

---

Subject: Unexpected particles in Event Display window.  
Posted by [Ajay Kumar](#) on Sun, 13 Sep 2015 11:07:43 GMT  
[View Forum Message](#) <> [Reply to Message](#)

---

Dear All,

I have simulated two decay reactions using EvtGenDirect at just production threshold. These are the reactions.

$p\bar{p} \rightarrow J/\psi \pi^+ \pi^- \rightarrow e^+ e^- \pi^+ \pi^-$  (beam momentum = 5.049089 GeV/c and just above at 6.0 GeV/c).

$p\bar{p} \rightarrow D^{*+} D^{*-} \rightarrow D^0 \pi^+ D^0 \pi^- \rightarrow K^- \pi^+ \pi^+ k^+ \pi^- \pi^-$  (beam momentum = 7.618268 GeV/c and just above at 8.0 GeV/c).

After that, I had a look on particle tracks in the eventDisplay window and observed that some unexpected particles like Deuteron, Alpha, Triton, neutron, antineutron, muons, gammas are present there which I did not expect from EvtGenDirect by defining a decay file for particular decay.

To cross check for these additional particles, I created output.evt files using the same decay files then inside the output.evt file everything looks OK as I expected.

Is this behavior of EvtGenDirect is normal?

Will these additional particles harm the reconstruction of these decays?

Kindly help me in this regard.

I have attached simulation macros, decay files and snap shot of eventDisplay window.

---

### File Attachments

- 1) [sim\\_complete.C](#), downloaded 150 times
  - 2) [digi\\_complete.C](#), downloaded 154 times
  - 3) [recoideal\\_complete.C](#), downloaded 159 times
  - 4) [pid\\_complete.C](#), downloaded 135 times
  - 5) [jpsipi-pi+\\_e+e-.dec](#), downloaded 158 times
  - 6) [jpsi\\_pippim\\_output.evt](#), downloaded 146 times
  - 7) [SnapShot\\_EventDisplay.png](#), downloaded 172 times
-