



Spurious Signal Tests

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- **Confirm that fits discrepancies are not significantly occurring**
 - Fit discrepancy = A difference in shape between fitting function and background shape
 - Fit discrepancy may hide true signal or create fake signal
 - **Test fit function by performing fits to background only data-set**
 - Use MC for representative background only data-set
 - Create data-like distributions by applying poisson fluctuations
 - Study fit quality - BH p-value, Chi2 p-value, Deficit Hunter p-value
 - Search for evidence of spurious signal
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Event Selection

Pythia8EvtGen MC Di-Jet Sample

- 2016 MC
- di-b-jet Ntuple production

Scale to 10ifb

- Will update for final lumi

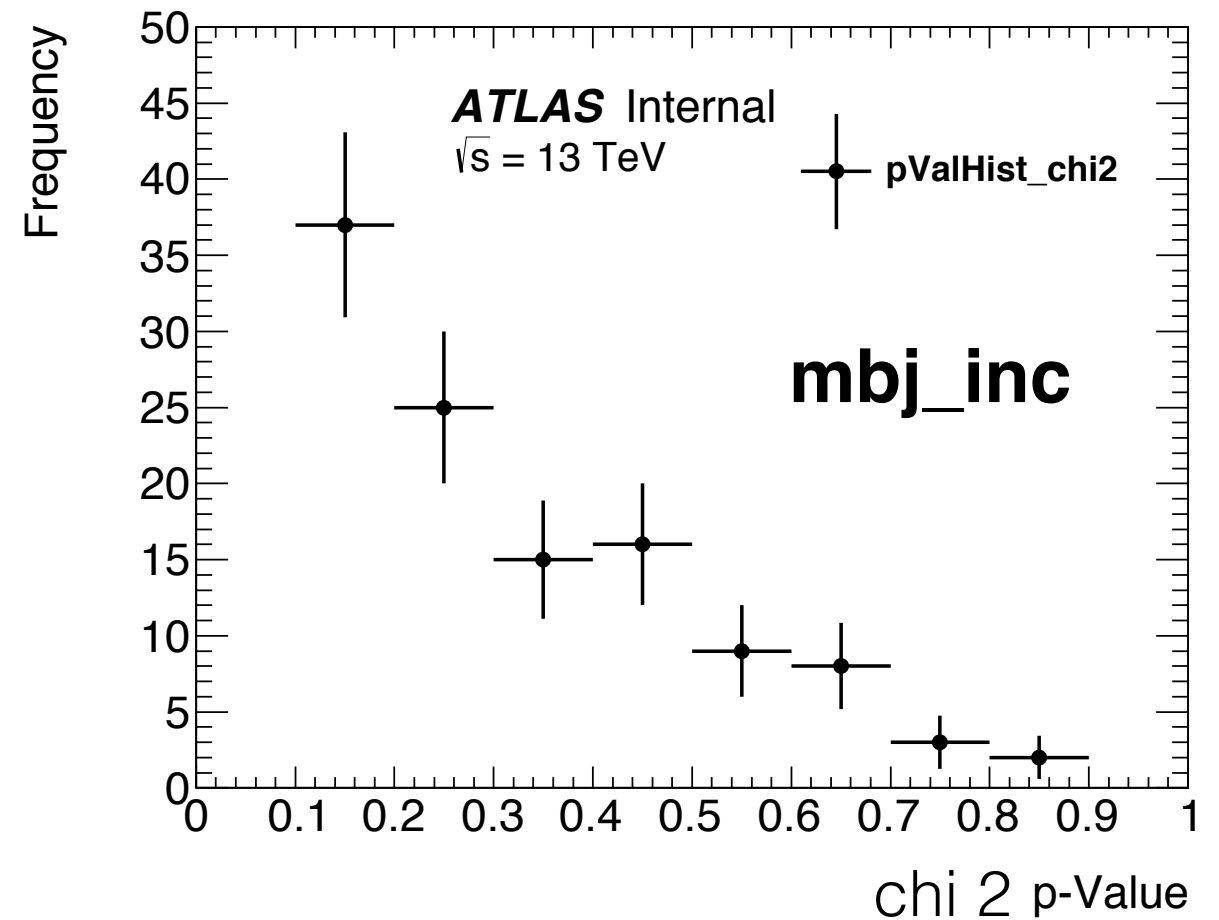
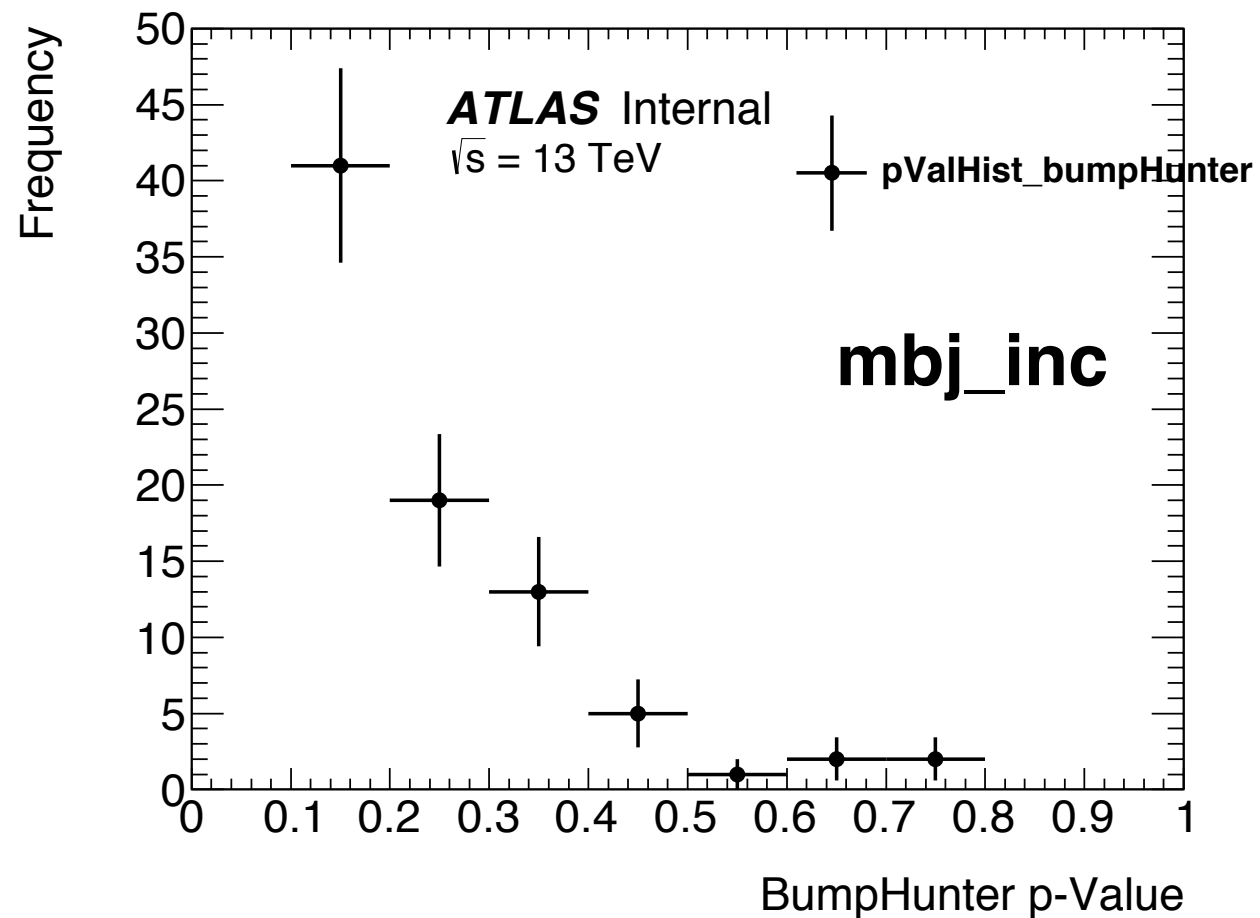
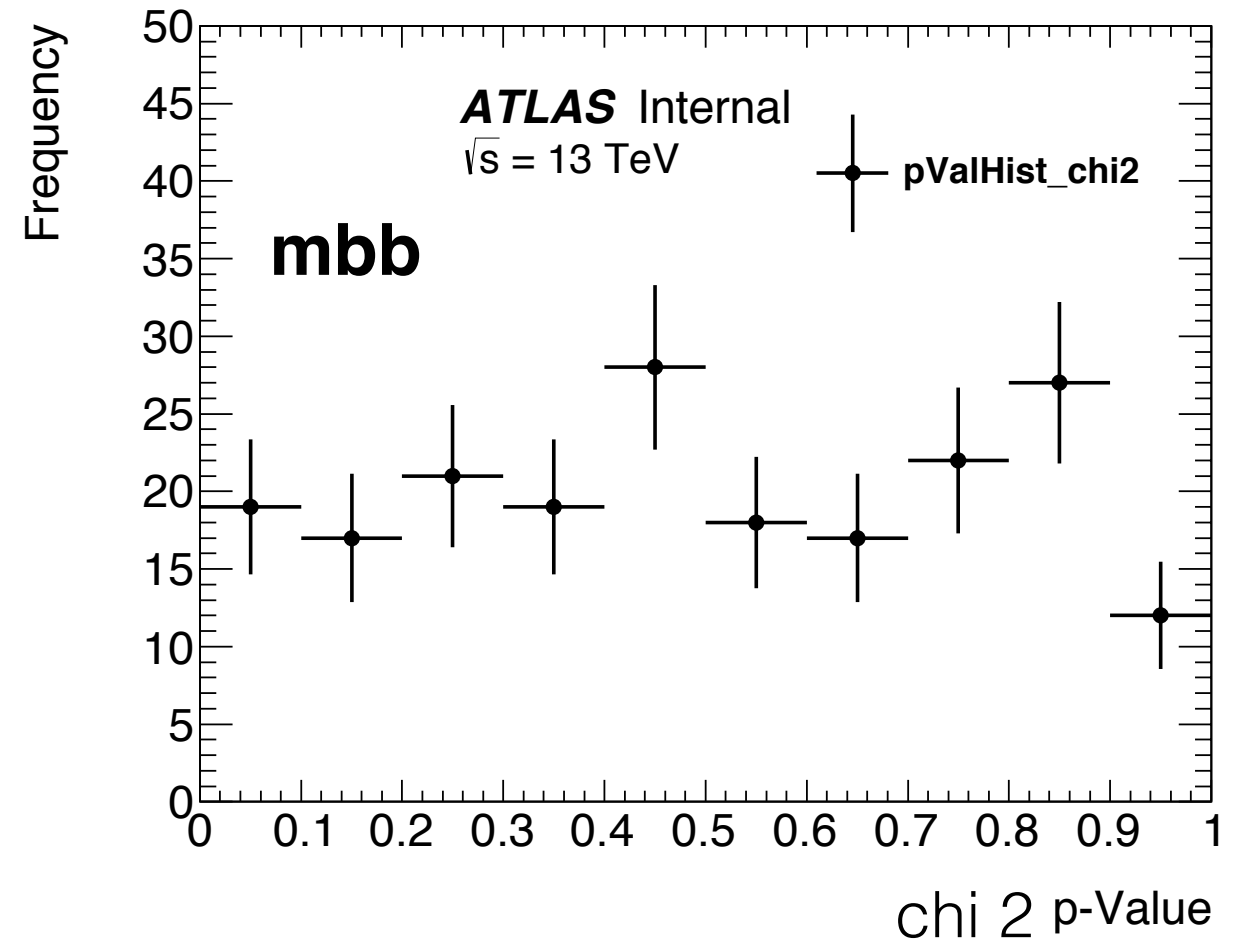
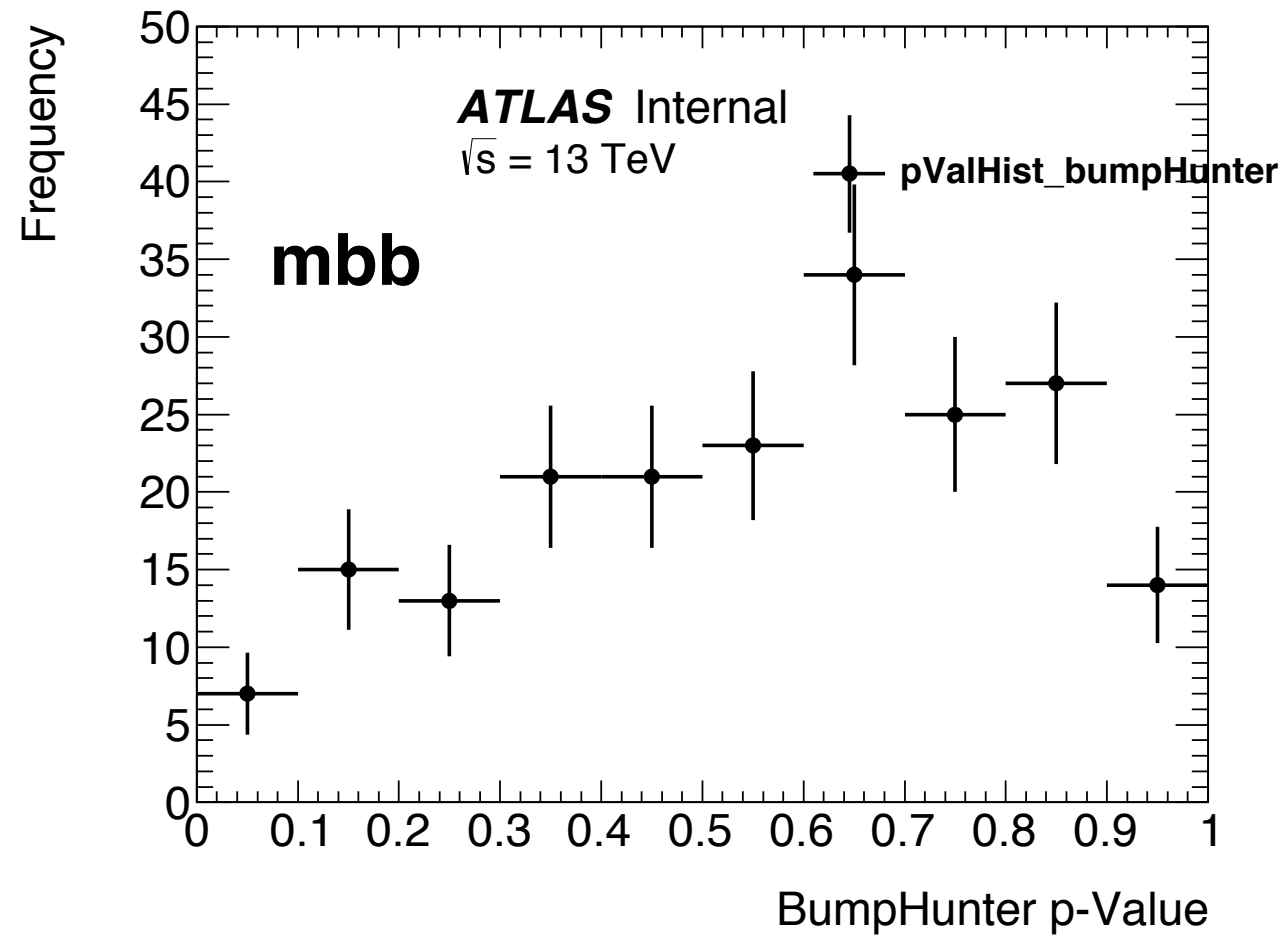
• **Standard Dijet Resonance Cuts**

- Leading Jet $p_T > 410$ GeV
- Sublead Jet $p_T > 50$ GeV
- $|y^*| < 0.6$
- $m_{jj} > 1100$ GeV

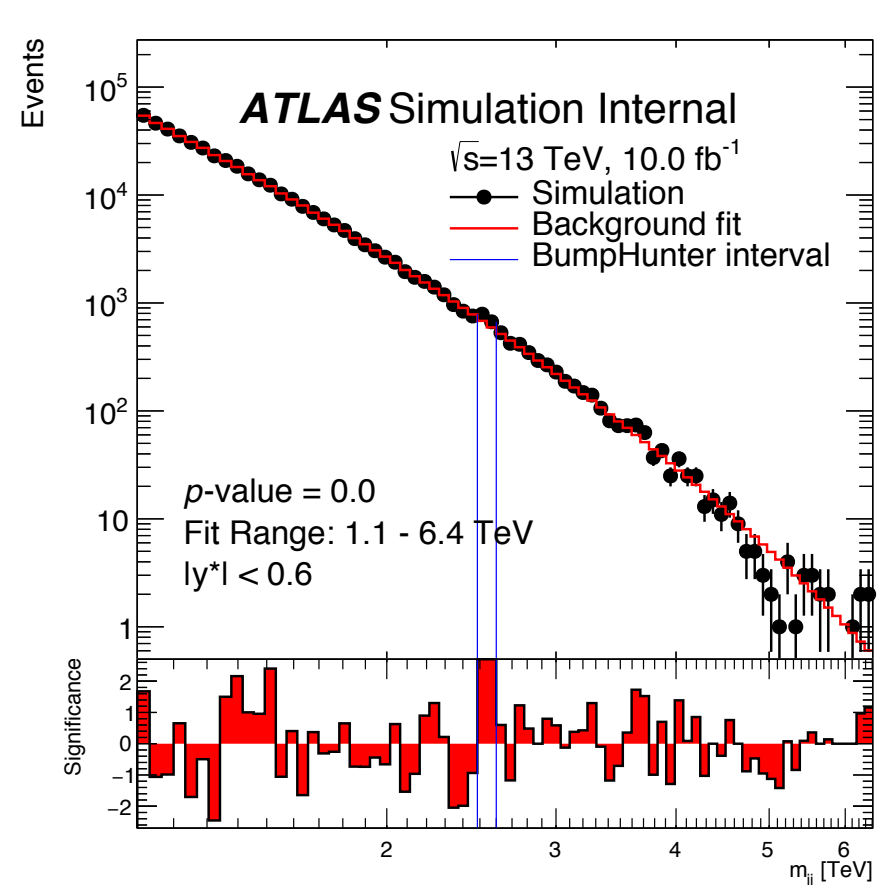
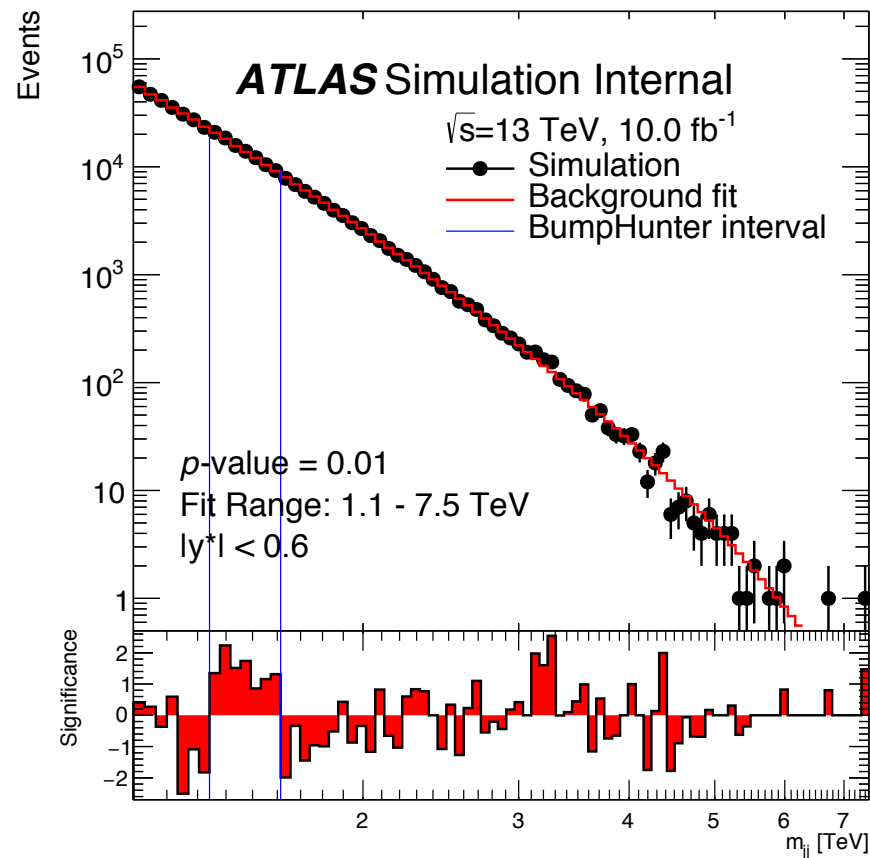
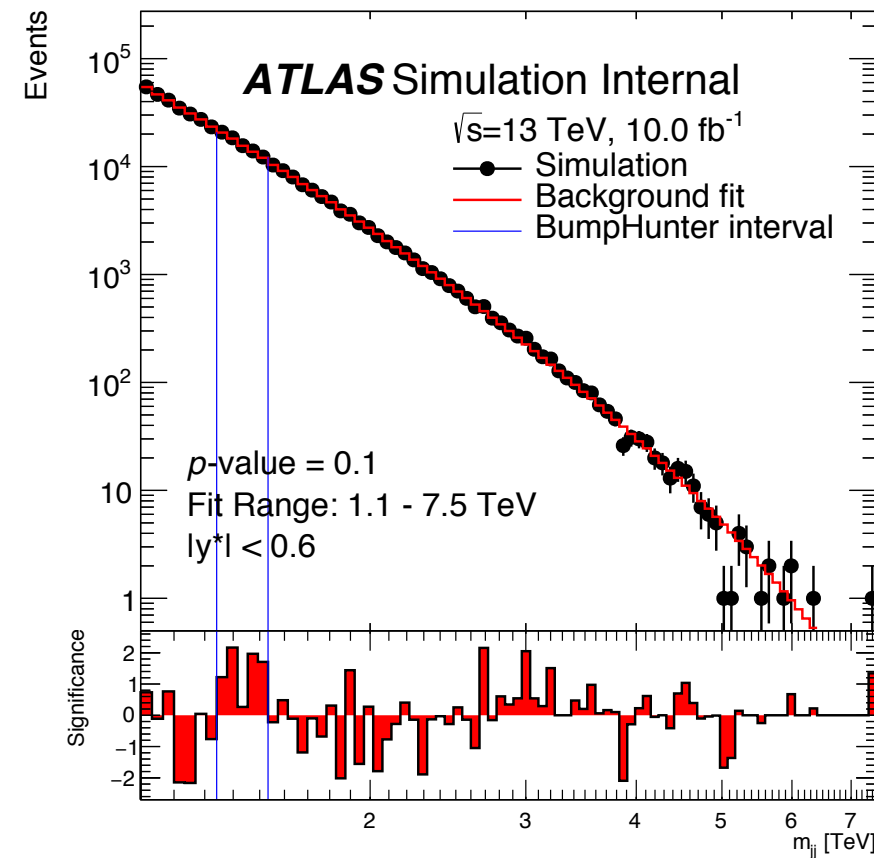
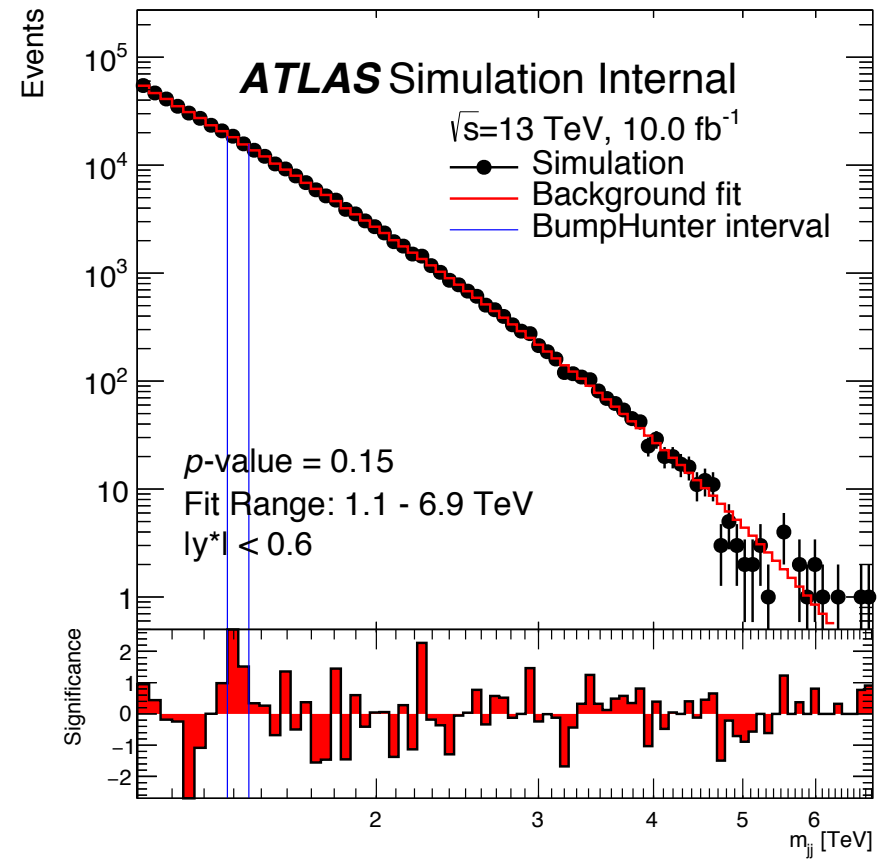
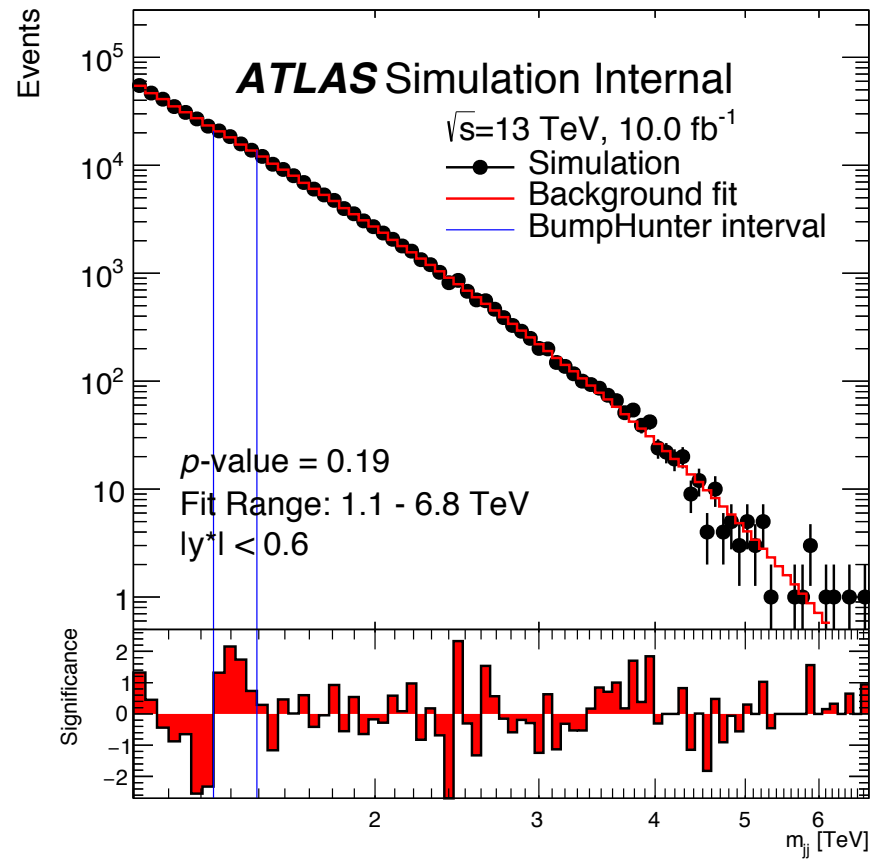
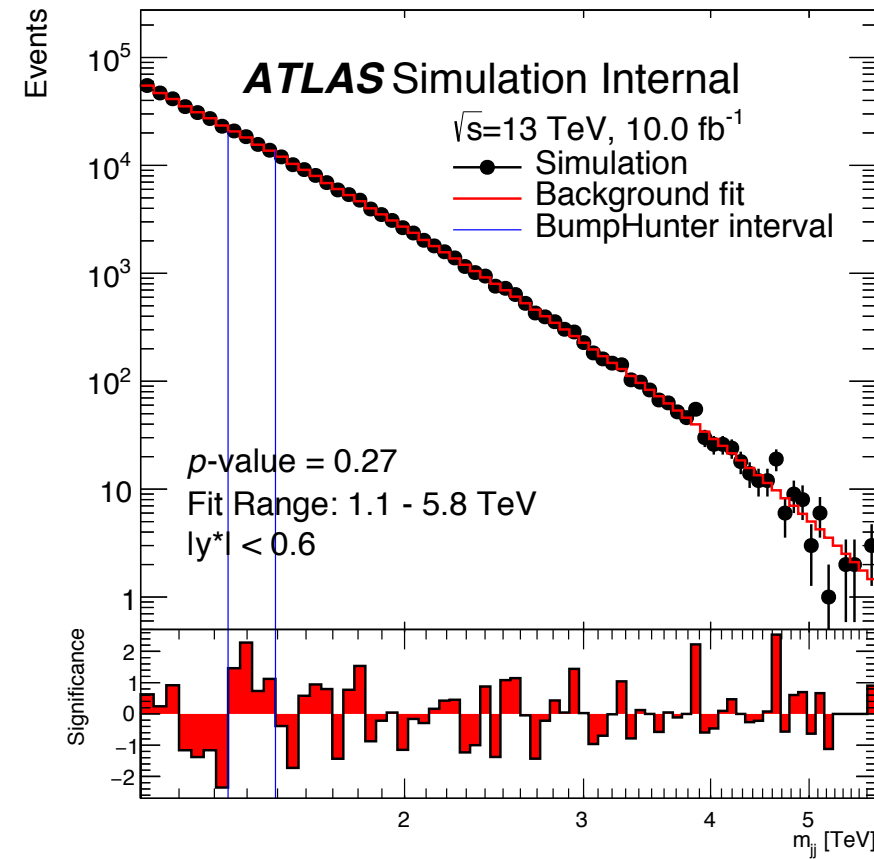
• **MV2c10**

- Using fixed cut 85%
mbb_fix_8585
- mbj_incl_fix_8585 (≥ 1 b-tag)

Distributions of p-values for fit to background

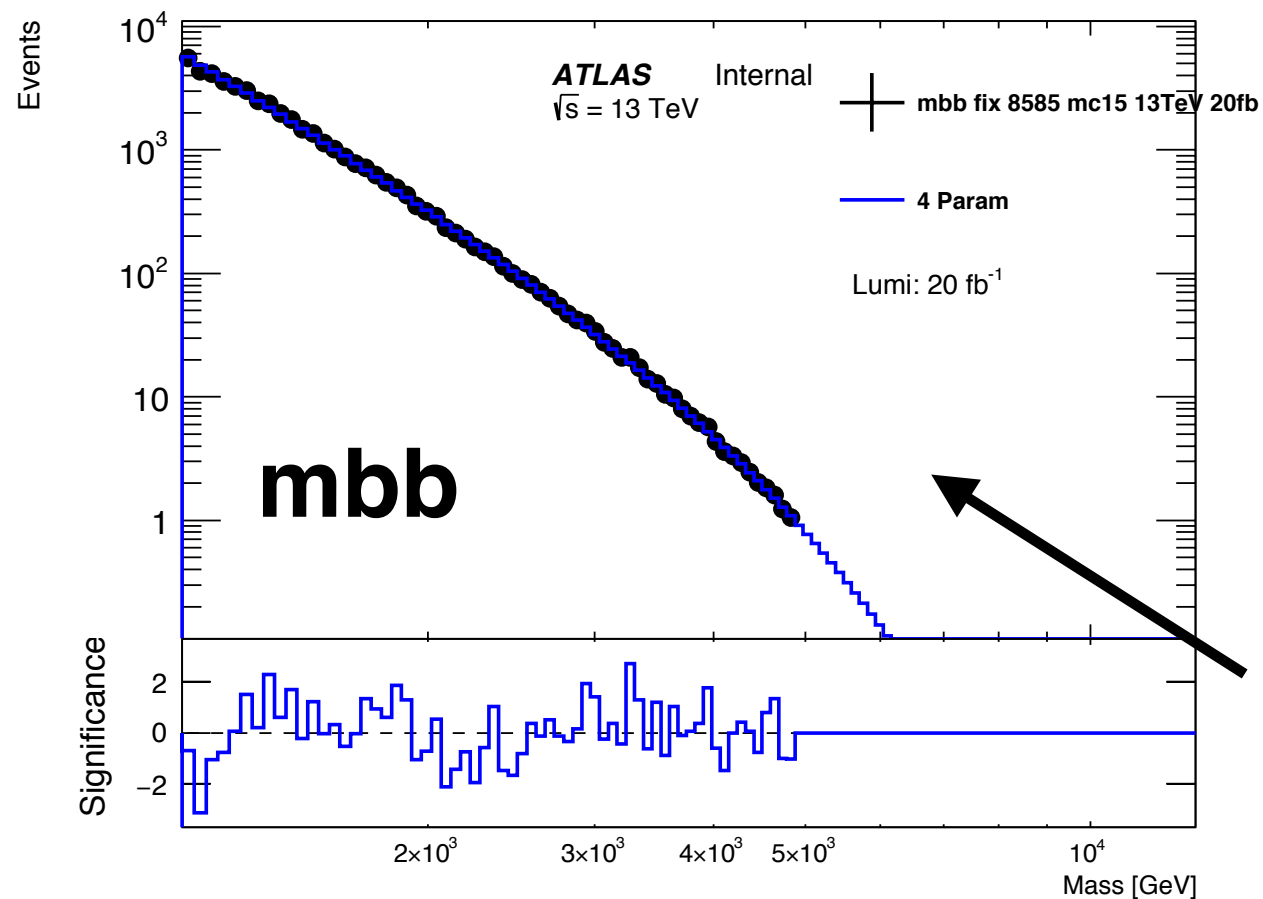


A couple of examples...

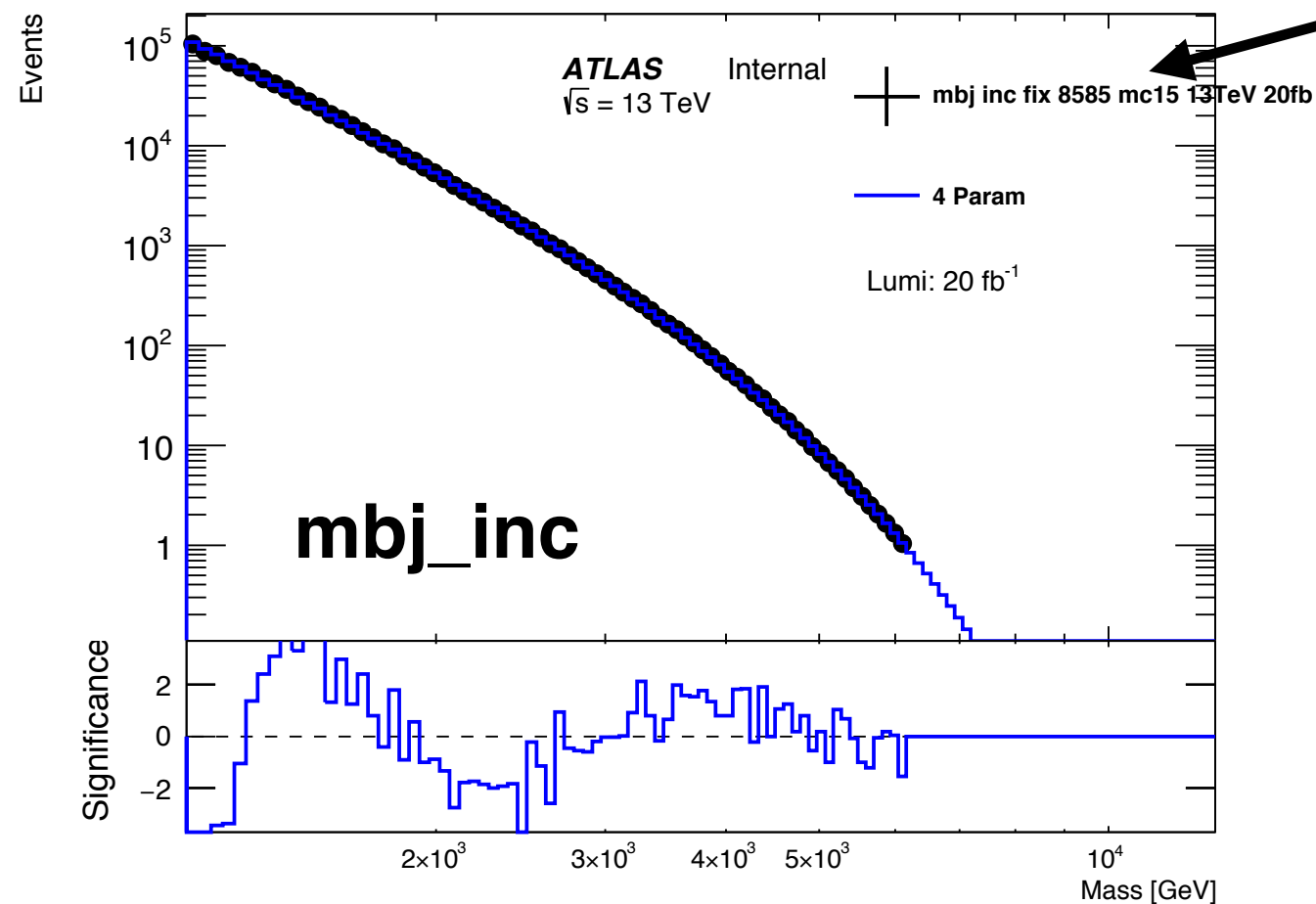


Patch Fit

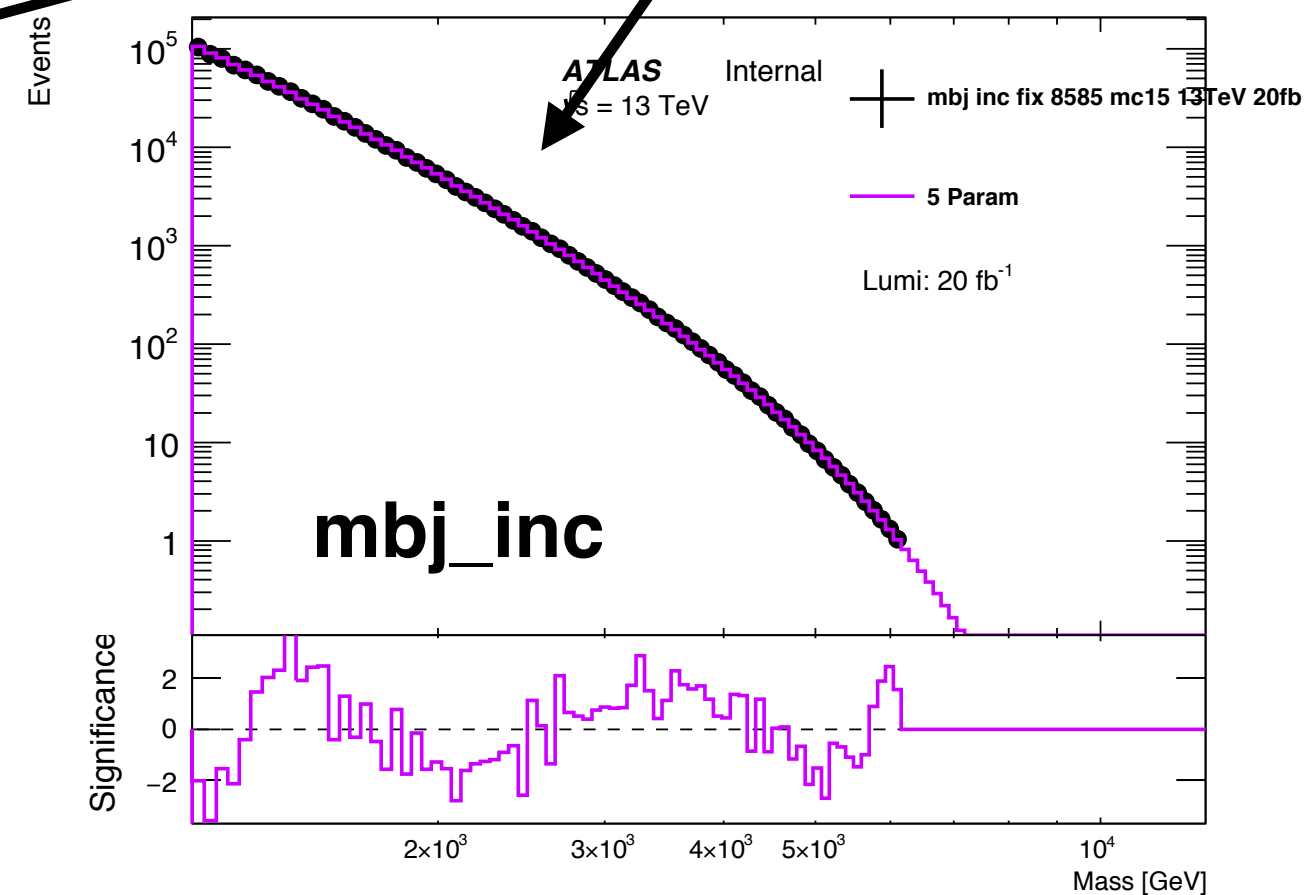
Fit to 20ifb curve cut off at 1 event
Errors are MC errors
Use fit to patch.



Works



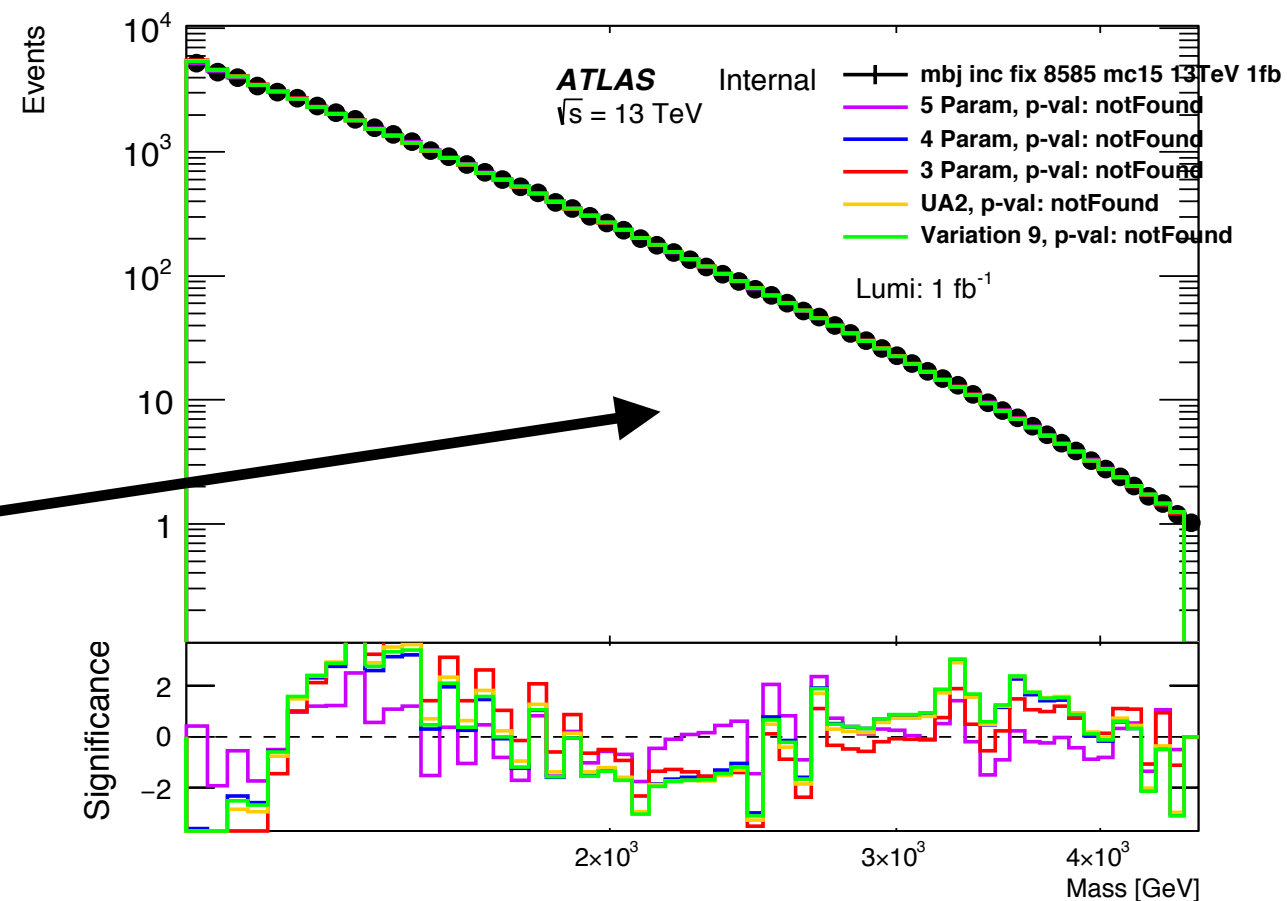
Not Working



Possible solutions

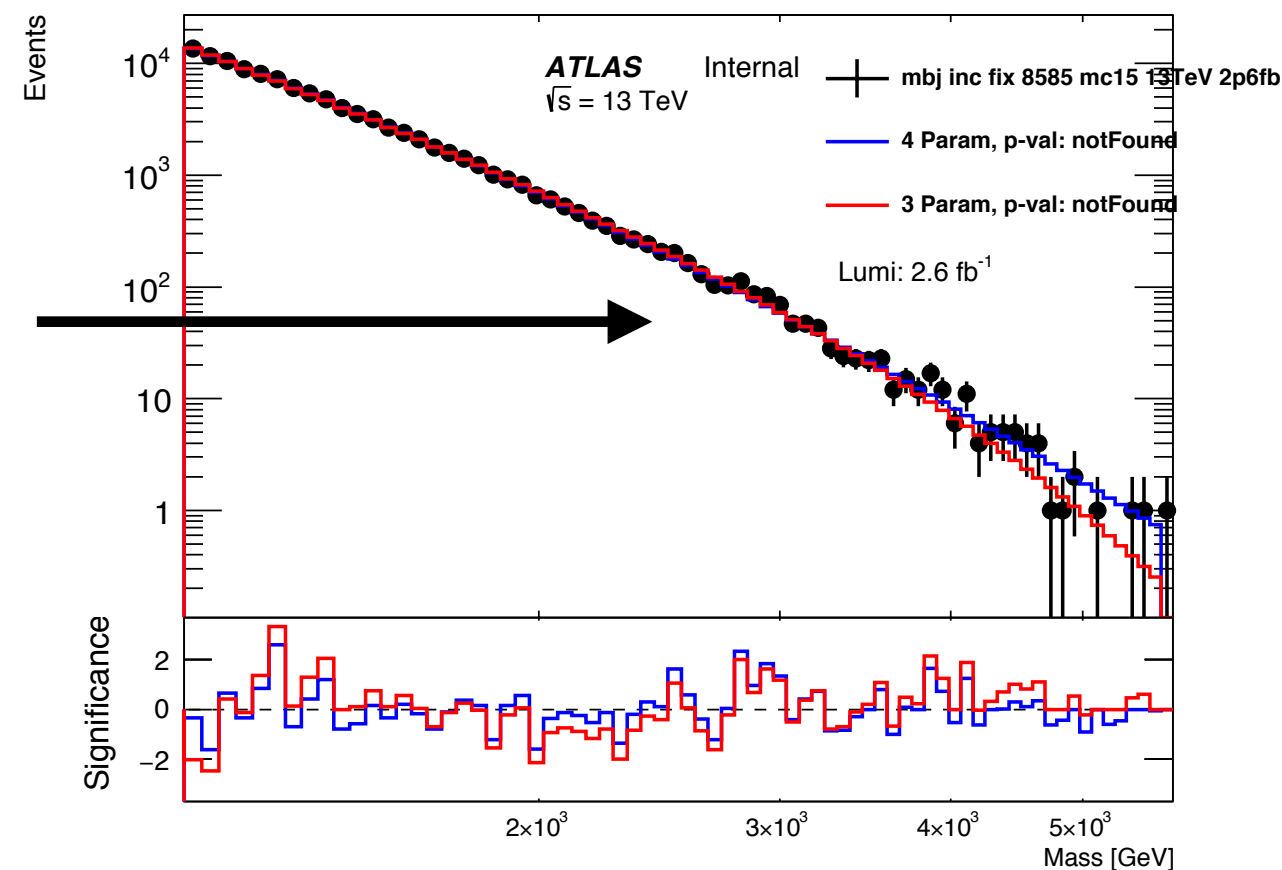
1) Fix the patch

- Possible that changing to 5 para and fitting to a different mass range might fix the problem



2) Fit to data-like only.

- Perform tests to region where we have precision (no patch)
- Done for 2.6 fb⁻¹, right.



3) TLA sample with truth tagging

- TLA used large truth MC sample to perform tests
- Can we use this with emulation of b-tagging
- Does such a tool exist?