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## The effect of the shower quality cut on the $\eta\pi\pi$ final states

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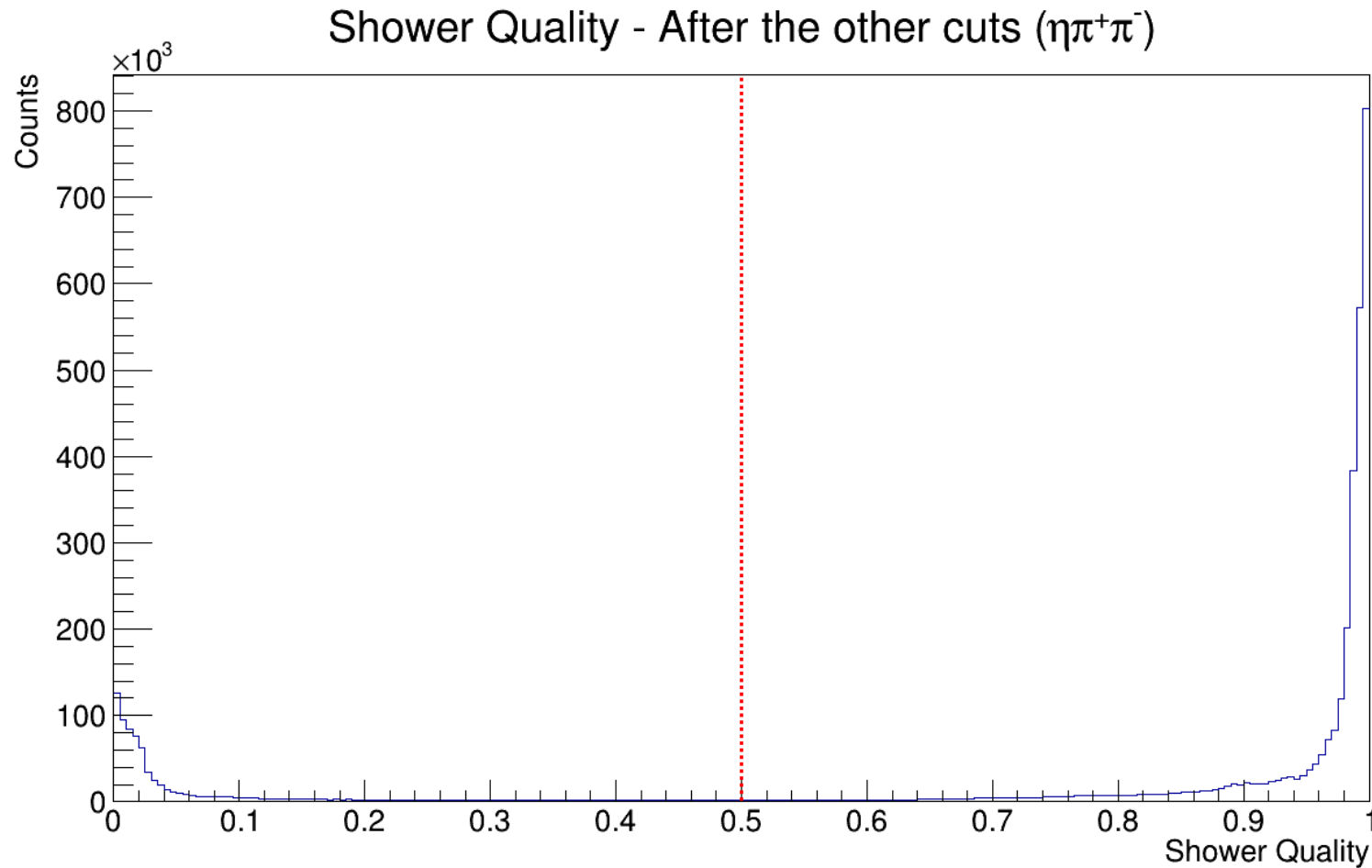
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## In this document:

- Plot the shower quality histogram for both final states
- Apply a shower quality cut of 0.5
- Plot the  $\eta\pi\pi$  mass for the events that **failed** the shower quality cut
- Plot the  $\eta\pi\pi$  mass for the events that passed all the cuts, including the shower quality cut, and compare it with the mass plot that we get if the shower quality cut is not included in the cut flow

The  $\eta \pi^+ \pi^-$  final state

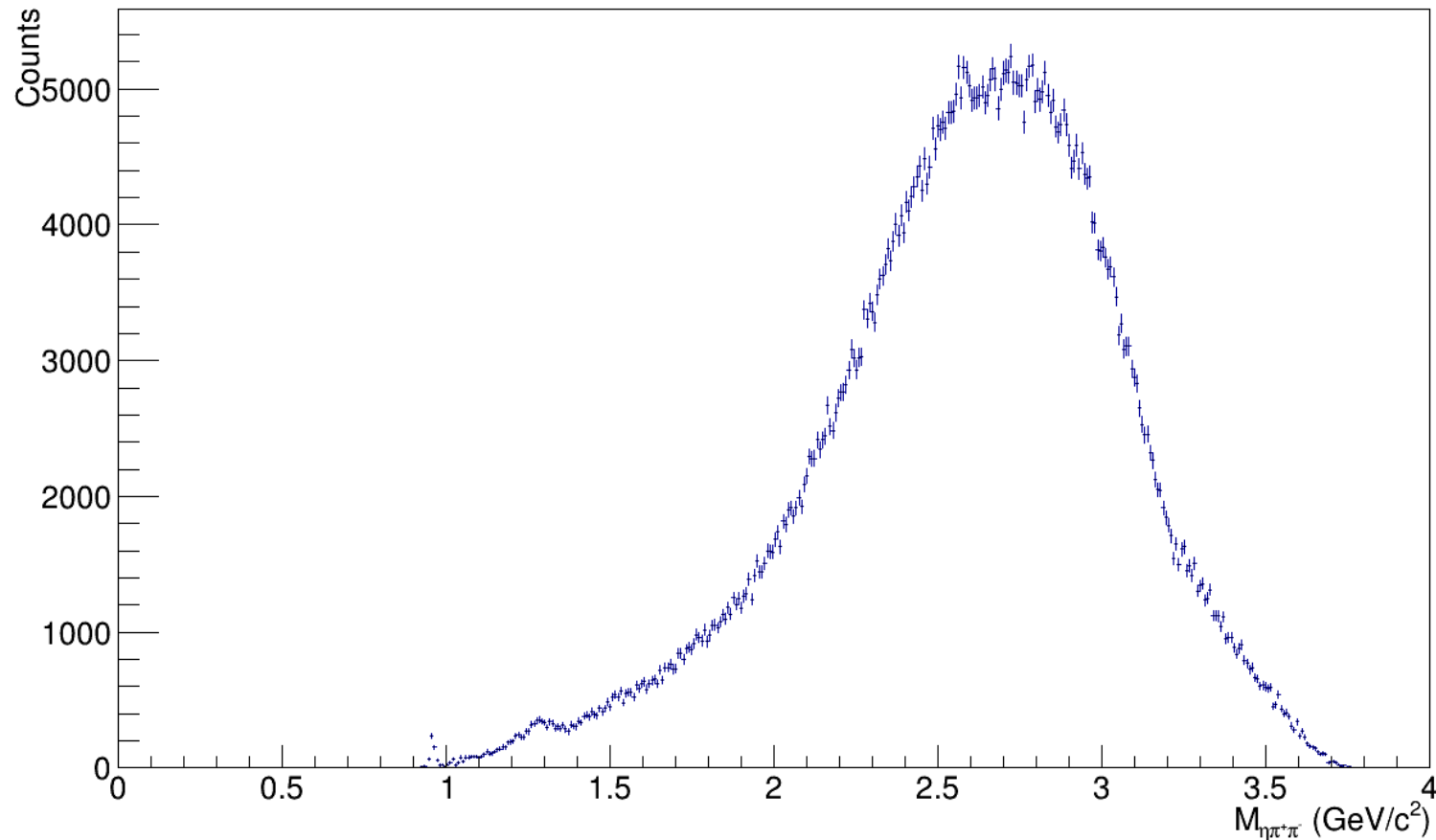
# The shower quality for the $\eta\pi^+\pi^-$ final state



- The red dashed line shows the position of the cut

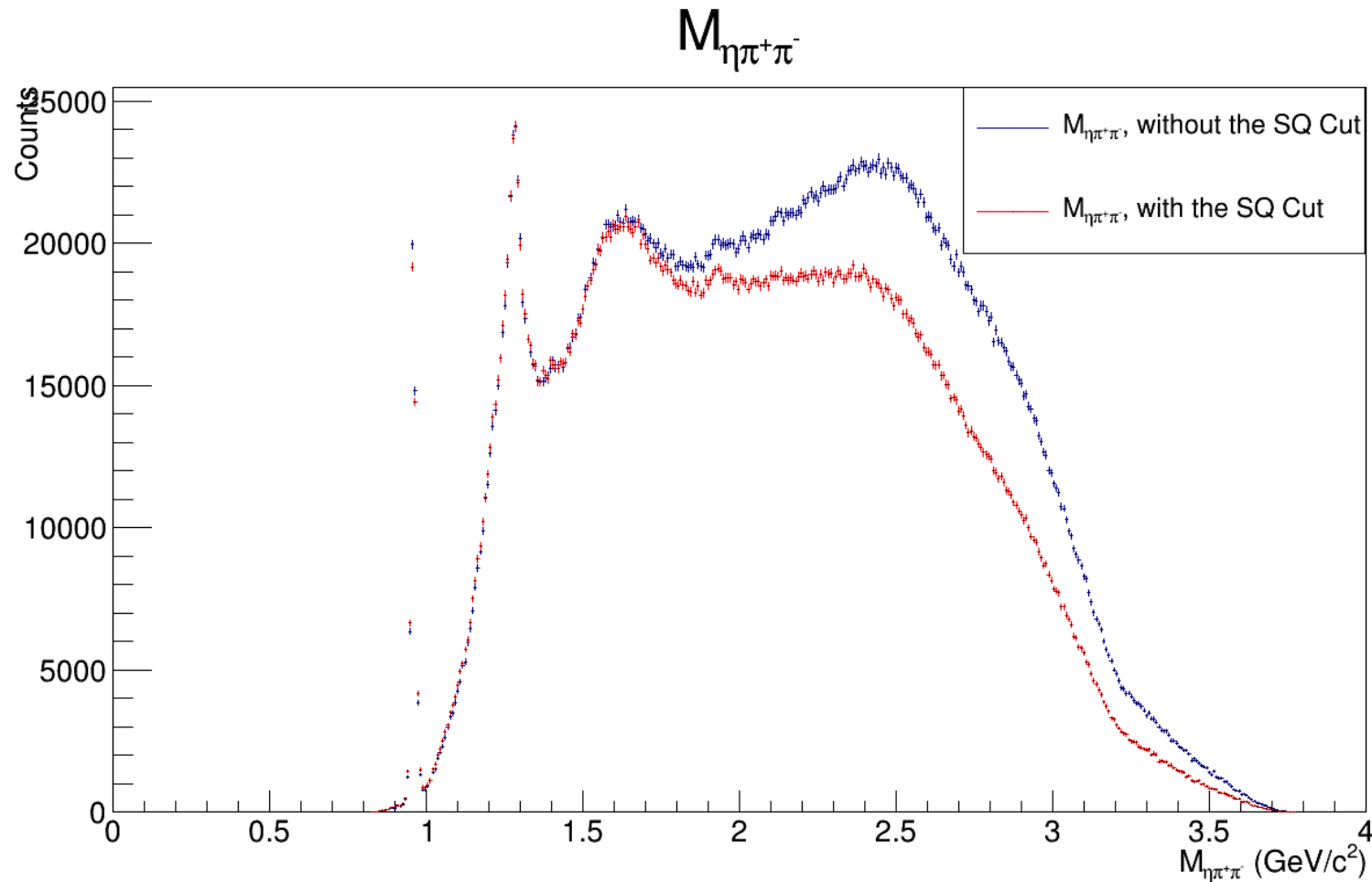
# The $\eta\pi^+\pi^-$ mass for the events that failed the Shower Quality cut

$M_{\eta\pi^+\pi^-}$  from the events that failed the Shower Quality cut



- There is almost no  $\eta'/f_1$  signal in the rejected events

# The $\eta\pi^+\pi^-$ mass with/without the Shower Quality cut

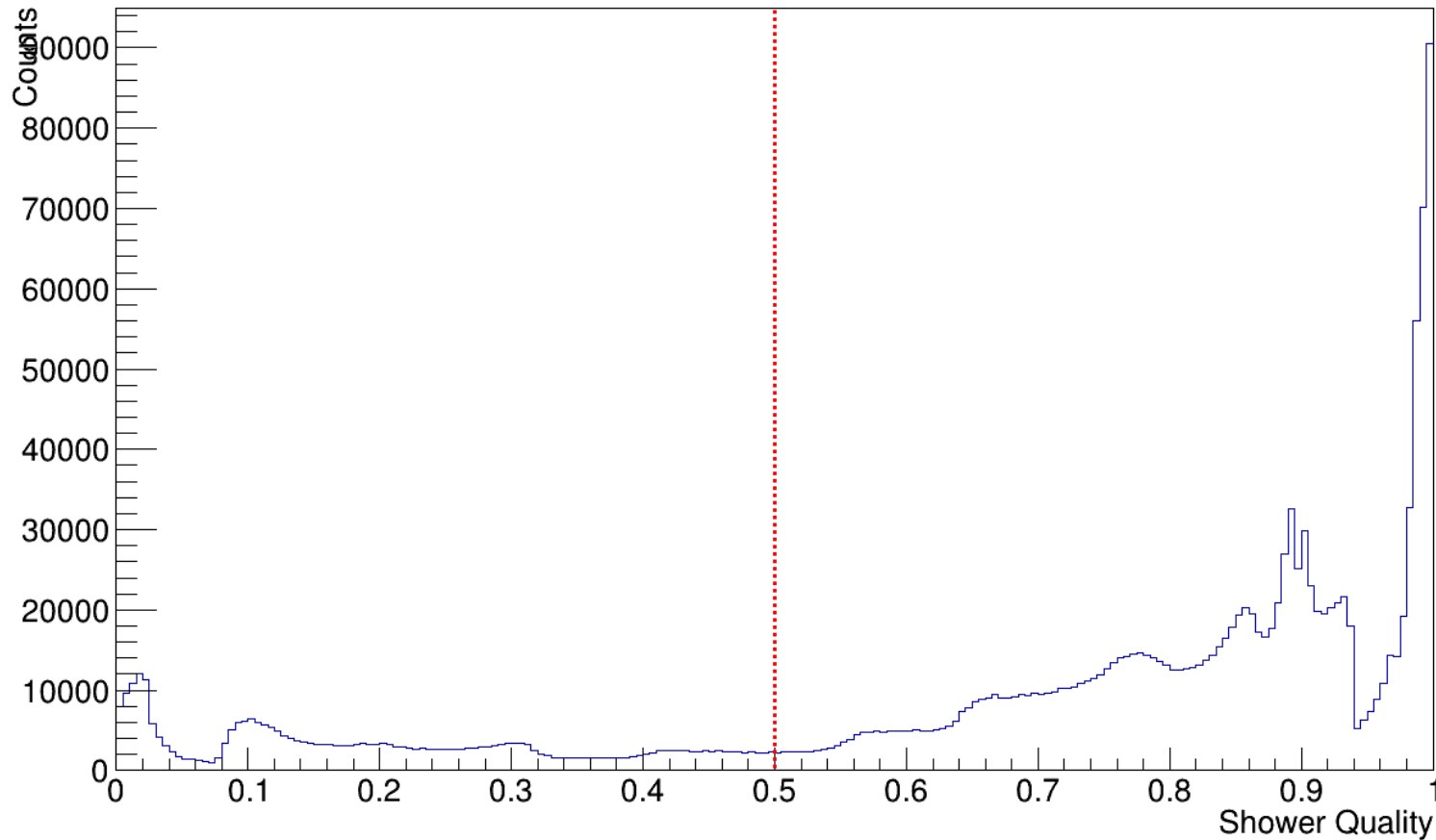


- The SQ cut is very efficient for removing part of the high-mass background

The  $\eta \pi^0 \pi^0$  final state

# The shower quality for the $\eta\pi^0\pi^0$ final state

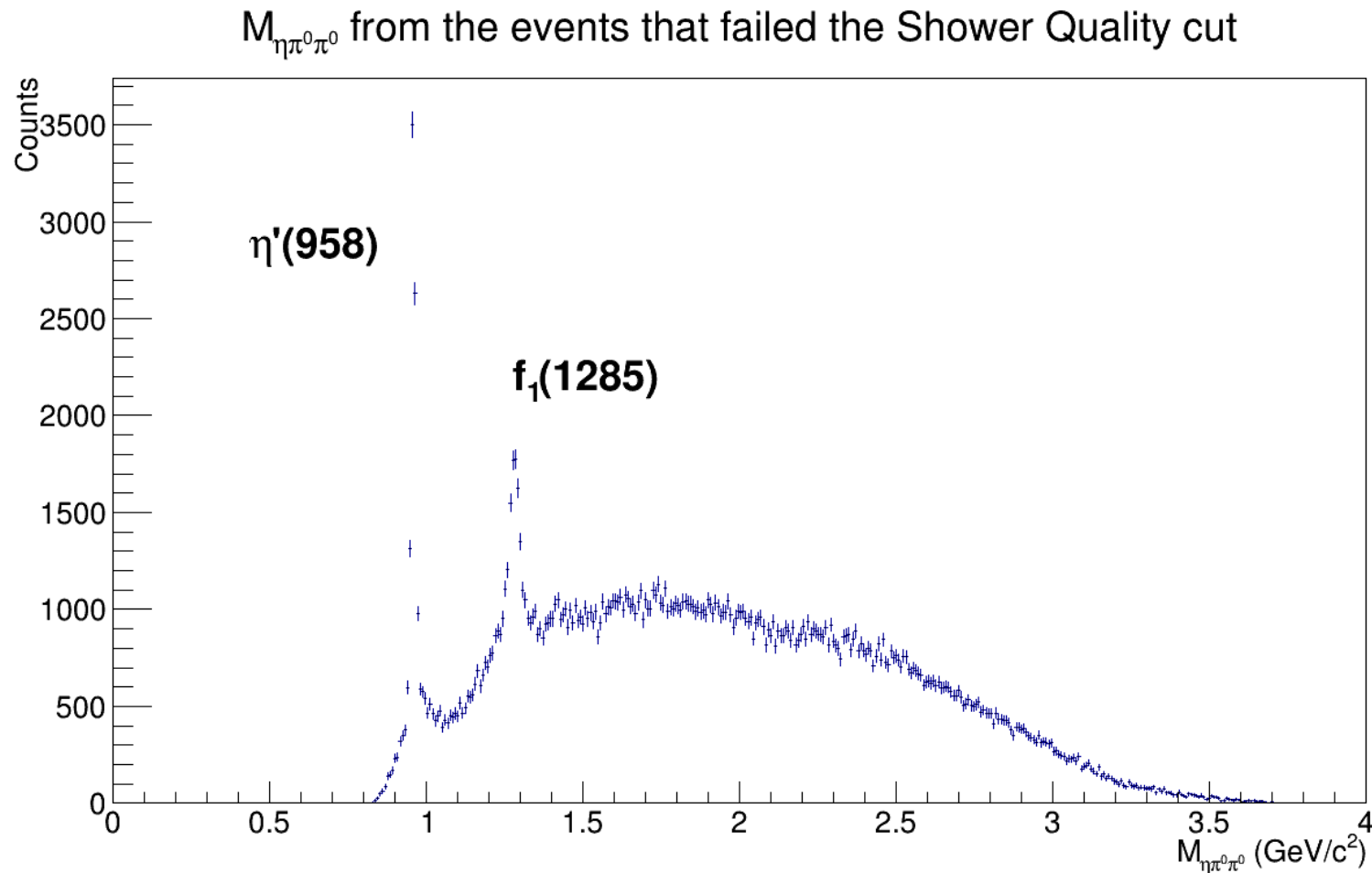
Shower Quality - After the other cuts ( $\eta\pi^0\pi^0$ )



- The red dashed line shows the position of the cut

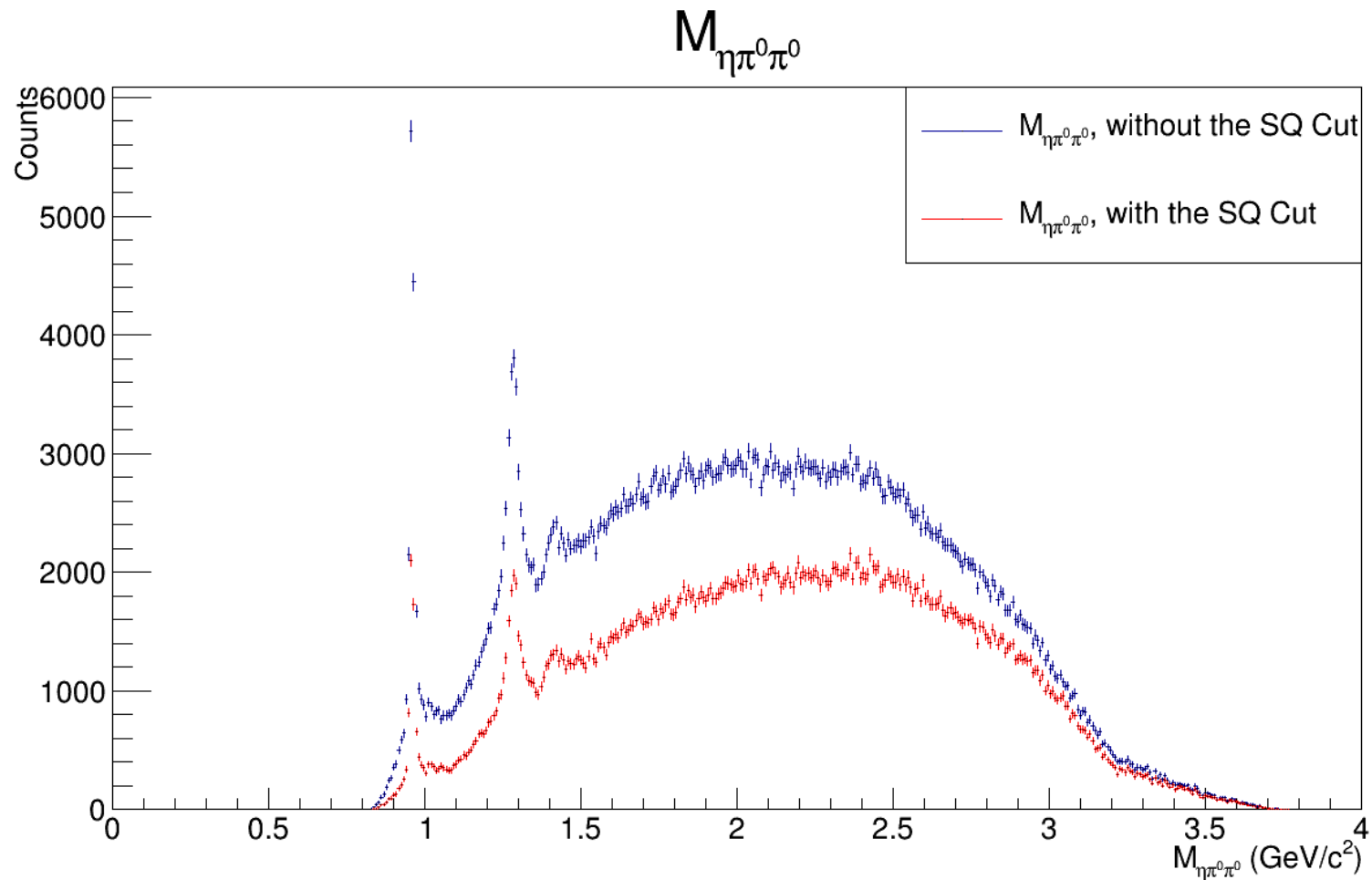


# The $\eta\pi^0\pi^0$ mass from the events that failed the Shower Quality cut



- There is strong presence of  $\eta'/f_1$  signal in the rejected events

# The $\eta\pi^0\pi^0$ mass with/without the Shower Quality cut



- The SQ cut for the  $6\gamma$  final state removes more than 1/3 of the yield