

Online Stopping Muon Filter

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Stopping Muon Filter Algorithm

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- Load wire endpoints and wire-to-channel maps
- Calculate total charge on collection planes in each TPC
- Cut 0: Only muons that enter the active volume are considered:
($0 < x \leq 200$ cm, $-85.25 < y \leq 125$ cm, $0 < z \leq 153.516$ cm)
- Cut 1: reject events with significant (> 1000) charge deposition in TPCs on short drift side
- Cut 2: reject events without greater (< 1000) charge in TPCs on long drift side
- Find first and last collection plane wires with hits - one of these should be exit point
- Scan over all hits
 - Loop over all hits on first and last collection plane wire to be hit
 - For each of those hits, check times and positions against hits on induction planes
 - Vary allowed offsets in y, z, and time:
 - Offset in y is maximum allowed difference between wire ends of hit candidates from top or bottom of TPC; this cut is not applied if collection plane hit is on first 5 channels in TPC 1 or last 5 channels in TPC 7
 - If a triplet of hits on each of the three wire planes occurs within the allowed y, z, and time differences, then an entrance/exit point is found
- Cut 3: reject events with more or less than exactly one entrance/exit point

Event Sample and Definitions

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- 10000 μ^+ from MCC 3 LSU AntiMuon sample (DetSim)
- 4883 throughgoing muons and 546 stopping muons enter active volume (Cut 0)
- Purity = Number of true stopping muons passing all cuts / Number of all muons passing all cuts
- Efficiency = Number of true stopping muons passing all cuts / Number of all stopping muons in sample
- Purity and efficiency have been plotted for allowed offset in y vs. allowed time difference, for allowed offsets in z of 1 to 10

Purities and Efficiencies

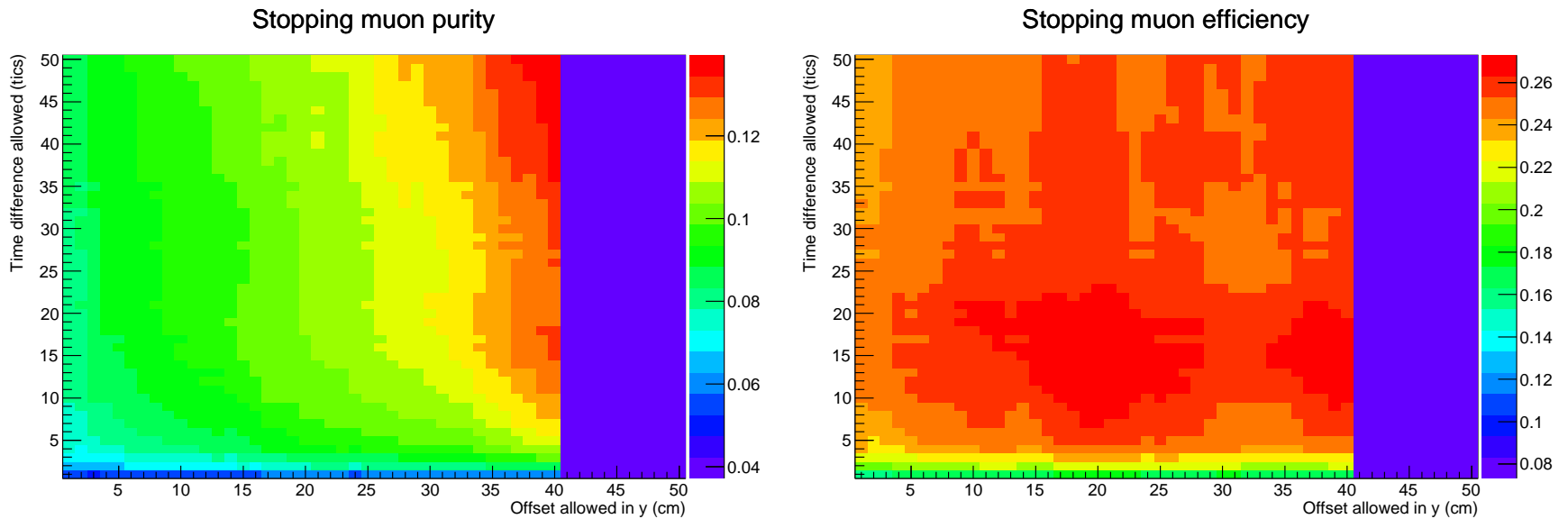


Figure 1: Purities and efficiencies for maximum offset in $z = 1$

Maximum purity = 0.139489 at offset in $y = 40$, time difference = 50

Maximum efficiency = 0.272894 at offset in $y = 39$, time difference = 14

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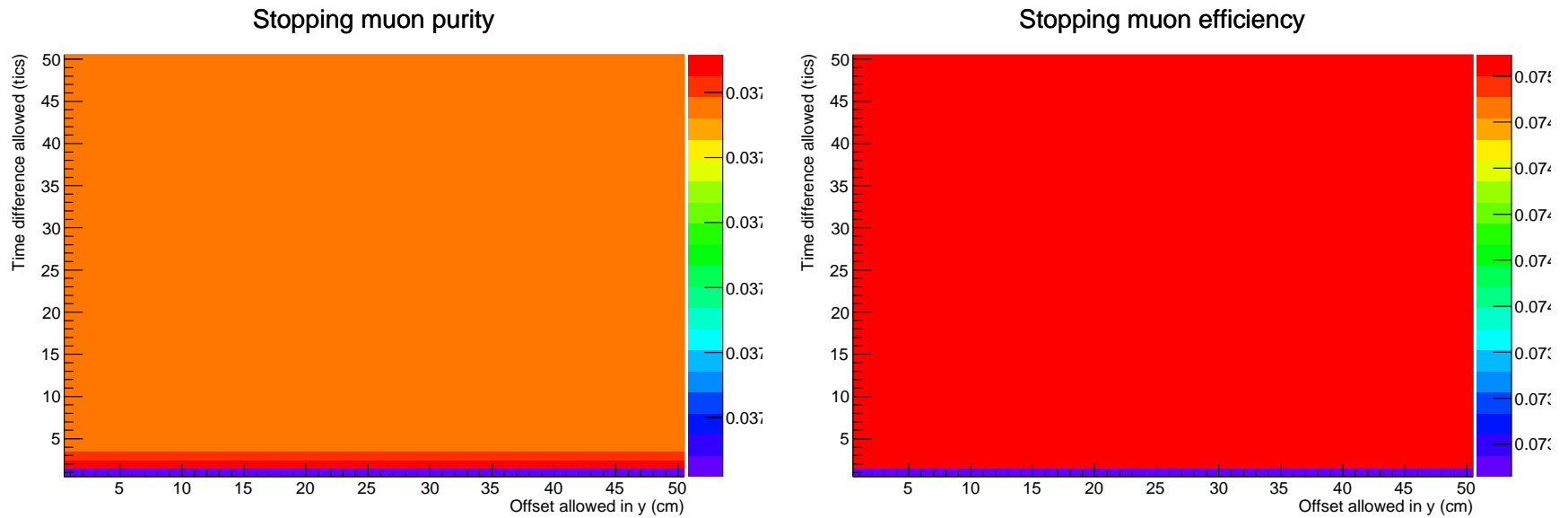


Figure 2: Purities and efficiencies for maximum offset in $z = 2$

Maximum purity = 0.0378578 at offset in $y = 1$, time difference = 2

Maximum efficiency = 0.0750916 at offset in $y = 1$, time difference = 2

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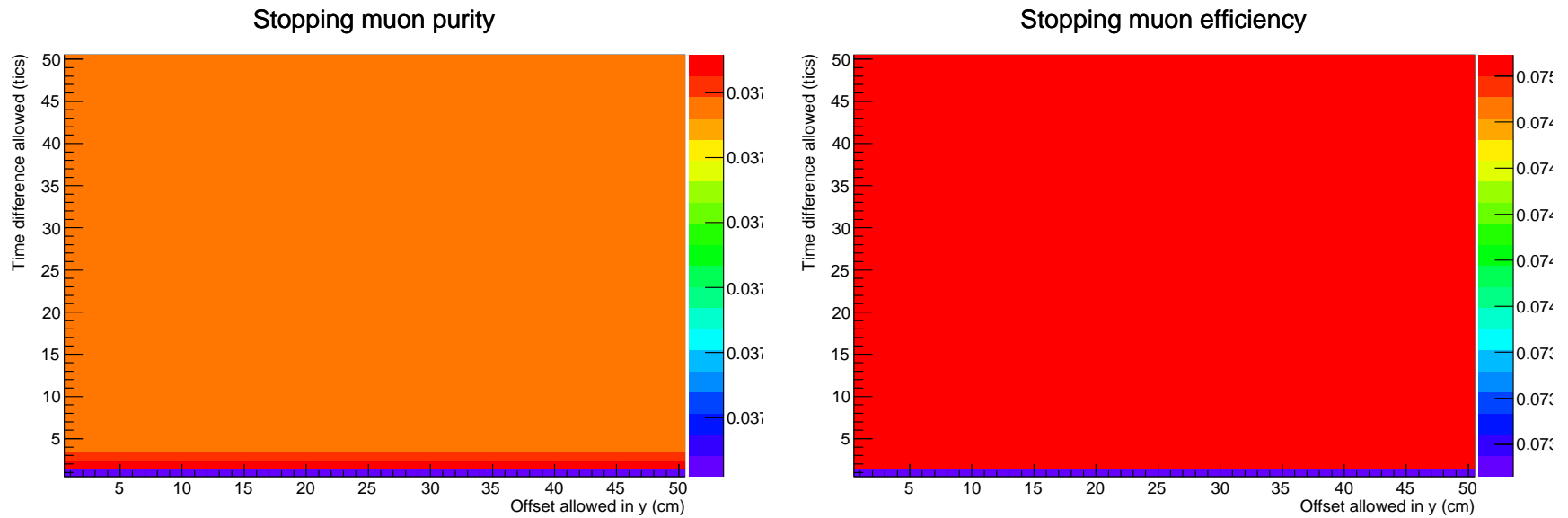


Figure 3: Purities and efficiencies for maximum offset in $z = 3$

Maximum purity = 0.0378578 at offset in $y = 1$, time difference = 2

Maximum efficiency = 0.0750916 at offset in $y = 1$, time difference = 2

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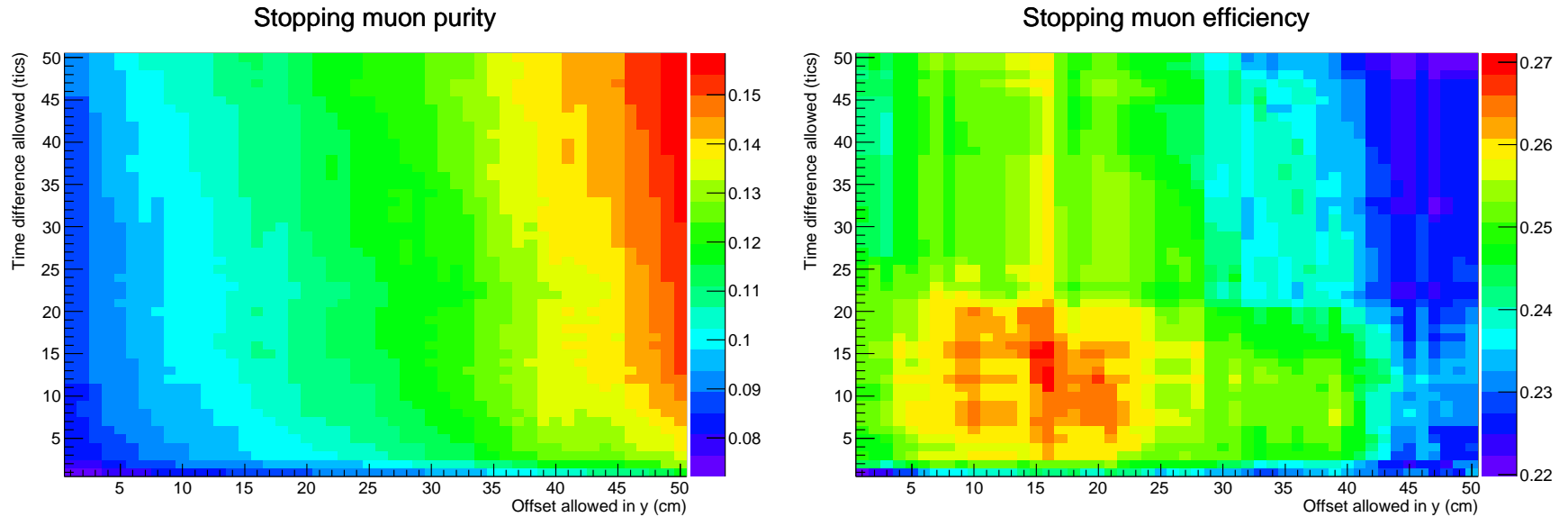


Figure 4: Purities and efficiencies for maximum offset in $z = 4$

Maximum purity = 0.158505 at offset in $y = 50$, time difference = 47

Maximum efficiency = 0.271062 at offset in $y = 16$, time difference = 12

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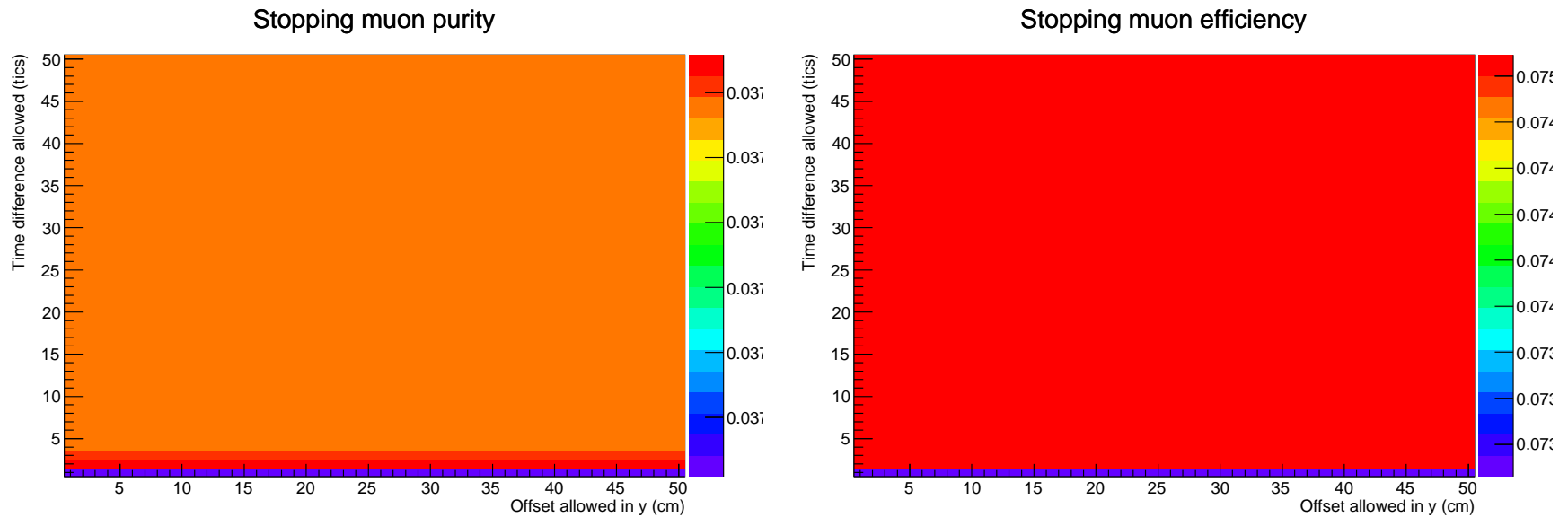


Figure 5: Purities and efficiencies for maximum offset in $z = 5$

Maximum purity = 0.0378578 at offset in $y = 1$, time difference = 2

Maximum efficiency = 0.0750916 at offset in $y = 1$, time difference = 2

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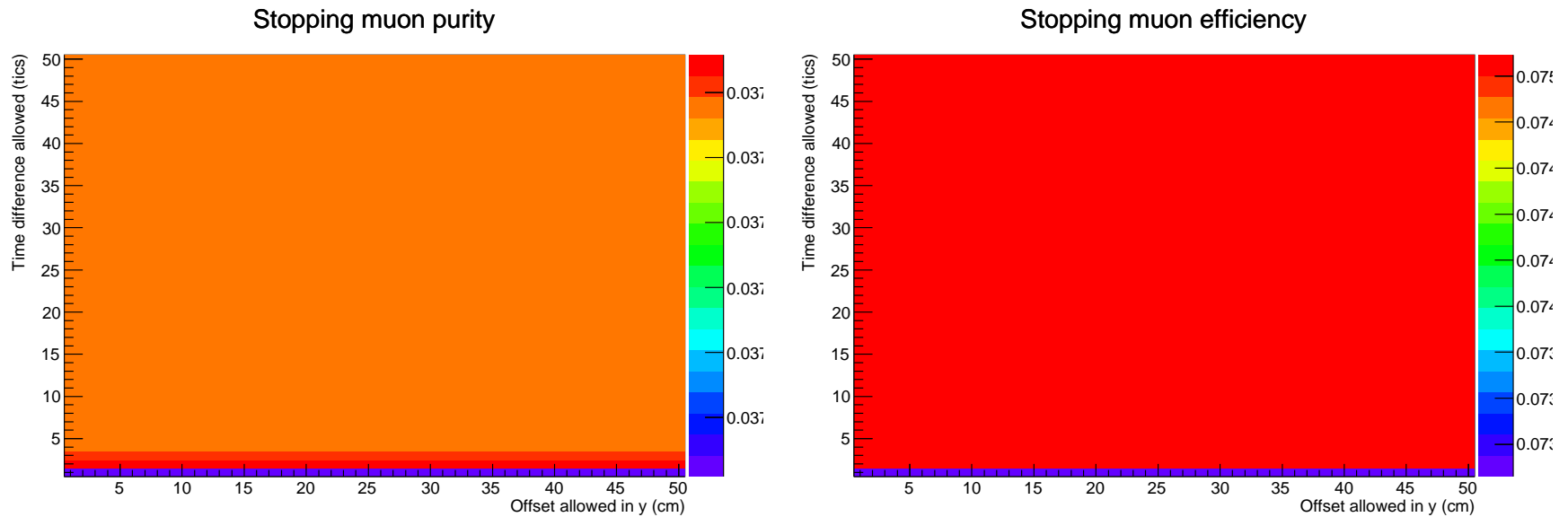


Figure 6: Purities and efficiencies for maximum offset in $z = 6$

Maximum purity = 0.0378578 at offset in $y = 1$, time difference = 2

Maximum efficiency = 0.0750916 at offset in $y = 1$, time difference = 2

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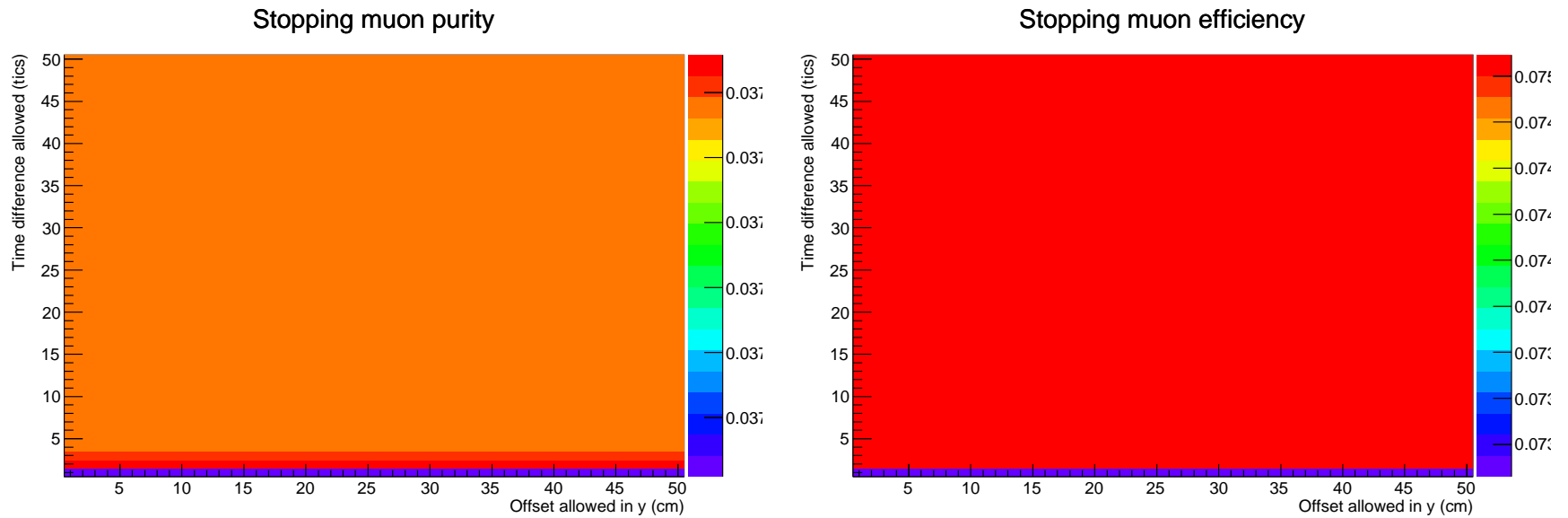


Figure 7: Purities and efficiencies for maximum offset in $z = 7$

Maximum purity = 0.0378578 at offset in $y = 1$, time difference = 2

Maximum efficiency = 0.0750916 at offset in $y = 1$, time difference = 2

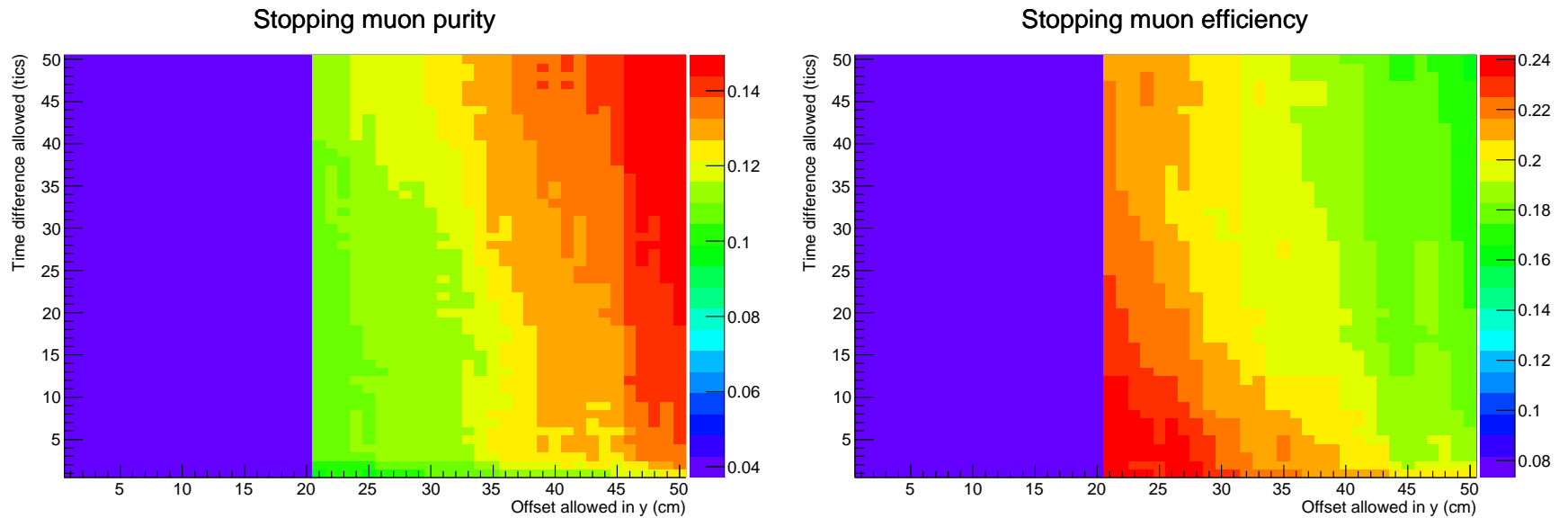


Figure 8: Purities and efficiencies for maximum offset in $z = 8$

Maximum purity = 0.149444 at offset in $y = 50$, time difference = 41

Maximum efficiency = 0.241758 at offset in $y = 21$, time difference = 1

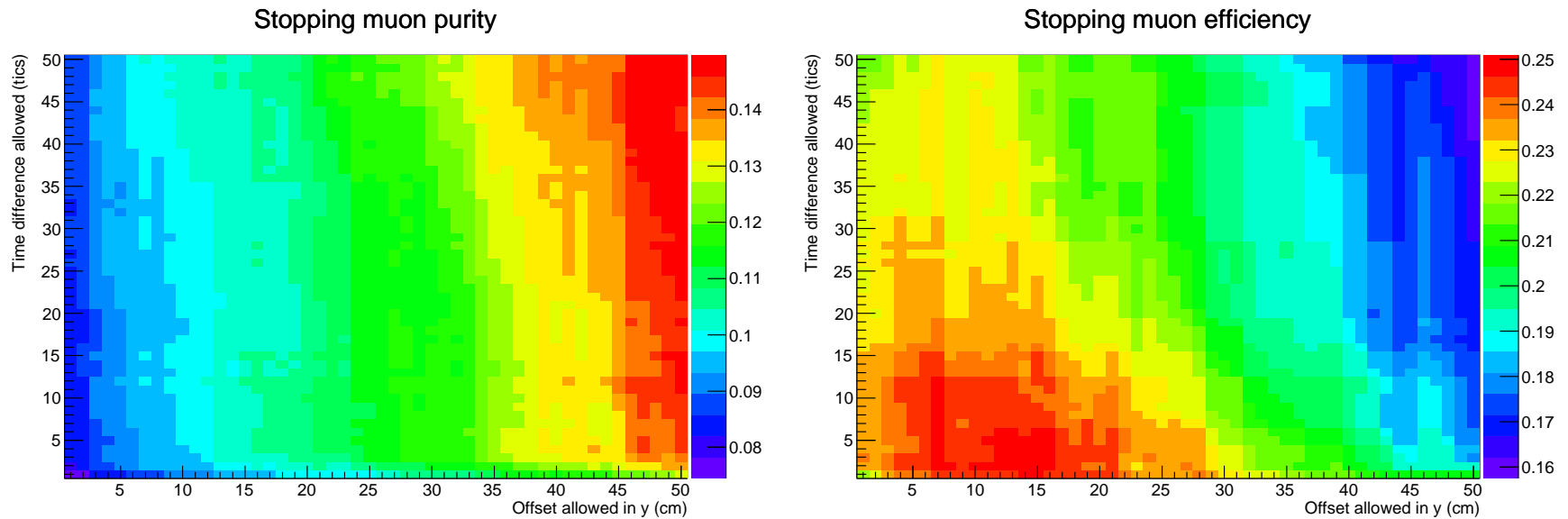


Figure 9: Purities and efficiencies for maximum offset in $z = 9$

Maximum purity = 0.149671 at offset in $y = 50$, time difference = 37

Maximum efficiency = 0.250916 at offset in $y = 7$, time difference = 2

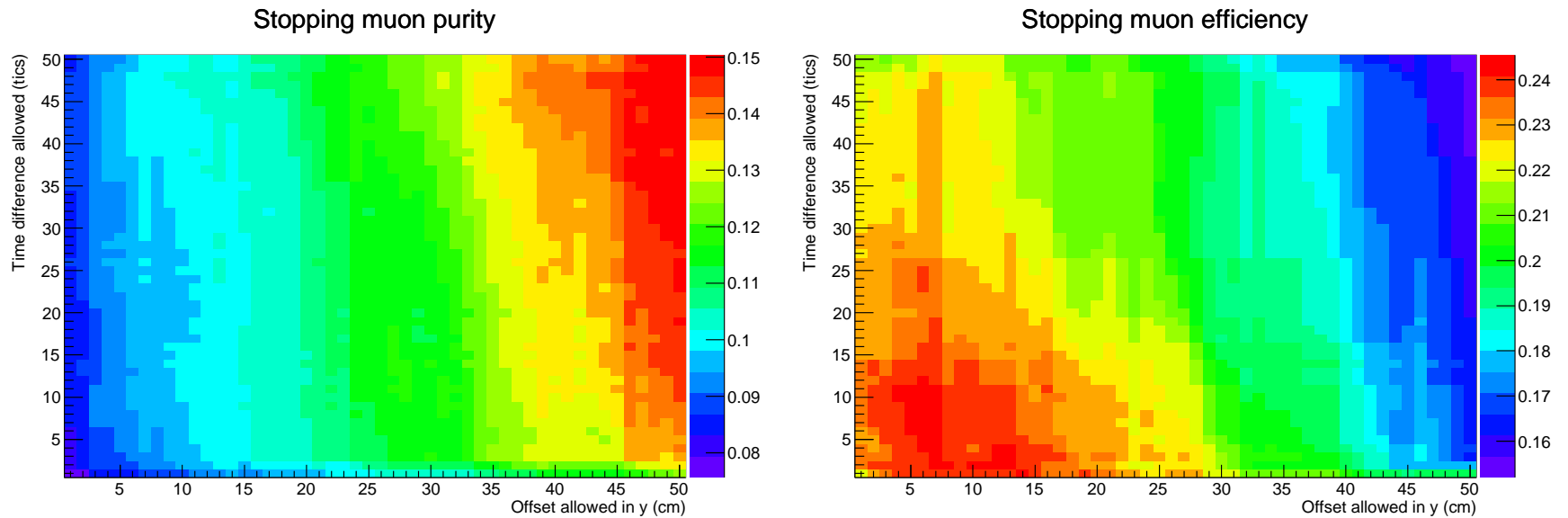


Figure 10: Purities and efficiencies for maximum offset in $z = 10$

Maximum purity = 0.15035 at offset in $y = 49$, time difference = 48

Maximum efficiency = 0.245421 at offset in $y = 6$, time difference = 7

- Maximum purity of 15.9% is found at offset in $z = 4$ cm, offset in $y = 50$ cm, offset in time = 47 tics
- Maximum efficiency of 27.3% is found at offset in $z = 1$ cm, offset in $y = 39$ cm, offset in time = 14 tics
- Results appear to be unstable for many values in offsets of z
- Purity is too low

Next Steps

- Refine checking of hits on first and last collection plane wires
- Look at properties of throughgoing muons that successfully pass cuts
- Aim to raise purity