



Course on Physics at the LHC

LIP Lisbon, February - June 2016



Program

The standard model of particle physics	João Varela (LIP, IST)	22, 24, 26 February
Detection of physics beyond the standard model	Michele Gallinaro (LIP), Pedro Silva (CERN)	27 February - 7 March
Statistical methods in data analysis	Pietro Vischia (LIP)	14 March
Top quark physics	Michele Gallinaro (LIP), António Gouveia (LIP, UM)	21 March, 4, 11 April
Standard model Higgs and beyond	Pedro Silva (CERN), André David (CERN), Patricia Muino (LIP), Ricardo Gonçalo (LIP)	18 April 2, 10, 16 May
Supersymmetry	Pedrame Bargassa (LIP)	23, 30 May
B physics and rare decays	Nuno Leonardo (LIP)	6 June
Heavy ions, polarization	João Seixas (LIP, IST), Pietro Faccioli (LIP)	13 June

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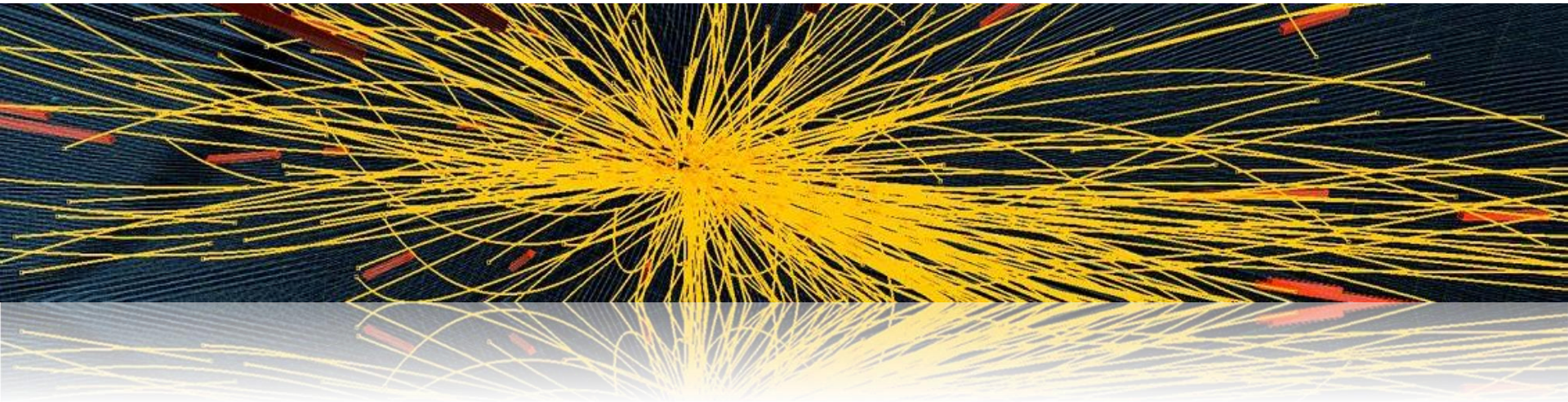
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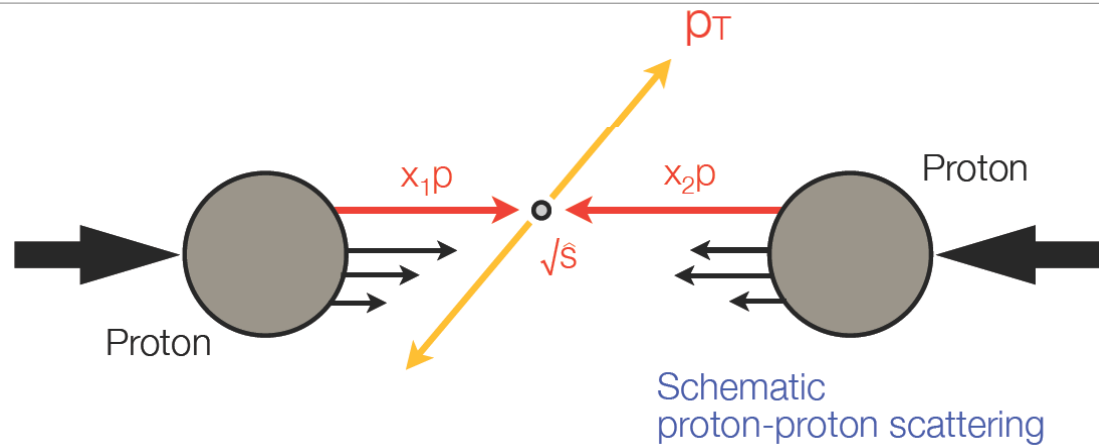
The Standard Model at LHC

1. Hadron interactions
2. QCD and parton densities
3. Monte Carlo generators
4. Luminosity and cross-section measurements
5. Minimum bias events
6. Jet physics
7. W and Z physics

Hadron Interactions

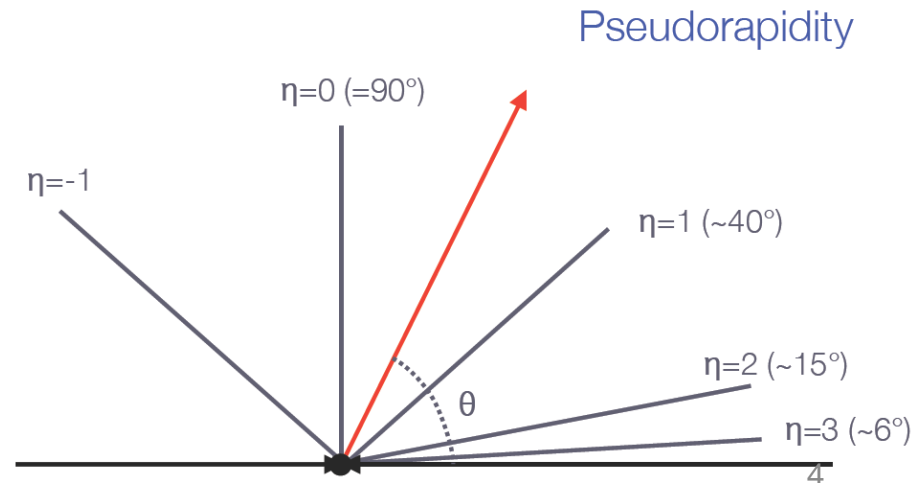


Kinematical variables



Relevant kinematic variables:

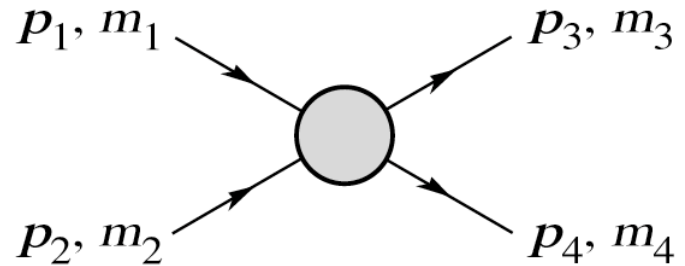
- Transverse momentum: p_T
- Rapidity: $y = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \ln \frac{E-p_z}{E+p_z}$
- Pseudorapidity: $\eta = -\ln \tan \frac{1}{2}\theta$
- Azimuthal angle: φ



Invariant mass

Invariant Mass:

$$\begin{aligned}M^2 &= (p_1 + p_2)^2 \\&= (E_1 + E_2)^2 - (\vec{p}_1 + \vec{p}_2)^2 \\&= m_1^2 + m_2^2 + 2E_1E_2(1 - \vec{\beta}_1\vec{\beta}_2)\end{aligned}$$



Center of mass energy

Center-of-mass Energy:

$$E_{\text{cm}} = \left[(E_1 + E_2)^2 - (\vec{p}_1 + \vec{p}_2)^2 \right]^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

Particle 2 at rest:

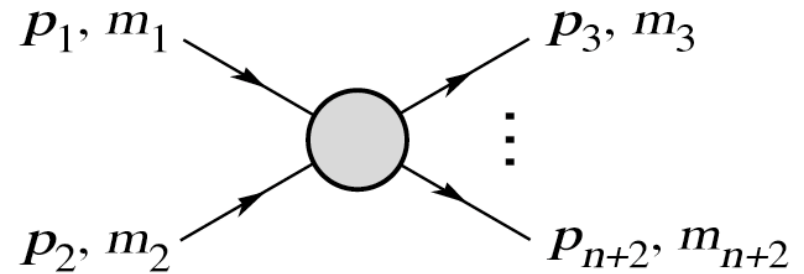
$$\sqrt{s} = E_{\text{cm}} = \left[m_1^2 + m_2^2 + 2E_1m_2 \right]^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

Particle Collider:

$$[E_1 = E_2; \vec{p}_1 = -\vec{p}_2; m_1 = m_2 \approx 0]$$

$$E_{\text{cm}} = 2E$$

Cross section Matrix element Phase space



Differential
Cross Section:

$$d\sigma = \frac{(2\pi)^4 |\mathcal{M}|^2}{4\sqrt{(p_1 \cdot p_2)^2 - m_1^2 m_2^2}} \times d\Phi_n(p_1 + p_2; p_3, \dots, p_{n+2})$$

Matrix element

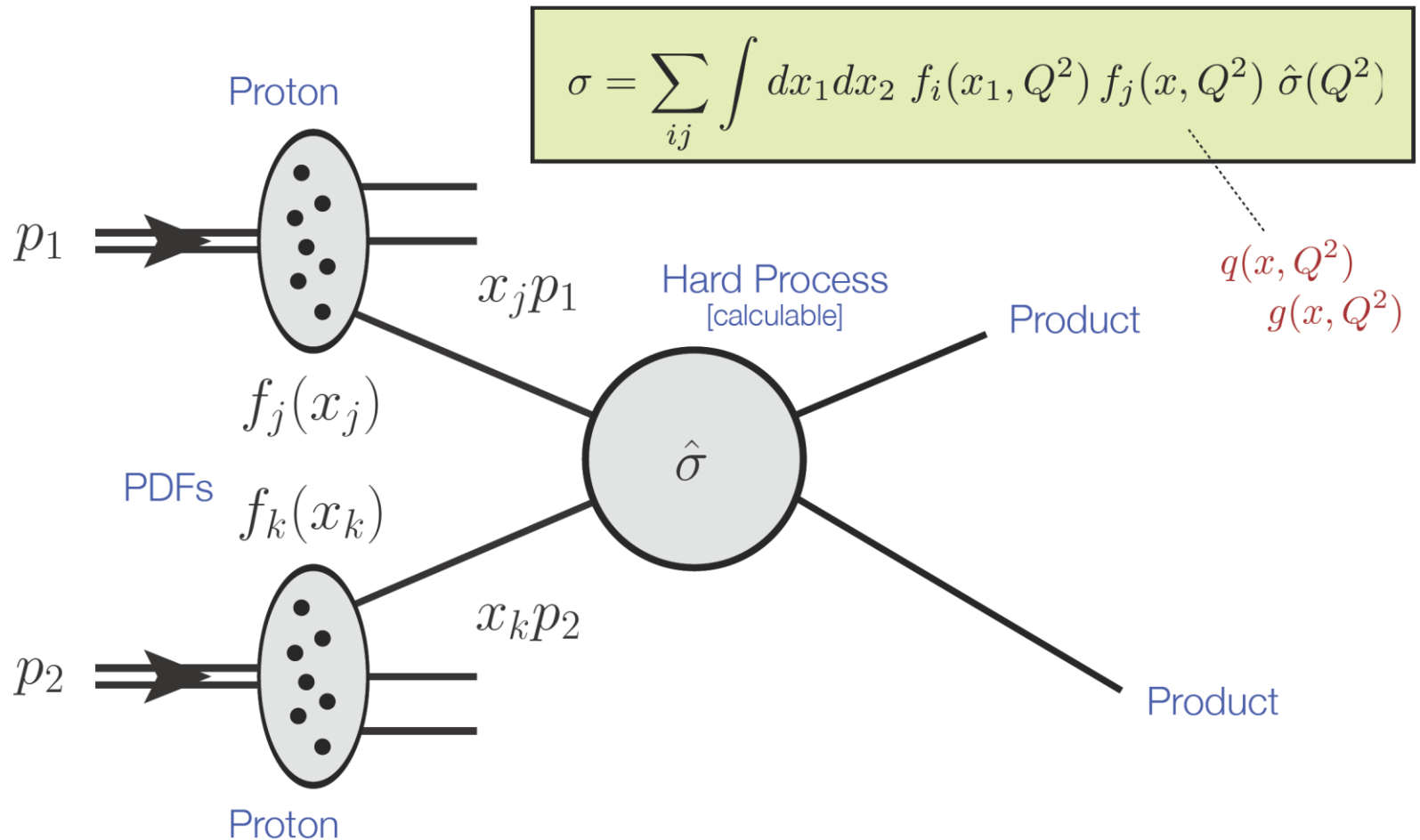
n-body
phase space

$$d\Phi_n = \dots$$

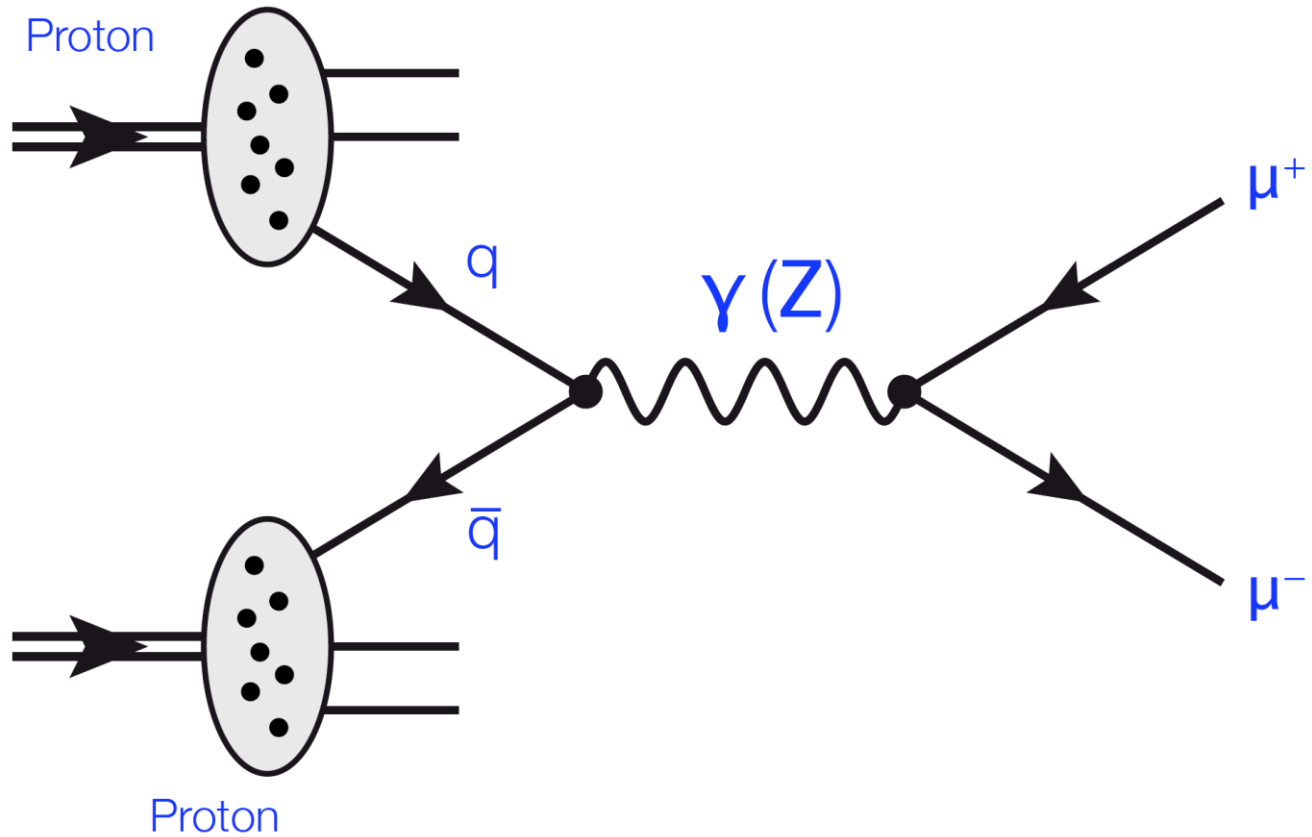
$$\dots = \delta^4(P - \sum_{i=1}^n p_i) \prod_{i=1}^n \frac{d^3 p_i}{(2\pi)^3 2E_i}$$

with $P = p_1 + p_2$

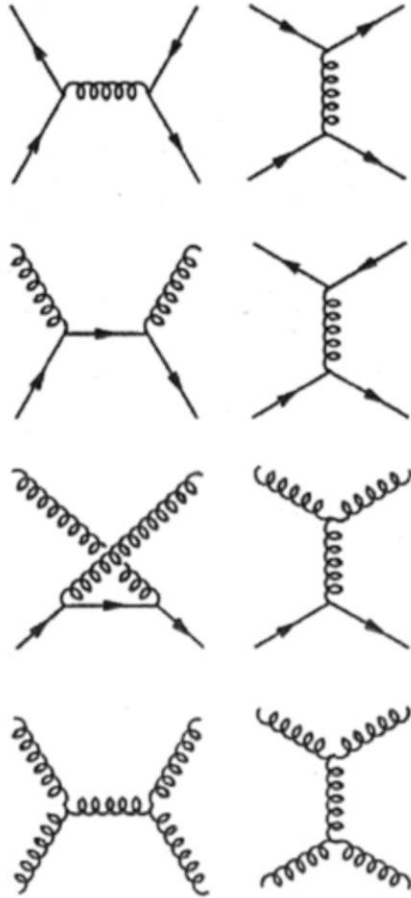
Proton-Proton Scattering @ LHC



Example: Drell-Yan Process

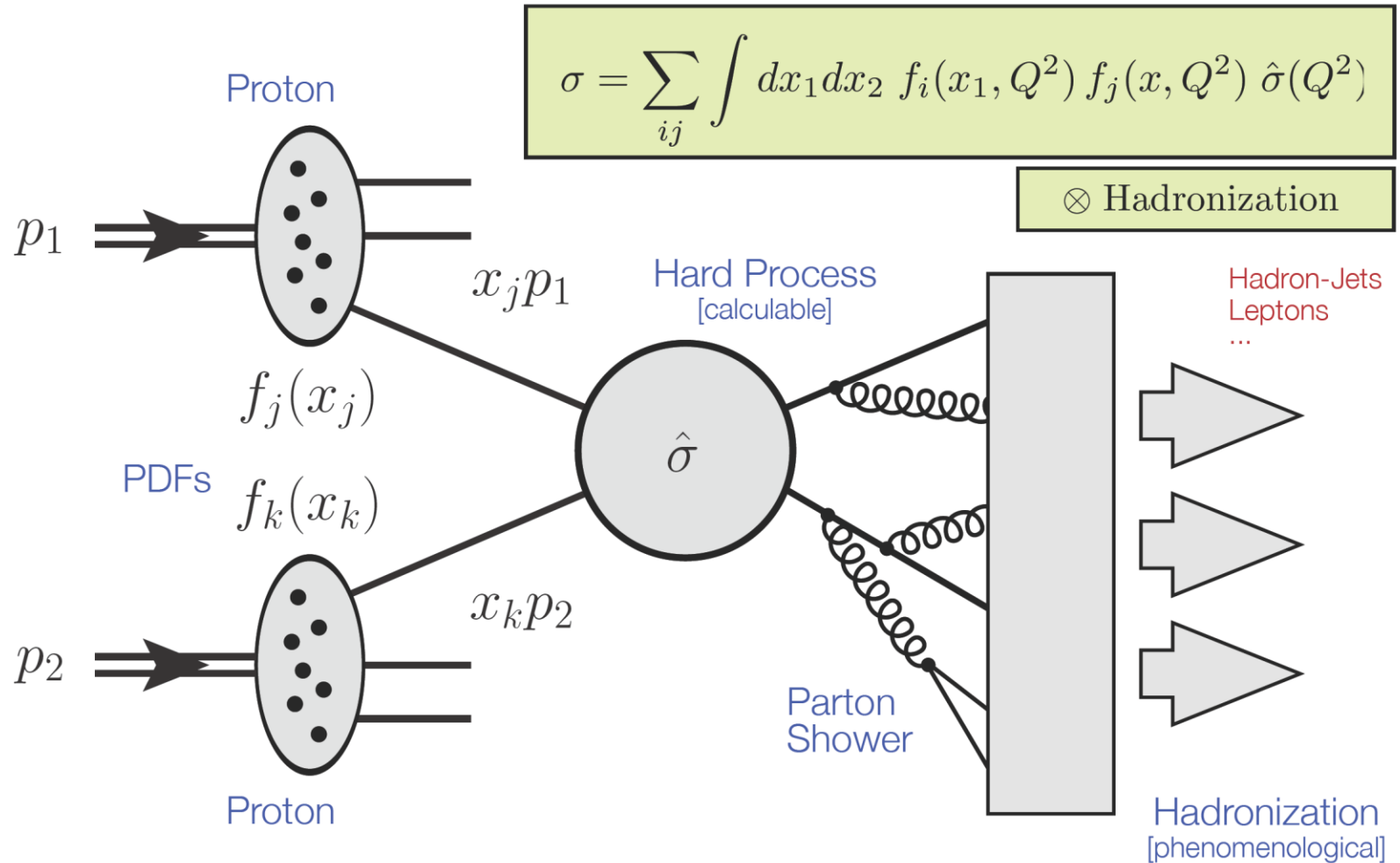


QCD Matrix Elements



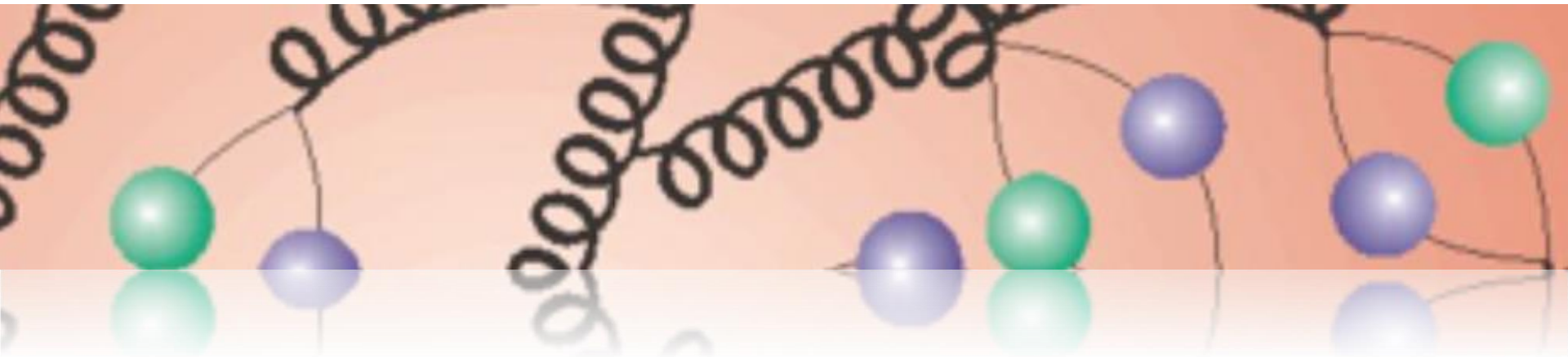
Subprocess	$ \mathcal{M} ^2/g_s^4$	$ \mathcal{M}(90^\circ) ^2/g_s^4$
$qq' \rightarrow qq'$ $q\bar{q}' \rightarrow q\bar{q}'$	$\frac{4}{9} \frac{\hat{s}^2 + \hat{u}^2}{\hat{t}^2}$	2.2
$qq \rightarrow qq$	$\frac{4}{9} \left(\frac{\hat{s}^2 + \hat{u}^2}{\hat{t}^2} + \frac{\hat{s}^2 + \hat{t}^2}{\hat{u}^2} \right) - \frac{8}{27} \frac{\hat{s}^2}{\hat{u}\hat{t}}$	3.3
$q\bar{q} \rightarrow q'\bar{q}'$	$\frac{4}{9} \frac{\hat{t}^2 + \hat{u}^2}{\hat{s}^2}$	0.2
$q\bar{q} \rightarrow q\bar{q}$	$\frac{4}{9} \left(\frac{\hat{s}^2 + \hat{u}^2}{\hat{t}^2} + \frac{\hat{t}^2 + \hat{u}^2}{\hat{s}^2} \right) - \frac{8}{27} \frac{\hat{u}^2}{\hat{s}\hat{t}}$	2.6
$q\bar{q} \rightarrow gg$	$\frac{32}{27} \frac{\hat{u}^2 + \hat{t}^2}{\hat{u}\hat{t}} - \frac{8}{3} \frac{\hat{u}^2 + \hat{t}^2}{\hat{s}^2}$	1.0
$gg \rightarrow q\bar{q}$	$\frac{1}{6} \frac{\hat{u}^2 + \hat{t}^2}{\hat{u}\hat{t}} - \frac{3}{8} \frac{\hat{u}^2 + \hat{t}^2}{\hat{s}^2}$	0.1
$gg \rightarrow qg$	$\frac{\hat{s}^2 + \hat{u}^2}{\hat{t}^2} - \frac{4}{9} \frac{\hat{s}^2 + \hat{u}^2}{\hat{u}\hat{s}}$	6.1
$gg \rightarrow gg$	$\frac{9}{4} \left(\frac{\hat{s}^2 + \hat{u}^2}{\hat{t}^2} + \frac{\hat{s}^2 + \hat{t}^2}{\hat{u}^2} + \frac{\hat{u}^2 + \hat{t}^2}{\hat{s}^2} + 3 \right)$	30.4

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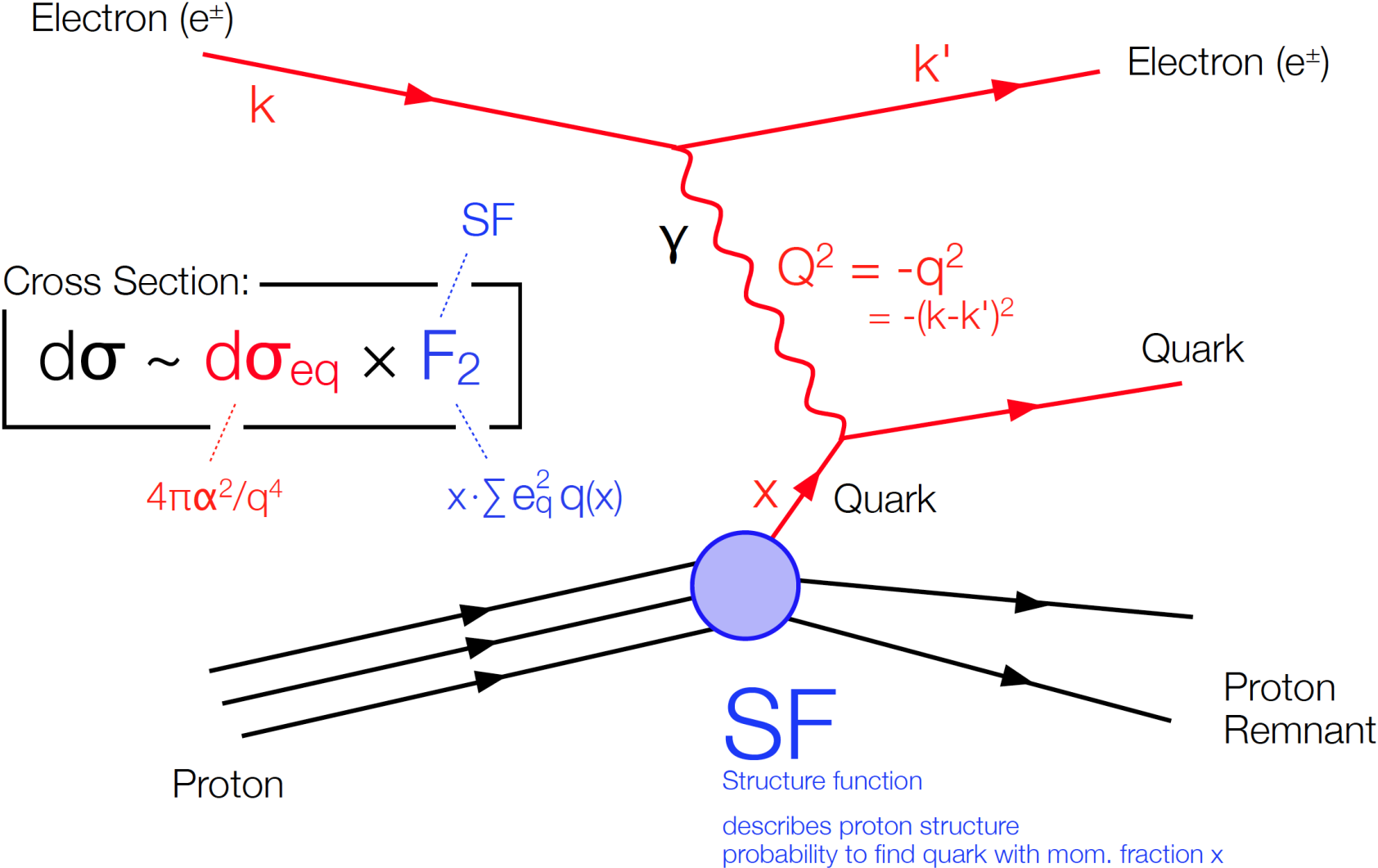


$$\sigma = \sum_{ij} \int dx_1 dx_2 f_i(x_1, Q^2) f_j(x_2, Q^2) \hat{\sigma}(Q^2)$$

QCD & parton densities

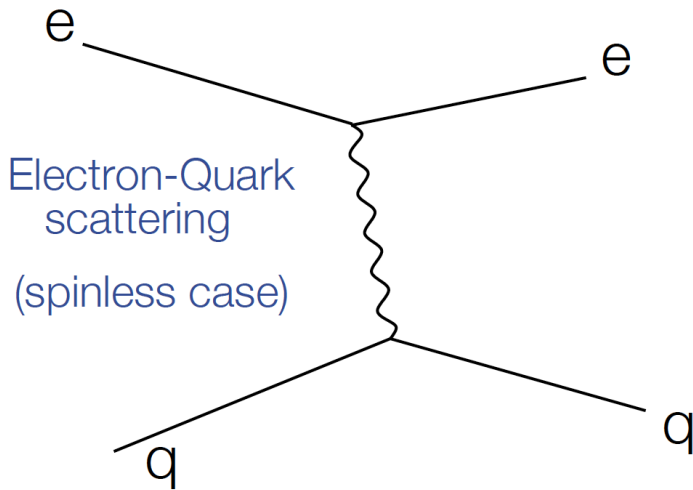


Lepton-proton scattering



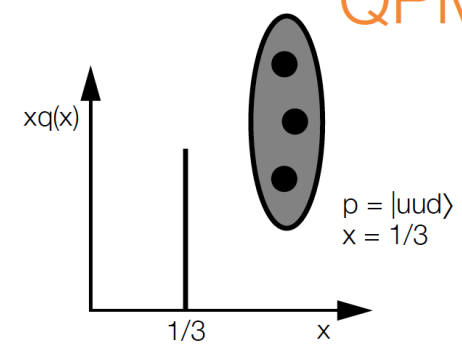
Structure Function F_2

Naive
QPM



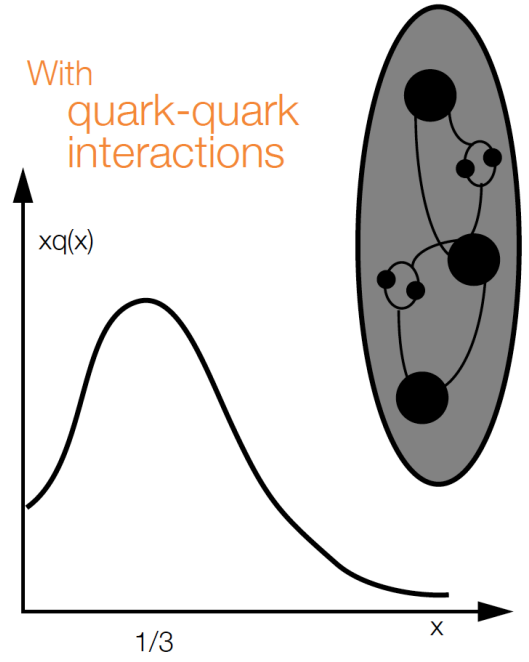
$$\frac{d\sigma(eq)}{dq^2} = \frac{4\pi\alpha^2}{q^4} e_q^2$$

Rutherford scattering on pointlike target



$$\frac{d\sigma(ep)}{dq^2} = \frac{4\pi\alpha^2}{q^4} [2e_u^2 + e_d^2] = \frac{4\pi\alpha^2}{q^4}$$

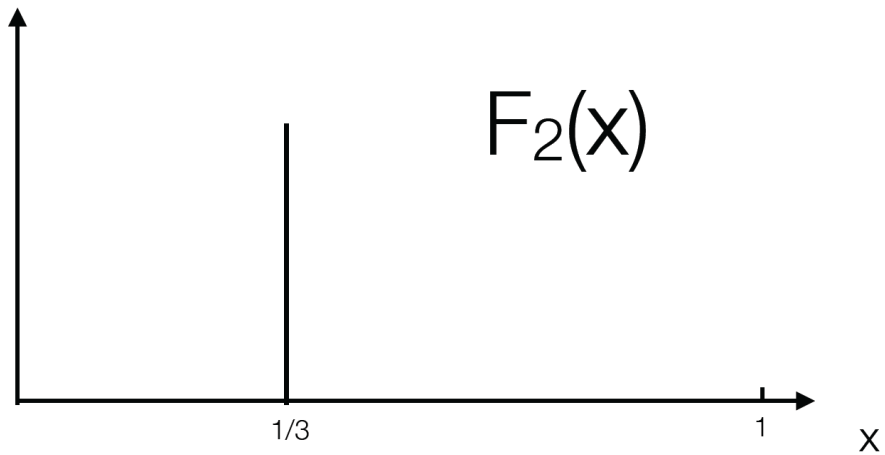
With
quark-quark
interactions



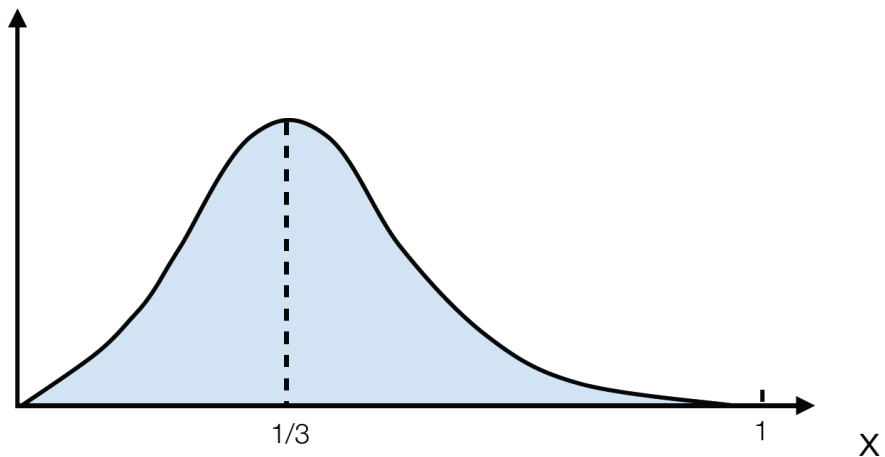
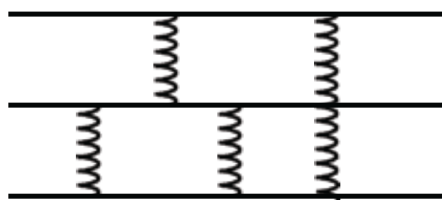
$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d\sigma(ep)}{dx dq^2} &= \frac{4\pi\alpha^2}{q^4} [e_u^2 u(x) + e_d^2 d(x) + \dots] \\ &= \frac{4\pi\alpha^2}{q^4} \frac{F_2(x)}{x} \end{aligned}$$

QPM: Structure Functions F_2 independent of Q^2

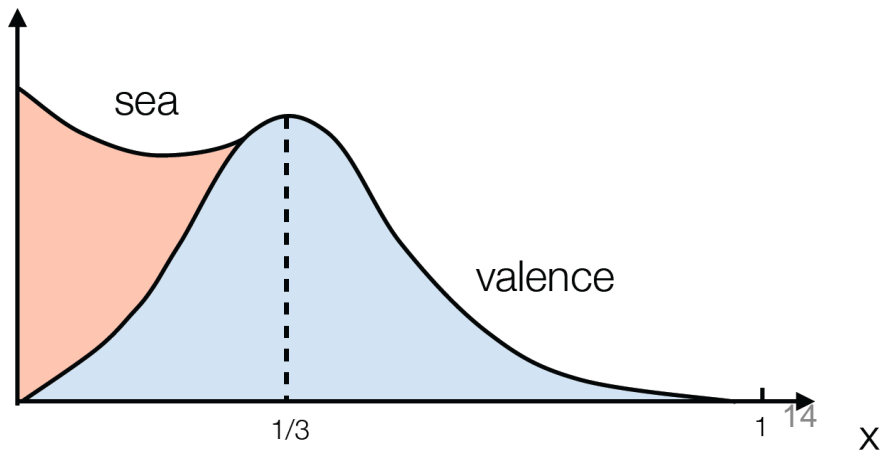
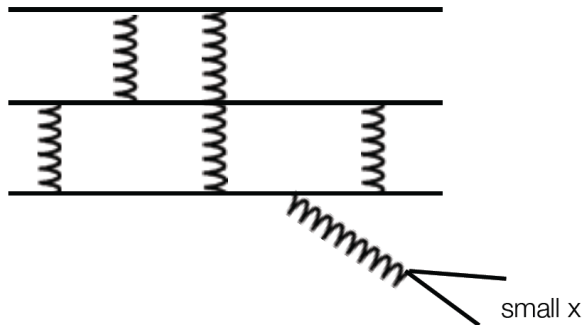
Proton Three valence quarks



Proton Three bound valence quarks

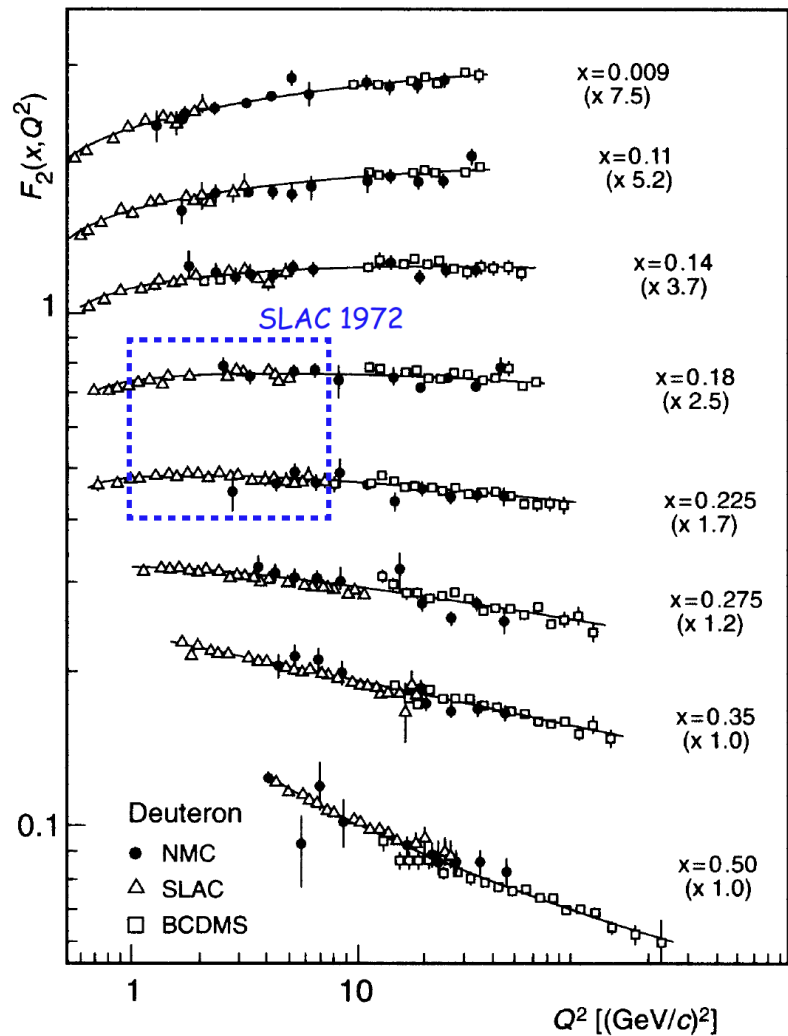
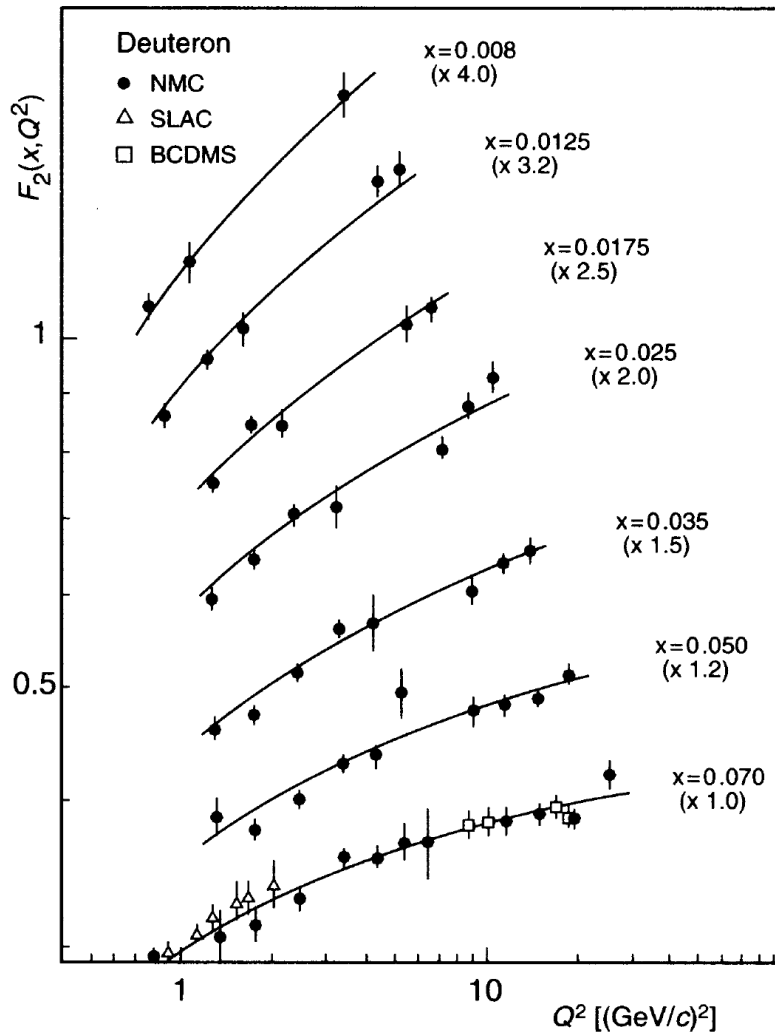


Proton Bound valence quarks + gluon radiation



Scaling violation

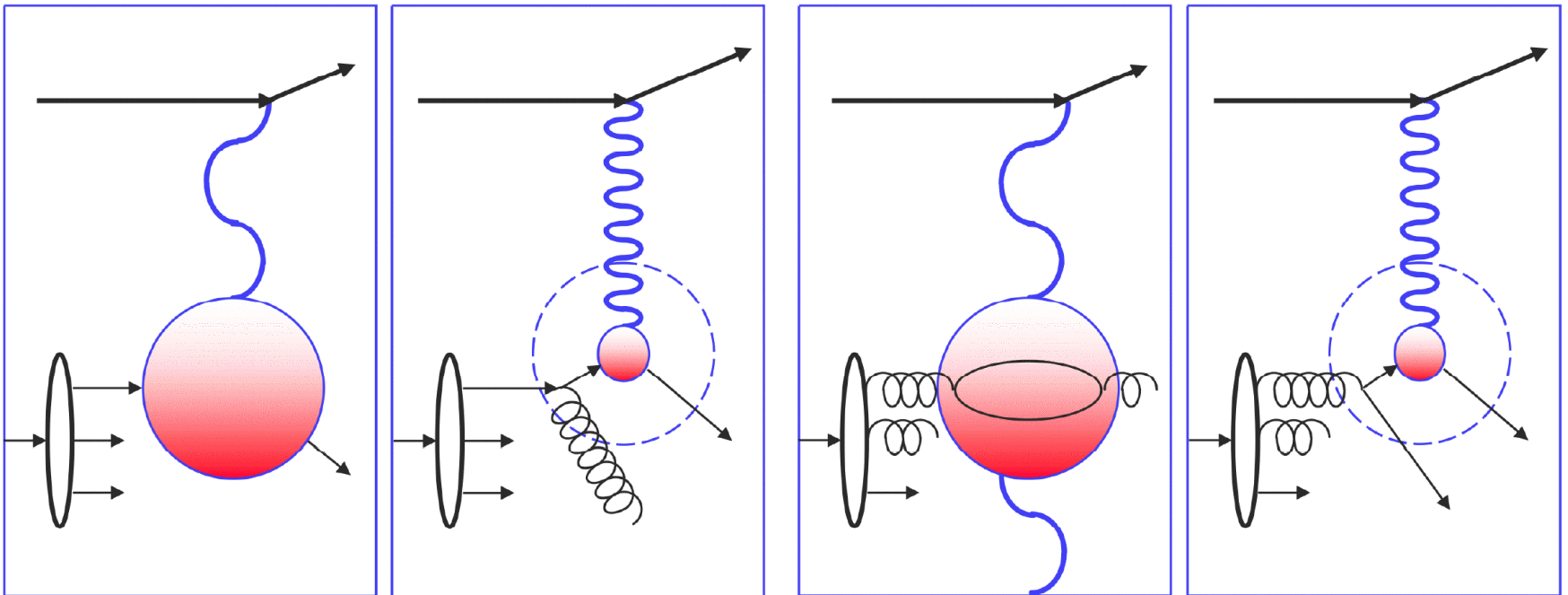
$$F_2(x, Q^2) = \sum e_q^2 x q(x, Q^2)$$



Scaling violation

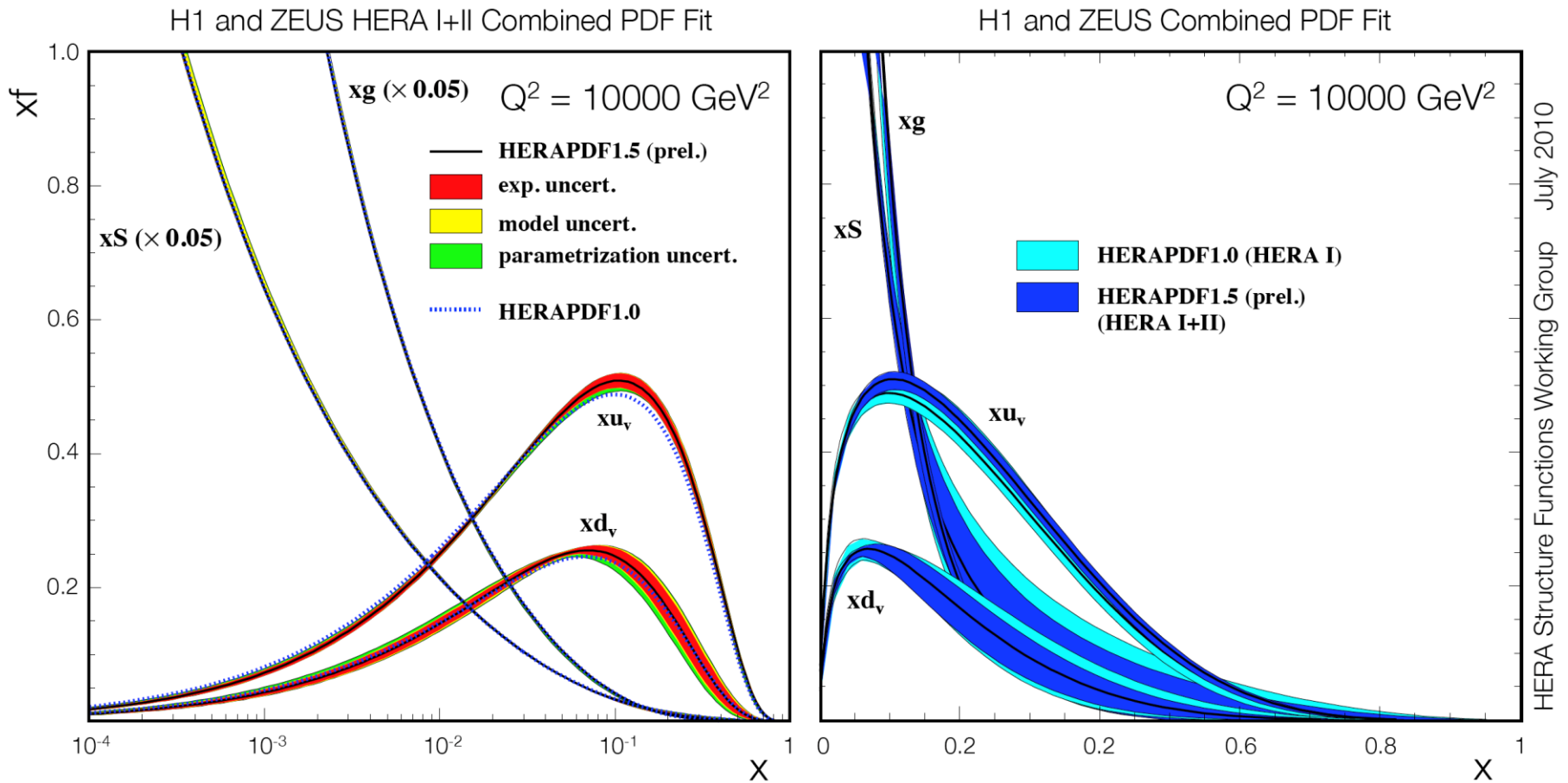
Proton quark dominated:
 $Q^2 \uparrow \Rightarrow F_2 \downarrow$ for fixed x

Proton gluon dominated:
 $Q^2 \uparrow \Rightarrow F_2 \uparrow$ for fixed x

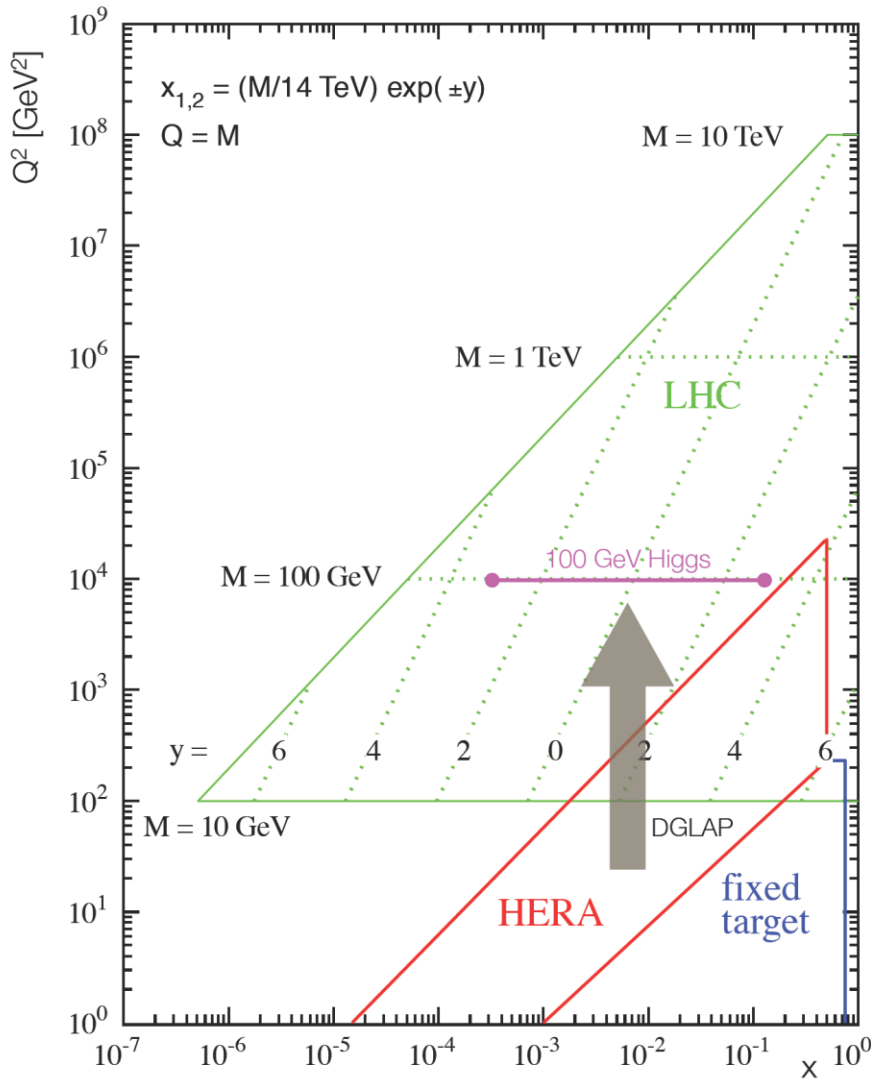
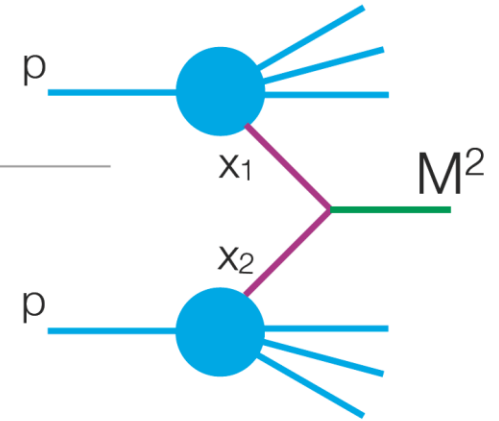


Q^2 -evolution described by DGLAP Equations

Proton parton densities



Particle production @ LHC



LHC parton kinematics

$pp \rightarrow X_M + \text{remnants}$

X_M : particle with mass M
 e.g. Higgs

$$M^2 = x_1 x_2 \cdot s$$

i.e. to produce a particle with mass M
 at LHC energies ($\sqrt{s} = 14 \text{ TeV}$)

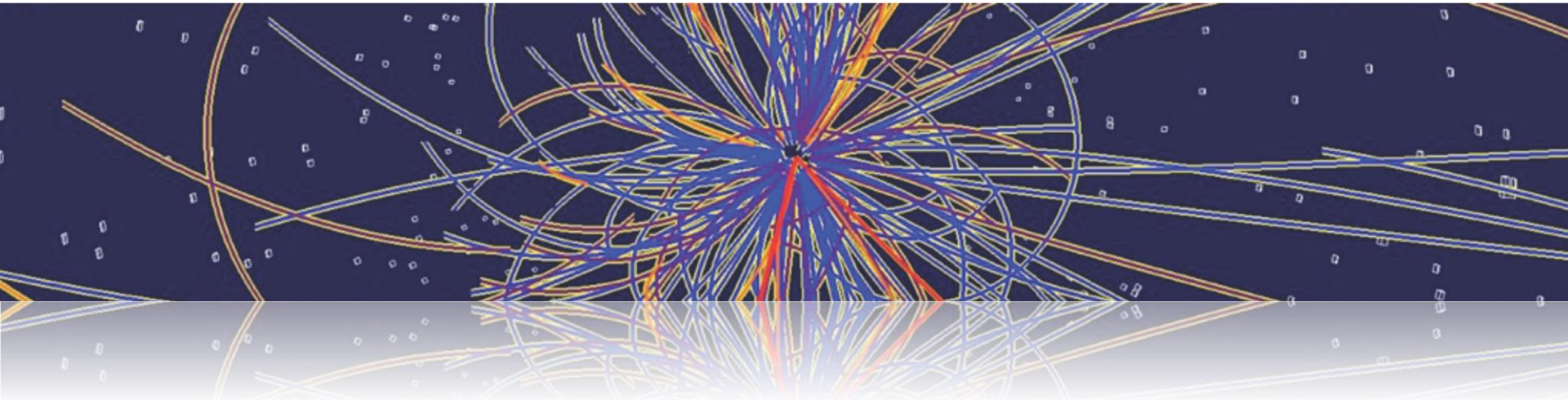
$$\langle x \rangle = \sqrt{x_1 x_2} = M/\sqrt{s}$$

[$x_1 = x_2$: mid-rapidity]

LHC needs:

Knowledge of parton densities
 Extrapolation over orders of magnitudes

Monte Carlo Generators



From Partons to Jets

From partons to
color neutral hadrons:

Fragmentation:

Parton splitting into other partons

[QCD: re-summation of leading-logs]

["Parton shower"]

Hadronization:

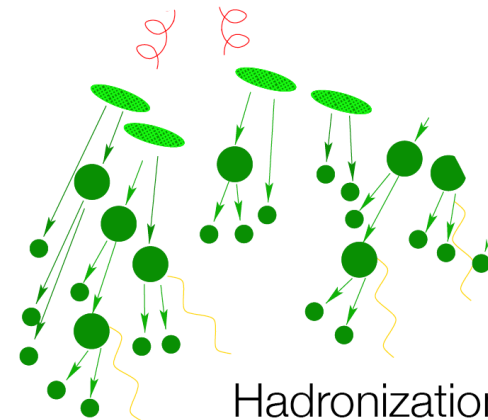
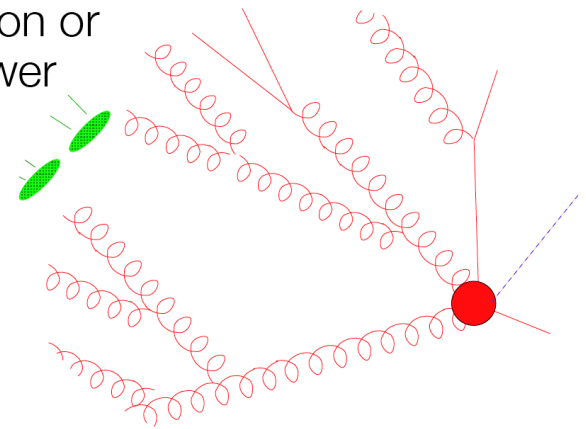
Parton shower forms hadrons

[non-perturbative, only models]

Decay of unstable hadrons

[perturbative QCD, electroweak theory]

Fragmentation or
Parton Shower



Hadronization &
Decays

Monte Carlo overview

Monte Carlo simulation ...

Numerical process generation based on **random numbers**

Method **very powerful** in particle physics

Event generation programs:

Pythia, Herwig, Isajet
Sherpa ...

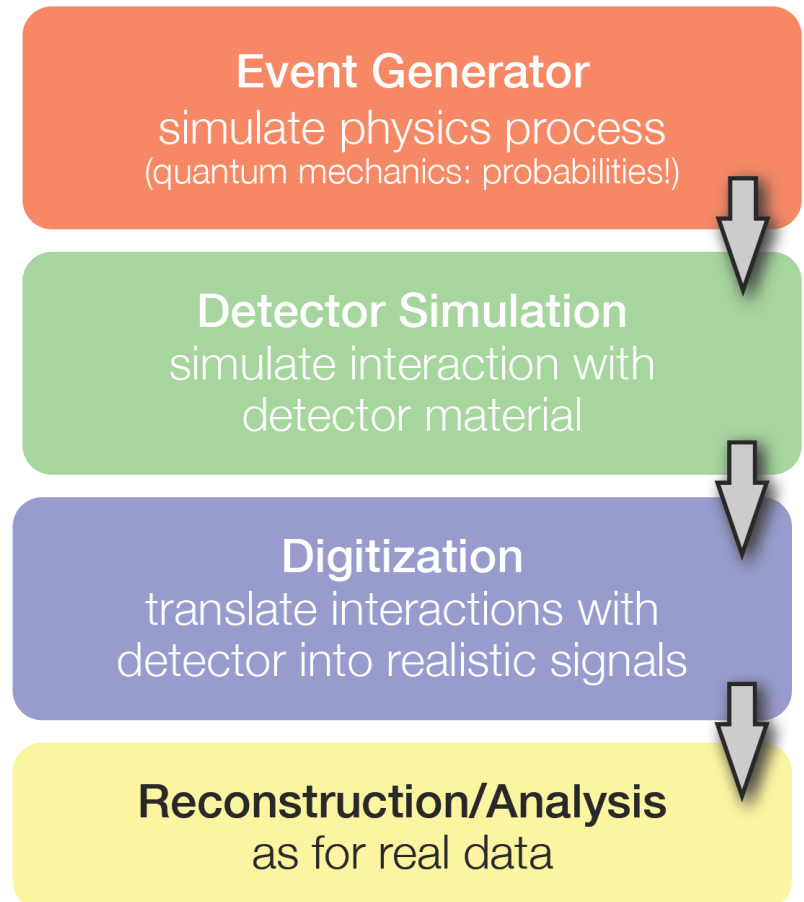
Hard partonic subprocess +
fragmentation & hadronization ...

Detector simulation:

Geant ...

interaction & response
of all produced particles ...

MC simulations in particle physics



Pythia sub-processes

No. Subprocess	No. Subprocess	No. Subprocess	No. Subprocess	No. Subprocess	No. Subprocess	No. Subprocess
Hard QCD processes:	36 $f_i \gamma \rightarrow f_k W^\pm$	New gauge bosons:	Higgs pairs:	Compositeness:	210 $f_i \bar{f}_j \rightarrow \bar{\ell}_L \bar{\nu}_\ell^* +$	250 $f_i g \rightarrow \bar{q}_i L \bar{\chi}_3$
11 $f_i \bar{f}_j \rightarrow f_k \bar{f}_l$	69 $\gamma \gamma \rightarrow W^+ W^-$	141 $f_i \bar{f}_i \rightarrow \gamma / Z^0 / \gamma^0$	297 $f_i \bar{f}_j \rightarrow H^\pm h^0$	146 $e \gamma \rightarrow e^*$	211 $f_i \bar{f}_j \rightarrow \bar{\tau}_1 \bar{\nu}_\tau^* +$	251 $f_i g \rightarrow \bar{q}_i R \bar{\chi}_3$
12 $f_i \bar{f}_i \rightarrow f_k \bar{f}_k$	70 $\gamma W^\pm \rightarrow Z^0 W^\pm$	142 $f_i \bar{f}_j \rightarrow W^{+\pm}$	298 $f_i \bar{f}_j \rightarrow H^\pm H^0$	147 $d g \rightarrow d^*$	212 $f_i \bar{f}_j \rightarrow \bar{\tau}_2 \bar{\nu}_\tau^* +$	252 $f_i g \rightarrow \bar{q}_i L \bar{\chi}_4$
13 $f_i \bar{f}_i \rightarrow g g$	Prompt photons:	144 $f_i \bar{f}_j \rightarrow R$	299 $f_i \bar{f}_i \rightarrow A^0 h^0$	148 $u g \rightarrow u^*$	213 $f_i \bar{f}_i \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_\ell \bar{\nu}_\ell^* +$	253 $f_i g \rightarrow \bar{q}_i R \bar{\chi}_4$
28 $f_i g \rightarrow f_i g$	14 $f_i \bar{f}_i \rightarrow g \gamma$	Heavy SM Higgs:	300 $f_i \bar{f}_i \rightarrow A^0 H^0$	167 $q_i q_j \rightarrow d^* q_k$	214 $f_i \bar{f}_i \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_\tau \bar{\nu}_\tau^* +$	254 $f_i g \rightarrow \bar{q}_j L \bar{\chi}_1^\pm$
53 $g g \rightarrow f_k \bar{f}_k$	18 $f_i \bar{f}_i \rightarrow \gamma \gamma$	5 $Z^0 Z^0 \rightarrow h^0$	301 $f_i \bar{f}_i \rightarrow H^+ H^-$	168 $q_i q_j \rightarrow u^* q_k$	216 $f_i \bar{f}_i \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1 \tilde{\chi}_1$	256 $f_i g \rightarrow \bar{q}_j L \bar{\chi}_2^\pm$
68 $g g \rightarrow g g$	29 $f_i g \rightarrow f_i \gamma$	8 $W^+ W^- \rightarrow h^0$	Leptoquarks:	169 $q_i \bar{q}_i \rightarrow e^{\pm} e^{*\mp}$	217 $f_i \bar{f}_i \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_2 \tilde{\chi}_2$	258 $f_i g \rightarrow \bar{q}_i L \tilde{g}$
Soft QCD processes:	114 $g g \rightarrow \gamma \gamma$	71 $Z_L^0 Z_L^0 \rightarrow Z_L^0 Z_L^0$	145 $q_i \bar{\ell}_j \rightarrow L_Q$	165 $f_i \bar{f}_i (\rightarrow \gamma^* / Z^0) \rightarrow f_k \bar{f}_k$	218 $f_i \bar{f}_i \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_3 \tilde{\chi}_3$	259 $f_i g \rightarrow \bar{q}_i R \tilde{g}$
91 elastic scattering	115 $g g \rightarrow g \gamma$	72 $Z_L^0 Z_L^0 \rightarrow W_L^+ W_L^-$	162 $q g \rightarrow \ell L_Q$	166 $f_i \bar{f}_j (\rightarrow W^\pm) \rightarrow f_k \bar{f}_i$	219 $f_i \bar{f}_i \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_4 \tilde{\chi}_4$	261 $f_i \bar{f}_i \rightarrow \tilde{t}_1 \tilde{t}_1^*$
92 single diffraction ($X B$)	Deeply Inel. Scatt.:	73 $Z_L^0 W_L^\pm \rightarrow Z_L^0 W_L^\pm$	163 $g g \rightarrow L_Q \bar{L}_Q$	Extra Dimensions:	220 $f_i \bar{f}_i \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1 \tilde{\chi}_2$	262 $f_i \bar{f}_i \rightarrow \tilde{t}_2 \tilde{t}_2^*$
93 single diffraction ($A X$)	10 $f_i \bar{f}_j \rightarrow f_k \bar{f}_i$	76 $W_L^+ W_L^- \rightarrow Z_L^0 Z_L^0$	164 $q_i \bar{q}_i \rightarrow L_Q \bar{L}_Q$	391 $f \bar{f} \rightarrow G^*$	221 $f_i \bar{f}_i \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1 \tilde{\chi}_3$	263 $f_i \bar{f}_i \rightarrow \tilde{t}_1 \tilde{t}_2^* +$
94 double diffraction	99 $\gamma^* q \rightarrow q$	77 $W_L^\pm W_L^\pm \rightarrow W_L^\pm W_L^\pm$	Technicolor:	392 $g g \rightarrow G^*$	222 $f_i \bar{f}_i \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1 \tilde{\chi}_4$	264 $g g \rightarrow \tilde{t}_1 \tilde{t}_1^*$
95 low- p_\perp production	Photon-induced:	BSM Neutral Higgs:	149 $g g \rightarrow \eta_{tc}$	393 $q \bar{q} \rightarrow G^*$	223 $f_i \bar{f}_i \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_2 \tilde{\chi}_3$	265 $g g \rightarrow \tilde{t}_2 \tilde{t}_2^*$
Open heavy flavour: (also fourth generation)	33 $f_i \gamma \rightarrow f_i g$	151 $f_i \bar{f}_i \rightarrow H^0$	191 $f_i \bar{f}_i \rightarrow \rho_{tc}^0$	394 $q \bar{q} \rightarrow G^*$	224 $f_i \bar{f}_i \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_2 \tilde{\chi}_4$	271 $f_i \bar{f}_j \rightarrow \bar{q}_i L \bar{q}_j L$
81 $f_i \bar{f}_i \rightarrow Q_k \bar{Q}_k$	34 $f_i \gamma \rightarrow f_i \gamma$	152 $g g \rightarrow H^0$	192 $f_i \bar{f}_j \rightarrow \rho_{tc}^+$	395 $g g \rightarrow G^*$	225 $f_i \bar{f}_i \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_3 \tilde{\chi}_4$	272 $f_i \bar{f}_j \rightarrow \bar{q}_i R \bar{q}_j R$
82 $g g \rightarrow Q_k \bar{Q}_k$	54 $g \gamma \rightarrow f_k \bar{f}_k$	153 $\gamma \gamma \rightarrow H^0$	193 $f_i \bar{f}_i \rightarrow \omega_{tc}^0$	Left-right symmetry:	226 $f_i \bar{f}_i \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^\pm \tilde{\chi}_1^\mp$	273 $f_i \bar{f}_j \rightarrow \bar{q}_i L \bar{q}_j R +$
83 $q_i \bar{f}_j \rightarrow Q_k \bar{f}_i$	58 $\gamma \gamma \rightarrow f_k \bar{f}_k$	171 $f_i \bar{f}_i \rightarrow Z^0 H^0$	194 $f_i \bar{f}_i \rightarrow f_k \bar{f}_k$	341 $\ell_i \bar{\ell}_j \rightarrow H_L^{\pm\pm}$	227 $f_i \bar{f}_i \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_2^\pm \tilde{\chi}_2^\mp$	274 $f_i \bar{f}_j \rightarrow \bar{q}_i L \bar{q}_j L$
84 $g \gamma \rightarrow Q_k \bar{Q}_k$	131 $f_i \gamma \bar{f}_i \rightarrow f_i g$	172 $f_i \bar{f}_j \rightarrow W^\pm H^0$	195 $f_i \bar{f}_j \rightarrow f_k \bar{f}_i$	342 $\ell_i \bar{\ell}_j \rightarrow H_R^{\pm\pm}$	228 $f_i \bar{f}_i \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^\pm \tilde{\chi}_2^\mp$	275 $f_i \bar{f}_j \rightarrow \bar{q}_i R \bar{q}_j R$
85 $\gamma \gamma \rightarrow F_k \bar{F}_k$	132 $f_i \gamma \bar{f}_i \rightarrow f_i g$	173 $f_i \bar{f}_j \rightarrow f_i f_j H^0$	361 $f_i \bar{f}_i \rightarrow W_L^\pm W_L^-$	343 $\ell_i^\pm \gamma \rightarrow H_L^{\pm\pm} e^\mp$	229 $f_i \bar{f}_i \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1 \tilde{\chi}_1^\pm$	276 $f_i \bar{f}_j \rightarrow \bar{q}_i L \bar{q}_j R +$
Closed heavy flavour:	133 $f_i \gamma \bar{f}_i \rightarrow f_i \gamma$	174 $f_i \bar{f}_j \rightarrow f_k \bar{f}_i H^0$	362 $f_i \bar{f}_i \rightarrow W_L^\pm \pi_{tc}^\mp$	344 $\ell_i^\pm \gamma \rightarrow H_L^{\pm\pm} e^\mp$	230 $f_i \bar{f}_j \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_2 \tilde{\chi}_1^\pm$	277 $f_i \bar{f}_i \rightarrow \bar{q}_j L \bar{q}_j L$
86 $g g \rightarrow J/\psi g$	134 $f_i \gamma \bar{f}_i \rightarrow f_i \gamma$	181 $g g \rightarrow Q_k \bar{Q}_k H^0$	363 $f_i \bar{f}_i \rightarrow \pi_{tc}^+ \pi_{tc}^-$	345 $\ell_i^\pm \gamma \rightarrow H_L^{\pm\pm} \mu^\mp$	231 $f_i \bar{f}_j \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_3 \tilde{\chi}_1^\pm$	278 $f_i \bar{f}_i \rightarrow \bar{q}_j R \bar{q}_j R$
87 $g g \rightarrow \chi_{0c} g$	135 $g \gamma^* \rightarrow f_i \bar{f}_i$	182 $q_i \bar{q}_i \rightarrow Q_k \bar{Q}_k H^0$	364 $f_i \bar{f}_i \rightarrow \gamma \pi_{tc}^0$	346 $\ell_i^\pm \gamma \rightarrow H_R^{\pm\pm} \mu^\mp$	232 $f_i \bar{f}_j \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_4 \tilde{\chi}_1^\pm$	279 $g g \rightarrow \bar{q}_i L \bar{q}_i L$
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Detector simulation

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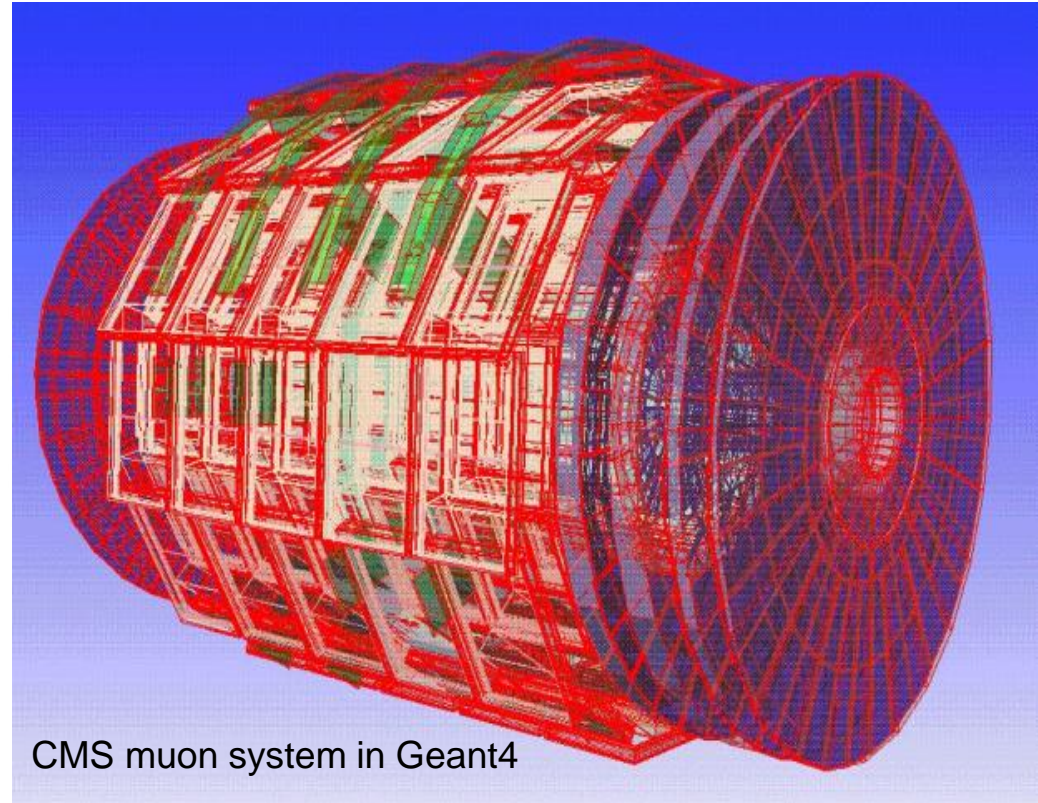
Geometry And Tracking

Detailed description of
detector **geometry**

[sensitive & insensitive volumes]

Tracking of all particles through
detector material ...

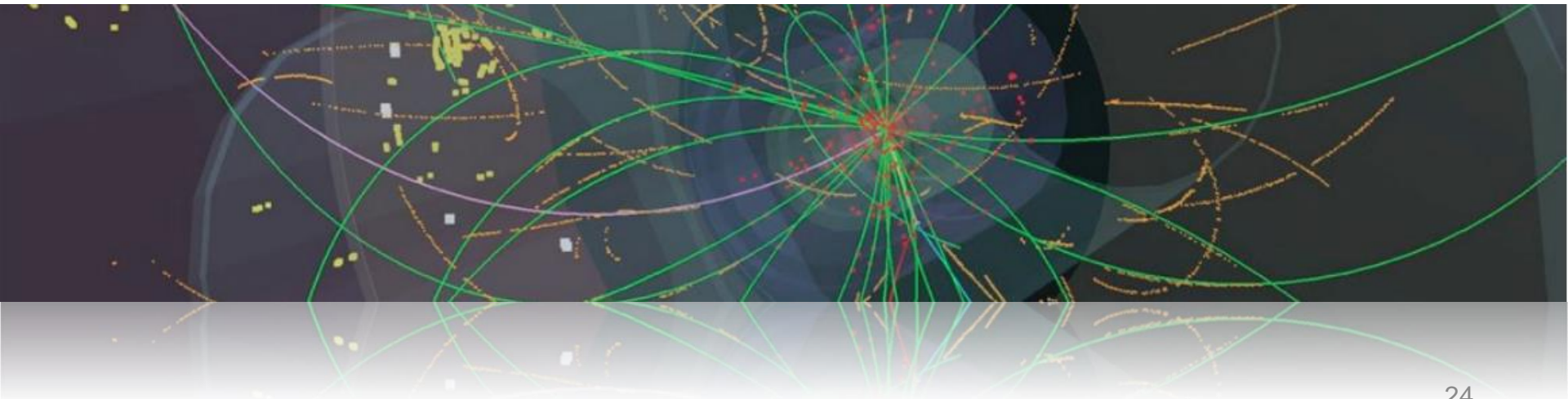
→ **Detector response**



Developed at CERN since 1974 (FORTRAN)

[Today: Geant4; programmed in C++]

Luminosity and cross-section measurements



Cross section & Luminosity

Number of observed events

just count ...

Background

measured from data or
calculated from theory

$$\sigma = \frac{N^{\text{obs}} - N^{\text{bkg}}}{\int \mathcal{L} dt \cdot \epsilon}$$

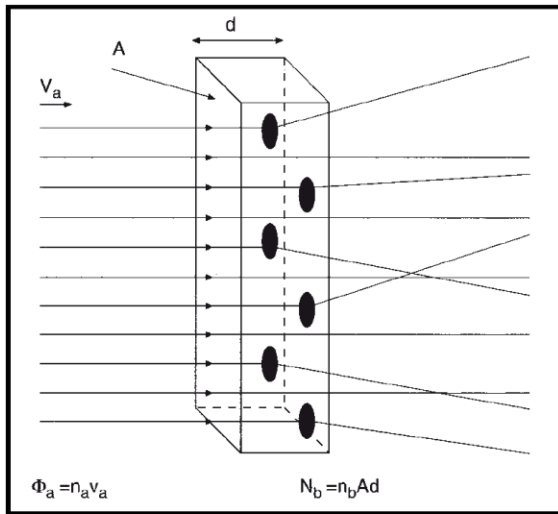
Luminosity

determined by accelerator,
triggers, ...

Efficiency

many factors, optimized
by experimentalist

Cross section & Luminosity



$$\dot{N} \equiv L \cdot \sigma$$

$$N = \sigma \cdot \underbrace{\int L dt}_{\text{integrated luminosity}} \quad \sigma = N/L$$

Collider experiment:

$$\Phi_a = \frac{\dot{N}_a}{A} = \frac{N_a \cdot n \cdot v/U}{A} = \frac{N_a \cdot n \cdot f}{A}$$

$$L = f \frac{n N_a N_b}{A} = f \frac{n N_a N_b}{4\pi\sigma_x\sigma_y}$$

$$\Phi_a = \frac{\dot{N}_a}{A} = n_a v_a$$

Φ_a : flux
 n_a : density of particle beam
 v_a : velocity of beam particles

$$\dot{N} = \Phi_a \cdot N_b \cdot \sigma_b$$

\dot{N} : reaction rate
 N_b : target particles within beam area
 σ_a : effective area of single scattering center

$$L = \Phi_a \cdot N_b$$

L : luminosity

LHC:

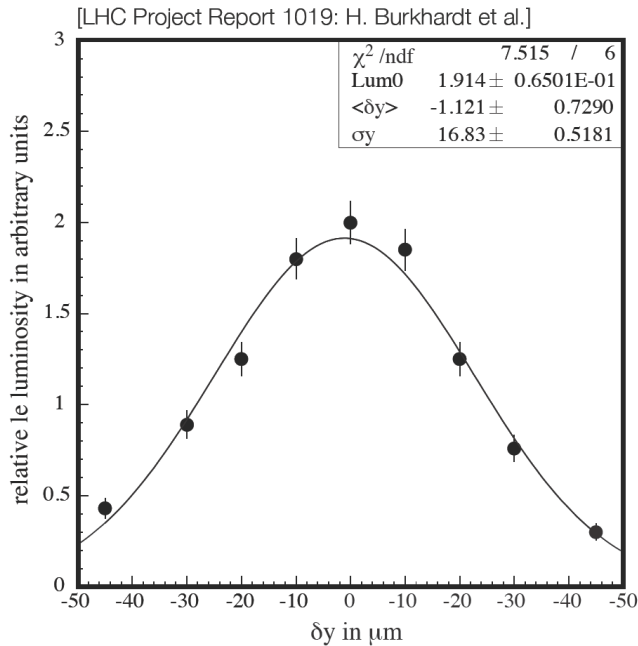
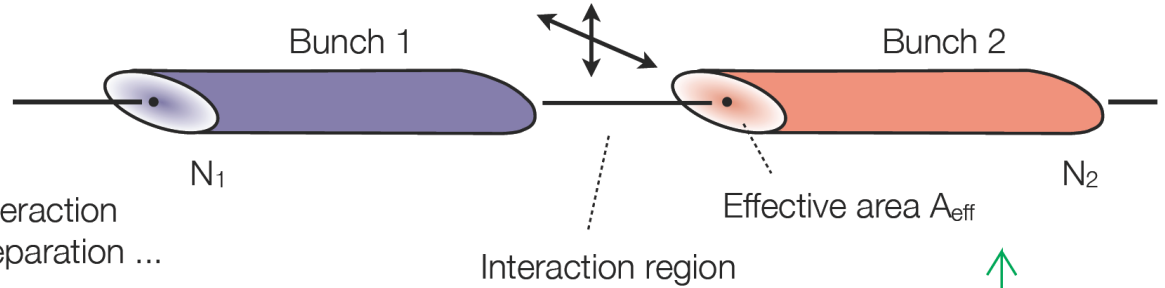
N_x	$\sim 10^{11}$
A	$\sim .0005 \text{ mm}^2$
n	~ 2800
f	$\sim 11 \text{ kHz}$
L	$\sim 10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$

N_a : number of particles per bunch (beam A)
 N_b : number of particles per bunch (beam B)
 U : circumference of ring
 n : number of bunches per beam
 v : velocity of beam particles
 f : revolution frequency
 A : beam cross-section
 σ_x : standard deviation of beam profile in x
 σ_y : standard deviation of beam profile in y

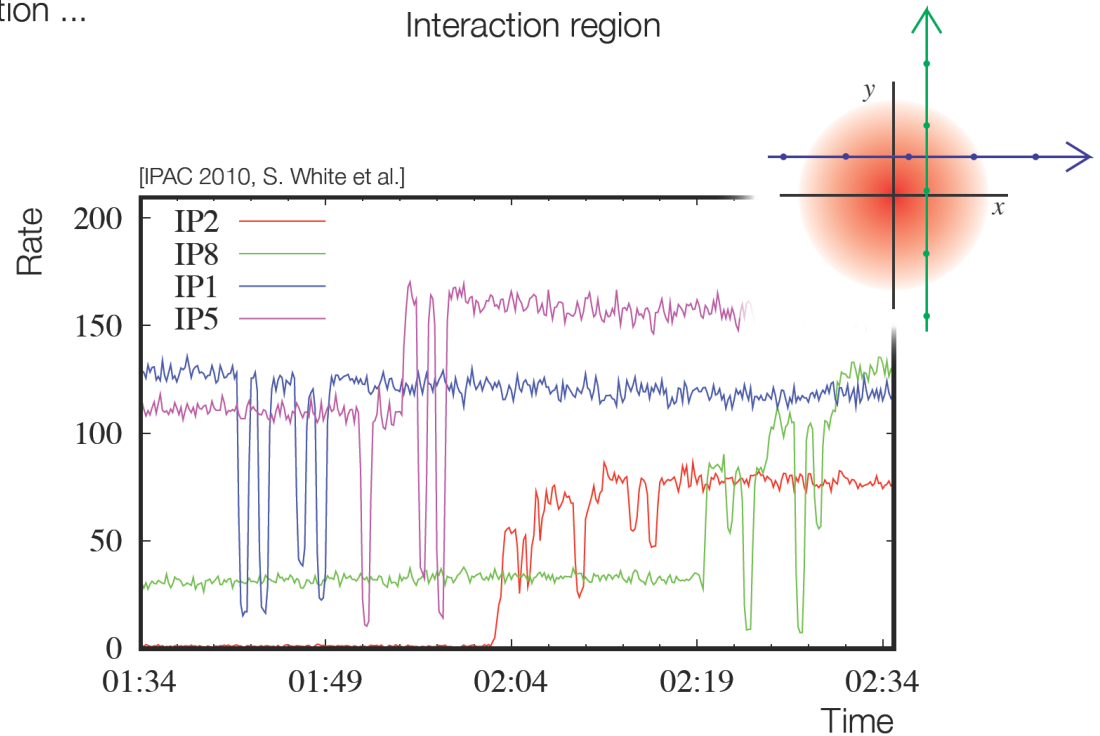
Van-der-Meer separation scan

Determine beam size ...

measuring size and shape of the interaction region by recording relative interaction rates as a function of transverse beam separation ...

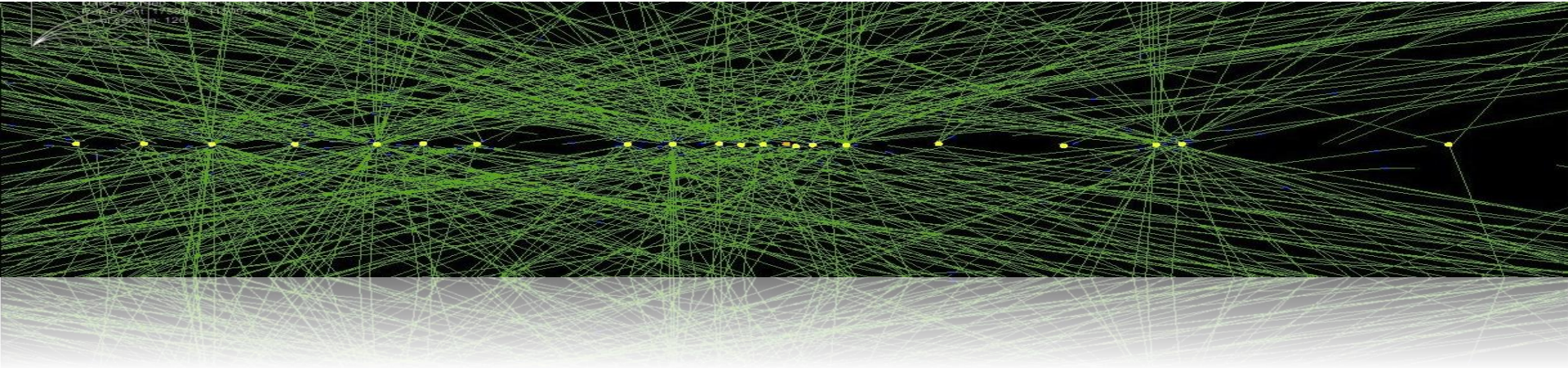


$$\frac{L}{L_0} = \exp \left[- \left(\frac{\delta_x}{2\sigma_x} \right)^2 - \left(\frac{\delta_y}{2\sigma_y} \right)^2 \right]$$



First optimization scans at LHC performed for squeezed optics in all IPs [November 2009].

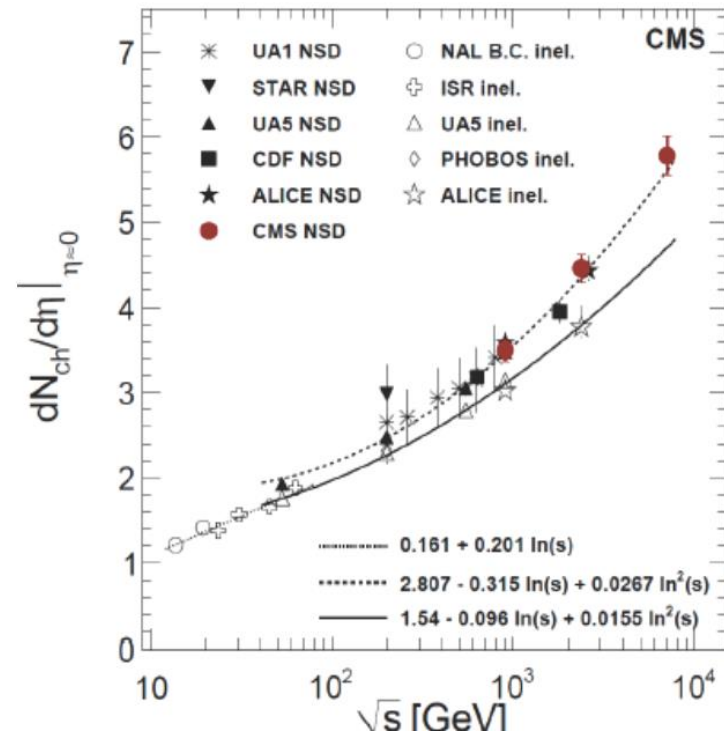
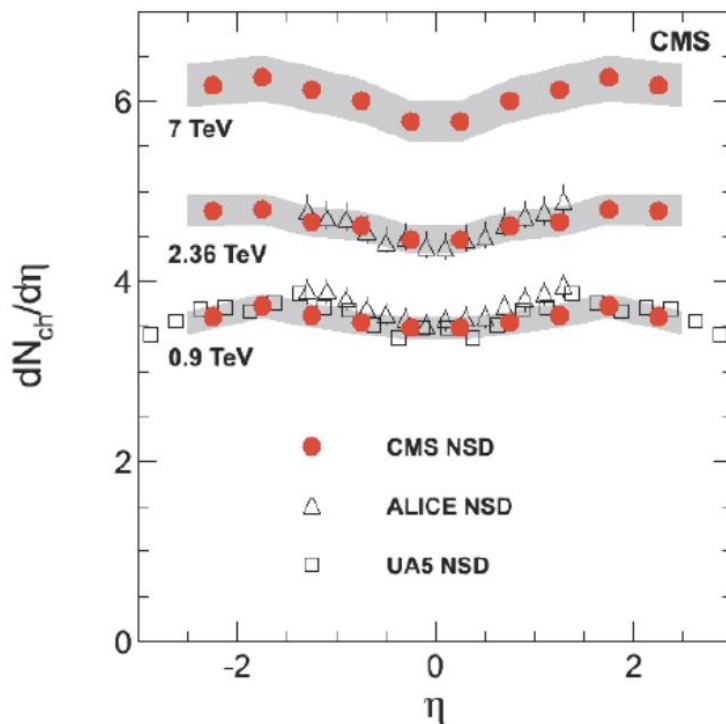
Minimum bias events



Characteristics of inelastic p-p collisions

Particle density in minimum bias events

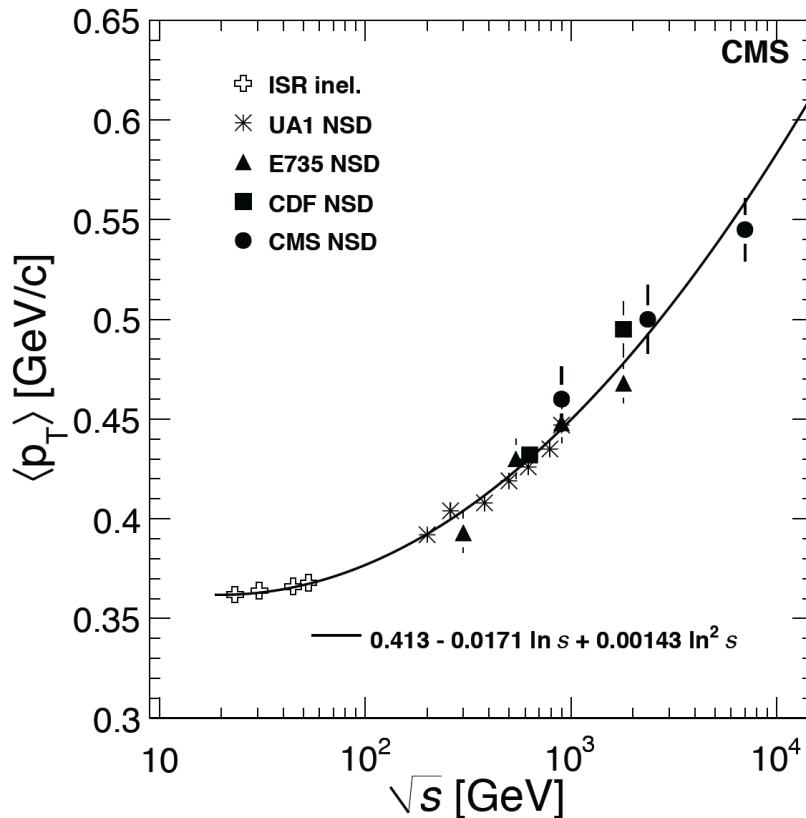
Soft QCD (PT threshold on tracks: 50 MeV)



Particle density in data rises faster than in model predictions.
Tuning of MC generators was needed.

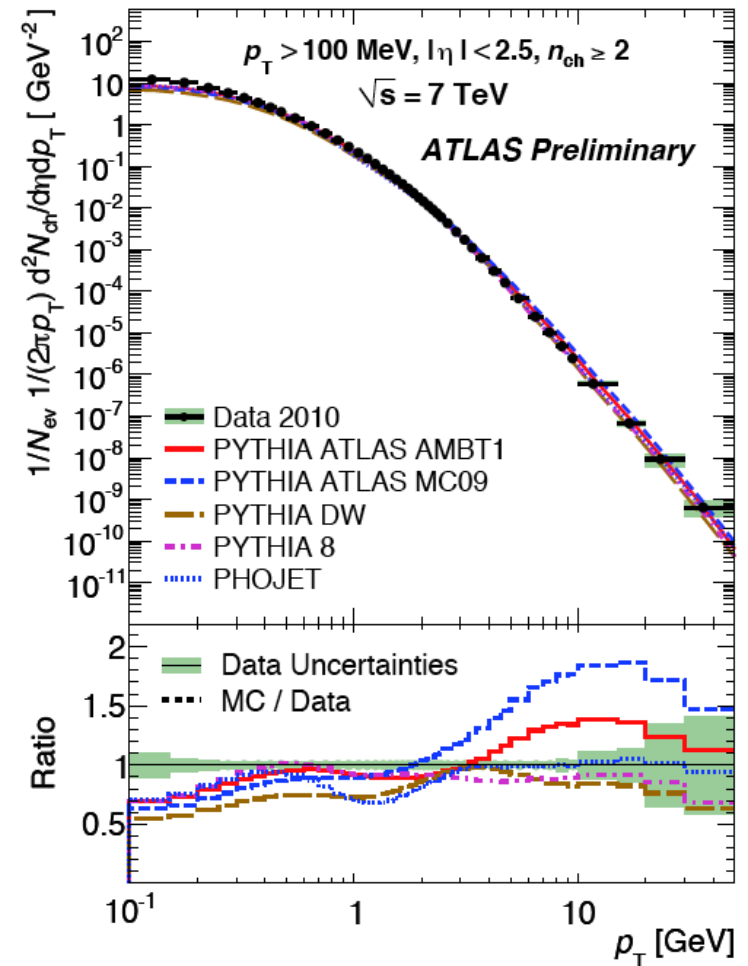
Charged particle p_T spectrum

$\langle p_T \rangle = 0.545$
 ± 0.005 (stat.)
 ± 0.015 (syst.) GeV/c

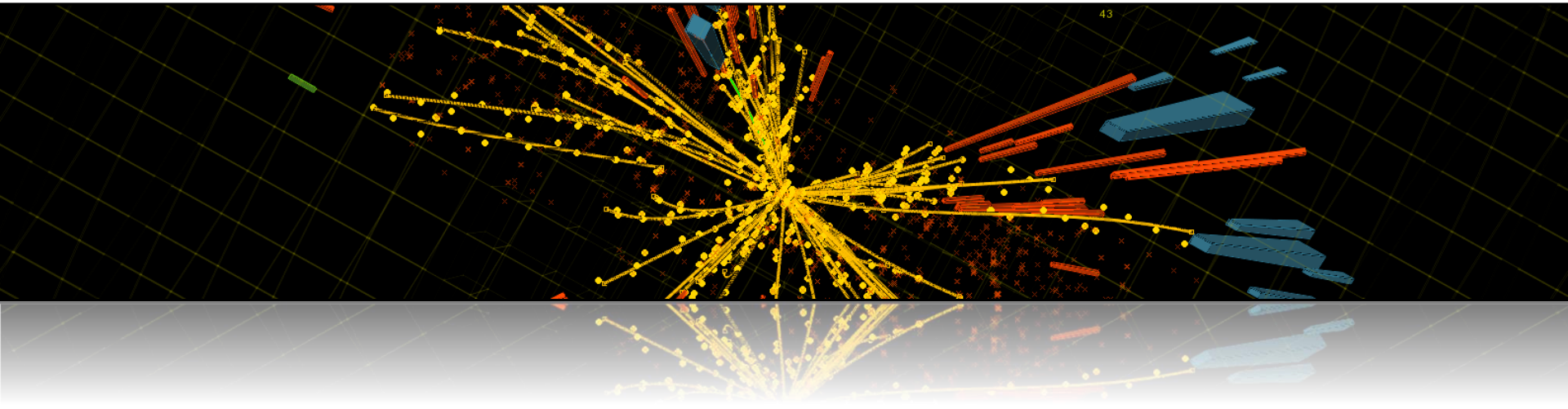


dN_{ch}/dp_T

$p_T > 100$ MeV
 $|\eta| < 2.5$
 $N_{ch} \geq 2$

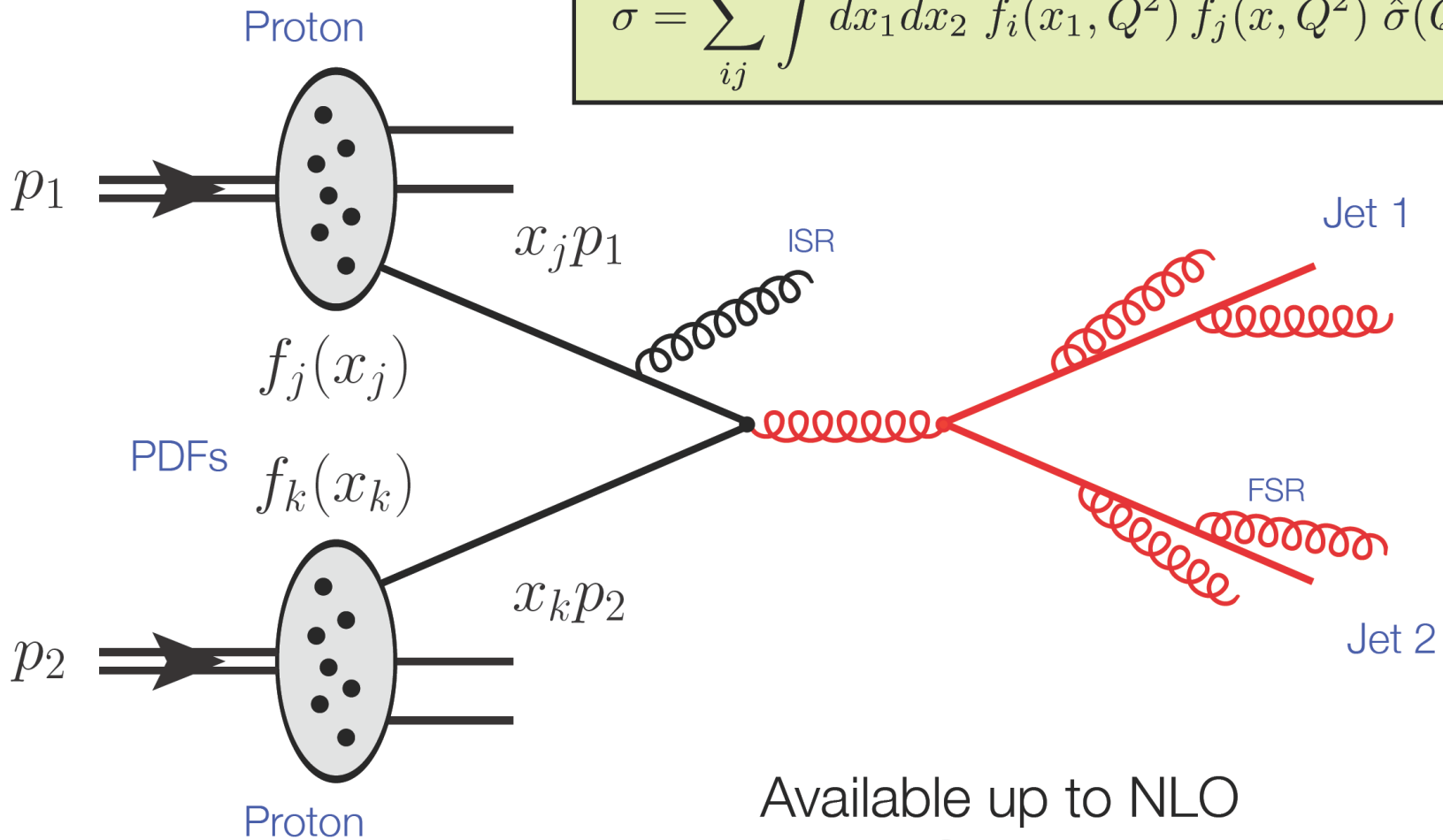


Jet physics



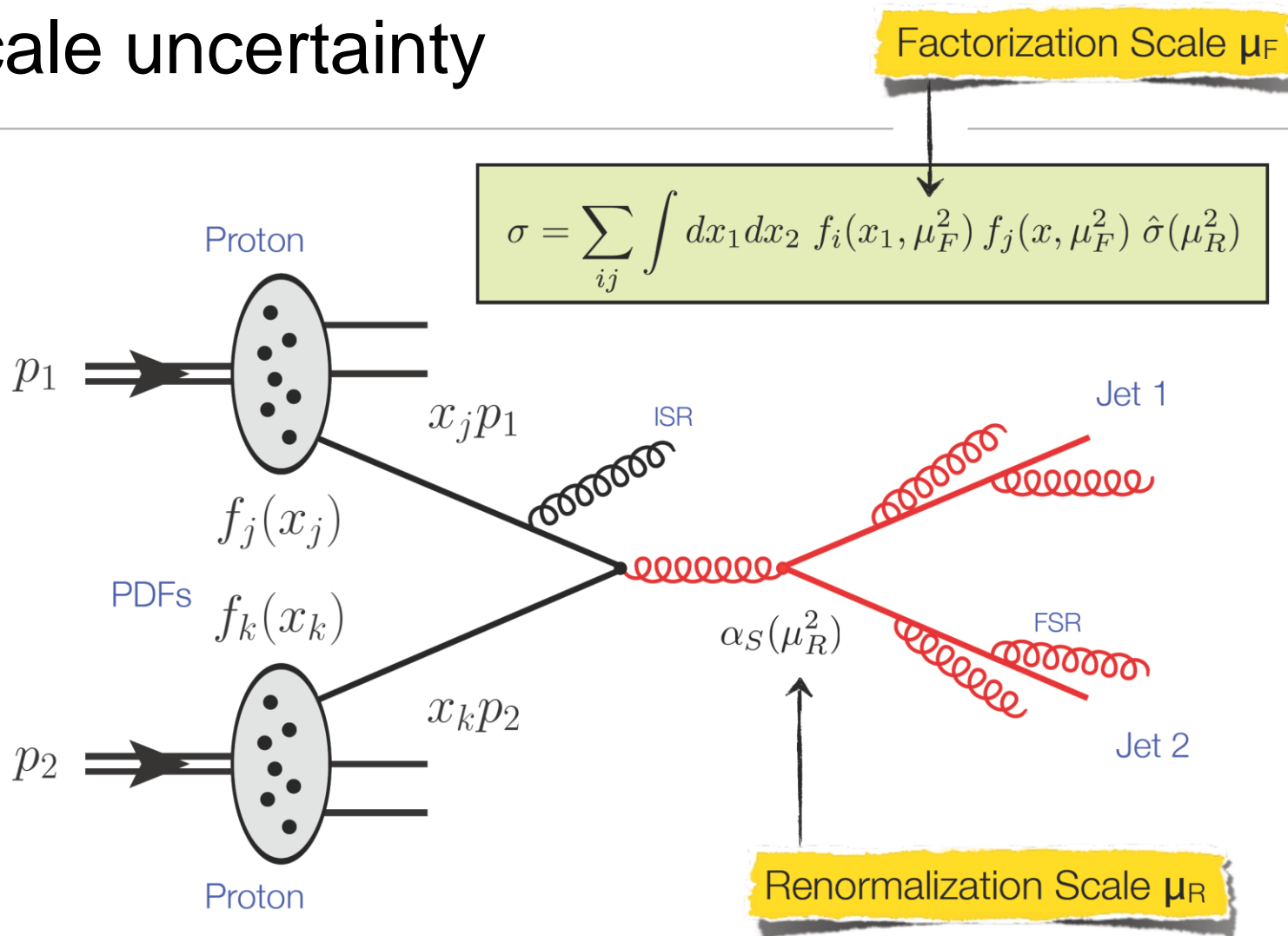
Jet production @ LHC

$$\sigma = \sum_{ij} \int dx_1 dx_2 f_i(x_1, Q^2) f_j(x_2, Q^2) \hat{\sigma}(Q^2)$$



Available up to NLO
First NNLO calculations becoming available ...

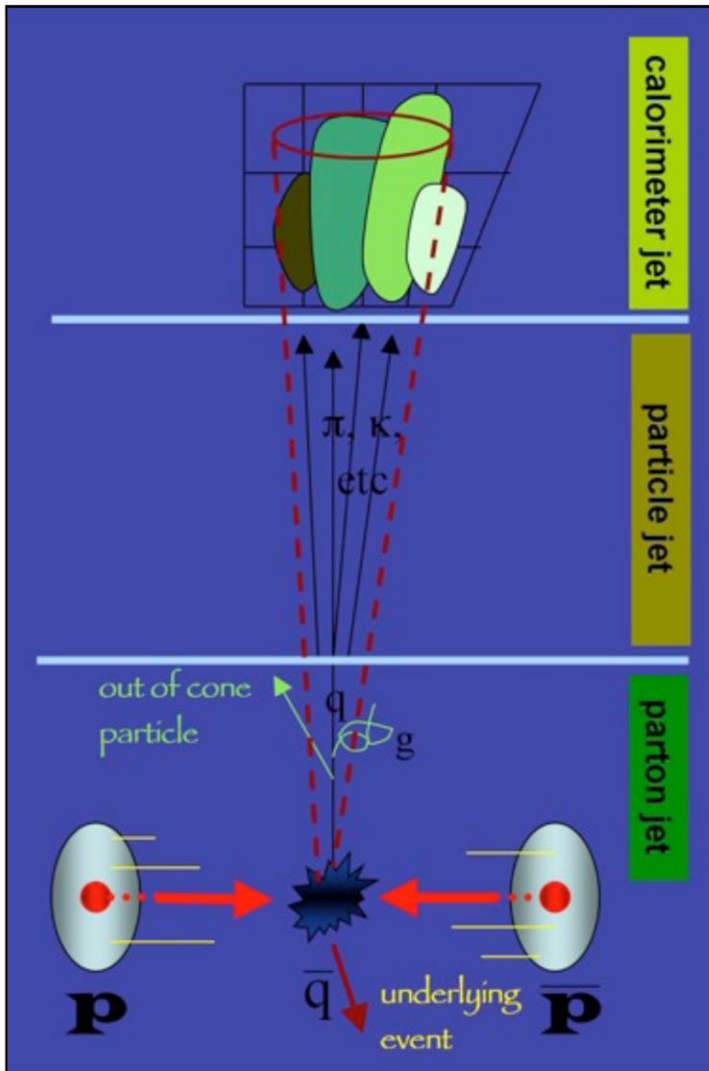
Scale uncertainty



The default renormalization and factorization scales (μ_R and μ_F respectively) are defined to be equal to the p_T of the leading jet in the event

Scale uncertainty estimation: vary μ_R , μ_F within $[\mu_R/2, 2\mu_R]$ and $[\mu_F/2, 2\mu_F]$

Jet properties measurement



Calorimeter Jet

[extracted from calorimeter clusters]

Understanding of detector response
 Knowledge about dead material
 Correct signal calibration
 Potentially include tracks

Hadron Jet

[might include electrons, muons ...]

Hadronization
 Fragmentation
 Parton shower
 Particle decays

Parton Jet

[quarks and gluons]

Proton-proton interactions
 Initial and final state radiation
 Underlying event

"Measurement"



Jet

"Theory"

From measured energy to particle energy

Compensate energy loss due to neutrinos, nuclear excitation ...

From particle energy to original parton energy

Compensate hadronization; energy in/outside jet cone ...

Needs Calibration

Jet reconstruction

Iterative cone algorithms:

Jet defined as energy flow within a cone of radius R in (y, ϕ) or (η, ϕ) space:

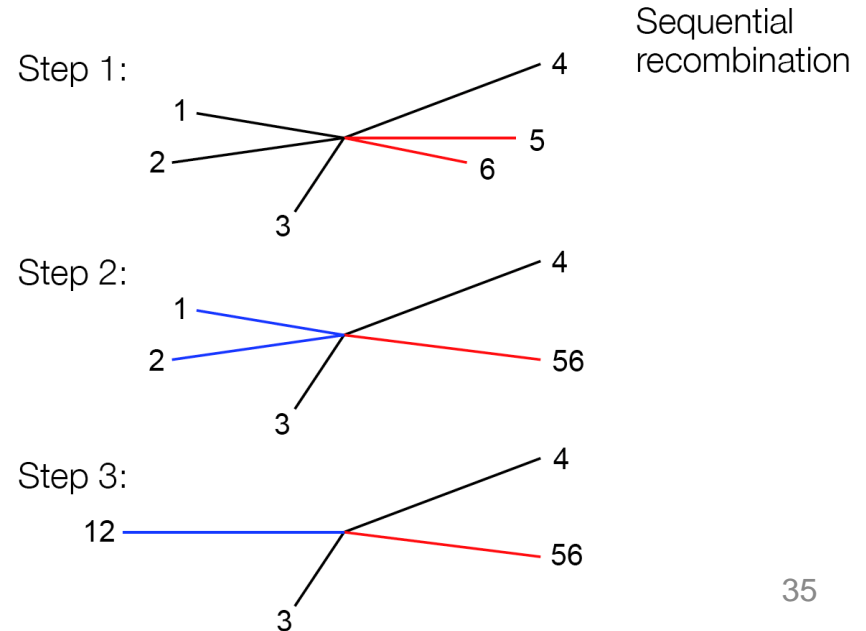
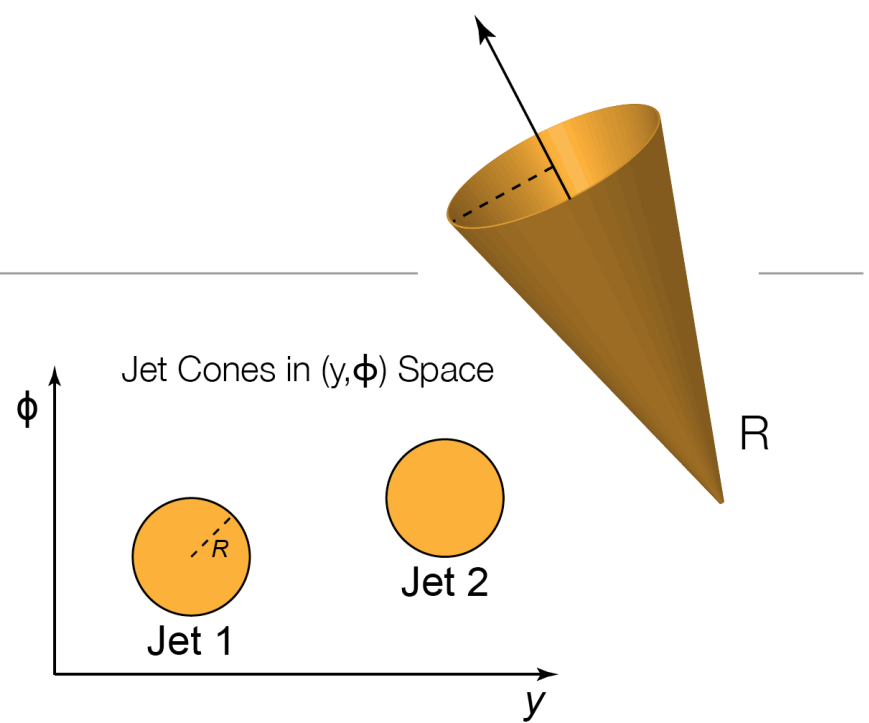
$$R = \sqrt{(y - y_0)^2 + (\phi - \phi_0)^2}$$

Sequential recombination algorithms:

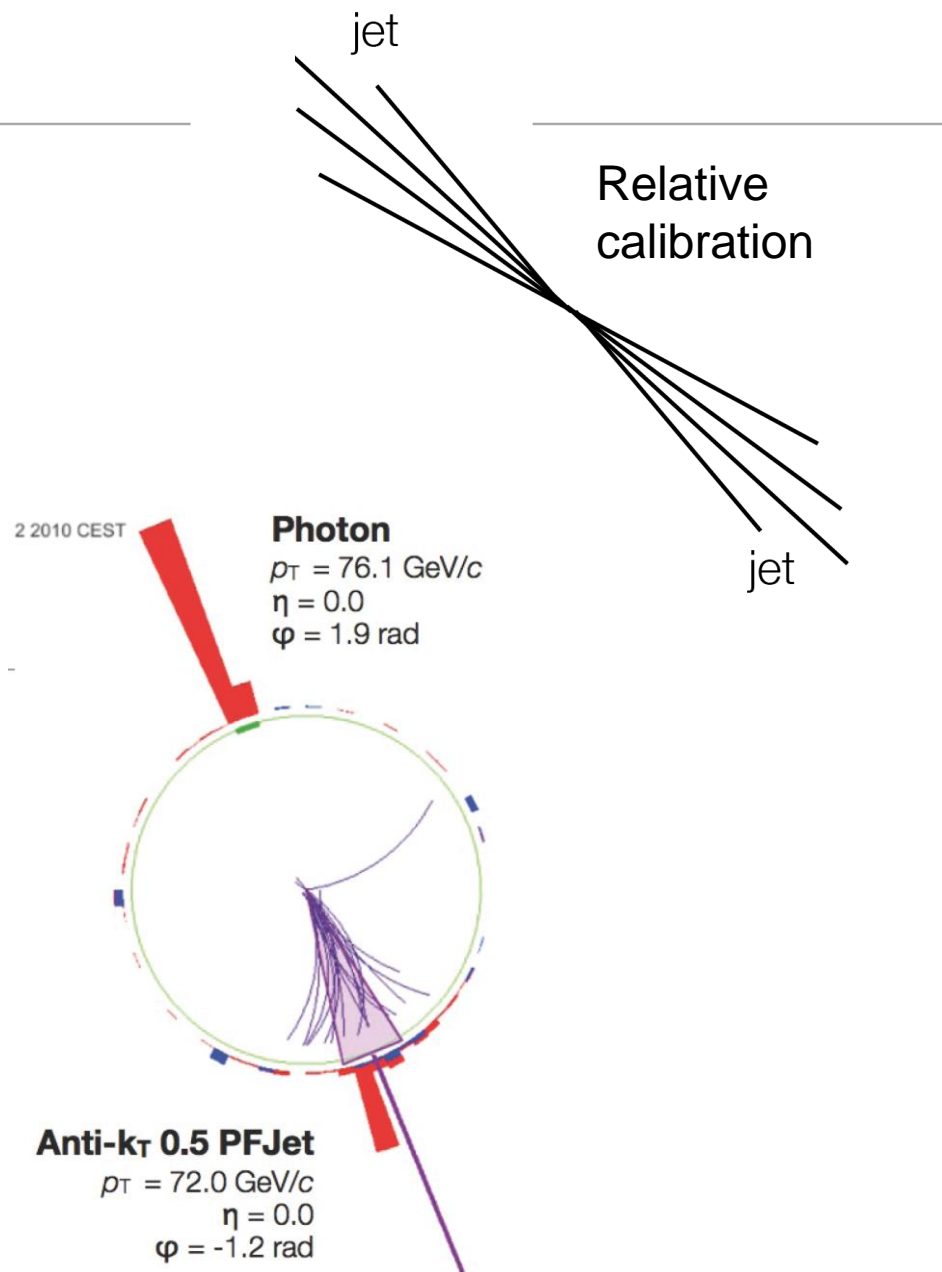
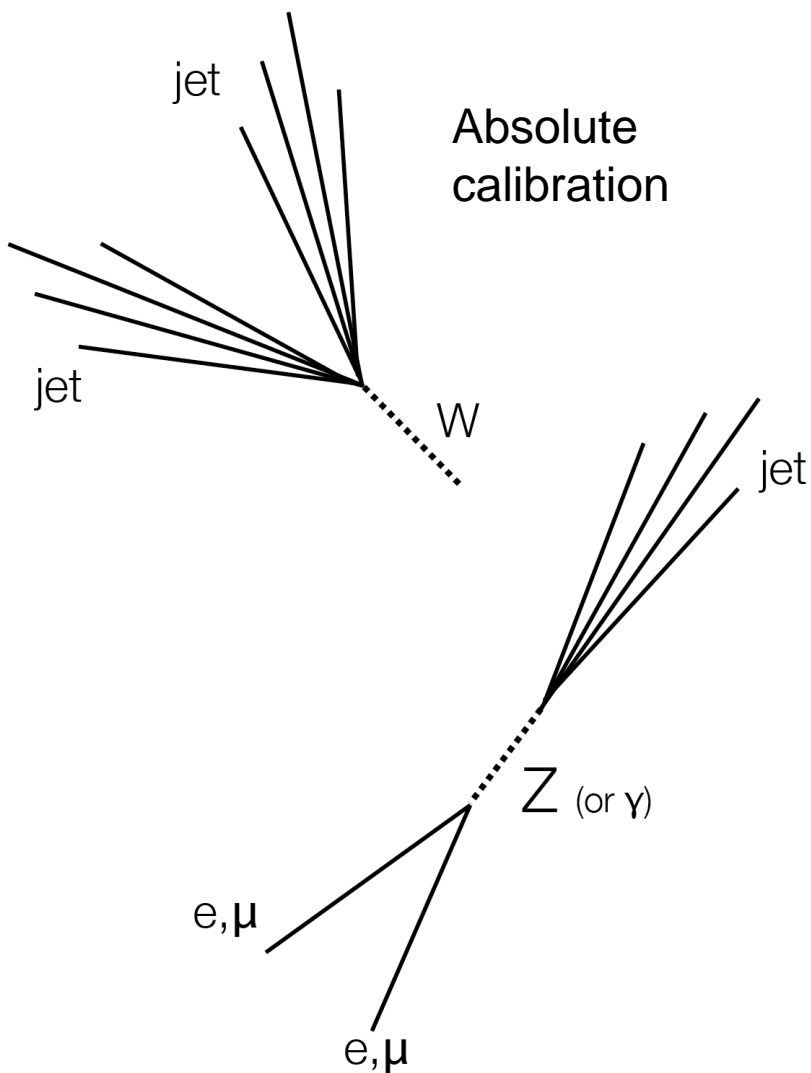
Define distance measure d_{ij} ...
 Calculate d_{ij} for all pairs of objects ...
 Combine particles with minimum d_{ij} below cut ...
 Stop if minimum d_{ij} above cut ...

e.g. k_T -algorithm:
 [see later]

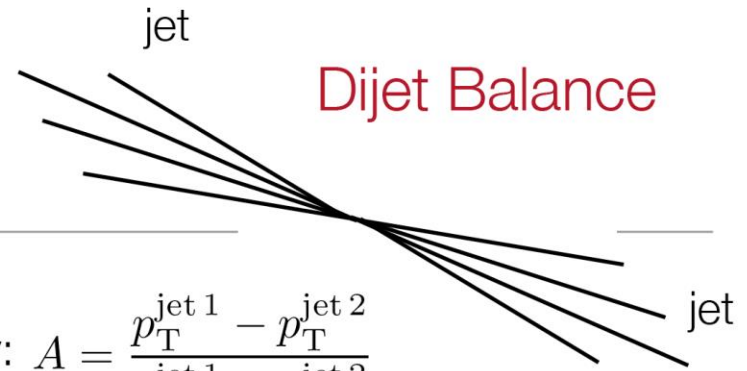
$$d_{ij} = \min(k_{T,i}^2, k_{T,j}^2) \frac{\Delta R_{ij}}{R}$$



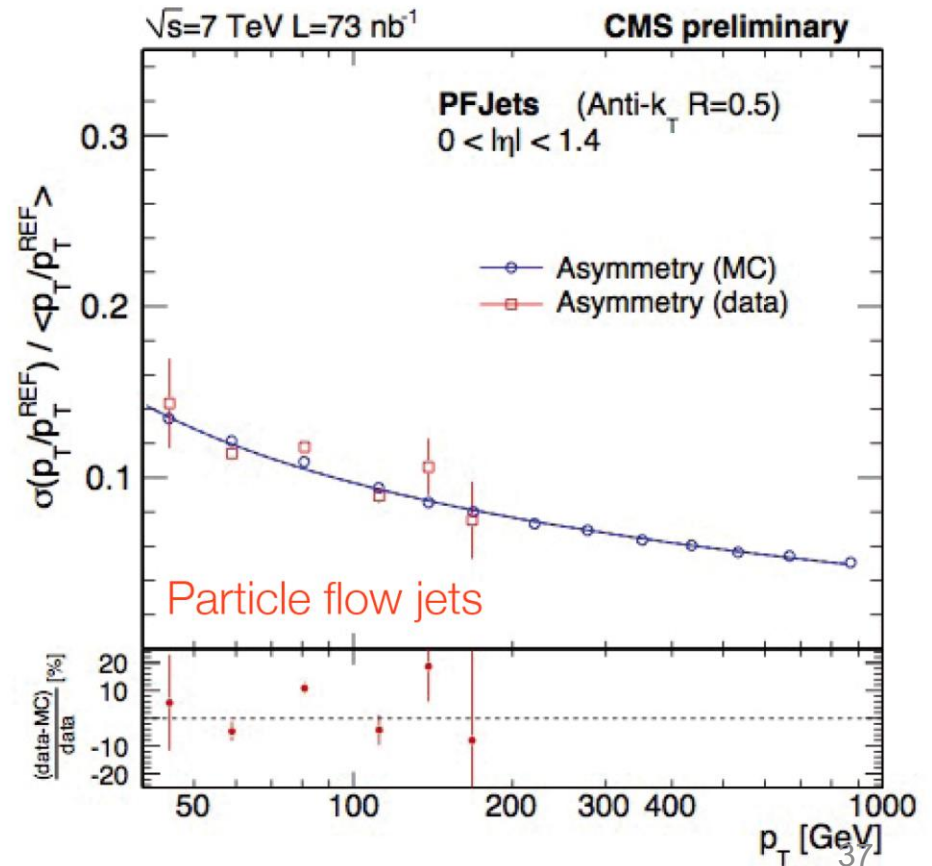
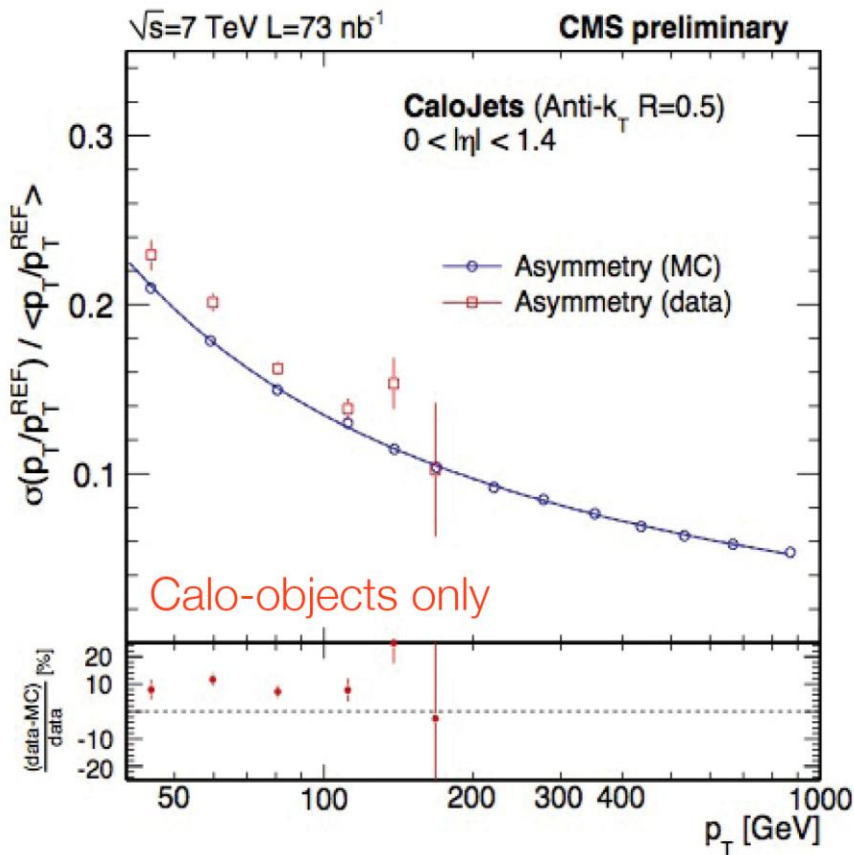
Jet energy calibration



Jet energy resolution



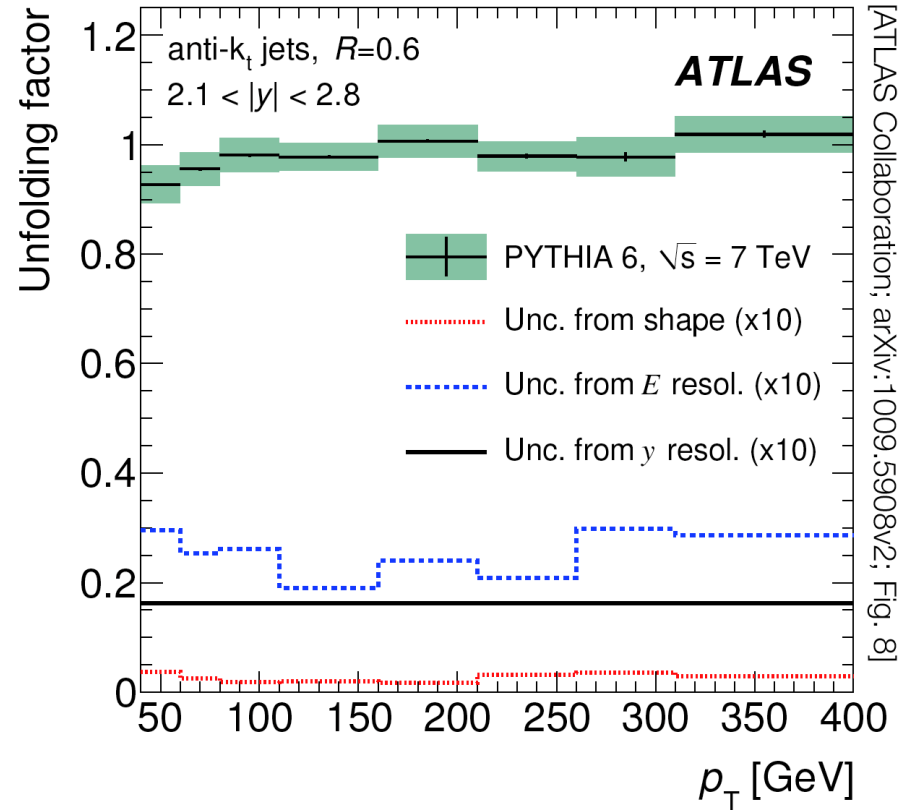
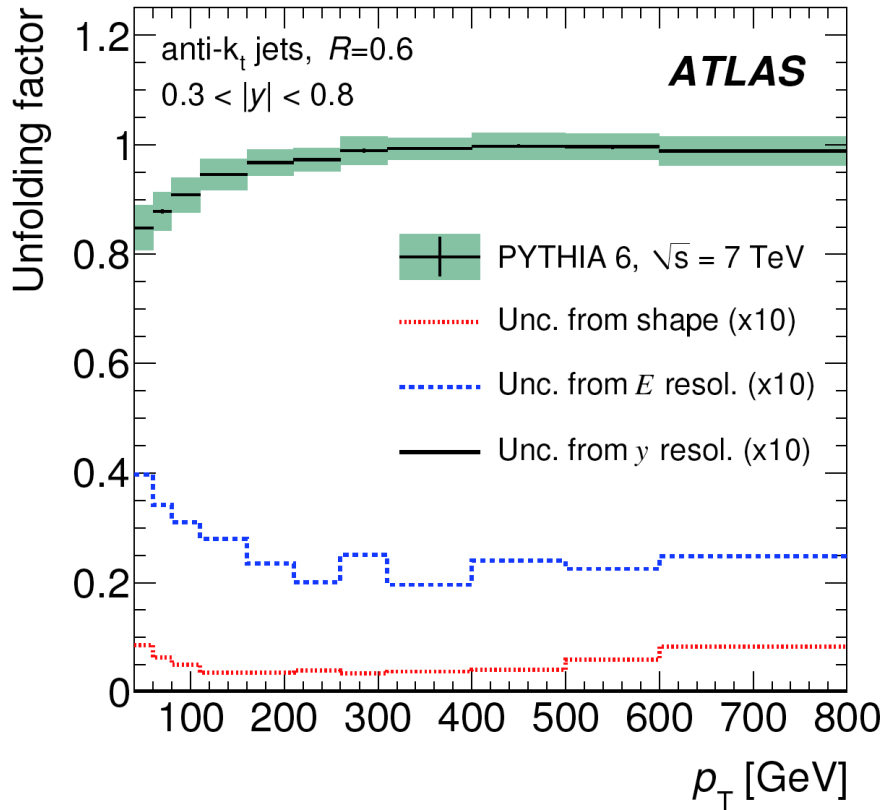
Resolution: $\frac{\sigma(p_T)}{p_T} = \sqrt{2}\sigma_A$ using p_T asymmetry: $A = \frac{p_T^{\text{jet } 1} - p_T^{\text{jet } 2}}{p_T^{\text{jet } 1} + p_T^{\text{jet } 2}}$



Resolution unfolding

Measured spectrum =
Real spectrum \otimes Experim. resolution

$$N_{\text{part}} = N_{\text{meas}} \cdot \frac{N_{\text{part}}^{\text{MC}}}{N_{\text{meas}}^{\text{MC}}}$$



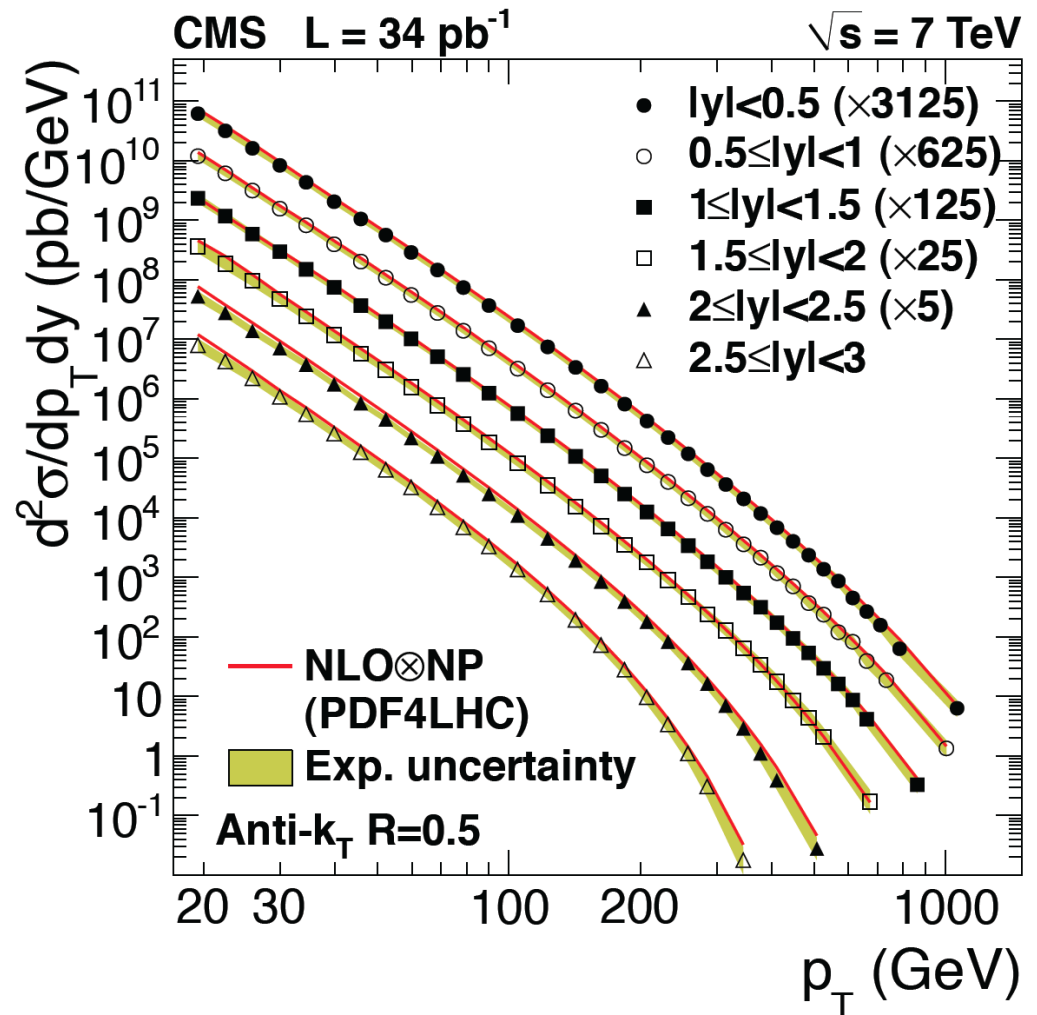
Inclusive jet cross-section

Cross section is huge
(~ Tevatron x 100)

Very good agreement with
NLO QCD over nine orders of
magnitude

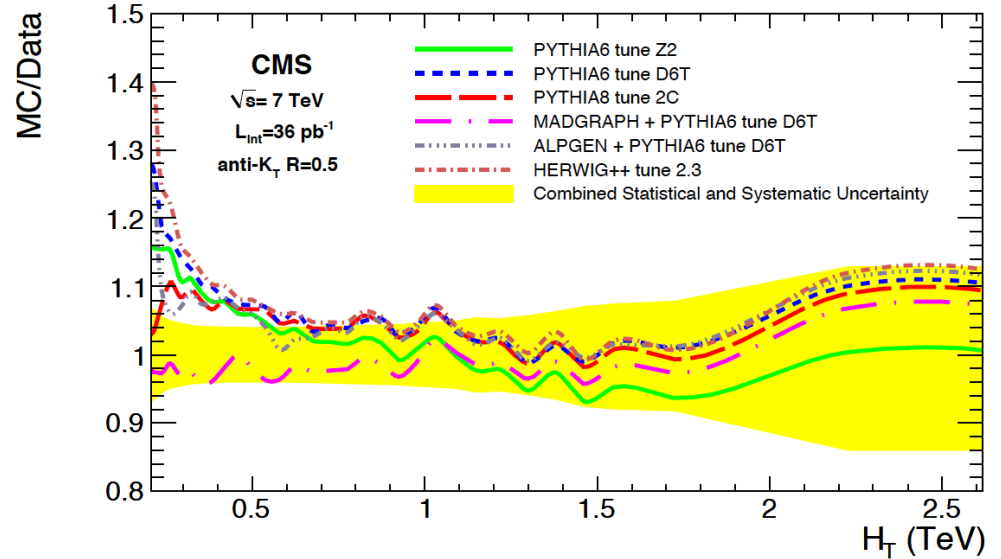
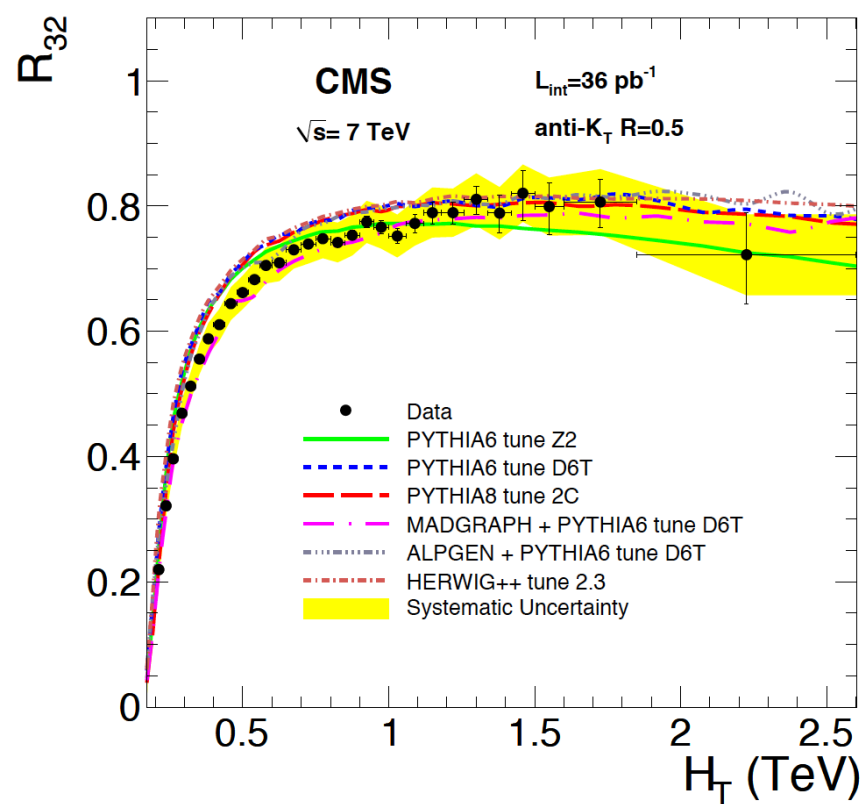
PT extending from 20 to 500
GeV

Main uncertainty:
Jet Energy Scale (3-4%)



Inclusive jet cross sections: 3-jet / 2-jet ratio

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$$H_T = \sum_{i=1}^N p_{T_i}$$

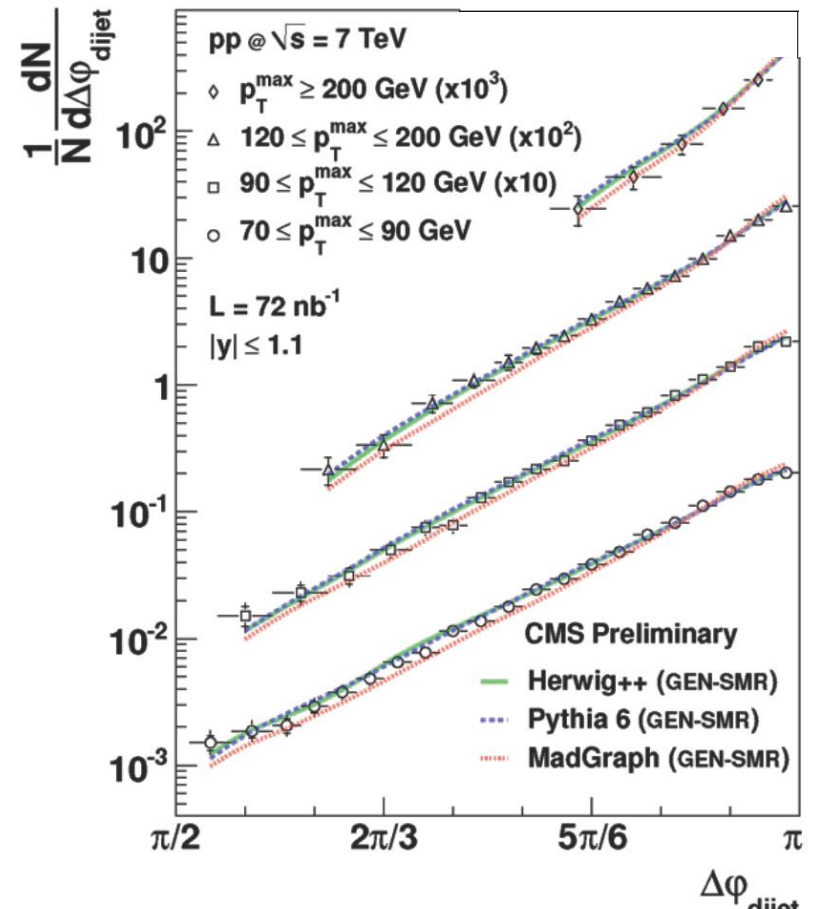
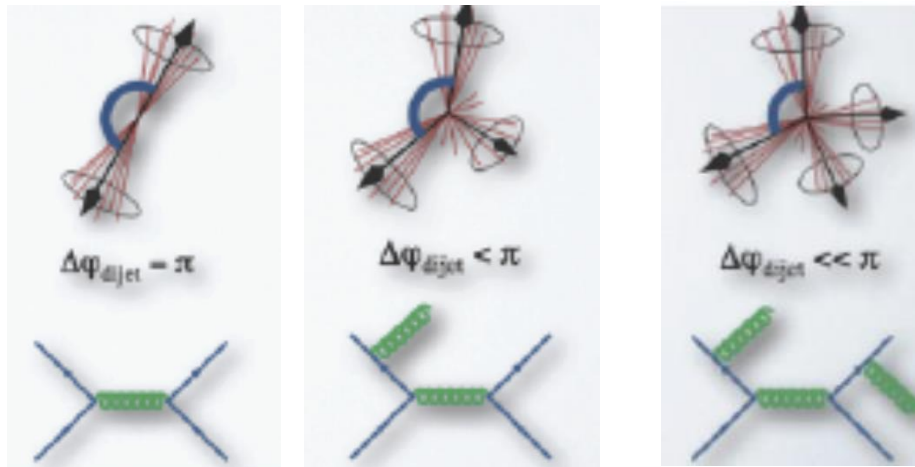
Jets: angular correlations

Difference in azimuth of the two leading jets

Probe of QCD high-order processes

Very slight dependence on JES

No dependence on luminosity



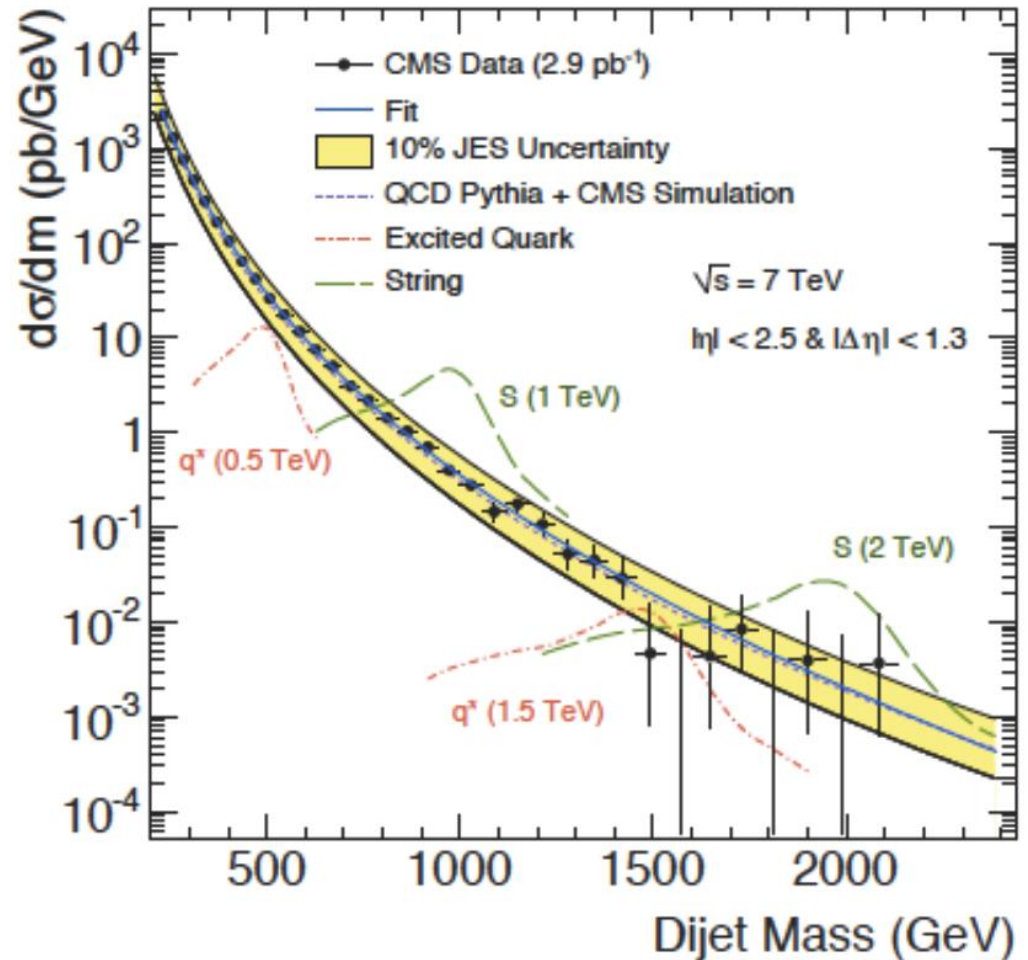
Dijet mass

Very early search for numerous resonances BSM:
 string resonance, excited quarks,
 axi-gluons, colorons, E6
 diquarks, W' and Z', RS gravitons

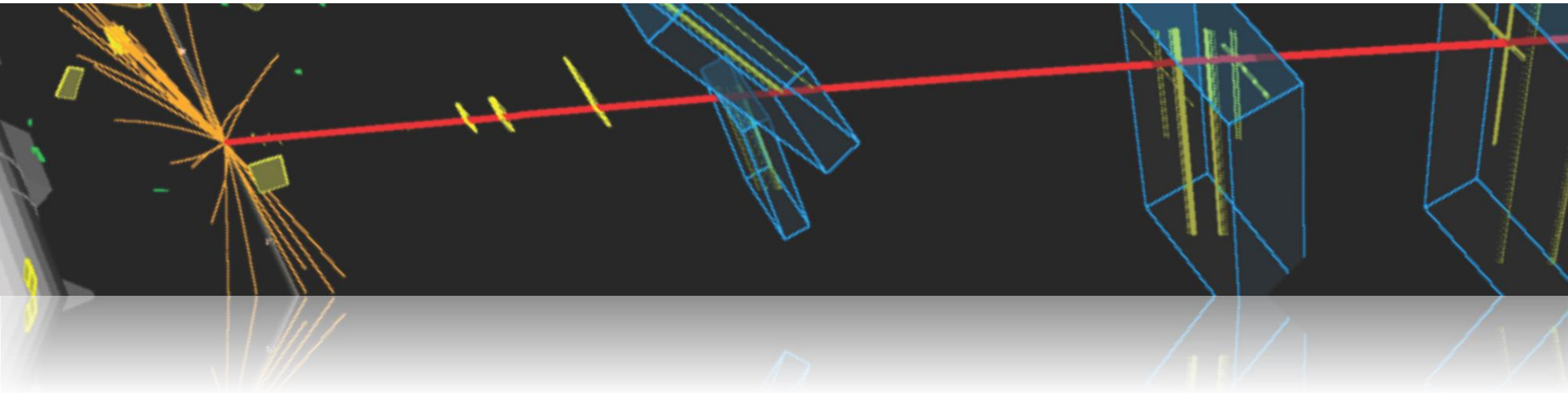
Four-parameter fit to describe
 QCD shape:

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dm} = p_0 \frac{\left(1 - \frac{m}{\sqrt{s}}\right)^{p_1}}{\left(\frac{m}{\sqrt{s}}\right)^B};$$

$$B = p_2 + p_3 \left(m/\sqrt{s}\right)$$

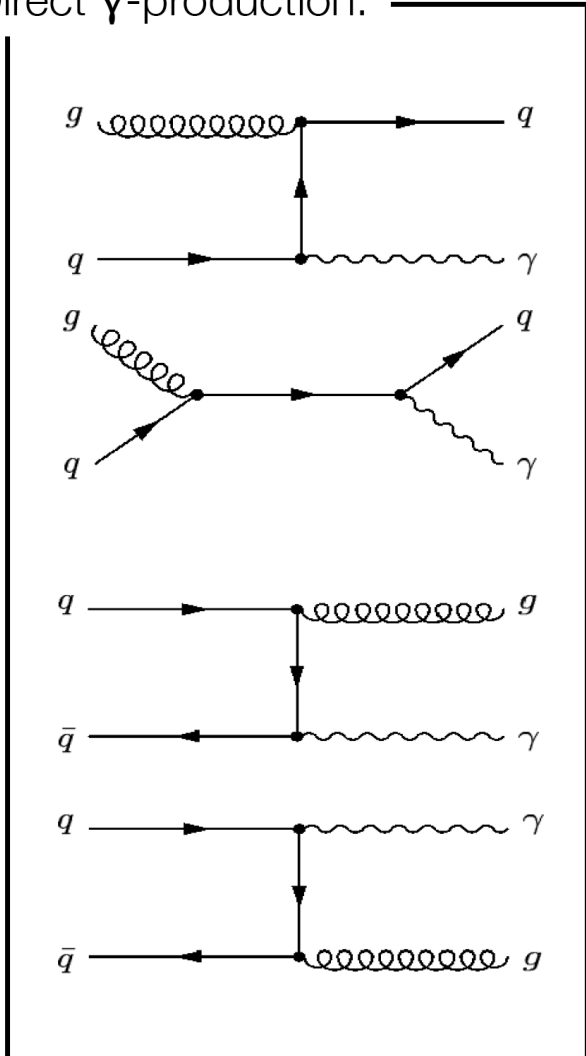


W and Z bosons

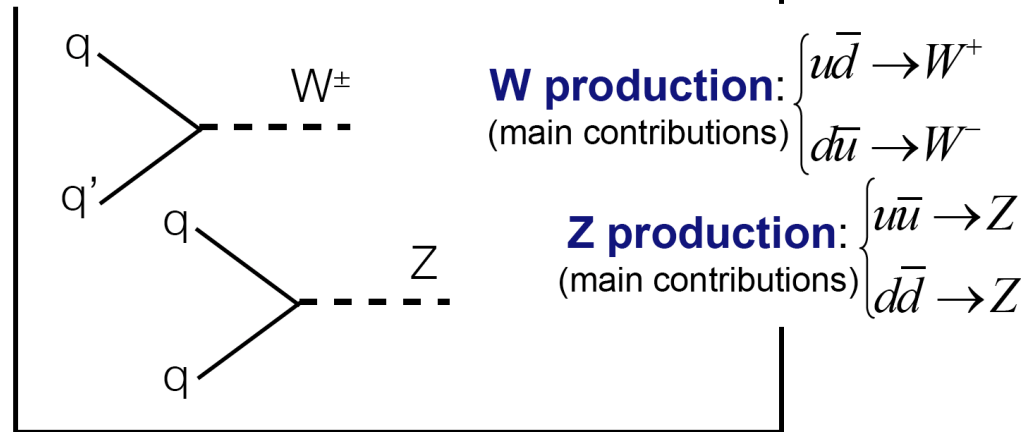


Vector boson production

Direct γ -production:



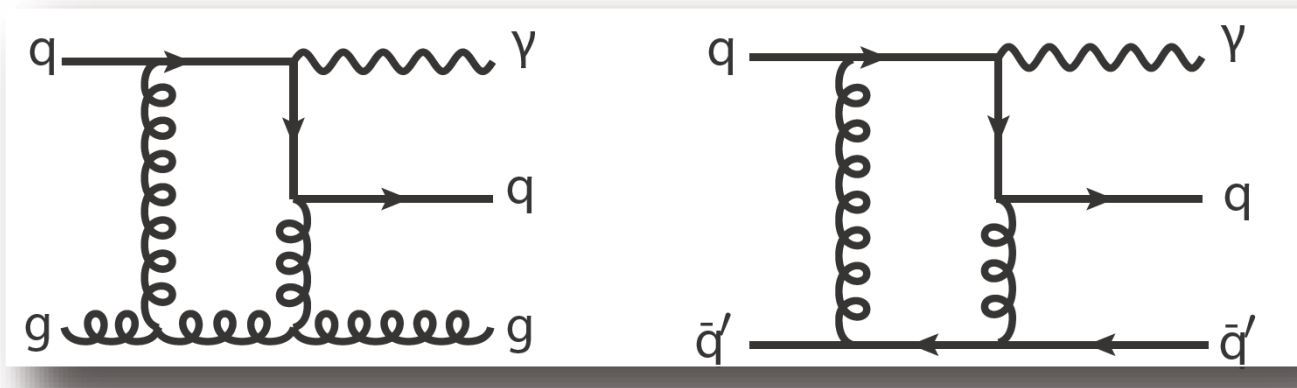
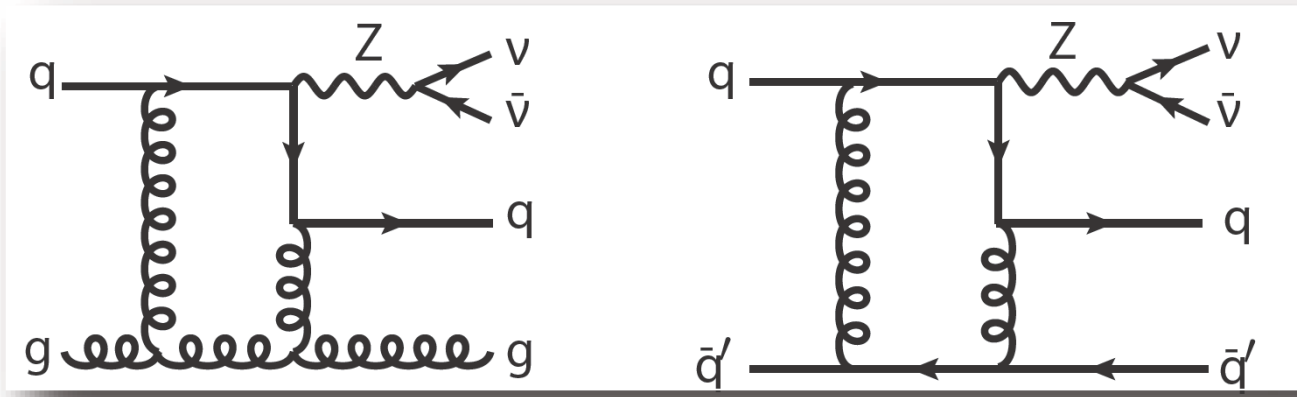
Singlet W/Z production:



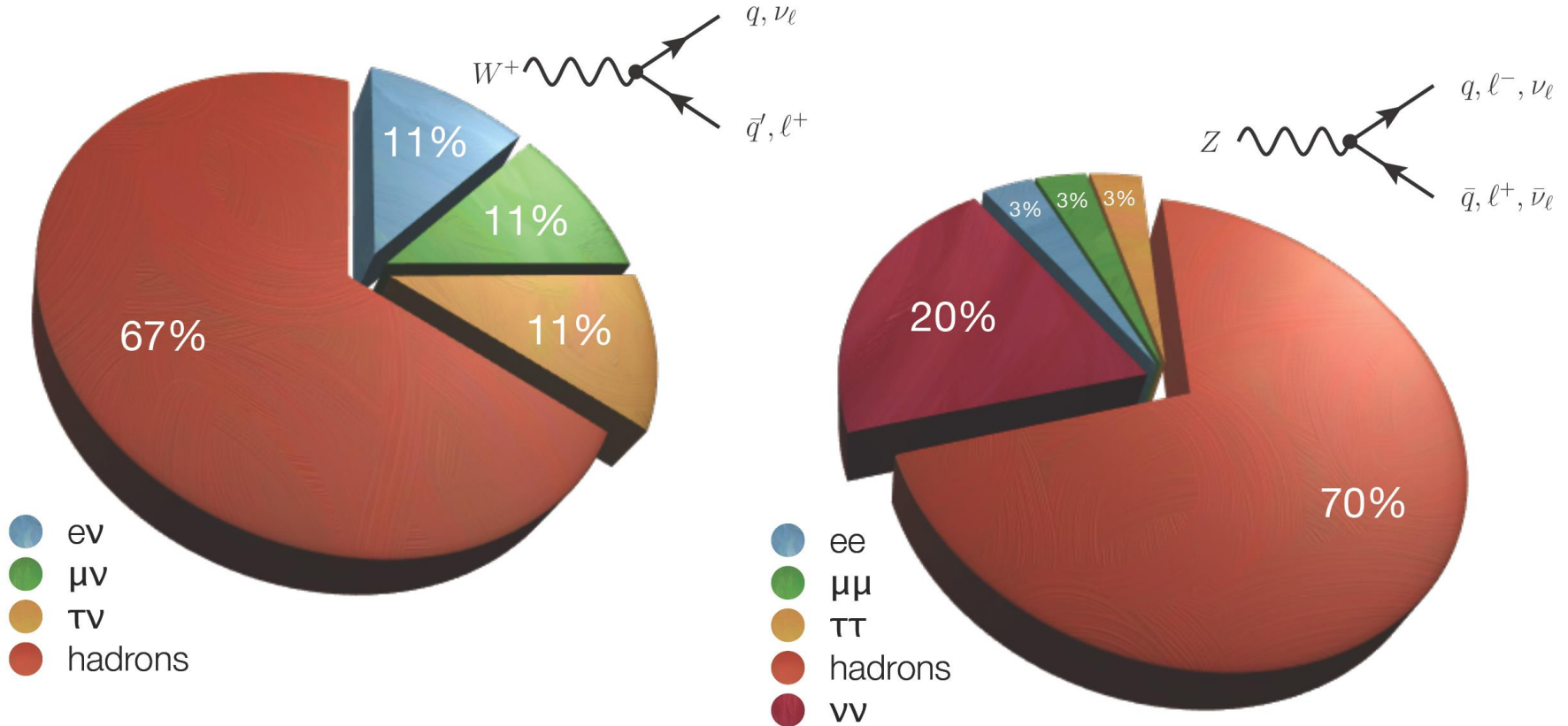
- At LHC energies these processes take place at low values of Bjorken-x
- Only sea quarks and gluons are involved
- At EW scales sea is driven by the gluon, i.e. x-sections dominated by gluon uncertainty

➔ Constraints on sea and gluon distributions

Examples of high-order processes



W and Z boson decays



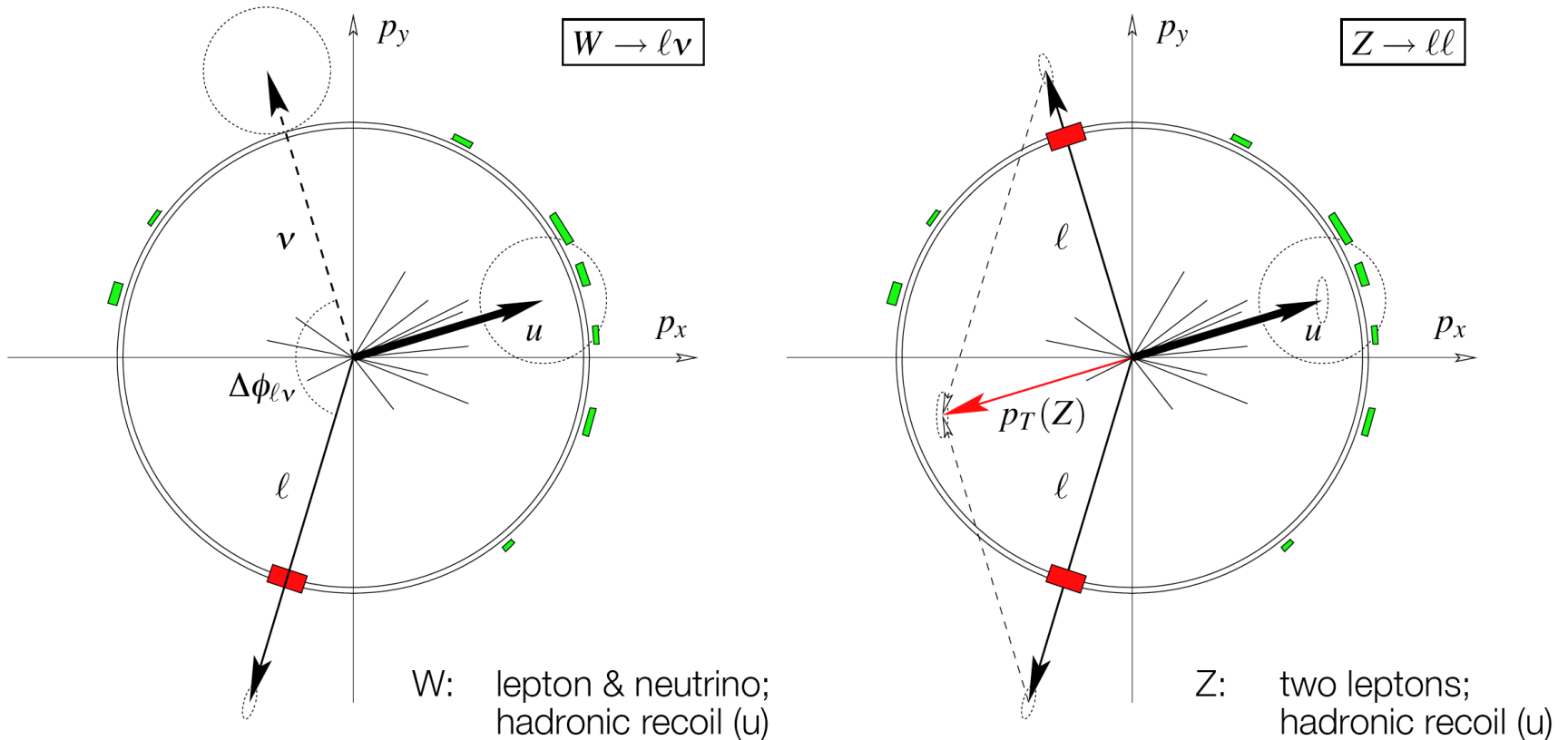
Leptonic decays (e/ μ): very clean, but small(ish) branching fractions

Hadronic decays: two-jet final states; large QCD dijet background

Tau decays: somewhere in between...

W and Z boson signatures

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Additional hadronic activity \rightarrow recoil, not as clean as e^+e^-
Precision measurements: only leptonic decays

Isolated High- p_T Leptons

Starting point for many hadron collider analyses:

isolated high- p_T leptons \rightarrow discriminate against QCD jets ...

QCD jets can be **mis-reconstructed** as leptons (“fake leptons”)

QCD jets may contain **real leptons**
e.g. from semileptonic B decays [$B \rightarrow l\nu_X$]

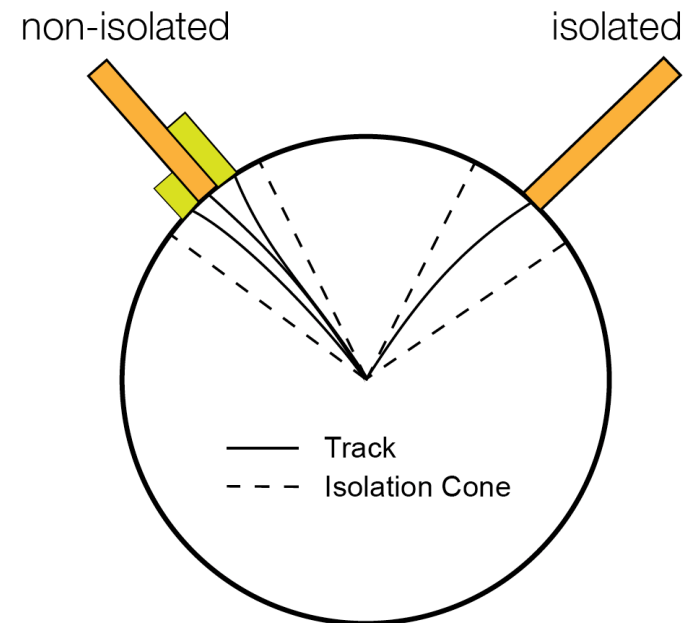
\rightarrow soft and surrounded by other particles

“Tight” lepton selection ...

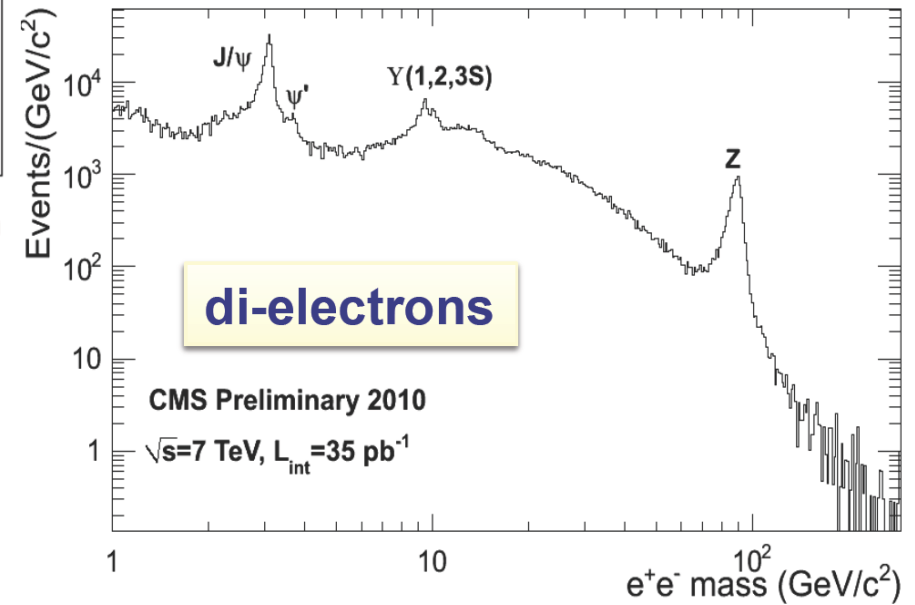
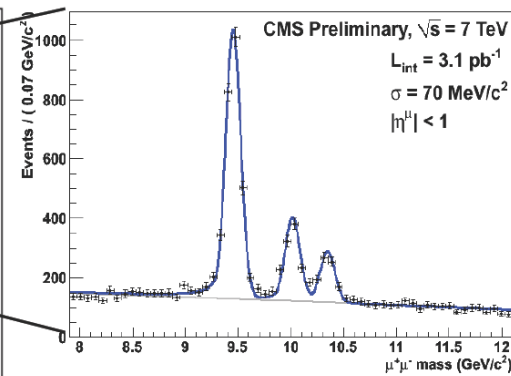
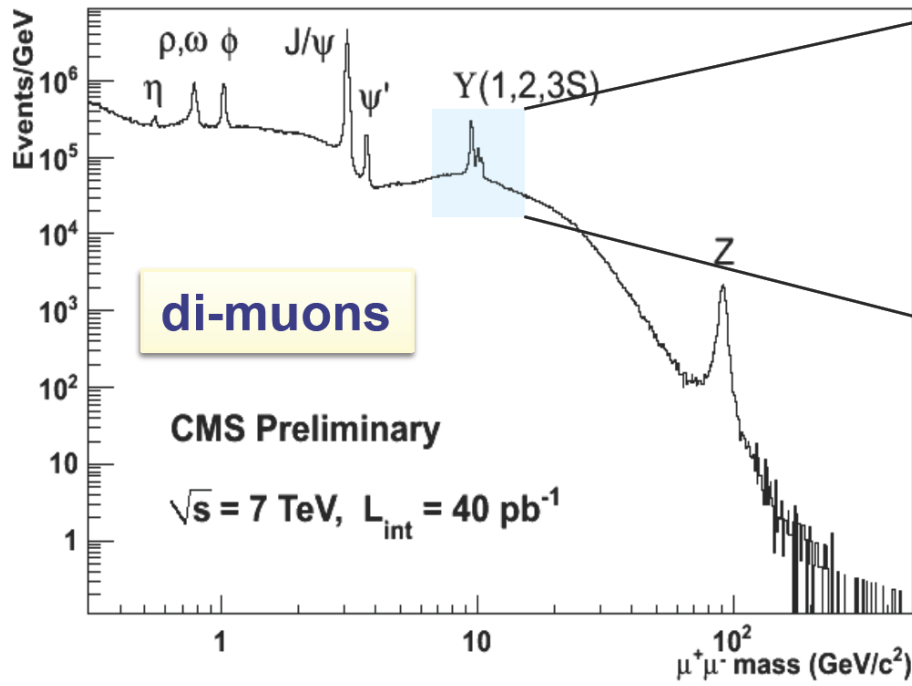
Require e/μ with $p_T >$ (at least) 20 GeV

Track isolation, e.g. $\sum p_T$ of other tracks
in cone of $\Delta R=0.1$ less than 10% of lepton p_T

Calorimeter isolation, e.g. energy deposition
from other particles in cone of $\Delta R=0.2$ less than 10%



Dilepton mass spectrum at 7 TeV



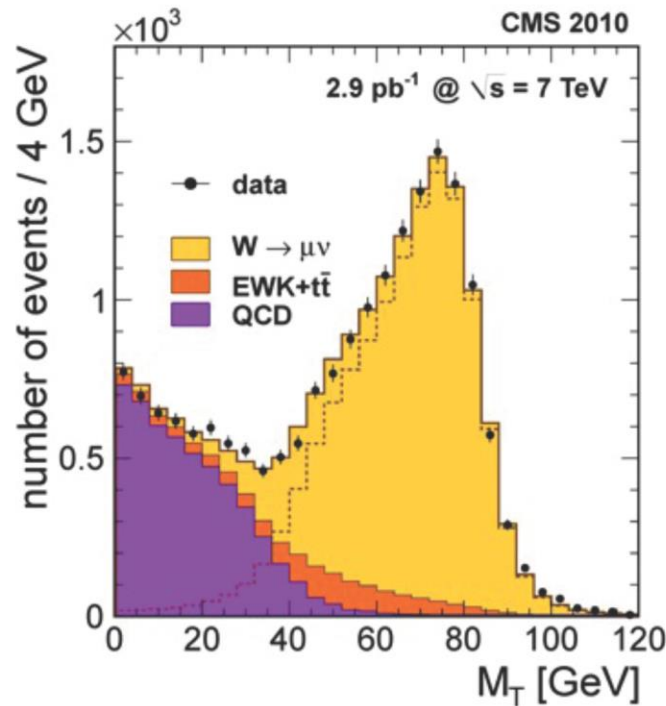
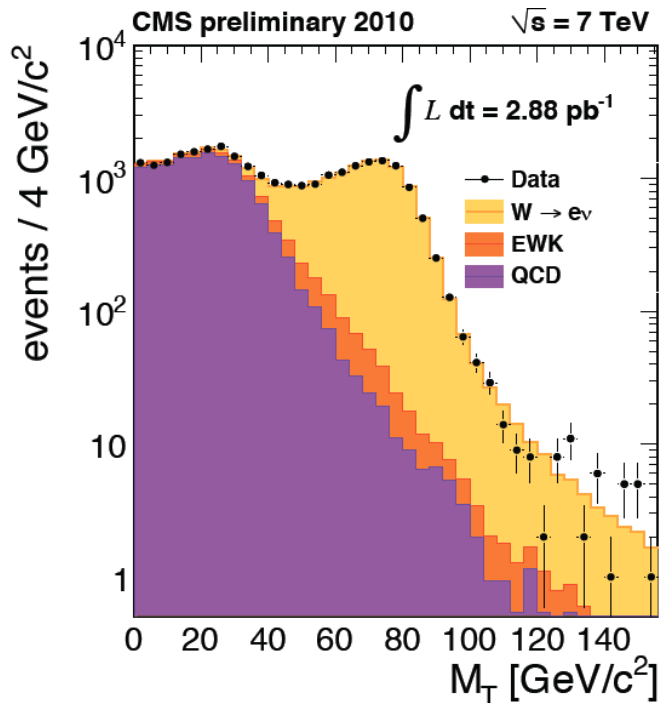
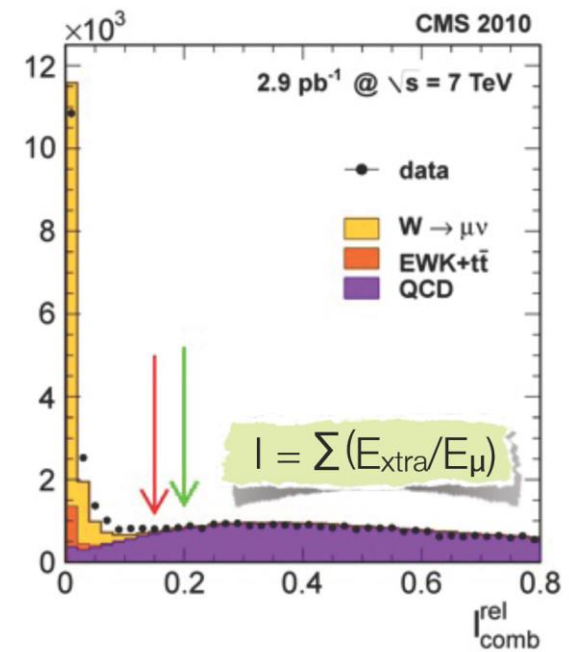
Example: CMS W Analysis

Select isolated electrons and muons ...

[muons: $p_T > 9$ GeV; electrons: $p_T > 20$ GeV]

Investigate transverse mass ...

[Use $E_{T,miss}$; $M_T = (p_{lep} + E_{T,miss})^{1/2}$]

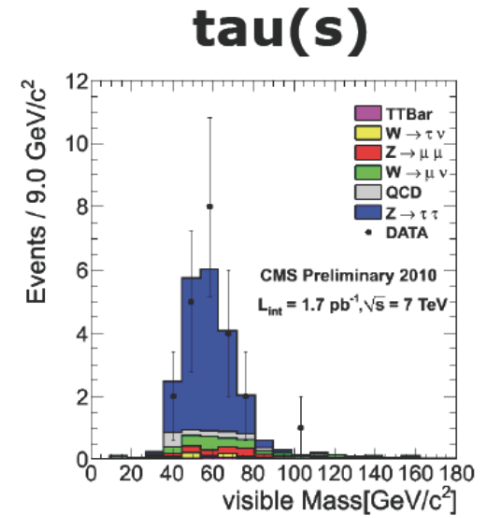
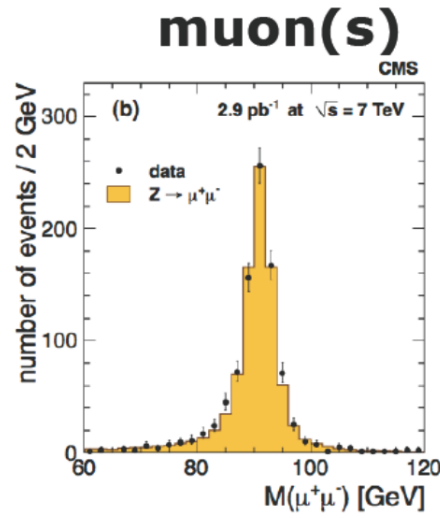
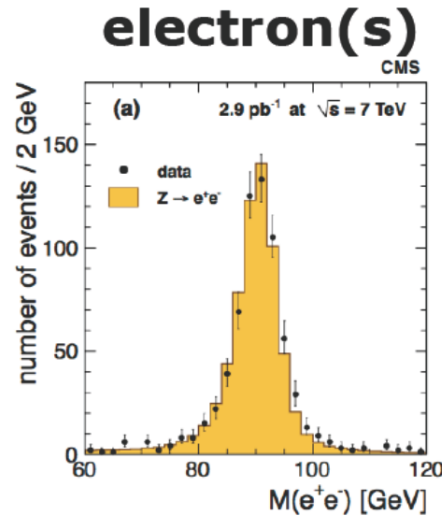


The W signal yield is extracted from a binned likelihood fit to the M_T distribution. Three different contributions:

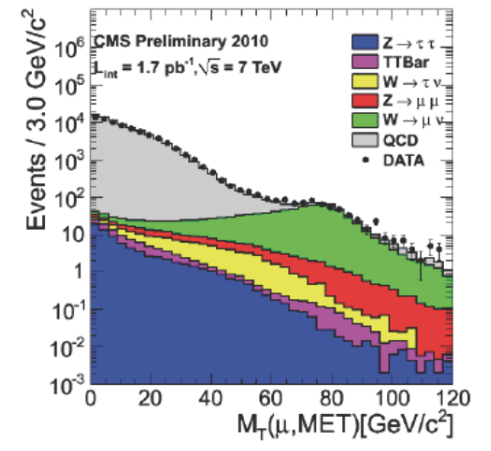
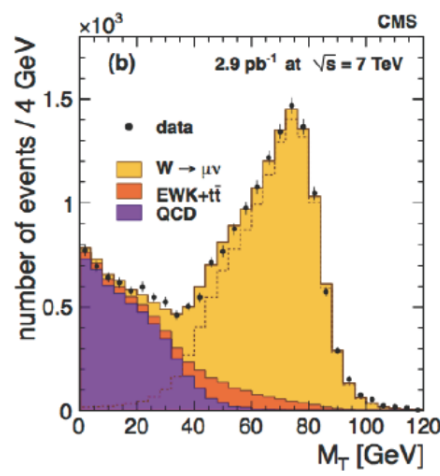
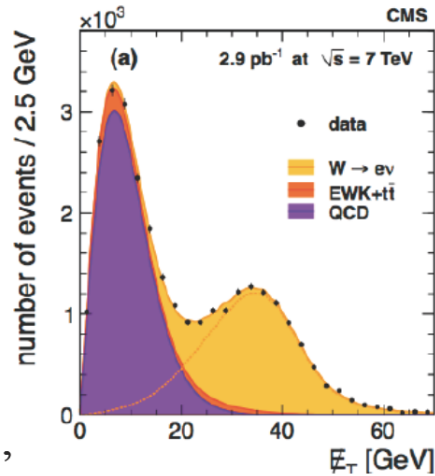
- W signal
- QCD background
- other (EWK) backgrounds.

W/Z production at 7 TeV

Z BOSON



W BOSON

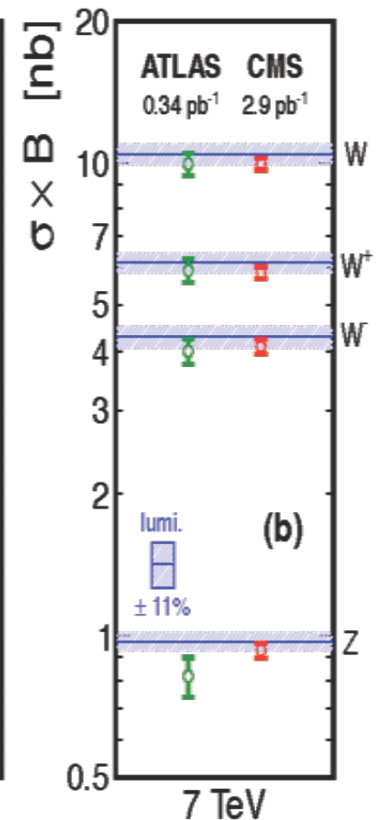
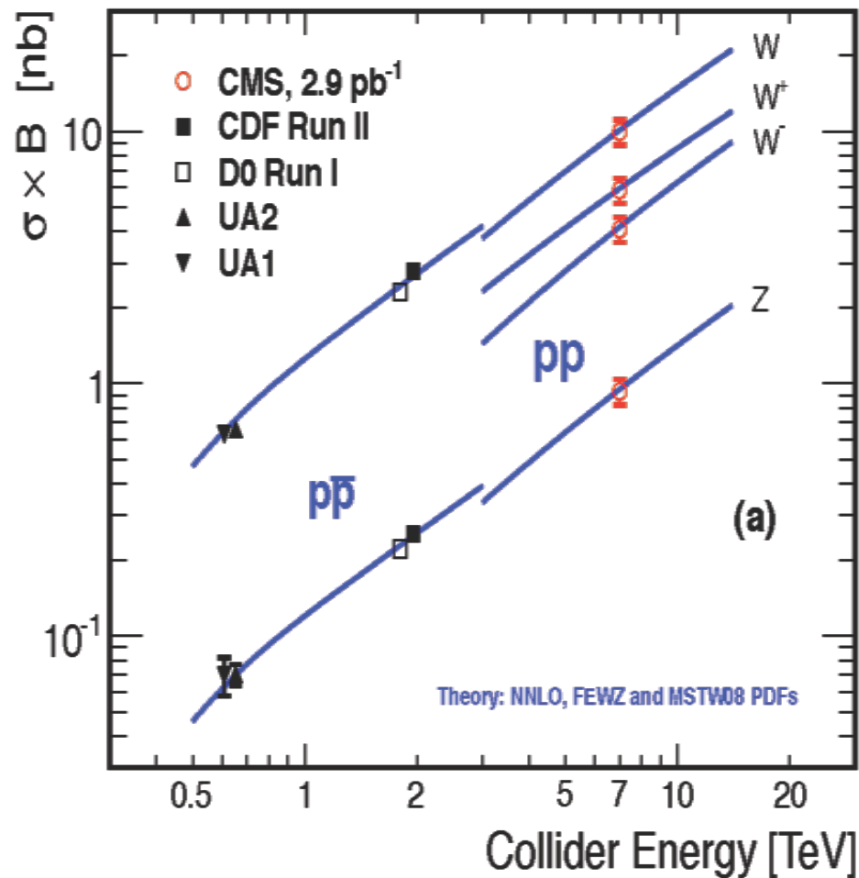
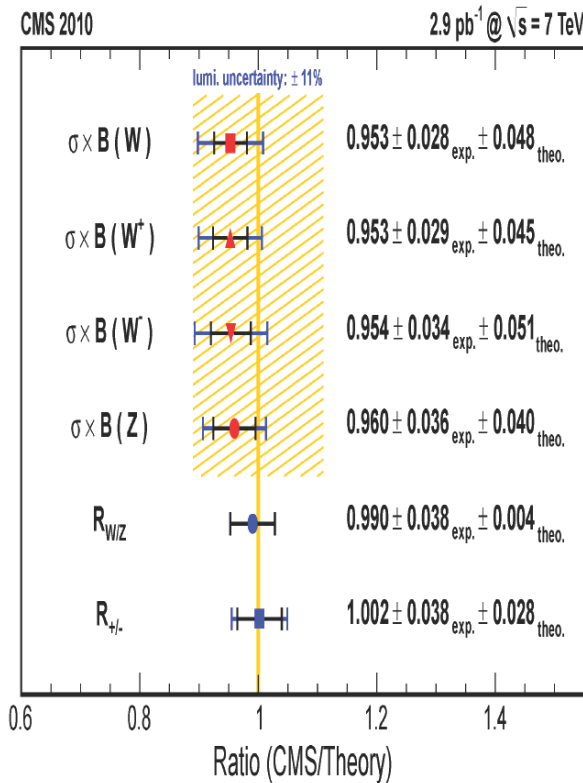


Transverse Mass,

$$M_T = \sqrt{2E_T^\mu E_T^{miss} (1 - \cos \Delta\phi_{e,miss})}$$

W, Z cross-section v.s. \sqrt{s}

hep-ex 1012.2466, JHEP 01 (2011) 080



W⁺/W⁻ charge asymmetry

NNLO cross sections:
scale uncertainties very small

W rapidity: **asymmetry**
[sensitivity to PDFs]

$$A_W(y) = \frac{d\sigma(W^+)/dy - d\sigma(W^-)/dy}{d\sigma(W^+)/dy + d\sigma(W^-)/dy}$$

Proton-Proton Collider:

symmetry around y=0 ...

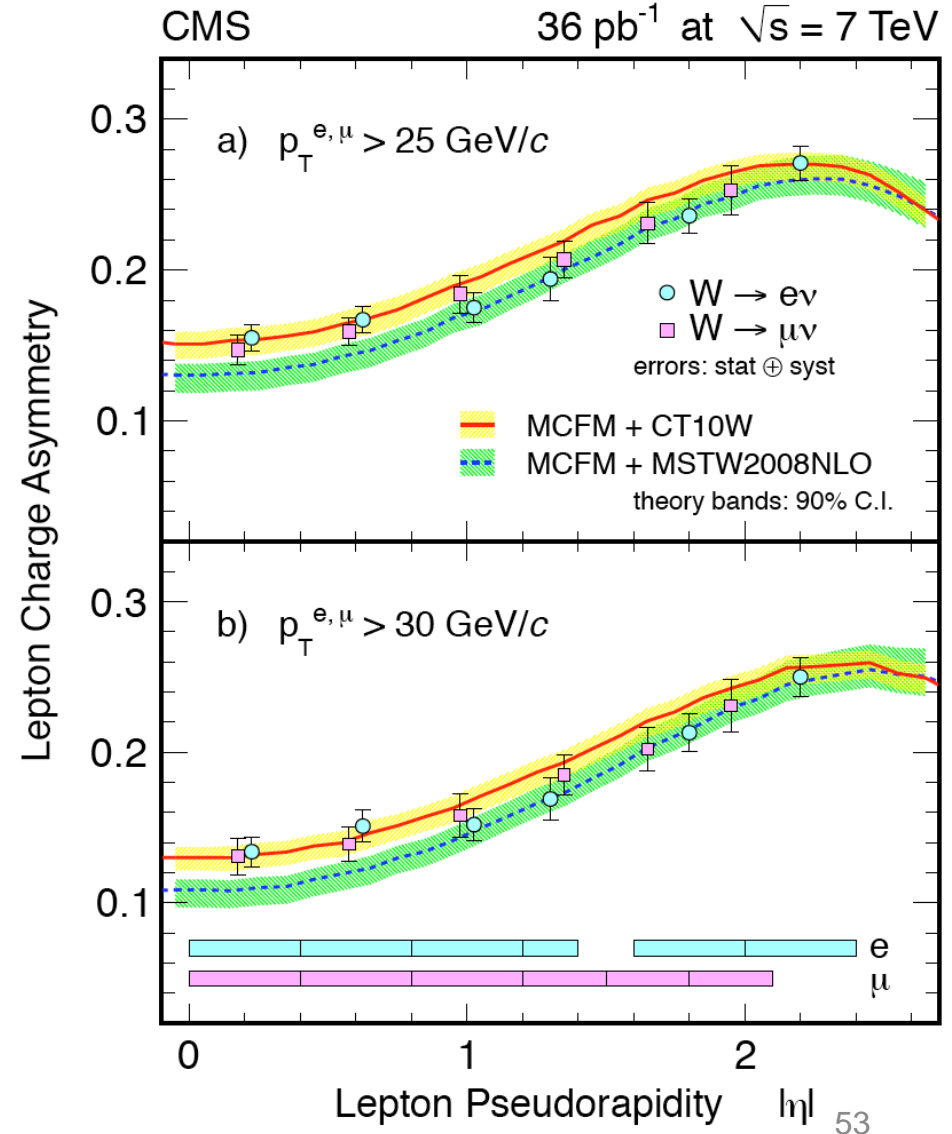
PDFs:

u(x) > d(x) for large x ...

more W⁺ at positive rapidity

d/u ratio < 1 ...

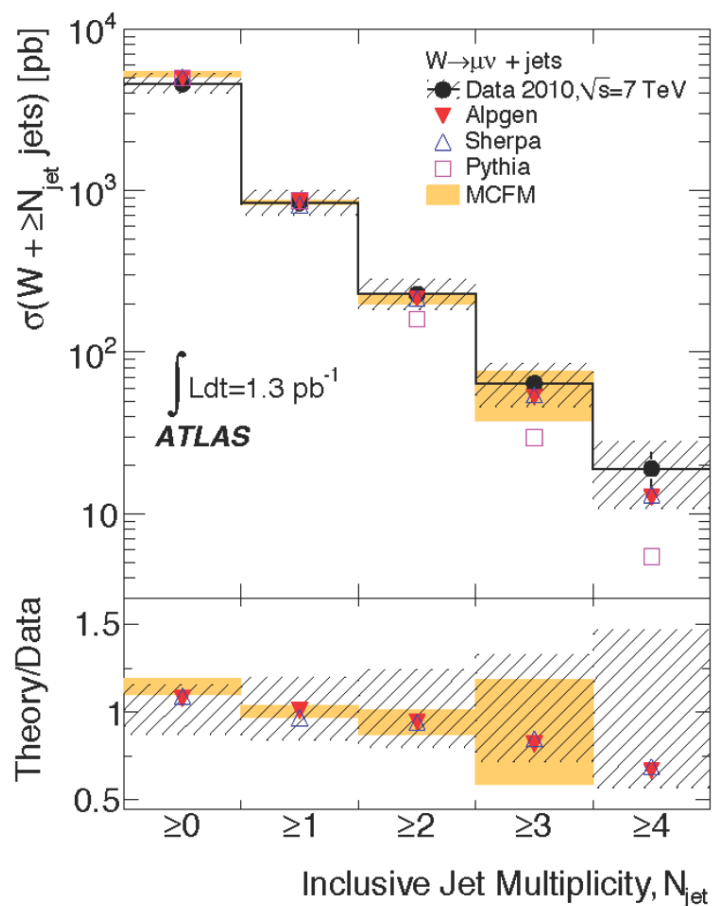
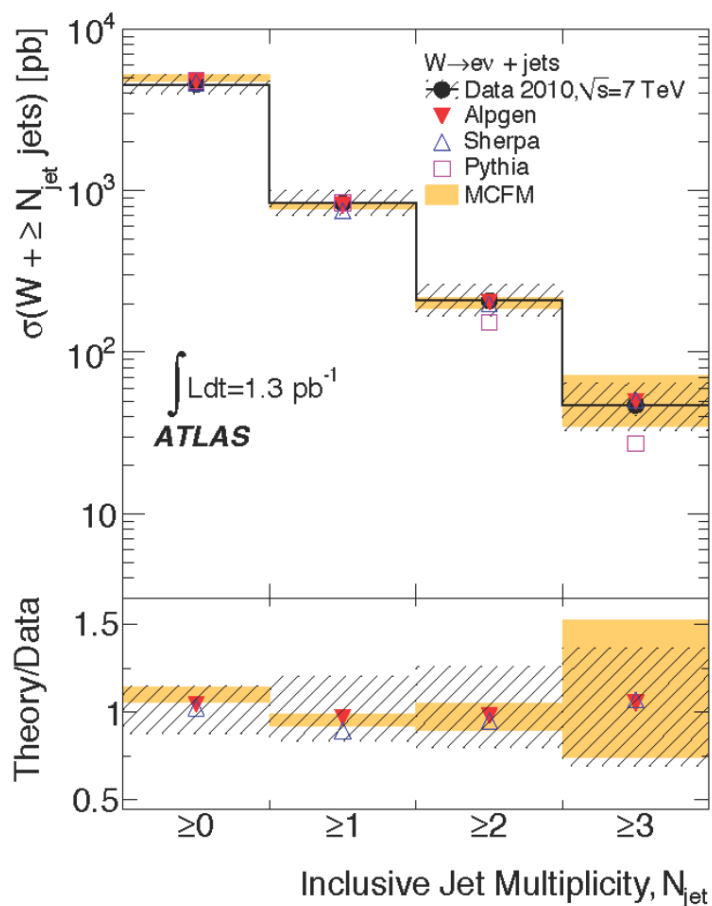
always more W⁺ than W⁻



W + Jets multiplicity

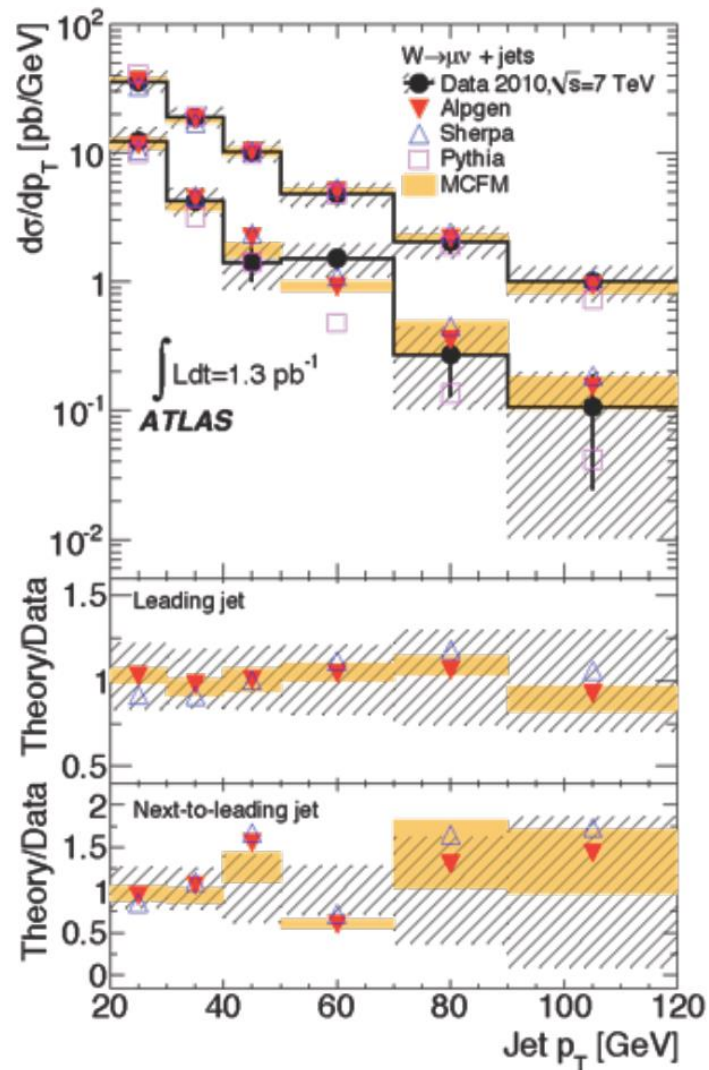
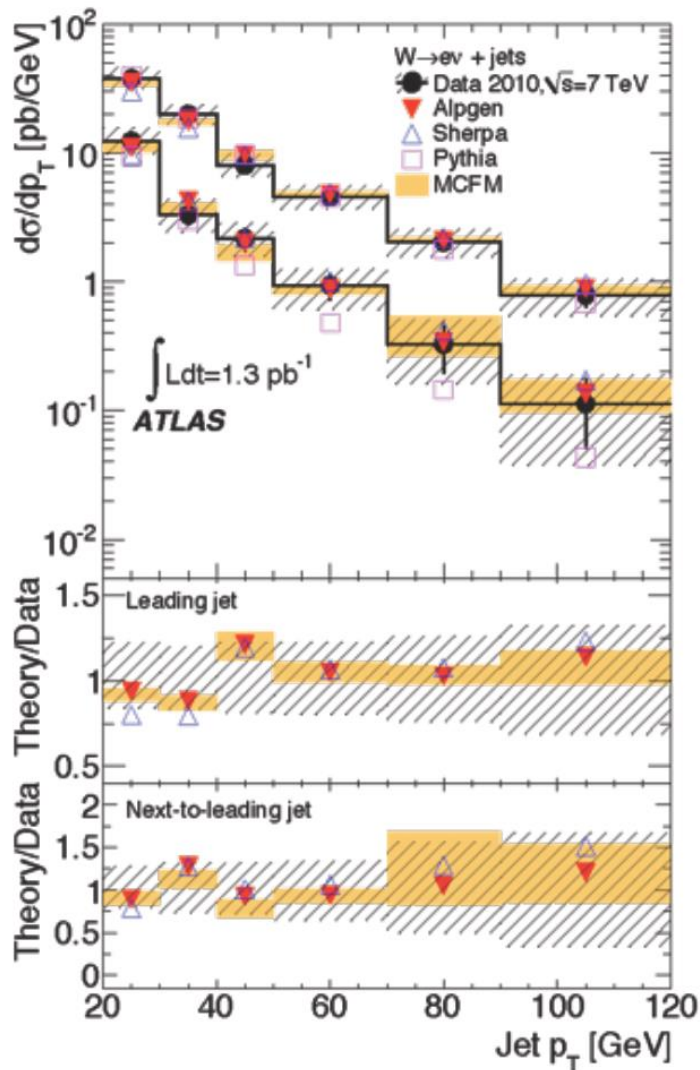
$|\eta| < 2.8$ and $p_T > 20$ GeV

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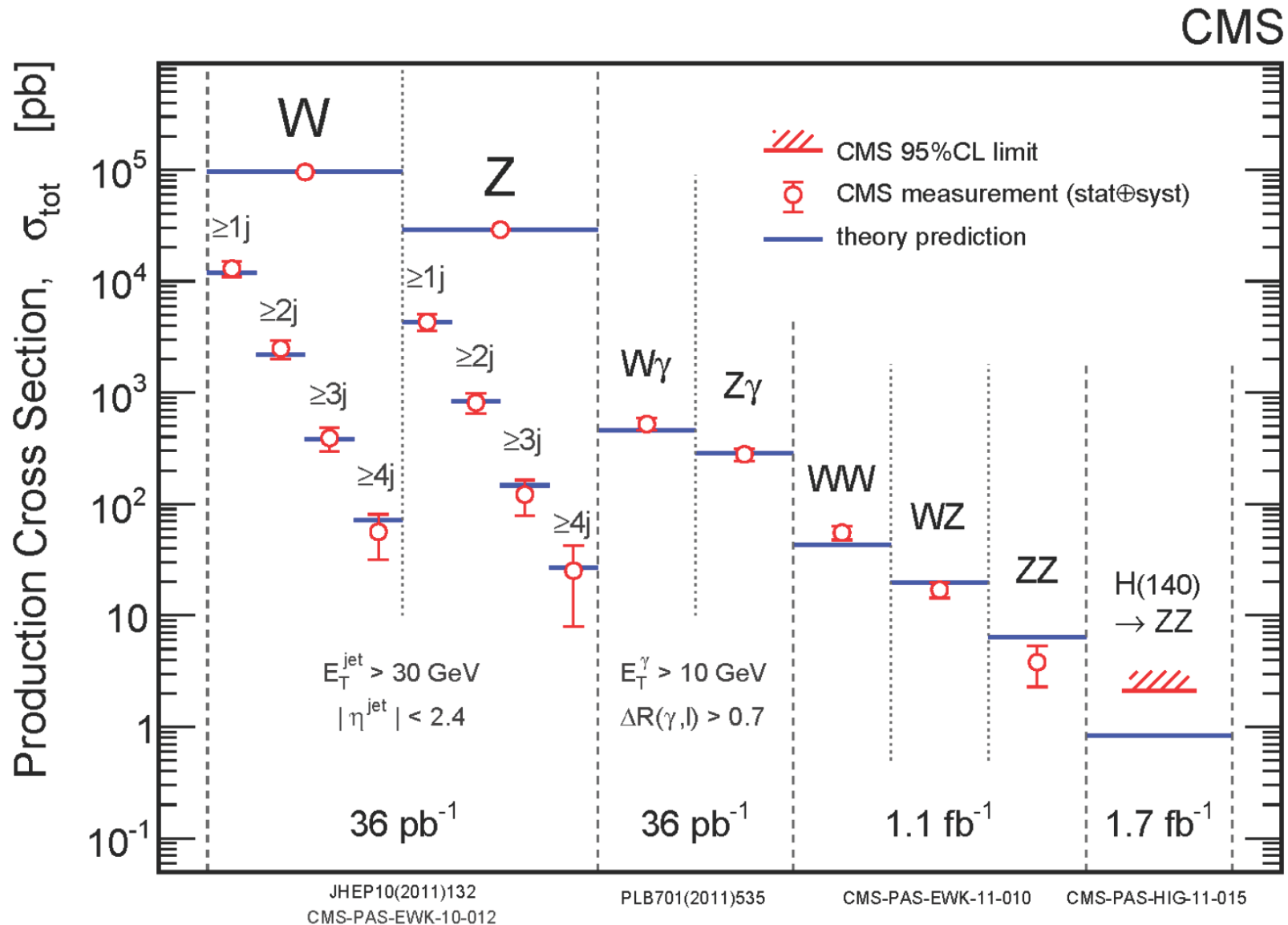


W + Jets P_T

Tails are important in several Exotica and SUSY searches



SM processes measured at LHC



W Mass Determination

Very challenging measurement

Template method:

Fit templates (from MC simulation)
with different m_W to data

→ W mass from best fit

Requires **very good modeling**
of physics & detector

Present

systematic uncertainties:
[DØ-Experiment]

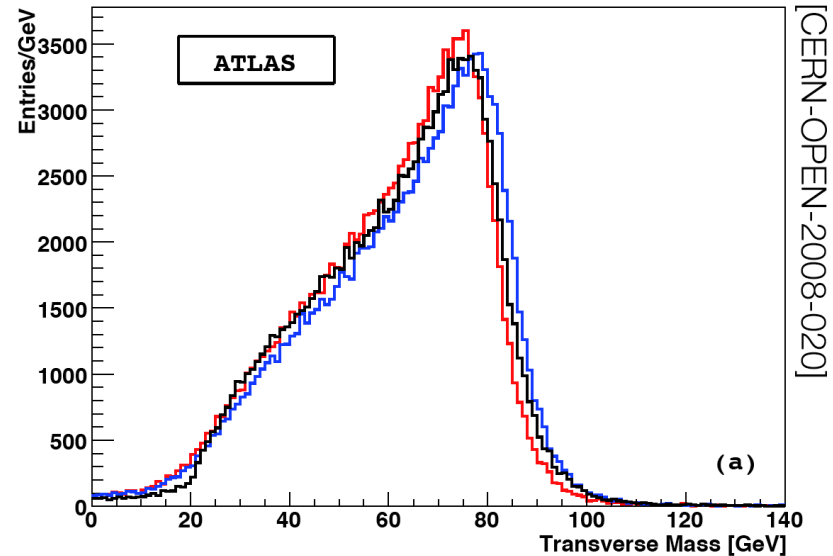
Lepton energy scale: 34 MeV

→ calibrated to known Z mass
[calorimeter: 3.6% for 50 GeV]

Hadronic recoil: 6 MeV

W production model [PDFs, ...]: 12 MeV

Templates for
 $m_W = 80.4 \pm 1.6$ GeV



Ultimate LHC goal:
 m_W uncertainty of 15 MeV
[via combination]

End of Lecture 3