

Status Report

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Profile

• 1st year PhD student

- Joint PhD, University of Sheffield & AUTh
- ATLAS

• Supervisors:

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Activities

- Participated in ATLAS diboson analyses towards Moriond 2013
 - Standard Model ZZ \rightarrow 4 leptons (talk by S. Chouridou)
 - Standard Model WZ \rightarrow 3 leptons + 1 neutrino (talk by K. Bachas)
- Currently working:
 - Investigation of ZZ High Mass events (probe for New Physics)

 $(pp \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow 4I \& H \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow 4I)$

- Final State Radiation corrections in $ZZ \rightarrow 4I$
- Scale Factors for High Eta Muons (service task)

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Status – High Mass ZZ

- ZZ High Mass (M4I > 180) is a region of very high purity
 - No background contribution (small bkg from Z+jets around 180-200 GeV)
 - Very clear, well reconstructed events
 - Any outliers from the MC prediction are direct probe for New Physics
- ZZ + jets production could be associated with Vector Boson Fusion exotic resonance
- Effect of Double Parton Scattering in ZZ production



ZZ high Mass events

- Clear events above
 600 GeV
- Probable outliers around 350 GeV (limited statistics)
- MC Normalization → M4l control region

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data/MC



ZZ high Mass events

- Topology of ZZ events indicates clearly their origin
- DATA/MC agreement → ZZ back-to-back
- DPS predicts flat distribution of ZZ system
- Note for 20 fb⁻¹
 0.4 DPS ZZ events expected





Studies for VBF

- An associated jets production (ZZ+jets) through VBF, implies separation among jets (eta,phi)
- Selection on Jets → Pt > 25 GeV & dR_lep_jet > 0.3
- No significant outliers observed







Studies for VBF

• Discriminant variables $\rightarrow d\eta_{jets}$ vs MZZ





Final State Radiation

- Extending FSR correction in Z mass by exploiting far FSRs
- Tight cuts on photons may decrease FSR yield
- Towards a "universal" FSR reconstruction procedure-tool



DRMuGammaVsEtTrue

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Final State Radiation

- Selecting far FSRs with Et>8 GeV & ΔR(I,γ) > 0.3 and matching them with true FSR (mc_block) & (mc_truth_classifier)
- Final Purity > 90%
- Optimization of cuts under progress (Et / ΔR cut, TightPhoton selection vs NeutralNet selection)





Final State Radiation

- One event on 2012 data with far FSR found and properly corrected
- Modification on selection/cuts would give higher yields





Scale Factors for High eta muons

- Extend technique in 2012 data used by Muon Combined Perfomance group on 2011
- Expect similar muon behaviour between 2.2 < $|\eta|$ <2.5 and $|\eta|$ > 2.5 Correlate muon behaviour in those areas to extract SFs
- Using "tag and probe" method
 - "Tag" → "good" Combined Muon in central region
 - − "Probe" → muon in |η| > 2.2
- Results to presented within MCP soon





Thank you!

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