

Jet Energy Correlations and the
Identification of New Light Resonances

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Jet Substructure

Substructures help background reduction + classification of jets

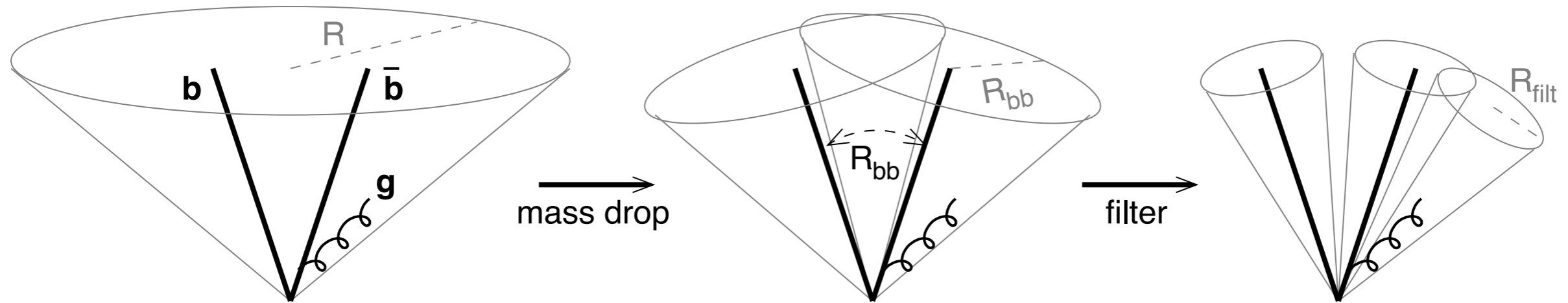
Classic Example

$$H \rightarrow b\bar{b}$$

“BDRS” 0802.4280,

Find local subclusters of energy within a jet

$$R_{b\bar{b}} \simeq \frac{1}{\sqrt{z(1-z)}} \frac{m_H}{p_T}$$



Step through clustering history to identify a hard splitting

Remove UE/Pile up contamination through pruning/filtering

Related ideas

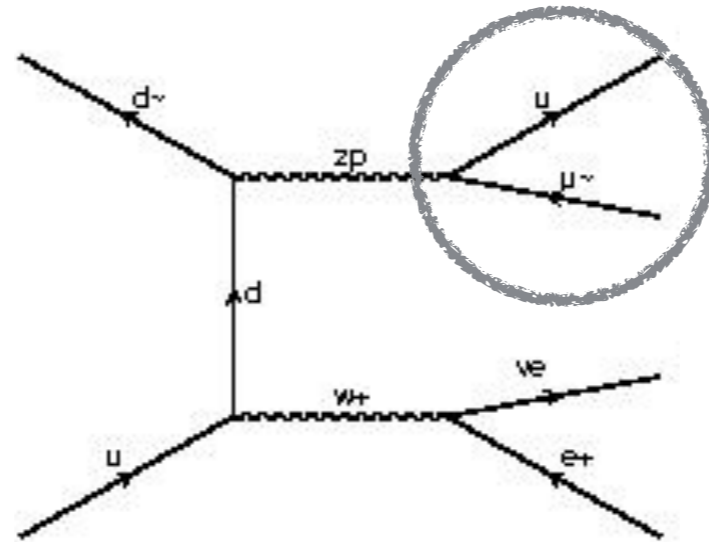
N-Subjettiness \rightarrow Quasi-minimization of N-point sub-structure

Q-Jets \rightarrow Tree based substructure to reduce fluctuations in the pruned jet mass

Jet Substructure for “light” leptophobic Z' resonances

Leptophobic Z' $\frac{g_B}{6} Z'_{B\mu} \bar{q} \gamma^\mu q$ $\Gamma(Z'_B \rightarrow jj) = \frac{5\alpha_B}{36} M_{Z'_B} \left(1 + \frac{\alpha_s}{\pi}\right)$

Look at leptonic mode



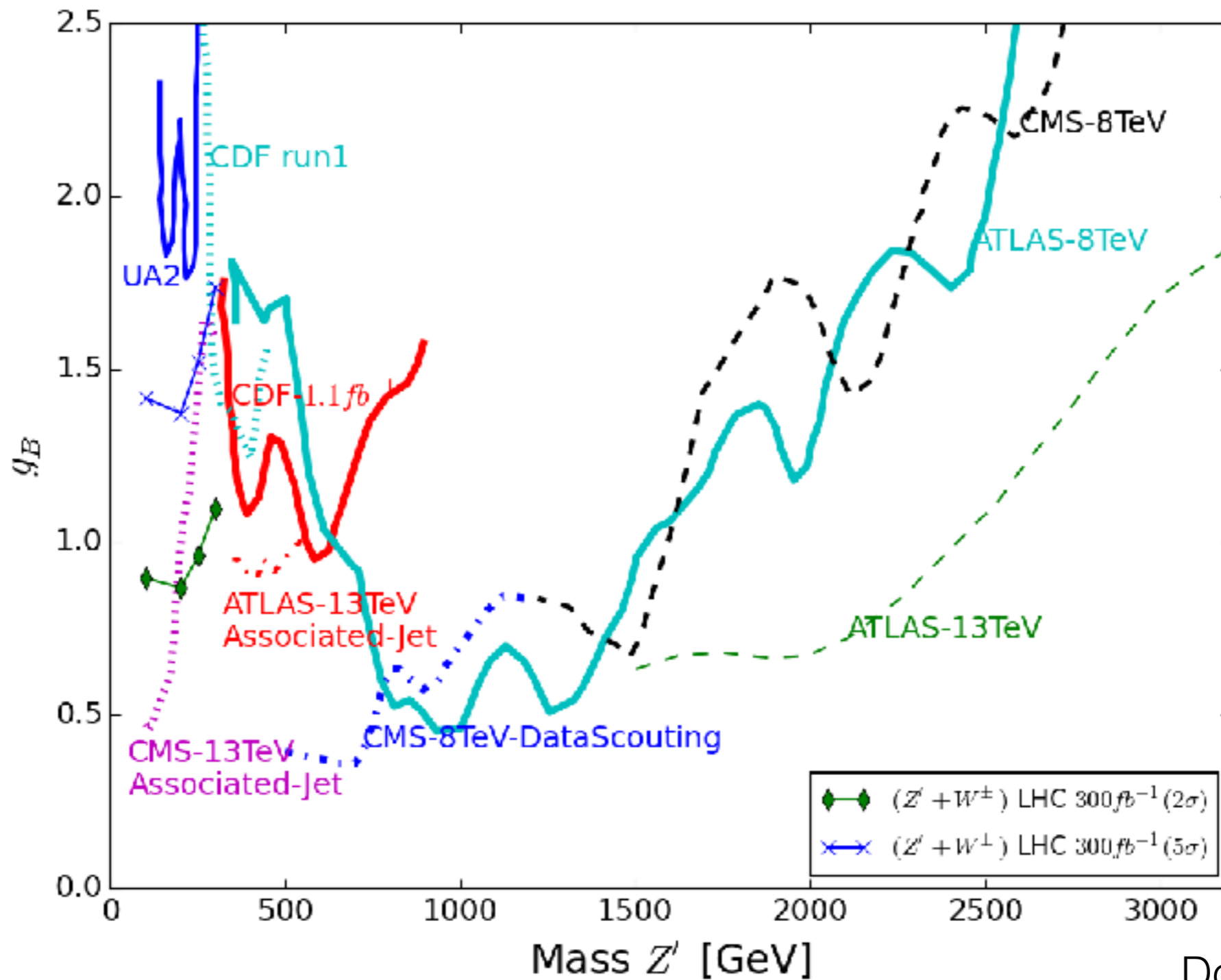
Use BDRS to reconstruct Z'
 $R=1.5$, $P_t > 100$ GeV

Principle backgrounds : $W/Z + \text{jets}/ t\bar{t} + \text{jets}, WW, ZZ, WZ$

Analysis cuts

- A single lepton and is selected with a p_T threshold of 10 GeV and isolated with respect to tracks within a cone of 0.1.
- A b-jet veto to discriminate against the $t\bar{t}$ background.
- $\cancel{p}_T \geq 100$ GeV.
- $\cos \theta(jj, \cancel{p}_T) < 0$.
- $H_T = \Sigma p_T + l + \cancel{p}_T > 500$ GeV.
- An invariant mass cut on the fat jet. This depends on the mass of the Z' . We choose a cut of $M_{Z'} \pm 20$ GeV.

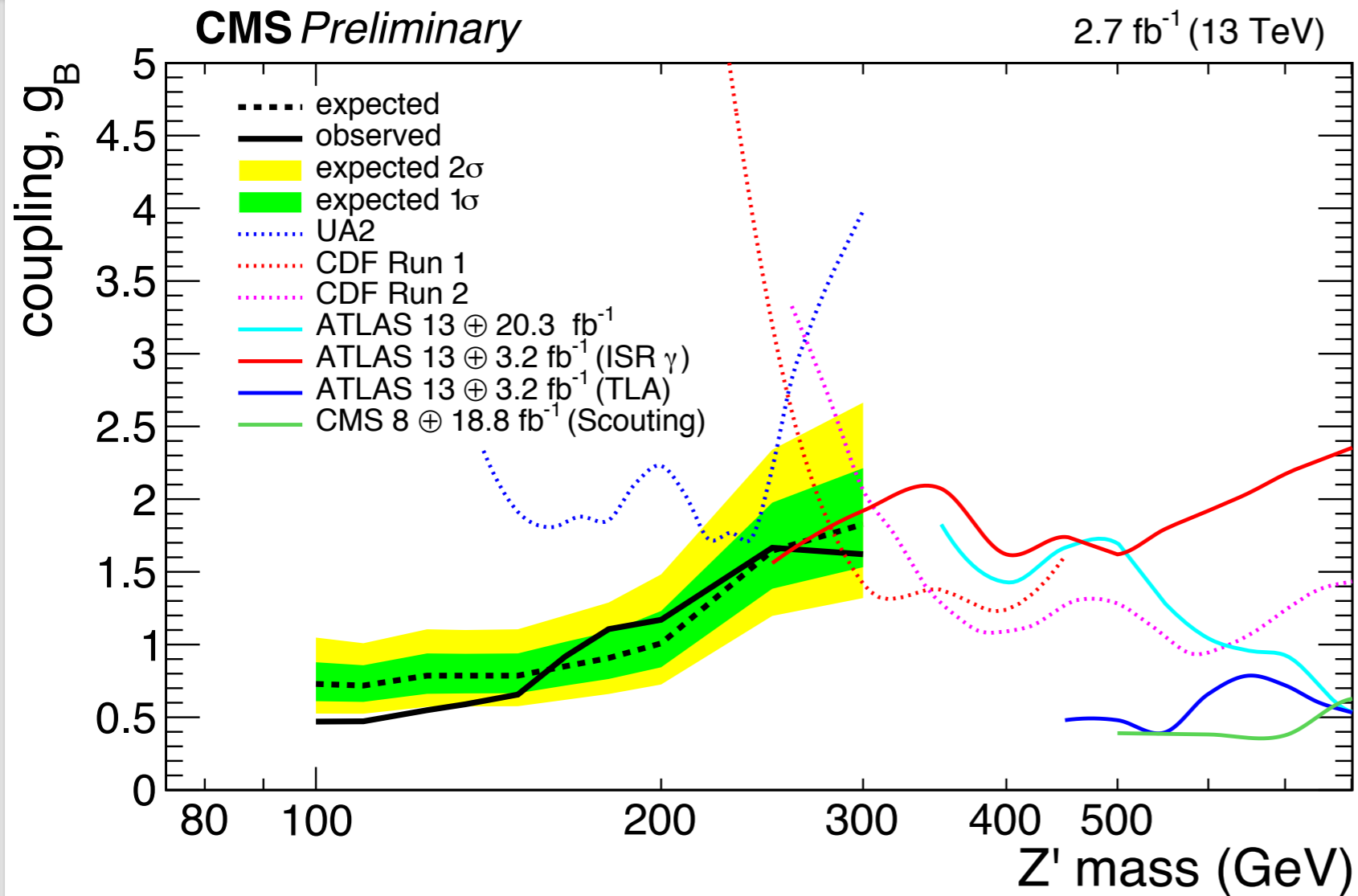
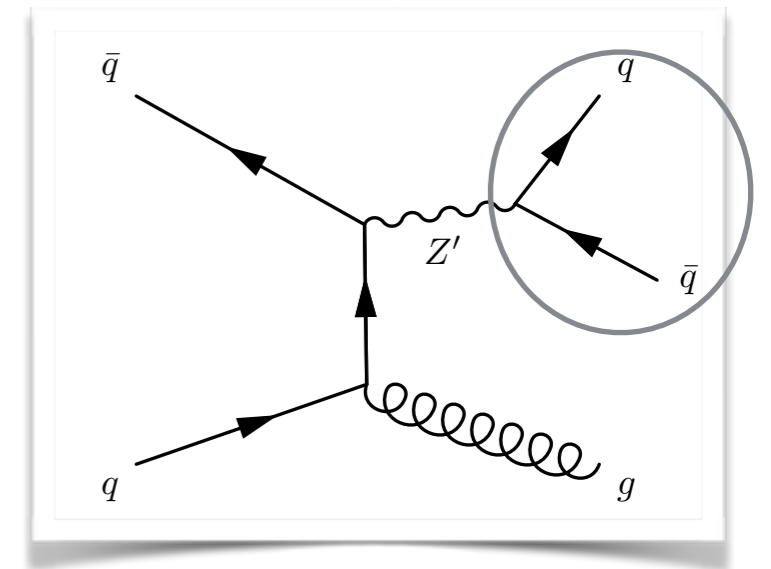
Z' Resonance Limits - Dijet and Associated Production



See
Dobrescu and Yu
PRD 2013

Jet Substructure for Light Z' resonances

- However the Z' + jet channel is more effective due larger cross section.
- Use of substructure by CMS has already yielded impressive bounds in the low mass region



Expect significant improvement at high luminosity

- Energy Correlation functions are an alternative measure of jet substructure
- No need to identify “subjet” regions individually
- Better probes of soft and collinear features - radiation

$$ECF(N, \beta) = \sum_{i_1 < i_2 < \dots < i_N \in J} \left(\prod_{a=1}^N E_{i_a} \right) \left(\prod_{b=1}^{N-1} \prod_{c=b+1}^N \theta_{i_b i_c} \right)^\beta$$

$$ECF(0, \beta) \equiv 1$$

$$ECF(1, \beta) = \sum_i E_i$$

$$ECF(2, \beta) = \sum_{ij} E_i E_j \theta_{ij}^\beta$$

$$ECF(3, \beta) = \sum_{ijk} E_i E_j E_k (\theta_{ij} \theta_{jk} \theta_{ik})^\beta$$

Vanish in the soft and collinear limit
(alternative definition in
transverse momentum)

For an “N-jet” event, $ECF(N, \beta)$
maximal

Defined for entire event or,
in our case, for a “fat” jet

First, define the ratio $r_N^{(\beta)} \equiv \frac{\text{ECF}(N+1, \beta)}{\text{ECF}(N, \beta)}$

$r_N^{(\beta)}$ (small) determines if an N-pronged decay has N-subjets

Finally, define the dimensionless double ratio :

$$C_N^{(\beta)} \equiv \frac{r_N^{(\beta)}}{r_{N-1}^{(\beta)}} = \frac{\text{ECF}(N+1, \beta) \text{ECF}(N-1, \beta)}{\text{ECF}(N, \beta)^2}$$

For example: $C_1^{(\beta)} = \frac{\sum_{ij} E_i E_j \theta_{ij}^\beta}{(\sum_i E_i)^2}$

Radiation from N-jets increases the value of $C_N^{(\beta)}$

$$\hat{C}_1^{(\beta)} = z(1-z)\theta^\beta \quad \text{Dominated by the splitting angle and energy of the softer particle}$$

Resummed distribution

$$\frac{1}{\sigma} \frac{d\sigma^{\text{LL}}}{dC_1^{(\beta)}} = \frac{2\alpha_s}{\pi} \frac{C}{\beta} \frac{L}{C_1^{(\beta)}} e^{-\frac{\alpha_s}{\pi} \frac{C}{\beta} L^2} \quad L \equiv \ln \frac{R_0^\beta}{C_1^{(\beta)}}$$

Cumulative distribution between quarks and gluons

$$\Sigma_g(C_1^{(\beta)}) = \left(\Sigma_q(C_1^{(\beta)}) \right)^{C_A/C_F}$$

Discriminant

$$\text{disc}(x) = x^{C_A/C_F} = x^{9/4}$$

Independent of the angular exponent

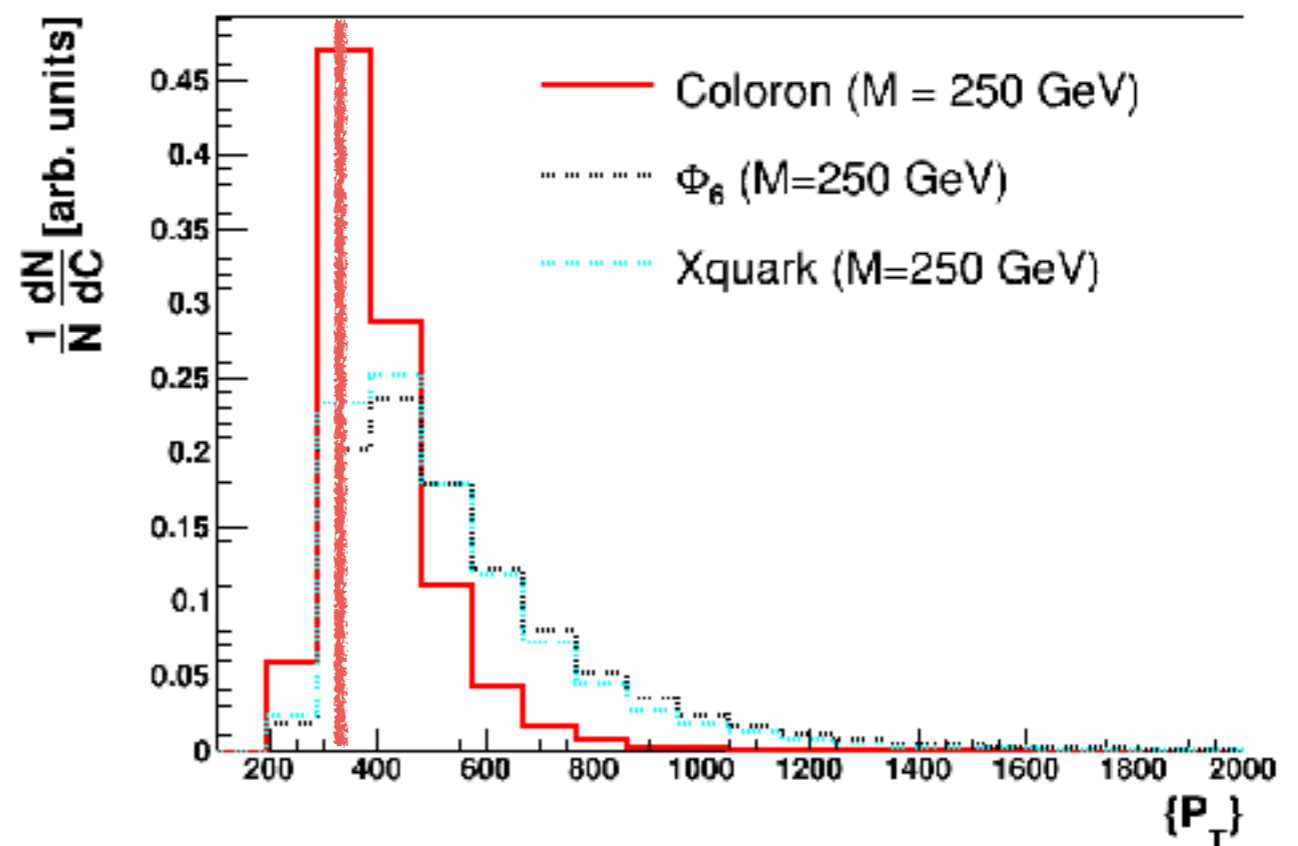
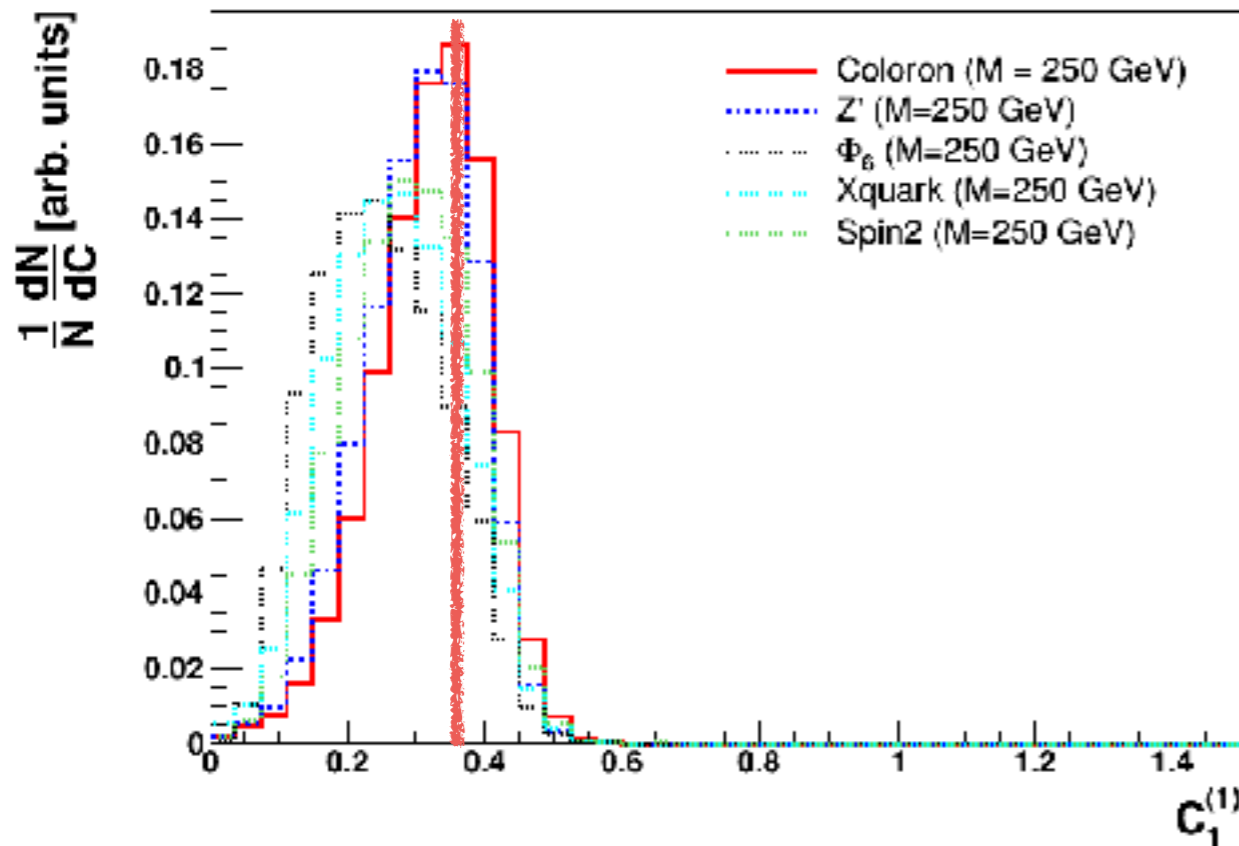
Larkoski, Salam, Thaler :1305.0007

Quark jets peaked at smaller values of $C_1^{(\beta)}$ than gluons, because they radiate less.

- Given a signal we would like to classify the resonance.
- Apart from direct spin measurements, radiation patterns provide valuable clue.
- Color octets, sextets and singlets can be distinguished by how it radiates.
- Jet energy correlations can be an efficient handle in this case.

Jet Energy Correlators - p_T Information

$$C_1^{(\beta)} = \frac{\sum_{ij} E_i E_j \theta_{ij}^\beta}{\left(\sum_i E_i\right)^2} \propto \left(\frac{m_R}{p_T}\right)^\beta$$



40K events, signal only
 Boosted "fat jets" with $R=1.5$
 (which pass mass-drop criteria)
 $\beta=2$, Pythia tune 4c

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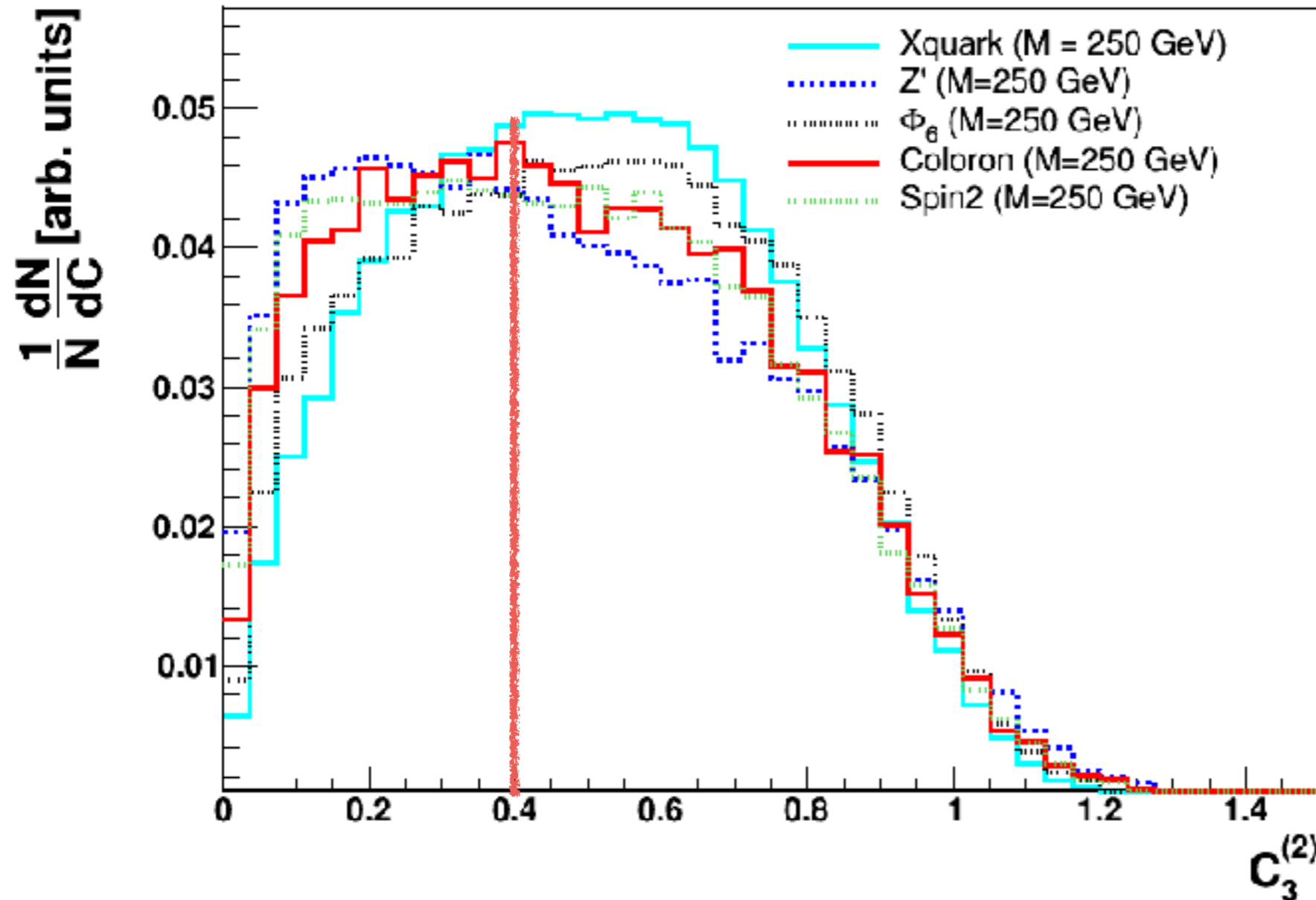
Jet Energy Correlators : Distinguishing resonances

Discriminating with higher point moments

$$C_3^{(\beta)} = \frac{\text{ECF}(4, \beta) \text{ECF}(2, \beta)}{\text{ECF}(3, \beta)^2}$$

$C_3^{(\beta)}$ also depends strongly on what type of radiation contributes to the jet

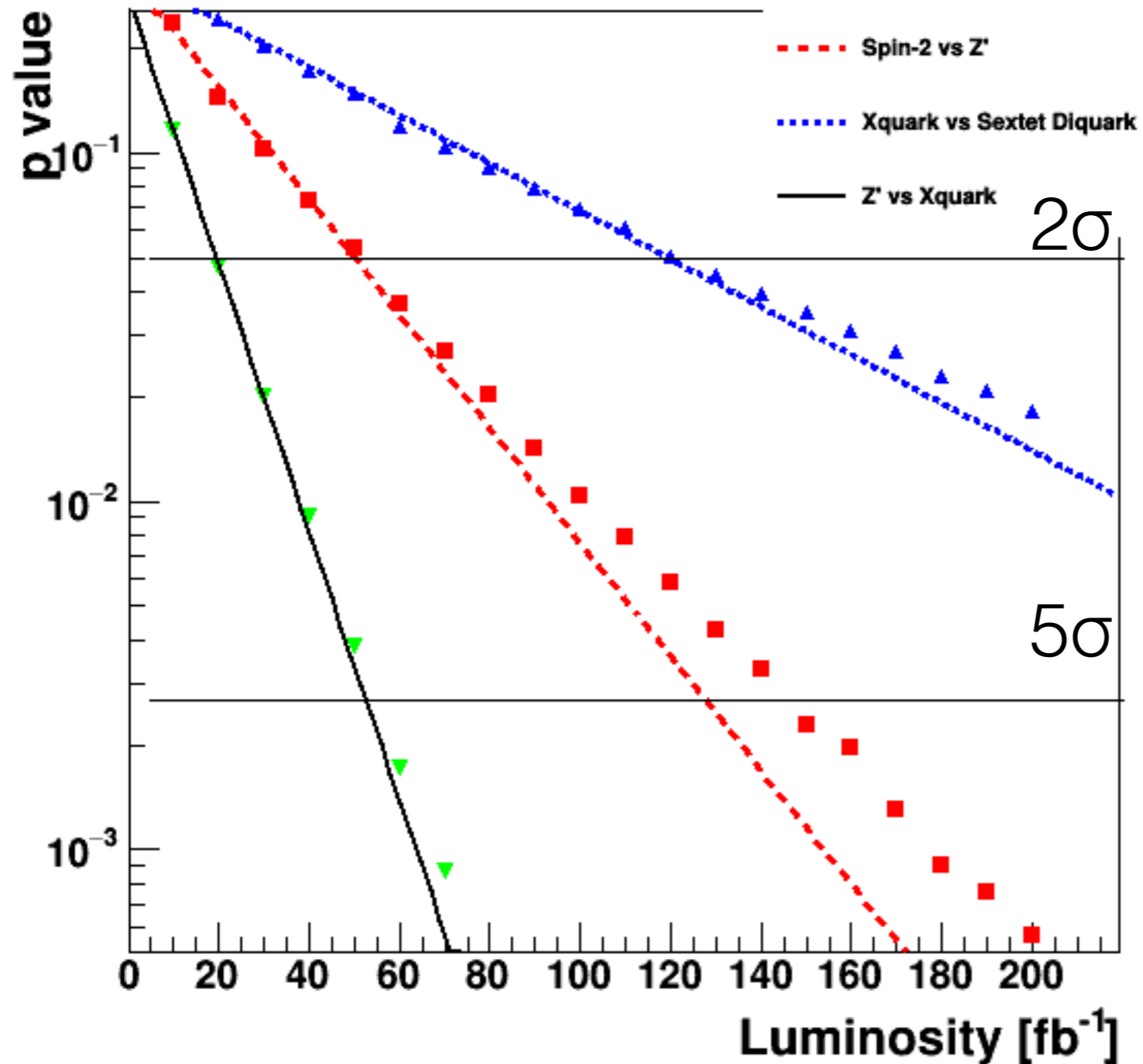
- Color octets have more wide angle radiation compared to color singlets.
- Larger jet radius improves discrimination power.
- Larger value of the angular exponent \rightarrow More weight to wide angle emissions.



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Jet Energy Correlators : Significance



2D binned log likelihood in two-point and four-point correlation

Assumption : 0.4 fb after all cuts and background free

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- Jet Energy Correlators can be used to characterize jet substructure
- Correlators are sensitive to spin and color structure of light resonances
- ... and can therefore be used to characterize light boosted resonances.