
Impact Parameter Style Cut – ‘Zalpha’ Abandoning the Zcut?

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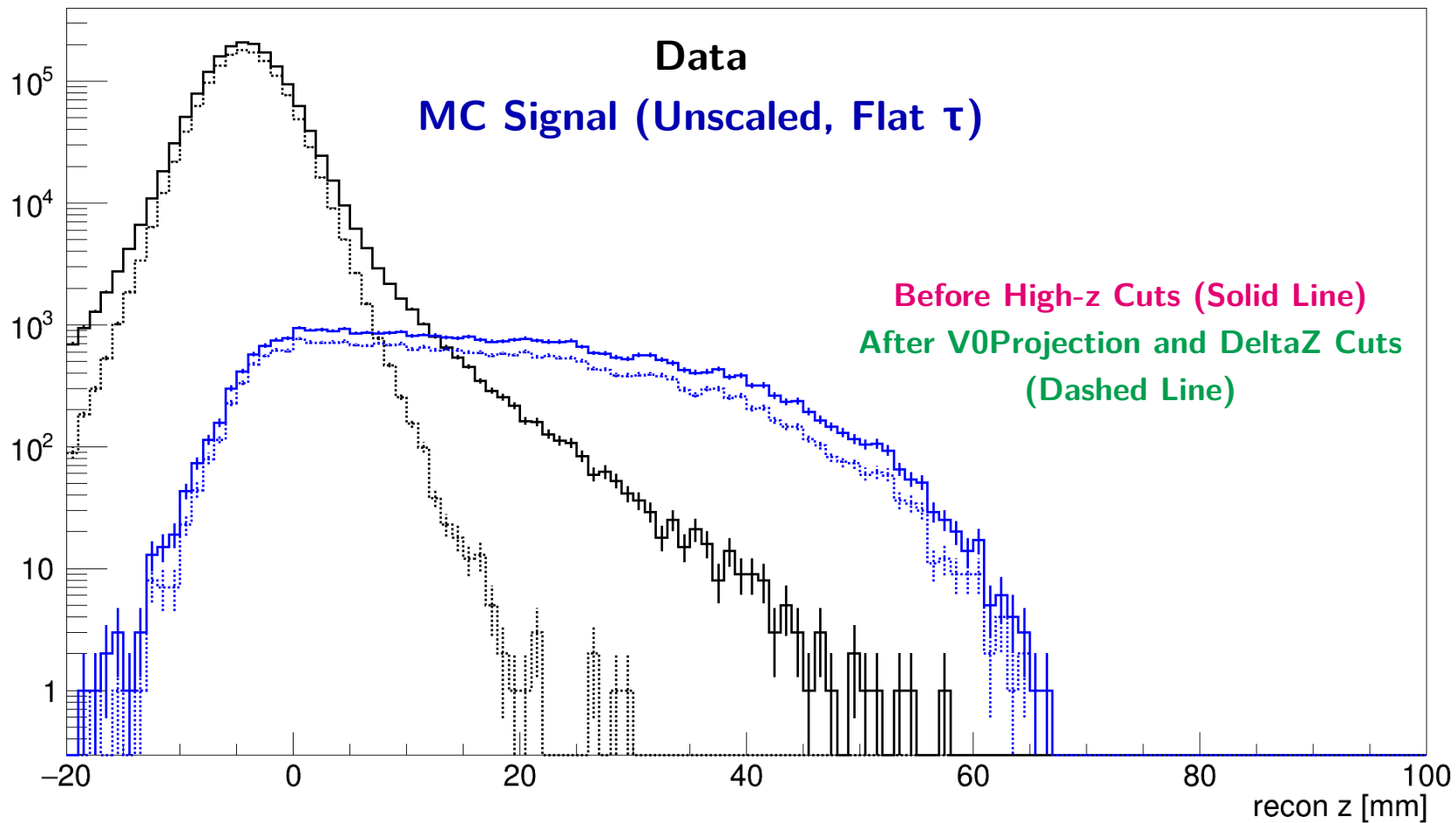
Introduction

- Trying to get ready to run SIMP analysis on 100% of 2016 data **quickly**
 - (Cam's prepping sw and data for green light)
- **Working on finalizing high-z cuts**
- **Bkg z-tails largely reduced by V0ProjSig and DeltaZ cuts** (Shown previously using 10% Data)
- **Last high-z cut** (in my mind) **is Impact Parameter style cut 'Zalpha'**
- In last collaboration meeting, showed **Zalpha cut eliminated all bkg** (for single mass in 10% Data)
- Here I follow up on looking at all masses, scan Zalpha as f(slope, vertex, mass)
- Run a Reach Estimate
- Turns out **flat cut on track z0 (parameterized by mass) works just as well...**(sorry Matt G)
- **End up with 38 background events (in all of 10% Data), and peak expected signal of ~75**

Example: 55 MeV Mass Window

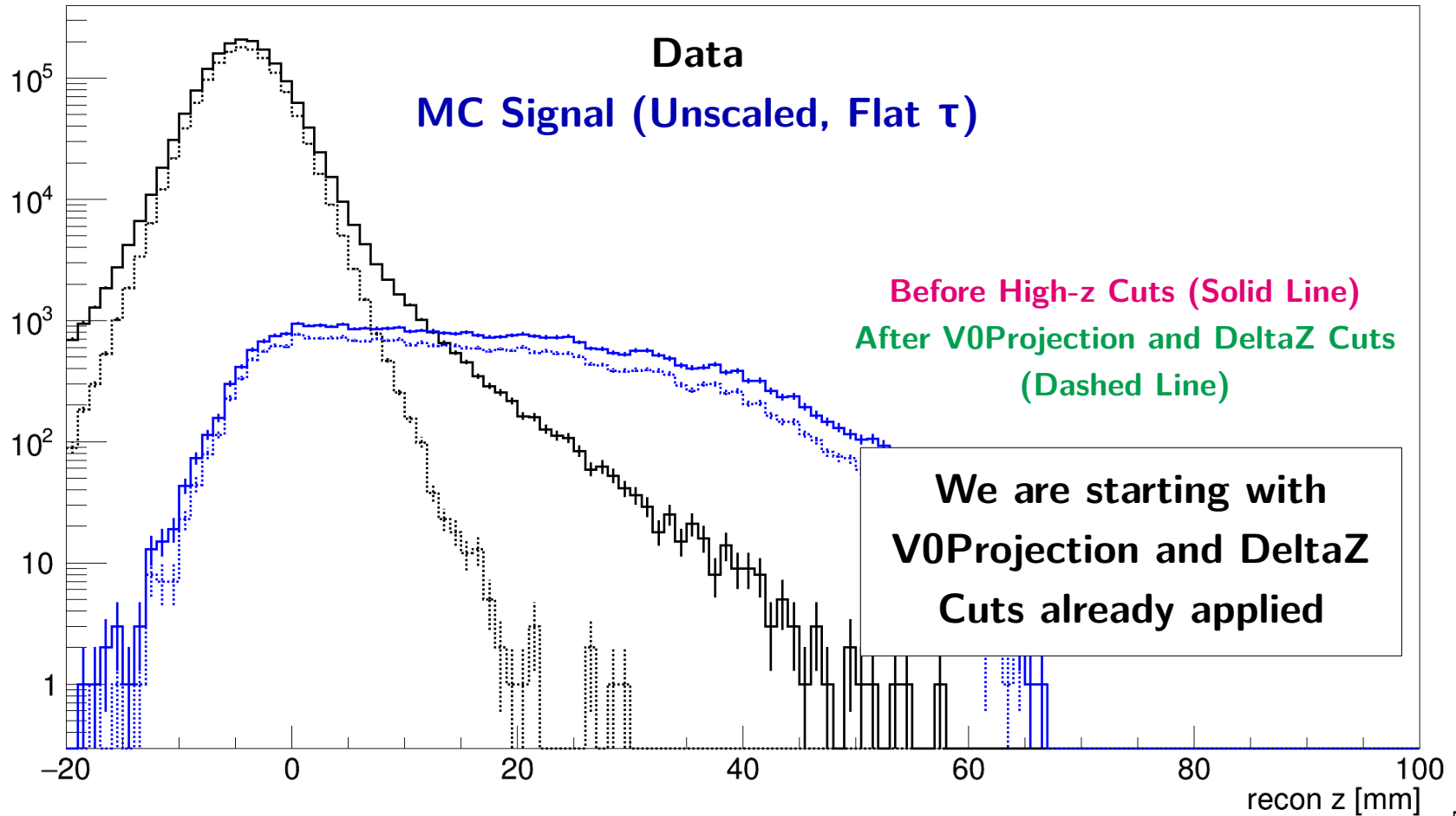
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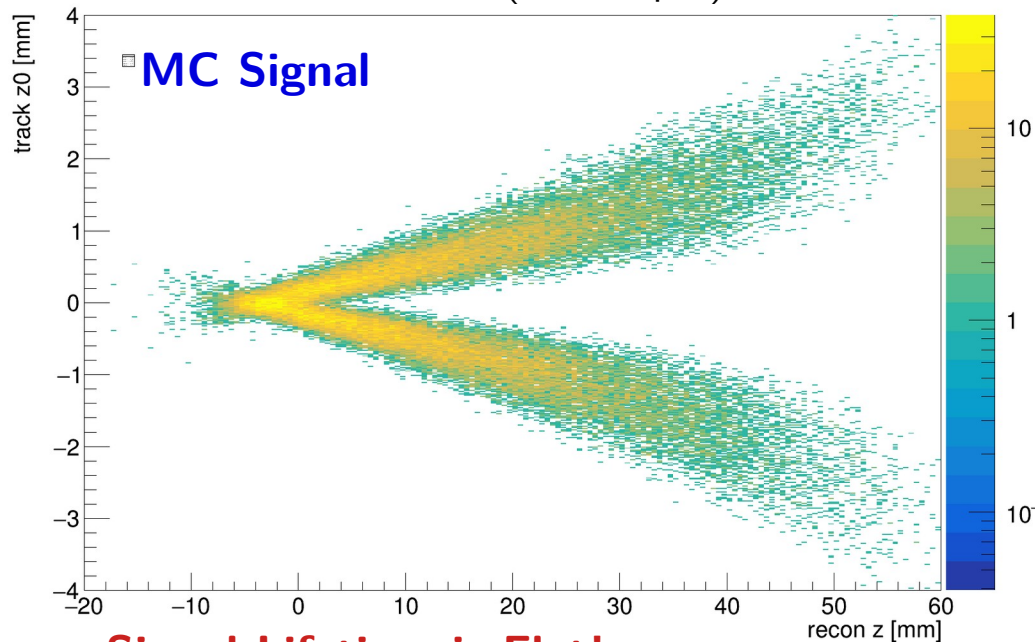
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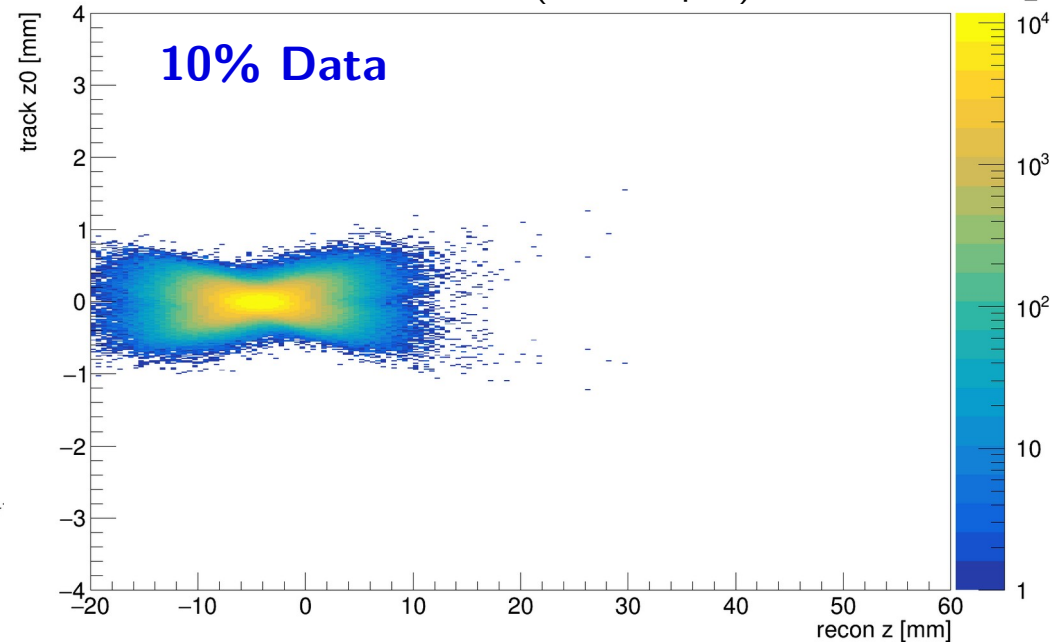


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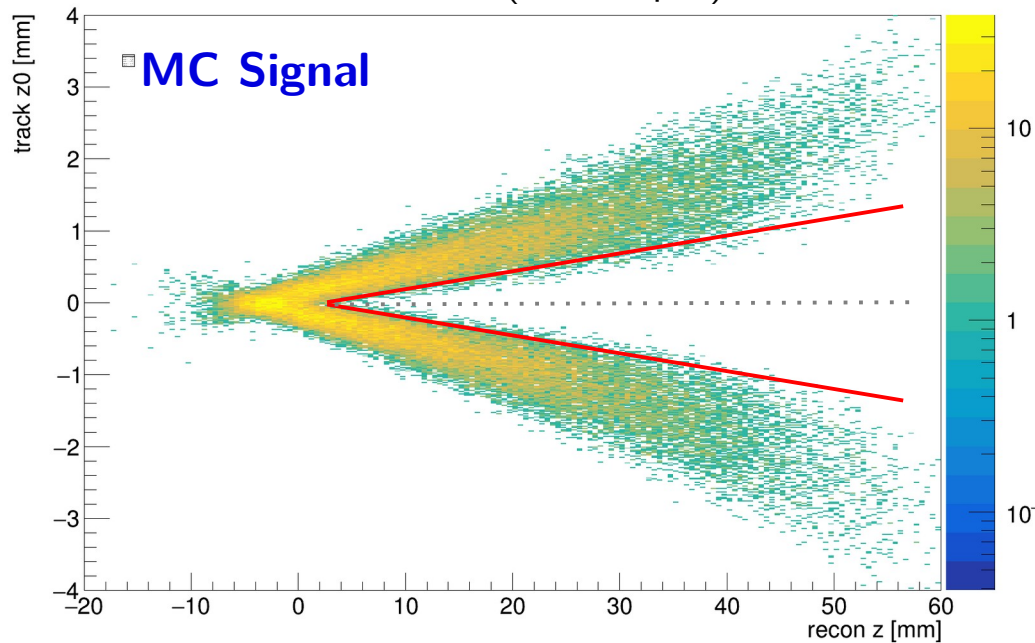


Signal Lifetime is Flat!

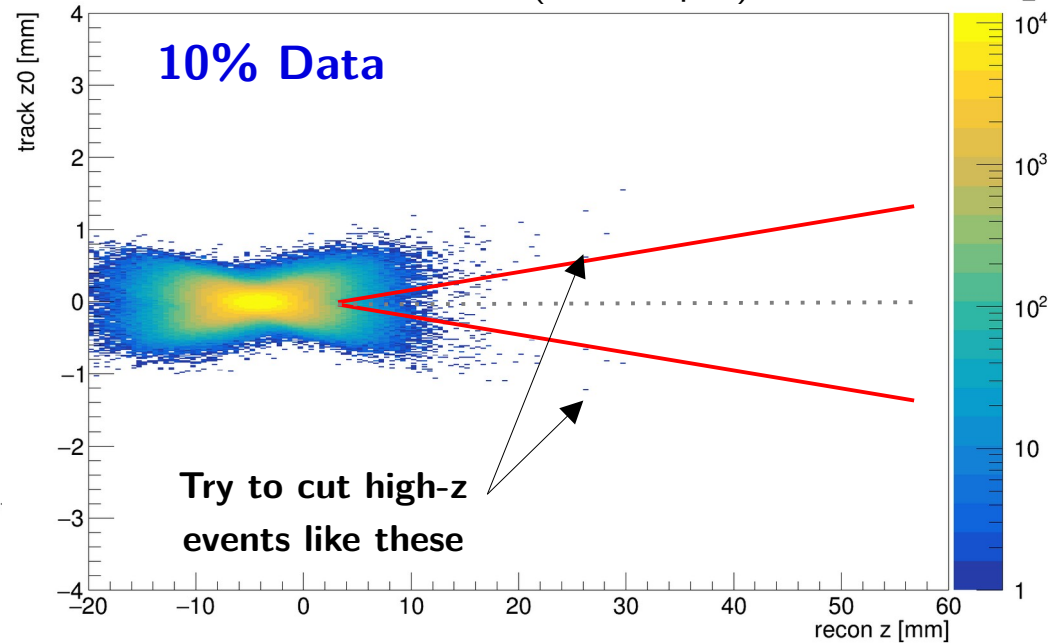
Re-weighted by exponential decay
when calculating Expected Signal

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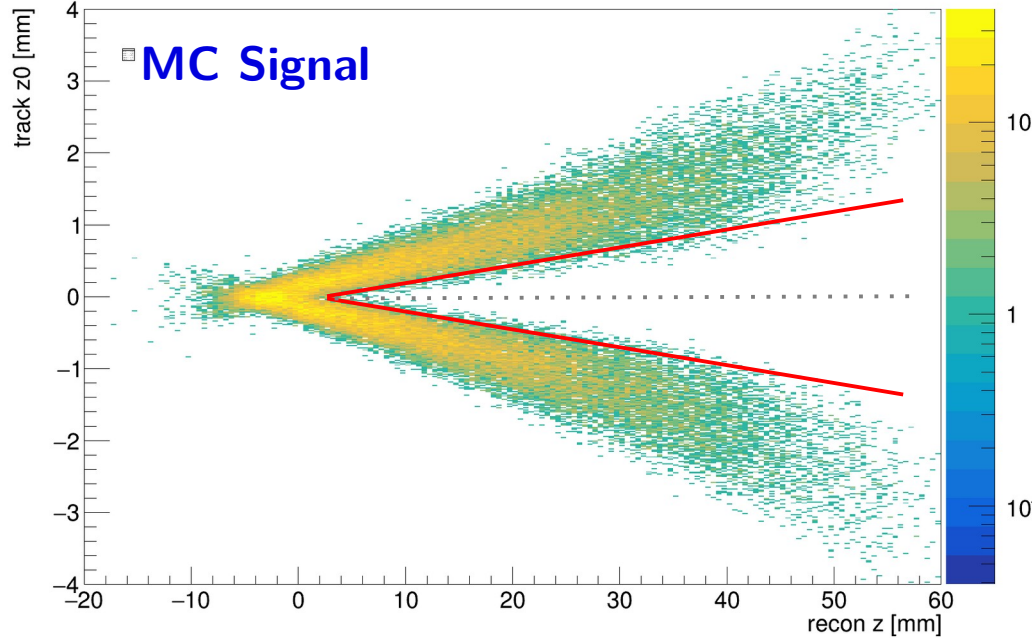


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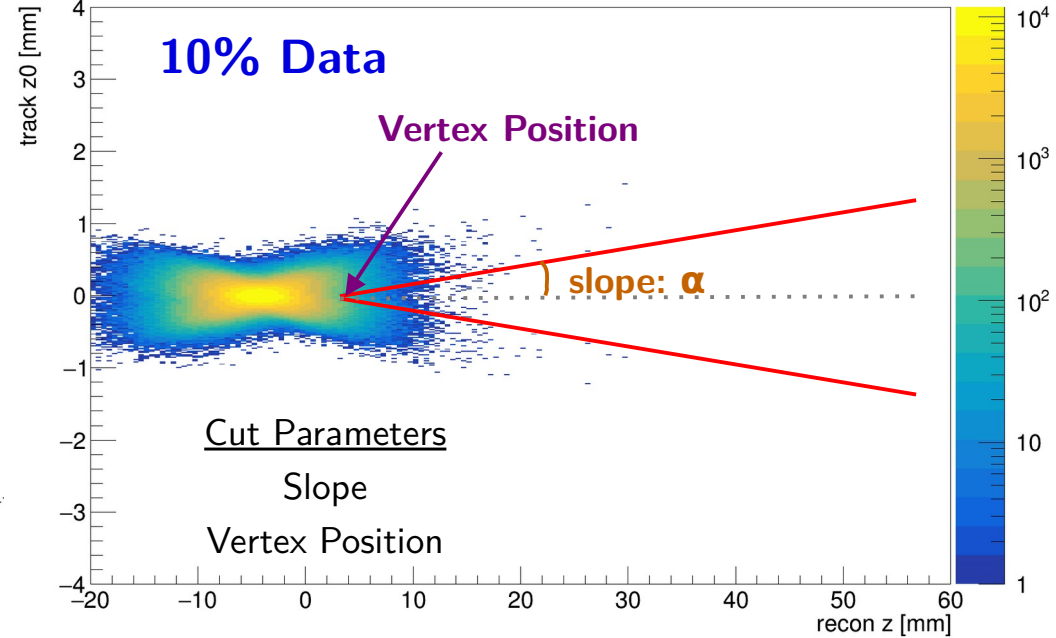


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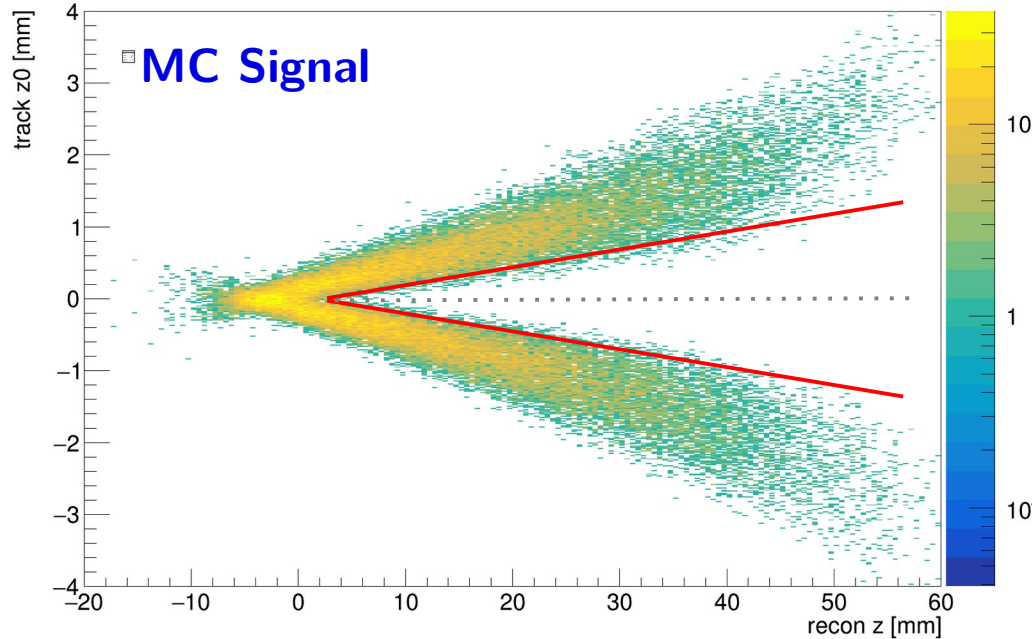


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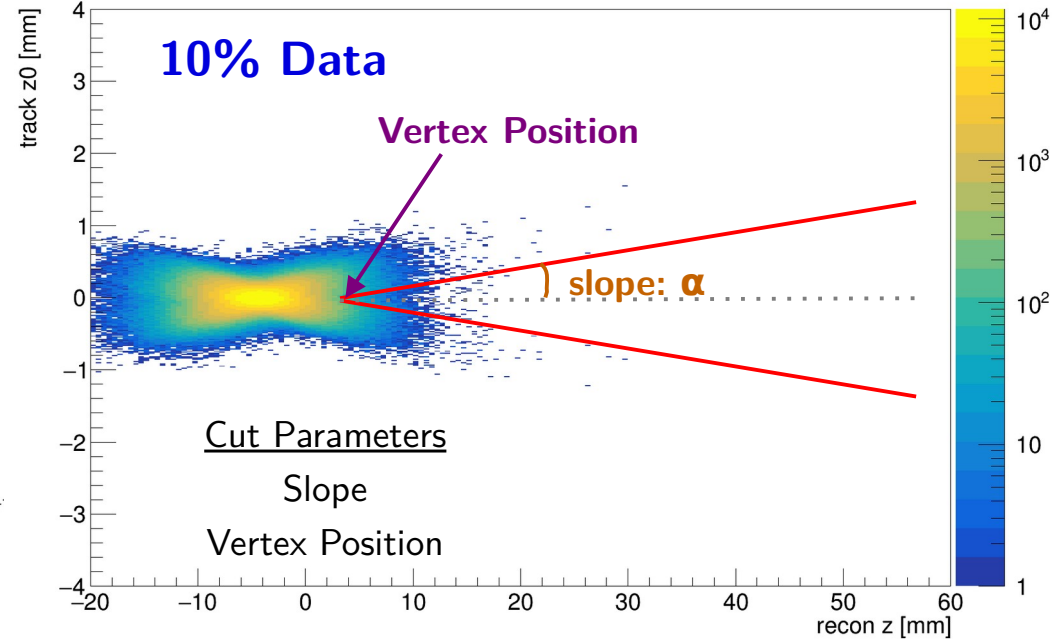


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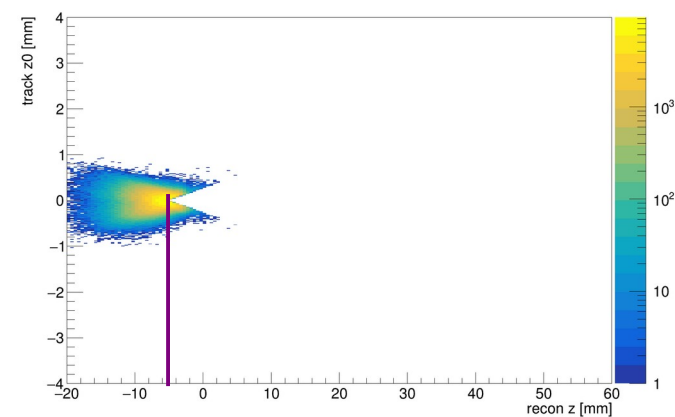
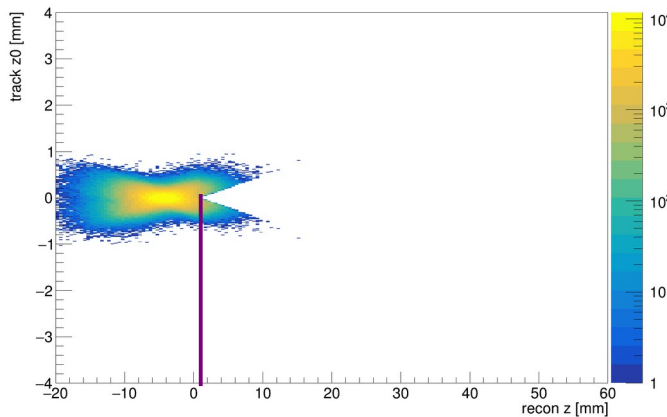
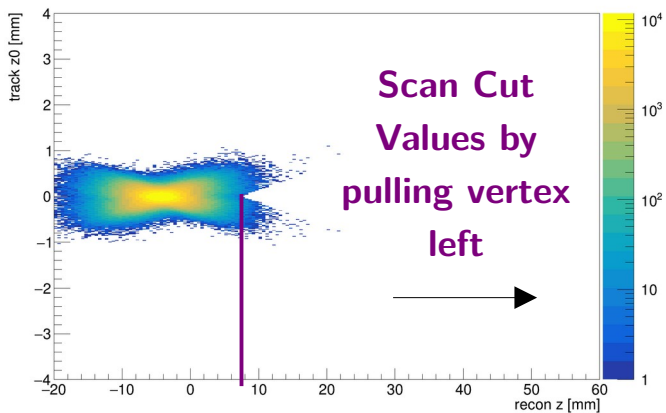


In a given mass window, what Slope and Vertex Position maximizes sensitivity (Zbi)?

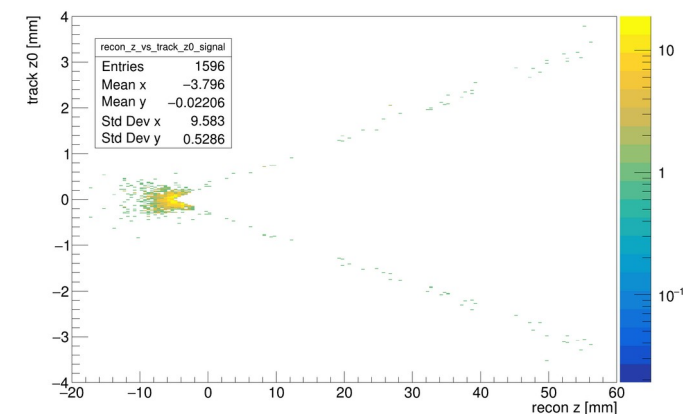
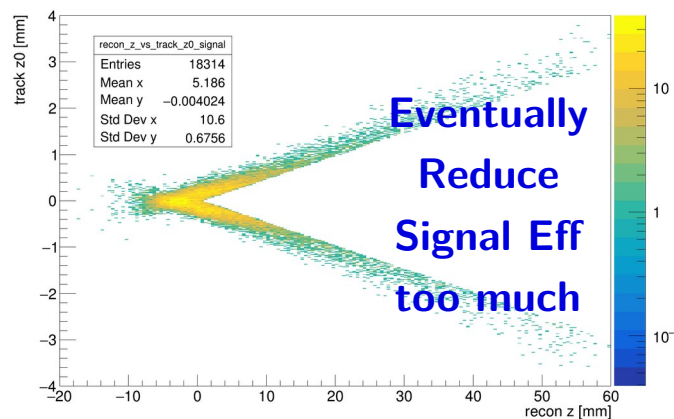
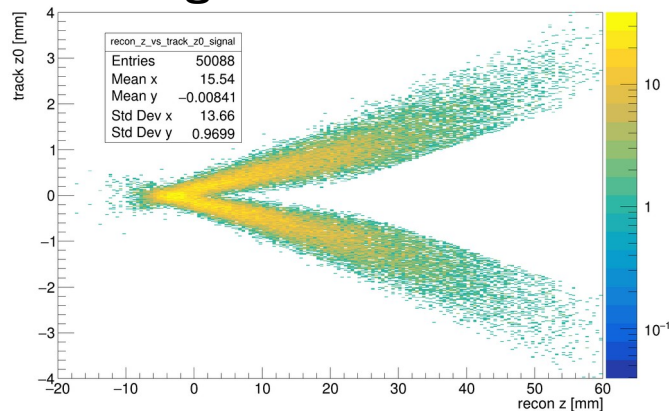
55 MeV Example – Large Zalpha Slope

Large Slope ($\alpha = 0.05$)

10% Data – 55 MeV

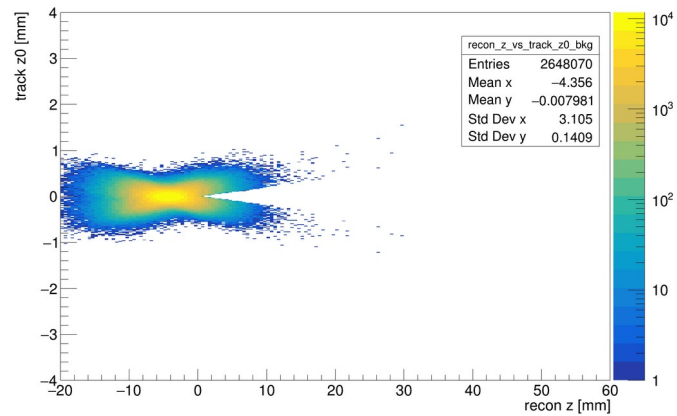


MC Signal – 55 MeV

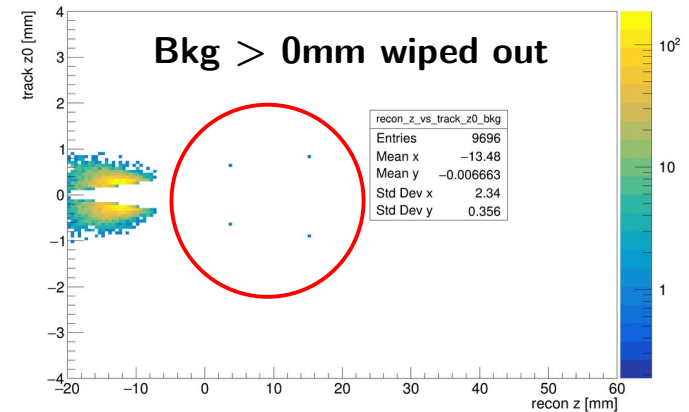
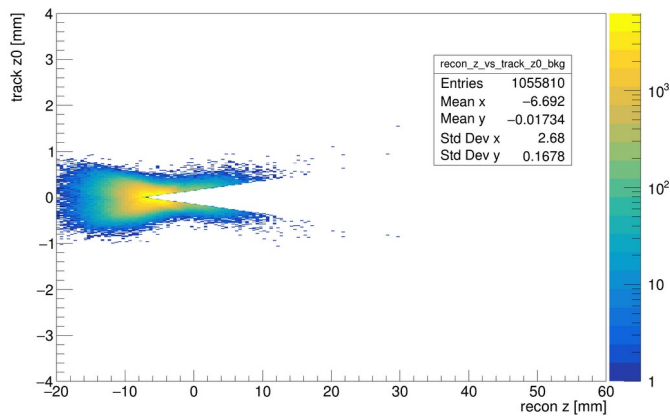


55 MeV Example – Medium Zalpha Slope

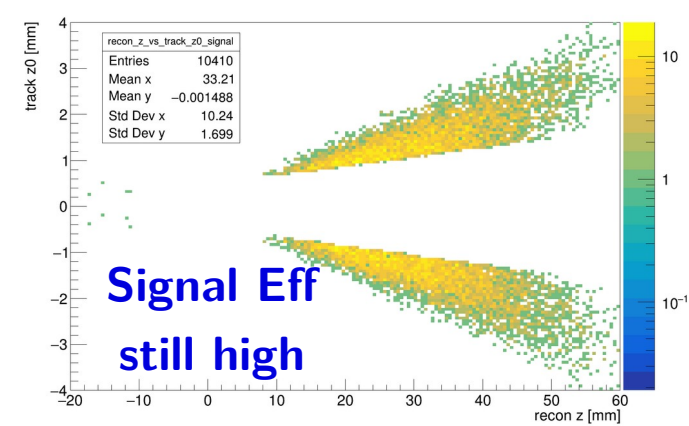
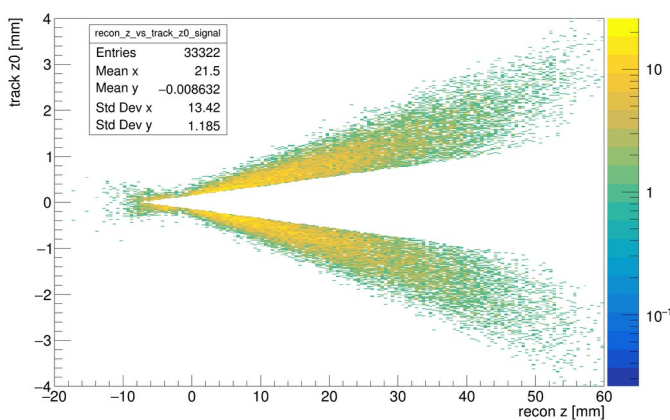
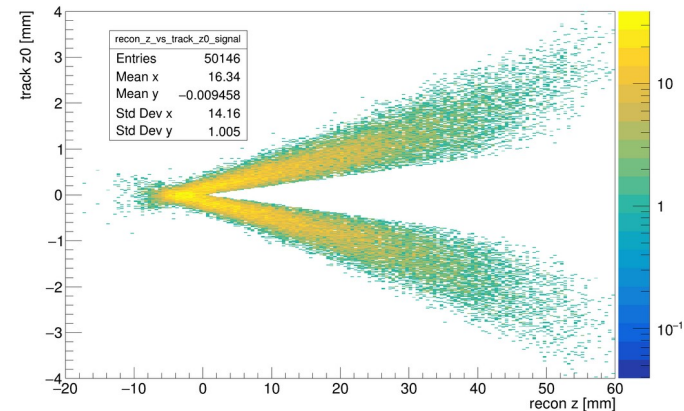
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Medium Slope ($\alpha = 0.02$)



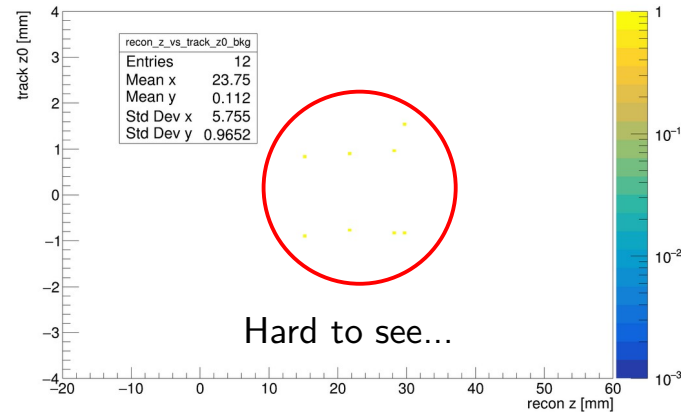
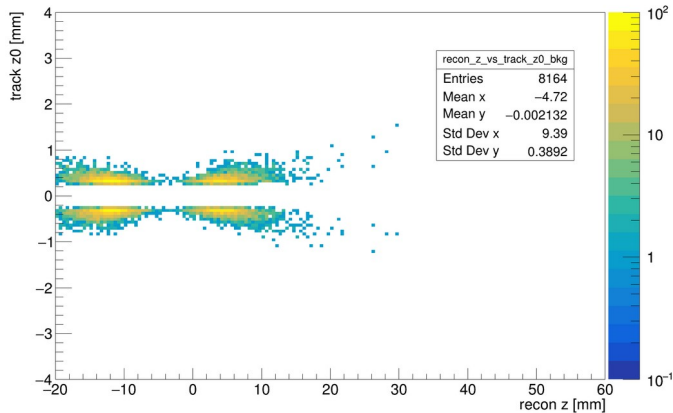
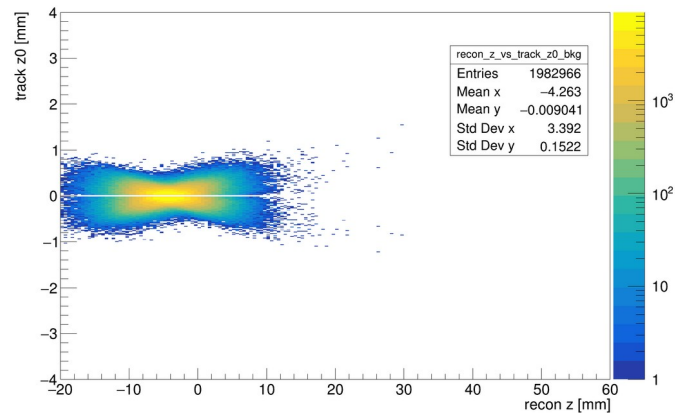
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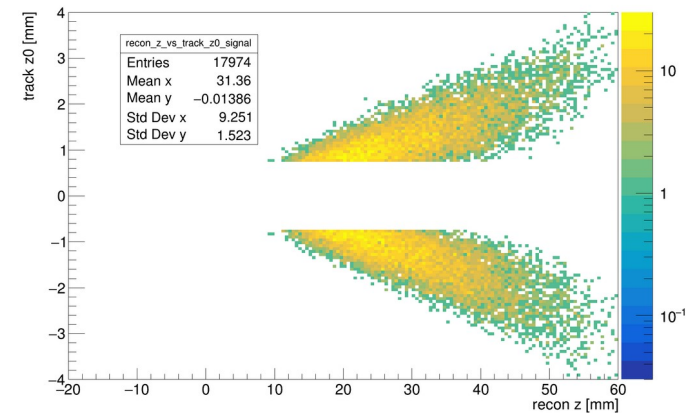
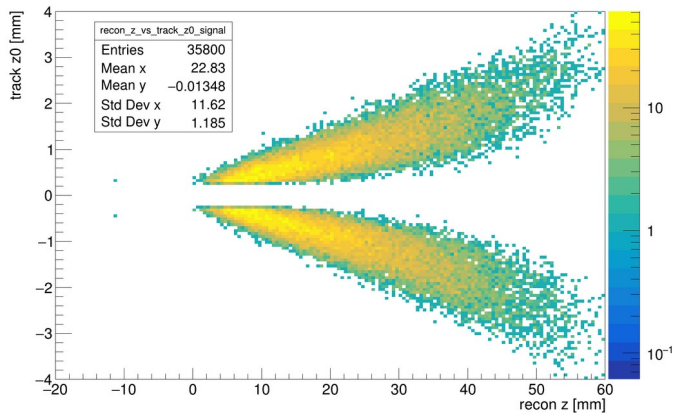
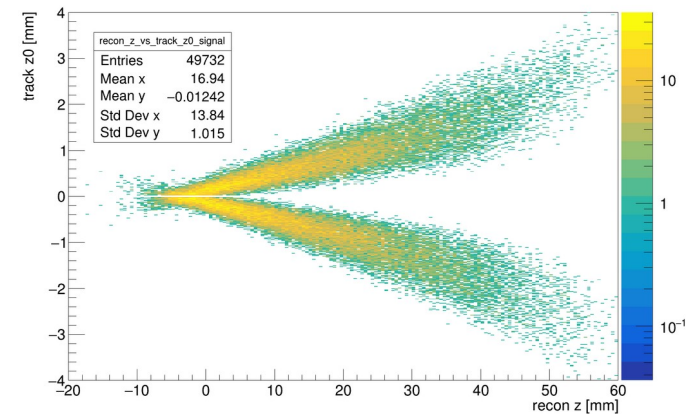
55 MeV Example – Small Zalpha Slope

Flat Z0 ($\alpha = 0.00$)

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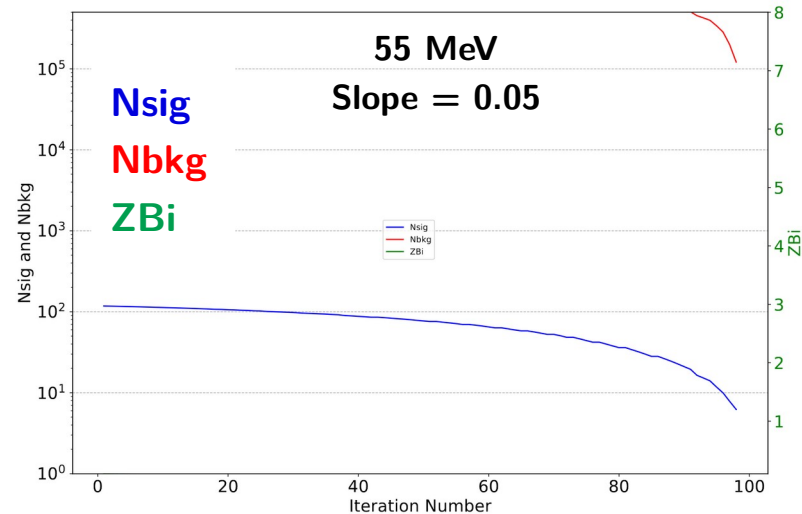
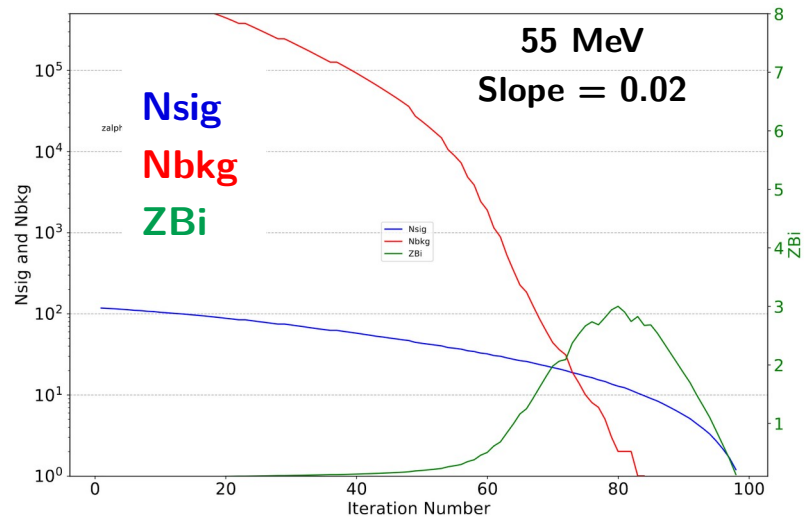
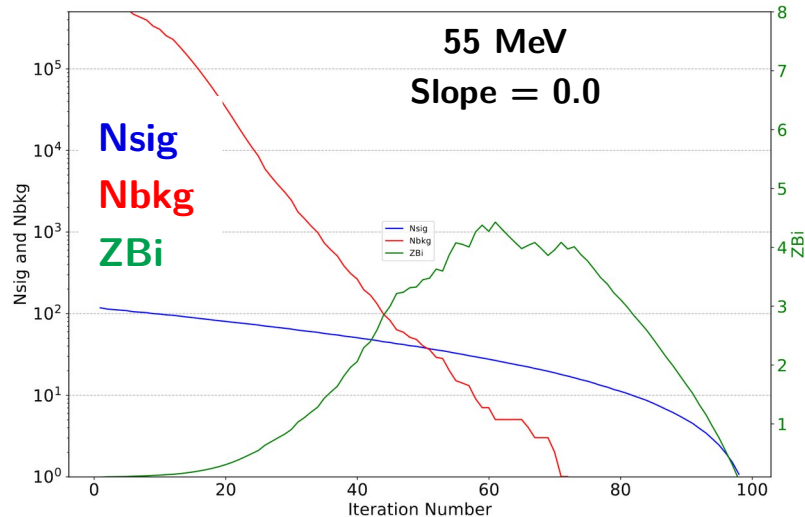


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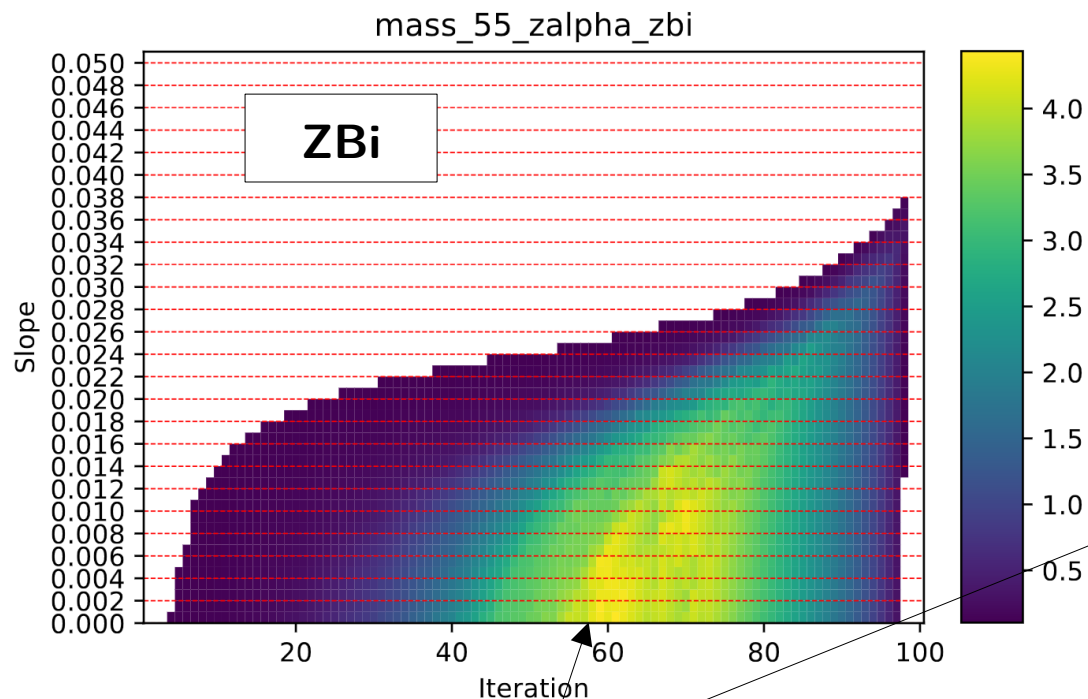
55 MeV Example – Results

- Calculate Expected Signal N_{sig} , N_{bkg} , and significance Z_{Bi}
- Single value of ϵ : $\log(\epsilon^2) = -5.5$
- **No Zcut!** (Or rather, just the Target Position)
- Cut Value (Zalpha Vertex Position) tightens as 'Iteration Number'
- N_{bkg} in 10% Data (add 0.5 events if $N_{bkg}=0$, for Z_{Bi} calc)
- N_{sig} in 10% Data, AND **scaled up by factor of 5**

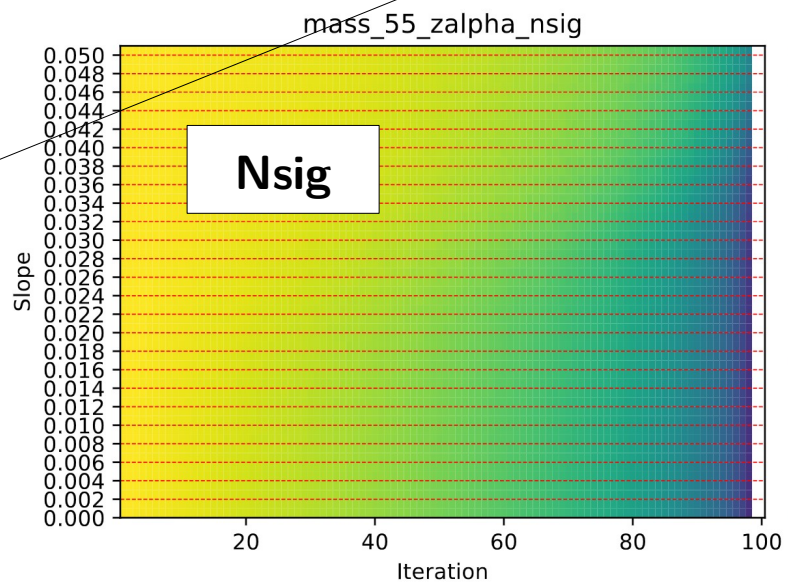
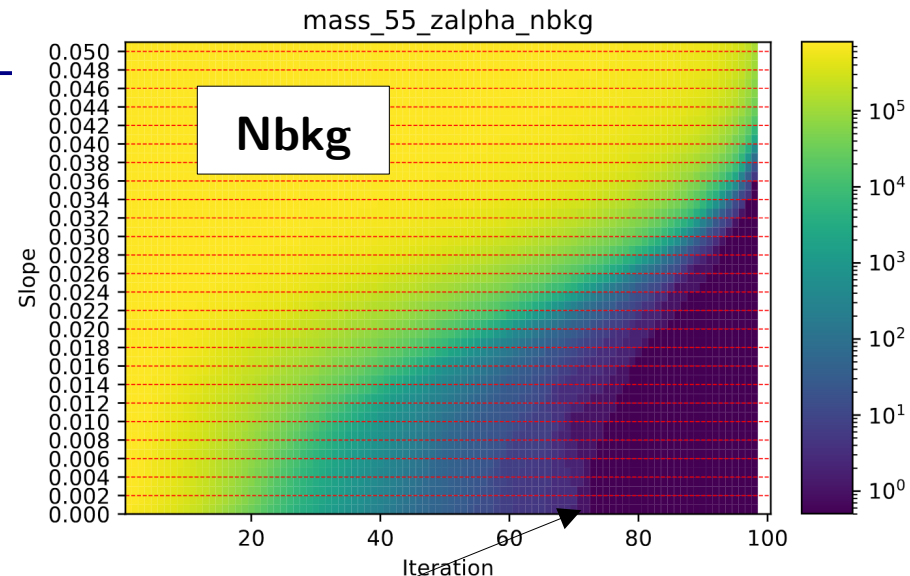


55 MeV Example – Full Results

Cut value (Zalpha Vertex Position) tightens with iteration



Maximum Zbi occurs before
 $N_{bkg} = 0$

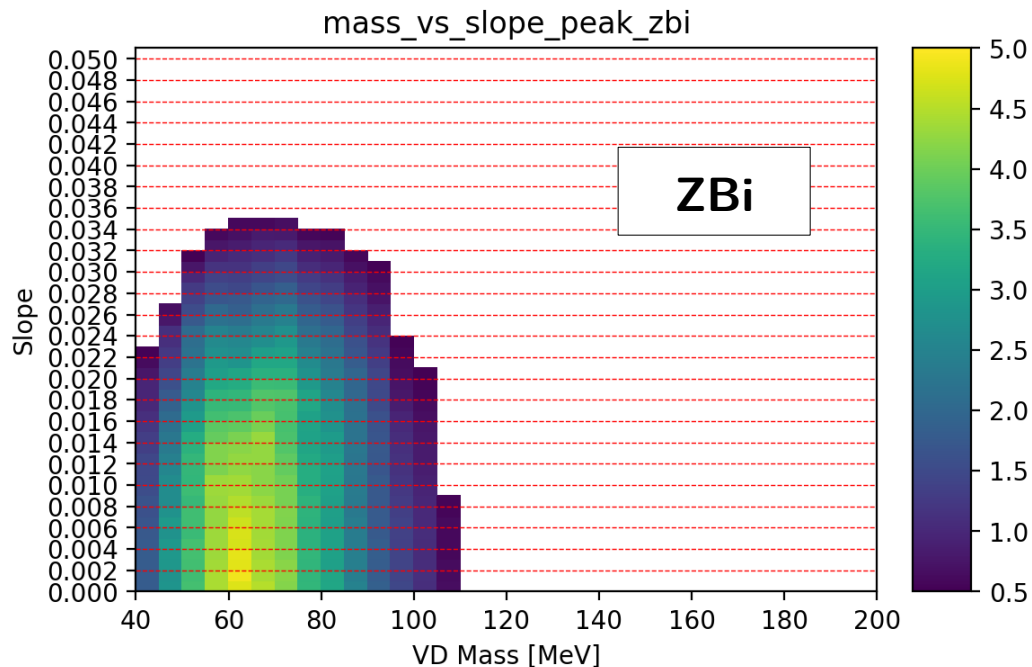


All Mass Results

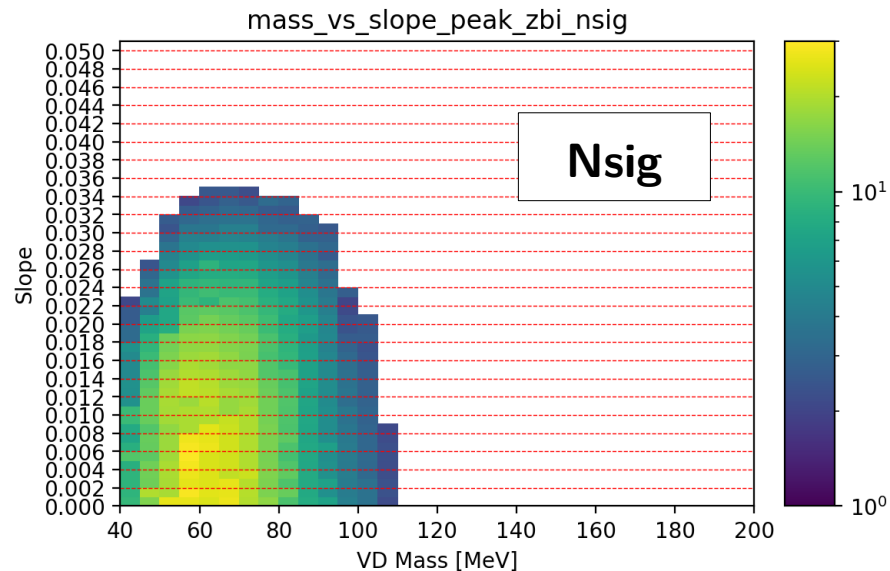
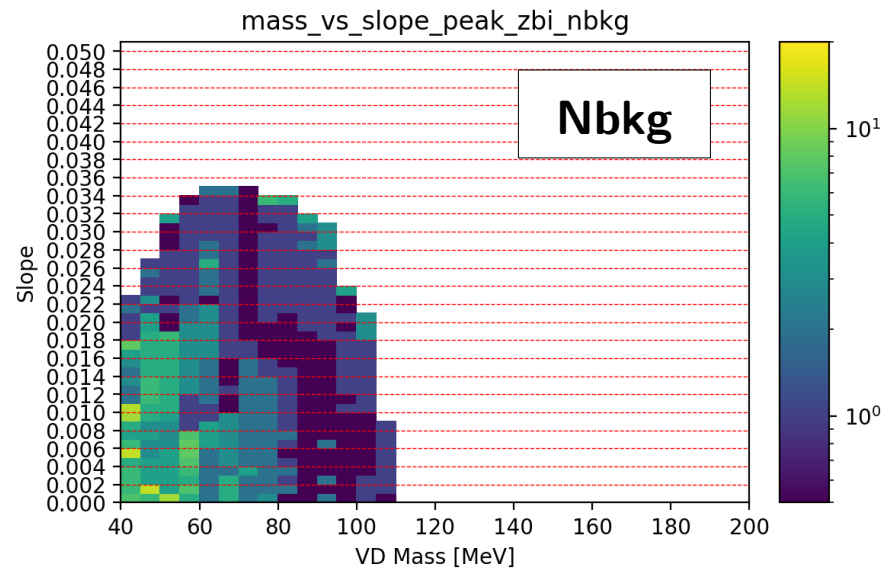
Maximum ZBi

Zalpha – Results for Max ZBi

Only plot results where
 $Z_{bi} > 0.5$

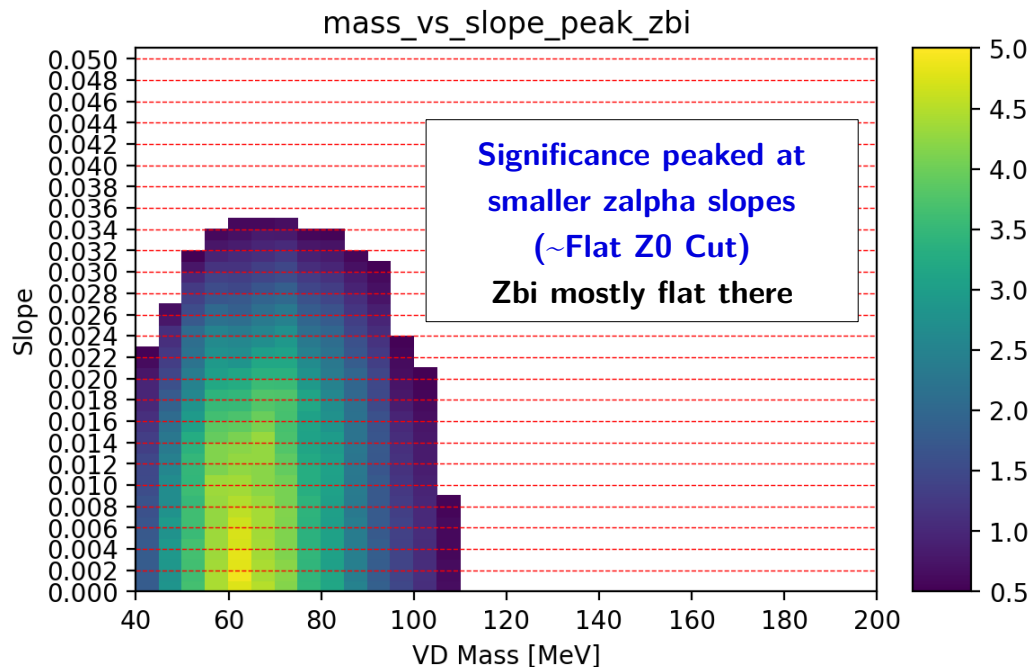


Each Bin corresponds to whatever Cut Value results in the MAXIMUM ZBi for that Zalpha Slope

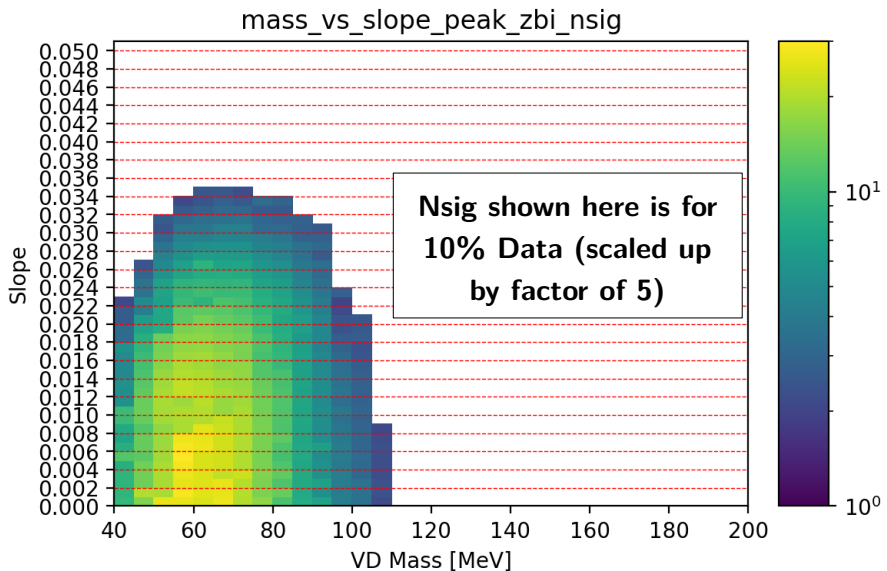
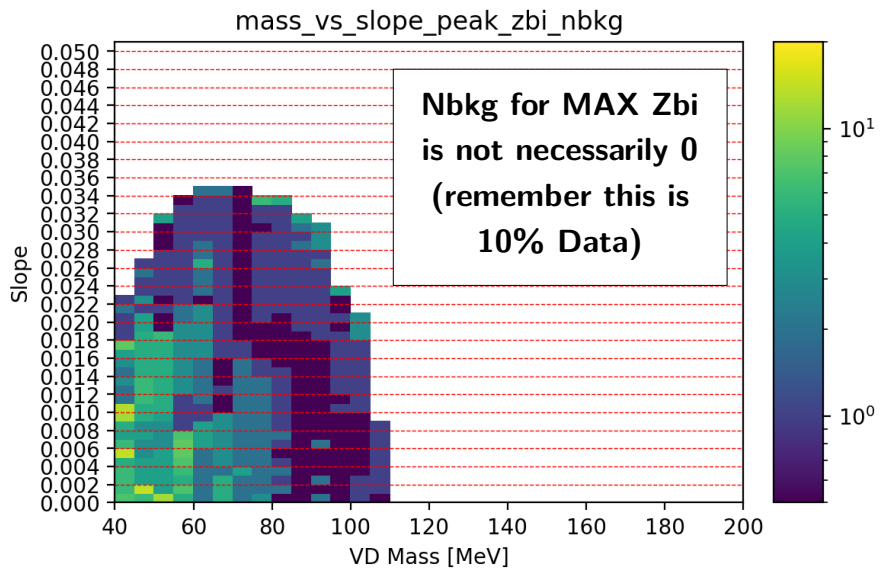


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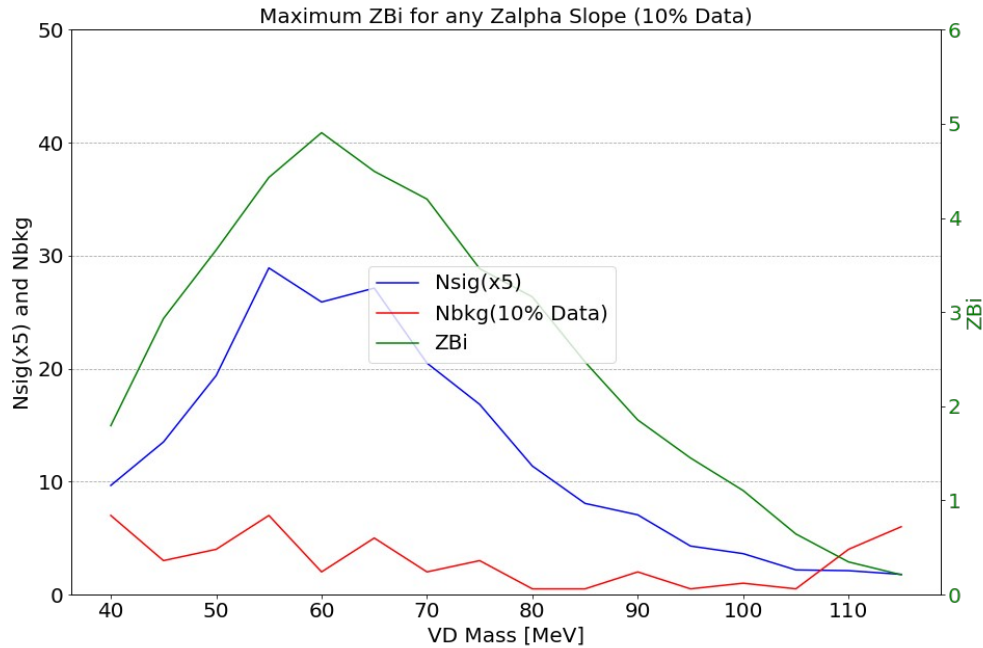
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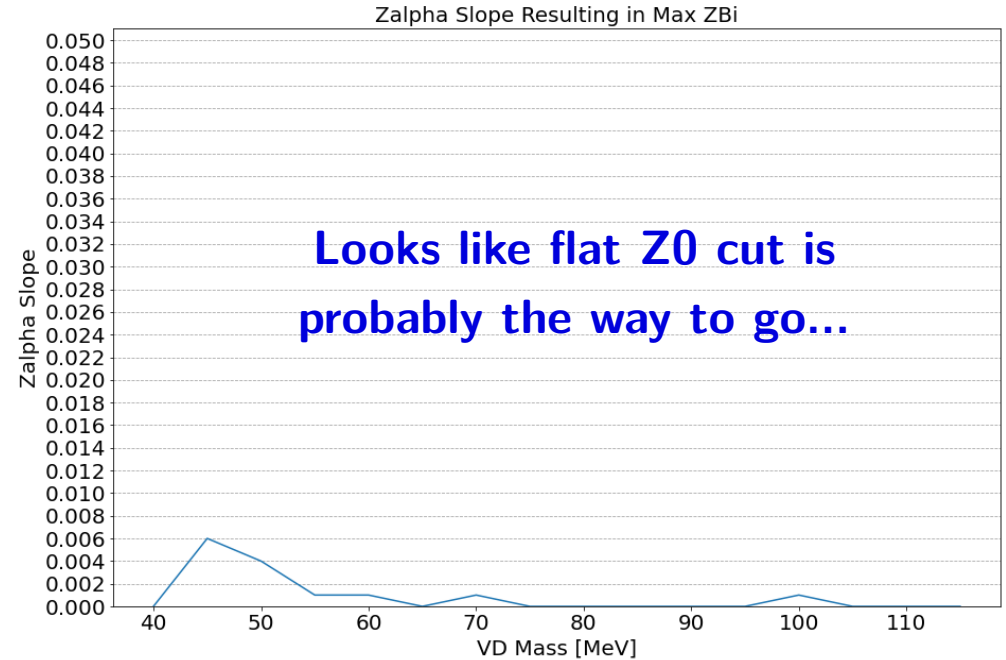
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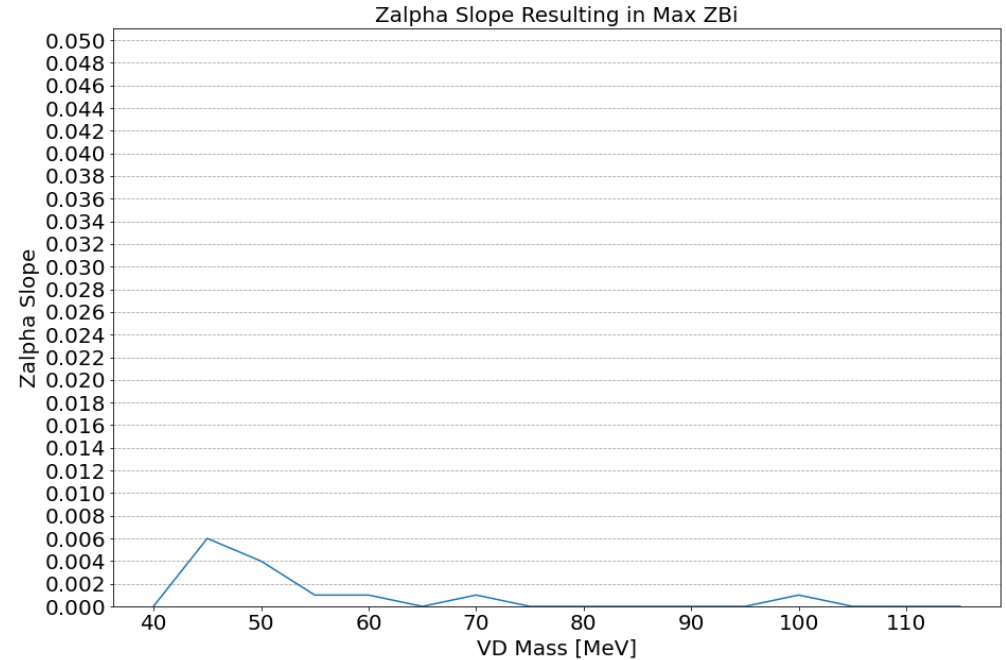
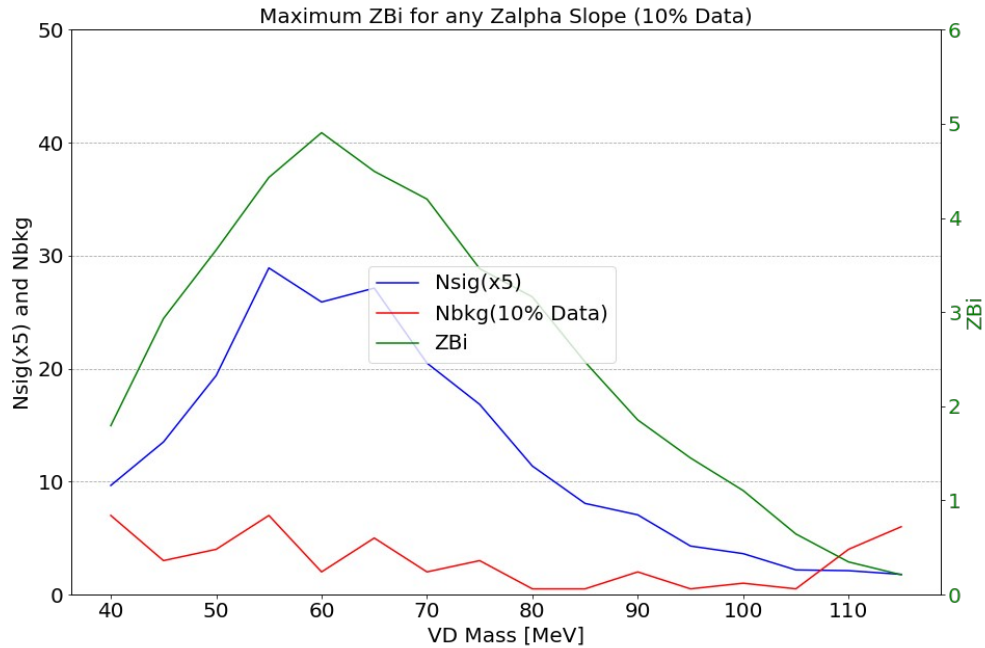


For each Mass, plot whatever Zalpha Slope and Cut Value gives Maximum ZBi



Zalpha Slope that gives Maximum ZBi

Zalpha – Results for Max ZBi



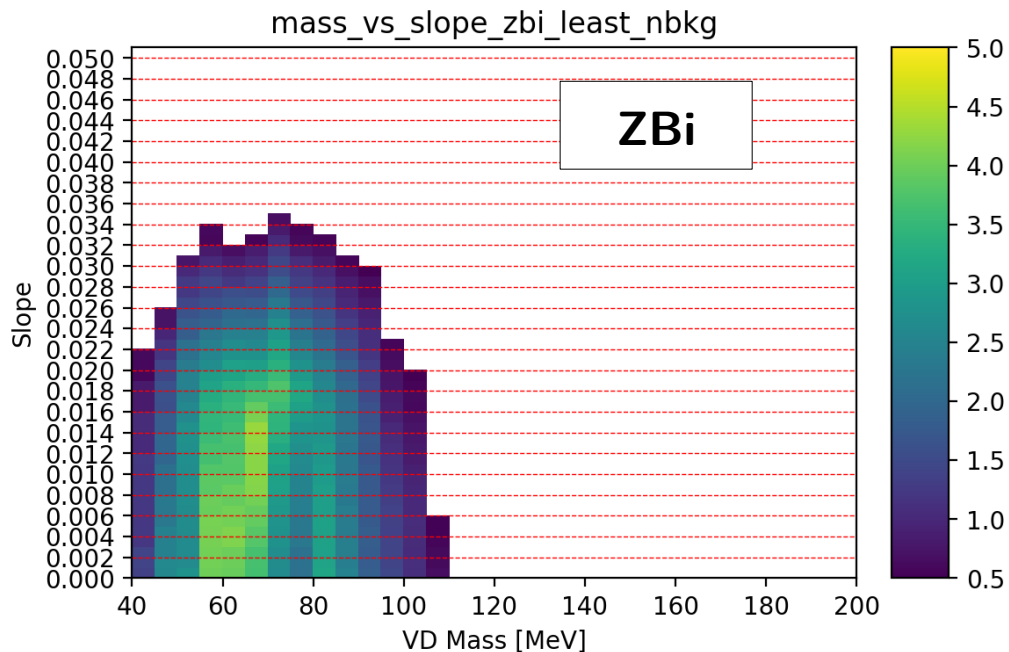
**What if we demand Nbkg to be 0 (or minimized for a given slope)
Instead of using Max Zbi?**

All Mass Results

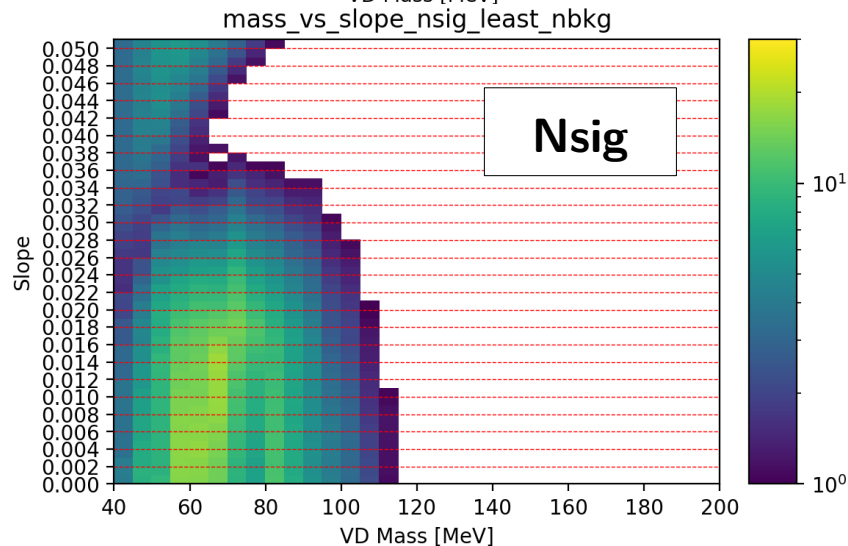
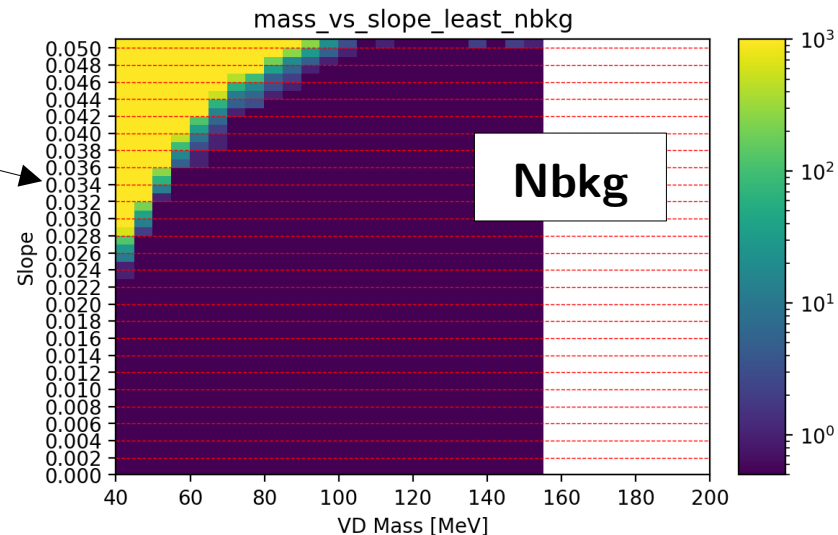
$$\text{Nbkg} = 0$$

Zalpha – Results for Min Nbkg

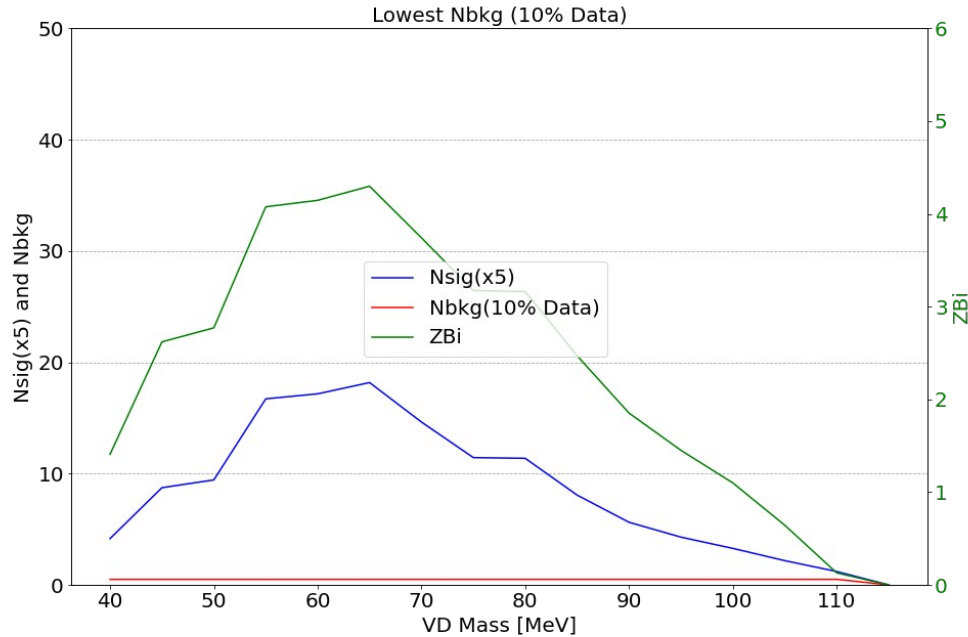
Always possible to eliminate ALL
background in 10% Data



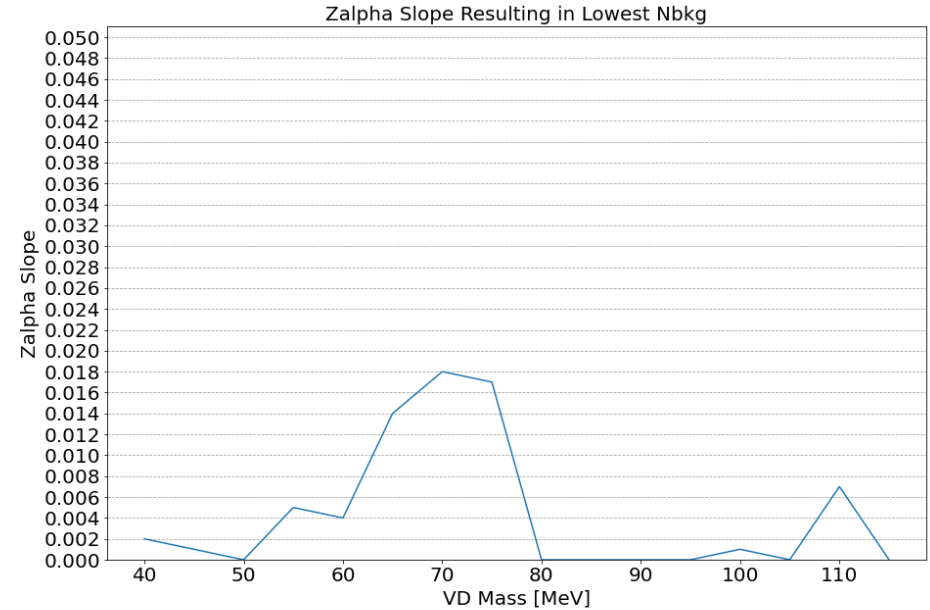
Each Bin corresponds to whatever Cut
Value results in minimum background
(or first time Nbkg=0)



Zalpha – Results for Min Nbkg

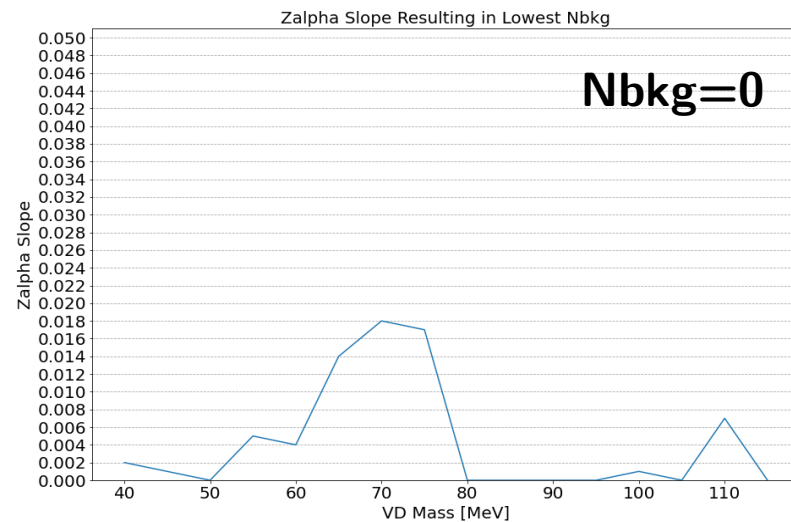
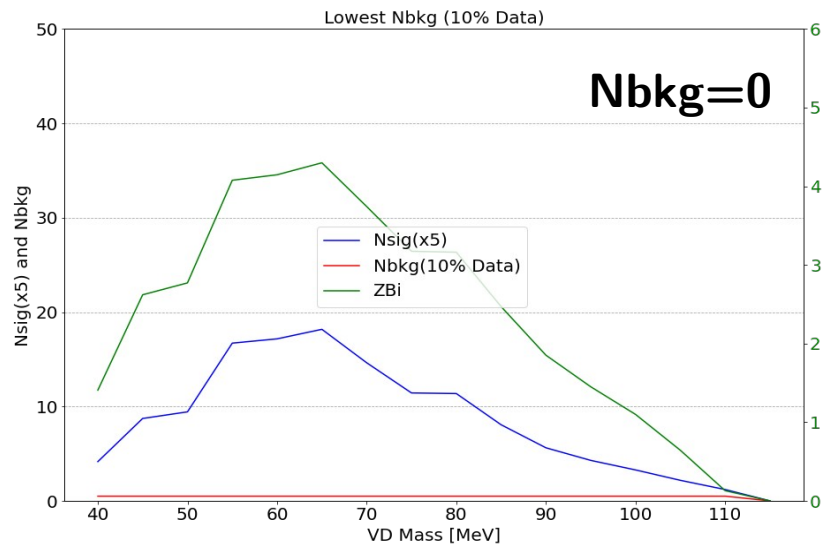
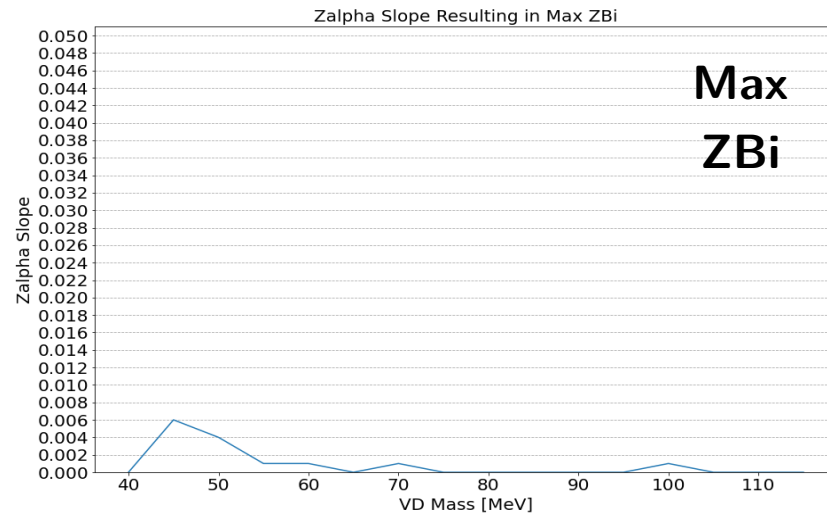
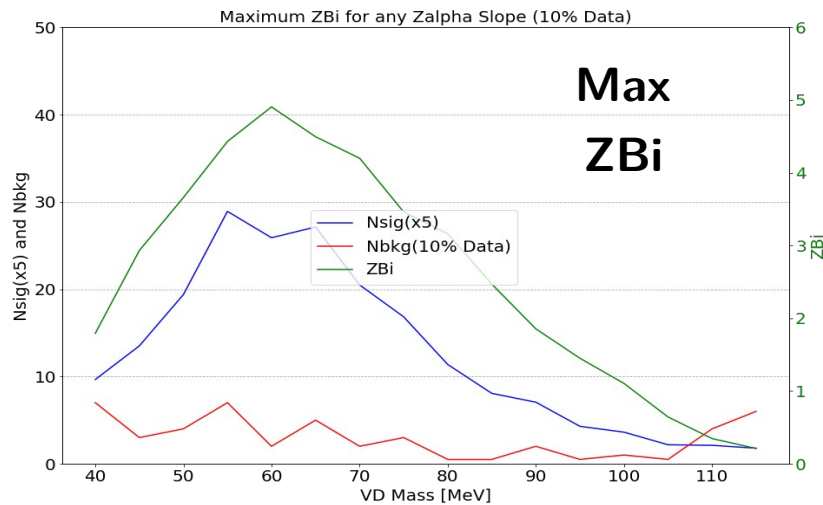


For each Mass, plot whatever Zalpha Slope and Cut Value gives max Zbi (where Nbkg = 0)

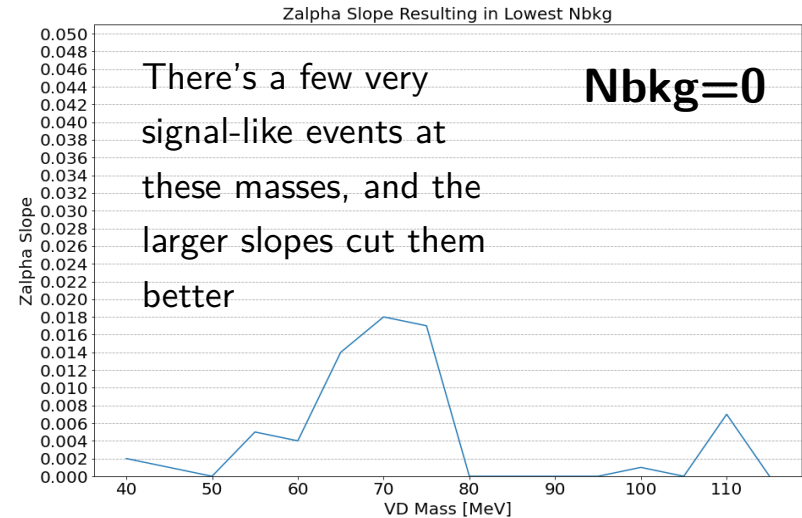
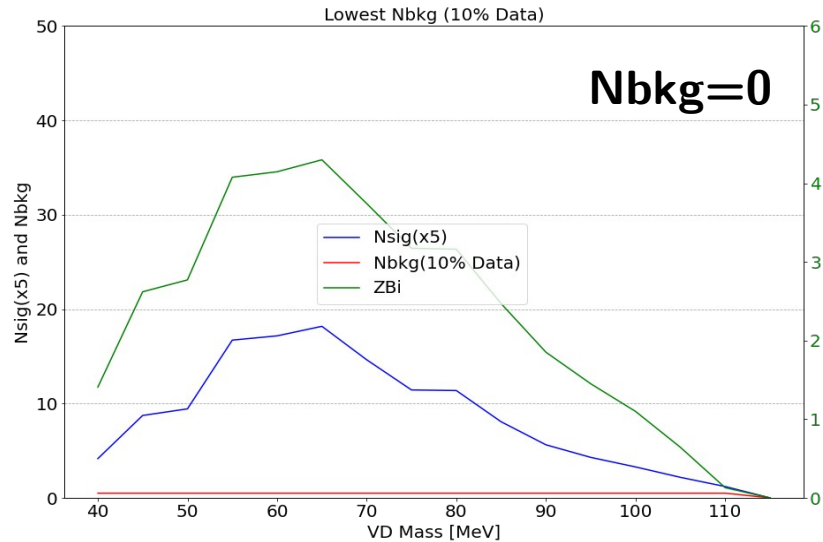
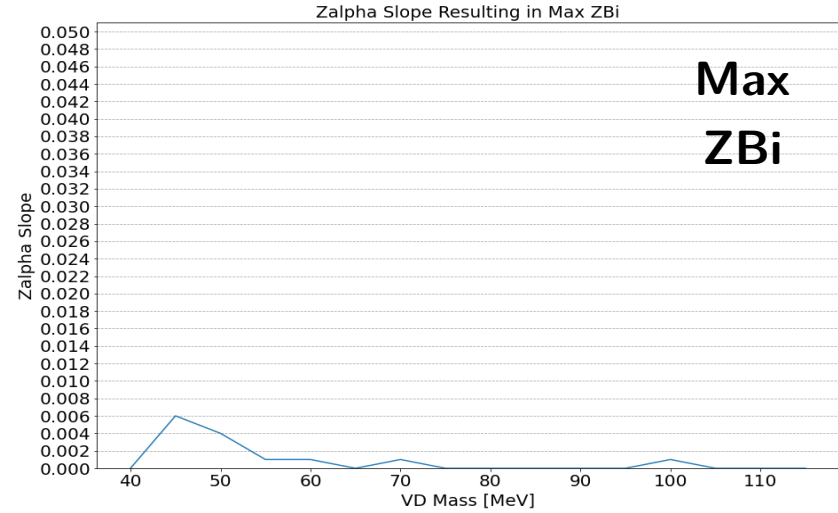
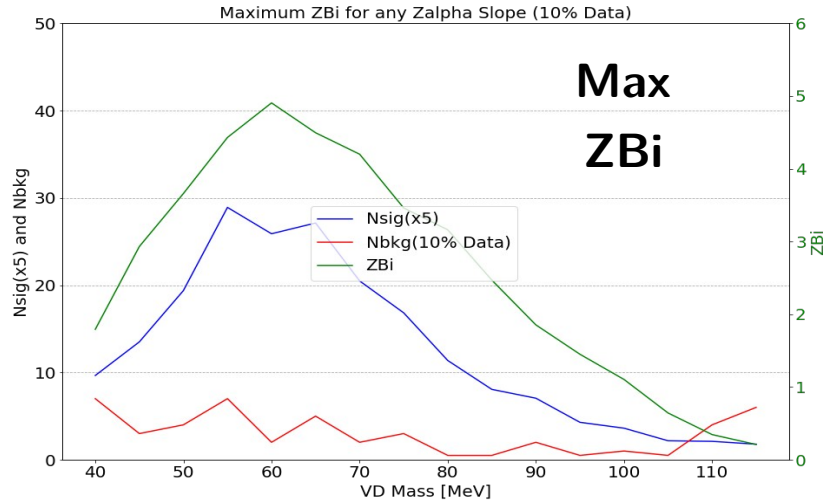


Zalpha Slope that gives maximum Zbi (where Nbkg = 0)

Zalpha – Max Zbi vs Nbkkg=0



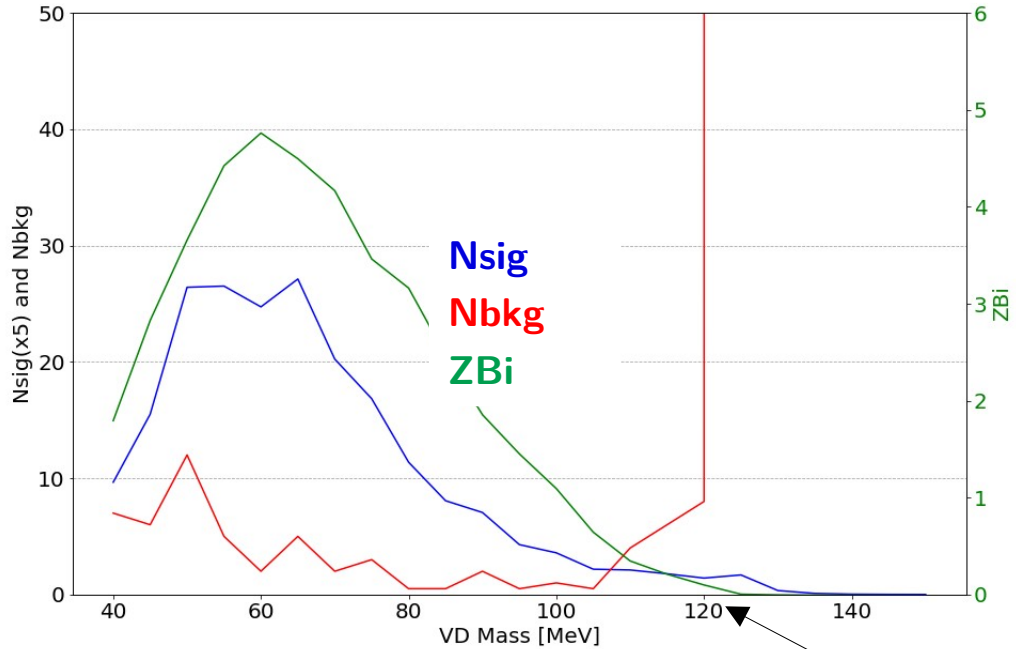
Zalpha – Max Zbi vs Nbkg=0



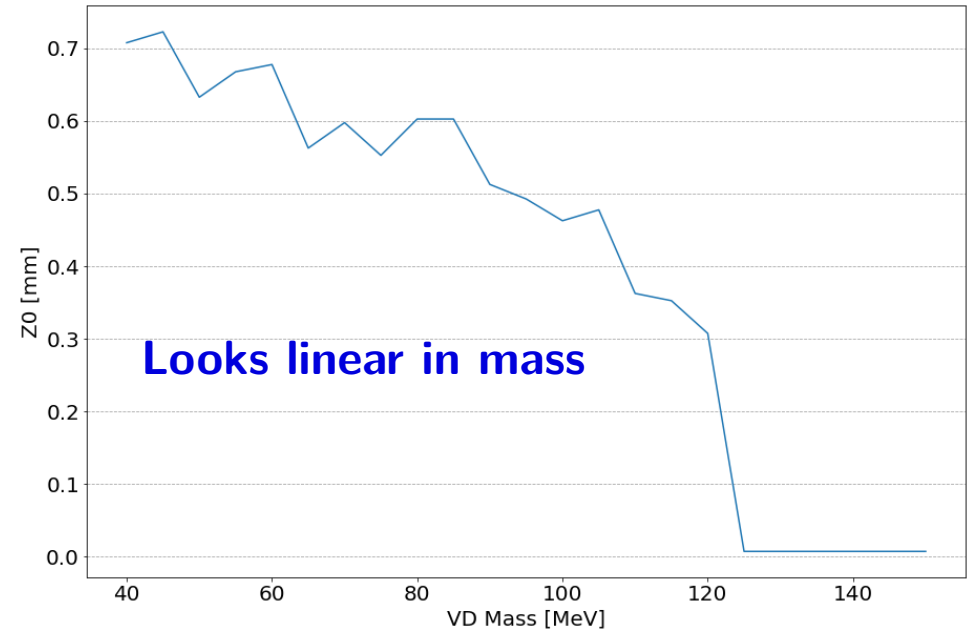
Flat Z0 Cut
Max ZBi

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Max Zbi results for flat Z0 cut



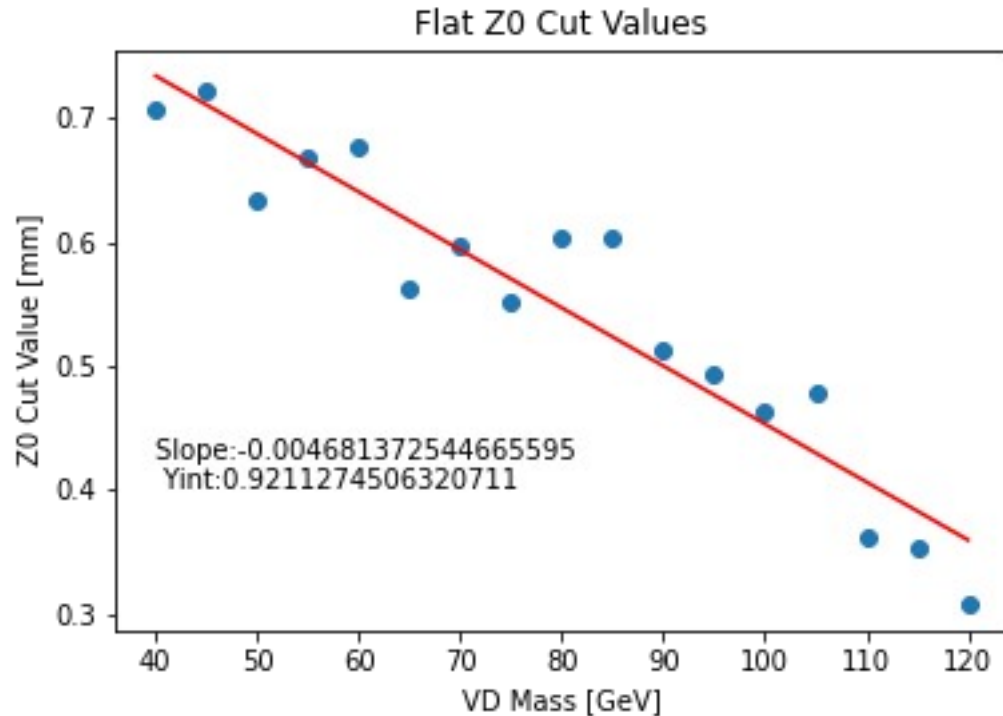
Flat Z0 Cut Values for Max ZBi



**No sensitivity beyond 120 MeV
VD (for this scaling)**

**M_{VD} must be < 126 MeV
for this model anyways**

Flat Z0 Cut



- Fit masses 40-120 MeV with a line
- Parameterize Flat Z0 cut as function of invariant mass using this fit

Reach Estimate

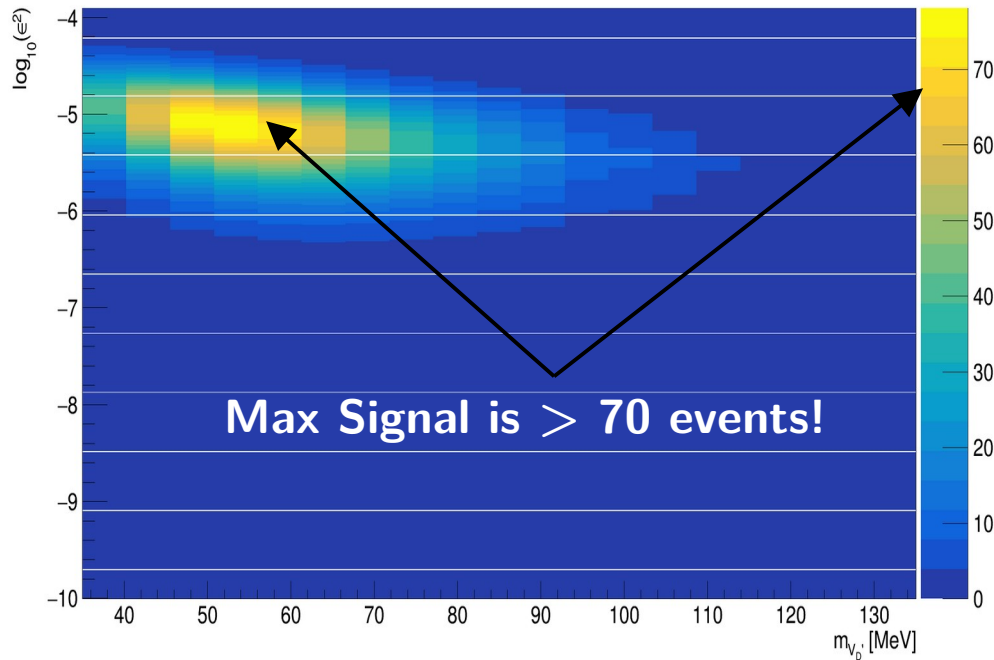
Reach Estimate

- Preselection and Tight Selection as found in backup
- 10% Data in CR ($P_{\text{sum}} > 1.9 \text{ GeV}$) used to scale N_{sig} via radFrac , radAcc , dN_{dm}
- Apply high-z cuts to MC Signal
 - Signal $\text{ele}(\text{pos}) z_0$ corrected with offset $-0.058(-0.098)$
 - $V_0\text{Projection Significance} < 2.0$
 - $\Delta Z(\text{mass}): 18.5972 + 0.159555 * \text{mass_mev}$
 - $Z_0(\text{mass}): 0.921 - 0.00468 * \text{mass_mev}$
- **Run Reach Estimate**
 - Scaled by factor of 10 to ~Full Lumi
 - Yes, background is not going to be zero, and only represents 10% of the total data...
 - 'Zcut' set to target position (should include vtx resolution really)

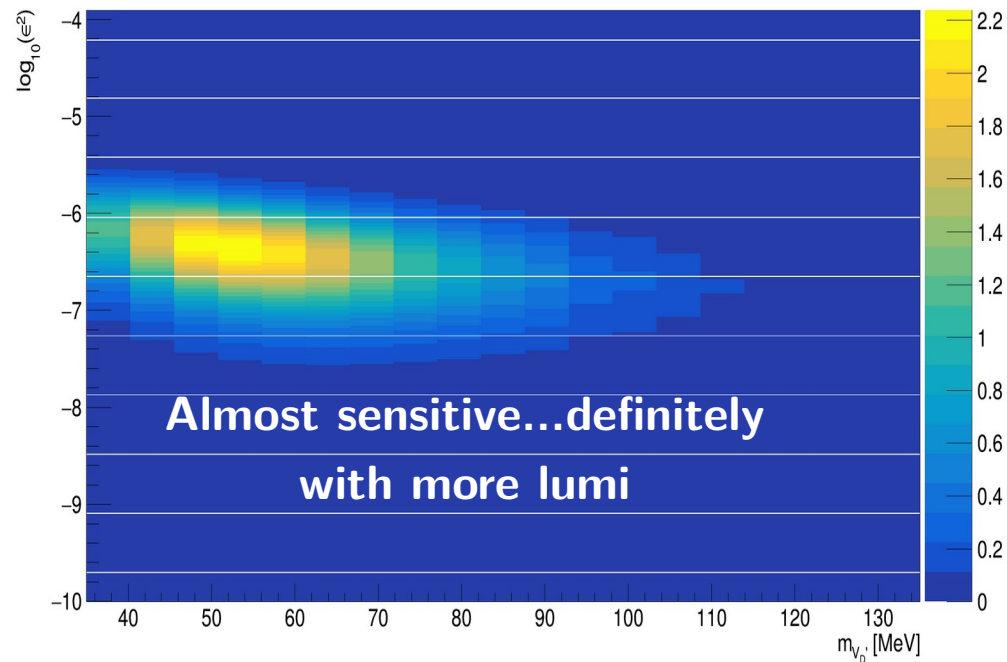


Reach Estimate - Expected Signal

Expected Signal: $m_\pi/f_\pi = 4\pi$



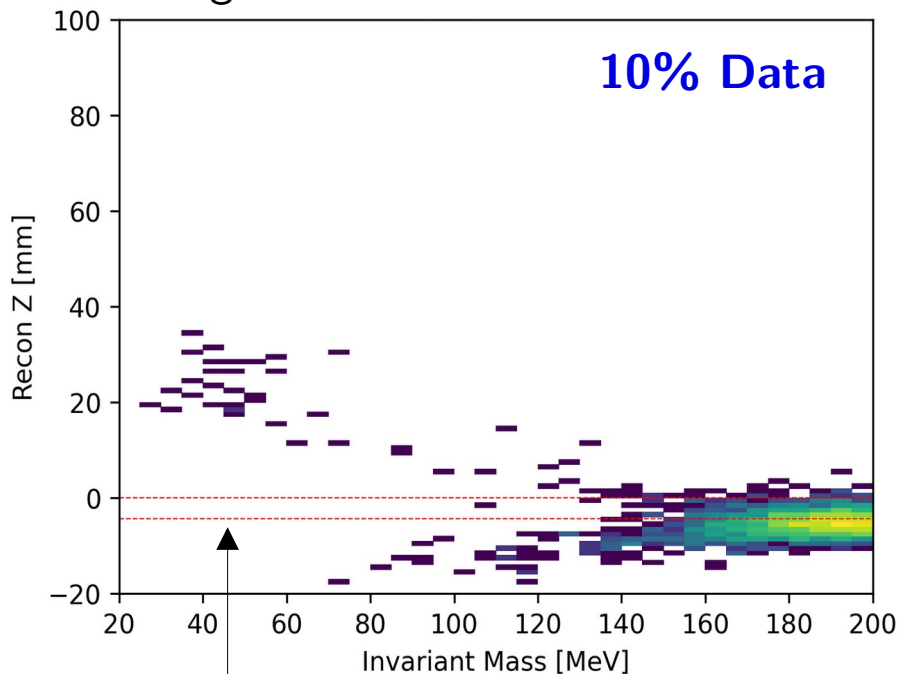
Expected Signal: $m_\pi/f_\pi = 3$



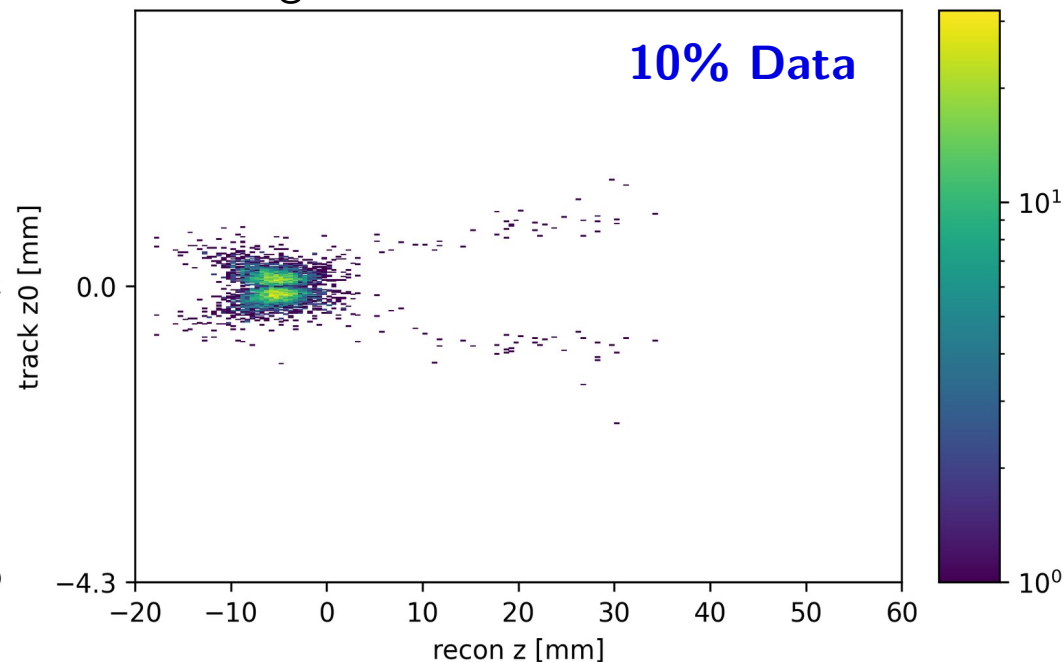
Full Lumi Reach Estimate

Reach Estimate – Remaining Background in 10% Data

Background: Invariant Mass vs Recon Z



Background: Recon Z vs Track Z0

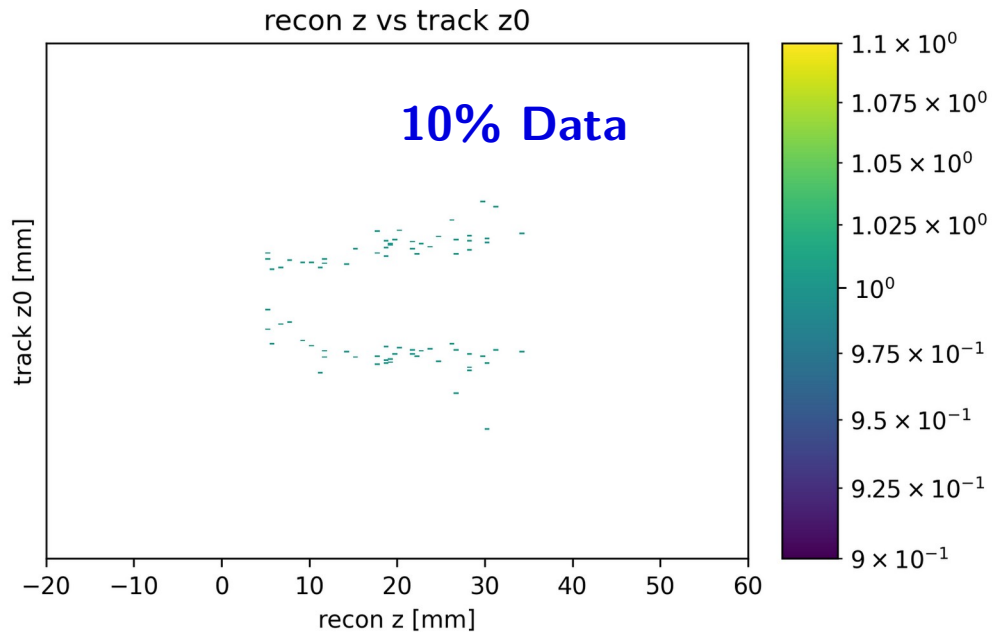
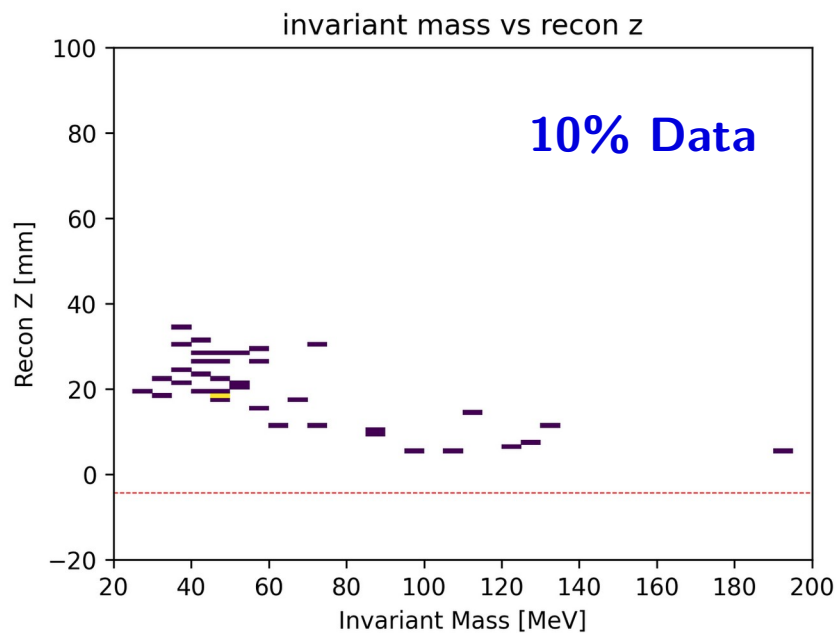


Target position at -4.3mm

Let's remove all the events
at/behind the target



Reach Estimate – Remaining Background in 10% Data



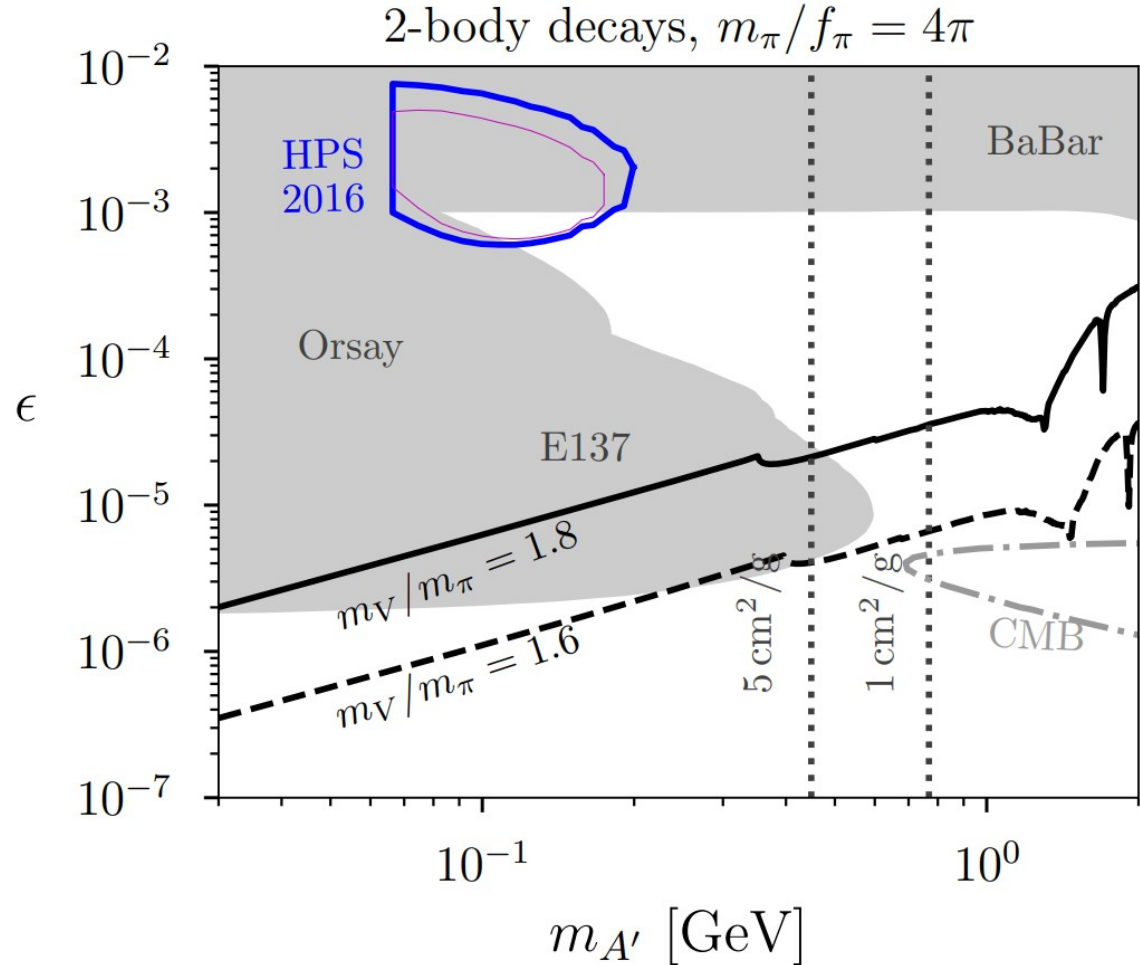
Cut all events < -4.3 mm

**38 background events
left in 10% Data**



Reach Estimate – Exclusion Contour

- Previous Exc Contour (using standard z-cut styled analysis shown in magenta)
- New contour shown in blue
- Tiny gains in new territory
- Any thoughts on how to push this contour down in coupling?

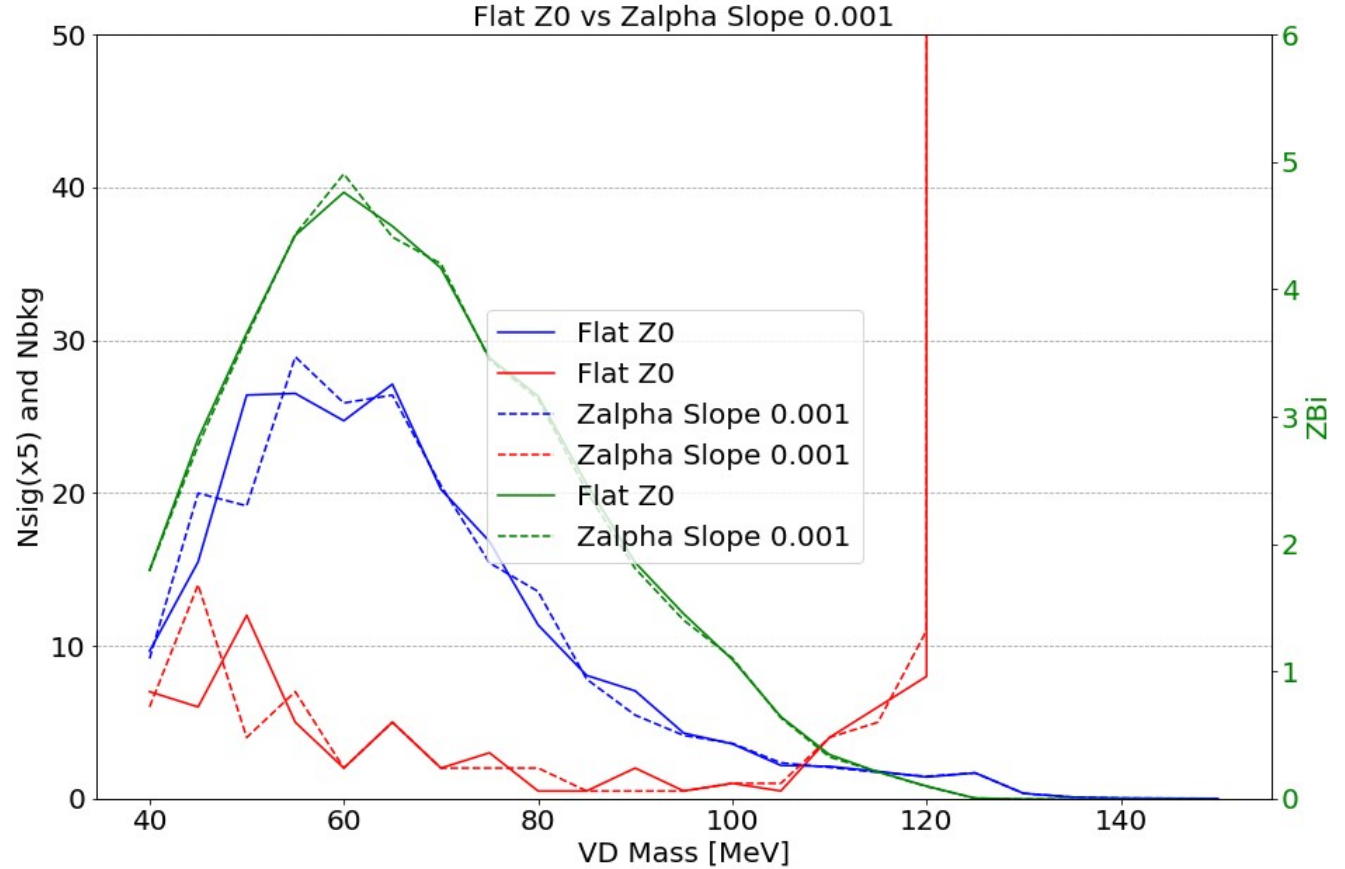


Summary and Conclusion

- Current set of high-z cuts can eliminate almost all background, and expect large signal
- Instead of using flat z_0 cut, which leaves some background, will look at the zero-background case too (Zalpha with very small slopes)
- *Flat z_0 is nice and simple...how much squeezing do we want to do really?
- Do we want to go for optimizing sensitivity, or zero-background?
- What systematics studies need to be done on this z_0 cut before we feel cool with it?
- Cam and I want to look at 100% Data above 120 MeV, and use 100% of Control Region Data, to test these cuts further
- PF has momentum smearing mostly done
- Matt G finishing up hit killing
- Tongtong working on MC/Data low psum discrepancy
- Cam working on hpstr sw release and tuplizing data

Backup

- Is Flat Z0 the way to go?
- Maybe a *tiny slope is better?
- Plot compares Flat (Solid) and **Almost** flat Zalpha slope
- Don't see much difference



Introduction - Setup

Preselection and Tight Selection used for this work...

Cut Description	Requirement
Layer 1 Requirement	e^- and e^+ have L1 hit
Layer 2 Requirement	e^- and e^+ have L2 hit
Control Region Momentum	$P_{e^-} + P_{e^+} > 1.9\text{GeV}$
Signal Region Momentum	$1.0 < P_{e^-} + P_{e^+} < 1.9\text{GeV}$
Single Vertex Event	1 Candidate Vertex Per Event

Table 7: V_0 Tight L1L1 selection as of 07/18/2023.

Cut Description	Requirement
ECal clusters in opposite volumes	$e^- \text{Cluster}_y \times e^+ \text{Cluster}_y < 0$
Track-Cluster Time Difference (Data)	$ Track_t - Cluster_t - 56\text{ns} < 10 \text{ ns}$
Track-Cluster Time Difference (MC)	$ Track_t - Cluster_t - 43\text{ns} < 10 \text{ ns}$
Track-Cluster X Position Difference	$ x_{TrackAtEcal} - x_{Cluster} < 20.0 \text{ mm}$
Track-Cluster Y Position Difference	$ TrackAtEcal_y - Cluster_y < 20.0 \text{ mm}$
Cluster Time Difference	$\Delta_t(Cluster_{e^-}, Cluster_{e^+}) < 2.5 \text{ ns}$
Beam electron cut	$p_{e^-} < 2.15 \text{ GeV}$
Vertex Momentum	$p_{Vtx} < 2.8 \text{ GeV}$

Table 3: Reconstruction level requirements. Track-Cluster time difference in MC and data is corrected using offsets calibrated in [7]. The track positions are found by extrapolating the track from the last layer hit to the face of the ECal.

Cut Description	Requirement
Trigger	Pair1
Track Time	$ Track_t < 6 \text{ ns}$
Cluster Time Difference	$\Delta_t(Cluster_{e^-}, Cluster_{e^+}) < 1.45 \text{ ns}$
Track-Cluster Time Difference	$\Delta_t(Track, Cluster) < 4.0 \text{ ns}$
Track Quality	$Track\chi^2/n.d.f. < 20.0$
Beam electron cut	$p_{e^-} < 1.75 \text{ GeV}$
Minimum Hits on Track	$N_{2dhits}Track > 7.0$
Unconstrained Vertex Quality	$Vtx\chi^2 < 20.0$
Vertex Momentum	$p_{e^-+e^+} < 2.4 \text{ GeV}$

Table 4: V_0 selection. The time offset for data is 56 ns and the time offset for MC is 43 ns.