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**Analysis Strategy and Selection Procedure for  $\nu_\mu$  Charged Current Inclusive Interactions using the  $\pi^0$  Detector (P0D) and the Time Projection Chambers of the T2K Experiment** EREZ REINHERZ-ARONIS, ALEX CLIFTON, RAJ DAS, WALTER TOKI, Colorado State University, ROBERT JOHNSON, ALYSIA MARINO, TIANLU YUAN, University of Colorado —  $\nu_\mu$  Charge-Current events are produced and collected by the Near Detectors (ND280) in the Tokai to Kamioka (T2K) experiment. This talk focuses on those interactions that are created in the Pi-Zero detector (PØD) and whose momentum is measured by the Time Projection Chambers (TPC). The description of the analysis event selection is presented which includes Data-Quality cuts, Beam Quality parameters, and Fiducial Volume boundaries which are applied on the beginning of the PØD track. In addition the matching procedure of a TPC track to a PØD track and the optimization of this procedure is presented.

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