

Introduction

- **Aim.** Decay rate asymmetry in $D^0 \rightarrow K_S \pi^0$ and $K_L \pi^0$

$$\Gamma_{D^0 \rightarrow K_S \pi^0} = \frac{1}{2} \Gamma_{CF} - (\sqrt{\Gamma_{CF}} \sqrt{\Gamma_{DCS}}) \cos(\delta_{CF} - \delta_{DCS}) + \frac{1}{2} \Gamma_{DCS}$$

$$\Gamma_{D^0 \rightarrow K_L \pi^0} = \frac{1}{2} \Gamma_{CF} + (\sqrt{\Gamma_{CF}} \sqrt{\Gamma_{DCS}}) \cos(\delta_{CF} - \delta_{DCS}) + \frac{1}{2} \Gamma_{DCS}$$

$$A = \frac{(\Gamma_{D^0 \rightarrow K_S \pi^0}) - (\Gamma_{D^0 \rightarrow K_L \pi^0})}{(\Gamma_{D^0 \rightarrow K_S \pi^0}) + (\Gamma_{D^0 \rightarrow K_L \pi^0})} \simeq \tan^2 \theta_c \simeq \mathcal{O}(5\%)$$

- **Motivation.** $\delta_{k\pi} = \delta_{CF} - \delta_{DCS}$ and $D^0 - \bar{D}^0$ mixing study

$\delta_{k\pi}$ is important for $D^0 - \bar{D}^0$ mixing study

- **Experimental Situation.** Previous measurement at Belle in summer 2001

$$A = 0.06 \pm 0.05(stat) \pm 0.05(syst) \text{ using } 23.6 \text{ fb}^{-1}$$

Current Belle statistics will reduce stat error manifold

New technique needed to reduce systematics

Strategy for the Analysis

- **Decay Modes.** In addition to $D^0 \rightarrow K_S\pi^0$ and $D^0 \rightarrow K_L\pi^0$

we have to study $D^0 \rightarrow (K_S\pi^-)\pi^+$ and $D^0 \rightarrow (K_L\pi^-)\pi^+$

We have to tag these 4 decays by the reaction $D^{*+} \rightarrow D^0\pi^+$

Henceforth can be referred as $D \rightarrow K_S\pi$, $D \rightarrow K_L\pi$, $D \rightarrow K_S\pi\pi$ and $D \rightarrow K_L\pi\pi$

We assume that K^{*-} decays into $(K_S\pi^-)$ and $(K_L\pi^-)$ 1:1

We also assume that $\epsilon^{D^{*+}}(p_1, p_2, \dots) = \epsilon^1(p_1) \times \epsilon^2(p_2) \times \dots$

where 1,2 etc stand for final state particles, p_1, p_2 etc for respective momenta

- Our strategy is to measure A in bins of K^0 momenta

this we hope reduces bias due to K_L efficiency as it rapidly increases with momenta

$$\langle A \rangle = \frac{\int_a^b \frac{1}{\epsilon_{K_S\pi}(p)} [\eta_{K_L\pi}^{rec}(p)/r(p) - \eta_{K_S\pi}^{rec}(p)] dp}{\int_a^b \frac{1}{\epsilon_{K_S\pi}(p)} [\eta_{K_L\pi}^{rec}(p)/r(p) + \eta_{K_S\pi}^{rec}(p)] dp}, \quad A(p) = \frac{\eta_{K_L\pi}^{rec}(p) - r(p) \times \eta_{K_S\pi}^{rec}(p)}{\eta_{K_L\pi}^{rec}(p) + r(p) \times \eta_{K_S\pi}^{rec}(p)}$$

η^i 's = yields and $r(p)$ = relative efficiency of K_S and K_L from K^{*-} modes

- Required functions

$\epsilon_{K_S\pi}(p)$ from MC(D^{*+} efficiency in $K_S\pi$ mode), all other functions from Data

Data Sample used

- 100,000 Signal MC events for each mode produced by evtgen

generator \rightarrow b20040727-1143, gsim \rightarrow b20030807-1600, analysis \rightarrow b20040727-1143

$e^+e^- \rightarrow c\bar{c} \rightarrow frag \rightarrow D^{*+}$, incl by 'inclusive particle type' in evtgen

$D^{*+} \rightarrow D^0 \pi_{slow}^+$, $D^0 \rightarrow$ all 4 modes by user decay table

charge conj. modes not added yet

$D \rightarrow K_S \pi \pi$ mode 90,000 events (due to job crash !)

Reconstruction, Event Selection and Fitting

- π^0 . mdst-pi0

- K_S . mdst-vee2

$$dr > 0.25\text{cm}, d\phi < 0.1\text{rad}, dz < 1\text{cm}$$

$$0.486 < M_{K_S} \text{ in } D \rightarrow K_S \pi < 0.510$$

$$0.491342 < M_{K_S} \text{ in } D \rightarrow K_S \pi \pi < 0.504038$$

- K_L . mdst-klong

D^0 mass fixed to PDG value, Resulting equation gives 2 solutions for p_{K_L}

$$\frac{[-b - (\sqrt{b^2 - 4ac})]}{2a} \text{ which is always +ve, gives physical solution}$$

- K^{*-} . Mass window cuts

(0.751683, 1.03164) in K_L mode, (0.750, 1.000) in K_S mode

- D^0 . Mass cuts and constraints

3 σ cuts on M_{D^0} for K_S modes, fixed to PDG value for K_L modes

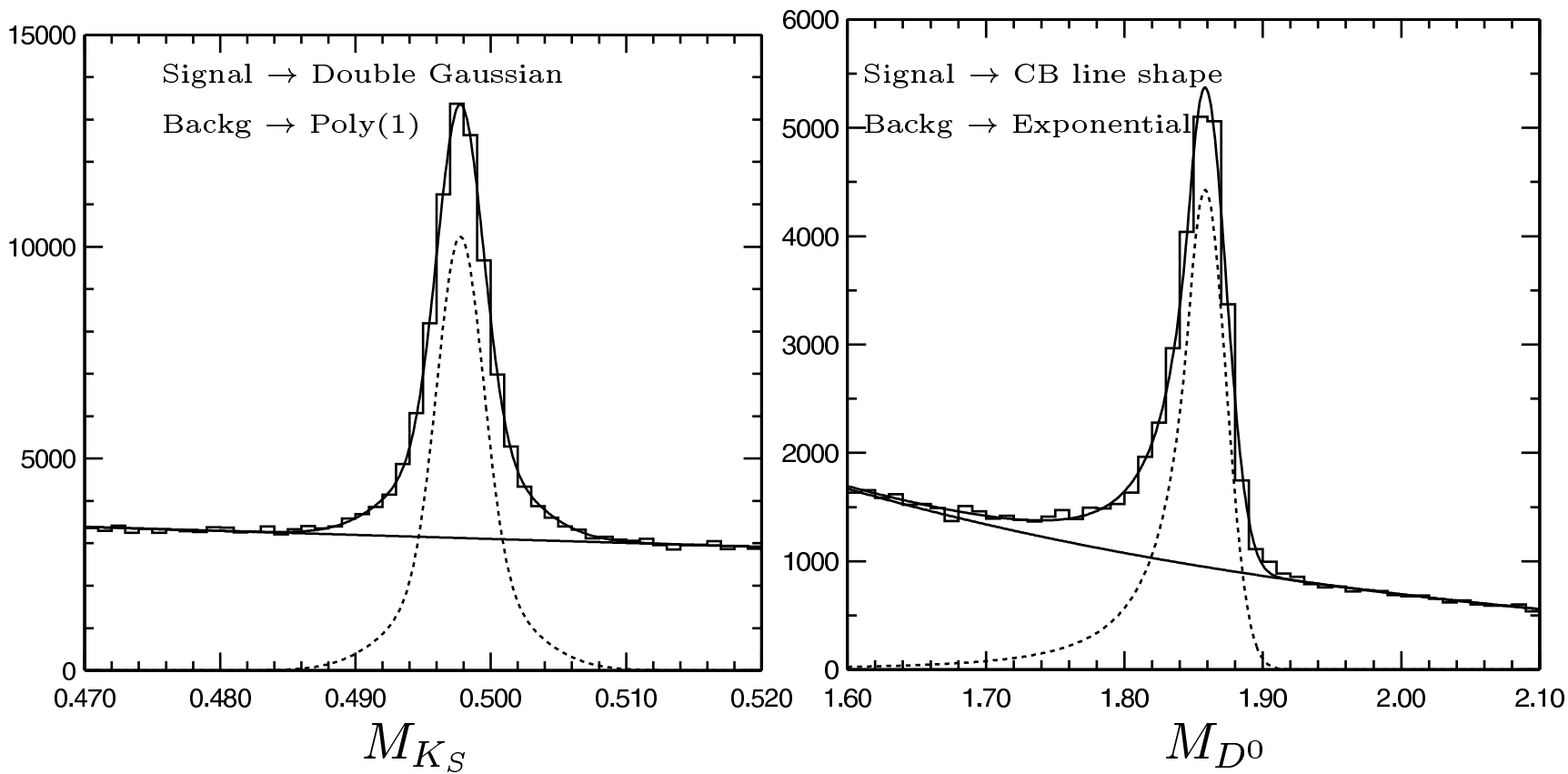
- D^{*+} . Signal selection cuts

3 σ cuts on $M_{D^{*+}}$ for K_L modes

$$\delta M = M_{D^{*+}} - M_{D^0}$$

0.144 < δM < 0.147 for $D \rightarrow K_S \pi$ mode, 0.143 < δM < 0.148 for $D \rightarrow K_S \pi \pi$ mode

Reconstruction of $D^0 \rightarrow K_S\pi^0$



● Dotted \rightarrow Signal

Reconstruction of $D^0 \rightarrow K_S\pi^+\pi^-$

Signal \rightarrow Double Gaussian

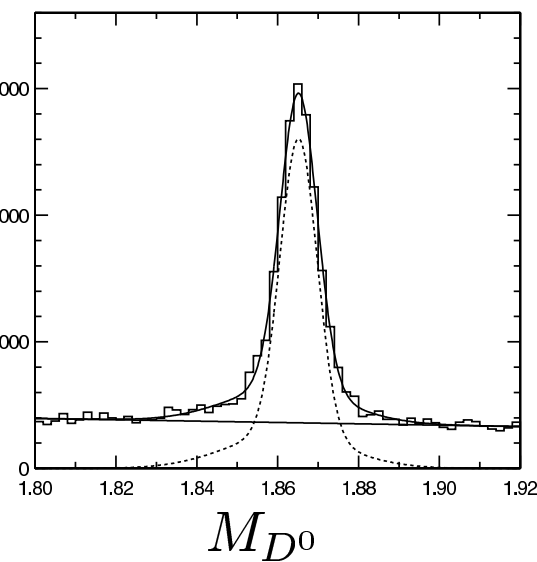
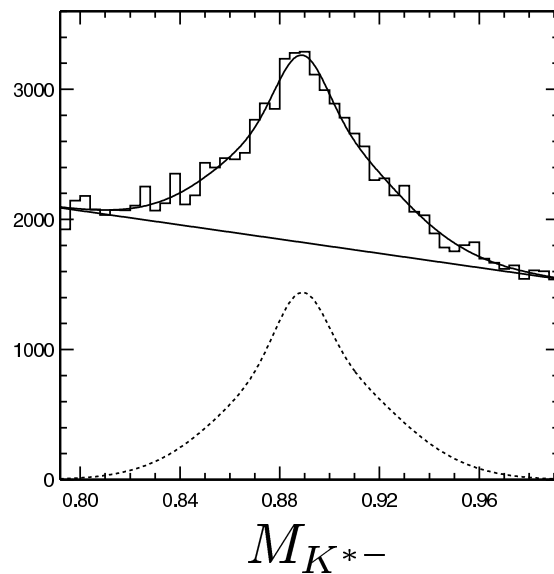
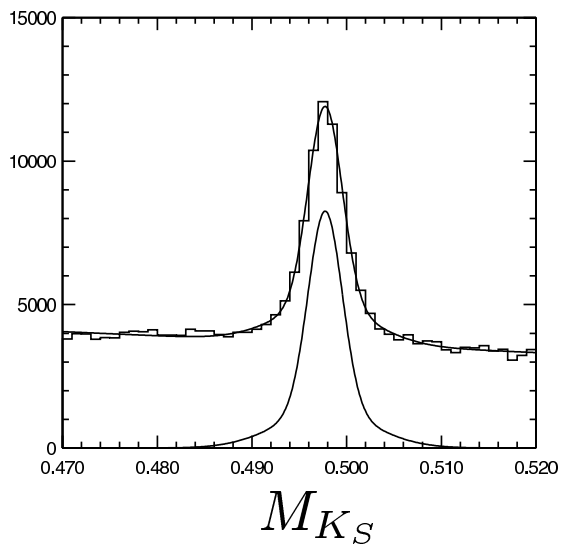
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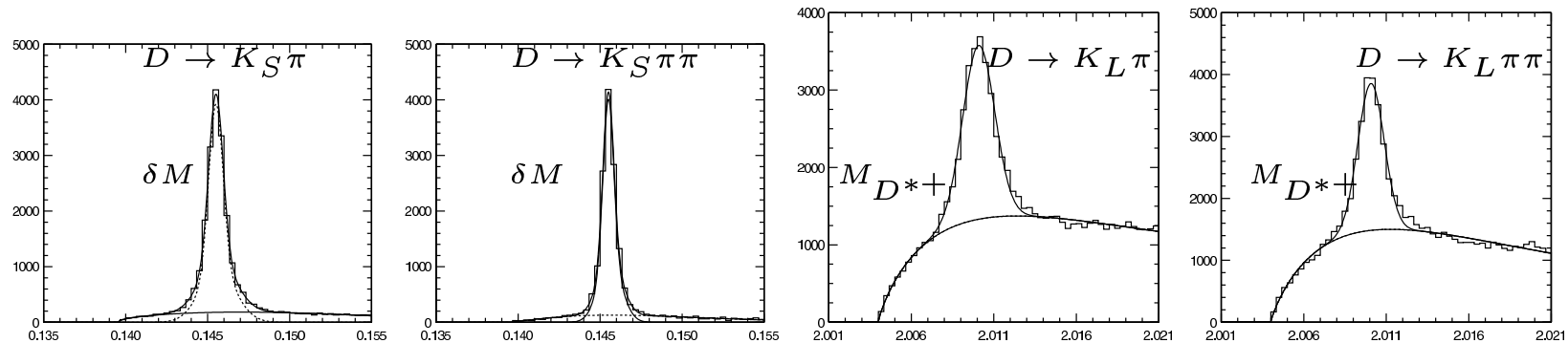
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Signal shapes for 4-modes



- δM , Signal \rightarrow Double Gaussian, Backg \rightarrow Threshold function
- $M_{D^{*+}}$, Signal \rightarrow Gaussian, Backg \rightarrow Threshold function

Reconstruction efficiencies and assumption of factorizability

$$\epsilon^{D^{*+}}(p_1, p_2, \dots) = \epsilon^1(p_1) \times \epsilon^2(p_2) \times \dots$$

- Efficiency study is done in momentum bins to validate factorizability assumption

To match reconstructed info with MC truth

get-hepevt() function is used for K_S, π^0 and angular cuts for K_L matching

Plot the generated lab momenta

Count the matching number of events reconstructed in each bin

This gives 1d efficiencies as function of momenta eg $\epsilon^1(p_1)$ etc

Scatter plot the generated lab momenta pair wise

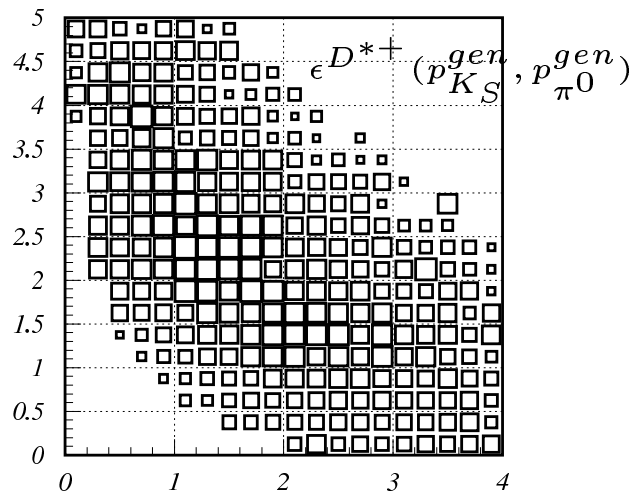
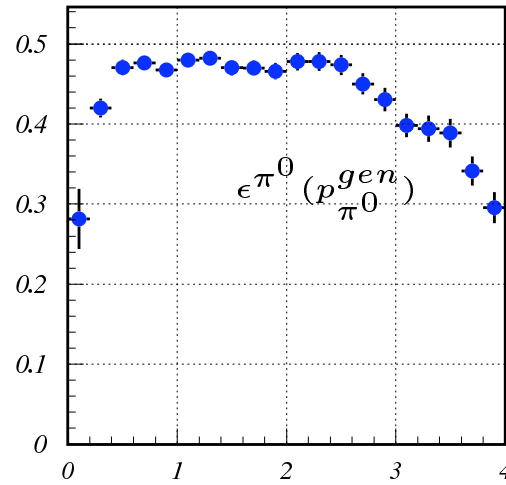
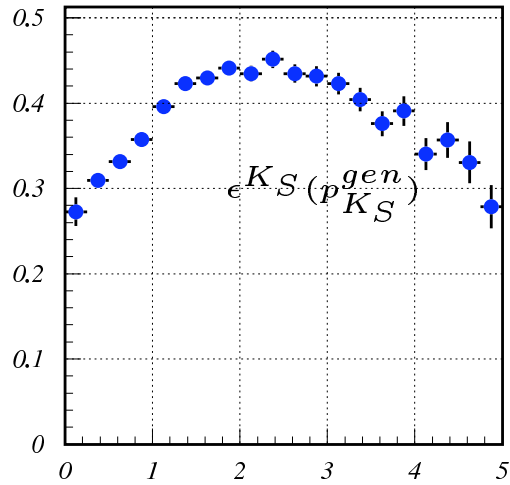
Count the matching number of D^{*+} events reconstructed in each 2d bins

This gives efficiency of D^{*+} as function of 2 momenta eg $\epsilon^{D^{*+}}(p_1, p_2)$

plot $\epsilon^1(p_1)$, $\epsilon^2(p_2)$, $\epsilon^{D^{*+}}(p_1, p_2)$ and $\epsilon^1(p_1) \times \epsilon^2(p_2)$

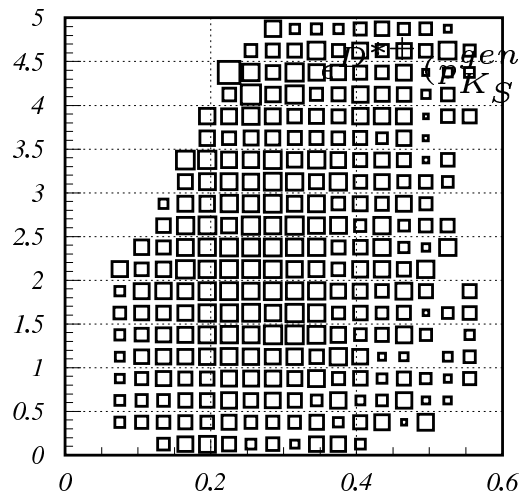
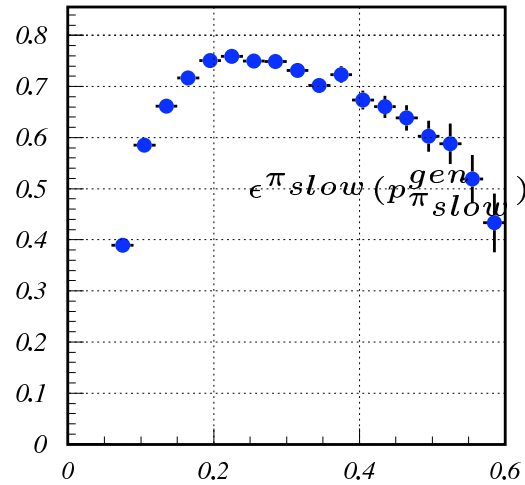
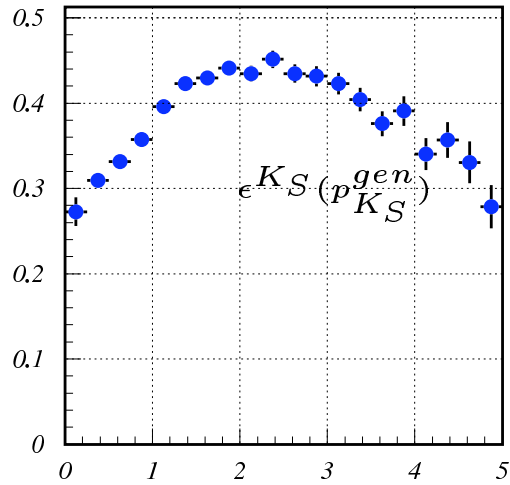
compare $\epsilon^{D^{*+}}(p_1, p_2)$ and $\epsilon^1(p_1) \times \epsilon^2(p_2)$

Factorizability in $D^0 \rightarrow K_S \pi^0$



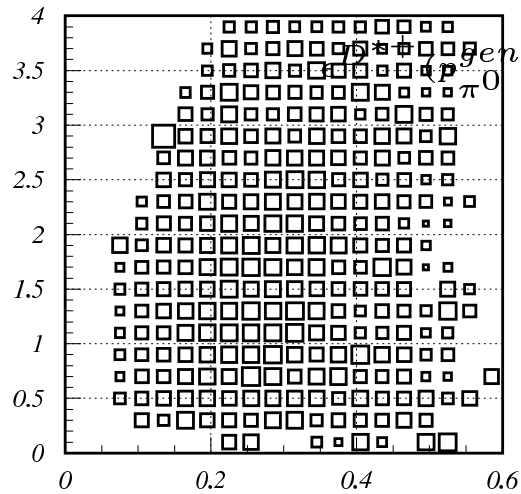
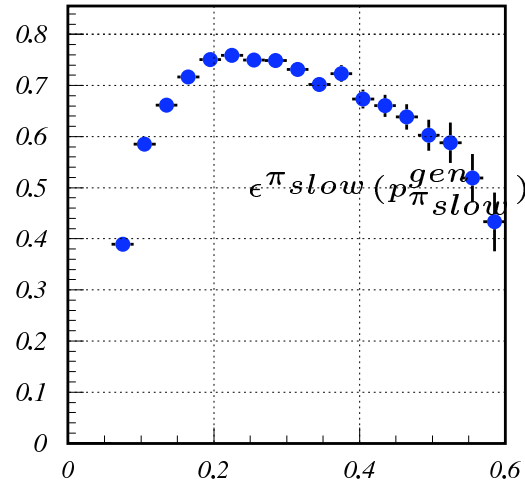
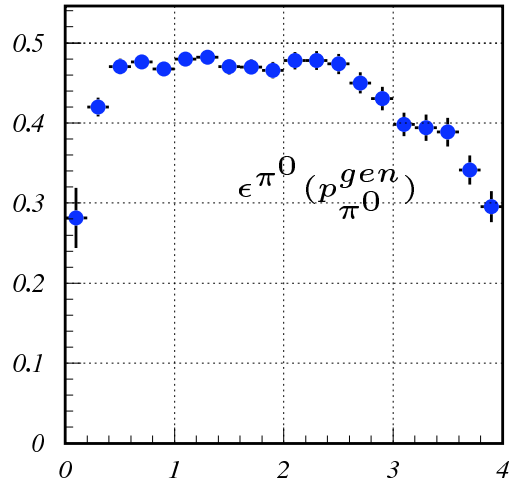
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Factorizability in $D^0 \rightarrow K_S \pi^0$ continues...



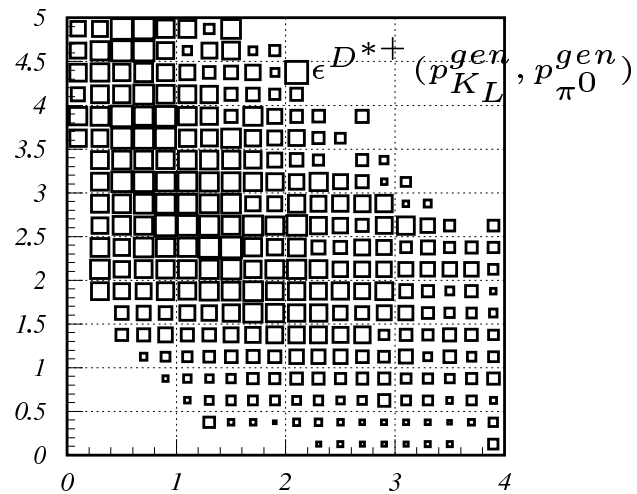
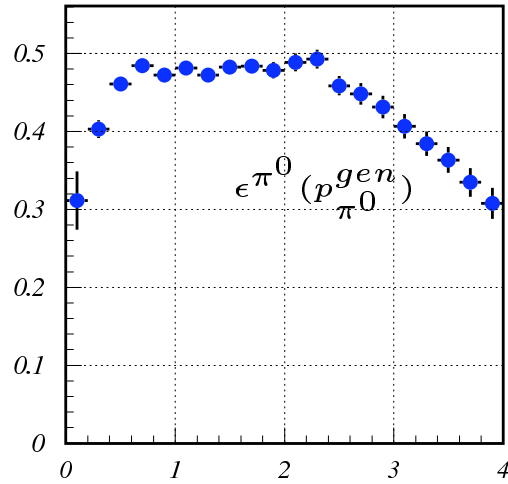
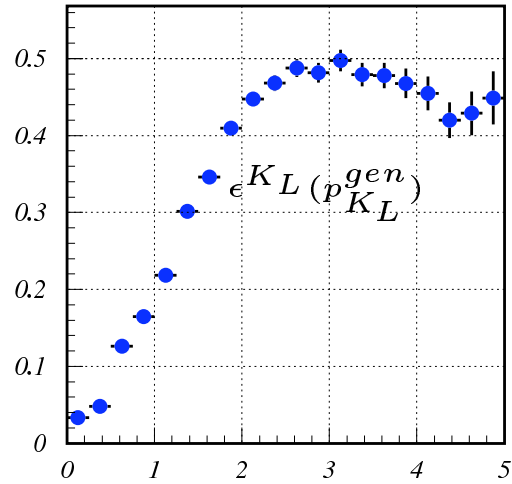
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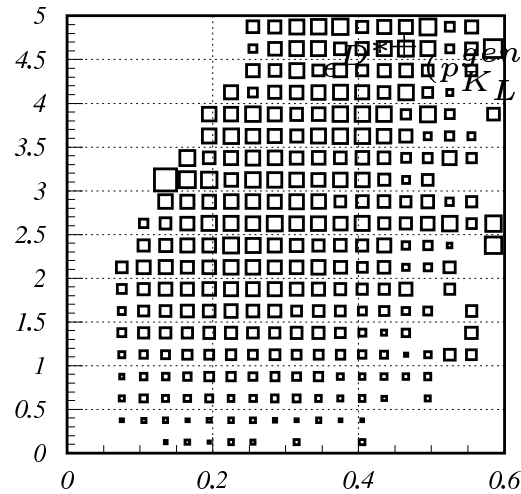
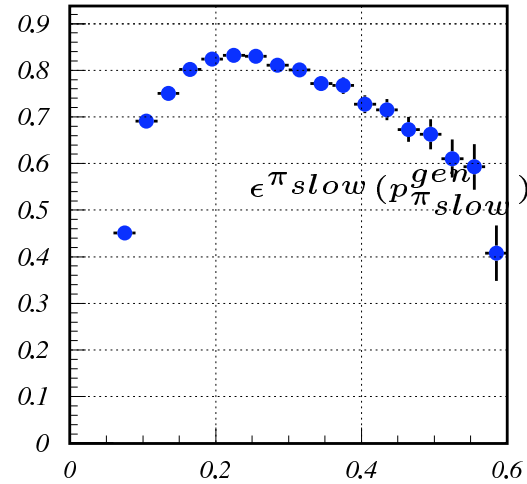
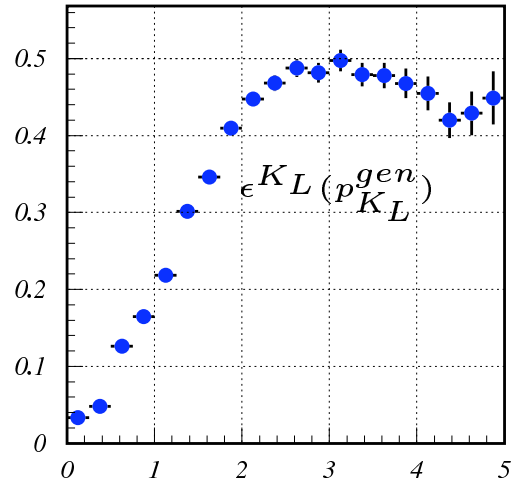
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Factorizability in $D^0 \rightarrow K_L \pi^0$



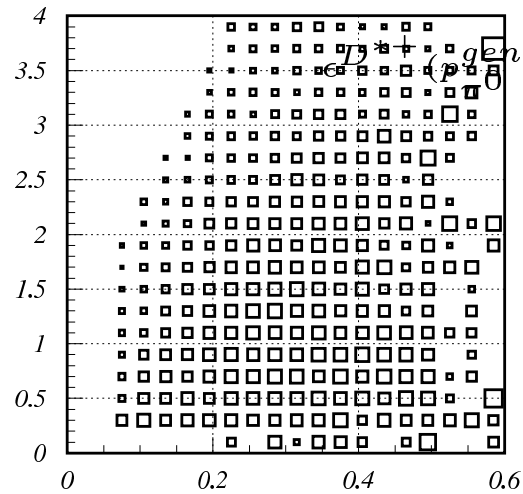
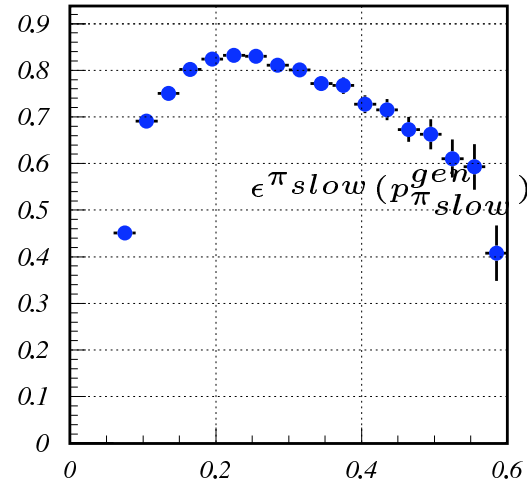
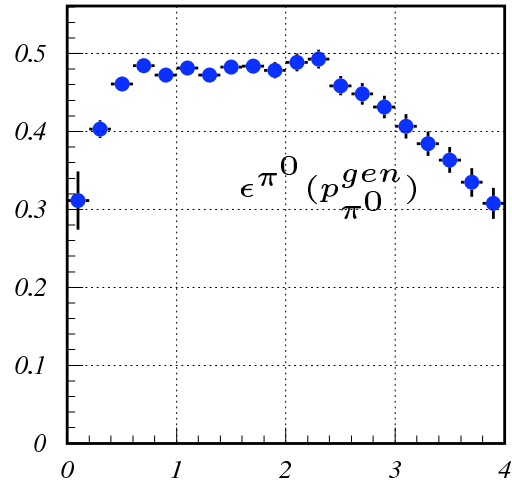
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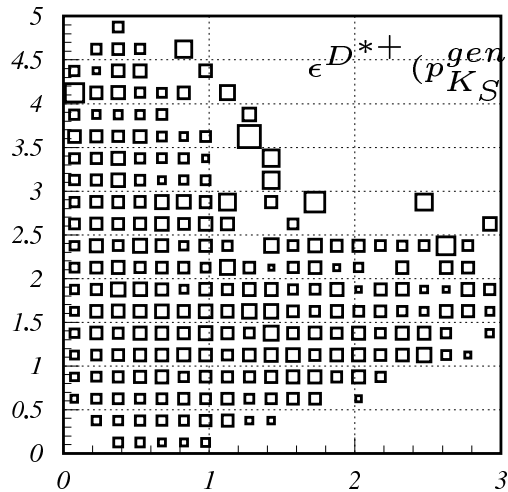
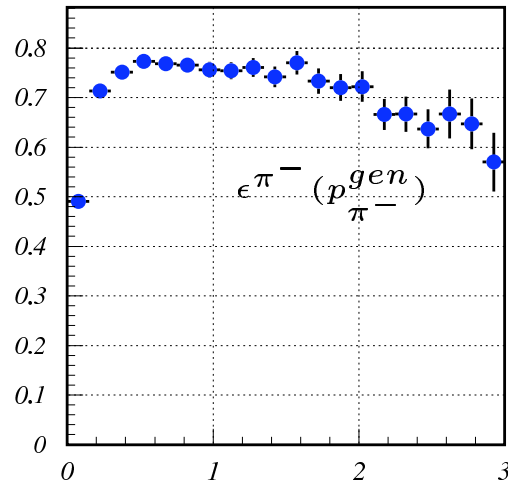
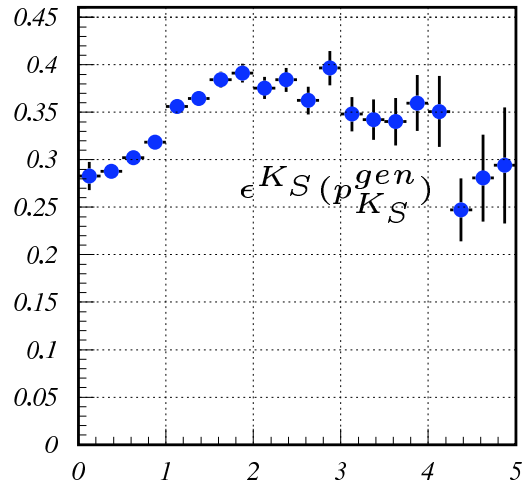
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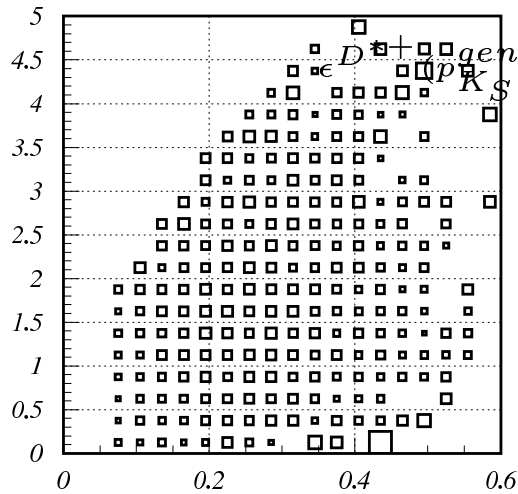
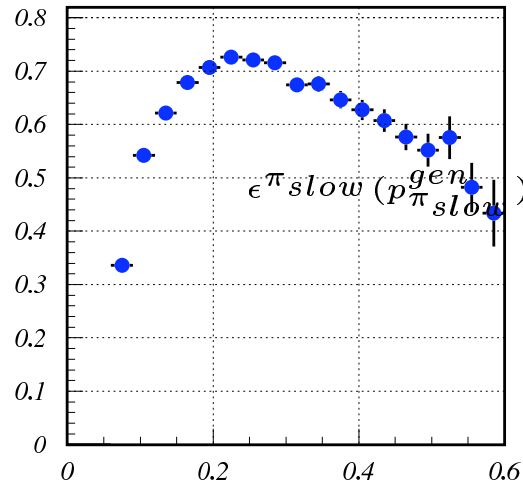
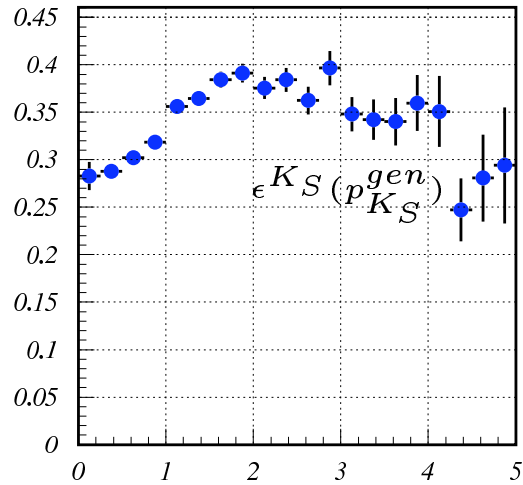
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Factorizability in $D^0 \rightarrow K_S \pi^+ \pi^-$, the study is shown partly, rest is similar



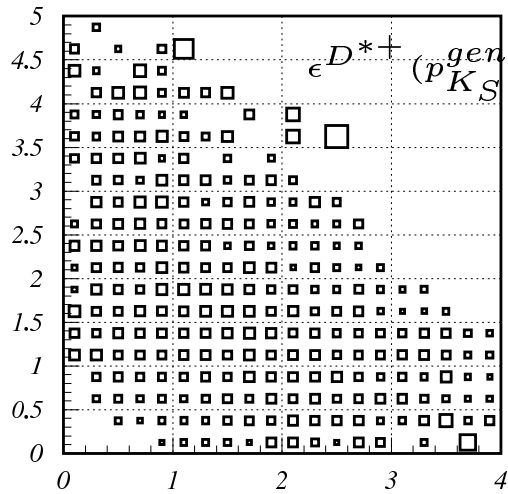
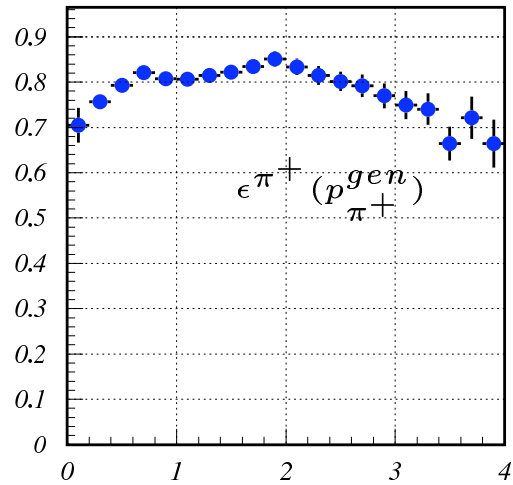
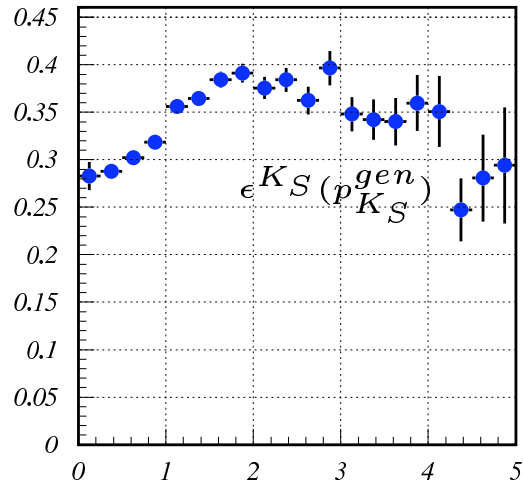
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Factorizability in $D^0 \rightarrow K_S \pi^- \pi^+$ continues...



$\epsilon^{K_S}(p_{K_S}^{gen}) \times \epsilon^{\pi_{slow}}(p_{\pi_{slow}}^{gen})$ here

Factorizability in $D^0 \rightarrow K_S \pi^- \pi^+$ continues...



$\epsilon^{K_S}(p_{K_S}^{gen}) \times \epsilon^{\pi^+}(p_{\pi^+}^{gen})$ here