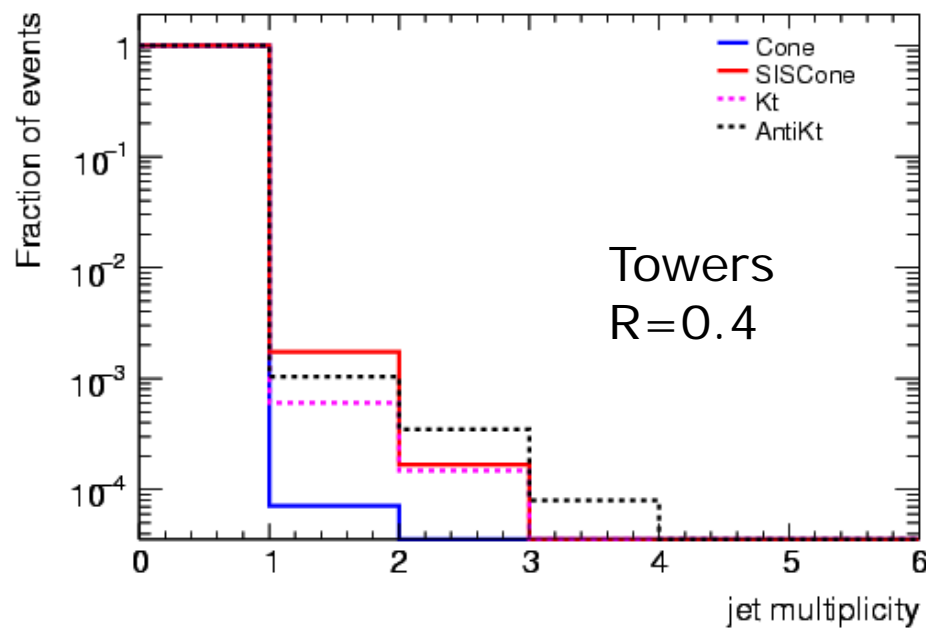


# Tower jets : multiplicity

- March reprocessed commissioning data
  - Standard bad channel masking is applied
  - 60 runs with LAr and Tile (10Sept2008→23Oct2008)
  - 1.1 million events analyzed

Consider only jets satisfying  $E_T > 7$  GeV (em-scale)

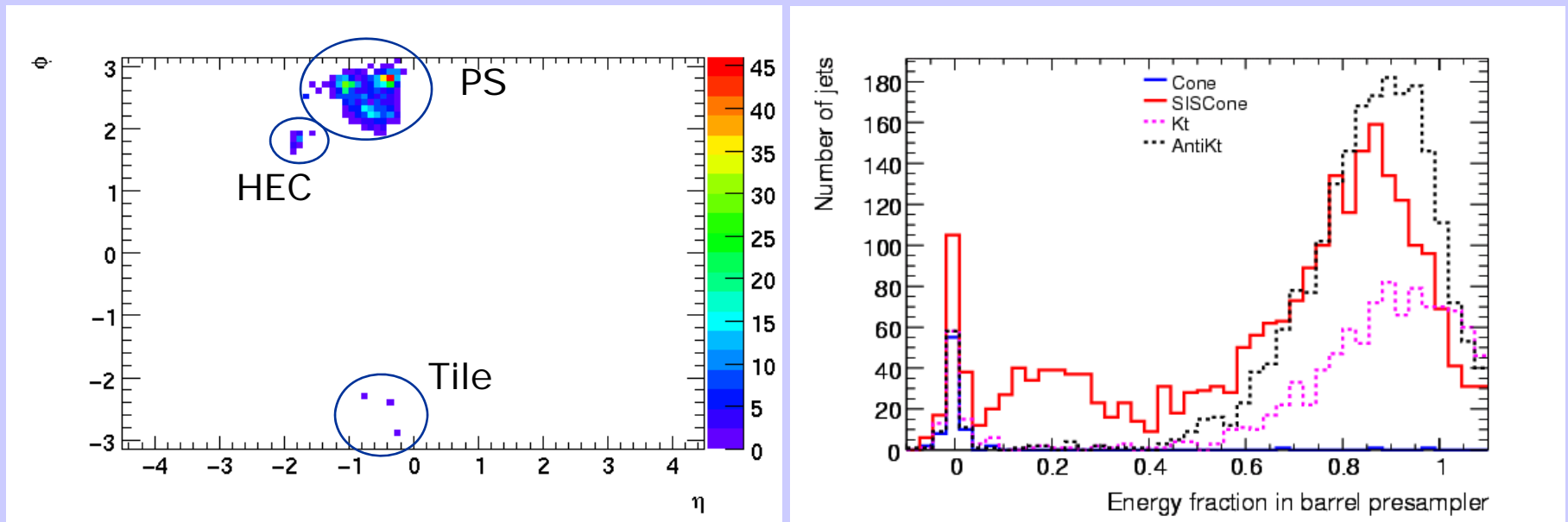


- Towers don't have any noise-suppression
- Much more jets with seedless algorithms
- Less jets are found with the ATLAS cone algorithm due to the seed cuts
  - Start a jet if  $E_T^{\text{tower}} > 1$  GeV

# Tower jets (R=0.4)

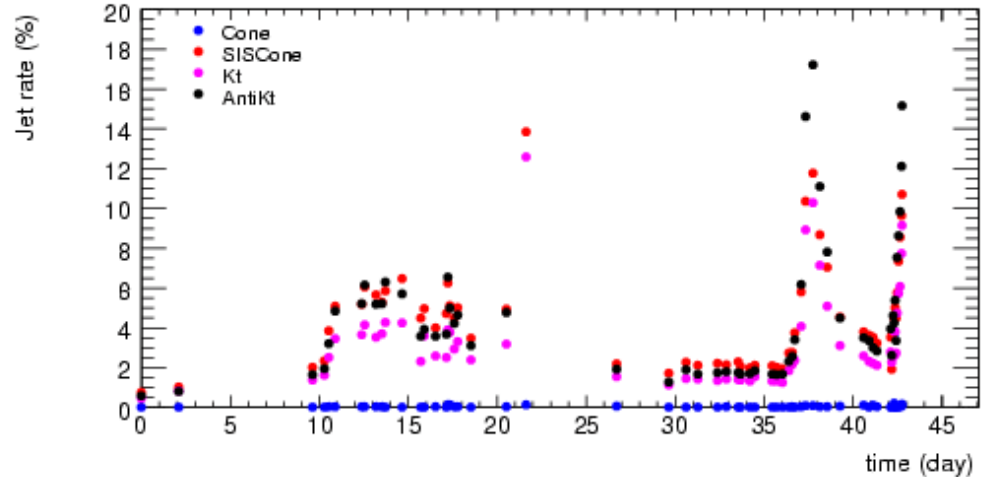
- Jets in randomly triggered data are due to:
  - Coherent noise in the barrel PS
    - Problems identified and fixed at hardware level for 2009 data
  - “Sporadic Noise Burst” in the HEC
    - 6 cells which don't belong to the problematic channels list

Jet Occupancy for AntiKt4TowerJets

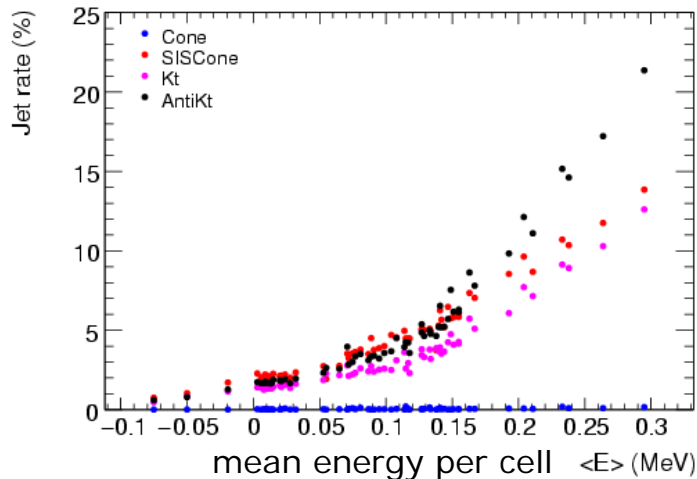


# Tower jets (R=0.7)

The fraction of events with at least one jet with  $E_t > 7\text{GeV}$  varies with time. It is correlated with the pedestal shift in the LAr barrel



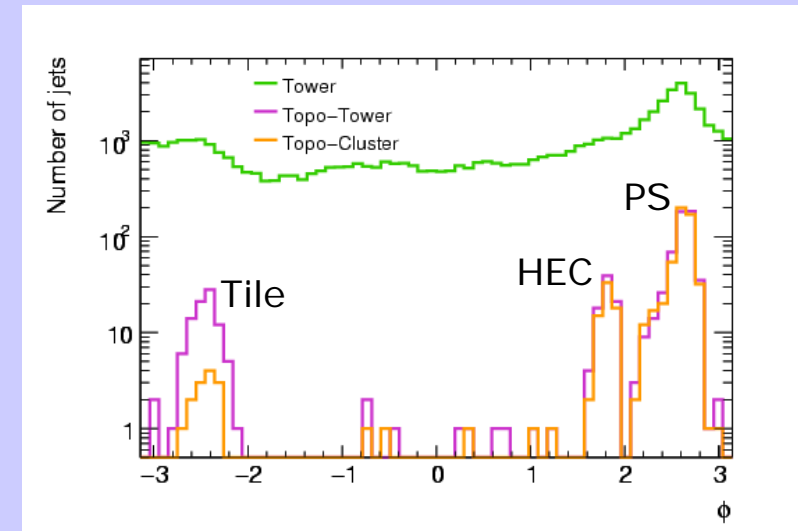
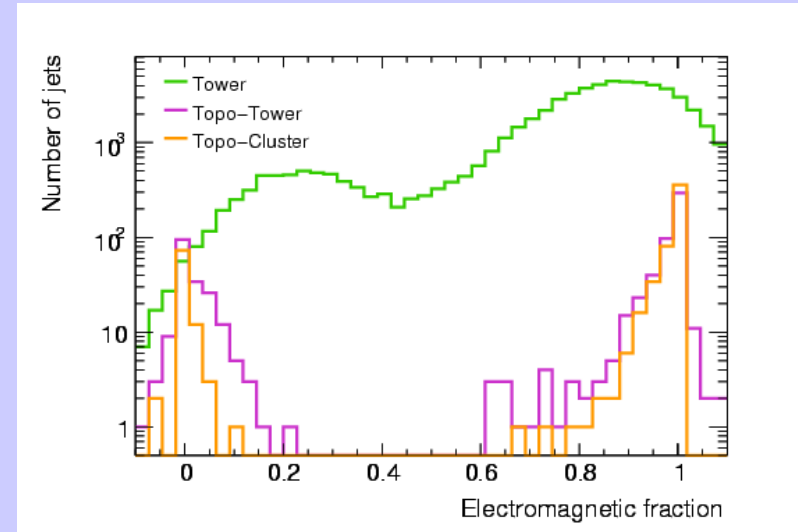
Jet (R=0.7)  $\sim 10000$  cells  
 $\langle E \rangle = 0.1\text{MeV} \Rightarrow E_{\text{jet}}$  increases by 1GeV



Only 1 set of pedestal values were used to process the data  
During standard ATLAS running mode, pedestal runs will be daily taken and the database will be modified accordingly.

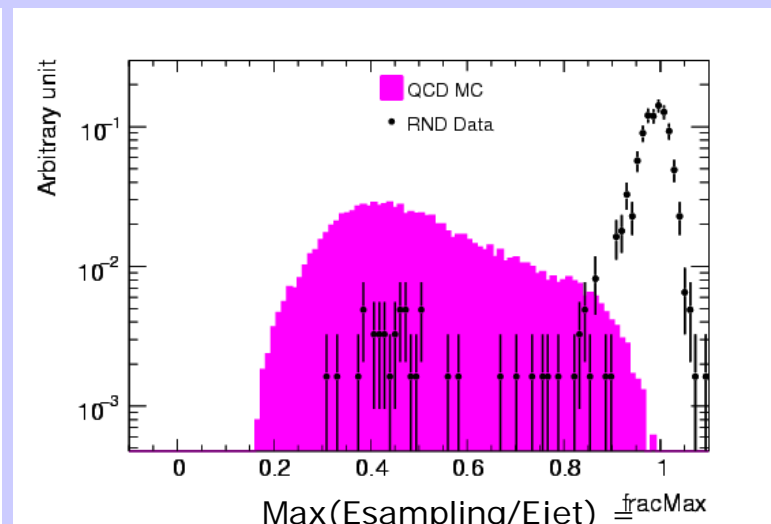
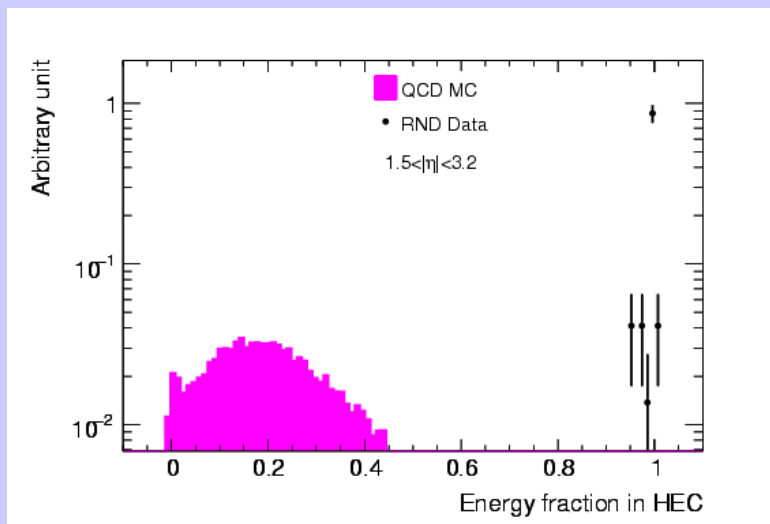
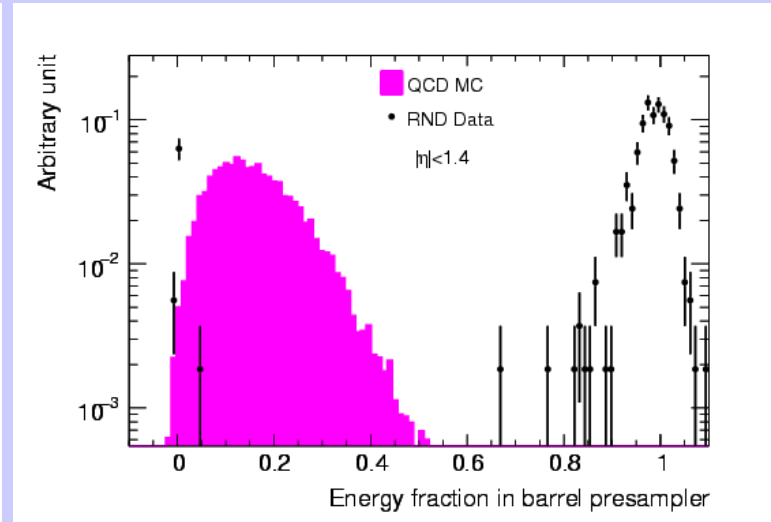
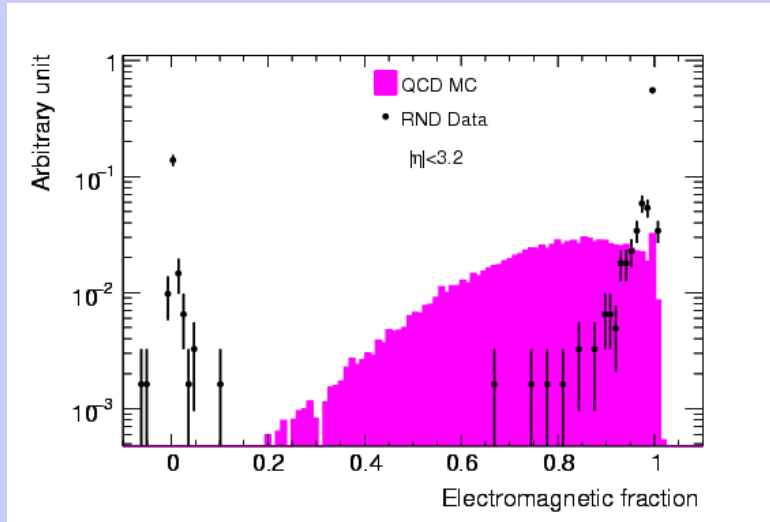
# Noise suppression (AntiKt, R=0.7)

- Seedless algorithms are **infrared-safe** but require **good understanding of the noise**.
- Inputs to these algorithms should have **noise suppression**
  - Topoclusters
  - TopoTowers
    - Towers build only with cells belonging to a topocluster
- Fraction of evts with at least 1 jet ( $E_t > 7\text{GeV}$ )
  - Towers : 4.14%
  - Topotowers : 0.04%
  - Topoclusters : 0.05%



# Cleaning cuts : AntiKt7TopoJets

Histograms normalized to the same area



Noise can be suppressed using quality cuts

# Conclusion

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- The theoretically safe algorithm are more sensitive to the noise since they doesn't use seed
- They are also more sensitive to slight pedestal shift
- Need interaction with detector people
  - For instance, the noise in the barrel PS has been understood and fixed at hard-ware level
  - Looking forward to 2009 data
- Inputs to these algorithms should have **noise suppression**
  - Topoclusters or TopoTowers
- Important to define **quality criteria** to further remove noisy jets
  - Electromagnetic fraction, energy fraction in presampler,...
  - And also : jet area, fracmax, tracking information, cells Q-factor,...