

$$e^+ e^- \rightarrow \nu \bar{\nu} H(\rightarrow \mu \mu)$$

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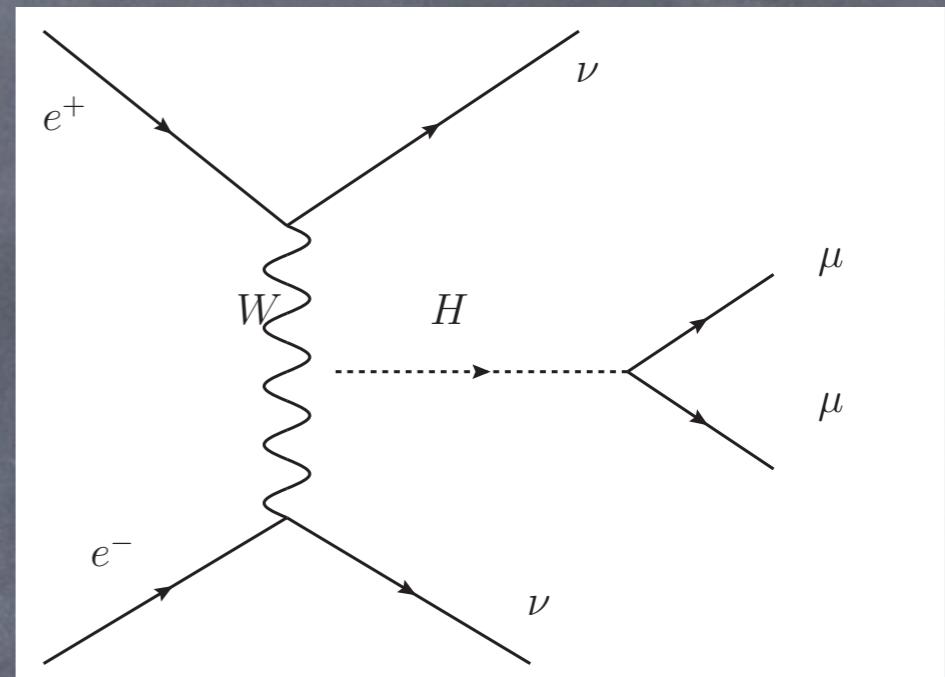
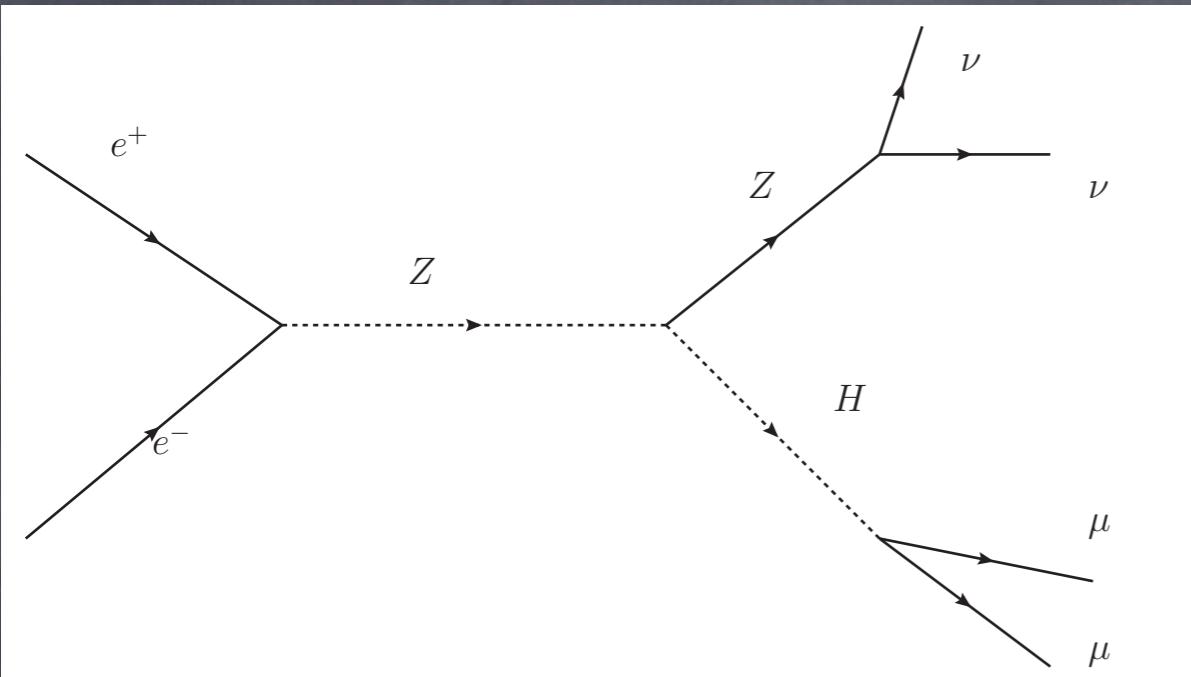
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Motivation

- ⦿ Golden channel to test second generation couplings
- ⦿ Golden channel for track resolution benchmarking

Samples to consider



Backgrounds:

4 fermion

$WW \rightarrow \nu\mu\nu\mu$

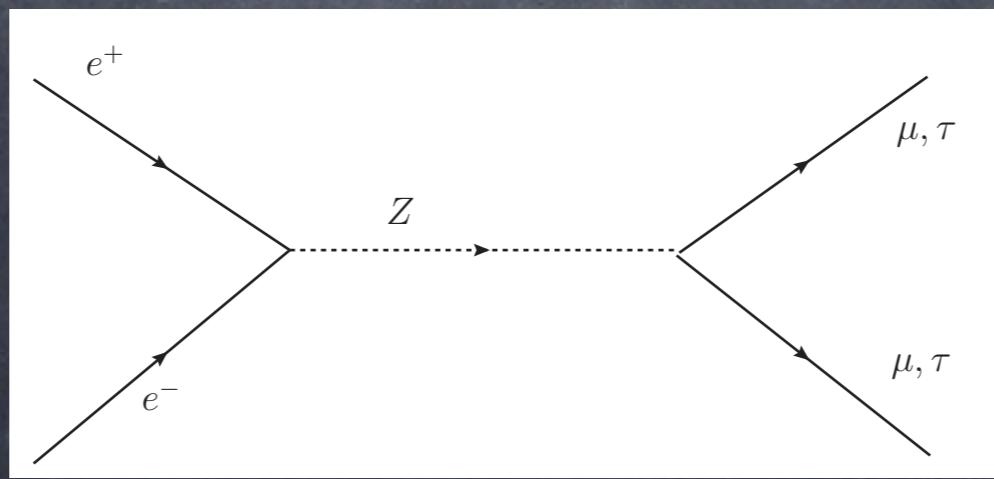
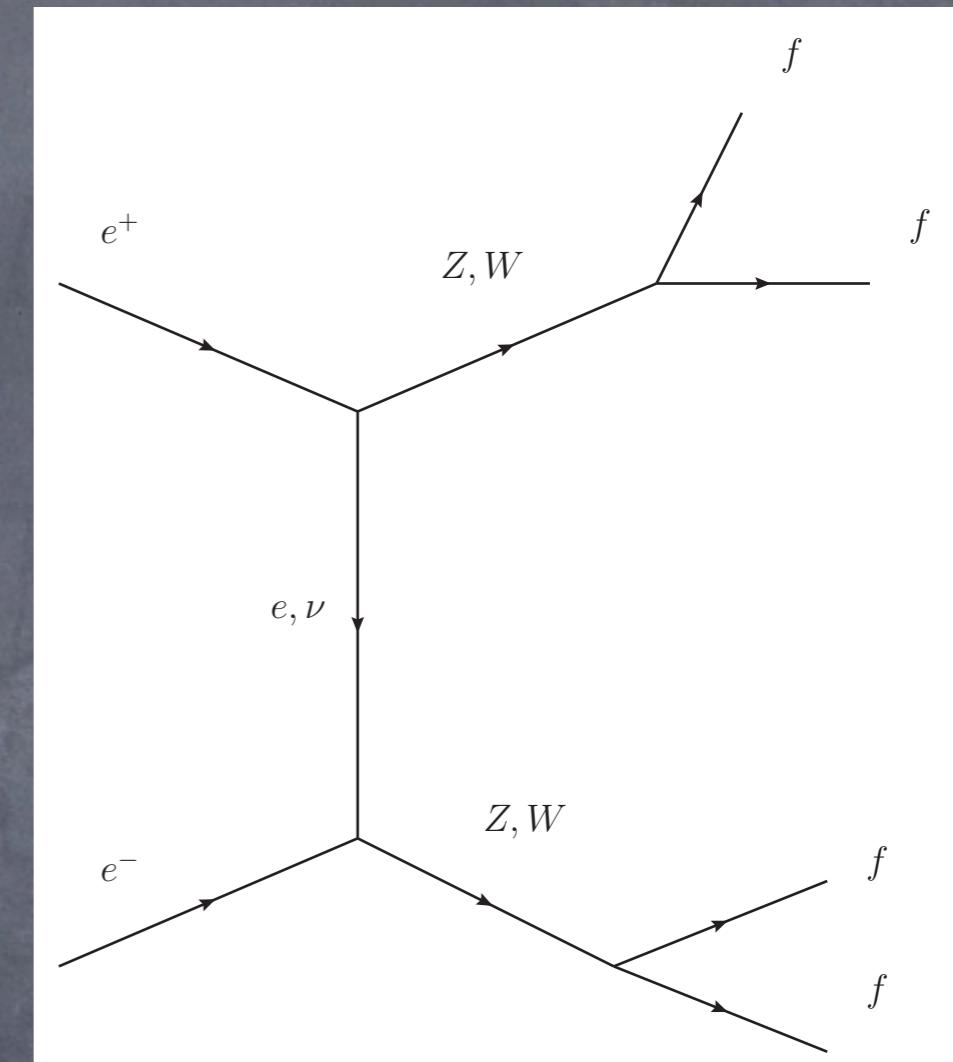
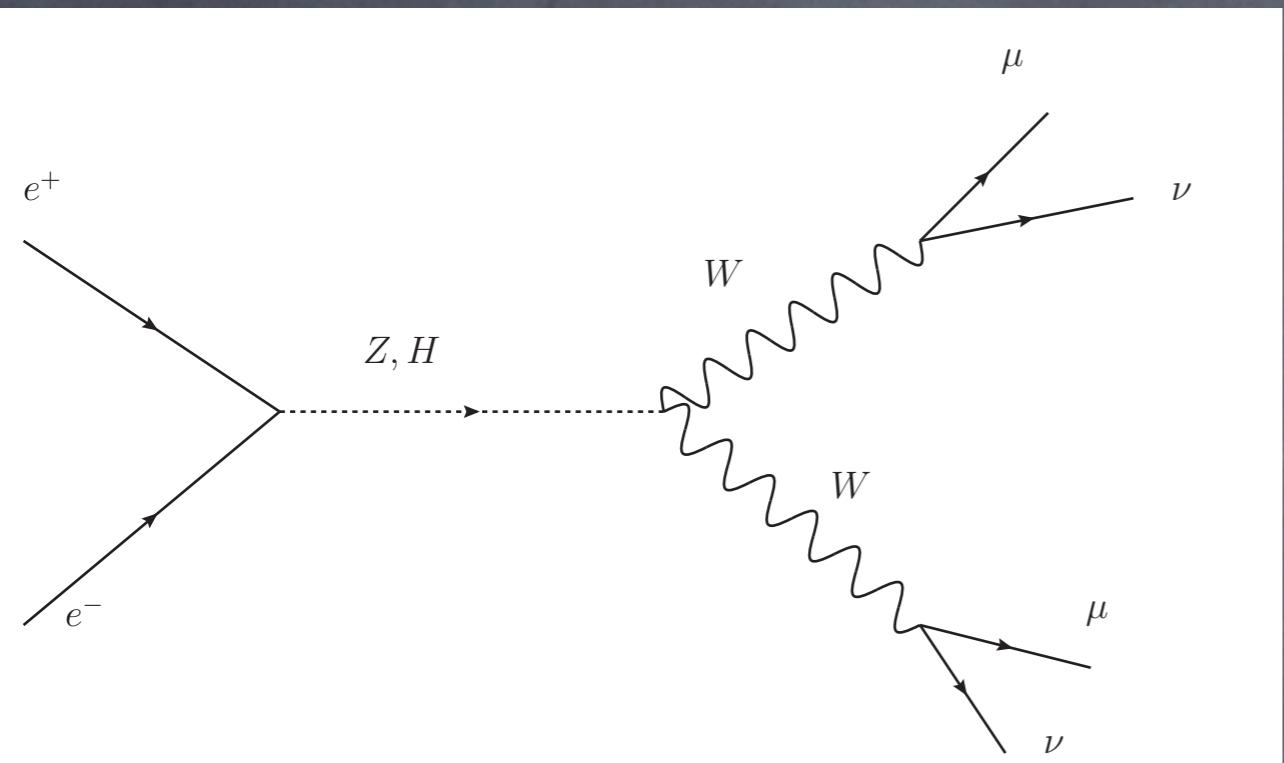
$ZZ \rightarrow \nu\nu\mu\mu$

$Z \rightarrow \mu\mu$

$Z \rightarrow \tau\tau$

Admixture depends
on the collision
energy

Backgrounds

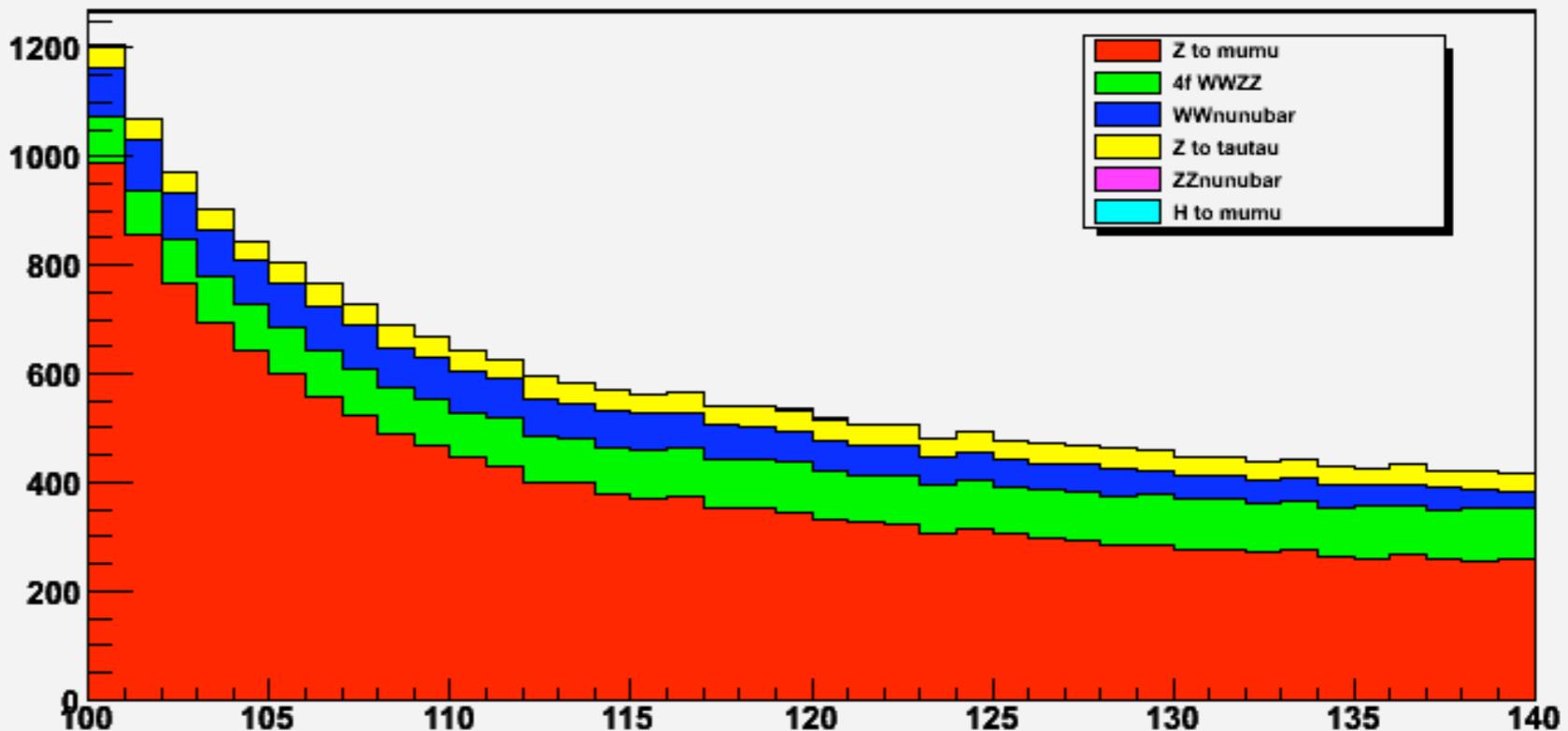


Analysis overview

- ⦿ Event generation (Pythia 6.4.13, no beamstrahlung)
- ⦿ Writing stdhep
- ⦿ org.lcsim Fast MC for the training
 - ⦿ Writing AIDA
- ⦿ Event classification (TMVA)
 - ⦿ AIDA to ROOT TTree
- ⦿ Likelihood fitting (RooFit)

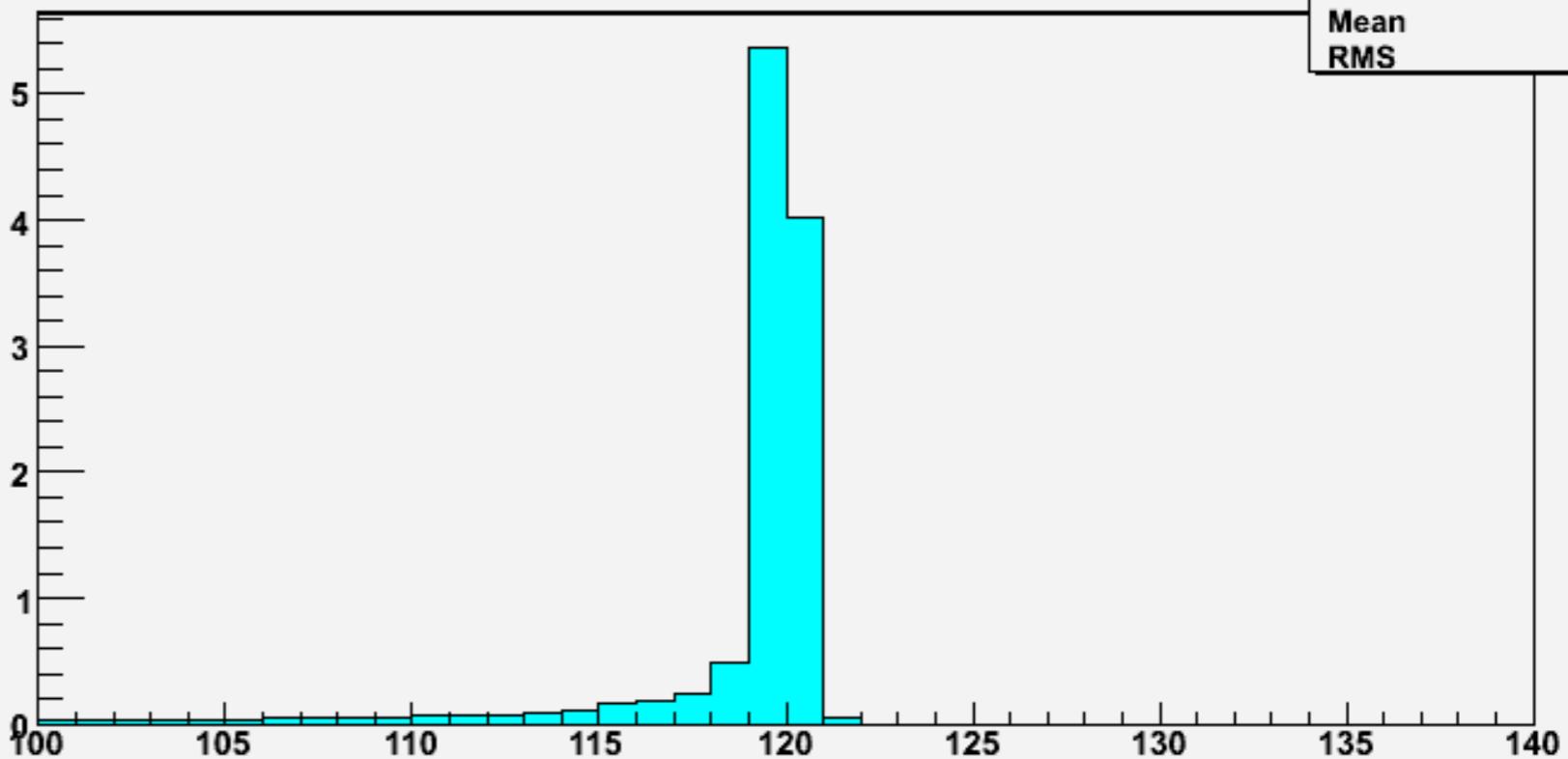
Starting point

Stack: Dimuon mass 00 two muons required



H to mumu Dimuon mass 00 two muons required

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Entries	9868
Mean	118.9
RMS	3.087



Analysis Strategy

- ⦿ Require muon ID(100 %)
- ⦿ Event shapes
- ⦿ Good muon selection (multi-variate classifier)
 - ⦿ cosTheta, energy, pt, forward or endcap
 - ⦿ discriminating variable(s) (likelihood fit)
 - ⦿ flat bg, peaking signal

Event Shape Cuts

- ⦿ Mass cut
- ⦿ visible Energy
- ⦿ acoplanarity: Angle in the transverse plane
- ⦿ oblateness: Major thrust - minor thrust

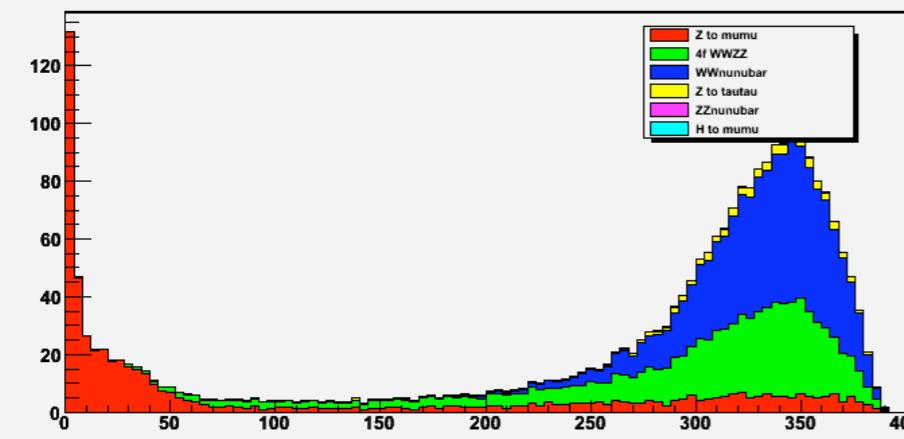
Sample sizes

sample	tau tau	mu mu	4 f	WW nu nu	ZZ nu nu	signal
cross section	1.05 1E+03	1.07 1E+03	4.132 1E+02	3.13 1E+02	2.71 1E-03	2.41 1E-02
# available	1.1E+07	7.6E+06	5.8E+06	3.3E+06	50000	10000
shape cuts	825	6.8E+06	29068	9074	178	5114
scaled, 2 / ab	160.4	2867.9	4141.7	1721.3	0	24.6

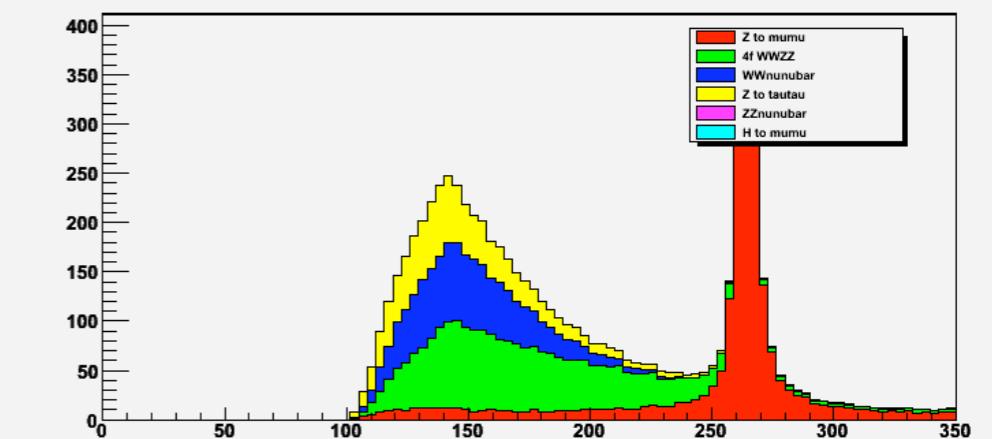
Distinguishing Variables

- ⦿ muon properties
- ⦿ cos theta
- ⦿ opening angle
- ⦿ energy
- ⦿ Ratio of muon energies
- ⦿ oblateness
- ⦿ missing momentum
- ⦿ mass
- ⦿ missing mass

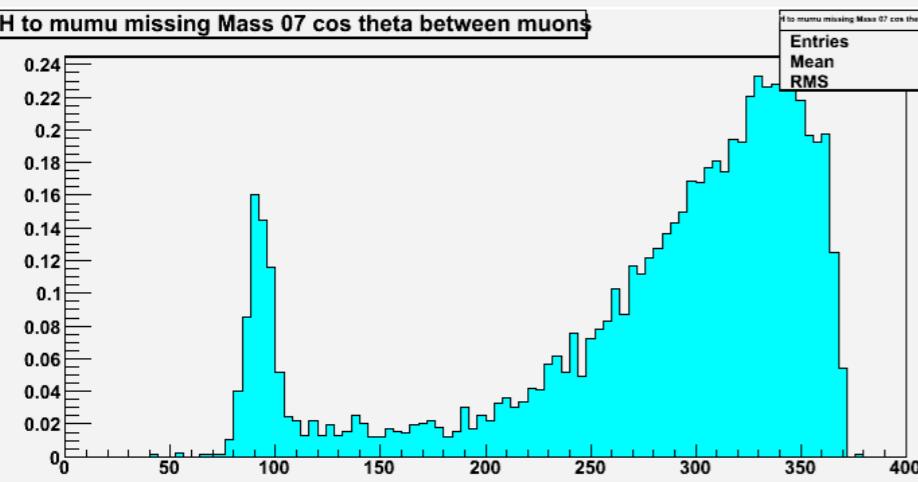
Stack: missing Mass 07 cos theta between muons



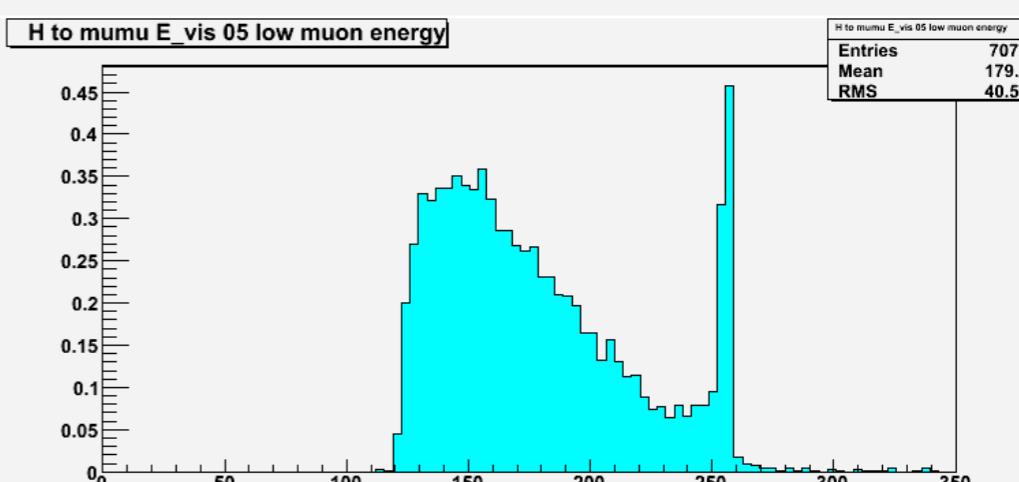
Stack: E_vis 05 low muon energy



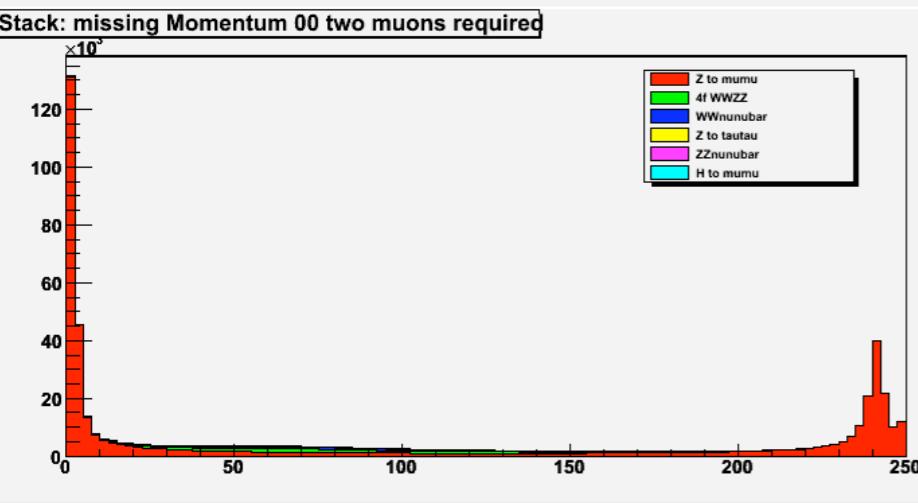
H to mumu missing Mass 07 cos theta between muons



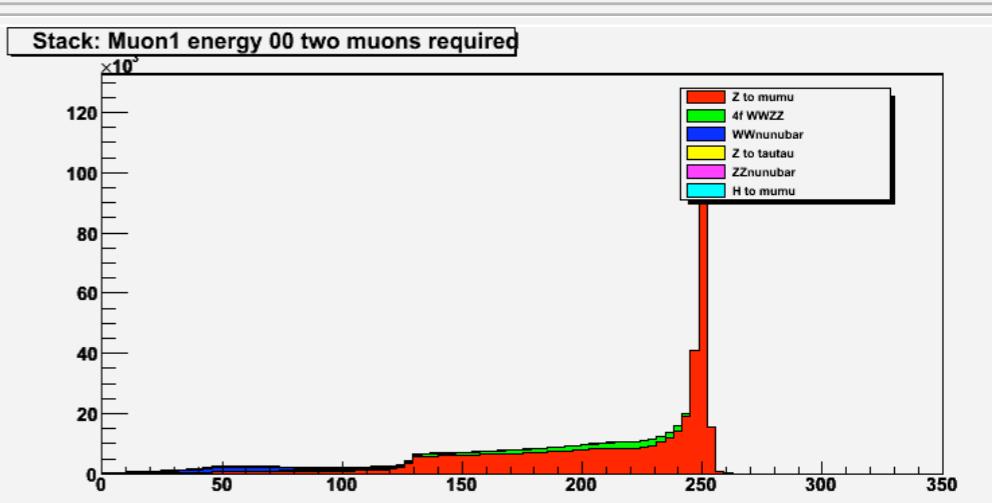
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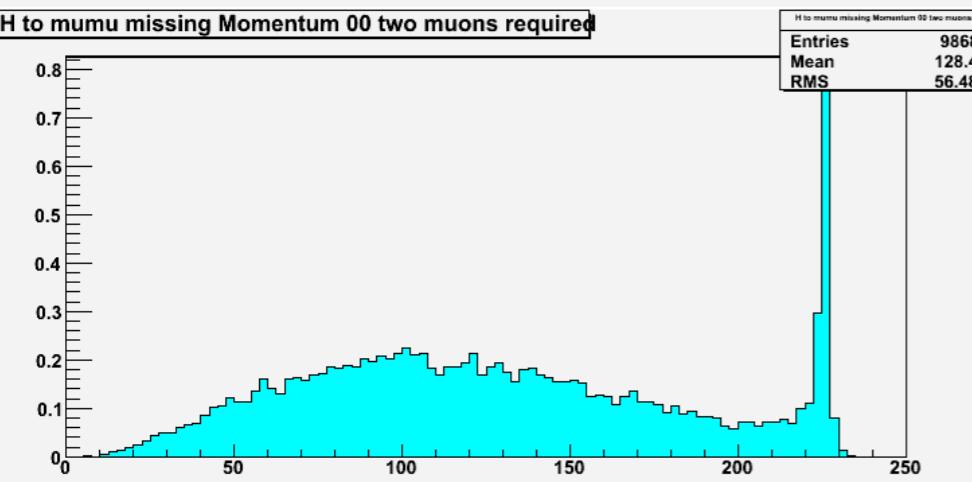
Stack: missing Momentum 00 two muons required



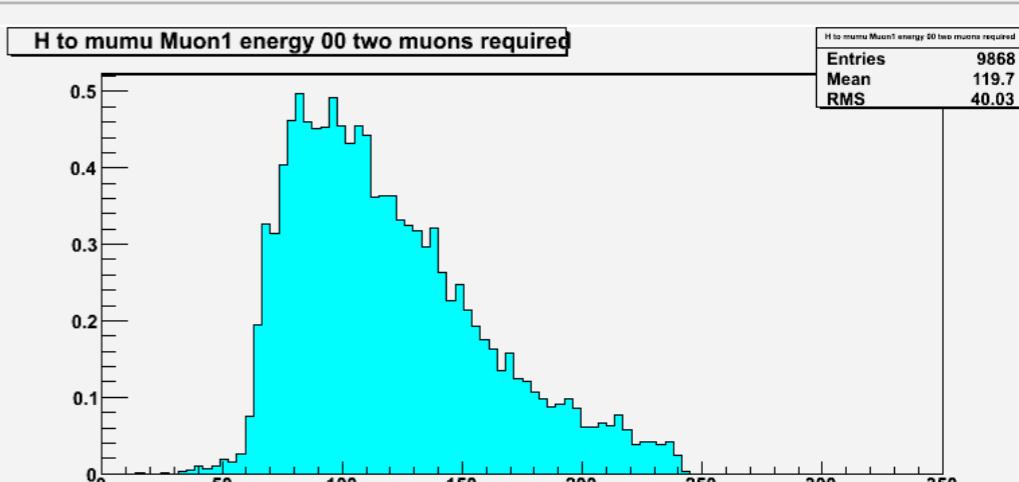
Stack: Muon1 energy 00 two muons required



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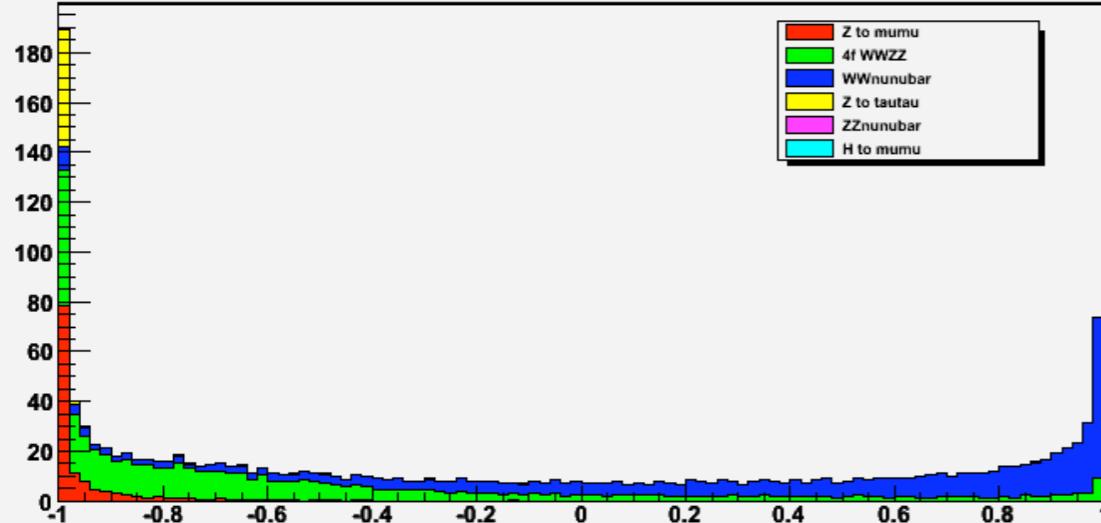
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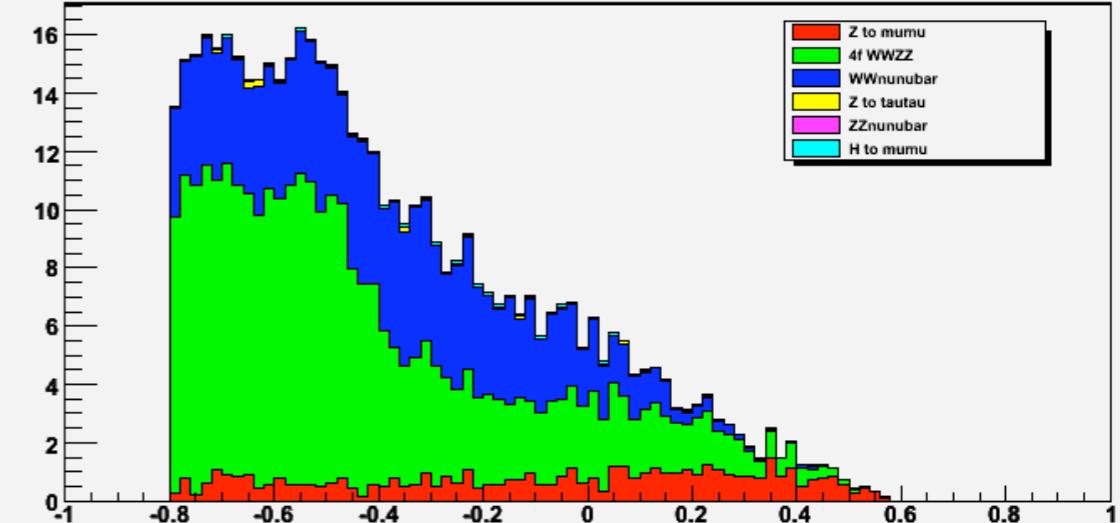
Some Distinguishing Variables

Variables for TMVA

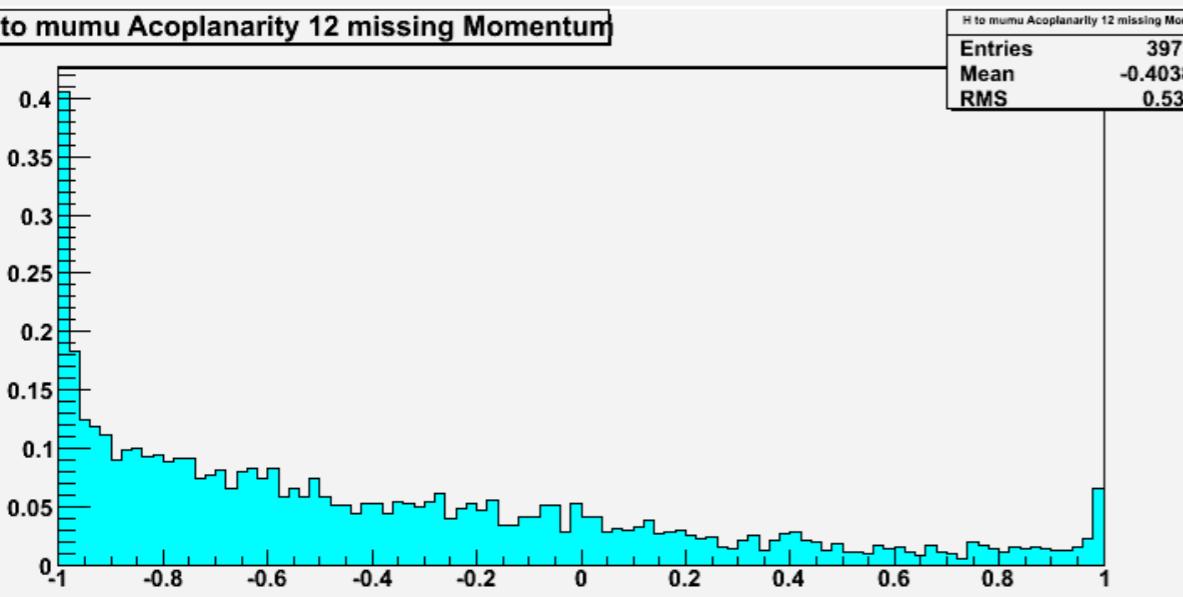
Stack: Acoplanarity 12 missing Momentum



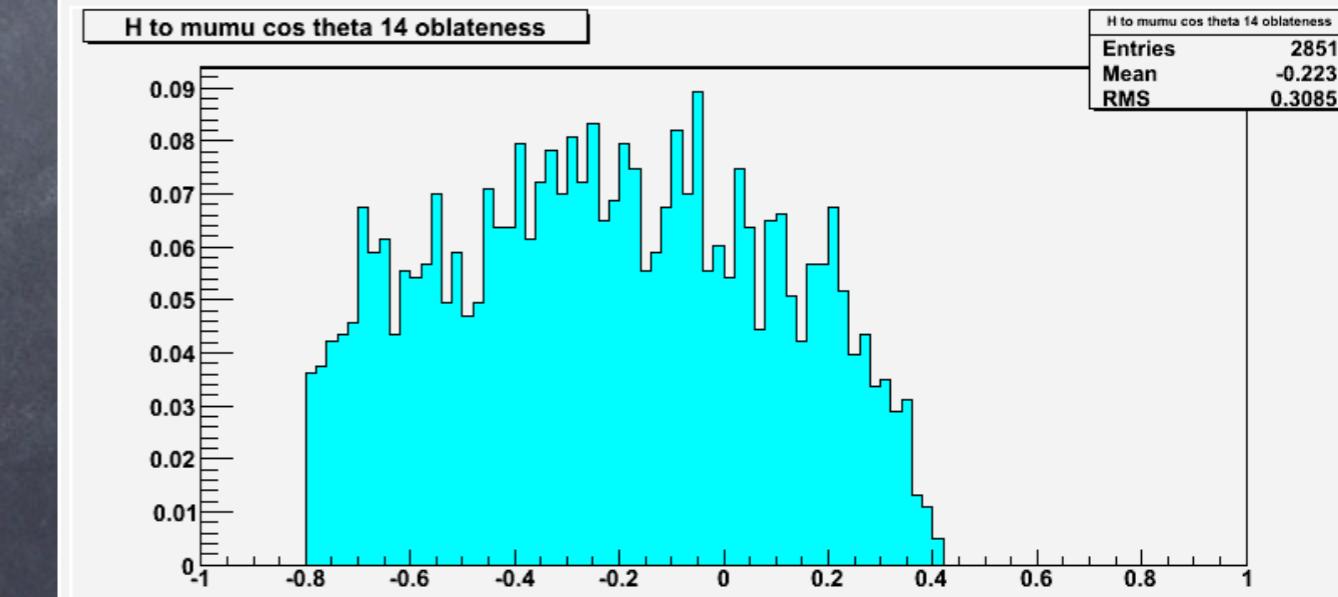
Stack: cos theta 14 oblateness



H to mu mu Acoplanarity 12 missing Momentum



H to mu mu cos theta 14 oblateness

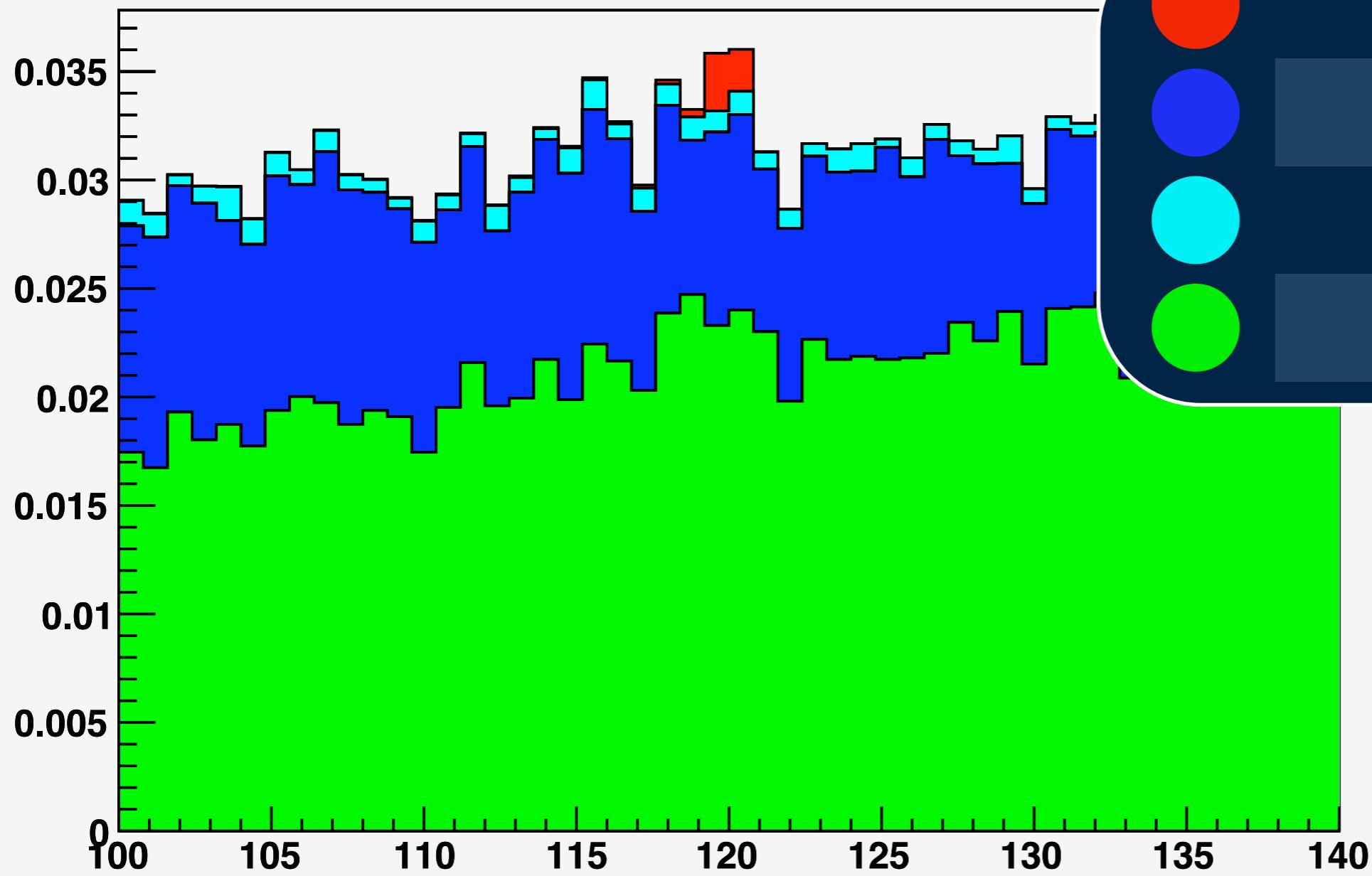


Status

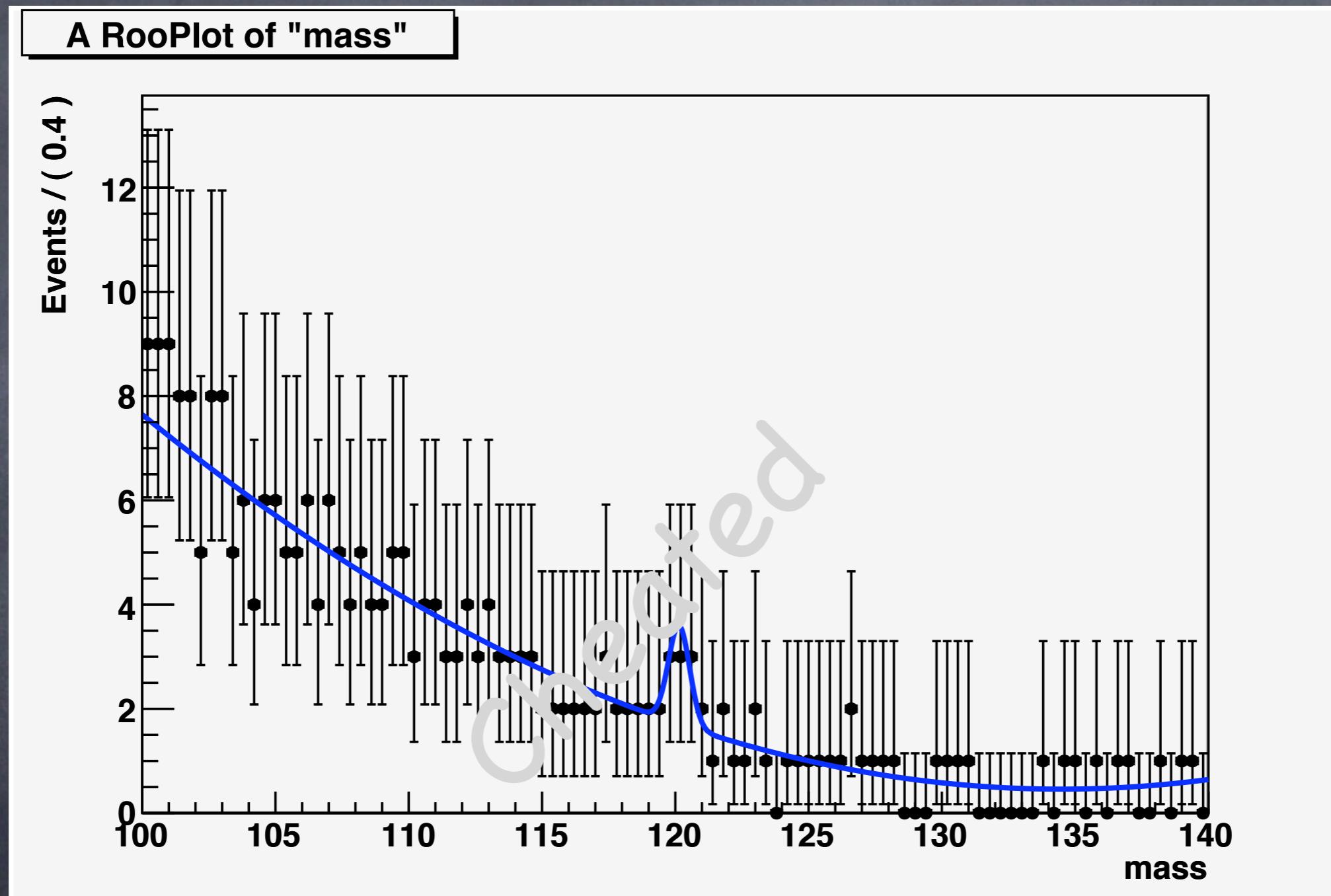
- ⦿ Boosted Decision Trees for sample separation
 - ⦿ Outperforms all other classifiers in TMVA
(Fisher, various ANN, likelihood method, ...)
 - ⦿ Only MVA, no kinematic fits
 - ⦿ 1.85 sigma separation...
- ⦿ Training / fitting is statistics limited

After applying the classifier

stack of the mass histograms



Fitting status



- ⌚ TMVA significance: 1.8 sigma
- ⌚ RooFit significance:

Outlook and plans

- ⦿ The analysis strategy seems to make sense
 - ⦿ applicable to 250 GeV events
 - ⦿ use ReconstructedParticles instead of FastMC
- ⦿ Still need some dedicated background samples to understand differences between FastMC and full simulation
- ⦿ Add $Z \rightarrow qq$ to gain statistics

The Grid

- 2 / ab background samples translate to 900 GB of data
- All accessible at RAL servers for faster turnaround
- using the Grid for simulation and reconstruction