

# Groomed heavy jet mass at NNLO +NNNLL accuracy in lepton collisions

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# Outline

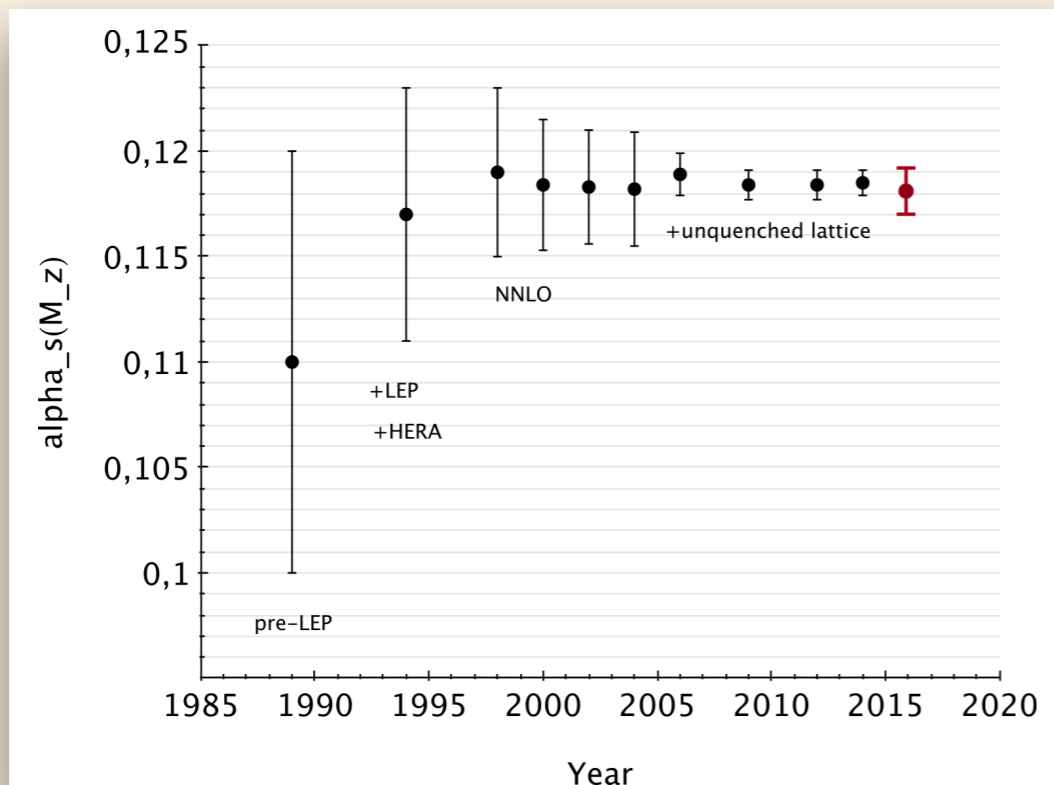
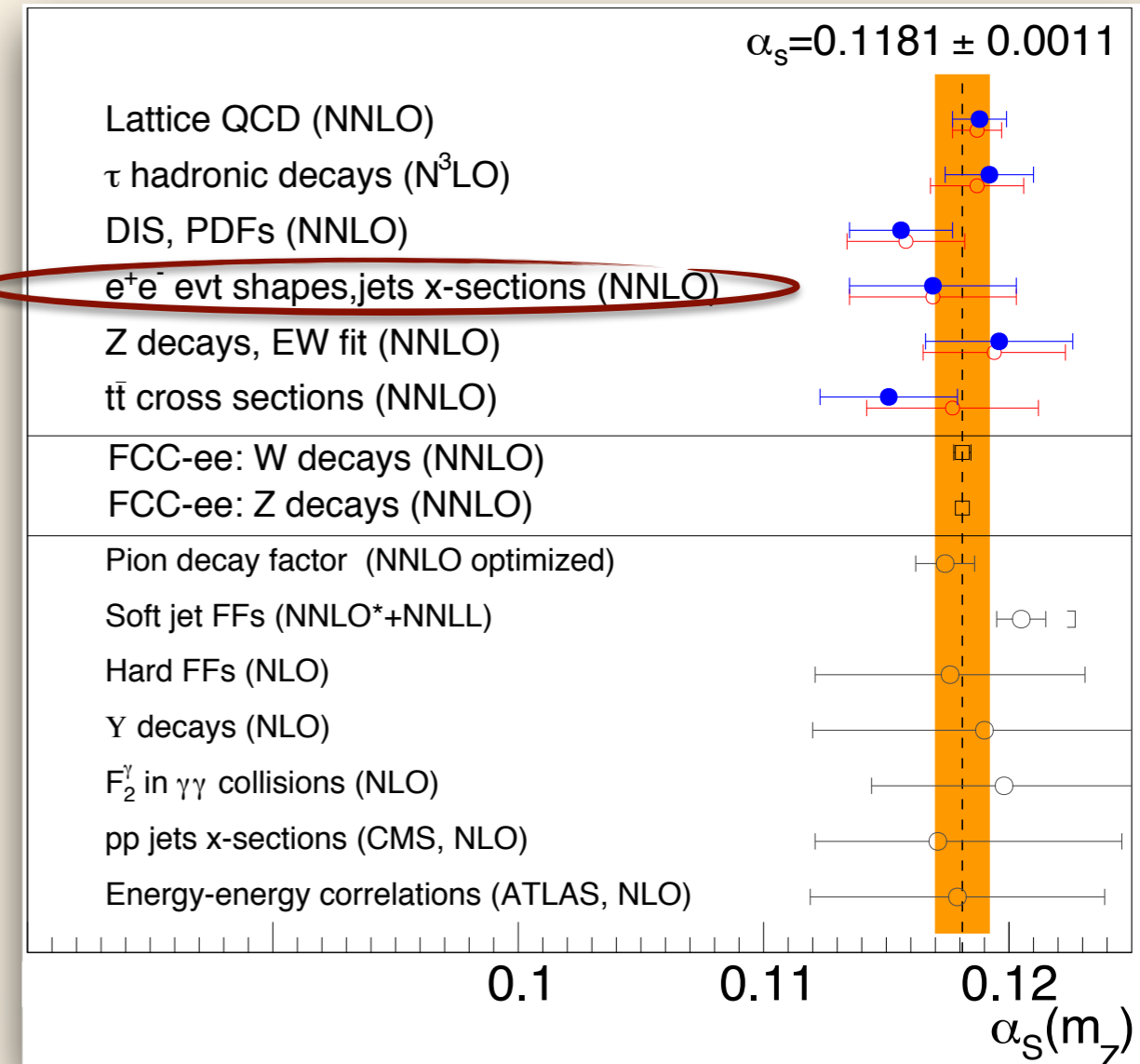
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- New prospects: groomed event shapes
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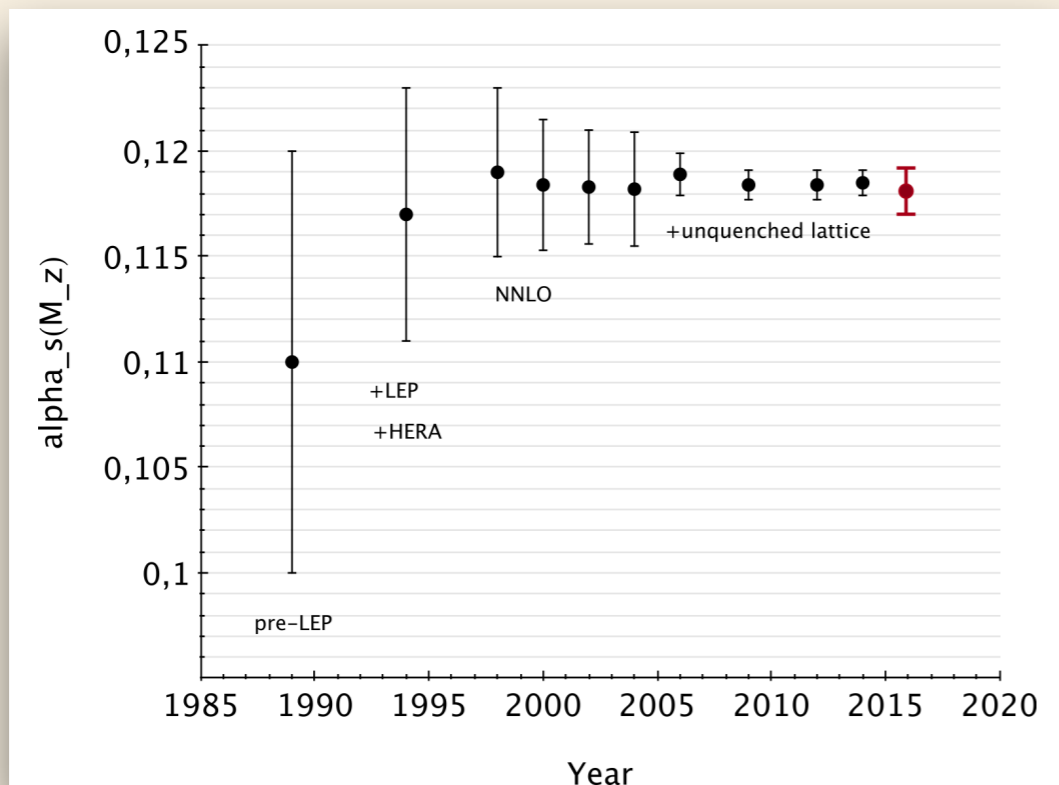


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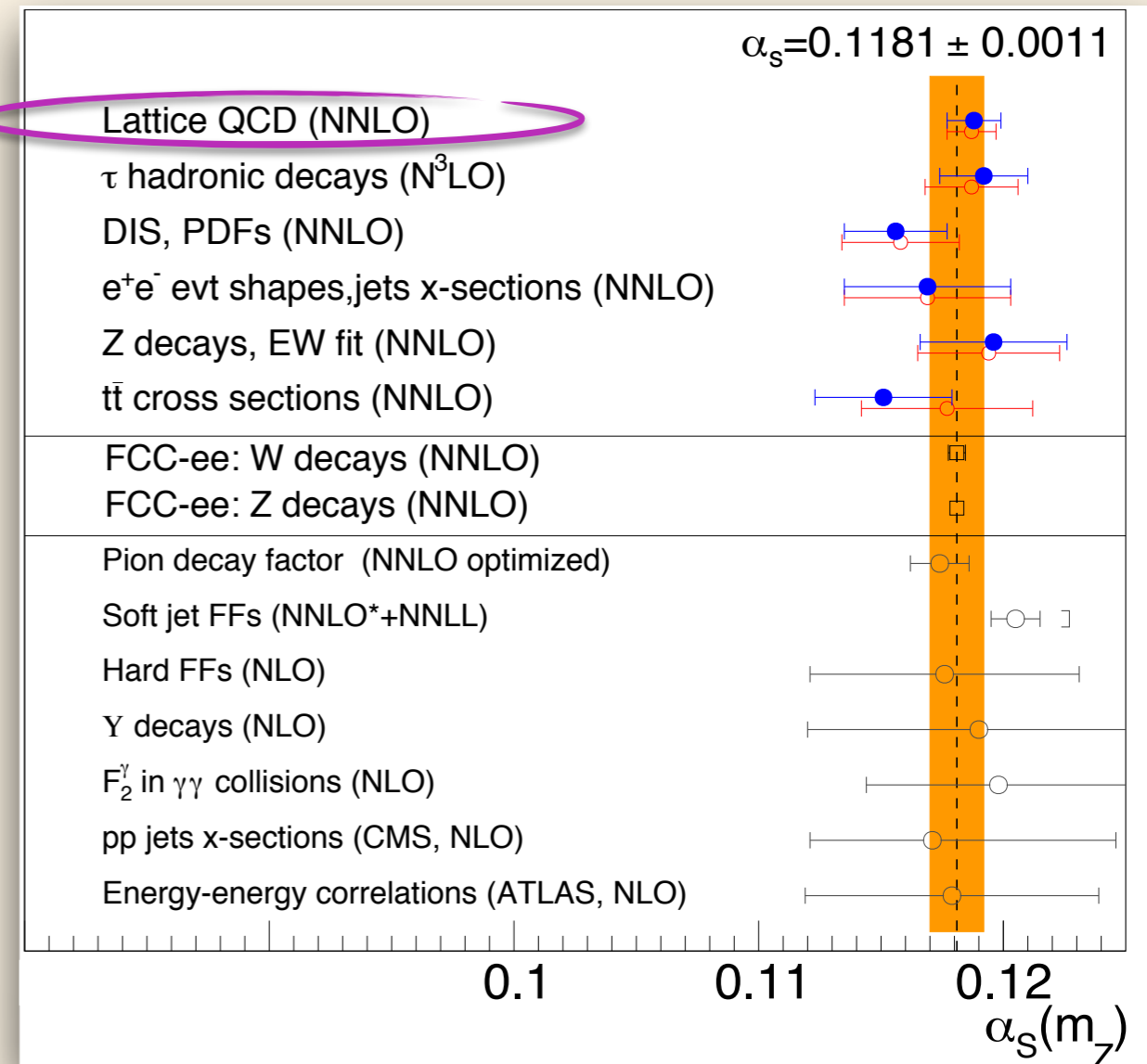
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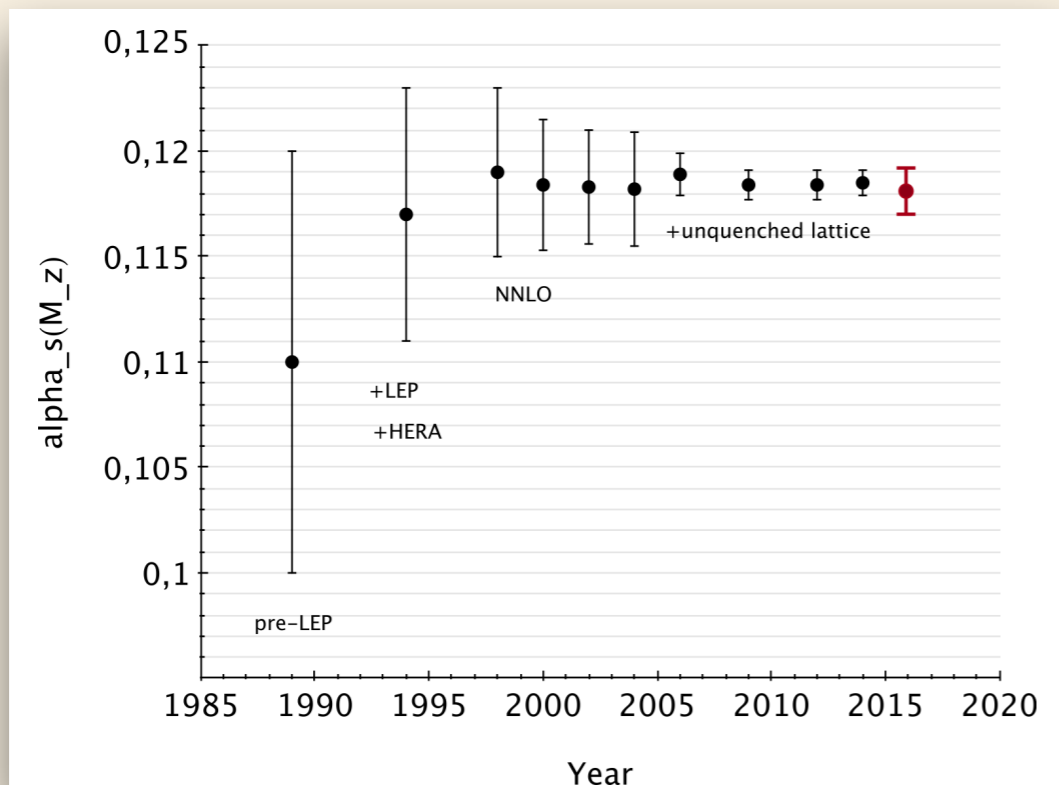


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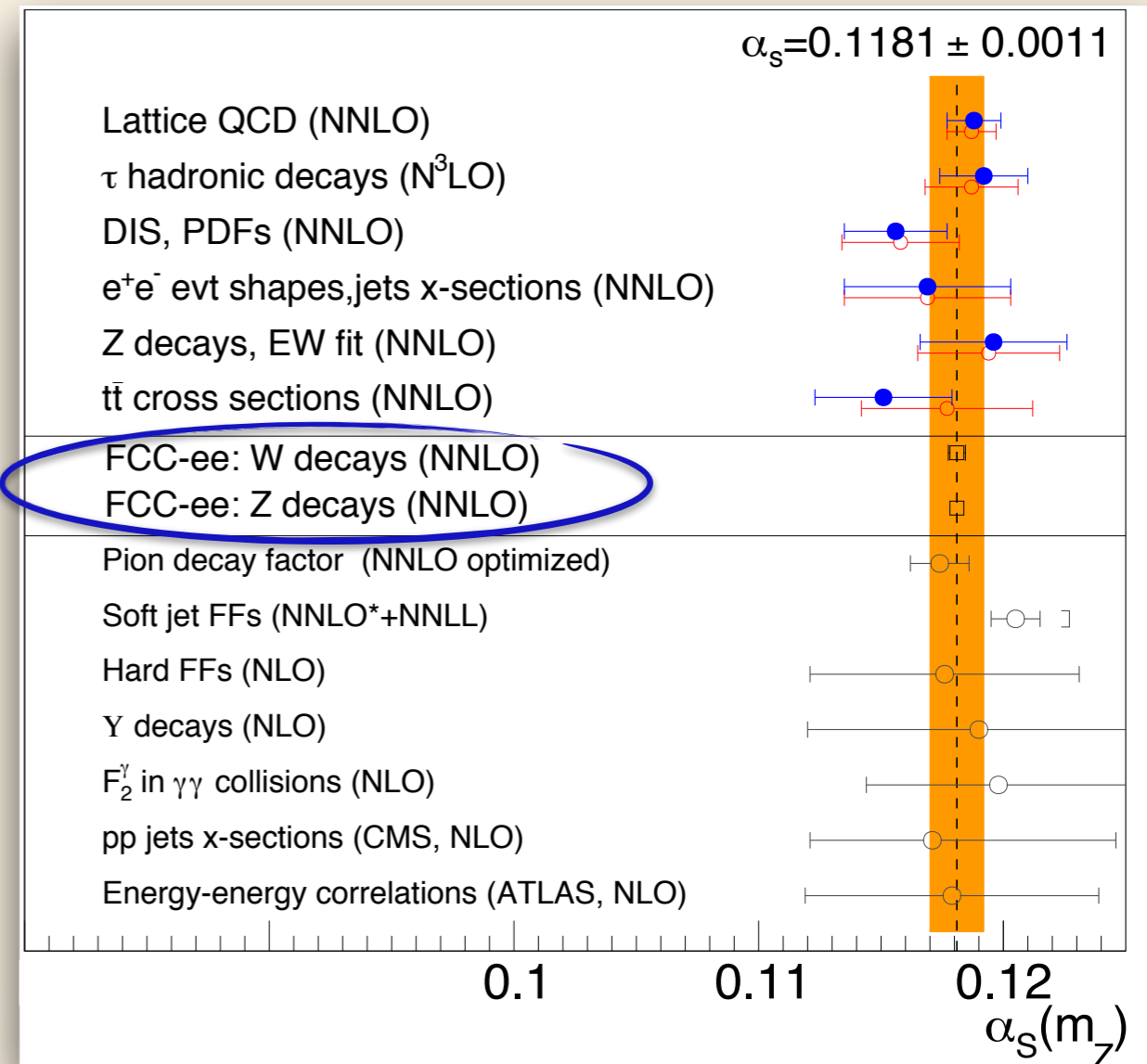
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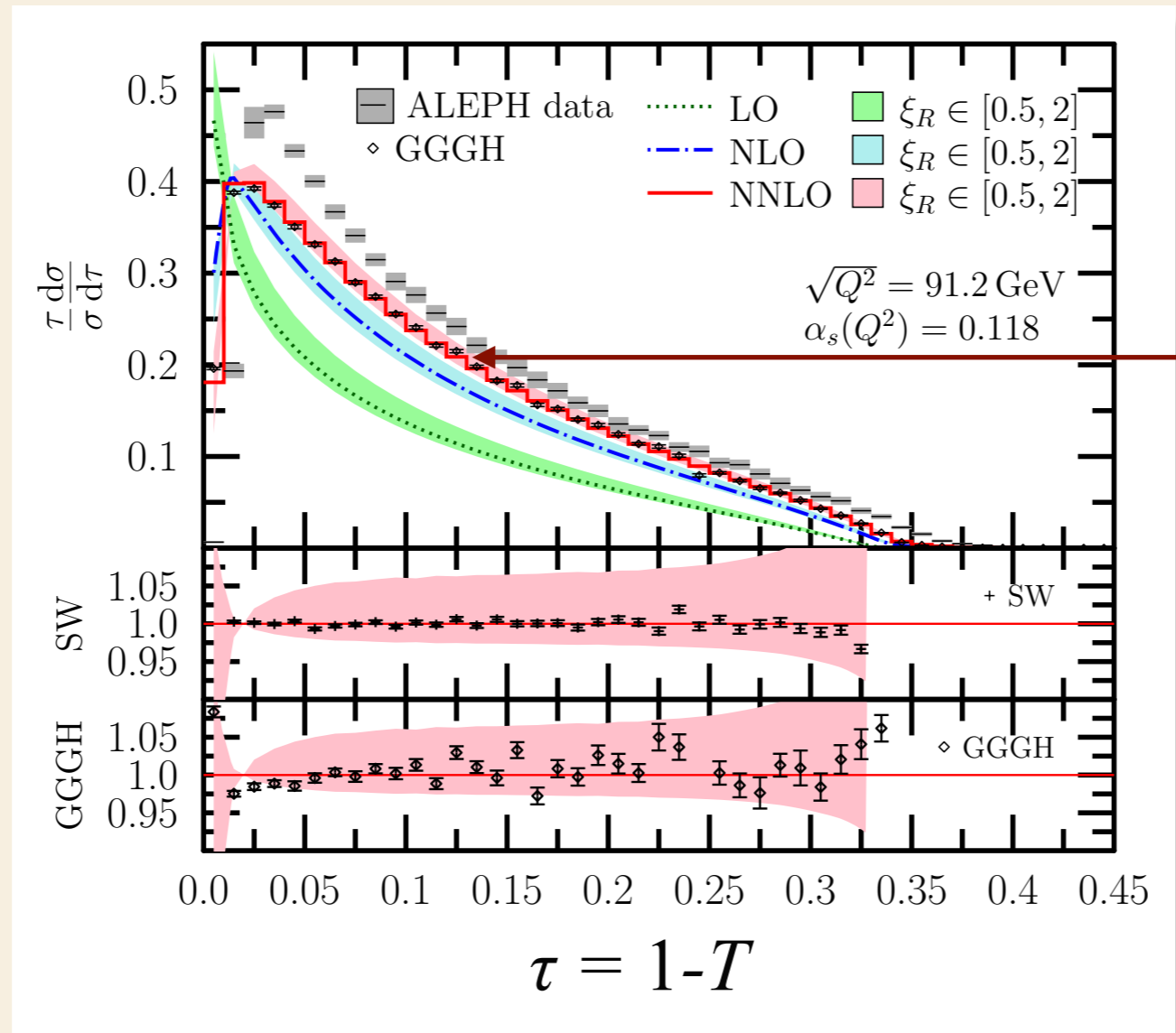


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New since LEP

# Impact of corrections at NNLO



fixed-order PT  
is insufficient to  
describe data

$$T = \max_{\vec{n}} \left( \frac{\sum_i |\vec{n} \cdot \vec{p}_i|}{\sum_i |\vec{p}_i|} \right)$$

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matching predictions at fixed order with resummed  
has to avoid double counting — achieved by  
removing coefficients known analytically (precisely)  
→ need coefficients in fixed order also precisely

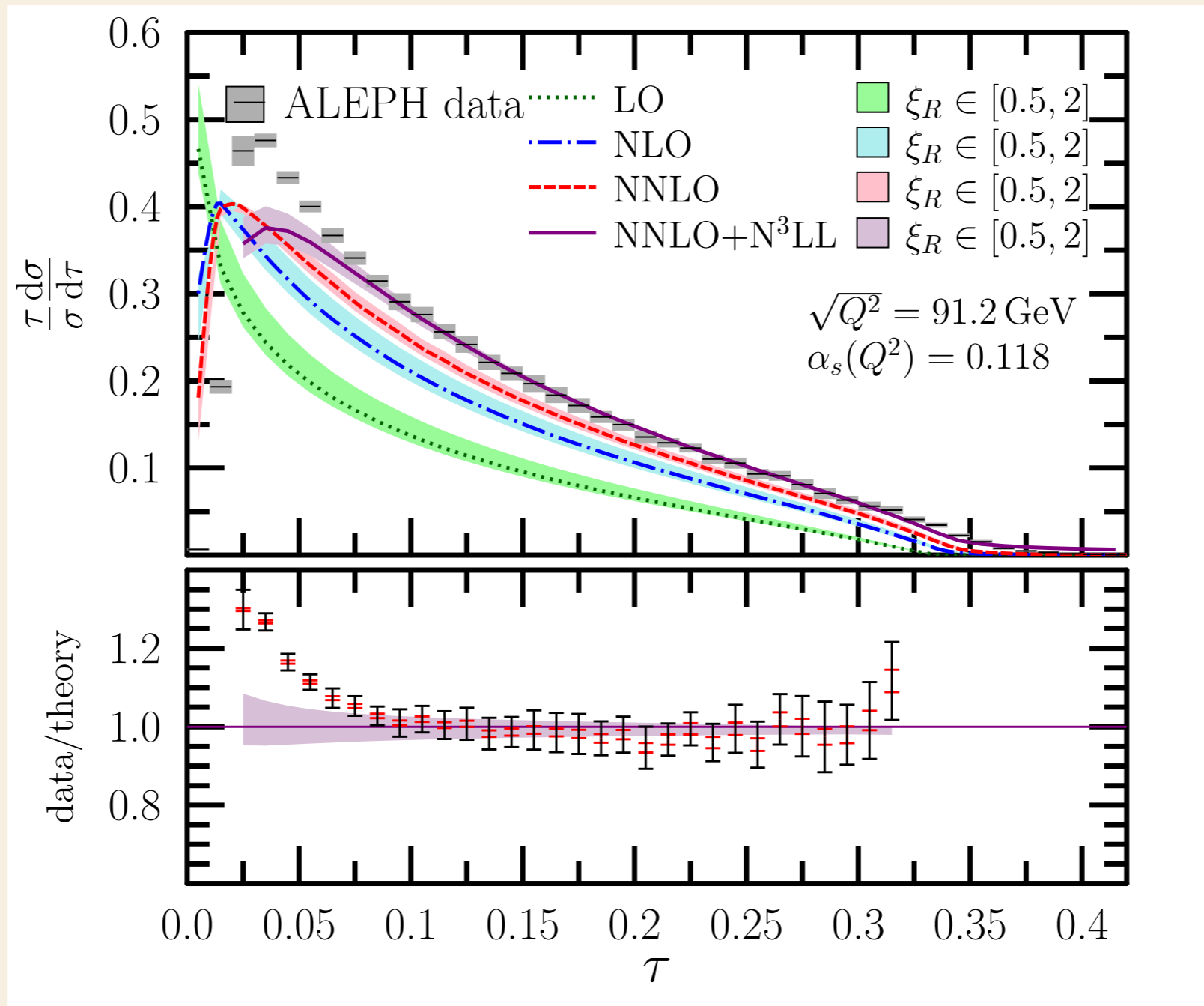
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some precise predictions are available:

  - NNLO+N<sup>3</sup>LL for I-T, C-parameter & heavy jet mass ( $\rho$ )
  - NNLO+N<sup>2</sup>LL for broadenings and EEC

# Matching NNLO with N<sup>3</sup>LL



Works for  $\tau > 0.1$ , fails in peak regions

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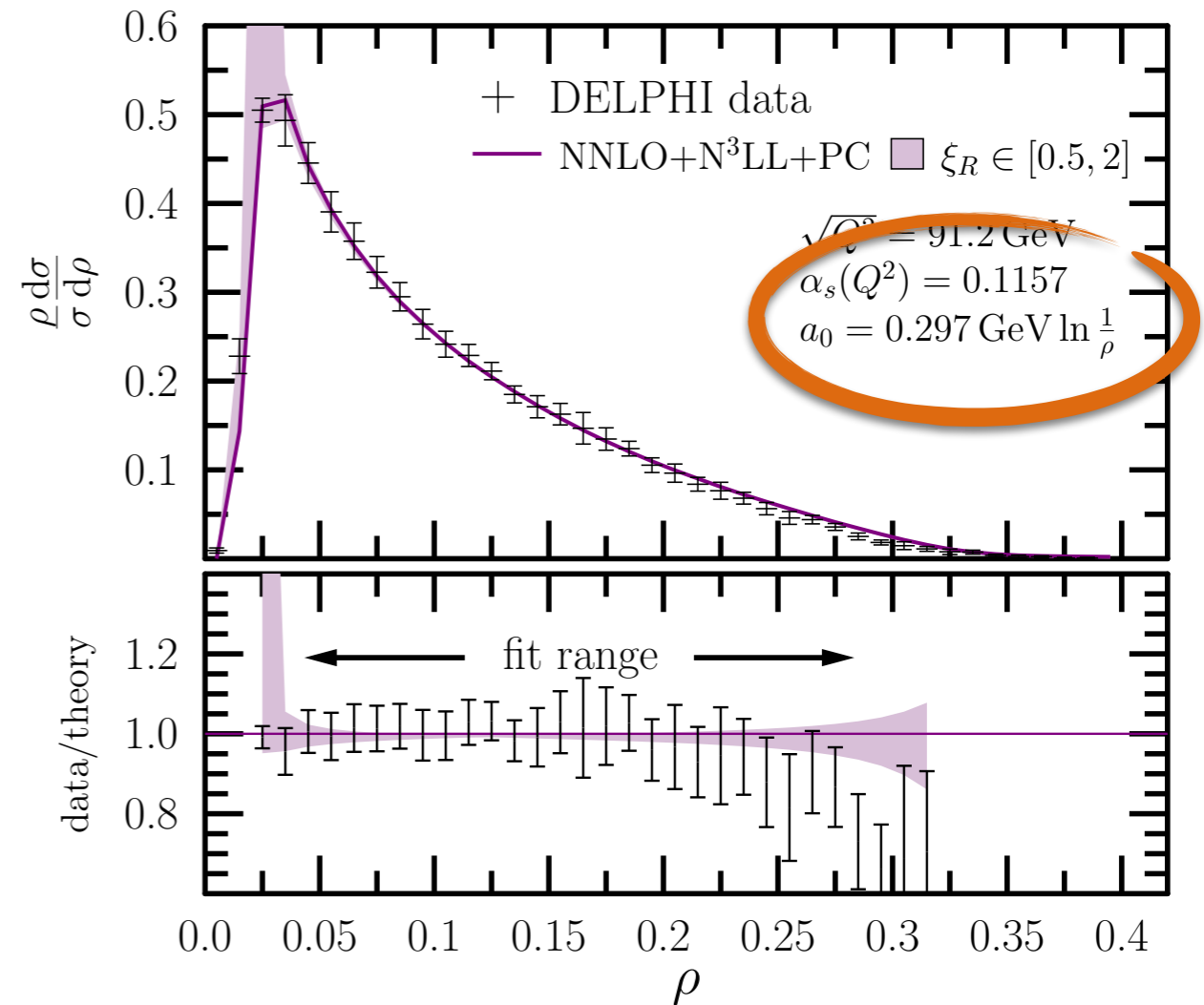
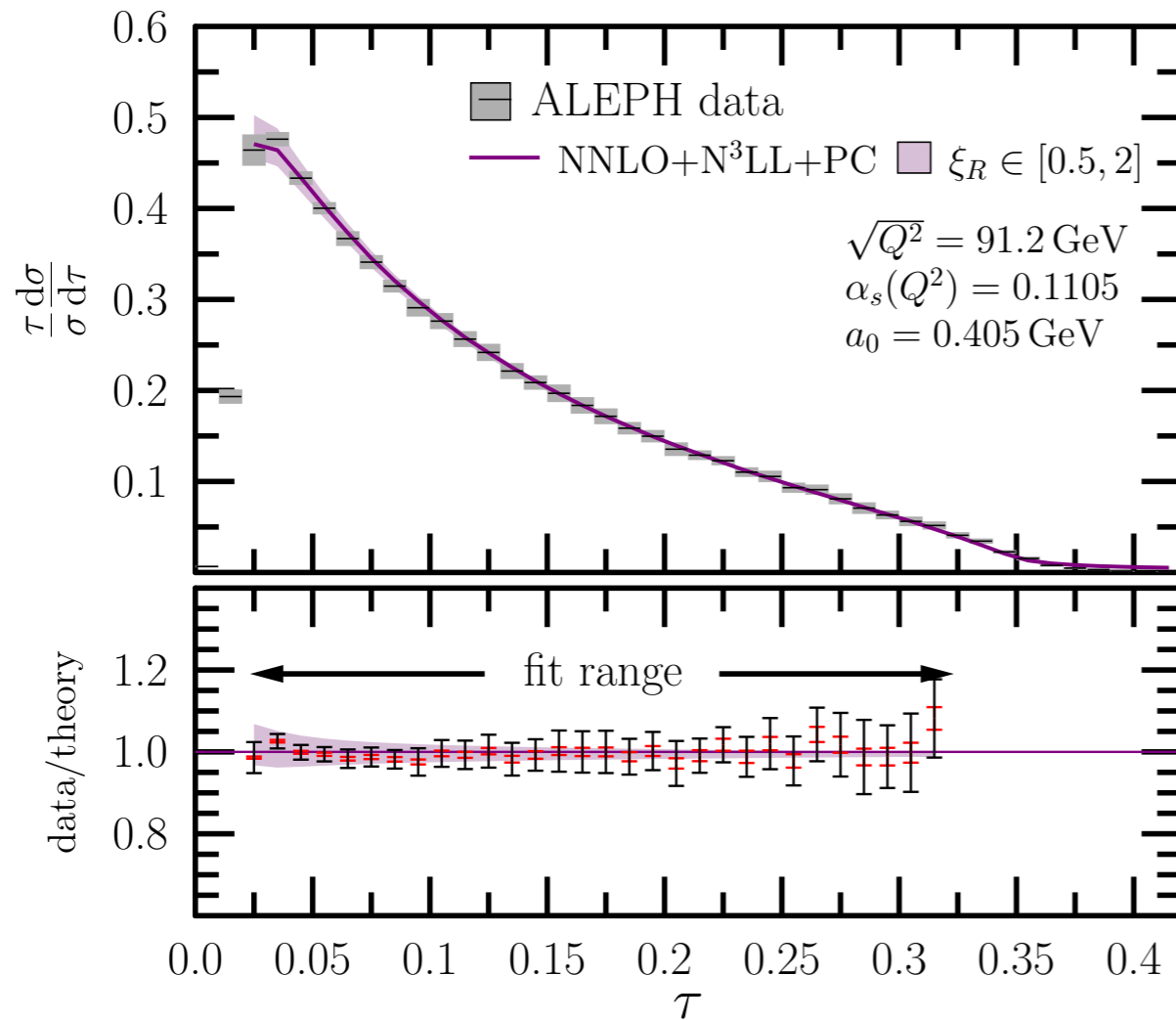
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two options:

  - estimate of hadronisation using modern MC tools
  - use analytic model for power corrections

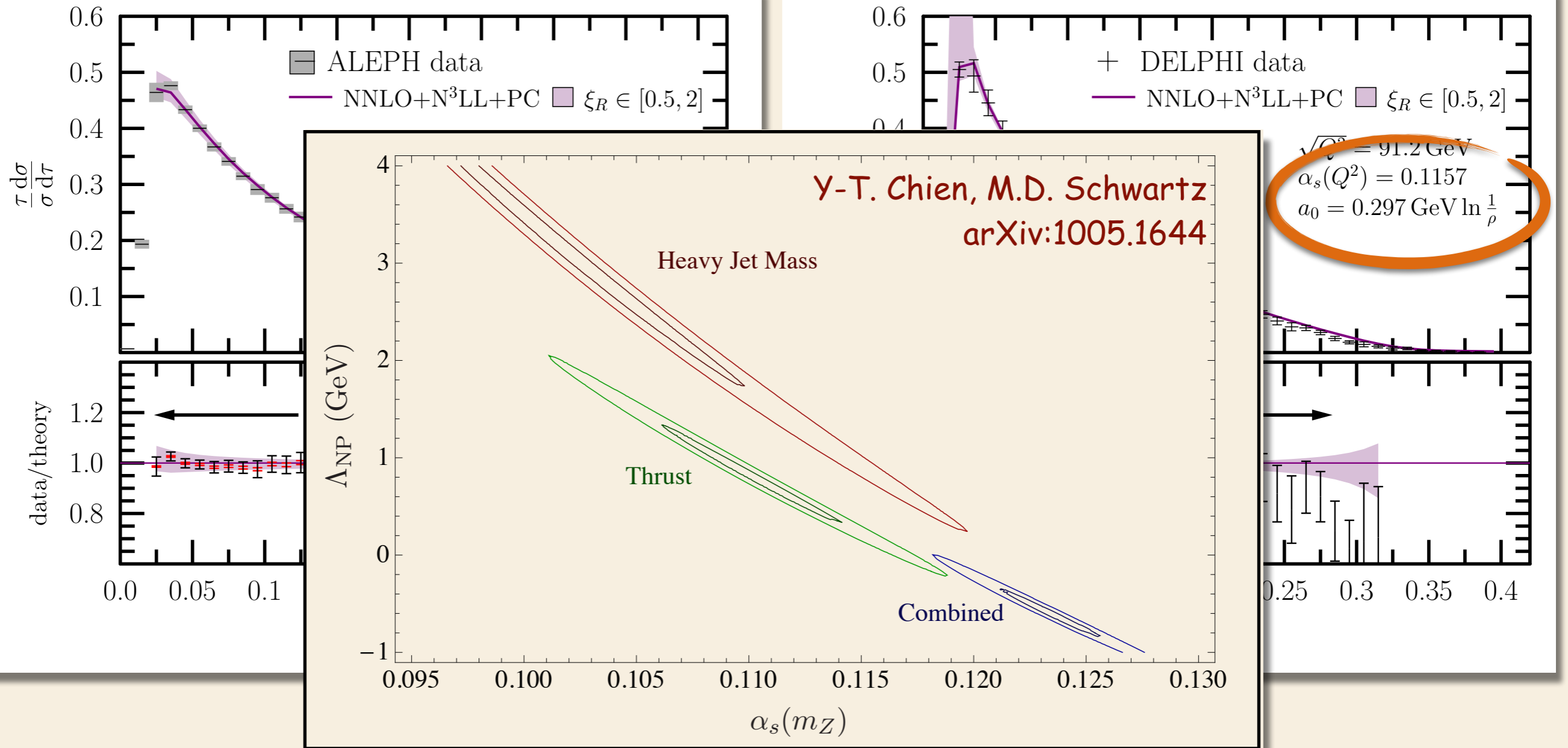
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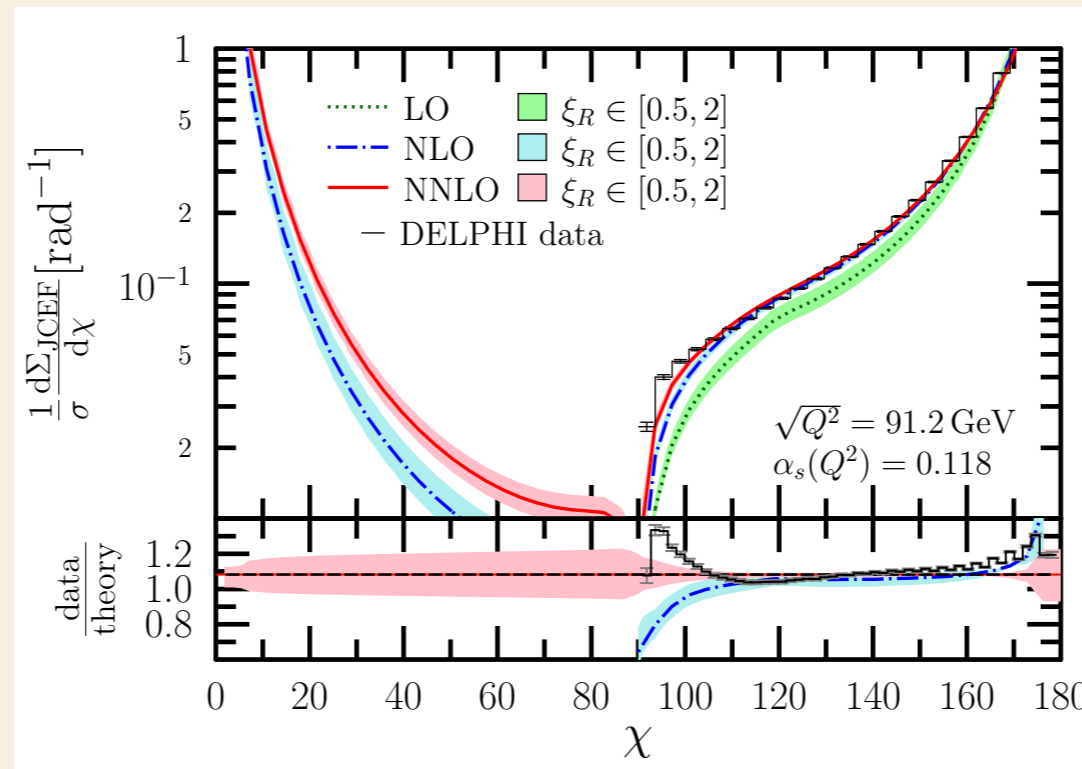
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5. Monte Carlo estimates are model dependent

# How to improve?

- ✓ Find observable quantities with small perturbative and hadronisation corrections:

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jet cone energy fraction: 
$$\frac{d\Sigma_{\text{JCEF}}}{d \cos \chi} = \sum_i \int \frac{E_i}{Q} d\sigma_{e^+e^- \rightarrow i+X} \delta\left(\cos \chi - \frac{\vec{p}_i \cdot \vec{n}_T}{|\vec{p}_i|}\right)$$



V. Del Duca et al, arXiv:1606.03453

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- precluster hadrons and compute shapes from jets

Decamp et al [ALEPH], Phys.Lett. B257 (1991) 479-491

- groomed event shapes, designed to reduce contamination from non-perturbative effects

Groomed heavy jet mass

# mMDT grooming algorithm

1. Divide the final state of an  $e^+e^- \rightarrow$  hadrons event into two hemispheres in any infrared and collinear safe way.
2. In each hemisphere, run the Cambridge/Aachen jet algorithm to produce an angular-ordered pairwise clustering history of particles.
3. Undo the last step of the clustering for the one hemisphere, and split it into two particles; check if these particles pass the mass drop condition, which is defined for  $e^+e^-$  collisions as:

$$\frac{\min[E_i, E_j]}{E_i + E_j} > z_{\text{cut}}$$

where  $E_i$  and  $E_j$  are the energies of the two particles

3. If the splitting fails this condition, the softer particle is dropped and the groomer continues to the next step in the clustering at smaller angle.
4. If the splitting passes this condition the procedure ends and any observable can be measured in the remaining hemispheres

# mMDT groomed heavy jet mass

**Factorization formula for**  $\tau_L, \tau_R \ll z_{\text{cut}} \ll 1$   $\tau_i = \frac{m_i^2}{E_i^2}$

$$\frac{1}{\sigma_0} \frac{d^2\sigma}{d\tau_L d\tau_R} = H(Q^2) S(z_{\text{cut}}) [J(\tau_L) \otimes S_c(\tau_L, z_{\text{cut}})] [J(\tau_R) \otimes S_c(\tau_R, z_{\text{cut}})]$$

C. Frye et al, arXiv: 1603.09338

**Convolutions —**

**true product for Laplace transforms:**

$$\frac{\sigma(\nu_L, \nu_R)}{\sigma_0} = H(Q^2) S(z_{\text{cut}}) \tilde{J}(\nu_L) \tilde{S}_c(\nu_L, z_{\text{cut}}) \tilde{J}(\nu_R) \tilde{S}_c(\nu_R, z_{\text{cut}})$$

**Modified mass drop tagger groomed heavy jet mass:**

$$\frac{1}{\sigma_0} \frac{d\sigma_g}{d\rho} \equiv \int d\tau_L d\tau_R \frac{1}{\sigma_0} \frac{d^2\sigma}{d\tau_L d\tau_R} [\Theta(\tau_L - \tau_R) \delta(\rho - \tau_L) + \Theta(\tau_R - \tau_L) \delta(\rho - \tau_R)]$$

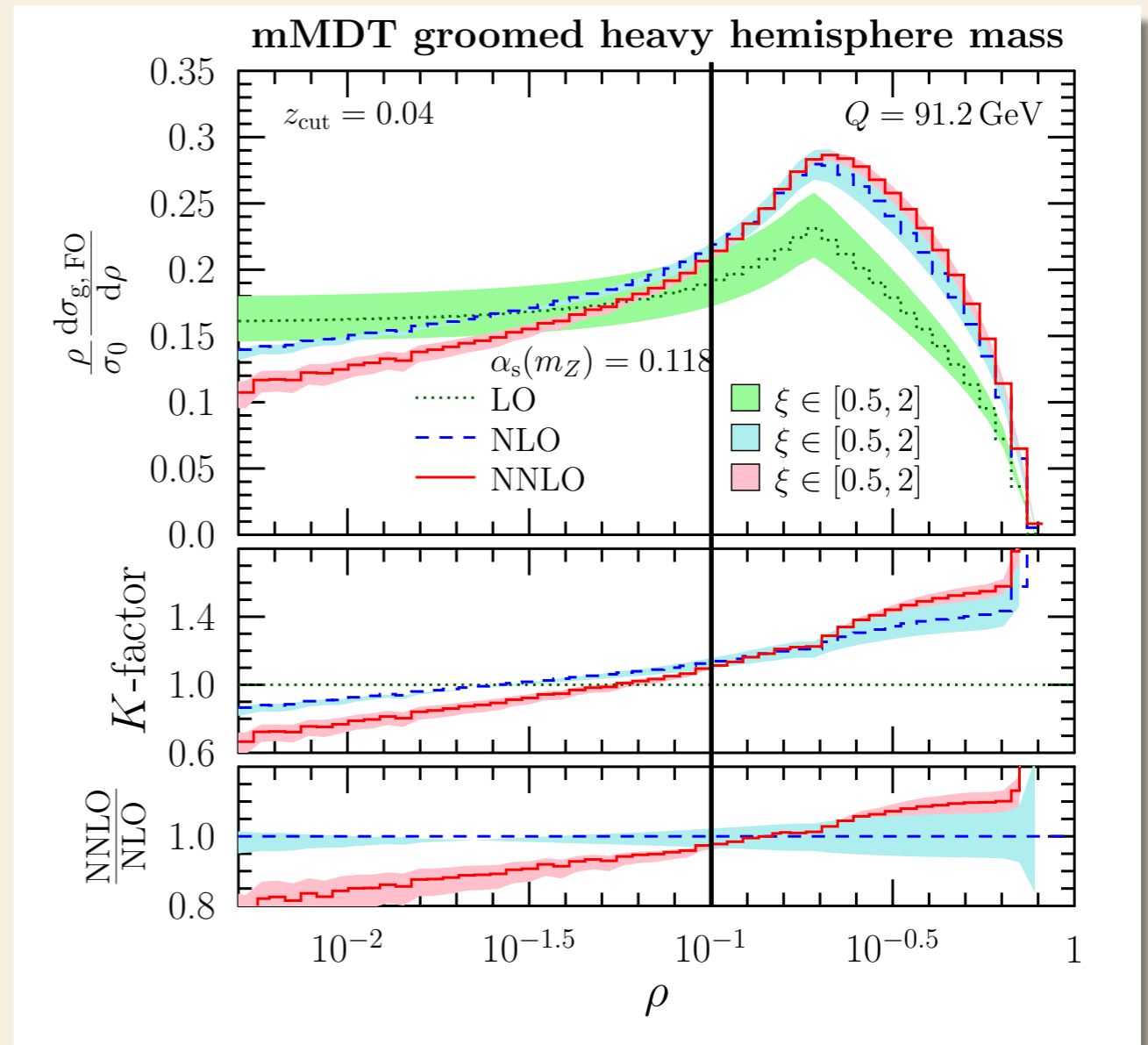
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$$\rho \frac{d\sigma_{g,\text{NNLO}}}{d\rho} = \frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi} A_g + \left(\frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi}\right)^2 \left[ B_g + A_g \beta_0 \log \frac{\mu}{Q} \right]$$

$$+ \left(\frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi}\right)^3 \left[ C_g + 2B_g \beta_0 \log \frac{\mu}{Q} + A_g \left( \frac{\beta_1}{2} \log \frac{\mu}{Q} + \beta_0^2 \log^2 \frac{\mu}{Q} \right) \right]$$

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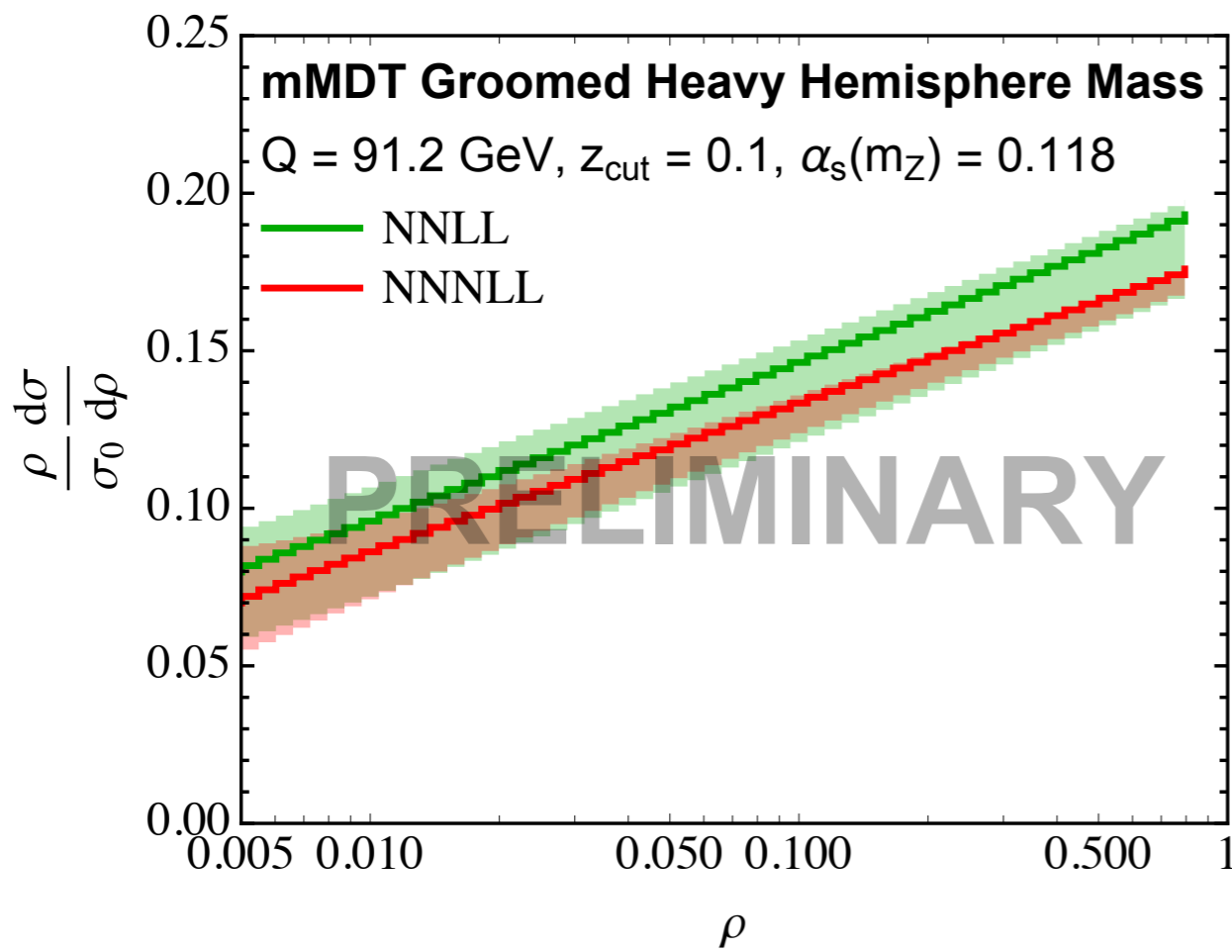
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new in this plot:

$c_{S_c}^{\text{mMDT}}$

and

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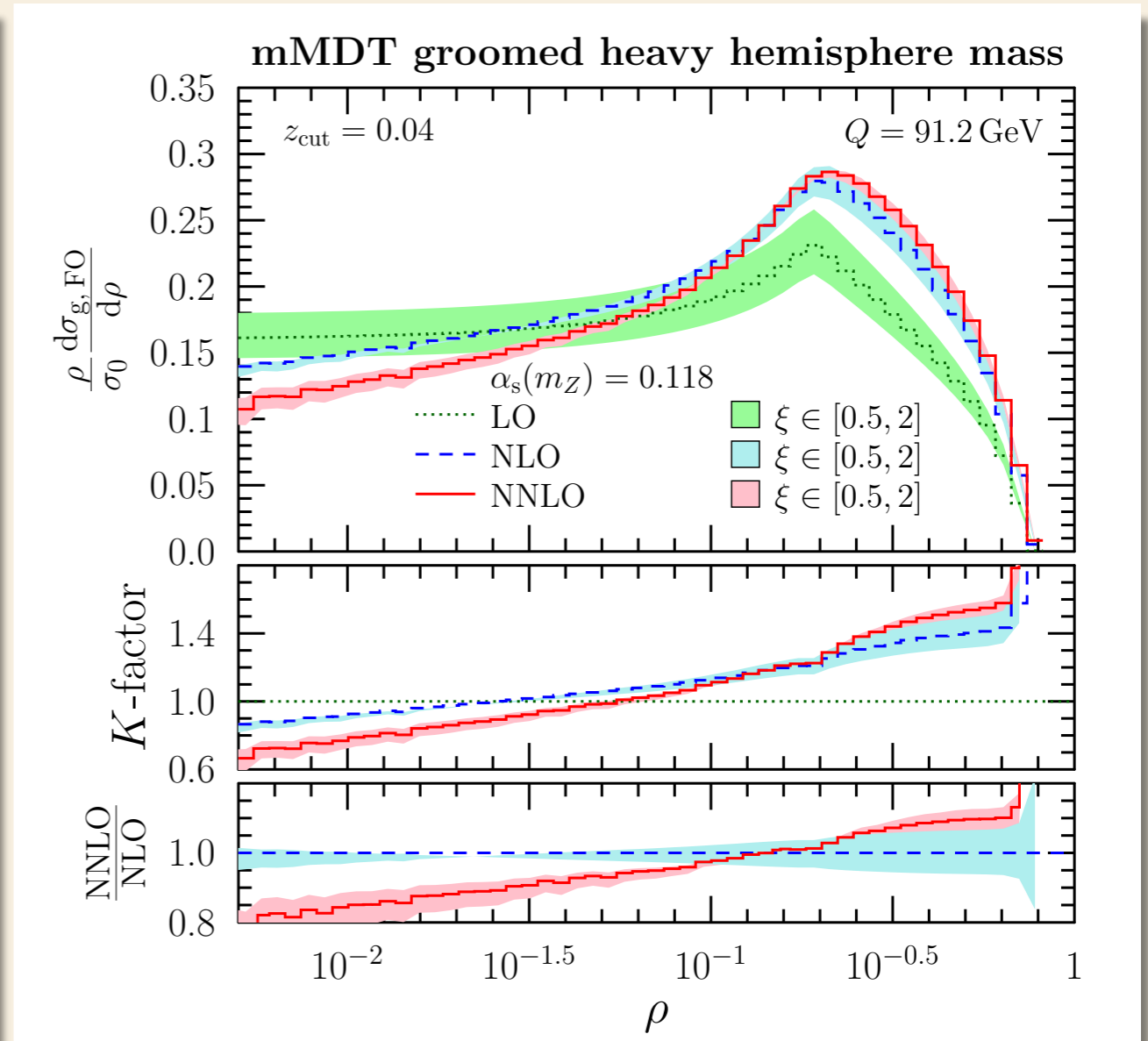
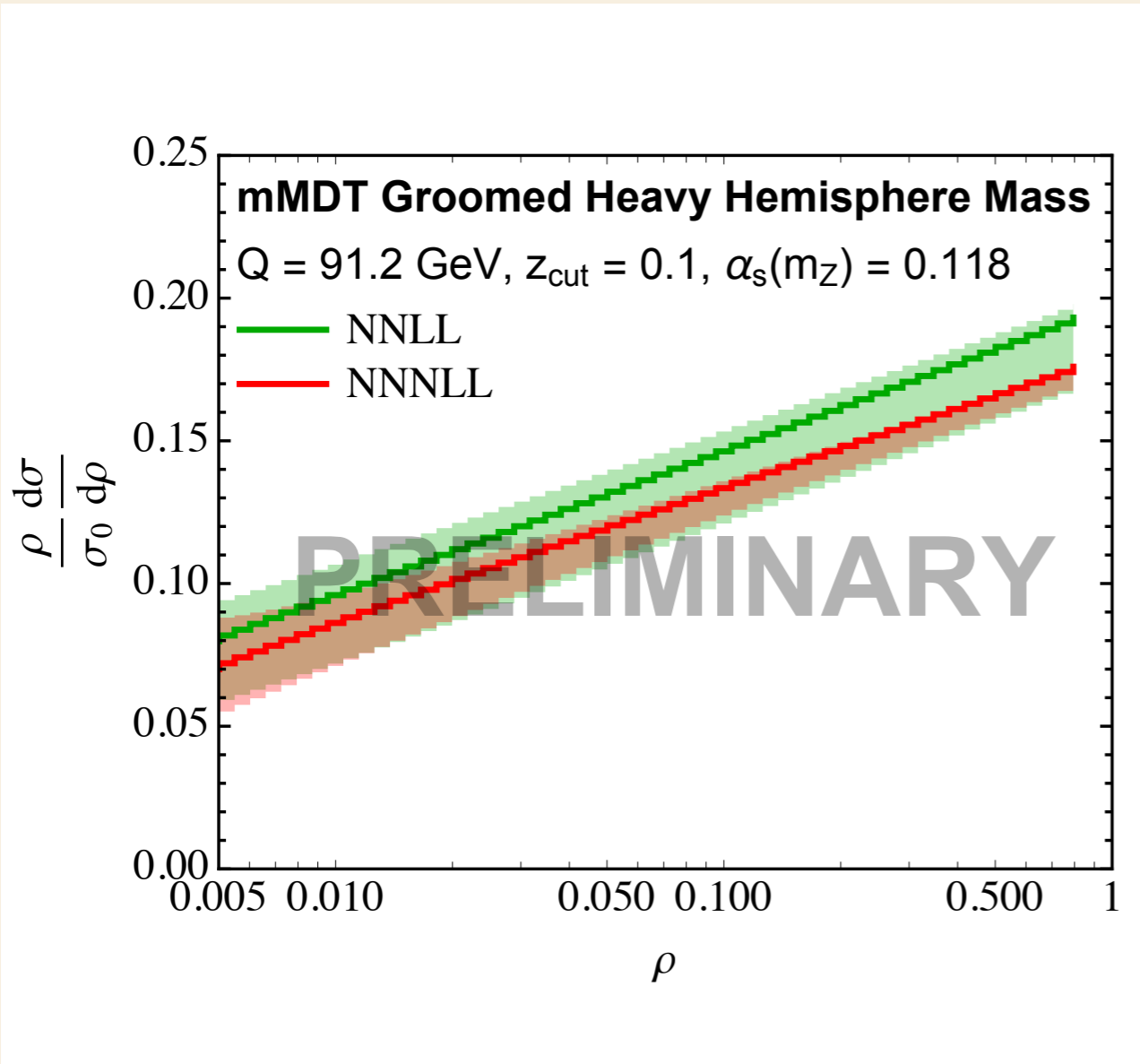
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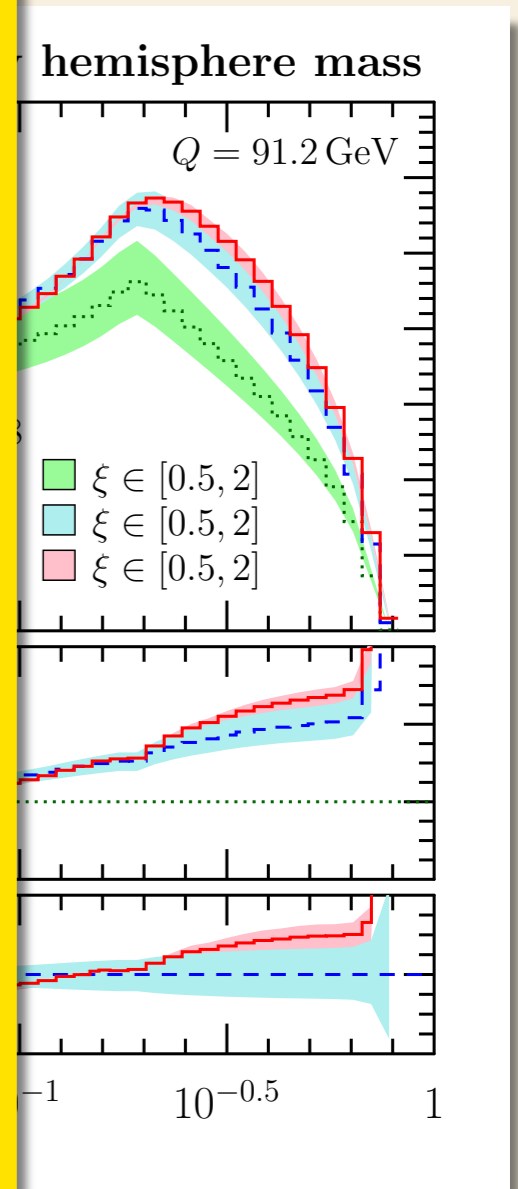
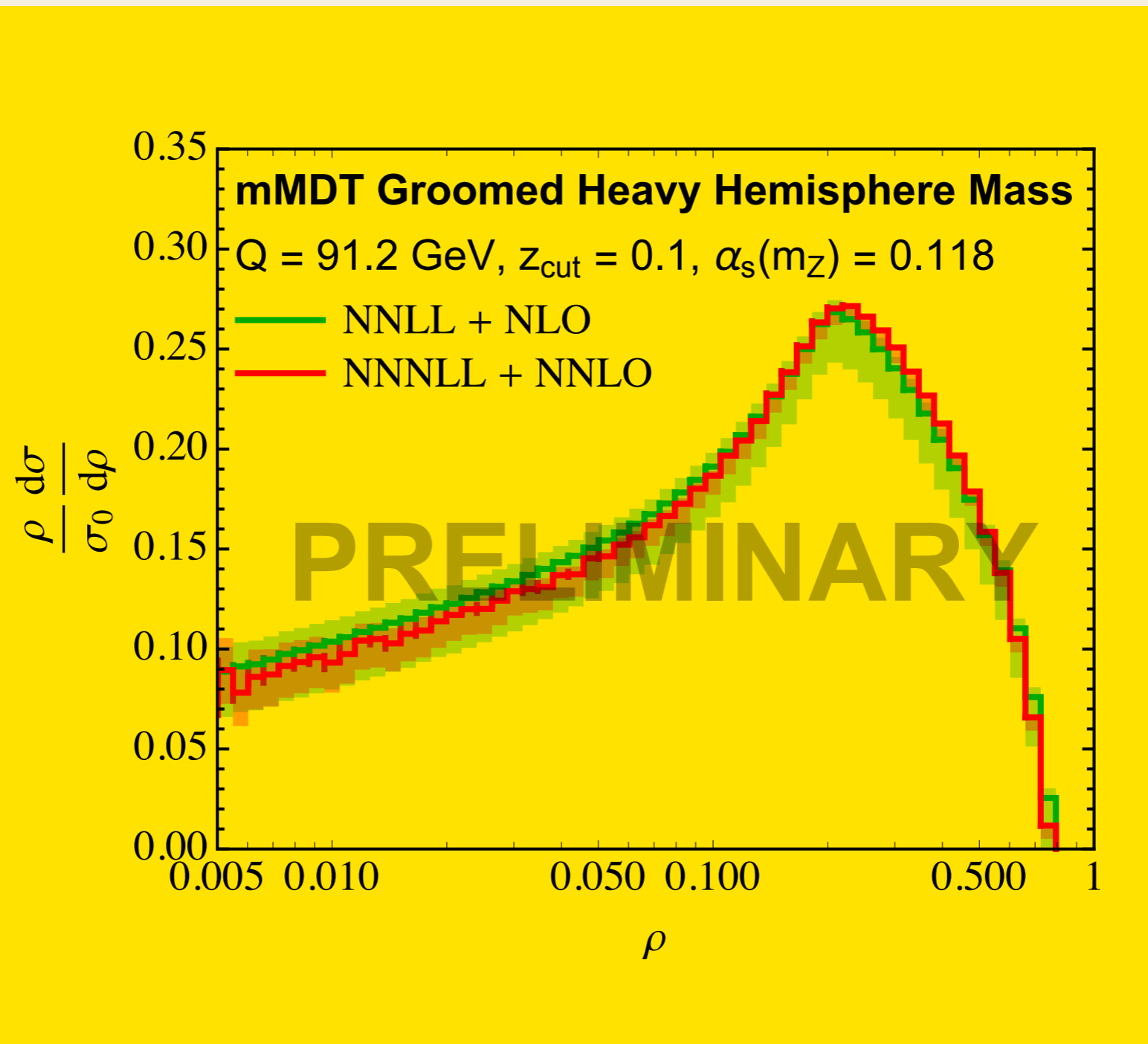
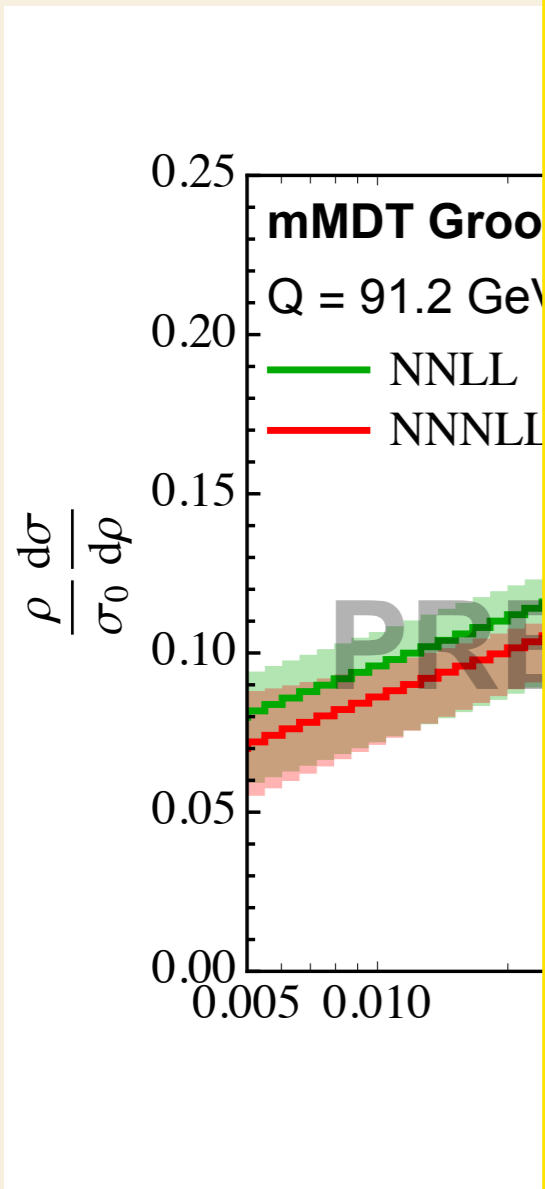
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$N^3LL$  can be matched to  $N^2LO$  additively by subtracting the expansion of  $N^3LL$  through  $O(\alpha_s^3)$

$$\frac{\rho}{\sigma_0} \frac{d\sigma_{g,FO+res}}{d\rho} = \frac{\rho}{\sigma_0} \left( \frac{d\sigma_{g,N^3LL}}{d\rho} + \frac{d\sigma_{g,N^2LO}}{d\rho} - \frac{d\sigma_{g,LP}}{d\rho} \right)$$


$$\frac{d\sigma_{g,LP}}{d\rho} = \delta(\rho) D_{\delta,g} + \frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi} (D_{A,g}(\rho))_+ + \left( \frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi} \right)^2 (D_{B,g}(\rho))_+ + \left( \frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi} \right)^3 (D_{C,g}(\rho))_+$$

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  - are stable numerically to  $\rho \sim 10^{-4}$
  - were used to extract unknown constants needed for NNNLL resummation and matching
- ✓ NNLO+NNNLL additive matching is made possible the first time