JetWeb: a WWW interface and database for Monte Carlo tuning and validation

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Outline of talk

- Physics motivation
- Software technology
- Object model
- Demonstration
- Example application
- Planned improvements
- Conclusion

Physics motivation

- Need to understand hadronic final state for current and future measurements.
- Some effects not calculable from first principles, e.g. hadronization.
- MC generators have many free parameters.
- Tuning to fit one data set can result in a poor description of other data.
- Better to tune to many data sets simultaneously.
- Want to:
 - automate comparisons as far as possible
 - avoid duplicating effort (and CPU usage)

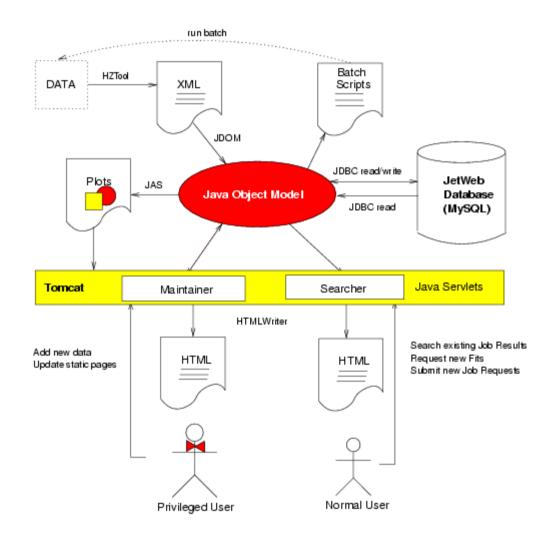
HzTool

- Fortran library: fills HBOOK histograms from generated events to compare with measurements.
- Developed in HERA Workshop:
 - J. Bromley et al., Future Physics at HERA, vol 1, 611-612
- Routine written in Fortran for each analysis.
- Range of data already included: H1, ZEUS, UA5, OPAL, CDF, D0. Contributing authors also from ATLAS and FLC. Need more!

JetWeb

- J Butterworth and S Butterworth: Comput. Phys. Commun. 153 (2003) 164-178.
- Adds functionality to HzTool.
- Database of measurements, predictions and fits.
- Web front end allows:
 - search database
 - submit jobs to generate MC with chosen parameters
- Uses: Java servlets, MySQL relational database, XML, Java Analysis Studio (JAS).
- HzTool jobs can be submitted to a standard batch farm or to a grid.

JetWeb overview



Object model

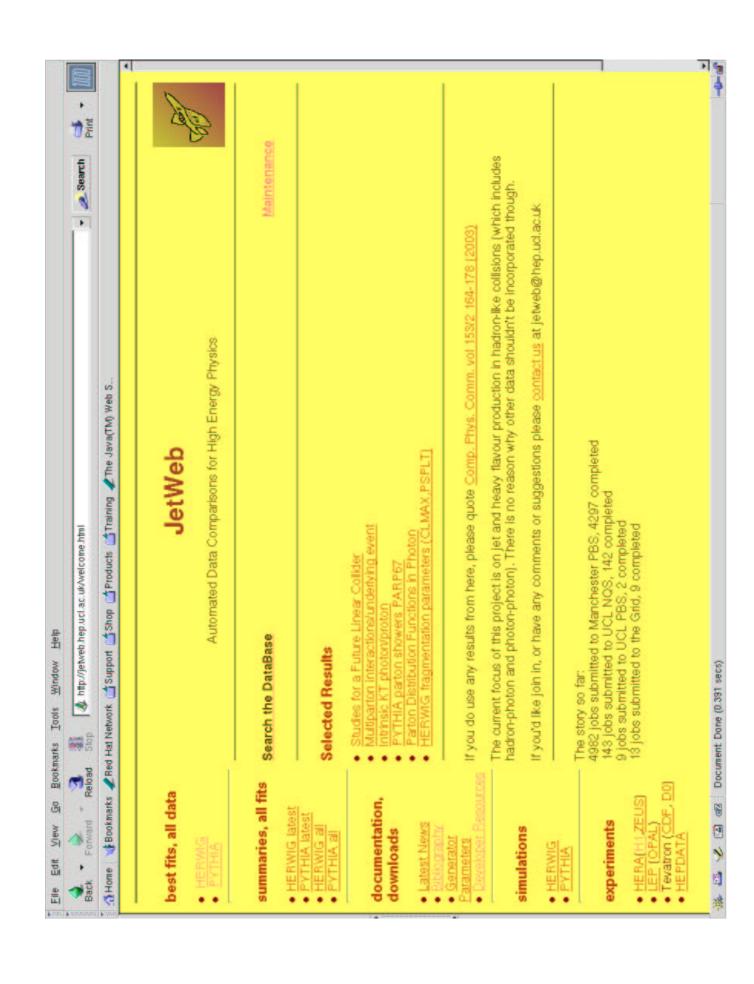
- Java classes correspond (more or less) to tables in database.
- Data: papers contain plots contain points.
- Model = generator/version + parameters
 - several models can be equivalent for a particular collider, e.g. proton PDF irrelevant to e+e- data, so introduce class *logparms* = model + collider
- Predicted plots/points
- Fit: comparison between data and model
 - Normalized to fit selected high-Et data
 - Chi-squared calculated for various data sets

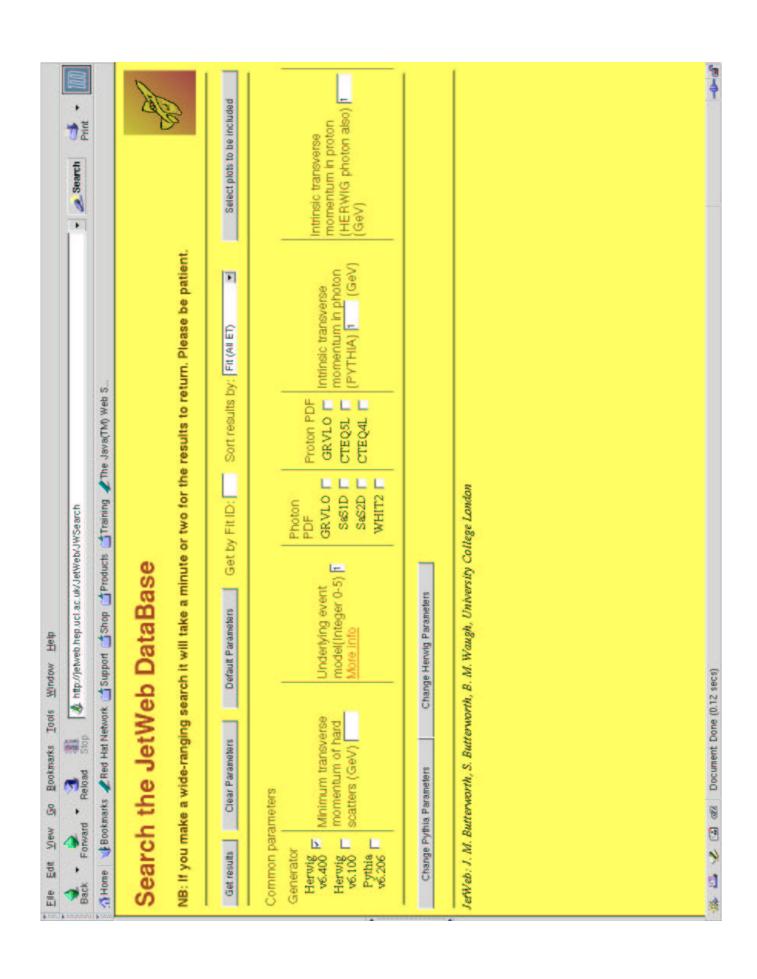
Using JetWeb

- Start at http://jetweb.hep.ucl.ac.uk/
- Search the database: possibilities include
 - select MC generator and parameters, and compare predictions with a range of data;
 - select data set of interest and find models giving a good description of these data;
 - more generally: restrict some MC parameters while allowing others to vary, and compare predictions with all available data or a subset.
- Use ready-made searches under Selected Results.
- Best fit pages are automatically updated.

Searching the database

- Select generator(s) of interest
- Restrict parameters as required, or leave them free
 - Common: ptmin, underlying event model, PDFs, kt
 - Generator specific
- Choose order of results (e.g. find best fit to charm date)
- Get results! (May take minutes for very general search.)
- If nothing in DB matches your request, you can submit a request to generate some new MC.







Results sorted by Fit (All ET)

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HERWIG v6.400 nm 22/05/2003 PDFs; Photon Sasad Proton CTEOSL PTMIN 3.00 vV UE JIMMY Photon kt.1.0 Proton kt.1.0 Scale 1.65; Fit ID 639 : Plots atte

Chi2/Dof. All: 4.97 High ET: 2.03 Low ET: 3.05 Jet Shape: 11.59 Charm: 6.71 Chi2/Dof: All: 4.98 High ET: 2.03 Low ET: 2.72 Jet Shape: 77.49 Charm: 6.77 Lumi 56.0 pb⁻¹ Combined: a

Lumi 1700.0 pb⁻¹ Chi2/Dof: All: 8.82 High ET: ? Low ET: 4.75 Jet Shape: 37.27 Charm: ?

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Lumi 0.00015 pb 1 Chi2/Dof. All: 7.58 High ET: ? Low ET: 7.24 Jet Shape: 7.65 Charm: ?

HERWIG v6.400 nm 22/05/2003 PDFs: Photon 55/22 Proton CTECKL PTMIN 305-V UE JMANN Photon kt1.0 Proton kt1.0 Scale 1.7: Fit ID 395 : Plots at Chi2/Dof: All: 7.03 High ET: 1.88 Low ET: 3.03 Jet Shape: 22.27 Charm: 4.57

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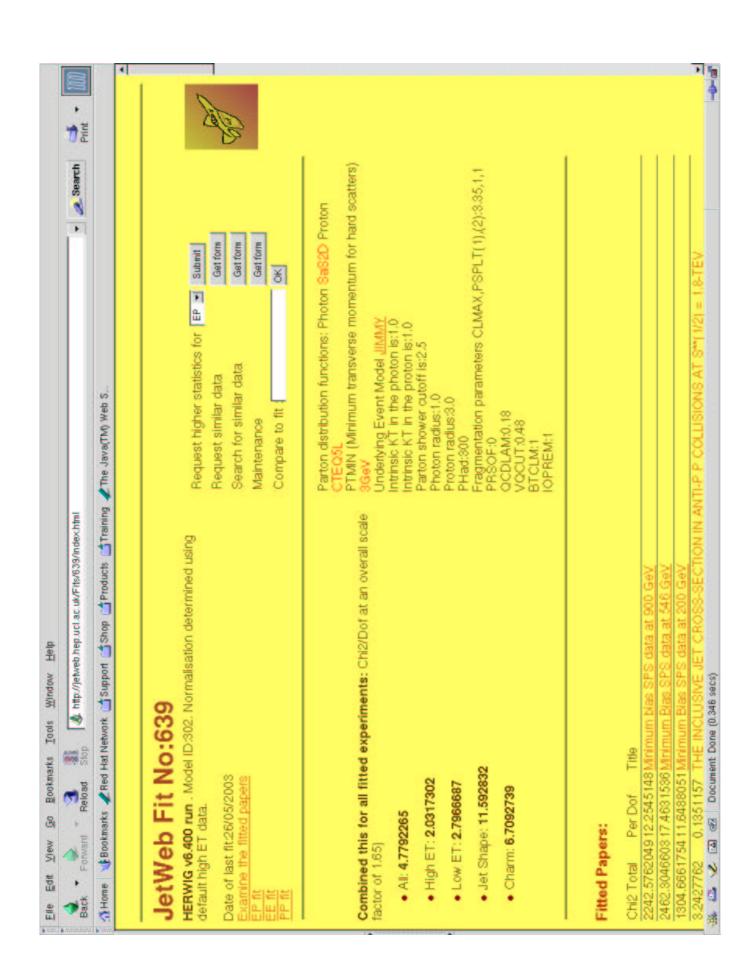
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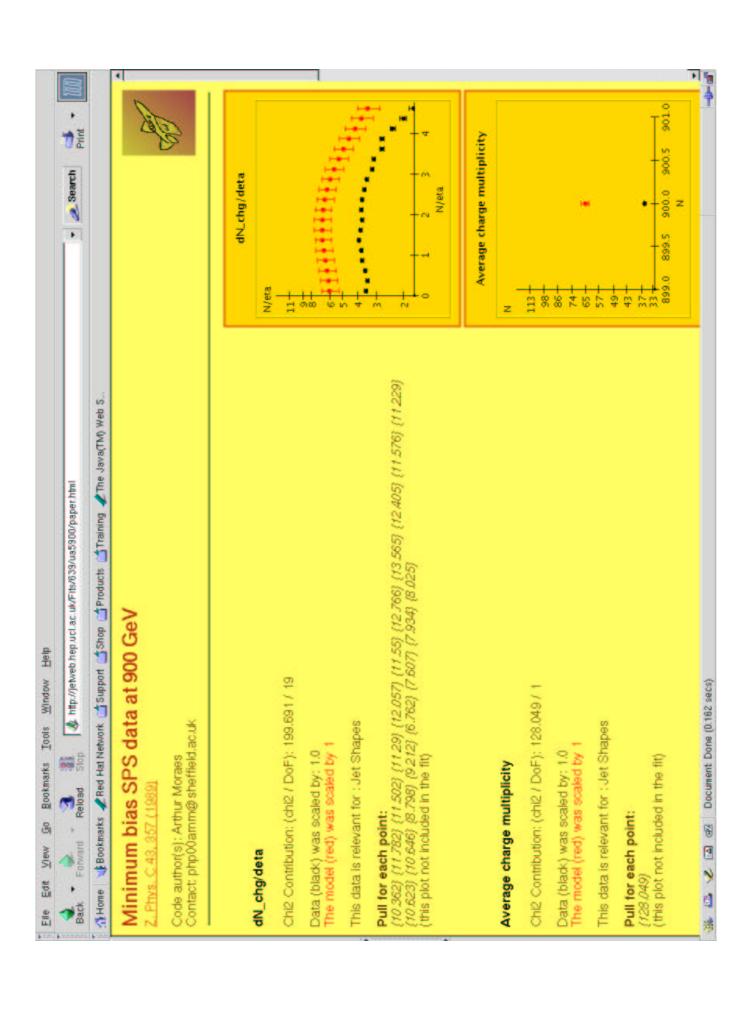
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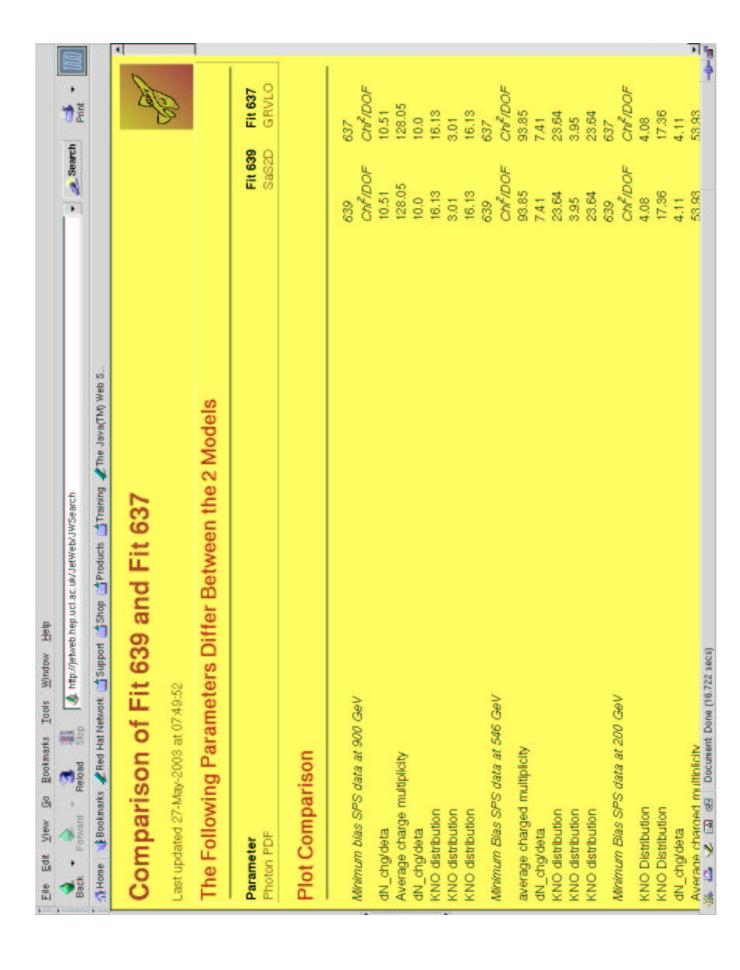
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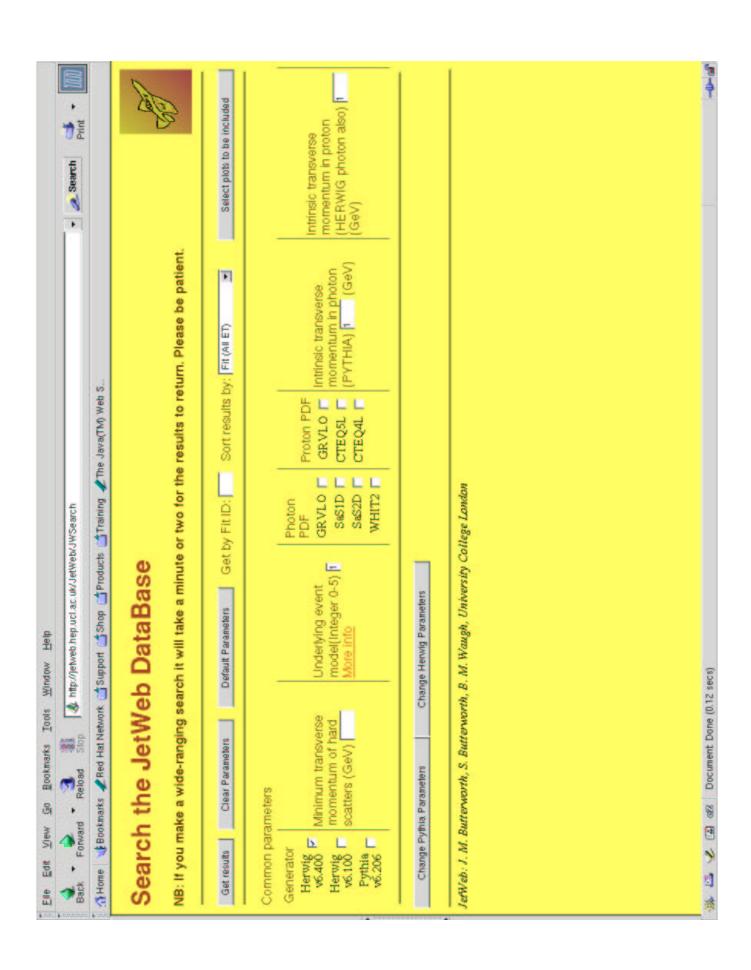
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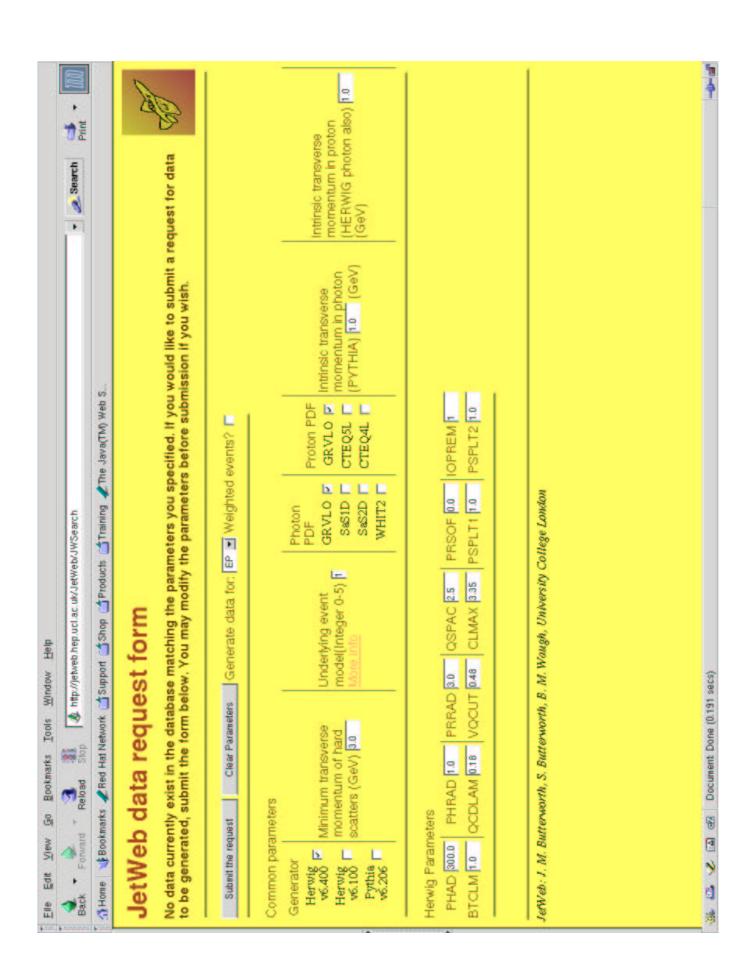


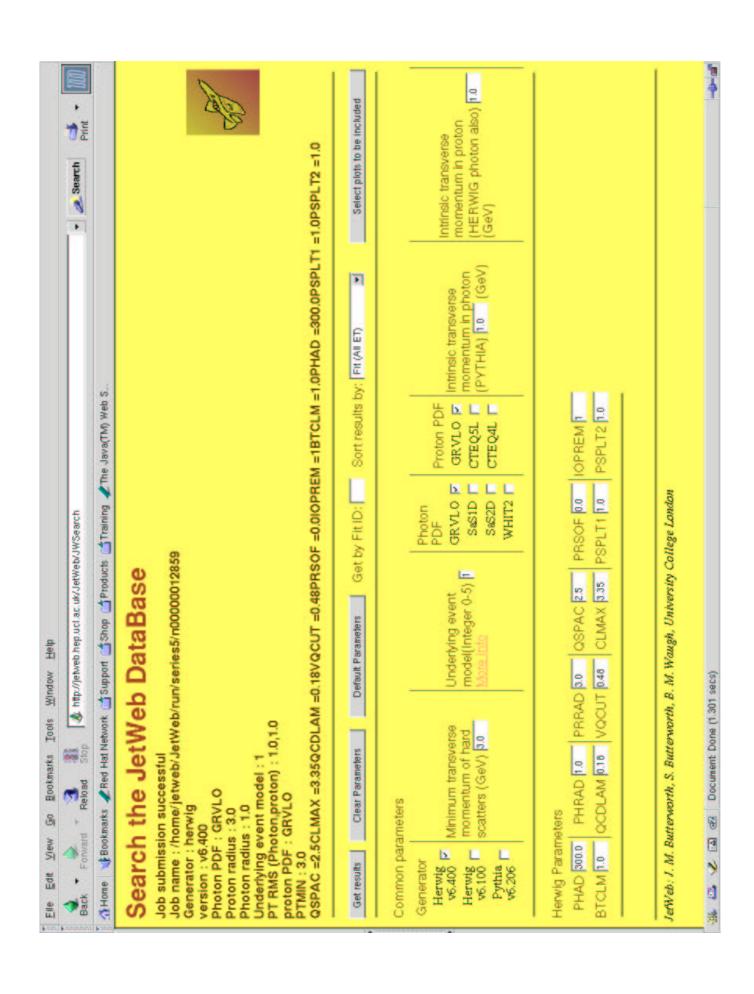












Applications

- Tune and validate MC models.
- Select suitable parameters for use in measurements at existing colliders.
- Predict QCD background at Future Linear Collider (J Butterworth and M Wing).
- Work on LHC (Atlas tuning) underway.

FLC study (from talk by M Wing)

(Default) predictions at 500 GeV

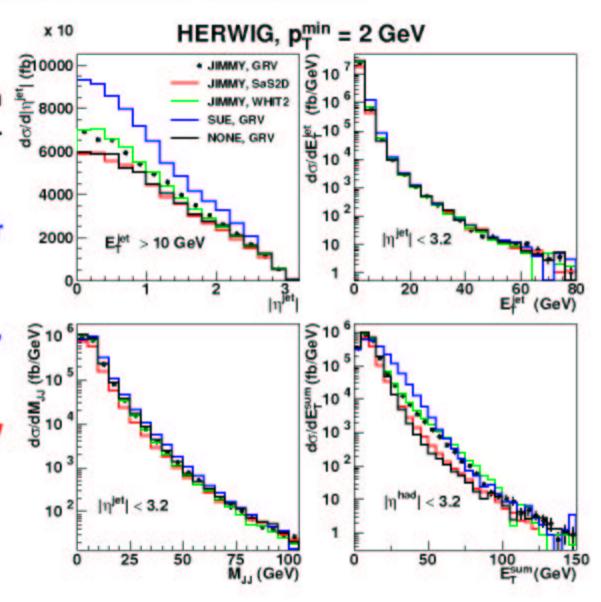
Default HERWIG prediction used with changes in underlying event and photon PDF.

All "reasonable" parameter settings.

Large spread in predictions, even at high energies.

How accurately do we know QCD production?

Not very well!



FLC study (from talk by M Wing)

(Fitted) predictions at 500 GeV

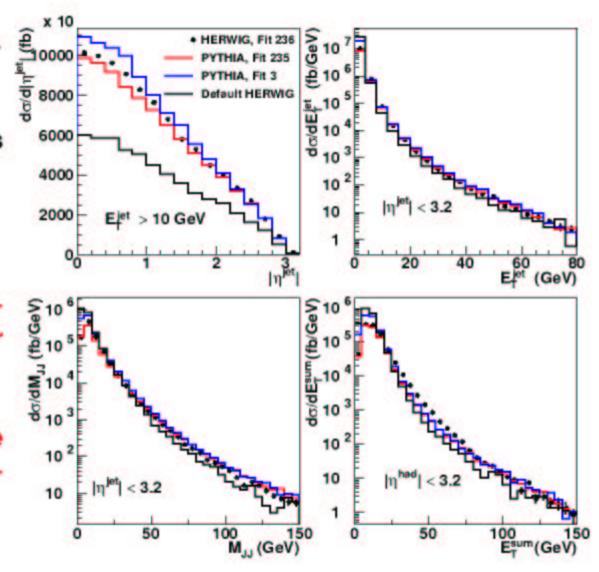
Again fits give similar results.

Spread is also reduced, NB. predictions from two MCs

Significant differences to "default" prediction.

Predictions of QCD background known to much better accuracy.

These MC settings should be used in QCD background estimates for and colliders.



Planned improvements

- Add NLO calculations
- Integrate with HEPDATA database
- More use of Grid technologies for job submission and data access
- More data!

Conclusion

- Already a usable (and used) tool.
- Need more data, i.e. more HzTool routines.
- User feedback is also appreciated (+ and -).
- Please help us to improve and expand JetWeb!