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# 2016 Reach Estimate using 10% Data (Blinded)

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# Introduction

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- Deciding if 10% blinded SIMPs analysis is appropriate
- If yes, what are the rules?
- Show Reach Estimate using 10% data (blinded, **only looking at Control Region**)
- \*Found bug in ctau units, fix improves expected signal
- ~22 Max Events Expected, wide range of sensitive  $A'/VD$  masses
- Discuss strategies for optimizing high-z cuts blinded



# 10% Data Reach Estimate – Components

From 2016 MC  
Full Lumi  
Reach Estimate

Radiative Fraction

10% Data  
Control Region  
Reco Background Rate

Re-calculated as  
 $f(m_{V_D}, \epsilon)$   
Efficiency Vertex

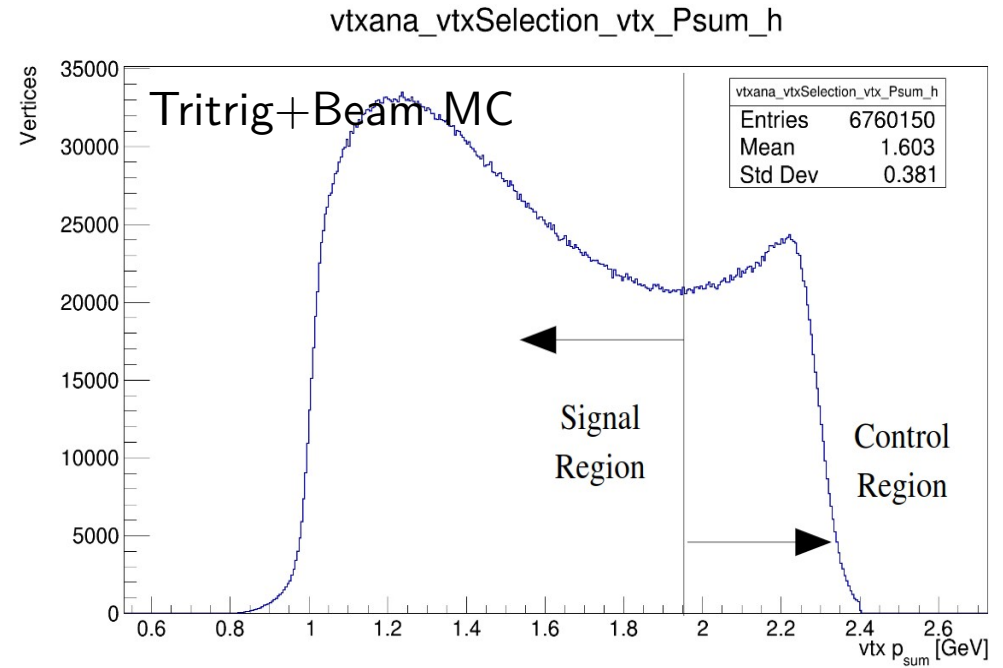
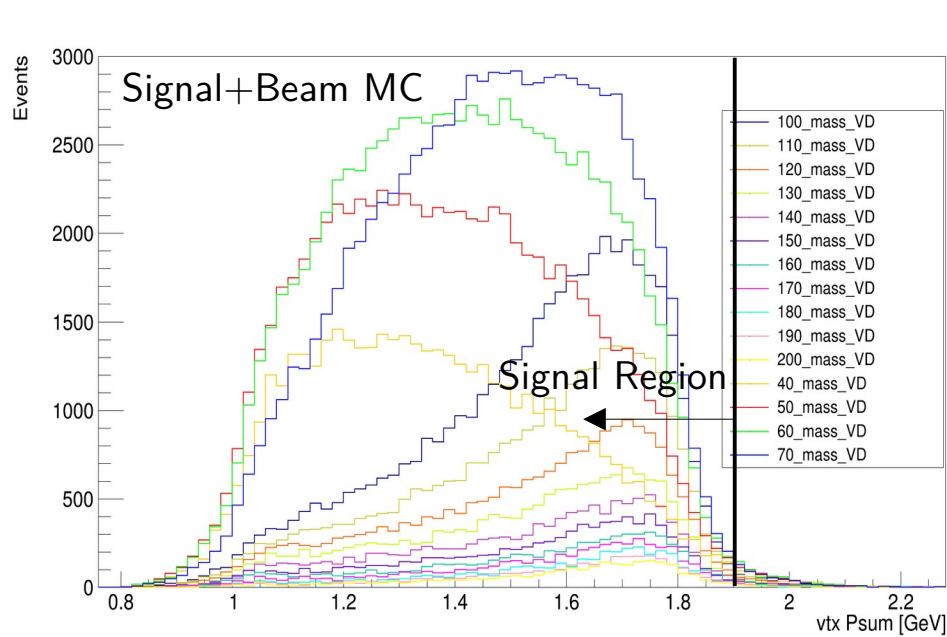
$$N_{A' sig} = \frac{3\pi m_{A'} \epsilon^2}{2N_{eff}\alpha} \frac{f_{rad}}{\zeta} \frac{dN_{CR}}{dm_{reco}} \Theta \int_{z_{tar}}^{\infty} \frac{\exp\left(\frac{z_{target}-z}{\gamma c\tau}\right)}{\gamma c\tau} F(z) dz$$

Total Rad Acceptance

$BR(A' \rightarrow V_D \pi_D)$  and  $BR(V_D \rightarrow e^+e^-)$   
Fixed



# 10% Data Reach Estimate – Signal/Control Regions



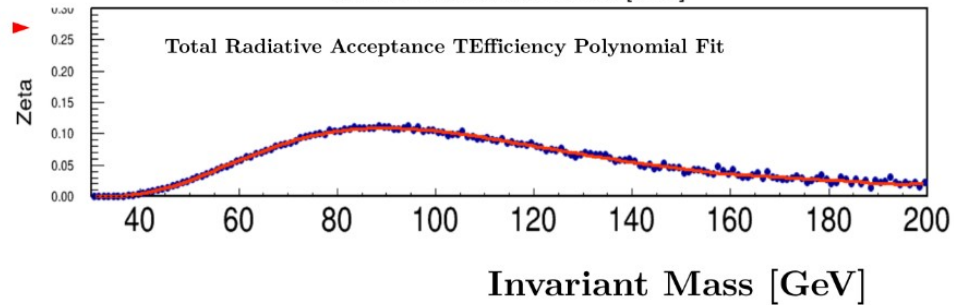
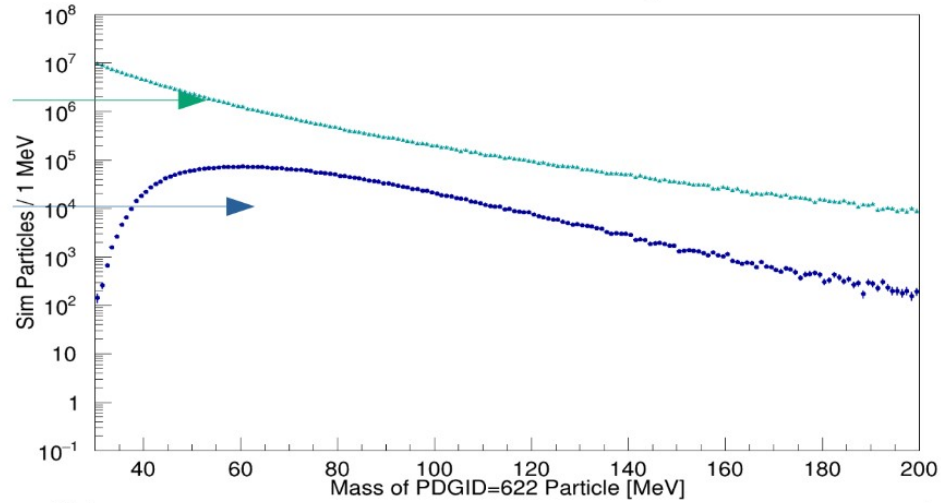
Control Region:  $1.9 \text{ GeV} < P_{\text{sum}} < 2.4 \text{ GeV}$

- **10% Data Sample Signal Region is Still Blinded**
- The following Reach Estimate only uses 10% Control Region

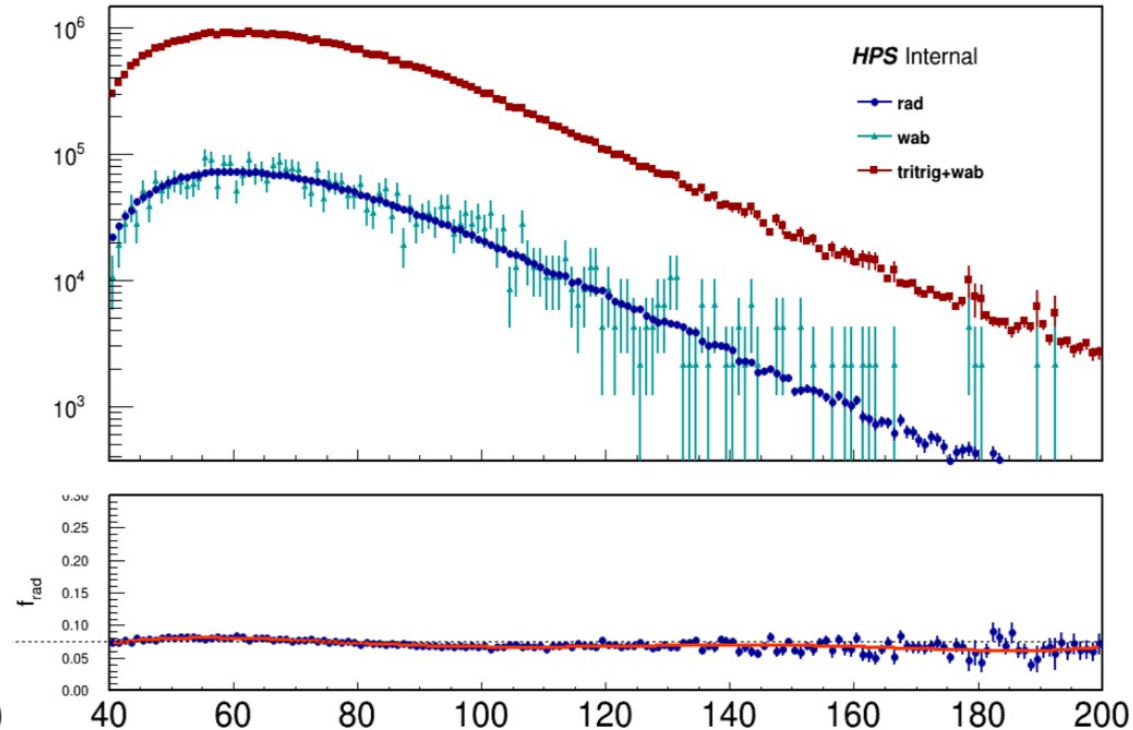


# 10% Data Reach Estimate – RadFrac and RadAcc

Total Radiative Acceptance



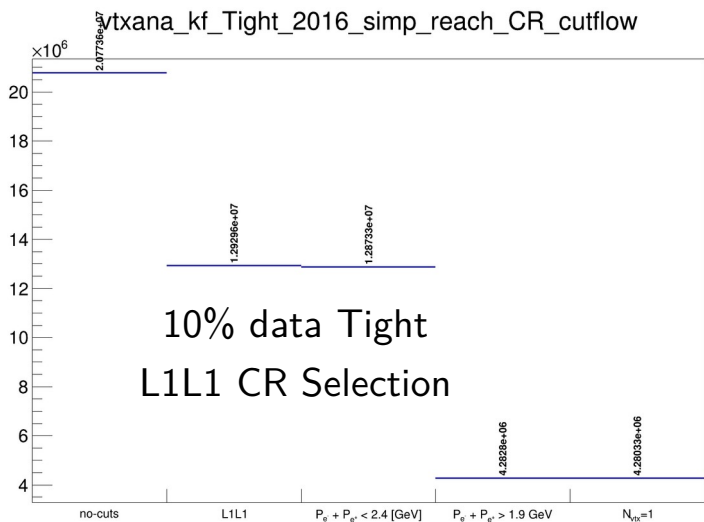
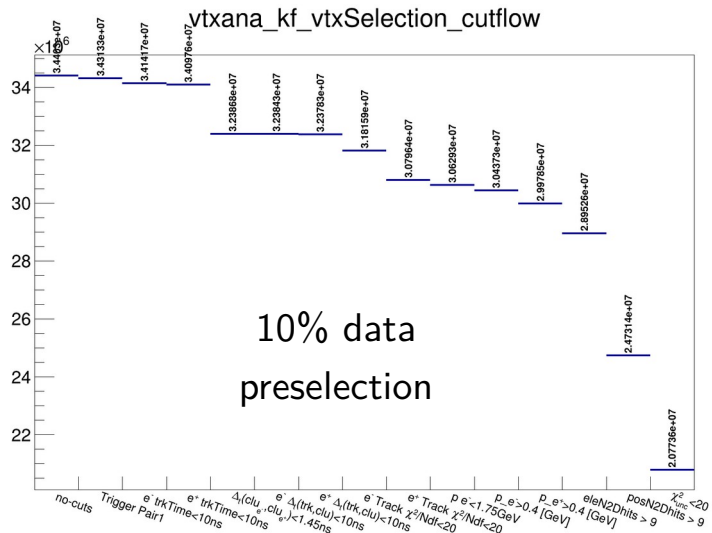
Radiative Fraction



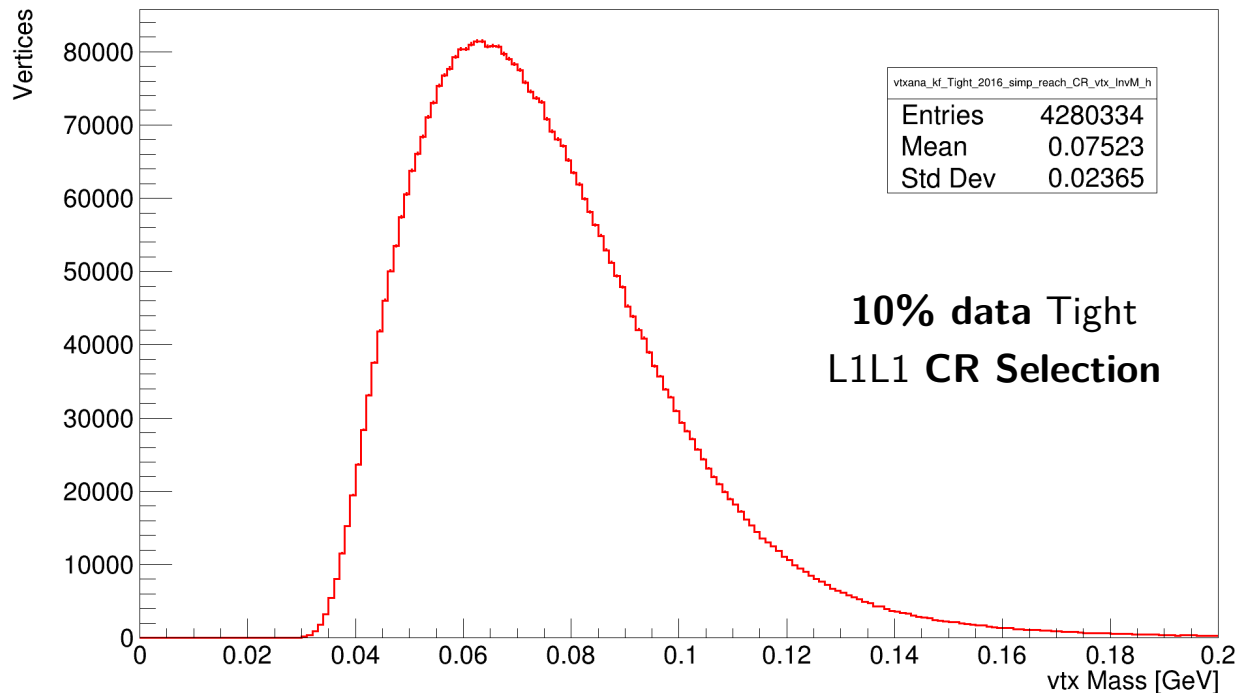
Both terms calculated using CR MC



# 10% Data Reach Estimate – Control Region Bkg Rate



vtxana\_kf\_Tight\_2016\_simp\_reach\_CR\_vtx\_InvM\_h

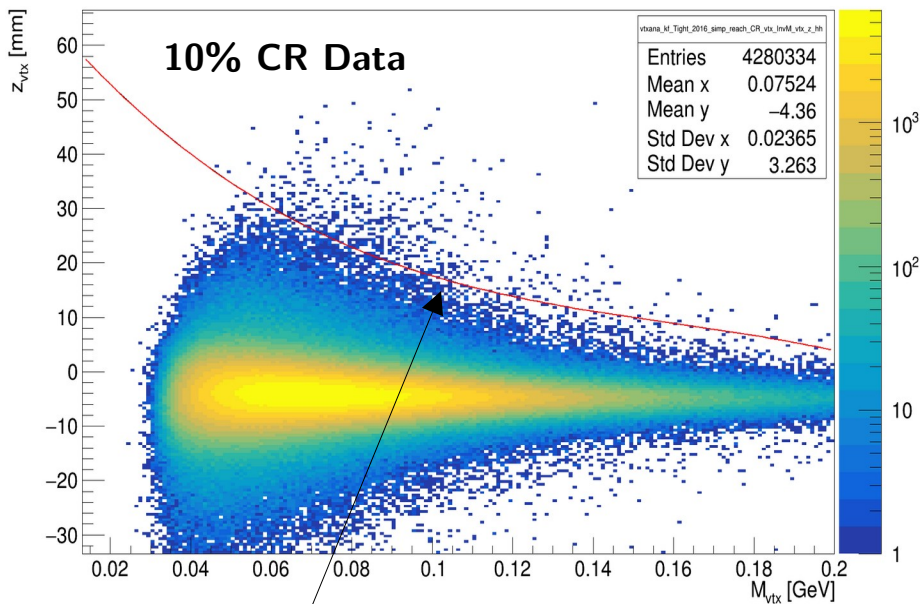


10% Data Expected Signal is proportional to dNdm in CR

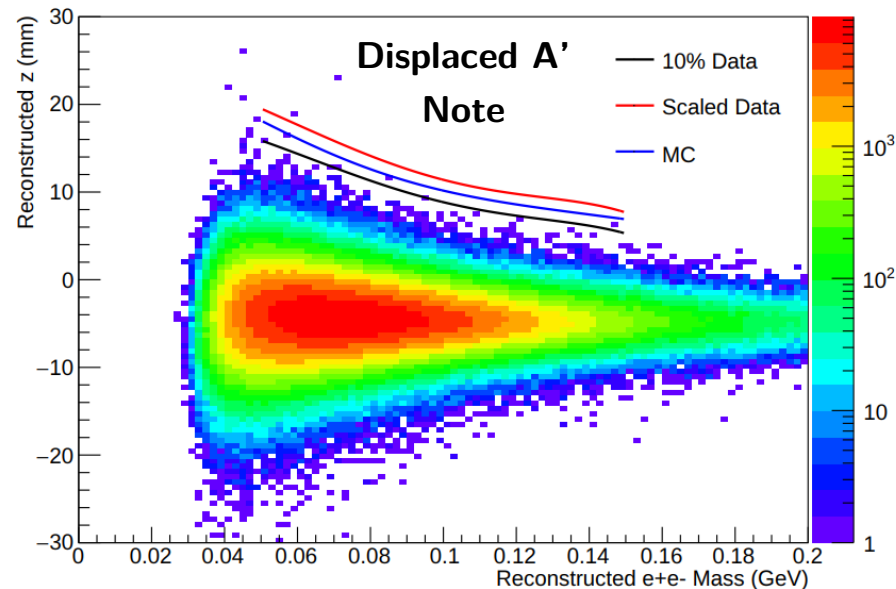


# 10% Data Reach Estimate – Zcut

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Final Selection 10% Data L1L1

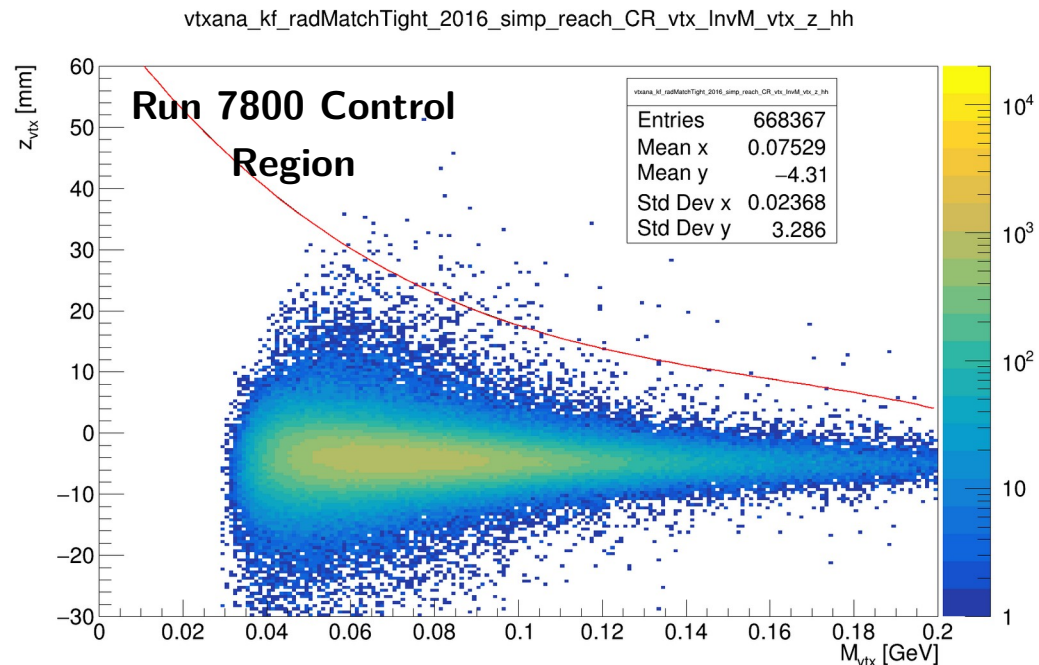
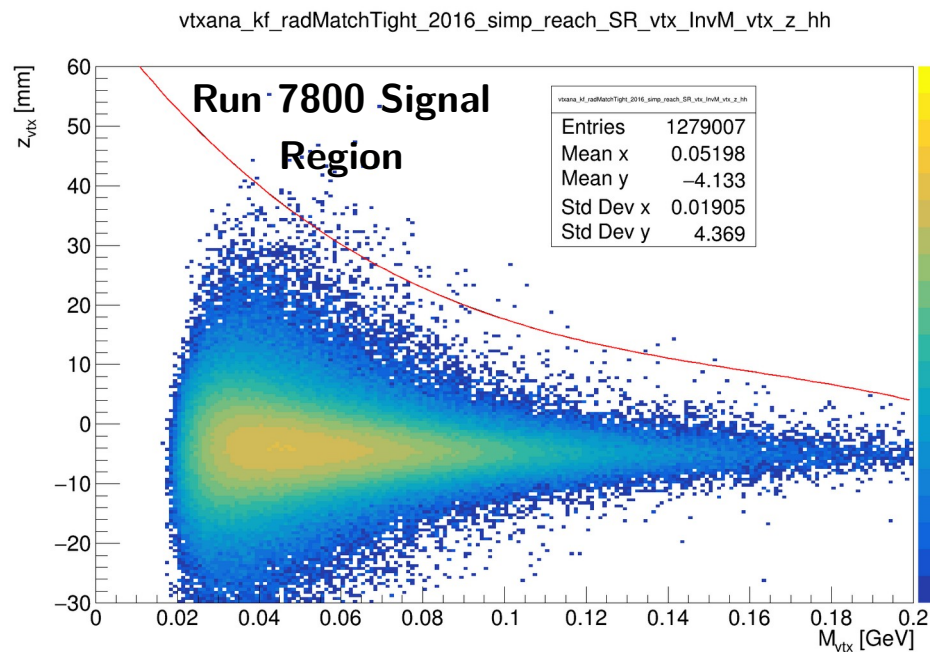


'Eyeball' Zcut from original Reach Estimate

- Used Displaced A' Zcut as guide, but made it more conservative for SIMPS
- SIMPS (left) has more background because no high-z cuts applied yet....



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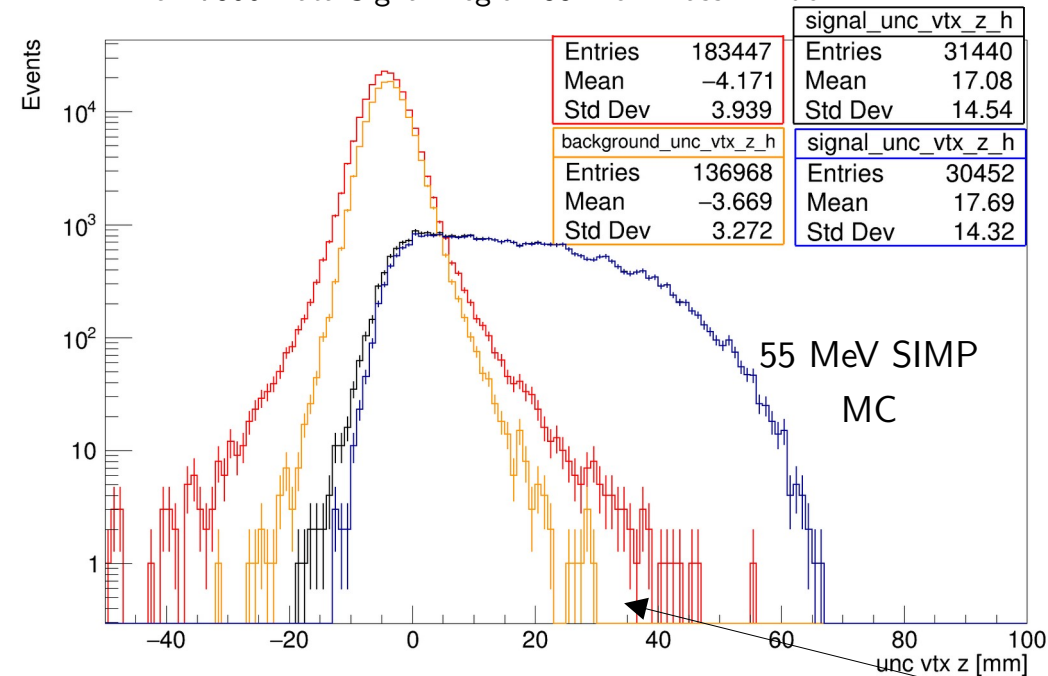
- Run 7800 Signal and Background Regions (Still blind to 10% SR)
- Tails are a bit messier at lower mass, but overall regions are comparable



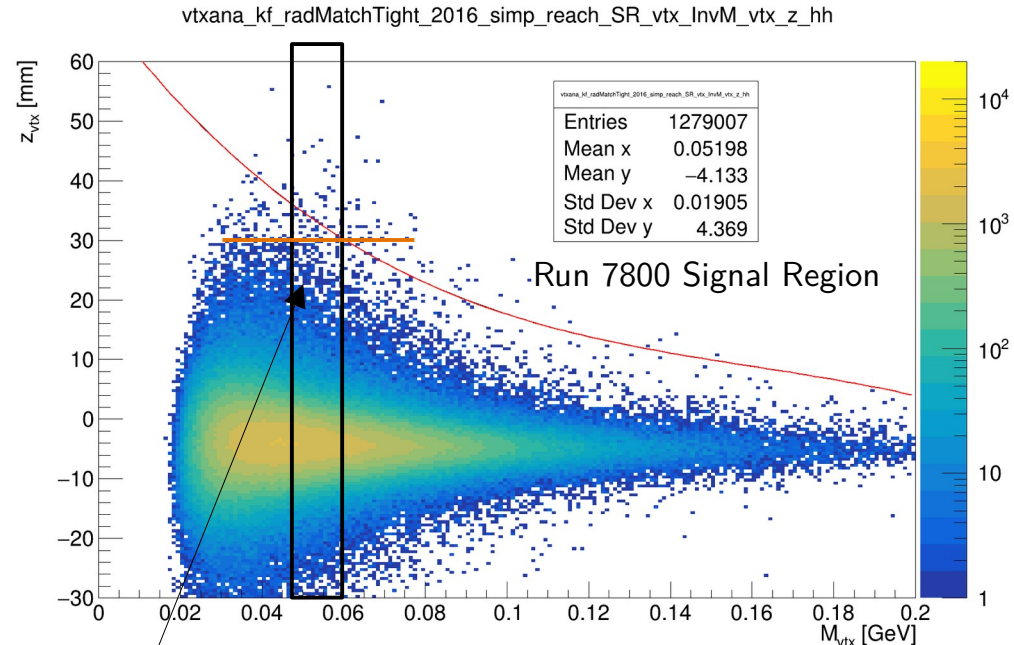


# 10% Data Reach Estimate – Zcut

Run 7800 Data Signal Region 55 MeV Mass Window



High-z background in Signal Region  
expected to decrease significantly with  
high-z cuts ( $z_0/\tan\lambda$  shown)



For example: 55 MeV Zcut  $\sim$ 30mm  
looks okay

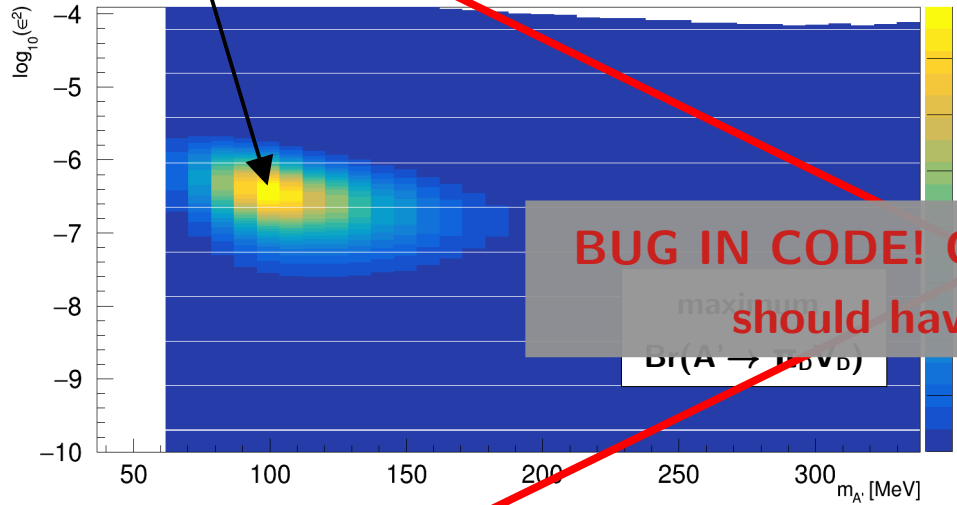


# OLD SIMP Reach Estimate – Expected Signal

Max ~15 Events

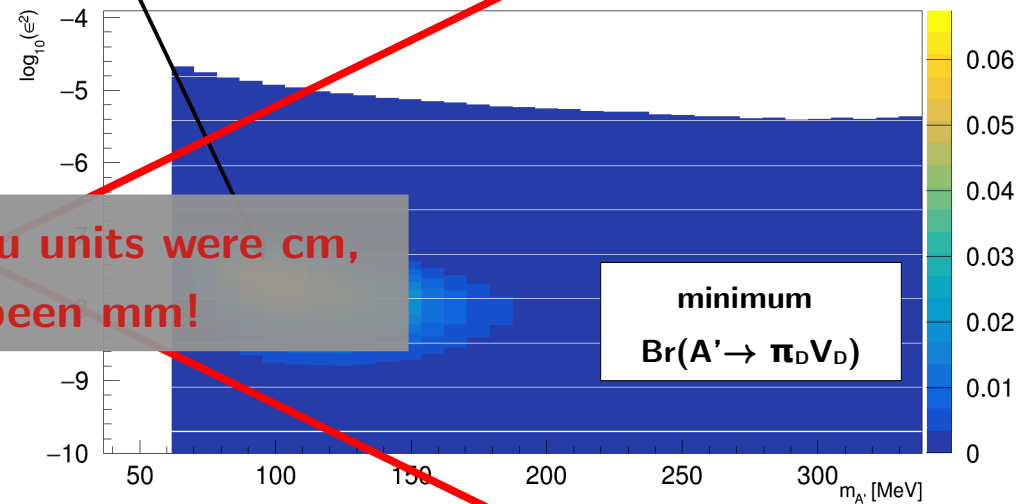
Expected!

Expected A' Signal  $m_\pi/f_\pi = 4\pi$



Expected Events  $\ll 1$

Expected A' Signal  $m_\pi/f_\pi = 3$

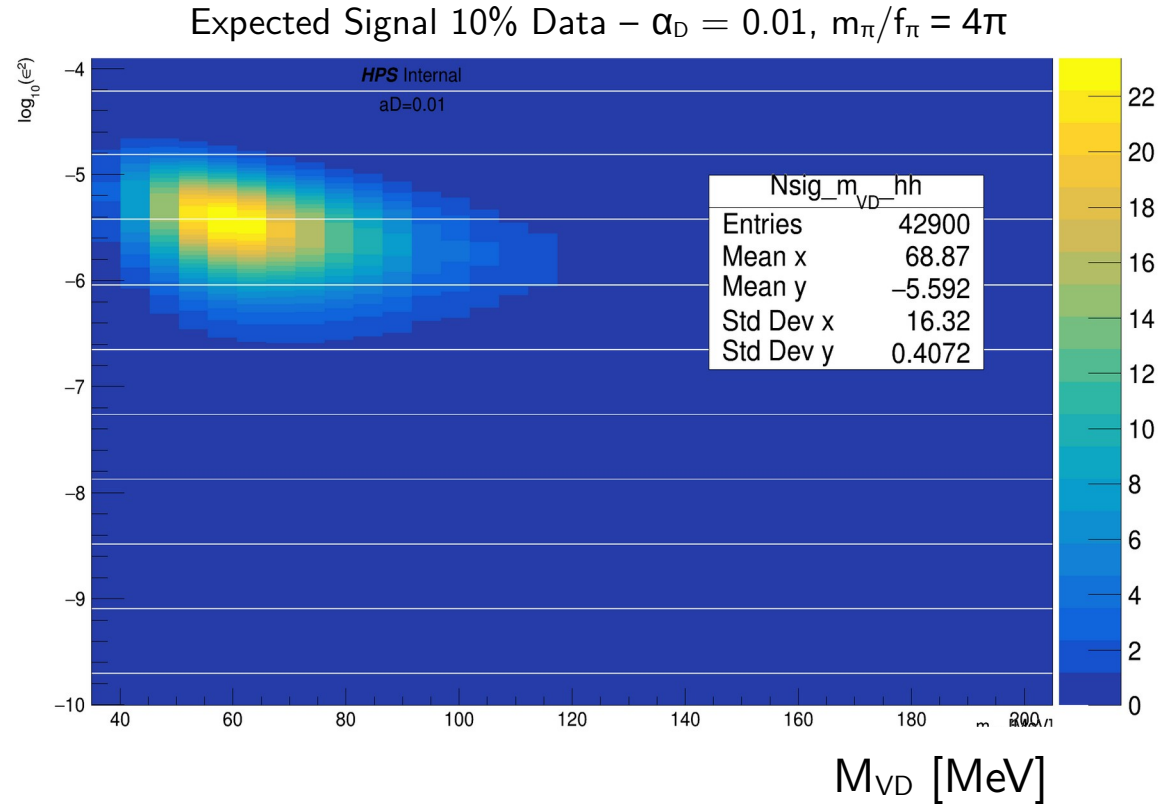


**BUG IN CODE! Ctau units were cm,  
should have been mm!**

Previously shown 2016 SIMP  
Reach Estimate

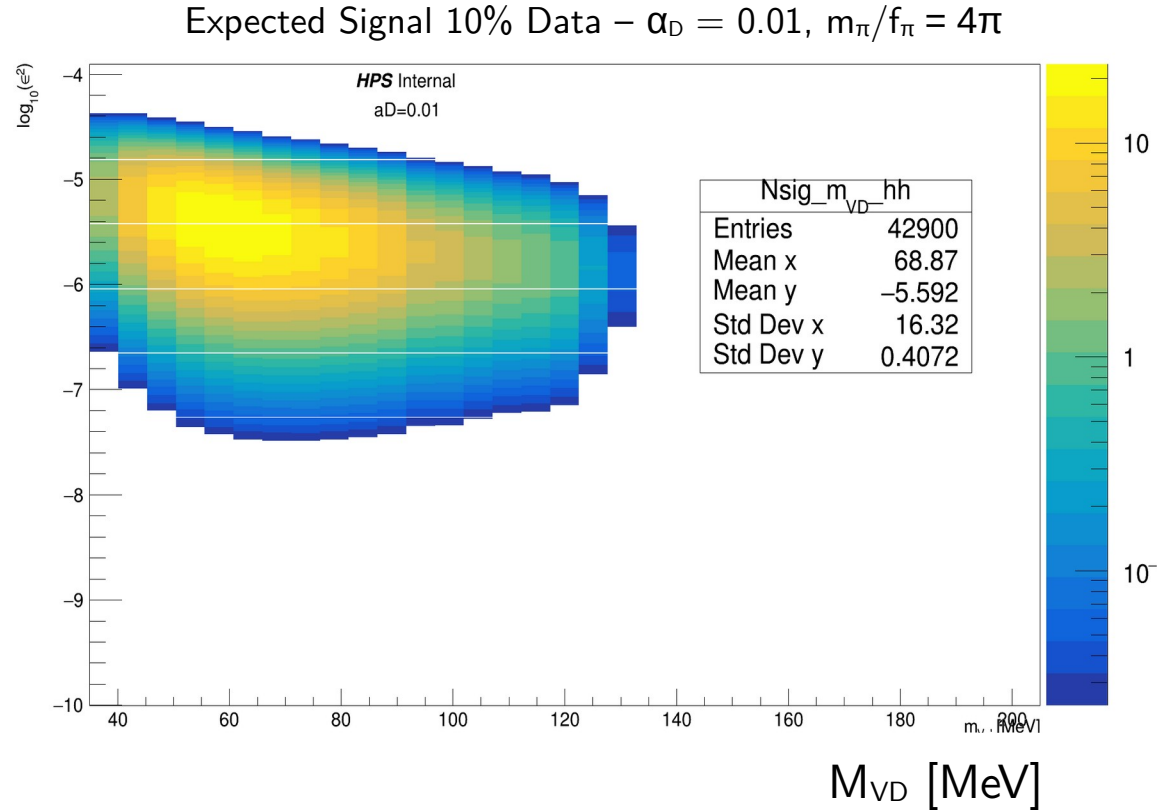
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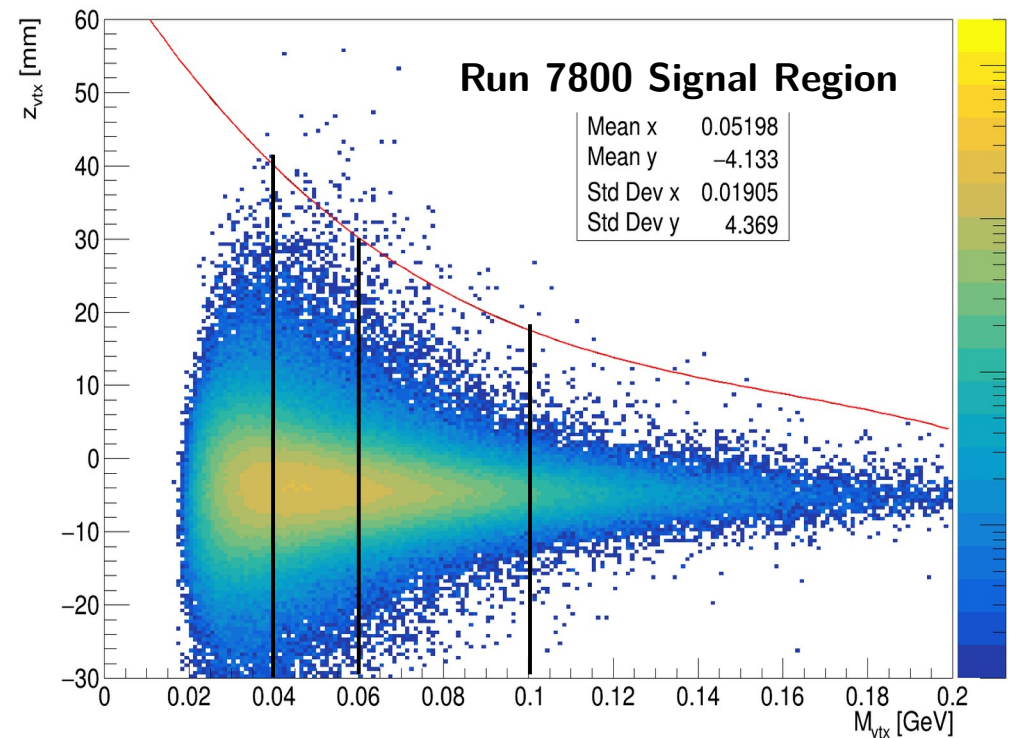
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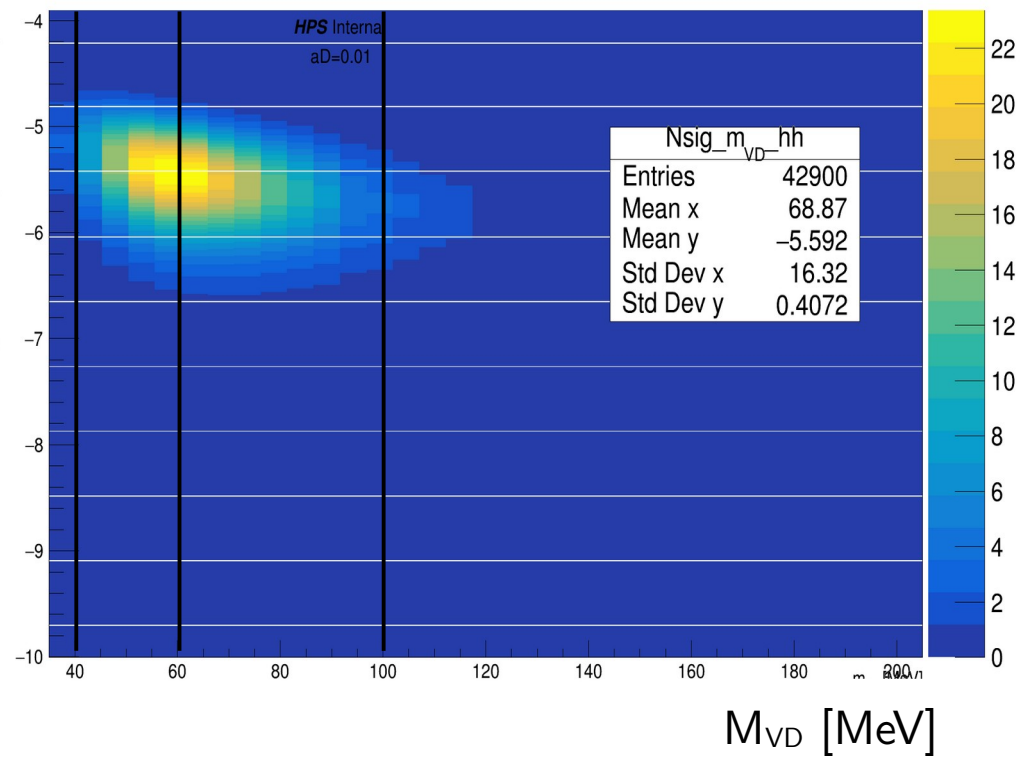


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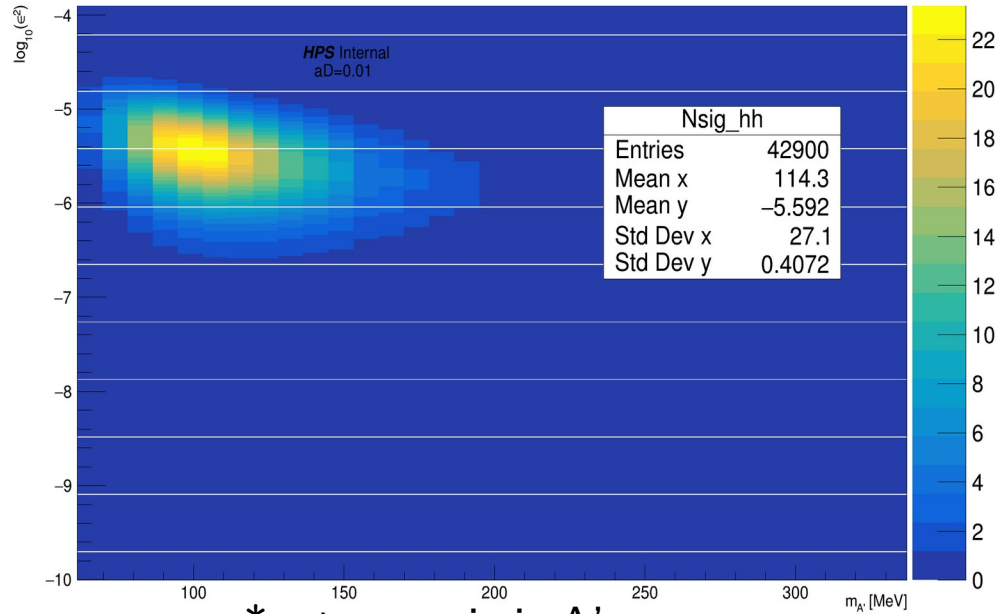
Expected Signal 10% Data –  $\alpha_D = 0.01$ ,  $m_{\pi}/f_{\pi} = 4\pi$



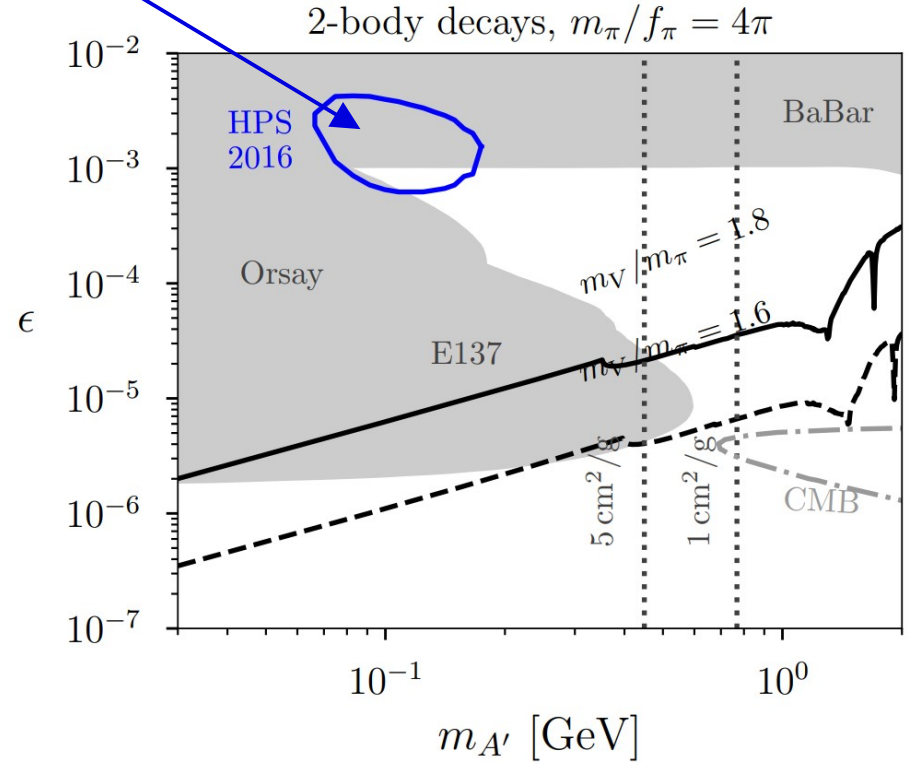
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## Exclusion Contour for 10% Data Analysis

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\*note: x-axis is  $A'$  mass



Benchmark case SIMP parameters

$$\alpha_D = 10^{-2}, m_{A'}/m_{\pi D} = 3, m_{VD}/m_{\pi D} = 1.8$$



# Steps towards analysis

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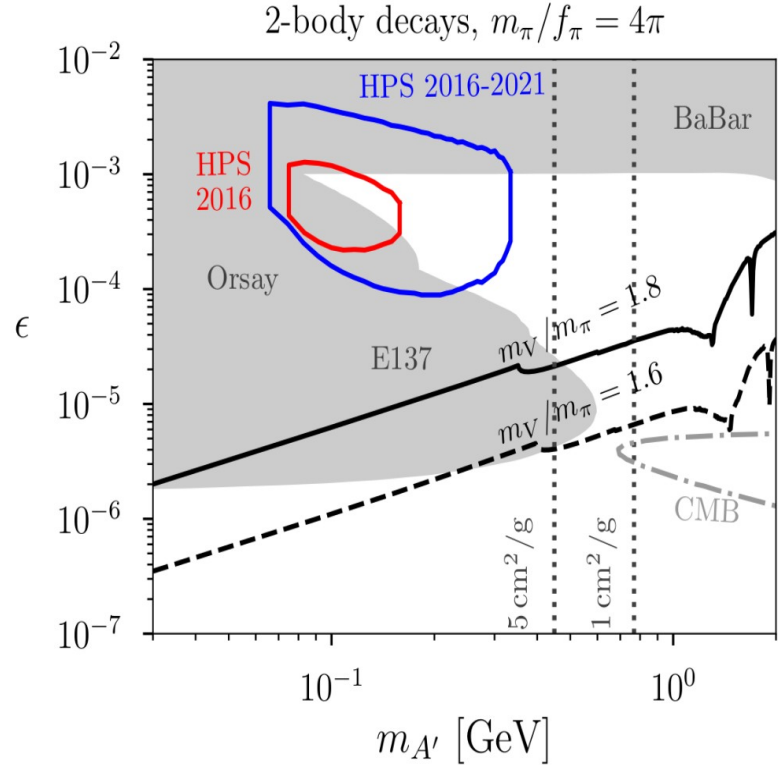
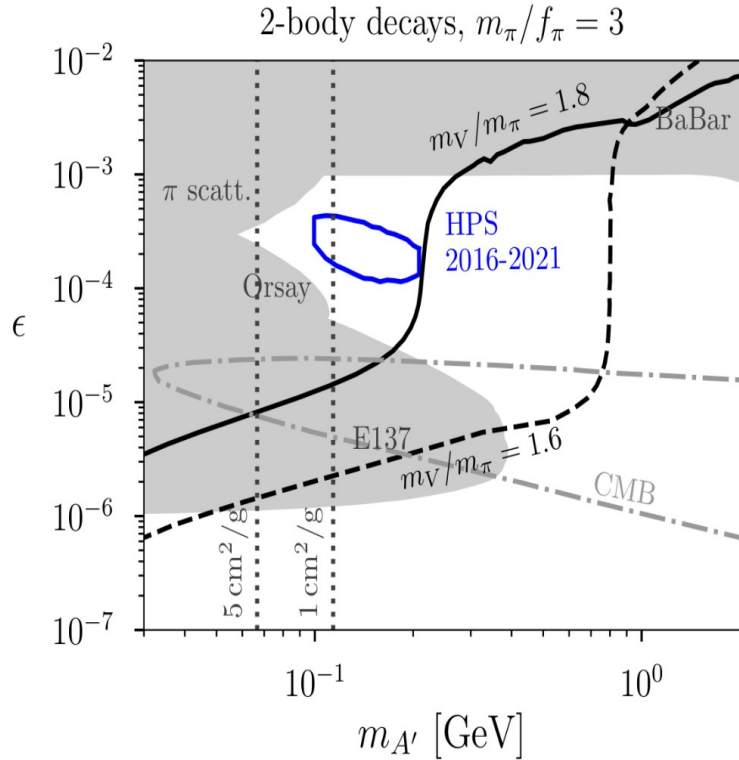
- Re-make reach plots for 2016,2019, 2021 with correct lifetime
- Do we think a blinded 10% analysis is the way to go?
- Strategies for optimizing high-z cuts if blinded?

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# Backup



# SIMP Reach Estimate – 2016 + 2019 + 2021



**Contours represent  $N_{A'\text{sig}}$  threshold  $> 2.3$  Events**

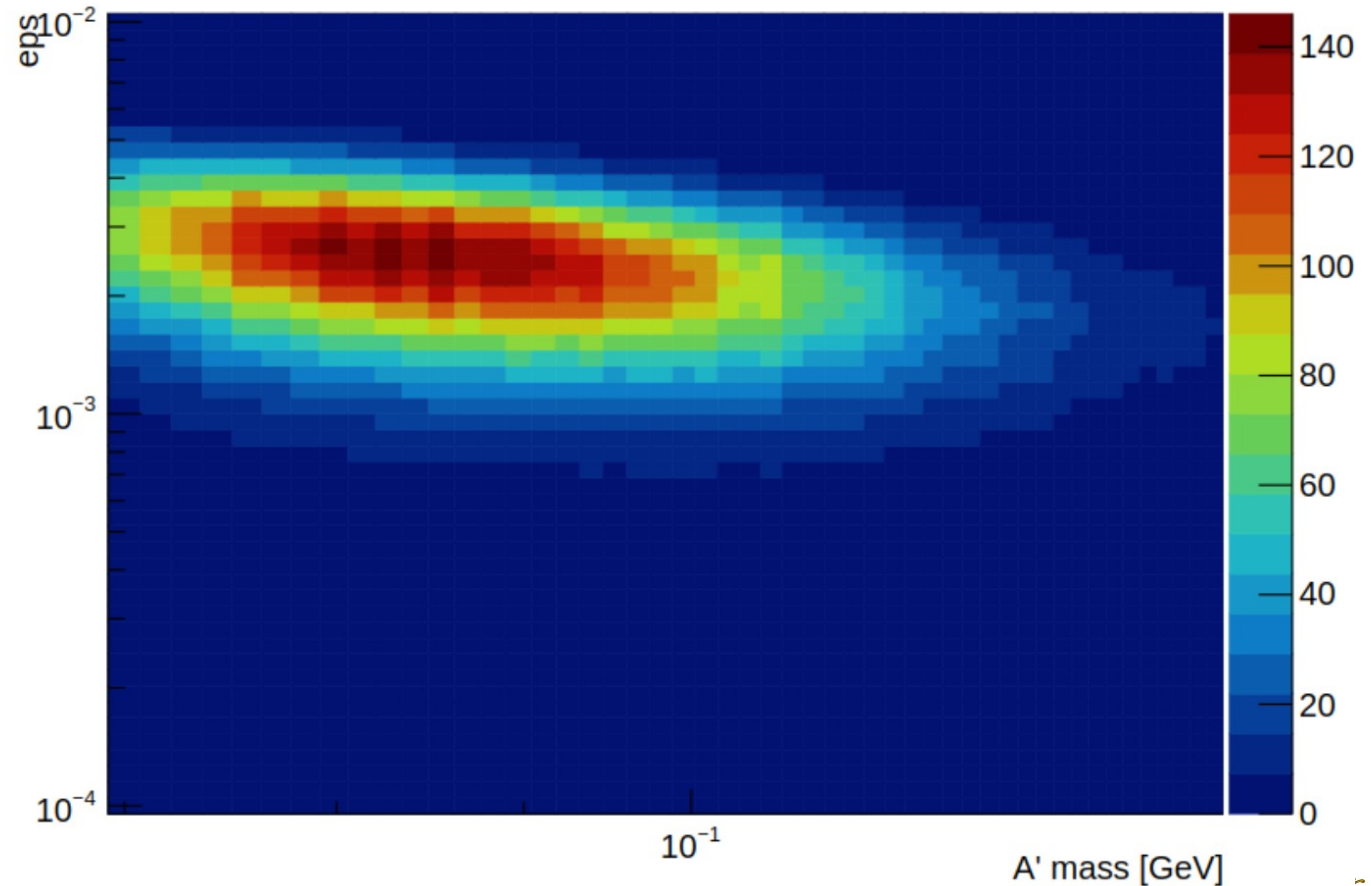
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# Matt Solt's 2016 Full Lumi Simp Reach Estimate

Number of Dark Vectors Detectable,  $\alpha_d = 0.01$ ,  $m_{\text{P}\pi/\text{P}\pi} = 12.5663706144$ ,  $m_{\text{A}'}:m_{\text{V}}:m_{\text{P}\pi} = 3:1.8:1$

- Different Zcut shape
- Peak  $\sim 140$  events
- Fairly in-line with 10% Data prediction of  $\sim 23$  max events



vtxana\_kf\_Tight\_2016\_simp\_reach\_SR\_vtx\_Z\_h

