Generator-level studies for Z/photon-tagged jet measurements and effects of angular resolution driven by HI background

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γ -tagged jets at LHC



γ +jet Production

γ +jet in Pythia 8



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Mapping γ +jet to PDF



γ +gluon





PDF vs x explored in photon+jet events

Mapping γ +jet to PDF – large Q

High momentum transfer - > large x Gluon PDF falls faster with x ==> Gluon initiated processes decrease ==> **Quark jet fraction decreases** pp, $\sqrt{s} = 5.02 \text{ TeV}$ 1.4 Pythia 8.2 heavy quark light guark 1.2 γ + jet gluon **Event Fraction** 0.8 0.6 0.4 0.2 0 100 200 300 400 500 600 700 800 900 1000 p_{τ}^{γ} (GeV/c)



q/g fraction – γ +jet at LHC vs RHIC



Almost no heavy quark events Rapid decrease in quark fraction after $p_{\tau} \sim 50$ GeV sPHENIX not expected to go beyond that p_{τ} See HP2018 talk

Map to PDF – γ +jet at LHC vs RHIC



B/c phase space is squeezed into high x



Bulk observables

Shape of momentum imbalance



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Shape of angular correlation

Processes in the evolution of hard scattering Multiparton interactions (MPI) Initial-state radiation (ISR) Final-state radiation (FSR)

Turn off these processes one by one. Their absence reveals the impact on the observable. z_{e}^{\ge}

ISR is the process that widens azimuthal angle correlation.



Shape of angular correlation at RHIC



Hard parton radiates to large angles



Hard – > parton produced at hard scattering Final – > daughters of "hard" partons right before hadronization

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Radiation to large angles – LHC vs RHIC



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Substructure

Fragmentation function and jet shape



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FF vs JS – Sensitivity to Hadronization



FF more sensitive to hadronization

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Z+jet





Z is massive – > Wider p_{τ} spectrum

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Z+jet vs γ +jet: FF and JS



Isolated photon+jet

represents the experiment sample better more similar to **Z+jet** than **prompt photon** All three similar



Substructure in Heavy Ion Background

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Background subtraction for charged particles

isolated-photon+jet event

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> What about vector quantities ? e.g. direction in 2D plane Might estimate the **magnitude** of the change But what about **direction** ?

Creating a toy Underlying Event



- 1. Sample toy particles from PbPb Hydjet
- 2. Shoot them into Pythia event
- 3. Cluster jets using all (Pythia+toy) particles
 - Correct jet energy by subtracting energy of toy particles > JES/JER factored out
- 4. Construct observables using Pythia particles only

FF and JS in toy UE



FF and JS in toy UE – high p_{τ}



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Particles from UE and jet axis

- High p_T particles from UE pull the jet axis during clustering
- Different shape than with particles from mixed event
- What is distorted here is the jet axis, a vector
 - Direction of change ambiguous
- Correlated with the position of particles
 - Not reproduced by random smearing
- Need to redefine jet angle ?



WTA recombination scheme - JS

• Standard jet axis determined via E-scheme

- sum of 4-vec

- Winner-Take-All recombination scheme
 - In particular WTA-pt-scheme
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Ref. FastJet v3.2.2 Doc



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FF and JS in toy UE – use WTA scheme



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Angular correlation in toy UE - LHC



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Angular correlation in toy UE - RHIC



Sharper angular correlation at RHIC – > more sensitive to resolution

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Summary

- Photon+jet production mechanism
 - Evolution of Q/G fractions can be understood via PDF
- Processes in the evolution of hard scatterers
 - Smear initial correlations, set the shape of bulk observables
 - ISR -> large effect for angular correlation, smaller at RHIC than at LHC
- Comparison of FF and JS observables
- Background effects
 - Harder to undo if **direction** is not known and things happen in a correlated way
 - Studied effects using gen-level Pythia and toy PbPb
 - UE particles pull jet axis.
 - One way to overcome > change axis definition to WTA.
 - Reduces resolution effects for JS
 - Can be useful also for angular correlation

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BACKUP

q/g fraction – γ +jet vs Z+jet



Mapping γ +jet to PDF – split q vs g



Hard scattering evolution



CTEQ/MCnet School, Talk by T. Sjöstrand

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Left (Right) tail from FSR (ISR)



Size of background

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FF and JS in toy UE – high p_{τ}



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Angular correlation in toy UE – LHC – low p_{τ}



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Prompt vs isolated γ +jet



q/g fraction – isolated γ +jet

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High and low p_{T}



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MPI, ISR, FSR effects



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