

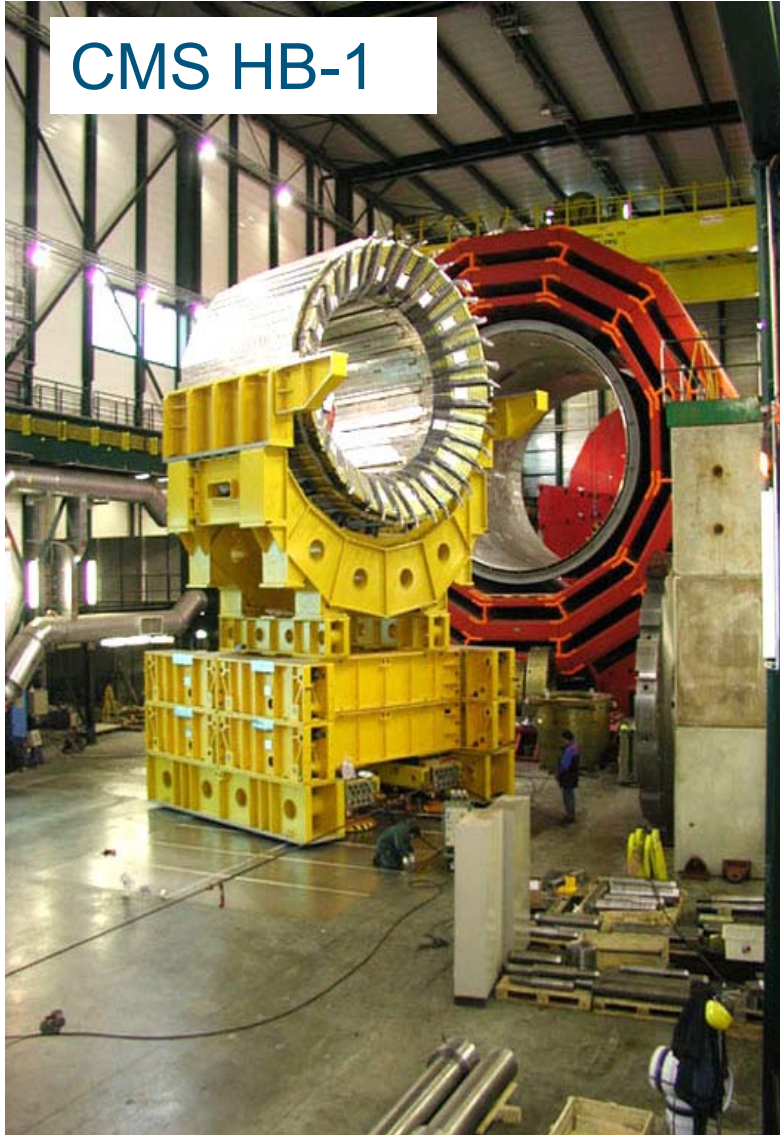
# **SM and Higgs WG (II)**

**“Experimental view” on  
subjects of sub-groups**

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Les Houches 12<sup>th</sup> May 2005

# We will start in 2007

CMS HB-1



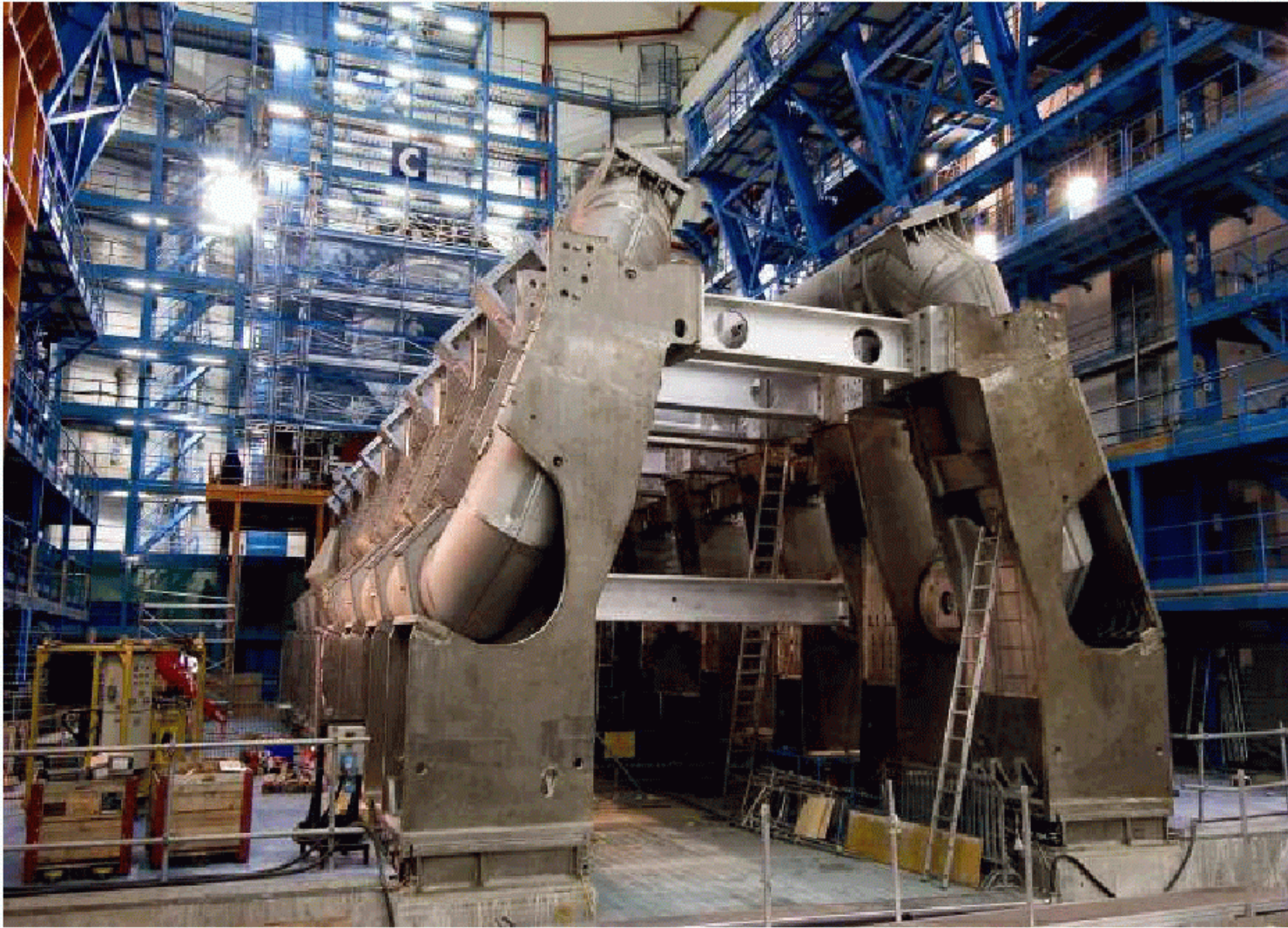
CMS HB+1



Installation of readout boxes started  
source calibration in 2005.  
Insertion in vacuum tank: Summer 2005.

**CMS. 11 MB stations installed in YB+2**





- > construction of the ATLAS detector underground
  - ▷ two (out of eight parts of the barrel toroid)

# **SM benchmarks and PDF's**

# Message from 1<sup>st</sup> session : first, we should discover Standard Model



Discovering the Standard Model during  
the first year(s) of the LHC  
(and reliability of SM predictions)

J. Huston  
Michigan State University

Standard Model of  
**FUNDAMENTAL PARTICLES AND INTERACTIONS**

FERMIONS

Leptons	Quarks
Electron Mass: $9.109 \times 10^{-31}$ kg Charge: $-1.602 \times 10^{-19}$ C	Up quark Mass: $2.2 \times 10^{-30}$ kg Charge: $2/3 \times 1.602 \times 10^{-19}$ C
Muon Mass: $1.883 \times 10^{-28}$ kg Charge: $-1.602 \times 10^{-19}$ C	Down quark Mass: $4.8 \times 10^{-31}$ kg Charge: $-1/3 \times 1.602 \times 10^{-19}$ C
Tau lepton Mass: $1.777 \times 10^{-27}$ kg Charge: $-1.602 \times 10^{-19}$ C	Strange quark Mass: $9.4 \times 10^{-31}$ kg Charge: $2/3 \times 1.602 \times 10^{-19}$ C
Neutrinos Mass: $< 10^{-36}$ kg Charge: 0	Charm quark Mass: $1.27 \times 10^{-27}$ kg Charge: $2/3 \times 1.602 \times 10^{-19}$ C

Structure within the Atom

BOSONS

Photon	W boson	Z boson	Higgs boson
Mass: 0 Spin: 1	Mass: $80.4 \times 10^{-27}$ kg Spin: 1	Mass: $91.2 \times 10^{-27}$ kg Spin: 1	Mass: $126 \times 10^{-27}$ kg Spin: 0

PROPERTIES OF THE INTERACTIONS

Interaction	Mediator	Range	Strength
Electromagnetic	Photon	Infinite	1
Weak	W/Z bosons	Short	$10^{-6}$
Strong	Gluons	Short	$10^{-13}$



Les Houches 2005

# ~ 10<sup>7-8</sup> Z->ll, W->lv on tape during physics run in 2008 (~ 10fb<sup>-1</sup>)

Z, W, tt cross sections and expected number of events after trigger in CMS with 10 fb<sup>-1</sup>

channel, NLO $\sigma \times \text{Br}$	Level-1 + HLT efficiency	events for 10 fb <sup>-1</sup>
W->e $\nu$ , 20.3 nb	0.25	5.1 x 10 <sup>7</sup>
W-> $\mu\nu$ , 20.3 nb	0.35	7.1 x 10 <sup>7</sup>
Z->ee, 1.87 nb	0.53	1.0 x 10 <sup>7</sup>
Z-> $\mu\mu$ , 1.87 nb	0.65	1.2 x 10 <sup>7</sup>
tt-> $\mu+X$ , 187 pb	0.62	1.2 x 10 <sup>6</sup>

~ 10<sup>6</sup> tt-> $\mu+X$  with 10 fb<sup>-1</sup>

J. Campbell, R.K. Ellis, D. Rainwater  
hep-ph/0308195

**W/Z+nJ+X NLO predictions at LHC**  
with cuts :

$$\begin{aligned}
 p_{\text{T}}^l &> 15 \text{ GeV} \\
 |\eta^l| &< 2.4 \\
 p_{\text{T}}^j &> 20 \text{ GeV} \\
 |\eta^j| &< 4.5 \\
 \Delta R_{lj} &> 0.4 \\
 \Delta R_{ll} &> 0.2
 \end{aligned}$$

process	$\sigma_{LO}$	$\sigma_{NLO}$
$e^+\nu_e + X$	5670	6780 <sup>+290</sup> <sub>-130</sub>
$e^-\bar{\nu}_e + X$	3970	4830 <sup>+210</sup> <sub>-90</sub>
$e^+e^- + X$	803	915 $\pm$ 31
$e^+\nu_e j + X$	1660	1880 <sup>+60</sup> <sub>-50</sub>
$e^-\bar{\nu}_e j + X$	1220	1420 $\pm$ 40
$e^+e^- j + X$	248	288 <sup>+8</sup> <sub>-7</sub>
$e^+\nu_e jj + X$	773	669 <sup>+0</sup> <sub>-18</sub>
$e^-\bar{\nu}_e jj + X$	558	491 <sup>+0</sup> <sub>-7</sub>
$e^+e^- jj + X$	116	105 <sup>+1</sup> <sub>-5</sub>

**W/Z bb + X**

$$|\eta^b| < 2.5$$

process	$\sigma_{LO}$	$\sigma_{NLO}$
$e^+\nu_e b\bar{b} + X$	1.30 <sup>+0.21</sup> <sub>-0.18</sub>	3.06 <sup>+0.62</sup> <sub>-0.54</sub>
$e^-\nu_e b\bar{b} + X$	0.90 <sup>+0.14</sup> <sub>-0.12</sub>	2.11 <sup>+0.46</sup> <sub>-0.37</sub>
$e^+e^- b\bar{b} + X$	1.80 <sup>+0.60</sup> <sub>-0.40</sub>	2.28 <sup>+0.32</sup> <sub>-0.29</sub>

# Project running over two sessions

Analyses by final state  
signatures:  $ll$ ,  $\gamma\gamma$ ,  $jj$ , ...

Proposal for (B)SM working group

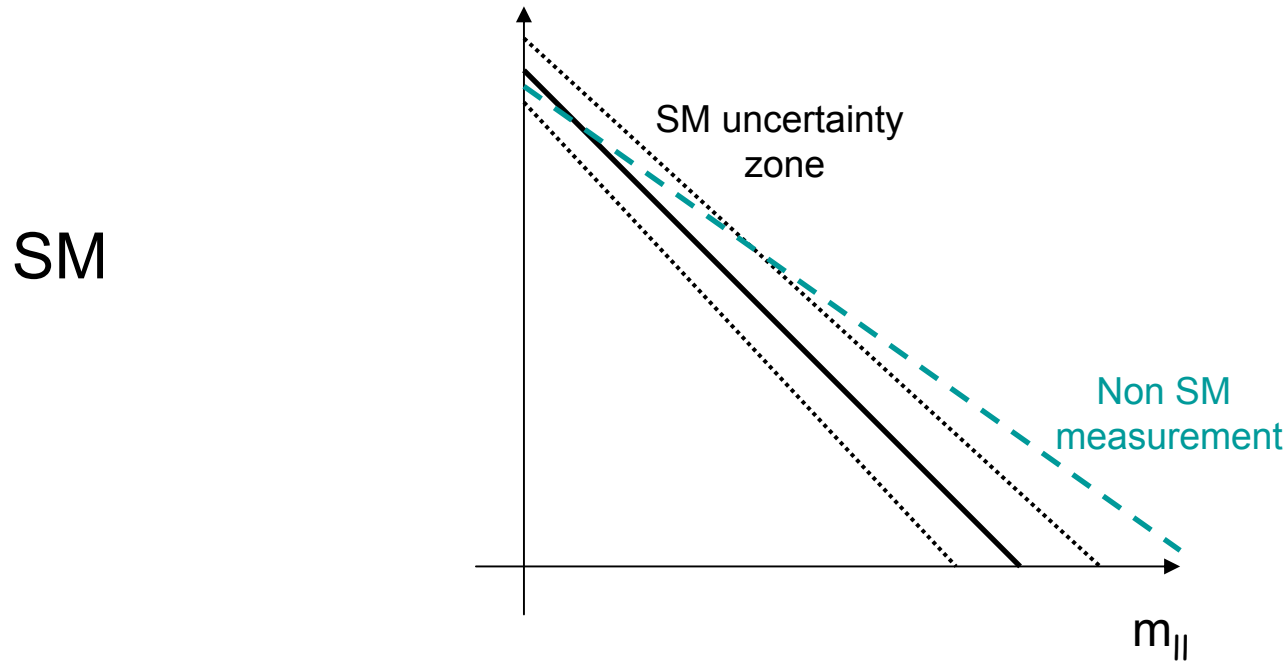
***Samir FERRAG***

*University of Oslo*



- **Motivation:**
  - Understand the SM predictions and establish their uncertainty band
  - Every prediction outside this band is a signature of new physics
- **1<sup>st</sup> year of LHC:**
  - Simple topologies and robust analyses:
    - Di-leptons, di-photons, dijets...

## 2 sides: Limits of the SM and possible BSM signature



BSM



Class1: Z' models

Class2: model X:  $G \rightarrow II$

Class3: SUSY: model Y

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Observable 1

Spin study

Spin study

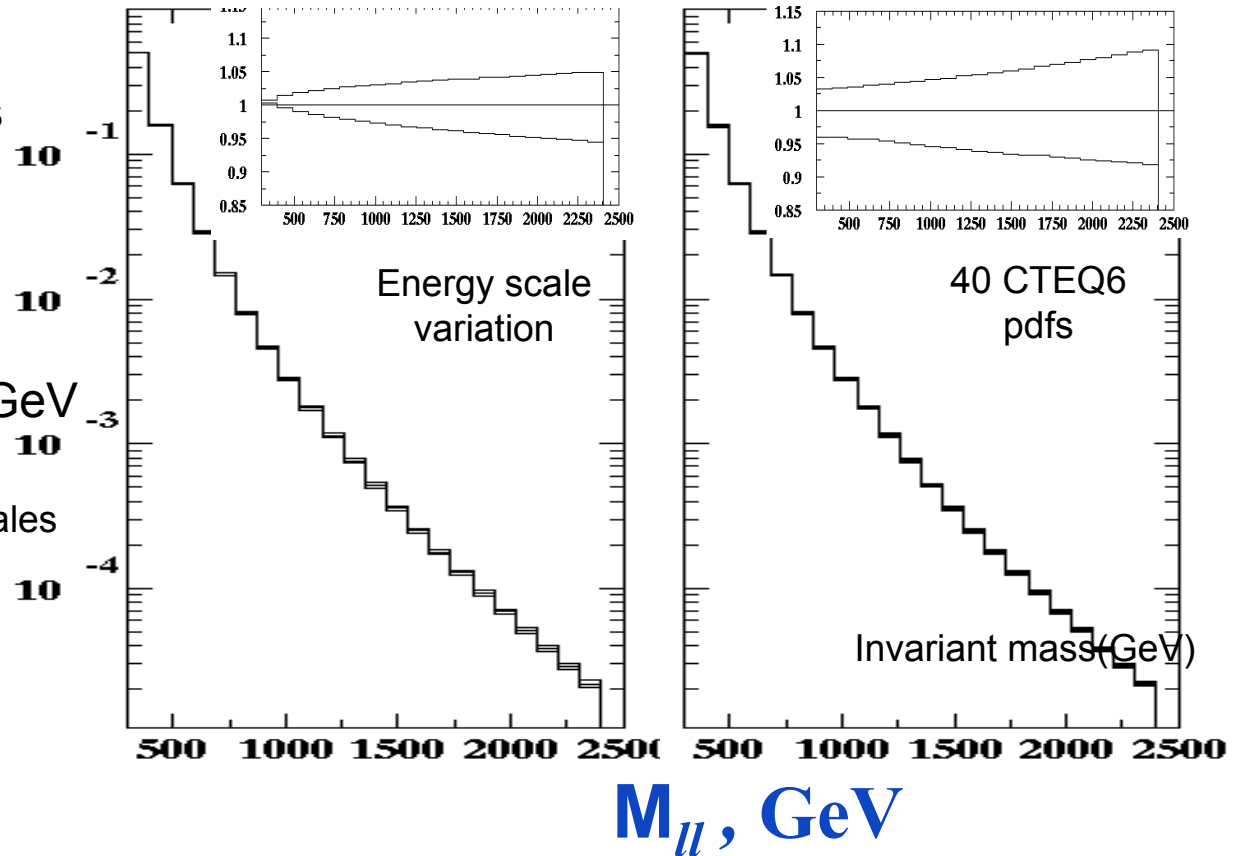
Observable 2

$A_{fb}$

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# Output of 1<sup>st</sup> session- Benchmark: Drell-Yan (Ferrag)

- Goal: Limits on the SM predictions
- Observables:  $M_{ll}, P_t, \text{boost}, \Delta\eta$
- MC@NLO:  $\sigma$  computed by 100 GeV bin  
200 GeV < invMass < 2500 GeV
- Sources of uncertainties:
  - Factorisation and Renormalisation scales  
 $1/\pi * m_t < \mu < \pi * m_t$
  - PDFs  
CTEQ6 40+1 pdf1



**$\gamma\gamma, jj$  to be continued during 2<sup>nd</sup> session.**  
**Join this project**

# Higgs production in association with heavy quarks

$b(b)h$ ,  $b(b)Z$ ,

$gg(b) \rightarrow t(b)H^+$

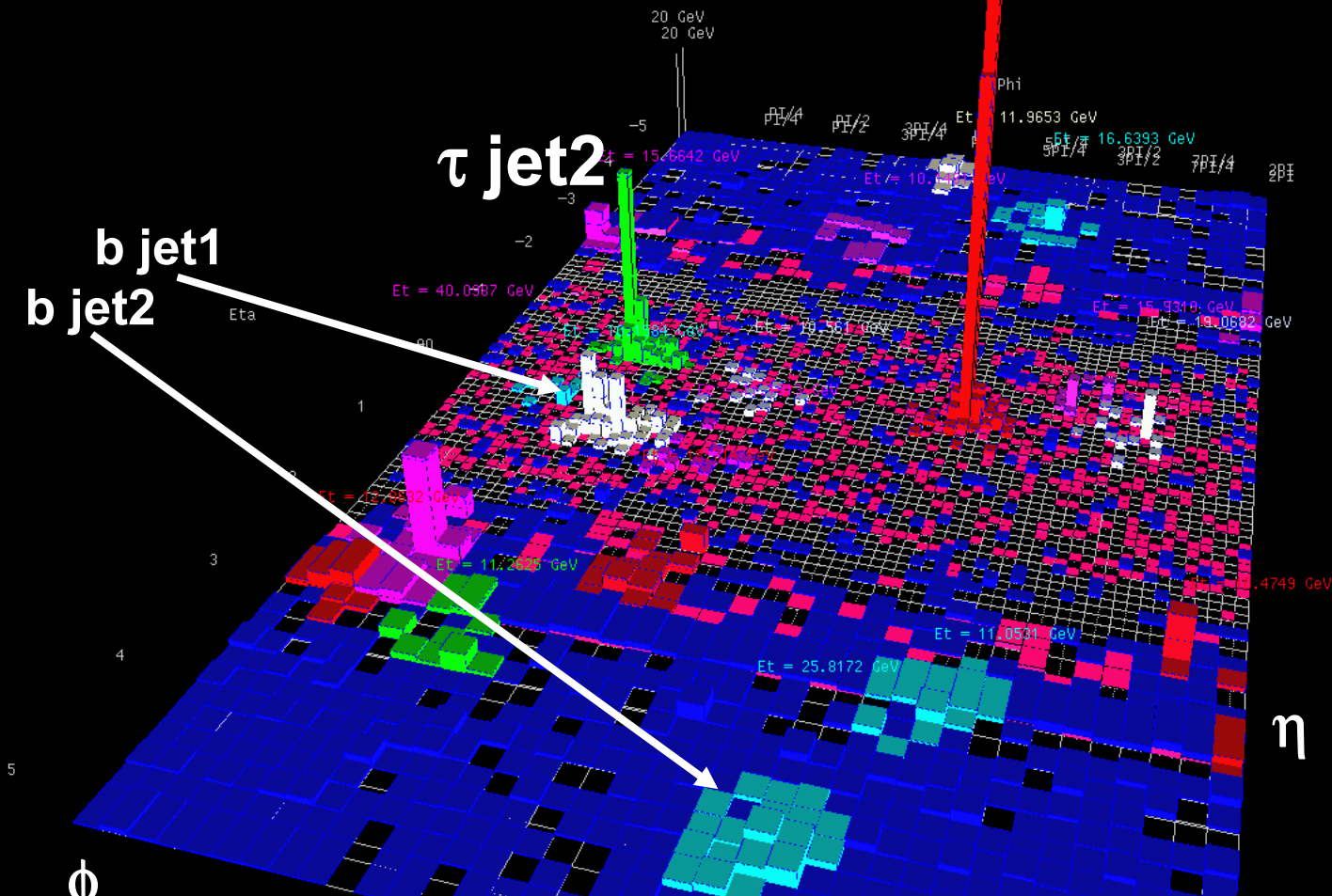
# Run 1814, 30 Dec. 2008. One of the 10 events candidates on MSSM $A \rightarrow 2\tau$ jet

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Et = 96.6981 GeV

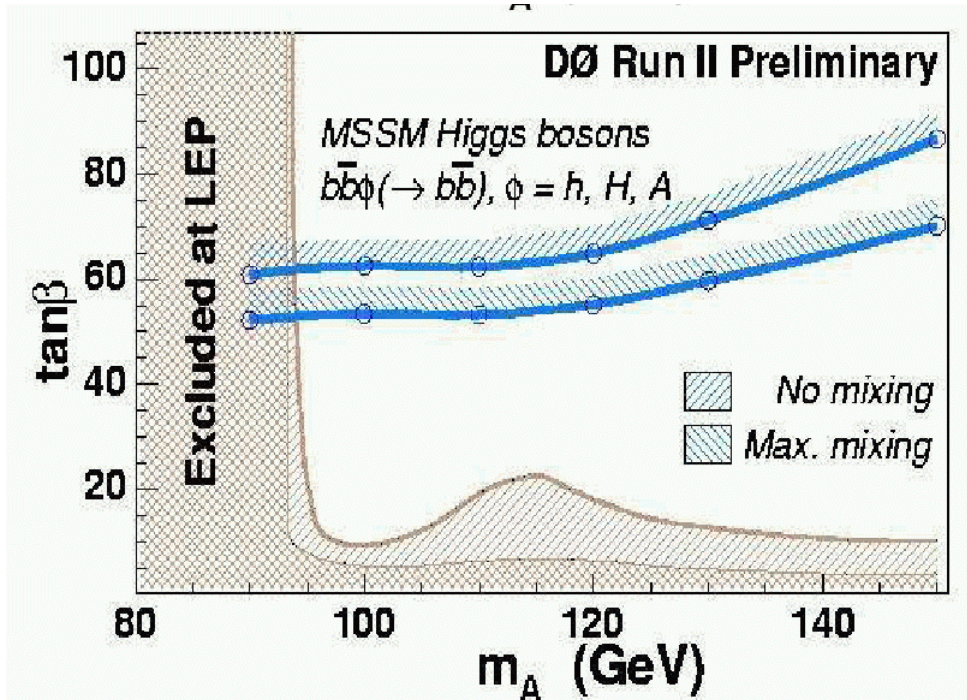
$\tau$  jet1

$\tau$  jet2

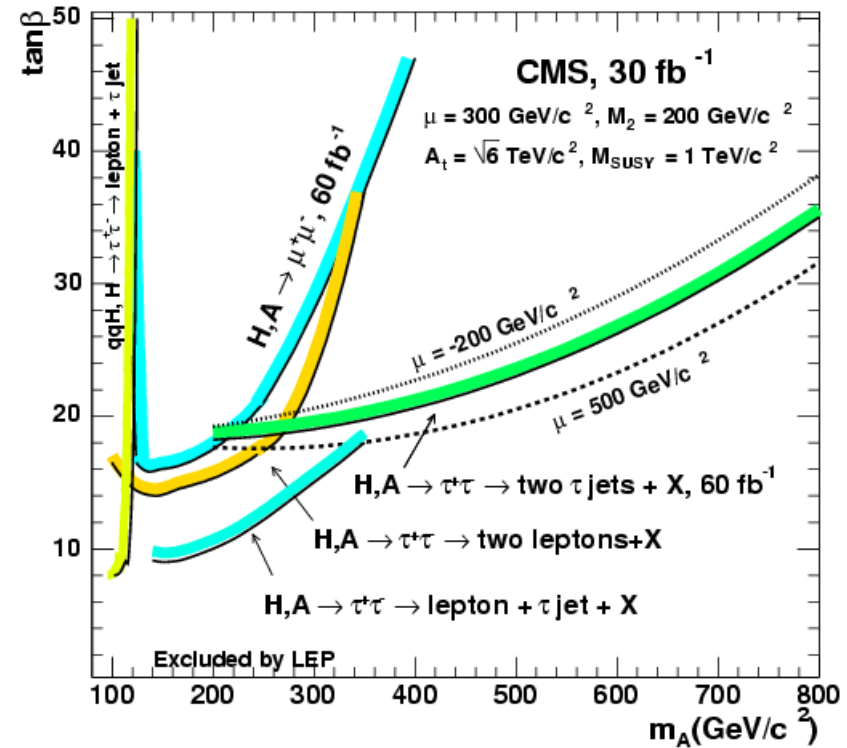
b jet1  
b jet2



**Tevatron  $bb\phi$  ( $\rightarrow bb$ )  $\phi=h, A, H$     LHC  $bb\phi$  ( $\rightarrow \tau\tau, \mu\mu$ )  $\phi=h, A, H$**



**Exclusion**



**Discovery/measurement**

**Both heavily rely on Monte Carlo of  $\phi$  production**

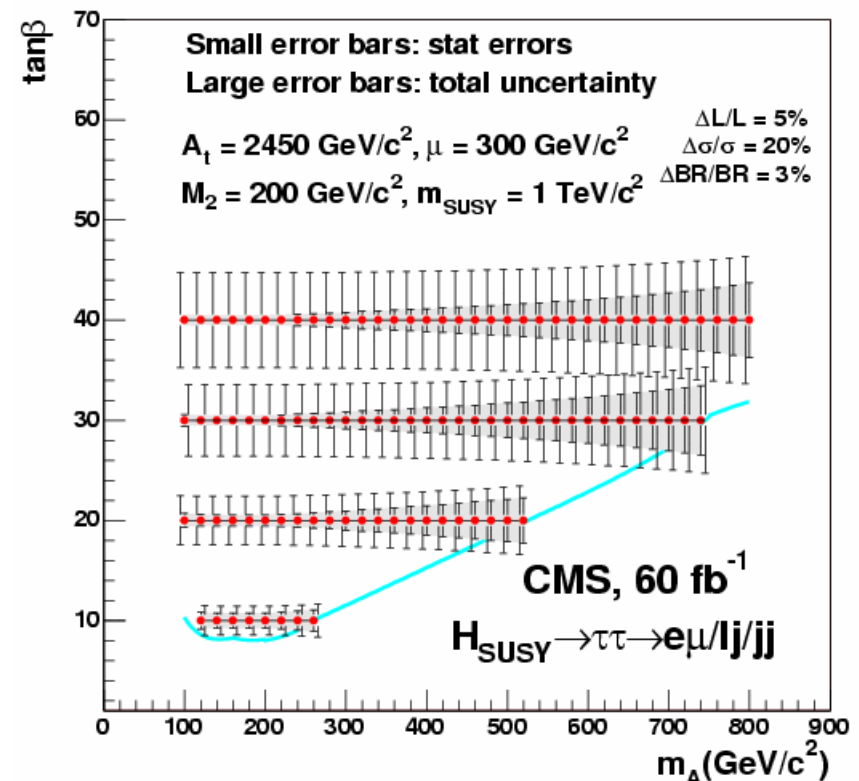
# tan( $\beta$ ) measurement with MSSM bbA, A $\rightarrow$ 2 $\tau$

## Syst. uncertainties

$\Delta\epsilon_{b\text{-tag}}$	2.0%
$\Delta\epsilon_{\tau\text{-tag}}$	2.5%
$\Delta\epsilon_{\text{calo}}$	3.0%
$\Delta\sigma_{\text{th nlo}}$	20%
$\Delta\text{Br}_{S\text{Minp}}$	3%
$\Delta\sigma(\Delta M\tau\tau)$	10%
$\Delta\text{bkg}$	10%
$\Delta\text{MC}$	??????

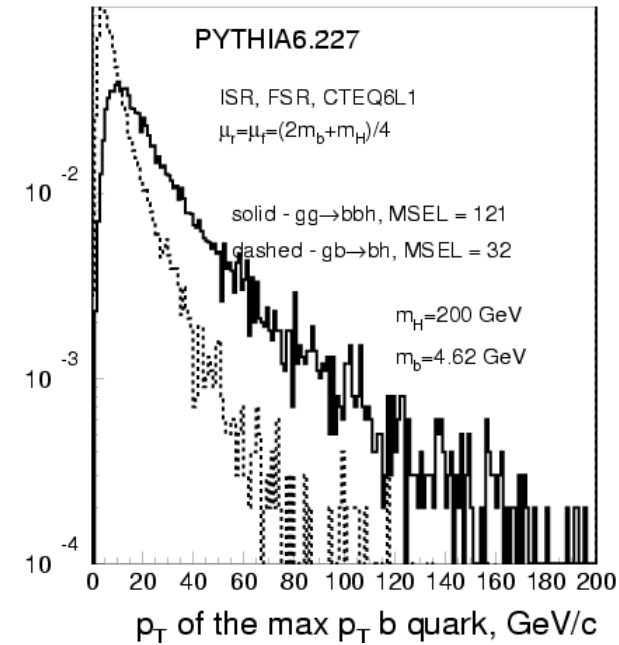
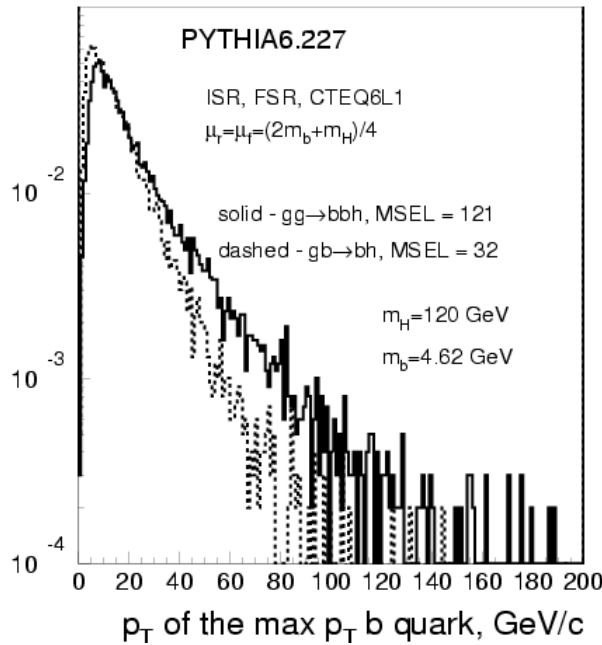
Cross section exhibits a large sensitivity to tan( $\beta$ ) and thus can add a significant observable to a global fit of the SUSY parameters

R. Kinnunen, S. Lehti, F. Moortgat,  
A. Nikitenko, M. Spira. CMS Note 2004/007



# Single “b – tagging” with PYTHIA6.227: $gb \rightarrow bH$ vs $gg \rightarrow bbH$

$p_T^b > 20 \text{ GeV}$ ,  $|\eta^b| < 2.4$

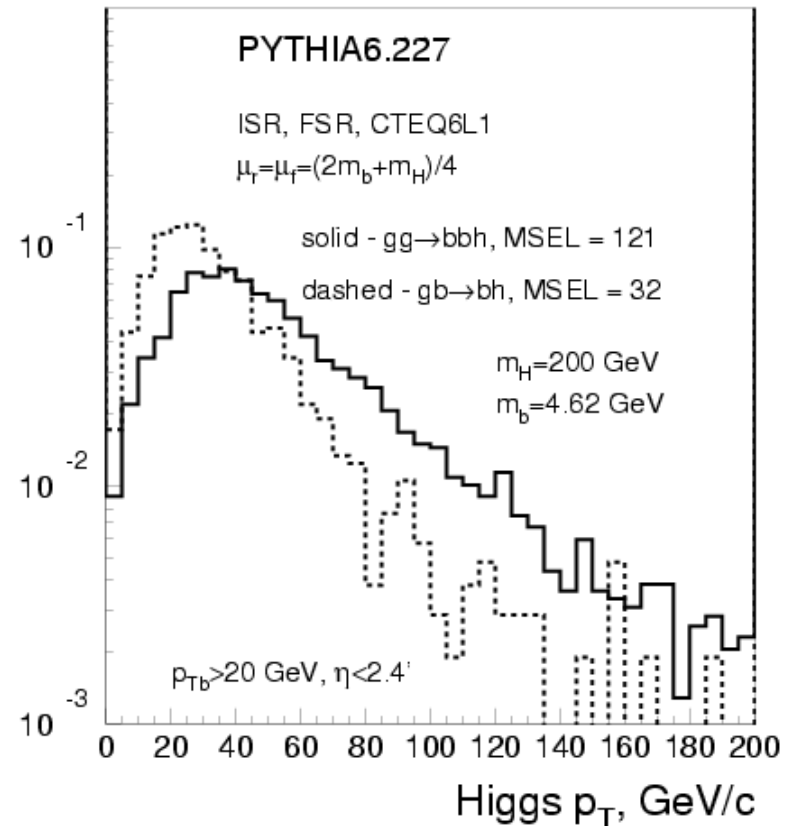
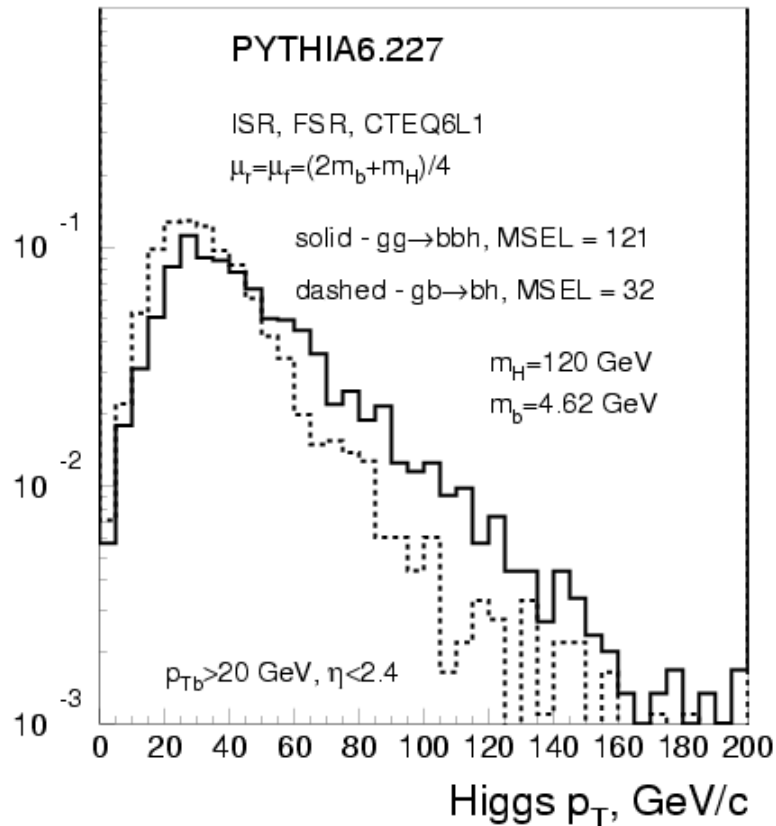


## Single “b – tagging” efficiency (no jet veto yet, used in CMS)

$m_H, \text{ GeV}$	$gg \rightarrow bbH$	$bg \rightarrow bH$
120	31 %	19%
200	40 %	11%



# **$p_T$ Higgs with PYTHIA6.227: $gb \rightarrow bH$ vs $gg \rightarrow bbH$ affects missing $E_T$ and Higgs mass reconstruction**



**Comparison with NLO is on the way ...**

**$b(b)H$  within MC@NLO is VERY desirable**

# Z+b(b) as benchmark for gb->bh (gg->bbh)

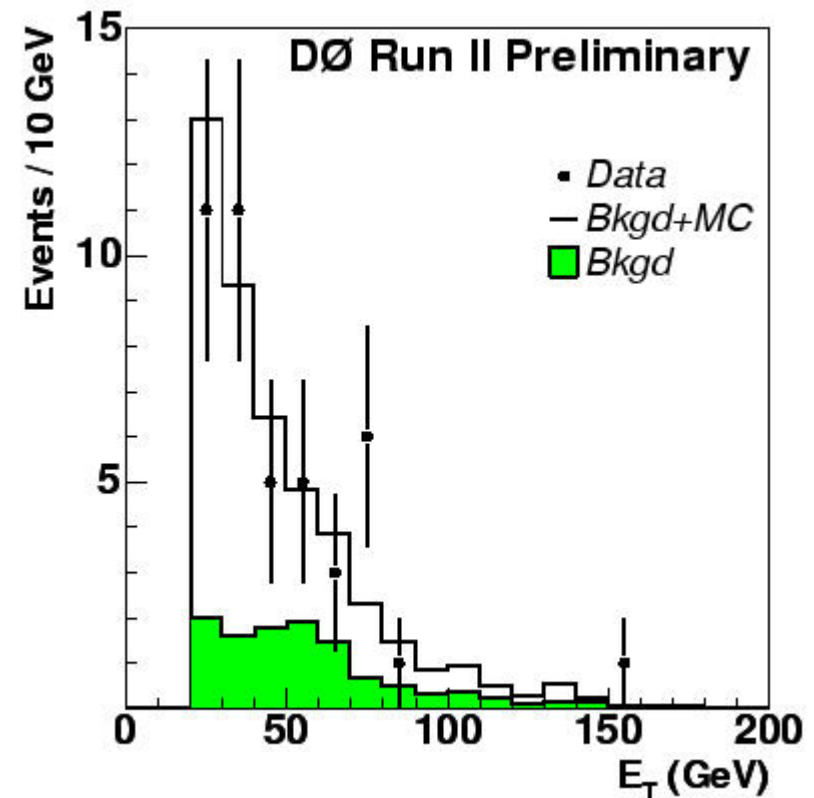
Z+b can be used as a benchmark for  
gb->hb at LHC: test N(N)LO predictions  
and Monte Carlo.

**However, be careful:**

at Teatron both contributions  
gb->Zb and qq~->Zbb are important  
while only gb->Zb is dominant at LHC  
and thus relevant to gb->hb  
[J. Campbell et al hep-ph/0312024]

N(N)LO calculations are available for  
bb->h, gb->hb and gg->bbh and compared  
in J. Campbell et al, arXiv:hep-ph/0405302

184 pb<sup>-1</sup> for e<sup>+</sup>e<sup>-</sup>  
152 pb<sup>-1</sup> for μ<sup>+</sup>μ<sup>-</sup>



## How well we can select it at LHC ?

# **gg->H->WW(\*)->ll**

- **gg->WW background. Monte-Carlo**
- **WbWb = tt+Wt with jet veto ? NLO**
- **“tt” bkg. extrapolation errors: th. + exp.**
- **Uncertainty of jet veto for gg->H**

# “Counting experiment” – no sidebands

## H → WW<sup>(\*)</sup> → 2 l 2 ν

Backgrounds : tt, WW<sup>(\*)</sup>, Wt

**Selections :**

- lepton tracker + calo isolation
- jet veto. No jets E<sub>T</sub> > 20 GeV, |η| < 3
- W<sup>+</sup>W<sup>-</sup> spin correlation: cut on φ<sub>ll</sub>

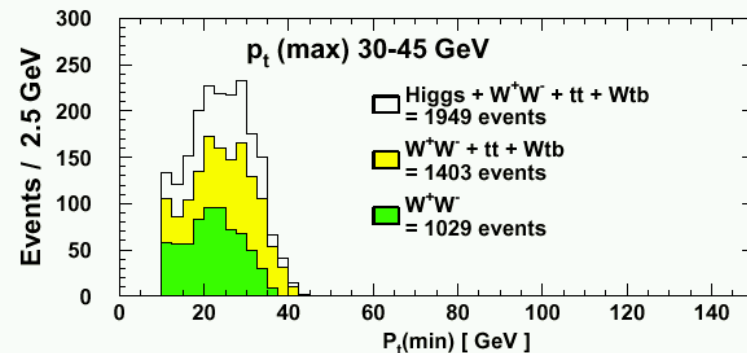
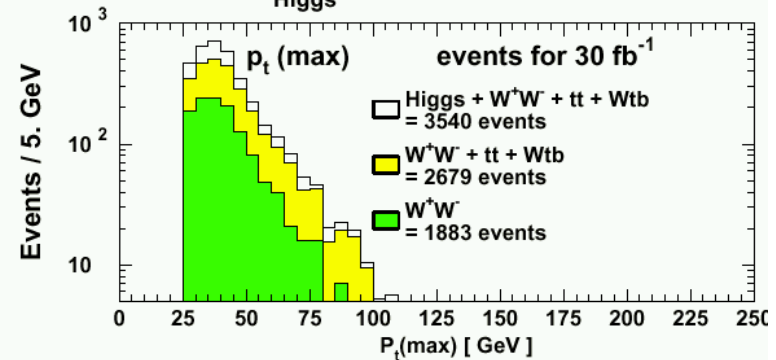
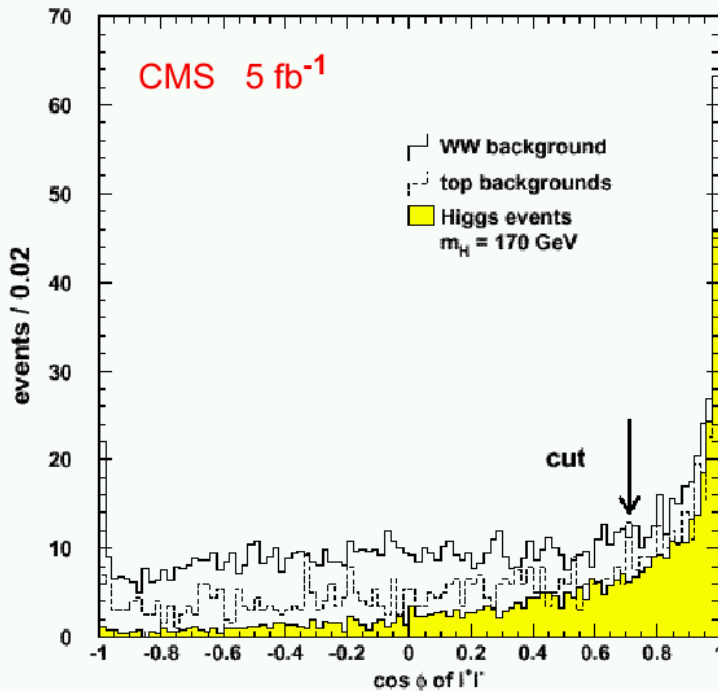
Backgrounds has to be estimated from data

$$\sigma_{\text{bkg}} = \sigma_{\text{ref}} \times (\sigma_{\text{bkg}}/\sigma_{\text{ref}})$$

$\sigma_{\text{ref}}$  - low experim. uncertainty

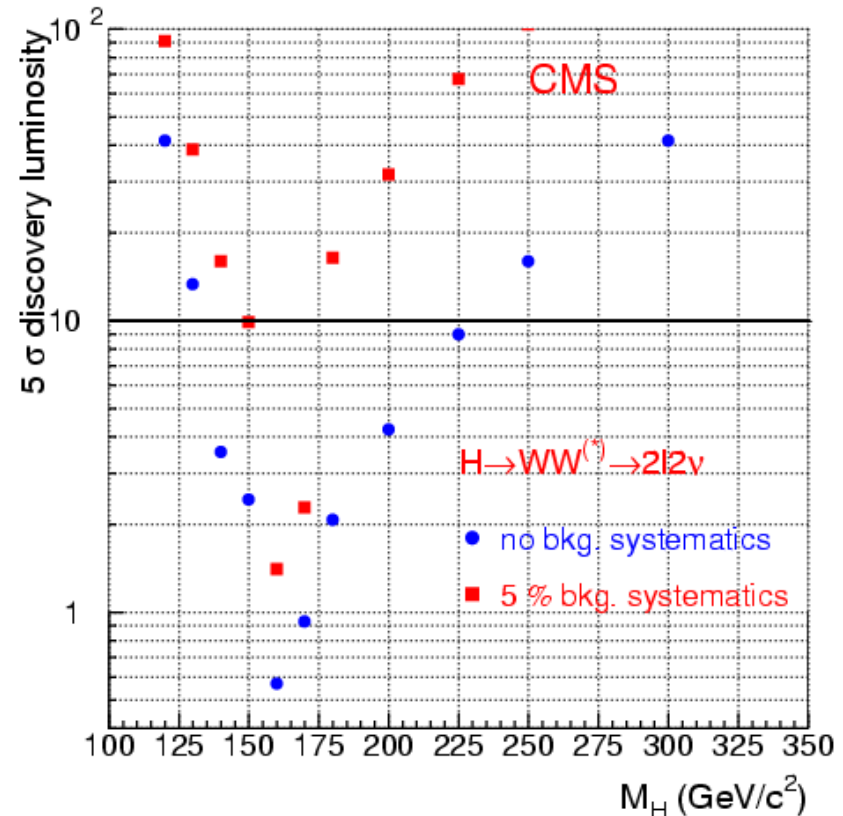
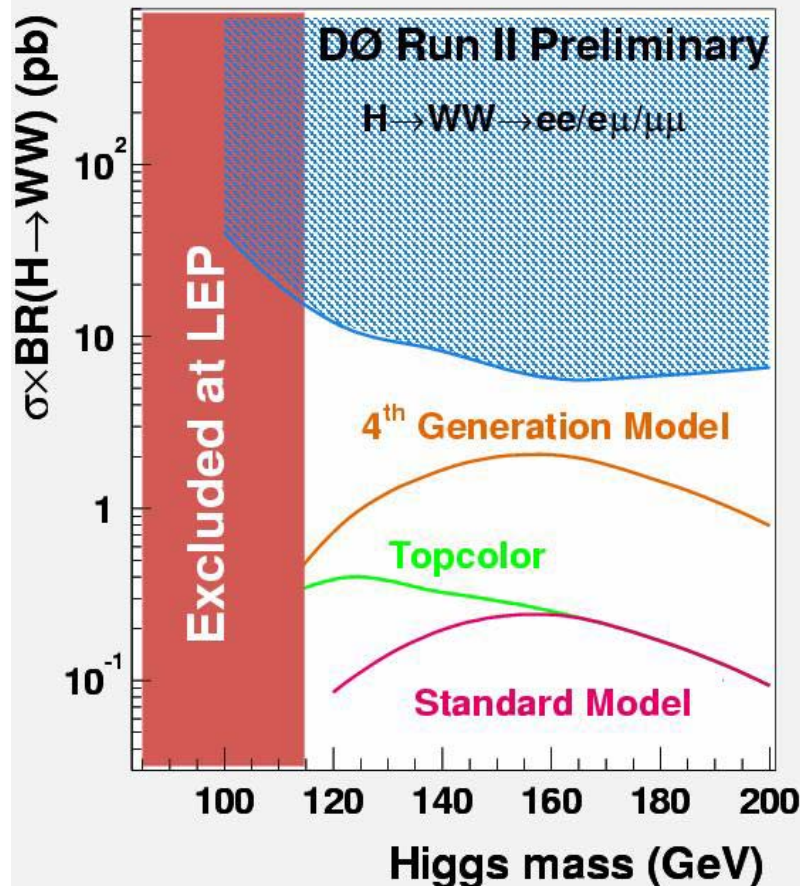
$\sigma_{\text{bkg}}/\sigma_{\text{ref}}$  - low theoret. uncertainty

$M_{\text{Higgs}} = 140 \text{ GeV}$



# Discovery reaches with $H \rightarrow WW \rightarrow 2l$

Excluded cross section times Branching Ratio at 95% C.L.



**+/- 5 % bkg. systematic were taken both in ATLAS and CMS; need more justification;**

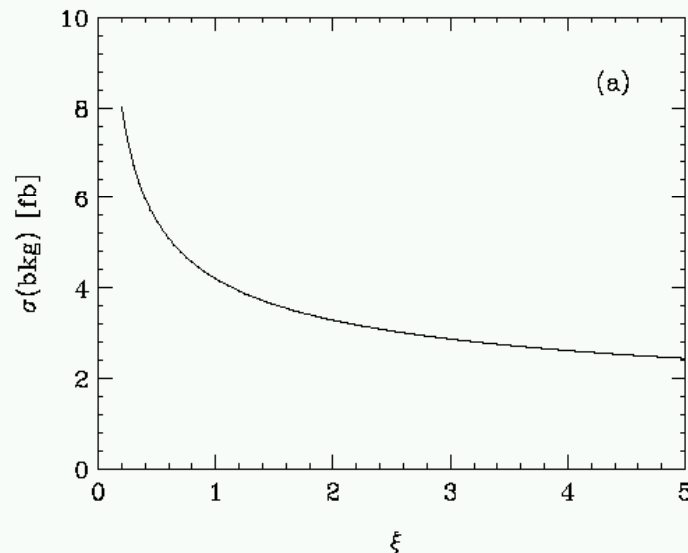
prospects for  $tt\bar{t}$  bkg. uncertainty in  $h \rightarrow ww \rightarrow 2l$ ; extrapolation method

N. Kauer. hep-ph/0404045: ATLAS/CMS cuts (parton level) +  $\epsilon_{b\text{-tag}}$

method (D. Zeppenfeld, N. Kauer) :  $N_{\text{bkg}} = (\sigma_{\text{bkg}} \epsilon_{\text{bkg}} / \sigma_{\text{ref}} \epsilon_{\text{ref}}) N_{\text{ref}}$

WbWb scale uncertainties (LO):

$$\mu_F = \mu_R = \xi m_t$$

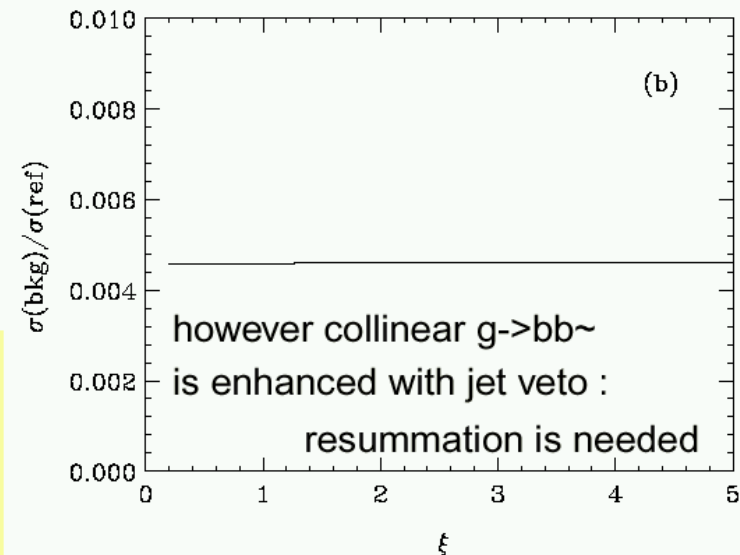


- stat error ( $N_{\text{ref}}$ )  $\sim < 1\%$  ( $> 10 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ )
- $\sigma_{\text{bkg}} / \sigma_{\text{ref}}$  (scale)  $< 1\%$
- $\sigma_{\text{bkg}} / \sigma_{\text{ref}}$  (pdf)  $\sim 3\%$

$\sigma_{\text{bkg}} / \sigma_{\text{ref}}$  scale uncertainties (LO):

reference selections :

- no jet veto  $E_T > 20 \text{ GeV}$ ,  $\eta < 3$
- at least one b jet
- the rest select. are the same

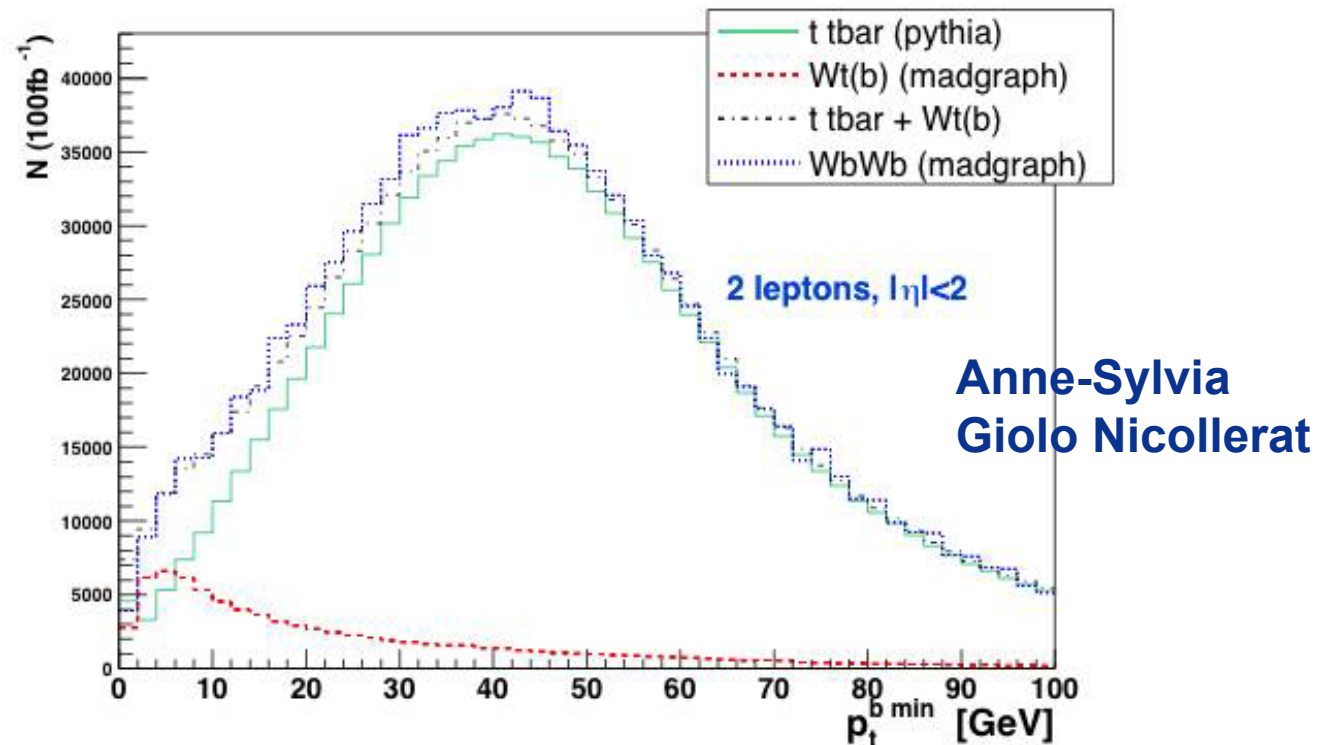


**extrapolation involves also  
experimental uncertainties; how are they big ?**

-  $WbWb = tt + Wt$  with jet veto ?

**Solution 1.**  $Wt$  with Toprex where one  $b$  coming from ISR. BUT too soft  $p_T$  of  $b$ .

**Solution 2. by Fabio Maltony:** Madgraph with full  $WbWb$  matrix elements, taking out  $t\bar{t}$ -onshell contributions (not gauge invariant !)

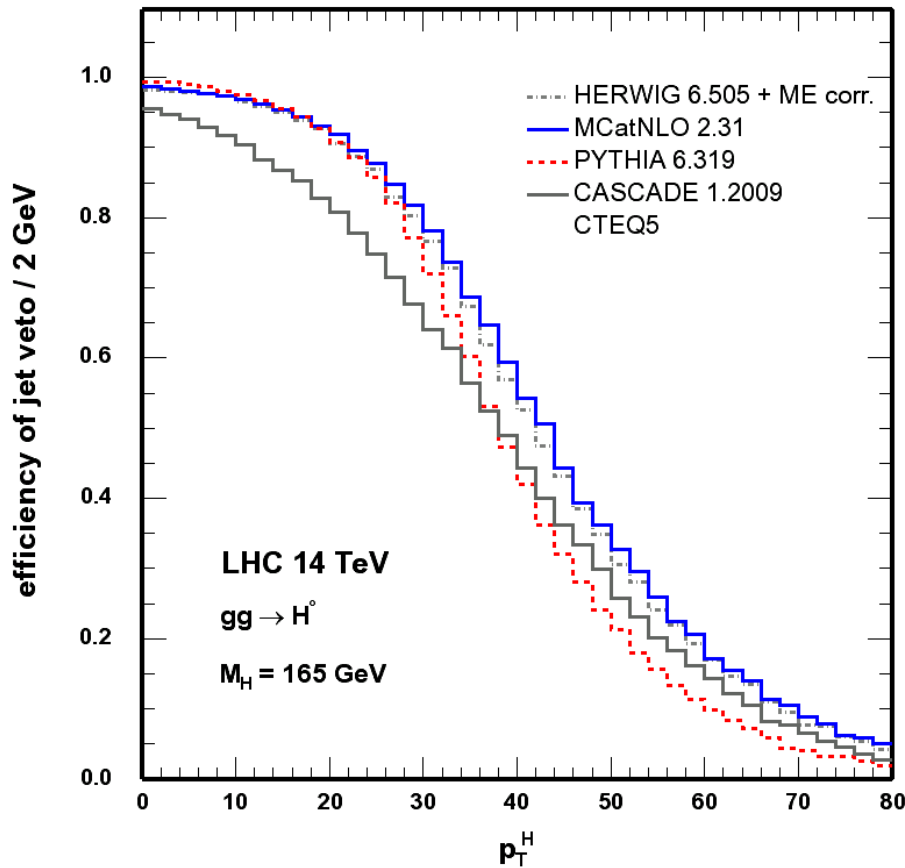


- How about NLO; is NLO  $t\bar{t}$  + NLO  $Wt$  correct way ?

-  $\phi_{II}$  :  $WbWb$  with PYTHIA  $W$  decays =

$WbWb$  with MadGraph decays = full  $lvlvbb$  ?

# Jet veto in gg-h with MC@NLO, PYTHIA6.3, HERWIG and CASCADE. Giovanna Davatz



Differences vary over the  $p_T$  spectrum:

Integrated efficiency over whole  $p_T$  spectrum and up to a  $p_T$  Higgs of 80 GeV:

	$\epsilon$ total	$\epsilon$ up to 80 GeV
<b>PYTHIA</b>	<b>0.61</b>	<b>0.72</b>
<b>HERWIG</b>	<b>0.54</b>	<b>0.68</b>
<b>MCatNLO</b>	<b>0.59</b>	<b>0.69</b>
<b>CASCADE</b>	<b>0.56</b>	<b>0.65</b>

**Within MC@NLO jet veto uncertainty should be estimated changing the scale (S. Frixione); uncertainty due to UE.**

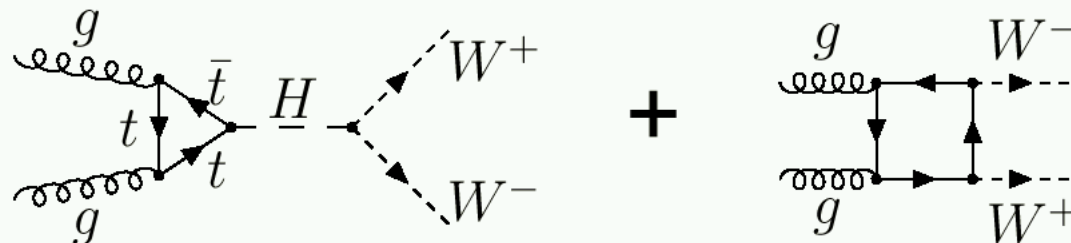


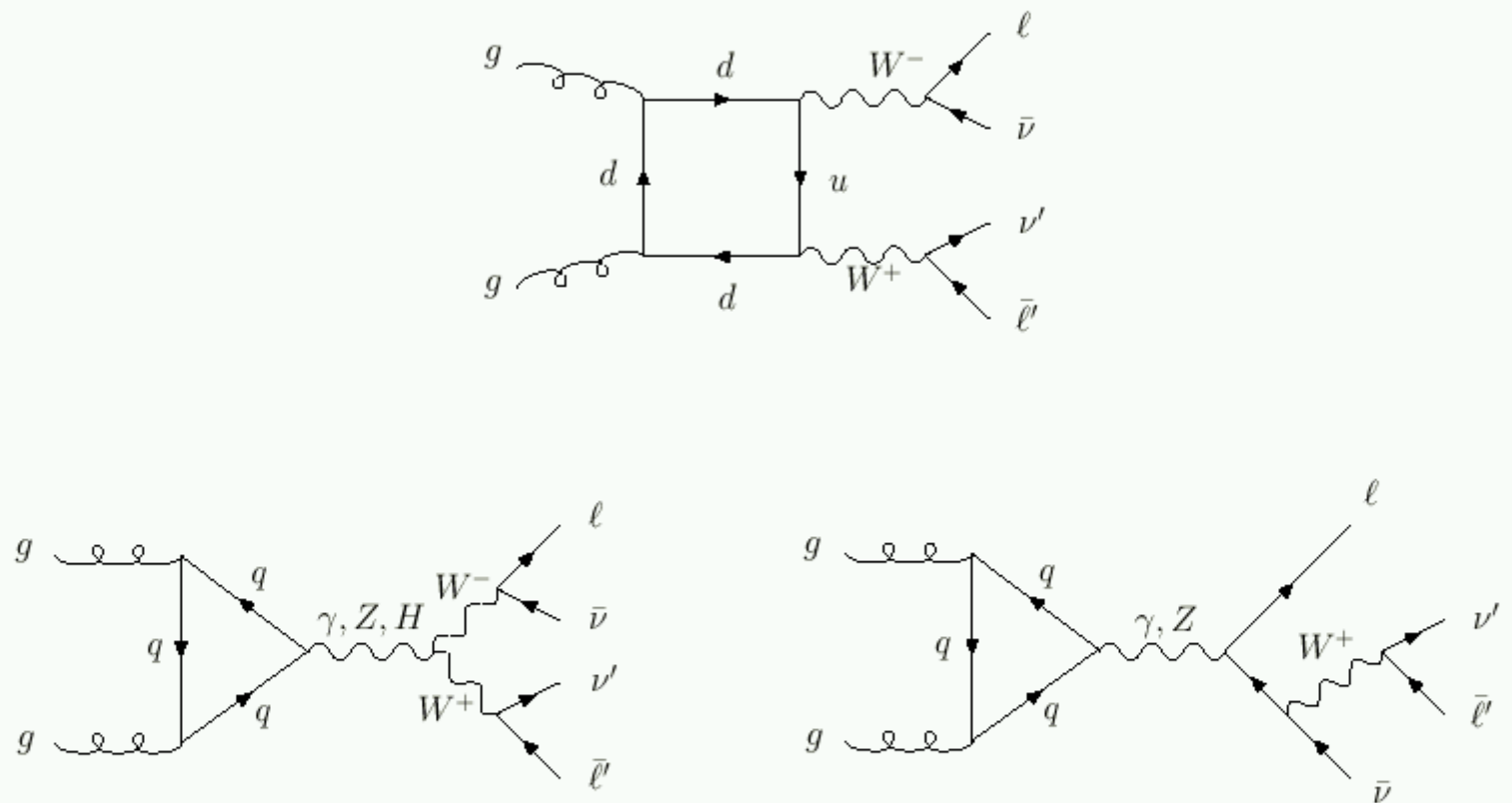
## gg->WW background to gg->WW->2l

Calculations from two groups:

- T. Binoth, M. Ciccolini, N. Kauer, M. Krämer  
(hep-ph/0503094) :  
Off-shell Ws, only light quarks in the loop
- P. Marquard, J. J. van der Bij (M. Dührssen, K. Jakobs)  
(hep-ph/0504006) :  
On-shell Ws, heavy quark loop

Context: Background process to  $gg \rightarrow H \rightarrow WW$





**Figure 1:** Generic Feynman diagrams for the process  $gg \rightarrow W^*W^* \rightarrow \ell \bar{\nu} \ell' \nu'$ .

## Contribution of $gg \rightarrow W^*W^*$ background to the total $W^*W^*$ hep-ph/0503094

	$\sigma(pp \rightarrow W^*W^* \rightarrow \ell\bar{\nu}\ell'\nu')$ [fb]				
	$gg$	$q\bar{q}$		$\frac{\sigma_{\text{NLO}}}{\sigma_{\text{LO}}}$	$\frac{\sigma_{\text{NLO}+gg}}{\sigma_{\text{NLO}}}$
		LO	NLO		
$\sigma_{tot}$	$53.61(2)^{+14.0}_{-10.8}$	$875.8(1)^{+54.9}_{-67.5}$	$1373(1)^{+71}_{-79}$	1.57	1.04
$\sigma_{std}$	$25.89(1)^{+6.85}_{-5.29}$	$270.5(1)^{+20.0}_{-23.8}$	$491.8(1)^{+27.5}_{-32.7}$	1.82	1.05
$\sigma_{bkg}$	$1.385(1)^{+0.40}_{-0.31}$	$4.583(2)^{+0.42}_{-0.48}$	$4.79(3)^{+0.01}_{-0.13}$	1.05	1.29

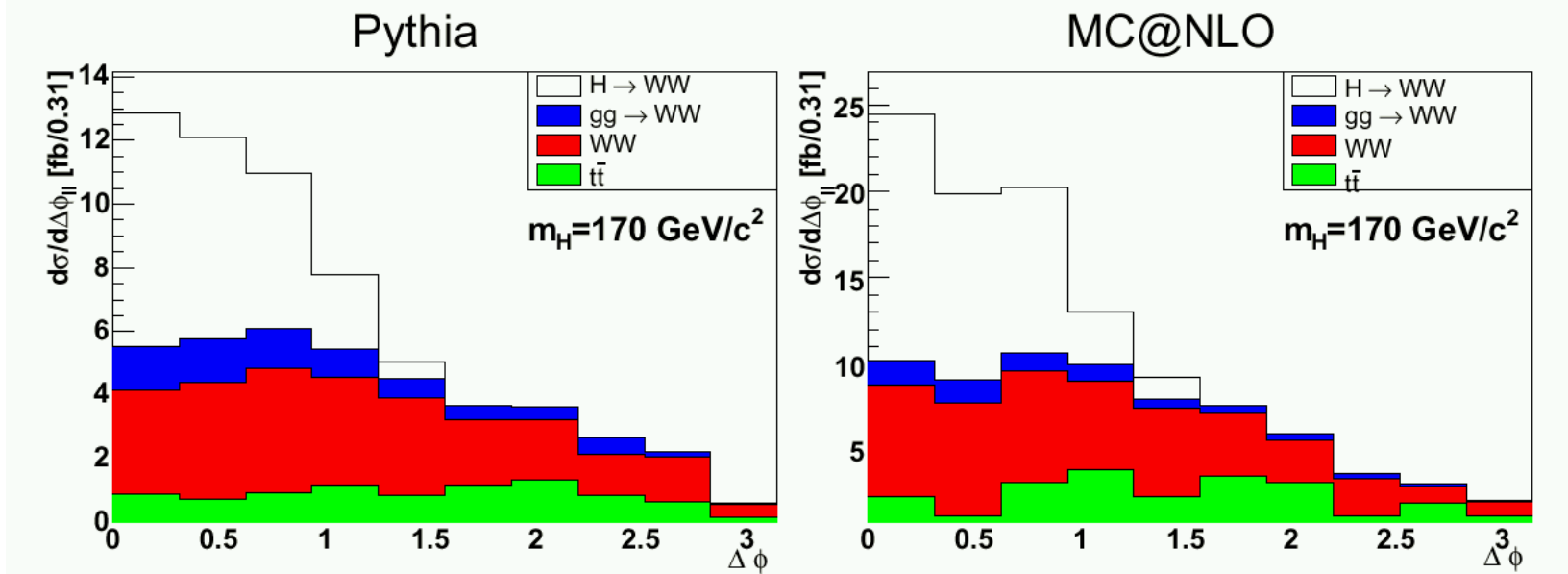
**Table 1:** Cross sections for the gluon and quark scattering contributions to  $pp \rightarrow W^*W^* \rightarrow \ell\bar{\nu}\ell'\nu'$  at the LHC ( $\sqrt{s} = 14$  TeV) without selection cuts (*tot*), with standard LHC cuts (*std*:  $p_{T,\ell} > 20$  GeV,  $|\eta_\ell| < 2.5$ ,  $p_T > 25$  GeV) and Higgs search selection cuts (*bkg*, see main text) applied. The

**After all cuts including jet veto. But LO  $gg \rightarrow WW$  does not include jet veto, thus  $gg \rightarrow WW$  contribution could be smaller, but NLO  $gg \rightarrow WW$  ?**

# Estimates of WW background to gg->H->WW->2l from the data

Michael Duhrssen (first session)

## Comparison Pythia/MC@NLO

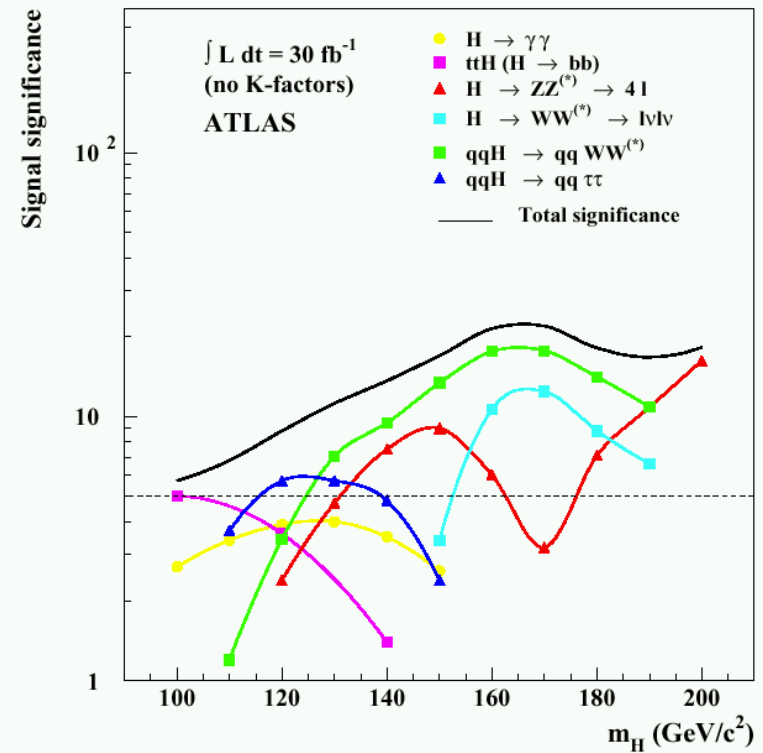
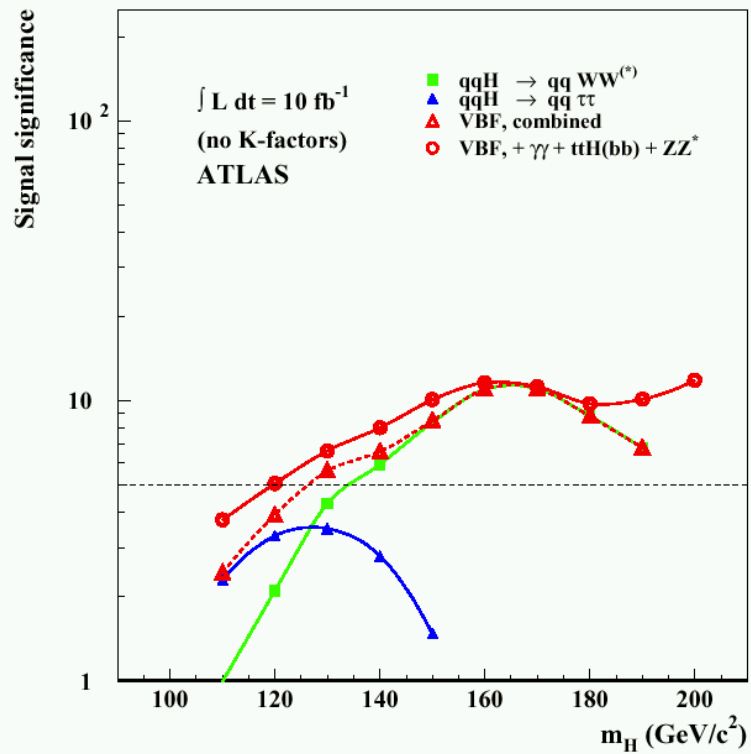


WW background propagation in  $\phi_{ll}$  using data will be problematic, since  $gg \rightarrow WW$  part behaves similar to signal and does not show up in a signal free region of high  $\phi_{ll}$ .

# VBF Higgs

- **Z+2(3)J background; “Zeppenfeld plot” (TeV4LHC)**
- **Jet veto uncertainties (UE, ...)**
- **Fake jets suppression**
- **VBF Higgs in MC@NLO (project started in Les Houches: C. Oleari, V. del Duca)**

# ATLAS: contribution of VBF channels to SM Higgs discovery



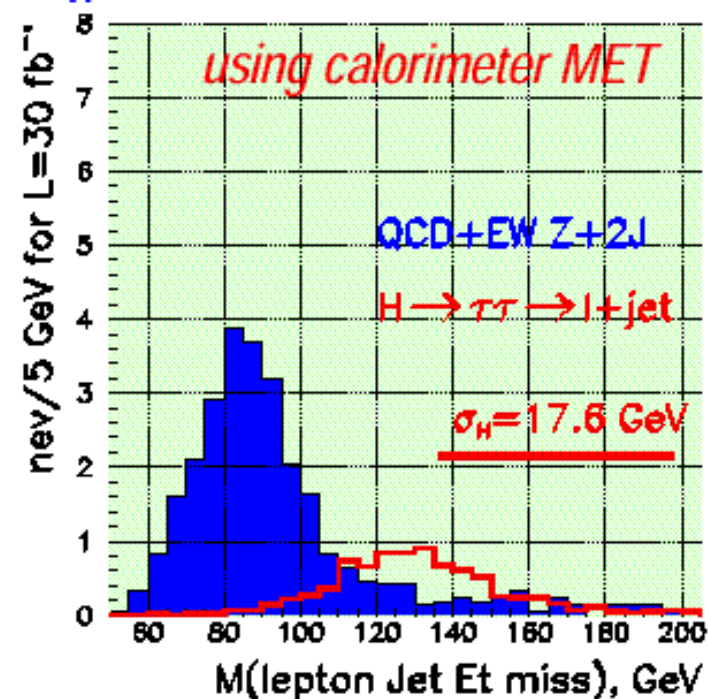
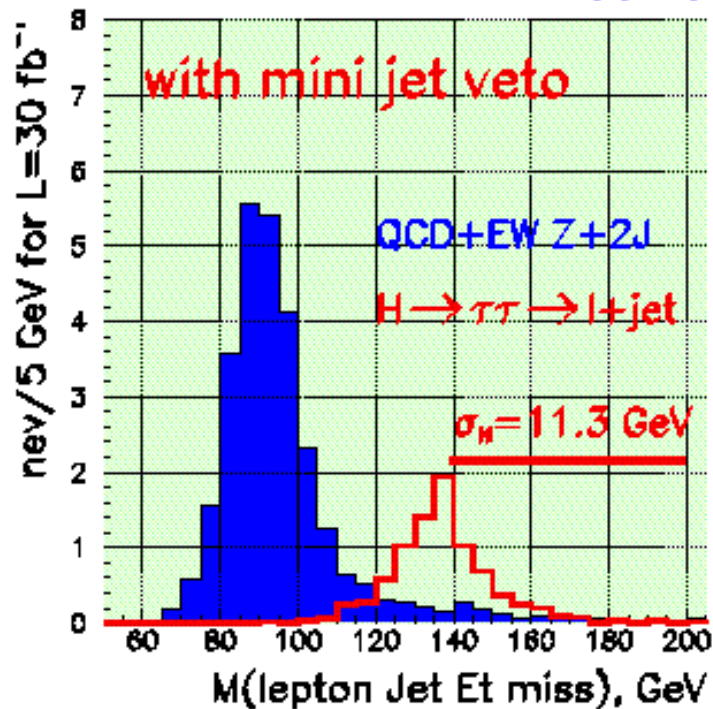
# Going to full VBF simulation: challenge I

*improve calo missing  $E_T$ : one of the most suffering Higgs channels is light Higgs in  $qq \rightarrow qqH$ ,  $H \rightarrow 2\tau \rightarrow \text{lepton} + \text{jet}$*

CMSJET fast simulation

full simulation and OO/c++ reco

$qq \rightarrow qqH$ ,  $M_H = 135$  GeV  $H \rightarrow \tau\tau \rightarrow l + \text{jet}$



First try in 2002. CMS, ORCA4

# Jet veto in VBF (WW->H) production

first discussed in :

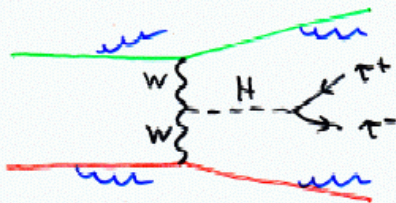
Yu. Dokshitzer, V. Khoze and S. Troyan, Sov.J.Nucl. Phys. 46 (1987) 712

Yu. Dokshitzer, V. Khoze and T. Sjostrand, Phys.Lett., B274 (1992) 116

From D. Zeppenfeld talk on TeV4LHC, 2004

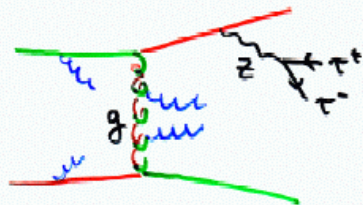
## Gluon emission in VBF events

Color singlet exchange in t-channel  
 $\leftrightarrow$  "synchrotron" radiation between  
 initial and final quark direction

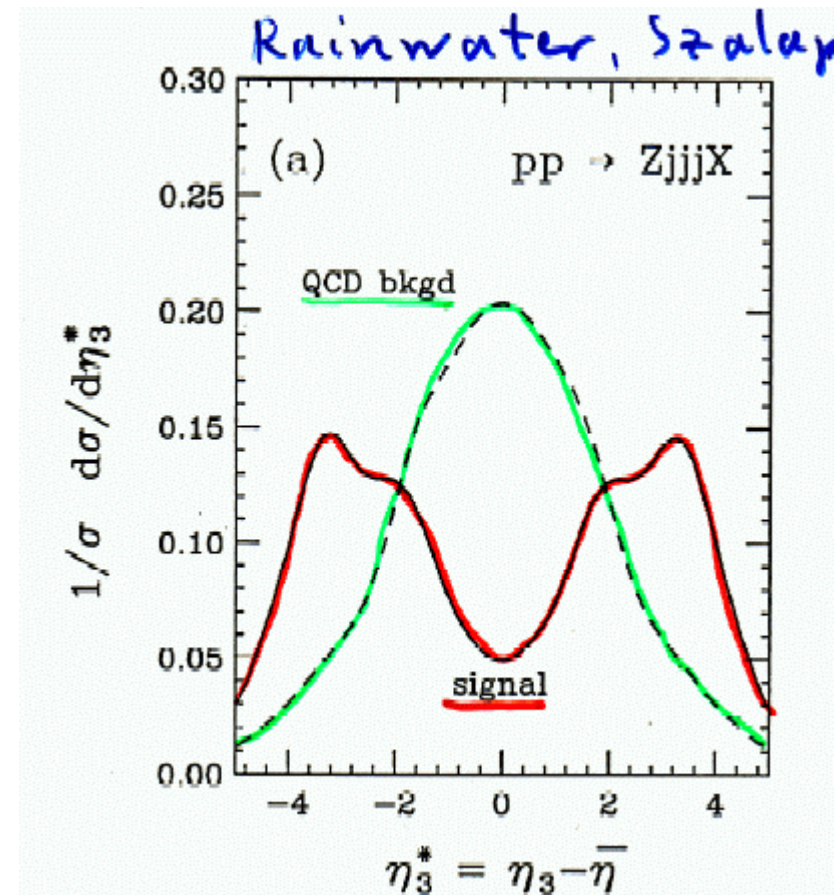


$\Rightarrow$  central jets suppressed

Major backgrounds: t-channel color exch



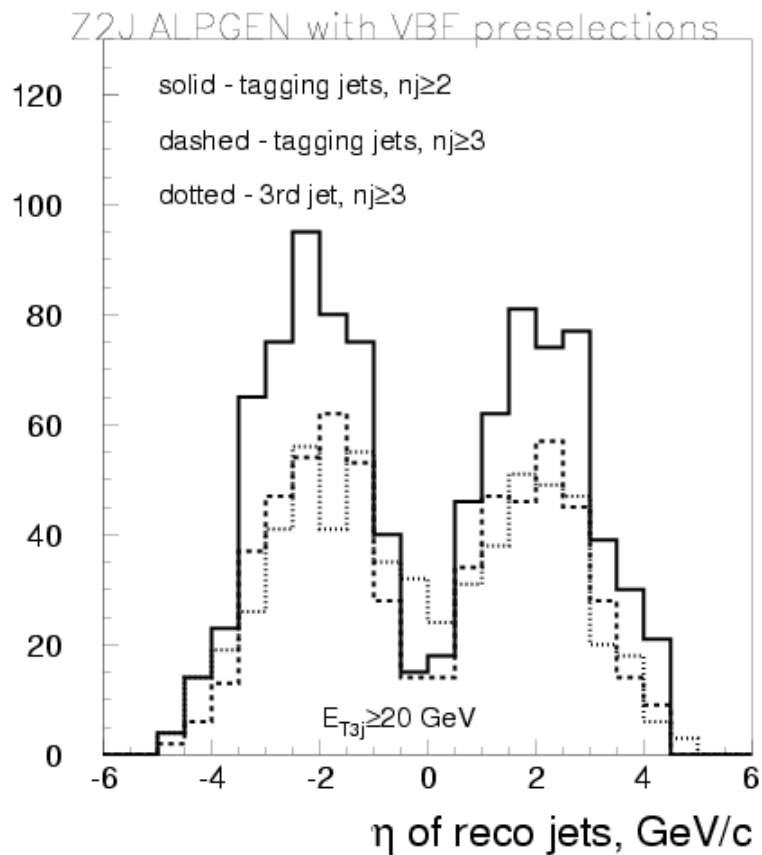
deflection of color charge by  $\sim 180^\circ$   
 $\Rightarrow$  central gluon emission



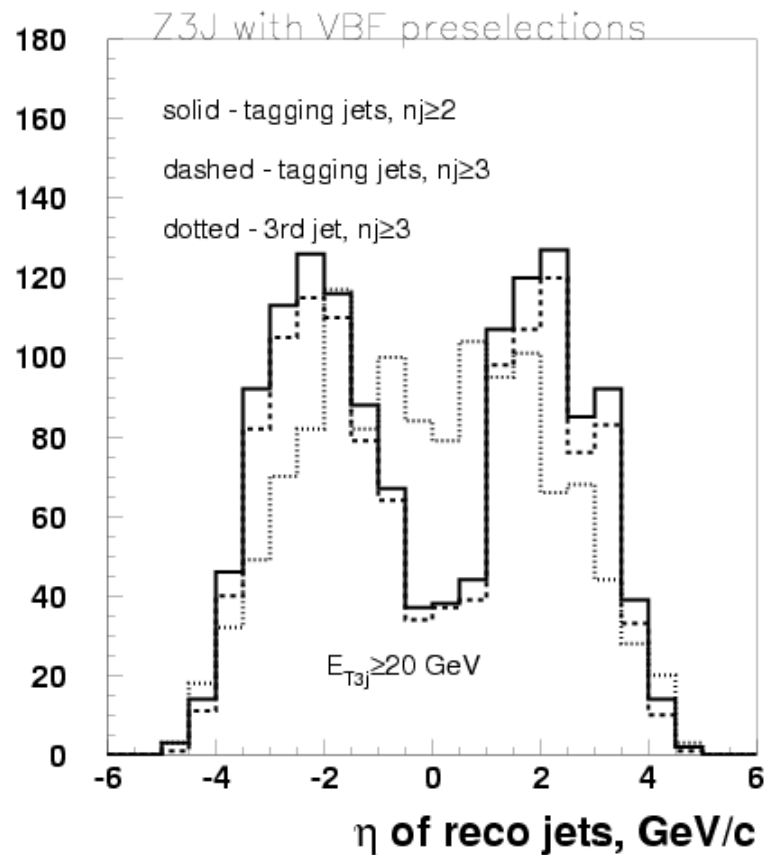


## Challenge 2: “correct” generation of 3<sup>rd</sup> jet for jet veto

### ALPGEN Z+2J with VBF+ PYTHIA6.227



### ALPGEN Z+3J with VBF + PYTHIA6.227

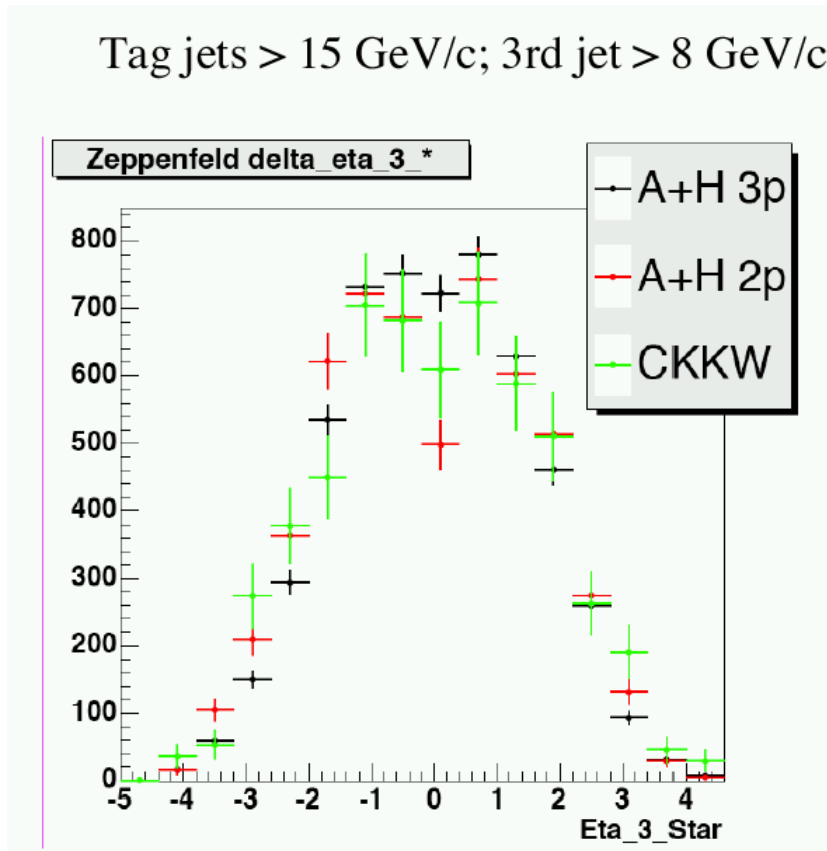


A. Nikitenko in collaboration with Fulvio Piccinini and M. Mangano

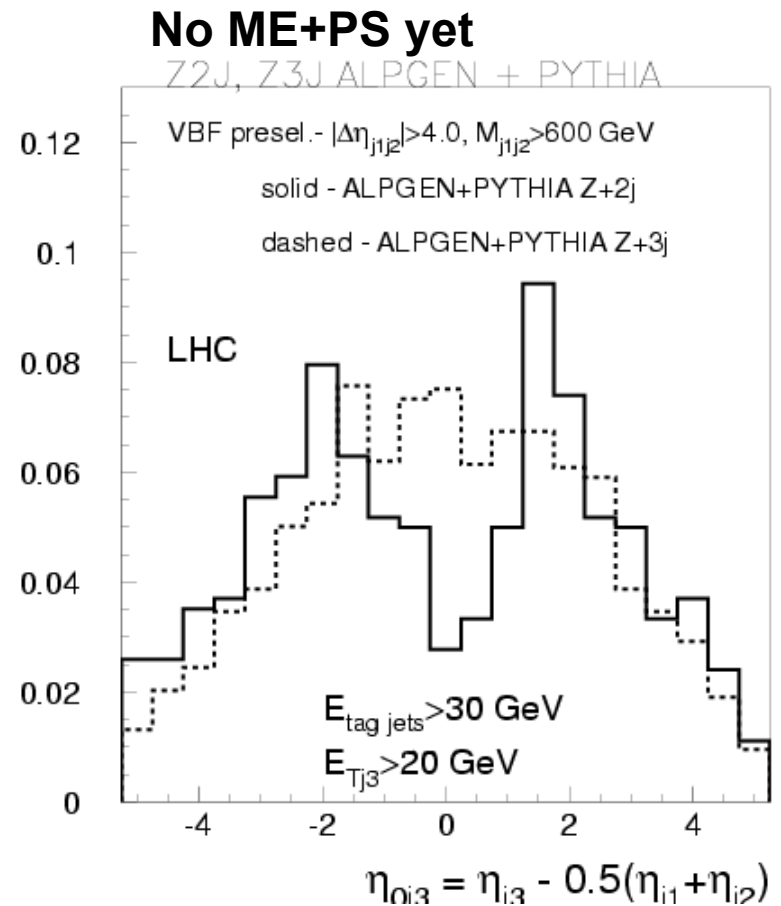
# “Zeppenfeld plot”

$$\eta_o = \eta_{j3} - 0.5(\eta_{j1} + \eta_{j2})$$

**Tevatron W+2(3)J MC ,  $\Delta\eta_{j1j2} > 2.0$   
shown by J. Huston in 1<sup>st</sup> session**

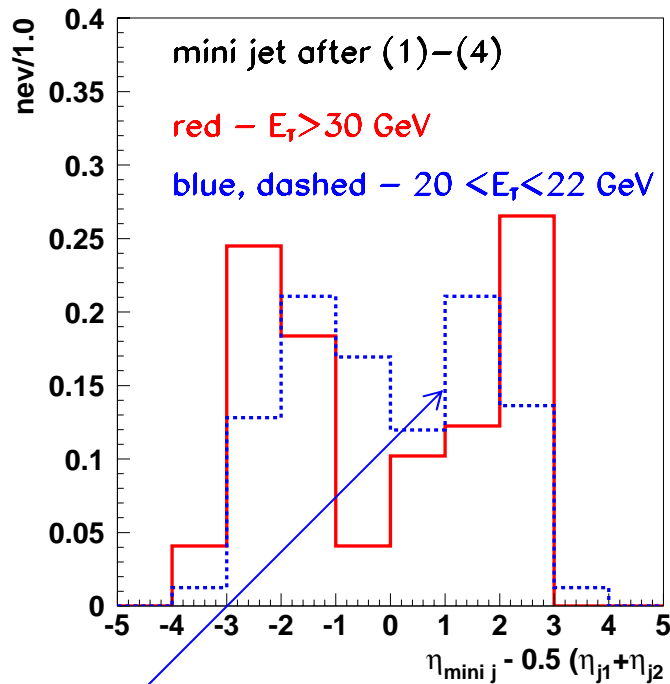


**LHC Z+2(3)j MC ,  $\Delta\eta_{j1j2} > 4.0$**



# Going to full VBF simulation: challenge III : fake jets degrade jet veto performance

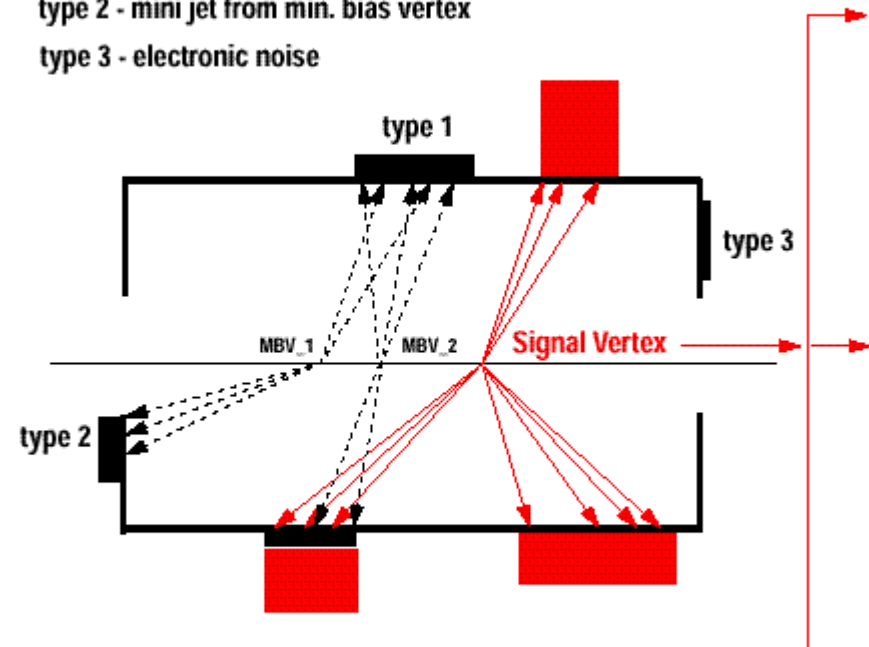
Rapidity of the central jet in Higgs events;  
CMS; full simulation,  $L=2 \times 10^{33} \text{cm}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}$ .



“bkg. like” behaviour for soft jets;  
fake jets: pile up+UE+detector

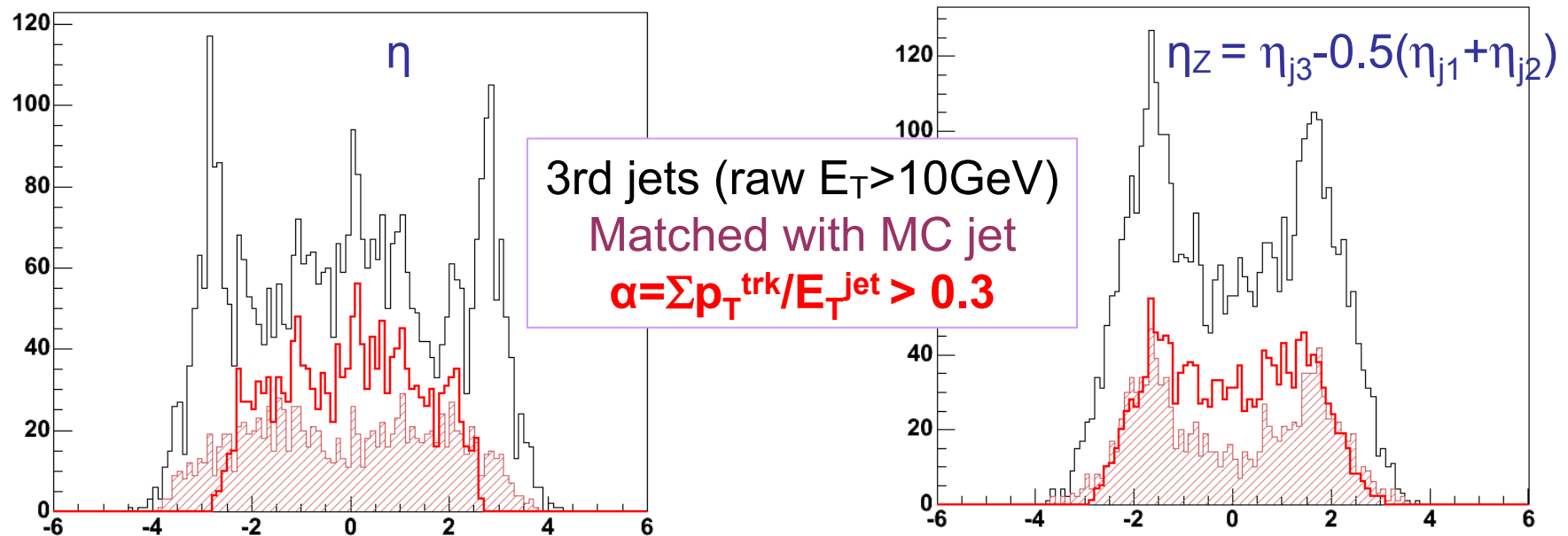
Calo false jets due to :

- type 1 - overlap from different min.bias vertices
- type 2 - mini jet from min. bias vertex
- type 3 - electronic noise



**False jets**


# problem is solved using calo –tracker jet matching



- Improvement in the  $\eta$  distribution but still some excess jets in the central region
- Zeppenfeld behaviour is reproduced with much less fake jets

# Events Passing the Jet Veto

	Number of events	Fraction over VBF events (%)	Fraction passing the veto(%)
VBF selected	12112	-	-
No additional jet with raw $E_T > 10$	3950	-	32.6
<b>3rd MC jet (<math>p_T &gt; 20</math>)</b>	<b>1657</b>	<b>13.7</b>	<b>86.3</b>
<b>3rd jet (raw <math>E_T &gt; 10</math>)</b>	<b>4820</b>	<b>40.0</b>	<b>60.0</b>
<b>3rd jet matched with MC*</b>	<b>1216</b>	<b>10.0</b>	<b>90.0</b>
3rd jet (raw $E_T > 10$ )	$\alpha > 0.$	<b>2142</b>	<b>82.3</b>
	$\alpha > 0.2$	<b>1844</b>	<b>84.8</b>
	$\alpha > 0.4$	1418	88.3



\* Additional jet with raw  $E_T > 10$  that has a matching MC jet with  $p_T > 20$

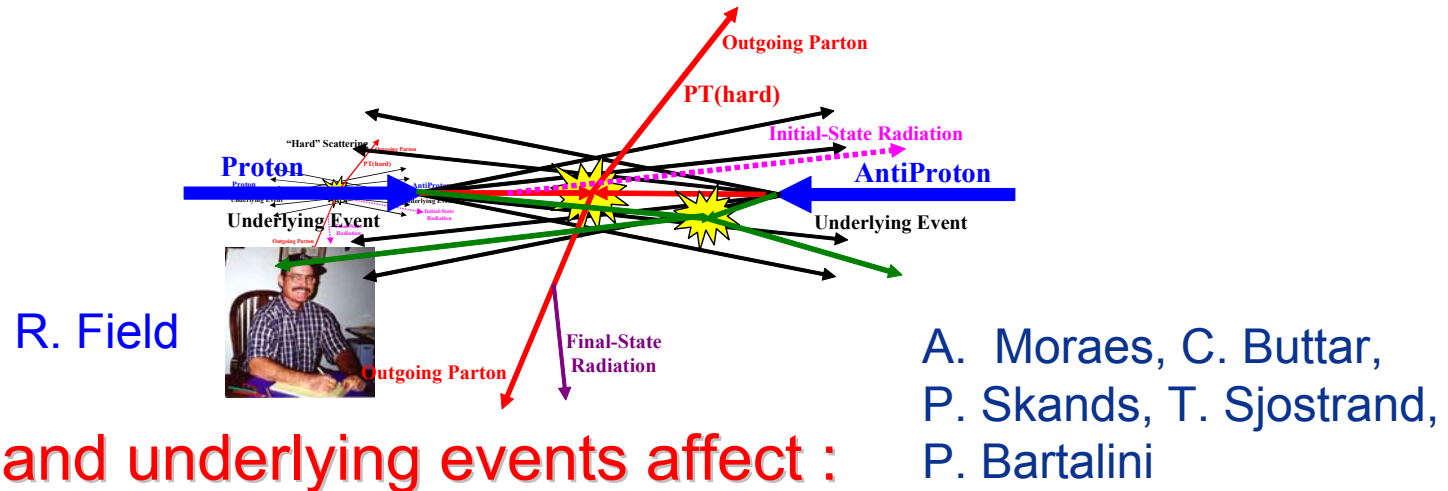
# **Monte Carlos huge world !**

**I will mention only one particular issue  
discussed in 1<sup>st</sup> session :**

**UE “benchmarks” to be considered in  
ATLAS and CMS analyses within  
pythia6.2 :**

- 1. Compare CDF Tune A and ATLAS Tune;**
- 2. Consider variation of the most important parameters  
within the fit errors**

# MC tuning on min-bias and UE data; propagate to LHC



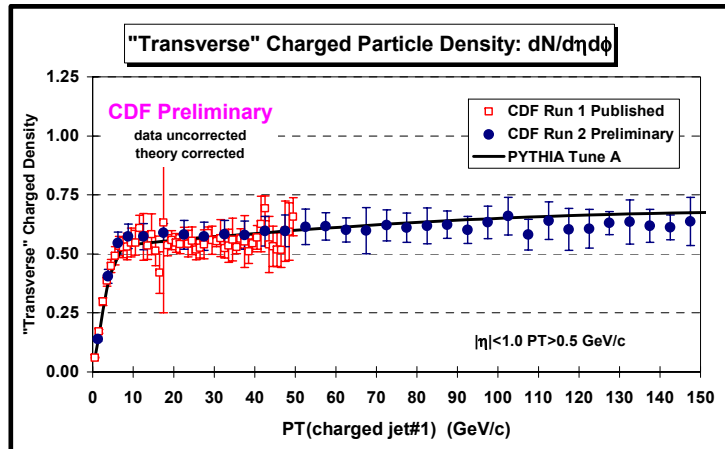
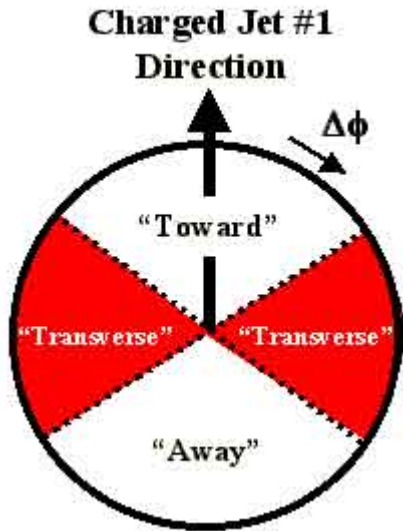
Pile up and underlying events affect :

- isolation of  $\gamma$ ,  $\tau$ ,  $e$ ,  $\mu$
- jet energy reconstruction (“pedestal”)
- jet veto
- forward jet tagging in VBF Higgs

Very important to understand uncertainties

# PYTHIA6.2 tunningings (on the way for 6.3...)

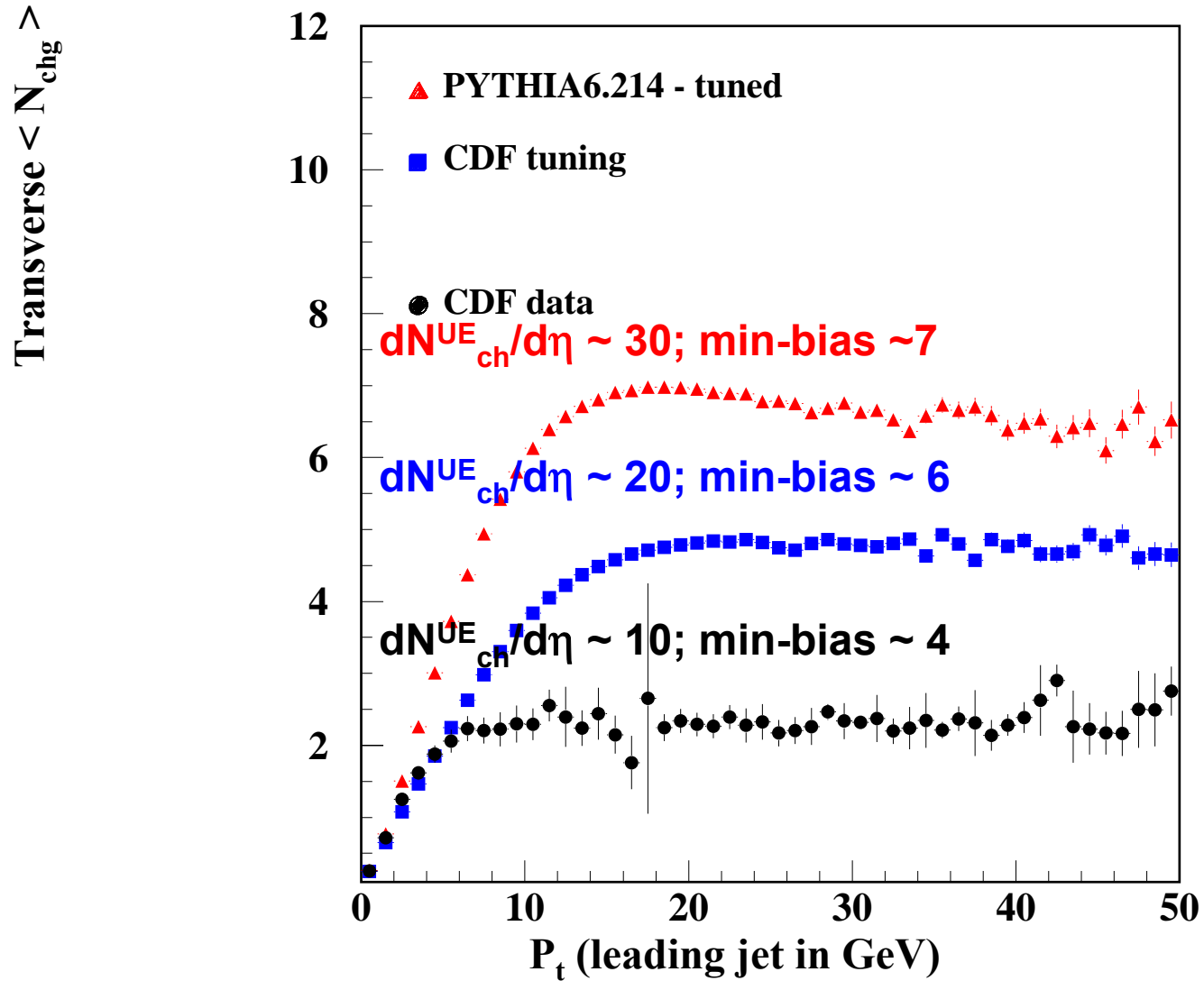
R. Field; CDF UE tuning method



Comments	CDF – Tune A (PYTHIA6.206)	PYTHIA6.214 – Tuned (ATLAS)
Generated processes (QCD + low-pT)	Non-diffractive inelastic + double diffraction (MSEL=0, ISUB 94 and 95)	<b>Non-diffractive + double diffraction (MSEL=0, ISUB 94 and 95)</b>
p.d.f.	CTEQ 5L (MSTP(51)=7)	<b>CTEQ 5L (MSTP(51)=7)</b>
Multiple interactions models	MSTP(81) = 1 MSTP(82) = 4	<b>MSTP(81) = 1 MSTP(82) = 4</b>
pT min	PARP(82) = 2.0 PARP(89) = 1.8 TeV PARP(90) = 0.25	<b>PARP(82) = 1.8 PARP(89) = 1 TeV PARP(90) = 0.16</b>
Core radius	40% of the hadron radius (PARP(84) = 0.4)	<b>50% of the hadron radius (PARP(84) = 0.5)</b>
Gluon production mechanism	PARP(85) = 0.9 PARP(86) = 0.95	<b>PARP(85) = 0.33 PARP(86) = 0.66</b>
$\alpha_s$ and K-factors	MSTP(2) = 1 MSTP(33) = 0	<b>MSTP(2) = 1 MSTP(33) = 0</b>
Regulating initial state radiation	PARP(67) = 4	<b>PARP(67) = 1</b>

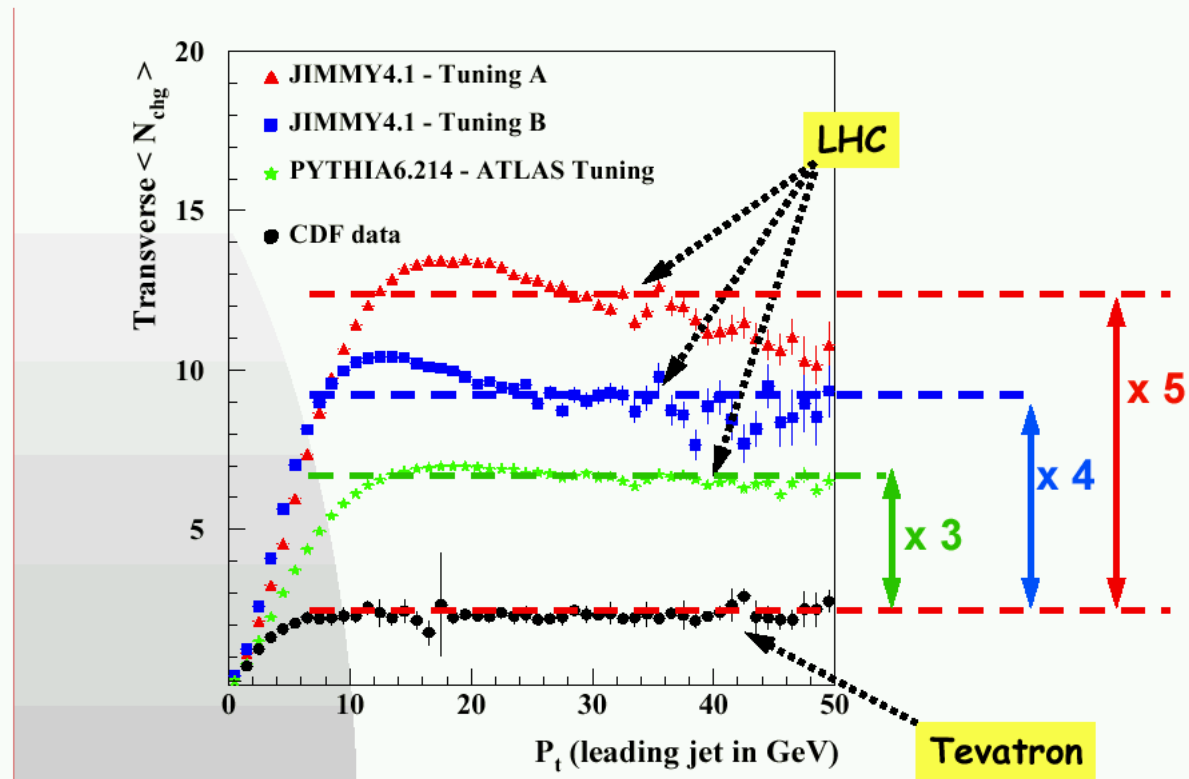


**LHC predictions: PYTHIA6.214 (ATLAS tuning)**  
**vs. CDF tuning; different predictions !**



## LHC predictions for different generators

Consider PYTHIA and JIMMY underlying events tuned to the Tevatron data



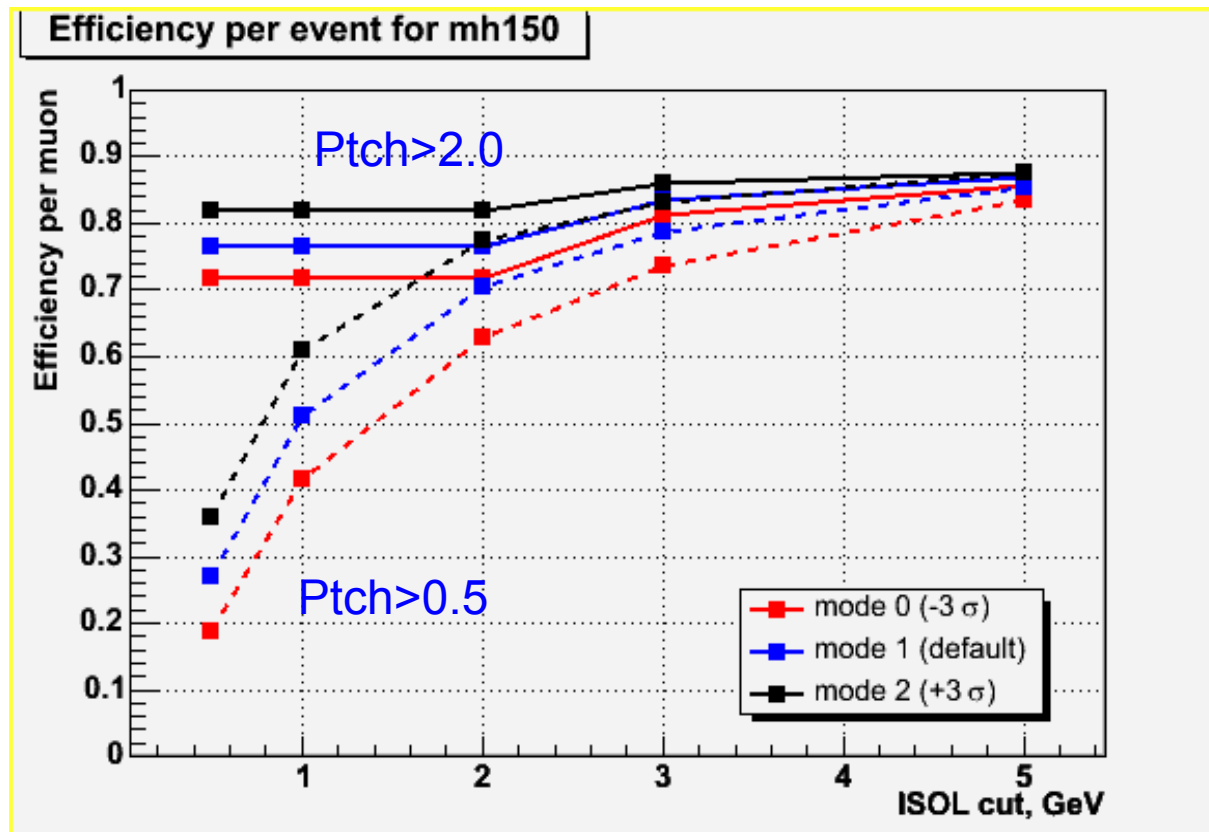
# effect of UE on isolation in $H \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow 4\mu$

*A. Drozdetski 1<sup>st</sup> session. ATLAS tune + change  
PARP(82) within  $3\sigma$*

$P_{T\text{cut\_off}} = 2.9$  GeV – default scenario

$P_{T\text{cut\_off}} = 2.4$  GeV – pessimistic scenario

$P_{T\text{cut\_off}} = 3.4$  GeV – optimistic scenario



**PYTHIA6.2**

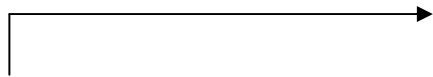
**ATLAS Tune +  
change of  
 $p_T$  cut off for UE  
within  $3\sigma$ .**

*Proposed by  
Paolo Bartalini,  
CMS contact for  
UE tuning*

# NLO for important processes.

**S. Dittmaier** : Theorists need a clear list of important processes including arguments for “why calculation and what ?!”

List given by J. Huston on 1<sup>st</sup> session matches well the ability of theoretical calculations and LHC experimental analysis needs



From talk of G. Heinrich  
“One-loop corrections to many-particle production”

See also talks of  
Z. Kunszt and  
Y. Kurihara on  
1<sup>st</sup> session

## feasible (?) until LHC starts (SM):

list to be discussed/modified/completed !

- 2 → 3
  - $pp \rightarrow V V jet$
  - $pp \rightarrow V V V$
- 2 → 4
  - $pp \rightarrow 4 jets$
  - $pp \rightarrow t\bar{t} b\bar{b}, pp \rightarrow t\bar{t} + 2 jets,$
  - $pp \rightarrow t\bar{t} H + jet$
  - $pp \rightarrow V + 3 jets$
  - $pp \rightarrow V V + 2 jets$
  - $pp \rightarrow V V V + jet$

calculations/collaborations to be started at Les Houches

# Some already expected “events” during 2<sup>nd</sup> session

- MC generators session on standardization of MC's in c++ (org. by S. Frixione)
- Discussion on interplay between SUSY and Higgs searches: SUSY-> Higgs->SUSY (org. by S. Moretti)
- In **tth group** : report on NLO for ttA at LHC
- In EW : presentation on EW corrections for high  $E_T$  jet production by S. Moretti
- **Hard work in groups – enjoy it ☺**