# Calorimeter Studies with 3 & 7 GeV Track Trigger

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Data: isolated single-track trigger with 3 & 7 GeV/c thresholds

- strict good track criteria
  - > 35 axial hits, >23 stereo hits
  - > 2 good axial superlayers, >1 good stereo superlayers
  - $|\mathbf{d}| < 1 \text{ cm}, |\mathbf{z}_0| < 60 \text{ cm}$
  - $P_T > 3 \text{ or } 7 \text{ GeV/c}$
- 5x5 tower track isolation around the seed track
- data: offline 4.5.2; simulation: offline 4.6.1

**Concern:** As track P<sub>T</sub> increases, jets become dominant.

 $\Rightarrow$  large correlated background

Track isolation removes events with extra charged hadrons.

What about  $\pi^0$ 's? CES Isolation

In the 3x3 tower region around the seed track, allow no more than one CES wire cluster and one CES strip cluster with  $E_T > 0.5$  GeV. The cluster must be within  $\Delta x < 5$  cm and  $\Delta z < 4$  cm of the seed track.

# **Background and Signal:**



Differences in data/simulation comparison tells us something about lateral sharing.

## 7 GeV Trigger: energy in each of 7 adjacent CEM towers





CES iso- mean: 33 MeV

**rms: 131 MeV** 

No CES iso- mean: 64 MeV

rms: 265 MeV August 15, 2002

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For simulation input, fit data  $P_T$  spectra to a power law.





#### **Data – Simulation Comparison**

broader in central tower; high-side tail overall; look at <E/P> vs P







#### Fraction of CEM Zeros is small (as expected) and in good agreement



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#### **CEM Energy:** 4-tower sum OK; lateral size may be larger in data

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#### Effect of CES isolation clearly seen in P<sub>T</sub>>7 CEM distributions



If the lateral leakage were larger in data, expect to scale with P<sub>T</sub>. (But maybe also if it is correlated background!)

Plot CEM/P for the nearest eta tower as a function of P.







To check that this is due to leakage rather than correlated background, look at those tracks that are minimum ionizing in the CEM (< 600 MeV).



The fraction of energy in the adjacent EM tower is down by a factor of 4 compared to the previous plot.

## Summary (so far)

- CES isolation helps to reduce the background level at high P<sub>T</sub>.
- Overall agreement between data and simulation is good.
- Simulation E/P is a bit broader than the data at intermediate  $P_{T}$ .
- The lateral spreading in the data is larger than in the simulation.