

# A Dalitz Plot Analysis of $\omega \rightarrow 3\pi$ Decay

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# Goals

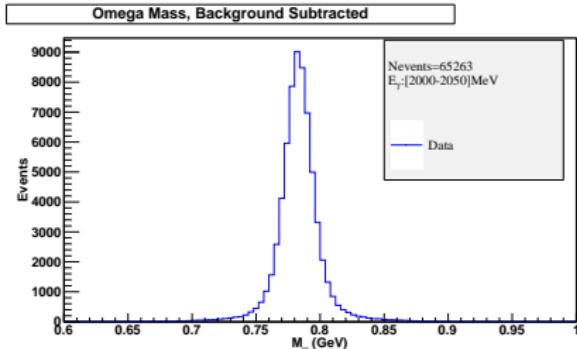
## Main Goal

- Fit a modified Khuri-Treiman (KT) Model for the  $\omega \rightarrow 3\pi$  decay.
- Fit the decay amplitude via event-based likelihood fits using AmpTools framework.
- Compare fit parameters with known results from other models

# CLAS G12 Data

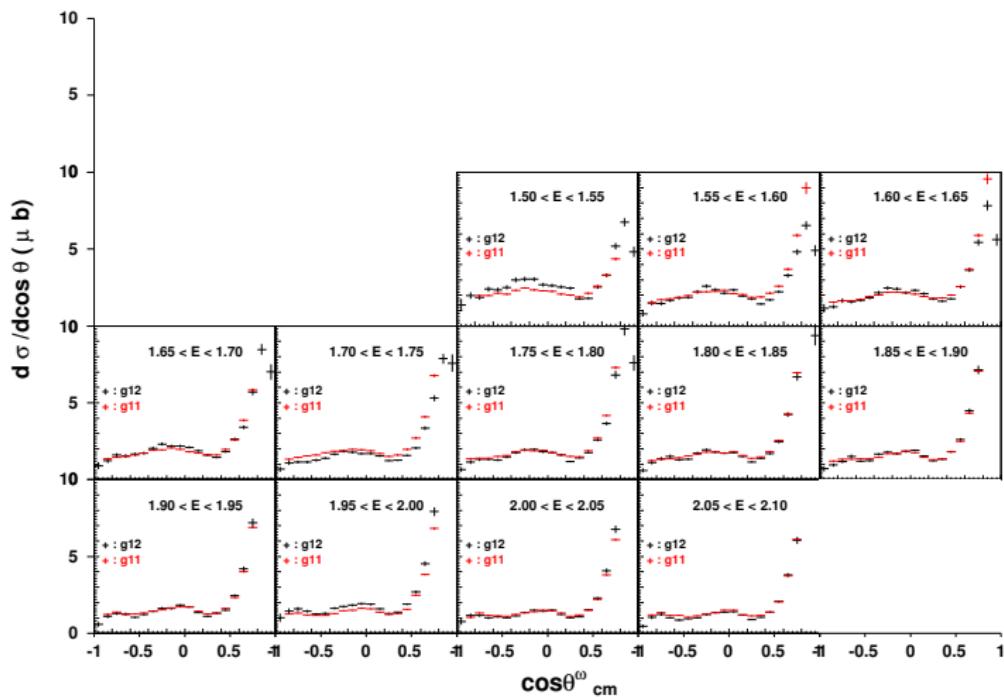
Data	Total Events
-data	8,200,000
-genMC	14,000,000
-accMC	1,500,000

Average Acceptance  $\approx 0.107$



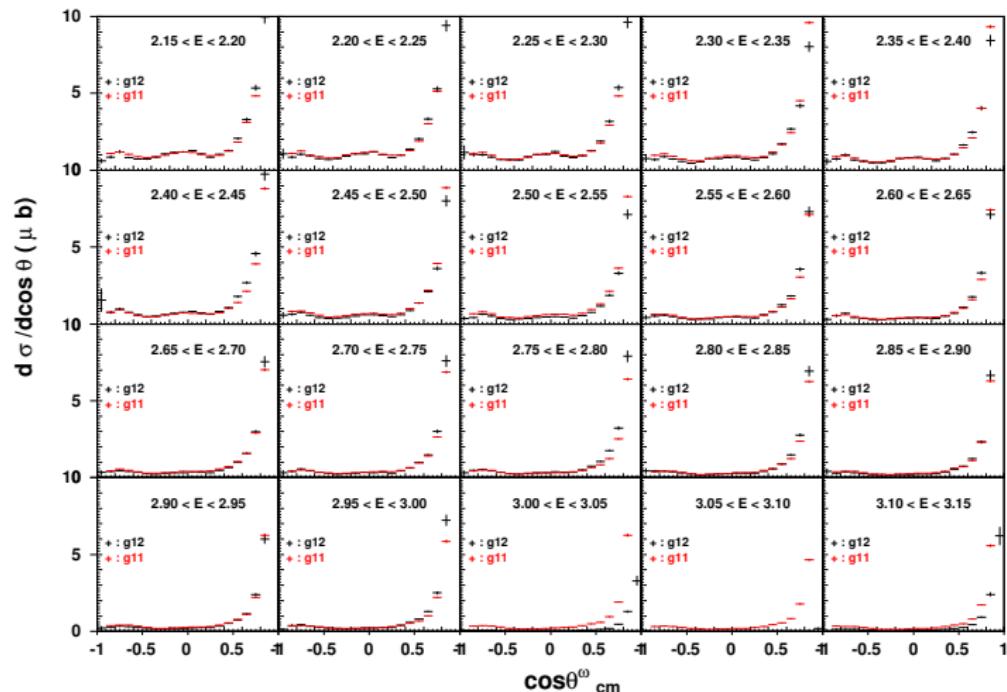
- G12 data covers incoming photon energy range  $E_\gamma:[1150-5400]\text{MeV}$
- Have G12 x-section  $E_\gamma:[1150-3800]\text{MeV}$ , extending to 5400MeV, need G12 SDME's still
- We use G11 x-section, SDME's data; range  $E_\gamma:[1107.4-3828.9]\text{MeV}$
- We consider bins in range  $E_\gamma:[1150-3800]\text{MeV}$

# G12, G11 Cross-Section Comparison



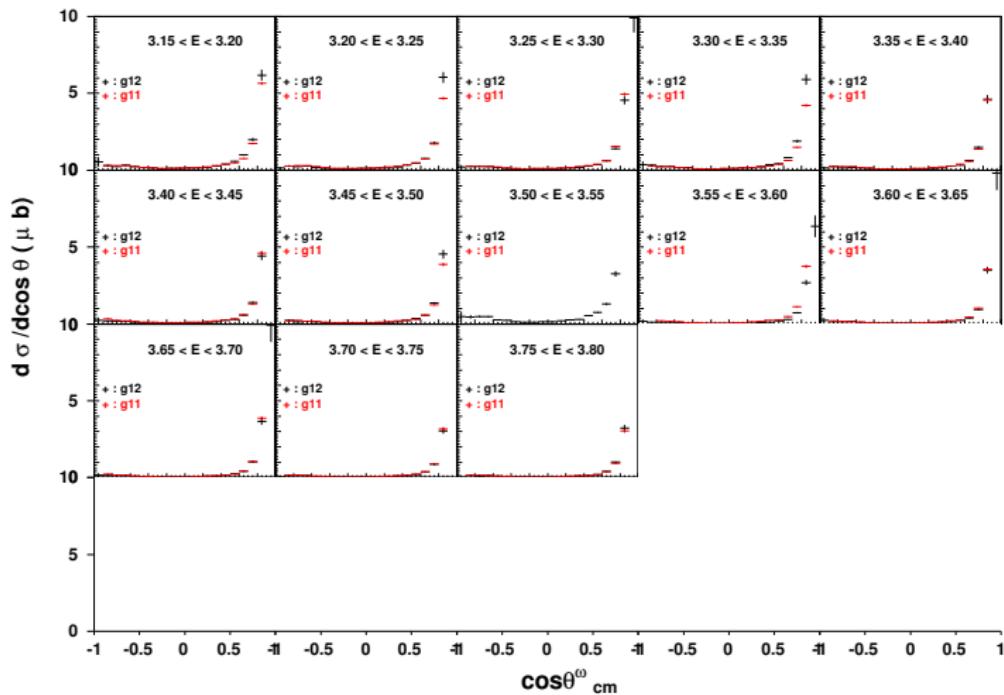
$E\gamma:[1500-2010]\text{MeV}$ , Zulkaida Akbar

# G12, G11 Cross-Section Comparison



$E\gamma:[2150-3150]\text{MeV}$ , Zulkaida Akbar

# G12, G11 Cross-Section Comparison



$E\gamma: [3150-3800]\text{MeV}$ , Zulkiada Akbar

# Paper for Model

JLAB-THY-14-1960

## Dispersive Analysis of $\omega/\phi \rightarrow 3\pi, \pi\gamma^*$

I.V. Danilkin,<sup>1,\*</sup> C. Fernández-Ramírez,<sup>1</sup> P. Guo,<sup>2,3</sup> V. Mathieu,<sup>2,3</sup> D. Schott,<sup>4</sup> M. Shi,<sup>1,5</sup> and A. P. Szczepaniak<sup>1,2,3</sup>  
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The decays  $\omega/\phi \rightarrow 3\pi$  are considered in the dispersive framework that is based on the isobar decomposition and sub-energy unitarity. The inelastic contributions are parametrized by the power series in a suitably chosen conformal variable that properly account for the analytic properties of the amplitude. The Dalitz plot distributions and integrated decay widths are presented. Our results indicate that the final state interactions may be sizable. As a further application of the formalism we also compute the electromagnetic transition form factors of  $\omega/\phi \rightarrow \pi^0\gamma^*$ .

arXiv:1409.7708v1 [hep-ph] (2014)

# Illustration

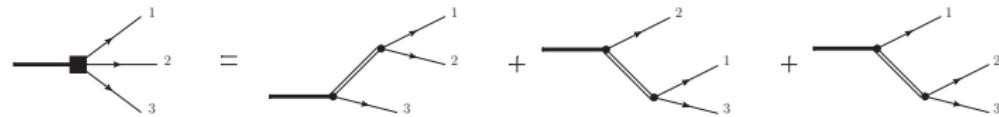


FIG. 1: Isobar decomposition.

## Isobar Model

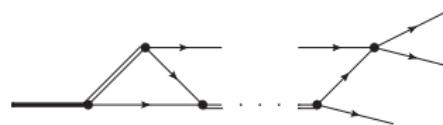


FIG. 2: Crossed channel rescattering effects.

consequence of elastic unitarity  
requirement of model

# Model

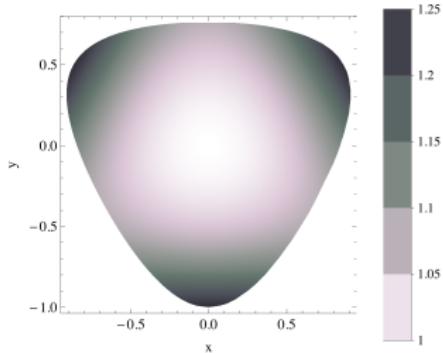
$$F(s) = \Omega(s) \left( \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{s_\pi}^{s_i} ds' \frac{\rho(s') t^*(s')}{\Omega^*(s')} \frac{\hat{F}(s')}{s' - s} + \Sigma(s) \right). \quad (31)$$

## The Decay Amplitude

$$\Sigma(s) = \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} a_i \omega^i(s) \quad (29)$$

inelastic contribution  
( $a_0 = \text{IgorParameter}$ )

# Dalitz Analysis



Expected Dalitz Plot

$$\begin{aligned}x &= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{Q}(T_1 - T_2) = \frac{\sqrt{3}(t-u)}{2M(M-3m_\pi)}, \\y &= \frac{3T_3}{Q} - 1 = \frac{3(s_c-s)}{2M(M-3m_\pi)}. \end{aligned} \quad (38)$$

## Lorentz Invariant Variables

$$\begin{aligned}x &= \sqrt{z} \cos \theta \\y &= \sqrt{z} \sin \theta\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}|F_{par}(z, \vartheta)|^2 &= |N|^2 (1 + 2\alpha z + 2\beta z^{3/2} \sin(3\vartheta) + 2\gamma z^2 \\&\quad + 2\delta z^{5/2} \sin(3\vartheta) + \mathcal{O}(z^3)) \end{aligned} \quad (40)$$

## Dalitz Plot Amplitude Expansion

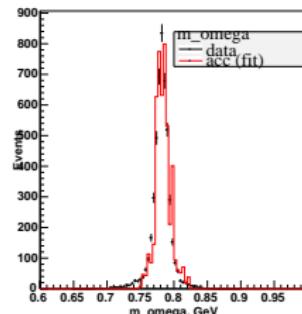
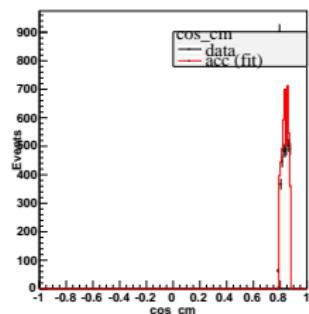
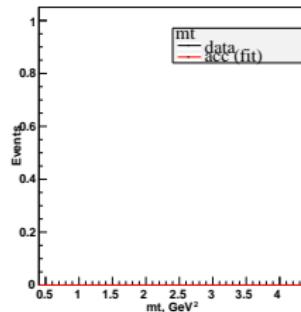
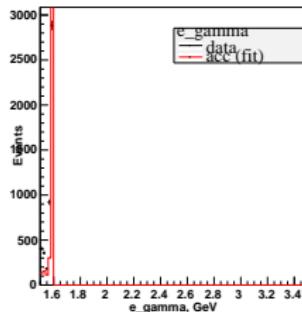
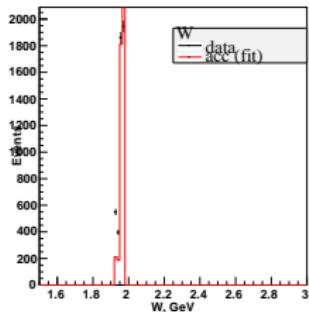
# Dalitz Plot Parameter Comparison

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TABLE I: Dalitz Plot parameters and  $\sqrt{\chi^2}$  of the polynomial parametrization (40) for  $\omega \rightarrow 3\pi$ . In addition to our results we also show the selected results from Niecknig et al. [37] (dispersive study with incorporated crossed-channel effects) and Terschlusen et al. [19] (Lagrangian based study with the pion-pion rescattering effects).

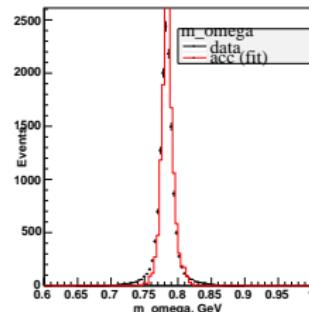
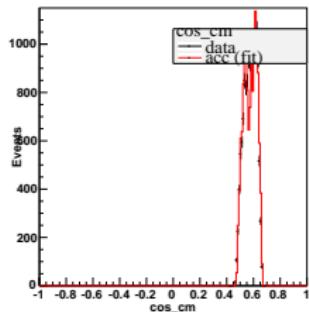
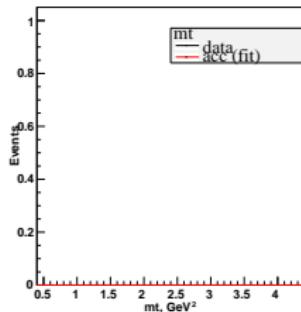
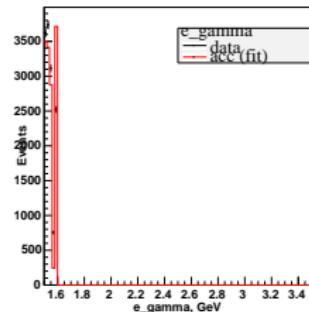
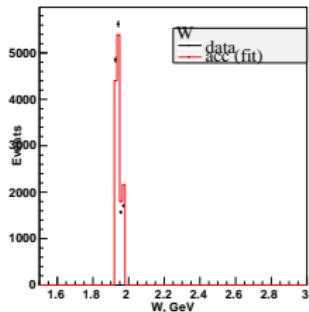
	$\alpha \times 10^3$	$\beta \times 10^3$	$\gamma \times 10^3$	$\delta \times 10^3$	$\sqrt{\chi^2} \times 10^3$
This paper ( $\hat{F} = 0$ )	136	-	-	-	3.5
This paper (full)	94	-	-	-	3.2
Niecknig et al. [37]	84...96	-	-	-	0.9...1.1
Terschlusen et al. [19]	202	-	-	-	6.6
This paper ( $\hat{F} = 0$ )	125	30	-	-	0.74
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Niecknig et al. [37]	74...84	24...28	-	-	0.052...0.078
Terschlusen et al. [19]	190	54	-	-	2.1
This paper ( $\hat{F} = 0$ )	113	27	24	-	0.1
This paper (full)	80	27	8	-	0.24
Niecknig et al. [37]	73...81	24...28	3...6	-	0.038...0.047
Terschlusen et al. [19]	172	43	50	-	0.4
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This paper (full)	83	22	1	14	0.079
Niecknig et al. [37]	74...83	21...24	0...2	7...8	0.012...0.011
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# Analysis: Kinematics



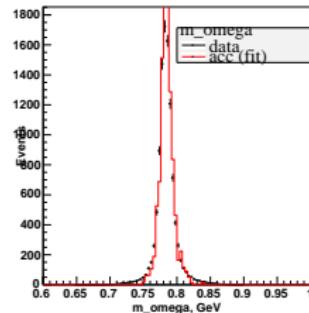
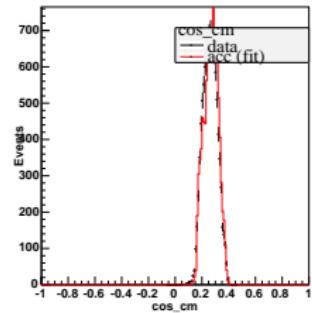
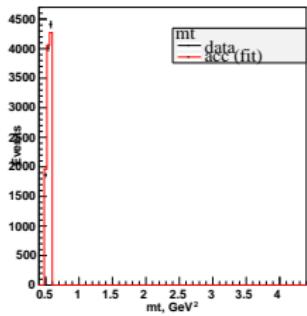
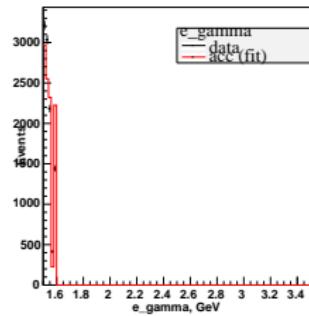
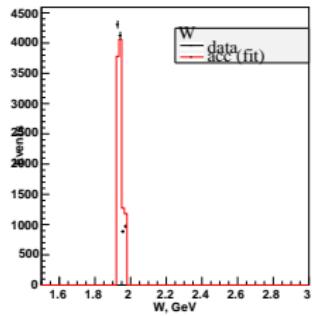
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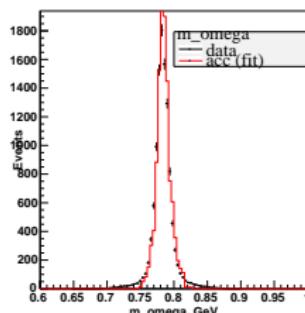
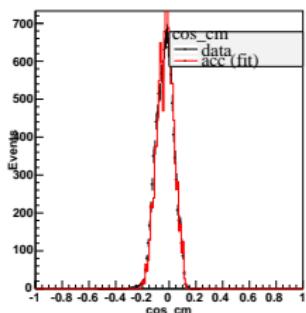
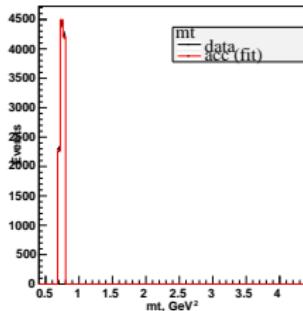
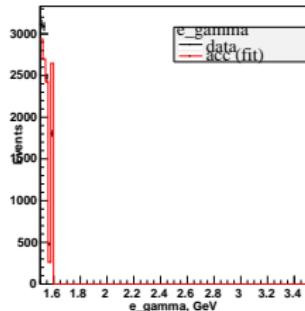
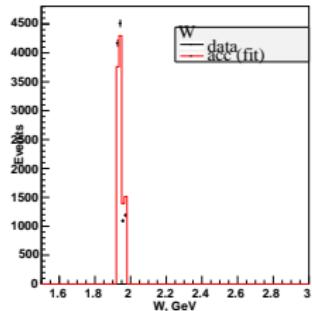
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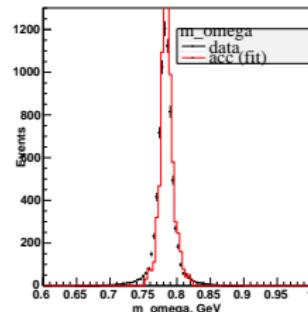
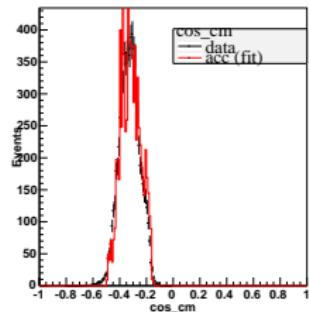
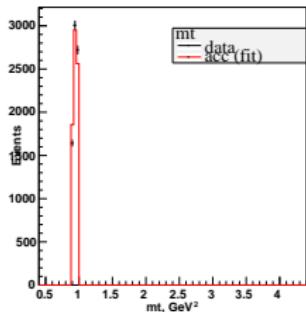
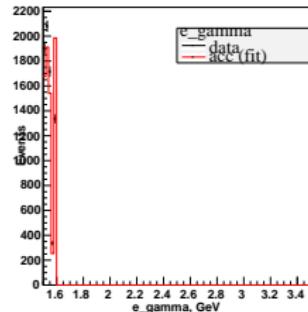
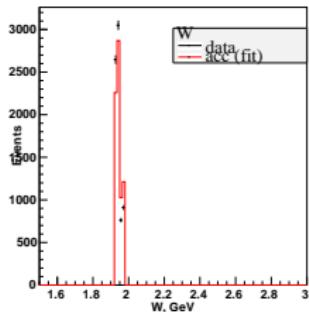
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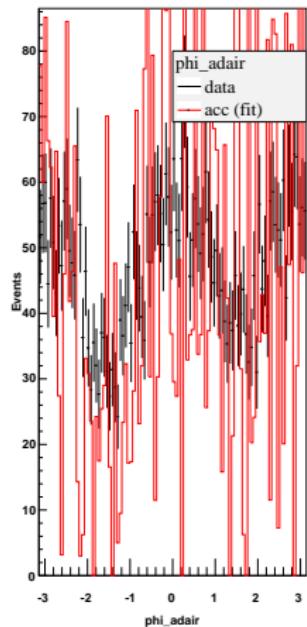
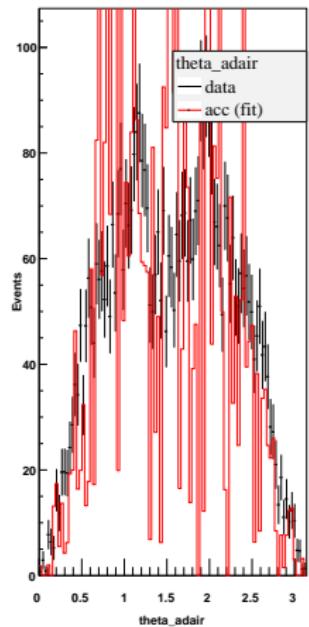
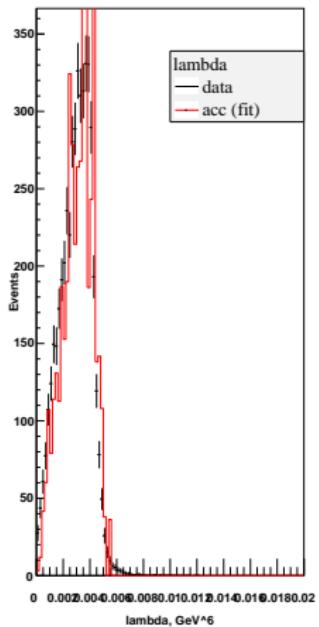
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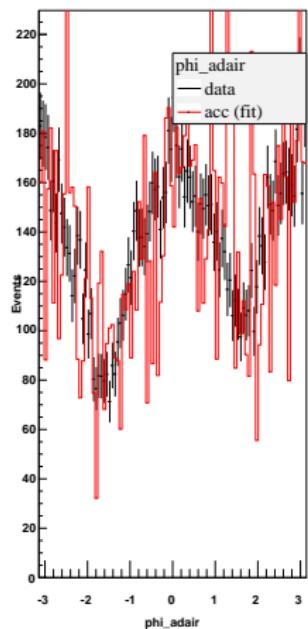
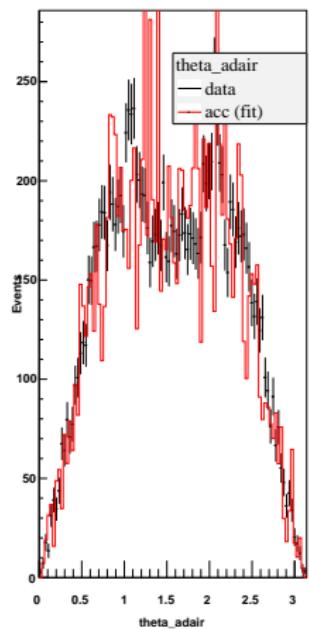
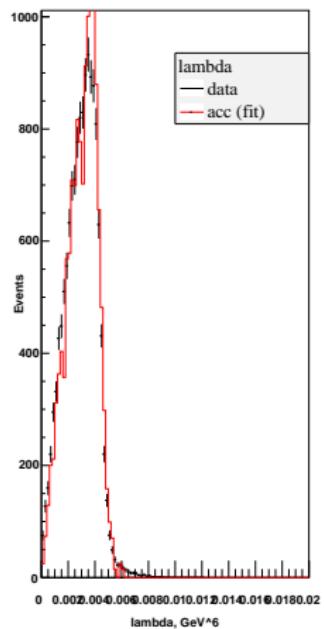
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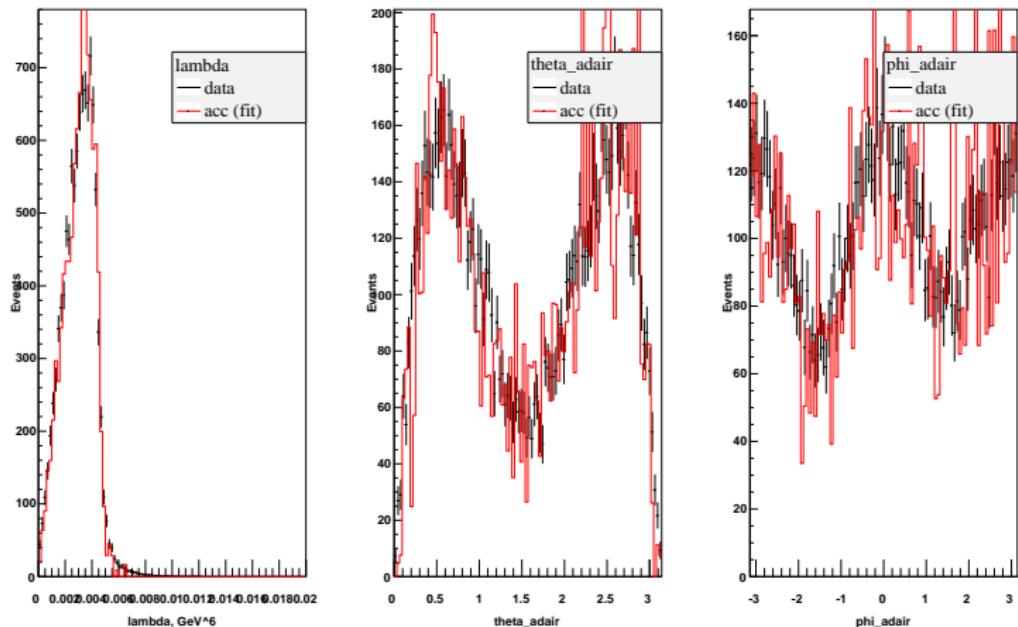
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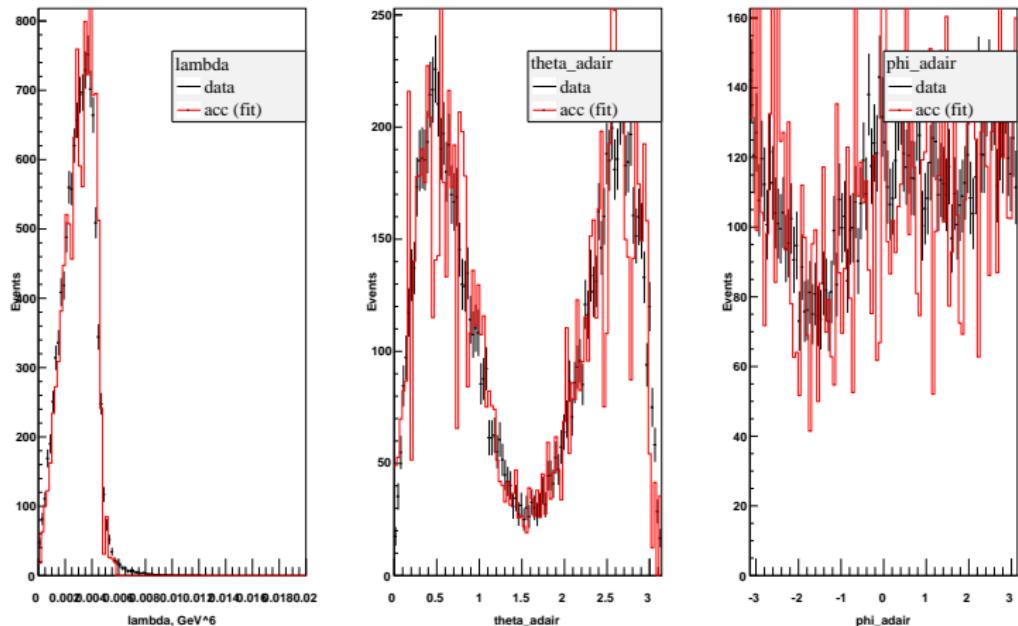
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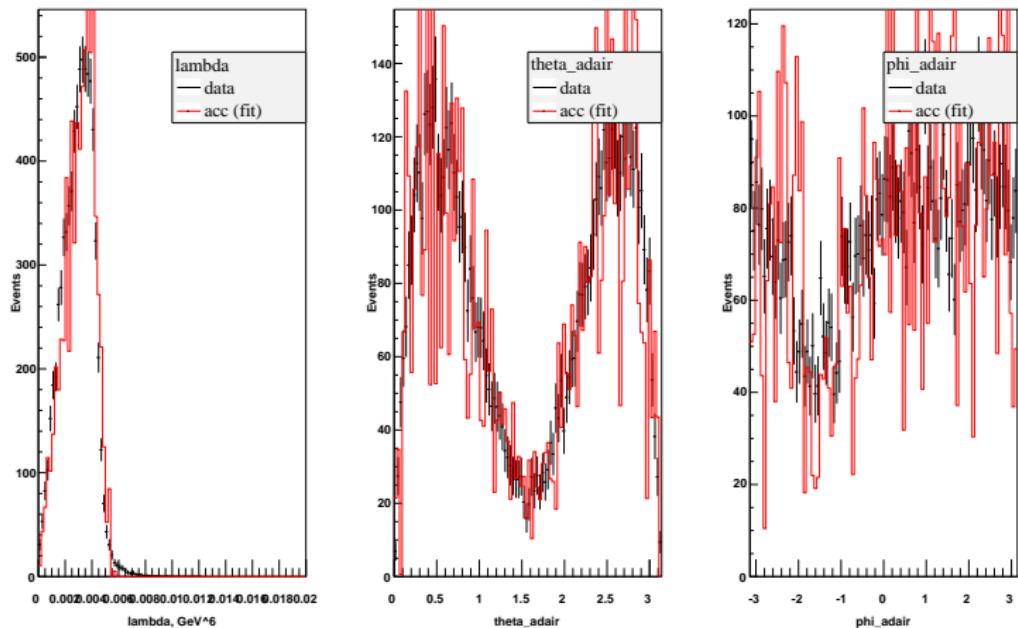
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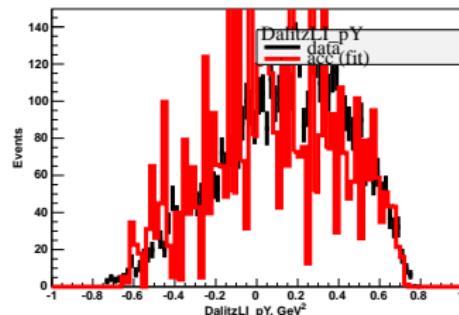
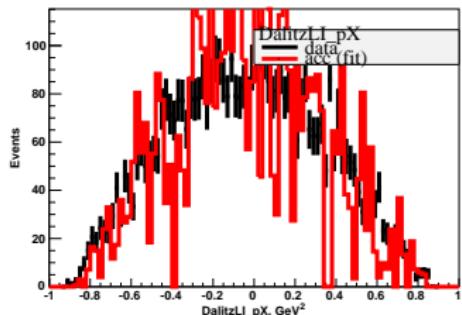
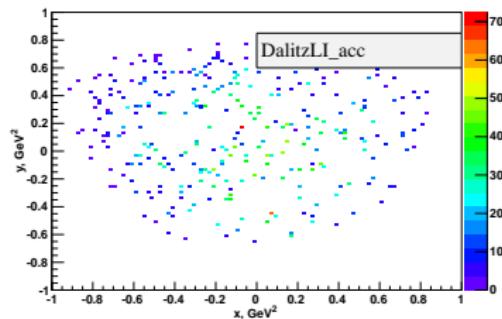
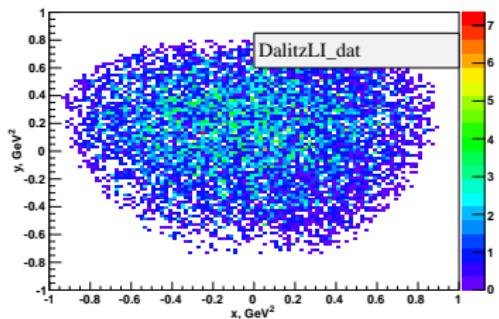
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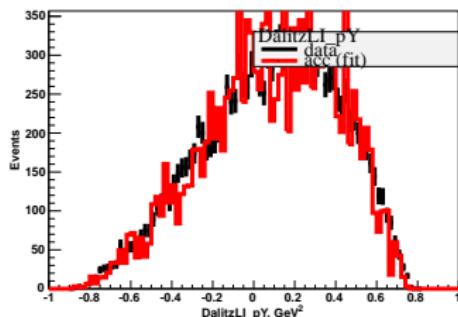
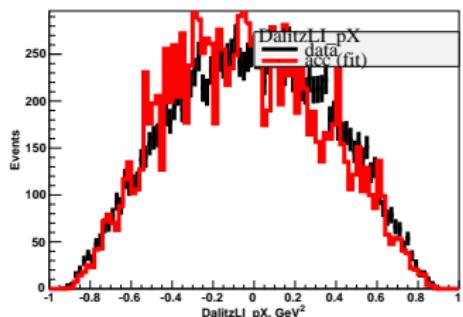
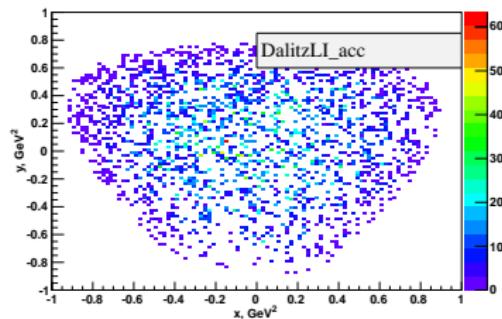
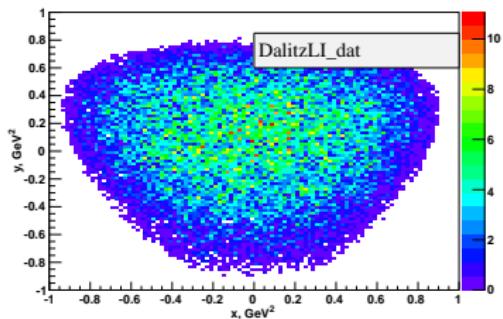
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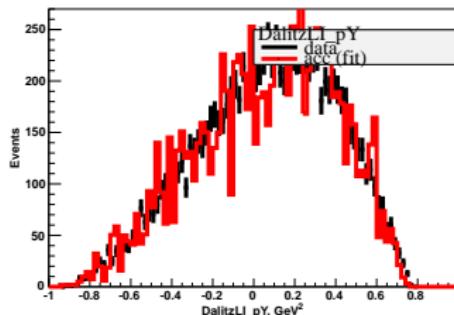
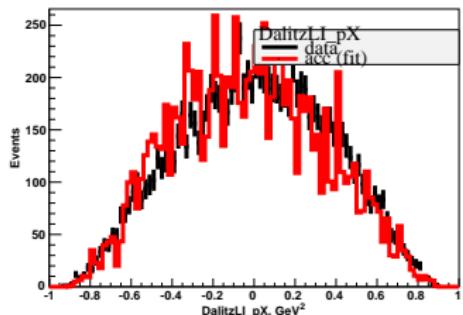
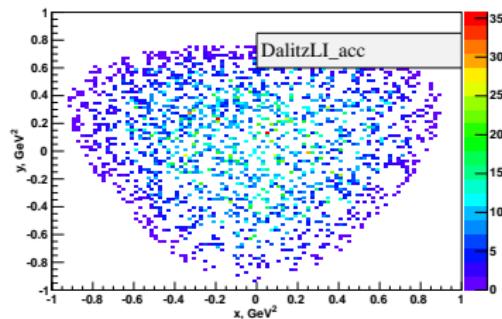
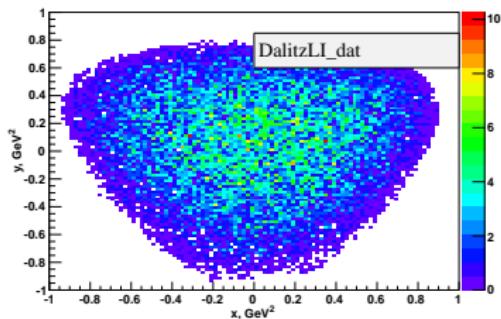
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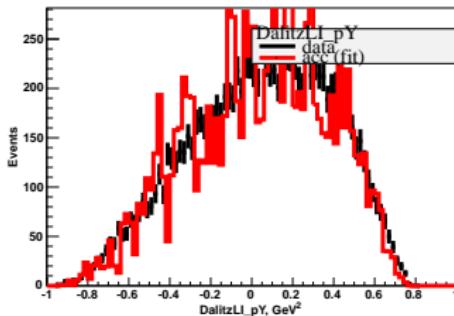
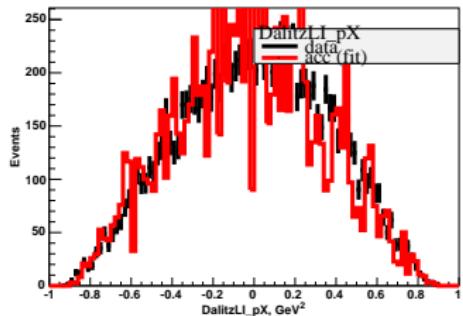
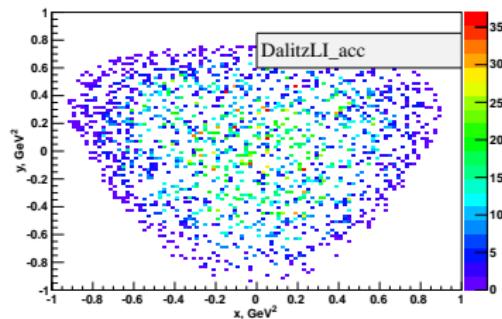
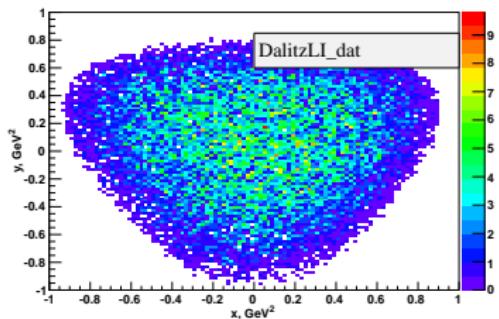
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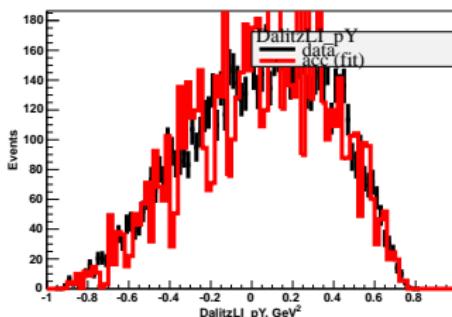
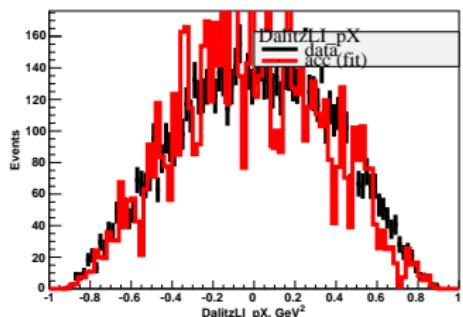
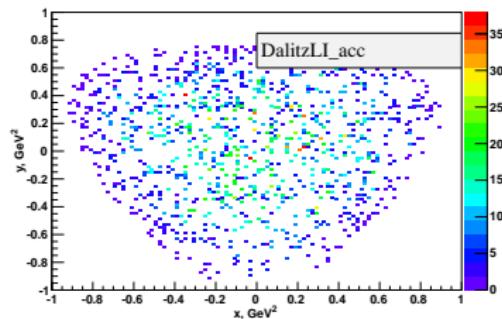
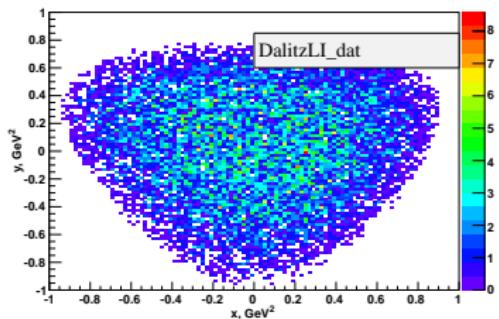
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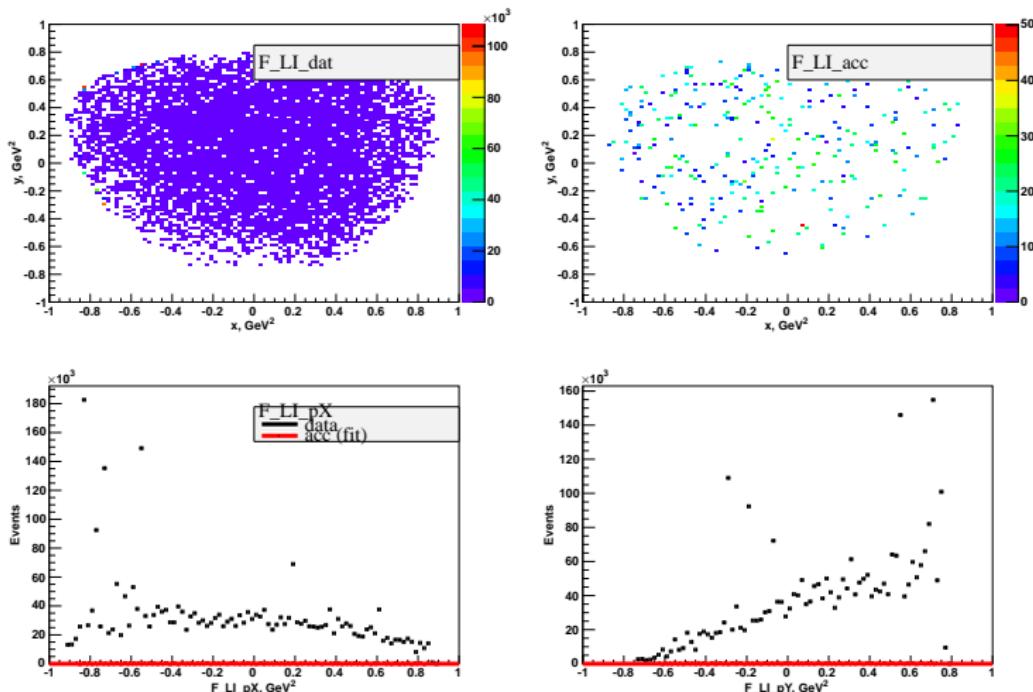
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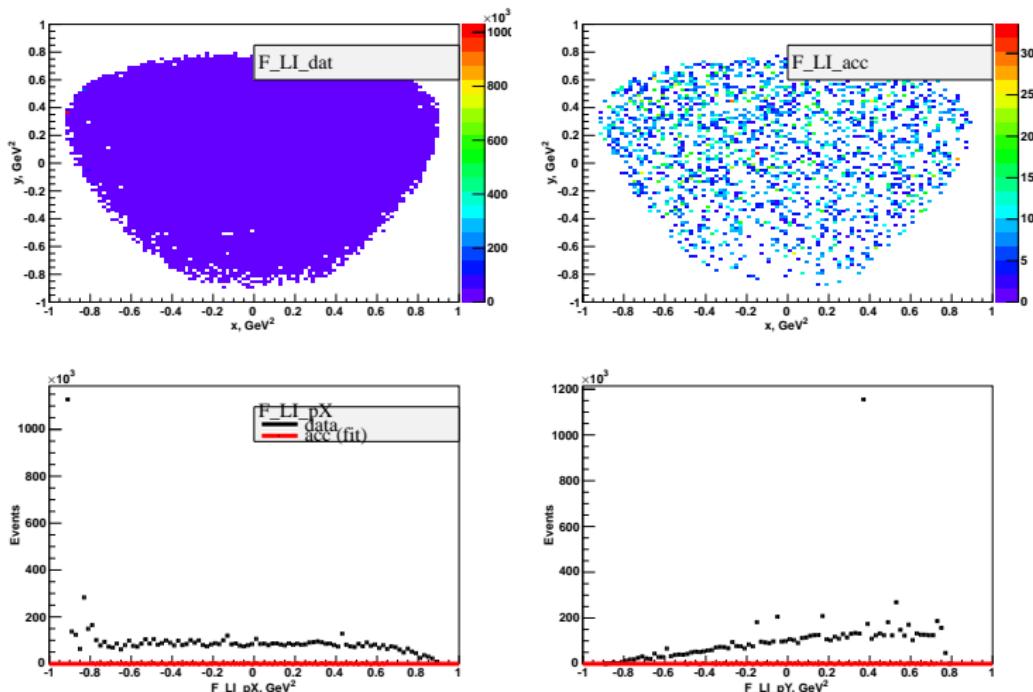
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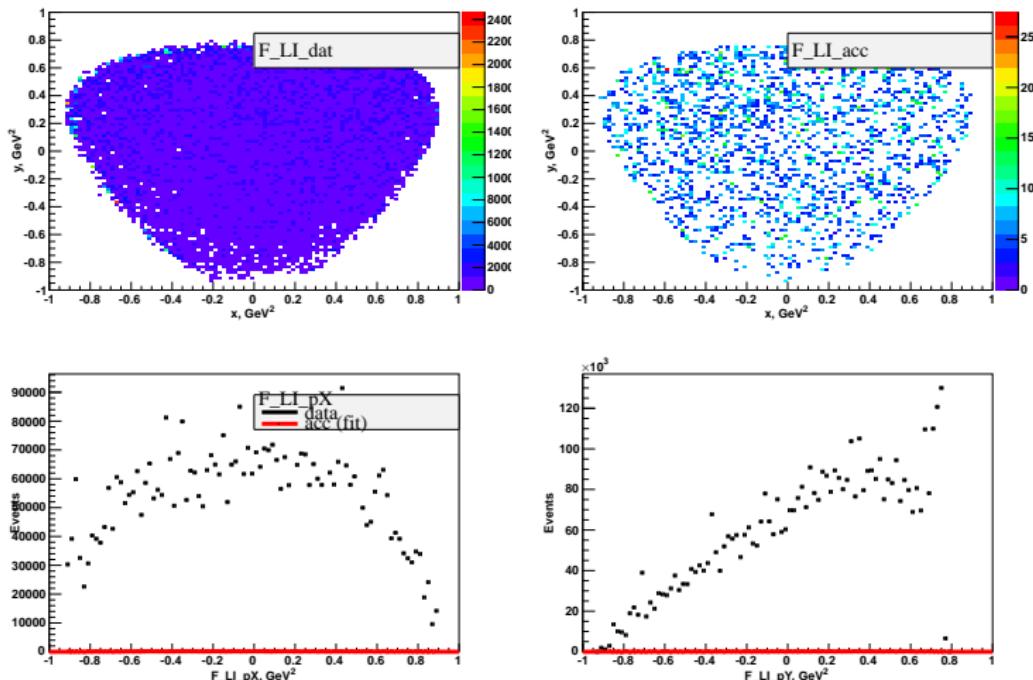
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# Analysis: Kinematics



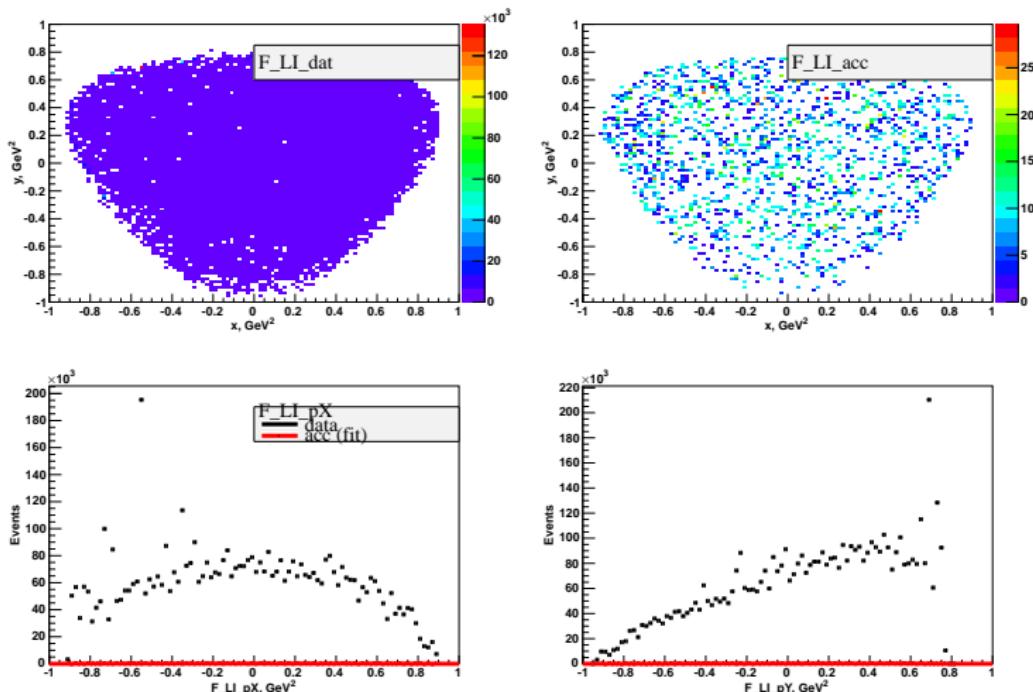
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# Analysis: Kinematics



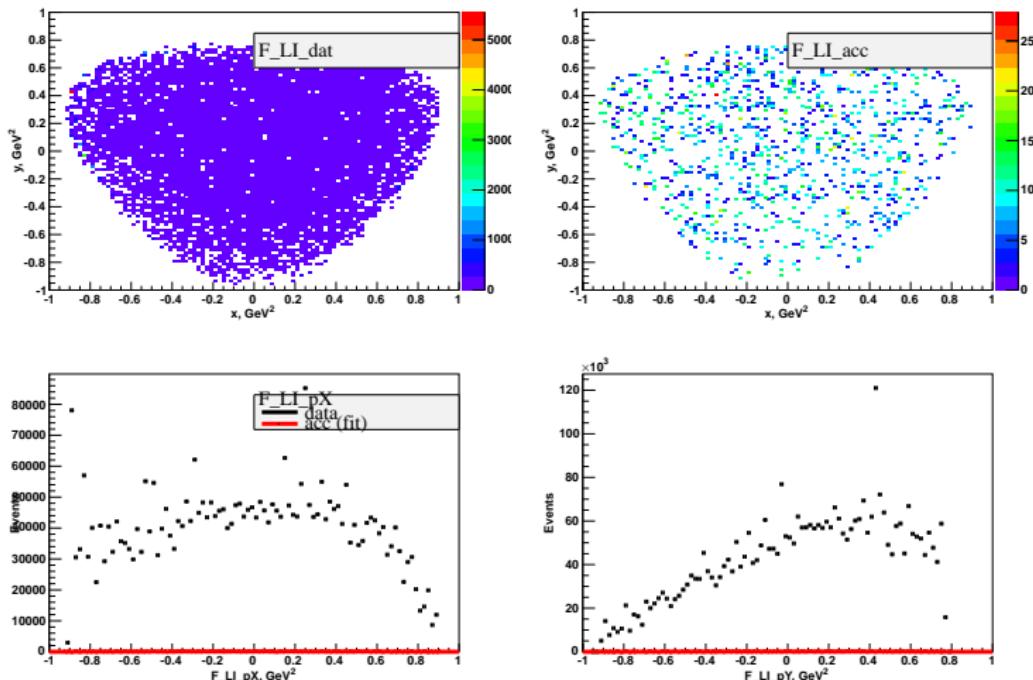
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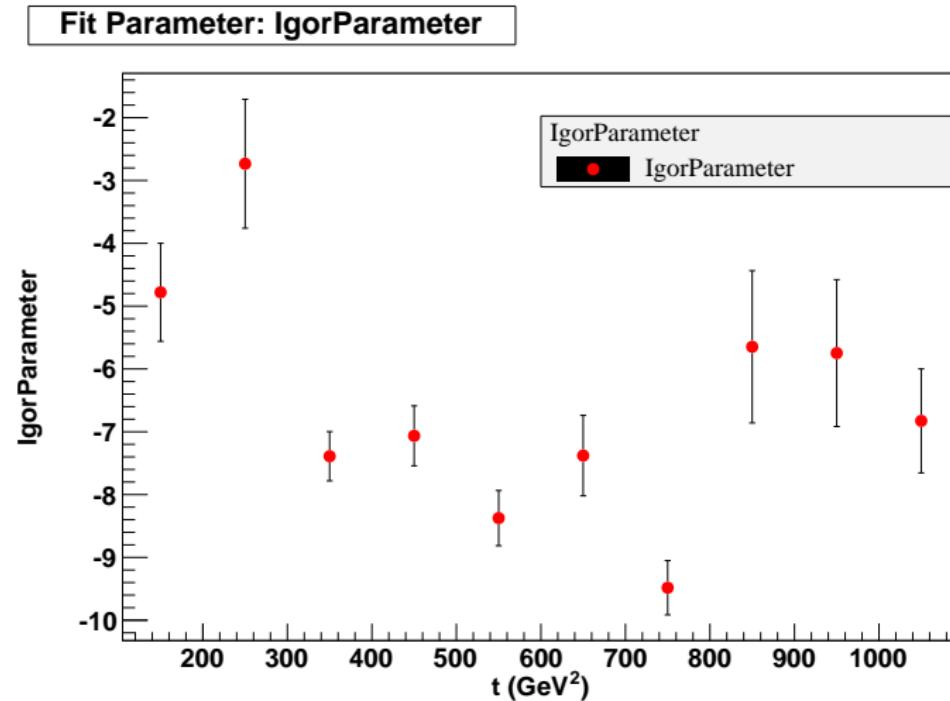
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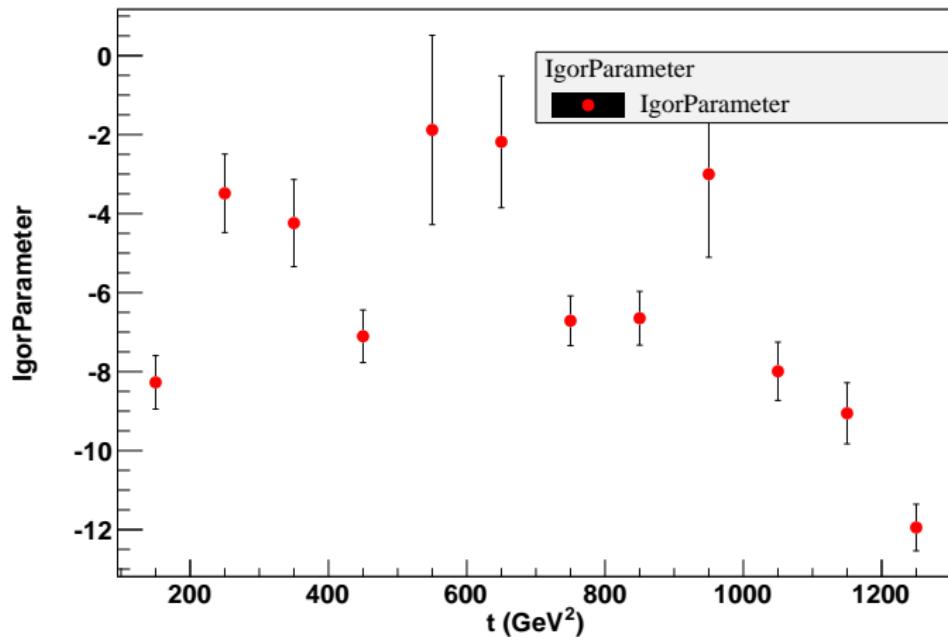
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$E\gamma: [1500-1600]\text{MeV}$  and  $t: [0.400-1.100]\text{GeV}^2$

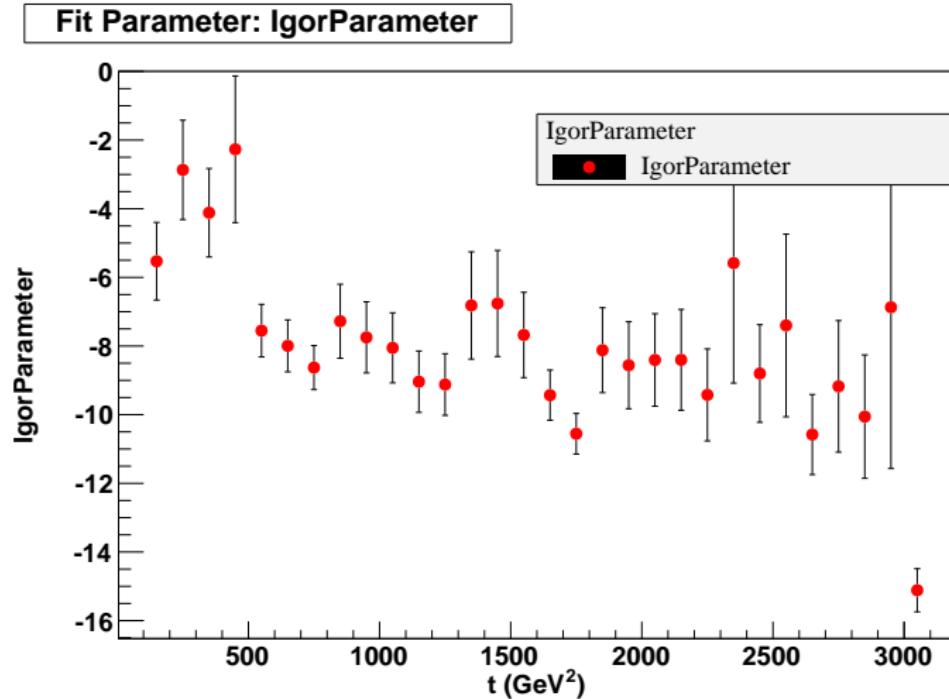
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Fit Parameter: IgorParameter



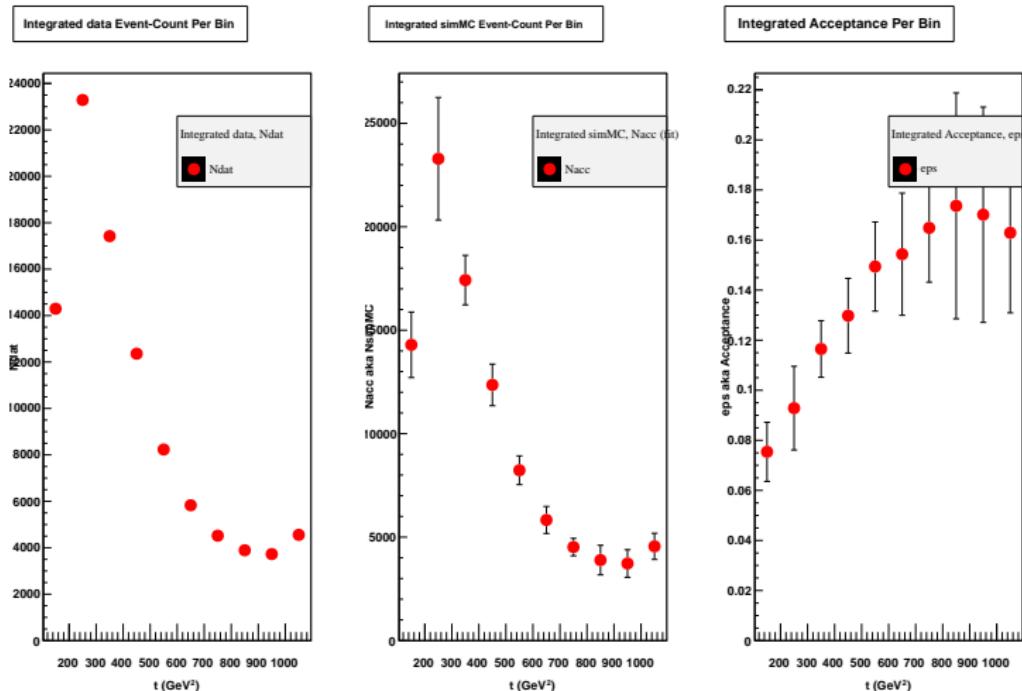
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## Analysis: Decay Amplitude Parameter (IgorParameter)



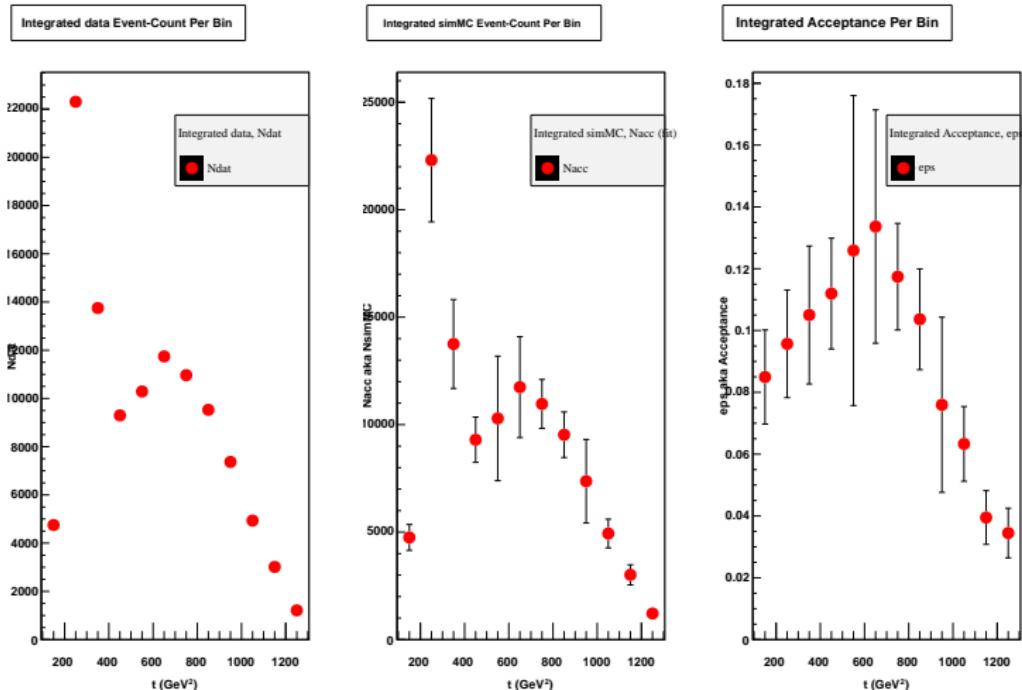
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# Analysis: Decay Amplitude Acceptance (IgorParameter)



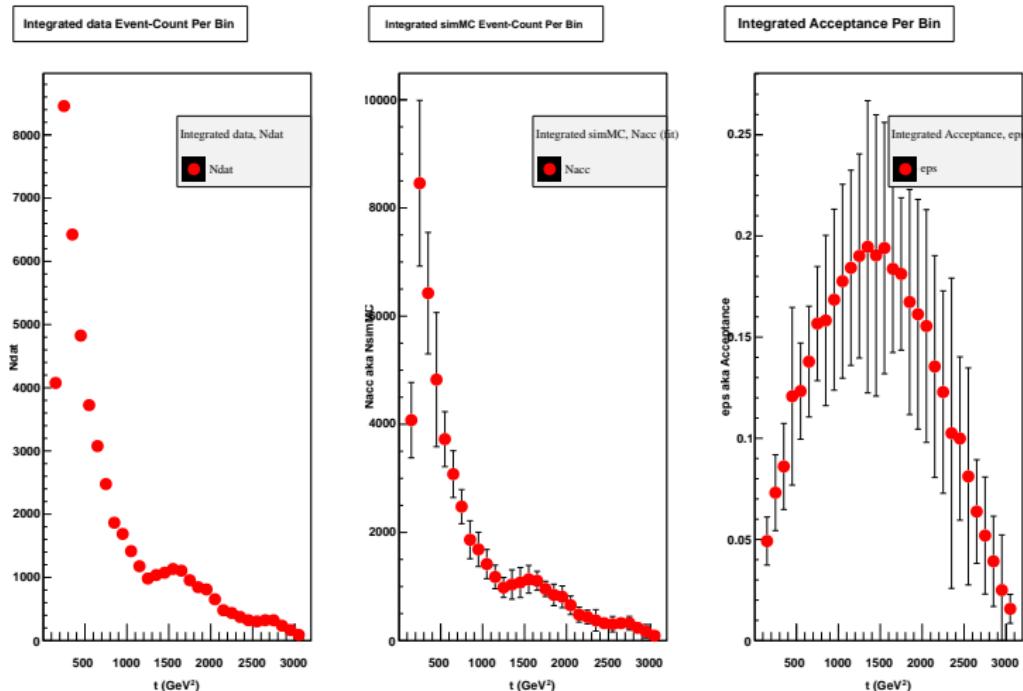
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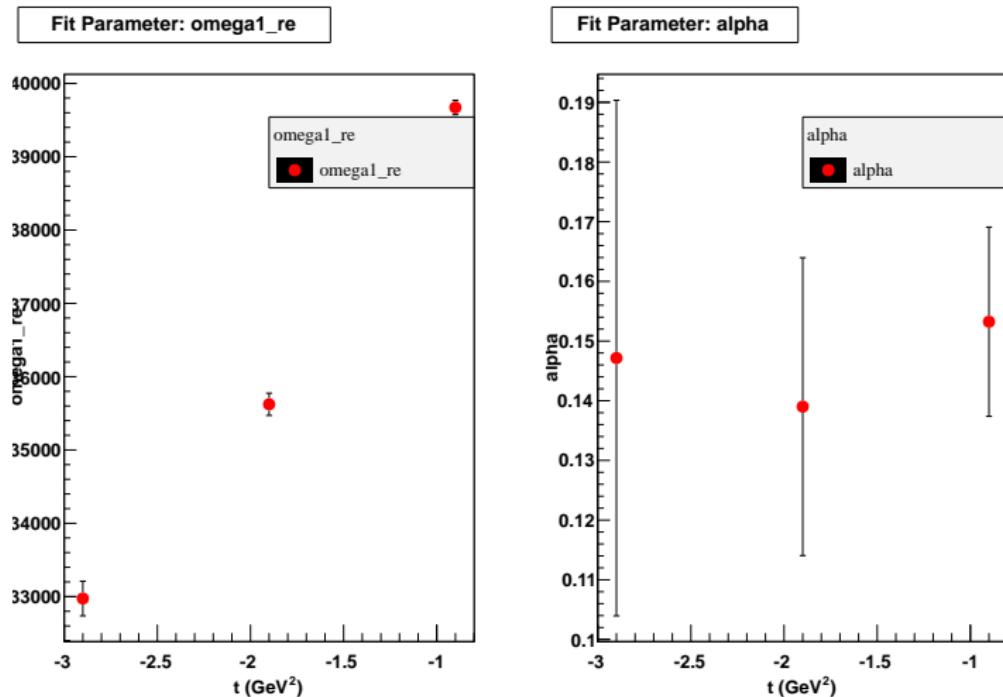


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## Next Steps

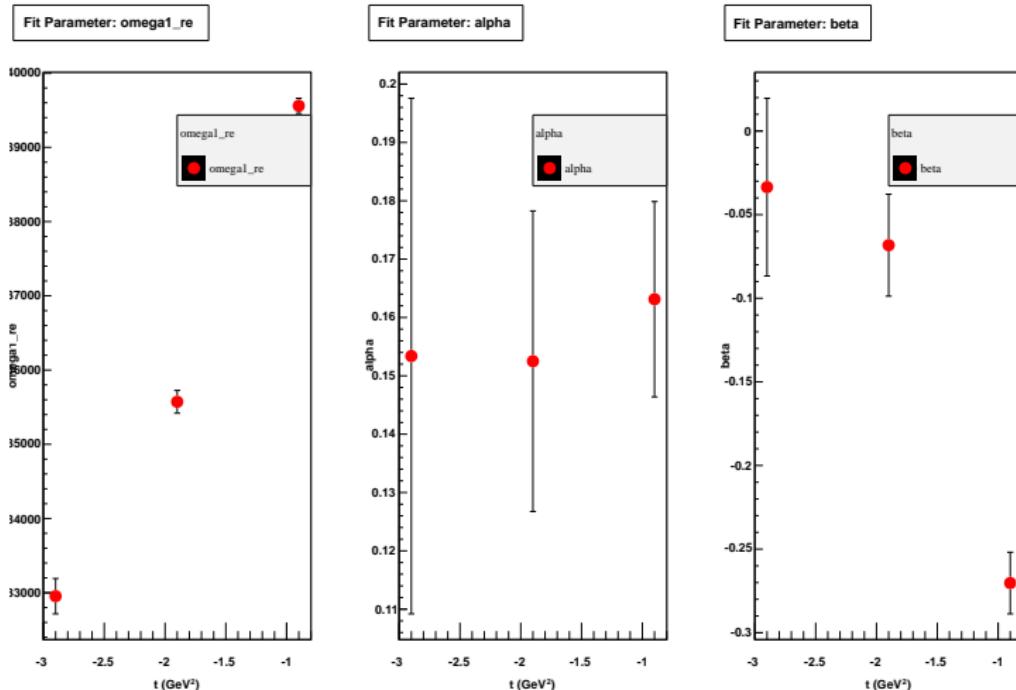
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# Analysis: Dalitz Plot Parameter ( $\alpha$ )



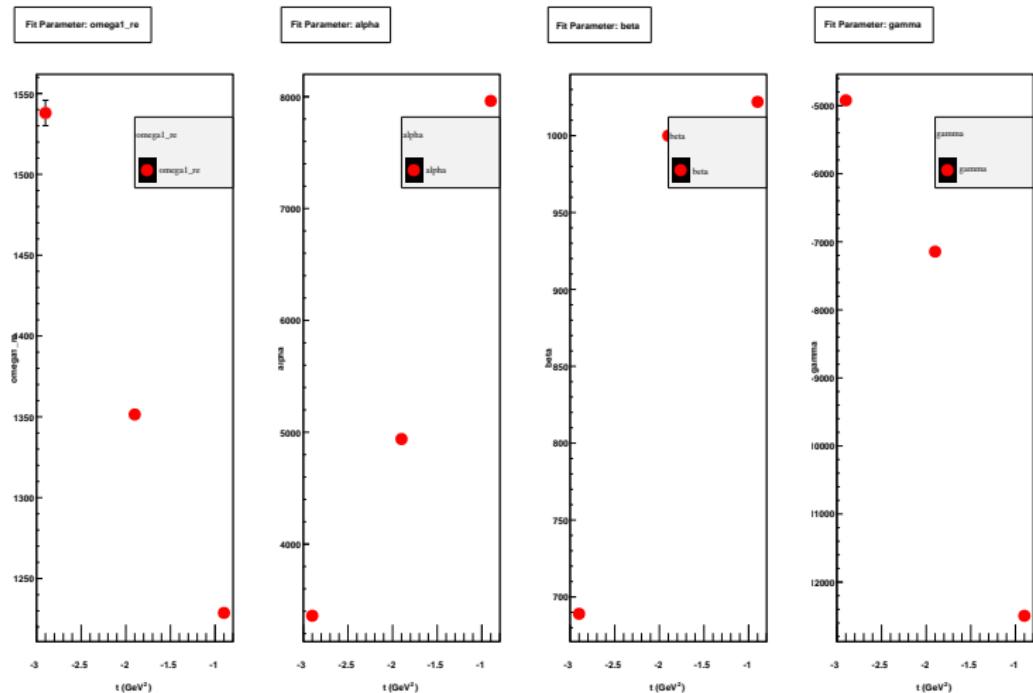
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# Analysis: Dalitz Plot Parameters ( $\alpha, \beta$ )



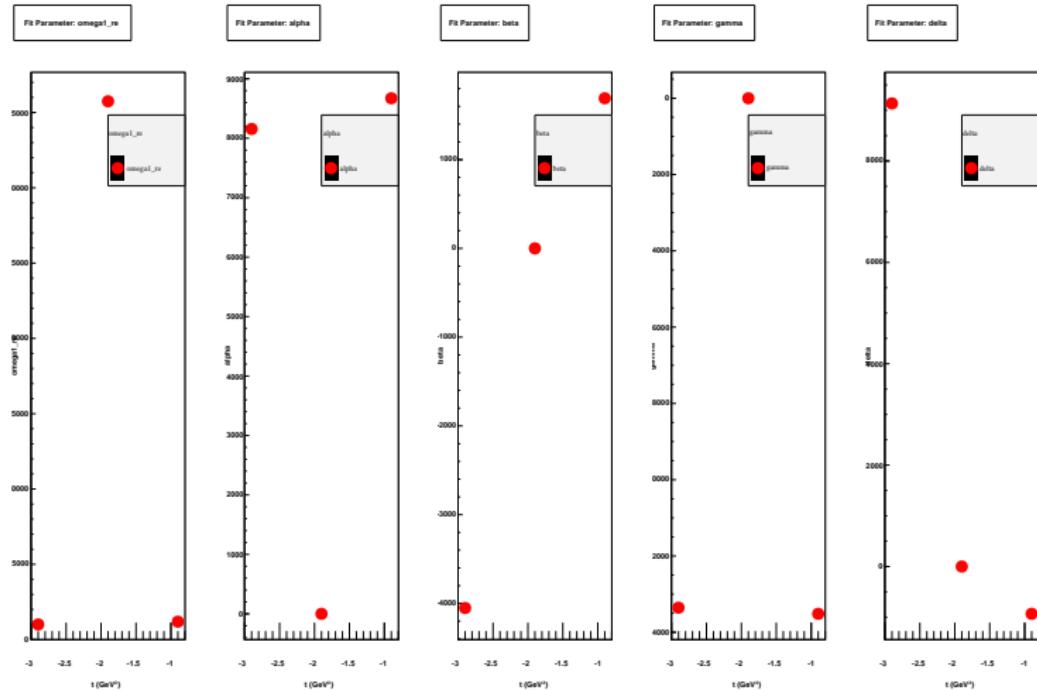
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# Analysis: Dalitz Plot Parameters ( $\alpha, \beta, \gamma$ )



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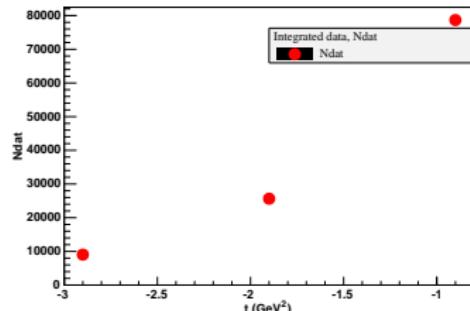
# Analysis: Dalitz Plot Parameters ( $\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta$ )



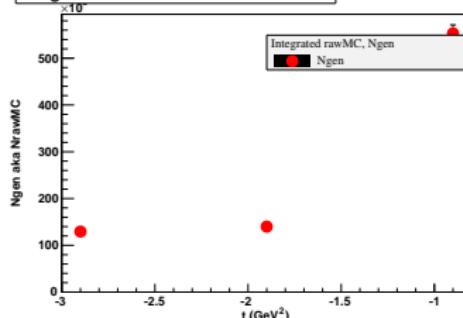
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# Analysis: Integrated Populations and Acceptance

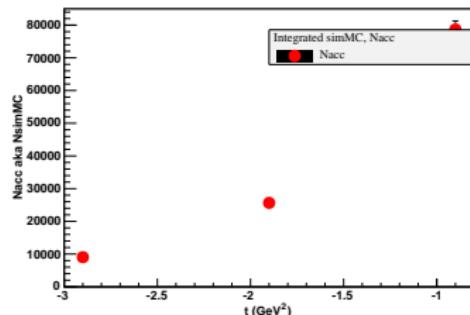
Integrated data Event-Count Per Bin



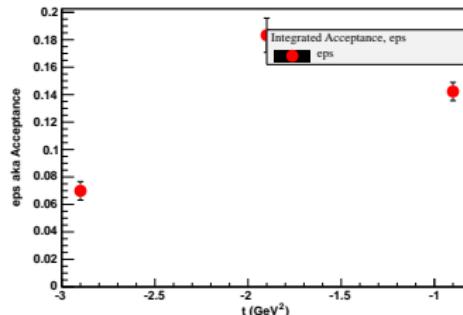
Integrated rawMC Event-Count Per Bin



Integrated simMC Event-Count Per Bin



Integrated Acceptance Per Bin



$E\gamma: [2500-3000]\text{MeV}$  and  $t: [0.400-3.400]\text{GeV}^2$

# The Decay Amplitude

$$F(s) = \Omega(s) \left( \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{s_\pi}^{s_i} ds' \frac{\rho(s') t^*(s')}{\Omega^*(s')} \frac{\hat{F}(s')}{s' - s} + \Sigma(s) \right). \quad (31)$$

KT Amplitude

$$\Sigma(s) = \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} a_i \omega^i(s) \quad (29)$$

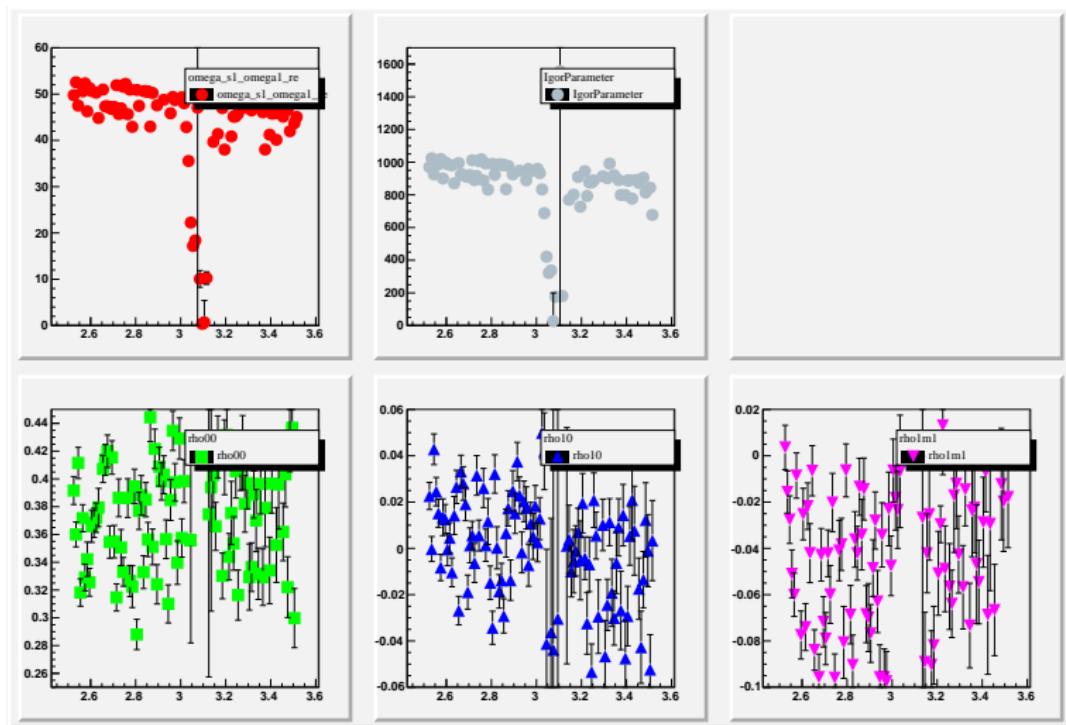
$$\omega(s) = \frac{\sqrt{s_i - s_E} - \sqrt{s_i - s}}{\sqrt{s_i - s_E} + \sqrt{s_i - s}} \quad (30)$$

inelastic contribution

dispersion relation

$a_0 = \text{"IgorParameter"}$

# Previous Parameter Values and Errors, $E\gamma:[2500-3500]\text{MeV}$



Note: Broken paddle,  $E\gamma:[3000-3100]\text{MeV}$

## Previous Comments by Mike P., Adam S., Igor D. and Carlos S.

- Fitted values are unstable. Have 8M data and 1.5M MC accepted, Need at least the same amount of acc-MC and data.
- Could you bin in t? Your rho parameters are t dependent and that trend will reflect in your fits and in the Igor's parameter that you will finally want to extract.
- Adam suggested that you may have too many parameters in the fit, as rho00 is also part of the overall normalization.

## Comments by Mike P., Adam S., Igor D. and Carlos S.

- 4) It will be good to start with a fit using  $F = 1$  (w/o Igor correction), and extract the rho parameters in that way to compare with  $g_{11}$  results, and then include the new Igor parameter.
- 5) Igor's parameter should be independent of production, i.e. on Ebeam and  $t$ .