# Hadron Production in Photon-Photon Processes and BSM signatures with small mass differences

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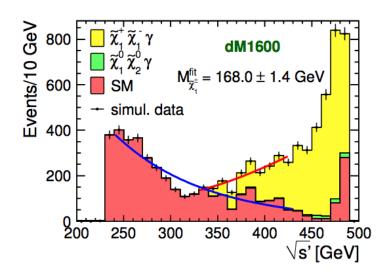
#### **Benchmark Scenario**

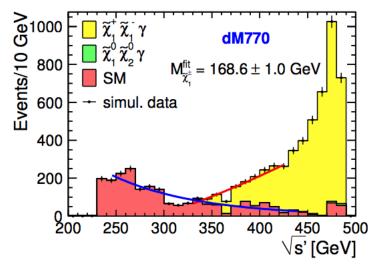
- > Light higgsinos  $\tilde{\chi}_1^0$ ,  $\tilde{\chi}_2^0$  and  $\tilde{\chi}_1^{\pm}$  can be discovered/excluded at ILC <u>DESY-THESIS-2016-001</u>
- > The case was studied at two benchmark scenarios

$$\Delta M(\tilde{X}_{1}^{\pm}, \tilde{X}_{1}^{0}) = 770 \text{ MeV} => \text{dM}770$$

$$\Delta M(\tilde{X}_1^{\pm}, \tilde{X}_1^{0}) = 1.6 \text{ GeV} => \text{dM}1600$$

- > Charginos decay hadronically and leptonically
- > Studied without the inclusion of
  - $\gamma \gamma \rightarrow \text{low p}_T \text{ overlay}$
  - Pair background







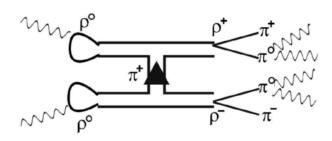
### Possible methods to remove $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow low pT$ hadrons

#### > First Method:

- 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
- This method cannot be used for purely neutral events like  $\gamma \gamma \to \pi^0 \pi^0$

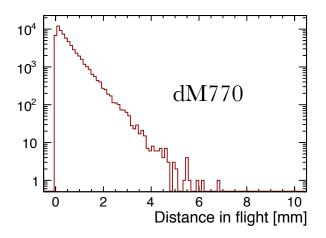
#### > Second method:

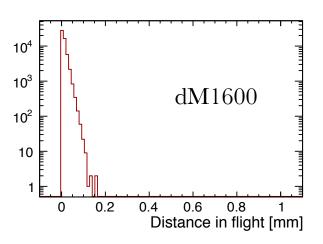
- The invariant mass of decay products of rho meson gives rho mass
- Rho meson used as a tag to remove  $\gamma\gamma$  events
- Could be applied on very small event number



#### Reconstruction level and the track parameters

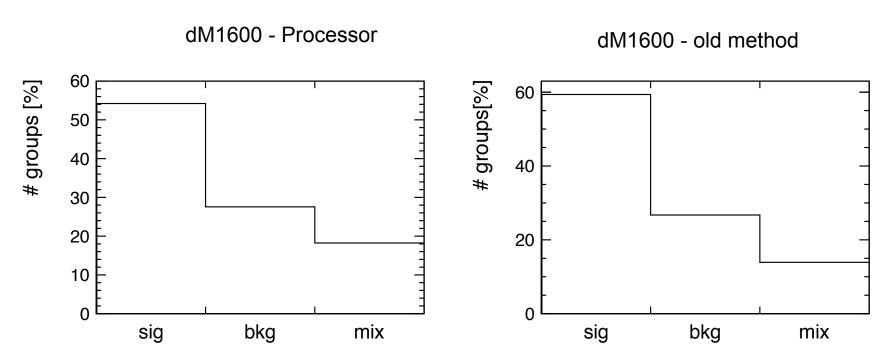
- >Standard vertex finding algorithm reconstructs one single primary vertex for each event
- >More complex algorithm to group the tracks to find different vertices
- > Grouping based on difference in z0 significance
- > Unlike the particles in  $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow low$  pt hadron events, charginos have a finite life time which makes the d<sub>0</sub> parameter important
- >Develop a new algorithm which groups the closest tracks to form vertex positions
- > A new algorithm developed and the results were shown Benchmarking days at Arlington.
- The algorithm was initially made as a c++ root macro





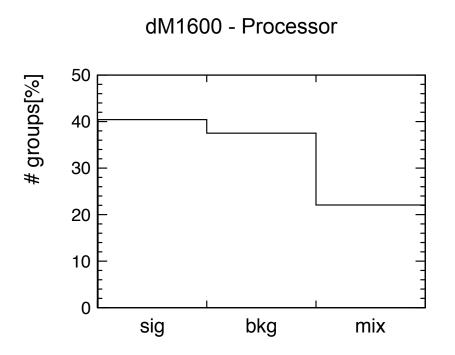
### Processor for Algorithm dM1600 without Pair background

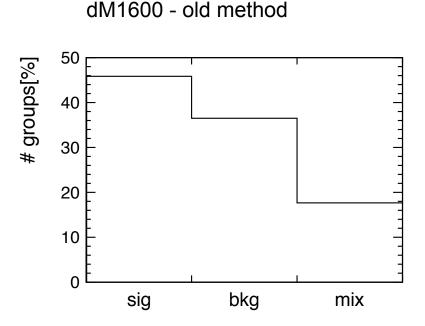
- > The whole algorithm has been transported into two different processors.
- > A processor applying different cuts to the sample as per the given samples
- > The main algorithm processor grouping tracks together to form vertices
- > Comparison for both the cases are shown



### Algorithm Performance for dM1600 (pair background)

The processor can give similar results as the old algorithm even though the results with old method are slightly better



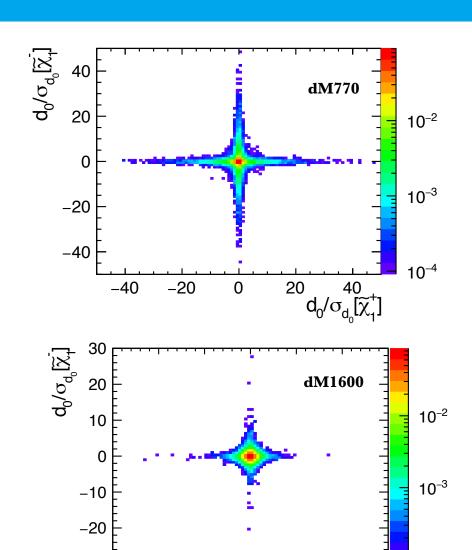




# Removal of high do tracks for dM770

- >For dM770 tracks with higher d<sub>0</sub> mostly include signal tracks
- >Among the tracks coming from two charginos one has higher d<sub>0</sub> other lower
- >For dM770 track with highest d<sub>0</sub> treated separately assuming to be one signal track

| $\tilde{\chi}_1^+$ decay mode         | BR(dM770) |
|---------------------------------------|-----------|
| $e\nu\widetilde{\chi}_1^0$            | 15.0%     |
| $\mu u\widetilde{\chi}_1^0$           | 13.7%     |
| $\pi^+\widetilde{\chi}^0_1$           | 60.4%     |
| $\pi^+\pi^0\widetilde{\chi}^0_1$      | 7.3%      |
| $\pi^+\pi^0\pi^0\widetilde{\chi}^0_1$ | 0.03%     |



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 $10^{-4}$ 

 $d_0/\sigma_{d_0} \widetilde{\chi}^{F_1}$ 

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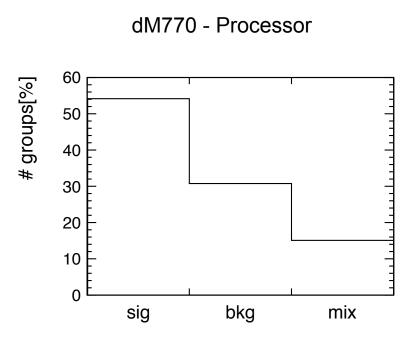
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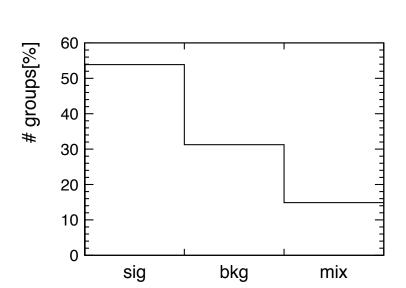
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#### **Algorithm Performance for dM770**

> The processor could reproduce almost similar result as before

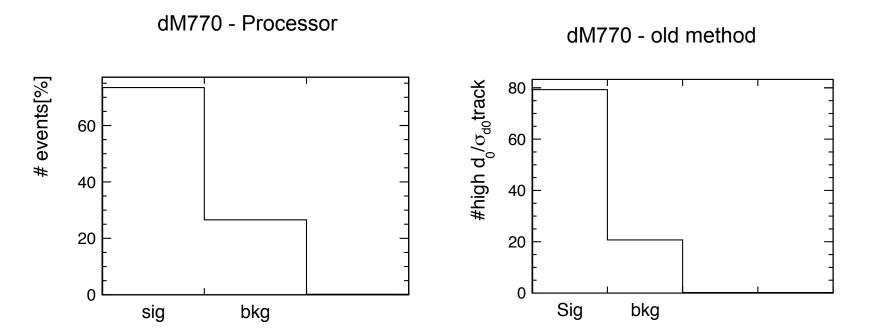




dM770 - old method

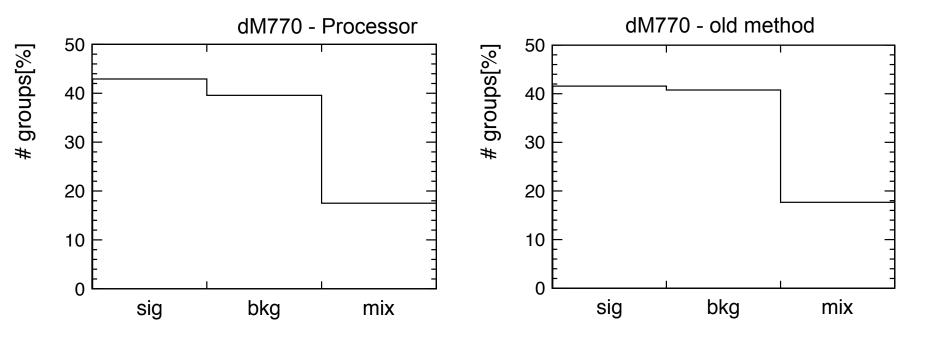
# High d0/sigma d0 tracks (No pair background)

The processor can give similar results as the old algorithm even though results with old method looks better

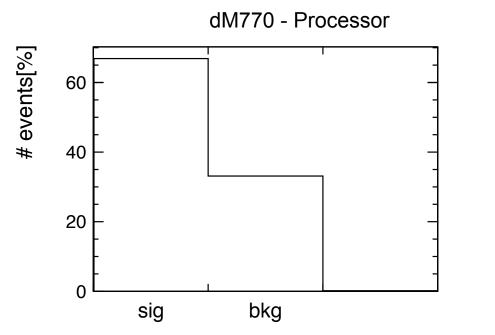


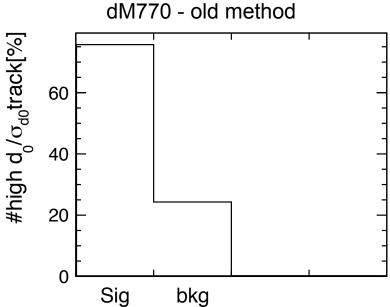


# Algorithm Performance dM770 (with Pair Background)



# High d0/sigma d0 tracks (with pair background)





#### Conclusion

- > A new processor developed where the old algorithm in root macro status has been transported
- > The processor gives results similar to the old method even though the results from old method are slightly better
- > Investigation on if the results can be made more better with the processor carried on
- > Next Steps:
  - Identification of different groups as signal and background
  - Reconstruction of chargino mass with removal of gamma gamma background