

Status Update on the Analysis of $\eta \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- (X)$, $X = \pi^0/\gamma$ with CLAS

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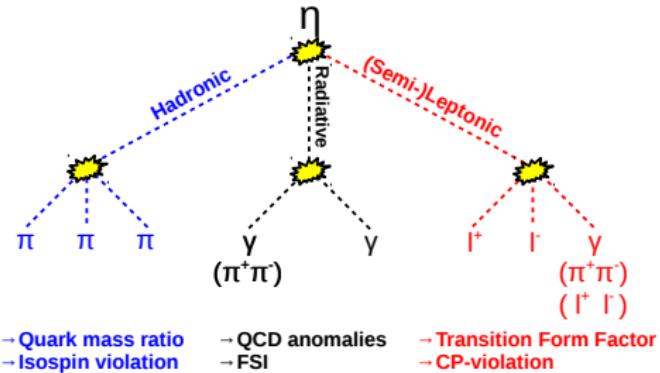
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One Meson, many Opportunities

Properties of the η -meson

| | | |
|--------------------------------|--|---------------------|
| m_η [GeV/c ²] | | 0.5478 |
| Γ_η [keV] | | (1.31 ± 0.05) |
| $\bar{\tau}$ [s] | | $5 \cdot 10^{-19}$ |
| J^{PC} | | 0^{-+} |

- The η -meson is a C -, P -, G - and CP -eigenstate
- All strong and electromagnetic decays are forbidden to first order
- Access to rare decay processes



Today:

- 1.) Analysis Status of $\eta \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$
- 2.) Set up Analysis for $\eta^{(\prime)} \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\gamma$ (Sorry, no update here)

Decay Dynamics of $\eta \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$

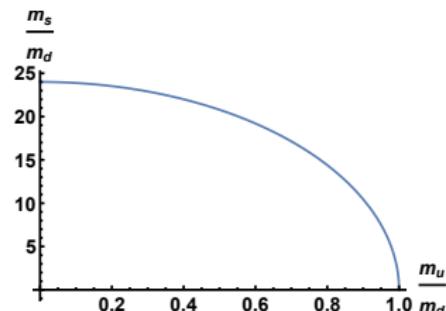
| System | Isospin State $ I, I_z\rangle$ | C-Eigenvalue | G-Eigenvalue |
|-----------------------|--------------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| η | $ 0, 0\rangle$ | +1 | +1 |
| $(\pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0)$ | $ 0, 0\rangle$ | -1 | -1 |
| $(\pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0)$ | $ 1, 0\rangle$ | +1 | -1 |

- Decay $\eta \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$ is G-violating \Rightarrow Forbidden to first order
- Decay is driven by isospin breaking part of strong interaction
 \Rightarrow C is conserved
- Decay width: $\Gamma \propto Q^{-4}$
with: $Q^2 = \left(\frac{m_s}{m_d}\right)^2 \times \left[1 - \left(\frac{m_u}{m_d}\right)^2\right]^{-1}$

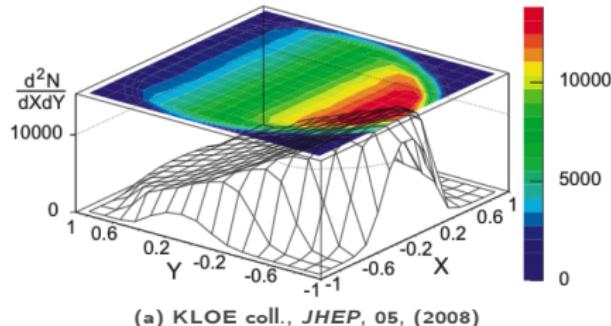
\Rightarrow Determine decay width $\Gamma \Rightarrow$ Access to quark mass ratio



- Measure $\Gamma(\eta \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0)$, e.g. via $\frac{\Gamma(\eta \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0)}{\Gamma(\eta \rightarrow \gamma\gamma)}$
- Dalitz Plot Analysis



Dalitz Plot Analysis of $\eta \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$



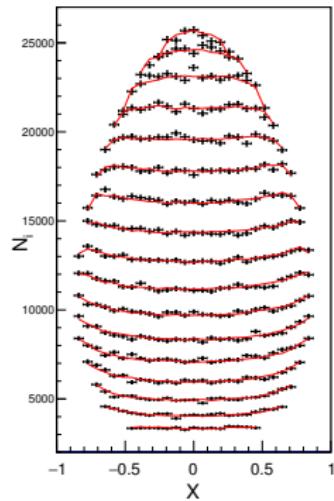
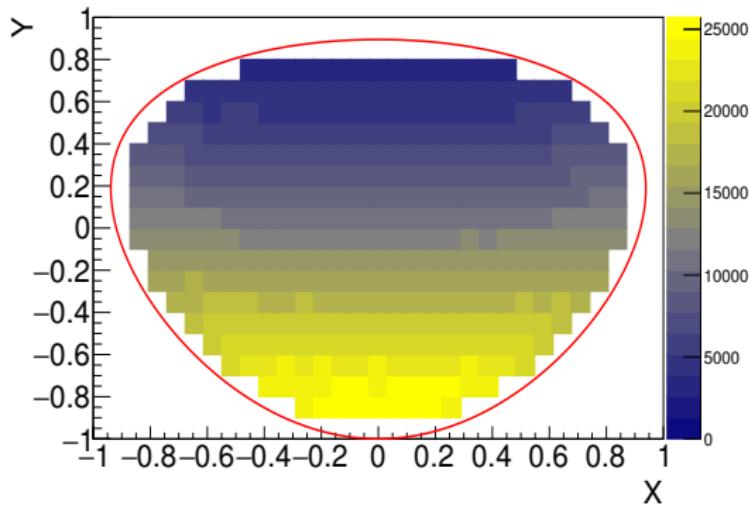
Dimensionless Dalitz Plot Variables:

$$X = \sqrt{3} \frac{T_{\pi^+} - T_{\pi^-}}{T_{\pi^+} + T_{\pi^-} + T_{\pi^0}}$$

$$Y = 3 \frac{T_{\pi^0}}{T_{\pi^+} + T_{\pi^-} + T_{\pi^0}} - 1$$

- Describe three body decay by two variables (here: X and Y)
- Complete information about decay dynamics
- Parameterise decay width Γ :
$$\frac{d^2\Gamma}{dXdY} \propto (1 + aY + bY^2 + cX + dX^2 + eXY + fY^3 + gX^2Y + \dots)$$
- $c \neq 0$ and $e \neq 0$:
 - i) Imply C-violation
 - ii) Cause asymmetries within the Dalitz Plot
- Compare Dalitz Plot parameters a,b,d,f from experiment and theory

Recent Measurements I

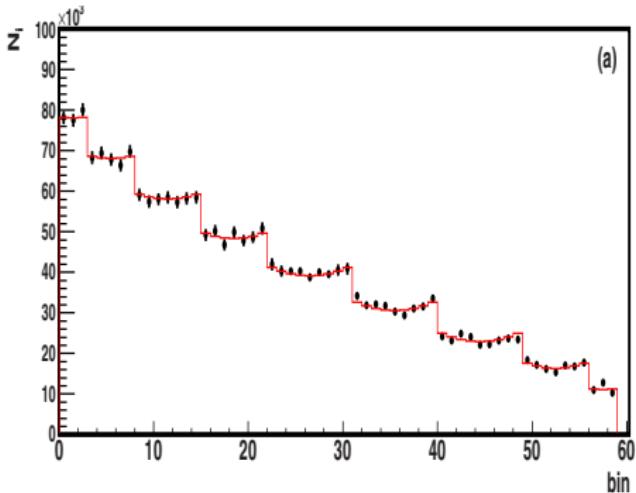
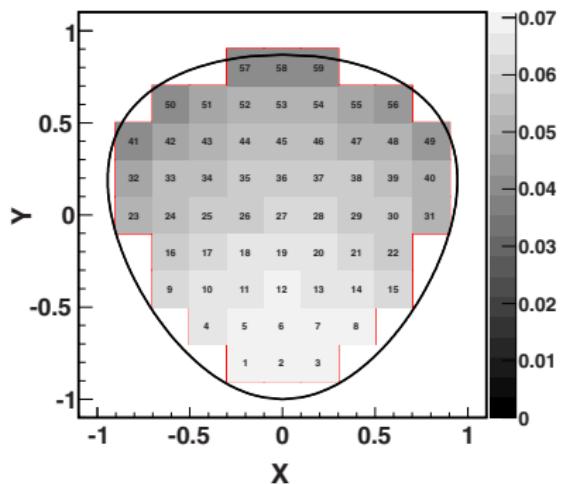


Most recent result from the KLOE-Collaboration:^(f)

- η -Mesons produced via: $e^+e^- \rightarrow \Phi \rightarrow \eta\gamma$
- $\approx 4.7 \cdot 10^6 \eta \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$ events in the final data sample
- Fit function: $\text{Norm} \times (1 + aY + bY + cX + dX^2 + eXY + fY^3)$
- Determined asymmetries of the Dalitz Plot \Rightarrow Consistent with zero
 \Rightarrow No C-violation

(f) KLOE coll., JHEP, 019, (2016)

Recent Measurements II



Result from the WASA-at-COSY Collaboration:^(d)

- η -Mesons produced via: $pd \rightarrow {}^3\text{He}\eta$
- $\approx 120\text{ k}$ $\eta \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$ events in the final data sample
- Translate each pair (X, Y) into a global bin $i(X, Y)$
→ Obtain one dimensional Dalitz Plot
- Fit function: $\text{Norm} \times (1 + aY + bY^2 + cX + dX^2 + eXY + fY^3)$

(d) WASA-at-COSY coll., *Phys. Rev.*, C90(045207), 2014

Recent Measurements and Theoretical Predictions

| Parameter: | | a | b | d | f |
|------------|----------------------------|--|--|--|---|
| Exp. | KLOE (08) ^(a) | 1.090(5)(⁺⁸ ₋₁₉) | 0.124(6)(10) | 0.057(6)(⁺⁷ ₋₁₆) | 0.14(1)(2) |
| | WASA ^(d) | 1.144(18) | 0.219(19)(47) | 0.086(18)(15) | 0.115(37) |
| | KLOE (16) ^(f) | 1.104(3)(2) | 0.142(3)(⁵ ₋₄) | 0.073(3)(⁺⁴ ₋₃) | 0.154(6)(⁺⁴ ₋₅) |
| Theor. | ChPT (NNLO) ^(b) | 1.271(75) | 0.394(102) | 0.055(57) | 0.025(160) |
| | NREFT ^(c) | 1.213(14) | 0.308(23) | 0.050(3) | 0.083(19) |
| | PWA ^(e) | 1.116(32) | 0.188(12) | 0.063(4) | 0.091(3) |
| | PWA ^(g) | 1.077(29) | 0.170(8) | 0.060(2) | 0.091(3) |

(a) KLOE coll., *JHEP*, 05, (2008)

(b) J. Bijnens and K. Ghorbani., *JHEP*, 11, (2007)

(c) S- P. Schneider et al., *JHEP*, 028, (2011)

(d) WASA-at-COSY coll., *Phys. Rev.*, C90(045207), 2014

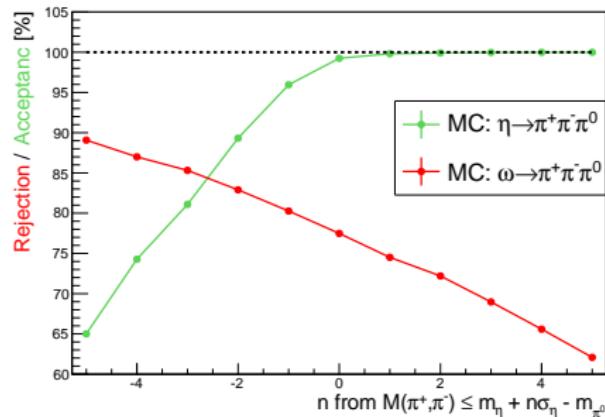
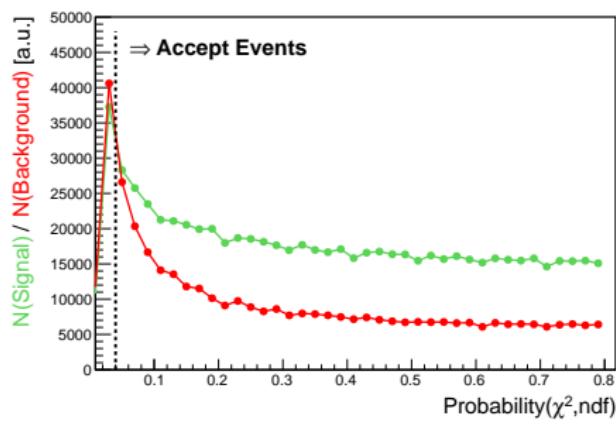
(e) Peng Guo et al., *Phys. Rev.*, D92(05016), (2015)

(f) KLOE coll., *JHEP*, 019, (2016)

(g) Peng Guo et al., arXiv: 1608.01447v3, (2017)

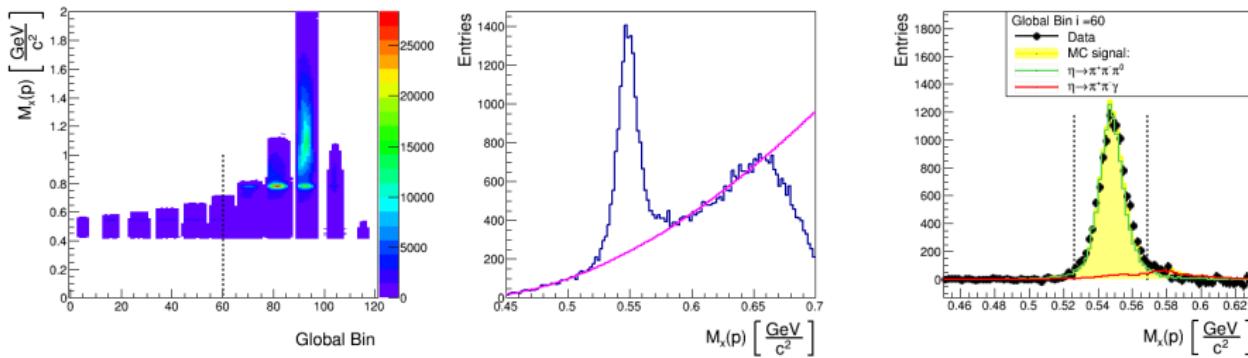
- WASA-at-COSY: $Q = 21.4 \pm 1.1^{(e)}$
- KLOE: $Q = 21.7 \pm 1.1^{(g)}$
- Dalitz Plot Analysis and determination of Q for $\gamma p \rightarrow p\eta[\eta \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0]$ with the CLAS G12 data set

Short Reminder: Status presented at Last Meeting



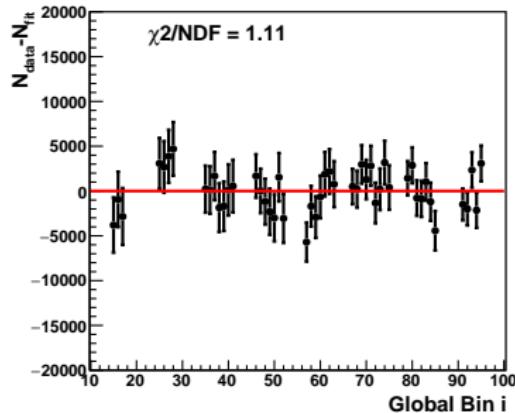
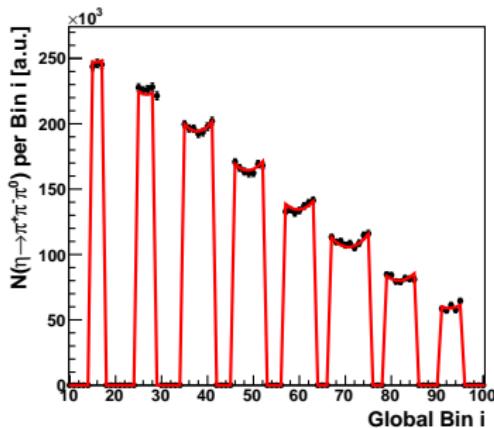
- Problems/Issues:
 - i) Defined analysis parameter for reference data set (see above)
 - ii) Set up machinery for calculation of reconstruction related systematic effects
- Goal of this meeting:
 1. Present recent results
 2. Discuss reconstruction and DP fitting related systematics

Background Handling and Determination of $N^0(\eta \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\pi^0)$



- Correct for background for each Global Bin i
- Determination of $N^0(\eta \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\pi^0)$:
$$N^0(\eta \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\pi^0)[i] = N^{fit}(\eta \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\pi^0)[i]/\epsilon[i], \text{ with: Efficiency } \epsilon[i]$$
- Fit resulting distribution with: $\text{Norm} \times (1 + aY + bY + cX + dX^2 + eXY + fY^3)$

Reference Result

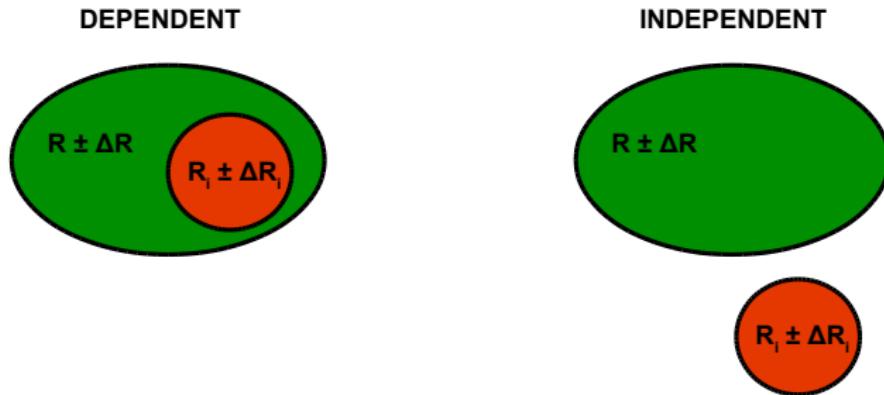


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- Changes since last meeting:
 - Found bug in MC-analysis
 - Re-tuned kinematic fit parameters for MC
 - Re-worked bin-wise background subtraction
 - Re-checked bin wise error estimation (χ^2 of dalitz plot fit was always ~ 0.8)
- Calculated DP Asymmetry: $A = \frac{N^+ - N^-}{N^+ + N^-} = (0.9 \pm 2.9) \cdot 10^{-3}$
- Next step: Look at (analysis related) systematic effects

Determining Systematic Errors: Procedure

1. Do analysis with analysis parameter p_1, \dots, p_N (e.g. kinematic fit probability)
⇒ Obtain reference data set with result(s): $R \pm \Delta R$
2. Redo analysis:
 - a) Vary parameter p_i (e.g. beam energy) within interval $[p_{i1}, p_{ik}]$
 - b) Keep remaining parameters $p_{j \neq i}$ fixed
⇒ Obtain sub-data sets i_1, \dots, i_k with result(s): $R_{im} \pm \Delta R_{im}$, $m = 1, \dots, k$



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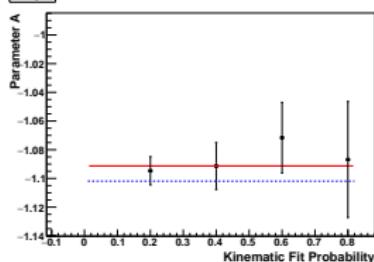
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3. Are sub-data sets i_1, \dots, i_k statistically uncorrelated?

Yes: Errors ΔR_{im} are (statistically) uncorrelated and can be treated independently
No: Errors ΔR_{im} are (statistically) correlated and have to be corrected:
$$\Delta R_{im} \mapsto \sqrt{|\Delta R^2 - \Delta R_{im}^2|}$$

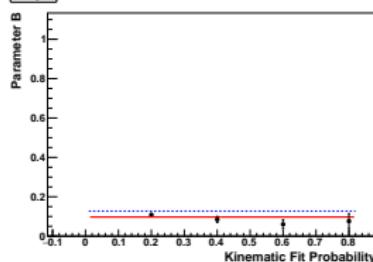
⇒ Fit a straight line to $R_{im} \pm \Delta R_{im}$ and determine error σ_i from that fit
4. Repeat steps 1.-3. for remaining parameter

Systematic Effects: The Kinematic Fit

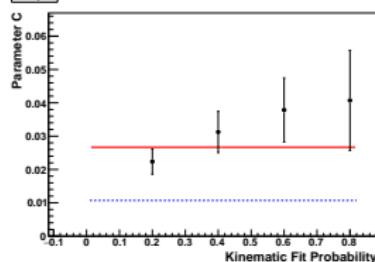
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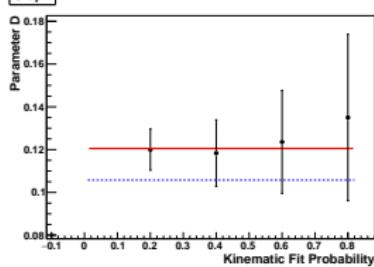
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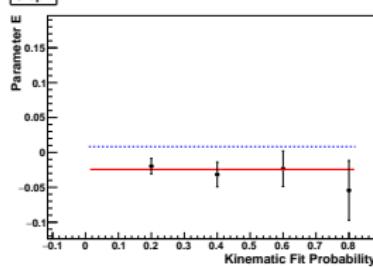
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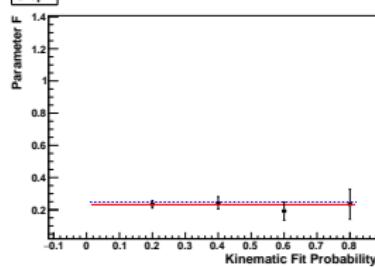
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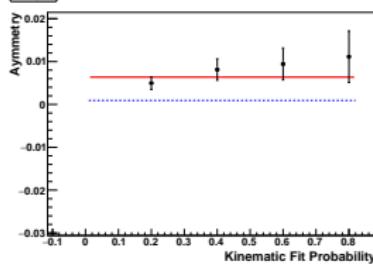
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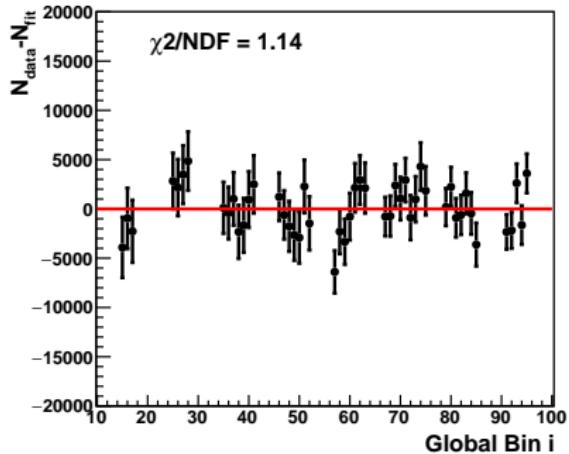
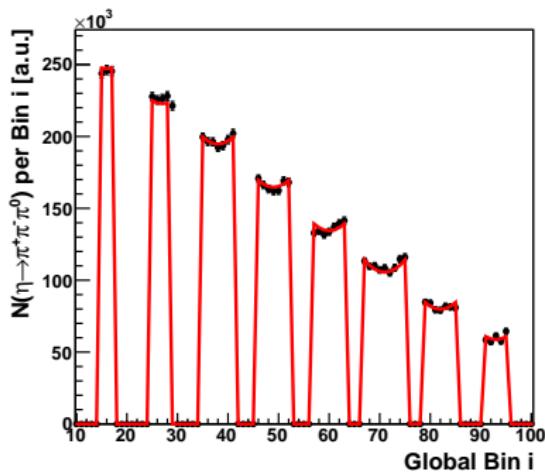
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Intermediate Summary

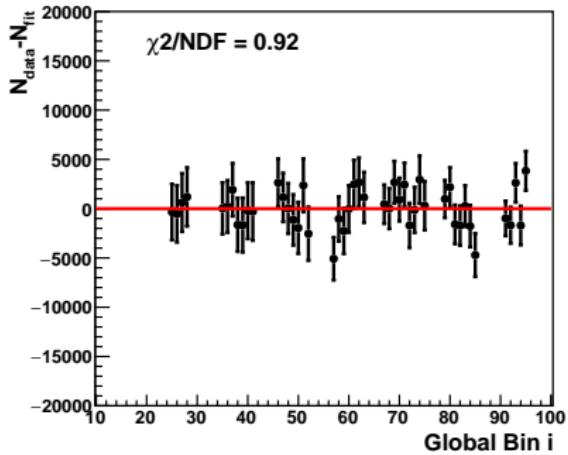
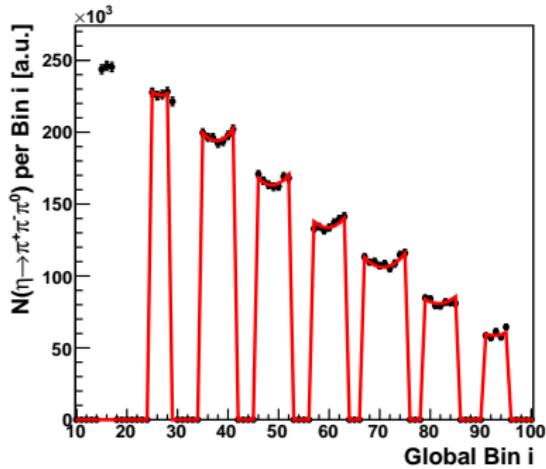
- Systematic dependency on choosing kinematic fit probability:
 - i) Parameters a, d, and f seem to be "stable" with respect to reference result
 - ii) c, e and asymmetry show largest response
 - iii) Parameter b gets < 0.1
- Similar picture for checking effect of invariant mass cut (not shown today)
- Additional tests done:
 - ▶ Varied suppression level of $\eta \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \gamma$ background
 - ▶ Checked for leakage/suppression from $\omega \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$
 - ▶ Varied bin-wise fitting procedure
- ⇒ All those tests showed no significant improvement/picture
- Most promising tests: Fitting procedure of the DP itself

Fix DP Parameters c, e and g to 0



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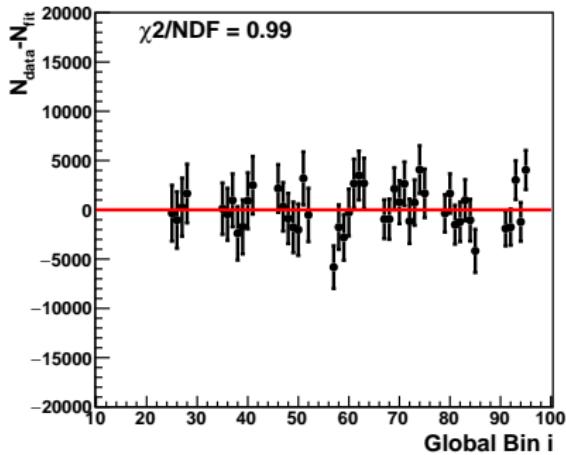
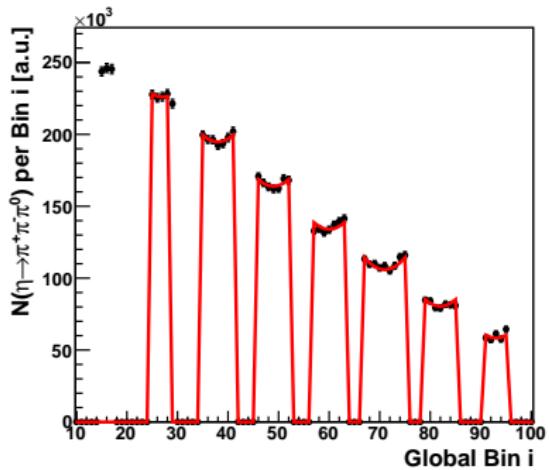
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Checked many combinations of point groups to reject \Leftrightarrow Those for Bins < 20 show largest effect

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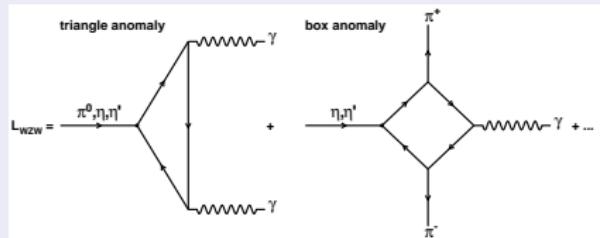
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$\eta \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \gamma$: The Box Anomaly and $\pi^+ \pi^-$ FSI

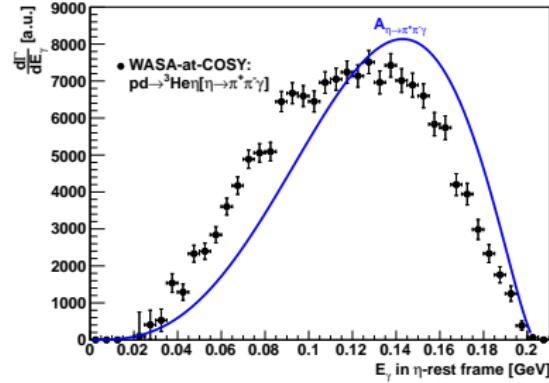
Chiral limit: ^{(a),(b)}



- Wess-Zumino-Witten Lagrangian
 - (a) Wess, Zumino, *Phys. Lett.*, B37(95), 1971
 - (b) Witten, *Nucl. Phys.*, B223:422-432, 1983
- Decay amplitude $A_{\eta \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \gamma}$ is sensitive to box anomaly^(c):

$$A_{\eta \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \gamma} \propto \frac{e}{4\sqrt{3}\pi^2 F_\pi^3} \left(\frac{F_\pi}{F_0} \cos \theta - \sqrt{2} \frac{F_\pi}{F_0} \sin \theta \right)$$

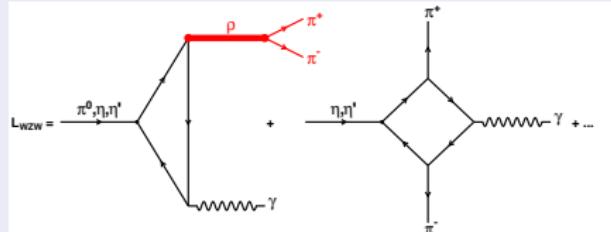
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 - (c) B.R. Holstein, *Phys. Scripta*, T99:55-67, 2002
 - (d) PDG, *Chin. Phys.*, 090001, 2014
- Photon energy distribution $E_\gamma^{(e)}$
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$$E_\gamma(s_{\pi^+ \pi^-}) = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \left(m_\eta - \frac{s_{\pi^+ \pi^-}}{m_\eta} \right)$$

$\eta \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \gamma$: The Box Anomaly and $\pi^+ \pi^-$ FSI

Beyond chiral limit:



- Wess-Zumino-Witten Lagrangian & $\pi^+ \pi^-$ Final State Interactions
- Modification of decay amplitude:^(a)

(a) F.Stollenwerk et al., *Phys. Lett.*, B707:184-190, 2012

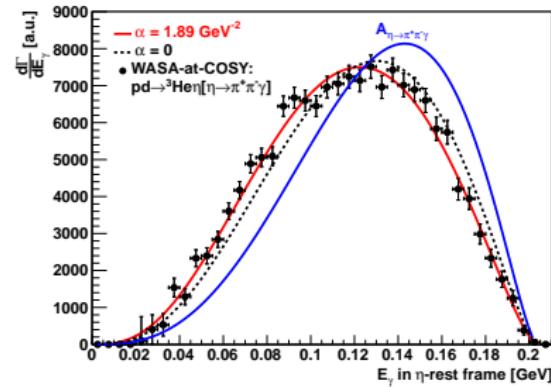
$$A_{\eta \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \gamma} \times [F_{PV}(s_{\pi\pi}) \times (1 + \alpha s_{\pi\pi})]$$

⇒

Description of FSI: $\begin{cases} \text{by } F_{PV} & \alpha = 0 \\ \text{reaction specific*} & \alpha \neq 0 \end{cases}$

*Input from theory

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$$E_\gamma(s_{\pi\pi}) = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \left(m_\eta - \frac{s_{\pi\pi}}{m_\eta} \right)$$

Theoretical Predictions and Recent Measurements

| | | $\Gamma(\eta \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \gamma) / \Gamma(\eta \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0)$ | $\alpha [\text{GeV}^{-2}]$ |
|------------|------------------------------|--|----------------------------|
| Experiment | Gormley et al. | 0.202 ± 0.006 | 1.8 ± 0.4 |
| | Thaler et al. | 0.209 ± 0.004 | - |
| | Layter et al. | - | -0.9 ± 0.1 |
| | GAMS-200* | - | 2.7 ± 0.1 |
| | CRYSTAL BARREL* | - | 1.8 ± 0.53 |
| | CLEO | 0.175 ± 0.013 | - |
| | WASA-at-COSY | Preliminary: 0.206 ± 0.011 | 1.89 ± 0.86 |
| | KLOE | 0.1856 ± 0.003 | $1.32^* \pm 0.2$ |
| | CLAS | Analysis ongoing | - |
| | BESIII | Analysis ongoing for η and η' | - |
| Theory | WASA-at-COSY | Analysis ongoing for $pp \rightarrow pp\eta$ | - |
| | N/D | 0.2188 ± 0.0088 | 0.64 ± 0.02 |
| | HLS | 0.1875 ± 0.0094 | 0.23 ± 0.01 |
| | $(O(p^6) + 1 - \text{loop})$ | 0.1565 ± 0.0063 | -0.7 ± 0.1 |
| | Box anomaly | 0.119 ± 0.0048 | -1.7 ± 0.02 |

* Measured $\eta' \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \gamma$ * Include effects of a_2 : Kubis and Plenter, Eur. Phys. J., C75: 283, 2015

Theoretical Predictions and Recent Measurements

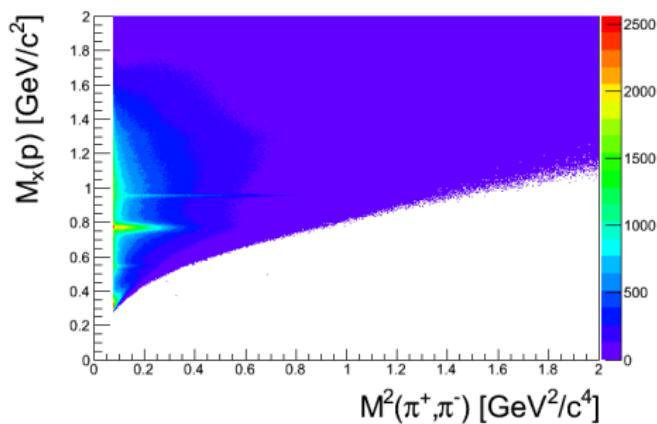
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| | <i>Phys., C50:451-454, 1991</i> * | - | 2.7 ± 0.1 |
| | <i>Phys. Lett., B402:195, 1997</i> * | - | 1.8 ± 0.53 |
| | <i>Phys. Rev. Lett., 99(122001), 2007</i> | 0.175 ± 0.013 | - |
| | <i>Phys. Rev. Lett., B707:243-249, 2013</i> | - | 1.89 ± 0.86 |
| | <i>Phys. Lett., B718:910-914, 2013</i> | 0.1856 ± 0.003 | 1.32 ± 0.2 |
| | - | - | - |
| | - | - | - |
| Theory | <i>Phys. Scripta, T99:55-67, 2002</i> | 0.2188 ± 0.0088 | 0.64 ± 0.02 |
| | <i>Europ. Phys. Journal, C31:525-547, 2003</i> | 0.1875 ± 0.0094 | 0.23 ± 0.01 |
| | <i>Phys. Lett., B237:488-494, 1990</i> | 0.1565 ± 0.0063 | -0.7 ± 0.1 |
| | <i>Phys. Scripta, T99:55-67, 2002</i> | 0.119 ± 0.0048 | -1.7 ± 0.02 |

* Measured $\eta' \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \gamma$

* Include effects of a_2 : Kubis and Plenter, Eur. Phys. J., C75: 283, 2015

Current Status in CLAS G12

- Setup analysis:
 - ▶ Neural Network to suppress $\pi^+\pi^-(0)$ -background
 - ▶ Kinematic Fit to hypothesis $\pi^+\pi^-(\gamma)$
- Determine $M(\pi^+, \pi^-)^2$ -distributions from plot on the right hand side (Result available at next collaboration meeting)
- Concept for determination of systematic errors already setup
- To Do:
 1. Validation/Justification of analysis steps (currently ongoing)
 2. Determination of α and $\Gamma(\eta \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\gamma)/\Gamma(\eta \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\pi^0)$
 3. Also go for analysis of $\eta' \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\gamma$ (already visible in right plot)



Summary and Outlook

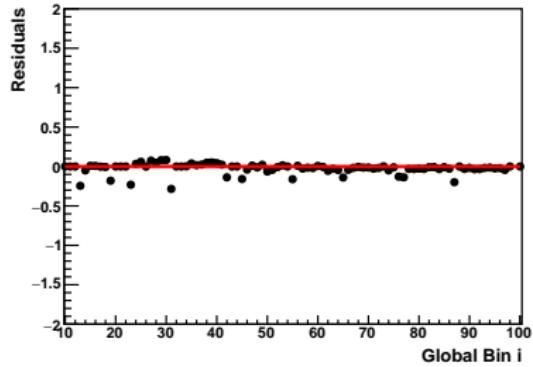
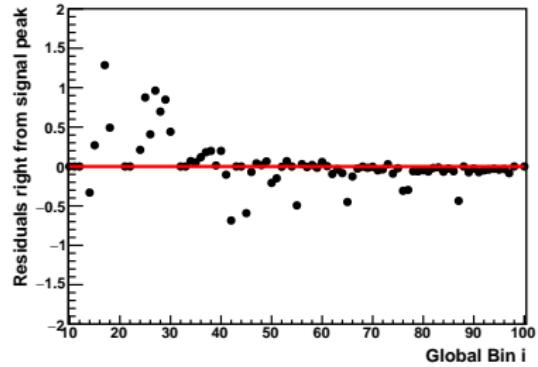
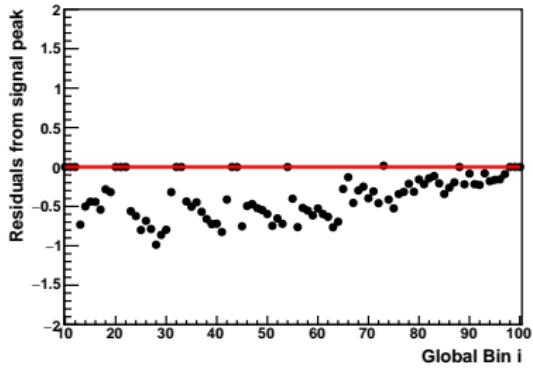
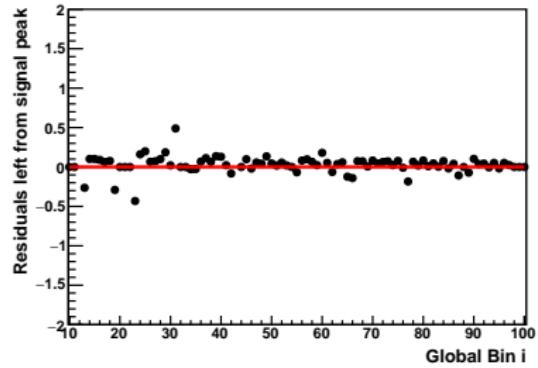
⇒ Analysis of $\eta \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$:

- ▶ Refined analysis and background fitting procedure (not shown here)
- ▶ Study of reconstruction-related systematics ⇒ Suspicion on influence of fitting procedure itself:
 - i) Fixing Parameters c,e and g to 0
 - ii) Neglecting DP bins < 20 show large impact on parameters b and f ⇔ Background handling in this region
- ▶ Asymmetry is not affected by i)/ii) ⇔ Hint for other systematic influences
- ▶ **Goal:** Have Analysis and systematic studies finished until next collaboration meeting

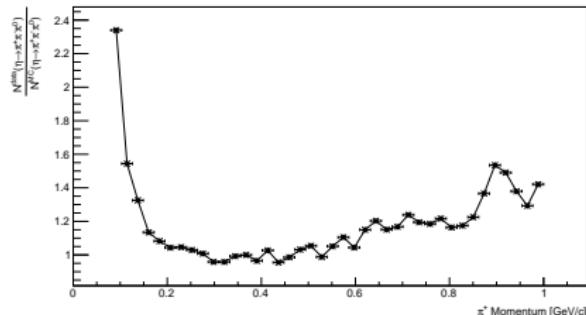
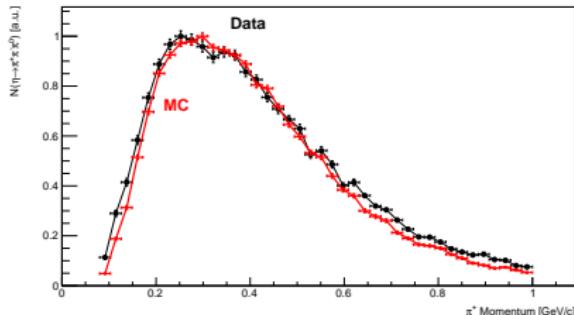
⇒ Analysis of $\eta^{(\prime)} \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \gamma$:

- ▶ Set up preliminary reconstruction plan
- ▶ Determination of α -parameter ongoing

Backup: Residuals

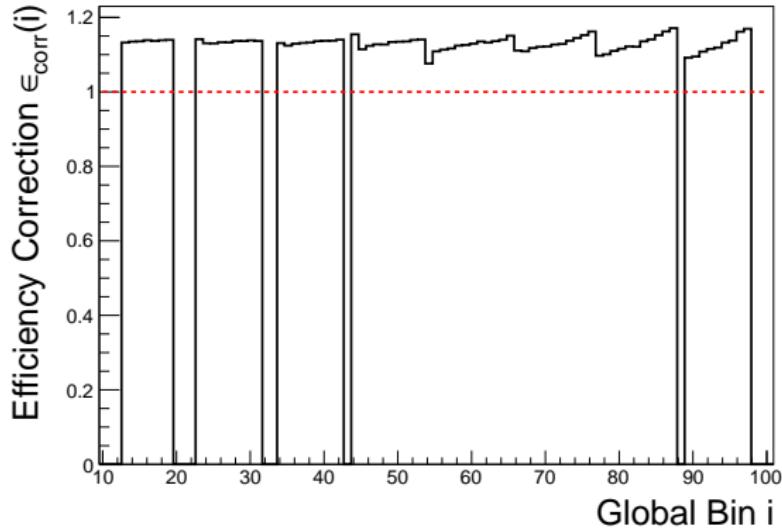


Backup: Momentum and ϕ -dependent Weights



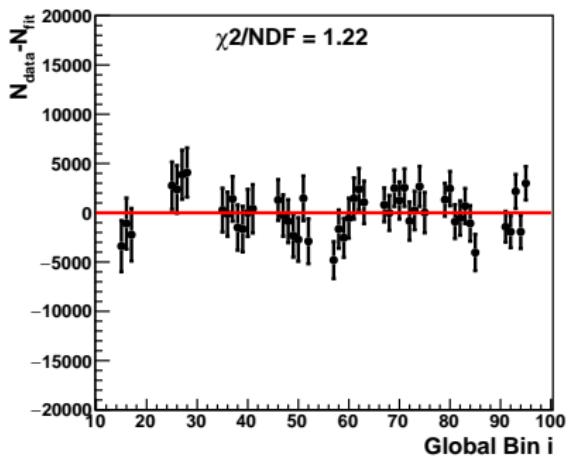
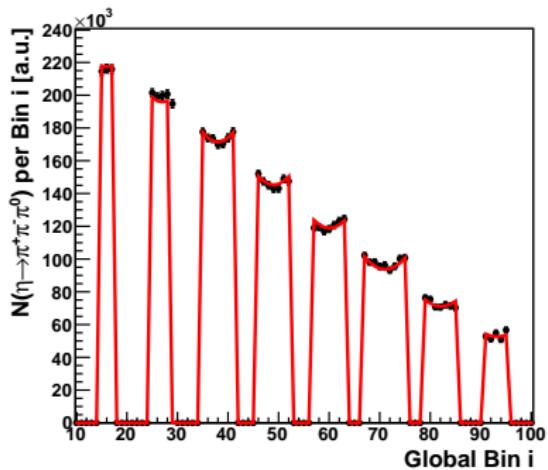
- Look at momenta of: p , π^+ and π^- for different ϕ -ranges (7 ranges in total)
- Example shown here (left hand side): Momentum distribution for π^+ with $\phi \in [-90 \text{ deg}, -30 \text{ deg}]$
- Define ratio (plot on the right hand side): $R(|\vec{p}|_i, \phi_i) \equiv \frac{N_{data}^{(\eta \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0)}[|\vec{p}|_i, \phi_i]}{N_{MC}^{(\eta \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0)}[|\vec{p}|_i, \phi_i]}$, $i = p, \pi^+, \pi^-$
- Use this ratio to define event weight:
 $w \equiv R(|\vec{p}|_p, \phi_p) \times R(|\vec{p}|_{\pi^+}, \phi_{\pi^+}) \times R(|\vec{p}|_{\pi^-}, \phi_{\pi^-})$

Backup: Efficiency Correction $\epsilon_{corr}(i)$



- Analyse MC: $\eta \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$ with and without momentum dependent weight w
- Ratio of both data sets (per global bin i) defines efficiency correction
- Should ideally be independent of analysis steps (e.g. kinematic fit)

Backup: Effect of the Efficiency Correction

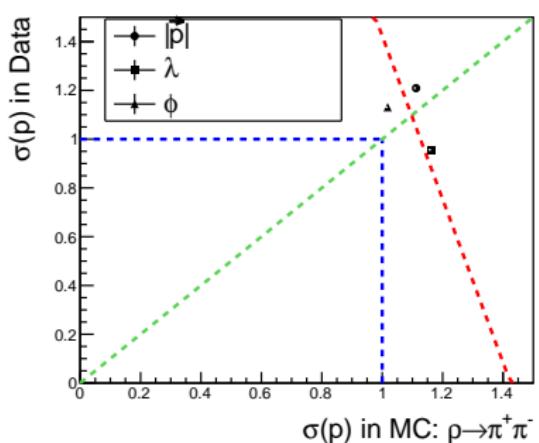
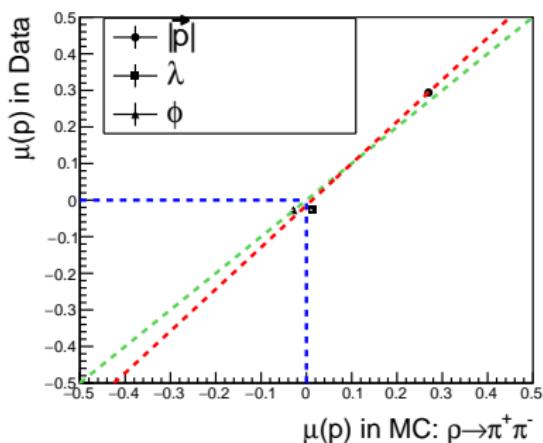


| Exp. | $-a$ | b | c | d | e | f |
|-------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|-----------|
| WASA | 1.144(18) | 0.219(66) | -0.007(9) | 0.086(33) | -0.020(52) | 0.115(37) |
| KLOE(16) | 1.095(6) | 0.145(8) | 0.0 | 0.081(9) | 0.0 | 0.141(15) |
| G12 | 1.102(20) | 0.131(19) | 0.013(7) | 0.109(19) | 0.0 | 0.247(45) |
| G12(ϵ) | 1.09(19) | 0.126(18) | -0.003(6) | 0.11(18) | -0.005(20) | 0.250(43) |

$$\text{Calculated DP Asymmetry: } A = \frac{N^+ - N^-}{N^+ + N^-} = (-0.5 \pm 0.3) \cdot 10^{-3}$$

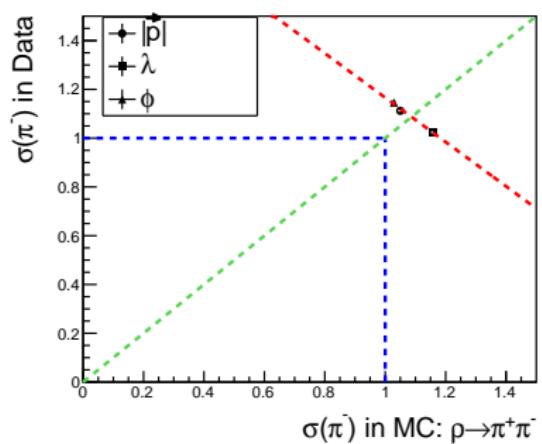
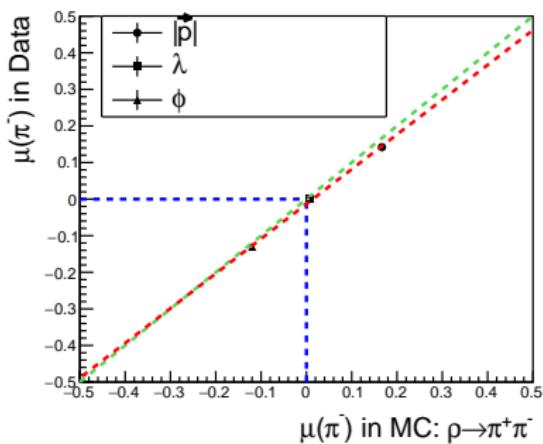
Backup: Comparison of Pull-Distributions

For Protons



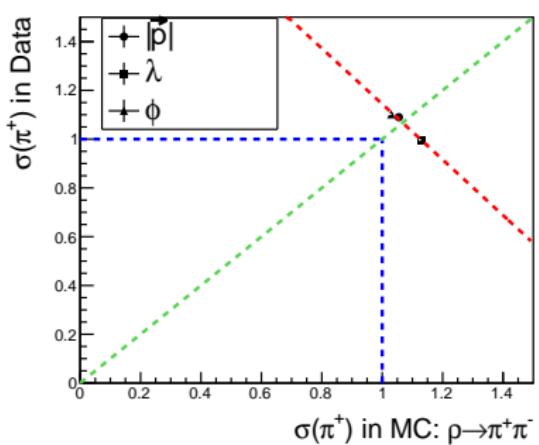
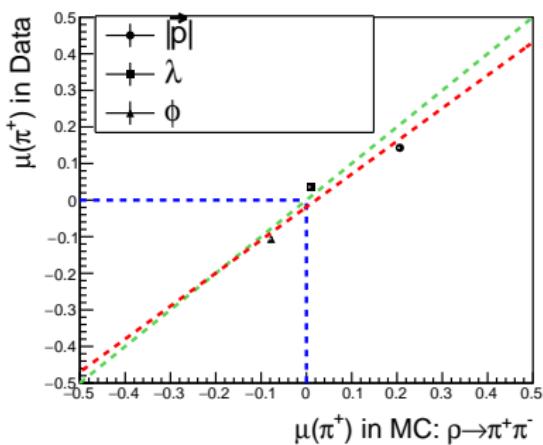
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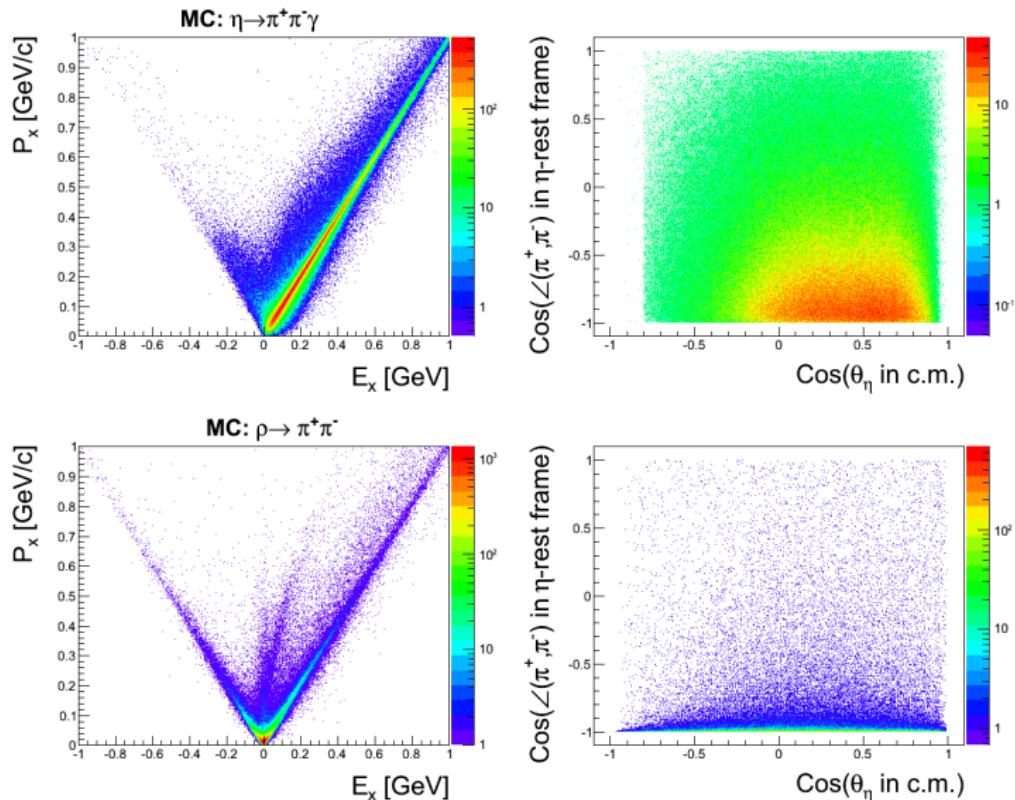
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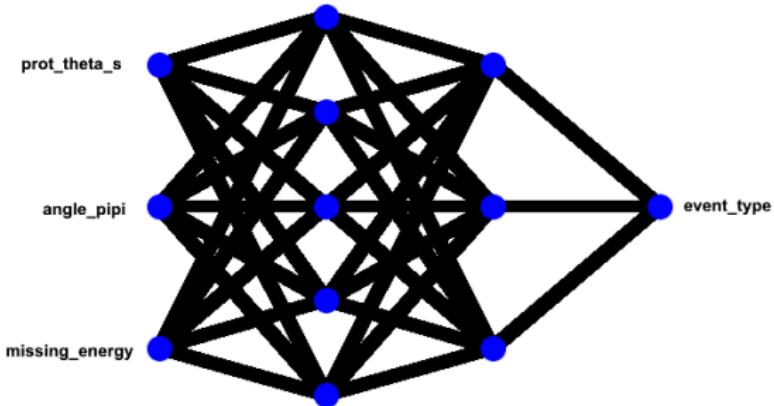


Backup: Reconstruction of $\eta \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \gamma$ -events

Defining discrimination variables



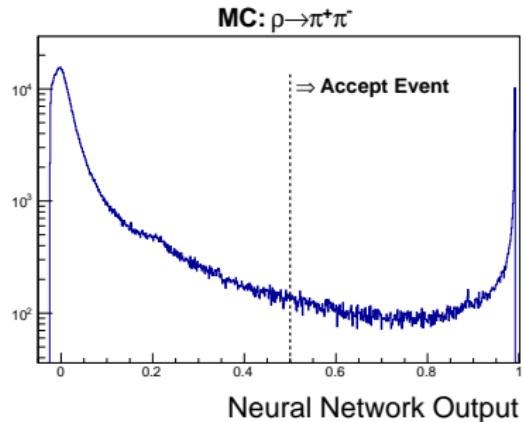
Backup: Multivariable-Analysis: Neural Networks



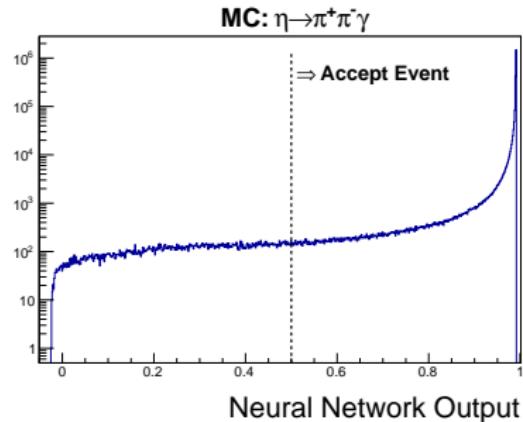
- One could define separate cuts on the discrimination variables
- But those variables are often correlated \Rightarrow Multivariable-Analysis
- Use an artificial neural network with:
 - ▶ $\text{prot_theta_s} = \text{Cos}(\theta_\eta \text{ (in c.m.)})$
 - ▶ $\text{angle_pipi} = \text{Cos}(\angle(\pi^+, \pi^-) \text{ in } \eta\text{-rest frame})$
 - ▶ $\text{missing_energy} = E_x$
 - ▶ $\text{event_type} = 1 \text{ for } \eta \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \gamma \text{ and } 0 \text{ for } \rho \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-$

Backup: Neural Network Output

Entries

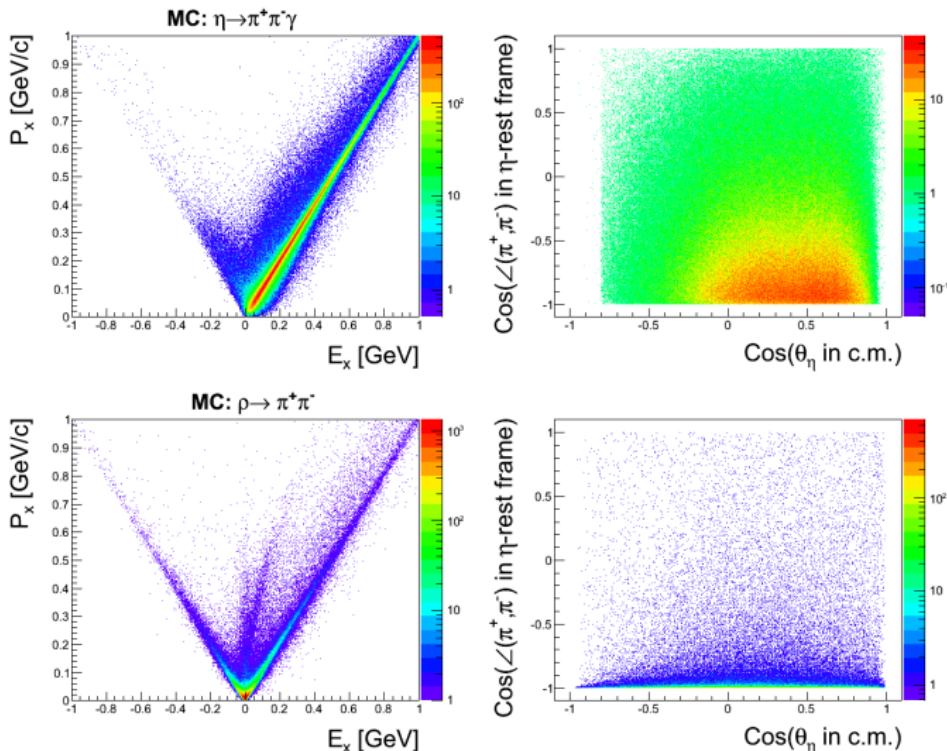


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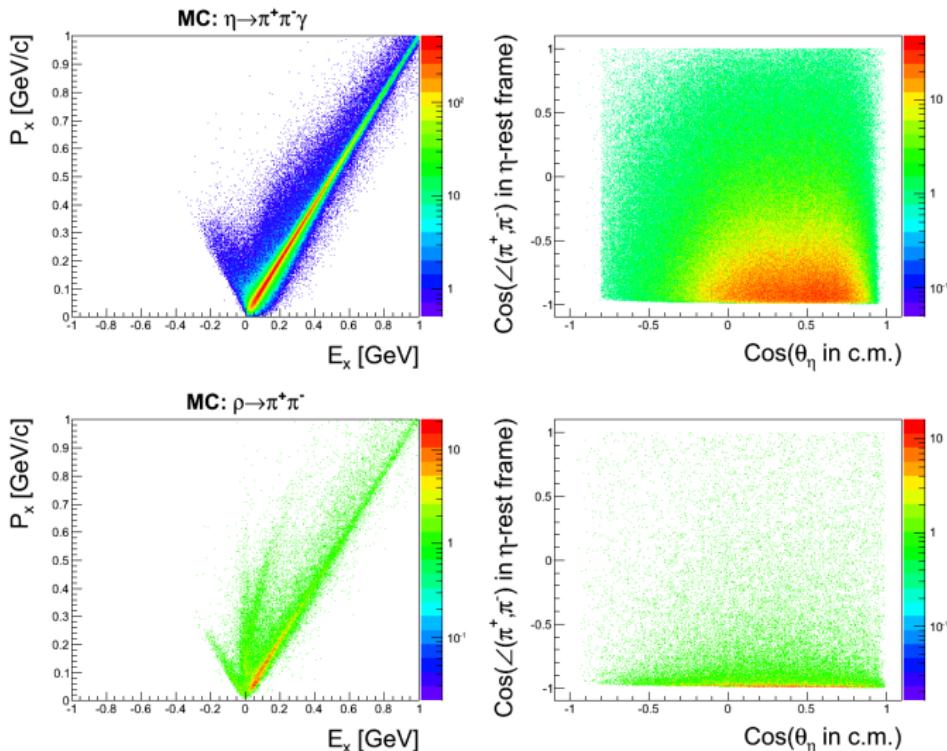
- Network has been trained with MC data where the event type is known
- After training the network, obtain output variable which is a function of the variables defined in the beginning
- Reject events with output less than 50%

Backup: What is cut away?



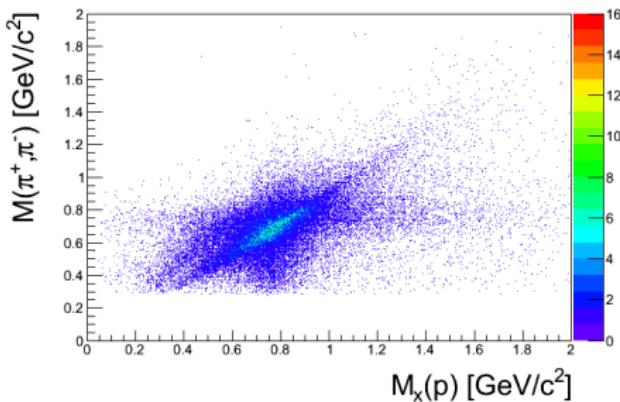
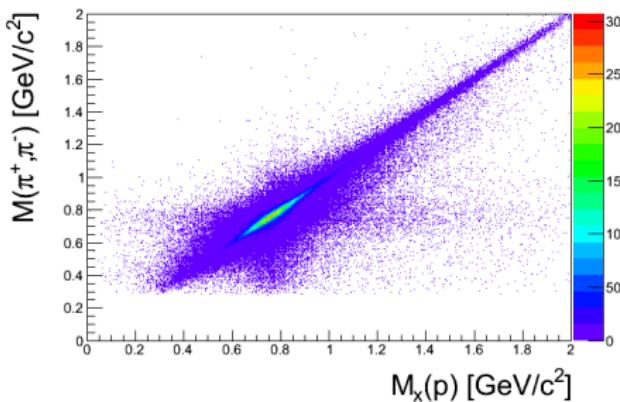
Before cutting on the neural network output

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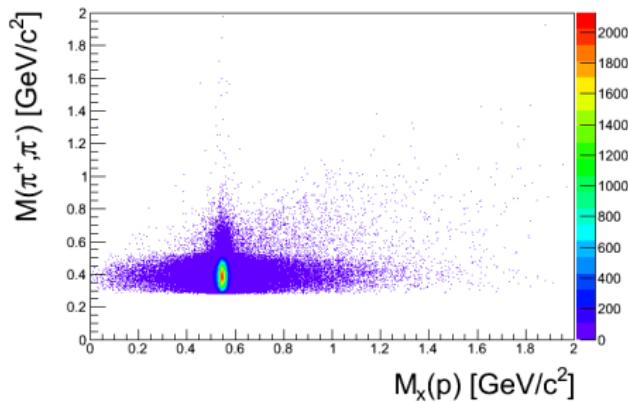
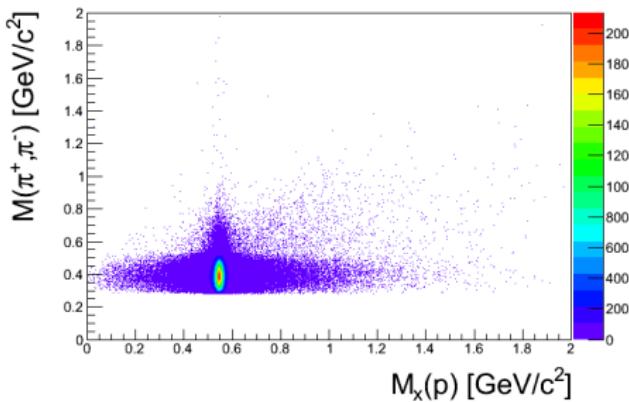
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Backup: Masses and Acceptances: MC $\rho \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-$



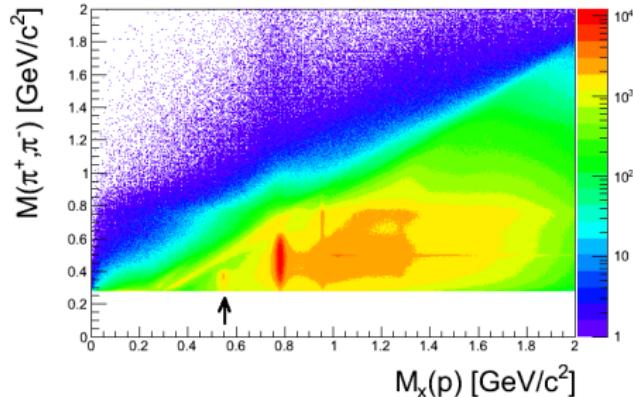
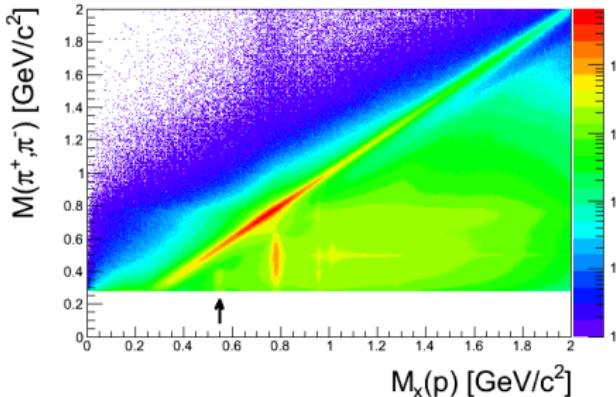
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- $\approx 5\%$ events are accepted

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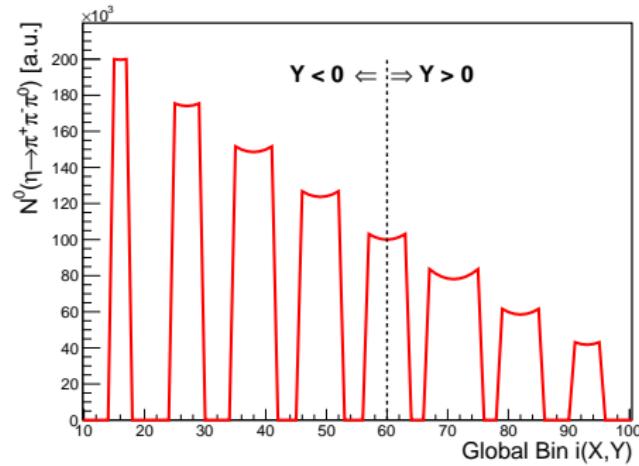
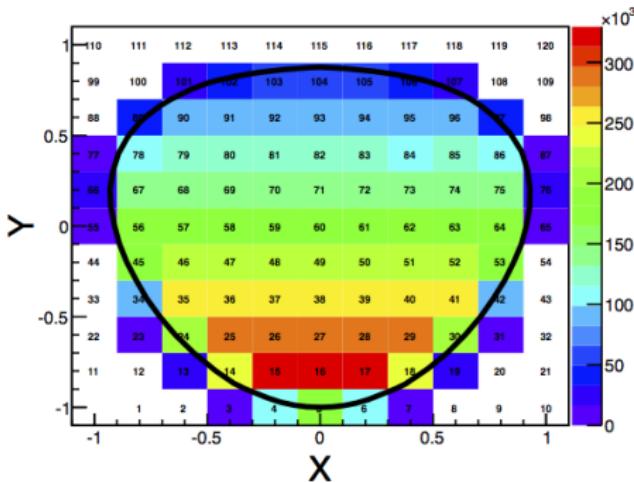
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Backup: Application to Data



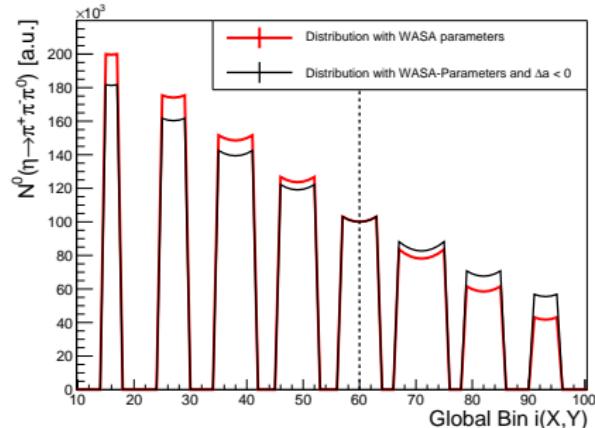
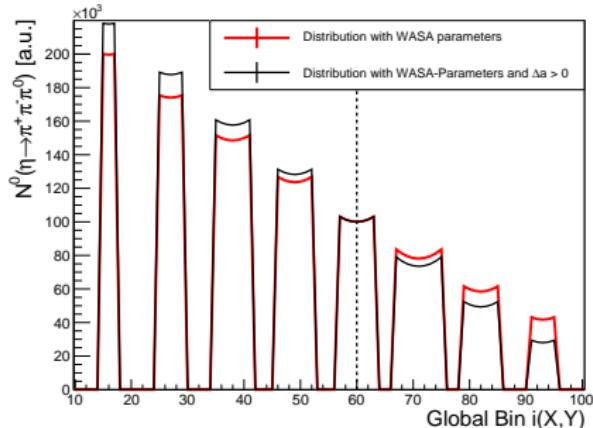
- Left: without cut / right: with cut
- η -signal clearly visible now
- Reduced $\pi^+ \pi^- (0)$ -background

Backup: Features of the 1D Dalitz Plot



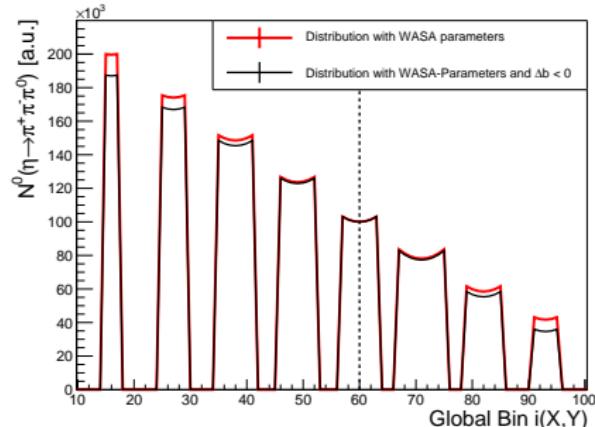
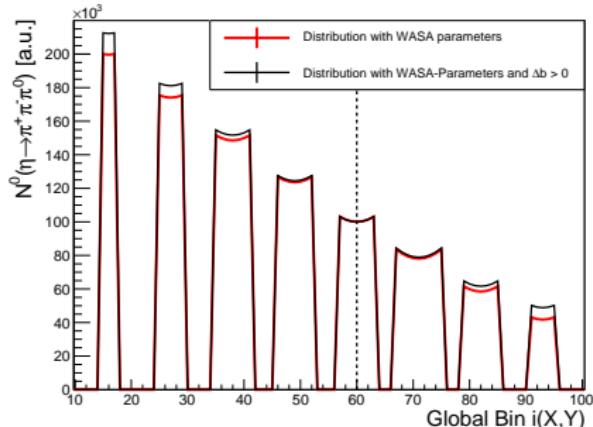
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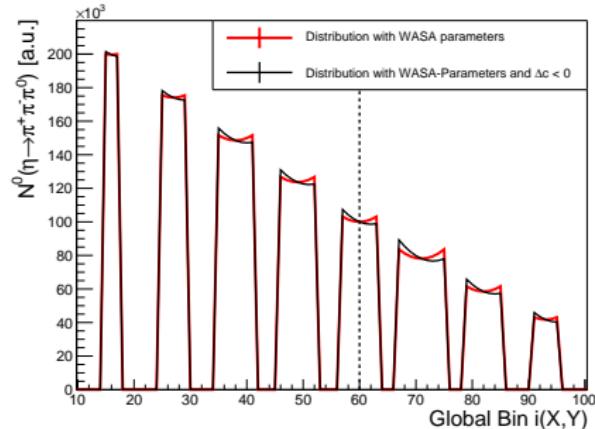
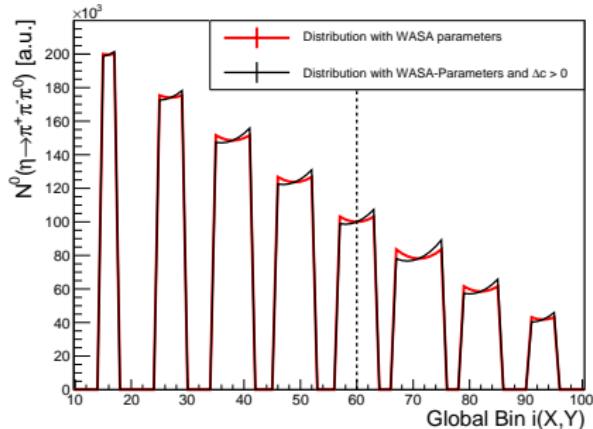
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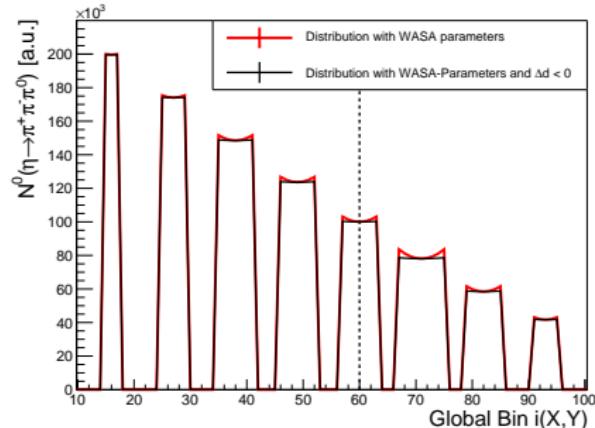
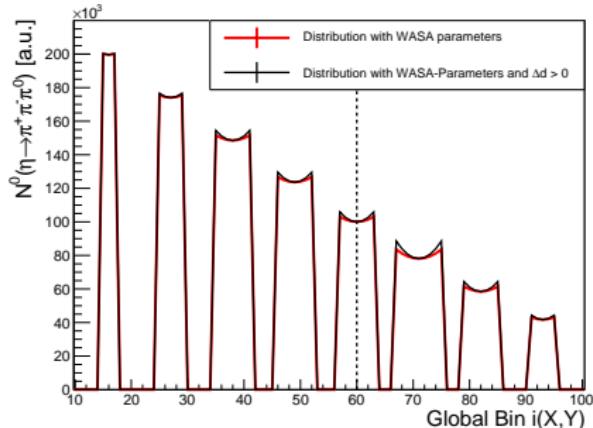
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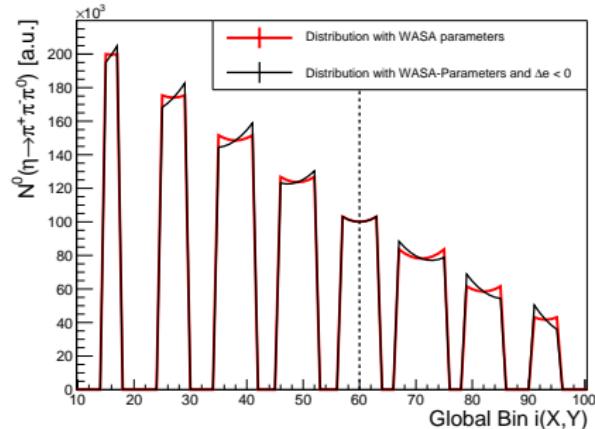
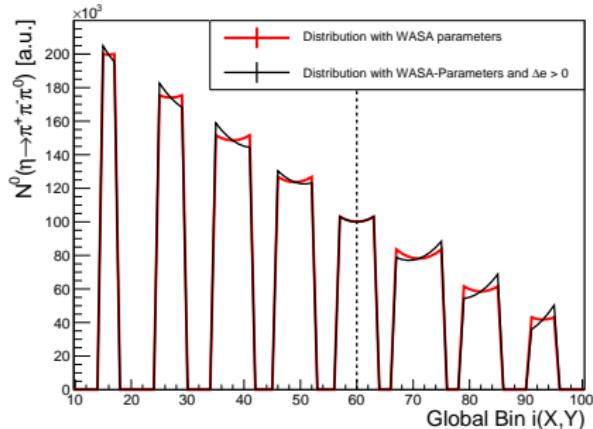
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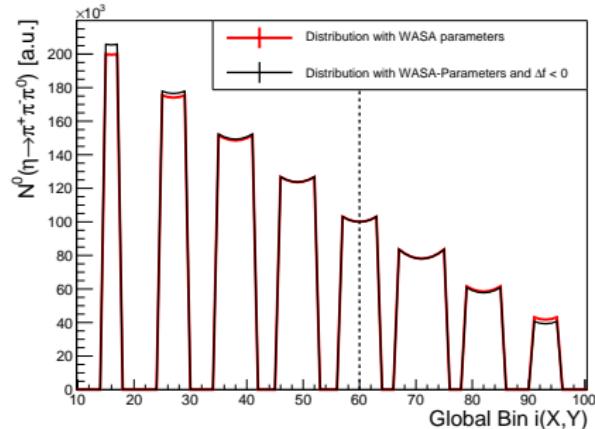
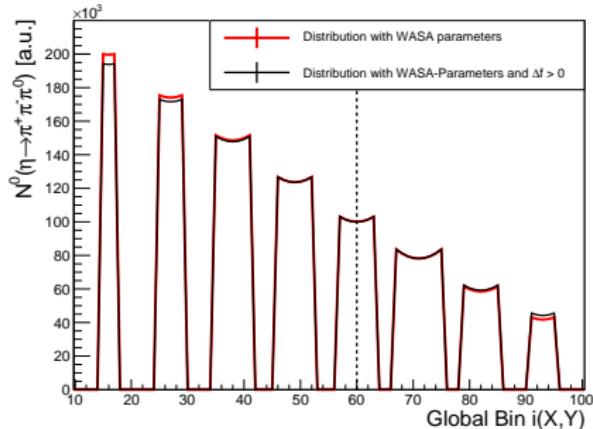
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