

Precision measurements of boosted top at LHC

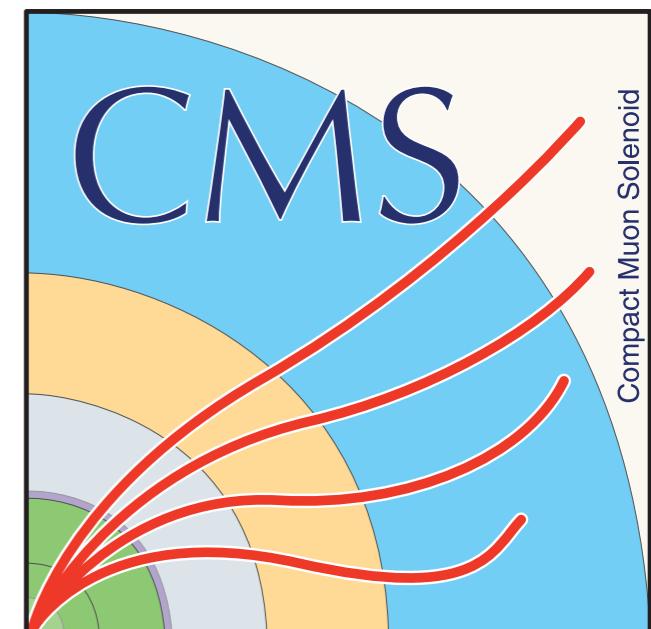
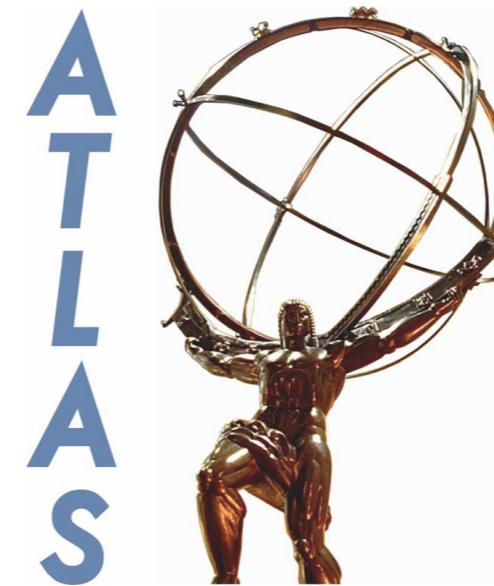
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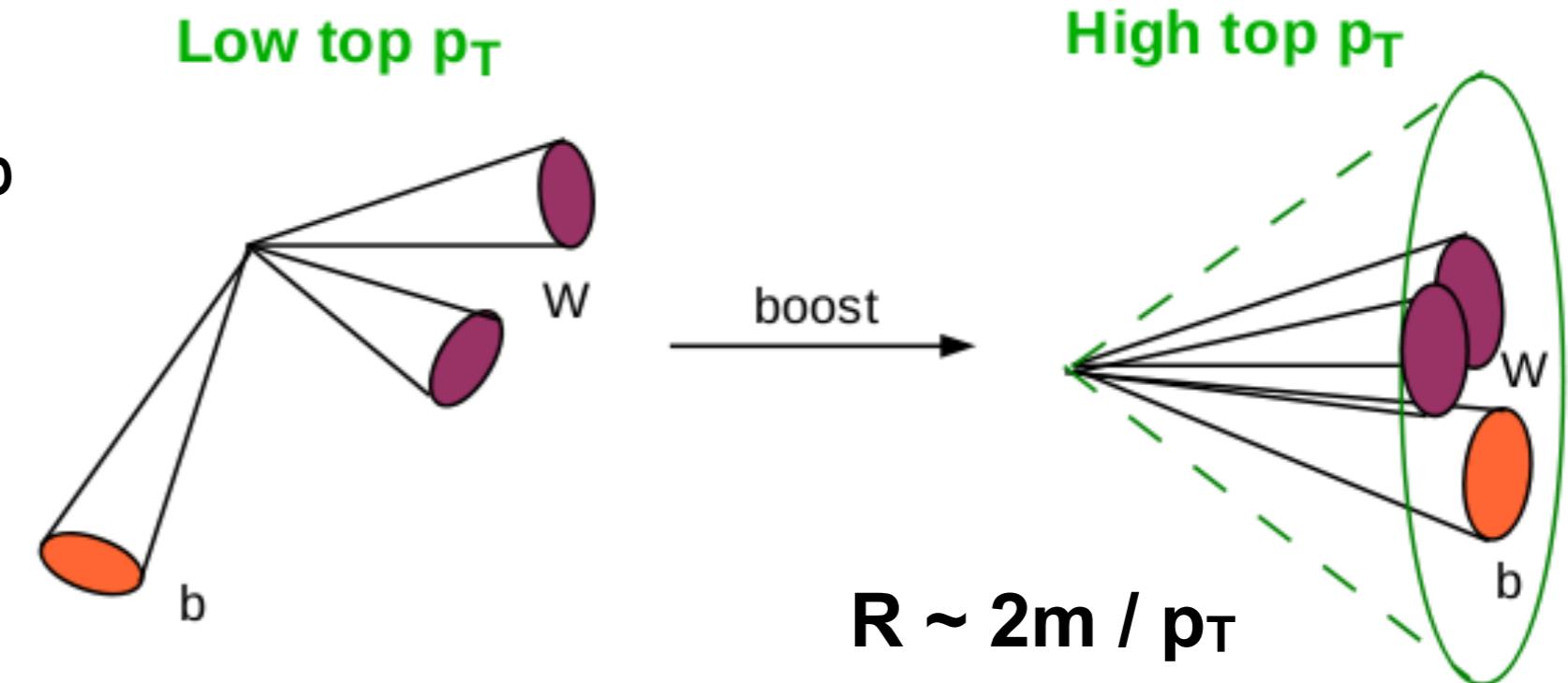
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Introduction

- Outline

- ◆ Introduction to Top Tagger
- ◆ Boosted top measurements in CMS and ATLAS



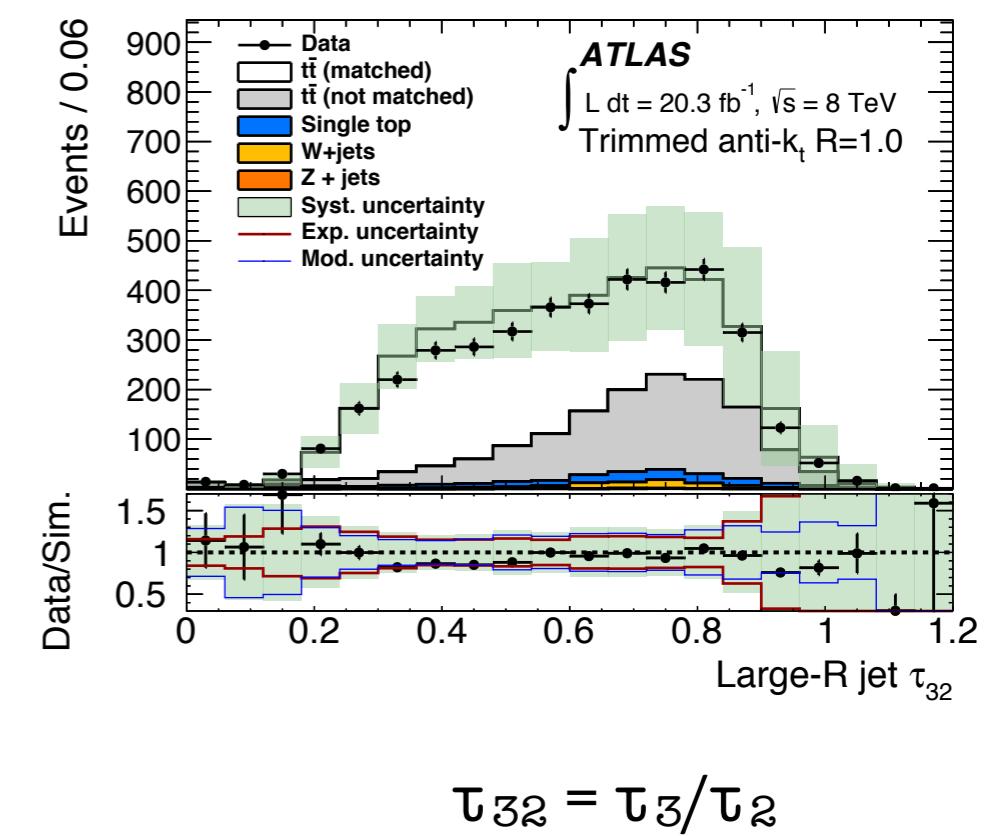
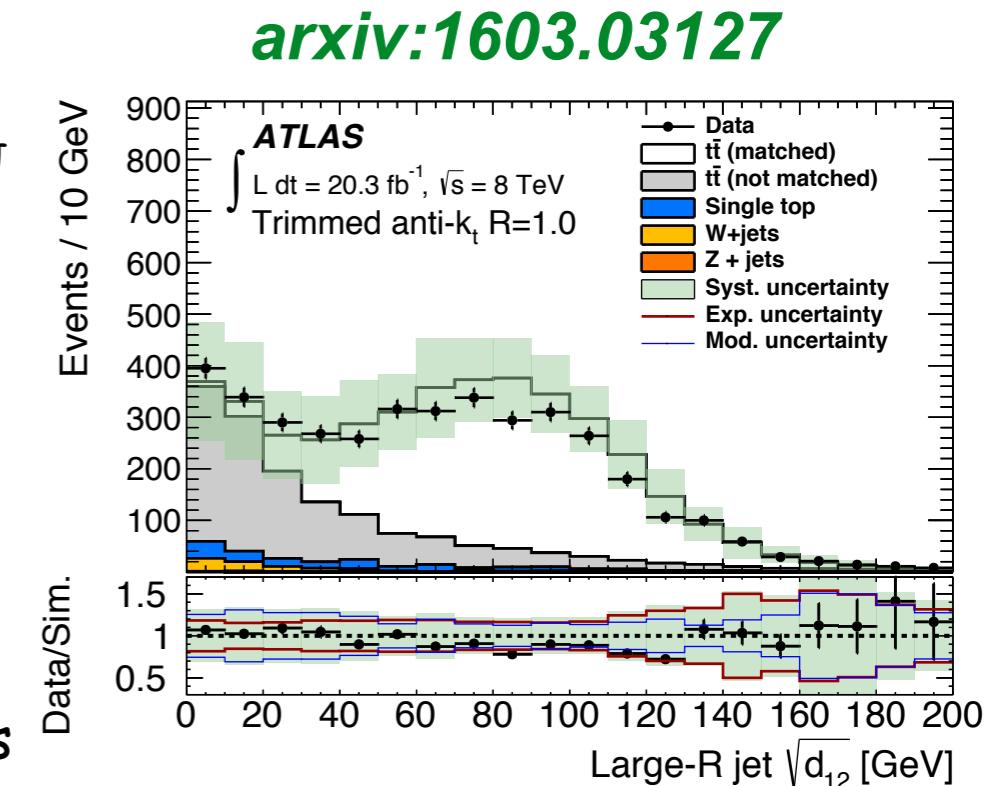
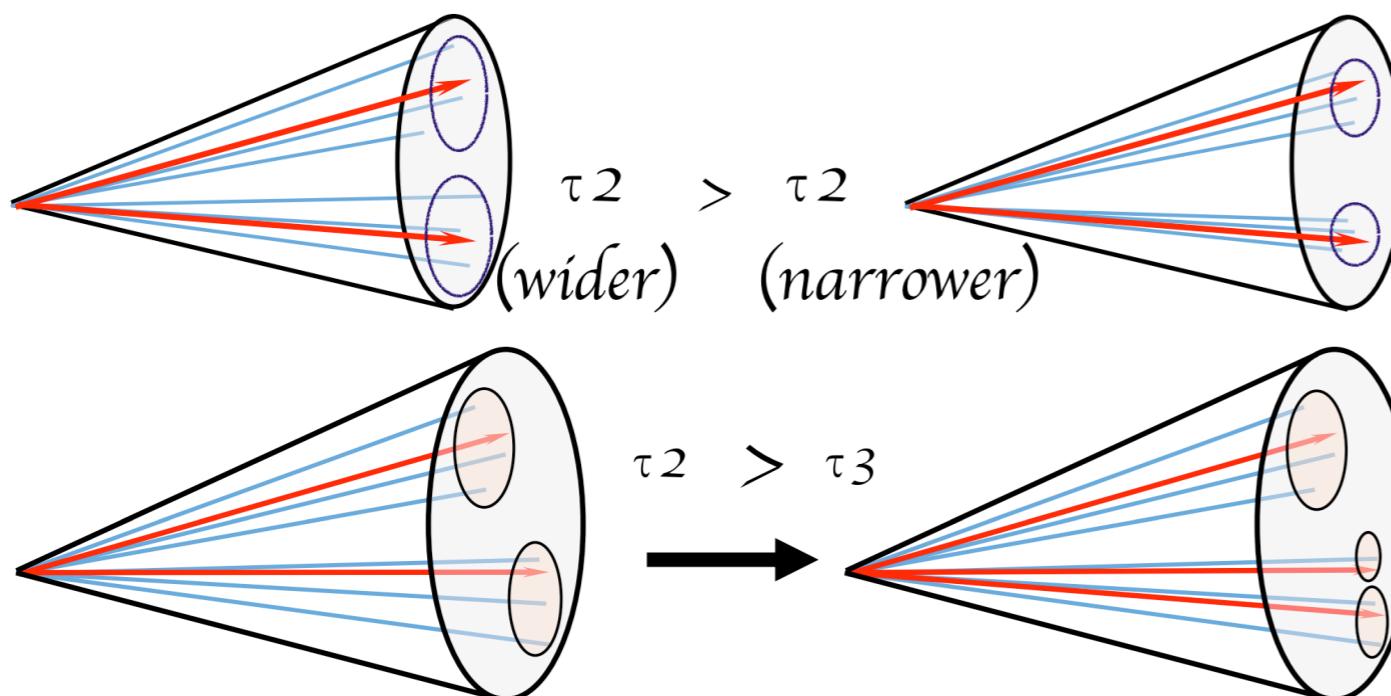
- The necessity of Top Tagger at LHC

- ◆ New Physics (NP): plenty of NP models predict highly boosted top-quarks in the final state.
- ◆ Decay products highly collimated: less efficient in resolving small- R jets.
- ◆ Effective in high pileup: luminosity increases and pileup increases with it.
- ◆ High efficiency vs rejection: a single jet containing all top-decay products has different properties compared to a QCD jet (single dense core).

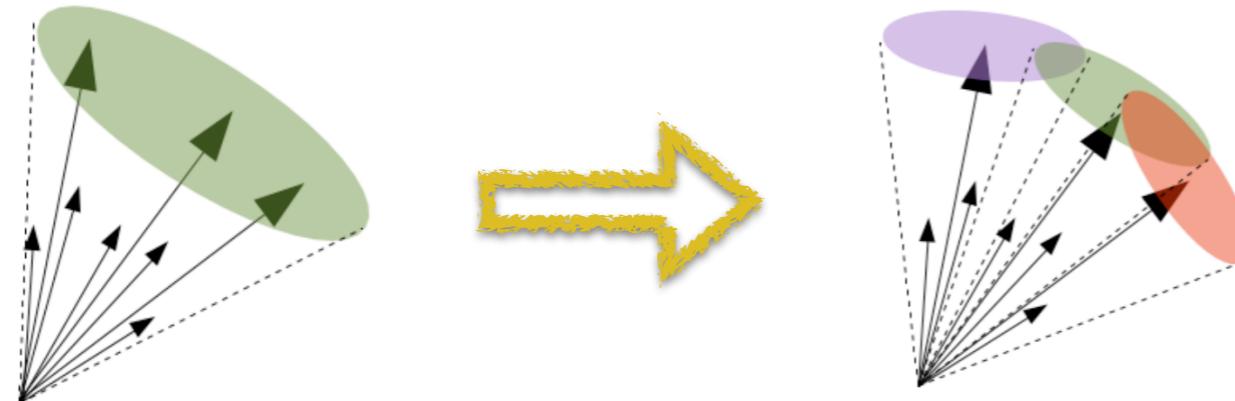
Top Tagger in ATLAS

- Large-R jet reconstruction:
 - Anti- kt $R=1.0$ $p_T > 350 \text{ GeV} |\eta| < 2.0$.
 - Groomed and trimmed, sub-jet (kt , $R=0.3$) of $p_T < 5\% * p_T^J$ removed (suppress pileup).
 - Trimmed jet mass corrected to particle top jet using MC.
- Top Tagging: sub-structure variables:
 - Kt splitting scale** $\sqrt{d_{ij}} = \min(p_{Ti}, p_{Tj}) \times \Delta R_{ij}$,
 - $\sqrt{d_{12}} \sim m_{\text{top}} / 2$, $\sqrt{d_{23}} \sim m_W / 2$
 - N-subjetness**, jet shape variable to measure the hypothesis of having N-subjets:

$$\tau_N = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n_{\text{constituents}}} p_{Ti} \min\{\Delta R_{1,i}, \Delta R_{2,i}, \dots, \Delta R_{N,i}\}}{\sum_{i=1}^{n_{\text{constituents}}} p_{Ti} R}$$

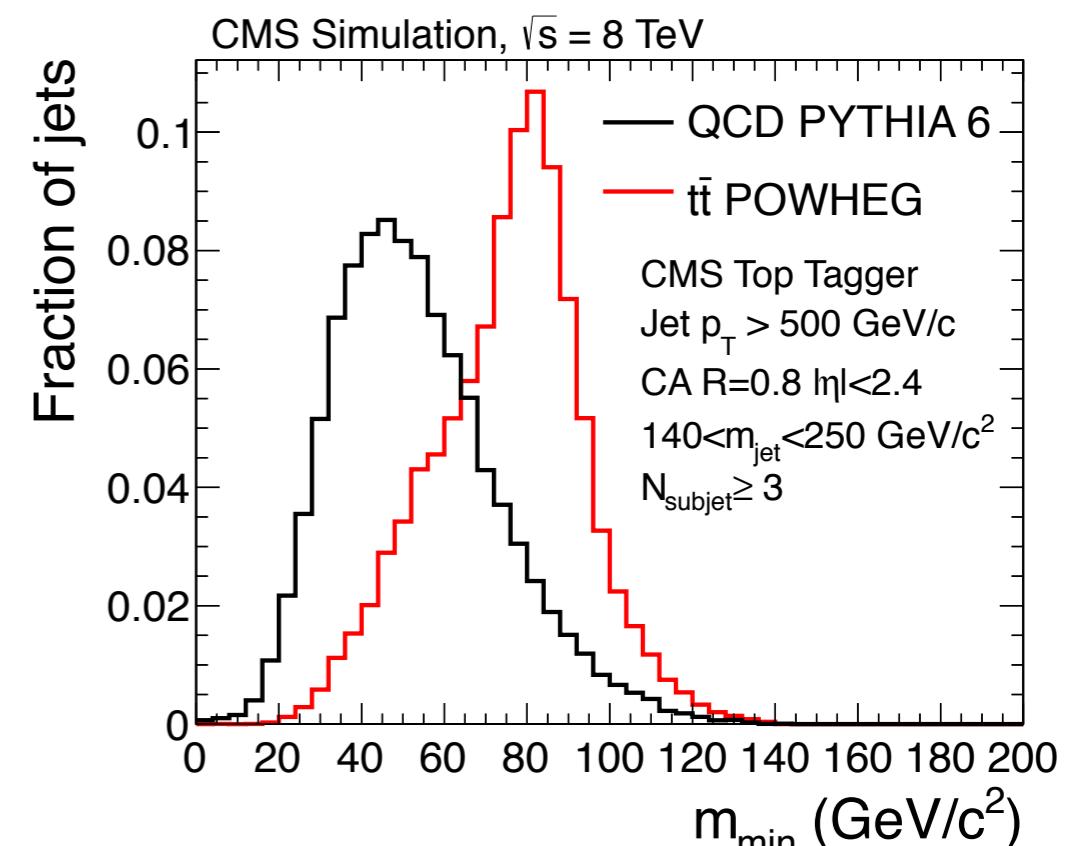
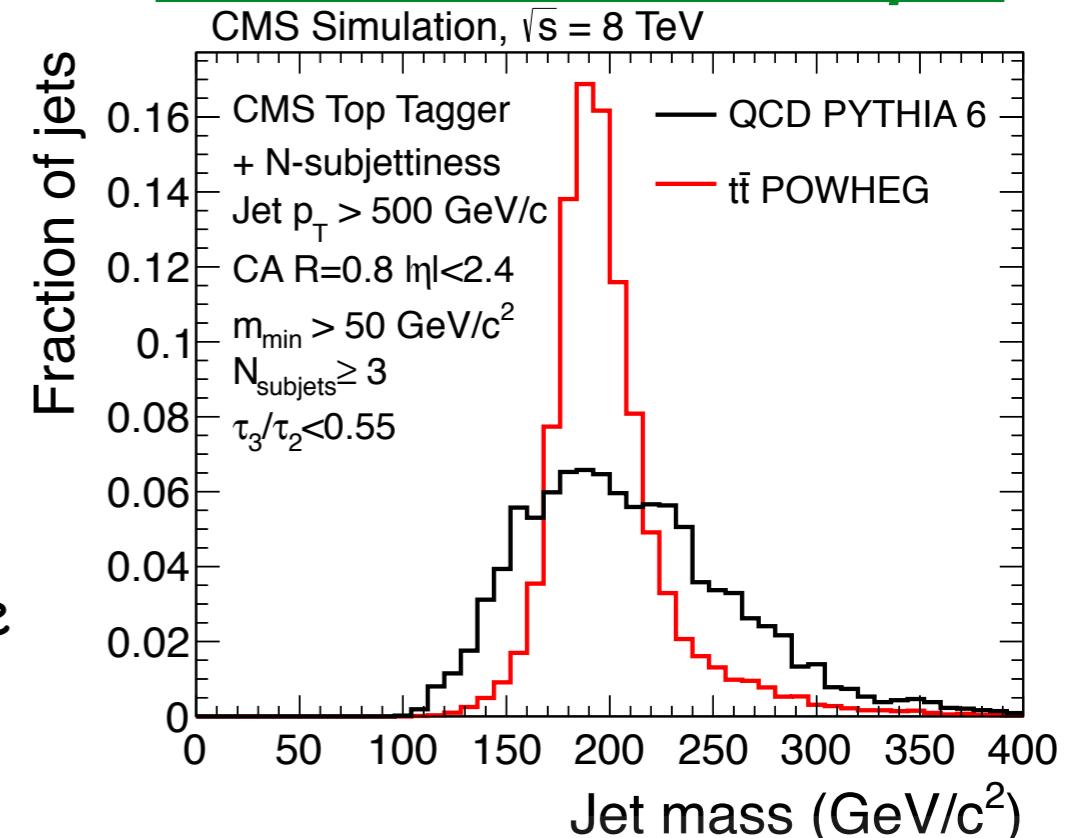


Top Tagger in CMS



- Large-R jet: C/A with $R = 0.8$, $p_T > 350 \text{ GeV}$.
- CMS Top-Tagging algorithm:
 - ◆ Primary decomposition: reversed order pairwise cluster sequence to find **two** subclusters. (If failed, original jet is kept.)
 - ◆ Secondary decomposition: decomposition into 3 - 4 subjets.
 - ◆ Most discriminant variables constructed (3 leading subjets):
 - * Jet mass m_{jet} , etc.
 - * Minimum pairwise mass $m_{min} = \min(m_{12}, m_{13}, m_{23})$
- Other algorithms: N-subjetness, HEP Top Tagger

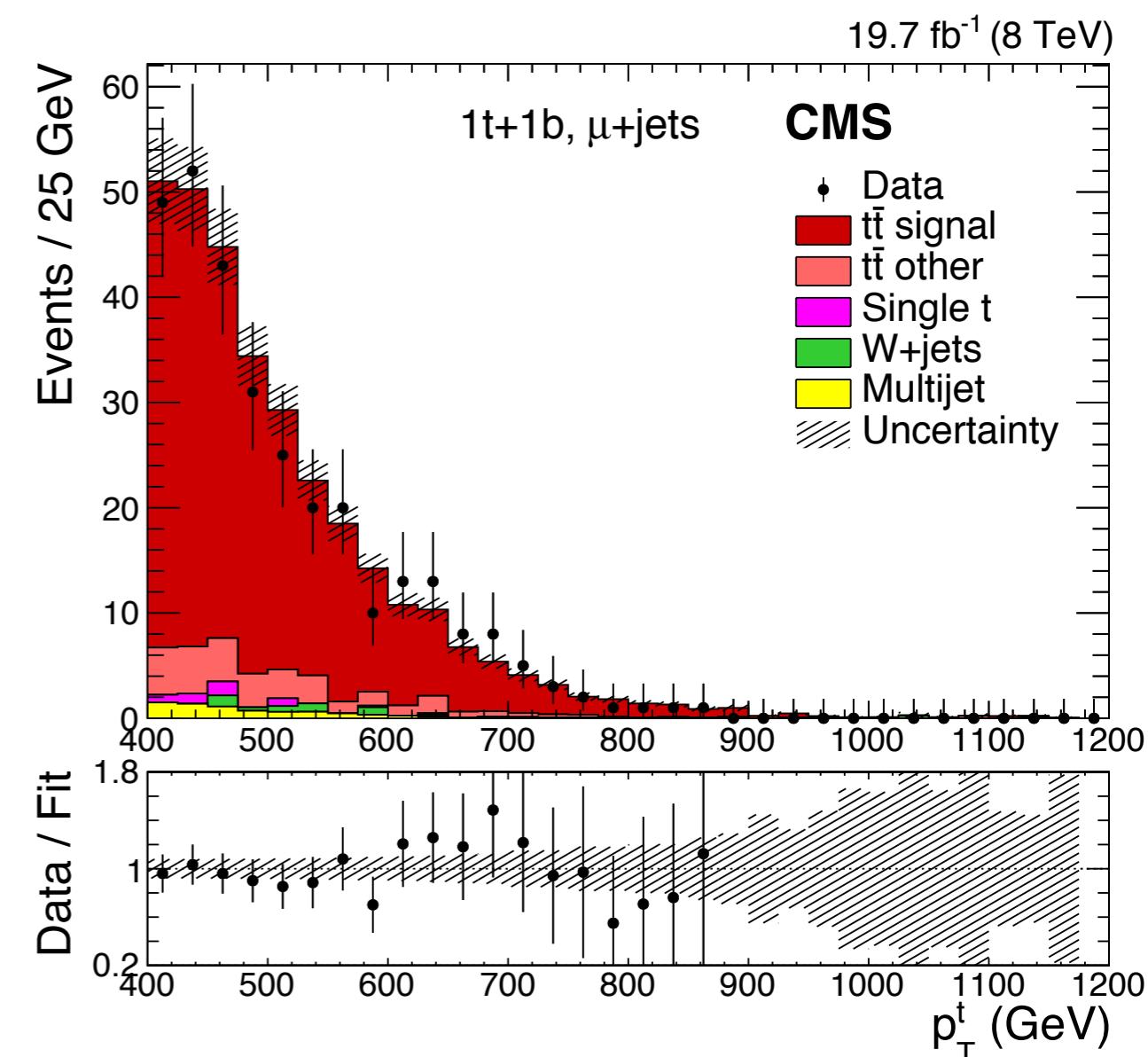
[Link CMS: JME-13-007-pas](#)



*Differential Cross-section
Measurements
using boosted top*

Differential cross section @8TeV in CMS

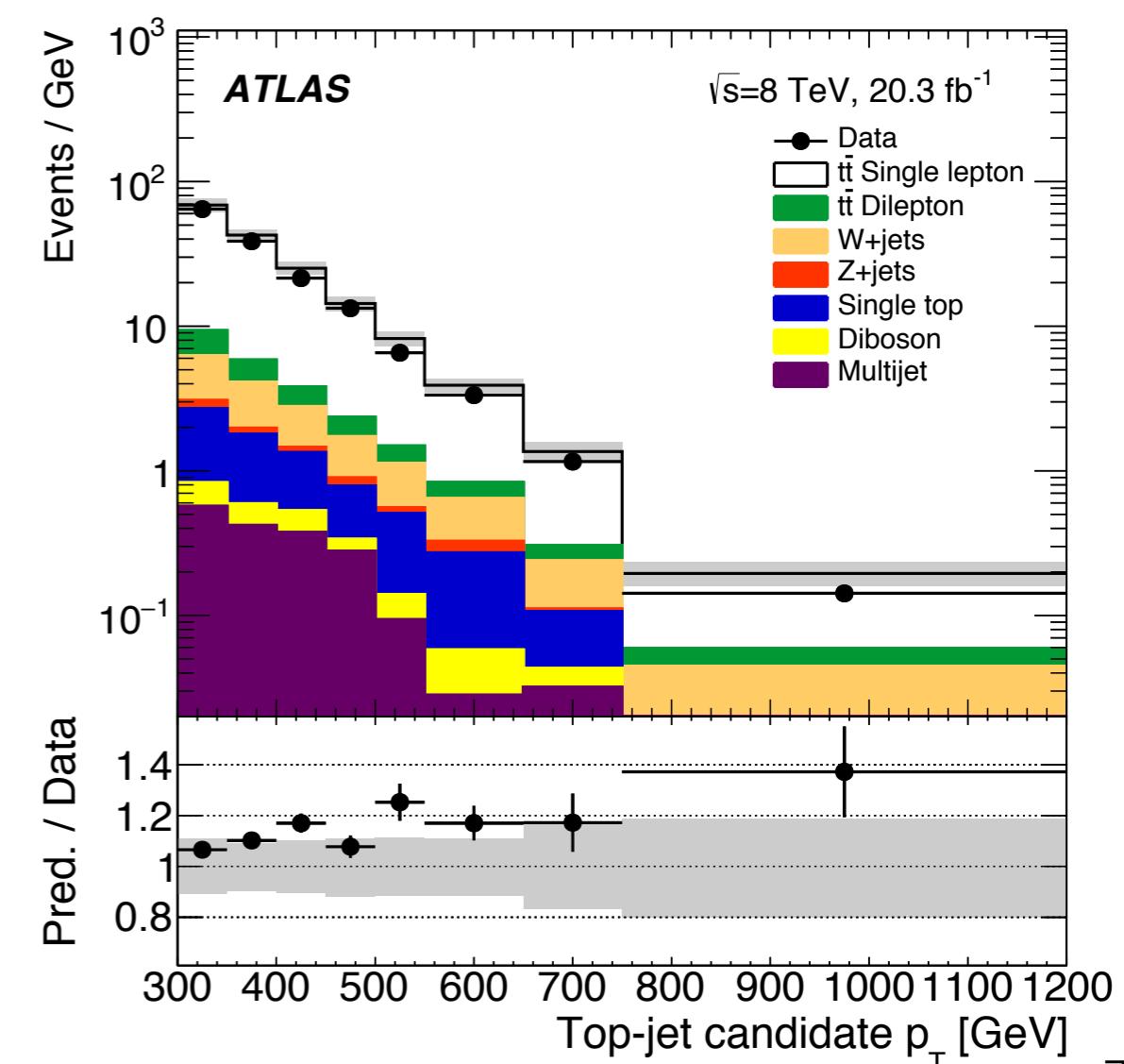
- Precisely measure differential cross-section of top pair at high pT:
 - ◆ Critical test of Standard Model.
 - ◆ Monte Carlo generator tuning, precise determination of PDF of the proton.
 - ◆ Sensitive to new physics search / background to BSM.
- Event selection **1 lepton + jets**:
 - ◆ Cambridge/Aachen (C/A) large-R jet
 $R=0.8$, $p_T > 400 \text{ GeV}$; mass $\sim [140, 250] \text{ GeV}$; CMS Top Tagger.
 - ◆ Anti- k_t small-R jet $R=0.5$, b-tagging @65%.
- Maximum likelihood fit in (0t, 1t+0b, 1t+1b) exclusive categories.
 - ◆ Discriminant variables: lepton |eta| used in (0t, 1t+0b), $m_{\nu\tau\chi}$ used in 1t+1b
 - ◆ Background normalizations and experimental uncertainties treated as nuisance parameters.



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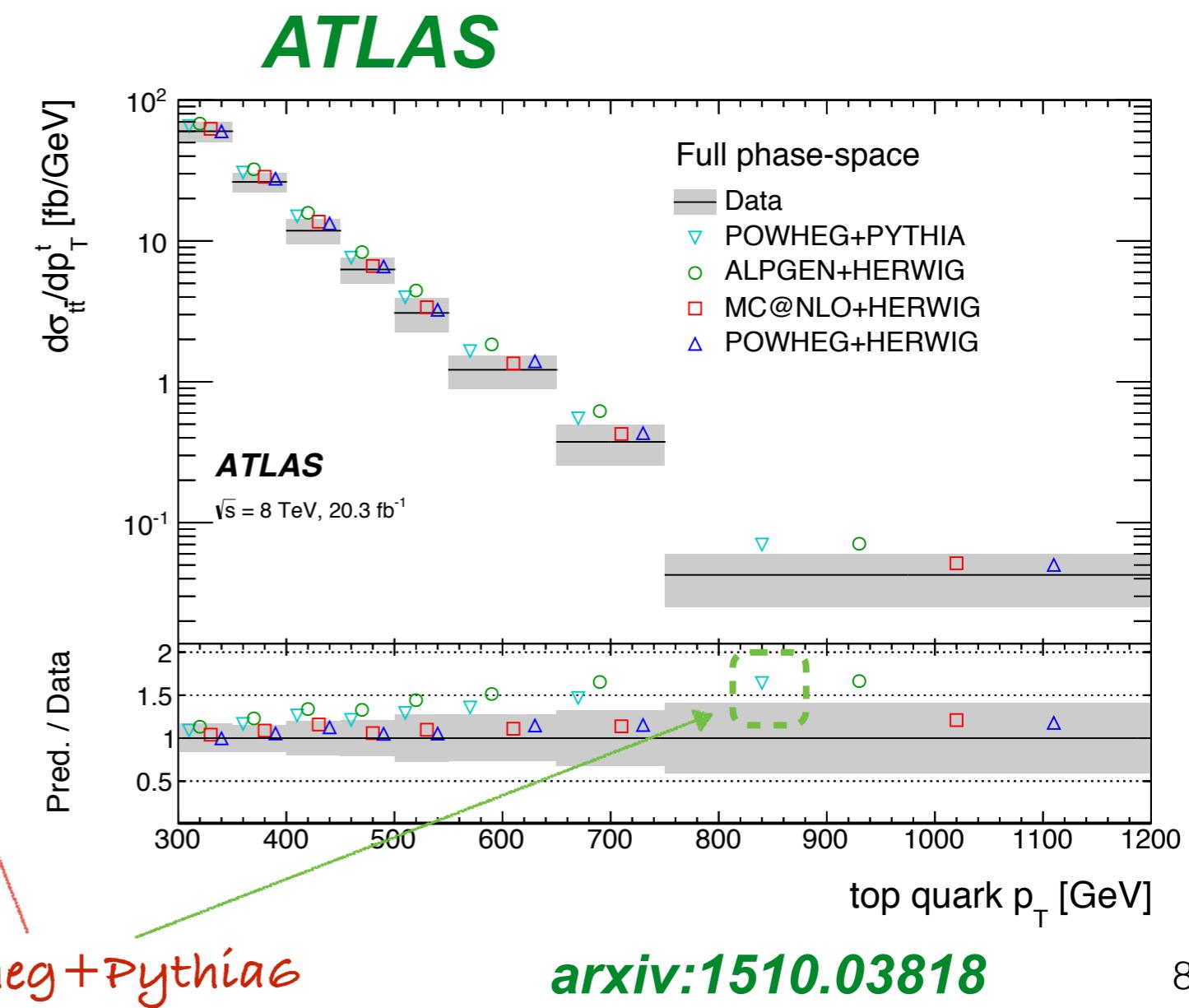
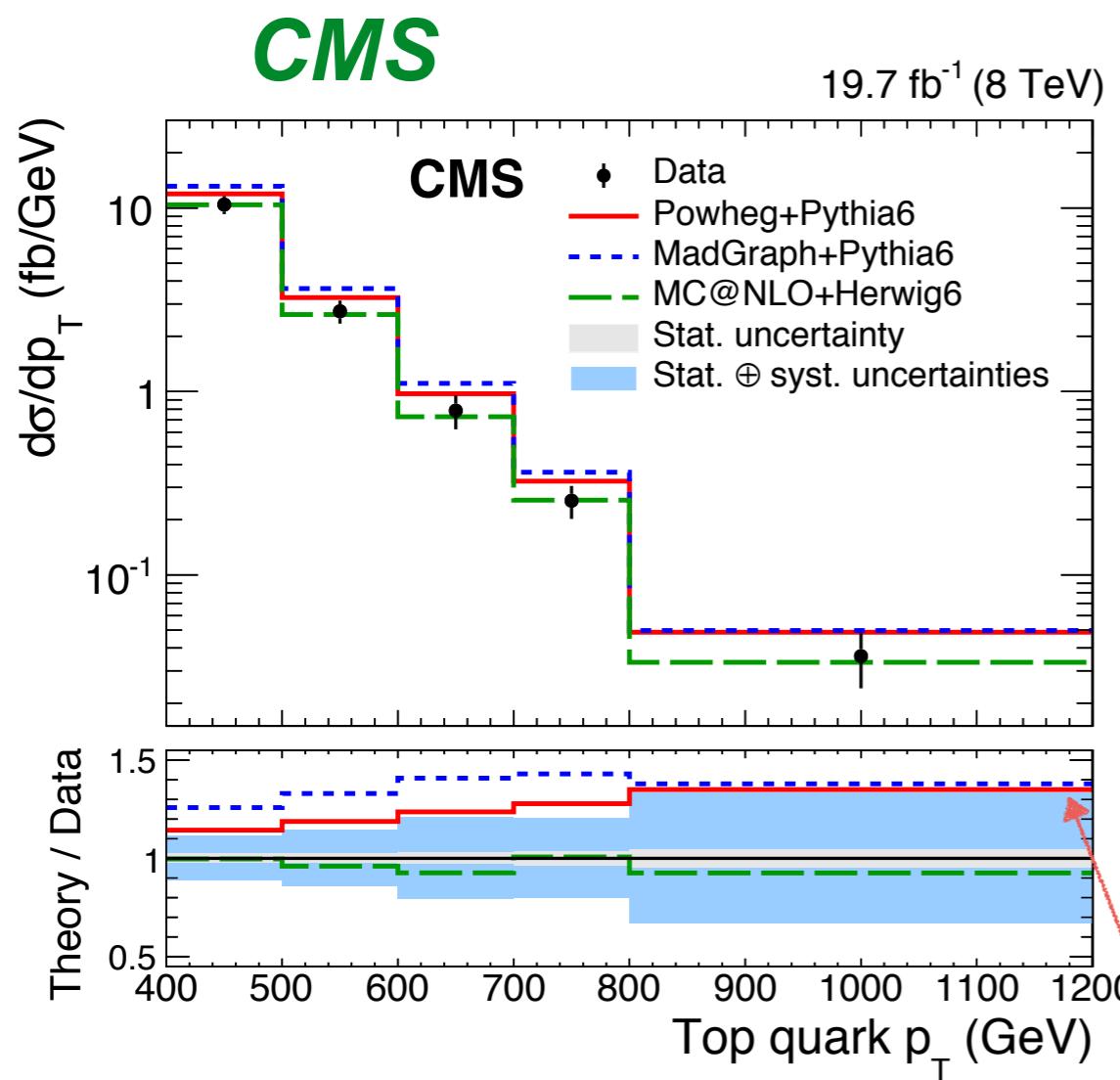
- Event selection **1 lepton + jets**:
 - Anti-kt R=1.0, trimmed, $p_T > 300 \text{ GeV}$; mass $> 100 \text{ GeV}$; $\sqrt{d_{12}} > 40 \text{ GeV}$**
 - Anti-kt small-R jet R=0.4, b-tagging @70%
- W+jets background estimated with data-driven charge asymmetry method.
Multi-jets background estimated with Matrix-Method.
- Migration matrixes** are estimated using default MC of Powheg+Pythia to extract the ttbar cross sections.
 - Backgrounds are subtracted from data.
- Fiducial regions defined using particle- and parton-level objects.

arxiv:1510.03818



Results @8 TeV in ATLAS & CMS

- Differential cross section measured as a function of hadronic top p_T and $|ln l|$
- Measured detector level kinematic spectrums are unfolded to particle-level and parton-level.
- A direct comparison can be made using parton level distributions.



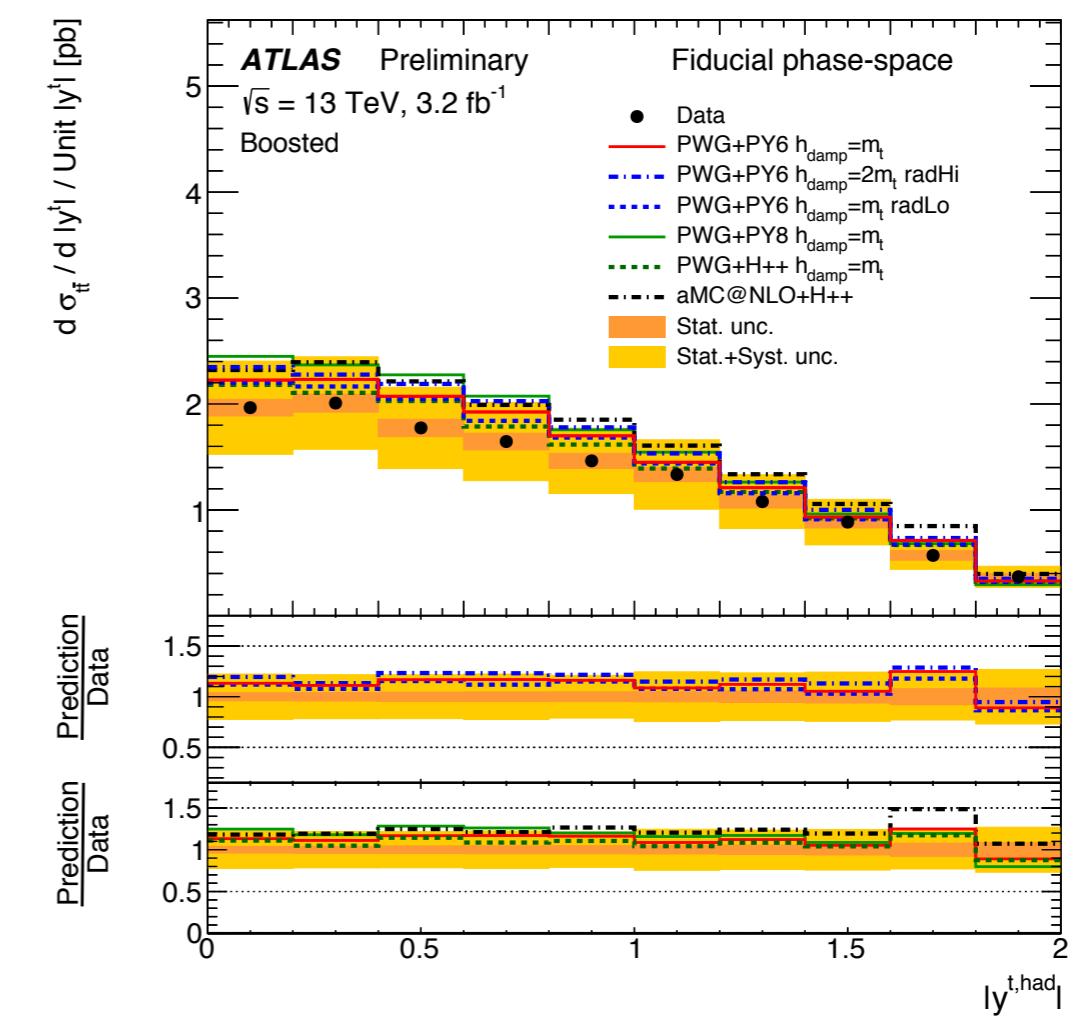
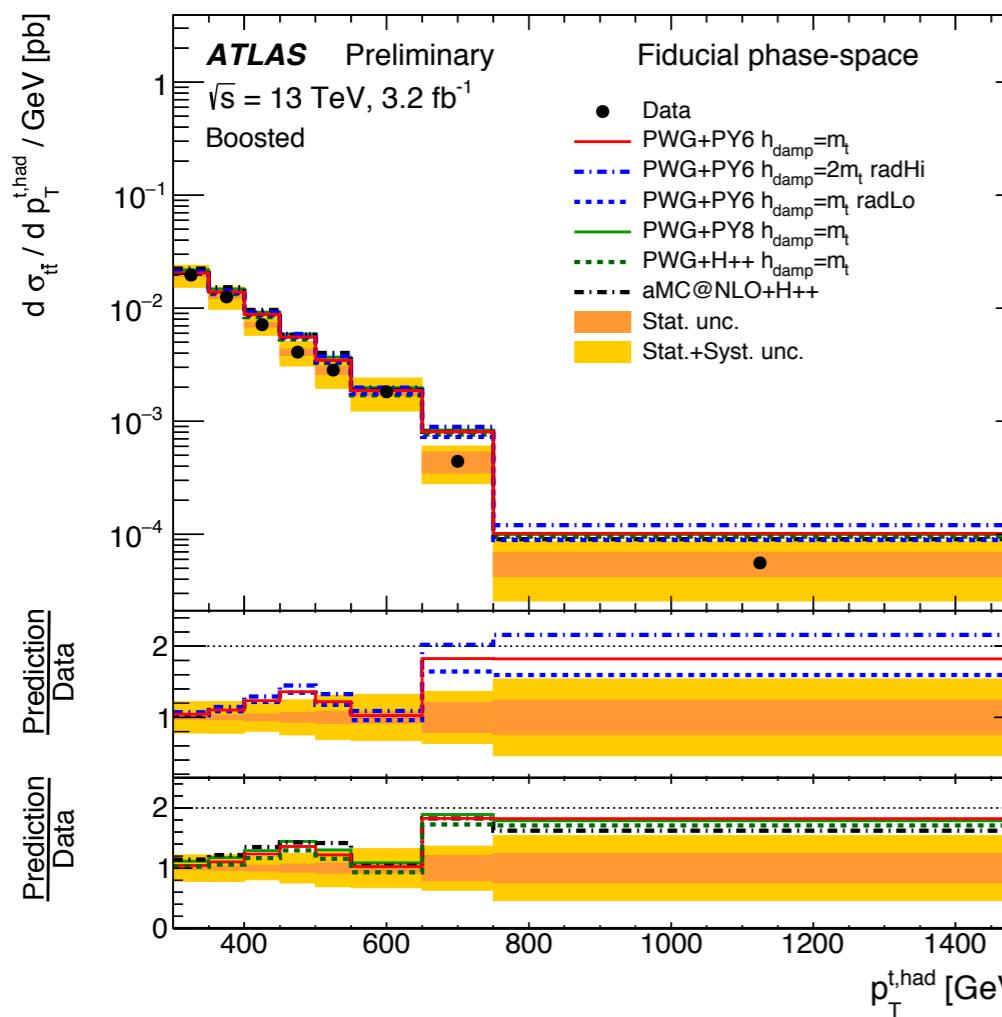
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Powheg+Pythia6

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Differential cross section ($\ell + \text{jets}$) @13 TeV in ATLAS

- ATLAS updated the measurement using **3.2 fb⁻¹ 2015 data at 13TeV**.
- Large-R jet of trimmed anti-kt 1.0, p_T^J in [300, 1500] GeV, $m > 50$ GeV.
- Differential cross section unfolded to particle level objects for measured observables of $p_T^{t,\text{had}}$, $|y^{t,\text{had}}|$.
- Higher prediction by Powheg+Pythia6 (**hdamp = m_{top}**) seen also at 8 TeV results.



[Link: ATLAS-CONF-2016-040](#)

Differential cross section (full-had) @13TeV in ATLAS

- Measurement in **full hadronic** final state using 14.7 fb^{-1} 2015 and 2016 data at 13TeV.
- Two large-R jet with $p_T^1 > 500 \text{ GeV}$ and $p_T^2 > 350 \text{ GeV}$; mass in $[122.5, 222.5] \text{ GeV}$;
- Top tagging @50% (flat in pT) with a rejection of 17 (@500 GeV) and 10 (@1TeV) to light flavor / gluon jet.
- At least two small-R jet (used for b-tagging).

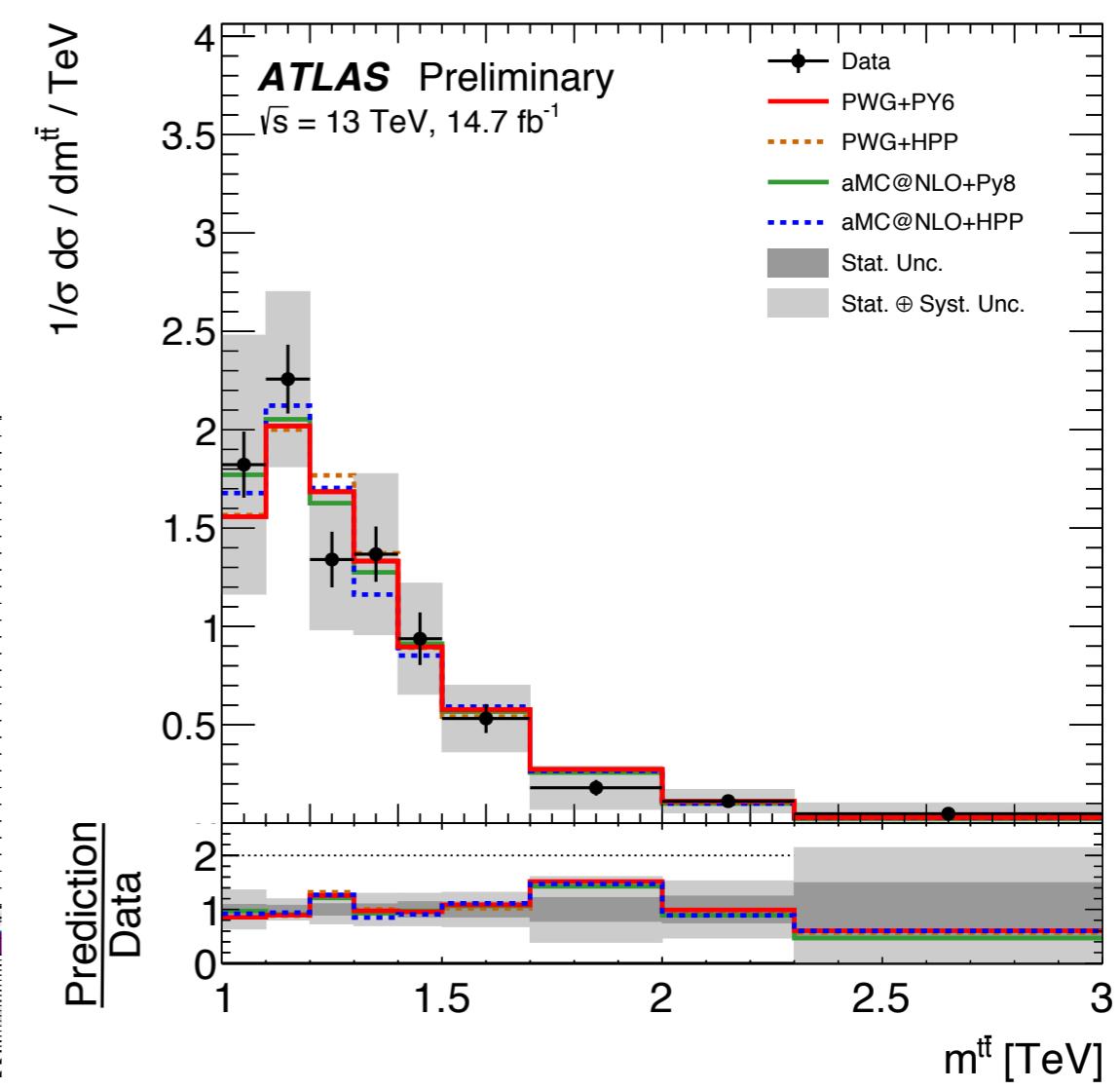
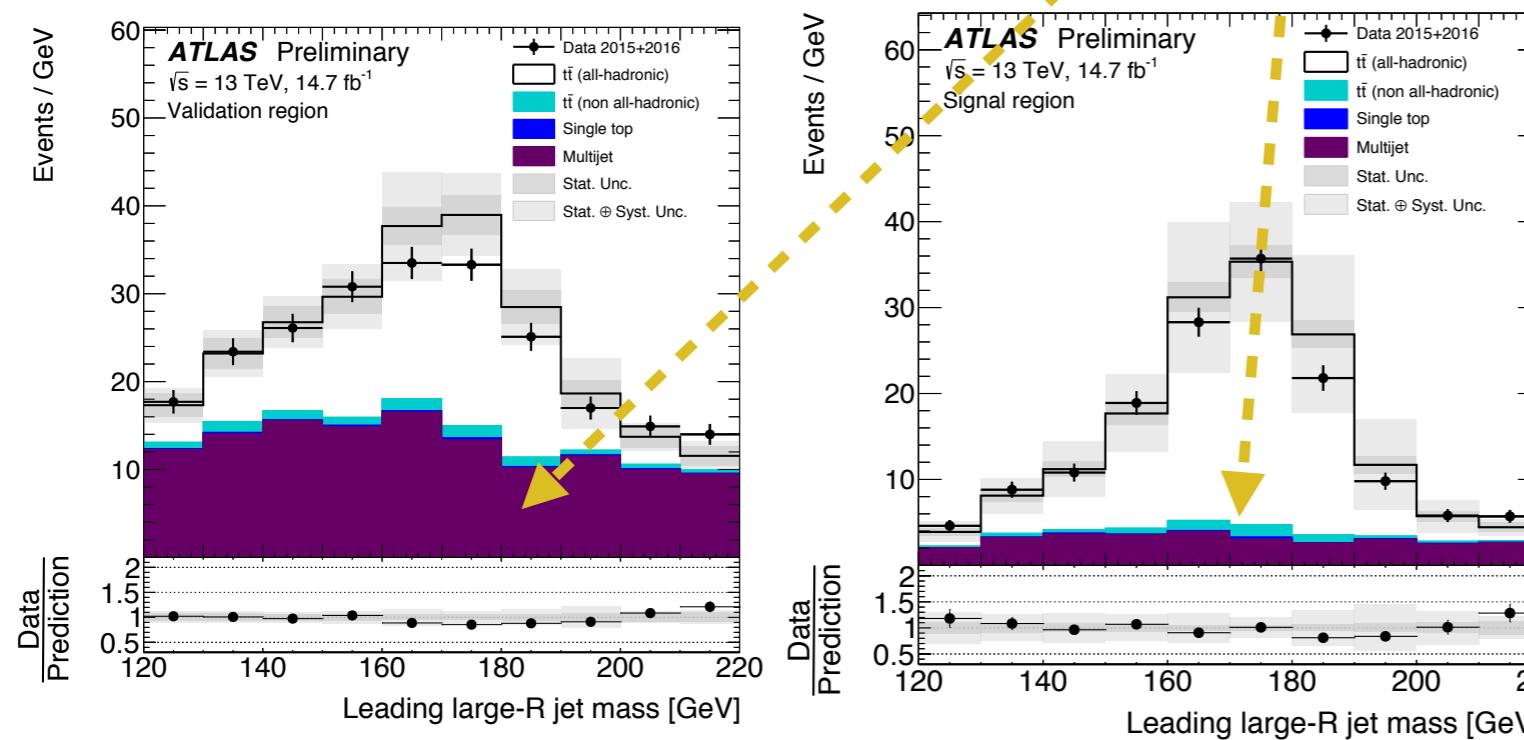
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$$S_{\text{bg}} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{G}{A} + \frac{H}{B} \right) \times C$$

- QCD** measured with data.
- Validated in **region-F**.

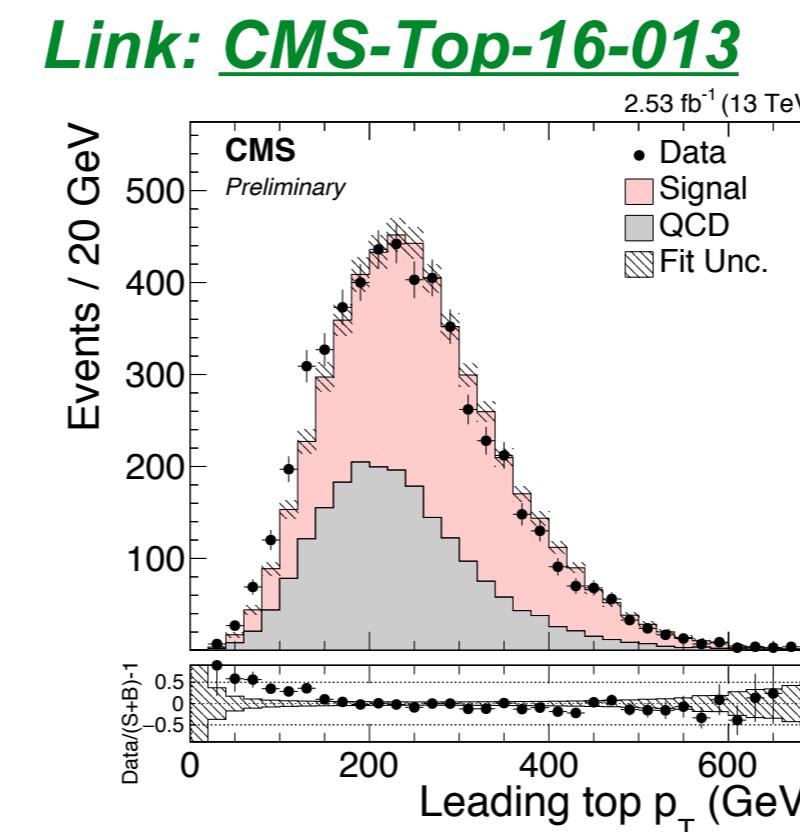
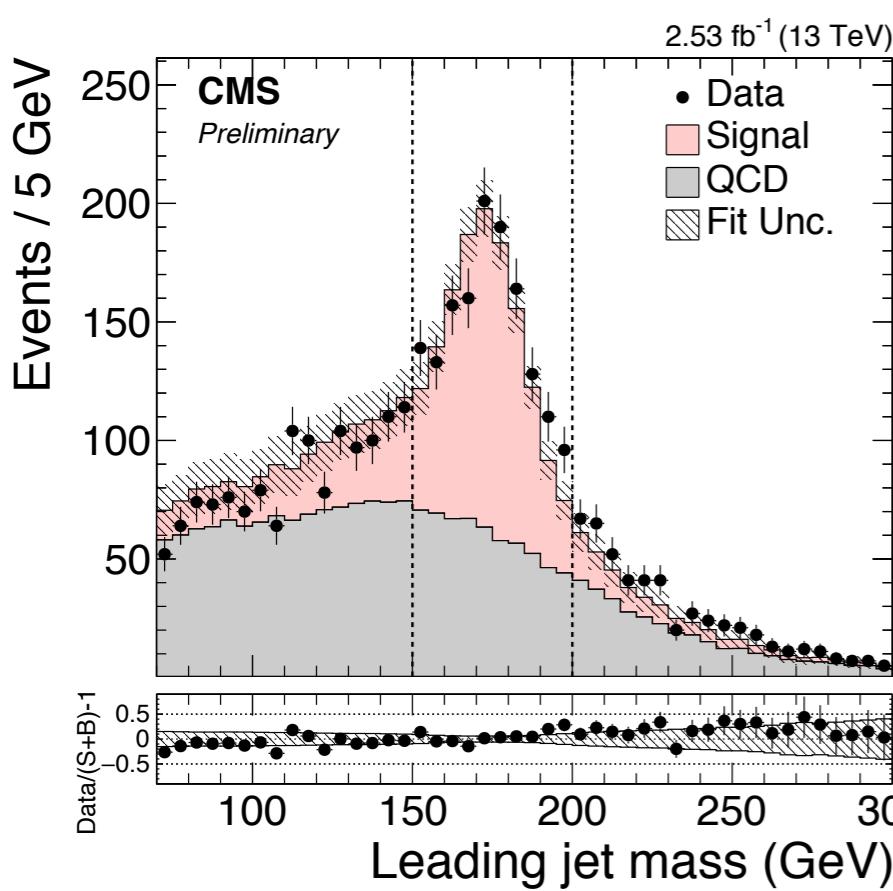
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2 b	C	F	S



Inclusive & differential cross section (full-had) @13TeV in CMS

- Measurement in **full hadronic** final state using **2.53 fb^{-1} 2015 data at 13TeV.**
- \mathcal{F} is a fisher discriminant constructed with τ_{32} and τ_{21} .
- m_{SD} is the soft-drop mass of the large-R jet.
- Fitting **leading large-R jet m_{SD}** templates from signal and QCD background.
- QCD template obtained from data and corrected with simulation.

Boosted
lepton veto
AK8 jets
 $p_T > 200 \text{ GeV}, |\eta| < 2.4, m_{\text{SD}} > 50 \text{ GeV}$
 $N_{\text{jets}} \geq 2$
 $p_T^{(1)} > 450 \text{ GeV}$
both jets should contain one b-tagged subjet
 $\mathcal{F} > 0$
 $150 < m_{\text{SD}}^{(1)} < 200 \text{ GeV}$



Link: [CMS-Top-16-013](#)

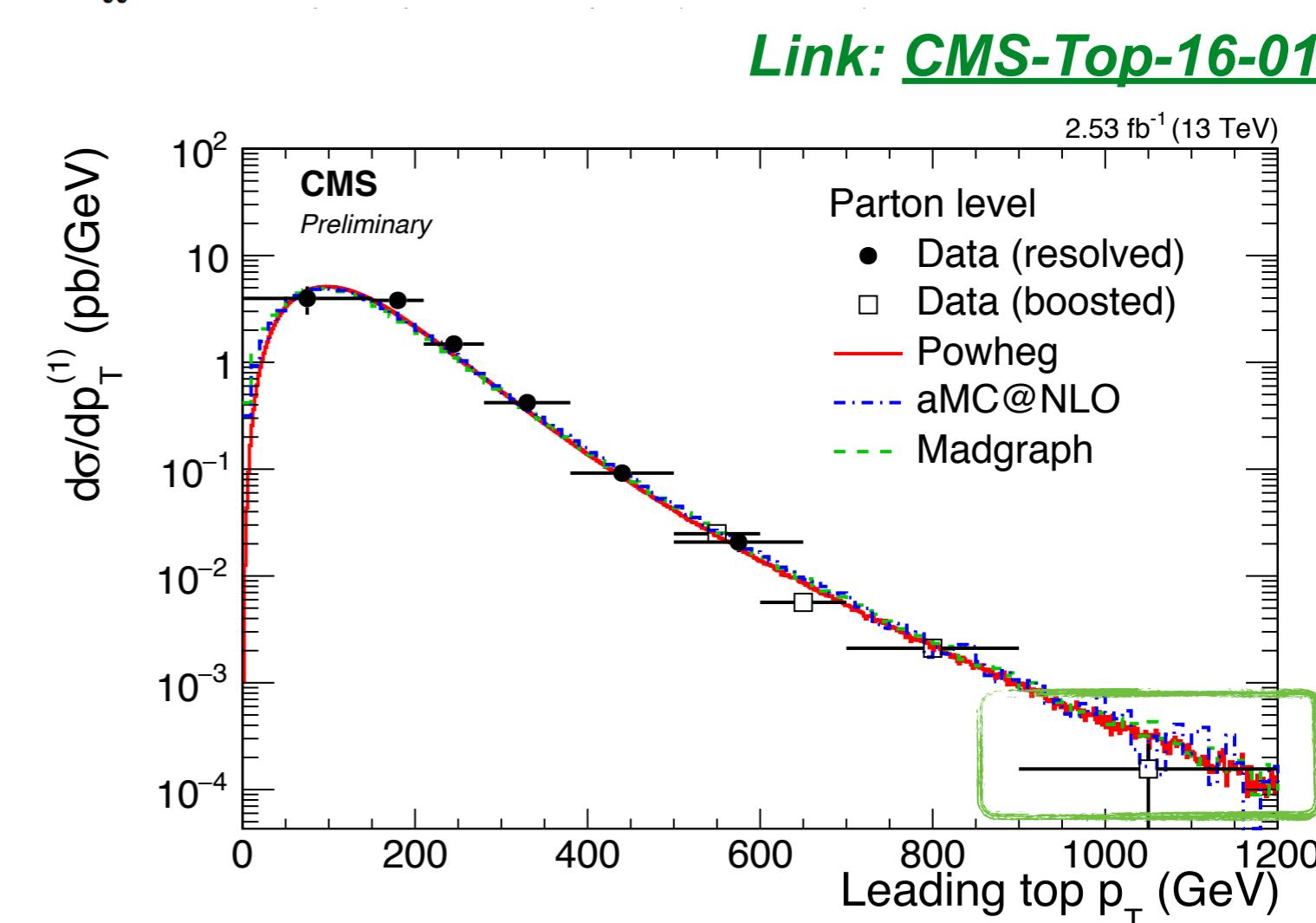
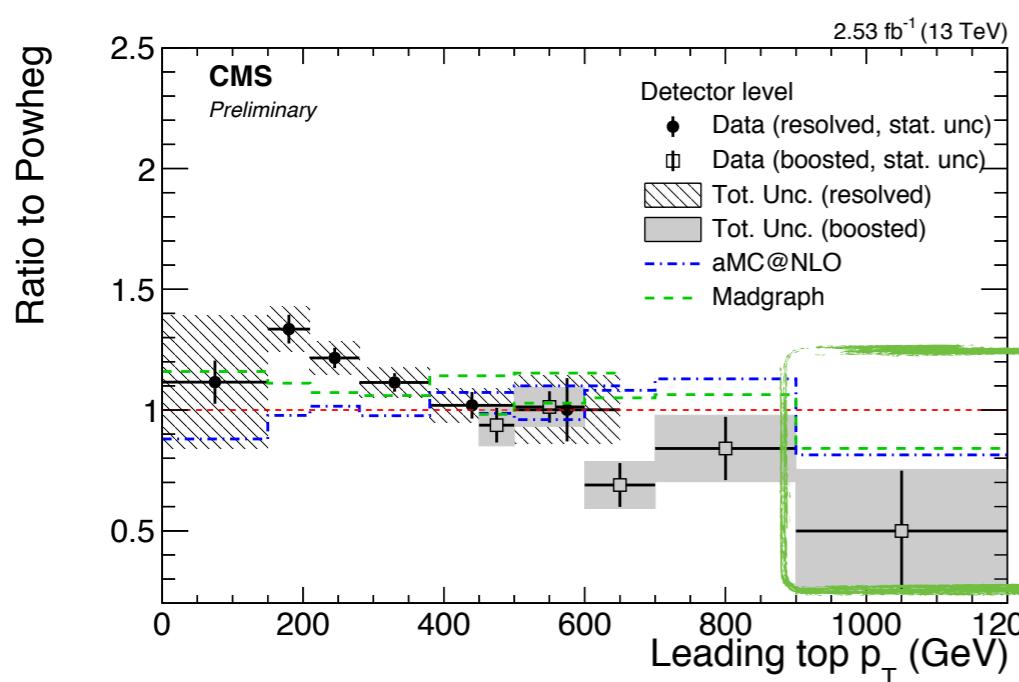
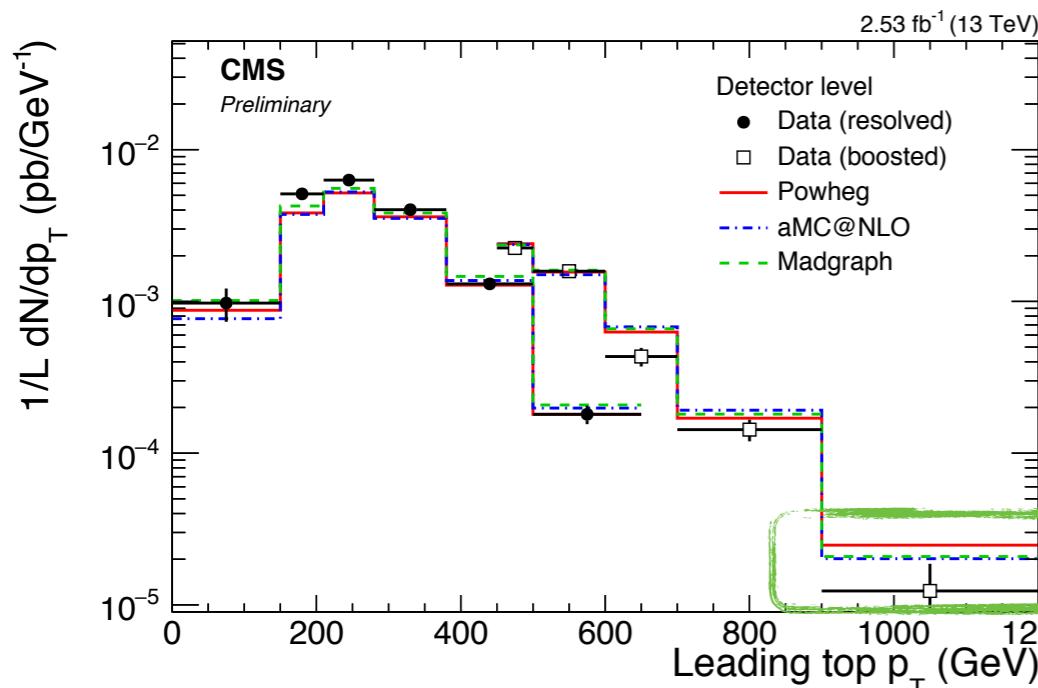
$$B_{\text{signal}}^{\text{data}}(x) = \left[\frac{B_{\text{signal}}(x)}{B_{\text{control}}(x)} \right]_{\text{MC}} \cdot B_{\text{control}}^{\text{data}}(x)$$

$x = \text{leading } m_{\text{jet}}$ (fitting discriminant)

- Post-fit leading jet p_T distribution can be a validation of the fit.

Inclusive & differential cross section (full-had) @13TeV in CMS

- Inclusive cross section at 13TeV: $\sigma_{t\bar{t}} = 727 \pm 46(\text{stat})^{+115}_{-112}(\text{syst}) \pm 20(\text{lumi}) \text{ pb}$.
- Slightly lower than that in theory: $\sigma_{t\bar{t}}^{\text{th}} = 832^{+20}_{-29} \text{ (scale)} \pm 35 \text{ (PDF + } \alpha_s \text{) pb}$.



Parton level differential cross section.

- Powheg+Pythia over estimates the cross section at high top p_T .

Detector level differential cross section.

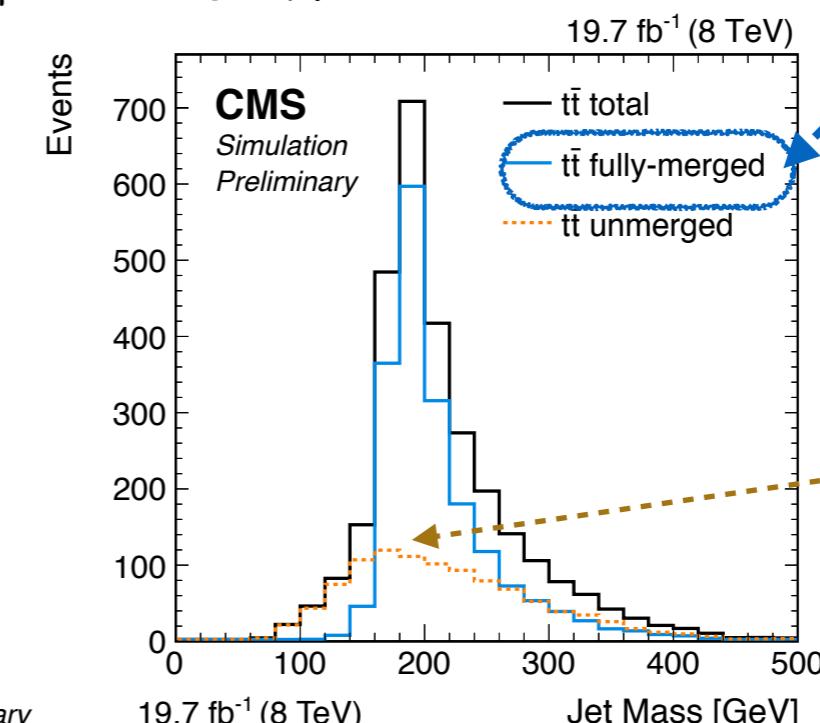
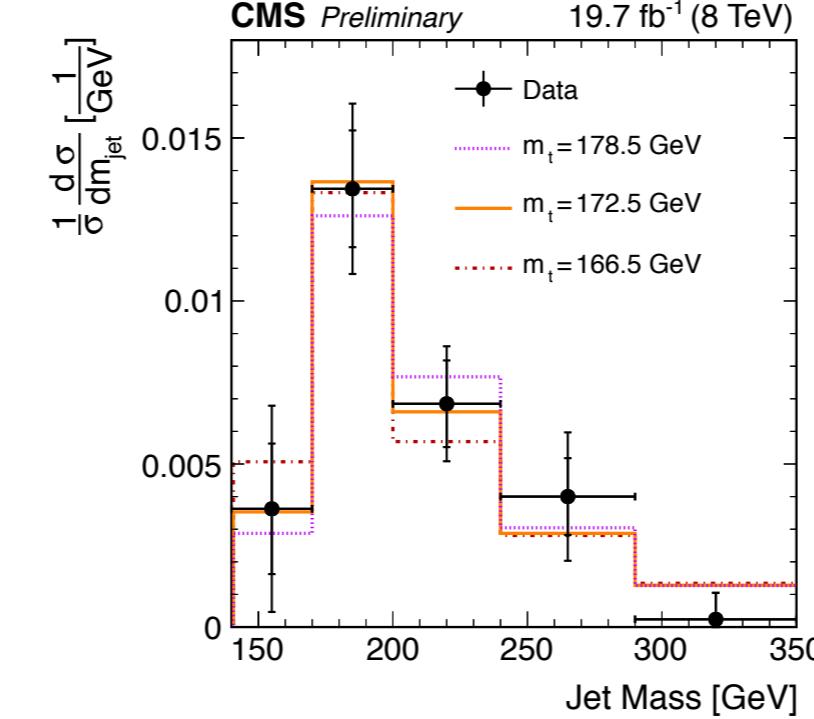
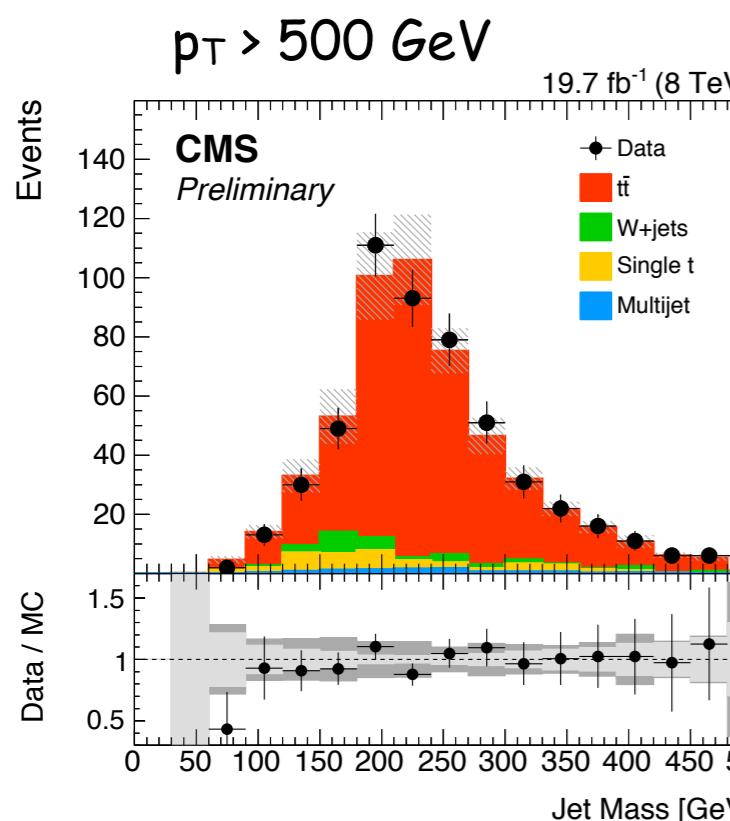
Other Measurements using boosted top

Jet Mass Distribution @8TeV in CMS

- A detailed understanding of jet substructure variable, especially **jet mass m_{jet}** is crucial for LHC analyses in boosted topologies.
- The location of m_{jet} distribution is sensitive to **top quark mass m_{top}** .
- Event selection in l+jets: **C/A jet R=1.2, $p_T > 400$ GeV.**

Leptons	$p_T^\ell > 45$ GeV	$ \eta^\ell < 2.5$
CA12 jets	$p_{T,1} > 400$ GeV $p_{T,2} > 150$ GeV $p_{T,veto} > 150$ GeV	$ \eta < 2.5$
Event	$\Delta R(\ell, \text{jet2}) < 1.2$ $m(\text{jet1}) > m(\text{jet2} + \ell)$	

Table. Fiducial region definition using particle objects



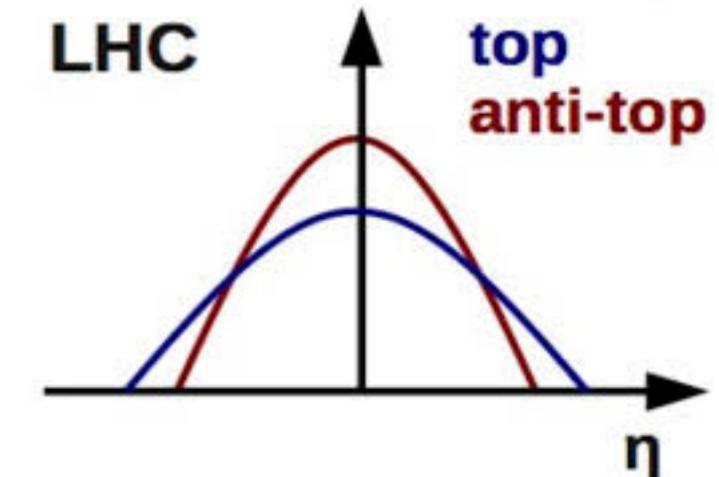
- ΔR between leading particle-level jet to each parton from top decay < 1.2
- 35% of events not fully-merged in Powheg+Pythia

- Total cross section m_{jet} in $[140, 350]$ GeV:
 103.5 ± 18.2 fb.
- Top mass is extracted from m_{jet} : **$m_{top} = 171.8 \pm 9.5$ GeV.**

Charge asymmetry @8TeV in ATLAS

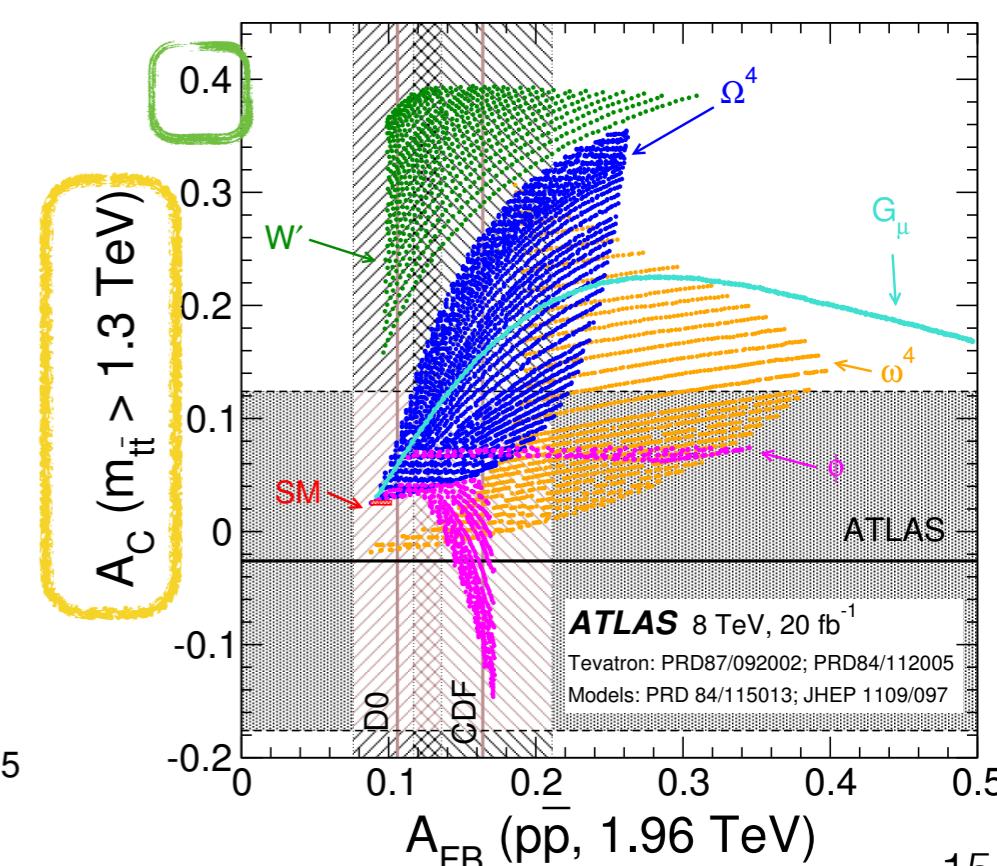
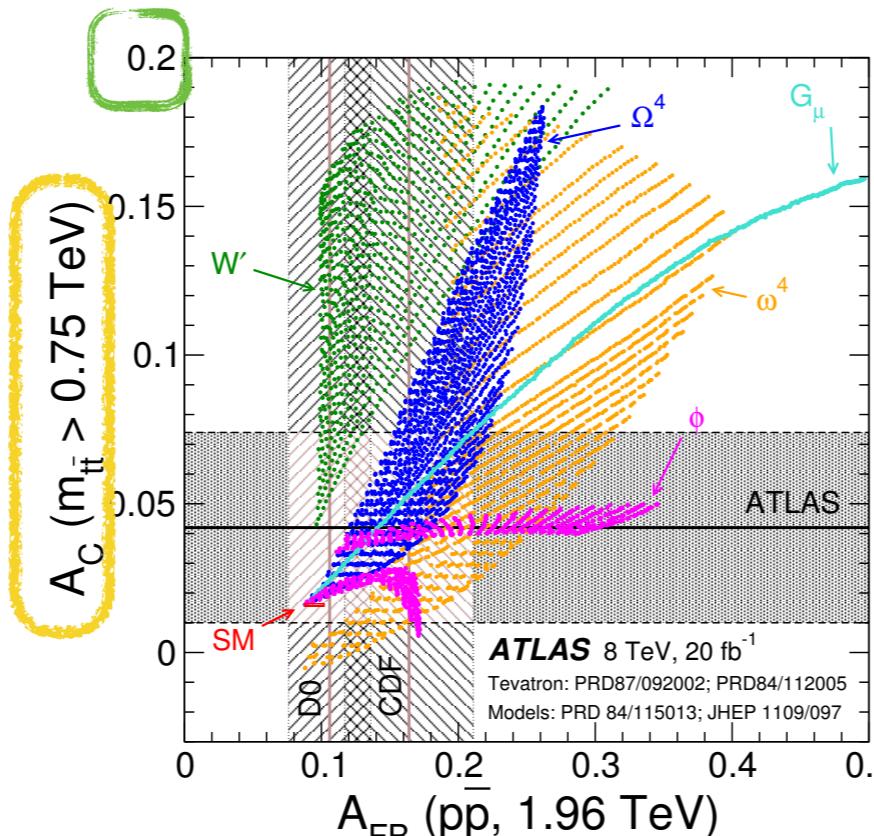
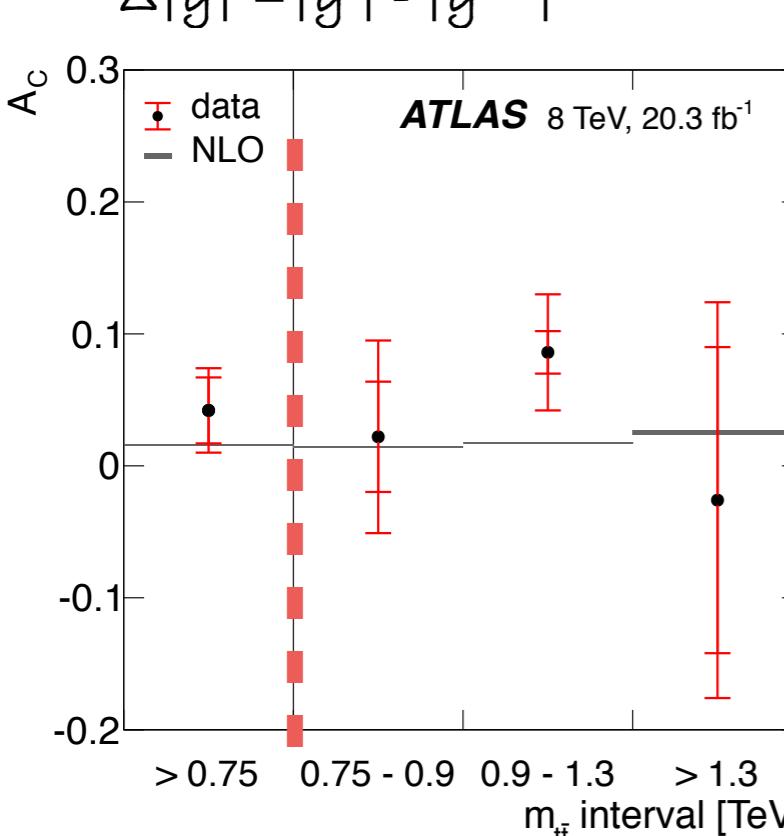
- Production of $q\bar{q} \rightarrow t\bar{t}$ at NLO gives non-zero charge asymmetry from interferences between diagrams.
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 - At high $m_{t\bar{t}}$, asymmetry is larger.
 - Deviation from SM \rightarrow indication of BSM.

[arxiv:1512.06092](https://arxiv.org/abs/1512.06092)



$$A_C^{t\bar{t}} = \frac{N(\Delta|y| > 0) - N(\Delta|y| < 0)}{N(\Delta|y| > 0) + N(\Delta|y| < 0)}$$

$$\Delta|y| = |y^t| - |y^{\bar{t}}|$$



Summary

- Several algorithms of boosted top reconstruction and identification have been developed in ATLAS and CMS using Run-I data @7 & 8TeV.
 - ◆ Taggers make use of the substructure variables.
 - ◆ Optimized for various physics analyses in SM measurements.
 - ◆ Also have been widely used in BSM searches.
- Physics analyses benefit from the Top Tagging algorithms to improve sensitivity at high p_T of top.
- Measurements at 7 & 8TeV in Run-I and at 13TeV in Run-II from ATLAS and CMS collaborations are presented.
- Looking forward to more exiting results at 13TeV in Run-II using more data.

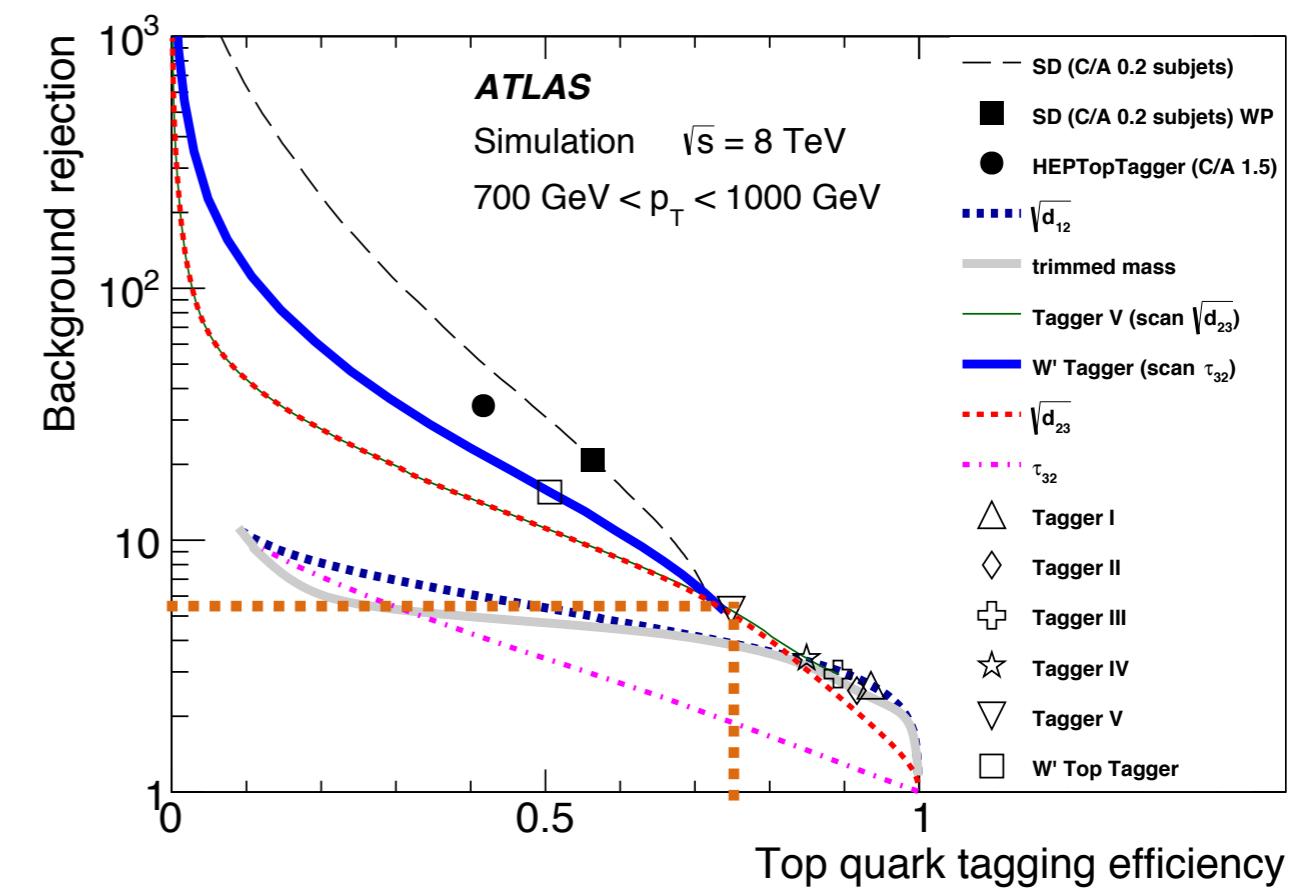
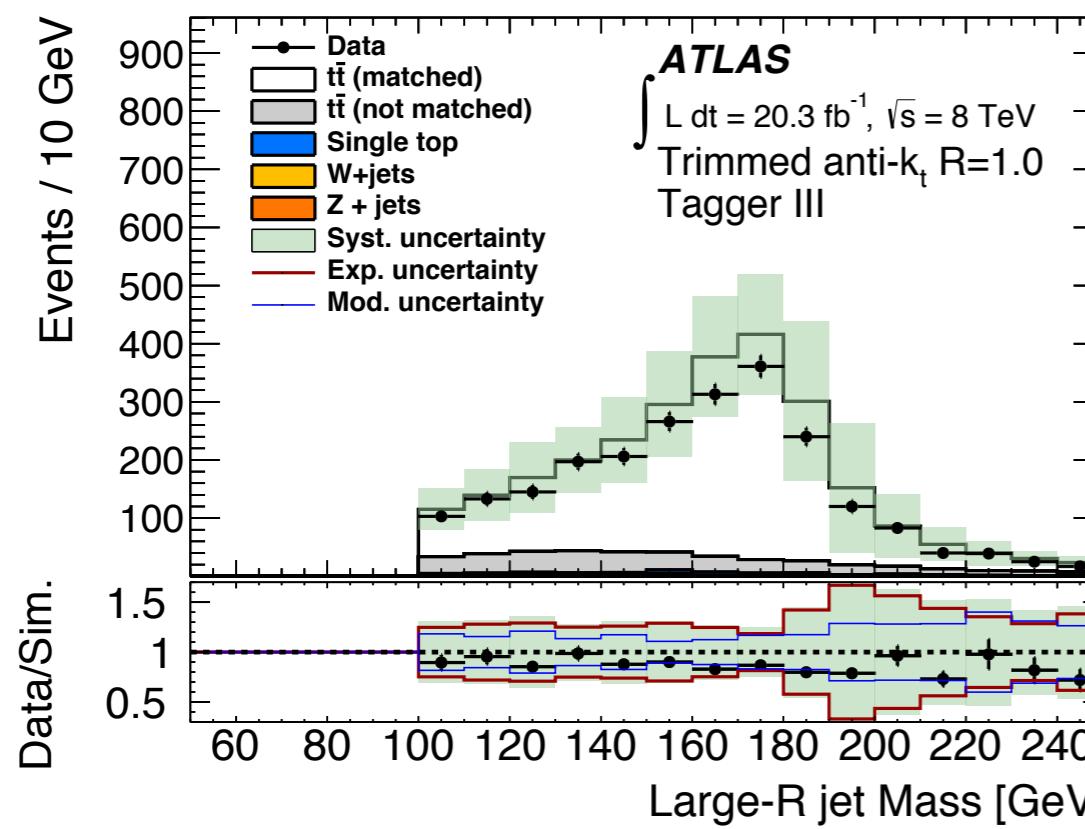
Backup

Top Tagger in ATLAS

Tagger	Top-tagging criterion
Substructure tagger I	$\sqrt{d_{12}} > 40$ GeV
Substructure tagger II	$m > 100$ GeV
Substructure tagger III	$m > 100$ GeV and $\sqrt{d_{12}} > 40$ GeV
Substructure tagger IV	$m > 100$ GeV and $\sqrt{d_{12}} > 40$ GeV and $\sqrt{d_{23}} > 10$ GeV
Substructure tagger V	$m > 100$ GeV and $\sqrt{d_{12}} > 40$ GeV and $\sqrt{d_{23}} > 20$ GeV
W' top tagger	$\sqrt{d_{12}} > 40$ GeV and $0.4 < \tau_{21} < 0.9$ and $\tau_{32} < 0.65$

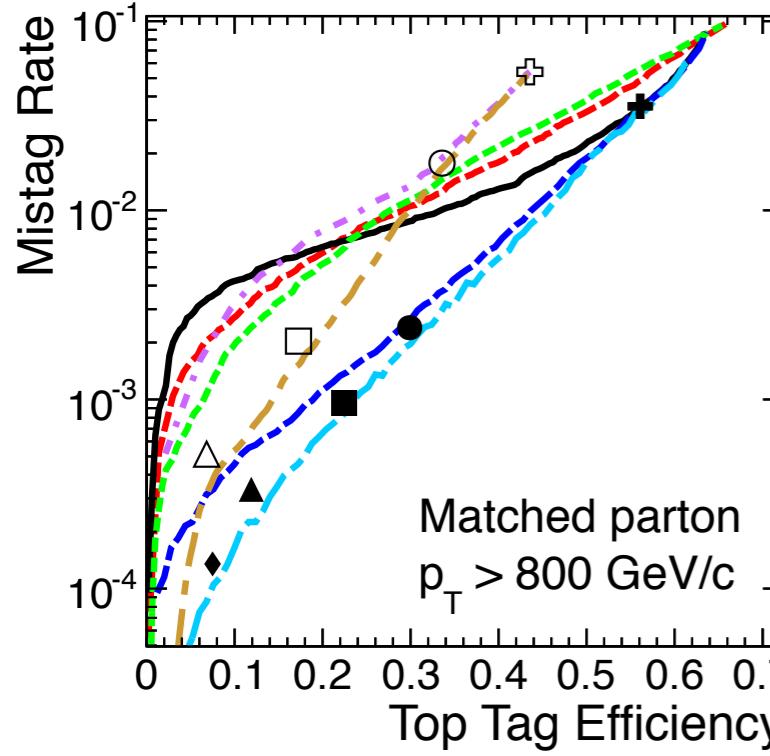
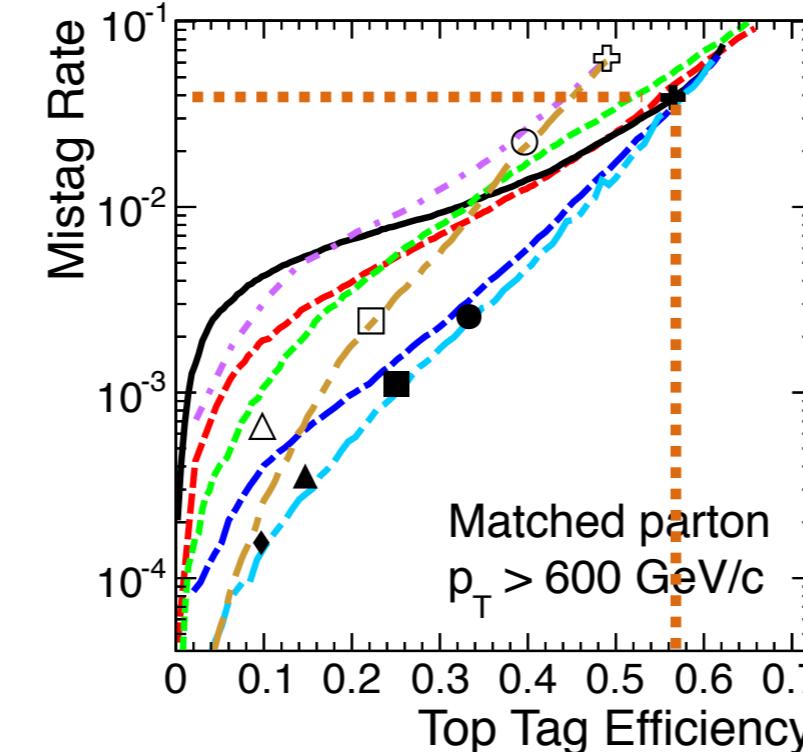
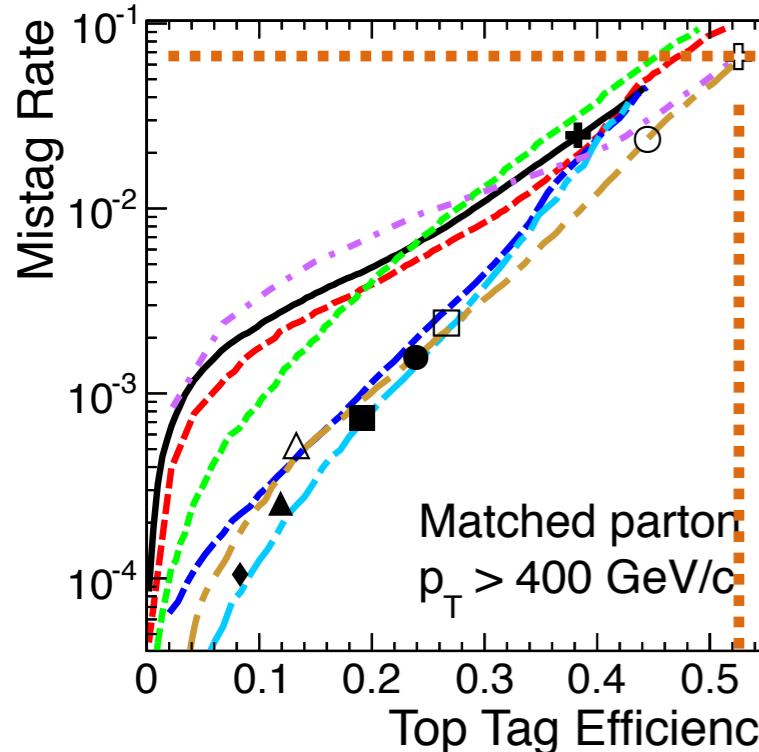
- Cuts optimized for specific analysis, e.g.: tagger III is for a search of ttbar resonance in single-lepton channel.

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Top Tagger in CMS

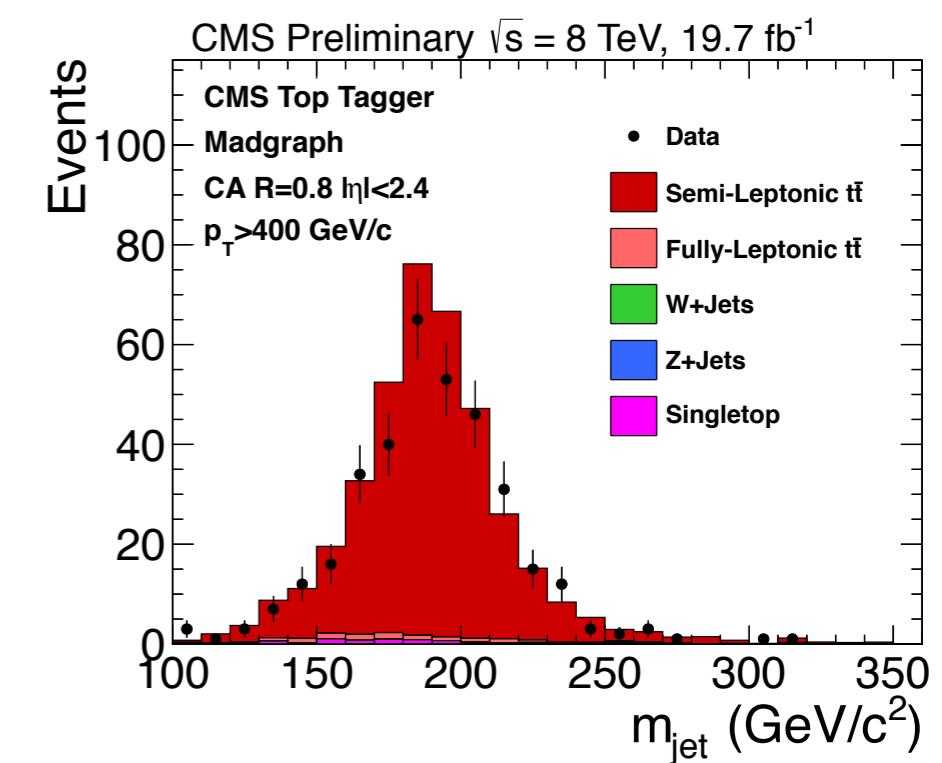
CMS Simulation, $\sqrt{s} = 8 \text{ TeV}$



- CMS Top Tagger
- - - subjet b-tag
- · - N-subjettiness ratio τ_3/τ_2
- - - CMS + subjet b-tag
- - - CMS + τ_3/τ_2 + subjet b-tag
- · - HEP Top Tagger
- - - HEP + τ_3/τ_2 + subjet b-tag
- + CMS WP0 + HEP WP0
- CMS Comb. WP1 ○ HEP Comb. WP1
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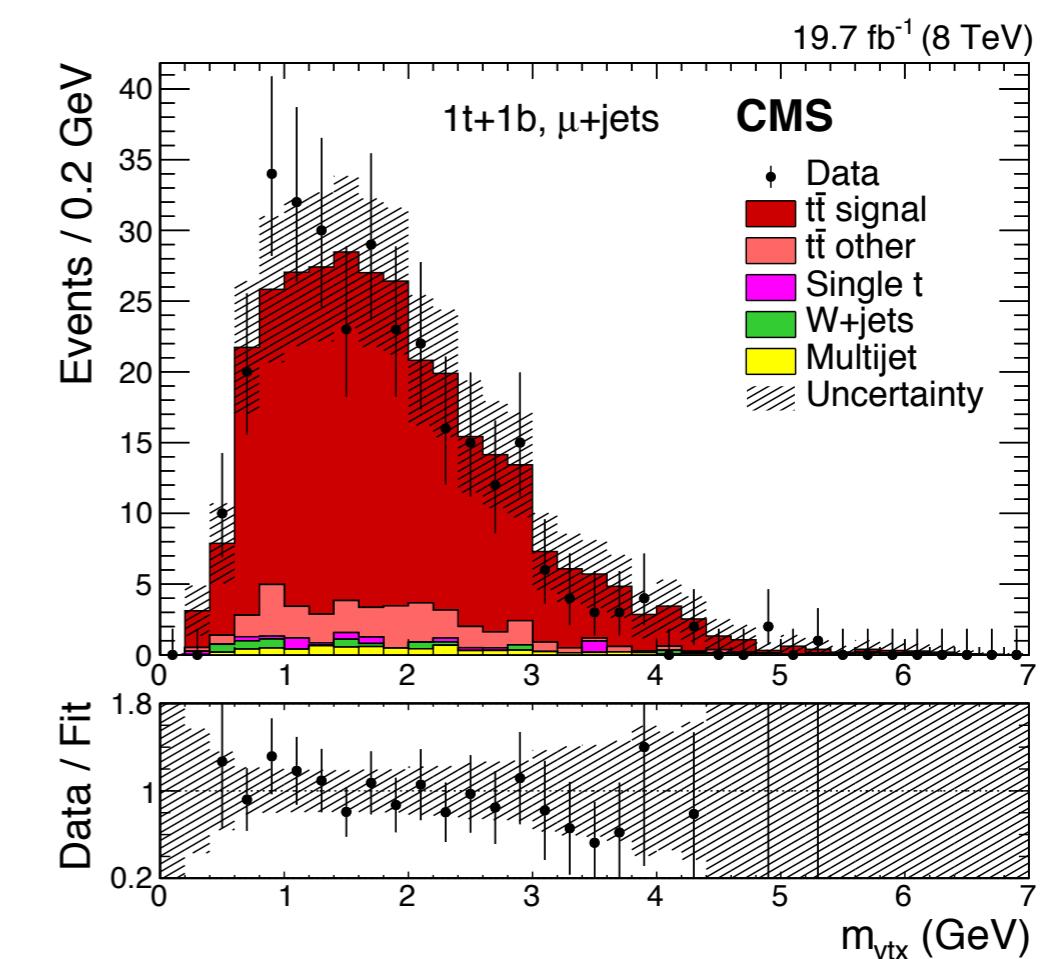
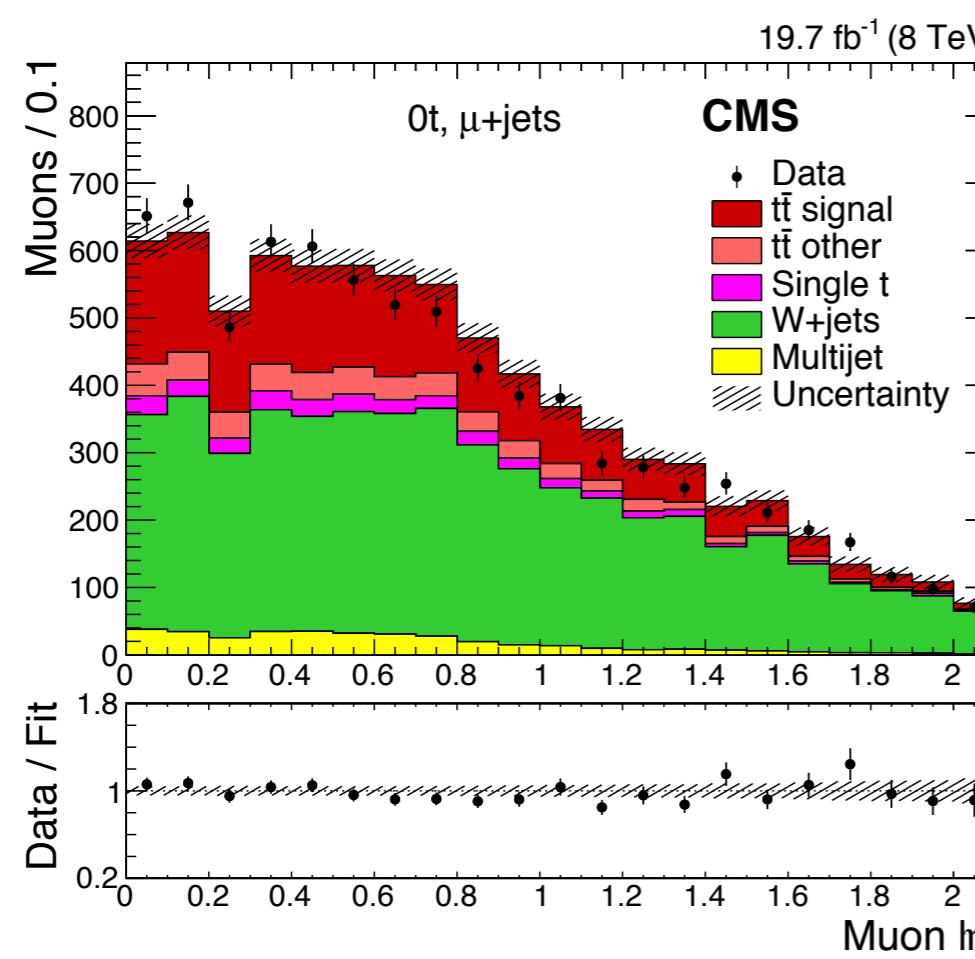
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- Combined Tagger working points defined by varying cuts on m_{\min} , subjet b-tagging and $\tau_{32}=\tau_3/\tau_2$.
- The tagging efficiency is calibrated using $t\bar{t}\bar{\nu}$ data.



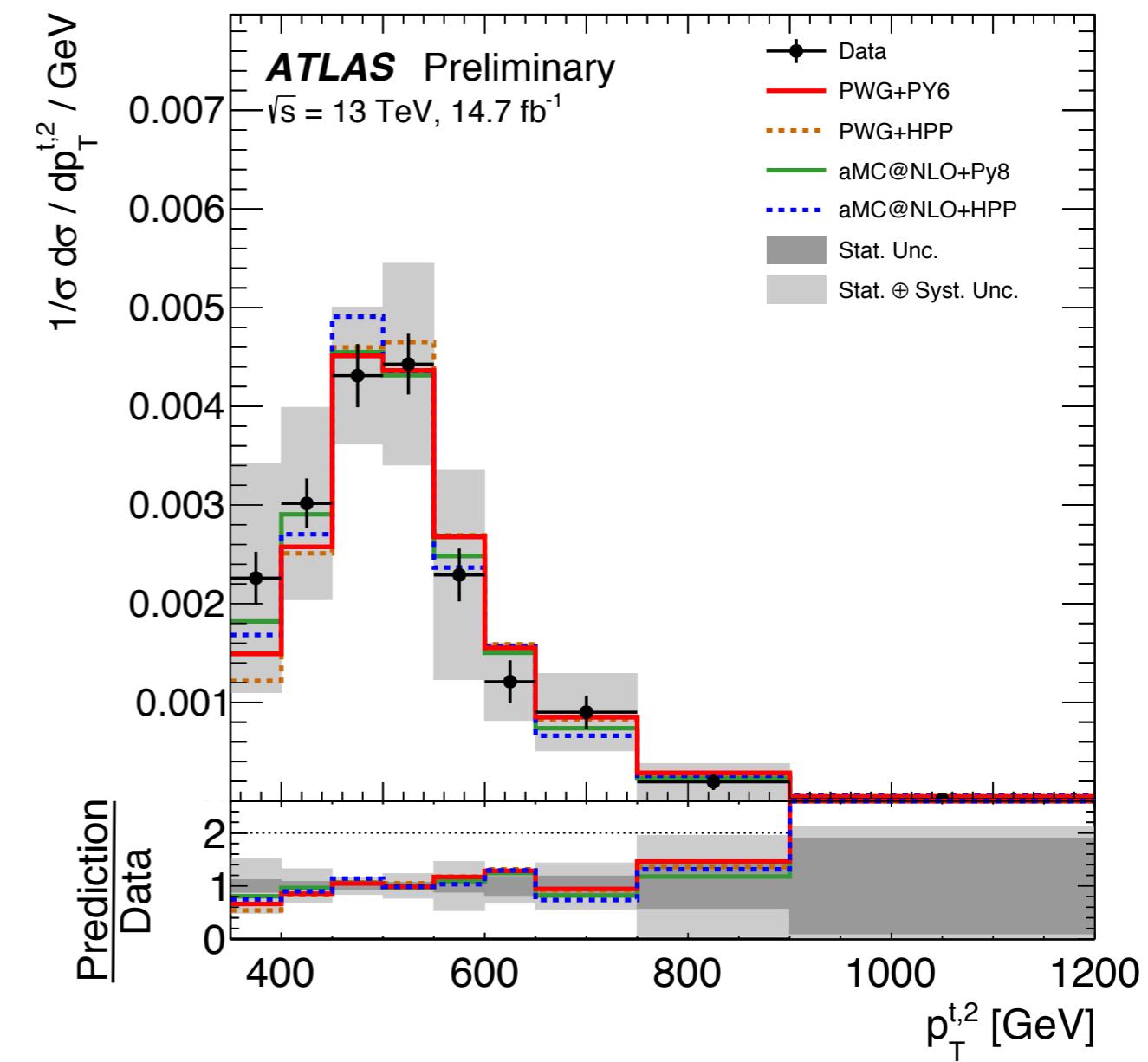
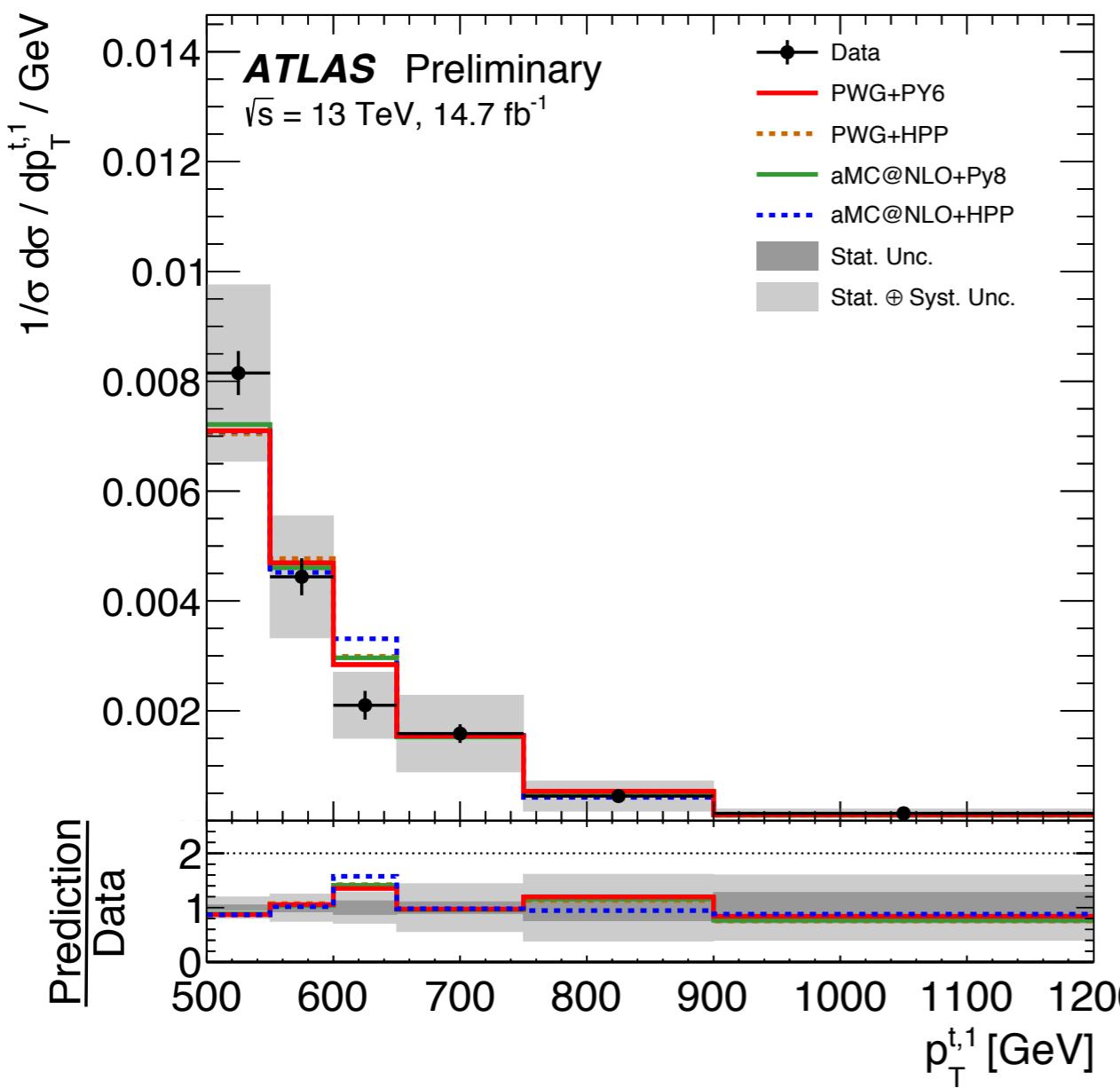
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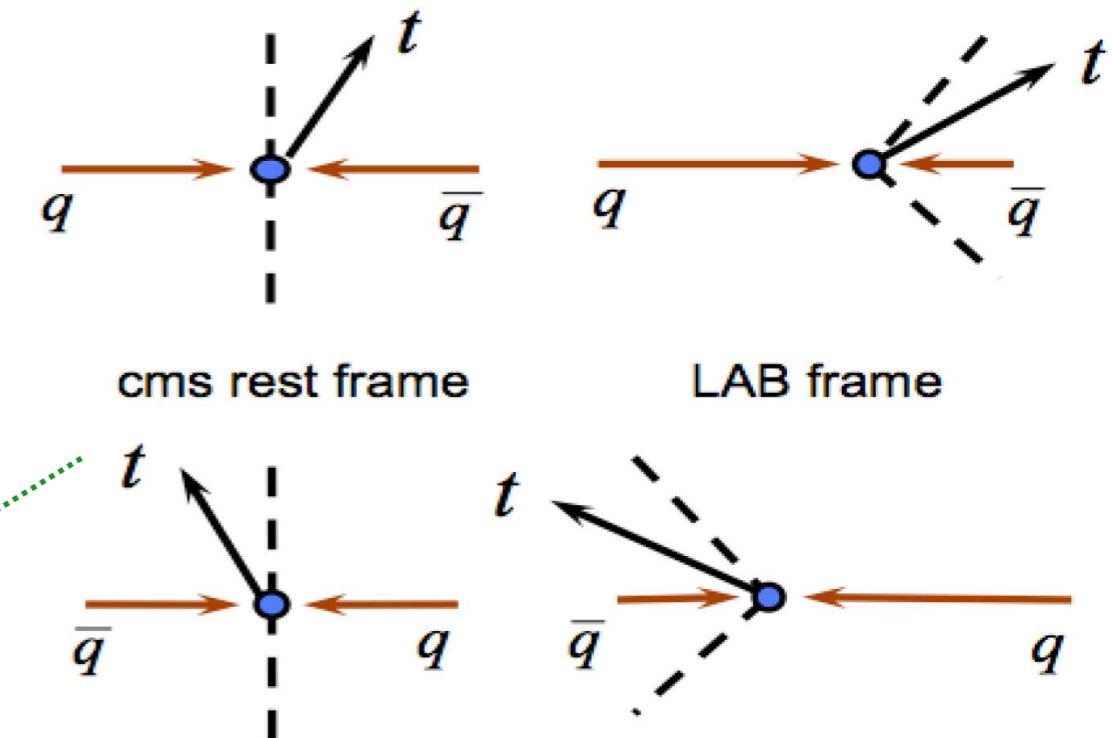
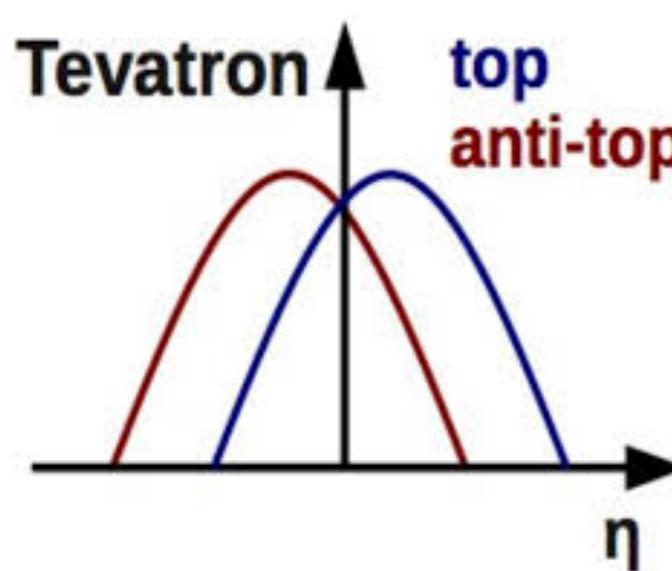
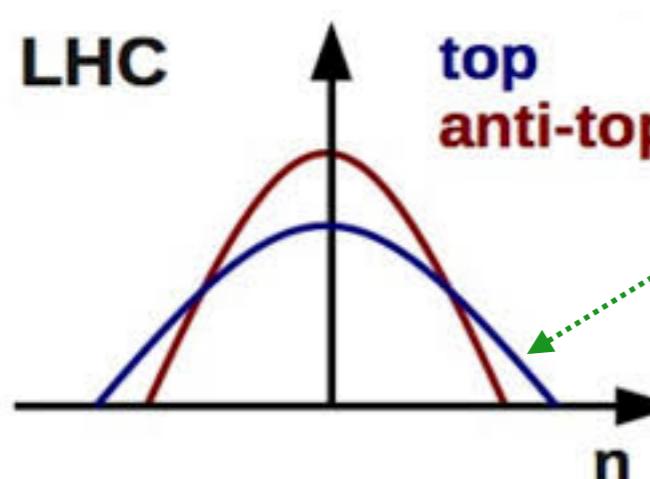
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