



# Precise measurement of $m_W$ using threshold scan method

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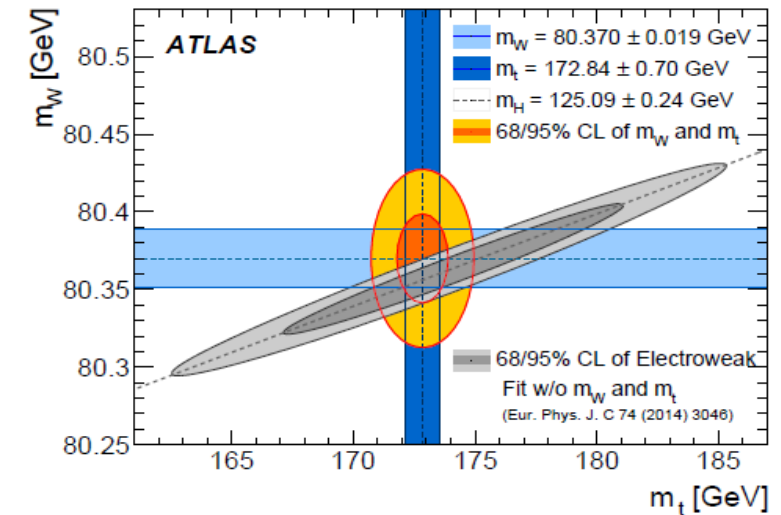
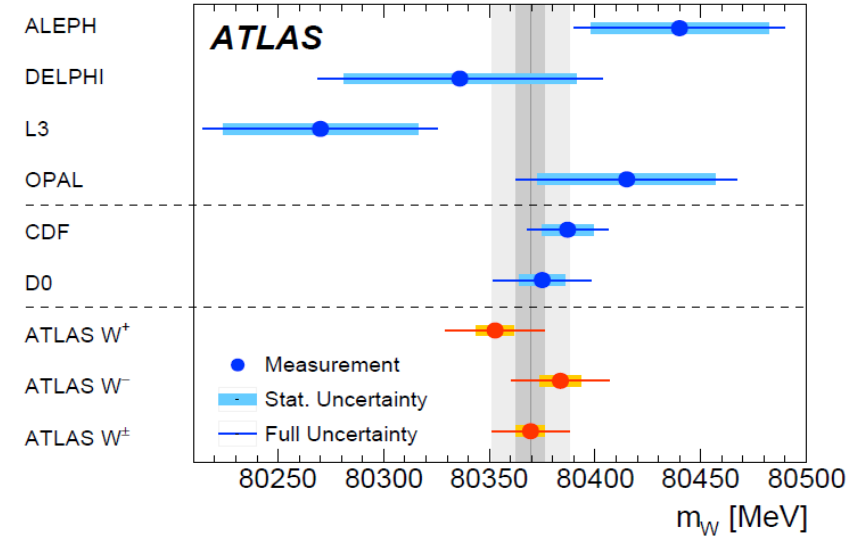
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# Motivation

<https://arxiv.org/abs/1701.07240>

- The  $m_W$  plays a central role in precision EW measurements and in constraint on the SM model through global fit.
- The direct measurement suffers the large systematic uncertainty, such as radiative correction, EW corrections, modeling of hadronization.
- For the threshold scan method, the precision is limited by the statistics of data and the accelerator performance (**this work**).



# Methodology

## ➤ Why?

$$\sigma_{WW}(m_W, \Gamma_W, \sqrt{s}) = \frac{N_{obs}}{L\epsilon P} \quad (P = \frac{N_{WW}}{N_{WW} + N_{bkg}})$$

so  $m_W$  ( $\Gamma_W$ ) can be obtained by fitting the  $N_{obs}$ , with the theoretical formula  $\sigma_{WW}$

## ➤ How?

$\Delta m_W, \Delta \Gamma_W$						
$N_{obs}$	$L$	$\epsilon$	$P$	$E$	$E_{BS}$	.....

In general, these uncertainties are dependent on  $\sqrt{s}$ , so it is a optimization problem when considering the data taking.

## ➤ If ..., then?

With the configurations of  $L, \Delta L, \Delta E$  ..., we can obtain:  $m_W \sim ?$

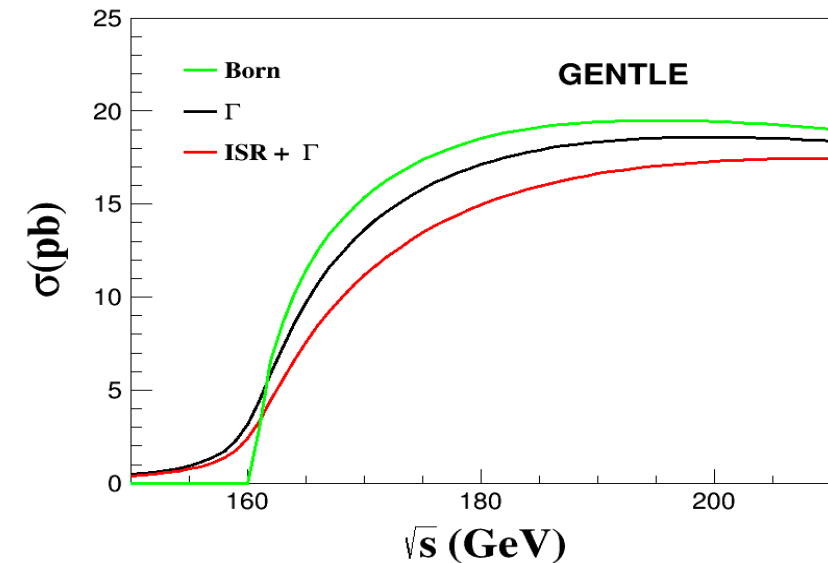
# Theoretical Tool

➤ The  $\sigma_{WW}$  is a function of  $\sqrt{s}$ ,  $m_W$  and  $\Gamma_W$ , which is calculated with the GENTLE package in this work

➤ The ISR correction is also calculated by convoluting the Born cross sections with QED structure function, with the radiator up to NL  $O(\alpha^2)$  and  $O(\beta^3)$

- [1. On the QED radiator at order  \$\alpha^3\$](#)
- [2. Higher Order Radiative Correction](#)

	CC11	ISR	Coulumb	EW	QCD
Gentle	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓



# Statistical and systematic uncertainties

# Statistical uncertainty

$$\triangleright \Delta\sigma_{WW} = \sigma_{WW} \times \frac{\Delta N_{WW}}{N_{WW}} = \sigma_{WW} \times \frac{\sqrt{N_{WW} + N_{bkg}}}{N_{WW}}$$

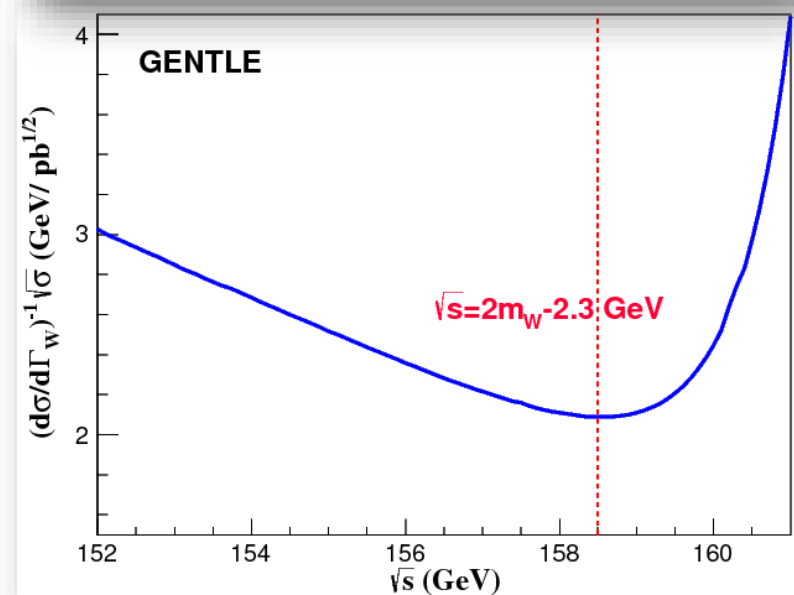
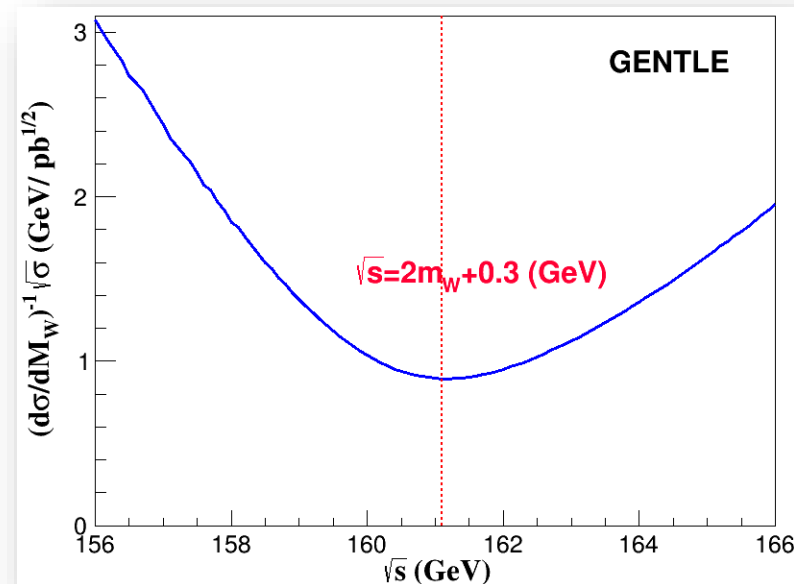
$$= \sqrt{\frac{\sigma_{WW}}{L\epsilon P}} \quad \left(P = \frac{N_{WW}}{N_{WW} + N_{bkg}}\right)$$

$$\triangleright \Delta m_W = \left(\frac{\partial \sigma_{WW}}{\partial m_W}\right)^{-1} \times \Delta\sigma_{WW} = \left(\frac{\partial \sigma_{WW}}{\partial m_W}\right)^{-1} \times \sqrt{\frac{\sigma_{WW}}{L\epsilon P}}$$

$$\triangleright \Delta\Gamma_W = \left(\frac{\partial \sigma_{WW}}{\partial \Gamma_W}\right)^{-1} \times \Delta\sigma_{WW} = \left(\frac{\partial \sigma_{WW}}{\partial m_W}\right)^{-1} \times \sqrt{\frac{\sigma_{WW}}{L\epsilon P}}$$

With  $L=3.2ab^{-1}$ ,  $\epsilon=0.8$ ,  $P=0.9$ :

$\Delta m_W=0.6$  MeV,  $\Delta\Gamma_W=1.4$  MeV (individually)



# Statistical uncertainty

- When there are more than one data point, we can measure both  $m_W$  and  $\Gamma_W$ .
- With the chisquare defined as:

$$\chi^2 = \sum_i \frac{(N_{\text{fit}}^i - N_{\text{obs}}^i)^2}{N_{\text{obs}}^i} = \frac{(\mathcal{L} \epsilon P)^i (\sigma_{\text{fit}}^i - \sigma_{\text{obs}}^i)^2}{\sigma_{\text{obs}}^i}$$

the error matrix is in the form:

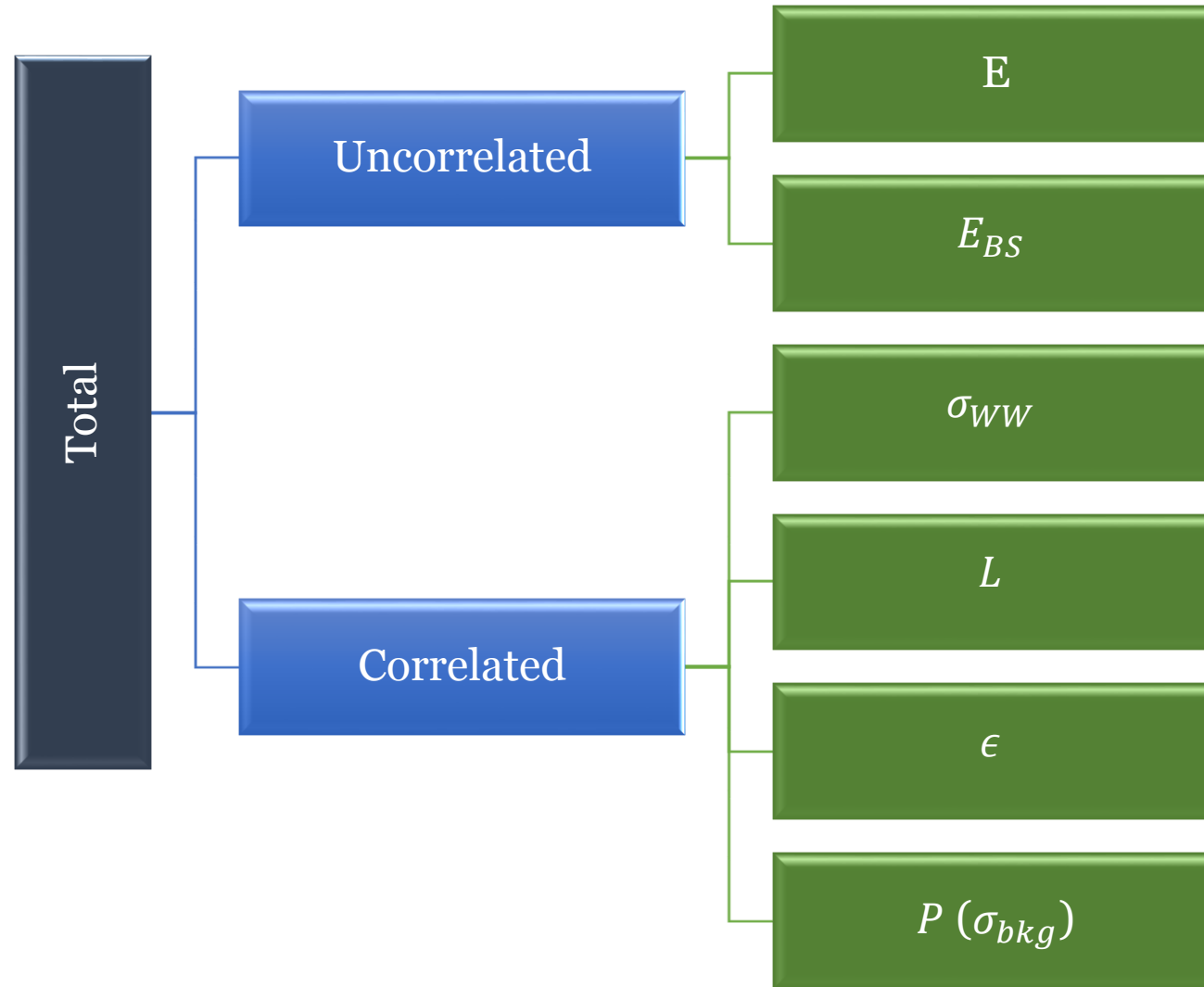
$$V = \frac{1}{2} \times \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial^2 \chi^2}{\partial m_W^2} & \frac{\partial^2 \chi^2}{\partial m_W \partial \Gamma_W} \\ \frac{\partial^2 \chi^2}{\partial m_W \partial \Gamma_W} & \frac{\partial^2 \chi^2}{\partial \Gamma_W^2} \end{pmatrix}^{-1} = \sum_i \begin{pmatrix} \frac{(\mathcal{L} \epsilon P)^i}{\sigma_{\text{obs}}^i} \left( \frac{\partial \sigma}{\partial m_W} \right)^2 & \frac{(\mathcal{L} \epsilon P)^i}{\sigma_{\text{obs}}^i} \frac{\partial \sigma}{\partial m_W} \frac{\partial \sigma}{\partial \Gamma_W} \\ \frac{(\mathcal{L} \epsilon P)^i}{\sigma_{\text{obs}}^i} \frac{\partial \sigma}{\partial m_W} \frac{\partial \sigma}{\partial \Gamma_W} & \frac{(\mathcal{L} \epsilon P)^i}{\sigma_{\text{obs}}^i} \left( \frac{\partial \sigma}{\partial \Gamma_W} \right)^2 \end{pmatrix}^{-1}$$

- When the number of fit parameter reduce to 1:

$$\Delta m_W = \left( \frac{\partial \sigma_{WW}}{\partial m_W} \right)^{-1} \times \Delta \sigma_{WW} = \left( \frac{\partial \sigma_{WW}}{\partial m_W} \right)^{-1} \times \sqrt{\frac{\sigma_{WW}}{L \epsilon P}}$$




# Systematic uncertainty



# Beam energy uncertainty $\Delta E$

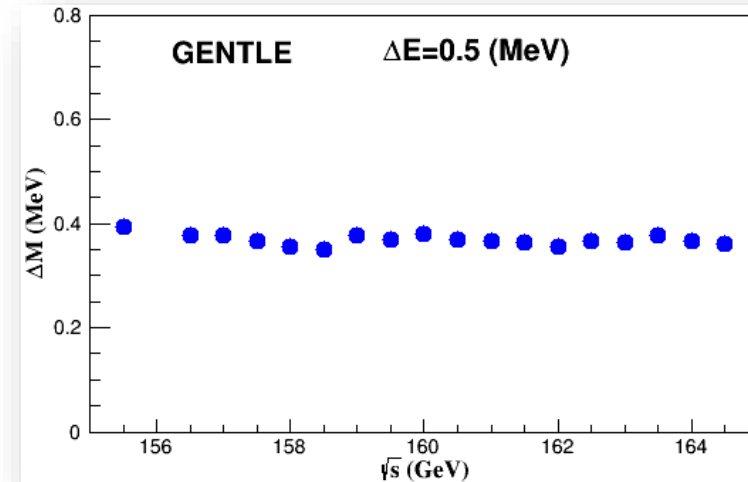
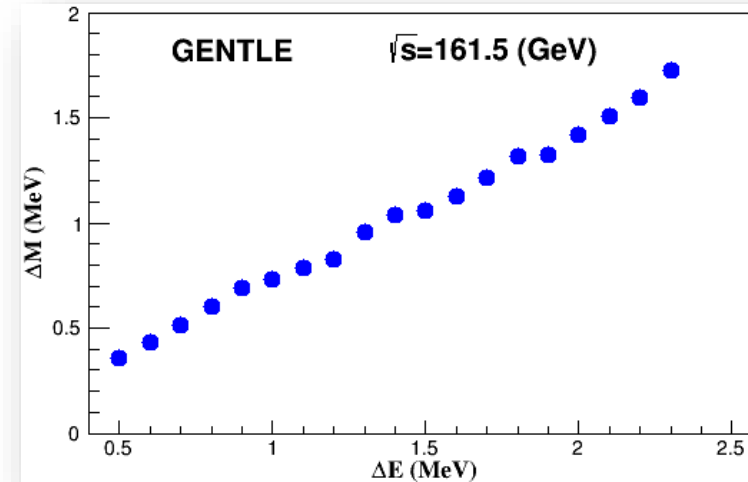
- With  $\Delta E$ , the total energy becomes:

$$E = G(E_p, \Delta E) + G(E_m, \Delta E)$$

- $E$  is used in the data simulation, and

$$E_0 = E_p + E_m \text{ is for the fit formula.}$$

- The  $\Delta m_W$  will be large when  $\Delta E$  increase, and almost independent with  $\sqrt{s}$ .



# Beam energy spread uncertainty $\Delta E_{BS}$

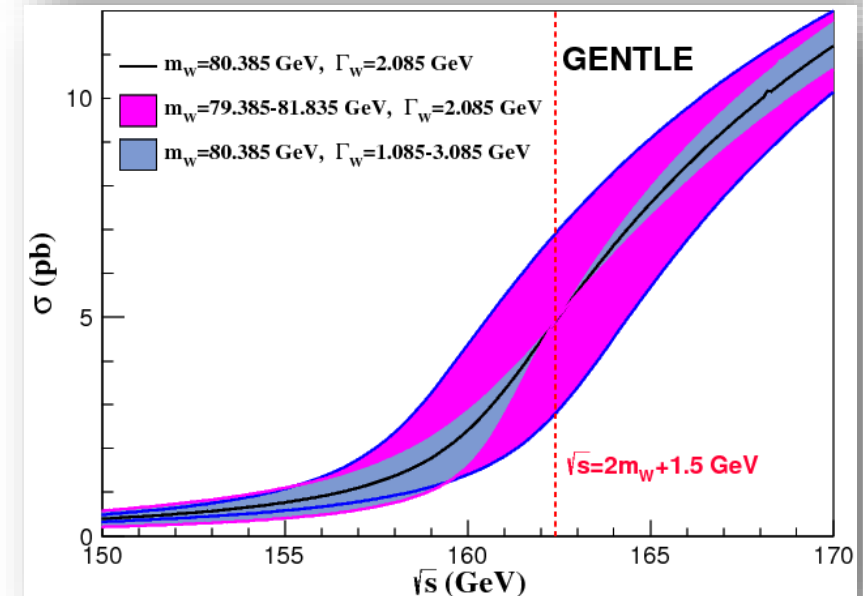
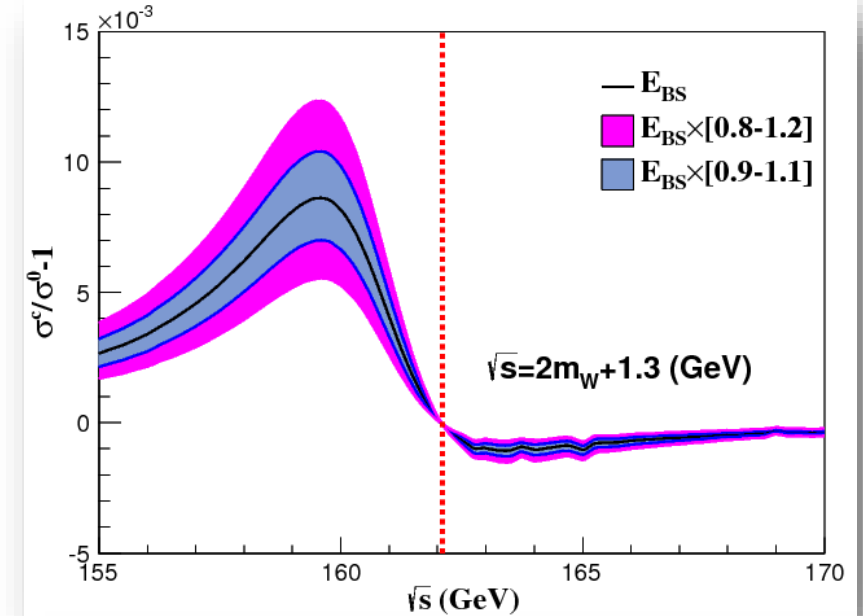
➤ With  $E_{BS}$ , the  $\sigma_{WW}$  becomes:

$$\sigma_{WW}(E) = \int_0^\infty \sigma_{WW}(E') \times G(E, E') dE'$$

$$\approx \int_{E-6\sqrt{2}\Delta E_{BS}}^{E+6\sqrt{2}\Delta E_{BS}} \sigma(E') \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sqrt{2}E_{BS}} e^{\frac{-(E-E')^2}{2(\sqrt{2}E_{BS})^2}} dE'$$

➤  $E_{BS} + \Delta E_{BS}$  is used in the simulation, and  $E_{BS}$  is for the fit formula.

➤ The  $m_W$  insensitive to  $\Delta E_{BS}$  when taking data around 162.1 GeV



# Correlated sys. uncertainty

- The correlated sys. uncertainty includes:  $\Delta L$ ,  $\Delta\sigma_{WW}$ ,  $\Delta\epsilon$ ,  $\Delta P$ ...
- Since  $N_{obs} = L \cdot \sigma \cdot \frac{\epsilon}{P}$ , these uncertainties affect  $m_W$  and  $\Gamma_W$  in same way.
- We take  $L$  as an example, and use the total correlated sys. uncertainty in data taking optimization:

$$\sigma^{sys}(corr) = \sqrt{\Delta L^2 + \Delta\sigma_{WW}^2 + \Delta\epsilon^2 + \Delta P^2}$$

# Correlated sys. uncertainty $\Delta L$ (1)

- With  $\Delta L$  (relative), the  $L$  becomes:

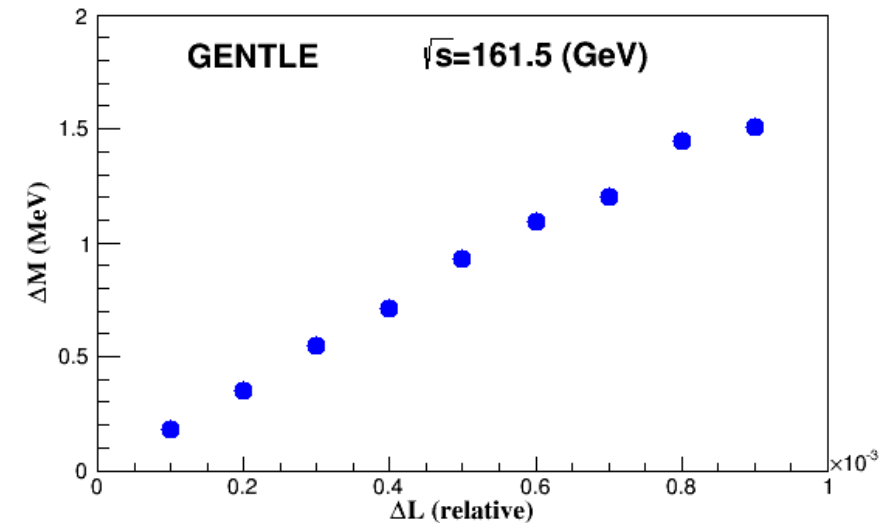
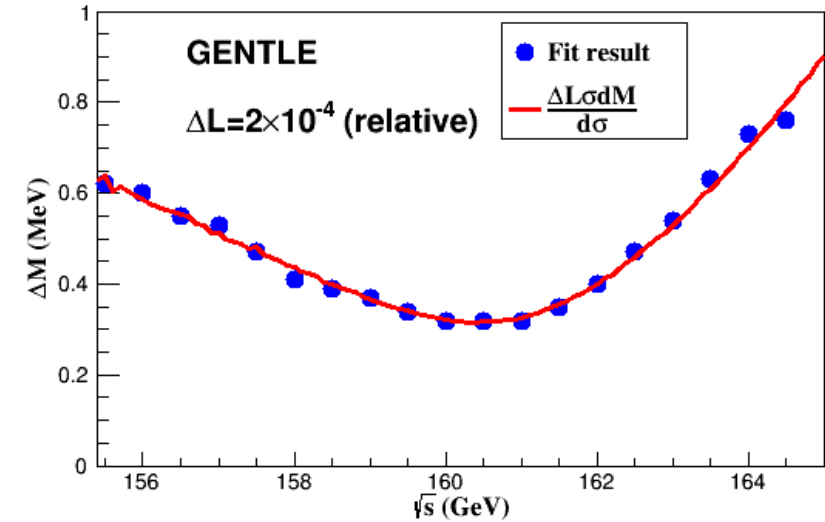
$$L = G(L^0, \Delta L \cdot L^0)$$

$L$  is used for simulation, and  $L^0$  is for fit

$$\Delta m_W = \frac{\partial m_W}{\partial \sigma_{WW}} \sigma \Delta L$$



- The  $\Delta m_W$  almost increases linearly along with  $\Delta L$



# Correlated sys. uncertainty $\Delta L$ (2)

- If there is more than 1 data taking point, the correlated sys. uncertainty can be constructed into the  $\chi^2$ :

$$\chi^2 = \sum_i^n \frac{(y_i - h \cdot x_i)^2}{\delta_i^2} + \frac{(h - 1)^2}{\delta_c^2}$$

$y_i, x_i$  are the true and fit results,  $h$  is a free parameter,  $\delta_i$  and  $\delta_c$  are the independent and correlated uncertainties.

- There will be no bias in the fit result with this method, and the  $\Delta m_W(\Delta L)$  will be reduced.

# Data taking scheme

## Data taking scheme

### One point

- Smallest  $\Delta m_W, \Delta \Gamma_W$  (stat.)
- Large sys. Uncertainties
- Only for  $m_W$  or  $\Gamma_W$ , without correlation

### Two points

- Measure  $m_W$  and  $\Gamma_W$  simultaneously
- Without the correlation

### Three points

- Measure  $m_W$  and  $\Gamma_W$  simultaneously, with the correlation
- Maybe increase the  $\Delta m_W, \Delta \Gamma_W$  (stat.)

**With  $L = 3.2 \text{ ab}^{-1}, \epsilon P = 0.72$**

# Taking data at one point (just for $m_W$ )

There are two special energy points :

- The one which most statistical sensitivity to  $m_W$ :

$$\Delta m_W(\text{stat.}) \sim 0.59 \text{ MeV at } E=161.2 \text{ GeV}$$

(with  $\Delta\Gamma_W$  and  $\Delta E_{BS}$  effect)

- The one  $\Delta m_W(\text{stat.}) \sim 0.68 \text{ MeV}$  at  $E \approx 162.5 \text{ GeV}$

(with small  $\Delta\Gamma_W, \Delta E_{BS}$  effects)

With  $\Delta L (\Delta\sigma_{WW}, \Delta\epsilon, \Delta P) < 10^{-4}$ ,  $\sigma^{sys}(\text{corr}) < 2 \times 10^{-4}$

$\Delta E=0.5\text{MeV}$ ,  $\Delta E_{BS}=10^{-2}$ ,  $\Delta\Gamma_W=42\text{MeV}$



$\sqrt{s}(\text{GeV})$	161.2	162.5
$\sigma^{sys}(\text{corr})$	0.35	0.44
$\Delta E$	0.36	0.37
$\Delta E_{BS}$	0.12	-
$\Delta\Gamma_W$	8	-
Stat.	0.59	0.68
$\Delta m_W(\text{MeV})$	8	0.9



# Taking data at two energy points

➤ To measure  $\Delta m_W$  and  $\Delta \Gamma_W$ , we scan the energies and the luminosity fraction of the two data points:

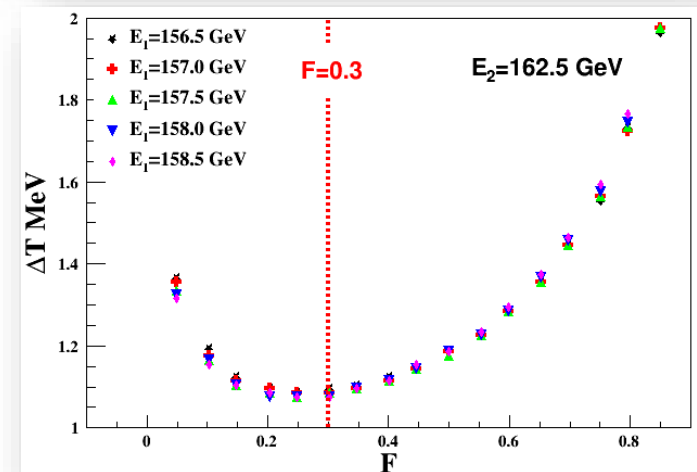
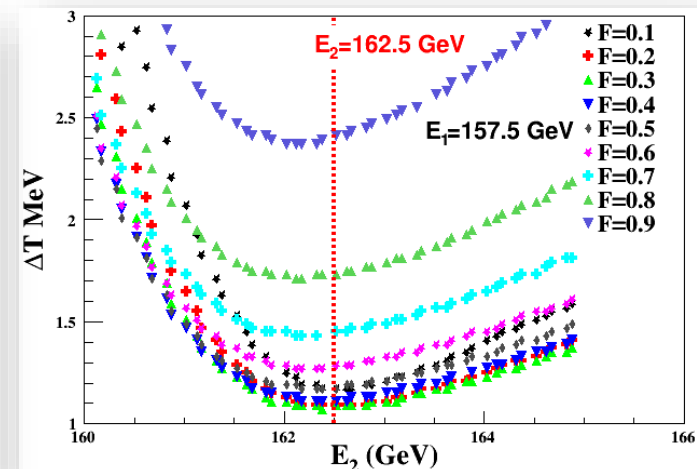
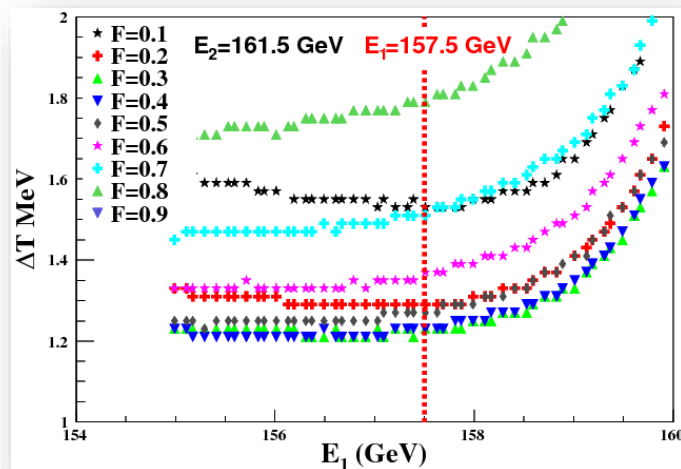
1.  $E_1, E_2 \in [155, 165] \text{ GeV}, \Delta E = 0.1 \text{ GeV}$

2.  $F \equiv \left(\frac{L_1}{L_2}\right) \in (0, 1), \Delta F = 0.05$

➤ Then we define the object function:  $T = m_W + 0.1\Gamma_W$  to optimize the scan parameters (assume  $m_W$  is more important than  $\Gamma_W$ ).

# Taking data at two energy points

- The 3D scan is performed, we just use 2D plots to illustrate the optimization results;
- When draw the  $\Delta T$  change with one parameter, another is fixed with scanning of the third one;
- $E_1=157.5$  GeV,  $E_2=162.5$  GeV (around  $\frac{\partial \sigma_{WW}}{\partial \Gamma_W}=0$ ,  $\frac{\partial \sigma_{WW}}{\partial E_{BS}}=0$ ) and  $F=0.3$  are taken as the result.



$$\begin{aligned} \Delta L (\Delta \sigma_{WW}, \Delta \epsilon, \Delta P) &< 10^{-4} \\ \sigma^{sys}(\text{corr}) &< 2 \times 10^{-4} \\ E_{BS} &= 1.6 \times 10^{-3} \\ \Delta E &= 0.5 \text{ MeV} \\ \Delta \Gamma_W &= 42 \text{ MeV} \\ \Delta E_{BS} &= 0.01 \end{aligned}$$

(MeV)	$\sigma^{sys}(\text{corr})$	$\Delta E$	$\Delta E_{BS}$	Stat.	Total
$\Delta m_W$	0.48	0.38	-	0.81	1.02
$\Delta \Gamma_W$	0.22	0.54	0.88	1.06	2.9

# Taking data at three energy points

- Fit parameters:  $m_W, \Gamma_W, h$  (associated with  $\sigma_{sys}^{corr}$ )
- Scan parameters:  $E_1, E_2, E_3, F_1, F_2$  ( $F_1 = \frac{L_1}{L_2 + L_3}, F_2 = \frac{L_2}{L_3}$ )
- Scan procedure:
  - A.  $E_1, E_2, E_3 \in (154, 165)\text{GeV}, F_1, F_2 \in (0, 1), \Delta E_i = 1, \Delta F_i = 0.1$  ( $\sigma_{stat}$ )
  - B.  $E_1 \in (154, 160), E_2, E_3 \in (160, 164), F_1 \in (0, 0.5), F_2 \in (0, 1), \Delta F_2 = 0.2$  (add  $\sigma_{sys}^{corr}$ )
  - C. Obtain the  $\Delta m_W, \Delta \Gamma_W$  with optimization result from step B ( $\sigma_{stat} + \sigma_{sys}^{corr} + \Delta E + \Delta E_{BS}$ )

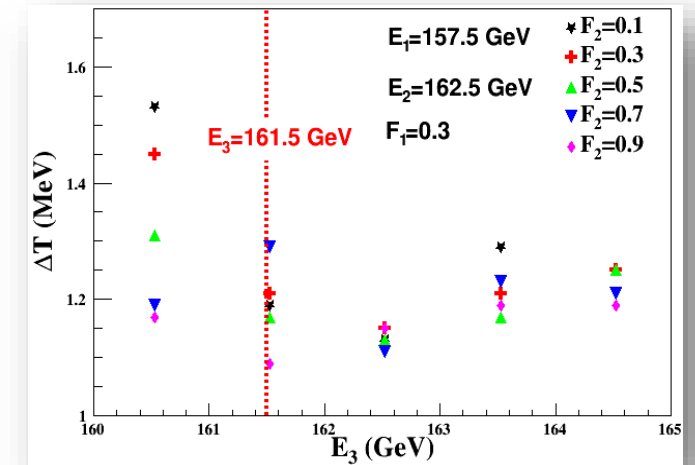
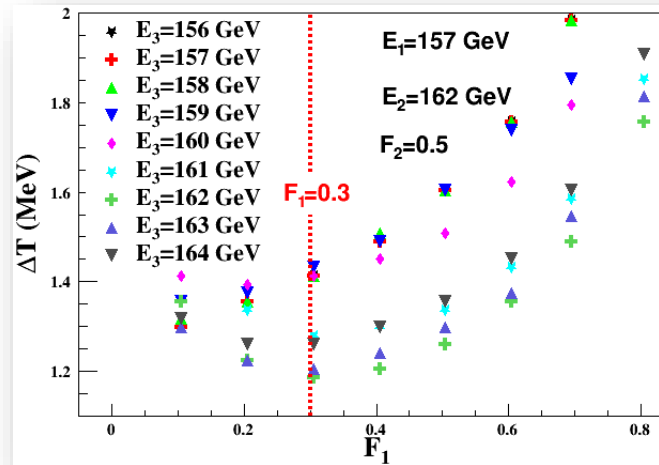
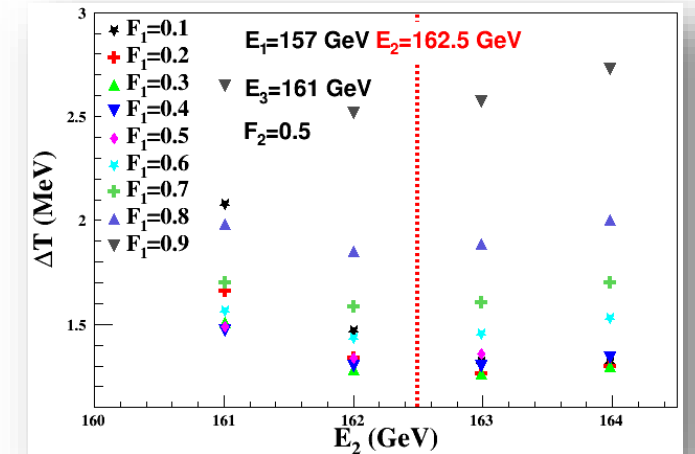
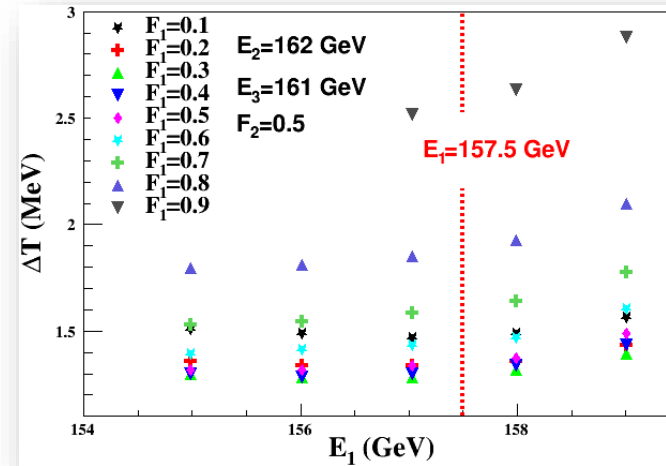
# Taking data at three energy points

The optimized results:

$E_1$	157.5 GeV
$E_2$	162.5 GeV
$F_1$	0.3
$E_3$	161.5 GeV
$F_2$	0.9

$\Delta m_W \sim 1 \text{ MeV}$   
 $\Delta \Gamma_W \sim 2.8 \text{ MeV}$

$\Delta L (\Delta \sigma_{WW}, \Delta \epsilon, \Delta P) < 10^{-4}$   
 $\sigma^{sys}(\text{corr}) < 2 \times 10^{-4}$   
 $E_{BS} = 1.6 \times 10^{-3}$   
 $\Delta E = 0.5 \text{ MeV}$   
 $\Delta \Gamma_W = 42 \text{ MeV}$   
 $\Delta E_{BS} = 0.01$



# Summary

- The precise measurement of  $m_W$  ( $\Gamma_W$ ) is studied (threshold scan method)
- Different data taking schemes are investigated, based on the stat. and sys. uncertainties analysis.

- With the configurations :

$$L_{tot} = 3.2 \text{ ab}^{-1}, \epsilon P = 0.72, \sigma_{sys}^{corr} = 2 \times 10^{-4}$$

$$\Delta E = 0.5 \text{ MeV}, E_{BS} = 1.6 \times 10^{-3}, \Delta E_{BS} = 0.01$$



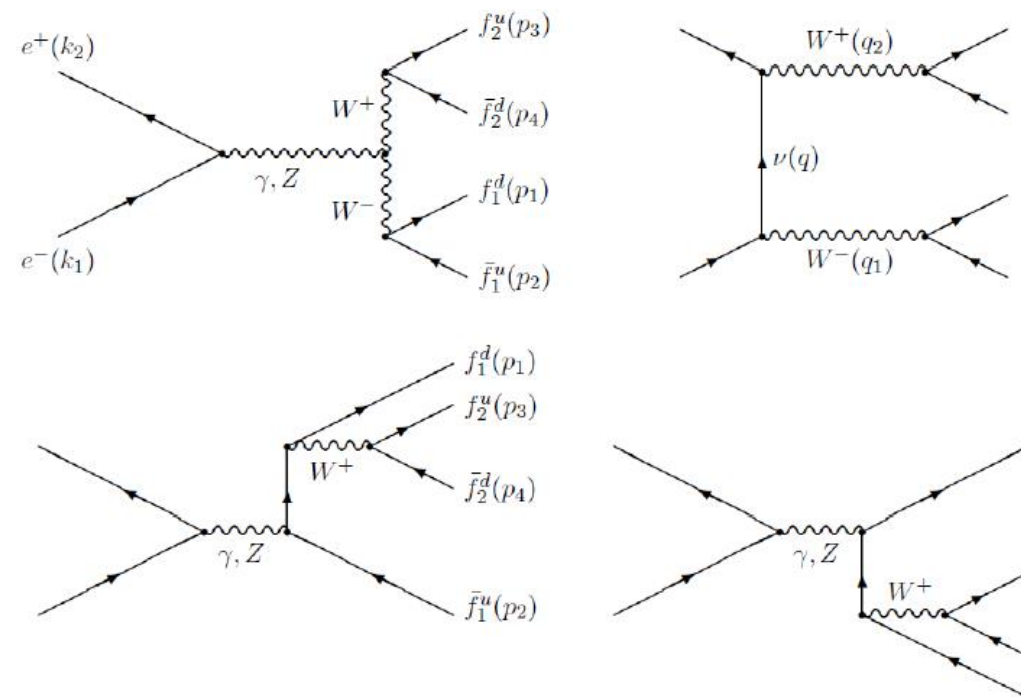
Data points	$\Delta m_W$ (MeV)	$\Delta \Gamma_W$ (MeV)
1	0.9	-
2	1.0	2.9
3	1.0	2.8

Thank you !

# Backup

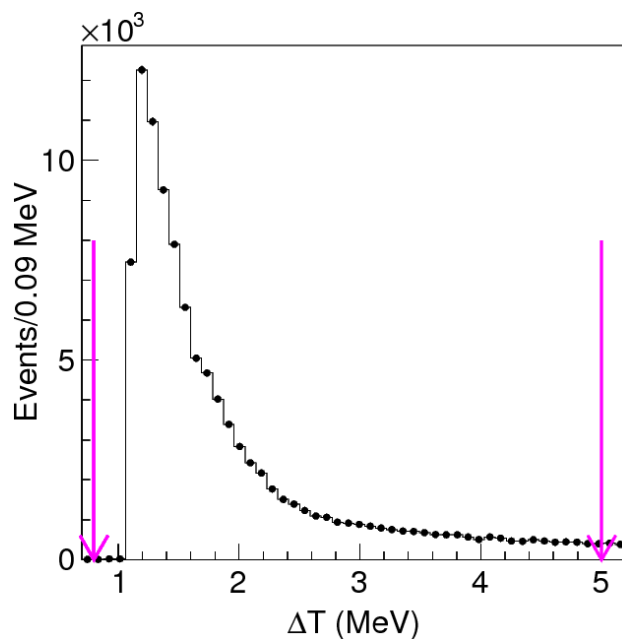
# Theoretical Tool

- Process: CC11, the minimal gauge-invariant subset of Feynman diagrams
- QED corrections: ISR, FSR, Coulomb, EM interaction of  $W$  pair ....
- EW correction: effective scale of the  $W$  pair production and decay process
- QCD correction

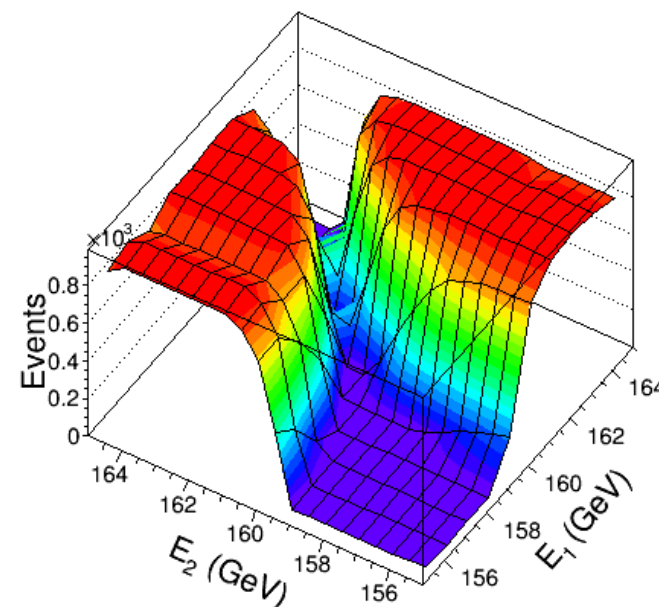


# Optimizing results for two data points





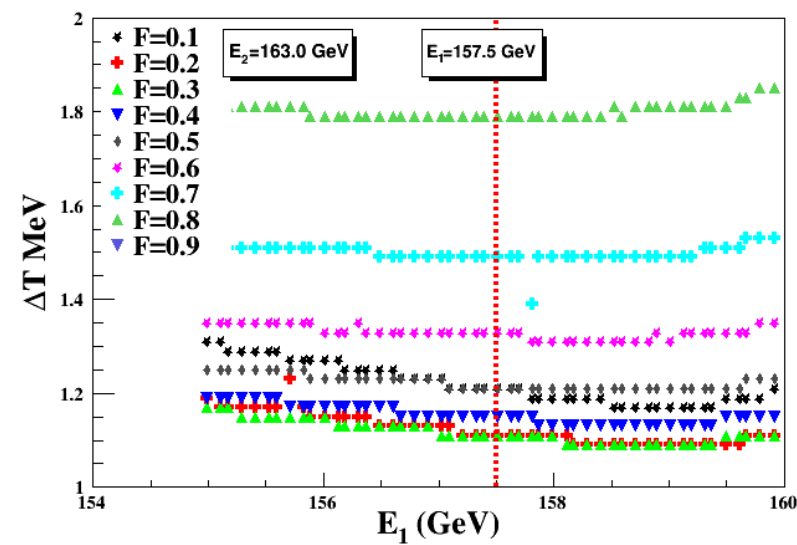
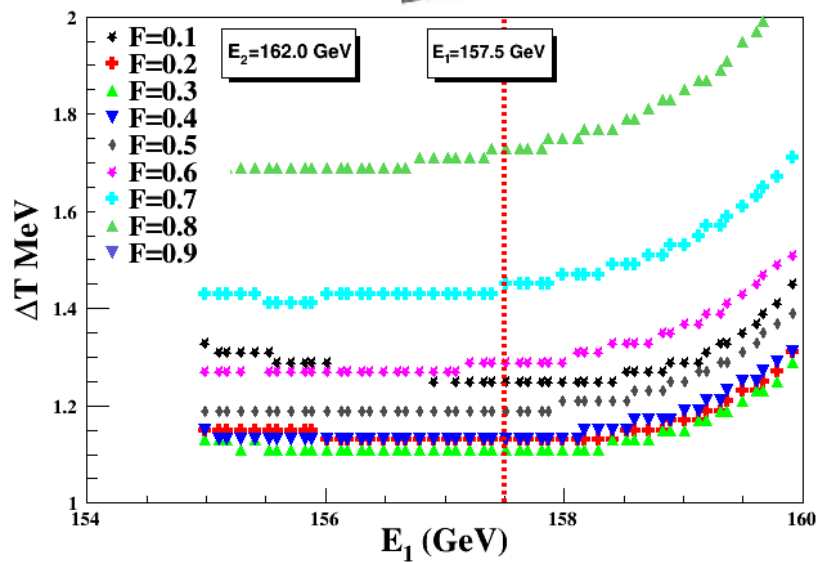
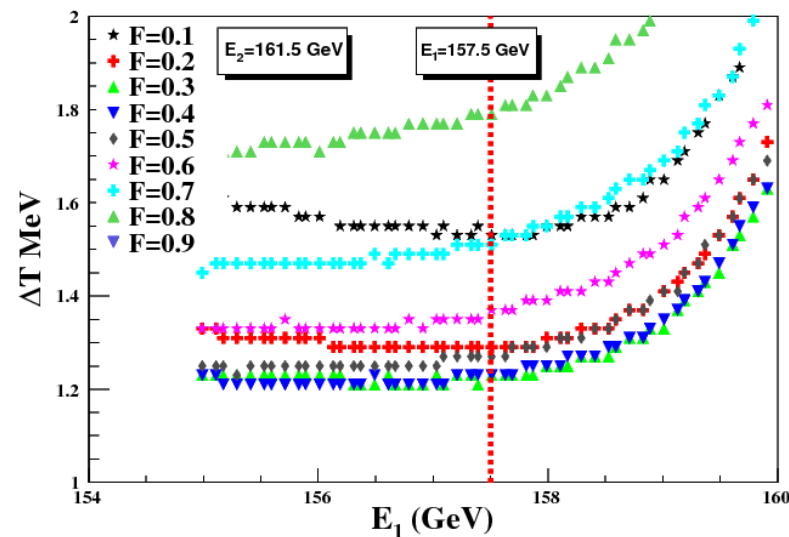
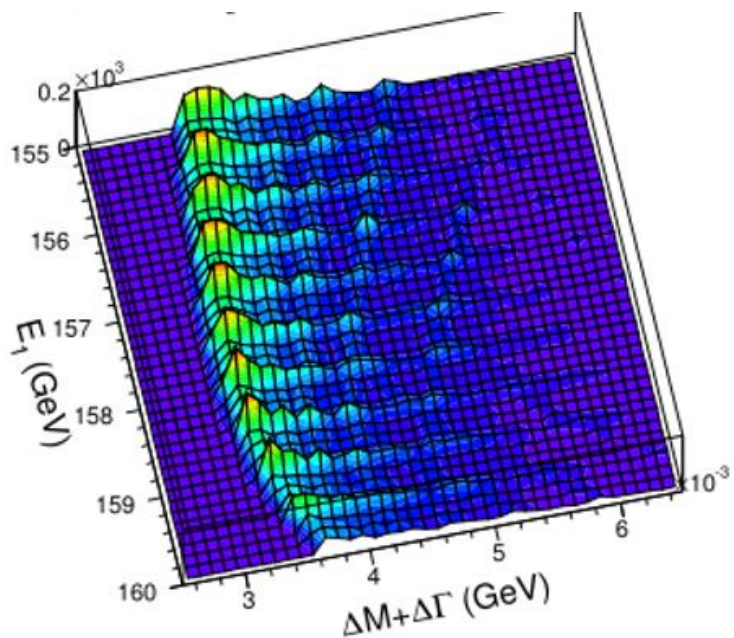
$\Delta T \in (0.8, 3)\text{MeV}$  is required in further study

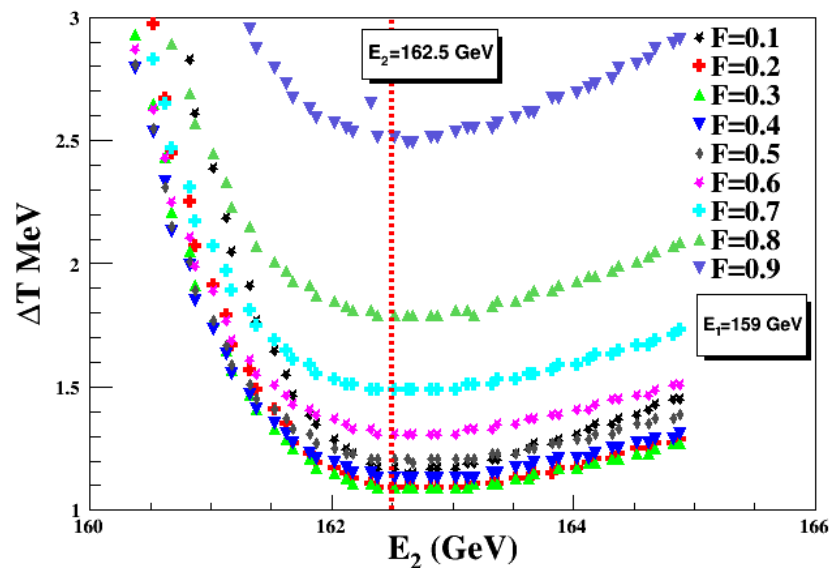
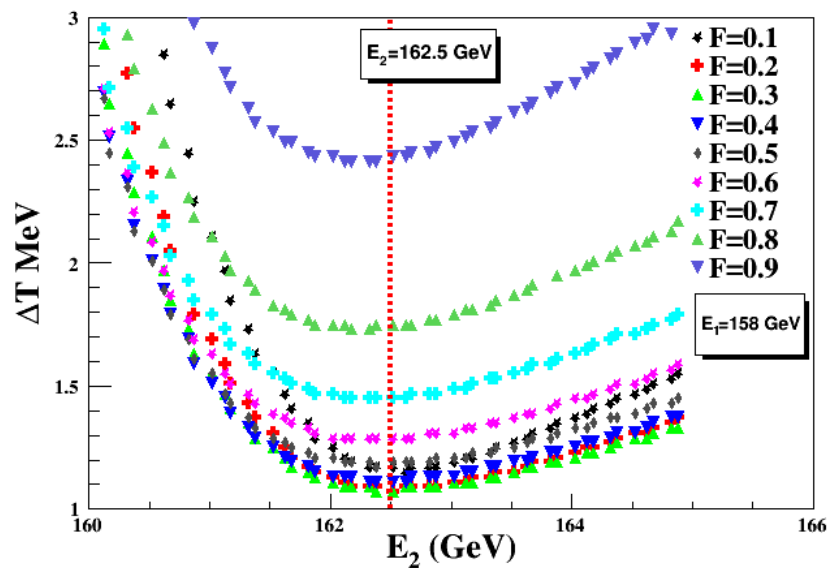
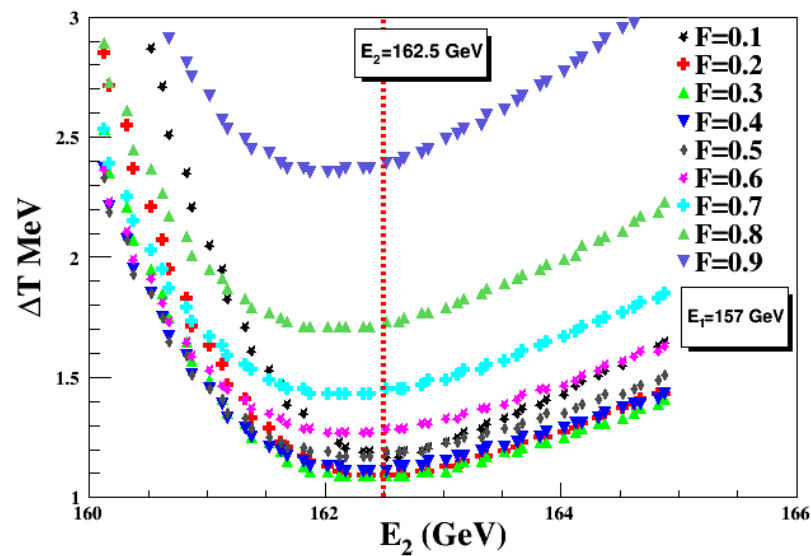
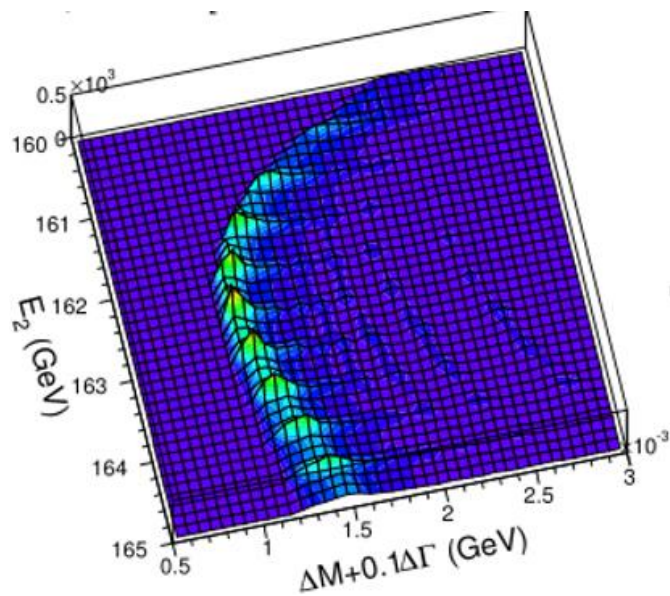


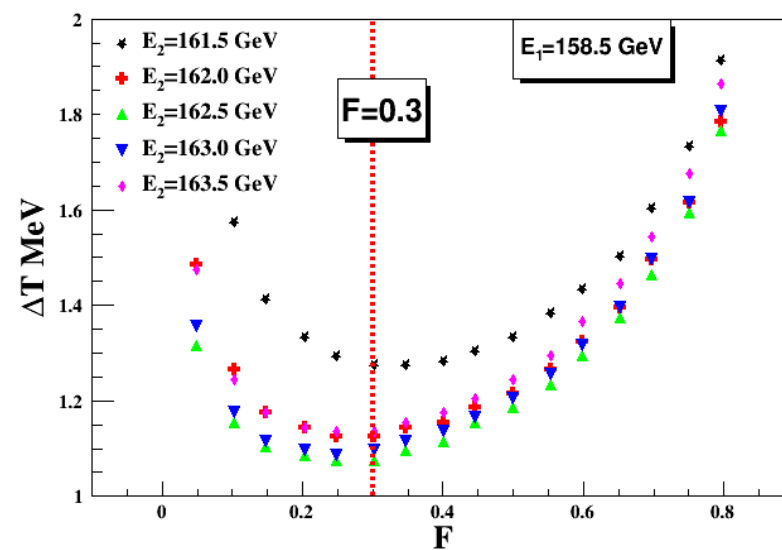
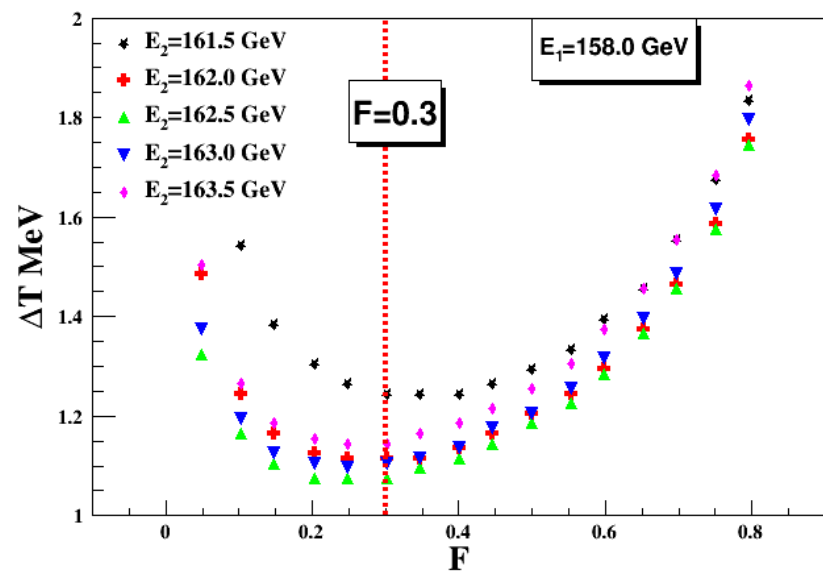
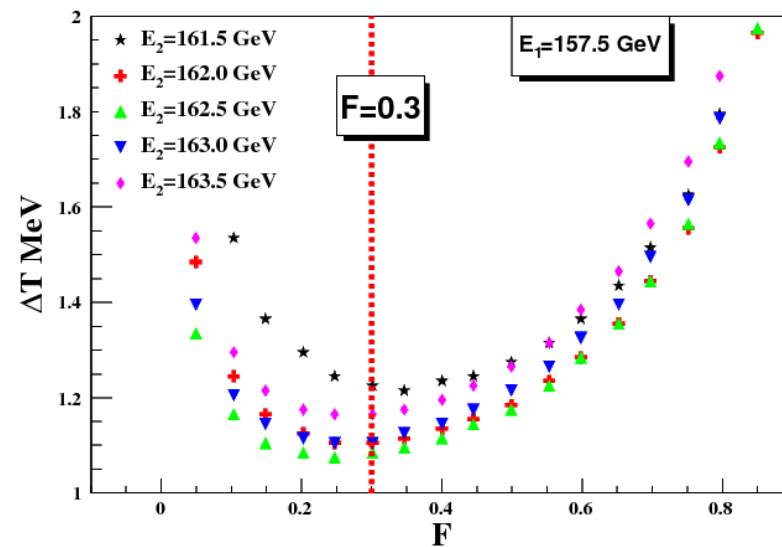
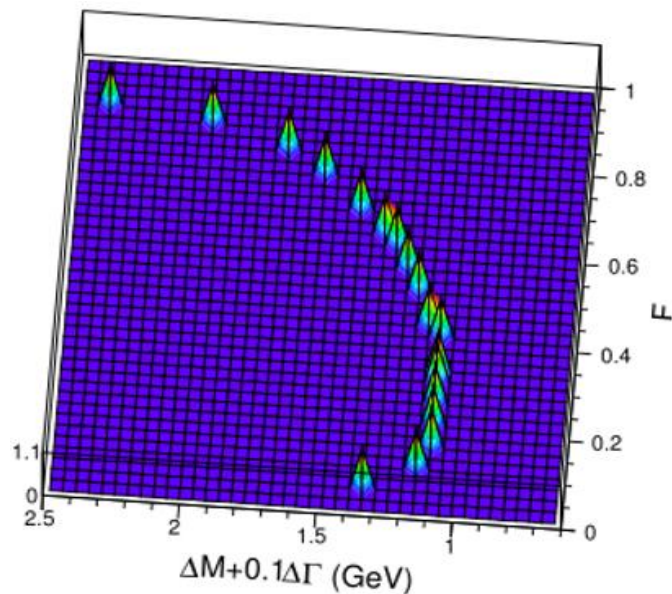
The z axis is the accumulation of the fit results

The normal distribution of  $E_1:E_2$  is break, and divide into two parts.  
 $E_1 < 160 \text{ GeV}, E_2 > 160 \text{ GeV}$  is used

# $E_1$





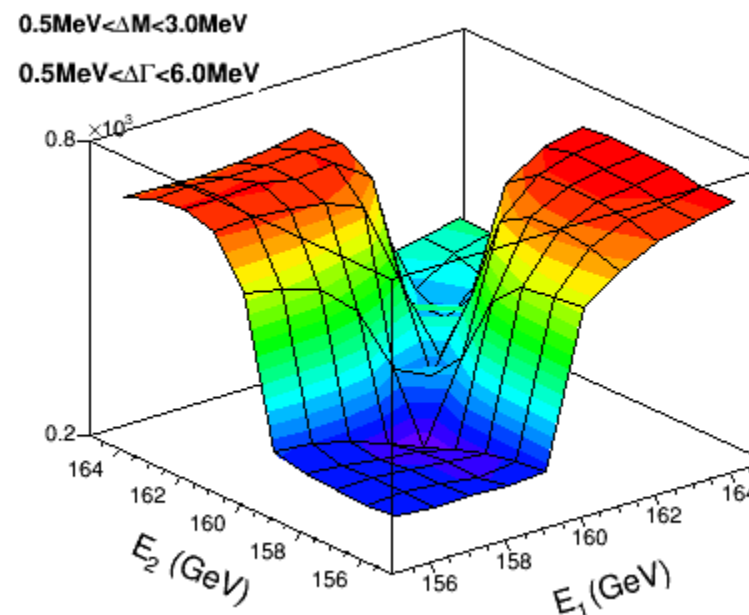
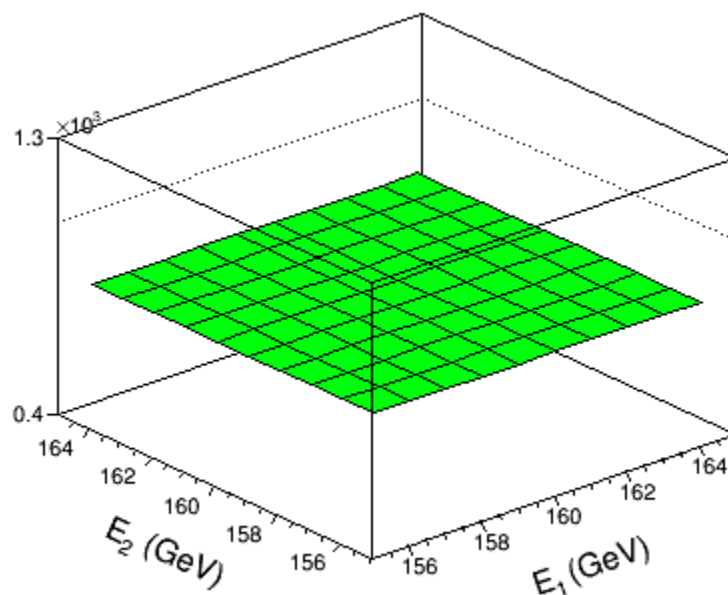


With :  $E_1=157.5$  GeV,  $E_2=162.5$  GeV,  $\sigma^{sys}(\text{corr.}) = 2 \times 10^{-4}(\text{relative})$ ,  
 $\Delta E_{BS}=1.6 \times 10^{-3}(\text{relative})$ ,  $\Delta E=0.5$  MeV

F	$\Delta m_W$ (MeV)						$\Delta \Gamma_W$ (MeV)					
	Stat.	Sys.				Total	Stat.	Sys.				Total
		$\sigma(\text{corr.})$	$\Delta E$	$\Delta E_{BS}$	$\sigma_{tot}^{sys}$			$\sigma(\text{corr.})$	$\Delta E$	$\Delta E_{BS}$	$\sigma_{tot}^{sys}$	
0.1	0.71	0.47	0.35	–	0.92	0.92	4.6	0.31	0.52	0.43	0.74	4.7
0.15	0.73	0.47	0.37	–	0.94	0.94	3.7	0.28	0.52	0.55	0.8	3.8
0.2	0.76	0.45	0.37	–	0.96	0.96	3.3	0.26	0.52	0.60	0.84	3.4
0.25	0.78	0.46	0.37	–	0.98	0.98	3.0	0.23	0.51	0.76	0.94	3.1
0.3	0.81	0.48	0.38	–	1.02	1.02	2.7	0.22	0.54	0.88	1.06	2.9

# Optimizing results for three data points

# Step A: $E_1, E_2$

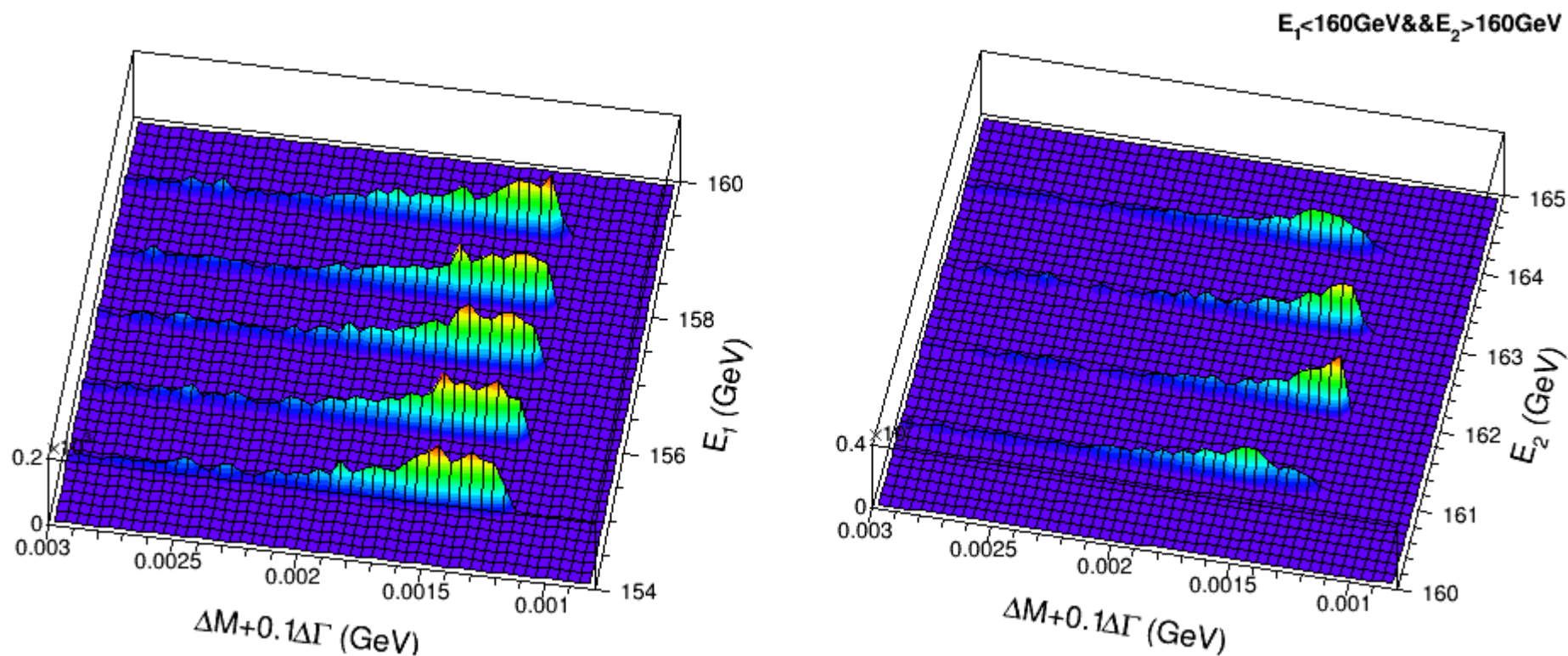


The z axis is the accumulation of the fit result. The edge of the distributions will affect the optimization results.

$E_1 < 160, E_2 > 160$  GeV is used in further optimization



# Step A: $E_1, E_2$

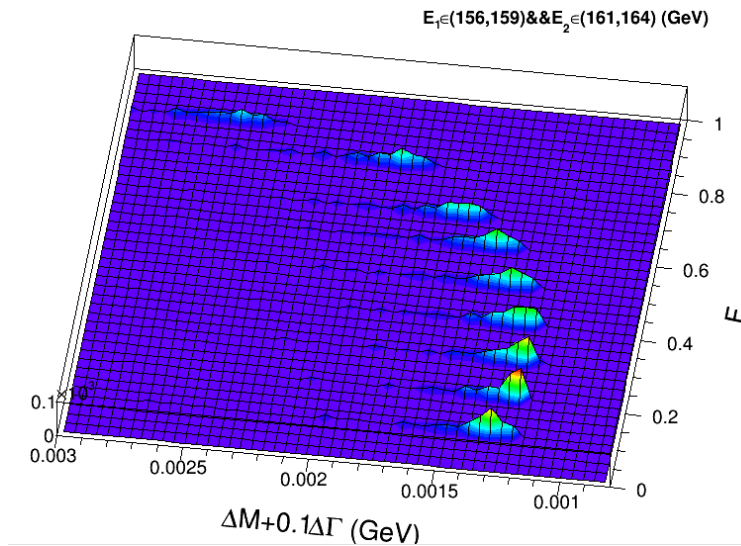


The optimal regions of  $E_1, E_2$  are similar as two data points:

$$E_1 \sim (157, 158) \text{ GeV}, \quad E_2 \sim (162, 163) \text{ GeV}$$



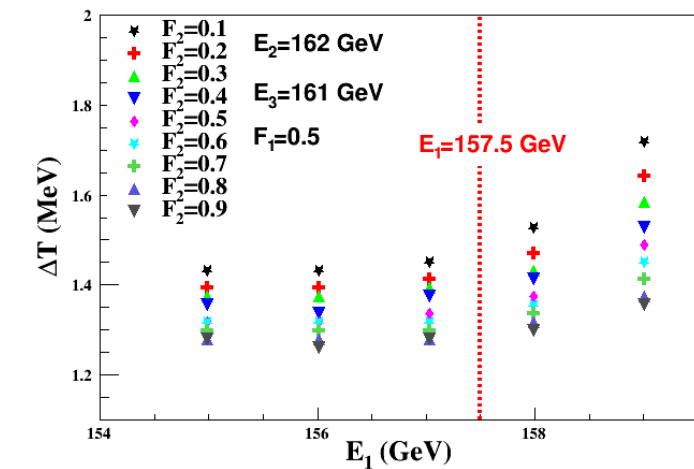
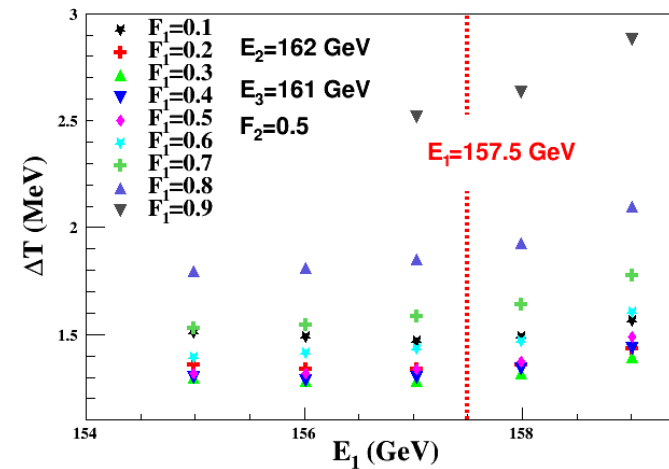
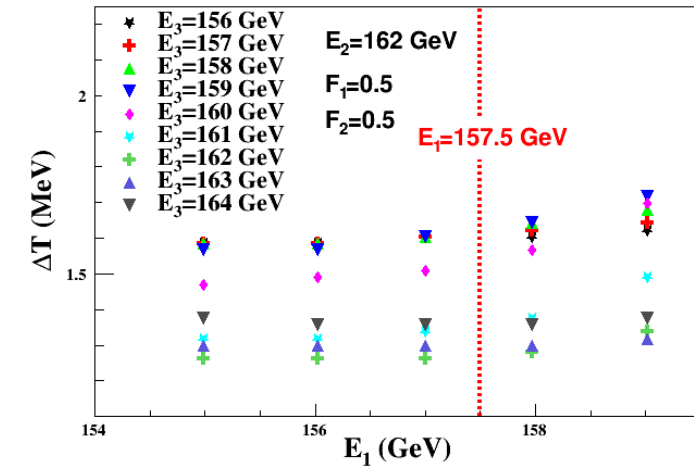
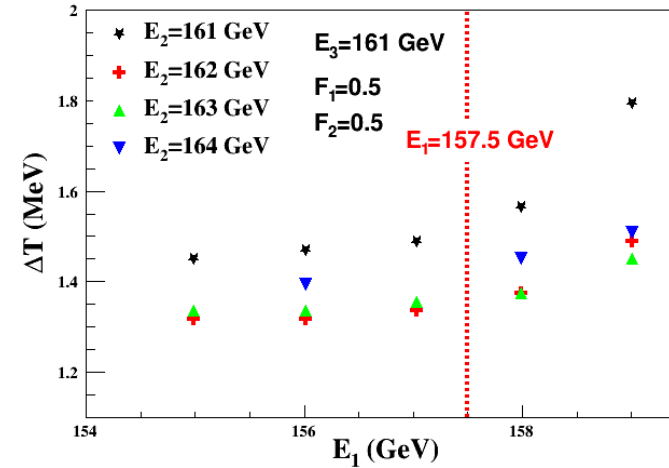
# Step A: $F_1$



The optimal region of  $F_1$  is similar as two data points:  $F_1 \sim 0.3$

# Optimization of $E_1$

- Default values:  
 $E_2 = 162 \text{ GeV}$   
 $E_3 = 161 \text{ GeV}$   
 $F_1 = F_2 = 0.5$
- We change one variable with fixing other three, and get the  $\Delta T$  along  $E_1$  distributions.
- $E_1 = 157.5 \text{ GeV}$  is taken as the optimized result.



# Optimization of $E_2$

- Default values:

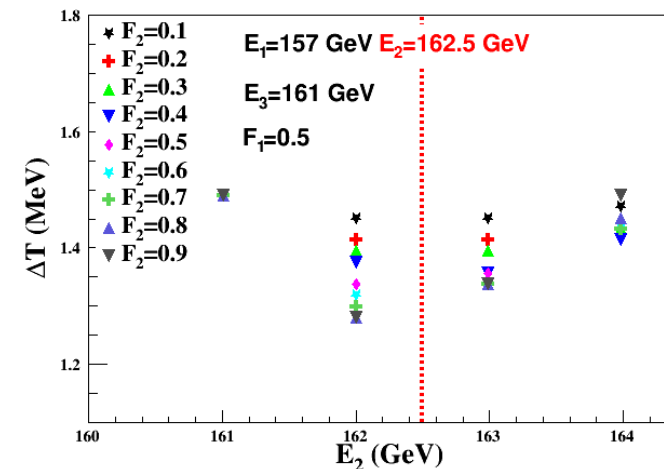
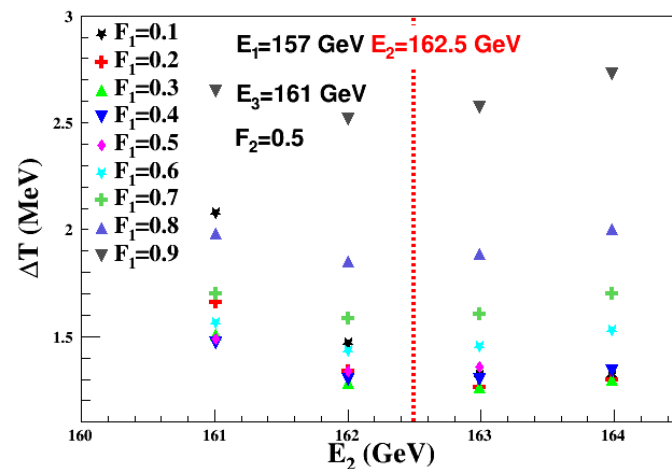
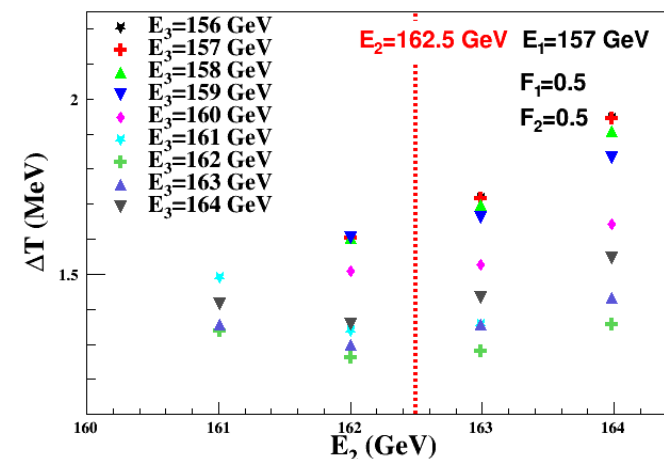
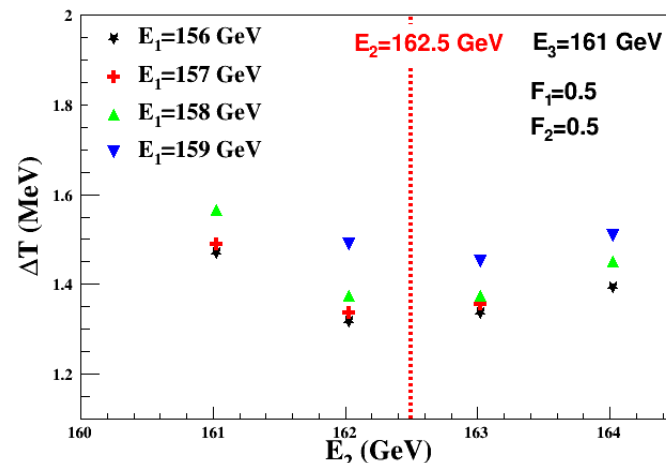
$$E_1 = 157 \text{ GeV}$$

$$E_3 = 161 \text{ GeV}$$

$$F_1 = F_2 = 0.5$$

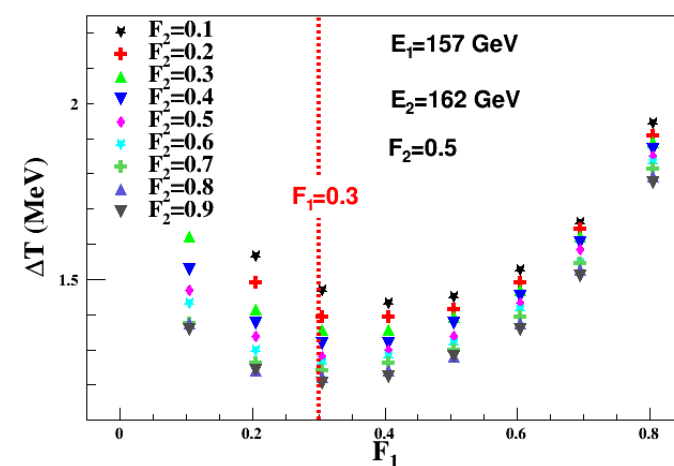
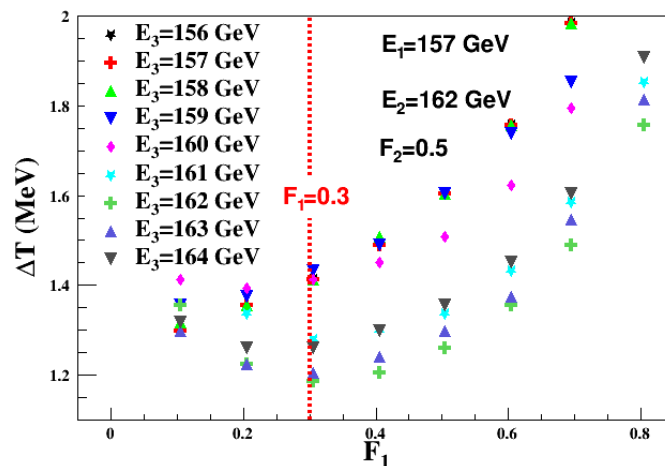
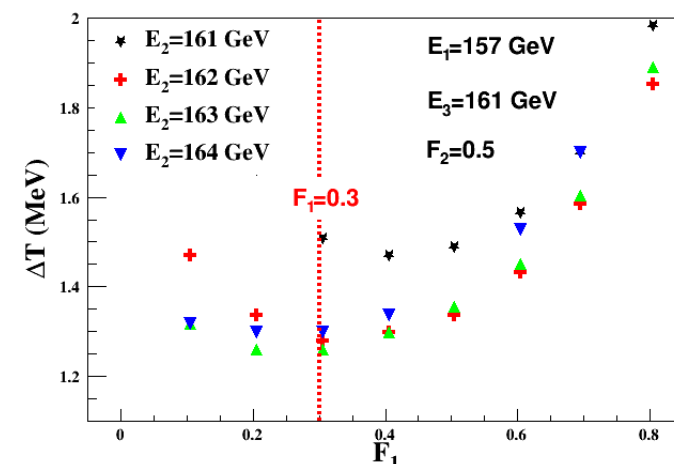
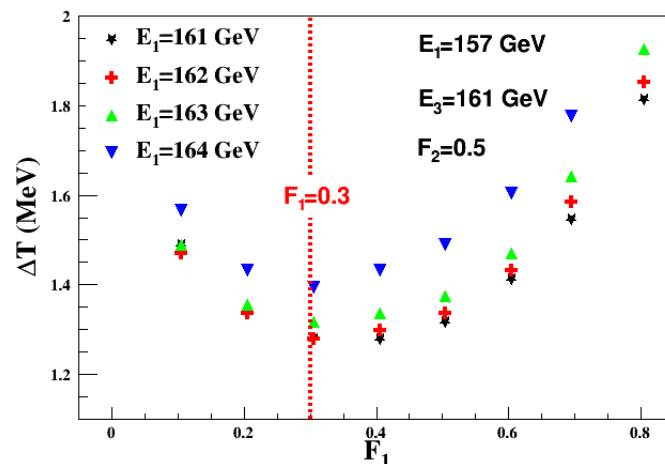
- We change one variable with fixing other three, and get the  $\Delta T$  along  $E_2$  distributions.

- $E_2 = 162.5 \text{ GeV}$  is taken as the optimized result.



# Optimization of $F_1$

- Default values:  
 $E_1=157$  GeV  
 $E_2=162$  GeV  
 $E_3=161$  GeV  
 $F_2=0.5$
- We change one variable with fixing other three, and get the  $\Delta T$  along  $E_2$  distributions.
- $F_1=0.3$  is taken as the optimized result.



# Step B

- Use the rough results from step A, the requirements below are used:

$$E_1 \in (155, 160)$$

$$E_2 \in (160, 164)$$

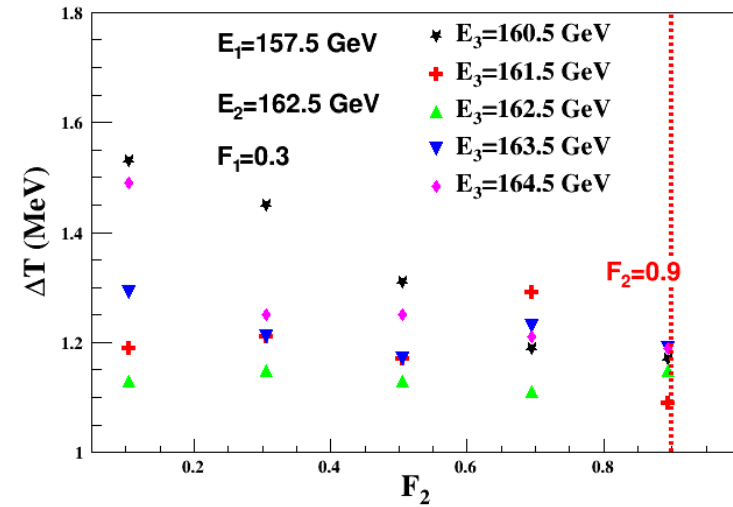
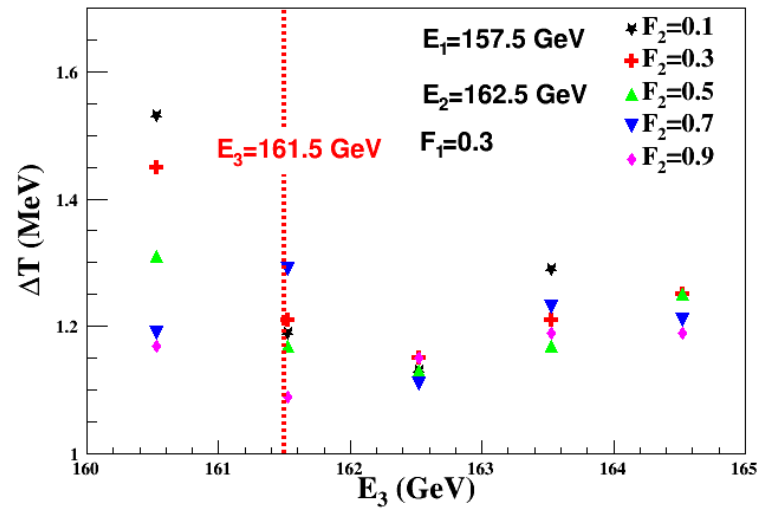
$$E_3 \in (160, 164)$$

$$F_1 = 0.3, F_2 \in (0, 1)$$

the  $\sigma_{sys}^{corr}$  is considered in the fit.

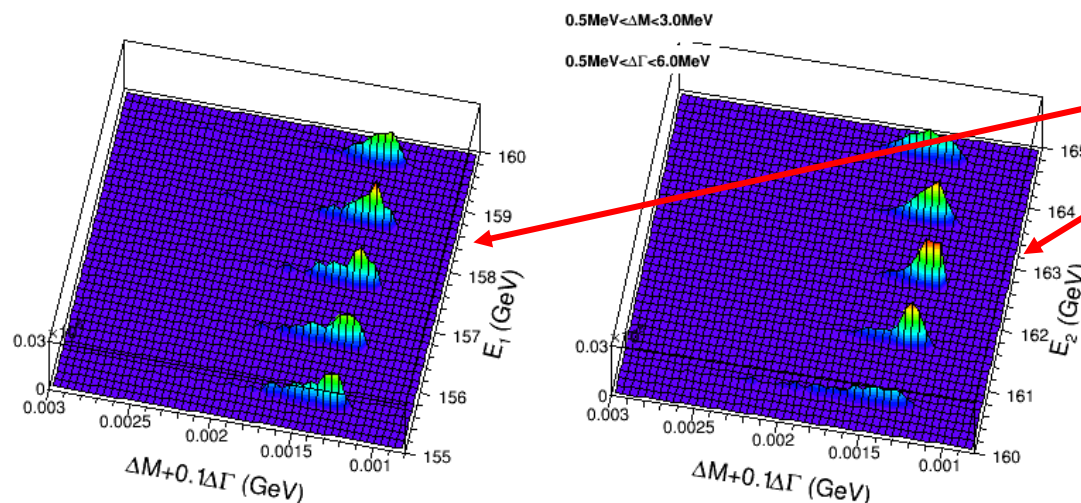
- For each specific scan, 200 samplings are used,  $\sigma_{WW} \sim G(\sigma_{WW}^0, \sigma_{sys}^{corr})$
- So we can get the results by fitting the distributions of  $m_W, \Gamma_W$  of the specific scan results.

# Optimization of $E_3$ and $F_2$



$E_3 = 161.5$  GeV and  $F_2 = 0.9$  are taken as the optimized results

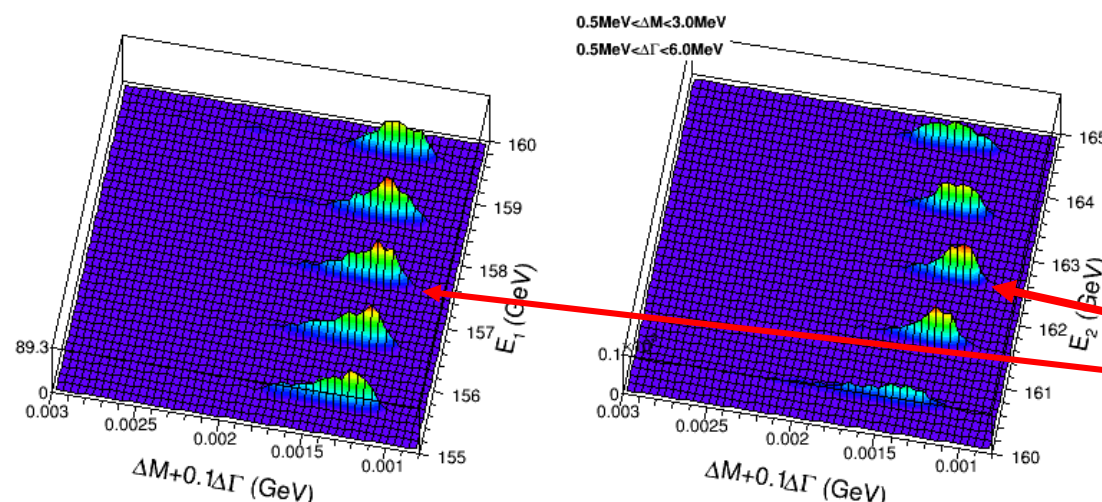
# Step B: $E_1, E_2$



Direct fit results

The optimal regions of  $E_1, E_2$  from these two results are consistent and the results are similar as two data points:

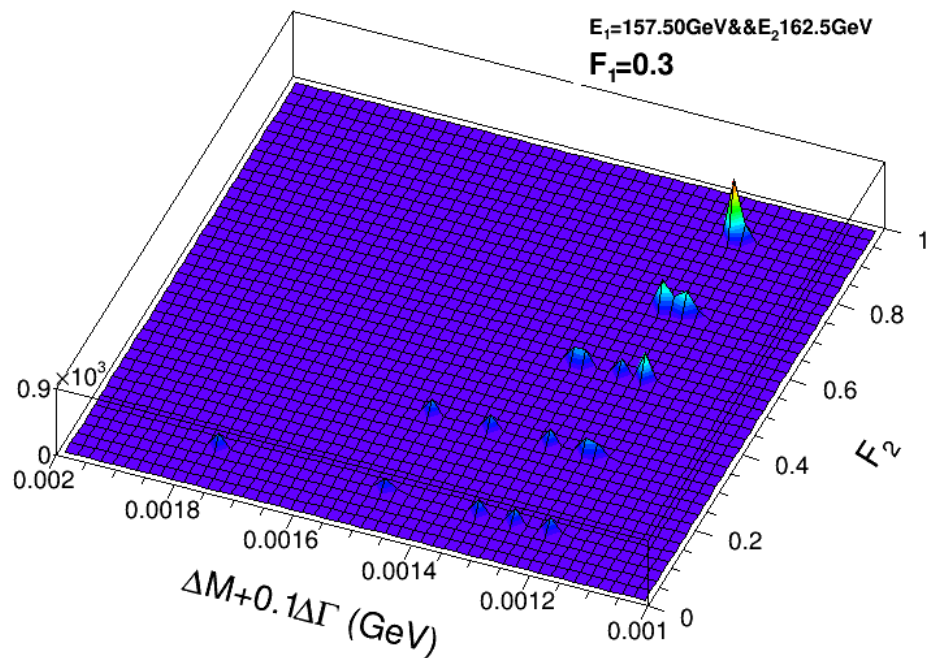
$$E_1 \sim 157.5 \text{ GeV}, \quad E_2 \sim 162.5 \text{ GeV}$$



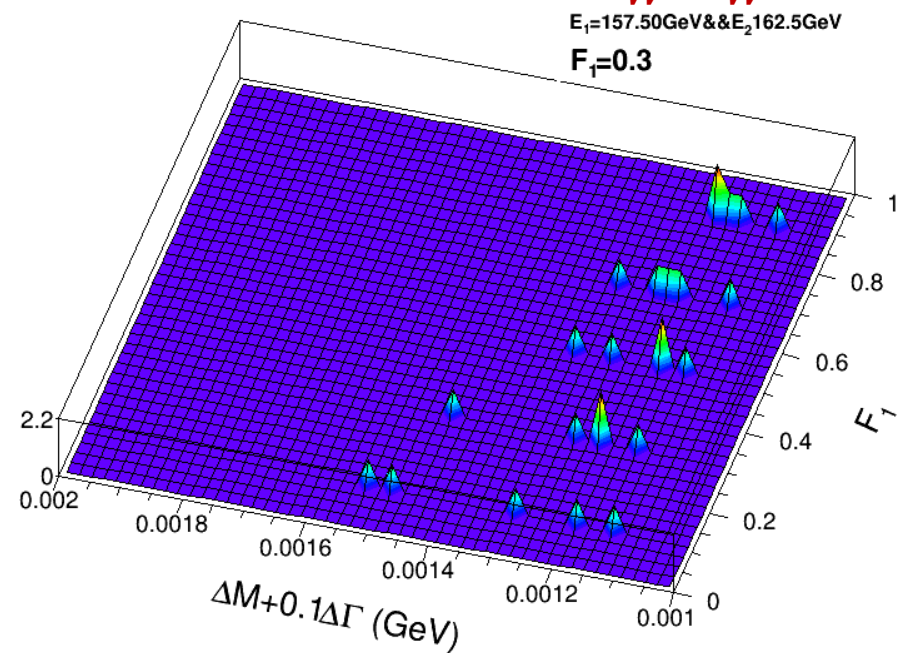
Fit the  $m_W, \Gamma_W$  of each fit results

# Step B: $F_2$

Direct fit results



Fit the  $m_W, \Gamma_W$  of each fit results

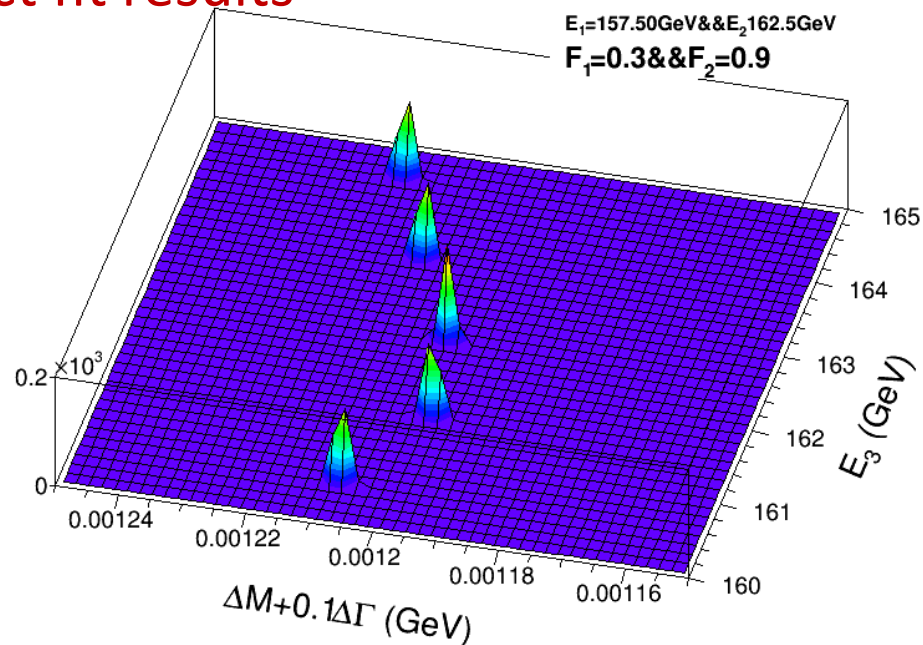


The  $F_2 = 0.9$  is used in further study

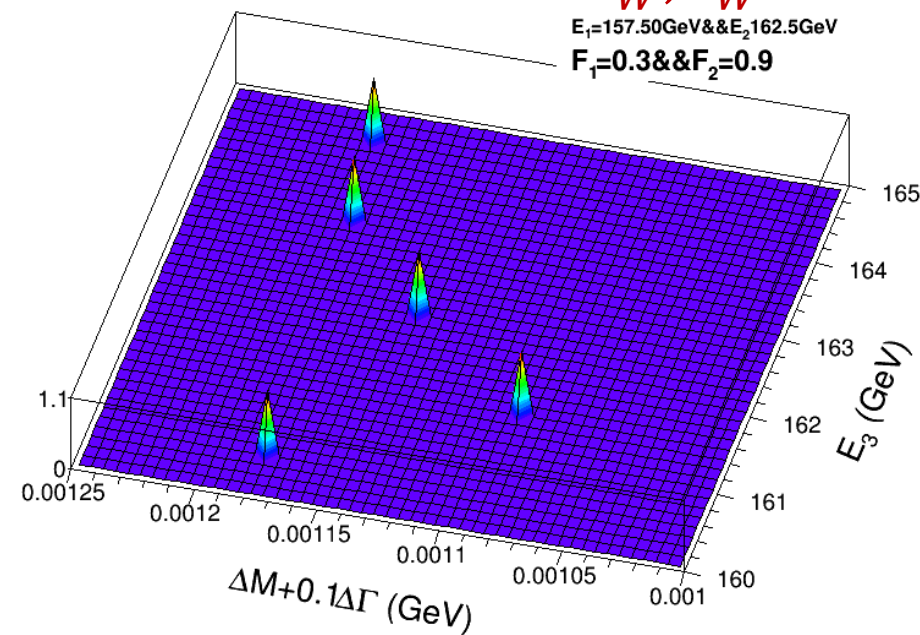


# Step B: $E_3$

Direct fit results



Fit the  $m_W, \Gamma_W$  of each fit results



The minimal result favors  $E_3 \sim 161.5$  GeV

# Step C

- Use the rough results from step B, the configurations below are used:

$$E_1 = 157.5, E_2 = 162.5, E_3 = 161.5, F_1 = 0.3, F_2 = 0.9$$

$$\sigma_{sys}^{corr} = 2 \times 10^{-4}, \Delta E = 0.5 \text{ MeV}, E_{BS} = 1.6 \times 10^{-3}, \Delta E_{BS} = 0.01$$

- $\sigma_{WW} \sim G(\sigma_{WW}^0, \sigma_{sys}^{corr})$ ,  $E \sim G(E_p^0, \Delta E) + G(E_m^0, \Delta E)$ ,  $E_p^0$  and  $E_m^0$  are smeared with  $E_{BS}$ ,

$$E_{BS} \sim G(E_{BS}^0, \Delta E_{BS})$$

- By 500 samplings, we fit the distributions of  $m_W$ ,  $\Gamma_W$ , and the corresponding uncertainties are :  $\Delta m_W \sim 1 \text{ MeV}$ ,  $\Delta \Gamma_W \sim 2.8 \text{ MeV}$