



Effect of Muon Alignment on TeV tracks

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Context

- ▶ We have been developing a muon alignment procedure in the CSC DPG and the Alignment & Calibration groups
- ▶ Baseline procedure has stabilized, ready to be applied to physics

Outline for this talk

- ▶ Overview of the procedure
- ▶ New set of scenarios, comparable to Muon10InversePb and Muon100InversePb
- ▶ Consequences for physics

Baseline procedure

- ▶ Based on HIP algorithm in the CommonAlignment framework
- ▶ Applies equally to barrel and endcap
- ▶ Breaks circular dependence between track-fitting and alignment by using tracker as an external reference
- ▶ Reaches $100\ \mu\text{m}$ accuracy with $5\ \text{pb}^{-1}$ of high-momentum muons from Z , W decays (apart from systematics)
- ▶ Studying systematic effects one by one

Dependence on miscalibration

negligible

... on tracker misalignment

$\mathcal{O}(200\ \mu\text{m})$ (next slide)

on momentum of tracks

radial outliers (backup)

inclusive sample, backgrounds

to do...

mismeasured $\vec{B}(\vec{x})$

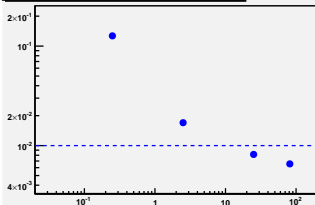
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incorrect material budget/distribution

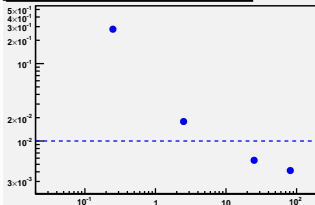
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Dependence on number of muons (local x is global $r\phi$)

Barrel x (cm) vs int lumi (pb $^{-1}$)

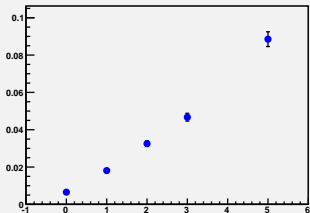


Endcap x (cm) vs int lumi (pb $^{-1}$)

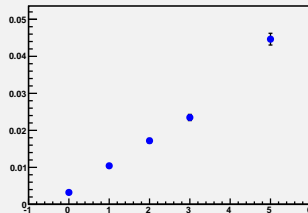


Dependence on tracker misalignment (1 = short-term scenario)

Barrel x (cm) vs tracker misalignment (scale factor)



Endcap x (cm) vs tracker misalignment (scale factor)





New set of scenarios

Alignment simulation output:

1. Misalign detector
2. Run alignment procedure under controlled conditions
3. Save output geometry for re-reconstruction



Standard scenarios

- ▶ Conservative estimate
 - ▶ 2–5 mm wheels/disks, 500 μm chambers for 10 pb^{-1}
 - ▶ 1 mm wheels/disks, 200 μm chambers for 100 pb^{-1}
- ▶ isotropic misalignments
- ▶ approximate correlations through superstructure hierarchy
- ▶ Gaussian misalignments

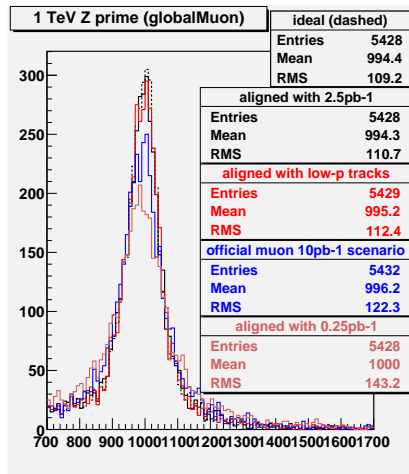
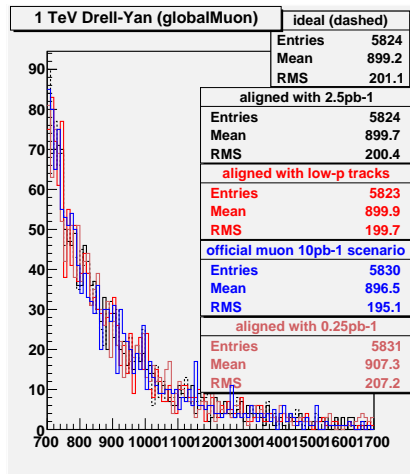
Alignment simulation output

- ▶ Realistic simulation (as realistic as MC)
 - ▶ 0.8 mm wheels/disks, 100–200 μm chambers for 5 pb^{-1} of Z&W
- ▶ elliptical misalignments (e.g. CSC x is measured 20 times better than y)
- ▶ correlations from tracks
- ▶ not necessarily Gaussian (especially for systematic effects)



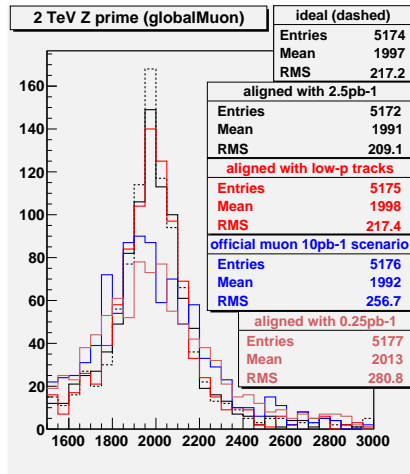
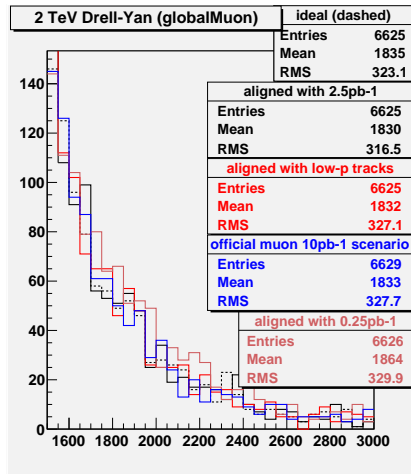
Consequences for physics

Application of new scenarios to TeV Drell-Yan and Z'



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 official 10 pb⁻¹ scenario is pessimistic

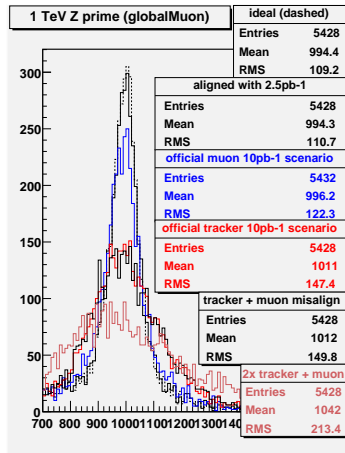
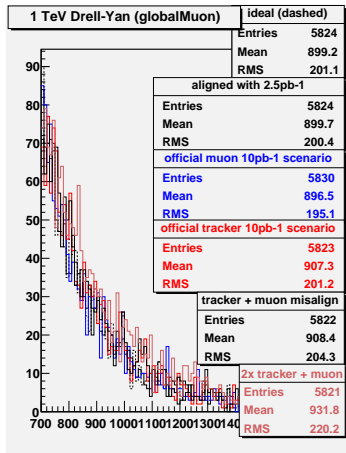
(private 1_5_4 Z' samples)

Application of new scenarios to 2 TeV Drell-Yan and Z' 

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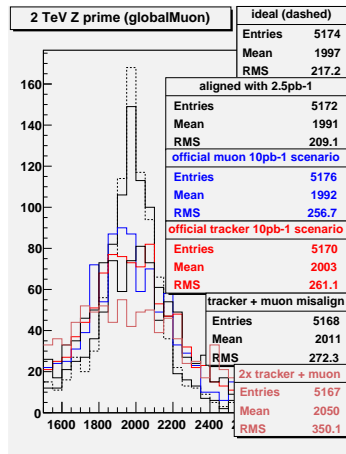
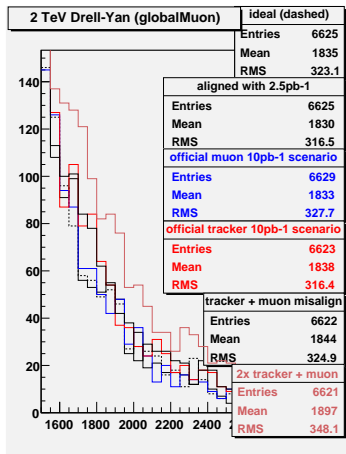
Comparison of tracker and muon misalignments (1 TeV)



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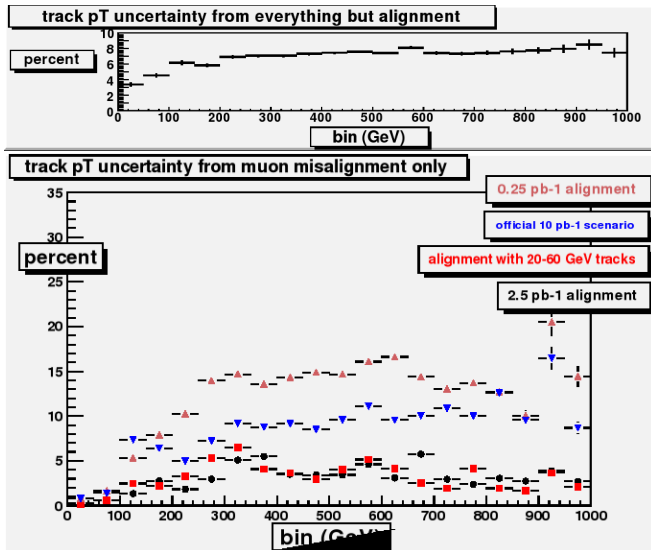
Comparison of tracker and muon misalignments (2 TeV)



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Effect of muon misalignment on single-track momenta



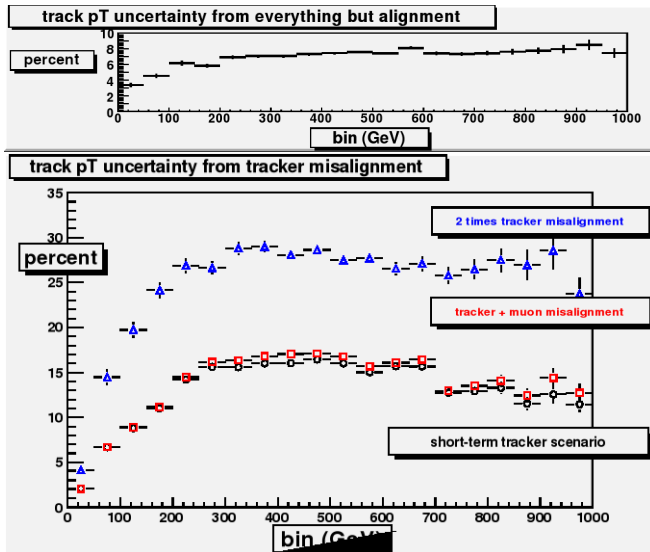
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effect of alignment
only

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Conclusions

- ▶ Stable baseline muon alignment procedure, ready to apply to physics
- ▶ Realistic simulations yield significantly higher-quality alignments than the standard scenario
- ▶ Drell-Yan backgrounds are not strongly affected

Ongoing work

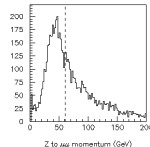
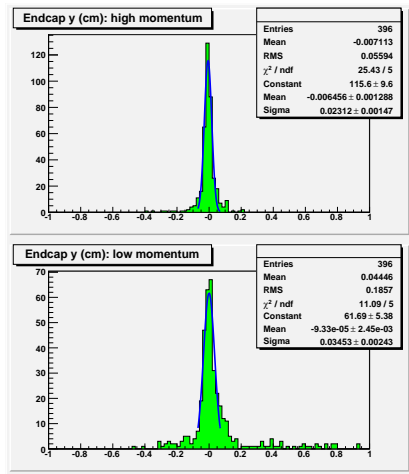
- ▶ Use tracker CSA07 output as a starting point for muon alignment
- ▶ Apply to Dmitry Bourilkov's [1.6 \$Z'\$ /Drell-Yan samples](#)
- ▶ Fully reconstruct with new geometry, rather than refitting existing tracks
- ▶ Contribute to TeV muon analysis note by validating toy MC alignment



Backup slides

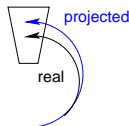
Dependence on muon momentum

Radial (local y) residual misalignments



- ▶ Divide $Z \rightarrow \mu\mu$ sample along 60 GeV median
- ▶ Effect on barrel: $< 5\%$ in each parameter
- ▶ Effect on endcap: low-momentum sample has 1.5–3 times worse alignment

Note asymmetric tail!



looks like

