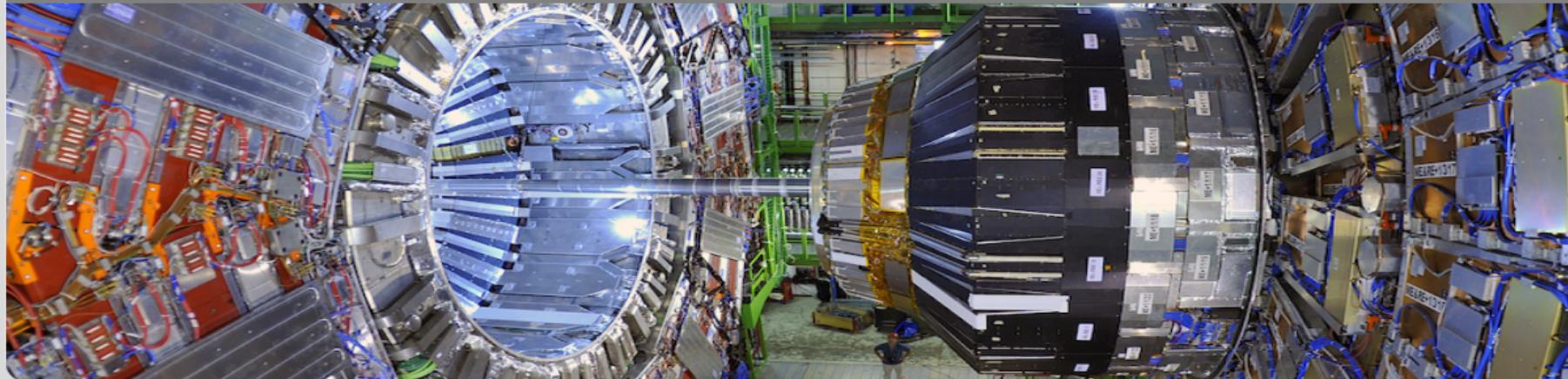


Performance of the CNN-based tau identification algorithm with Domain Adaptation using Adversarial Machine Learning for Run 3

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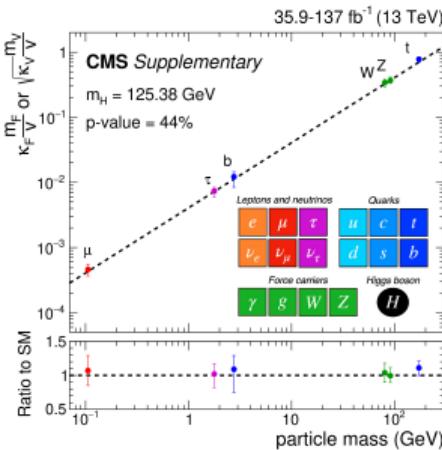
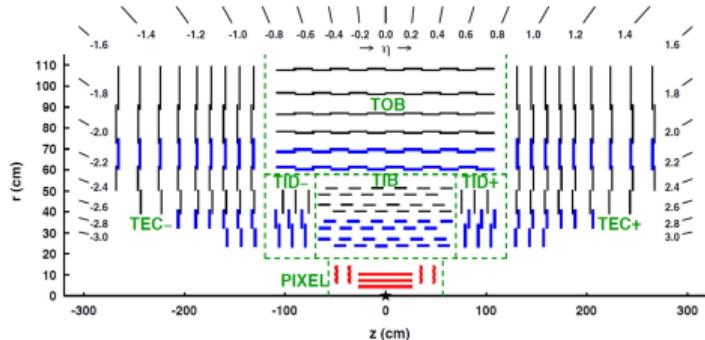
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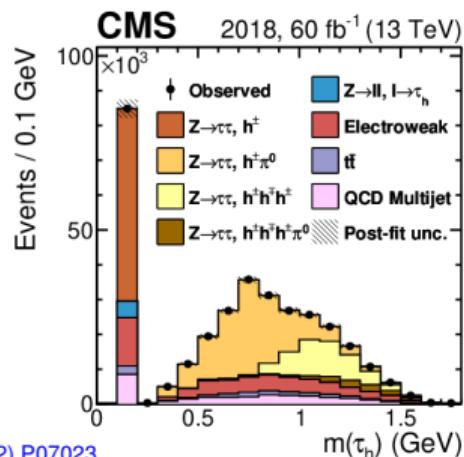
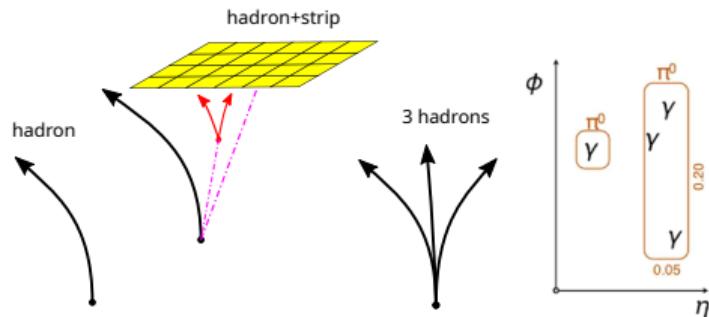
τ properties in context of CMS physics

- mass $1776.86 \pm 0.12 \text{ MeV}/c^2$, the strongest $H \rightarrow l^+ l^-$ Yukawa coupling
- lifetime $\tau = 2.9 \times 10^{-13} \text{ s}$ or $c\tau = 87 \mu\text{m} \rightarrow$ beam pipe radius $\approx 3\text{cm} \rightarrow$ decays before reaching the tracker \rightarrow reconstructed by its decay products; $E \approx 200 \text{ GeV} \rightarrow c\tau = 10.2 \text{ mm}$
- N.B. we discuss properties of hadronically decay τ lepton (τ_{had})
- τ_{had} object is preprocessed via two step procedure of reconstruction and identification for analysis purposes
- τ_{had} is a key observable in many CMS analyses



Hadronic τ reconstruction at CMS via HPS algorithm

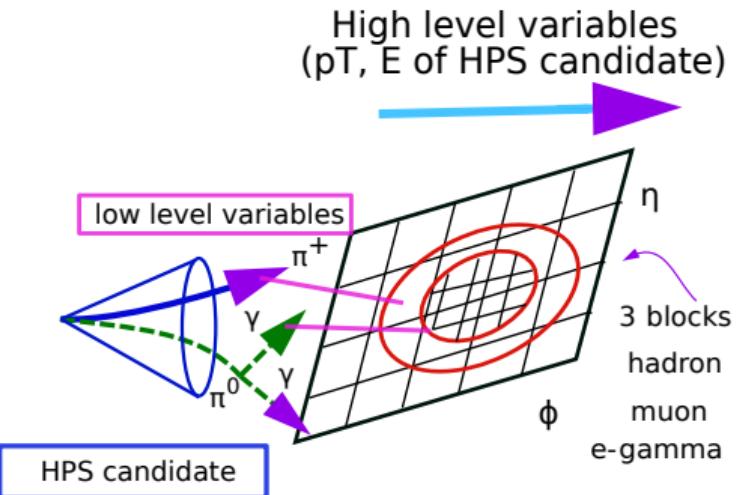
Decay mode	Resonance	\mathcal{B} (%)
Leptonic decays		35.2
$\tau^- \rightarrow e^- \bar{\nu}_e \nu_\tau$		17.8
$\tau^- \rightarrow \mu^- \bar{\nu}_\mu \nu_\tau$		17.4
Hadronic decays		64.8
$\tau^- \rightarrow h^- \nu_\tau$		11.5
$\tau^- \rightarrow h^- \pi^0 \nu_\tau$	$\rho(770)$	25.9
$\tau^- \rightarrow h^- \pi^0 \pi^0 \nu_\tau$	$a_1(1260)$	9.5
$\tau^- \rightarrow h^- h^+ h^- \nu_\tau$	$a_1(1260)$	9.8
$\tau^- \rightarrow h^- h^+ h^- \pi^0 \nu_\tau$		4.8
Other		3.3



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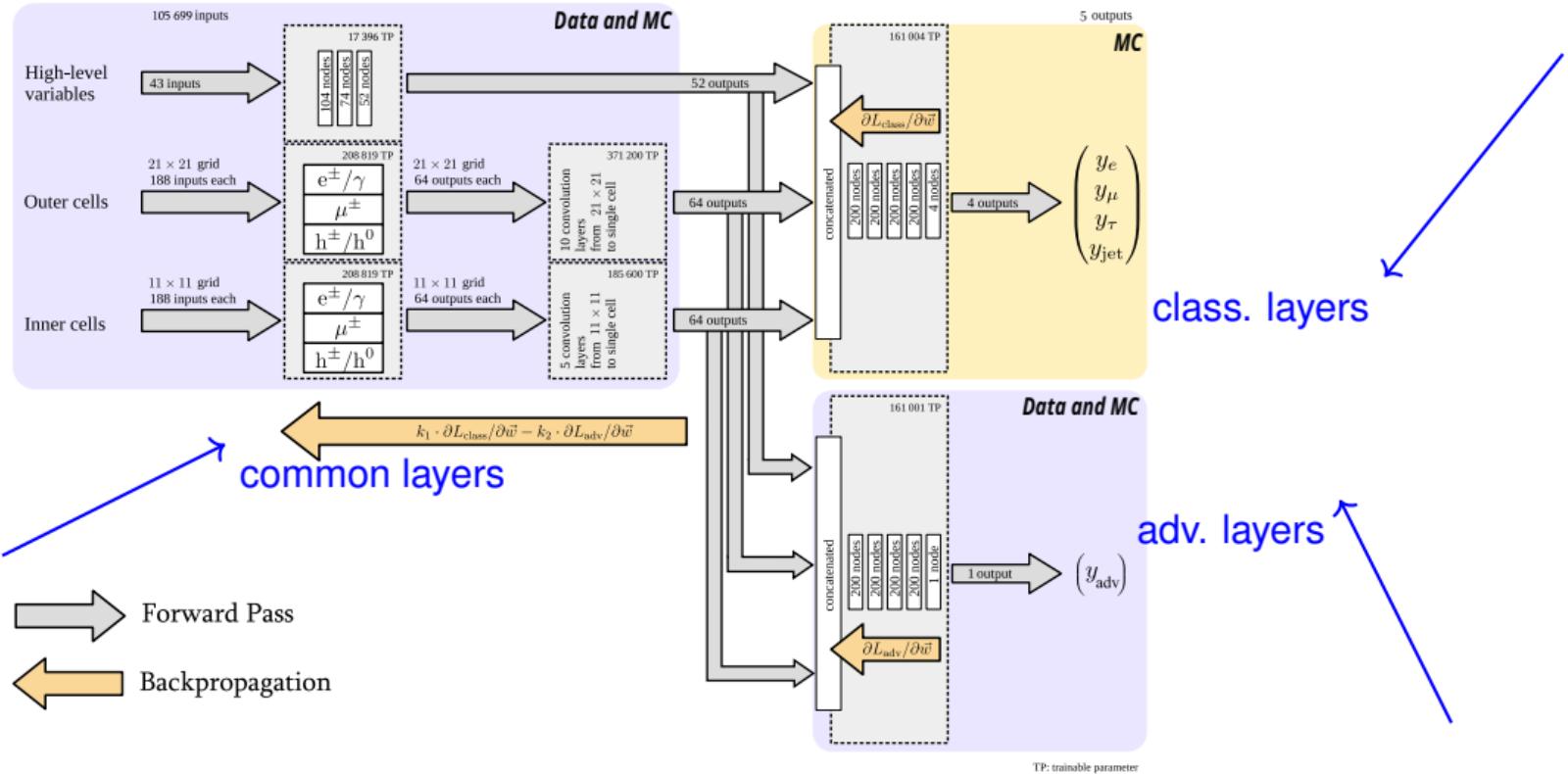
- τ_{had} reconstruction based on Particle Flow algorithm input
- seed regions are selected algorithmically through hadronic jets:
 - Cluster photons and electrons/positrons to form strips which are a stand in for the neutral pion
 - Combine charged hadrons with strips and reject all candidates whose masses are not compatible with the mass of mesonic resonances in the decay chain

Hadronic τ identification using Deep Tau



- After HPS reconstruction few objects can be misidentified as τ_{had} : jets, electrons, muons
- Deep Tau - convolutional neural network reduces the misidentification
- Deep Tau v2p5 is an improved version of its predecessor - Deep Tau v2p1
- Validation on Run 2 data but used for Run 3 analyses

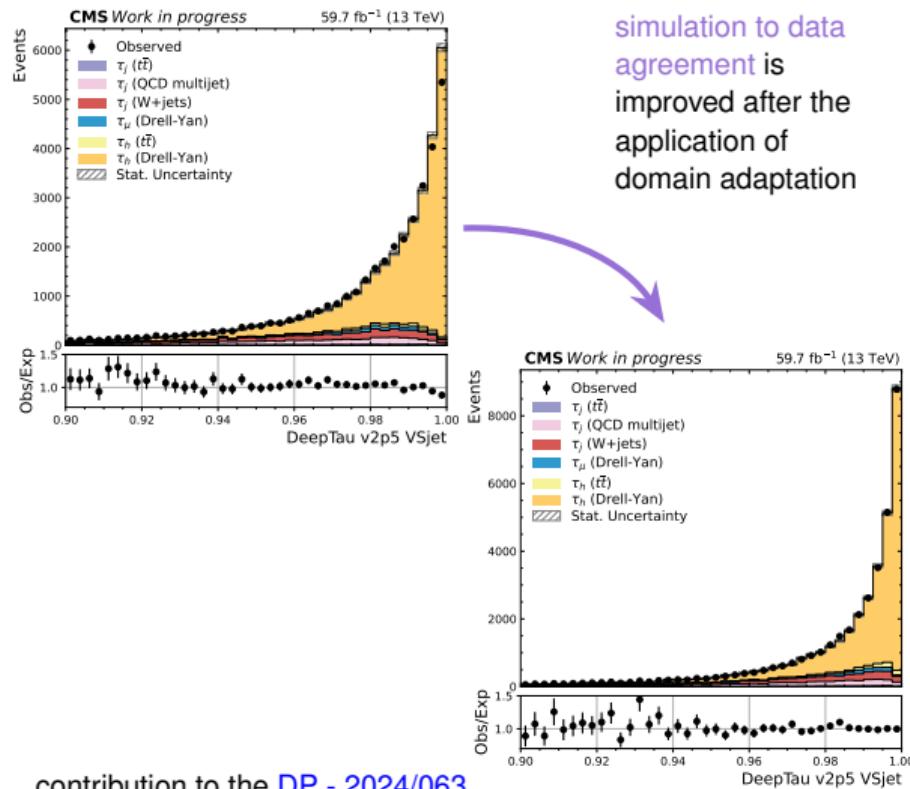
Deep Tau v2p5 architecture



Domain adaptation in a context of Deep Tau v2p5 model

- Domain adaptation is a major improvement with respect to the previous model
- Includes simultaneous training of two subnetworks, one is purely on simulation, another one on a combination of data and simulation
- Pure MC-based training to distinguish between genuine τ_{had} and jet/e/ μ fakes; combined MC&data to minimize differentiation between them
- Adversarial term in a loss function:

$$k_1 \frac{\delta L_{\text{class}}}{\delta \vec{w}} - k_2 \frac{\delta L_{\text{adv}}}{\delta \vec{w}}$$

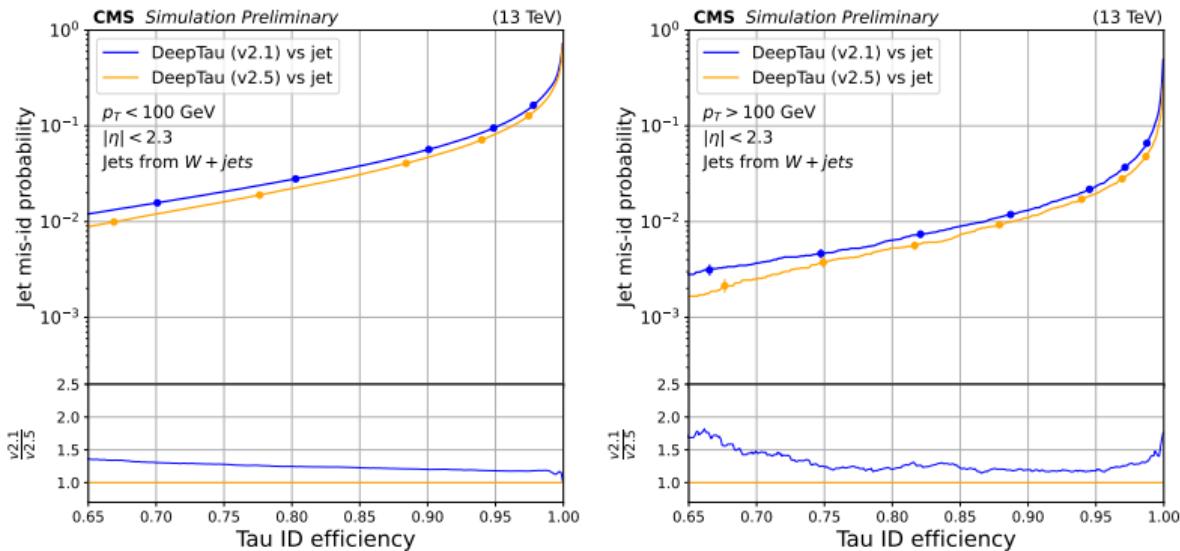


Training

$$L(y^{true}, y^{pred}) = \underbrace{\kappa_\tau H_\tau(y^{true}, y^{pred}; \omega)}_{\text{Separation for all } \alpha} + \\ (\kappa_e + \kappa_\mu + \kappa_j) \overline{F}_{cmb}(1 - y_\tau^{true}, 1 - y_\tau^{pred}; \gamma_{cmb}) \\ \underbrace{\qquad\qquad\qquad}_{\text{Focused separation of } e, \mu, \text{jet from } \tau_{had}} + \\ \kappa_F \sum_{i \in \{e, \mu, j\}} \kappa_i \hat{\theta}(y_\tau - 0.1) \overline{F}_i(y_i^{true}, y_i^{pred}; \gamma_i) \\ \underbrace{\qquad\qquad\qquad}_{\text{Focused separation of } \tau_{had} \text{ from } e, \mu, \text{jet for } y_\tau > 0.1}$$

- Discriminant against jets, muons, and electrons are given by $D_\alpha(y) = \frac{y_\tau}{y_\tau + y_\alpha}$, with $\alpha = \mu, e, \text{jet}$
- 5 epochs, 2 days per epoch (NVIDIA Tesla V100 / GTX 1080 Ti) improved wrt Deep Tau v2p1 with 10 epochs on GeForce RTX 2080 3 days/epoch
- With addition of domain adaptation: 1 epoch, 12 - 15 hours (NVIDIA Tesla T4) per epoch

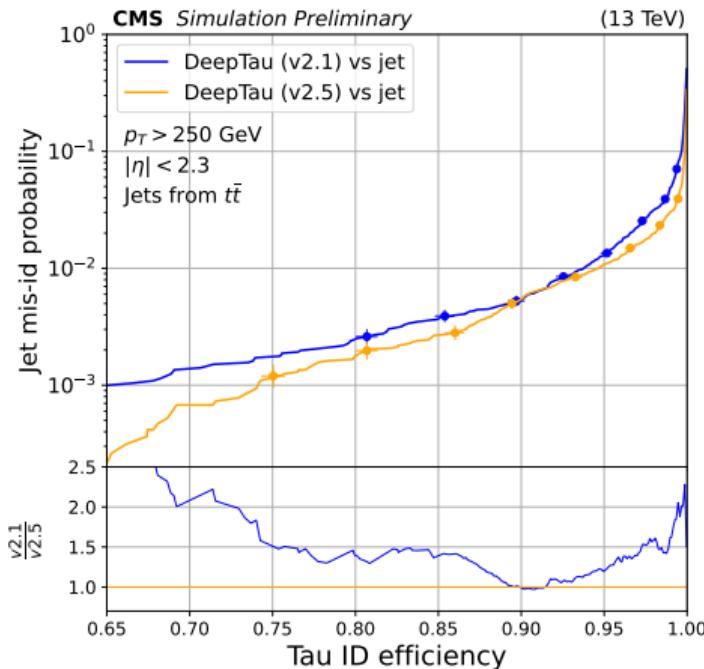
Performance (against jets)



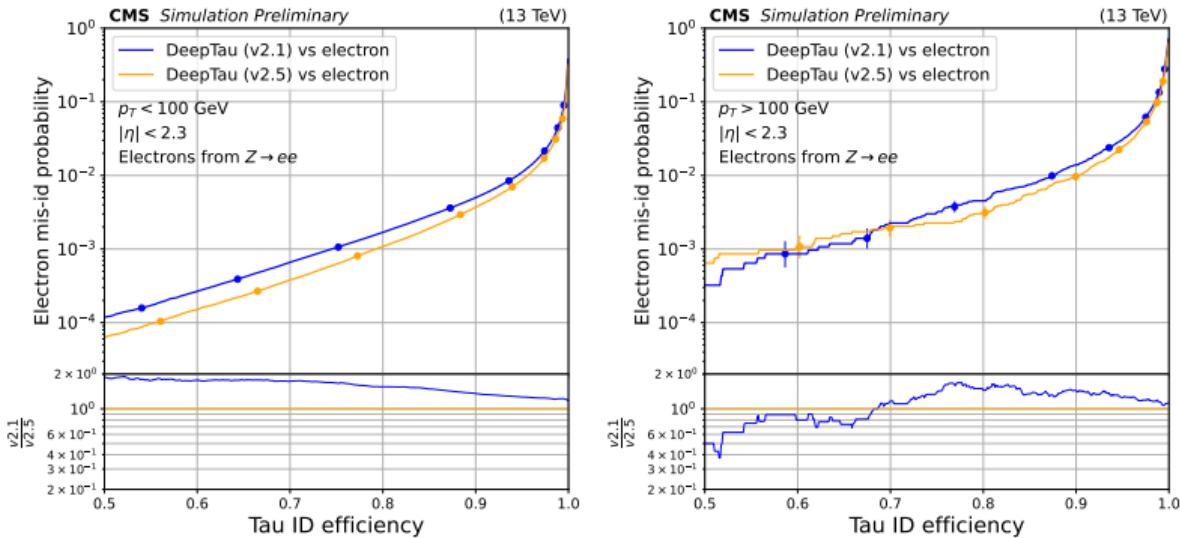
- Dots indicate the working points of the tagger
- $H \rightarrow \tau\tau$ samples are used for τ_{had} efficiency estimation
- $W + \text{jet}$ samples are used for τ_{had} midID probability estimation
- τ_{had} misID reduced by 30% (reduction by $\approx 50\%$ with $t\bar{t}$ in backup)

Performance (against jets at high p_T)

- Dots indicate the working points of the tagger
- $W^* + \text{jet}$ samples are used for τ_{had} efficiency estimation
- $t\bar{t}$ samples are used for τ_{had} midID probability estimation
- τ_{had} identification performance being improved even at high pT phase space
- Degradation at high pt and high rejection regime

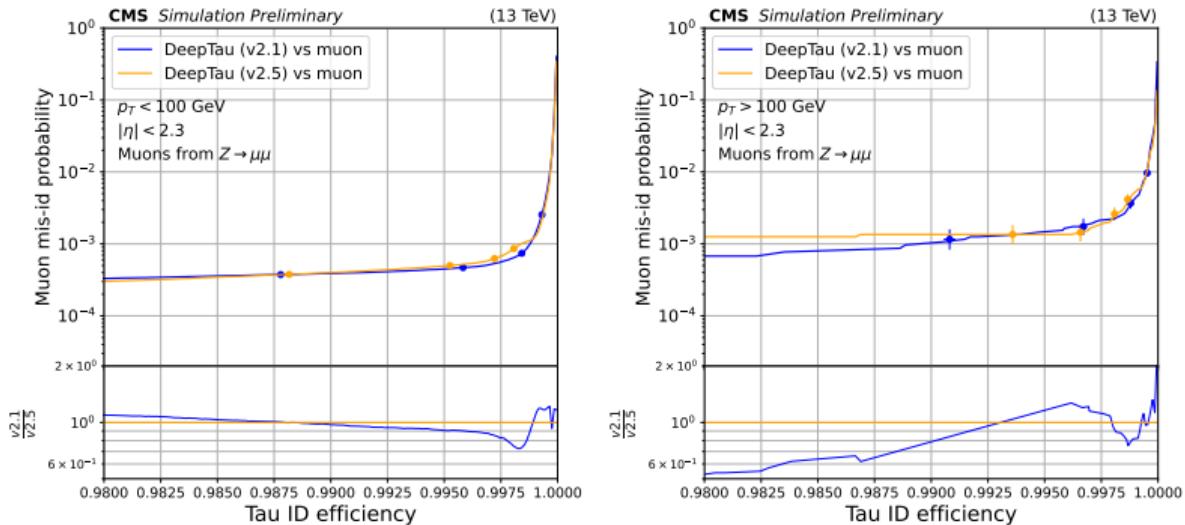


Performance (against electrons)



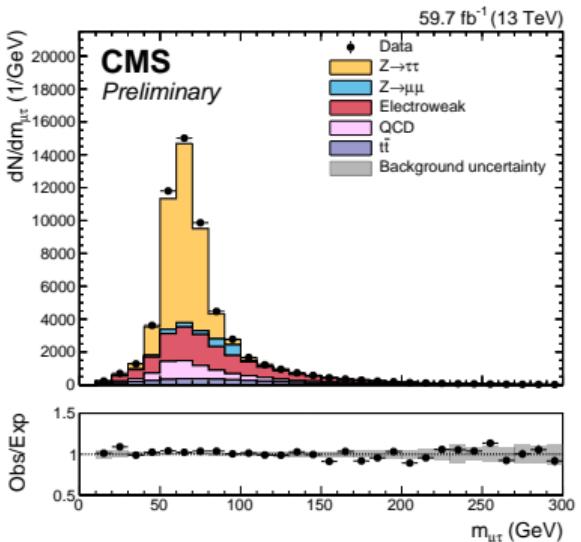
- Dots indicate the working points of the tagger
- $H \rightarrow \tau\tau$ samples are used for τ_{had} efficiency estimation
- $Z \rightarrow ee$ samples are used for electron misID probability estimation
- τ_{had} identification performance of v2p5 is compatible with v2p1

Performance (against muons)

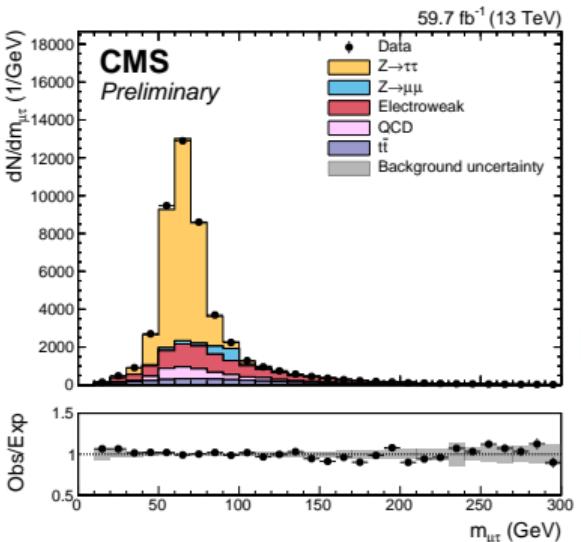


- Dots indicate the working points of the tagger
- $H \rightarrow \tau\tau$ samples are used for τ_{had} efficiency estimation
- $Z \rightarrow \mu\mu$ samples are used for muon misID probability estimation
- Small degradation at high pT but overall a good performance

Data/MC control plot



Deep Tau v2p1

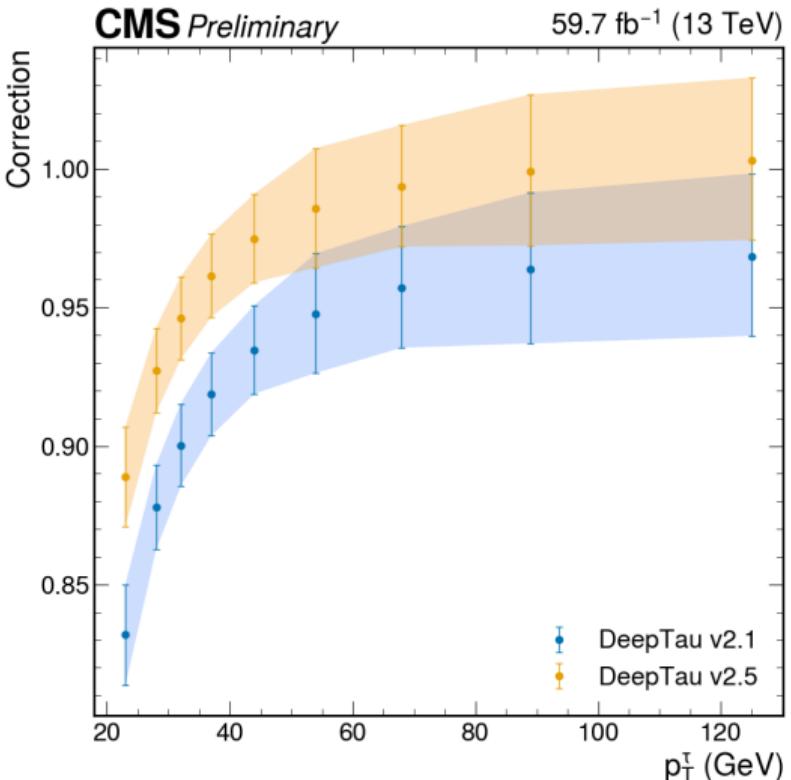


Deep Tau v2p5

- DeepTau IDs: Tight WP against jets (60% τ_{had} ID efficiency), VVLoose WP against electrons (99% τ_{had} ID efficiency), Tight WP (99.5% τ_{had} ID efficiency) against muons
- 30% background reduction in comparison with v2p1

Correction factors comparison (v2p5 vs v2p1)

- Correction factors are weighted with respect to the τ_h decay branching ratios HPS algorithm efficiencies per decay mode
- Deep Tau v2p5 corrections are closer to 1 thanks to the model improvements

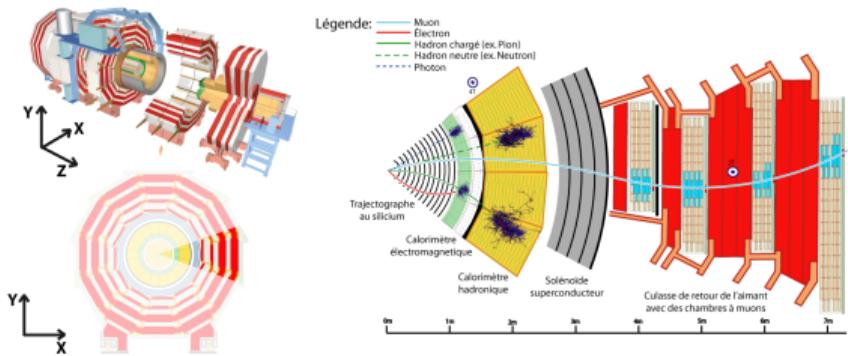


Conclusions and outlook

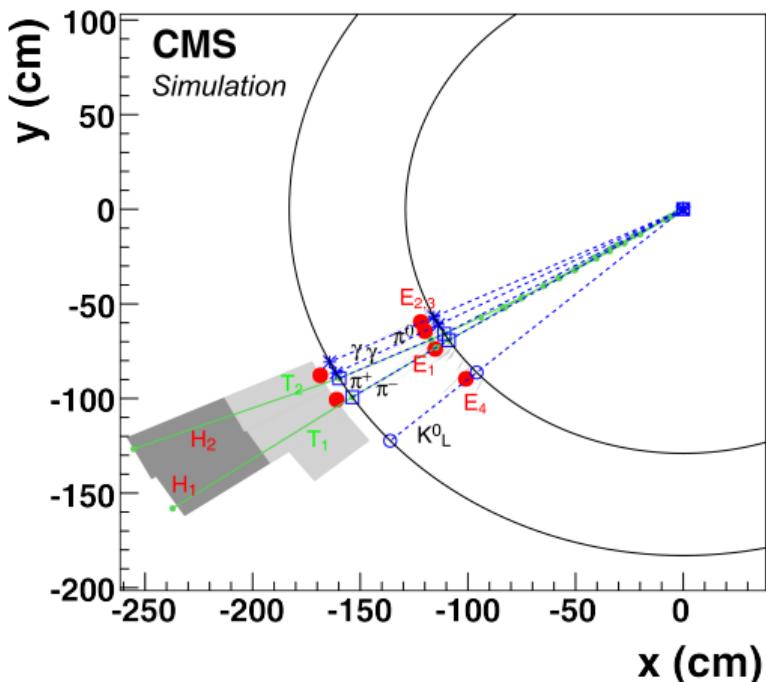
- A new improved version of the algorithm to reduce misidentification of τ_{had} with electron, muon and jets was introduced
- 30% background reduction for genuine τ_{had} in comparison with v2p1
- Improved MC-to-data agreement in comparison with v2p1
- DeepTau v2.5 demonstrates an improved performance in comparison with its predecessor DeepTau v2.1
- The algorithm shows excellent performance even in the challenging high p_T regime

Back up slides

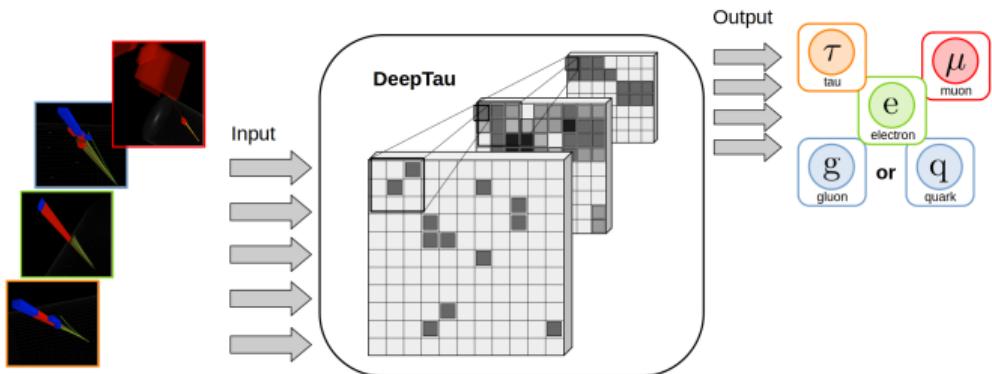
CMS Particle Flow reconstruction algorithm



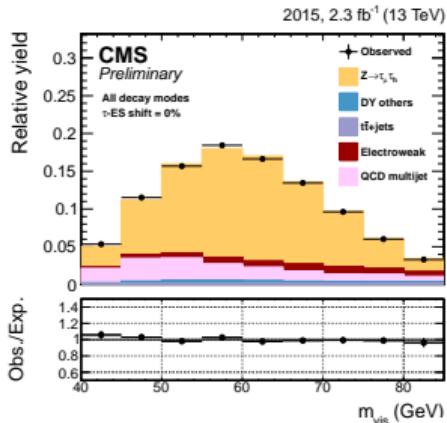
- reconstruction based on linking Particle Flow(PF) elements from different subdetectors
- large magnetic field, excellent tracking system, ECAL, HCAL performance
- individual particles in the event: e , μ , γ , charged and neutral hadrons reconstruction
- complex objects like jets, p_T^{miss} which consist of individual object
- τ_{had} identification and reconstruction



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Data and simulation efficiency are not equal, so we need some correction factors

Performance (against jets)

