

# Measurement of hadronic Higgs boson branching ratios at FCC-ee with $Z(\ell)H$ events at $\sqrt{s}=240$ GeV

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# Introduction

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- **Goals:**

- estimate sensitivity of FCC-ee to hadronic branching ratios of Higgs boson (bb / cc / gg) ( $\Rightarrow$  couplings to b/c/g)
- compare to estimates in FCC-ee CDR
- longer term: assess impact of different b/c/g taggers or working points or different FCC-ee detector designs

- **Notes:**

- Work done during **internships of two students in APC-Paris**, Paul Paquiez and Mariette Jolly, in March-July 2021.
  - **Only statistical uncertainties** for the time being, will consider systematic uncertainties only later
  - **Focus on Z(l)H channel at  $\sqrt{s}=240$  GeV:** use  $m_{\text{recoil}}$  distribution to estimate signal and background after selection
    - Method developed however should be extendable easily to Z(vv)H and Z(qq)H
- **Work performed on privately produced MC samples:** when we started, there weren't centrally-available tools or samples to implement some of the selections that we wanted (more details later)
  - Recently I've been able to port the analysis to the official FCC-ee "spring 2021" samples, using the FCC analysis code with some extensions that I developed for that purpose. The results are very preliminary. A 4-month intern student starting at the end of this month will further consolidate and extend them
- **Assume an integrated luminosity of 5/ab**

# Projections in FCC CDR

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- Assuming **5/ab at 240 GeV**, the projected sensitivities at FCC-ee in the CDR ([Eur. Phys. J. C 79, 474 \(2019\), Table 4.1](#)) scaled to the Z(ll) channel alone (taking Z(ll)H/Z(ll+qq+vv)H from Table 6 of CEPC, <https://arxiv.org/pdf/1810.09037.pdf>):

Higgs decay mode	Rel. unc. on $\sigma\text{BR}(\text{bb})$ (%)
bb	0.8
cc	5.3
gg	6.1

\* Considering only background from ZZ and WW (background from ZH with other Higgs decays not considered)

# Analysis strategy

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- The measurements proceeds in the following steps:
  - Event **reconstruction**: isolated leptons (and photons), jets and missing energy are reconstructed
  - Event **selection**: events consistent with the signature under study are kept
    - NOTE: So far optimised mainly for signal efficiency, should reoptimise for best BR sensitivity
  - Event **categorisation**: selected events are classified in categories based on # of b-, c- and (if applicable) g-tagged jets
  - **Fit** for BR measurement:
    - the signal yield in each category and for each Higgs decay mode (bb, cc, gg, non-hadronic) is extracted through a **simultaneous extended maximum likelihood fit to the recoil mass distribution of the various tagging categories**
    - Assuming tagging efficiencies for each flavour type to be known, the acceptance of each category for the various Z(II)H(XX) is known and the system of equations relating the yields to the product  $\sigma\text{BR}$  can be solved
    - In practice, in the likelihood the yields are expressed directly in terms of products of  $\sigma\text{BR}$  times the acceptances and the fit returns  $\sigma\text{BR}$

# Samples

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- Signal and background samples were **privately generated** using the **FCC-ee software stack** for **Delphes+Pythia8**
- In Pythia8, **ISR and FSR** were turned **on**, while **beam energy spread** and **primary vertex smearing** were **off**
- The FCC-ee **IDEA Delphes card** (with track covariance) was **modified**
  - to implement **custom tagging efficiencies** (b/c/g)
  - to use a **different jet clustering algorithm (Valencia)** more adapted to ee collision than anti- $k_t$
  - to **remove isolated electrons, muons and photons from the list of EFlow objects used for jet clustering**
- **Signal samples:**  $Z(\ell)H(bb)$ ,  $Z(\ell)H(cc)$ ,  $Z(\ell)H(gg)$ ,  $l=e+\mu$ , generated separately and normalised using SM Higgs BRs
- **Background samples:**  $Z(\ell)H(\text{non-had})$ ,  $ZZ$ ,  $WW$
- **Cross sections** ( $ZH$ ,  $ZZ$  and  $WW$ ) taken from central FCC-ee json file

# Samples (cont'd)

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<b>Process</b>	<b>sigma (fb)</b>	<b>BR1</b>	<b>BR2</b>	<b>sigma*BR (fb)</b>	<b>Ngen</b>	<b>LumiGen (fb-1)</b>	<b>LumiGen/Lumi</b>
Z(II)H(bb)	201.87	0.067316	0.5824	7.914280728	100000	12635	2.527
Z(II)H(cc)	201.87	0.067316	0.02891	0.3928603294	100000	254543	50.909
Z(II)H(gg)	201.87	0.067316	0.08187	1.112538055	100000	89885	17.977
Z(II)H(nonhad)	201.87	0.067316	0.30682	4.169401808	500000	119921	23.984
ZZ	1358.99	1	1	1358.99	4000000	2943.36235	0.589
WW	16438.5	1	1	16438.5	4000000	243.3312042	0.049

# Flavour tagging

- Flavour tagging is implemented via basic Delphes modules, where a **jet is tagged according to whether there is a MC b, c or gluon within a given DeltaR to the jet and based on efficiency tables vs the jet true flavour**
- The work presented here uses the numbers presented at the June 2021 FCC week: [https://indico.cern.ch/event/995850/contributions/4415991/attachments/2273135/3861058/flavour\\_tagging\\_fccee.pdf](https://indico.cern.ch/event/995850/contributions/4415991/attachments/2273135/3861058/flavour_tagging_fccee.pdf)

<u>B-TAG</u>	FCCnew
Eff(b)	0.8
Eff(c)	0.004
Eff(g)	0.007
Eff(light)	<0.001 (*)

<u>C-TAG</u>	FCC <sub>new</sub>
Eff(c)	0.8
Eff(b)	0.025
Eff(g)	0.03
Eff(light)	0.009

<u>G-TAG</u>	FCC <sub>new</sub>
Eff(c)	0.05
Eff(b)	0.02
Eff(g)	0.8
Eff(light)	0.15

- I will first show results without gluon tagging, and then compare them to those with g-tagging

(\*) due to a bug, a value of 1% was used instead of 0.1%

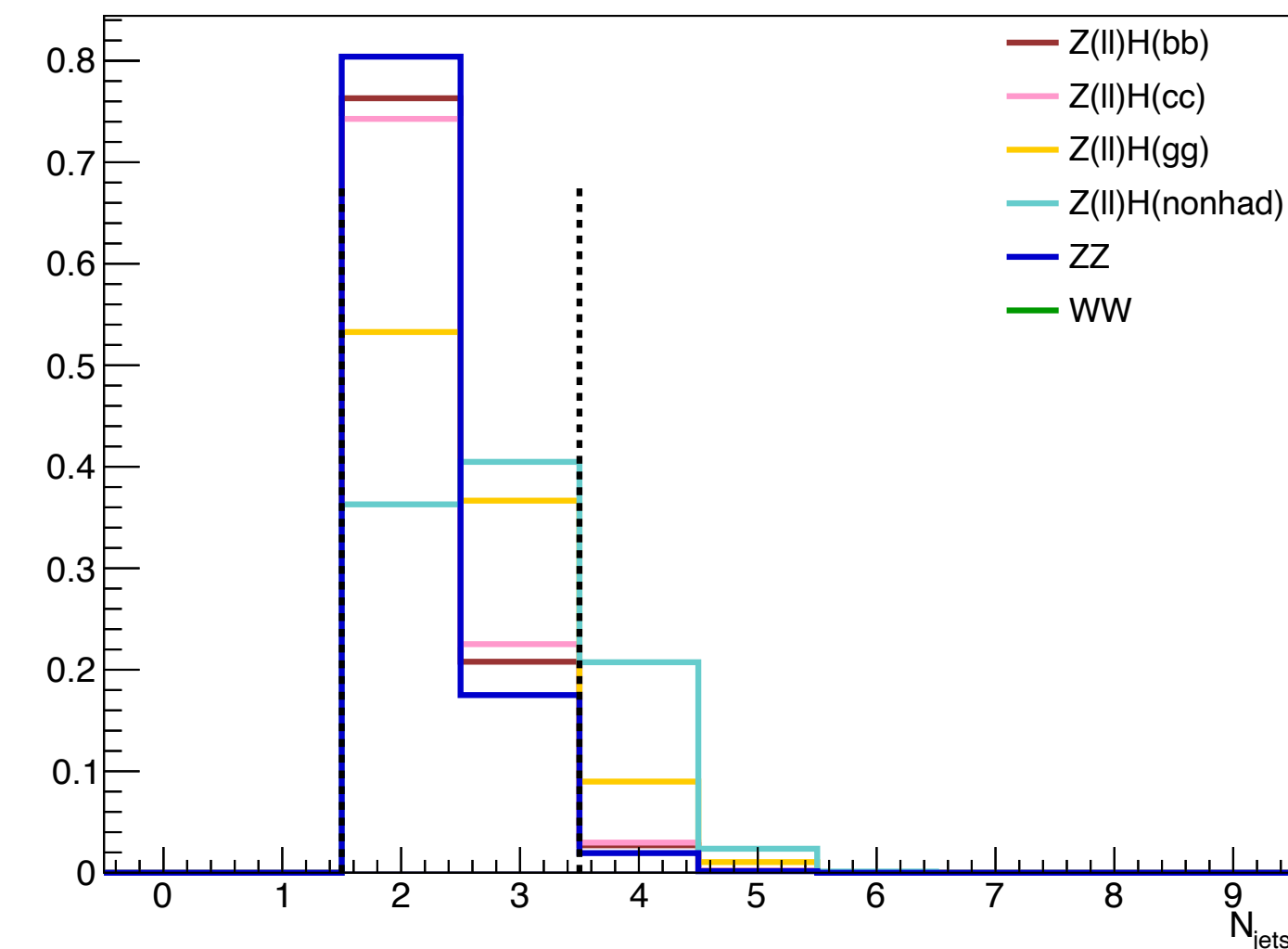
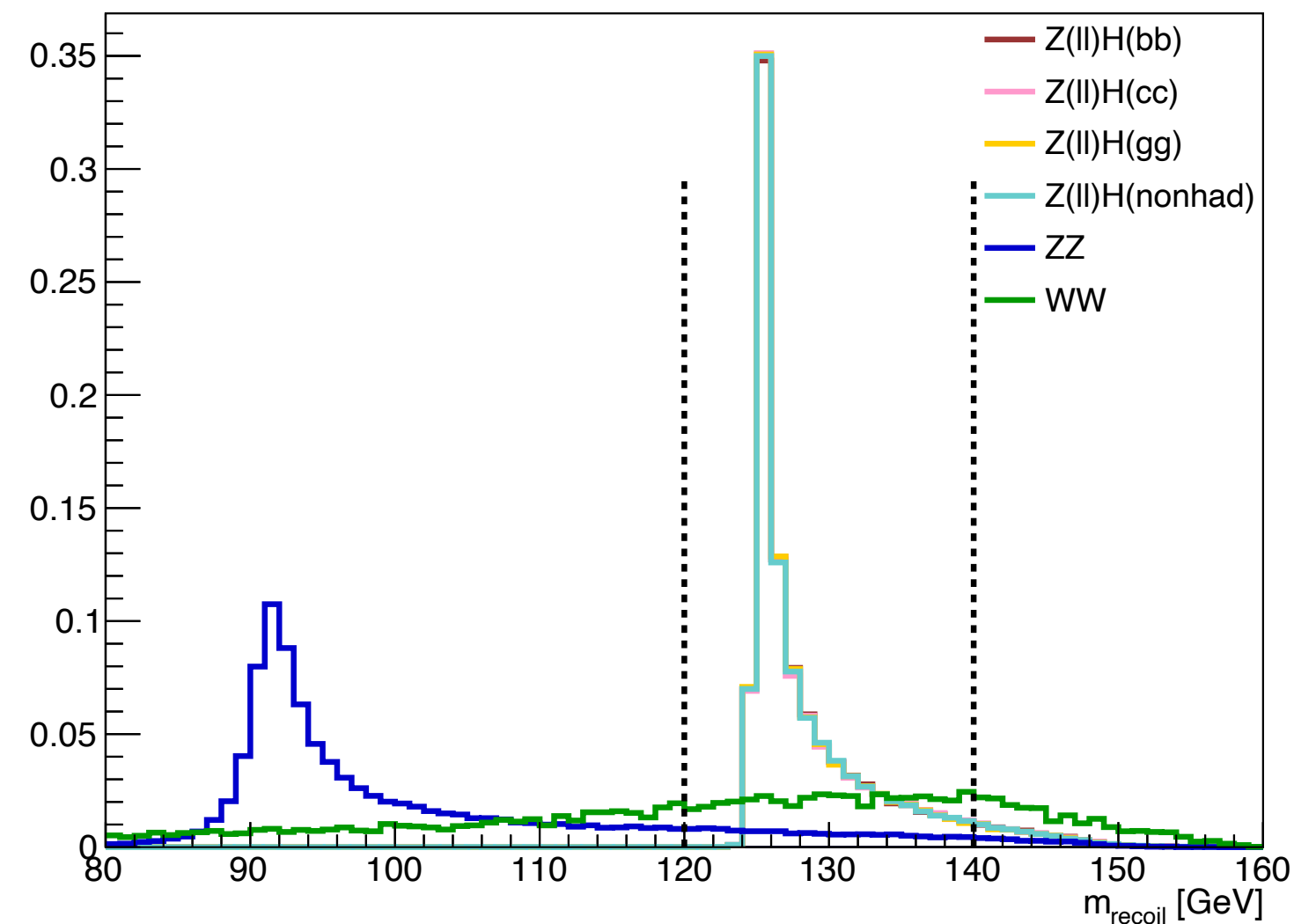
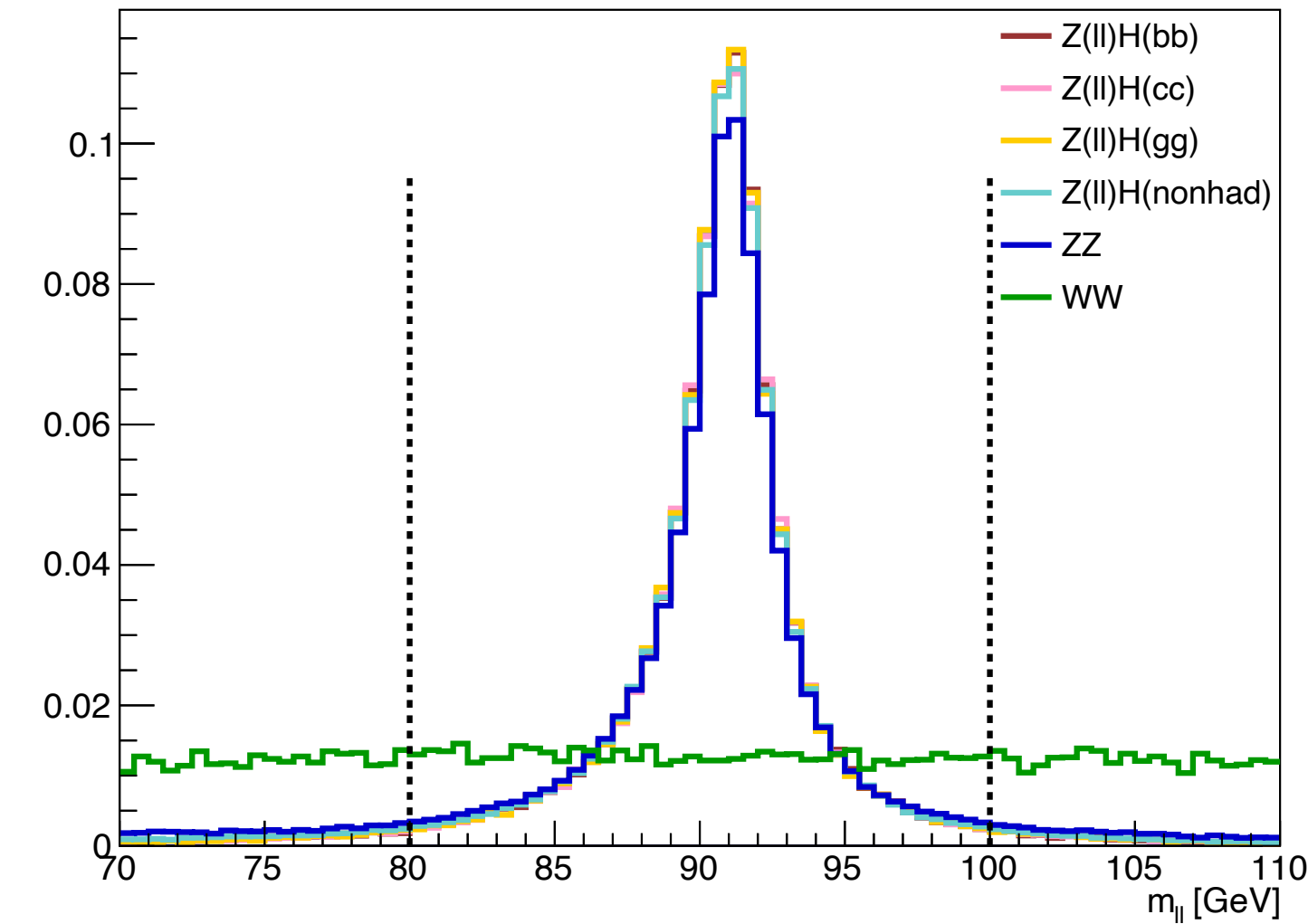
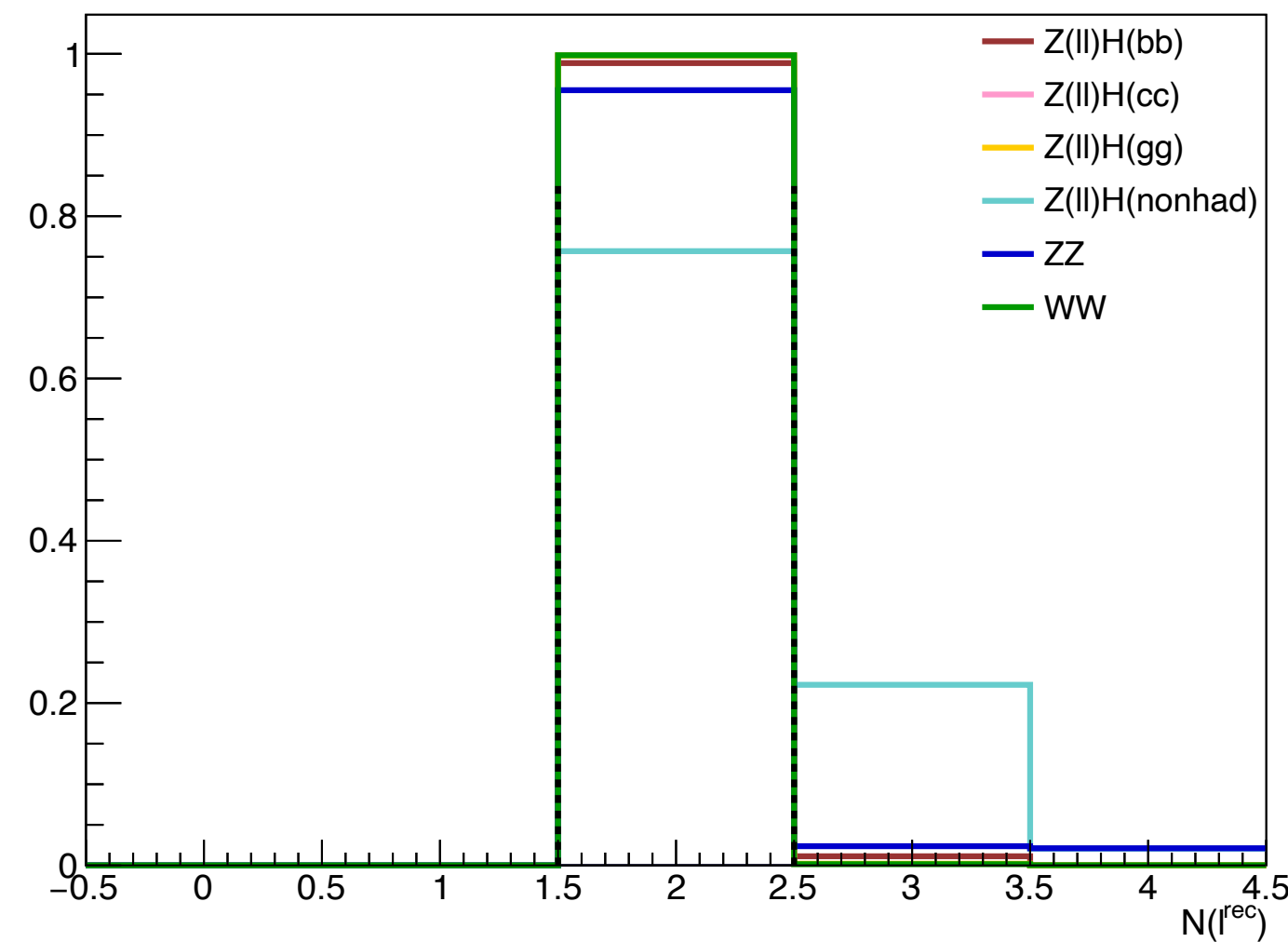
# Event selection

- **Z->ll selection:**

- Exactly 2 isolated electrons or muons,  $Q=0$
- No additional leptons
- Lepton momenta between 20 and 80 GeV
- Dilepton invariant mass in 80-100 GeV
- $|\cos(\text{Polar angle of dilepton pair})| < 0.8$

- **Recoil and jet selection:**

- Recoil mass in 120-140 GeV
- Jet momentum in 10-100 GeV
- Hadronic mass (all jets): long tail, require only  $m < 140$  GeV
- Missing energy  $< 35$  GeV
- $\leq 3$  jets (could actually apply a different #jet cut depending on tagging)



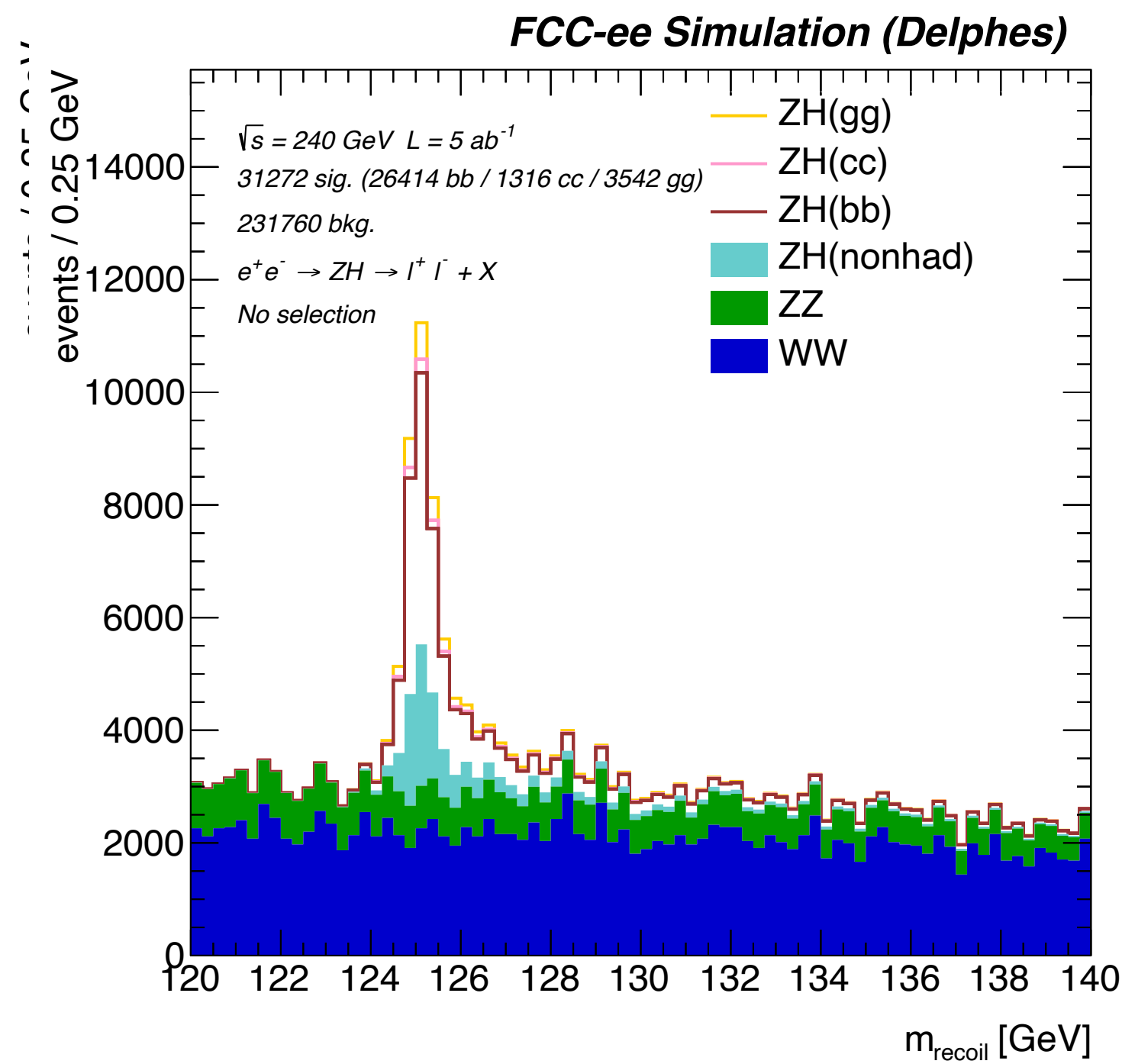


# Cutflow, expected yields, efficiency

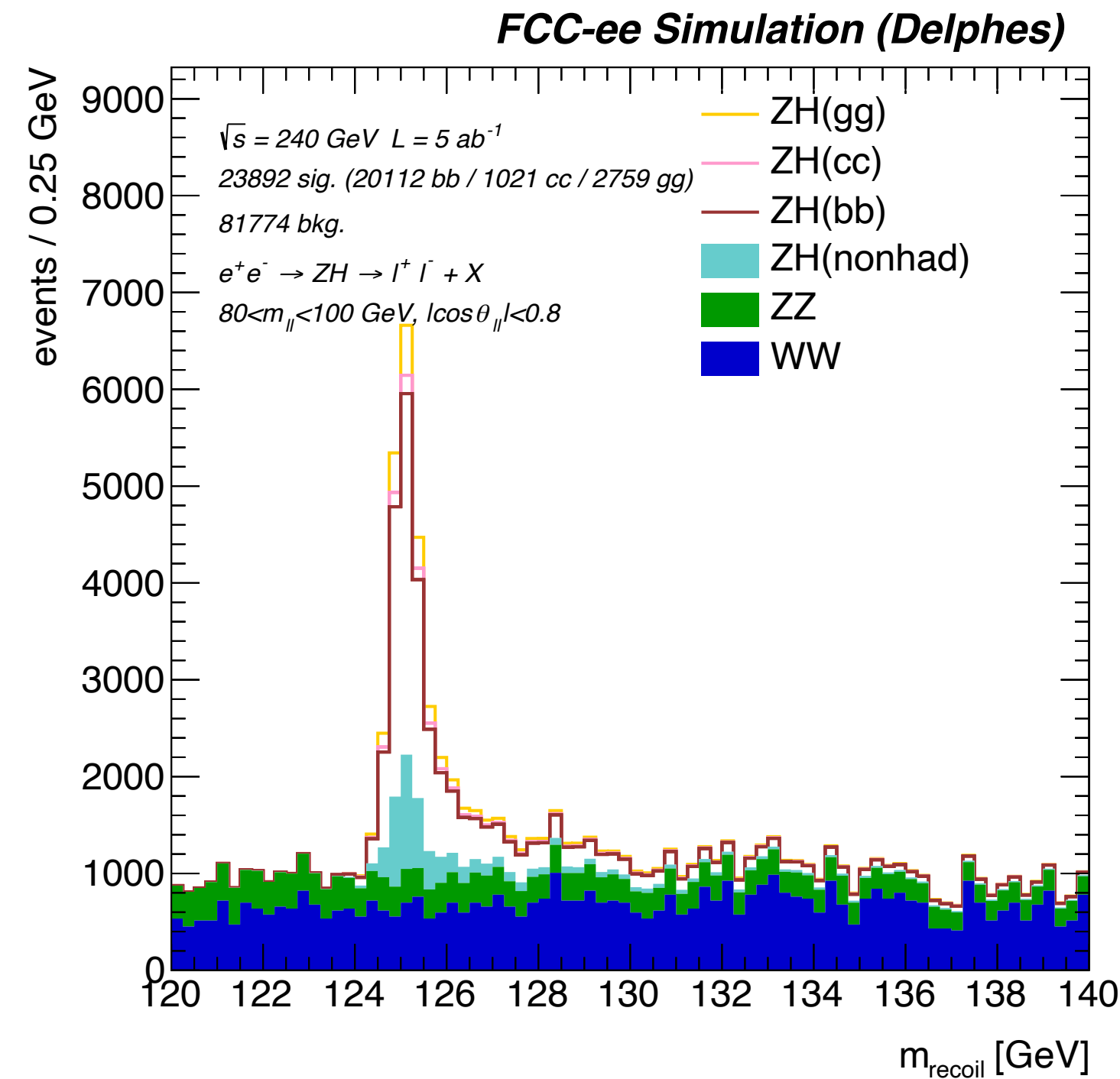
Cut	ZHbb		ZHcc		ZHgg		ZHnonhad	ZZ	WW
	Yield	Sig	Yield	Sig	Yield	Sig			
No cuts	39408	4	1956	0	5540	1	20761	6794950	82192500
2e or 2mu	27574	15	1385	1	3725	2	12288	900705	2256369
No extra lep	27261	15	1382	1	3717	2	9296	860375	2254006
p(lep) 20-80 GeV	27013	24	1373	1	3692	3	8989	441008	761801
q(ll)=0	27013	24	1373	1	3692	3	8733	440177	761267
m(ll) 80-100 GeV	25515	36	1297	2	3488	5	8055	292293	165556
cos(theta_ll) <0.8	20823	36	1058	2	2858	5	6590	182235	127768
m(recoil) 120-140 GeV	20112	62	1021	3	2759	8	6343	21759	53672
p(jets) 10-100 GeV	18382	90	954	5	2534	12	5517	14241	0
m(jets)<140 GeV	18375	90	954	5	2533	12	5516	14084	0
Emiss < 35 GeV	18081	92	944	5	2529	13	4900	12070	0
<=3 jets	17556	92	913	5	2271	12	3766	11837	0
Efficiency (%)	ZHbb	ZHcc	ZHgg	ZHnonhad	WW	ZZ			
	44.55	46.69	40.99	18.14	0.00	0.17			

# Evolution of the $m_{\text{recoil}}$ distribution after the selection steps

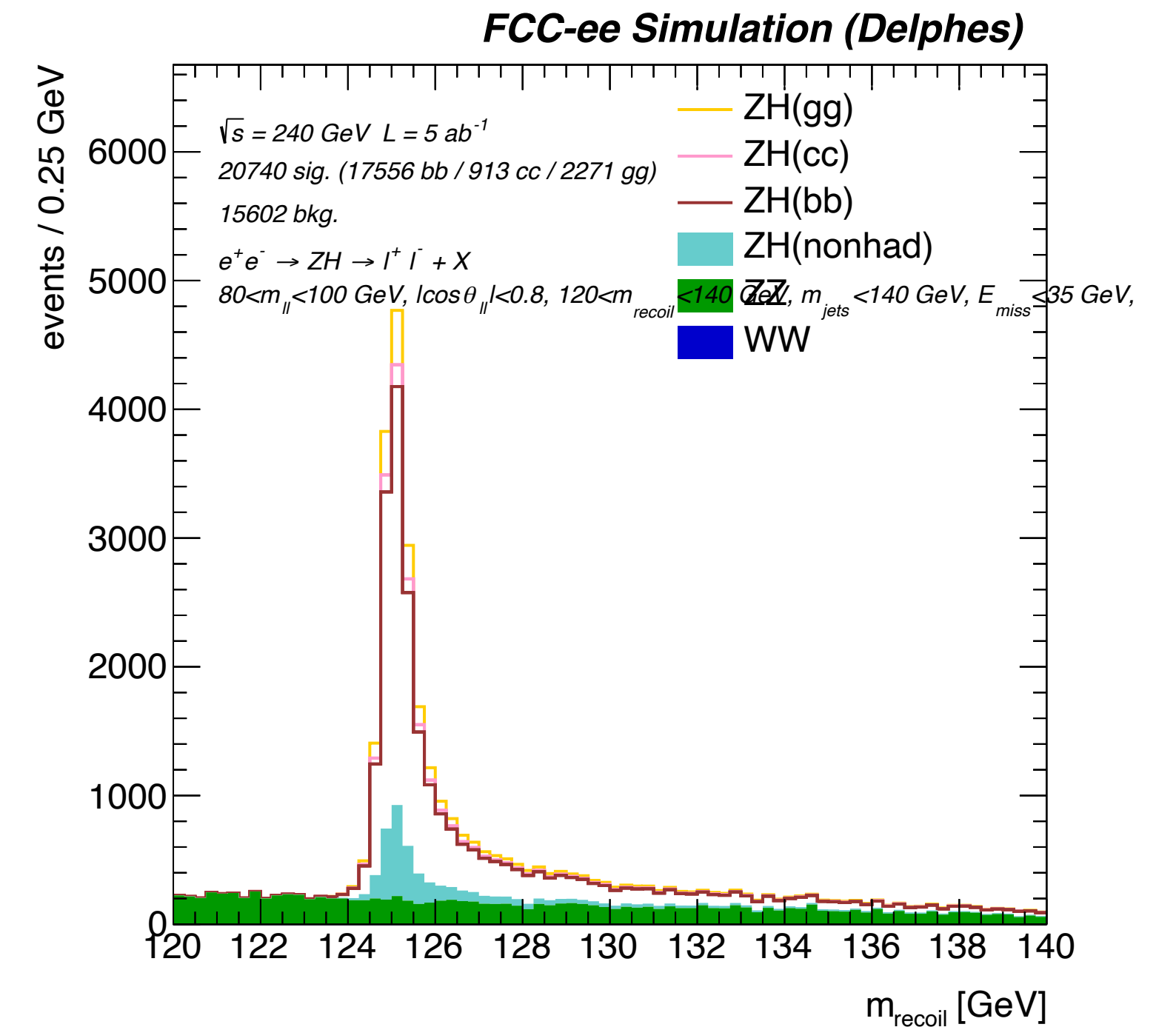
After reconstruction



After Z selection

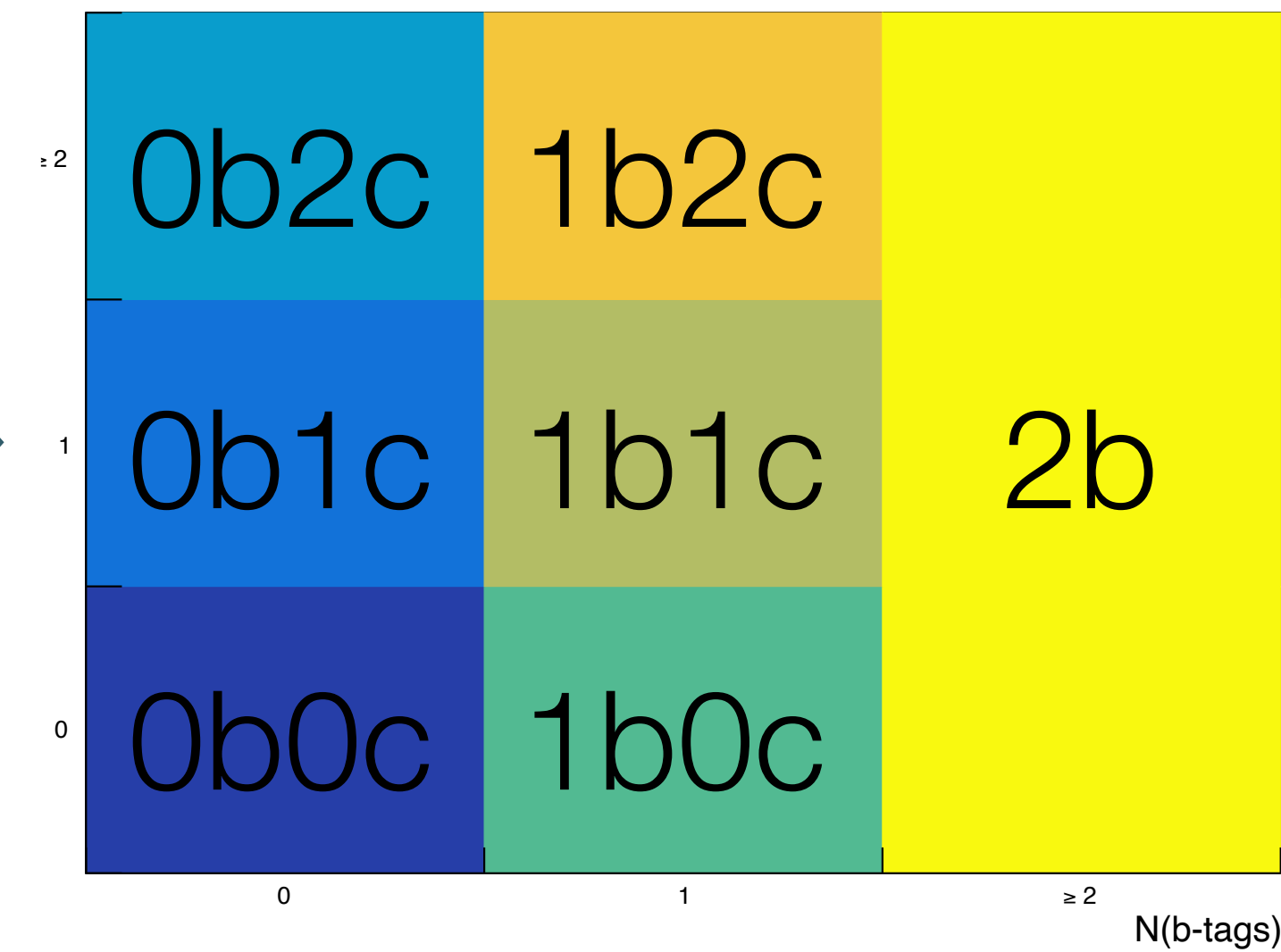
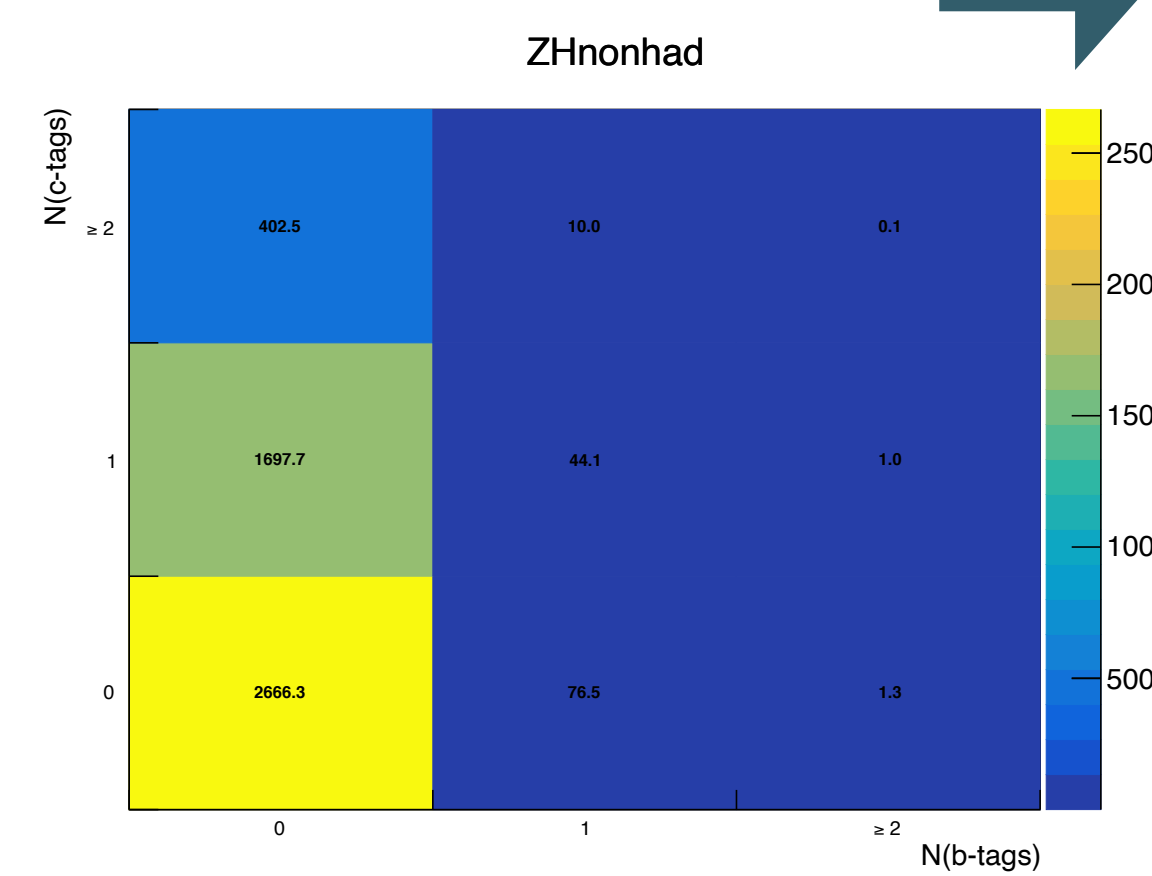
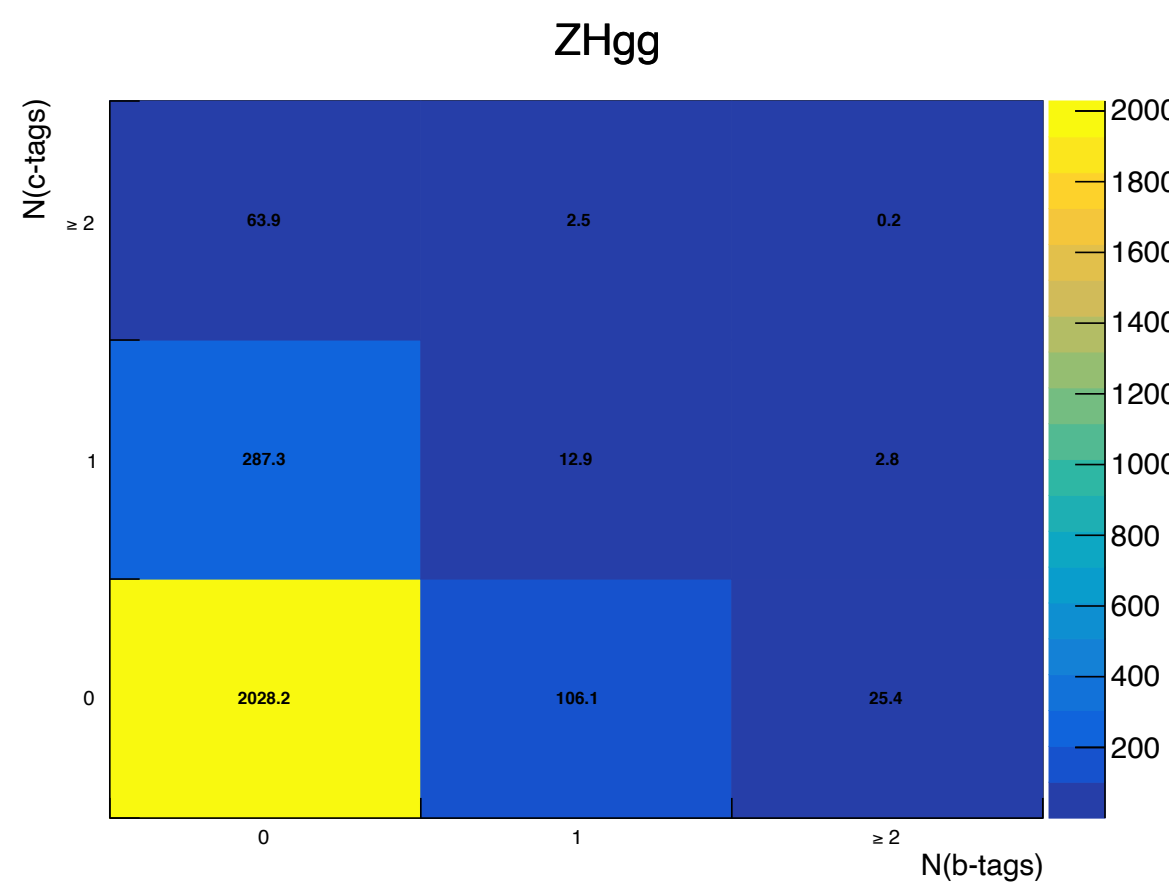
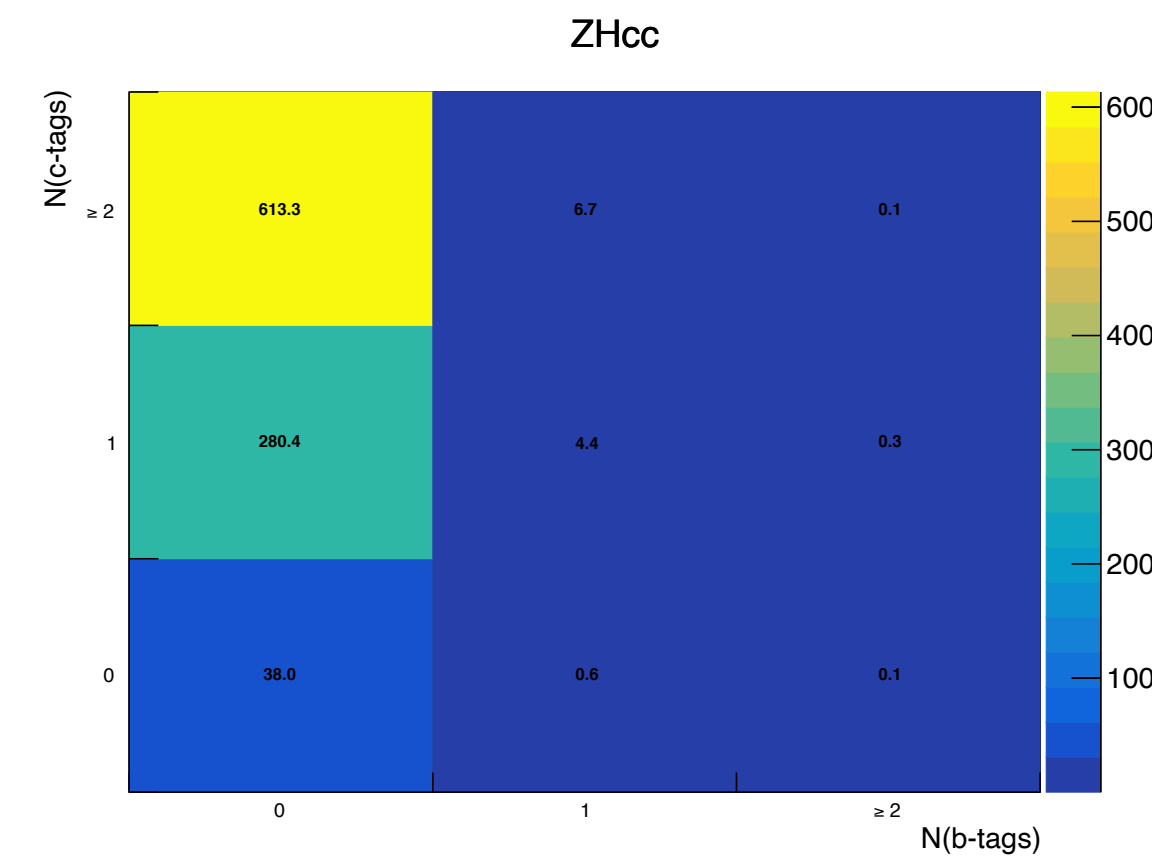
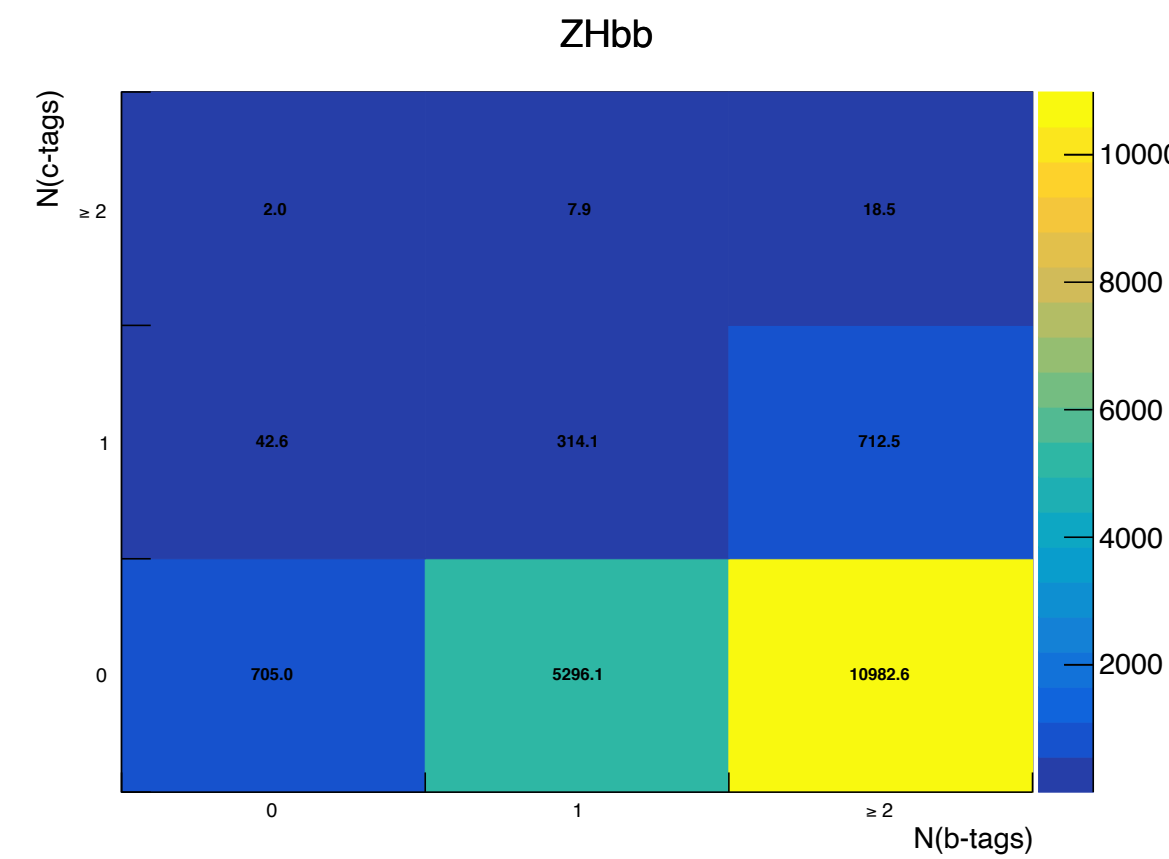
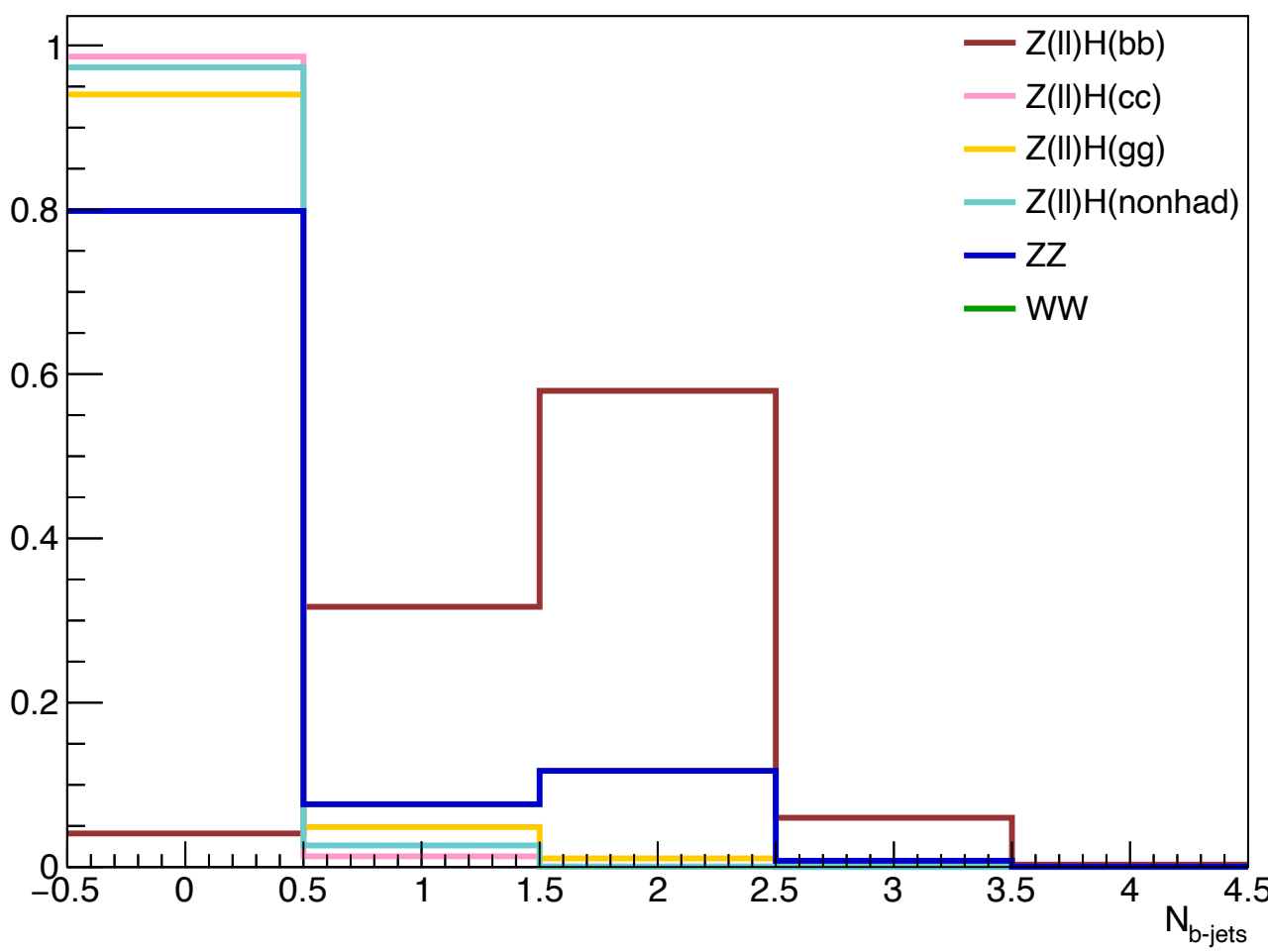


After recoil, jets,  $E_{\text{miss}}$  selection



# Event categorisation

- Events are classified in mutually orthogonal categories based on the number of b- and c- tags



# Event categorisation - expected events per category

EXPECTED YIELDS (significances in parentheses)

	ZHbb	ZHcc	ZHgg	ZHnonhad	bkg
2b	11714 (102)	1 (0)	28 (0)	2 (0)	1435
1b2c	8 (1)	7 (1)	2 (0)	10 (2)	14
1b1c	314 (15)	4 (0)	13 (1)	44 (2)	65
1b0c	5296 (66)	1 (0)	106 (1)	77 (1)	904
0b2c	2 (0)	613 (12)	64 (1)	403 (8)	1410
0b1c	43 (1)	280 (5)	287 (5)	1698 (30)	897
0b0c	705 (6)	38 (0)	2028 (18)	2666 (24)	7345
Total	18081 (123)	944 (13)	2529 (19)	4900 (39)	12070

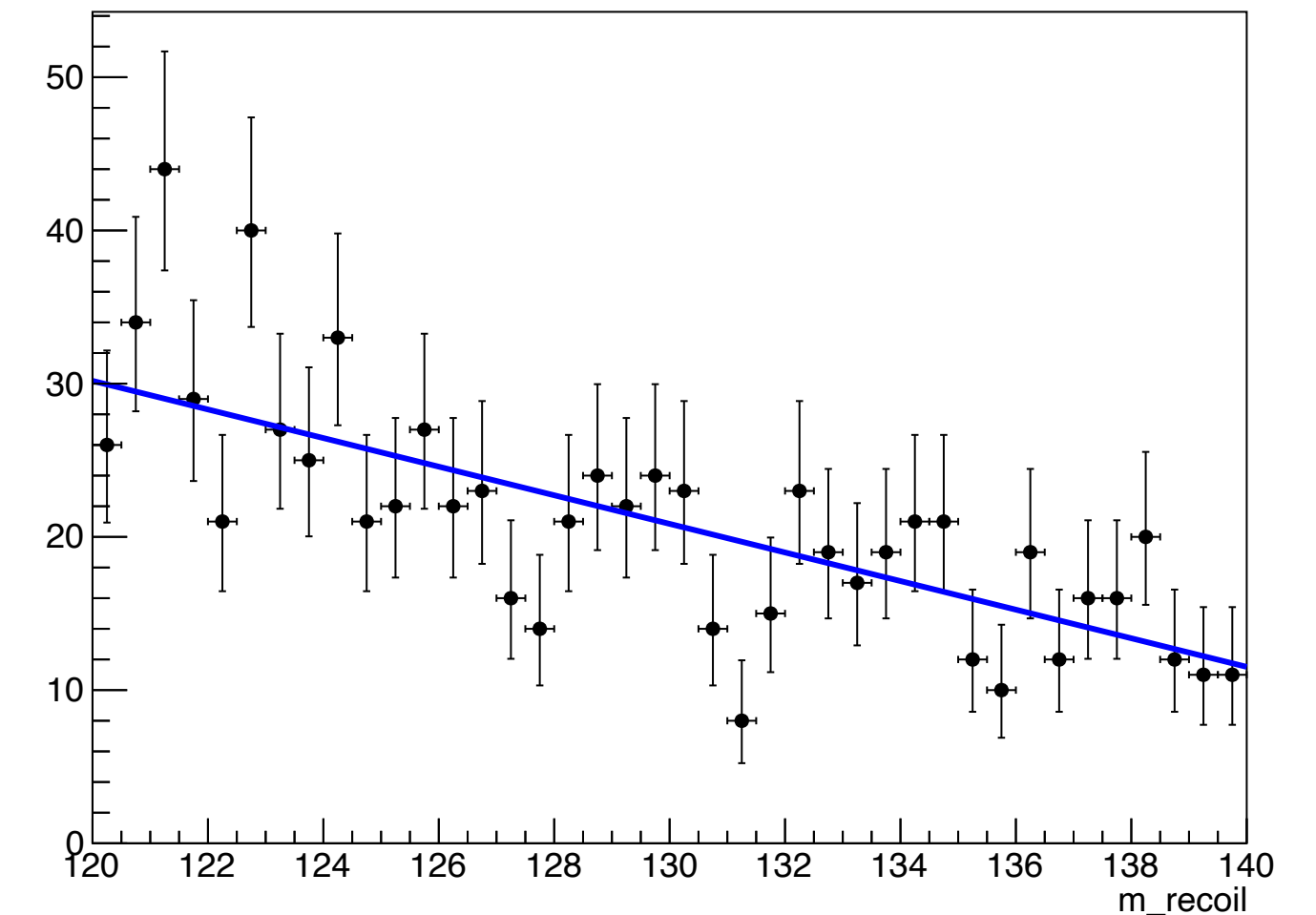
# Fit - likelihood model

- **Simultaneous S+B fit to the recoil mass** of the event categories
- **Background** model: simple functions (**polynomials**, exponentials) with **floating parameters** in each category
- **Signal** model: **Crystal Ball** function with same parameters in each category
  - **peak position = mH + constant** (checked with MC samples w/ different mH)
  - Tail parameters and peak-mH are fixed, **m<sub>H</sub> and resolution are floating**
- Signal yield in each category = function of the efficiencies for the various Z(l)H(->XX) processes in each category (fixed, from simulation) and of  $\sigma_H \cdot BR(H \rightarrow XX)$ :

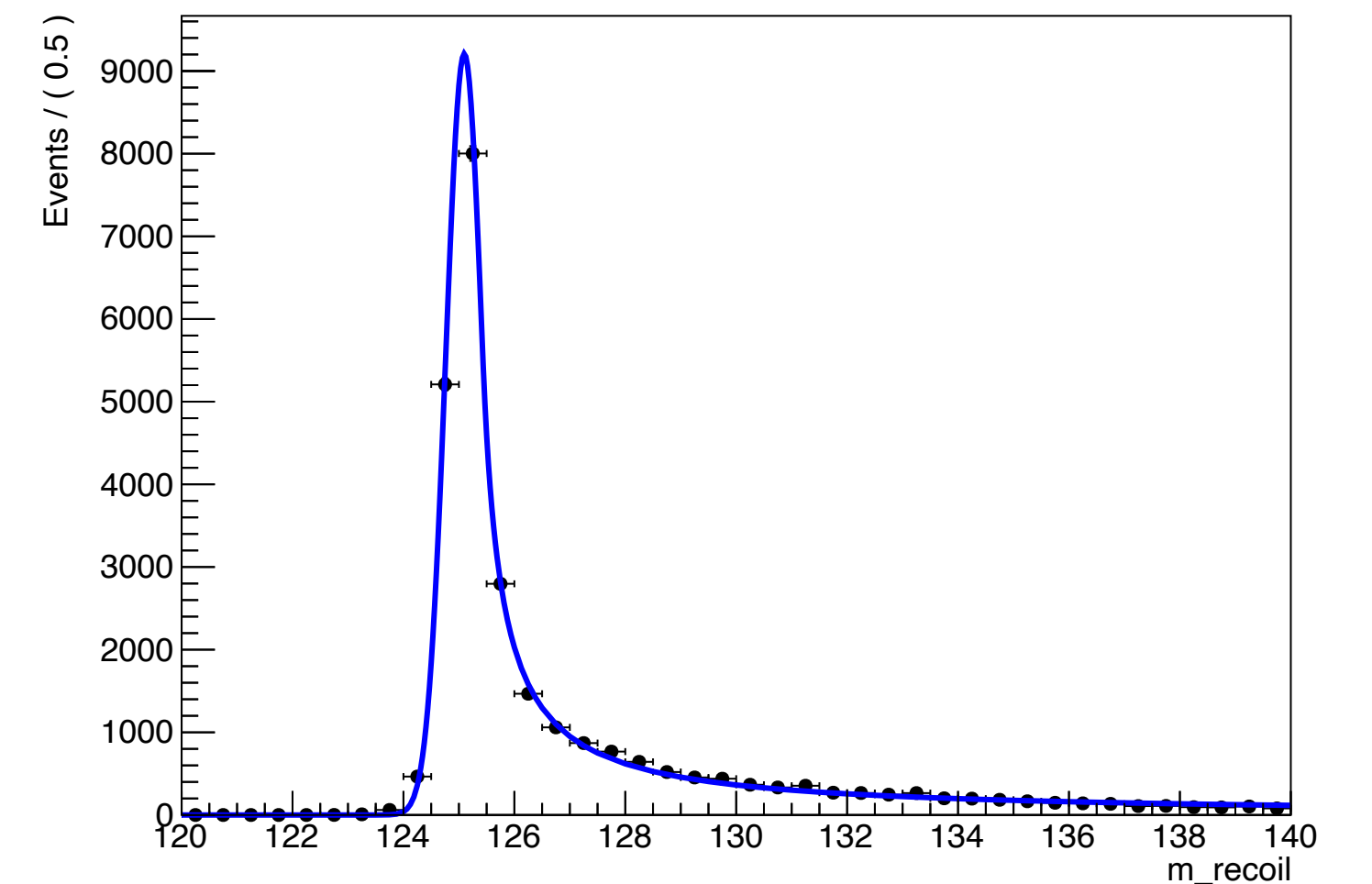
$$N_i = L \times \sigma(ee \rightarrow ZH) \times BR(Z \rightarrow ll) \times \left( BR(H \rightarrow b\bar{b})\epsilon_i^{b\bar{b}} + BR(H \rightarrow c\bar{c})\epsilon_i^{c\bar{c}} + BR(H \rightarrow gg)\epsilon_i^{gg} + BR(H \rightarrow nonhad)\epsilon_i^{nh} \right).$$

- In fit,  $\sigma \cdot BR(H \rightarrow XX) = (\sigma \cdot BR(H \rightarrow XX))_{SM} \cdot K_{XX} \Rightarrow$  **parameters of interest = {K<sub>XX</sub>}**
- Fit the output of the Pythia+Delphes simulation (not an Asimov sample generated from the nominal models)  $\Rightarrow$  statistical deviations from expected values  $k_{XX}=1$  are expected
- The fit is **binned**, in the  $m_{recoil}$  range **120-140 GeV**

ee -> ZZ 2b

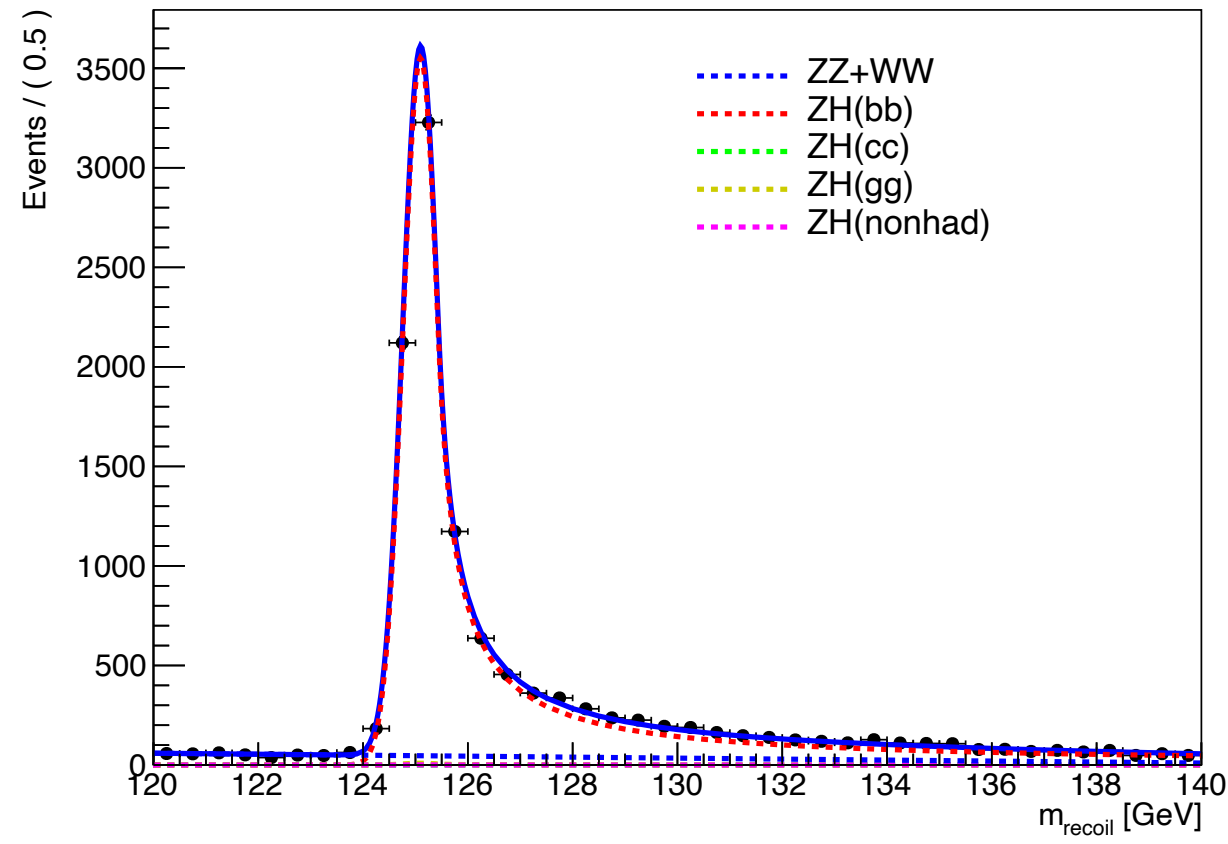


ee -> ZHbb 2b

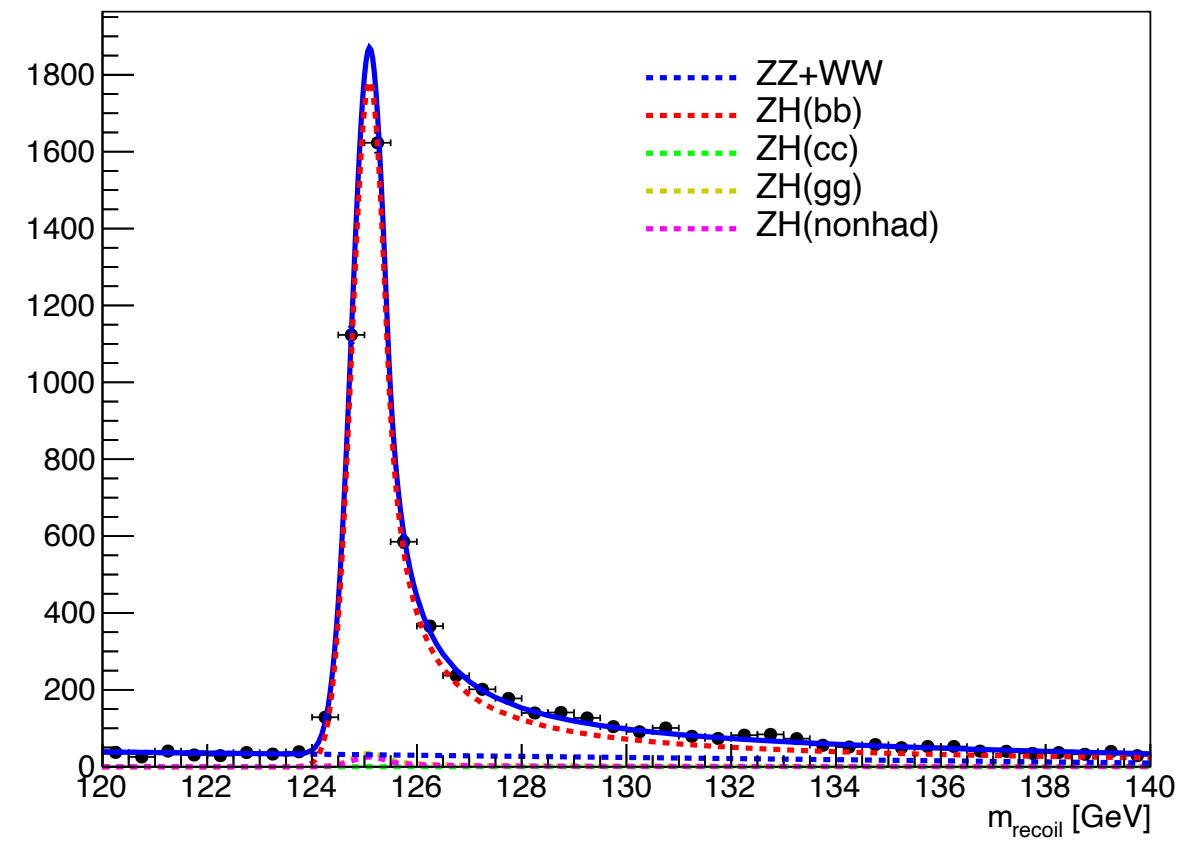


# Results

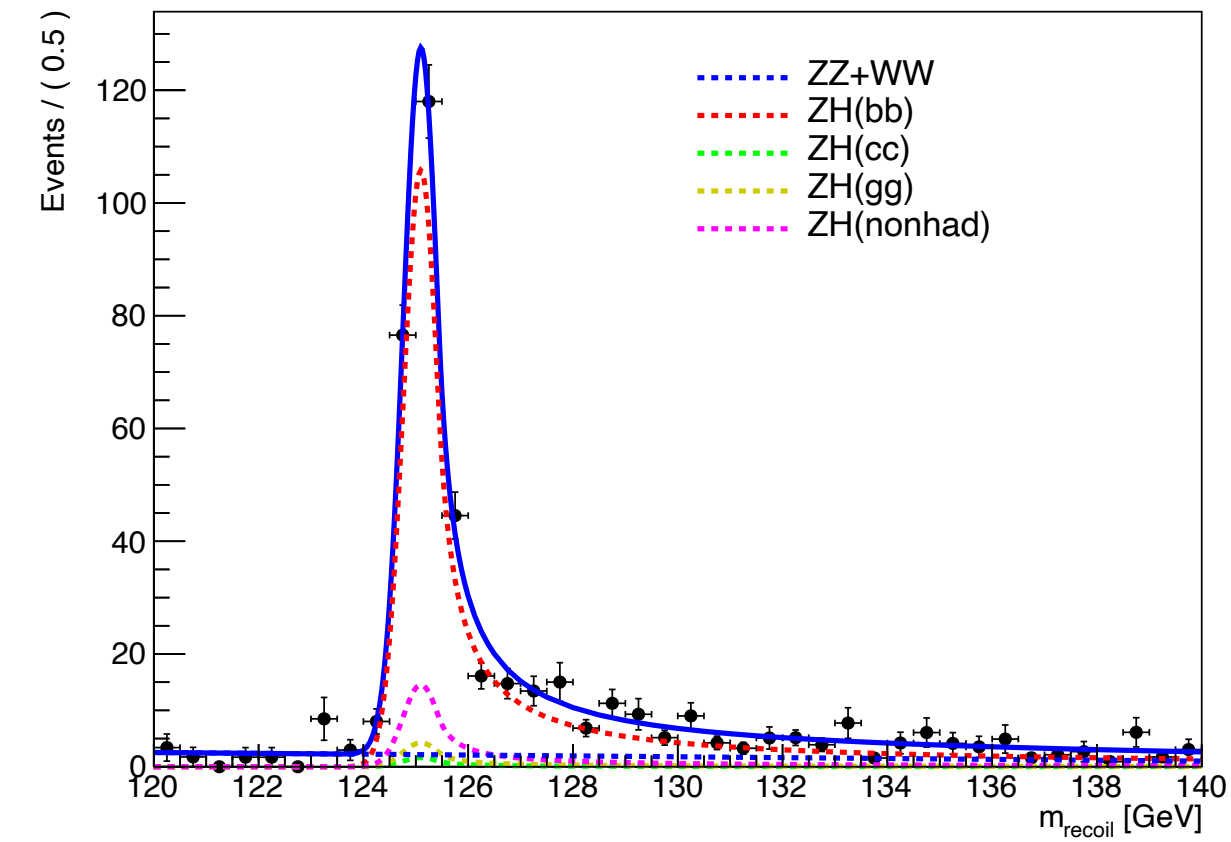
ee -> ZH, WW, ZZ, 2b



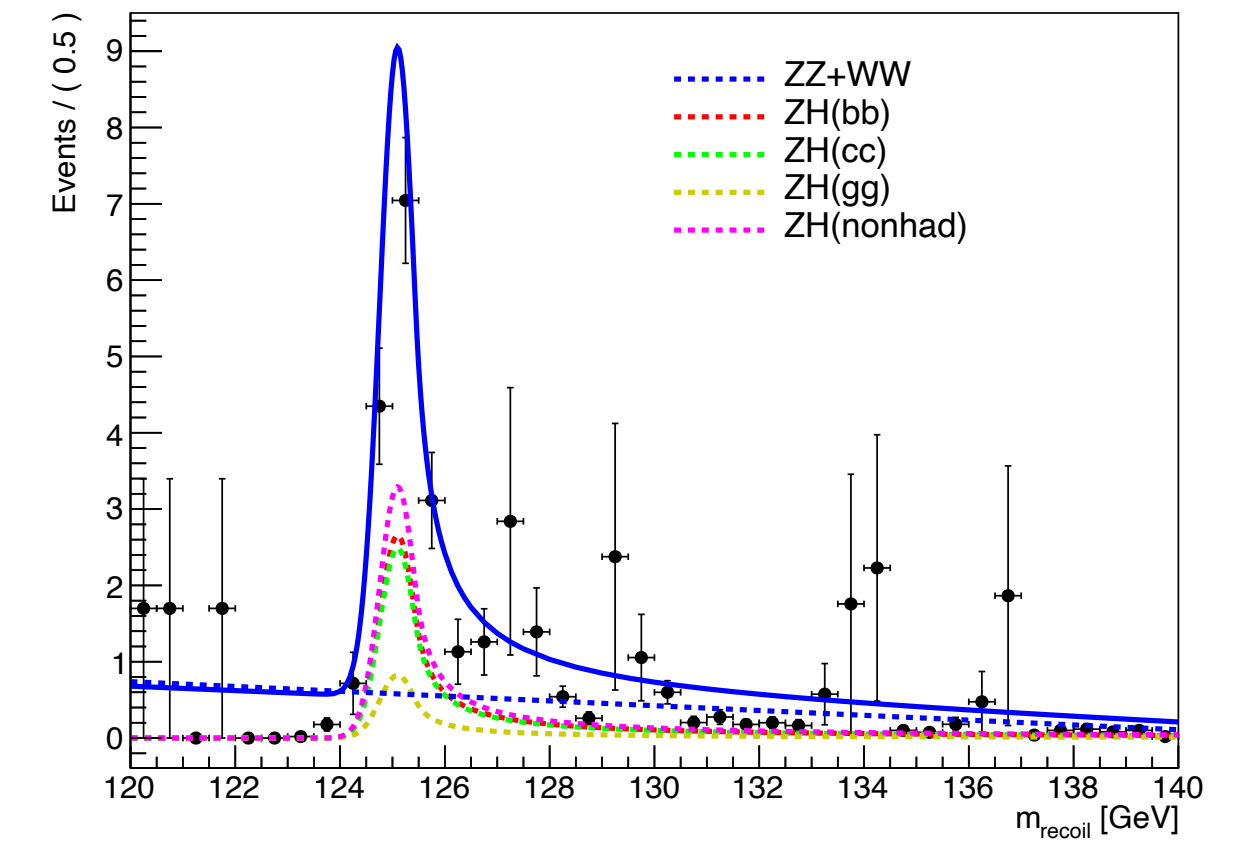
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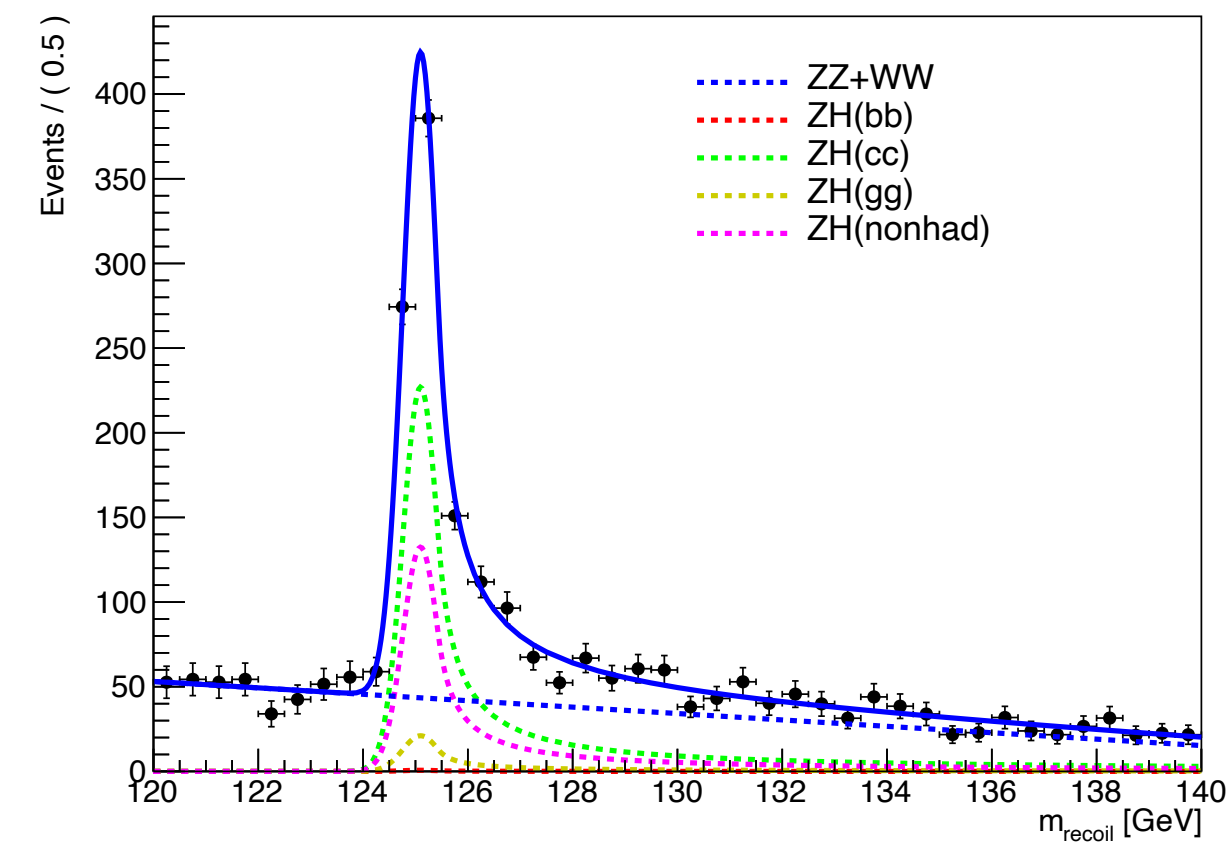
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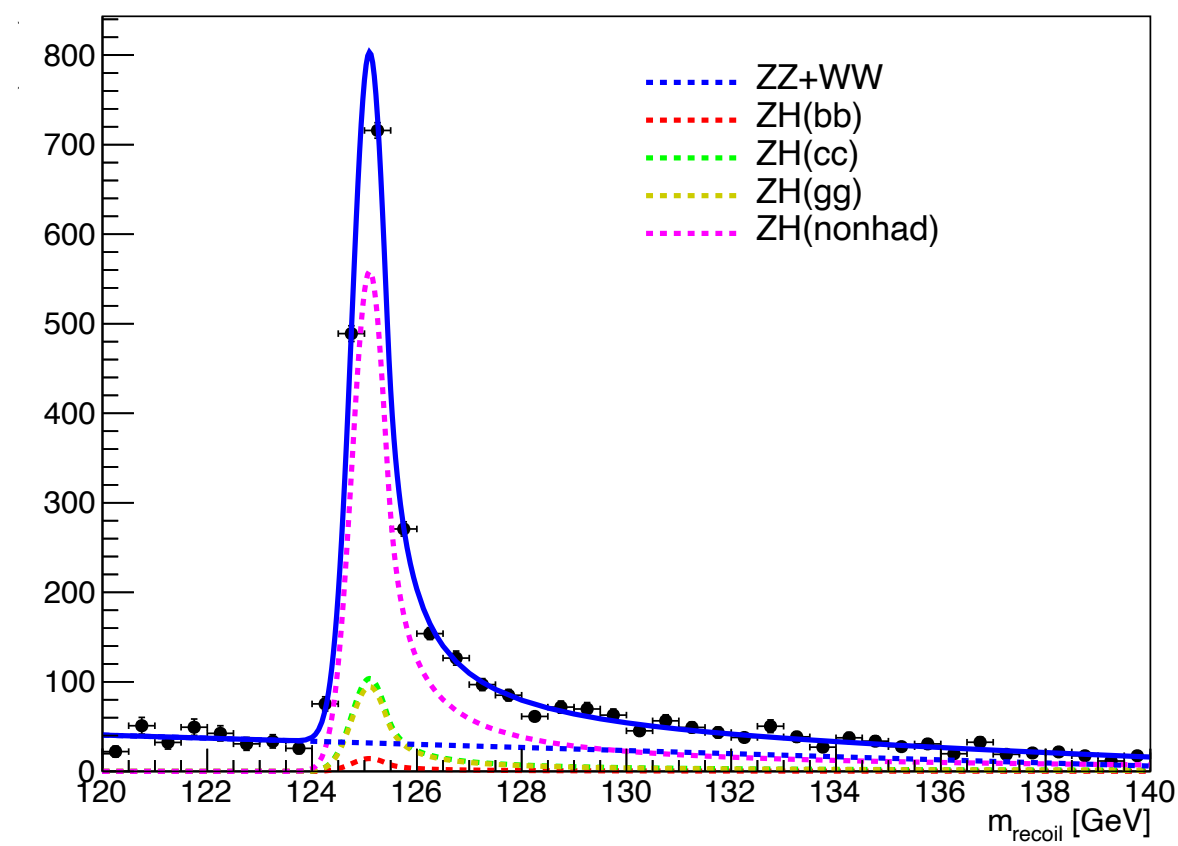
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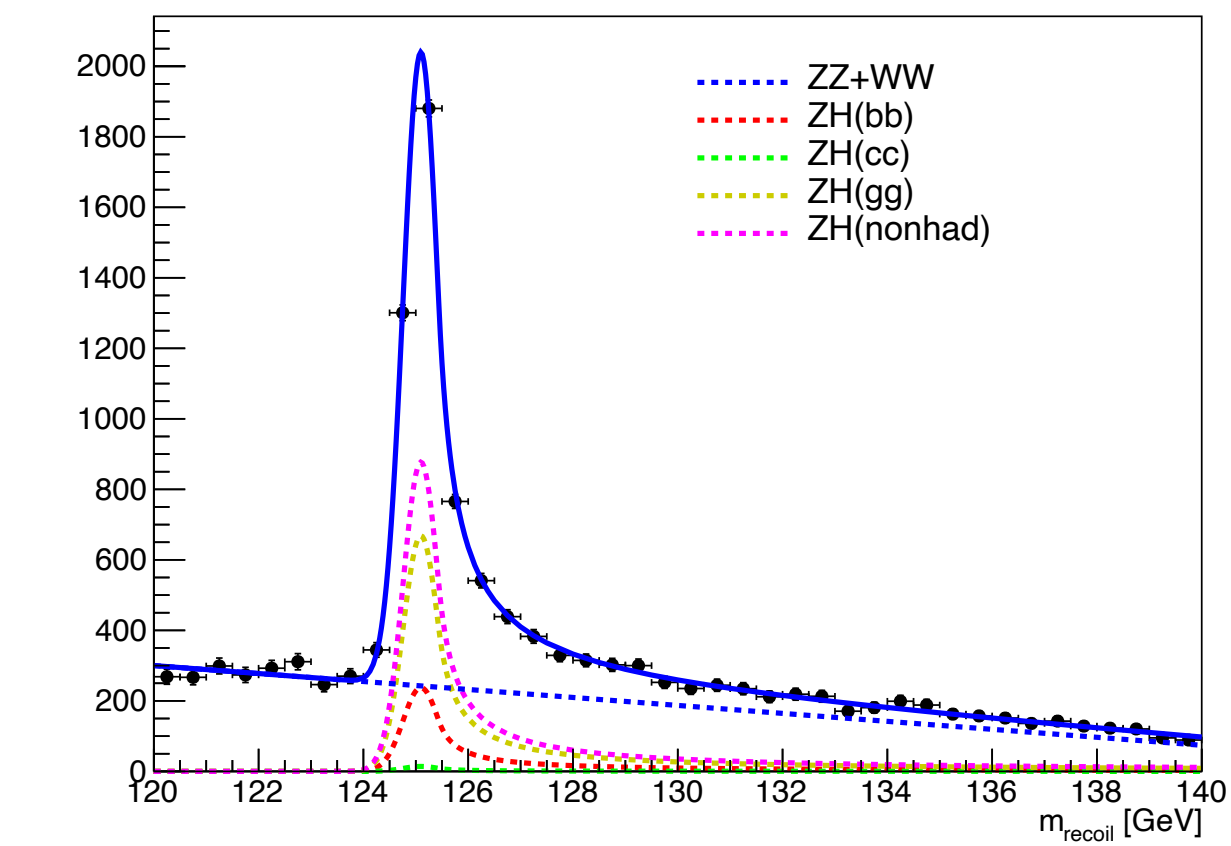
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ee -> ZH, WW, ZZ, 0b1c



ee -> ZH, WW, ZZ, 0b0c



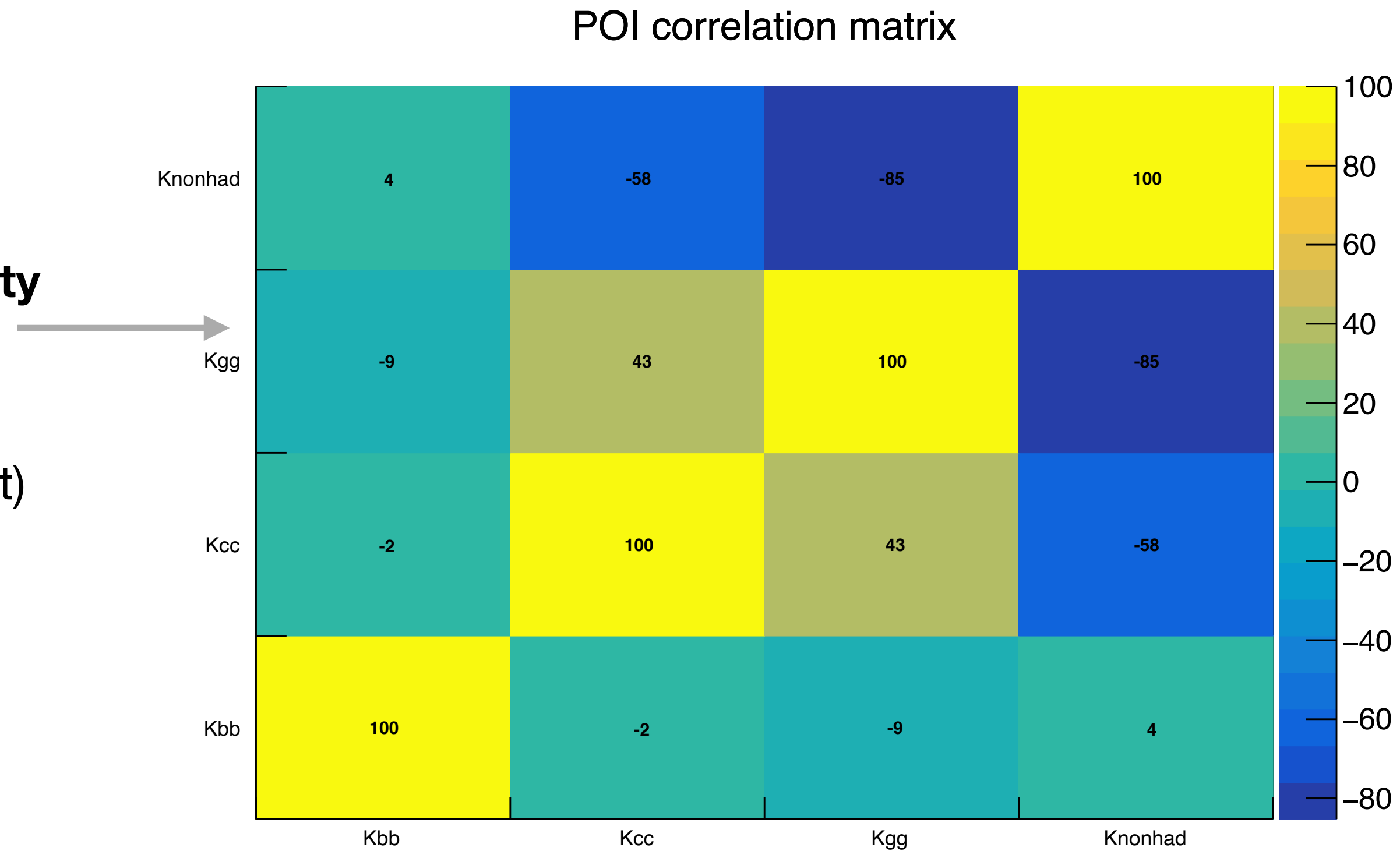
Kbb	1.0000e+00	9.8842e-01 +/-	9.18e-03
Kcc	1.0000e+00	1.0860e+00 +/-	8.68e-02
Kgg	1.0000e+00	9.6729e-01 +/-	9.36e-02
Knonhad	1.0000e+00	9.6564e-01 +/-	5.37e-02
Yield_0b0c_bkg	7.3453e+03	7.4855e+03 +/-	1.11e+02
Yield_0b1c_bkg	8.9693e+02	9.3080e+02 +/-	4.61e+01
Yield_0b2c_bkg	1.4100e+03	1.3672e+03 +/-	4.81e+01
Yield_1b0c_bkg	9.0373e+02	9.6276e+02 +/-	5.11e+01
Yield_1b1c_bkg	6.4552e+01	7.0688e+01 +/-	1.29e+01
Yield_1b2c_bkg	1.3590e+01	1.6957e+01 +/-	5.19e+00
Yield_2b_bkg	1.3182e+03	1.3818e+03 +/-	6.79e+01
mH	1.2500e+02	1.2500e+02 +/-	3.35e-03

- Relative error on Kbb: 0.9%
- Relative error on Kcc: 8.0%
- Relative error on Kgg: 9.7%
- Relative error on Knonhad: 5.6%

# Results with non-hadronic Higgs decays BR fixed

- Categories enriched in  $H \rightarrow cc$ ,  $gg$  have non negligible contamination from non-hadronic Higgs decays (mainly  $WW$  &  $\tau\tau$  with hadronic  $W$  or  $\tau$  decays)
- **Uncertainties in  $BR(cc)$  and  $BR(gg)$  are affected by uncertainty in  $BR(nonhad)$ , to which they are largely anti correlated**
- In principle  $H(WW)$  and  $H(\tau\tau)$  will be well measured by means of dedicated studies, we can profile them in the fit (or do a global fit)
- **Here we estimate what happens if we just fix  $BR(nonhad)$  to the SM:**

Kbb	1.0000e+00	9.8864e-01 +/-	9.17e-03
Kcc	1.0000e+00	1.0541e+00 +/-	7.00e-02
Kgg	1.0000e+00	9.1589e-01 +/-	4.89e-02
Yield_0b0c_bkg	7.3453e+03	7.4923e+03 +/-	1.11e+02
Yield_0b1c_bkg	8.9693e+02	9.1888e+02 +/-	4.20e+01
Yield_0b2c_bkg	1.4100e+03	1.3712e+03 +/-	4.77e+01
Yield_1b0c_bkg	9.0373e+02	9.6331e+02 +/-	5.11e+01
Yield_1b1c_bkg	6.4552e+01	7.0401e+01 +/-	1.29e+01
Yield_1b2c_bkg	1.3590e+01	1.6954e+01 +/-	5.19e+00
Yield_2b_bkg	1.3182e+03	1.3816e+03 +/-	6.79e+01
mH	1.2500e+02	1.2500e+02 +/-	3.35e-03



Relative error on Kbb: 0.9%  
 Relative error on Kcc: 6.6%  
 Relative error on Kgg: 5.3%  
 Relative error on Knonhad: 0.0%

# Impact of gluon tagging

- If gluon tagging is available => **split the 0b0c category into 0b0c0g, 0b0c1g, 0b0c2g**
- This leads to improved results (mainly on Kgg) thanks to the rejection of quark jets from W and tau decays from the Higgs

Kbb	1.0000e+00	9.8890e-01 +/-	8.81e-03
Kcc	1.0000e+00	1.0844e+00 +/-	7.91e-02
Kgg	1.0000e+00	9.4885e-01 +/-	4.70e-02
Knonhad	1.0000e+00	9.7048e-01 +/-	3.25e-02
Yield_0b0c0g_bkg	4.8924e+03	4.9375e+03 +/-	8.33e+01
Yield_0b0c1g_bkg	2.1353e+03	2.2196e+03 +/-	5.72e+01
Yield_0b0c2g_bkg	3.0068e+02	3.2326e+02 +/-	2.60e+01
Yield_0b1c_bkg	8.9693e+02	9.2988e+02 +/-	4.40e+01
Yield_0b2c_bkg	1.4100e+03	1.3670e+03 +/-	4.79e+01
Yield_1b0c_bkg	9.0373e+02	9.6250e+02 +/-	5.10e+01
Yield_1b1c_bkg	6.4552e+01	7.0569e+01 +/-	1.29e+01
Yield_1b2c_bkg	1.3590e+01	1.6955e+01 +/-	5.19e+00
Yield_2b_bkg	1.4354e+03	1.5029e+03 +/-	7.13e+01
mH	1.2500e+02	1.2500e+02 +/-	3.27e-03

Relative error on Kbb: 0.9%  
 Relative error on Kcc: 7.3%  
 Relative error on Kgg: 5.0%  
 Relative error on Knonhad: 3.4%



# Updated results with official FCC samples

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- Recently I was able to run the analysis on the FCC-ee “spring21” samples with a little coding effort to implement some missing features.
- For comparison to previous study I tried to keep things as close as possible to the past:
  - Same event generator (Pythia8), same detector (IDEA), same list of signal and background processes, same jet clustering algorithm (Valencia inclusive), same selection criteria and categories
  - Main differences:
    - beam energy spread and vertex smearing on
  - Modifications with respect to the standard FCC-ee analysis code:
    - Modify flavour tagging code to allow for non-zero mistag rate
    - Modify parton-level truth labelling of jets to allow also matching to gluons
    - Introduce routine to remove selected leptons from particles used for jet clustering
- Samples used (Pythia 8):
  - ZZ and WW (central production, 10M each, x2.5 wrt past)
  - Z(l)H(XX) produced privately with same settings as official production, in order to normalise separately the Higgs samples independently of the Pythia H(XX) branching ratios

# New results (w/o gluon tagging)

## • Cutflow:

Cut	ZHbb		ZHcc		ZHgg		ZHnonhad		ZZ	WW
	Yield	Sig	Yield	Sig	Yield	Sig	Yield	Yield	Yield	
No cuts	39408	4	1956	0	5540	1	20761	6794950	82192500	
2e or 2mu	26612	15	1339	1	3619	2	12021	872217	2130832	
No extra lep	26315	15	1336	1	3610	2	9119	832358	2128490	
p(lep) 20-80 GeV	26078	23	1327	1	3586	3	8790	446002	792237	
q(ll)=0	26076	23	1327	1	3586	3	8519	444952	791982	
m(ll) 80-100 GeV	24655	35	1257	2	3395	5	7840	296669	172966	
cos(theta_ll)  < 0.8	20094	34	1025	2	2773	5	6408	188152	130596	
m(recoil) 120-140 GeV	18942	56	965	3	2615	8	6025	31448	54403	
p(jets) 10-100 GeV	18796	83	959	4	2594	11	5697	23233	312	
m(jets) < 140 GeV	18795	83	959	4	2594	11	5697	23228	312	
Emiss < 35 GeV	18456	85	947	4	2589	12	4995	19555	90	
Efficiency (%)	ZHbb	ZHcc	ZHgg	ZHnonhad	WW	ZZ				
	42.84	44.46	36.47	14.68	0.00	0.26				

## • Yields vs category:

EXPECTED YIELDS (significances in parentheses)

	ZHbb	ZHcc	ZHgg	ZHnonhad	bkg
2b	10380 ( 93)	0 ( 0)	31 ( 0)	2 ( 0)	2094
1b2c	20 ( 2)	7 ( 1)	2 ( 0)	11 ( 1)	29
1b1c	422 ( 17)	6 ( 0)	13 ( 1)	52 ( 2)	135
1b0c	6075 ( 69)	1 ( 0)	109 ( 1)	81 ( 1)	1534
0b2c	5 ( 0)	539 ( 10)	66 ( 1)	364 ( 7)	1926
0b1c	91 ( 1)	334 ( 5)	307 ( 5)	1663 ( 26)	1822
0b0c	1464 ( 11)	61 ( 0)	2061 ( 15)	2823 ( 21)	12106
Total	18456 (117)	947 ( 11)	2589 ( 16)	4995 ( 34)	19645

## • Fit results:

Floating Parameter	InitialValue	FinalValue +/-	Error
Kbb	1.0000e+00	9.9647e-01 +/-	2.08e-02
Kcc	1.0000e+00	9.9207e-01 +/-	9.94e-02
Kgg	1.0000e+00	9.8662e-01 +/-	1.10e-01
Knonhad	1.0000e+00	9.9520e-01 +/-	5.19e-02
Yield_0b0c_bkg	1.2106e+04	1.2150e+04 +/-	2.63e+02
Yield_0b1c_bkg	1.8224e+03	1.8358e+03 +/-	8.70e+01
Yield_0b2c_bkg	1.9257e+03	1.9322e+03 +/-	6.36e+01
Yield_1b0c_bkg	1.5336e+03	1.5561e+03 +/-	1.32e+02
Yield_1b1c_bkg	1.3454e+02	1.3653e+02 +/-	2.03e+01
Yield_1b2c_bkg	2.8539e+01	2.9214e+01 +/-	6.40e+00
Yield_2b_bkg	2.0942e+03	2.1347e+03 +/-	2.26e+02
mH	1.2500e+02	1.2498e+02 +/-	7.58e-02
p0_0b0c	5.0000e+03	3.2689e+00 +/-	1.55e-01
p0_0b1c	5.0000e+03	1.9084e+00 +/-	1.64e-01
p0_0b2c	5.0000e+03	2.5832e+00 +/-	2.51e-01
p0_1b0c	5.0000e+03	2.7417e+00 +/-	4.52e-01
p0_1b1c	5.0000e+03	5.0046e+00 +/-	3.98e+00
p0_1b2c	5.0000e+03	5.8040e+00 +/-	7.23e+00
p0_2b	5.0000e+03	4.0022e+00 +/-	1.35e+00
sigma	3.9400e-01	3.7933e-01 +/-	6.17e-02

Relative error on Kbb: 2.1%  
 Relative error on Kcc: 10.0%  
 Relative error on Kgg: 11.1%  
 Relative error on Knonhad: 5.2%

- Similar signal yields but B +60%  
 ➔ larger uncertainties on  $\sigma_{BR}$  (2x for Kbb)!
- Need to re-optimize selection to account for BES and vertex smearing and of course validate more thoroughly new code (esp. flavour labelling of jets)

# Conclusions

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- **Preliminary study of sensitivity to hadronic Higgs BR with Z(l)H shows <math>\lesssim 1\%</math> uncertainty on  $H \rightarrow bb$  and 5-10% uncertainty on  $H \rightarrow cc$  and  $H \rightarrow gg$** 
  - Depending on various scenarios (BR  $H \rightarrow WW$  and  $\tau\tau$  measured separately, gluon tagging, ...)
  - Various caveats: no BES and vertex smearing, only stat. uncertainties, sub-leading backgrounds not included..
  - Very recent update with official samples shows worse performance (2% on  $Kbb$ ) with same analysis => need to consolidate results and (re)optimise selection criteria
- Several things remain to be done
  - Investigate **other event generators and more backgrounds**
  - Investigate impact of **alternative detector designs** (and of new algorithms) affecting **flavour tagging**
  - **Systematic uncertainties**
  - **Fit** (binned vs unbinned / range / signal model parameters that can / can't be correlated across categories / Asimov ..)
  - Improve **hadronic mass resolution** (correct for missing energy from neutrinos ..) to improve discrimination between signal and background

# Backup

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# Event reconstruction - custom Delphes sequence

```
set ExecutionPath {  
  ParticlePropagator  
  
  ChargedHadronTrackingEfficiency  
  ElectronTrackingEfficiency  
  MuonTrackingEfficiency  
  
  TrackMergerPre  
  TrackSmearing  
  TrackMerger  
  
  Calorimeter  
  EFlowMerger  
  
  PhotonEfficiency  
  PhotonIsolation  
  
  ElectronFilter  
  ElectronEfficiency  
  ElectronIsolation  
  
  MuonFilter  
  MuonEfficiency  
  MuonIsolation  
  
  EFlowFilter  
  
  NeutrinoFilter  
  GenJetFinder  
  
  FastJetFinderAntiKt  
  FastJetFinderVLC_inclusive  
  FastJetFinderVLC_N2  
  FastJetFinderVLC_N4  
  
  JetEnergyScaleAntiKt  
  JetEnergyScaleVLC_inclusive  
  JetEnergyScaleVLC_N2  
  JetEnergyScaleVLC_N4  
  
  MissingET  
  GenMissingET  
  
  JetFlavorAssociationAntiKt  
  JetFlavorAssociationVLC_inclusive  
  JetFlavorAssociationVLC_N2  
  JetFlavorAssociationVLC_N4  
  
  BTaggingAntiKt  
  BTaggingVLC_inclusive  
  BTaggingVLC_N2  
  BTaggingVLC_N4  
  
  CTaggingAntiKt  
  CTaggingVLC_inclusive  
  CTaggingVLC_N2  
  CTaggingVLC_N4  
  
  GTaggingAntiKt  
  GTaggingVLC_inclusive  
  GTaggingVLC_N2  
  GTaggingVLC_N4  
  
  ScalarHT  
  TreeWriter  
}
```

Tracking

Calorimetry

Identification of isolated e,  $\mu$ ,  $\gamma$

Remove e,  $\mu$ ,  $\gamma$  from EFlow objects for jet clustering

Truth-level jet clustering

Detector-level jet clustering (anti-kt, Valencia inclusive and 2- and 4-jet exclusive algorithms)

Jet energy scale

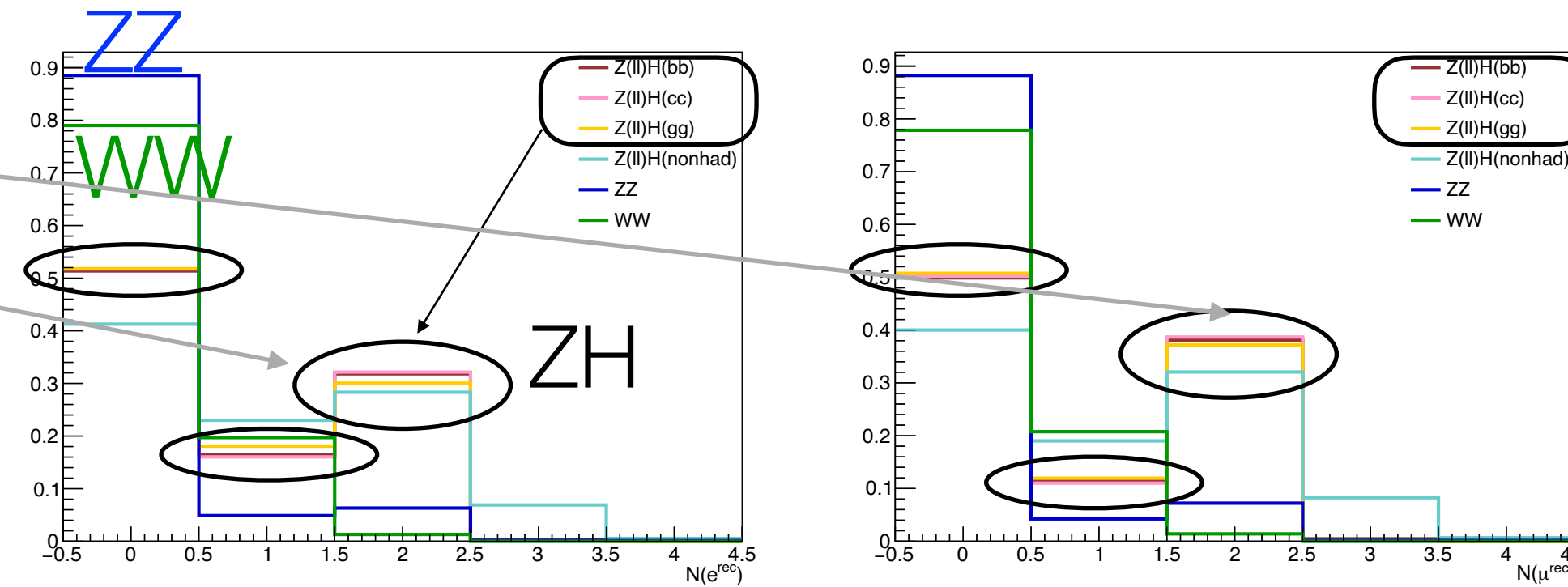
Missing energy (true and reconstructed)

Jet flavour labelling and flavour tagging

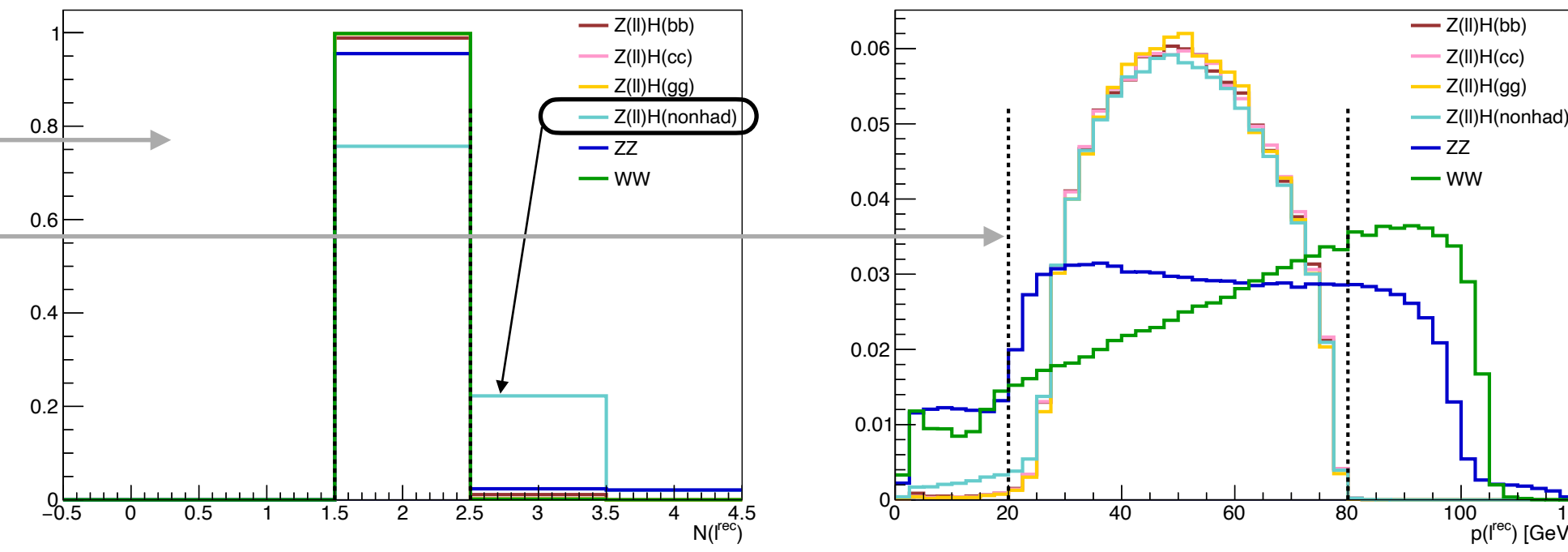
H<sub>T</sub>

# Event selection - Z->ll

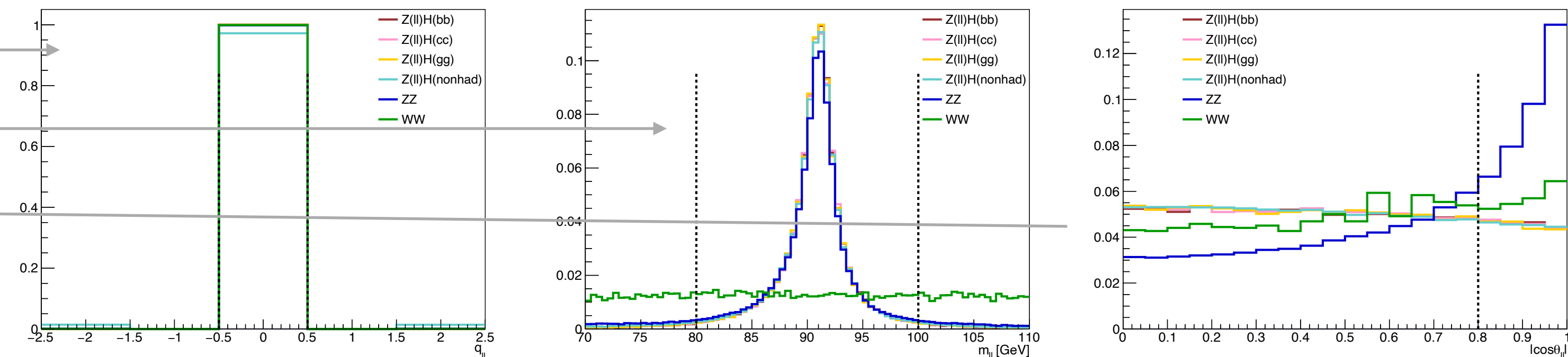
- Exactly 2 isolated electrons or muons



- No additional leptons
- Lepton momenta between 20 and 80 GeV

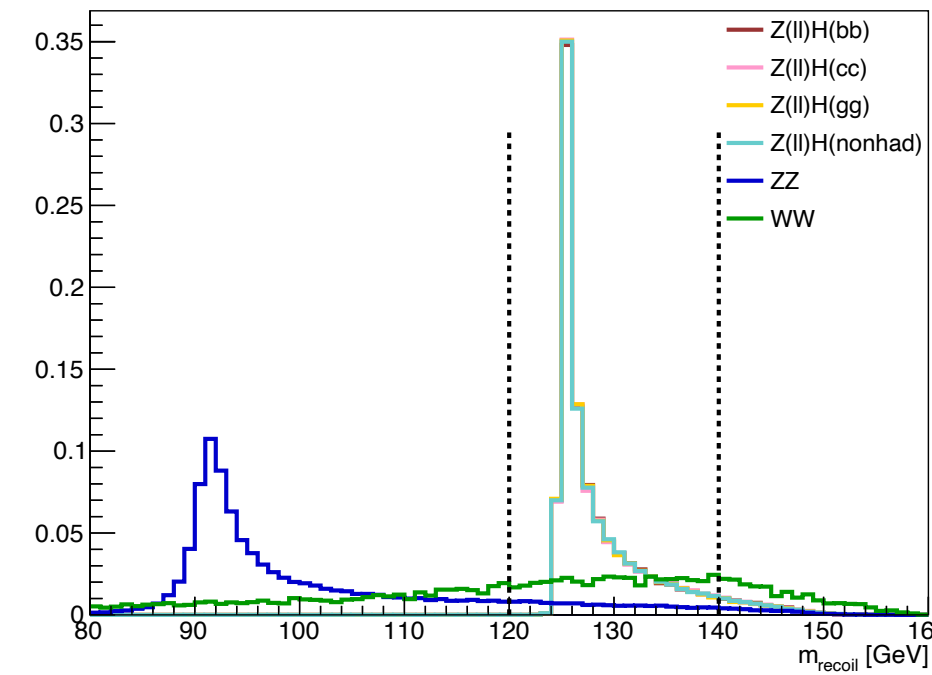


- Dilepton charge = 0
- Dilepton invariant mass in 80-100 GeV
- $|\cos(\text{Polar angle of dilepton pair})| < 0.8$

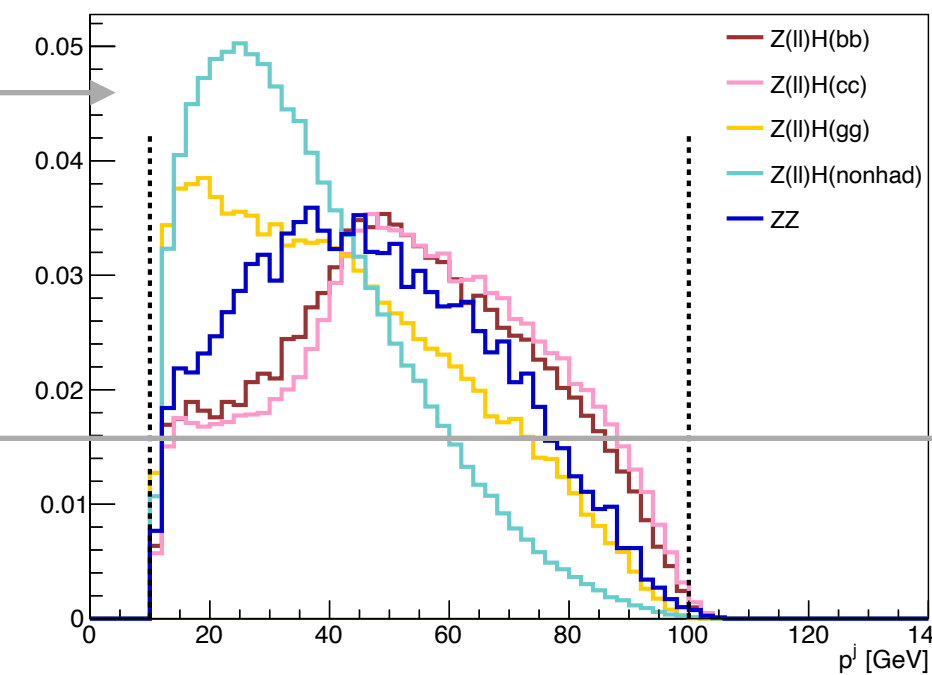


# Event selection - recoil, jets

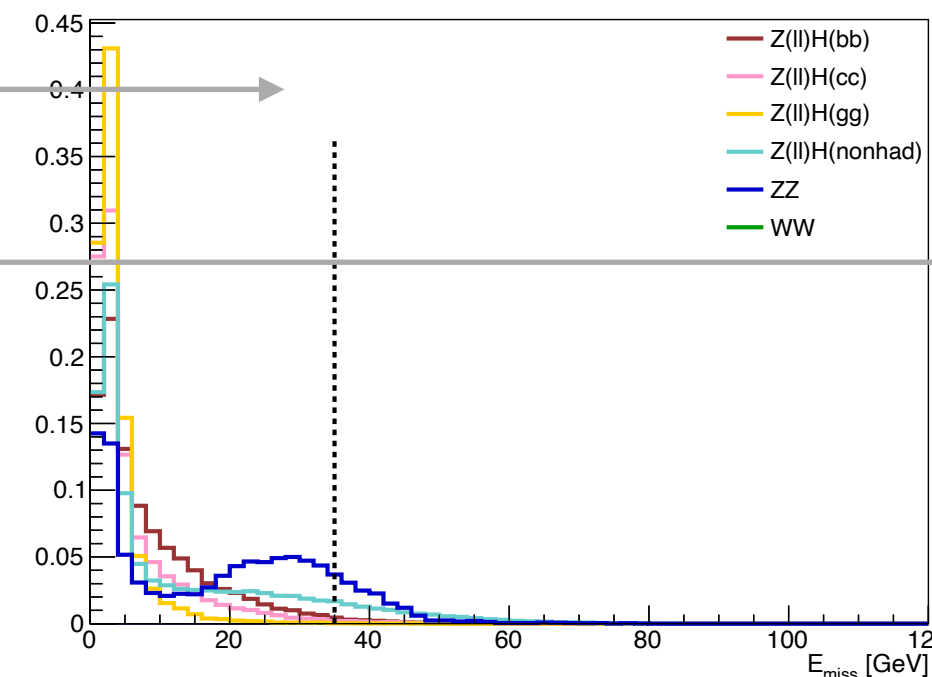
- Recoil mass in 120-140 GeV



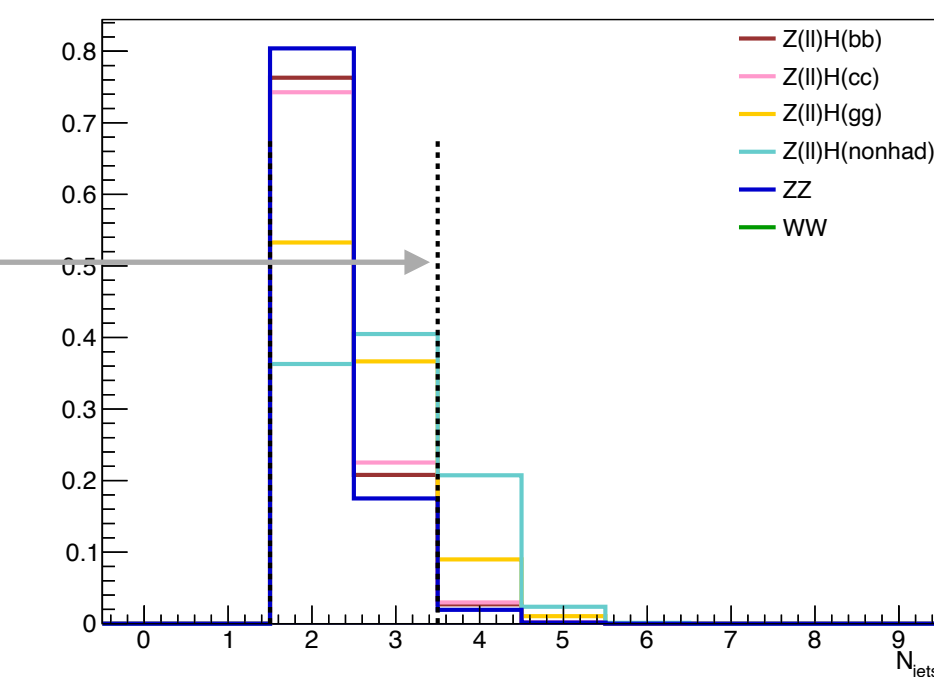
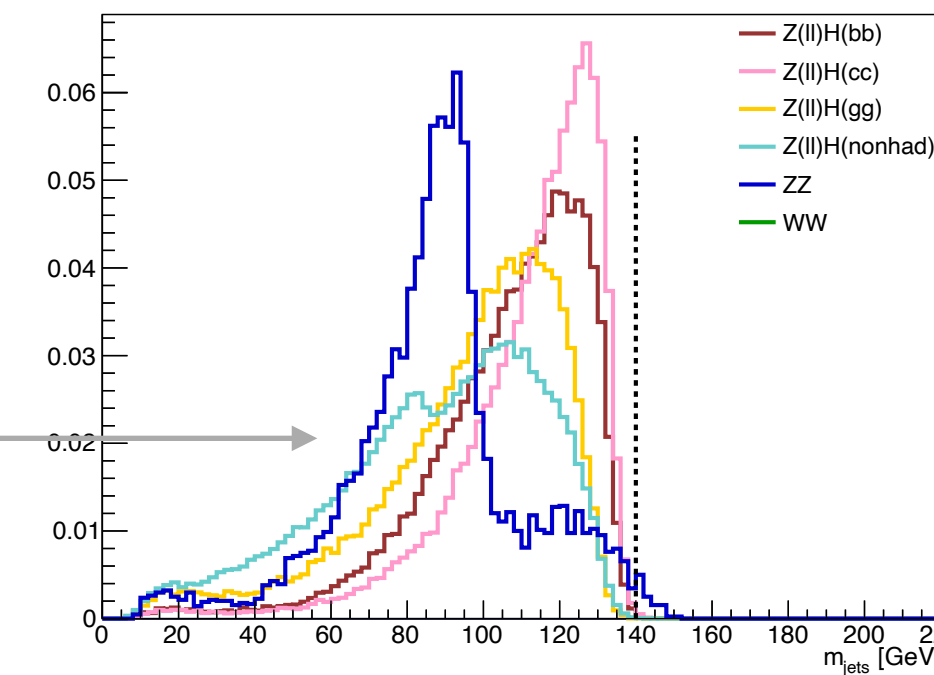
- Jet momentum in 10-100 GeV
- Hadronic mass: long tail, require only  $m < 140$  GeV



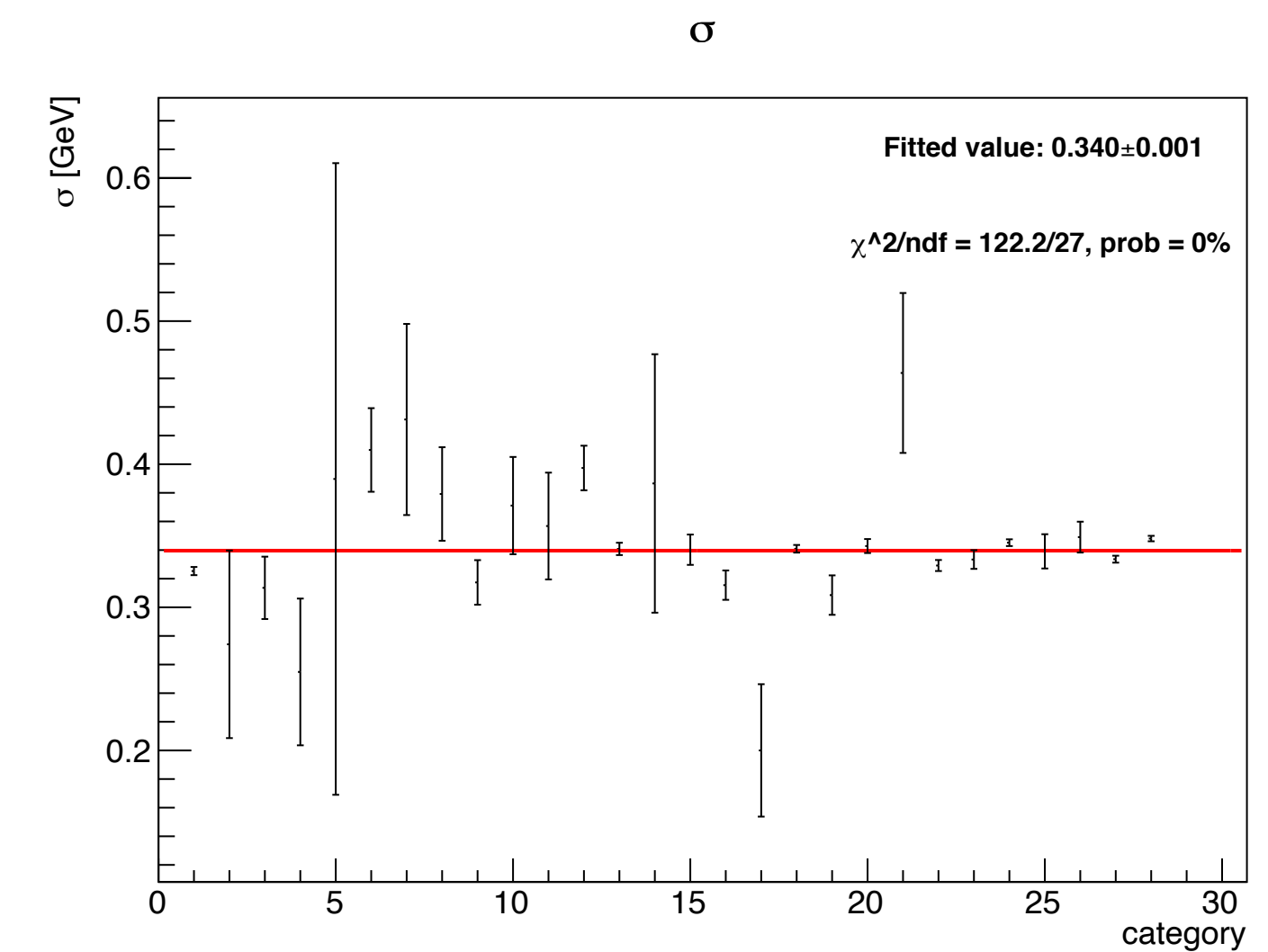
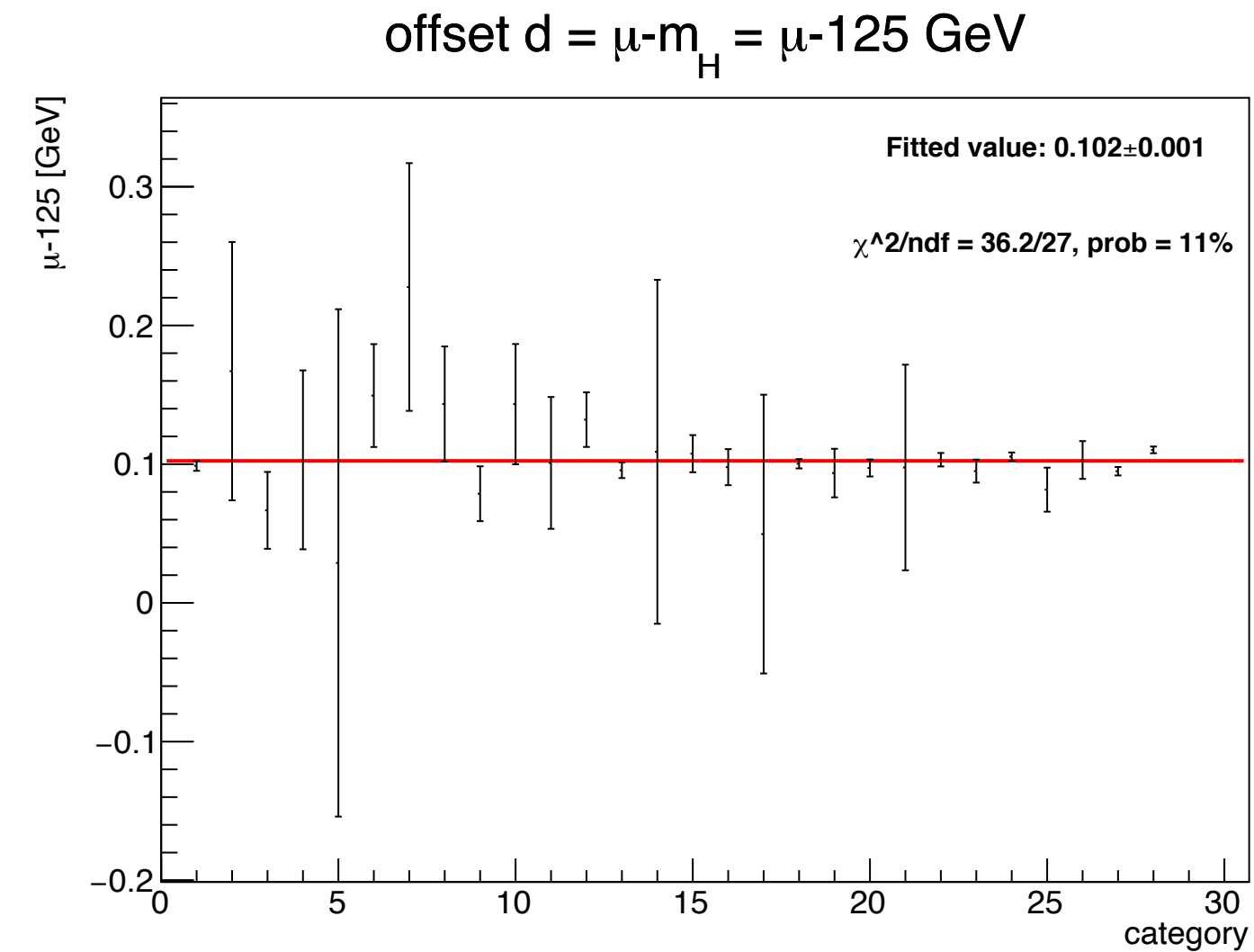
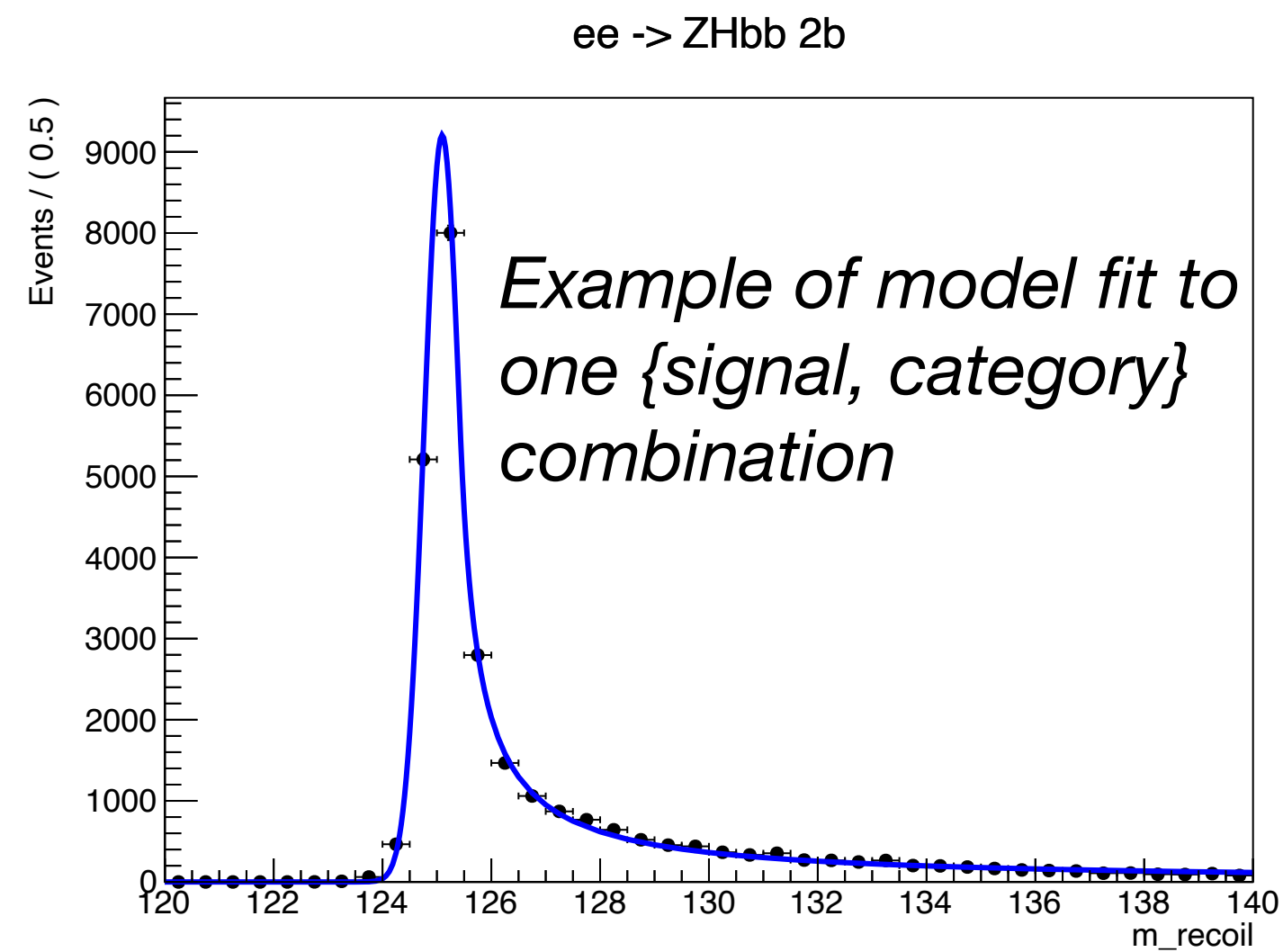
- Missing energy  $< 35$  GeV



- $\leq 3$  jets (could actually apply a different #jet cut depending on tagging)



# Fit - signal model

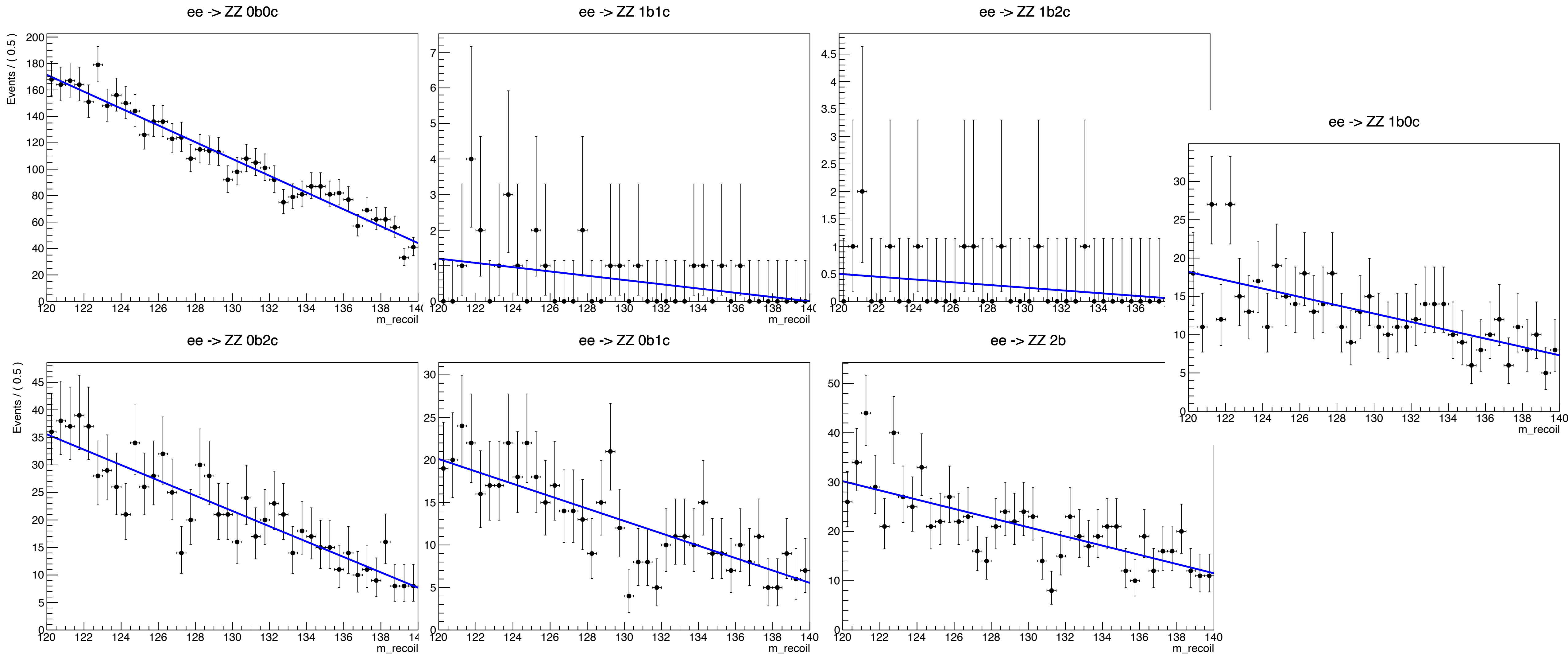


- Parameters are in decent agreement across categories, some tension for the width, seems affected by some very-low stat categories where fit is artificially too narrow - to be further investigated



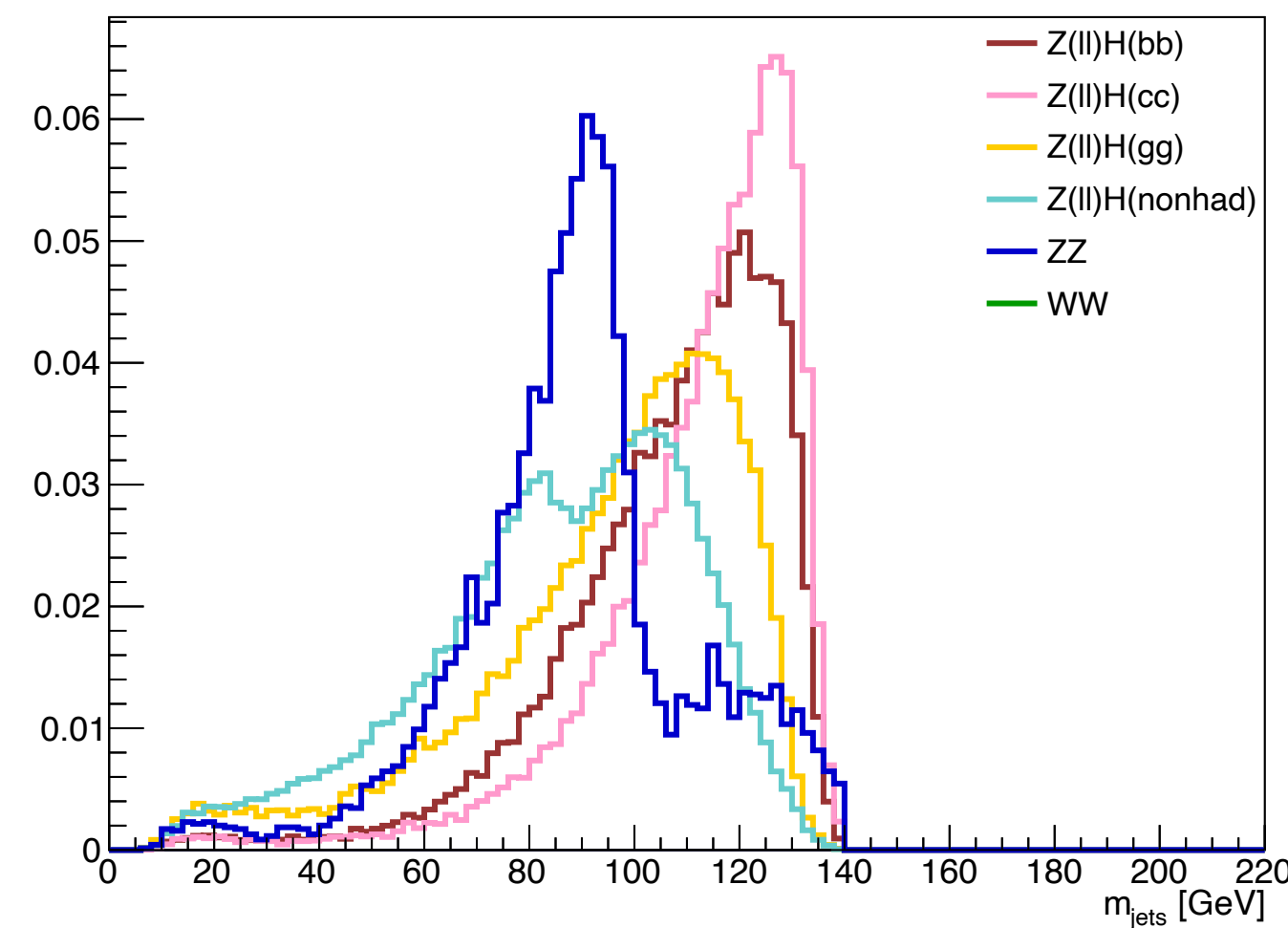
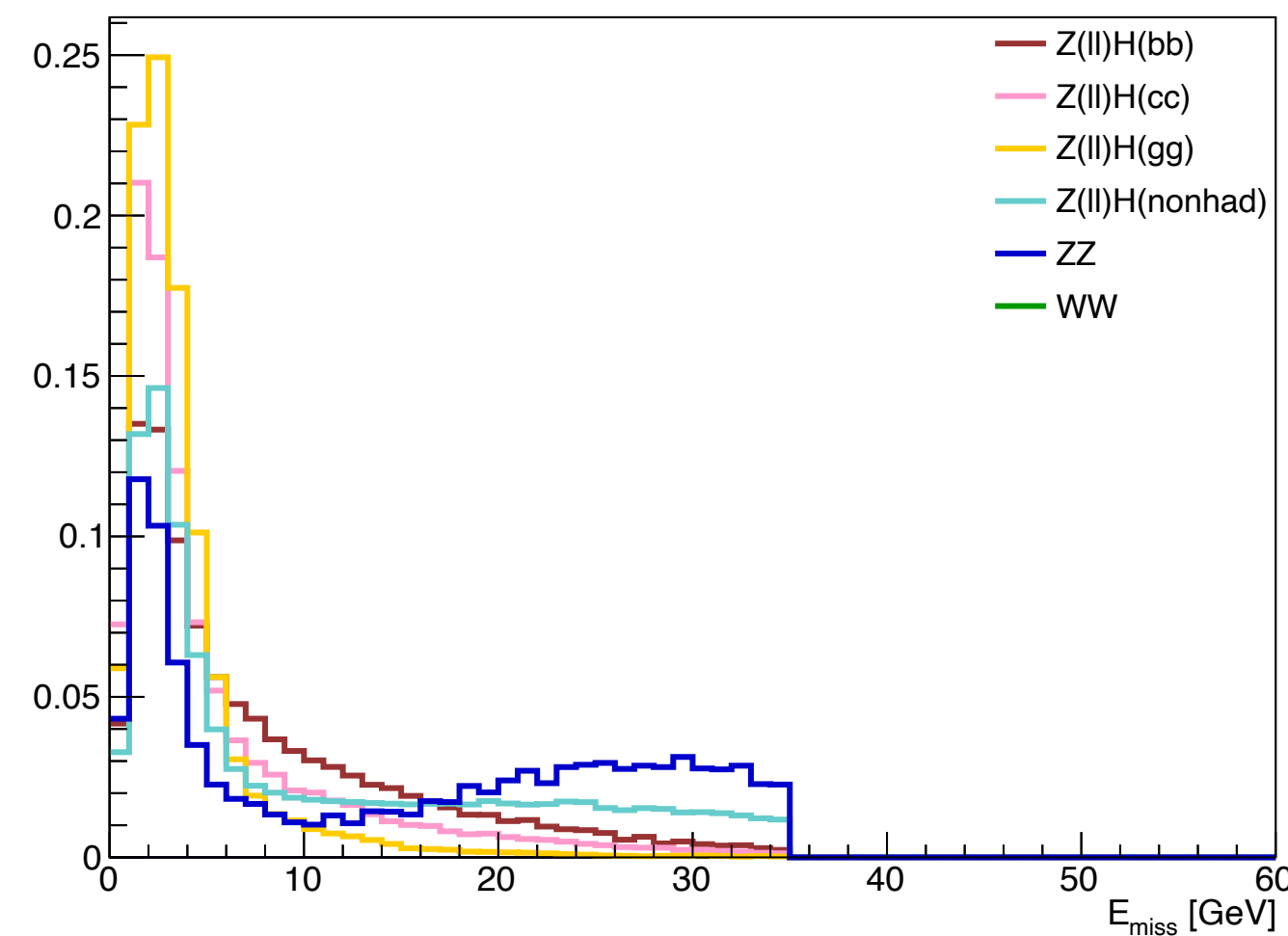
# Fit - background model

- Simple 1st order polynomial seems OK at first glance given low level of bkg



# Suppressing ZH(nonhad) with Emiss, m(jets) cuts

- H(gg) and H(cc) have lower missing energy than H(bb) and H(nonhad) -> tighter cut on Emiss in 0b0c category (15 GeV) and 0b1c, 0b2c, 1b2c categories (25 GeV)
- H(gg) and H(cc) have larger m(jets) than H(nonhad) -> tighter cut on m(jets) in 0b0c category (60 GeV) and 0b1c, 0b2c, 1b2c categories (80 GeV)



Kbb	1.0000e+00	9.8862e-01 +/- 8.84e-03	<none>
Kcc	1.0000e+00	1.0244e+00 +/- 8.49e-02	<none>
Kgg	1.0000e+00	9.7169e-01 +/- 7.50e-02	<none>
Knonhad	1.0000e+00	9.7361e-01 +/- 5.98e-02	<none>
Yield_0b0c_emiss_mhad_bkg	3.5928e+03	3.6746e+03 +/- 8.16e+01	<none>
Yield_0b1c_emiss_mhad_bkg	4.9433e+02	5.1886e+02 +/- 3.64e+01	<none>
Yield_0b2c_emiss_mhad_bkg	8.0690e+02	7.9826e+02 +/- 3.84e+01	<none>
Yield_1b0c_bkg	9.0373e+02	9.6228e+02 +/- 5.09e+01	<none>
Yield_1b1c_bkg	6.4552e+01	7.0546e+01 +/- 1.29e+01	<none>
Yield_1b2c_emiss_mhad_bkg	6.7950e+00	9.7784e+00 +/- 4.03e+00	<none>
Yield_2b_bkg	1.4354e+03	1.5036e+03 +/- 7.14e+01	<none>
mH	1.2500e+02	1.2500e+02 +/- 3.38e-03	<none>

- Error on Kgg decreases (9.7->7.7%) but on Kcc goes up a bit (8.0->8.3%)
  - Need optimisation of the criteria

Relative error on Kbb: 0.9%  
 Relative error on Kcc: 8.3%  
 Relative error on Kgg: 7.7%  
 Relative error on Knonhad: 6.1%

# CEPC projections

- CEPCv1 (5.6/ab at 250 GeV, B=3.5T)

$Z$ decay mode	$H \rightarrow b\bar{b}$	$H \rightarrow c\bar{c}$	$H \rightarrow gg$
$Z \rightarrow e^+e^-$	1.3%	12.8%	6.8%
$Z \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$	1.0%	9.4%	4.9%
$Z \rightarrow q\bar{q}$	0.5%	10.6%	3.5%
$Z \rightarrow \nu\bar{\nu}$	0.4%	3.7%	1.4%
Combination	0.3%	3.1%	1.2%

- ~5% worse results for CEPCv4 vs v1

- CEPCv1 vs CEPCv4 (5.6/ab at 240 GeV, B=3T)

Property	Estimated Precision			
	CEPC-v1		CEPC-v4	
$m_H$	5.9 MeV		5.9 MeV	
$\Gamma_H$	2.7%		2.8%	
$\sigma(ZH)$	0.5%		0.5%	
$\sigma(\nu\bar{\nu}H)$	3.0%		3.2%	

Decay mode	$\sigma \times \text{BR}$	BR	$\sigma \times \text{BR}$	BR
$H \rightarrow b\bar{b}$	0.26%	0.56%	0.27%	0.56%
$H \rightarrow c\bar{c}$	3.1%	3.1%	3.3%	3.3%
$H \rightarrow gg$	1.2%	1.3%	1.3%	1.4%
$H \rightarrow WW^*$	0.9%	1.1%	1.0%	1.1%
$H \rightarrow ZZ^*$	4.9%	5.0%	5.1%	5.1%
$H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$	6.2%	6.2%	6.8%	6.9%
$H \rightarrow Z\gamma$	13%	13%	16%	16%
$H \rightarrow \tau^+\tau^-$	0.8%	0.9%	0.8%	1.0%
$H \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$	16%	16%	17%	17%
$\text{BR}_{\text{inv}}^{\text{BSM}}$	—	< 0.28%	—	< 0.30%

# FCCee CDR projections

**Table 4.1** Relative statistical uncertainty on the measurements of event rates, providing  $\sigma_{HZ} \times \text{BR}(H \rightarrow \text{XX})$  and  $\sigma_{\nu\bar{\nu}H} \times \text{BR}(H \rightarrow \text{XX})$ , as expected from the FCC-ee data. This is obtained from a fast simulation of the CLD detector and consolidated with extrapolations from full simulations of similar linear-collider detectors (SiD and CLIC). All numbers indicate 68% C.L. intervals, except for the 95% C.L. sensitivity in the last line. The accuracies expected with  $5 \text{ ab}^{-1}$  at 240 GeV are given in the middle columns, and those expected with  $1.5 \text{ ab}^{-1}$  at  $\sqrt{s} = 365 \text{ GeV}$  are displayed in the last columns

$\sqrt{s}$ (GeV)	240		365	
Luminosity ( $\text{ab}^{-1}$ )	5		1.5	
$\delta(\sigma\text{BR})/\sigma\text{BR}$ (%)	HZ	$\nu\bar{\nu}H$	HZ	$\nu\bar{\nu}H$
H $\rightarrow$ any	$\pm 0.5$		$\pm 0.9$	
H $\rightarrow b\bar{b}$	$\pm 0.3$	$\pm 3.1$	$\pm 0.5$	$\pm 0.9$
H $\rightarrow c\bar{c}$	$\pm 2.2$		$\pm 6.5$	$\pm 10$
H $\rightarrow gg$	$\pm 1.9$		$\pm 3.5$	$\pm 4.5$
H $\rightarrow W^+W^-$	$\pm 1.2$		$\pm 2.6$	$\pm 3.0$
H $\rightarrow ZZ$	$\pm 4.4$		$\pm 12$	$\pm 10$
H $\rightarrow \tau\tau$	$\pm 0.9$		$\pm 1.8$	$\pm 8$
H $\rightarrow \gamma\gamma$	$\pm 9.0$		$\pm 18$	$\pm 22$
H $\rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$	$\pm 19$		$\pm 40$	
H $\rightarrow$ invis.	$< 0.3$		$< 0.6$	