

$R_{\rm b}$ and b-tagging efficiency

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$\rm R_{\rm b}$ at LEP and SLD



Is 10, 100x better than LEP possible?

Double-tag method (ideal case)

$$f_{S} = \epsilon_{b} R_{b}$$

$$f_{D} = \epsilon_{b}^{2} R_{b}$$

$$R_{b} = \frac{f_{S}^{2}}{f_{D}} \text{ and } \epsilon_{b} = \frac{f_{D}}{f_{S}}$$

- Measure ratio of single and double tag hemisphere: $_{\odot}$ ~ f_{_{\rm S}}, f_{_{\rm D}}
- Simultaneous extraction of: R_b , ε_b

Advantage: Measure directly b-tagging efficiency from data

Expected stat. precision ~

$$\left(\frac{\Delta R_b}{R_b}\right)_{\text{stat}} \approx \frac{\sqrt{N(Z \to b\bar{b})}}{\epsilon_b^2}$$
 ~ 1e-6

Double-tag method (with hemisphere correlations)

https://arxiv.org/pdf/hep-ex/9810002.pdf

$$f_{S} = \epsilon_{b}R_{b} + \epsilon_{c}R_{c} + \epsilon_{uds}(1 - R_{b} - R_{c})$$

$$f_{D} = (1 + C_{b})\epsilon_{b}^{2}R_{b} + (1 + C_{c})\epsilon_{c}^{2}R_{c} + (1 + C_{uds})\epsilon_{uds}^{2}(1 - R_{b} - R_{c})$$

- Measure single and double tag fractions : f_s, f_D
- Extract POIs: R_b, ε_b

Input from MC:

- Mistag rates: ε_{c} , ε_{uds} ,
- tag correlation coefficients: C_b, C_c, C_{uds}
- theory: R_c

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Assumptions and selection

- \circ 2 years at sqrt(s) = 91.188 GeV
- \circ $\sigma(ee \rightarrow had) = 30050 \text{ pb} (at NLO QCD)$
- N(ee \rightarrow had) = 1.13e12 events
- $\circ~$ no backgrounds (ee \rightarrow t t) ~<0.1%
- \circ no "had" preselection (E_{vis}, N_{tracks})
 - neglecting bias introduced by preselection

Selection

- N = 2 Durham k_{T} clustering
- $\cos(\theta_{T}) < 0.7$

Efficiency ~ 60%

$$\begin{array}{c} \circ & R_{b} = 0.2155 \\ \circ & R_{c} = 0.1720 \\ \circ & R_{q} = 1 - R_{b} - R_{c} \end{array}$$

Impact of systematics on R_{b} and ϵ_{b} precision



Working points:



Loose tagging WPs are preferred to minimise syst. of C_b to R_b

Sensitivity to charm mistag rate



Tight tagging WPs are preferred to minimise impact of charm mistag

Comments

 Assuming all systematics of the same size (and independent of the tagging purity), largest sensitivity

 $\circ \quad C_{b} > \epsilon_{c} > \epsilon_{uds} > C_{c} > C_{I}$

- To minimise impact of systematic uncertainties, trade-off between possible b-tagging working points of various purities
 - \circ C_b prefers loose tag WP
 - mistag rates prefer tight WP

Systematics at LEP (OPAL)

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Source	$\Delta \epsilon^{ m c}/\epsilon^{ m c}$ (%)	$\Delta \epsilon^{ m uds} / \epsilon^{ m uds}$ (%)	$\Delta R_{ m b}$	
Tracking resolution	1.24	4.0	0.00017	
Tracking efficiency	0.80	4.0	0.00014	
Silicon hit matching efficiency	0.82	2.8	0.00009	
Silicon alignment	0.58	2.1	0.00008	
Electron identification efficiency	1.11	0.5	0.00015	
Muon identification efficiency	0.64	0.2	0.00009	
c quark fragmentation	2.26	-	0.00028	
c hadron production fractions	3.66	-	0.00046	
c hadron lifetimes	0.55	-	0.00007	
c charged decay multiplicity	1.09	-	0.00014	
c neutral decay multiplicity	2.39	-	0.00030	
Branching fraction $B(D \to K^0)$	1.20	-	0.00015	
c semileptonic branching fraction	2.44	-	0.00031	
c semileptonic decay modelling	2.34	-	0.00029	
Gluon splitting to $c\overline{c}$	0.34	6.3	0.00018	
Gluon splitting to $b\overline{b}$	0.50	9.3	0.00027	
K ⁰ and hyperon production	-	0.3	0.00001	
Monte Carlo statistics (c, uds)	0.66	2.5	0.00010	
Subtotal $\Delta \epsilon^{c}$ and $\Delta \epsilon^{uds}$	6.65	13.3	0.00090	
Electron identification background			0.00039	
Muon identification background				
Efficiency correlation $\Delta C^{\rm b}$				
Event selection bias			0.00033	
Total			0.00129	

Correlation $C^{\rm b} - 1$ (%)	Vertex	Combined
Same hemisphere events	0.02 ± 0.02	-0.03 ± 0.02
Momentum correlation	0.04 ± 0.05	0.06 ± 0.03
Geometrical correlation	0.88 ± 0.02	0.71 ± 0.02
Component sum	0.94 ± 0.06	-0.74 ± 0.04
Overall correlation	0.83 ± 0.20	0.93 ± 0.17

 $\frac{\Delta C_{b}}{\Delta \varepsilon_{c}} \approx 20\%$ $\frac{\Delta \varepsilon_{c}}{\varepsilon_{c}} \approx 7\%$

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$$\Delta \varepsilon_{\rm uds}^{\rm c} / \varepsilon_{\rm uds} \approx 13\%$$

Results vs purity

Assumption: systematics constant over tagging score



- Optimal working point is ~ Loose depending on syst assumptions
- 1% syst. scenarios prefer slightly higher purity because larger relative reduction of error on C_b

Prel. conclusion and next

- Start assessing how systematics scale vs tagging purity
- Most likely this method will require to trust MC to better that 1% to achieve goal $\Delta \epsilon_{\rm b} / \epsilon_{\rm b} \sim \Delta R_{\rm b} / R_{\rm b} \sim 2e-4$
- Multi tag method to fit all flavor mis-tagging efficiencies and R_{b,c,s,ud} from data will rely less on MC modelling
- Scale factors to extrapolate for Z ($\sqrt{s}=90$ GeV) to ZH ($\sqrt{s}=240$ GeV) ?

closer look at the correlation

cf. Emmanuel



- Efficiency dependence with jet momentum
 - max eff at high p (OK)
 - non monotonic vs p (?)
- Correlation dependence with the jet momentum
 - max correlation at p_{iet} ~ 30 GeV
 - \circ correlation vanishes at $p_{jet} \sim E_{beam}$

- Correlation dependence with the tagger
 - max correlation at high purities

When gluon radiation is switched off in Pythia:

- Flat efficiency vs p
- Tagging one leg does not bias the efficiency of the other leg



cf. Emmanuel

gluon radiation responsible for correlation



- B-tagging efficiency increases with b-hadron momentum
- B-tagging efficiency decreases if gluon emission in the same hemisphere

 $\rightarrow N_{frag}$ (number of fragmentation tracks) increases

 \rightarrow SV more easily mistaken for PV



- gluon emission increases number of N_{frag} tracks
 - decreases available momentum \ddot{f} bhadron p_B and overall p_{iet} (increase the jet mass)
 - momentum balance \rightarrow opp. hemisphere also softer

Open questions

- Tagging correlation depends:
 - \circ on the tagger purity
 - \circ on the jet momentum
 - correlated with amount of gluon radiation in the event, and relative momentum carried by the bhadron
 - \rightarrow including such information is crucial to understand this effects (IN PROGRESS ..)

systematics ultimately will depend on TH parton shower and fragmentation models

Backup

C-mistag rate efficiency and correlation





Sensitivity to light mistag rate



Tight tagging WPs are preferred to minimise impact of light quark mistag systematics
 Similar sensitivity than ε_c, (ε_{uds} < ε_c but R_{uds} ~ 3 R_c)

Sensitivity to R_c



• **Tight** tagging WPs are preferred to minimise impact of R_c parametric

Sensitivity to C_c



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Sensitivity to C_{uds}



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