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Subject: Differences between Histo and Ntuple  
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Dear all,

I'm trying to learn how to save data into a root file using both a histogram or an ntuple.  
For the histogram I get reasonable plots, but for the ntuple I get strange events/particles  
plotted at -1000.  
My code looks like follows:

```
TH1F *eppx = new TH1F ("eppx", "eppx (All)", 200, -2000, 5000.);
(.../...)
RhoTuple *ntp = new RhoTuple("RecoTuple","Reco_analysis");
(.../...)
PndAnalysis* theAnalysis = new PndAnalysis();
if (nevt==0) nevt= theAnalysis->GetEntries();
// *** RhoCandLists for the analysis
RhoCandList eplus;
(.../...)
while (theAnalysis->GetEvent() && i++<nevt)
{
  if ((i%100)==0) cout<<"evt " << i << endl;
  // *** Select with no PID info ('All'); type and mass are set
  theAnalysis->FillList(chrg, "Charged");
  theAnalysis->FillList(eplus, "ElectronAllPlus");
  (.../...)

  for (j=0;j<eplus.GetLength();++j)
  {
    eppx->Fill(eplus[j]->Px());
    ntp->Column("eppx", (Float_t) eplus[j]->Px(), -999.0f);
    ntp->DumpData();
  }
  (.../...)
}

out->cd();
eppx->Write();
out->Save();
ntp->GetInternalTree()->Write();
out->Close();
```

However, I get strange results when I open the output rootfile (see uploaded files).  
Am I doing something wrong? Does somebody know where these events at -1000 in the ntuple  
saved data come from?  
Thanks a lot in advance!

Best regards,

Mamen

### File Attachments

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- 1) [PloteppxAll\\_1.eps](#), downloaded 567 times
  - 2) [PloteppxAll\\_2.eps](#), downloaded 599 times
  - 3) [PloteppxAll\\_tuple.eps](#), downloaded 566 times
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