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## Measurements of charge asymmetries from $W$ boson decay in electron and muon channels and measurement of $Z/\gamma^* \phi^*$ distribution at D0

We present the measurements of charge asymmetries from  $W$  boson decay in both electron and muon channels and also the  $Z/\gamma^* \phi^*$  distribution with RunII data from  $7.3 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  to  $9.7 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  collected by the D0 detector at the Fermilab Tevatron Collider. In the electron charge asymmetry measurement, we present the lepton asymmetry as a function of the electron transverse momentum and pseudorapidity in the interval  $(-3.2, 3.2)$ ; we also present results from  $W$  charge asymmetry, as a function of  $W$  boson rapidity. The asymmetries are compared with expectations from next-to-leading order calculations in perturbative quantum chromodynamics. In the muon charge asymmetry measurements, we present the lepton asymmetry for five kinematic ( $p_T^\mu$ , MET) bins. These charge asymmetry measurements will allow more accurate determinations of the proton parton distribution functions. We also present a measurement of the distribution of  $Z/\gamma^*$  variable  $\phi^*$ , which probes the same physical effects as the  $Z/\gamma^*$  boson transverse momentum, but is less susceptible to the effects of experimental resolution and efficiency. The  $\phi^*$  measurement includes results from the low invariant mass region (30-60 GeV),  $Z$  peak mass region (70, 110 GeV), and high mass region ( $> 160$  GeV), and is compared with higher order predictions.

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