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# Study of B-field strength

- Run charm analyses in different SuperB configurations:
  - Default SuperB.
  - Varying B-field strength.
  - INMAPS SVT setup, in ‘Lamp’ and ‘Long’ variants.
  - BaBar configuration (for baseline comparison).
- Figures of merit:
  - Reconstruction efficiency.
  - Resolution of  $D^{(*)}$  mass,  $\Delta M$ ,  $\Delta E$ ,  $m_{ES}$ .
- Analyses used:
  - $c\bar{c} \rightarrow D^{*+} \rightarrow D^0\pi_s^+, D^0 \rightarrow K_S^0\pi^+\pi^-$ .
  - $B^0\overline{B^0}$  events tagged by  $D^{*+} \rightarrow D^0\pi^+$ ,  $D^0 \rightarrow K\pi, K\pi\pi^0, K3\pi$ , or  $K_S^0\pi\pi$ .

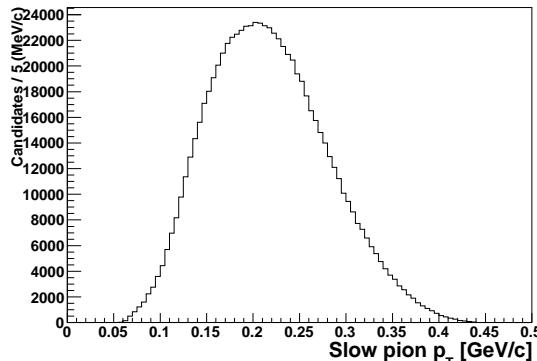
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## $D^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^+ \pi^-$ selection (for BaBar)

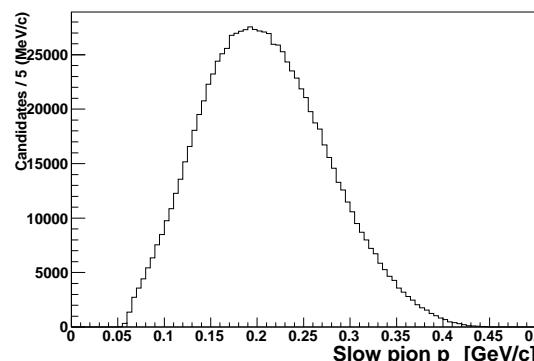
- Require  $D^0$  CM momentum greater than 2.5 GeV.
- $K_S^0$  candidate mass within 9 MeV of nominal value.
- Fit probability at least 0.01%.
- Slow pion must have at least one DCH hit.
- Pions from  $D^0$  must have at least two SVT hits.
- $K_S^0$  decay vertex separated from  $D^0$  vertex by 10 flight-length errors.
- $K_S^0$  momentum and flight angle parallel,  $\cos \theta > 0.99$ .
- All tracks must have at least 0.1 GeV of (lab) transverse momentum. This ensures that they make it to the tracking volume.
- For B-fields not equal to 1.5T, transverse-momentum cut is reduced proportionally; thus 0.1 GeV at  $B = 1.5T$ , 0.066 GeV at  $B = 1.0T$ . This is the source of the increased efficiency.

# $p_T$ distributions after other cuts

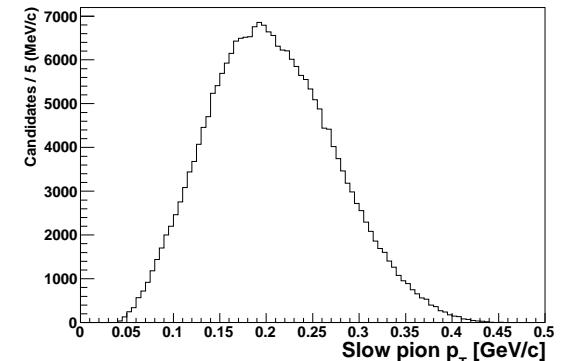
BaBar



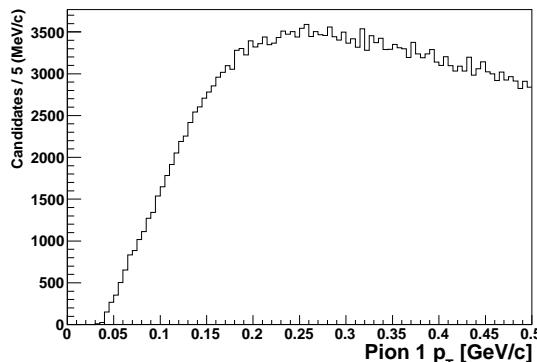
SuperB



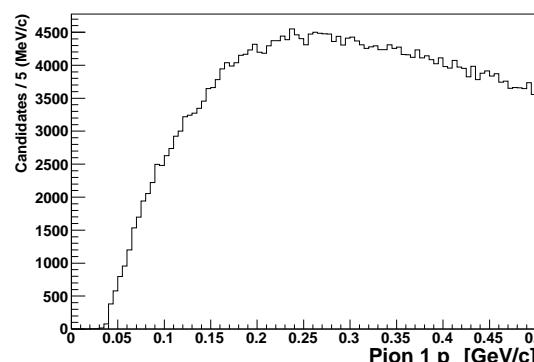
B=1.0T



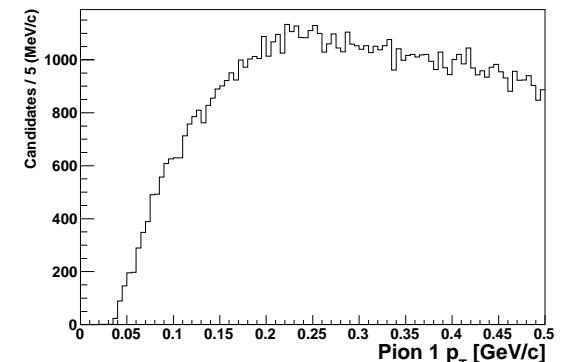
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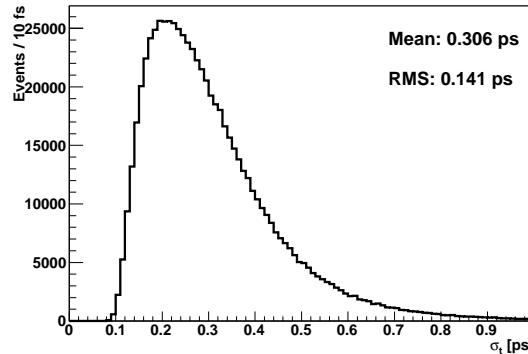
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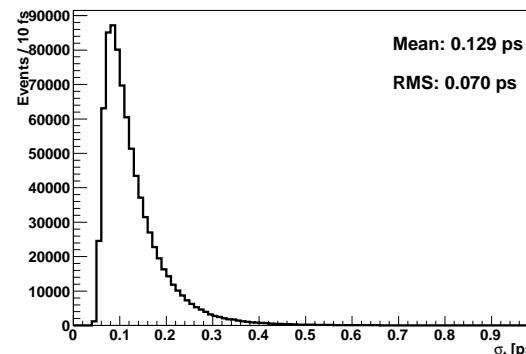
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# $\sigma_t$ distributions

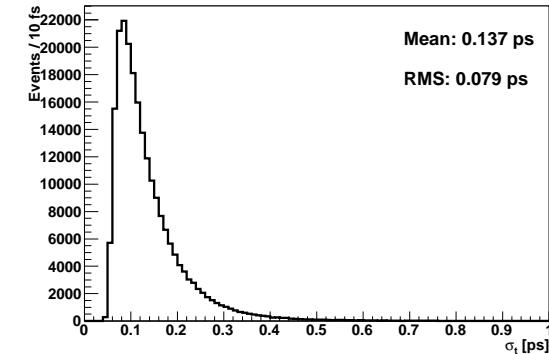
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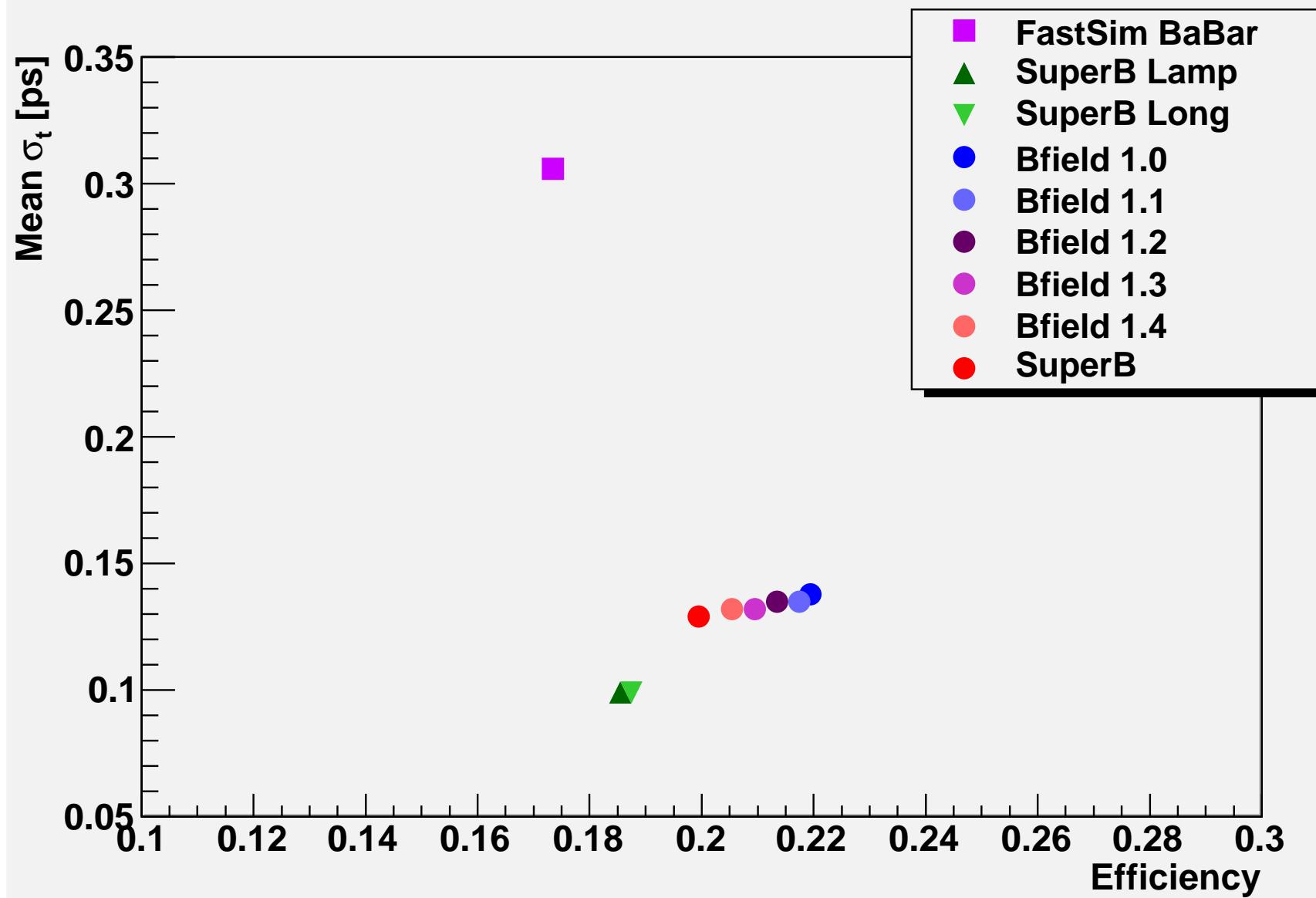


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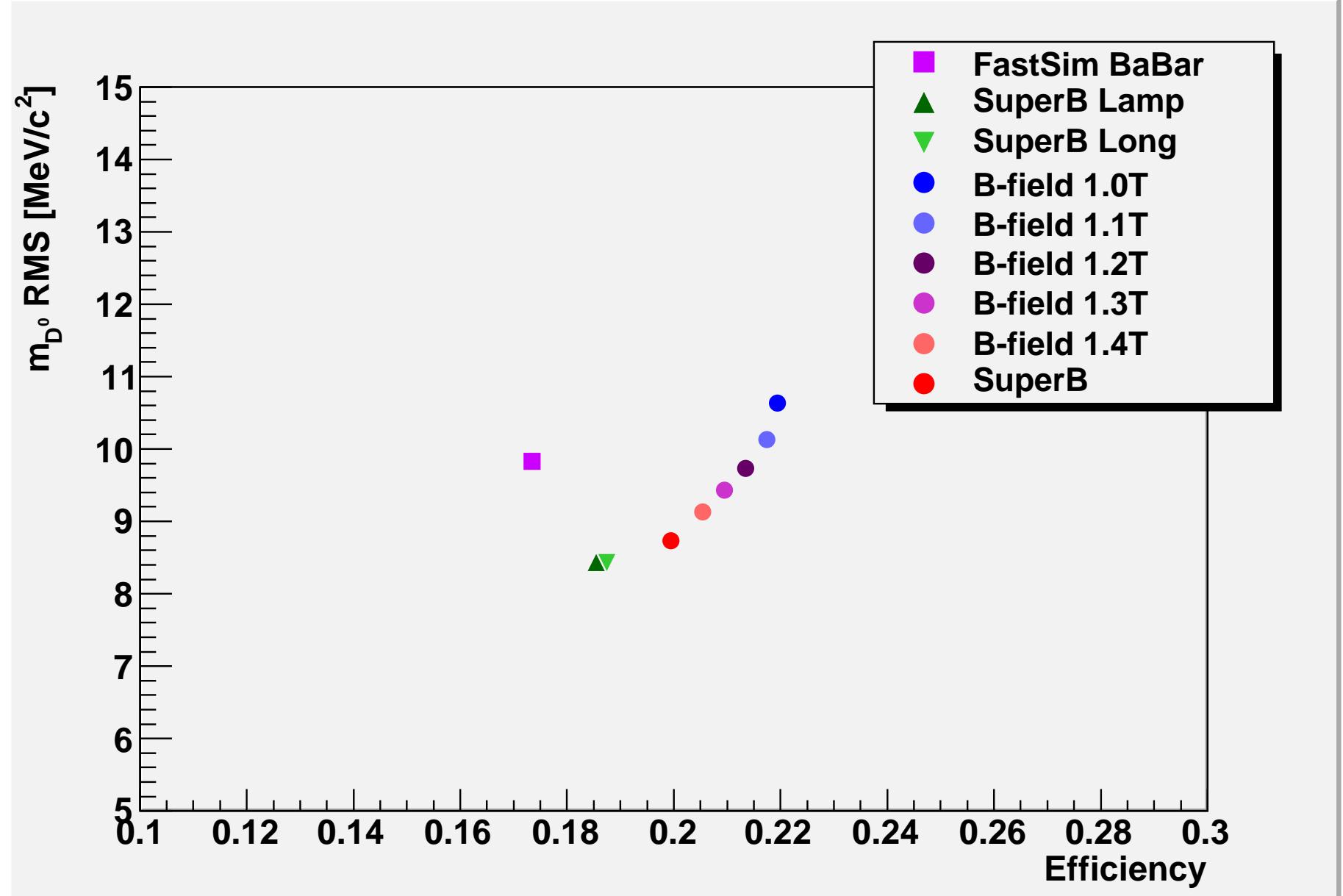


Configuration	$\sigma_t$ mean [fs]	$\sigma_t$ RMS [fs]
BaBar	306	141
SuperB (B=1.5T)	129	70
SuperB (B=1.0T)	137	79

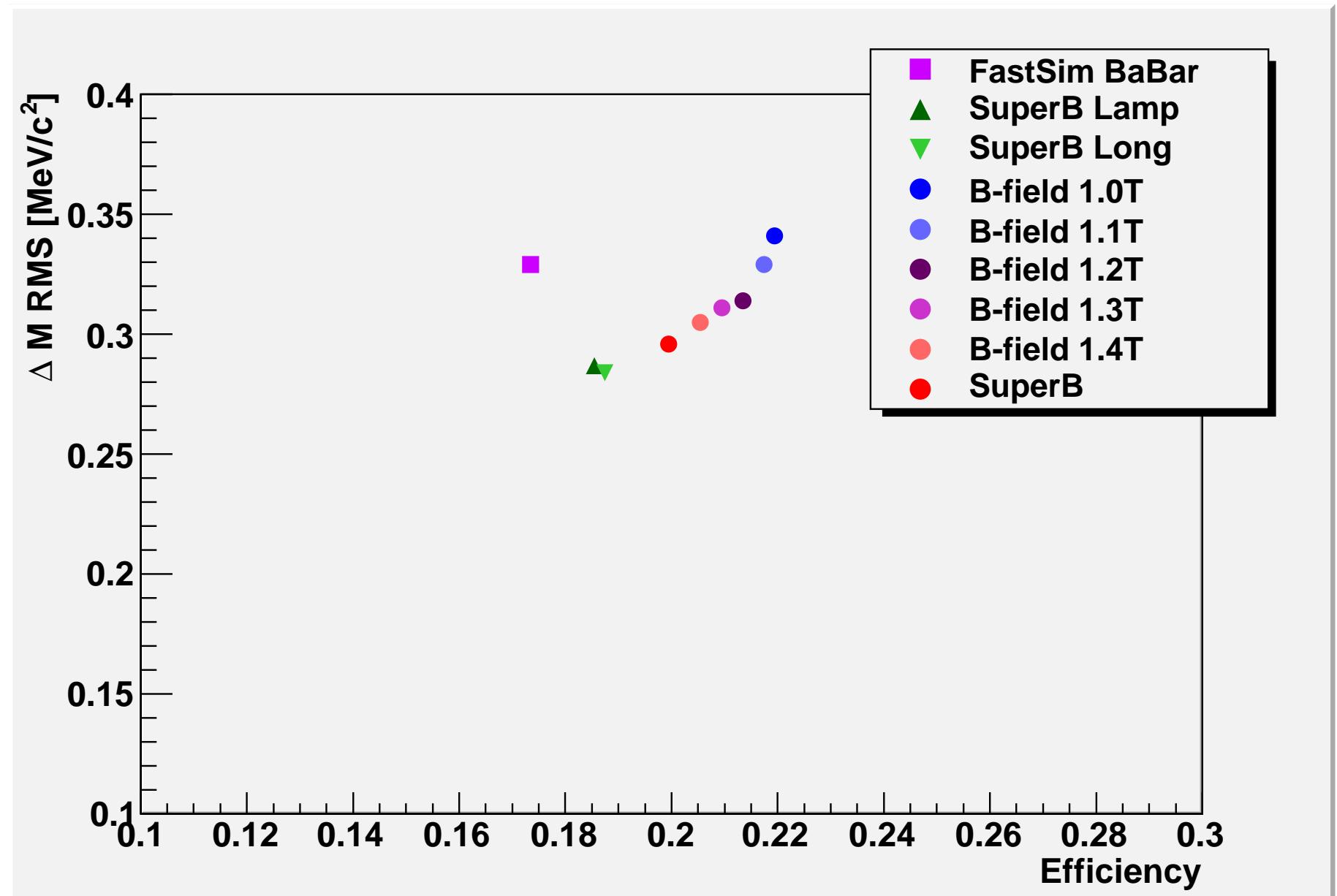
# Efficiency versus decay-time resolution



# Efficiency versus $D^0$ mass resolution (no cut on $\Delta M$ )



# Efficiency versus $\Delta M$ resolution (no cut on $m_{D^0}$ )



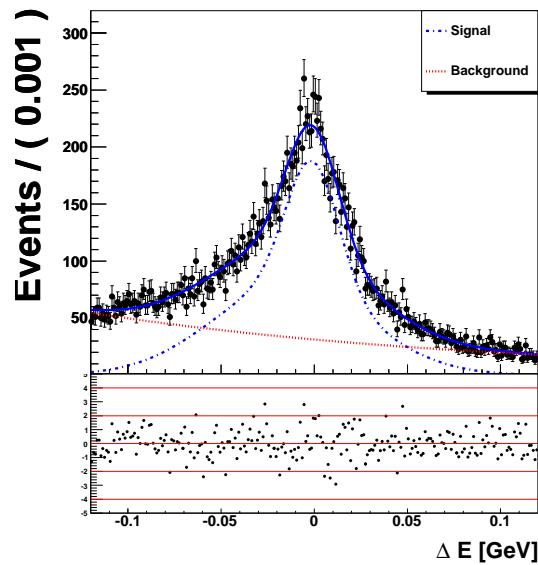
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## $B$ tagging

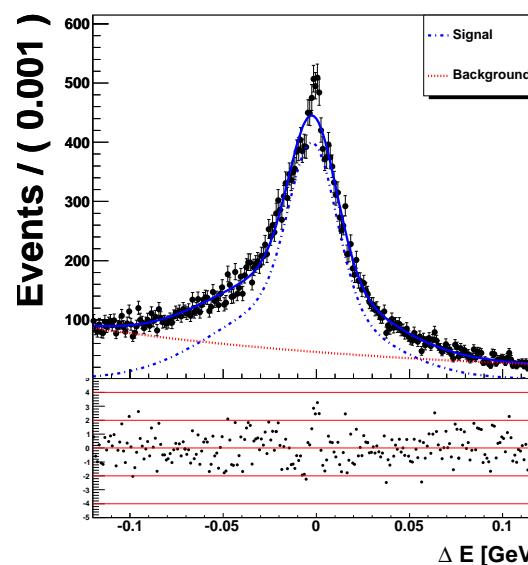
- Use  $B$ -tagging code provided by Elisa Manoni.
- Relax tag-side cuts on  $\Delta M$ ,  $\Delta E$  and  $m_{D^0}$ .
- Select tags with charged  $D^*$  decay.
- Study effects of  $B$ -field strength on efficiency and resolution of (tag-side)  $\Delta E$ ,  $m_{ES}$ ,  $\Delta M$  and  $m_{D^*}$ .
- One additional configuration studied: ‘Boosted BaBar’, using the SuperB beam setup and BaBar detector.

## Fits to $\Delta E$

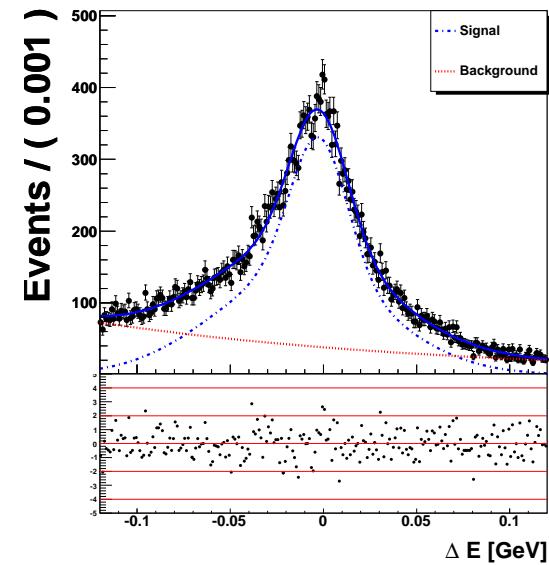
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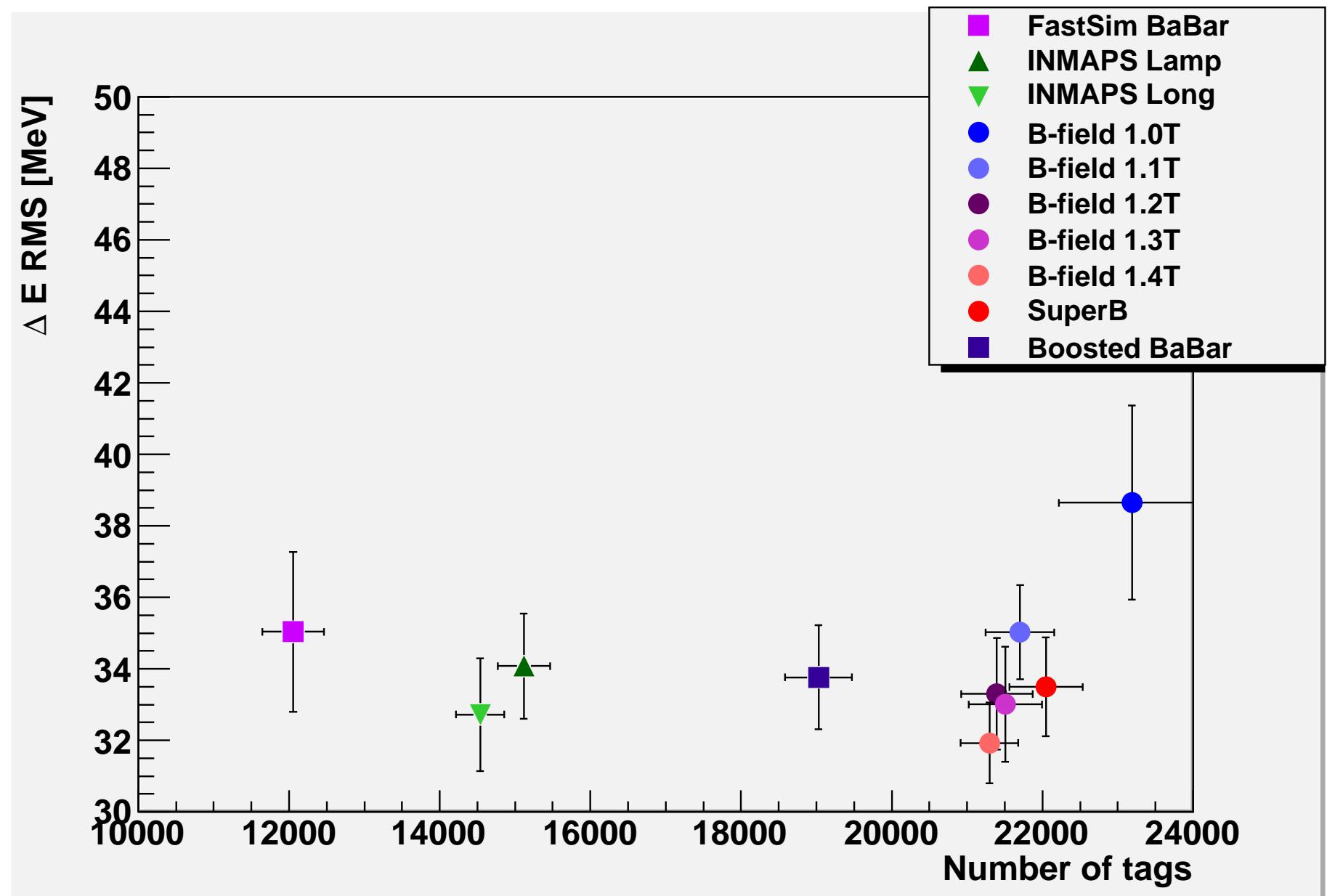


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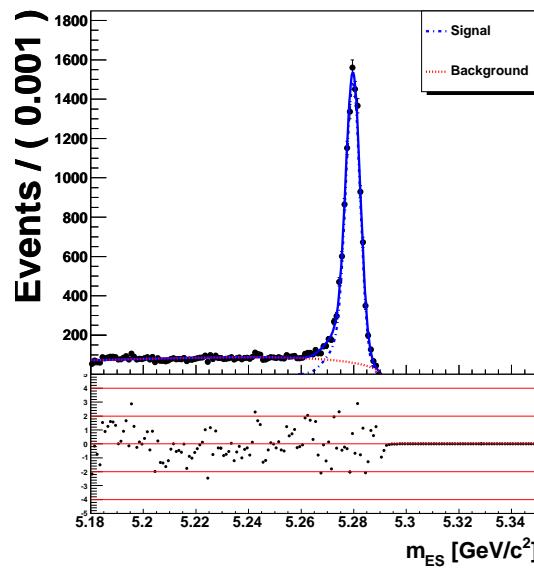
- Fit to two Gaussians (uncommon mean and sigma) and exponential.
- Figures of merit are amount of signal and RMS of two-Gaussian PDF.

# $\Delta E$ results

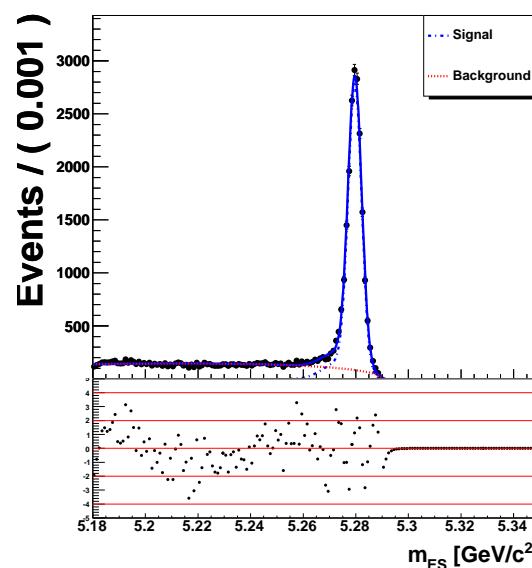


## Fits to $m_{ES}$

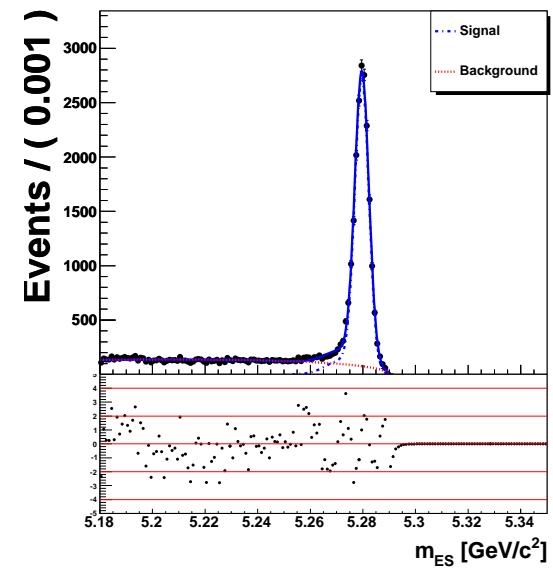
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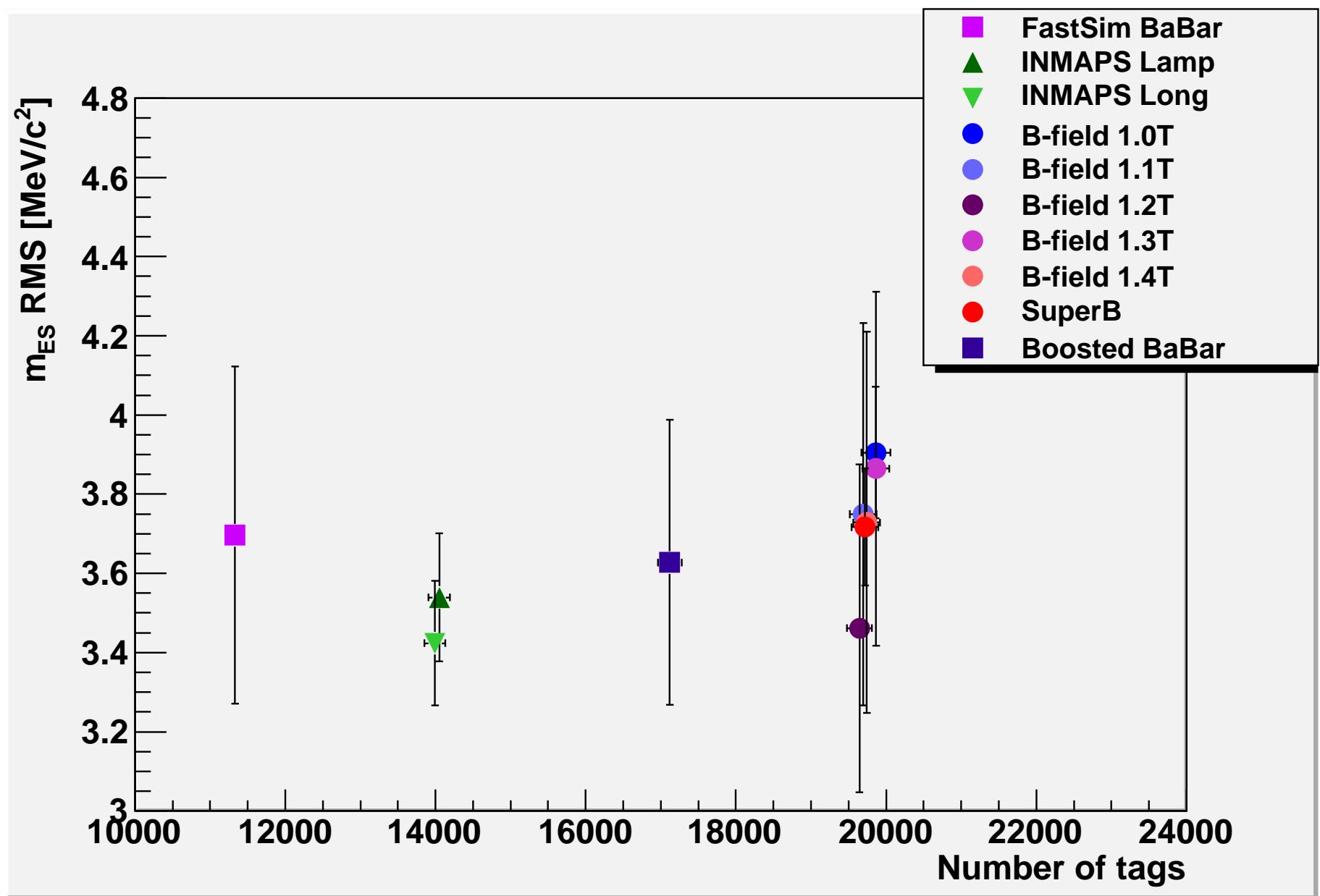


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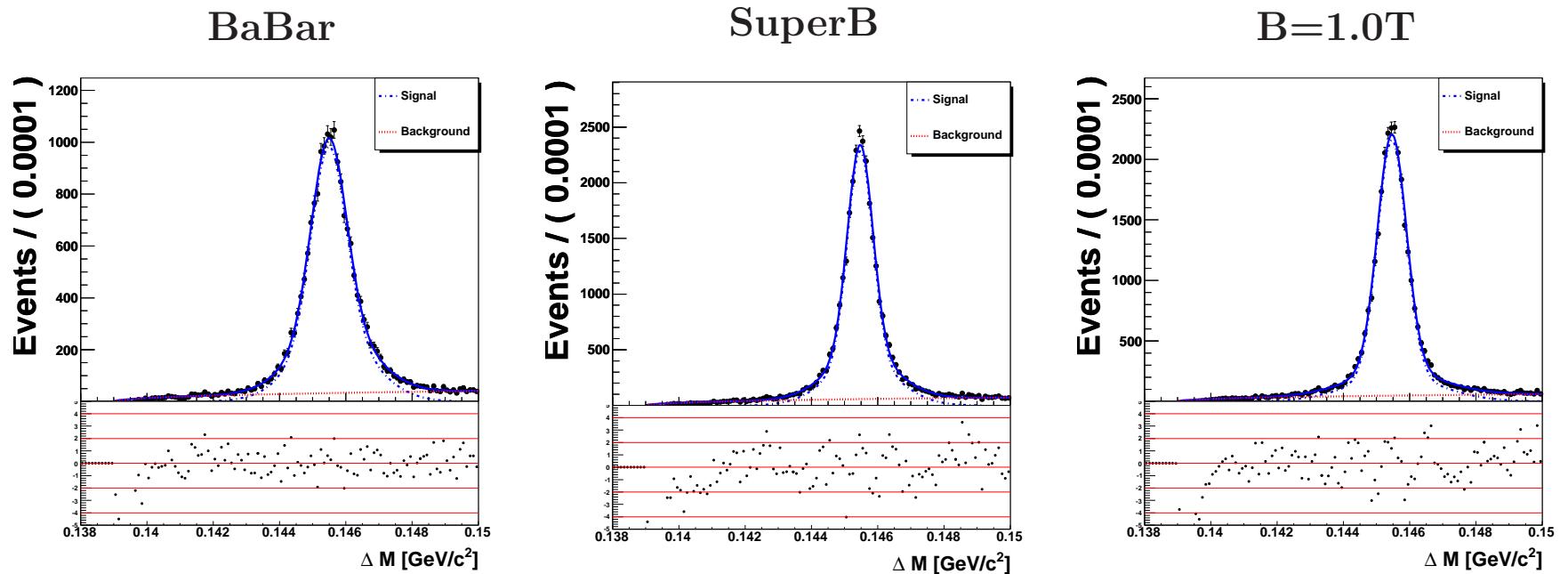


- Two Gaussians and threshold function.

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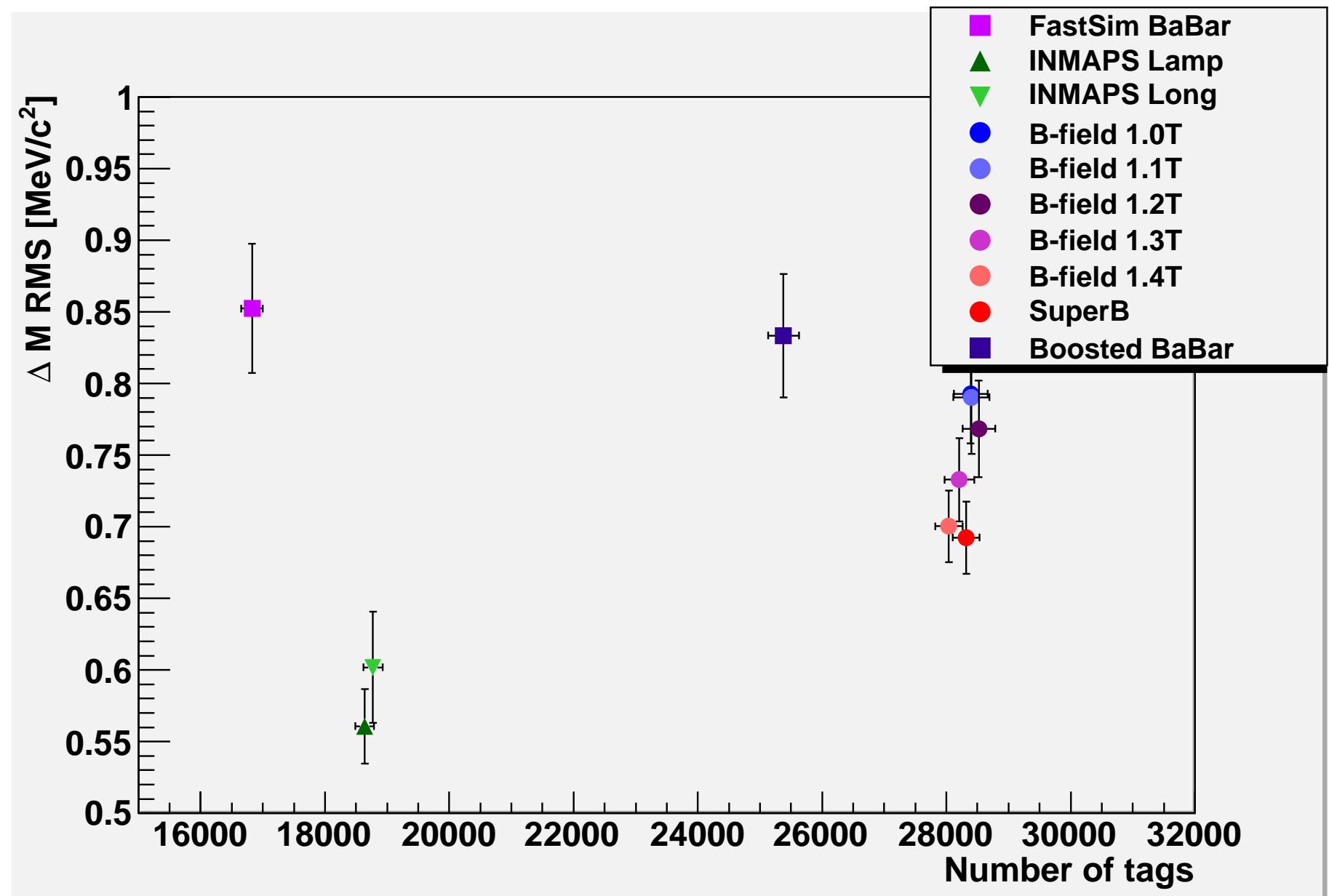


# Fits to $\Delta M$

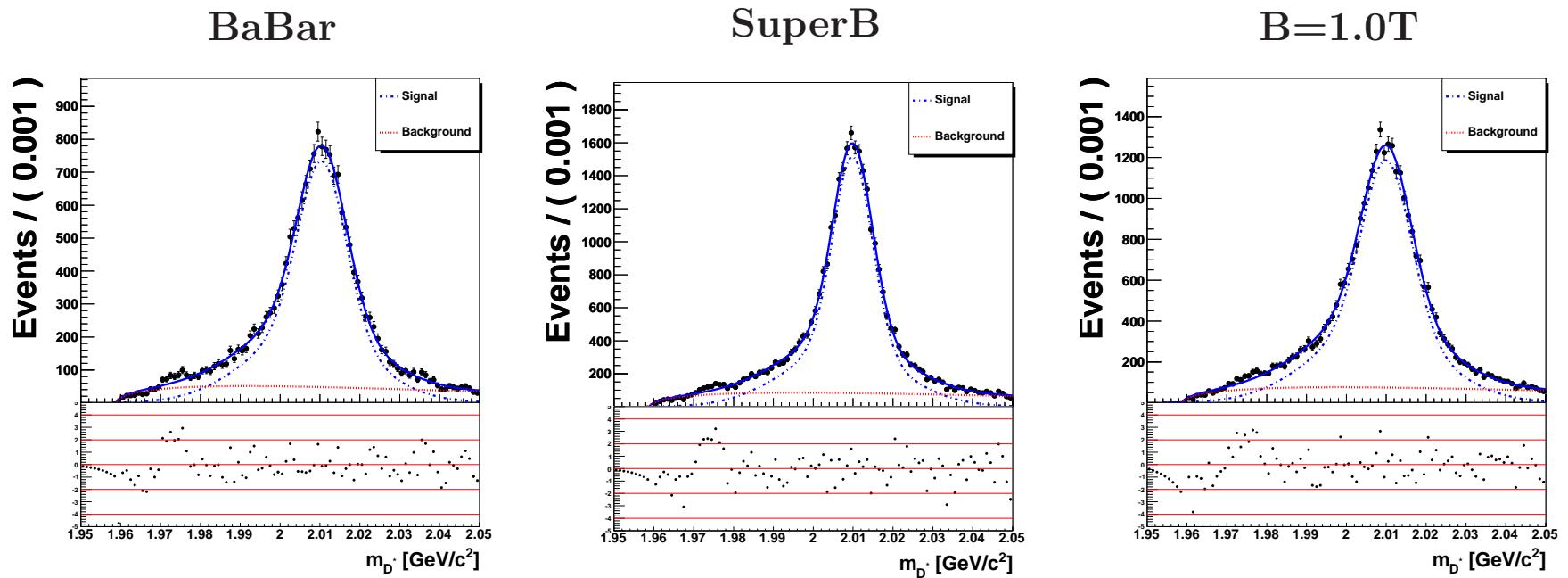


- Two Gaussians and threshold function.

# $\Delta M$ results

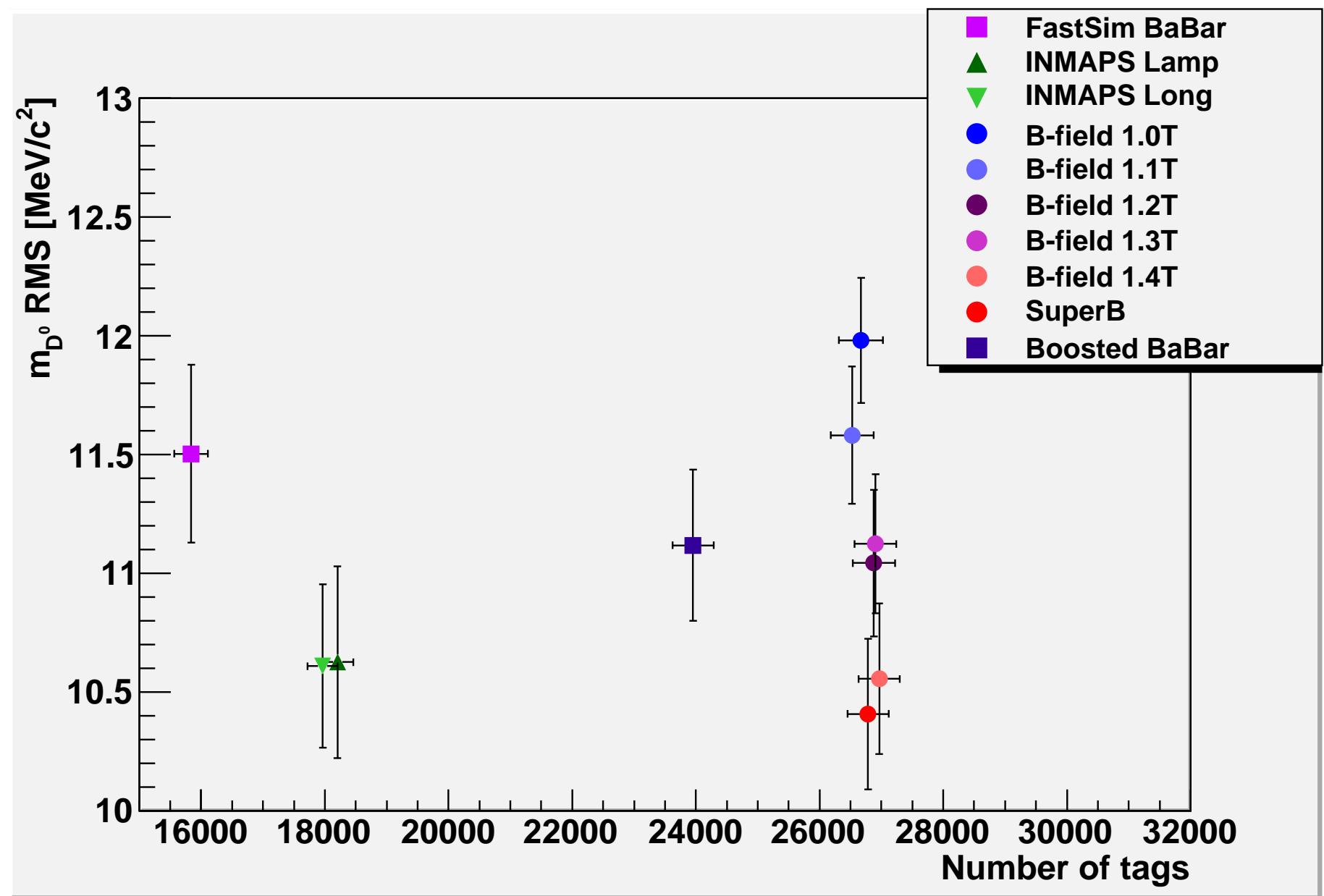


## Fits to $m_{D^*}$



- Two Gaussians and threshold function.

## $m_{D^*}$ results



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## Conclusions and TODO

- Whatever B-field is used, SuperB has better resolution and efficiency than BaBar.
- If a  $p_T$  cut is imposed (to ensure tracks reach the tracking volume) then lowering the magnetic field can increase the efficiency, at the price of some loss in resolution.
- This effect is less important when no explicit ‘tracking cut’ is made.
- TODO:
  - Add more charm analyses?
  - Why are INMAPS setups relatively inefficient? Can we get the resolution without the loss of efficiency?