

Jet structure and event shapes at the LHC

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Measuring jet substructure

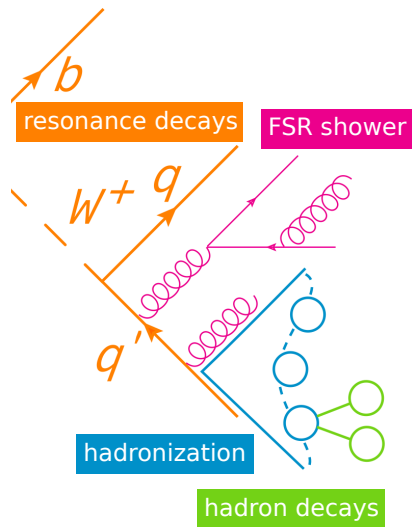
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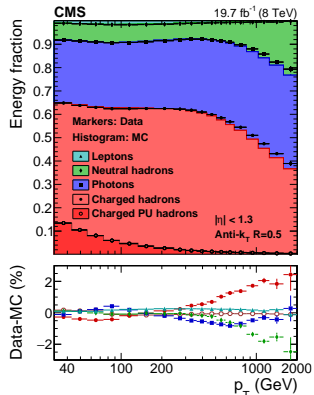
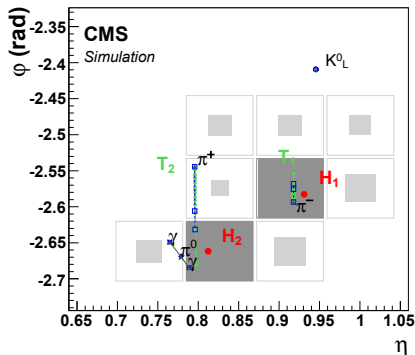
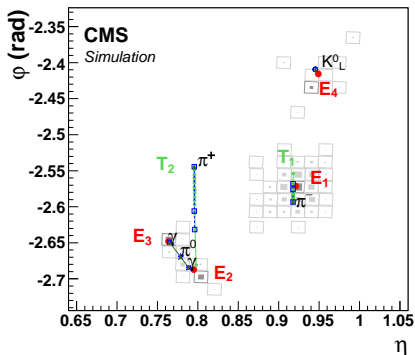
- MC in experiments: fragmentation of quarks and gluons to jets described by parton shower + hadronization model
- Current models are tuned to LEP $Z \rightarrow q\bar{q}$ data

Better knowledge of jet substructure

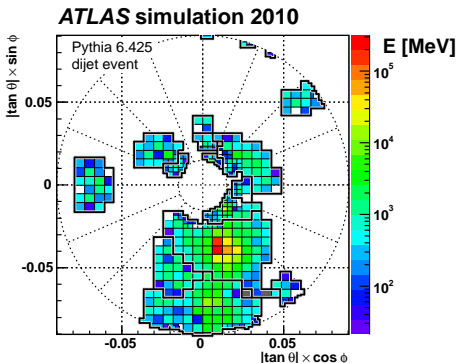
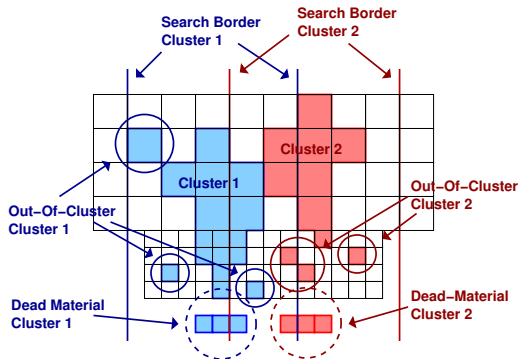
will help to improve...

- Precision measurements involving jets (H, top)
- BSM searches with boosted objects
- Flavour tagging, pileup ID





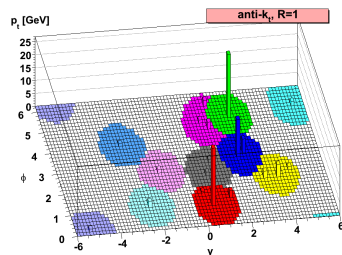
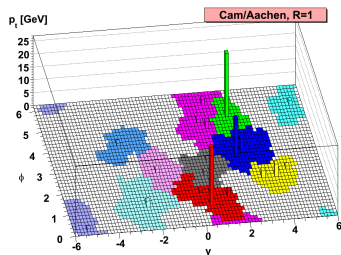
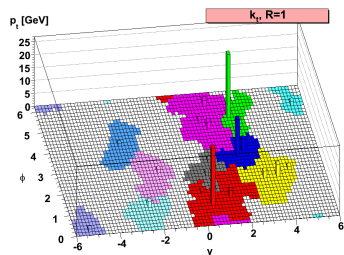
- Excellent tracking (silicon, 4 T magnetic field), most efficient for $1 \text{ GeV} < p_T < 10 \text{ GeV}$
- Electromagnetic crystal calorimeter with excellent E resolution, $\Delta\eta \times \Delta\phi = 0.017 \times 0.017$
- Hermetic brass-scintillator hadronic calorimeter (0.087×0.087)
- PF algorithm keeps all tracks, and removes their energy from calorimeter towers
- Charged hadron subtraction (CHS) removes tracks not from primary vertex
- PUPPI algorithm weighs down neutral clusters not close to PV tracks [arXiv:1407.6013](https://arxiv.org/abs/1407.6013)



- Liquid argon ECAL (0.025×0.025), steel-scintillator HCAL (0.1×0.1), both with longitudinal segmentation and good energy resolution but more dead material (magnet)
- 3D topological clustering of calorimeter, starting from cells with high signal significance
- Tracking (silicon, 2T field) mainly used for $b/c/\tau$ tagging and cluster calibration
 - PF algorithm developed but not in regular use yet [ATLAS PERF-2014-07](#)
 - Several algorithms for track-assisted jet reconstruction [ATLAS PHYS-PUB-2018-012](#)

- Sequential cluster algorithms defined by the two quantities

$$d_{ij} = \min \left(p_{T,i}^{2k}, p_{T,j}^{2k} \right) \frac{\Delta_{ij}^2}{R^2}, \quad d_{iB} = p_{T,i}^{2k}$$



- Behavior controlled by parameter $k = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{Durham } k_t \\ 0 & \text{Cambridge/Aachen} \\ -1 & \text{anti-}k_t \end{cases}$

→ different sensitivity to soft particles (soft emissions, pileup, underlying event)

Grooming methods

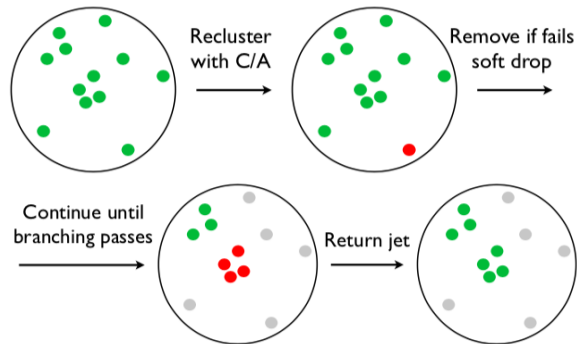
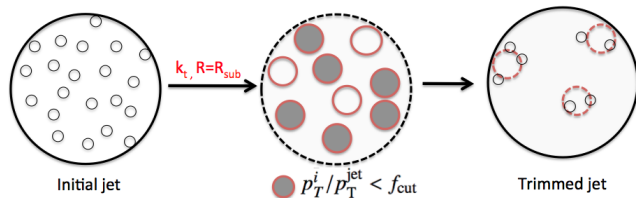
Modify jets to reduce impact of soft radiation and pileup events.

Various methods, for example:

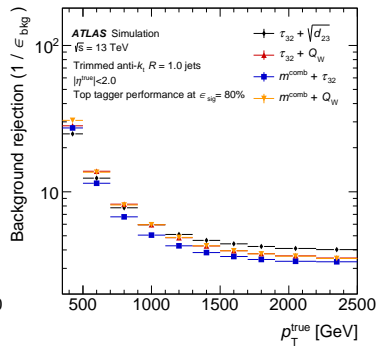
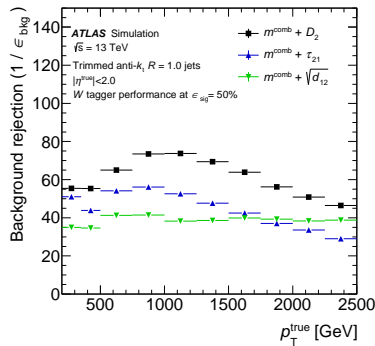
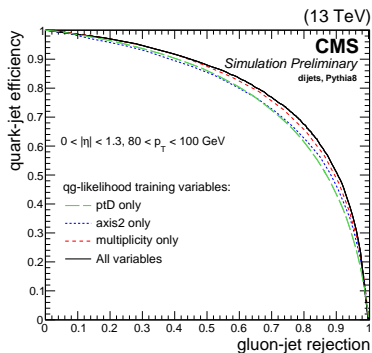
- **Trimming** [arXiv:0912.1342](https://arxiv.org/abs/0912.1342)
Cluster subjects with small R (0.2), remove if below cut (0.05)

- **Soft drop** [arXiv:1402.2657](https://arxiv.org/abs/1402.2657)
C/A declustering, stop if
$$\frac{\min(p_T^{j1}, p_T^{j2})}{p_T^{j1} + p_T^{j2}} > z_{\text{cut}} (\Delta R_{12}/R)^\beta$$

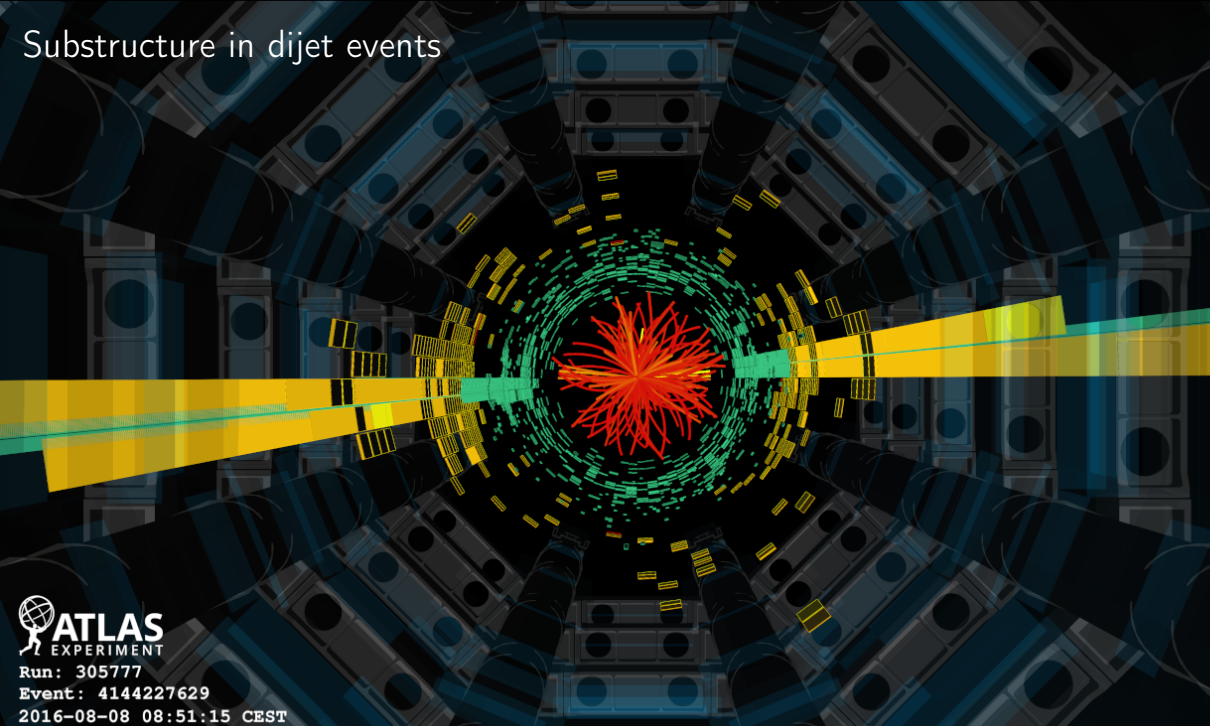
Figures from [ATLAS PERF-2012-02](#)
and A. Larkoski (LPC 2014)



- Quark-gluon tagging, boosted W, boosted tops, used for enhancing precision measurements and searches for new physics
- All taggers based on jet substructure observables
 - or moving to DNNs with tracks/clusters as direct input
 - substructure needs to be understood very well to reduce modeling uncertainties



Substructure in dijet events



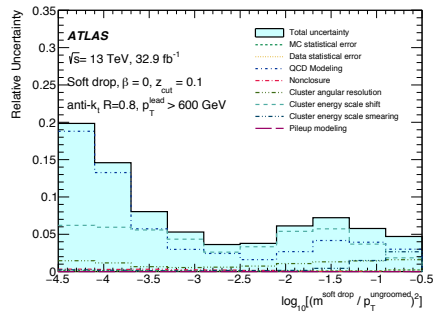
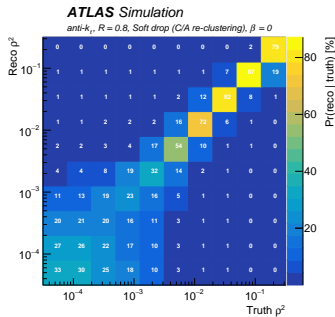
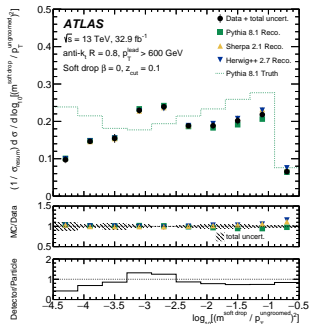
 **ATLAS**
EXPERIMENT

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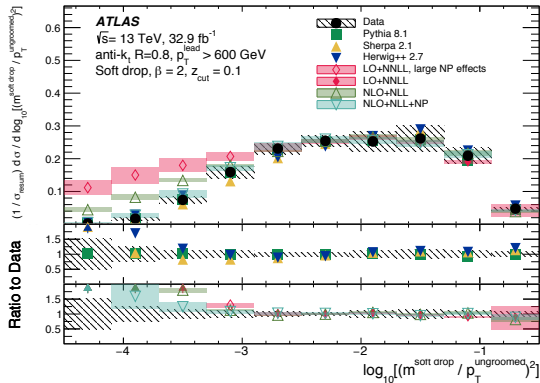
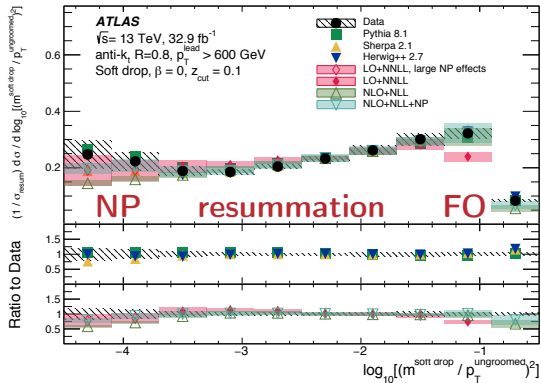
- Jet mass is simplest observable that requires a calculation at $>LO$
- Apply soft drop algorithm to remove impact of soft emissions, underlying event, pileup



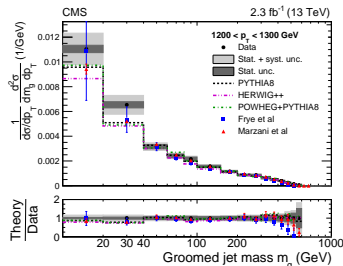
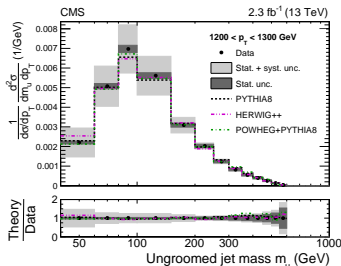
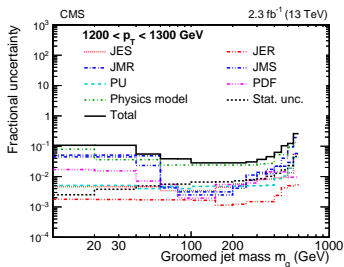
- Measure $\rho = m^{\text{soft drop}} / p_T^{\text{ungroomed}}$ down to $m^{\text{soft drop}} \sim 5 \text{ GeV}$ in bins of $p_T = \{600, 650, 700, 750, 800, 850, 900, 950, 1000, \infty\}$
- Main uncertainties:
 - Cluster energy scale calibration from matched tracks (bottom-up)
 - QCD modeling: exchange unfolding matrix from Pythia to Sherpa (\neq difference between generator predictions!)

- Data well described by MC and calculations in resummation region
- Large non-perturbative effects significant for $\beta = 2$

$$(\text{SD: stop if } \frac{\min(p_T^{j1}, p_T^{j2})}{p_T^{j1} + p_T^{j2}} > z_{\text{cut}} (\Delta R_{12}/R)^\beta)$$

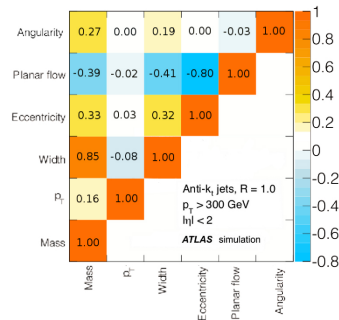
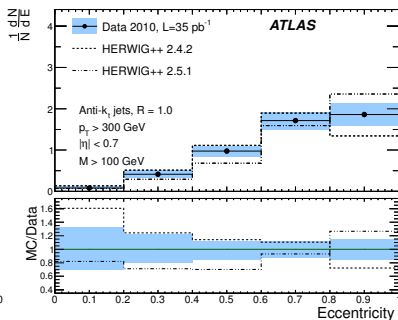
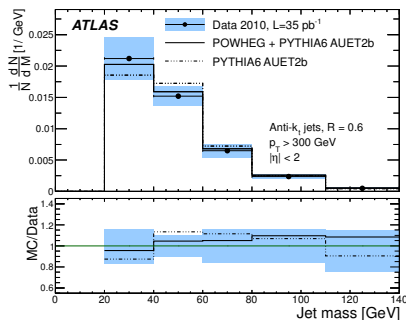


- Measure both ungroomed (m_u) and SD groomed (m_g) jet mass in bins of jet p_T
- Jets clustered from PF+CHS candidates = mostly tracks and “PF photons”
- Main uncertainties:
 - Jet mass scale+resolution calibrated to boosted W bosons (top-down)
 - Physics modeling (Pythia8 vs. Herwig++)



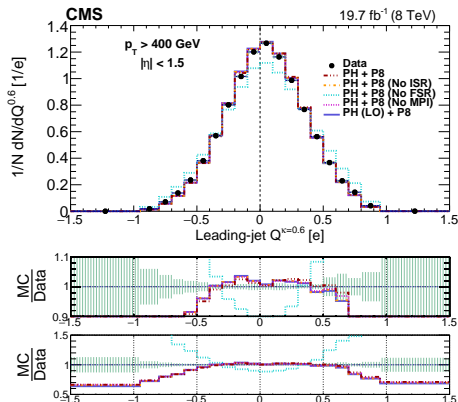
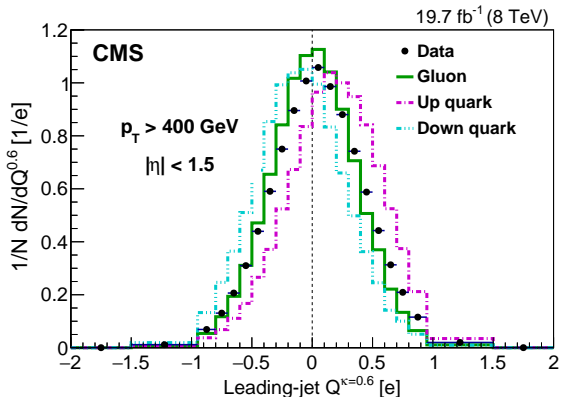
- Grooming lowers the jet mass and reduces the Sudakov peak.
- Improves measurement precision by removing contamination from soft particles and pileup

- 2010 dataset with very low pileup, measured 5 substructure observables
- Evaluated observable correlations \rightarrow need to be kept in mind when tuning



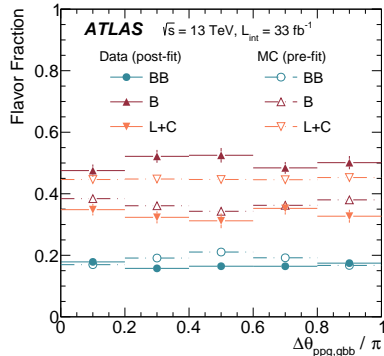
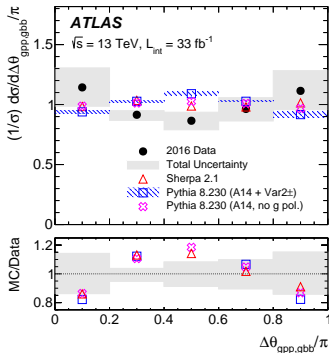
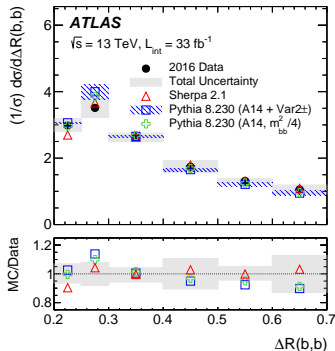
- Jet mass, k_t splitting scales, N-subjettiness on same dataset

- Jet charge $Q^\kappa = \frac{1}{(p_T^{jet})^\kappa} \sum_{i \in \text{PF}} Q_i (p_T^i)^\kappa$, use $\kappa = \{0.3, 0.6, 1.0\}$, as well as $Q_{L,T}^\kappa$
- Differences between up/down quarks and gluons still visible after reconstruction



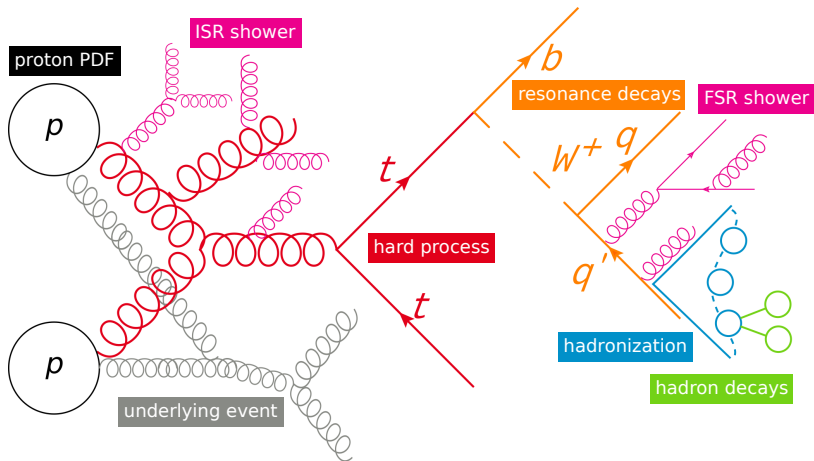
- Leading uncertainties from track p_T resolution and physics modeling
- Result is sensitive to quark and gluon content, and to FSR

- Probe massive QCD splitting at small angles, main background for $H \rightarrow b\bar{b}$
- Large- R (1.0) calo jets with $p_T > 450$ GeV, ≥ 2 small- R (0.2) track jets, ≥ 1 b tag
- Signal fraction $\sim 20\%$, remove non- bb by fit to track impact parameter significance
- Measure $\Delta R(b, b)$, $z = p_{T,2}/(p_{T,1} + p_{T,2})$, $\Delta\theta_{ppg,gb\bar{b}}$, $\log(m_{bb}/p_T)$



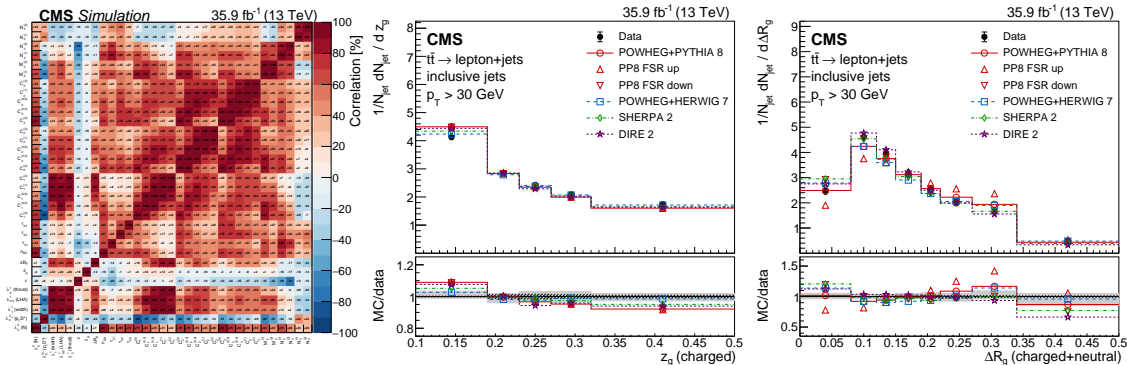
- Significant deviations between data and MC predictions, not covered by FSR variations

Jet substructure in $t\bar{t}$ production



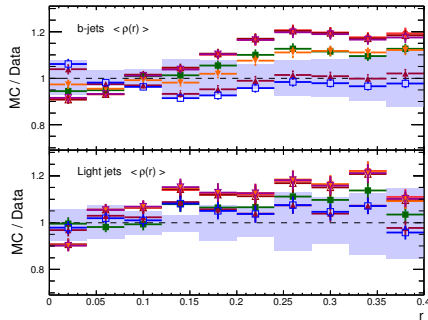
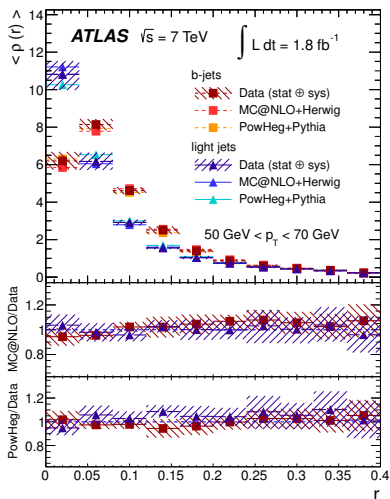
- Very rich final state: high- p_T gluons, light quarks, b quarks, boosted W , boosted top
→ standard candle for investigating jet flavors and boosted objects
- Produced abundantly at the LHC!

- Probing jet evolution with angularities, soft drop, energy correlations... → 33 observables
- Narrow jets ($\Delta R = 0.4$), unfolded for charged and charged+neutral particles
- Inclusive, bottom, light-enriched (matched to W candidate) and gluon-enriched jet samples → 264 distributions but high correlations



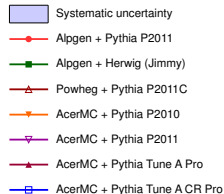
- Preliminary version → inclusion of missing $b \rightarrow bg$ splitting functions in Dire NLO shower
- Extract $\alpha_S = 0.115 \pm 0.001$ (exp) $_{-0.003}^{+0.006}$ (model) $_{-0.012}^{+0.014}$ (scale)... $t \rightarrow bW + g$ @NLO?

- Measure shape of narrow jets in different jet p_T bins
- Match light jets to W boson \rightarrow 66% purity, energy distribution narrower than for b jets



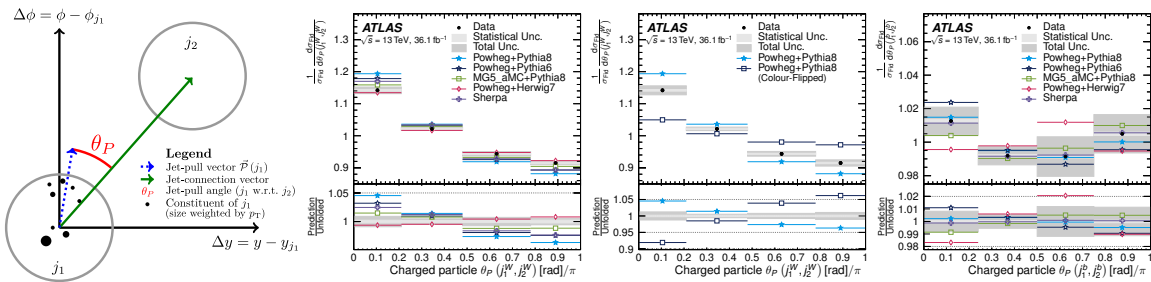
ATLAS $\sqrt{s} = 7$ TeV

$50 \text{ GeV} < p_T < 70 \text{ GeV}$



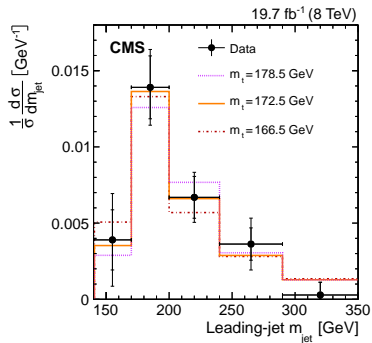
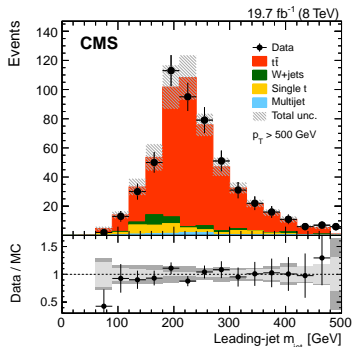
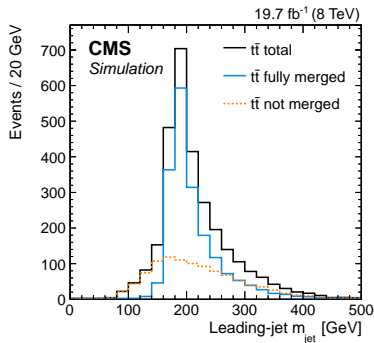
- Also sensitive to UE tunes, probably due to implicit FSR settings

- Measurement of colour flow using jet-pull observable at 13 TeV
- Light jets from W boson are colour-connected
 - Clear peak at low angles, best described by Herwig 7
 - Colour-flipped toy model has flattened distribution
- Pull angle between b jets consistent with random directions, no color connection



- RIVET available for 8 TeV version ATLAS TOPQ-2014-09

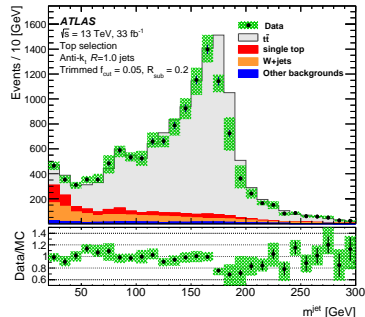
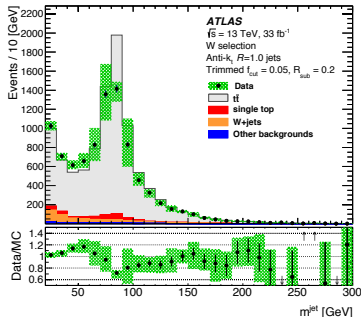
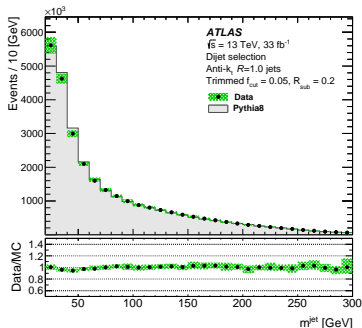
- Select $t\bar{t}$ events with C/A jet ($\Delta R = 1.2$ and $p_T > 400$ GeV) as hadronic top candidate



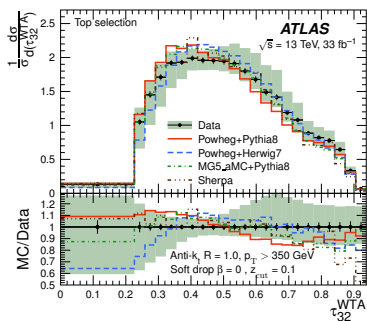
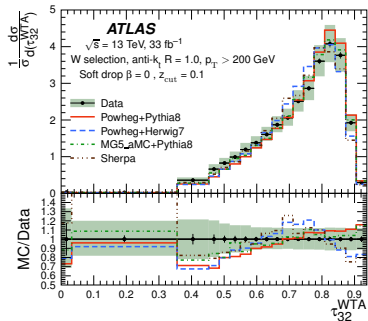
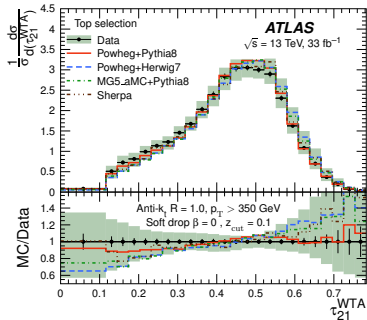
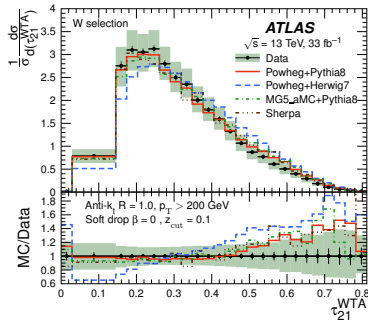
- Measurement limited by statistical precision at 8 TeV
- Potentially sensitive to well-defined top-quark mass, see Hoang et al.

[arXiv:1803.02321](https://arxiv.org/abs/1803.02321)

- Using dijet and $t\bar{t}$ events with trimmed high- p_T anti- k_t jets ($R = 1.0$)
- Leading jet in dijet events: $p_T > 450$ GeV
- Boosted W : $p_T > 200$ GeV, $60 < m < 100$ GeV, b jet within $1.0 < \Delta R < 1.8$
- Boosted top: $p_T > 350$ GeV, $m > 140$ GeV, b jet within $\Delta R < 1.0$

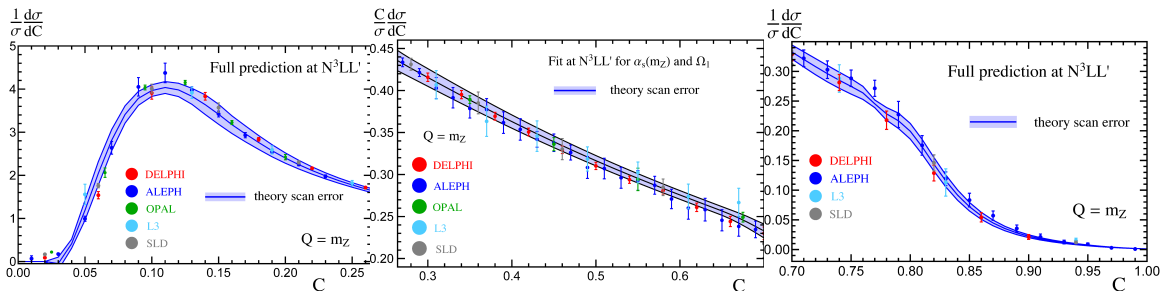
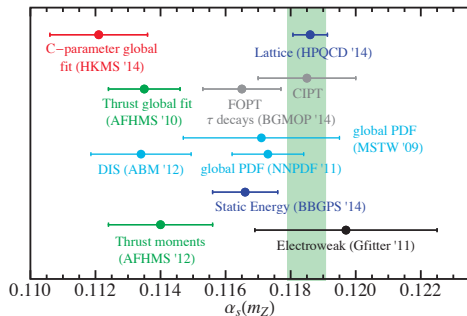


- Revert trimming, apply soft drop grooming
- Unfold number of subjets, LHA, energy correlation functions, N-subjettiness \rightarrow
- In general good description of data by various MC but uncertainties still large
- W decay: Herwig7 not as 2-prong-like as data? But: no shower variations!



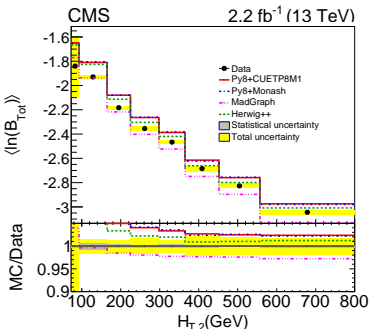
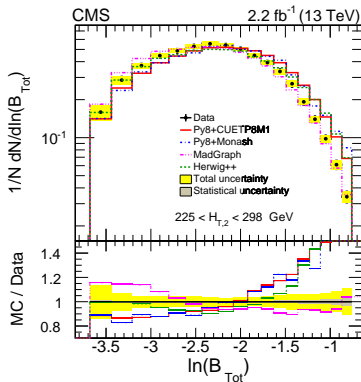
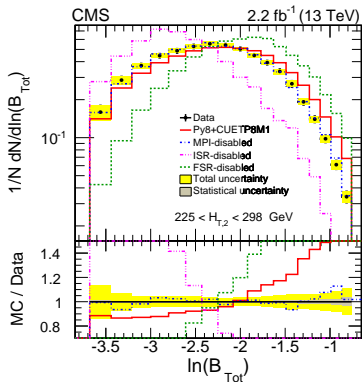
Event shapes

- Many event shapes measured at LEP
 - Thrust, C-parameter $\rightarrow 0$ for dijet events
 - Excellent tool for measuring strong coupling
 - At LHC:
 - initial state not precisely known
 - more activity in uncovered forward regions
- \rightarrow observables redefined in transverse plane



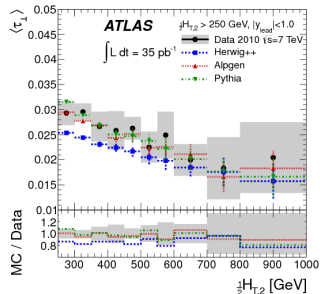
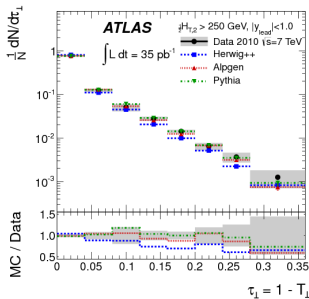
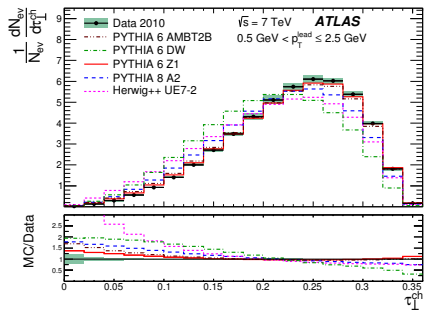
Hoang et al. [arXiv:1501.04111](https://arxiv.org/abs/1501.04111)

- Event shape variables defined from 3 jets: leading, subleading, maximizing recoil
- Observables: transverse thrust, total jet broadening, total (transverse) jet mass
- $B_{tot} \equiv B_U + B_L$ with $B_X \equiv \frac{1}{2P_T} \sum_{i \in C_X} p_{T,i} \sqrt{(\eta_i - \eta_X)^2 + (\phi_i - \phi_X)^2}$
 → very sensitive to modeling of ISR, FSR, and MPI in jet events

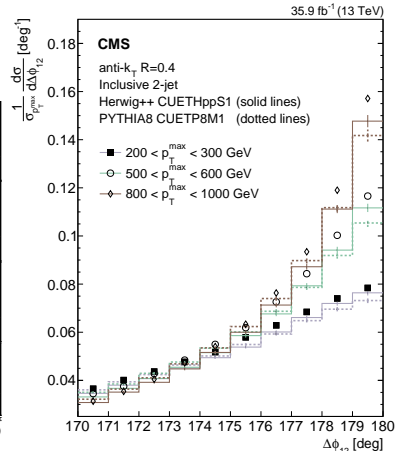
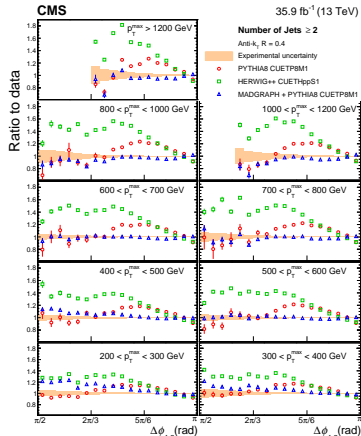
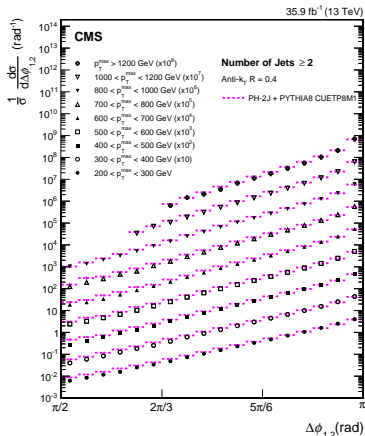


- RIVET available for 7 TeV version CMS SMP-12-022

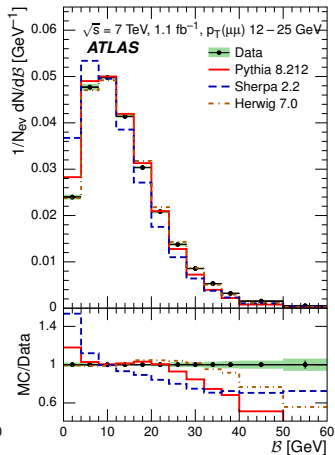
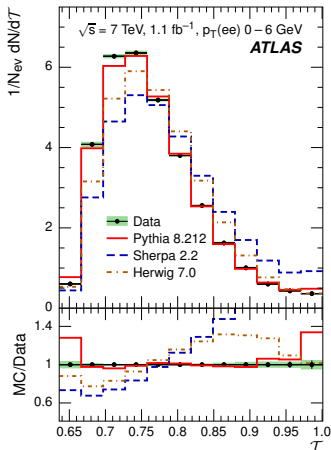
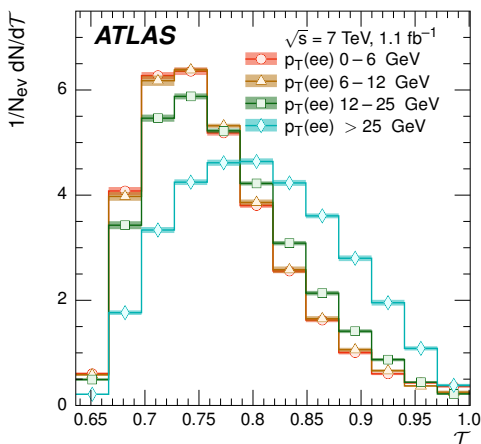
- Left: event shapes measured in minimum bias, defined from charged particles **RIVET**
- Center/right: event shapes measured in multi-jet events, defined from jets
- Complement transverse thrust $\tau_{\perp} = 1 - T_{\perp}$, $T_{\perp} = \max_{\hat{n}} \frac{\sum_i |\vec{p}_{T,i} \cdot \hat{n}|}{\sum_i |\vec{p}_{T,i}|} \rightarrow 0$ for dijet



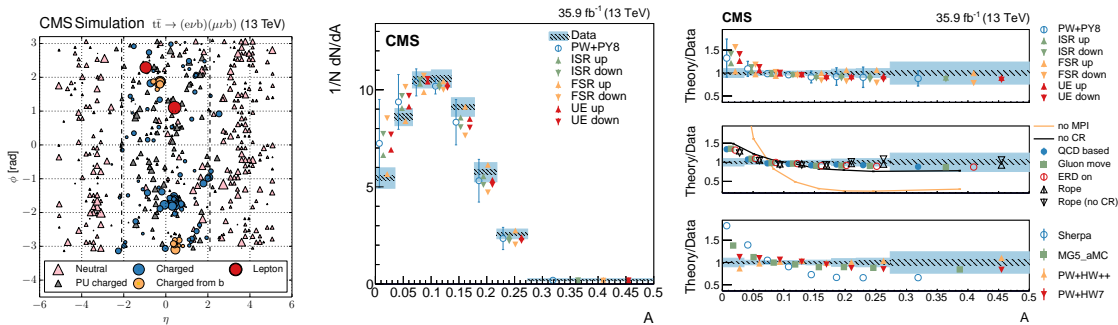
- Measure $\Delta\phi_{12}$ = azimuthal separation of two leading jets with $p_T > 100$ GeV
- Large deviations from $\Delta\phi_{12} = 180^\circ \rightarrow$ need higher-order ME calculations
- Small deviations from $\Delta\phi_{12} = 180^\circ \rightarrow$ resummation region



- Select $Z \rightarrow \ell^+ \ell^-$ events
- Calculate event shapes from charged particles: charged multiplicity, scalar p_T sum, beam thrust, transverse thrust, sphericity, F-parameter
- Beam thrust $\mathcal{B} = \sum_i p_{T,i} \cdot e^{-|\eta_i|}$ (more like summed p_T than thrust)



- Probe the underlying event in high-scale process \rightarrow measured in $t\bar{t}$ dilepton events: charged multiplicity, summed/average momenta; event shapes: sphericity/aplanarity/C/D



- Sensitivity to ISR/FSR variations, shapes prefer more radiation, flux observables less
- Data compared to large range of models: CR models, rope hadronization, Sherpa, Herwig

Summary

- Two main reconstruction strategies:
 - CMS particle flow = tracks + calorimeter
 - ATLAS mostly topological calorimeter clusters
- Jet substructure
 - Used for quark/gluon, boosted W, boosted top tagging
 - Jet mass and other substructure measured in dijet events, latest with soft drop
 - $t\bar{t}$ events give access to samples enriched in jet flavors
- Event shapes in pp collisions sensitive to hard and soft QCD effects
 - Potential for tuning but need ME+PS predictions
- All crucial for validation and further development of QCD modeling!