

Jet Substructure at the LHC

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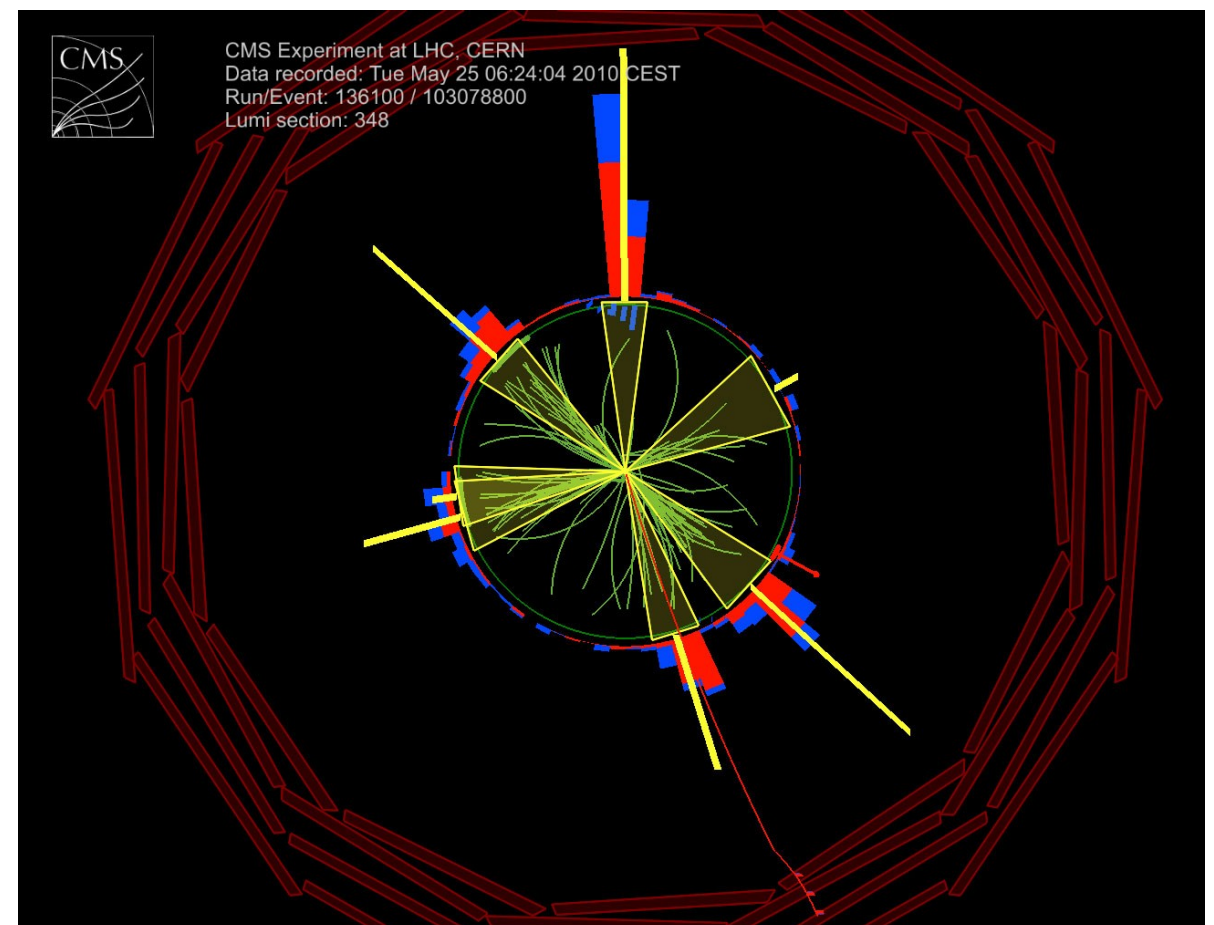
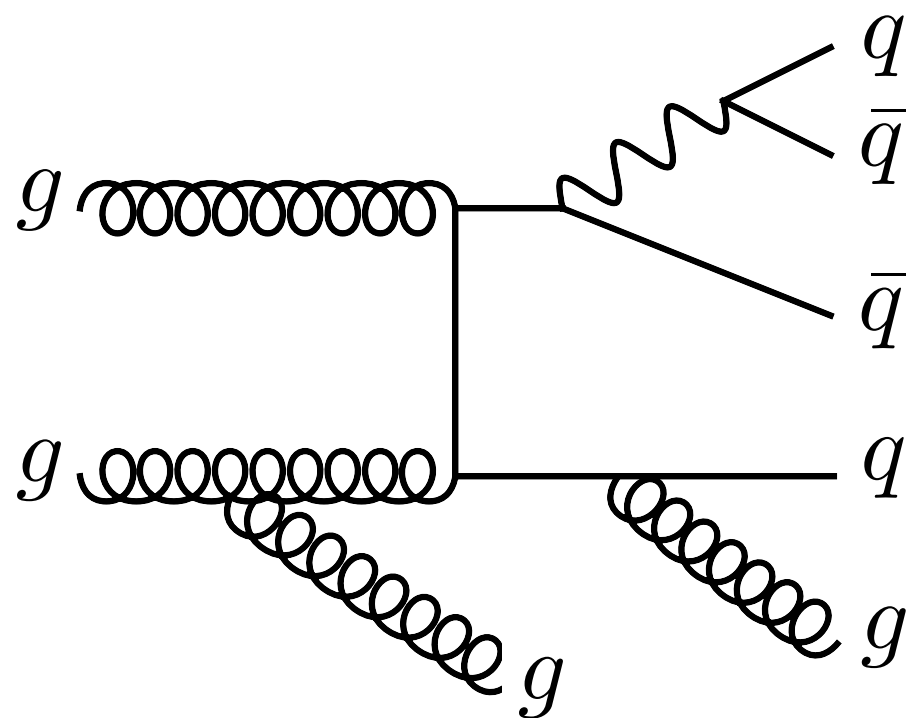


Introduction

What is a Jet?

Energetic quarks and gluons
radiate and hadronize

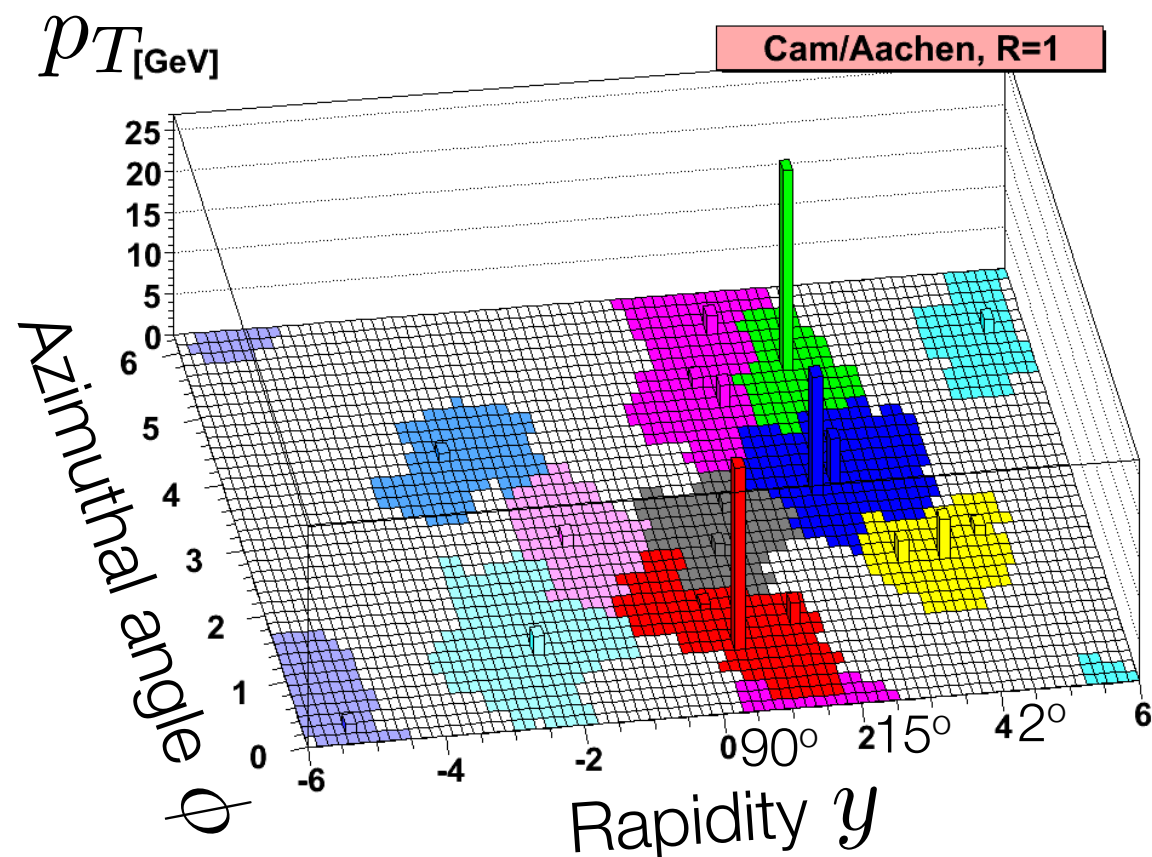
→ Produce jets of hadrons



Jet Algorithms

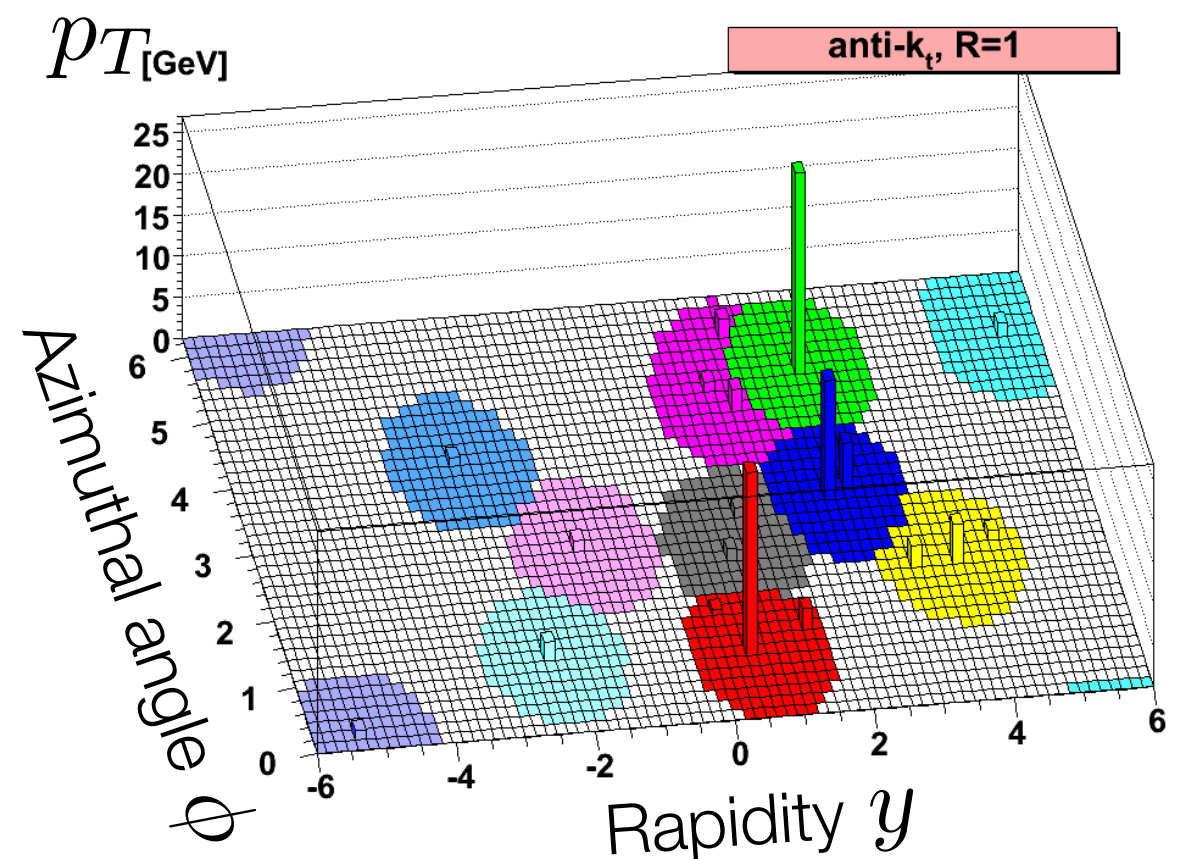
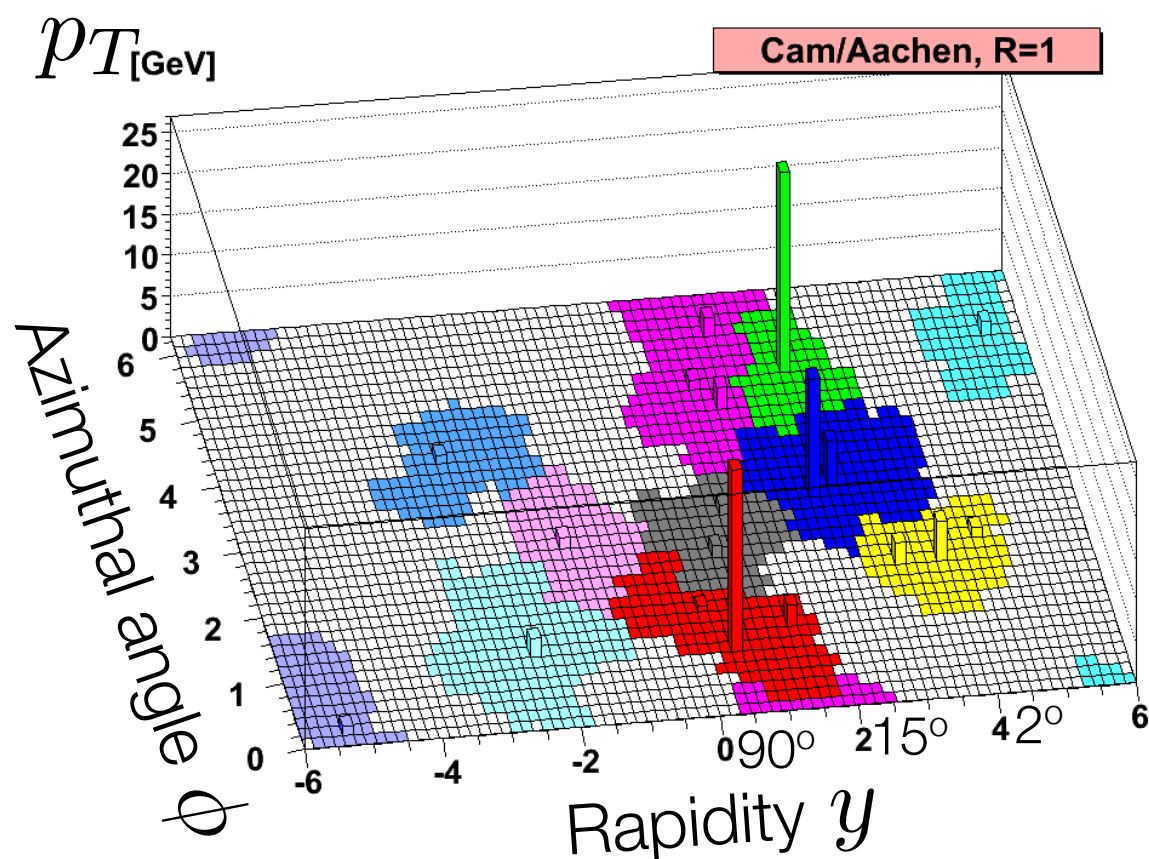
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$$\text{distance} = (\Delta y)^2 + (\Delta\phi)^2$$



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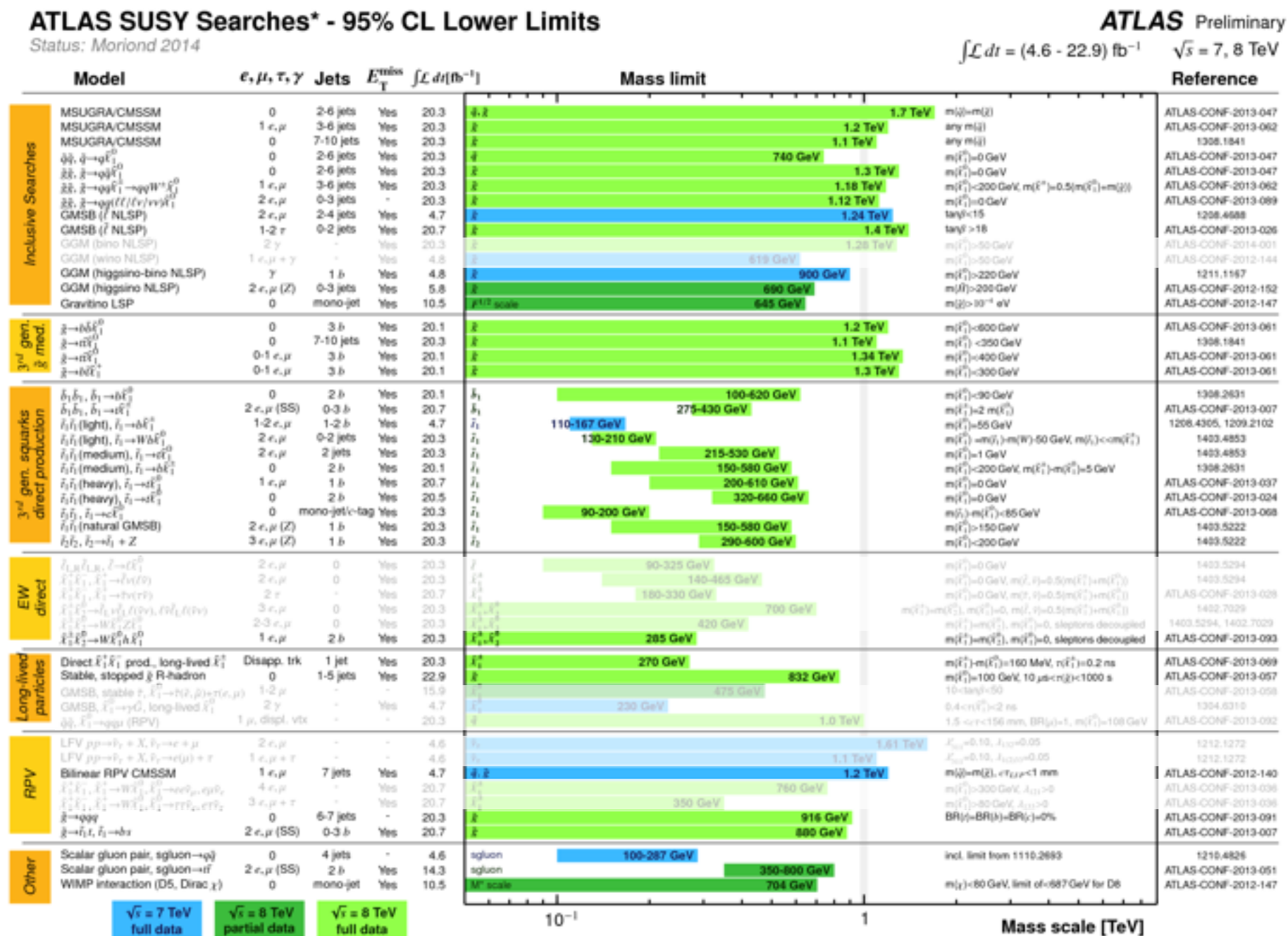
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- Default at LHC: anti- k_T (Cacciari, Salam, Soyez)



(arXiv:0802.1189)

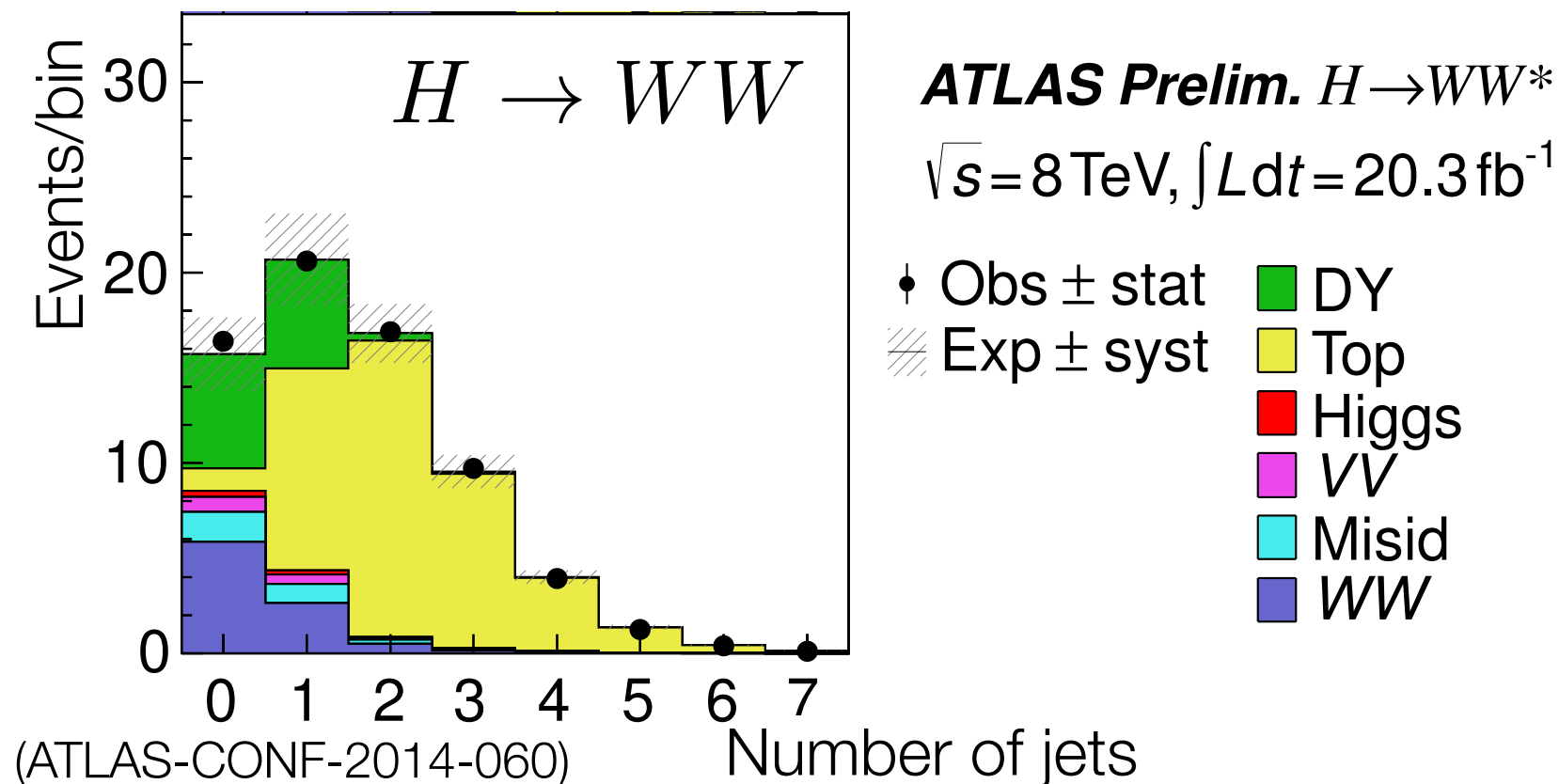
Jets at the LHC

- Most measurements involve jets as signal or background



Jet Cross Sections

- Bin by jet multiplicity to improve background rejection



- Large logarithms lead to **large theory uncertainties**

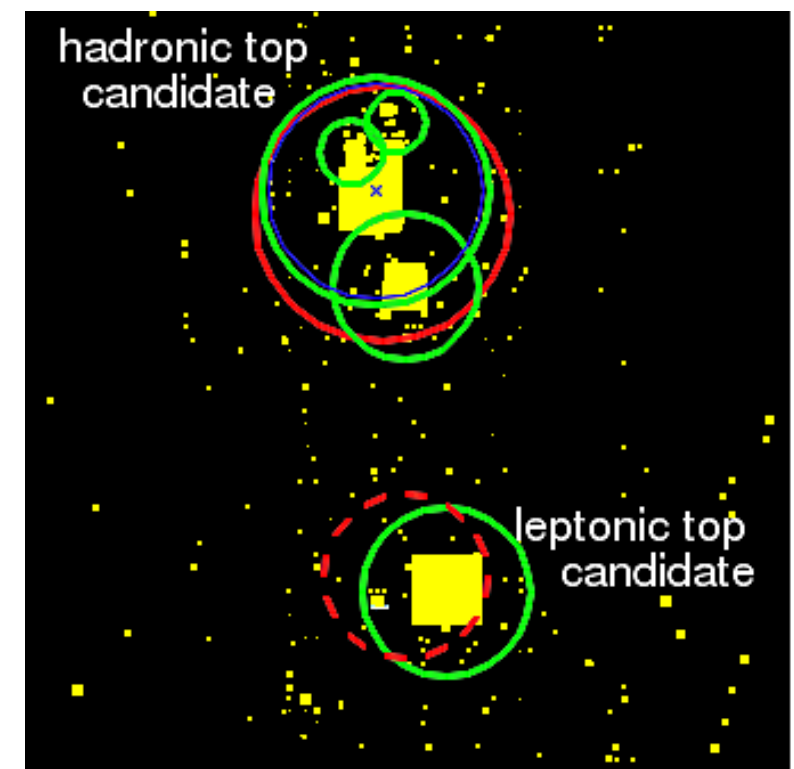
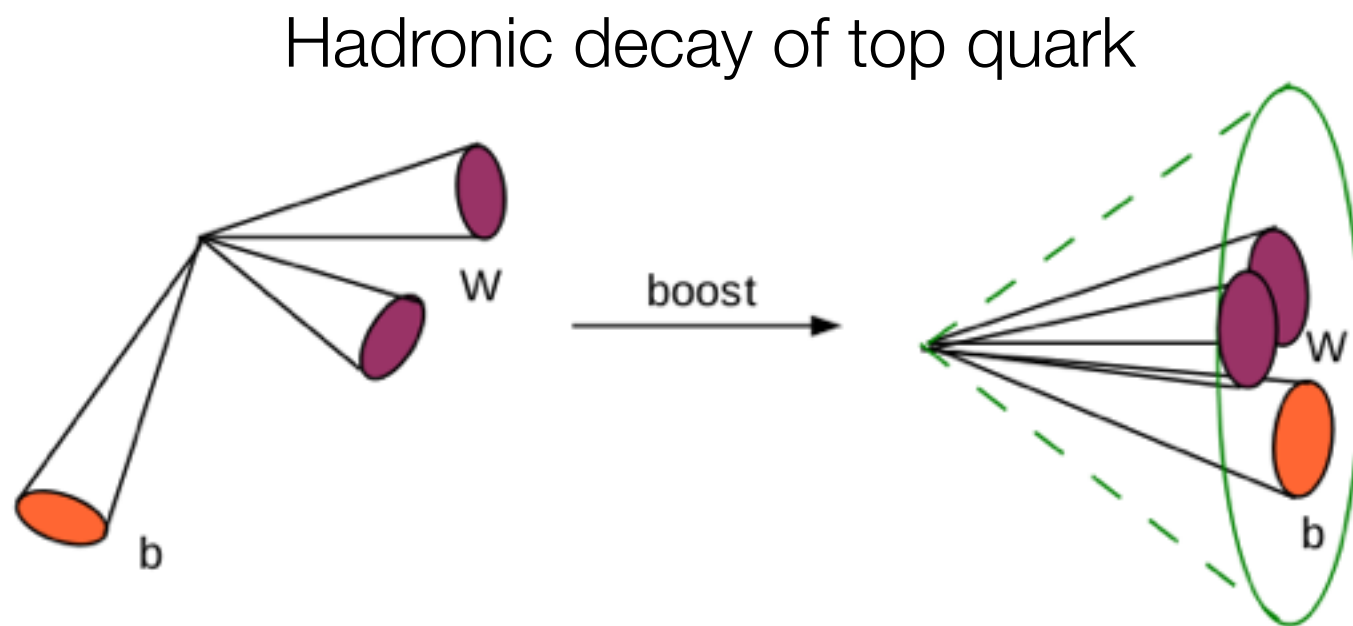
$$\sigma(H + 0 \text{ jets}) \propto 1 - \frac{6\alpha_s}{\pi} \ln^2 \frac{p_T^{\text{cut}}}{m_H} + \dots$$

no jets above this p_T

(Berger, Marcantonini, Stewart, Tackmann, WW; Banfi, Monni, Salam, Zanderighi, Becher, Neubert, Rothen; Stewart, Tackmann, Walsh, Zuberi; Liu, Petriello; Boughezal, Focke, Li, Liu; Jaiswal, Okui, ...)

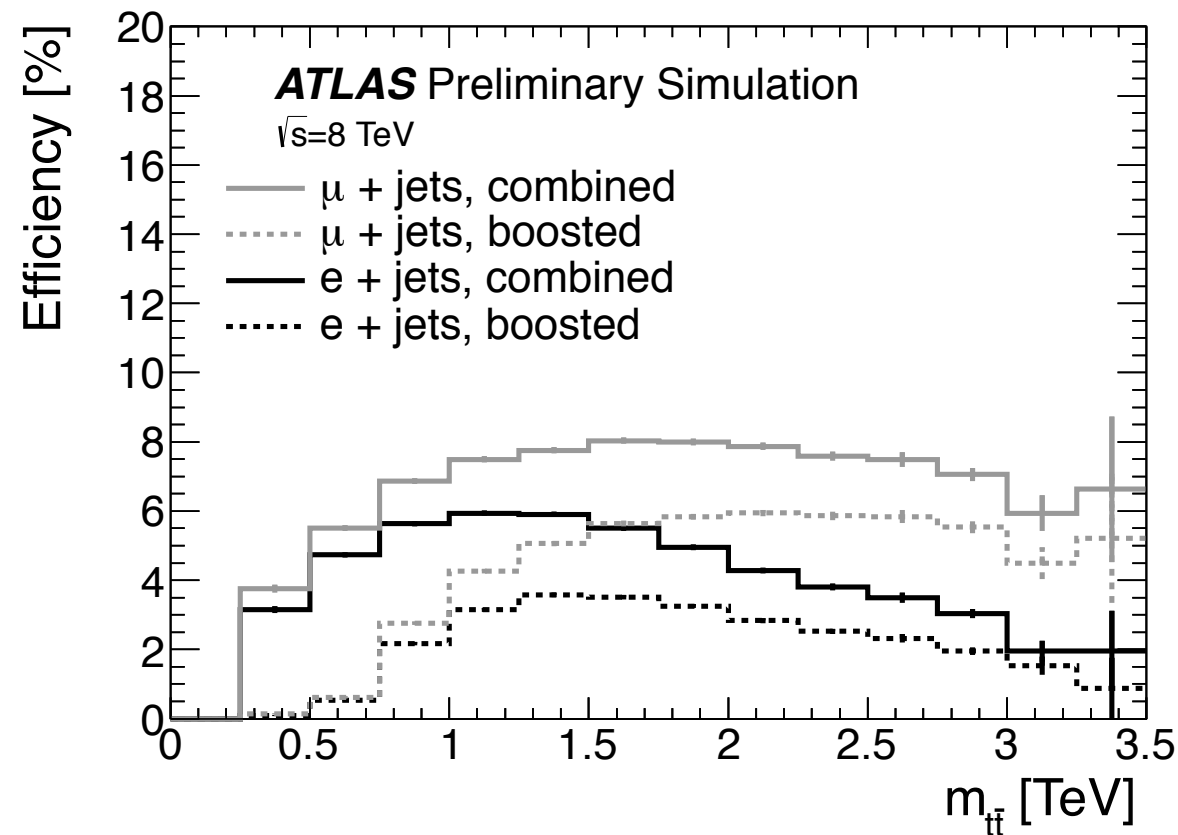
Jet Substructure for Boosted Objects

- New heavy particles could produce boosted top, W, Higgs
→ decay products lie within one “fat” jet
- Distinguish from QCD jets using jet substructure
- Avoids combinatorial background

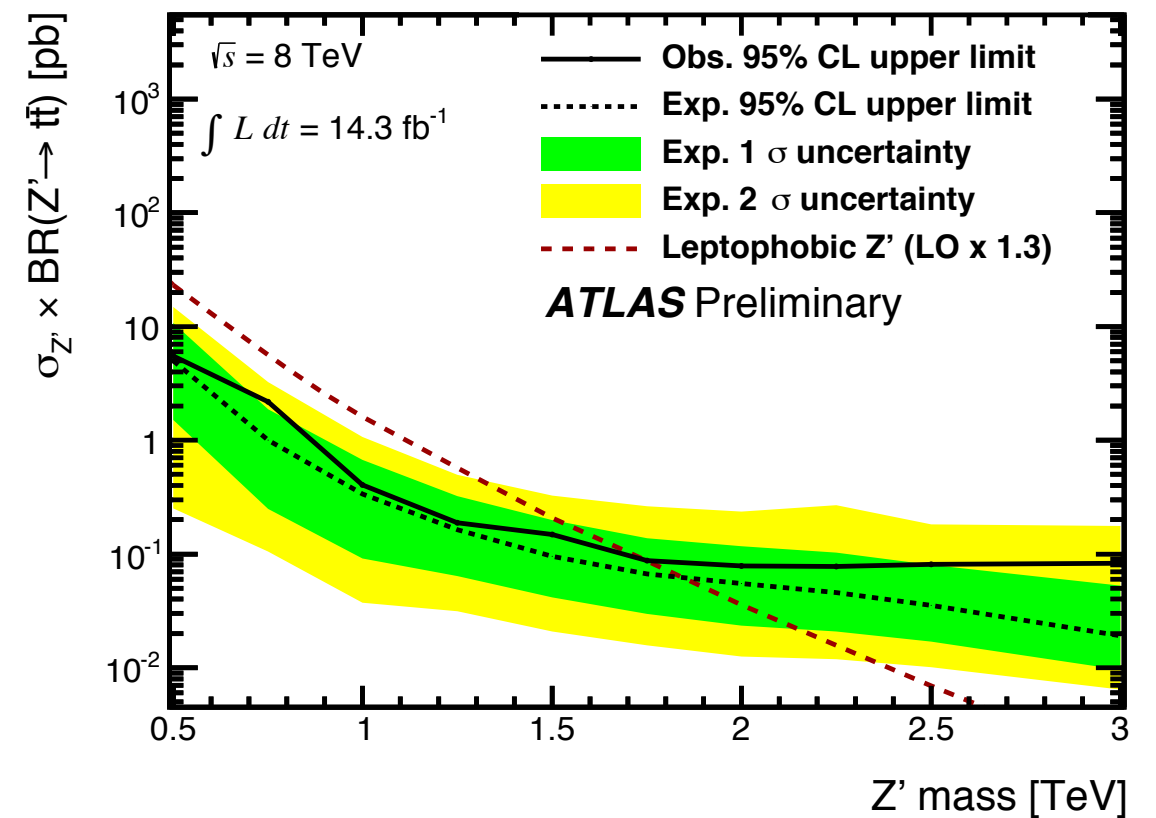


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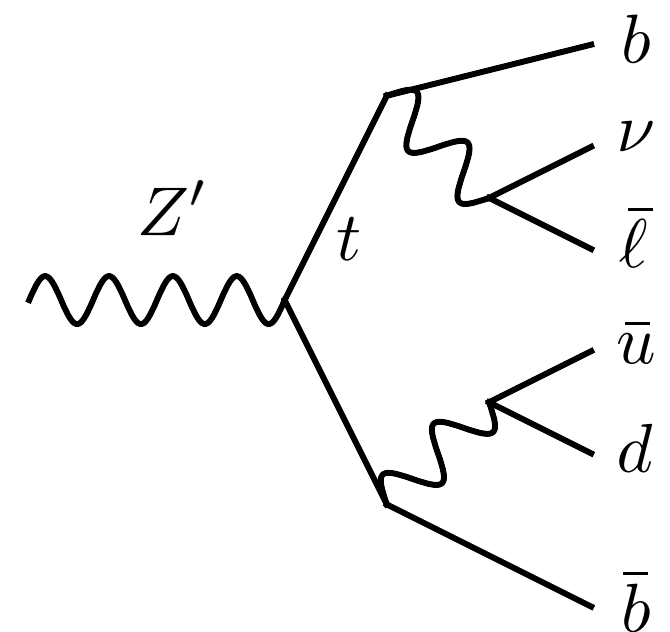
Top Tagging in $Z' \rightarrow t\bar{t}$



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- One leptonic and one hadronic top
- Boosted analysis crucial for large $m_{Z'}$

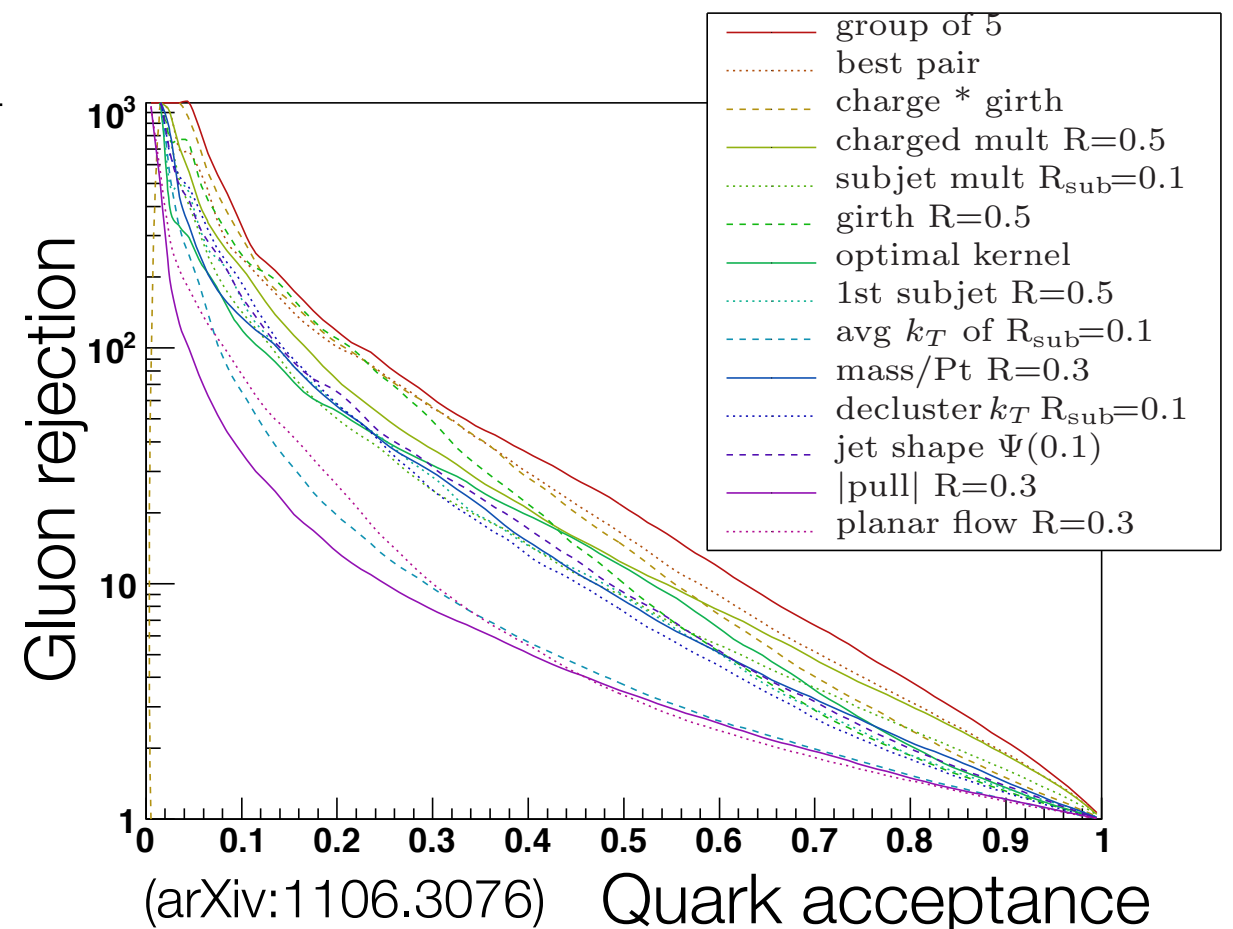


Jet Substructure for Quark/Gluon Discrimination

- New physics often more quarks than QCD backgrounds
- Extensive Pythia study (Gallicchio, Schwartz)
- Charged track multiplicity and jet “girth” are good

$$\text{girth} = \sum_{i \in \text{jet}} \frac{p_T^i}{p_T^J} \sqrt{(y_i - y_J)^2 + (\phi_i - \phi_J)^2}$$

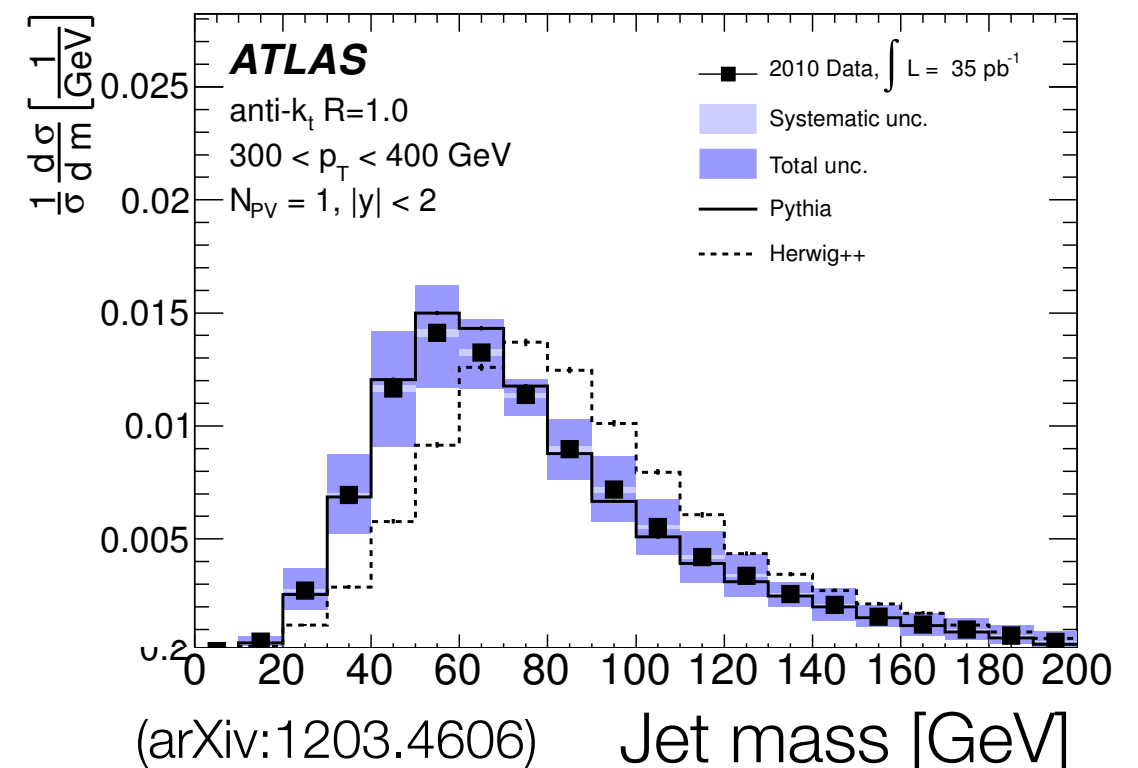
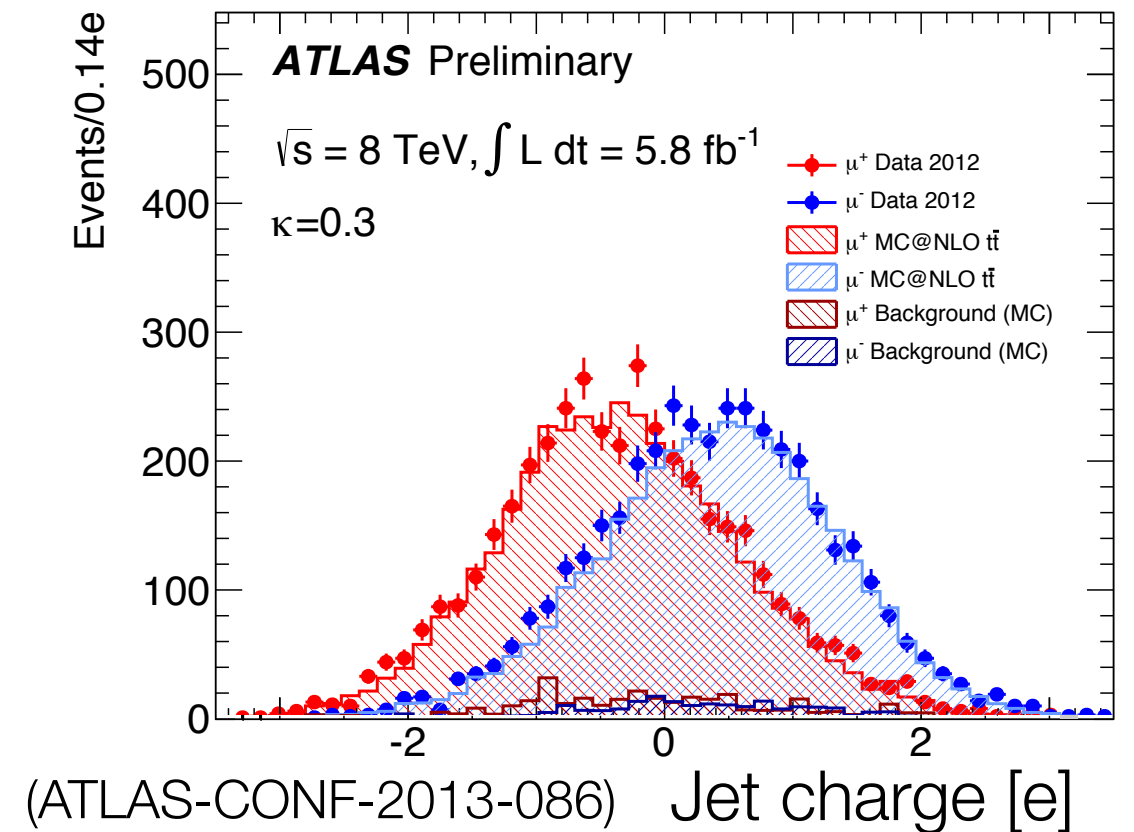
- More variables only give marginal improvement



Jet Mass and Charge

Motivation:

- Measured at the LHC
- Benchmark for our ability to calculate substructure
- Test and improve Monte Carlo: Herwig and Pythia differ



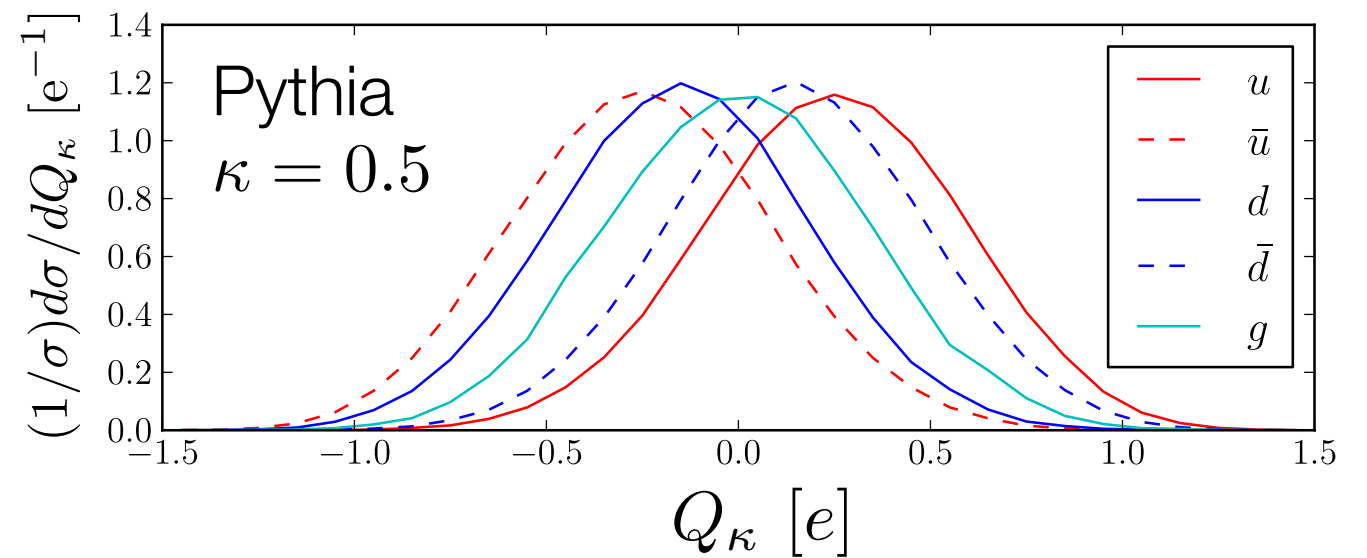
Jet Charge

Krohn, Lin, Schwartz, WW (arXiv:1209.2421)
WW (arXiv:1209.3091)

Defining Jet Charge

$$Q_\kappa = \sum_{i \in \text{jet}} Q_i \left(\frac{p_T^i}{p_T^J} \right)^\kappa$$

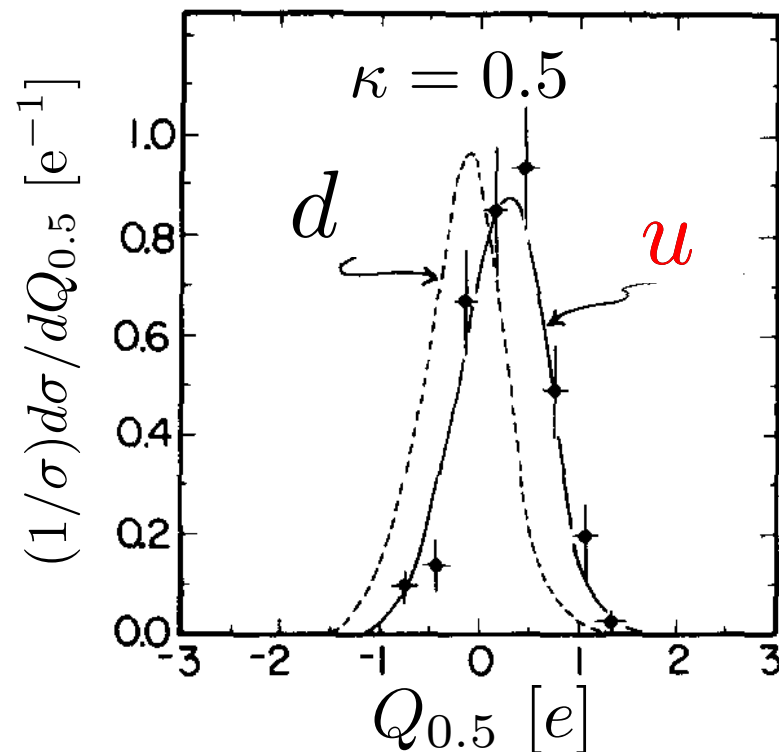
(Feynman, Field)



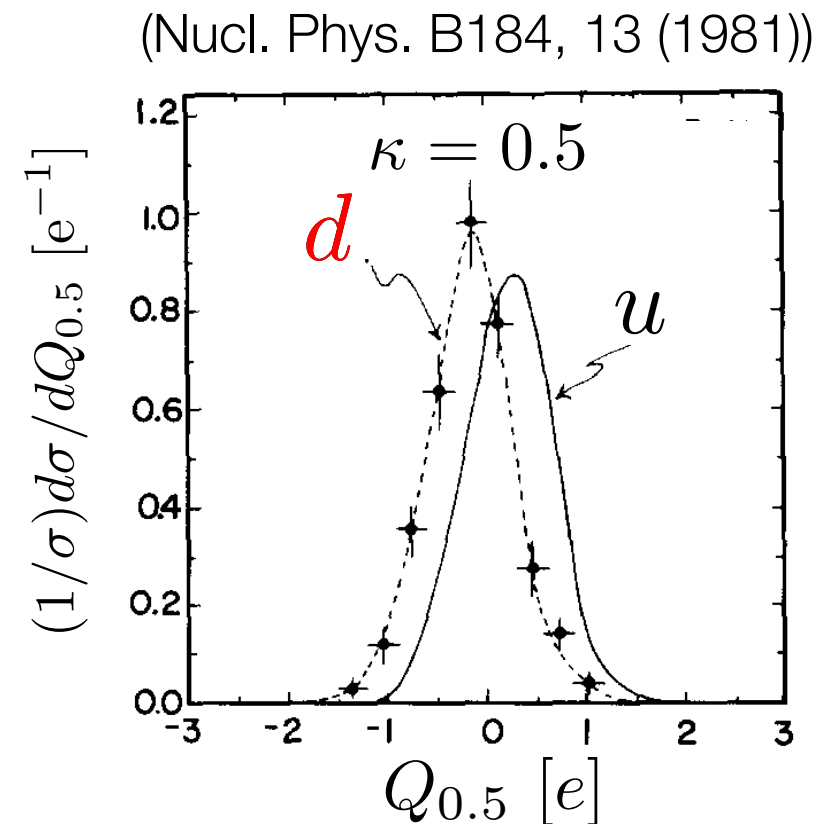
- If κ too small: sensitive to soft hadrons \rightarrow contamination
- If κ too large: only sensitive to most energetic hadron
 \rightarrow need more statistics

Historical Applications

- Test parton model



$$\nu_\mu p \rightarrow \mu^- u X$$



$$\bar{\nu}_\mu p \rightarrow \mu^+ d X$$

- Jet charge at LEP:
 - Forward-backward charge asymmetry (AMY (1990),...)
 - $B^0 \leftrightarrow \overline{B^0}$ mixing (ALEPH (1992), ...)

Possible LHC application: W' vs. Z'

- Hadronically decaying W' or Z' with 1 TeV mass
- 2-dim. likelihood discriminant based on **both** jet charges

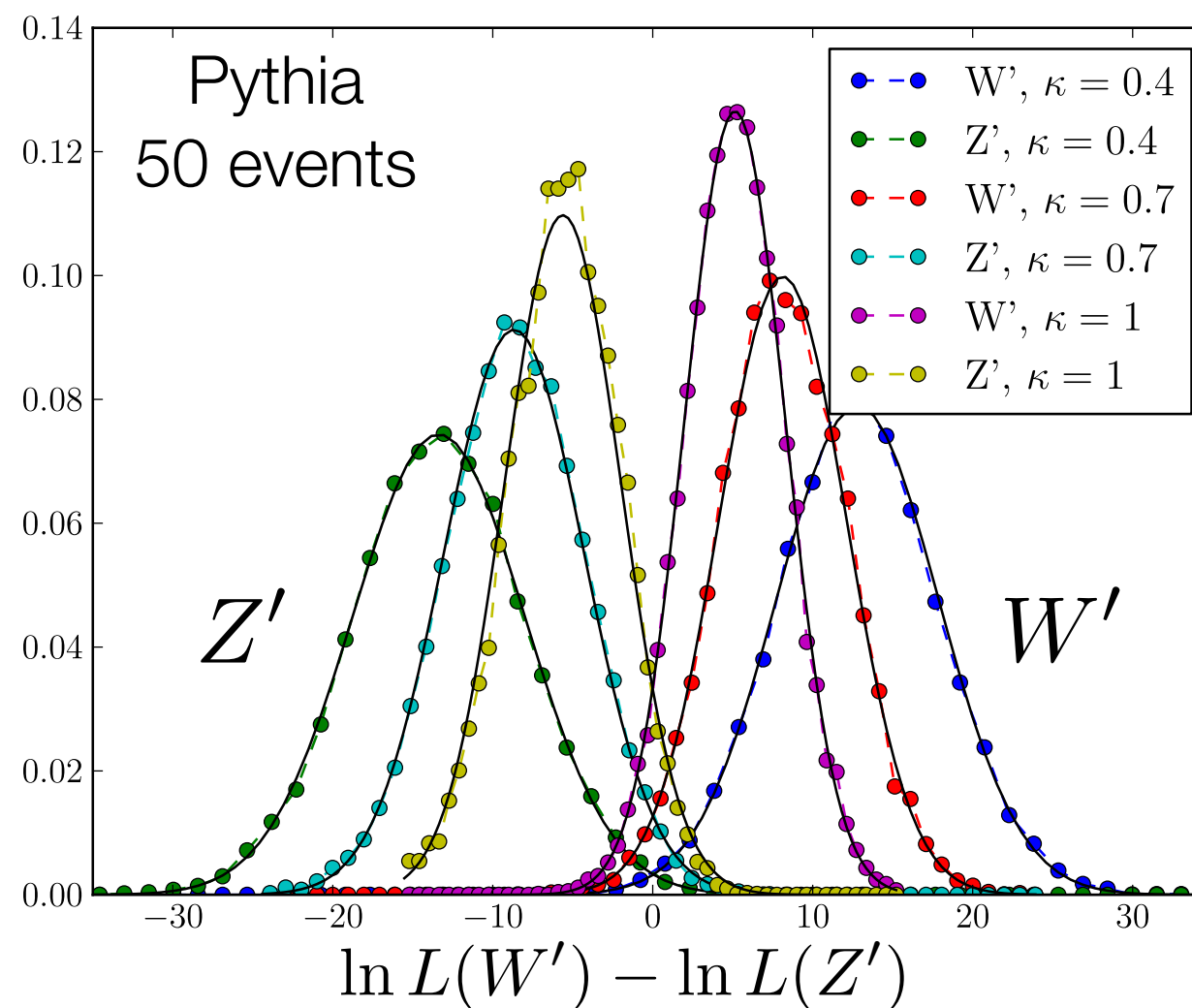
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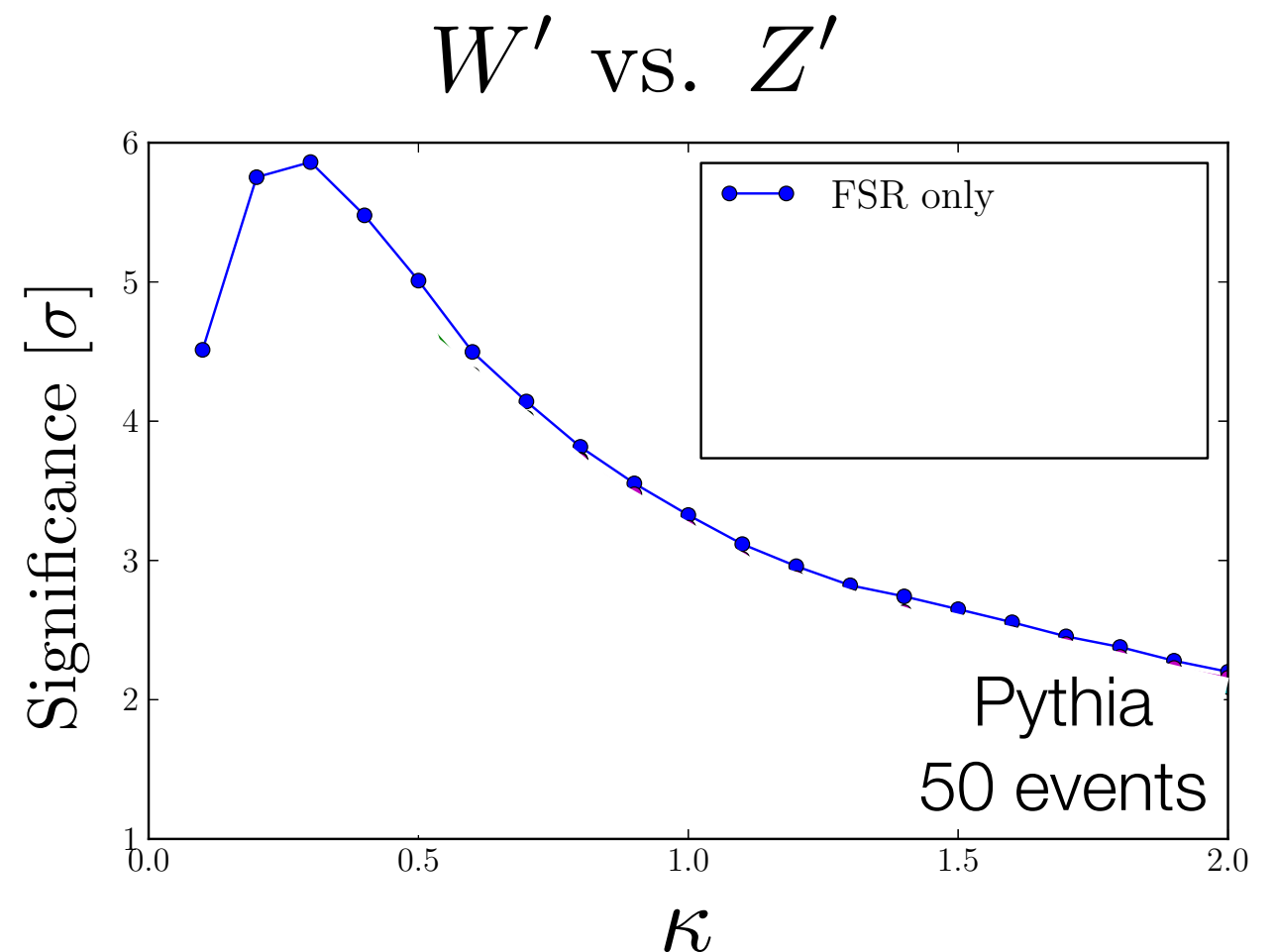
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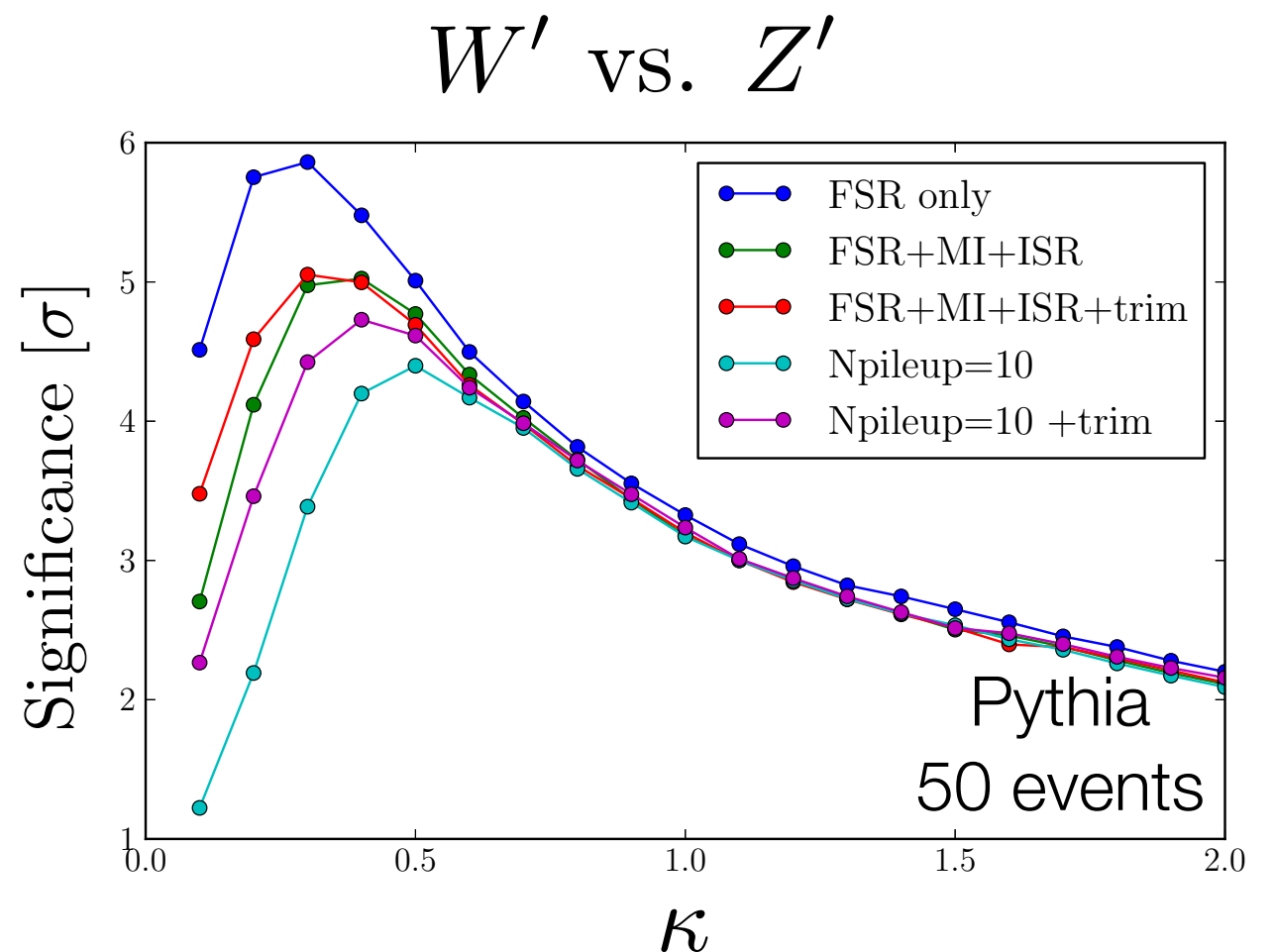
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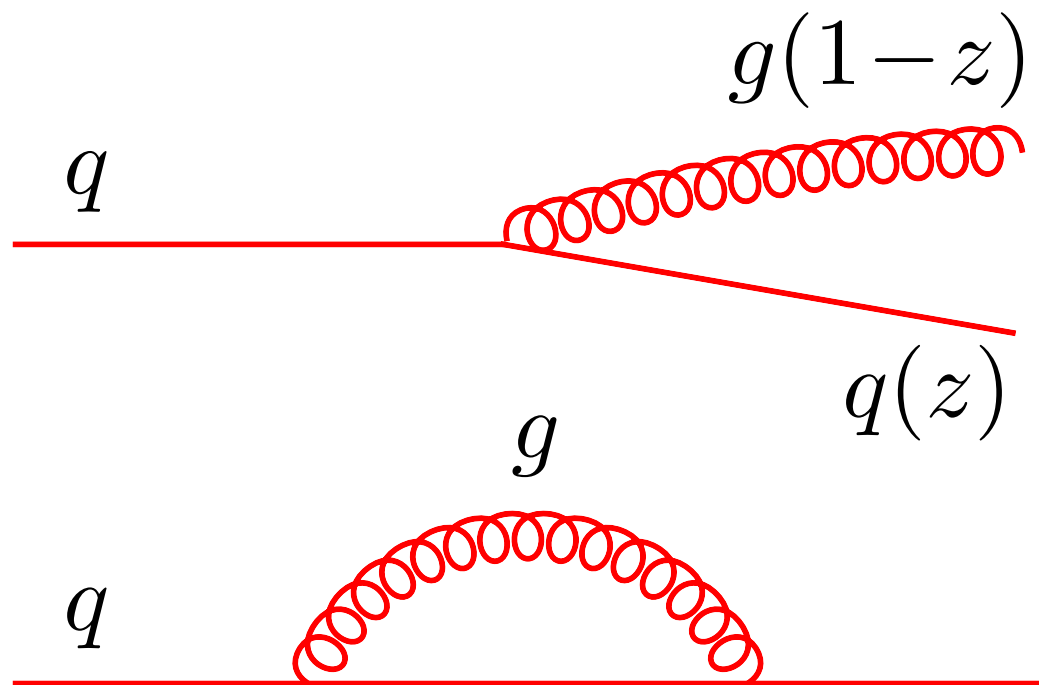
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- Various sources of contamination:
 - Initial-State Radiation
 - Multiparton Interactions
 - Pile-up (overestimated)
- All soft \rightarrow increase κ



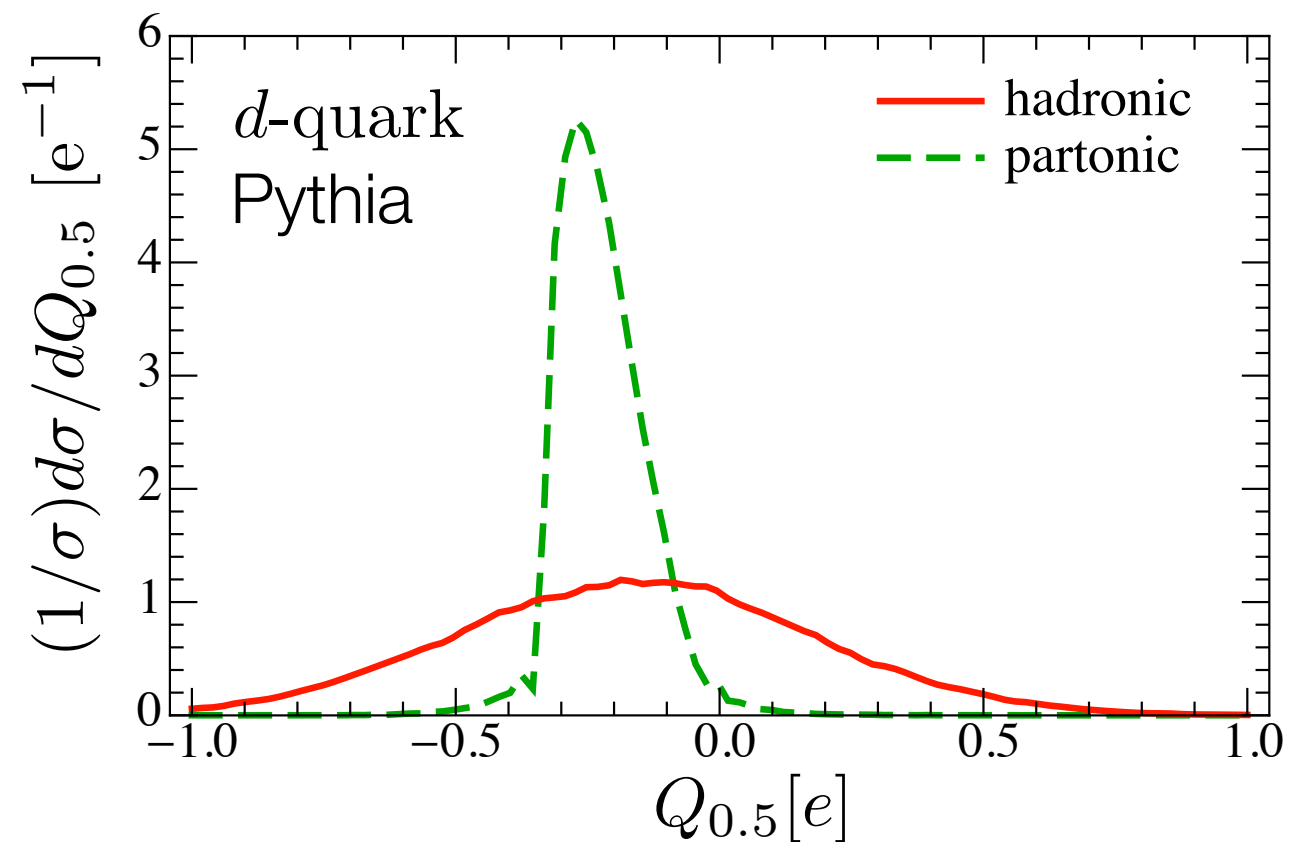
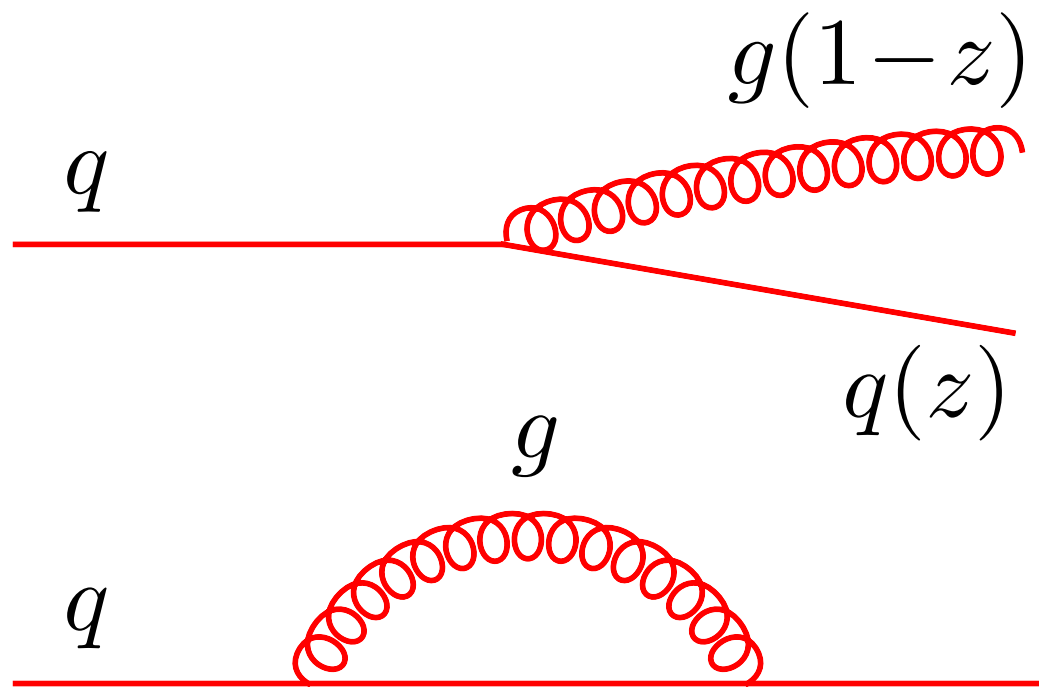
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- Jet charge only defined for hadrons



Average Jet Charge Calculation

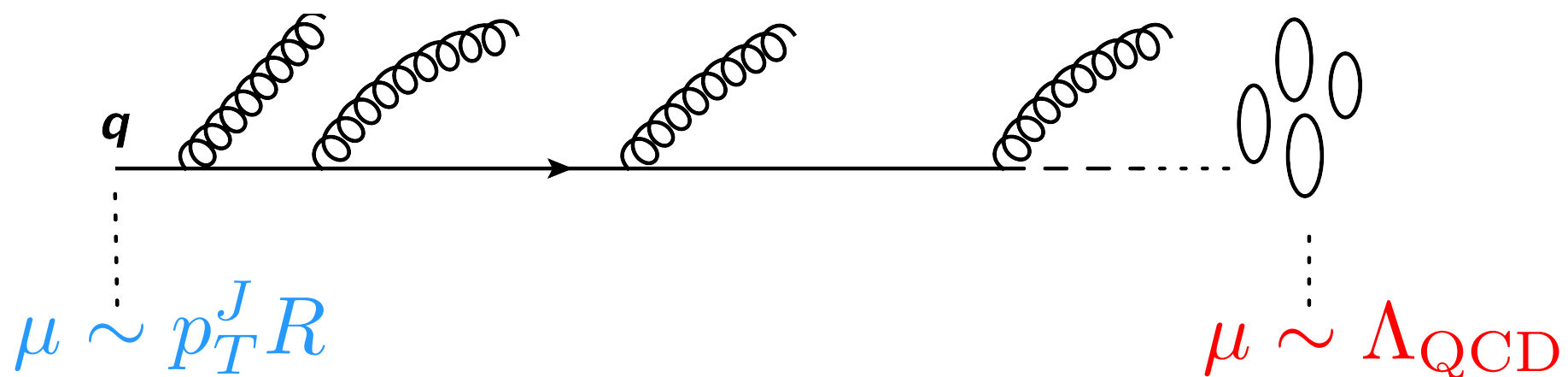
$$\langle Q_\kappa \rangle = \underbrace{\sum_h}_{\text{hadron } h} \underbrace{\int dz \, Q_h z^\kappa}_{\text{charge}} \underbrace{\frac{1}{\sigma_{\text{jet}}} \frac{d\sigma_{h \in \text{jet}}}{dz}}_{\text{weight}}$$

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- Calculate p_T^J, R dependence from evolution to $\mu \sim \Lambda_{\text{QCD}}$
- $D_q^h(z, \mu \sim \Lambda_{\text{QCD}})$ describes hadronization

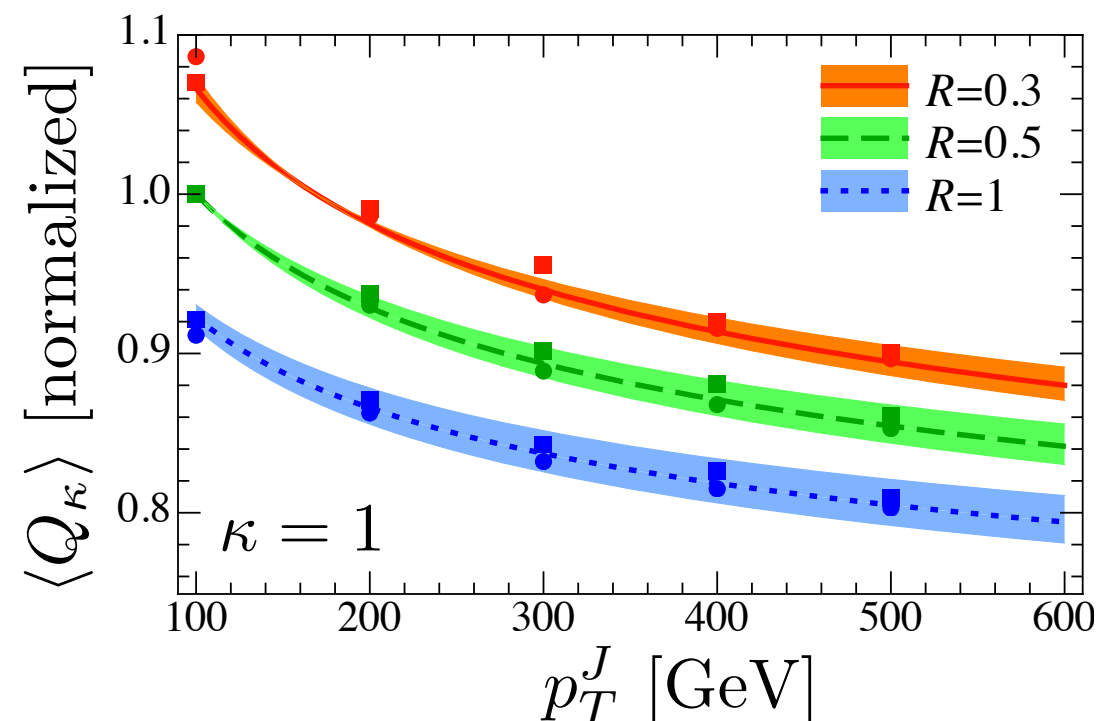
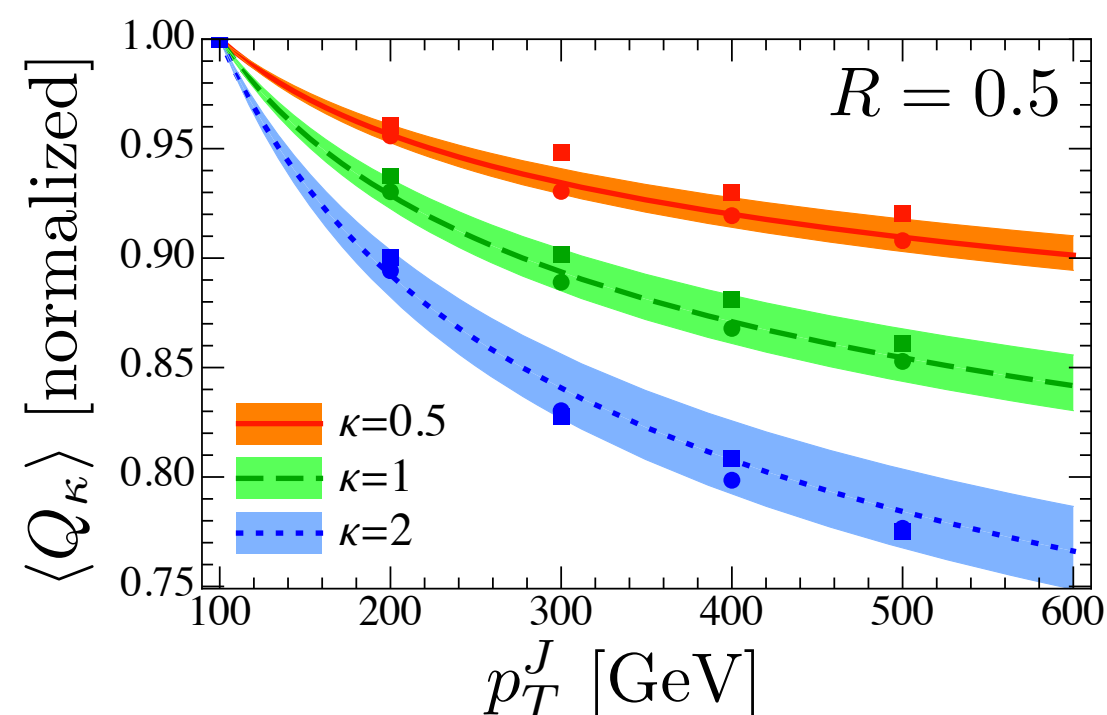


RG Evolution vs. Pythia's Parton Shower

$$\langle Q_\kappa(p_T^J R, \text{flavor}) \rangle = \underbrace{\text{perturbative}(\kappa, p_T^J R)}_{\text{perturbative splitting + evolution}} \times \text{hadronization}(\kappa, \text{flavor})$$

- Normalize average jet charge: $\frac{\langle Q_\kappa(p_T^J R) \rangle}{\langle Q_\kappa(50 \text{ GeV}) \rangle}$

→ Hadronization (and flavor dependence) drops out



✓ Good agreement

Fragmentation Functions vs. Pythia's Hadronization

- Average jet charge at $p_T^J = 100$ GeV, $R = 0.5$

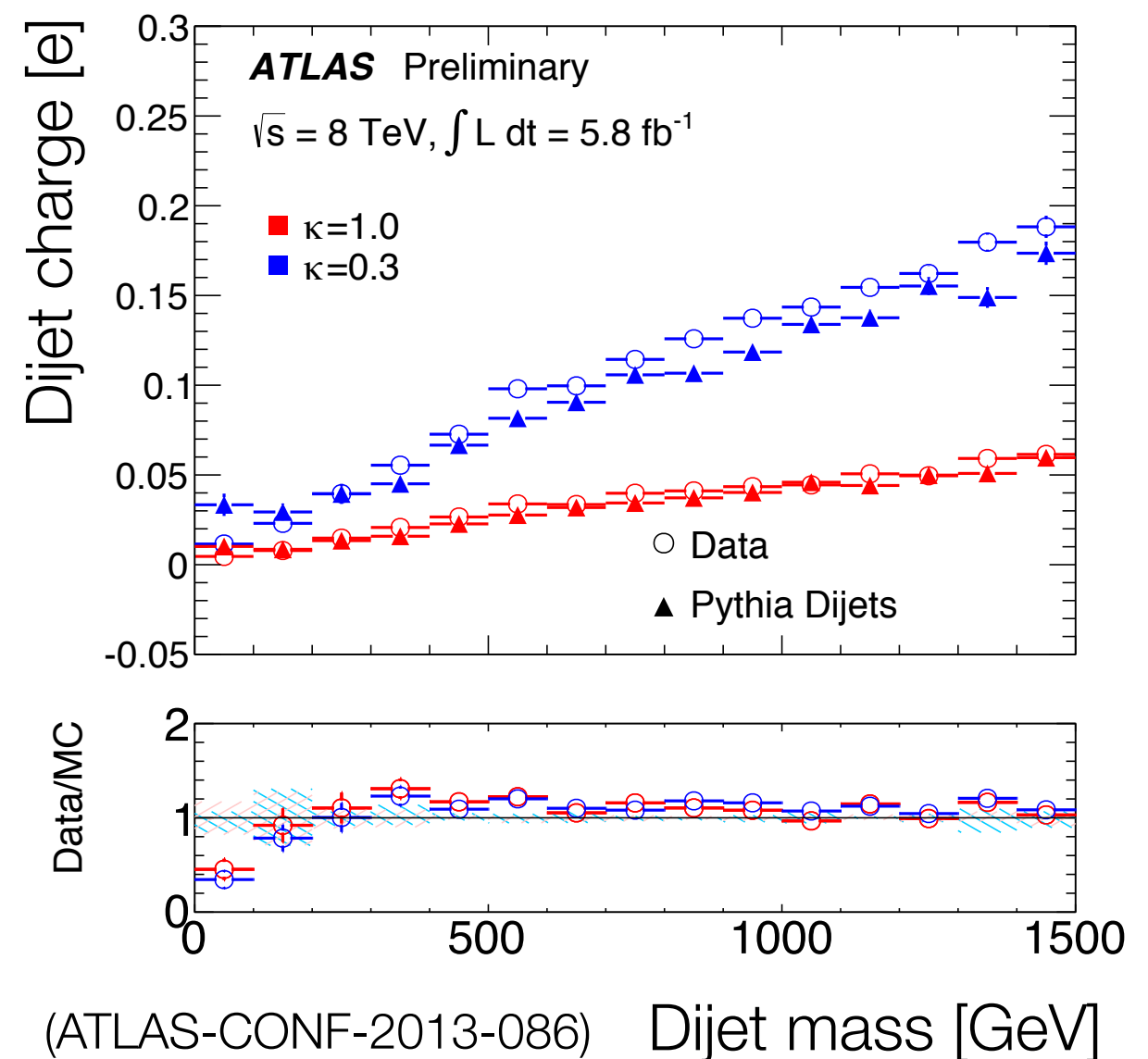
κ	<i>u</i> -quark			<i>d</i> -quark		
	PYTHIA	DSS	AKK08	PYTHIA	DSS	AKK08
0.5	0.271	0.237	0.221	-0.162	-0.184	-0.062
1	0.144	0.122	0.134	-0.078	-0.088	-0.046
2	0.055	0.046	0.064	-0.027	-0.030	-0.027

(DSS = De Florian, Sassot, Stratmann, AKK08 = Albino, Kniehl, Kramer)

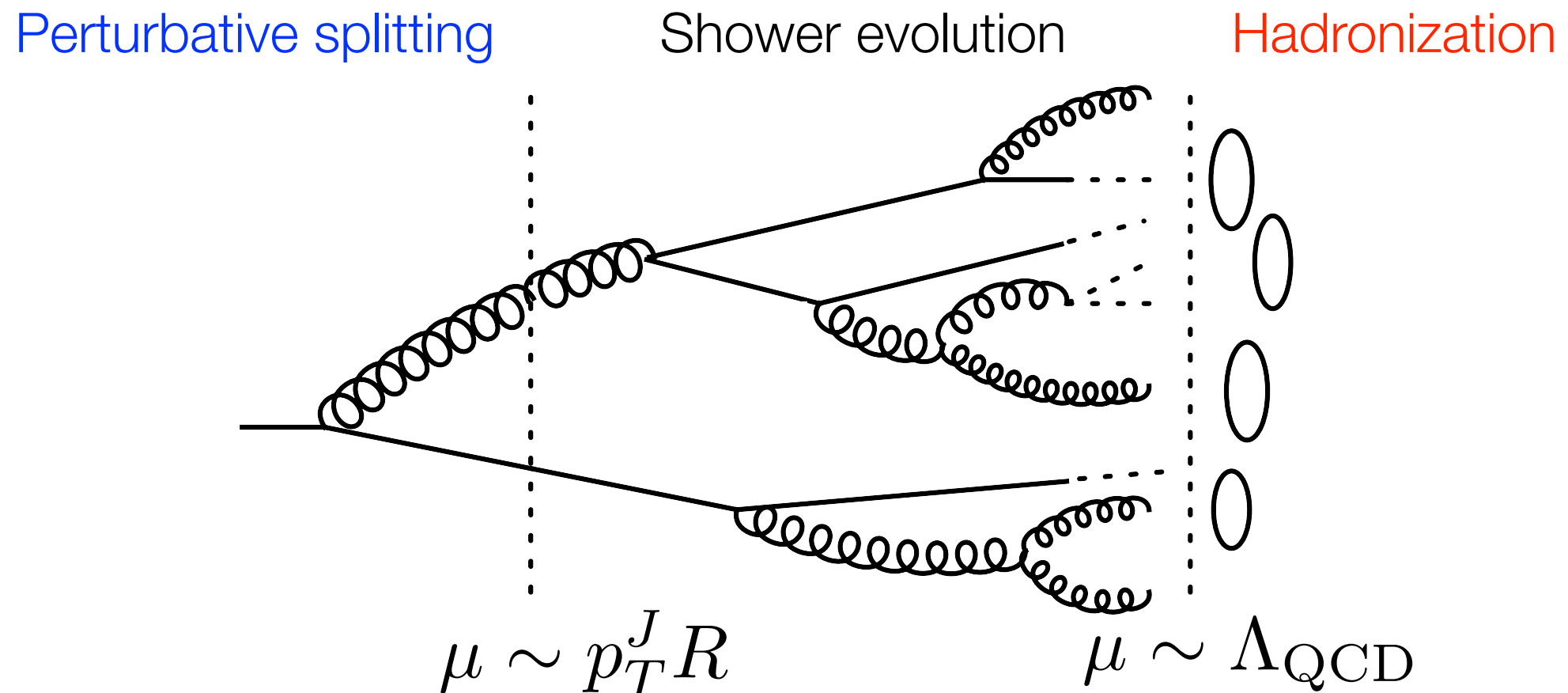
- ✓ Pythia consistent with fragmentation functions
- Large uncertainties as we need $D_q^{h^+} - D_q^{h^-} = D_q^{h^+} - D_{\bar{q}}^{h^+}$
Most fragmentation data is e^+e^- giving $D_q^{h^+} + D_{\bar{q}}^{h^+}$

Average Dijet Charge at the LHC

- Depends on proton structure and scattering process
- Pure QCD measurement of valence structure of proton!
- Study of scale violation effect is ongoing



Full Jet Charge Distribution



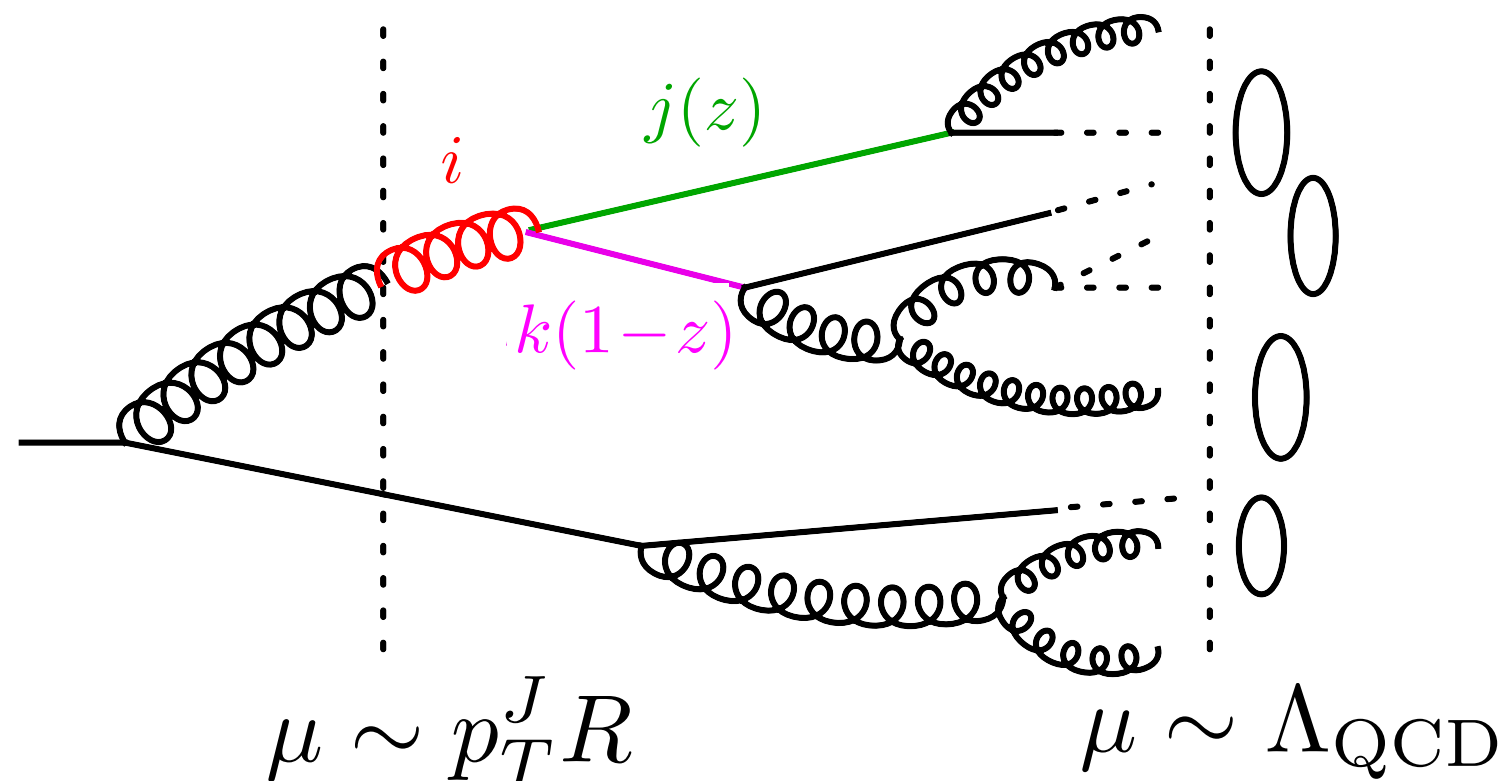
- **Perturbative splitting** reduces μ -dependence (Jain, Procura, WW)
- **Hadronization** depends on full charge distribution $D_i(Q_\kappa, \mu)$
 - Related to multi-hadron fragmentation functions

Full Jet Charge Distribution

Perturbative splitting

Shower evolution

Hadronization

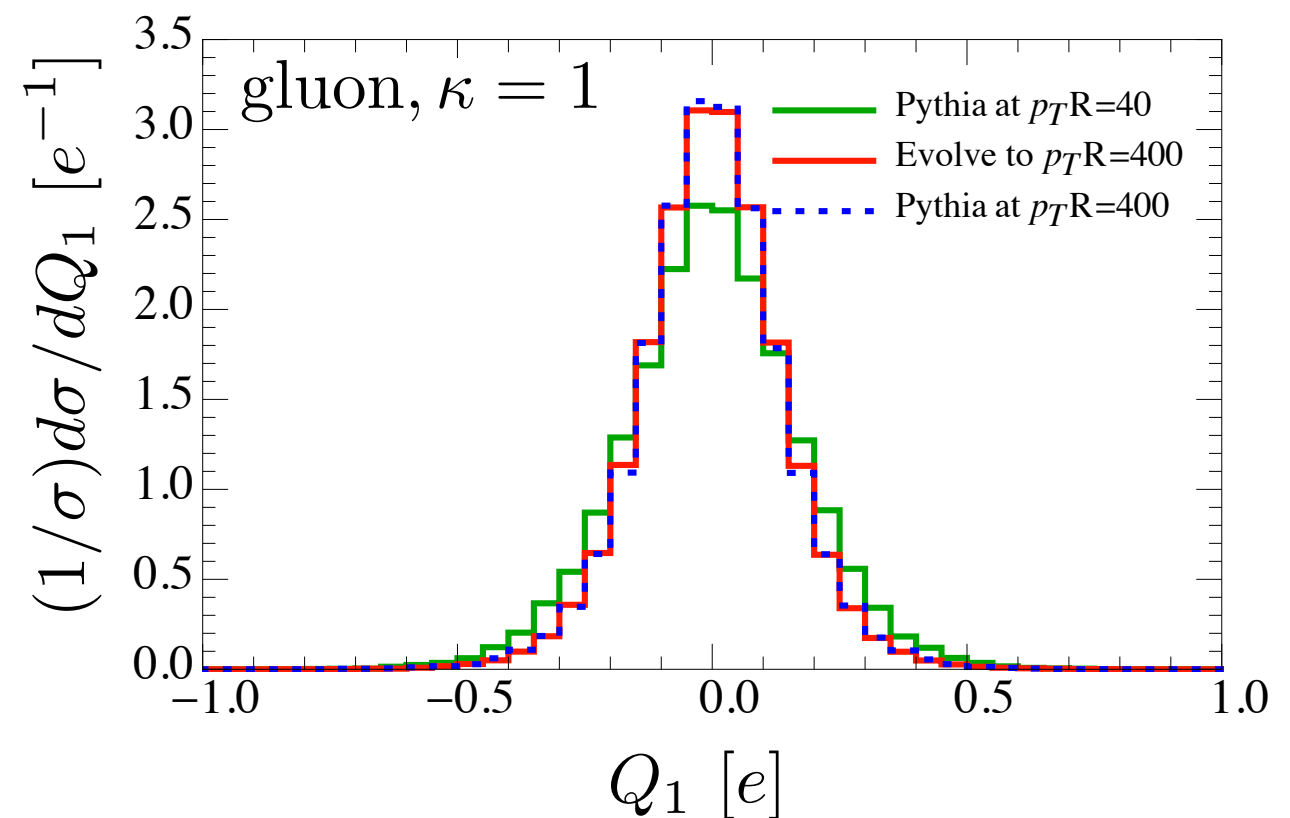
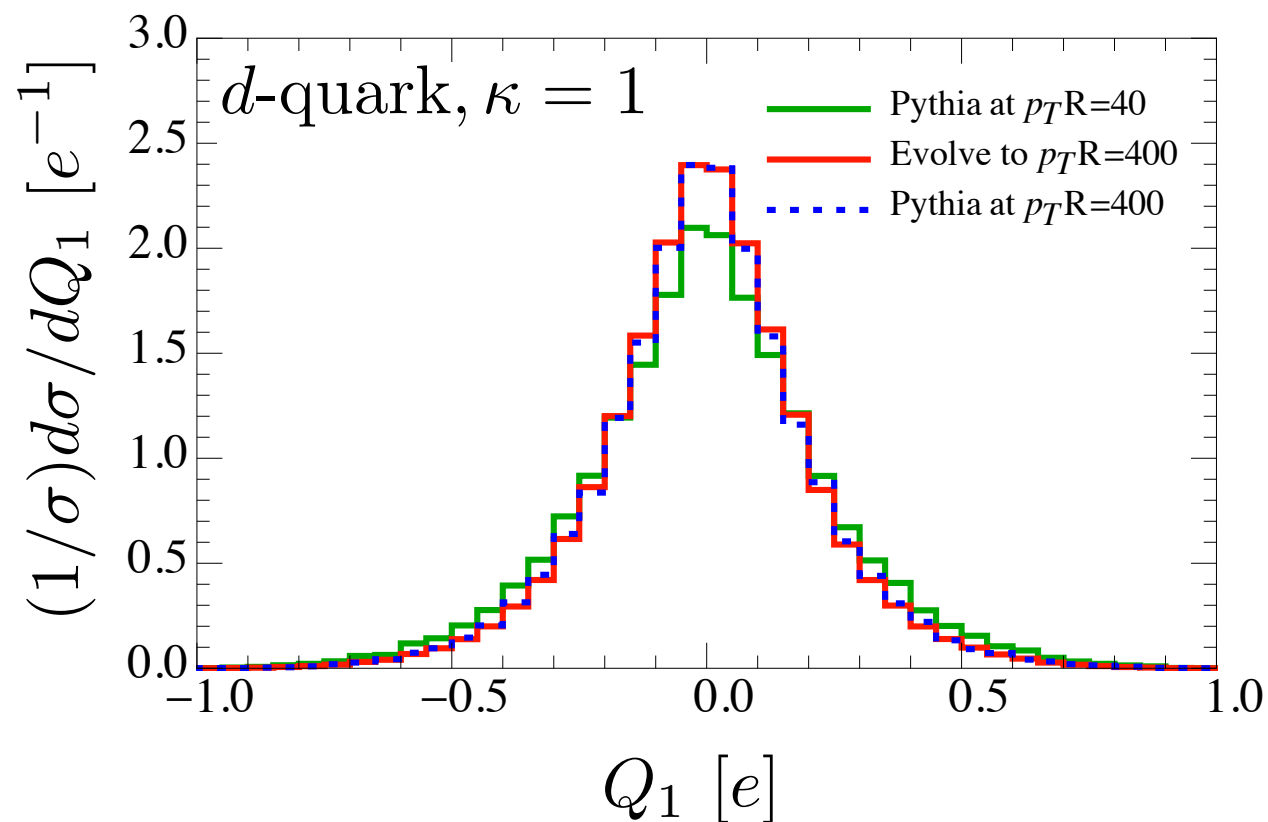


• RGE:

$$\mu \frac{d}{d\mu} D_i(Q_\kappa, \mu) = \underbrace{\sum_j \int dz \frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi} P_{ji}(z)}_{\text{Splitting probability}} \underbrace{\int dQ_\kappa^a D_j(Q_\kappa^a, \mu) \int dQ_\kappa^b D_k(Q_\kappa^b, \mu)}_{\text{Sample over distributions of branches}} \\ \times \underbrace{\delta[Q_\kappa - z^\kappa Q_\kappa^a - (1-z)^\kappa Q_\kappa^b]}_{\text{Charge is (weighted) sum of branches}}$$

RG Evolution vs. Pythia's Parton Shower

- ✓ Use Pythia as input and evolve \rightarrow good agreement
- Distribution changes more slowly than single hadron distributions (e.g. fragmentation functions)



Jet Mass

Jouttenus, Tackmann, Stewart, WW (arXiv:1302.0846)

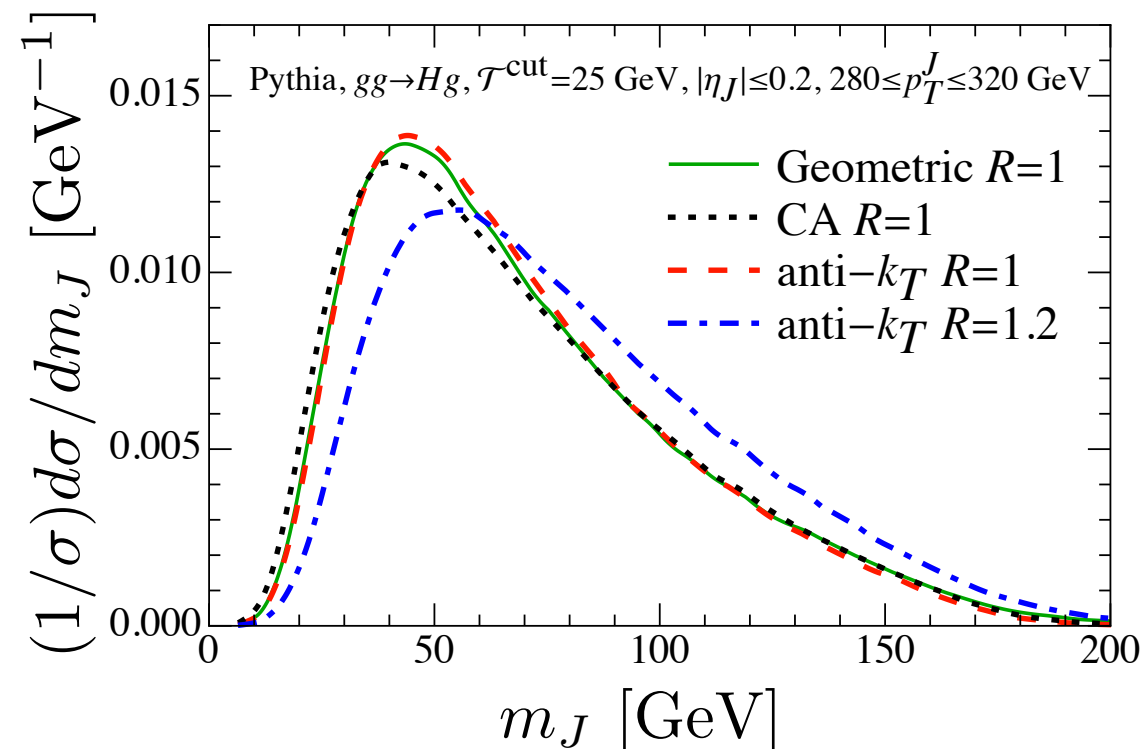
Jet Mass Resummation

- Jet mass is defined as $m_J^2 = \left(\sum_{i \in \text{jet}} p_i^\mu \right)^2$
- Cross section contains logarithms of $L = \ln(m_J^{\text{cut}}/p_T^J)$

$$\int_0^{m_J^{\text{cut}}} dm_J \frac{d\sigma}{dm_J} = \sigma_0 \left\{ \begin{aligned} &1 + \alpha_s [c_{12} L^2 + c_{11} L + c_{10} + n_1(m_J^{\text{cut}})] \\ &+ \alpha_s^2 [c_{24} L^4 + c_{23} L^3 + c_{22} L^2 + c_{21} L + c_{20} + n_2(m_J^{\text{cut}})] \\ &+ \alpha_s^3 [c_{36} L^6 + c_{35} L^5 + c_{34} L^4 + c_{33} L^3 + c_{32} L^2 + \dots] \\ &+ \begin{matrix} \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ \text{LL} & \text{NLL} & \text{NNLL} & & \end{matrix} + \dots \end{aligned} \right\}$$

- Need to resum dominant higher-order effects for $m_J^{\text{cut}} \ll p_T^J$
- Nonsingular n_i is suppressed by $(m_J^{\text{cut}}/p_T^J)^2$

Jet Mass and Jet Definition

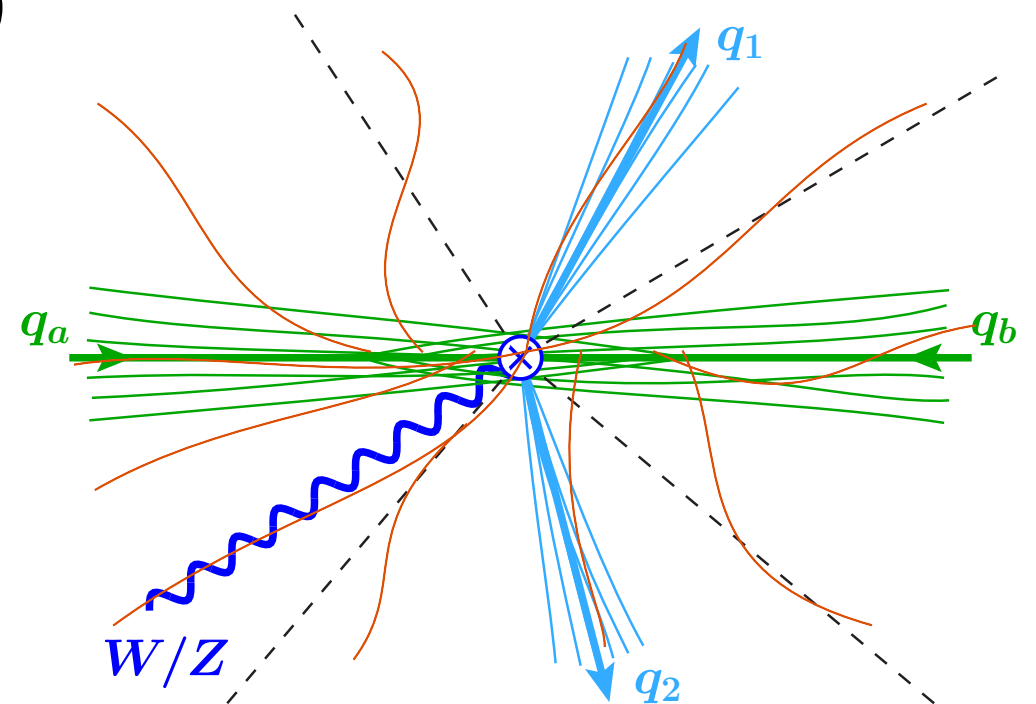


- Clustering algorithms theoretically complicated
- Jet mass spectrum is fairly independent of jet definition
→ use N -jettiness (with correct R)

N -Jettiness Event Shape (Stewart, Tackmann, WW)

$$\mathcal{T}_N = \sum_i \min\{\underbrace{\hat{q}_a \cdot p_i}_{\text{beams}}, \underbrace{\hat{q}_b \cdot p_i}_{\text{beams}}, \underbrace{\hat{q}_1 \cdot p_i}_{\text{jets}}, \dots\}$$

- Reference vectors: $\hat{q}_{a,b} = (1, 0, 0, \pm 1)$, $\hat{q}_J = (1, \hat{n}_J)/\rho_J$
- $\mathcal{T}_N \rightarrow 0$ for N narrow jets, \mathcal{T}_N large for $> N$ jets
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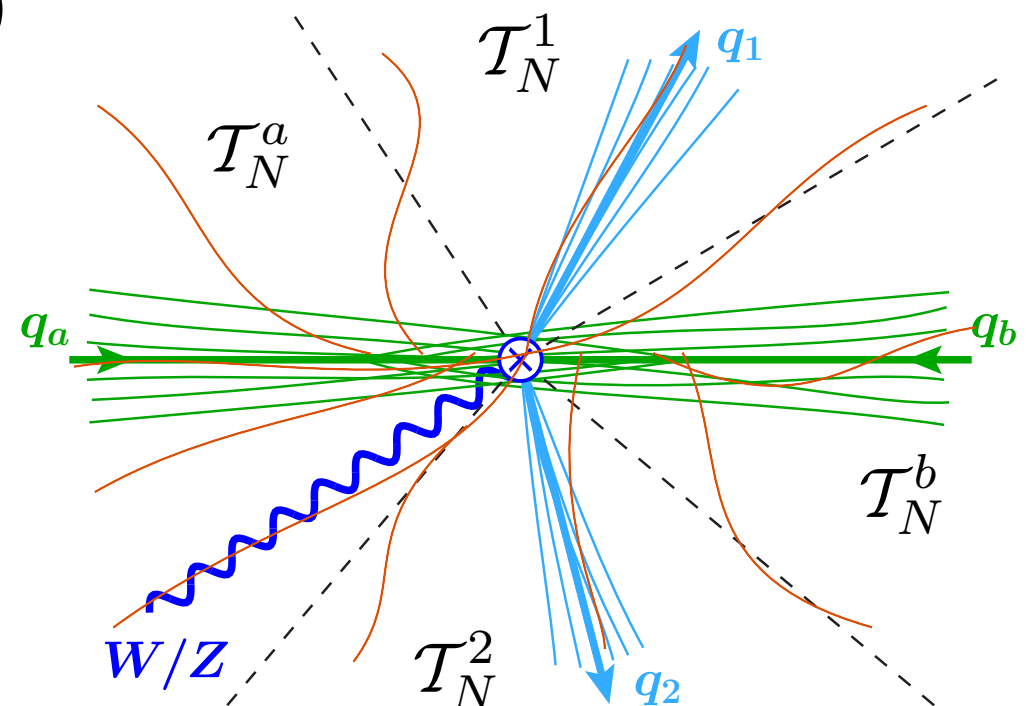


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- \mathcal{T}_N splits into contributions from each beam/jet region
- Related to jet mass:

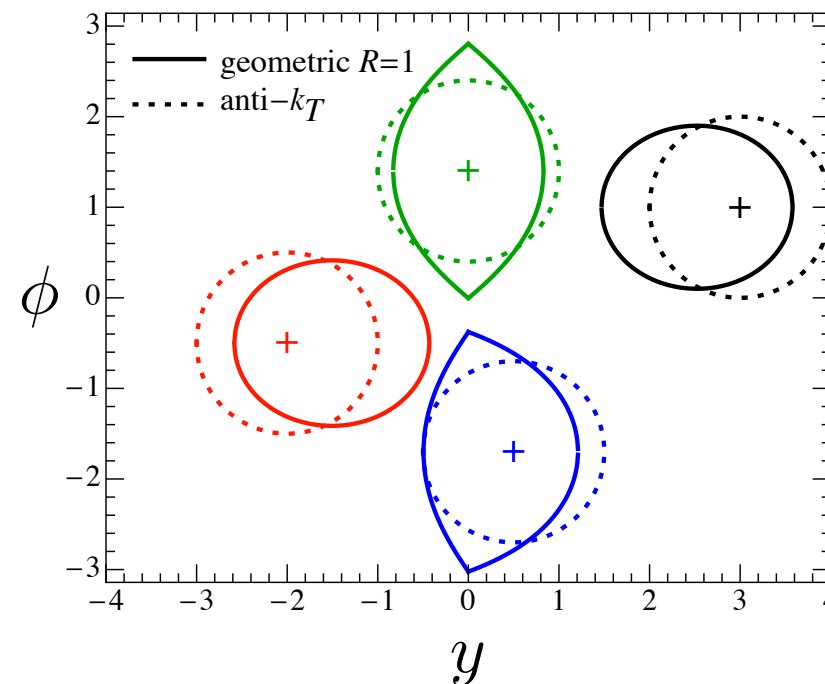
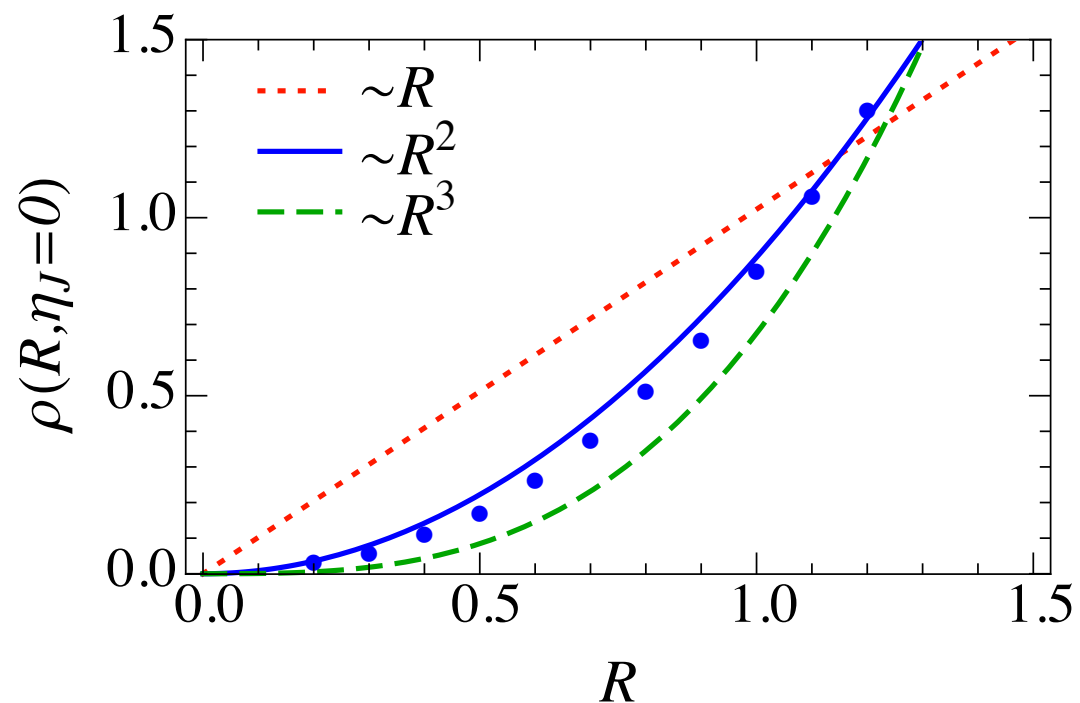
$$m_J^2 = 2\rho_J E_J \mathcal{T}_N^J$$



N -Jettiness Parameters

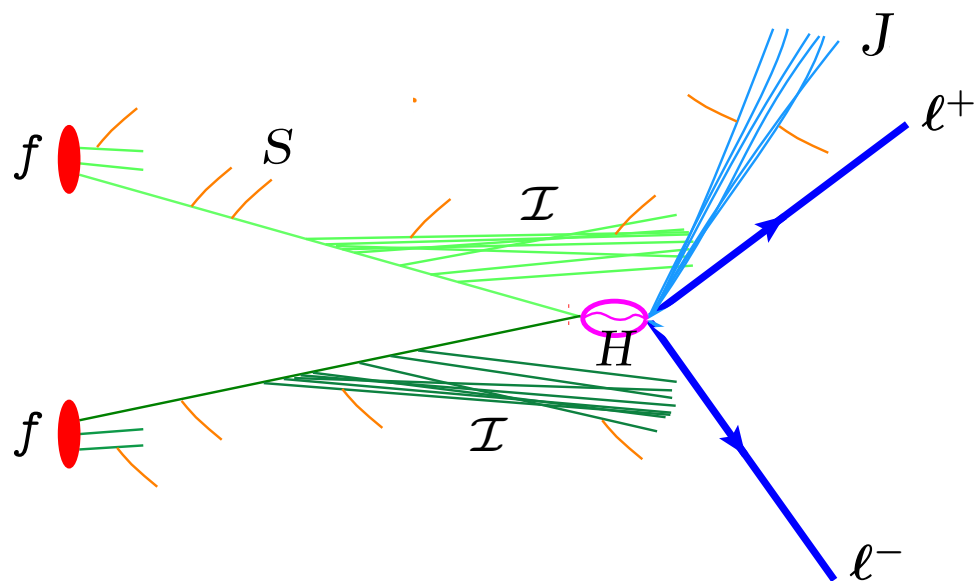
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- \hat{n}_J by minimizing \mathcal{T}_N or from jet alg. (same for $\mathcal{T}_N \rightarrow 0$)
- Choose $\rho_J = \rho(R, \eta_J)$ to match jet area of anti- k_T



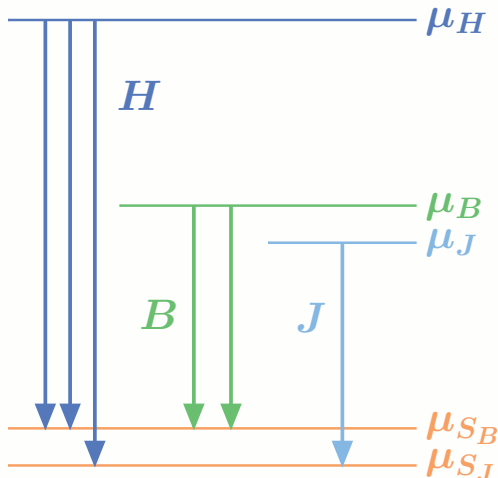
N -Jettiness Factorization

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d\sigma(N \text{ jets})}{d\mathcal{T}_N^a d\mathcal{T}_N^b \cdots d\mathcal{T}_N^N} &= \int dx_a dx_b d(\text{phase space}) \sum_{\kappa} \int dt_a B_{\kappa_a}(t_a, x_a, \mu) \\ &\times \int dt_b B_{\kappa_b}(t_b, x_b, \mu) \prod_{J=1}^N \int ds_J J_{\kappa_J}(s_J, \mu) \text{tr} \left[H_N^{\kappa}(\{q_i^{\mu}\}, \mu) \right. \\ &\times \left. S_N^{\kappa} \left(\mathcal{T}_N^a - \frac{t_a}{Q_a}, \mathcal{T}_N^b - \frac{t_b}{Q_b}, \dots, \mathcal{T}_N^N - \frac{s_N}{Q_N}, \{\hat{q}_i\}, \mu \right) \right] \end{aligned}$$



- Hard scattering
- Initial state radiation (+PDFs)
- Final state radiation
- Soft radiation

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- Separating physics at different scales enables resummation
- At NNLL order need one-loop B , J , H , S

B: Stewart, Tackmann, WW; Mantry, Petriello, J: Bauer, Manohar; Fleming, Leibovich, Mehen; Becher, Schwartz
One-loop H for H+1-jet: Schmidt, One-loop S for N-jettiness: Jouttenus, Stewart, Tackmann, WW

- Three-loop cusp and two-loop non-cusp anomalous dim.

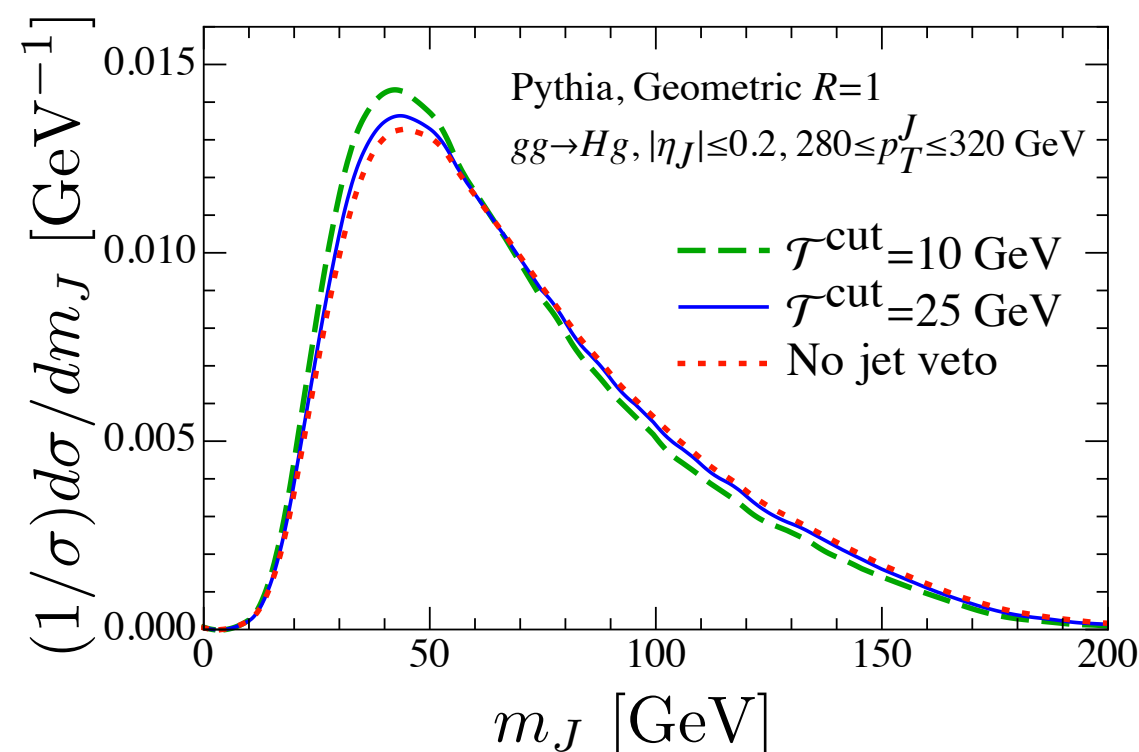
Three-loop cusp: Korchemsky, Radyushkin; Moch, Vermaseren, Vogt, Two-loop non-cusp known from: Kramer, Lampe; Harlander; Aybat, Dixon, Sterman; Becher, Neubert; Becher, Schwartz; Stewart, Tackmann, WW

Normalization

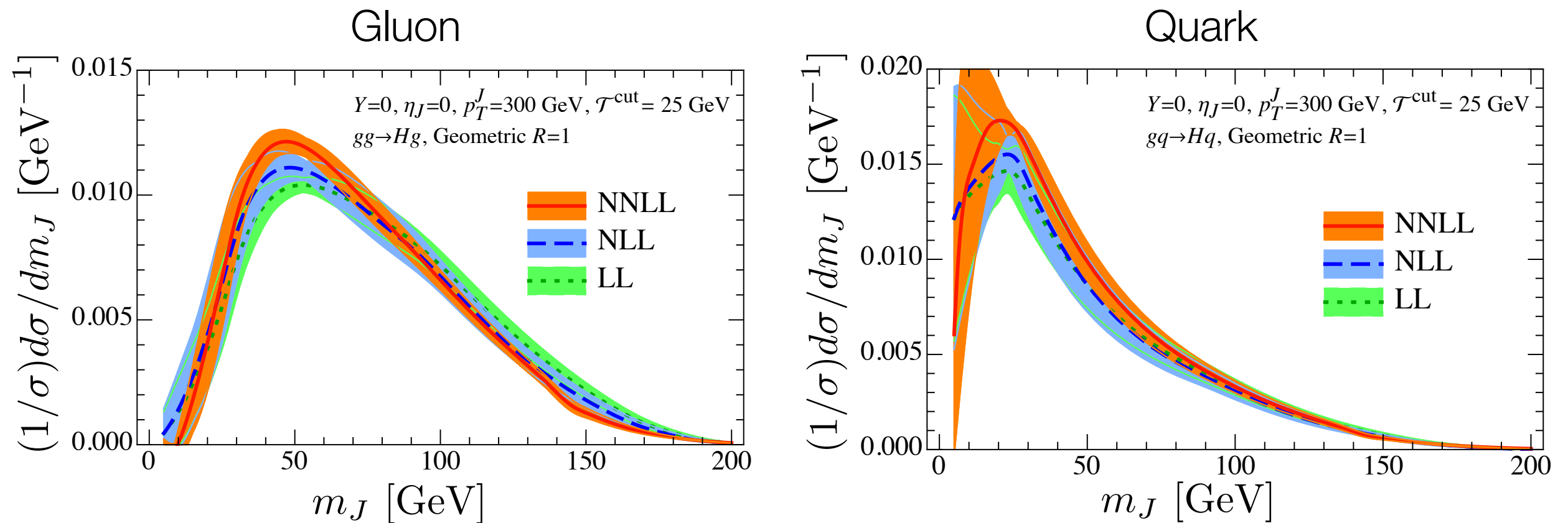
- We are required to veto additional jets through $\mathcal{T}_1^a, \mathcal{T}_1^b$
- Normalizing the spectrum removes this dependence:

$$\frac{\sigma(\mathcal{T}_1^a, \mathcal{T}_1^b \leq \mathcal{T}^{\text{cut}}, m_J, p_T^J, y^J, Y)}{\int dm_J \sigma(\mathcal{T}_1^a, \mathcal{T}_1^b \leq \mathcal{T}^{\text{cut}}, m_J, p_T^J, y^J, Y)}$$

- Experimental results are also normalized

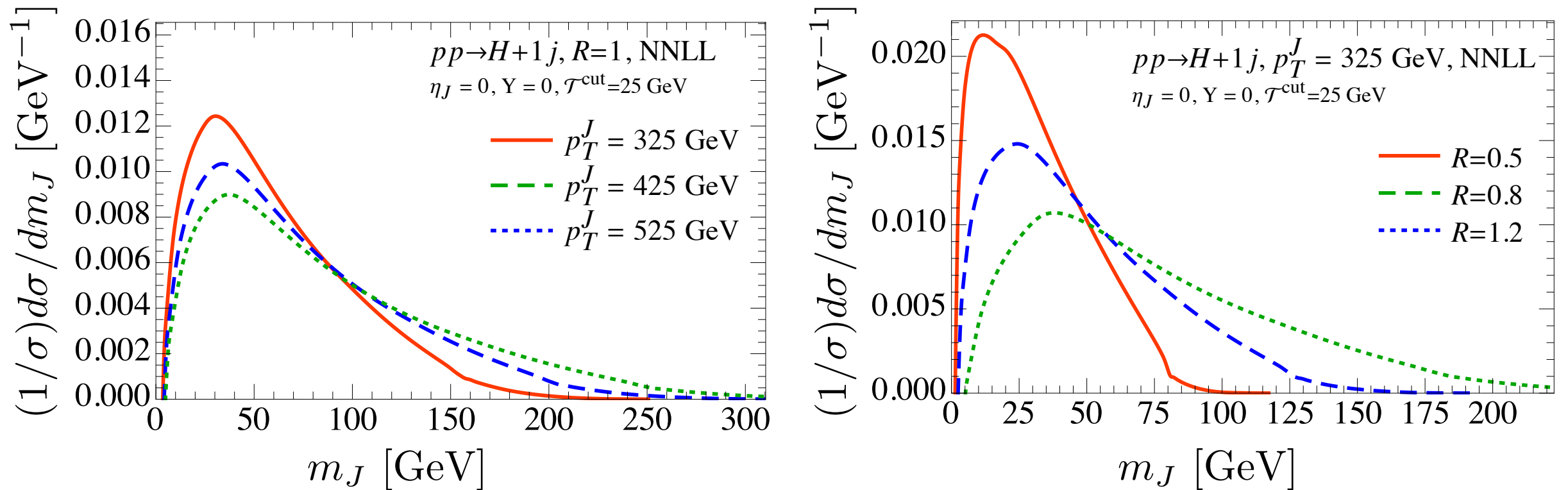


Perturbative Convergence



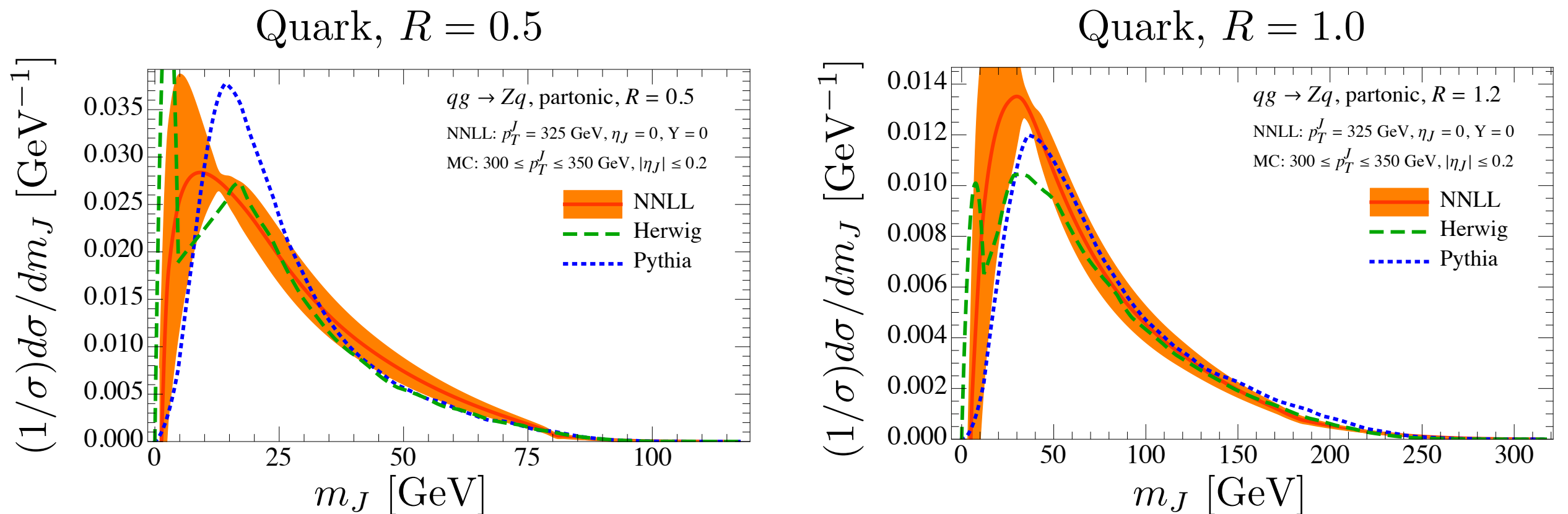
- We consider $gg \rightarrow Hg$ and $gq \rightarrow Hq$
 (proxies for gluon and quark jets)
- ✓ Good agreement between LL, NLL, NNLL

Dependence on Kinematics and Jet Radius



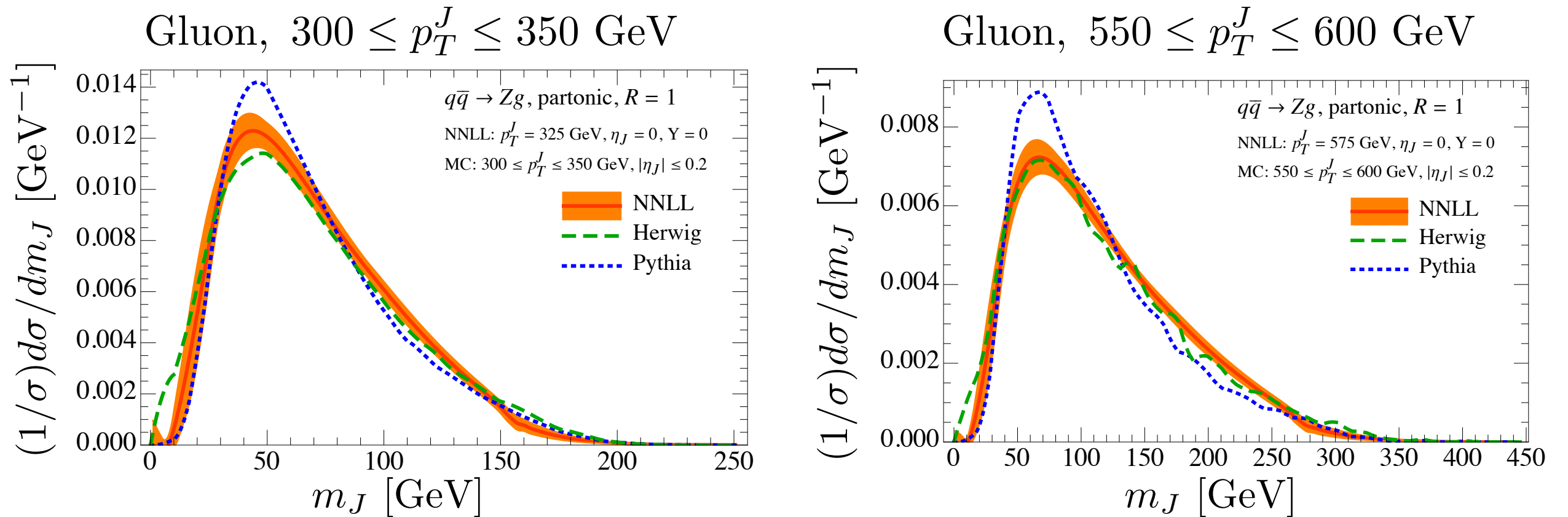
- Calculable dependence on kinematics p_T^J, y_J, Y
- Strong dependence on jet radius since $m_J \lesssim p_T^J R / \sqrt{2}$
 (Nonsingular important!)

Comparison to Pythia and Herwig



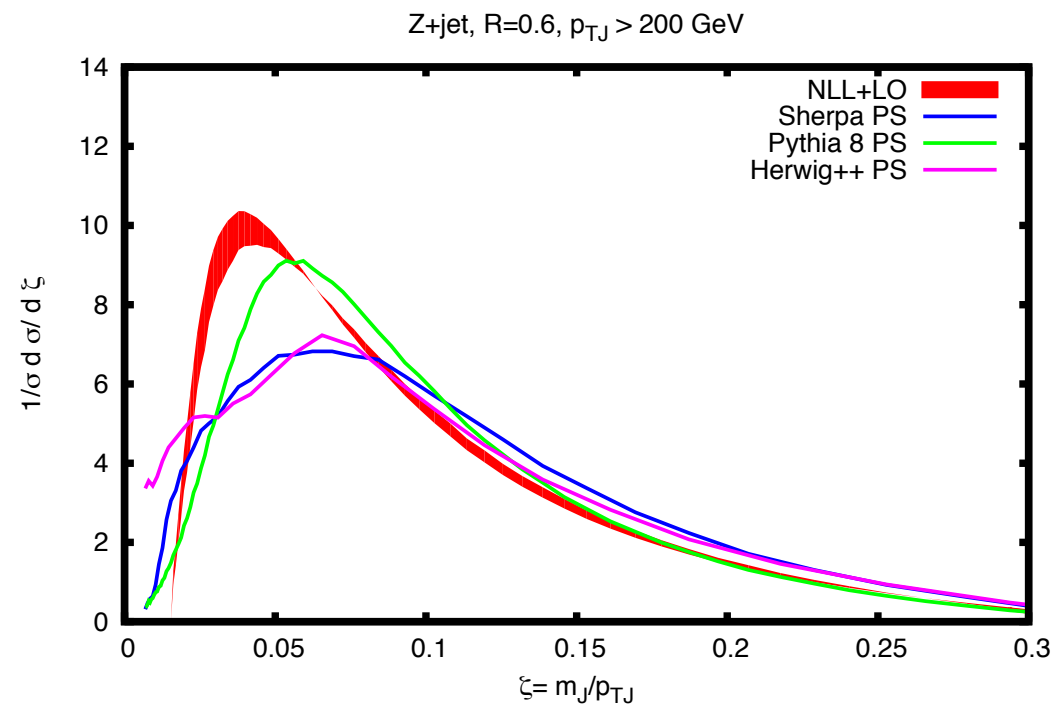
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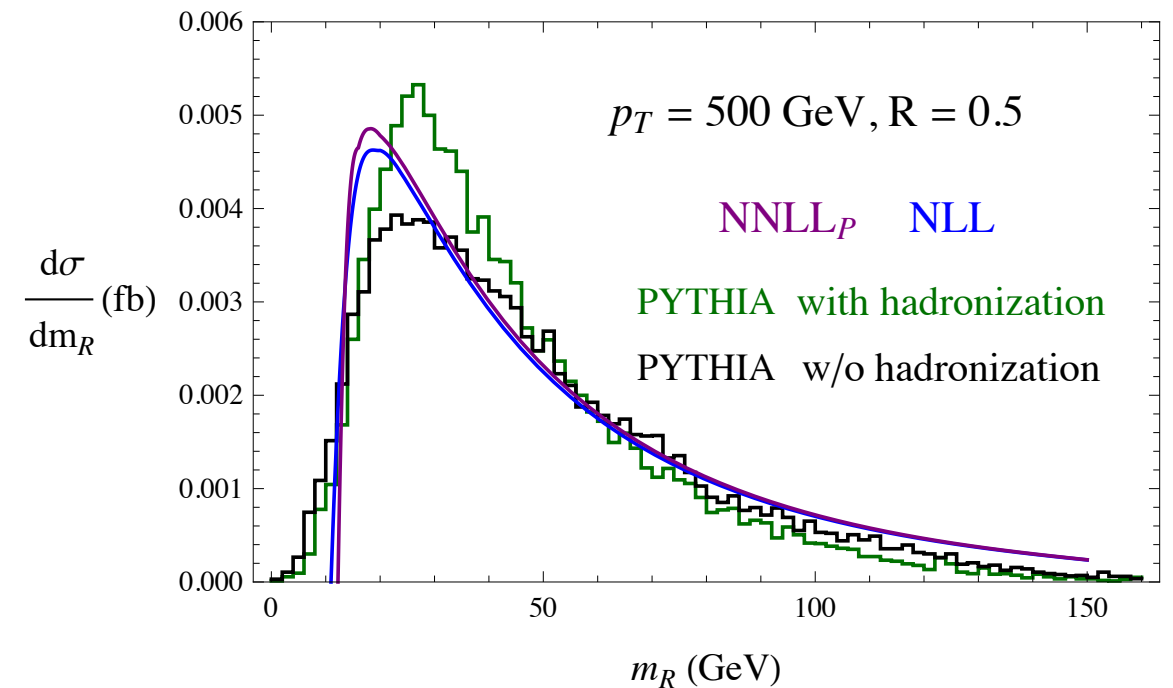
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Other Jet Mass Calculations



Dasgupta et al. (arXiv:1207.1640)

- Z+jet and dijets
- NLL+NLO



Chien et al. (arXiv:1208.0010)

- γ +jet
- NNLL threshold resum.

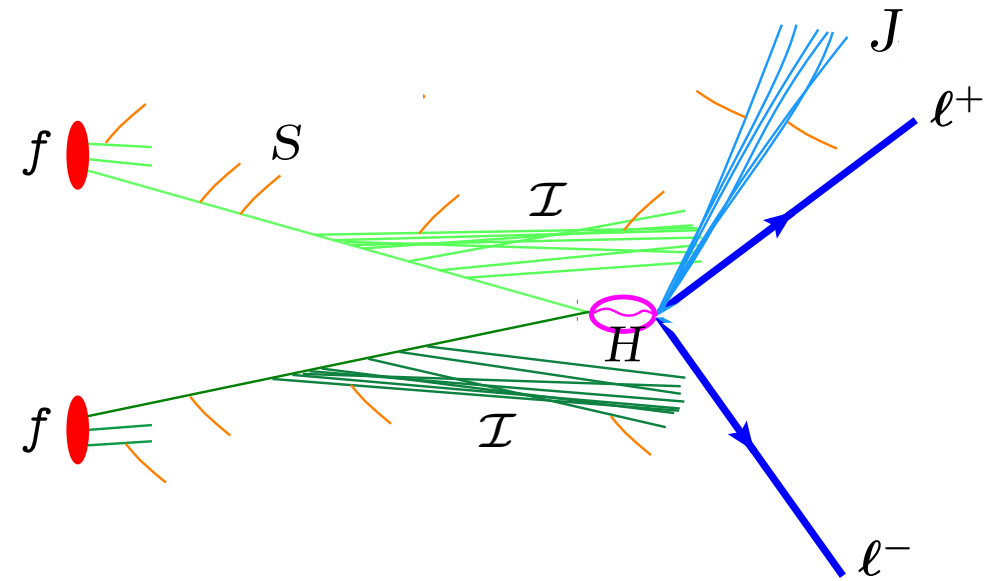
Key differences:

- jet algorithm
- no jet veto \rightarrow large nonglobal logarithms

Hadronization of Jets

Tackmann, Stewart, WW (arXiv:1405.6722)

Factorization for Jet Mass



$$\frac{d\sigma}{dm_J^2} = \underbrace{f f \mathcal{I} \mathcal{I} H}_{\text{Hard process}} \int dk_s \underbrace{J(m_J^2 - 2p_T^J k_s)}_{\text{Jet function}} \underbrace{S(k_s)}_{\text{Soft function}}$$

- Soft function describes soft radiation:

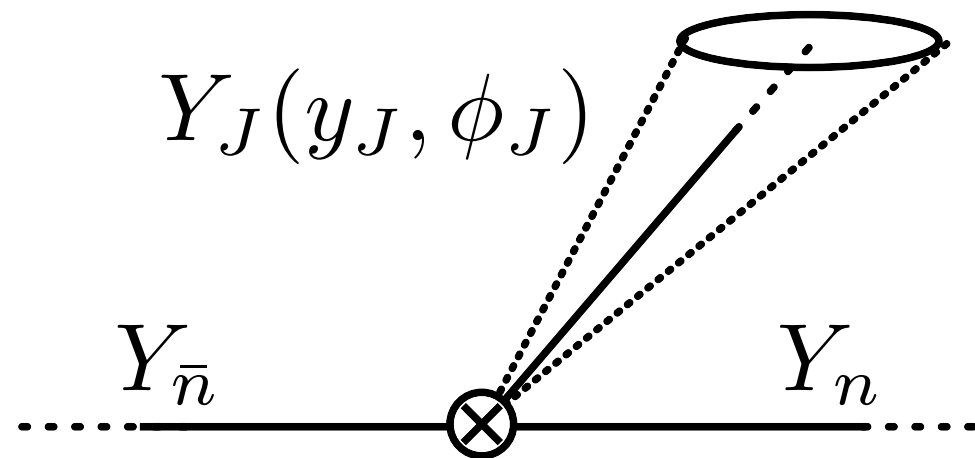
$$S(k_s) = \langle 0 | \underbrace{Y_J^\dagger(y_J) Y_{\bar{n}}^\dagger Y_n^\dagger}_{\text{measurement}} \delta(k_s - \cosh y_J n_J \cdot \hat{p}_J) \underbrace{Y_n Y_{\bar{n}} Y_J(y_J)}_{\text{eikonal Wilson lines}} | 0 \rangle$$

- Color indices on Wilson lines are not written out
- Perturbative and nonperturbative contribution:

$$S(k_s) = \int dk'_s S_{\text{pert}}(k_s - k'_s) F_{\text{NP}}(k'_s) \quad k'_s \sim \Lambda_{\text{QCD}}$$

(Korchensky, Sterman; Hoang, Stewart; Ligeti, Stewart, Tackmann)

Leading Nonperturbative Effect Ω

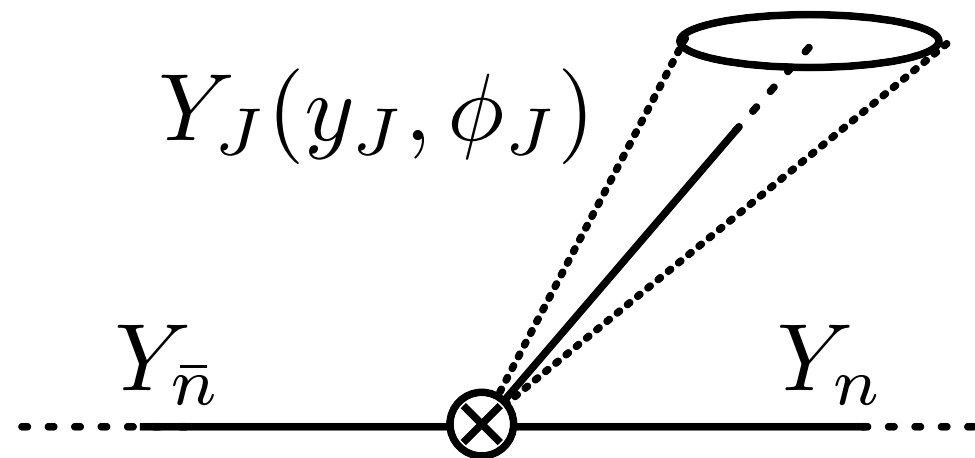


- Expanding $F_{\text{NP}}(k_s) = \delta(k_s) - \Omega \delta'(k_s) + \dots$

$$\Omega = \langle 0 | Y_J^\dagger(y_J, \phi_J) Y_{\bar{n}}^\dagger Y_n^\dagger \cosh y_J n_J \cdot \hat{p}_J Y_n Y_{\bar{n}} Y_J(y_J, \phi_J) | 0 \rangle$$
- Shifts jet mass spectrum $m_J^2 \rightarrow m_J^2 + 2p_T^J \Omega$
 (valid in tail of distribution)
- Ω is universal for e^+e^- event shapes.
 (Dokshitzer, Webber; Akhouri, Zakharov; Lee, Sterman; Mateu, Stewart, Thaler)

How is this affected by jets?

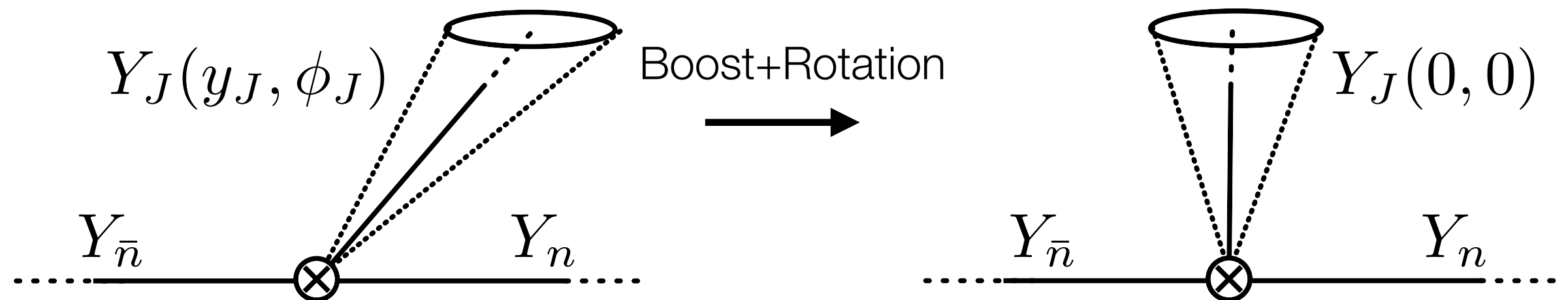
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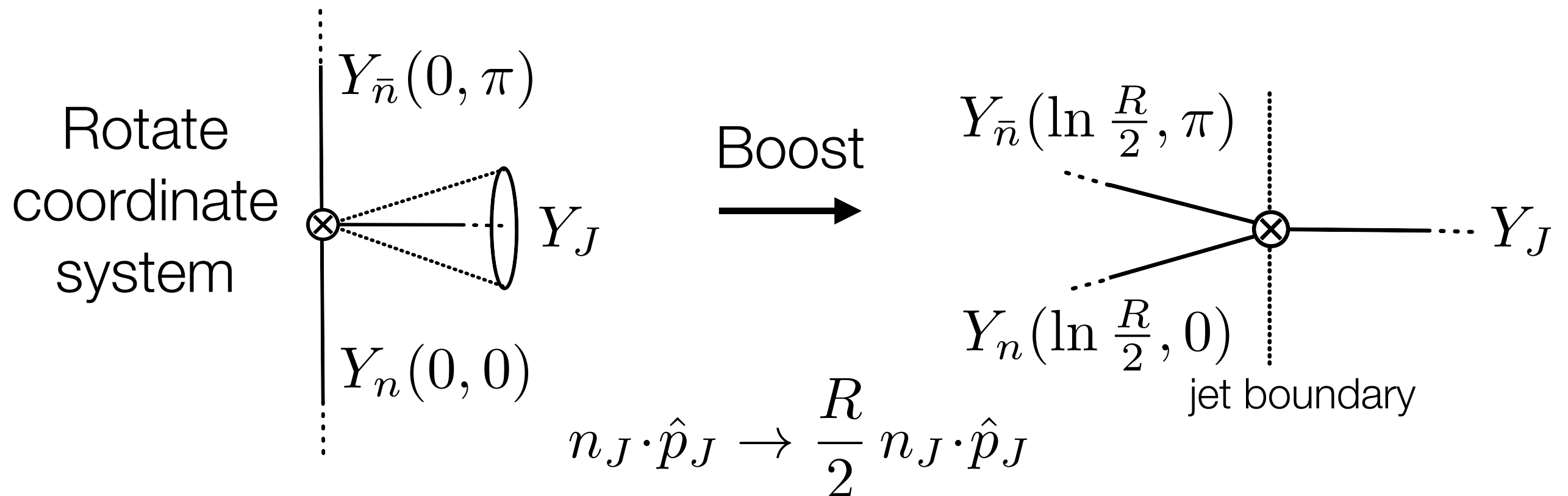
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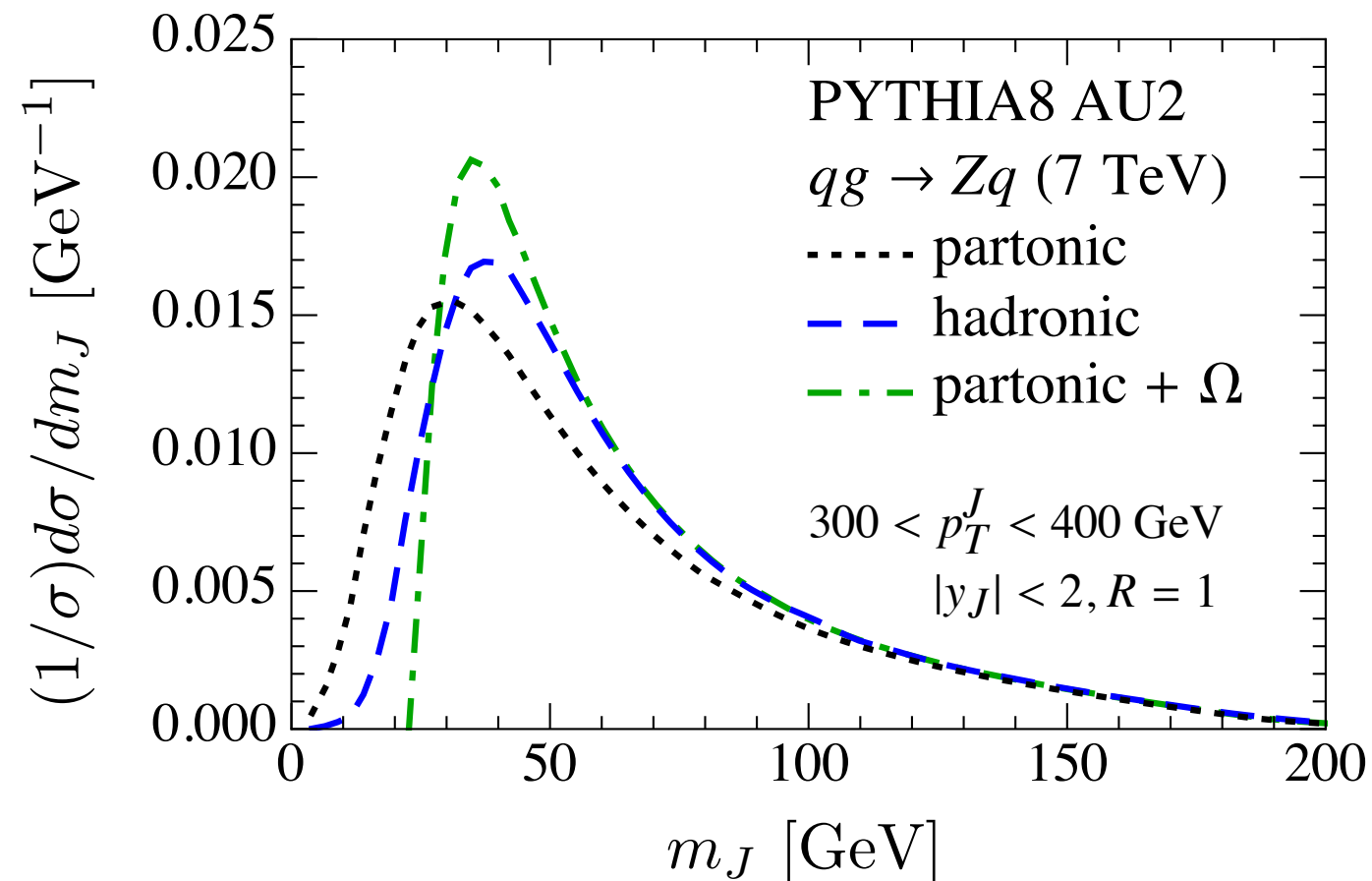
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- Rotating + boosting shows that Ω is independent of y_J, ϕ_J

Dependence of Ω on Jet Radius R



- For $R \ll 1$, the beam Wilson lines fuse and $\Omega = \frac{R}{2} \Omega_0 + \dots$
- Ω_0 **only depends on quark vs. gluon**, equal to Ω_{DIS} (for q)
(Ω_{DIS} : Dasgupta, Salam; Kang, Liu, Mantry, Qiu; Kang, Lee, Stewart)
- Only odd powers of R arise

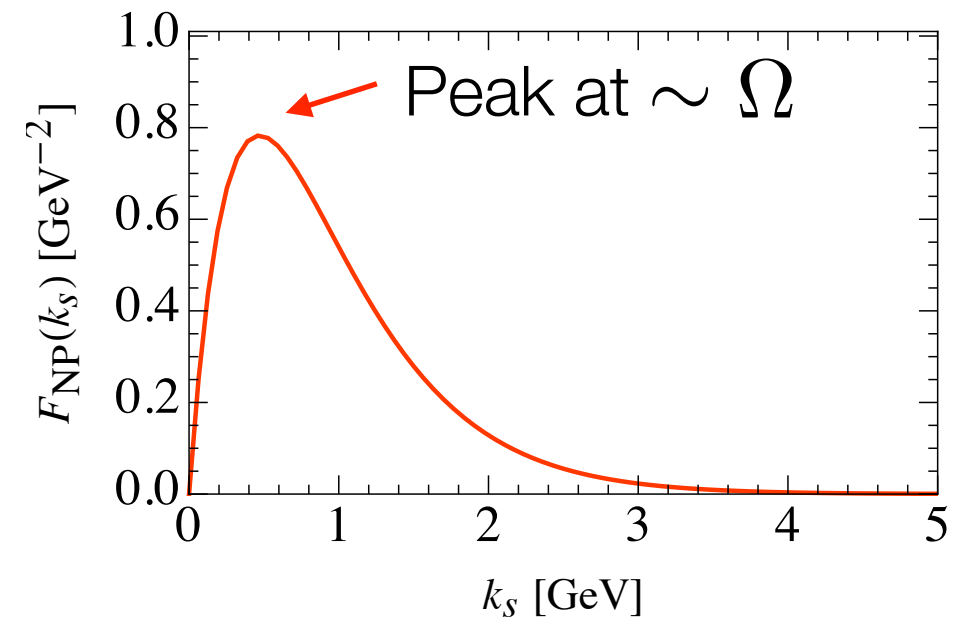
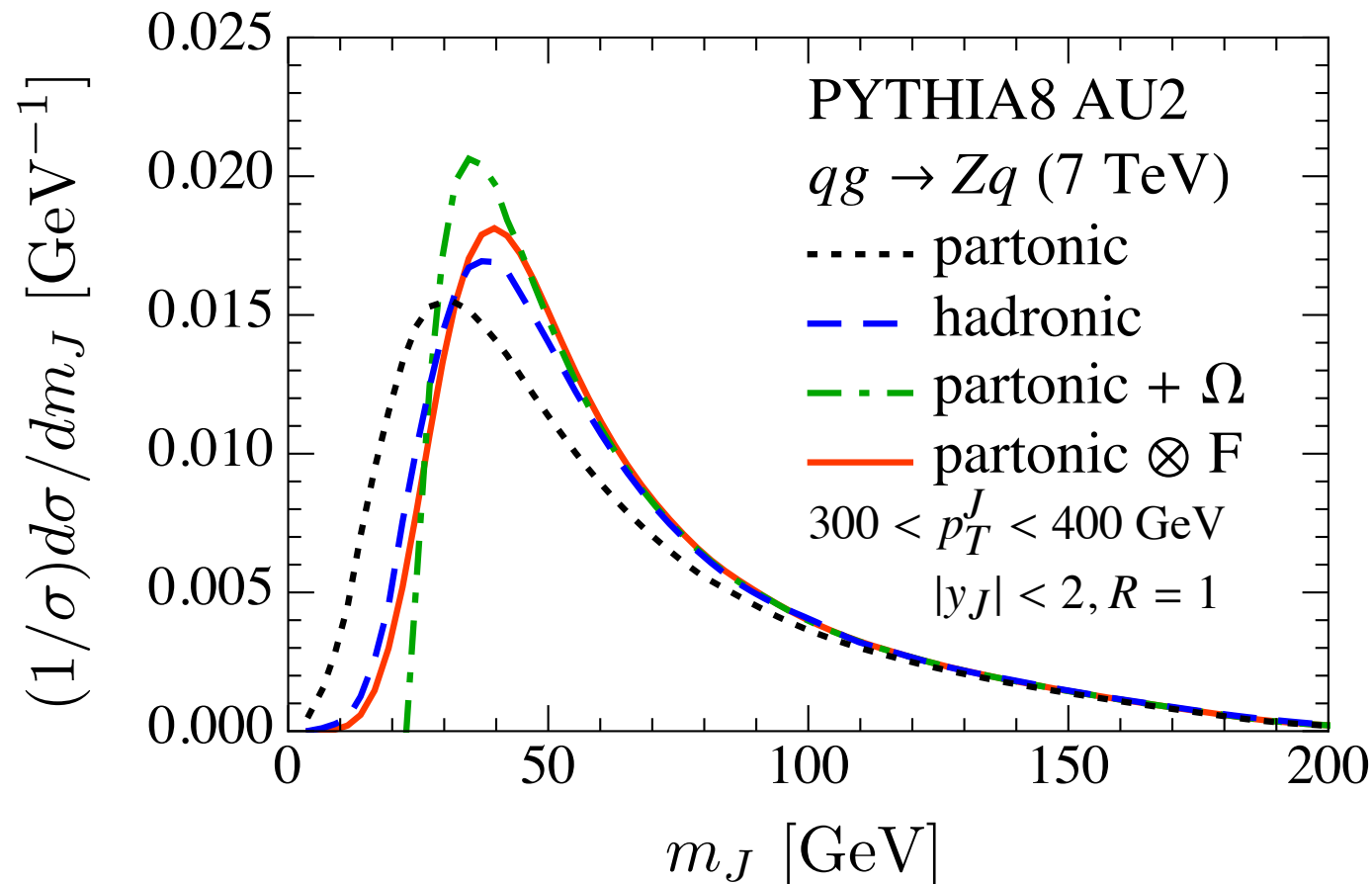
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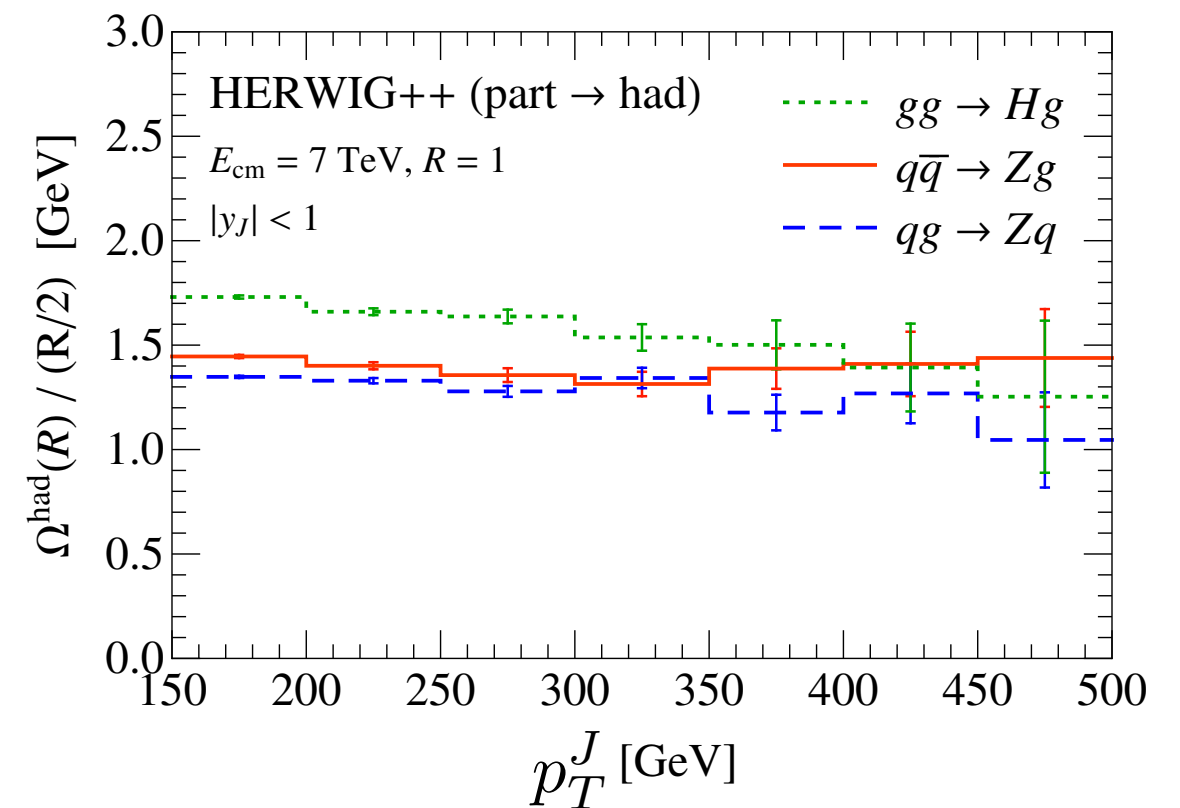
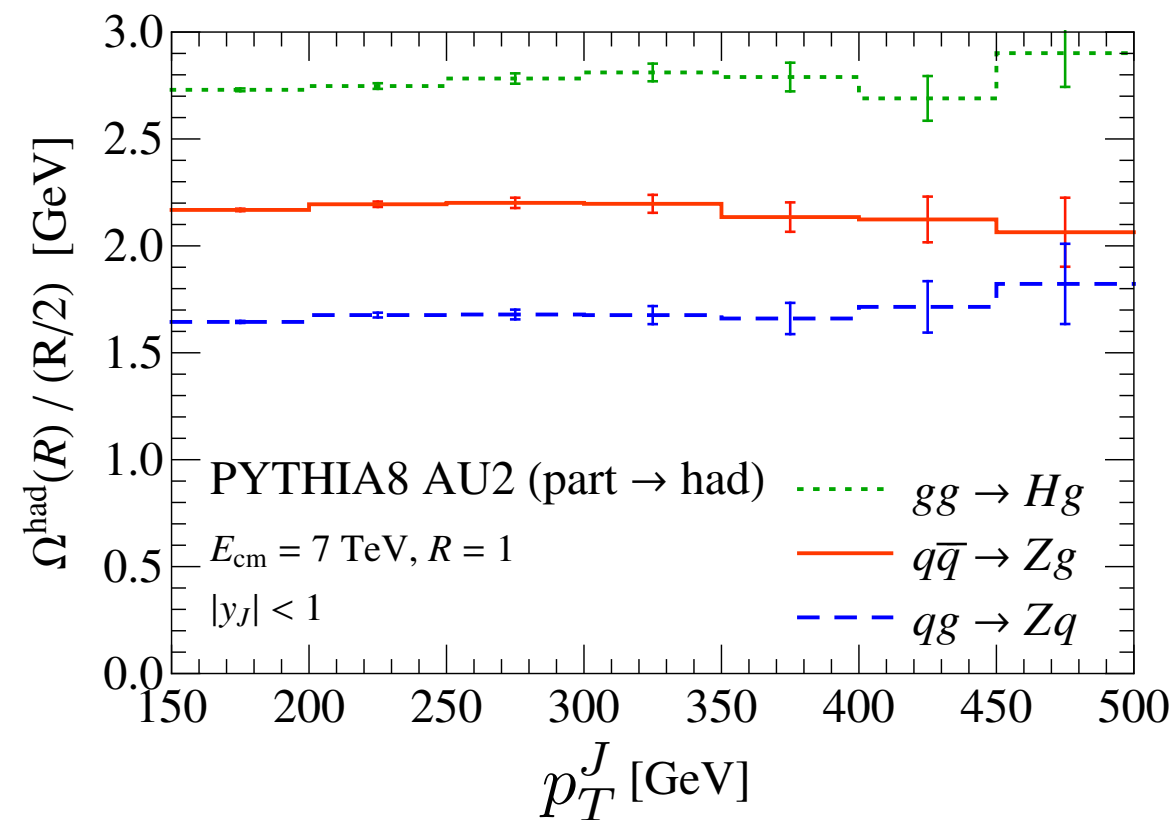
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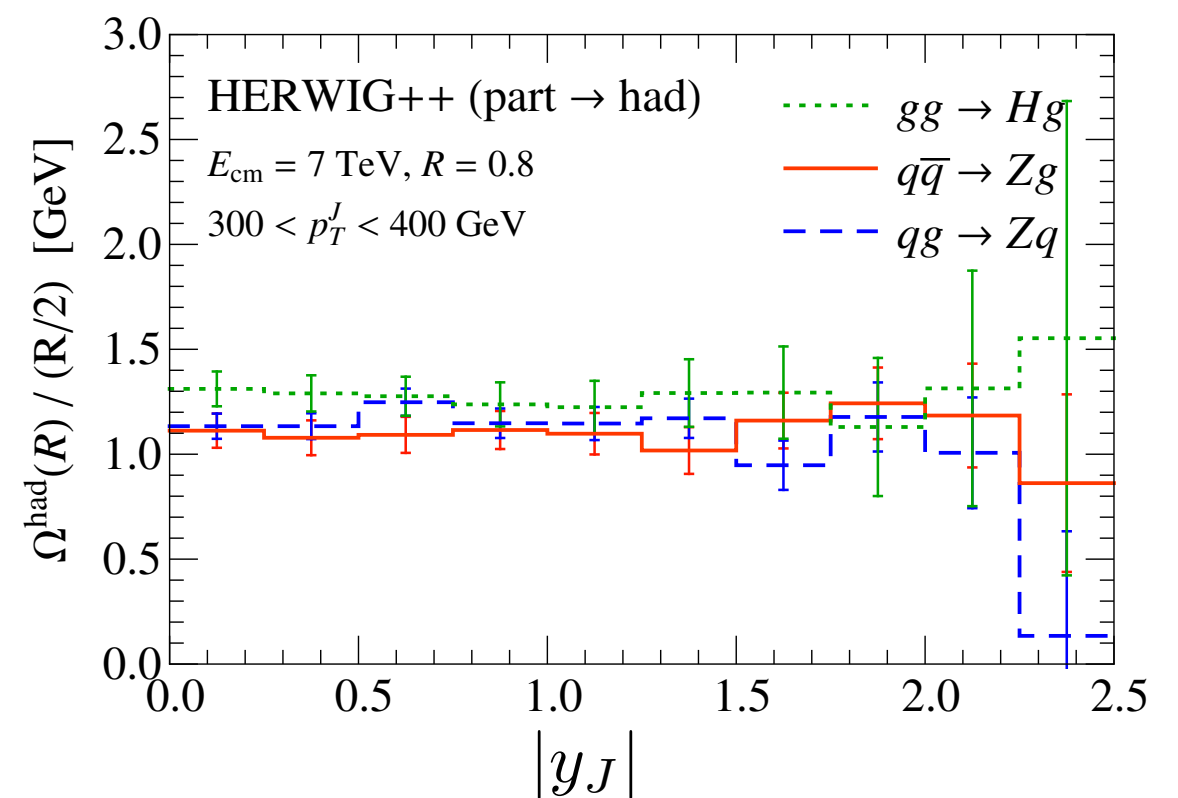
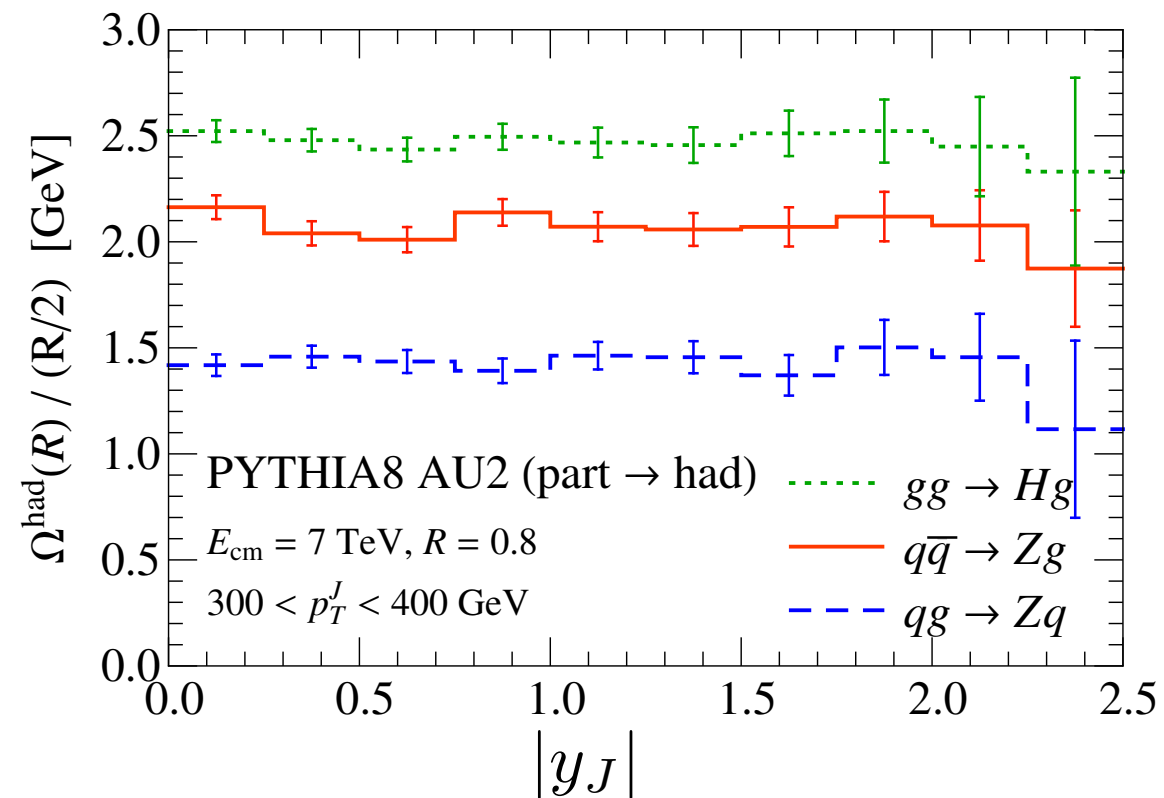
✓ More general: $\frac{d\sigma}{dm_J^2} \rightarrow \int_0^\infty dk_s \frac{d\sigma}{dm_J^2} (m_J^2 - 2p_T^J k_s) F_{\text{NP}}(k_s)$

Hadronization dependence on p_T^J



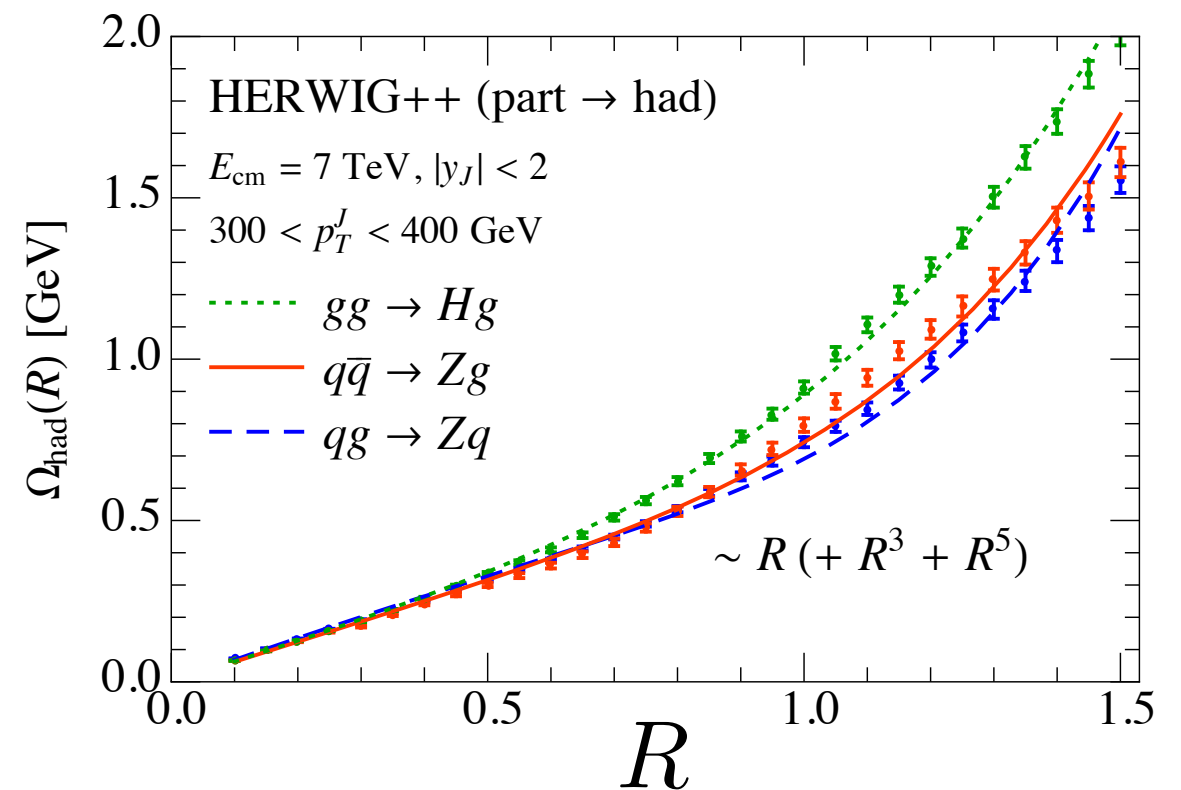
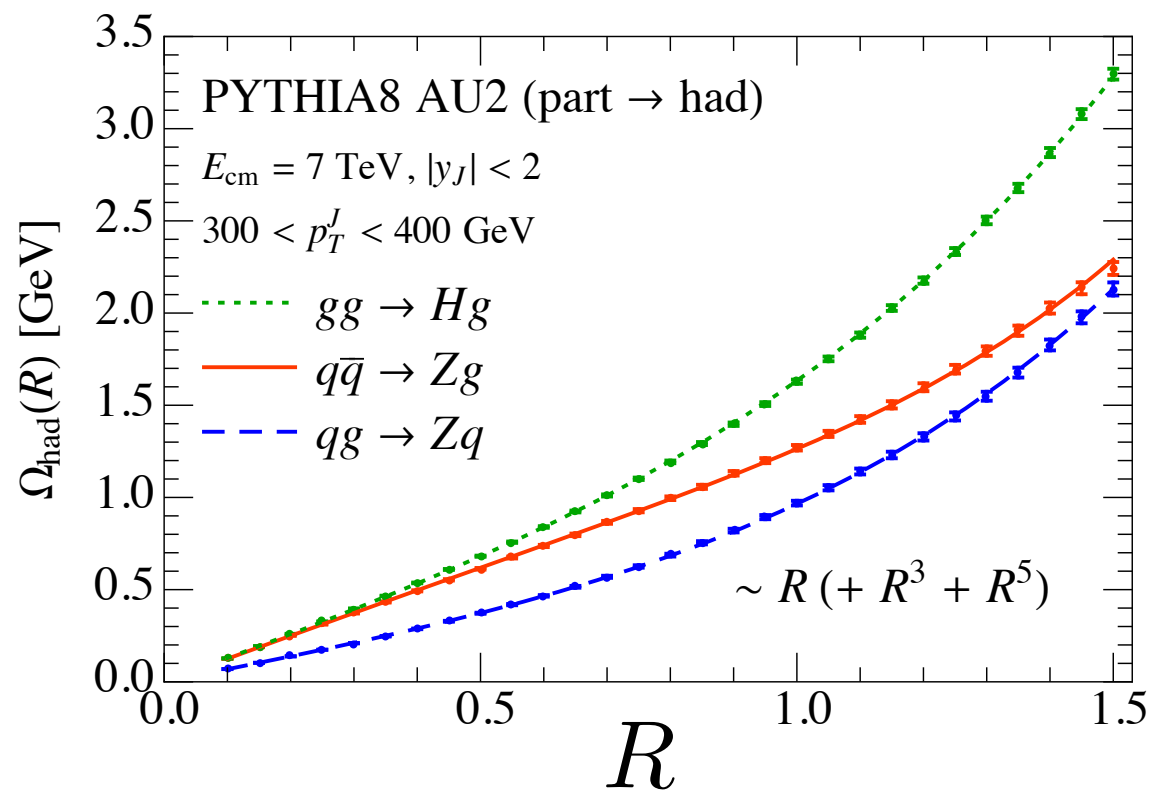
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Hadronization dependence on y_J



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Hadronization dependence on R



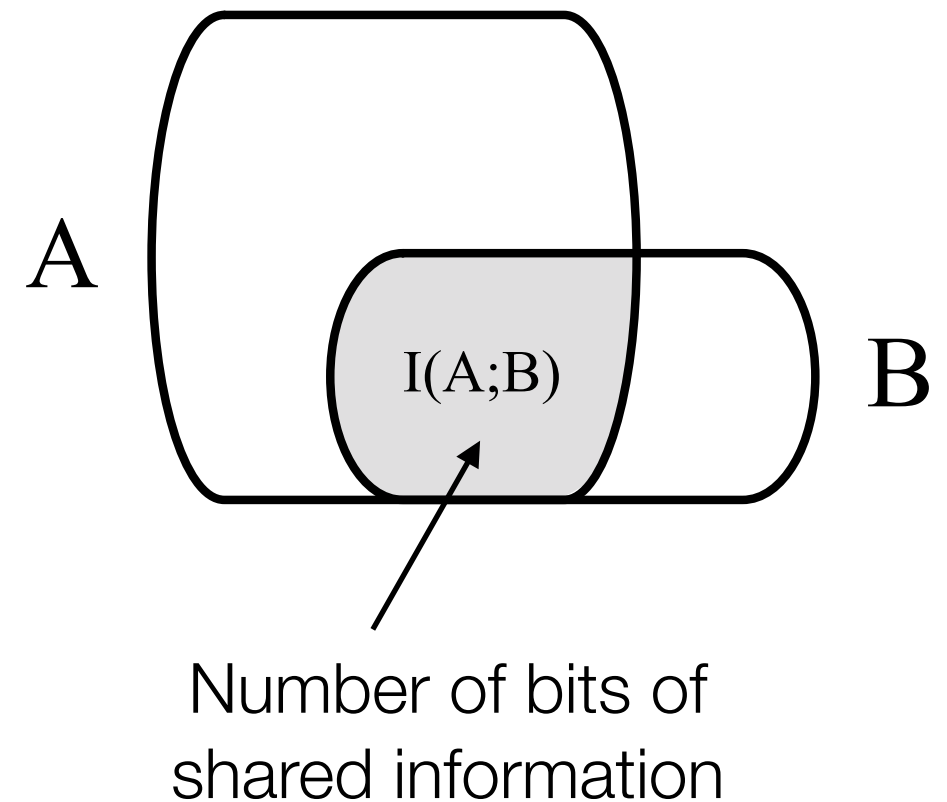
- ✓ Linear R coefficient Ω_0 only depends on quark vs. gluon
- ? Quark and gluon jets much more similar in Herwig
- Better fit to odd powers of R in Pythia

Quark/Gluon Discrimination

Larkoski, Thaler, WW (arXiv:1408.3122)

Mutual Information

$$I(A; B) = \int da db p(a, b) \log_2 \frac{p(a, b)}{p(a)p(b)}$$



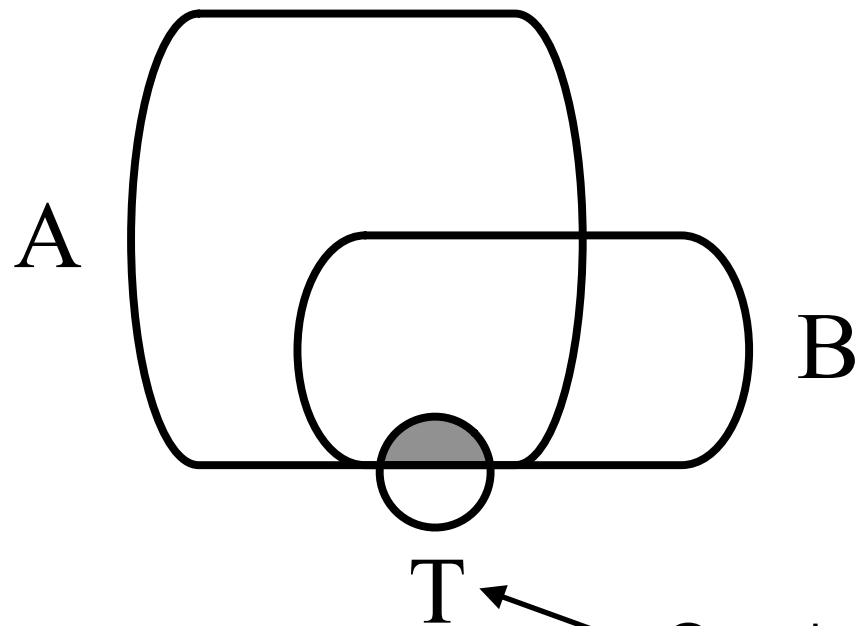
- Can directly be calculated from double diff. cross section

$$p(a, b) = \frac{1}{\sigma} \frac{d^2 \sigma}{da db}$$

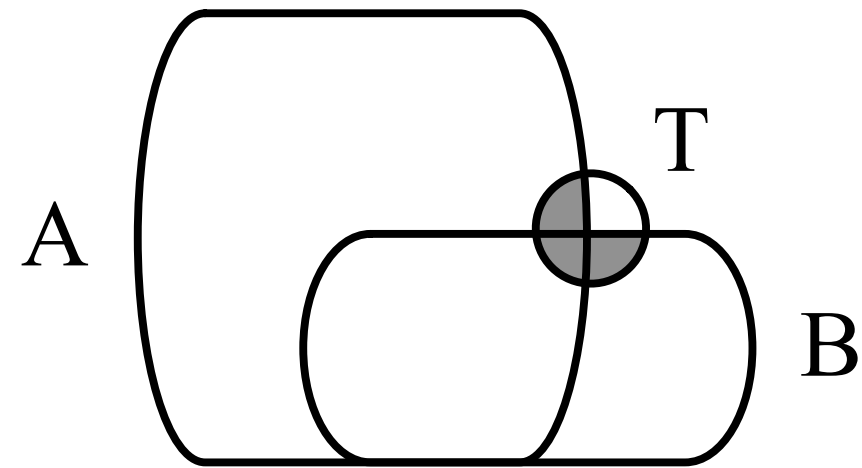
- Quark/gluon discrimination is one bit of information

Discrimination Power

Redundant variables:



Complementary variables:

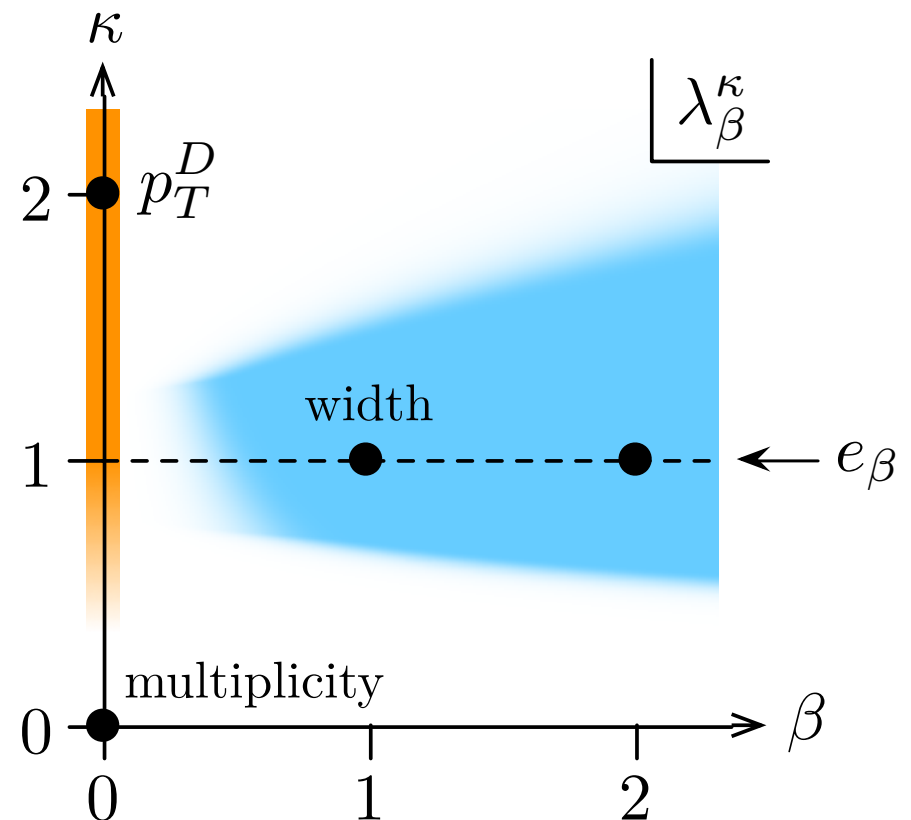
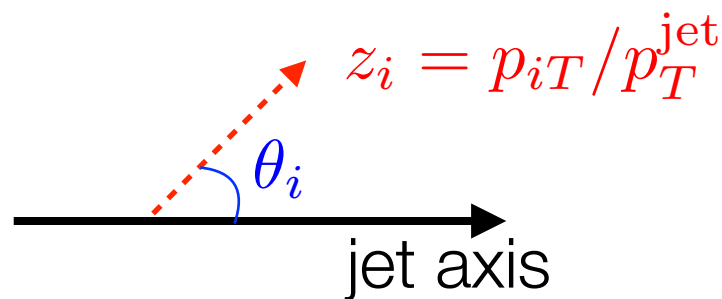


Quark/gluon discrimination

- $I(A; B)$: same correlations
- $I(T; A)$ and $I(T; B)$: same individual discrimination power
- $I(T; A, B)$: **different joint** discrimination power

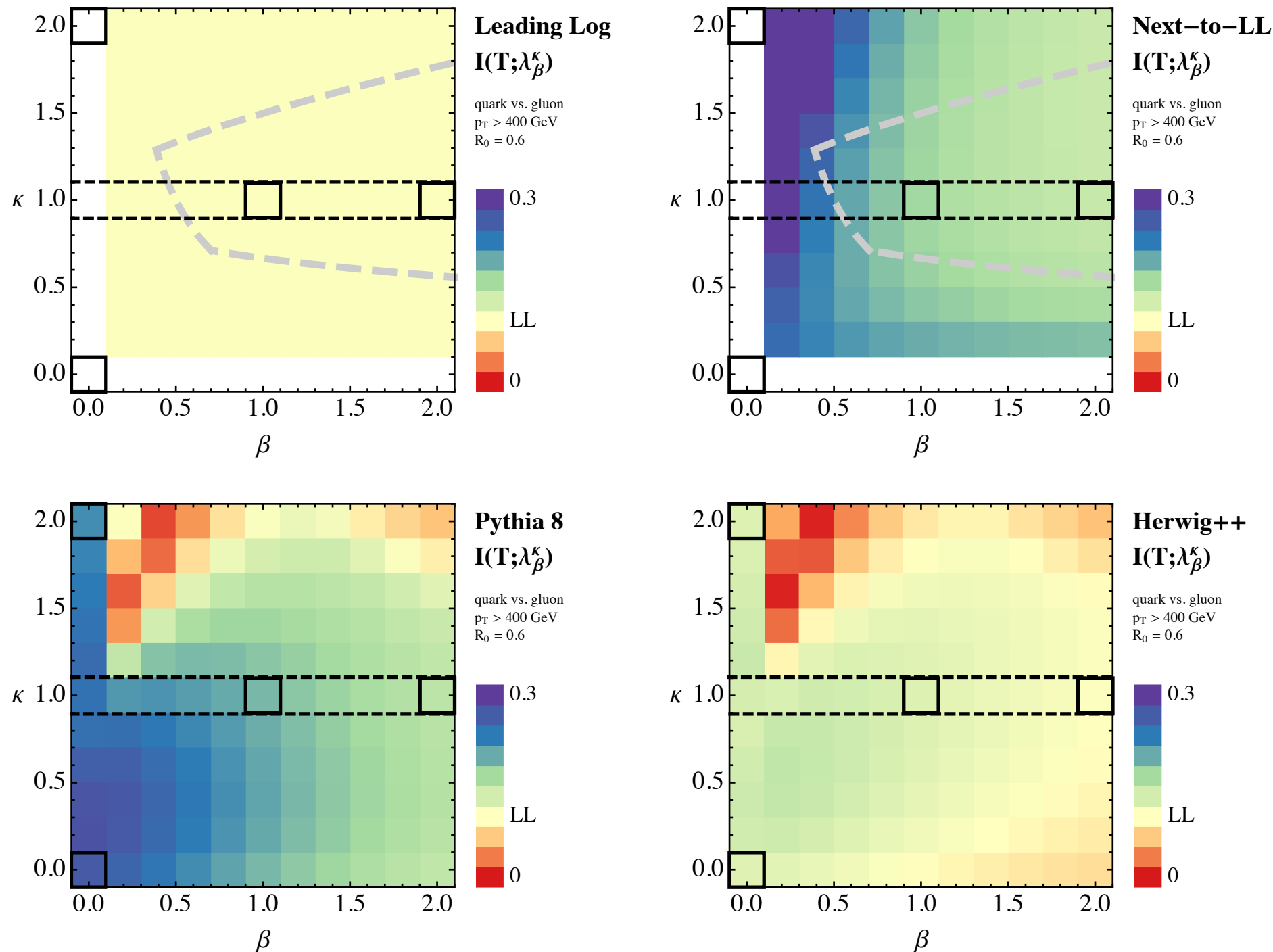
Generalized Angularities

$$\lambda_{\beta}^{\kappa} = \sum_{i \in \text{jet}} z_i^{\kappa} \left(\frac{\theta_i}{R} \right)^{\beta}$$



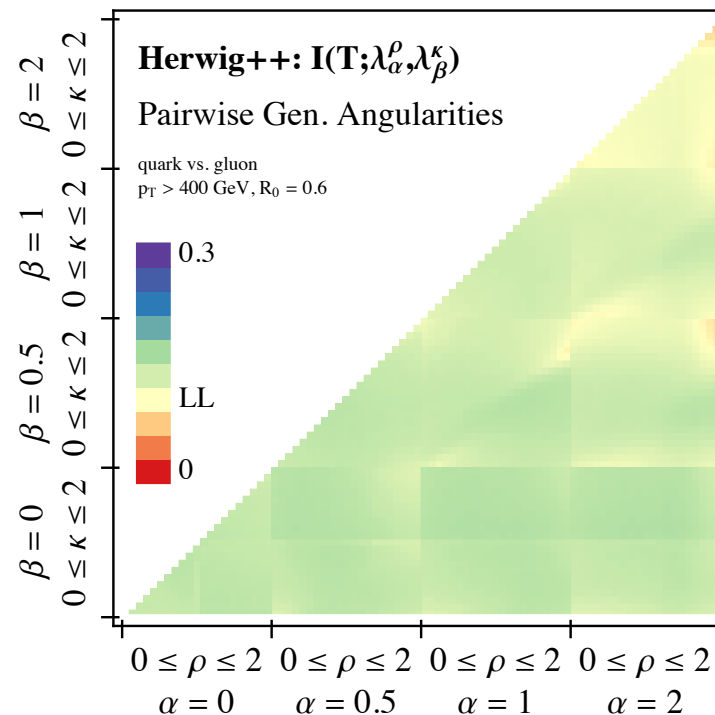
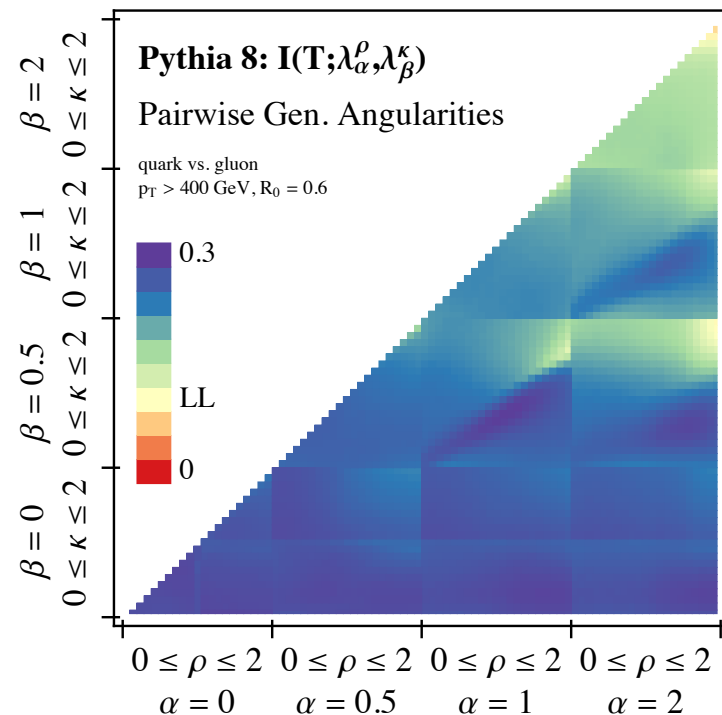
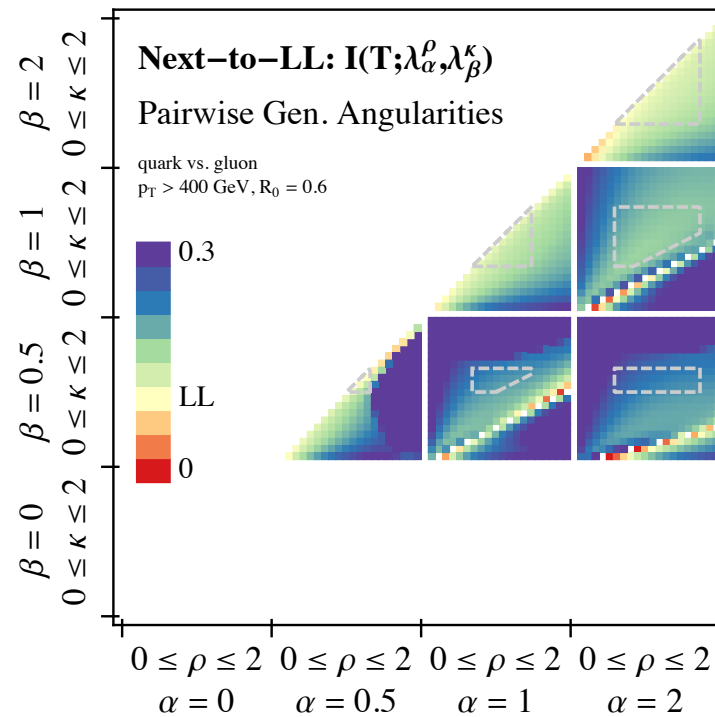
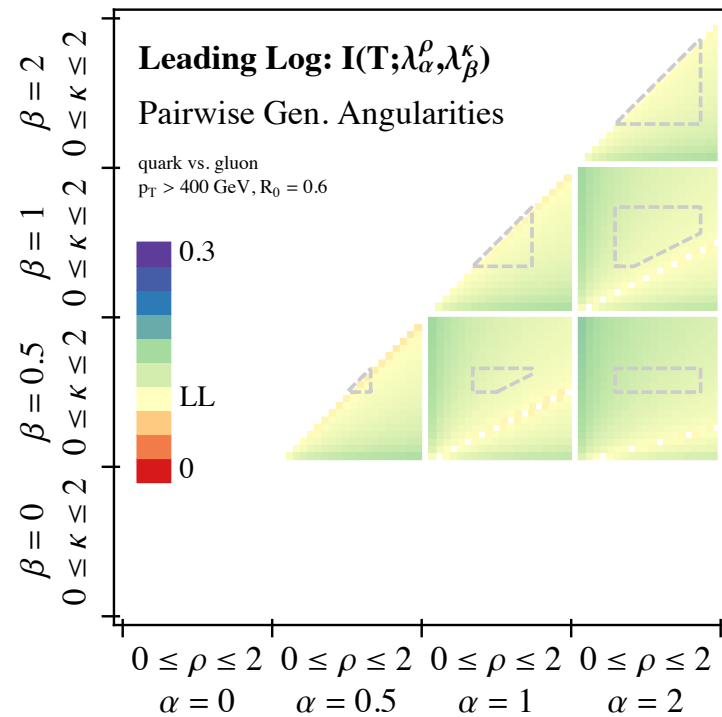
- $\kappa = 1$: IR safe, angularities (Berger, Kucs, Sterman)
- $\beta = 0$: very IR unsafe, similar to jet charge
- blue: a bit IR unsafe, one nonpert. parameter at NLL

Quark/Gluon Discrimination with λ_β^κ



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Quark/Gluon Discrimination with $\lambda_\alpha^\rho, \lambda_\beta^\kappa$



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Conclusions

- Many LHC searches involves jets as signal or background
- Jet substructure provides a new set of tools for e.g.:
 - Boosted objects
 - Quark vs. gluon
- Much theoretical work remains to be done
 - Gain insight
 - Improve predictions/Monte Carlo
- Factorization is key: separating physics at different scales
 - Calculate jet mass and charge
 - Universality of hadronization for jets with $R \ll 1$

thank you!