## Update on $\gamma \gamma \rightarrow$ low pt hadrons study

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## Possible method to remove $\gamma \gamma \rightarrow$ low pt hadrons

- Displacement of vertices in $z$ direction
- Vertices of $\gamma \gamma$ overlay events displaced from that of signal vertices
- Identifying the tracks coming from such vertices and removing them would be an effective method
- Standard vertex finding algorithm reconstructs one single primary vertex for each event
- More complex algorithm to group the tracks to find different vertices


## Cuts for the algorithm

> Presented in detail in Pre-ILD meeting KEK Feb 2018.
$>$ Cuts for algorithm:

- Number of tracks < 12
$-Z_{0}$ of the track < 15 mm
- Veto the tracks associated with $\mathrm{V}_{0}$
- Track with highest d0 considered as a signal track


## Algorithm



## No of tracks in a group

> Plots show no. of groups - no. of tracks per group
$>$ The last group always has no. of events less than others
> Algorithm - compares distance from left to right with adjacent tracks
$>$ The average position is shifted towards left
$>$ Algorithm - position dependent



## Cuts for new algorithm

$>$ The older cuts:

- Number of tracks < 12
- $Z_{0}$ of the track < 15 mm
- Veto the tracks associated with $\mathrm{V}_{0}$
$>$ A new cut :
- Tracks with d0 $>0.2 \mathrm{~mm}$ are not considered for now



## New Algorithm



## Conclusion

>Grouping algorithm used earlier - position dependent
>Average position of the track shifted to the direction from where the grouping started
$>$ New algorithm with an additional do cut introduced and formed
$>$ Work in progress

