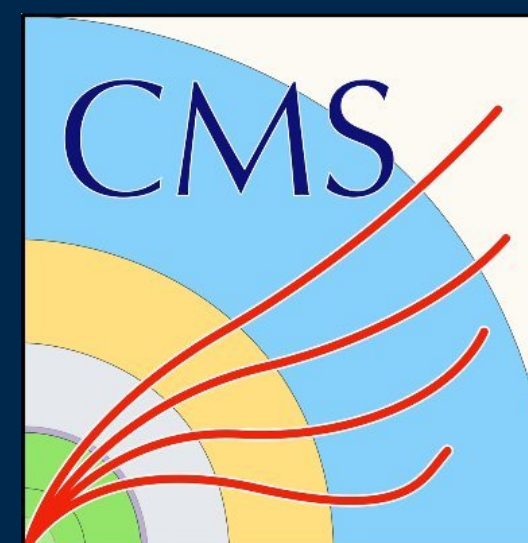




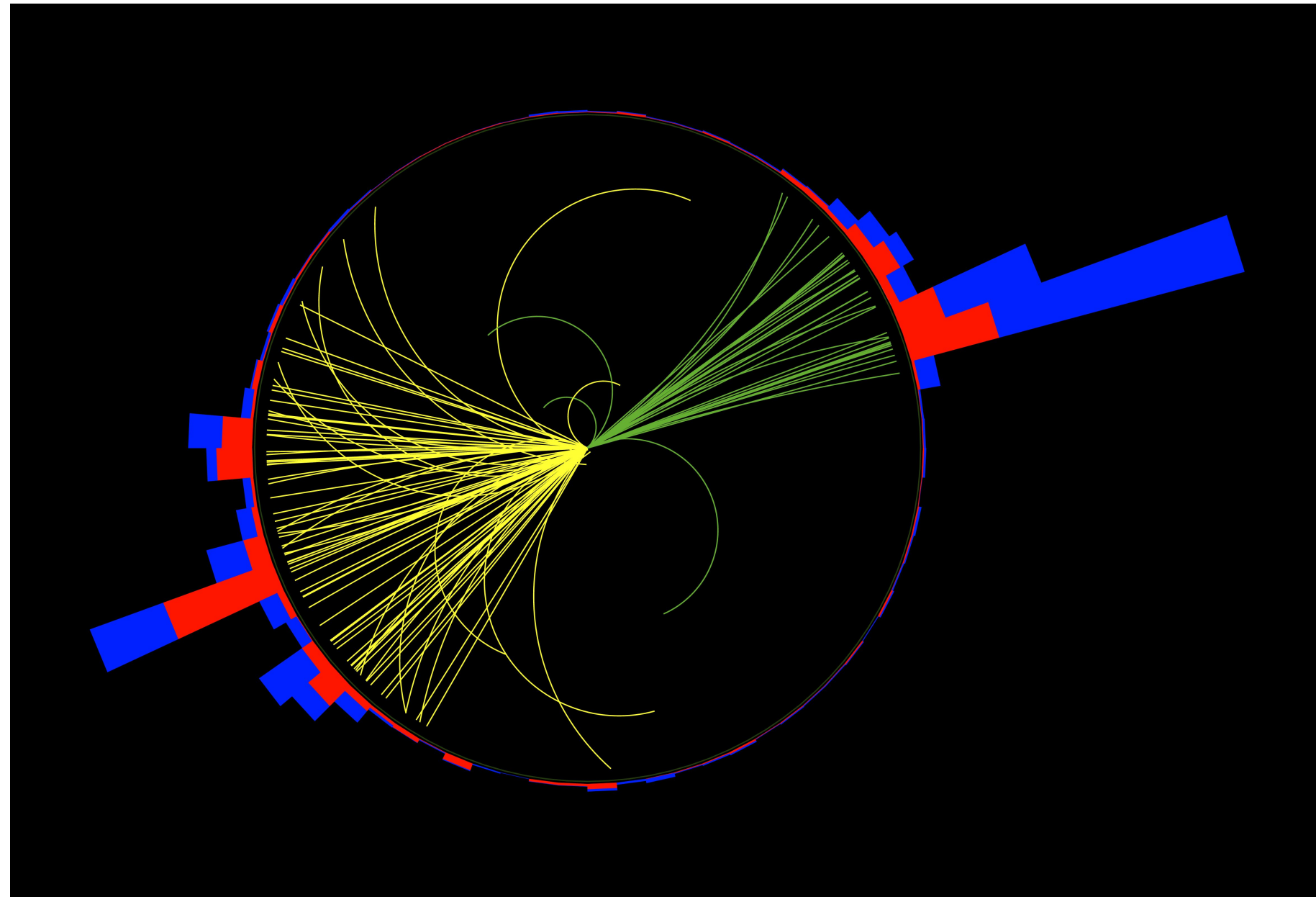
# Jet Substructure and Tagging in pp collisions

On behalf of ALICE, ATLAS, CMS, and LHCb  
LHCP 2024, Boston, MA

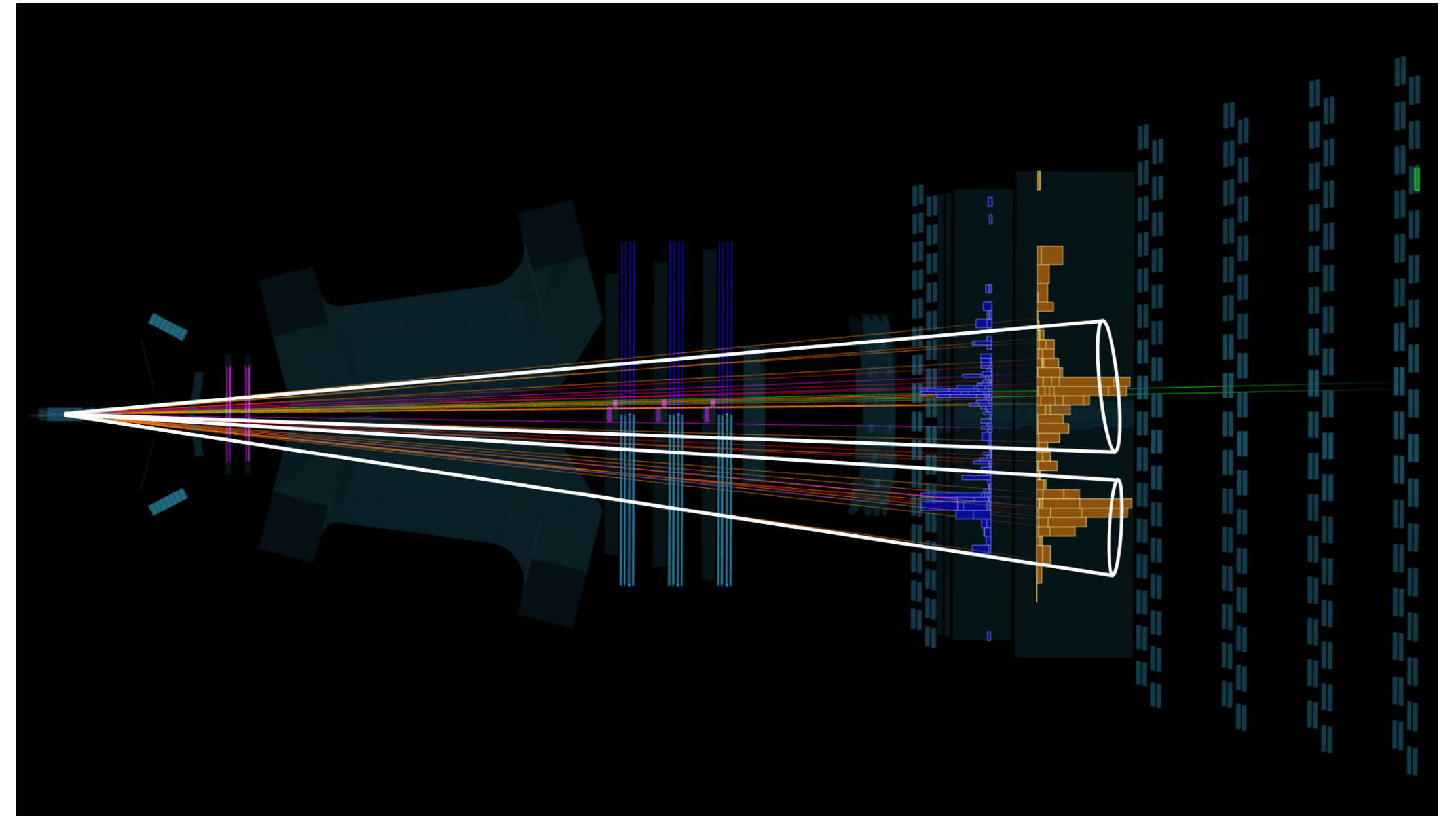
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# Jets at the LHC



Credit: CMS Collaboration



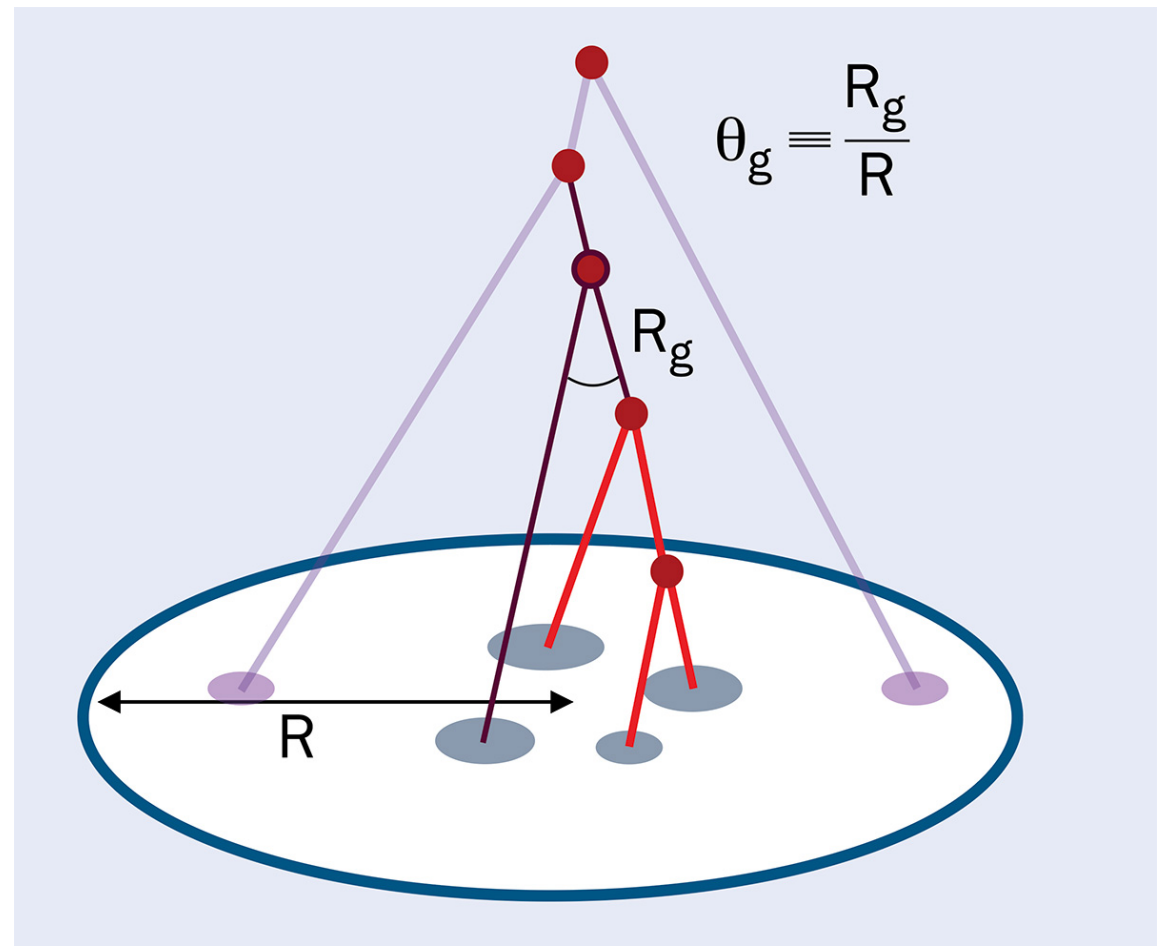
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**What can we learn from looking inside jets?**



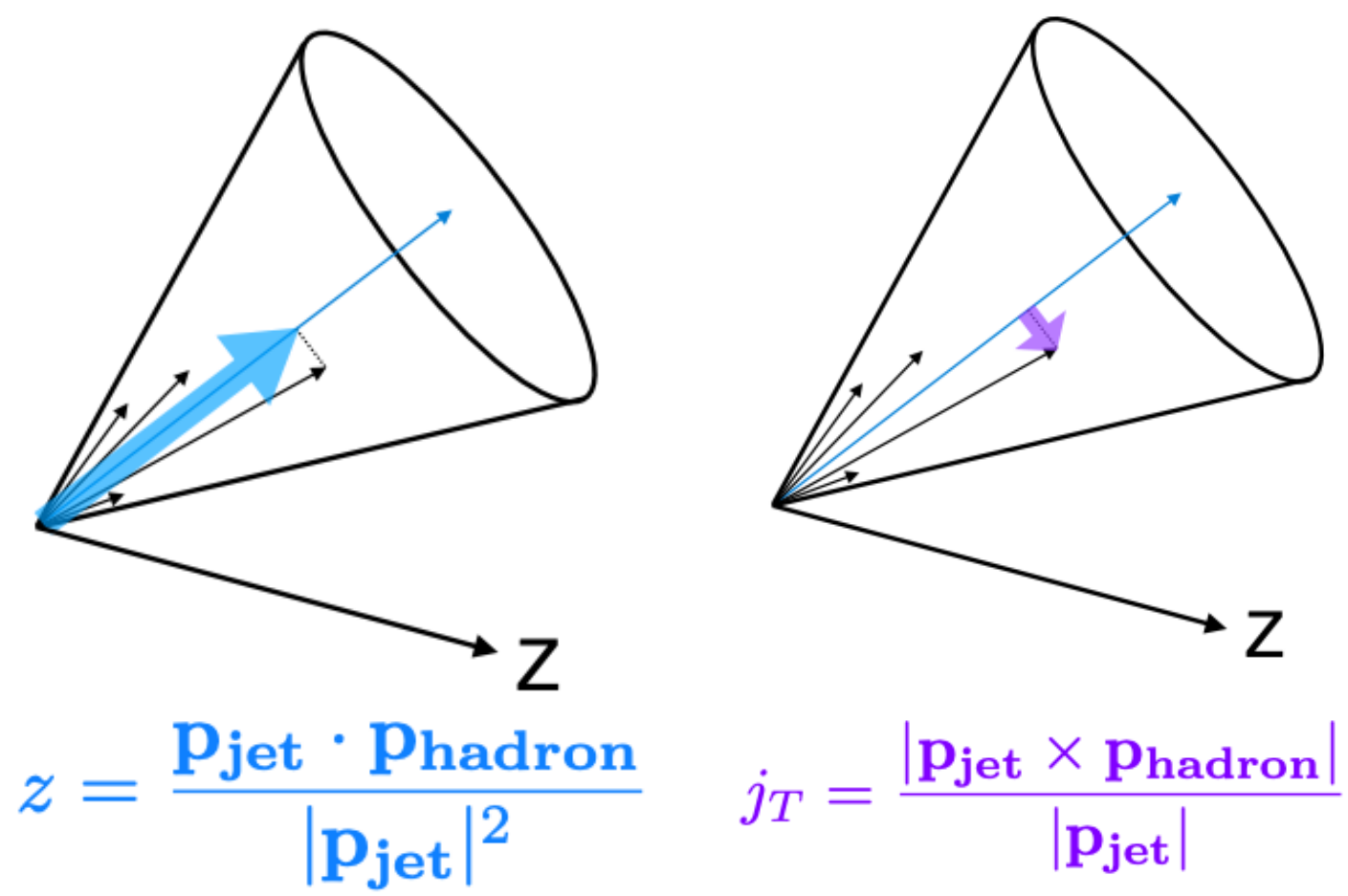
# Jet Substructure: opening the QCD world

## Heavy quark splitting functions

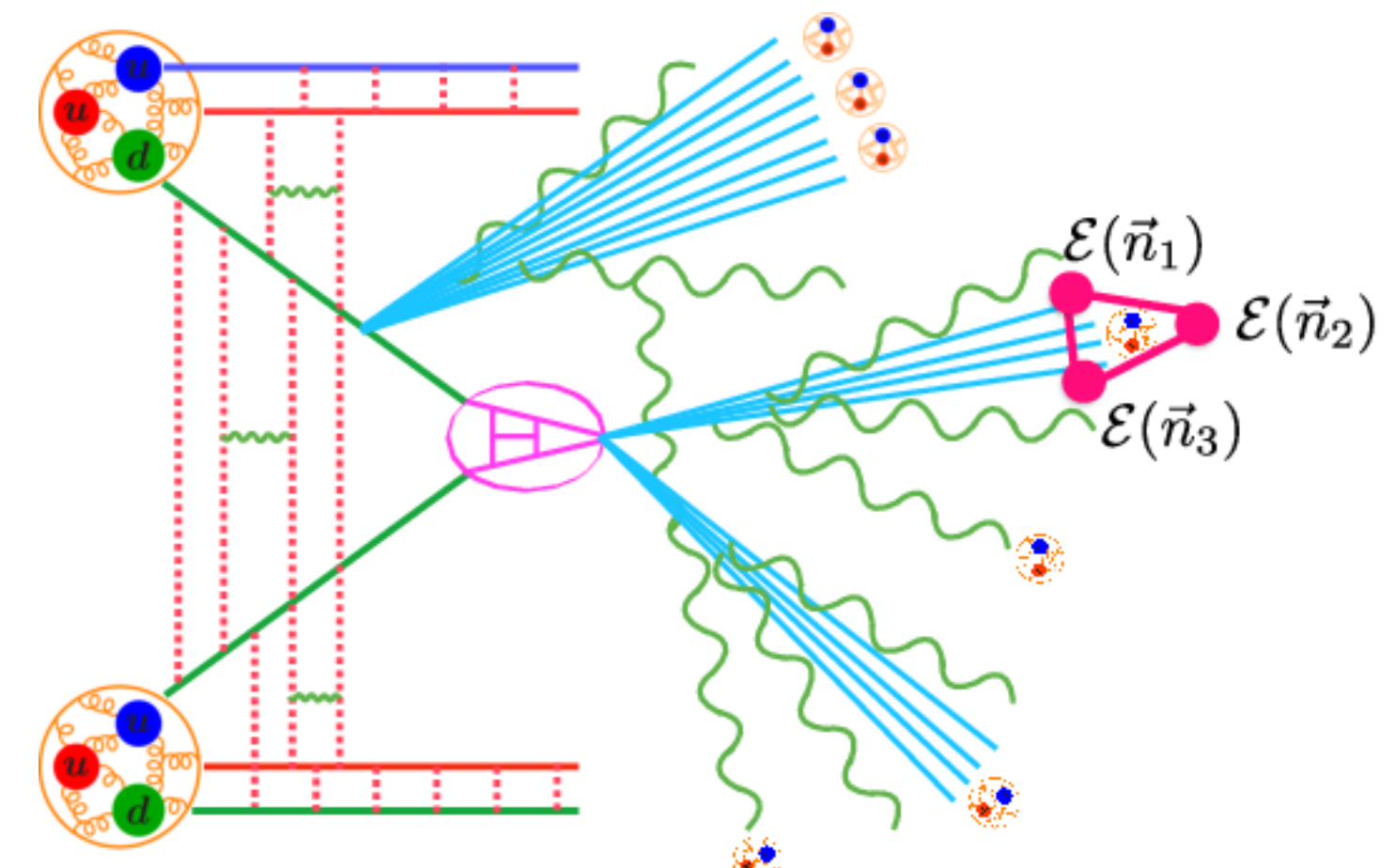


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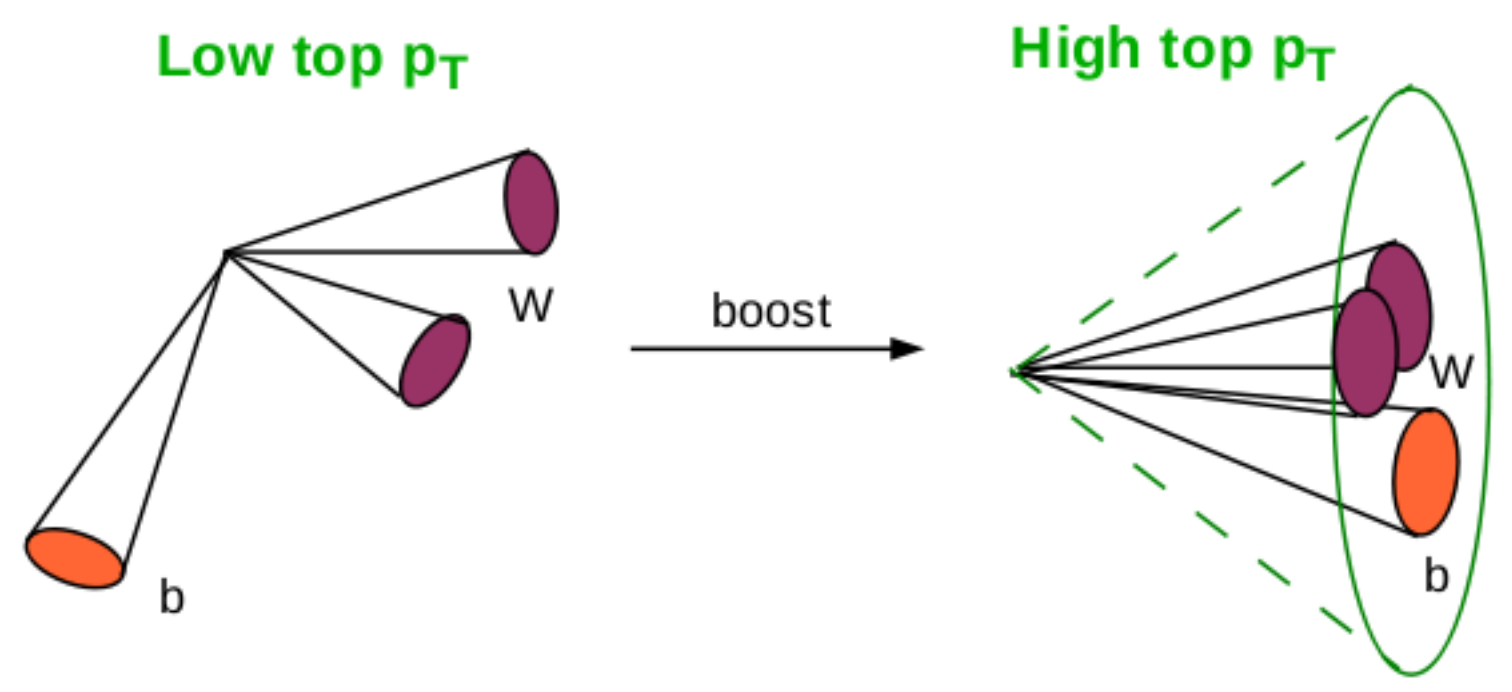


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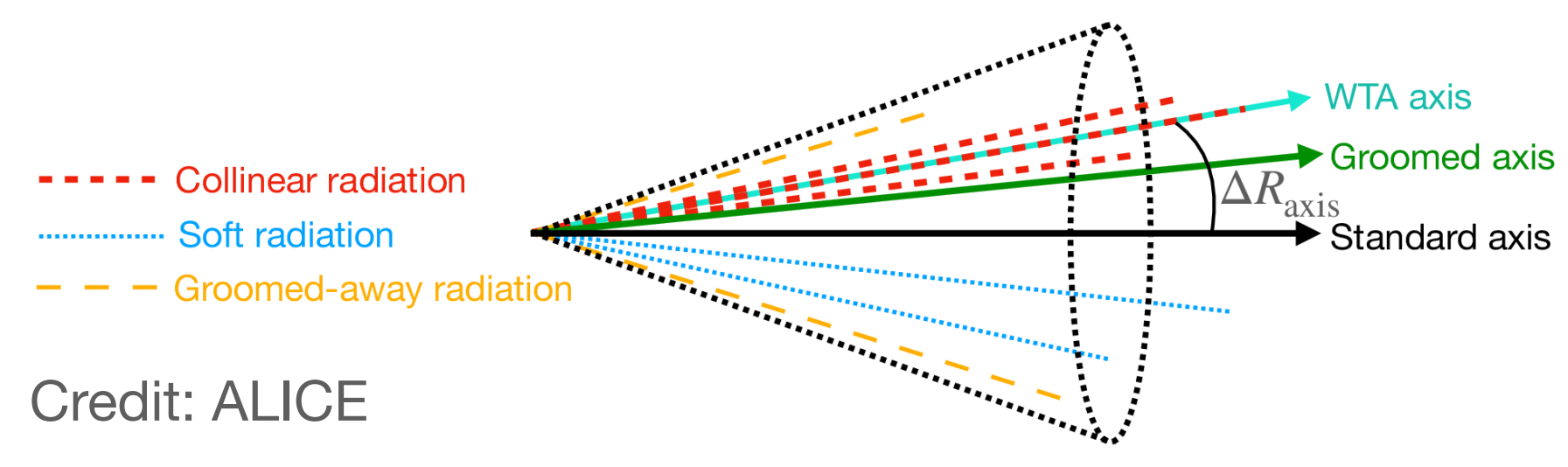
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## Boosted heavy-flavor jets



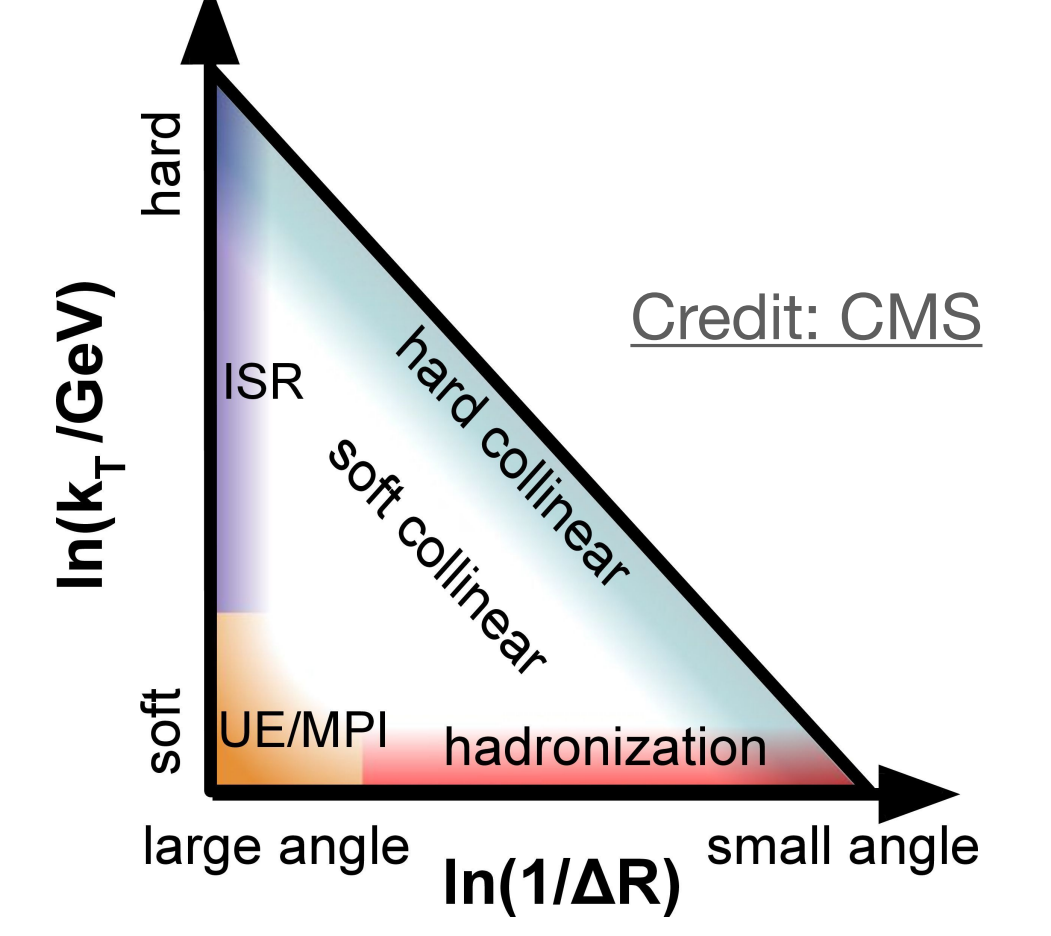
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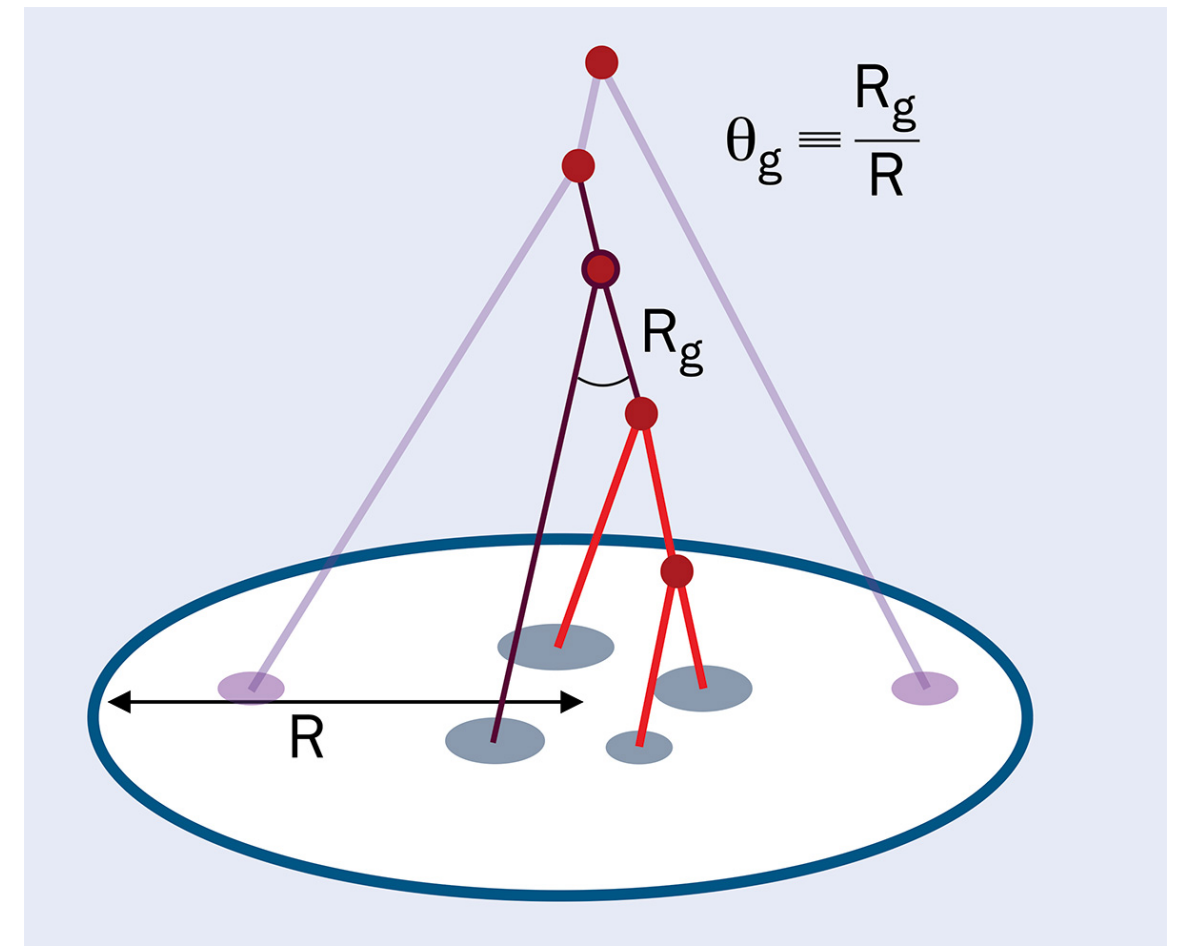
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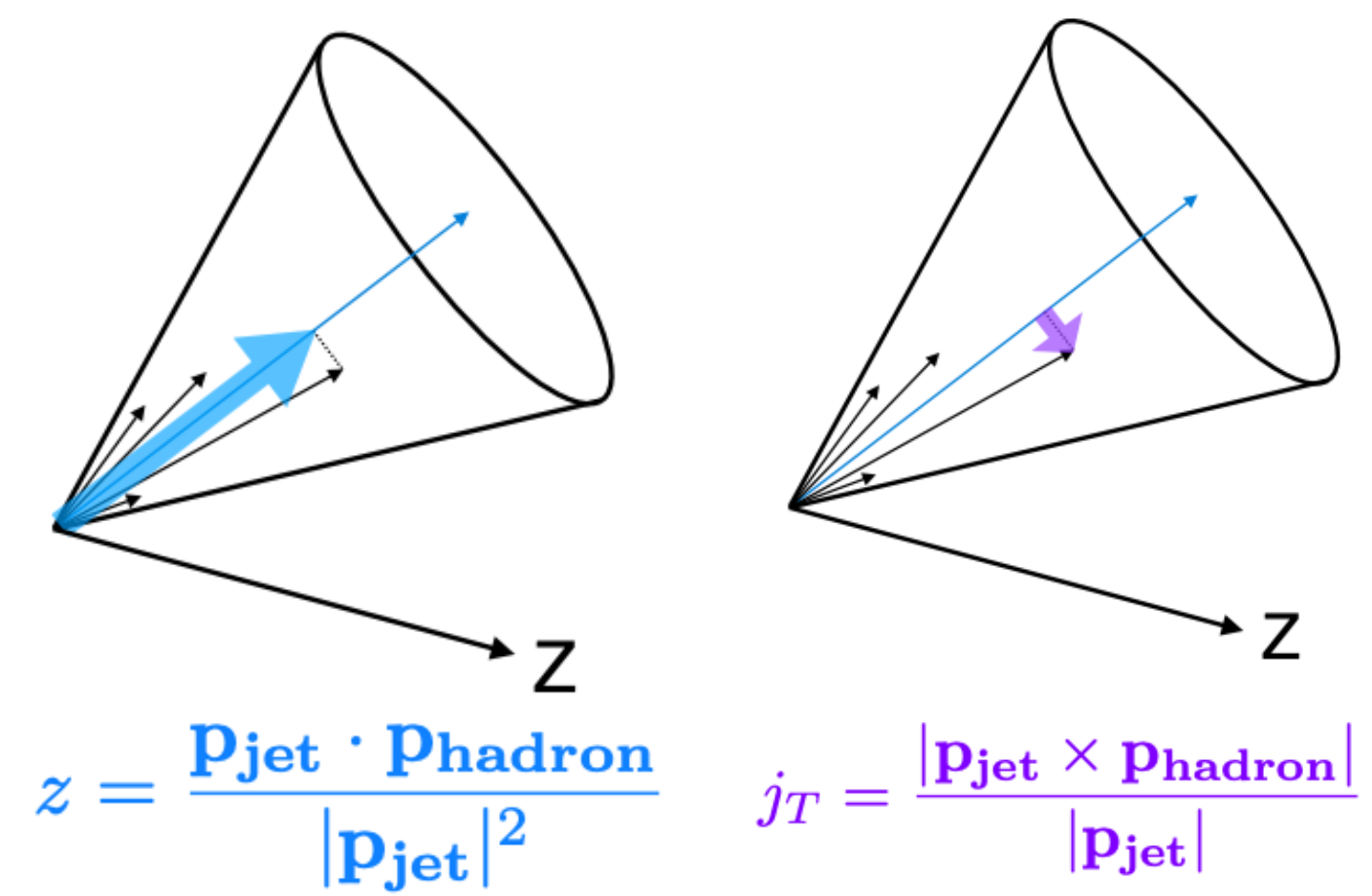
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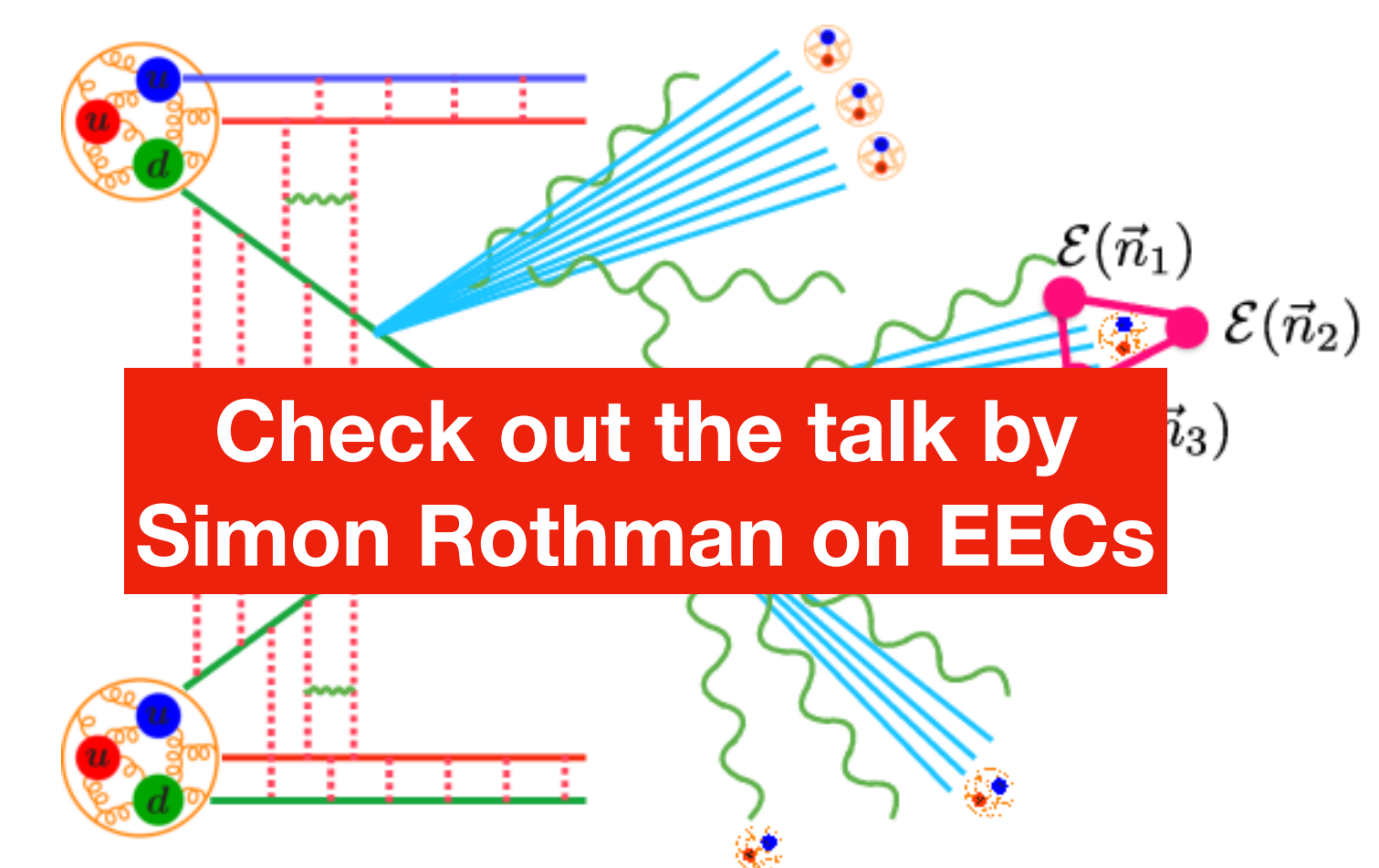


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## Energy Correlators



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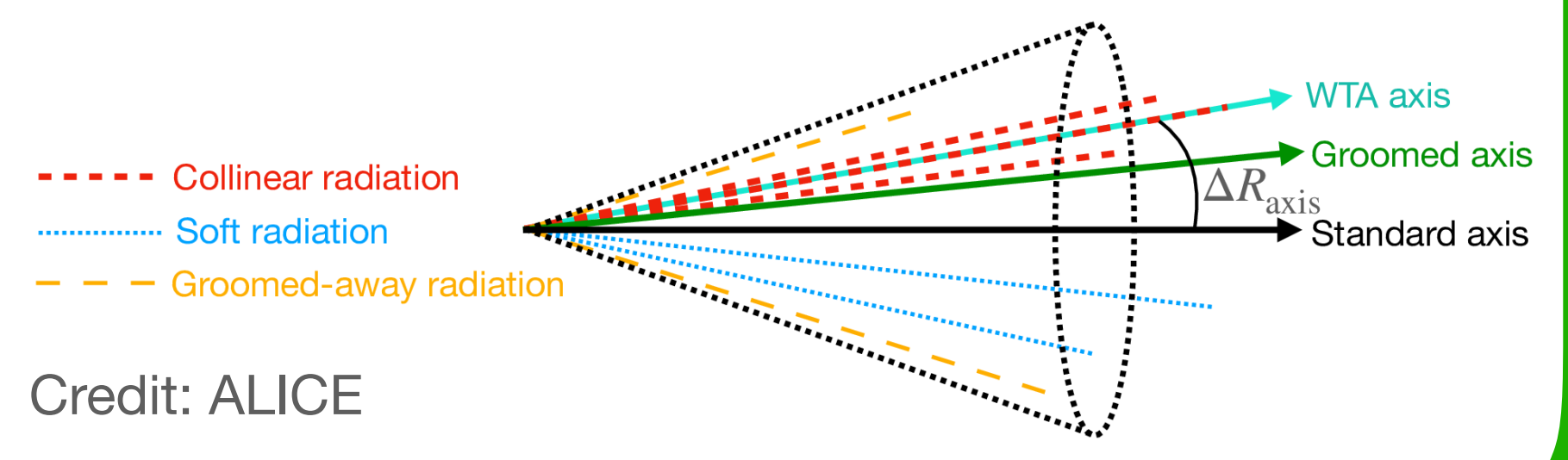
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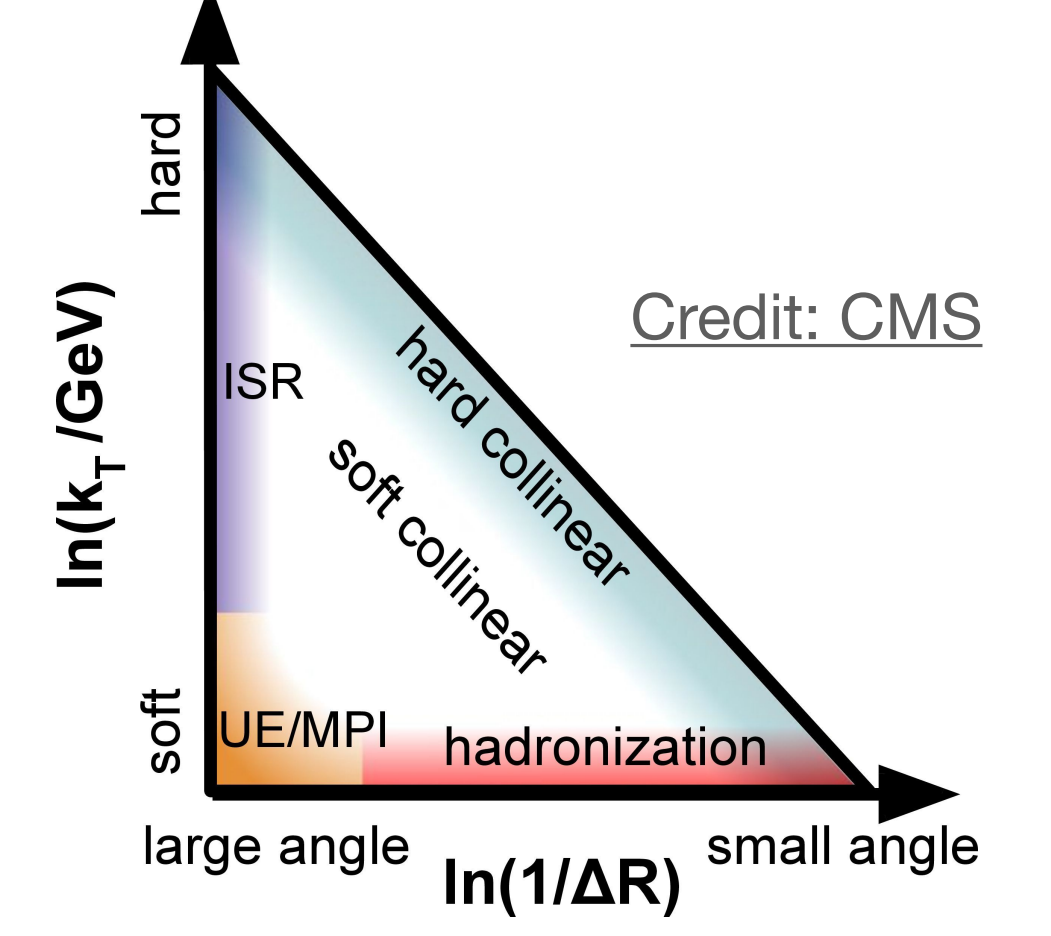
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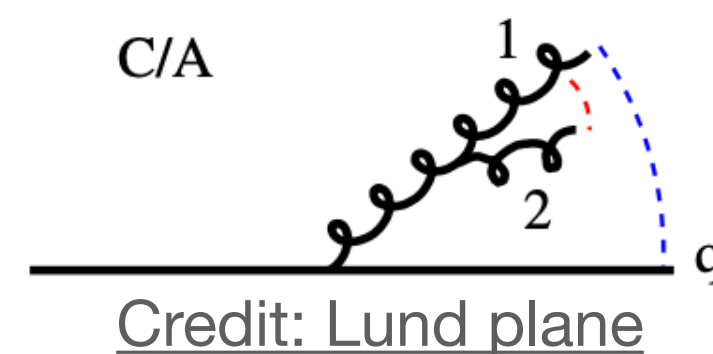
# Cambridge/Aachen Reclustering

## Popular Substructure Technique

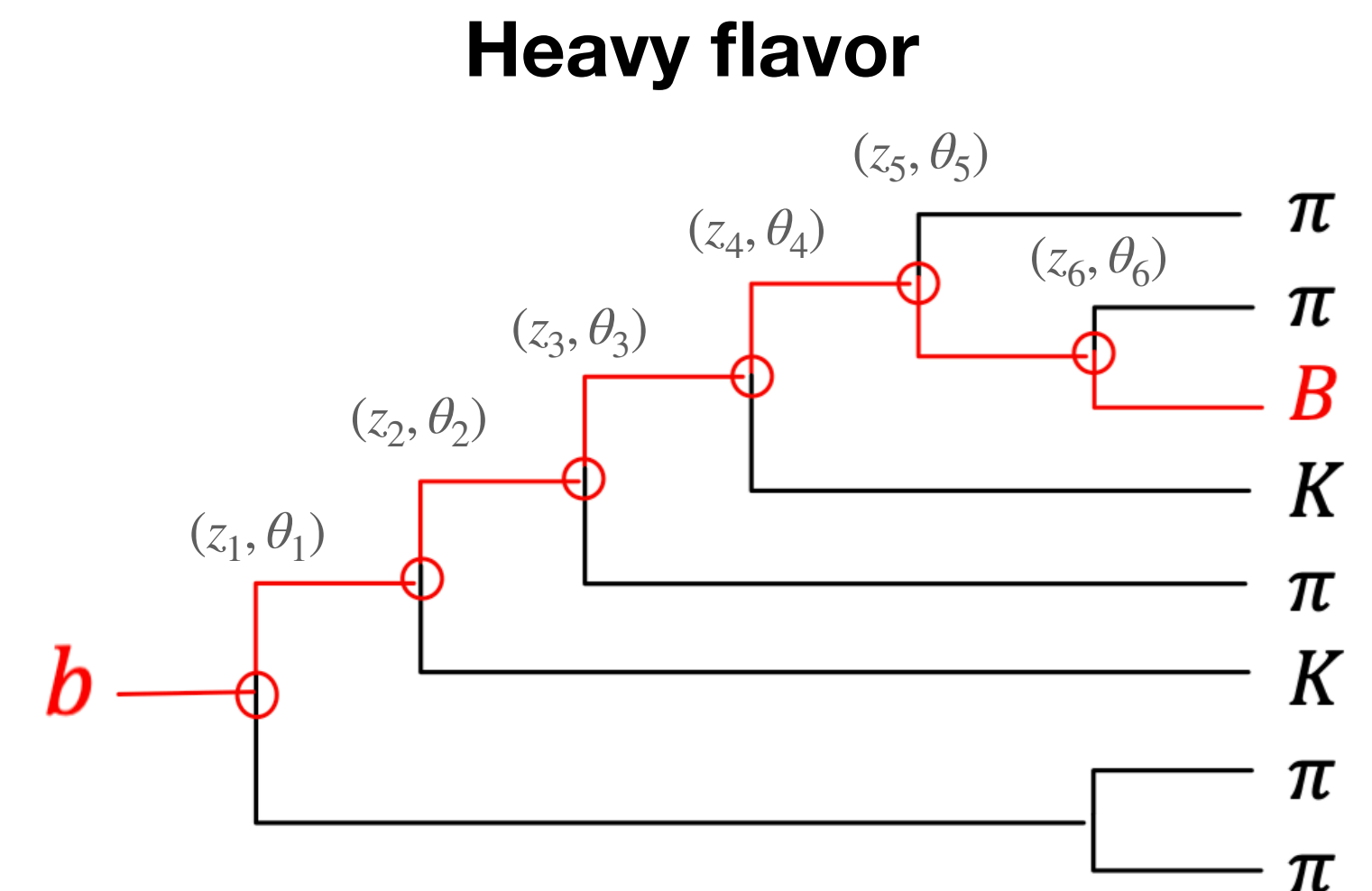
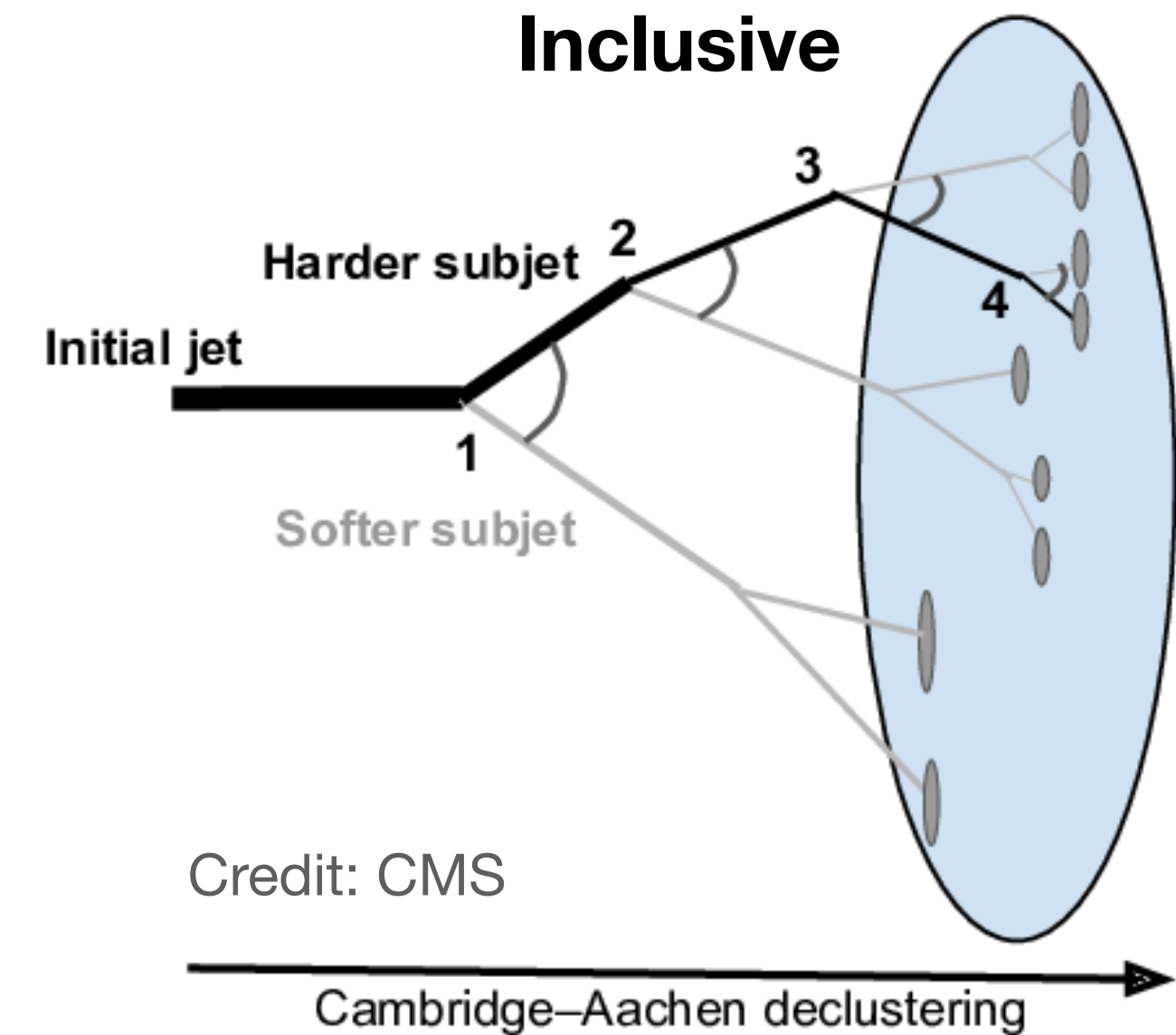
- Gluon radiation is ordered from larger to smaller angles throughout the showering

$$\theta_1 > \theta_2 > \dots > \theta_n$$

- The C/A algorithm clusters jets based on smallest angles first



**C/A gives us access to the splitting history of the jet**



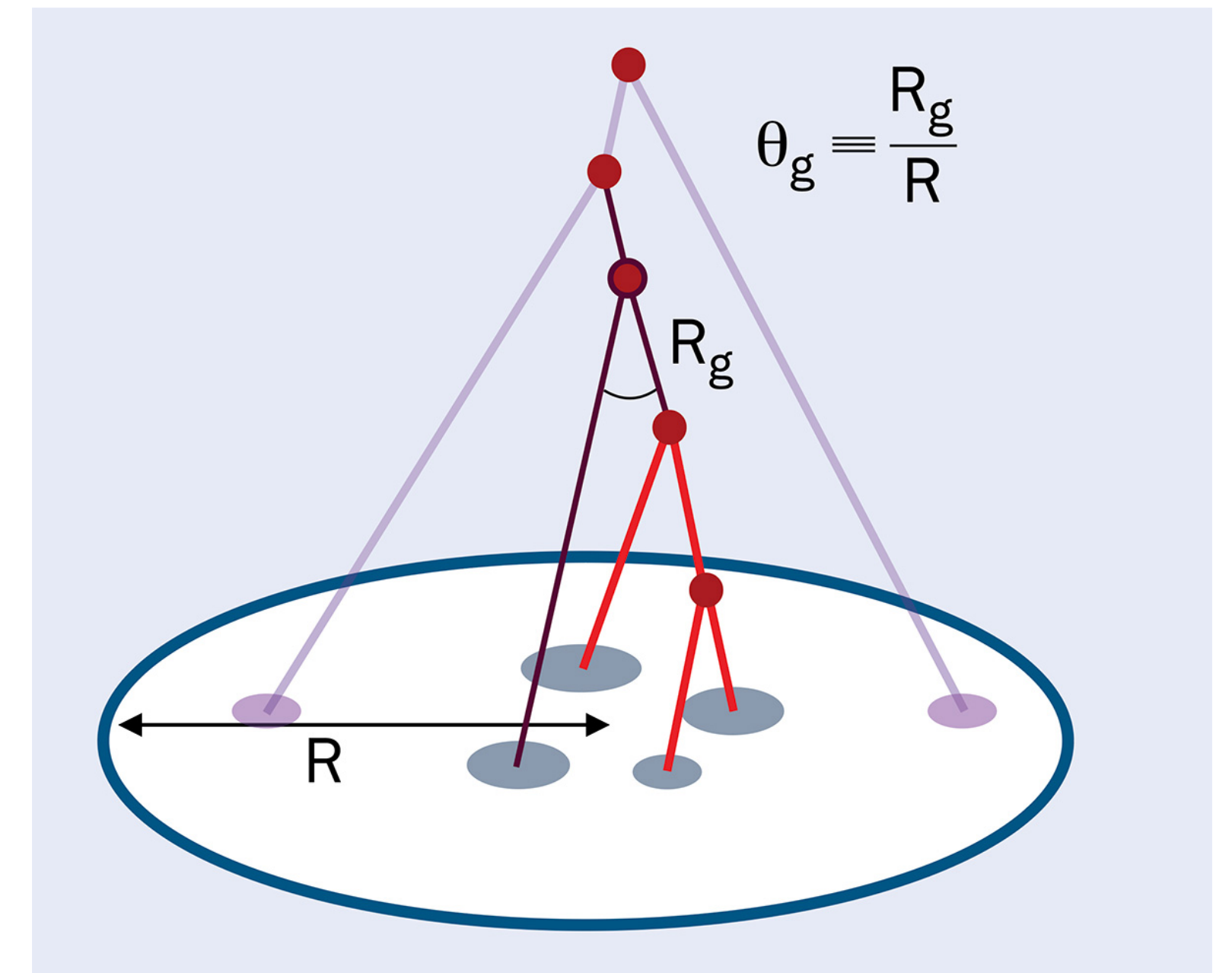
# Soft-drop Grooming

Momentum fraction  $z_g$  and angular distance  $R_g$

- The soft-drop (SD) procedure was designed to remove wide-angle soft radiation
- An emission is removed if it does not satisfy the soft-drop condition:

$$\frac{\min(p_{T1}, p_{T2})}{p_{T1} + p_{T2}} > z_{\text{cut}} \left( \frac{\Delta R_{12}}{R_0} \right)^\beta$$

- The first emission satisfying the SD condition is given a subscript  $z_g$  and  $R_g$
- The parameter choice of  $z_{\text{cut}} = 0.1$  and  $\beta = 0$  gives access to the QCD splitting function at high energies via  $z_g$



Credit: CERN

$$\bar{P}_q(z) \simeq \bar{P}_g(z) \simeq \frac{1-z}{z} + \frac{z}{1-z} + \frac{1}{2}$$

$$P_{Q \rightarrow Qg}(z) = \frac{1-z}{z} + \frac{z}{2} - 2\mu_{Qg}^2$$

$$\mu_{Qg}^2 = \frac{m_Q^2}{m_{Qg}^2 - m_Q^2}$$

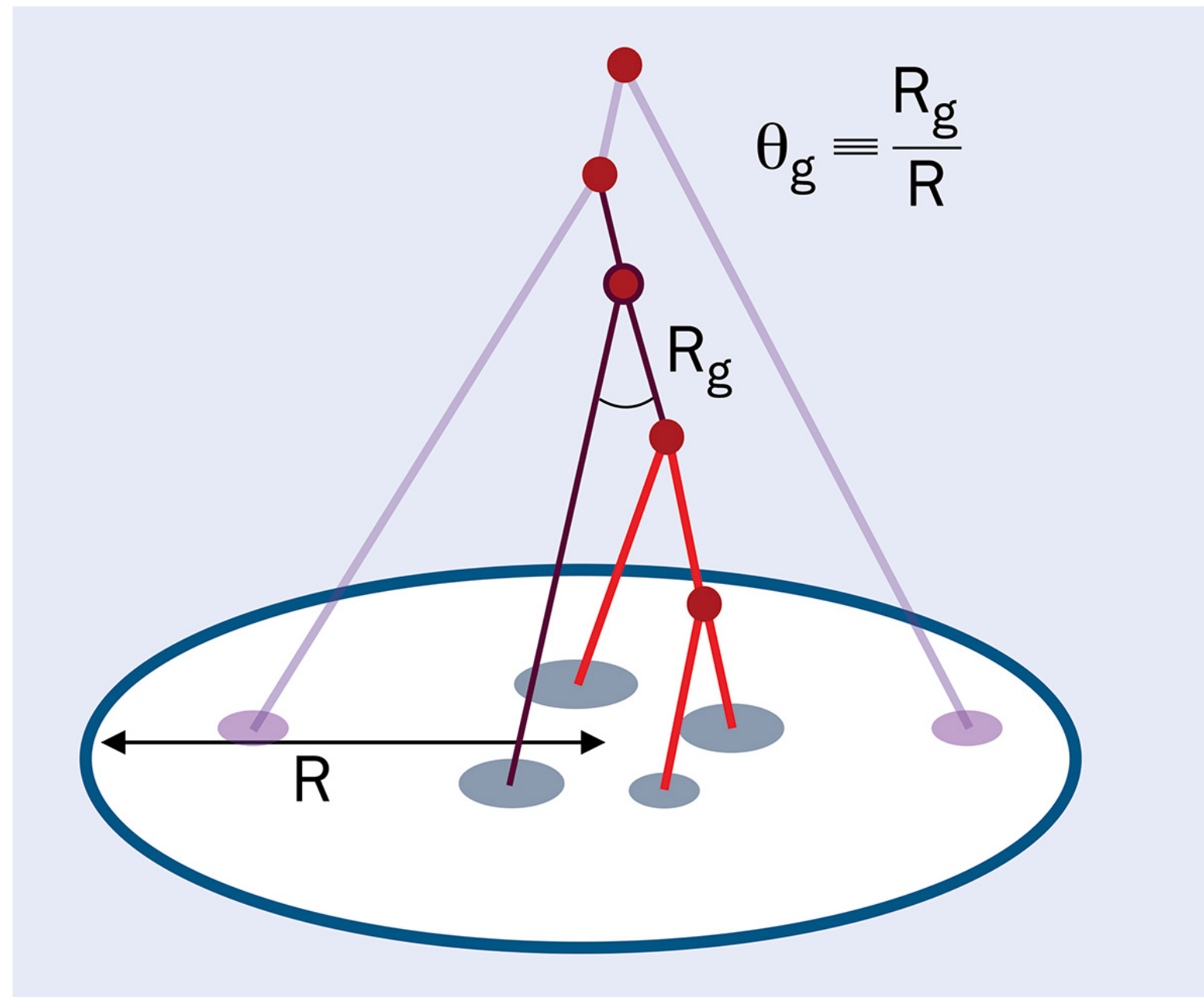
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# Charm splitting function



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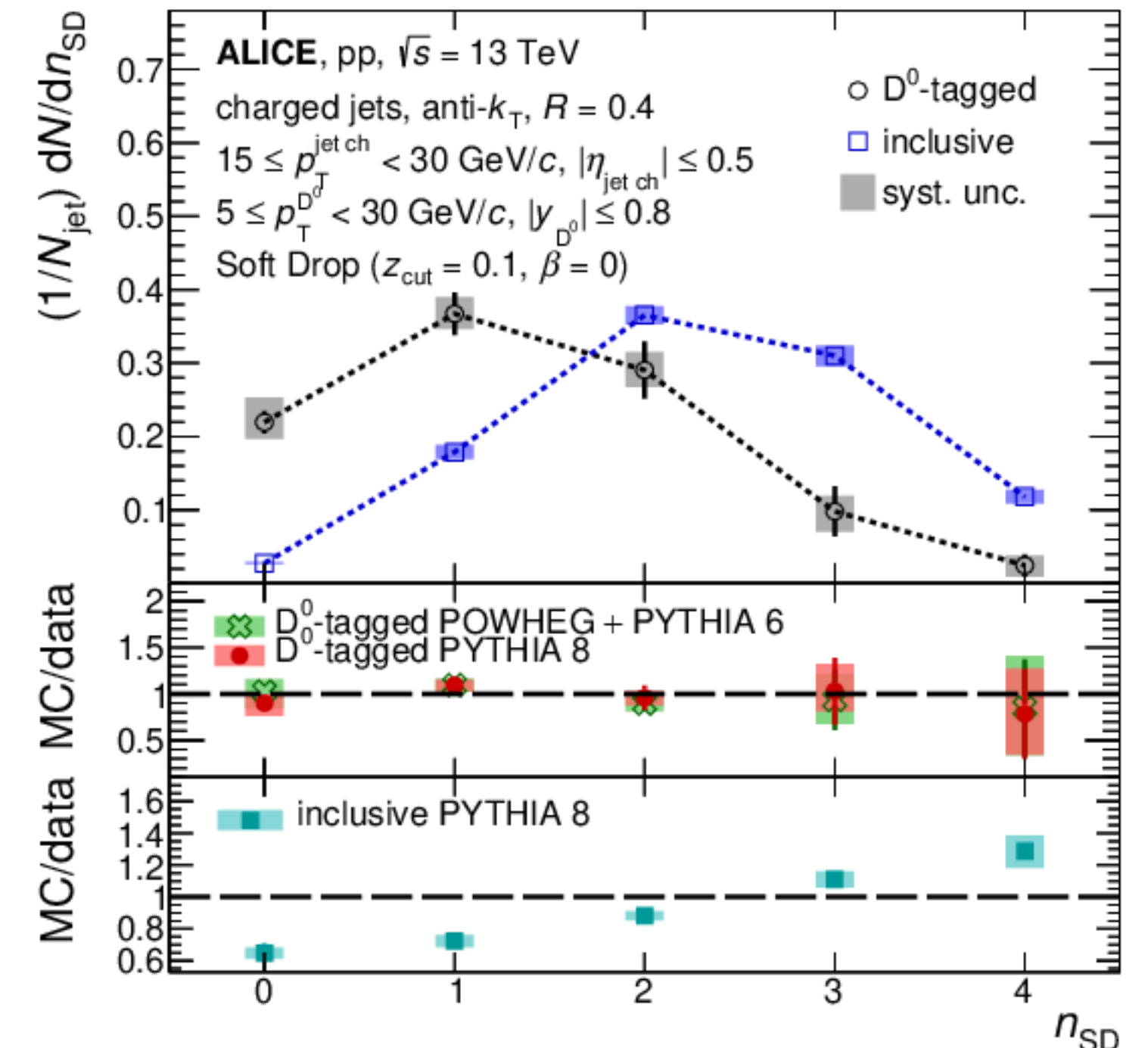
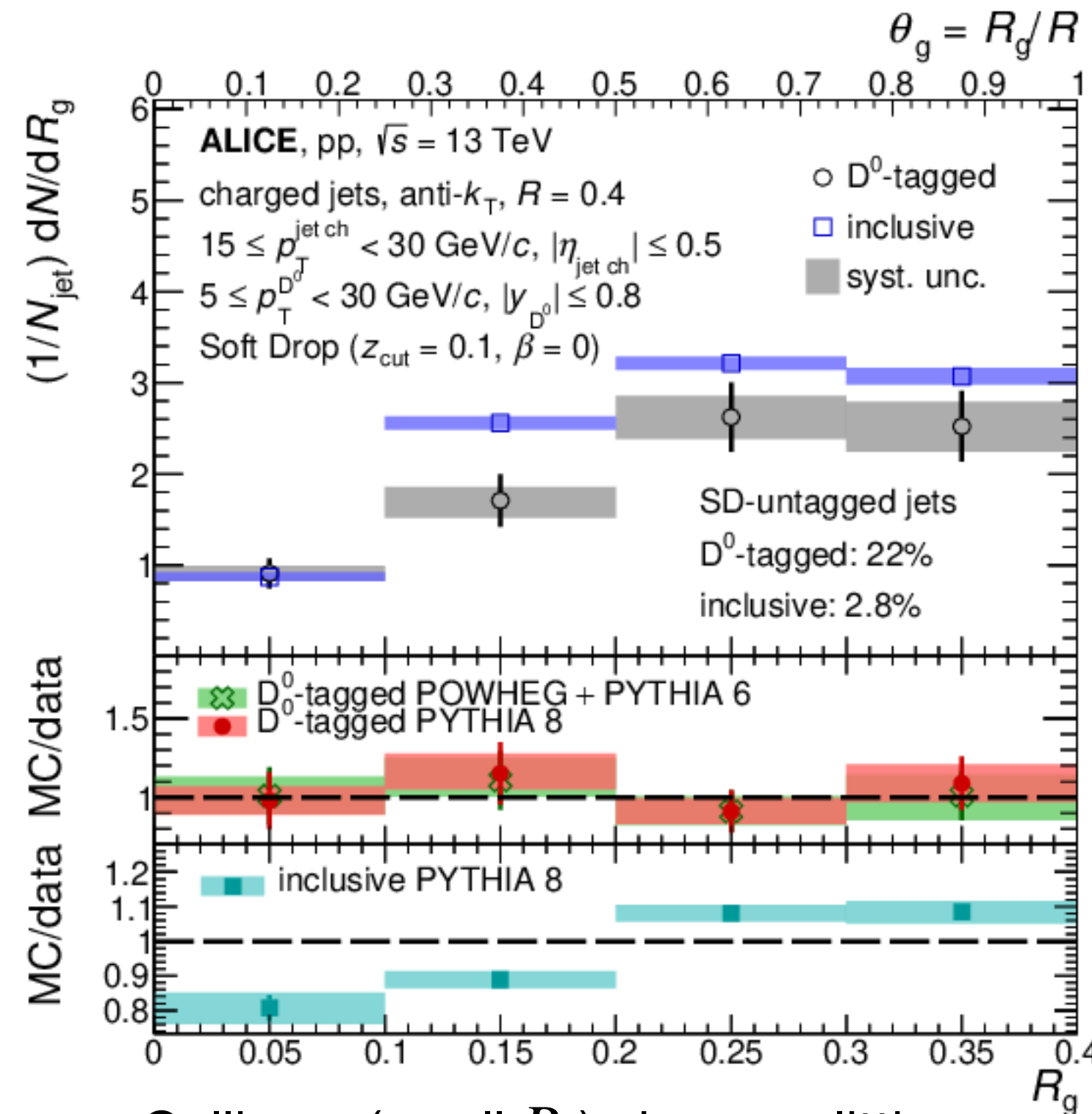
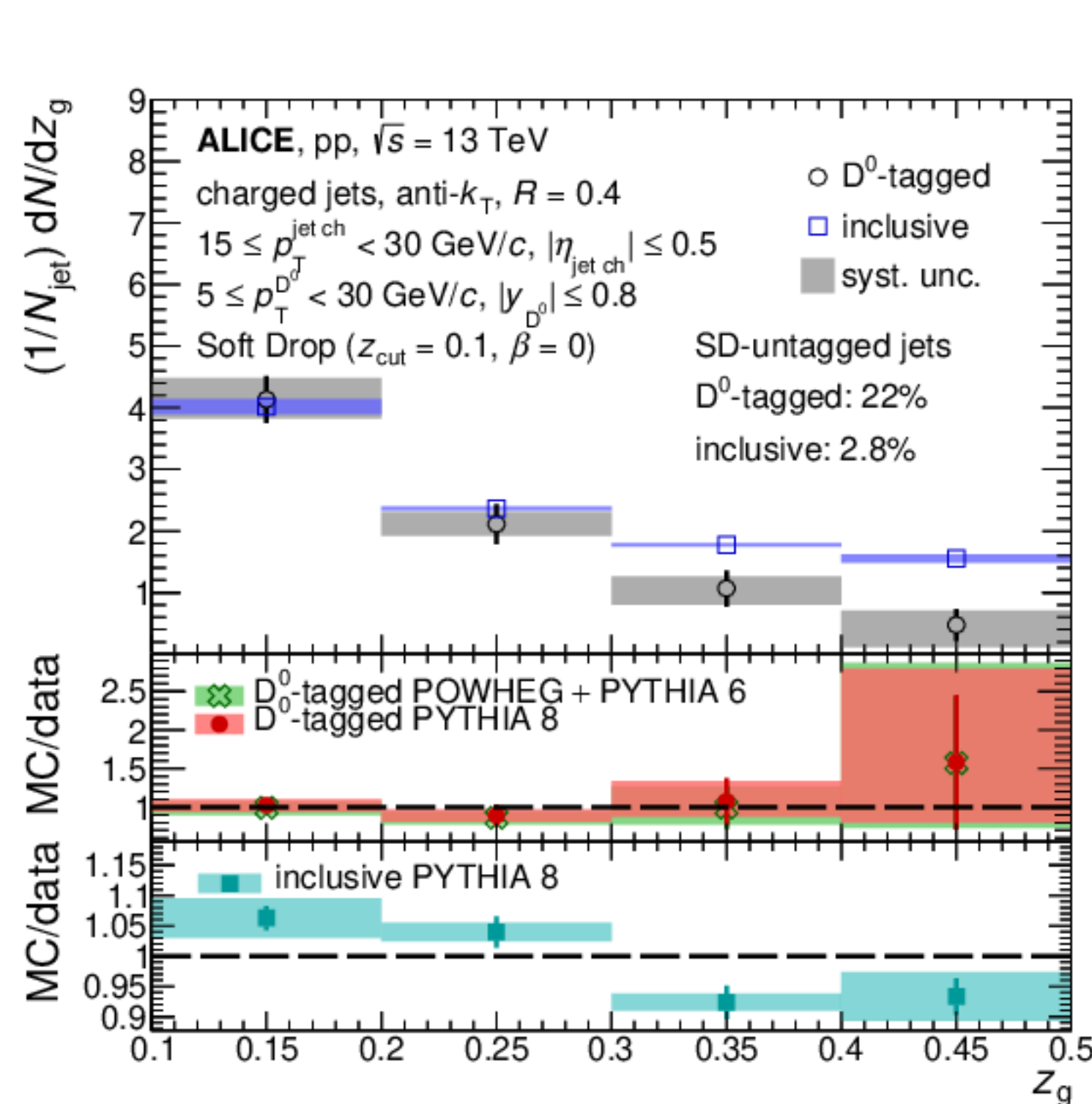
# Charm quark splitting function

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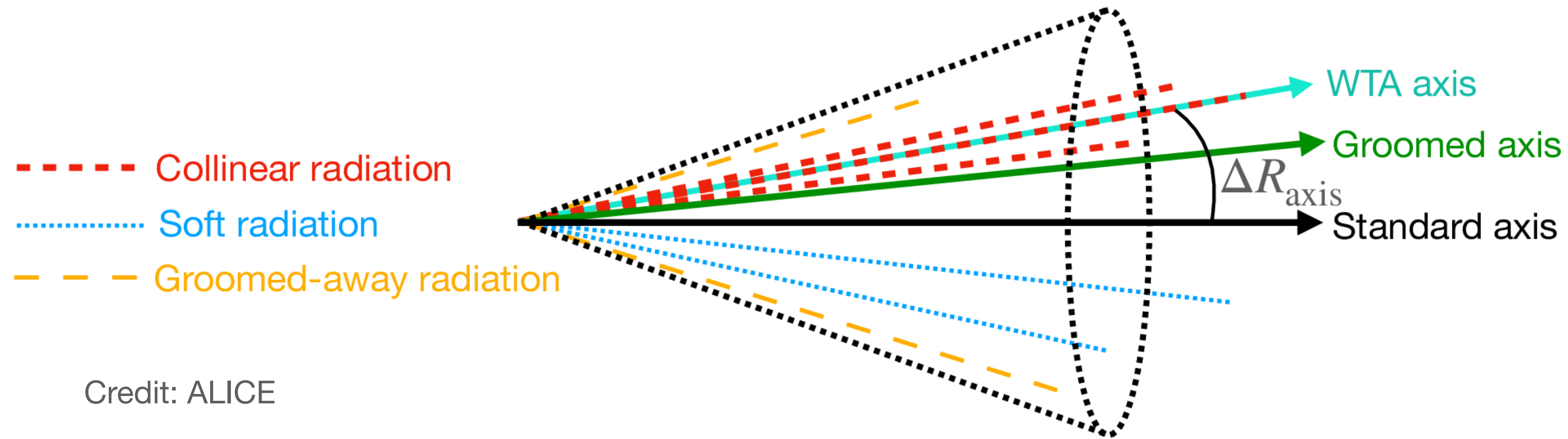
- Charm splittings are significantly less likely to share energy (large  $z_g$ ) compared to the inclusive case

- Collinear (small  $R_g$ ) charm splittings happen as often as in the gluon-dominated inclusive sample. This does not contradict the expectation from the dead cone since the reduction of collinear splittings in the charm quark can be balanced by wide-radiation gluon jets

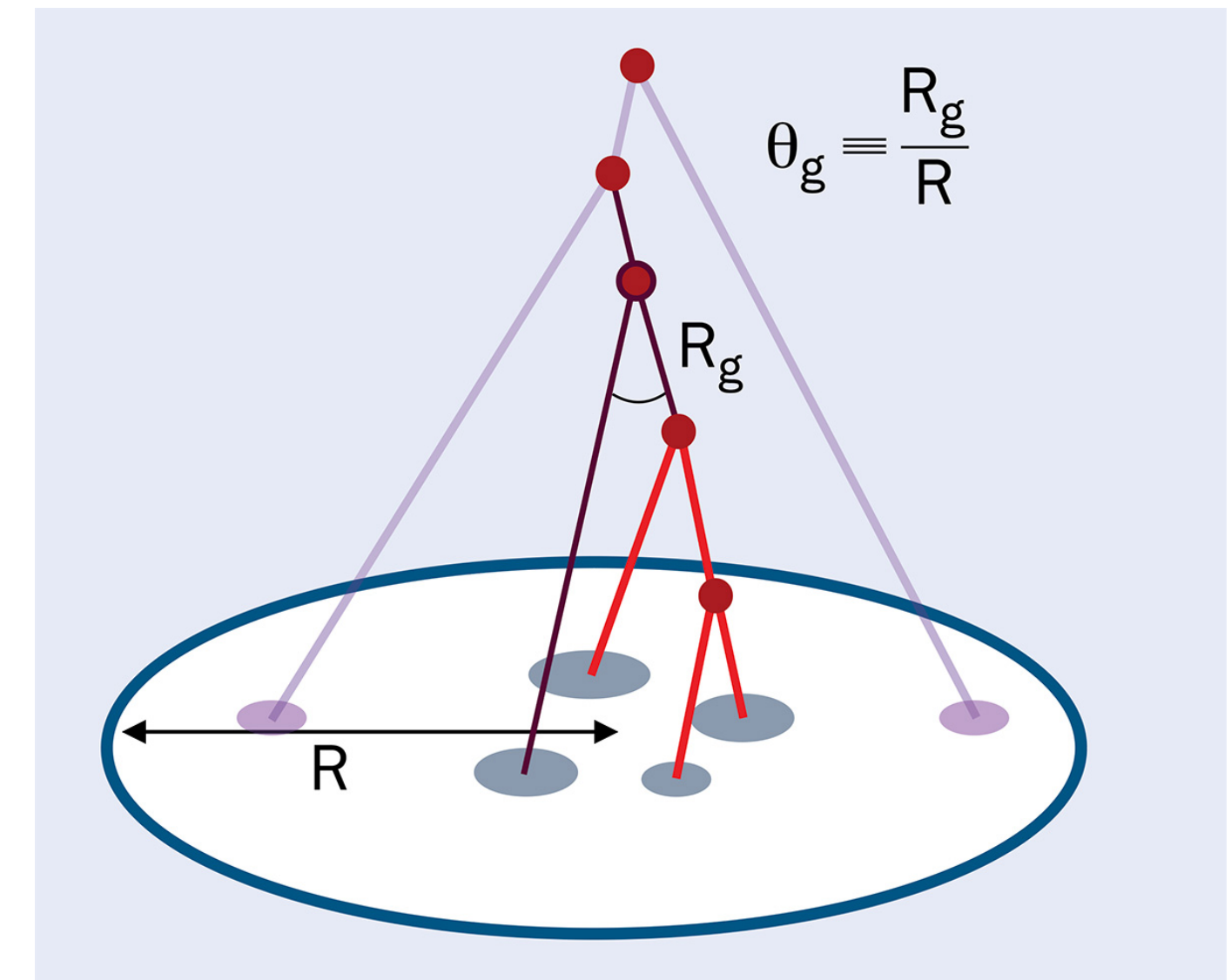
- Charm splittings are less likely to pass the SD condition. This is consistent with the dead-cone effect which limits hard collinear radiation



# Angle between jet axes



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# Angles between Jet Axes

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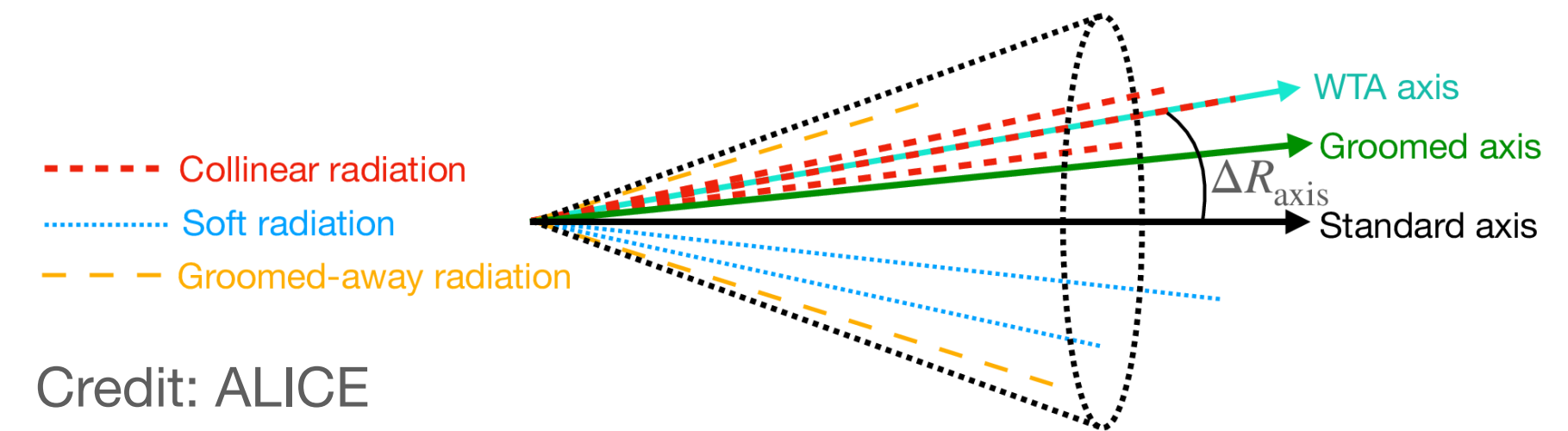


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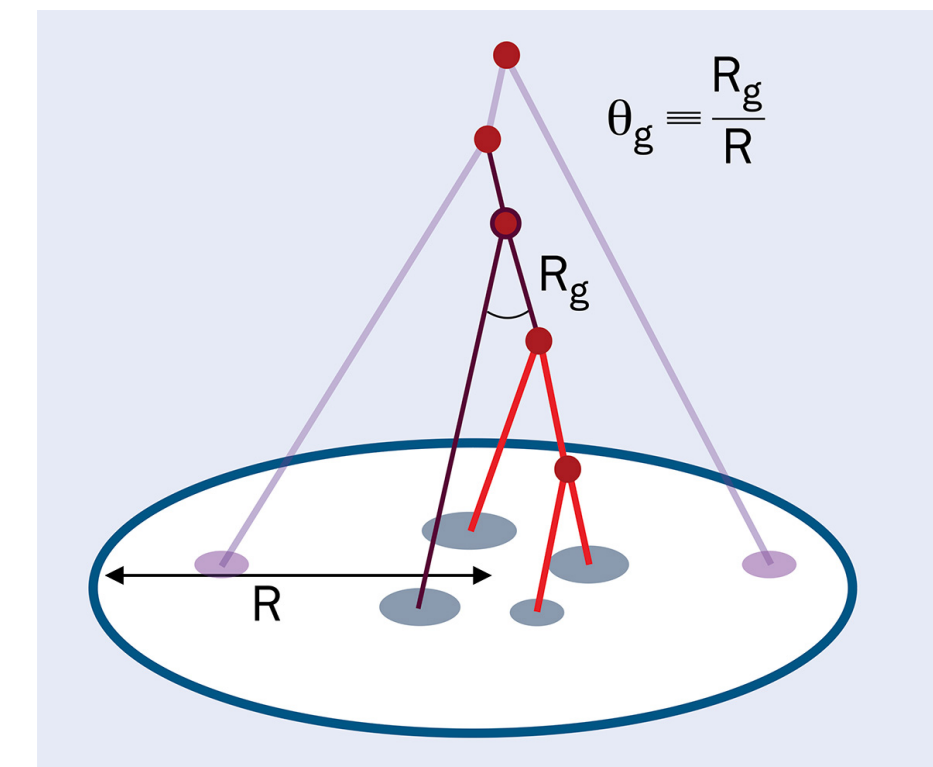
- $\sqrt{s} = 5.02 \text{ TeV}$
- **Charged-particle jets**
- **Anti-kt jets with  $R = 0.2$  or  $0.4$**
- $|\eta_{jet}| < 0.9$
- $p_T^{jet} \in [20, 100] \text{ GeV}$

$$\Delta R_{WTA-SD}, \Delta R_{WTA-Standard}, \Delta R_{SD-Standard}$$

**Sensitive to Transverse Momentum  
Dependent Distributions (TMDs)**



## Groomed Axis



Credit: CERN

## Winner-Take-All Axis

$$p_{TJ} = p_{Ti} + p_{Tj}$$

$$\phi_J = \begin{cases} \phi_i, & p_{Ti} > p_{Tj} \\ \phi_j, & p_{Tj} > p_{Ti} \end{cases}$$

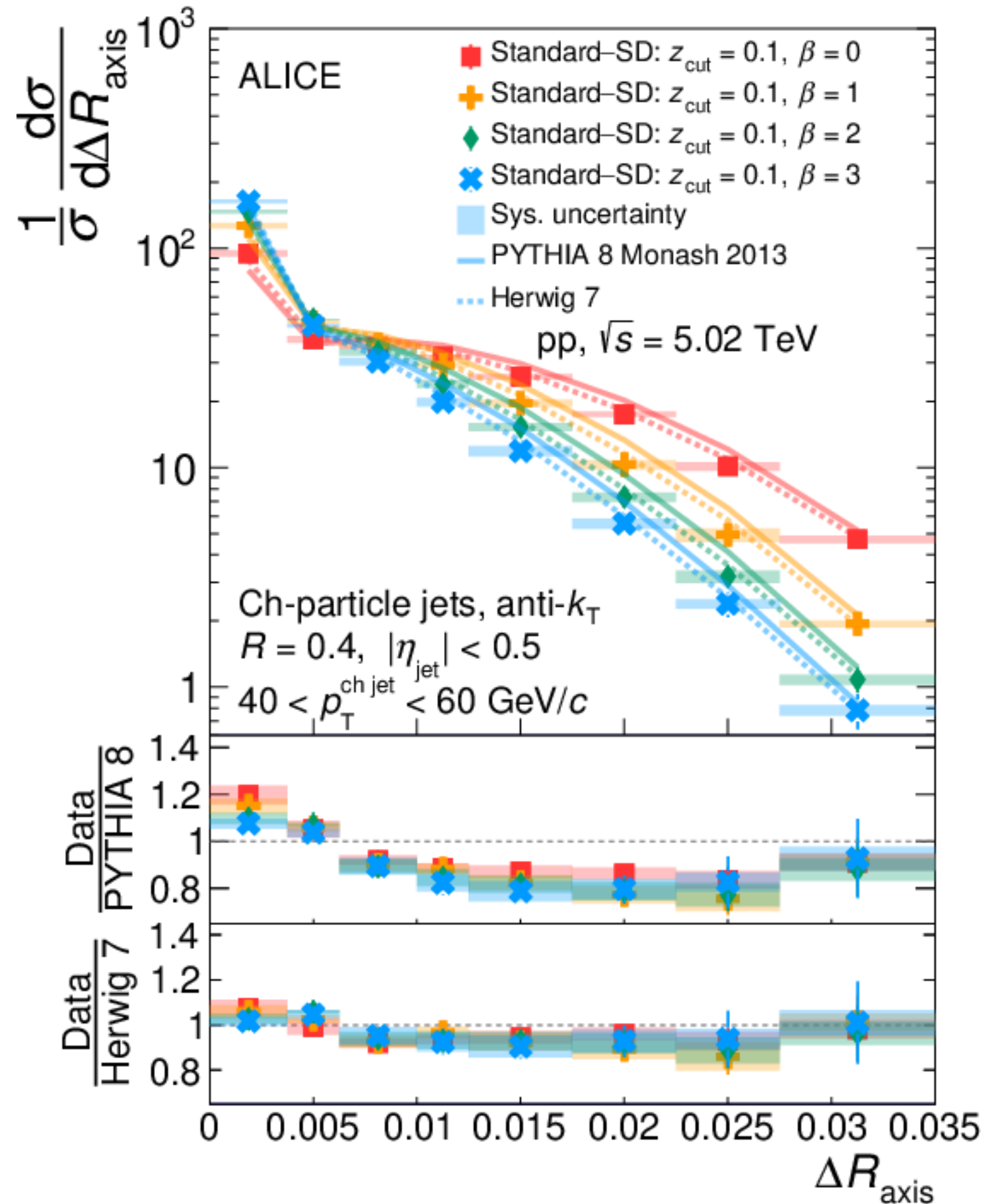
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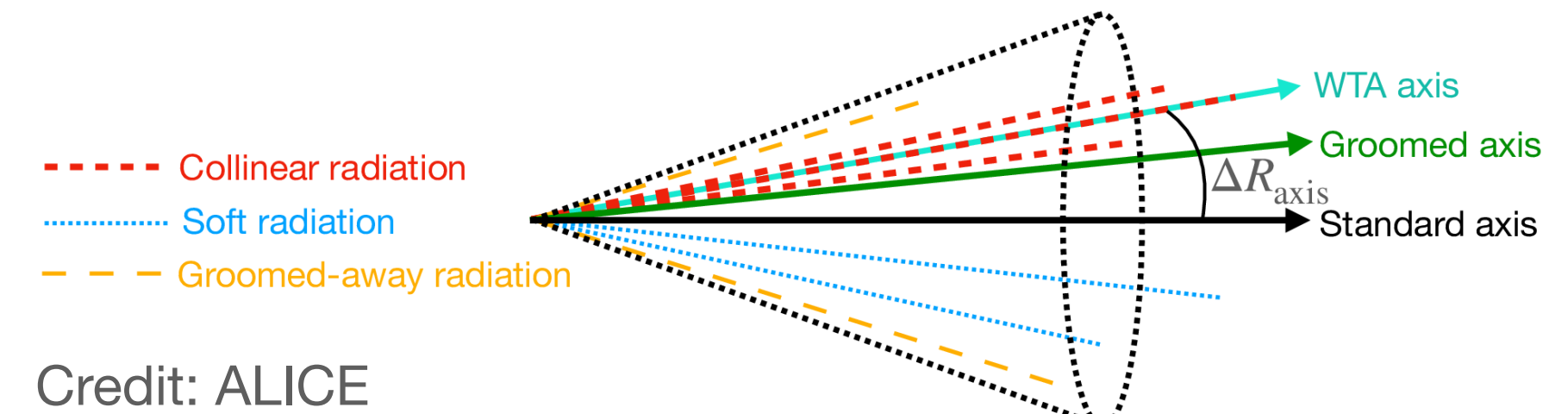
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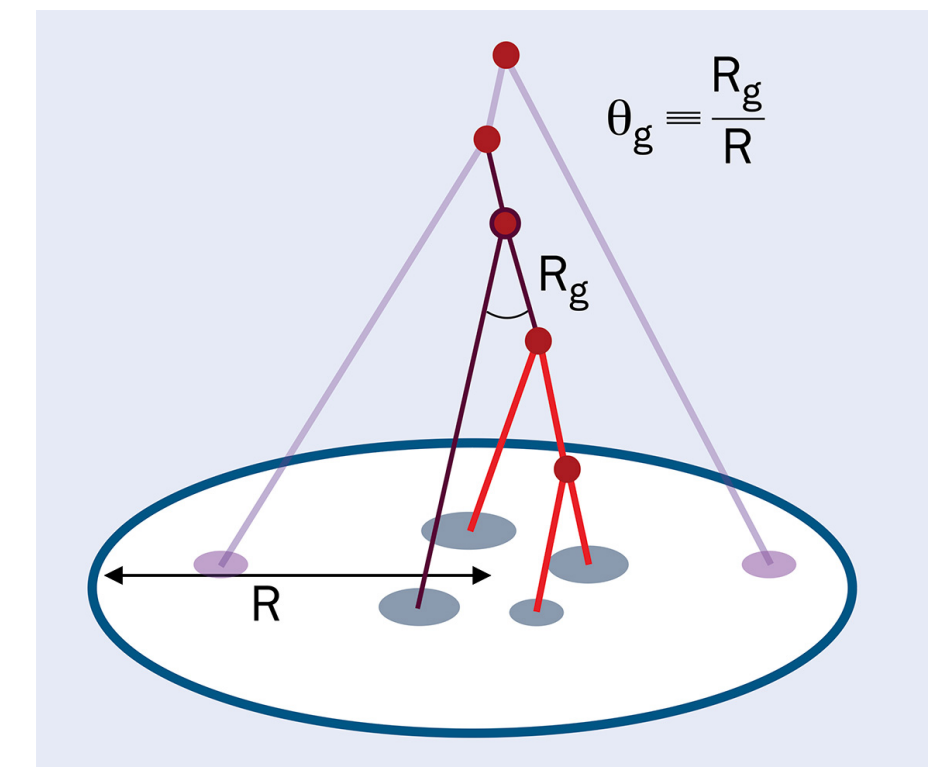
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- SD and standard jet axes are mostly aligned
- Grooming does have a big impact
- Aggressive grooming (lower  $\beta$ ) has the most impact on the jet direction



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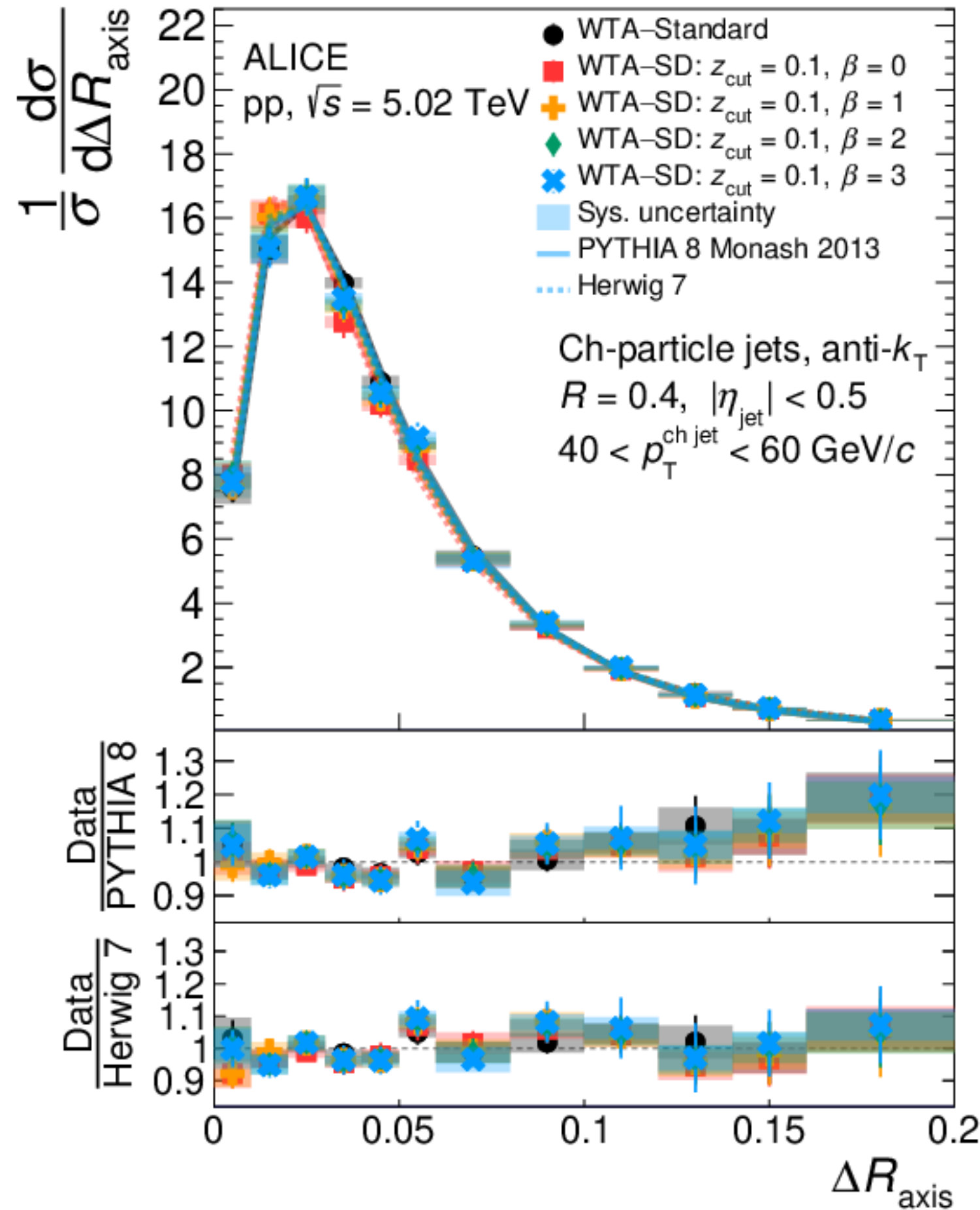
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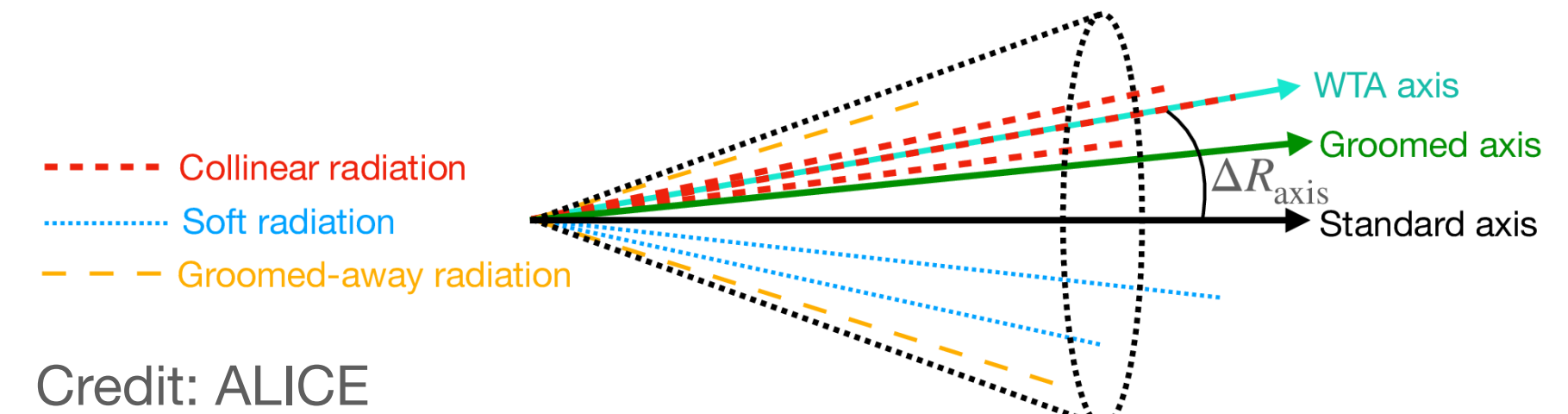
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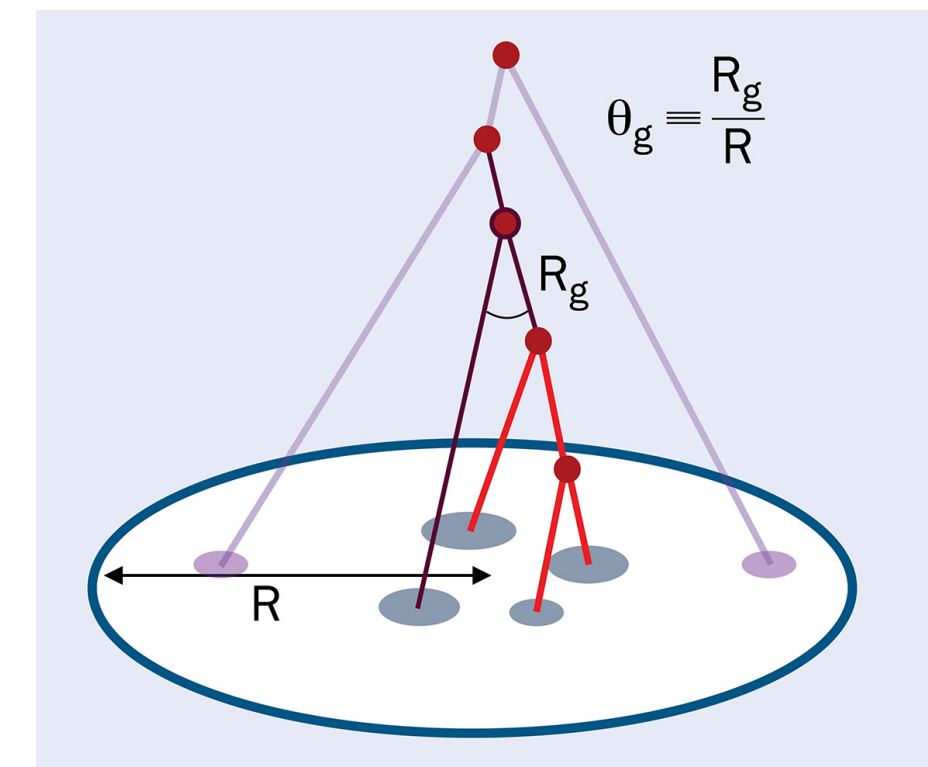


- Significant deviation between WTA and standard jet axes
- MC generators (Herwig 7 and PYTHIA 8) are mostly consistent with the data



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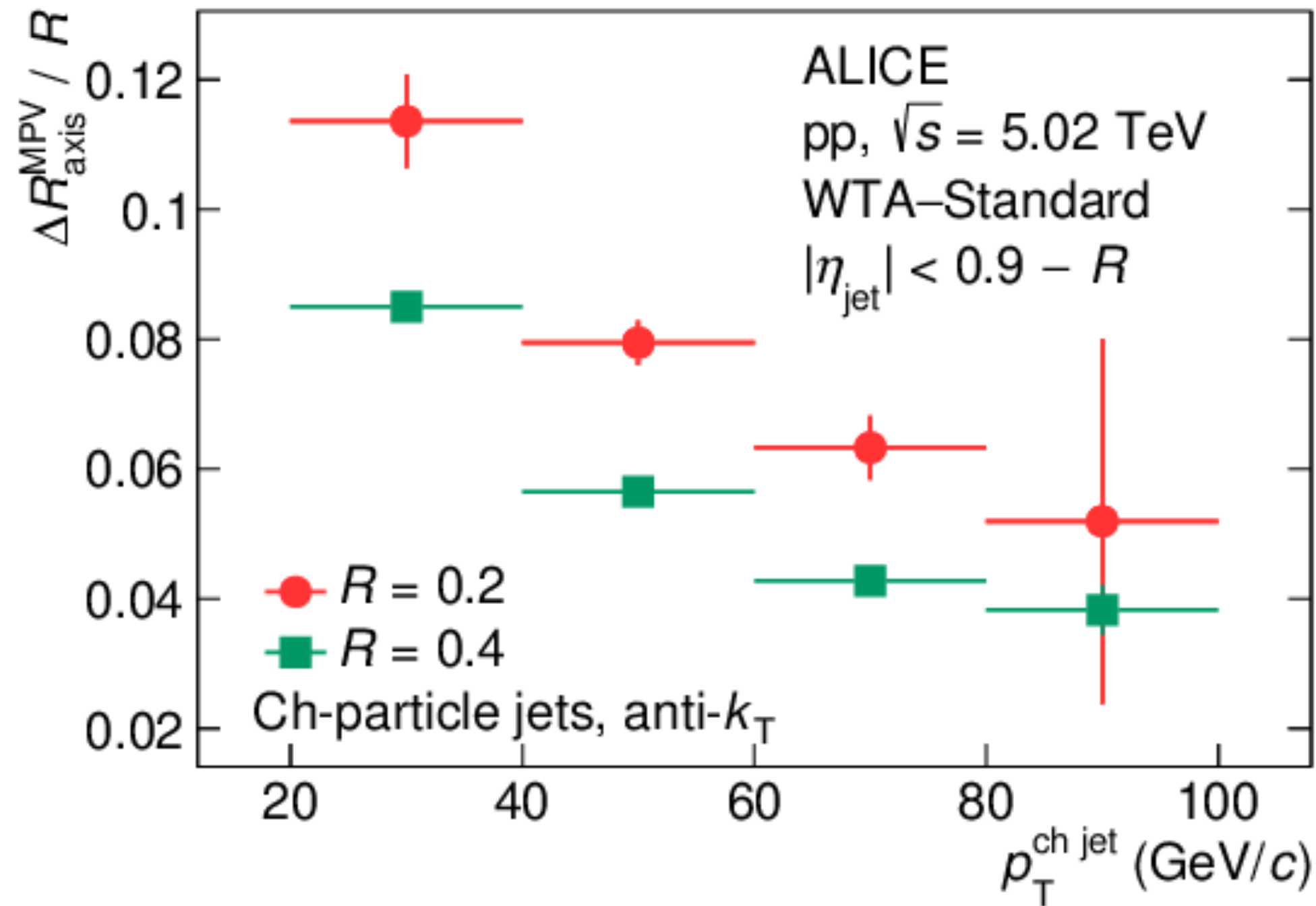
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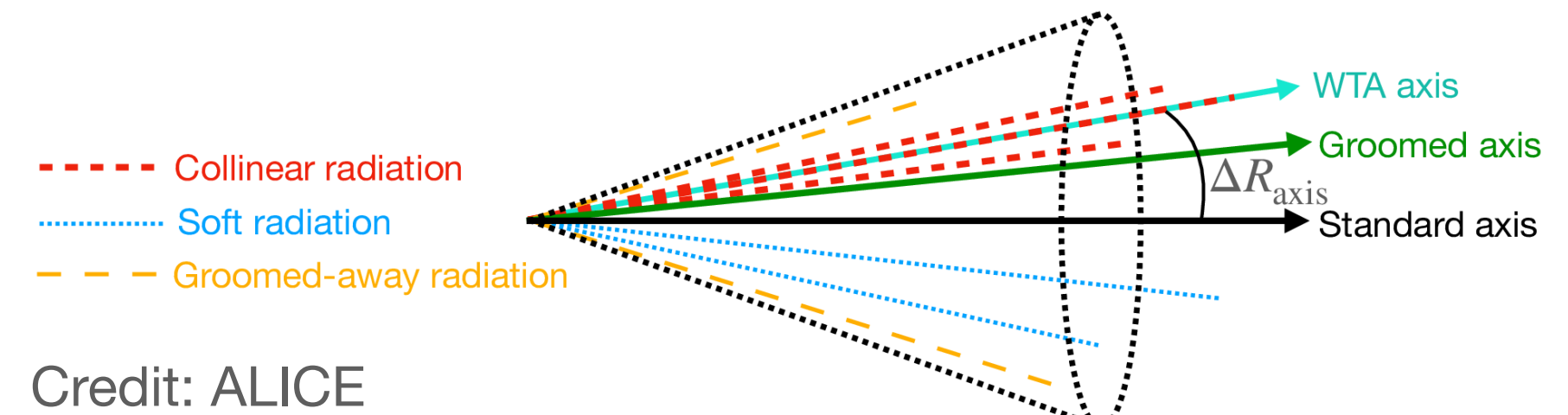
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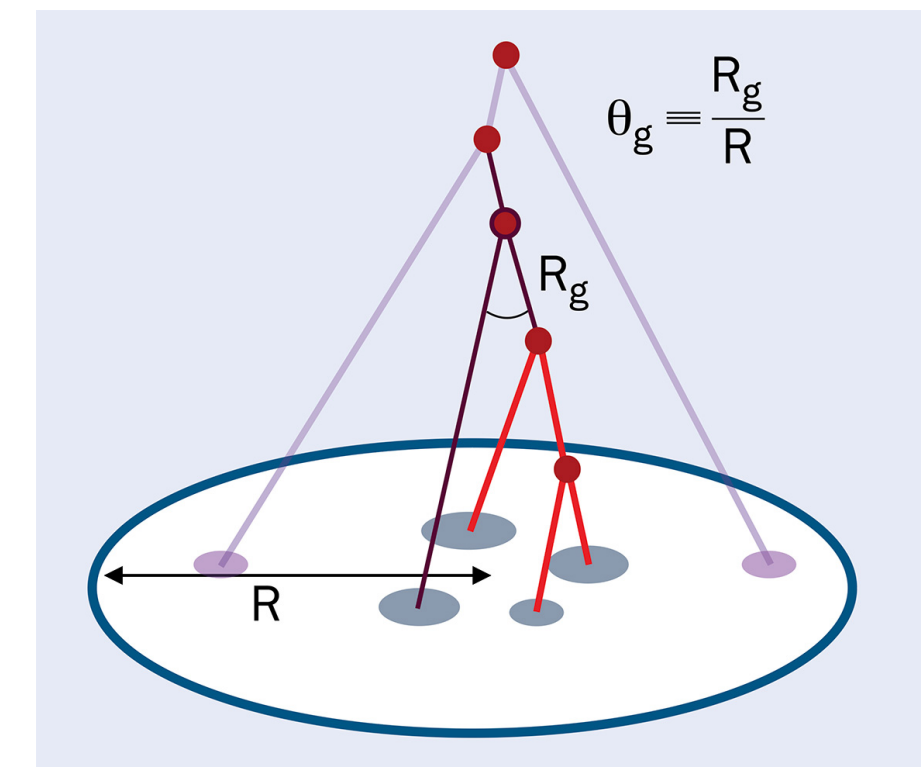


- The peak location of  $\Delta R_{\text{WTA-Standard}}$  shifts towards lower values at larger jet transverse momentum for both jet radii



Groomed Axis

Winner-Take-All Axis



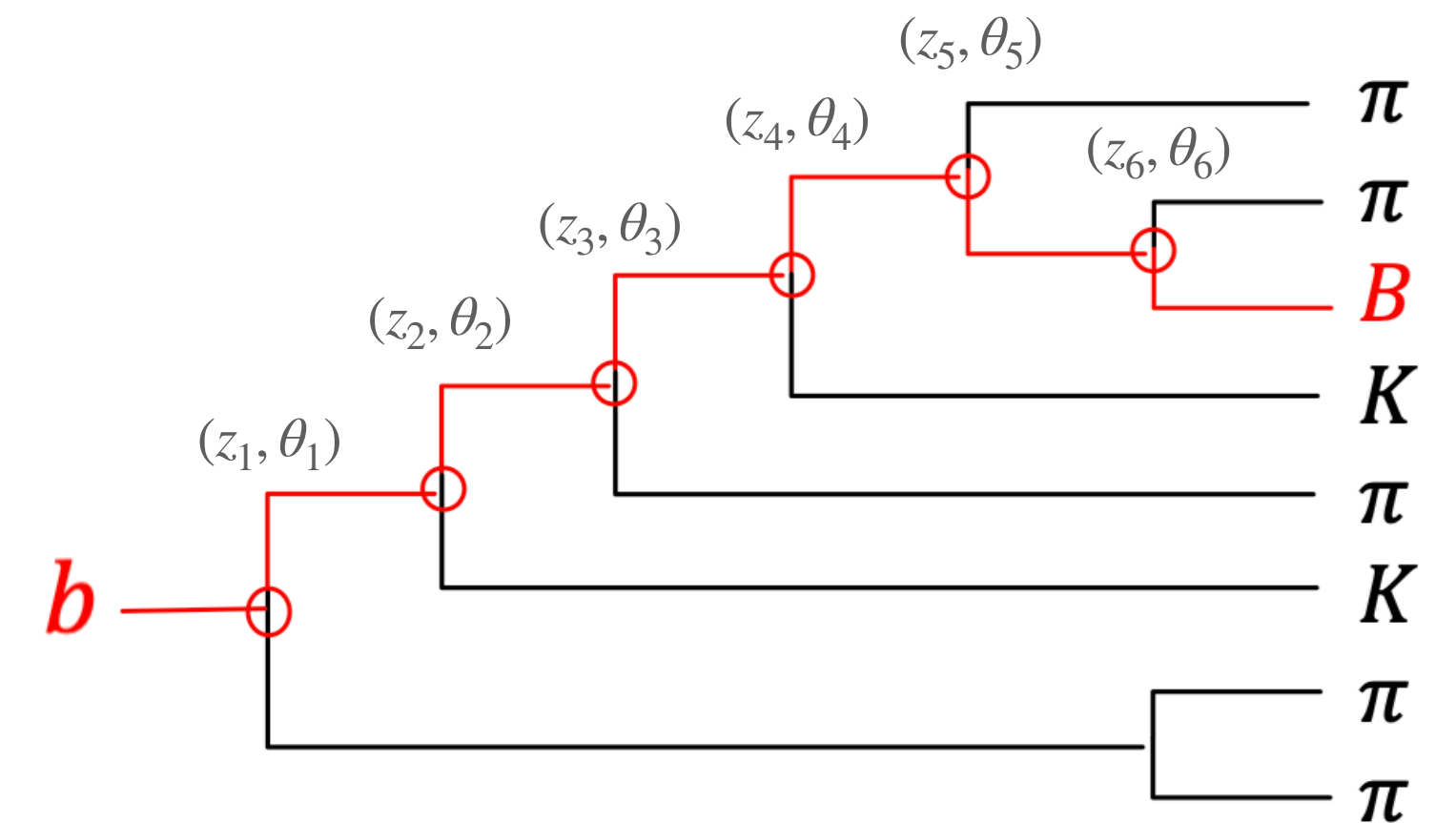
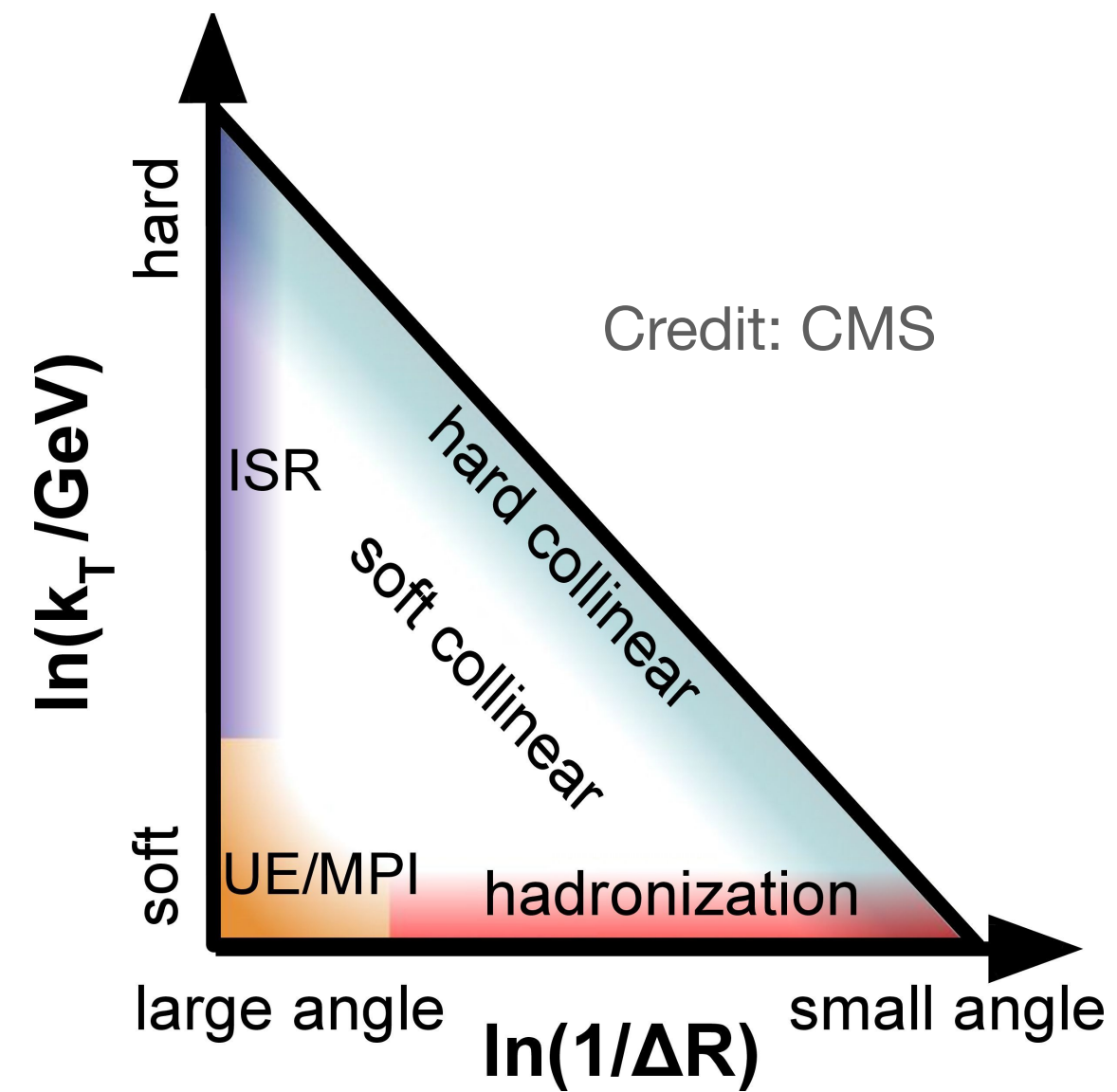
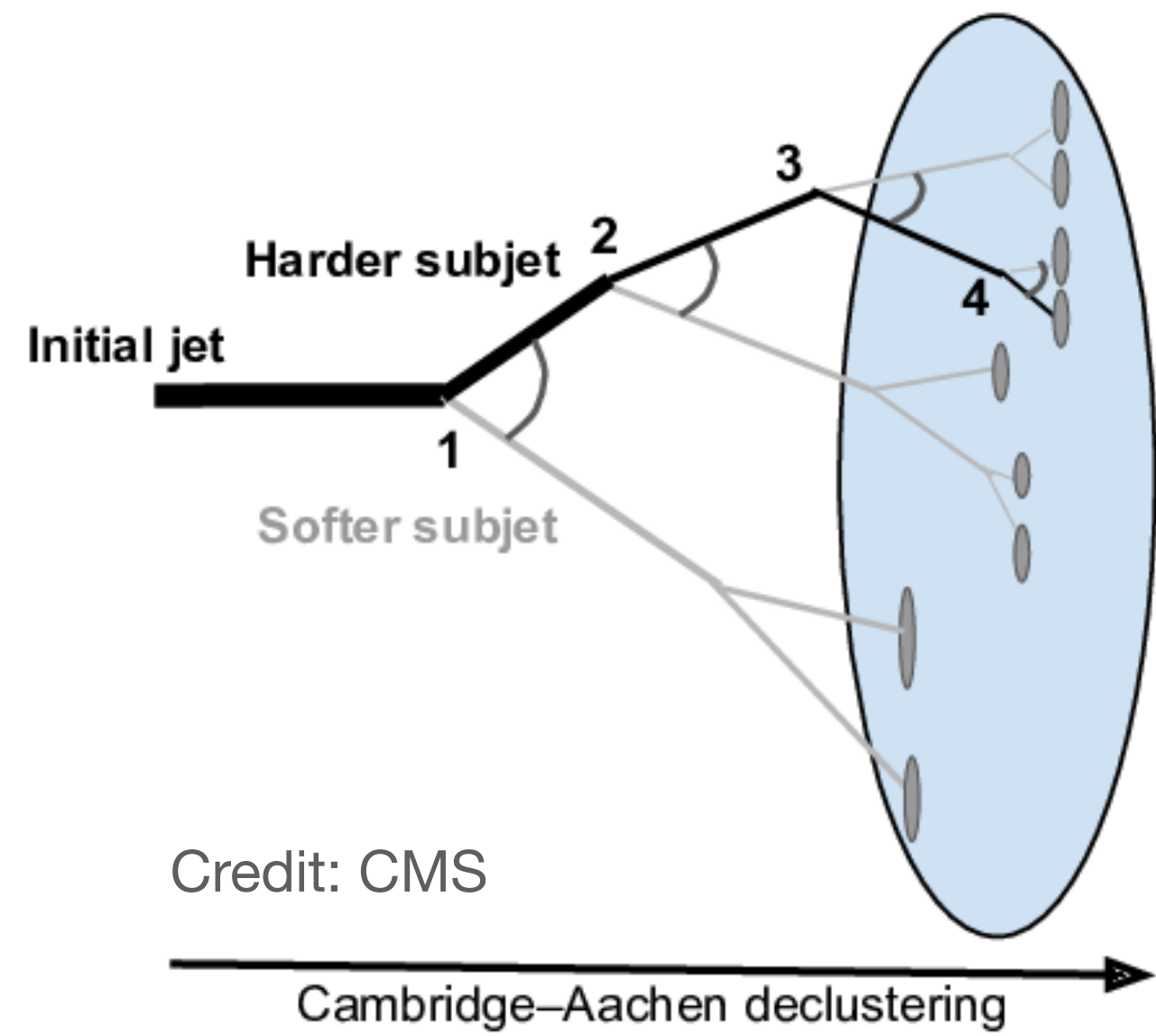
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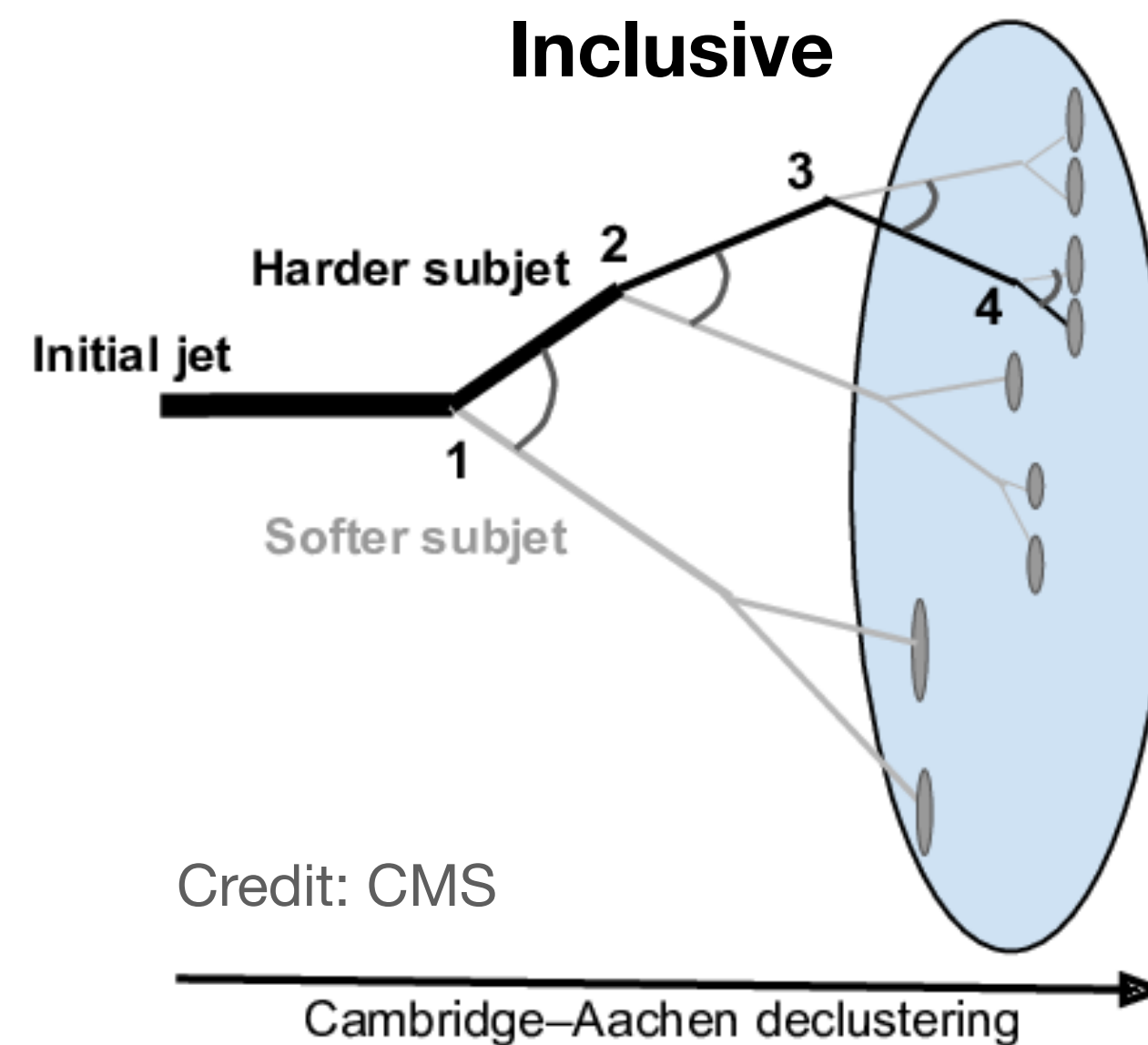
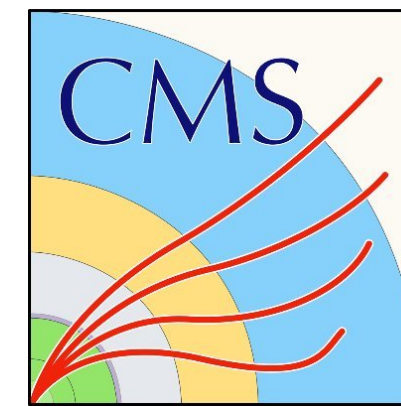
# Lund jet Plane



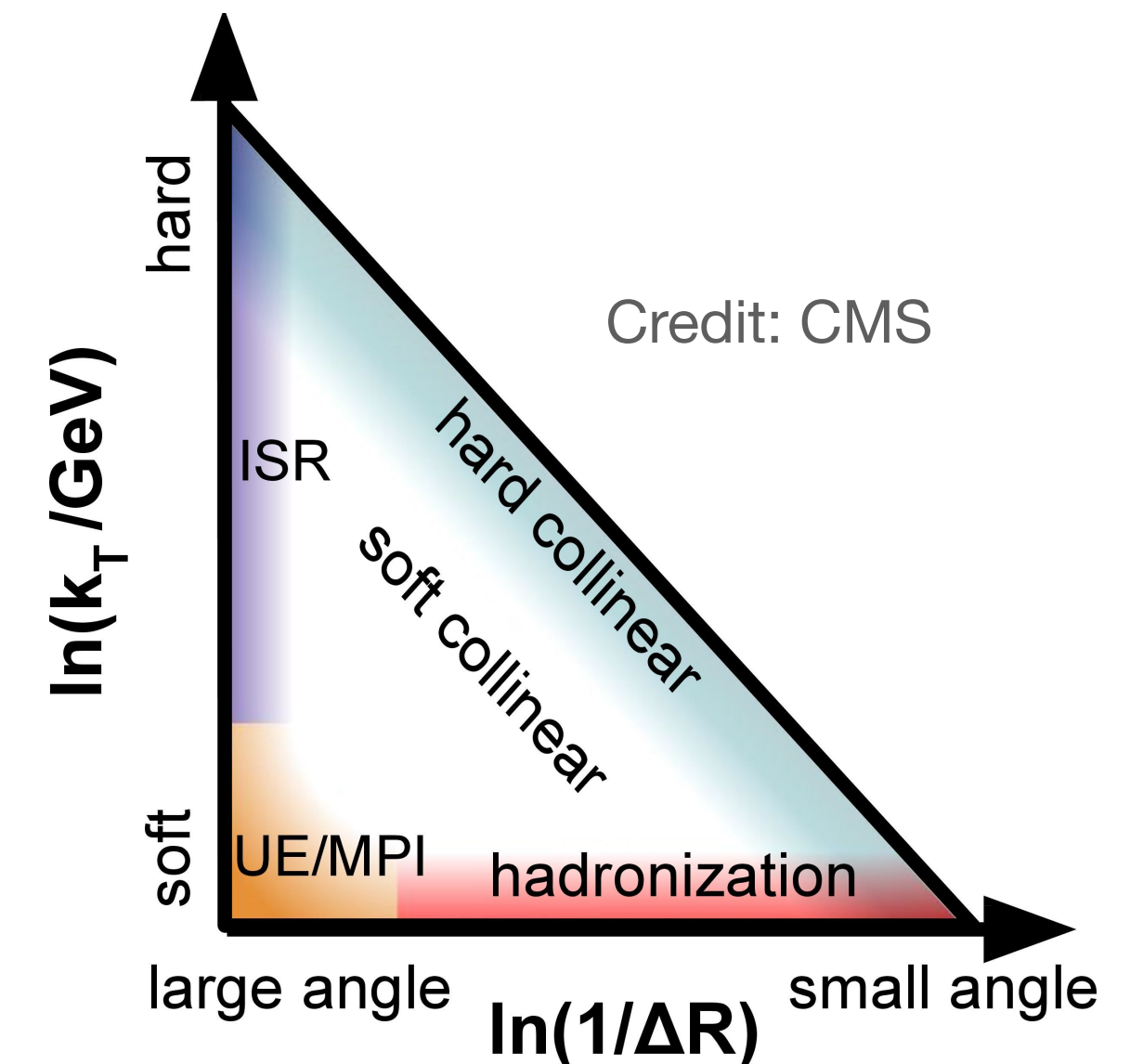
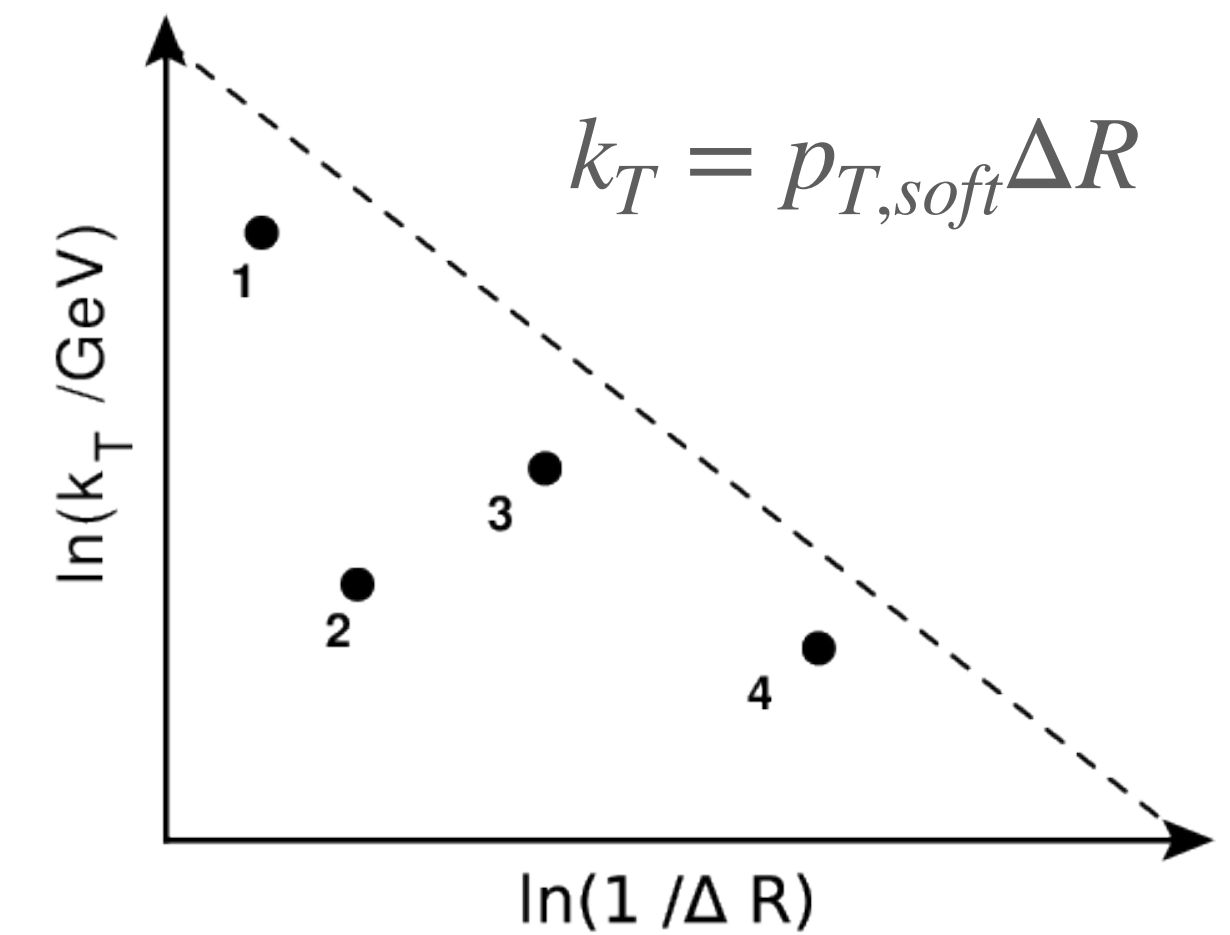
# Primary Lund jet plane

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- Follow the hardest branch in the C/A reclustered tree
- Populate the Lund plane with the properties of the emission



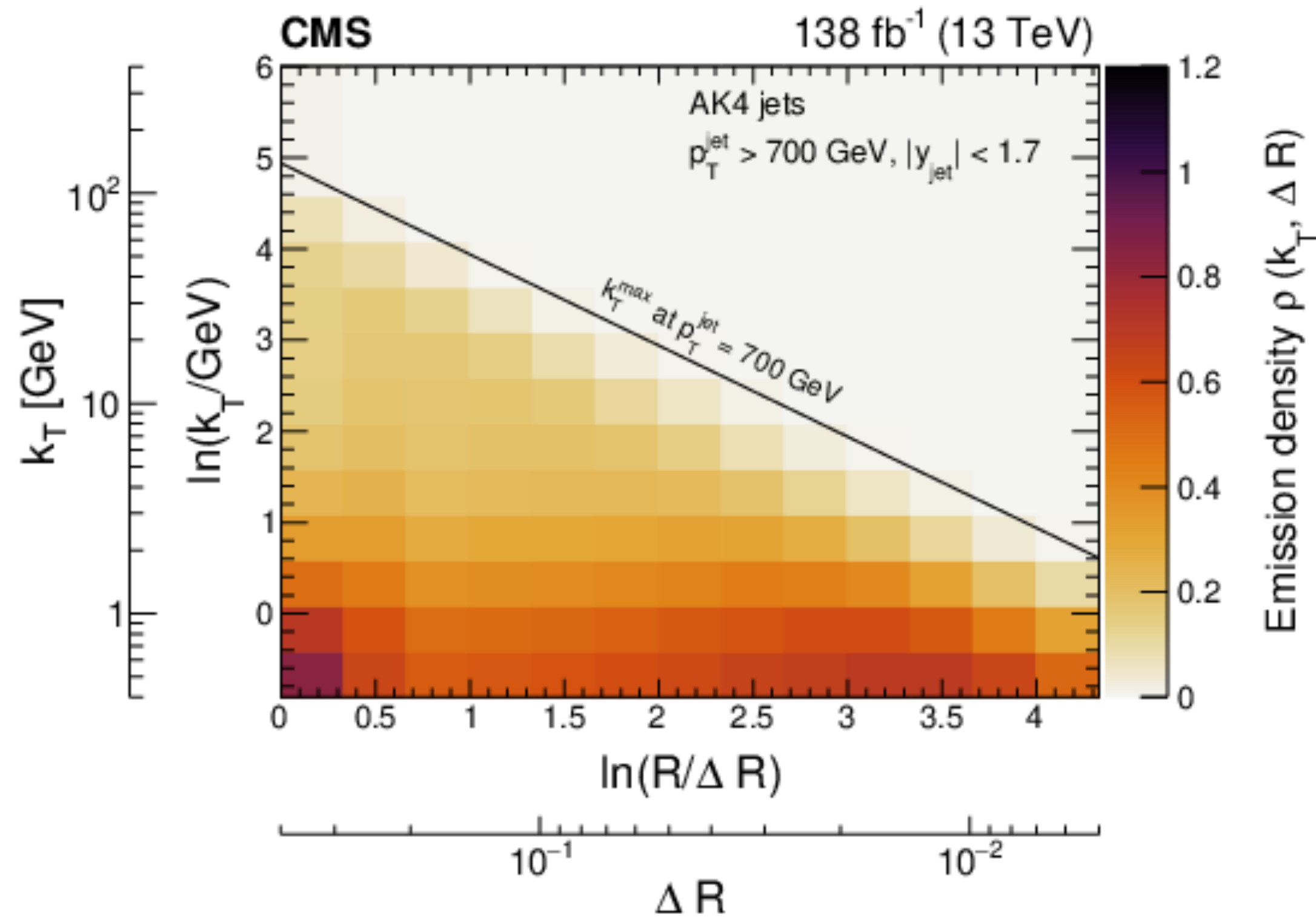
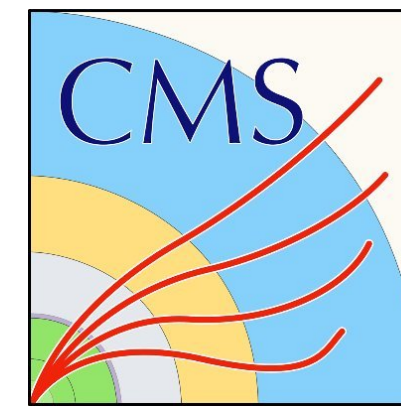
## Experimental Setup and Jet Reconstruction:

- $\sqrt{s} = 13 \text{ TeV}$  (Run 2)
- Full jet reconstruction, track reclustering
- Anti-kt jets with  $R = 0.4$  or  $0.8$
- $|y_{jet}| < 1.7$
- $p_T^{jet} > 700 \text{ GeV}$

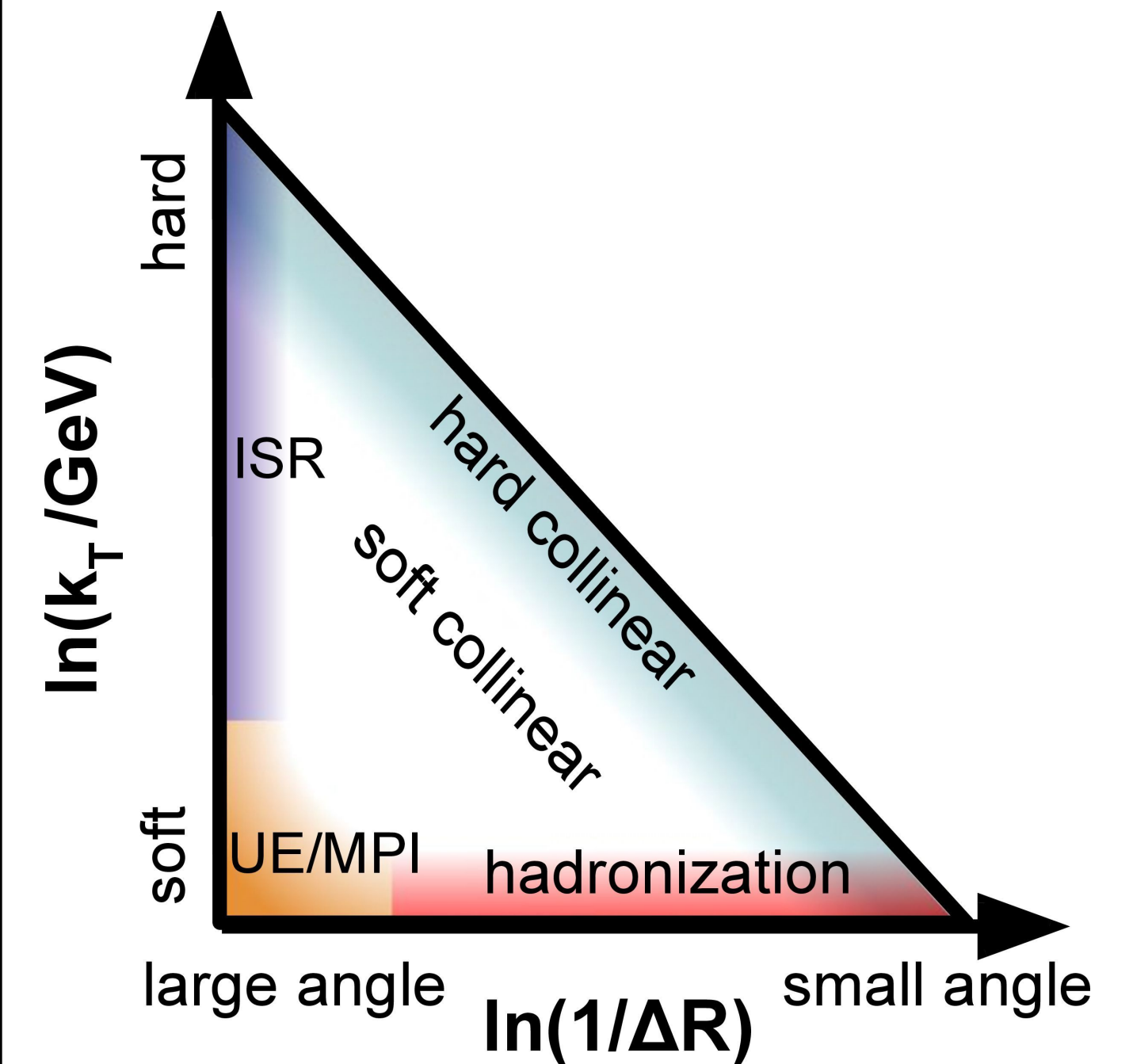
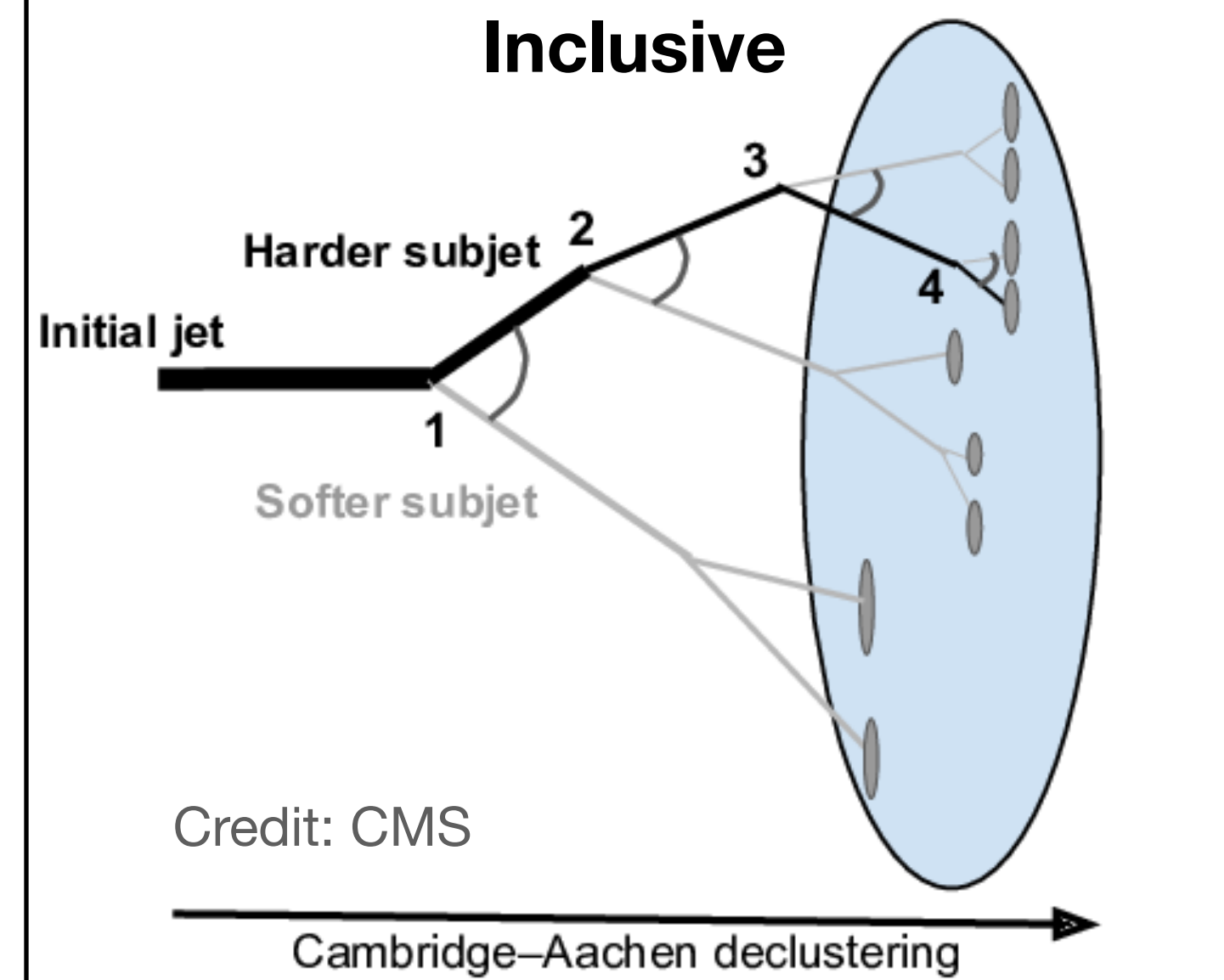
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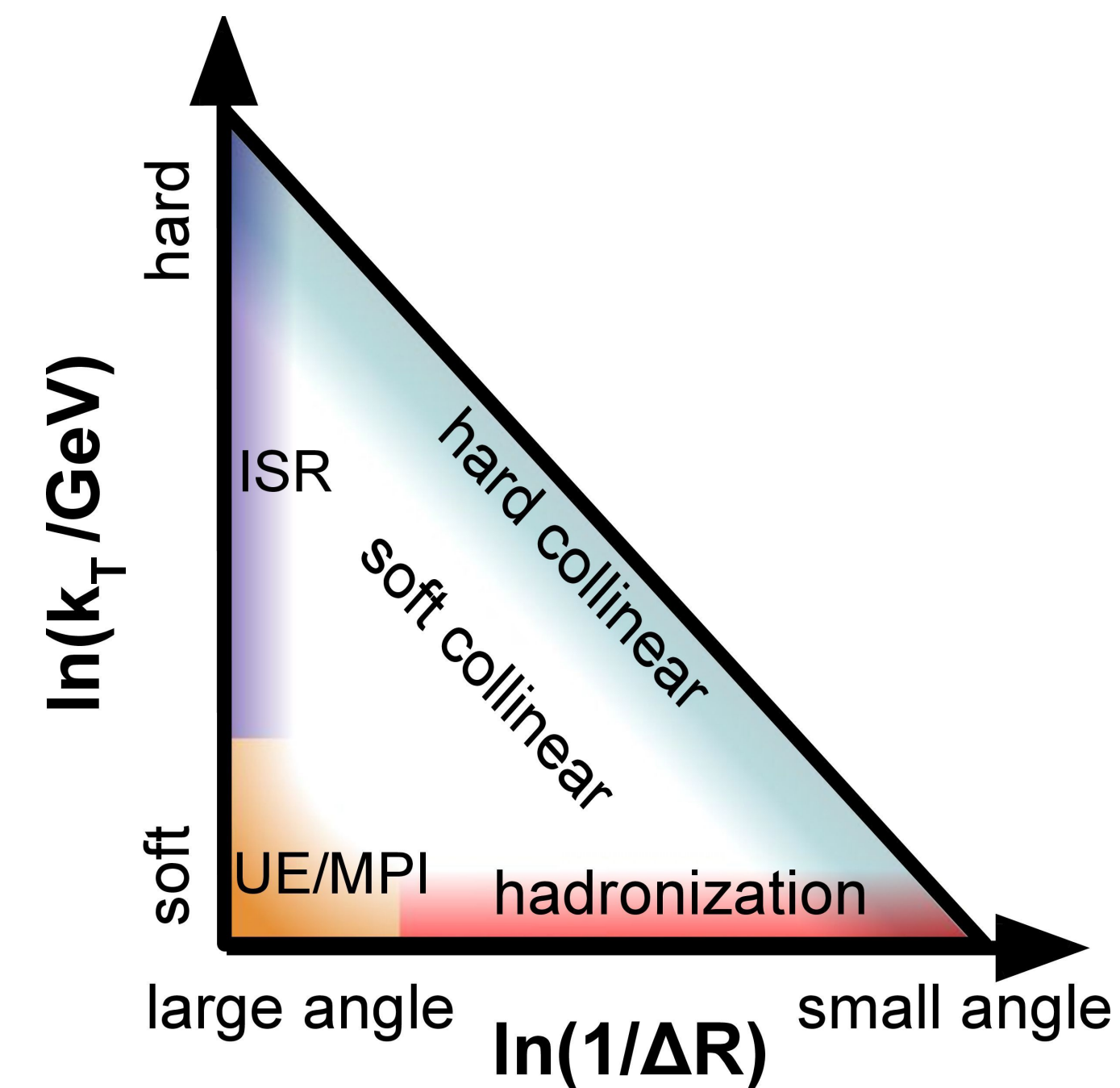
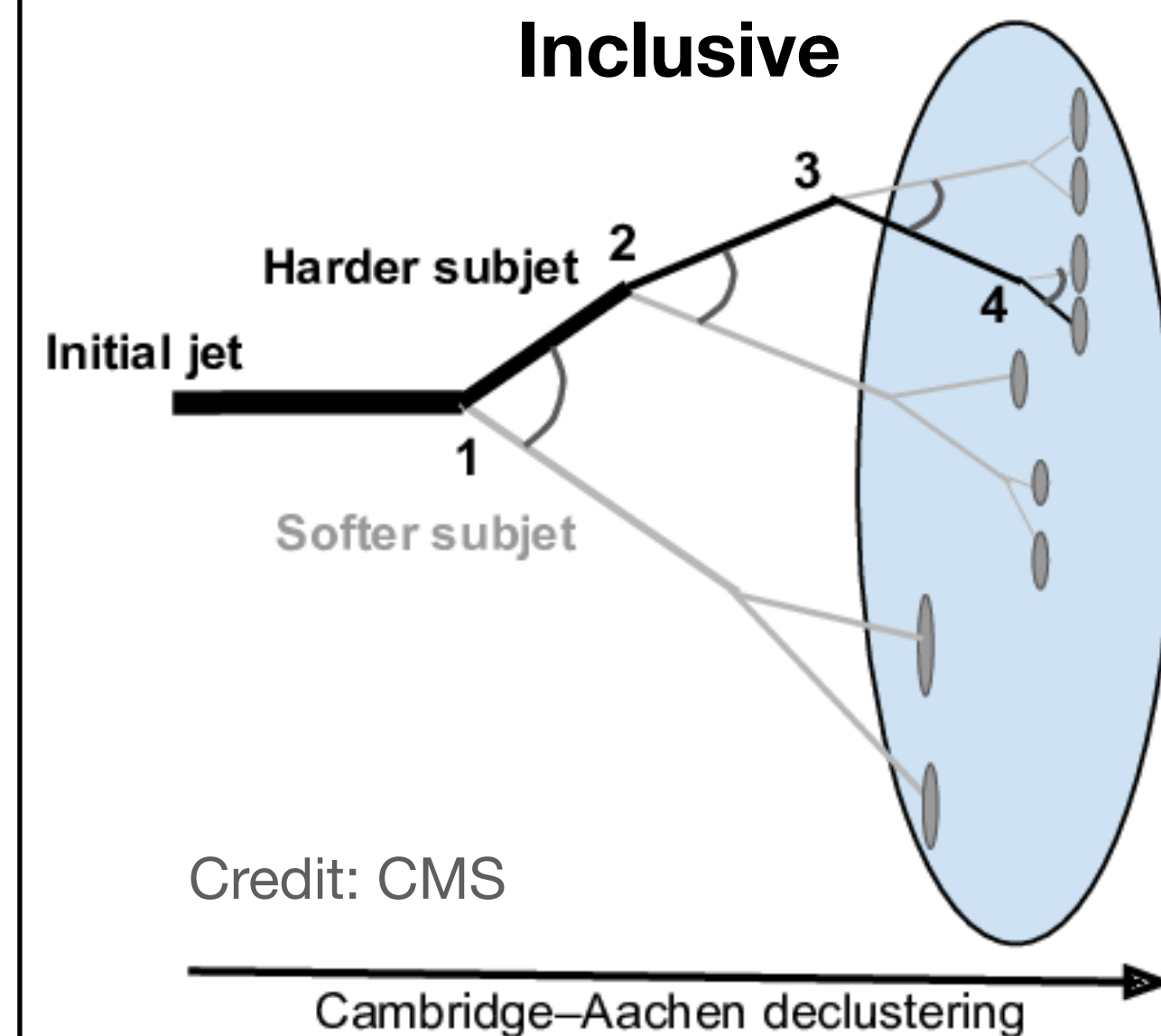
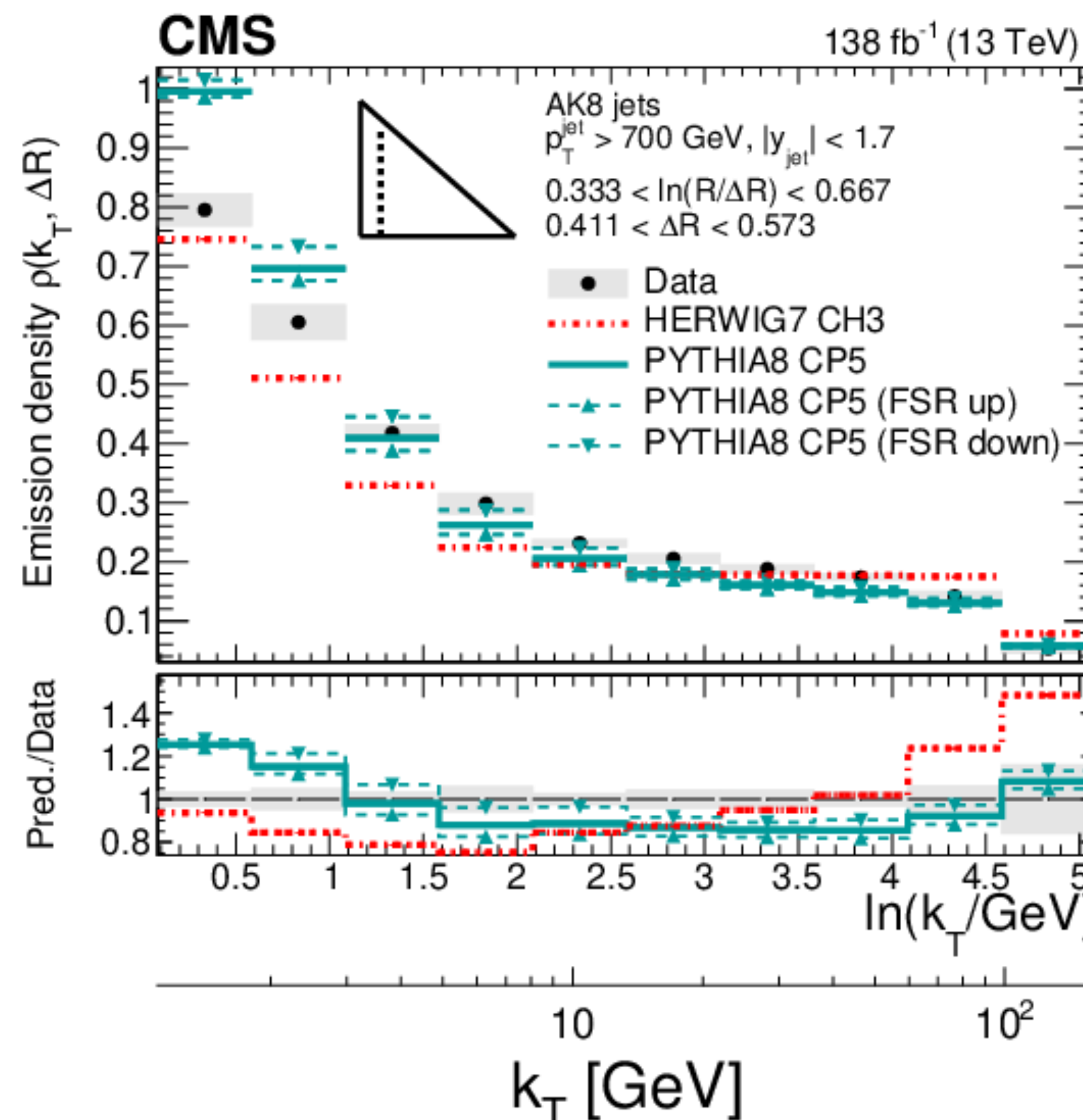
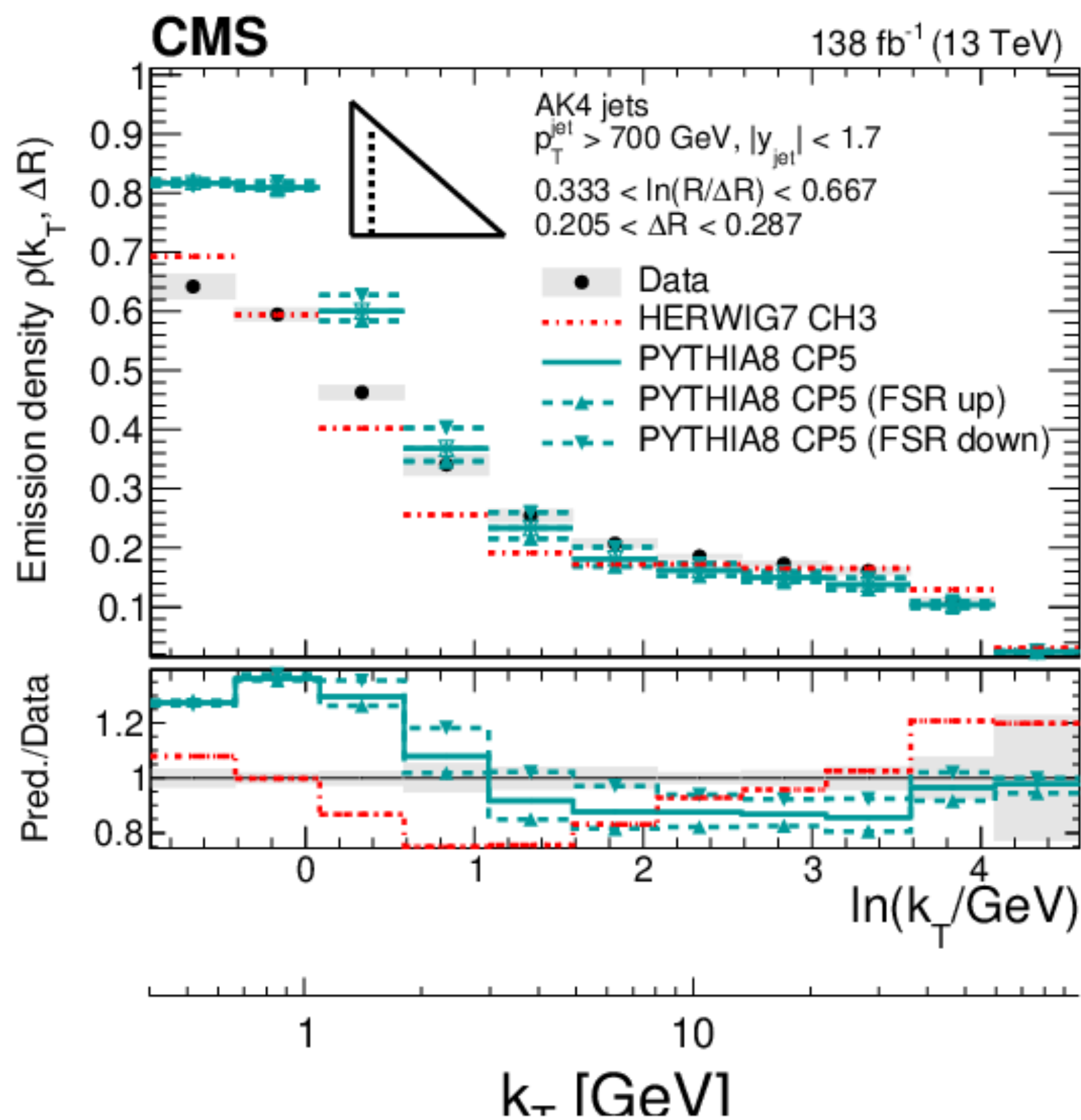
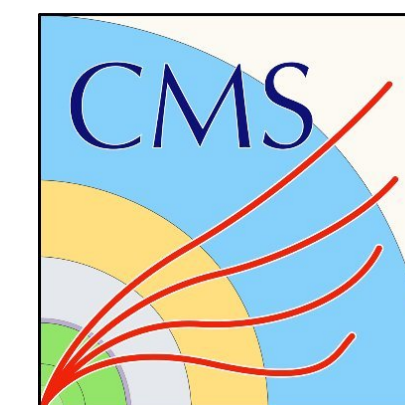




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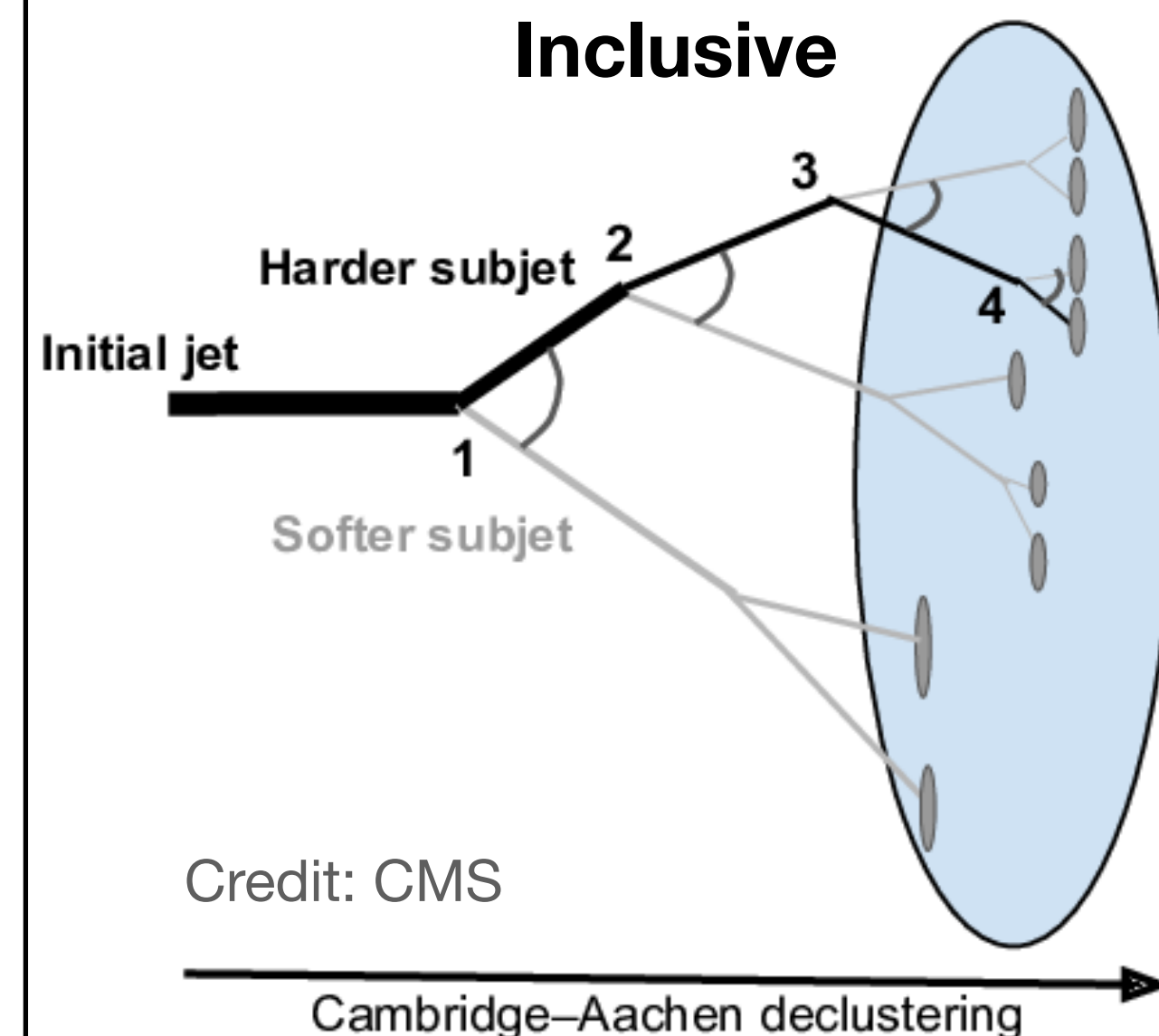
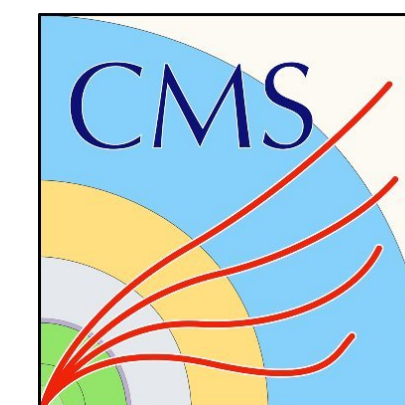


- Take slices of the LJP at fixed  $\Delta R$  to see the running of  $\alpha_S(k_T)$
- Event generators can be tuned from the primary LJP data

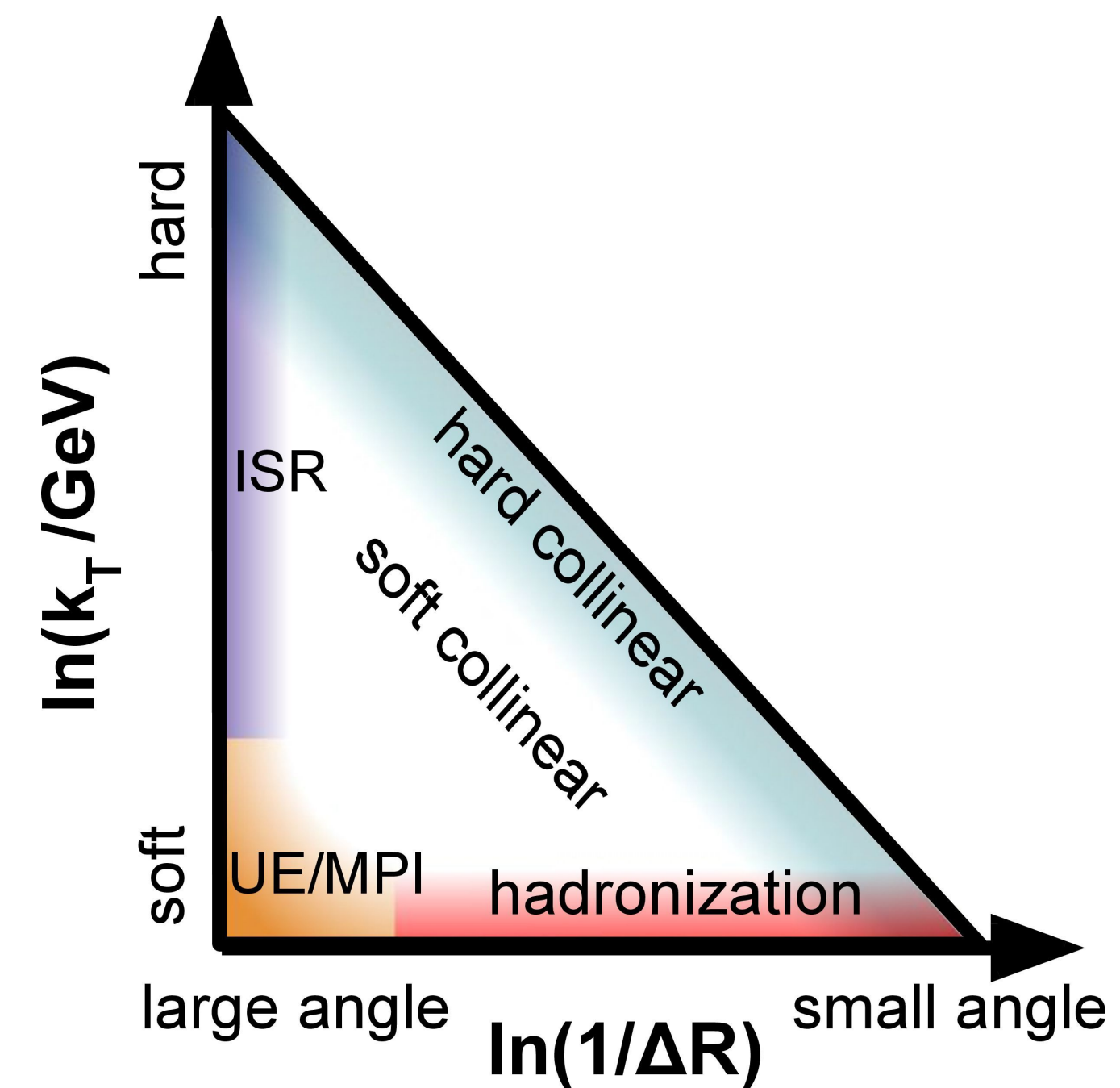
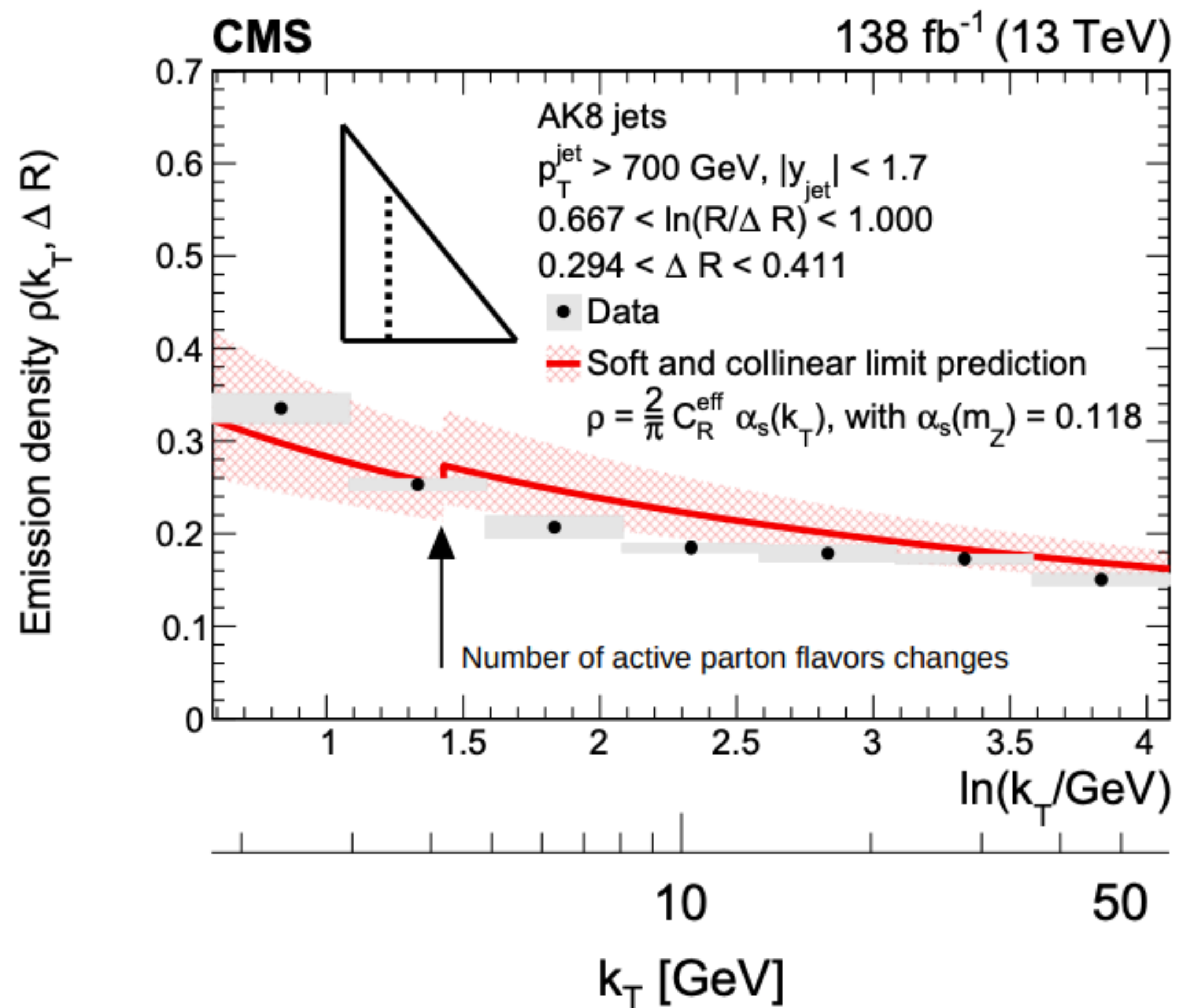
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- The soft and collinear limit is directly proportional to  $\alpha_S(k_T)$  through  $\rho = \frac{2}{\pi} C_R^{eff} \alpha_S(k_T)$
- Qualitative agreement between the data and the soft-collinear prediction





# Primary Lund jet plane

ALICE, CMS, and ATLAS. LHCb is on the way!

ALICE

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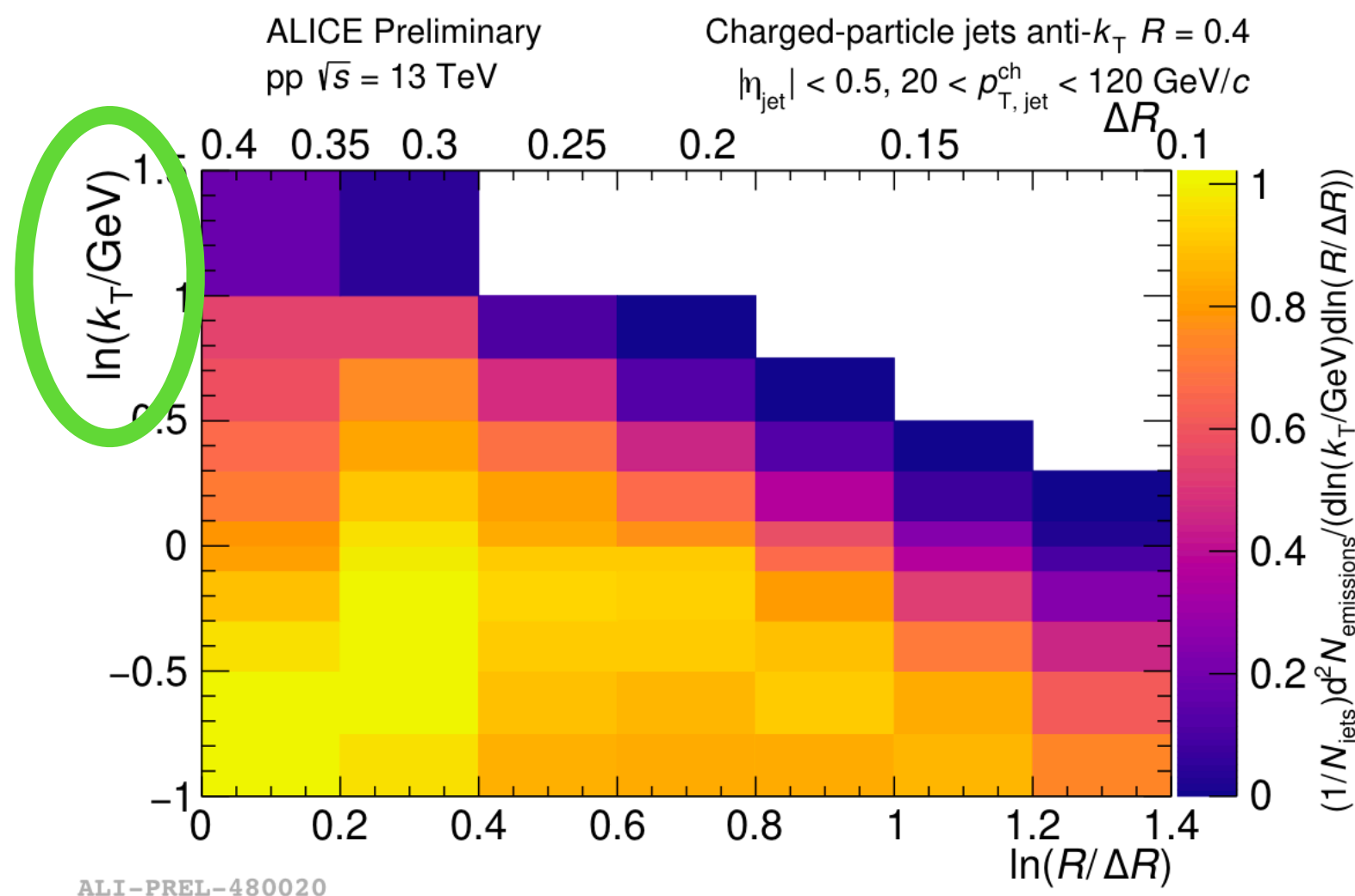
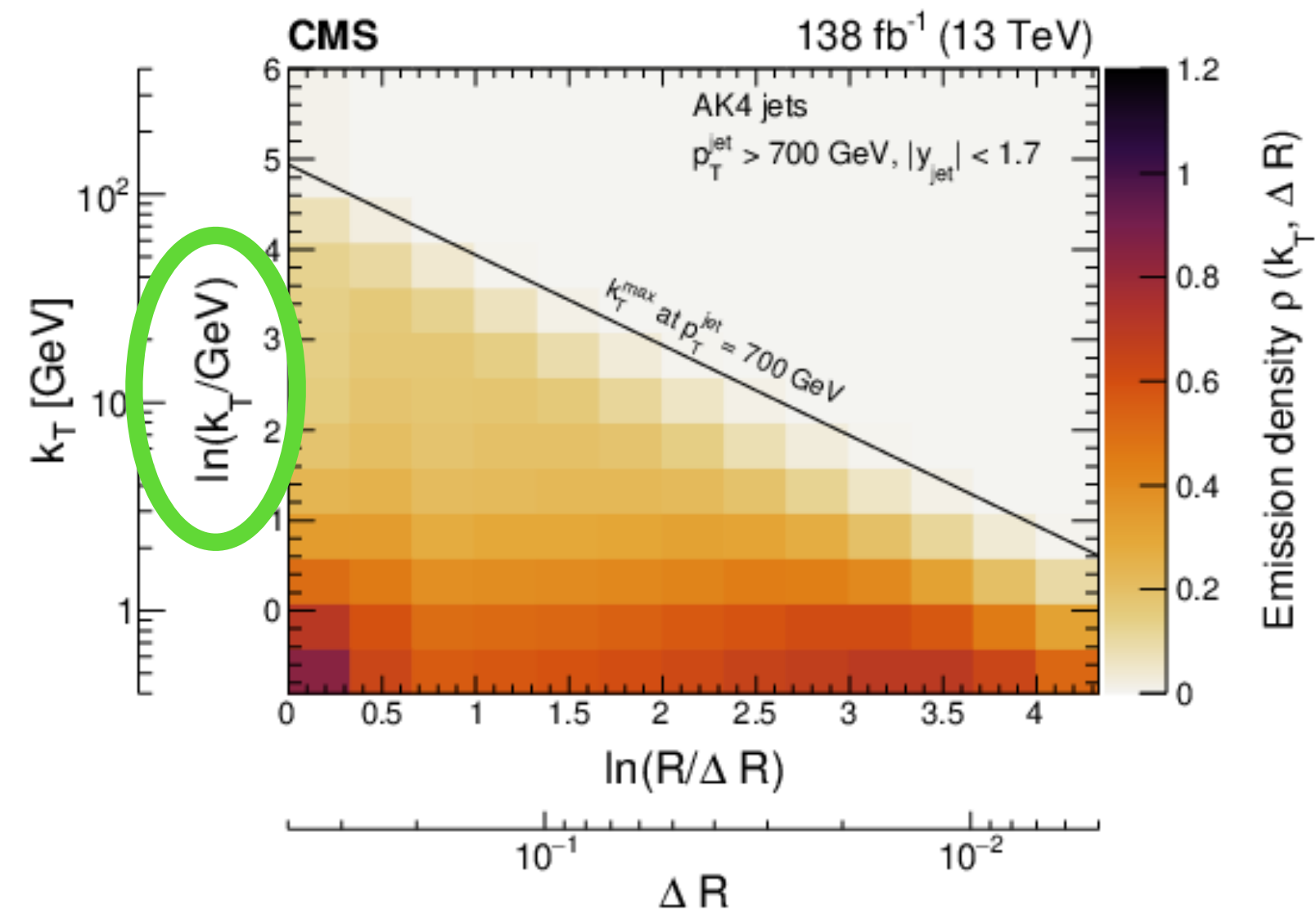


Figure 3: Fully corrected primary Lund plane density.

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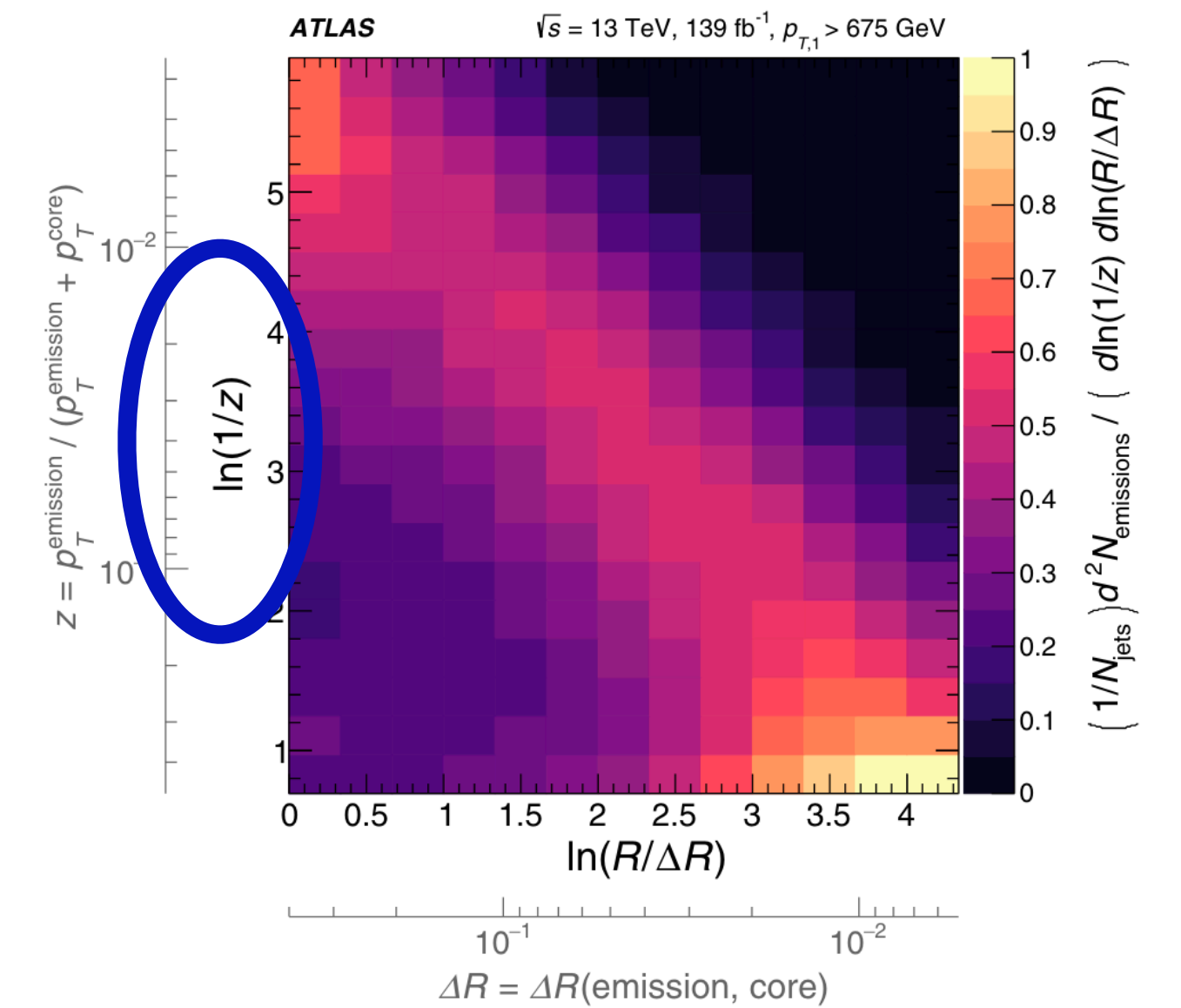
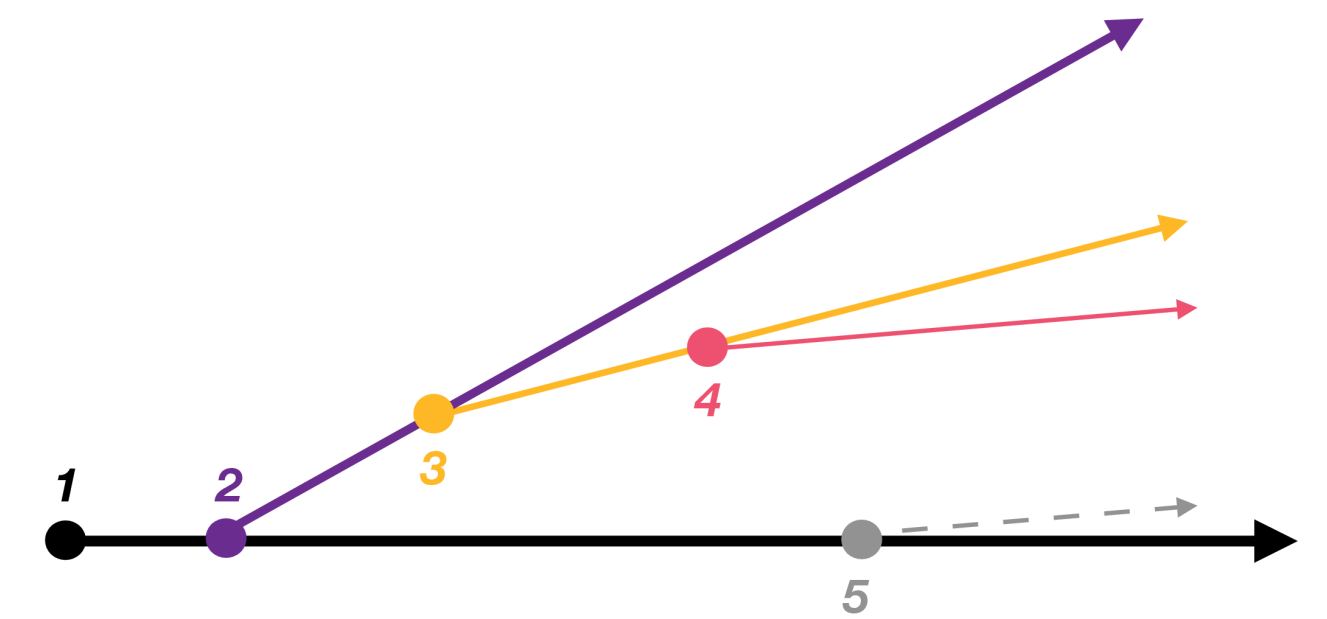


FIG. 2. The LJP measured using jets in 13 TeV  $pp$  collision data, corrected to particle level. The inner set of axes indicates the coordinates of the LJP itself, while the outer set indicates corresponding values of  $z$  and  $\Delta R$ .



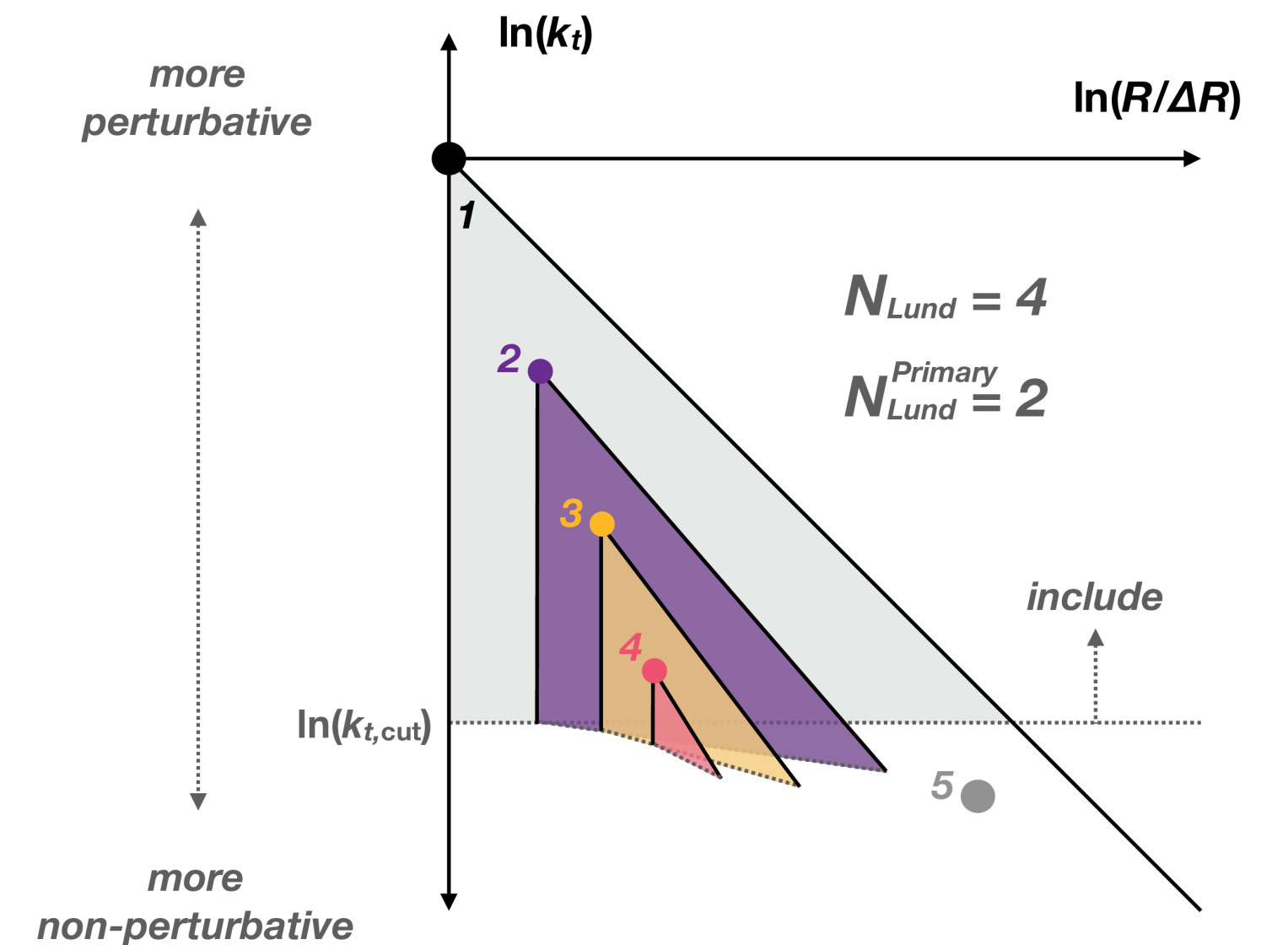
# Lund subjet multiplicity

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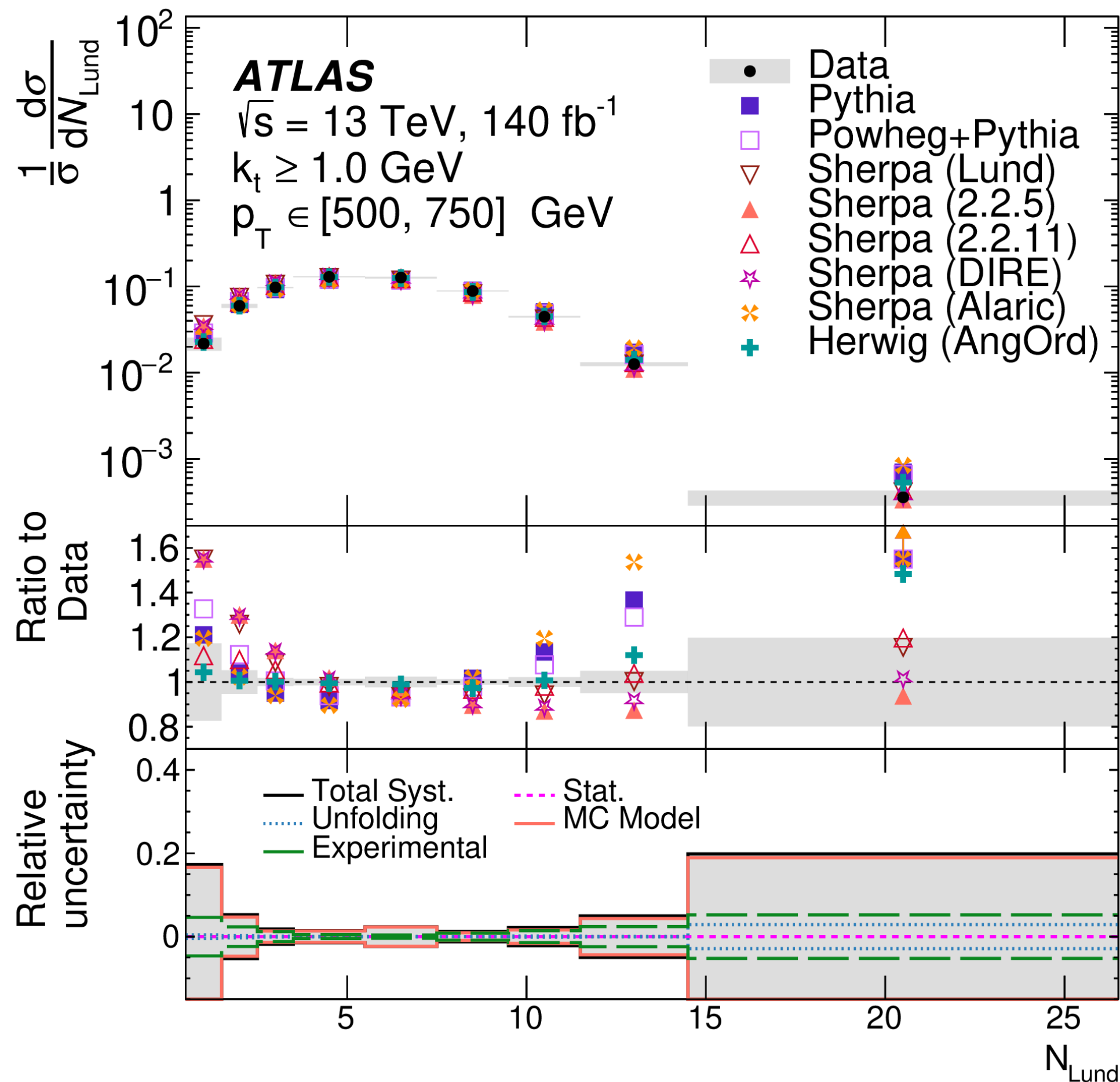
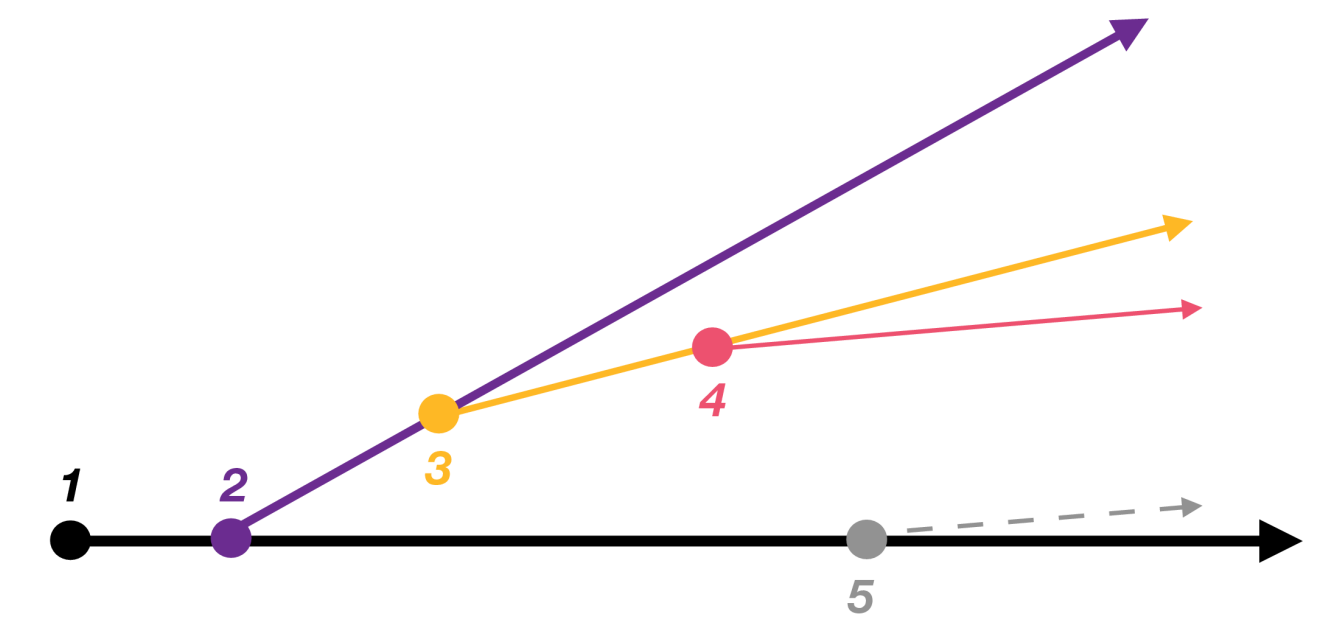
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- Full jet reconstruction, tracks reclustering
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- $p_T^{jet} > 120 \text{ GeV}$



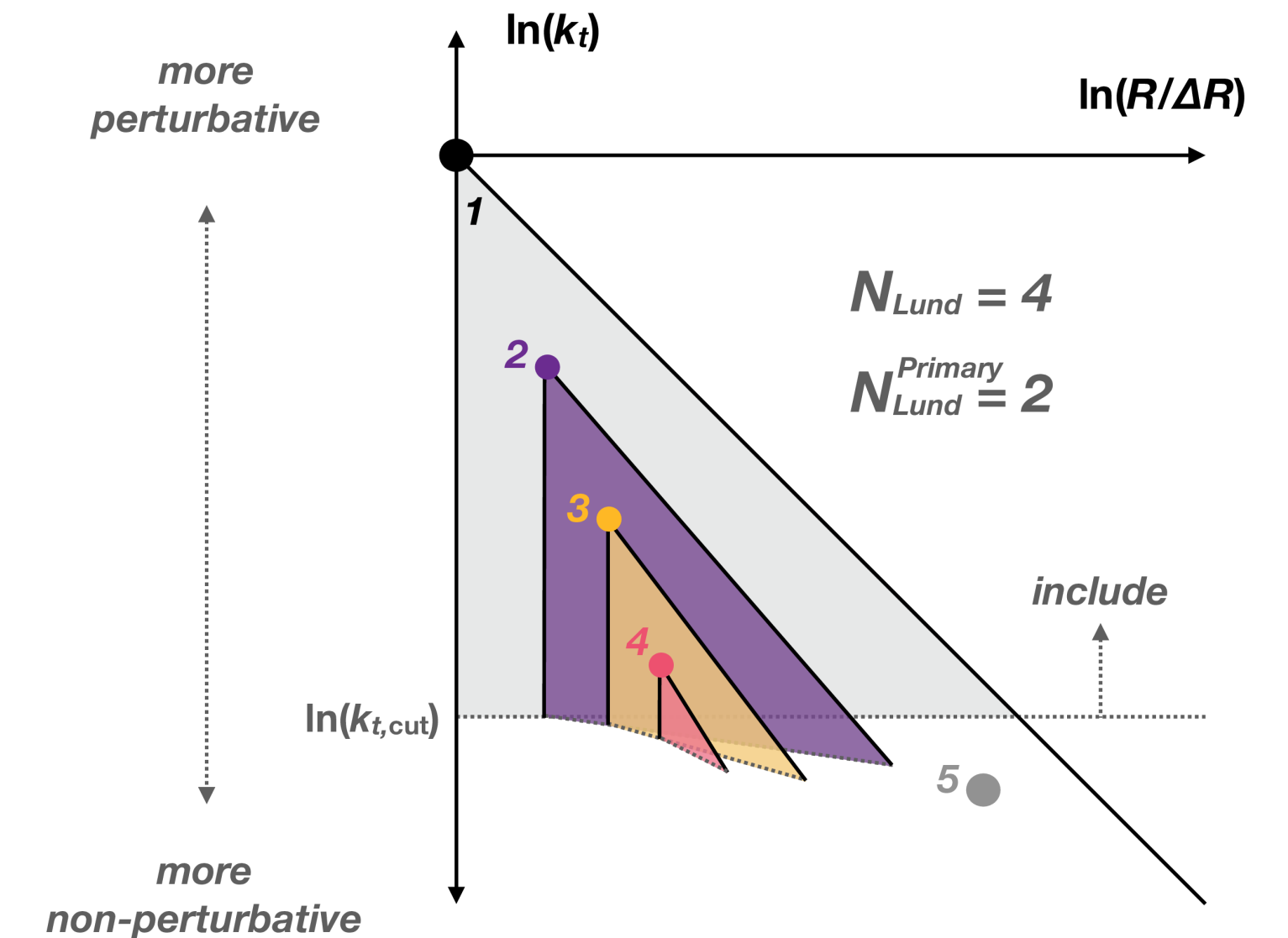
- The number of emissions in successive Lund planes with  $k_t > k_{t,cut}$  is denoted by  $N_{Lund}$
- The number of emissions on the hardest branch is denoted by  $N_{Lund}^{Primary}$
- Constrains and tests Parton Shower Monte Carlo (PSMC) through double-soft splittings

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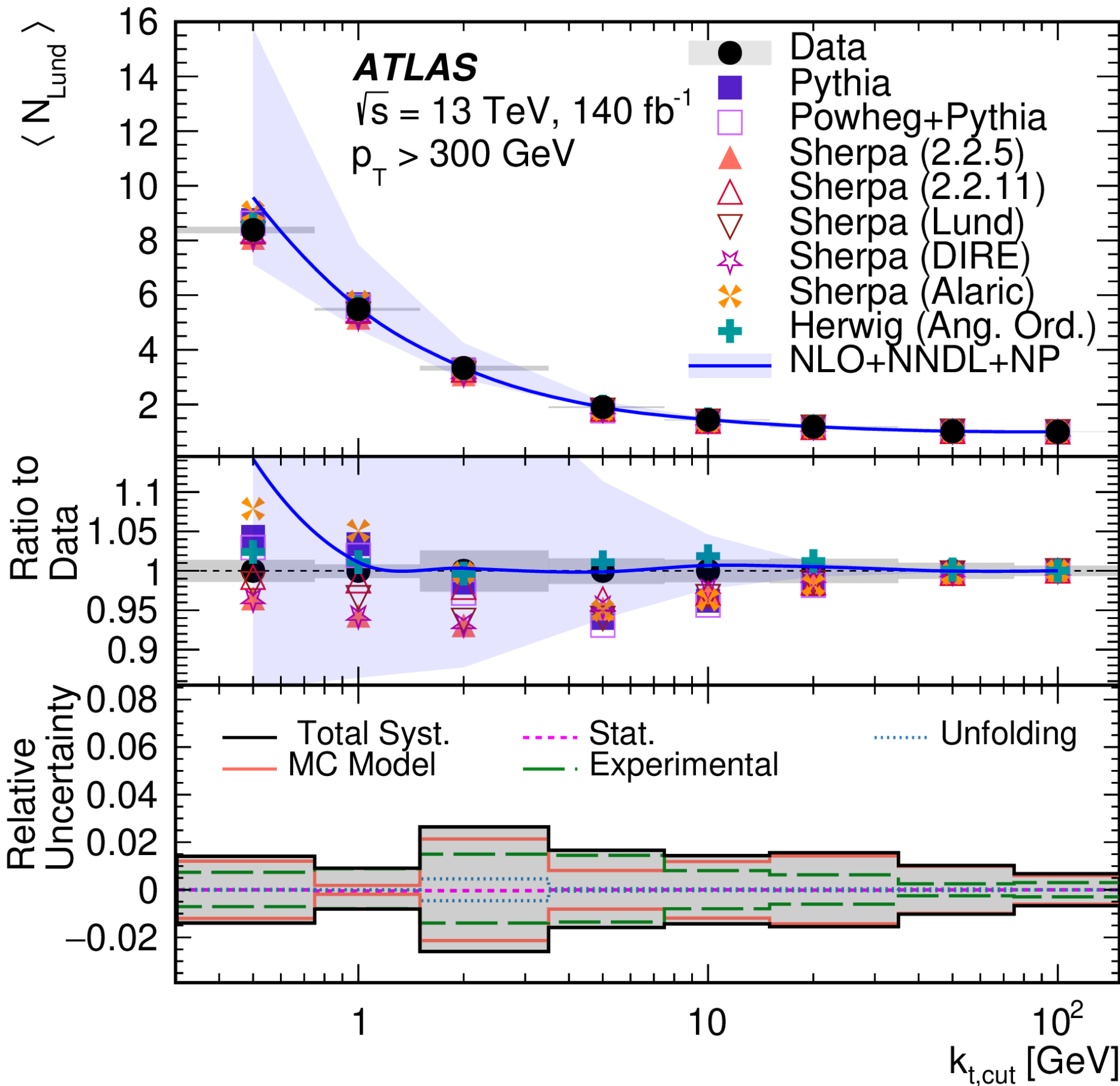
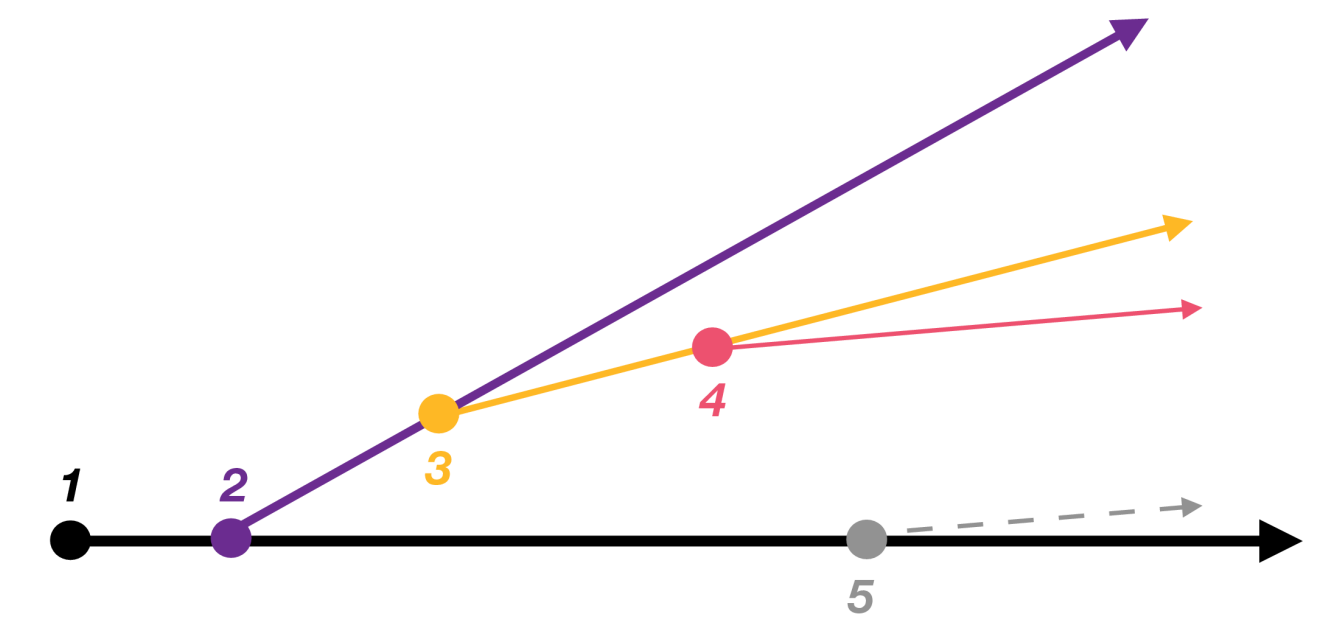
- Multiplicity distribution for  $k_{t,cut} > 1 \text{ GeV}$
- Large disagreement between data and MC at low and high multiplicities
- Herwig (AngOrd) performs best compared to the other models considered



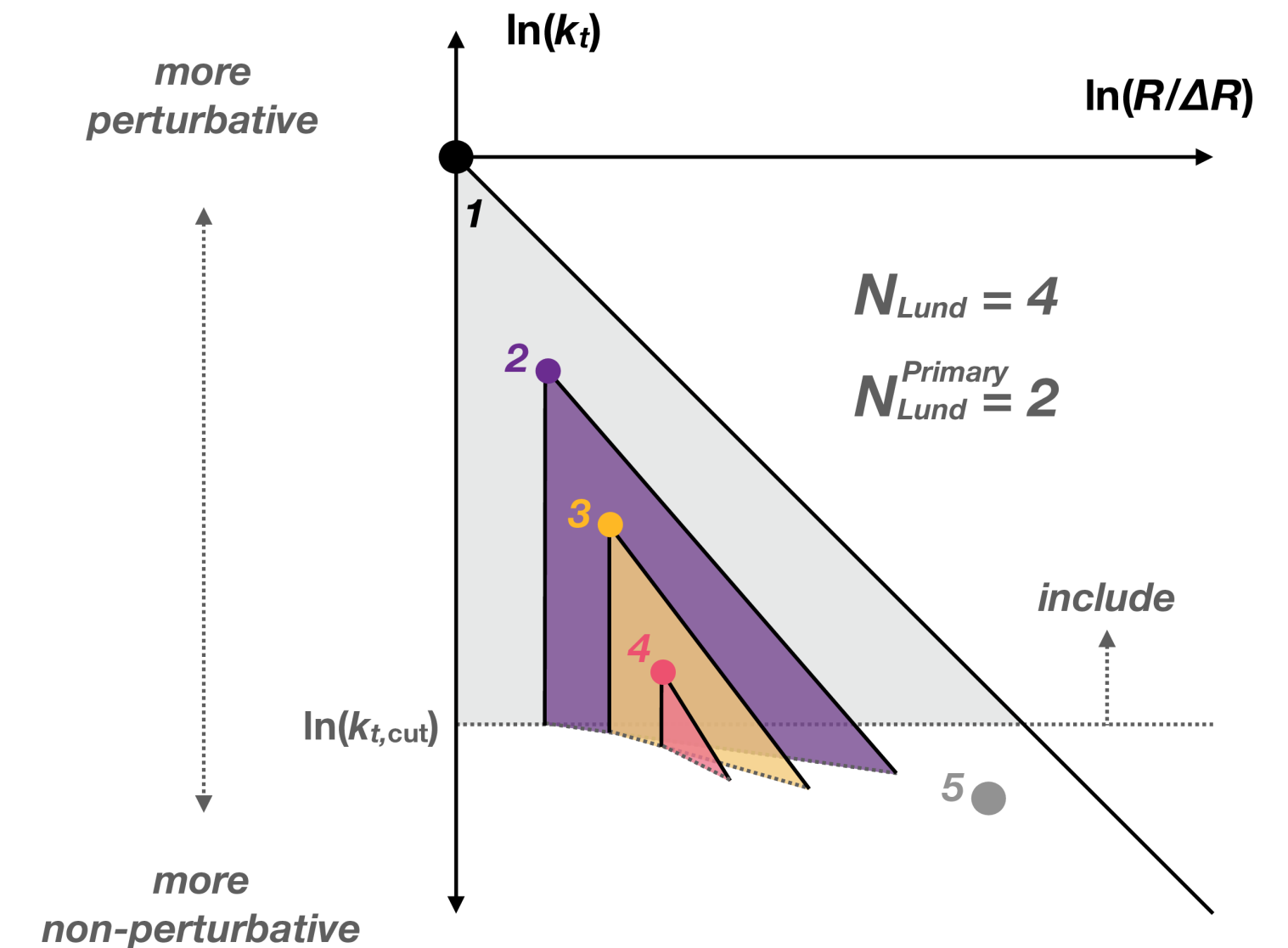
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# Lund subjet multiplicity

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- Average subjet multiplicity  $\langle N_{Lund} \rangle$  as a function of  $k_{t,cut}$
- Theoretical predictions at NLO matched to NNDL resummation in good agreement in the perturbative region ( $k_{t,cut} > 5 \text{ GeV}$ )
- Nonperturbative corrections to theoretical prediction derived from MC simulations

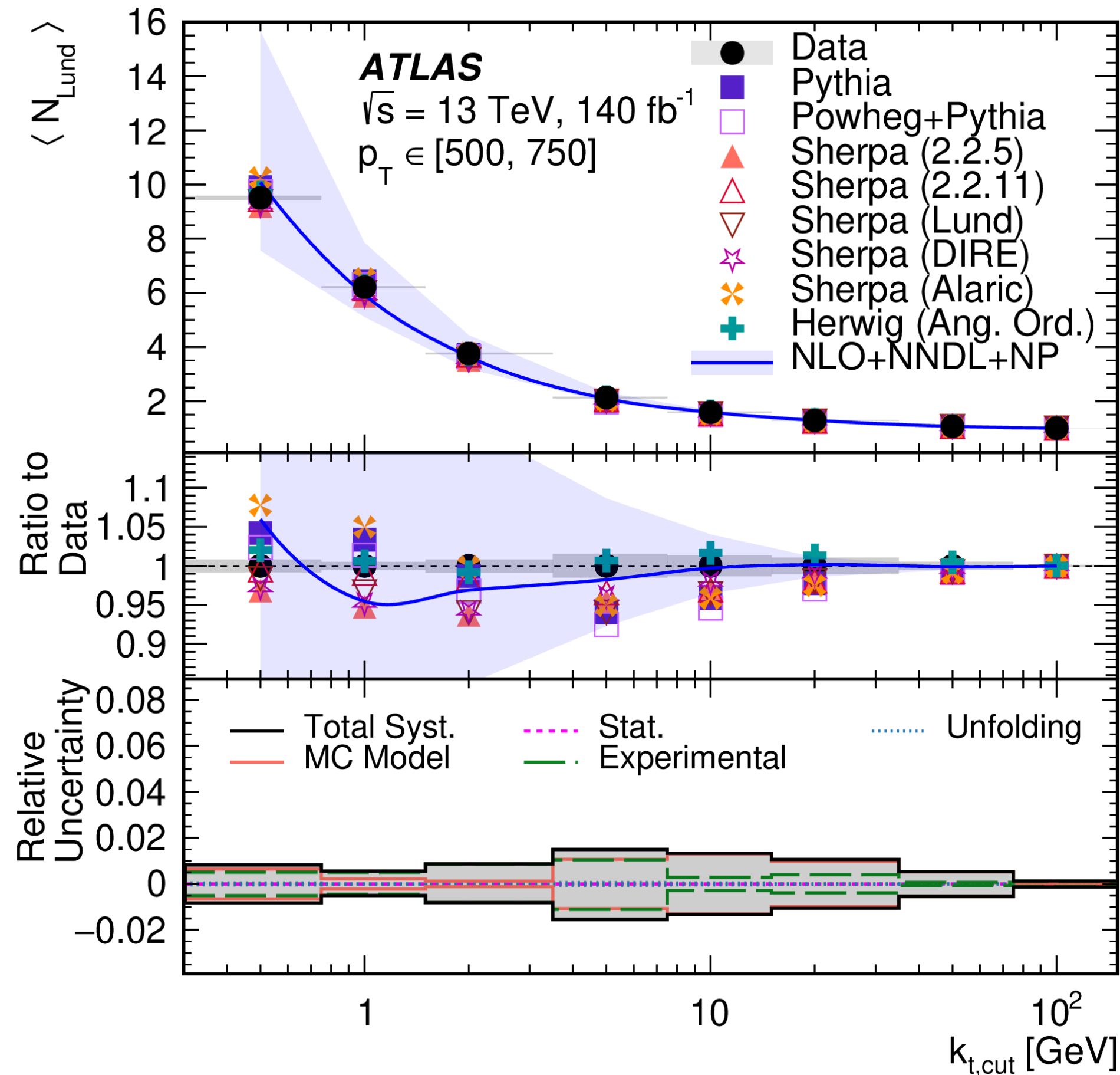


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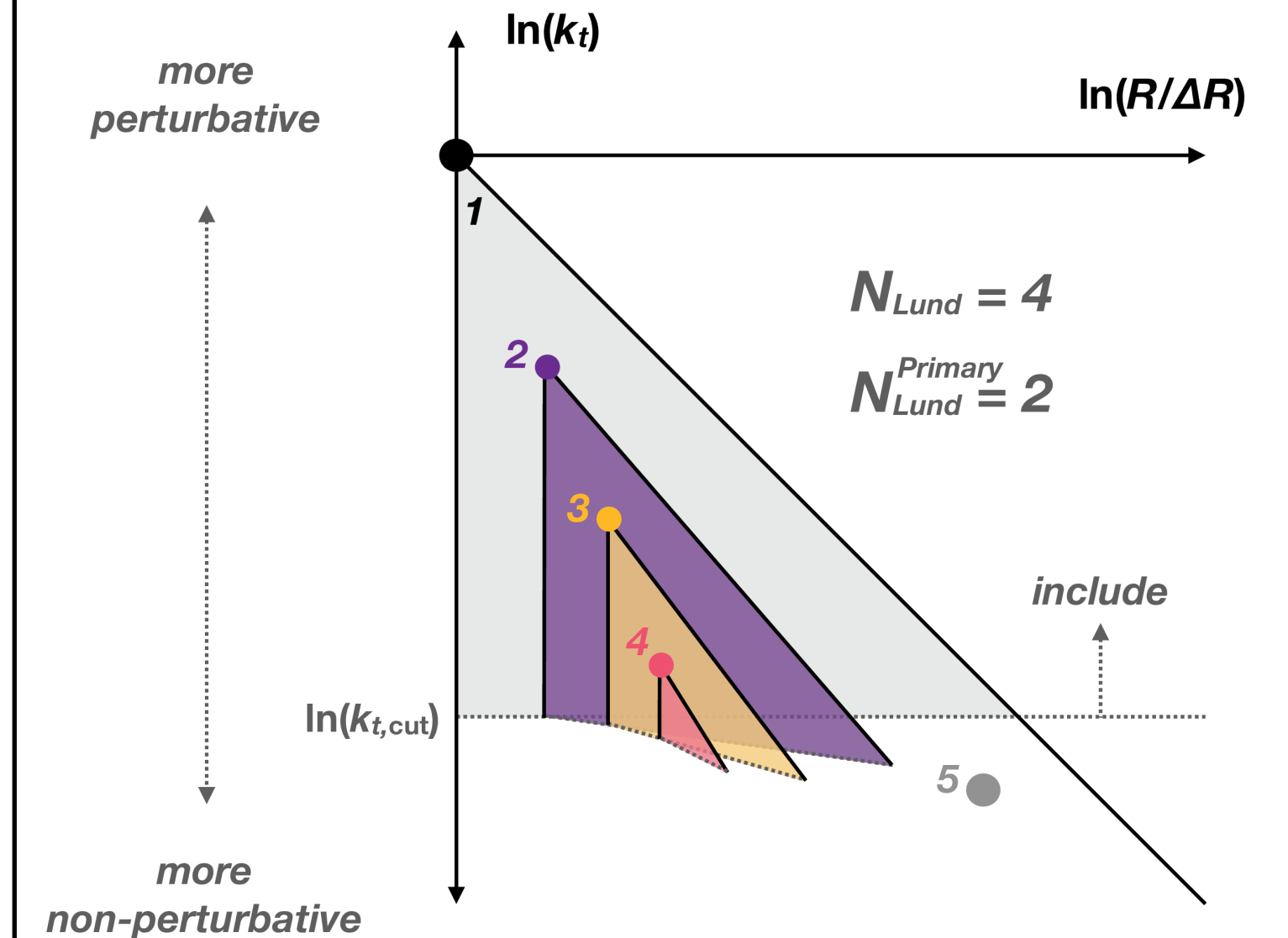
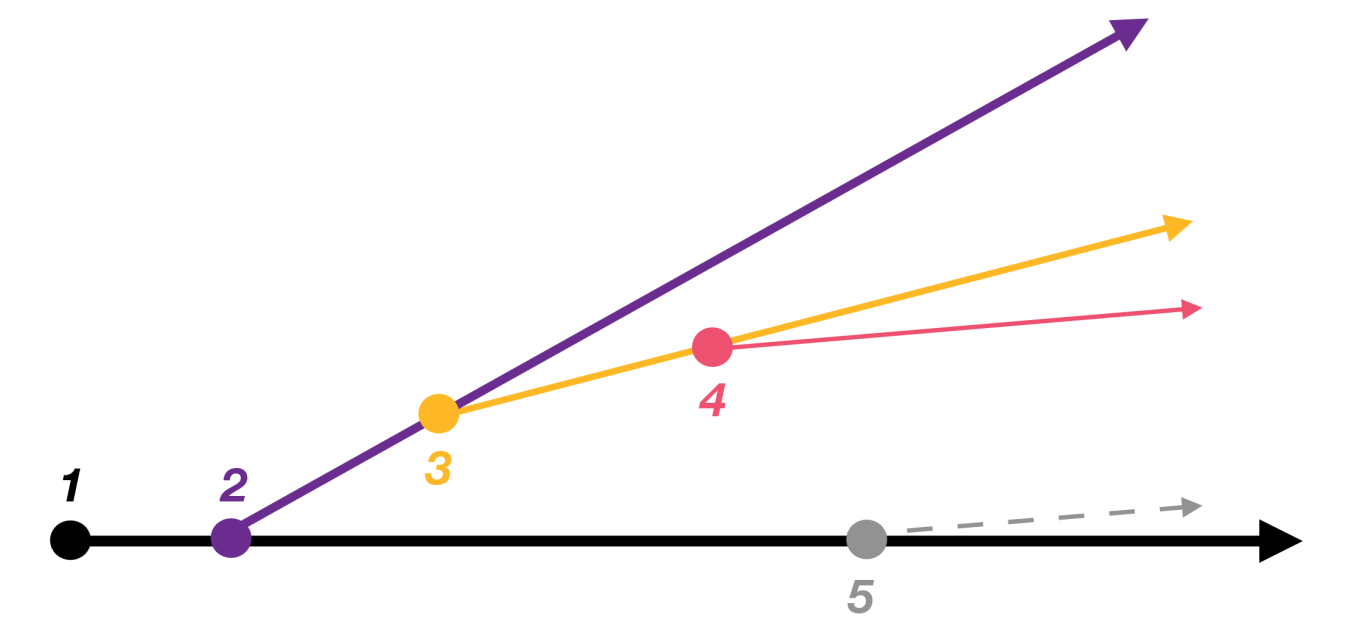


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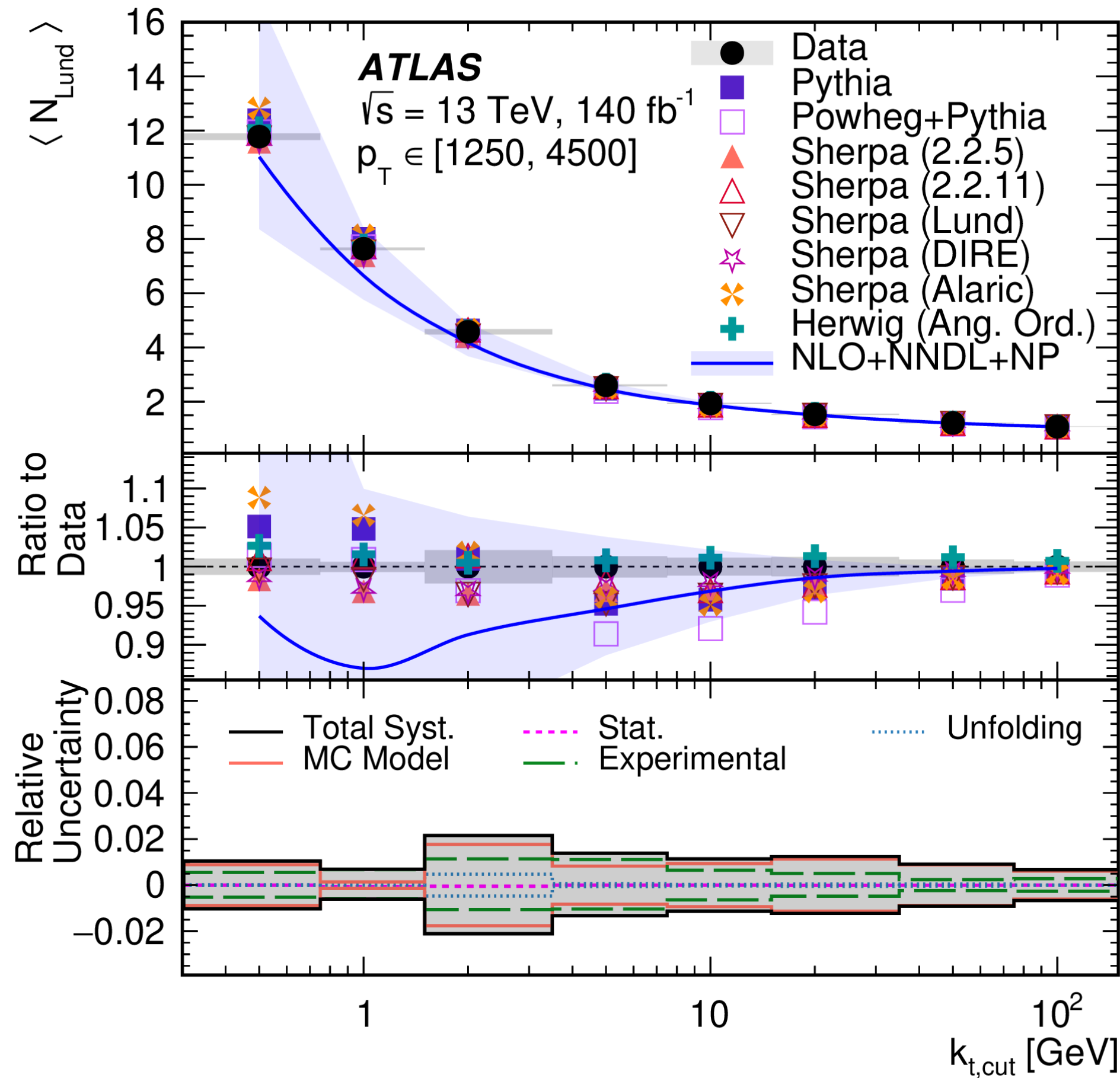
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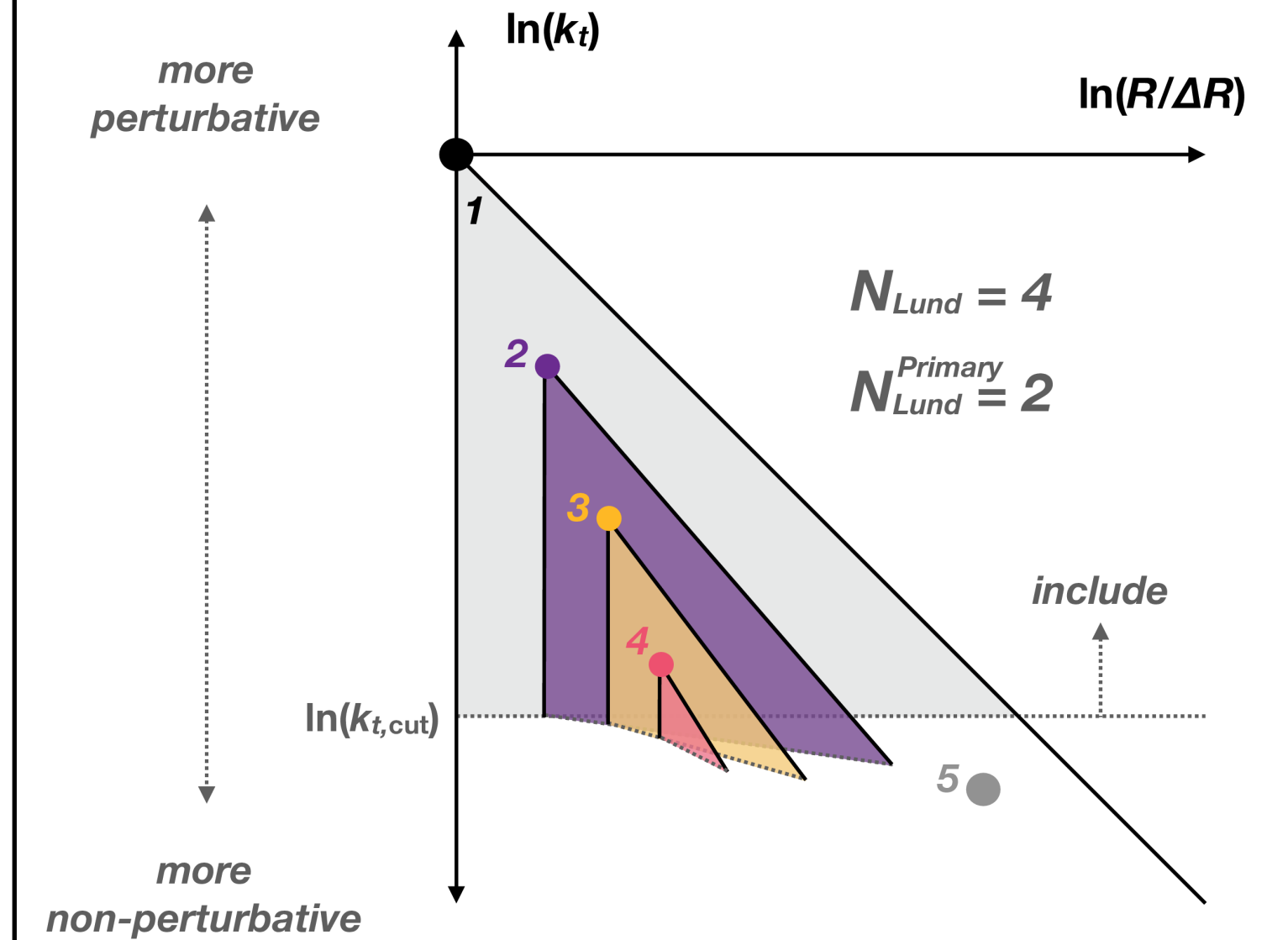
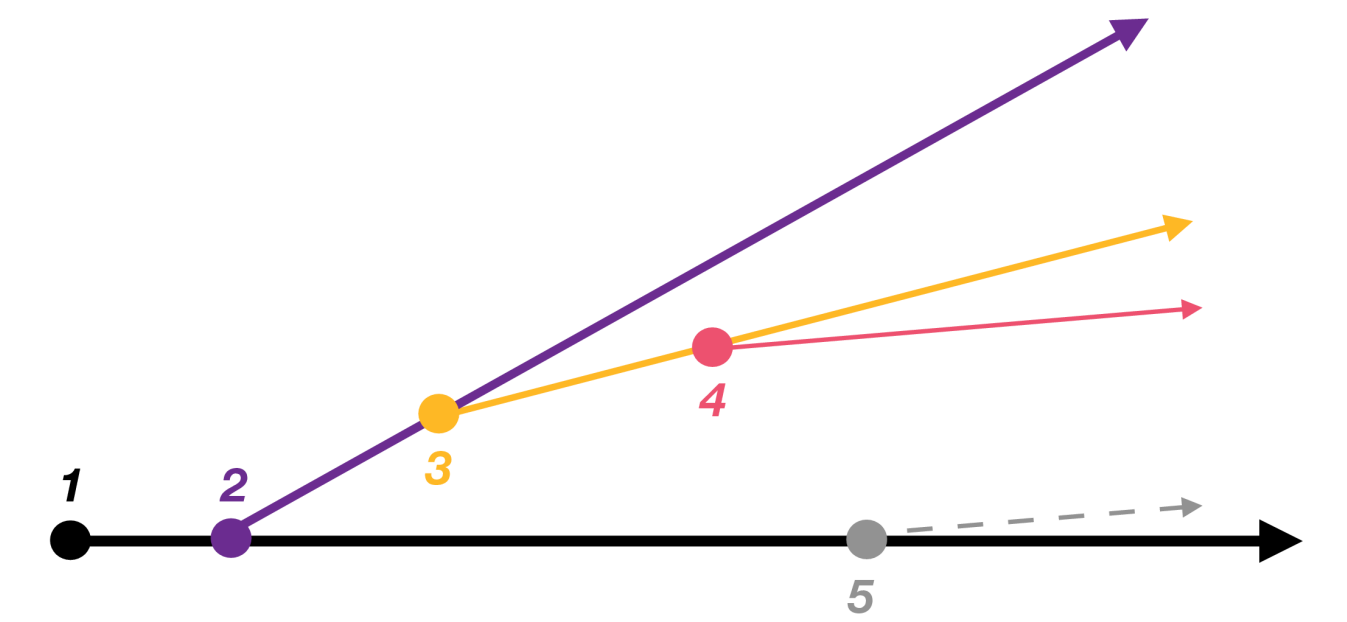
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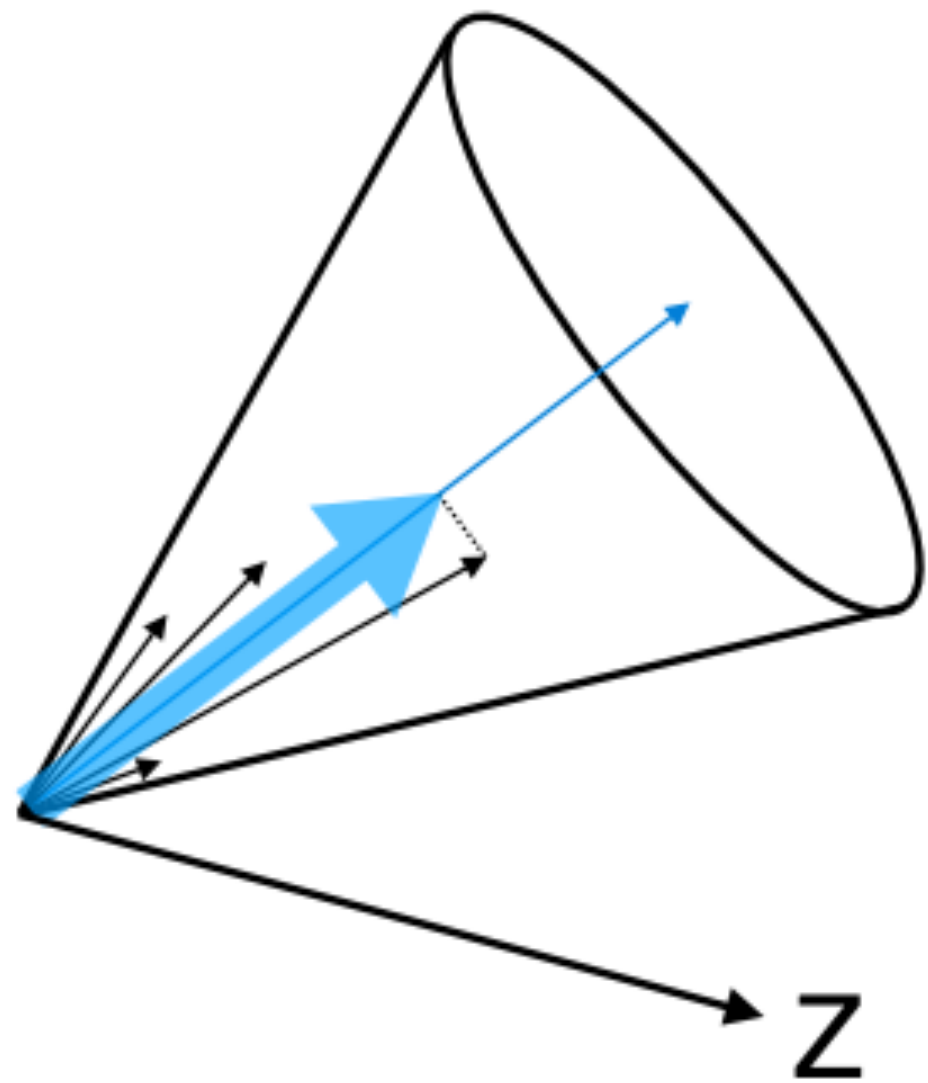


- Average subjet multiplicity  $\langle N_{Lund} \rangle$  as a function of  $k_{t,cut}$
- For even higher jet  $p_T$ , the theoretical prediction significantly underestimates the average multiplicity
- PSMC outperform the theoretical prediction at higher jet  $p_T$

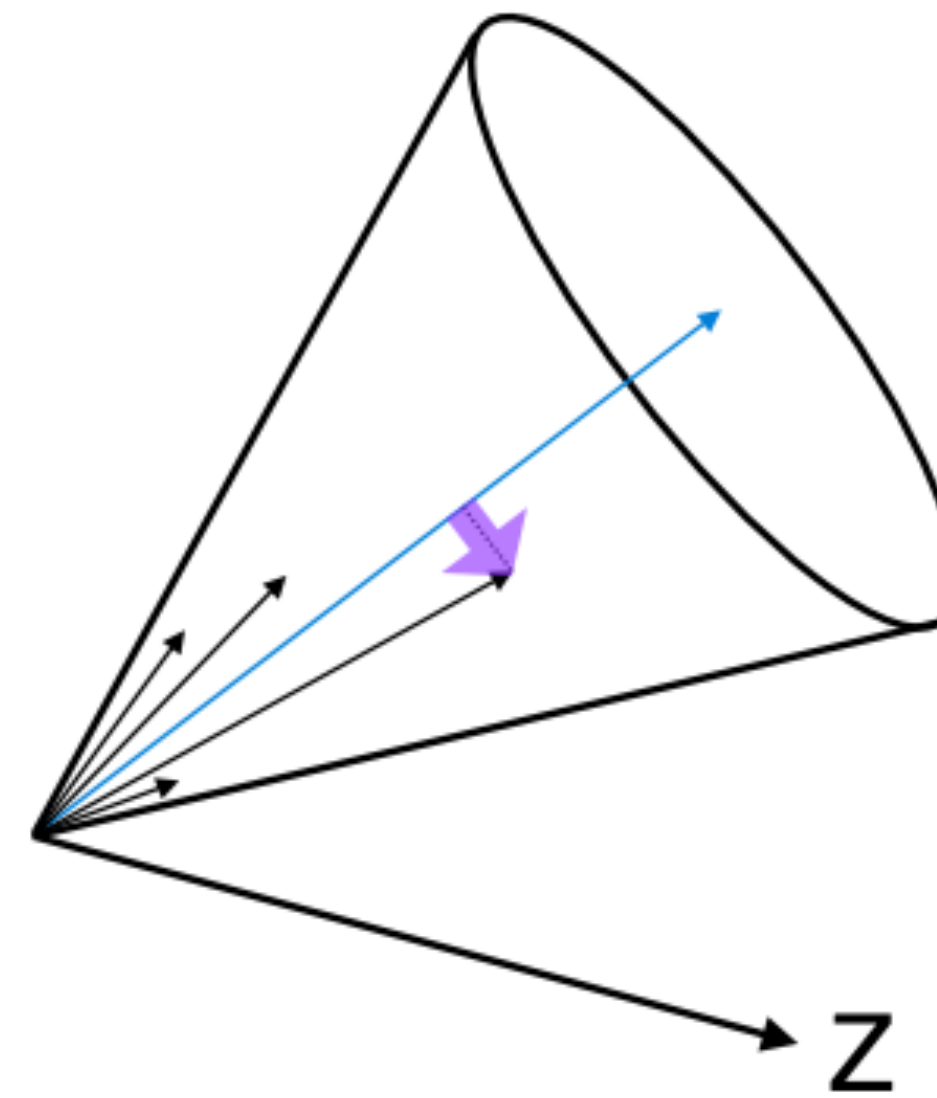


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# Identified charged hadrons in jets



$$z = \frac{\mathbf{p}_{\text{jet}} \cdot \mathbf{p}_{\text{hadron}}}{|\mathbf{p}_{\text{jet}}|^2}$$



$$j_T = \frac{|\mathbf{p}_{\text{jet}} \times \mathbf{p}_{\text{hadron}}|}{|\mathbf{p}_{\text{jet}}|}$$



# Charged Hadrons in Z-tagged Jets



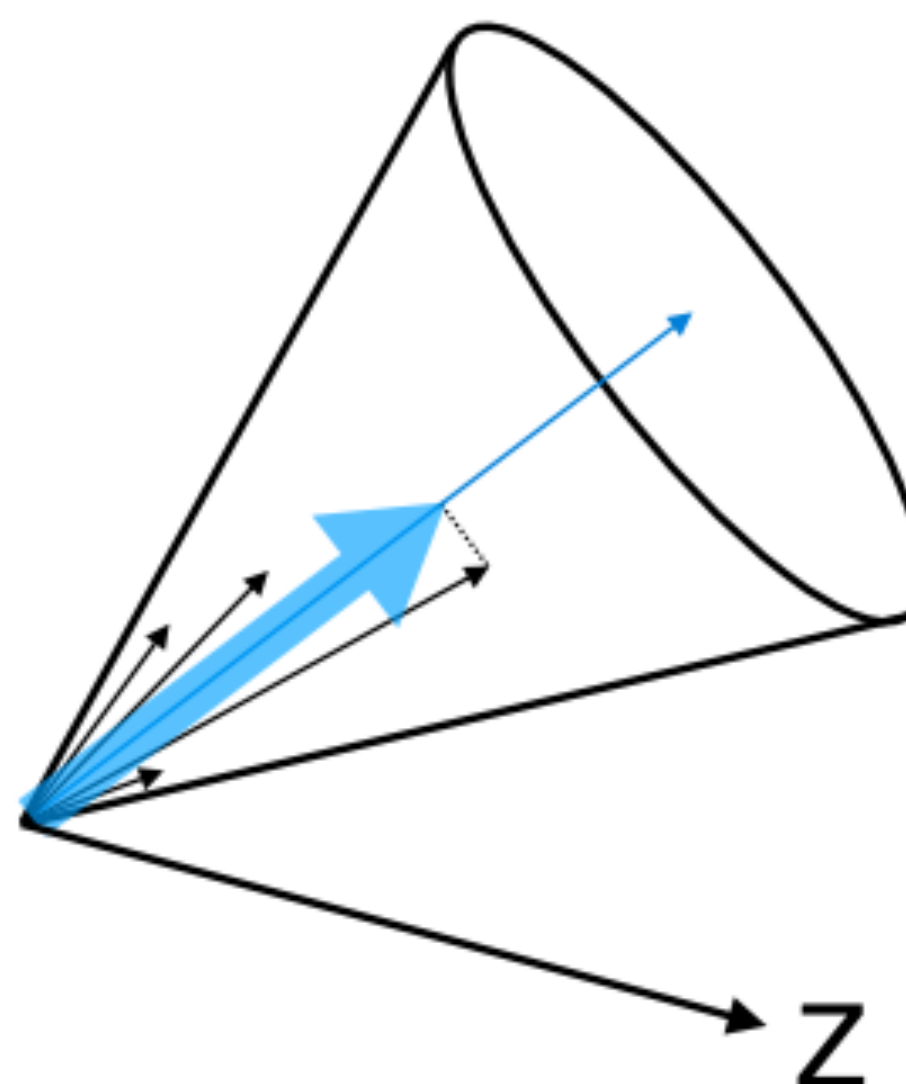
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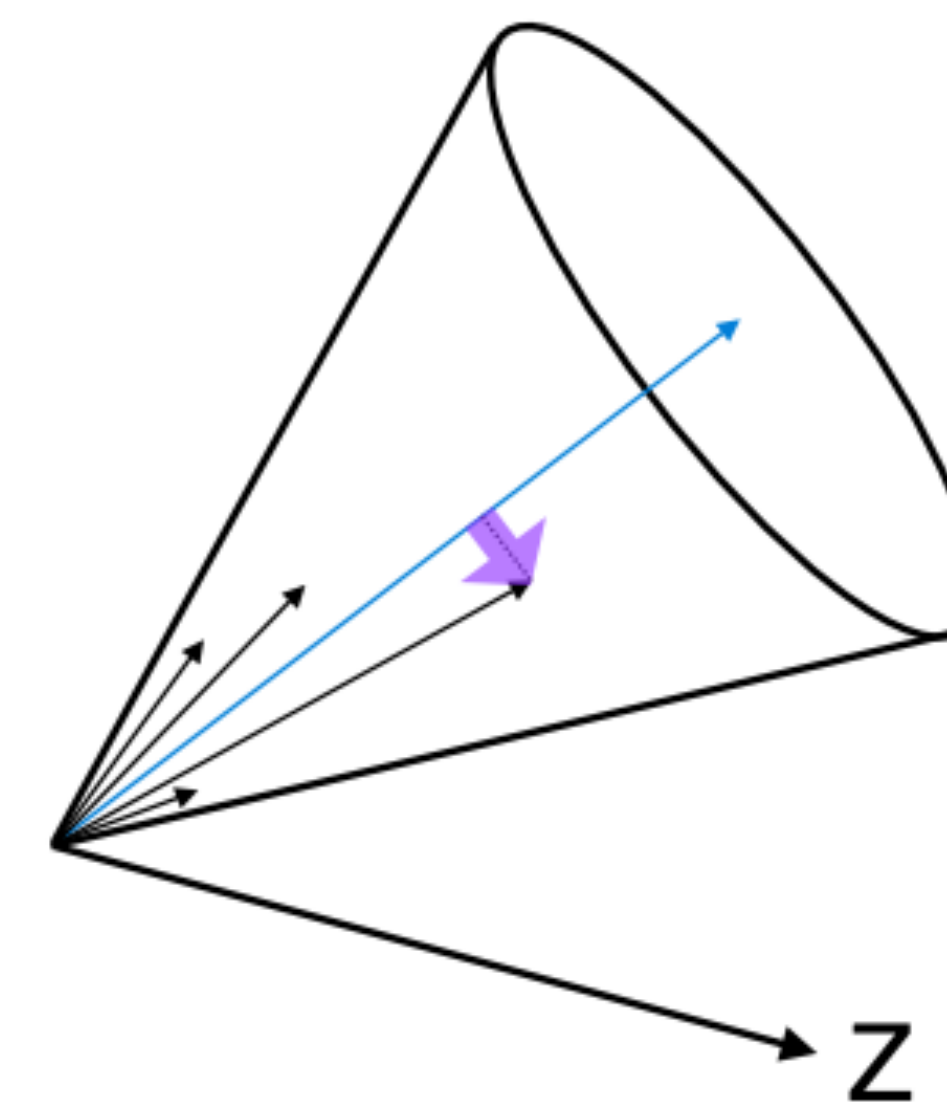
- $\sqrt{s} = 13 \text{ TeV}$  (Run 2)
- **Back-to-back Z + jet**  $|\Delta\phi| > 2.75$
- **Full jet reconstruction, identified charged hadrons used**
- **Anti-kt jets with  $R = 0.5$**
- $2.5 < \eta_{jet} < 4.0$
- $p_T^{jet} \in [20, 100] \text{ GeV}$

## Longitudinal Momentum Fraction



$$z = \frac{\mathbf{p}_{jet} \cdot \mathbf{p}_{hadron}}{|\mathbf{p}_{jet}|^2}$$

## Transverse Momentum



$$j_T = \frac{|\mathbf{p}_{jet} \times \mathbf{p}_{hadron}|}{|\mathbf{p}_{jet}|}$$

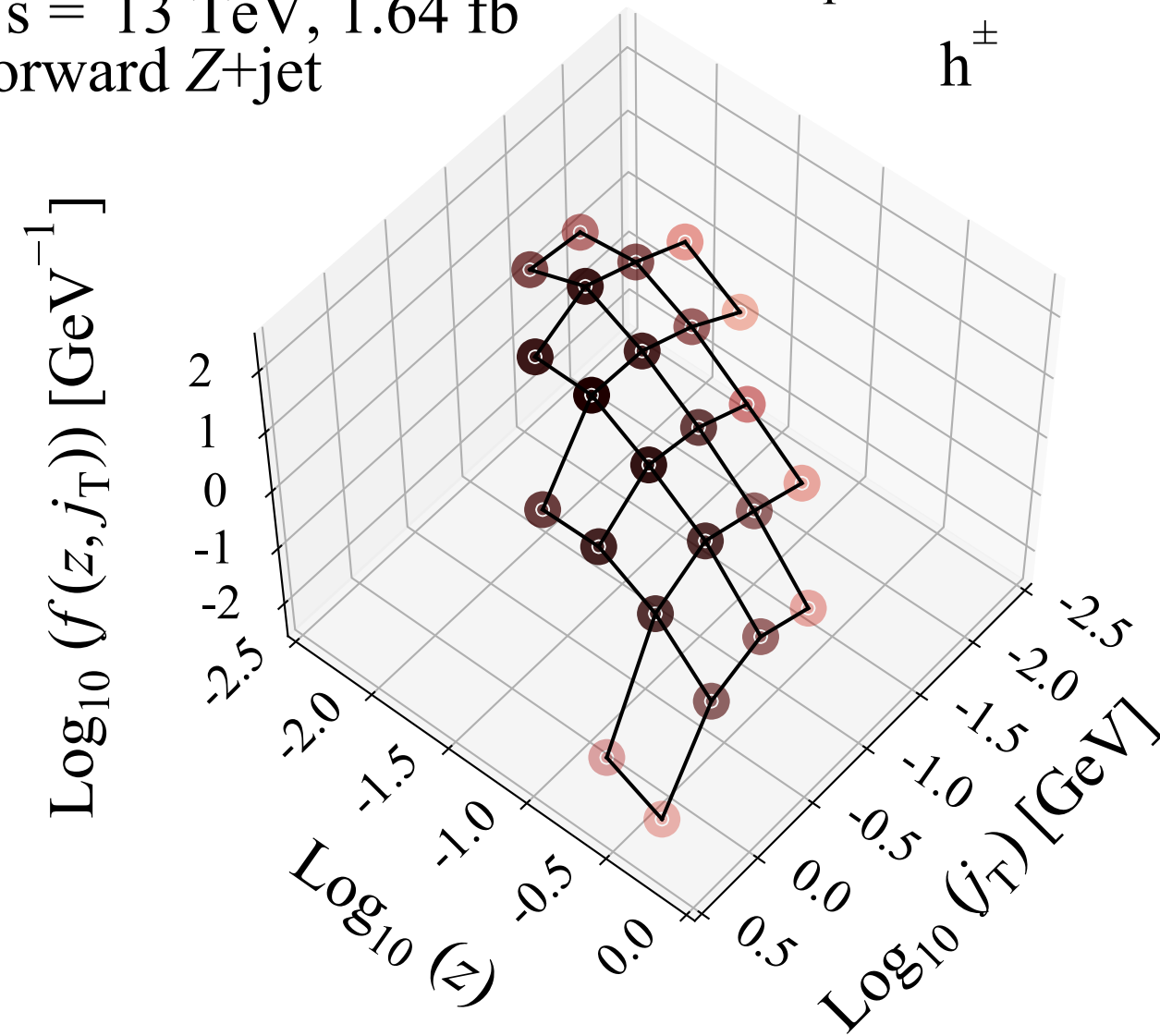
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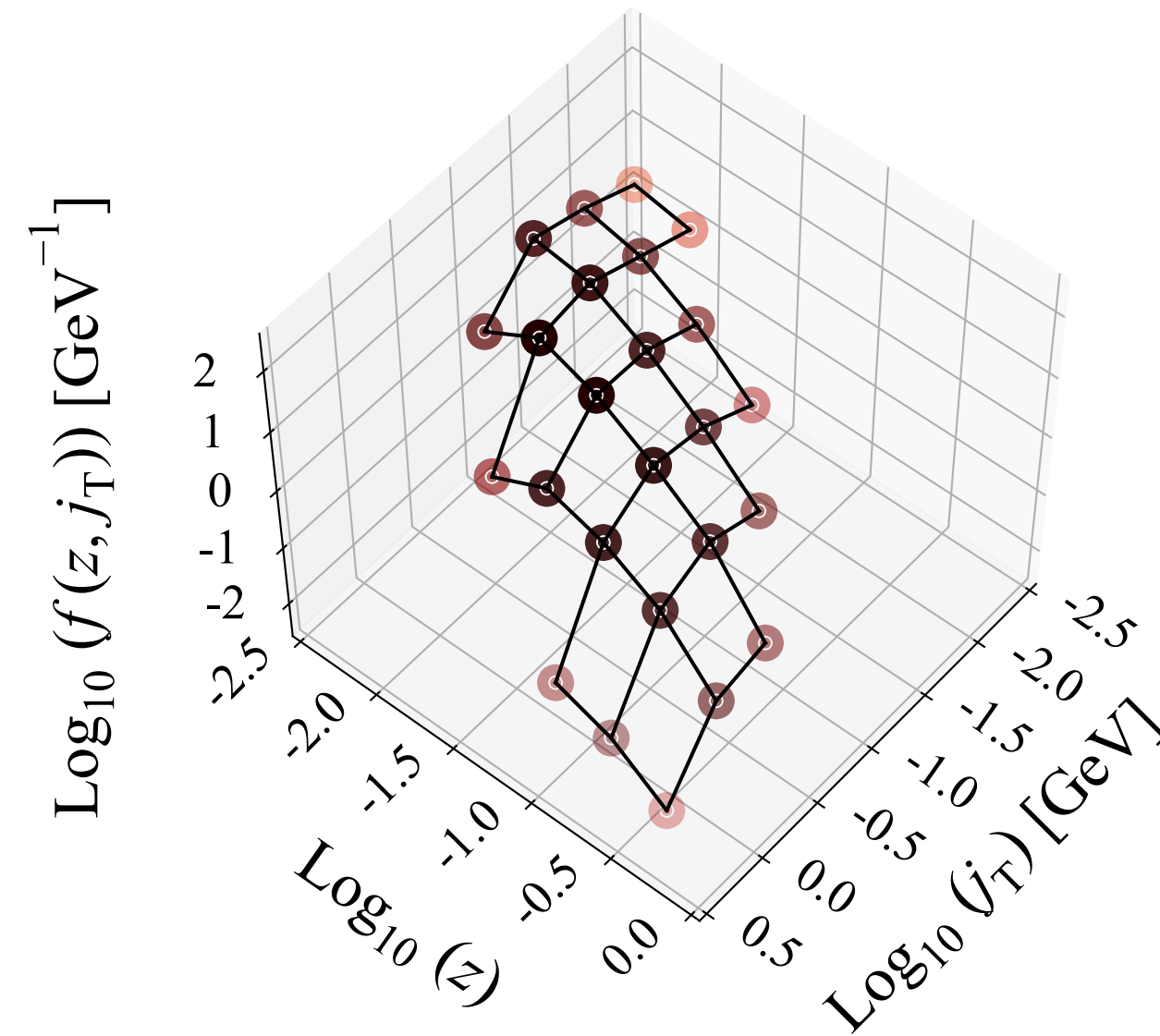
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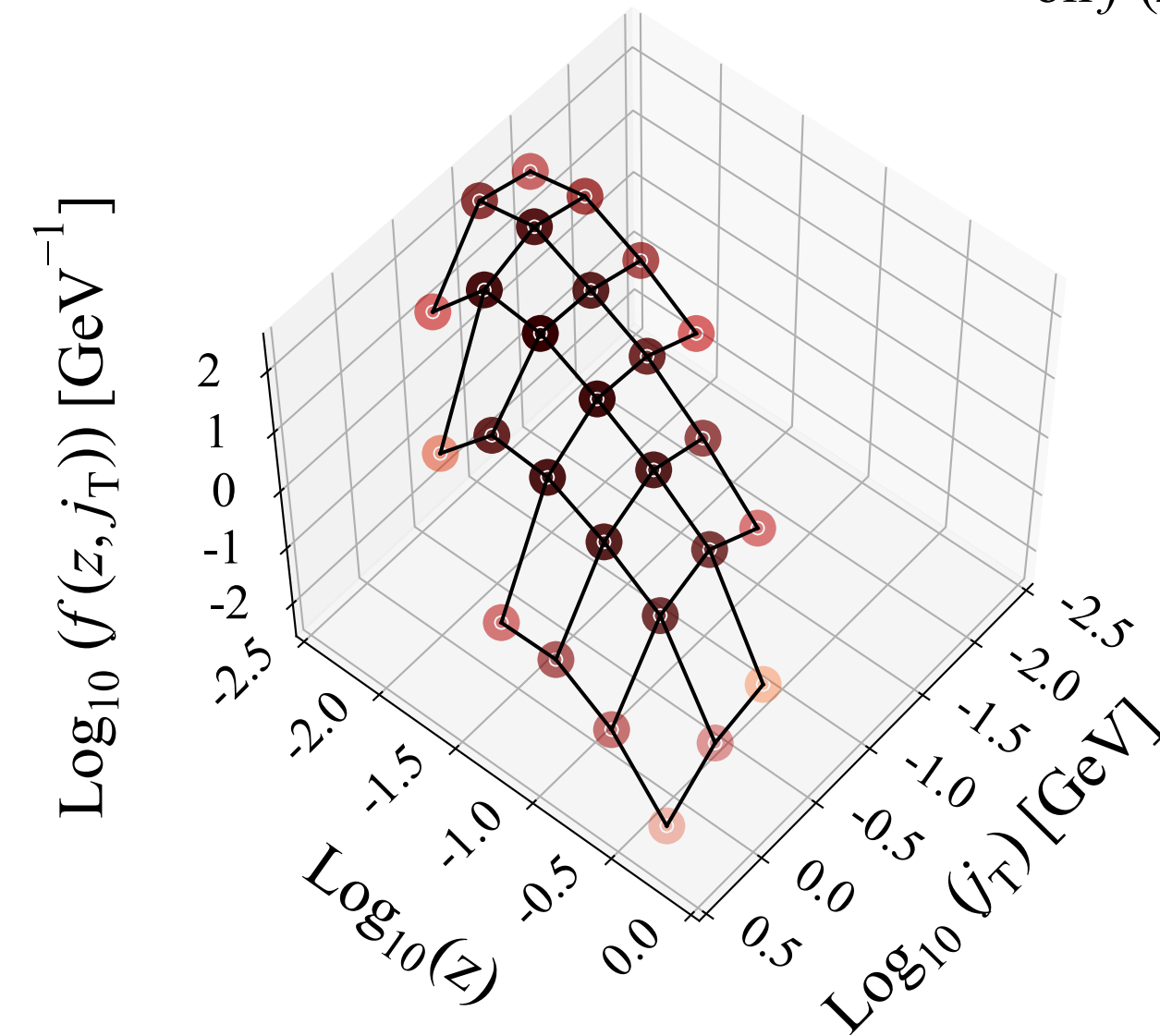
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forward Z+jet  
 $20 < p_T^{\text{jet}} < 30 \text{ GeV}$   
 $h^\pm$



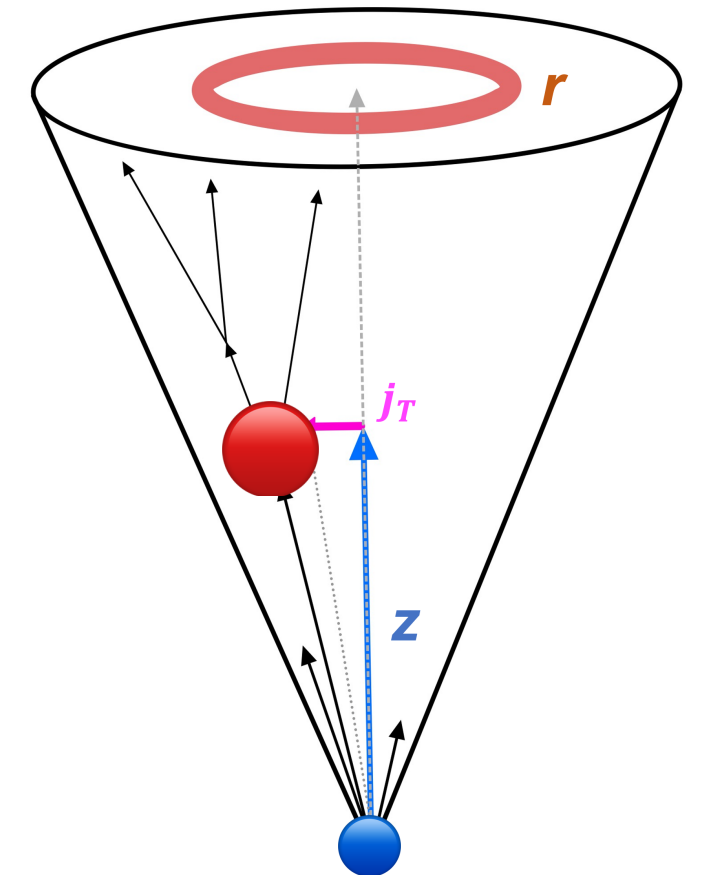
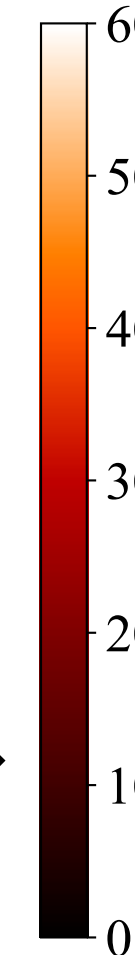
$30 < p_T^{\text{jet}} < 50 \text{ GeV}$



$50 < p_T^{\text{jet}} < 100 \text{ GeV}$



Uncertainty  
on  $f(z, j_T)$  [%]



- Hadrons with large  $z$  tend to have larger  $j_T$
- Centroid of harder jets moves towards smaller  $z$  (softer particle production) and larger  $j_T$  (wider jet)
- $j_T$  increases with increasing jet  $p_T$  at fixed  $z$ . This is consistent with Markov chain fragmentation models (string or cluster models)

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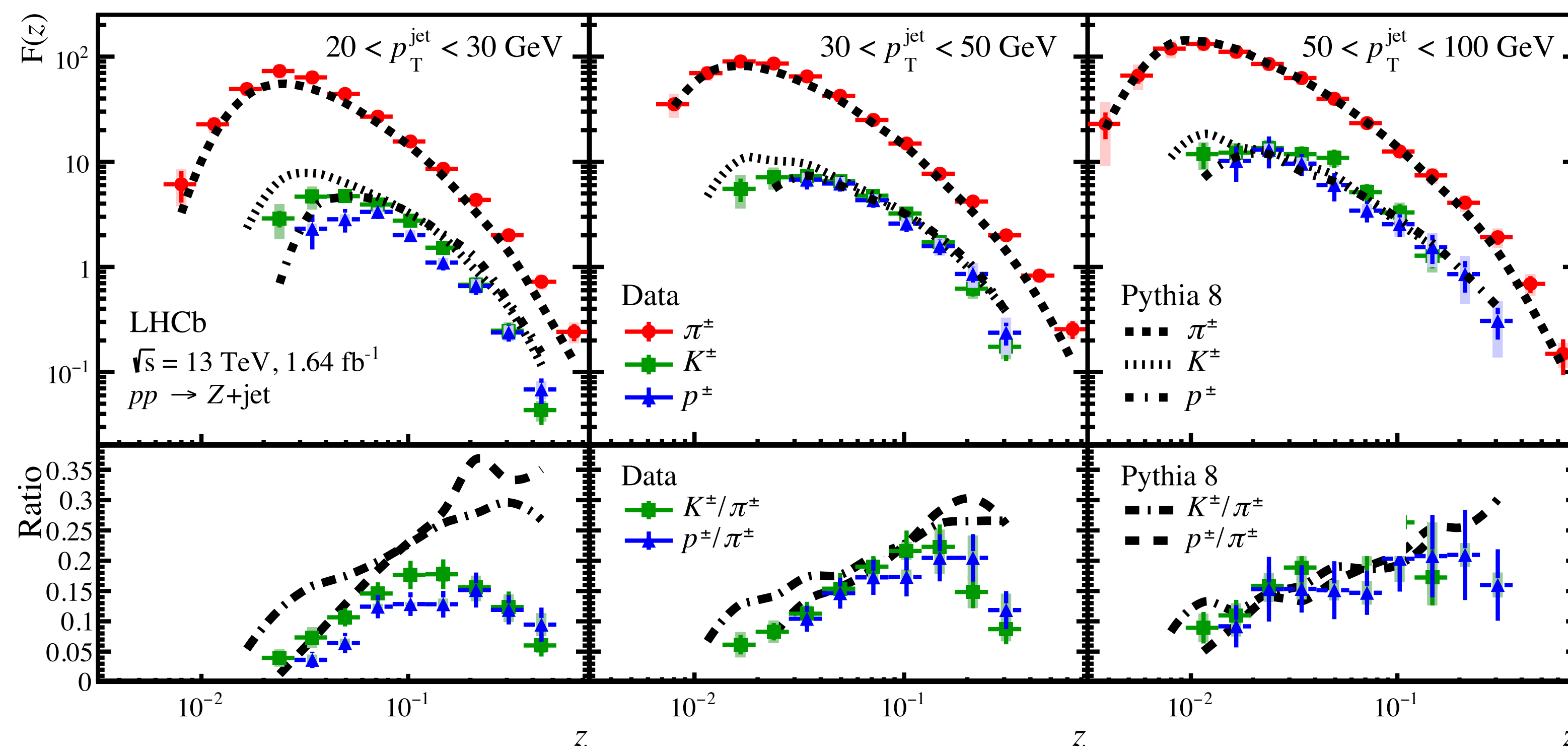
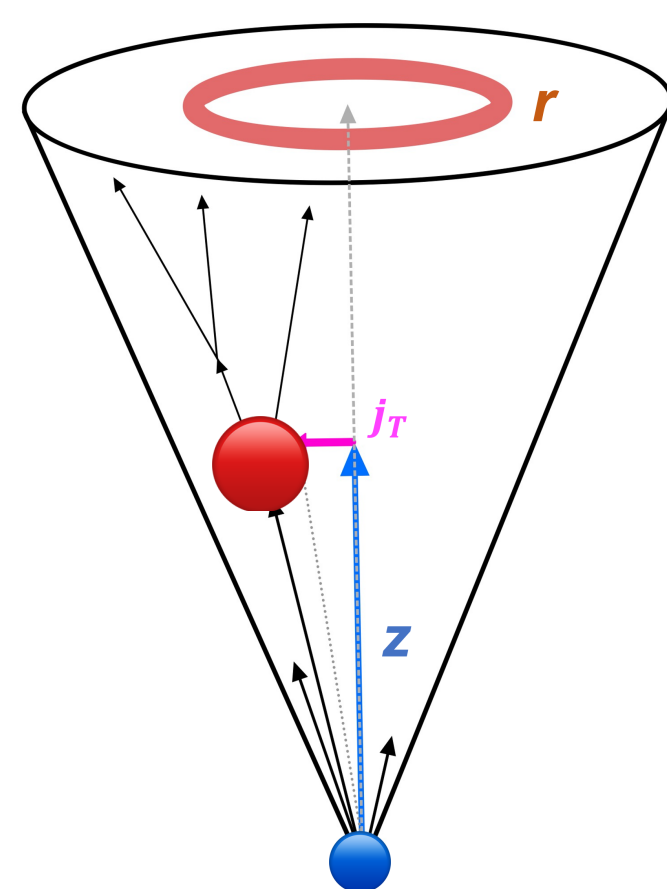


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arxiv:2208.11691 (accepted by PRD Lett.)

- Charged hadrons are predominantly pions due to their low mass and the flavor content of the initial-state quark
- Heavier hadrons require larger  $z$  to form. Delayed scaling behavior for heavier hadrons.

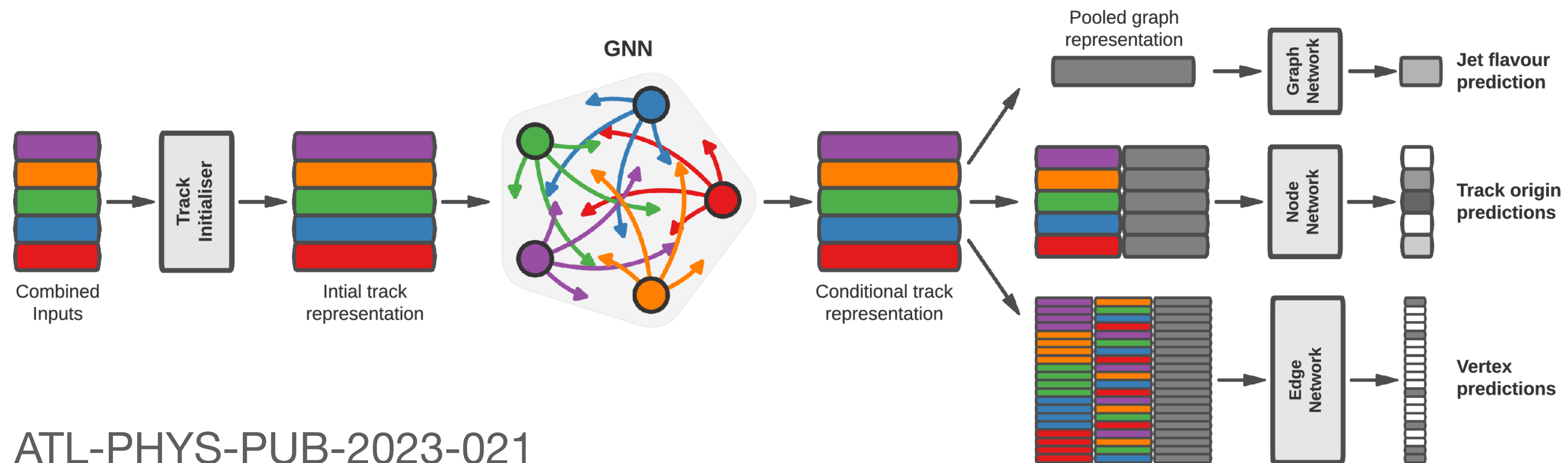


In the lowest jet  $p_T$  interval:

- Pythia8 overestimates  $K^\pm$  and  $p^\pm$  production relative to  $\pi^\pm$
- Proton production suppressed relative to Kaon at low  $z$



# Tagging Higgs events with Machine Learning



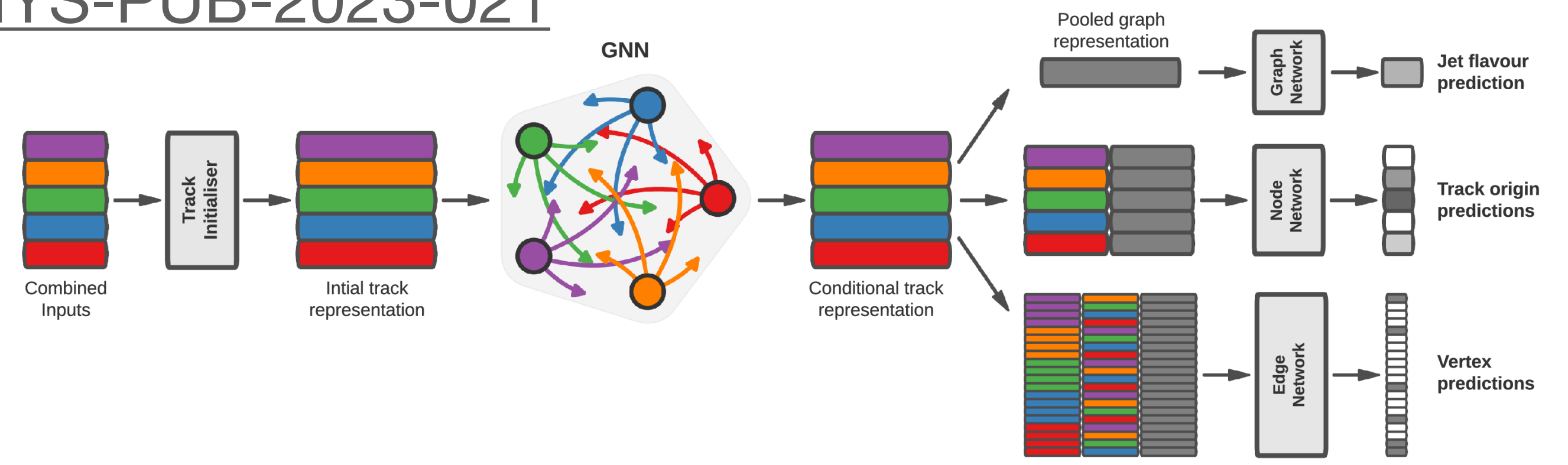
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# Transformer NN for Boosted Higgs Bosons decaying into $b\bar{b}$ and $c\bar{c}$

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- Tagging is important for Higgs and BSM searches
- Transformer Neural Network (GN2X) based on earlier Graph Neural Network (GN1)
- Trained and validated on simulation using
  - jet  $p_T, \eta, m$
  - 20 variables for each track (up to 100 tracks)
- Outputs:
  - Jet flavor
  - Track origin
  - Vertex compatibility



Track Input	Description
$q/p$	Track charge divided by momentum (measure of curvature)
$d\eta$	Pseudorapidity of track relative to the large- $R$ jet $\eta$
$d\phi$	Azimuthal angle of the track, relative to the large- $R$ jet $\phi$
$d_0$	Closest distance from track to primary vertex (PV) in the transverse plane
$z_0 \sin \theta$	Closest distance from track to PV in the longitudinal plane
$\sigma(q/p)$	Uncertainty on $q/p$
$\sigma(\theta)$	Uncertainty on track polar angle $\theta$
$\sigma(\phi)$	Uncertainty on track azimuthal angle $\phi$
$s(d_0)$	Lifetime signed transverse IP significance
$s(z_0 \sin \theta)$	Lifetime signed longitudinal IP significance
nPixHits	Number of pixel hits
nSCTHits	Number of SCT hits
nIBLHits	Number of IBL hits
nBLHits	Number of B-layer hits
nIBLShared	Number of shared IBL hits
nIBLSplit	Number of split IBL hits
nPixShared	Number of shared pixel hits
nPixSplit	Number of split pixel hits
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subjIndex	Integer label of which subset track is associated to (GN2X + Subjects only)

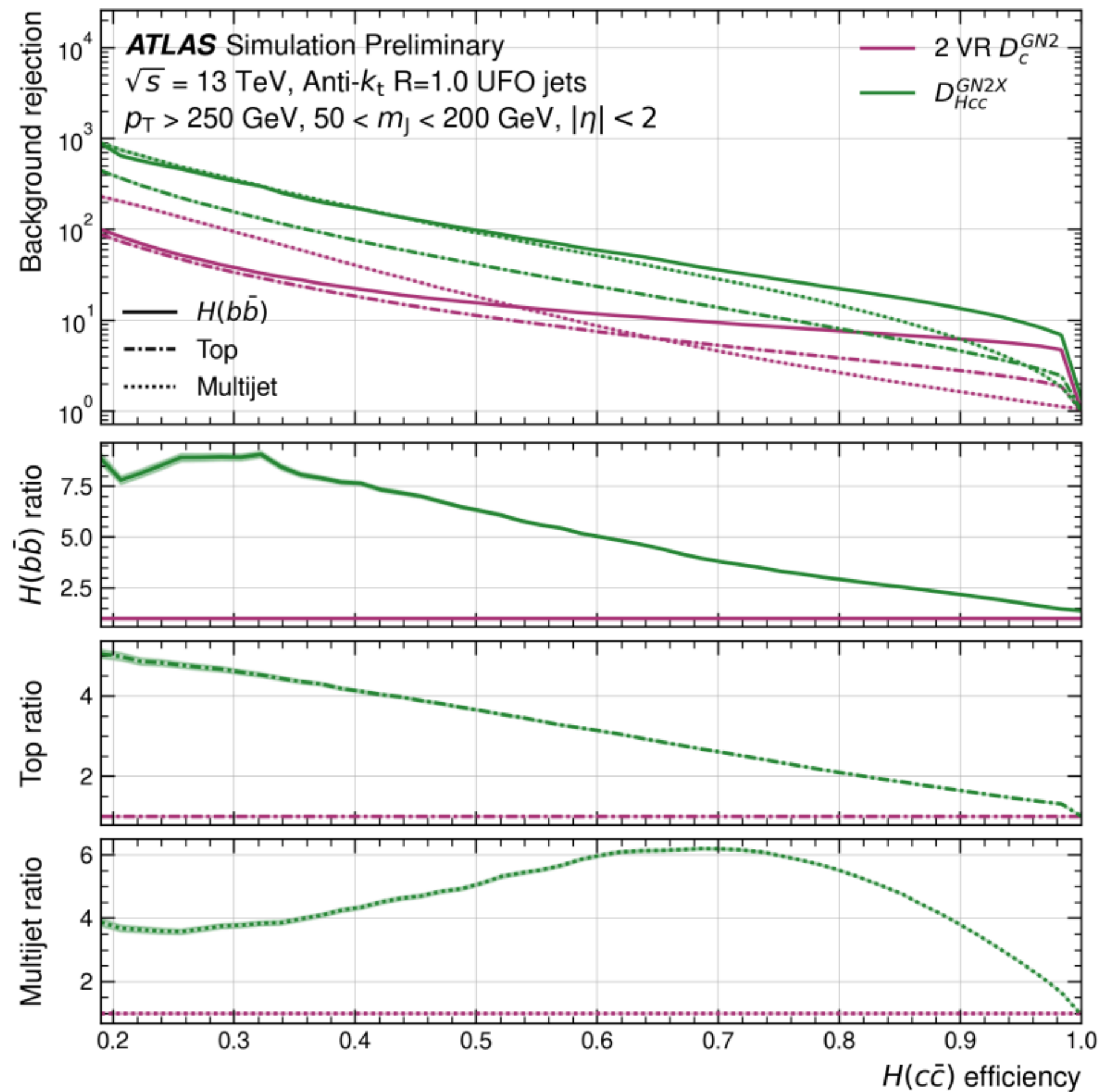




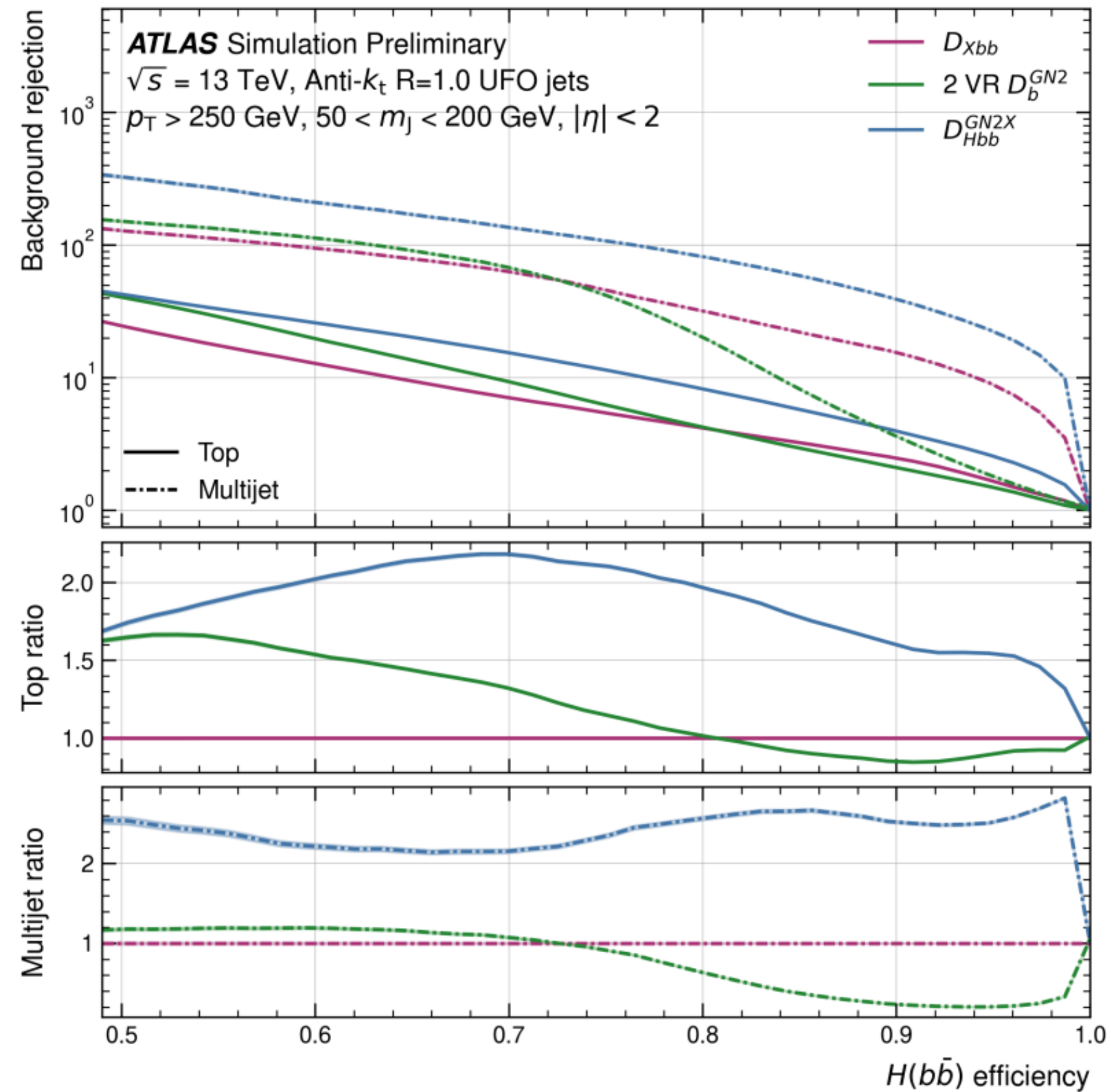
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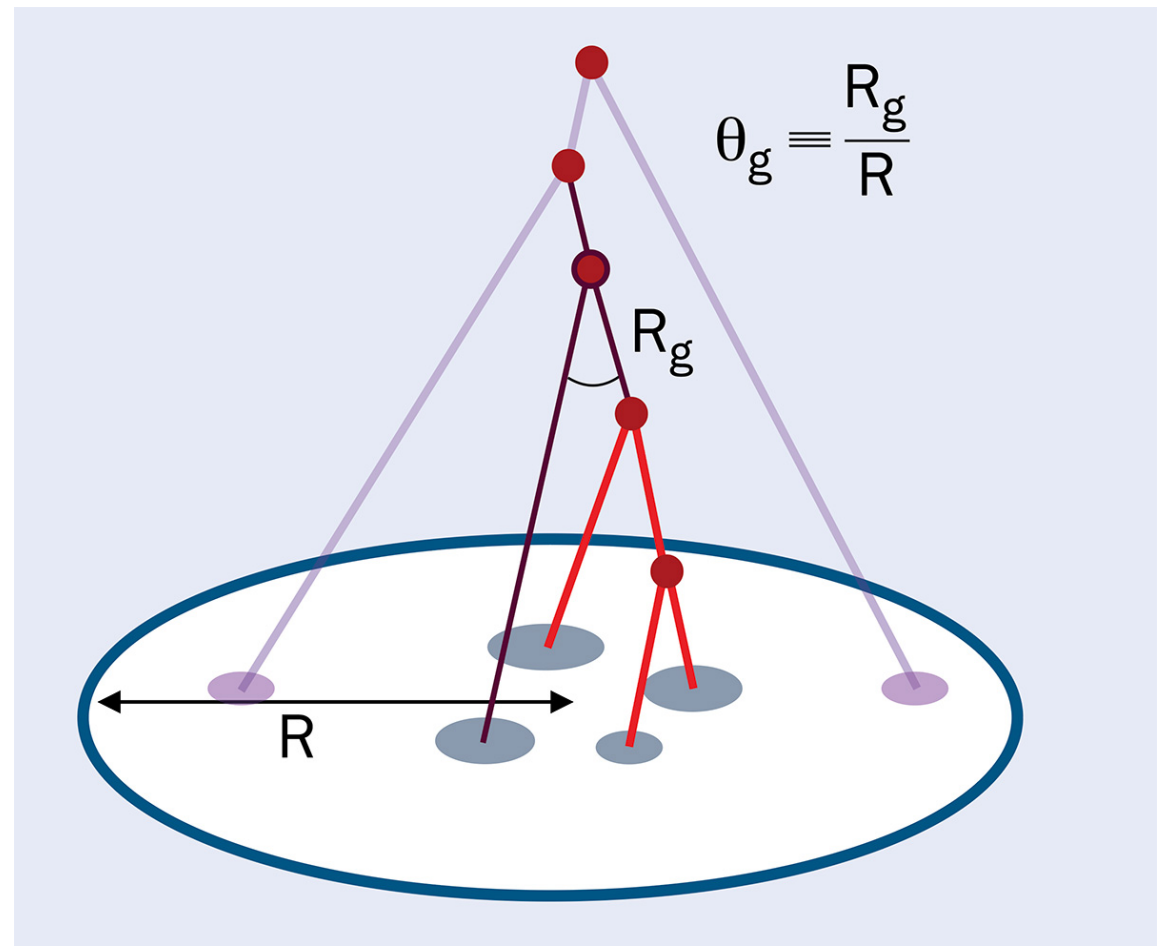
$H(b\bar{b})$  efficiency

- For 50%  $H(b\bar{b})$  signal efficiency, 1.6x better rejection of top jets and 2.5x better rejection of QCD jets compared to current Xbb tagger
- First of its kind  $H(c\bar{c})$  tagger at ATLAS
- For 50%  $H(c\bar{c})$  signal efficiency, 3x better rejection of top jets, and 5x better rejection of QCD jets compared to 2-tag variable radius track-jet



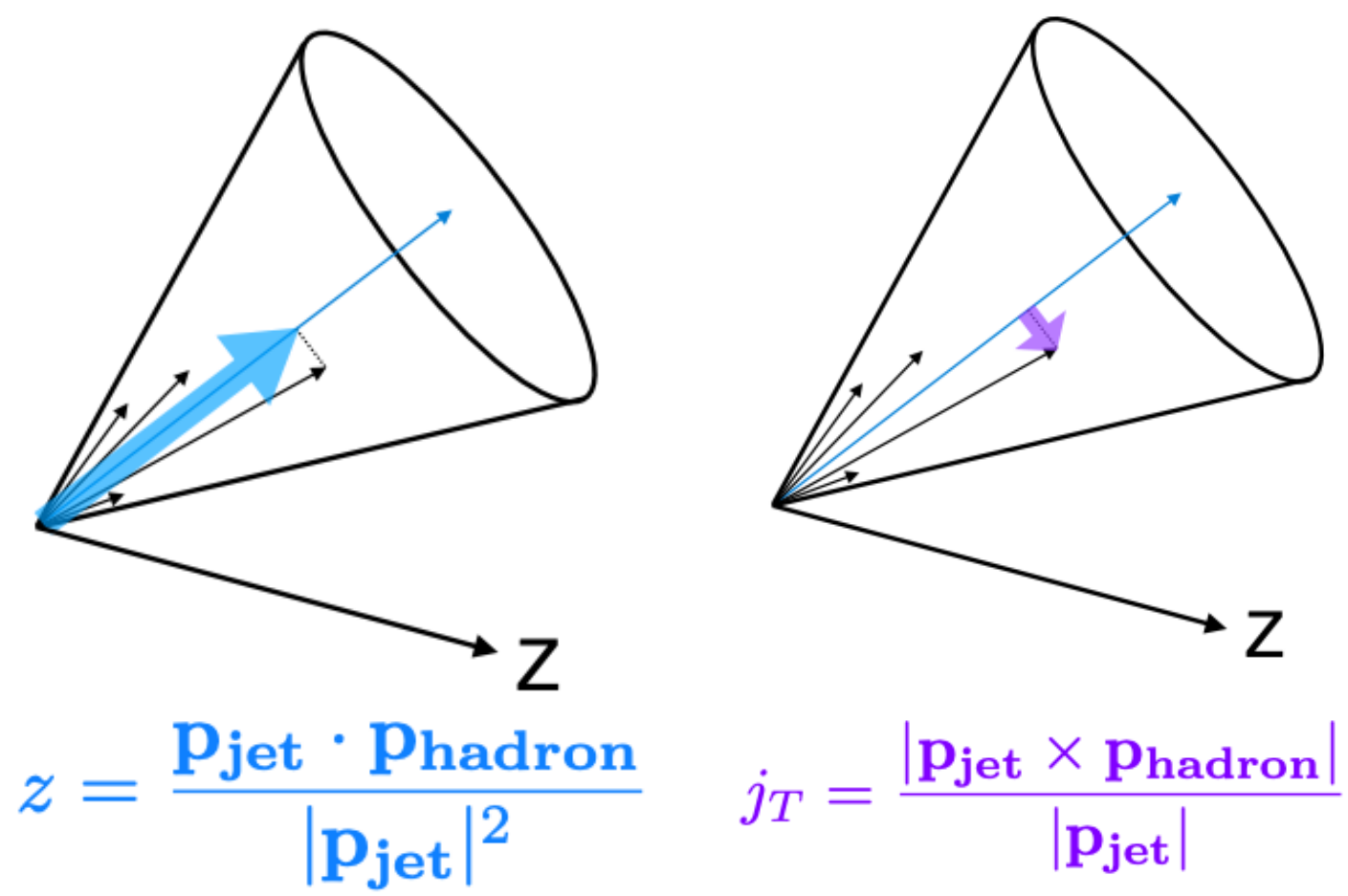
# Jet Substructure: opening the QCD world

## Heavy quark splitting functions

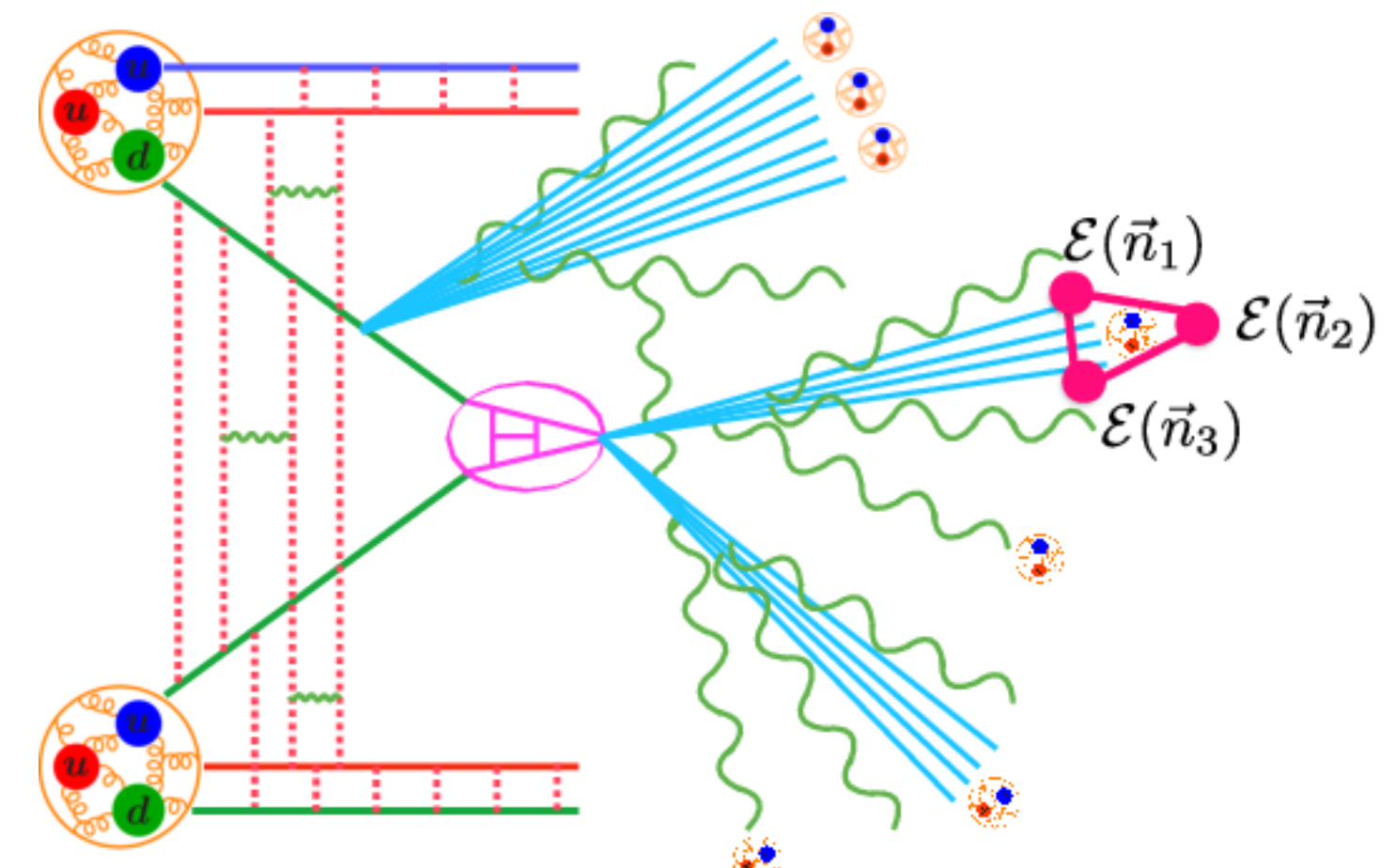


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## Fragmentation of hadrons

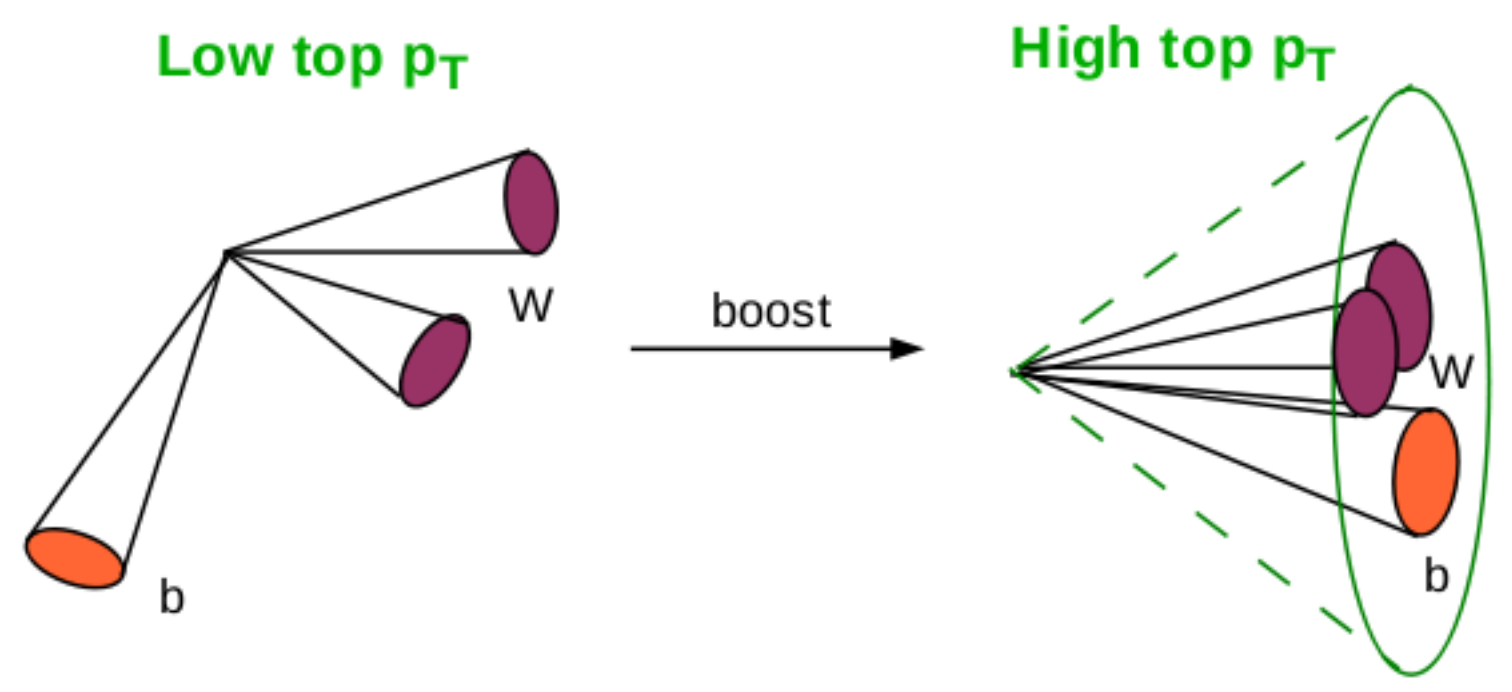


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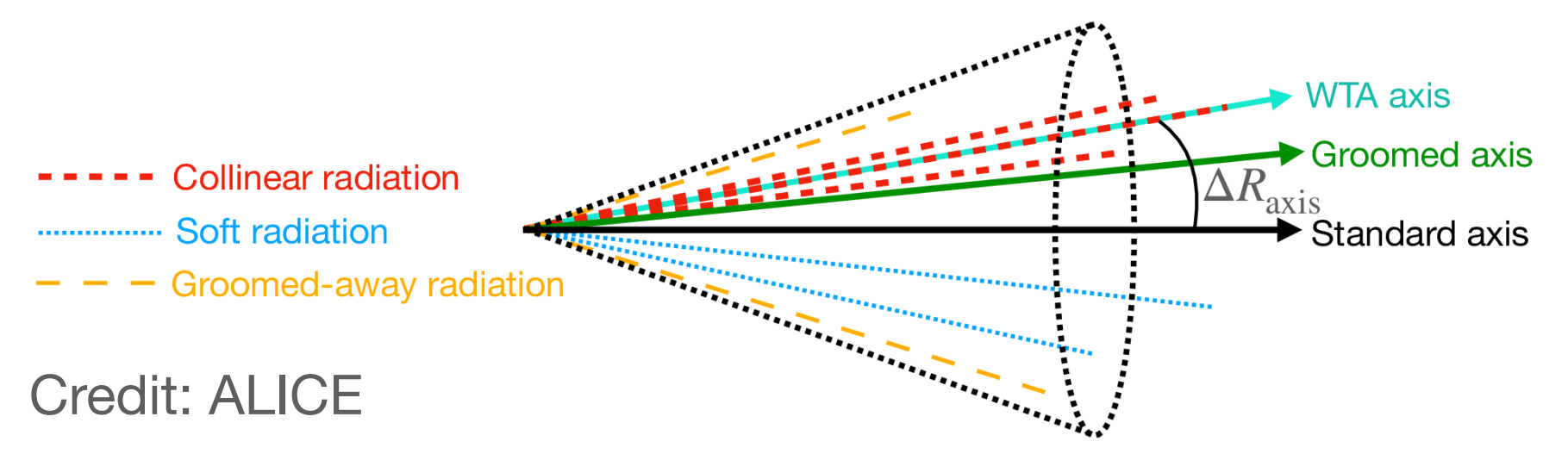
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## Boosted heavy-flavor jets



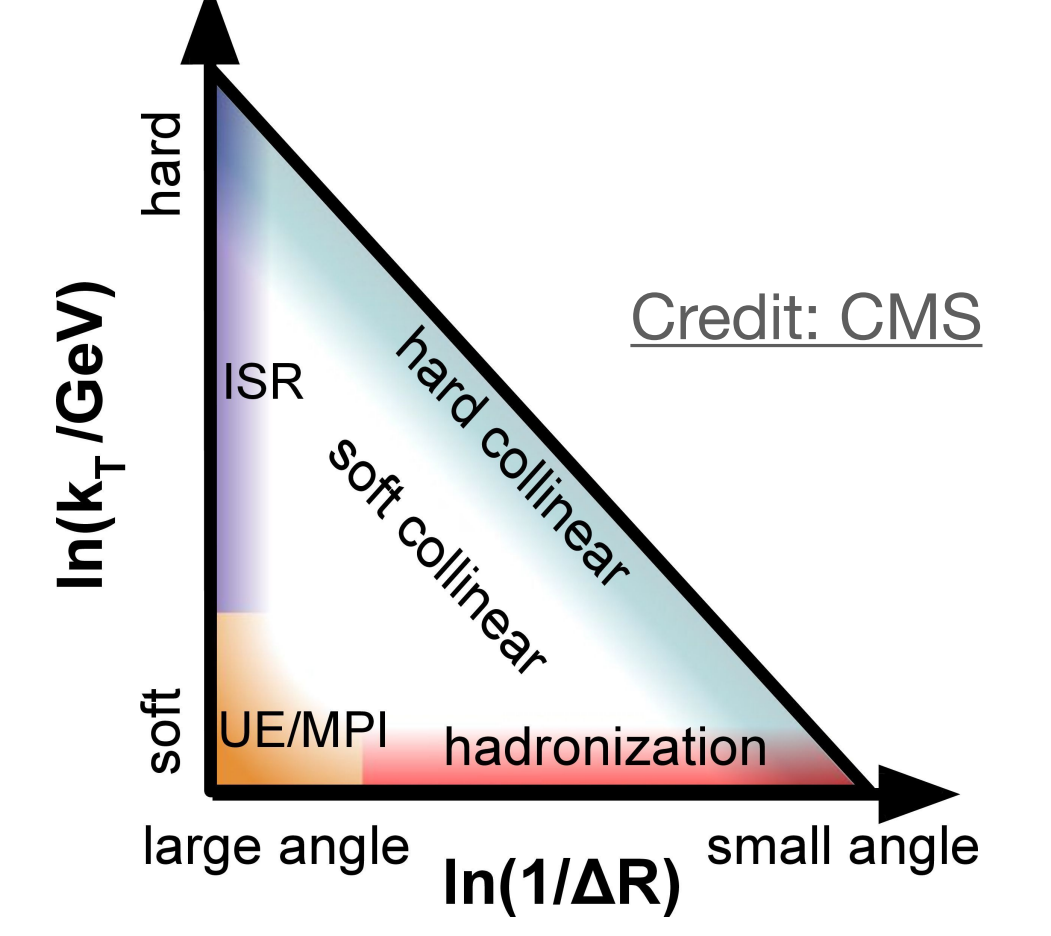
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## Jet axes from underlying substructure



Credit: ALICE

## Phase space structure: Lund planes



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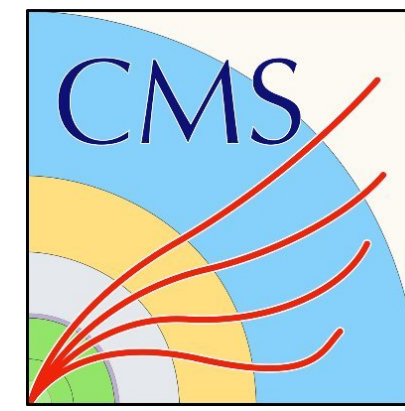
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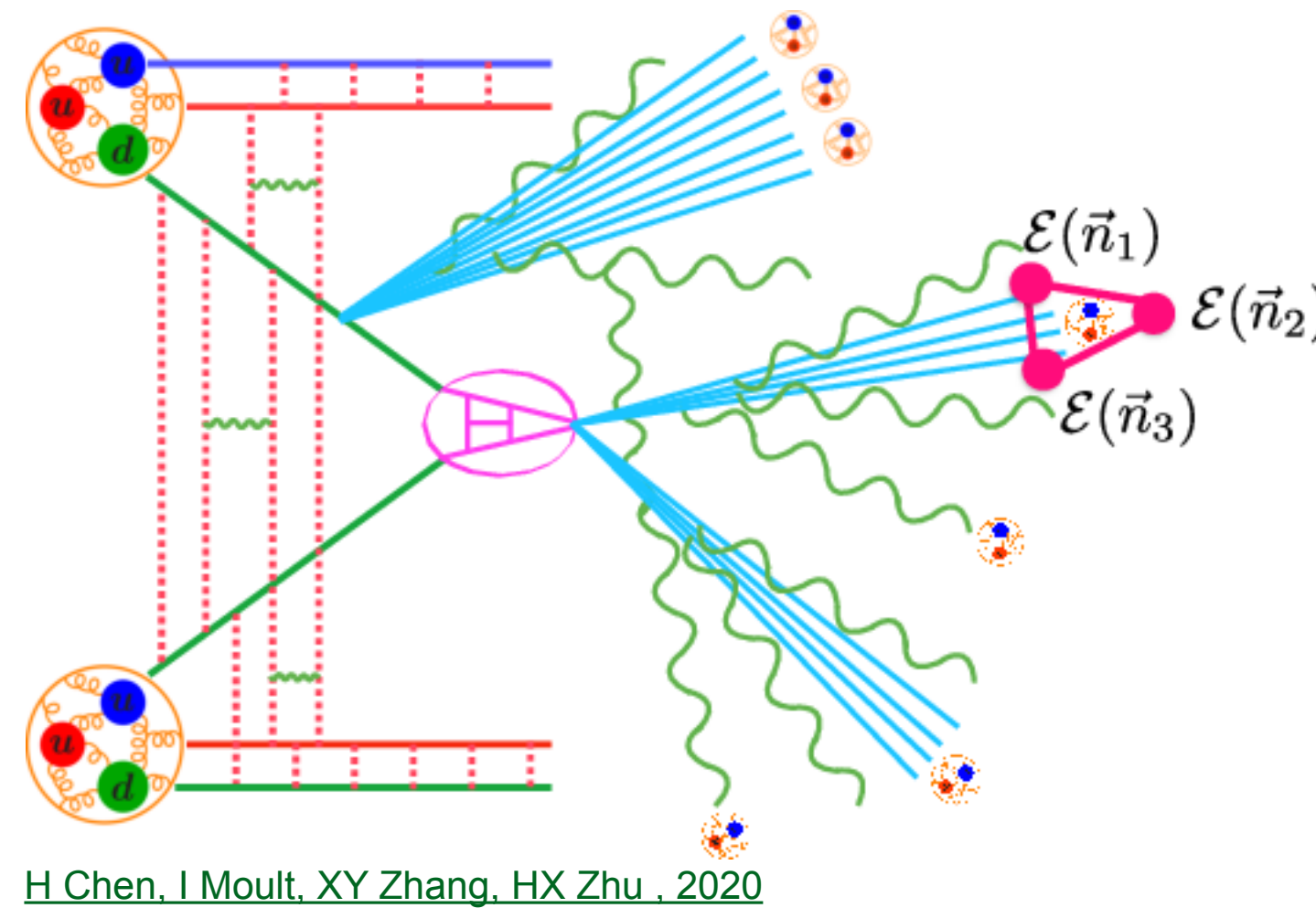


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- $p_T^{jet} \in [97, 1784] \text{ GeV}$
- **E2C and E3C are measured from independent samples**



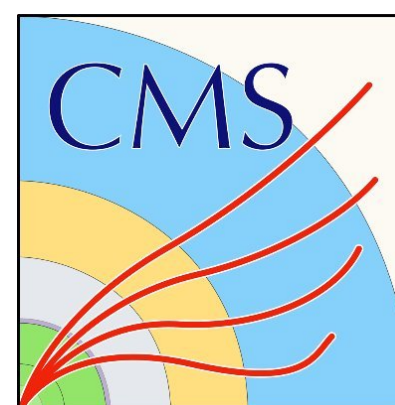
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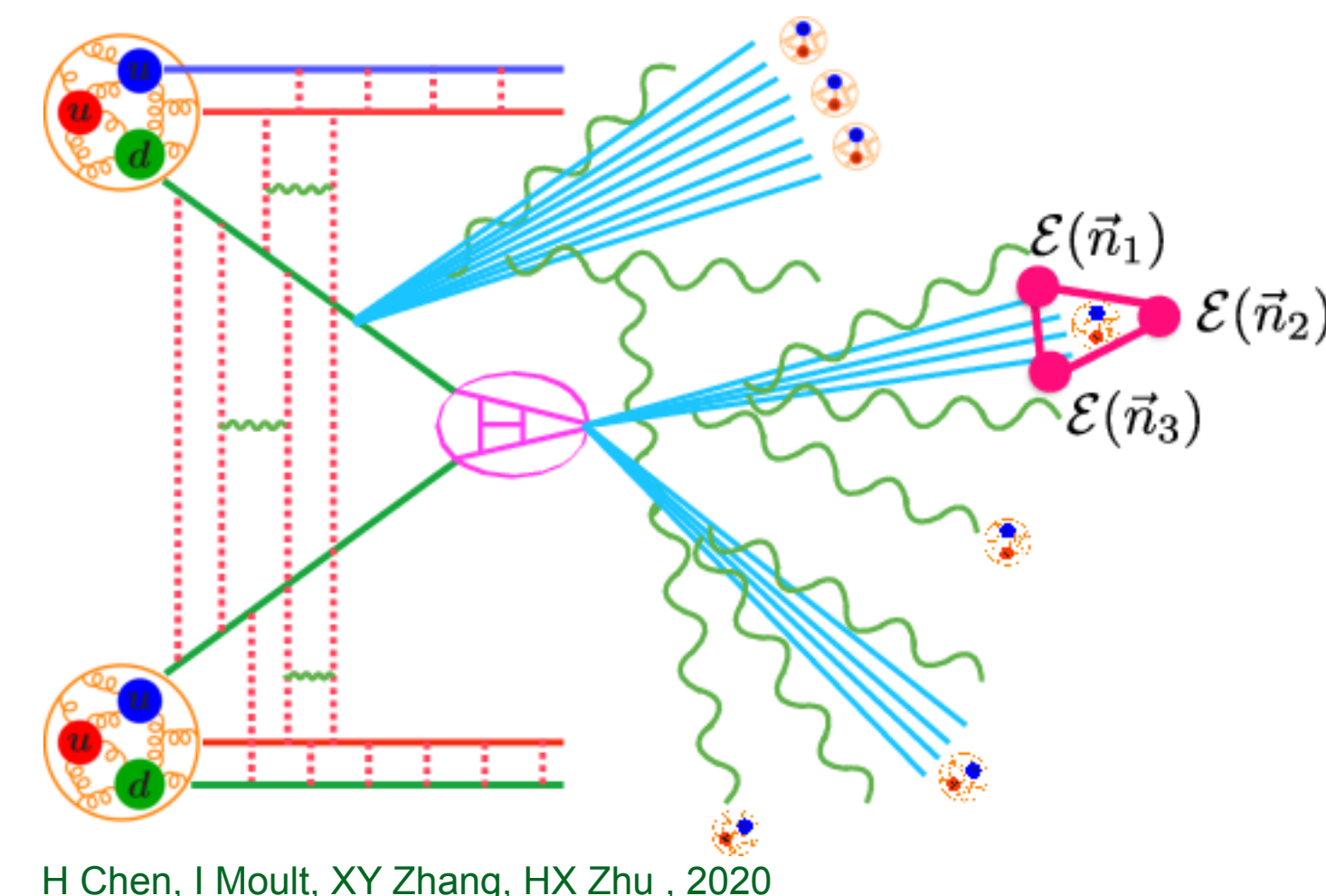
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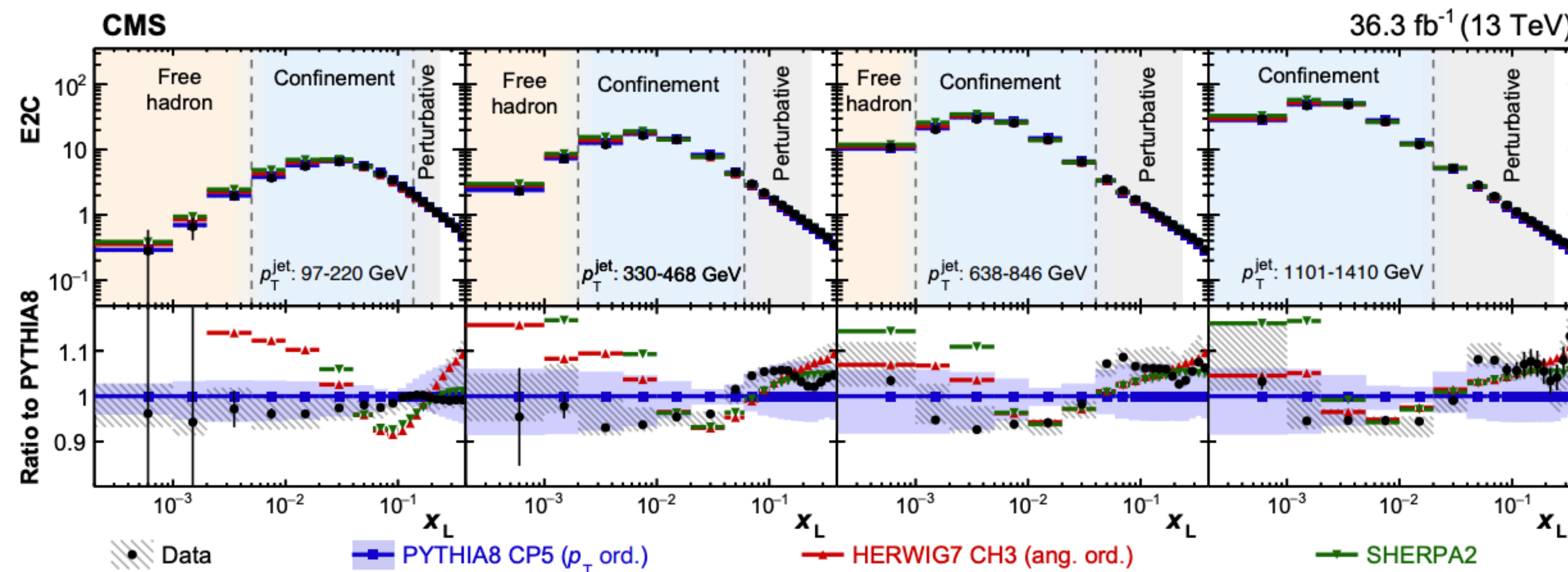


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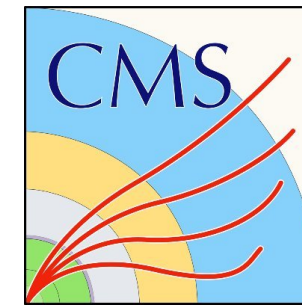
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- Clear transition between perturbative emissions, confinement, and free hadron phases
- Pythia8 describes the data quite well
- With larger jet  $p_T$ , the confinement region shifts to lower  $x_L$  in accordance with transition energy scale  $Q = ap_T x_L$  where  $a$  is close to 20 GeV from simulation studies.

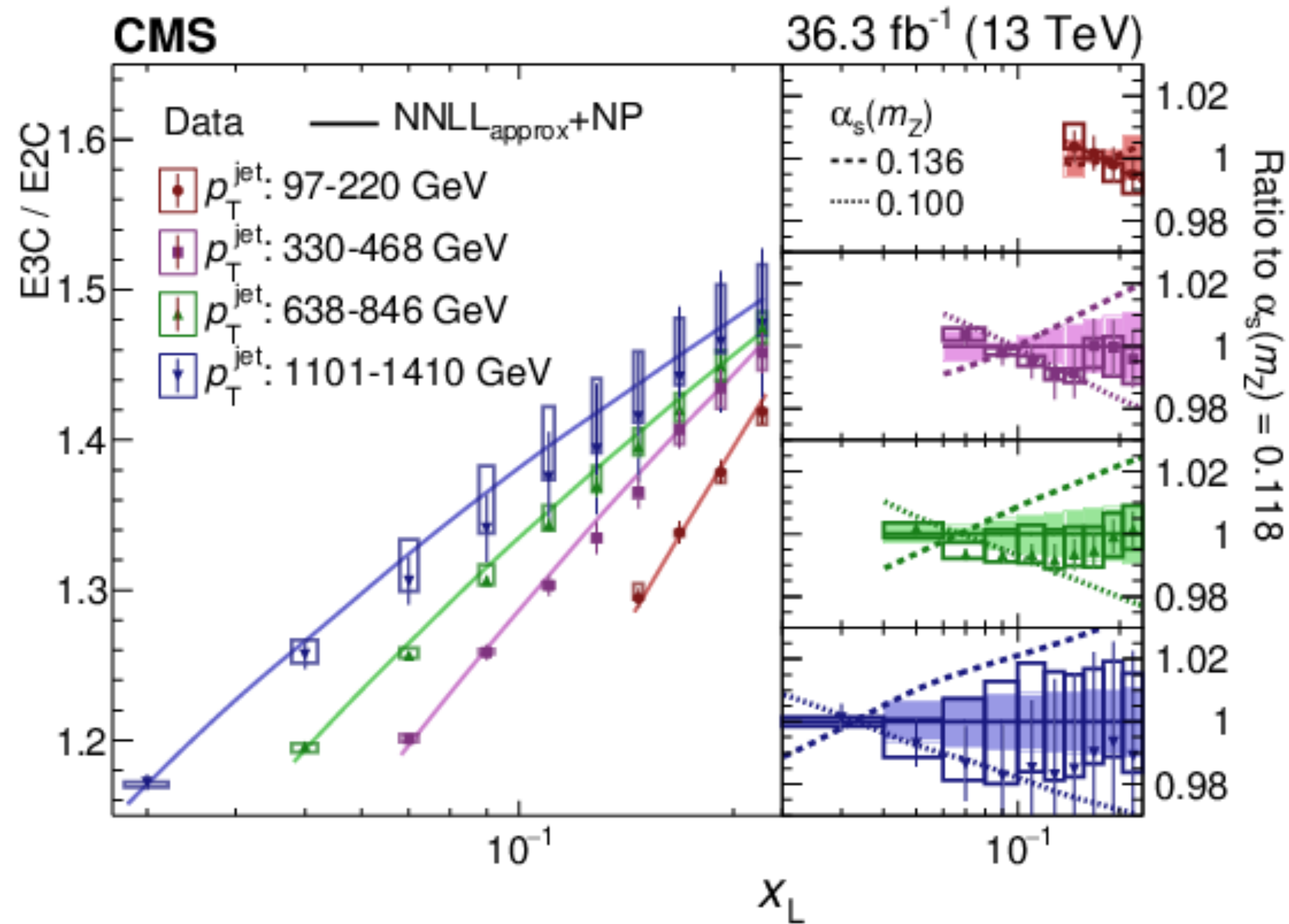


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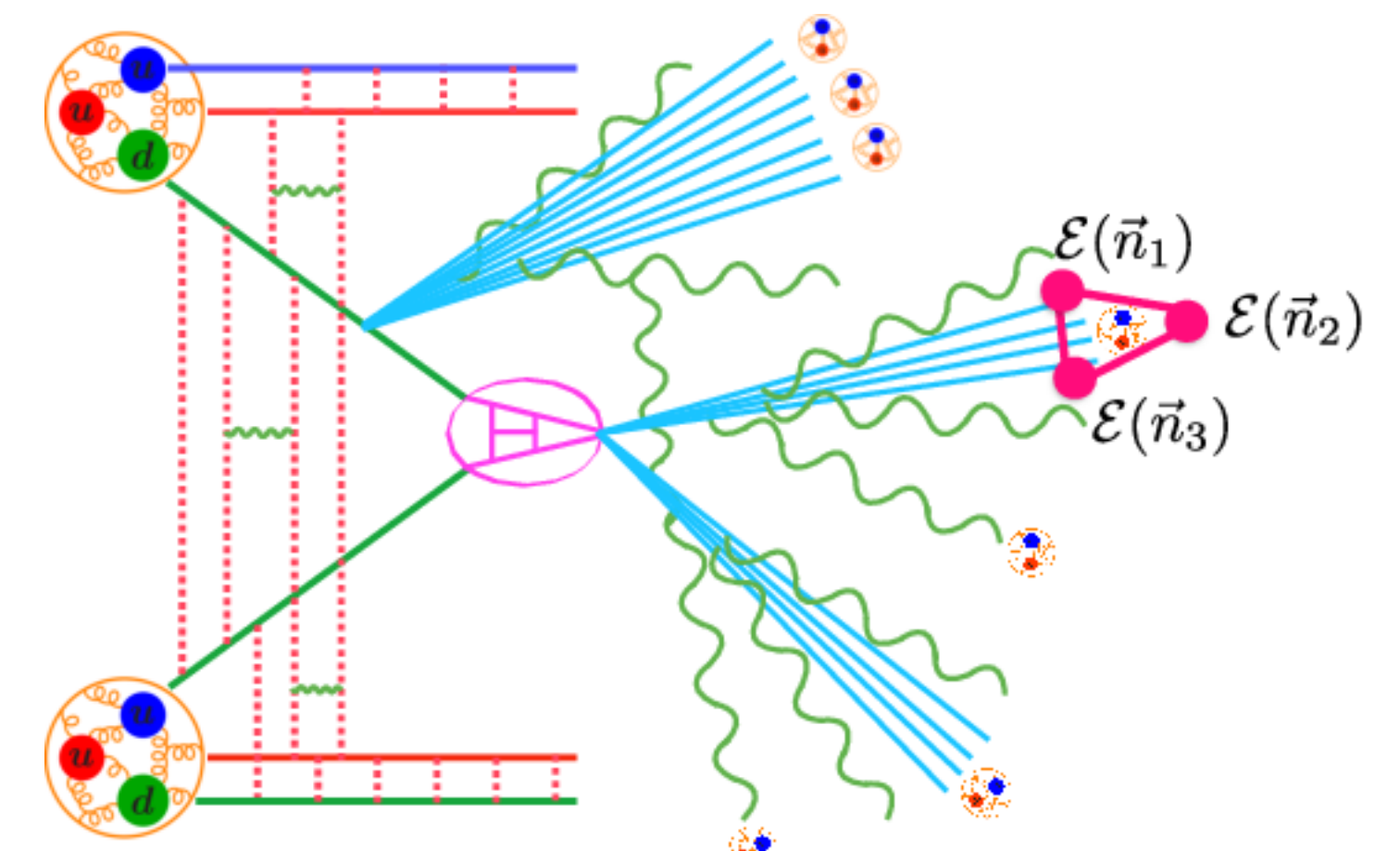


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- Ratio of E3C to E2C reveals critical exponents
- Can extract  $\alpha_s$  by minimizing  $\chi^2$  of the E3C/E2C distributions



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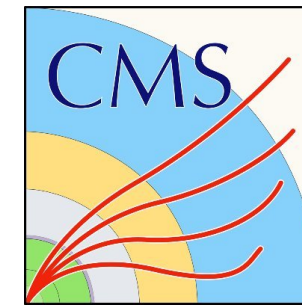
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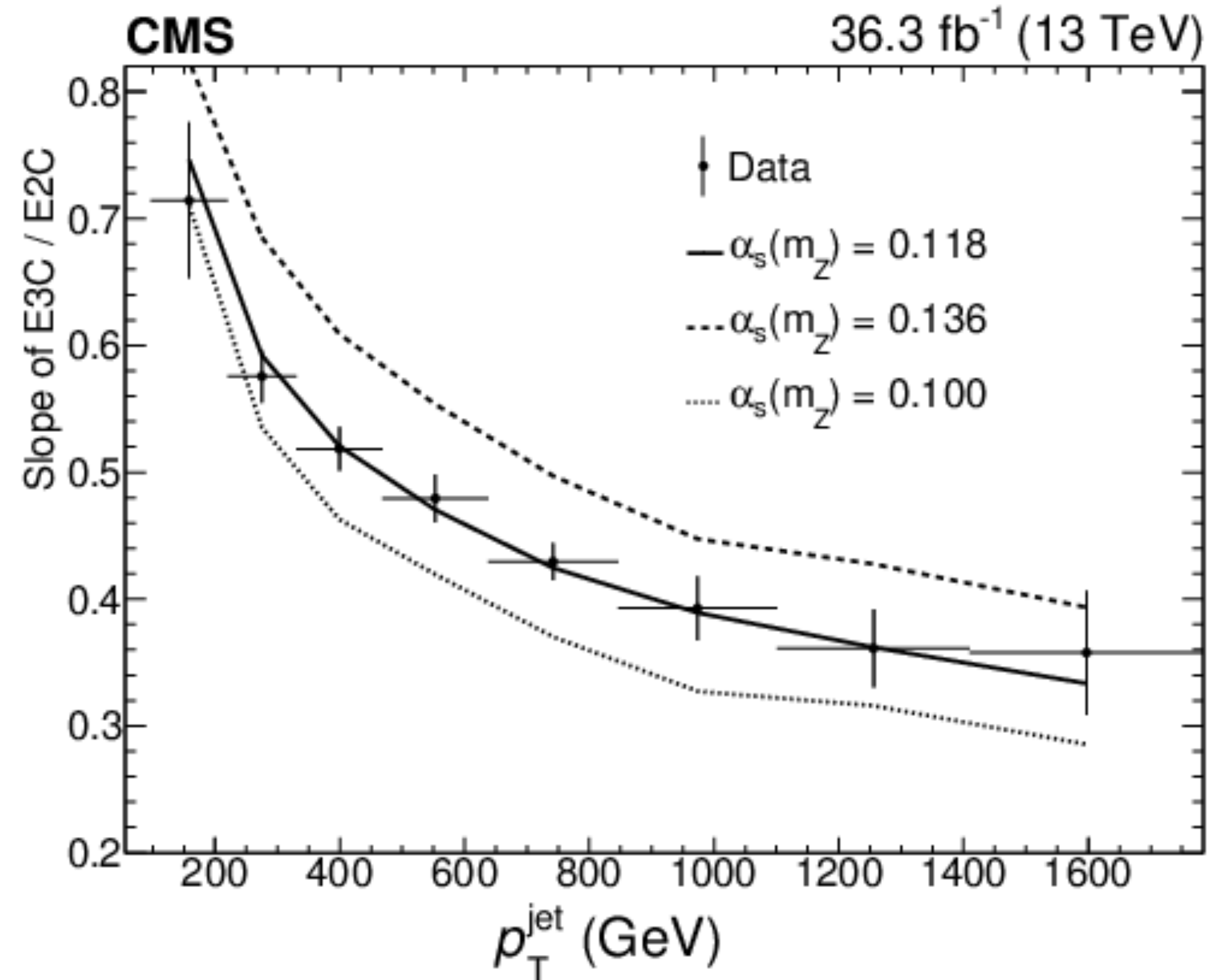


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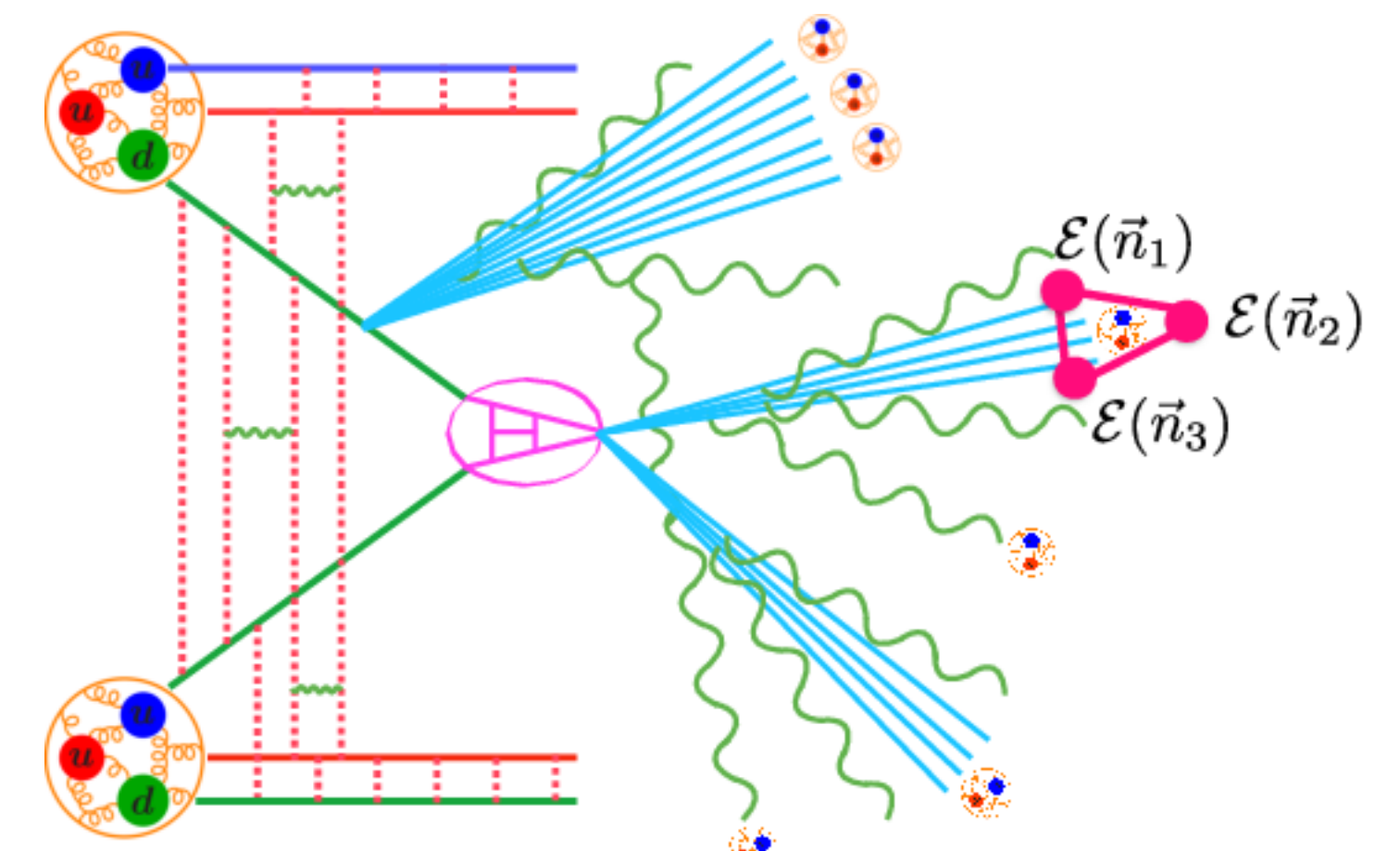


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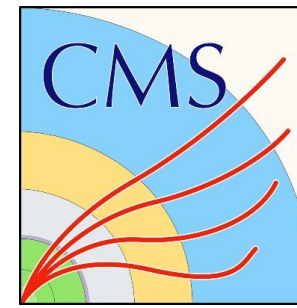
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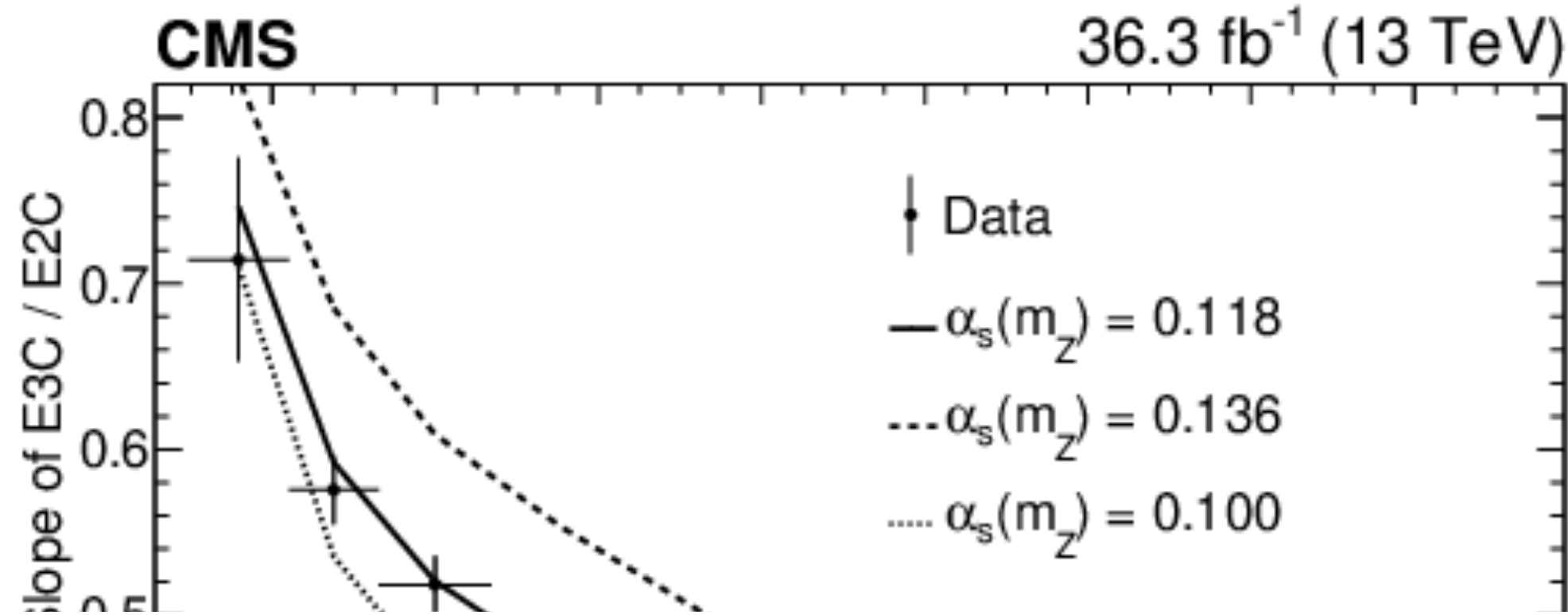
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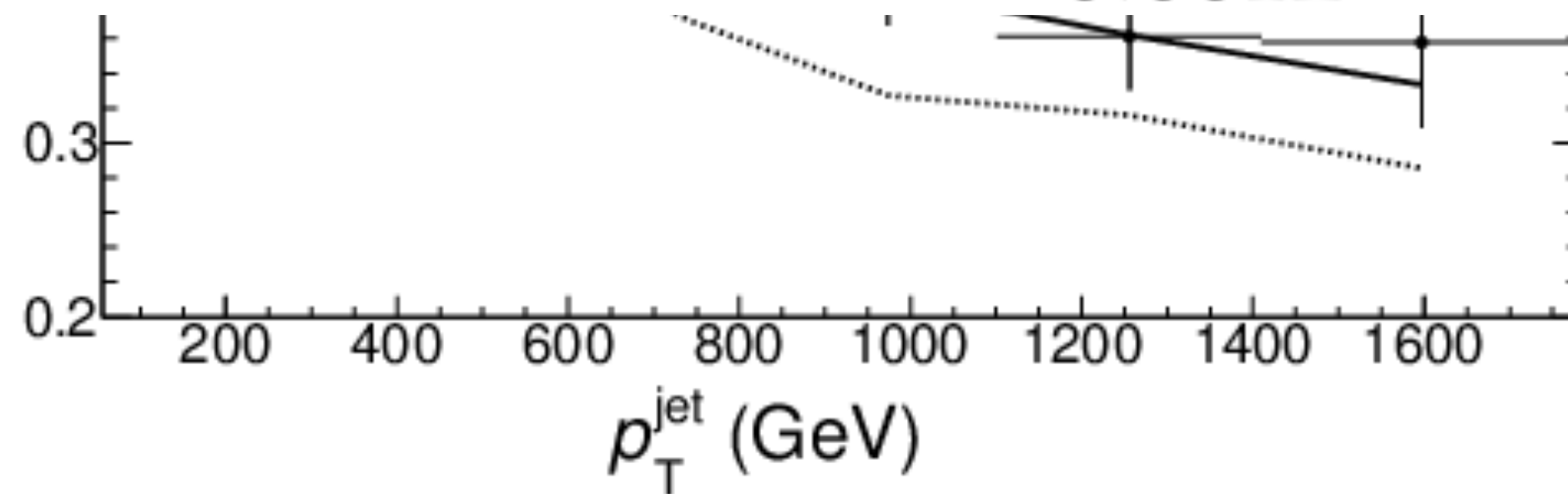


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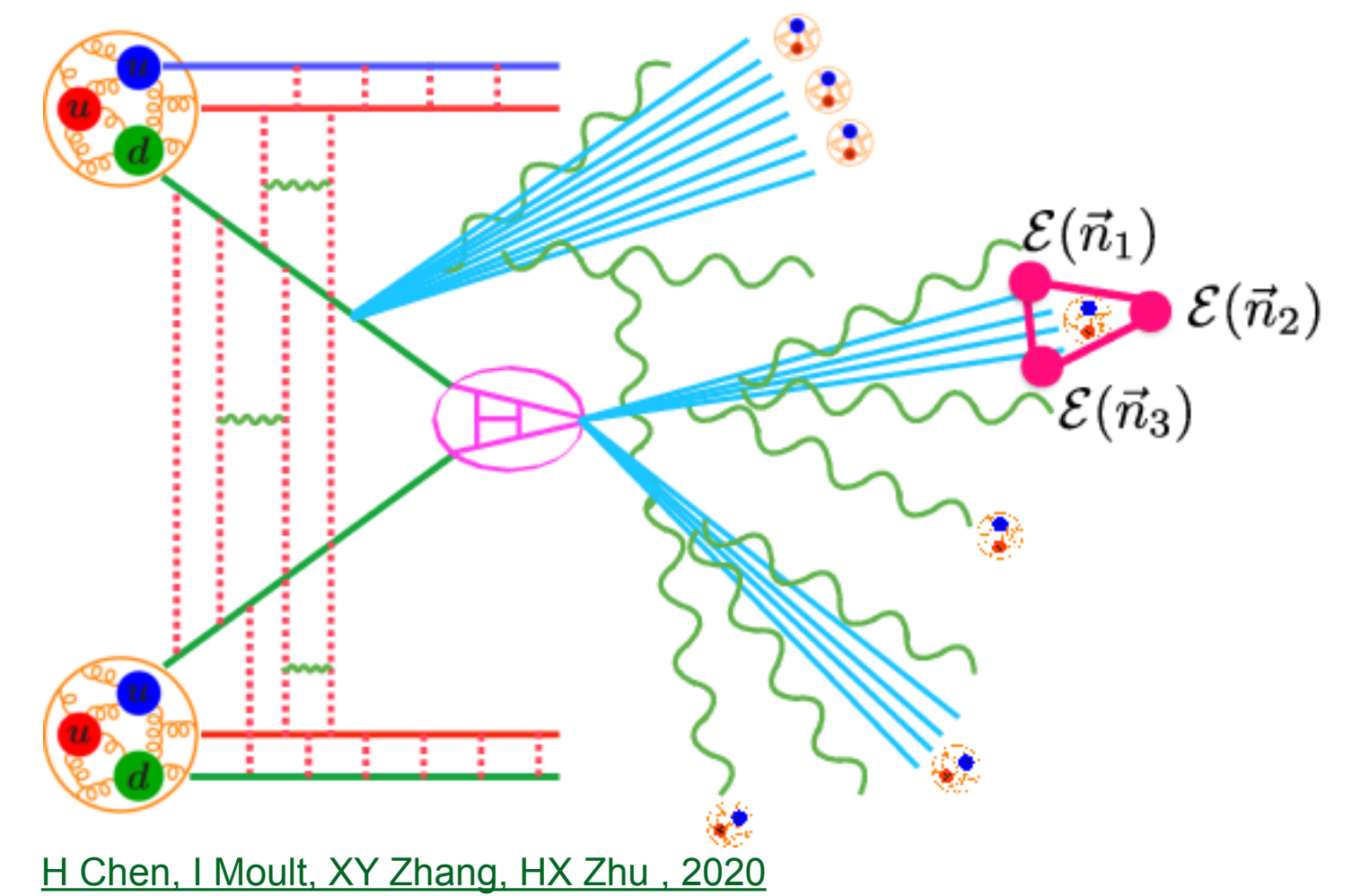
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$$\alpha_S(m_Z) = 0.1229^{+0.0014}_{-0.0012} \text{ (stat)} \overset{+0.0030}{\underset{-0.0033}{\text{ (theo)}}} \overset{+0.0023}{\underset{-0.0036}{\text{ (exp)}}} \times (\Delta R_{i,j}, \Delta R_{i,k}, \Delta R_{j,k})$$



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# Jet Substructure in Boosted $t\bar{t}$ events

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## Generalized Angularities

$$\lambda_{\beta}^{\kappa} = \sum_{i \in J} z_i^{\kappa} \left( \frac{\Delta R(i, \hat{n})}{R} \right)^{\beta}$$

## N-subjettiness

$$\tau_N = \frac{1}{d_0} \sum_k p_{T,k} \min \{ \Delta R_{1,k}, \Delta R_{2,k}, \dots, \Delta R_{N,k} \}$$

with  $d_0 = \sum_k p_{T,k} R_0$ .

## Experimental Setup and Jet Reconstruction:

- $\sqrt{s} = 13$  TeV (Run 2)
- $t\bar{t}$  events
- Four types of jets:
  - R = 0.1 Anti-kt calorimeter jets (1)
  - R = 0.4 Anti-kt particle flow jets (2)
  - R = 1.0 reclustered from R = 0.4 jets in (2)
  - $p_T$  dependent variable R jets from tracks

## Energy Correlation Functions

$$\text{ECF}(N) = \sum_{i_1 < i_2 < \dots < i_N \in J} \left( \prod_{a=1}^N p_{T,i_a} \right) \left( \prod_{b=1}^{N-1} \prod_{c=b+1}^N \Delta R(i_b, i_c) \right)$$

$$C_3 = \frac{\text{ECF}(4) \text{ECF}(2)}{\text{ECF}(3)^2},$$

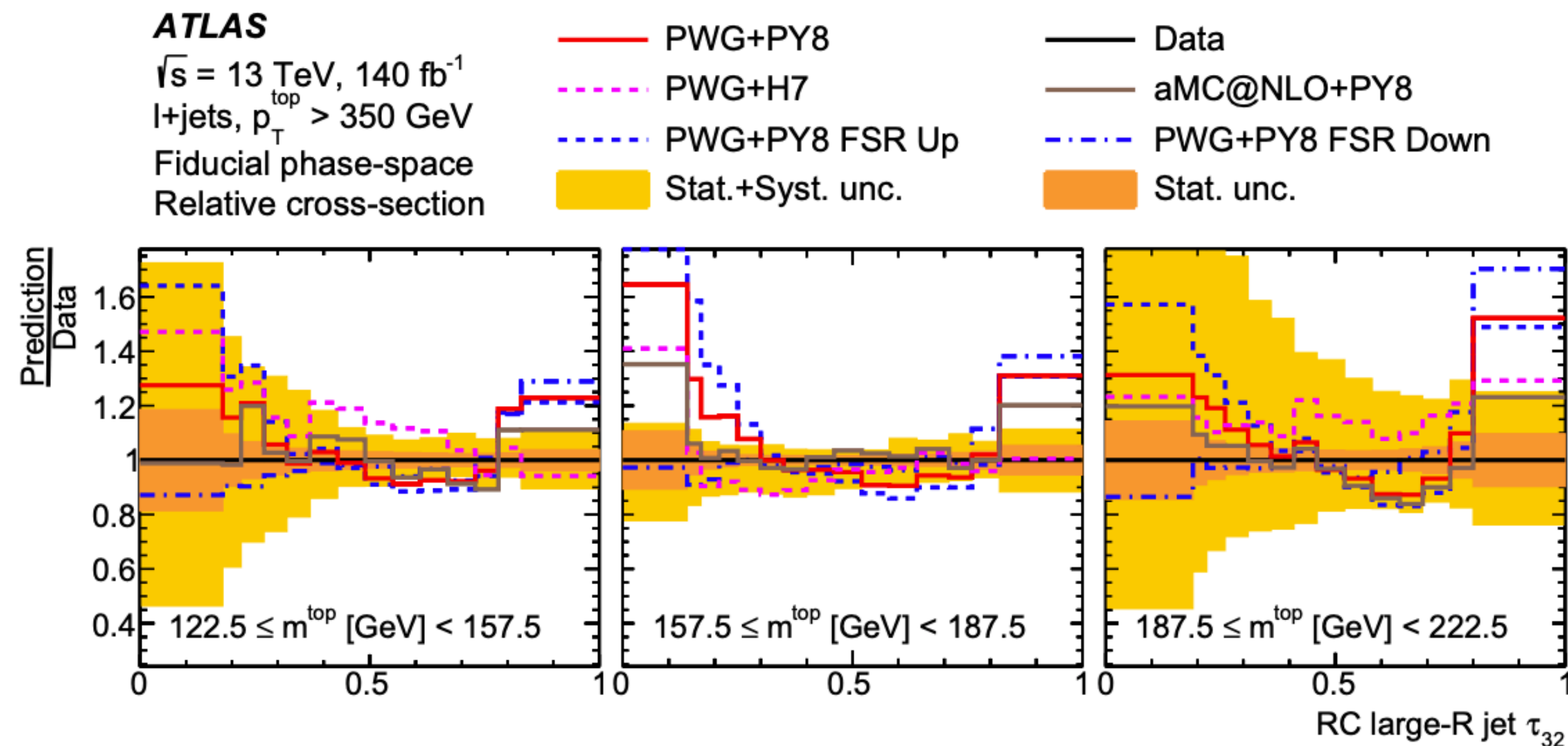
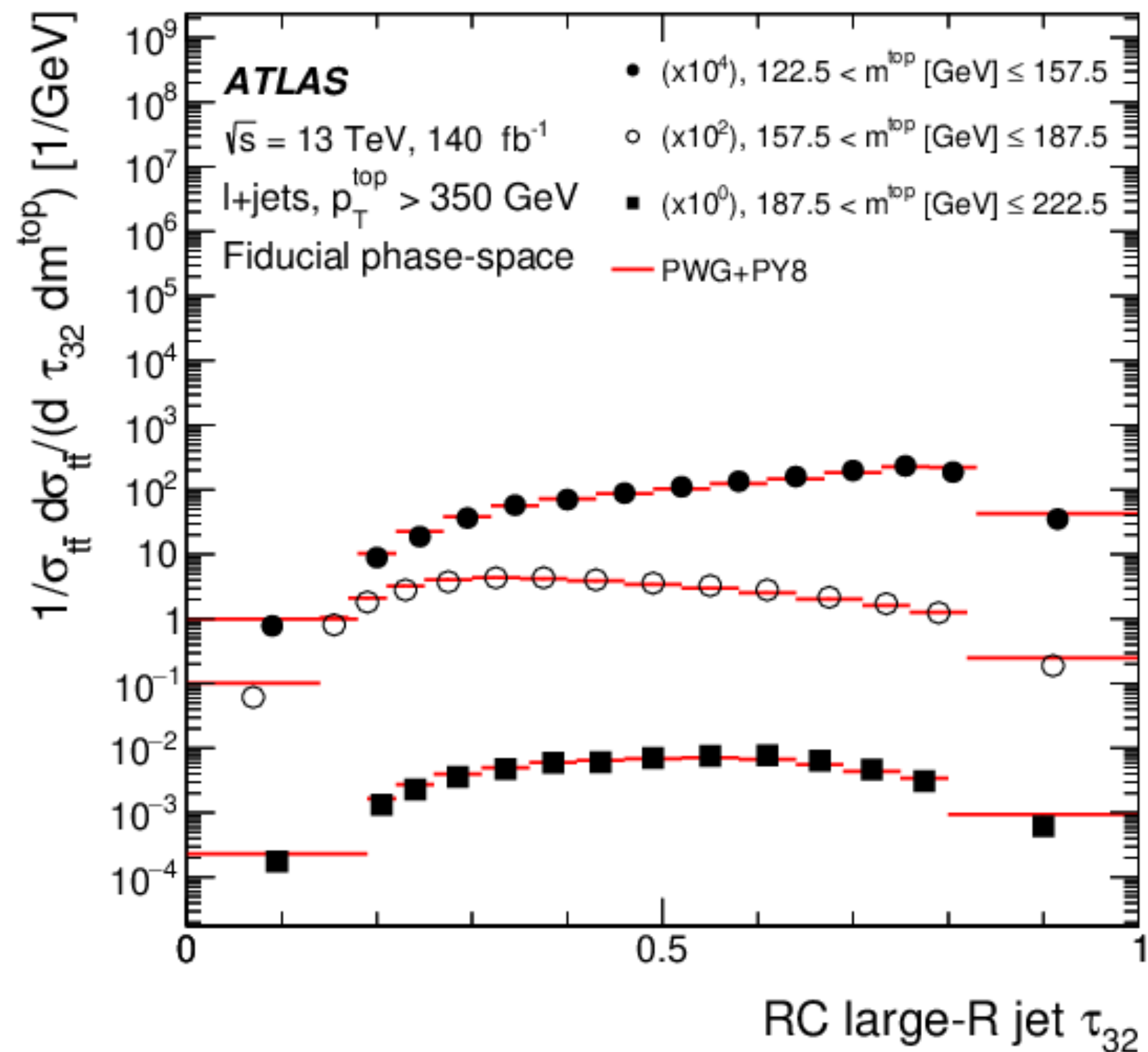
$$D_2 = \frac{\text{ECF}(3) \text{ECF}(1)^3}{\text{ECF}(2)^3}.$$



# Jet Substructure in Boosted $t\bar{t}$ events

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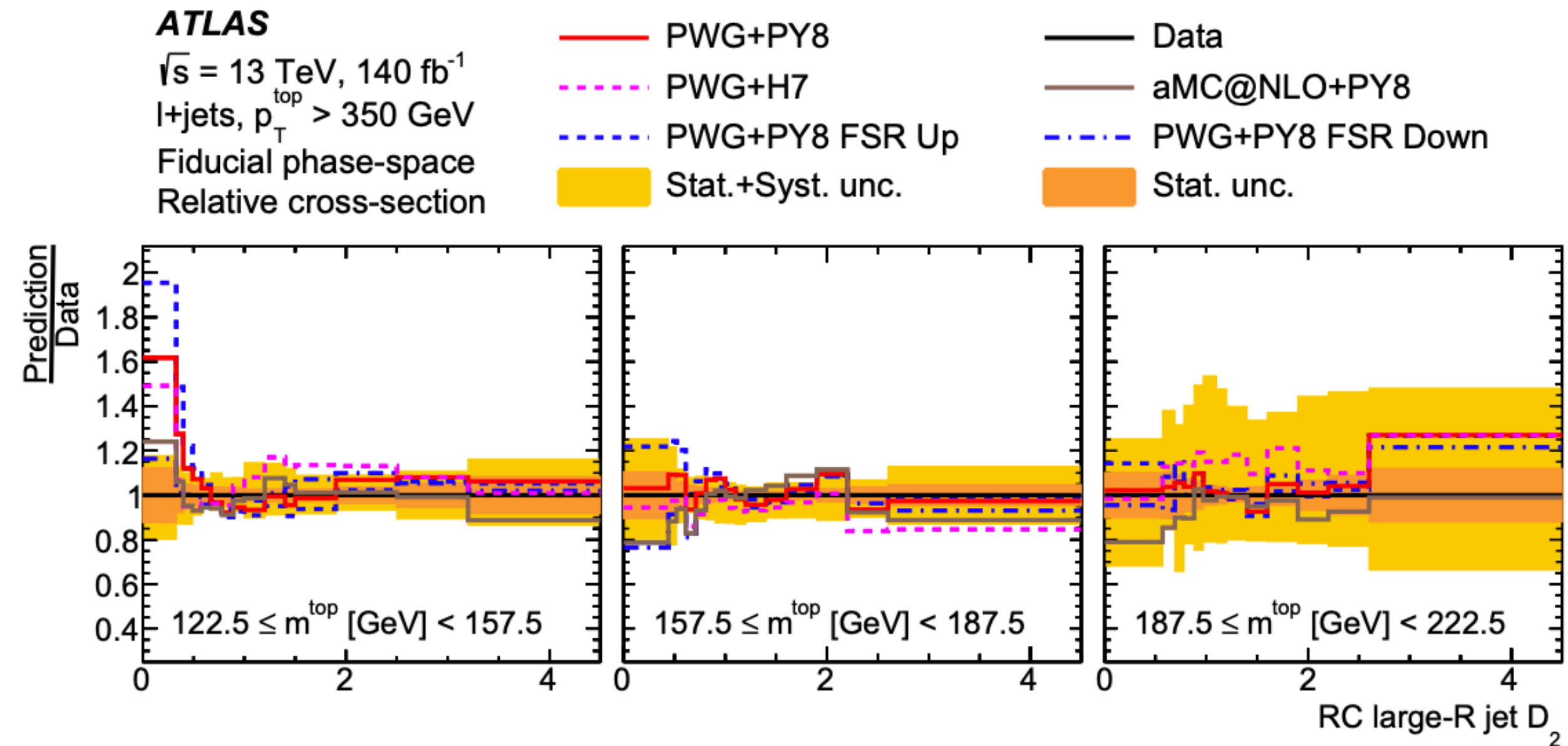
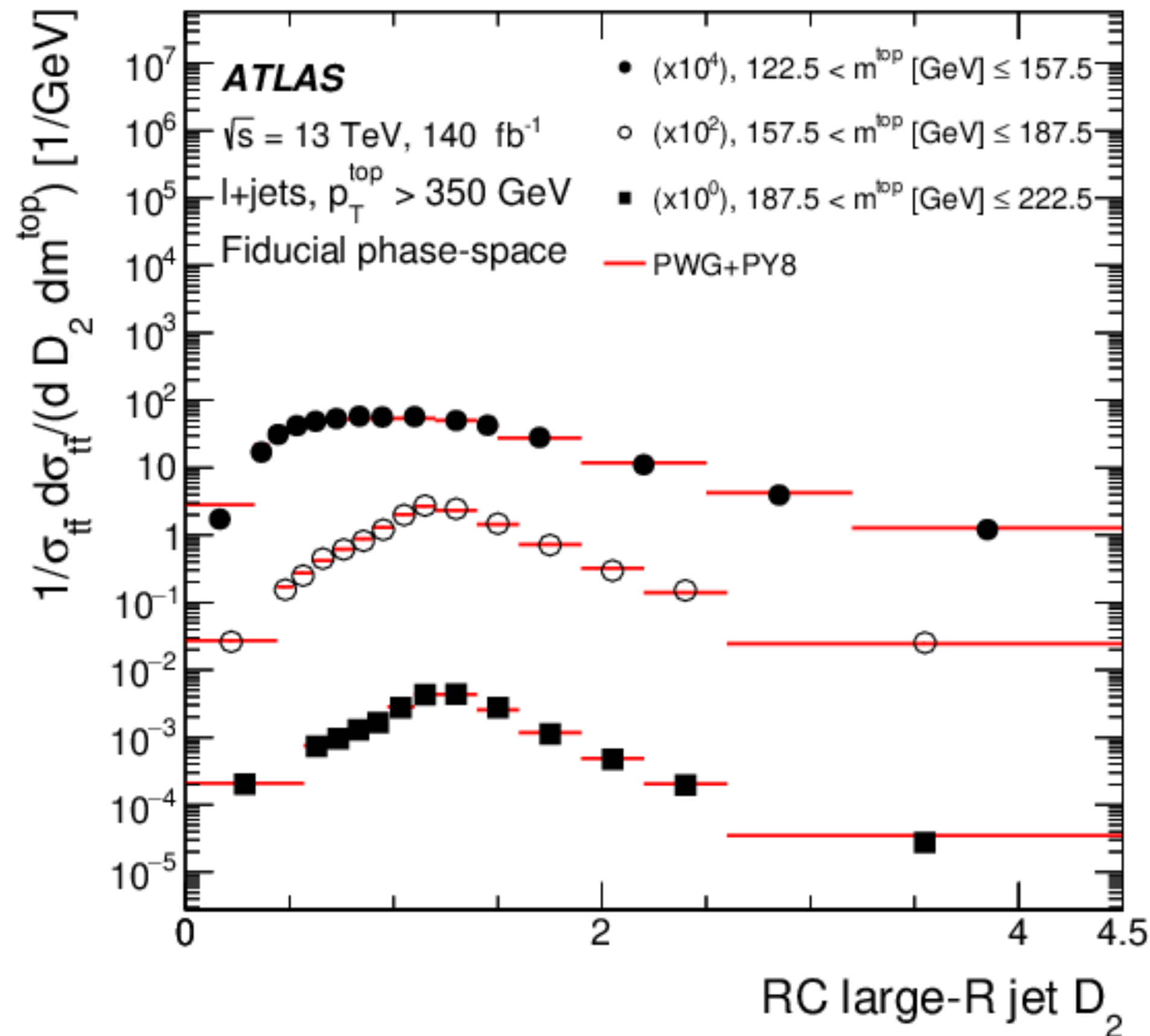
- Ratio of 3-subjettiness to 2-subjettiness  $\tau_{32}$  for reclustered large R jets as a function of jet mass  $m^{\text{top}}$
- $\tau_{32}$  discriminates between 2-pronged and 3-pronged jets
- MC generators perform poorly in the middle  $m^{\text{top}}$  bin

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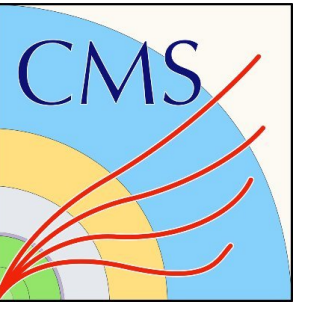


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- $D_2$  is close to 0 for 2-pronged jets
- MC generators perform better in predicting  $D_2$  compared to  $\tau_{32}$  in bins of  $m^{\text{top}}$

# Heavy-flavor Jet ID in boosted topologies



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## ParticleNet-MD

- Inputs: particle-flow (PF) objects and secondary vertex (SV) information
- Treat jet as an unordered set of its daughters “particle clouds”

## DeepDoubleX

- Inputs: jet observables + PF candidates + SV information
- Complex architecture of convolutional layers and gated recurrent units

## DeepAK8-MD

- Inputs: PF objects and SV information
- Takes advantage of correlations between particles through ResNet architecture

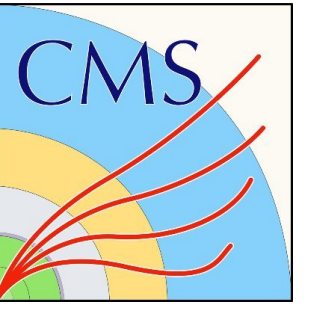
## Double-b

- Inputs: Track and SV information
- Boosted decision tree to discriminate Higgs to  $b\bar{b}$  decays from QCD jets

**Studying boosted topologies of heavy resonances  $X \rightarrow b\bar{b}/c\bar{c}$  and discriminating them from QCD is important for BSM searches**

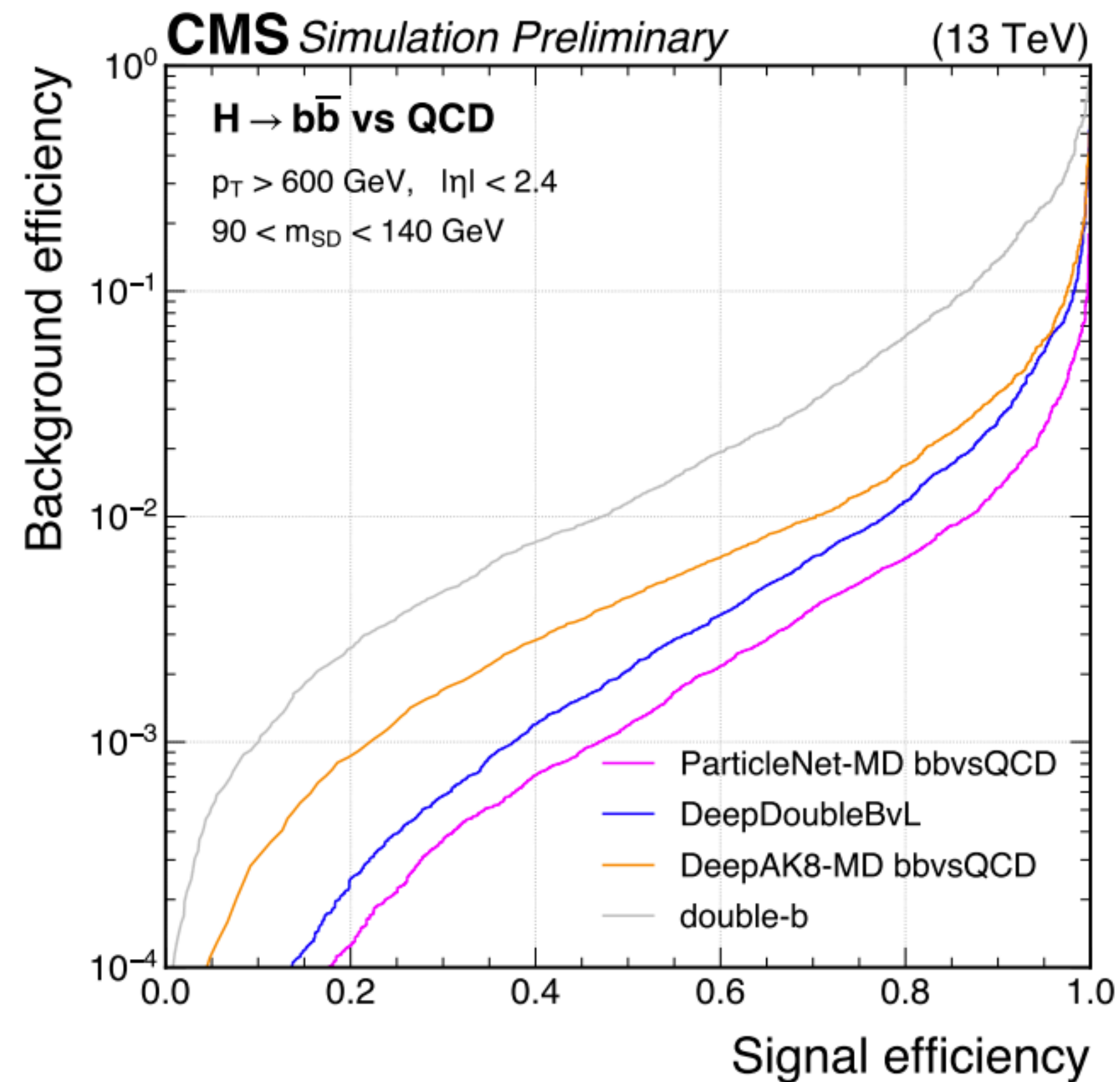
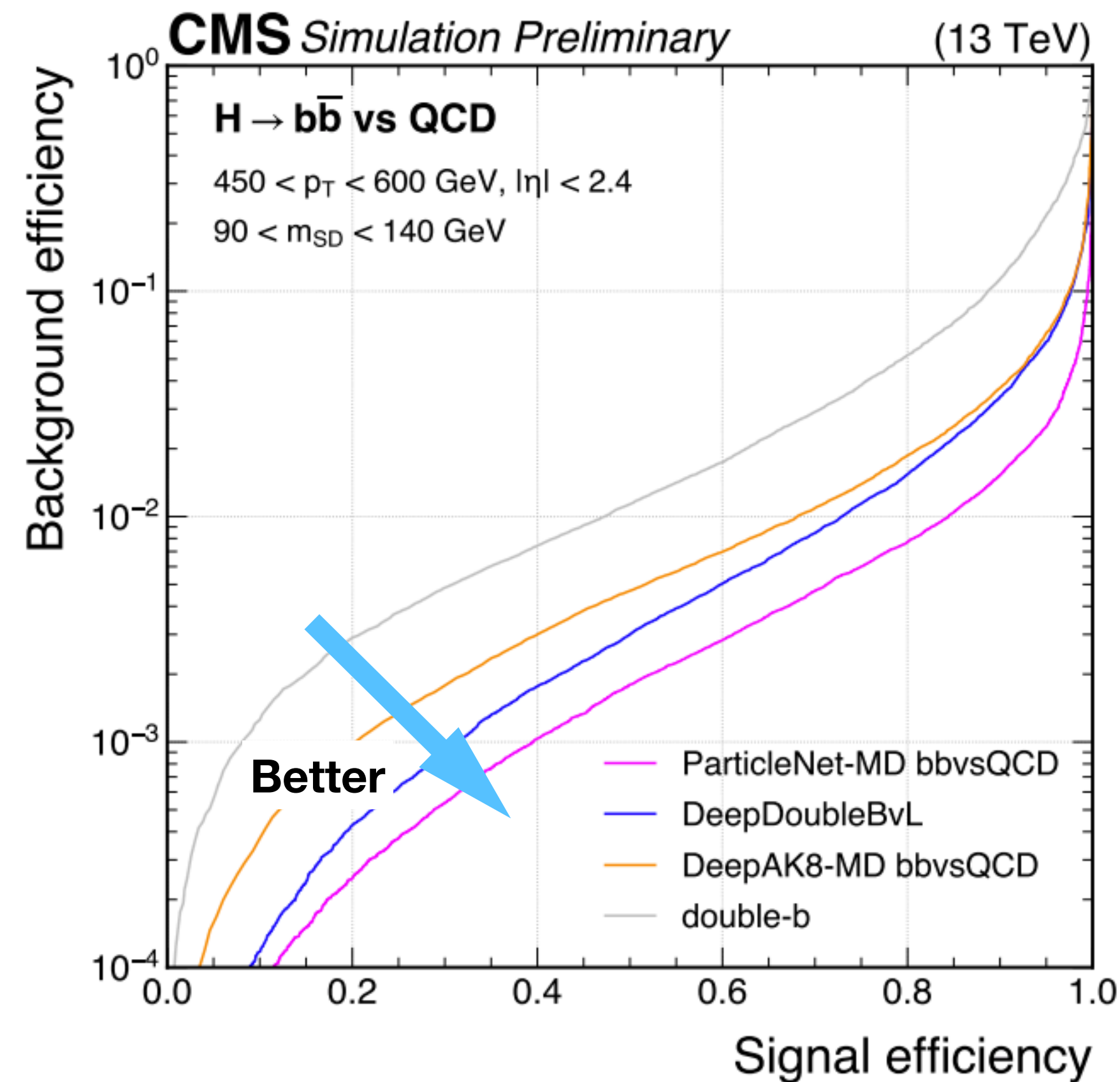


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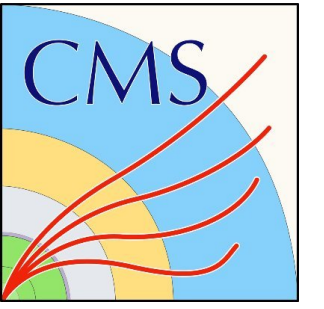
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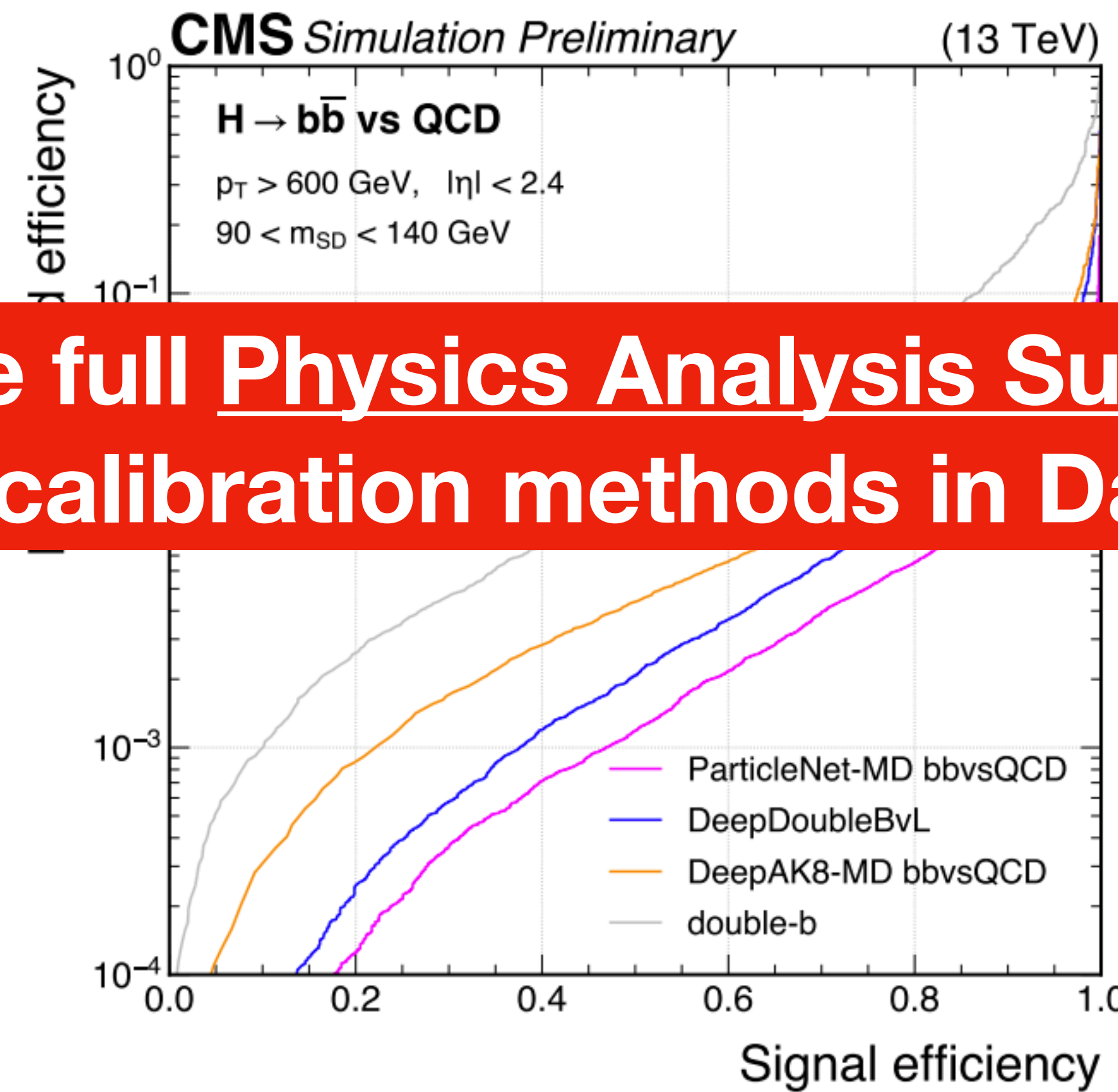
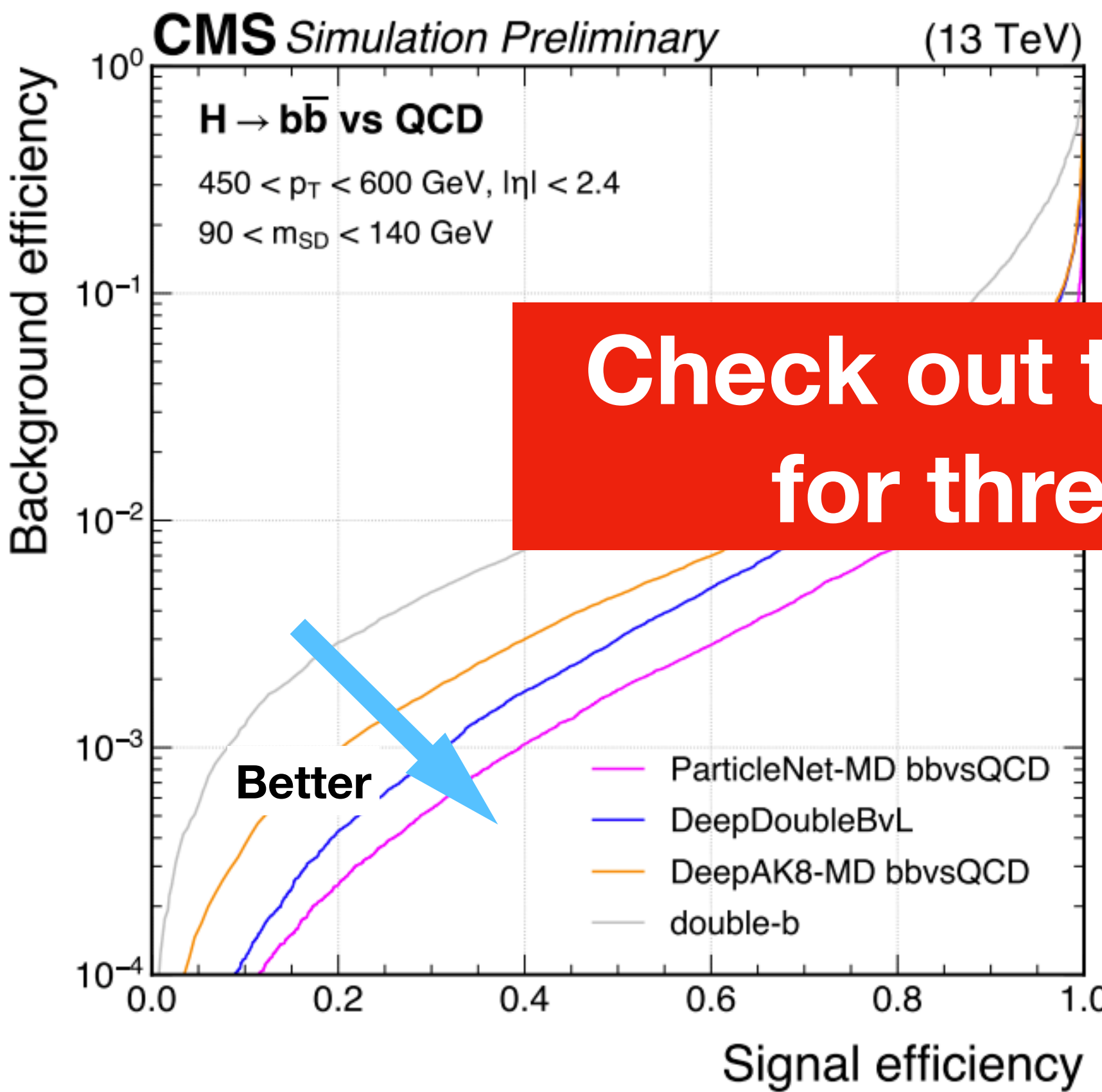
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