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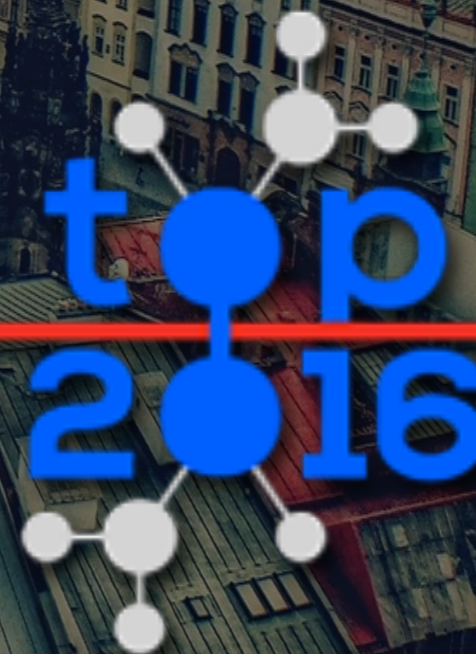
Differential $t\bar{t}$ cross section measurements at the LHC

– as a function of kinematics variables –

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No. of produced $t\bar{t}$ events:

2011: ~800k (4.6/fb, 7 TeV)

2012: ~5.1 million (20.3/fb, 8 TeV)

2015: ~2.6 million (3.2/fb, 13 TeV)

2016: ~16 million (20/fb, 13 TeV)

$N_{@13\text{TeV}}/N_{@8\text{TeV}} \sim 4$



Thanks to outstanding LHC performance

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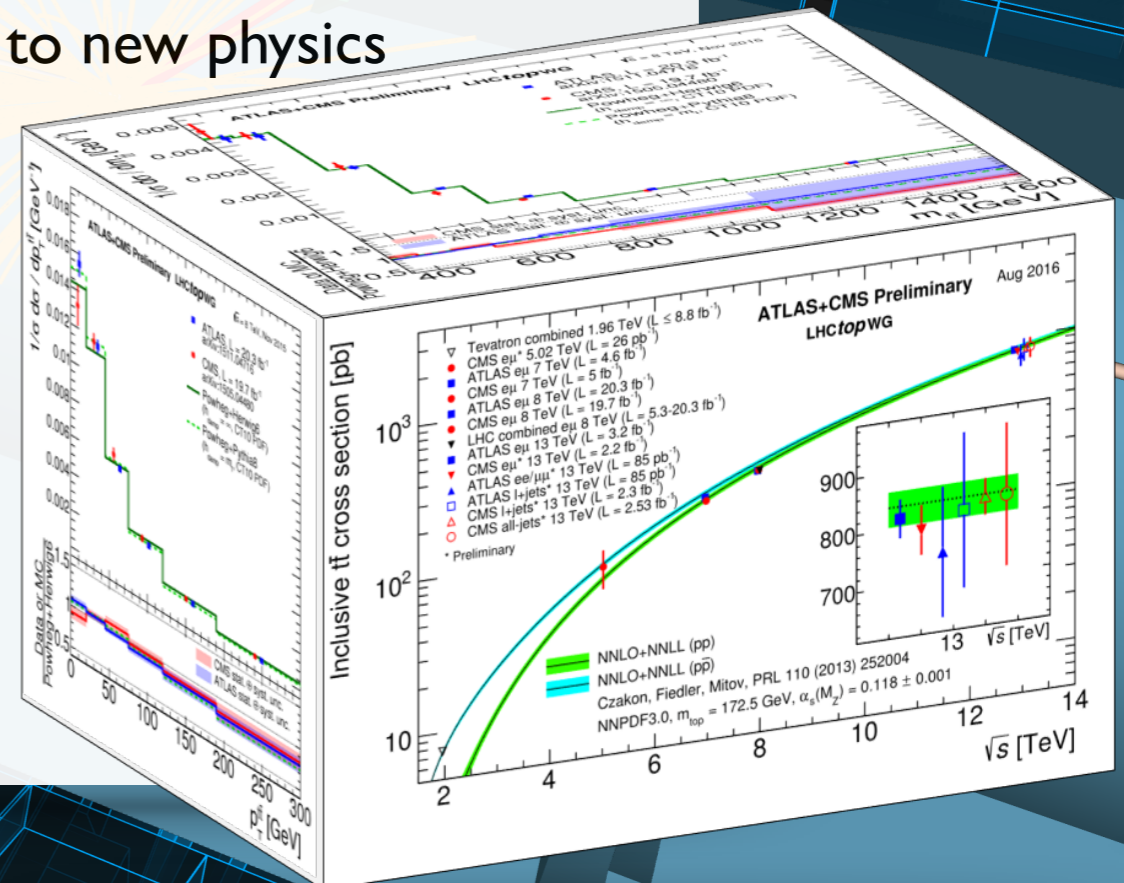
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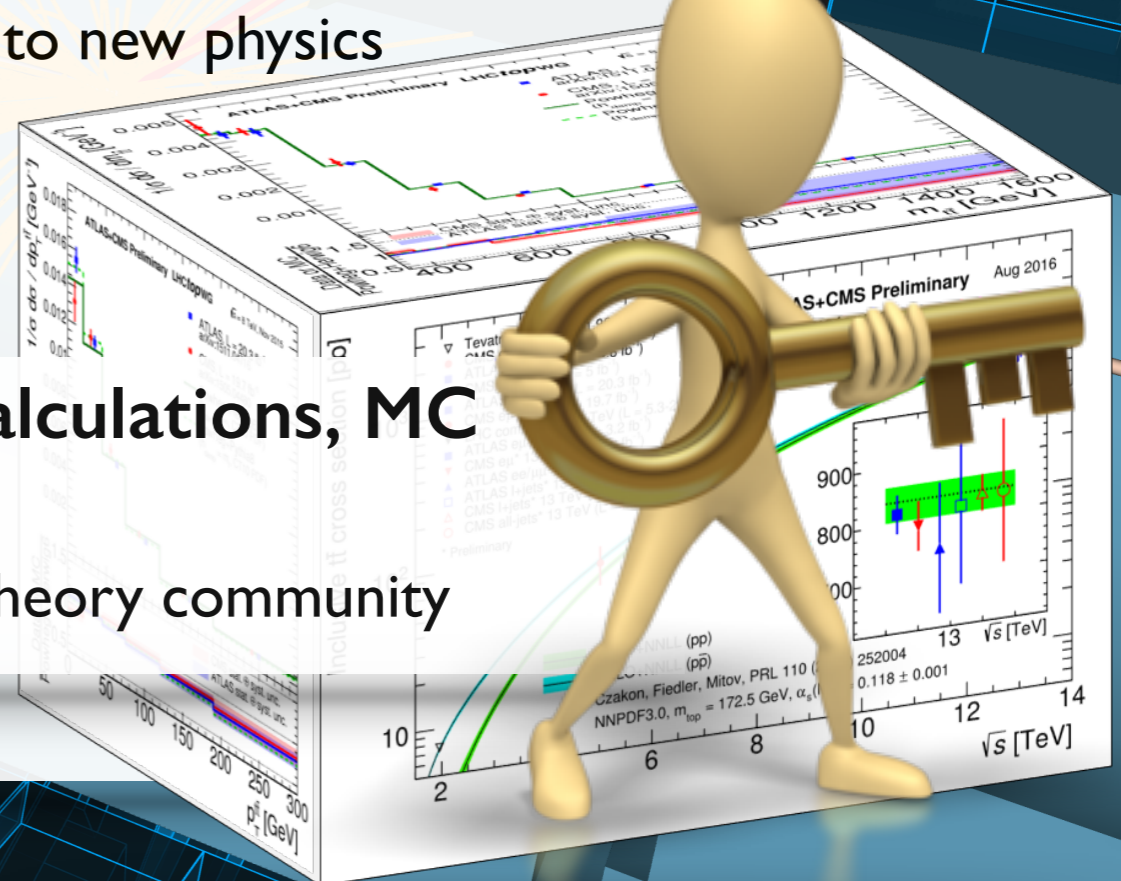
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Interface between state-of-the art theory calculations, MC generators and experiment

- Common definitions across ATLAS and CMS and theory community



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● Top-quark definition

- **detector level**
- particle level
- parton level

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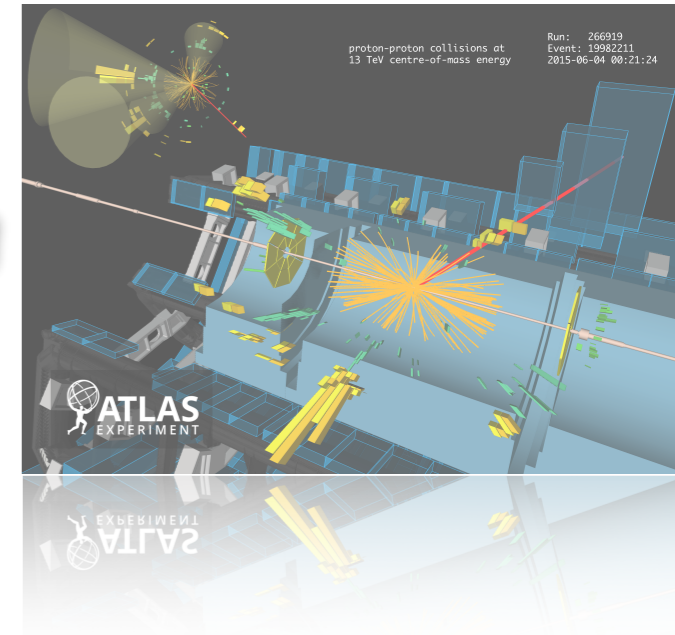
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- fiducial
- full

● Decay topology

- boosted
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Detector phase-space, detector level measurements

- Depends on detector response modelling (resolution & efficiencies)
- Experiment dependent, not theorist accessible

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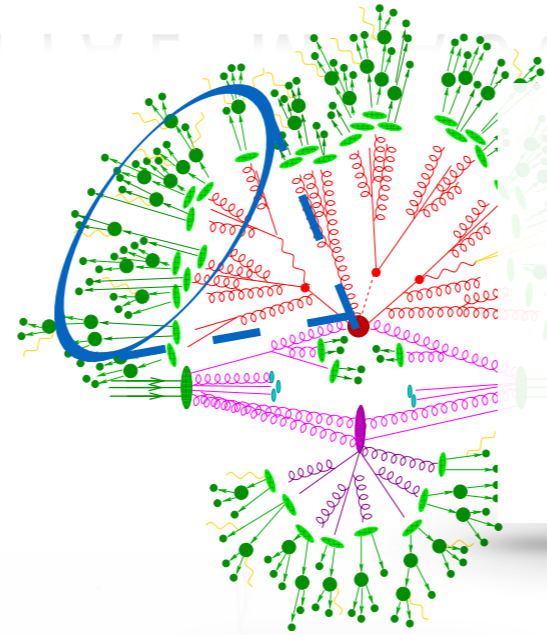
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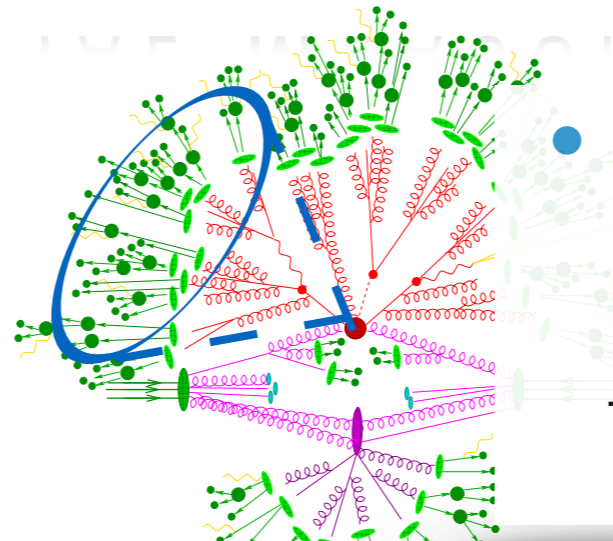
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Truth object definitions

(based on particles with $\tau_{\text{particle}} = 3 \times 10^{-11}$ s)

- **Fiducial**
- **Leptons**— Prompt either directly or through τ -decay (not from hadronic decays)
 - ▶ Charged (e/μ): Additionally corrected for non-measurable radiative effects
→ add prompt-photons in $\Delta R < 0.1$
- **Particle jets**— Clustering of all stable particles, except the dressed leptons and photons, using anti- k_T algorithm ($R = 0.4[0.5]$)
- **Jet flavour ID**— b -jets are jets containing a B -hadron using ghost matching
→ re-cluster jets including B hadrons ($p_T > 5$ GeV) with momentum scaled to negligible value
- **Large R-jets**— To be discussed

Top-quark proxy identification

- Algorithm to define the top quark pair using constraints on M_t , M_W , ΔR -separation, p_T , ...
- Kinematic- and fiducial volume selection similar to detector acceptance

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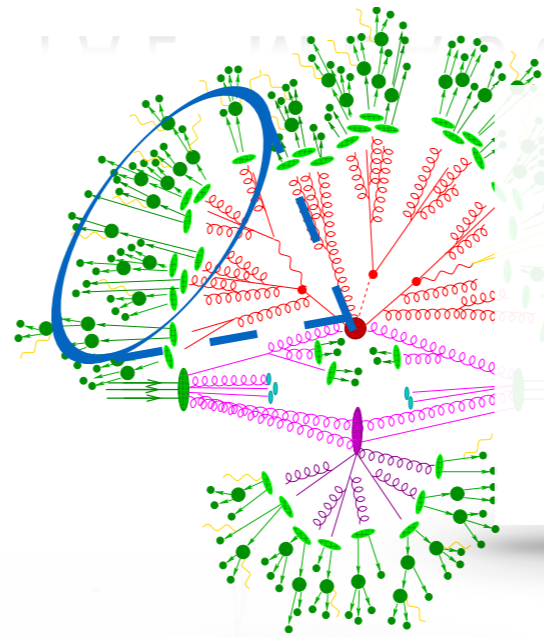
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Fiducial phase-space, particle level measurements

- Based on well defined quantities
- Matches detector phase-space closely
→ minimizes theoretical uncertainties from experimental side
- Unfolding procedure for detector response needed
- Probe of parton shower and hadronisation models
- Not directly comparable to ME calculations

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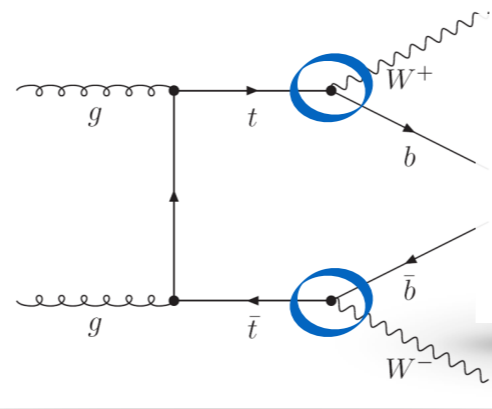
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- **Top-quark after radiation but before decay**



Full phase-space, parton level measurements

- Probe latest $N^{(N)}\text{LO} + N^{(N)}\text{LL}$ pQCD
- Constrain PDFs
- Extract $\alpha_s, M_{\text{top}}, \dots$
- Increased model dependence


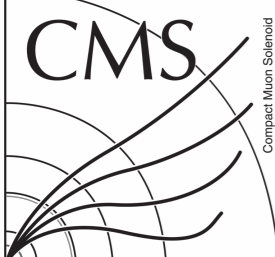
RECENT RESULTS

NEW results
≥ June 2016

7 / 8 TeV

	l+jets	dilepton	all-had
 <p>Phys. Rev. D93 (2016) 032009 boosted, parton/particle arXiv:1511.04716 resolved, parton/particle JHEP 06 (2015) 100 resolved, parton/particle</p>		<p>arXiv:1607.07281 resolved, parton</p>	
 <p>arXiv:1607.00837 resolved, particle arXiv:1605.00116 boosted, parton/particle</p>		<p>TOP-14-013 resolved, parton</p>	<p>arXiv:1509.06076 resolved parton/particle</p>
	<p>Eur. Phys. J. C 75 (2015) 542 resolved, parton/particle</p>		

13 TeV

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 <p>CONF-2016-040 resolved/boosted, particle</p>		<p>TOPQ-2016-04* resolved, particle</p>	<p>CONF-2016-100* boosted, particle</p>
 <p>TOP-16-008* resolved, parton/particle</p>		<p>TOP-16-007 resolved, particle TOP-16-011 resolved parton</p>	<p>TOP-16-013 resolved/boosted, parton</p>

complete lists:

 **ATLAS**
 **CMS [1,2]**

DILEPTON MEASUREMENTS

NEW RESULTS ON 7, 8 & 13 TeV

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NEW*

NEW

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Measurement of particle level differential $t\bar{t}$ cross sections in the dilepton channel at $\sqrt{s} = 13$ TeV

The CMS Collaboration

Abstract

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Measurement of double top quark pair production

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Regular Article - Experimental Physics

Measurement of the differential cross-sections for top quark pair production in pp collisions

CMS Collaboration*

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Abstract The normalized differential cross-sections for top quark pair ($t\bar{t}$) production are measured in proton-proton collisions at a center-of-mass energy of 13 TeV using the CMS detector at the LHC. The measurements are performed with data corresponding to an integrated luminosity of 2.2 fb^{-1} collected in 2015 using the CMS detector at the LHC. The cross section is measured differentially as a function of the kinematic properties of the leptons, b jets, top quarks, and top quark pairs at particle level. The results are compared to several models of perturbative QCD and found to be in agreement with the standard model predictions.

1 Introduction

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ATLAS Paper

Measurements of top-quark pair differential cross-sections in the $e\mu$ channel in pp collisions at $\sqrt{s} = 13$ TeV using the ATLAS detector

Abstract

This article presents the measurement of $t\bar{t}$ differential cross-sections in events with exactly one electron and one muon, using an integrated luminosity of 3.2 fb^{-1} of proton-proton data at a center-of-mass energy of $\sqrt{s} = 13$ TeV recorded by the ATLAS experiment at the LHC in 2015. Differential cross-sections are measured as a function of the transverse momentum and absolute rapidity of the top quark, and of the transverse momentum, absolute rapidity and invariant mass of the $t\bar{t}$ system. The $t\bar{t}$ events are selected by requiring one electron and one muon, and at least two jets, one of which must be tagged as containing a b -hadron. The measured differential cross-sections are compared to predictions of NLO generators matched to parton showers and the results are found to be consistent with all models within the experimental uncertainties with the exception of the POWHEG-Box + Herwig++ MC, which differs significantly from the data in both $p_T(t)$ and $m(t\bar{t})$.

ATLAS CLEAR RESEARCH (CERN)



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Differential cross-sections in the $e\mu$ channel at $\sqrt{s} = 7$ and 8 TeV with ATLAS

Abstract

Measurements of top quark pair ($t\bar{t}$) production are presented in the dilepton channel for the first time at the LHC. The measurements are performed with data corresponding to an integrated luminosity of 2.2 fb^{-1} collected in 2015 using the ATLAS detector at the LHC. The cross section is measured differentially as a function of the kinematic properties of the leptons, b jets, top quarks, and top quark pairs at particle level. The results are compared to several models of perturbative QCD and found to be in agreement with the standard model predictions.

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3.2/fb

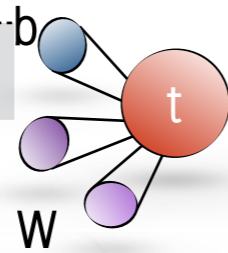
particle level

fiducial phase space
normalized

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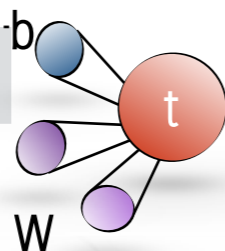
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7 & 8 TeV
dilepton
4.6, 20.2/fb
parton level
full phase space
absolute & normalized

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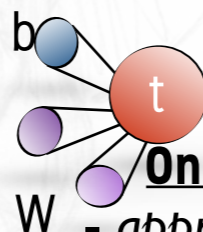


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@7TeV also uses same flavour channels → cuts to remove Z background



Only $t\bar{t}$ system variables

- approx 4-mom. of $t\bar{t}$ system from 2 leptons, 2 jets and MET
- observable resolution $\sim 20-35\%$

- Comparison to NLO MC generators, latest NNLO predictions and PDF sets
- Dominant uncertainties
 - ▶ Signal modelling, JES

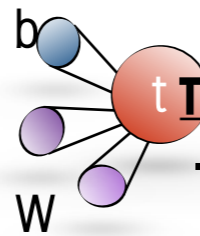
Measurement at **particle level** complements TOP-16-011 & Eur. Phys. J. C 75 (2015) 542

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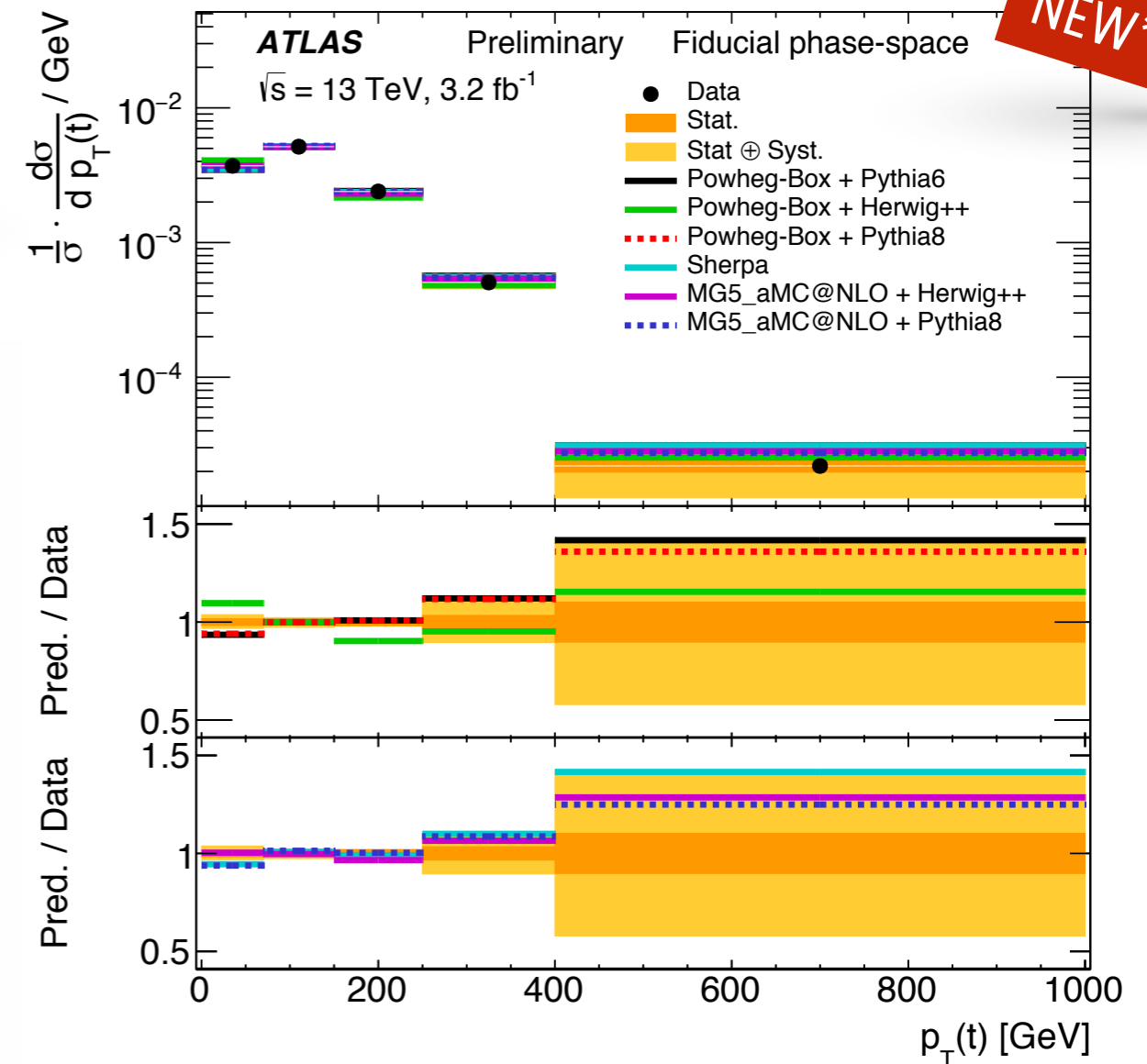
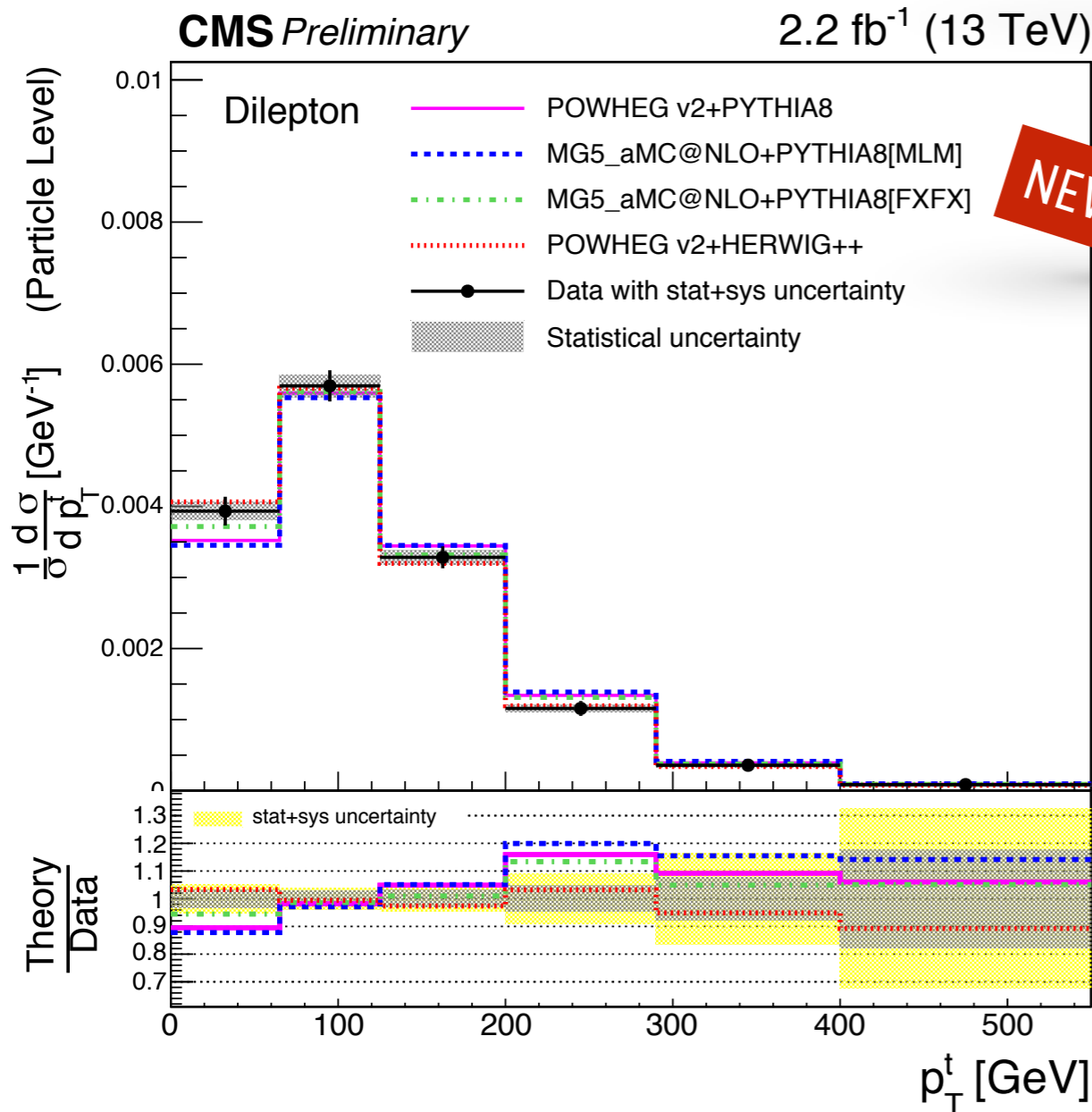
- algebraic reconstruction of neutrino momenta
- p_T balance, M_t , M_W constraints
- smearing according to detector resolution
- increase number of solvable events $\sim 90\%$

- Comparison to NLO MC generators, different NLO matching schemes
- Dominant uncertainties
 - ▶ Signal modelling and background estimation

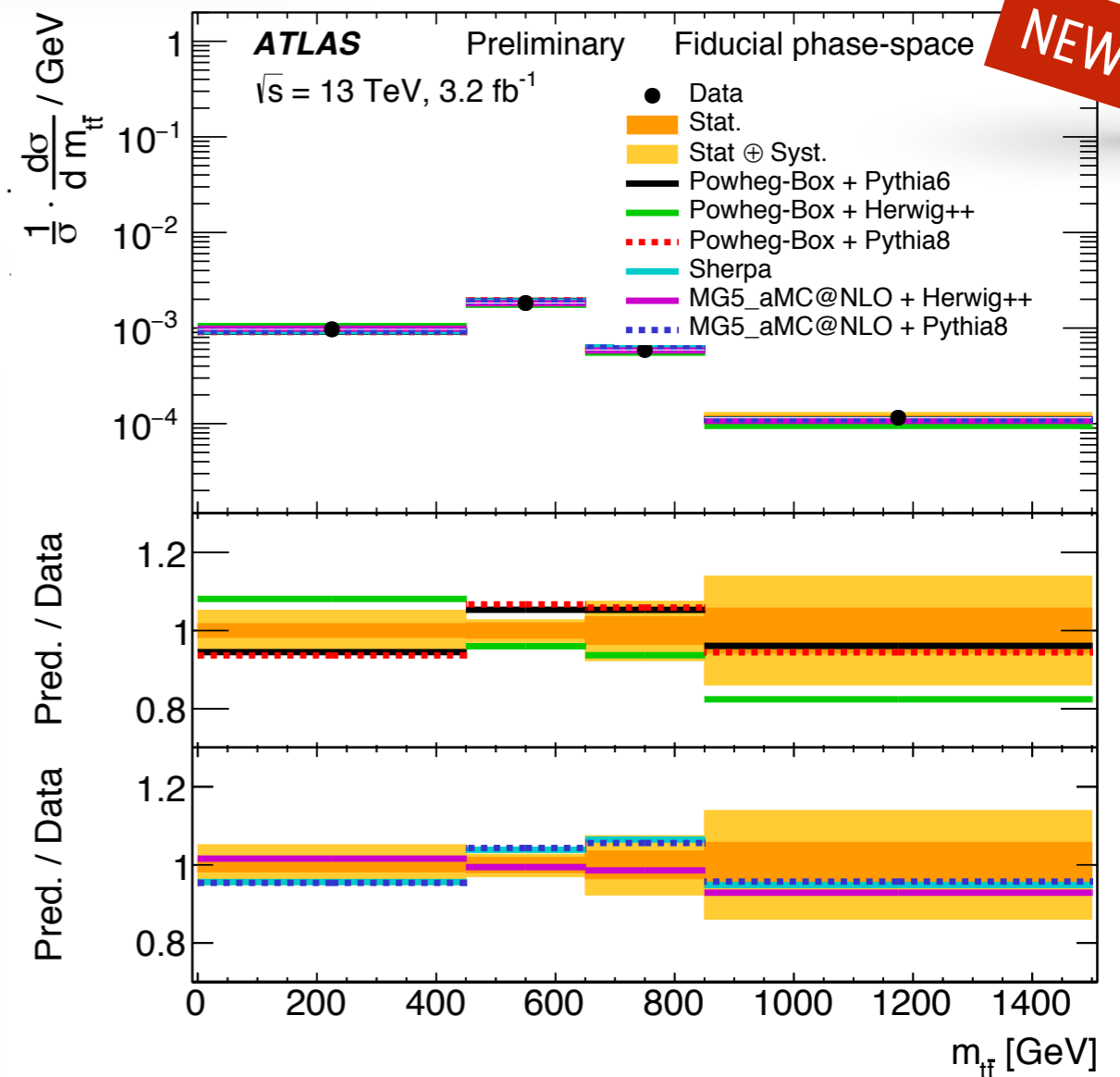
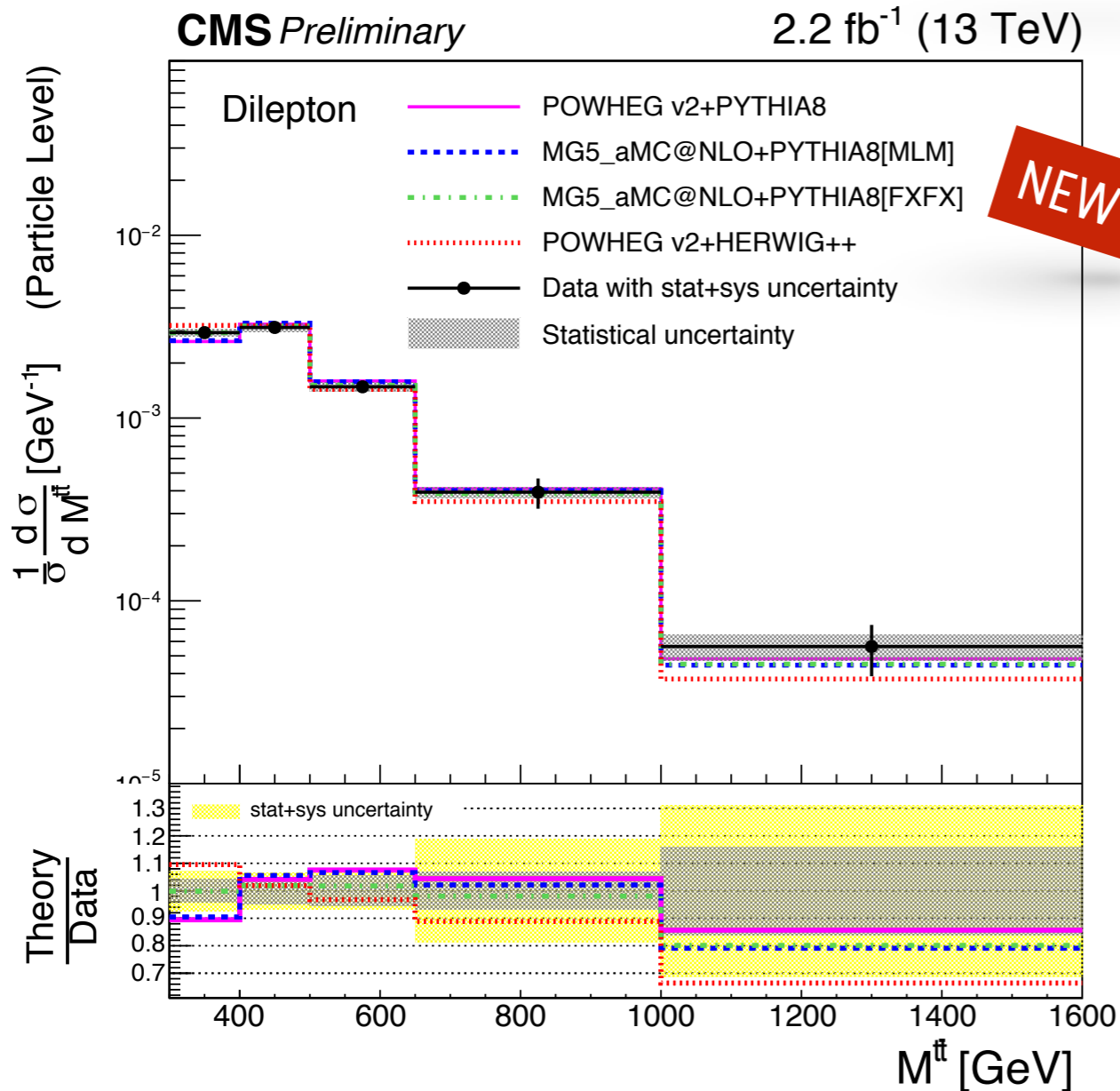
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13 TeV
 dilepton
 2.2/fb
particle level
 visible phase space
 normalized

p_T^l	p_T^{jet}	p_T^t
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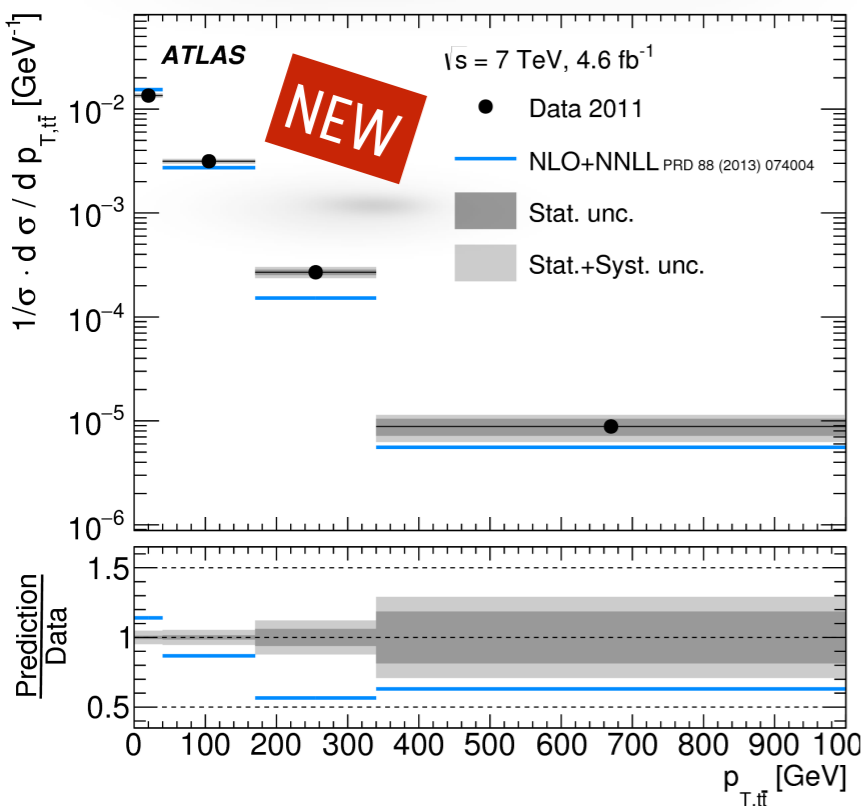


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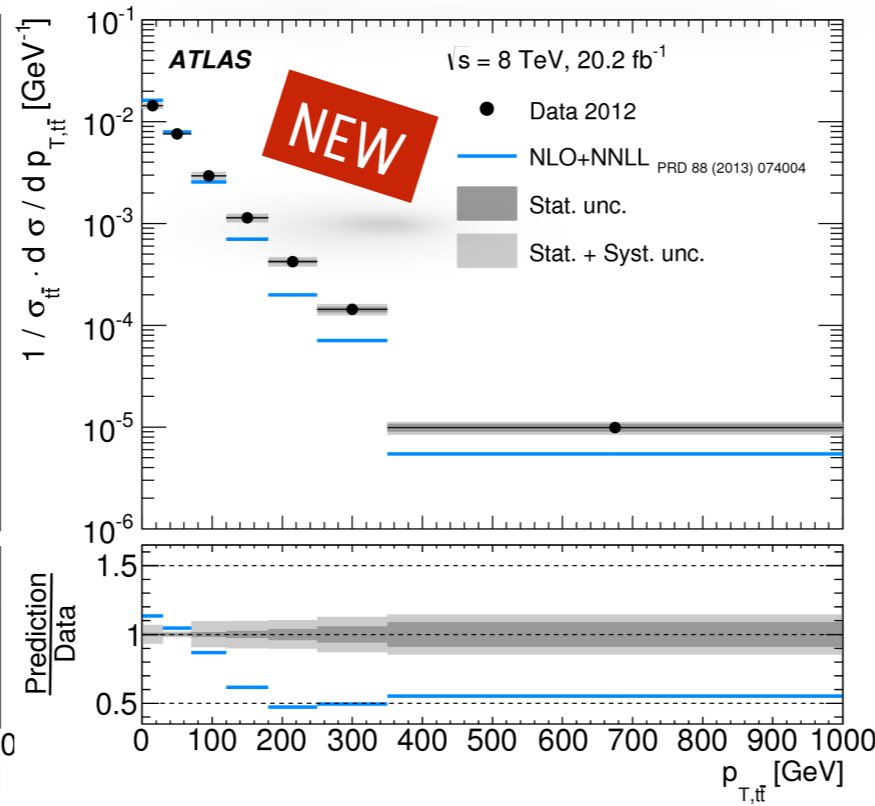


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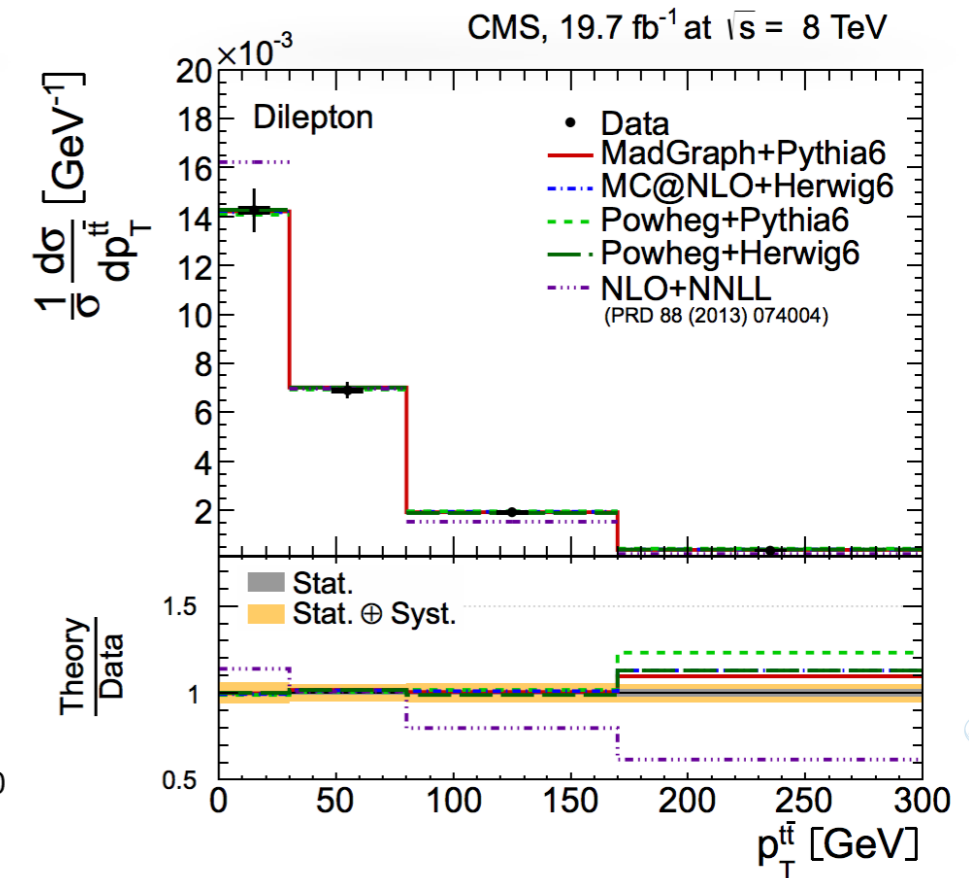
7 TeV | parton level



8 TeV | parton level

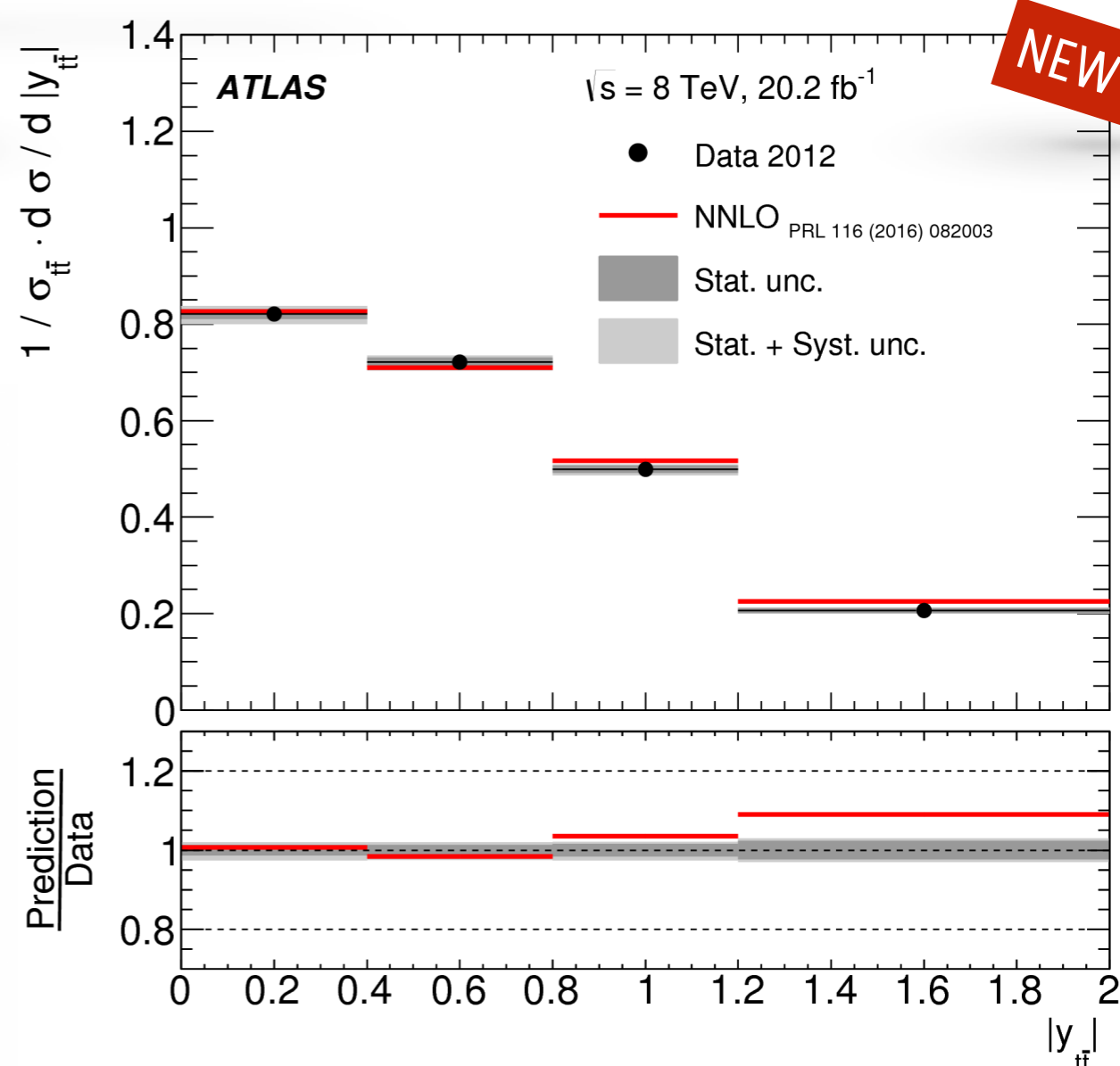
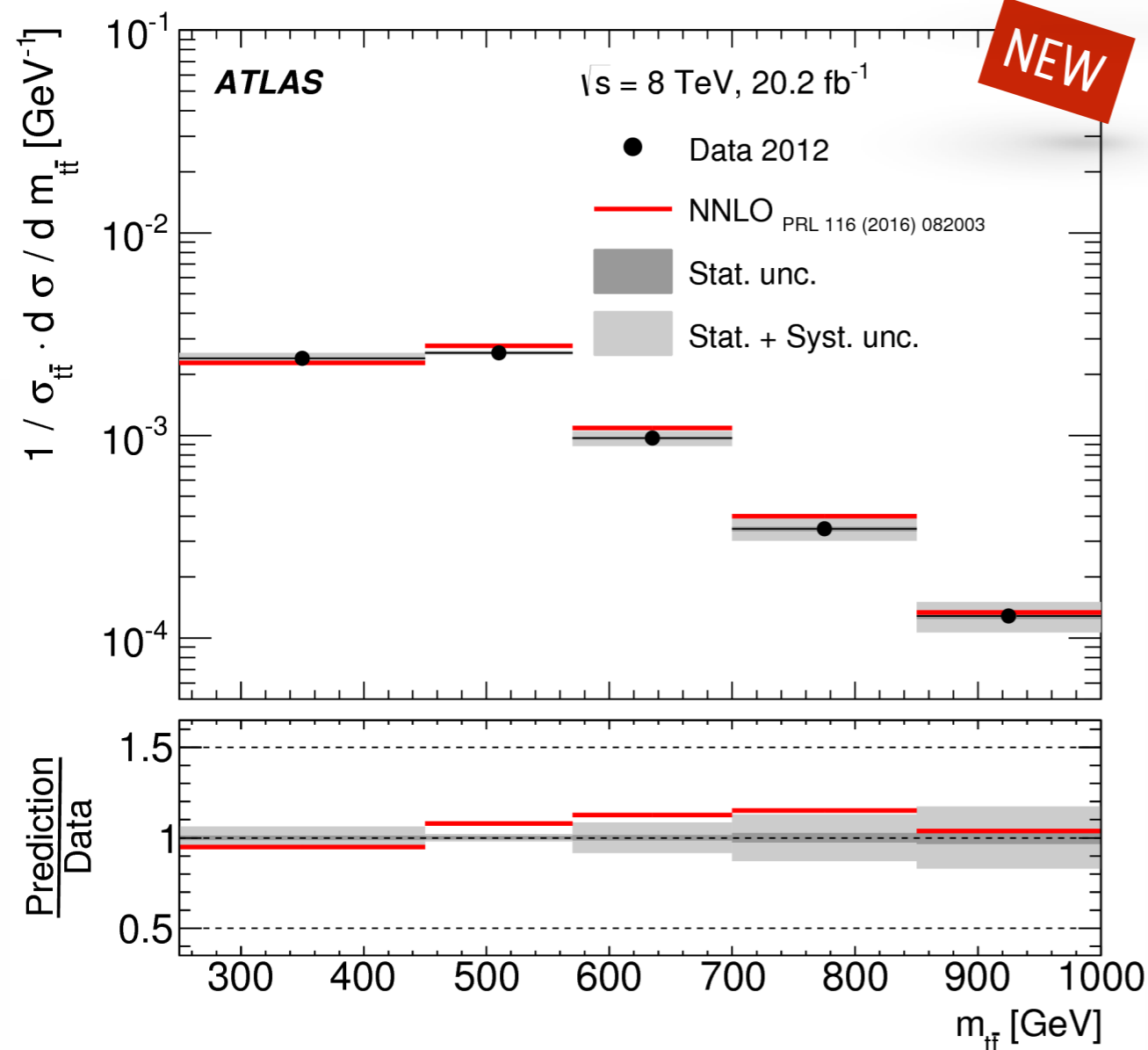


8 TeV | parton level



- $p_{T,t\bar{t}}$ sensitive to MC tuning parameters and scale settings
- Mis-modelling in $p_{T,t\bar{t}}$ at 7 and 8 TeV
 - ▶ Confirmed by ATLAS ($p\text{-value} < 0.01$)

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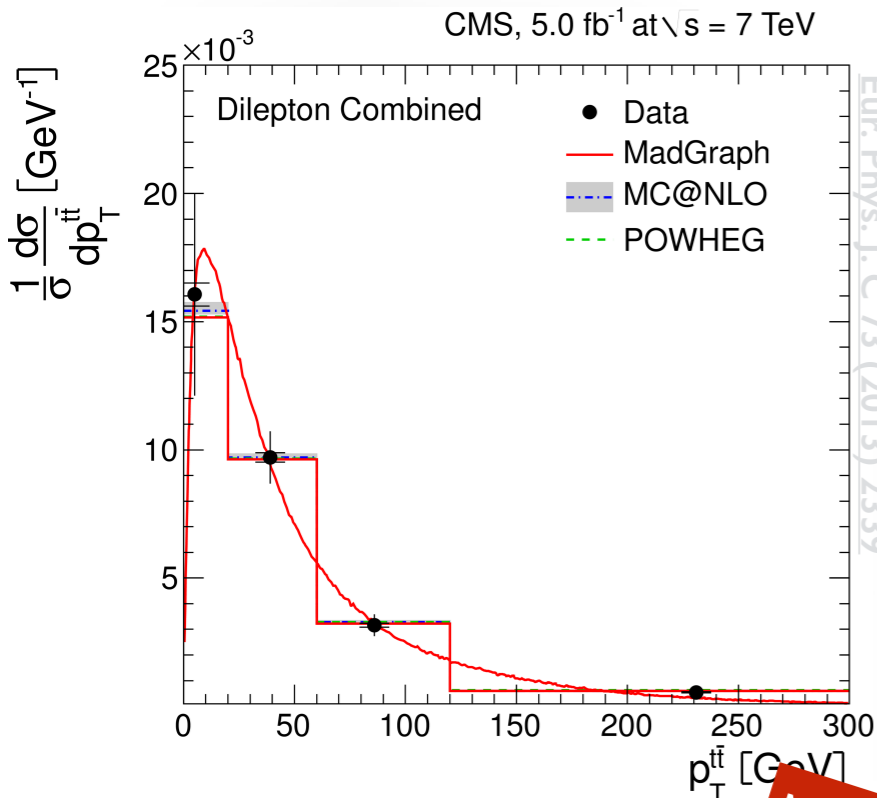


- NNLO at 8 TeV shows

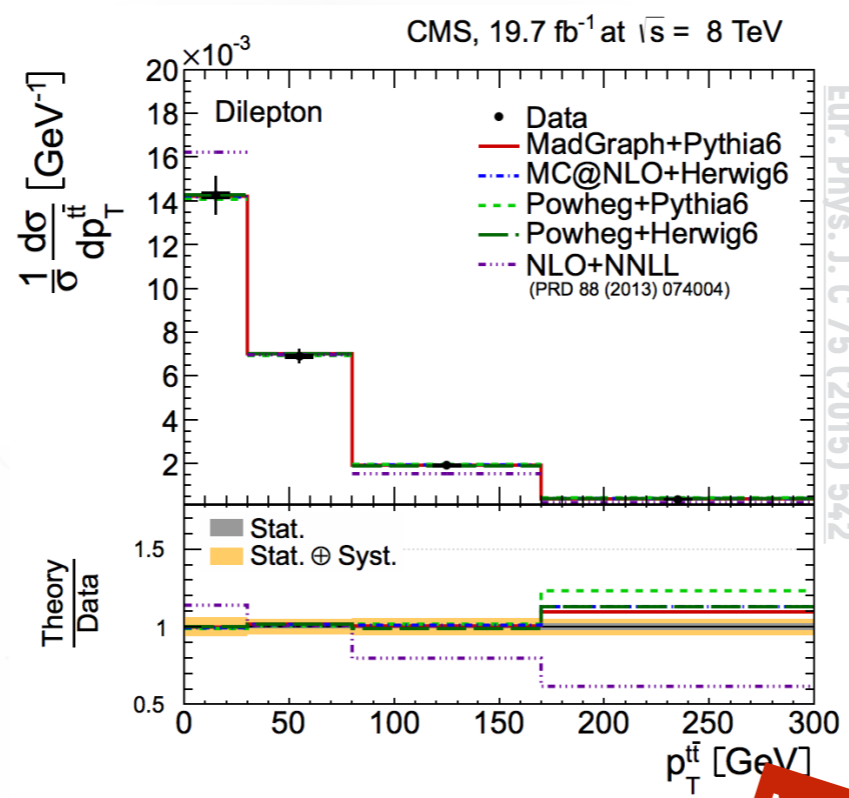
- ▶ Good agreement in $m_{t\bar{t}}$
- ▶ Tension in high rapidity regime of $t\bar{t}$ system
 - Rapidity distribution sensitive to PDFs (might yield better NNLO agreement with different PDF choice)

DILEPTON MEASUREMENTS IN FULL ENERGY RANGE

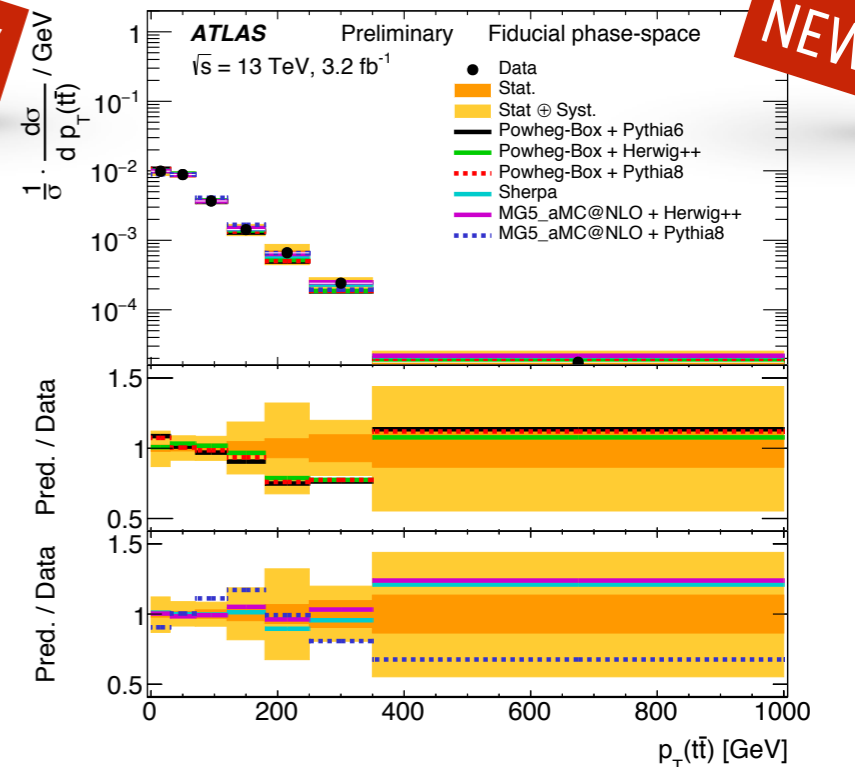
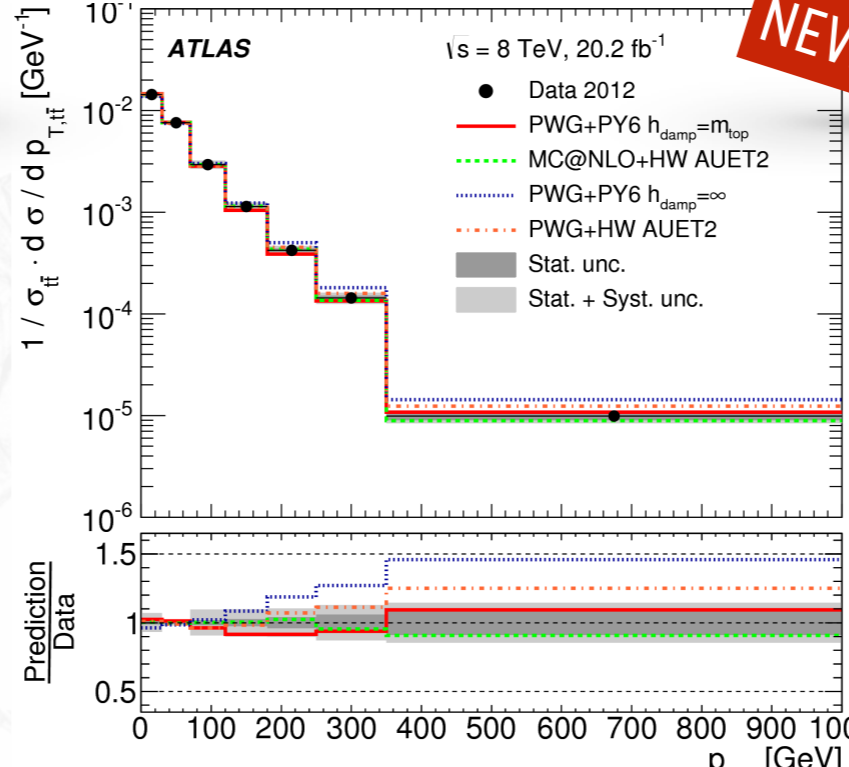
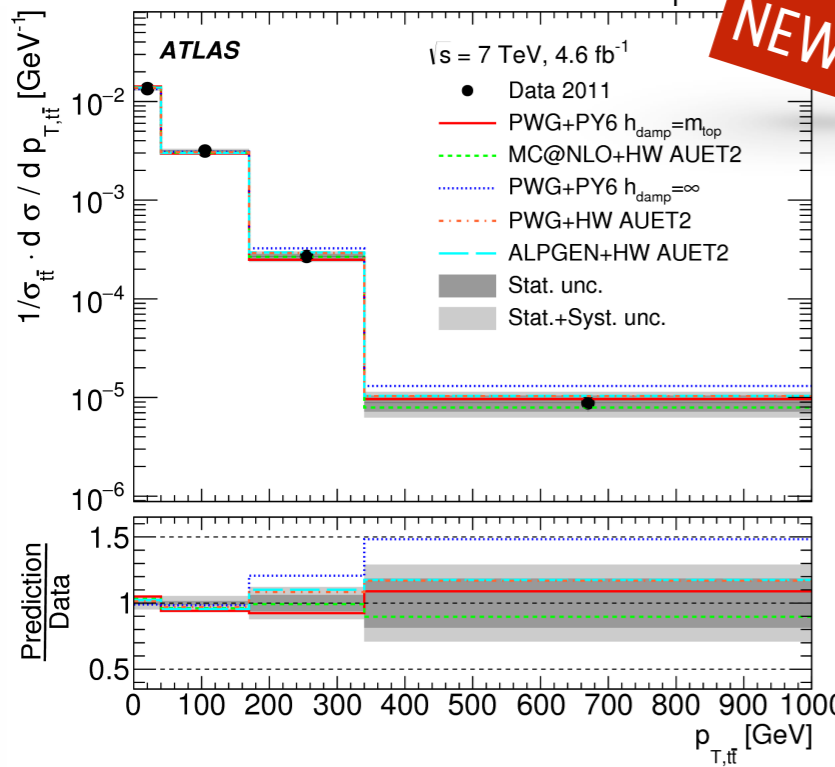
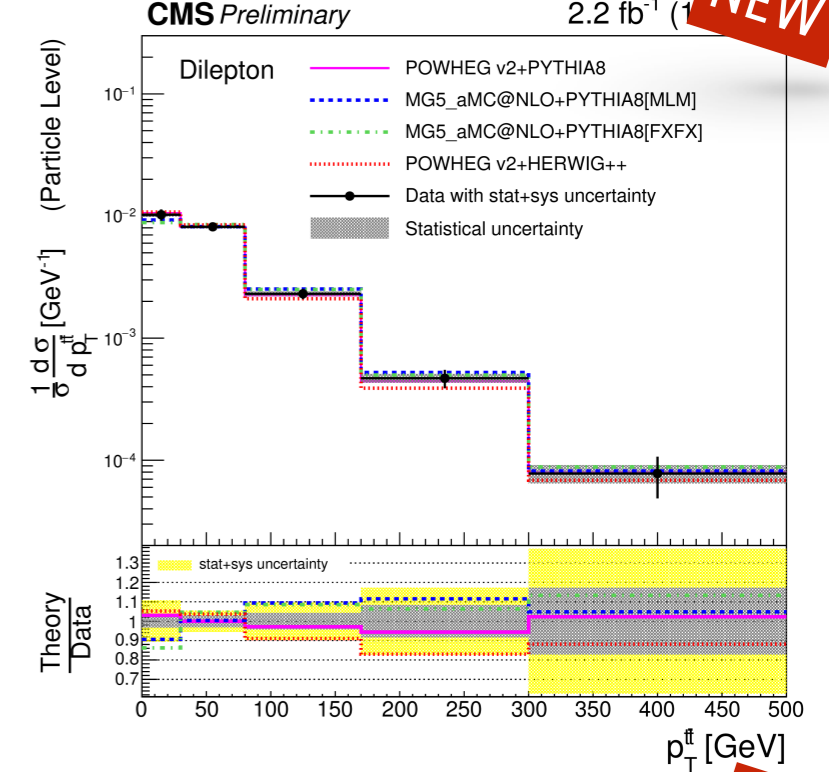
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8 TeV | parton level



13 TeV | particle level



- Numerous measurements from both collaborations in a wide energy range and observables
- Comparisons to state-of-the art predictions



Double differential measurement @ 8 TeV (1st of its kind @LHC)

- Imposing tighter constraints on global PDF fits
 - improved resolution of momentum fraction
- Quantitative comparison to state-of-the art predictions (up to aNNLO $O(\alpha_s^4)$)
 - Power to distinguish between modern PDF sets
- Measurement follows procedures in [Eur.Phys.J. C 75 \(2015\) 542](#)
- Unfolding performed simultaneously in bins of two variables
- Dominant uncertainties $O(\text{syst} \sim \text{stat})$
 - ▶ Signal model & JES

Overview

8 TeV
dilepton ($e\mu$)
19.7/fb

parton level

full phase space
normalized

resolved

$p_T^{t\bar{t}}$ vs. $|y^{t\bar{t}}|$

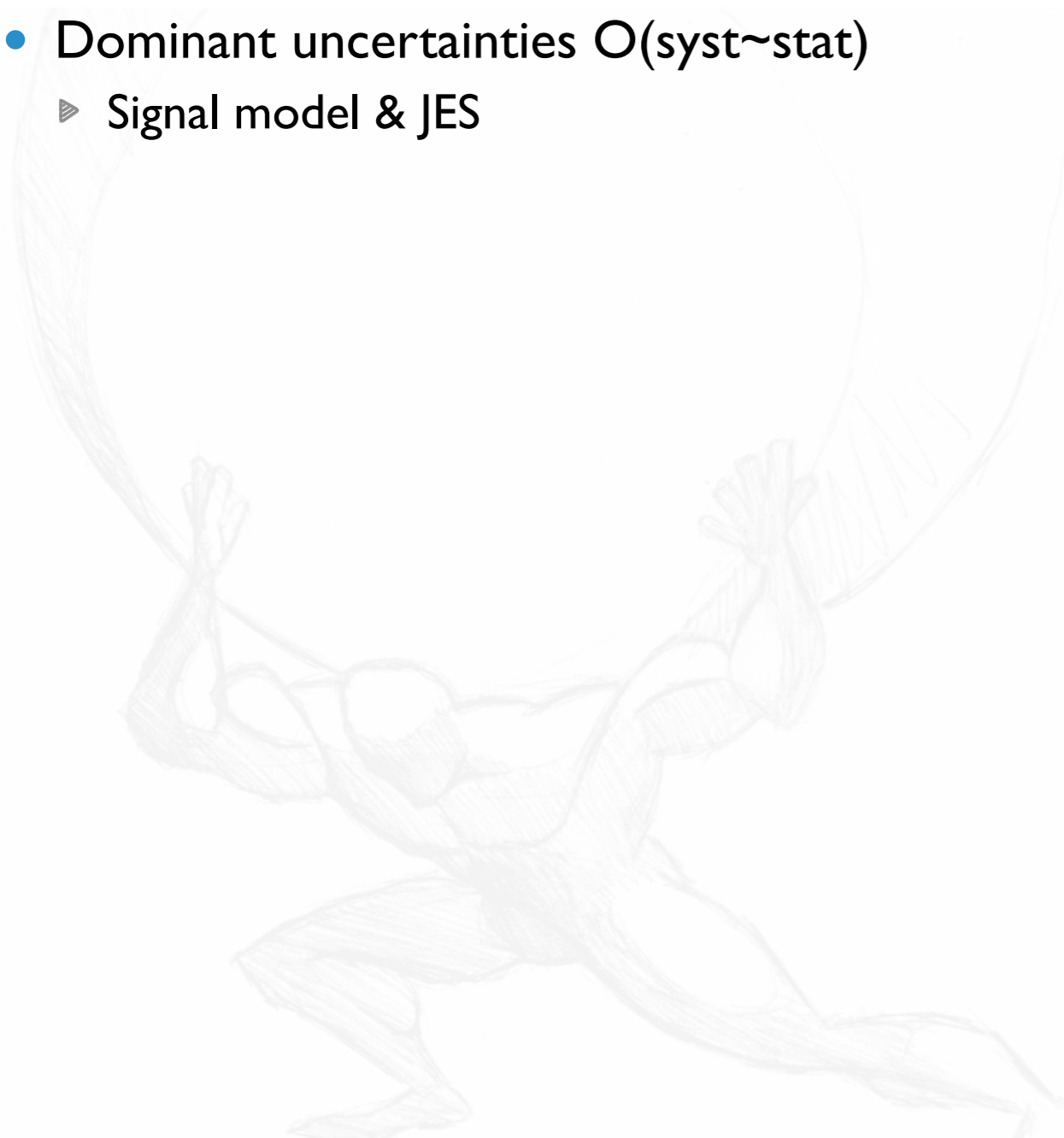
$|y^{t\bar{t}}|$ vs. $M_{t\bar{t}}$

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$\Delta\eta^{t\bar{t}}$ vs. $M_{t\bar{t}}$

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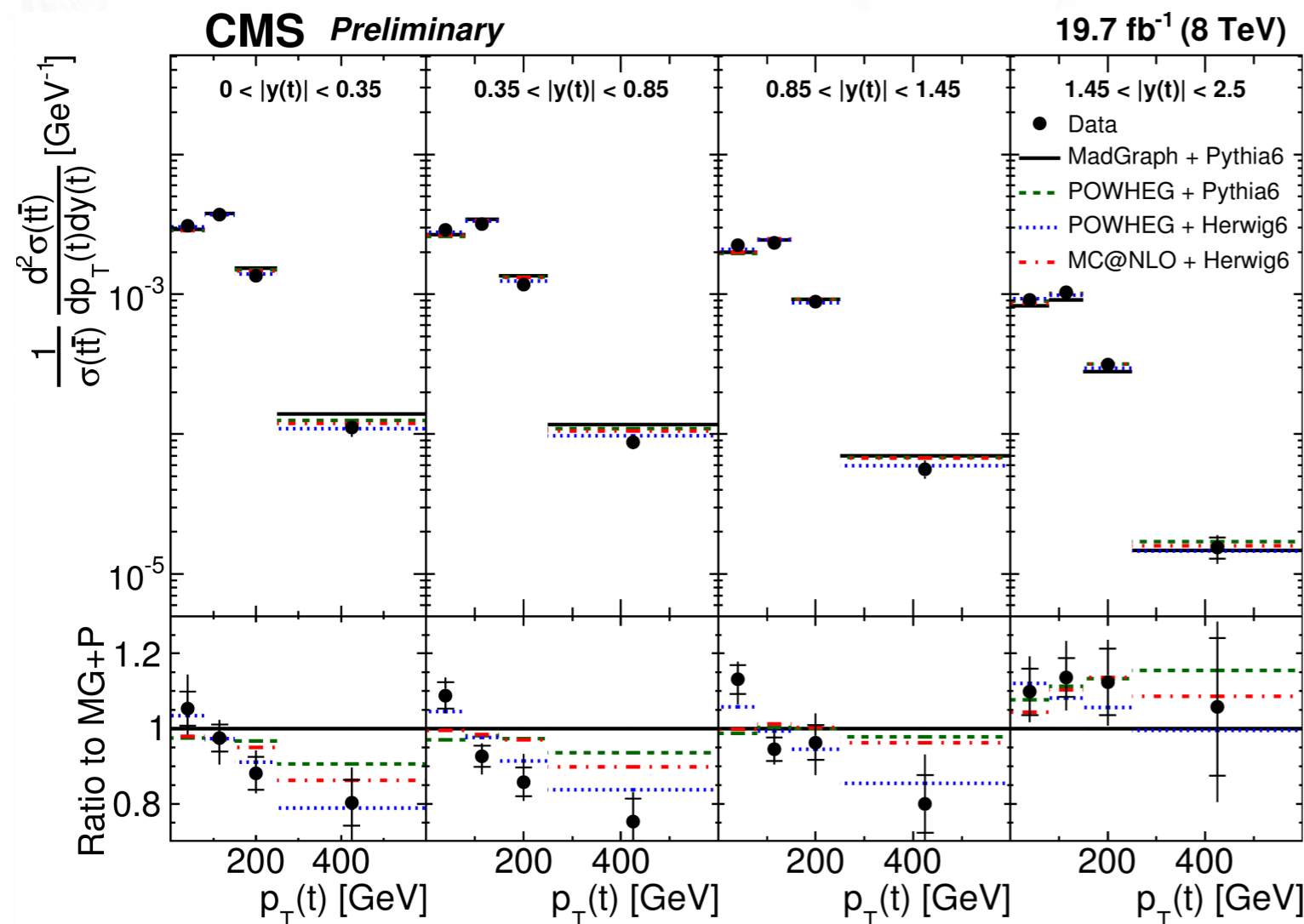
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- p_T^t vs. $|y^t|$
- $|y^t|$ vs. $M_{t\bar{t}}$
- $|y^{t\bar{t}}|$ vs. $M_{t\bar{t}}$
- $p_T^{t\bar{t}}$ vs. $|y^t|$
- $\Delta\eta^{t\bar{t}}$ vs. $M_{t\bar{t}}$
- $\Delta\phi^{t\bar{t}}$ vs. $M_{t\bar{t}}$

p_T^t vs. $|y^t|$



Observations

- ▶ p_T^t : Data softer than predictions
- ▶ except for high $|y^t|$

Bottom line

- ▶ None of the considered MC generators correctly describes all distributions

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$\Delta\eta^{t\bar{t}}$ vs. $M_{t\bar{t}}$

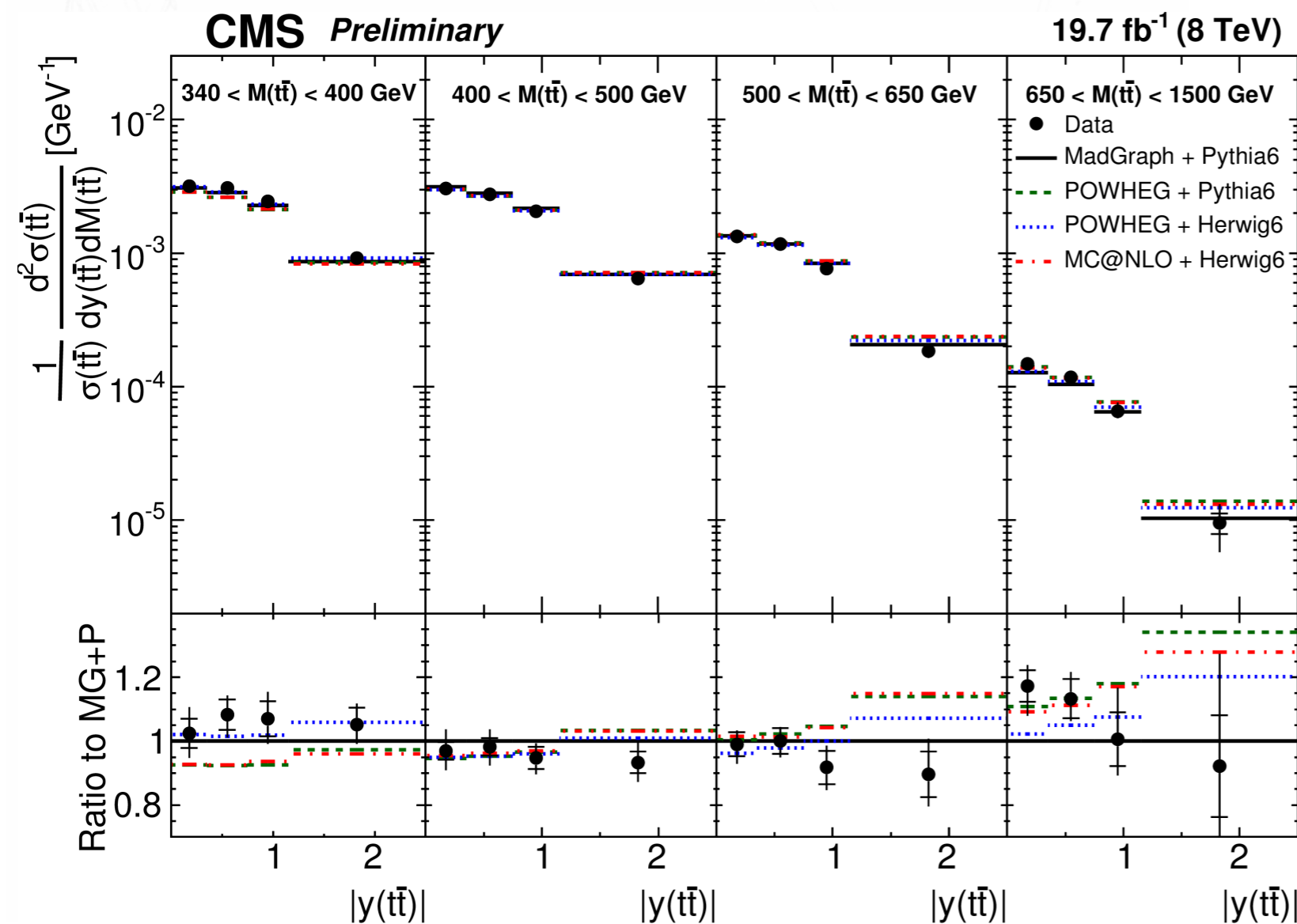
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Observations

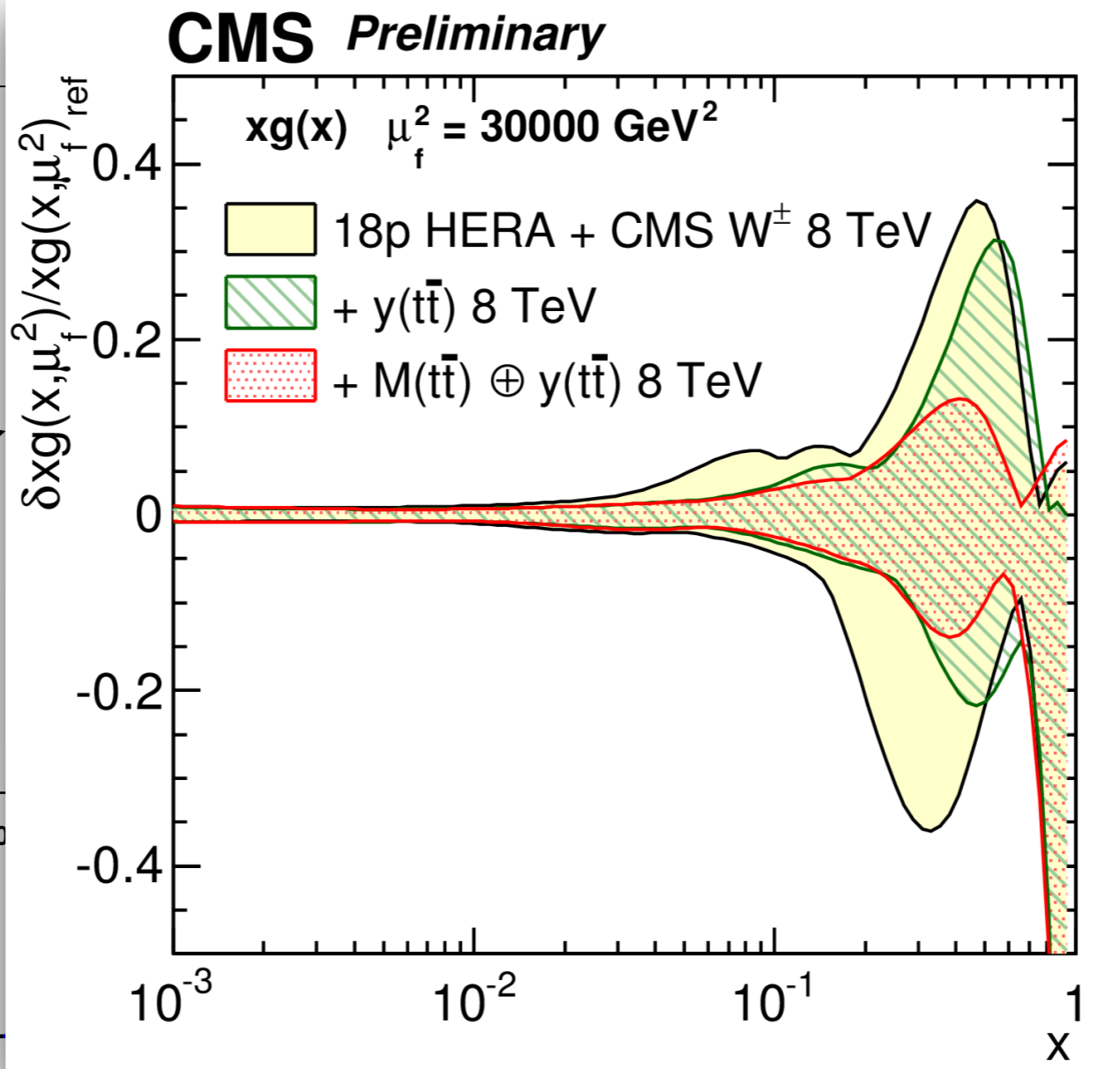
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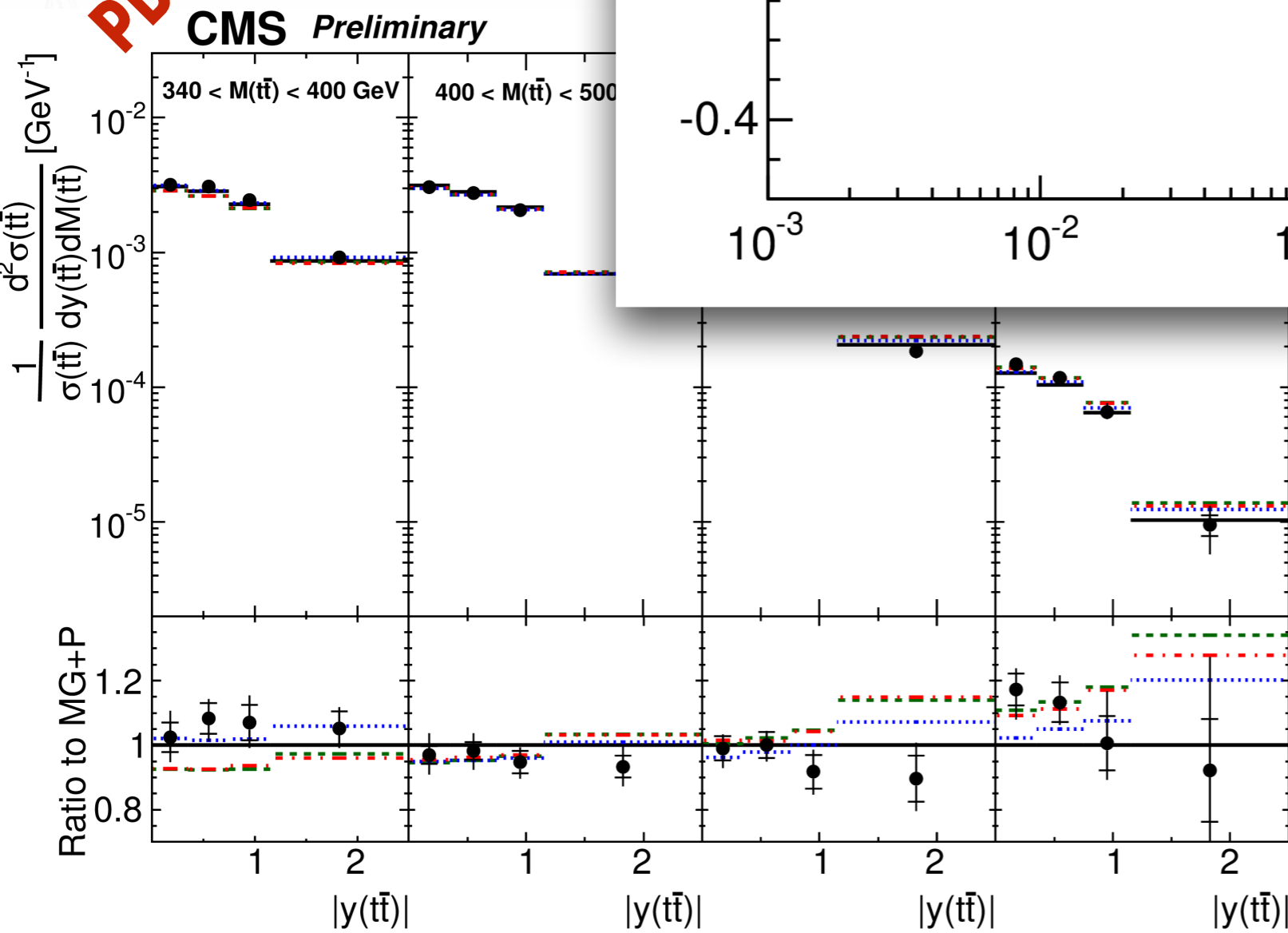
Significant constraining power results
→ reduction of PDF uncertainties at high x

PDF constraints



- 8 TeV dilepton ($e\mu$) 19.7/fb
- parton level** full phase space normalized
- resolved**
- $p_{T^{t\bar{t}}}$ vs. $|y^{t\bar{t}}|$
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$t\bar{t}$



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DIFFERENTIAL MEASUREMENTS

Top-quark definition

- detector level
- particle level
- parton level

Covered phase-space

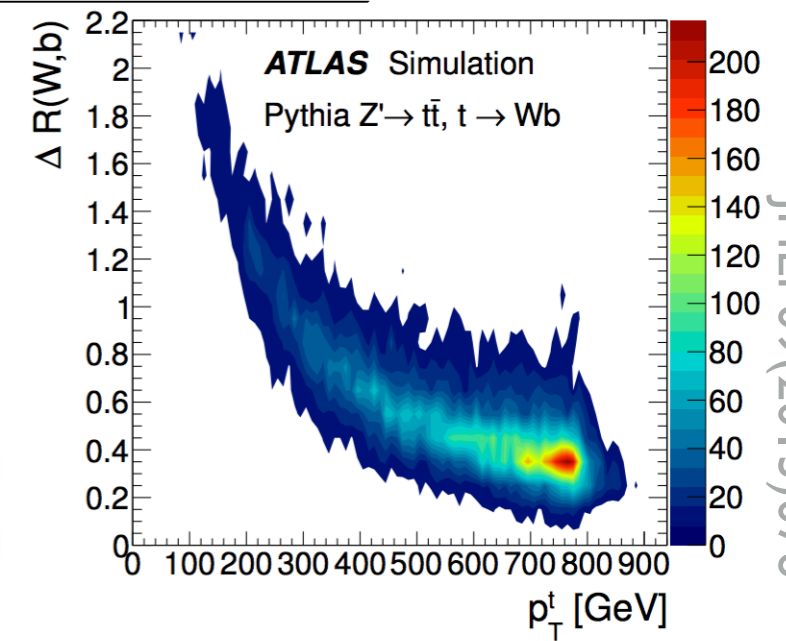
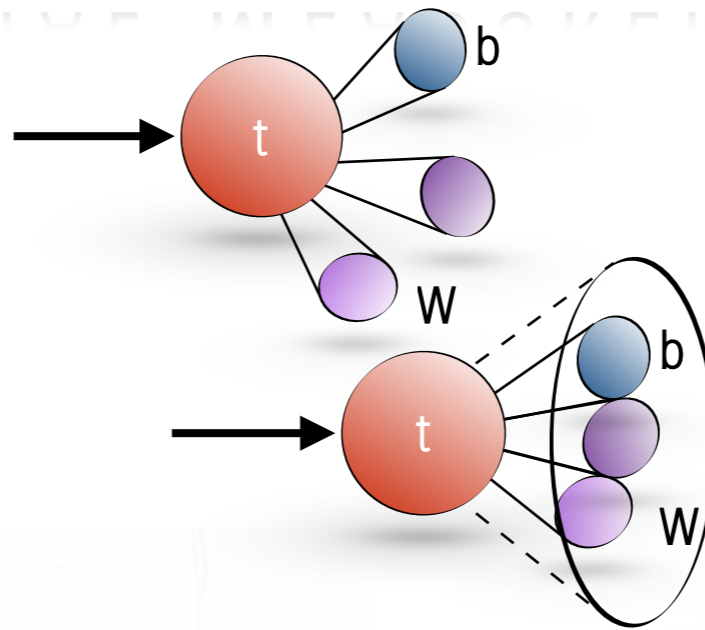
- detector
- fiducial
- full

Decay topology

- **boosted**
- **resolved**

Cross-section definition

- normalized
- absolute



Resolved and boosted top-quark topologies

- Higher energies, more top-quark candidates are boosted ($\Delta R \approx 2m_t/p_T^t$)
- Variety of theory models predict new particles at TeV scale
- Probe both low and high p_T regimes

ATLAS: 13 TeV, L + JETS



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NEW

- Pseudo-top measurement complements
- Comparisons to NLO MC generator

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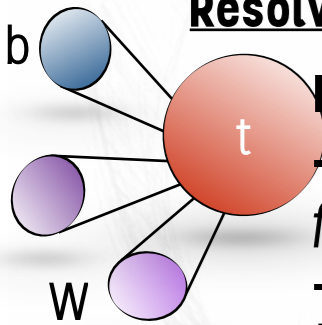
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 exactly one lepton

Resolved channel

≥ 4 small-R jets (≥ 2 b-tagged)

Resolved tops (pseudo-top algorithm)



leptonic:

- Imposes W -mass constraint to solve for neutrino $|p_z|$
- Pairs W and b -jet closest in ΔR to lepton

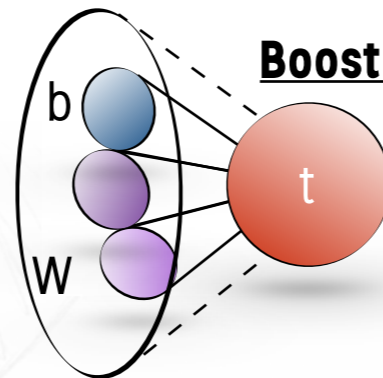
hadronic:

- Pair non b -tagged jets closest to m_W with remaining second hardest b -tagged jet

Boosted channel

≥ 1 small-R jets & ≥ 1 large-R jets
 (at least either b -tagged)

$MET > 20$ GeV, $MET + m_T^W > 60$ GeV



Boosted top

leptonic:

- At least one small-R jet with $\Delta R(\text{lepton, small-R jet}) < 2.0$

hadronic:

- top-tagged large R -jet ($m > 100$ GeV, $\tau_{32} > 0.75$)

Overview

13 TeV
 l+jets
 3.2/fb

particle level

fiducial phase space
 absolute & normalized

resolved

$p_T^{t, \text{had}}$	$ y^{t, \text{had}} $
$p_T^{t\bar{t}}$	$m^{t\bar{t}}$
$ y^{t\bar{t}} $	

boosted

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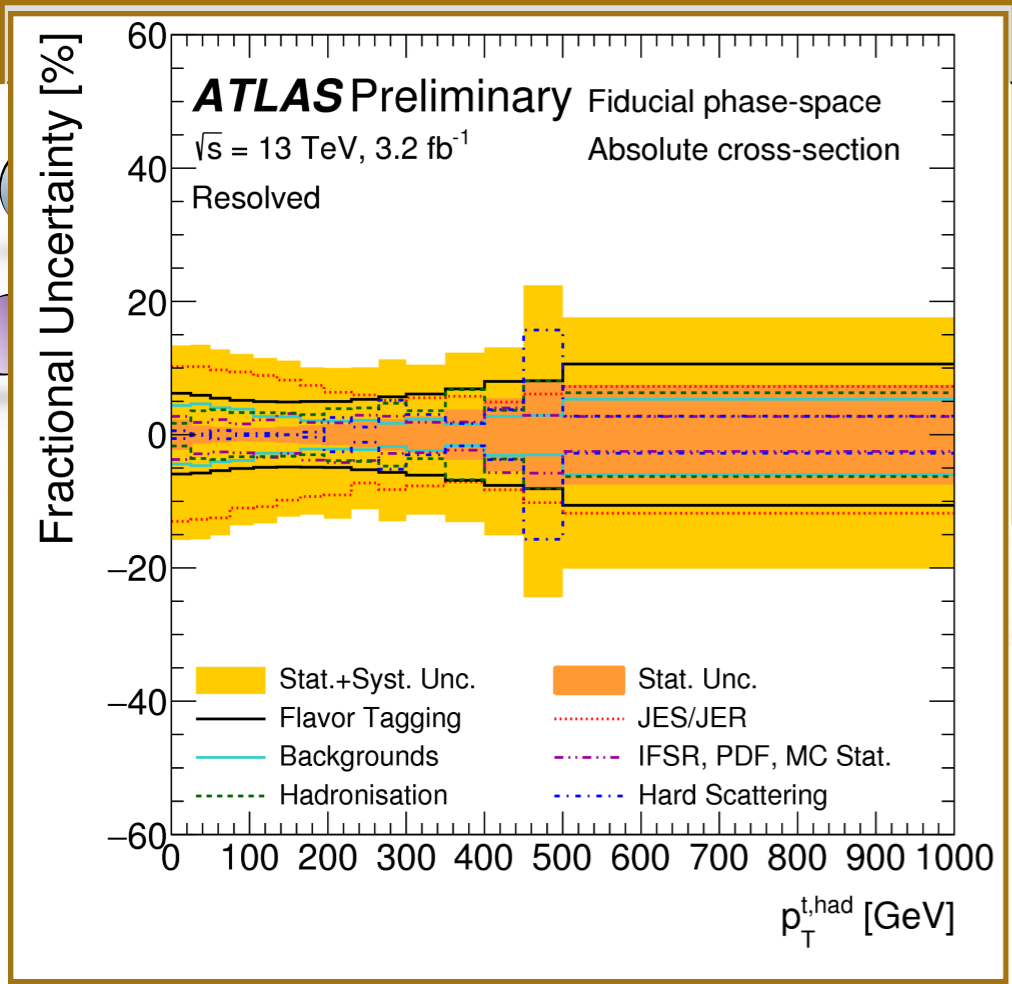
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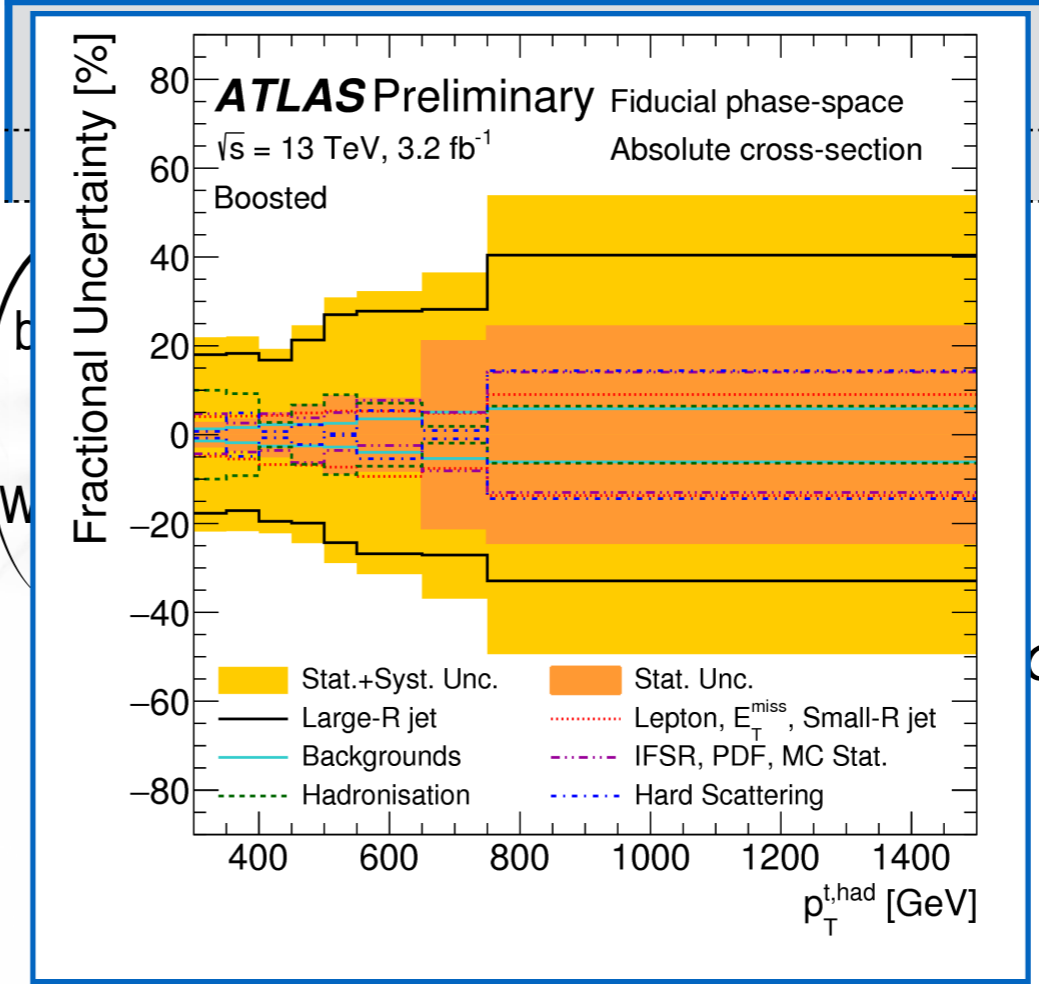
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Resolved channel



Boosted channel



GeV,

• Dominant uncertainties

- ▶ **Resolved:** JES and flavour tagging
- ▶ **Boosted:** Large R-jet (\rightarrow JES dominant)

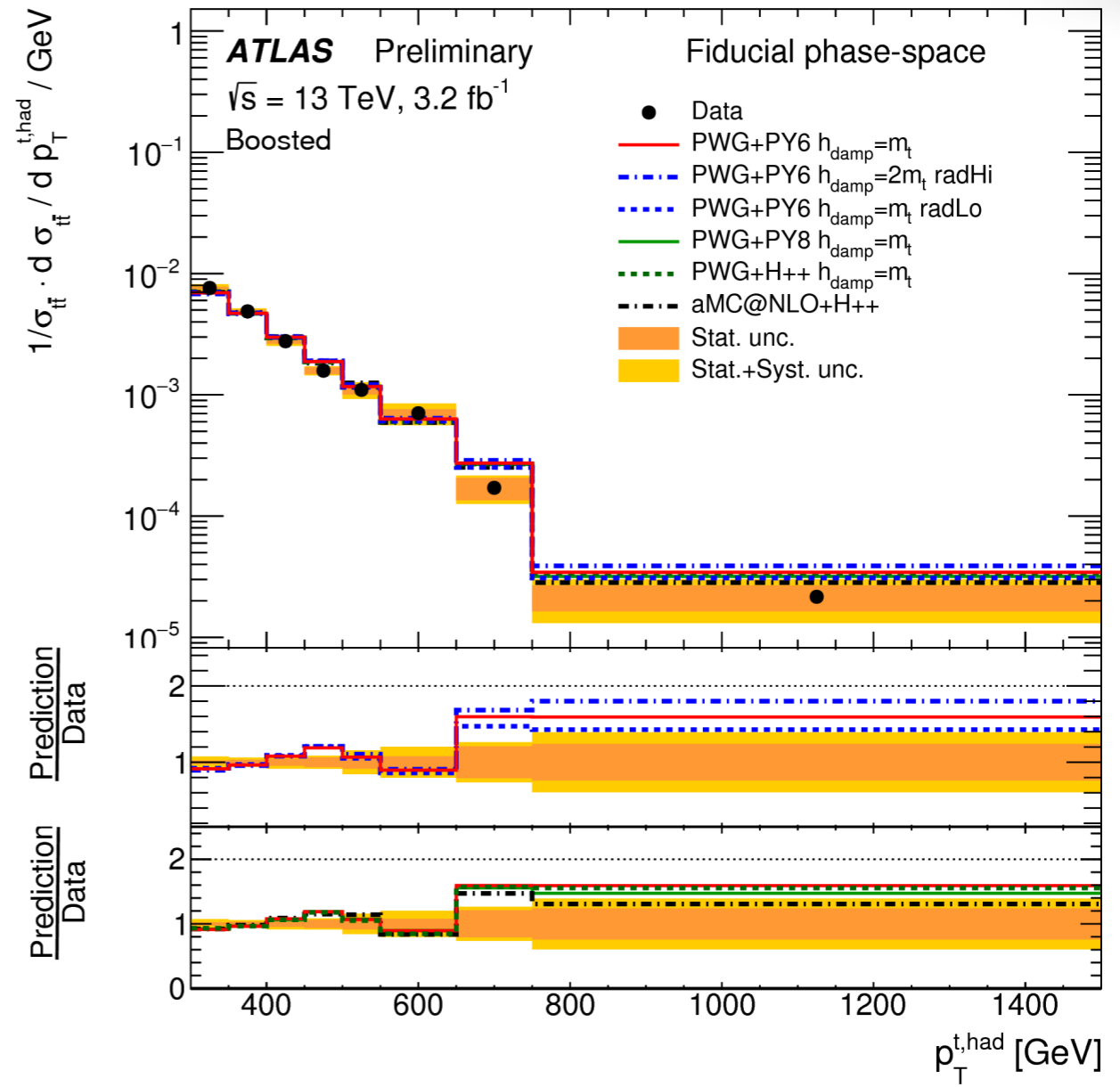
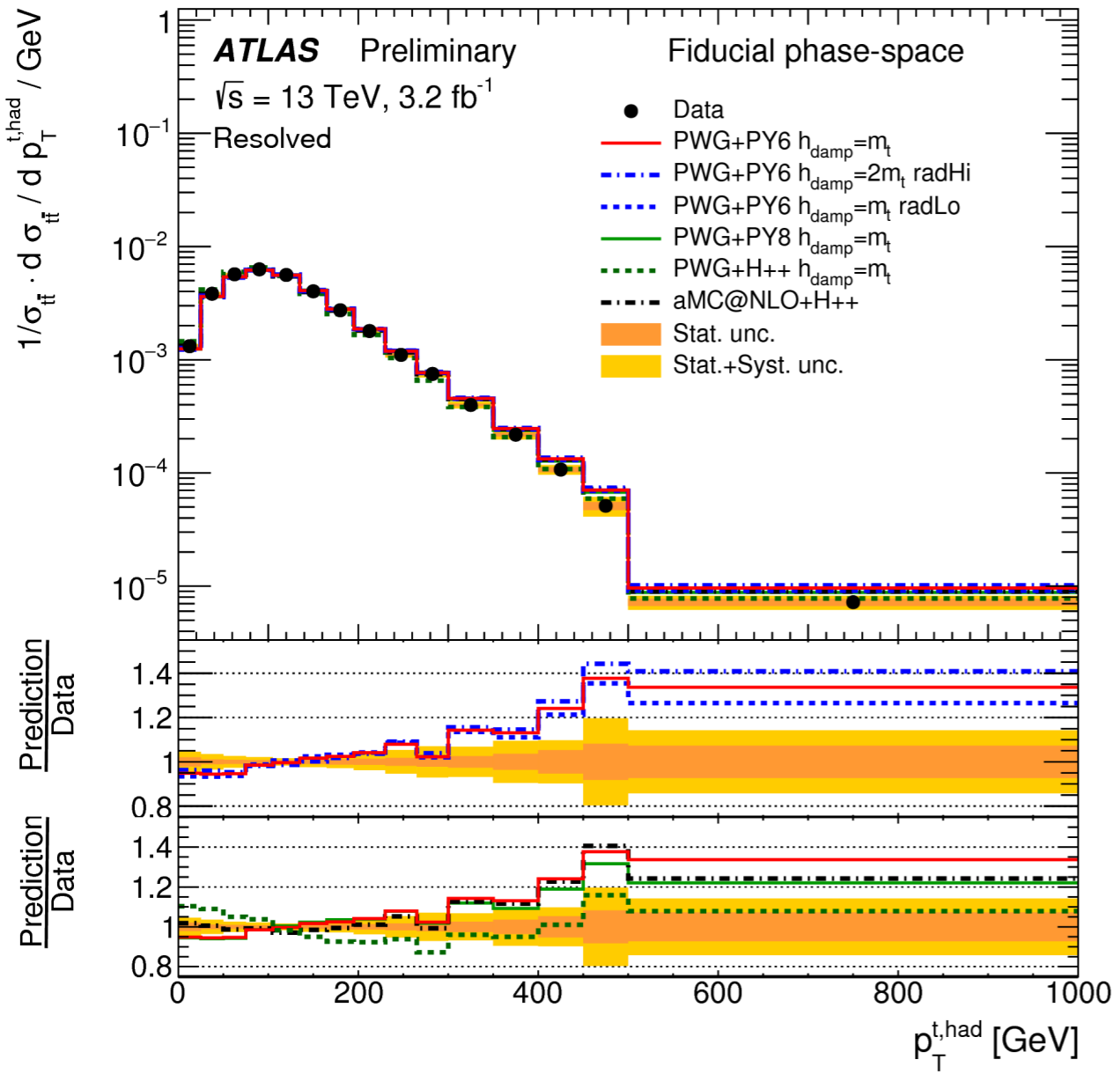


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NEW

resolved

boosted



- Data seems softer at high p_T in both resolved and boosted channels
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- $|\gamma^{t, \text{had}}|, m^{t\bar{t}}, |\gamma^{t\bar{t}}|$ & $p_T^{t\bar{t}}$: Level of agreement within quoted uncertainties
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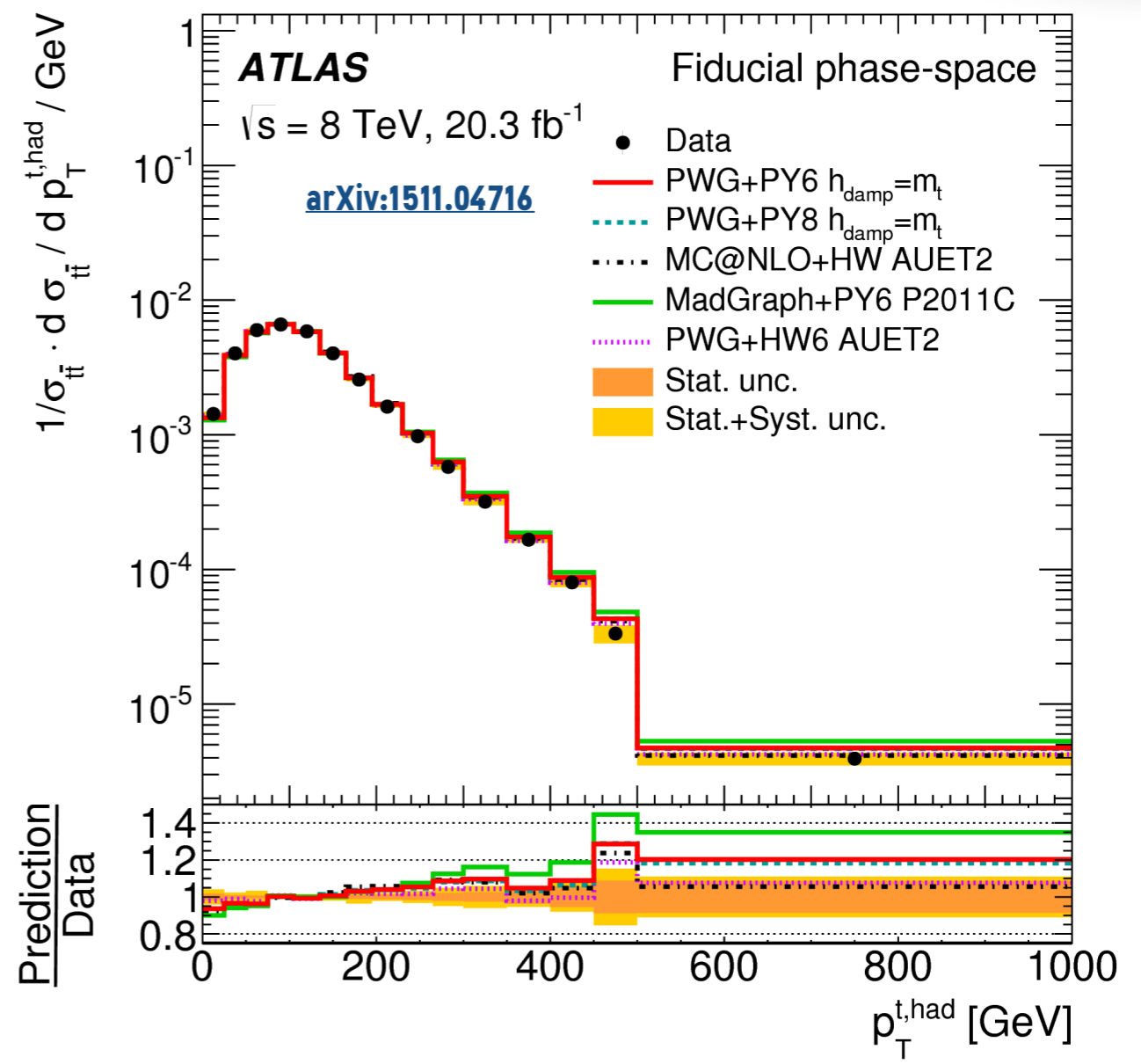
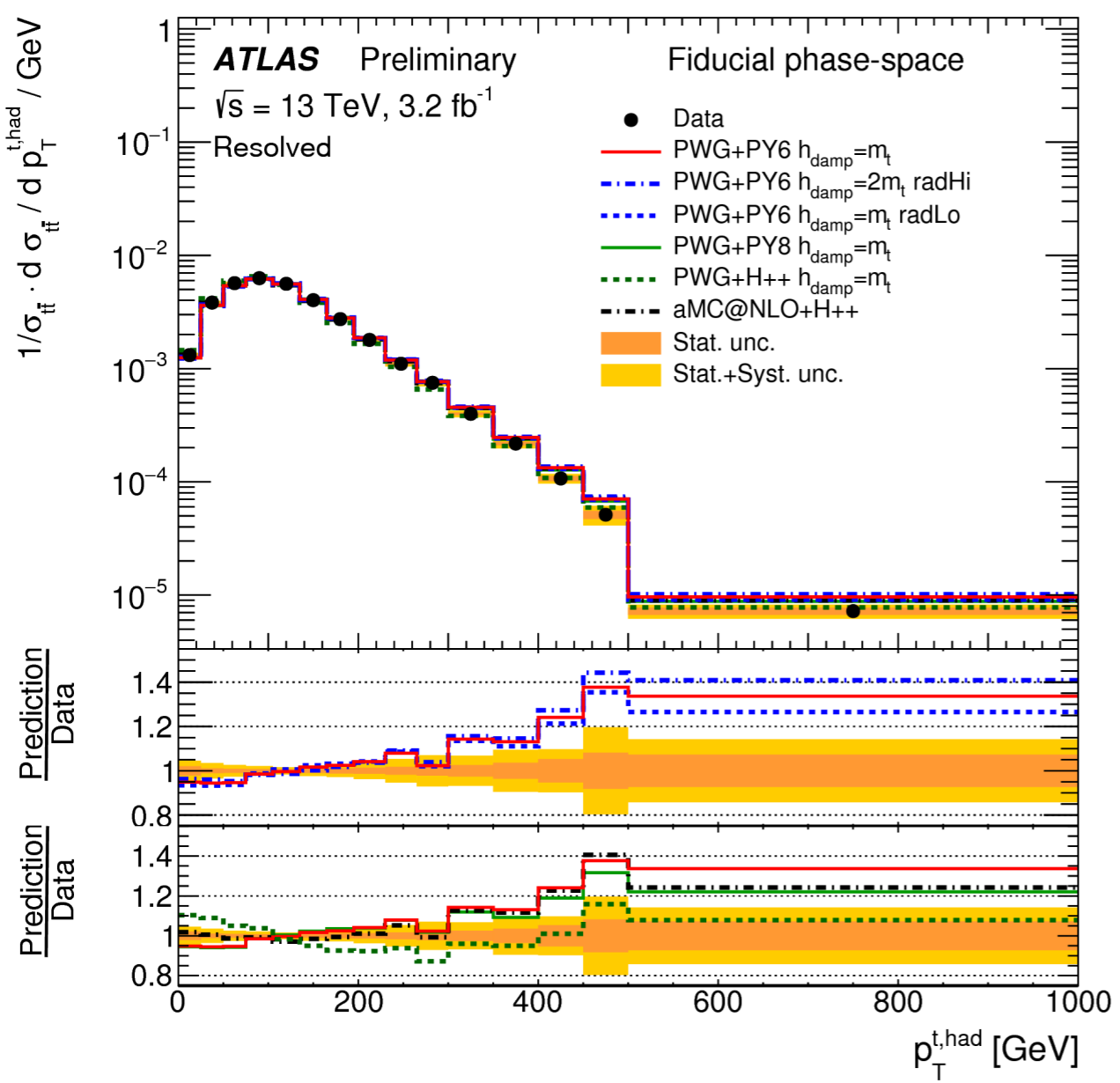


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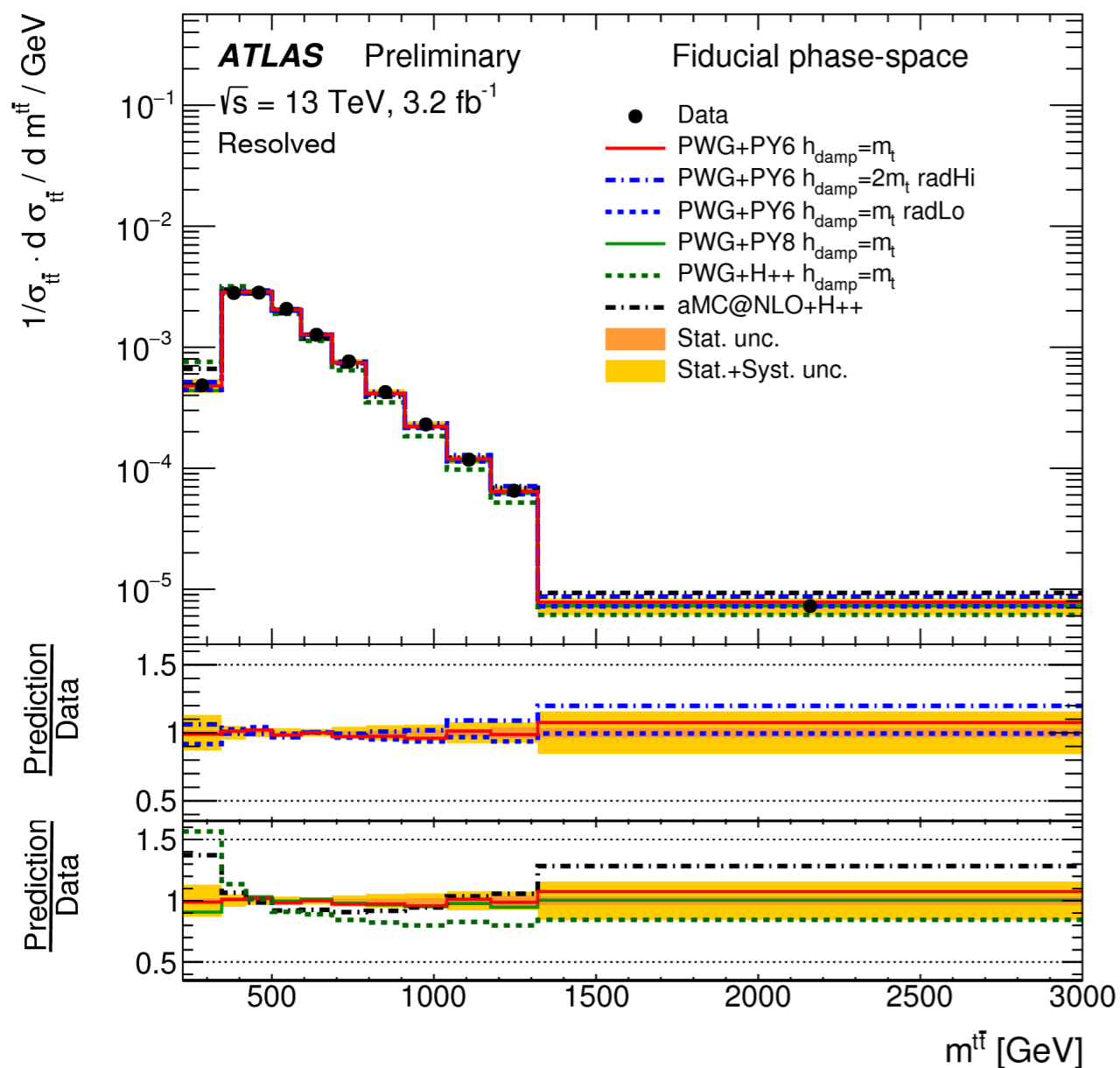
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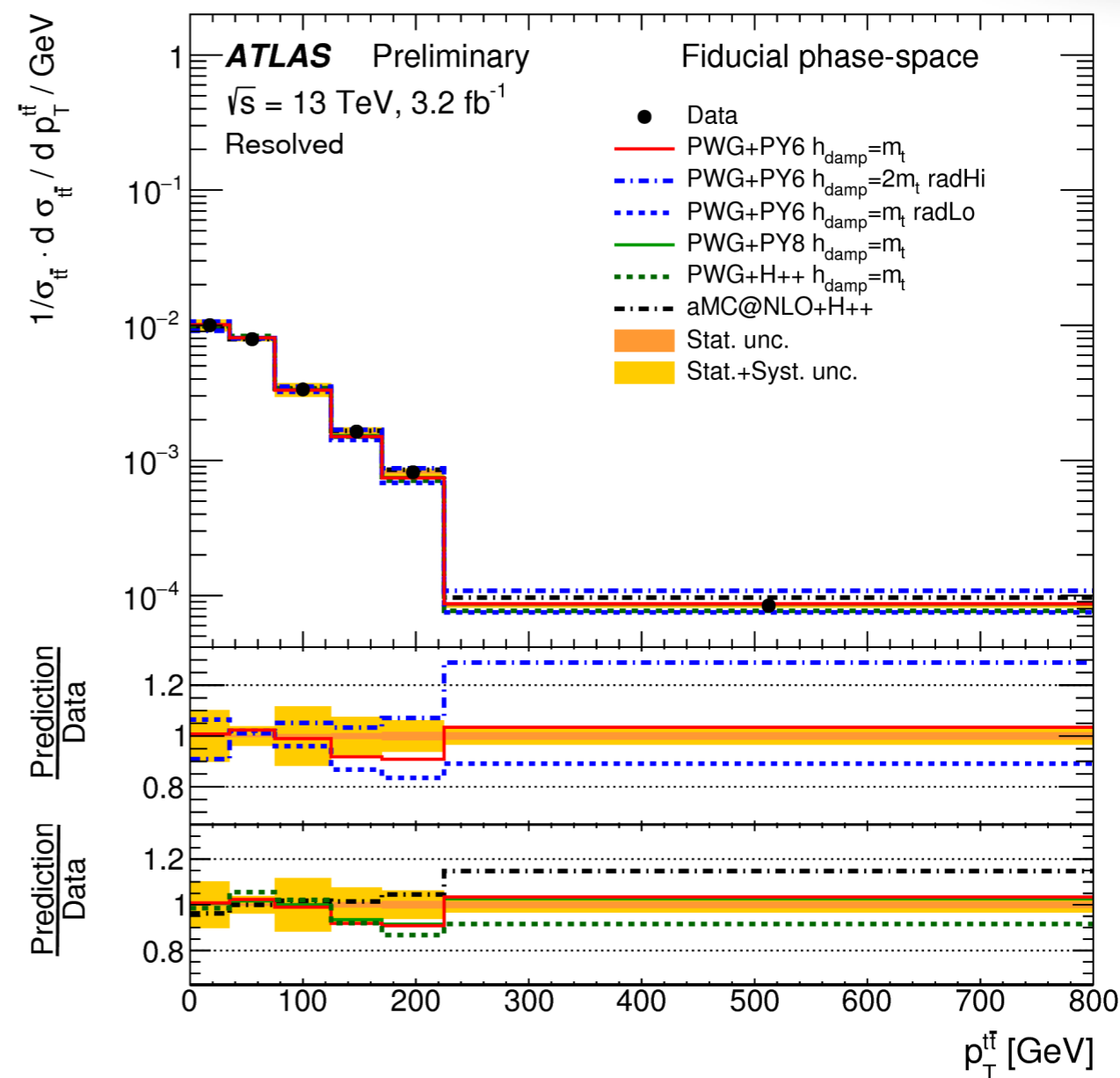


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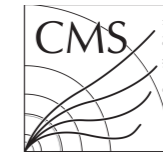
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NEW

1D Measurement complements

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- Comparisons to NLO MC generator and up to N⁽³⁾LO O(α_s^5) theory prediction
- Dominant uncertainties
 - ▶ **Particle level:** exp. \rightarrow JES, b-tagging efficiency
 - ▶ **Parton level:** Parton shower & had. model

Typical uncertainty ranges of uncertainties in the bins

Source	Particle level [%]	Parton level [%]
Statistical uncertainty	1-5	1-5
Jet energy scale	5-8	6-8
Jet energy resolution	< 1	< 1
\vec{p}_T^{miss} (non jet)	< 1	< 1
b tagging	2-3	2-3
Pileup	< 1	< 1
Lepton selection	3	3
Luminosity	2.7	2.7
Background	1-3	1-3
PDF	< 1	< 1
Fact./ren. scale	< 1	< 1
Parton shower scale	2-5	2-9
POWHEG + PYTHIA8 vs. HERWIG++	1-5	1-12
NLO event generation	1-5	1-10
m_t	1-2	1-3

Overview

13 TeV
l+jets
2.3/fb

parton level

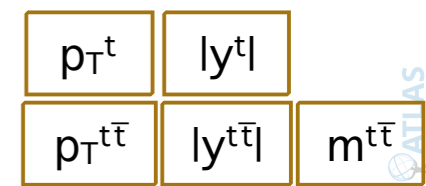
full phase space
absolute & normalized

particle level

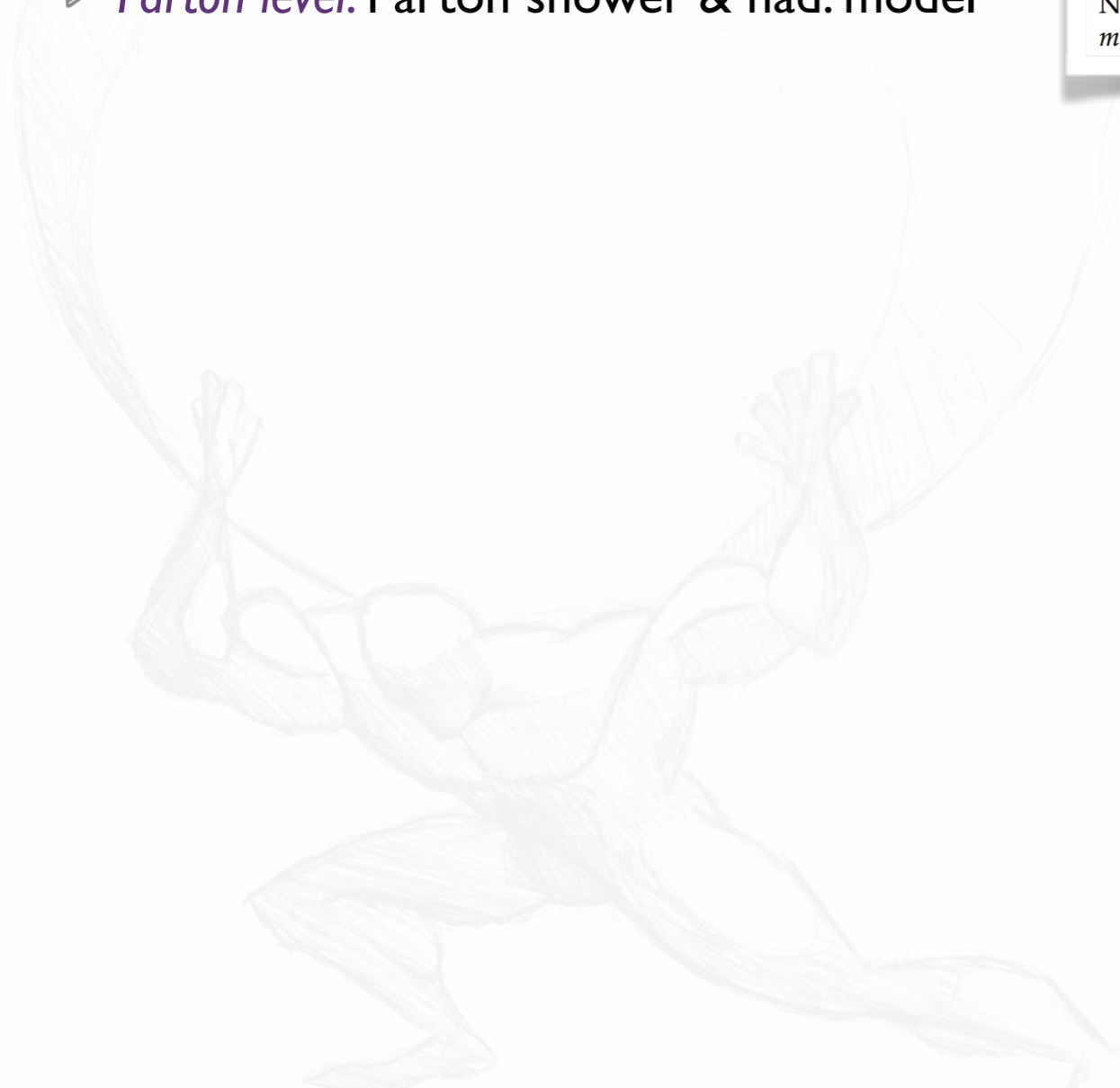
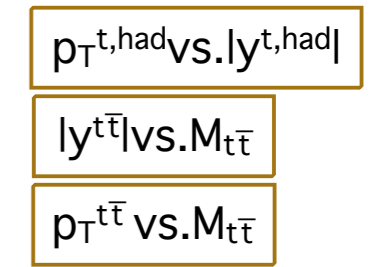
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resolved

1D



2D





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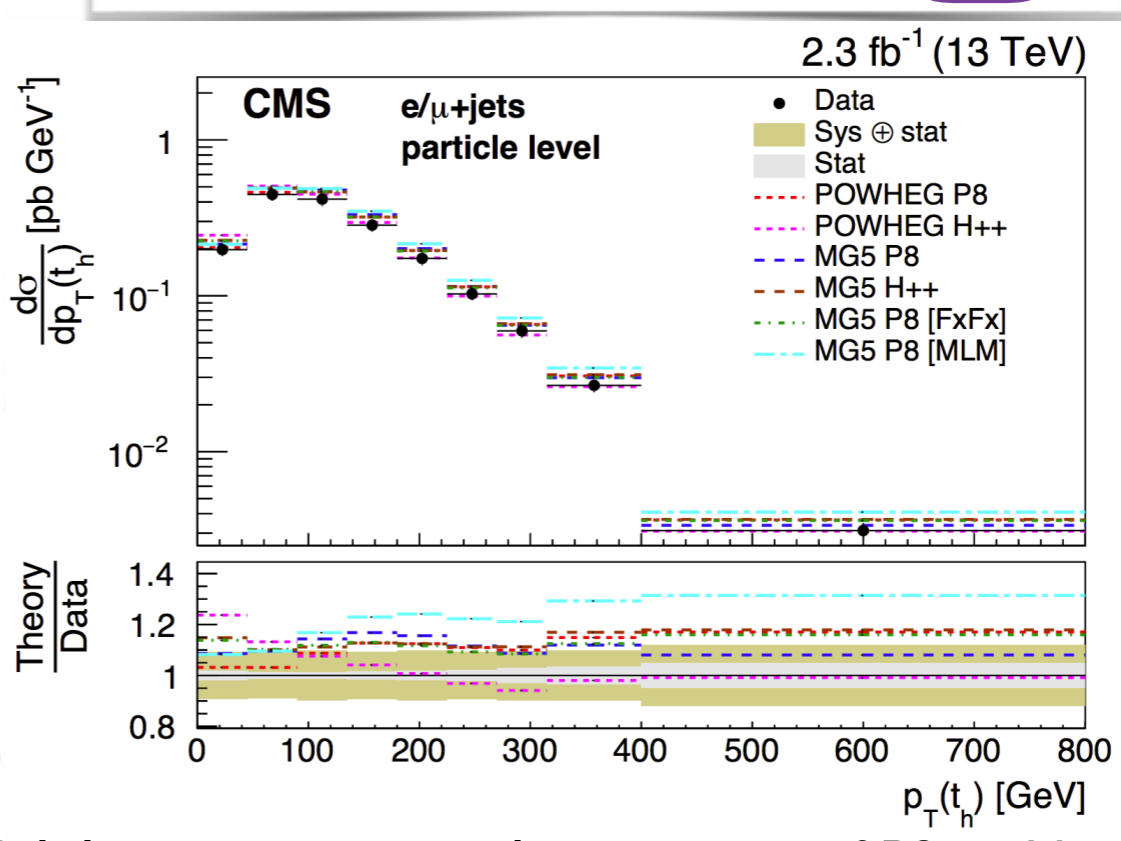
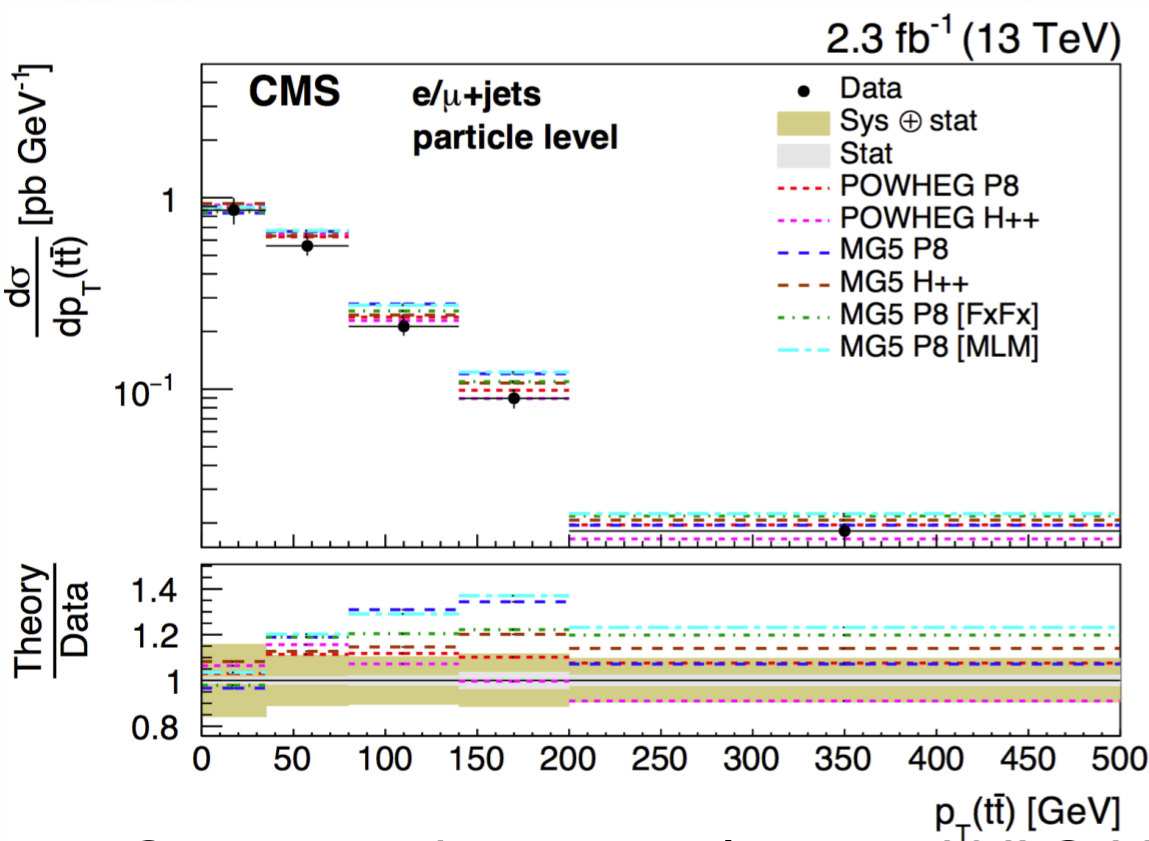
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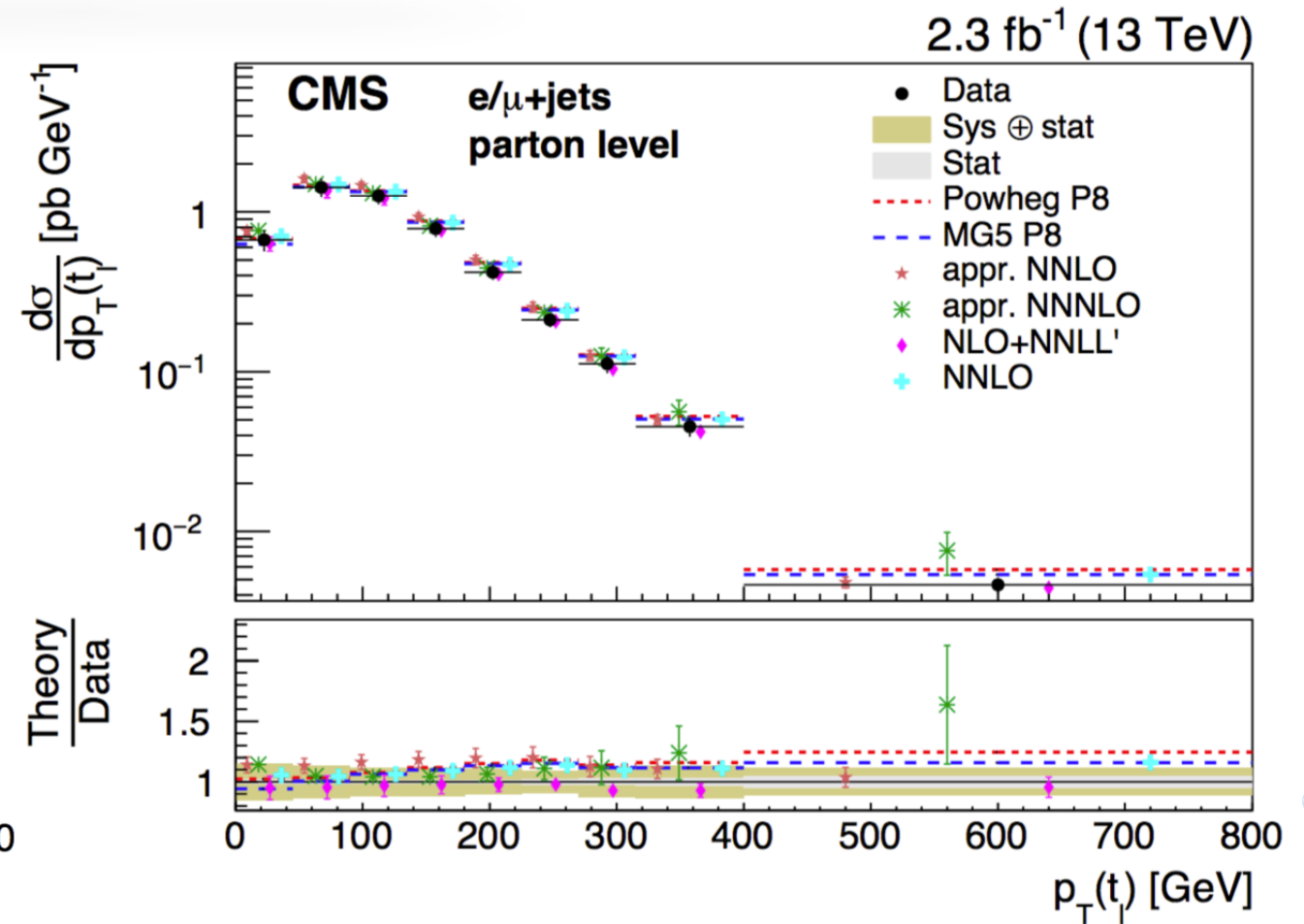
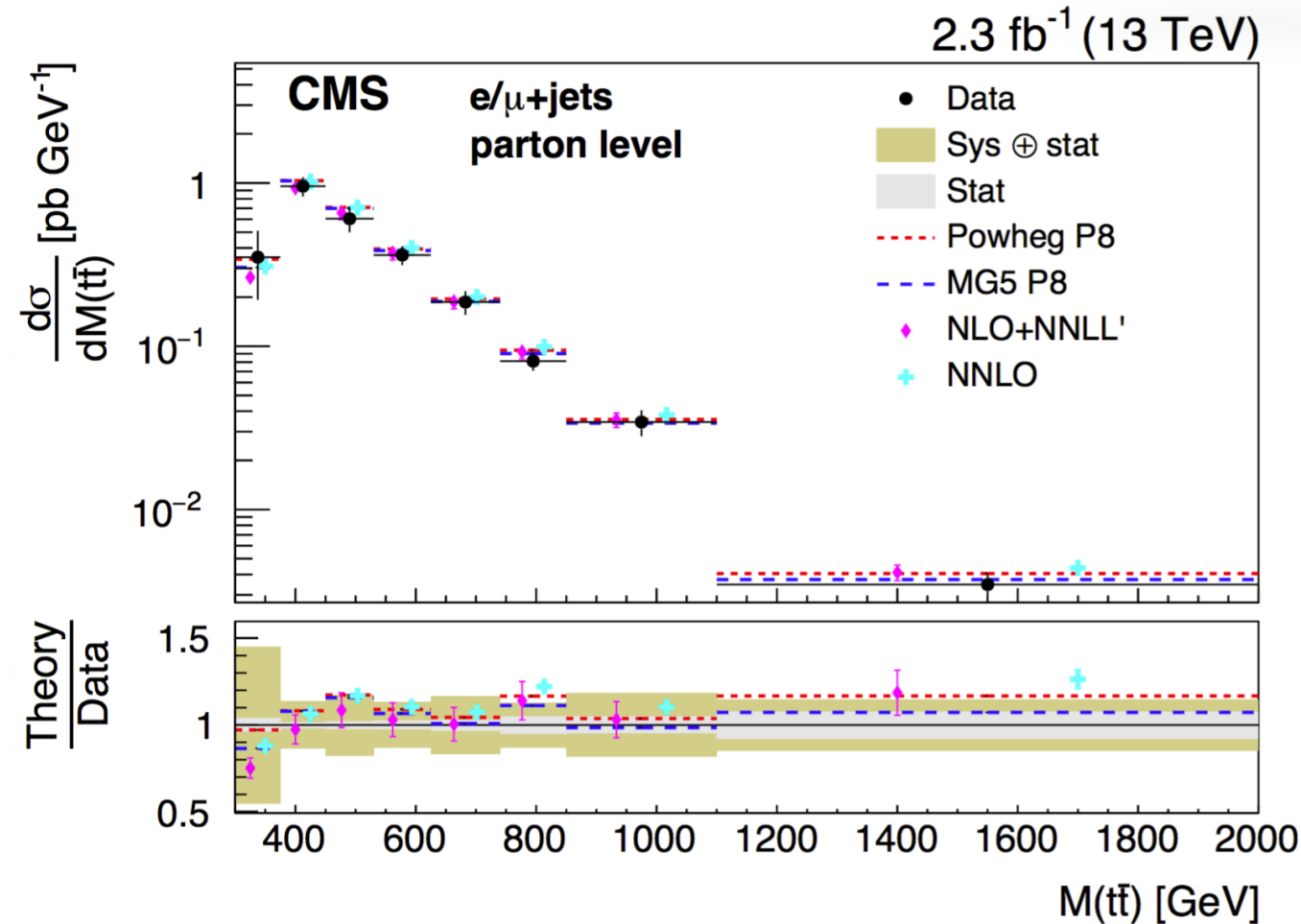
resolved

- 1D
- p_T^t
 - $|y^t|$
 - $p_T^{t\bar{t}}$
 - $|y^{t\bar{t}}|$
 - $m^{t\bar{t}}$
- 2D
- $p_T^{t,\text{had}}$ vs. $|y^{t,\text{had}}|$
 - $|y^{t\bar{t}}|$ vs. $M_{t\bar{t}}$
 - $p_T^{t\bar{t}}$ vs. $M_{t\bar{t}}$



- Comparison between inclusive and NLO Multileg generators → large impact of PS and had. modelling
- $p_T^{t\bar{t}}$ best described by **Powheg + Py8** (p-value = 0.805)
- $p_T^{t,\text{had}}$ best described by **MG5_aMC@NLO+Py8 [FxFx]** (p-value = 0.83)
- $p_T^{t,\text{had}}$, $p_T^{t\bar{t}}$ and $m^{t\bar{t}}$: **Powheg+HW++** deviates from data (p-value < 0.01)

13 TeV | parton level

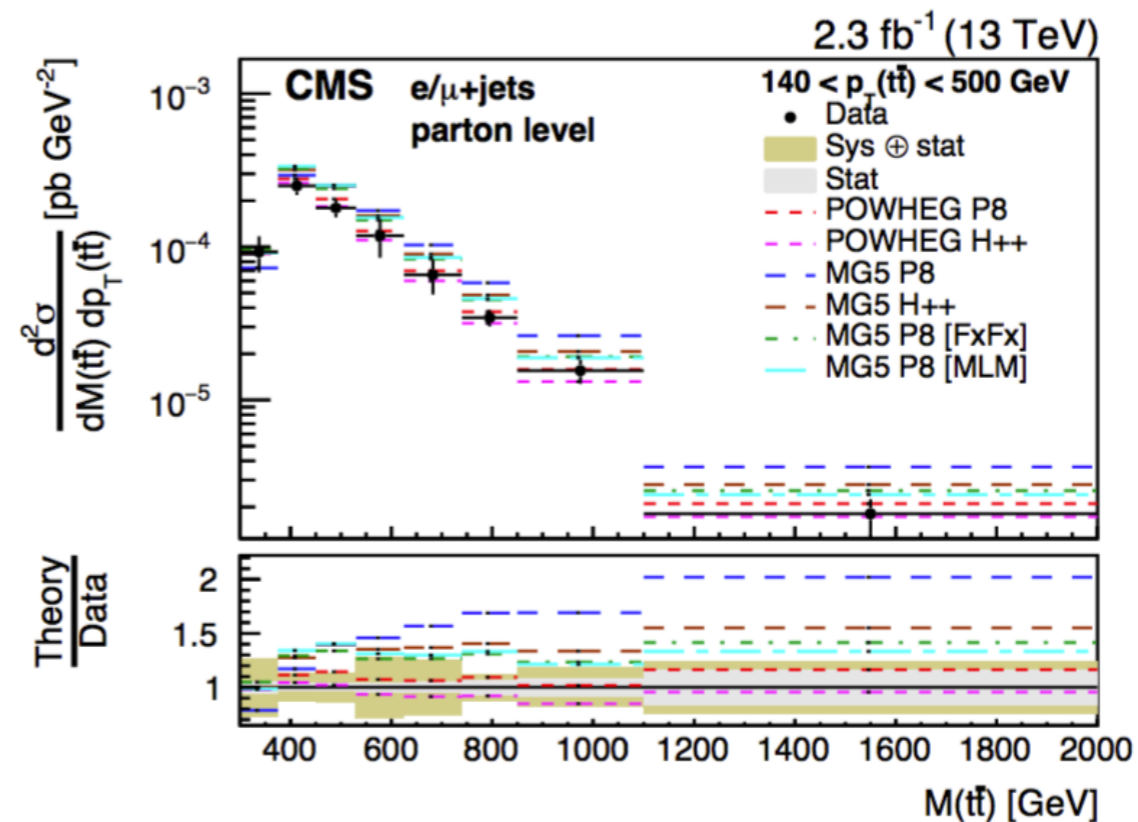
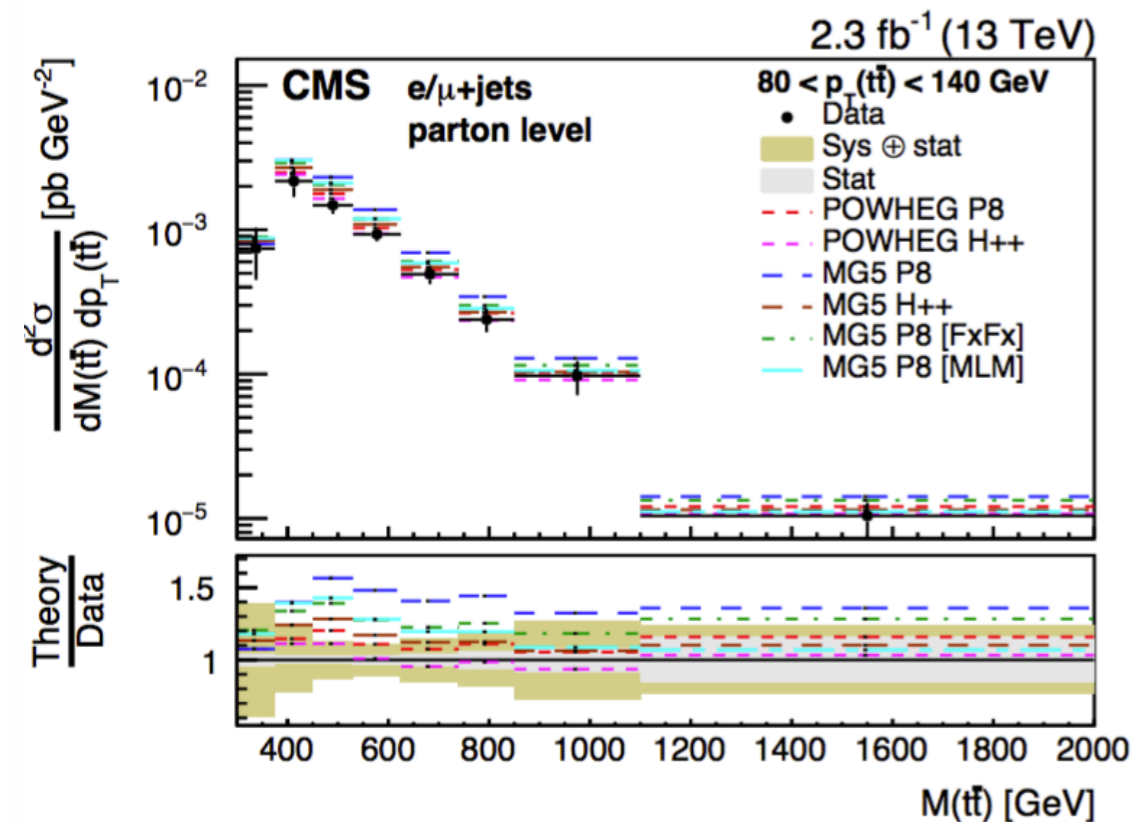
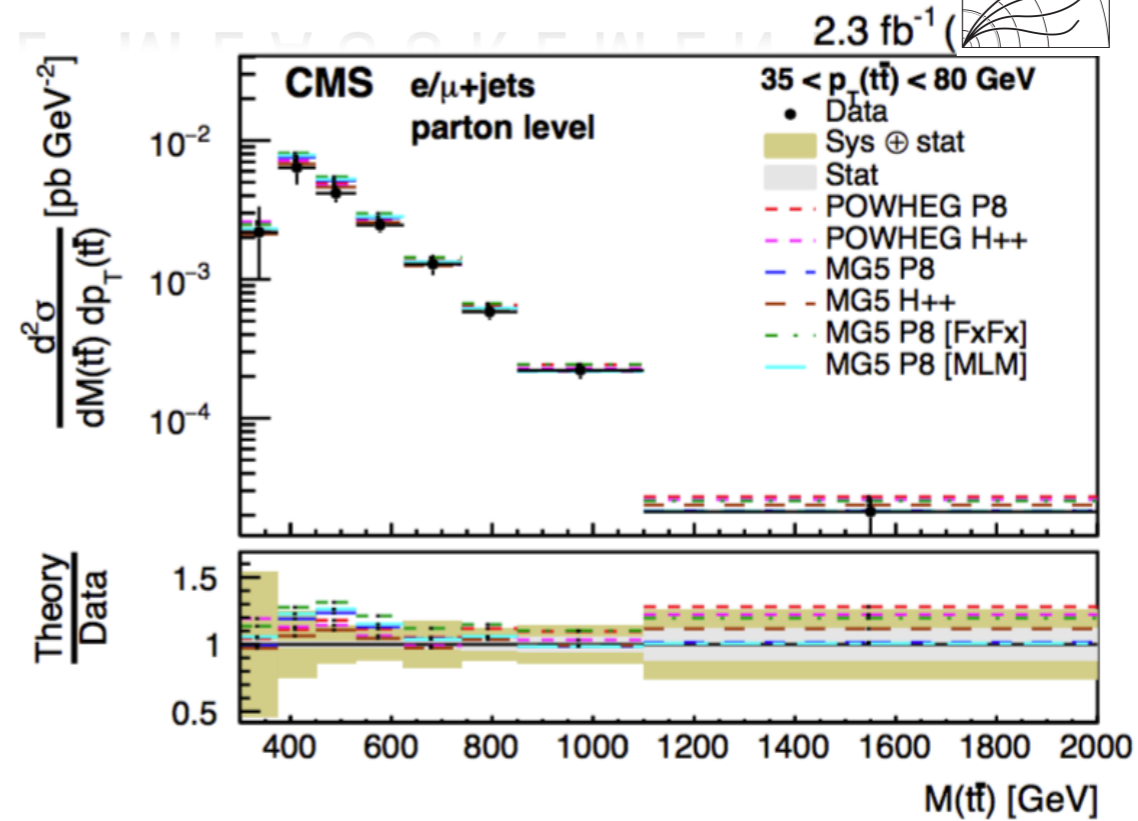
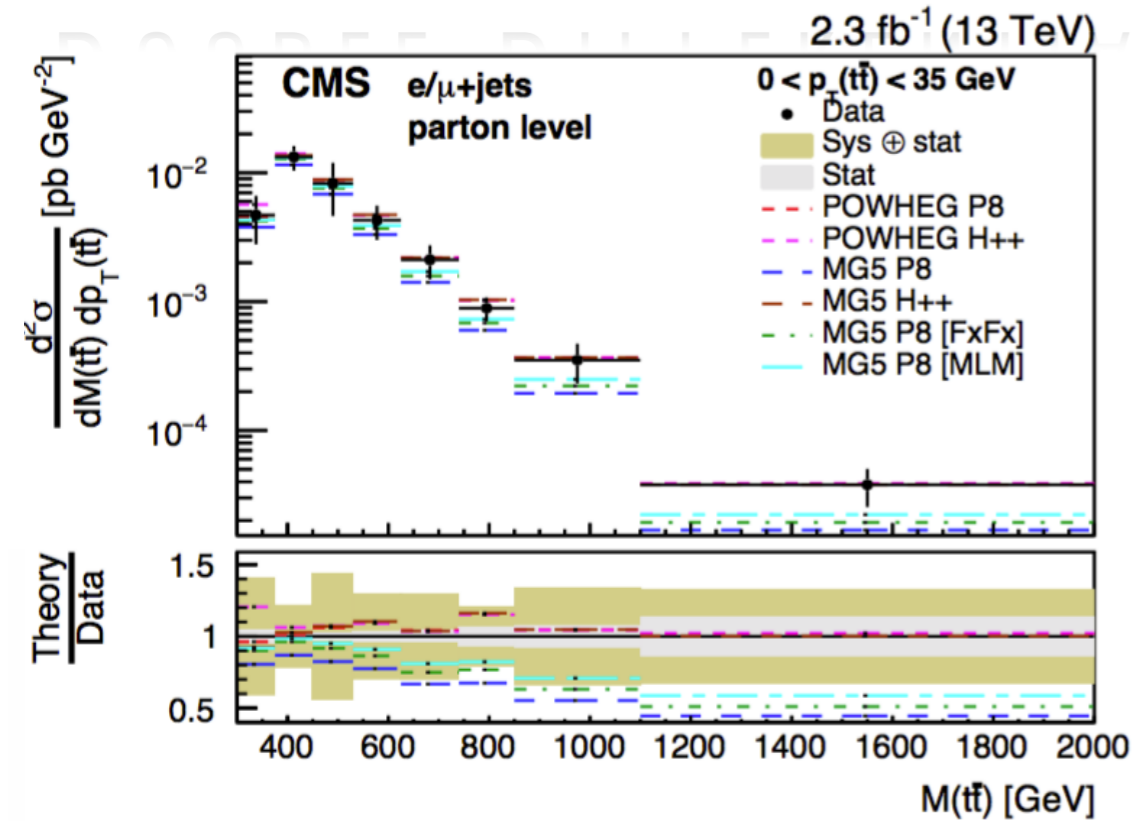


- NLO + NNLL seems to predict slightly harder $M_{t\bar{t}}$ spectrum (p-value = 0.14)
 - ▶ Trend observed in 7 TeV & 8 TeV by ATLAS (p-value ~ 0.3) and at 8 TeV by CMS in dilepton channel
- $p_T^{t,lep}$ spectrum:
 - ▶ Good description by NNLO & NLO + NNLL QCD calculations
 - ▶ aN^(2,3)LO prediction show tension at moderate $p_T^{t,lep}$ with p-value < 0.01 (same trend observed in dilepton channel)

DOUBLE DIFFERENTIAL MEASUREMENT



NEW*
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 (to be submitted to PRD)
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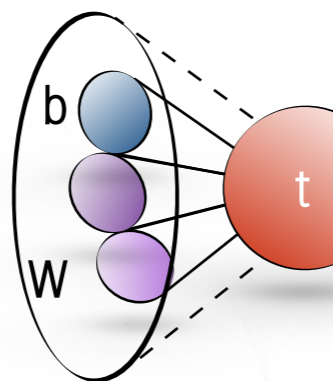
- Only Powhcg predictions seem to model spectra adequately (MG5_aMC@NLO → p-values < 0.01)

Event selection / reconstruction

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anti- k_t large jets ($R = 1.0$, trimmed[$r_{sub} = 0.2$, $p_T^{sub}/p_T^{large} < 5\%$] with $p_T > 300$ GeV, $|\eta| < 2.0$)

lepton veto



Boosted channel

≥ 2 large-R jets (both top-tagged)

$p_T^{(l)} > 500$ GeV

≥ 2 small-R jets (both b-tagged)

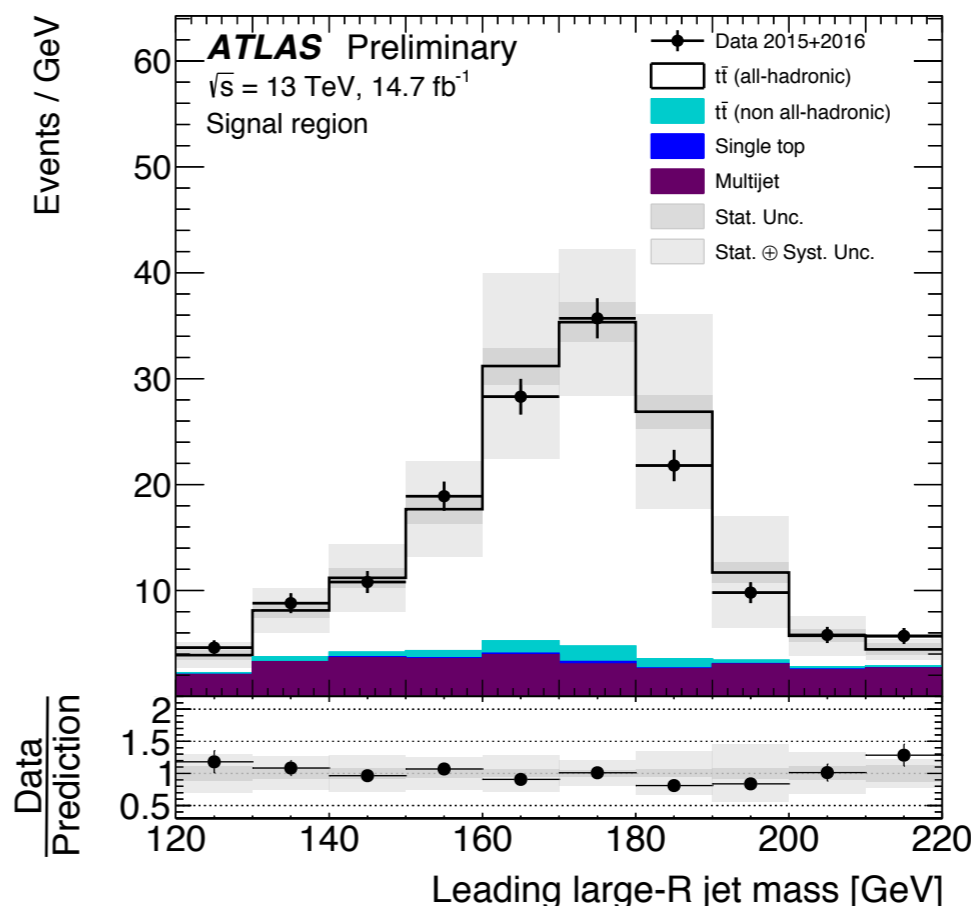
$\Delta R(\text{small-R jet, large-R jet}) < 1.0$

$122.5 \text{ GeV} < m < 222.5 \text{ GeV}$

τ_{32} p_T dependent cut \rightarrow 50% top-tagging eff. WP

- Data-driven QCD background estimation (5CR, IVR) \rightarrow clean channel
- Comparisons to NLO MC generators
- Dominant uncertainties

Large- R jets	+18 / -15
Monte Carlo signal modelling	± 17
b -tagging	+13 / -12
Pileup	± 2.9
Luminosity	± 2.9
Small- R jets	± 1.0
Total Systematic Uncertainty	+29 / -24



Overview

13 TeV
 all-hadronic
 14.7/fb

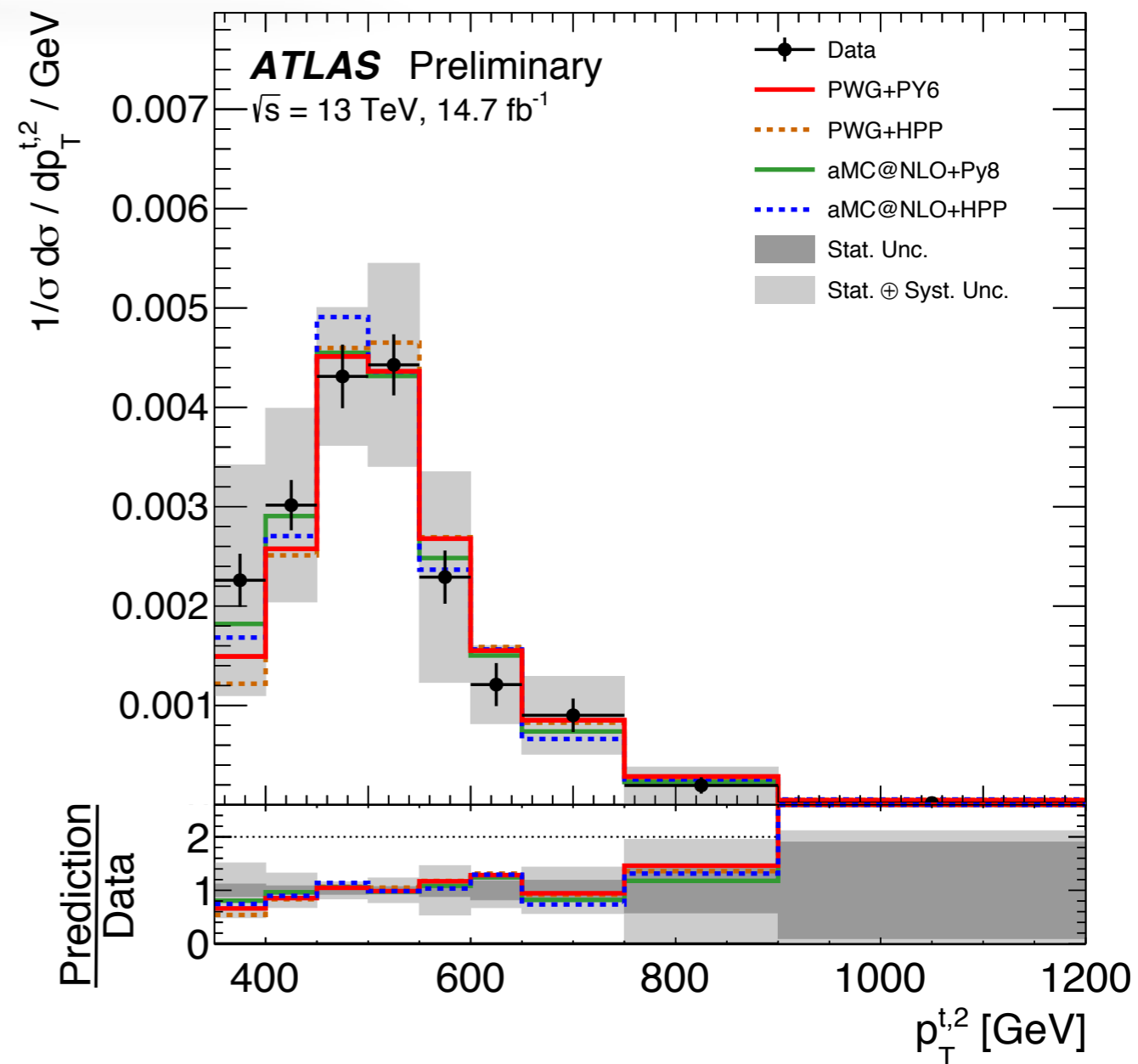
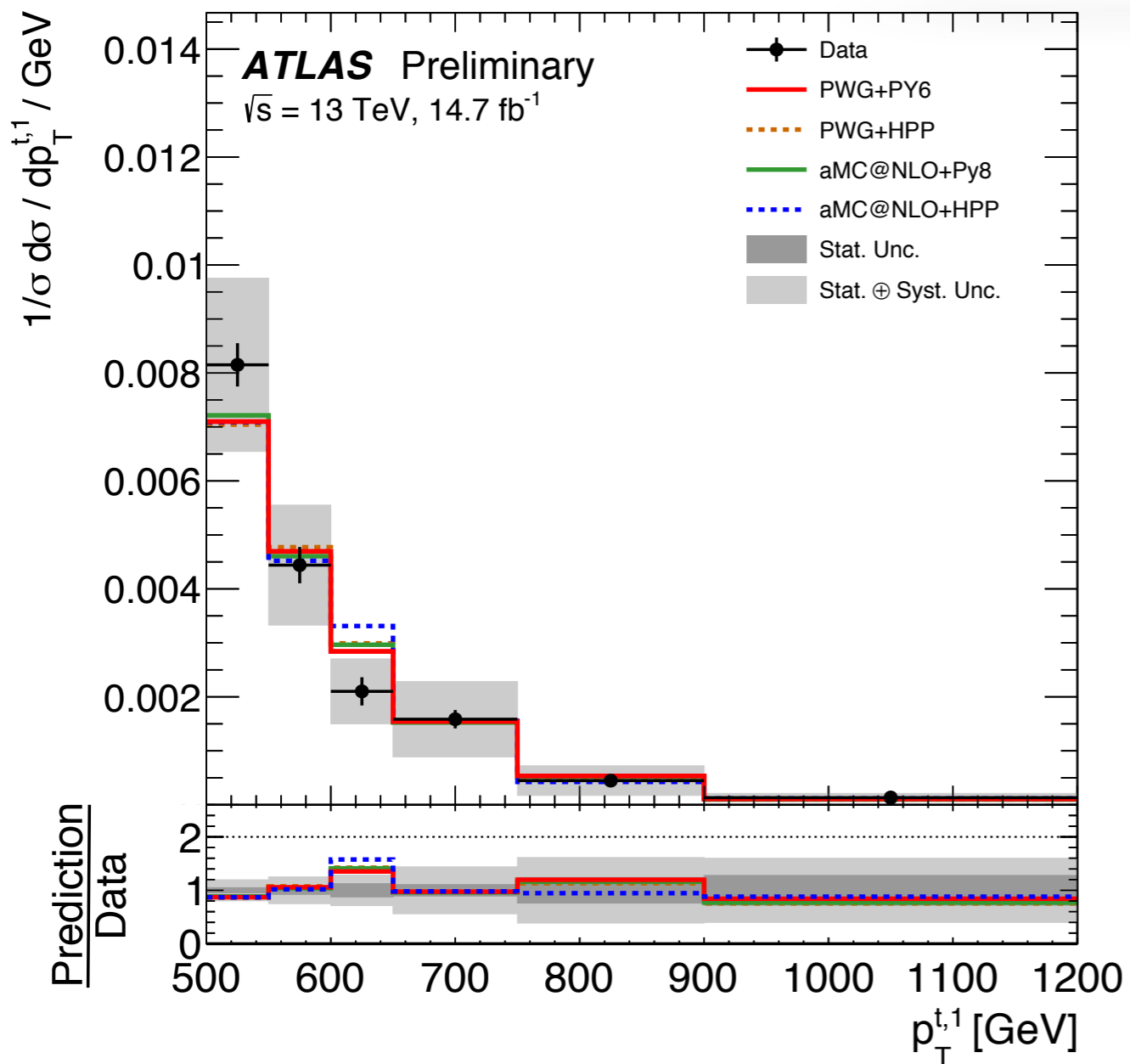
particle level

fiducial phase space
 absolute & normalized

boosted

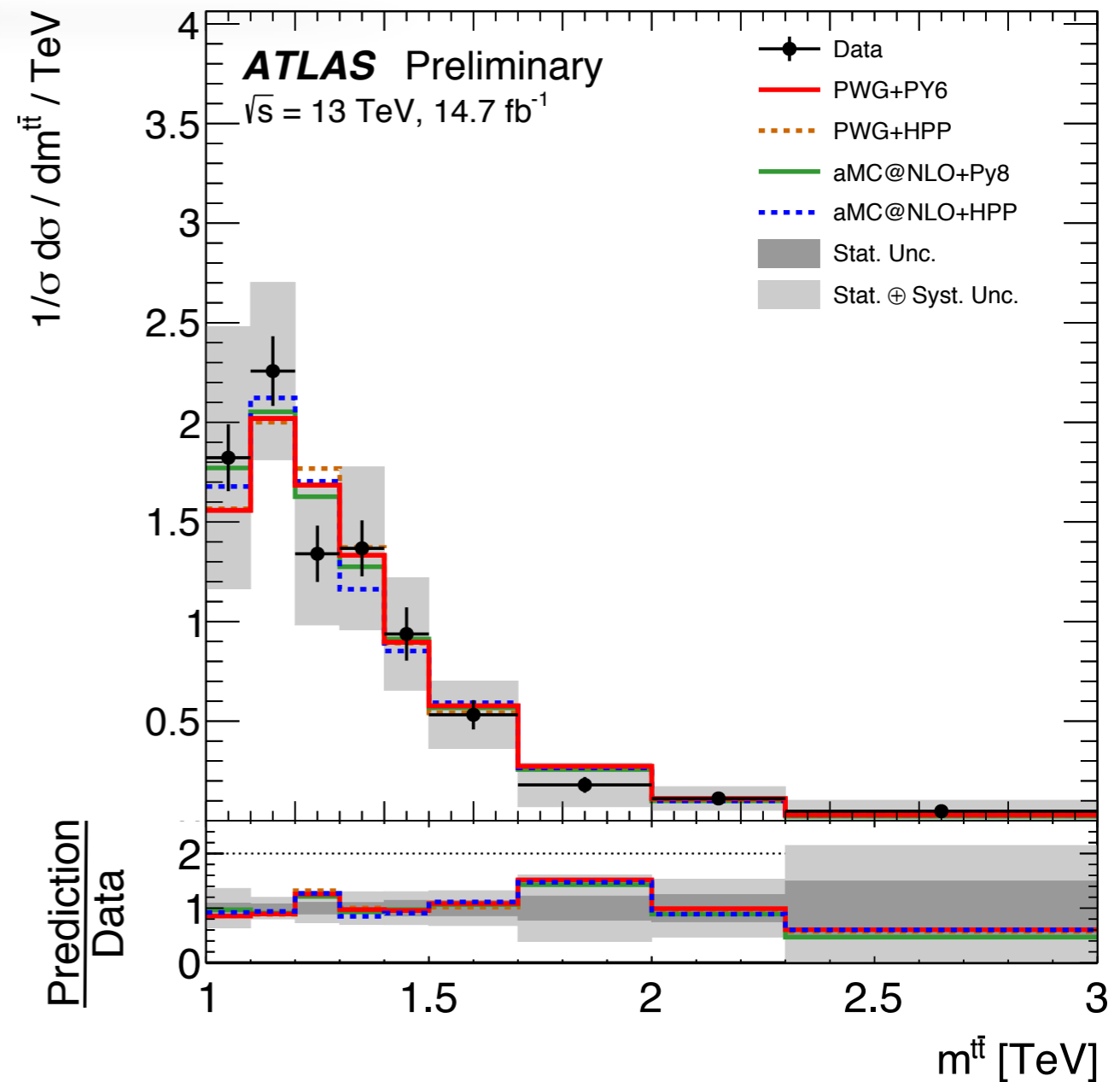
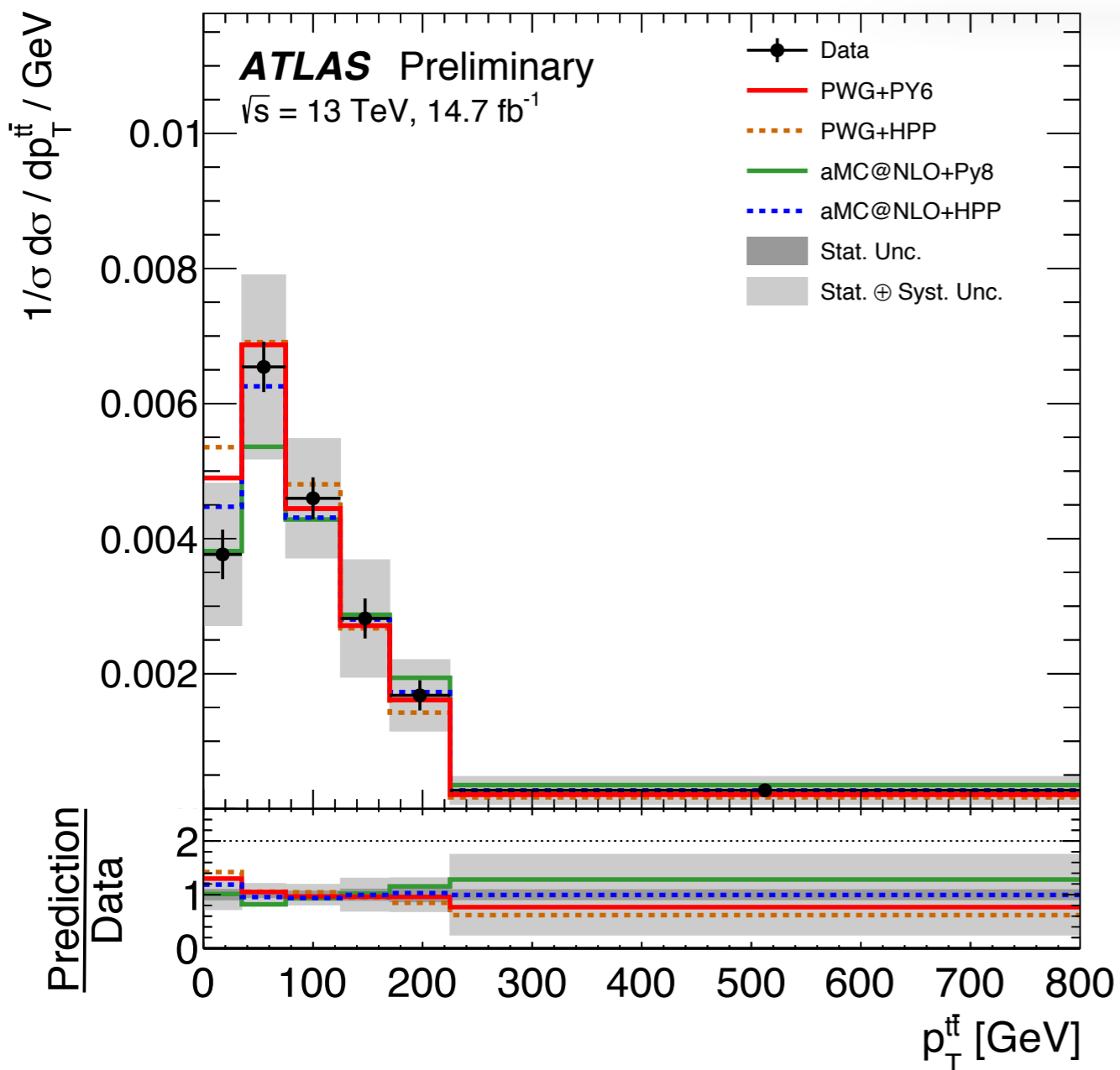
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$y_B^{t\bar{t}}$	$\chi^{t\bar{t}}$	
$ \cos\theta^* $	$p_{Tout}^{t\bar{t}}$	

13 TeV | particle level



- Good agreement for leading and sub-leading top p_T (sensitive to $\sim 1 \text{ TeV}$)
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13 TeV | particle level



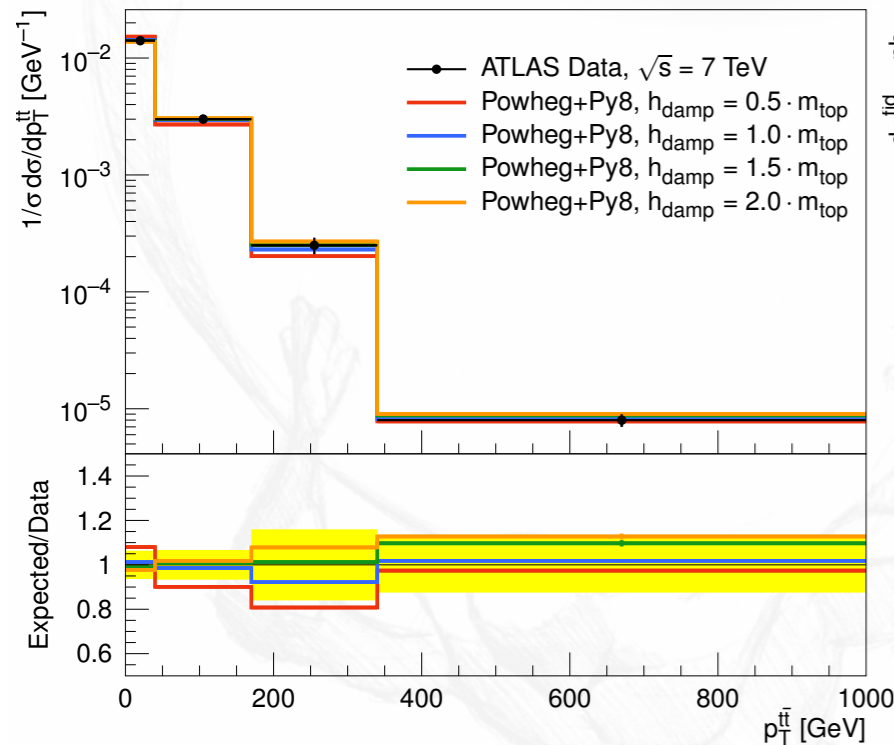
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→ **A. Knue poster**

- Studies complement [PUB-2016-016](#), [PUB-2016-004](#) & [PUB-2015-002](#)
- Comparison between unfolded ATLAS data and various MC generator predictions
 - ▶ 7, 8, 13 TeV RIVET routines
- Improve modelling of data through development of new MC generator configurations
 - ▶ Optimization of Powheg + {Pythia8, Herwig7}
 - Tune intrinsic merging and matching parameters

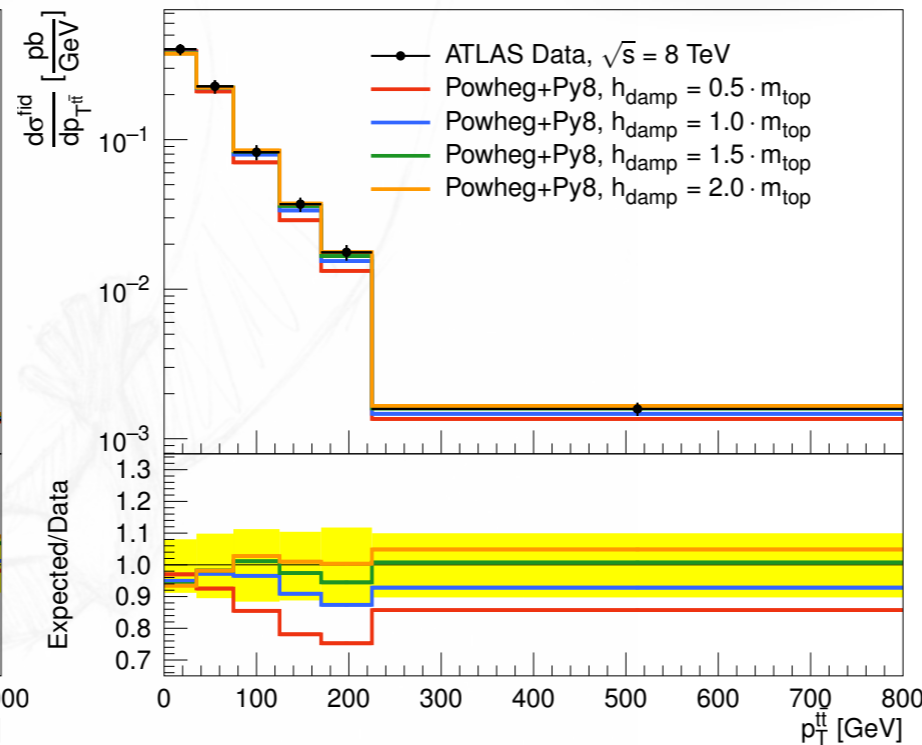
7 TeV

Parton level, relative cross-section



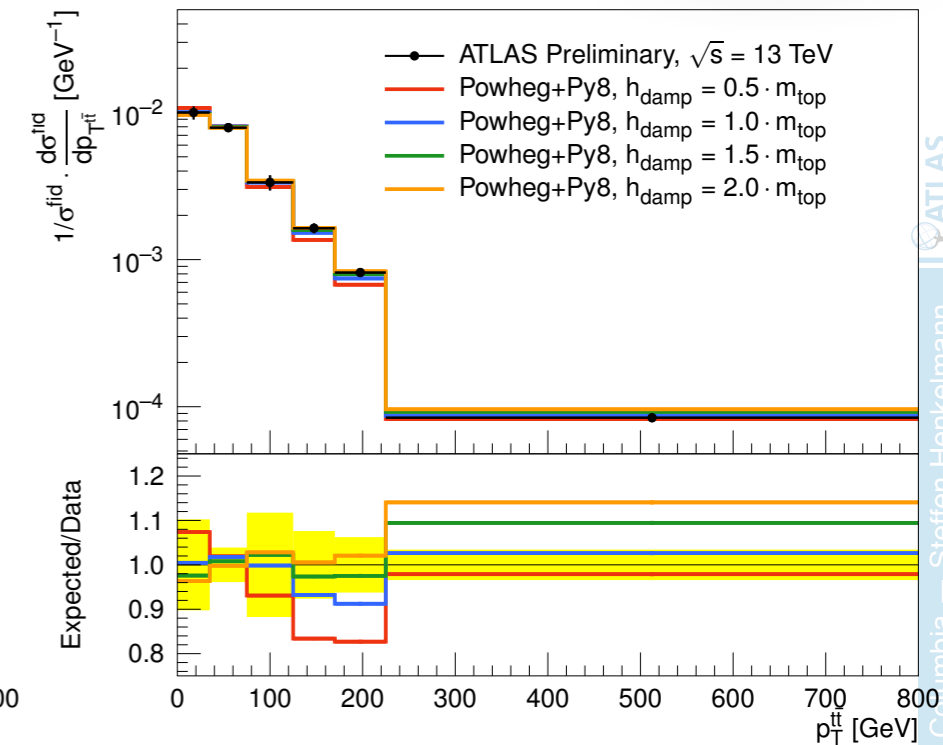
8 TeV

Particle level, absolute cross-section



13 TeV

Particle level, relative cross-section



- ▶ Comparisons of
 - Variation of scales and tune
 - Different parton shower interfaces
 - Different NLO generators including NLO multileg generator

SUMMARY & TAKE HOME MESSAGES

Broad range of differential $t\bar{t}$ cross-section measurements at full LHC energy range

- Analyses with pseudo-top, particle, and parton provide variety of interfaces to theory
- 13 TeV results complement 7 and 8 TeV measurements in all decay channels
- Enough statistics to perform differential measurements in dilepton channel at 7, 8, 13 TeV
- L+jets & all-hadronic channels exploit boosted reconstruction techniques
 - ▶ New systematic sources and evaluations become important

Take home messages

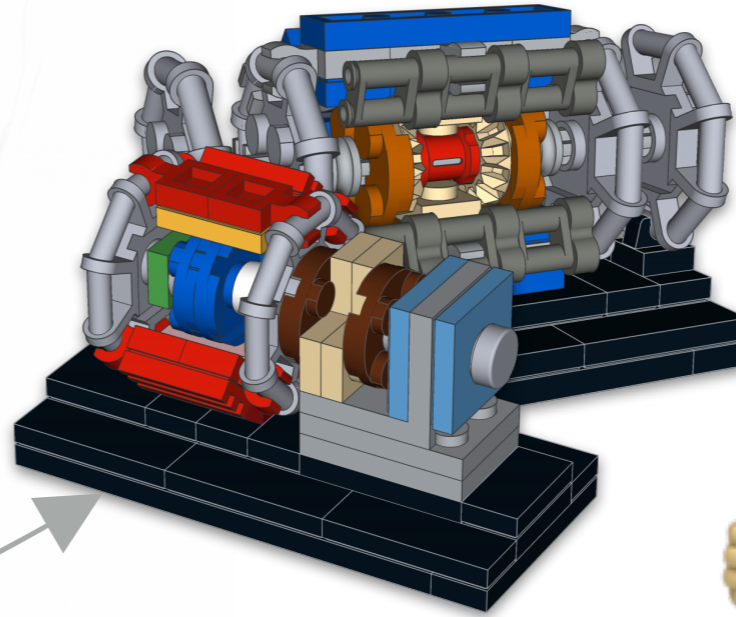
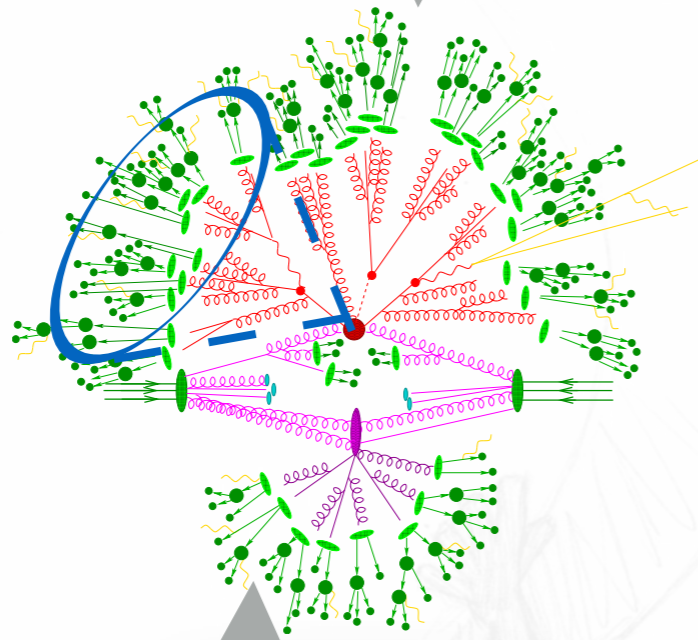
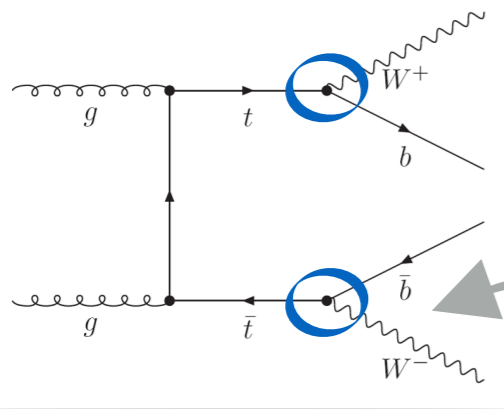
- Entering era of double differential measurements at the LHC
- Extension of resolved measurements with increasing data
- Probing high top p_T regimes using boosted decay topologies
- Measurements show discriminating power between MC models and tuning parameters

Outlook

- MC tuning studies on-going
- Looking forward to seeing ATLAS and CMS plots super-imposed or compared
- More to come, 13 TeV results with 2016 data



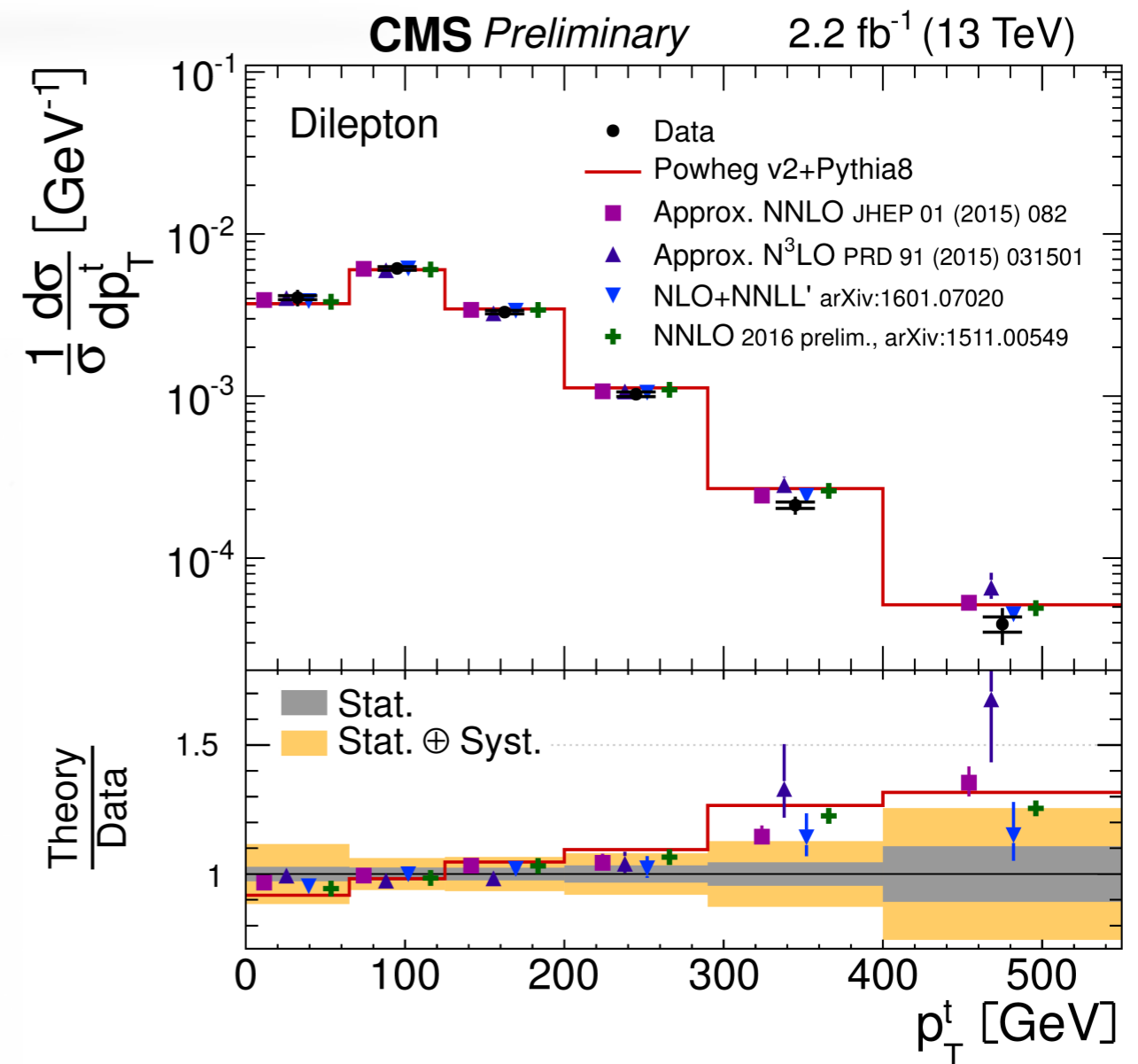
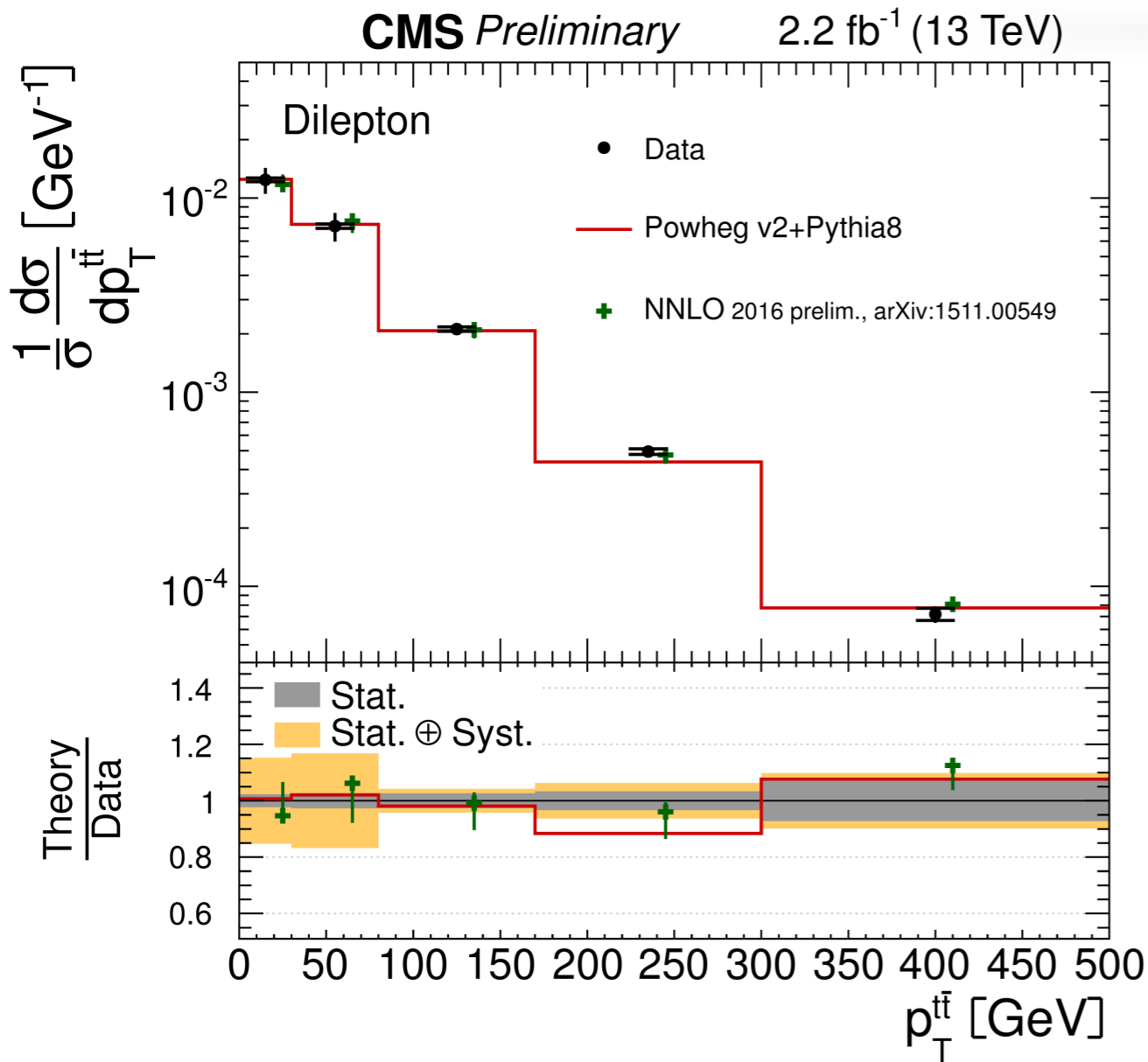
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ADDITIONAL
THINGS

13 TeV | parton level



- NNLO and **Powheg+Py8** describe $p_T^{t\bar{t}}$ better than other tested predictions
- NNLO & NLO+NNLL predictions model the softer top p_T spectrum more accurately
 - ▶ Consistent with 7 and 8 TeV ATLAS and CMS measurements

Systematic uncertainty	Median of p_T^t [%]	Median of $p_T^{t\bar{t}}$ [%]	Median of $\Delta\phi^{t\bar{t}}$ [%]	Maximum of median [%]
Trigger	1	1	1	1
Pileup	1	1	1	1
Lepton SF	1	1	1	1
JES	1	1	1	2
JER	2	1	1	2
b jet SF	1	2	1	2
Background	3	3	4	6
μ_F and μ_R	1	4	5	5
MC modelling	3	7	12	12
Top quark mass	1	4	5	5
Hadronisation	6	4	2	6
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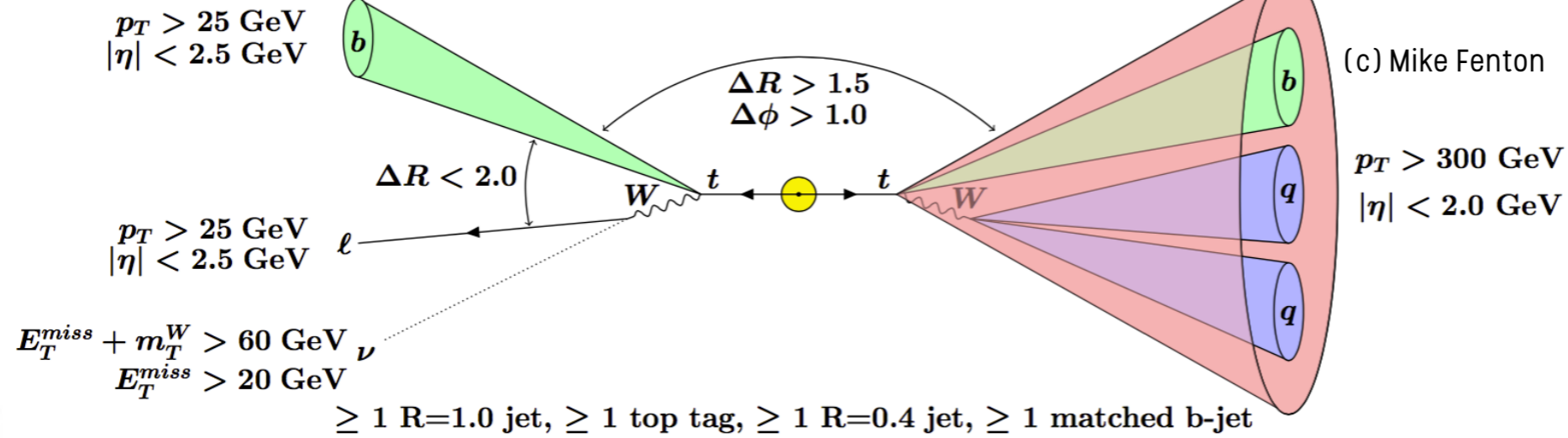
MC modelling, Powheg/MG5_aMC@NLO

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particle level
visible phase space
normalized

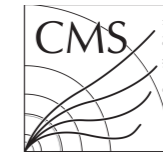
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$m^{t\bar{t}}$	$\Delta\phi^{t\bar{t}}$	

Event selection



Level	Detector		Particle
Topology	Resolved	Boosted	
Leptons	$ d_0/\sigma(d_0) < 5$ and $ z_0 \sin\theta < 0.5 \text{ mm}$ Track-Calo-based Isolation $ \eta < 1.37$ or $1.52 < \eta < 2.47$ (e) $ \eta < 2.5$ (μ) E_T (e), p_T (μ) $> 25 \text{ GeV}$		$ \eta < 2.5$ $p_T > 25 \text{ GeV}$
Small-R jets	$p_T > 25 \text{ GeV}$ $ \eta < 2.5$ JVT cut (if $p_T < 60 \text{ GeV}$ and $ \eta < 2.4$)		$ \eta < 2.5$ $p_T > 25 \text{ GeV}$
Num of small-R jets	≥ 4 jets	≥ 1 jets	
E_T^{miss}, m_T^W		$E_T^{\text{miss}} > 20 \text{ GeV}, E_T^{\text{miss}} + m_T^W > 60 \text{ GeV}$	same as detector level
Leptonic top		At least one small-R jet with $\Delta R(\ell, \text{small-R jet}) < 2.0$	
Hadronic top	kinematic top quark reconstruction for detector and particle level	the leading- p_T trimmed large-R jet has: $300 \text{ GeV} < p_T < 1500 \text{ GeV}, m > 50 \text{ GeV}$, TopTagging at 80% efficiency $\Delta R(\text{large-R jet}, \text{small-R jet}) > 1.5$, $\Delta\phi(\ell, \text{small-R jet}) > 1.0$	Boosted: $300 < p_T < 1500 \text{ GeV}$ Top-tagging: $m > 100 \text{ GeV}$, $\tau_{32} < 0.75$
b-tagging	at least 2 b-tagged jets	at least one of: 1) the leading- p_T small-R jet with $\Delta R(\ell, \text{small-R jet}) < 2.0$ is b-tagged 2) at least one small-R jet with $\Delta R(\text{large-R jet}, \text{small-R jet}) < 1.0$ is b-tagged	ghost-matched B-hadron





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parton level

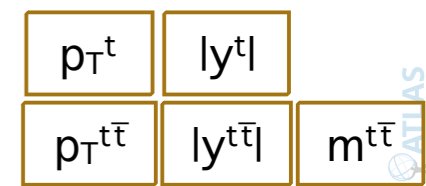
full phase space
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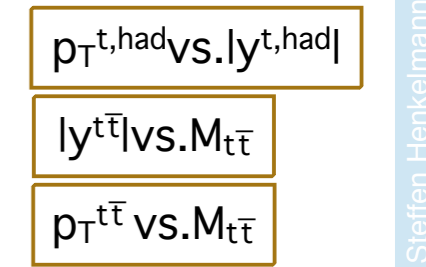
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resolved

1D

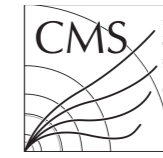


2D



Particle level

Distribution	χ^2/dof	p-value	χ^2/dof	p-value	χ^2/dof	p-value
	POWHEG+P8 Order: NLO		POWHEG+H++ Order: NLO		MG5-AMC@NLO+P8 MLM Order: LO, up to 3 add. partons	
$p_T(t_h)$	14.3/9	0.111	26.3/9	< 0.01	34.9/9	< 0.01
$ y(t_h) $	4.76/7	0.690	7.61/7	0.368	9.08/7	0.247
$p_T(t_\ell)$	22.9/9	< 0.01	40.8/9	< 0.01	54.6/9	< 0.01
$ y(t_\ell) $	7.14/7	0.415	10.6/7	0.156	18.2/7	0.011
$M(t\bar{t})$	9.25/8	0.322	173/8	< 0.01	13.4/8	0.100
$p_T(t\bar{t})$	2.31/5	0.805	39.6/5	< 0.01	48.9/5	< 0.01
$ y(t\bar{t}) $	1.37/6	0.967	2.44/6	0.876	14.5/6	0.025
Additional jets	27.6/5	< 0.01	16.2/5	< 0.01	36.3/5	< 0.01
Additional jets vs. $p_T(t\bar{t})$	70.3/20	< 0.01	95.4/20	< 0.01	168/20	< 0.01
Additional jets vs. $p_T(t_h)$	96.2/36	< 0.01	218/36	< 0.01	180/36	< 0.01
$ y(t_h) $ vs. $p_T(t_h)$	60.1/36	< 0.01	212/36	< 0.01	128/36	< 0.01
$M(t\bar{t})$ vs. $ y(t\bar{t}) $	28.2/24	0.251	280/24	< 0.01	41.2/24	0.016
$p_T(t\bar{t})$ vs. $M(t\bar{t})$	16.7/32	0.988	465/32	< 0.01	97.6/32	< 0.01
	MG5-AMC@NLO+P8 Order: NLO		MG5-AMC@NLO+H++ Order: NLO		MG5-AMC@NLO+P8 FFXF Order: NLO, up to 2 add. partons	
$p_T(t_h)$	13.1/9	0.159	6.85/9	0.653	5.05/9	0.830
$ y(t_h) $	9.91/7	0.194	13.5/7	0.060	8.12/7	0.322
$p_T(t_\ell)$	13.4/9	0.147	8.02/9	0.533	7.97/9	0.538
$ y(t_\ell) $	14.3/7	0.045	7.24/7	0.404	15.9/7	0.026
$M(t\bar{t})$	10.9/8	0.206	34.2/8	< 0.01	33.0/8	< 0.01
$p_T(t\bar{t})$	40.0/5	< 0.01	7.65/5	0.177	27.8/5	< 0.01
$ y(t\bar{t}) $	2.72/6	0.843	2.77/6	0.837	3.58/6	0.733
Additional jets	36.2/5	< 0.01	15.7/5	< 0.01	10.8/5	0.056
Additional jets vs. $p_T(t\bar{t})$	237/20	< 0.01	192/20	< 0.01	87.2/20	< 0.01
Additional jets vs. $p_T(t_h)$	251/36	< 0.01	76.0/36	< 0.01	45.6/36	0.132
$ y(t_h) $ vs. $p_T(t_h)$	48.9/36	0.074	100/36	< 0.01	49.1/36	0.071
$M(t\bar{t})$ vs. $ y(t\bar{t}) $	25.1/24	0.403	53.4/24	< 0.01	56.7/24	< 0.01
$p_T(t\bar{t})$ vs. $M(t\bar{t})$	133/32	< 0.01	157/32	< 0.01	109/32	< 0.01



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parton level

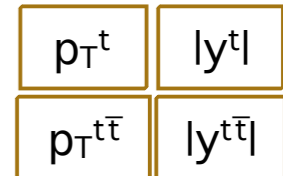
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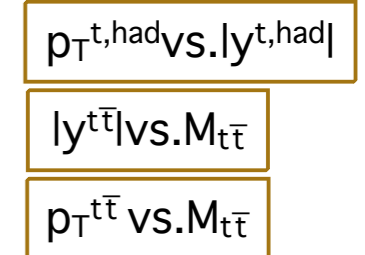
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resolved

1D



2D



Parton level

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	POWHEG+P8 Order: NLO		POWHEG+H++ Order: NLO		MG5_AMC@NLO+P8 MLM Order: LO, up to 3 add. partons	
$p_T(t_h)$	12.0/9	0.216	9.43/9	0.398	20.5/9	0.015
$ y(t_h) $	5.02/7	0.657	5.59/7	0.589	5.81/7	0.562
$p_T(t_\ell)$	18.1/9	0.034	10.9/9	0.285	48.5/9	< 0.01
$ y(t_\ell) $	13.2/7	0.067	15.2/7	0.034	14.0/7	0.051
$M(t\bar{t})$	6.08/8	0.639	11.6/8	0.172	48.1/8	< 0.01
$p_T(t\bar{t})$	1.35/5	0.930	5.53/5	0.354	18.3/5	< 0.01
$ y(t\bar{t}) $	2.35/6	0.885	2.43/6	0.876	5.85/6	0.440
Additional jets	9.55/5	0.089	6.47/5	0.263	5.71/5	0.335
Additional jets vs. $p_T(t\bar{t})$	90.6/20	< 0.01	144/20	< 0.01	145/20	< 0.01
Additional jets vs. $p_T(t_h)$	108/36	< 0.01	49.5/36	0.067	84.2/36	< 0.01
$ y(t_h) $ vs. $p_T(t_h)$	59.4/36	< 0.01	57.3/36	0.014	67.2/36	< 0.01
$M(t\bar{t})$ vs. $ y(t\bar{t}) $	20.4/24	0.674	19.6/24	0.719	51.5/24	< 0.01
$p_T(t\bar{t})$ vs. $M(t\bar{t})$	15.8/32	0.993	27.8/32	0.679	109/32	< 0.01
	MG5_AMC@NLO+P8 Order: NLO		MG5_AMC@NLO+H++ Order: NLO		MG5_AMC@NLO+P8 FFX Order: NLO, up to 2 add. partons	
$p_T(t_h)$	11.6/9	0.240	16.8/9	0.052	10.6/9	0.301
$ y(t_h) $	6.91/7	0.438	6.85/7	0.444	5.23/7	0.632
$p_T(t_\ell)$	18.7/9	0.028	32.4/9	< 0.01	14.6/9	0.102
$ y(t_\ell) $	19.1/7	< 0.01	12.7/7	0.079	18.7/7	< 0.01
$M(t\bar{t})$	11.3/8	0.186	6.59/8	0.582	29.8/8	< 0.01
$p_T(t\bar{t})$	40.0/5	< 0.01	25.8/5	< 0.01	19.7/5	< 0.01
$ y(t\bar{t}) $	3.01/6	0.808	2.52/6	0.866	2.86/6	0.826
Additional jets	19.9/5	< 0.01	4.37/5	0.497	6.78/5	0.237
Additional jets vs. $p_T(t\bar{t})$	390/20	< 0.01	294/20	< 0.01	127/20	< 0.01
Additional jets vs. $p_T(t_h)$	112/36	< 0.01	49.0/36	0.072	56.5/36	0.016
$ y(t_h) $ vs. $p_T(t_h)$	91.8/36	< 0.01	123/36	< 0.01	53.1/36	0.033
$M(t\bar{t})$ vs. $ y(t\bar{t}) $	29.8/24	0.192	19.2/24	0.741	38.7/24	0.030
$p_T(t\bar{t})$ vs. $M(t\bar{t})$	275/32	< 0.01	78.2/32	< 0.01	104/32	< 0.01
	appr. NNLO		appr. NNNLO		NLO+NNLL'	
$p_T(t_h)$	25.3/9	< 0.01	69.1/9	< 0.01	9.68/9	0.377
$ y(t_h) $	8.90/7	0.260	4.78/7	0.686	-	-
$p_T(t_\ell)$	23.1/9	< 0.01	189/9	< 0.01	4.41/9	0.882
$ y(t_\ell) $	6.40/7	0.494	7.28/7	0.400	-	-
$M(t\bar{t})$	-	-	-	-	12.2/8	0.143
	NNLO					
$p_T(t_h)$	9.40/9	0.402				
$ y(t_h) $	4.08/7	0.770				
$p_T(t_\ell)$	10.8/9	0.291				
$ y(t_\ell) $	10.4/7	0.168				
$M(t\bar{t})$	11.2/8	0.190				
$p_T(t\bar{t})$	4.61/5	0.466				
$ y(t\bar{t}) $	2.26/6	0.894				

ATLAS: ALL-HADRONIC



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NEW*

QCD estimation

- A,B,C, G & H, number of observed events after subtraction of $t\bar{t}$ and single top production
- Validation region F

$$S_{bg} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{G}{A} + \frac{H}{B} \right) \times C$$

	0 t	1 t	2 t
0 b	A	D	G
1 b	B	E	H
2 b	C	F	S

$t\bar{t}$ (all-hadronic)	1190	\pm	240
$t\bar{t}$ (non all-hadronic)	60	\pm	15
Single top-quark	9	\pm	5
Multijet events	300	\pm	20
Prediction	1570	\pm	260
Data (14.7 fb ⁻¹)	1512		

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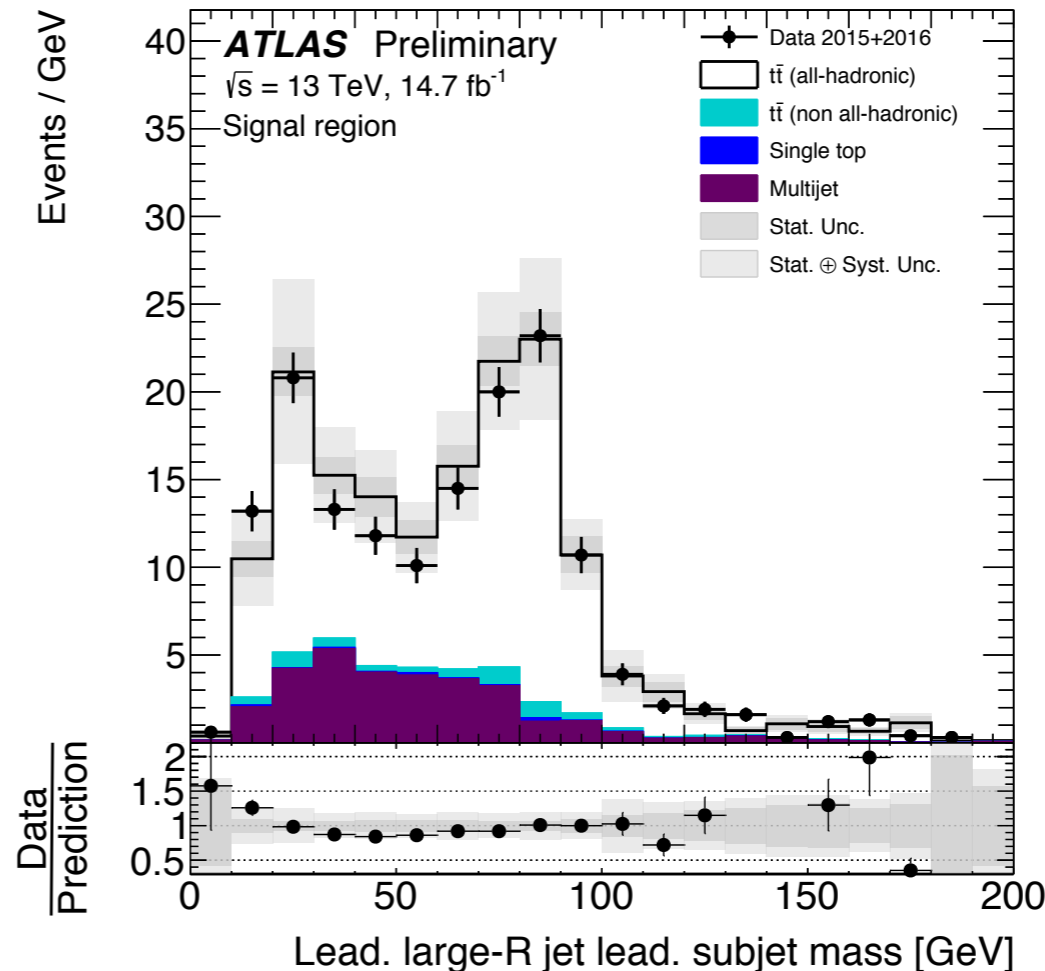
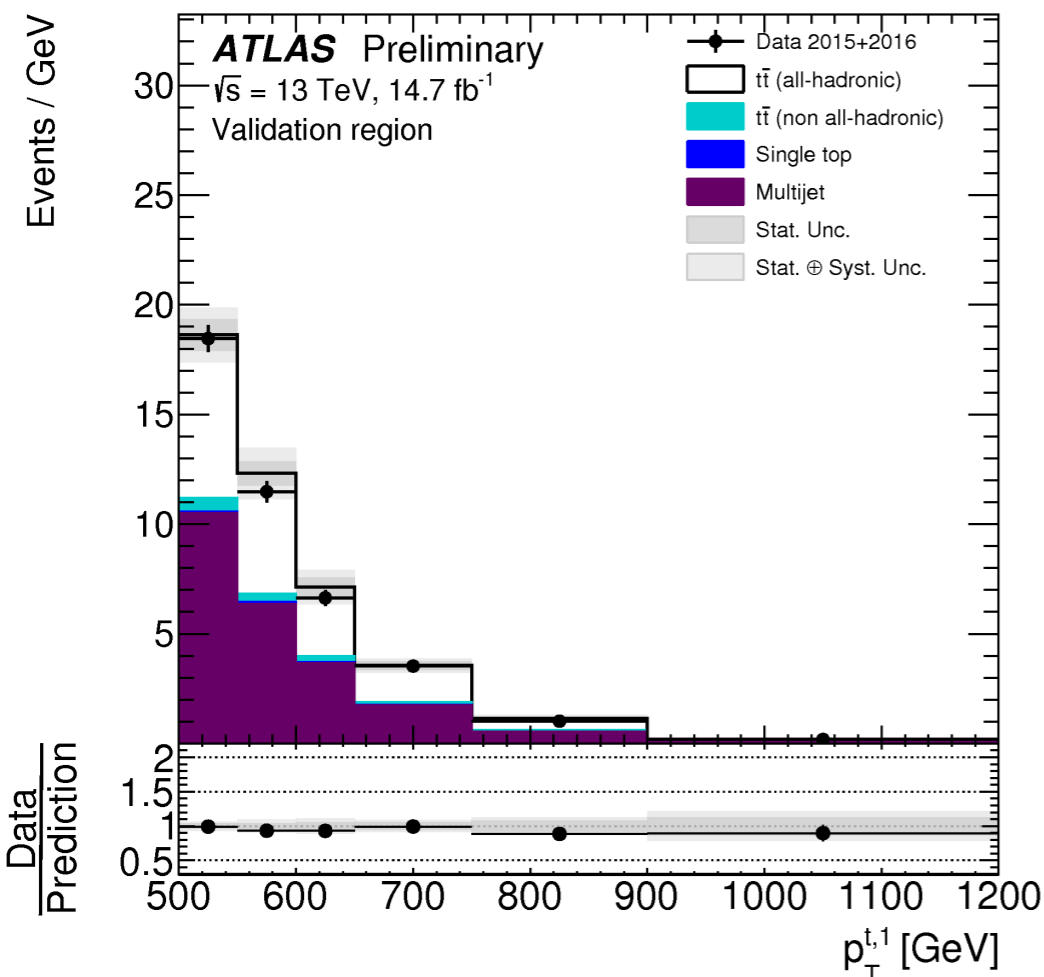
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$y_B^{t\bar{t}}$	$\chi^{t\bar{t}}$	
$ \cos\theta^* $	$p_{Tout}^{t\bar{t}}$	



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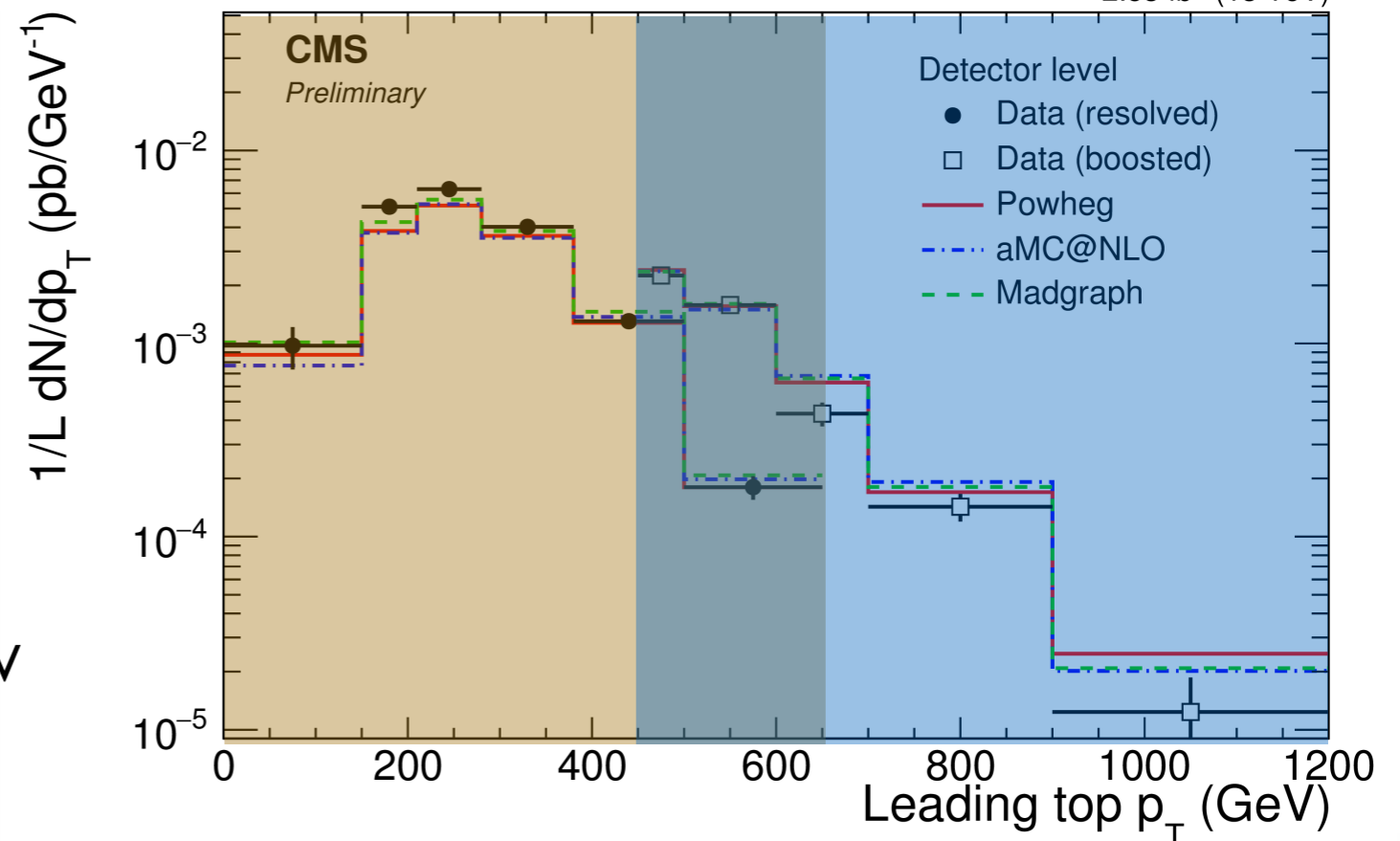
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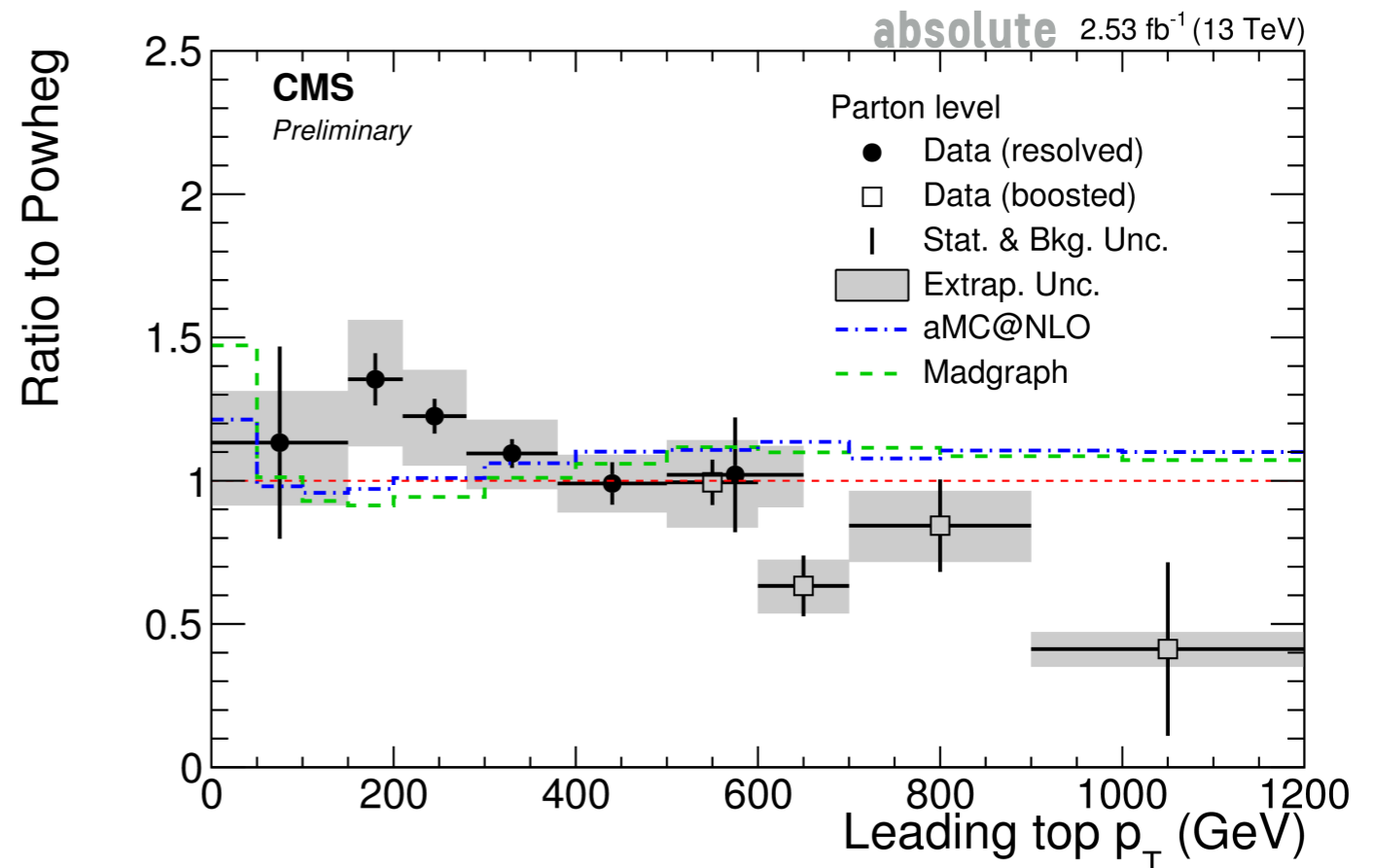
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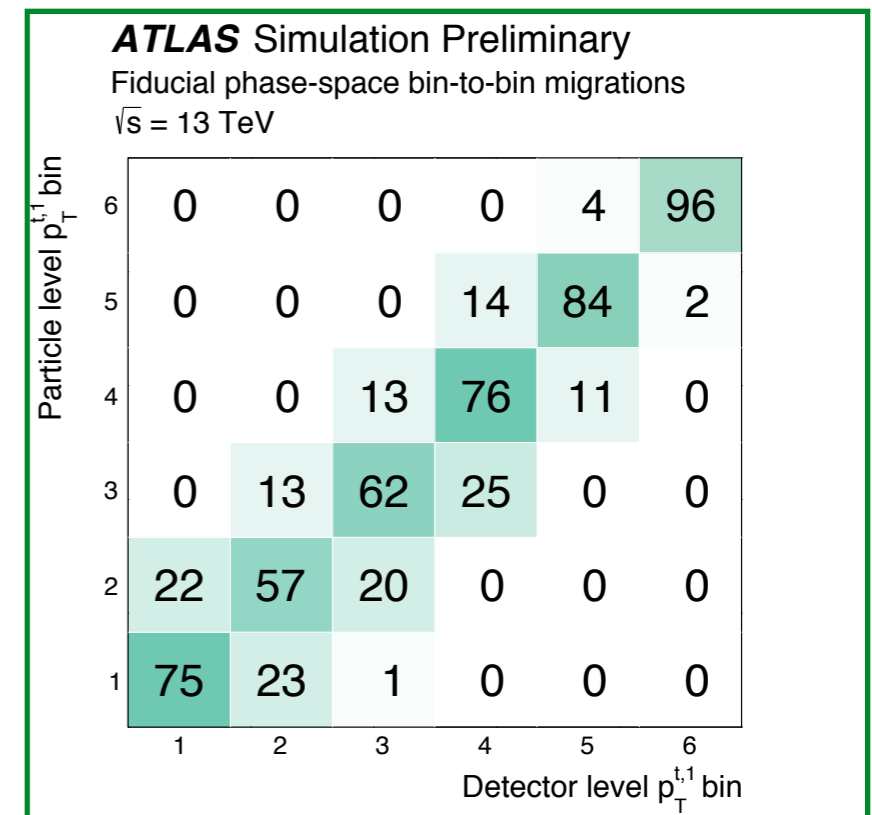
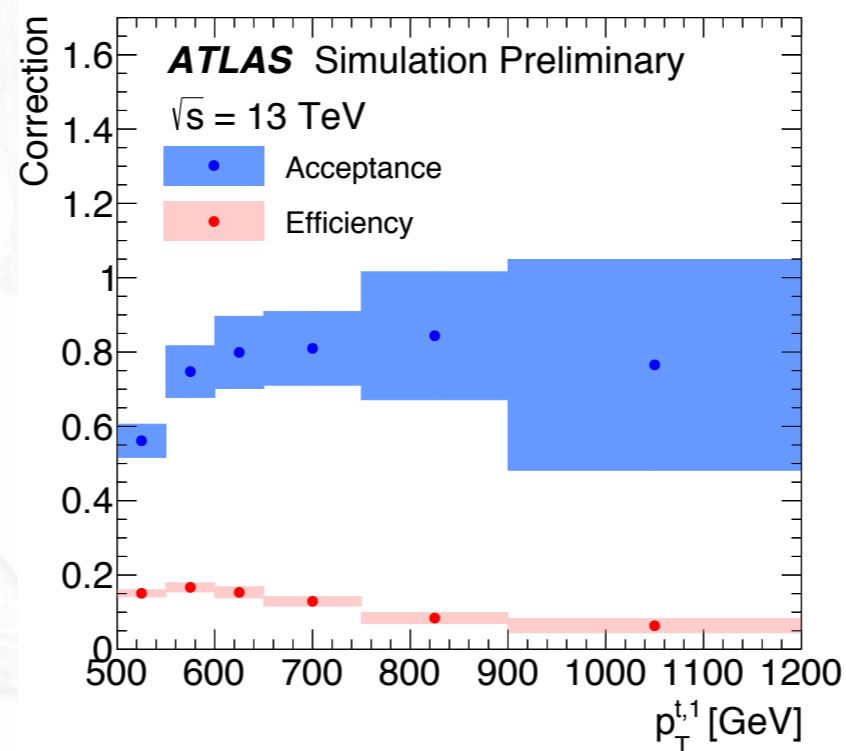
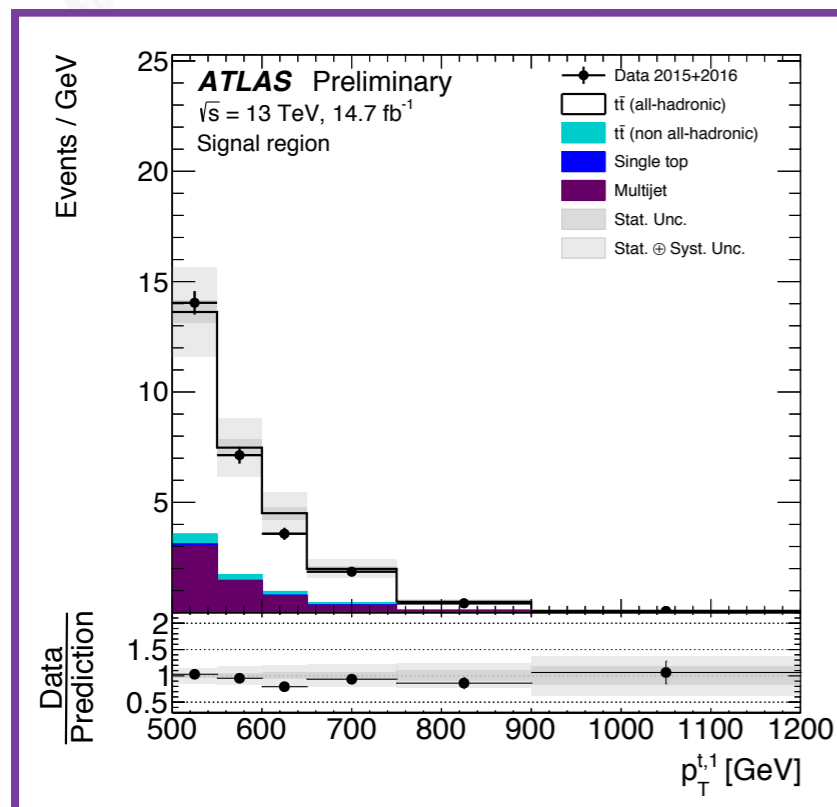


UNFOLDING

- Iterative Bayesian method (D'Agostini) [[Nucl. Instrum. Meth. A362 \(1995\) 487–498](#)]
 - ▶ Used to correct detector level events to the fiducial phase space

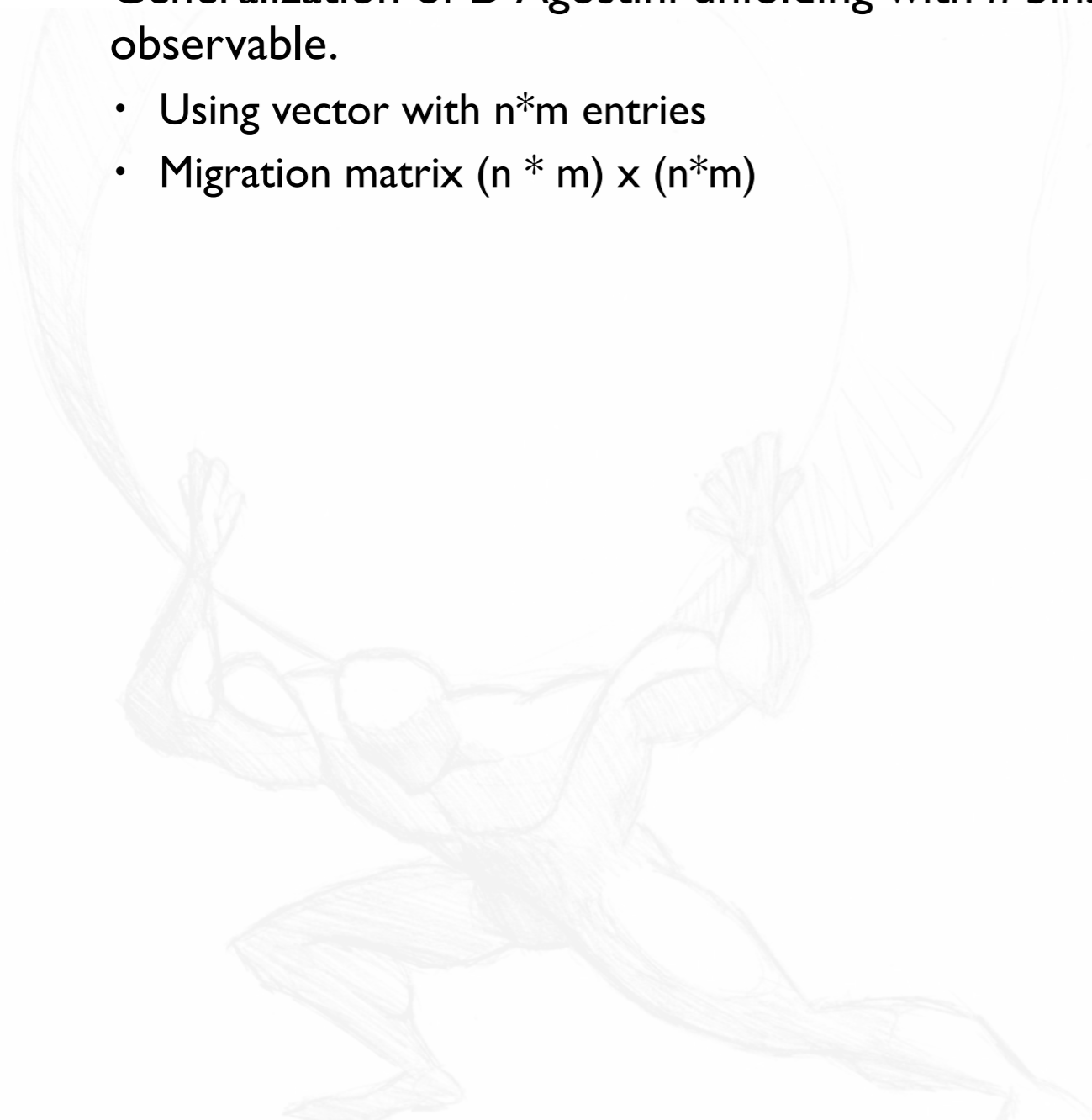
$$\frac{d\sigma^{\text{fid}}}{dX^i} \equiv \frac{1}{\int \mathcal{L} dt \cdot \Delta X^i} \cdot \left[\frac{1}{\epsilon_{\text{eff}}^i} \right] \cdot \sum_j \left[\mathcal{M}_{ij}^{-1} \right] \cdot \left[f_{\text{acc}}^j \right] \cdot \left(N_{\text{reco}}^j - N_{\text{bg}}^j \right)$$

- ▶ Subtraction of background from detector level observable
- ▶ Acceptance correction f_{acc} is applied to account for events generated outside the fiducial phase space but pass the detector acceptance, spatial matching of detector level and particle level objects to account for resolution and combinatorial effects
- ▶ Correction for events that pass the particle level selection but are not reconstructed at detector level, ϵ_{eff}
- ▶ Migration matrix derived from simulated events maps particle level events to detector-level events ($j(i)$; bins in X at detector level (particle level))



UNFOLDING

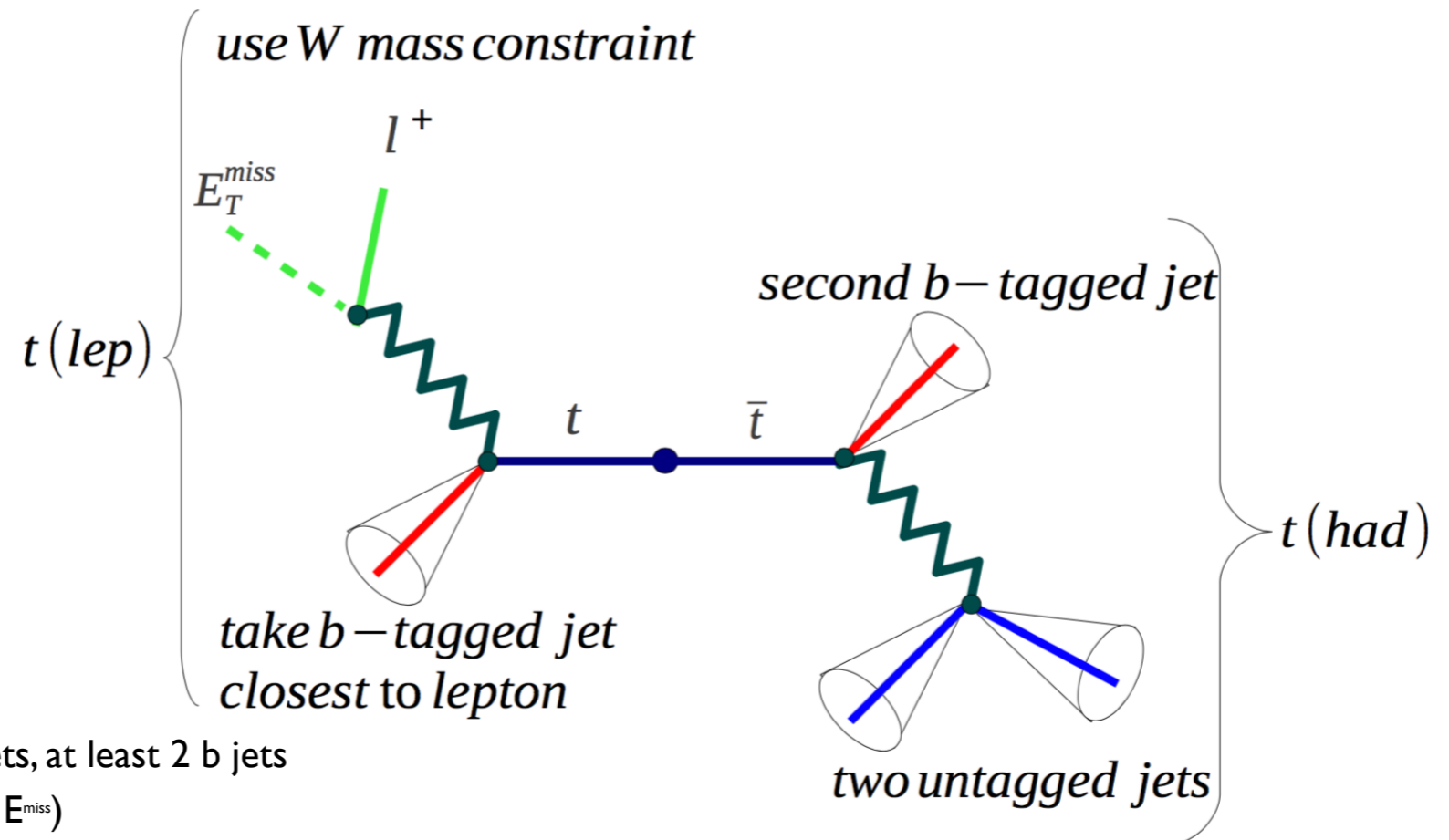
- Unfolding to parton level
 - ▶ Account for both the detector response and parton shower and hadronization → introduces large theoretical uncertainties
 - ▶ Correct for events only representing respective top decay channel
- 2D unfolding
 - ▶ Generalization of D'Agostini unfolding with n bins on one and m bins in the other measured observable.
 - Using vector with $n*m$ entries
 - Migration matrix $(n * m) \times (n*m)$



TOP-PROXY RECONSTRUCTION (PSEUDO-TOP)

Reconstruction of $t\bar{t}$ pair using well defined objects at particle level

- Run same algorithm on particle and detector level



How-to

1. Define pseudo-top constituents

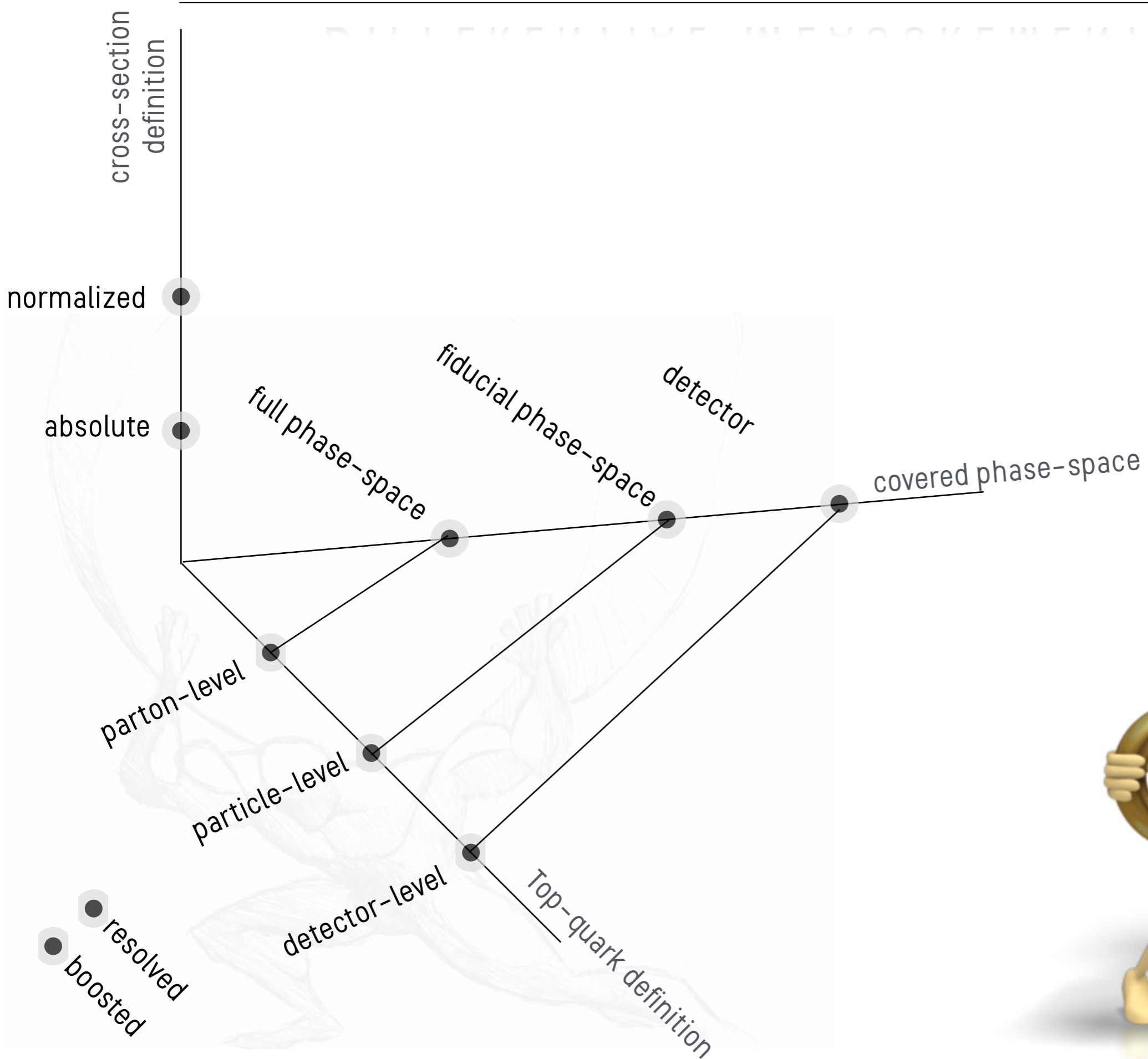
- e.g. l +jets:
 - electrons, muons, and jets: $p_T > 25$ GeV, $|\eta| < 2.5$
 - exactly one lepton (not from hadron) at least four jets, at least 2 b jets
 - $E_T^{miss} > 30$ GeV, $M_T(W) > 35$ GeV (defined by lepton and E_T^{miss})

2. Define pseudo-top system

- e.g.:
 - two hardest b jets belong to pseudo-top pair system
 - Define the leptonic W by combining the lepton with the E_T^{miss} and solving for p_z assuming the W mass (highest p_z from two-fold ambiguity)
 - the b jet closer to lepton (ΔR) is part of the leptonic top decay
 - the two remaining jets that are not b -tagged with highest p_T are the hadronically decaying W and combine with left b -tagged jet

- Unfolding to particle level \rightarrow allow for comparison to MC generator predictions

DIFFERENTIAL MEASUREMENTS



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- https://ixquick-proxy.com/do/spg/show_picture.pl
- www.elegriety.com
- <https://build-your-own-particle-detector.org/>
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