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# One template to fit them all - Towards a universal fake photon background estimate

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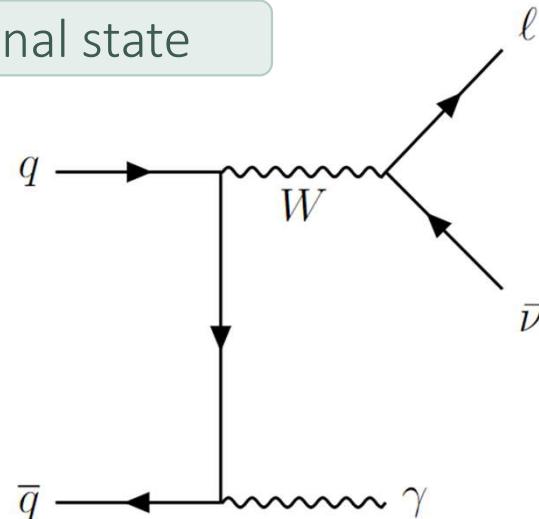
# Motivation

Electro weak processes  
with final state photon

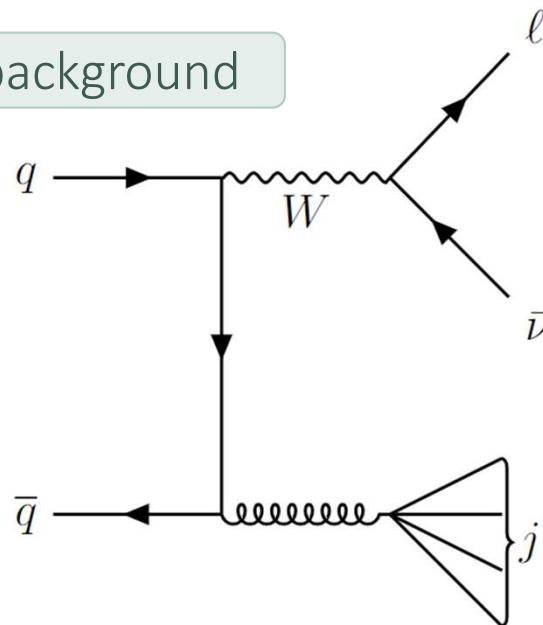


Dominating background  
source: fake photons

W<sub>Y</sub> final state



Fake background

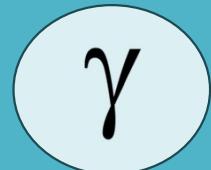


Fake photons from jets

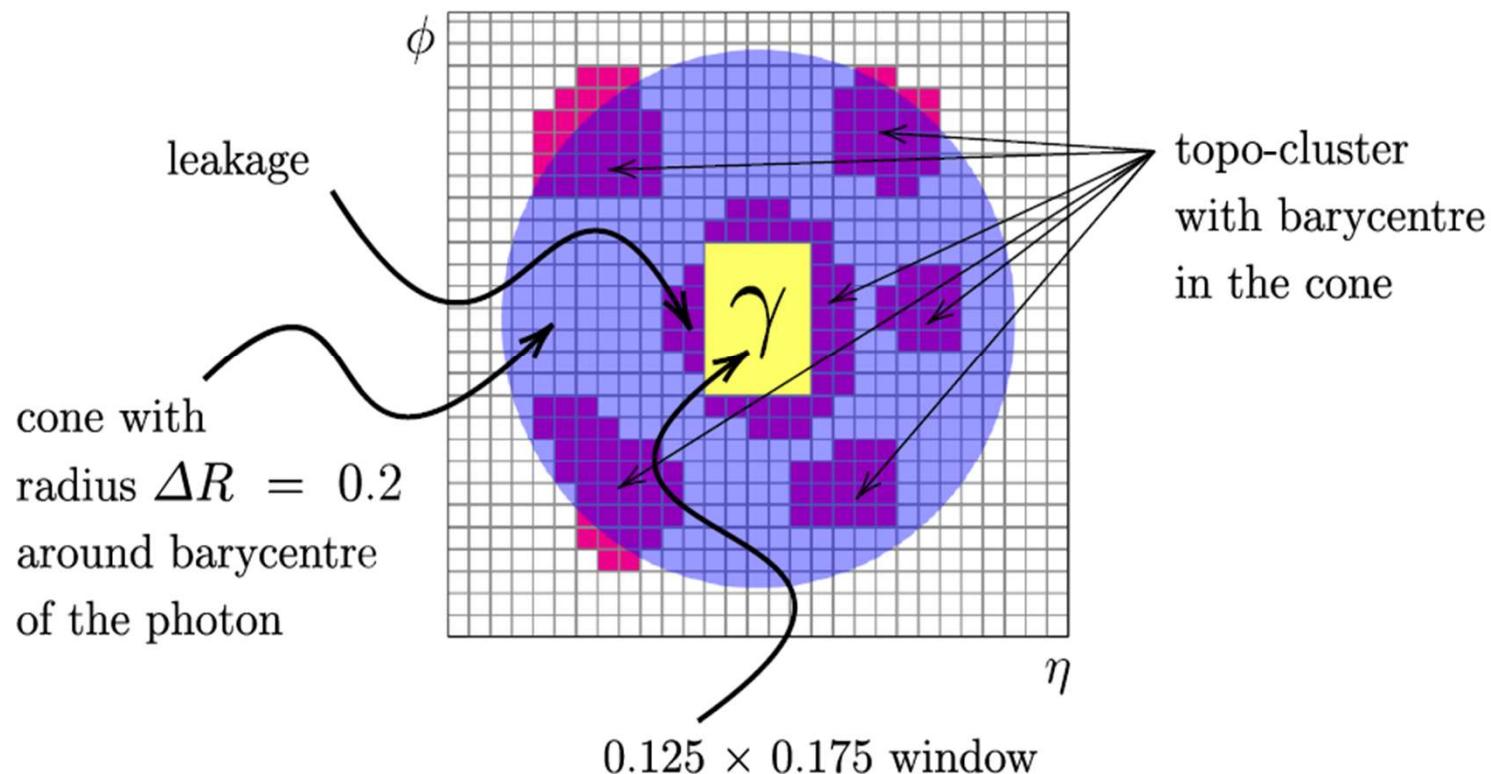
$$\pi^0 \rightarrow \gamma + \gamma$$

# Motivation

Isolation energy



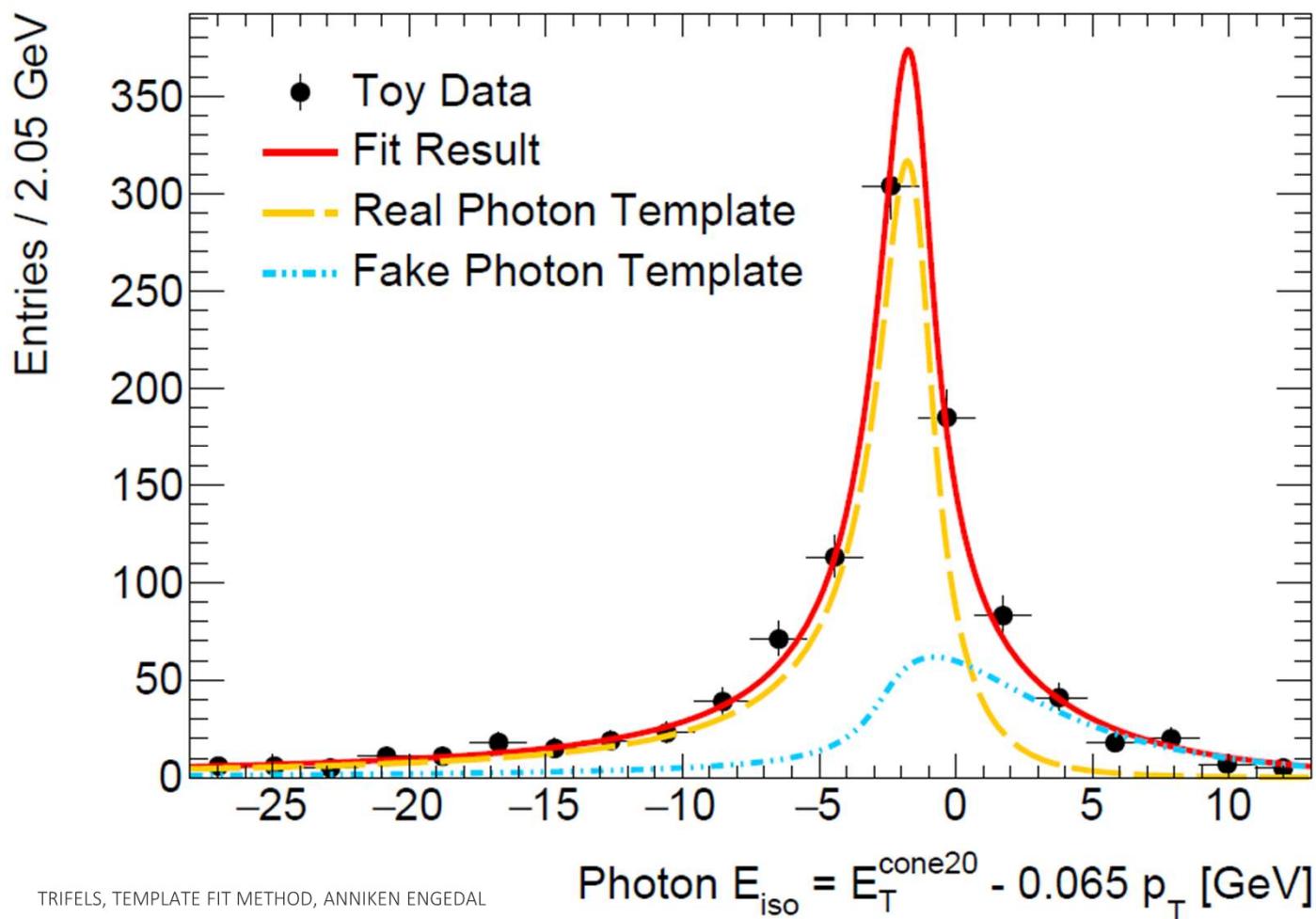
real or fake



$$E_T^{cone20} = E_{T,raw}^{cone20} - E_{T,core} - E_{T,leakage} - E_{T,pileup}$$

$$E_{iso} := E_T^{cone20} - 0.065 \cdot p_T < 0$$

# Template fit method



Extract **real** and **fake** templates from MC



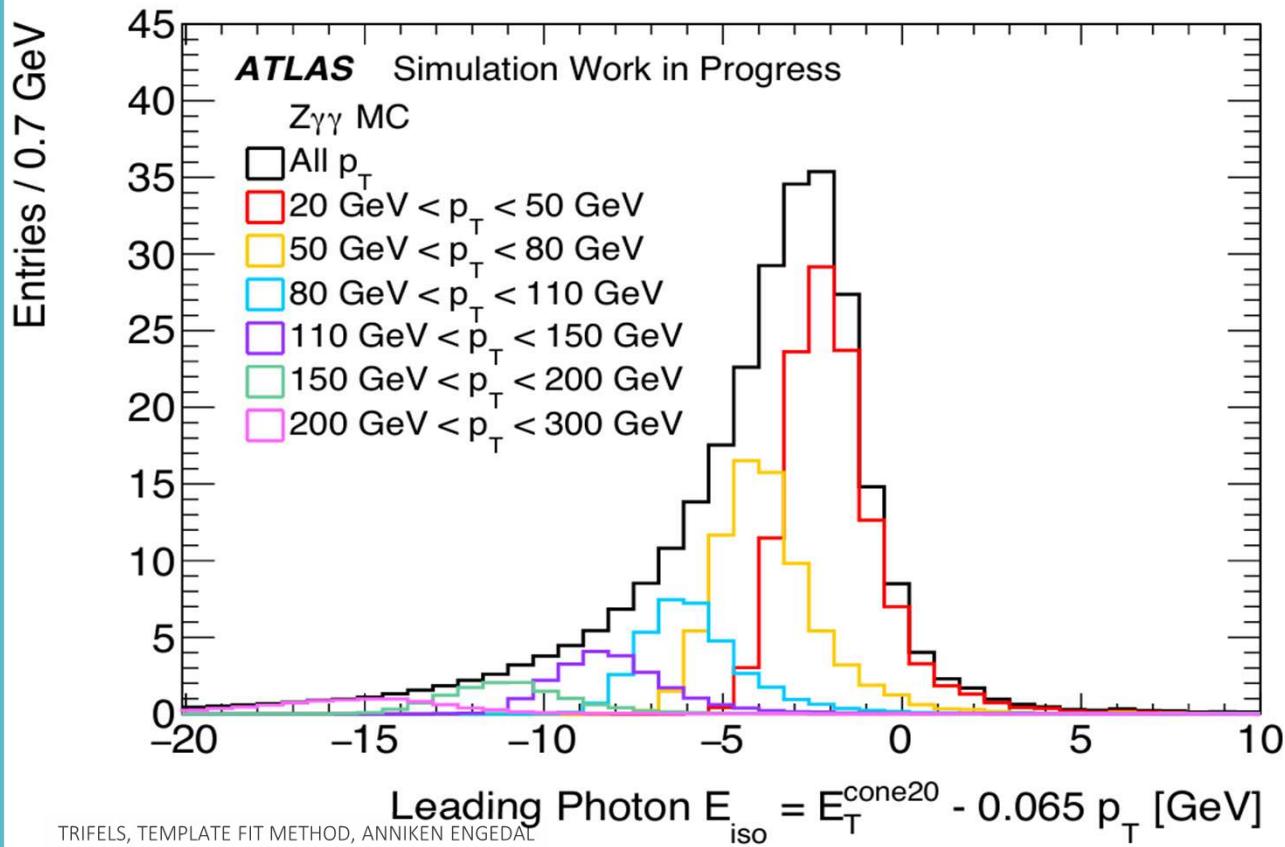
Combined fit on data



Estimate contributions

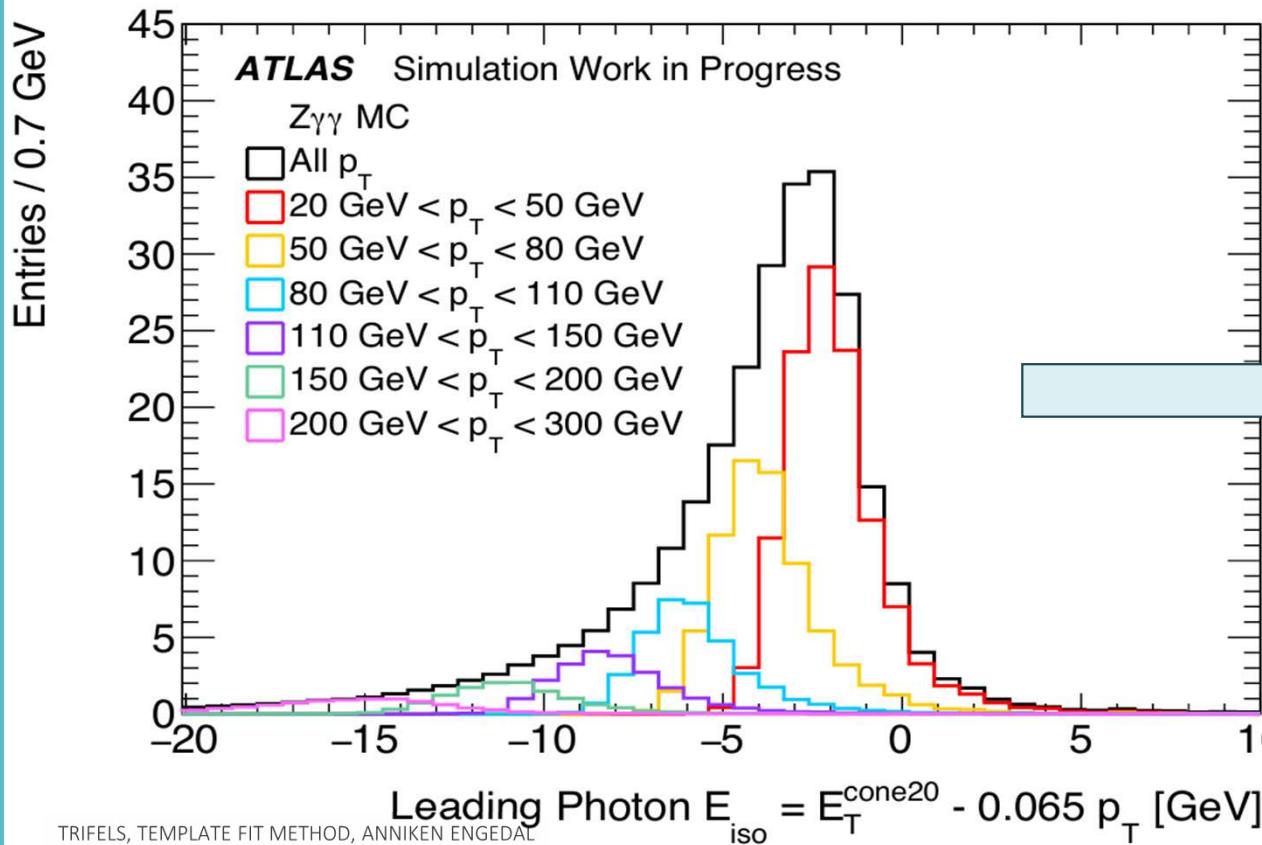
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Challenge of  $p_T$  dependence



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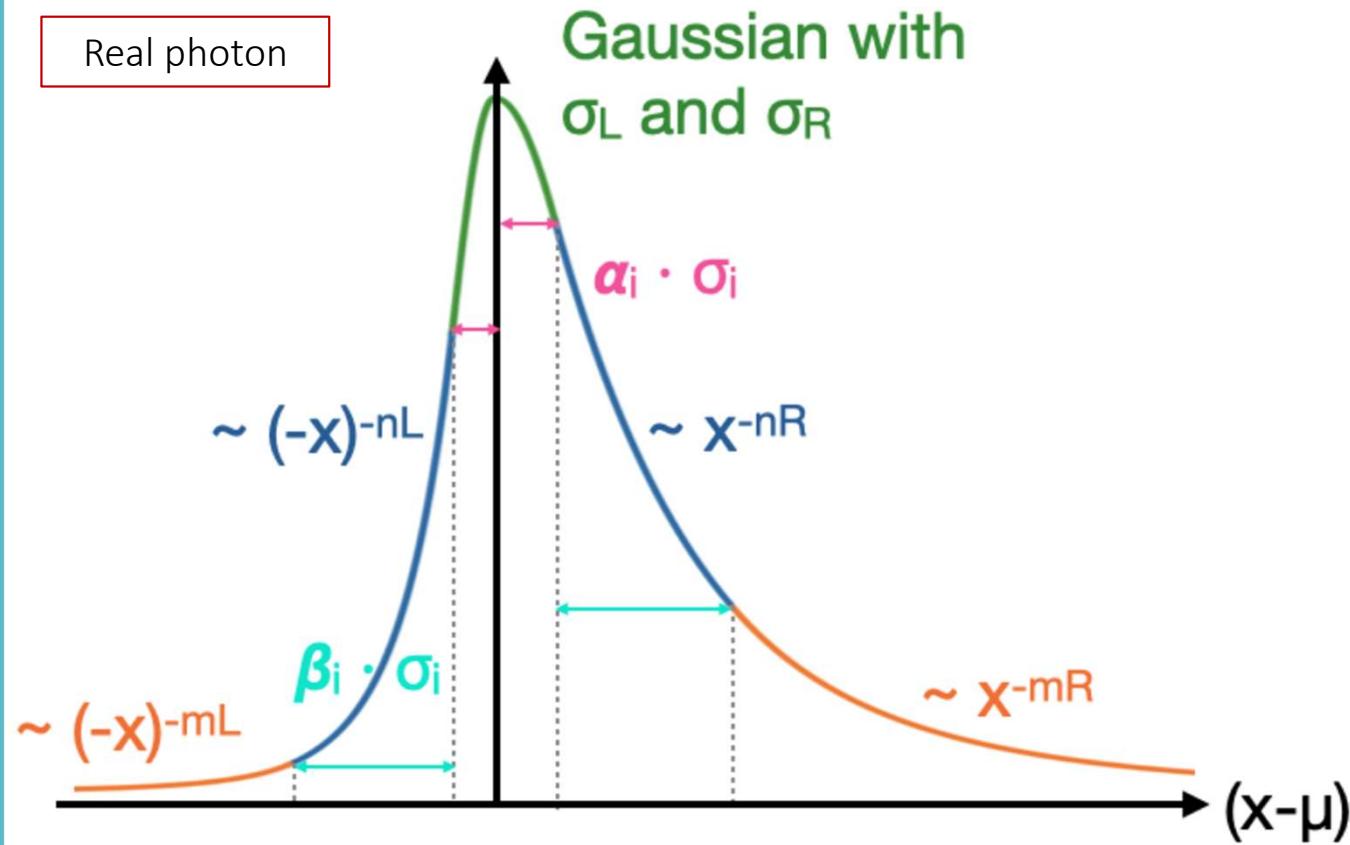
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Generalisation of templates

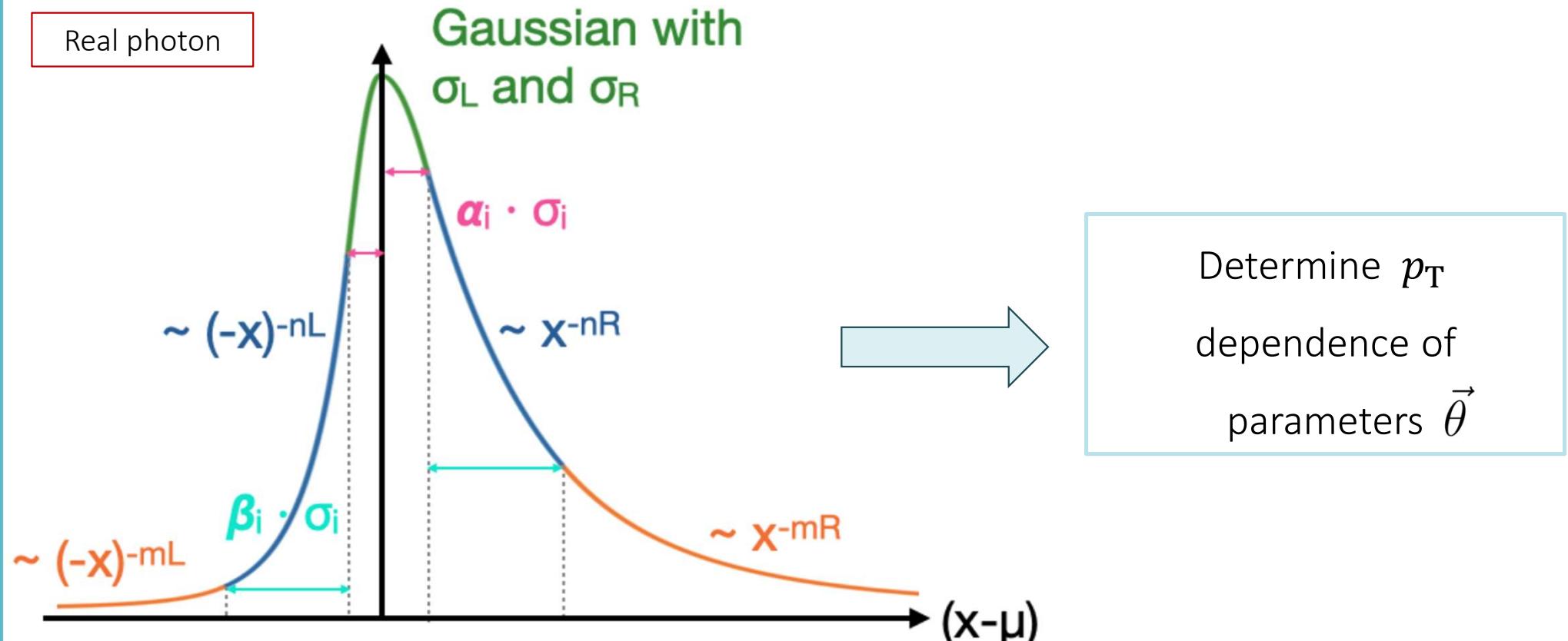
$$\underbrace{T_{\gamma,j}(E_{iso}, p_T | \vec{\theta})}_{\text{generic}} \times \underbrace{f_X(p_T)}_{\text{specific}}$$

# Generic isolation templates

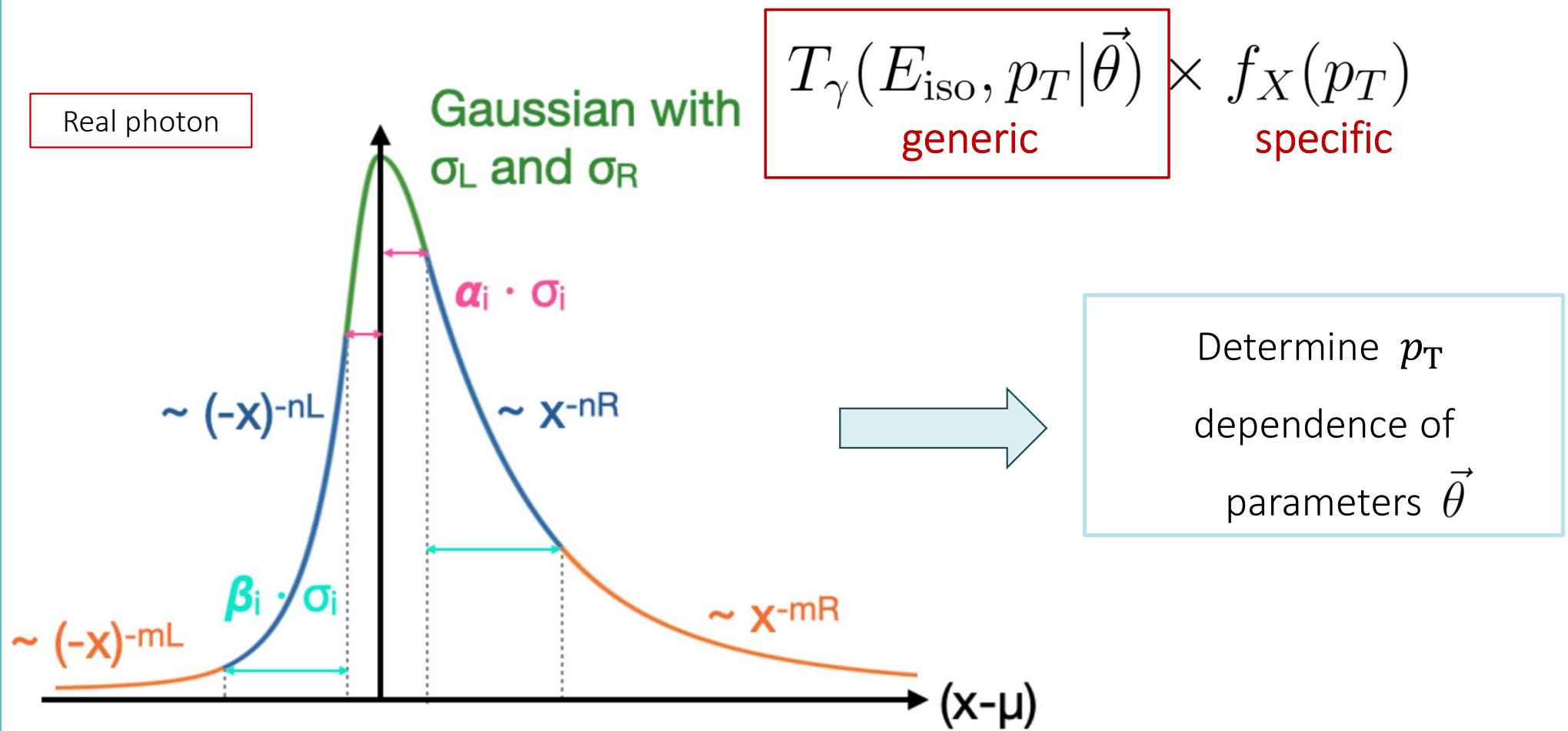


TRIFELS, TEMPLATE FIT METHOD, ANNIKEN ENGEDAL

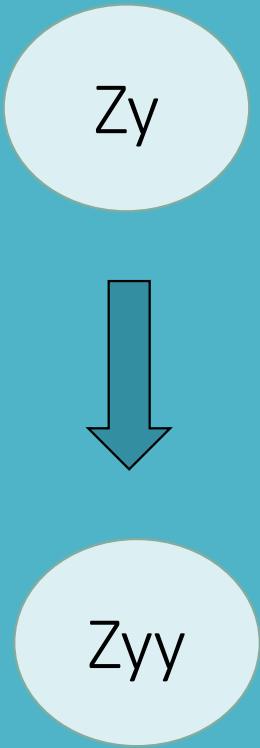
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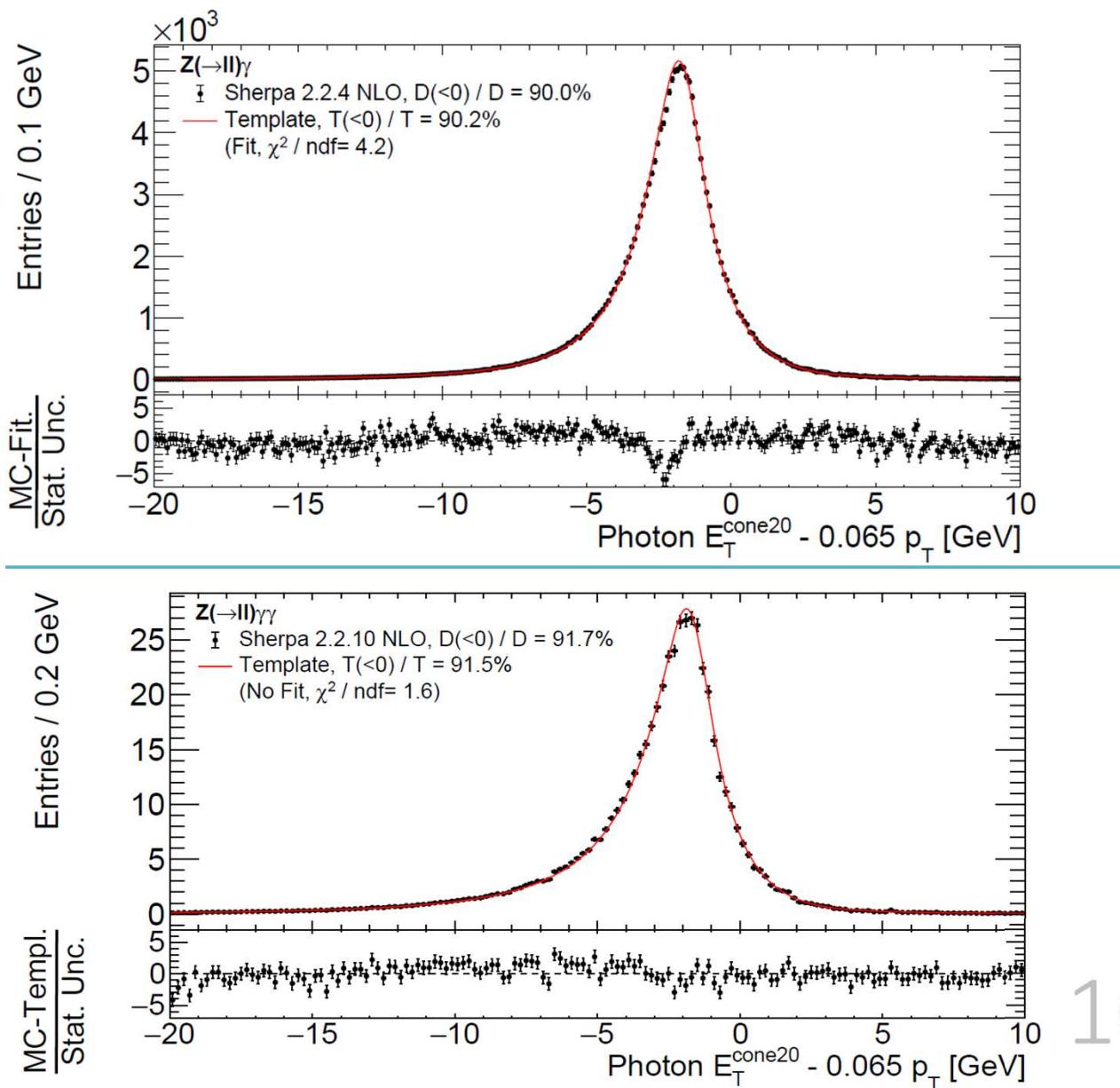


Extraction  
of real  
template



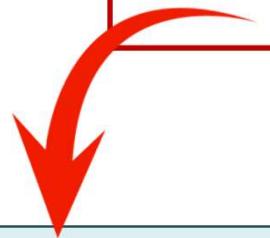
comparison

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$$T(E_{\text{iso}}, p_T | \vec{\theta}) \cdot f_X(p_T)$$

2D template      \begin{matrix} p\_T \text{ distribution of} \\ \text{corresponding} \\ \text{phase space } X \end{matrix}



Application for both Zy  
and Zyy Run-2

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2D template

$p_T$  distribution of corresponding phase space  $X$

?

Application for both  $Zy$  and  $Zyy$  Run-2

Application for Run-3 processes?

$W_y$

$W_{yy}$

$Z_{yy}$

$Zy$   
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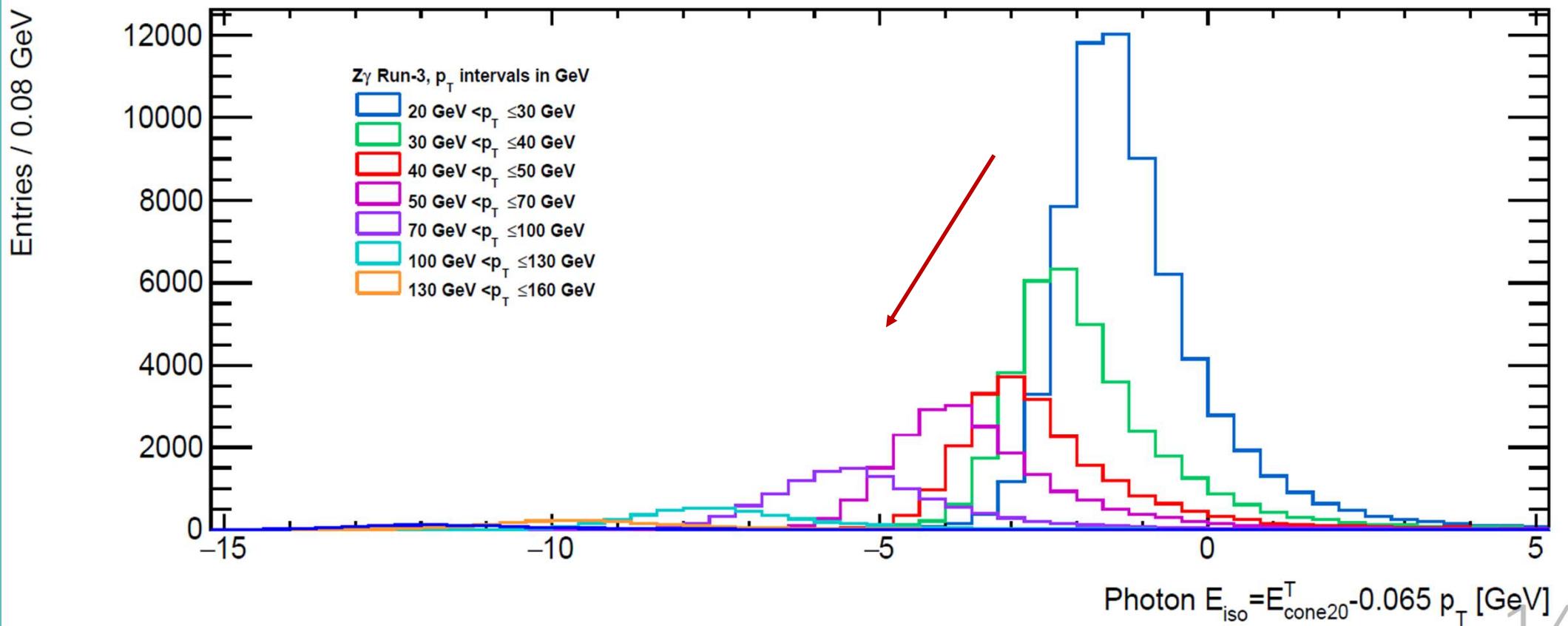
$W_{yy}$

$Z_{yy}$

$Zy$

# Z $\gamma$ Run-3: Isolation energy

$p_T$  dependence

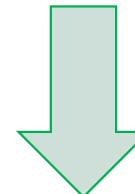


# Real template extraction

General fit procedure

$$T_{\gamma,j}(E_{\text{iso}}, p_T | \vec{\theta}) \times f_X(p_T)$$

Real template  
developed empirically

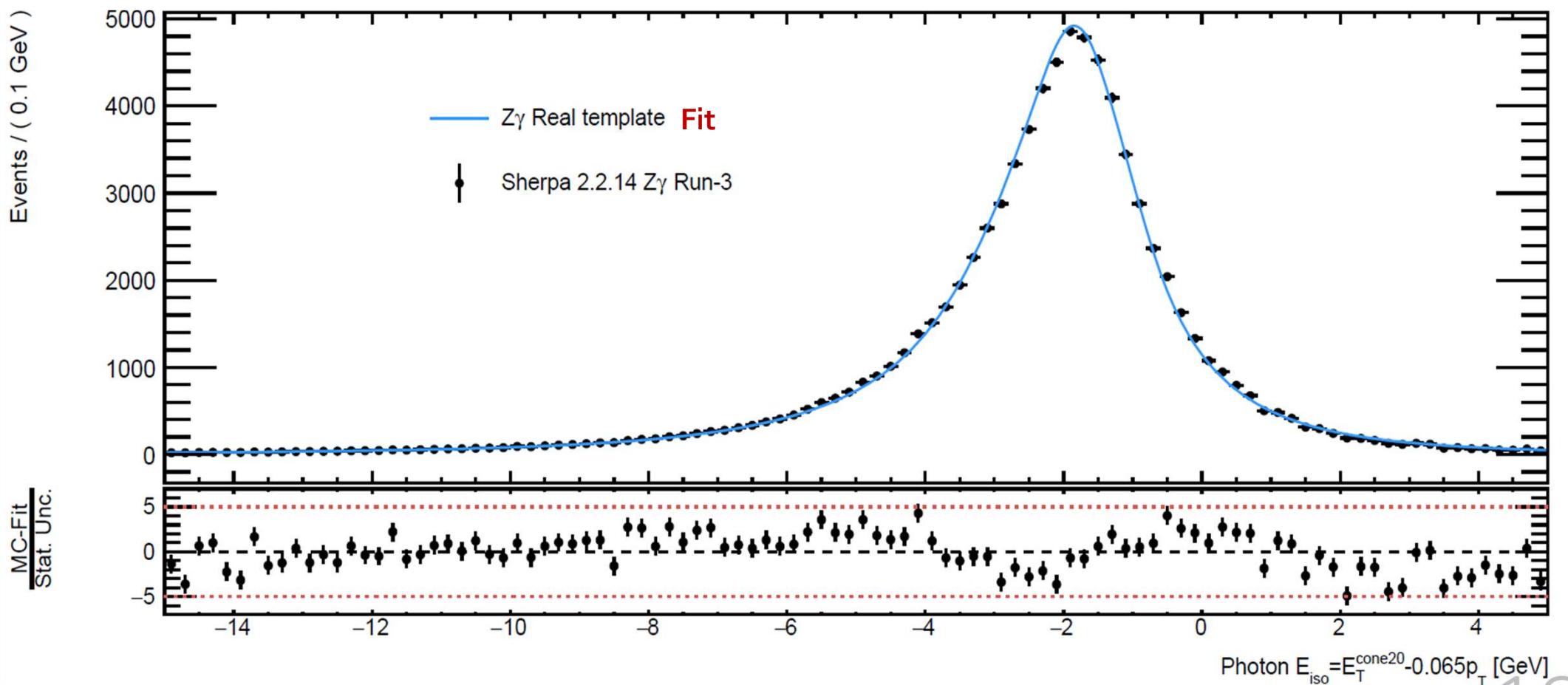


2D max. likelihood fit



Projection onto  $E_{\text{iso}}$  axis

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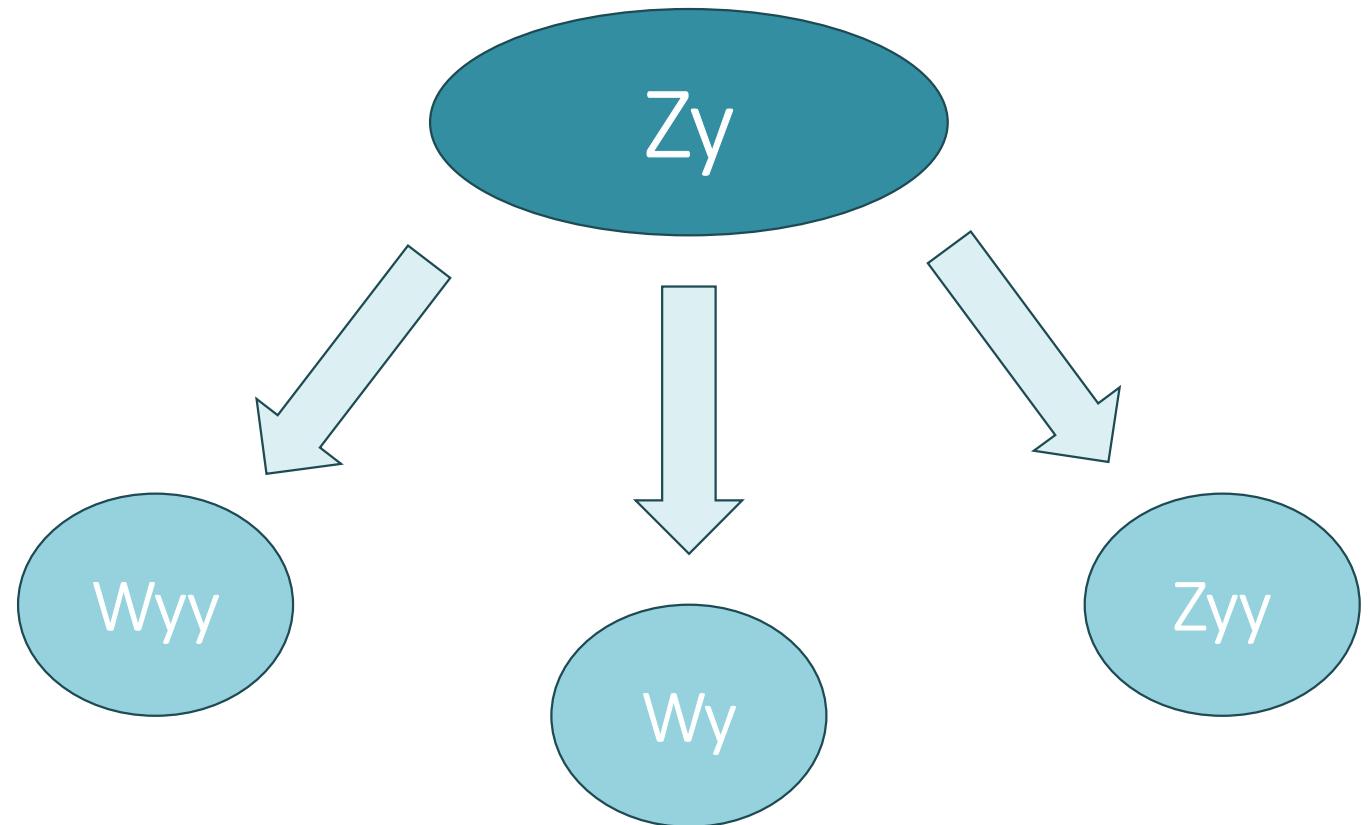


# Comparison of Zy real template

$T_\gamma(E_{\text{iso}}, p_T | \vec{\theta})$   
Extracted from Zy

$$\downarrow \times f_X(p_T)$$

Projection onto  $E_{\text{iso}}$   
axis (No Fit)

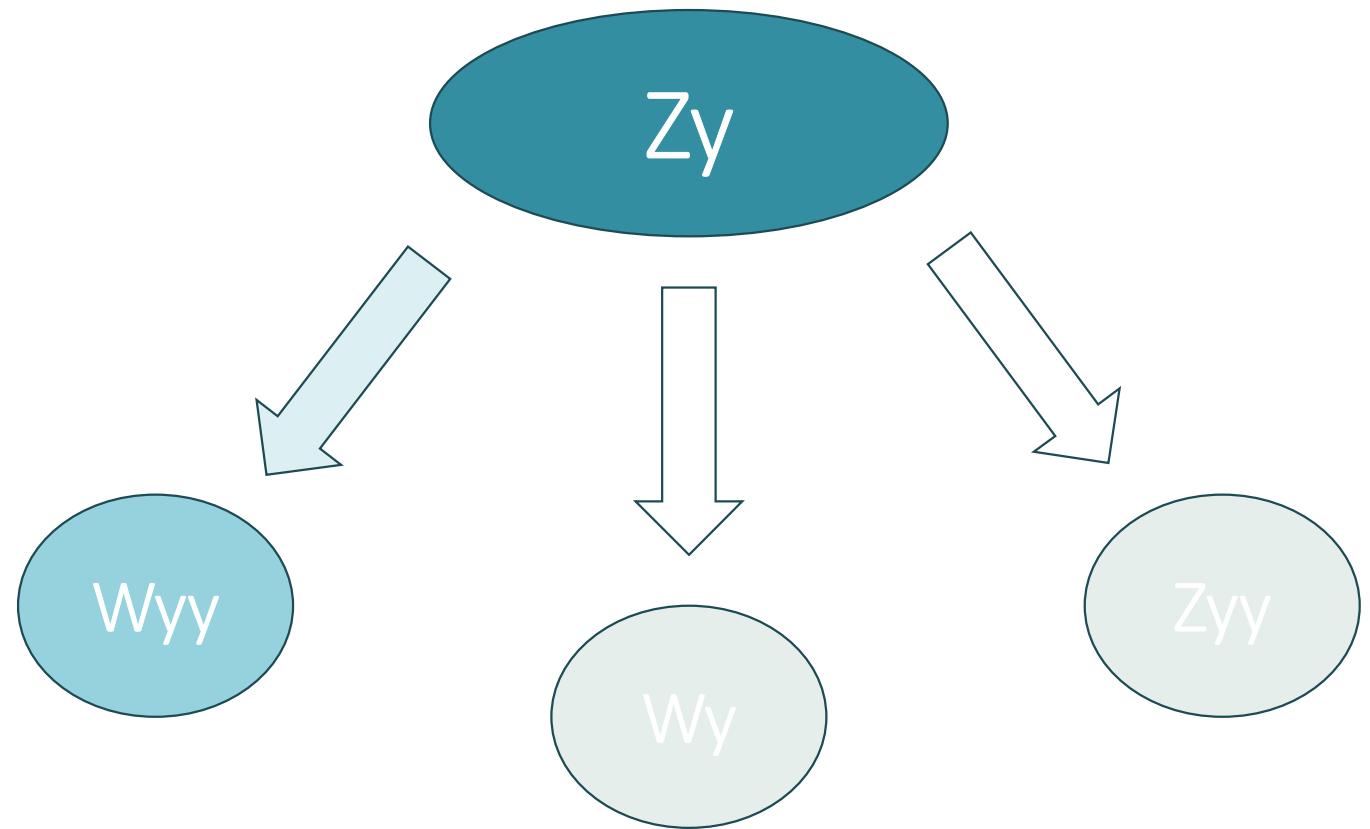


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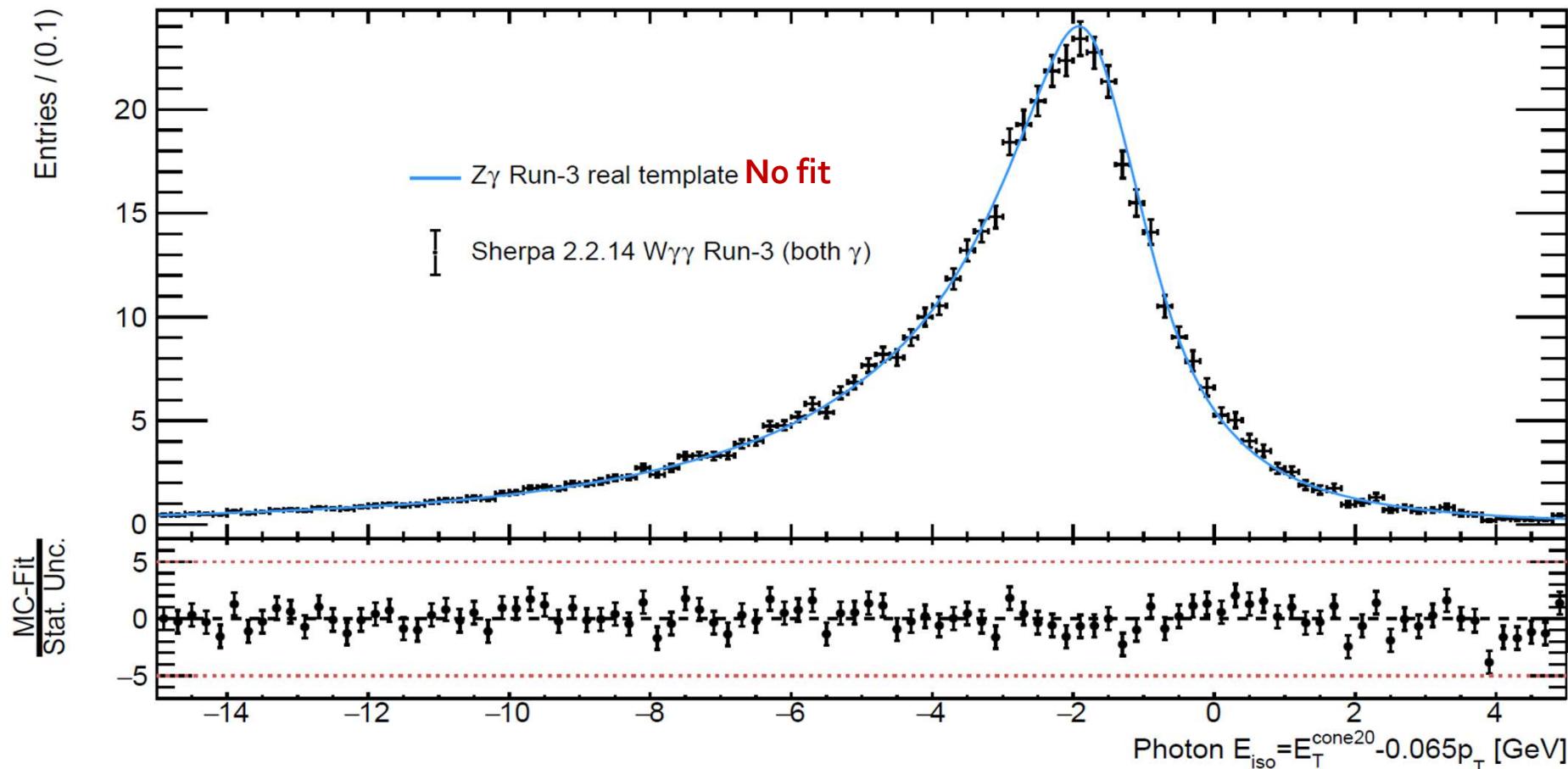


Z $\gamma$  template



W $\gamma\gamma$  (both  $\gamma$ )

$$T_\gamma(E_{\text{iso}}, p_T | \vec{\theta}) \times f_{W\gamma\gamma}(p_T)$$

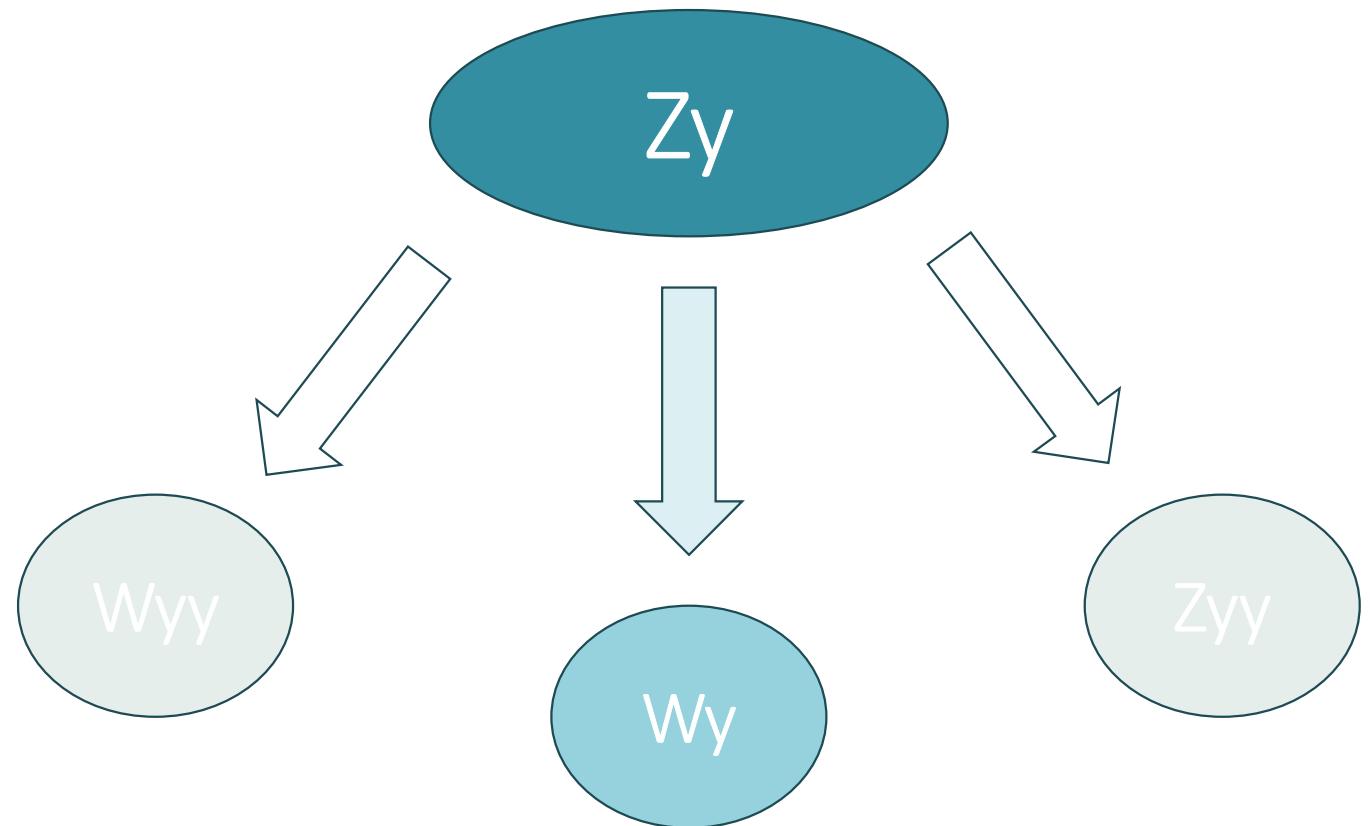


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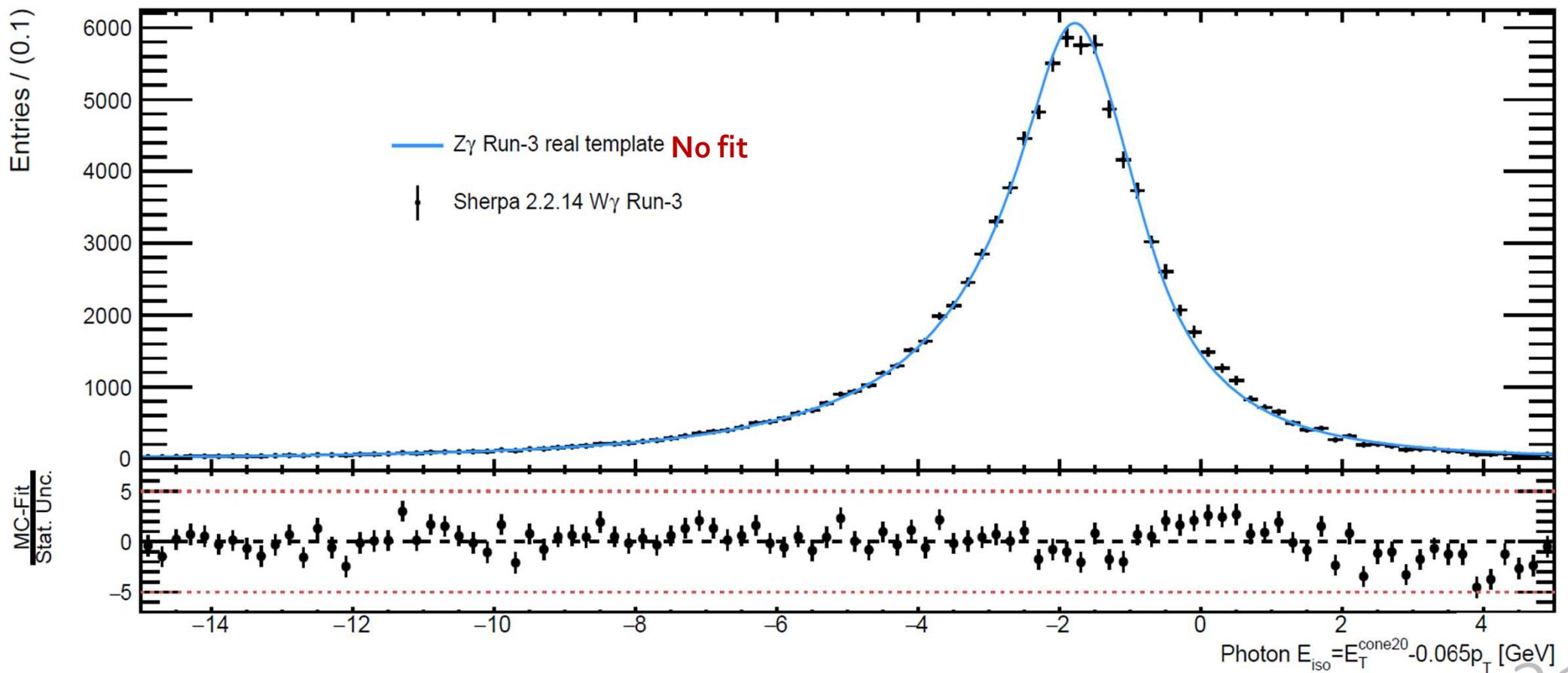


Zy template



Wy

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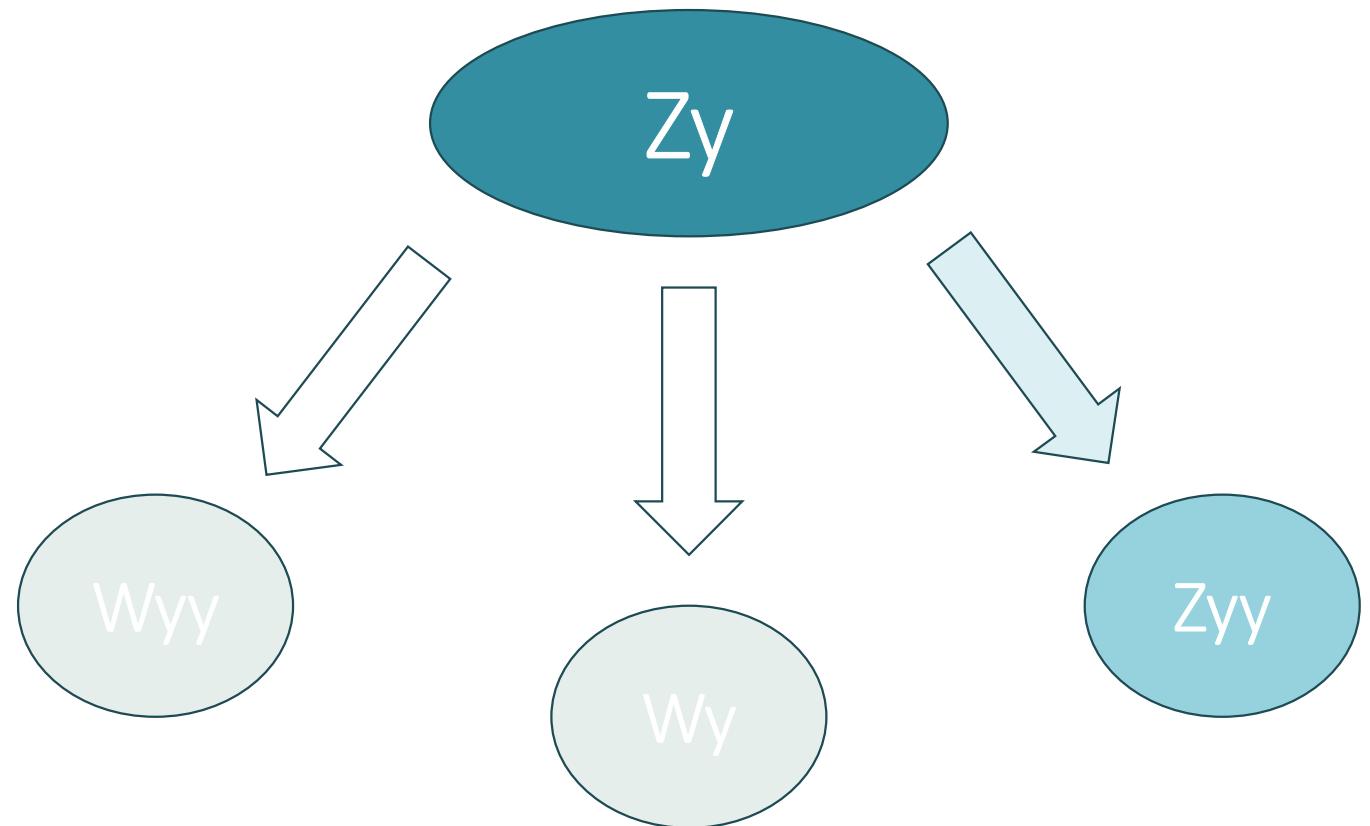


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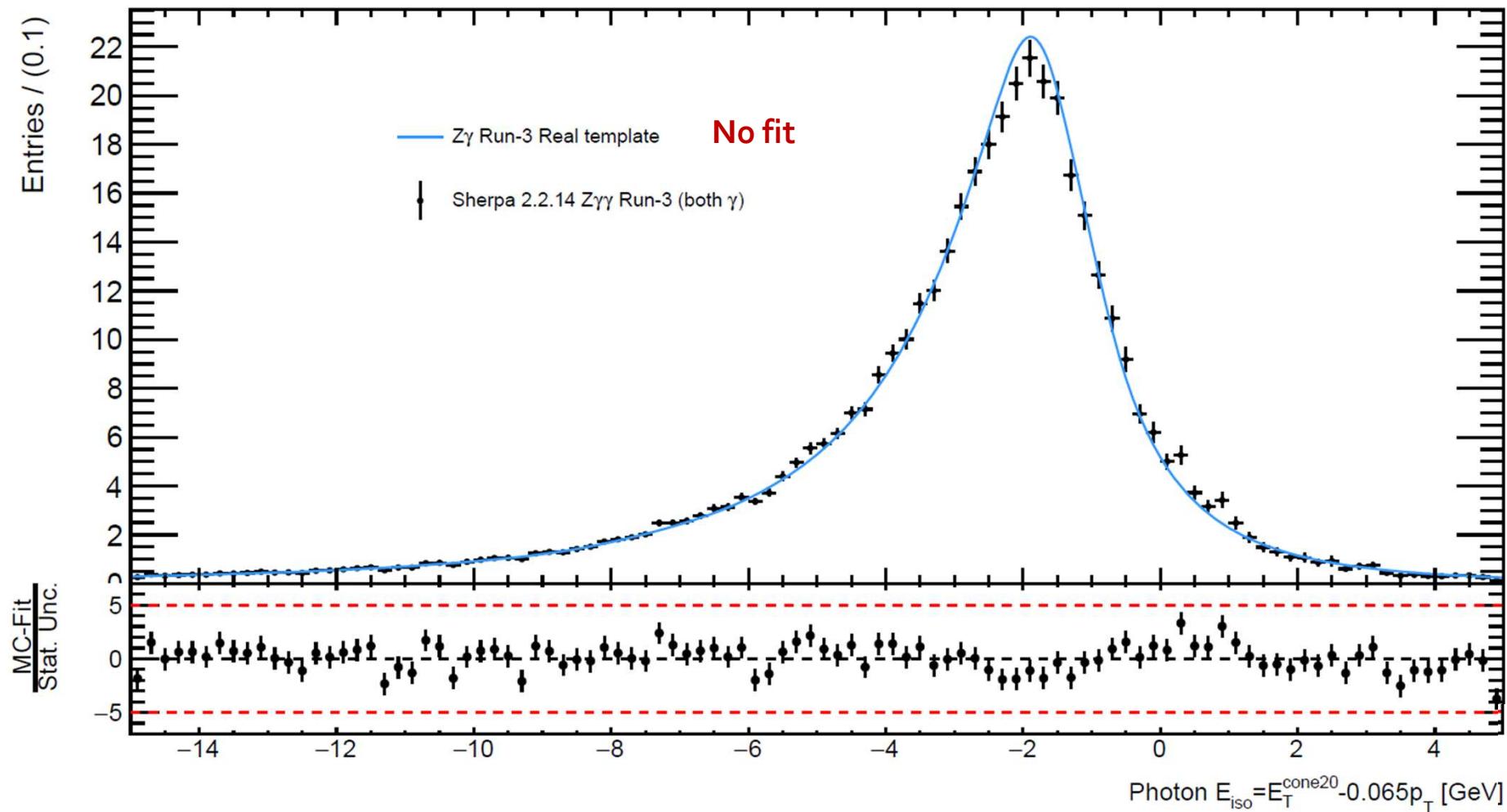
Projection onto  $E_{\text{iso}}$   
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Z $\gamma$  template



Z $\gamma\gamma$  (both  $\gamma$ )



# Summary

$$T_\gamma(E_{\text{iso}}, p_T | \vec{\theta}) \times f_X(p_T)$$

Improved template fit method with Run-3

Real templates Zy, Wy, Wyy, Zyy ✓

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*Thank you for listening, any questions?*

# Back ups

# Run-2

# Real template: modified DSCB

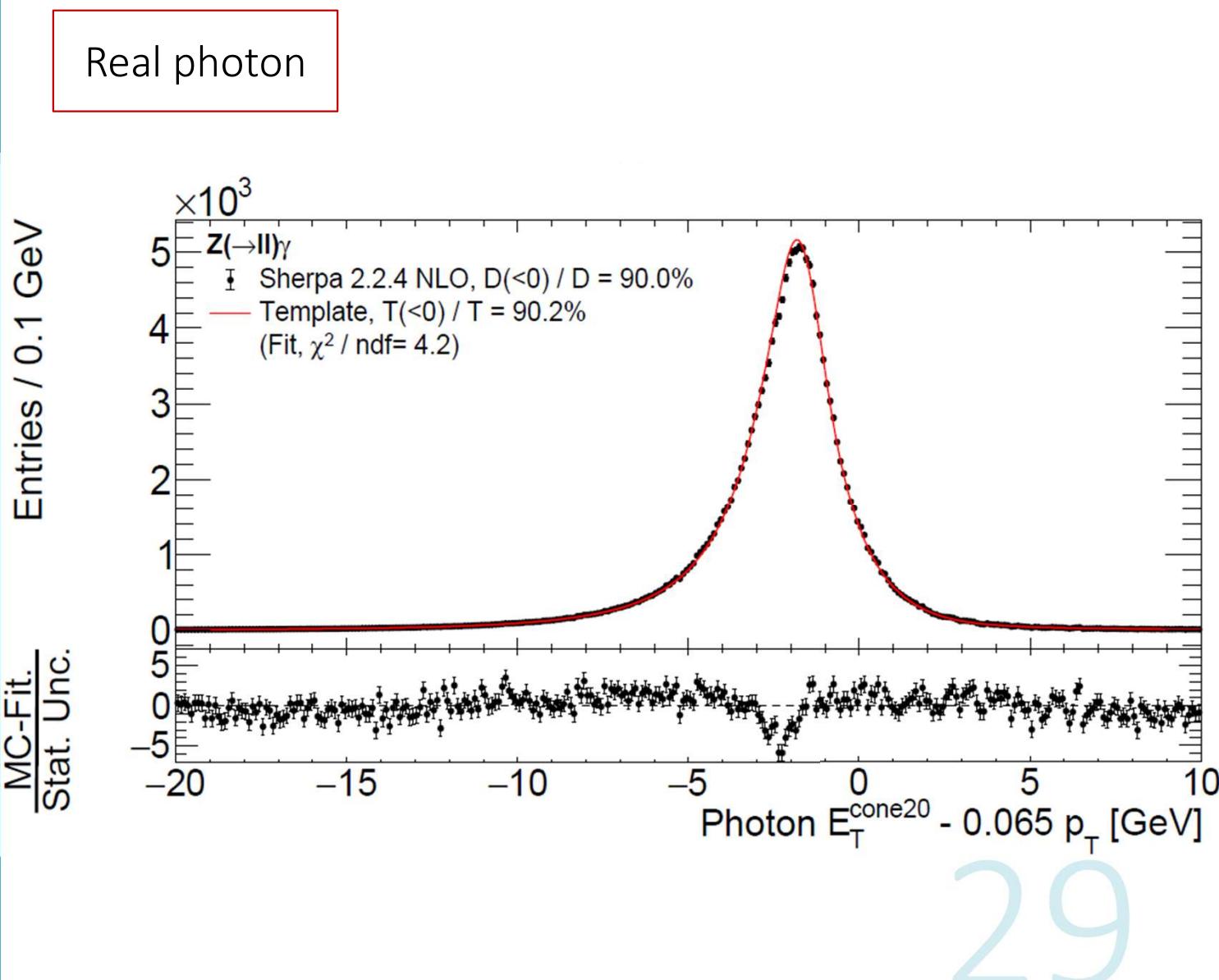
$$M_\gamma(E_{\text{iso}}|\vec{\theta}_0) = \begin{cases} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2} \cdot \left[\frac{E_{\text{iso}} - \mu}{\sigma_i}\right]^2\right), & \text{for } 0 \leq \mp\left(\frac{E_{\text{iso}} - \mu}{\sigma_i}\right) \leq \alpha_i, \\ A_i \cdot \left(B_i \mp \frac{E_{\text{iso}} - \mu}{\sigma_i}\right)^{-n_i}, & \text{for } \alpha_i < \mp\left(\frac{E_{\text{iso}} - \mu}{\sigma_i}\right) \leq \alpha_i + \omega_i, \\ C_i \cdot \left(D_i \mp \frac{E_{\text{iso}} - \mu}{\sigma_i}\right)^{-m_i}, & \text{for } \alpha_i + \omega_i < \mp\left(\frac{E_{\text{iso}} - \mu}{\sigma_i}\right) \leq \infty, \end{cases}$$

$$A_i = \left(\frac{n_i}{|\alpha_i|}\right)^{n_i} \cdot \exp\left(-\frac{|\alpha_i|^2}{2}\right) \quad \text{and} \quad B_i = \frac{n_i}{|\alpha_i|} - |\alpha_i|,$$

$$D_i = \frac{m_i}{n_i} (B_i + \alpha_i + \omega_i) - (\alpha_i + \omega_i) \quad \text{and} \quad C_i = A_i (B_i + \alpha_i + \omega_i)^{-n_i} (D_i + \alpha_i + \omega_i)^{m_i}$$

# Extraction of real and fake templates

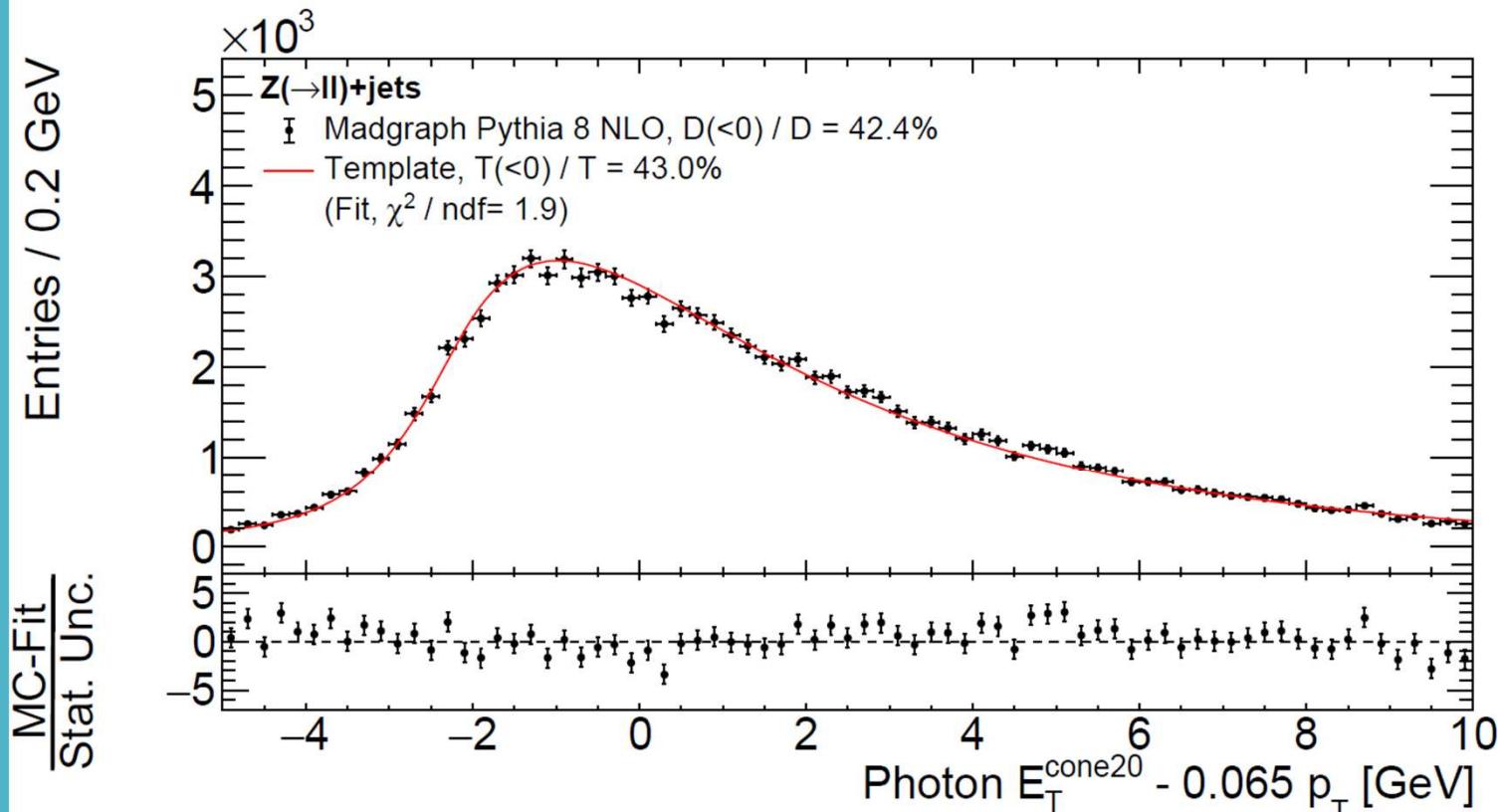
From Zy Run-2



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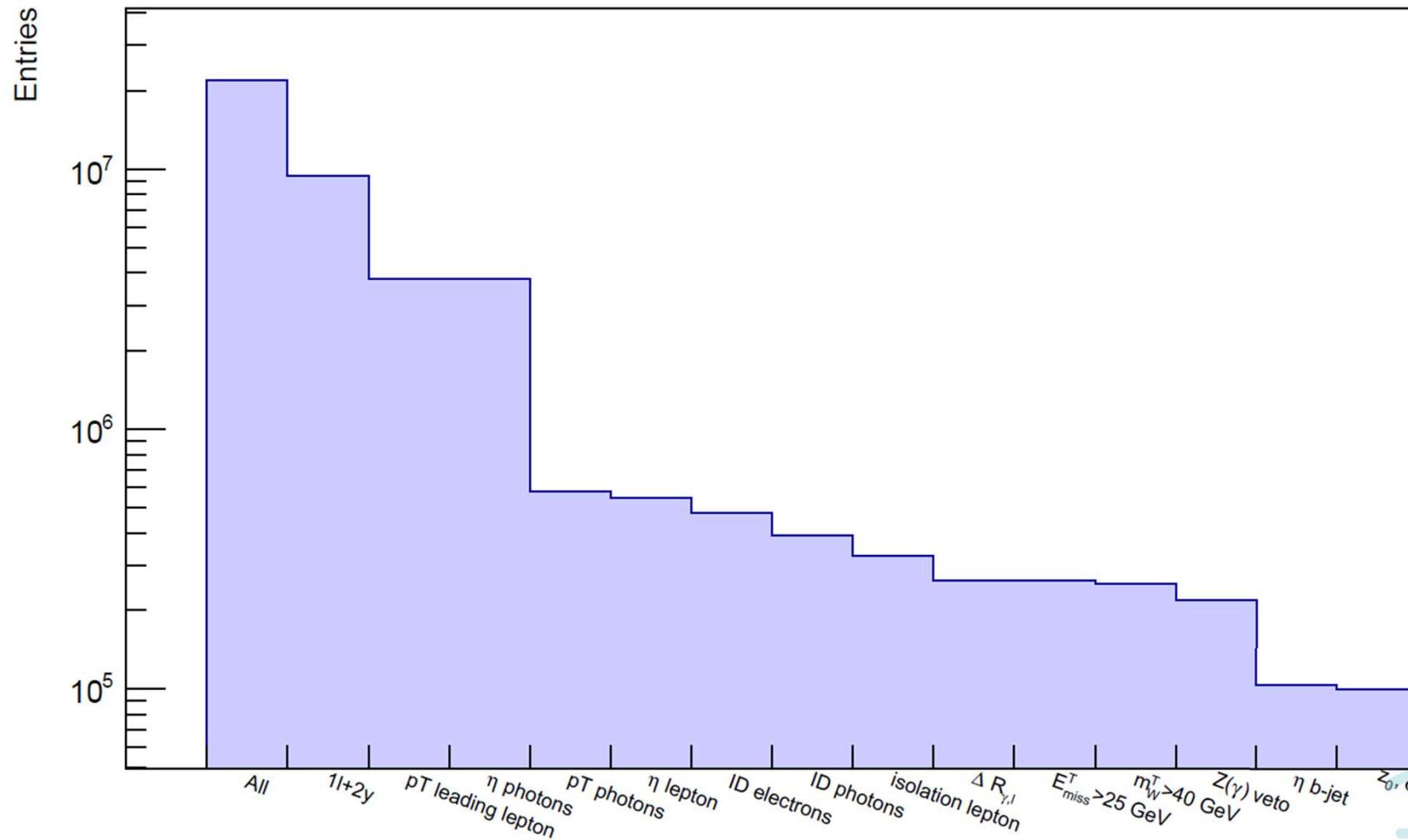
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Fake photon



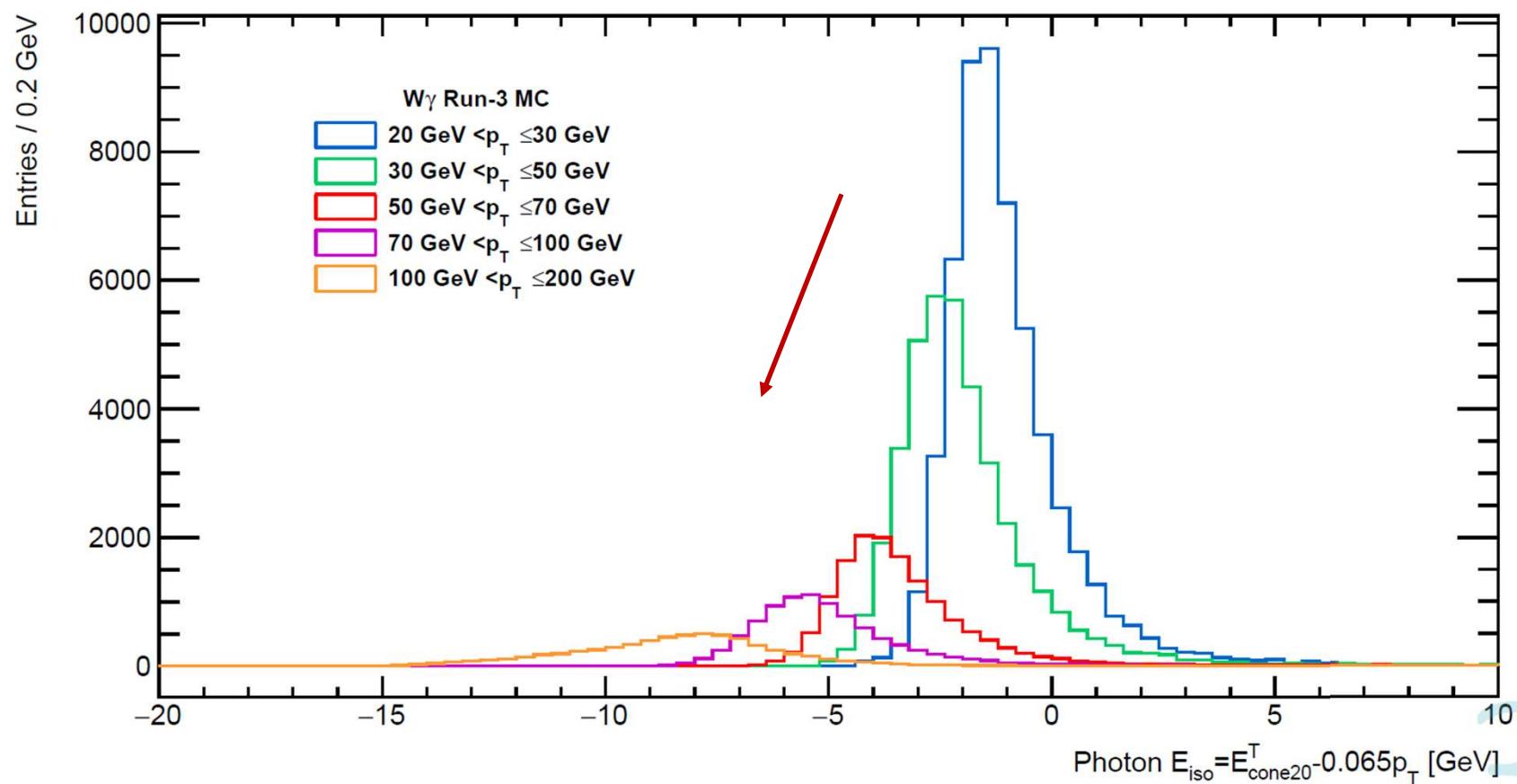
# Wy Run-3

# Cutflow diagram of Wy Run-3 MC

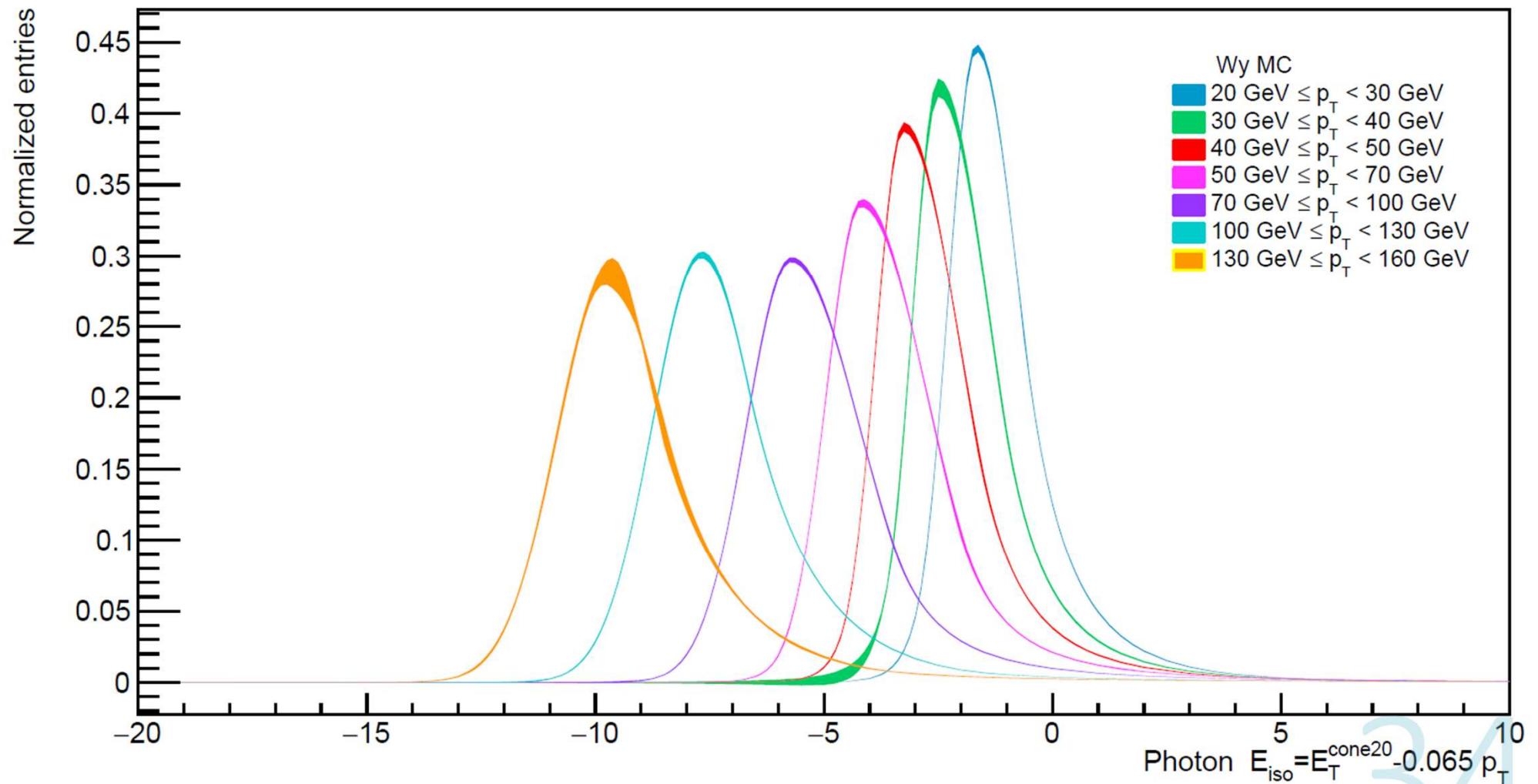


# W $\gamma$ Run-3: Isolation energy

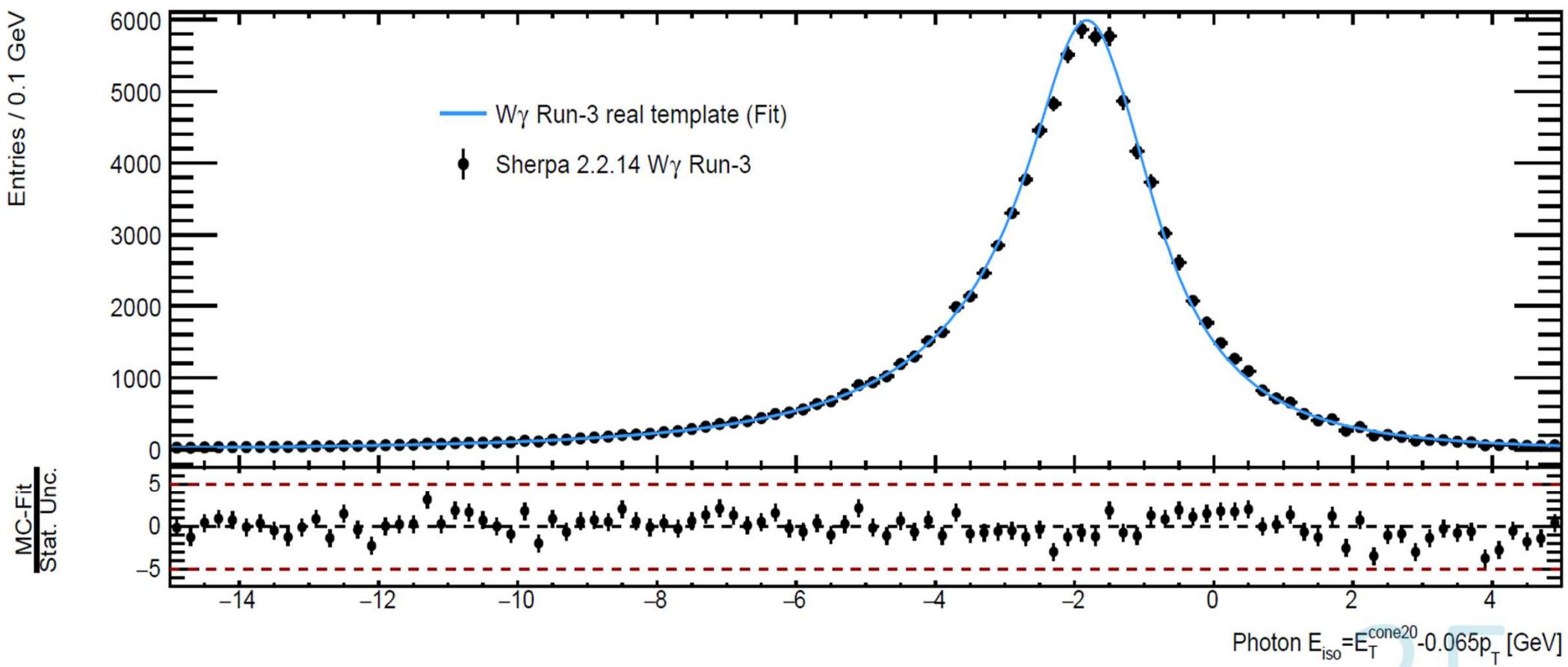
$p_T$  dependence



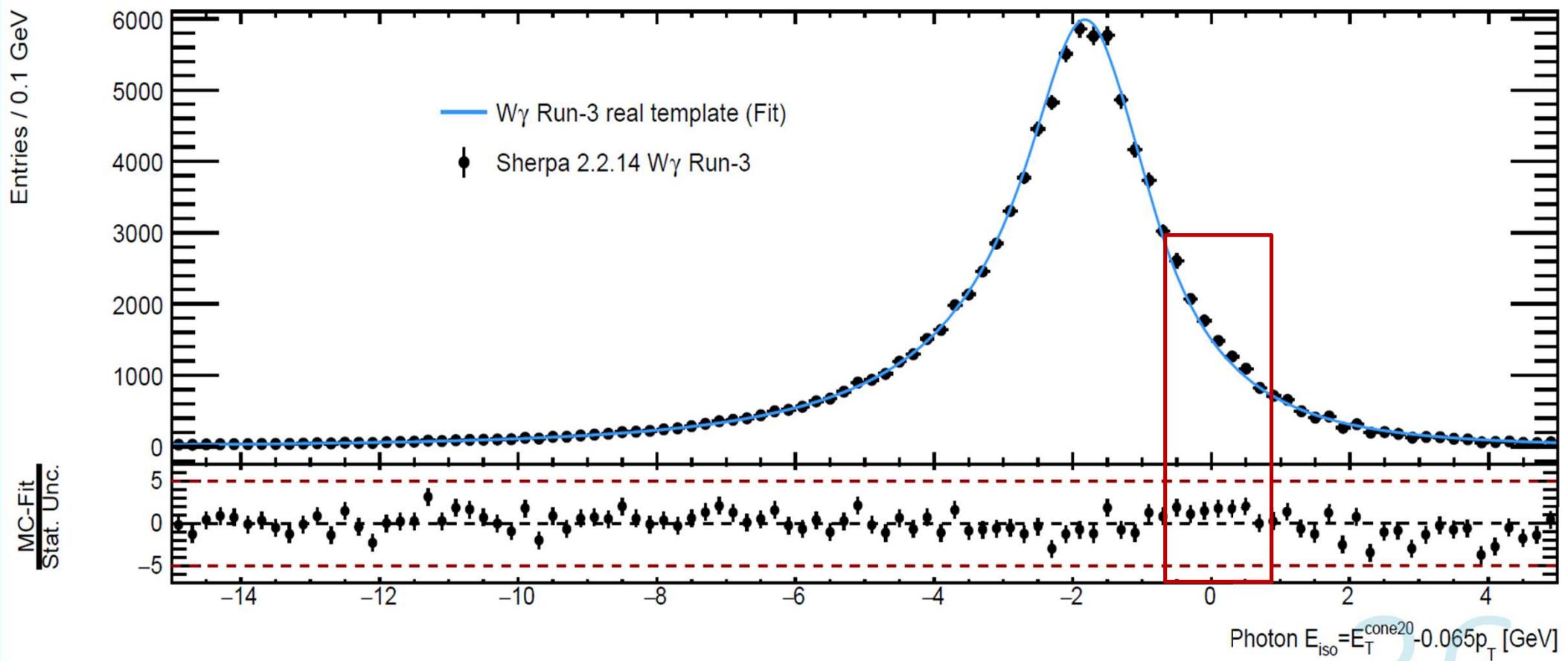
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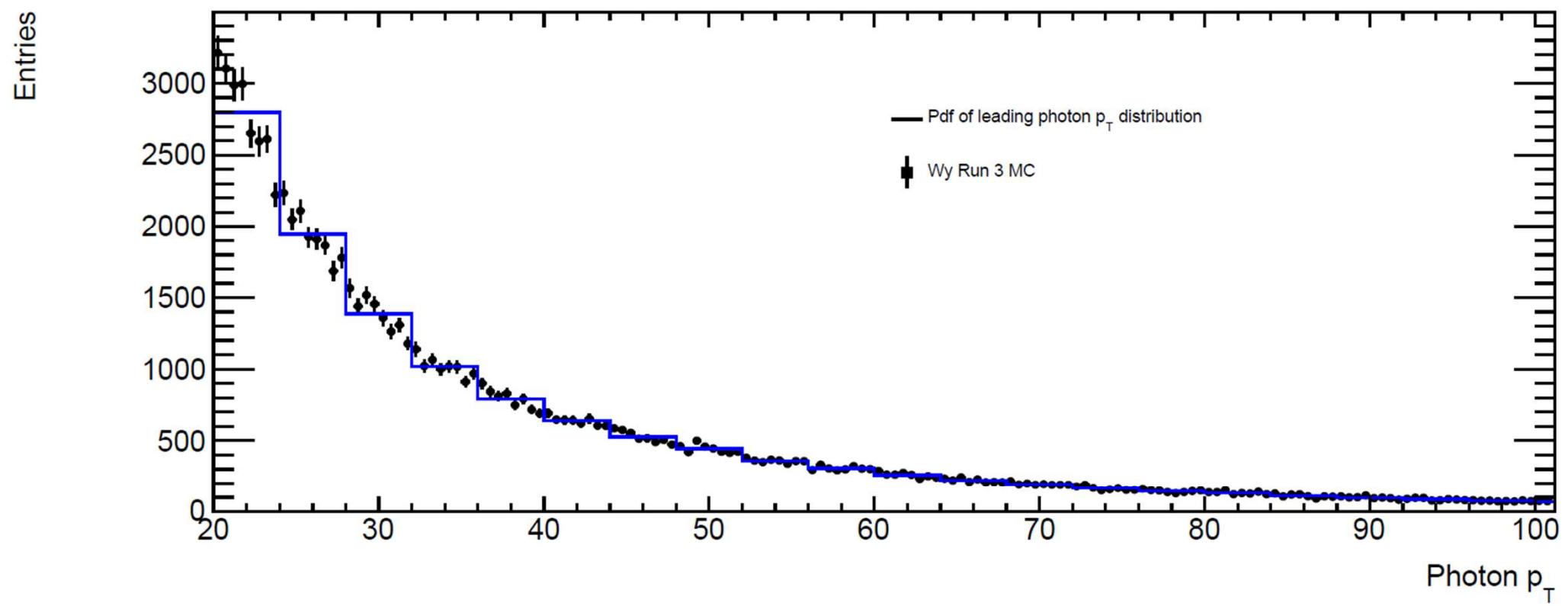
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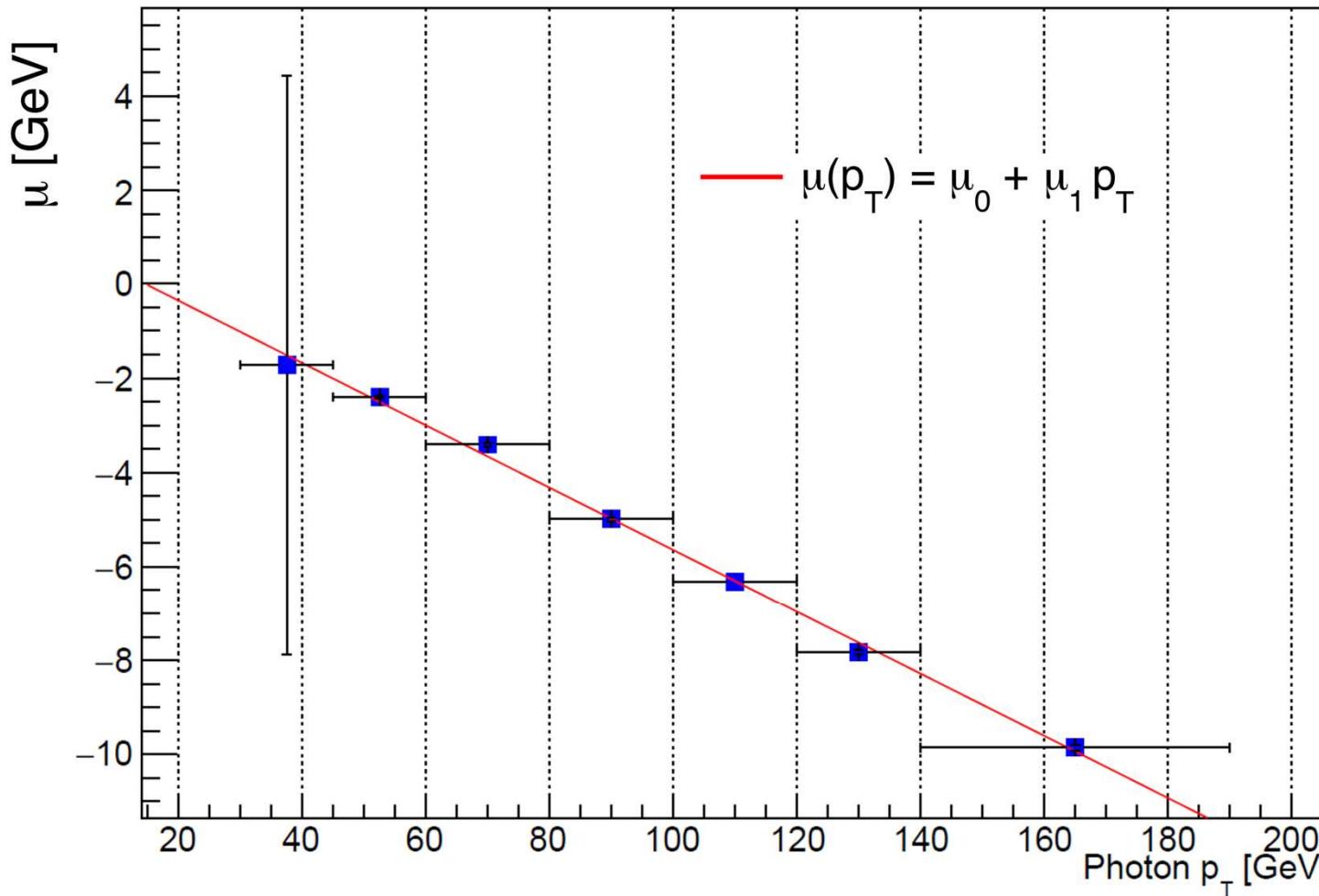


# Wy Run-3: PT pdf distribution



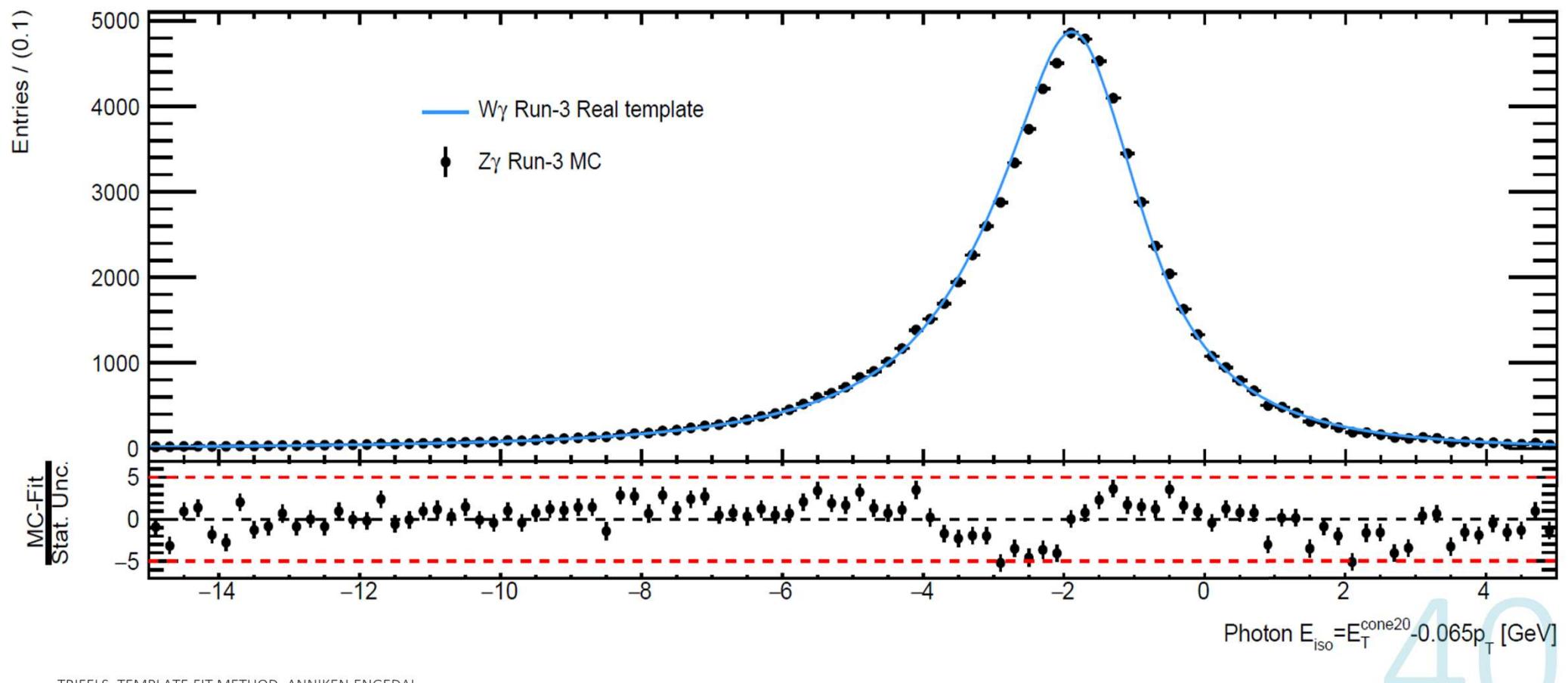
Wy Run-3:  $p_T$  dependence of parameter  $\mu$

An example:  $\mu(p_T) = \mu_0 + \mu_1 \cdot p_T$



Wy template → Zy, Wyy, Zyy

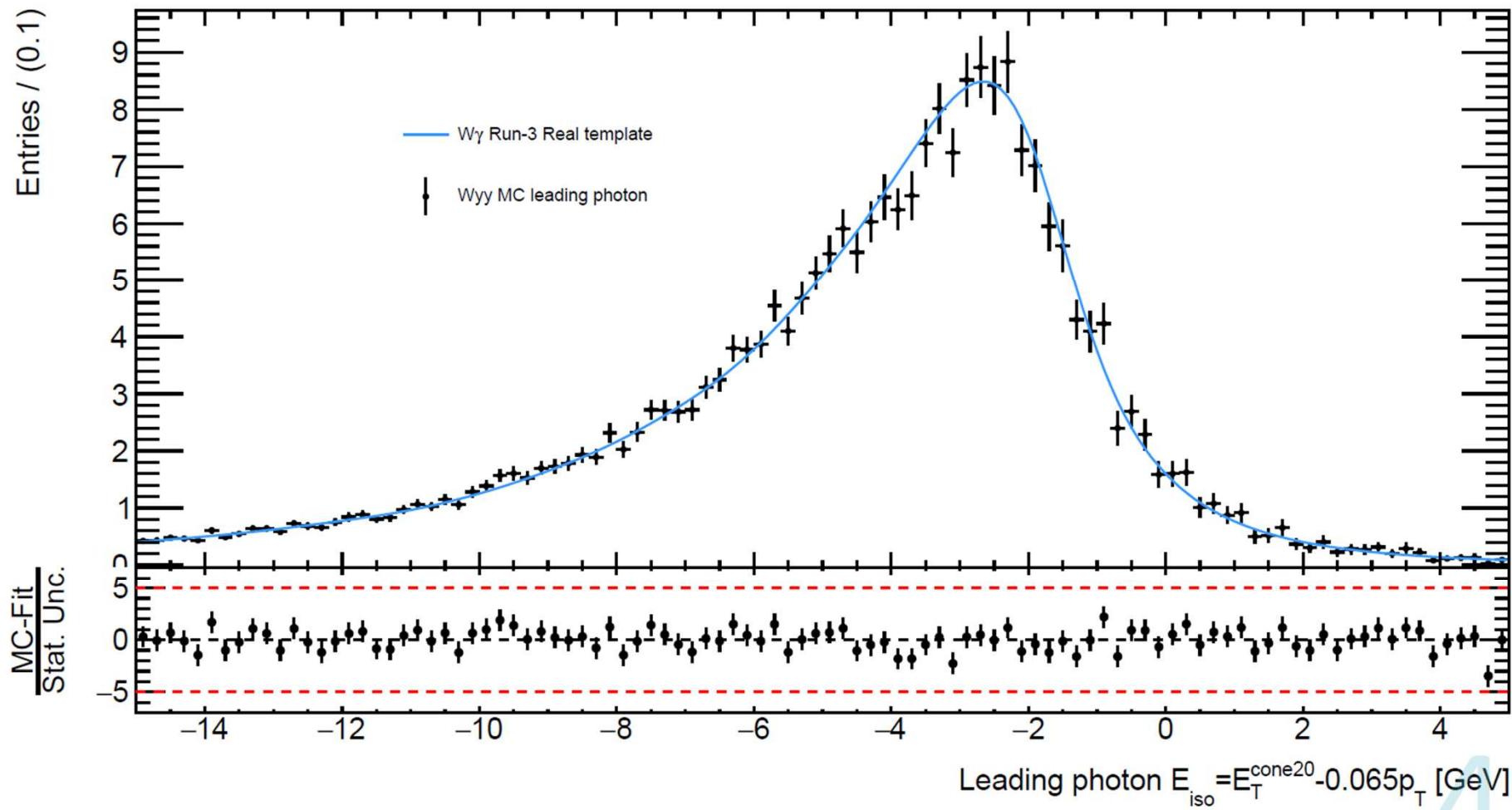
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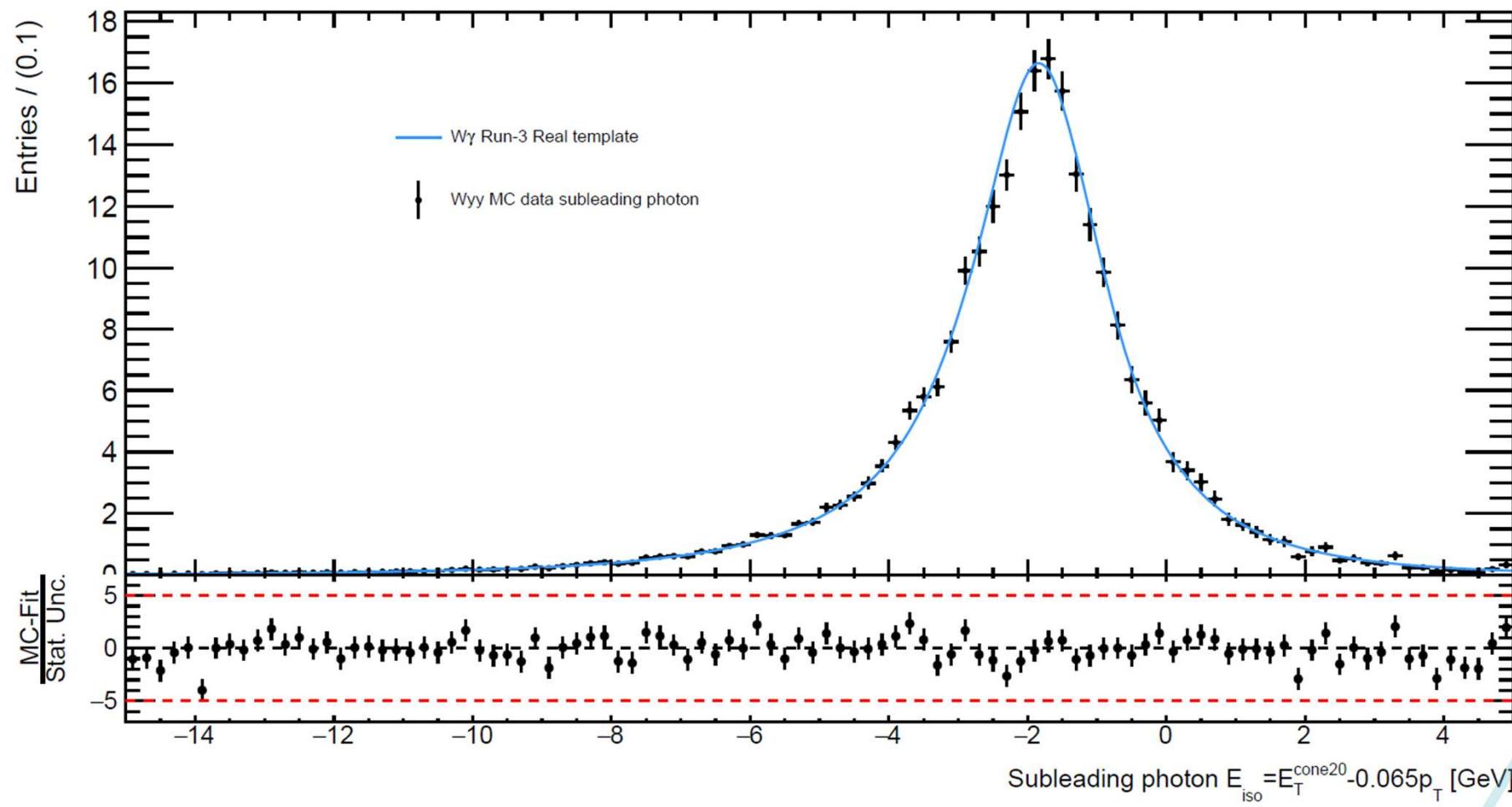


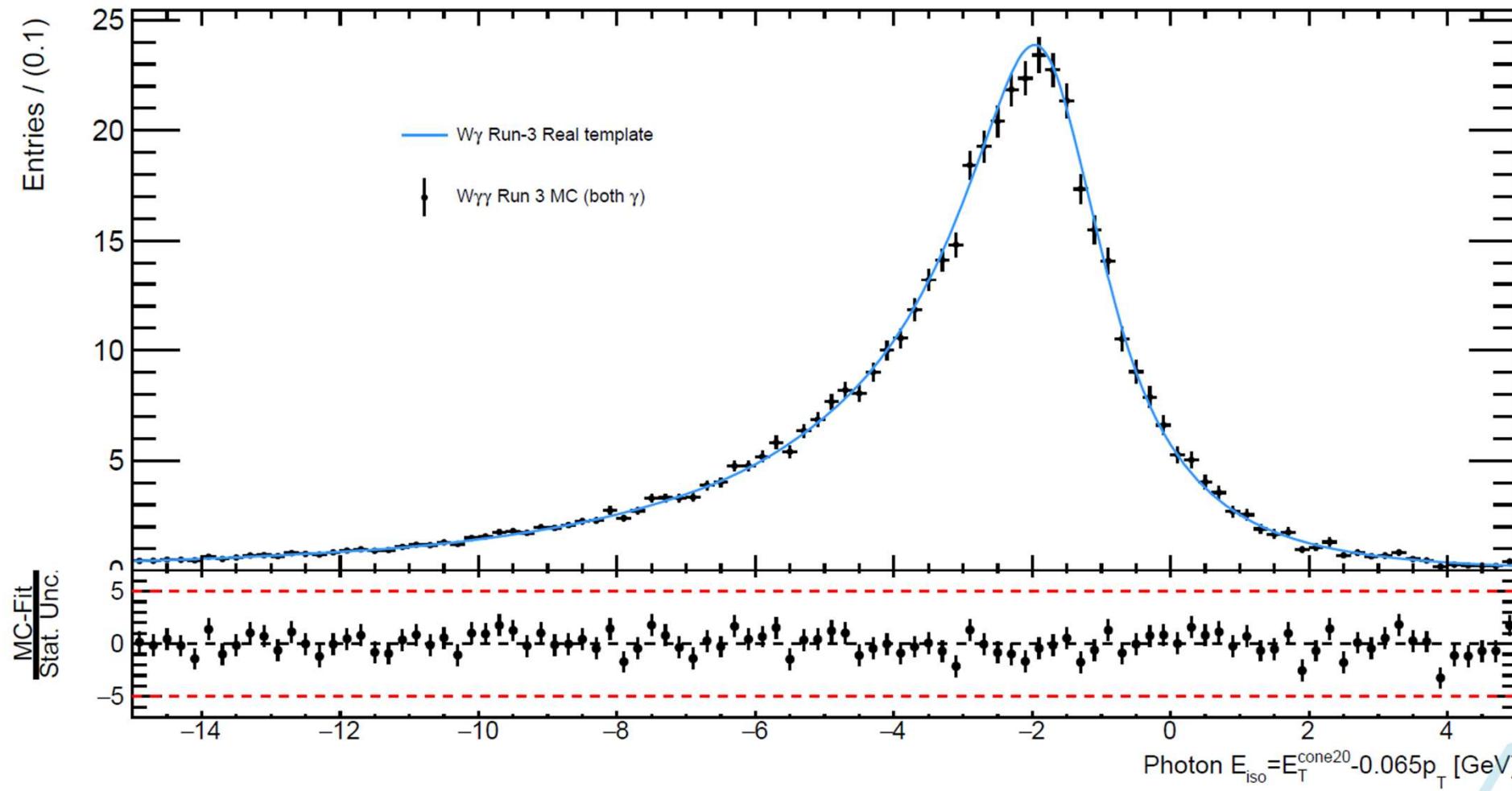
Wy template

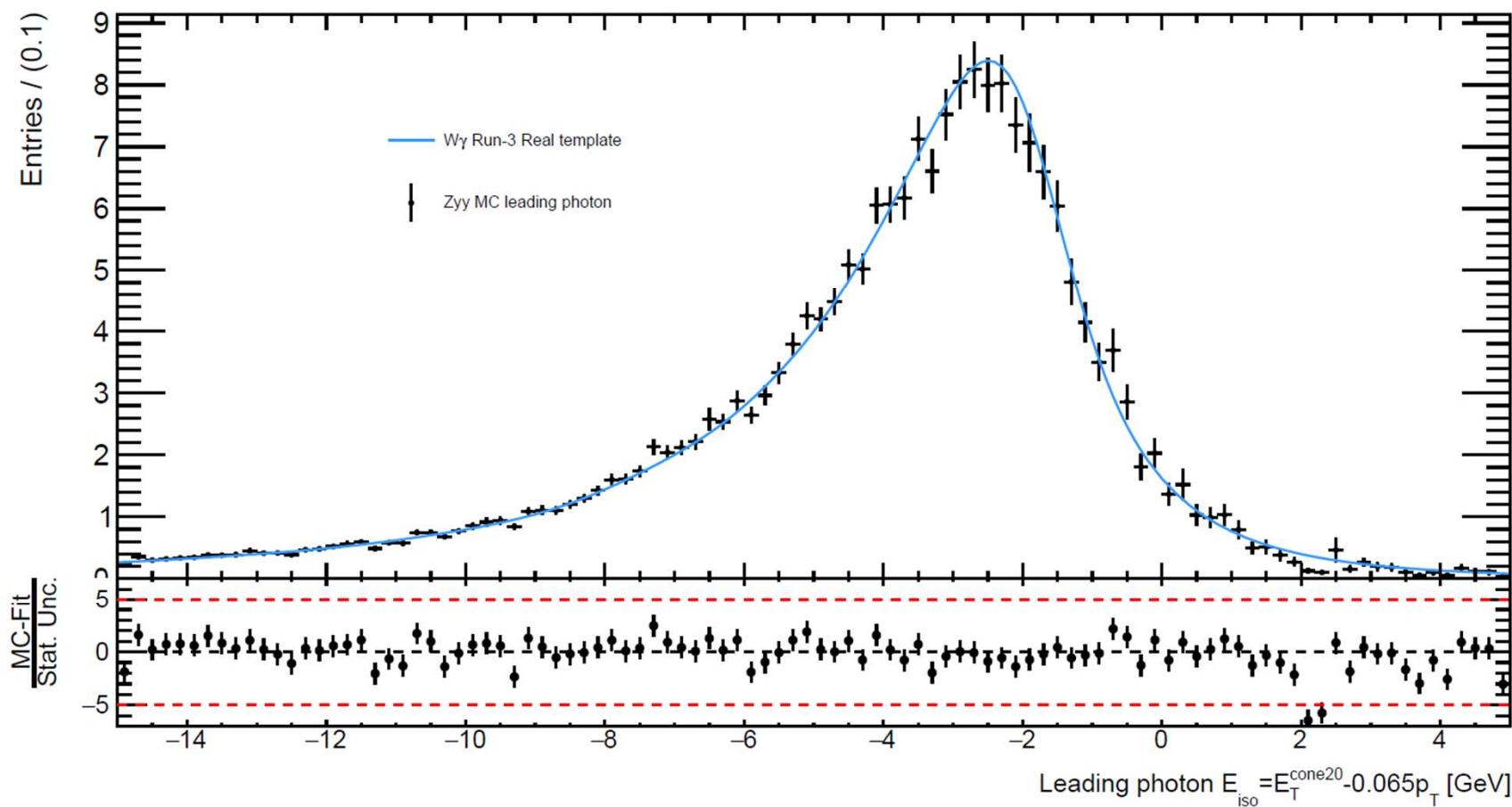


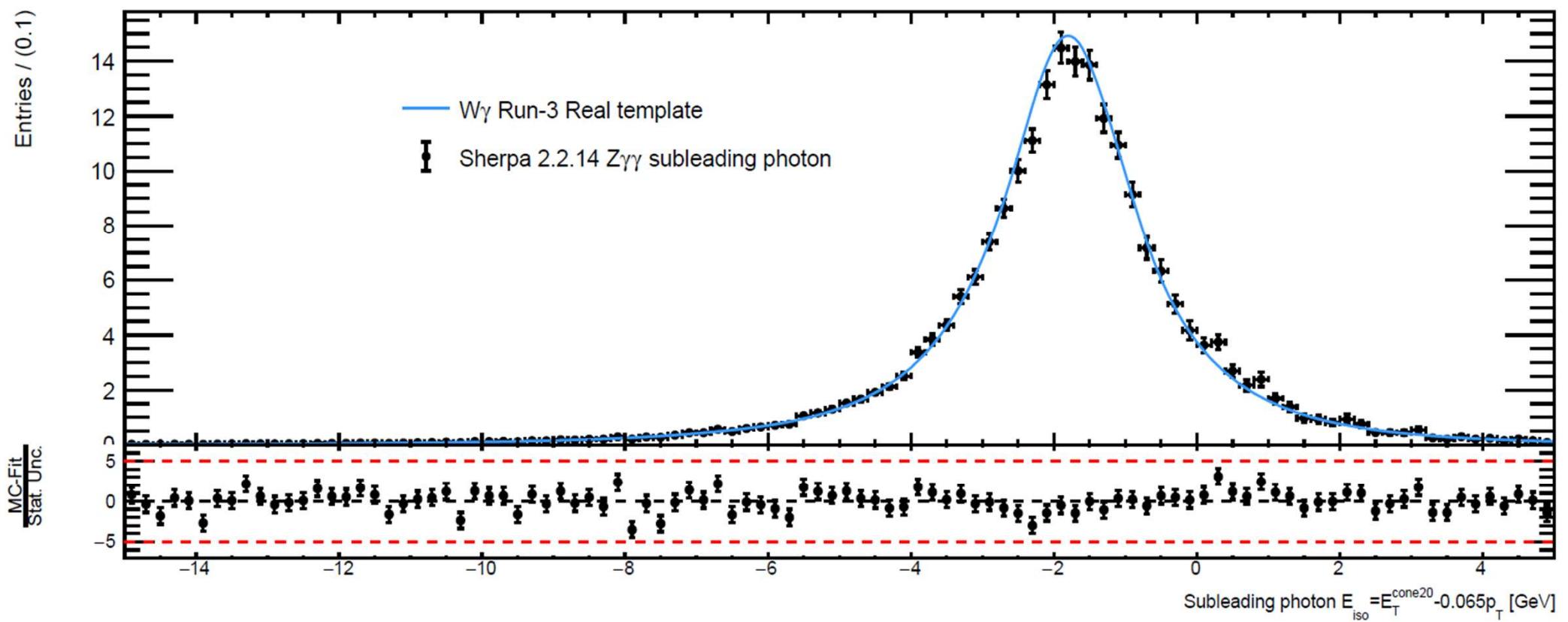
Wyy (leading)

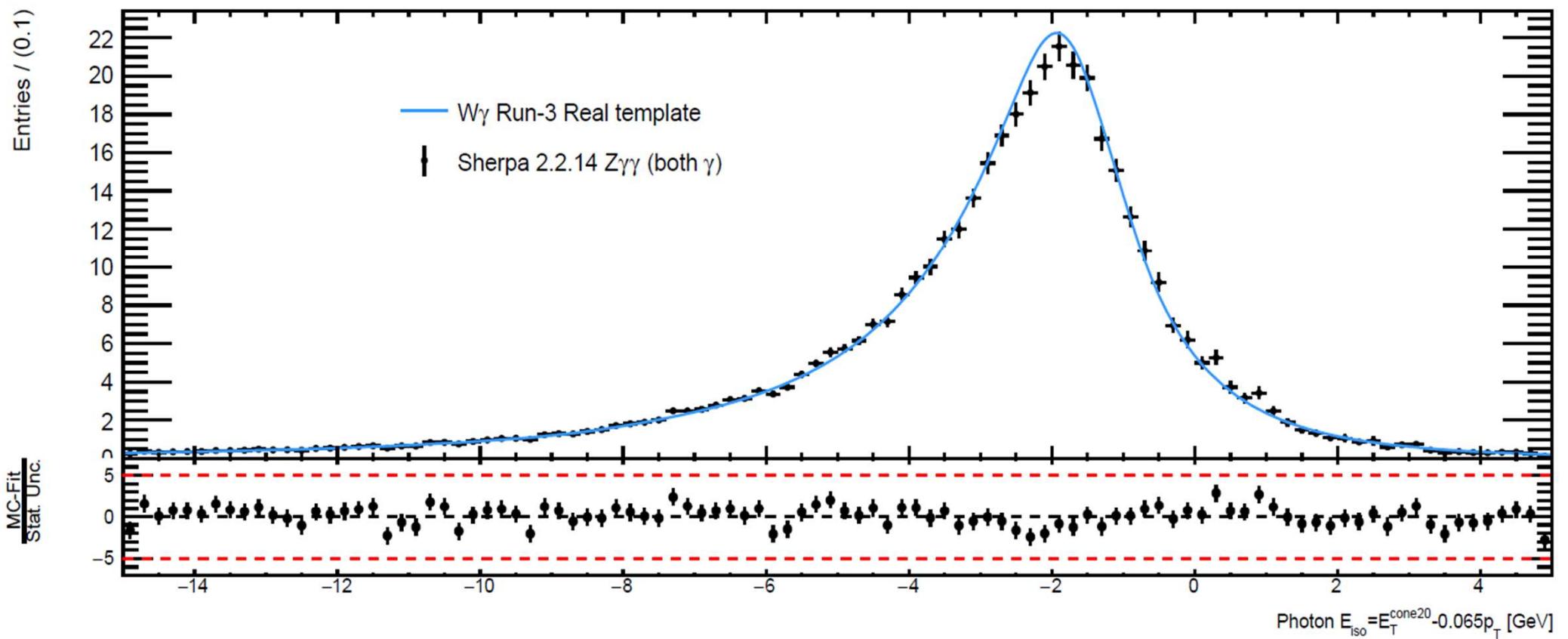






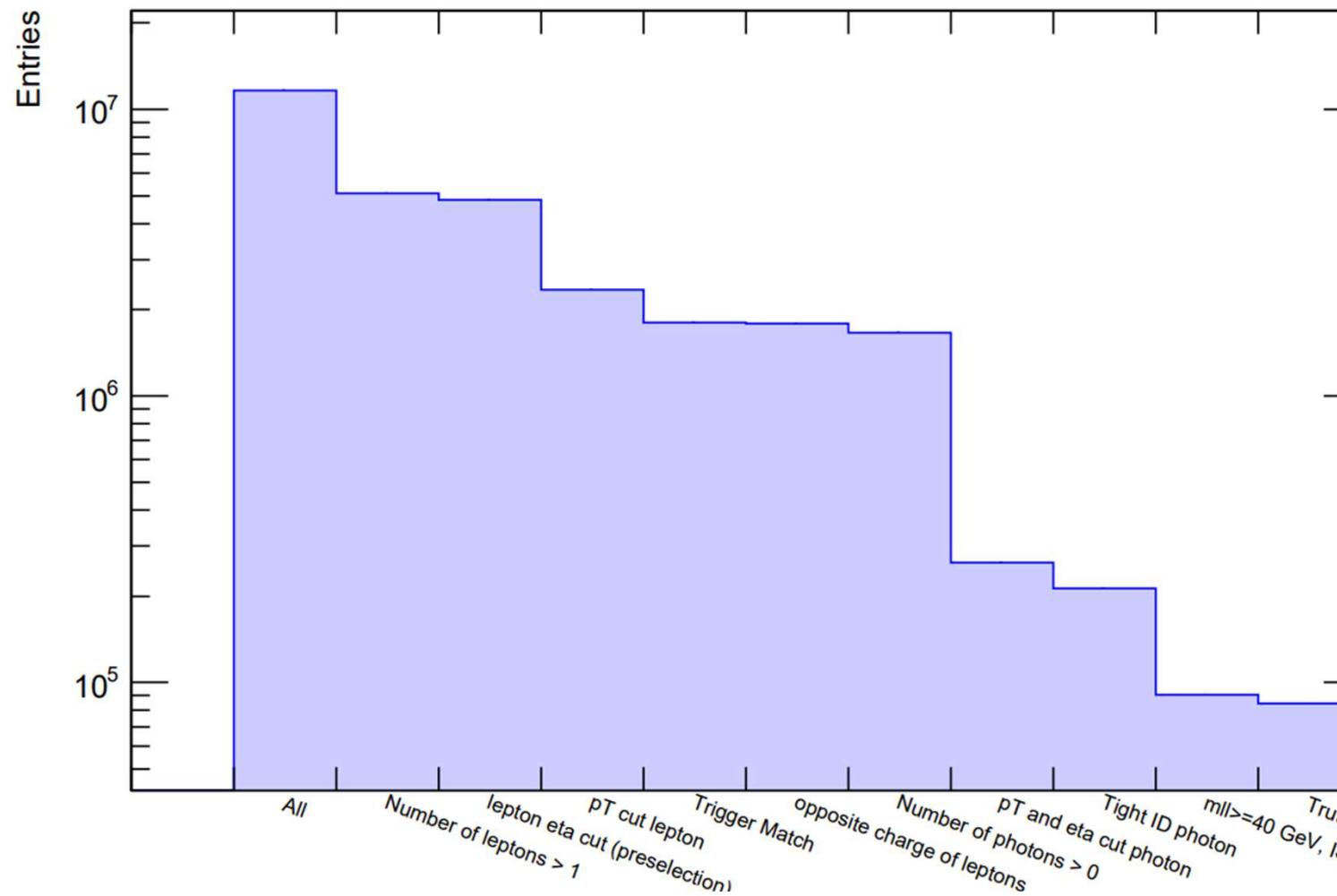






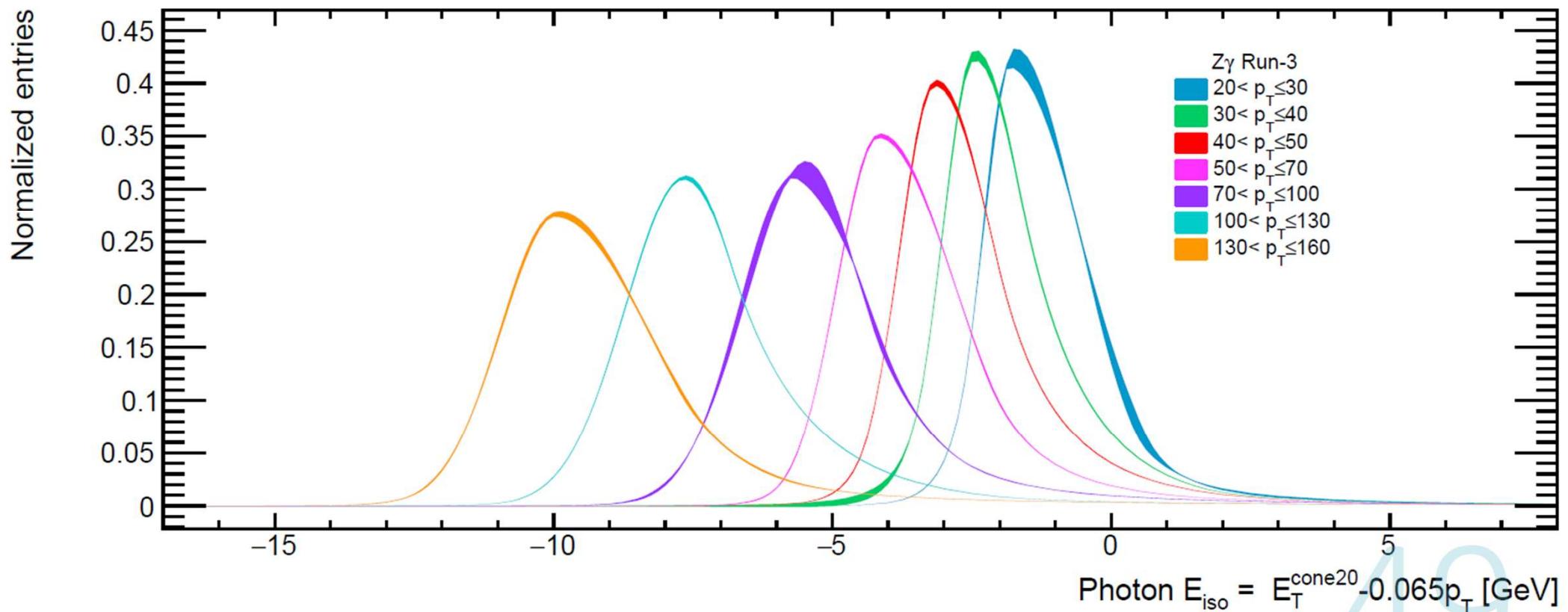
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# Cutflow diagram of Zy Run-3 MC



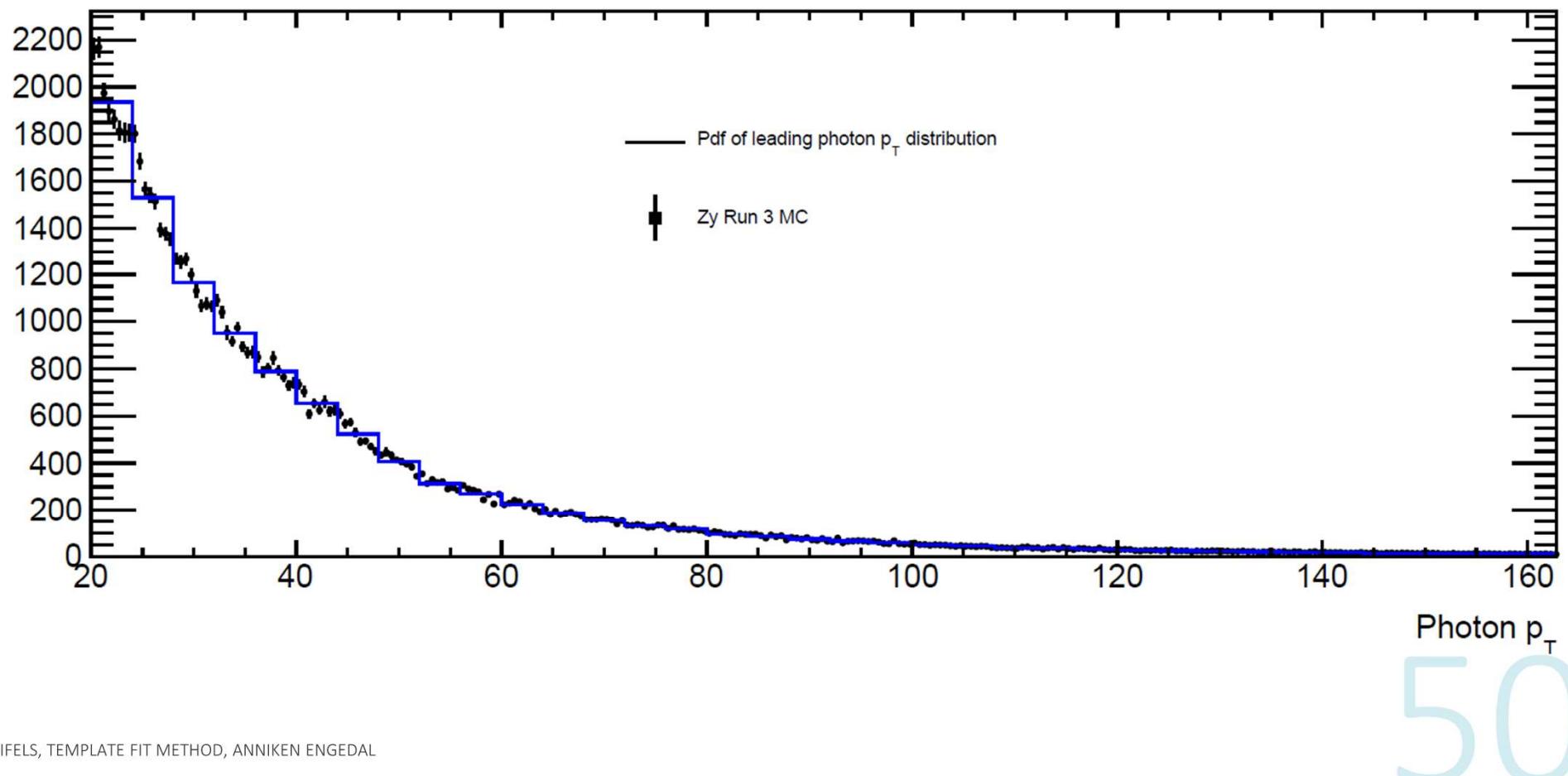
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# Zy Run-3: PT pdf distribution

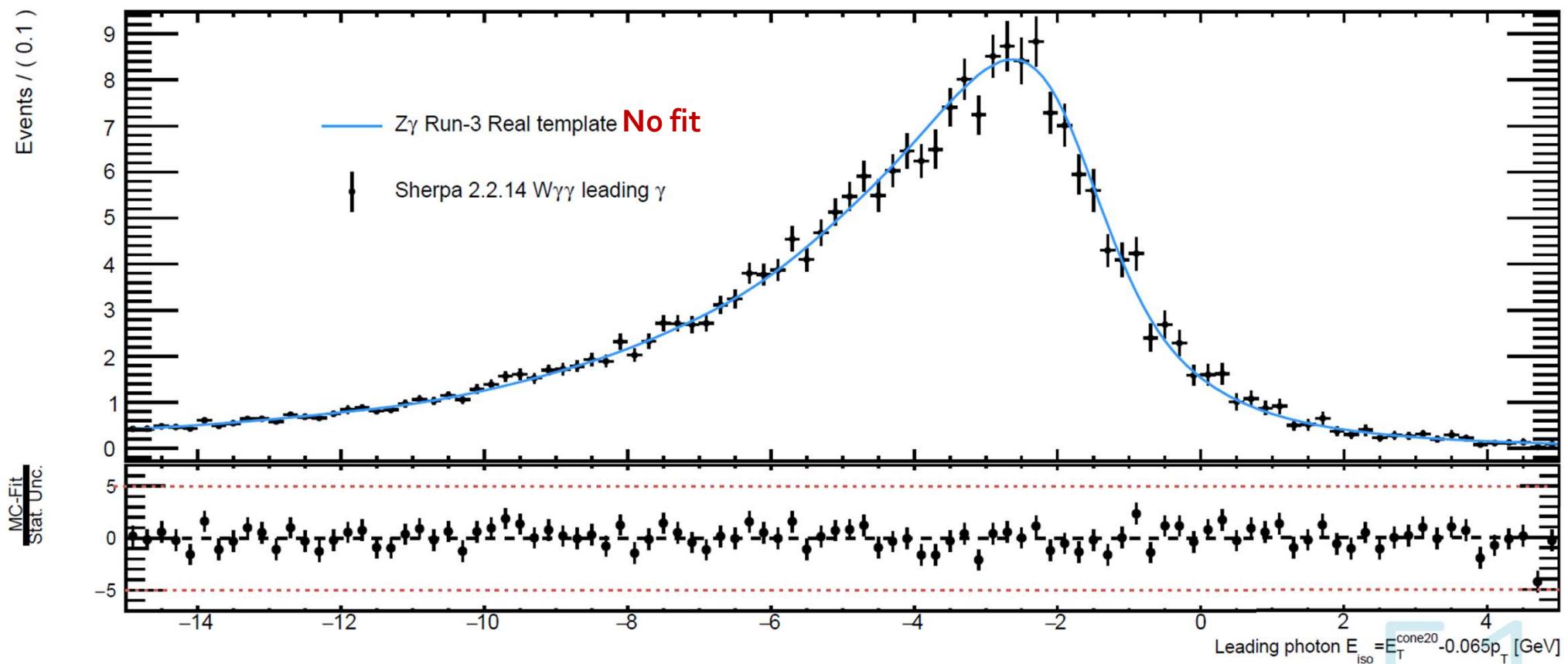
Entries



Z $\gamma$  template

W $\gamma\gamma$  (leading  $\gamma$ )

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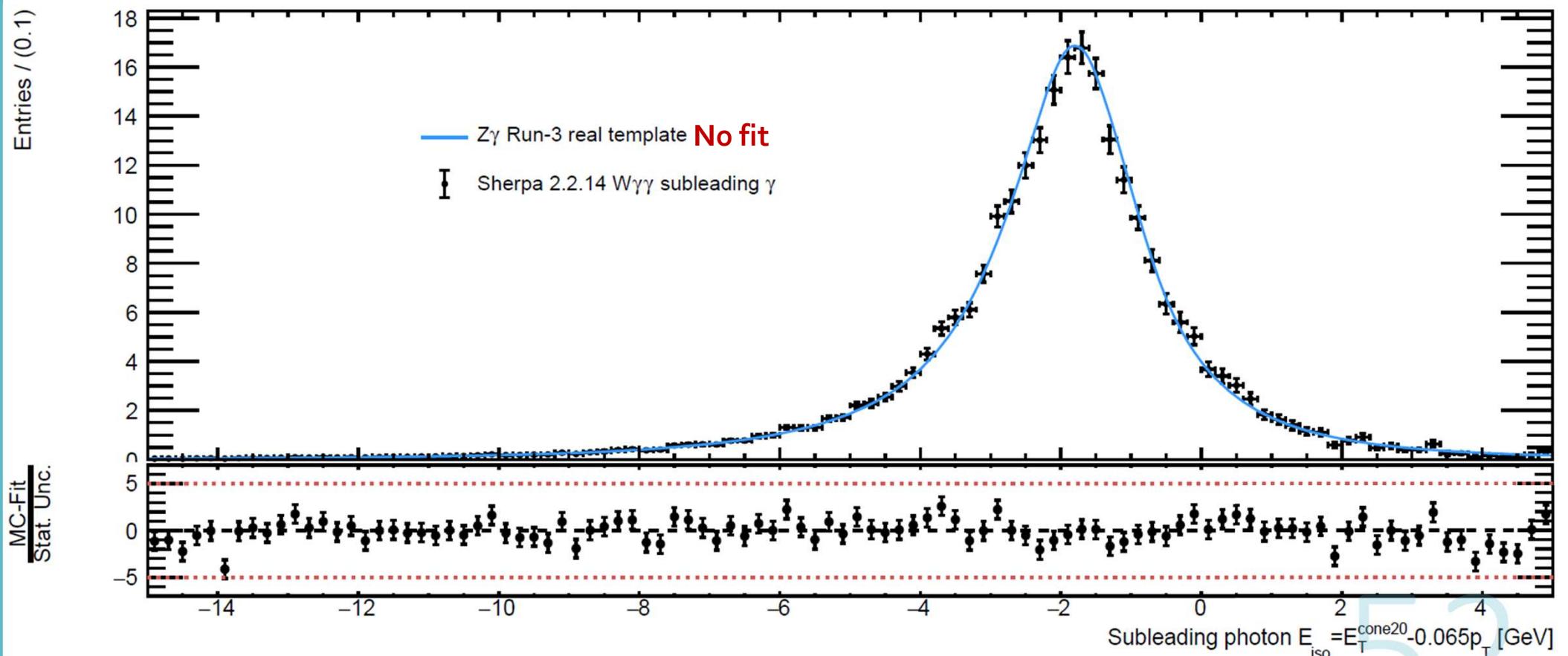


Z $\gamma$  template



W $\gamma\gamma$  (subleading  $\gamma$ )

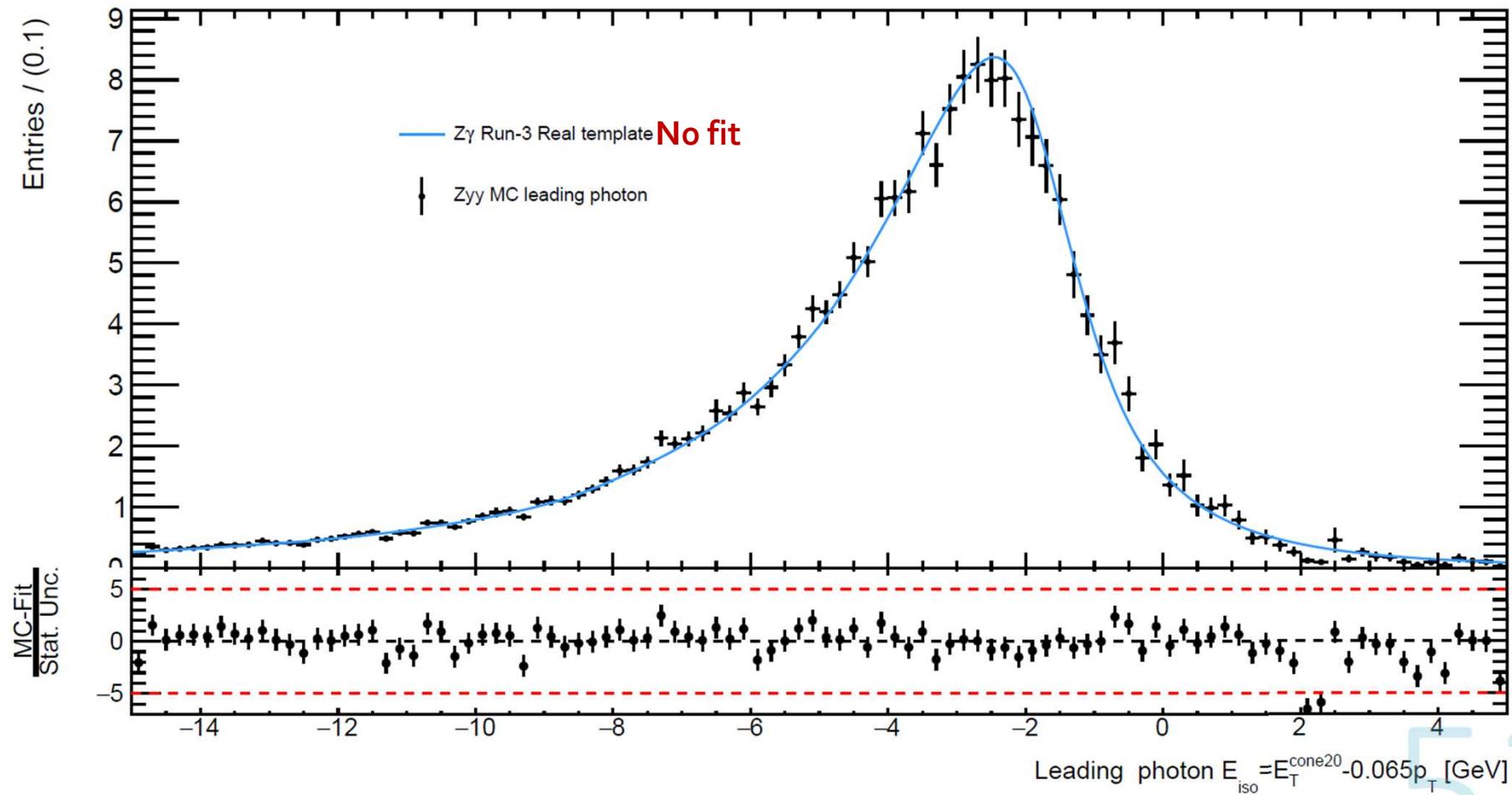
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