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#### 1 Setup

#### 1.1 Command history

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ma5># set directory where running "./bin/ma5"; set lumi; define the signal significance
ma5>set main.currentdir = /Users/elijahsheridan/MG5_aMC_v2_6_5/axion_pheno # need to
change this directory path -> exit and type "pwd" to get the path
ma5>set main.lumi = 40.0
ma5># import samples -> change the path to the LHE file
ma5>import /Users/elijahsheridan/MG5_aMC_v2_6_5/axion_pheno/madgraph_data/axion_signal/-
axion_signal_gurrola_cuts_1MeV.lhe.gz as signal
ma5>import /Users/elijahsheridan/MG5_aMC_v2_6_5/axion_pheno/madgraph_data/vbf_diphoton_background_
merged_lhe/vbf_diphoton_background_ht_0_100_merged.lhe.gz as bg_vbf_0_100
ma5>import /Users/elijahsheridan/MG5_aMC_v2_6_5/axion_pheno/madgraph_data/vbf_diphoton_background_
merged_lhe/vbf_diphoton_background_ht_100_200_merged.lhe.gz as bg_vbf_100_200
ma5>import /Users/elijahsheridan/MG5_aMC_v2_6_5/axion_pheno/madgraph_data/vbf_diphoton_background_
merged_lhe/vbf_diphoton_background_ht_200_400_merged.lhe.gz as bg_vbf_200_400
ma5>import /Users/elijahsheridan/MG5_aMC_v2_6_5/axion_pheno/madgraph_data/vbf_diphoton_background_
merged_lhe/vbf_diphoton_background_ht_400_600_merged.lhe.gz as bg_vbf_400_600
ma5>import /Users/elijahsheridan/MG5_aMC_v2_6_5/axion_pheno/madgraph_data/vbf_diphoton_background_
merged_lhe/vbf_diphoton_background_ht_600_800_merged.lhe.gz as bg_vbf_600_800
ma5>import /Users/elijahsheridan/MG5_aMC_v2_6_5/axion_pheno/madgraph_data/vbf_diphoton_background_
merged_lhe/vbf_diphoton_background_ht_800_1200_merged.lhe.gz as bg_vbf_800_1200
ma5>import /Users/elijahsheridan/MG5_aMC_v2_6_5/axion_pheno/madgraph_data/vbf_diphoton_background_
merged_lhe/vbf_diphoton_background_ht_1200_1600_merged.lhe.gz as bg_vbf_1200_1600
ma5>import /Users/elijahsheridan/MG5_aMC_v2_6_5/axion_pheno/madgraph_data/vbf_diphoton_background_
merged_lhe/vbf_diphoton_background_ht_1600_inf_merged.lhe.gz as bg_vbf_1600_inf
ma5>import /Users/elijahsheridan/MG5_aMC_v2_6_5/axion_pheno/madgraph_data/diphoton_double_isr_back
merged_lhe/diphoton_double_isr_background_ht_0_100_merged.lhe.gz as bg_dip_0_100
ma5>import /Users/elijahsheridan/MG5_aMC_v2_6_5/axion_pheno/madgraph_data/diphoton_double_isr_back
merged_lhe/diphoton_double_isr_background_ht_100_200_merged.lhe.gz as bg_dip_100_200
ma5>import /Users/elijahsheridan/MG5_aMC_v2_6_5/axion_pheno/madgraph_data/diphoton_double_isr_back
merged_lhe/diphoton_double_isr_background_ht_200_400_merged.lhe.gz as bg_dip_200_400
ma5>import /Users/elijahsheridan/MG5_aMC_v2_6_5/axion_pheno/madgraph_data/diphoton_double_isr_back
merged_lhe/diphoton_double_isr_background_ht_400_600_merged.lhe.gz as bg_dip_400_600
ma5>import /Users/elijahsheridan/MG5_aMC_v2_6_5/axion_pheno/madgraph_data/diphoton_double_isr_back
merged_lhe/diphoton_double_isr_background_ht_600_800_merged.lhe.gz as bg_dip_600_800
ma5>import /Users/elijahsheridan/MG5_aMC_v2_6_5/axion_pheno/madgraph_data/diphoton_double_isr_back
merged_lhe/diphoton_double_isr_background_ht_800_1200_merged.lhe.gz as bg_dip_800_1200
ma5>import /Users/elijahsheridan/MG5_aMC_v2_6_5/axion_pheno/madgraph_data/diphoton_double_isr_back
merged_lhe/diphoton_double_isr_background_ht_1200_1600_merged.lhe.gz as bg_dip_1200_1600
ma5>import /Users/elijahsheridan/MG5_aMC_v2_6_5/axion_pheno/madgraph_data/diphoton_double_isr_back
merged_lhe/diphoton_double_isr_background_ht_1600_inf_merged.lhe.gz as bg_dip_1600_inf
ma5># define bg and signal samples
ma5>set signal.type = signal
ma5>set bg_vbf_0_100.type = background
ma5>set bg_vbf_100_200.type = background
ma5>set bg_vbf_200_400.type = background
ma5>set bg_vbf_400_600.type = background
ma5>set bg_vbf_600_800.type = background
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ma5>set bg_vbf_800_1200.type = background
ma5>set bg_vbf_1200_1600.type = background
ma5>set bg_vbf_1600_inf.type = background
ma5>set bg_dip_0_100.type = background
ma5>set bg_dip_100_200.type = background
ma5>set bg_dip_200_400.type = background
ma5>set bg_dip_400_600.type = background
ma5>set bg_dip_600_800.type = background
ma5>set bg_dip_800_1200.type = background
ma5>set bg_dip_1200_1600.type = background
ma5>set bg_dip_1600_inf.type = background
ma5># define weights for the samples
ma5>#set sample_1.weight = 1
ma5>#set sample_2.weight = 1
ma5># a jet can be from a light quark or b quark
ma5>define jets = j
ma5>define e = e+ e-
ma5>define mu = mu+ mu-
ma5>define ta = ta+ ta-
ma5>define lept = e mu ta
ma5>define ax = 9000005
ma5># selections
ma5>select (sdETA(jets[1] jets[2]) > 3.6 or sdETA(jets[1] jets[2]) < -3.6) and M(jets[1] jets[2]) < -3.6) and M(jets[1] jets[2]) < -3.6)
jets[2]) > 1250
ma5>select PT(a[1]) > 450 and M(a[1] a[2]) > 300
ma5>submit analysis_tight_pta450_maa300
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#### 1.2 Configuration

- MadAnalysis version 1.6.33 (2017/11/20).
- Histograms given for an integrated luminosity of 40.0fb<sup>-1</sup>.

#### 2 Datasets

#### 2.1 signal

 $\bullet$  Samples stored in the directory: /Users/elijahsheridan/MG5\_aMC\_v2\_6\_5/axion\_pheno/optimization .

• Sample consisting of: signal events.

• Generated events: 1000000 events.

• Normalization to the luminosity: 4094+/- 2 events.

• Ratio (event weight): 0.0041.

Path to the event file	Nr. of events	Cross section (pb)	Negative wgts (%)
/Users/elijahsheridan/-			
$MG5\_aMC\_v2\_6\_5/-$			
axion_pheno/-	1000000	0.102 @ 0.028%	0.0
madgraph_data/axion_signal/-			
_axion_signal_gurrola_cuts_1MeV.ll			

#### $2.2 \quad bg\_vbf\_0\_100$

 $\bullet$  Samples stored in the directory: /Users/elijahsheridan/MG5\_aMC\_v2\_6\_5/axion\_pheno/optimization .

• Sample consisting of: background events.

• Generated events: 1000000 events.

• Normalization to the luminosity: 12150+/- 24 events.

 $\bullet$  Ratio (event weight): 0.012  $% \left( 1\right) =0.012$  .

Path to the event file	Nr. of events	Cross section (pb)	Negative wgts (%)
/Users/elijahsheridan/- MG5_aMC_v2_6_5/- axion_pheno/madgraph_data/- vbf_diphoton_background_data/- merged_lhe/- vbf_diphoton_background_ht 0 10	1000000	0.304 @ 0.19%	0.0

#### $2.3 \quad \text{bg vbf } 100 \quad 200$

 $\bullet$  Samples stored in the directory: /Users/elijahsheridan/MG5\_aMC\_v2\_6\_5/axion\_pheno/optimization .

• Sample consisting of: background events.

• Generated events: 965662 events.

 $\bullet$  Normalization to the luminosity: 9695+/- 17  $\,$  events.

• Ratio (event weight): 0.01.

Path to the event file	Nr. of events	Cross section (pb)	Negative wgts (%)
/Users/elijahsheridan/-			
$MG5\_aMC\_v2\_6\_5/-$			
$axion\_pheno/madgraph\_data/-$	067660	0.242 @ 0.17%	0.0
vbf_diphoton_background_data/-	965662	0.242 @ 0.17%	0.0
merged_lhe/-			
vbf_diphoton_background_ht_100_			

#### $\mathbf{2.4} \quad \mathbf{bg\_vbf\_200\_400}$

 $\bullet$  Samples stored in the directory: /Users/elijahsheridan/MG5\_aMC\_v2\_6\_5/axion\_pheno/optimization .

• Sample consisting of: background events.

• Generated events: 984165 events.

 $\bullet$  Normalization to the luminosity: 5413+/- 11 events.

• Ratio (event weight): 0.0055.

Path to the event file	Nr. of events	Cross section (pb)	Negative wgts (%)
/Users/elijahsheridan/-			
$MG5\_aMC\_v2\_6\_5/-$			
$axion\_pheno/madgraph\_data/-$	004165	0.127 @ 0.207	0.0
vbf_diphoton_background_data/-	984165	0.135 @ 0.2%	0.0
$\mathrm{merged\_lhe/-}$			
vbf_diphoton_background_ht_200_			

#### $\mathbf{2.5} \quad \mathbf{bg\_vbf\_400\_600}$

 $\bullet$  Samples stored in the directory: /Users/elijahsheridan/MG5\_aMC\_v2\_6\_5/axion\_pheno/optimization .

• Sample consisting of: background events.

• Generated events: 1000000 events.

• Normalization to the luminosity: 986+/-2 events.

 $\bullet$  Ratio (event weight): 0.00099 .

Path to the event file	Nr. of events	Cross section (pb)	Negative wgts (%)
/Users/elijahsheridan/- MG5_aMC_v2_6_5/- axion_pheno/madgraph_data/- vbf_diphoton_background_data/- merged_lhe/- vbf_diphoton_background_ht_400_	1000000	0.0247 @ 0.14%	0.0

### $2.6 \quad \mathrm{bg\_vbf\_600\_800}$

 $\bullet$  Samples stored in the directory: /Users/elijahsheridan/MG5\_aMC\_v2\_6\_5/axion\_pheno/optimization .

• Sample consisting of: background events.

• Generated events: 1000000 events.

• Normalization to the luminosity: 252+/- 1 events.

• Ratio (event weight): 0.00025.

Path to the event file	Nr. of events	Cross section (pb)	Negative wgts (%)
/Users/elijahsheridan/- MG5_aMC_v2_6_5/- axion_pheno/madgraph_data/- vbf_diphoton_background_data/- merged_lhe/- vbf_diphoton_background_ht 600	1000000	0.0063 @ 0.13%	0.0

# $2.7 \quad \mathrm{bg\_vbf\_800\_1200}$

 $\bullet$  Samples stored in the directory: /Users/elijahsheridan/MG5\_aMC\_v2\_6\_5/axion\_pheno/optimization .

• Sample consisting of: background events.

 $\bullet$  Generated events: 400839 events.

• Normalization to the luminosity: 114+/- 1 events.

 $\bullet$  Ratio (event weight): 0.00028.

Path to the event file	Nr. of events	Cross section (pb)	Negative wgts (%)
/Users/elijahsheridan/-			
$MG5\_aMC\_v2\_6\_5/-$			
$axion\_pheno/madgraph\_data/-$	400020	0.00287 @ 0.16%	0.0
vbf_diphoton_background_data/-	400839	0.00207 @ 0.10%	0.0
merged_lhe/-			
vbf_diphoton_background_ht_800_			

#### $2.8 \quad \ \, bg\_vbf\_1200\_1600$

 $\bullet$  Samples stored in the directory: /Users/elijahsheridan/MG5\_aMC\_v2\_6\_5/axion\_pheno/optimization .

• Sample consisting of: background events.

• Generated events: 953803 events.

• Normalization to the luminosity: 20+/- 1 events.

• Ratio (event weight): 2.1e-05 .

Path to the event file	Nr. of events	Cross section (pb)	Negative wgts (%)
/Users/elijahsheridan/- MG5_aMC_v2_6_5/- axion_pheno/madgraph_data/- vbf_diphoton_background_data/- merged_lhe/- vbf_diphoton_background_ht_1200	953803	0.000515 @ 0.16%	0.0

#### 2.9 bg vbf 1600 inf

 $\bullet$  Samples stored in the directory: /Users/elijahsheridan/MG5\_aMC\_v2\_6\_5/axion\_pheno/optimization .

• Sample consisting of: background events.

 $\bullet$  Generated events: 270148  $\,$  events.

• Normalization to the luminosity: 7+/-1 events.

• Ratio (event weight): 2.6e-05 .

Path to the event file	Nr. of events	Cross section (pb)	Negative wgts (%)
/Users/elijahsheridan/- MG5_aMC_v2_6_5/- axion_pheno/madgraph_data/- vbf_diphoton_background_data/- merged_lhe/- vbf_diphoton_background_ht 1600	270148	0.000191 @ 0.11%	0.0

#### $2.10 \quad \text{bg dip } 0 \quad 100$

 $\bullet$  Samples stored in the directory: /Users/elijahsheridan/MG5\_aMC\_v2\_6\_5/axion\_pheno/optimization .

• Sample consisting of: background events.

• Generated events: 1040000 events.

 $\bullet$  Normalization to the luminosity: 2710847+/- 4614 events.

 $\bullet$  Ratio (event weight): 2.6 - warning: please generate more events (weight larger than 1)!

Path to the event file	Nr. of events	Cross section (pb)	Negative wgts (%)
/Users/elijahsheridan/- MG5_aMC_v2_6_5/- axion_pheno/madgraph_data/-	1040000	67.8 @ 0.17%	0.0
diphoton_double_isr_background_d merged_lhe/- diphoton_double_isr_background_h	1040000	01.0 & 0.11/0	0.0

#### 2.11 bg dip 100 200

- $\bullet$  Samples stored in the directory: /Users/elijahsheridan/MG5\_aMC\_v2\_6\_5/axion\_pheno/optimization .
- Sample consisting of: background events.
- Generated events: 1040000 events.
- Normalization to the luminosity: 1095362+/- 1528 events.
- Ratio (event weight): 1.1 warning: please generate more events (weight larger than 1)!

Path to the event file	Nr. of events	Cross section (pb)	Negative wgts (%)
/Users/elijahsheridan/- MG5_aMC_v2_6_5/- axion_pheno/madgraph_data/- diphoton_double_isr_background_d merged_lhe/- diphoton_double_isr_background_l	1040000	27.4 @ 0.14%	0.0

### $2.12 \quad \ \, \text{bg\_dip\_200\_400}$

- $\bullet$  Samples stored in the directory: /Users/elijahsheridan/MG5\_aMC\_v2\_6\_5/axion\_pheno/optimization .
- Sample consisting of: background events.
- Generated events: 1040000 events.
- Normalization to the luminosity: 239548+/- 414 events.
- Ratio (event weight): 0.23 .

Path to the event file	Nr. of events	Cross section (pb)	Negative wgts (%)
/Users/elijahsheridan/-			
$MG5\_aMC\_v2\_6\_5/-$			
$axion\_pheno/madgraph\_data/-$	1040000	5.99 @ 0.17%	0.0
diphoton_double_isr_background_d	1040000	5.99 @ 0.1770	0.0
merged_lhe/-			
diphoton_double_isr_background_l			

#### $2.13 \quad bg_dip_400_600$

 $\bullet$  Samples stored in the directory: /Users/elijahsheridan/MG5\_aMC\_v2\_6\_5/axion\_pheno/optimization .

• Sample consisting of: background events.

• Generated events: 1040000 events.

• Normalization to the luminosity: 28798+/- 53 events.

• Ratio (event weight): 0.028 .

Path to the event file	Nr. of events	Cross section (pb)	Negative wgts (%)
/Users/elijahsheridan/-			
$MG5\_aMC\_v2\_6\_5/-$			
$axion\_pheno/madgraph\_data/-$	1040000	0.72 @ 0.18%	0.0
diphoton_double_isr_background_o	1040000	0.72 @ 0.1670	0.0
$merged_lhe/-$			
diphoton_double_isr_background_l			

#### $2.14 ext{ bg\_dip\_}600\_800$

 $\bullet$  Samples stored in the directory: /Users/elijahsheridan/MG5\_aMC\_v2\_6\_5/axion\_pheno/optimization .

• Sample consisting of: background events.

 $\bullet$  Generated events: 662009 events.

• Normalization to the luminosity: 6674+/- 28 events.

• Ratio (event weight): 0.01 .

Path to the event file	Nr. of events	Cross section (pb)	Negative wgts (%)
/Users/elijahsheridan/- MG5_aMC_v2_6_5/- axion_pheno/madgraph_data/-	662009	0.167 @ 0.41%	0.0
diphoton_double_isr_background_d merged_lhe/- diphoton_double_isr_background_h	002000	0.107 @ 0.4170	0.0

#### 2.15 bg dip 800 1200

 $\bullet$  Samples stored in the directory: /Users/elijahsheridan/MG5\_aMC\_v2\_6\_5/axion\_pheno/optimization .

• Sample consisting of: background events.

• Generated events: 1040000 events.

 $\bullet$  Normalization to the luminosity: 2942+/- 6 events.

Path to the event file	Nr. of events	Cross section (pb)	Negative wgts (%)
/Users/elijahsheridan/- MG5_aMC_v2_6_5/- axion_pheno/madgraph_data/- diphoton_double_isr_background_d merged_lhe/- diphoton_double_isr_background_h	1040000	0.0736 @ 0.17%	0.0

#### 2.16 bg dip 1200 1600

 $\bullet$  Samples stored in the directory: /Users/elijahsheridan/MG5\_aMC\_v2\_6\_5/axion\_pheno/optimization .

• Sample consisting of: background events.

• Generated events: 337115 events.

• Normalization to the luminosity: 513+/-3 events.

Path to the event file	Nr. of events	Cross section (pb)	Negative wgts (%)
/Users/elijahsheridan/-			
$MG5\_aMC\_v2\_6\_5/-$			
$axion\_pheno/madgraph\_data/-$	337115	0.0128 @ 0.51%	0.0
diphoton_double_isr_background_o	337113	0.0126 @ 0.5176	0.0
$\mathrm{merged\_lhe/-}$			
diphoton_double_isr_background_l			

#### $2.17 \quad \ \, \text{bg\_dip\_1600\_inf}$

 $\bullet$  Samples stored in the directory: /Users/elijahsheridan/MG5\_aMC\_v2\_6\_5/axion\_pheno/optimization .

• Sample consisting of: background events.

• Generated events: 1040000 events.

• Normalization to the luminosity: 187+/- 1 events.

 $\bullet$  Ratio (event weight): 0.00018  $\,$  .

Path to the event file	Nr. of events	Cross section (pb)	Negative wgts (%)
/Users/elijahsheridan/-			
$MG5\_aMC\_v2\_6\_5/-$			
$axion\_pheno/madgraph\_data/-$	1040000	0.00469 @ 0.15%	0.0
diphoton_double_isr_background_c	1040000	0.00409 @ 0.15%	0.0
merged_lhe/-			
diphoton_double_isr_background_h			

# 3 Histos and cuts

## 3.1 Cut 1

\* Cut: select ( sdETA ( jets[1] jets[2] ) > 3.6 or sdETA ( jets[1] jets[2] ) < -3.6 ) and M ( jets[1] jets[2] ) > 1250.0

Dataset	Events kept: K	Rejected events: R	Efficiency: K / (K + R)	Cumul. efficiency: K / Initial
signal	814.6 +/- 25.5	3279.5 + /- $25.6$	0.19896 + / - 0.00624	0.19896 + / - 0.00624
bg_vbf_0_10	204.2 +/- 14.2	11946.1 +/- 26.8	0.01681 + / - 0.00117	0.01681 + / - 0.00117
bg_vbf_100_	950.9 +/- 29.3	8744.4 +/- 32.9	0.09808 + / - 0.00302	0.09808 + / - 0.00302
bg_vbf_200_	1147.9 +/- 30.2	4265.4 + /- $31.3$	0.21205 + / - 0.00556	0.21205 + / - 0.00556
bg_vbf_400_	273.7 +/- 14.1	713.1 +/- 14.1	0.2774 + / - 0.0143	0.2774 + / - 0.0143
bg_vbf_600_	47.78 +/- 6.22	204.30 +/- 6.23	0.1895 + / - 0.0247	0.1895 + / - 0.0247
bg_vbf_800_	12.06 + / - 3.29	102.70 + / - 3.29	0.1051 + / - 0.0286	0.1051 + / - 0.0286
bg_vbf_1200	0.678 +/- 0.810	19.92 +/- 0.81	0.0329 + / - 0.0393	0.0329 + / - 0.0393
bg_vbf_1600	0.0483 + / - 0.2191	7.610 +/- 0.219	0.00631 + / - 0.02860	0.00631 + / - 0.02860
bg_dip_0_10	229.4 +/- 15.1	2710617 +/- 4612	8.46e-05 +/- 5.59e-06	$8.46\text{e-}05 +/- 5.59\text{e-} \ 06$
bg_dip_100_	990.1 +/- 31.5	1094372 +/- 1526	9.04e-04 +/- 2.87e-05	9.04e-04 +/- 2.87e- 05
1 1: 200	10410   / 40 5	007007   / 410	0.006854 +/-	0.006854 +/-
bg_dip_200_	1641.8 + / - 40.5	237907 +/- 412	0.000169	0.000169
ha din 400	E02.2 1 / 24.1	202011   / 161	0.020599 +/-	0.020599 +/-
bg_dip_400_	593.2 +/- 24.1	28205.5 + /- $56.5$	0.000837	0.000837
bg_dip_600_	88.41 +/- 9.35	6585.9 +/- 28.8	0.0132 +/- 0.0014	0.0132 + / - 0.0014
bg_dip_800_	22.00 +/- 4.67	2920.34 +/- 6.86	0.00748 + / - 0.00159	0.00748 + / - 0.00159
bg_dip_1200_	1.34 +/- 1.16	512.16 +/- 2.87	0.00261 + / - 0.00225	0.00261 + / - 0.00225
bg_dip_1600	0.0921 + / - 0.3034	187.691 + / - 0.412	0.00049 + / - 0.00162	0.00049 + / - 0.00162

3.2 Cut 2  $* \mbox{ Cut: select PT ( a[1] )} > 450.0 \mbox{ and M ( a[1] a[2] )} > 300.0$ 

Dataset	Events kept: K	Rejected events:	Efficiency: K / (K +	Cumul. efficiency: K
		R	R)	/ Initial
signal	457.9 +/- 20.2	356.6 +/- 18.0	0.5622 +/- 0.0174	0.11185 +/- 0.00493
bg_vbf_0_10	0.0 + / - 0.0	204.2 + /- $14.2$	0.0 +/- 0.0	0.0 +/- 0.0
bg_vbf_100_	0.0904 +/- 0.3007	950.8 +/- 29.3	9.51e-05 $+/$ - $3.16$ e-04	9.33e-06 +/- 3.10e- 05
bg_vbf_200_	0.677 +/- 0.822	1147.2 +/- 30.2	0.000589 +/- 0.000716	$0.000125 + /- \\ 0.000152$
bg vbf 400	2.62 + / - 1.62	271.1 +/- 14.0	0.00958 + / - 0.00589	0.00266 +/- 0.00164
bg_vbf_600_	2.02 + / - 1.42	45.76 +/- 6.12	0.0422 +/- 0.0291	0.00801 +/- 0.00561
bg vbf 800	0.991 +/- 0.991	11.07 +/- 3.16	0.0822 + / - 0.0791	0.00863 +/- 0.00864
bg_vbf_1200	0.0843 +/- 0.2897	0.594 + / - 0.759	0.124 +/- 0.401	0.00409 +/- 0.01407
bg_vbf_1600	0.00848 +/-	0.0398 +/- 0.1990	0.176 +/- 1.732	0.00111 +/- 0.01202
bg_dip_0_10	0.0 +/- 0.0	229.4 +/- 15.1	0.0 +/- 0.0	0.0 +/- 0.0
bg_dip_100_	0.0 +/- 0.0	990.1 +/- 31.5	0.0 +/- 0.0	0.0 +/- 0.0
bg_dip_200_	1.38 +/- 1.18	1640.4 +/- 40.5	0.000841 +/- 0.000716	5.77e-06 +/- 4.91e- 06
bg_dip_400_	7.50 +/- 2.74	585.7 +/- 24.0	0.01265 +/- 0.00459	2.61e-04 +/- 9.51e- 05
bg_dip_600_	4.28 + / - 2.07	84.13 +/- 9.12	0.0485 + / - 0.0228	0.00064 + / - 0.00031
bg_dip_800_	2.0 +/- 1.4	20.04 +/- 4.46	0.0891 +/- 0.0608	0.000666 +/- 0.000476
bg_dip_1200	0.143 +/- 0.378	1.20 +/- 1.09	0.107 +/- 0.267	0.000279 +/- 0.000737
bg_dip_1600_	0.0139 +/- 0.1179	0.0782 + / - 0.2795	0.151 +/- 1.180	7.40e-05 +/- 6.28e- 04

# 4 Summary

## 4.1 Cut-flow charts

- $\bullet$  How to compare signal (S) and background (B): S/sqrt(S+B) .
- $\bullet$  Object definition selections are indicated in cyan.
- Reject and select are indicated by 'REJ' and 'SEL' respectively

Cuts	Signal (S)	Background (B)	S vs B
Initial (no cut)	4094.08 + / - 1.13	4113516 + / - 4877	2.01760 + / - 0.00132
SEL: ( sdETA ( jets[1]			
jets[2] ) > 3.6 or sdETA	814.6 + /- $25.5$	6203.5 + / -76.0	9.723 + / - 0.292
(			
SEL: PT ( a[1] ) >			
450.0 and M (a[1] a[2]	457.9 + /- $20.2$	21.78 + / - 4.66	20.908 + / - 0.492
) > 300			