Progress with the Minimum Bias modeling in Herwig++

Minimum Bias and Underlying Event Working Group

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Outline

This talk:

- Introduction - Underlying event in Herwig++
- New data! ATLAS @ 900 GeV and @ 7 TeV
- Colour structure
- Outlook

UA5 model (deprecated, only for reference)

- Included from Herwig++ 2.0. [Herwig++, hep-ph/0609306]
- Little predictive power.
- Was default in fHerwig. Superseded by JIMMY [JM Butterworth, JR Forshaw, MH Seymour, ZP C72 637 (1996)]

Semihard UE

- Default from Herwig++ 2.1. [Herwig++, 0711.3137]
- Multiple hard interactions, $p_t \geqslant p_t^{min}$ [Bähr, Gieseke, Seymour, JHEP 0807:076]
- Similar to JIMMY
- Good description of harder Run I UE data (Jet20).

Underlying event in Herwig++

Semihard+Soft UE

- Default from Herwig++ 2.3. [Herwig++, 0812.0529]
- Extension to soft interactions, $p_t \leqslant p_t^{min}$ [Bähr, Gieseke, Seymour, JHEP 0807:076]
- Theoretical work with simplest possible extension. [Bähr, Butterworth, Seymour, JHEP 0901:065]
- "Hot Spot" model. [Bähr, Butterworth, Gieseke, Seymour, 0905.4671]

Starting point: hard inclusive jet cross section.

$$\sigma^{\text{inc}}(s;p_t^{\text{min}}) = \sum_{i,j} \int_{p_t^{\text{min}2}} \mathrm{d}p_t^2 f_{i/h_1}(x_1,\mu^2) \otimes \frac{\mathrm{d}\hat{\sigma}_{i,j}}{\mathrm{d}p_t^2} \otimes f_{j/h_2}(x_2,\mu^2)\,,$$

$\sigma^{\text{inc}} > \sigma_{\text{tot}}$ eventually (for moderately small p_t^{min}).

Interpretation: σ^{inc} counts *all* partonic scatters that happen during a single *pp* collision $\Rightarrow$ more than a single interaction.

$$\sigma^{\text{inc}} = \bar{n}\sigma_{\text{inel}}.$$

Use eikonal approximation (= independent scatters). Leads to Poisson distribution of number m of additional scatters,

$$P_m(\vec{b}, s) = \frac{\bar{n}(\vec{b}, s)^m}{m!} \mathrm{e}^{-\bar{n}(\vec{b}, s)} \ .$$

Then we get σ_{inel}:

$$\sigma_{\mathrm{inel}} = \int \mathrm{d}^2\vec{b} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} P_m(\vec{b}, s) = \int \mathrm{d}^2\vec{b} \left(1 - \mathrm{e}^{-\bar{n}(\vec{b}, s)}\right) \ .$$

Cf. σ_{inel} from scattering theory in eikonal approx. with scattering amplitude $a(\vec{b}, s) = \frac{1}{2i}(\mathrm{e}^{-\chi(\vec{b}, s)} - 1)$

$$\sigma_{\mathrm{inel}} = \int \mathrm{d}^2\vec{b} \left(1 - \mathrm{e}^{-2\chi(\vec{b}, s)}\right) \qquad \Rightarrow \qquad \chi(\vec{b}, s) = \frac{1}{2}\bar{n}(\vec{b}, s) \ .$$

$\chi(\vec{b}, s)$ is called *eikonal* function.

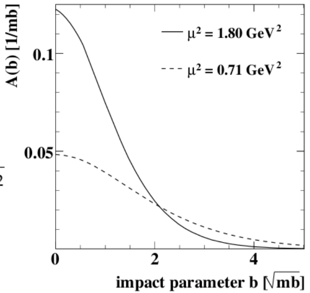
From parton model assumptions we get: $\bar{n}(\overrightarrow{b}, s) = A(\overrightarrow{b})\sigma^{inc}(s; p_t^{min})$

$$A(b) = \int d^2\vec{b}' G_A(|\vec{b}'|) G_B(|\vec{b} - \vec{b}'|)$$

$G(\vec{b})$ from electromagnetic FF:

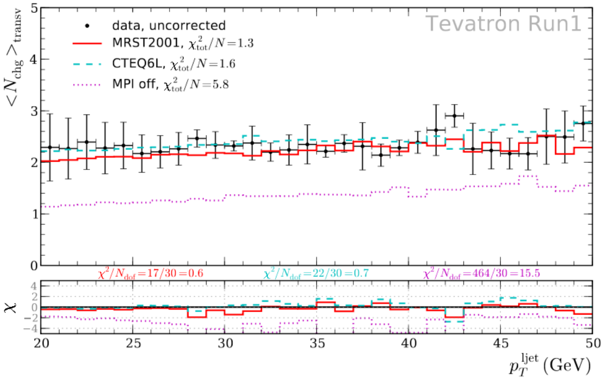
$$G_p(\vec{b}) = G_{\bar{p}}(\vec{b}) = \int \frac{d^2\vec{k}}{(2\pi)^2} \frac{e^{i\vec{k}\cdot\vec{b}}}{(1+\vec{k}^2/\mu^2)^2}$$

But μ^2 *not fixed* to the *electromagnetic* 0.71 GeV^2.
Free for colour charges.



⇒ Two main parameters: $\mu^2, p_t^{\rm min}$.

Good description of Run I Underlying event data ($\chi^2 = 1.3$).



Only $p_T^{ljet} > 20\,\mathrm{GeV}$.

So far only hard MPI.
Now extend to soft interactions with

$$\chi_{\text{tot}} = \chi_{QCD} + \chi_{\text{soft}}.$$

Similar structures of eikonal functions:

$$\chi_{\text{soft}} = \frac{1}{2} A_{\text{soft}}(\vec{b}) \sigma_{\text{soft}}^{\text{inc}}$$

Simplest possible choice: $A_{\text{soft}}(\vec{b};\mu) = A_{\text{hard}}(\vec{b};\mu) = A(\vec{b};\mu)$.
Then

$$\chi_{\text{tot}} = \frac{A(\vec{b};\mu)}{2} \left(\sigma_{\text{hard}}^{\text{inc}} + \sigma_{\text{soft}}^{\text{inc}}\right) \; .$$

One new parameter $\sigma_{\text{soft}}^{\text{inc}}$.

Taking the Tevatron data together with the wide range of possible values of σ_{tot} considered at LHC, we see that this model is to simple.

Extension: Relax the constraint of identical overlap functions:

$$A_{soft}(b) = A(b, \mu_{soft})$$

Fix the two parameters $\mu_{\rm soft}$ and $\sigma^{\rm inc}_{\rm soft}$ in

$$\chi_{\rm tot}(\vec{b},s) = \frac{1}{2}\left(A(\vec{b};\mu)\sigma^{\rm inc}{\rm hard}(s;p_t^{\rm min}) + A(\vec{b};\mu_{\rm soft})\sigma^{\rm inc}_{\rm soft}\right)$$

from two constraints. Require simultaneous description of $\sigma_{\rm tot}$ and $b_{\rm el}$ (measured/well predicted),

$$\sigma_{\rm tot}(s) \stackrel{!}{=} 2\int {\rm d}^2\vec{b}\left(1-{\rm e}^{-\chi_{\rm tot}(\vec{b},s)}\right) ,$$

$$b_{\rm el}(s) \stackrel{!}{=} \int {\rm d}^2\vec{b}\,\frac{b^2}{\sigma_{\rm tot}}\left(1-{\rm e}^{-\chi_{\rm tot}(\vec{b},s)}\right) .$$

Sum up:

⇒at the end of the day we have two main parameters: μ^2, p_t^{min}.

Comparison with MinBias ATLAS data

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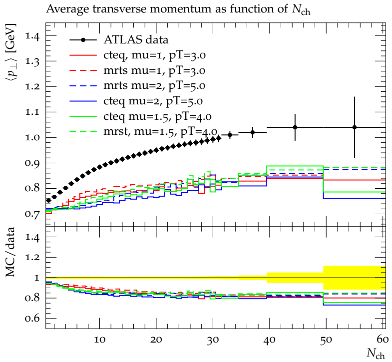

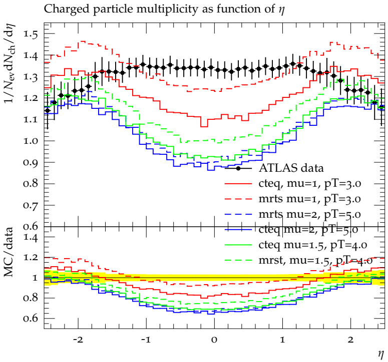

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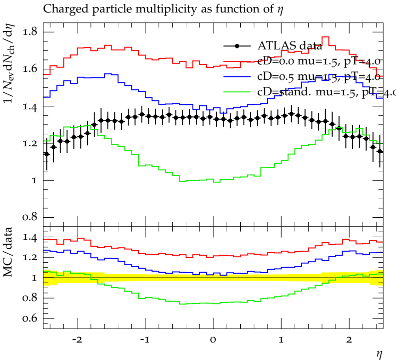

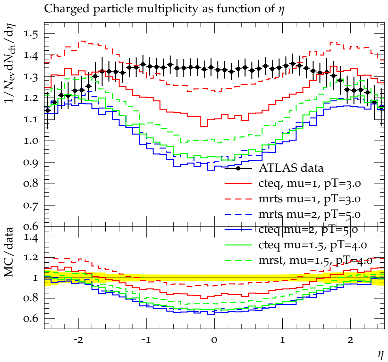

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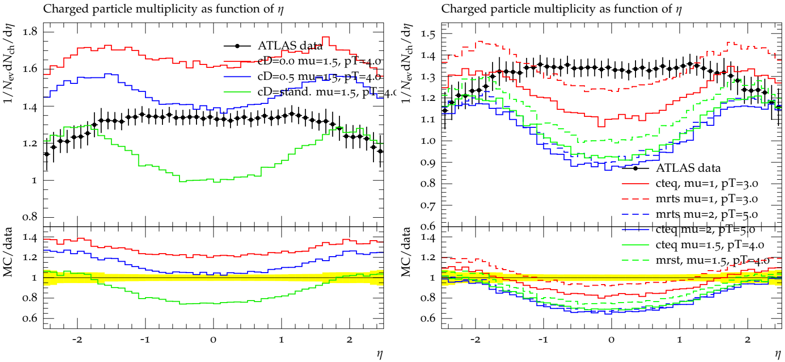

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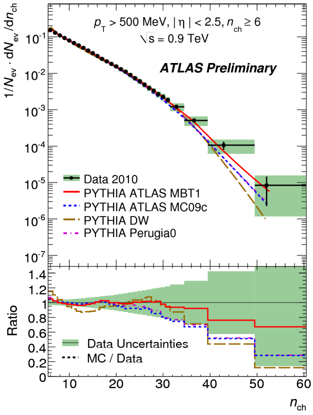
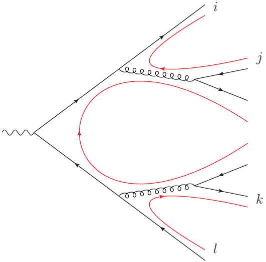


- We used a diffractive suppressed sample with cut: $N_{ch} \geqslant 6$
- **Attention:** The ATLAS graphs for $N_{ch} \geqslant 6$ are public, but the data points are not. We read the data points from the plots using:
  - **EasyNData** - Peter Uwer [arXiv:0710.2896]
  - **DataThief** - B. Tummers, http://datathief.org/
  - **g3data** - J. Frantz, http://www.frantz.fi/software/g3data.php
  - some other tricks ...
  - question to the collaborations: can we do something about this?

I am happy to provide data points with corresponding Rivet analyses if someone needs it.

Colour reconnection (CR) in Herwig++



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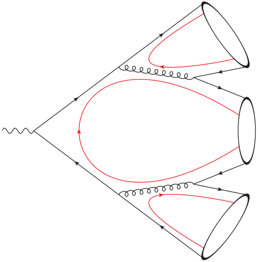

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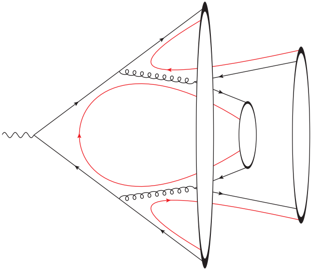

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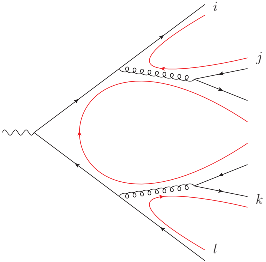

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Implementation[1]

- Allow CR if the cluster mass decreases,

$$M_{il} + M_{kj} < M_{ij} + M_{kl},$$

  where $M_{ab}^2 = (p_a + p_b)^2$ is the (squared) cluster mass
- Accept alternative clustering with probability p_{reco} (model parameter) $\Rightarrow$ this allows to switch on CR smoothly

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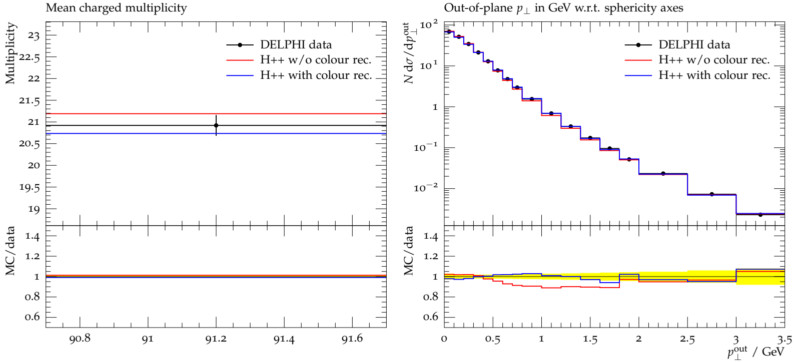

We repeated tuning of the hadronization to the LEP data (above 2 examples). Both tunings (with and w/o colour rec.) seems to describe the data at the same level.

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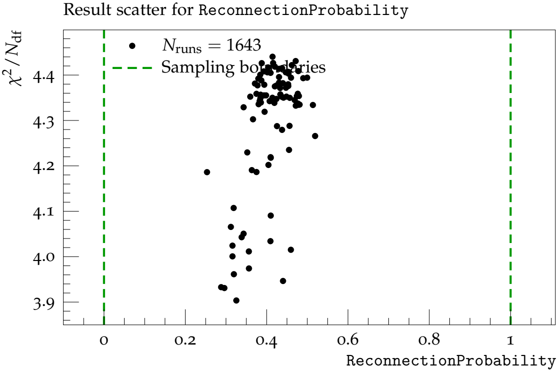

Prefered by LEP data is: $0.2 \leq p_{reco} \leq 0.6$

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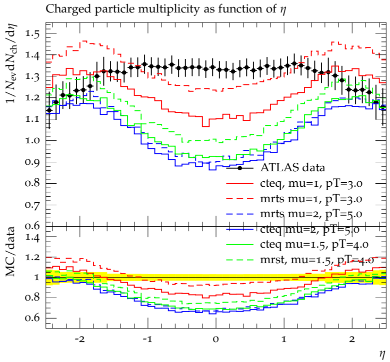

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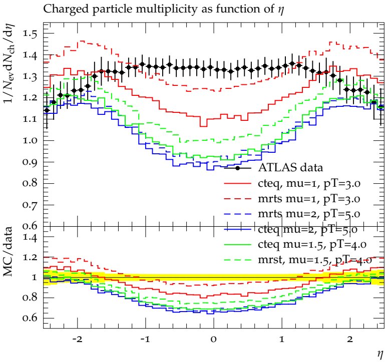

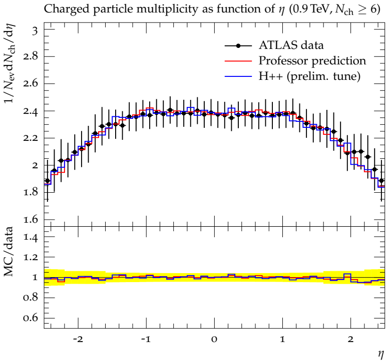

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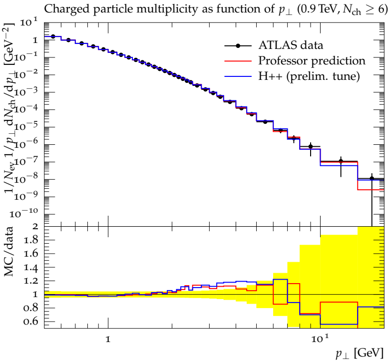

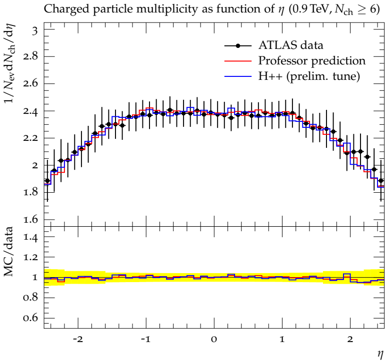

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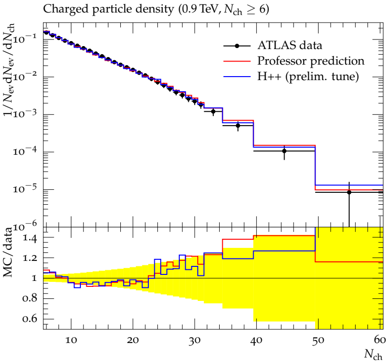

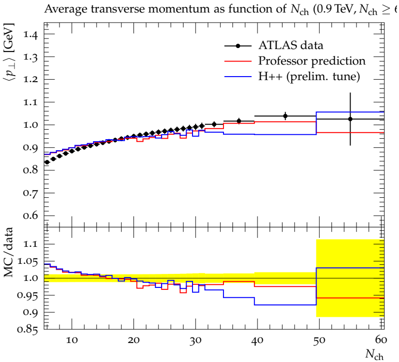

$p_t^{min} = 2.6$ GeV, $\mu^2 = 1.1$, $p_{\rm reco} = 0.48$, $p_{\rm disrupt} = 0.43$

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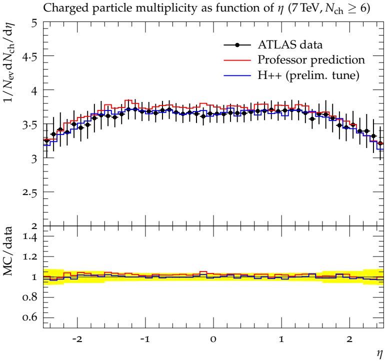

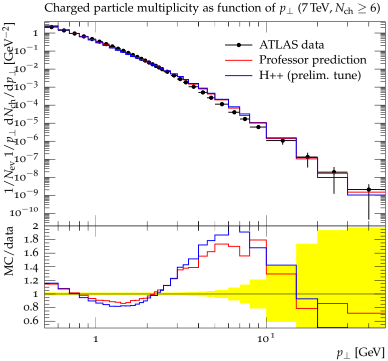

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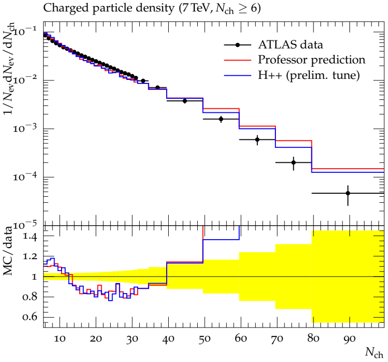

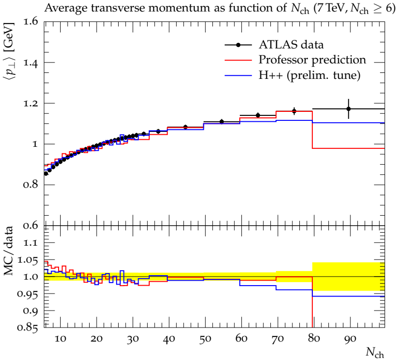

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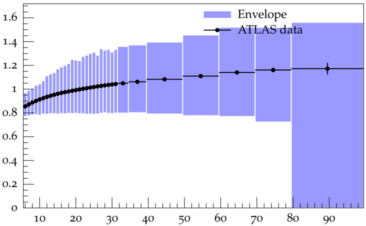

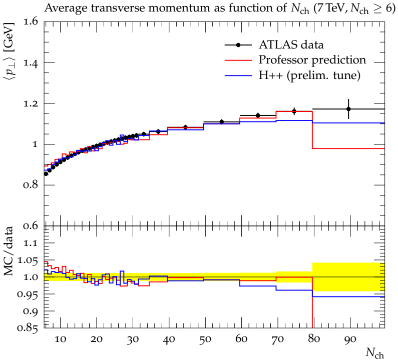

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Summary

- New implementation of colour reconnection is in validation and seems to work very well!
- New "tuning" gives a good description of the ATLAS 900 GeV data!
- ATLAS 7TeV data will be investigated in more details soon.
- Still space for improvements: better LEP tune, treatment of remnants pdf, more involved overlap function, energy dependent parameters...
- Minimum bias/underlying event/diffraction under constant improvement!
- Stay tuned!