

# Branching ratio study in $ZH \rightarrow qqcc/bb$

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# Current status

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- Last week
  - Background reduction can achieve the almost consistent result with SiD, except for the last highest photon energy.
  - Template fitting looks dependence of template sample binning
- This week
  - Check the templates binning dependence to achieve the final results.

# Previous result in different bins

# of bins in template sample	nbins=40	nbins=100
$\Delta\text{Br}(H \rightarrow bb)$	$2.80 \pm 0.07 \%$	$1.24 \pm 0.03 \%$
$\Delta\text{Br}(H \rightarrow cc)$	$16.61 \pm 0.42 \%$	$8.92 \pm 0.20 \%$

Relative branching ratio is calculated from the fitted parameters  $r_{bb/cc}$  and the selection efficiency of  $\varepsilon_{bb/cc}$  from the reduction table

$$\frac{\text{Br}(H \rightarrow c\bar{c})}{\text{Br}(H \rightarrow b\bar{b})} = \frac{r_{cc} / \varepsilon_{cc}}{r_{bb} / \varepsilon_{bb}}$$

**Preliminary result**

# of bins in template sample	nbins=40	nbins=100
Ratio of $\text{Br}(H \rightarrow cc)/\text{Br}(H \rightarrow bb)$	$0.058 \pm 0.009$	$0.055 \pm 0.005$
Measurement accuracy of ratio	$16.85 \%$	$9.00 \%$

**Need to optimize template fitting method**

# Template samples and $\chi^2$

$$\chi^2 = \sum_{i=1}^{n_b} \sum_{j=1}^{n_c} \sum_{k=1}^{n_{bc}} \left( \frac{N_{ijk}^{data} - \sum_{s=bb/cc/others} r_s \left( \frac{N^{ZH}}{N^s} \right) N_{ijk}^s - r_{bkg} N_{ijk}^{bkg}}{N_{ijk}^{data}} \right)^2$$

$$r_{others} = 1 - r_{bb} - r_{cc}$$

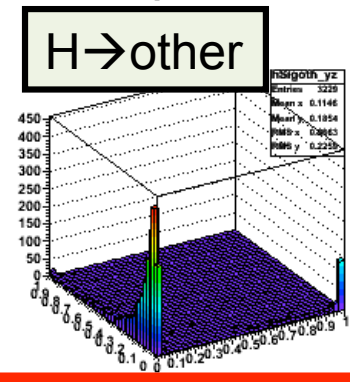
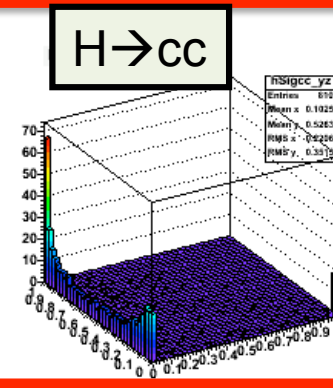
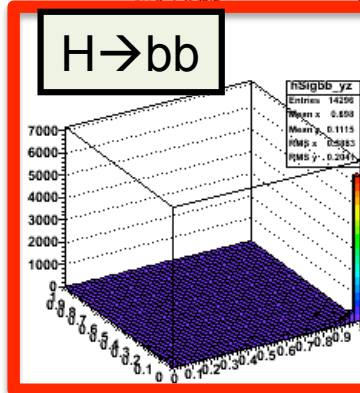
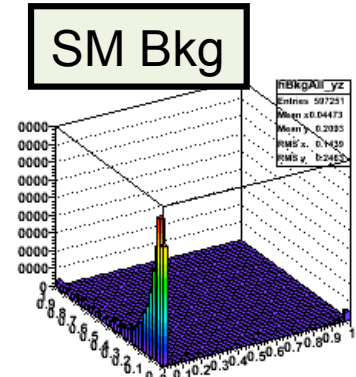
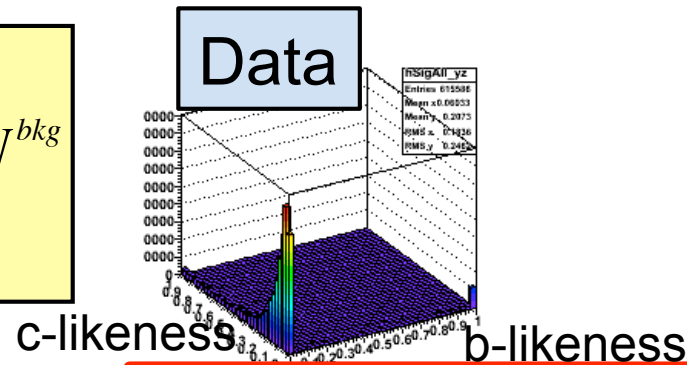
$$r_{bkg} = \text{free or fixed (=1)}$$

Template samples

$$r_{others} = 1 - r_{bb} - r_{cc}$$

$$N^{ZH} = \sum N^{data} - r_{bkg} \cdot \sum N^{bkg}$$

$$N^s = \sum N_{ijk}^s$$



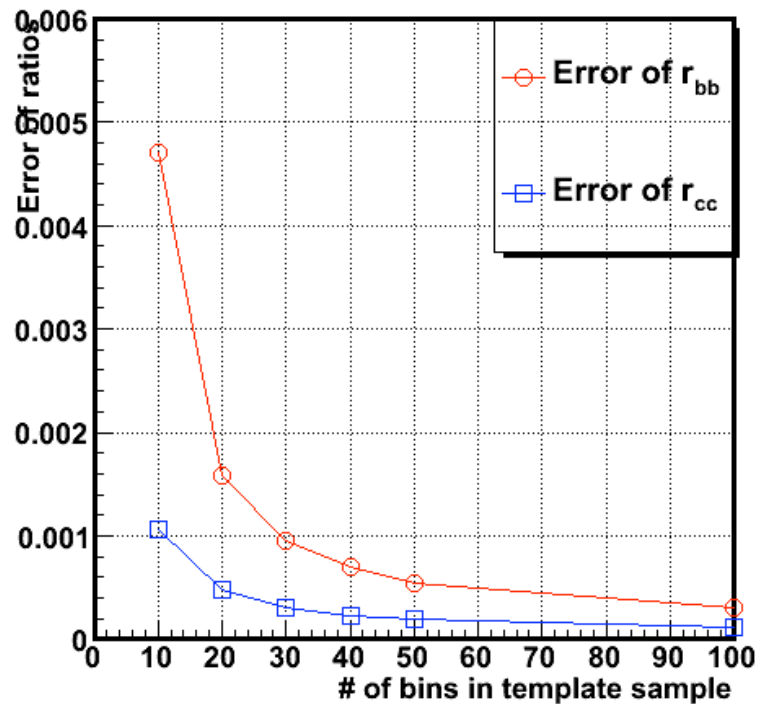
Example of the template sample (40 bins) with b/c/bc likeness.

2D projected images in qqH

# Estimated error from the fitting

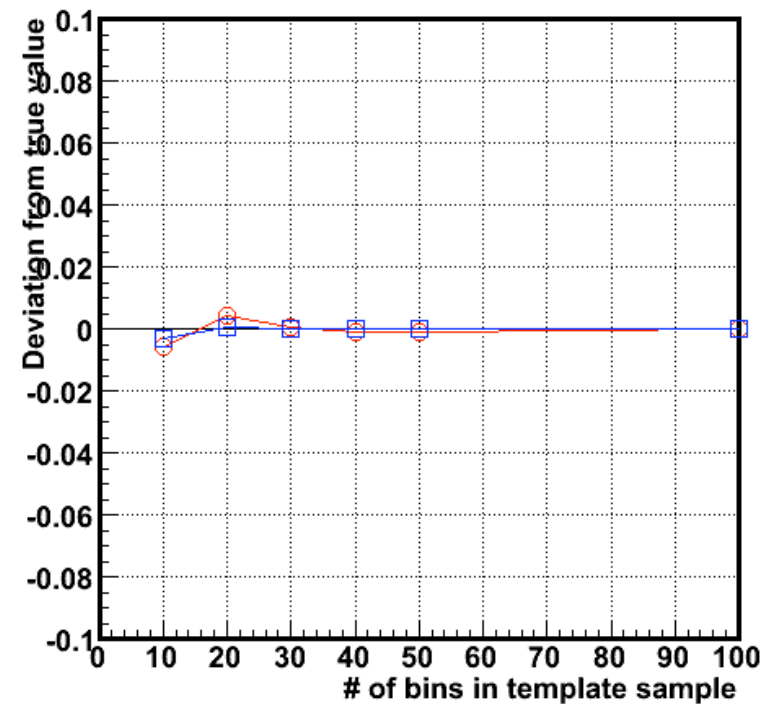
Error of  $r_{bb/cc}$  from the fitting

Template samples binning dependence



Deviation of the fitted  $r_{bb/cc}$  from the true value

Deviation from true value



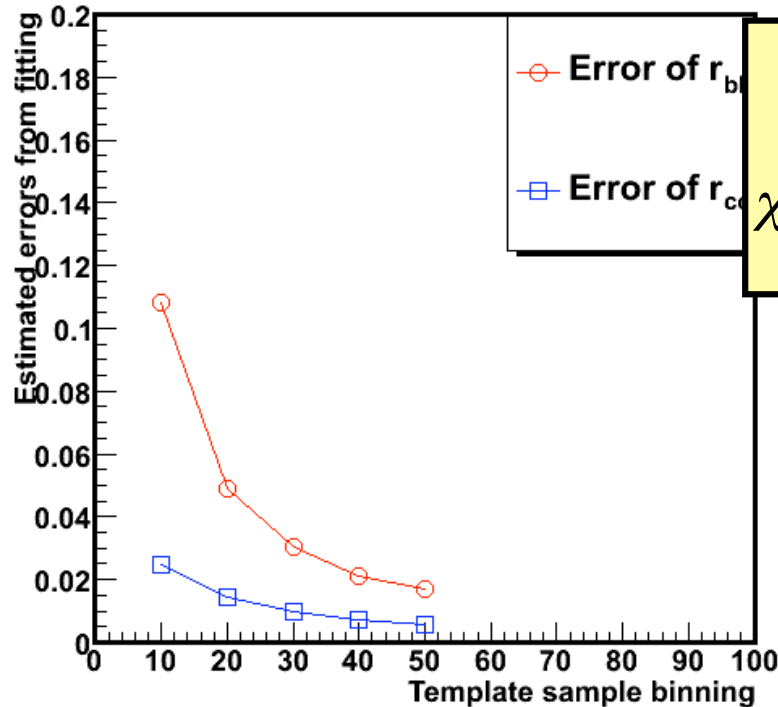
- $r_{bb/cc}$  itself does not have any dependence of the sample's binning
- Estimated  $r_{bb/cc}$  errors from fitting has binning dependence

# Without the fluctuation of data

Without the fluctuation for  $N^{\text{data}}$

Error without fluctuation

$N^{\text{data}} = N^{\text{all}}$  no fluctuation case



$$\chi^2 = \sum_{i=1}^{n_b} \sum_{j=1}^{n_c} \sum_{k=1}^{n_{bc}} \frac{\left( N_{ijk}^{\text{all}} - \sum_{s=bb/cc/others} r_s \left( \frac{N^{ZH}}{N^s} \right) N_{ijk}^s - r_{bkg} N_{ijk}^{bkg} \right)^2}{N_{ijk}^{\text{all}}}$$

Now I am checking my code which comes from bugs or not...

Even without the fluctuation, errors of fitted  $r_{bb/cc}$  has also binning dependence... I think errors should not depend on the template fitting sample. Dependence with the # of template entries?