



Measurements of Jet Substructure with the ATLAS Detector

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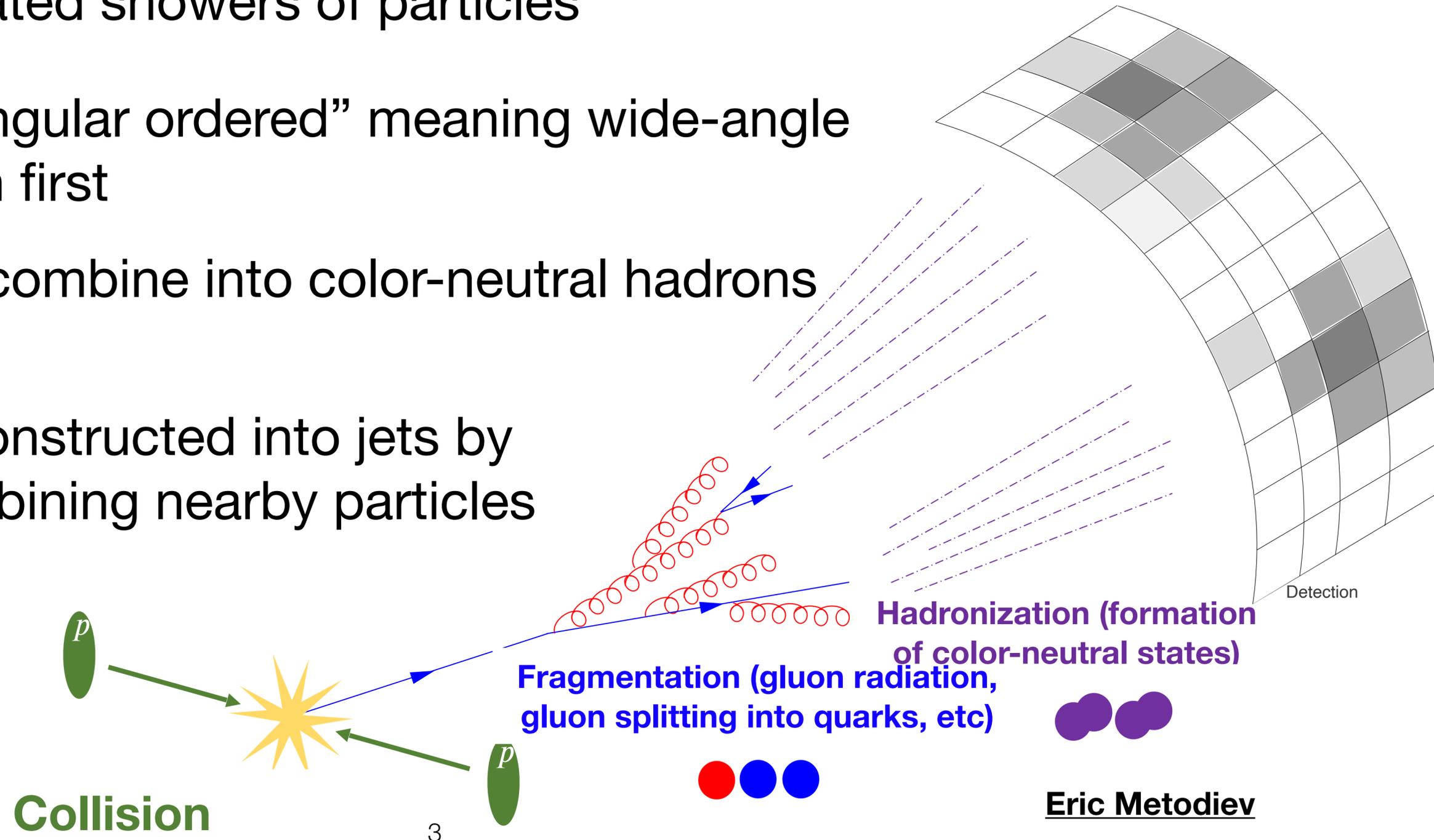


qcd at the lhc

- ▶ LHC collides protons → understanding of QCD is critical to entire physics program
- ▶ **Parton Distribution Functions**: necessary for any calculation at a hadron collider
- ▶ **The strong coupling constant (α_s)**: fundamental parameter of QCD, becoming increasingly relevant for things like Higgs measurements
- ▶ **Jet modeling**: important for creating any Monte Carlo samples, one of the dominant uncertainties for the jet energy scale corrections

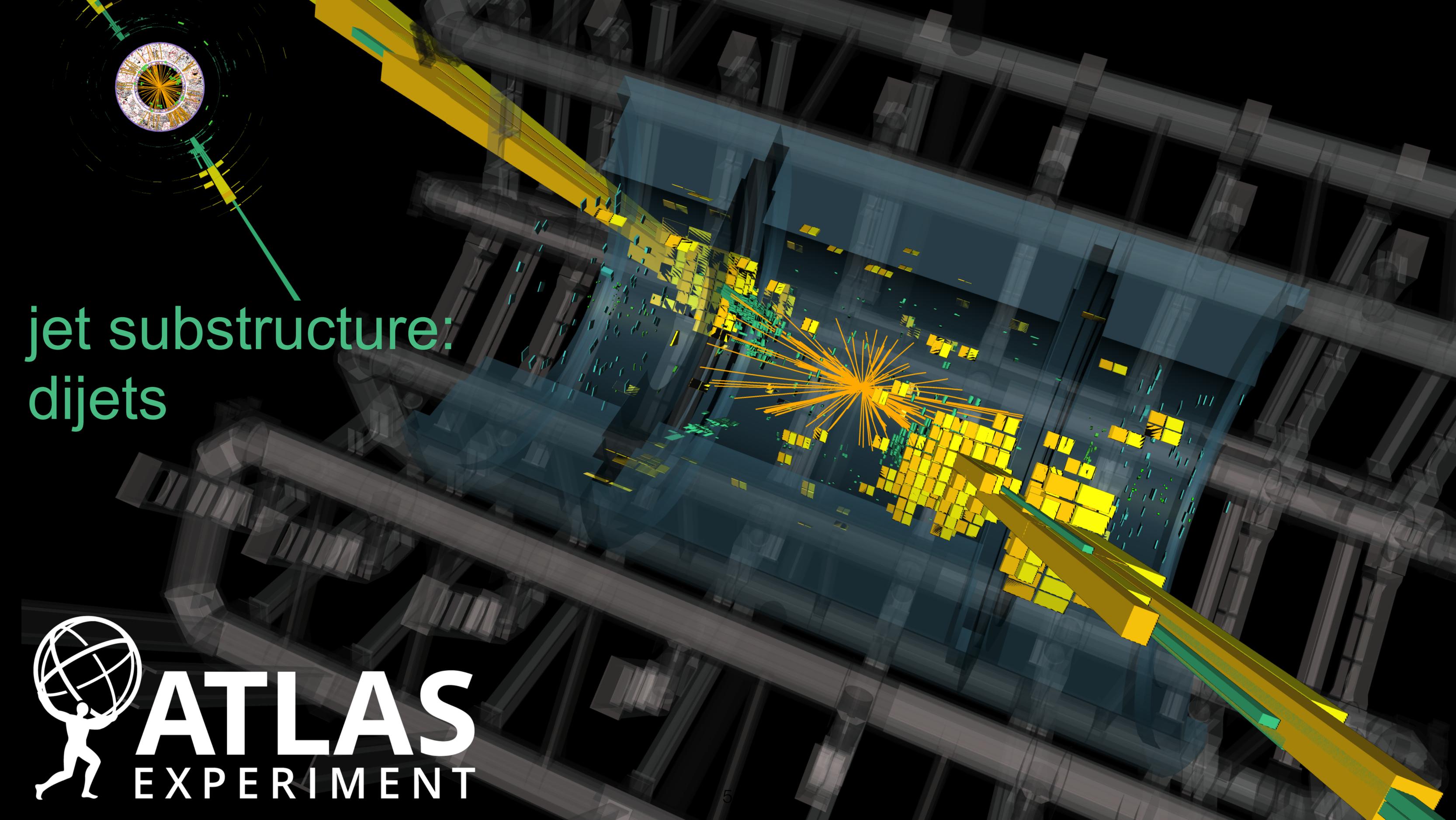
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- ▶ Quarks and gluons produced in hard-scatter collisions *fragment* into collimated showers of particles
 - ▶ Approximately “angular ordered” meaning wide-angle emissions happen first
- ▶ Particles eventually combine into color-neutral hadrons during *hadronization*
- ▶ Showers can be reconstructed into jets by some algorithm combining nearby particles
- ▶ Rely on Monte Carlo models to describe fragmentation and hadronization



why jet substructure measurements?

- ▶ Jet substructure provides insight into several *different scales of QCD*
- ▶ Can be used to understand everything from fixed order effects to parton showers to hadronization
- ▶ *Jet modeling* is one of the dominant sources of uncertainties for many analyses
- ▶ Deeper understanding of jet formation can be used to develop better Monte Carlo models of jets
- ▶ Gluons in particular tend to be poorly modeled
- ▶ Better understanding of jets leads to better, *more robust observables* for tagging jets

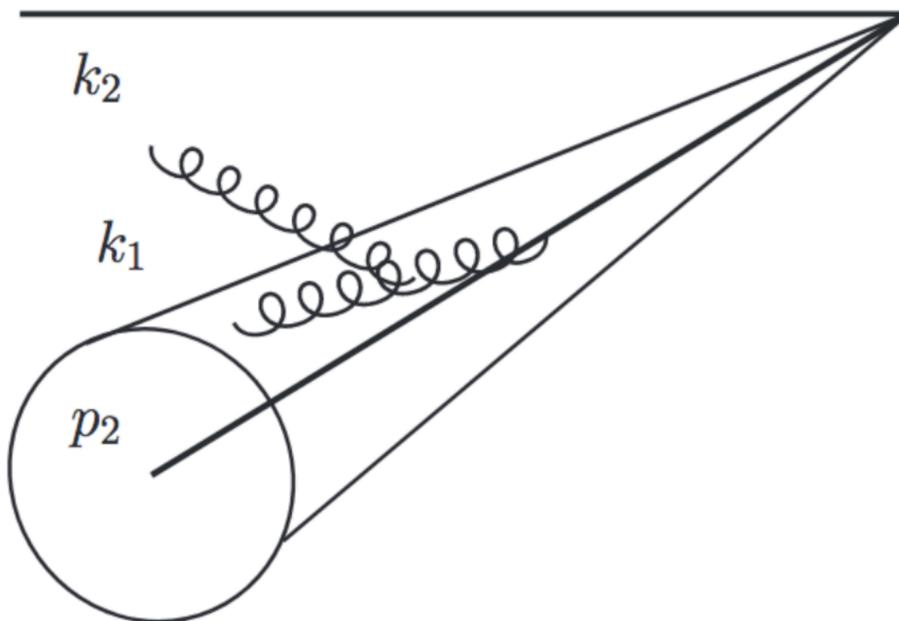
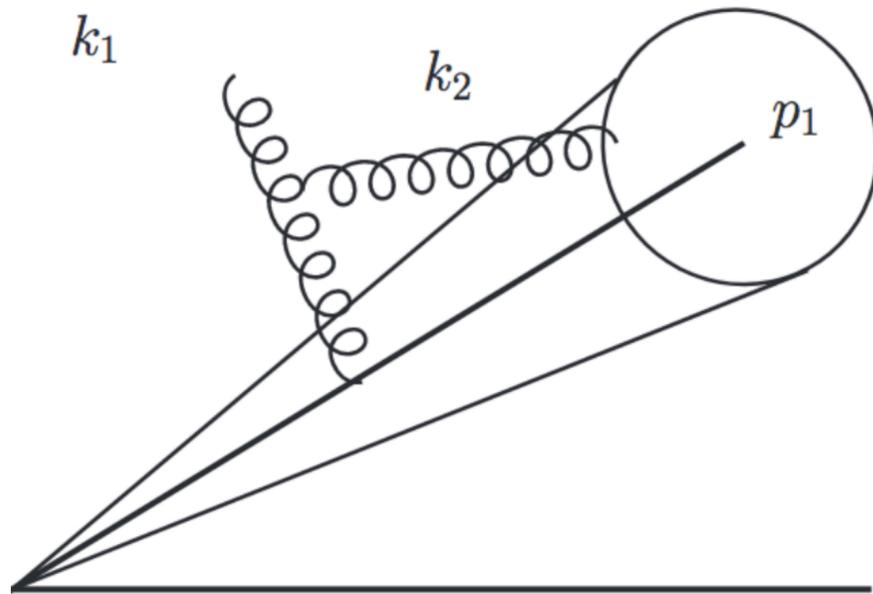


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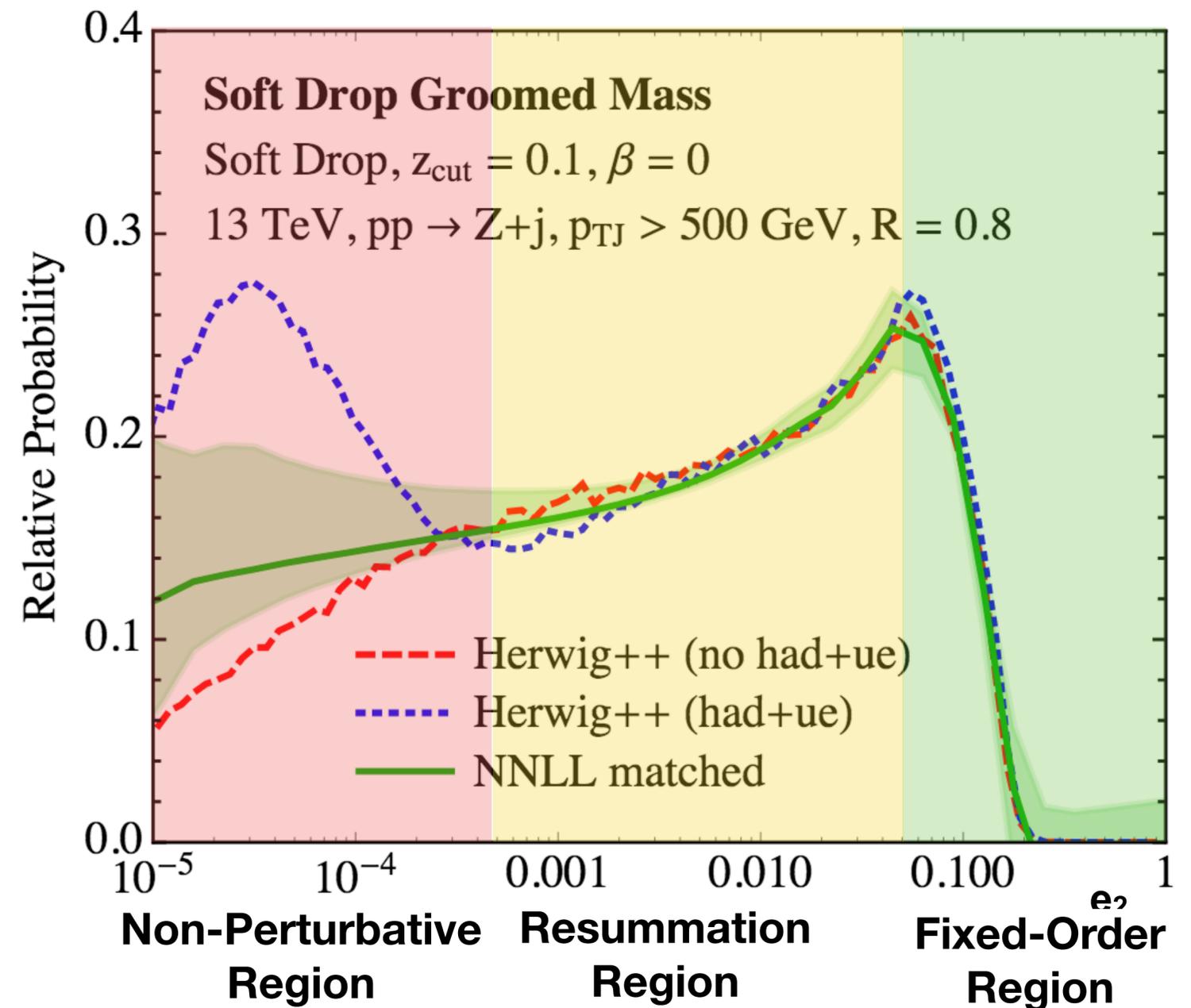
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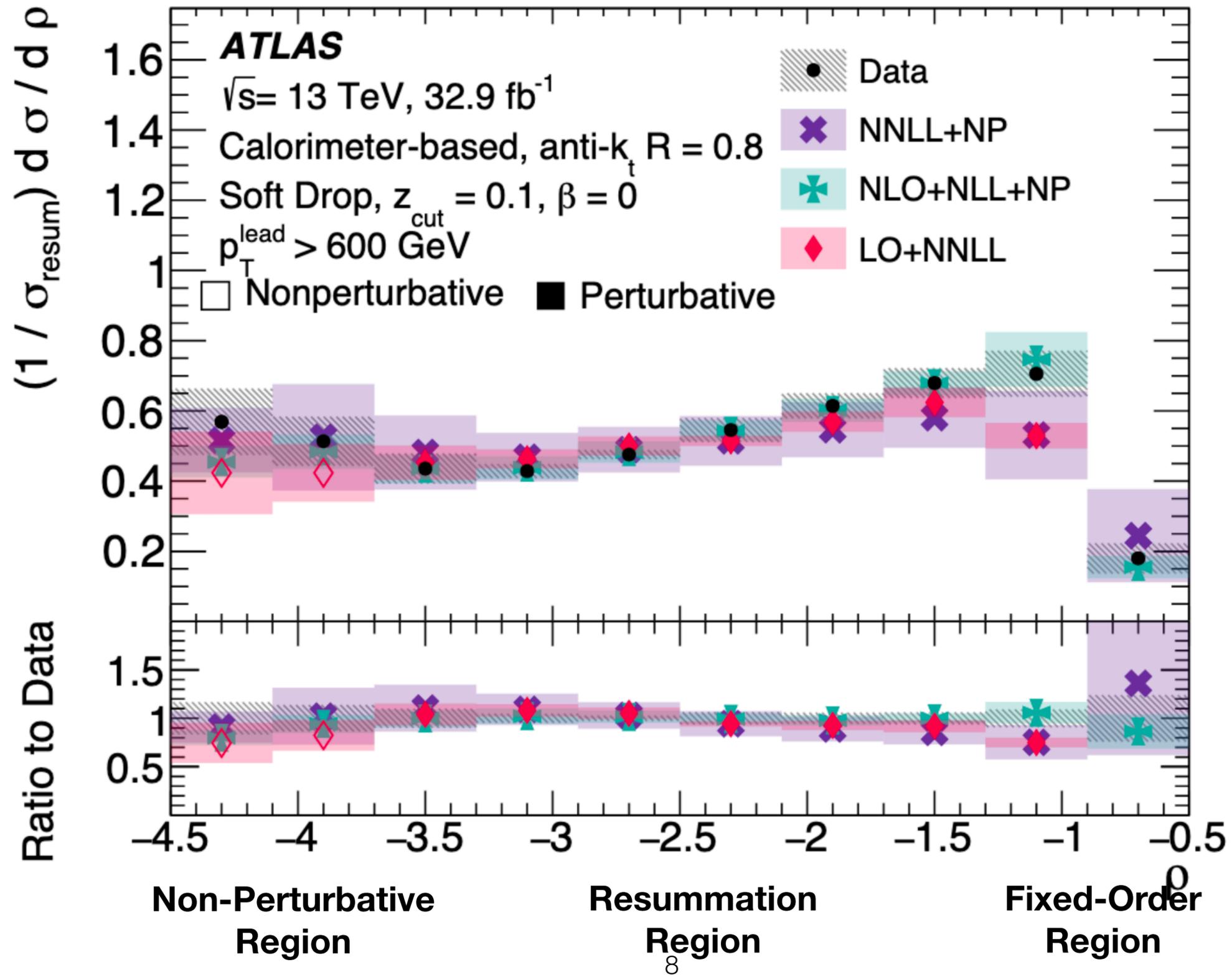
- ▶ Fixed order calculations (e.g. NLO) do not capture the fragmentation
- ▶ Calculations of substructure observables are further complicated by the presence of non-global logarithms
- ▶ These tend to be soft (low- p_T) and wide-angle radiation
- ▶ Grooming algorithms remove soft and wide-angle radiation from jets
- ▶ **Soft drop** is a grooming algorithm which removes these non-global logarithms → able to perform precision calculations to beyond leading logarithmic accuracy

the jet mass

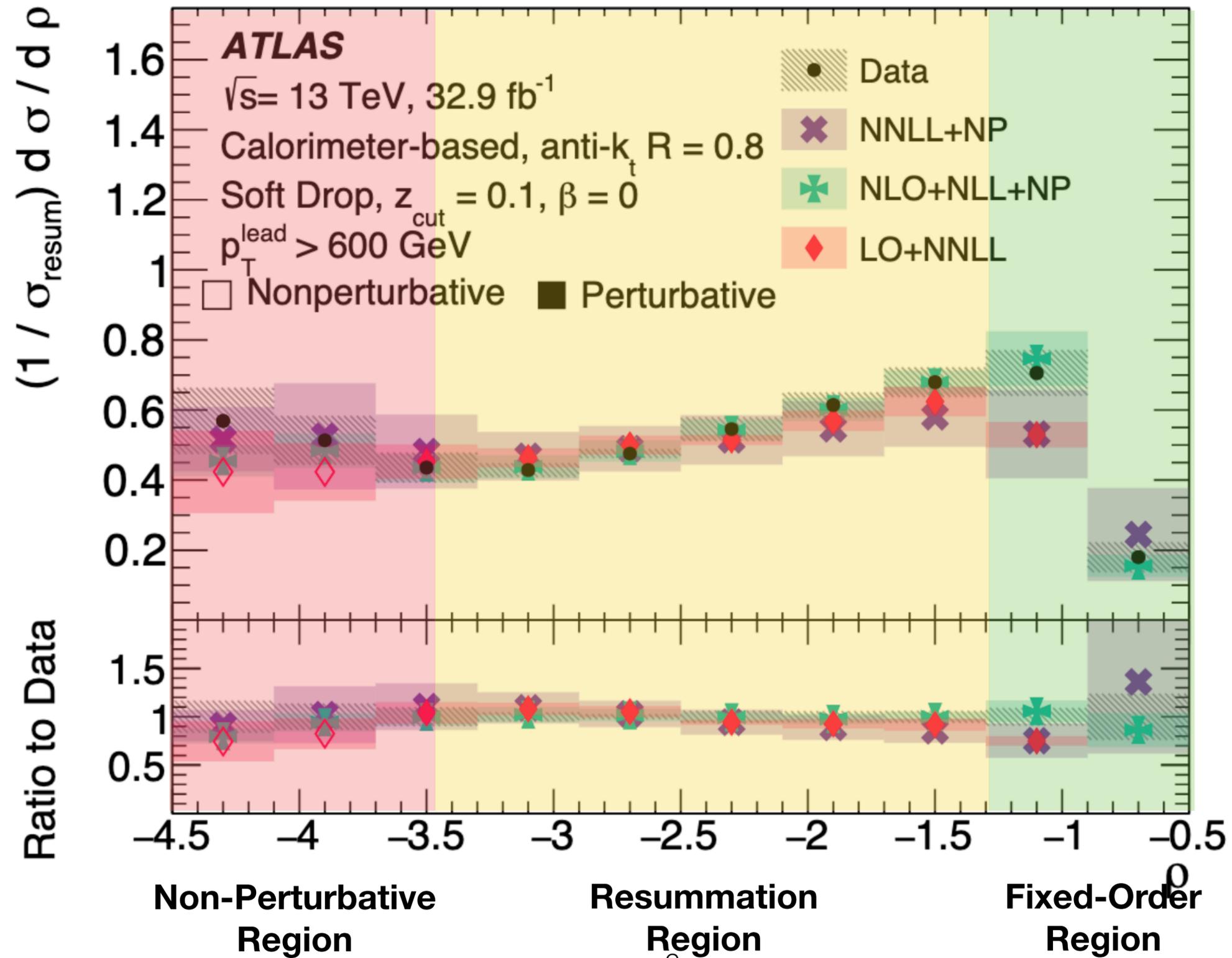
- ▶ The jet mass is one of the most commonly used jet substructure observables
- ▶ Quarks and gluons are very light, but jets can be very massive because of fragmentation
- ▶ Measuring $\rho = \log[(m^{\text{Soft Drop}} / p_{\text{T}}^{\text{Ungroomed}})^2]$
 - ▶ *Logarithmic dependence on p_{T}* means less dependence on underlying p_{T} spectrum
- ▶ High-mass region dominated by single hard splitting
 - ▶ Use *log-scale binning* to understand the resummation region
- ▶ The jet mass calculation is *factorizable* → different effects dominant in specific places



the unfolded jet mass

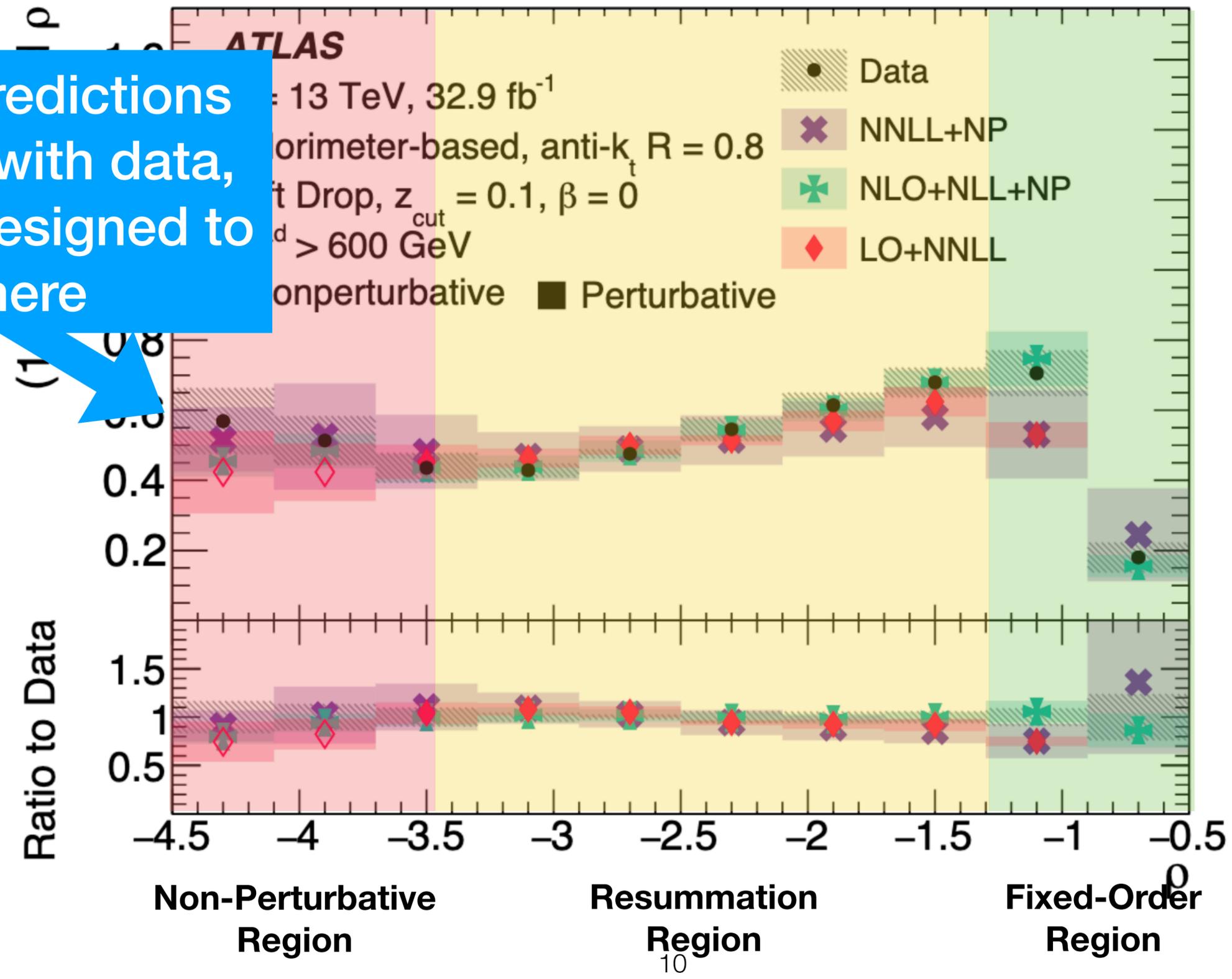


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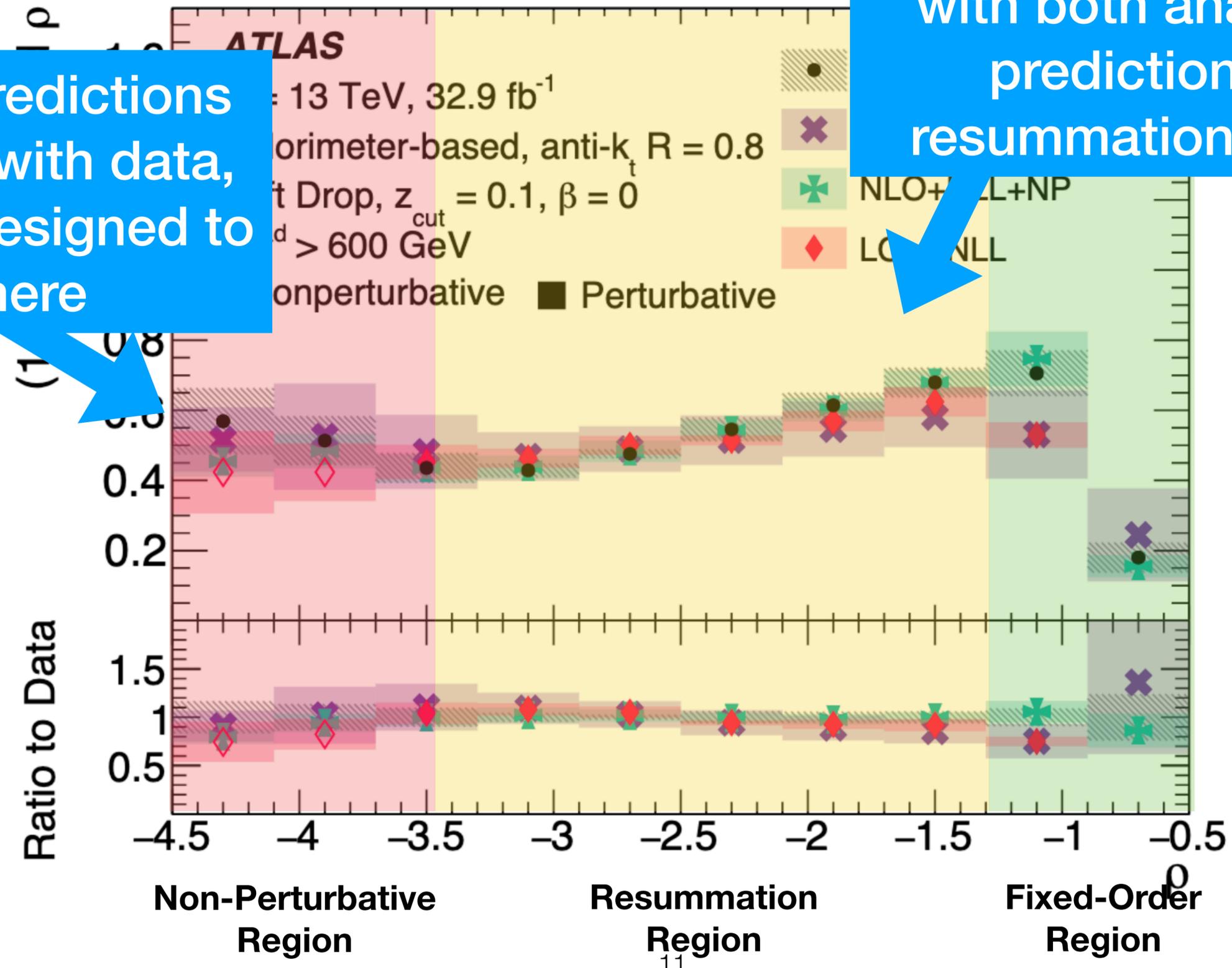
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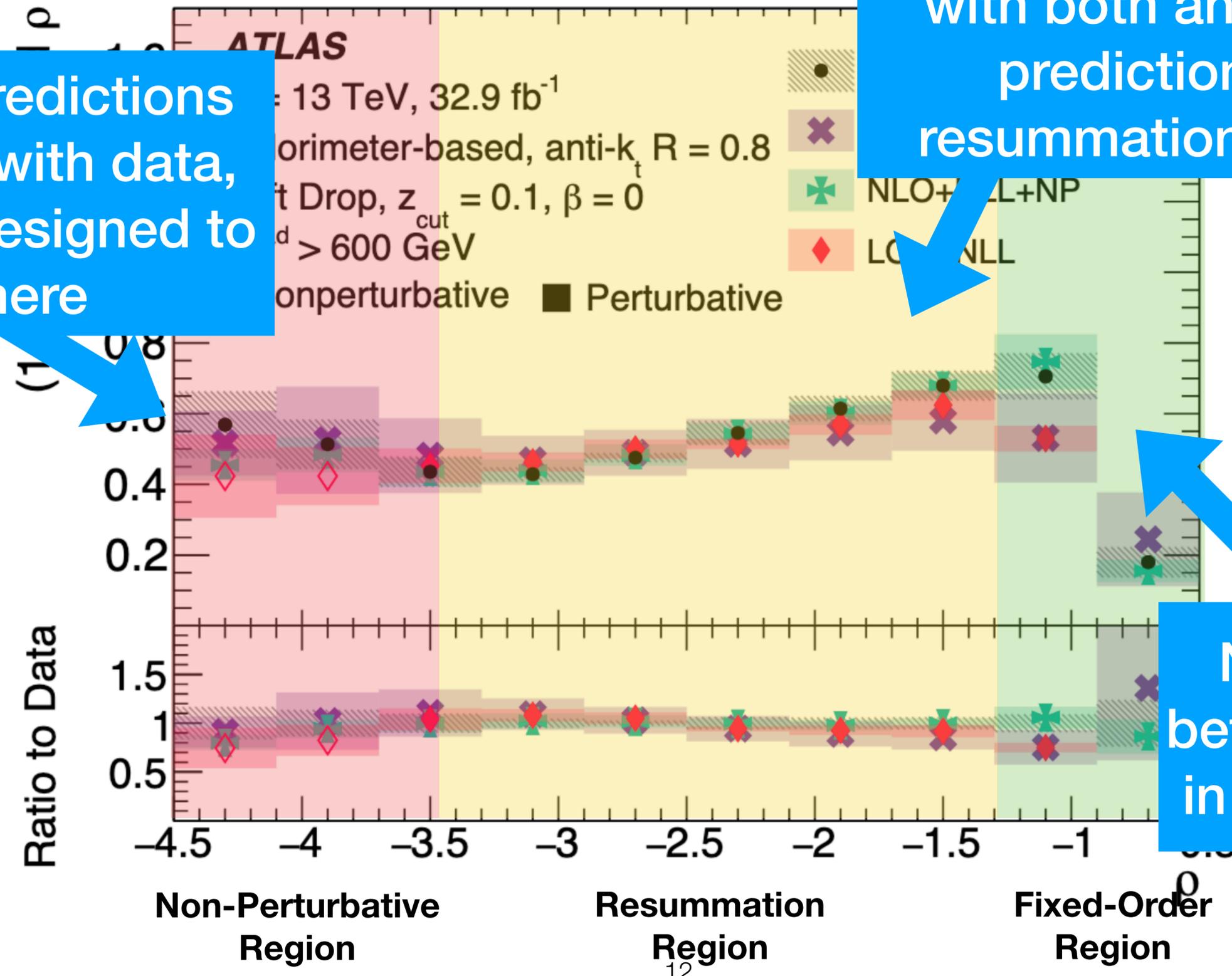


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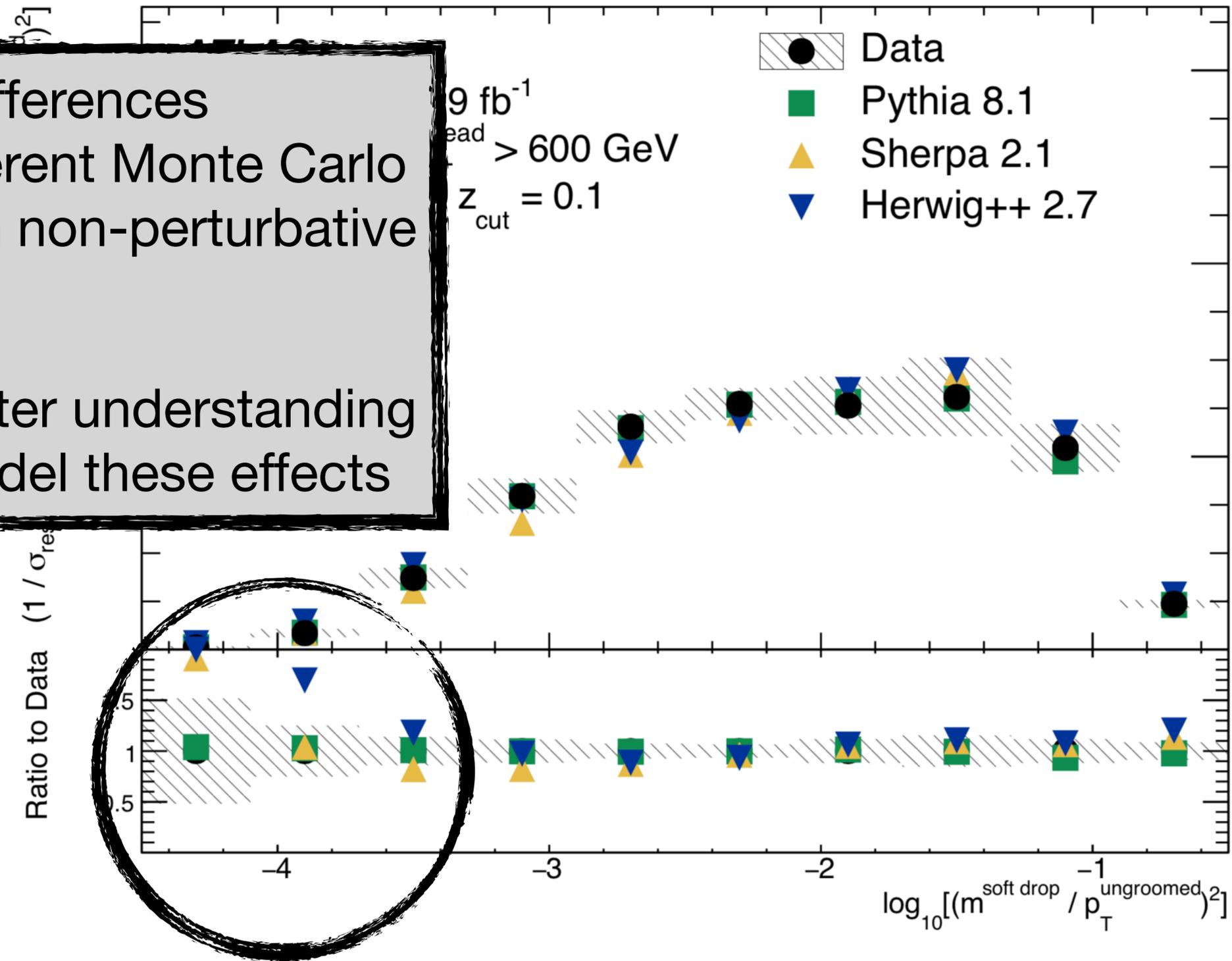
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NLO+NLL agrees better than LO+NNLL in fixed order region



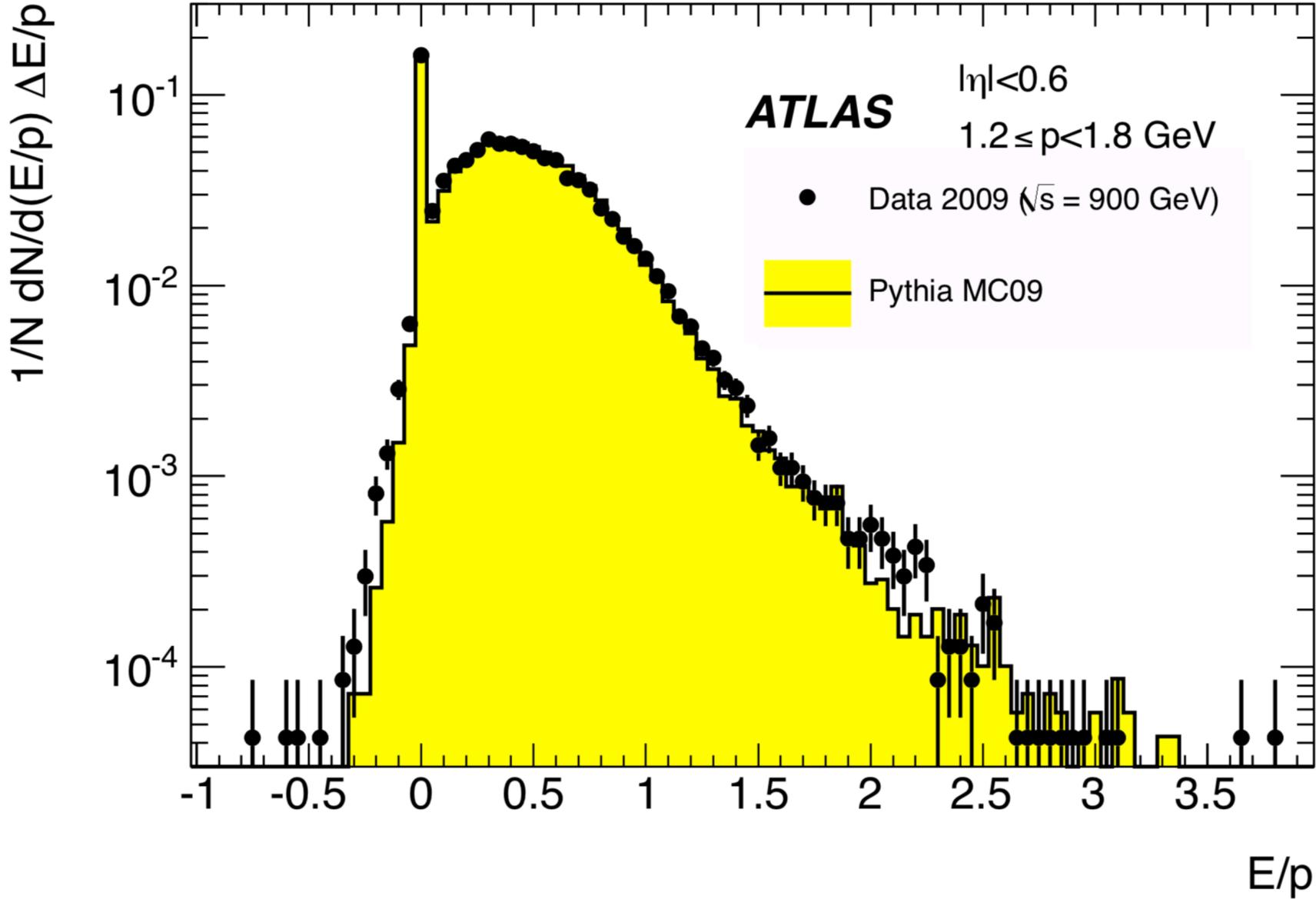
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- ▶ Significant differences between different Monte Carlo predictions in non-perturbative region
- ▶ Still need better understanding of how to model these effects

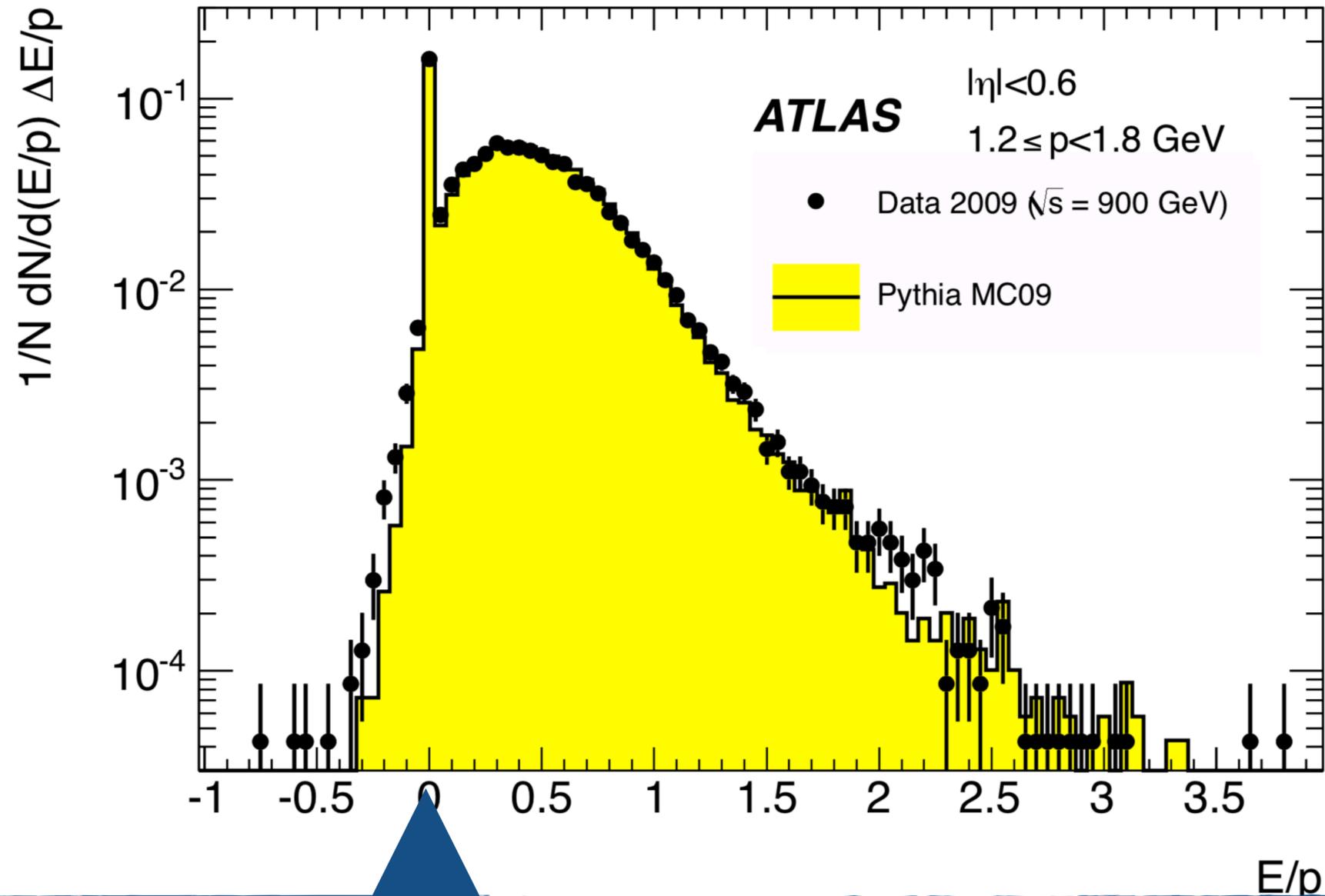


Uncertainties

cluster-based uncertainties



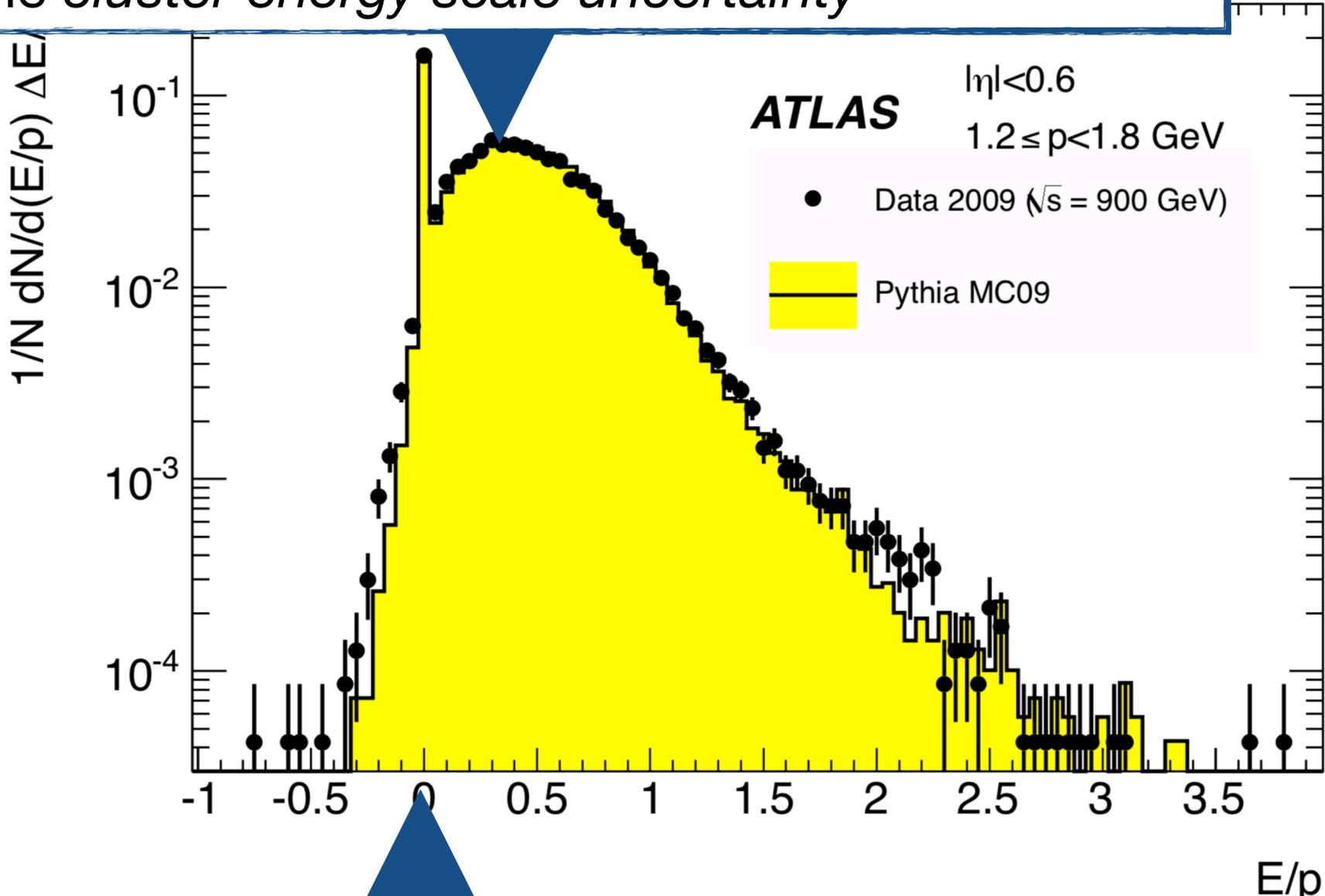
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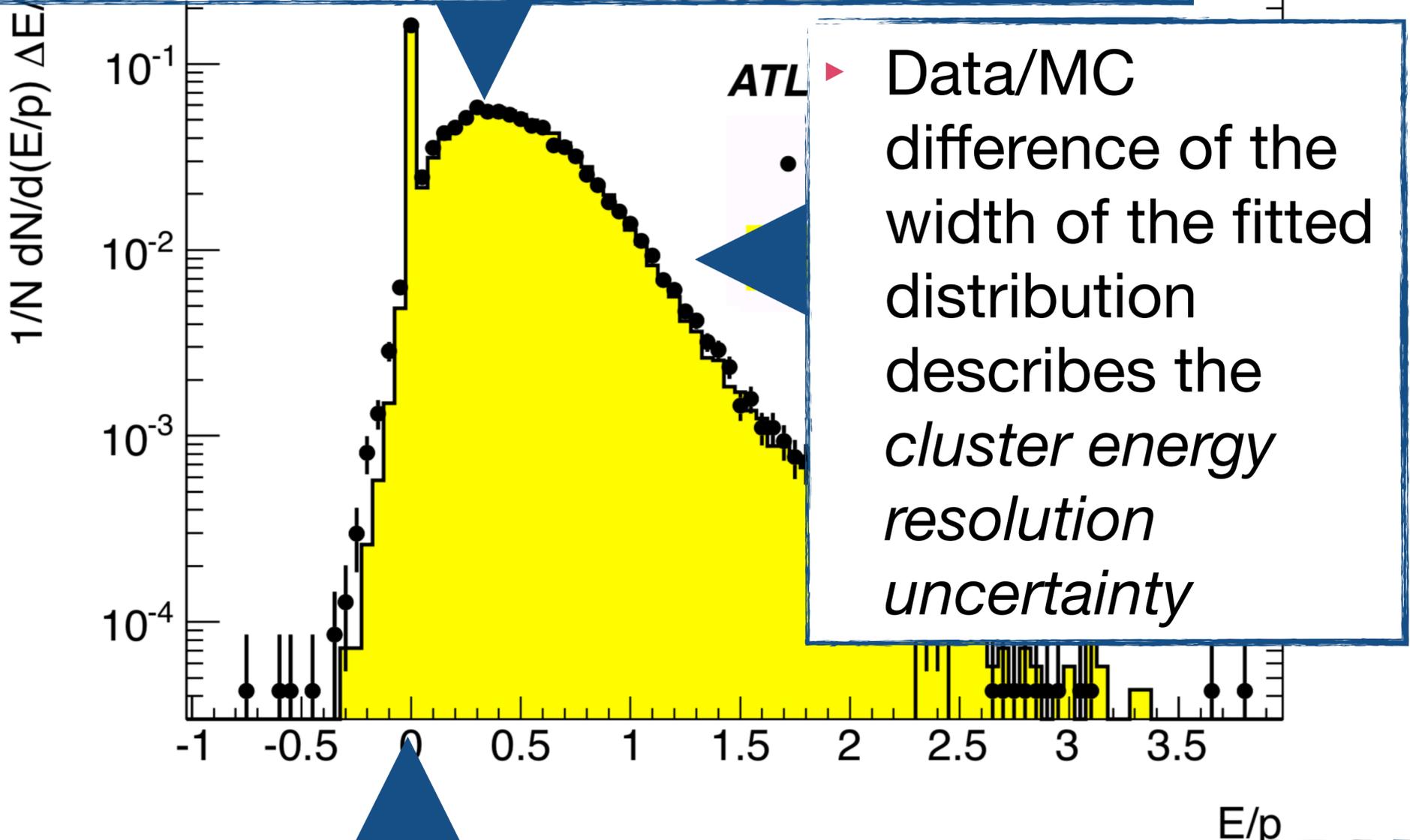
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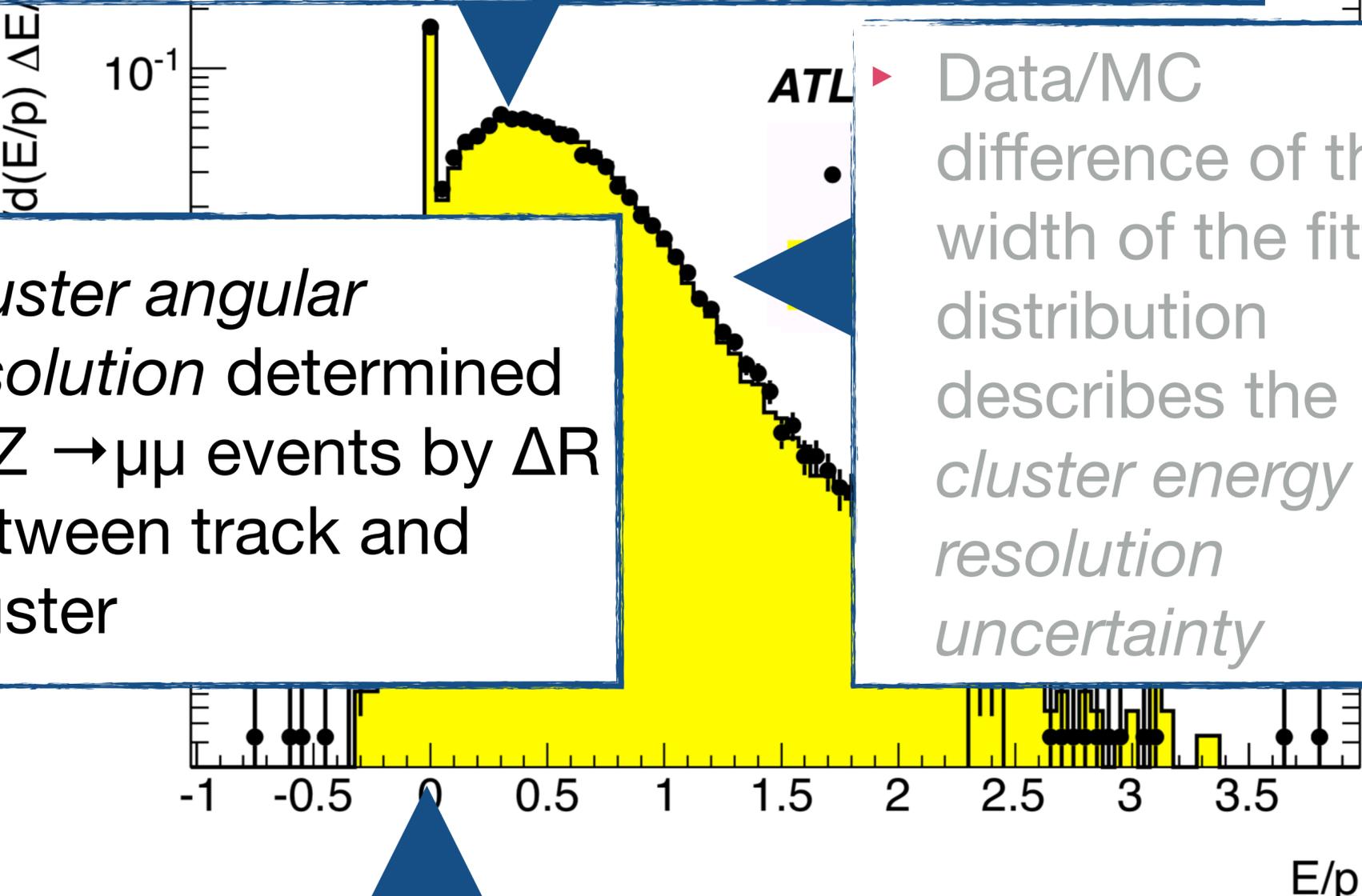
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▶ *Cluster angular resolution* determined in $Z \rightarrow \mu\mu$ events by ΔR between track and cluster

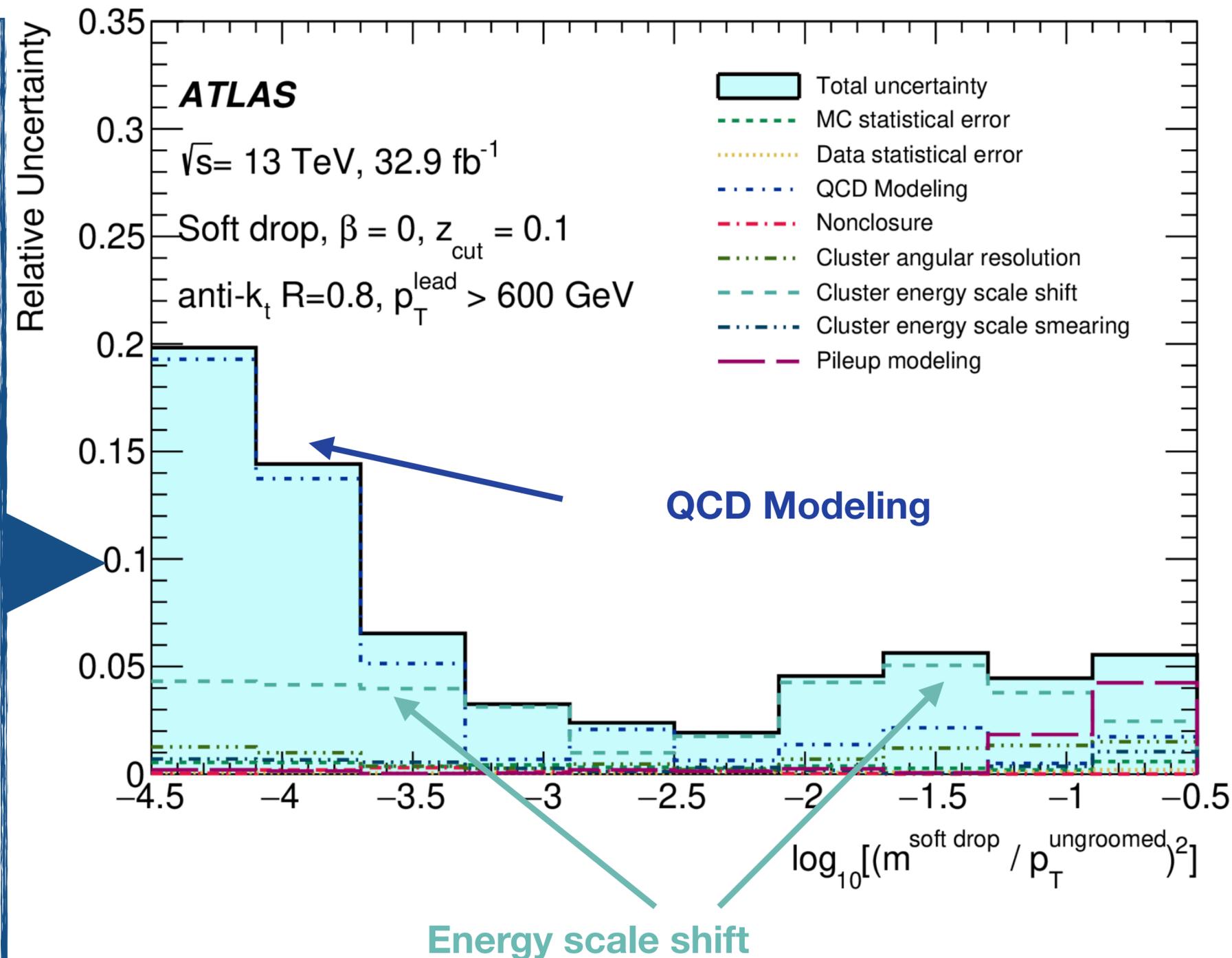
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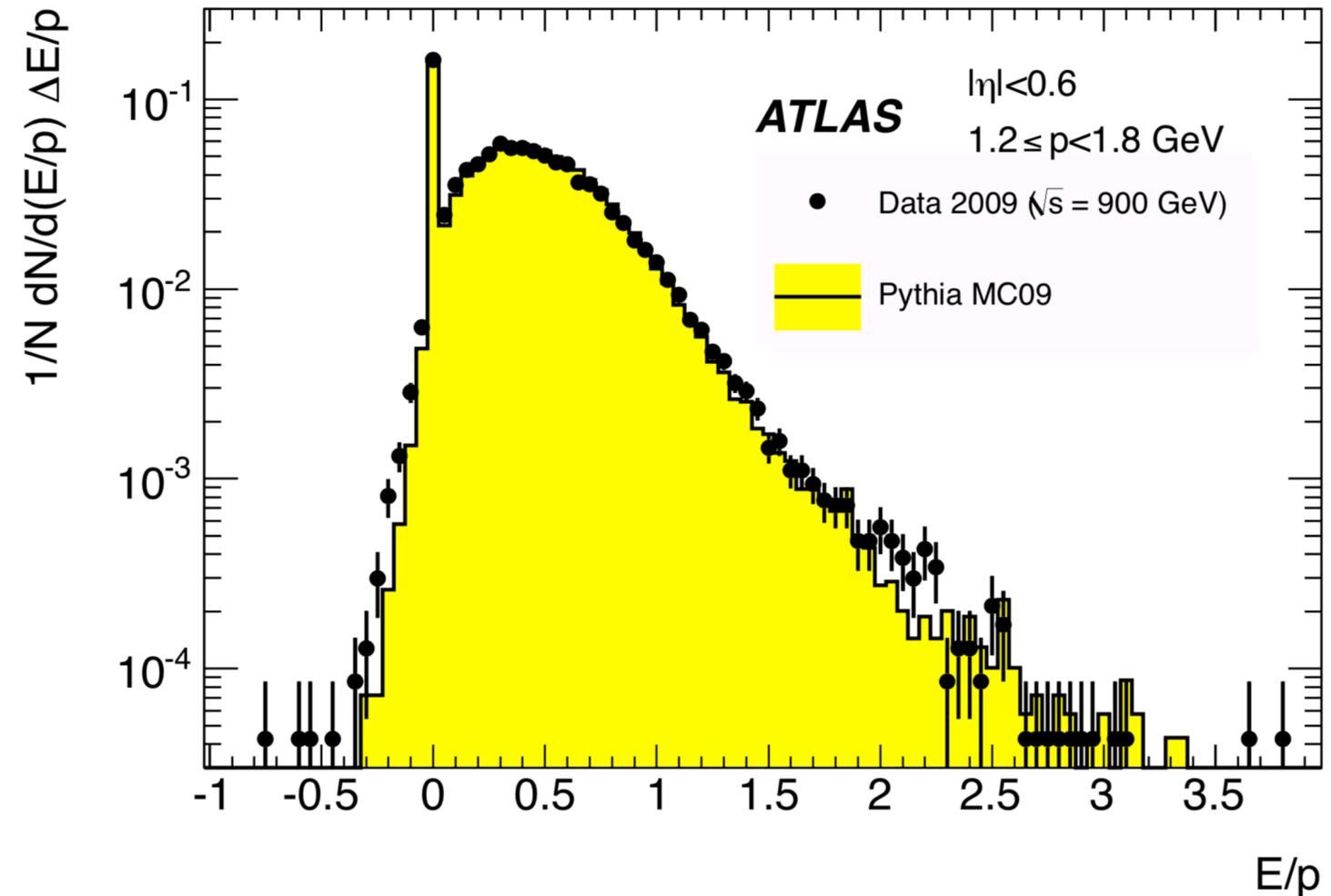
uncertainties

- ▶ **QCD modeling** uncertainties dominate, especially in the non-perturbative region
- ▶ **Cluster energy scale shift** uncertainty large at lower masses where there are few clusters per jet
- ▶ **Cluster energy scale smearing** and **cluster energy scale shift** become more important at higher masses where the energy of hard prongs dominates



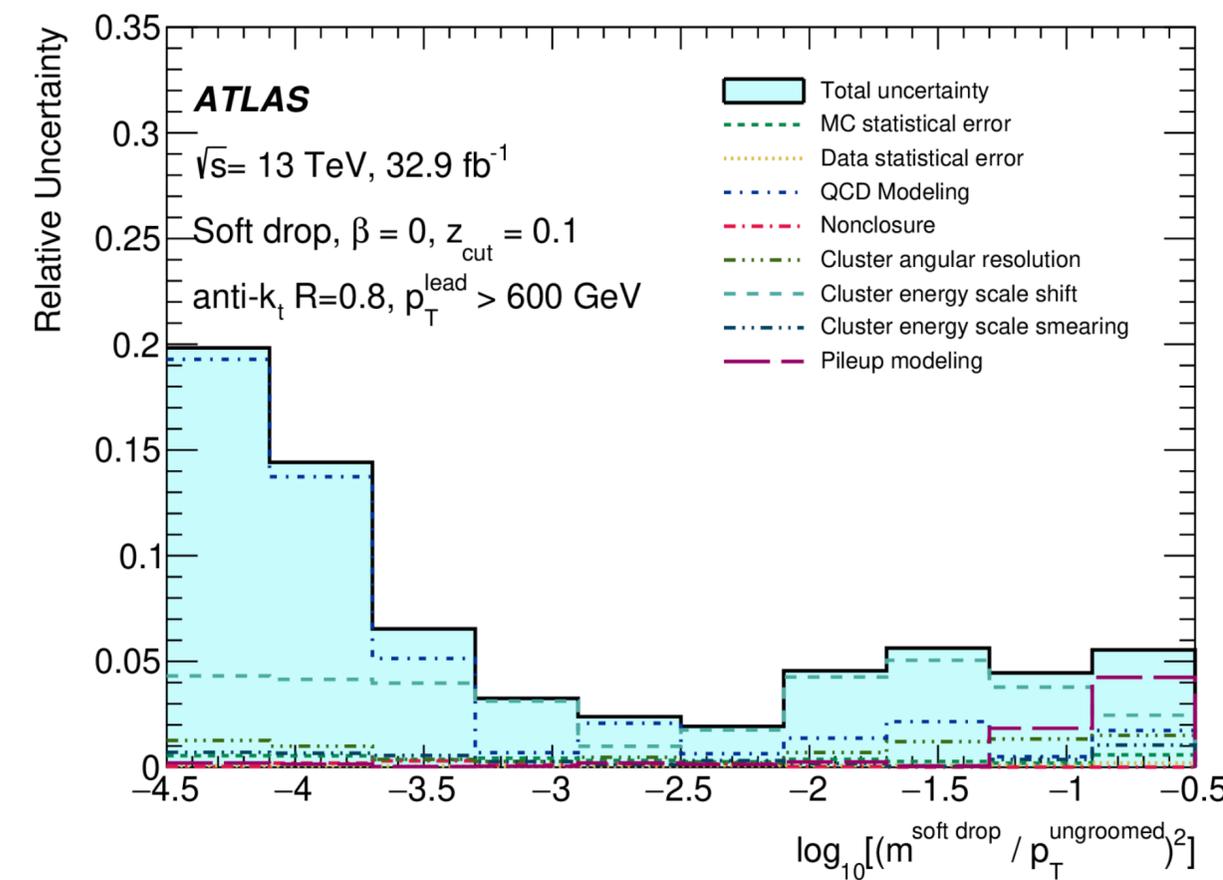
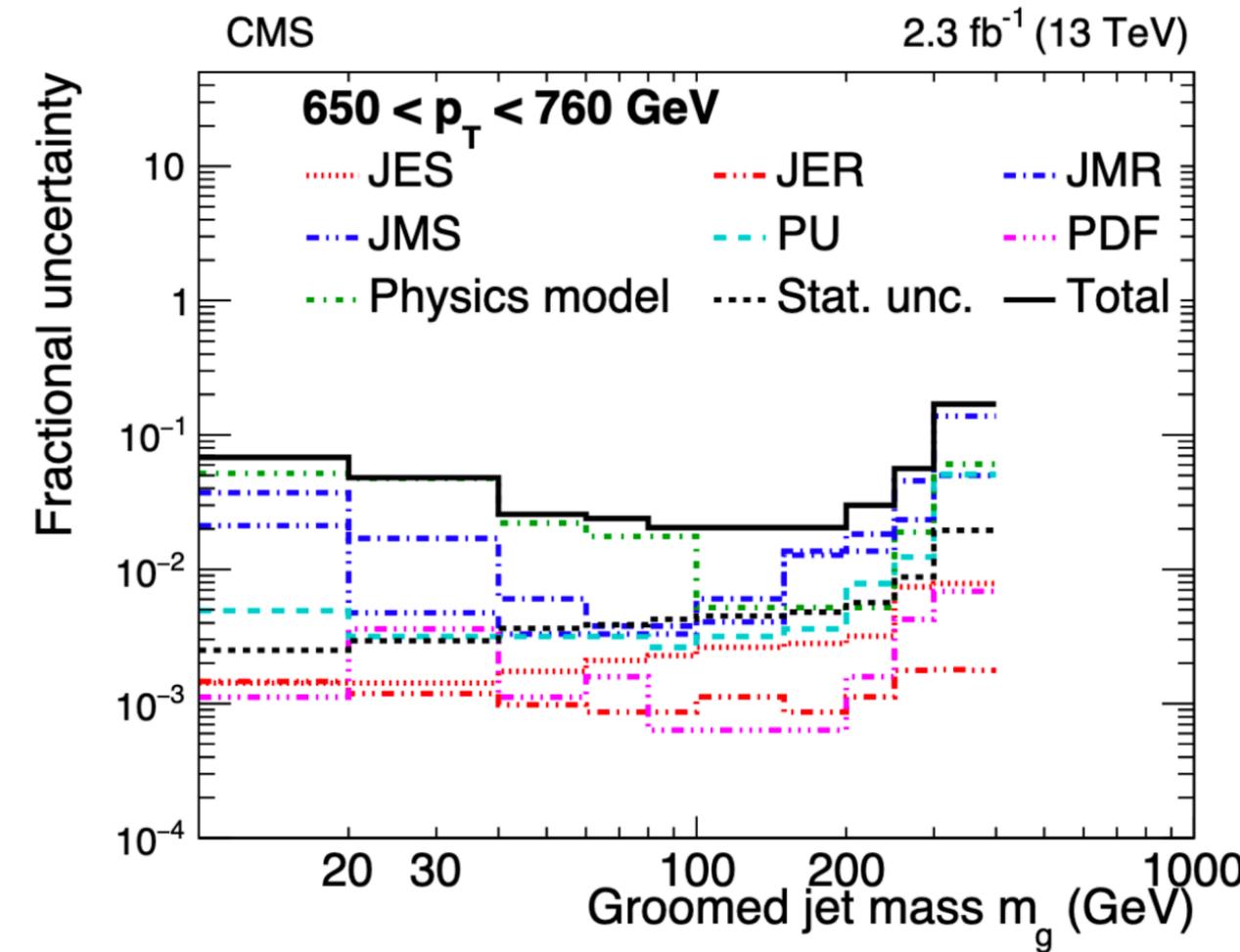
cluster-based uncertainties

- ▶ Cluster uncertainties rely on using the tracks to create an unbiased estimate of the uncertainties
 - ▶ Cluster uncertainties are propagated to the observable of interest
- ▶ For particle flow, the subtraction algorithm can subtract individual cells from the clusters to form charged PFlow objects
 - ▶ PFlow objects are correlated with the tracks → need a different way to estimate this
- ▶ This is very complicated, and so we are unable to account for this



comparison to cms

- ▶ CMS uses the data/MC agreement of W jets to determine the JMS and JMR
 - ▶ Assumes that detector uncertainties will be the same for W jets and q/g jets
- ▶ Hard to compare uncertainties directly since CMS plot is for the mass, and ATLAS plot is for ρ

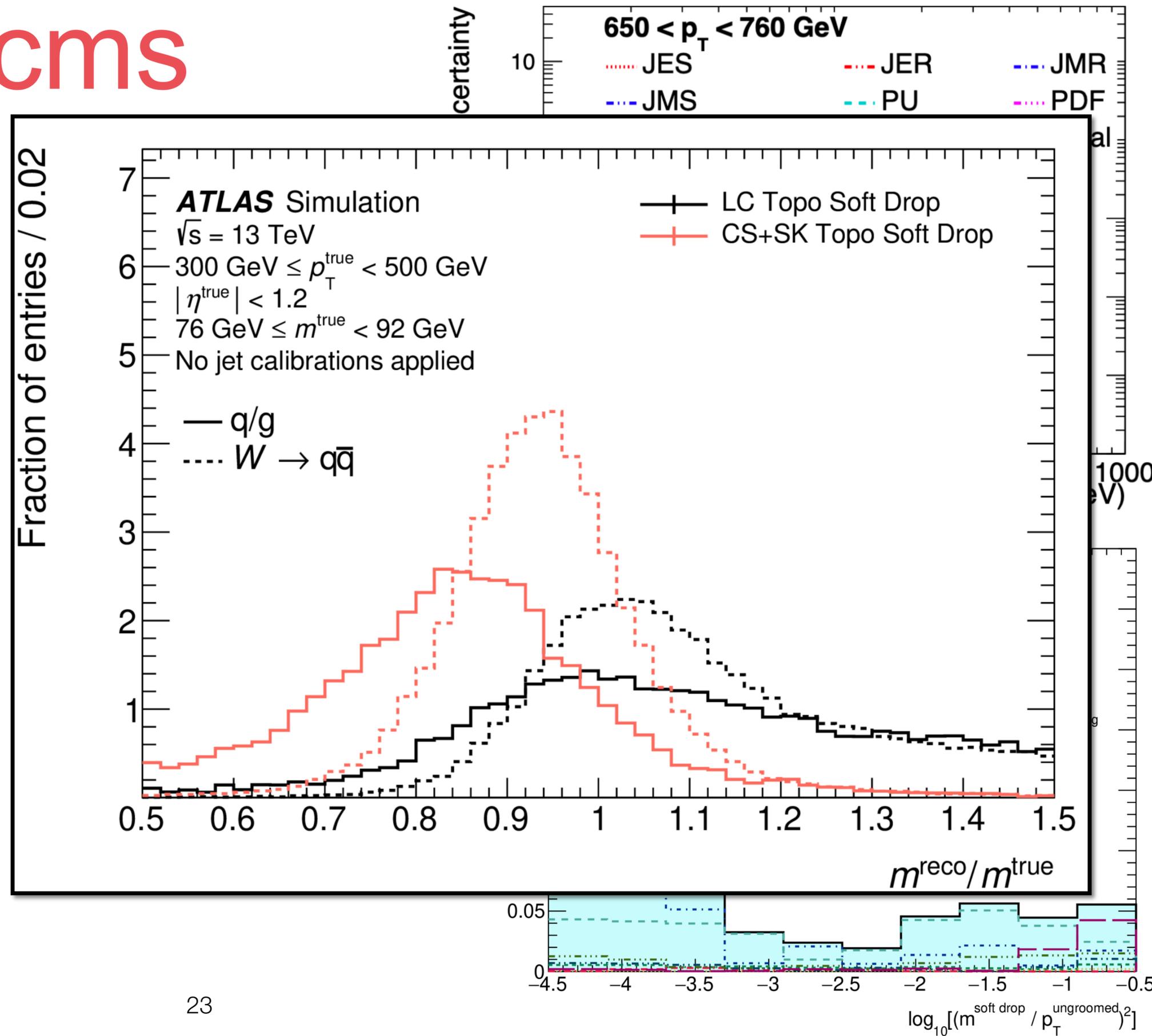


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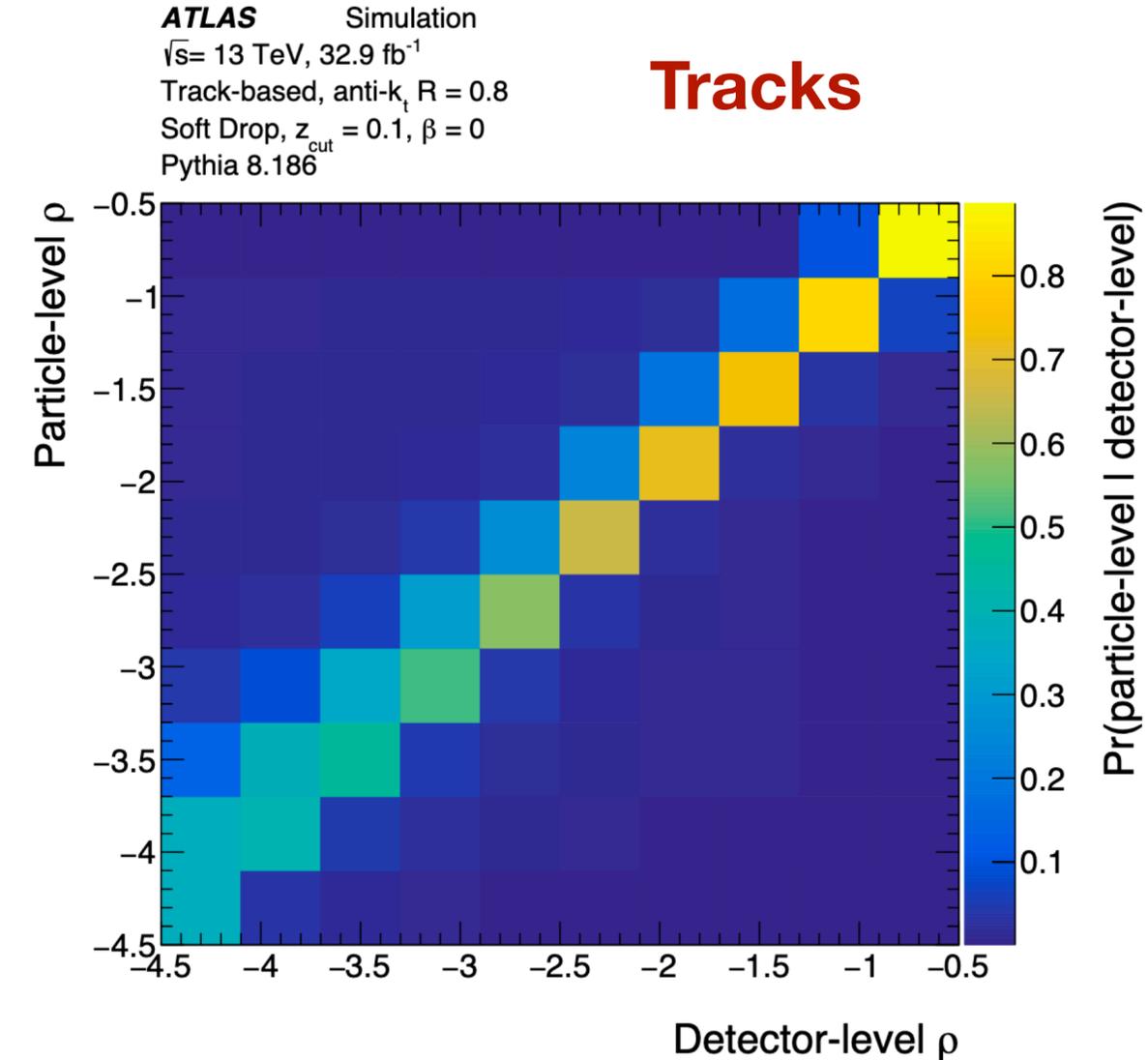
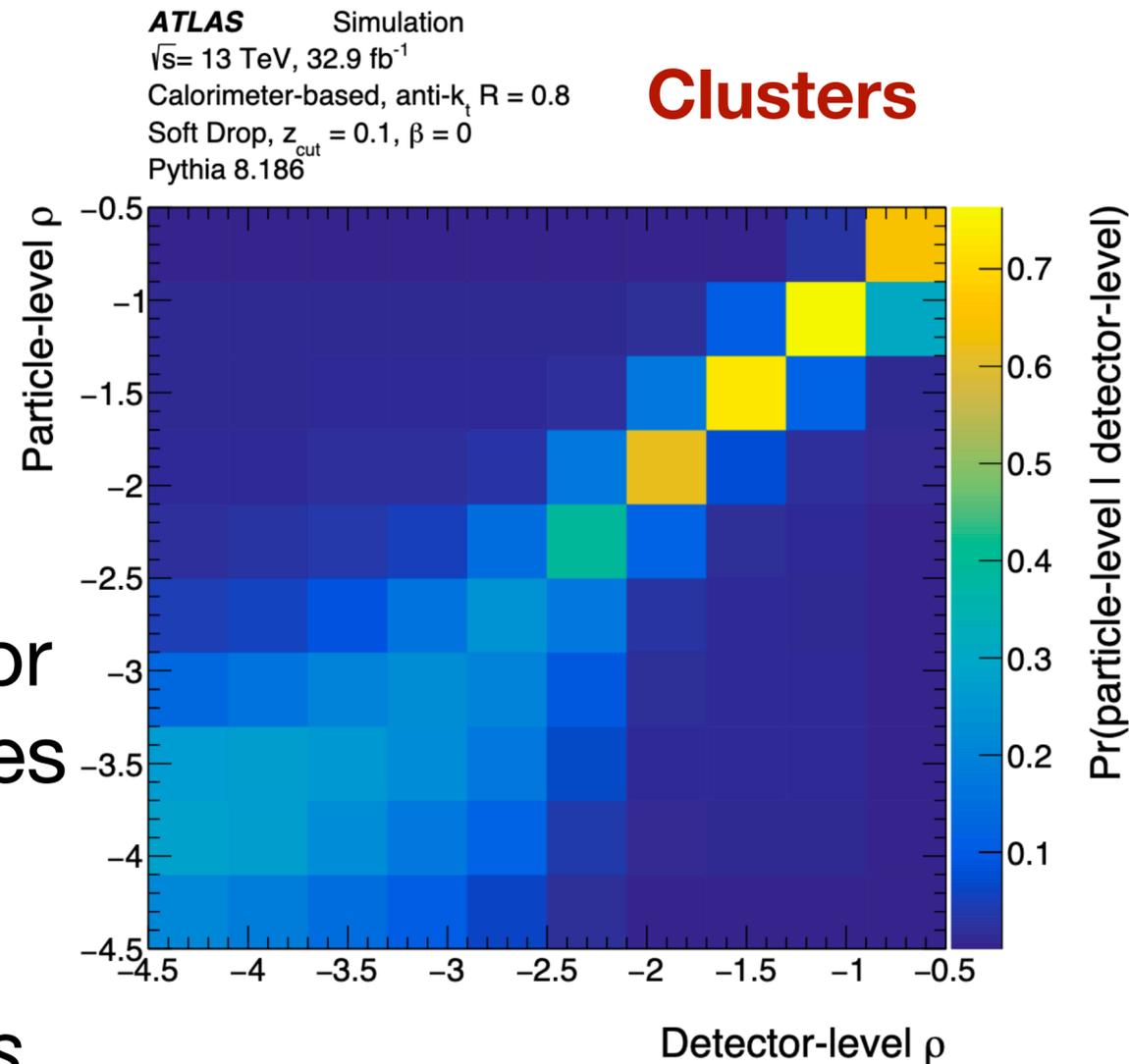
2.3 fb⁻¹ (13 TeV)

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- ▶ At least on ATLAS, the JMS and JMR look very different for W jets vs. q/g jets
- ▶ The mass is dominated by different effects (e.g. hard splitting for W , fragmentation for q/g)



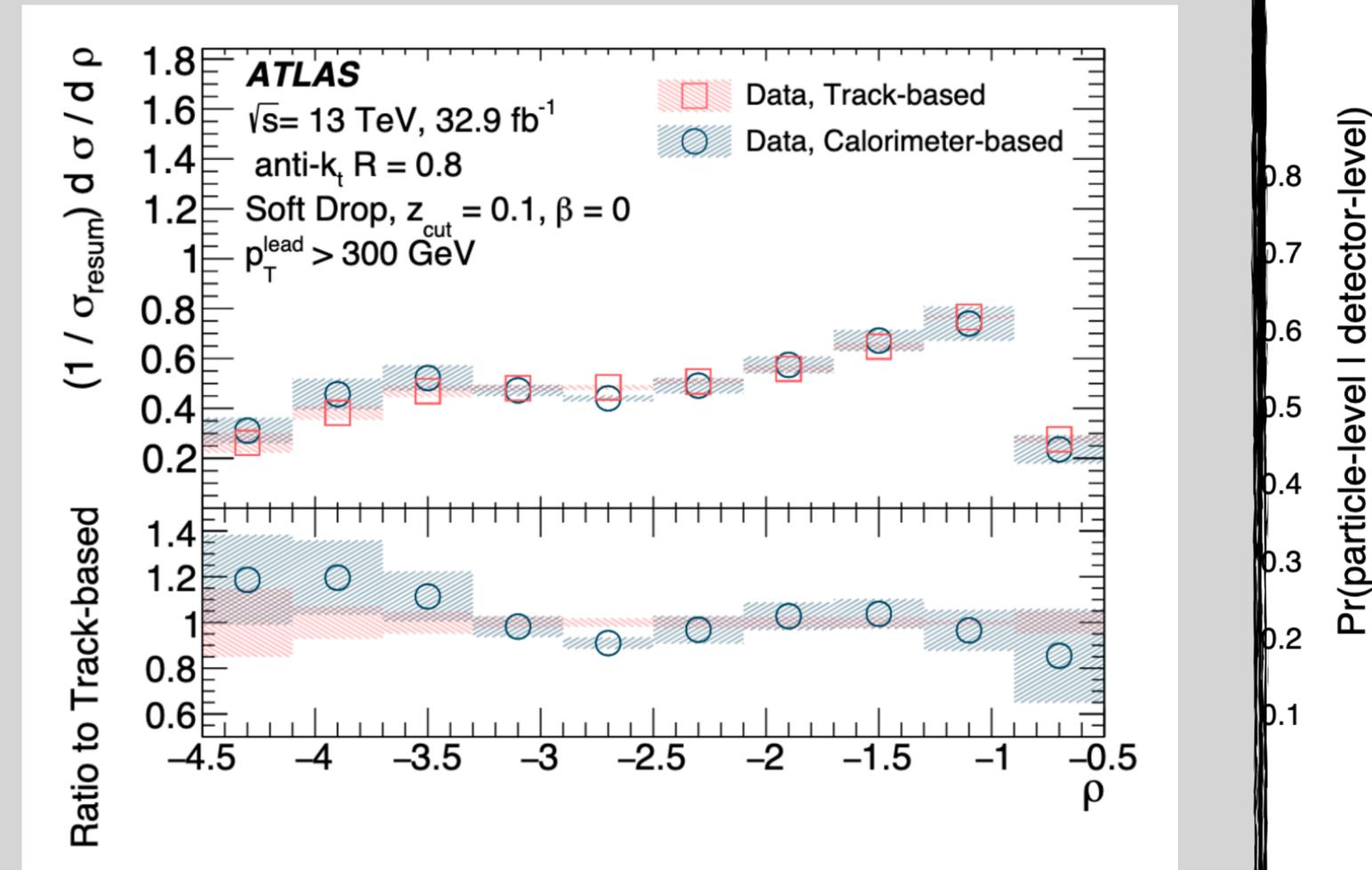
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- ▶ Non-trivial to produce analytical predictions for track-based observables
- ▶ *Optimal input to jet reconstruction depends on purpose of measurement*



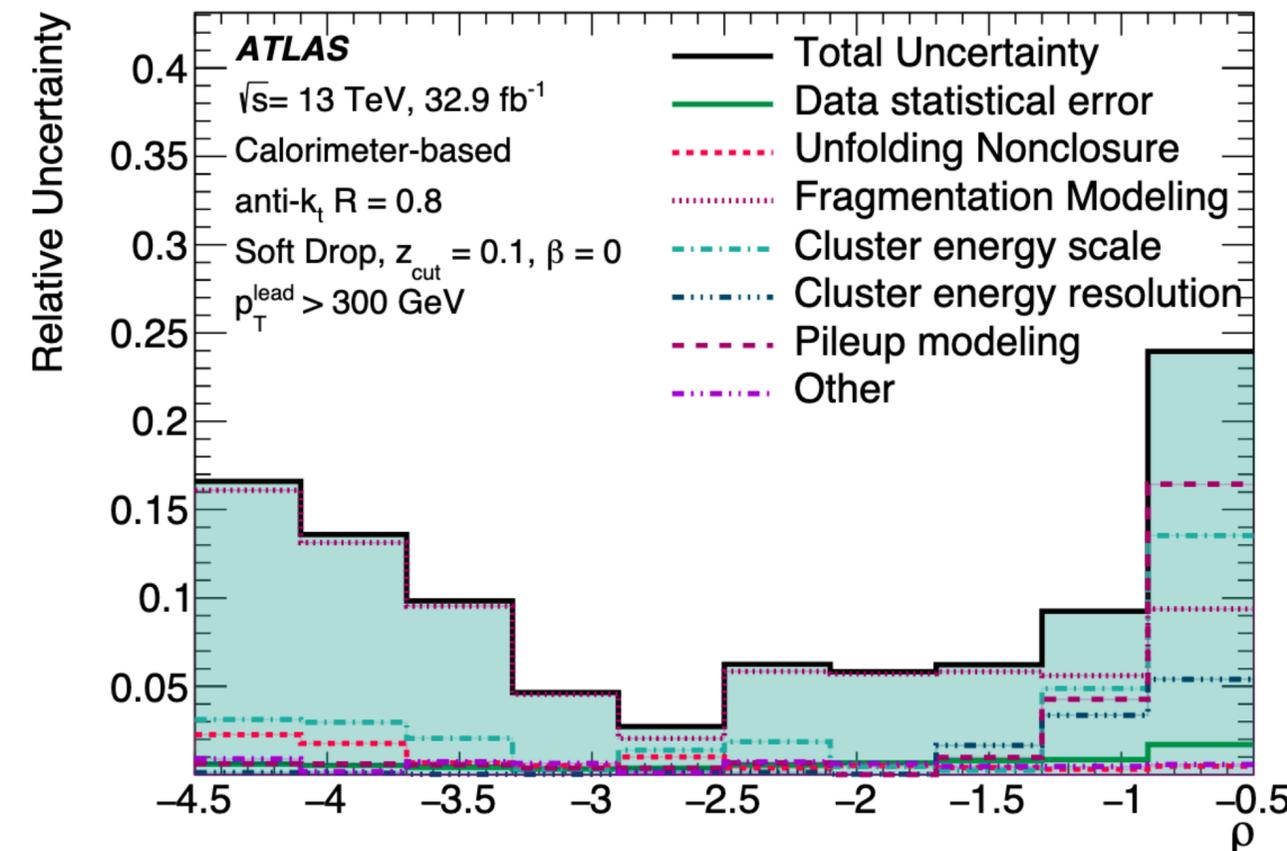
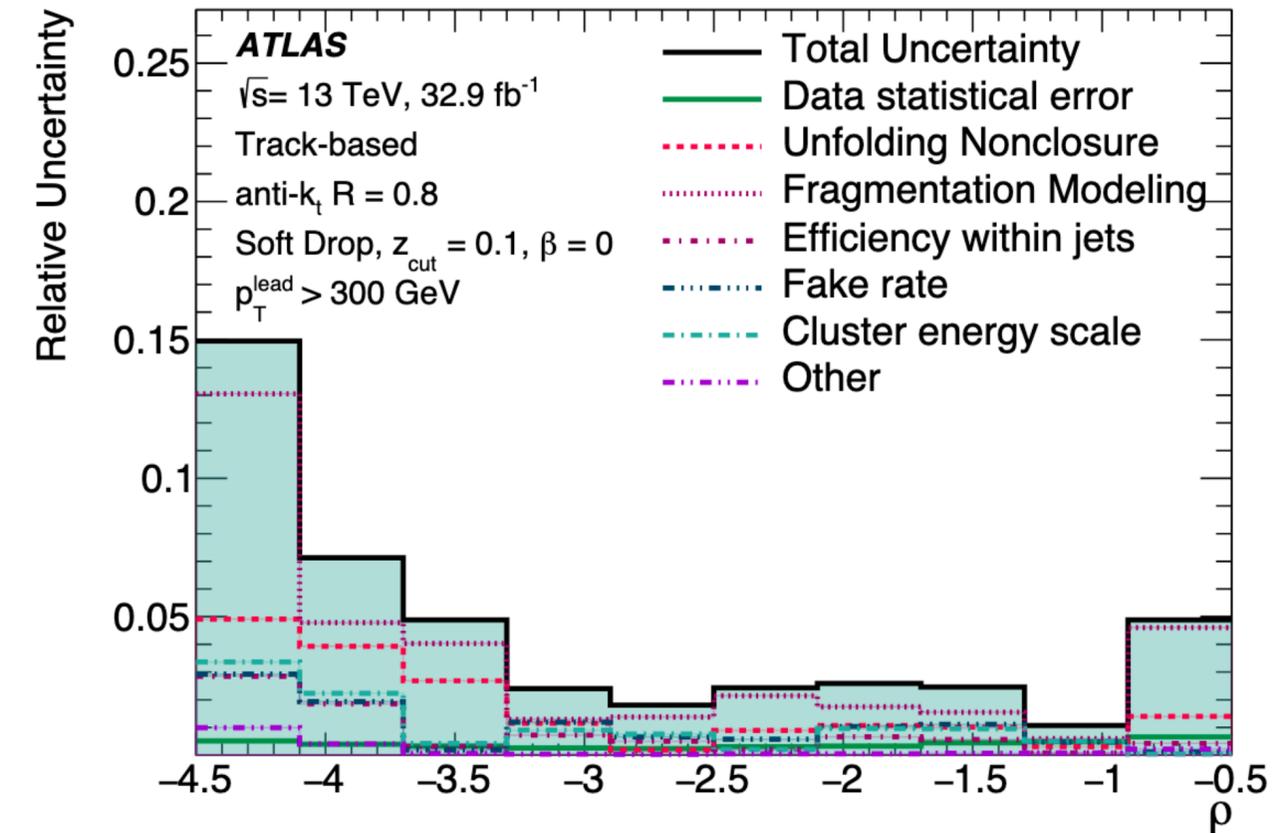
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- ▶ Tracks have angular distributions that are less sensitive to detector effects
- ▶ Non-trivial analytic results for track-based observables
- ▶ *Optimal reconstruction for purpose of measurement*
- ▶ Some track and cluster observables look similar on average
 - ▶ Particularly true where non-perturbative effects are small
- ▶ Tracking uncertainties are much smaller
 - ▶ No calculations exist for track-based observables (yet), but would be powerful experimentally



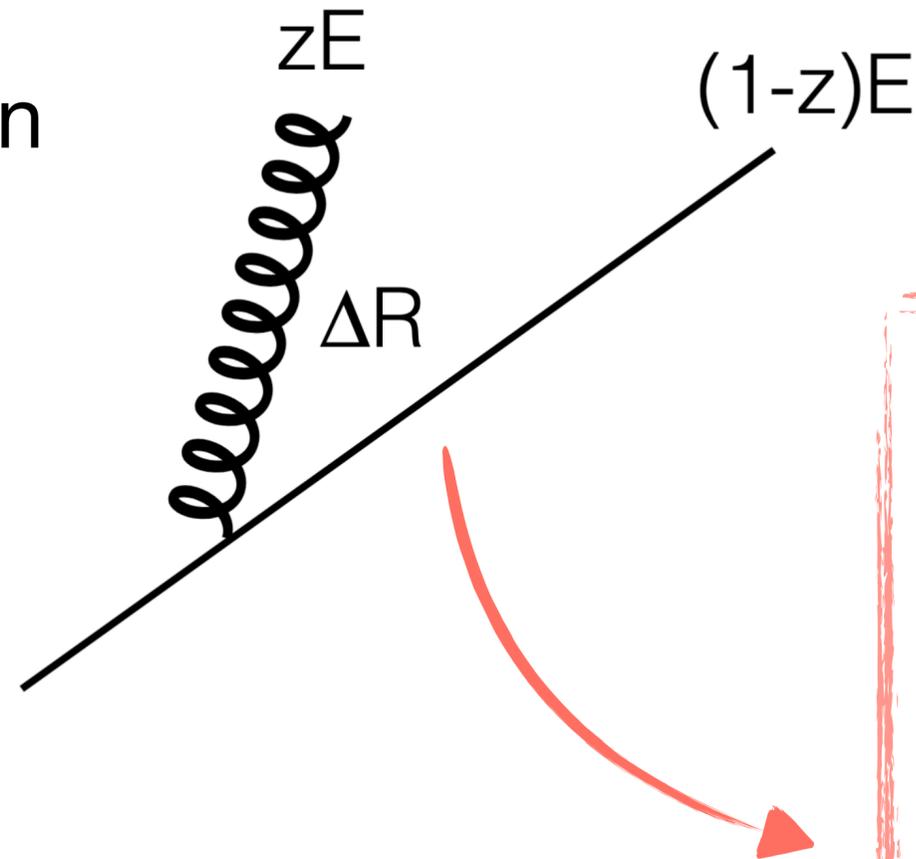
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- ▶ Tracking uncertainties generally much smaller than cluster uncertainties
- ▶ Track-based measurements are useful for increasing precision when not comparing to analytical predictions
- ▶ Modeling uncertainty also smaller, due to smaller migrations in the response matrix



another direction: the lund plane

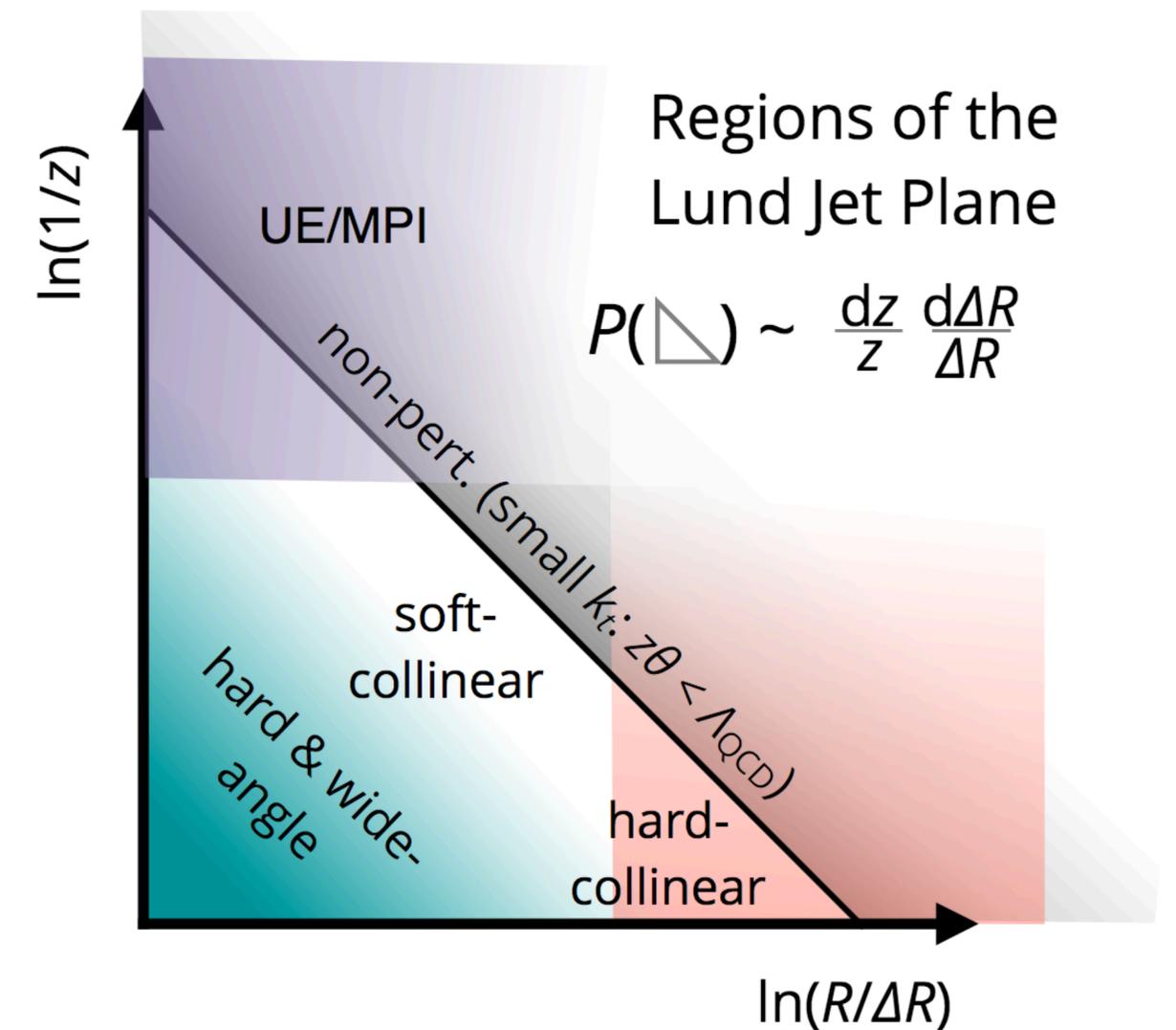
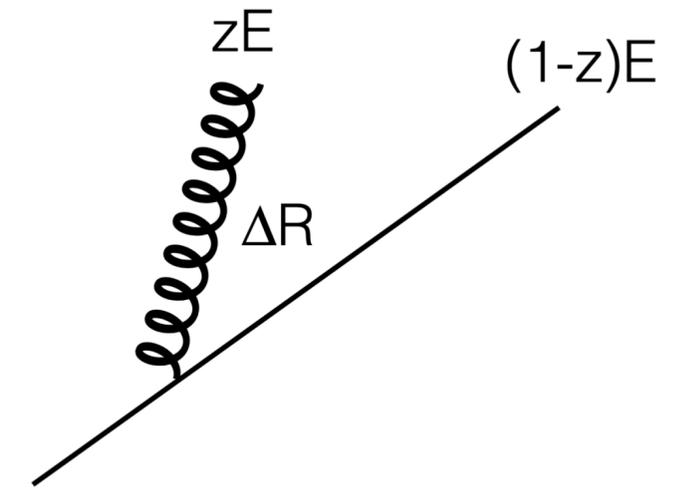
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- ▶ Emissions may be characterized by
 - ▶ z = relative momentum of emission relative to the jet core
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The Lund Plane is the phase space of these emissions: it naturally factorises perturbative and non-perturbative effects, UE/MPI, etc.

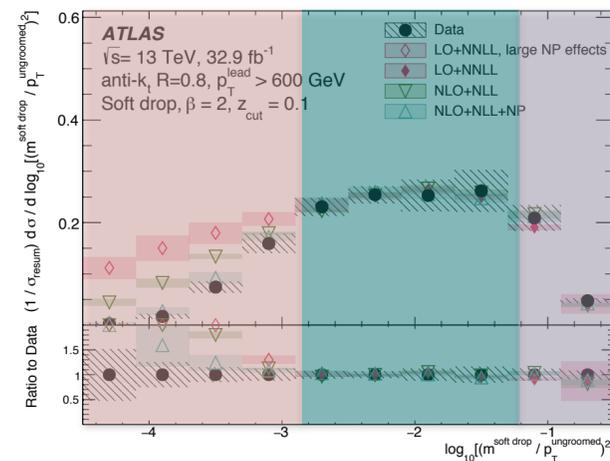
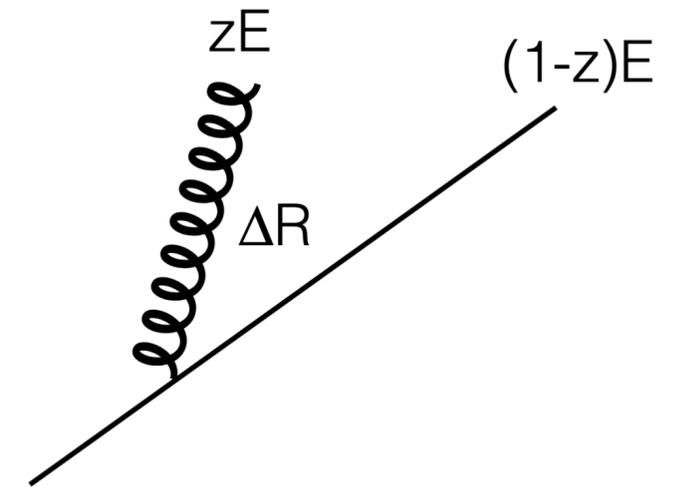
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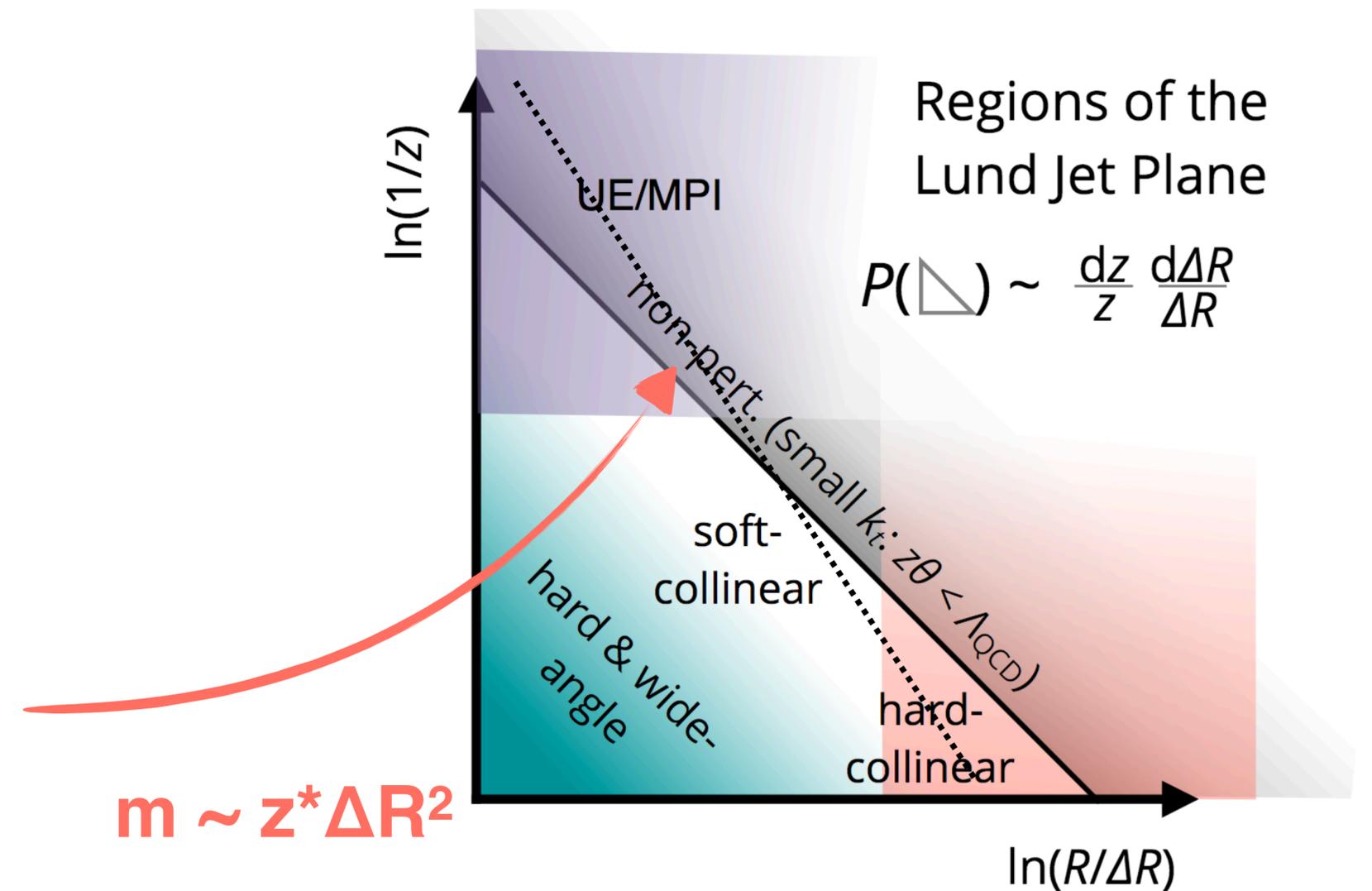


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1. Jet Finding:

Cluster jets using your favorite jet algorithm

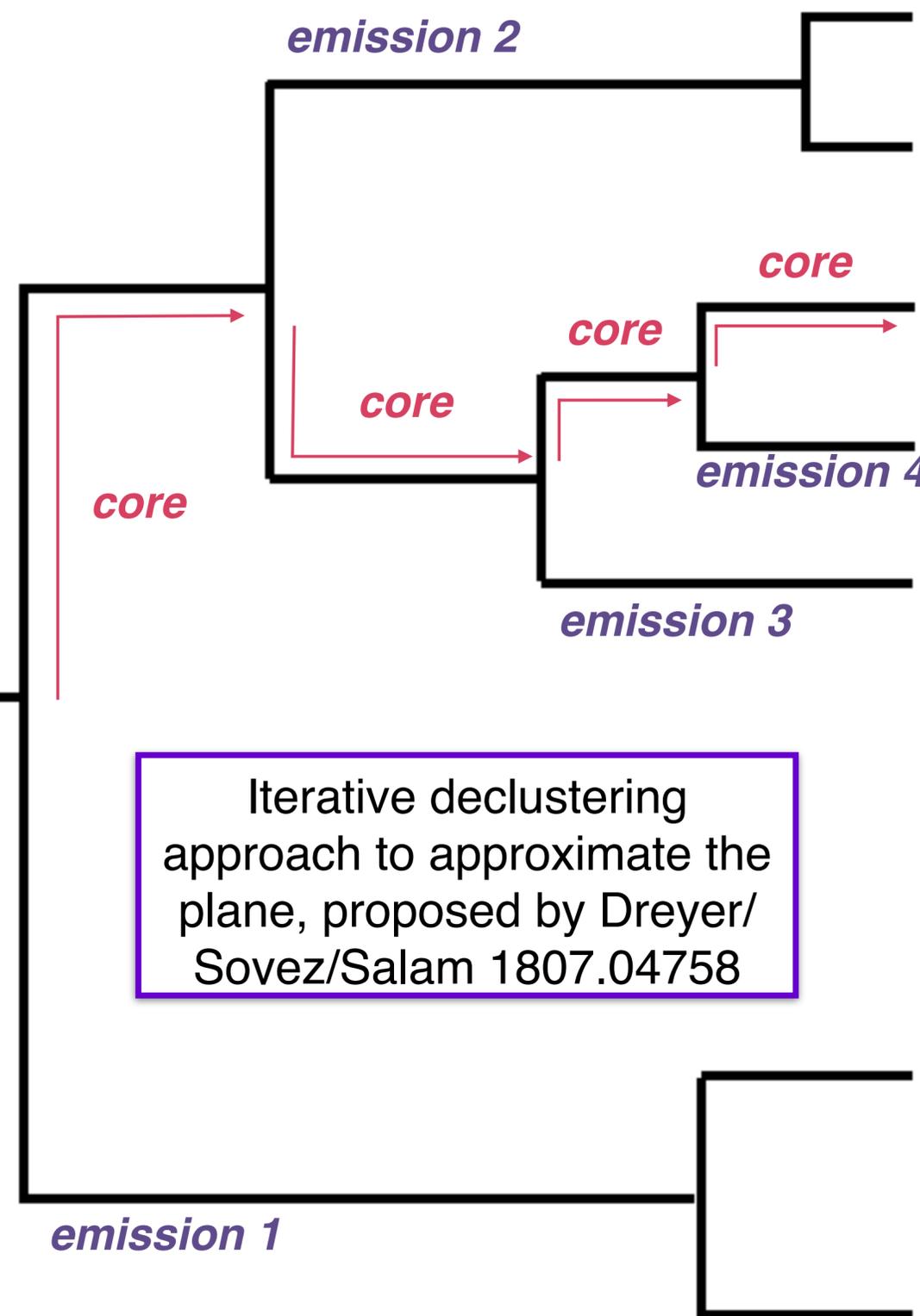
2. C/A Reclustering:

Combine closest pairs of **charged particles or tracks!**

3. C/A Declustering:

Unwind, widest angles first. Each step is an **emission**, or, a point in the Lund Jet Plane!

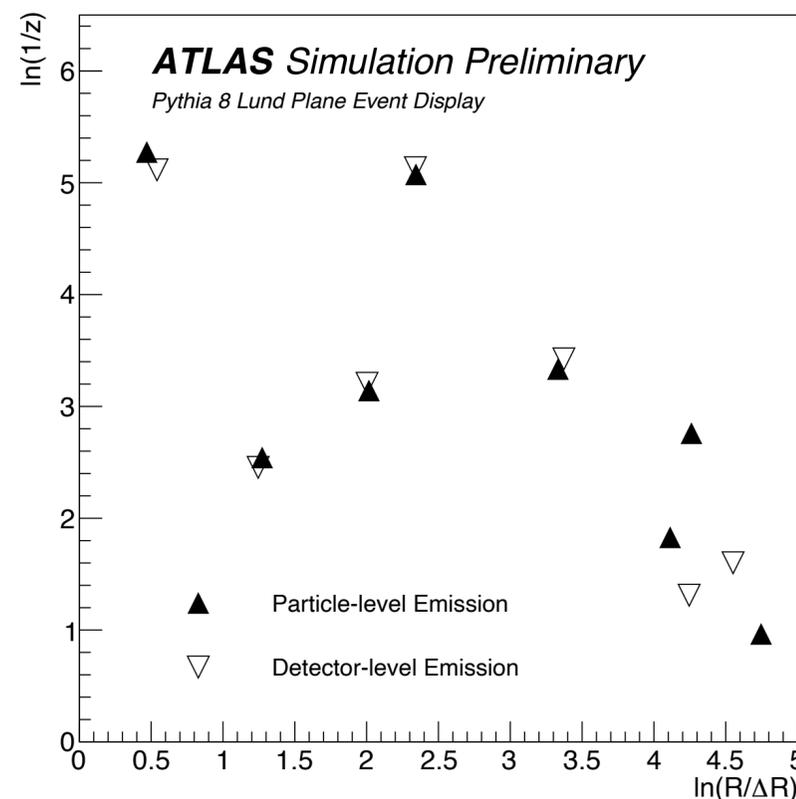
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Iterative declustering approach to approximate the plane, proposed by Dreyer/Sovez/Salam 1807.04758

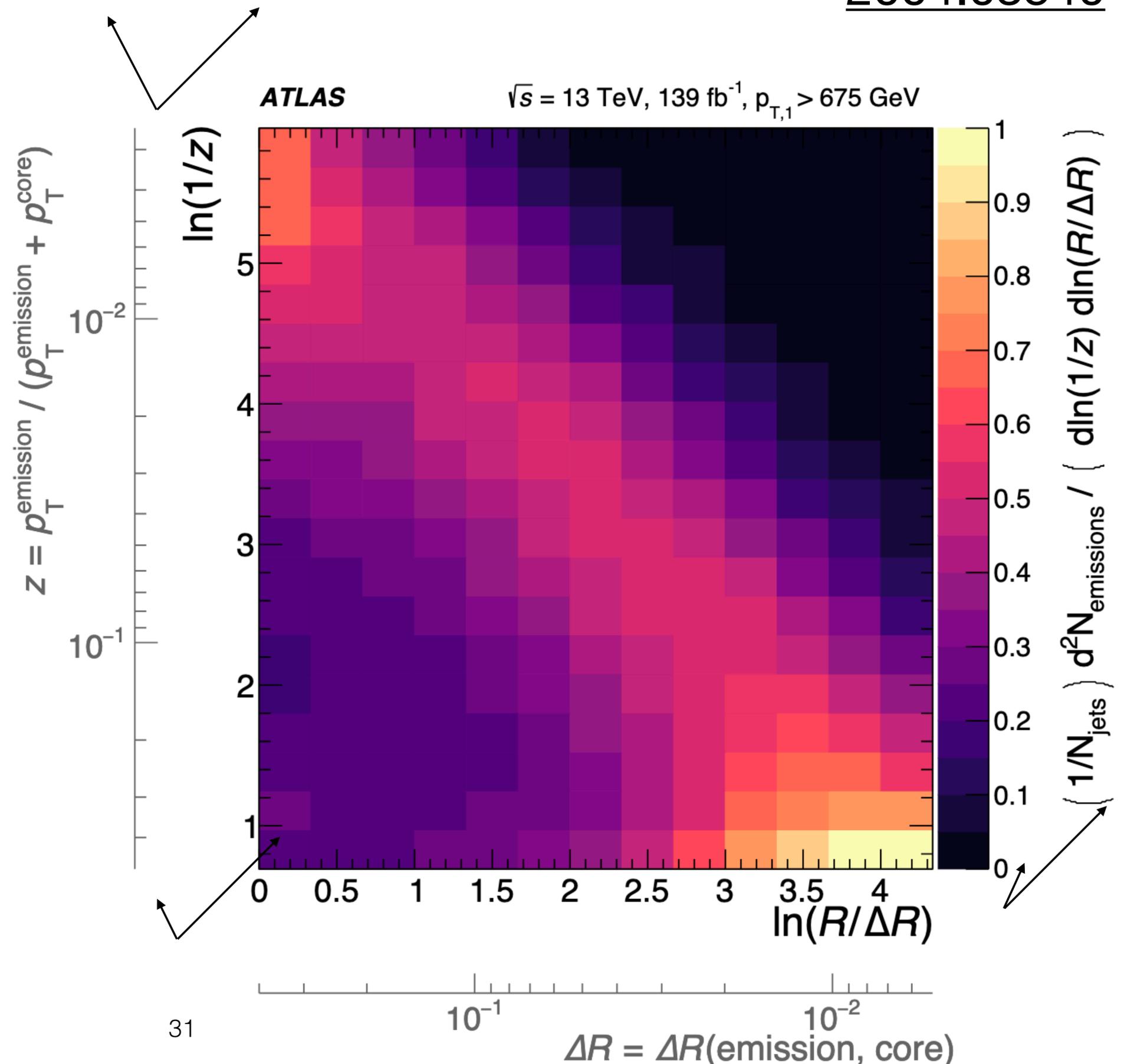
4. Plot Emissions:

Characterize emissions based on their angle (ΔR), and the hardness of the splitting and $z = p_T^{\text{emission}} / p_T$



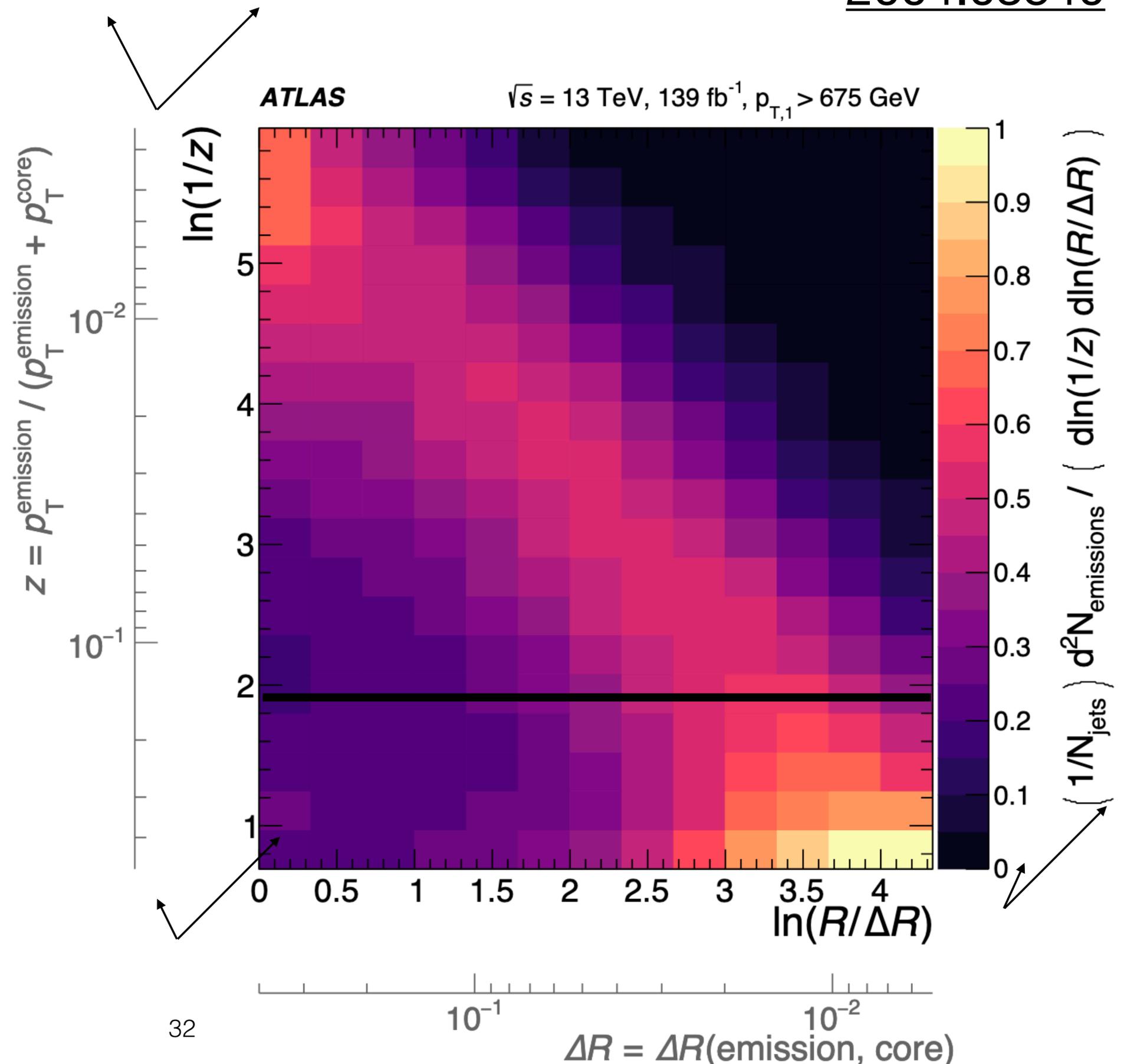
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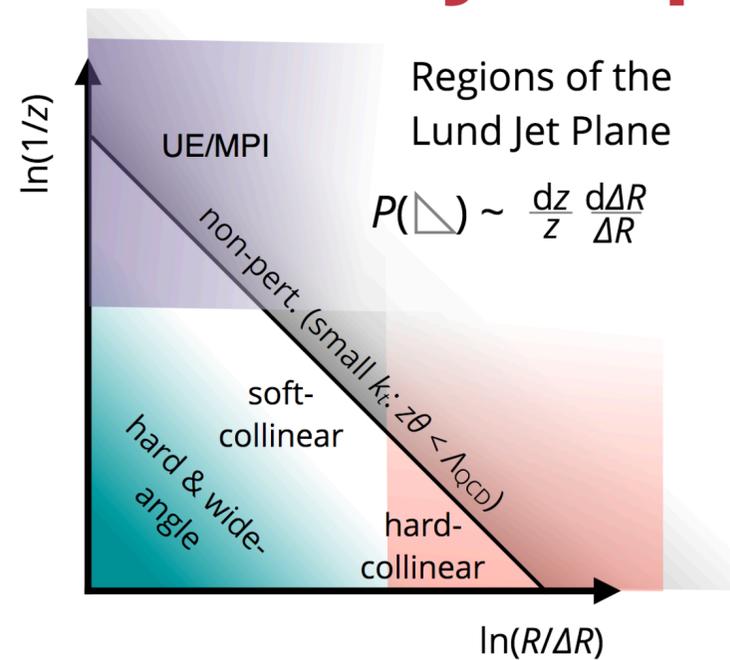


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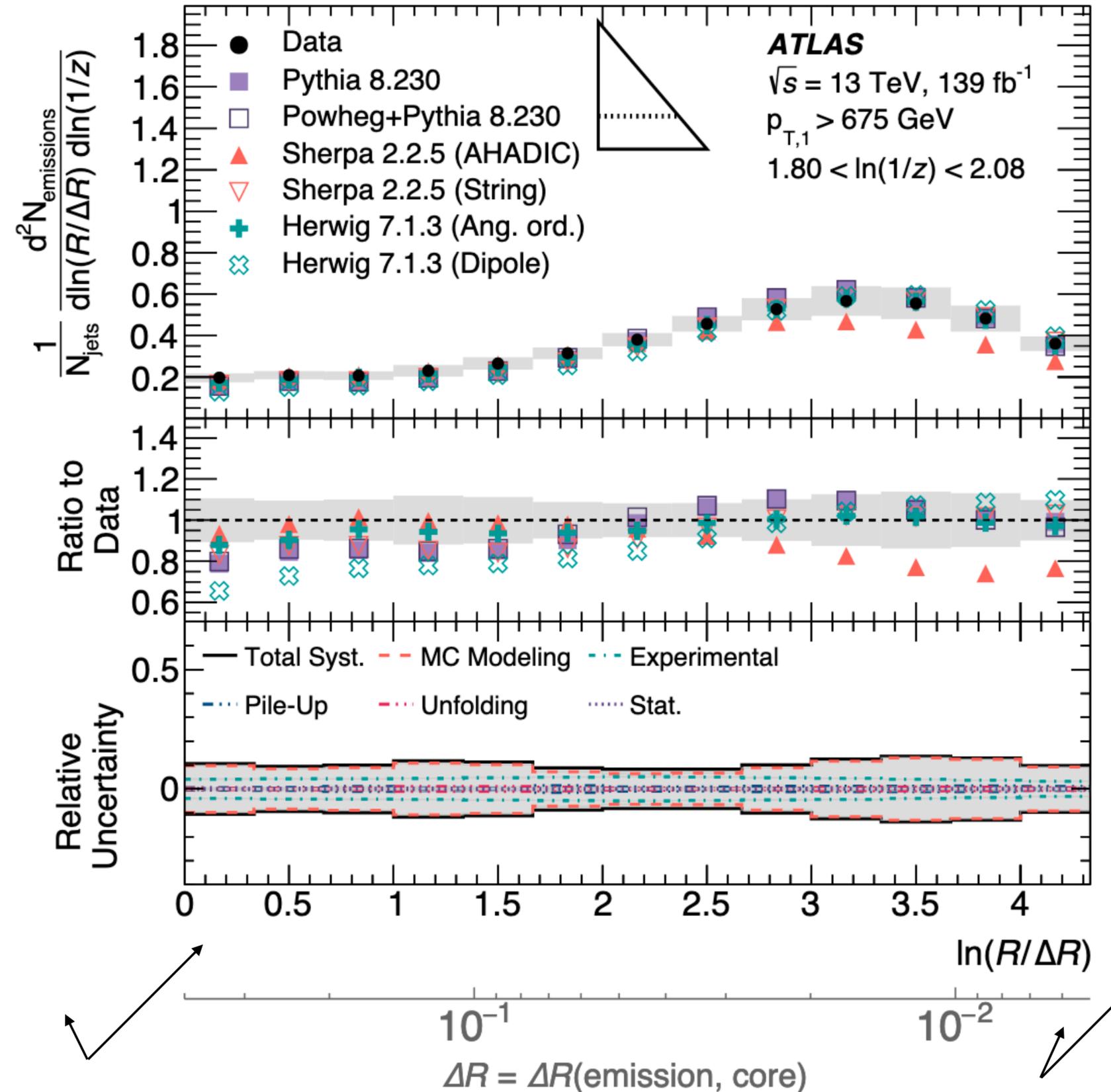
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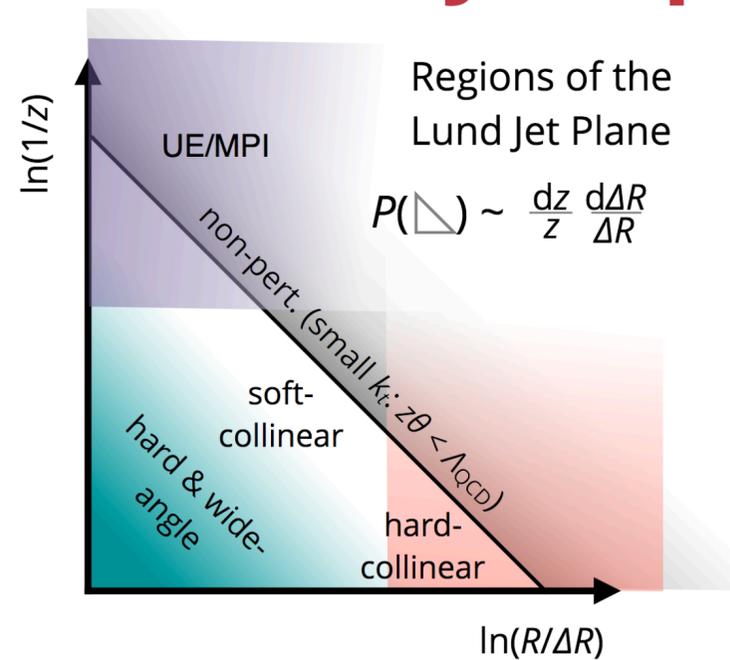
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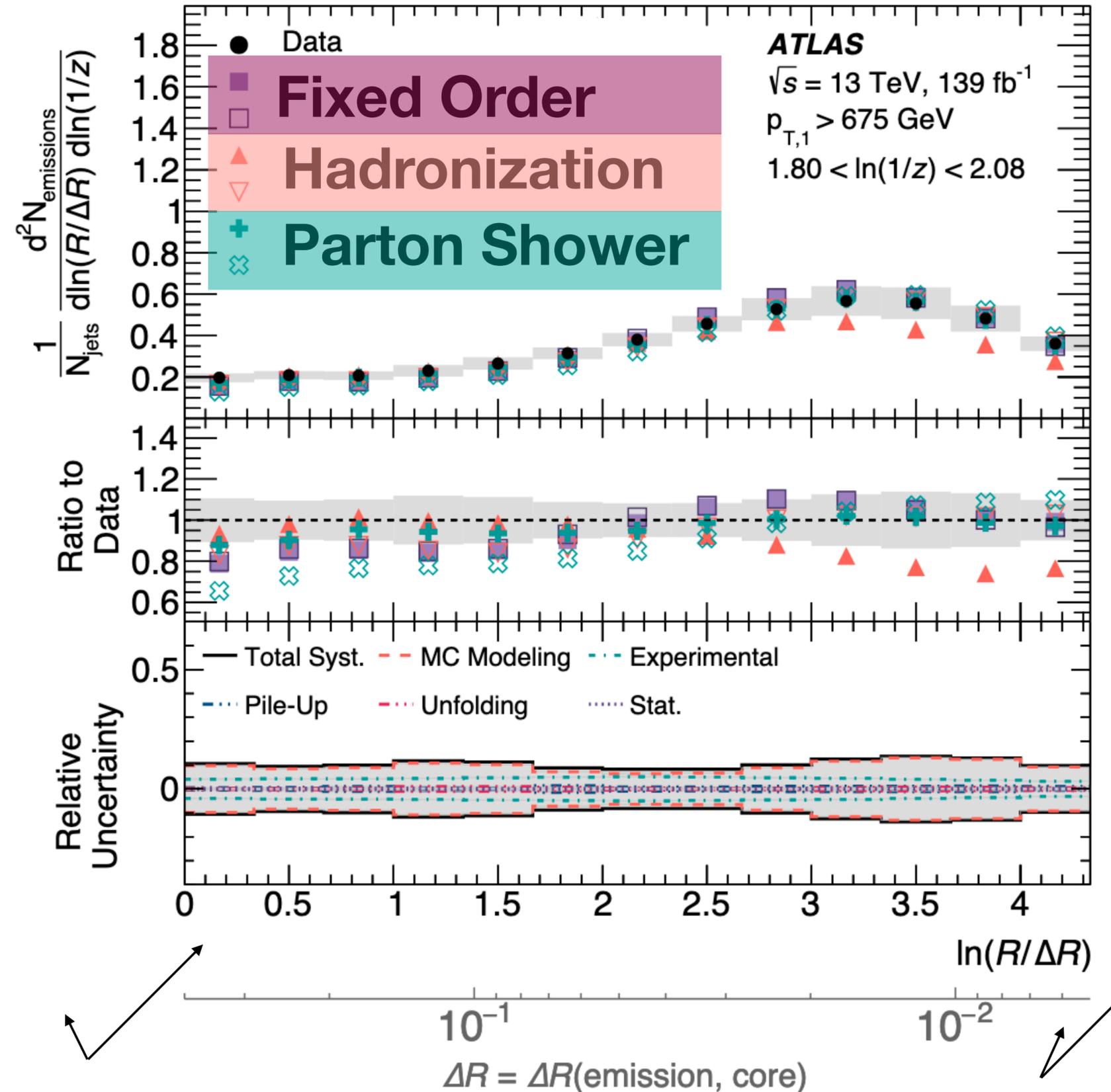
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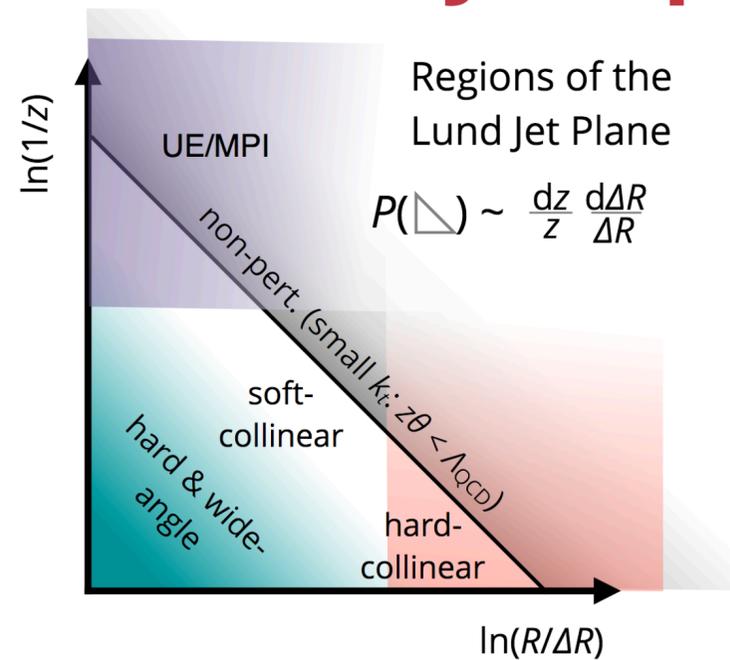
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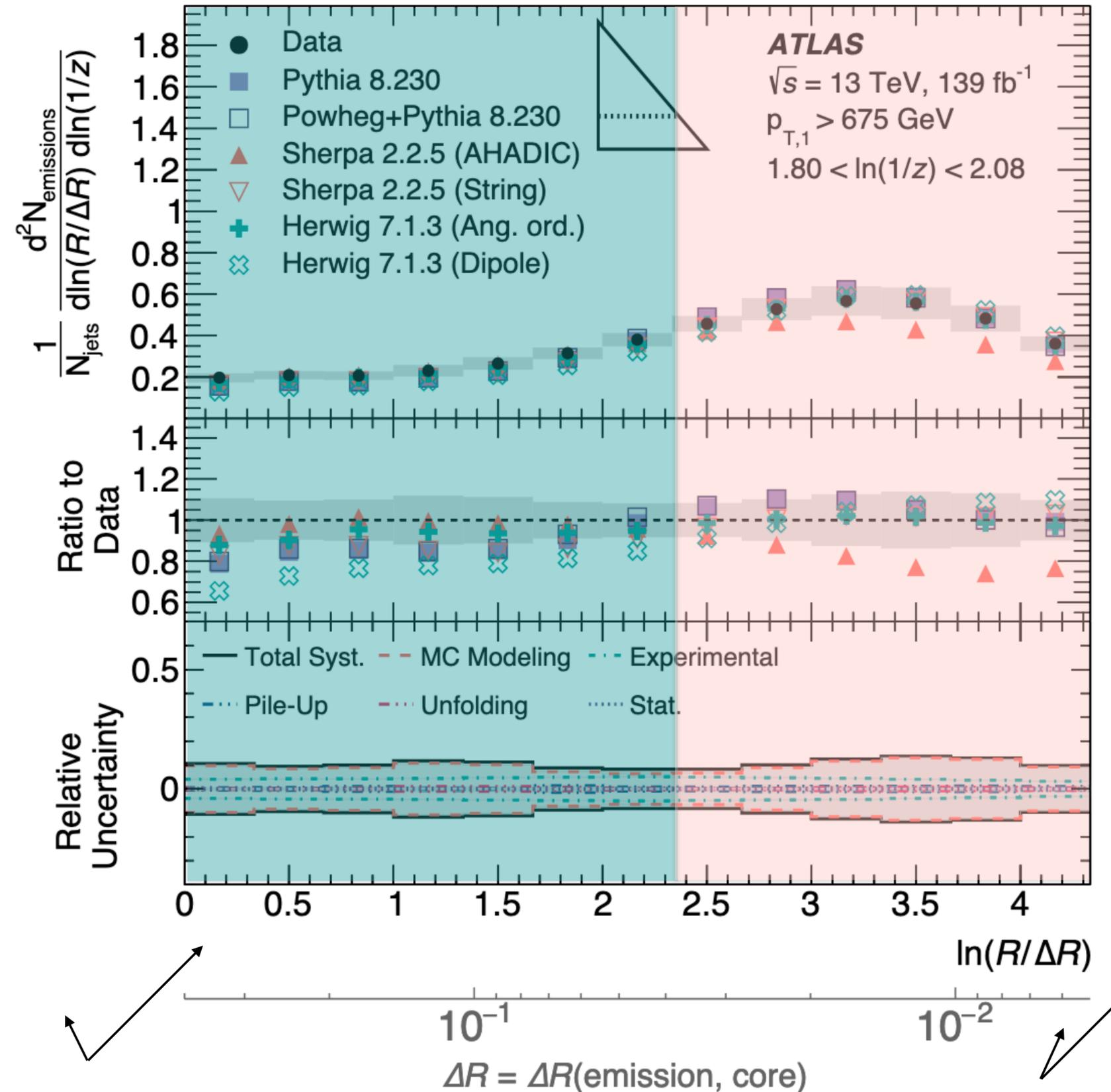
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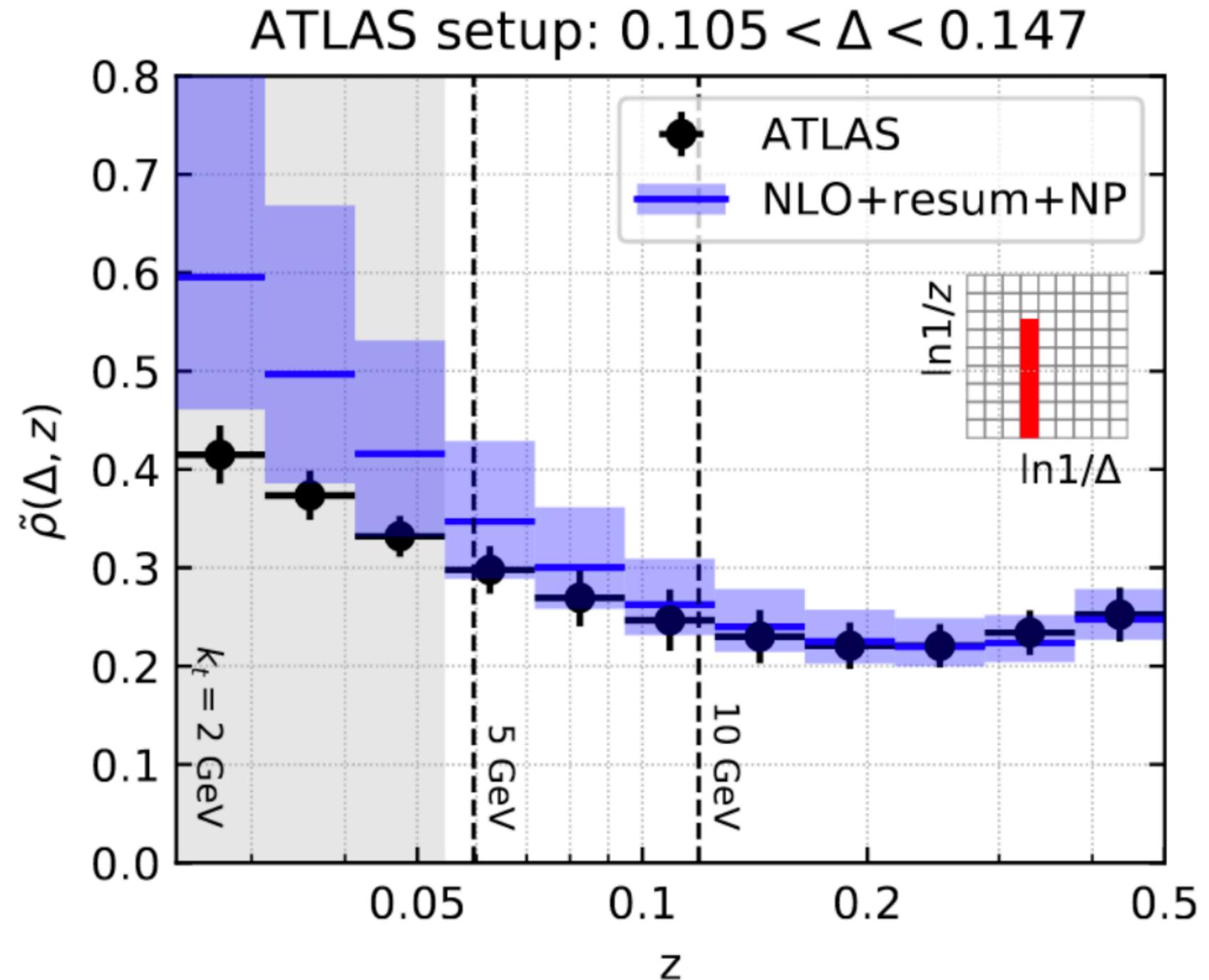


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- ▶ Possible to produce predictions for parts of the Lund jet plane
- ▶ Accurate down to k_t of ~ 5 GeV
- ▶ Example of substructure prediction without grooming algorithm!
- ▶ Work ongoing to extend this to higher logarithmic accuracy

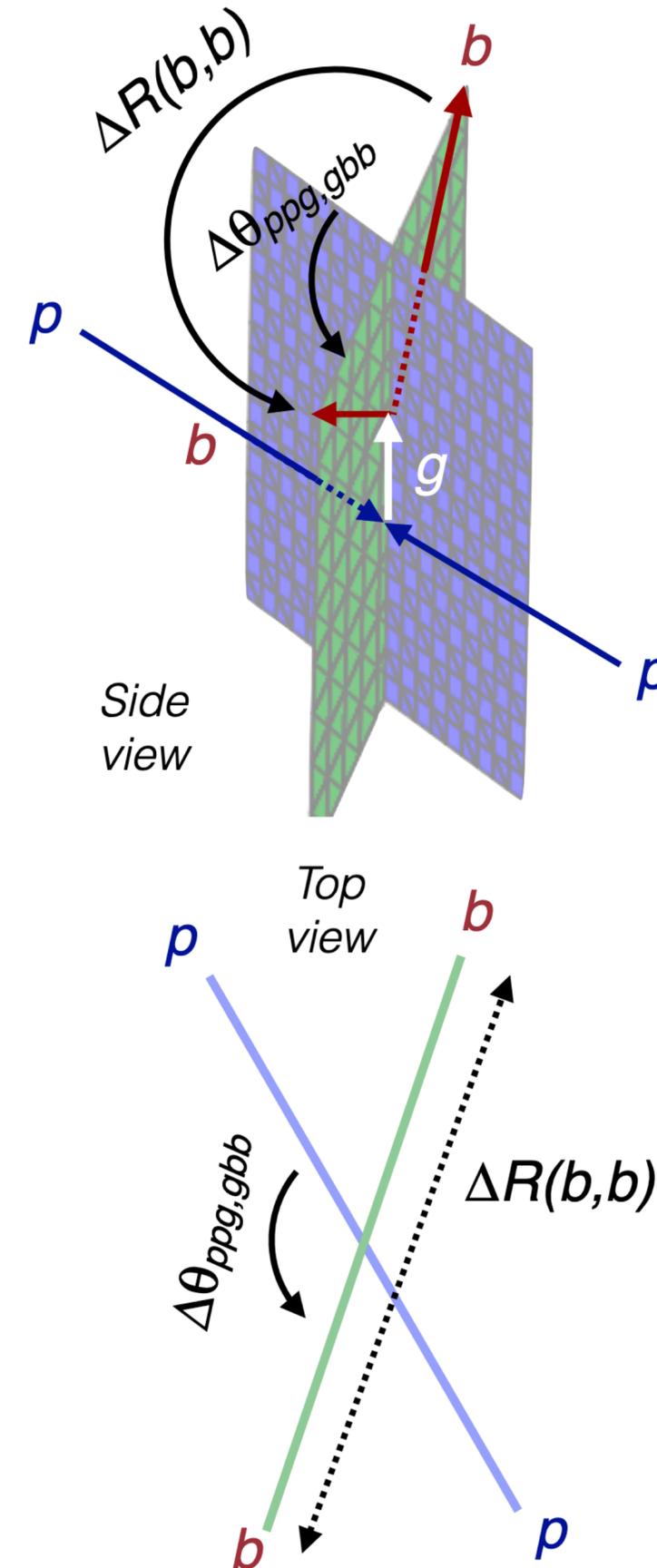
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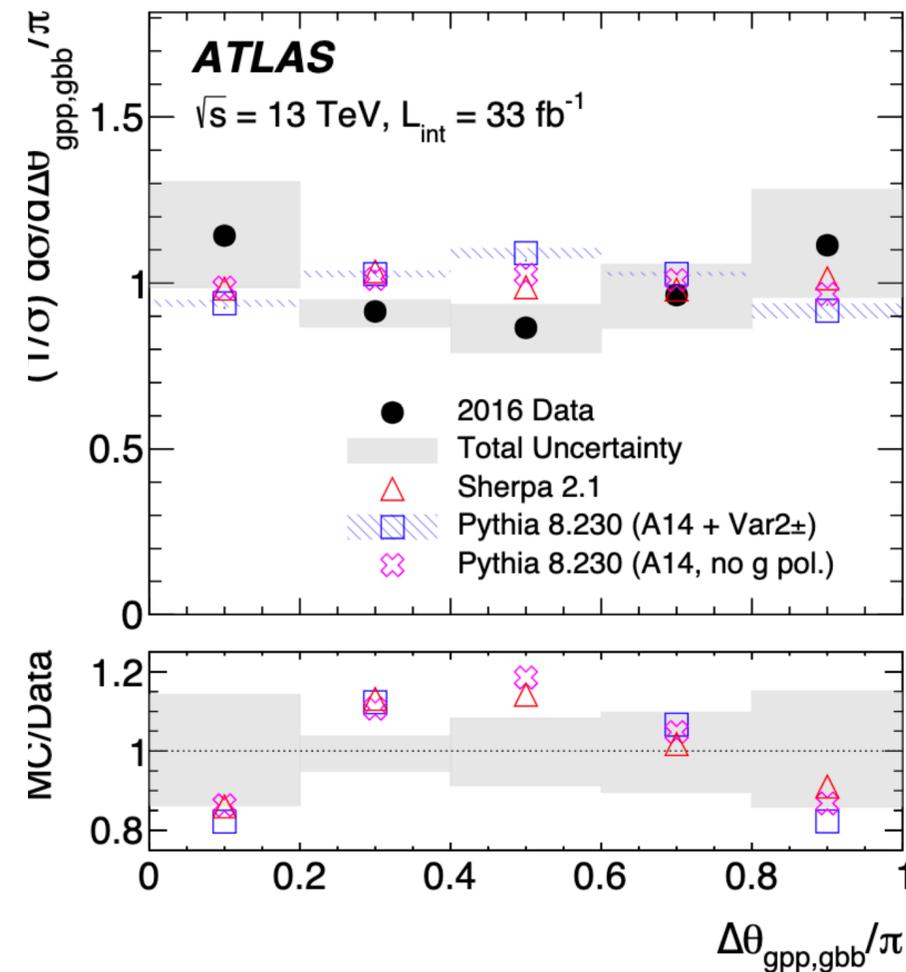
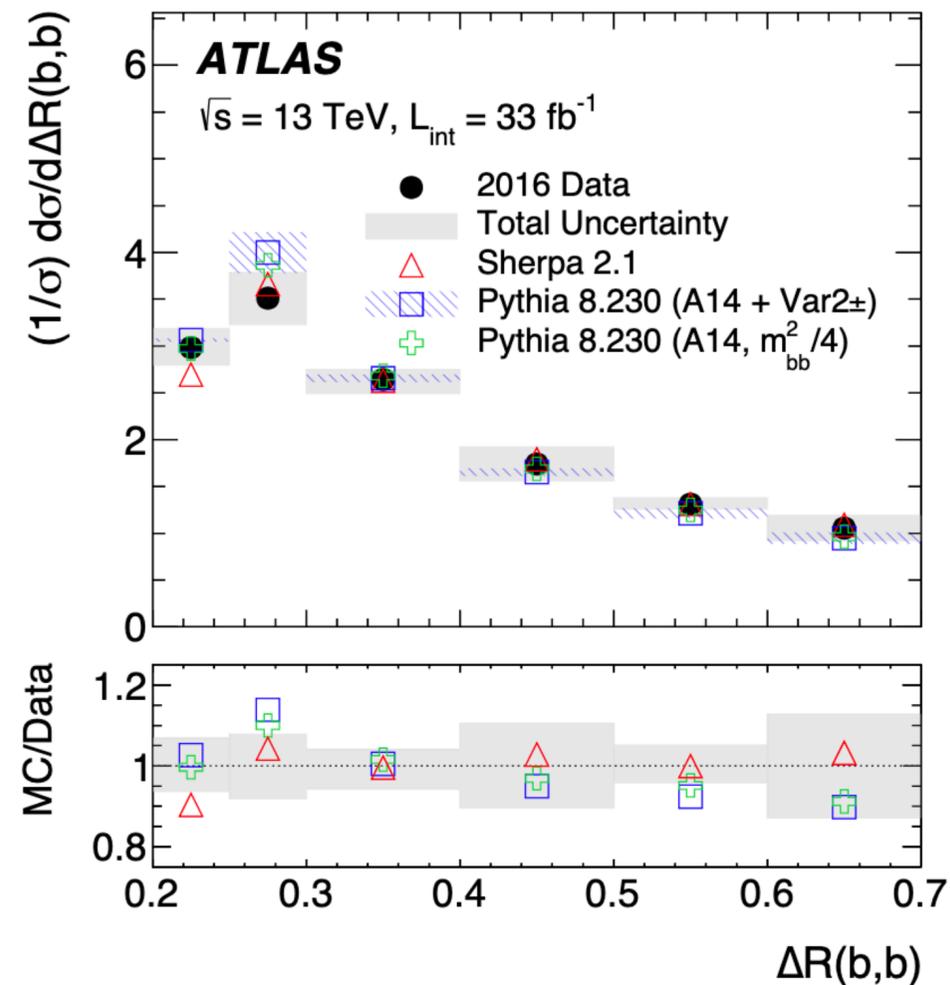
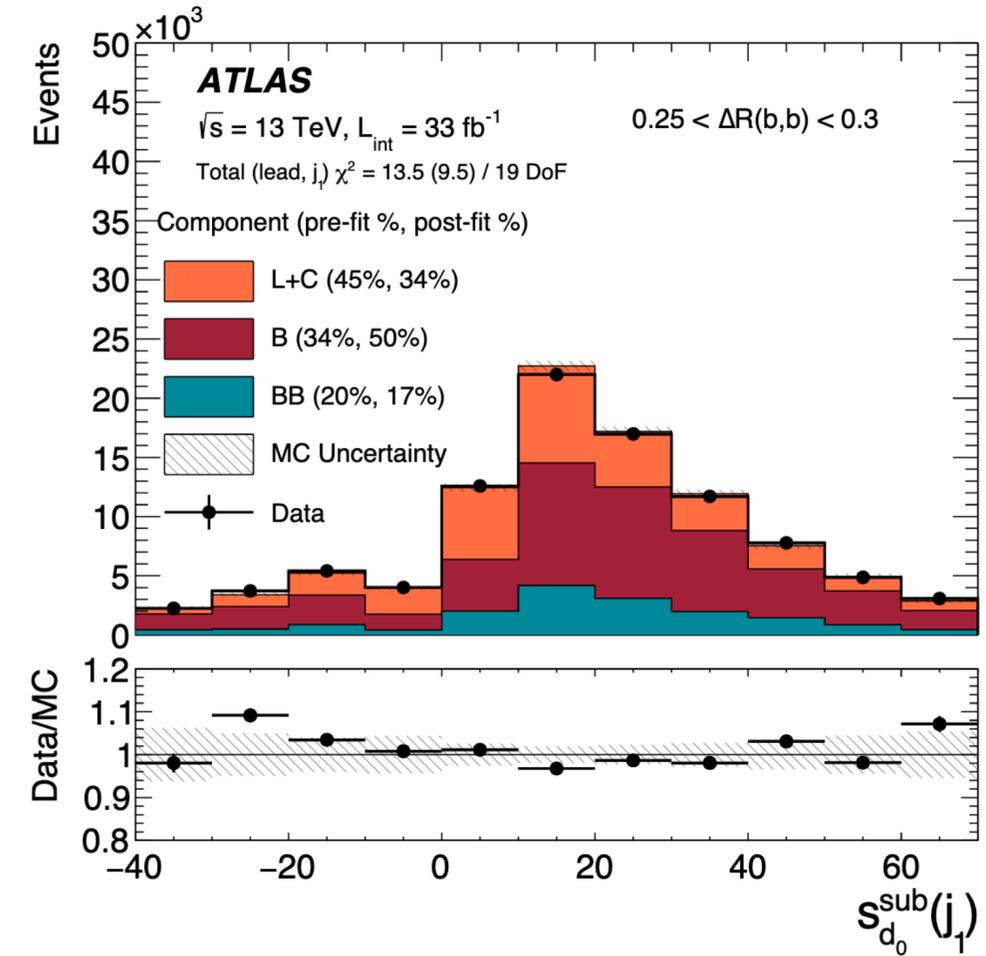
measurement of $g \rightarrow bb$ properties

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- ▶ In particular, focusing on small angular scales, by using b-tagged subjets within large-R jets
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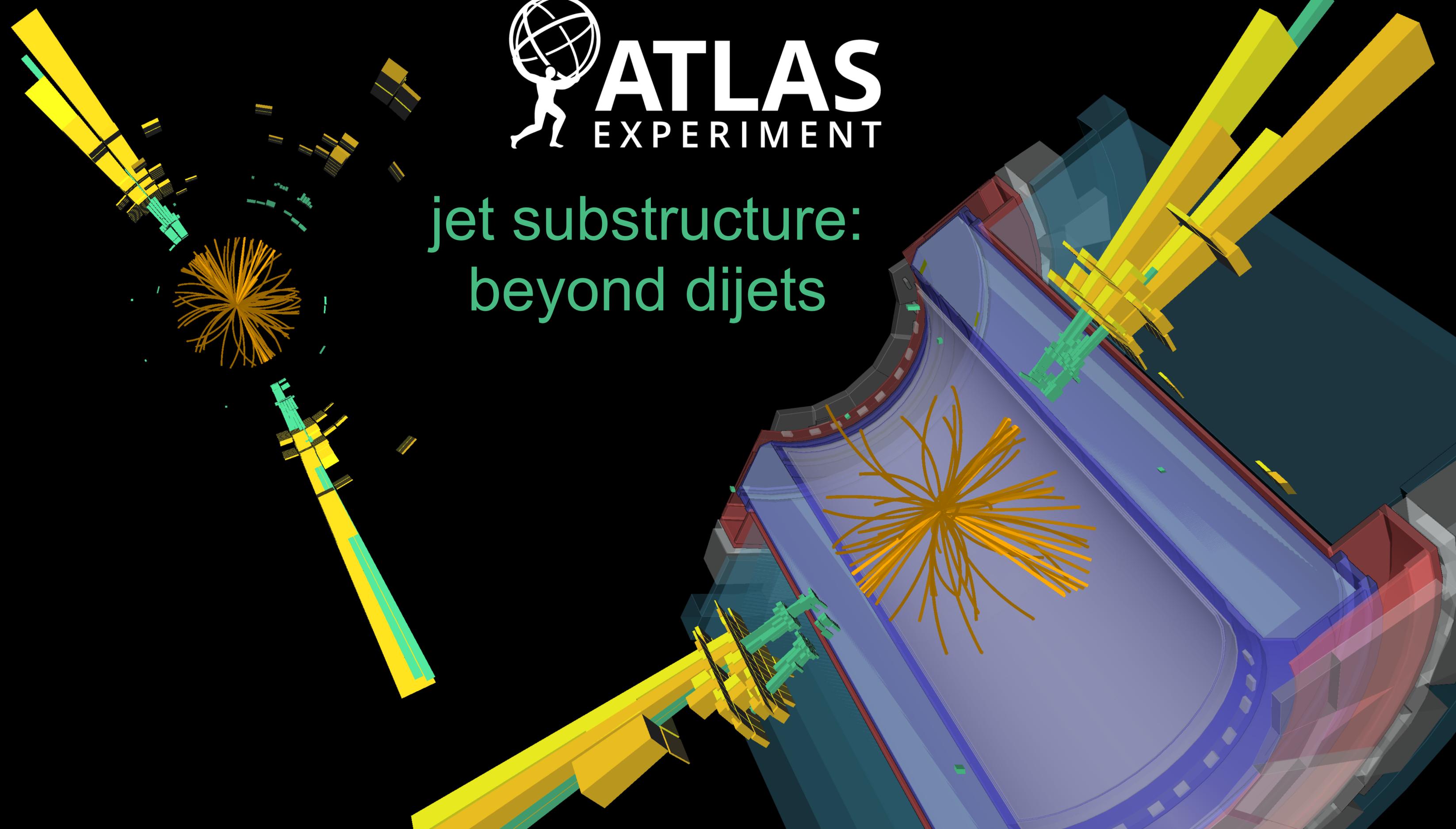
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- ▶ Certain aspects of the gluon fragmentation are not well-modeled by any of the studied MC predictions



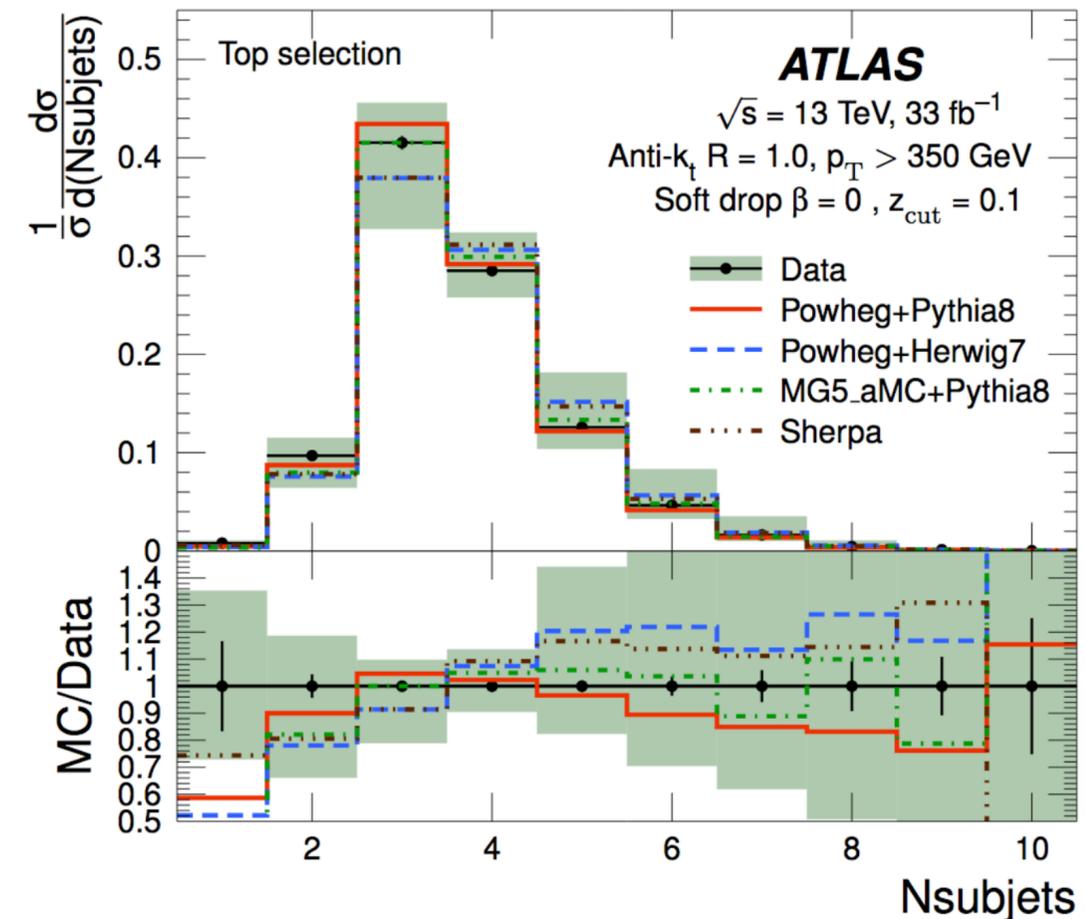
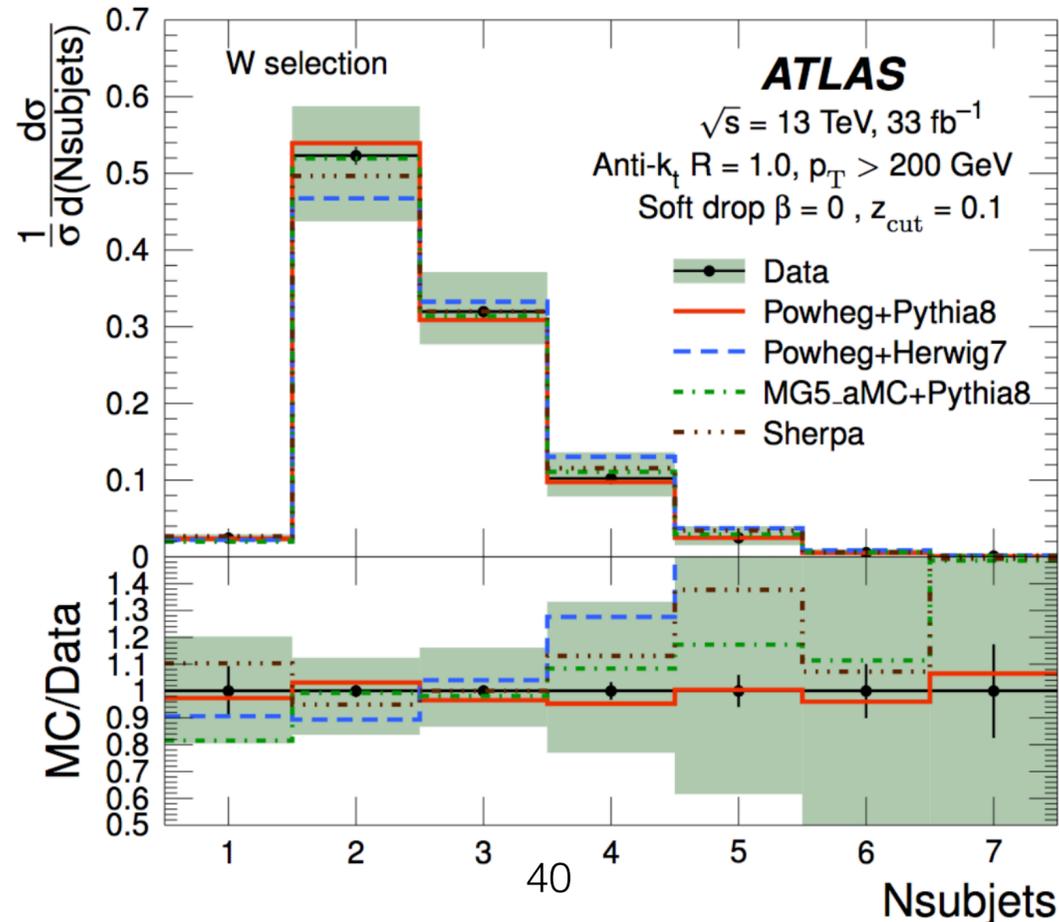
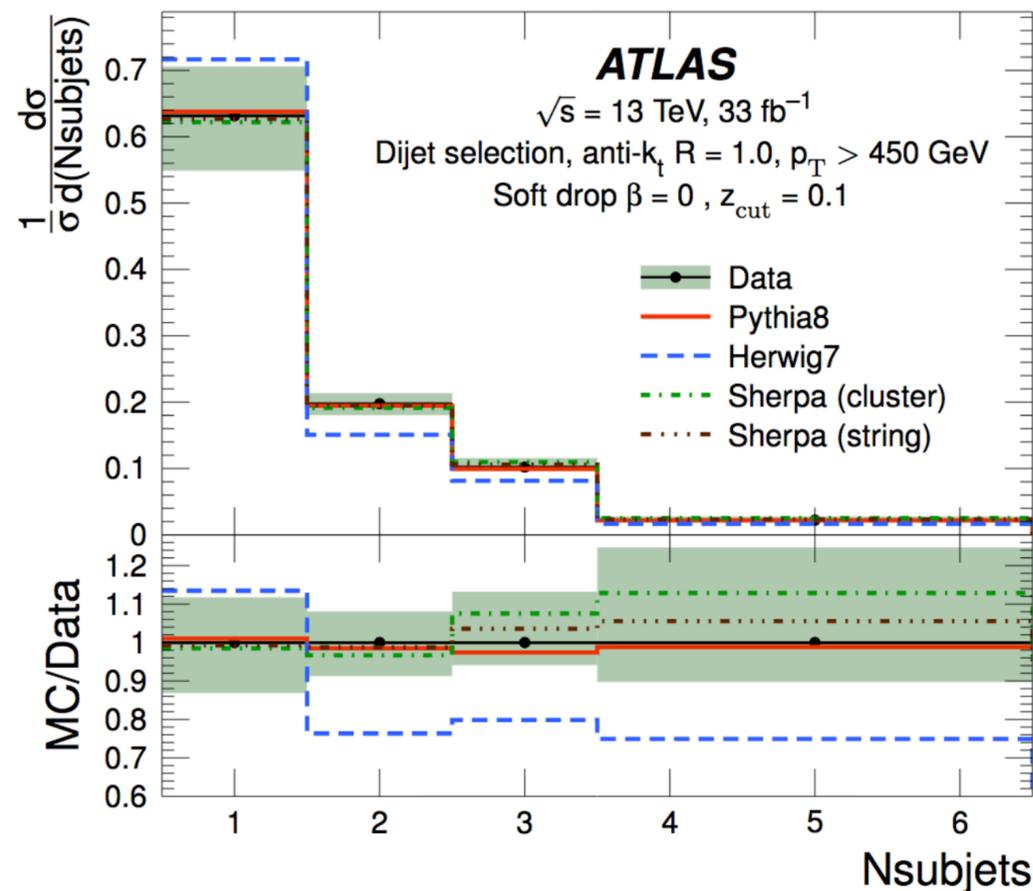
jet substructure:
beyond dijets



jet substructure observables in top quark, W boson, and light jet production

- ▶ Measured a wide range of substructure observables in 3 different topologies
- ▶ Studied observables commonly used for tagging \rightarrow important input for tuning MC generators
- ▶ Measured using cluster-based uncertainties (like the soft drop jet mass)

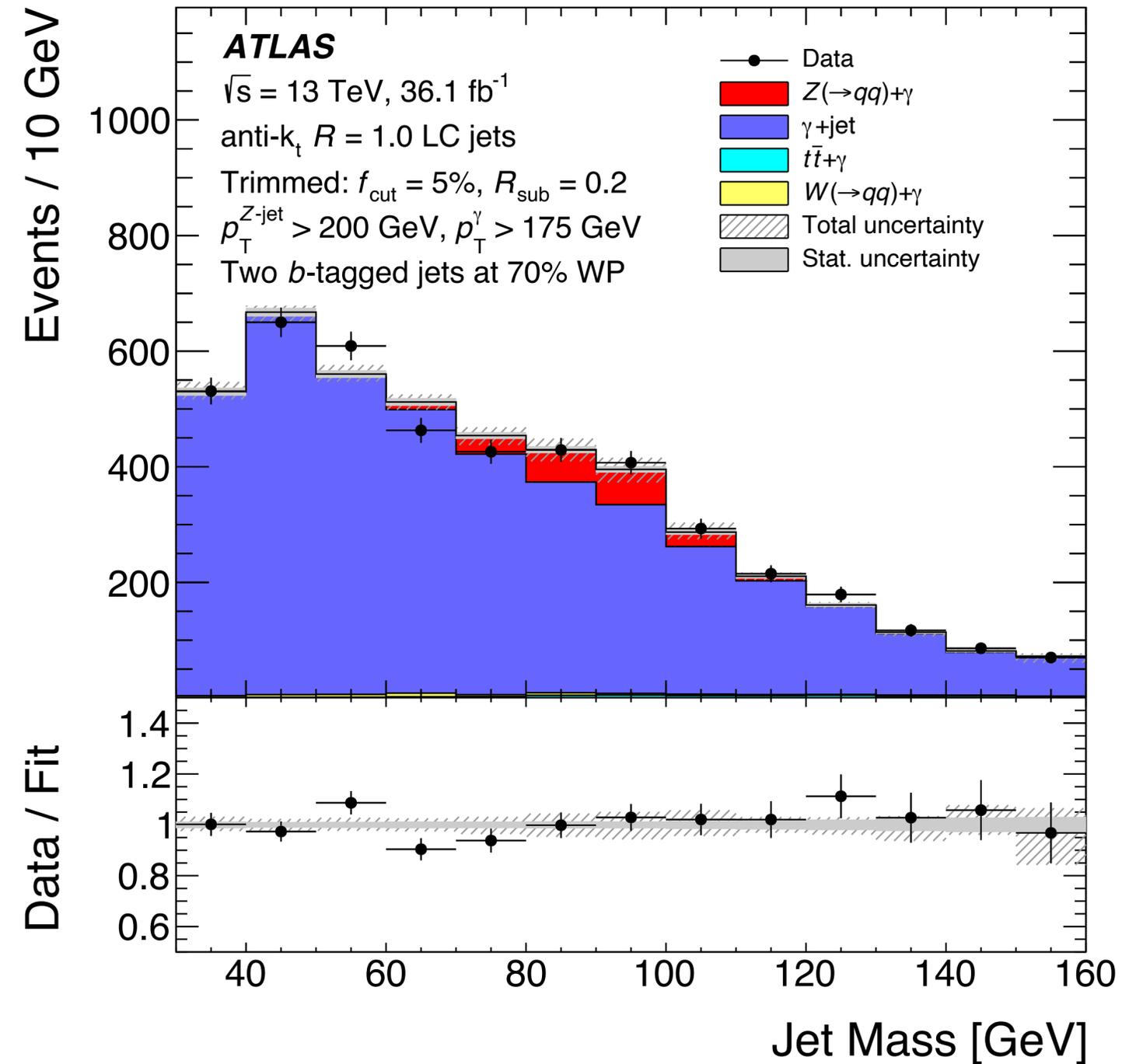
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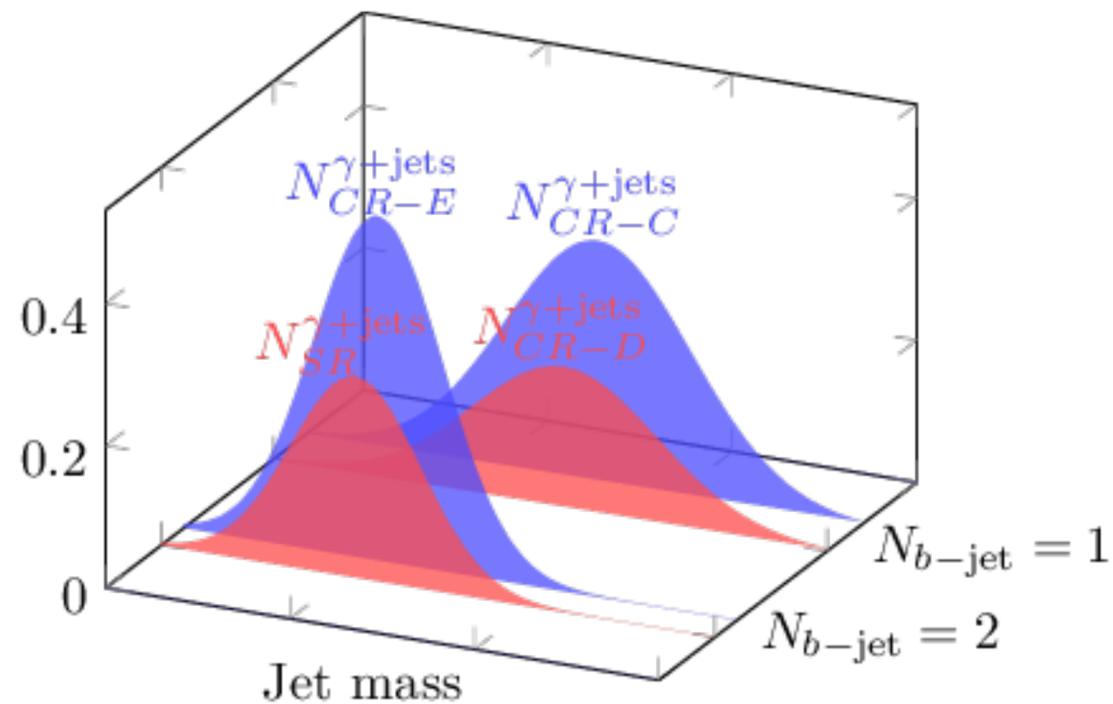
- ▶ First measurement of unfolded jet mass spectrum of hadronically decaying Z bosons at the LHC
- ▶ Important for understanding boosted boson hadronic decays (color singlets)
- ▶ Have measurements of color octet states such as $g \rightarrow bb$



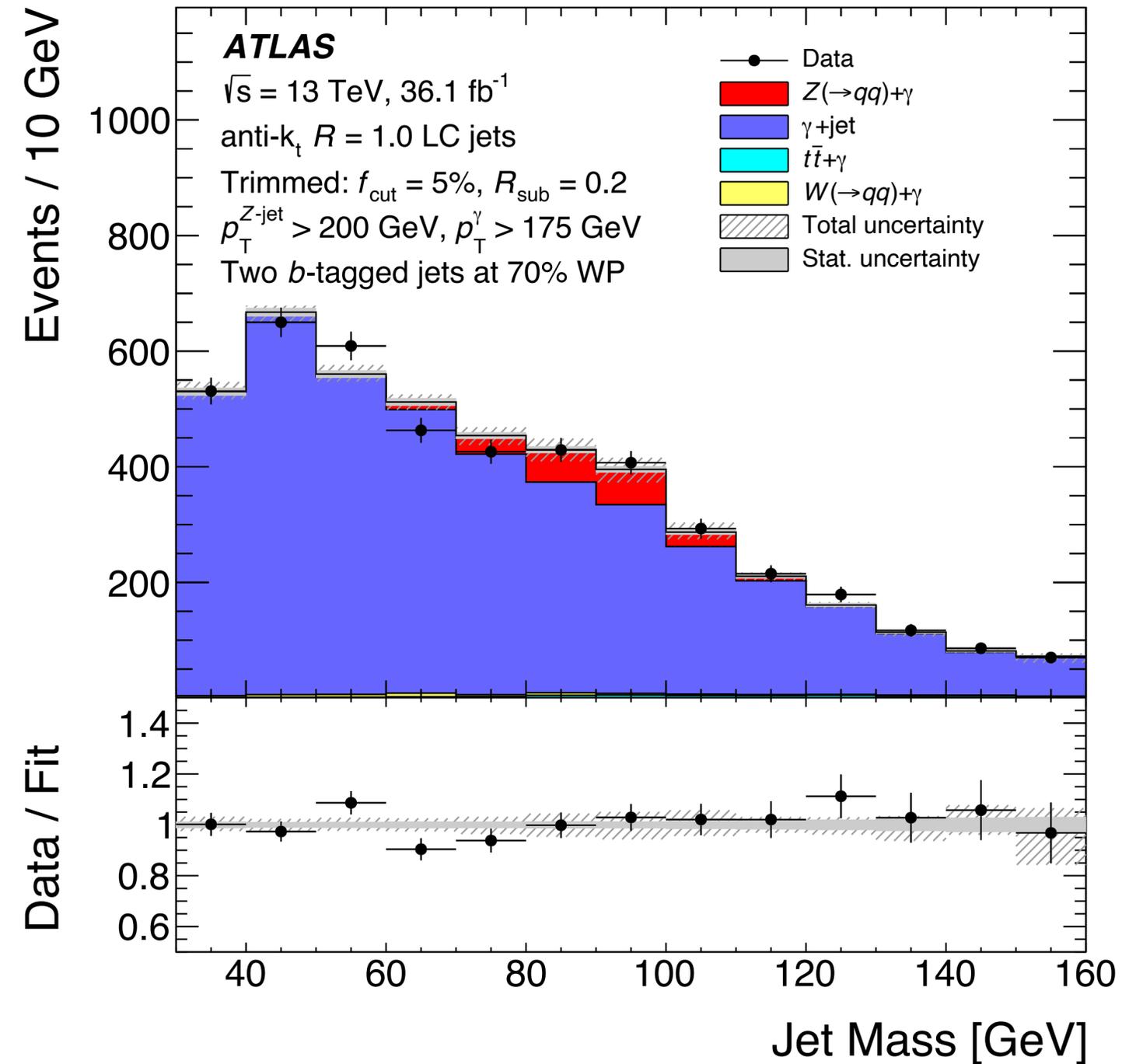
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- Use γ to trigger on events and for background estimation
- Reconstructing both Z boson decay products within a single large-R jet
 - Require two R=0.2 b-tagged subjets to be associated to the large-R jet
- Simultaneously fit signal and background templates to Z(\rightarrow bb) mass distribution

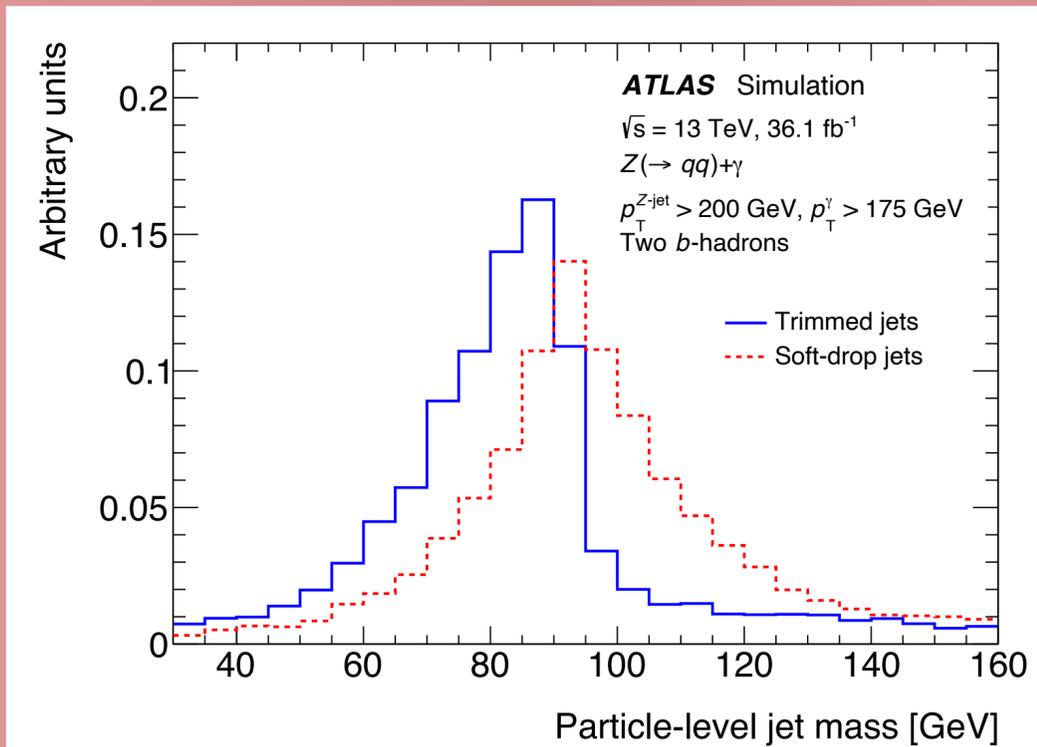


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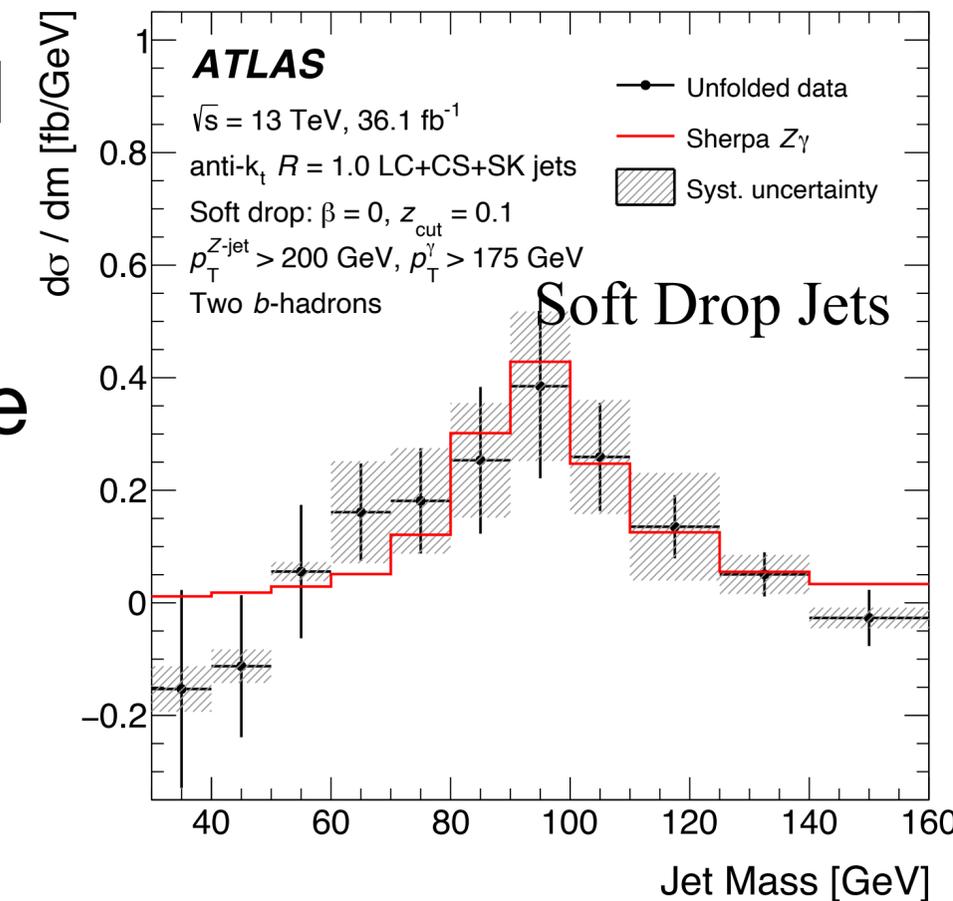
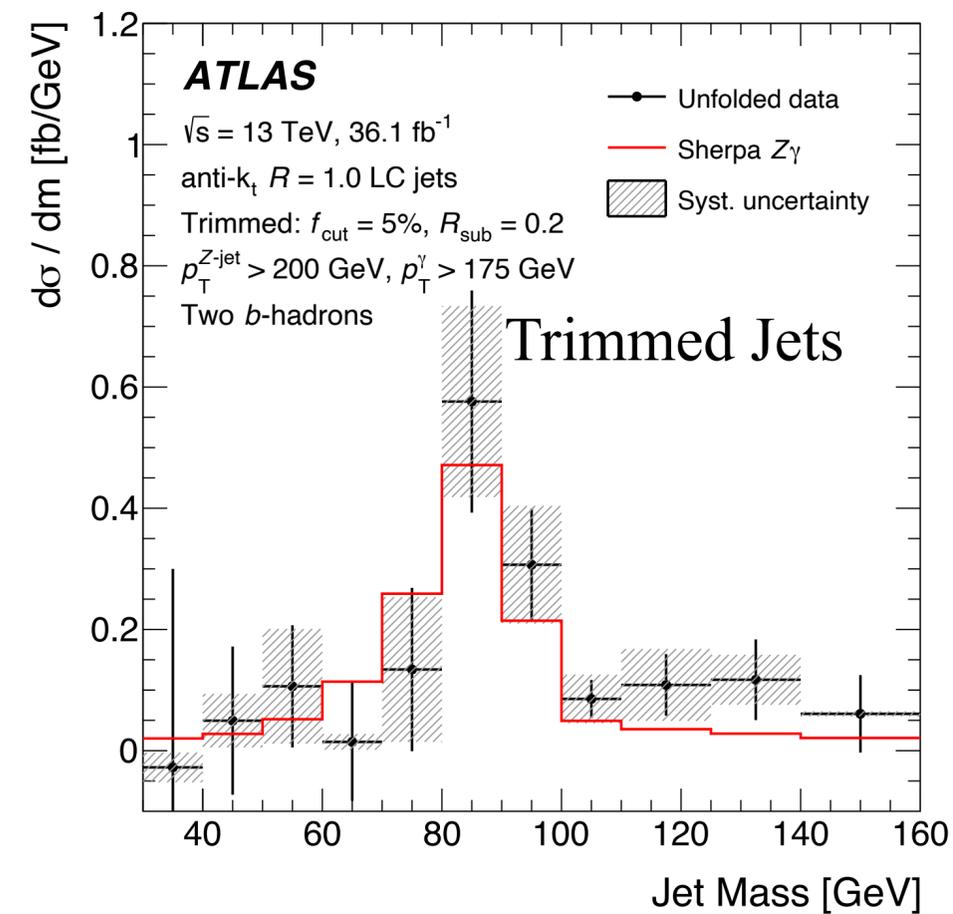


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- ▶ Measuring with both Soft Drop and trimmed jets
- ▶ Mass distributions have different shapes, even at particle level
- ▶ Applied pileup mitigation (Constituent Subtraction + SoftKiller) to Soft Drop jets due to pileup instabilities

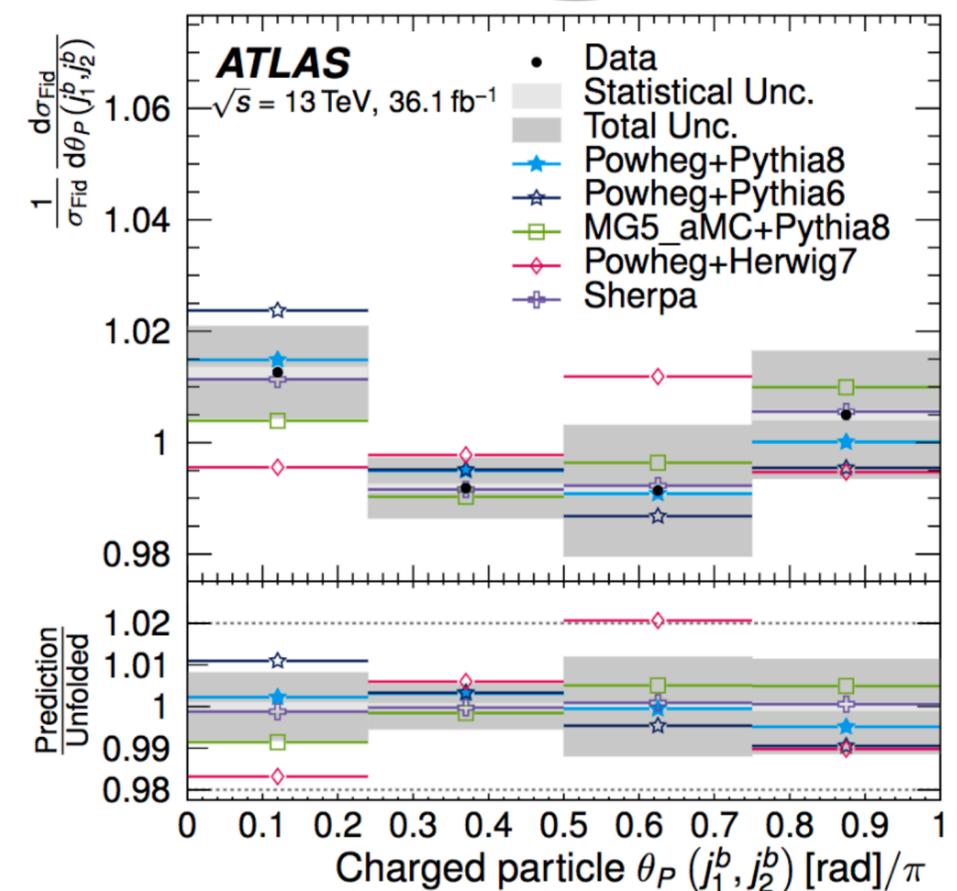
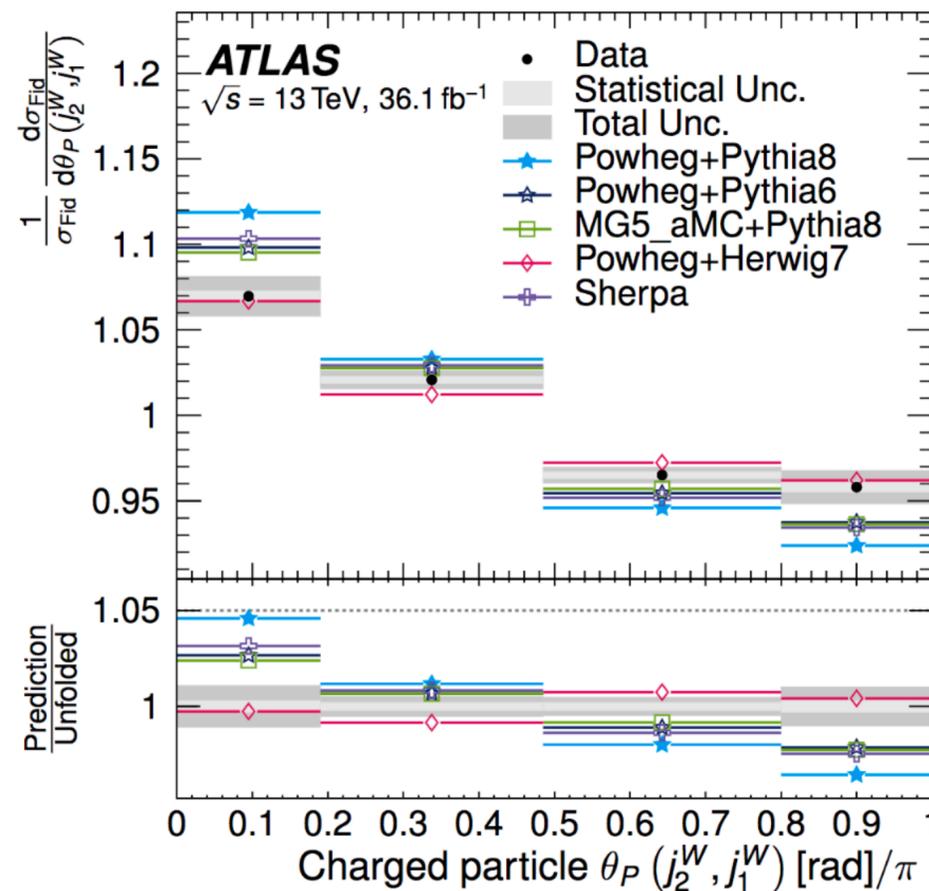
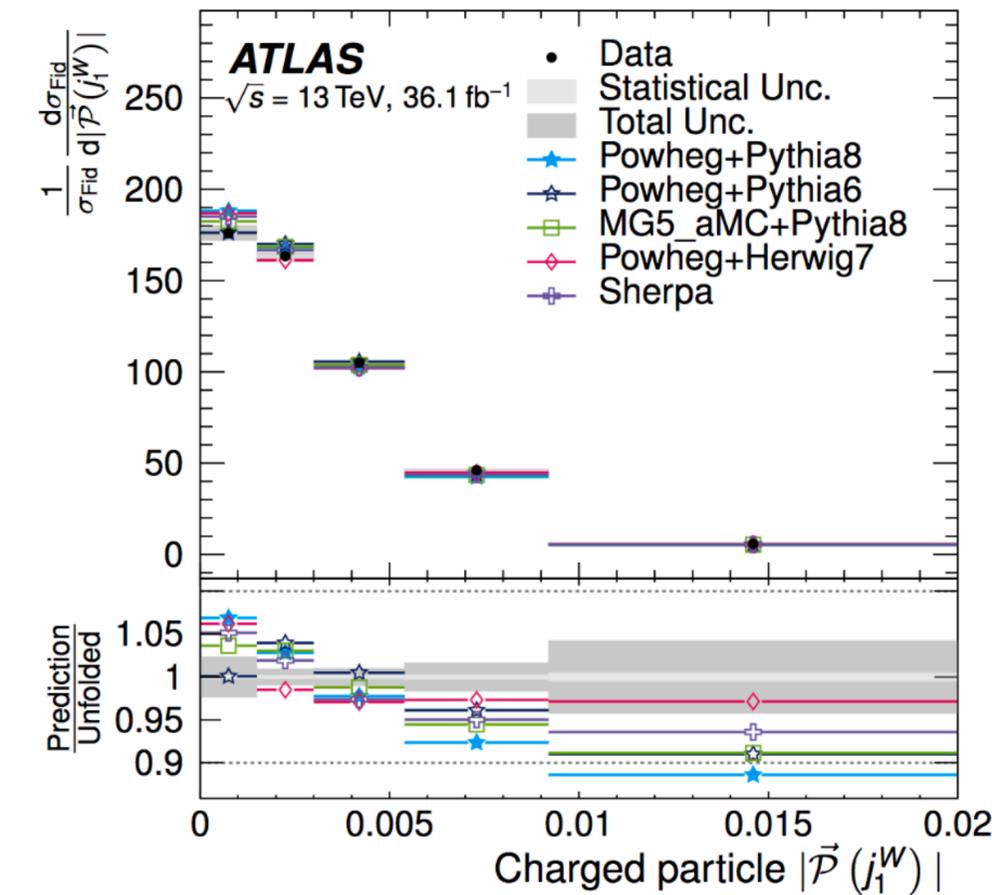
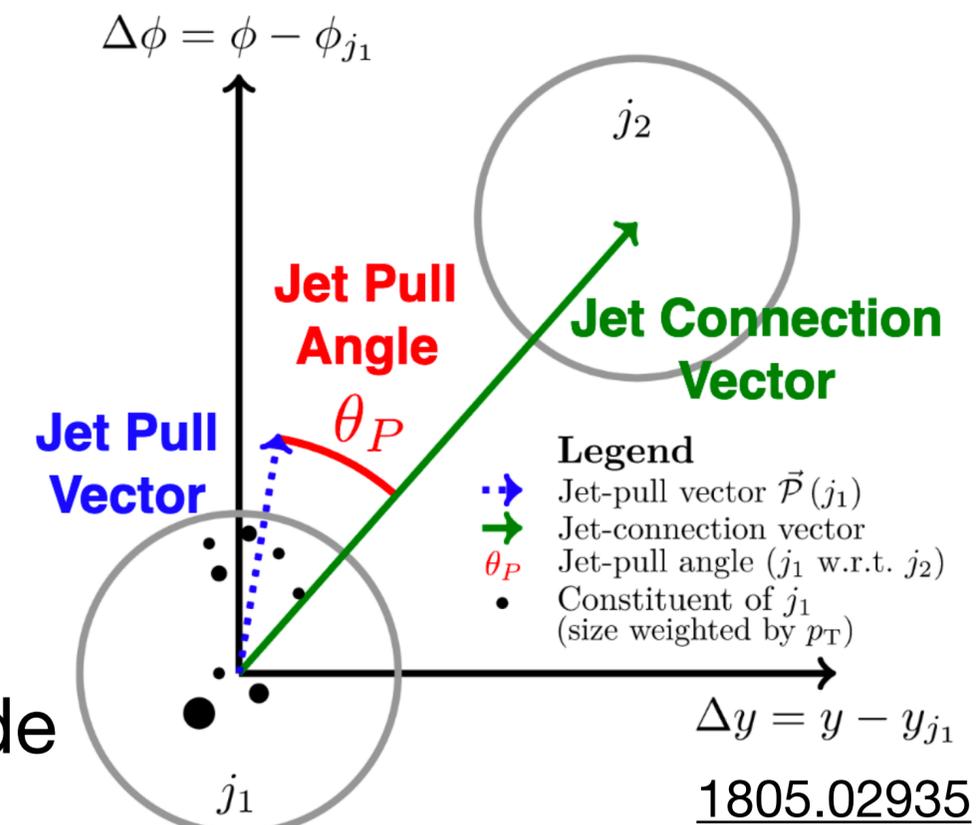


- ▶ Z decay products are captured within a single large-R jet
- ▶ Jet mass distribution unfolded to particle level after background subtraction
- ▶ Able to reconstruct the shape of both distributions



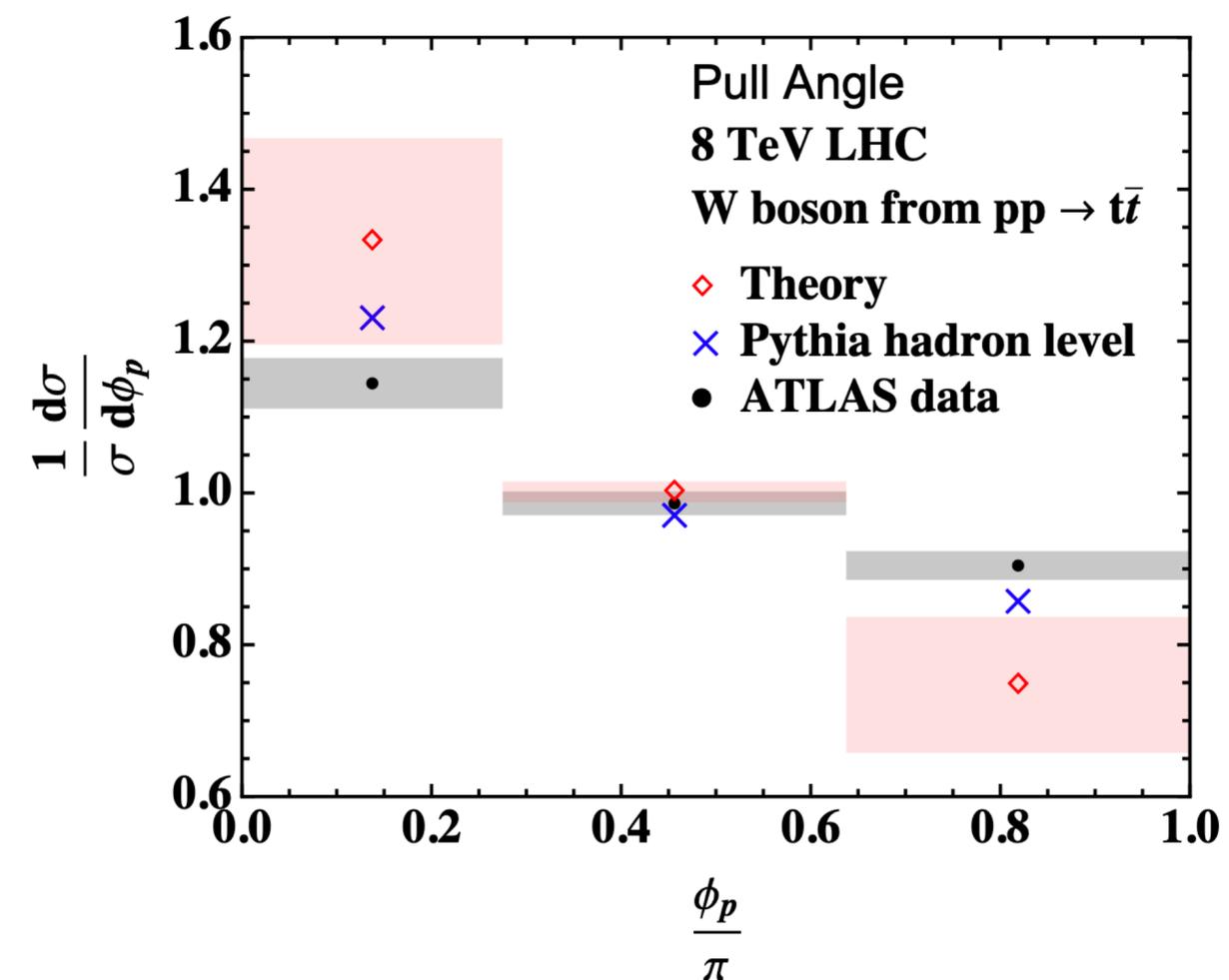
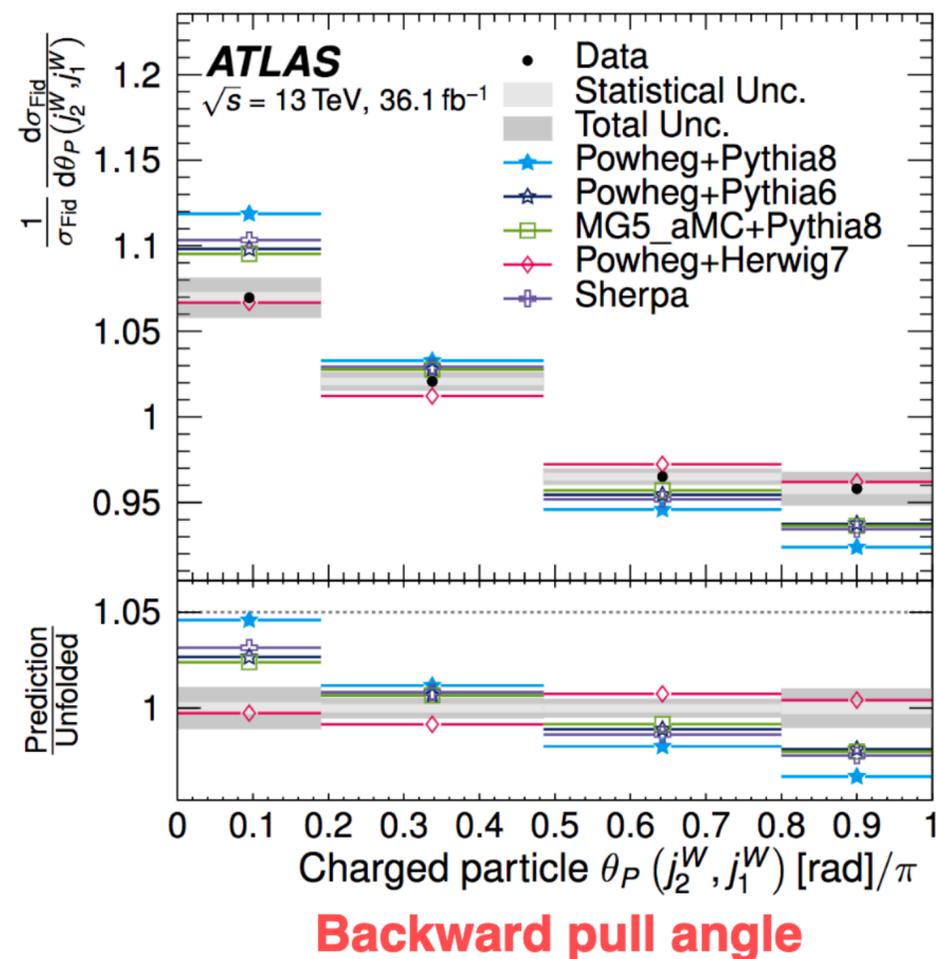
measurement of the jet pull

- ▶ The jet pull is sensitive to color connection in QCD
- ▶ ttbar events can contain both color connected and non-connected jets
- ▶ No prediction is able to model both the pull angle and magnitude



measurement of the jet pull

- ▶ The jet pull is not infra-red and collinear safe, but is Sudakov safe
- ▶ *Note that the theory is compared to a different measurement of the jet pull*
- ▶ Demonstrates the potential of theoretical predictions for a broader class of observables

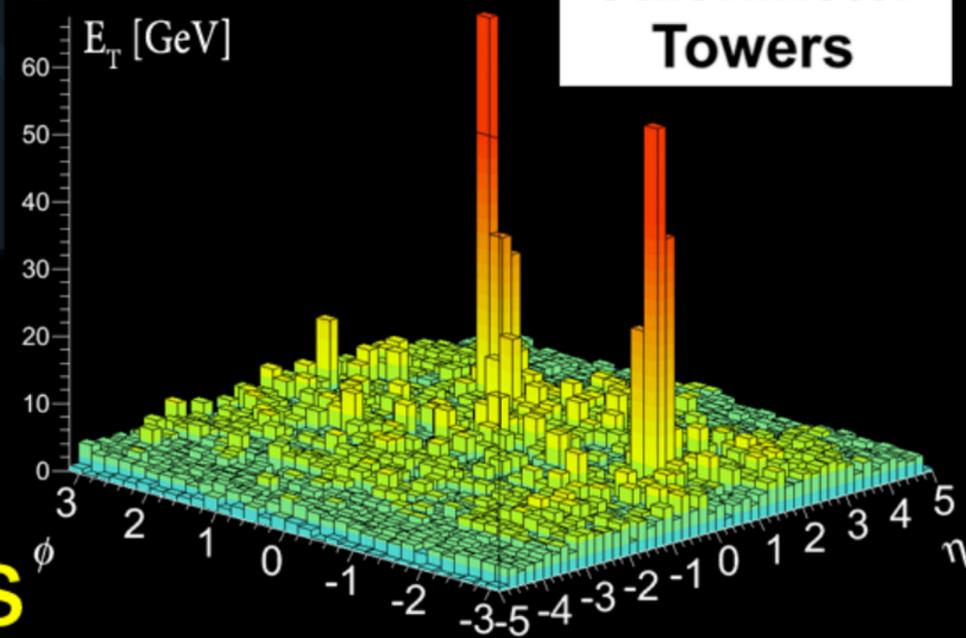
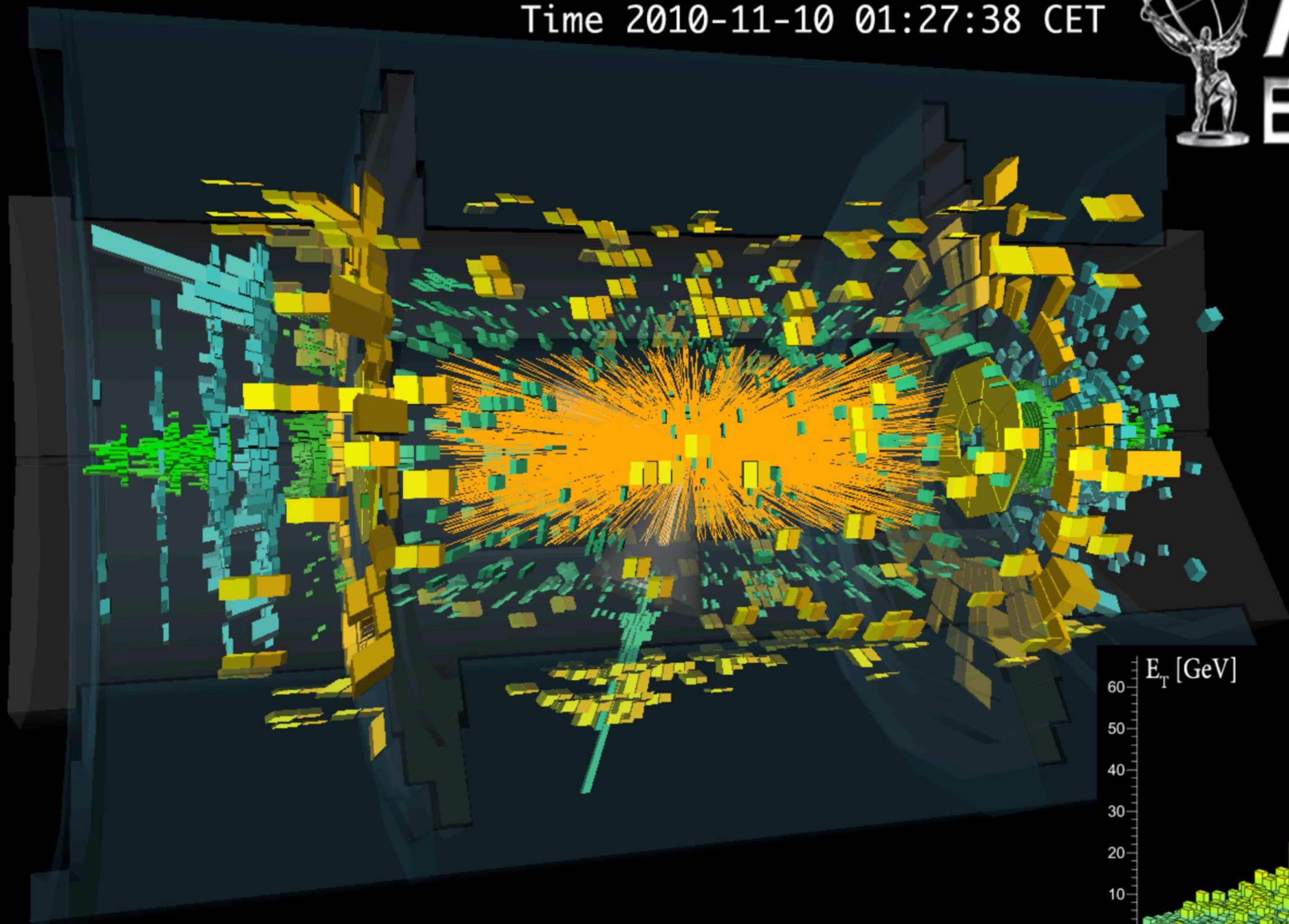


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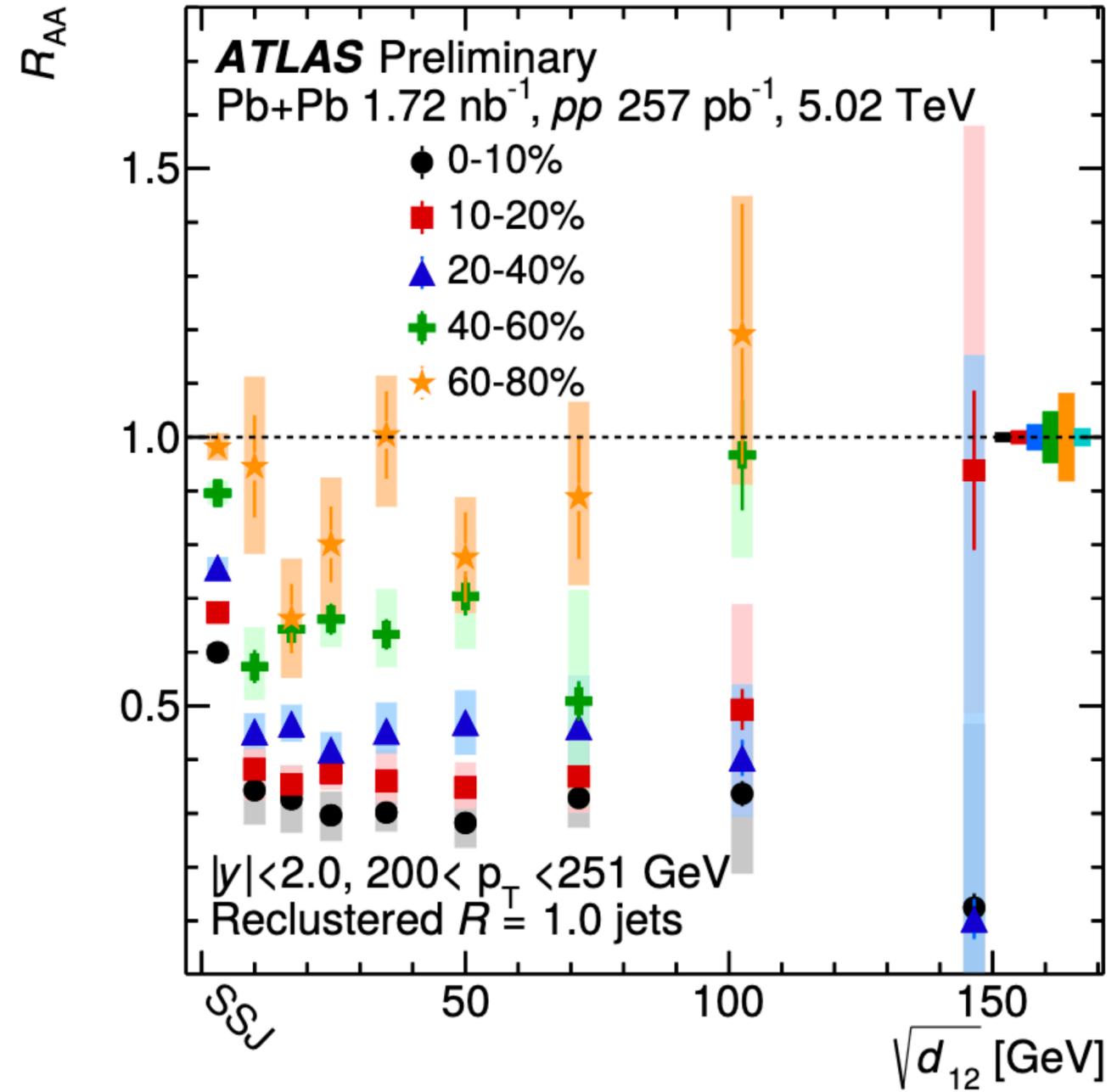
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Heavy Ion Collision Event with 2 Jets

substructure in heavy ions

- ▶ Studies of jet substructure help provide insight into jet quenching
- ▶ Recent measurement uses *reclustered* large-R jets in order to probe larger angular scales
- ▶ Measuring $\sqrt{d_{12}} = \min(p_{T1}, p_{T2}) \times \Delta R_{12}$
- ▶ More suppression seen for jets with complex substructure (more than one subjet)
- ▶ Reclustered jets are sensitive to different effects than other recent measurements of substructure in heavy ions
- ▶ Different behavior seen from different measurements → need better understanding of substructure in heavy ions



concluding thoughts

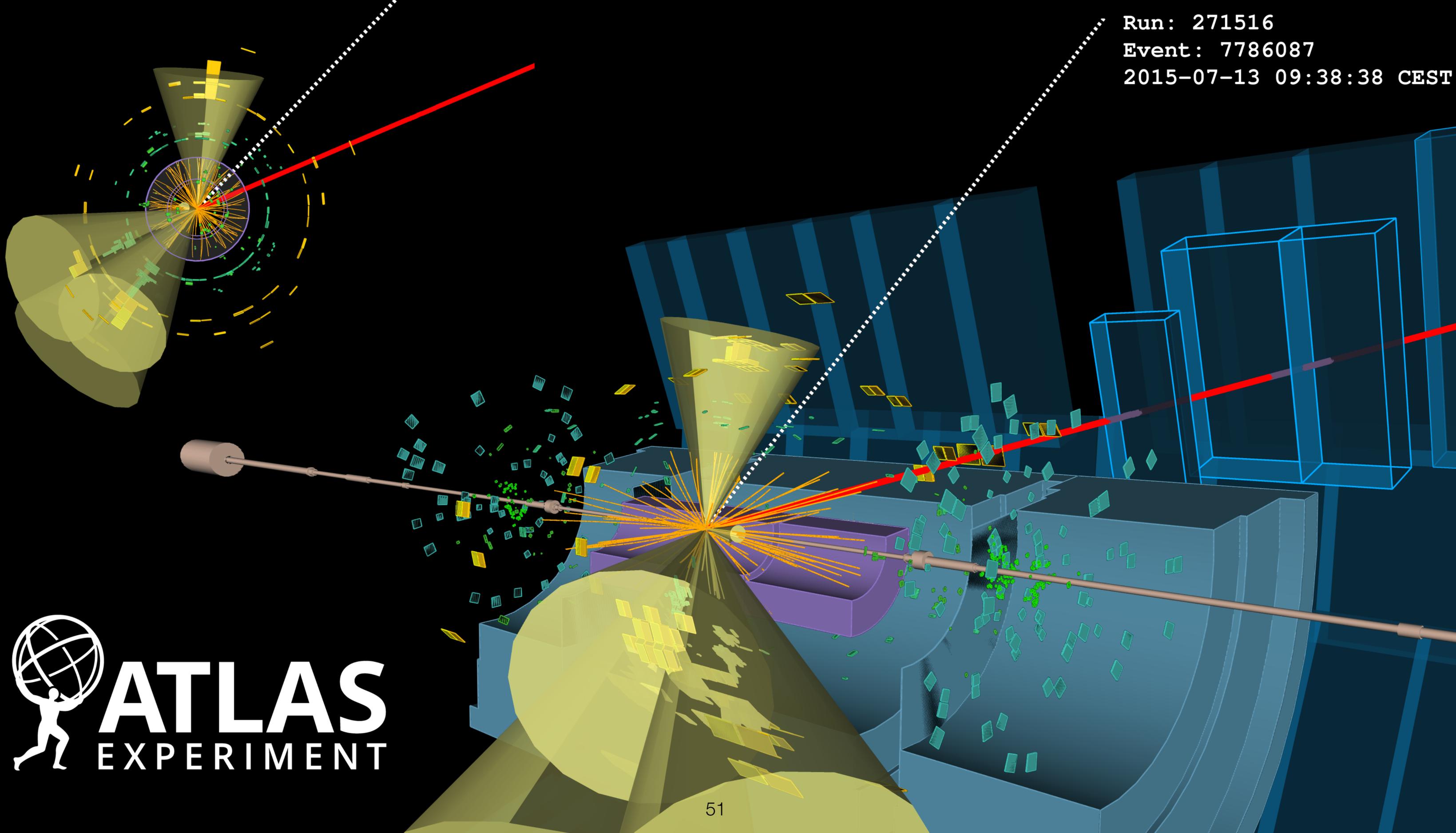
- ▶ ***We are entering a new era of precision jet substructure***
 - ▶ Measurement of the jet mass demonstrates experimental and theoretical understanding of jet substructure
 - ▶ Opens the door for many precision measurements of substructure observables like the strong coupling constant or the top quark mass
- ▶ ***Understanding of jets is critical to the physics program at the LHC***
 - ▶ Factorizable observables like the Lund jet plane provide powerful ways of understanding jet modeling
 - ▶ Improving modeling of gluons can have significant impact on the overall physics program at the LHC
 - ▶ Object reconstruction is critical to producing high-quality measurements of jet substructure

concluding thoughts

- ▶ ***Substructure measurements are useful for understanding a broad range of phenomena***
 - ▶ Covers everything from understanding hadronization, parton showers, color connection, behavior of color singlets, and more
- ▶ ***Collaboration between theorists and experimentalists is essential***
 - ▶ Using tracks can be helpful experimentally, but need better understanding of how to address this theoretically
 - ▶ Lots of progress towards predictions of different types of substructure observables, and in different topologies

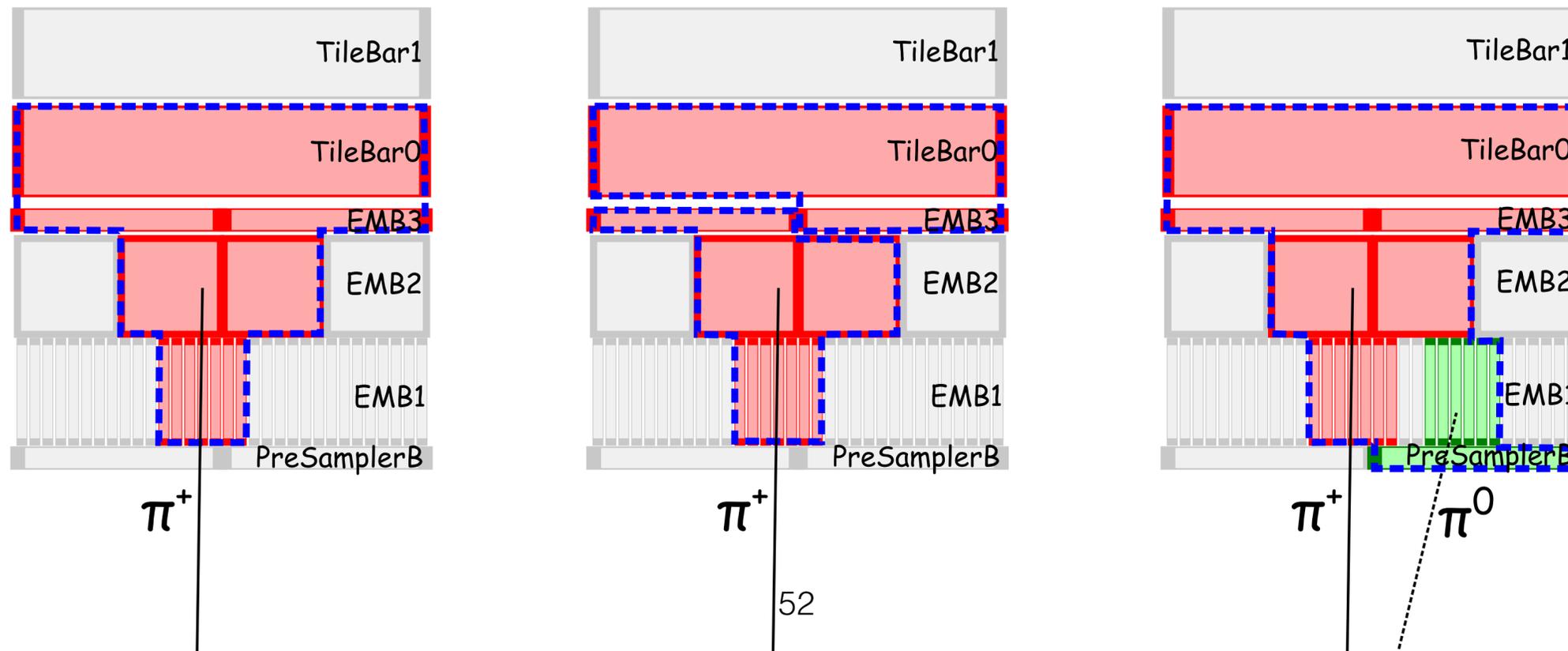
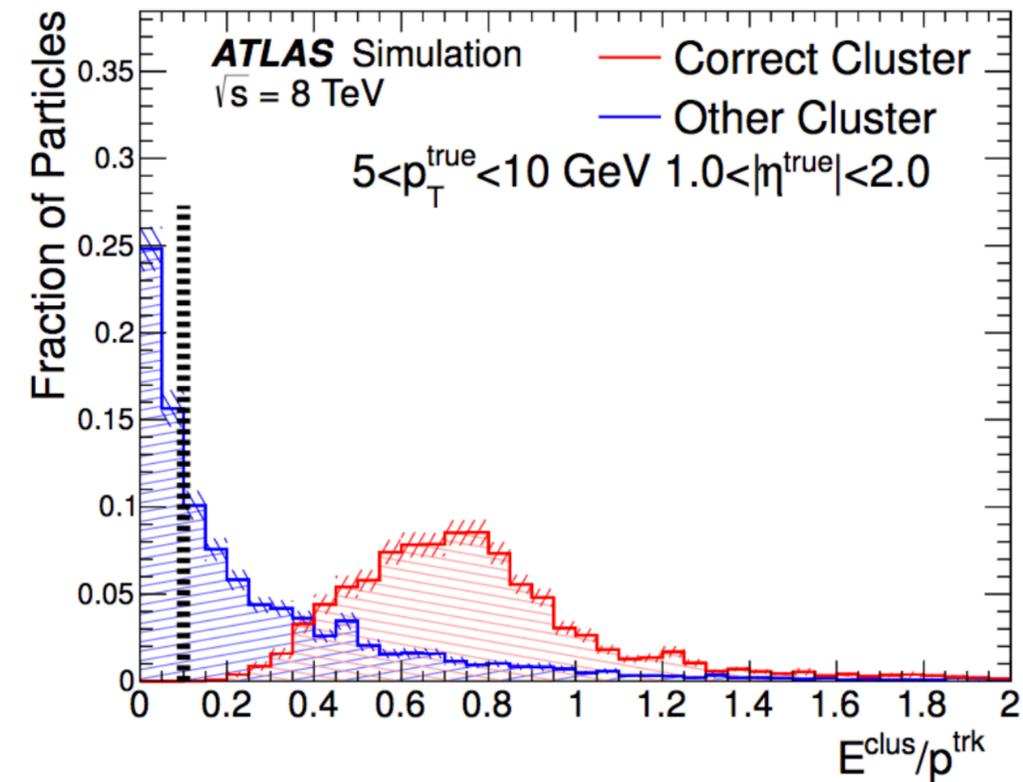
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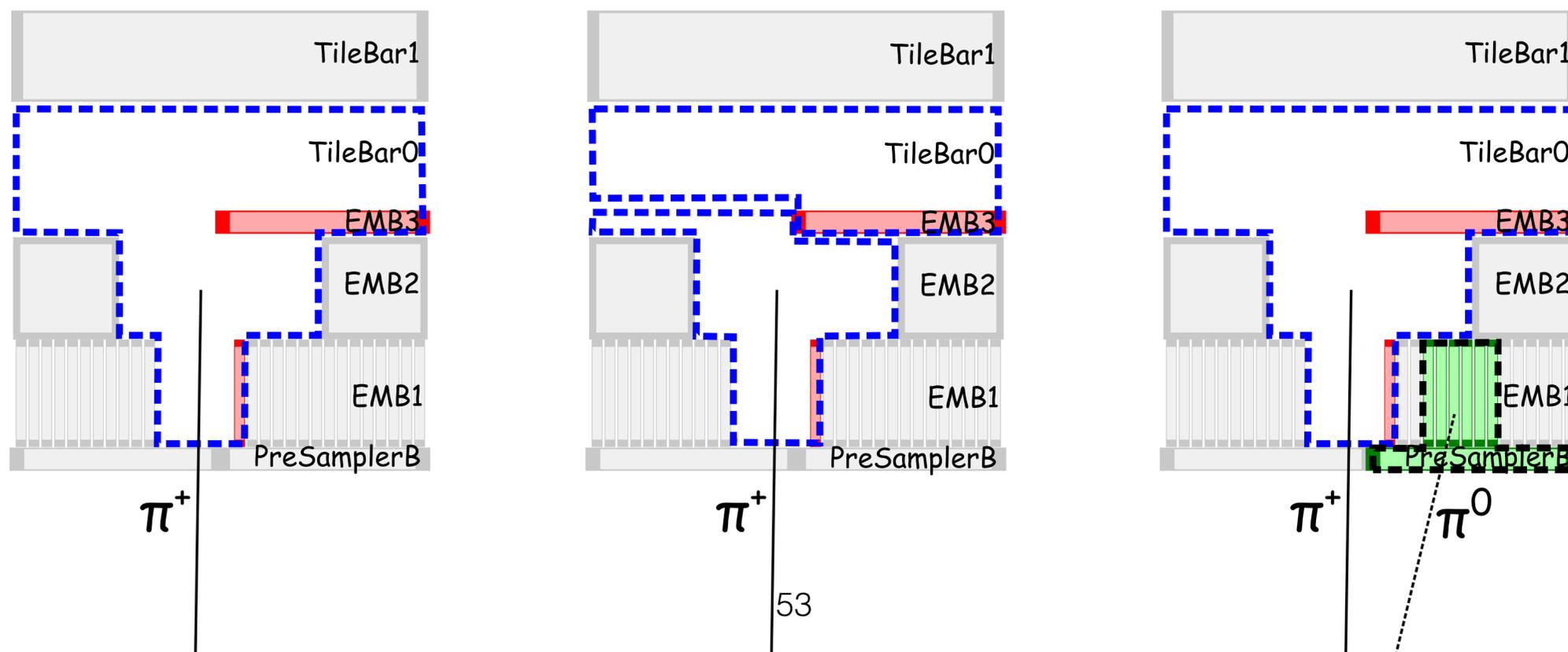
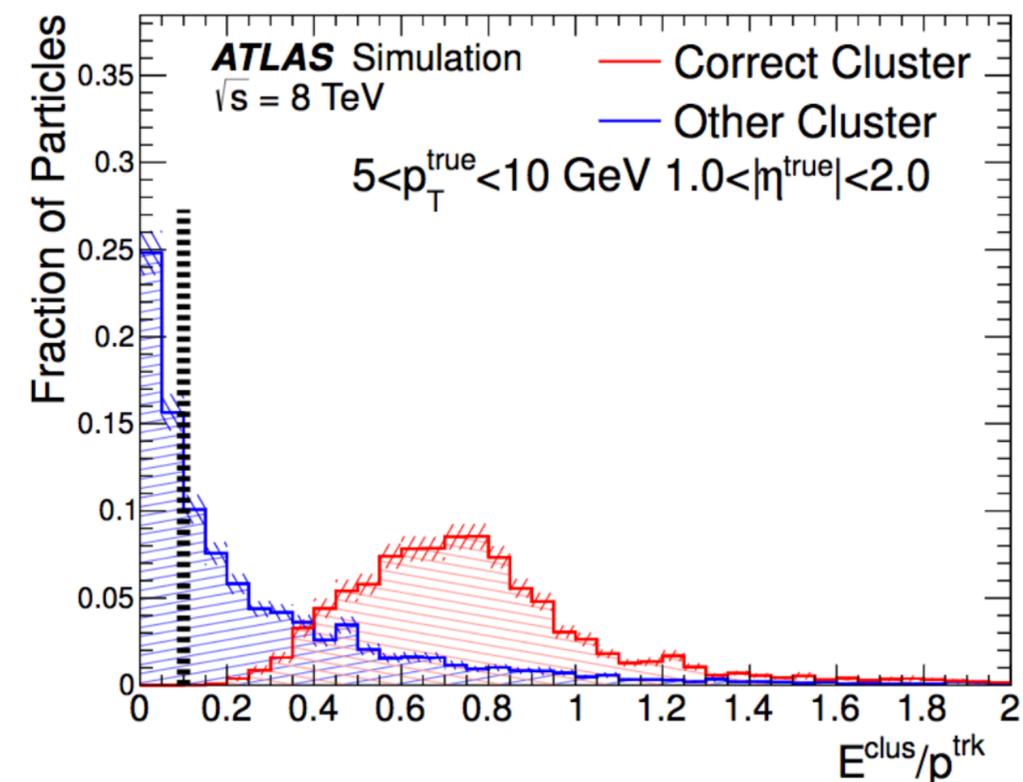
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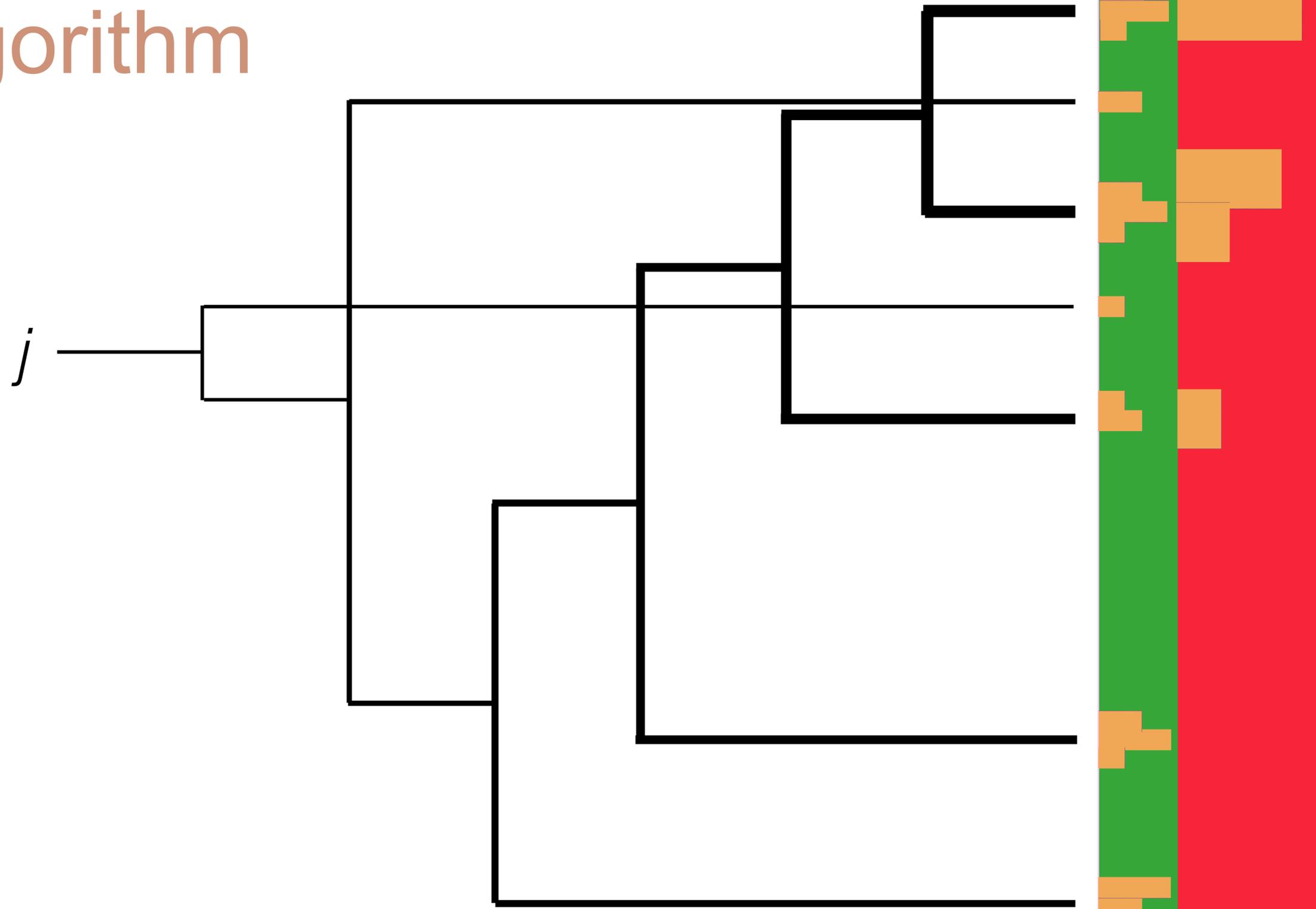
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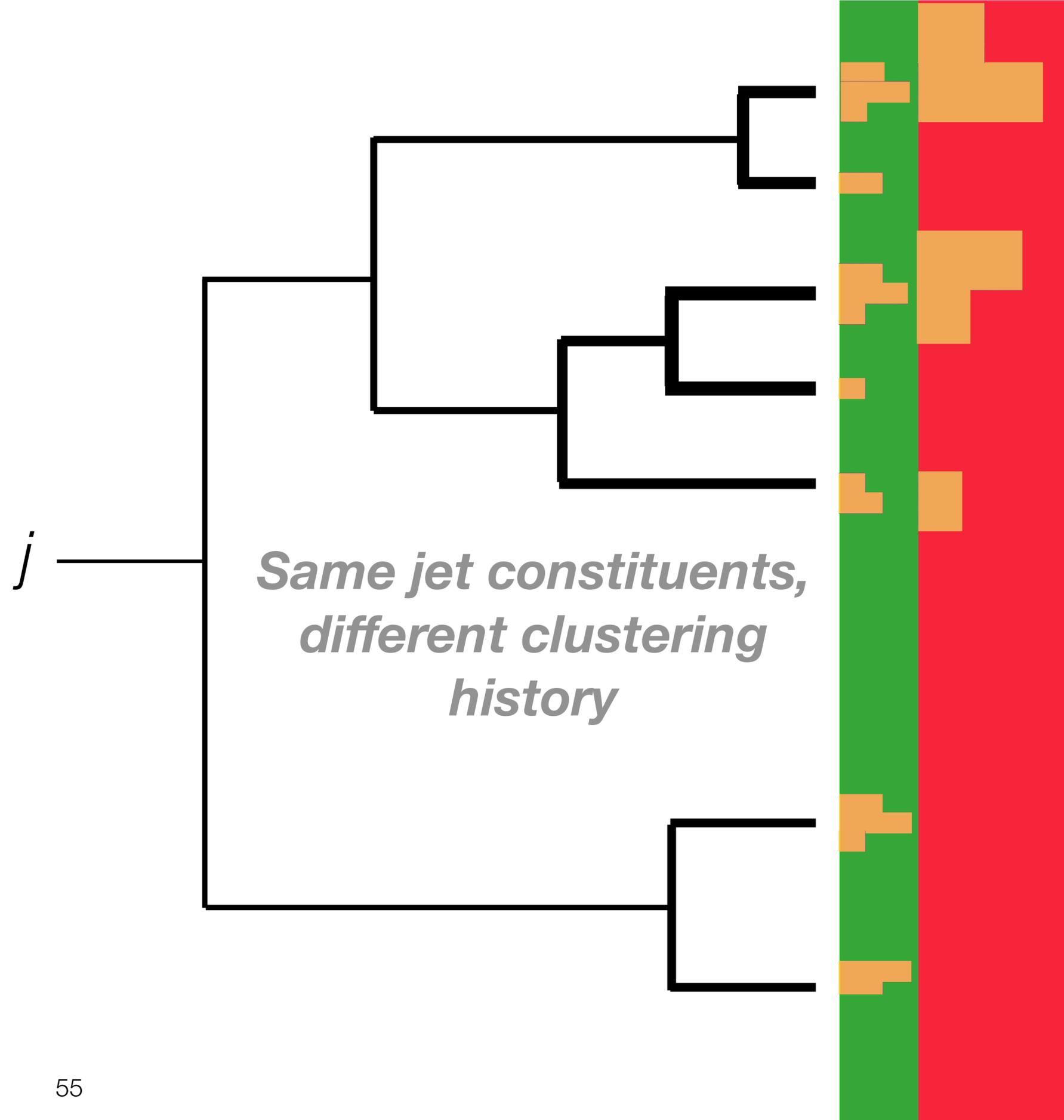
the soft drop algorithm

- ▶ Run jet finding using the **anti- k_t** algorithm



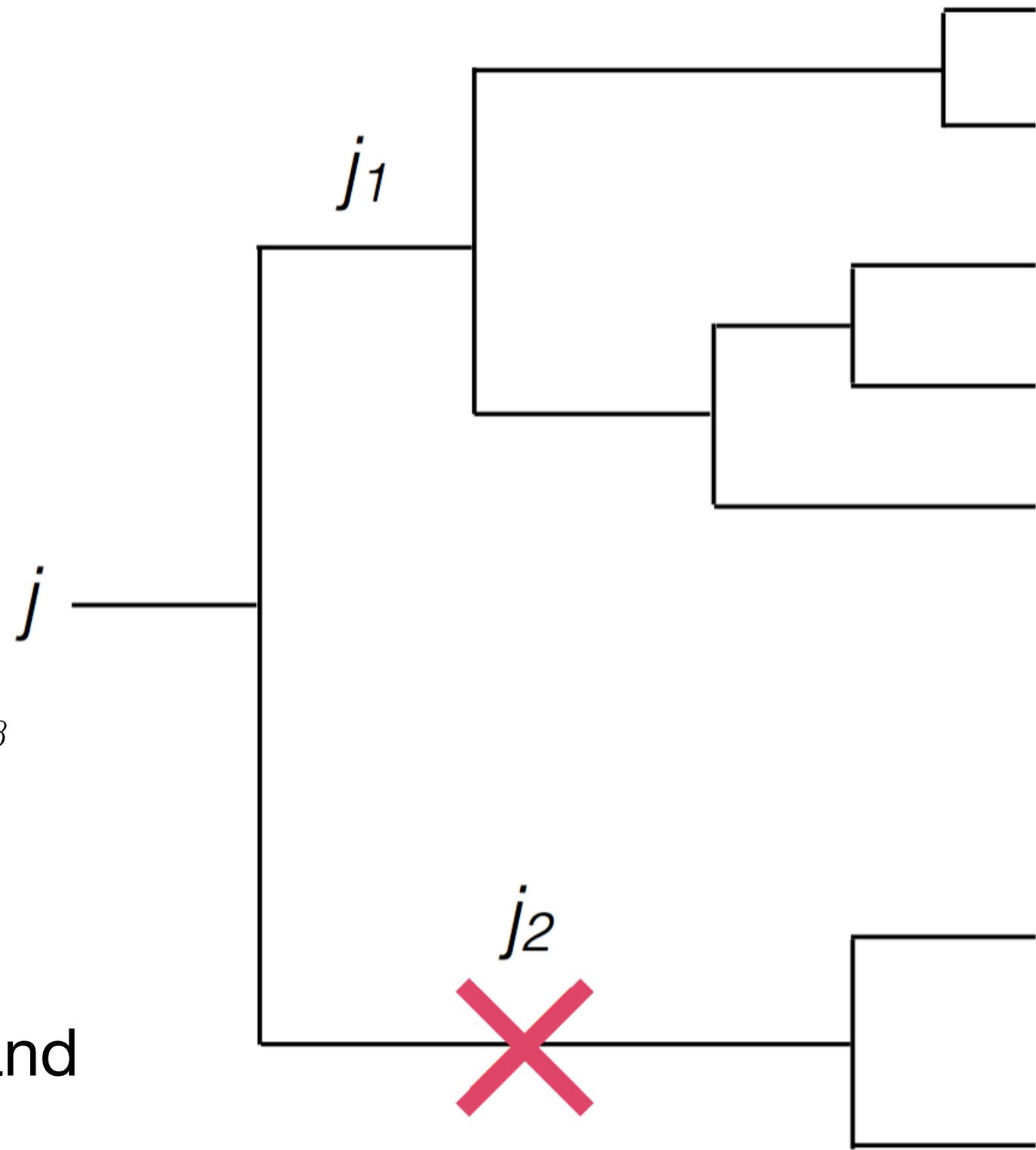
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- ▶ Recluster its constituents with the Cambridge/Aachen algorithm to get an **angular-ordered shower history**



the soft drop algorithm

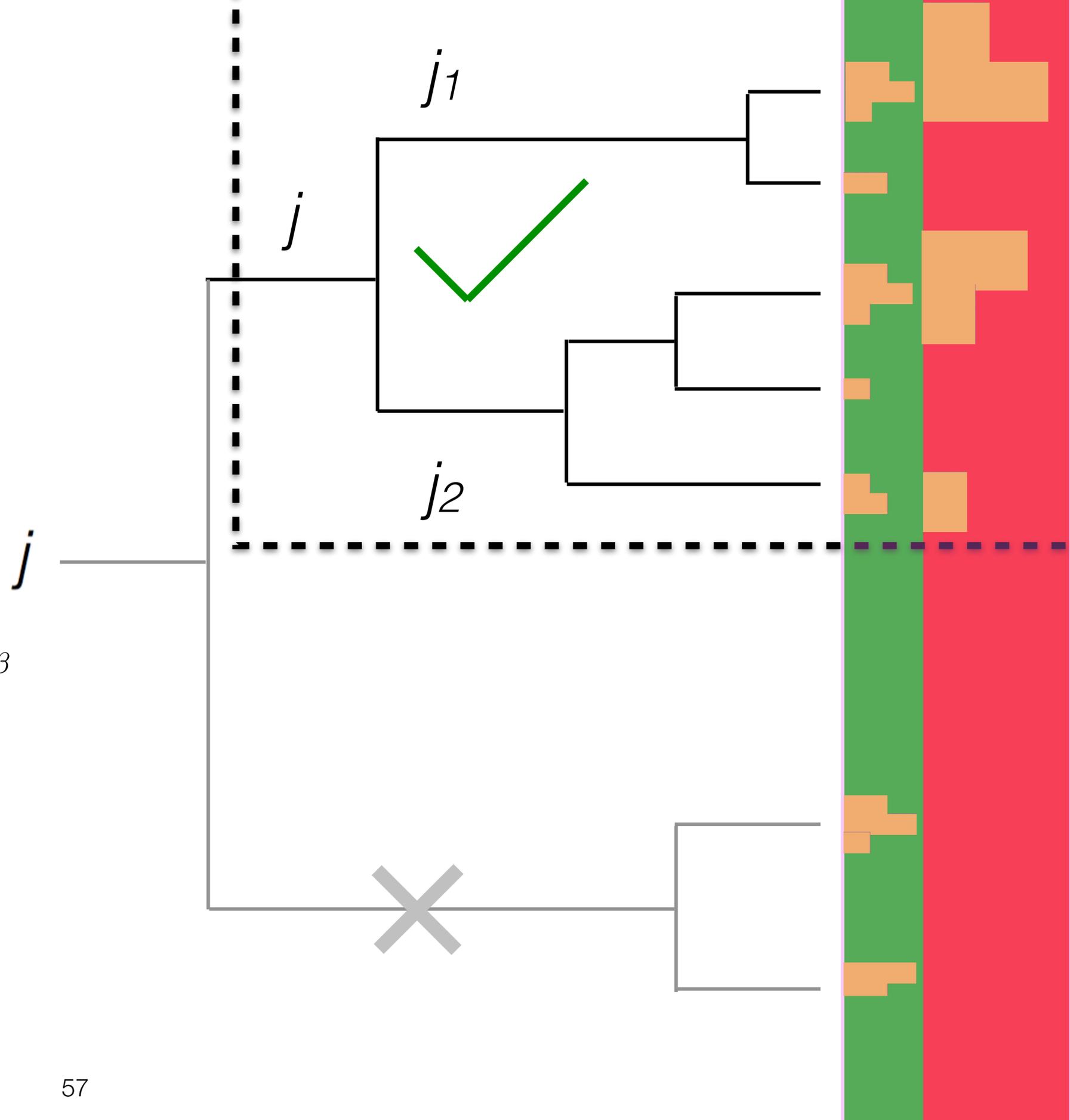
- ▶ Check if $\frac{\min(p_{T,j1}, p_{T,j2})}{(p_{T,j1} + p_{T,j2})} > z_{cut} \left(\frac{\Delta R_{j1,j2}}{R} \right)^\beta$
- ▶ If not, drop the softer branch ($j2$), and repeat with the harder branch ($j1$)



the soft drop algorithm

- ▶ Check if $\frac{\min(p_{T,j_1}, p_{T,j_2})}{(p_{T,j_1} + p_{T,j_2})} > z_{cut} \left(\frac{\Delta R_{j_1, j_2}}{R} \right)^\beta$

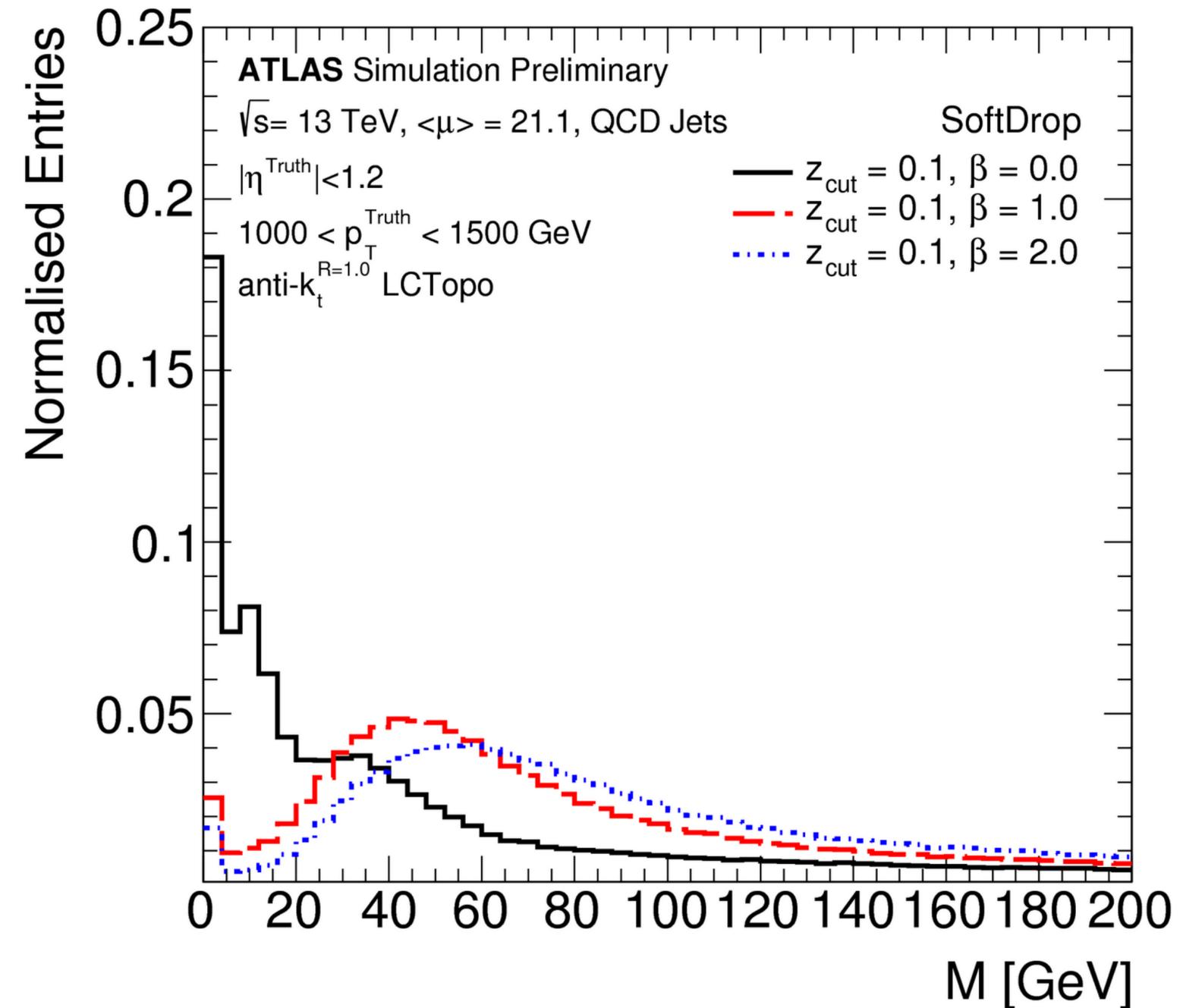
- ▶ If so, stop grooming, and the jet is defined



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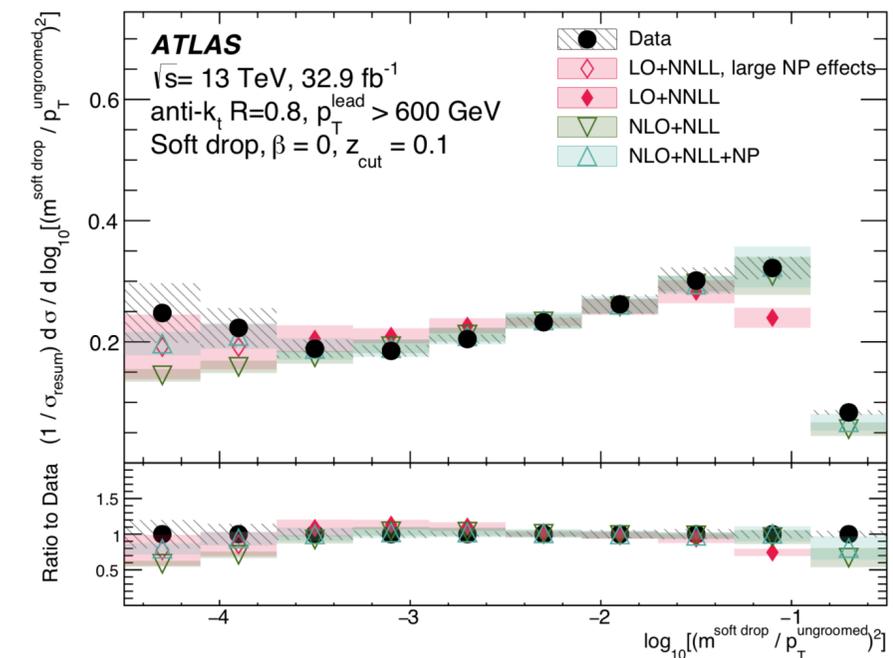
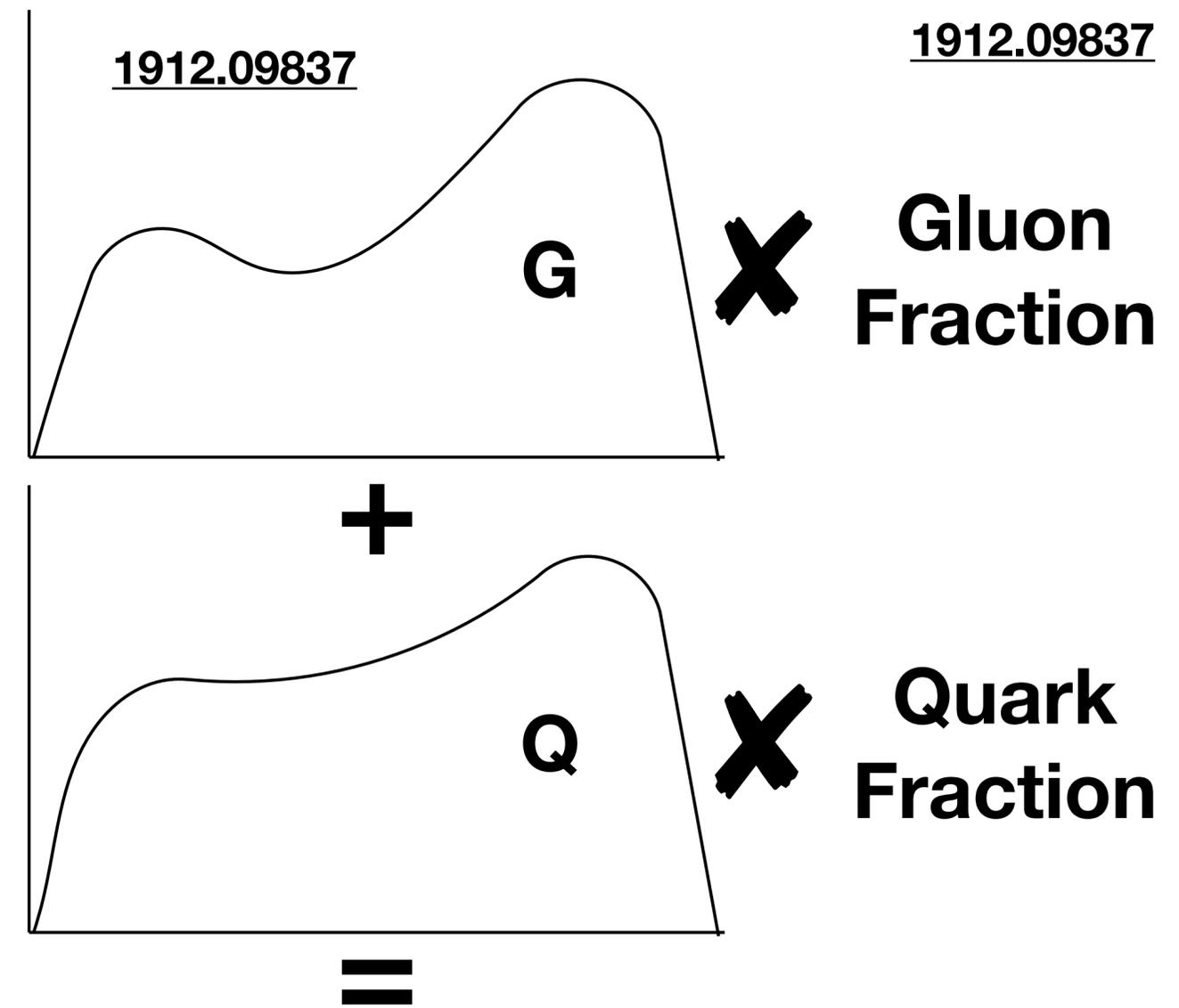
- ▶ Two free parameters: z_{cut} and β
- ▶ z_{cut} sets the **scale of energy removal**
- ▶ Larger values of z_{cut} mean the more of the jet is groomed away
- ▶ β determines the **sensitivity to wide-angle radiation**
- ▶ Smaller values of β mean that more aggressive grooming is applied

$$\frac{\min(p_{T,j1}, p_{T,j2})}{(p_{T,j1} + p_{T,j2})} > z_{\text{cut}} \left(\frac{\Delta R_{j1,j2}}{R} \right)^\beta$$



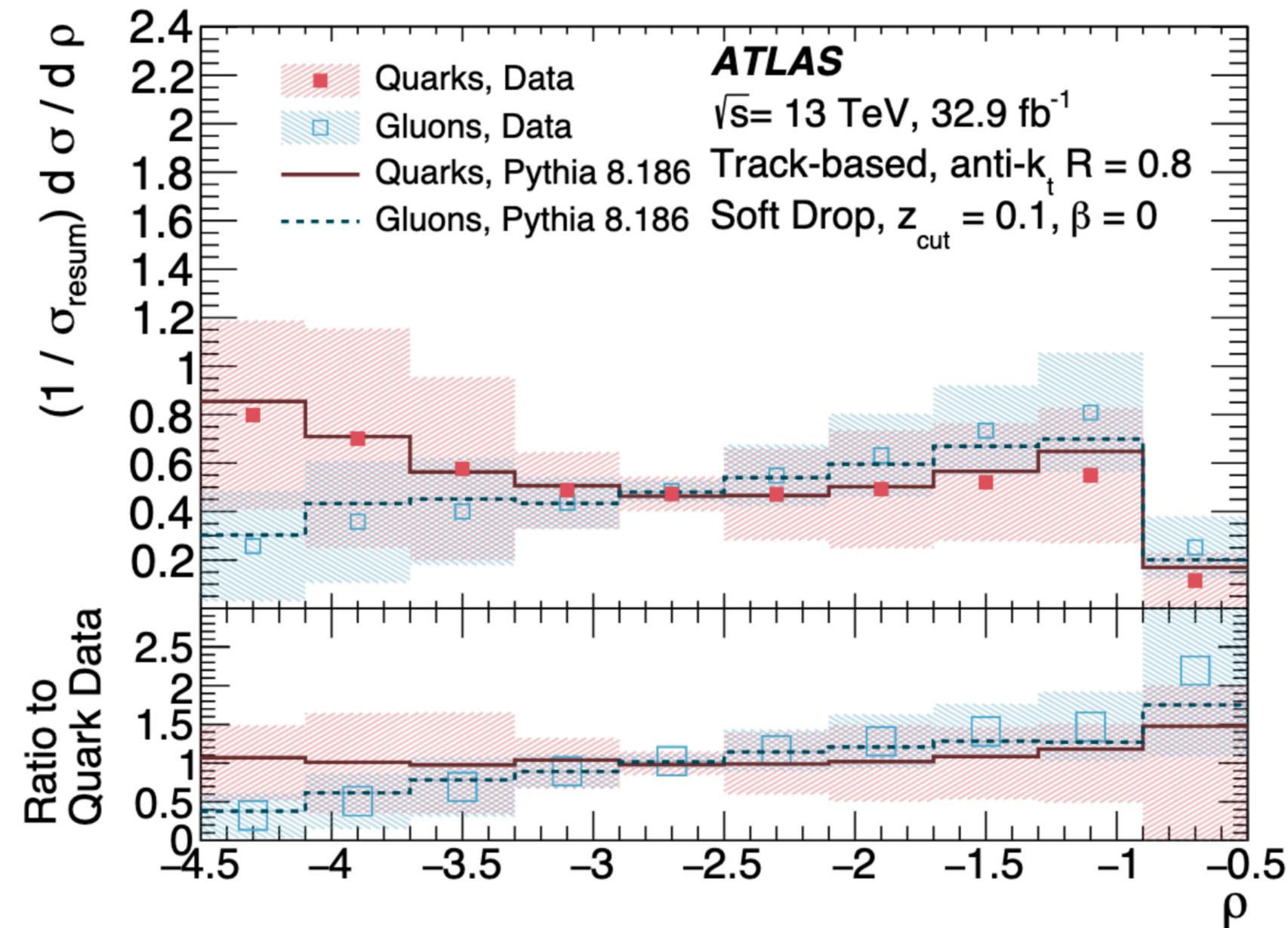
the jet mass

- ▶ Gluons tend to radiate more → higher mass on average
- ▶ Measurements are a mixture of quark- and gluon-initiated jets
- ▶ Mass distribution can be thought of as a sum of the quark mass distribution and gluon mass distribution
- ▶ *Just a 2-variable linear equation for each bin!*
- ▶ The fraction of quark-initiated jets varies as a function of η → Mass distribution changes with η
- ▶ This fraction comes from parton distribution functions



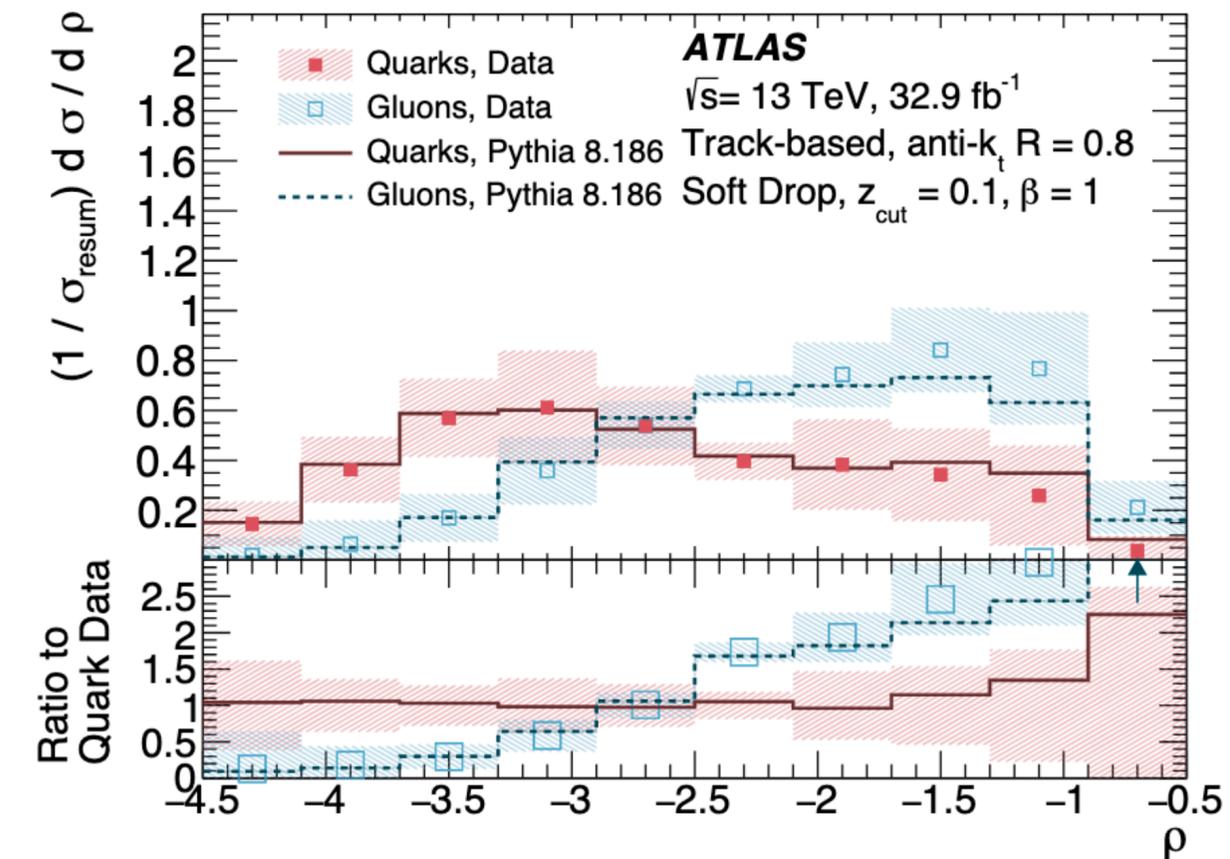
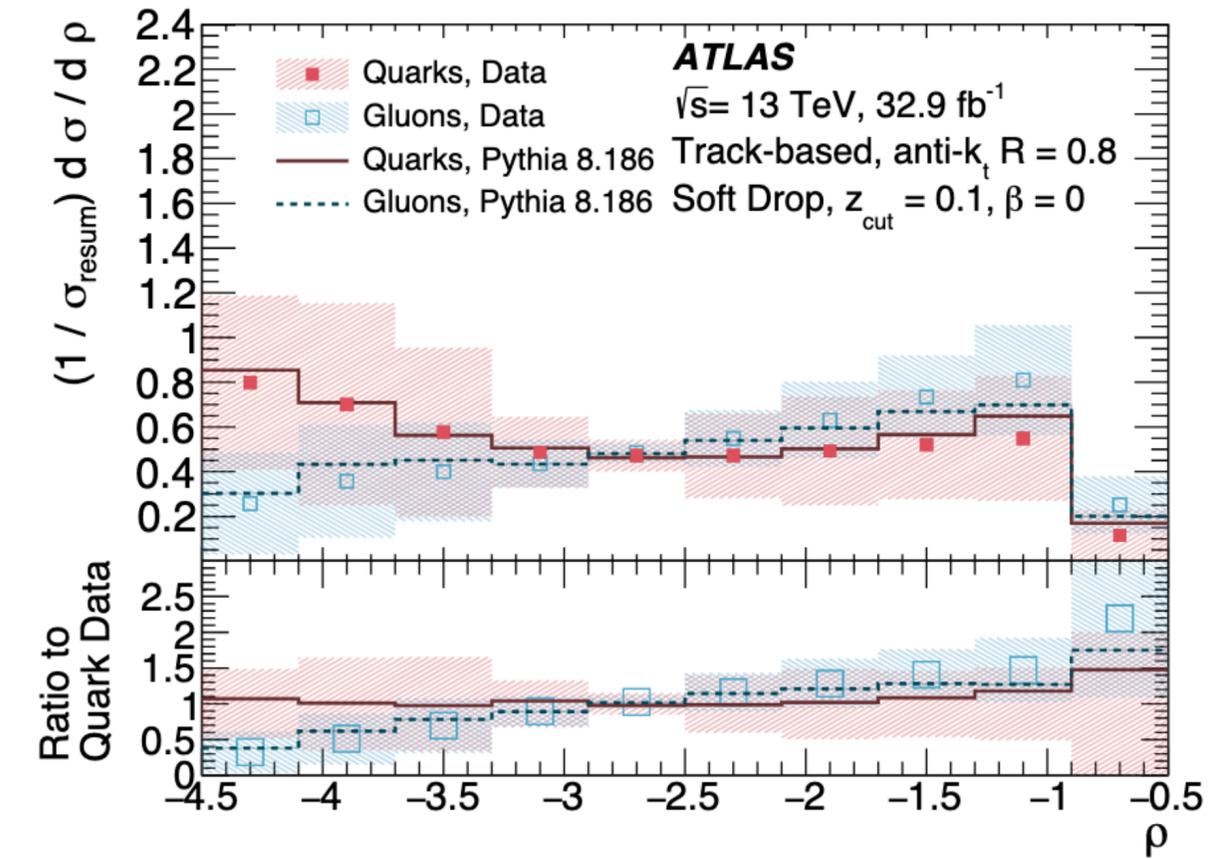
the jet mass

- ▶ $m(\eta) = Q \times f_Q(\eta) + G \times f_G(\eta)$
- ▶ Recent mass measurement performed in two η bins
- ▶ If we have quark and gluon fractions, can solve for the quark and gluon distributions
- ▶ Quark and gluon fractions currently taken from Pythia, so some model dependence
- ▶ Done with *tracks*, since uncertainties are much smaller



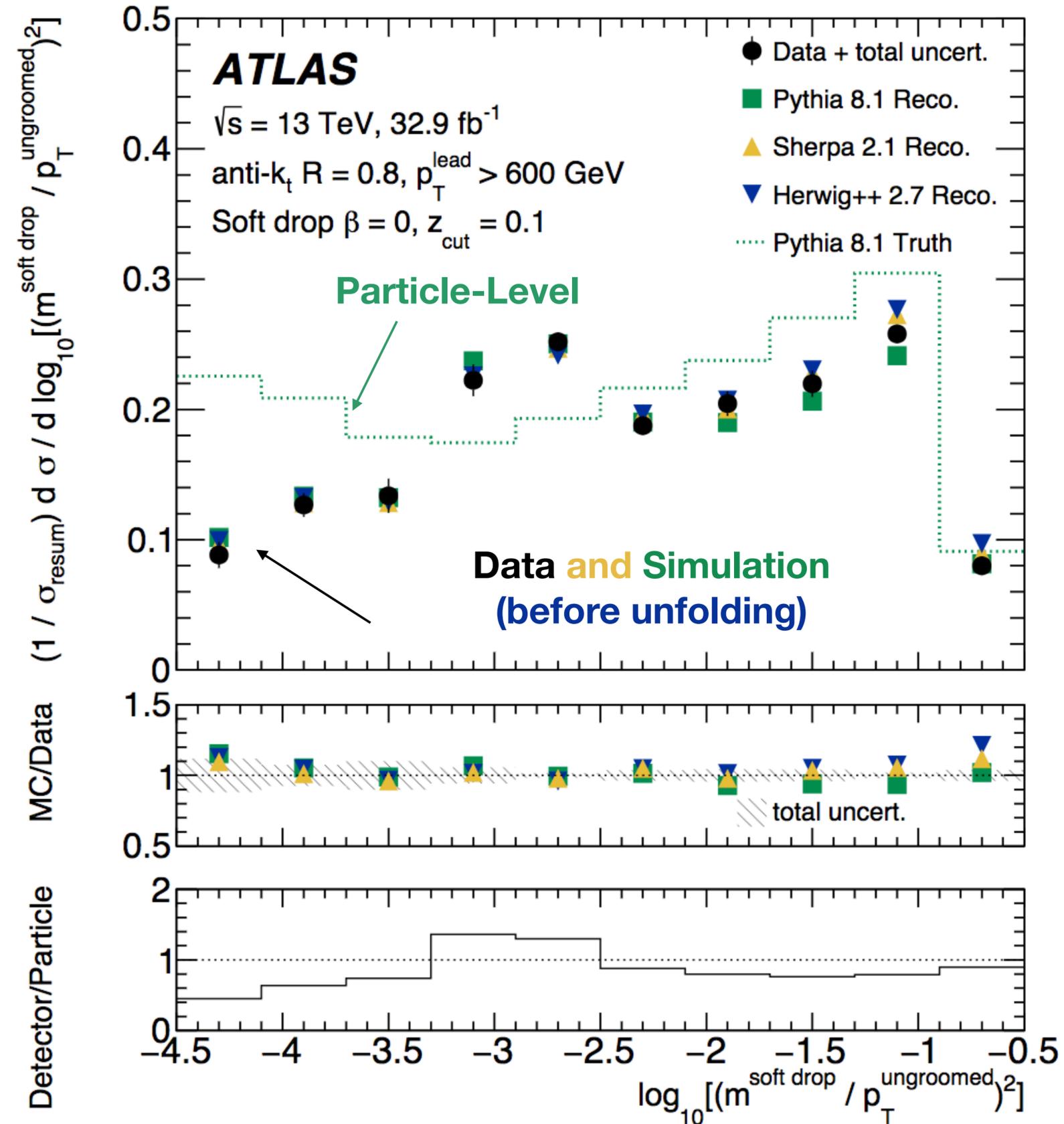
the jet mass

- ▶ Much better separation for quarks vs. gluons for $\beta > 0$



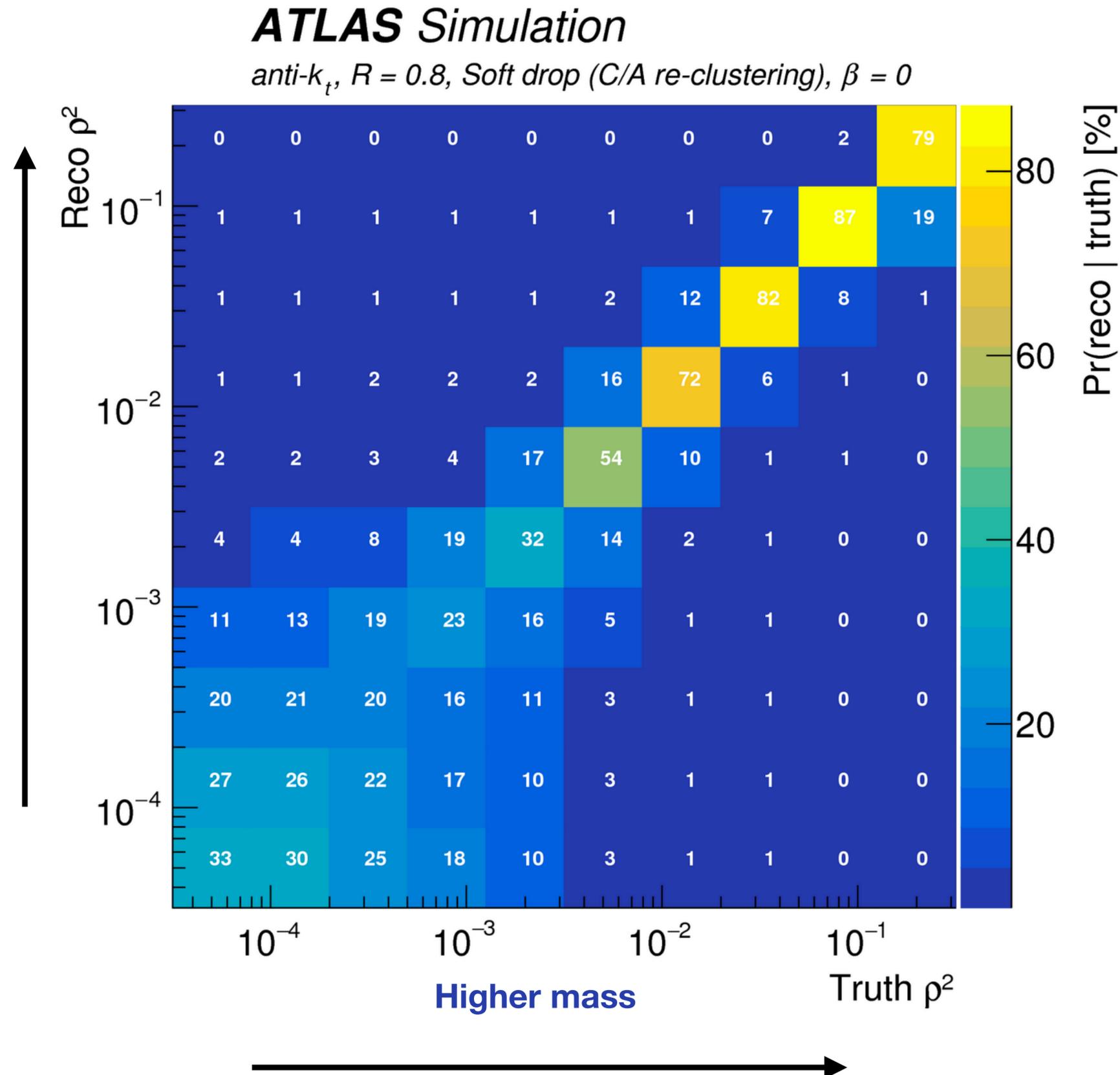
the jet mass

- ▶ Performing the measurement in dijet events (two balanced jets in the event)
- ▶ Apply Soft Drop grooming to $R=0.8$ jets made from clusters
- ▶ Measuring $z_{\text{cut}} = 0.1$, and $\beta = 0, 1$, and 2
- ▶ Use calorimeter objects (*topoclusters*) as the inputs to the jet reconstruction algorithms
 - ▶ Uses all particles \rightarrow can be compared to theoretical predictions
- ▶ The calorimeter-based jet mass is affected by **non-trivial detector corrections**
 - ▶ Unfold the data to particle level to correct for these effects



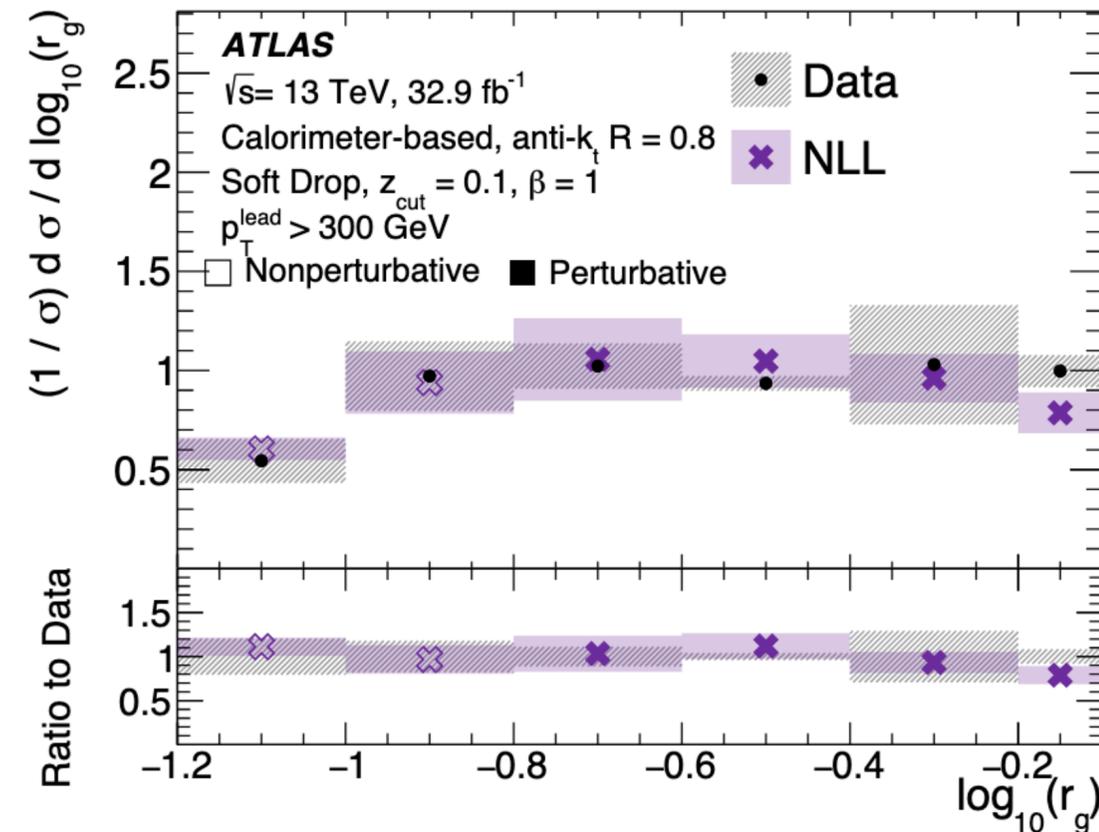
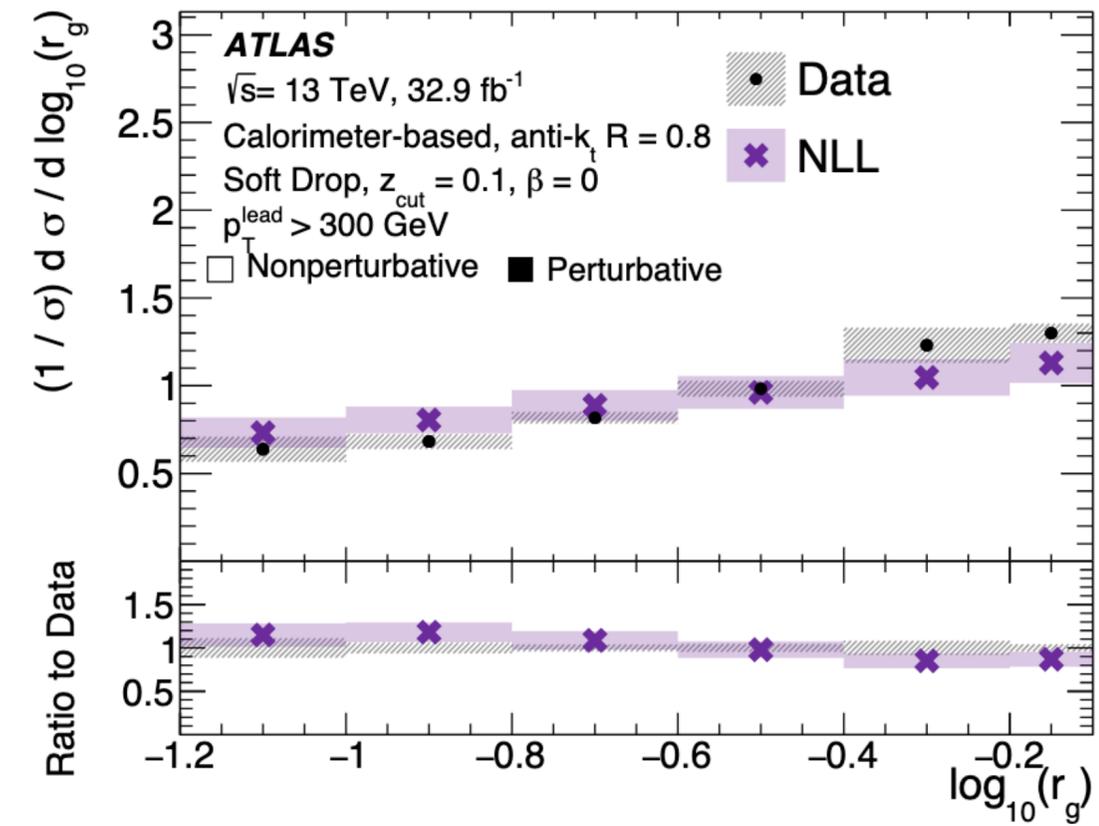
the jet mass

- ▶ The calorimeter-based jet mass is affected by **non-trivial detector corrections**
- ▶ Unfolding creates a mapping between a detector-level measurement and a truth-level distribution
 - ▶ Corrects for several detector effects, reconstruction efficiencies, and fake rates
- ▶ **Simultaneously unfold ρ and p_T** using Bayesian unfolding
 - ▶ Showing results inclusive in p_T



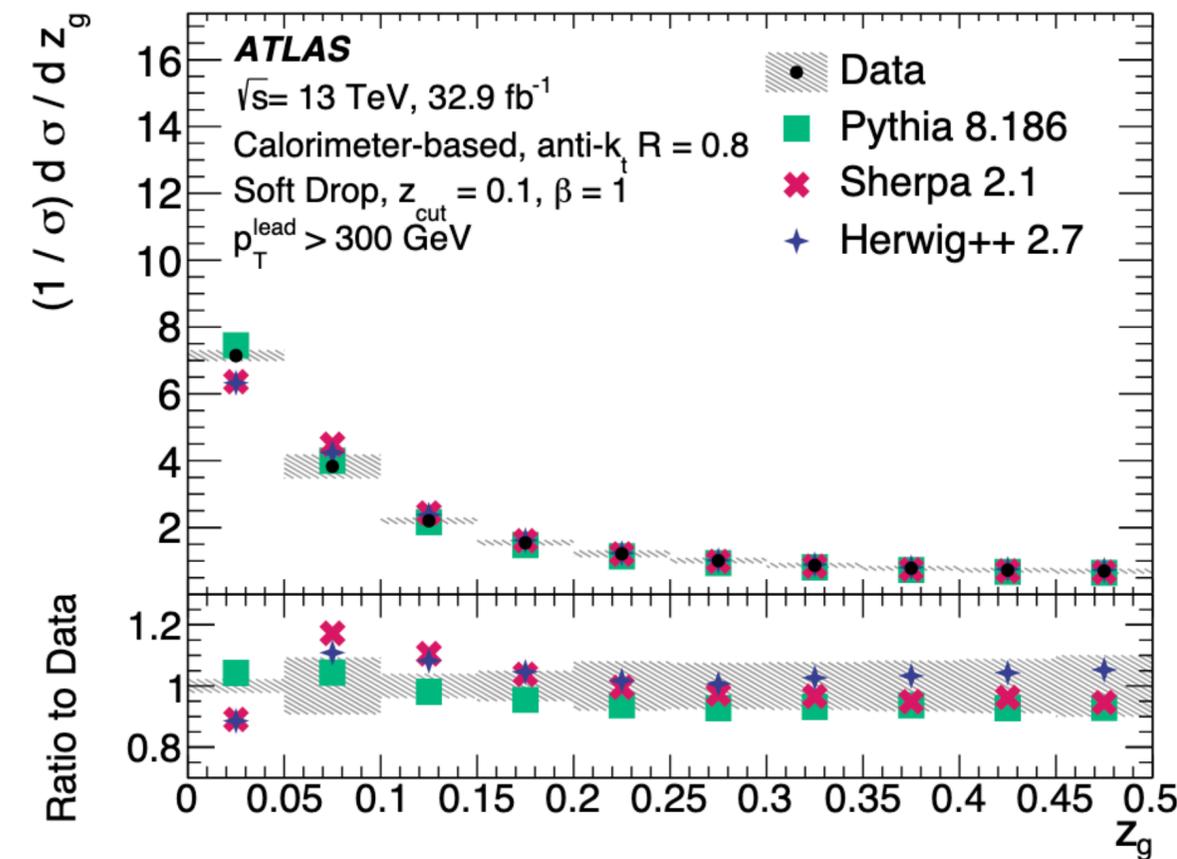
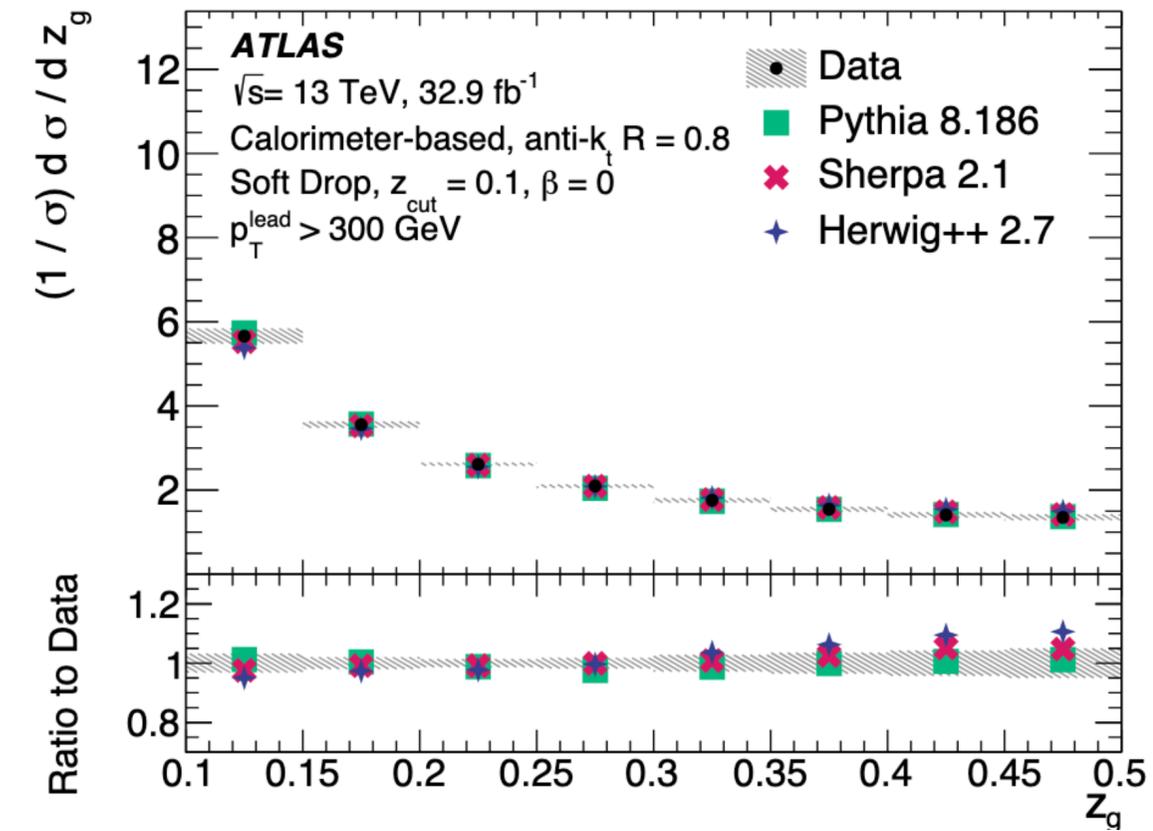
the jet mass

- ▶ r_g measures the opening angle between the subjects that pass the Soft Drop condition
- ▶ Able to compare to the first calculations of this observable!



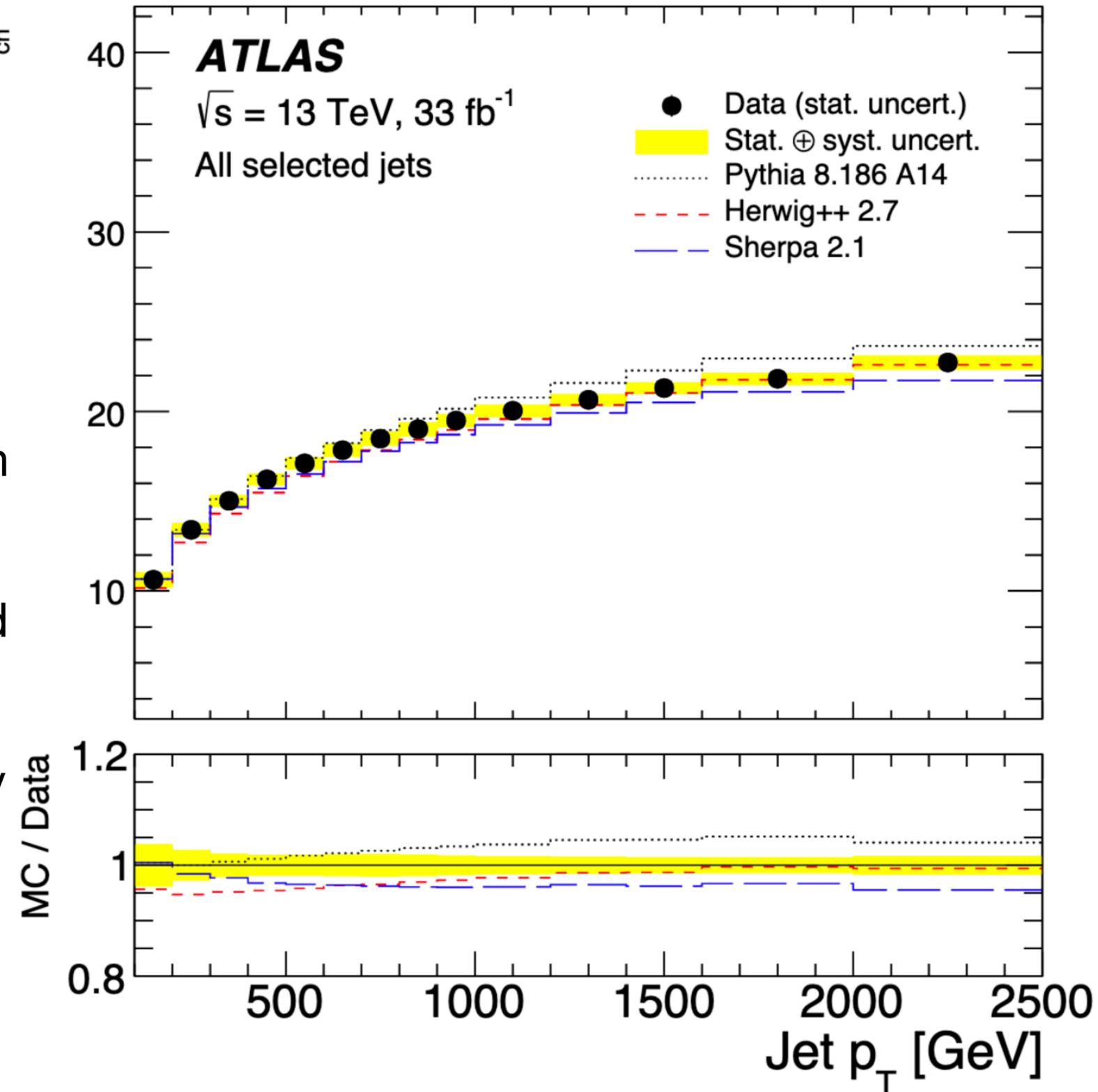
the jet mass

- ▶ z_g measures the p_T balance of the two subjets passing the Soft Drop condition
- ▶ Independent of α_s to leading order
- ▶ Small values of z_g are poorly modeled



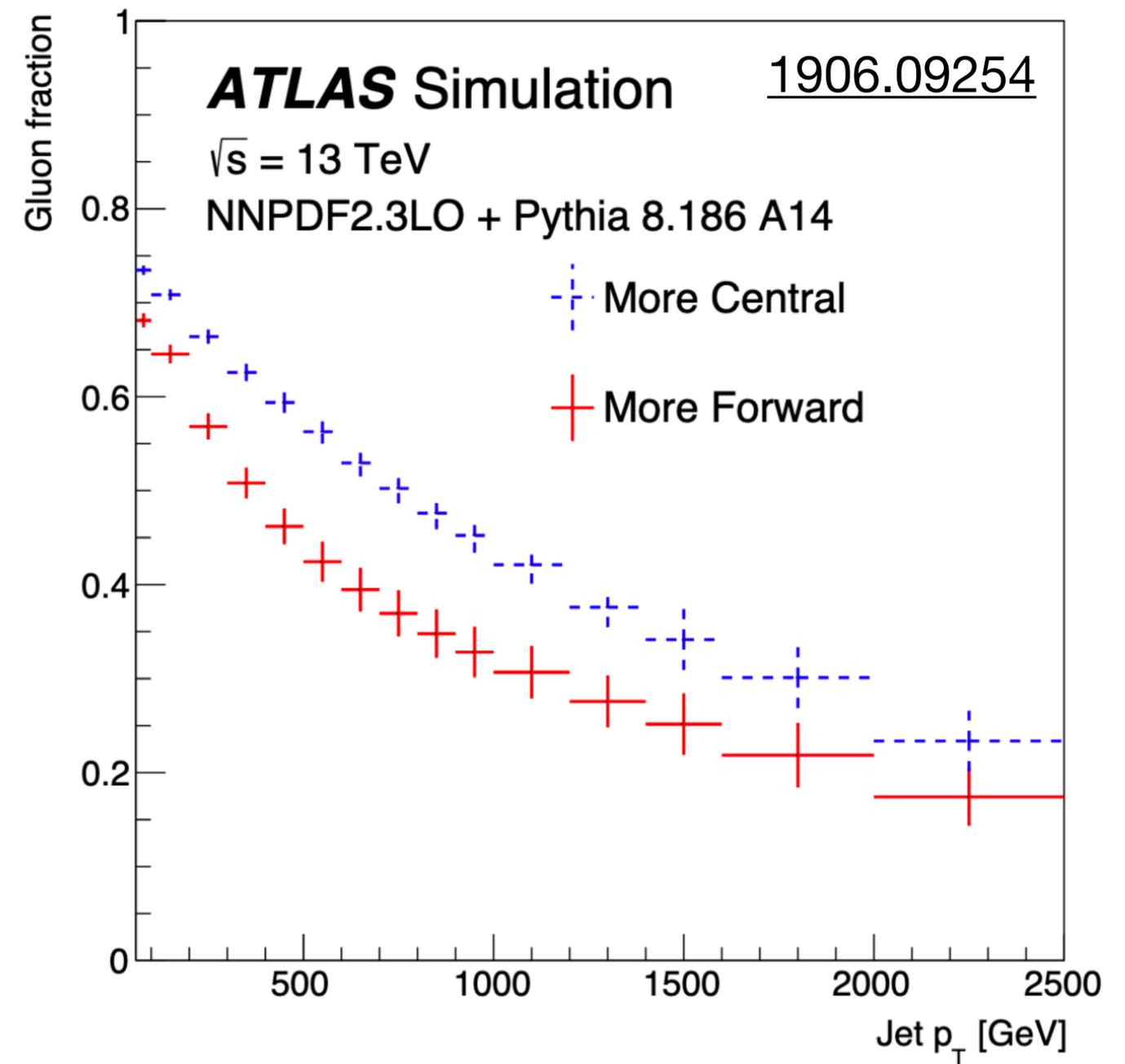
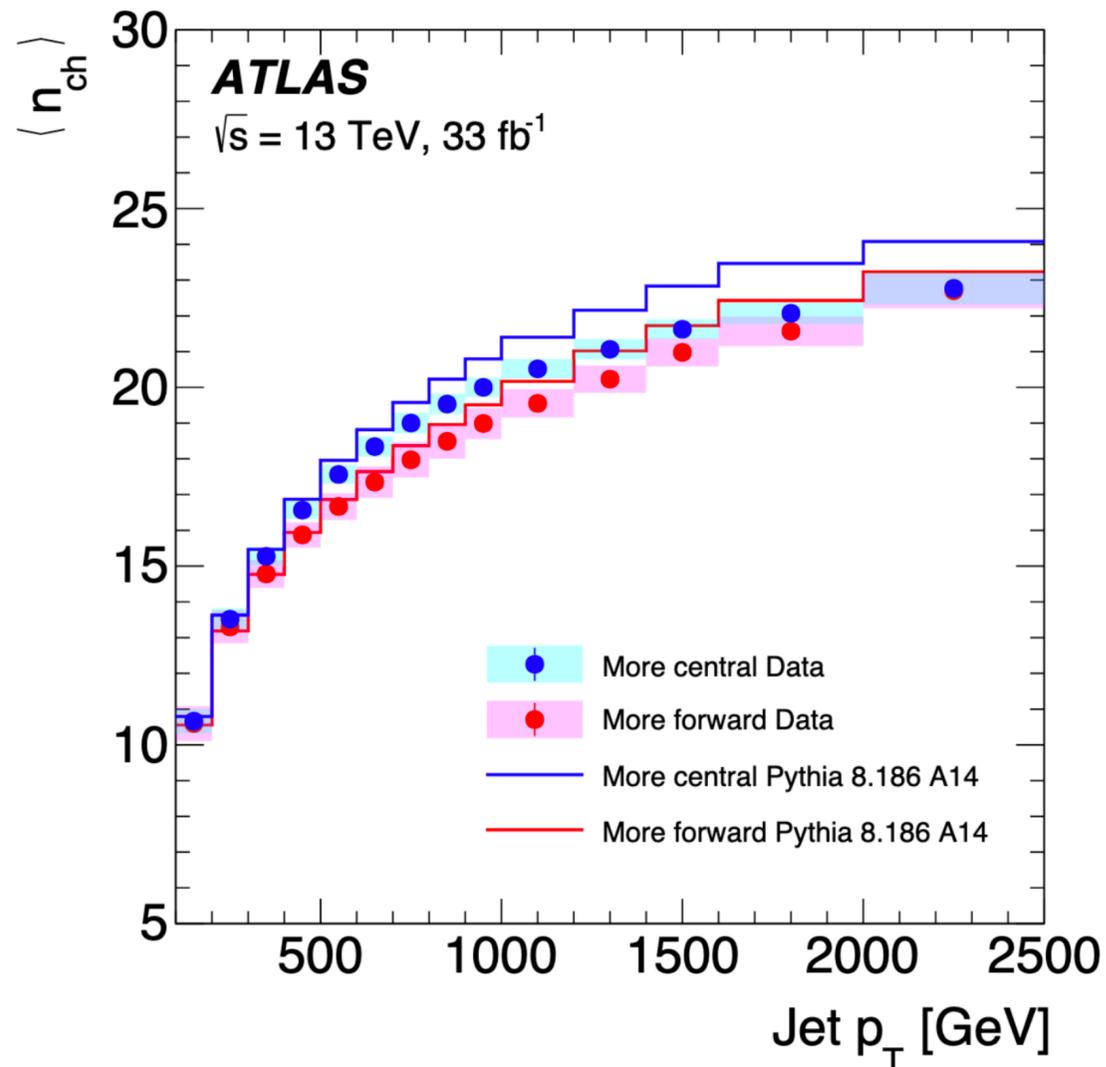
jet fragmentation

- ▶ Jet formation is complicated, and is not fully describable by perturbation theory
- ▶ Rely on Monte Carlo models in order to produce predictions involving jets
- ▶ Jet fragmentation measurements study the distribution of particles within a jet
 - ▶ Includes observables such as the number of charged particles, the radial profile, and more
 - ▶ Energy dependence calculable in perturbation theory
 - ▶ Important input for tuning MC, and some significant disagreements between data and MC
- ▶ Using tracks to calculate fragmentation to improve precision

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jet fragmentation

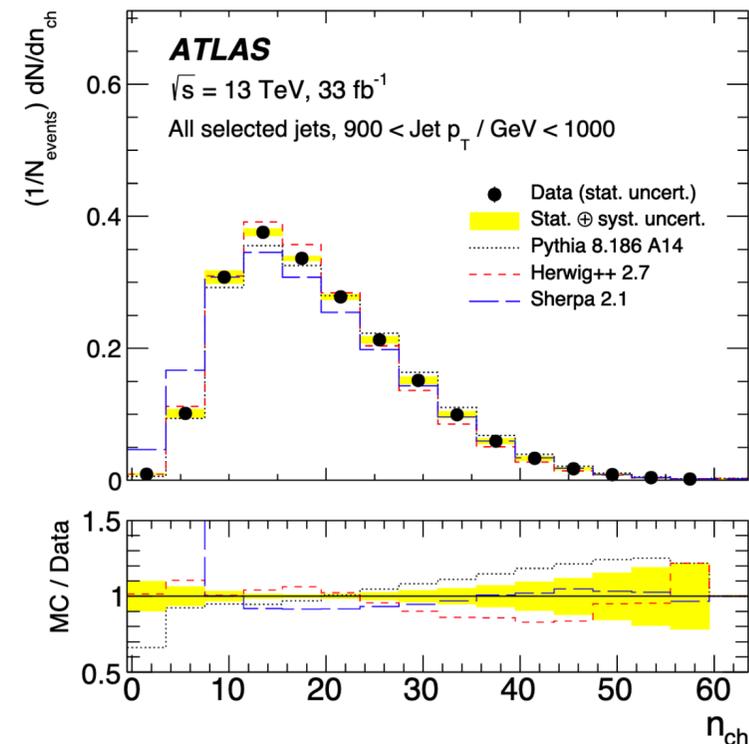
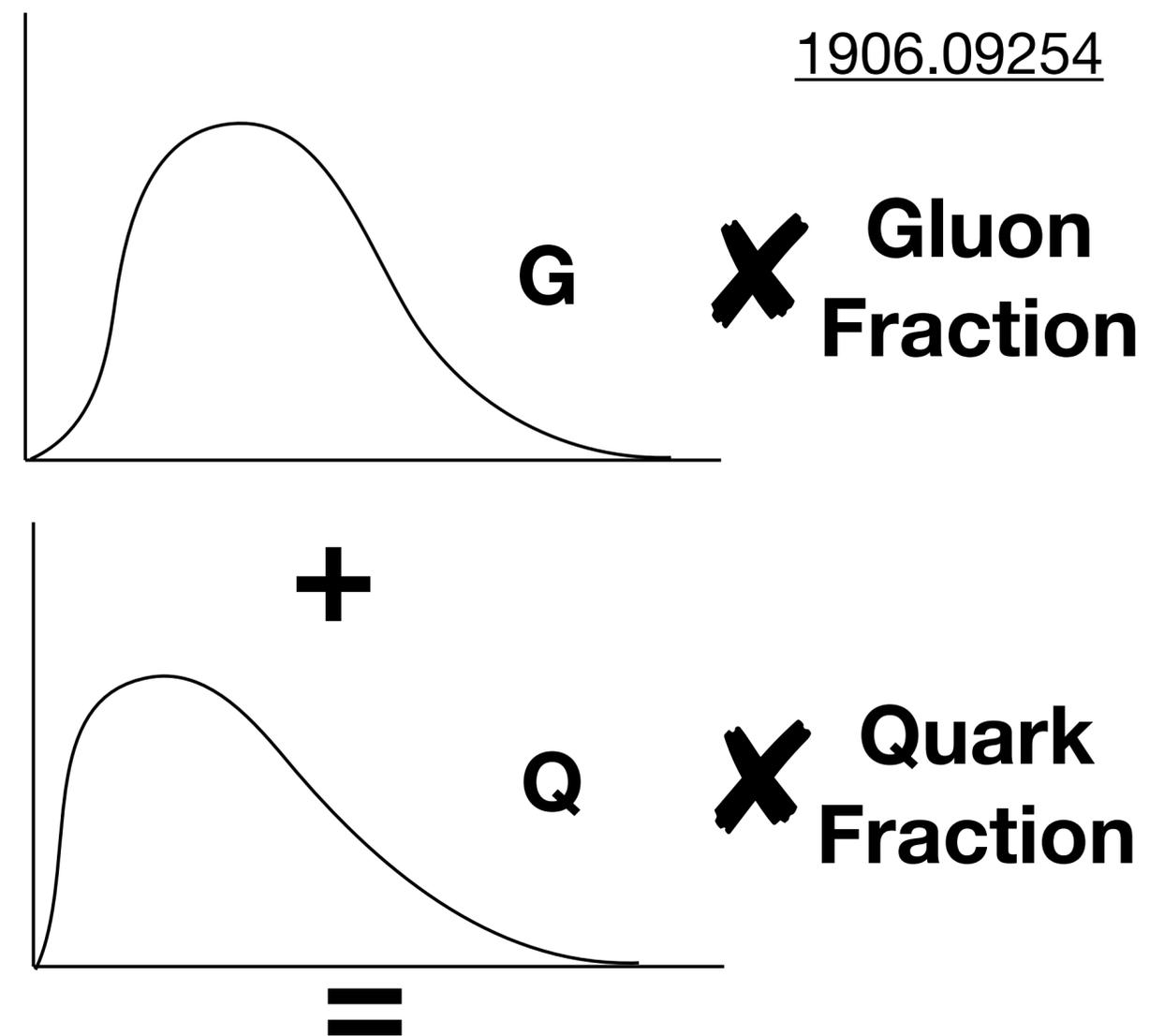
- ▶ Jet fragmentation does not depend strongly on η , just on the initiating parton
- ▶ Central jets tend to be gluon initiated more often than forward jets



- ▶ Measuring forward and central jets separately gives us access to differences between quarks and gluons

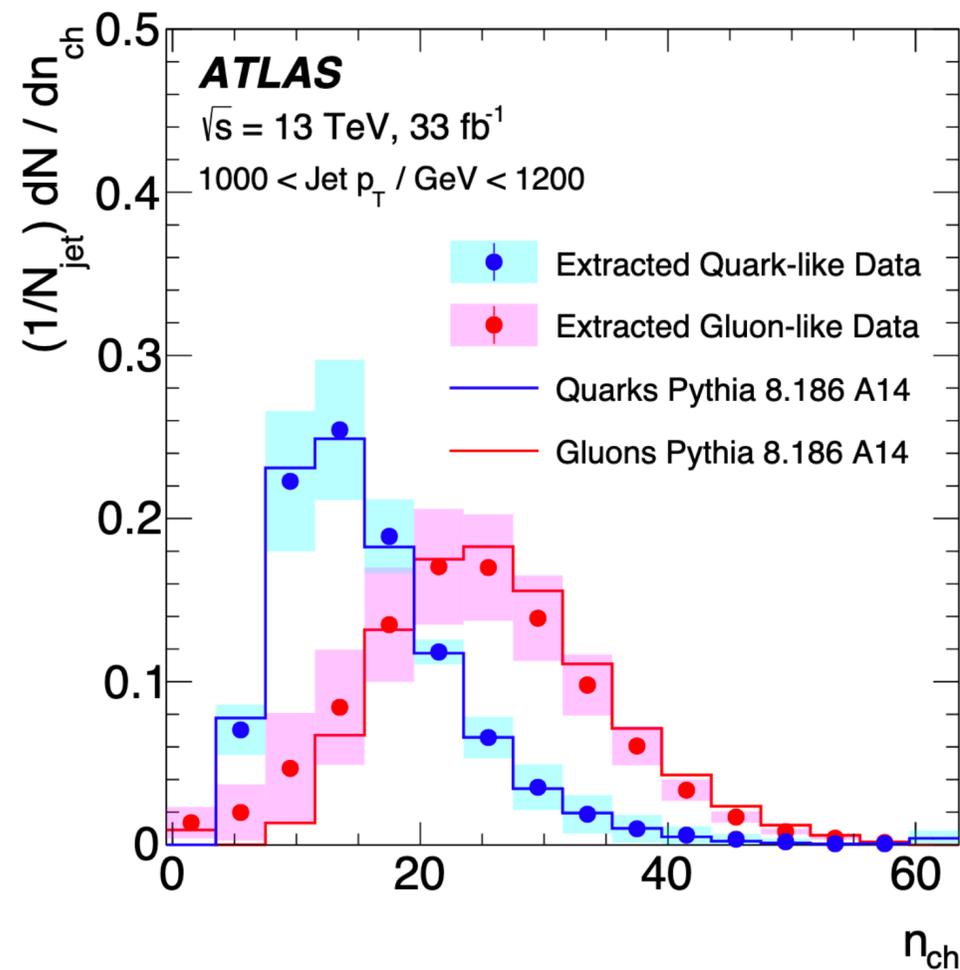
jet fragmentation

- ▶ The measured distributions are a linear combination of the quark and gluon distributions, multiplied by the fraction of quarks and gluons
- ▶ Can invert this to extract the quark and gluon distributions in data
- ▶ Two methods:
 - ▶ Use the quark and gluon fractions determined in an MC generator (e.g. Pythia)
 - ▶ Use topic modeling to extract the distributions, which uses a minimization to separate mutually irreducible distributions

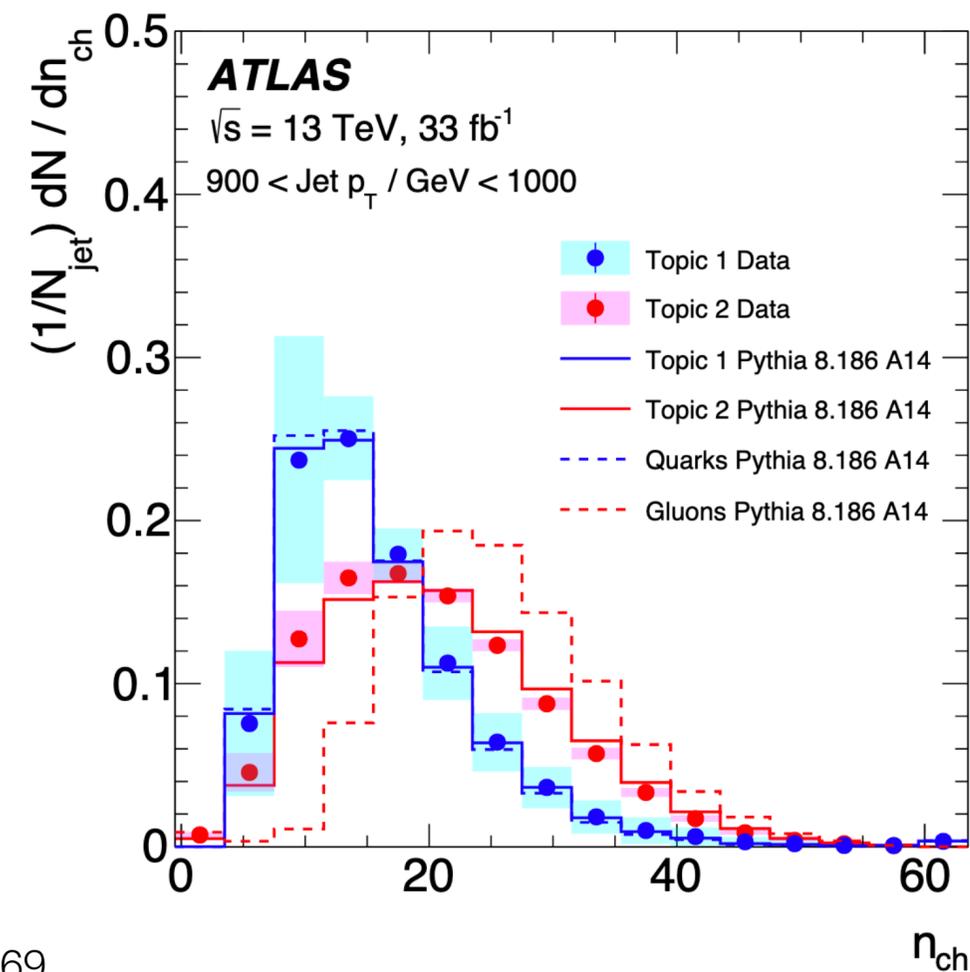


jet fragmentation

- ▶ Both methods provide similar results for the extracted quark and gluon distributions
- ▶ First time topic modeling has been used in a measurement!
- ▶ Provides more model-independent way of extracting this information



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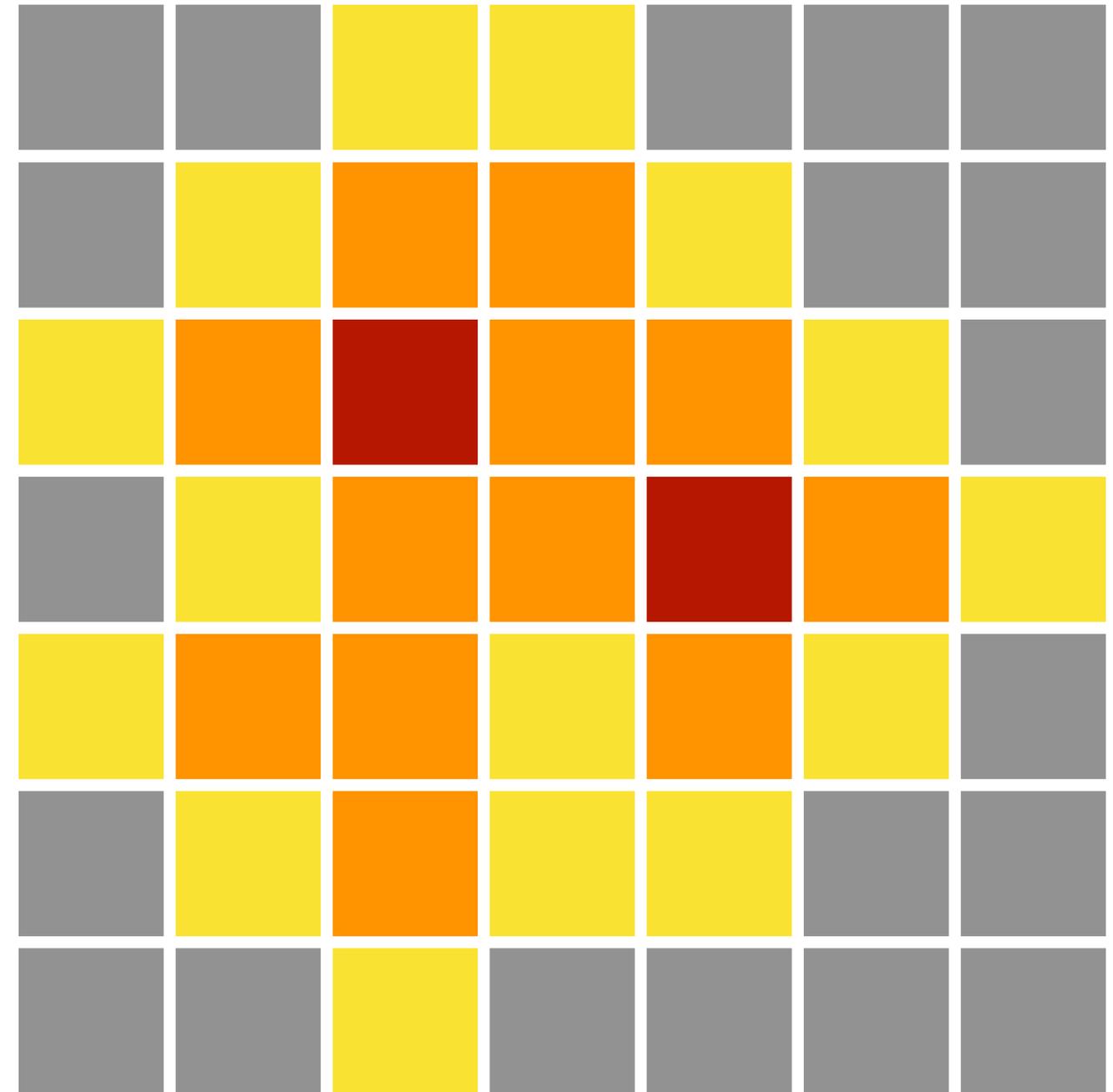
Jet substructure observables in top quark, W boson, and light jet production

- Slightly different event selections for each different final state

	Detector level	Particle level
Dijet selection:		
Two trimmed anti- k_t $R = 1.0$ jets	$p_T > 200$ GeV $ \eta < 2.5$	$p_T > 200$ GeV $ \eta < 2.5$
Leading- p_T trimmed anti- k_t $R = 1.0$ jet	$p_T > 450$ GeV	
Top and W selections:		
Exactly one muon	$p_T > 30$ GeV $ \eta < 2.5$ $ z_0 \sin(\theta) < 0.5$ mm and $ d_0/\sigma(d_0) < 3$	$p_T > 30$ GeV $ \eta < 2.5$
Anti- k_t $R = 0.4$ jets	$p_T > 25$ GeV $ \eta < 4.4$ JVT output > 0.5 (if $p_T < 60$ GeV)	$p_T > 25$ GeV $ \eta < 4.4$
Muon isolation criteria	If $\Delta R(\mu, \text{jet}) < 0.04 + 10 \text{ GeV}/p_{T,\mu}$: muon is removed, so the event is discarded	None
E_T^{miss}, m_T^W	$E_T^{\text{miss}} > 20$ GeV, $E_T^{\text{miss}} + m_T^W > 60$ GeV	
Leptonic top	At least one small-radius jet with $0.4 < \Delta R(\mu, \text{jet}) < 1.5$	
Top selection:		
Leading- p_T trimmed anti- k_t $R = 1.0$ jet	$ \eta < 1.5$, $p_T > 350$ GeV, mass > 140 GeV $\Delta R(\text{large-radius jet}, b\text{-tagged jet}) < 1$ $\Delta\phi(\mu, \text{large-radius jet}) > 2.3$	
W selection:		
Leading- p_T trimmed anti- k_t $R = 1.0$ jet	$ \eta < 1.5$, $p_T > 200$ GeV, mass > 60 GeV and mass < 100 GeV $1 < \Delta R(\text{large-radius jet}, b\text{-tagged jet}) < 1.8$ $\Delta\phi(\mu, \text{large-radius jet}) > 2.3$	

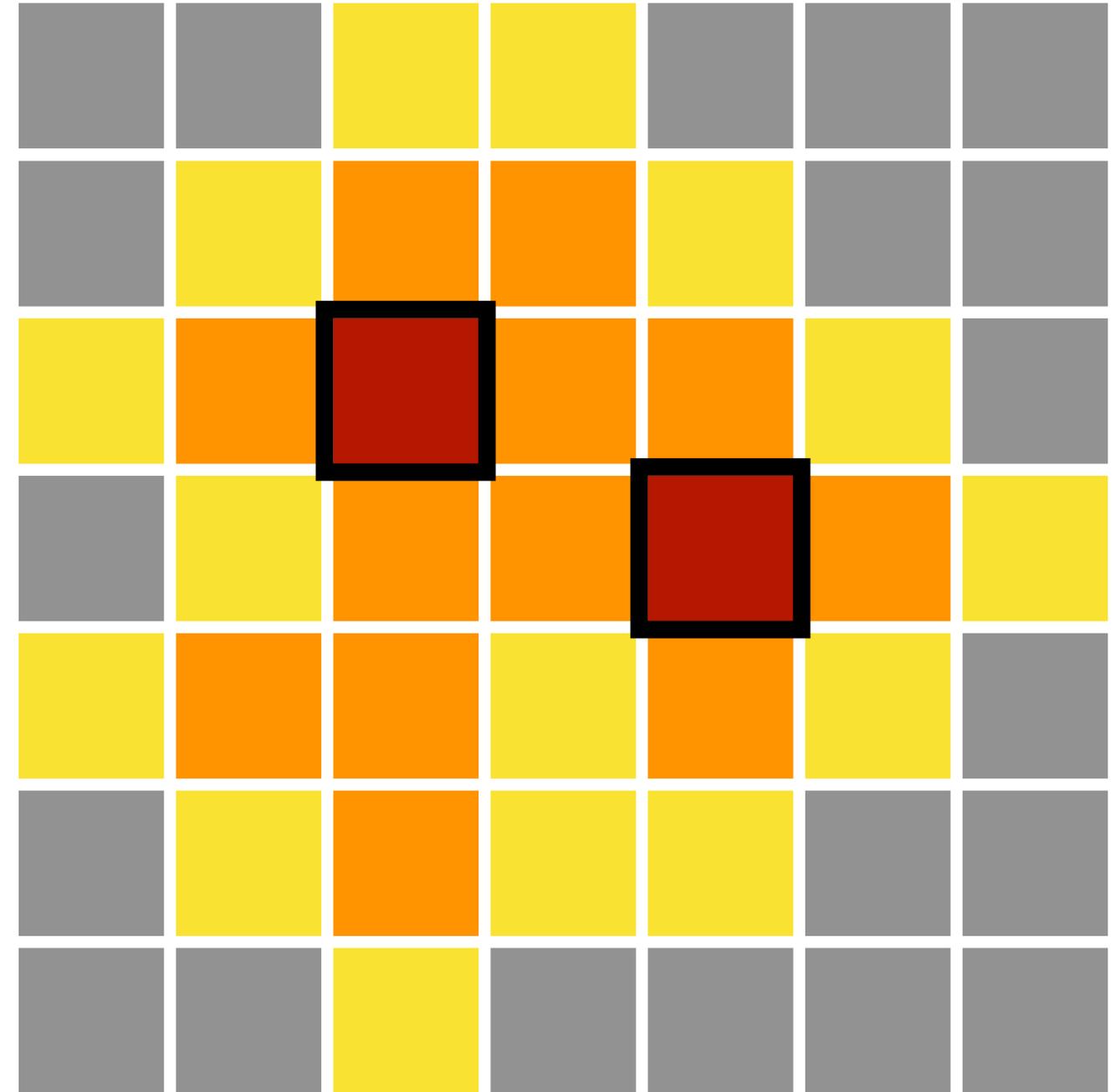
jet inputs: topoclusters

- ▶ Jets are composed of both charged and neutral hadrons
- ▶ Some observables have similar behavior when reconstructed only out of charged particles
- ▶ Analytical predictions only for all-particles
 - ▶ Need to use the information from the *calorimeter*
- ▶ Combine nearby groups of calorimeter cells into *clusters* in order to produce object which approximately corresponds to a single particle



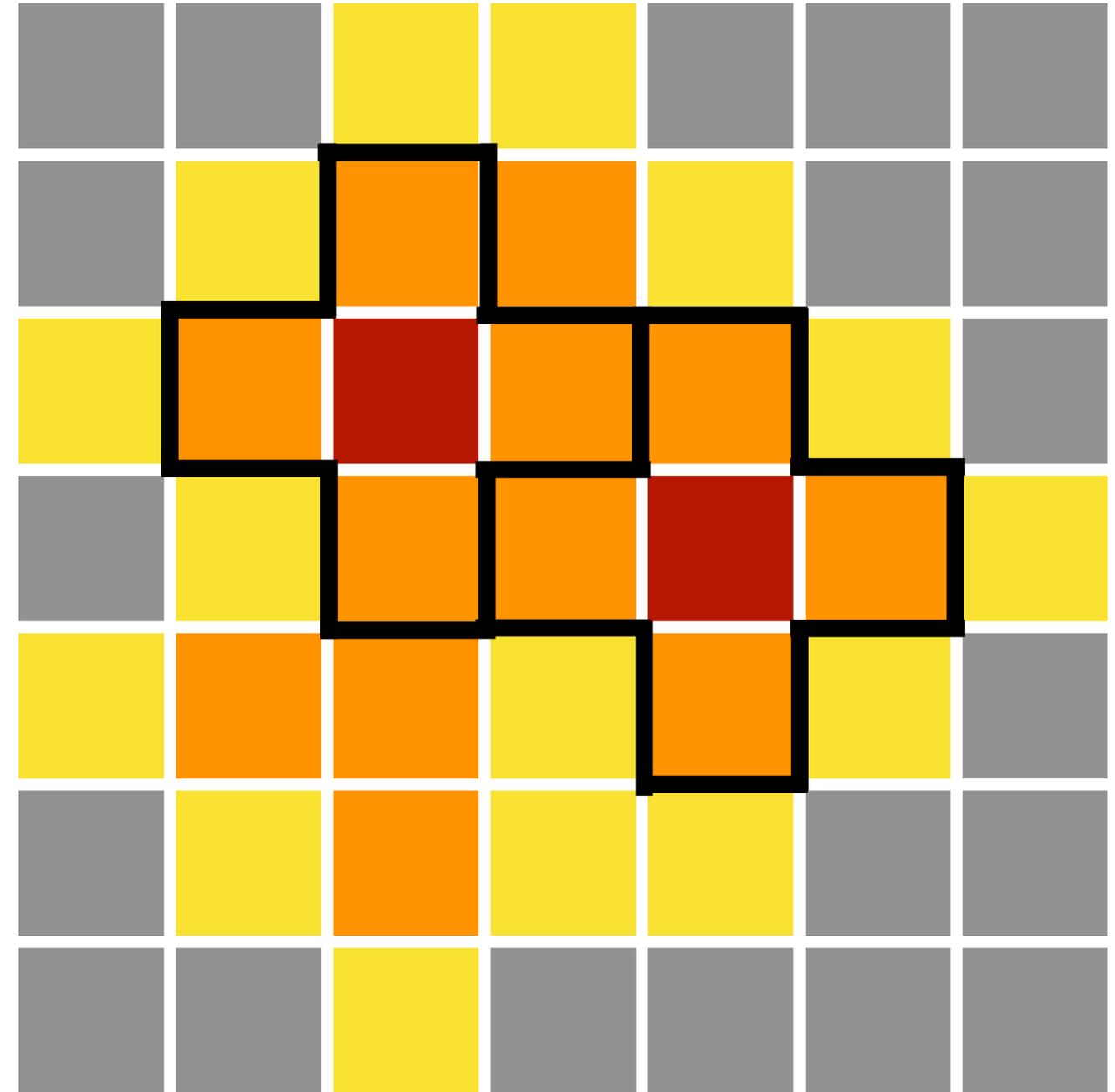
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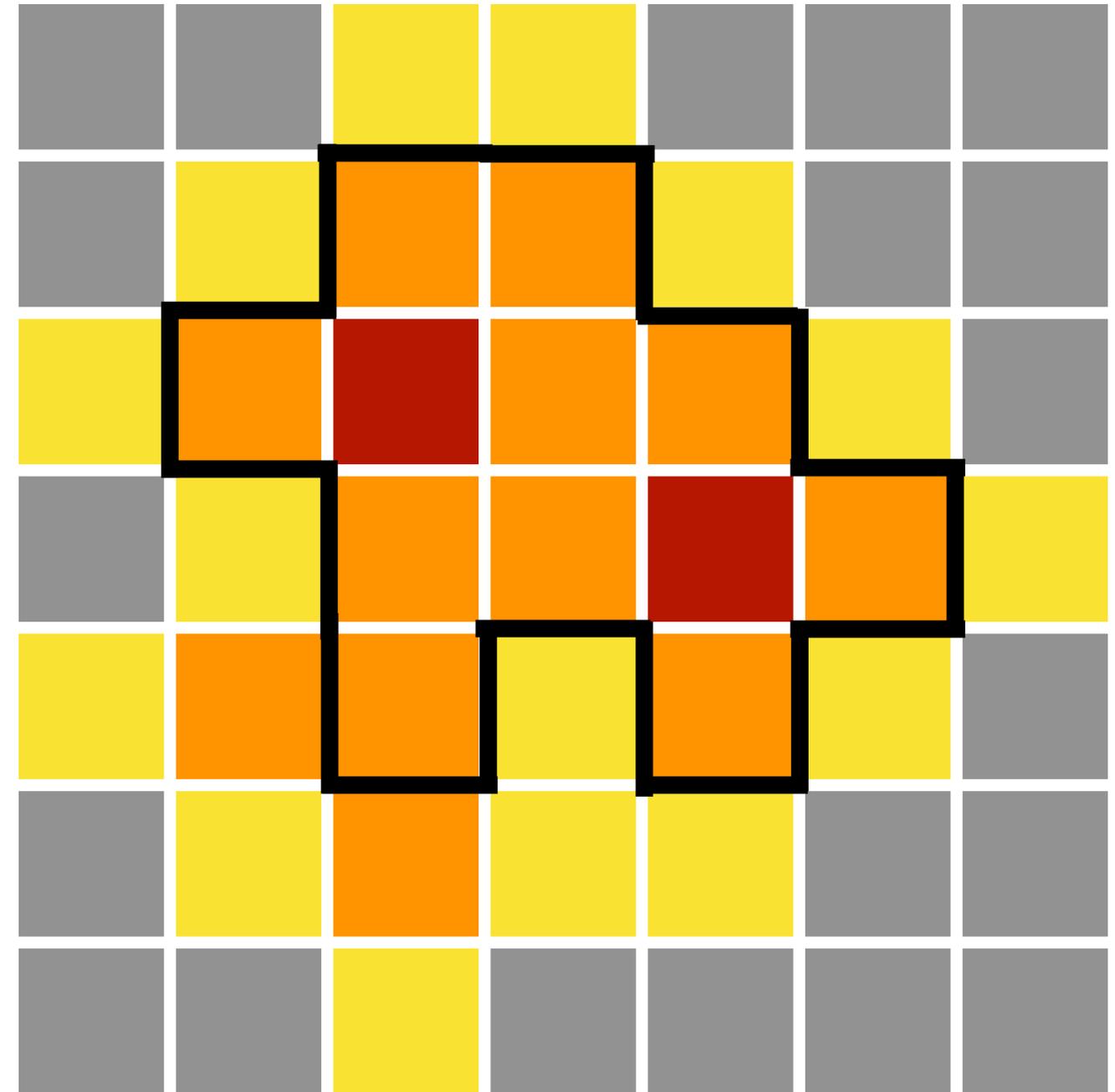
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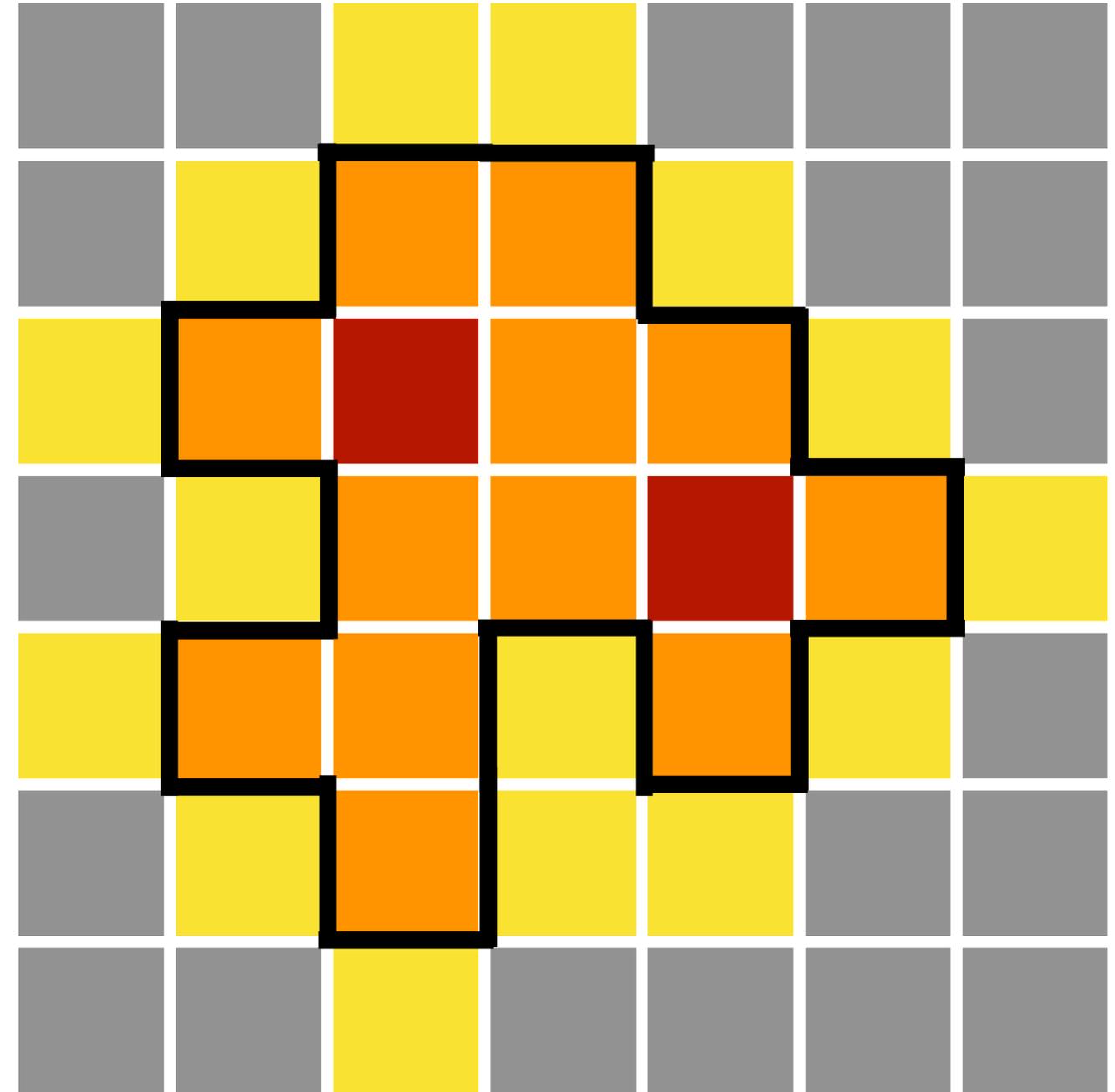
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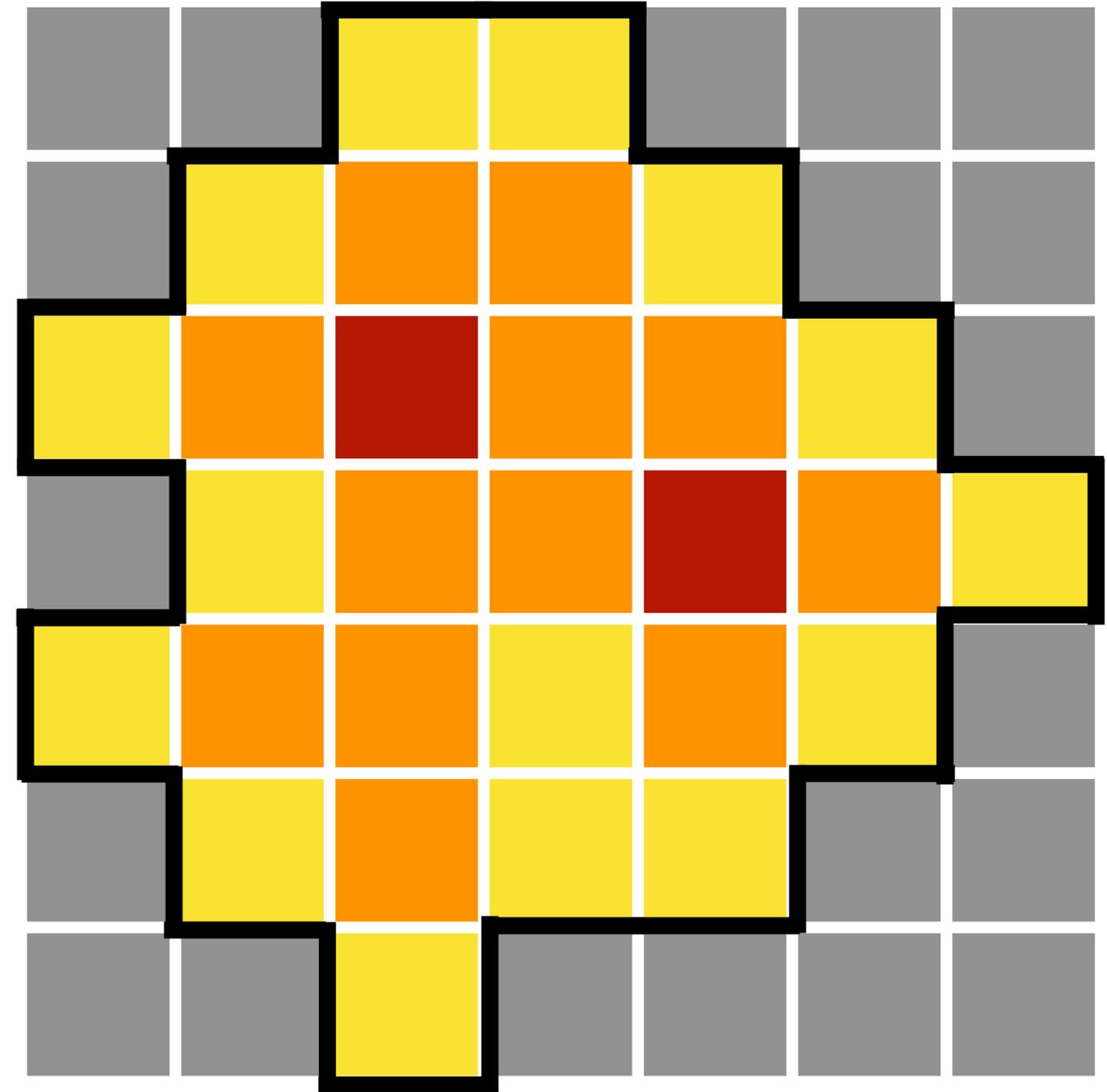
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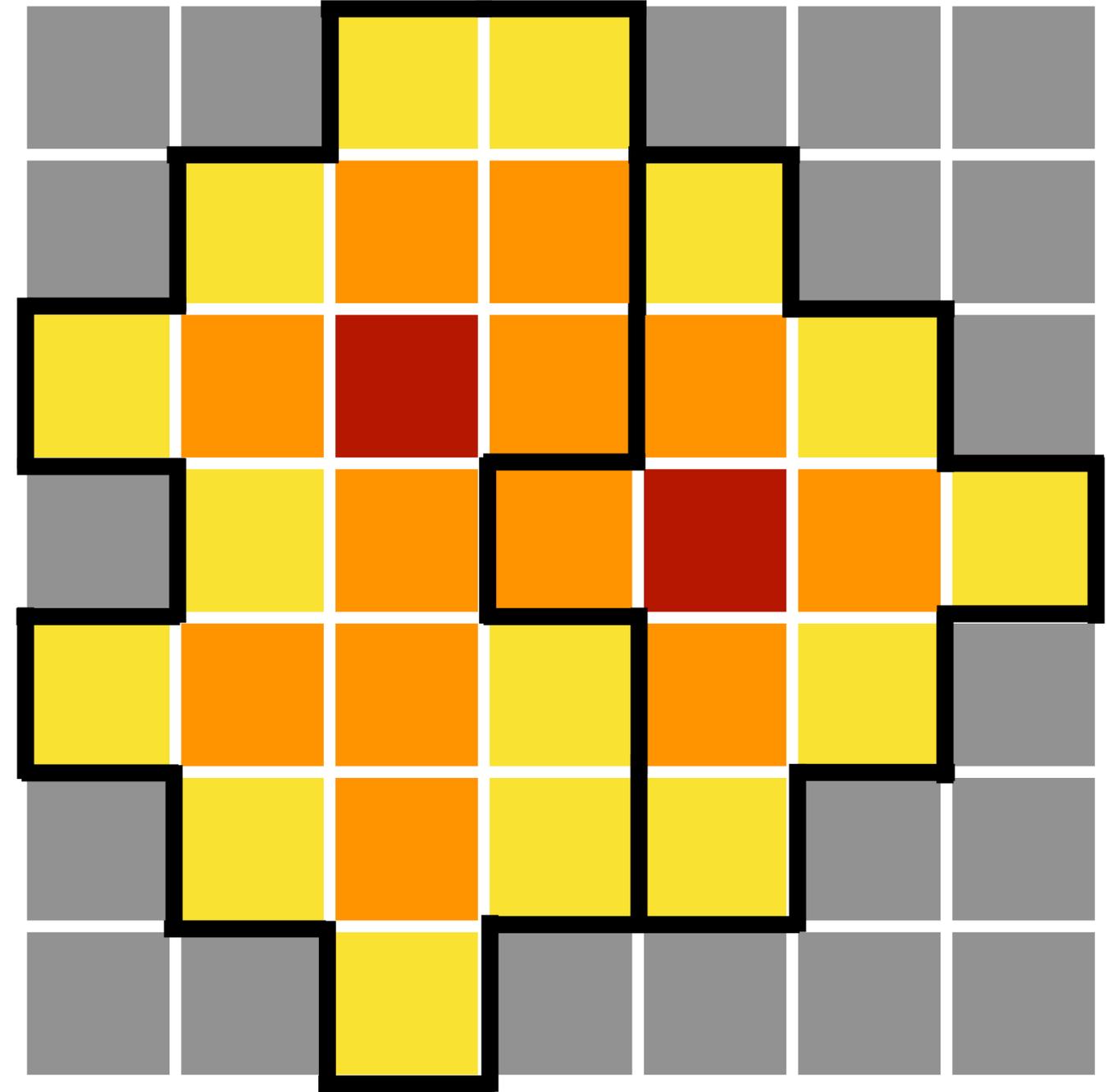
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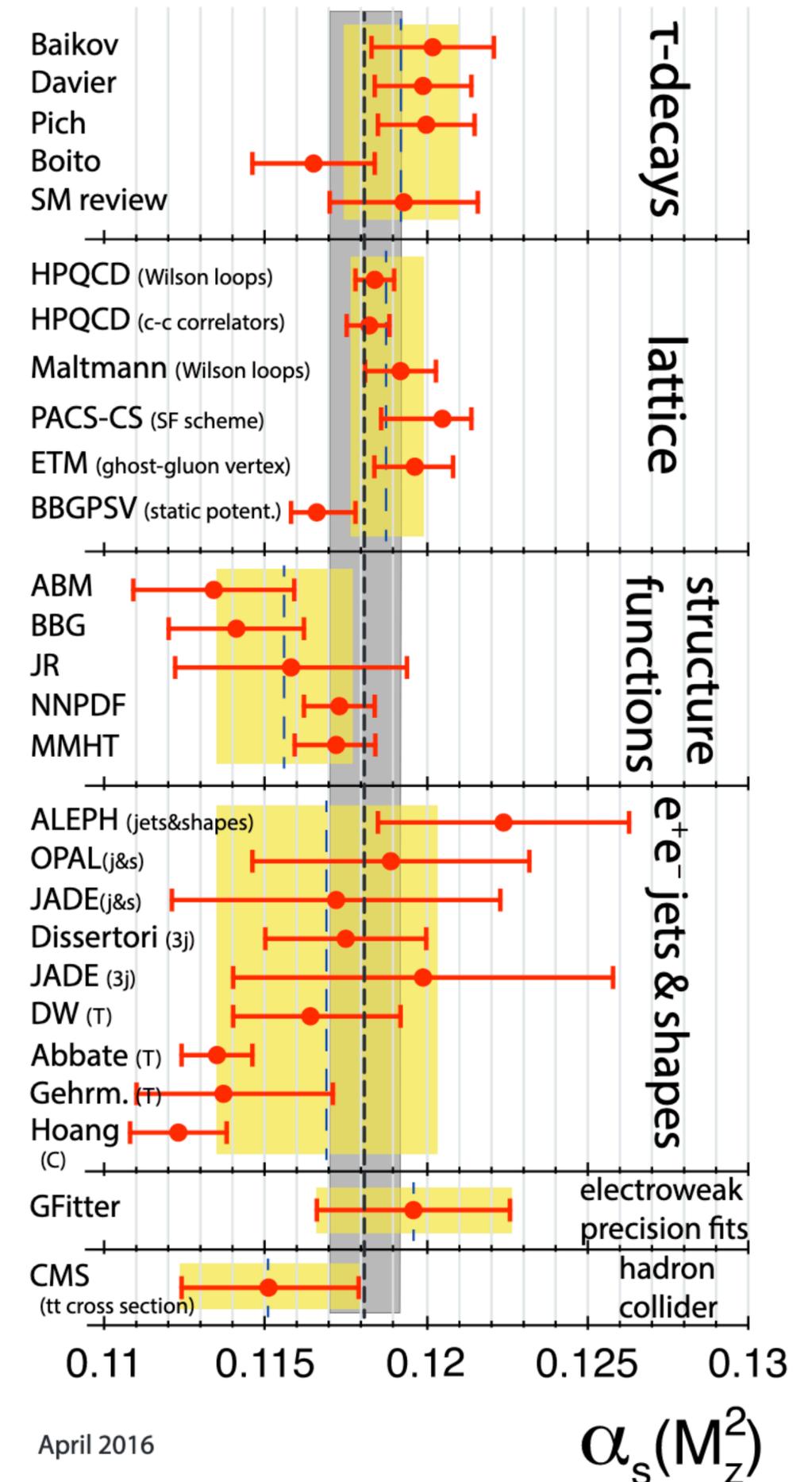
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- ▶ Clusters with multiple local maxima are split



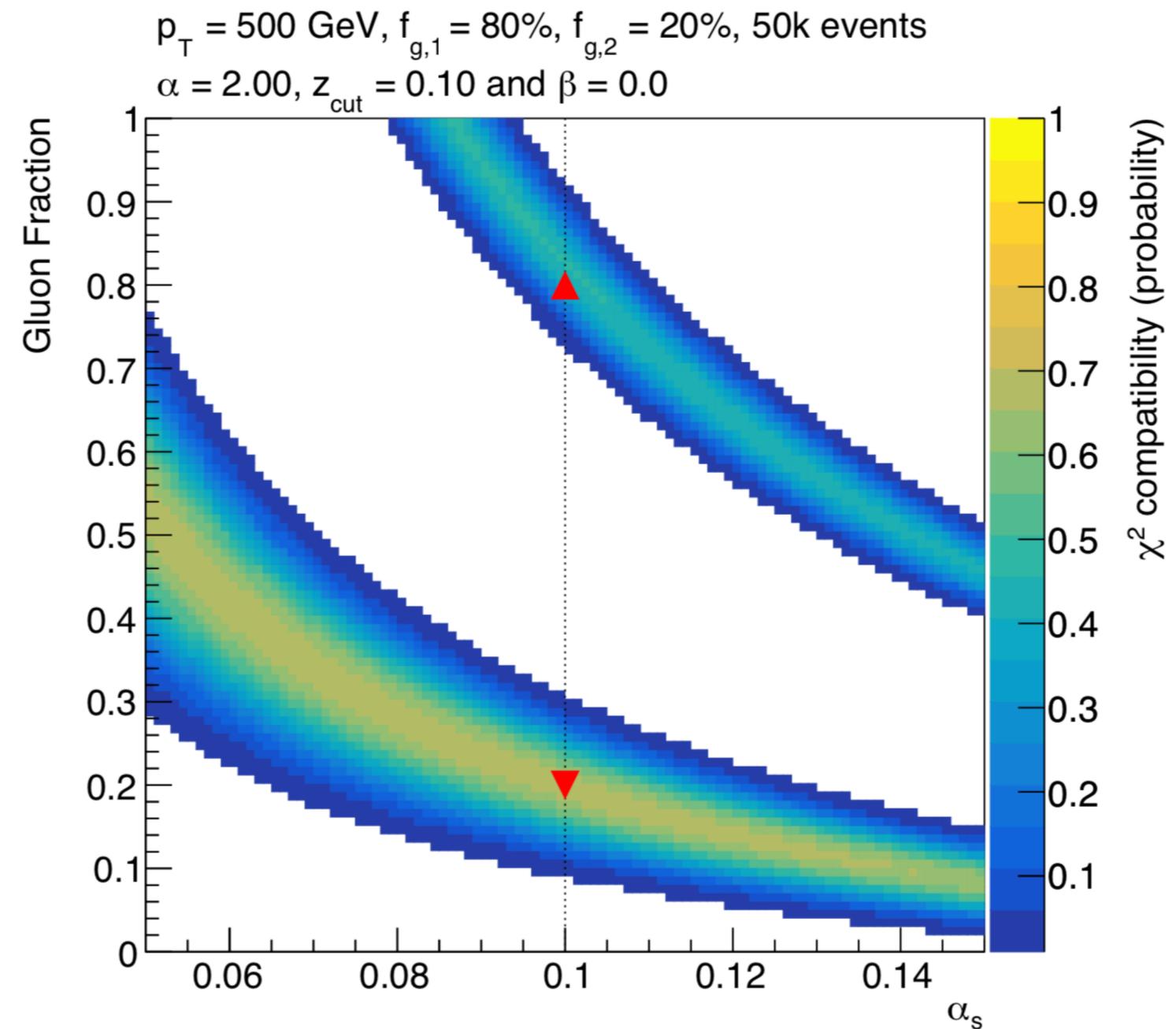
measuring α_s

- ▶ α_s is a challenging parameter to measure
- ▶ Precise determination important for many precision measurements like for the Higgs
- ▶ Need observables sensitive to α_s , but not too sensitive to non-perturbative effects or to PDFs
- ▶ Need observables which are calculable to NNLO → currently only one measurement from a hadron collider!
- ▶ Significant tensions between some of the most precise measurements of α_s
- ▶ Need independent measurements in order to understand this discrepancy



looking forward: α_s

- ▶ Differential cross section for jet mass is proportional to $\alpha_s \times C_i$ in the resummation region
- ▶ Measurements of mass with multiple samples with different quark/gluon fractions could be used to extract α_s
- ▶ May be able to get somewhere around 5-10% precision

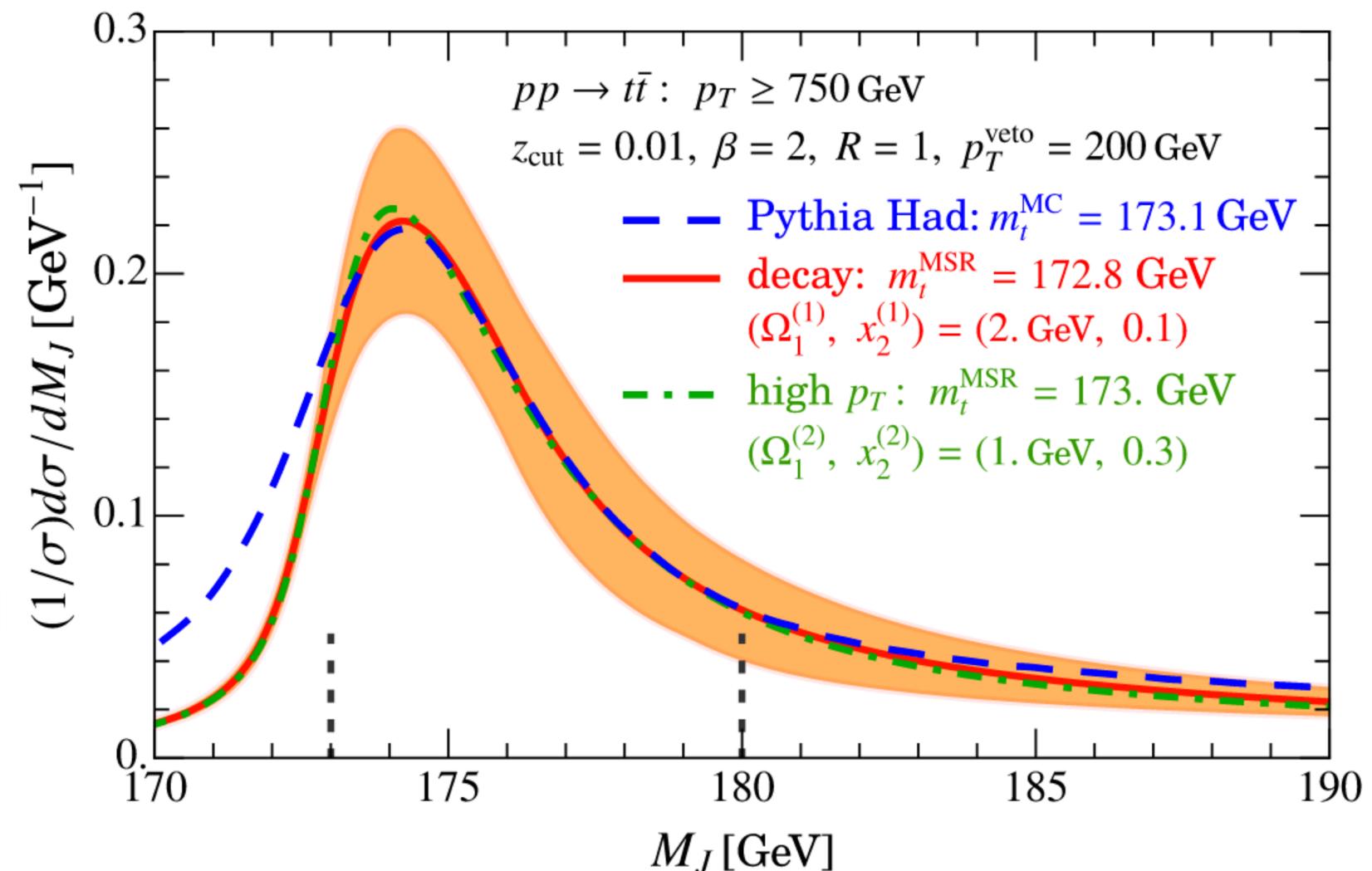


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- ▶ Not competitive with precise measurements, could be used to better understand discrepancies between existing measurements
- ▶ Also could provide measurement of running of α_s

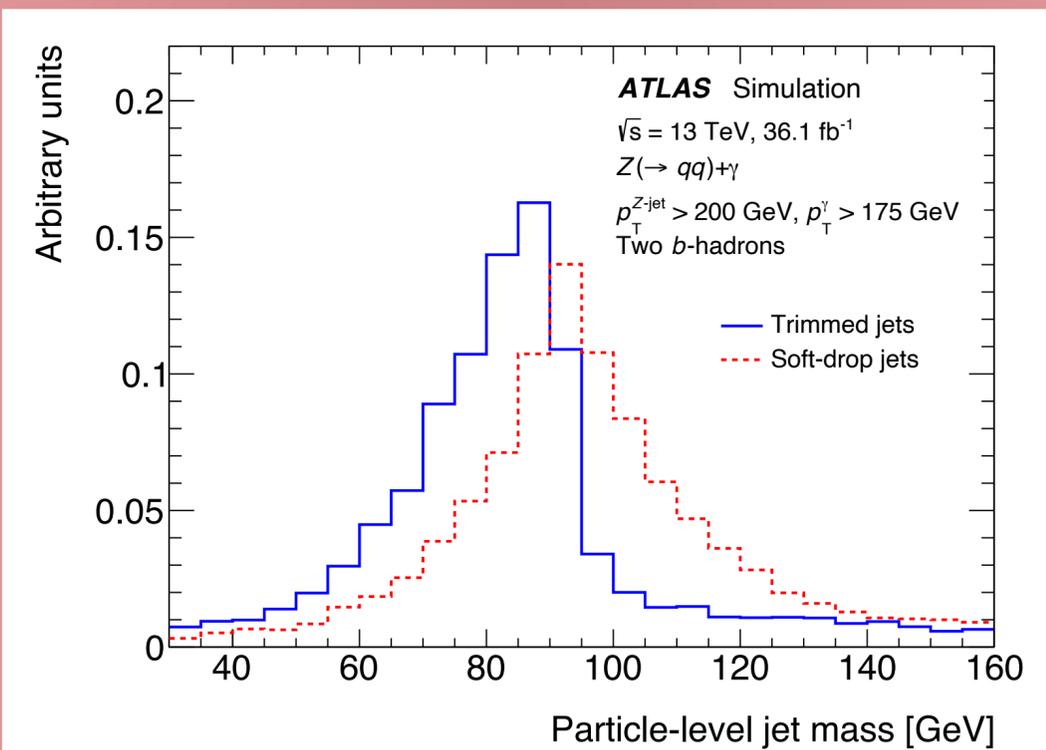
looking forward: the top mass

- ▶ Currently, most precise measurements of the top mass are done using direct reconstruction
- ▶ Provides measurement of the MC top mass
- ▶ Soft drop can be used to isolate a boosted top quark from the rest of the event
 - ▶ May be possible to factorize the calculation in a meaningful way
 - ▶ Would not rely on MC templates for measurement



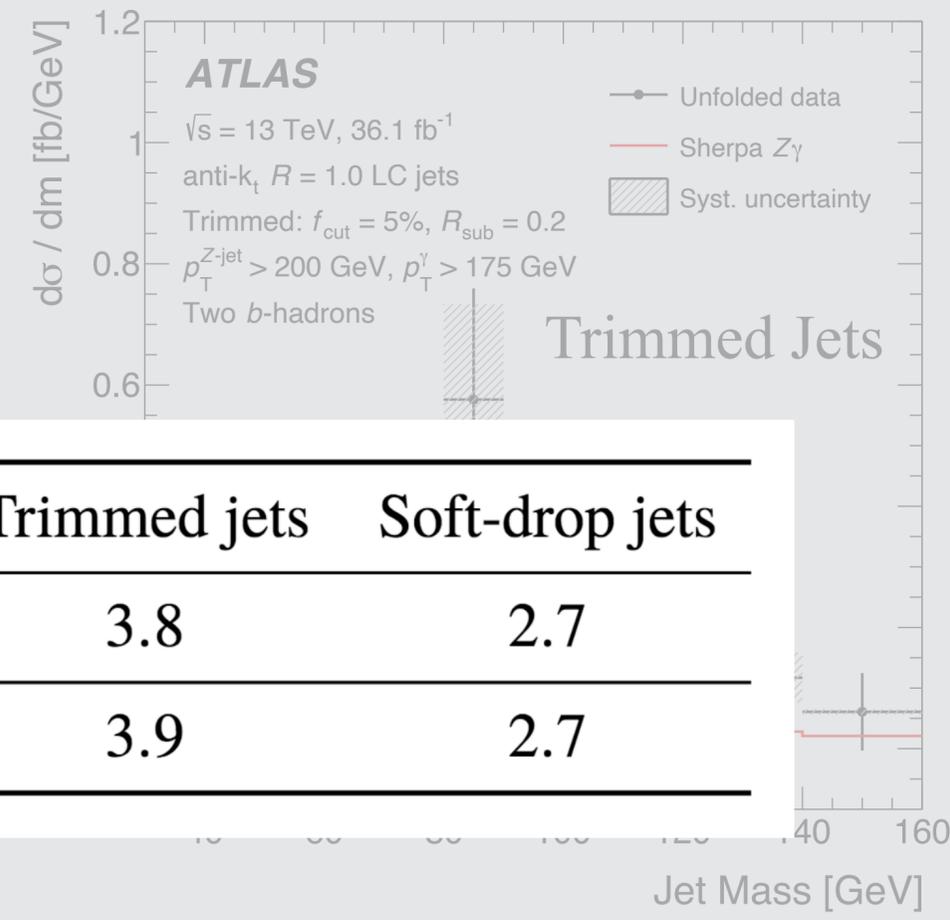
$Z(\rightarrow bb) + \gamma$

- ▶ Measuring with both Soft Drop and trimmed jets
- ▶ Mass distributions have different shapes, even at particle level
- ▶ Applied pileup mitigation (Constituent Subtraction + SoftKiller) to Soft Drop jets due to pileup instabilities

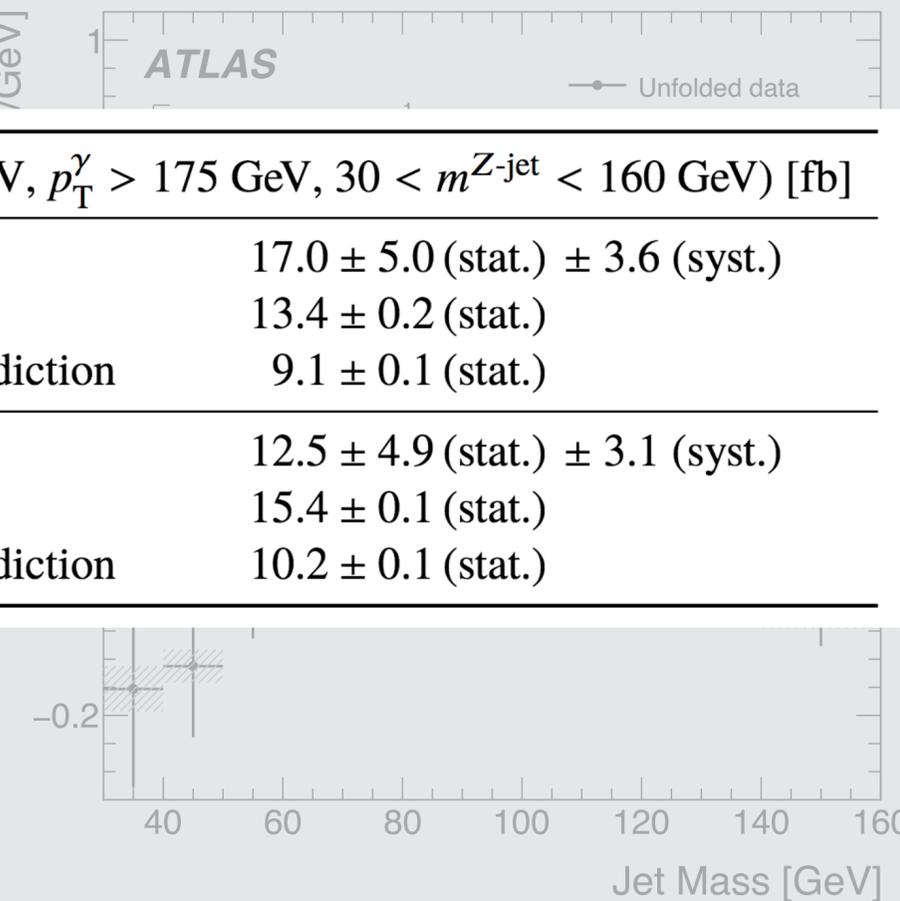


- ▶ Z decay products are captured within a large jet
- ▶ Jet mass distributions are significantly broader when unfolded to particle level after

	Trimmed jets	Soft-drop jets
Expected significance	3.8	2.7
Observed significance	3.9	2.7

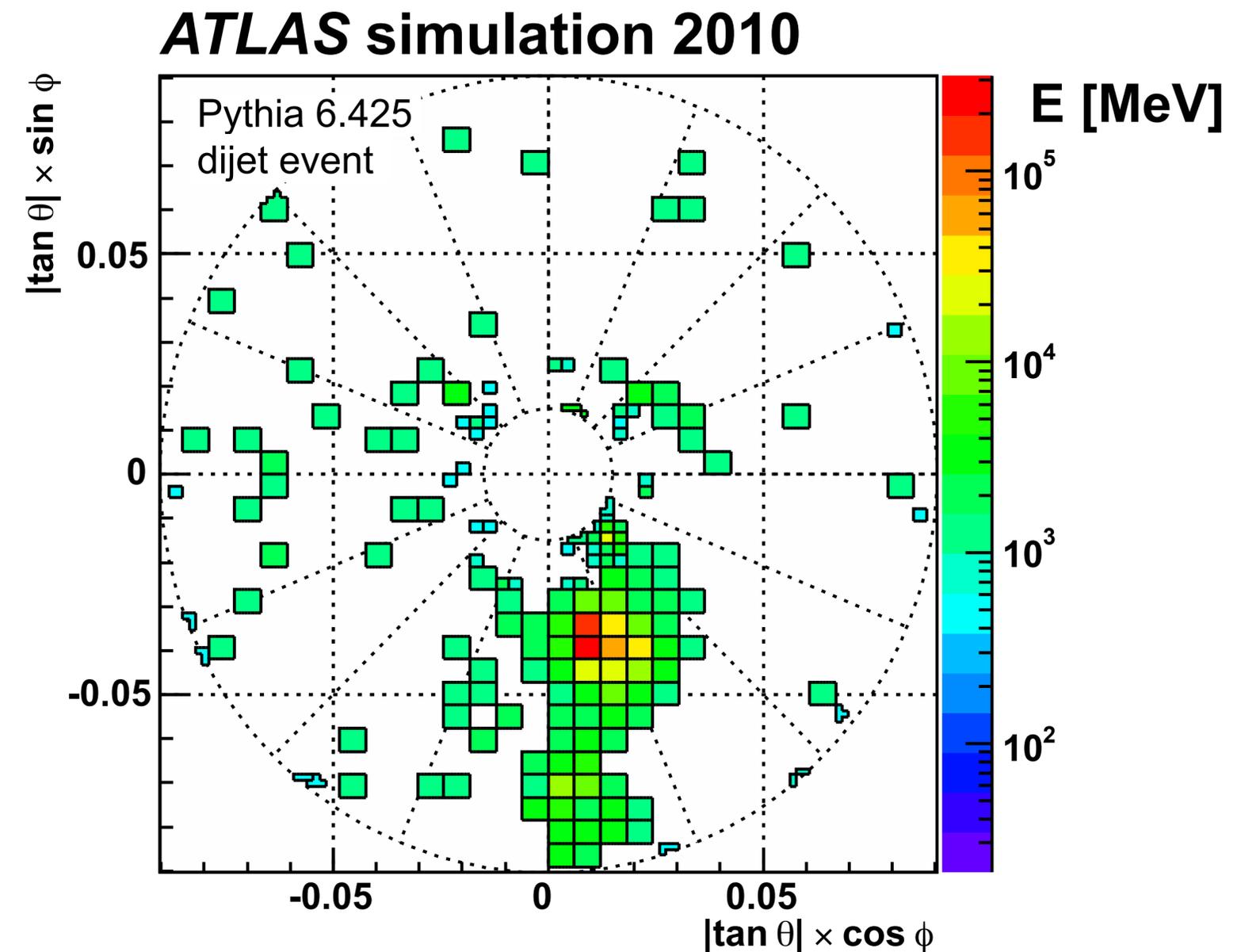


Jet definition	$\sigma (Z(\rightarrow b\bar{b})\gamma, p_T^{Z\text{-jet}} > 200 \text{ GeV}, p_T^\gamma > 175 \text{ GeV}, 30 < m^{Z\text{-jet}} < 160 \text{ GeV})$ [fb]	
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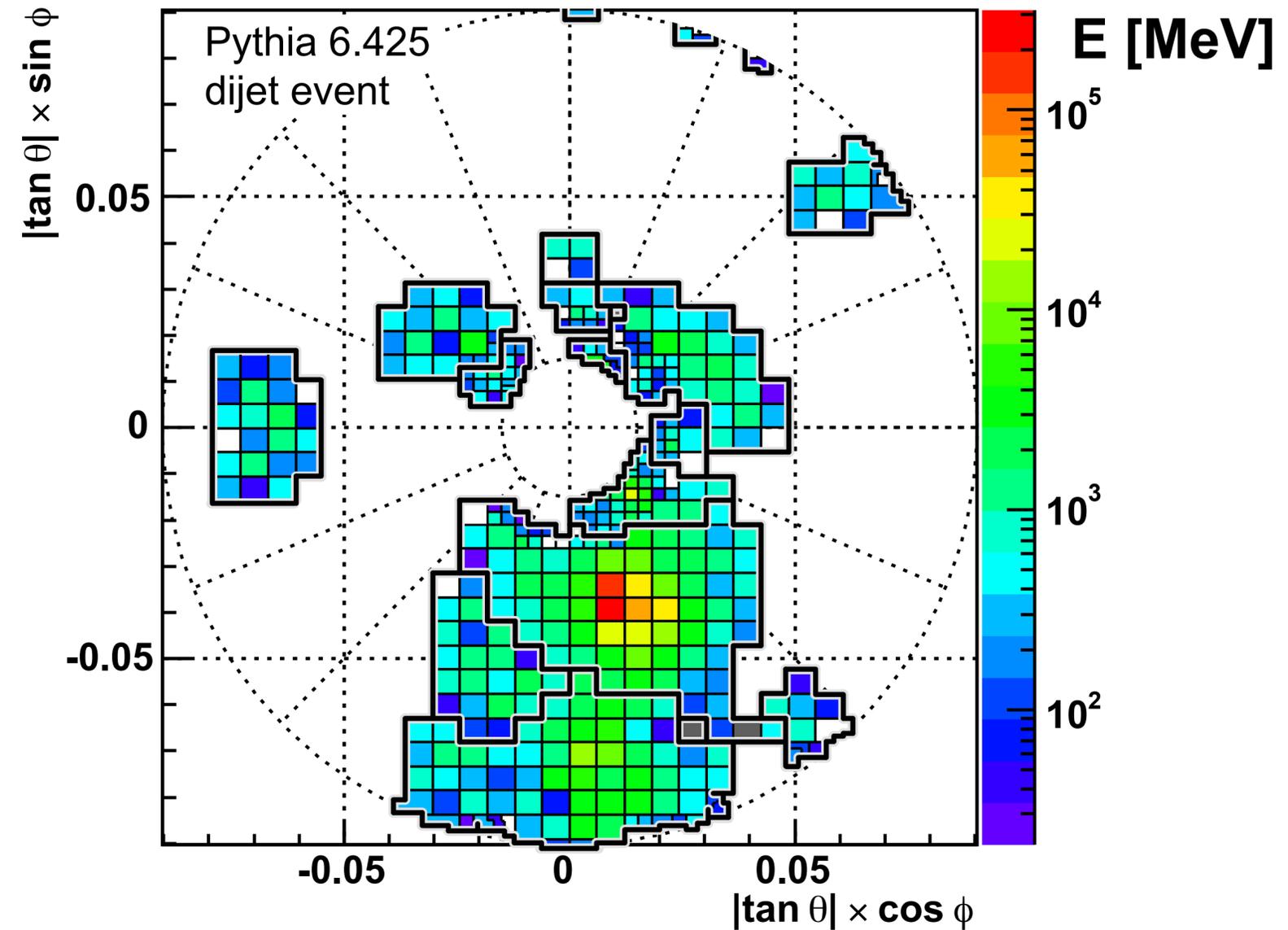
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