Impact of Tracker Design on Higgs Mass Resolution & Cross Section

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Monte Carlo Generator & Simulation

- MC Generator: PANDORA V2.2, PYTHIAV3.1
  Using NLC Beam Energy Spread (1%)
  ⇒ Thanks to Michael E. Peskin, Masako Iwasaki.

- Analysis Platform: JAVA Analysis Studio V2.2.5
  ⇒ Thanks to Tony Johnson, Mike Ronan,
  Wolfgang Walkowiak.

- Full MC comes from SLAC lcddata server
  ⇒ Thanks to Gary Bower, Norman Graf.

- Detectors: LDMAR01(LD), SDMAR01(SD)

- $e^+e^- \rightarrow ZH \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^- X(\gamma)$
  $\sqrt{S} = 350,\ 500$ GeV
  $M_H = 120,\ 140,\ 160$ GeV
  $\mathcal{L} = 500 fb^{-1}$

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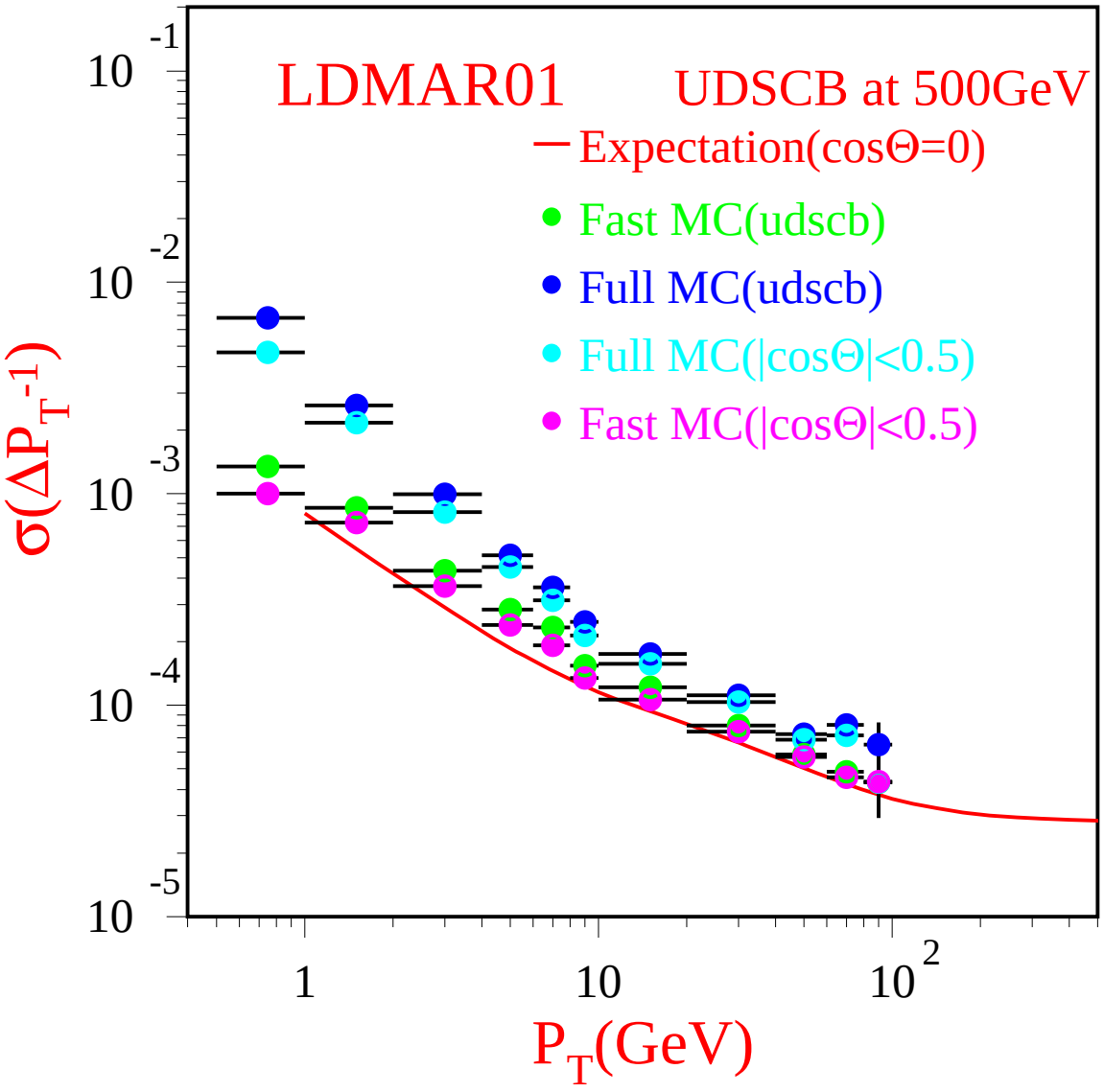

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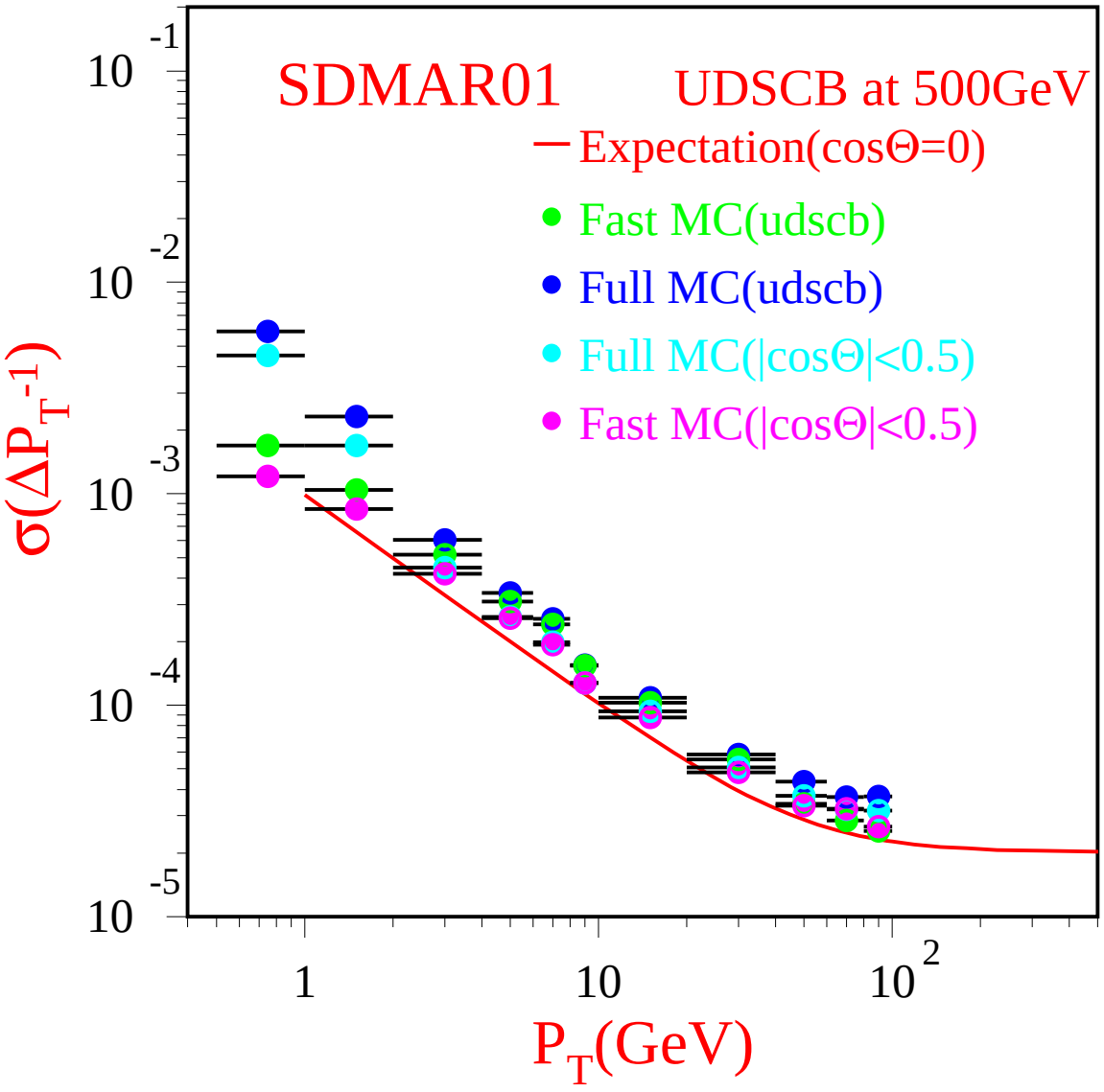

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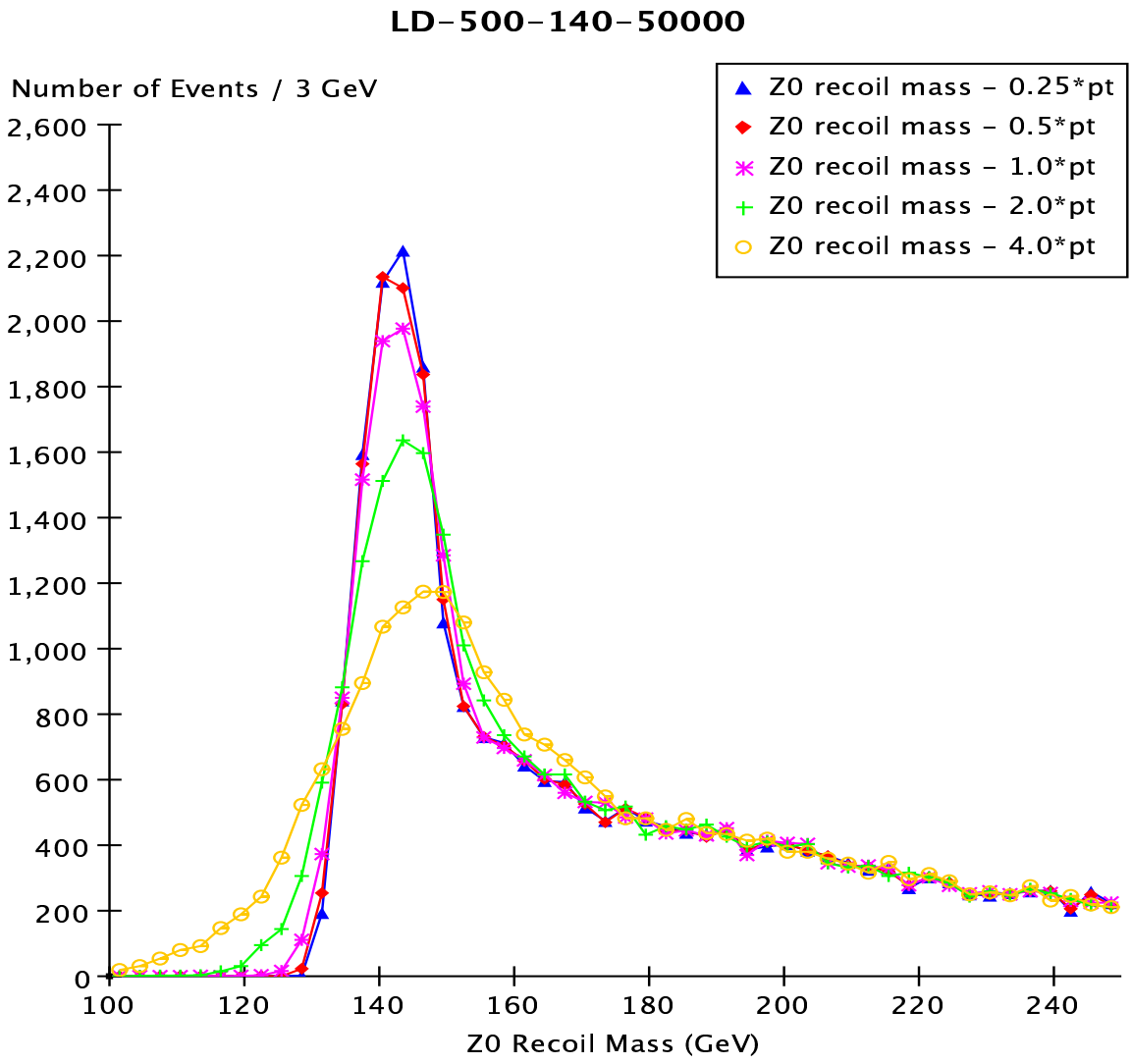

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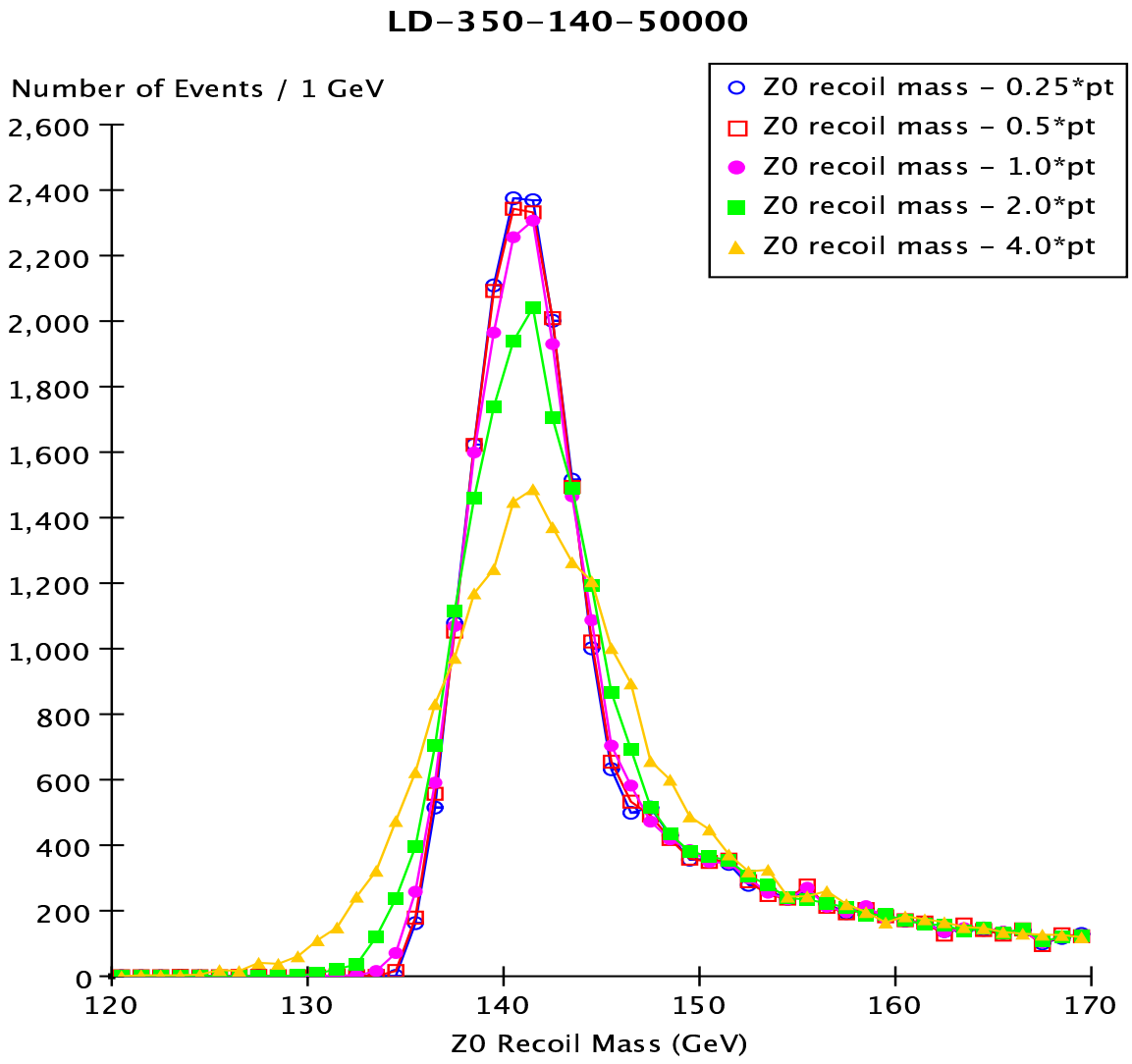

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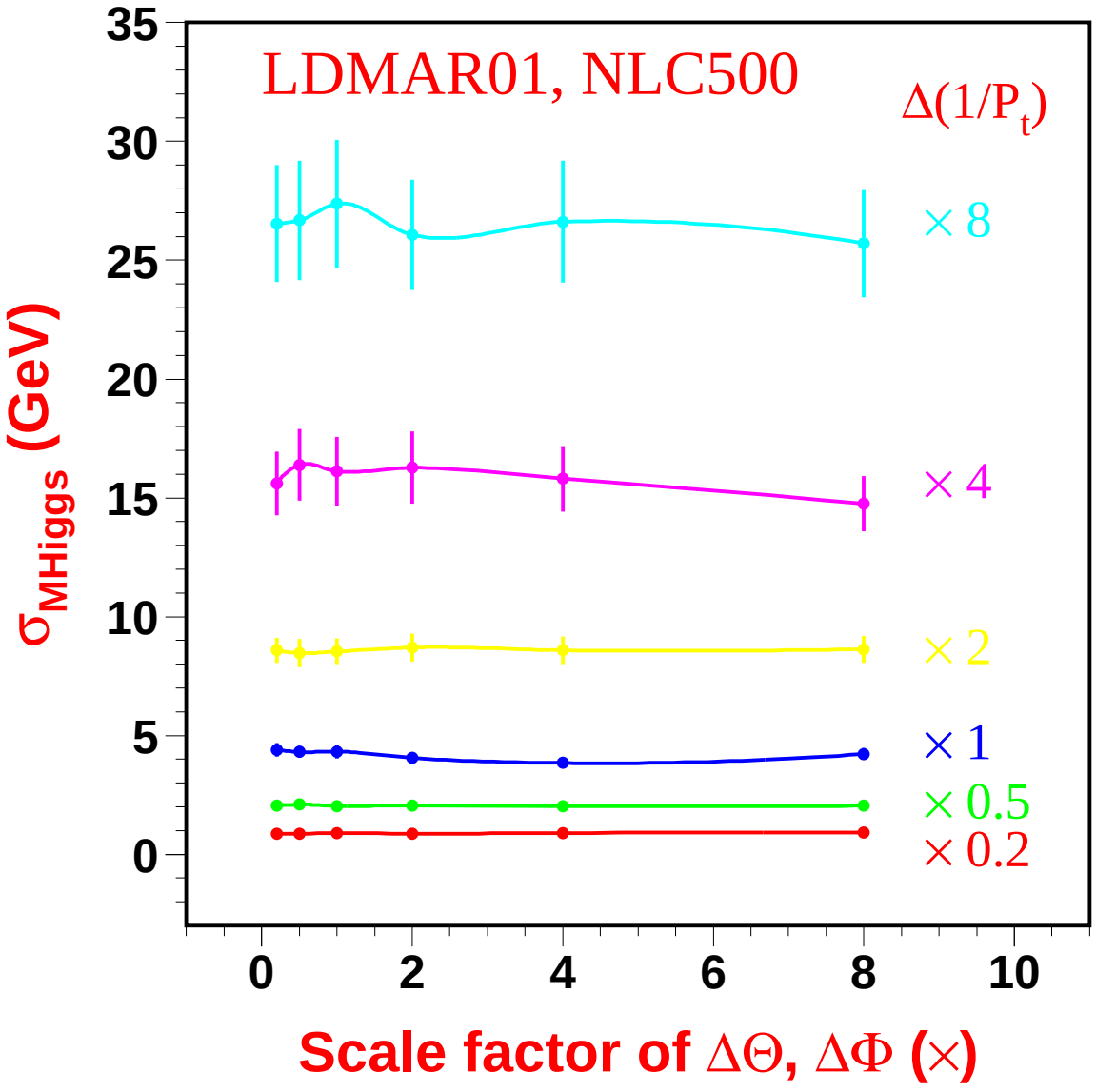

- Raw recoil mass is fitted by single gaussian.

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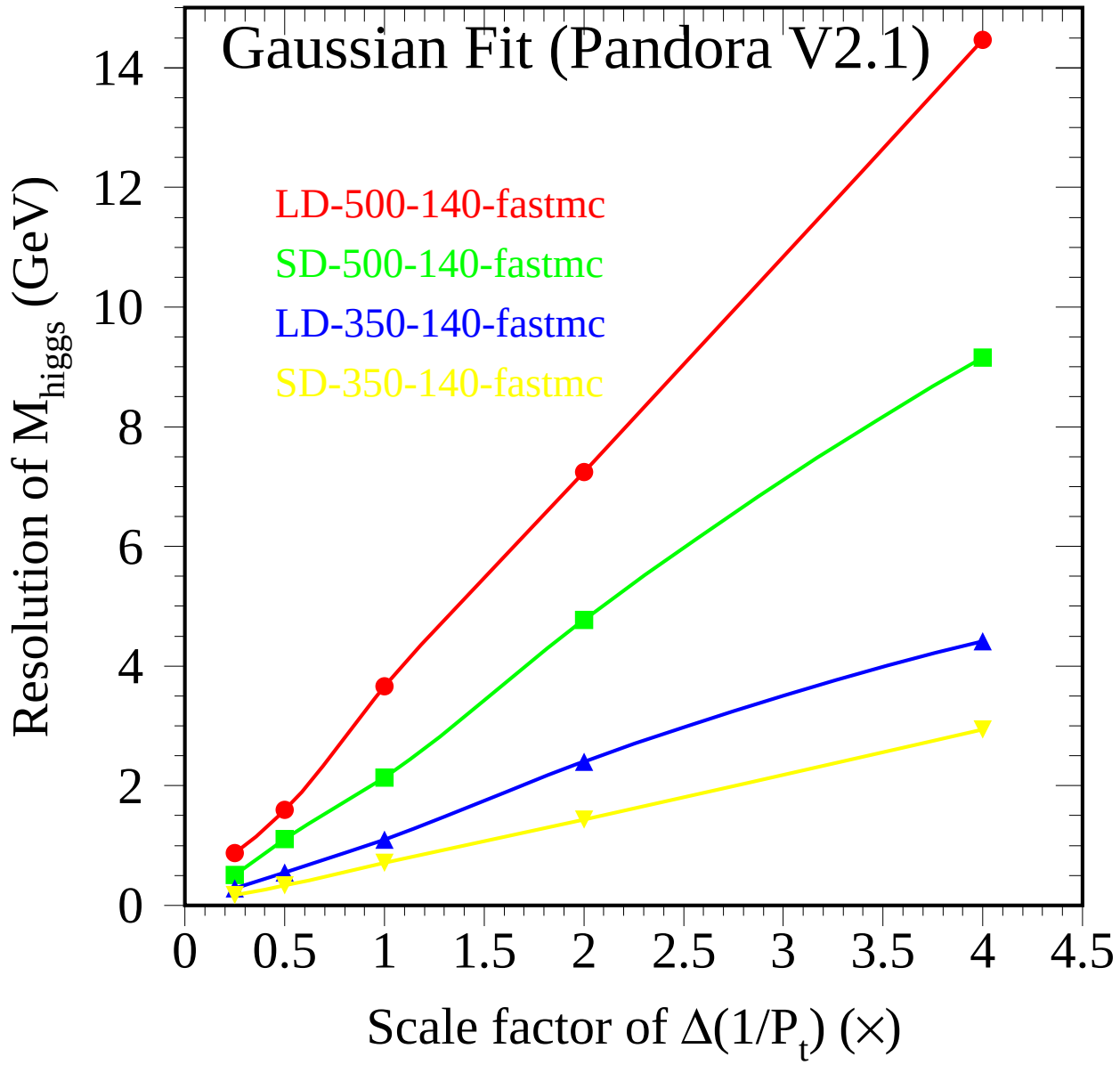

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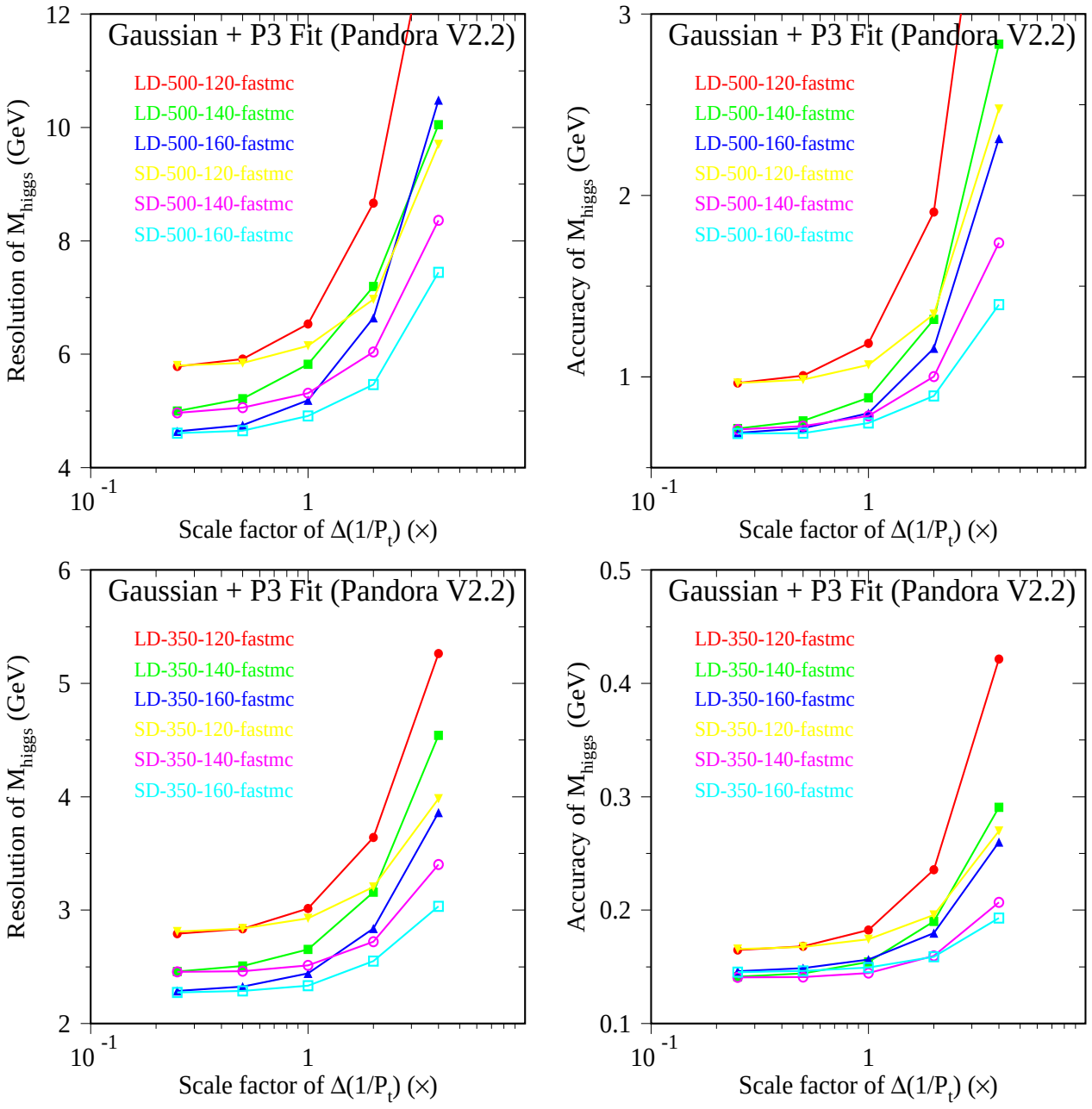

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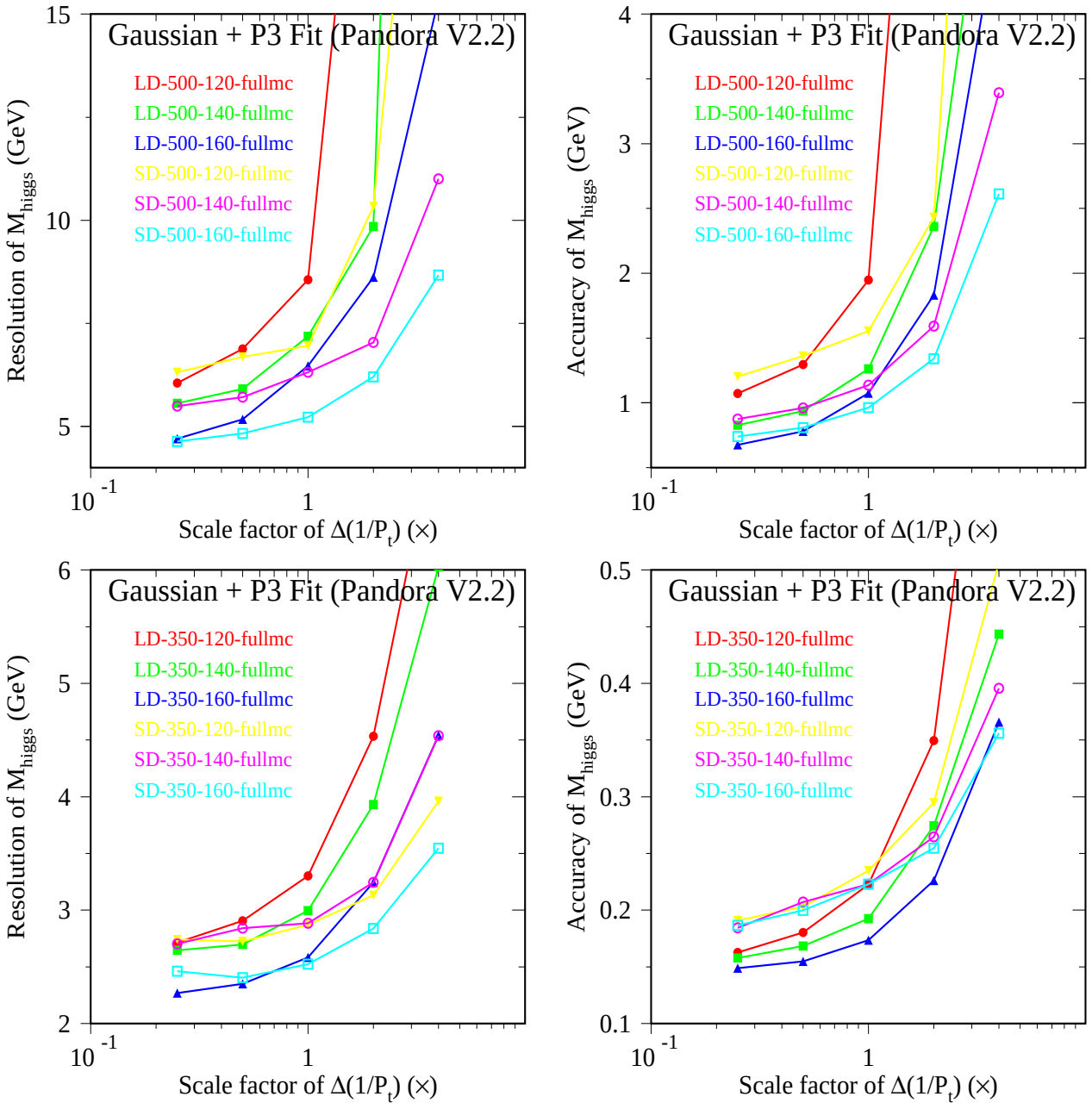

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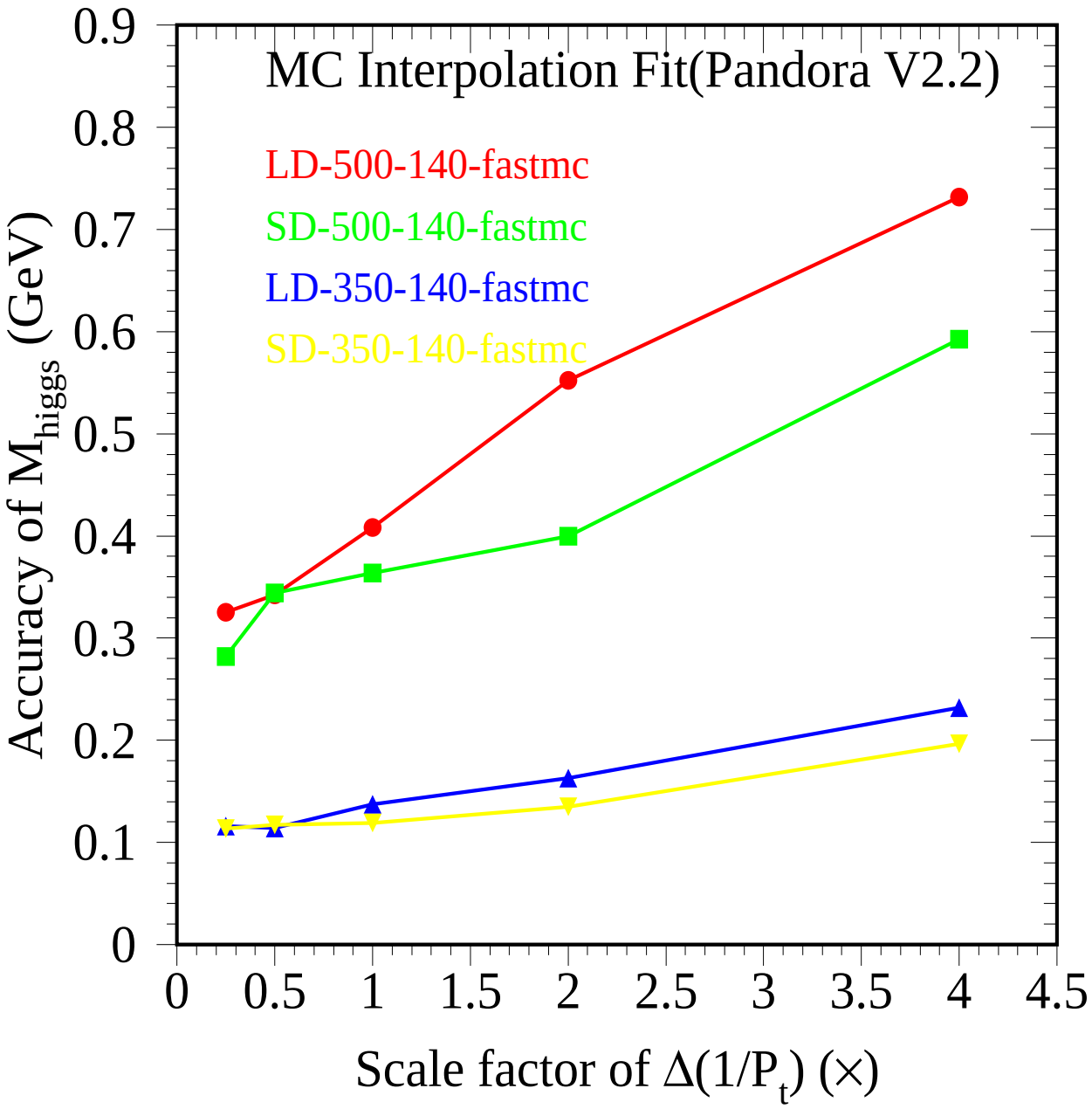
⇒ Higgs mass resolution and accuracy from full MC is worse than that from fast MC.

Higgs Mass Accuracy



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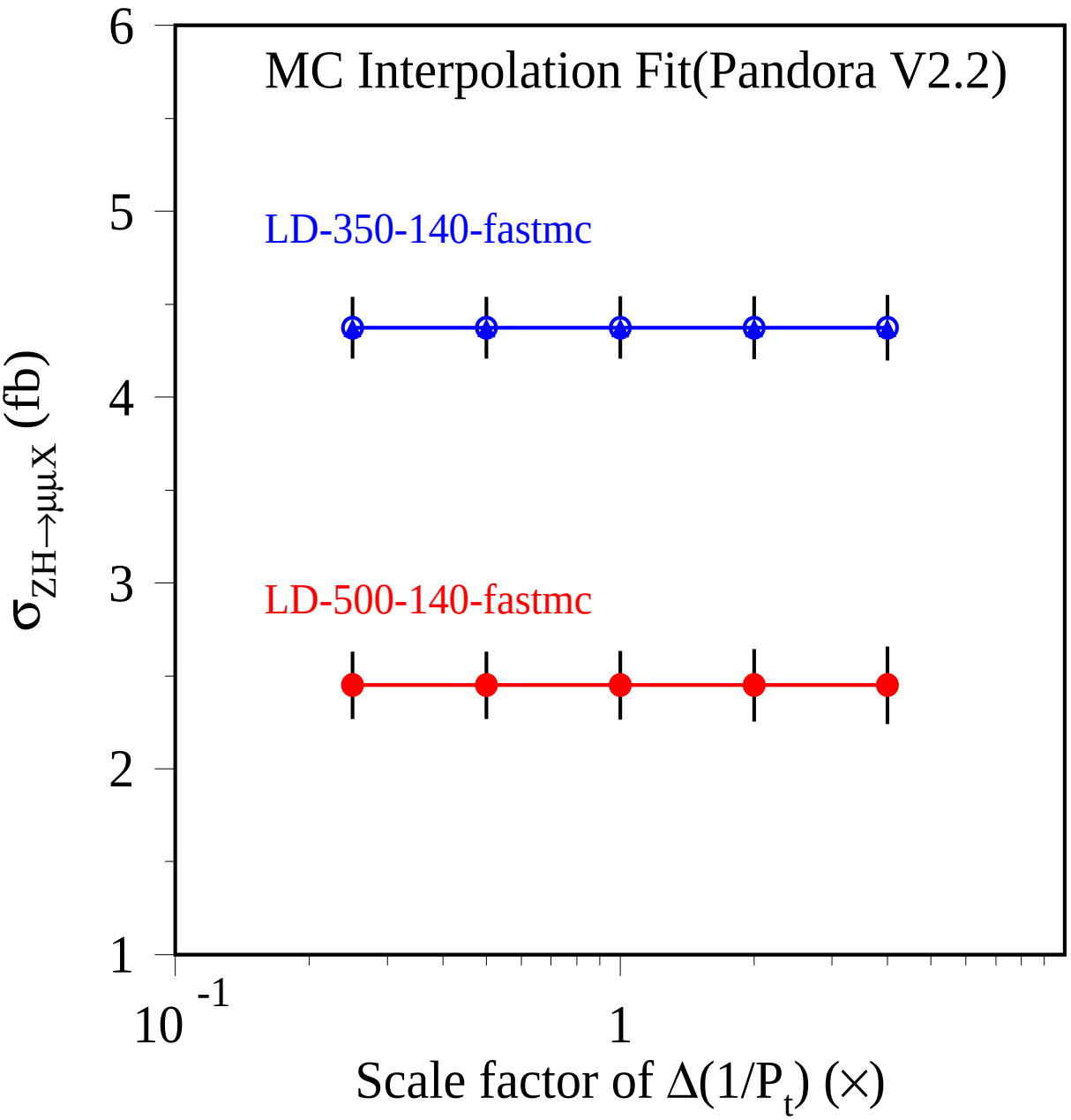
⇒ Higgs mass accuracy from MC interpolation fit looks better.

Cross Section of $ZH \to \mu^+\mu^- X(\gamma)$



$\Rightarrow$ Cross section of $ZH \to \mu^+\mu^- X(\gamma)$ is **insensitive** to track momentum resolution.

Preliminary Conclusions

⇒ Track momentum resolution:

Full MC is worse than Fast MC

⇒ Norman Graf, Mike Ronan and Nick Sinev will talk about recent progress of Full MC reconstruction issues.

⇒ Higgs mass resolution and accuracy:

insensitive to track angular resolutions

sensitive to degraded momentum resolution

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⇒ Central tracking $\delta(\frac{1}{p_t}) \sim 3 \times 10^{-5}(GeV/c)^{-1}$ is around optimal in current beam setup.

⇒ Physics potential may gain by:

decreasing beam energy spread.