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Parton energy loss effect on Z+jet production in high-energy nuclear collisions

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Introduction

- Z+jet: Golden channel to study jet quenching.

  V. Kartvelishvili, R. Kvatadze and R. Shanidze, Phys. Lett. B 356, 589 (1995)

 – High energy parton from hard scattering lose energy due to strong interactions.
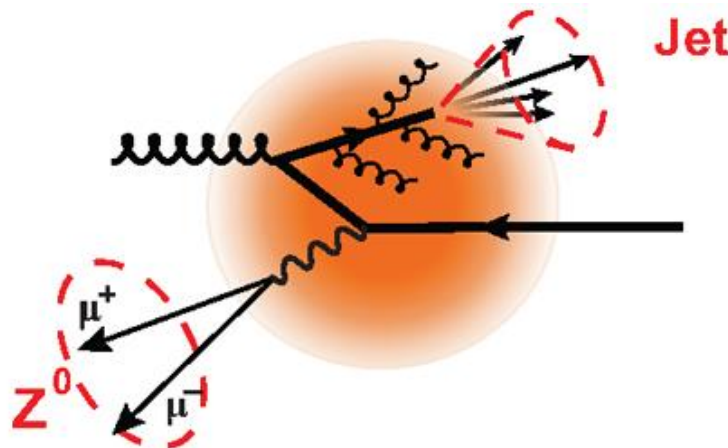
  – Mean-free-path of Z boson is longer than the size of QGP.
  – Z boson will not participate in strong interactions directly.
  – No fragmentation contributions due to large mass (M_Z = 91.18 GeV).
  – Large fraction of quark jets (> 70%).
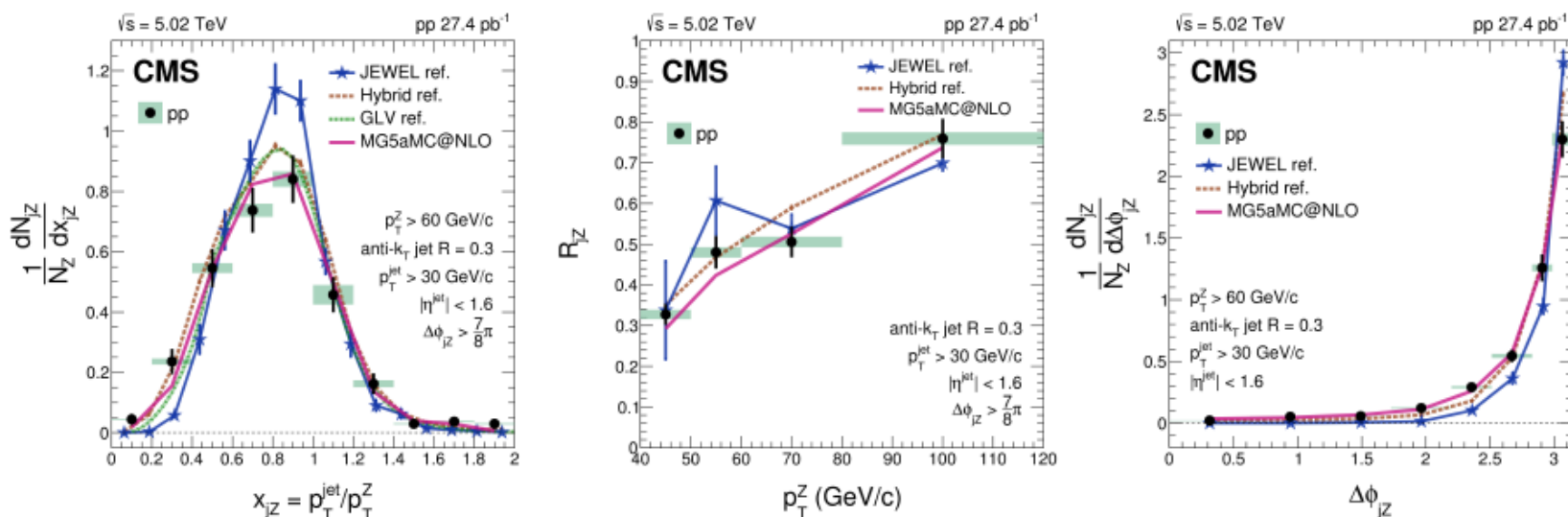- Important background to new physics, e.g. tops and Higgs.

Current Status

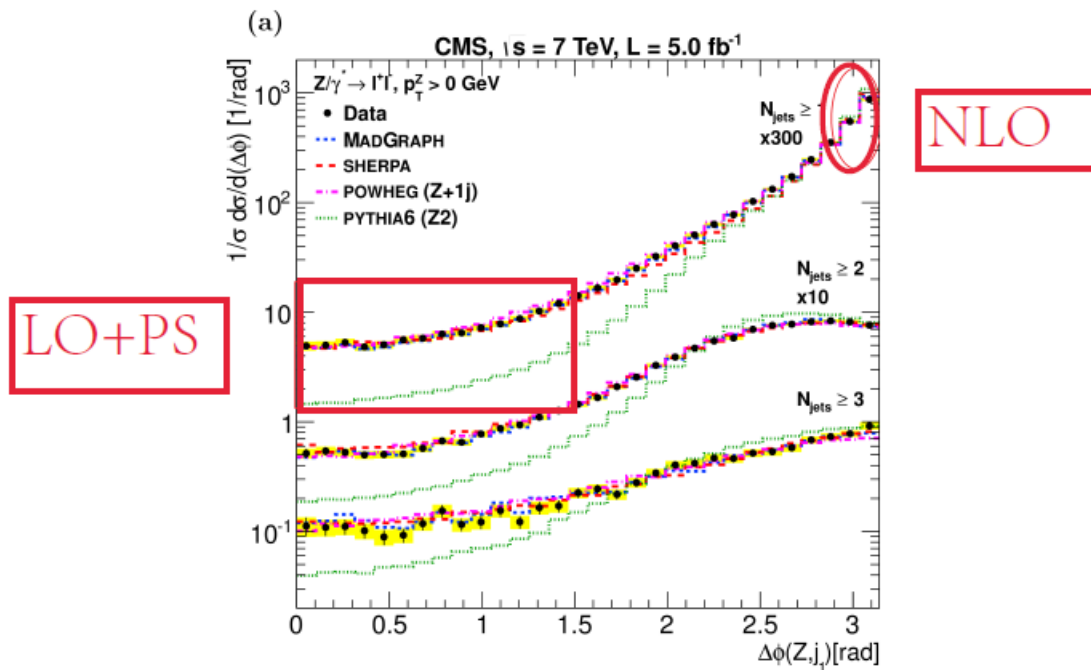- Z+jet correlations in Pb+Pb collisions. Phys. Rev. Lett. 119, no. 8, 082301 (2017)
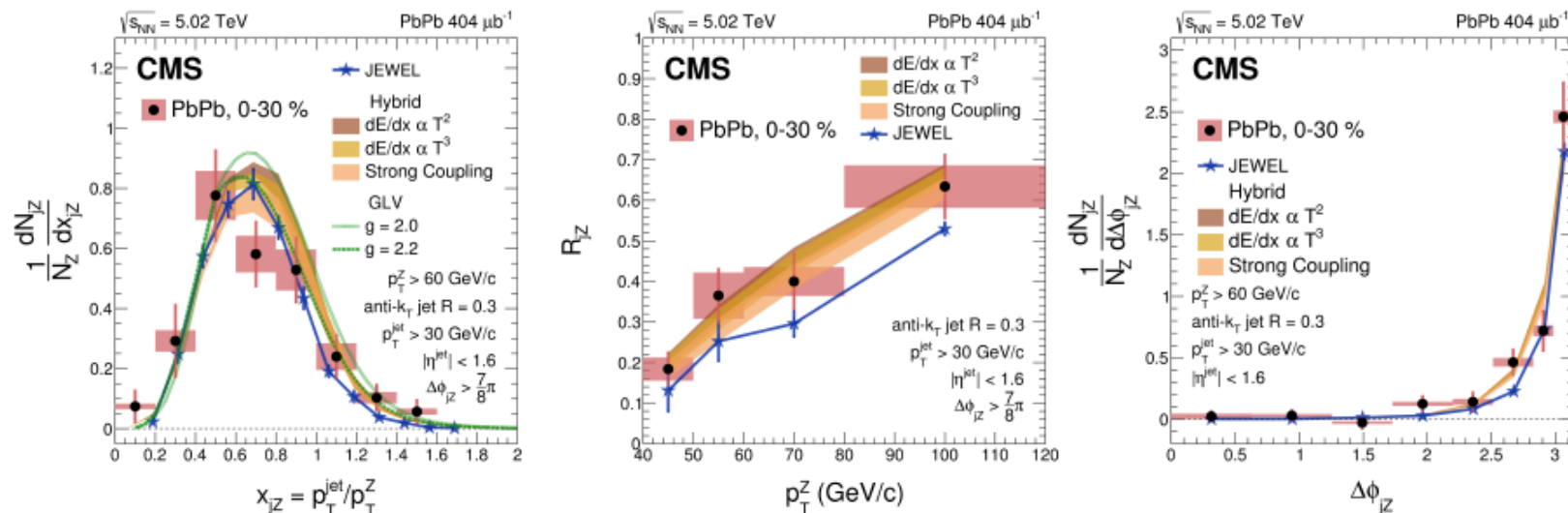
- Z+jet correlations in p+p collisions. CMS-HIN-15-013

Z+jet correlations in pp

- Z+jet azimuthal angle correlations

  S. Chatrchyan et al. [CMS Collaboration], Phys. Lett. B **722**, 238 (2013)

  – NLO calculations suffer divergency at $\Delta\phi_{jZ} \approx \pi$.

  – LO+PS calculations underestimate at $\Delta\phi_{jZ} < 2$.

- We adopt NLO+PS and Eloss to study Z+jet correlations.

Sherpa

Sherpa: Simulate of High-Energy Reactions of PArticles in the SM.

Merging schemes are provided to calculate multijets.

T. Gleisberg, S. Hoeche, F. Krauss, M. Schonherr, S. Schumann, F. Siegert and J. Winter, JHEP **0902**, 007 (2009);
S. Hoeche,F. Krauss,S. Schumann and F. S,JHEP 0905,053(2009);JHEP 1108,123(2011);JHEP 1304,027(2013).

- Low multiplicities: NLO matched to the parton shower.

- High multiplicities: LO merged on the parton shower.

Matching scheme can be simply formulated as:

$$\langle O \rangle^{(NloPs)} = \int d\Phi_B \left[B + \tilde{V} + I^S \right] (\Phi_B) \widetilde{PS}_B(\mu_Q^2, O)$$
$$+ \int d\Phi_R \left[R - D^S \right] (\Phi_R) \widetilde{PS}_R(t_R, O)$$

- B, $\tilde{V}$ and R is born, virtual and real terms respectively.
- D ($I^S = \int d\Phi_1 D^{(S)}$) is the (Integrated) subtraction term.
- $\widetilde{PS}$: the parton shower branch.

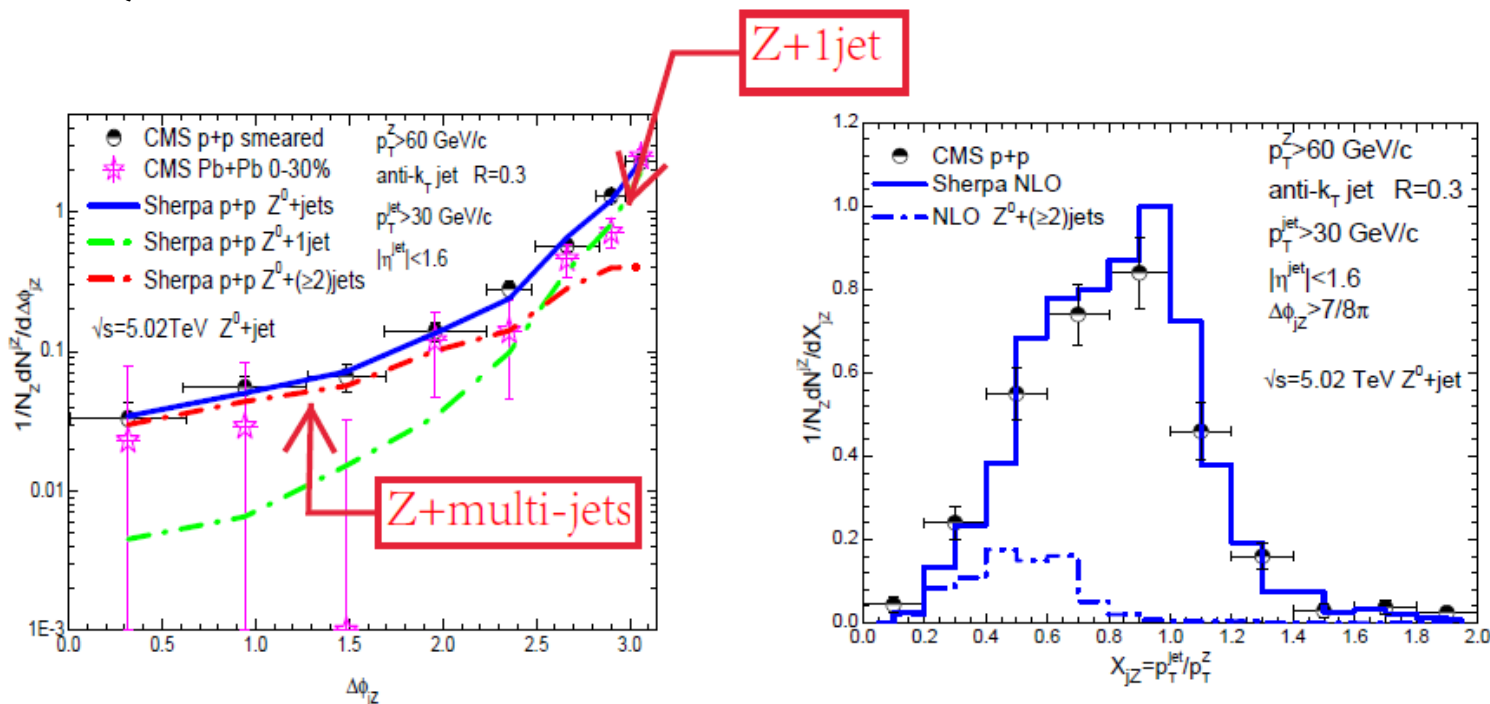Sherpa: Gauge boson(γ, Z, W)+jets, b(c) jets, tops, Higgs...

Z+jets in pp collisions with Sherpa

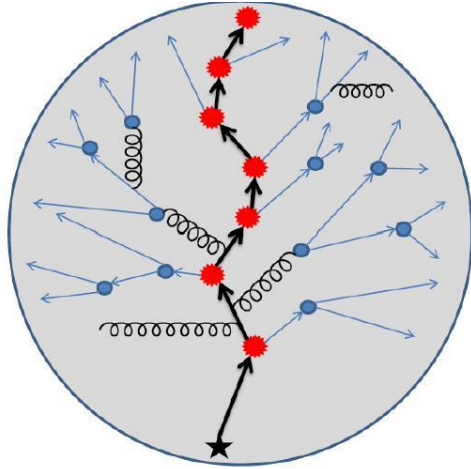- Z+jet correlations in p+p collisions.
  Loop ME: OpenLoops. F. Cascioli, P. Maierhofer and S. Pozzorini, Phys. Rev. Lett. 108, 111601
  PDF: CETQ14nlo.

- NLO matched PS calculations show excellent agreement with experimental data in p+p collisions.

- Z+1jet dominate $\Delta\phi_{jZ} \approx \pi$, Z+multi-jets dominate $\Delta\phi_{jZ} < 2$ region.

Linear Boltzmann Transport (LBT) model

Linear Boltzmann jet Transport

Elastic collision + Induced gluon radiation.

Follow the propagation of recoiled parton.

Back reaction of the Boltzmann transport.

H. Li, F. L, G. l. Ma, X. N. W and Y. Z, PhysRevLett.106.012301; X. N. Wang and Y. Zhu, PhysRevLett.111.062301; Y. He, T. Luo, X. N. Wang and Y. Zhu, PhysRevC.91.054908.

Medium Excitation

$$p_1 \cdot \partial f_a(p_1) = -\int \frac{d^3 p_2}{(2\pi)^3 2E_2} \int \frac{d^3 p_3}{(2\pi)^3 2E_3} \int \frac{d^3 p_4}{(2\pi)^3 2E_4}$$
$$\times \frac{1}{2} \sum_{b(c,d)} [f_a(p_1) f_b(p_2) - f_c(p_3) f_d(p_4)] |M_{ab \to cd}|^2$$
$$\times S_2(s,t,u)(2\pi)^4 \delta^4(p_1 + p_2 - p_3 - p_4)$$

Elastic Scattering--Complete set of 2-2 scattering processes.

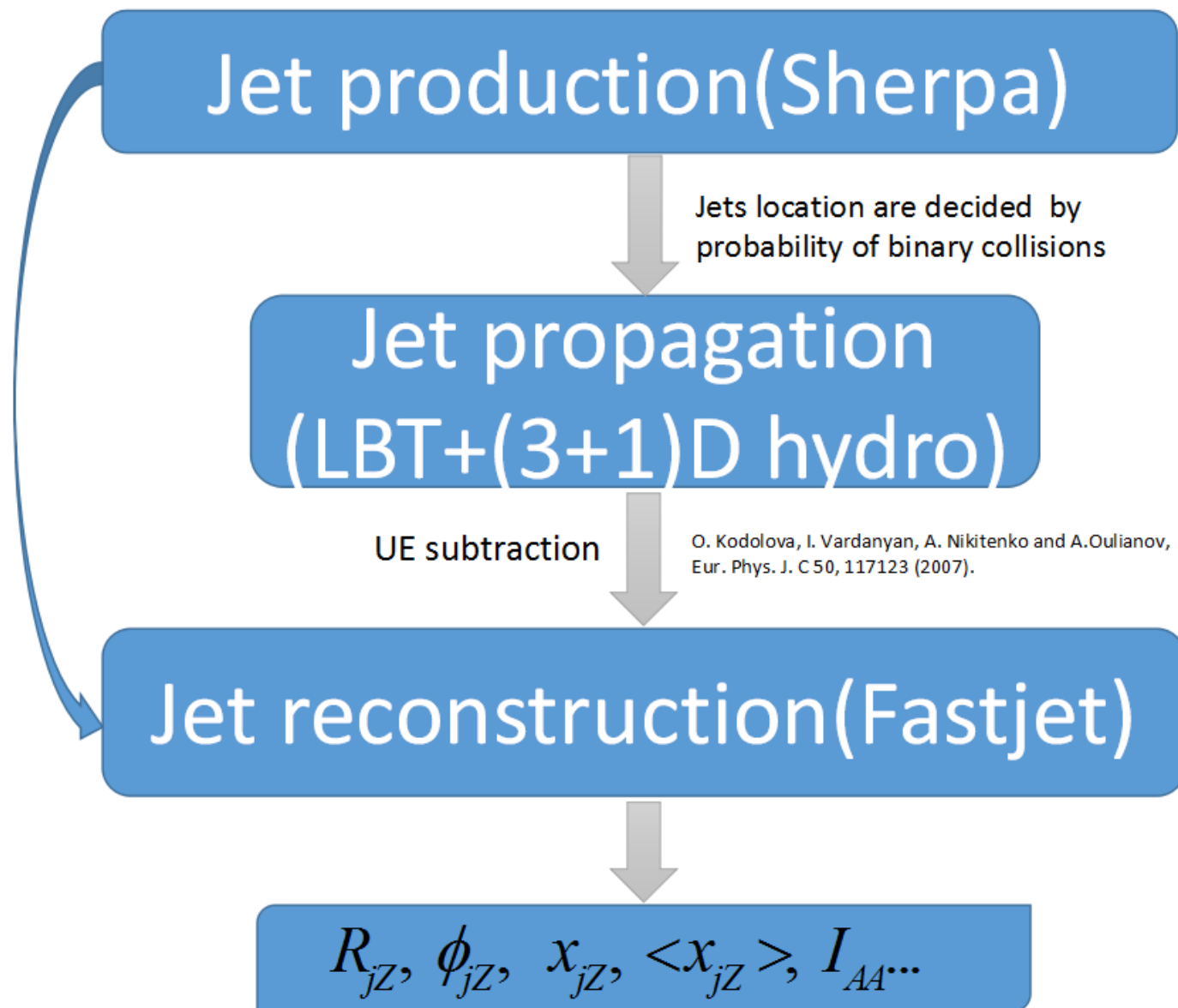Radiation--Higher Twist: Guo and Wang (2000), Majumder (2012); Zhang, Wang and Wang (2004).

$$\frac{dN_g}{dx dk_\perp^2 dt} = \frac{2\alpha_s C_A P(x) k_\perp^4}{\pi (k_\perp^2 + x^2 M^2)^4} \hat{q} \sin^2 \left(\frac{t - t_i}{2\tau_f} \right)$$

LBT: light/heavy flavor hadron, single inclusive jets, γ-hadron/jet.

T. Luo, S. Cao, Y. He and X. N. Wang, arXiv:1803.06785; W. Chen, S. Cao, T. Luo, L. G. Pang and X. N. Wang, Phys. Lett. B 777, 86 (2018); S. Cao, T. Luo, G. Y. Qin and X. N. Wang, Phys. Rev. C 94, no. 1, 014909 (2016).

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Framework

Jet production(Sherpa)

Jets location are decided by probability of binary collisions

Jet propagation (LBT+(3+1)D hydro)

UE subtraction — O. Kodolova, I. Vardanyan, A. Nikitenko and A.Oulianov, Eur. Phys. J. C 50, 117123 (2007).

Jet reconstruction(Fastjet)

R_{jZ}, ϕ_{jZ}, x_{jZ}, $<x_{jZ}>$, I_{AA}...

Average number of jet partners per boson

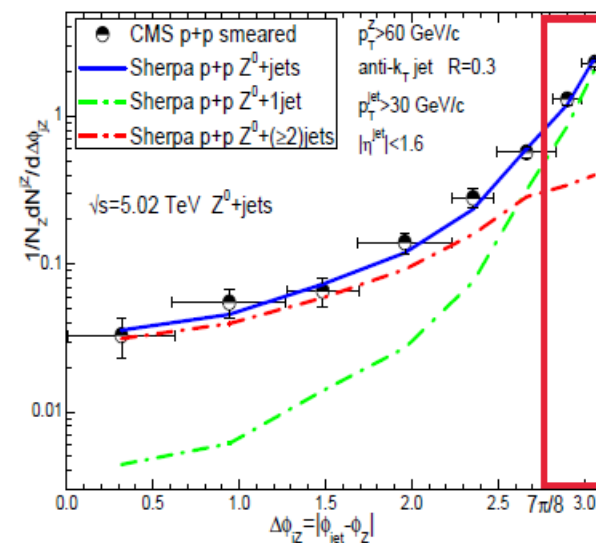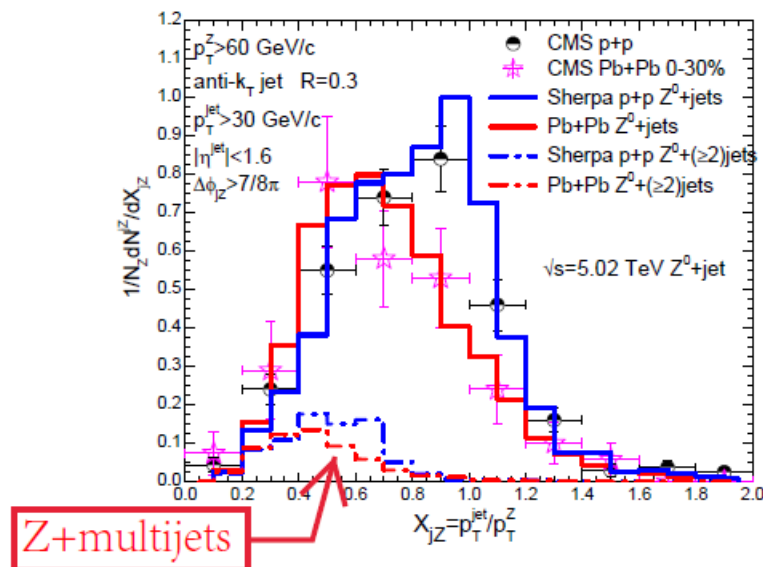- Fix the parameter α_s via the comparison with the $R_{jz} = N_{jz} / N_z$.
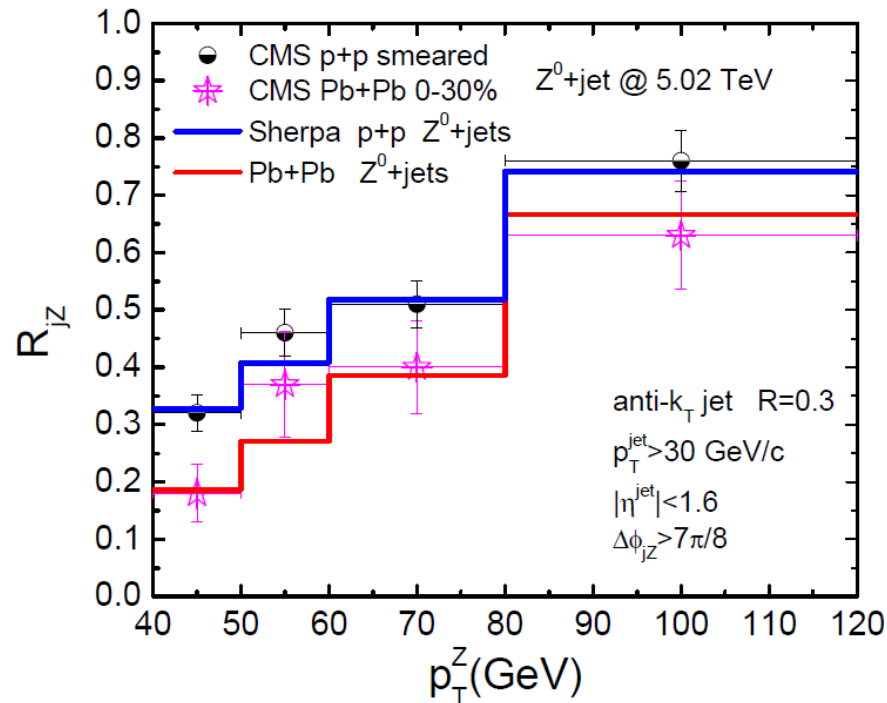
R_{jz} is overall suppressed.
- Large fraction of jets lose energy and fall below 30 GeV threshold.
- $\alpha_s = 0.20$ is fixed to best describe experimental data in Pb+Pb collisions.

Z+jet asymmetry and multi-jets contributions

- Shift of momentum imbalance $x_{jZ} = p_T^{jet}/p_T^z$ Phys.Rev. C98 (2018) 021901

x_{jz} is shifted to smaller value.
    - Transverse momentum of Z boson is unattenuated.
    - Jet transverse momentum is modified by medium.
Multi-jets have almost 50% contributions to $x_{jz} < 0.5$ region.

Mean value of momentum imbalance

- Reduction of mean value of momentum imbalance. Phys.Rev. C98 (2018) 021901
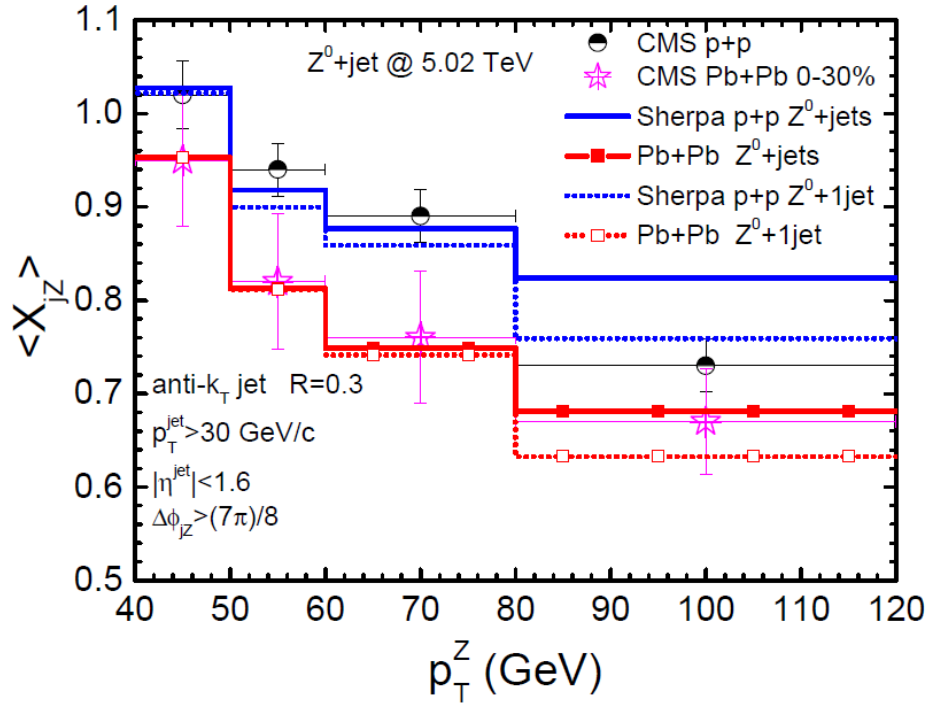
$\langle x_{jz} \rangle$ is smaller in Pb+Pb.

$p_T^Z > 60$ GeV: $\langle x_{jz} \rangle$ is lowered by 15%.

$$\Delta \langle x_j z \rangle = \langle x_{jz} \rangle_{pp} - \langle x_{jz} \rangle_{PbPb}$$

p_T^Z (GeV)	40-50	50-60	60-80	>80
CMS	0.07 $\pm$0.106	0.12$\pm$0.148	0.13$\pm$0.158	0.06$\pm$0.088
$\Delta\langle x_j z \rangle$	0.075	0.106	0.129	0.143

Z+jet azimuthal angle correlations

- Suppression of azimuthal angle correlations

$$\Delta\phi_{jz} = |\phi_j - \phi_z|$$
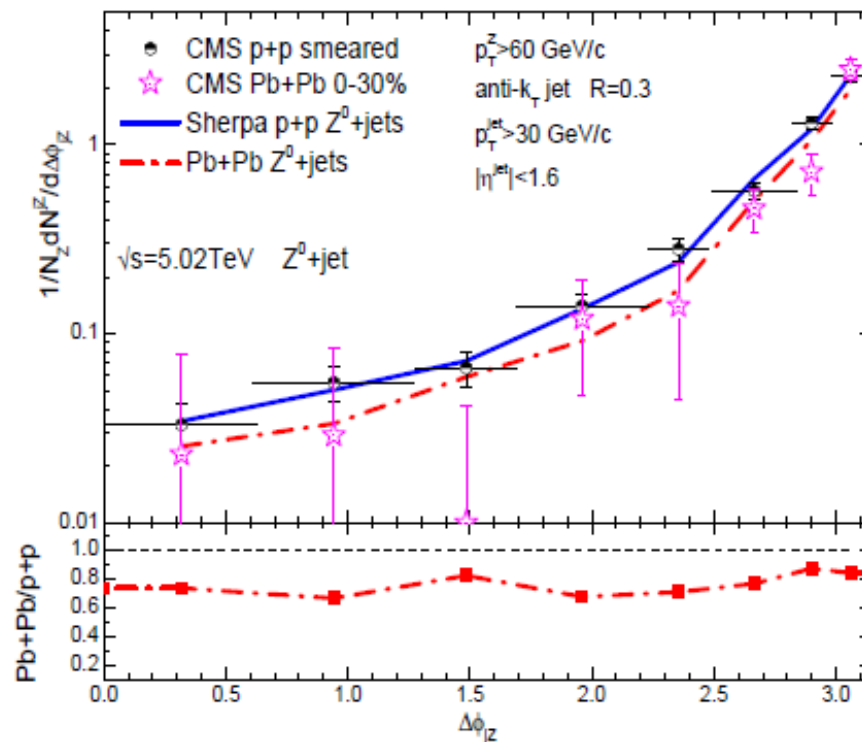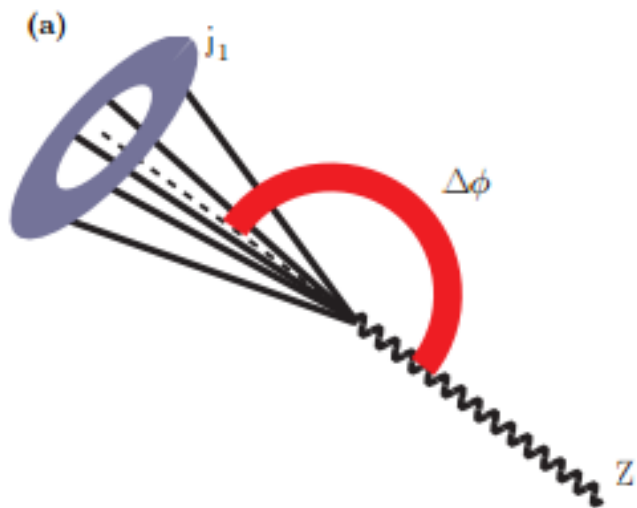
$\Delta\phi_{jz}$ is moderately suppressed in Pb+Pb collisions, almost a constant.
- Z-jet angle correlations is modified by jet-medium interactions?
- Reduction of jet yields above 30 GeV threshold?

- Z+1jet and Z+multi-jets contributions to $\Delta\phi_{jz} = |\phi_{jet} - \phi_z|$.
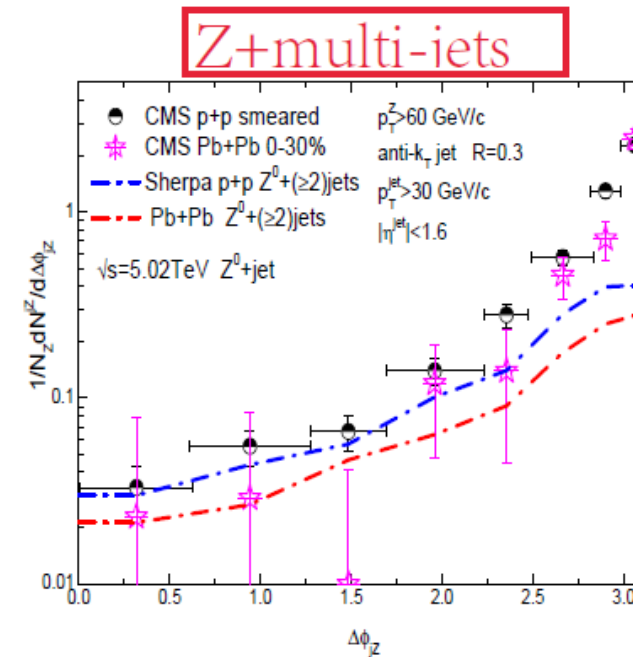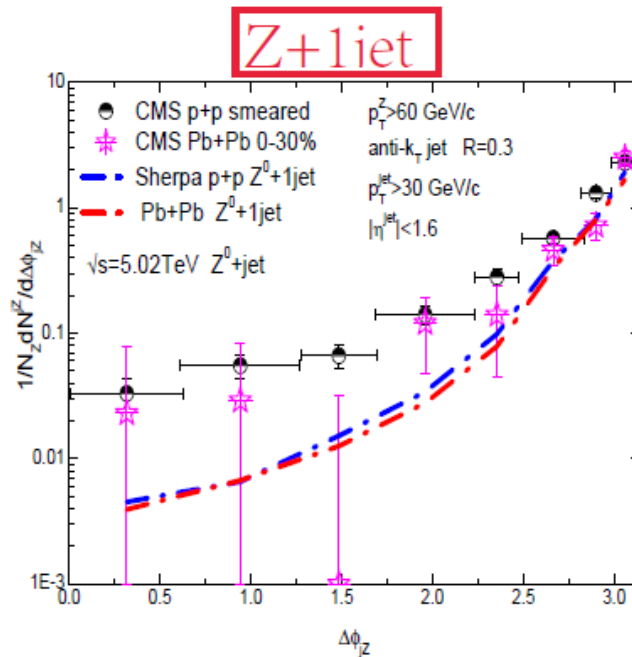
$\Delta\phi_{jz}$ is moderately suppressed in Pb+Pb collisions, almost a constant.
   - The suppression of Z+1 jet angle correlations is mild.
   - Z+multi-jets angle correlations is considerably suppressed.
Suppression of multi-jets lead to the modification of Z+jet angle correlations.

- Shift of p_T^{jet} spectrum in different p_T^Z bins.
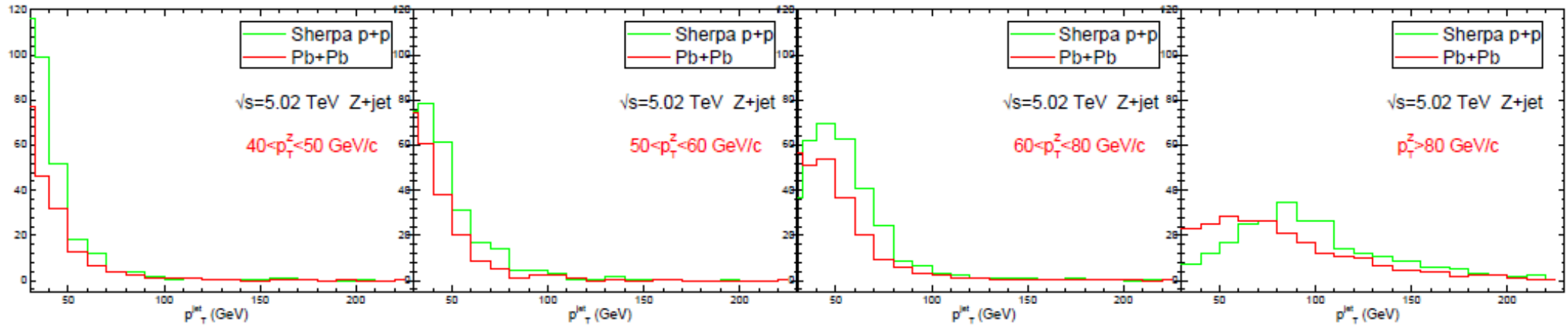
$$I_{AA} = \frac{dN^{Pb+Pb}}{dp_T^{\mathrm{jet}}} \Big/ \frac{dN^{p+p}}{dp_T^{\mathrm{jet}}}$$

p_T^{jet} spectrums are shifted to lower value.

The largest suppression is near $p_T^{jet} \approx p_T^Z$.
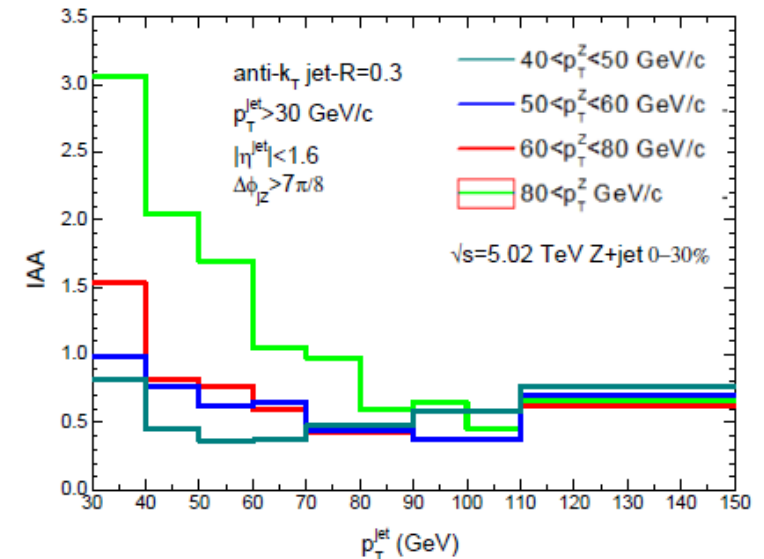
$$\rho(r) = \frac{1}{\delta r} \frac{\sum_{\text{jets}} \sum_{\text{trk} \in [r_a, r_b)} (p_T^{\text{trk}} / p_T^{\text{jet}})}{\sum_{\text{jets}} \sum_{\text{trk} \in [0, r_f)} (p_T^{\text{trk}} / p_T^{\text{jet}})}$$
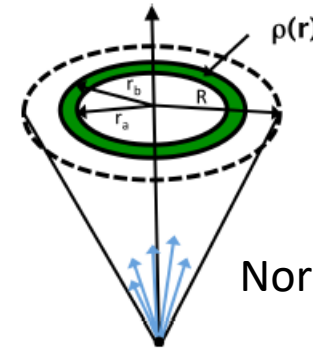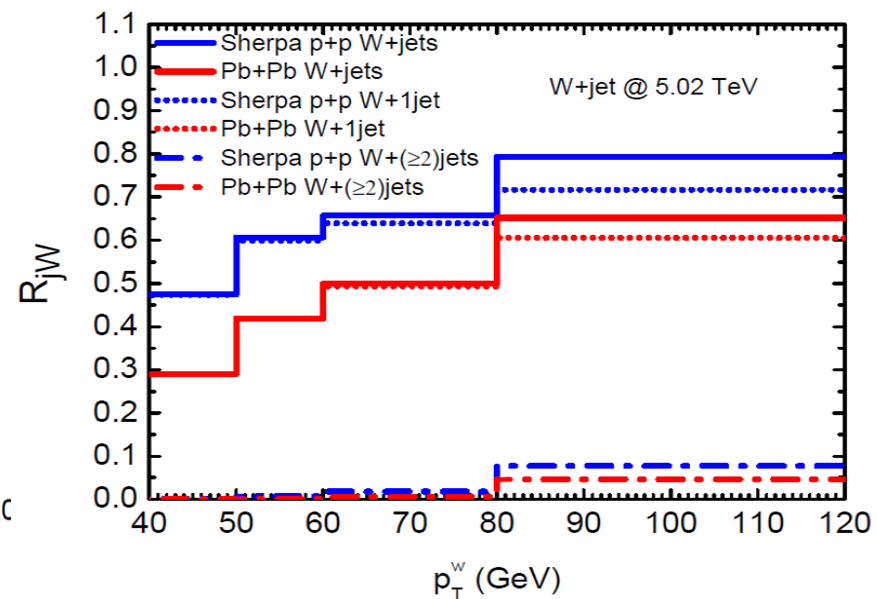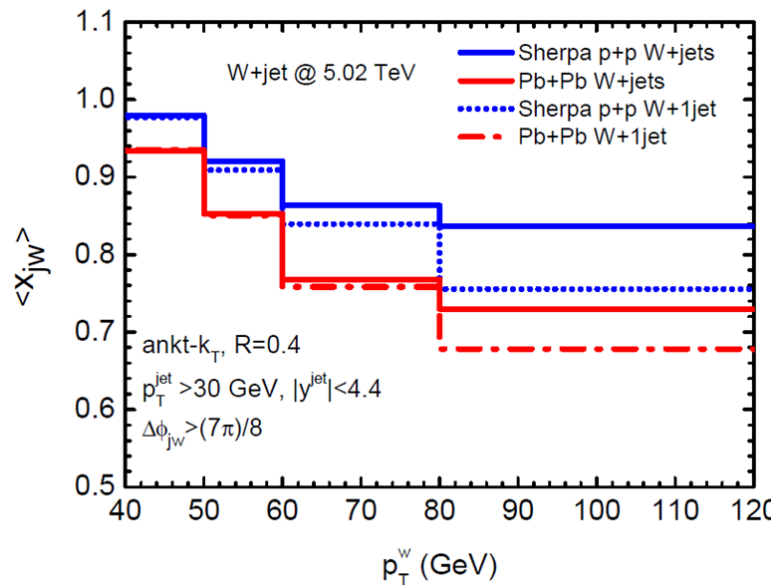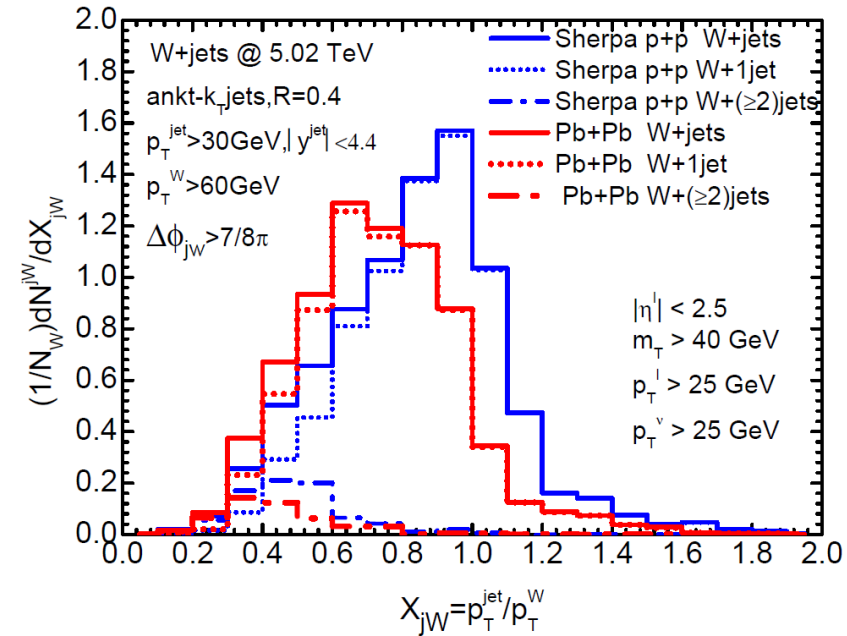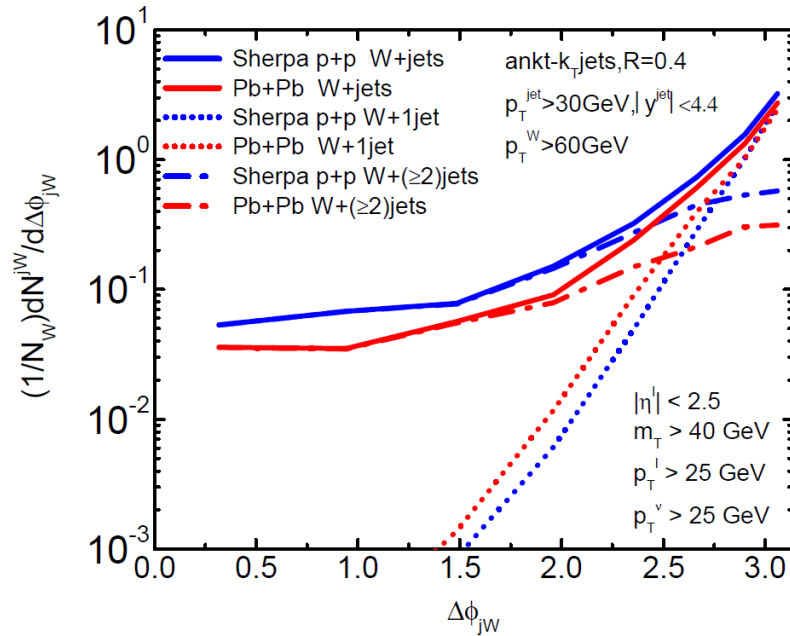
Normalized to unity over r < 0.3
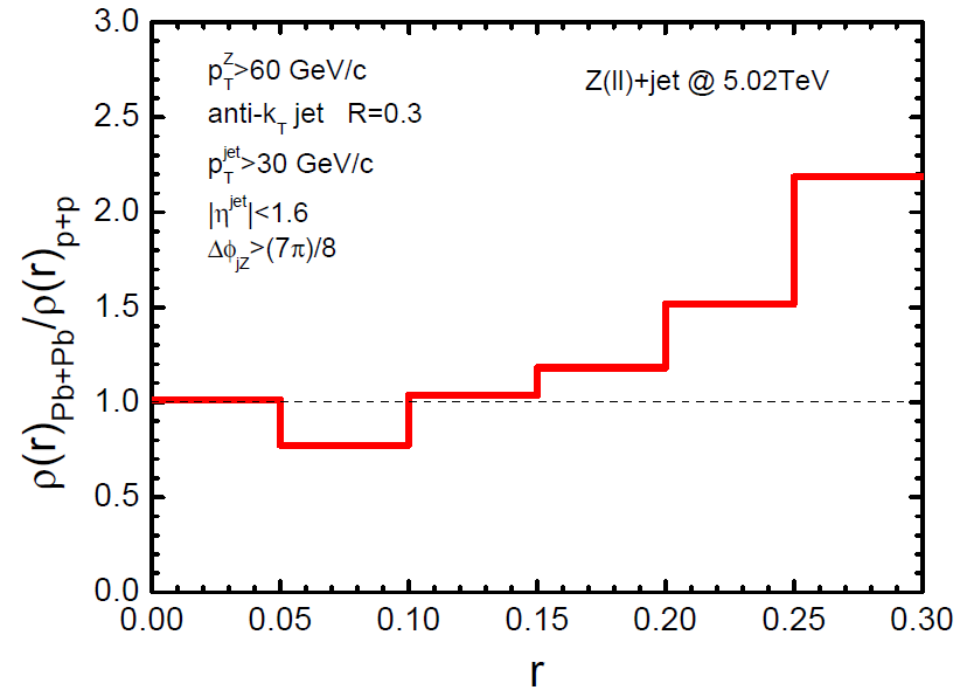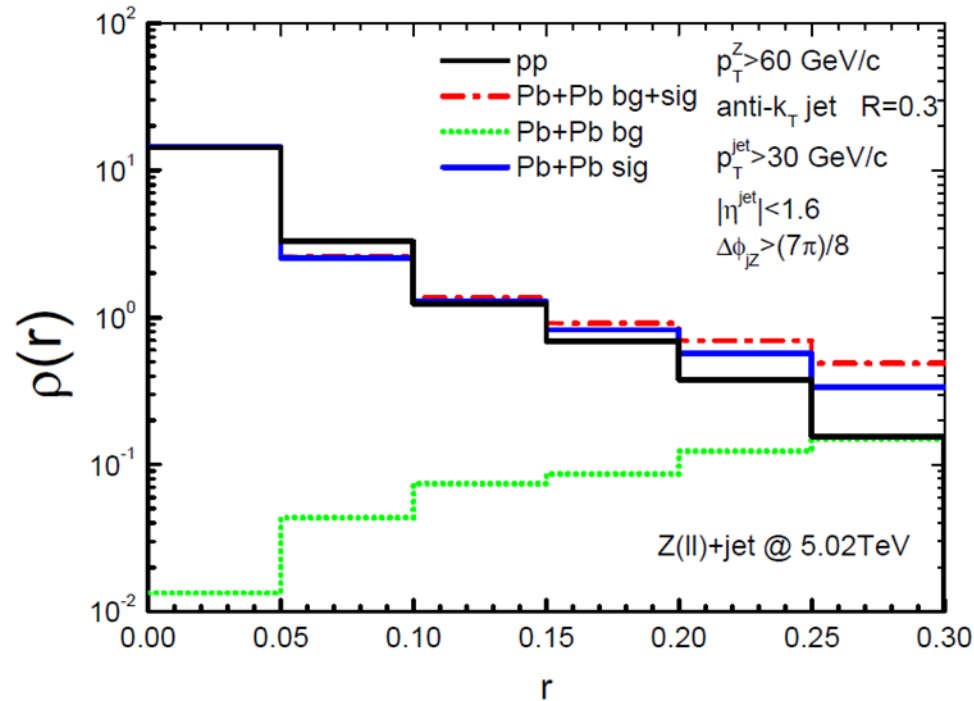
Pb+Pb: Large fraction of jet energy is carried far away from the jet axis

Correlations of W+jets--Similar behaviors as Z+jet

Summary

Z+jet correlation in Pb+Pb at the LHC is studied by combining NLO+PS in Sherpa for initial Z+jet production and LBT for jet propagation in the expanding QGP from 3+1D hydrodynamics.

- R_{jz} is smaller in Pb+Pb.

  Large fraction of jets lose energy and fall below 30 GeV threshold.

- x_{jz} is shifted to smaller value.

- $\langle x_{jz} \rangle$ is smaller in Pb+Pb.

  NLO+PS LBT describe precisely Z+jet asymmetry

- $\Delta\phi_{jz}$ is moderately suppressed in Pb+Pb collisions.

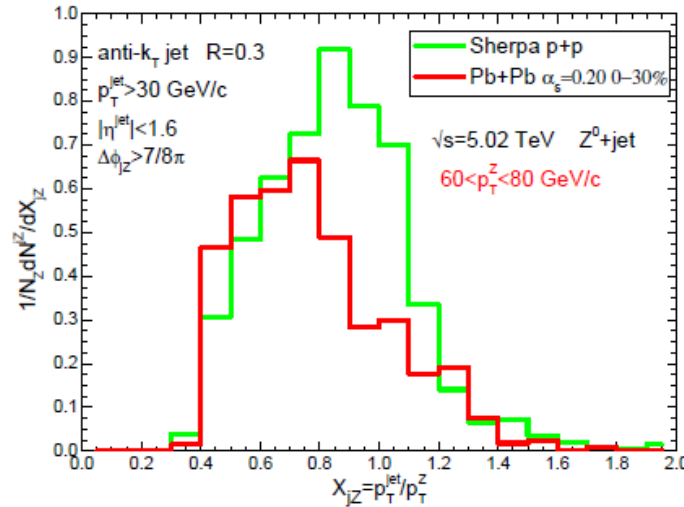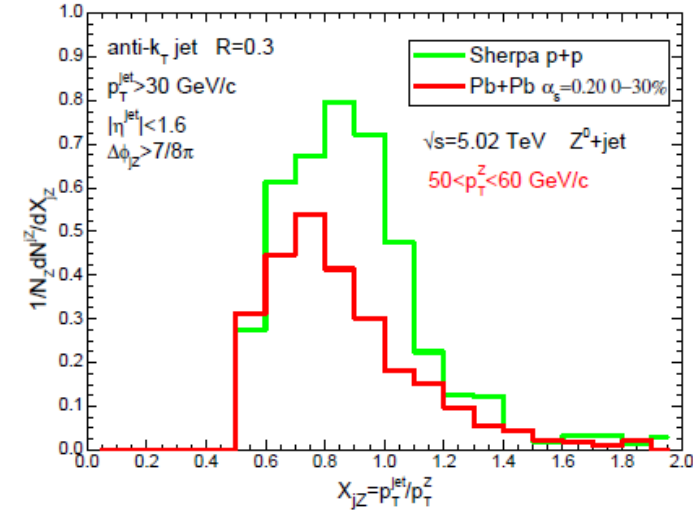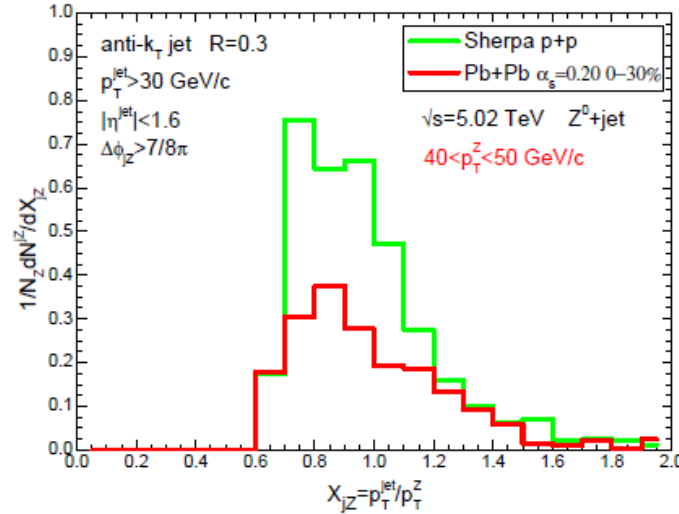 Suppression of multijets lead to the modification of Z+jet angle correlations.

- Jet shape ρ(r): large fraction of jet energy far away from the jet axis in Pb+Pb.

Thanks for your attention!

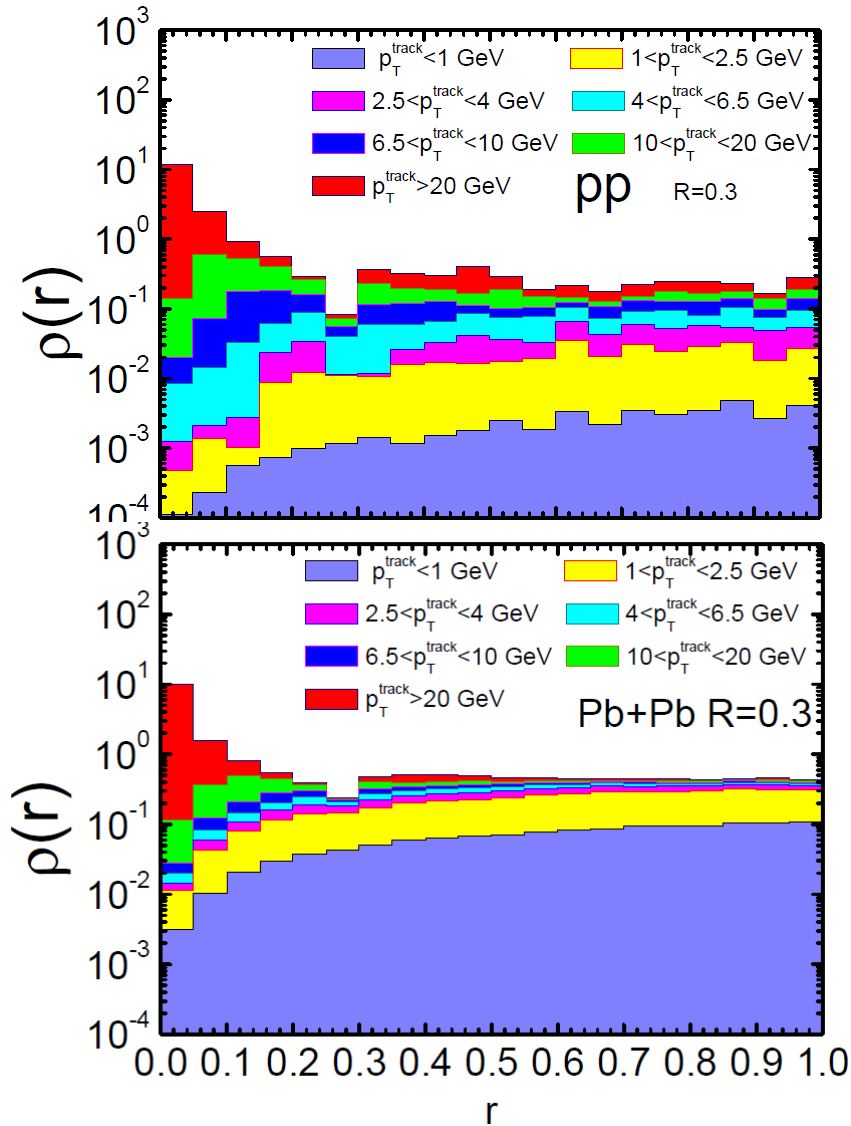# Backup

Z+jet asymmetry

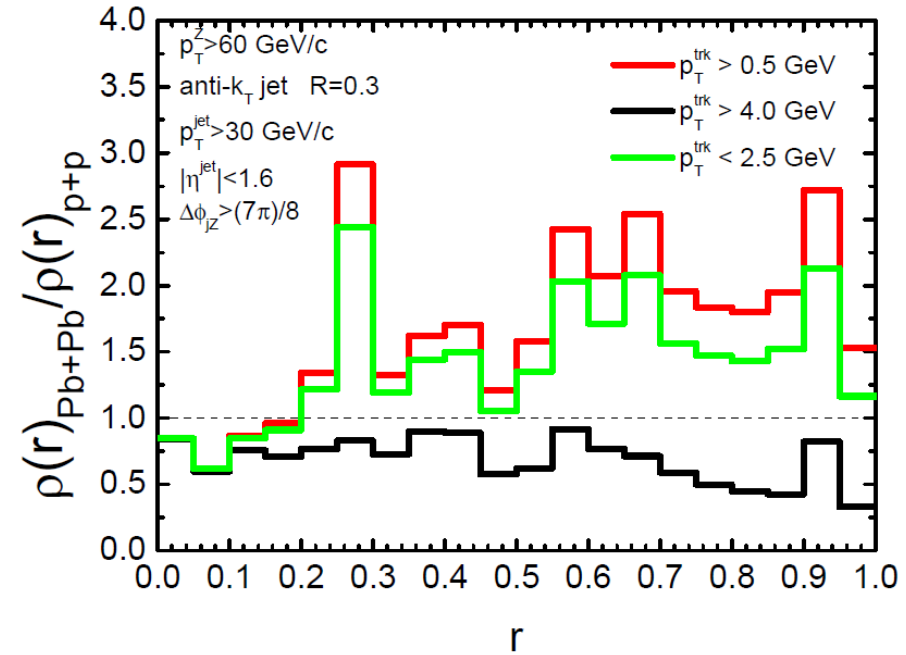- Shift of momentum asymmetry $x_{jz} = p_T^{jet}/p_T^Z$ in different p_T^Z bins.
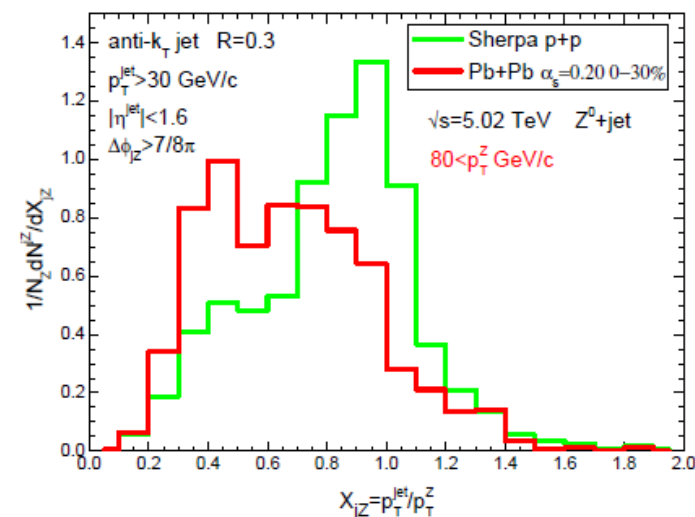
$$\rho(\Delta r) = \frac{1}{\delta r} \frac{1}{N_{jets}} \Sigma_{jets} \frac{\Sigma_{tracks \in (r_a, r_b)} p_T^{trk}}{\Sigma_{tracks} p_T^{trk}}$$
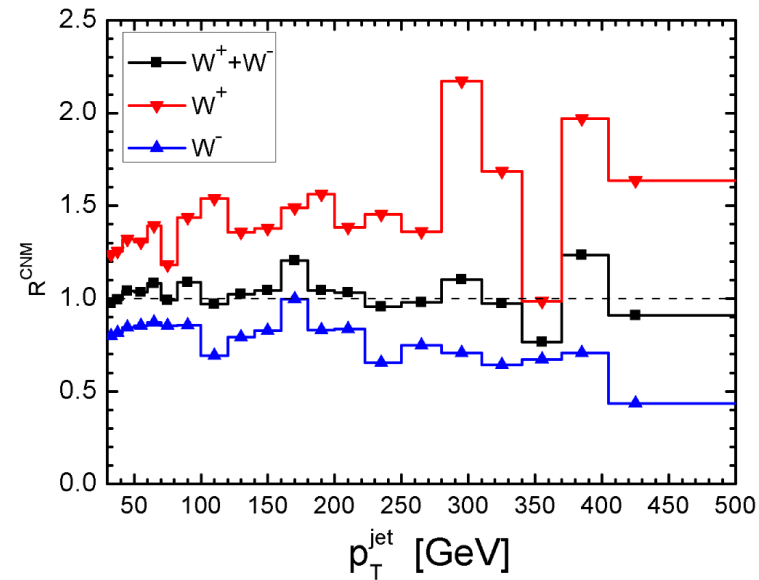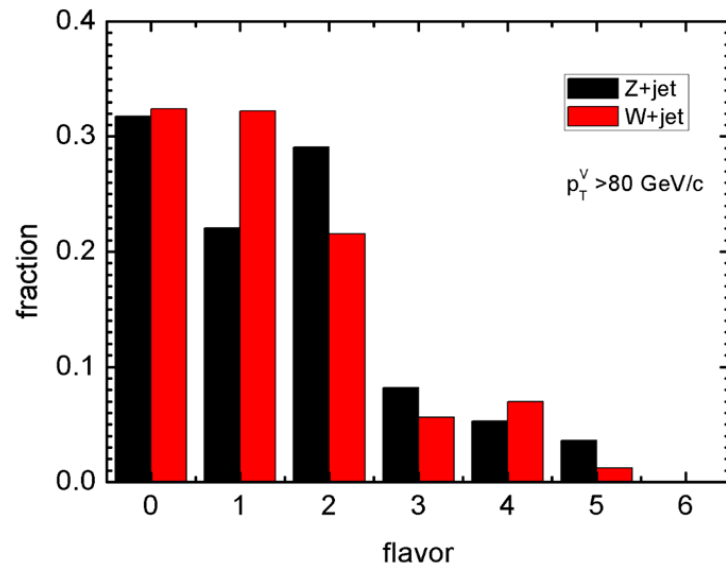
Normalized to unity over r < 1.

Production mechanism of W+jets

- Leading parton flavor fraction and CNM effect.

W carried charge, and change the flavor of the parton .
CNM has negligible effect on the average of W+jets.
- W^+ is enhanced;
- W^- is suppressed due to CNM.