



**Higgs recoil mass study**

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## Last week

- improvement of xsec precision and BG rejection due to mainly....
- new techniques in removing 2f\_Z\_leptonic BG while preventing signal loss
- implemented isolation cut for muon and gamma

## This week

- **Further improvement of xsec precision and BG rejection** due to *most importantly*
- an isolated lepton finder processor introduced by Junping-san
- rejects almost ALL 4f\_WW\_semileptonic BG (used to be dominant residual BG)
- now we have  $\Delta \sigma / \sigma = 4.01 \pm 0.00 \%$  with a much higher signal eff
- 89% (!) before Mrecoil cut (120–140 GeV) / 56% after Mrecoil and likelihood cut
- Last week's best:  $\Delta \sigma / \sigma = 4.04 \pm 0.00 \%$
- 83.5 % before Mrecoil cut (120–140 GeV) / 46% after Mrecoil and likelihood cut

- isolated lepton finder processor introduced by Junping-san

- Uses “MLP” : neural-net algorithm based on root package TMVA
- Apply cut on calculate the MVA output ( $\leftrightarrow$  likeness) to distinguish signal isolated lepton from other particles
- recovery of photon from FSR / beamstrahlung

My current procedure for generating rootfiles with muon candidates

1. run isolated lepton finder processor
2. Run my original processor  $\rightarrow$  put relevant variables into “muon” tree
3. do final selection inside an analysis file

## Final Selection **NEW**

- ~~$E_{\text{cone\_mu}} < 110 \text{ GeV}$~~
- $73 \text{ GeV} < M_{\text{inv}} < 120 \text{ GeV}$
- $10 \text{ GeV} < p_{\text{T\_mumu}} < 140 \text{ GeV}$
- $E_{\text{cone\_}\gamma} > 40 \text{ GeV}$  (\*)
- $d_{\text{ptbal}} = p_{\text{T\_mumu}} - p_{\text{T}\gamma_{\text{max}}} > 20 \text{ GeV}$
- $|\cos(\theta_{\text{Zpro}})| < 0.9$
- $120 \text{ GeV} < M_{\text{recoil}} < 140 \text{ GeV}$

definition

- $M_{\text{inv}}$  : invariant mass of 2 muons
- $p_{\text{T\_mumu}}$  : pT of reconstructed muons
- $p_{\text{T}\gamma_{\text{max}}}$  : pT of most energetic photon
- $\theta_{\text{Zpro}}$  = Z production angle
- $E_{\text{cone\_mu}}$ : cone energy ( $\cos\theta > 0.9$ ) around muon
- $E_{\text{cone\_}\gamma}$ : cone energy ( $\cos\theta > 0.9$ ) around most energetic  $\gamma$
- $P_{\text{T\_sum}} = |P_{\text{T\_dl}} - P_{\text{T\_}\gamma}|$  (in vectors)

No more  $E_{\text{cone}}$  cut needed

Keep same wide  $M_{\text{inv}}$  cut

Simplified  $d_{\text{ptbal}}$  cuts

(\*) used in coincidence with extra requirements to prevent signal loss

Now most dominant BG after all selection are

4f\_ZZ\_semileptonic : 990

4f\_ZZWWMix\_leptonic: 324

4f\_Z\_leptonic : 211

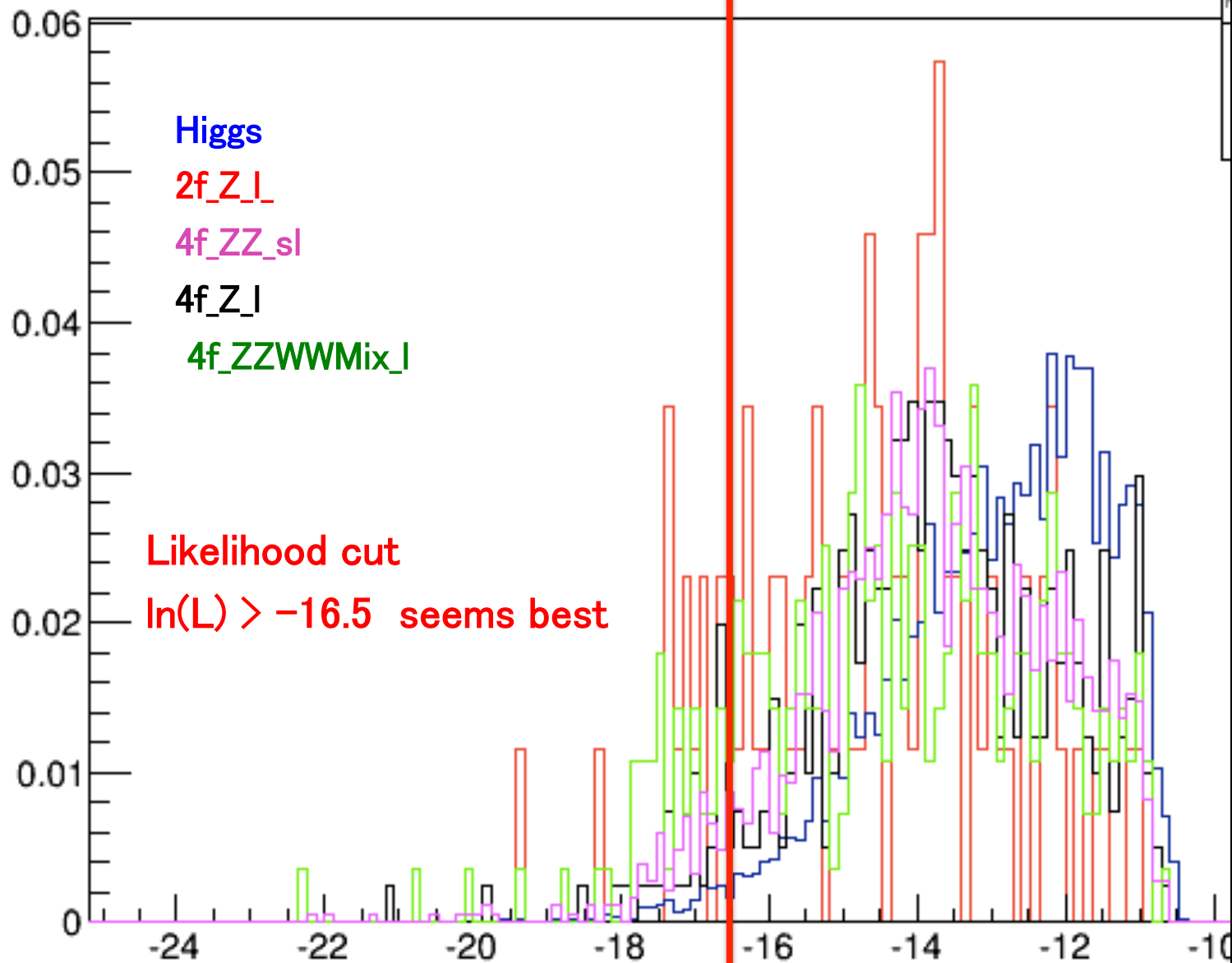
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**Higgs: 1174**

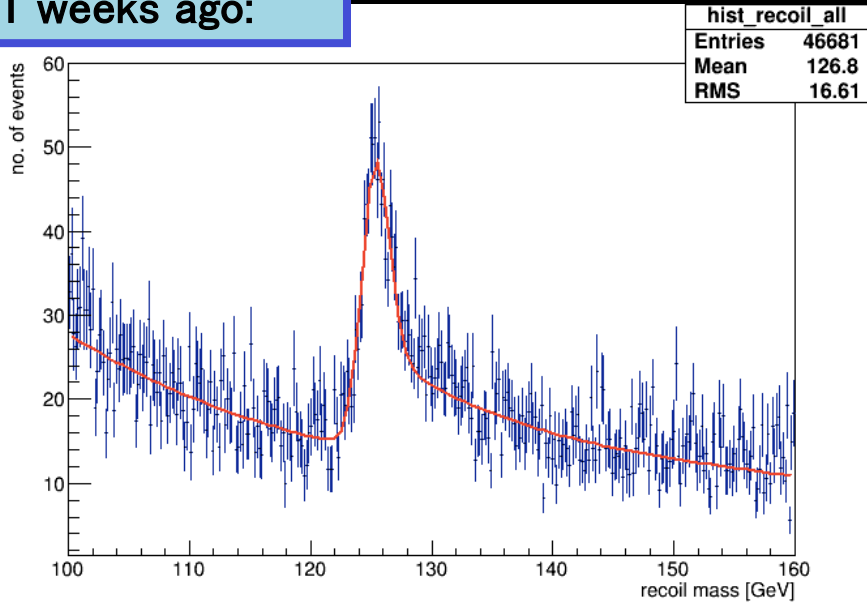
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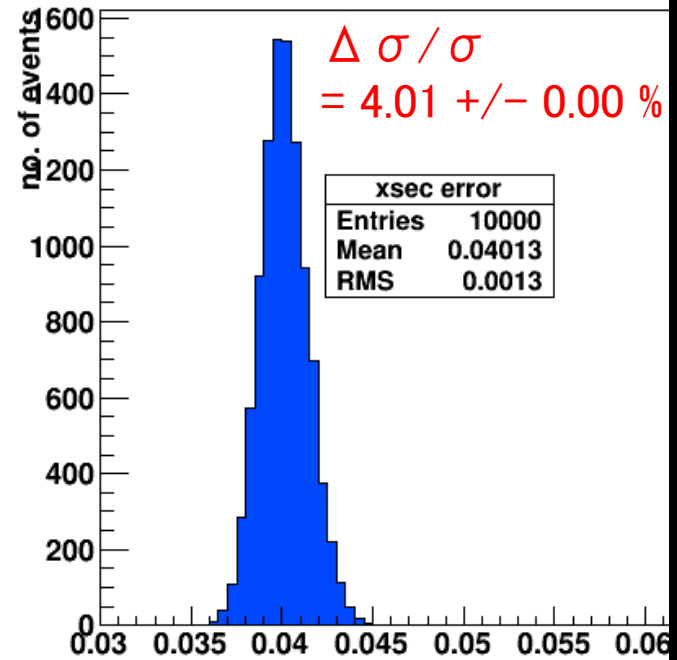
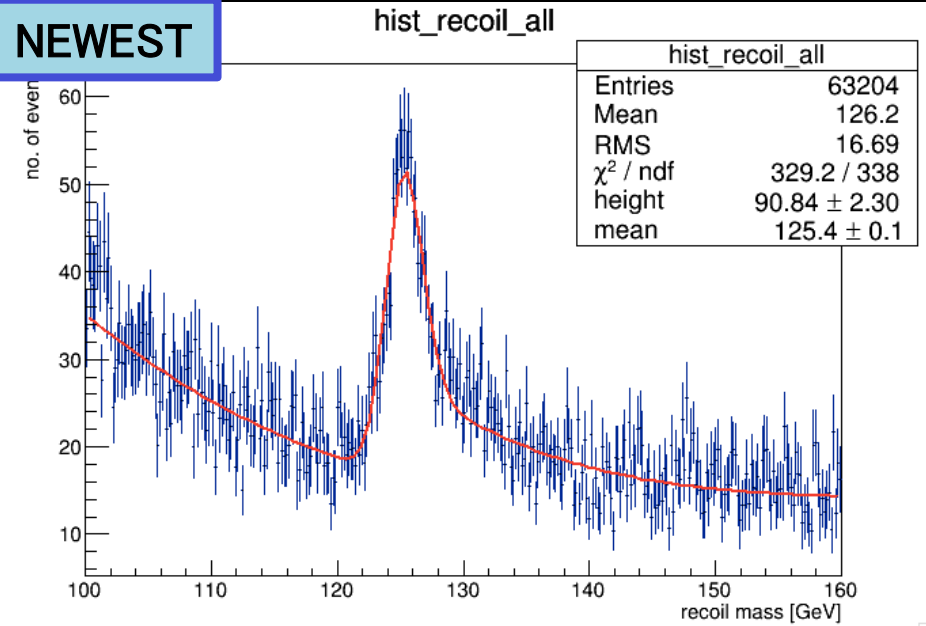
Likelihood function:  $L = P(M_{inv}) * P(Pt) * P(CosZ) * P(Pt_{bal})$



1 weeks ago:



NEWEST



## Conclusion

Thanks to new lepton finder ,

I can obtain similar BG rejection and a slightly improved xsec precision while maintaining higher signal efficiency

now  $\Delta \sigma / \sigma = 4.01 \pm 0.00 \%$       sig\_eff = 89% before Mrecoil cut

## Next steps :

**How can I make xsec error go below 4% ????**

apply similar method to

**other polarization scenarios and ECM= 250 GeV**

and **compare**

In time for **ALCW15** (physics session)

- **I will also start Zee analysis**



**BACKUP**

## Final Selection

- $84 \text{ GeV} < M_{\text{inv}} < 98 \text{ GeV}$
- $10 \text{ GeV} < pT_{\text{mumu}} < 140 \text{ GeV}$
- $dptbal = |pT_{\text{mumu}} - pT_{\gamma_{\text{max}}}| > 10 \text{ GeV}$
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## Final Selection NEW

- $E_{\text{cone\_mu}} < 110 \text{ GeV}$
- $73 \text{ GeV} < M_{\text{inv}} < 120 \text{ GeV}$  widened
- $10 \text{ GeV} < pT_{\text{mumu}} < 140 \text{ GeV}$
- $E_{\text{cone\_}\gamma} > 10 \text{ GeV}$  (\*)
- $Pt_{\text{sum}} > 40 \text{ GeV}$
- $dptbal = pT_{\text{mumu}} - pT_{\gamma_{\text{max}}} > 60 \text{ GeV}$  (\*)
- $|\cos(\theta_{\text{Zpro}})| < 0.91$
- $120 \text{ GeV} < M_{\text{recoil}} < 140 \text{ GeV}$

Added isolation

Combine two types of  
pt\_balance cuts

(\*) used in coincidence with  
extra requirements to prevent  
signal loss

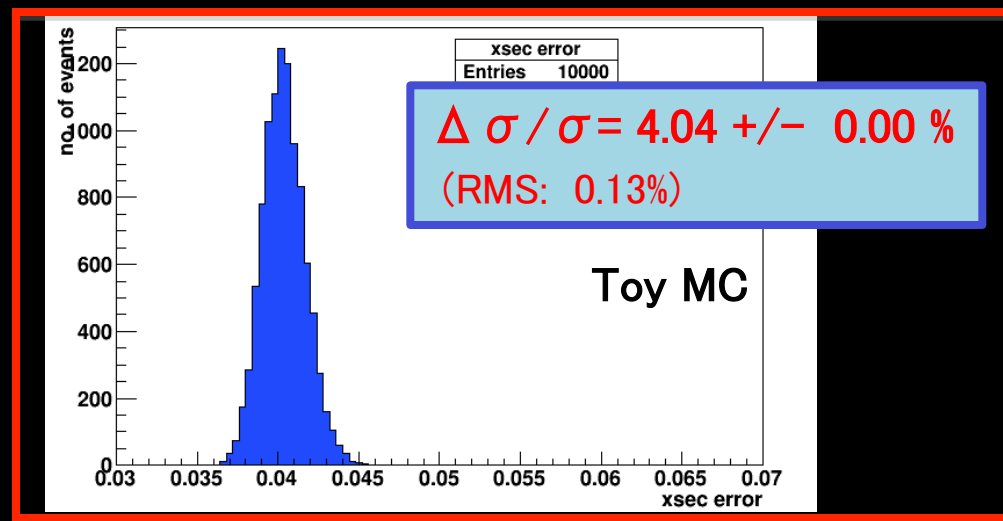
## The improvement reported at last week's meeting

cuts	(both eLpR and eRpL)		S/B ratio	sig eff	$\Delta \sigma / \sigma_{MC}$	(only eLpR)			
	Nsig	Nbg				2f_Z_l	4f_WW_sl	4f_ZZ_sl	
2 weeks ago	1056	2189	0.48	46.1 (74%)	4.39+/-0.00% (RMS: 0.16%)	225 (0.011%)	241 (0.009%)	950 (0.52%)	
1 week ago (best result)	1062	2010	0.53	46.4 (74%)	4.27+/-0.00% (RMS: 0.15%)	95 (0.004%)	306 (0.010%)	967 (0.53%)	
current (best result)	ln(L)>-20	1056	1740	0.61	46.2 (84%)	4.05+/-0.00% (RMS: 0.13%)	34 (0.002%)	116 (0.004%)	840 (0.46%)
	ln(L)>-19.8	1041	1643	0.63	45.5 (84%)	4.04+/-0.00% (RMS: 0.13%)	31 (0.001%)	111 (0.004%)	802 (0.44%)

- Significant reduction in each major BG (25% reduction !!)
- improvement in xsec precision
- Signal efficiency before  $M_{recoil}$  cut is about 10% higher

### What contributed ??

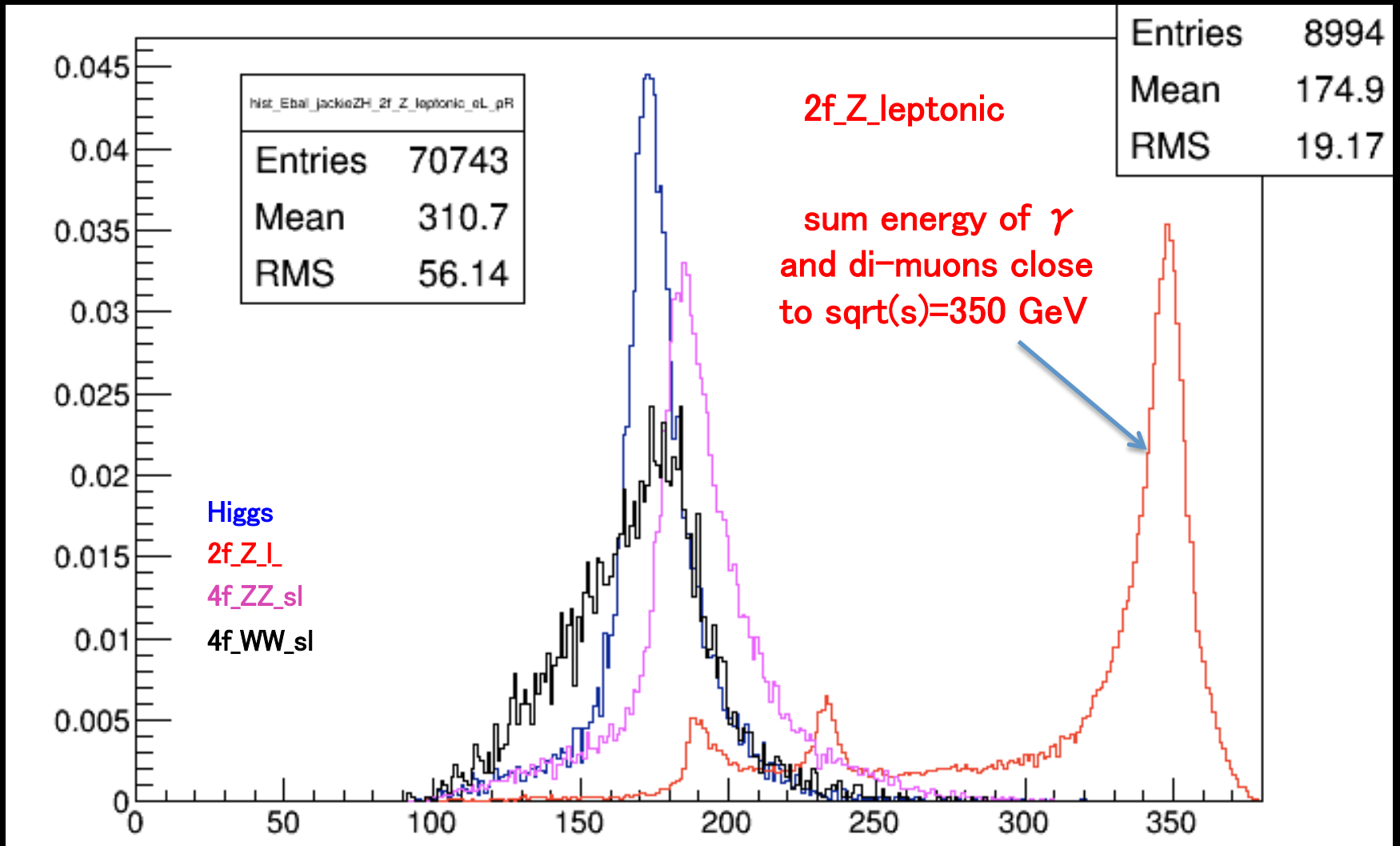
- More sophisticated methods to remove 2f\_Z BG without losing much signal
- isolation cuts for muon and gamma
- usage of likelihood cut



I applied a condition to prevent signal bias

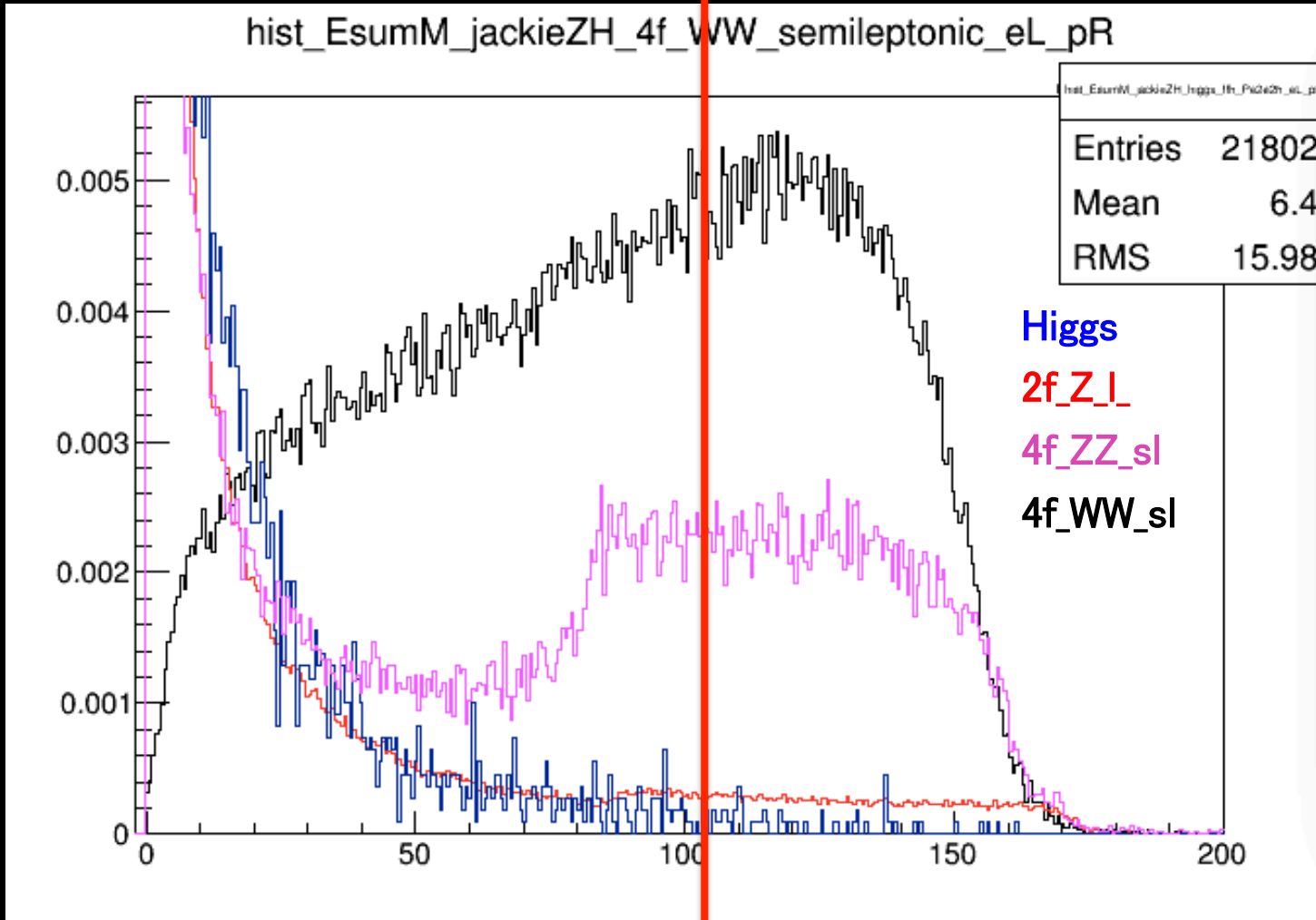
I required energy sum of  $\gamma$  and di-muon to be  $> 0.8 * \sqrt{s}$

signature of  $2f_Z$  leptonic BG



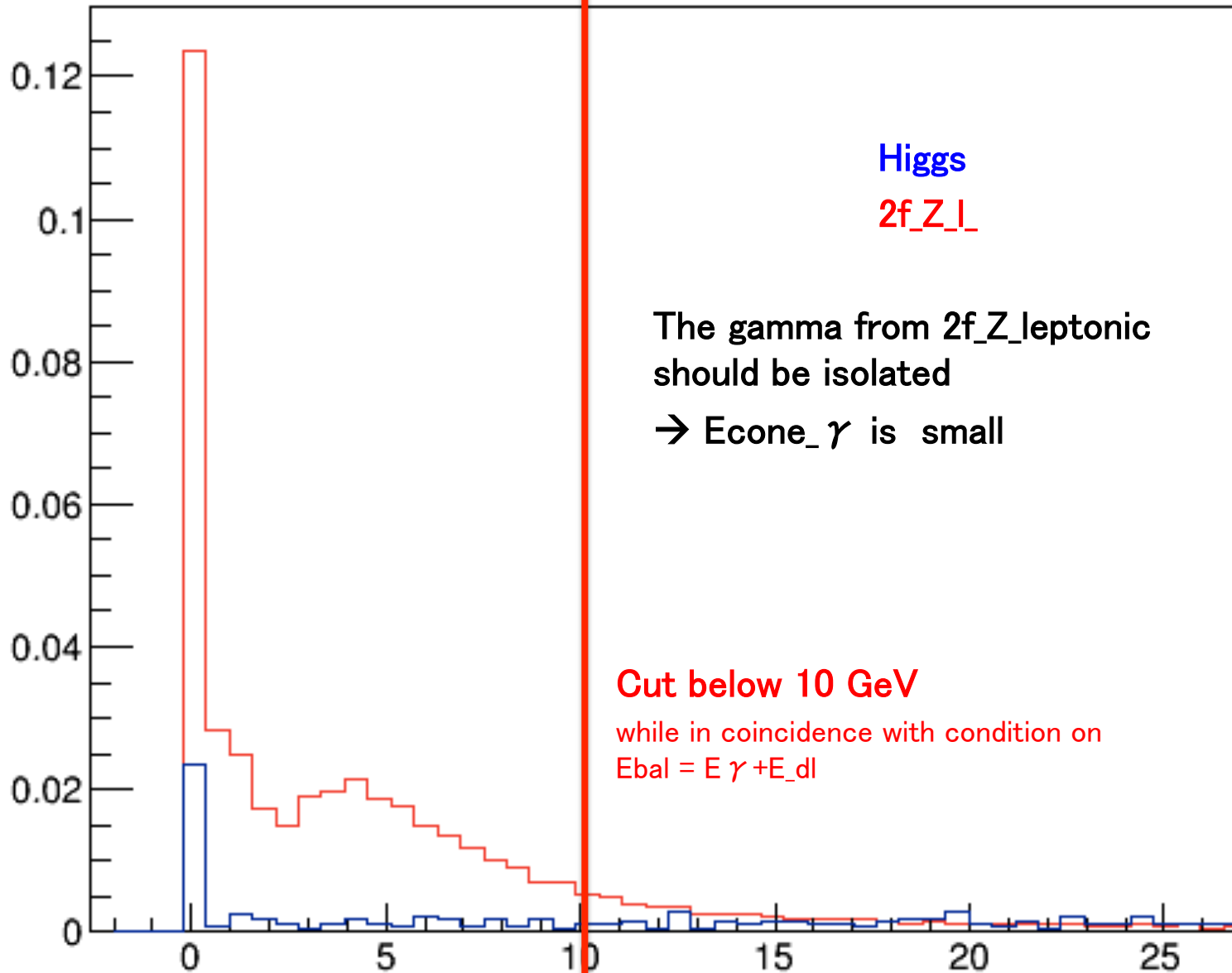
Cone energy around muon ( $\sim 26$  deg)

Effective for removing 4f\_WW\_sl BG



cut above 110 GeV

Cone energy around most energetic gamma  
( $\sim 26$  deg)



Higgs

2f\_Z\_l

The gamma from 2f\_Z\_leptonic  
should be isolated

→  $E_{\text{cone}_\gamma}$  is small

**Cut below 10 GeV**

while in coincidence with condition on  
 $E_{\text{bal}} = E_\gamma + E_{\text{dl}}$

# recoil mass fitting method

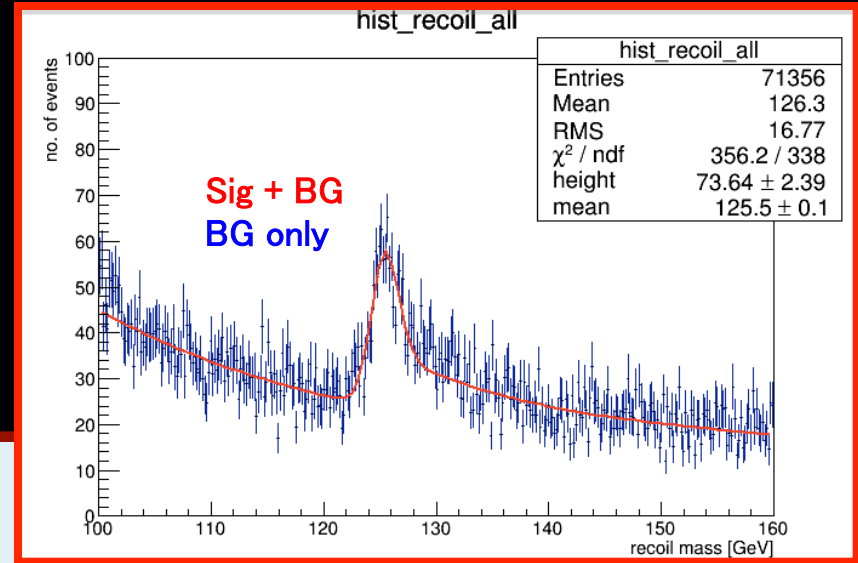
Fit range: 100–160 GeV

## 1<sup>st</sup> step:

- Fit only signal with GPET float all 5 pars
- Fit only BG: 3<sup>rd</sup> order polynomial

## 2<sup>nd</sup> step:

fit Sig + BG : only float height and mean  
fix others from step 1



◆ **SIGNAL: GPET: 5 parameters :**

$$\frac{N}{\sqrt{\pi}\sigma} \exp\left\{-\frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{x-x_{mean}}{\sigma}\right)^2\right\} \quad \left(\frac{x-x_{mean}}{\sigma} \leq k\right) \quad \text{Gaus (left-side) ,}$$

$$\frac{N}{\sqrt{\pi}\sigma} \left[ b \cdot \exp\left\{-\frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{x-x_{mean}}{\sigma}\right)^2\right\} + (1-b) \exp\left\{-k\left(\frac{x-x_{mean}}{\sigma}\right)\right\} \exp(k^2/2) \right] \quad \left(\frac{x-x_{mean}}{\sigma} \geq k\right) \quad \text{Gaus + expo (right side)}$$

## Toy MC study

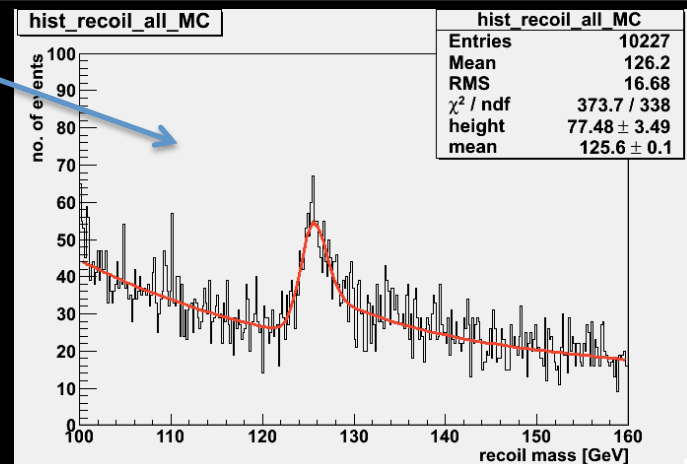
Toy MC 10000 seeds

goal: test quality of fitting method  
in terms of  $M_h$ ,  $x_{sec}$  etc.....

### method:

generate MC events according to fitted “real” data  
(Poisson)

fit MC hist with same GPET function → get  $N_{sig}$ ,  $x_{sec}$



## 断面積測定の精度の評価 : 異なるECMとビーム偏極の比較 NEW

ECM	Pol	$\epsilon$	$\Delta \sigma / \sigma$	xsec [fb]	Nsig	significance
350 GeV	(-0.8,+0.3)	47.7+/-0.5%	4.9+/-0.2%	6.71+/-0.34	1092+/-55	17.7
	(+0.8,-0.3)	47.8+/-0.5%	5.0+/-0.2%	4.53+/-0.26	720+/-41	17.8
250 GeV	(-0.8,+0.3)	66.4+/-0.5%	3.6+/-0.1%	10.52+/-0.38	1747+/-64	21.7
	(+0.8,-0.3)	64.4+/-0.5%	3.3+/-0.1%	8.68+/-0.30	1398+/-48	22.7

注) この表の fitting範囲は115-150 GeV (AWLC14 @ Fermilabより)  
 現在350 GeV のみ範囲を広げて、 $\Delta \sigma / \sigma$ が 4.7 +/- 0.2 % へ改善した

比較#1: ECM = 350 GeV  $\leftrightarrow$  ECM = 250 GeV :

ECM= 250 GeVの方が  $\Delta \sigma / \sigma$  と Mh 精度 が良い  $\mu$  の運動量測定の分解能は低いPTほど良い

比較#2: Pol: (-0.8,+0.3)  $\leftrightarrow$  (+0.8, -0.3):

- 異なる偏極の間で  $\Delta \sigma / \sigma$  に大きな差がなさそう
- (+0.8, -0.3): 統計が少ないが、S/B がずっと高い: WW BGが顕著に抑制

注意) 先行studyとの色んな違い:

- assumed L (350, 250 GeV) = (333, 250 fb-1) vs RDR: (300 fb-1, 188 fb-1)
- このstudy : ALL 2f, 4f, 6f BGs (whizard generator) vs only WW, ZZ (pythia generator ?)

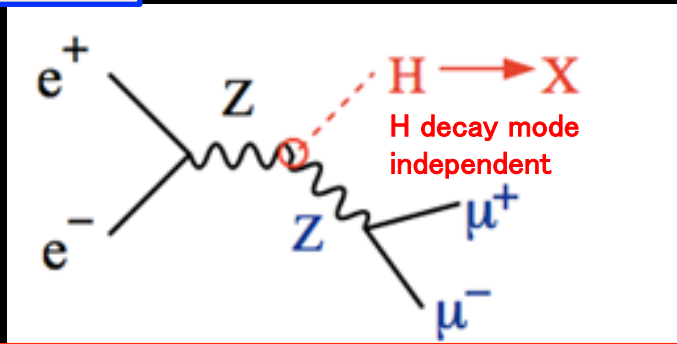


## ILC sample used in analysis

channel	mh	ECM	L	Spin polarization	Detector simulation
$e^+e^- \rightarrow Zh \rightarrow \mu\mu h$	125 GeV	350 GeV	333 fb <sup>-1</sup>	$P(e^-, e^+) = (-0.8, +0.3)$ $(+0.8, -0.3)$	Full ILD (ILD_01_v05 DBD ver.)

signal

Pe2e2h\_eL,pR / Pe2e2h\_eR,pL



$$M_X^2 = (p_{CM} - (p_{\mu^+} + p_{\mu^-}))^2$$

Higgs recoil against di-lepton ( $\mu\mu$ ) system

BG :

all 2f, 4f, 6f processes

major BG after event selection:

2f\_Zl ( $\mu\mu$ ), 4f\_WWsl, 4f\_ZZsl ( $\mu\mu ff$ ,  $\mu\mu\nu\nu$ )

