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Updates on the efficiencies for the detection of high energy electrons in the ILC Beam Calorimeter

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Forward Region



Precise luminosity measurement,

Hermeticity,

Assisting beam tuning (fast feedback of BeamCal data to machine)

Challenges: radiation hardness (BeamCal), high precision (LumiCal) and fast readout (both)

Beam Calorimeter



- BeCaS; Mokka; Guinea Pig; ROOT BeCaS describes :
- different crossing angles (14 mrad) magnetic field
- detailed material composition of BeamCal geometry description surrounding detectors (LumiCal, QD0)

- > Around Beam-pipe
- > 30 Layers
 - Tungsten absorber:
 - Sensor layer GaAs or Di
- > Radii 2...15 cm, depth ~12 cm
- > Sensor segmentation 8x8 mm²



Beamstrahlung Problem

e+

e⁺

e⁻

e⁻



- Small bunches and high luminosity
- > the bunch particles accelerated by the Lorentz force radiate photons, which are mostly collinear with the direction of the bunch motion

Photons are converted to e⁺e⁻ pairs -> e⁺e⁻ pairs are deflected



- > Hermeticity electron detection at low polar angles
- To distinguish between new physics and background processes (Stau production and standard model)

Algorithm

- > sHEe on top of BX search in respect to average of 10 BX
- > 10 BX -> average and fluctuation calculation
- > 1 BX + 1 sHEe
- > Define a cluster:
 - > Towers after 5-th layer with more then 10 consecutive cells
 - > Search tower with maximum deposited summary energy
 - > Two or more neighbors towers
 - > Exclude all towers correspond to found cluster and repeat searching
- > Reconstruction efficiency and fake rate calculations
- > Algorithm was written for BeCaS files → LCIO to Root format (M. Stanescu Bellu)
 - ~ 2.000 BeCaS samples for sHEe
 - ~ 2.000 Mokka samples for Bunch Crossings (Nominal Beam Parameters)



Calibration



Fake rate



Efficiency of Electron Reconstruction



Radial Slices



Big Radii sHEe



Big Radii sHEe



Conclusions

- > Work on sHEe reconstruction is continuing with higher statistics and for new beam parameters (SB-2009)
- > Parameterization of electron reconstruction efficiency is ongoing (there is enough statistics now for nominal beam parameters, for SB-2009 will follow)
- > There are difference between BeCaS and Mokka found and have to be equalized for forward region



>Thank You!

