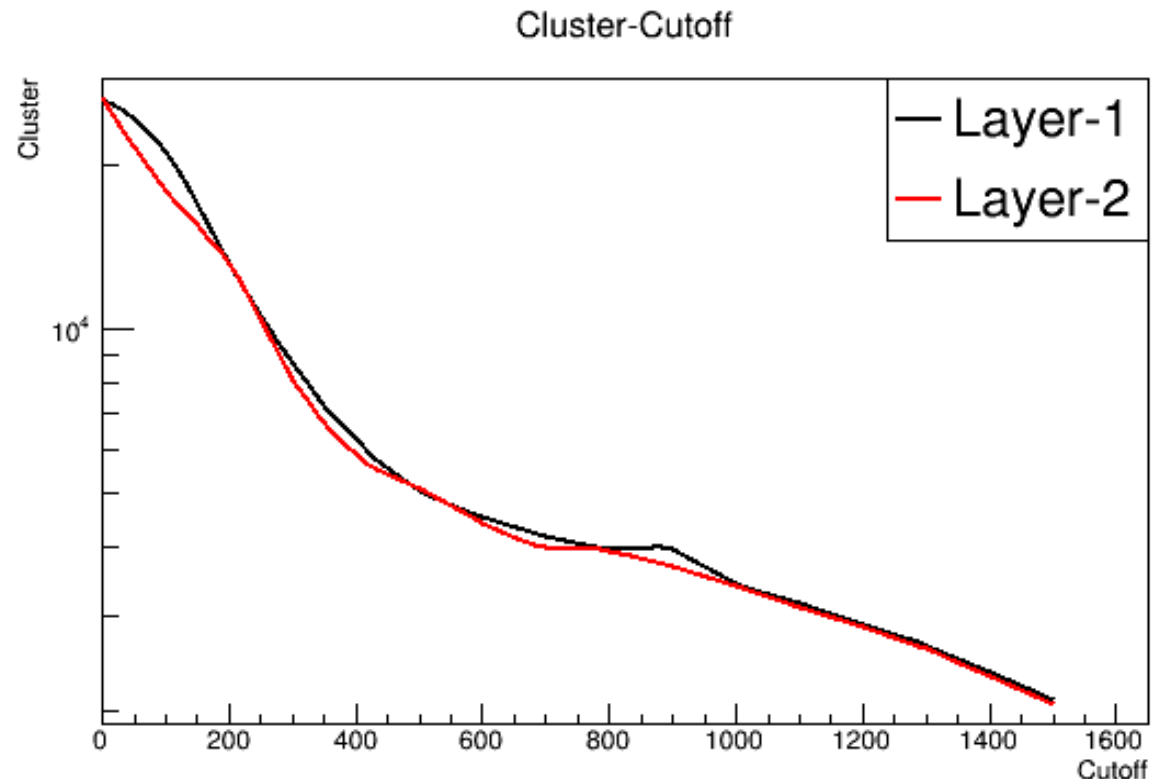
- **Microscope**
 - Scan CS & Store the grains
- **Offline Analysis**
 - Grains into micro tracks
 - Micro tracks into base tracks
 - Base tracks into volume tracks



Cutoff Analysis

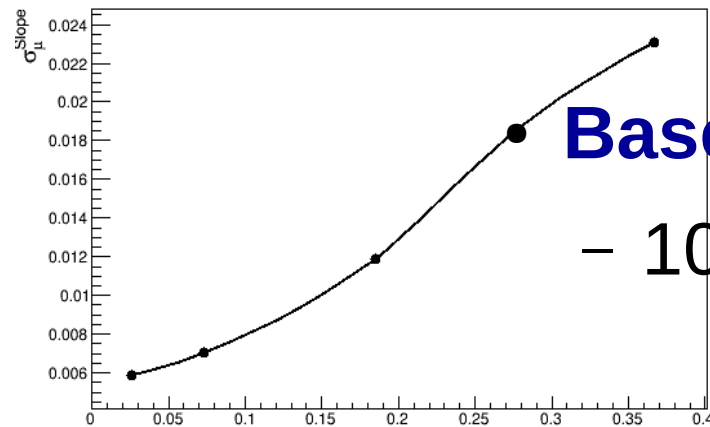
- To obtain a **constant grain number** for the **top** and **bottom** layer of which the luminosity is different, we need to give them different **cutoff**.

- Final **cutoff**:
 - **L1: 780**
 - **L2: 700**



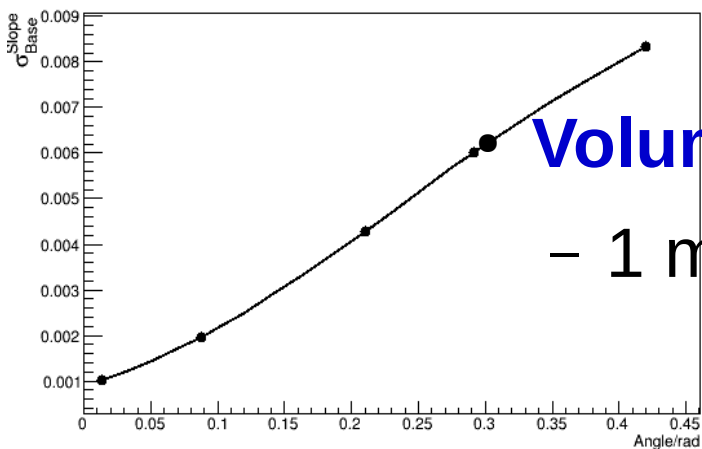
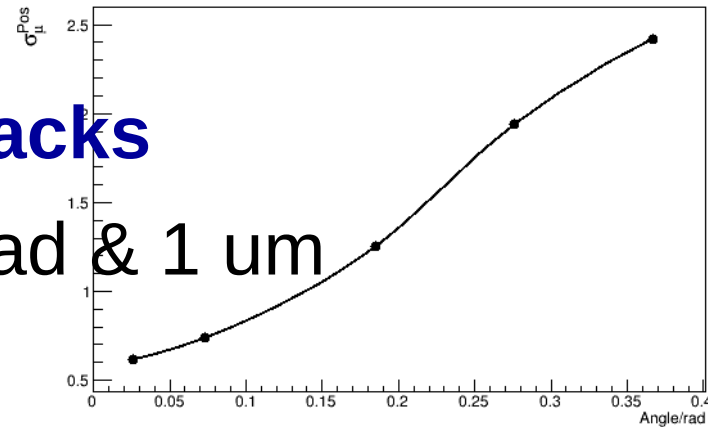
Resolution Analysis

- The **resolution improves** as the **grains** are linked into **volume tracks**. For different **track slope**, the **resolution is different**, reaching to **um & mrad**:



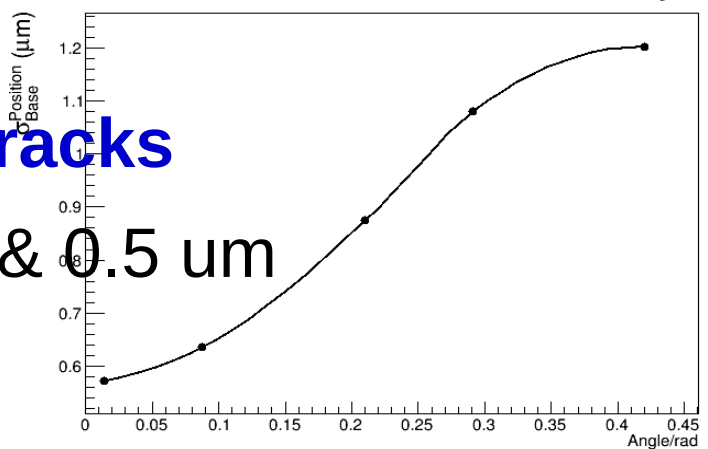
Base Tracks

- 10 mrad & 1 um



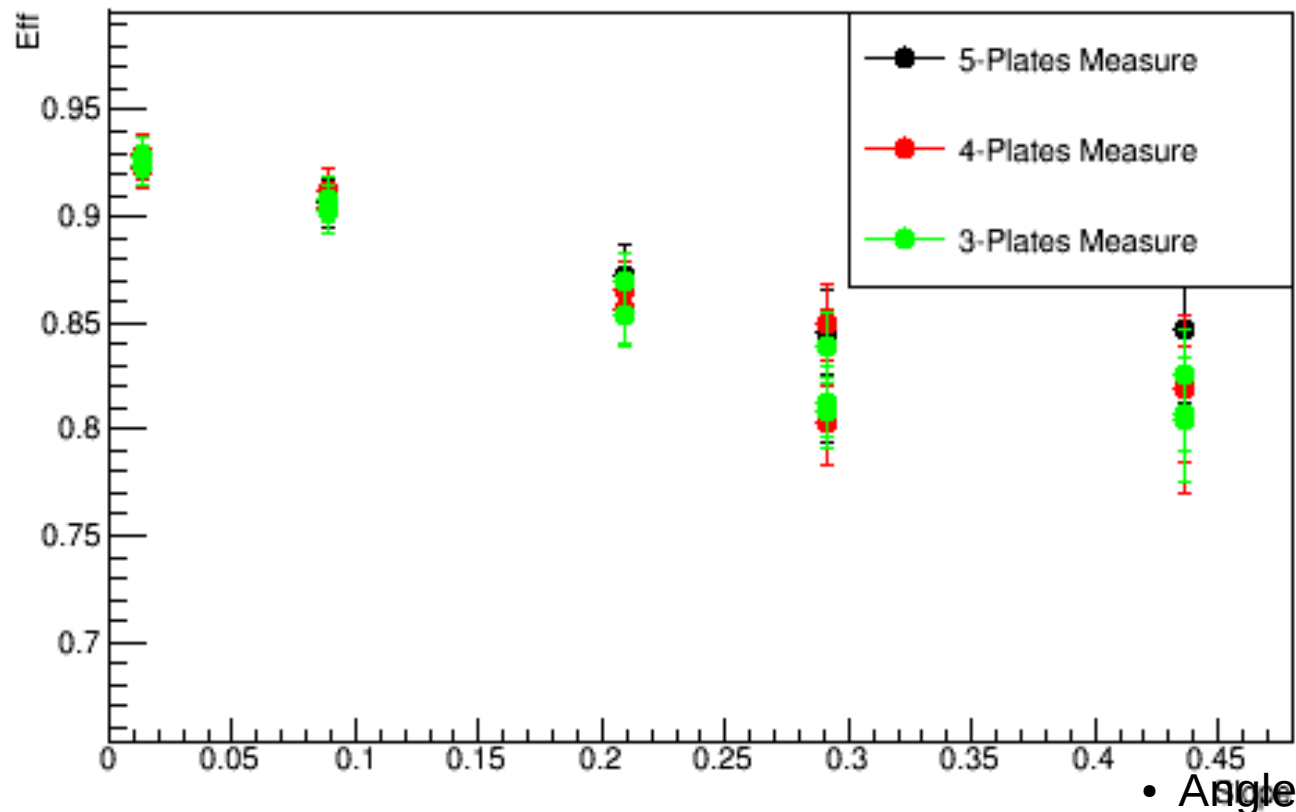
Volume Tracks

- 1 mrad & 0.5 um



Detection Efficiency Analysis

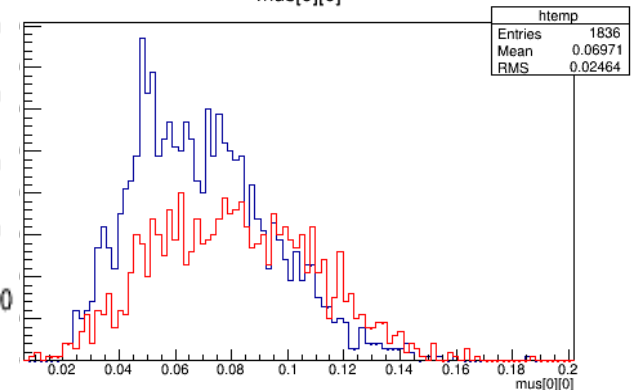
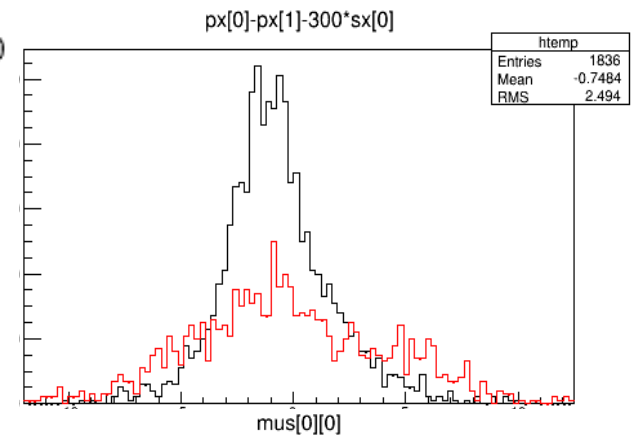
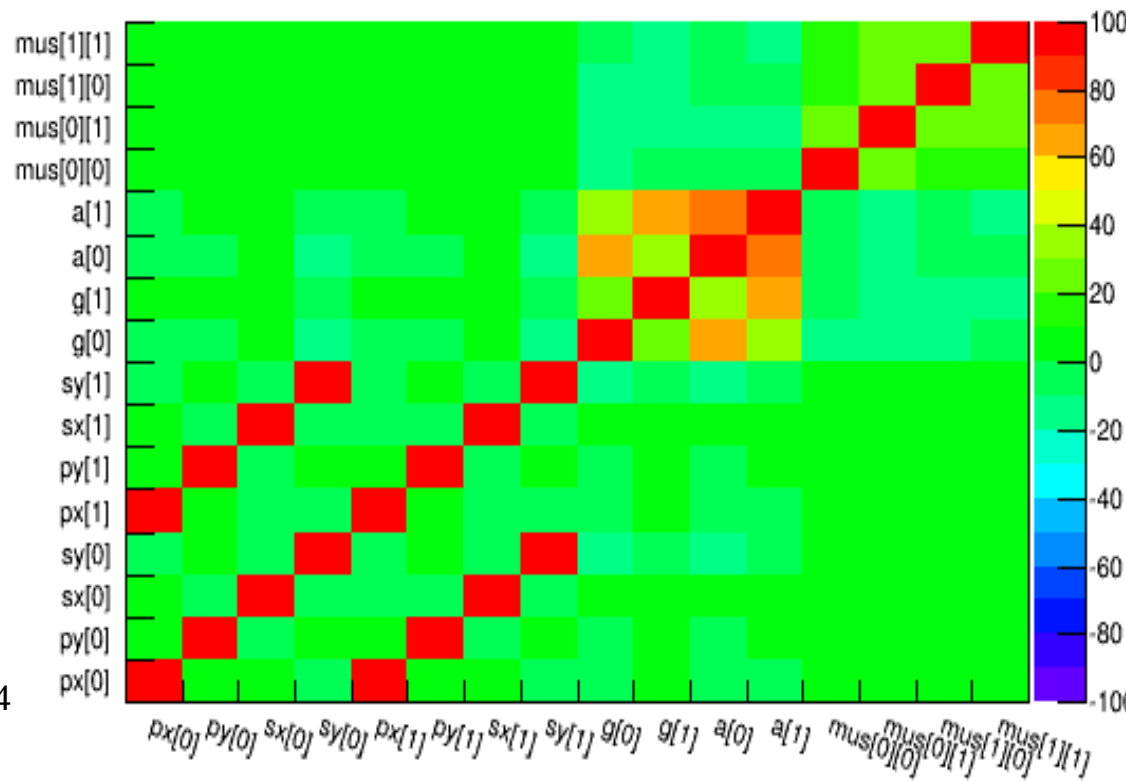
- With **3 or more** sheets, we can analyze the **efficiency** by **reconstructing the tracks**. The detection efficiency can be as high as **0.9**.



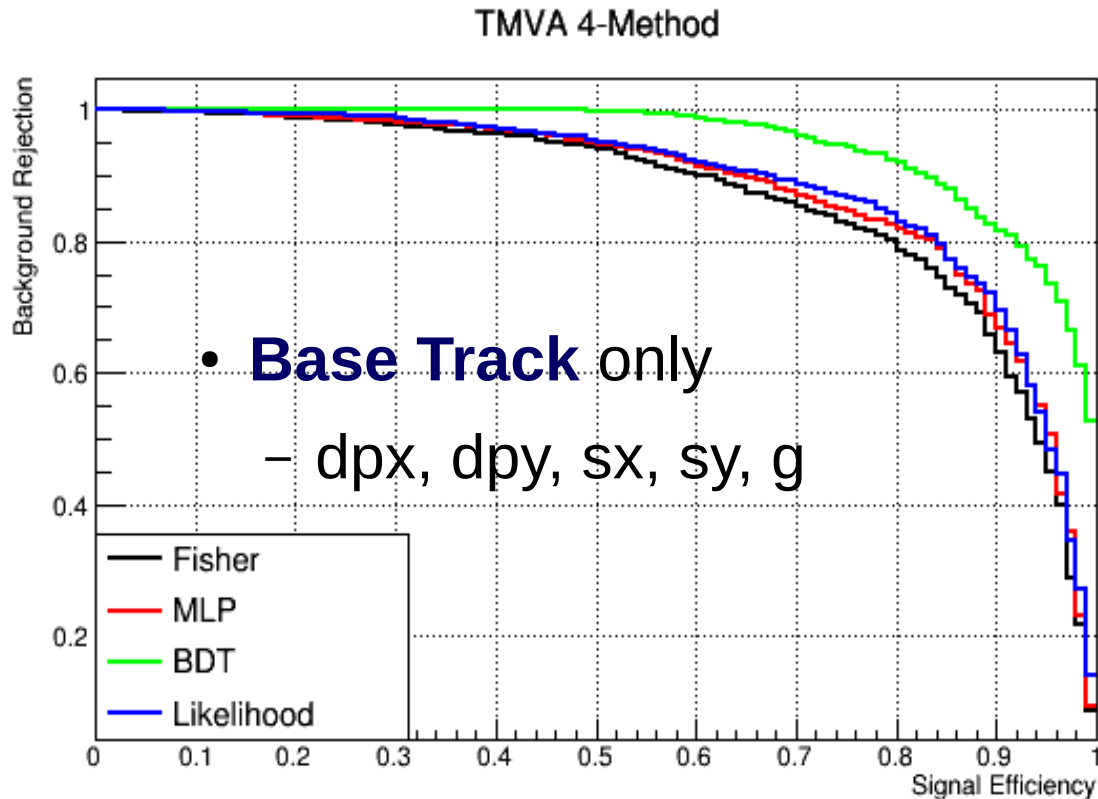
Signal Discrimination

- Instead of using **manual check** for the linked tracks, a **TMVA method** is applied aiming to tell the true tracks apart from the false ones.
- **Input variables:**

Correlation Matrix (signal)

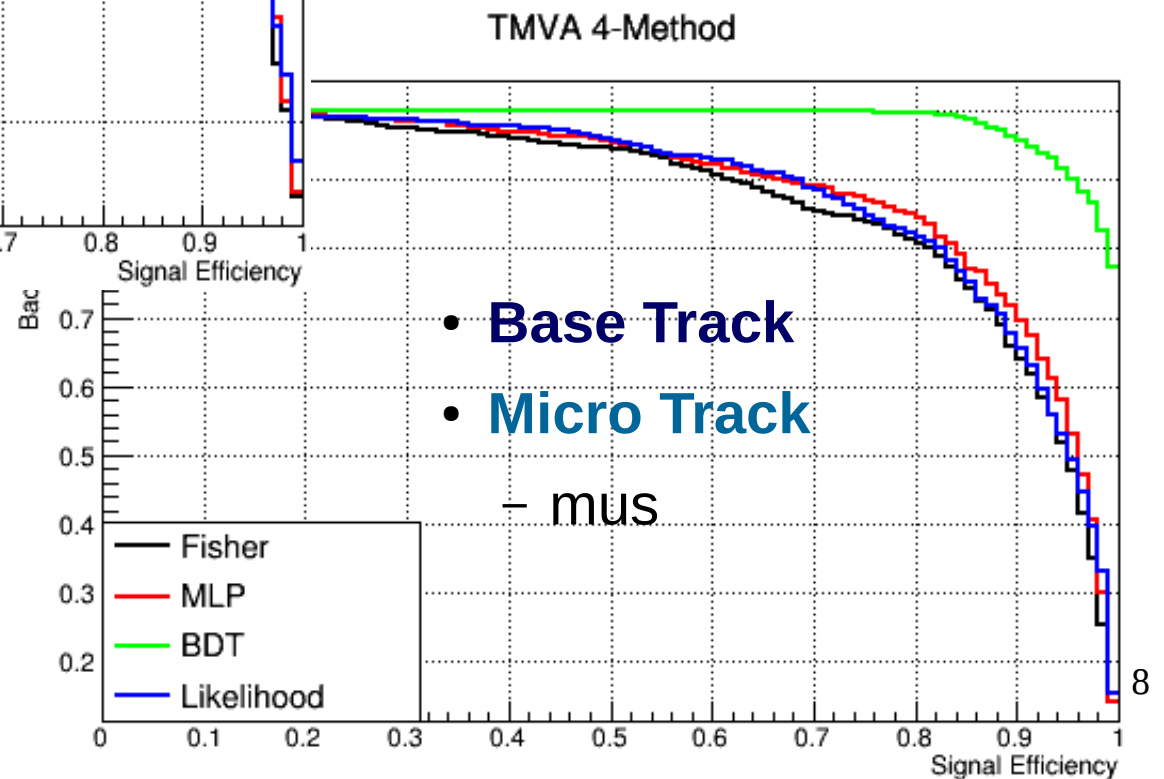


Rejection and Efficiency



- **Improvement** in rejection power, especially for **BDT** method.

- **Fisher**
- **MLP**
- **BDT**
- **Likelihood**



Prospect for Nuclear Emulsion

- **Dark Matter Detection**
 - **N**uclear **E**mulsion **W**IMP **S**earch (Directional)
 - Spatial resolution ~ 100 nm, ~ 10 degree
 - Emulsion – Optical Scope – X-ray Scope
- **Geological Detection**
 - Cosmic ray muon tomography
 - **Unzen (Japan), Stromboli (Italy), Teide (Spain)** volcanoes
- **Medical Detection**
 - Hadron therapy