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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>set main.SBratio = 'S/sqrt(S+B)'
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
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ma5>set bg_vbf_600_800.type = background
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># line styles and colors
ma5>set signal.linecolor = red
ma5>set signal.linestyle = dashed
ma5>set signal.linewidth = 3
ma5>set bg_vbf_0_100.linecolor = blue-4
ma5>set bg_vbf_0_100.linestyle = dash-dotted
ma5>set bg_vbf_0_100.linewidth = 4
ma5>set bg_vbf_100_200.linecolor = blue-3
ma5>set bg_vbf_100_200.linestyle = dash-dotted
ma5>set bg_vbf_100_200.linewidth = 4
ma5>set bg_vbf_200_400.linecolor = blue-2
ma5>set bg_vbf_200_400.linestyle = dash-dotted
ma5>set bg_vbf_200_400.linewidth = 4
ma5>set bg_vbf_400_600.linecolor = blue-1
ma5>set bg_vbf_400_600.linestyle = dash-dotted
ma5>set bg_vbf_400_600.linewidth = 4
ma5>set bg_vbf_600_800.linecolor = blue
ma5>set bg_vbf_600_800.linestyle = dash-dotted
ma5>set bg_vbf_600_800.linewidth = 4
ma5>set bg_vbf_800_1200.linecolor = blue+1
ma5>set bg_vbf_800_1200.linestyle = dash-dotted
ma5>set bg_vbf_800_1200.linewidth = 4
ma5>set bg_vbf_1200_1600.linecolor = blue+2
ma5>set bg_vbf_1200_1600.linestyle = dash-dotted
ma5>set bg_vbf_1200_1600.linewidth = 4
ma5>set bg_vbf_1600_inf.linecolor = blue+3
ma5>set bg_vbf_1600_inf.linestyle = dash-dotted
ma5>set bg_vbf_1600_inf.linewidth = 4
ma5>set bg_dip_0_100.linecolor = green-4
ma5>set bg_dip_0_100.linestyle = dash-dotted
ma5>set bg_dip_0_100.linewidth = 4
ma5>set bg_dip_100_200.linecolor = green-3
ma5>set bg_dip_100_200.linestyle = dash-dotted
ma5>set bg_dip_100_200.linewidth = 4
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ma5>set bg_dip_200_400.linecolor = green-2
ma5>set bg_dip_200_400.linestyle = dash-dotted
ma5>set bg_dip_200_400.linewidth = 4
ma5>set bg_dip_400_600.linecolor = green-1
ma5>set bg_dip_400_600.linestyle = dash-dotted
ma5>set bg_dip_400_600.linewidth = 4
ma5>set bg_dip_600_800.linecolor = green
ma5>set bg_dip_600_800.linestyle = dash-dotted
ma5>set bg_dip_600_800.linewidth = 4
ma5>set bg_dip_800_1200.linecolor = green+1
ma5>set bg_dip_800_1200.linestyle = dash-dotted
ma5>set bg_dip_800_1200.linewidth = 4
ma5>set bg_dip_1200_1600.linecolor = green+2
ma5>set bg_dip_1200_1600.linestyle = dash-dotted
ma5>set bg_dip_1200_1600.linewidth = 4
ma5>set bg_dip_1600_inf.linecolor = green+3
ma5>set bg_dip_1600_inf.linestyle = dash-dotted
ma5>set bg_dip_1600_inf.linewidth = 4
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># apply selections
ma5>select PT(a[1]) > 250 and M(a[1] a[2]) > 400
ma5>select (sdETA(jets[1] jets[2]) > 3.1 or sdETA(jets[1] jets[2]) < -3.1) and M(jets[1]
jets[2]) > 2000
ma5>submit second_analysis_sdEta3.1_mjj2000
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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/-			
vbf_diphoton_background_data/-	965662	0.242 @ 0.17%	0.0
$\mathrm{merged\_lhe/-}$			
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.
- Ratio (event weight): 0.0055.

Path to the event file	Nr. of events	Cross section (pb)	Negative wgts (%)
/Users/elijahsheridan/-			
$MG5\_aMC\_v2\_6\_5/-$			
$axion\_pheno/madgraph\_data/-$	984165	0.135 @ 0.2%	0.0
vbf_diphoton_background_data/-	304100	0.150 @ 0.270	0.0
$merged_lhe/-$			
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

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

- $\bullet$  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.

• 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/-	1040000	27.4 @ 0.14%	0.0
diphoton_double_isr_background_o merged_lhe/-	,		
diphoton_double_isr_background_l			

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

- $\bullet$  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	0.99 @ 0.17/0	0.0
$\mathrm{merged\_lhe/-}$			
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 @ 0.18%	0.0
$\mathrm{merged\_lhe/-}$			
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/-			
diphoton double isr background of	662009	0.167 @ 0.41%	0.0
merged_lhe/-			
diphoton_double_isr_background_l			

#### 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.

 $\bullet$  Ratio (event weight): 0.0028 % =0.0028 .

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	0.0736 @ 0.17%	0.0
diphoton_double_isr_background_o	1010000	0.0100 @ 0.1170	0.0
merged_lhe/-			
diphoton_double_isr_background_l			

# $2.16 \quad \ \, \text{bg\_dip\_1200\_1600}$

 $\bullet$  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.

• Ratio (event weight): 0.0015.

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.

• 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_d	1040000	0.00409 @ 0.15/0	0.0
$\mathrm{merged\_lhe/-}$			
diphoton double isr background h			

# 3 Histos and cuts

# 3.1 Cut 1

\* Cut: select PT ( a[1] ) > 250.0 and M ( a[1] a[2] ) > 400.0

Dataset	Events kept: K	Rejected events:	Efficiency: K / (K + R)	Cumul. efficiency: K / Initial
signal	2954.1 +/- 28.7	1140.0 +/- 28.7	0.72154 + / - 0.00701	0.72154 +/ -0.00701
bg_vbf_0_10	1.62 +/- 1.27	12148.7 +/- 23.1	0.000133 +/- 0.000105	0.000133 +/- 0.000105
bg_vbf_100_	9.26 +/- 3.04	9686.1 +/- 16.9	0.000955 +/- 0.000314	0.000955 +/- 0.000314
bg_vbf_200_	31.85 + / - 5.63	5381.4 +/- 12.2	0.00588 + / - 0.00104	0.00588 + / - 0.00104
bg_vbf_400_	20.7 + / - 4.5	966.19 +/- 4.69	0.02094 + / - 0.00456	0.02094 + / - 0.00456
bg_vbf_600_	8.98 +/- 2.94	243.10 + /- $2.96$	0.0356 + / - 0.0117	0.0356 + / - 0.0117
bg_vbf_800_	5.42 +/- 2.27	109.34 +/- 2.28	0.0472 + / - 0.0198	0.0472 + / - 0.0198
bg_vbf_1200_	1.15 +/- 1.04	19.44 +/- 1.04	0.0560 + / - 0.0507	0.0560 + / - 0.0507
bg_vbf_1600_	0.446 + / - 0.648	7.212 + / - 0.648	0.0583 + / - 0.0846	0.0583 + / - 0.0846
bg_dip_0_10	143.4 +/- 12.0	2710703 +/- 4613	= 5.29 e - 05 + / - 4.42 e - 06	$oxed{5.29\text{e-}05} +/\text{-} 4.42\text{e-} \ 06$
bg_dip_100_	621.5 +/- 24.9	1094741 +/- 1526	5.67e-04 +/- 2.28e-05	5.67e-04 +/- 2.28e- 05
bg_dip_200_	1110.1 +/- 33.3	238438 +/- 413	0.004634 +/- 0.000139	0.004634 +/- 0.000139
bg_dip_400_	465.3 +/- 21.4	28333.4 +/- 55.6	$0.016158 + /- \\ 0.000743$	$0.016158 +/- \\ 0.000743$
bg_dip_600_	162.7 +/- 12.6	6511.7 +/- 29.7	0.02437 +/- 0.00189	0.02437 + / - 0.00189
bg_dip_800_	90.22 + / - 9.35	2852.1 +/- 10.6	0.03066 + / - 0.00318	0.03066 + / - 0.00318
bg_dip_1200_	18.47 +/- 4.22	495.04 + / - 4.92	0.03596 + / - 0.00822	0.03596 + / - 0.00822
bg_dip_1600_	7.70 +/- 2.72	180.09 + / - 2.73	0.0410 + / - 0.0145	0.0410 + / - 0.0145

3.2 Cut 2  $\label{eq:cut:2} \mbox{$^*$ Cut: select ( sdETA ( jets[1] jets[2] ) $> 3.1 or sdETA ( jets[1] jets[2] ) $< -3.1 ) and M ( jets[1] jets[2] ) $> 2000.0 }$ 

Dataset	Events kept: K	Rejected events:	Efficiency: K / $(K +$	Cumul. efficiency: K
Dataset	Evenes kept. K	R	R)	/ Initial
signal	379.9 + / - 18.6	2574.2 + / -30.9	0.12860 + / - 0.00616	0.09279 + / - 0.00453
bg_vbf_0_10	0.0 + / - 0.0	1.62 + / - 1.27	0.0 +/- 0.0	0.0 +/- 0.0
bg vbf 100	0.381 +/- 0.618	8.88 +/- 2.98	0.0412 + / - 0.0653	3.93e-05 +/- 6.37e-
			1, 3,3,3,3	05
bg vbf 200	3.51 + / - 1.87	28.34 + / - 5.31	0.1102 + / - 0.0555	0.000648 +/-
	0.01 +/ 1.01	20.01   / 0.01	,	0.000346
bg_vbf_400_	3.94 + / - 1.98	16.73 + / - 4.06	0.1905 +/- 0.0864	0.00399 +/- 0.00201
bg_vbf_600_	2.23 + / - 1.49	6.74 + / - 2.56	0.249 +/- 0.144	0.0089 + / - 0.0059
bg_vbf_800_	1.5 + /- $1.2$	3.97 + / - 1.96	0.27 + / - 0.19	0.0126 +/- $0.0104$
bg_vbf_1200	0.178 + / - 0.420	0.976 + / - 0.964	0.154 + / - 0.336	0.00863 + / - 0.02038
bg_vbf_1600	0.0237 + / - 0.1538	0.422 + / - 0.632	0.0532 + / - 0.3359	0.0031 +/- 0.0201
bg_dip_0_10	0.0 +/- 0.0	143.4 +/- 12.0	0.0 +/- 0.0	0.0 +/- 0.0
bg_dip_100_	0.0 +/- 0.0	621.5 +/- 24.9	0.0 +/- 0.0	0.0 +/- 0.0
1 1: 000	1.01 + / 1.05	1100 4 + / 00 0	0.00145 + / 0.00114	6.74e-06 +/- 5.30e-
bg_dip_200_	1.61 + / - 1.27	1108.4 +/- 33.3	$\mid 0.00145 + / \text{-} \ 0.00114$	06
ha din 100	271 + / 165	469 6 + / 91 4	0.00592 + / 0.00252	9.42e-05 +/- 5.72e-
bg_dip_400_	2.71 + / - 1.65	462.6 + / - 21.4	0.00583 + / - 0.00353	05
ha dia 600	9.20 + / 1.50	160 4 + / 19 5	0.01495 + / 0.00090	0.000347 +/-
bg_dip_600_	2.32 +/- 1.52	160.4 +/- 12.5	0.01425 + / - 0.00929	0.000228
by din 800	2.44 + / - 1.56	87.79 +/- 9.23	0.0270 +/- 0.0171	0.000829 +/-
bg_dip_600_	2.44 +/- 1.50	01.19 +/- 9.29	0.0270 +/- 0.0171	0.000531
bg dip 1200	0.323 +/- 0.568	18.14 +/- 4.18	0.0175 +/- 0.0305	0.000629 +/-
bg_uip_1200_	0.525 +/- 0.506	10.14 +/- 4.10	0.0179 +/- 0.0303	0.001106
hm din 1600	0.0401 + / 0.2002	7.66 + / 9.71	0.00591 + / 0.09509	0.000213 +/-
ng_arb_1000	0.0401 +/- 0.2002	7.66 + /- $2.71$	$\mid 0.00521 + / \text{-} \ 0.02593$	0.001066

# 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: PT ( a[1] ) > 250.0 and M ( a[1] a[2] ) > 400	2954.1 +/- 28.7	2698.7 +/- 51.8	39.291 +/- 0.334
SEL: ( sdETA ( jets[1] jets[2] ) $> 3.1$ or sdETA (	379.9 +/- 18.6	21.16 +/- 4.59	19.0 +/- 0.5