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[ROOT Intermediate Tutorial]

Tutorial instructions

- All the instructions needed to complete this tutorial can be found in the indico page file: ROOT_Intermediate_Tutorial_2025.pdf

- Once inside the LIP machines, access the input file in folder /lstore/auger/afernandes/ROOT_TUTORIAL/ and name zjet_unrec.root. Alternatively, download the input file with this command:

wget 'https://indico.lip.pt/event/1226/contributions/4222/attachments/3500/5443/zjet_unrec.root'

Input file

- The file contains simulated events for the decay of the Z-boson

- In this exercise, we are interested in the decay:

$$Z \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$$
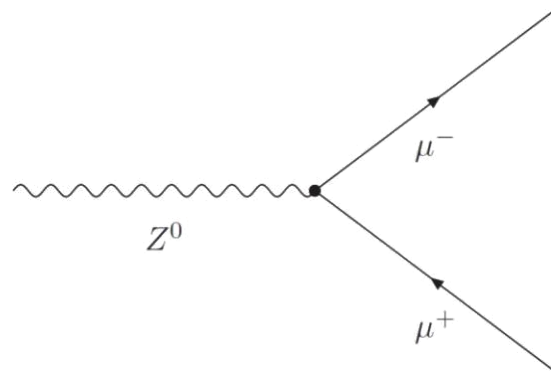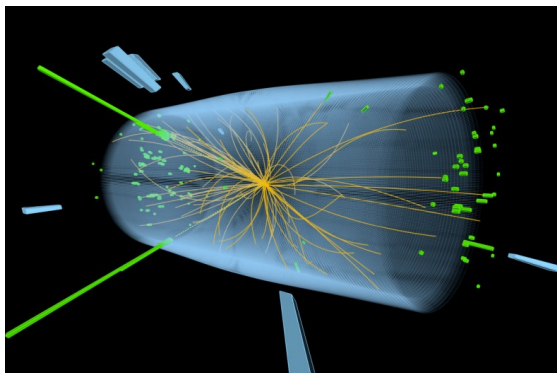
Input file

- The final objective of this tutorial is for you to draw the invariant mass spectrum of the resulting muon pairs

$$IM = \sqrt{E_T^2 - (p_{x_T}^2 + p_{y_T}^2 + p_{z_T}^2)}$$

Checking the input file

- Once you have the file downloaded, you can see its contents using the following commands:

  - .ls
  - Tree->Print()
  - Tree->Scan()

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- Create a new file (with whatever name you want) with a function with the same name as the file (so that you can run it as a standard ROOT macro)

- Declare the file object that we are going use to access our input file

- Declare the tree object as in previous tutorials

- Declare a histogram object, with the limits, number of bins, and title you think best for the Z mass

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```
 5  ∨  void ROOT_Intermediate_part1(){
 6
 7          // read input file
 8          TFile *fInput = new TFile("zjet_unrec.root", "read");
 9
10          // load input tree
11          TTree *t = (TTree*) fInput->Get("Tdata");
12
13          // declare TH1 object for Z boson mass
14          TH1D *h = new TH1D("Zmass", "Z boson mass", 100, 0., 150);
15
```

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- Declare the variables that we will use to access the particles of each event, saved in the tree (as done in the first ROOT tutorial)

- Link these variables to the tree with the SetBranchAddress function

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```
12
13      // declare the variables to assess each event
14      vector<int> *id = 0;
15      vector<double> *m = 0;
16      vector<double> *px = 0;
17      vector<double> *py = 0;
18      vector<double> *pz = 0;
19      vector<double> *E = 0;
20
21      // link these variables to the tree
22      t->SetBranchAddress("id", &id);
23      t->SetBranchAddress("px", &px);
24      t->SetBranchAddress("py", &py);
25      t->SetBranchAddress("pz", &pz);
26      t->SetBranchAddress("m", &m);
27      t->SetBranchAddress("En", &E);
28
```

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- Loop over the entries in tree with a for loop, for example (to get the number of entries in the tree: t–>GetEntries() and to get the values of entry i loaded on the linked variables make t–>GetEntry(i))

- Loop over the particles in each event

- When you find the muons (there should be exactly two per event), calculate their invariant mass and fill a histogram with it
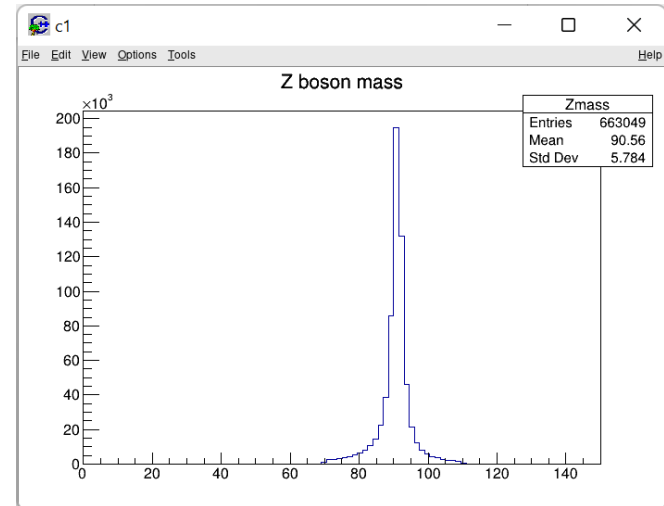
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$$IM = \sqrt{E_T^2 - (p_{xT}^2 + p_{yT}^2 + p_{zT}^2)}$$

```
55    int NEvents = t->GetEntries();
56    for(int i = 0; i <= NEvents; i++){
57
58        t->GetEntry(i);
59
60        // loop through every particle and find muon and antimuon
61        int i_mu_p = 0, i_mu_n = 0;
62        int flag_mu_p = 0, flag_mu_n = 0;
63
64        for(int iObj = 0; iObj <= (*id).size(); iObj++){
65            //muon
66            if((*id)[iObj]==13){
67                i_mu_p = iObj;
68                flag_mu_p++;
69            }
70            //antimuon
71            if((*id)[iObj]==-13){
72                i_mu_n = iObj;
73                flag_mu_n++;
74            }
75
76        }
77
78        // check if we found both and calculate invariant mass
79        if(flag_mu_p && flag_mu_n){
80
81            // calculate invariant mass
82            double Et = (*E)[i_mu_p] + (*E)[i_mu_n];
83            double pxt = (*px)[i_mu_p] + (*px)[i_mu_n];
84            double pyt = (*py)[i_mu_p] + (*py)[i_mu_n];
85            double pzt = (*pz)[i_mu_p] + (*pz)[i_mu_n];
86
87            double invar_mass = sqrt(Et*Et - (pxt*pxt + pyt*pyt + pzt*pzt));
```

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- Verify that the spectrum makes sense and then save the events that pass your selection in a new tree, in a new file. You can choose what variables you want to save but as a starting point the four vector (momentum plus energy) and the mass should be enough.

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- To do this you should declare a file, more or less in the same place where you had declared the input one and the same for the tree

- You must declare new output variables (i.e. px, etc.) and link them to the new tree with the Branch function

- Every time an event passes you should fill the output variables with the values you want to save and then use t–>Fill(), in order to save them to your output tree

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```
34        // create output file
35        TFile *fOutput = new TFile("zjet_filtered.root", "recreate");
36
37        // create output tree
38        TTree *tOutput = new TTree("Tdata_output", "Tdata_output");
39
40        // declare the variables for output tree
41        double m_output = 0;
42        double px_output = 0;
43        double py_output = 0;
44        double pz_output = 0;
45        double E_output = 0;
46
47        // link these variables to the tree
48        tOutput->Branch("px", &px_output);
49        tOutput->Branch("py", &py_output);
50        tOutput->Branch("pz", &pz_output);
51        tOutput->Branch("m", &m_output);
52        tOutput->Branch("En", &E_output);
```

```
90        // save event to new tree
91        E_output = Et;
92        px_output = pxt;
93        py_output = pyt;
94        pz_output = pzt;
95        m_output = invar_mass;
96        tOutput->Fill();
97
```

```
107       // save new tree to file
108       tOutput->Write();
109       fOutput->Close();
```
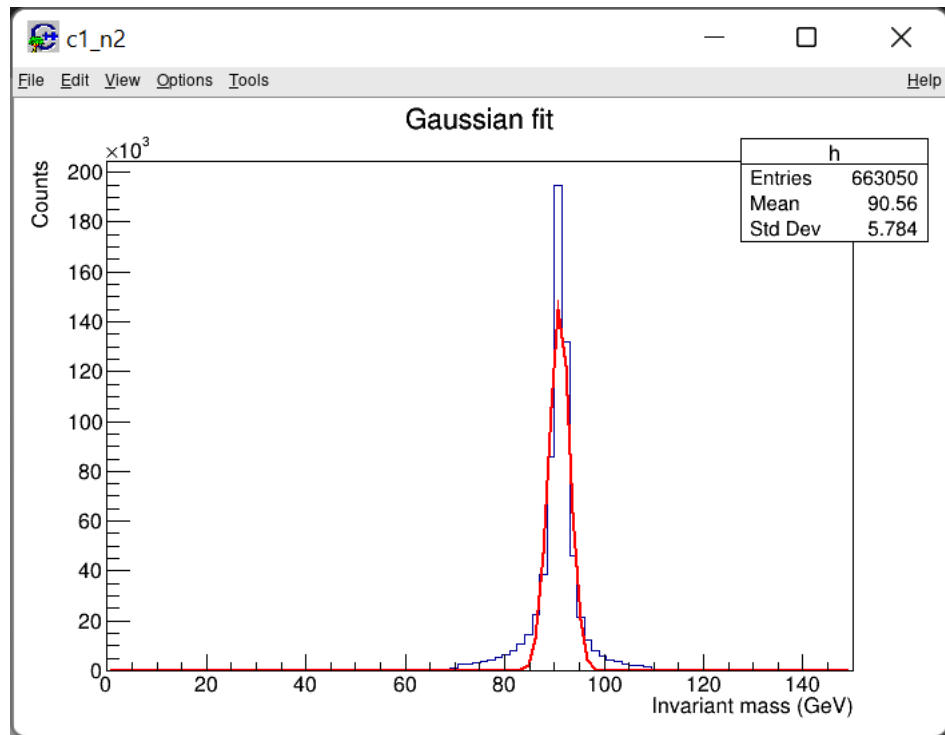
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- Write a new ROOT macro that opens your data file.

- Draw the *Z* boson mass peak and fit it using a Gaussian function. The fitted value of the Gaussian's mean should approximately correspond to the *Z* boson measured mass. How good is the agreement?

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```
12  void ROOT_intermediate_part2(){
13
14      // read input file
15      TFile *fInput = new TFile("zjet_filtered.root", "read");
16
17      // read tree
18      TTree *t = (TTree*)fInput->Get("Tdata_output");
19
20      // declare variables to read tree
21      double invar_mass = 0.;
22      t->SetBranchAddress("m", &invar_mass);
23
24      // TH1 object to see Z boson's mass spectrum
25      TH1D *h = new TH1D("h", "Z boson's mass spectrum; Invariant mass (GeV); Counts", 100, 0., 150.);
27      // go through tree
28      int NEvents = t->GetEntries();
29      for(int i = 0; i <= NEvents; i++){
30          t->GetEntry(i);
31          h->Fill(invar_mass);
32      }
33
```

```
38      // fit gaussian
39      new TCanvas();
40      h->SetTitle("Gaussian fit");
41      h->Fit("gaus");
42      h->DrawClone();
```

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▪ In this case, because we are not taking into account detector resolution effects, the *Z* boson mass peak should be better described by a Breit-Wigner function. This function is not predefined in ROOT, therefore you need to define it yourself. Once you have defined your own TF1 function you can use it to fit the mass peak as before. Does your estimation the *Z* boson mass gets closer to the measured value? What about the goodness of fit, is it improved?

$$f(E) = \frac{k}{\left(E^2 - M^2\right)^2 + M^2\Gamma^2}$$

$$k = \frac{2\sqrt{2}M\Gamma\gamma}{\pi\sqrt{M^2 + \gamma}} \quad \text{with} \quad \gamma = \sqrt{M^2\left(M^2 + \Gamma^2\right)}\,.$$

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```
3    Double_t fitFunc(Double_t* x, Double_t* par)
4    {
5      Double_t arg1 = 14.0/22.0; // 2 over pi
6      Double_t arg2 = par[1]*par[1]*par[2]*par[2]; //Gamma=par[1]  M=par[2]
7      Double_t arg3 = ((x[0]*x[0]) - (par[2]*par[2]))*((x[0]*x[0]) - (par[2]*par[2]));
8      Double_t arg4 = x[0]*x[0]*x[0]*x[0]*((par[1]*par[1])/(par[2]*par[2]));
9      return par[0]*arg1*arg2/(arg3 + arg4);
10   }
```

```
44        // fit Breit-Wigner function
45        new TCanvas();
46        h->SetTitle("Breit-Wigner fit");
47        TF1 *func = new TF1("fitFunc",fitFunc,50,140,3);
48        func->SetParameter(0,1.0);
49        func->SetParameter(2,5.0);
50        func->SetParameter(1,95.0);
51        h->Fit("fitFunc");
52        h->DrawClone();
```

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