

Jet Veto Efficiency Discussion : What does CMS do?

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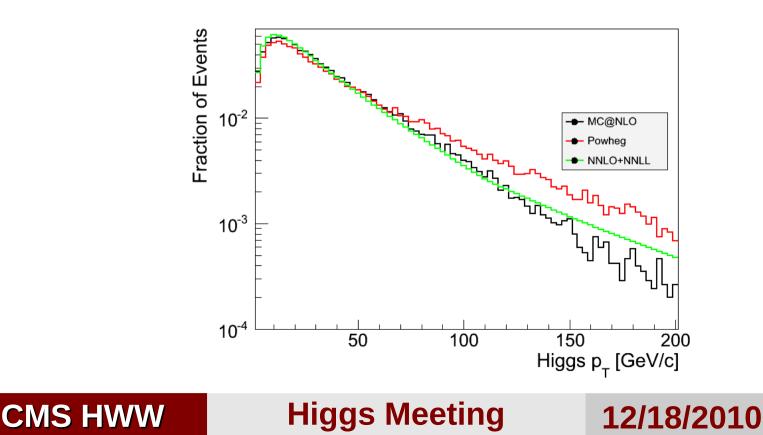
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Higgs Pt Reweighting

- There exists a reference resummed Higgs Pt spectrum computed to NNLO+NNLL (Grazzini et. al)
- To make apples-to-apples comparisons, we reweight all MC Higgs predictions to the reference pT spectrum.

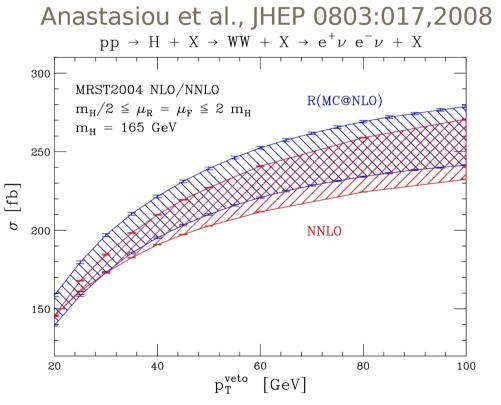






Jet Veto Efficiency Estimate

- HWW Jet Veto Efficiency = ($\epsilon_{_{Z Data}} / \epsilon_{_{Z MC}}$) * $\epsilon_{_{HWW}}$ • Jet energy response in signal simulation largely corrected by Z data
- Gain Faith in the estimate by verifying overlap of the MC (Parton Shower) prediction vs. fixed order NNLO calculation.



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Systematic Uncertainty

- Estimate theoretical uncertainties on ratio R = ($\epsilon_{_{HWW}}$ / $\epsilon_{_{ZMC}}$)
 - Higher order corrections
 - vary factorization & renormalization scale in NLO MC, evaluate change in R
 - PDF
 - standard PDF reweight procedure, evaluate change in R
 - Higher order log terms
 - There does not exist resummed calculations, differential in jet momenta.
 - We account for large log terms via MC parton shower.
 - Higher order log terms may affect R particularly at low jet pt threshold!!
 - With lack of better calculations, we account for this effect by using the difference between two MC (Powheg+Pythia vs. MC@NLO + Herwig) which use very different models to account for large logarithms
- Jet energy correction uncertainty
 - Vary the jet veto threshold by the uncertainty of the jet energy measurement, evaluate the change in R





