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# Herwig++ Cluster Hadronization

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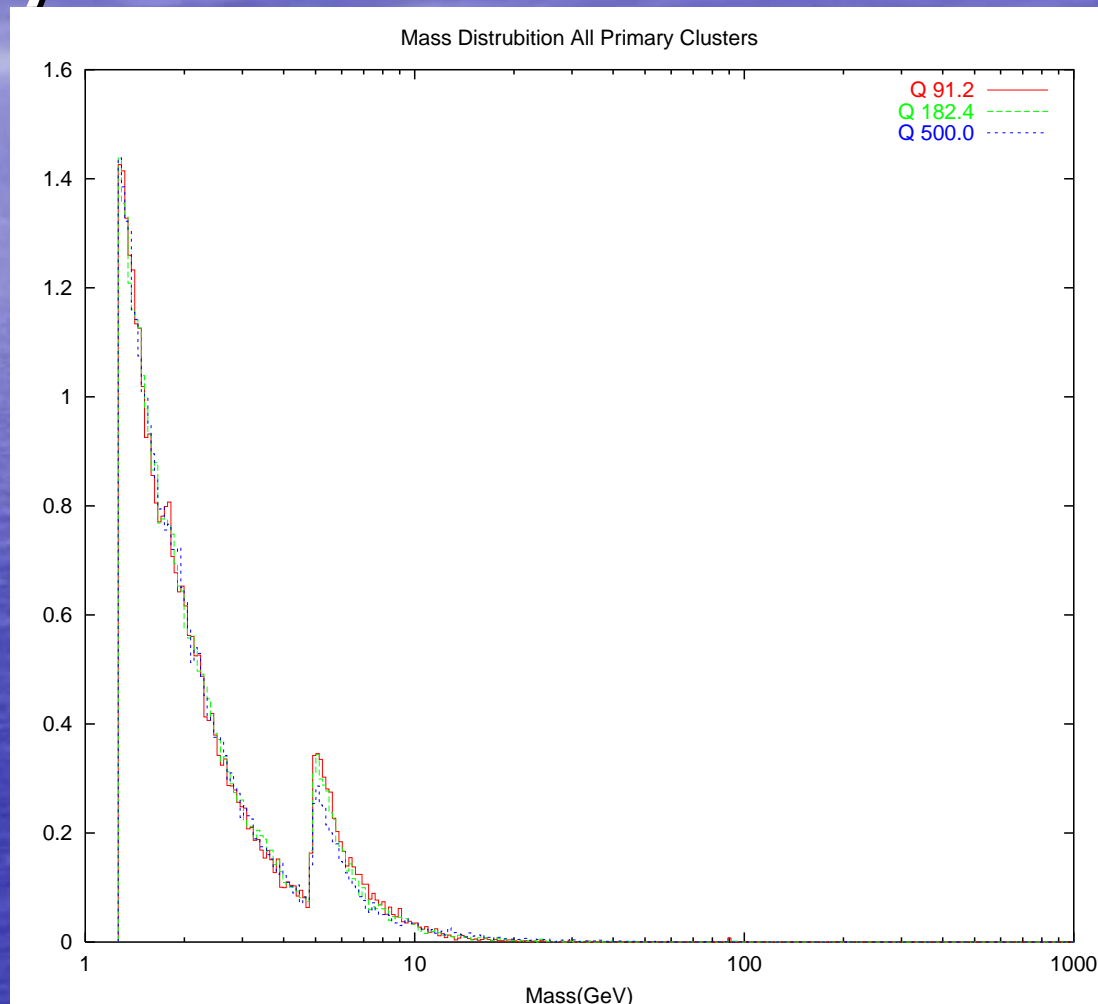
# Non-Perturbative Splitting

- Shower produces partons at scale  $Q_0$
- Gluons are given an effective mass  $M_g$
- Quarks are produced using an isotropic two body decay  $g \rightarrow q\bar{q}$
- Available flavours dictated by  $M_g$
- Weight of flavour  $q = Pwt_q$

# Primary Cluster Formation

- Primary Clusters are formed by combining the colour connected partners into a cluster.
- In baryon violating events, a cluster may be made of a quark and a diquark (or anti-quark anti-diquark)
- Cluster Mass distribution independent of CM energy (colour preconfinement)

# Primary Cluster Mass Distribution



# Cluster Fission

- Clusters composed of flavours  $i$  and  $j$  whose mass exceed the constraint:

$$M^P > C^P + (m_i + m_j)^P$$

are fissioned.

- $M$  is the mass of the cluster
- $C$  and  $P$  are parameters
- First a new flavour  $k$  is drawn from  $u, d$  and  $s$  flavours.
- This leads to a decay of  $M_{ij} \rightarrow M_{ik} + M_{kj}$

# Cluster Fission ... continued(1)

- First there is a check, if  $M_{ij} < m_i + m_j + 2m_k$  then do not fission. (mostly in b clusters)
- There are two different mass distributions

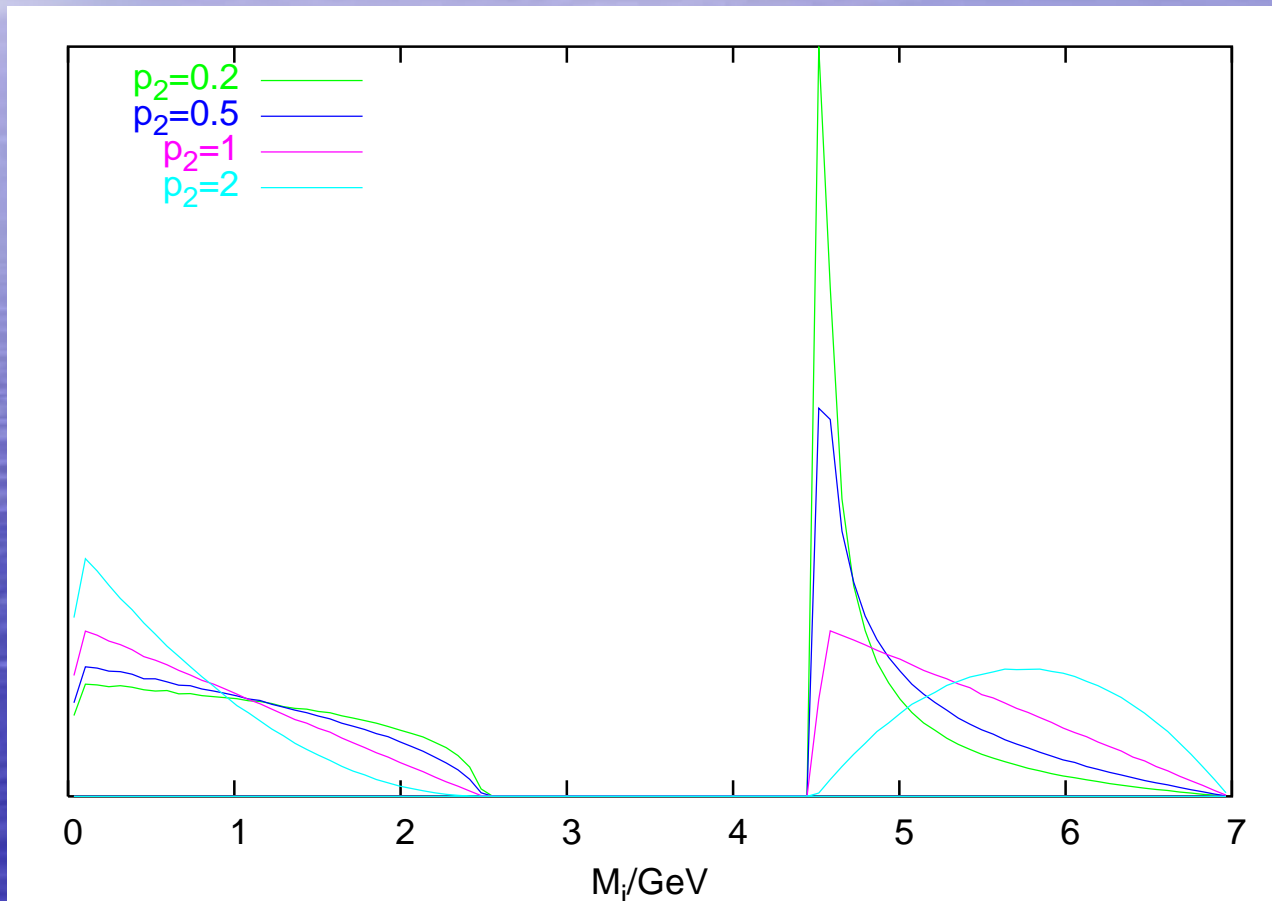
## Parton Shower Distribution

- $M_{ik} = m_i + (M_{ij} - m_i - m_j)r^{1/x}$
- $r$  is a random number  $[0,1]$
- $x$  is a parameter, PSPLT(1) for  $i = udsc$ , PSPLT(2) for  $i = b$

## Beam Remnant Distribution

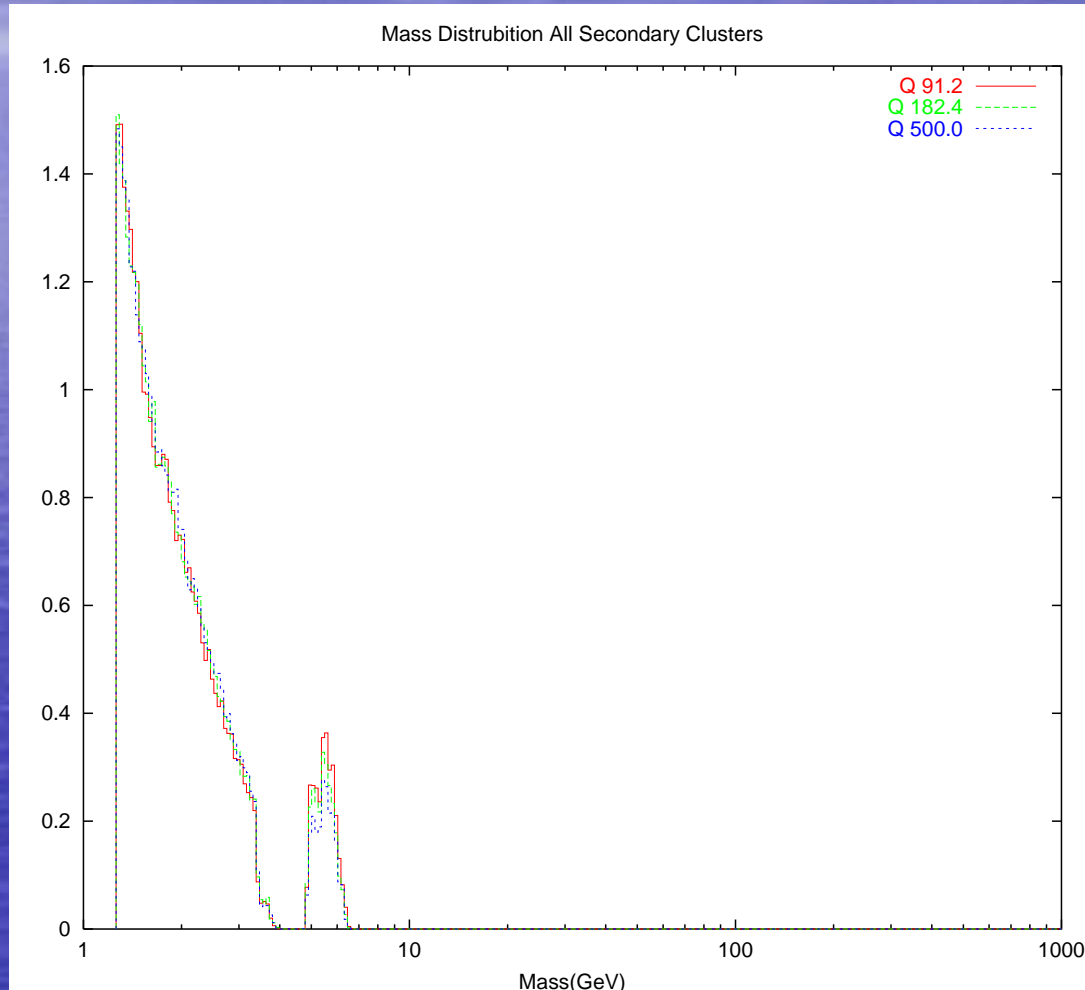
- $M_{ik} = m_i + m_k - \log(r)/b$
- $b = 2/y$
- $r$  is a random number  $[r_{min}, 1 - r_{min}]$
- $r_{min}$  is  $\exp(-b(M_{ij} - m_i - m_j - 2m_k))$

# Cluster Fission ... continued(2)





# Cluster Fission ... continued(3)



# Cluster Fission ... continued(4)

- Sometimes the new cluster mass is not sufficient to produce the lightest pair of hadrons
  - Force the light cluster to set its mass to exactly that of lightest hadron (of flavour  $i,j$ ), then do  $1 \rightarrow 1$  decay into that hadron.
  - If there isn't enough phase space for this force both clusters to decay directly into hadrons (like a premature cluster decay)
  - If this still isn't possible, throw out the event.
- Decays are all  $1 \rightarrow 2$  isotropic decays

# Light Clusters

- If a cluster didn't fission, then make sure it is heavy enough to decay into two hadrons
  - If this isn't possible, then decay into one
  - Reshuffle 4-momentum with a nearby cluster
  - Once a partner is found, force the light cluster to decay  $1 \rightarrow 1$  into its lightest hadron.

# Cluster Decays

- Three different algorithms for cluster decays currently in Herwig++
  - Fortran Herwig
  - Kupco<sup>1</sup> Method
  - A new method (currently in development)

<sup>1</sup>A. Kupco, *Cluster Hadronization in Herwig 5.9*, hep-ph/9906412

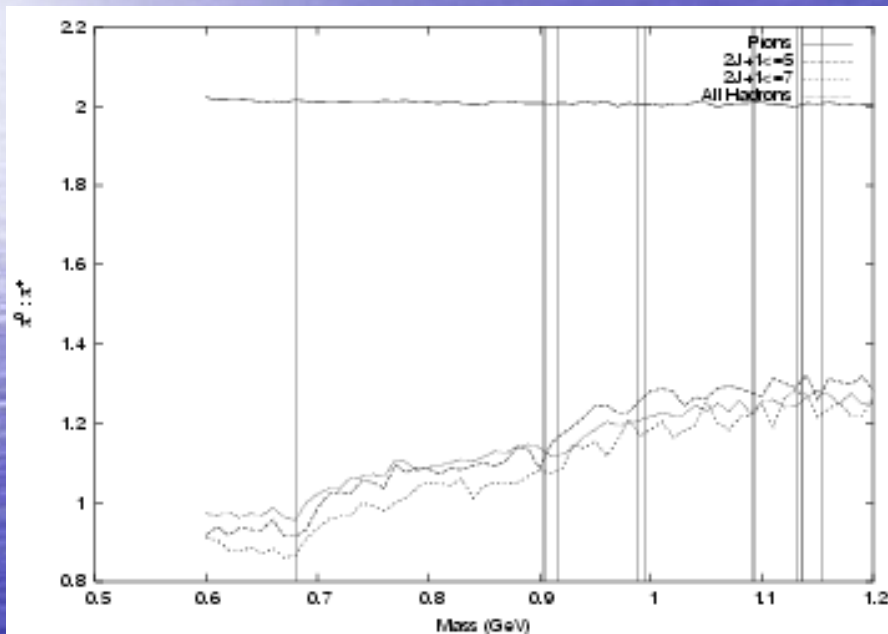
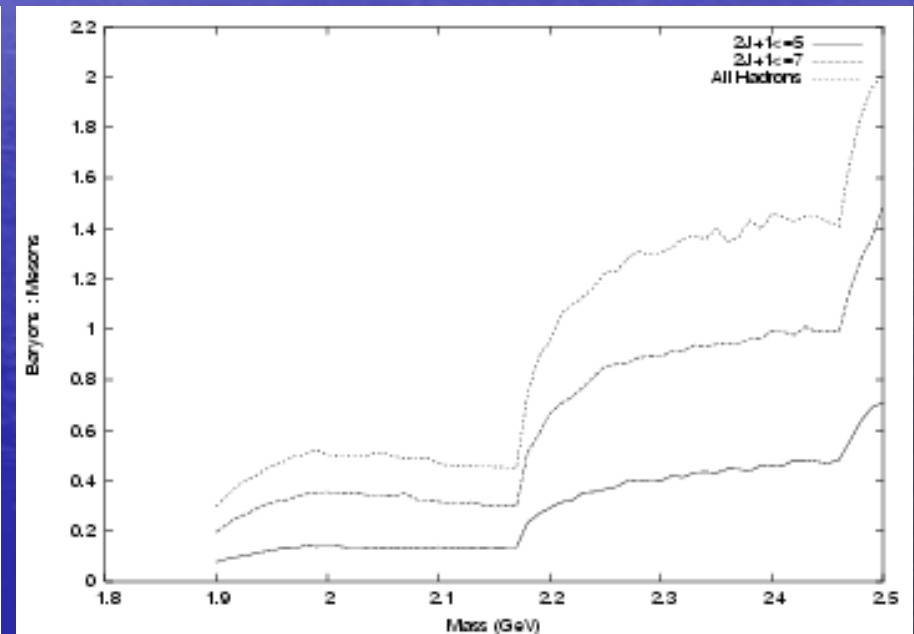
# Fortran Herwig

- Probability a cluster flavour  $i,j$  decays into hadrons  $a$  and  $b$ , by drawing a flavour  $k$  from the vacuum is

$$P(a,b|i,j,k) = P_k w_a / N_{ik} w_b / N_{jk} p_{a,b}^* / p_{max}$$

- $P_k$  is the probability of choosing flavour  $k$
- $w$  is the weight of a given hadron (spin, mixing)
- $N_{ij}$  is the number of hadrons of flavour  $i,j$
- $p_{ab}^*$  is the cm energy available for the decay
- Problem: As new decay modes are added less chance of choosing another mode of the same flavour
  - Also, many properties are dictated by N's

# Fortran Herwig ... continued

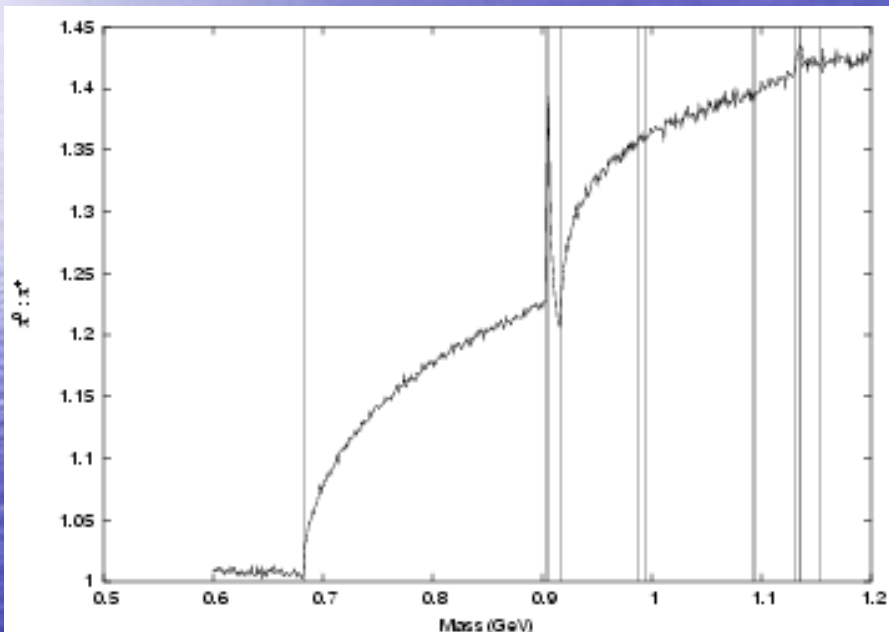
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Ratio of baryons to mesons

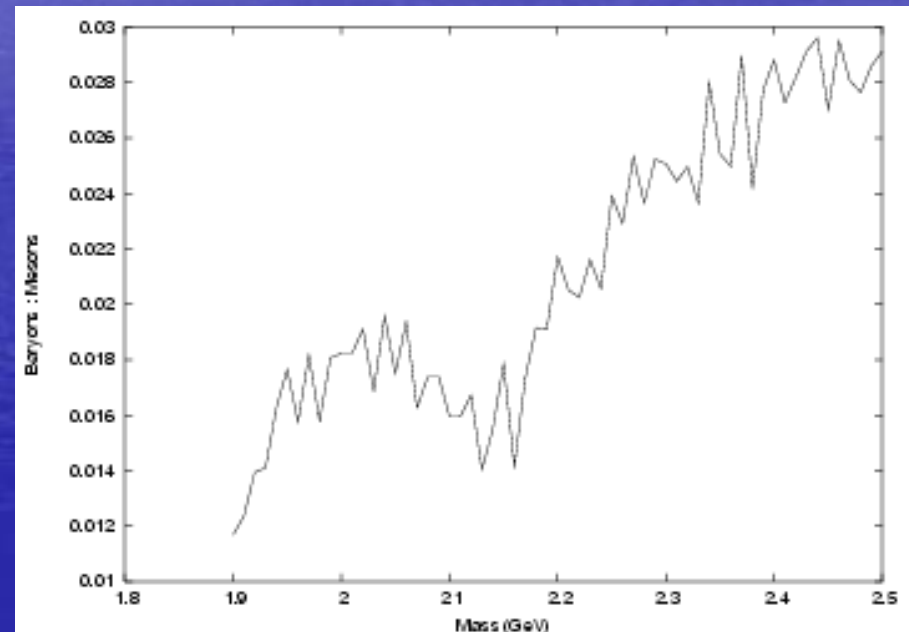
# Kupco Method

- Kupco suggested instead that add up all the modes available and chose from those
  - $w_{ab} = P_k w_a w_b \rho_{ab}^*$
  - $P(a,b|i,j,k) = w_{ab} / \sum w_{cd}$
- *Problem: As more mesons are added, the baryons are suppressed.*

# Kupco Method ... continued



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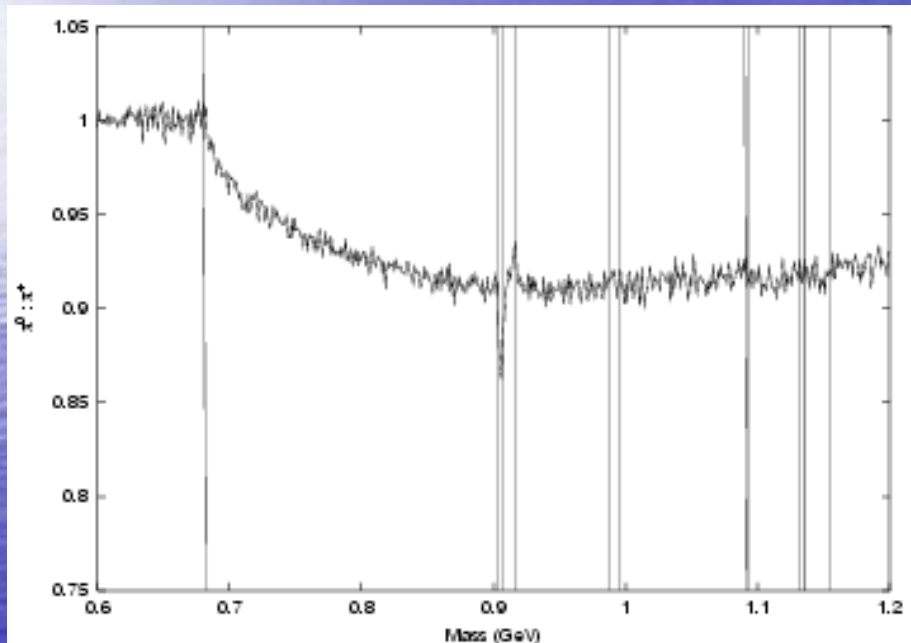
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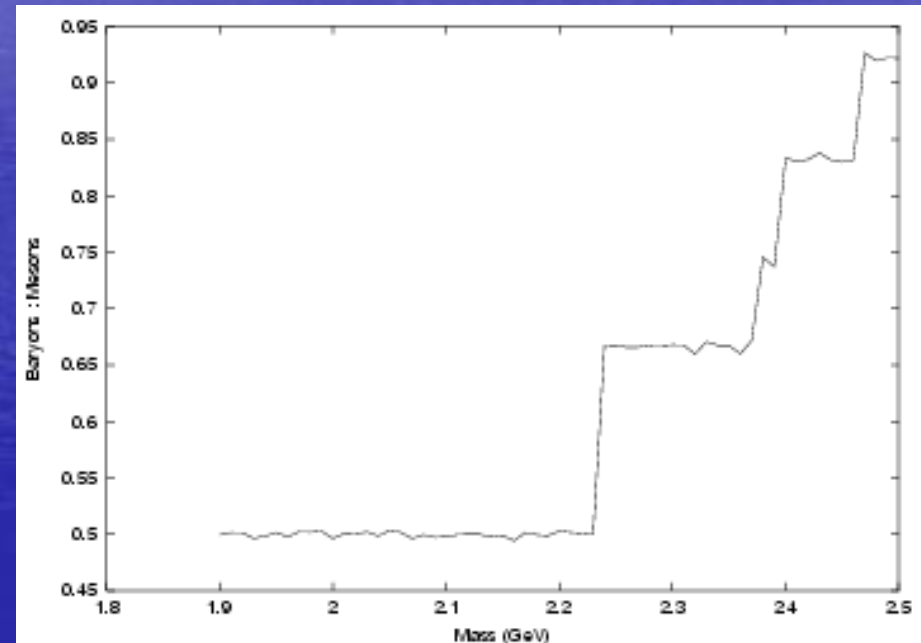
# A new method

- Separate flavour drawn from vacuum from selection of particular hadrons
- Still use the idea of Kupco's that only modes with available phase space are used.
- full details still in development

# A new method ... continued



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Ratio of baryons to mesons

# Conclusion

- Most of algorithm identical to fortran Herwig
- New cluster decay method is performing as expected
- Problems with hadron decay currently prevent further comparisons
  - Multiplicities
  - momentum distributions
- Still a work in progress