

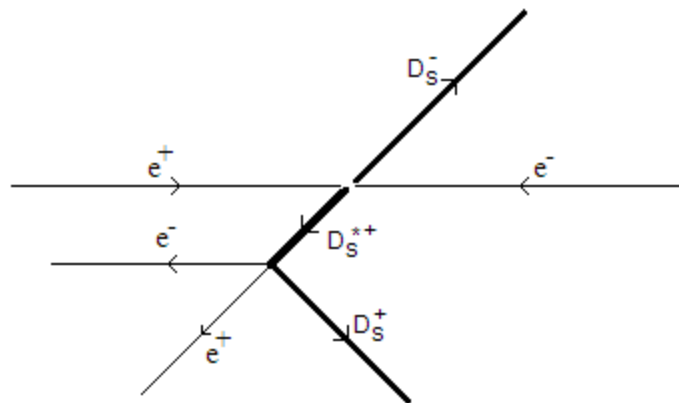
$$D_S^{*+} \rightarrow D_S^+ e^+ e^-$$

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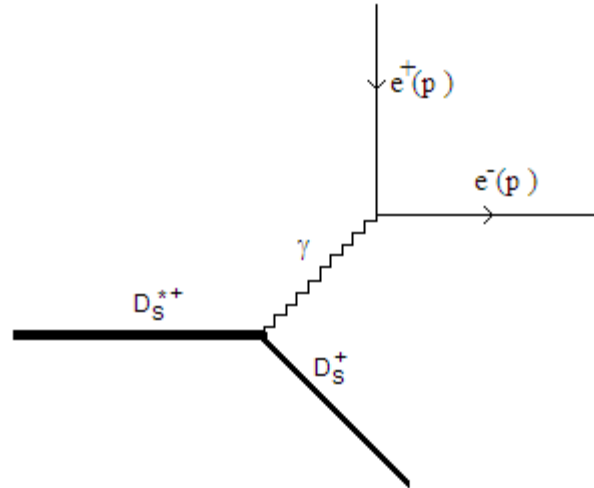
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What Are We Looking For?



- We are looking for $D_S^{*+} \rightarrow D_S^+ e^+ e^-$ (+ c.c.) processes.
- We fully reconstruct the D_S^{*+}
 - The D_S^+ is reconstructed through several decay channels using DTag's default criteria. See [CBX 06-11](#).
 - The e^+e^- share ~ 144 MeV.
 - Events are selected using m_{DS^+} , m_{BC} , δm , and...
 - Criteria on the e^+e^- tracks to reject conversion background $D_S^{*+} \rightarrow D_S^+ \gamma$
- Alternative analysis that reconstructs the D_S^- can give us more statistics.

Predicted $D_S^{*+} \rightarrow D_S^+ e^+ e^-$ Rate



If we write the decay of the D_S^{*+} to a real photon in the form:

$$M = \varepsilon_{D_S^{*+}}^\mu \varepsilon_\gamma^{*\nu} T_{\mu\nu}(P, k)$$

Then we can write the decay to $e^+ e^-$ in the form:

$$M = \varepsilon_{D_S^{*+}}^\mu T_{\mu\nu}(P, k) \left(\frac{-ig^{\nu\sigma}}{k^2} \right) \bar{u}(p) i e \gamma_\sigma v(p')$$

Evaluating the spin-average of the invariant amplitudes and integrating over phase space, we roughly predict the ratio of decay rates:

$$\frac{\Gamma(D_S^{*+} \rightarrow D_S^+ e^+ e^-)}{\Gamma(D_S^{*+} \rightarrow D_S^+ \gamma)} \approx 1.4\alpha = 0.01$$

Tag Modes of D_s^+ Used

We reconstruct the D_s^+ through the following decay modes:

$$D_S^+ \rightarrow K^+ K^- \pi^+$$

$$D_S^+ \rightarrow K_S K^+$$

$$D_S^+ \rightarrow \eta \pi^+; \eta \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$$

$$D_S^+ \rightarrow \eta' \pi^+; \eta' \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \eta; \eta \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$$

$$D_S^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^+ \pi^-$$

$$D_S^+ \rightarrow K^{*+} K^{*0}; K^{*+} \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^+; K^{*0} \rightarrow K^- \pi^+$$

$$D_S^+ \rightarrow \eta \rho^+; \eta \rightarrow \gamma\gamma; \rho^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^0$$

$$D_S^+ \rightarrow \eta' \pi^+; \eta' \rightarrow \rho^0 \gamma$$

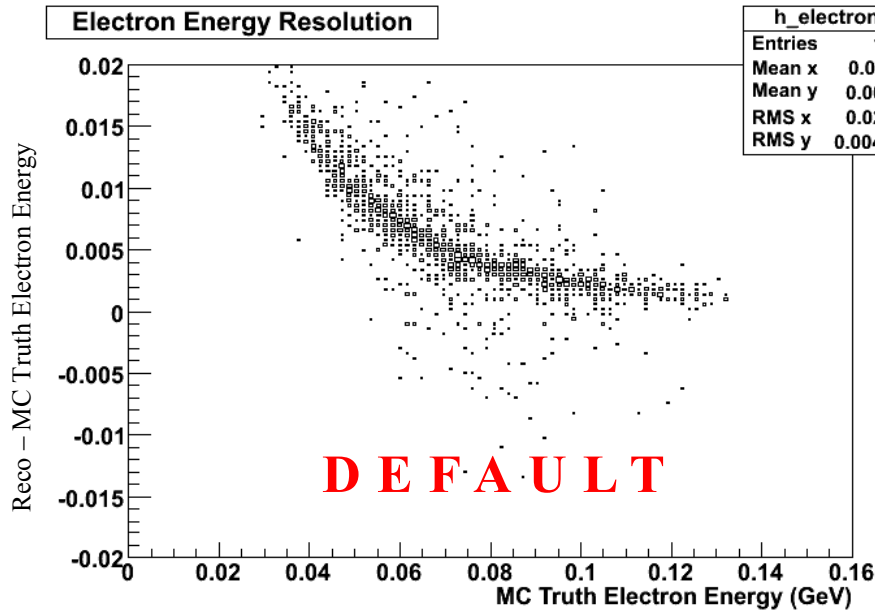
Signal Samples

- For signal Monte Carlo, we force the e^+e^- collision to produce a $\Psi(4160)$, and that to decay into D_s^{*+} , $D_s^{-+} + \text{c.c.}$
- We added an EVTGEN plug-in to generate vector (D_s^{*+}) to scalar (D_s^+), lepton (e^-), lepton (e^+) distributions with the invariant amplitude in consideration, apart from the invariant phase space factor.
- The D_s^+ was forced to decay through each of the previously mentioned channels. The D_s^- was allowed to decay generically.
- We fitted electrons to the electron hypothesis as well as the default pion hypothesis.
- We generated 10,000 signal MC events for each decay mode of the D_s^+ .

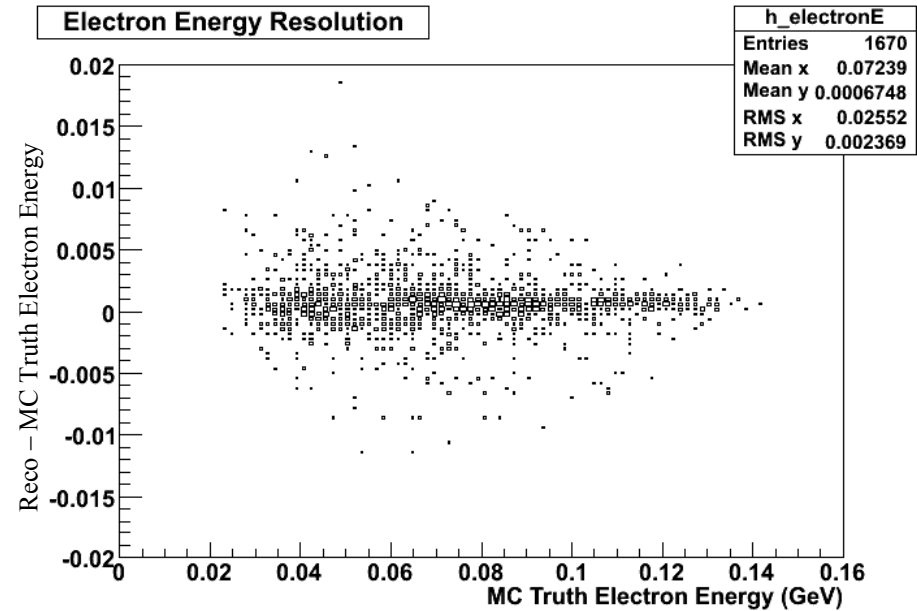
Conversion Background Samples

- A background that resembles the signal is expected from D_s^{*+} decaying to $D_s^+ \gamma$ and the γ converting to e^+e^- in the beam-pipe material.
 - Given that the beam-pipe is $\sim 0.5\%$ of a radiation length, we can estimate this conversion background to occur at roughly the same frequency as the signal.
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- For this conversion background Monte Carlo, we force the e^+e^- collision to produce a $\Psi(4160)$, and then that to decay into the D_s^{*+}, D_s^- . The D_s^{*+} now decays via D_s^+, γ . The conversion of the photon to e^+e^- is taken care of in the detector simulation.
 - We fitted electrons to the electron hypothesis as well as the default pion hypothesis.
 - We generated 100,000 events for each decay mode of the D_s^+ .

Tracking Soft Electrons



Pion fit



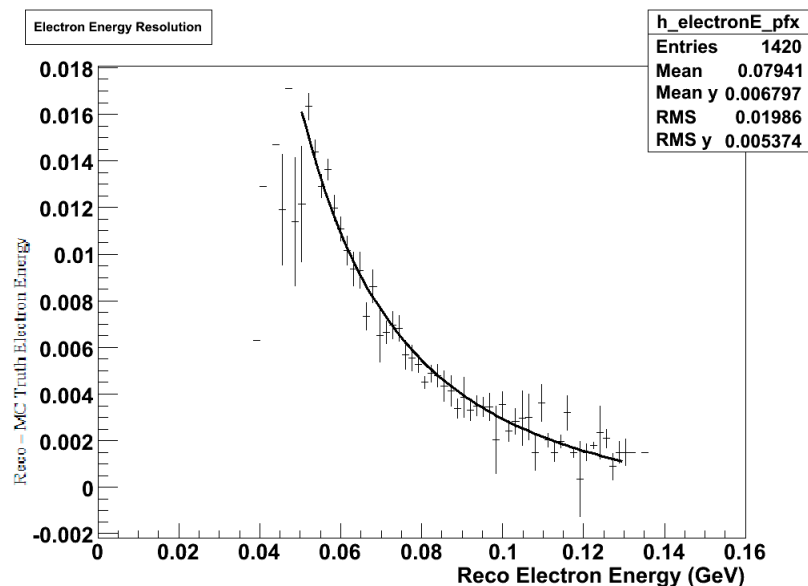
Electron fit

We expect soft electron tracks with $p_T < 70$ MeV. Fitting electrons to the pion hypothesis is not reliable in this domain. Fitting to the electron hypothesis gives better energy resolution.

Signal and conversion background samples we generate have electrons fitted to both the electron and pion hypotheses.

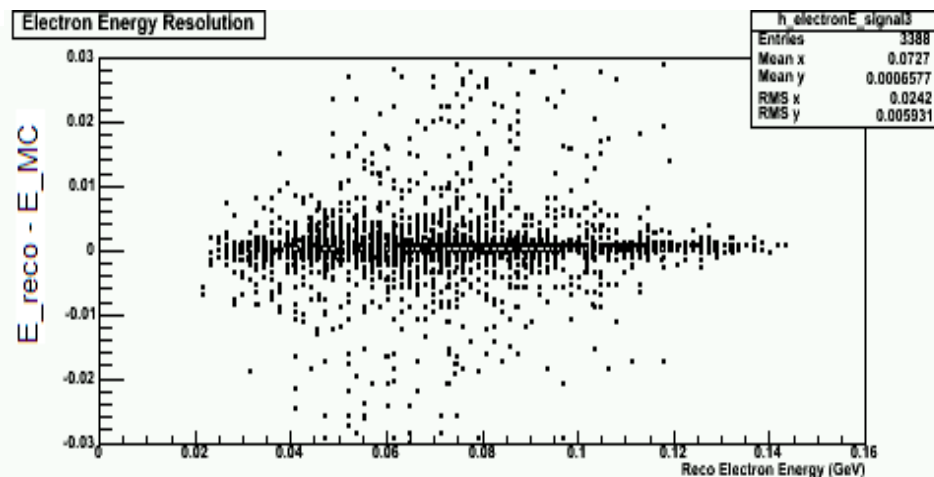
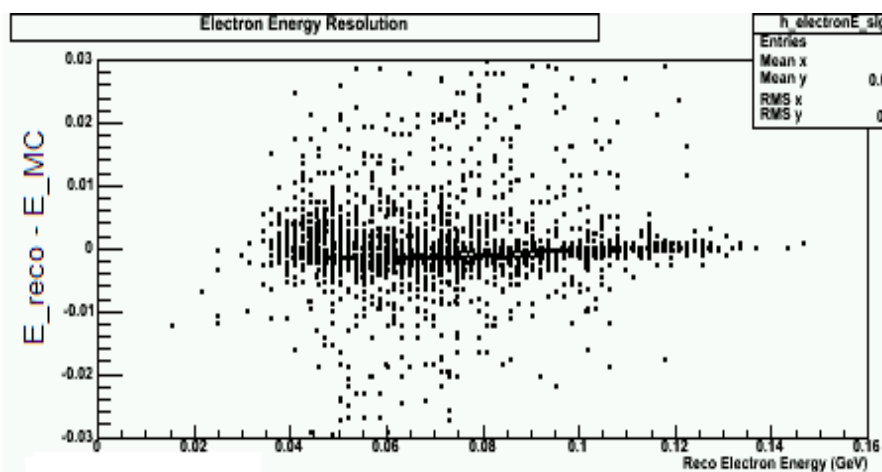
Neither CLEO data nor generic MC have tracks fitted to the electron hypothesis by default.

Parameterizing Energy of Soft Pion Fitted Electrons



We fitted the energy resolution of the soft pion-fitted electrons with:

$$E_{reco} - E_{MC} = -1.636 \times 10^{-3} + \frac{4.518 \times 10^{-5}}{E_{reco}^2}$$



Parameterized energy correction to pion fitted electrons.

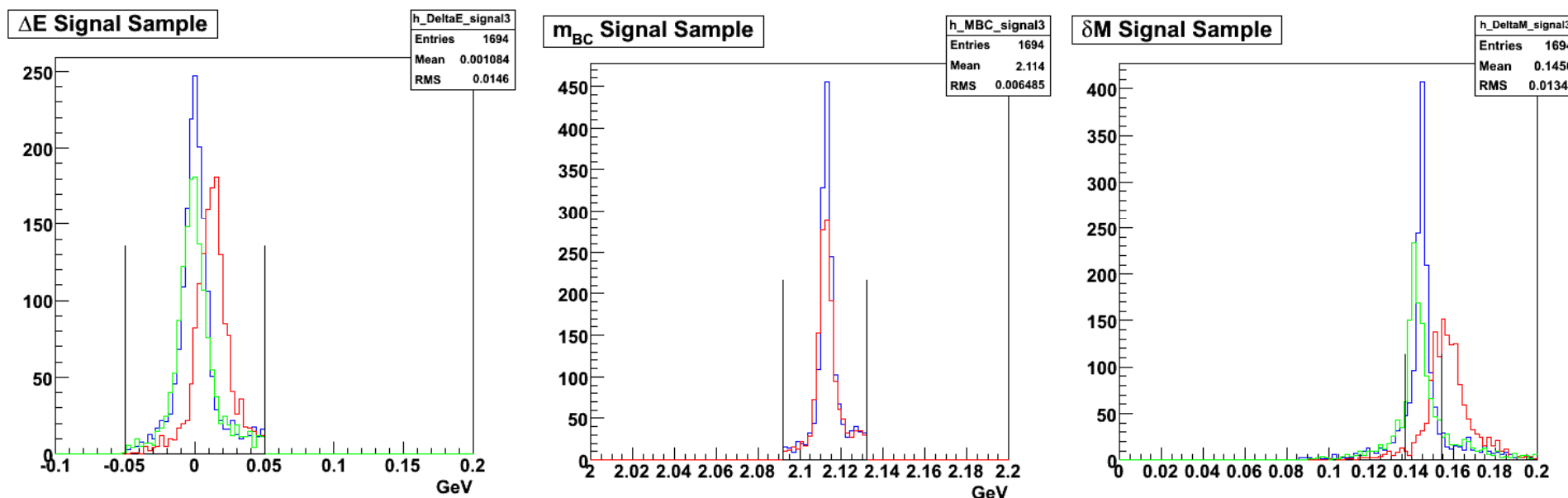
Energy resolution of electron fitted electrons.

Parameterizing Energy of Soft Pion Fitted Electrons

- **Red** are the pion-fitted electron signal sample.
- **Green** are the parameterized pion-fitted electron signal sample.
- **Blue** are the electron-fitted electron signal sample.

Applied cuts:

- $|D_S^+ Mass - 1.96849| < 0.011$ GeV
- $|\Delta E| < 0.05$ GeV
- $|m_{BC} - 2.112| < 0.02$ GeV



- Parameterizing energy shifts peaks of kinematic quantities. Does not substantially change yields.
- Suggests a fundamental tracking inefficiency when using pion hypothesis for low energies.
- We conclude that **we need electron fits**.

Interdependence of Kinematic Variables

We defined our kinematic variables:

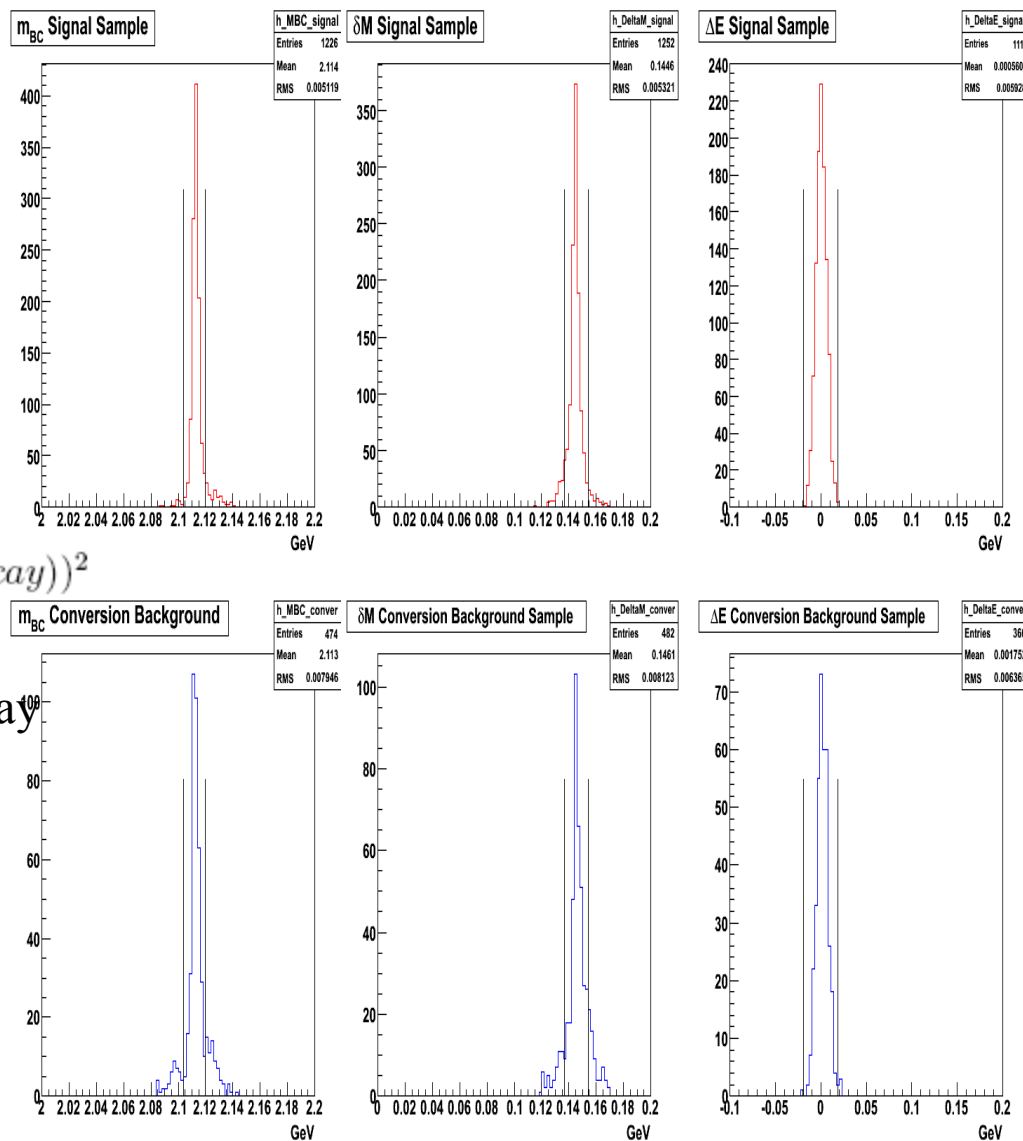
- $\Delta E = E(D_s^* decay) - E(D_s^* beam)$
- $m_{BC} = \sqrt{E(D_s^* beam)^2 - P(D_s^* decay)^2}$
- $\delta m = M(D_s^* decay) - M(D_s decay)$

We can write a relationship between these variables:

$$(\Delta E)^2 + 2E(D_s^* beam)\Delta E + m_{BC}^2 = (\delta m + M(D_s decay))^2$$

So having cut on $M(D_s decay)$ as well, we may cut on only 2 of the 3 kinematic variables.

Plots of one kinematic variable with cuts on the other two suggest ΔE is dispensable.



Datasets

- CLEO-c has 602 pb⁻¹ of data at this energy:

Dataset	Luminosity
Dataset 39	59.1 /pb
Dataset 40	135.7 /pb
Dataset 41	131.1 /pb
Dataset 47	120.3 /pb
Dataset 48	196.1 /pb

- $D_S^{*+}D_S^- + D_S^{*-}D_S^+$ cross section is ~ 1 nb at this energy.
- We have looked at 110 pb⁻¹ of [dataset 47](#) to determine the feasibility of this analysis.

Selection Criteria Common to All D_s^+ Decay Modes

- Electron tracks must pass track quality cuts:
 - $10 \text{ MeV} < \text{Track Momentum} < 2.0 \text{ GeV}$
 - $\chi^2 < 100,000$
 - $|d_0| < 5 \text{ mm}$
 - $|z_0| < 5 \text{ cm}$
- The track's dE/dx is required to be within 3.0σ of that expected for an electron.
- The DTag tools applied their default criteria for the eight investigated modes.
- These cuts, and the reconstruction of a D_s^{*+} were required for filling our n-tuples on which we applied subsequent cuts.

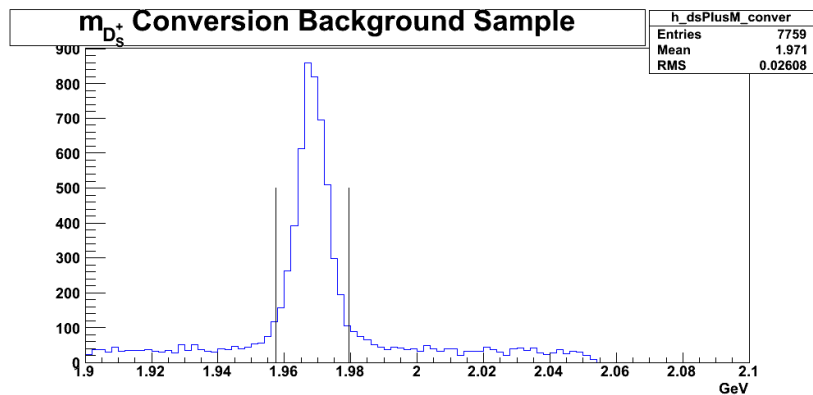
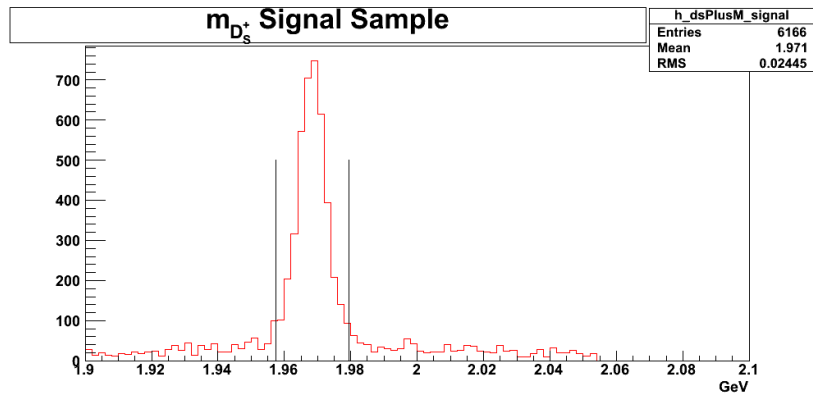
The $K^+K^-\pi^+$ Decay Mode

The following slides illustrate the selection criteria used to distinguish the signal from the conversion background by focusing on the $D_s^+ \rightarrow K^+K^-\pi^+$ channel.

- The top plot in red is the signal.
- The middle plot in blue is the conversion background.
- The bottom plot in green is the data.

The signal and background plots have electron-fitted electrons while the data has pion-fitted electrons. We repeated the study for pion-fitted signal and background samples as well.

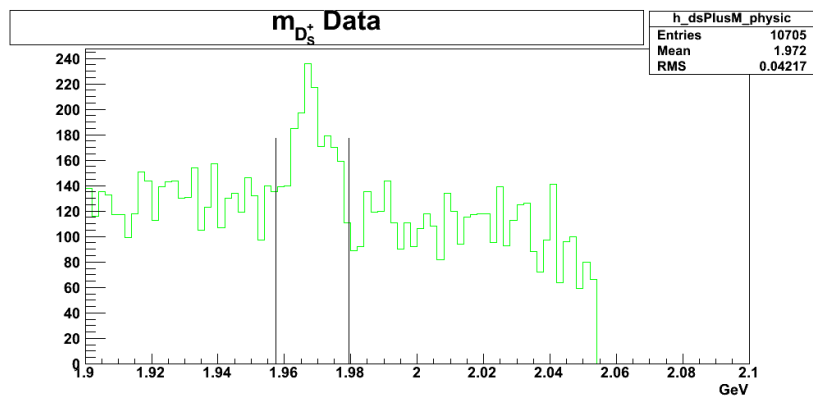
$K^+K^-\pi^+$ Mode $D_S^+ Mass$ Cut



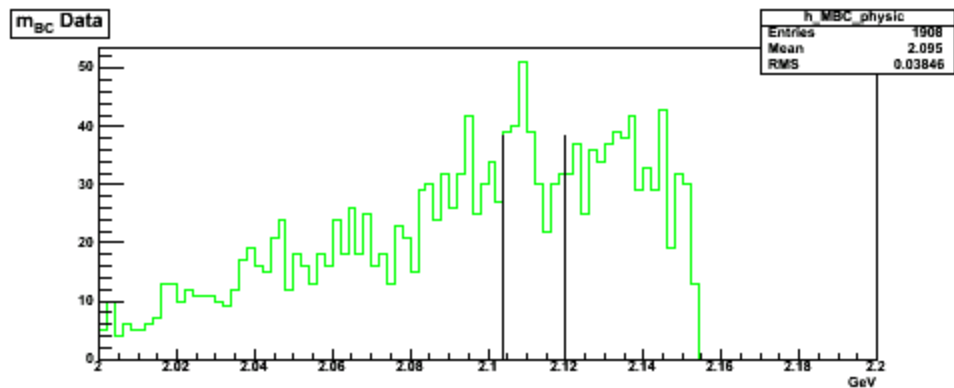
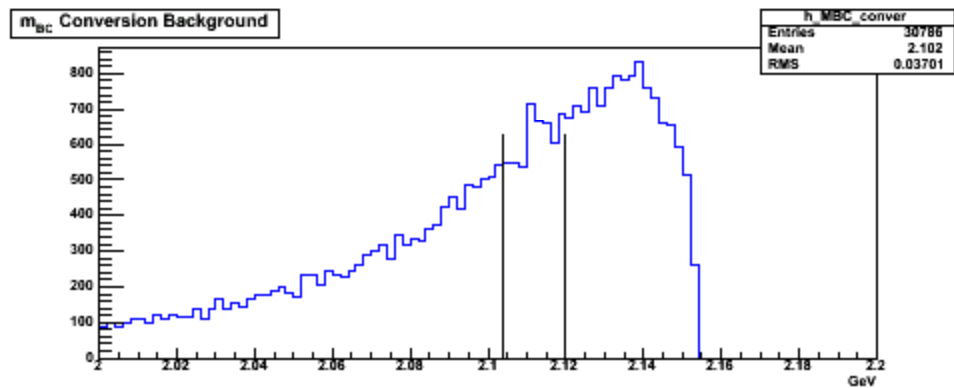
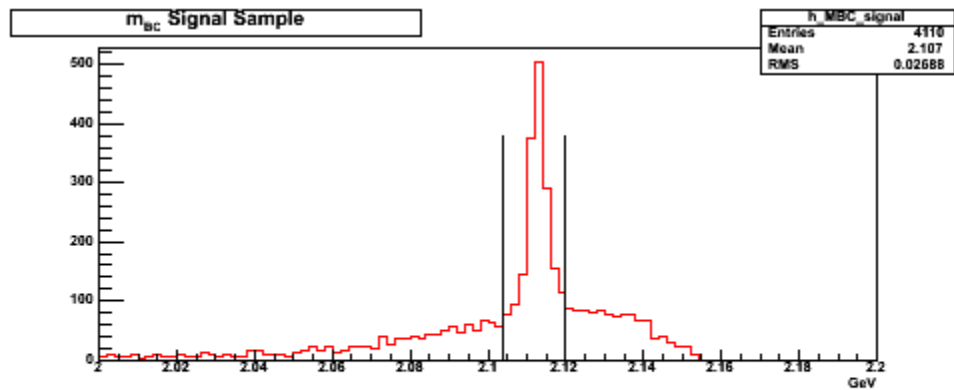
- Reconstructed $D_S^+ Mass$

- We cut on

$$|D_S^+ Mass - 1.969 \text{ GeV}| < 0.011 \text{ GeV}$$



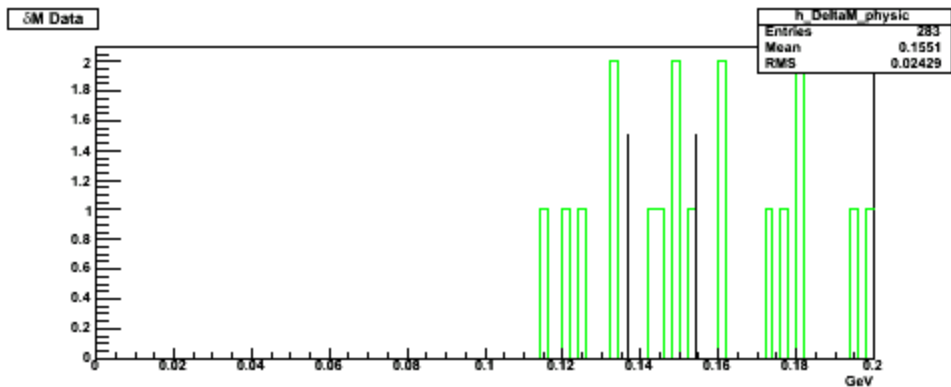
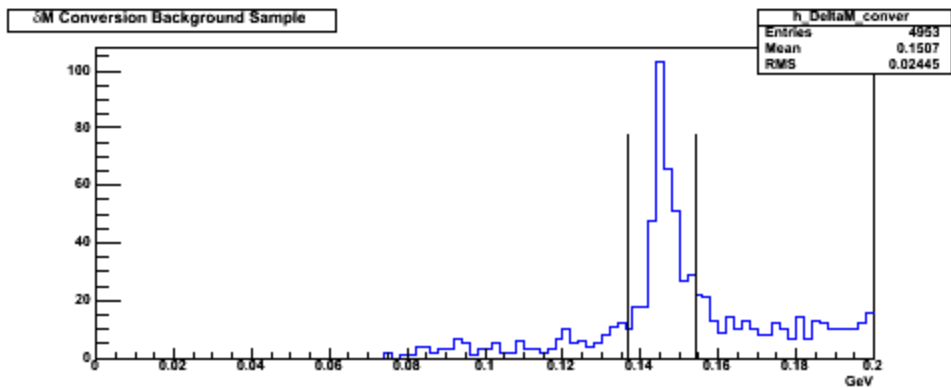
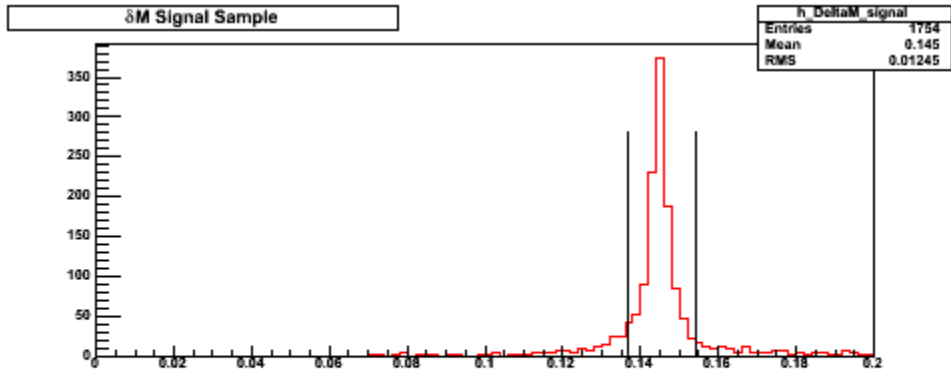
$K^+K^-\pi^+$ Mode m_{BC} Cut



$$m_{BC} = \sqrt{E^2(D_S^{*+} beam) - P^2(K^+K^-\pi^+e^+e^-)}$$

Will cut on $|m_{BC} - 2.112 \text{ GeV}| < 0.008 \text{ GeV}$

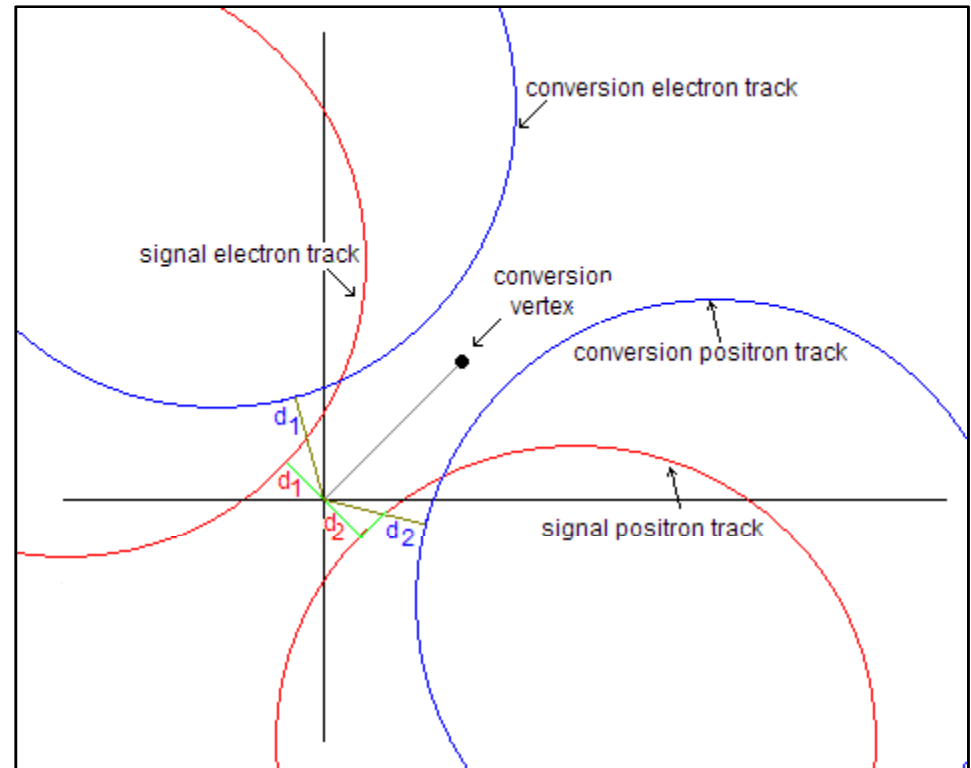
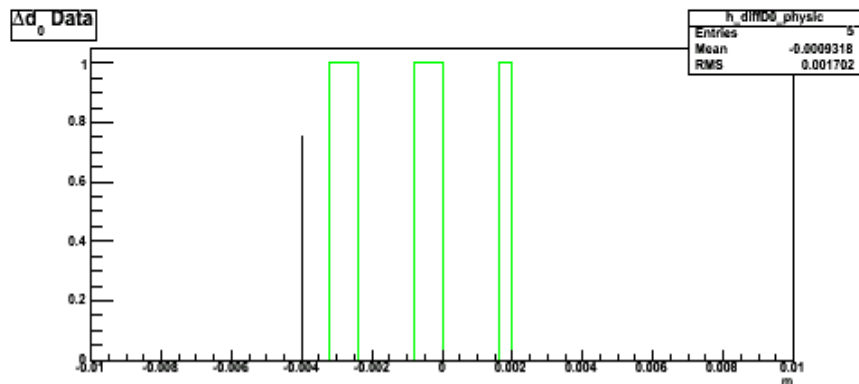
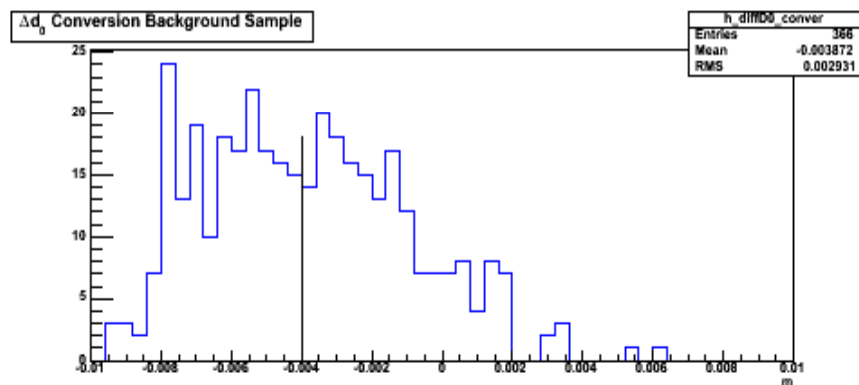
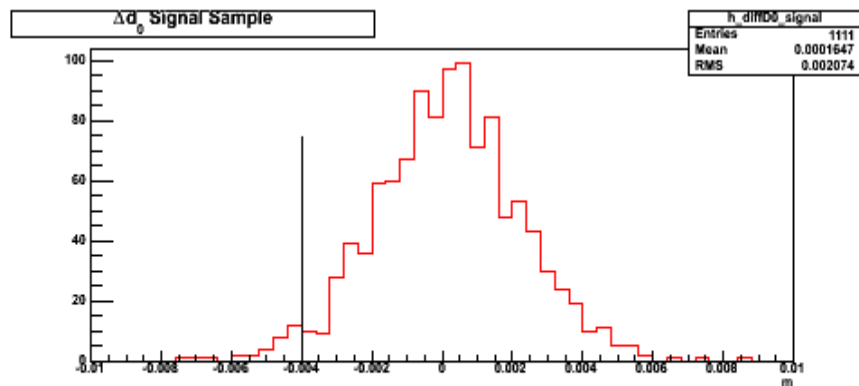
$K^+K^-\pi^+$ Mode δm Cut



$$\delta m = M(K^+K^-\pi^+e^+e^-) - M(K^+K^-\pi^+)$$

We cut on $|\delta m - 0.1455 \text{ GeV}| < 0.0085 \text{ GeV}$

$K^+K^-\pi^+$ Mode Δd_0 Cut

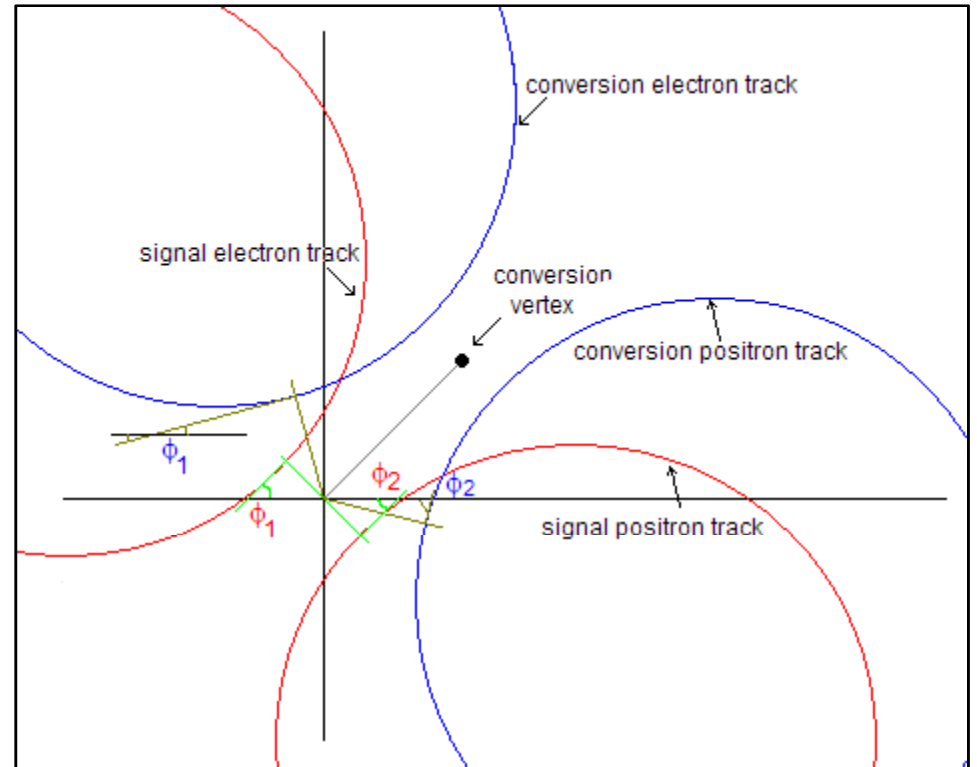
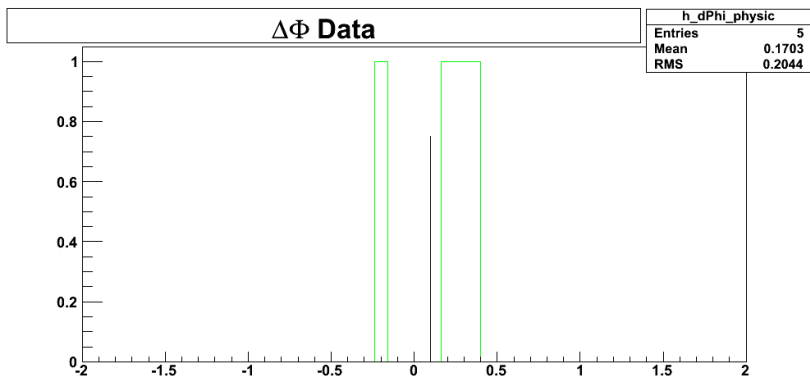
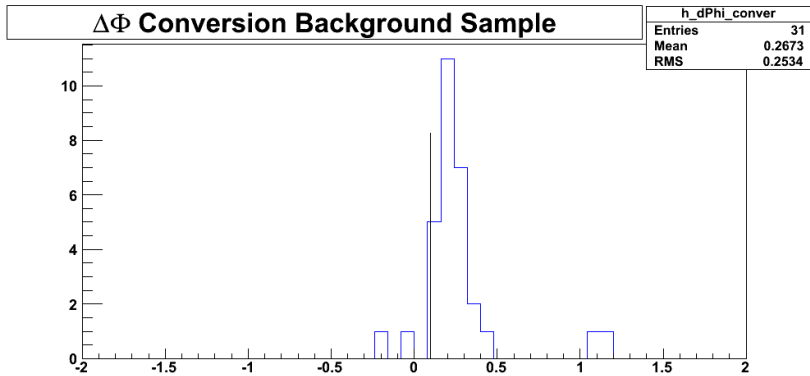
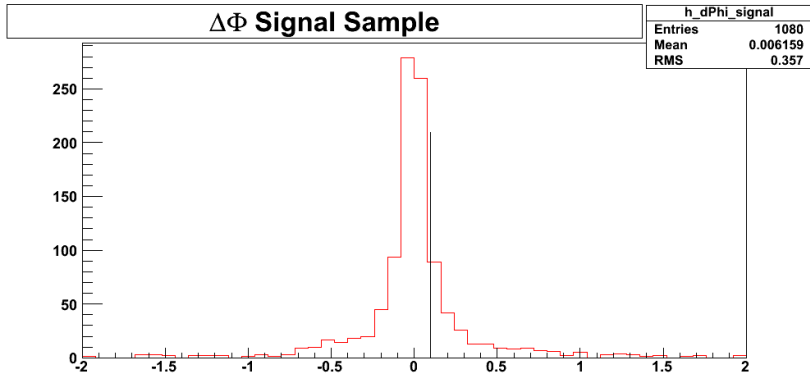


Δd_0 between the electron and positron in the signal (red) and conversion (blue)

- The $\Delta d_0 = d_1 - d_2$ is centered around 0 for the signal and offset from 0 for conversion backgrounds

- We require $d_1 - d_2 > -0.004$ m

$K^+K^-\pi^+$ Mode $\Delta\Phi$ Cut



$\Delta\Phi$ between the electron and positron in the signal (red) and conversion (blue)

- $\Delta\Phi = \Phi_1 - \Phi_2$ is centered around 0 for the signal and offset for the conversion background.

- We require $\Delta\Phi < 0.1$

Prediction for Data in $K^+K^-\pi^+$ +c.c. Mode

Signal and conversion background samples have electron fitted electrons.

Decay Mode of the D_S	Signal Efficiency	Background Efficiency	Signal Events Expected in 110 pb^{-1}	Background Events Expected in 110 pb^{-1}	Events Seen in 110 pb^{-1} (electrons still fitted to pion hypothesis)
$K^+K^-\pi^+$	8.14×10^{-2}	3.25×10^{-5}	4.88	0.17	2
$K^-K^+\pi^-$	8.65×10^{-2}	2.77×10^{-5}			

Signal and conversion background samples have pion fitted electrons.

Decay Mode of the D_S	Signal Efficiency	Background Efficiency	Signal Events Expected in 110 pb^{-1}	Background Events Expected in 110 pb^{-1}	Events Seen in 110 pb^{-1} (electrons still fitted to pion hypothesis)
$K^+K^-\pi^+$	6.73×10^{-2}	4.49×10^{-5}	4.00	0.23	2
$K^-K^+\pi^-$	7.04×10^{-2}	3.62×10^{-5}			

$\pi_0 \rightarrow e^+ e^- \gamma$ Dalitz Decay Background in Generic Monte Carlo

To find backgrounds other than the conversion background, we studied 109 /pb of generic MC for 4170 MeV. The generic MC is **scaled by a factor of 20**, i.e. 20 events are generated for every 1 event in data.

We used pion-fitted signal and background samples and after applying our selection criteria, we expected ~ 5 conversion events (i.e. 5/20 events if it were data), but we see only 2 conversion events in the 10 events left over in the generic MC.

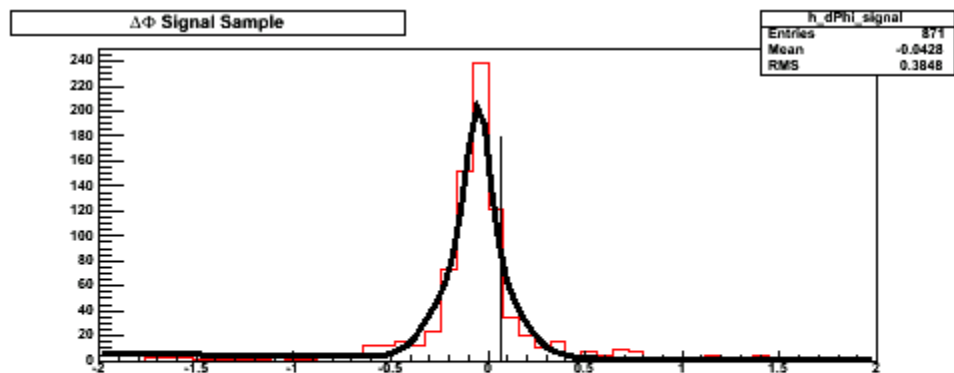
8 of them have $\pi^0 \rightarrow e^+ e^- \gamma$ events:

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Run 23085, event 14904
psi(4160) --> D*- D+ pi0;
D*- --> D- pi0;
pi0 --> e+ e- gamma
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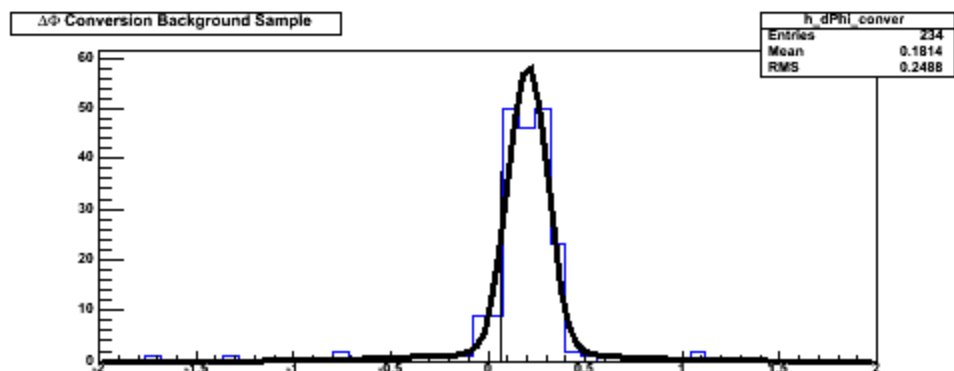
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Run 230812, event 1070
psi(4160) --> D_s*+ D_s-;
D_s*+ --> D_s+ gamma;
D_s+ --> rho+ eta';
eta' --> pi0 pi0 eta;
pi0 --> e+ e- gamma
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This background will peak in Δd_0 and $\Delta\Phi$, and will have to be estimated from sidebands in the kinematic variables in data where it should be a part of the combinatoric background.

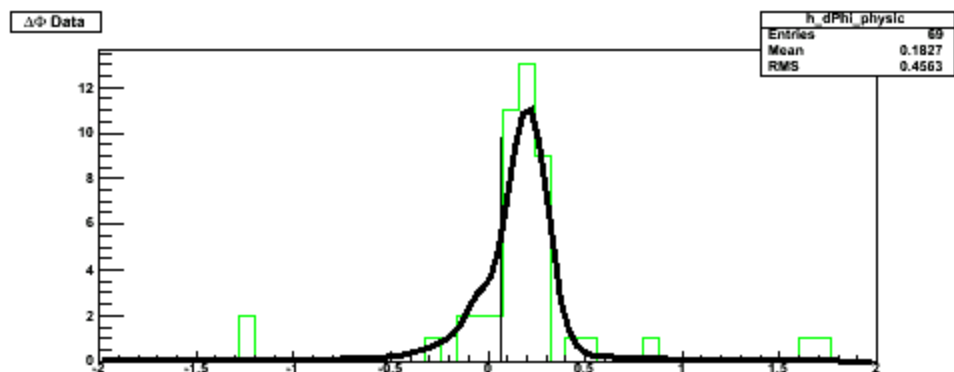
Fitting Generic Monte Carlo $\Delta\Phi$ with Cuts for Pion Fitted Electrons



The signal was maximum likelihood fit to 3 Gaussians within $|\Delta\Phi| < 2$.



The conversion background was maximum likelihood fit to 2 Gaussians within $|\Delta\Phi| < 2$.

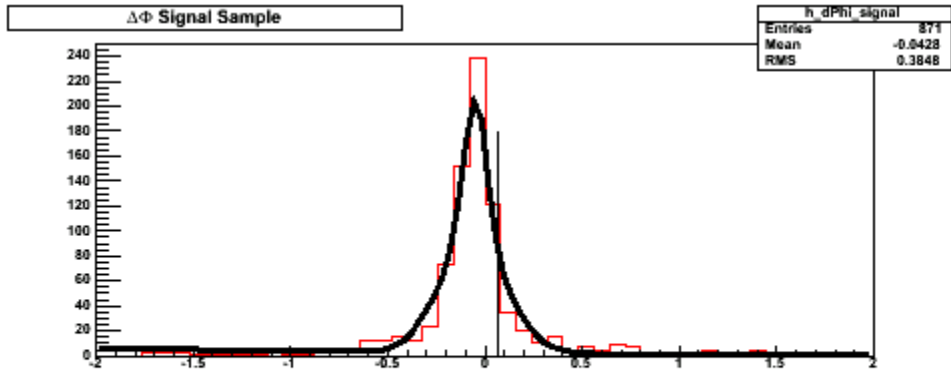


$(10 \pm 5)/20$ signal events were found.
Consistent with the combinatorial background and zero signal for generic MC.

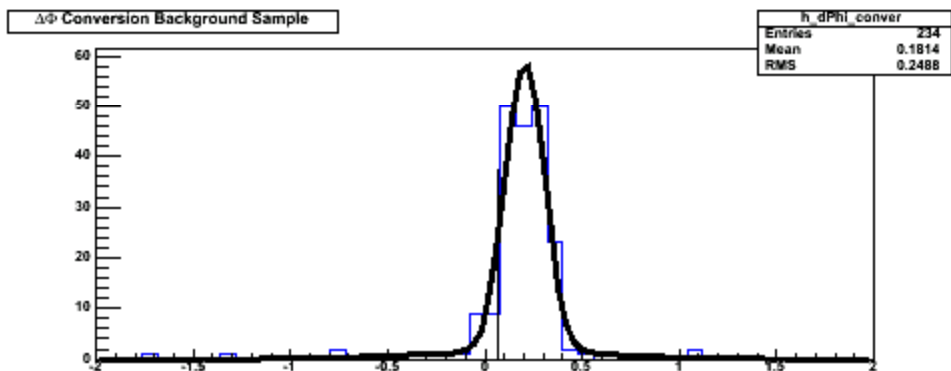
For the expected signal branching fraction, we would predict 80/20 signal events.

$(37 \pm 7)/20$ conversion events were fit and $(39 \pm 3)/20$ were expected.

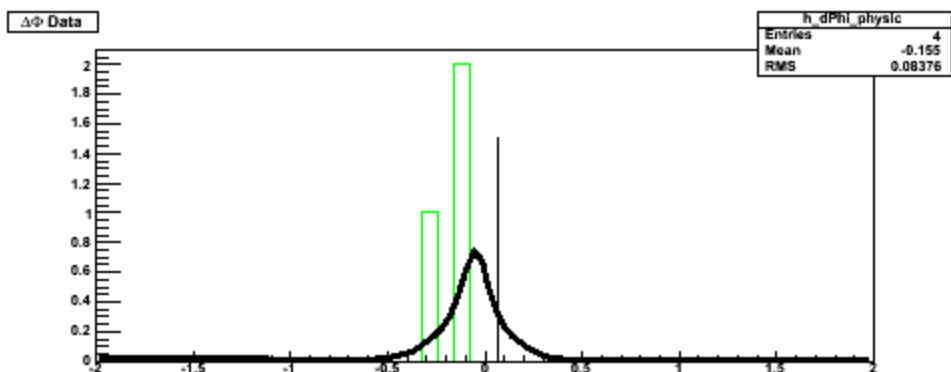
Fitting Data $\Delta\Phi$ with Cuts for Pion Fitted Electrons



The signal was maximum likelihood fit to 3 Gaussians within $|\Delta\Phi| < 2$.



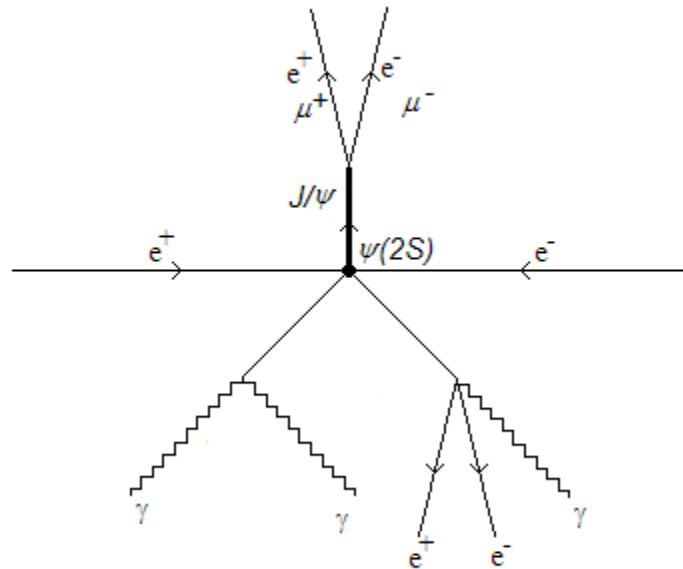
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3 signal events were fit under the peak.

2×10^{-6} conversion events were found.

Low Energy Electron Reconstruction Efficiency

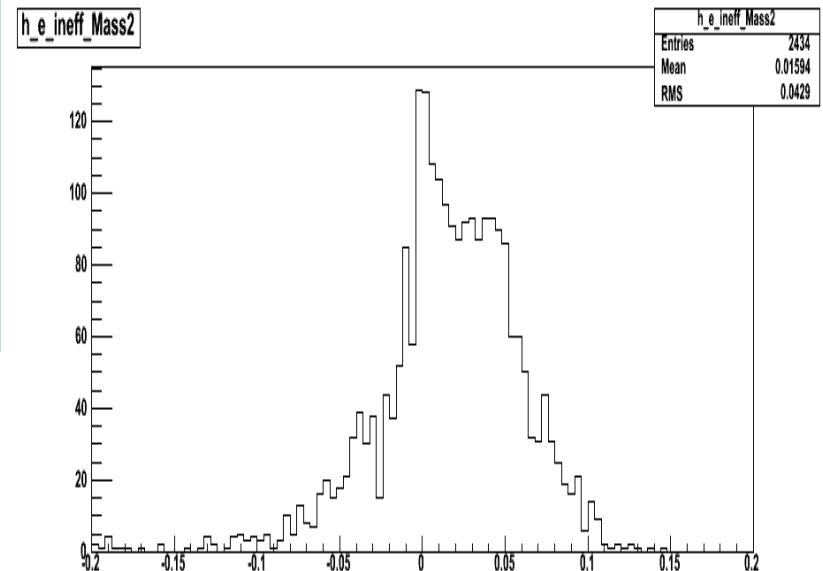
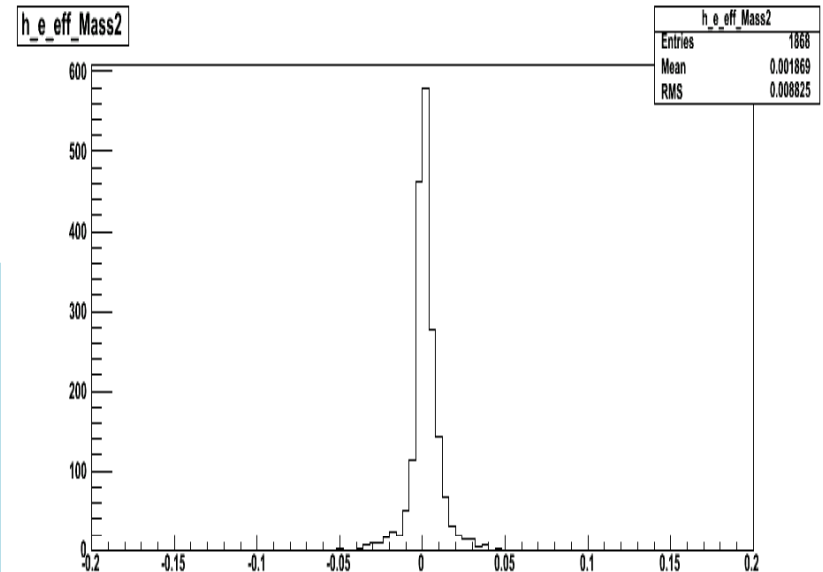


$$\begin{aligned}\psi(2S) &\rightarrow J/\psi \pi^0 \pi^0 \\ J/\psi &\rightarrow e^+ e^-; \mu^+ \mu^- \\ \pi^0 &\rightarrow \gamma \gamma \\ \pi^0 &\rightarrow \gamma e^+ e^-\end{aligned}$$

- We seek to exploit the electrons from Dalitz decay of the π^0 in this channel to measure the tracking efficiency for soft electrons at CLEO.
- [Dataset 42](#) that has 53 /pb of data at psiprime resonance is used for this study.
- The J/ψ is reconstructed from e^+e^- or $\mu^+\mu^-$. One π^0 is reconstructed from two showers. The shower and an electron from the other π^0 are reconstructed and the expected 4-vector of the last electron is constructed from the above information.

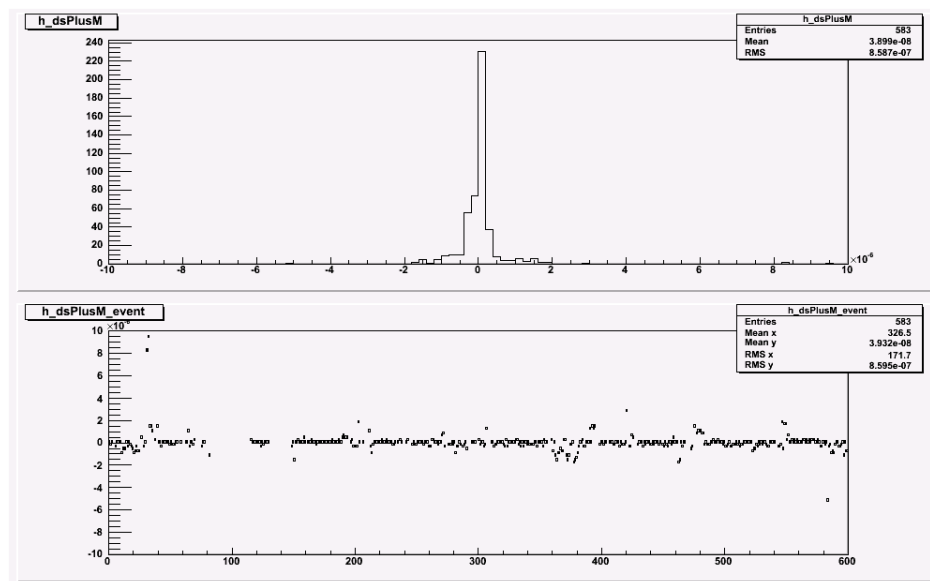
Low Energy Electron Reconstruction Efficiency

- The missing mass of this last electron is split into two plots:
 - the Efficient plot where the $\psi(2S)$ is correctly reconstructed (top plot)
 - the Inefficient plot where the $\psi(2S)$ is not correctly reconstructed (bottom plot)
- By cutting and counting, we can roughly estimate the efficiency of electron reconstruction to be $\sim 90\%$
- We will generate Monte Carlo to fit these plots for a more precise measurement.



Electron Fitting Tracks in Data

- Dan Riley staged out runs 230474 to 230617 of dataset 47.
- We generated an IDXA file containing the run and event numbers we are interested in, i.e. events with any Ds tag in them. Using this IDXA file we skimmed those events into a local PDS file in raw format.
- Pass2 has been run on this with electron fitting included. The electron tracks are seen to have slightly different track parameters from their corresponding pion tracks. We are now checking to make sure that the DTag information, like the Ds mass, is exactly reproduced. This is not the case, however! 1% of the time a DsTag in the original sample is missed and 2% of the time a new DsTag is created!



Summary and Plans

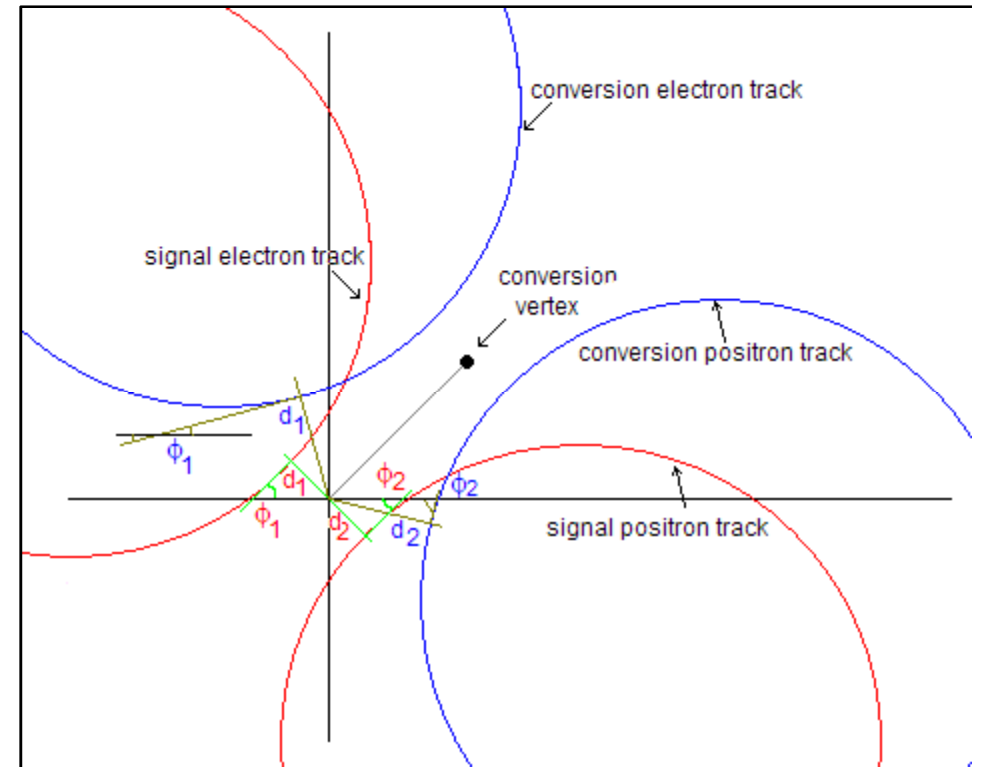
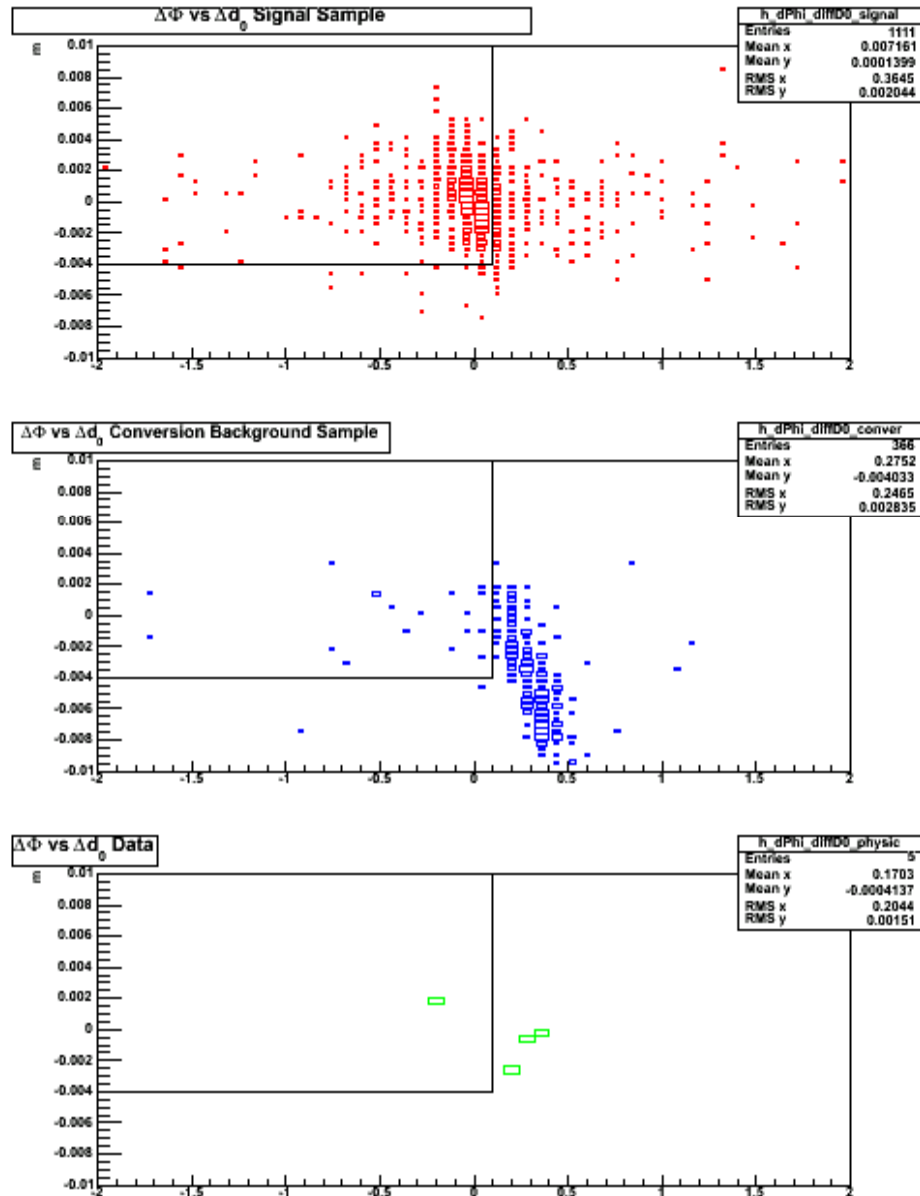
- Proceeding with fitting tracks to the electron hypothesis in data.
- Studying generic MC to find further backgrounds.
- Estimating the reconstruction efficiency for low energy electrons.
- Selection criteria for all the decay modes need to be optimized systematically.
- The theoretically predicted ratio of the rate of $D_S^{*+} \rightarrow D_S^+ e^+ e^-$ to the rate of $D_S^{*+} \rightarrow D_S^+ \gamma$ can be refined.
- We can reconstruct the other D_S^- in the event in an alternative analysis and increase statistics.

Backup Slides

Parameterizing Energy of Soft Pion Fitted Electrons

- Parameterizing energy of soft pion fitted tracks only shifts peaks of kinematic cuts, doesn't increase signal yield for a fixed signal/background ratio.
- MC matched electrons with $\Delta\theta=0.05$.
(# matched electrons in pi-fit) / (# matched e in e-fit) ~ 0.93
Close to ratio of events under electron-fit and parameterized pion-fit peaks in the kinematic variables.
- Suggests a fundamental reconstruction/track-fitting inefficiency when using pion hypothesis for low energies.
- We need electron fits.

$K^+K^-\pi^+$ Mode $\Delta\Phi$ vs Δd_0



The $\Delta\Phi$ & Δd_0 between the electron and positron in the signal (red) and conversion (blue)

$$\pi_0 \rightarrow e^+ e^- \gamma !$$

Run 230819, event 1534
 psi(4160) --> D_s*+ D_s-;
 D_s*+ --> D_s+ gamma;
 D_s+ --> eta mu+ nu_mu;
 eta --> pi0 pi0 pi0;
 pi0 --> e+ e- gamma

Run 231112, event 845
 psi(4160) --> D_s*- D_s+;
 D_s+ --> pi+ pi+ pi- pi0;
 pi0 --> e+ e- gamma

Run 231200, event 1217
 Conversion

Run 231443, event 3126
 psi(4160) --> D_s*- D_s+;
 D_s*- --> D_s- gamma;
 D_s- --> rho- eta;
 eta --> pi0 pi0 pi0;
 pi0 --> e+ e- gamma

Run 231637, event 13649
 psi(4160) --> D_s*+ D_s-;
 D_s- --> phi rho-;
 rho- --> pi- pi0;
 pi0 --> e+ e- gamma

Run 231923, event 5080
 Conversion, but e+e- doesn't match reco!

Run 232008, event 8741
 psi(4160) --> D*0 anti-D*0;
 D*0 --> D0 pi0;
 D0 --> a_1+ K-;
 a_1+ --> rho+ pi0;
 pi0 --> e+ e- gamma

Run 232222, event 14279
 psi(4160) --> D_s*- D_s+;
 D_s*- --> D_s- gamma;
 D_s- --> pi- pi- pi+ pi0 pi0 pi0;
 pi0 --> e+ e- gamma

Prediction for Data

Decay Mode of the D_S^+	Remaining in Signal Sample starting from 10,000 events	Remaining in Background Sample starting from 100,000 events	Signal Events Expected in 110 pb ⁻¹	Background Events Expected in 110 pb ⁻¹	Events in 110 pb ⁻¹ (electrons still fitted to pion hypothesis)
$K^+K^-pi^+$	815	2	4.743	0.114	2
$K_S K^+$	712	3	1.123	0.046	0
$\pi^+\eta; \eta \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$	839	2	0.551	0.129	0
$\pi^+\dot{\eta}; \dot{\eta} \rightarrow \pi^+\pi\eta; \eta \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$	504	1	0.356	0.007	1
$\pi^+\pi\pi^+$	1200	2	1.415	0.023	2
$K^{*+}K^{*0}; K^{*+} \rightarrow K_S^0\pi^+; K^{*0} \rightarrow K^-\pi^+$	453	2	0.789	0.034	2
$\eta\rho^+; \eta \rightarrow \gamma\gamma; \rho^+ \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^0$	641	8	3.492	0.427	6
$\dot{\eta}\pi^+; \dot{\eta} \rightarrow \rho^0\gamma$	875	8	1.032	0.092	0
Total			13.74	0.757	13

Total number of signal events expected in 602 inv-pb ~ **74**

Total number of conversion background events expected in 602 inv-pb ~ **4**