

# Inclusive quarkonium photoproduction in ultra-peripheral collisions

Kate Lynch

Jean-Philippe Lansberg (IJCLab), Charlotte Van Hulse (EHU)  
& Ronan McNulty (UCD)

## Quarkonia as Tools



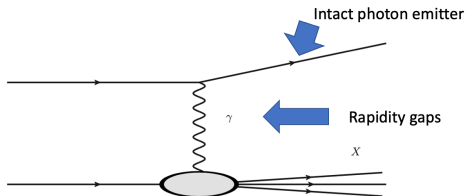
This project is supported by the European Union's Horizon 2020 research and innovation programme under Grant agreement no. 824093

# Photoproduction

- Accelerated charged particles emit electromagnetic radiation
- Photon-induced interactions

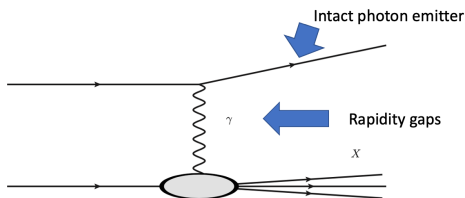
# Photoproduction

- Accelerated charged particles emit electromagnetic radiation
- Photon-induced interactions



# Photoproduction

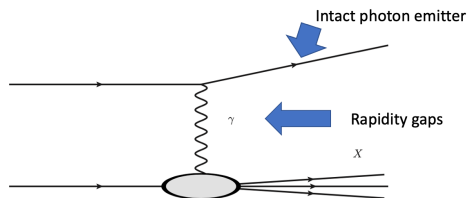
- Accelerated charged particles emit electromagnetic radiation
- Photon-induced interactions



- In **ep** collisions...
  - ▶ By detecting the scattered lepton the photon energy is known
  - ▶ Can **not** be done for small photon virtuality
    - ★ Photon energy is determined by reconstructing hadronic final states

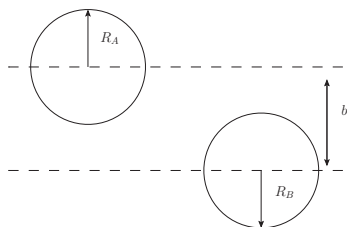
# Photoproduction

- Accelerated charged particles emit electromagnetic radiation
- Photon-induced interactions



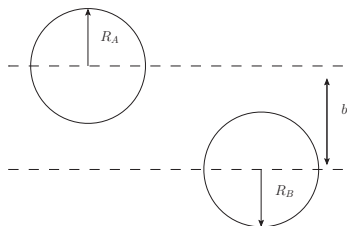
- In **ep** collisions...
  - ▶ By detecting the scattered lepton the photon energy is known
  - ▶ Can **not** be done for small photon virtuality
    - ★ Photon energy is determined by reconstructing hadronic final states
- In **pp** and **AA** collisions...
  - ▶ Emitter is intact  $\rightarrow$  **coherent photoproduction**  $\rightarrow$  Photon emitted outside charge radius  $\rightarrow$  ultra peripheral collisions (**UPC**)
  - ▶ Can we reconstruct the photon energy at the LHC? (Later...)

## Ultra peripheral collisions...



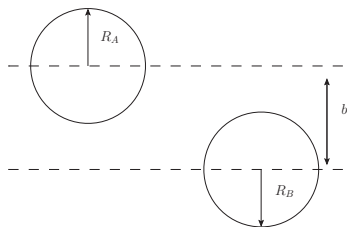
- $b > R_A + R_B \rightarrow$  electromagnetic interactions dominate

# Ultra peripheral collisions...



- $b > R_A + R_B \rightarrow$  electromagnetic interactions dominate
- Fewer particles than in hadronic interactions  $\rightarrow$  rapidity gaps

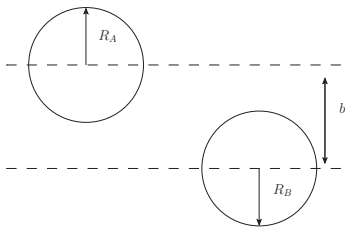
## Ultra peripheral collisions...



- $b > R_A + R_B \rightarrow$  electromagnetic interactions dominate
- Fewer particles than in hadronic interactions  $\rightarrow$  rapidity gaps
- Photon emitter can remain **intact** (coherent emission:  $E_\gamma^{\max} \approx \frac{\hbar c}{b_{\min}}$  )

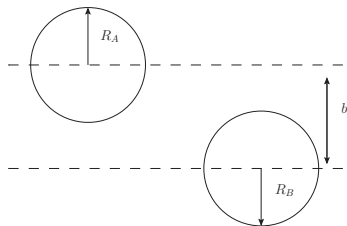


# Ultra peripheral collisions...



- $b > R_A + R_B \rightarrow$  electromagnetic interactions dominate
- Fewer particles than in hadronic interactions  $\rightarrow$  rapidity gaps
- Photon emitter can remain **intact** (coherent emission:  $E_\gamma^{\max} \approx \frac{\hbar c}{b_{\min}}$ )
  - ▶ proton-lead:  $\sqrt{s_{NN}} = 8.16$  TeV  $\rightarrow W_{\gamma N}^{\max} \approx 1.4$  TeV

# Ultra peripheral collisions...



- $b > R_A + R_B \rightarrow$  electromagnetic interactions dominate
- Fewer particles than in hadronic interactions  $\rightarrow$  rapidity gaps
- Photon emitter can remain **intact** (coherent emission:  $E_\gamma^{\max} \approx \frac{\hbar c}{b_{\min}}$ )
  - ▶ proton-lead:  $\sqrt{s_{NN}} = 8.16 \text{ TeV} \rightarrow W_{\gamma N}^{\max} \approx 1.4 \text{ TeV}$
  - ▶ electron-proton:
    - ★ HERA:  $\sqrt{s_{ep}} = 320 \text{ GeV}$
    - ★ EIC:  $\sqrt{s_{ep}} = 45 - 140 \text{ GeV}$

# Quarkonia and photoproduction

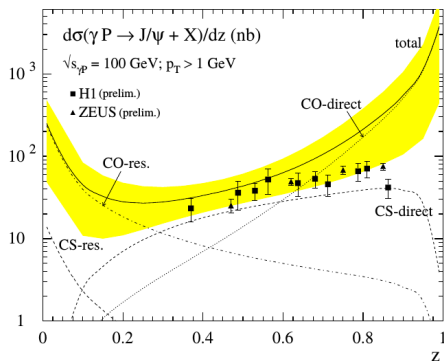
- Bound states of heavy quarks  $c\bar{c}$  or  $b\bar{b}$
- Production mechanism remains an open question!

# Quarkonia and photoproduction

- Bound states of heavy quarks  $c\bar{c}$  or  $b\bar{b}$
- Production mechanism remains an open question!
- **Colour Singlet Model** vs. **Colour Octet Mechanism** and **NRQCD** vs. **Colour Evaporation Model**

# Quarkonia and photoproduction

- Bound states of heavy quarks  $c\bar{c}$  or  $b\bar{b}$
- Production mechanism remains an open question!
- **Colour Singlet Model** vs. **Colour Octet Mechanism** and **NRQCD** vs. **Colour Evaporation Model**

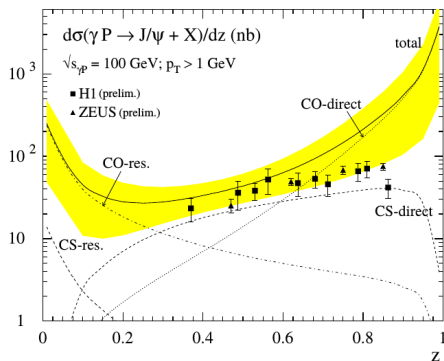


- Elasticity  $z = \frac{P_{\psi} \cdot P_p}{P_{\gamma} \cdot P_p}$

KRAMER, hep-ph/016120

# Quarkonia and photoproduction

- Bound states of heavy quarks  $c\bar{c}$  or  $b\bar{b}$
- Production mechanism remains an open question!
- **Colour Singlet Model** vs. **Colour Octet Mechanism** and **NRQCD** vs. **Colour Evaporation Model**

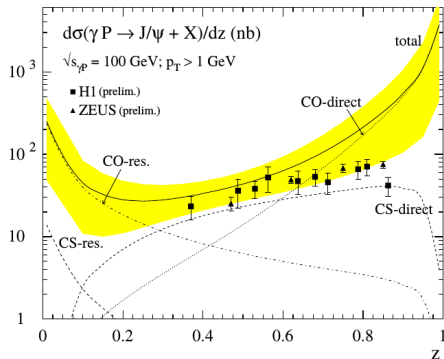


- Elasticity  $z = \frac{P_{\psi} \cdot P_p}{P_{\gamma} \cdot P_p}$

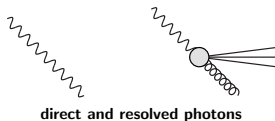
KRAMER, hep-ph/016120

# Quarkonia and photoproduction

- Bound states of heavy quarks  $c\bar{c}$  or  $b\bar{b}$
- Production mechanism remains an open question!
- **Colour Singlet Model** vs. **Colour Octet Mechanism** and **NRQCD** vs. **Colour Evaporation Model**



- Elasticity  $z = \frac{P_{\psi} \cdot P_p}{P_{\gamma} \cdot P_p}$



KRAMER, hep-ph/016120

# Quarkonium Production

## 1 Colour Singlet Model

- ▶  $Q\bar{Q}$  pair produced with the same quantum numbers as  $Q$
- ▶ **NO** gluon emissions during hadronisation
- ▶  $d\sigma(Q + X) = d\sigma(Q\bar{Q} + X)\langle O^Q \rangle$



# Quarkonium Production

## 1 Colour Singlet Model

- ▶  $Q\bar{Q}$  pair produced with the same quantum numbers as  $Q$
- ▶ **NO** gluon emissions during hadronisation
- ▶  $d\sigma(Q + X) = d\sigma(Q\bar{Q} + X)\langle\mathcal{O}^Q\rangle$

## 2 NRQCD and Colour Octet Mechanism

- ▶  $Q\bar{Q}$  pairs with different quantum numbers contribute
- ▶ Higher Fock states are  $v$ -suppressed
- ▶ Soft gluon emissions during hadronisation
- ▶  $d\sigma(Q + X) = \sum_n d\sigma((Q\bar{Q})_n + X)\langle\mathcal{O}_n^Q\rangle$

# Quarkonium Production

## 1 Colour Singlet Model

- ▶  $Q\bar{Q}$  pair produced with the same quantum numbers as  $\mathcal{Q}$
- ▶ **NO** gluon emissions during hadronisation
- ▶  $d\sigma(\mathcal{Q} + X) = d\sigma(Q\bar{Q} + X)\langle\mathcal{O}^{\mathcal{Q}}\rangle$

## 2 NRQCD and Colour Octet Mechanism

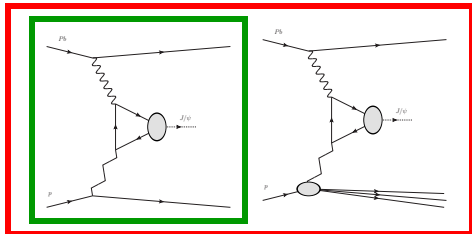
- ▶  $Q\bar{Q}$  pairs with different quantum numbers contribute
- ▶ Higher Fock states are  $v$ -suppressed
- ▶ Soft gluon emissions during hadronisation
- ▶  $d\sigma(\mathcal{Q} + X) = \sum_n d\sigma((Q\bar{Q})_n + X)\langle\mathcal{O}_n^{\mathcal{Q}}\rangle$

## 3 Colour Evaporation Model

- ▶ Quantum numbers of  $Q\bar{Q}$  decorrelated from  $\mathcal{Q}$
- ▶ Semi-soft gluon emissions during hadronisation
- ▶  $d\sigma(\mathcal{Q} + X) \propto \int_{2m_Q}^{2m_H} \frac{d\sigma(Q\bar{Q}+X)}{dm_{Q\bar{Q}}} dm_{Q\bar{Q}}$

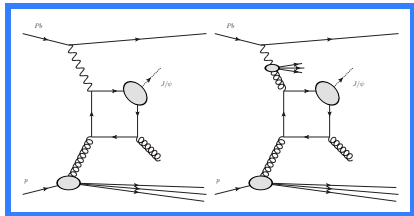
# Inclusive photoproduction vs. exclusive photoproduction

## Diffractive production



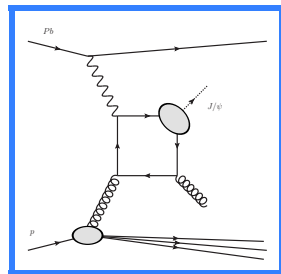
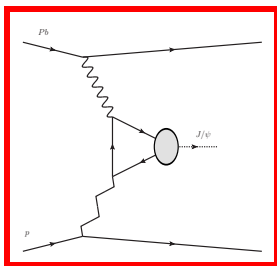
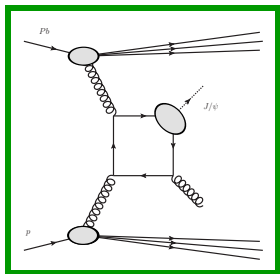
- Colourless exchange
- Extract gluon GPDs
- Only CSM contributes
- **exclusive**: only  $J/\psi$  decay products

## Inclusive production



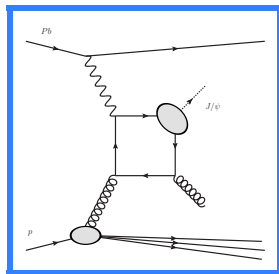
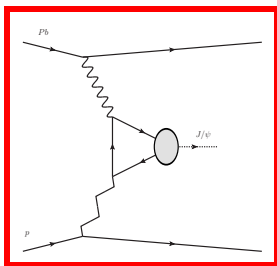
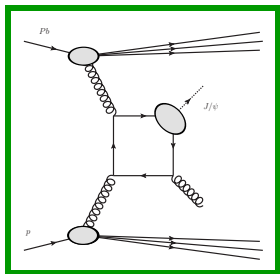
- Hard final state gluon
- Resolved vs. direct contribution
- Test production mechanism
- Probe gluon PDF

# What has been measured...



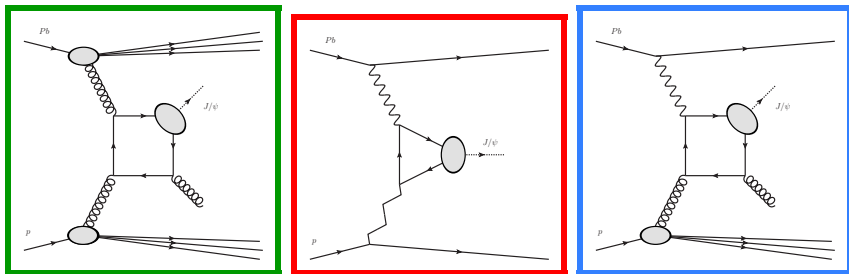
- Inclusive hadroproduction in  $PbPb$ ,  $pPb$ ,  $\bar{p}p$ ,  $pp$ ,  $dAu$ ,  $AuAu$ ...
- **Exclusive photoproduction** in  $pp$ ,  $pPb$ ,  $\bar{p}p$ ,  $PbPb$ ,  $dAu$ ,  $ep$
- **Inclusive photoproduction** in  $ep$

# What has been measured...



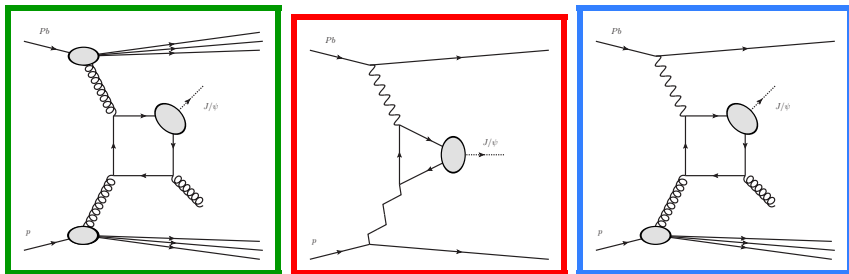
- **Inclusive hadroproduction** in  $PbPb$ ,  $pPb$ ,  $\bar{p}p$ ,  $pp$ ,  $dAu$ ,  $AuAu$ ...
- **Exclusive photoproduction** in  $pp$ ,  $pPb$ ,  $\bar{p}p$ ,  $PbPb$ ,  $dAu$ ,  $ep$
- **Inclusive photoproduction** in  $ep$

# What has been measured...



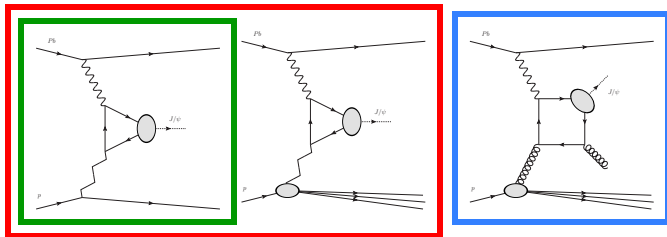
- **Inclusive hadroproduction** in  $PbPb$ ,  $pPb$ ,  $\bar{p}p$ ,  $pp$ ,  $dAu$ ,  $AuAu$ ...
- **Exclusive photoproduction** in  $pp$ ,  $pPb$ ,  $\bar{p}p$ ,  $PbPb$ ,  $dAu$ ,  $ep$
- **Inclusive photoproduction** in  $ep$ 
  - ▶ Limited data

# What has been measured...



- **Inclusive hadroproduction** in  $PbPb$ ,  $pPb$ ,  $\bar{p}p$ ,  $pp$ ,  $dAu$ ,  $AuAu$ ...
- **Exclusive photoproduction** in  $pp$ ,  $pPb$ ,  $\bar{p}p$ ,  $PbPb$ ,  $dAu$ ,  $ep$
- **Inclusive photoproduction** in  $ep$ 
  - ▶ Limited data
  - ▶ Propose it should be studied at the LHC

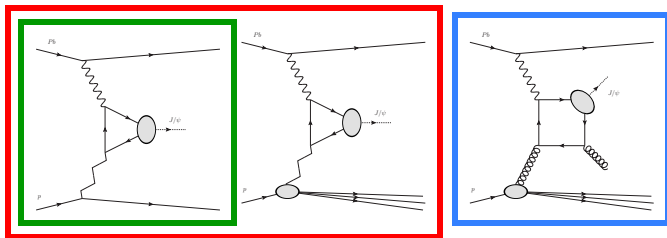
# What has been measured...at HERA in ep



- **Diffractive**, **exclusive** & **inclusive** photoproduction @ HERA  
 $\sqrt{s} = 320$  GeV [Computed at NLO [see Carlo's talk on Monday]]



# What has been measured...at HERA in ep

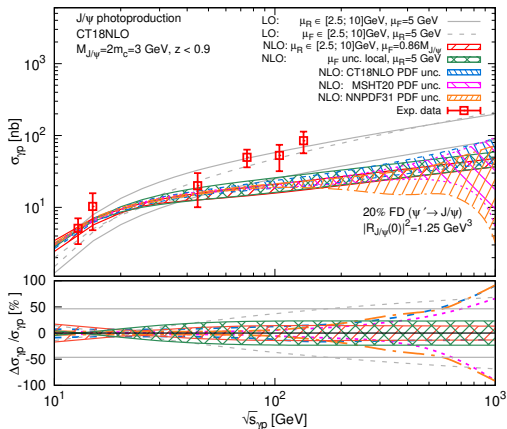


- **Diffractive**, **exclusive** & **inclusive** photoproduction @ HERA  
 $\sqrt{s} = 320$  GeV [Computed at NLO [see Carlo's talk on Monday]]
  - ▶ separated using experimental cuts ...
    - ★ **Diffractive**:  $p_T < 1$  GeV &  $z = \frac{P_{J/\psi} \cdot P_p}{P_\gamma \cdot P_p} > 0.9$
    - ★ **Inclusive**:  $p_T > 1$  GeV &  $z < 0.9$
- Each contribution is found to be comparable
- $z$  is reconstructed experimentally

# NLO computation for inclusive photoproduction

Colpani Serri, Feng, Flore, Lansberg, Ozcelik, Shao, Yedelkina, PLB835 (2022) 137556

See Carlo's talk Monday



NLO computation for  $\gamma p \rightarrow J/\psi X$ .

At the LHC can extend the measurement to  $\sim 10^3$  GeV.

# Generating Events

Comput.Phys.Commun. 184 (2013) 2562-2570

- HELAC-Onia  $\rightarrow$  cross sections & partonic events for signal  $[\gamma g \rightarrow J/\psi(^3S_1^1)g]$  and background  $[gg \rightarrow J/\psi(^3S_1^1)g]$  LO CSM
- Pass partonic events through PYTHIA
- Place detector cuts

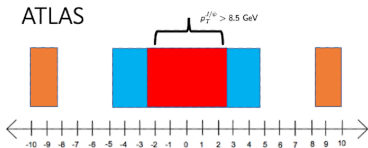
# Feasibility: Detector Acceptance

Basic kinematic cuts

<b>LHCb</b>	<b>CMS typical</b>	<b>CMS low <math>p_T</math></b>
$2 < y^\psi < 4.5$	$ y^\psi  < 2.1$	$1.2 >  y^\psi , p_T^\psi > 6.5$
$p_T^\mu > 0.4$	$p_T^\psi > 6.5$	$1.2 <  y^\psi  < 1.6, p_T^\psi > 2$
		$1.6 <  y^\psi  < 2.4, p_T^\psi > 0$

<b>ALICE <math>e^-e^+</math></b>	<b>ALICE <math>\mu^-\mu^+</math></b>	<b>ATLAS</b>
$ y^\psi  < 0.9$	$2.5 < y^\psi < 4$	$ y^\psi  < 2.1$
		$p_T^\psi > 8.5$

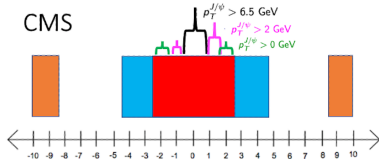
# Detectors @ LHC



ZDC:  $|\eta| > 8.3$

Cal.:  $|\eta| < 4.9$  ( $p_T > 200$  MeV)

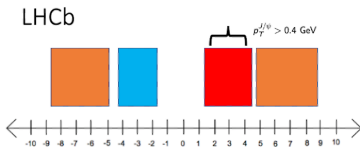
Tracking:  $|\eta| < 2.5$  ( $p_T > 400$  MeV)



ZDC:  $|\eta| > 8.5$

Cal.:  $|\eta| < 4.9$  ( $p_T > 200$  MeV)

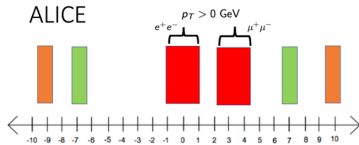
Tracking:  $|\eta| < 2.5$  ( $p_T > 200$  MeV)



HeRSChel:  $5 < |\eta| < 8.5$

VELO:  $-4 < \eta < -1.5$  ( $p_T > 0.1$  GeV)

LHCb:  $2 < \eta < 5$  ( $p_T > 0.1$  GeV)



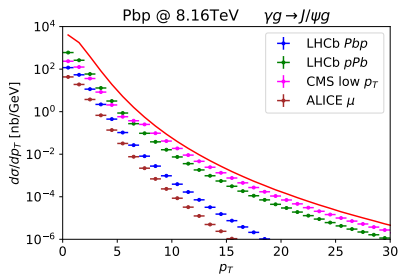
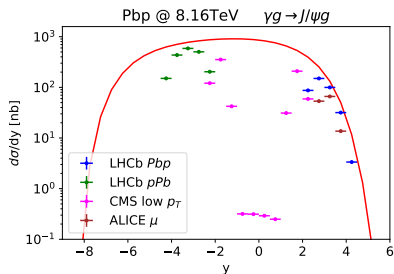
ZDC<sub>N</sub>:  $|\eta| < 8.8$

Cal. &  $e^+e^-$ :  $|\eta| < 1$

$\mu^+\mu^-$ :  $2 < \eta < 4.5$

ZDC<sub>P</sub>:  $6.5 < |\eta| < 7.4$

# Detector acceptance: signal $\gamma g \rightarrow J/\psi(^3S_1^1)g$



Differential cross section with respect to  $y$  and  $p_T$  and effect of kinematic cuts.

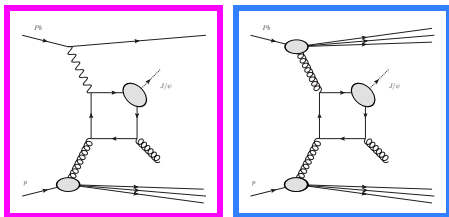
Detector acceptance:

LHCb	CMS typical	CMS low $p_T$	ATLAS	ALICE $e^-e^+$	ALICE $\mu^- \mu^+$
3% ( $Pbp$ ) 15% ( $pPb$ )	0.01%	6%	0.003%	10%	1% ( $Pbp$ ) 6% ( $pPb$ )

- Asymmetry due to beam energies and different flux
- Can extend to  $\{\mathbf{p-p}\}$  and  $\{\mathbf{Pb-Pb}\}$

# Feasibility... can we distinguish signal from background?

Can we distinguish these in practice ?

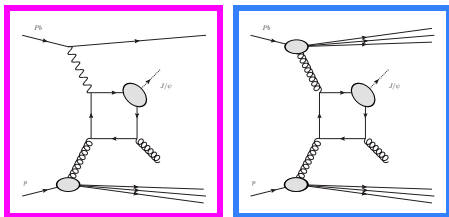


photoproduction signal vs. hadroproduction background...

- $\gamma$  emitter remains intact
- rapidity gaps

# Feasibility... can we distinguish signal from background?

Can we distinguish these in practice ?



photoproduction signal vs. hadroproduction background...

- $\gamma$  emitter remains intact
- rapidity gaps
- At HERA (320 GeV) these contributions are comparable  
Nucl.Phys.B 472 (1996) 3-31
- At 8.16 TeV in p-Pb estimate from HELAC-Onia gives...

$$R_{\text{sigback}} = \frac{\sigma_{\text{sig}}}{\sigma_{\text{back}}} \approx 1/12$$

→ Need to use detectors to reduce background contribution



## Background/Signal ratio ...

**Background** ( $gg \rightarrow J/\psi(^3S_1^1)g \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$ ) : 38330 nb

**Signal** ( $\gamma g \rightarrow J/\psi(^3S_1^1)g \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$ ) : 3154 nb

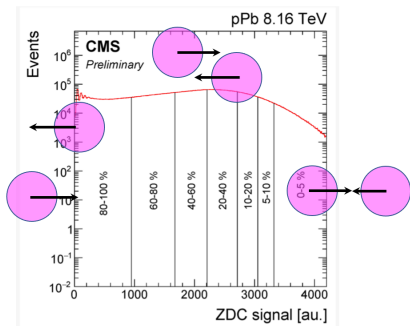
background/signal	12
<b>LHCb</b> $Pbp$	30
<b>LHCb</b> $pPb$	8
<b>CMS</b> typical	200
<b>CMS</b> low $p_T$	12
<b>ALICE</b> $Pbp$ $\mu^+\mu^-$	30
<b>ALICE</b> $pPb$ $\mu^+\mu^-$	8
<b>ATLAS</b>	180

→ need to remove experimental background

Focus on LHCb and CMS (ALICE and ATLAS cover similar regions)

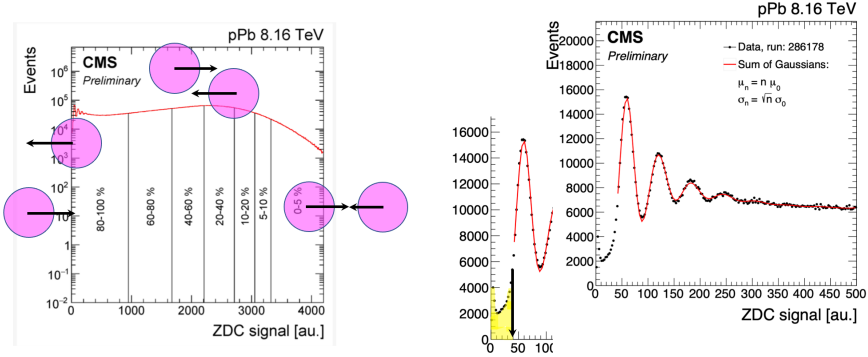
# Cutting background: zero degree calorimeter

CMS 10.1088/1748-0221/16/05/P05008



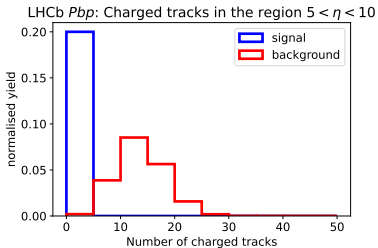
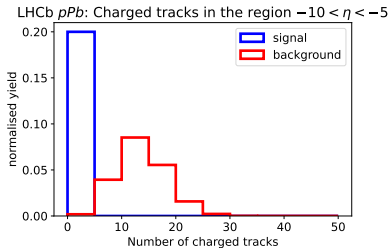
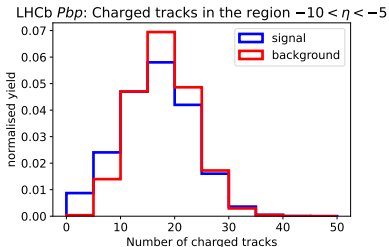
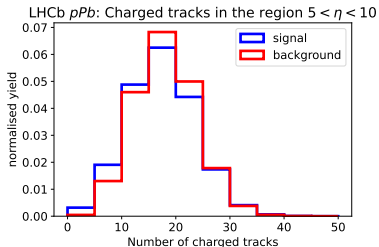
# Cutting background: zero degree calorimeter

CMS 10.1088/1748-0221/16/05/P05008



**99.7 % of events are  $1\sigma$  to the right of the  $1n$  peak!**

# Cutting background: HeRSChel



**Expect signal for 5 or more tracks.**

## Cuts from forward activity

Using this information to estimate the ability to cut background using far-forward and far-backward detectors...

background/signal	12
<b>LHCb</b> $Pbp$	30
HeRSChel	$0.29^{+1.2}_{-0.3}$
<b>LHCb</b> $pPb$	8
HeRSChel	$0.07^{+0.30}_{-0.06}$
<b>CMS</b> low $p_T$	12
ZDC	0.03

Additional cuts can improve purity of the sample!

# ATLAS UPC dijet Study

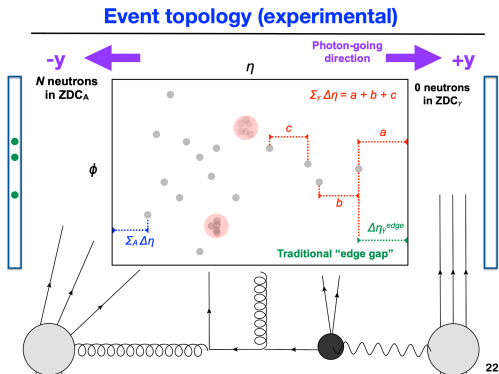
ATLAS-CONF-2022-021

- Pb-Pb @  $\sqrt{s_{NN}} = 5.02$  TeV
  - ▶ 0nXn requirement [ $E_{ZDC} < 1$  TeV]

# ATLAS UPC dijet Study

ATLAS-CONF-2022-021

- Pb-Pb @  $\sqrt{s_{NN}} = 5.02$  TeV
  - ▶  $0nXn$  requirement [ $E_{ZDC} < 1$  TeV]
  - ▶  $\sum_{\gamma} \Delta\eta$  requirement [instead of  $\Delta\eta_{\gamma}^{edge}$ ]



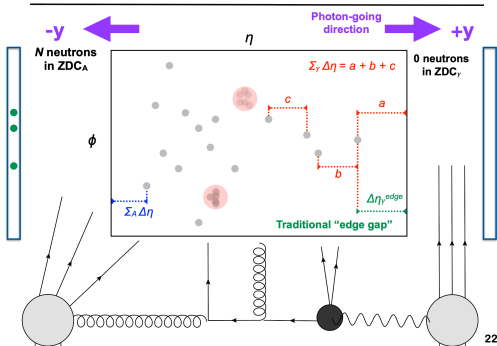
Slides from A. Angerami

# ATLAS UPC dijet Study

ATLAS-CONF-2022-021

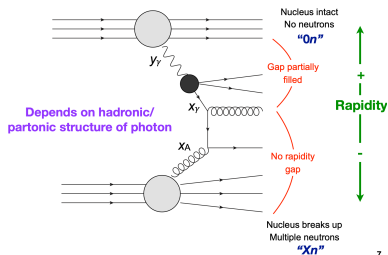
- Pb-Pb @  $\sqrt{s_{NN}} = 5.02$  TeV
  - ▶  $0nXn$  requirement [ $E_{ZDC} < 1$  TeV]
  - ▶  $\sum_{\gamma} \Delta\eta$  requirement [instead of  $\Delta\eta_{\gamma}^{edge}$ ]
    - ★ Include resolved photon in analysis

## Event topology (experimental)



Slides from A. Angerami

## Event Topology: "Resolved"



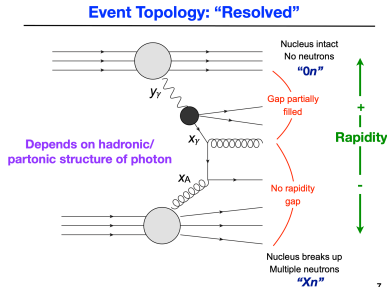
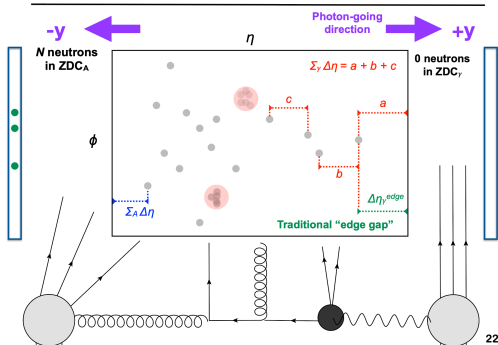


# ATLAS UPC dijet Study

ATLAS-CONF-2022-021

- Pb-Pb @  $\sqrt{s_{NN}} = 5.02$  TeV
  - ▶  $0nXn$  requirement [ $E_{ZDC} < 1$  TeV]
  - ▶  $\sum_{\gamma} \Delta\eta$  requirement [instead of  $\Delta\eta_{\gamma}^{edge}$ ]
    - ★ Include resolved photon in analysis
    - ★ What is the effect of higher order corrections on choice of gap definition?

## Event topology (experimental)

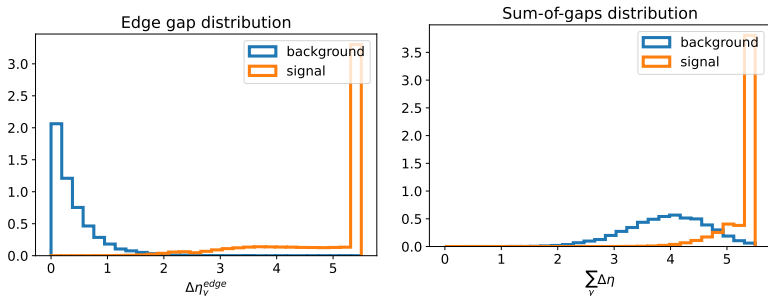


Slides from A. Angerami

# Rapidity gaps: CMS

Requirement on Monte Carlo sample for track/cluster to be reconstructed:

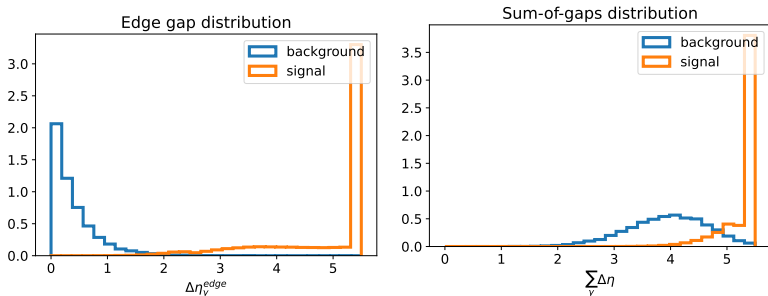
$$\begin{array}{ll} \text{charged} & p_T > 0.4 \text{ GeV} \quad |\eta| < 2.5 \\ & p_T > 0.4 \text{ GeV} \quad 2.5 < |\eta| < 4.9 \end{array}$$



# Rapidity gaps: CMS

Requirement on Monte Carlo sample for track/cluster to be reconstructed:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{charged } p_T > 0.4 \text{ GeV} & \quad |\eta| < 2.5 \\ p_T > 0.4 \text{ GeV} & \quad 2.5 < |\eta| < 4.9 \end{aligned}$$



- $\sum_\gamma \Delta\eta$  is less discriminant than  $\Delta\eta_\gamma^{edge}$
- A larger gap cut will increase the purity of the sample

# Cuts from forward activity and gaps

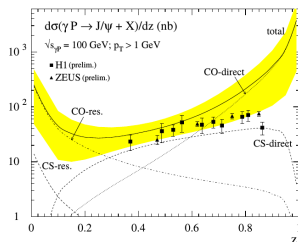
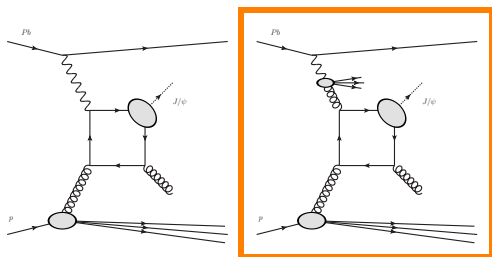
background/signal	12
<b>LHCb</b> $Pbp$	30
HeRSChel	$0.29^{+1.2}_{-0.3}$
$\sum \Delta\eta_\gamma < 2.5$	$0.6^{+0.8}_{-0.4}$
HeRSChel + $\sum \Delta\eta_\gamma < 2.5$	$0.005^{+0.004}_{-0.004}$
<b>LHCb</b> $pPb$	8
HeRSChel	$0.07^{+0.30}_{-0.06}$
$\sum \Delta\eta_\gamma < 1.5$	$3.2^{+1.1}_{-0.8}$
HeRSChel + $\sum \Delta\eta_\gamma < 1.5$	$0.03^{+0.08}_{-0.02}$
<b>CMS</b> low $p_T$	12
ZDC	0.03
$\sum \Delta\eta_\gamma < 4.5$	$2.7^{+1.5}_{-1.2}$
ZDC + $\sum \Delta\eta_\gamma < 4.5$	$0.007^{+0.004}_{-0.003}$

Can suppress background using cuts !!

Purity of sample can be further increased by placing harsher gap cuts.

# Still need to consider the resolved contribution...

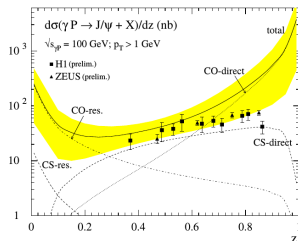
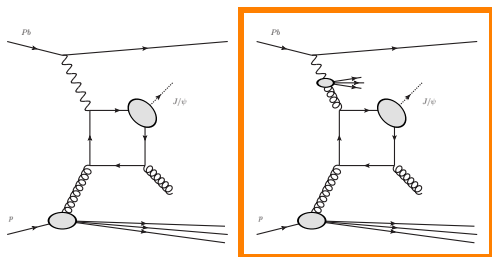
KRAMER, hep-ph/016120



Photoproduction **easier to extract PDFs** than hadroproduction  
**however**, the **resolved** contribution introduces the photon PDF...

# Still need to consider the resolved contribution...

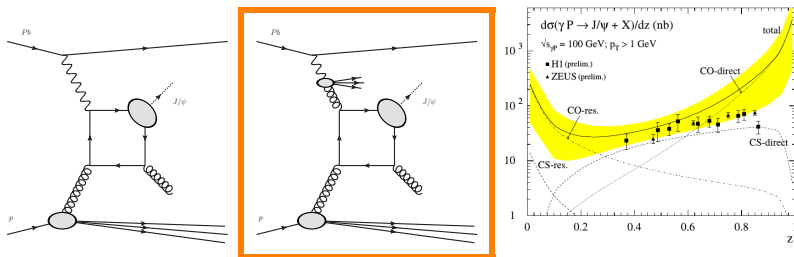
KRAMER, hep-ph/016120



Photoproduction **easier to extract PDFs** than hadroproduction  
**however**, the **resolved** contribution introduces the photon PDF...

# Still need to consider the resolved contribution...

KRAMER, hep-ph/016120

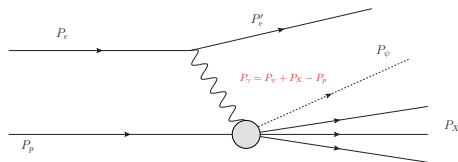


Photoproduction **easier to extract PDFs** than hadroproduction  
**however**, the **resolved** contribution introduces the photon PDF...

- Can we isolate regions where the resolved photon contribution is minimal?
- Can we reconstruct kinematic variable  $z$  at the LHC?

# z Reconstruction at HERA

Nucl.Phys.B 472 (1996) 3-31



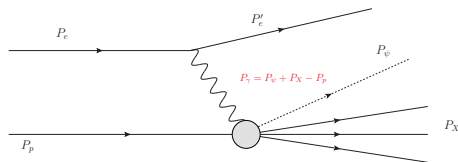
Electron moving with **forward** rapidity  
Proton moving with **negative** rapidity

$$\begin{aligned} z &= \frac{P_p \cdot P_\psi}{P_p \cdot (P_\psi + P_X - P_p)} \\ &= \frac{(E + p_z)_\psi}{(E + p_z)_\psi + \sum (E + p_z)_X} \\ &= \frac{1}{1 + \frac{\sum (E + p_z)_X}{(E + p_z)_\psi}} = \frac{1}{1 + \frac{P_X^+}{P_\psi^+}} \end{aligned}$$



# z Reconstruction at HERA

Nucl.Phys.B 472 (1996) 3-31



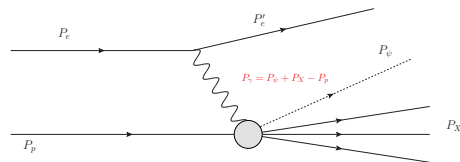
Electron moving with **forward** rapidity  
Proton moving with **negative** rapidity

$$\begin{aligned} z &= \frac{P_p \cdot P_\psi}{P_p \cdot (P_\psi + P_X - P_p)} \\ &= \frac{(E + p_z)_\psi}{(E + p_z)_\psi + \sum (E + p_z)_X} \\ &= \frac{1}{1 + \frac{\sum (E + p_z)_X}{(E + p_z)_\psi}} = \frac{1}{1 + \frac{P_X^+}{P_\psi^+}} \end{aligned}$$

- Anything collinear to the proton ( $E + p_z = 0$ ) does not contribute!
  - ▶ In the **exclusive** case  $z=1$
  - ▶ In the **diffractive proton break-up** case  $z \rightarrow 1$

# z Reconstruction at HERA

Nucl.Phys.B 472 (1996) 3-31

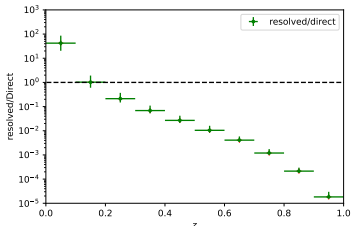
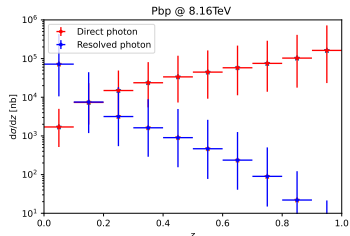


Electron moving with **forward** rapidity  
 Proton moving with **negative** rapidity

$$\begin{aligned}
 z &= \frac{P_p \cdot P_\psi}{P_p \cdot (P_\psi + P_X - P_p)} \\
 &= \frac{(E + p_z)_\psi}{(E + p_z)_\psi + \sum (E + p_z)_X} \\
 &= \frac{1}{1 + \frac{\sum (E + p_z)_X}{(E + p_z)_\psi}} = \frac{1}{1 + \frac{P_X^+}{P_\psi^+}}
 \end{aligned}$$

- Anything collinear to the proton ( $E + p_z = 0$ ) does not contribute!
  - ▶ In the **exclusive** case  $z=1$
  - ▶ In the **diffractive proton break-up** case  $z \rightarrow 1$
- The most forward tracks contribute most strongly ( $E + p_z = m_T e^y$ )
  - ▶ In the **resolved photon** case  $z \rightarrow 0$

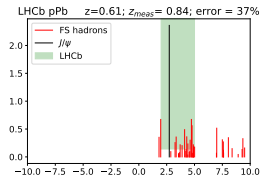
# z distribution



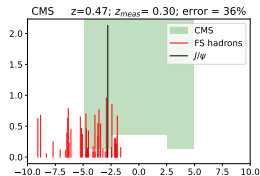
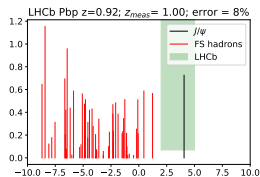
- A cut of  $z > 0.5 \sim 1\%$  contamination
- HERA study estimates 2.5% resolved contribution with a cut  $z > 0.45$   
Eur. Phys. J. C, 68:401–420, 2010

# z Reconstruction at the LHC

← proton direction



→ proton direction

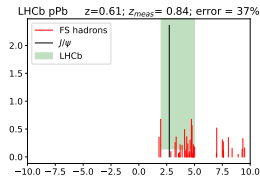


	CMS		LHCb
Charged	no	yes	no
$p_T$	$p_T > 200$ MeV	$p_T > 400$ MeV	$p_T > 100$ MeV
$\eta$	$2.5 <  \eta  < 5$	$ \eta  < 2.5$	$2 < \eta < 5$

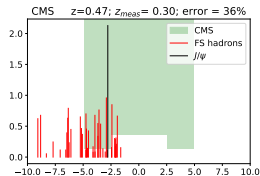
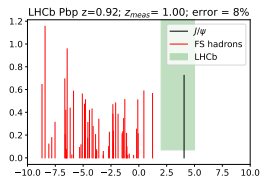
$$\bullet z = \frac{1}{1 + \frac{P_X^+}{P_\psi^+}}$$

# z Reconstruction at the LHC

← proton direction



→ proton direction



	CMS		LHCb
Charged	no	yes	no
$p_T$	$p_T > 200$ MeV	$p_T > 400$ MeV	$p_T > 100$ MeV
$\eta$	$2.5 <  \eta  < 5$	$ \eta  < 2.5$	$2 < \eta < 5$

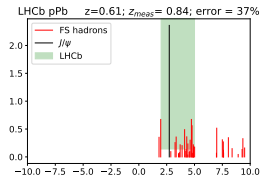
$$\bullet z = \frac{1}{1 + \frac{P_X^+}{P_\psi^+}}$$

• Particles in the detector acceptance

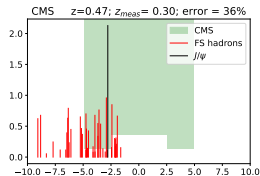
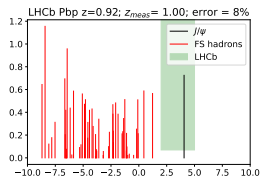
▶  $z_{meas.} > z$

# z Reconstruction at the LHC

← proton direction



→ proton direction



	CMS		LHCb
Charged	no	yes	no
$p_T$	$p_T > 200$ MeV	$p_T > 400$ MeV	$p_T > 100$ MeV
$\eta$	$2.5 <  \eta  < 5$	$ \eta  < 2.5$	$2 < \eta < 5$

$$\bullet z = \frac{1}{1 + \frac{P_X^+}{P_\psi^+}}$$

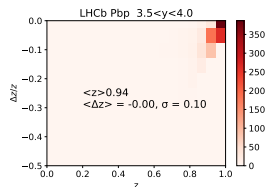
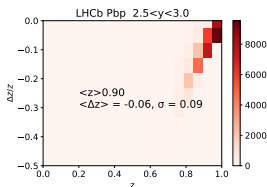
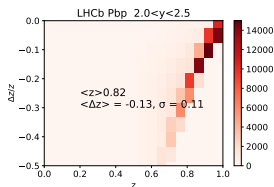
• Particles in the detector acceptance

▶  $z_{meas.} > z$

•  $\langle z \rangle$  increases with rapidity

•  $z$  resolution ( $\sigma_{\Delta z}$ ) improves with increasing  $z$

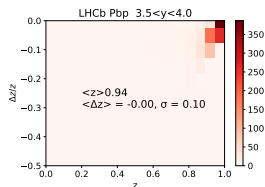
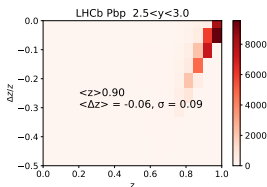
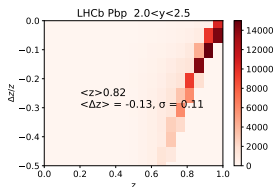
# Reconstructing $z$ LHCb $Pb p$ ...



**Relative error** [ $\Delta z = z - z_{meas.}$ ] for "measured"  $z$  as a function of  $z$  in bins of rapidity in LHCb  $Pb p$  collisions.

- $z_{meas} > z$
- bias  $\langle \Delta z \rangle$  and resolution  $\sigma_{\Delta z}$

# Reconstructing $z$ LHCb $PbP$ ...

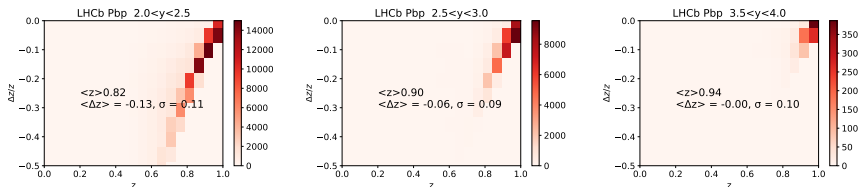


**Relative error** [ $\Delta z = z - z_{meas.}$ ] for "measured"  $z$  as a function of  $z$  in bins of rapidity in LHCb  $PbP$  collisions.

- $z_{meas} > z$
- bias  $\langle \Delta z \rangle$  and resolution  $\sigma_{\Delta z}$
- bias goes from  $-0.13 \rightarrow 0.00$  as we move forward in rapidity
- resolution  $\sigma_{\Delta z} \approx 0.1$



# Reconstructing $z$ LHCb $PbP$ ...



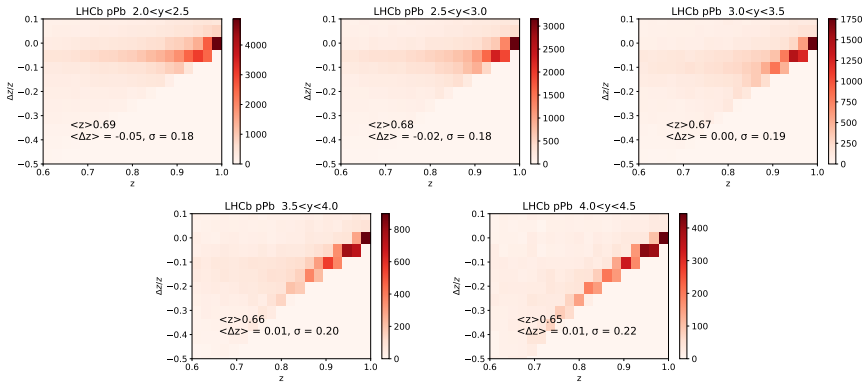
**Relative error** [ $\Delta z = z - z_{meas.}$ ] for "measured"  $z$  as a function of  $z$  in bins of rapidity in LHCb  $PbP$  collisions.

- $z_{meas} > z$
- bias  $\langle \Delta z \rangle$  and resolution  $\sigma_{\Delta z}$
- bias goes from  $-0.13 \rightarrow 0.00$  as we move forward in rapidity
- resolution  $\sigma_{\Delta z} \approx 0.1$ 
  - ▶ **LHCb  $pPb$**  :  $\langle \Delta z \rangle \mathcal{O}(0.01)$ ;  $\sigma_{\Delta z} \approx 0.2$
  - ▶ **CMS** :  $\langle \Delta z \rangle \mathcal{O}(0.1)$ ;  $\sigma_{\Delta z} \approx 0.15$

# Summary

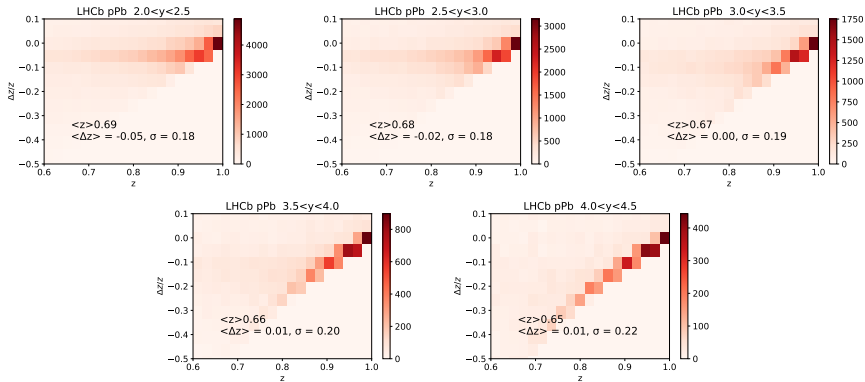
- Measuring inclusive photoproduction at the LHC appears feasible which is complimentary to the HERA measurement
- At CMS the ZDC can suppress background to  $\mathcal{O}(\%)$
- At LHCb a combination of gap and HeRSChEL cuts can suppress background...
  - ▶ In  $Pbp$  to  $\mathcal{O}(0.1\%)$
  - ▶ In  $pPb$  to  $\mathcal{O}(1\%)$
- Increasing the size of the rapidity gap cut will enhance the purity of the sample
- $z$  reconstruction appears possible in some regions which will allow control of the resolved contribution
  - ▶ LHCb  $Pbp$ : bias  $\sim 0.1$  ( $\sim 0.001$  in most forward bin); resolution  $\sim 0.1$
  - ▶ CMS: bias  $\sim 0.1$ ; resolution  $\sim 0.15$
  - ▶ LHCb  $pPb$ : bias  $\sim 0.01$ ; resolution  $\sim 0.2$

# Reconstructing $z$ @ LHCb $pPb$ ...



**Relative error** [ $\Delta z = z - z_{meas.}$ ] for "measured"  $z$  as a function of  $z$  in bins of rapidity in LHCb  $pPb$  collisions.

# Reconstructing $z$ @ LHCb $pPb$ ...

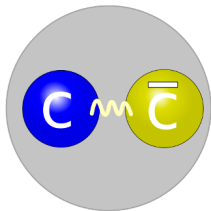


**Relative error** [ $\Delta z = z - z_{meas.}$ ] for "measured"  $z$  as a function of  $z$  in bins of rapidity in LHCb  $pPb$  collisions.

- Resolution ( $\sigma_{\Delta z}$ ) best when  $J/\psi$  is furthest from proton

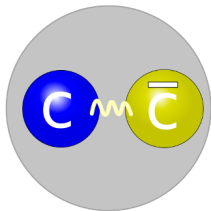
# What are Quarkonia

- Bound states of heavy quarks  $c\bar{c}$  or  $b\bar{b}$



# What are Quarkonia

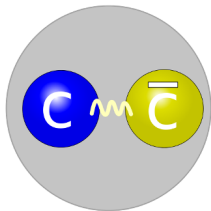
- Bound states of heavy quarks  $c\bar{c}$  or  $b\bar{b}$



- Quarkonium production is separated into two energy regimes
  - ▶ Heavy quark pair production  $m_Q \gg \Lambda_{QCD}$
  - ▶ Hadronisation is non-perturbative

# What are Quarkonia

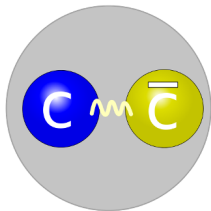
- Bound states of heavy quarks  $c\bar{c}$  or  $b\bar{b}$



- Quarkonium production is separated into two energy regimes
  - ▶ Heavy quark pair production  $m_Q \gg \Lambda_{QCD}$
  - ▶ Hadronisation is non-perturbative

# What are Quarkonia

- Bound states of heavy quarks  $c\bar{c}$  or  $b\bar{b}$

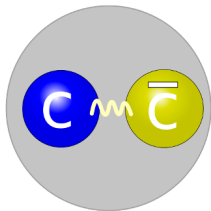


- Quarkonium production is separated into two energy regimes
  - ▶ Heavy quark pair production  $m_Q \gg \Lambda_{QCD}$
  - ▶ Hadronisation is non-perturbative
- **Factorisation** between short and long distance physics



# What are Quarkonia

- Bound states of heavy quarks  $c\bar{c}$  or  $b\bar{b}$



- Quarkonium production is separated into two energy regimes
  - ▶ Heavy quark pair production  $m_Q \gg \Lambda_{QCD}$
  - ▶ Hadronisation is non-perturbative
- **Factorisation** between short and long distance physics
- Production mechanism remains an open question!

# Status today ...?

## ① Colour Singlet Model

- ▶ problems in  $p_T$  spectrum at large  $p_T$
- ▶ improved by NLO corrections
- ▶ describes  $\eta_c$  data @ NLO

# Status today ...?

## ① Colour Singlet Model

- ▶ problems in  $p_T$  spectrum at large  $p_T$
- ▶ improved by NLO corrections
- ▶ describes  $\eta_c$  data @ NLO

## ② NRQCD and Colour Octet Mechanism

- ▶ helps describing the  $p_T$  spectrum
- ▶ tends to overshoot the data at large  $p_T$
- ▶ fails to describe polarisation

# Status today ...?

## ① Colour Singlet Model

- ▶ problems in  $p_T$  spectrum at large  $p_T$
- ▶ improved by NLO corrections
- ▶ describes  $\eta_c$  data @ NLO

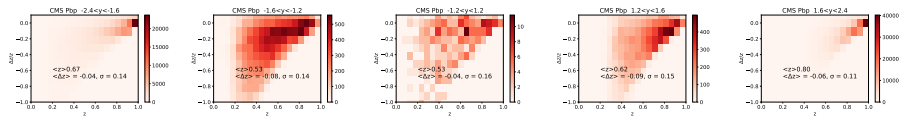
## ② NRQCD and Colour Octet Mechanism

- ▶ helps describing the  $p_T$  spectrum
- ▶ tends to overshoot the data at large  $p_T$
- ▶ fails to describe polarisation

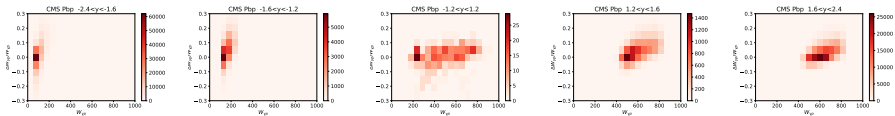
## ③ Colour Evaporation Model

- ▶ tends to overshoot the data at large  $p_T$
- ▶ fails for  $J/\psi J/\psi$  data

# Reconstructing $z$ and $W_{\gamma p}$ @ CMS...



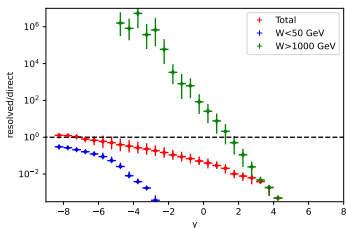
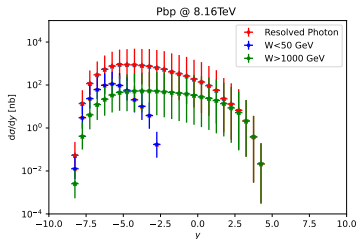
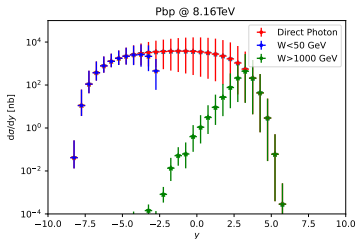
Relative error for real and reconstructed values of  $z$  (above) and  $W_{\gamma p}$  (below) as a function of  $z$  and  $W_{\gamma p}$  in bins of rapidity in CMS  $Pb-Pb$  collisions. The reduced statistics in the central rapidity bin reflects the large  $p_T$  cut.



		CMS			
		Mean	Std.	IQR	median
$-2.4 < y^\psi < -1.6$	$0 < z < 0.2$	-0.771	0.709	0.841	-0.670
	$0.2 < z < 0.4$	-0.444	0.438	0.537	-0.416
	$0.4 < z < 0.6$	-0.201	0.273	0.321	-0.214
	$0.6 < z < 0.8$	-0.050	0.200	0.203	-0.089
	$0.8 < z < 1$	0.028	0.148	0.116	-0.017
$-1.6 < y^\psi < -1.2$	$0 < z < 0.2$	-0.739	0.744	0.941	-0.617
	$0.2 < z < 0.4$	-0.433	0.451	0.580	-0.392
	$0.4 < z < 0.6$	-0.220	0.288	0.367	-0.220
	$0.6 < z < 0.8$	-0.056	0.200	0.239	-0.080
	$0.8 < z < 1$	0.030	0.142	0.154	-0.016
$-1.2 < y^\psi < 1.2$	$0 < z < 0.2$	-0.315	0.634	0.745	-0.208
	$0.2 < z < 0.4$	-0.278	0.478	0.629	-0.204
	$0.4 < z < 0.6$	-0.103	0.379	0.526	-0.085
	$0.6 < z < 0.8$	-0.023	0.238	0.295	-0.048
	$0.8 < z < 1$	0.011	0.122	0.098	-0.016
$1.2 < y^\psi < 1.6$	$0 < z < 0.2$	-0.517	0.664	0.974	-0.390
	$0.2 < z < 0.4$	-0.394	0.424	0.576	-0.372
	$0.4 < z < 0.6$	-0.268	0.315	0.429	-0.280
	$0.6 < z < 0.8$	-0.102	0.205	0.257	-0.131
	$0.8 < z < 1$	-0.006	0.122	0.130	-0.031
$1.6 < y^\psi < 2.4$	$0 < z < 0.2$	-0.418	0.514	0.596	-0.373
	$0.2 < z < 0.4$	-0.361	0.382	0.462	-0.369
	$0.4 < z < 0.6$	-0.283	0.259	0.319	-0.293
	$0.6 < z < 0.8$	-0.145	0.170	0.182	-0.170
	$0.8 < z < 1$	-0.027	0.099	0.080	-0.028

Measures of error in reconstructing  $z$ , quantities are in reference to  $\frac{\Delta z}{z}$ .

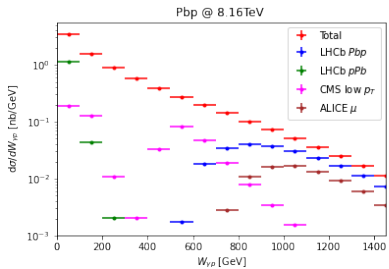
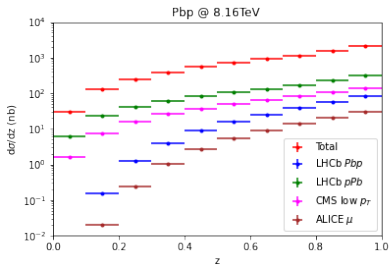
# Rapidity distribution with slices in $W_{\gamma p}$



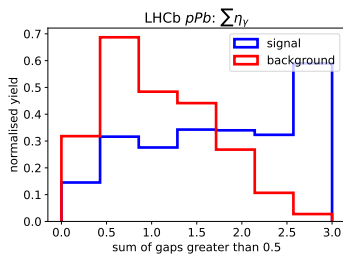
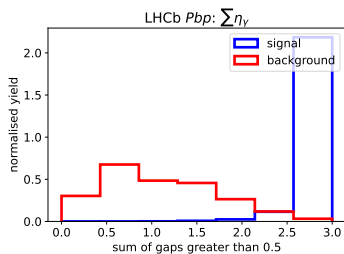
		LHCb							
		$P_{bp}$				$pP_b$			
		Mean	Std.	IQR	median	Mean	Std.	IQR	Median
$2 < y^\psi < 2.5$	$0 < z < 0.2$	-0.278	0.390	0.390	-0.200	-3.201	1.859	1.898	-2.856
	$0.2 < z < 0.4$	-0.280	0.356	0.525	-0.217	-0.919	0.587	0.762	-0.840
	$0.4 < z < 0.6$	-0.414	0.266	0.377	-0.413	-0.213	0.256	0.331	-0.200
	$0.6 < z < 0.8$	-0.296	0.152	0.155	-0.299	-0.018	0.183	0.210	-0.041
	$0.8 < z < 1$	-0.093	0.087	0.110	-0.088	0.047	0.151	0.150	-0.012
$2.5 < y^\psi < 3$	$0 < z < 0.2$	-	-	-	-	-2.878	2.424	2.163	-2.300
	$0.2 < z < 0.4$	-0.232	0.286	0.406	-0.174	-0.559	0.511	0.649	-0.483
	$0.4 < z < 0.6$	-0.218	0.290	0.392	-0.189	-0.102	0.257	0.295	-0.090
	$0.6 < z < 0.8$	-0.184	0.191	0.179	-0.23	0.009	0.218	0.256	-0.042
	$0.8 < z < 1$	-0.064	0.084	0.083	-0.059	0.059	0.182	0.185	-0.014
$3 < y^\psi < 3.5$	$0 < z < 0.2$	-	-	-	-	-2.282	2.608	1.989	-1.530
	$0.2 < z < 0.4$	-0.351	0.270	0.480	-0.280	-0.296	0.422	0.494	-0.232
	$0.4 < z < 0.6$	-0.152	0.212	0.273	-0.127	-0.050	0.285	0.327	-0.068
	$0.6 < z < 0.8$	-0.116	0.185	0.233	-0.123	0.022	0.259	0.332	-0.053
	$0.8 < z < 1$	-0.030	0.123	0.098	-0.051	0.067	0.212	0.223	-0.018
$3.5 < y^\psi < 4$	$0 < z < 0.2$	-	-	-	-	-1.613	2.389	1.661	-0.880
	$0.2 < z < 0.4$	-	-	-	-	-0.165	0.380	0.428	-0.125
	$0.4 < z < 0.6$	-	-	-	-	-0.031	0.319	0.402	-0.077
	$0.6 < z < 0.8$	-0.082	0.161	0.152	-0.094	0.021	0.306	0.429	-0.075
	$0.8 < z < 1$	-0.005	0.101	0.073	-0.039	0.072	0.240	0.264	-0.023
$4 < y^\psi < 4.5$	$0 < z < 0.2$	-	-	-	-	-1.060	2.190	1.045	-0.485
	$0.2 < z < 0.4$	-	-	-	-	-0.109	0.390	0.429	-0.105
	$0.4 < z < 0.6$	-	-	-	-	-0.048	0.378	0.487	-0.106
	$0.6 < z < 0.8$	-	-	-	-	-0.006	0.354	0.528	-0.113
	$0.8 < z < 1$	-	-	-	-	0.070	0.266	0.282	-0.032

Measures of error in reconstructing  $z$ , quantities are in reference to  $\frac{\Delta z}{z}$ .





# Rapidity gaps: LHCb



# Quarkonium Production @ EIC

## (Quasi)on-shell or off-shell photon...

- **Photoproduction** quasi-real photon

$$Q^2 \ll m_{J/\psi}^2$$

- ▶ Bulk of the cross-section
- ▶ easy to compute (hard scale)
- ▶ **resolved component!**

- **Leptoproduction** virtual photon  $\gamma^*$

$$Q^2 > m_{J/\psi}^2$$

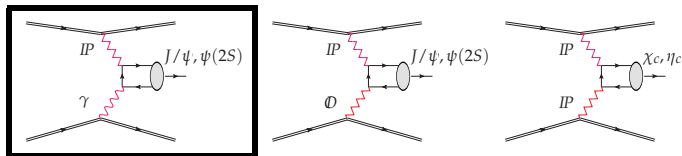
- ▶ Smaller cross-section
- ▶ difficult to compute (introduce new scale)
- ▶ **NO resolved component**



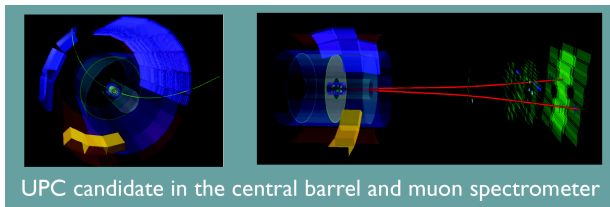
direct and resolved photons

# Exclusive $J/\psi$ production

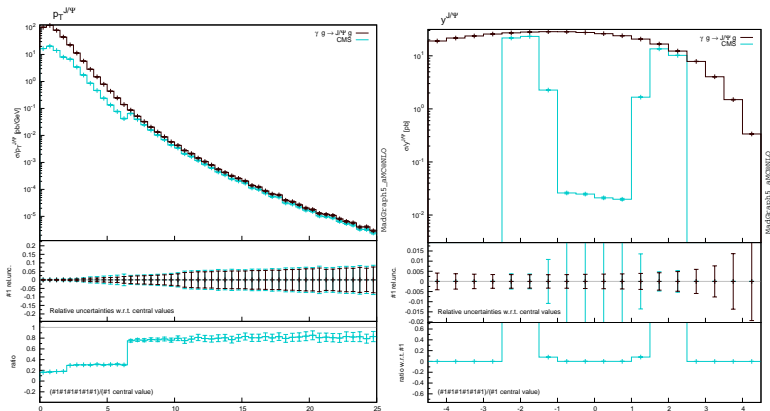
Colourless exchanges via  $\mathbb{P}, \mathbb{O}$  or  $\gamma$  emission.



- only **colour singlet** contributions
- Clean signal
  - ▶ **only** quarkonia and its decay products are produced.
  - ▶ **both** colliding particles stay intact



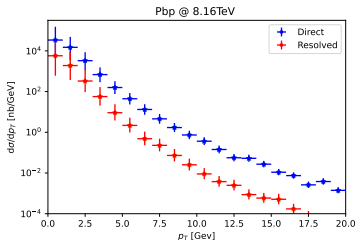
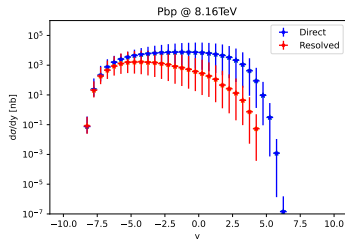
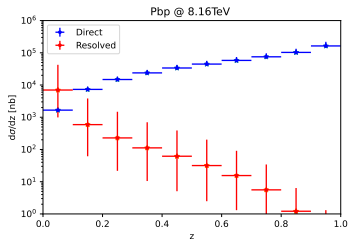
# Photoproduction cross section



## 8.16 TeV photoproduction in Pbp CMS cuts

- Cross-section steeply falling in  $p_T$

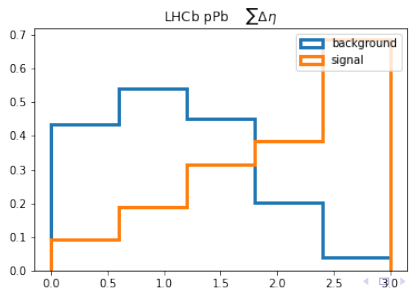
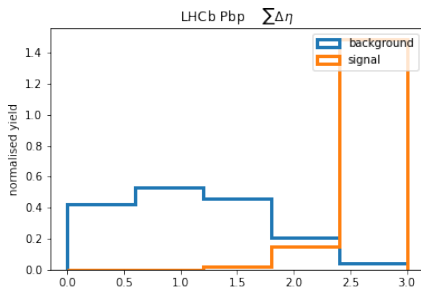
# Photoproduction cross section: resolved vs. direct



$J/\Psi$  with decay to dimuon cross section in given rapidity regions and mean values of  $p_T$ ,  $|\mathbf{p}|$ ,  $z$  and  $W_{\gamma p}$ .

region	$\sigma$	$\langle p_T \rangle$	$\langle  \mathbf{p}  \rangle$	$\langle z \rangle$	$\langle W_{\gamma p} \rangle$
$-5 < y^\psi < -3$	665 nb	0.86 GeV	93 GeV	0.73	37 GeV
$-3 < y^\psi < -1$	876 nb	0.94 GeV	13 GeV	0.74	98 GeV
$-1 < y^\psi < 1$	841 nb	0.99 GeV	2 GeV	0.75	255 GeV
$1 < y^\psi < 3$	462 nb	0.97 GeV	11 GeV	0.78	609 GeV
$3 < y^\psi < 5$	50 nb	0.86 GeV	50 GeV	0.84	1246 GeV
Total	3148 nb	0.92 GeV	74 GeV	0.74	212 GeV

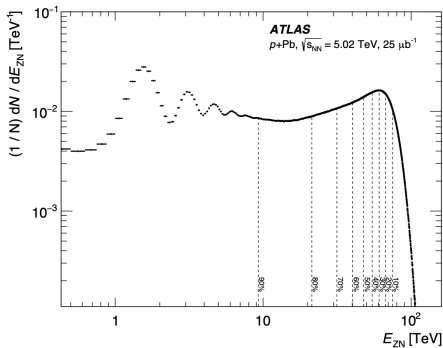
# Rapidity gaps: LHCb



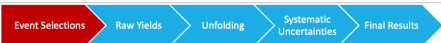


# Cutting background: zero degree calorimeter

ATLAS CERN-EP-2022-086

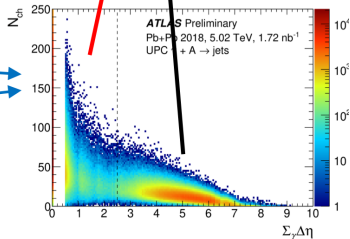
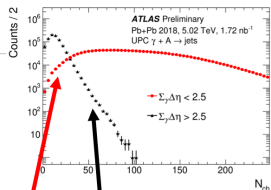
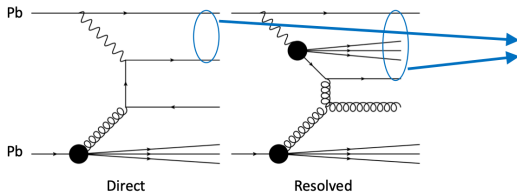


# Selecting Photo-nuclear Dijet Events



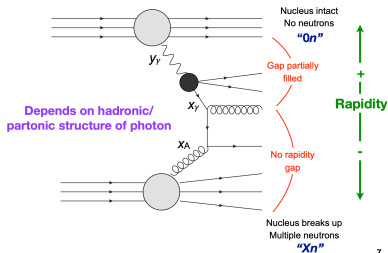
## Event Selections

- OnXn requirement for nuclear breakup in exactly one ATLAS Zero-Degree Calorimeter (ZDC)
- Large rapidity gaps on one side of the detector
  - To veto  $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow q\bar{q}$ , we also require  $\Delta\eta_A^{edge} > 3$

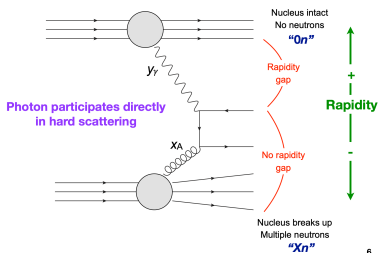


Slide from Ben Gilbert

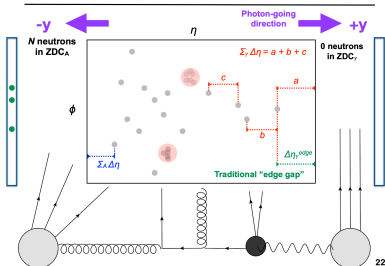
## Event Topology: "Resolved"



## Event Topology: "Direct"



## Event topology (experimental)



Slides from A. Angerami

# $z$ and $W_{\gamma p}$ exclusive vs. inclusive...

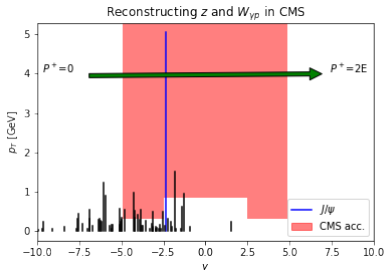
$$z = \frac{P_p \cdot P_\psi}{P_p \cdot (P_\gamma = P_\psi + P_X - P_p)}$$

$$W_{\gamma p} = \sqrt{(P_\gamma + P_p)^2} = \sqrt{(P_p^- P_\psi^+)^2} \frac{2}{z}$$

**EXCLUSIVE:**  $P_p \cdot P_\psi \rightarrow z = 1$

$\rightarrow W_{\gamma p} = \sqrt{4E_p(m_T e^y)_\psi}$

**INCLUSIVE:**  $P_p \cdot (P_\psi + P_X) \rightarrow z = \frac{1}{1 + \frac{P_X^+}{P_\psi^+}}$

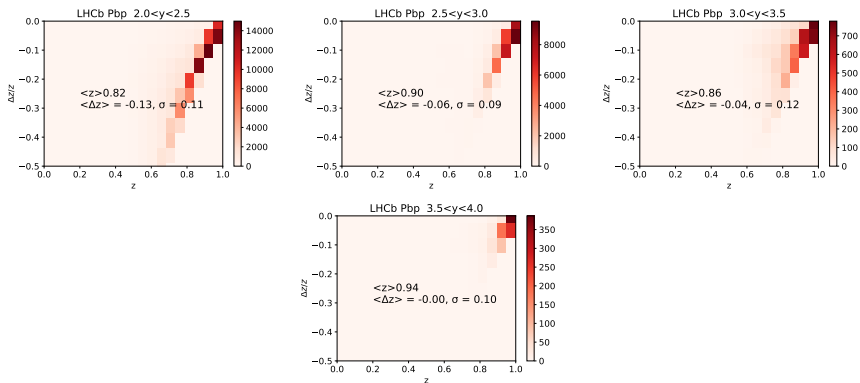


Assuming:

- LHCb Ap:  $\mathcal{L} = 17.4 \text{ nb}^{-1}$
- LHCb pA:  $\mathcal{L} = 12.5 \text{ nb}^{-1}$
- CMS:  $\mathcal{L} = 180 \text{ nb}^{-1}$

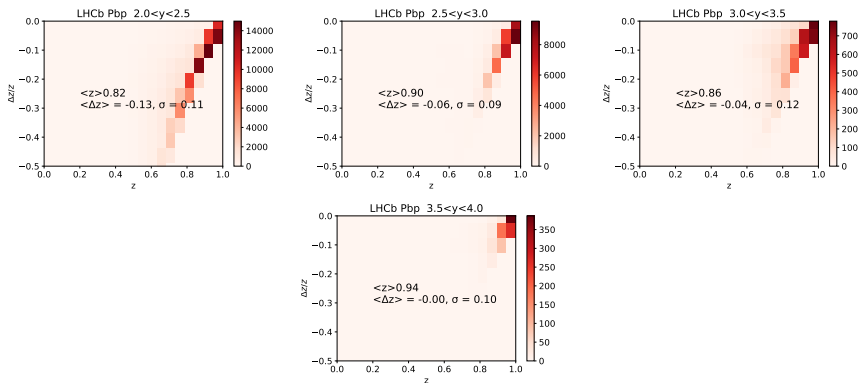
Cross section	Background	Signal	$\frac{\text{background}}{\text{signal}}$
	$38330 \pm 12 \text{ nb}$	$3154 \pm 27 \text{ nb}$	$\sim 12$
<b>LHCb</b> $Pbp$	1,600	49,200	$\sim 30$
<b>LHCb</b> $pPb$	5,800	48,000	$\sim 8$
<b>CMS</b> typical	90	18,000	$\sim 200$
<b>CMS</b> low $p_T$	36,700	436,000	$\sim 12$

# Reconstructing $z$ and $W_{\gamma p}$ @ LHCb $Pb p$ ...



**Relative error** for real and measured values of  $z$  (above) and  $W_{\gamma p}$  (below) as a function of  $z$  and  $W_{\gamma p}$  in bins of rapidity in LHCb  $Pb p$  collisions.

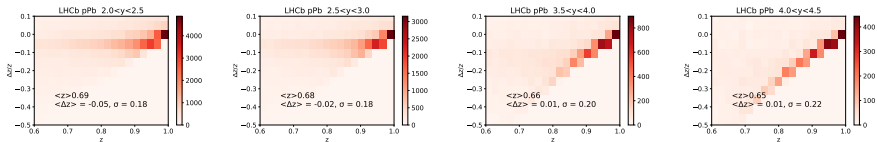
# Reconstructing $z$ and $W_{\gamma p}$ @ LHCb $Pbp$ ...



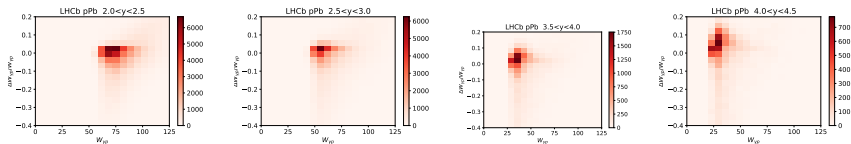
**Relative error** for real and measured values of  $z$  (above) and  $W_{\gamma p}$  (below) as a function of  $z$  and  $W_{\gamma p}$  in bins of rapidity in LHCb  $Pbp$  collisions.

- $Z_{meas} > Z$
- $W_{\gamma p}^{meas} < W_{\gamma p}$
- Relative error least in largest  $z$  bin

# Reconstructing $z$ and $W_{\gamma p}$ @ LHCb $pPb$ ...



Relative error for real and reconstructed values of  $z$  (above) and  $W_{\gamma p}$  (below) as a function of  $z$  and  $W_{\gamma p}$  in bins of rapidity in LHCb  $pPb$  collisions.





through **direct photon processes** are

$$\gamma + g \rightarrow c\bar{c} [1, {}^3S_1; 8, {}^3S_1; 8, {}^1S_0; 8, {}^3P_J] + g, \quad (17)$$

$$\gamma + q/\bar{q} \rightarrow c\bar{c} [8, {}^3S_1; 8, {}^1S_0; 8, {}^3P_J] + q/\bar{q}, \quad (18)$$

where the initial-state parton originates from the target proton. For **resolved photon processes**, the subchannels are

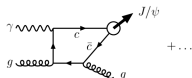
$$g + g \rightarrow c\bar{c} [1, {}^3S_1; 8, {}^3S_1; 8, {}^1S_0; 8, {}^3P_J] + g, \quad (19)$$

$$g + q/\bar{q} \rightarrow c\bar{c} [8, {}^3S_1; 8, {}^1S_0; 8, {}^3P_J] + q/\bar{q}, \quad (20)$$

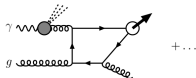
$$q + \bar{q} \rightarrow c\bar{c} [8, {}^3S_1; 8, {}^1S_0; 8, {}^3P_J] + g, \quad (21)$$

(a) leading-order colour-singlet:

$$\text{direct } \gamma: \gamma + g \rightarrow c\bar{c} [{}^3S_1^{(1)}] + g$$

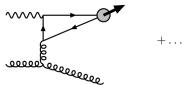


$$\text{resolved } \gamma: g_1 + g \rightarrow c\bar{c} [{}^3S_1^{(1)}] + g$$

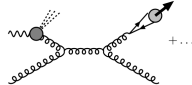


(b) inelastic colour-octet:

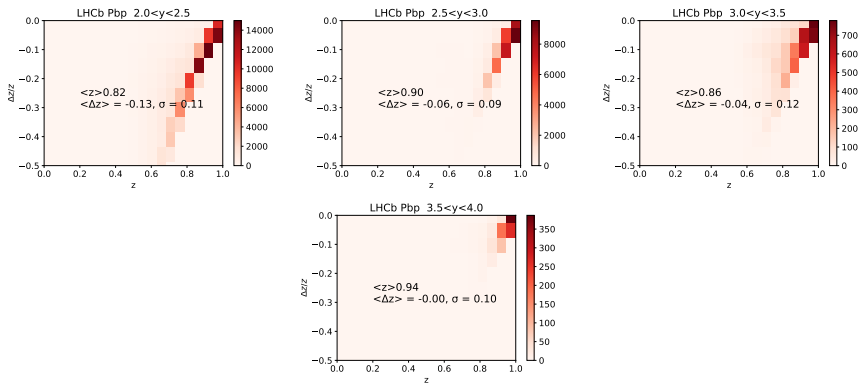
$$\text{direct } \gamma: \gamma + g \rightarrow c\bar{c} [{}^1S_0^{(8)}, {}^3P_J^{(8)}] + g$$



$$\text{resolved } \gamma: g_1 + g \rightarrow c\bar{c} [{}^3S_1^{(8)}] + g$$



# Reconstructing $z$ LHCb $PbP$ ...



**Relative error** [ $\Delta z = z - z_{meas.}$ ] for "measured"  $z$  as a function of  $z$  in bins of rapidity in LHCb  $PbP$  collisions.

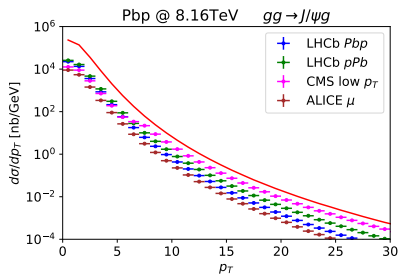
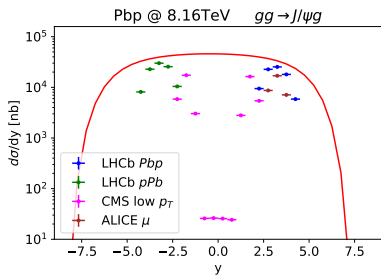
- $z_{meas} > z$

	diffractive		$\gamma g$ -fusion		background
	exclusive ( $p$ break-up)	resolved-Pomeron	direct-photon	resolved-photon	$gg$ fusion
$J/\psi$	$67 \mu b$ ( $134 \mu b$ )	$2 \mu b$ ( $4 \mu b$ )	$52 \mu b$	$8 \mu b$	$642 \mu b$
$\Upsilon$	$104 nb$ ( $208 nb$ )	$5 nb$ ( $10 nb$ )	$108 nb$	$54 nb$	$95 \mu b$

Total cross section at  $\sqrt{s} = 8.16$  TeV for exclusive and resolved-Pomeron contributions from the theoretical study described in the text [Phys. Rev. D, 96(7):074029, 2017]. The diffractive quantities in parenthesis account proton break-up contributions. All other contributions calculated using HELAC-Onia. Also included is the  $\Upsilon(1S)$  cross sections.

# Detector acceptance: background $gg \rightarrow J/\psi(^3S_1^1)g$

- Photoproduction cross section has steeper  $p_T$  distribution



Detector acceptance for **background**:

LHCb		CMS typical	CMS low $p_T$	ATLAS	ALICE $e^-e^+$	ALICE $\mu^-\mu^+$
7% ( $Pbp$ )	10% ( $pPb$ )	0.26%	6%	0.04%	7%	3% ( $Pbp$ ) 4% ( $pPb$ )

Detector acceptance for **signal** :

3% ( $Pbp$ )	15% ( $pPb$ )	0.01%	6%	0.003%	10%	1% ( $Pbp$ ) 6% ( $pPb$ )
--------------	---------------	-------	----	--------	-----	---------------------------