

# Search for $A_{CP}$ in $D_{(s)}^+ \rightarrow \eta h^+$ & Br measurement in $D_{(s)}^+ \rightarrow \eta K^+$ at Belle II

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# Introduction

## Decays

- $D^+ \rightarrow \eta\pi^+$ : Singly Cabibbo-suppressed (SCS)
- $D^+ \rightarrow \eta K^+$ : Doubly Cabibbo-suppressed (DCS)
- $D_s^+ \rightarrow \eta\pi^+$ : Cabibbo favoured (CF)
- $D_s^+ \rightarrow \eta K^+$ : SCS
- Using both  $\eta \rightarrow \gamma\gamma, \eta \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$

## Target measurements with Belle II data

- $A_{CP}$  of  $D_{(s)}^+ \rightarrow \eta h^+ (h = \pi, K)$
- Branch fraction of  $D_{(s)}^+ \rightarrow \eta K^+$  normalized by  $D_{(s)}^+ \rightarrow \eta\pi^+$

# Experimental histories

Decay Mode	Experiment	$A_{CP}$	$Br$
$D^+ \rightarrow \eta\pi^+$ (SCS)	LHCb (2023)	$(0.34 \pm 0.66 \pm 0.16 \pm 0.05)\%$	-
	LHCb (2021)	$(0.13 \pm 0.50 \pm 0.18)\%$	-
	BESIII (2018)	-	$(37.90 \pm 0.70 \pm 0.68) \cdot 10^{-4}$
	Belle (2011, 791/fb)	$(1.74 \pm 1.13 \pm 0.19)\%$	-
	CLEO (2010)	$(-2.0 \pm 2.3 \pm 0.3)\%$	$(35.4 \pm 0.8 \pm 1.8 \pm 0.8) \cdot 10^{-4}$
$D^+ \rightarrow \eta K^+$ (DCS)	LHCb (2021)	$(-6 \pm 10 \pm 4) \cdot 10^{-2}$	-
	BESIII (2018)	-	$(0.151 \pm 0.025 \pm 0.014) \cdot 10^{-3}$
	Belle (2011, 791/fb)	-	$(1.08 \pm 0.17 \pm 0.08) \cdot 10^{-4}$
$D_s^+ \rightarrow \eta\pi^+$ (CF)	LHCb (2023)	$(0.32 \pm 0.51 \pm 0.12)\%$	-
	LHCb (2021)	$(0.8 \pm 0.7 \pm 0.5)\%$	-
	Belle (2021, 921/fb)	$(0.2 \pm 0.3 \pm 0.3)\%$	$(19.00 \pm 0.10 \pm 0.59 \pm 0.68) \cdot 10^{-3}$
			More experiments
$D_s^+ \rightarrow \eta K^+$ (SCS)	LHCb (2021)	$(0.9 \pm 3.7 \pm 1.1)\%$	-
	Belle (2021, 921/fb)	$(2.1 \pm 2.1 \pm 0.4)\%$	$(1.75 \pm 0.05 \pm 0.5 \pm 0.06) \cdot 10^{-3}$
	BESIII (2020)	-	$(1.62 \pm 0.10 \pm 0.03 \pm 0.05) \cdot 10^{-3}$

Target measurements:  $A_{CP}$  in all 4 modes,  $Br$  in 2 kaon modes ( $D_{(s)}^+ \rightarrow \eta K^+$ )

# Analysis methodology

## Basic ideas

- Direct reconstruction and fit to  $M(\eta_{\gamma\gamma} h^+)$ : no  $D^{*+}$  tagging
- Train BDT(XGboost) with grid search:  $(\eta_{\gamma\gamma}, \pi^+)$ ,  $(\eta_{\gamma\gamma}, K^+)$ ,  $(\eta_{3\pi}, \pi^+)$ ,  $(\eta_{3\pi}, K^+)$
- BDT - signal:  $D^+ \rightarrow \eta h^+$ , bkg:  $D_s^+ \rightarrow \eta h^+$  subtracted generic background
- BDT(XGboost) value is used to optimize

## Branch fraction

- Ratio:  $\frac{D_{(s)}^+ \rightarrow \eta K^+}{D_{(s)}^+ \rightarrow \eta \pi^+}$ , expect to minimize systematics as Belle did

## $A_{CP}$

- Plan: might use control modes,  $D_{(s)}^+ \rightarrow K_S^0 h^+$  to correct  $A_{\epsilon_{h^+}}$

Currently MC15ri(since MC15rd signals are now prepared)

# Selection criteria

Before MVA,

Hard  $\pi^+$ : In CDC acceptance,  $dr < 1$ ,  $|dz| < 3$ ,  $L_\pi > 0.6$

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Hard  $K^+$ : In CDC acceptance,  $dr < 1$ ,  $|dz| < 3$ ,  $L_K > 0.6$ ,  $L_\pi < 0.01$

$\gamma$  for  $\eta$ :  $\text{clusterNHits} > 1.5$ ,  $0.2967 < \text{clusterTheta} < 2.6180$ ,  $E > 0.1$

$\gamma$  for  $\pi^0$ :  $\text{clusterNHits} > 1.5$ ,  $0.2967 < \text{clusterTheta} < 2.6180$ ,  $E > 0.055$ ,

$\text{beamBackgroundSuppression} > 0.5$ ,  $\text{fakePhotonSuppression} > 0.1$

$\pi^0$  for  $\eta$ :  $0.12 < M < 0.145$ ,  $-1.5 < \text{daughterDiffOfPhi}(0,1) < 1.5$ ,  $\text{daughterAngle}(0,1) < 1.4$

$\eta_{\gamma\gamma}$ :  $0.52 < M < 0.57$ ,  $p > 0.4$  GeV

$\eta_{3\pi}$ :  $0.535 < M < 0.57$ ,  $p > 0.4$  GeV

$D^+$ :  $p_{CMS} > 2.5$ ,  $\text{treefit chiProb} > 0.001$  ( $\pi^0, \eta$  mass constraint)

particles	selection criteria
$\gamma_{ROE}$	$ \text{clusterTiming}  < 200ns$ $ \frac{\text{clusterTiming}}{\text{clusterErrorTiming}}  < 2.0$ $\text{clusterNHits} > 1.5$ $E > 55\text{MeV}$ $\text{beamBackgroundSuppression} > 0.5$ $\text{fakePhotonSuppression} > 0.1$

particles	selection criteria
$ M(\gamma\gamma_{ROE}) - m_{\pi^0} $	$> 0.011\text{GeV}/c^2$

# MVA(BDT) study

Trained BDTs among different final states:  $(\eta_{\gamma\gamma}, \pi^+)$ ,  $(\eta_{\gamma\gamma}, K^+)$ ,  $(\eta_{3\pi}, \pi^+)$ ,  $(\eta_{3\pi}, K^+)$

## Train variables

- $D_s^+ \rightarrow \eta_{\gamma\gamma} h^+$ : 6 variables

$$dr(\pi^+), \cos\theta_{XY}(D^+), \left| \frac{E_{\gamma_1} - E_{\gamma_2}}{E_{\gamma_1} + E_{\gamma_2}} \right|,$$

$$\Delta\phi(\gamma_1, \gamma_2), p(\eta) + p(\pi^+),$$

$$\text{cosHelicityAngleMomentum}(D^+)$$

- $D_s^+ \rightarrow \eta_{3\pi} h^+$ : 4 variables

$$dr(\pi^+), \cos\theta_{XY}(D^+),$$

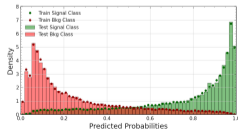
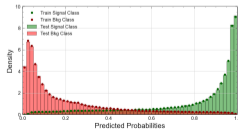
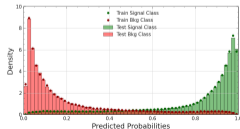
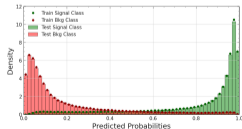
$$p(\eta) + p(\pi^+),$$

$$\text{cosHelicityAngleMomentum}(D^+)$$

No significant correlations (in backup slides)

Performed grid search

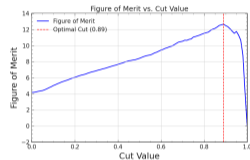
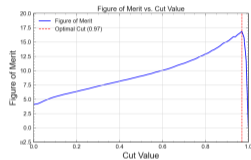
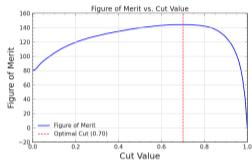
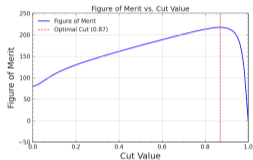
$$D^+ \rightarrow \eta_{\gamma\gamma} \pi^+, D^+ \rightarrow \eta_{3\pi} \pi^+, D^+ \rightarrow \eta_{\gamma\gamma} K^+, D^+ \rightarrow \eta_{3\pi} K^+$$



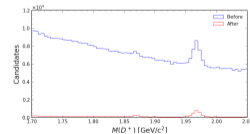
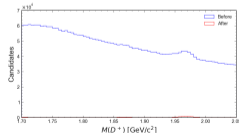
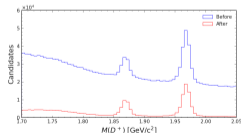
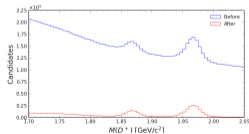
# Cut optimization

Optimized variable: BDT in  $D^+$  signal region (might not be optimal to  $D_s^+$ )

$D^+ \rightarrow \eta_{\gamma\gamma}\pi^+$ ,  $D^+ \rightarrow \eta_{3\pi}\pi^+$ ,  $D^+ \rightarrow \eta_{\gamma\gamma}K^+$ ,  $D^+ \rightarrow \eta_{3\pi}K^+$

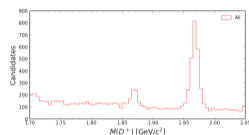
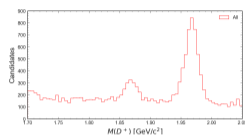
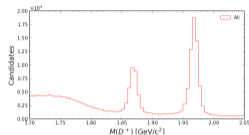
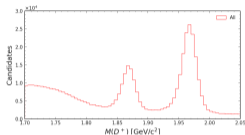


Before vs. after cut



# Distribution & Signal efficiency

$$D^+ \rightarrow \eta_{\gamma\gamma}\pi^+, D^+ \rightarrow \eta_{3\pi}\pi^+, D^+ \rightarrow \eta_{\gamma\gamma}K^+, D^+ \rightarrow \eta_{3\pi}K^+$$



Signal efficiency(%)

Mode	Belle II	Belle (2011)	Belle (2021)
$D^+ \rightarrow \eta_{\gamma\gamma}K^+$	$3.42 \pm 0.01$		
$D^+ \rightarrow \eta_{\pi\pi\pi}K^+$	$3.28 \pm 0.01$	$1.35 \pm 0.01$	
$D_s^+ \rightarrow \eta_{\gamma\gamma}K^+$	$2.04 \pm 0.01$		$7.42 \pm 0.05$
$D_s^+ \rightarrow \eta_{\pi\pi\pi}K^+$	$2.02 \pm 0.01$		$4.04 \pm 0.02$
$D^+ \rightarrow \eta_{\gamma\gamma}\pi^+$	$8.85 \pm 0.02$		
$D^+ \rightarrow \eta_{\pi\pi\pi}\pi^+$	$6.17 \pm 0.02$	$1.68 \pm 0.02$	
$D_s^+ \rightarrow \eta_{\gamma\gamma}\pi^+$	$7.54 \pm 0.02$		$10.84 \pm 0.02$
$D_s^+ \rightarrow \eta_{\pi\pi\pi}\pi^+$	$5.29 \pm 0.02$		$6.50 \pm 0.03$



# Fitting

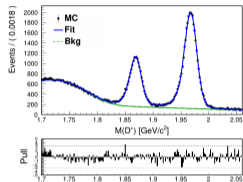
Simultaneous fit( $D_{(s)}^+ + D_{(s)}^-$ )

- Set fitting range to cover  $D^+$  and  $D_s^+$

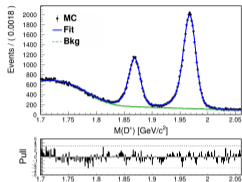
Fit method

- Signals:  $D_{(s)}^+ \rightarrow \eta h^+$ 
  - MC fixed: double-sided crystal ball
  - Floating: gaussian
- Backgrounds
  - $M(\eta\pi^+)$ :  $D_s^+ \rightarrow (\rho^+ \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^0)\eta$ , fixed with Novosibirsk function
  - Other combinatorial
    - $M(\eta\pi^+)$ : exponential
    - $M(\eta K^+)$ : 2nd order Chebyshev

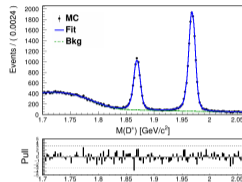
# Fit result



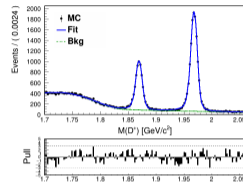
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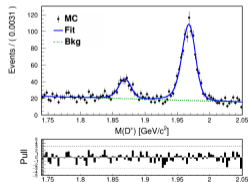
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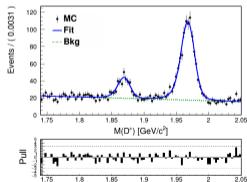
(e)  $M(\eta_{3\pi}\pi^+)$



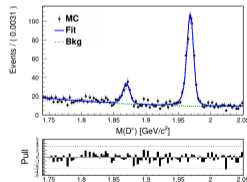
(f)  $M(\eta_{3\pi}\pi^-)$



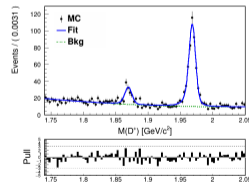
(c)  $M(\eta_{\gamma\gamma}K^+)$



(d)  $M(\eta_{\gamma\gamma}K^-)$

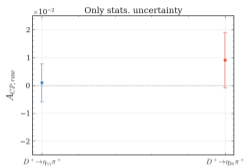


(g)  $M(\eta_{3\pi}K^+)$

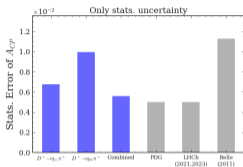


(h)  $M(\eta_{3\pi}K^-)$

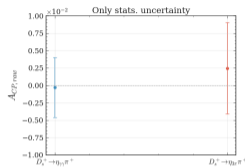
# Acp fit result



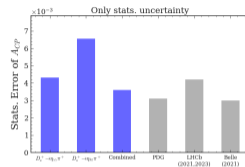
(a)  $A_{CP,raw}(D^+ \rightarrow \eta\pi^+)$



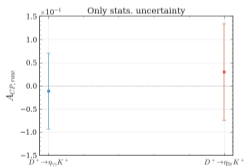
(b) Stat. unc.



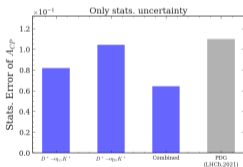
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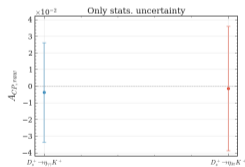
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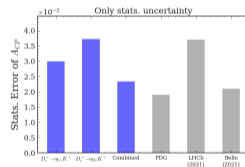
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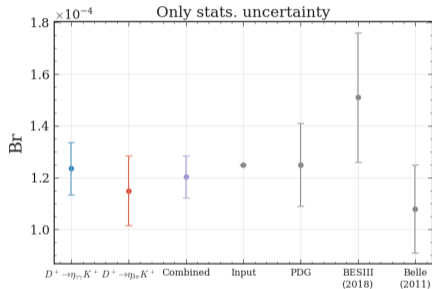


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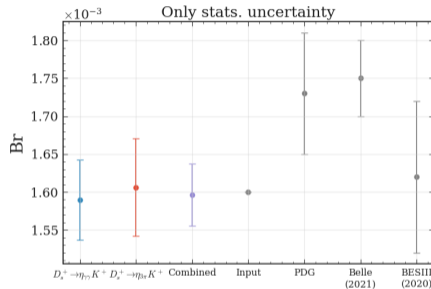


(h) Stat. unc.

# Branch fraction fit result



(a)  $D^+ \rightarrow \eta K^+$



(b)  $D_s^+ \rightarrow \eta K^+$

To normalize with  $\frac{D_{(s)}^+ \rightarrow \eta K^+}{D_{(s)}^+ \rightarrow \eta \pi^+}$ , BDTs trained by  $D^+ \rightarrow \eta_{\gamma\gamma} K^+$ ,  $D^+ \rightarrow \eta_{3\pi} K^+$  are applied to normalized channels ( $D^+ \rightarrow \eta_{\gamma\gamma} \pi^+$ ,  $D^+ \rightarrow \eta_{3\pi} \pi^+$ )

# $A_{CP}$ control modes

Candidates of  $A_{CP}$  control modes(PDG values)

Mode	$A_{CP}$	$Br$
$D^+ \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^+$	$-0.0041 \pm 0.0009$	$(1.562 \pm 0.031)\%$
$D_s^+ \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^+$	$0.0020 \pm 0.0018$	$(1.09 \pm 0.05) \cdot 10^{-3}$
$D^+ \rightarrow K_S^0 K^+$	$-0.0001 \pm 0.0007$	$(3.04 \pm 0.09) \cdot 10^{-3}$
$D_s^+ \rightarrow K_S^0 K^+$	$0.0009 \pm 0.0026$	$(1.450 \pm 0.035)\%$

$$A_{raw} \approx A_{CP} + A_{FB} + A_{\epsilon_h^+}$$

$$A_{raw,ref} \approx A_{CP,ref} + A_{FB,ref} + A_{\epsilon_h^+,ref}$$

$$A_{CP} = A_{CP,raw} + A_{raw} - A_{raw,ref}$$

To make sure to cancel out,  $A_{FB}$ :  $\cos\theta_{CM}(D^+)$

$A_{\epsilon_h^+}$ :  $\cos\theta(h^+), p(h^+)$

# Summary & Plans

## Summary

Using MC15ri samples,

- Estimation of stats. unc. of  $A_{CP}$  for  $D_{(s)}^+ \rightarrow \eta h^+$  in 427.87/fb
  - $h = \pi$ : comparable stats. unc. with previous measurements
  - $h = K$ : could improve PDG value
- Estimation of stats. unc. of  $Br(D_{(s)}^+ \rightarrow \eta K^+)$  in 427.87/fb  
In terms of stats. unc.,
  - $Br(D^+ \rightarrow \eta K^+)$ : could improve PDG value
  - $Br(D_s^+ \rightarrow \eta K^+)$ : comparable result with Belle(2021, 921/fb)

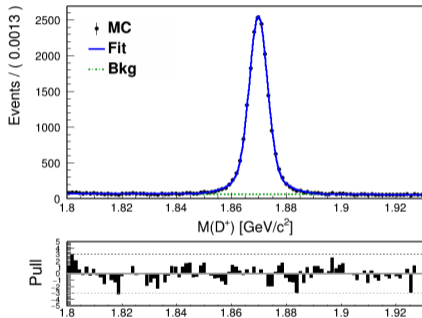
## Plans

- Move to MC15rd samples(my signals are ready)
- $A_{CP}$  control sample study: might use  $D^+ \rightarrow K_S^0 h^+$

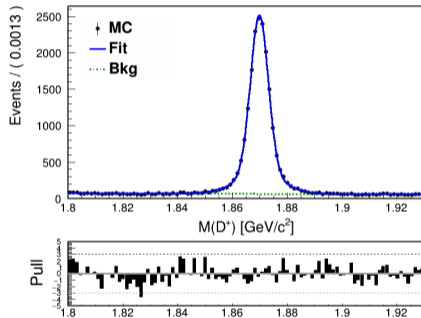
# Several comments

- Have considered to optimize photon MVA variables() and PIDNN(neural network PID) ?
- New data(part of Run2, 50/fb) is available, how about to add?
- $D^+ \rightarrow K_0^S \pi^+$ : one is already using as control channel for  $D^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^0$   $A_{CP}$  study

$$D^+ \rightarrow K_S^0 K^+$$



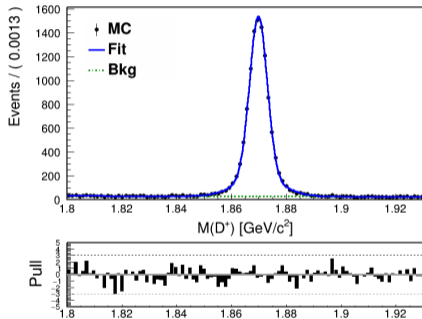
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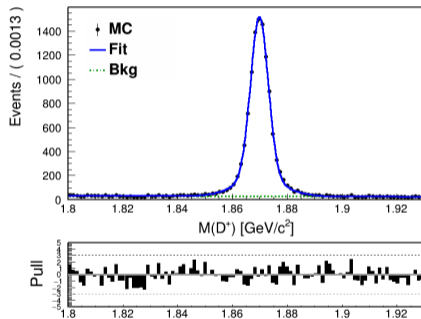
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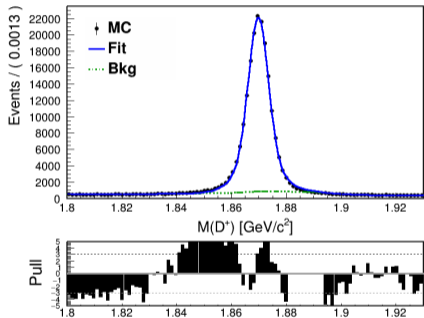
$$D^+ \rightarrow K_S^0 K^+$$



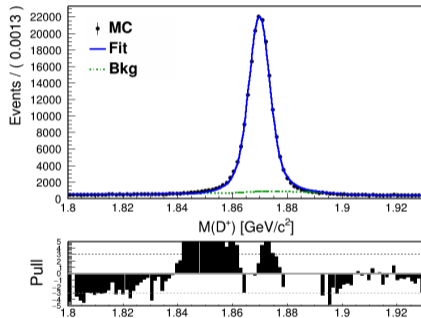
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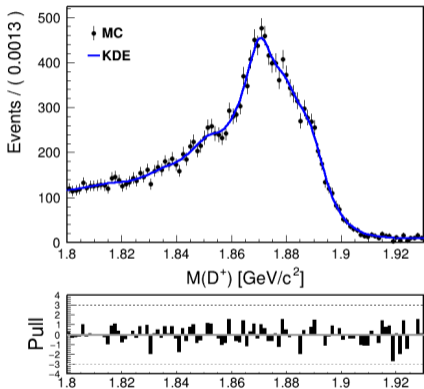
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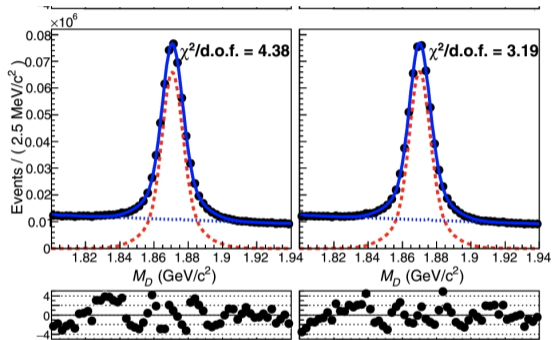
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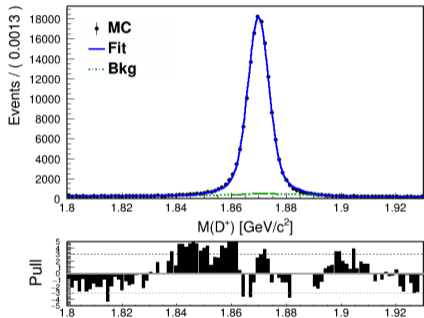
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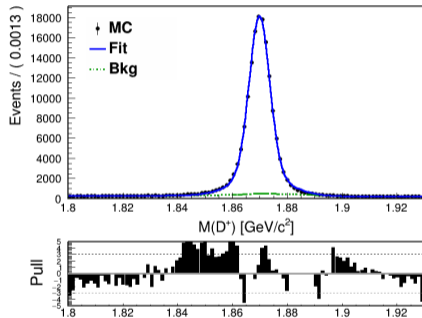
(a) Generic MC



(b)  $D^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^0$  study at Belle



(a)  $D^+ \rightarrow \eta_{\gamma\gamma} K^+$

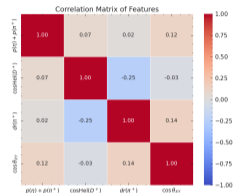
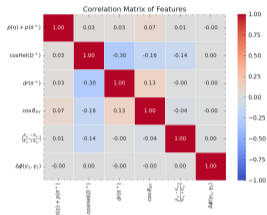
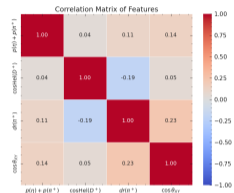
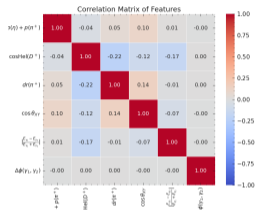


(b)  $D^- \rightarrow \eta_{\gamma\gamma} K^-$

# Backup

# BDT

Variable correlations  $D^+ \rightarrow \eta_{\gamma\gamma}\pi^+$ ,  $D^+ \rightarrow \eta_{3\pi}\pi^+$ ,  $D^+ \rightarrow \eta_{\gamma\gamma}K^+$ ,  $D^+ \rightarrow \eta_{3\pi}K^+$



## Variable importance

