

CAL shower study with BT data

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EM shower profile study

- The EM shower has been studied both in the CAL, by means of the fraction of the energy deposited in the CAL layers
 - Cal Layer N Ene Fraction = $CalELayerN / \sum_N CalELayerN$
- The CAL has been used as standalone detector, i.e. no geometrical cuts have been imposed
 - Cuts:
 - At least one track
 - Last layer in the track == Layer 0 (Tkr1LastLayer == 0)
 - GTCC Fifo is not full (EventGtccFifo==0)
 - CalRawEnergy >300 to reject pion like events in the SPS runs, since no Cherenkov counters have been used to tag electrons
 - a cut in CAL Total Raw Energy has been imposed to reject double particles

EM shower profile study (cont'd)

- For each beam momentum, runs with different tilted angle, θ , (0° , 10° , 20° and 30°) have been merged to reconstruct the longitudinal shower profile
- The fraction of radiation length in each CAL layers is evaluated by taking into account the tilted angle and the TKR radiation length (RL):
- Cal Layer N RL Fraction = $t = \left(t_{TKR} + N * \Delta z / RL_{CsI} \right) / \text{Cos}(\theta)$
- Where:
 - $t_{TKR} = 1.4$
 - $\Delta z = 1.99$ cm, CsI layer thickness
 - $RL_{CsI} = 1.86$ cm, CsI radiation length

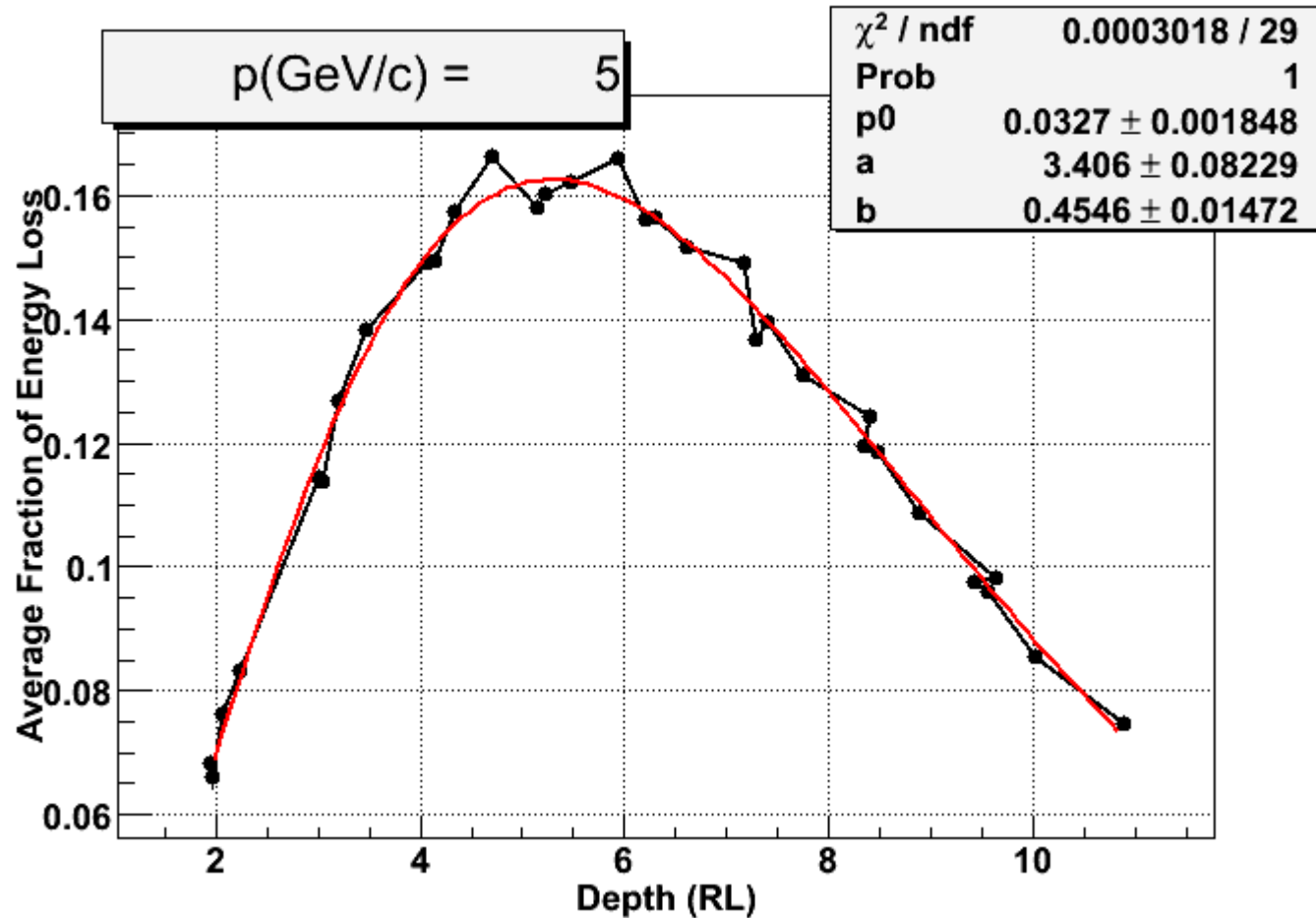
EM shower profile study (cont'd)

- The average longitudinal profile has been fitted with the gamma distribution (p_0 , a and b are the fitted parameters)

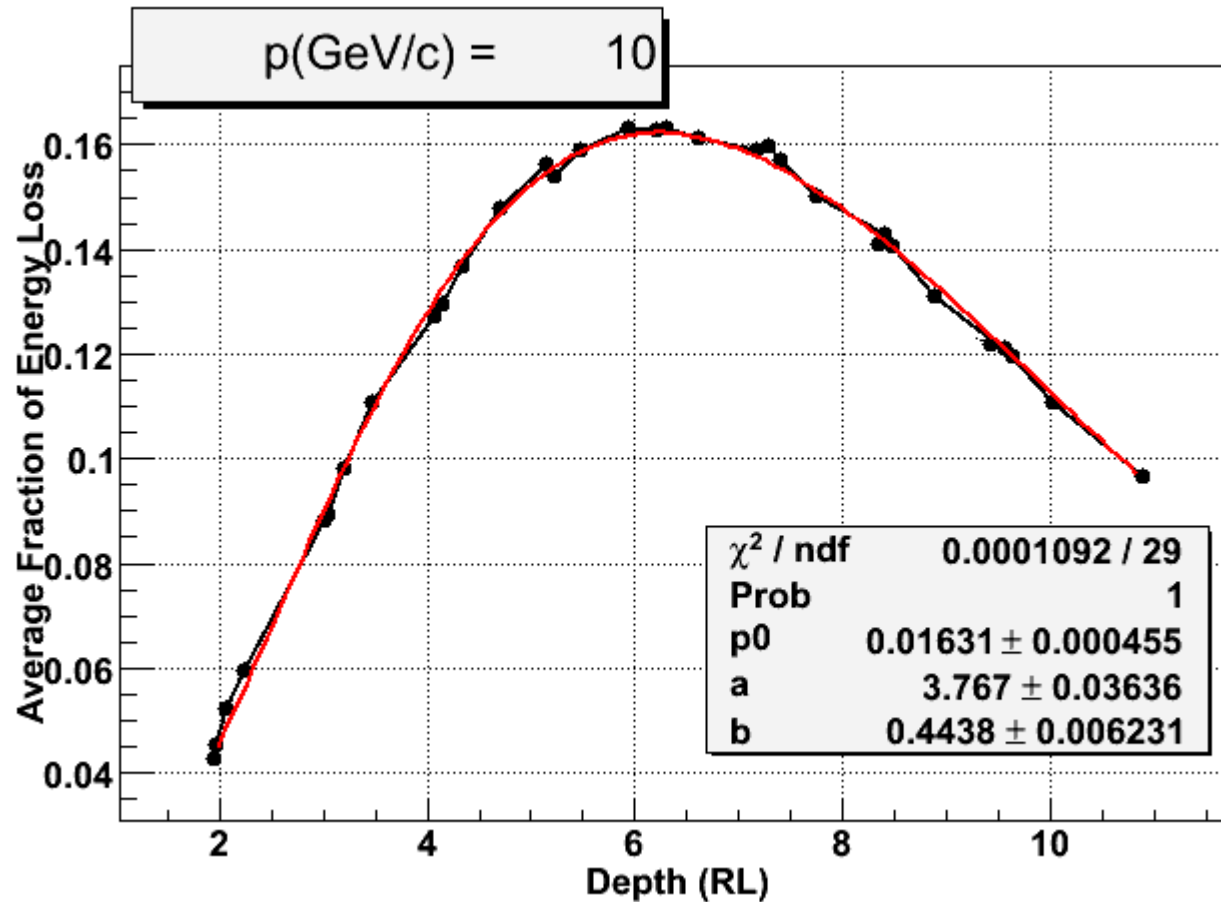
$$f(t) = p_0 t^{a-1} \exp(-bt)$$

- The maximum of the shower t_{\max} and the critical energy E_c have been evaluated

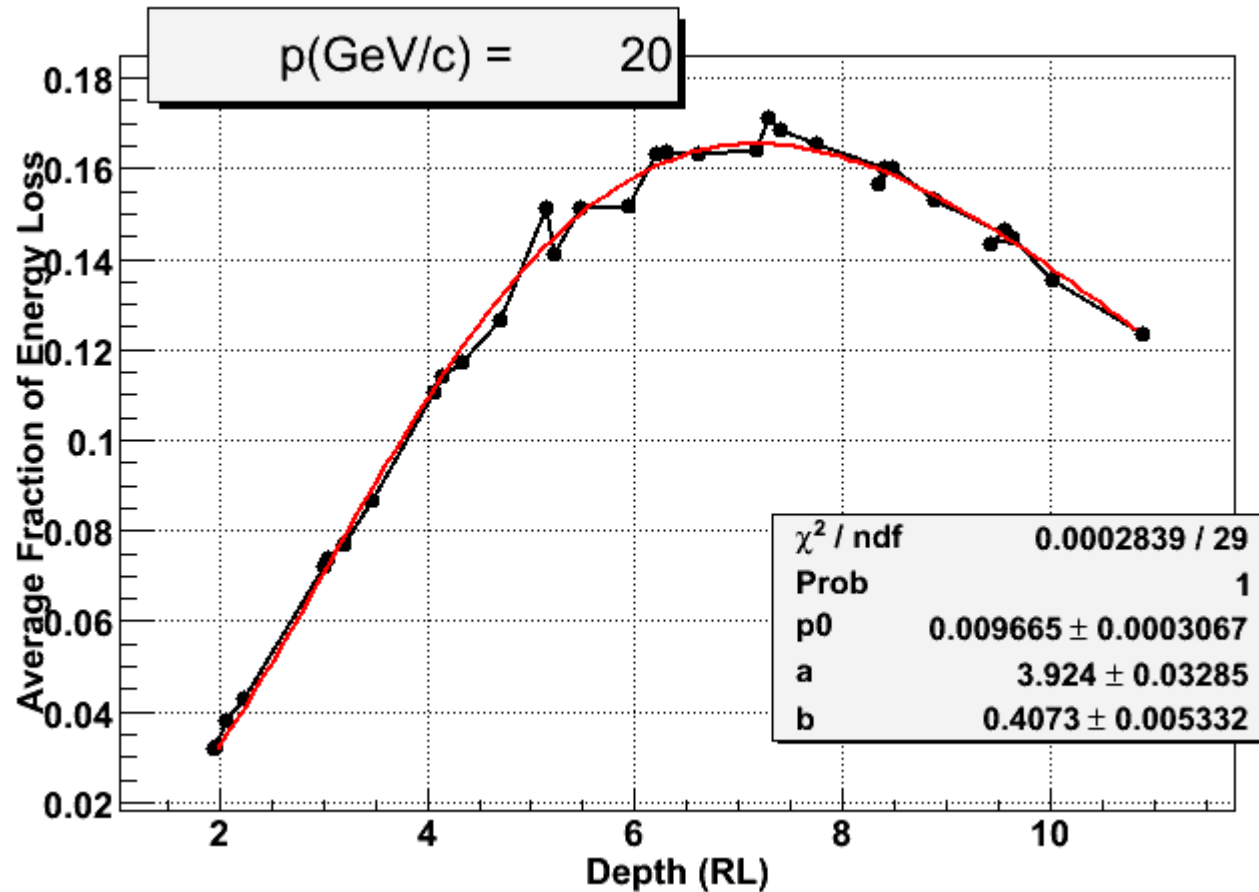
p = 5 GeV/c



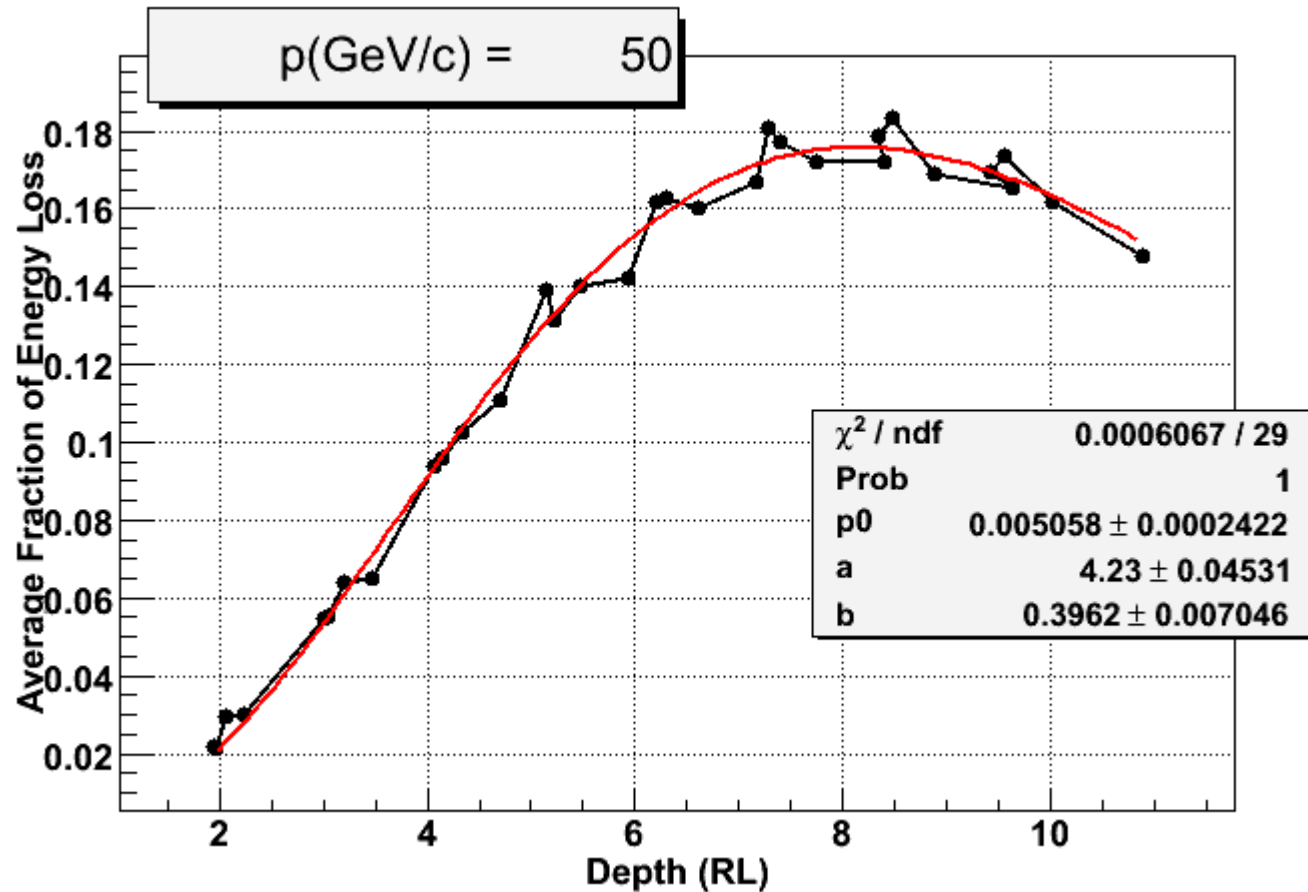
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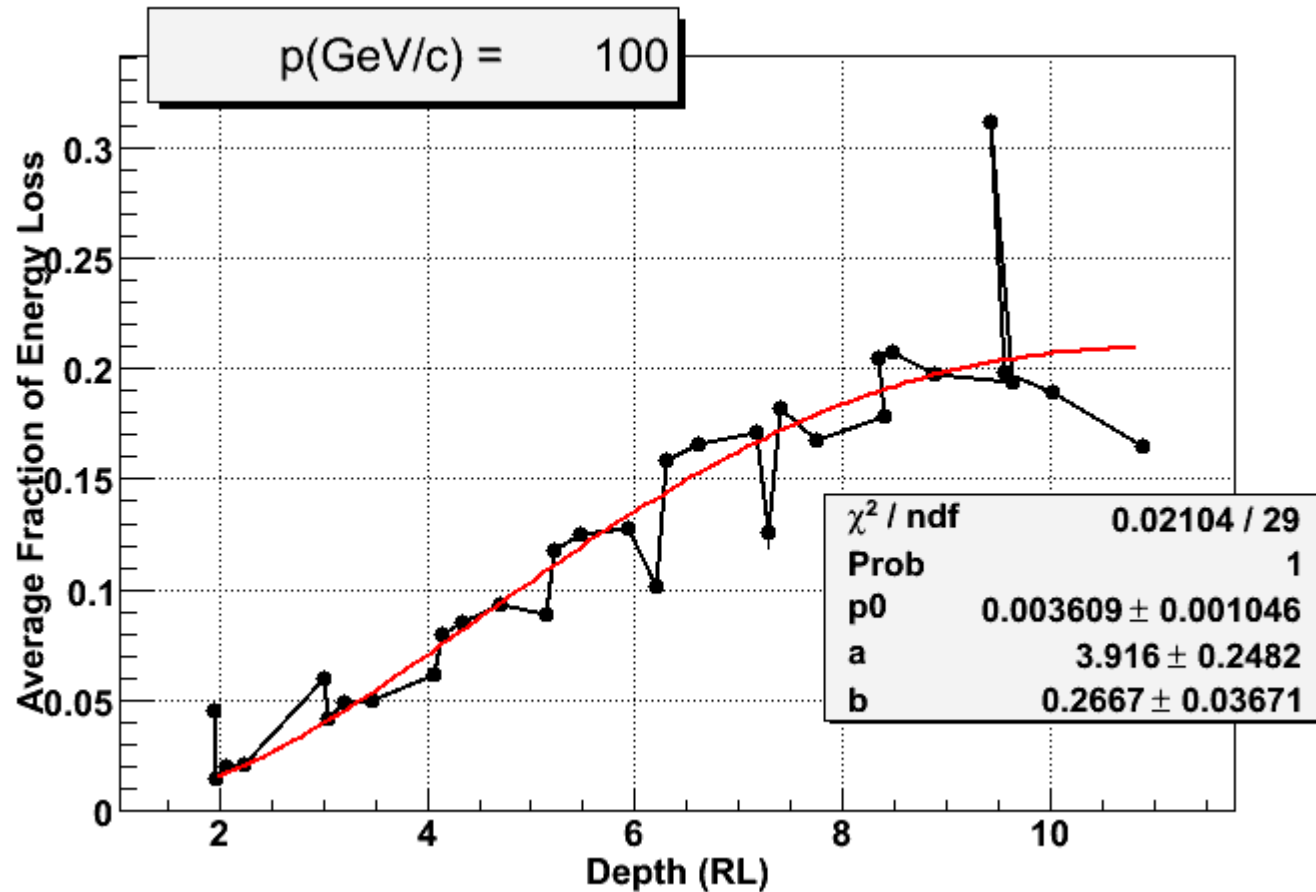
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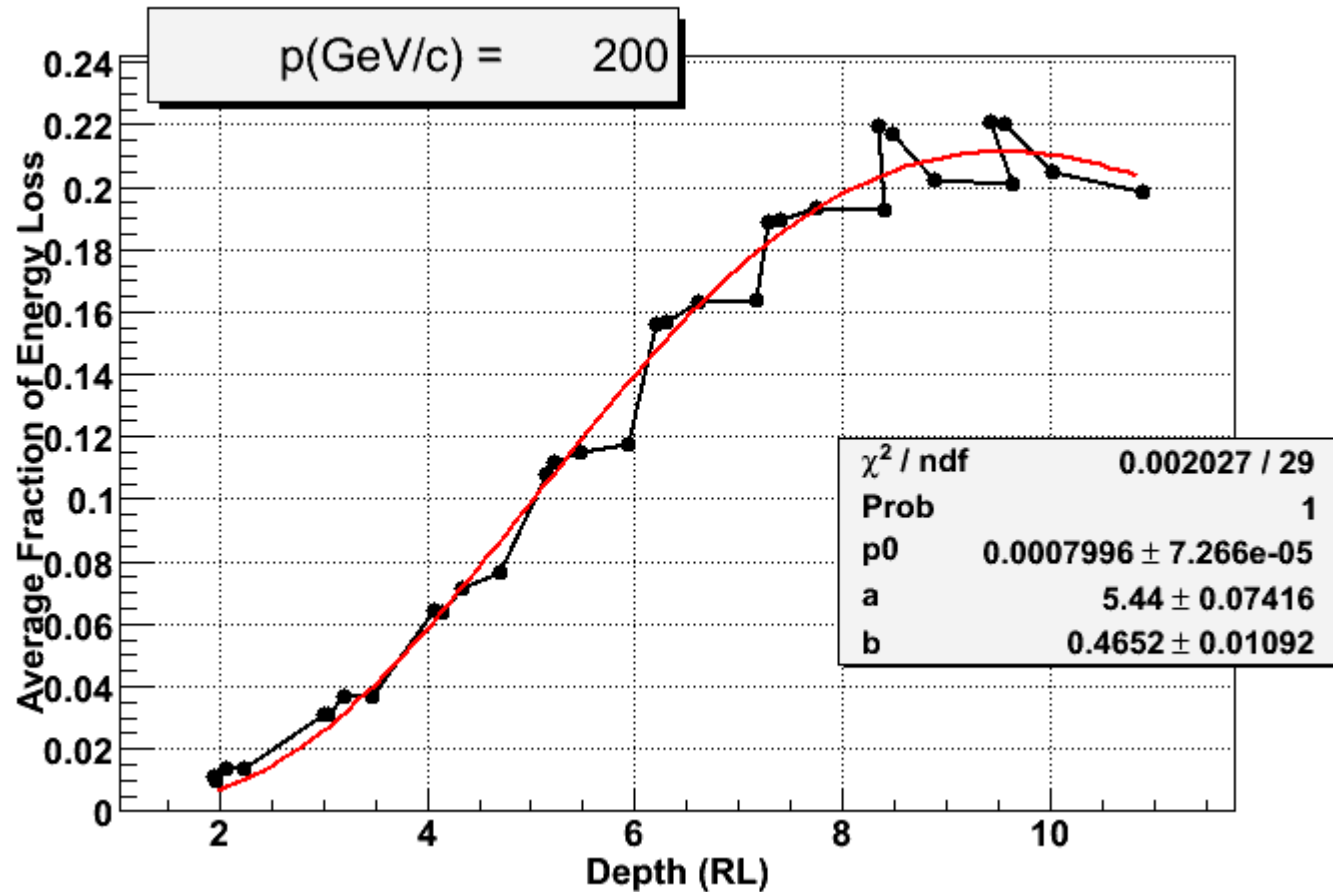
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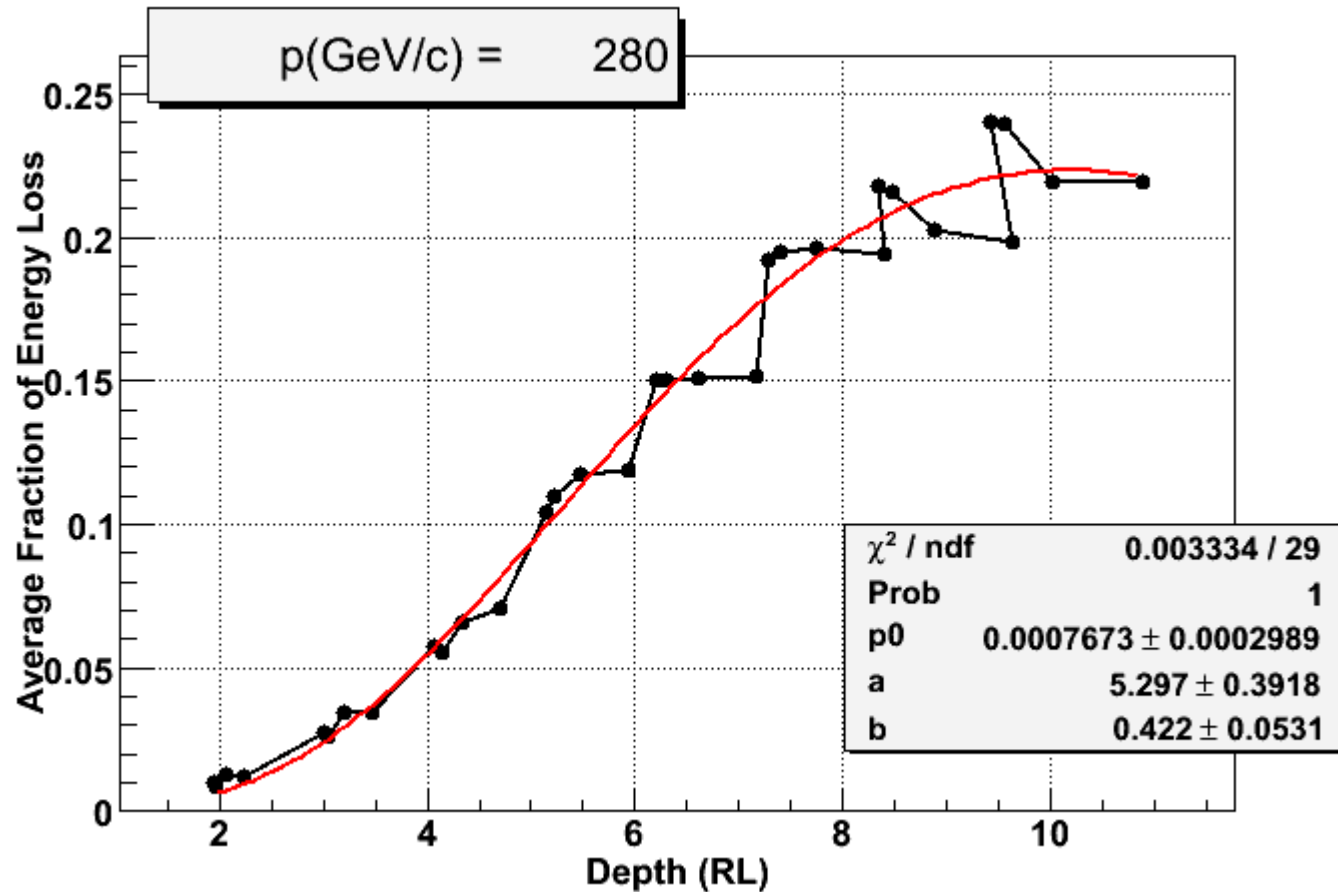
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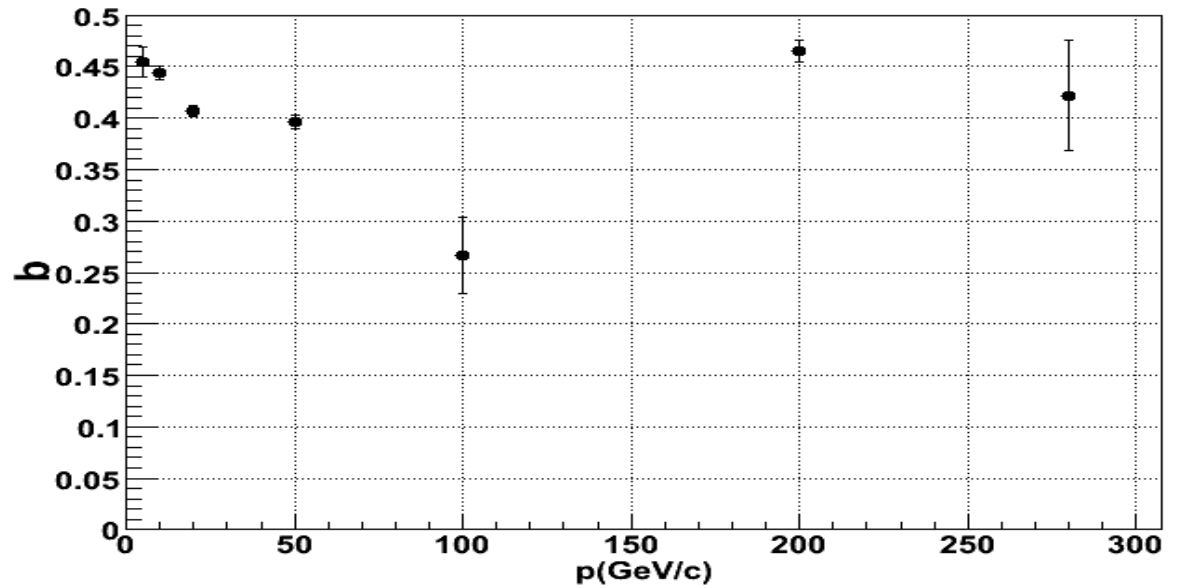
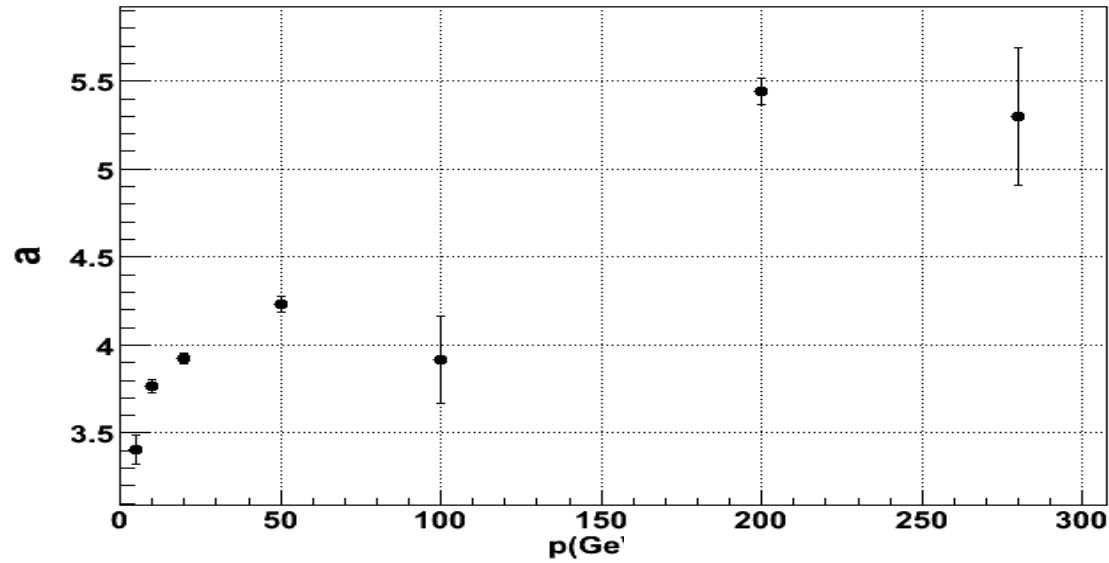
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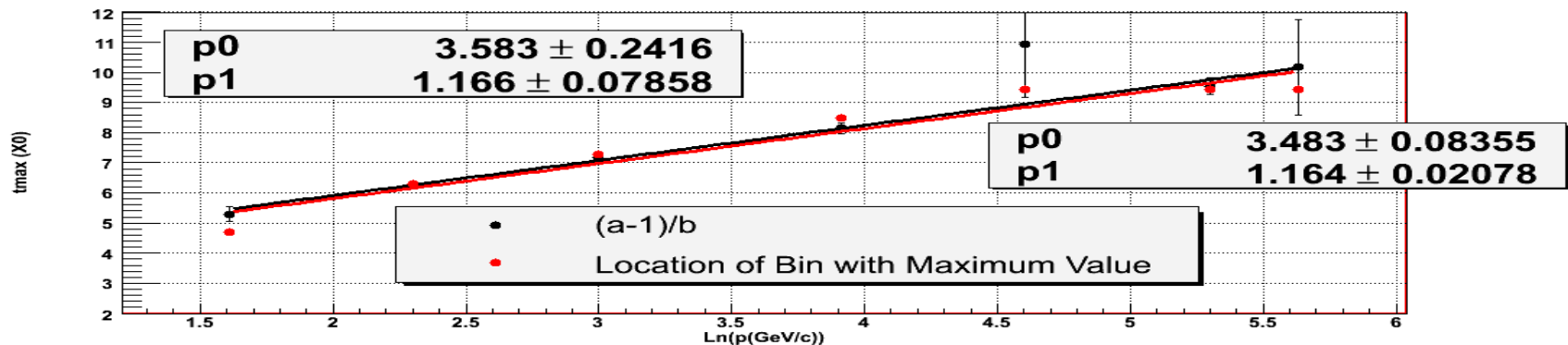
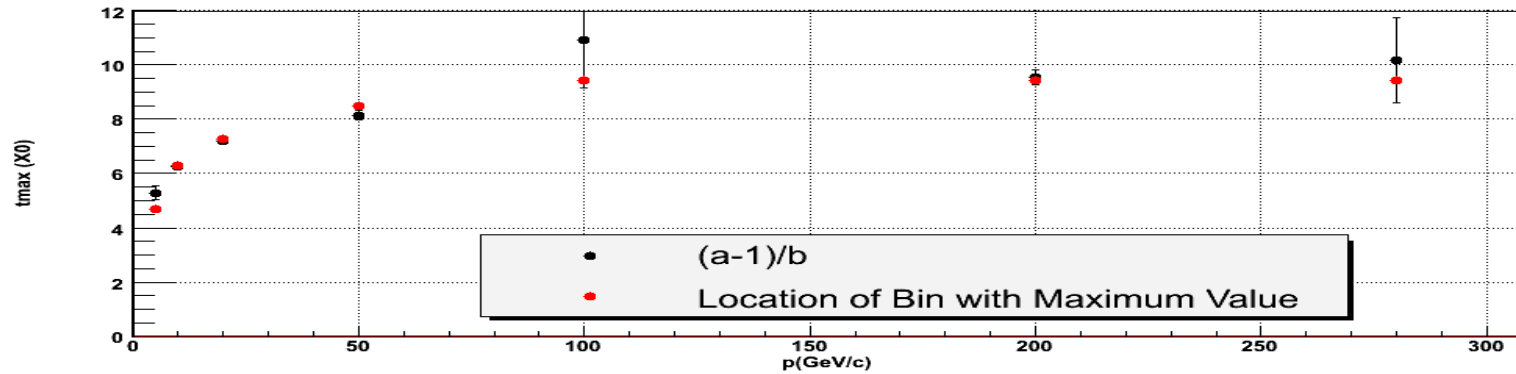
$p = 280 \text{ GeV}/c$



a and b value from best-fit



T max

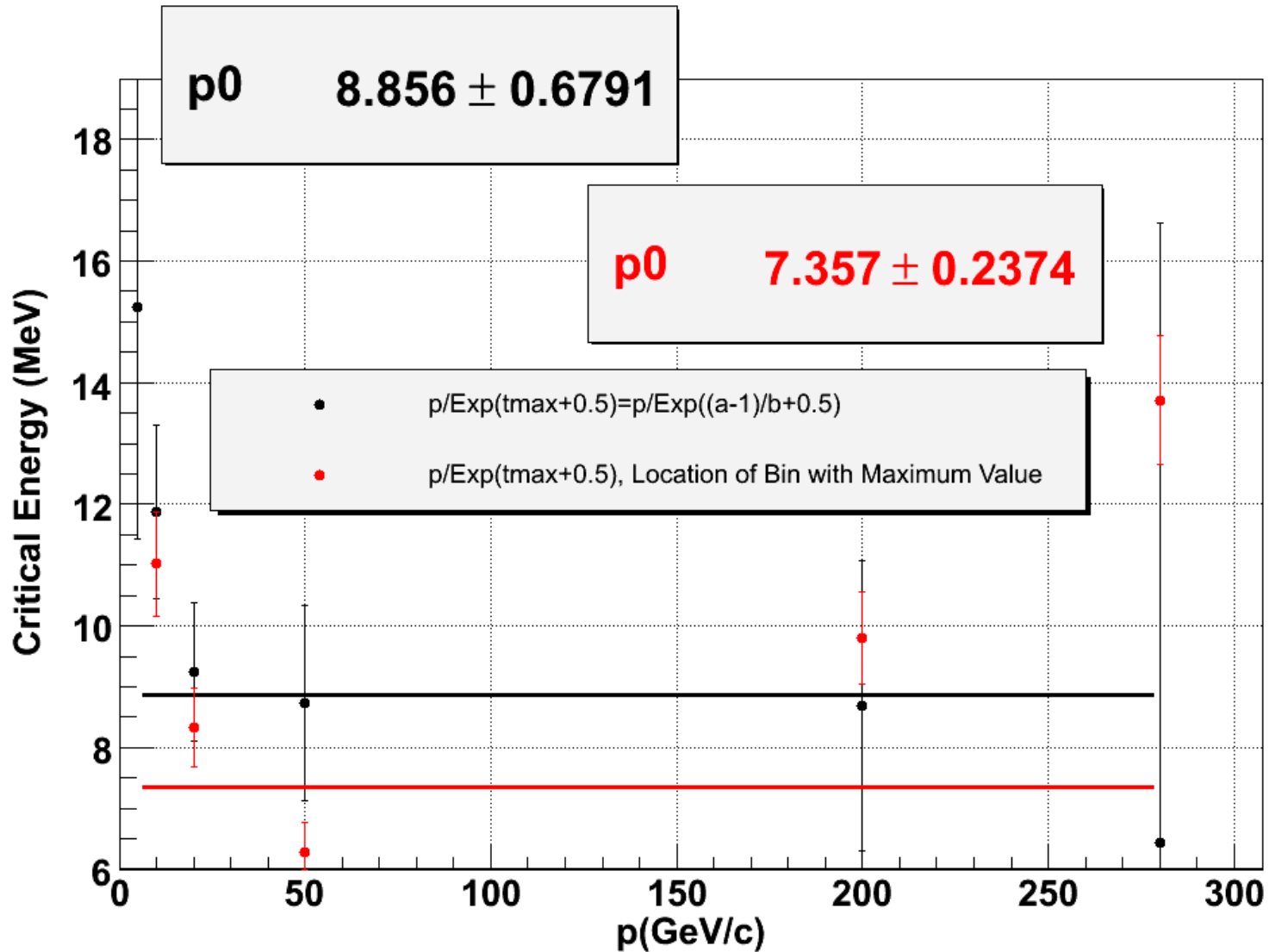


Tmax increases with $\ln(E)$, $t_{\max} = p_0 + p_1 \cdot \ln(E)$

$T_{\max} = \ln(E/E_c) + C_e$, where $C_e = -0.5$

$E_c = \exp(C_e - p_0) \rightarrow E_c = 16.85 \text{ MeV}$ (**18.63 MeV**)

Critical energy



Conclusions

- The analysis is still in progress
- The evaluation of the Cal depth in radiation length needs to be reviewed by using the real geometry
- A method to merge the TKR hits in the shower profile is being to be completed