

Massive High P_T Jets: Preliminary Results from CDF

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Study Motivation

■ Mass of high- p_T jets important property, but only theory studies

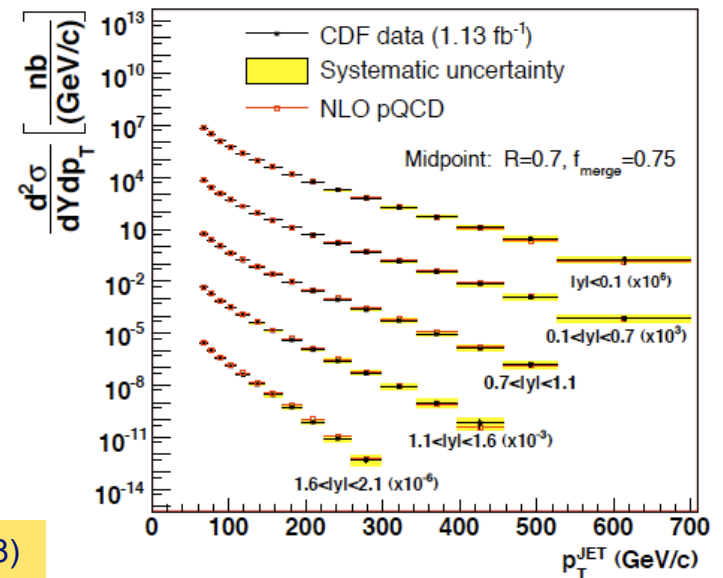
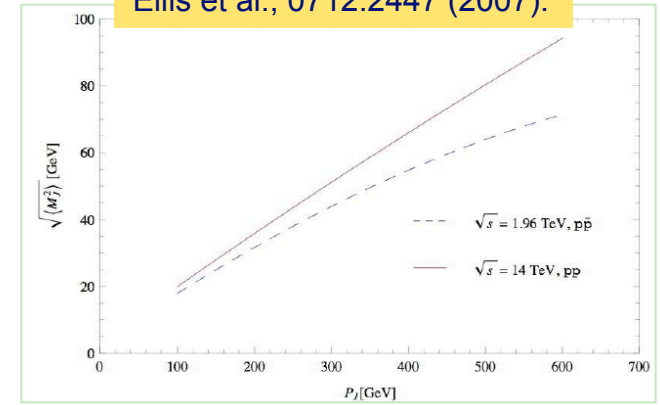
- High mass: QCD at NLO predicts jet mass (eg., Ellis et al, 0712.2447, Alemeida, et al. 0810.0934)
- Such jets form significant background to new physics signals

➤ Examples: high p_T tops, Higgs, neutralino ...

■ Focus on jets with $p_T > 400$ GeV/c

- CDF II has collected $\sim 8 \text{ fb}^{-1}$
- Have several thousand jet candidates
- Reporting first systematic study of substructure

Ellis et al., 0712.2447 (2007).



CDF Collaboration, PRD 78, 052006 (2008)

Boosted Objects at Tevatron

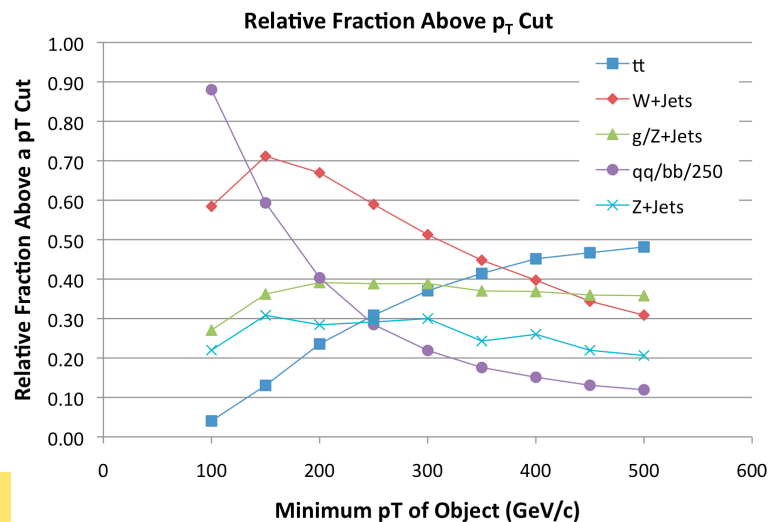
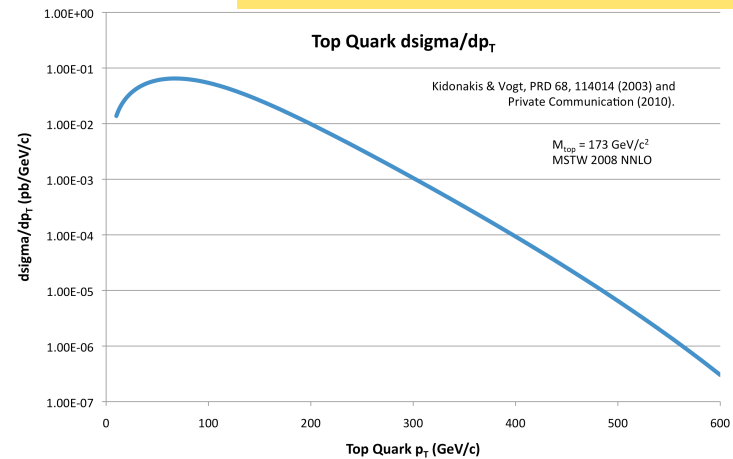
■ SM sources for high- p_T objects calculable

- Dominated by light quarks & gluons

■ However, do expect other contributions

- Fraction of top quarks $\sim 1.5\%$ for $p_T > 400$ GeV/c
 - Total rate 4.45 ± 0.5 fb (Kidonakis & Vogt)
- Expect W/Z production of similar order

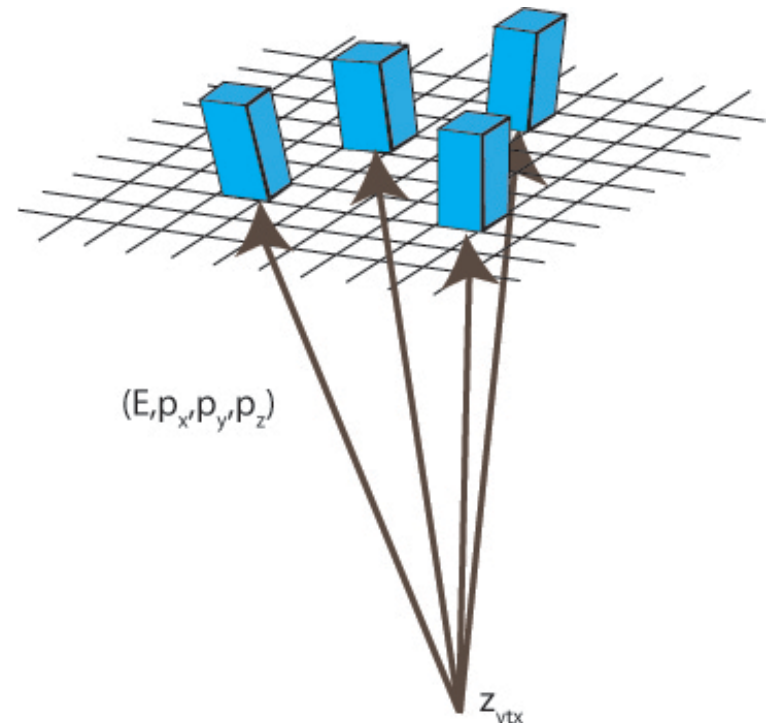
Kidonakis & Vogt, PRD 68, 114014 (2003)



PYTHIA 6.4 Calculation

Strategy for Analysis

- **Select high p_T jets in CDF central calorimeter**
 - Use tower segmentation to measure jet mass
 - Confirm with tracking information
 - Employ standard “e-scheme” for mass calculation
 - 4-vector sum over towers in jet
 - Each tower is a particle with $m = 0$
 - Four vector sum gives (E, p_x, p_y, p_z)
- **Employ Midpoint cone jets**
 - Best understood in CDF II context
 - However, not fully IR-safe



N.B. CDF central towers are
 $\Delta\eta \times \Delta\phi \sim 0.11 \times 0.26$

Data Selection

■ Analyzed inclusive jet sample

- Trigger requires $E_T > 100$ GeV
- Have available 5.95 fb^{-1} sample

■ Selected data with focus on high p_T objects

- Kept any event with
 - Jet with $p_T > 300$ GeV/c and $|\eta| < 0.7$
 - Used cones of $R=0.4, 0.7$ and 1.0

■ Processed 76M events

- Selected subsample with
 - $p_T > 400$ GeV/c
 - $|\eta| \in (0.1, 0.7)$

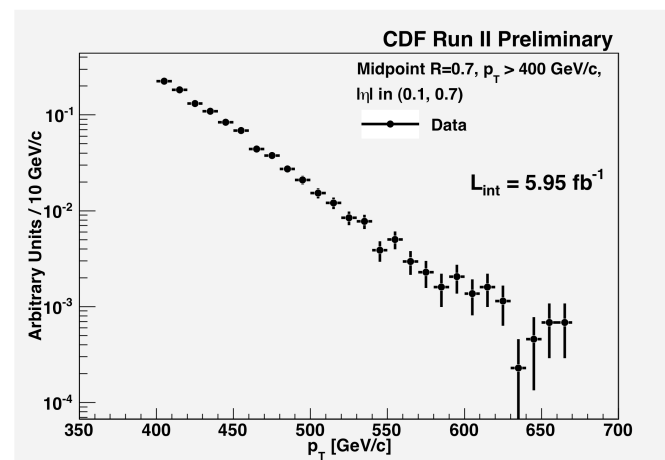
■ Performed cleaning cuts

- Event vertex, jet quality and loose $S_{\text{MET}} (< 14)$

$$S_{\text{MET}} \equiv \frac{E_T^{\text{MISS}}}{\sqrt{\sum_{i \text{ towers}} E_T^i}}$$

■ Resulted in 3621 events using jets with $R=0.7$

- 3136 events with $R=0.4$



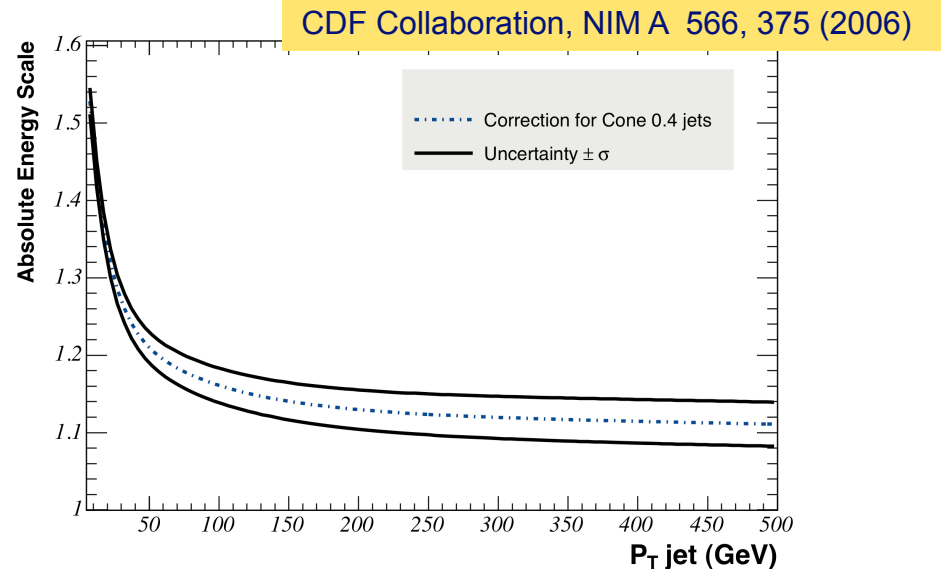
Jet Mass Corrections

■ Corrected jet mass using standard jet corrections

- Further correction needed for multiple interactions (MI)
- Use $N_{\text{vtx}}=1$ and $N_{\text{vtx}}>1$ events to determine MI

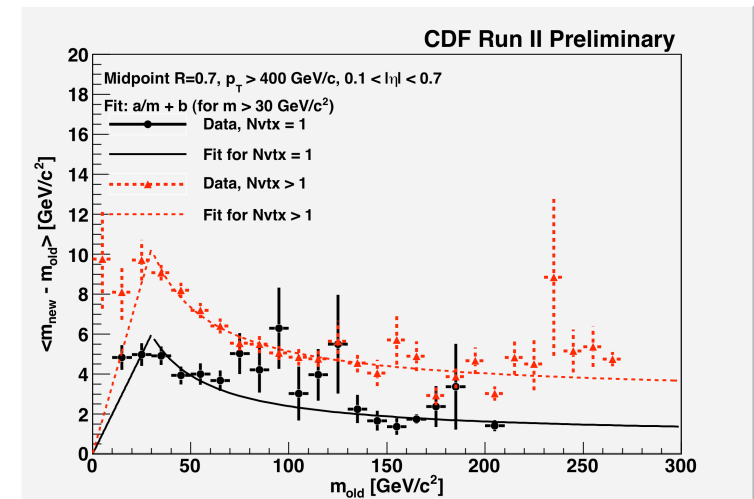
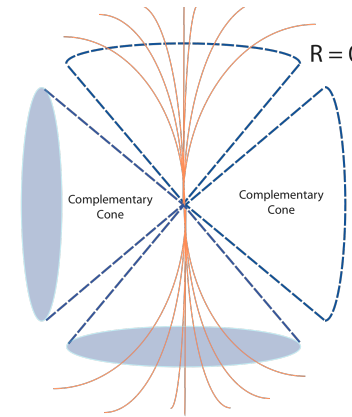
■ Investigated other effects:

- Cluster merging
- Effect of calorimeter inhomogeneity at $\eta=0$
 - Varied pseudorapidity window – no significant changes in mass
- Calorimeter segmentation and jet recombination
 - Varied position of towers (especially azimuth) and corrections for geometry
- Calorimeter response across face of jet
 - Detailed study of tracking/calorimeter response in data and MC/detector simulation



MI and UE Corrections

- **Additional contribution from**
 - Underlying Event (UE)
 - Multiple Interactions (MI)
 - Average # interactions 2-3
 - Corrected for MI
- **Looked at purely dijet events**
 - Defined cones (same size as jet) at 90° in azimuth (same η)
 - Took towers in cones, and added to jet in event
 - Mass shift, on average, same shift coming from UE and MI
- **Separately measure $N_{\text{vtx}}=1$ events**
 - Gives UE correction separately

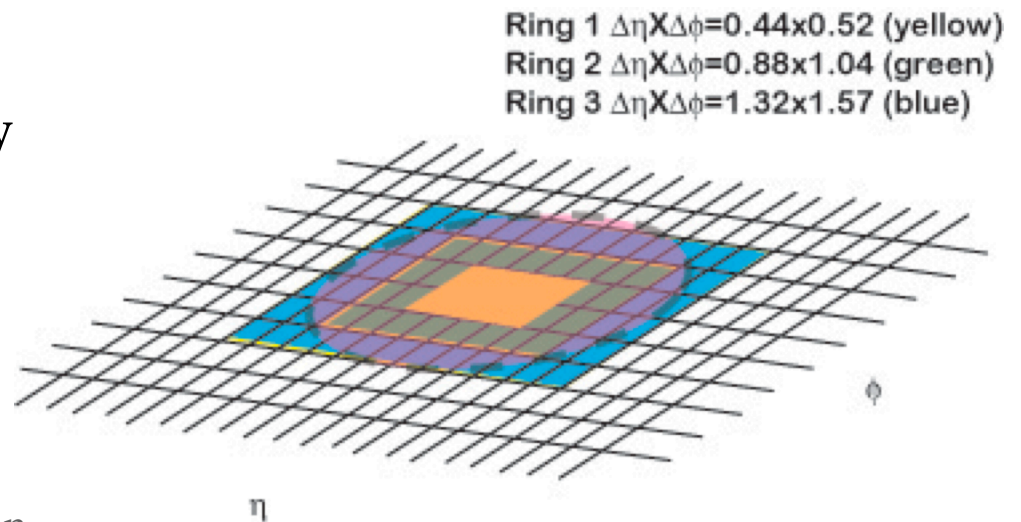


Correction
scales as R^4

Inter-Jet Energy Calibration

■ Jet mass arises from deposition of varying energy per tower

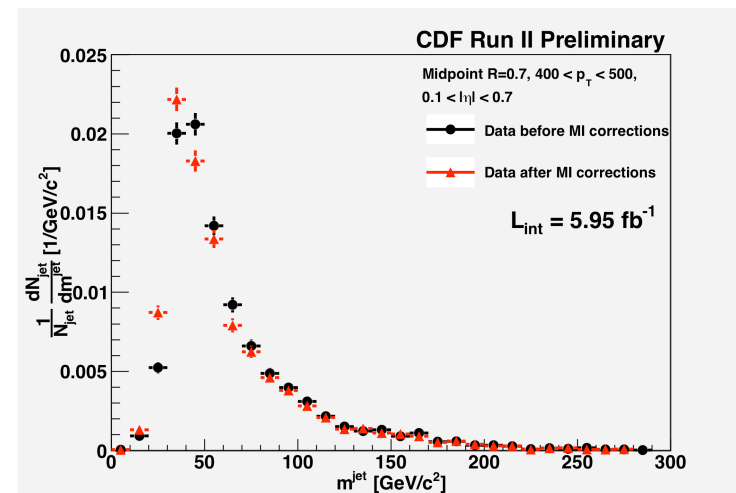
- Performed study to compare momentum flow vs calorimeter energy internal to jet
 - Defined 3 rings and compared observed pT/ET with simulation



■ Resulted in constraints on calorimeter relative response

- At $m^{\text{jet}} = 60 \text{ GeV}/c^2$, $\sigma_m = 1 \text{ GeV}/c^2$
- At $m^{\text{jet}} = 120 \text{ GeV}/c^2$, $\sigma_m = 9.6 \text{ GeV}/c^2$

■ Largest source of systematic uncertainty



Systematics on m^{jet}

■ Sources of systematics:

- **Calorimeter energy scale**
 - Varies from 1 to 9.6 GeV/c² for 65 to 120 GeV/c² mass jets
- **UE and MI modelling**
 - Estimate 2 GeV/c² based on uncertainty in high mass correction
- **Recombination scheme & calorimeter segmentation**
 - Estimate 2.2 GeV/c² based on comparison of offline and ntuple results
- **PDF Uncertainties**
 - Used standard 20 eigenvector decomposition to assess MC uncertainties

■ Believes uncertainties on data are uncorrelated

- **Combined in quadrature, gives total jet mass uncertainty of**
 - 3.4 GeV/c² for $m^{\text{jet}} = 60 \text{ GeV/c}^2$
 - 10.5 GeV/c² for $m^{\text{jet}} > 100 \text{ GeV/c}^2$

■ Effects jet mass distributions arising from bin-to-bin migration

- **Don't see a systematic shift in other substructure variables**
- **Still more detailed investigation underway**

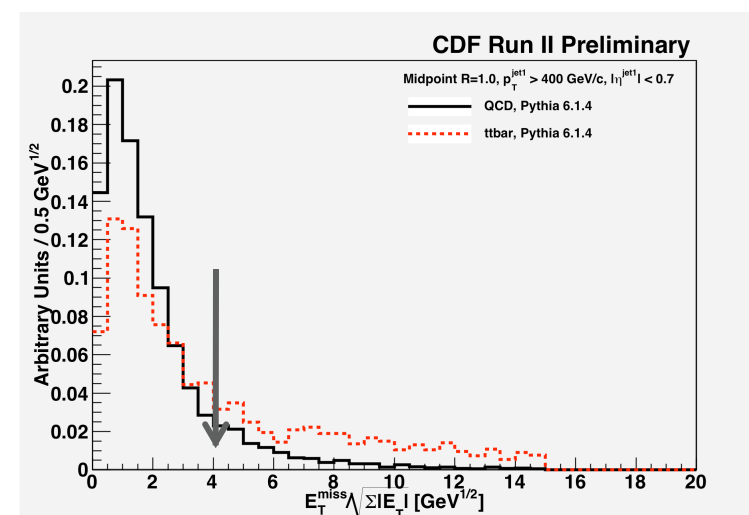
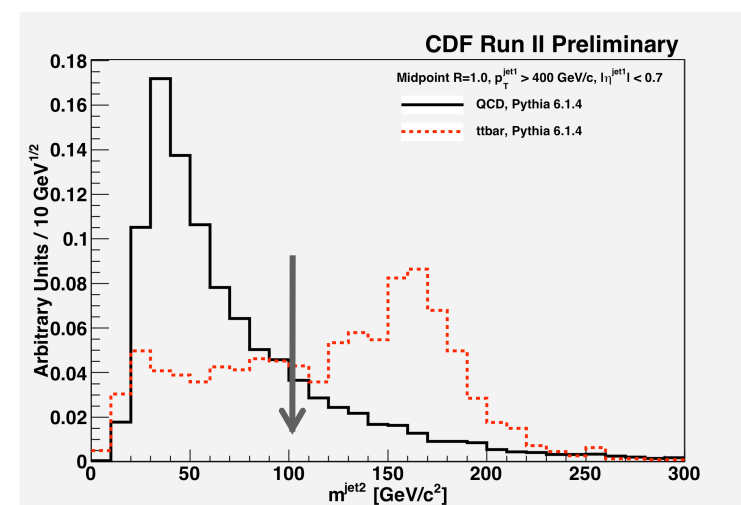
Reducing Top Contamination

■ Expect about 2.2 fb of high p_T jets from top in sample

- Eliminate by rejecting events with
 - $m^{\text{jet}2} > 100 \text{ GeV}/c^2$
 - Missing E_T Significance (S_{MET}) > 4
- Use jet cone of $R=1.0$ for improving top jet tagging
 - See clear peak in MC for second jet mass
- Lose 29% of jet candidates
 - 2576 events using $R=0.7$ jets
 - 145 events with jet with $p_T > 500 \text{ GeV}/c$

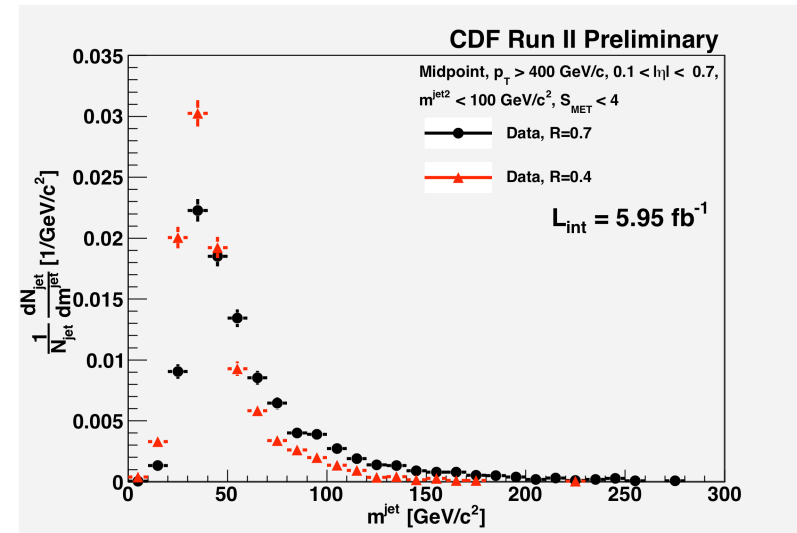
■ After top-rejection, expect $\sim 0.5 \text{ fb}$ of top jets

- Comparable rates for W/Z jets



Focus on QCD Behaviour

- **After top rejection**
 - Left with sample dominated by light quarks and gluon
 - Compare high mass region with QCD theory
 - Use cones of $R=0.4$ and $R=0.7$



| Cut Flow | | |
|--|-------------------|-------------|
| All Data, 5.95 fb ⁻¹ | 75,764,270 events | |
| | R = 0.4 | R = 0.7 |
| At least one jet with $p_T > 400$ GeV/c, $ \eta $ in (0.1, 0.7), and event quality cuts | 3136 events | 3621 events |
| $m_{\text{jet}^2} < 100$ GeV/c ² and $S_{\text{MET}} < 4$ (with $p_T^{\text{jet}^2} > 100$ GeV/c and MI corrections) | 2579 events | 2576 events |

- **Low-mass peak arises from non-perturbative QCD effects**

- Opportunity to study the properties of the high mass jets
- Gilad will say more...

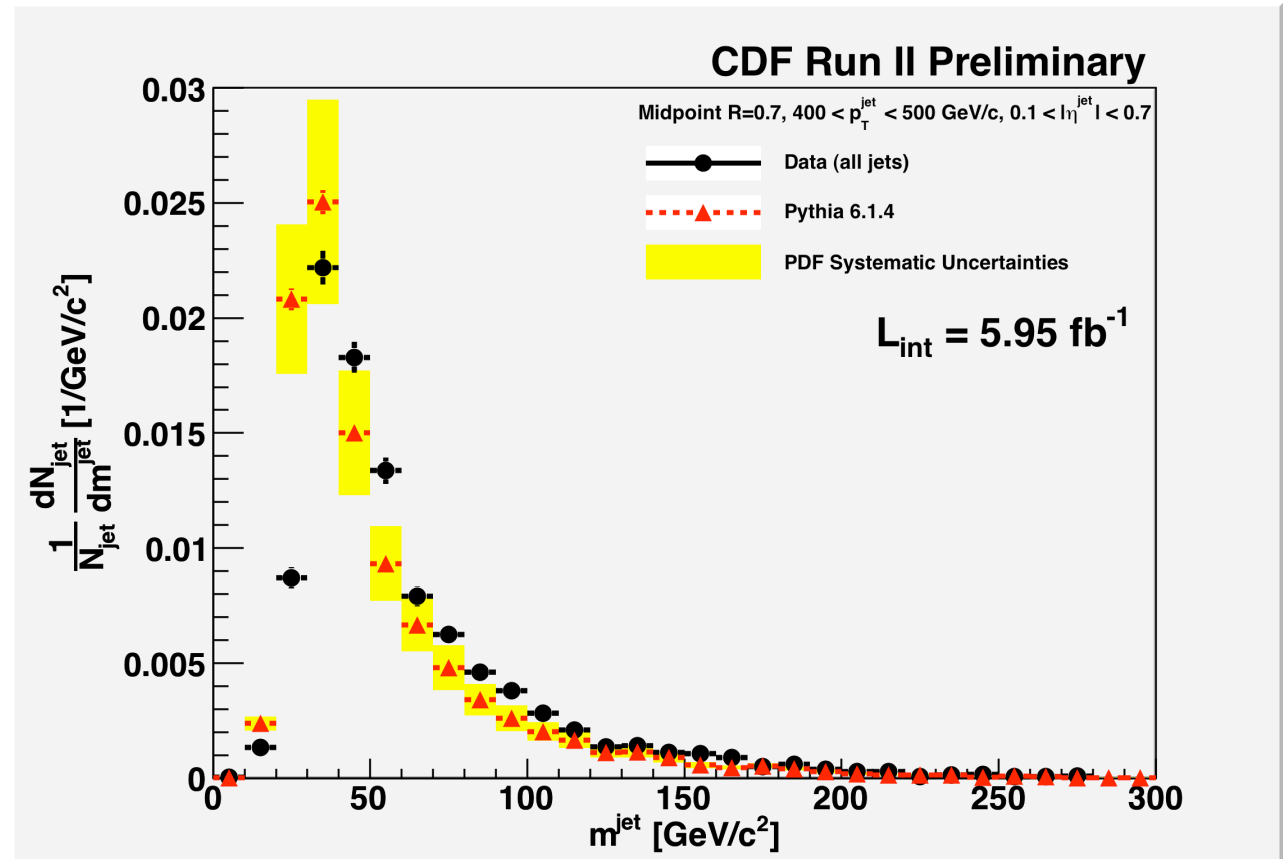
Comparison with PYTHIA

■ PYTHIA 6.1.4

- Standard CDF II QCD sample
- PDF uncertainties based on eigenvector decomposition

■ Agreement is just “OK”

- Low-mass peak few GeV/c^2 lower
- Systematic underestimate at higher masses



What About Boosted Top?

- Is it possible to detect top (or place meaningful upper limits)?

- Two topologies:

1. All hadronic

- Two massive jets recoiling ($\epsilon \sim 15\%$)

2. Semi-leptonic (neutrino)

- Require $S_{\text{MET}} > 4$ ($\epsilon \sim 10\%$)

$$\gamma \sim 2.5$$

- MC predicts ~ 2.2 fb

- Divided about 60:40 between topologies

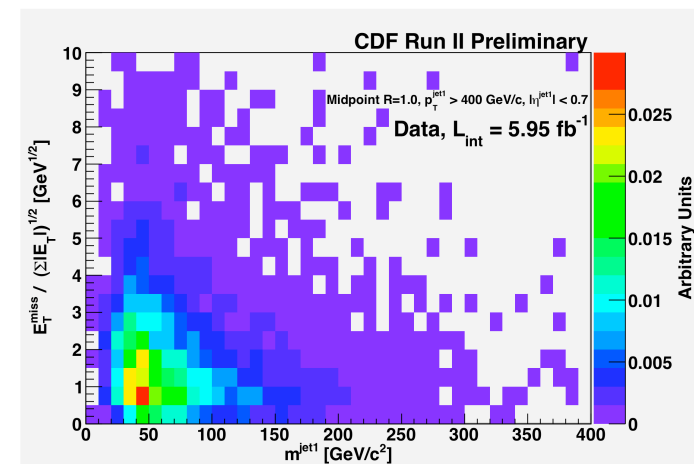
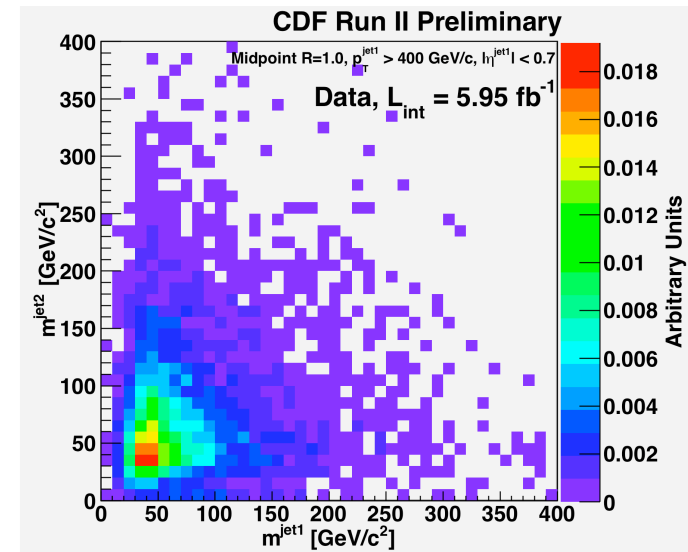
- Highest efficiency channel for top ($>20\%$)

- Important handles for background:

- masses of QCD di-jets not correlated

- Jet mass and S_{MET} not correlated

- Still to come....



Conclusions

■ First measurement of jet mass and substructure for high p_T jets

- Being confronted by data forces one to understand systematics
 - Multiple interaction corrections
 - Calibration of mass scale
- Allows for test of QCD predictions:
 - Jet mass
 - Angularity
 - Planar Flow

■ Next talk will show results for high mass jets

■ Top counting experiment looks do-able

- Does b-tagging help? We're trying it out....
- Need to assess systematics

■ Next steps:

- Compare results with anti-kT clustering
- Compare predictions of Sherpa Monte Carlo calculation
- More work on systematics
 - Currently limited by MC statistics and time

BACKUP SLIDES

MI/UE Corrections

- Looked at how to make MI correction in a variety of ways
 - Looked at mass corrections event-by-event
 - But statistical fluctuations large, event-to-event
 - Chose to develop a parametrized correction
- Note that:
- Expect MI correction to scale with R^4 :
 - Exactly what we see when comparing $R=0.4$ and $R=0.7$
- PYTHIA UE agrees well with data – same UE mass correction
- Use that to scale corrections for $R=1.0$
 - Method doesn't work with larger cone because of overlap

$$\delta m^{jet} \simeq \frac{E_{tower} E_{jet} \Delta R}{m^{jet}}$$

Internal Jet Energy Scale

- **Overall jet energy scale known to 3%**
 - The relative energy scale between rings known to 10-20%, depending on ring
 - Use this to constrain how far energy scale can shift
- **Do first for $m^{\text{jet}} \sim 60 \text{ GeV}/c^2$ – use average jet profile**
 - Extract from that a limit on how much “Ring 1” energy scale can be off - $\pm 6\%$
 - Then do the same for $m_{\text{jet}} \sim 120 \text{ GeV}/c^2$
- **Resulting systematic uncertainty is $9.6 \text{ GeV}/c^2$**
 - Conservative estimate – used a very broad energy profile
 - No localized substructure assumed
- **Take this as systematic uncertainty**
 - Could constrain it better using single particle response
 - Note that fixed cone size is an advantage here

Reconstruction of Top

■ Leading jet in $t\bar{t}$ events has clear top mass peak

- All events between 70 and 210 GeV/c^2 for $R=1.0$
- See clear W peak
 - B quark jet presumably nearby in those cases
- Clear that higher mass cut gives greater QCD rejection
- Much optimization to do

■ B tagging not yet used

- Now investigating what its impact will be
- Will need to assess efficiencies and mis-tagging rates

