

# **Summary W/Z + Jets Analyses**

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# Aim and Motivations

- Work of the W/Z + jets Csc Note Group
- **Goal:**
  - Measure W/Z+jets cross section in function of Jet Multiplicity and Leading Jet Pt
- **Why?**
  - **SM benchmark** (test of perturbative QCD)
  - **Background** to Higgs searches + Beyond SM Physics
- Look at electron and muon decay channel:  
 $Z \rightarrow ee, Z \rightarrow \mu\mu$   
 $W \rightarrow e\nu, W \rightarrow \mu\nu$
- No complete draft available yet, will present the most finalized analyses

# Datasets

- Signal Samples :

**Alpgen+ Herwig (Athena v. 12)**

Sample	Process
6101-6106	$W \rightarrow e \nu + Np^*$
6107-6112	$W \rightarrow \mu \nu + Np$
8130-8135	$Z \rightarrow e e + Np$
8142-8147	$Z \rightarrow \mu \mu + Np$

\*  $Np = N$  partons (0 to 5)

Generator Filter:

Leptons:  $N \geq 1(W)/2(Z)$ ,  $Pt > 10$  GeV

Jets:  $N \geq 1$ ,  $Pt > 20$  GeV

- Others (Bkg , Systematics):

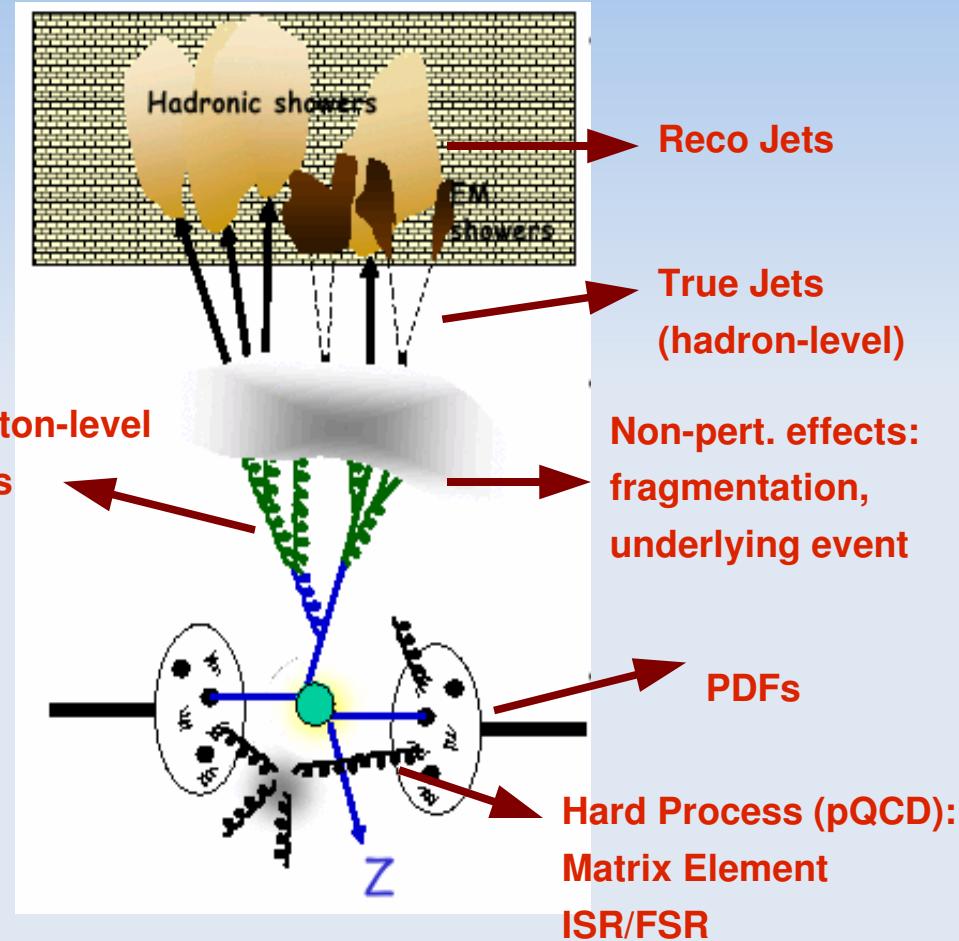
**Pythia (Athena v. 12)**

Sample	Process
5802	JF17 (Filtered Dijets)
5568	ttbar
5144	$Z \rightarrow ee$
5145	$Z \rightarrow \mu\mu$
5146	$Z \rightarrow \tau\tau$
5104	$W \rightarrow e \nu$
5105	$W \rightarrow \mu \nu$

For the analysis we use custom ntuples produced at RAL:

- Common Athena Ntuples for Physics Analysis
- SpartyJet Ntuples for study of different jet algorithms

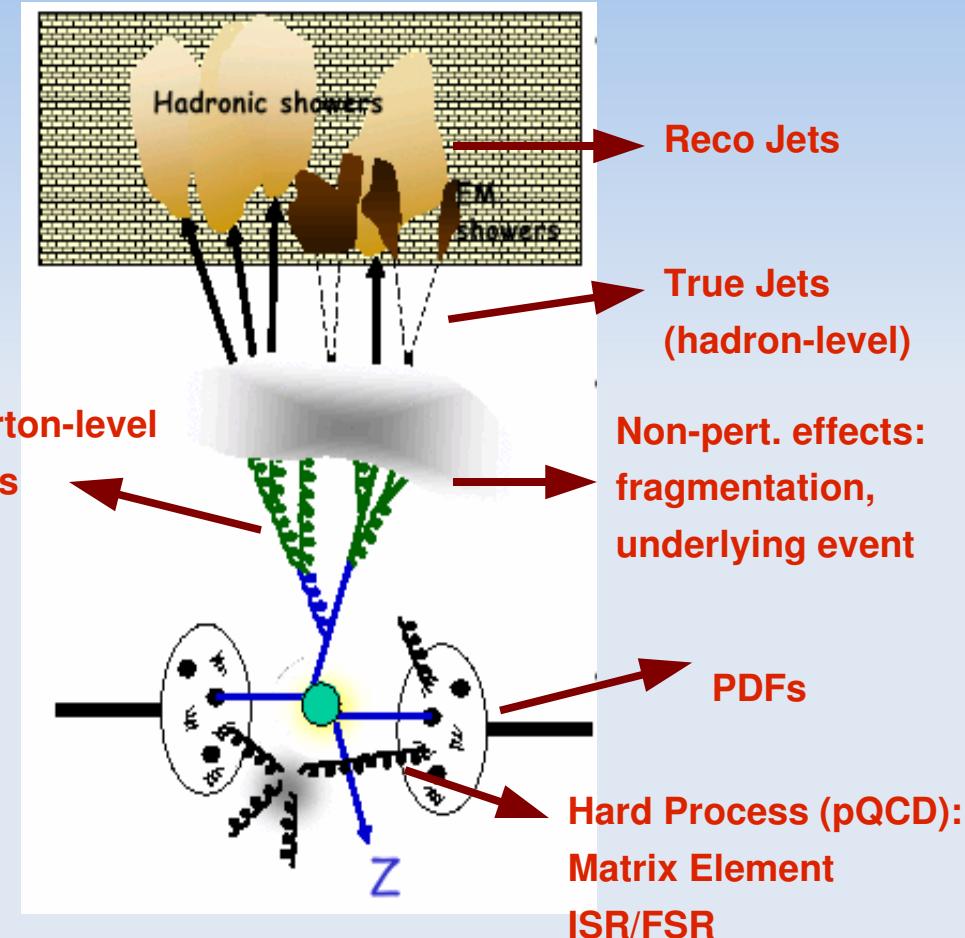
# Outline



Many topics covered by the group:

- ◆ **Detector effects** in high multiplicity environment:
  - ◆ **leptons**: ID/trigger/reco eff., background
    - ◆ electrons: RAL/Oxford
    - ◆ muons: IFAE (Barcelona)
  - ◆ more background studies: BNL, SLAC, USCS (Santa Cruz)
- ◆ **jet** reconstruction: RAL/Oxford/IFAE
- ◆ comparison of **jet algorithms**: MSU (Michigan) + UCL
- ◆ **Systematic uncertainties** (JES, PDFs...): RAL/Oxford/IFAE
- ◆ **Unfolding corrections** (parton to hadron level): IFAE
- Other studies:
  - ◆ **Streaming Test**: IFAE
  - ◆ **Z+ bjets**: Roma

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# Selection Cuts

## Electrons

- $p_T^{\text{electron}} > 25 \text{ GeV}/c$
- Eta cuts
  - $|\eta| < 2.4$
- remove crack region:  
1.37-1.52
- medium isEm
- $\Delta R_{\text{electron-jet}} > 0.4$

## Muons

- $p_T^{\text{muon}} > 20 \text{ GeV}/c$ 
  - 15 GeV/c for Z
- $|\eta| < 2.4$
- Staco Container
- Isolation cut
- $\Delta R_{\text{muon-jet}} > 0.4$

## Jets

- main algorithm cone04
- other algorithms studied for comparison
- $p_T^{\text{jet}} > 20 (40) \text{ GeV}$
- $|\eta| < 5$ 
  - (although for most plots  $|\eta| < 3$ )

## Missing $E_T$ cut for W

- 25 GeV/c

# Detector Effects (I): Leptons

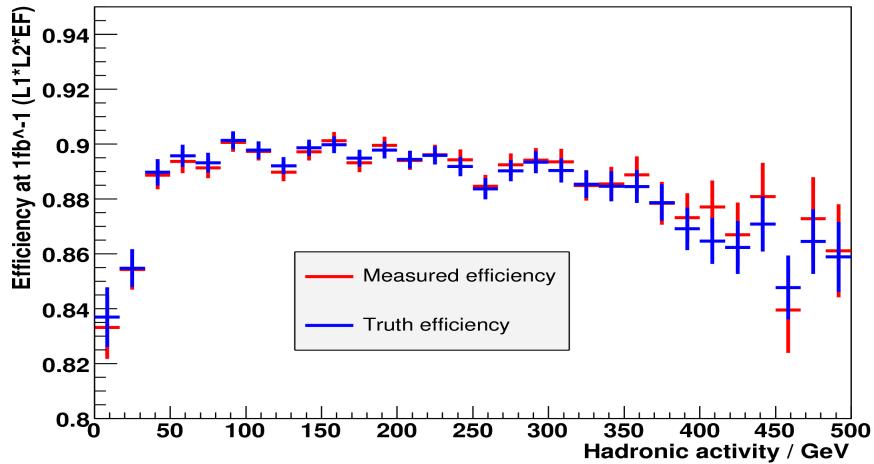
- Study ID, Trigger, Reconstruction Efficiency from **Z+jets**
- What is the **effect of a high multiplicity** environment? Investigate differential efficiency in:
  - Njets
  - Pt Sum of all Jets
  - Leading Jet Pt
  - DeltaR between lepton and jet
- Comparison to **Pythia** inclusive sample
- Two approaches:
  - **MC method**
  - Data driven method (**Tag&Probe**): here applied on  $Z \rightarrow ee$

## Tag & Probe:

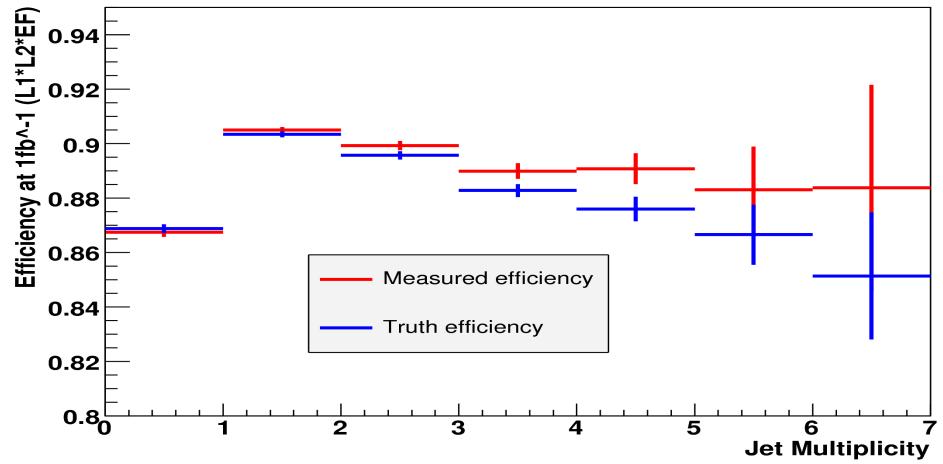
- to be applied to early data
- method:
  - tag event by tight cuts on one lepton;
  - efficiency calculated from the 2<sup>nd</sup> lepton from Z
  - more details in yesterday talks (Trigger and Combined Performance)

# Electron Trigger Eff. (EM23i/e25i)

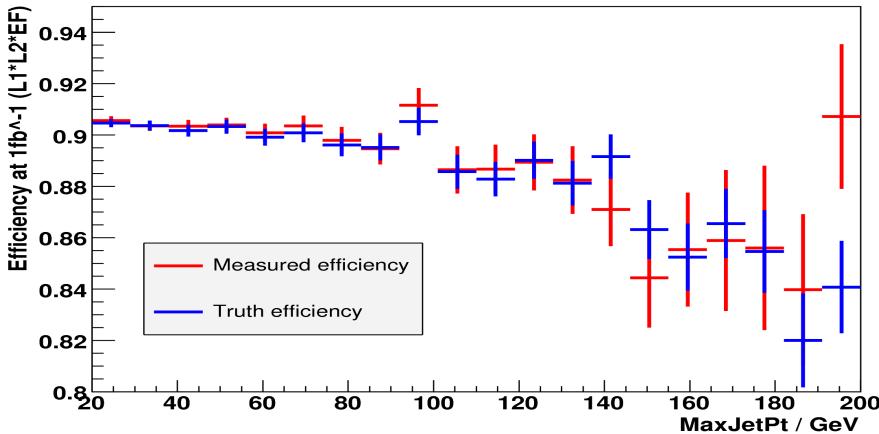
Differential efficiency with hadronic activity



Differential efficiency with jet multiplicity



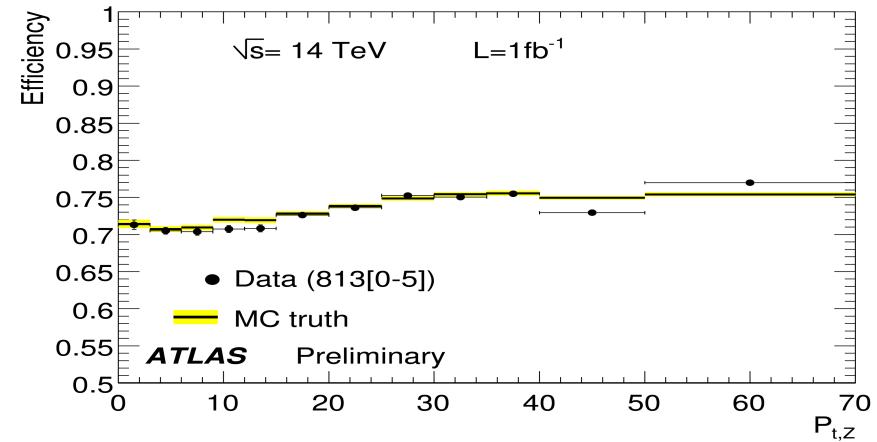
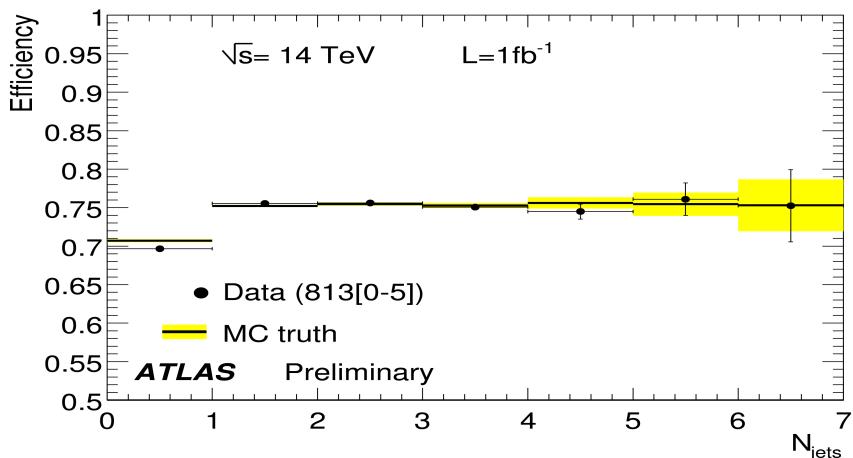
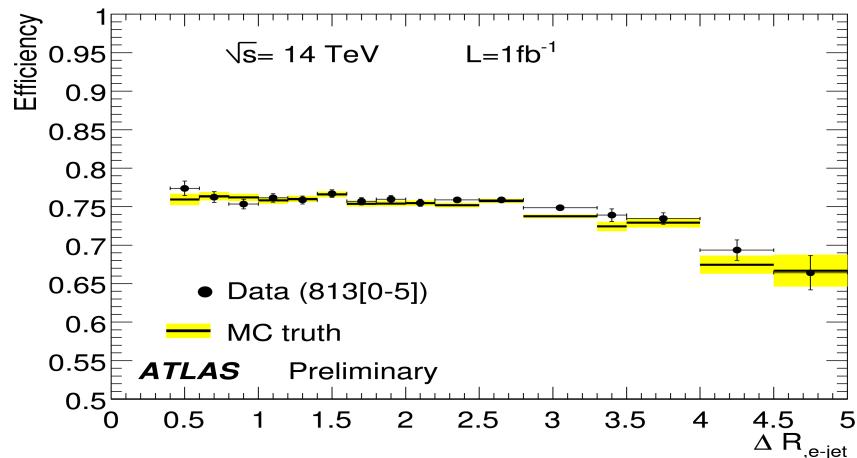
Differential efficiency with maximum jet transverse momentum



- Eff. from Alpgen Z(ee)+jets with Tag&Probe
- All trigger levels (L1+L2+EF)
- With respect to medium IsEM electron

→efficiency decreases with **high hadronic activity** (isolation cut)

# Electron Reco and ID Efficiency



- Eff. from  $Z(ee) + \text{jets}$
- Plots for Medium IsEM  
(including reconstruction)

→ Efficiency drop with DeltaR could be correlated to drop at high eta

# Global Electron Efficiency

Global Efficiency with Tag&Probe:

- **Systematic uncertainties** from :
  - Comparison with **MC** method
  - **Background** contribution (Signal – (Signal + BKG))
  - Comparison between **Alpgen** (Z+jets) and **Pythia** 5144 (Z inclusive)

## Trigger Efficiency (wrt medium IsEM)

Trigger	Signal	MC	S- (S+BKG)	Pythia-Alpgen
L1	97.06 (5)	96.98 (5)	-0.74	0.74
L2	97.13 (5)	97.08 (5)	0.04	0.36
EF	94.86 (7)	95.49 (6)	0.02	0.42
All Trigger	89.42 (9)	89.90 (8)	-0.63	1.42

Alpgen Z+ jets samples have **lower** efficiency than Pythia Z inclusive:

- ◆ Different EF cuts (generator level)
- ◆ Effect of hadronic activity

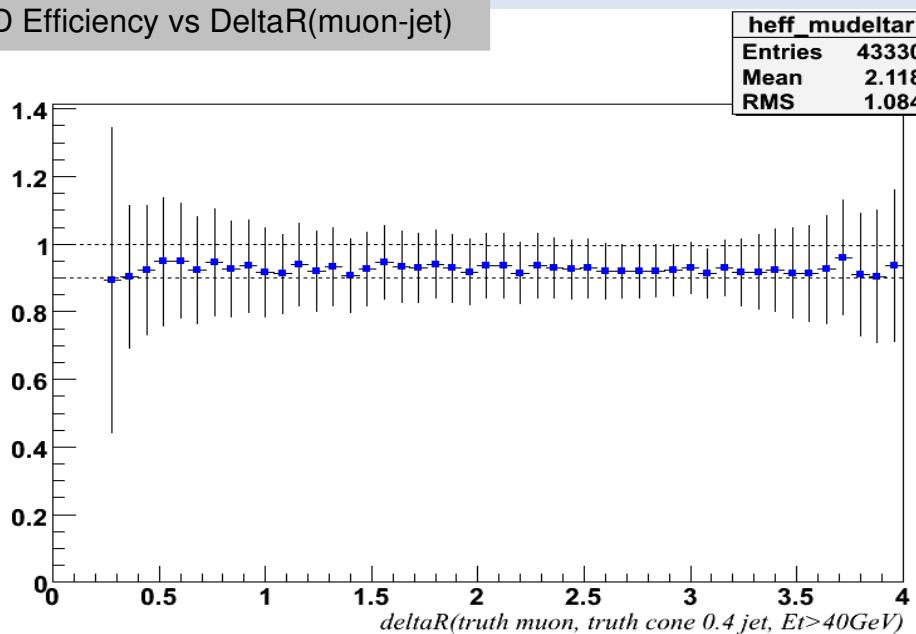
## Reconstruction + ID Efficiency (medium IsEM)

Medium Offline	Pure Signal	Signal+Bkg	Monte Carlo
Alpgen	(73.06 ± 0.12)	(74.06 ± 0.11)	(74.07 ± 0.09)
Pythia	(75.11 ± 0.13)	(74.67 ± 0.13)	(75.29 ± 0.09)

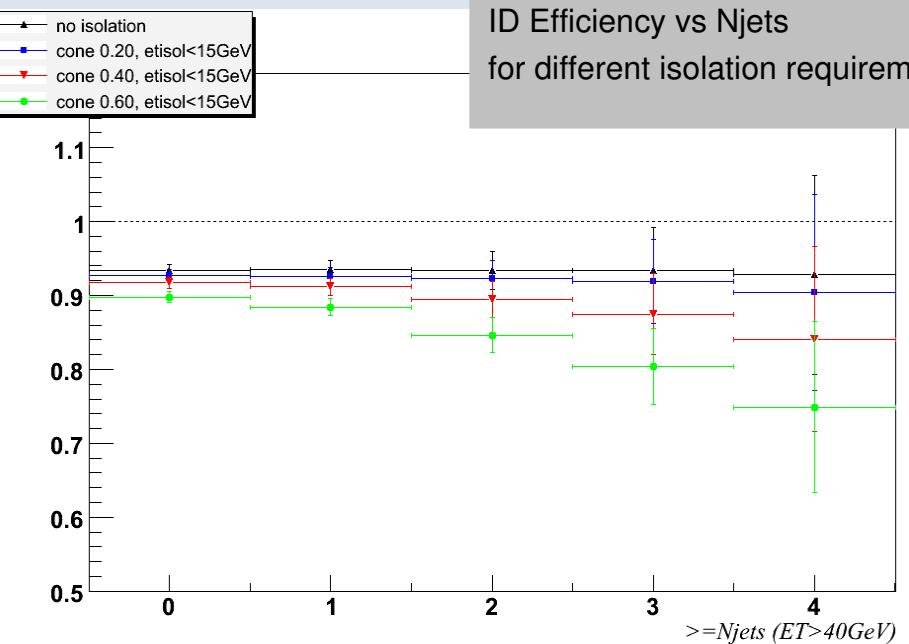
# Muons Efficiencies

- STACO Muon Container
- Muon ID Efficiency extracted from  $Z(\mu\mu) + \text{jets}$
- MC Method
- Muon Cuts:  $\text{Pt} > 15\text{GeV}$
- Jet Pt  $> 40\text{ GeV}$

ID Efficiency vs DeltaR(muon-jet)



ID Efficiency vs Njets  
for different isolation requirements

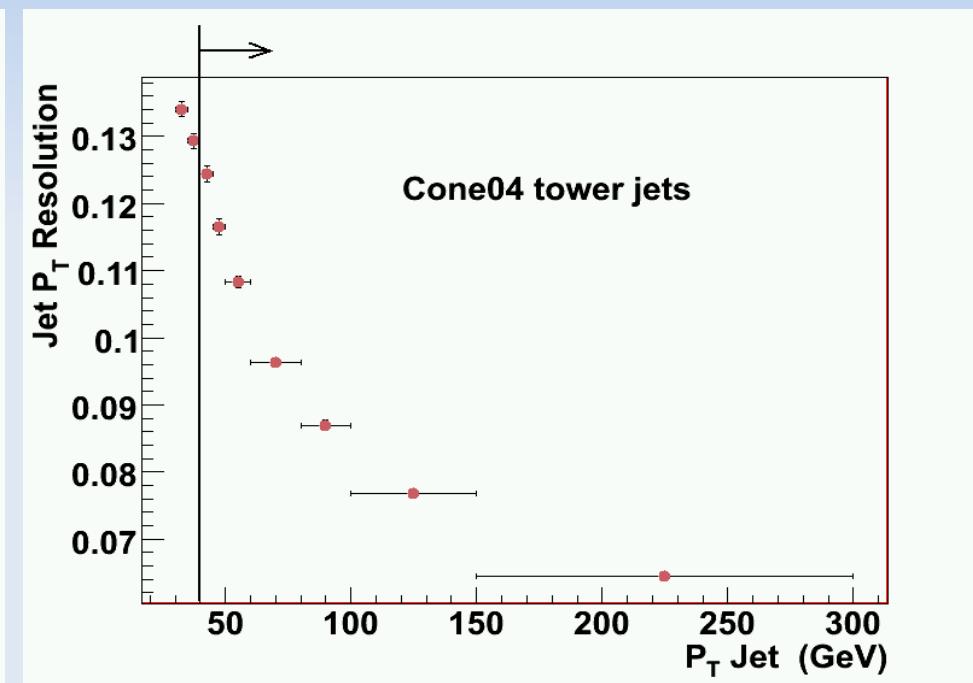
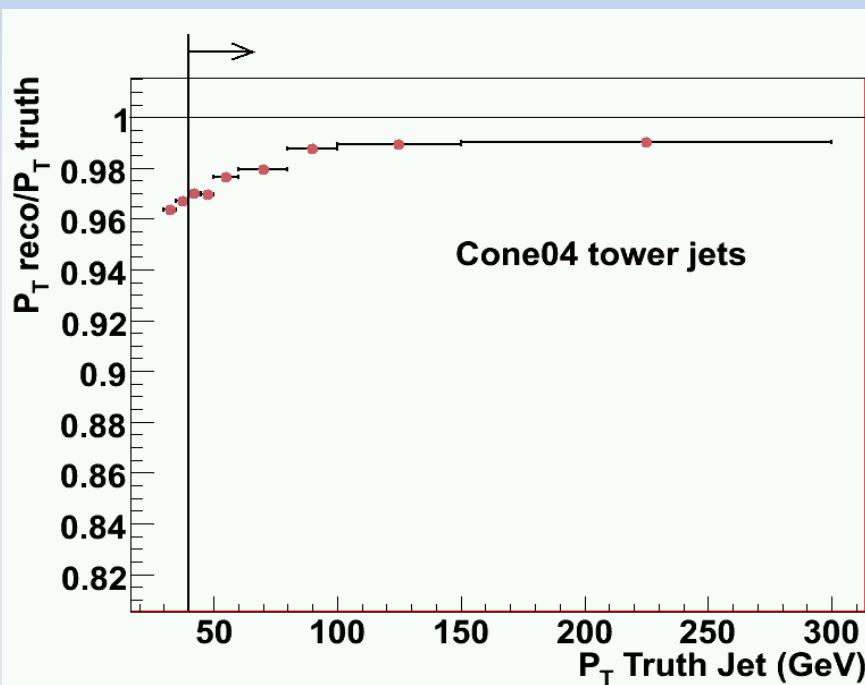


# Detector Effects (II): Jets

Jets to be corrected for:

- shift in Jet Energy Scale (**non linearity**)
- Jet Energy Scale **Resolution**

From  $P_T(\text{reco})/P_T(\text{truth})$   
of matched jets

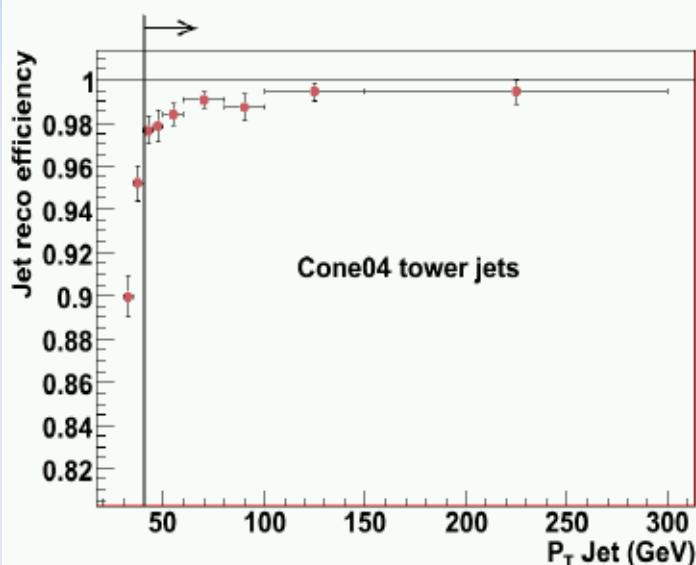


JES: Non-linearity at **low  $P_T(\text{jet})$** :  
out-of-cone showering up to 3% correction

Jet  $p_T$  resolution: 6-13%  
better at **high  $P_T$**

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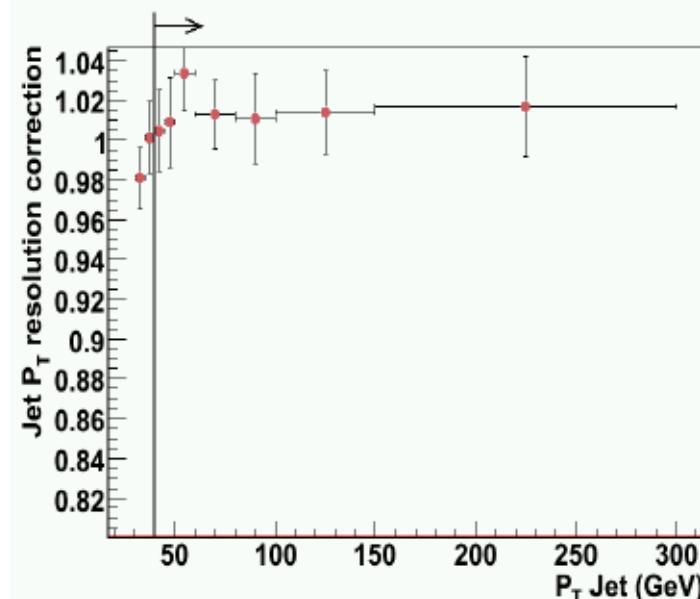
**Jet Reconstruction Efficiency:**  
# truth jet matched / # all truth jets



High efficiency at  $P_T > 60$  GeV

## Jet Resolution Corrections:

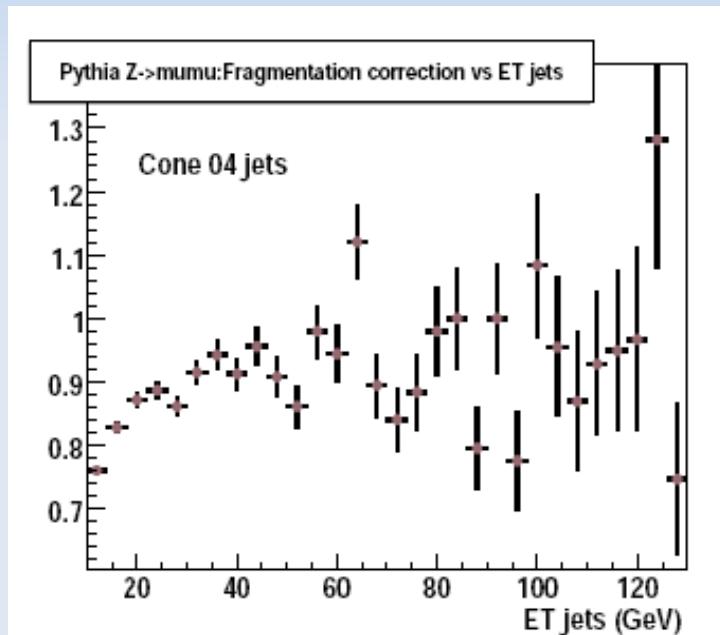
smear true Jet Pt with Jet Pt resolution. Compare Pt spectrum before and after smearing.



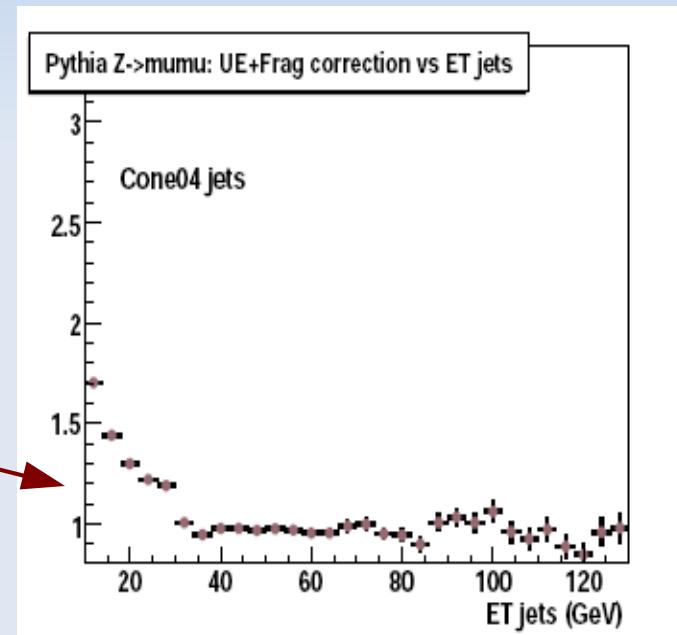
Number of Jets increased by 1%-2%

# From Parton to Hadron Level

- Want to compare **data** to **pQCD predictions**:  
Corrected parton-level predictions to the hadron level for: **UE** and **fragmentation**.
- Corrections derived using the current ATLAS tuning for Pythia 6.4:  
standard Pythia / Pythia without non-perturbative corrections



Negligible  
non-p. effects  
for  
Pt jet > 40 GeV

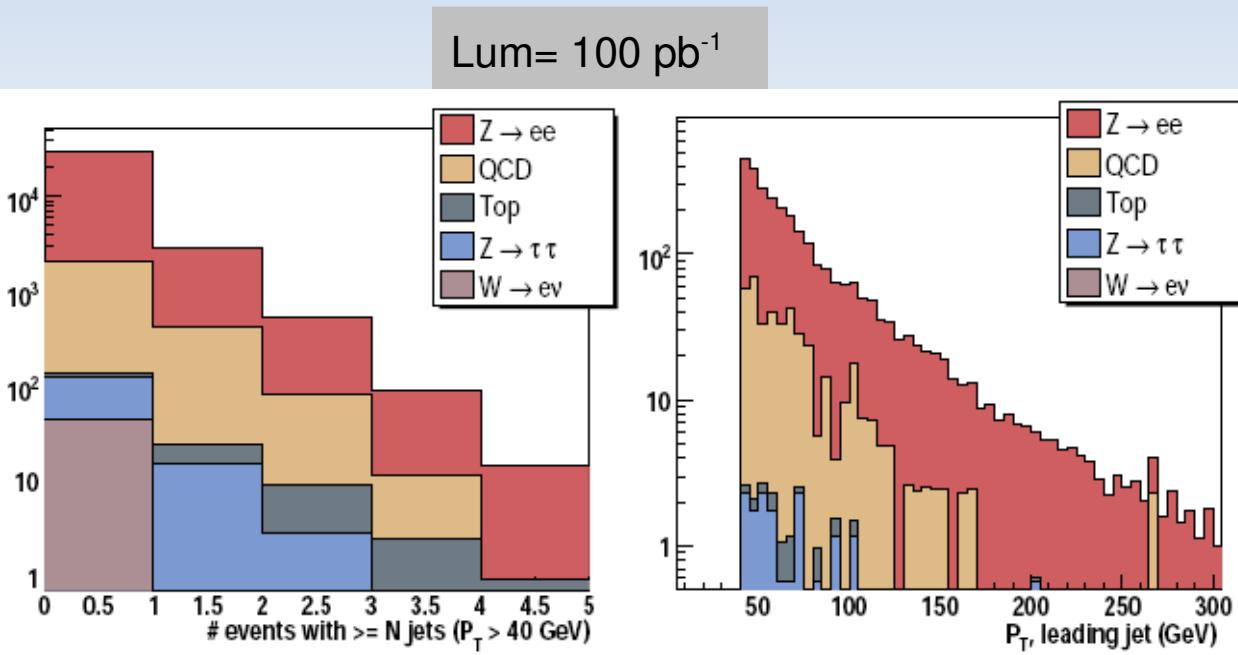


Without fragmentation smaller out-of-cone energy loss for low Pt jet: **higher** number of low-Pt jets

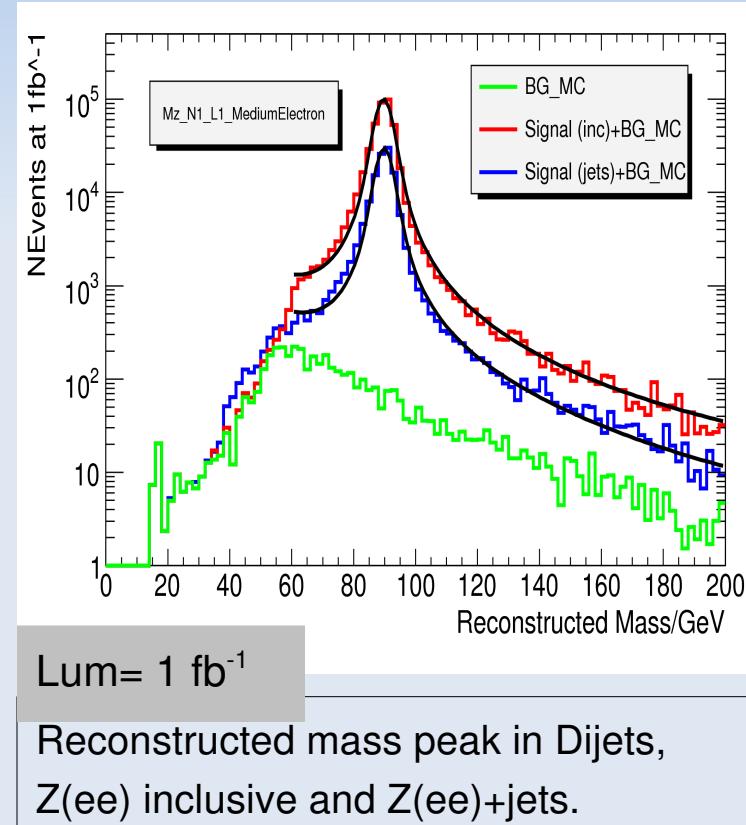
Without UE energy deposit in cluster decreases: **lower** number of low-Pt jets

# Z(ee)+jets: Background Studies

- Difference sources of background on observables ( Njets, Lead Jet Pt):
- QCD** background dominates (Dijets)
- Top** contribution more impo at high multiplicity



- Background Subtraction method:  
Fit together Signal+ BKG



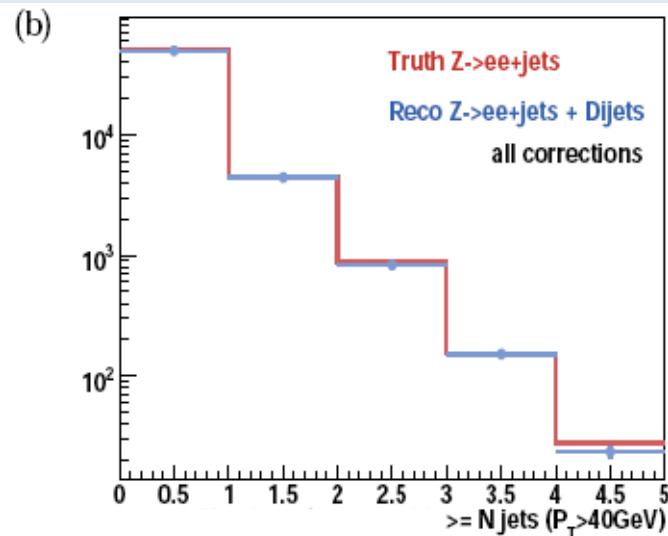
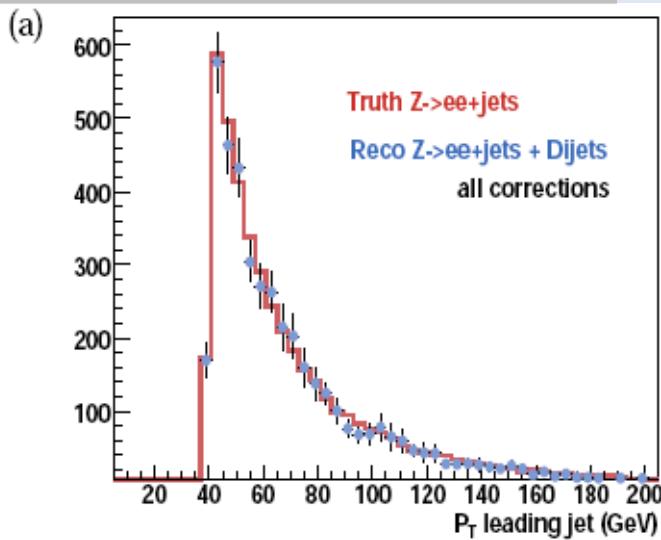
# Z(ee)+jets: Data vs. Predictions

Aim:

- Measure Z+jets cross-sections vs. Jet Pt and Njets
- Compare **measured** cross-section with **LO/NLO predictions** (from MCFM, a parton-level generator)

- Use Pythia and Alpgen MC samples as pseudo data
- Unfold data for **detector effect** (jets+EM)
- Unfold MCFM predictions from **parton** to **hadron level**
- Compare **data** and **MCFM predictions**

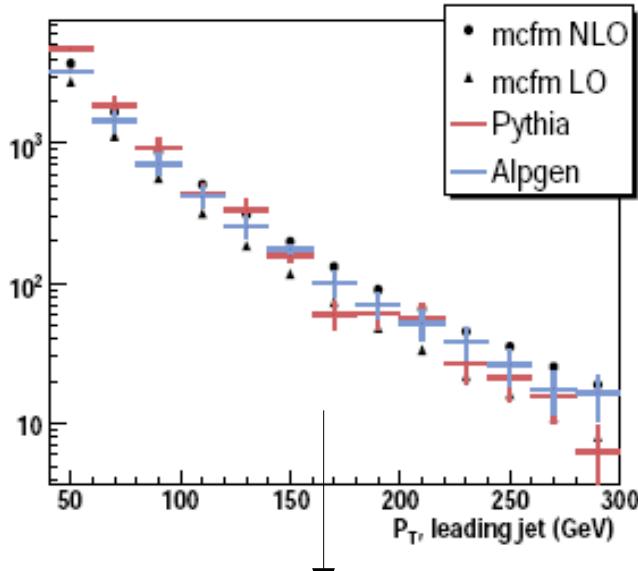
## Unfolding Detector Effects



Observables (Leading Jet Pt and Njets spectra): comparison between **truth** and **reconstruction** after all corrections (jet+ EM) and Bkg subtraction

→ good agreement

# Z(ee)+jets: Data vs. Predictions



Cross section measurement (from Alpgen and Pythia) for  
 $Z(\text{ee}) + \geq 1 \text{ jet}$  with different Jet Pt Cuts, Luminosities and JES  
Uncertainties. Comparison to LO/NLO predictions

		$Z \rightarrow ee + \geq 1\text{jet}$ cross section (pb)			
		JES error: 3%		JES error: 10%	
		jet $p_T > 40$ GeV	jet $p_T > 150$ GeV	jet $p_T > 40$ GeV	jet $p_T > 150$ GeV
100 pb <sup>-1</sup>	MCFM LO	52.96± 1.99	2.65± 0.10	52.96± 1.99	2.65± 0.10
	MVFM NLO	77.76±2.77±	5.01±0.18±	77.76± 2.77 ±	5.01±0.18±
100 pb <sup>-1</sup>	Data(Pythia)	87.45±4.61±0.94	3.12±0.17±0.18	87.45±14.15±0.94	3.12±0.51±0.18
1000 pb <sup>-1</sup>	Data(Alpgen)	66.20±3.49±0.81	4.07±0.22±0.20	66.20±10.71±0.81	4.07±0.66±0.20
1000 pb <sup>-1</sup>	Data(Pythia)	87.45±4.61±0.30	3.12±0.17±0.06	87.45±14.15±0.30	3.12±0.51±0.06
1000 pb <sup>-1</sup>	Data(Alpgen)	66.20±3.49±0.26	4.07±0.22±0.06	66.20±10.71±0.26	4.07±0.66±0.06

- Compare LO/NLO predictions with data at hadron level:
  - statistical errors scaled to 100 pb<sup>-1</sup>
  - systematics errors assuming :
    - 10% error on JES
    - 20% on Bkg estimate

→ If JES miscalibration is 10%, cannot distinguish significantly between LO and NLO predictions!

# $W + \text{jets}$ : PDF Uncertainties

Important source of systematic uncertainties:

- **JES** (largest uncertainty at CDF)
- **PDF** uncertainties

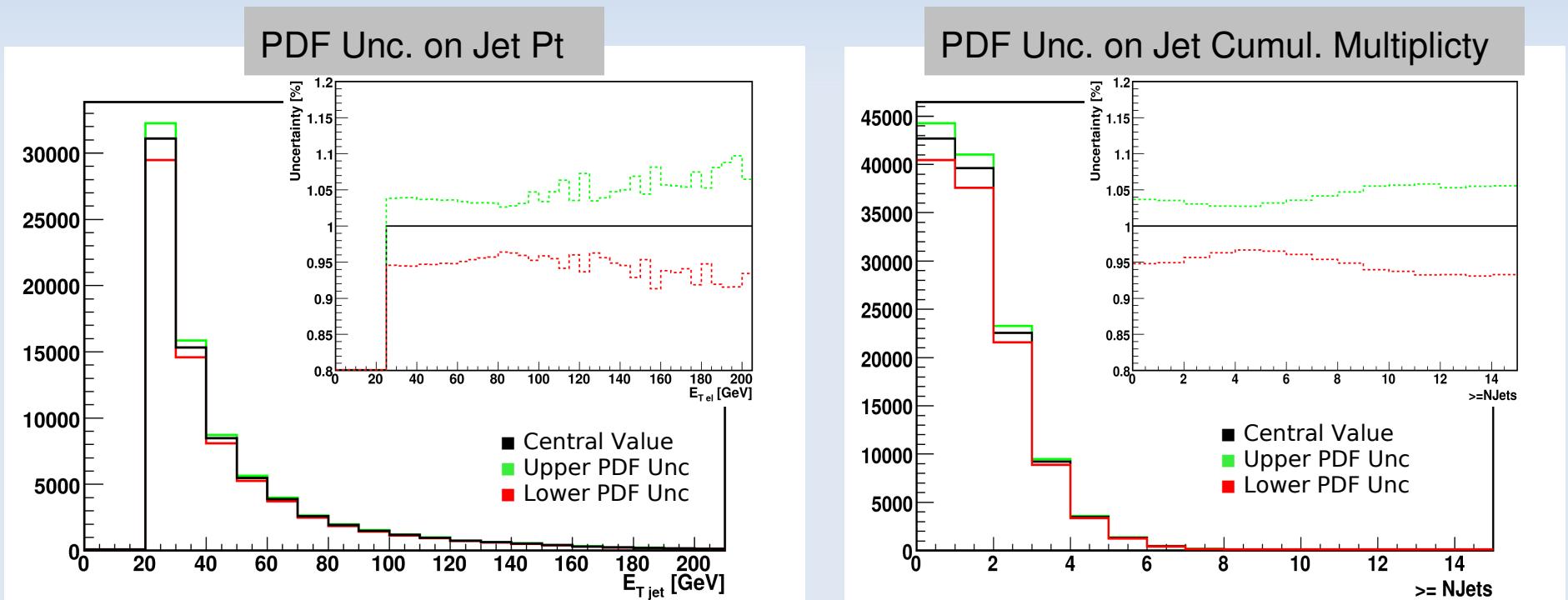
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Study of **PDF** and **JES** Uncertainties on  $W(\text{enu}) + \text{jets}$

Use PDF Reweighting technique

Aim: which uncertainty dominates, JES or PDF?

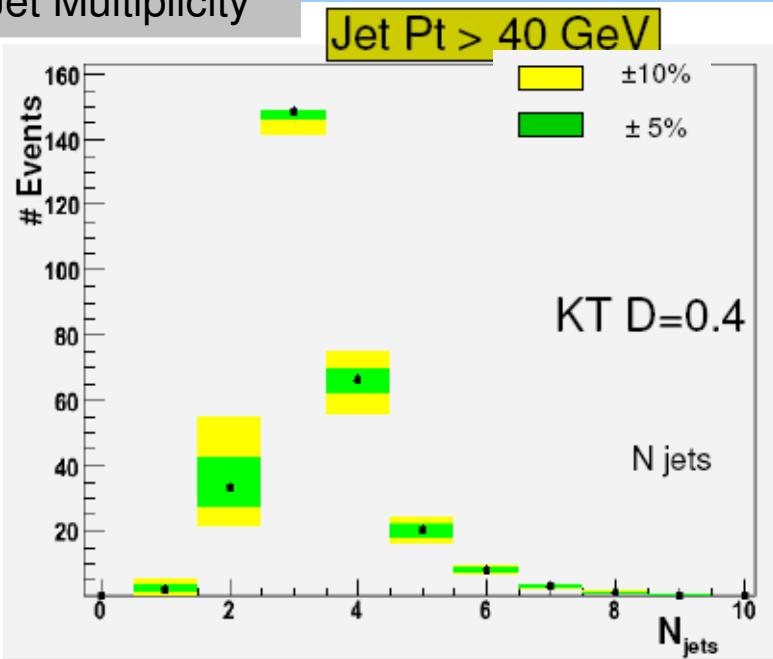
can we gain information on PDFs?



# W+jets: JES Uncertainty

- Assume a jet energy miscalibration of **5%** or **10%**: uncertainty on cross section measurement?  
**(Note:** these results are from Alpgen samples (5223-5226) with tight EF cuts)

Jet Multiplicity



Jet Energy Miscalibrated by **+ 5/10%**, more high multiplicity events and viceversa for **-5/10%**

JES Unc:  
6% to 50%

KT D=0.4

Cross Section Uncertainty

$\pm 10\%$     $\pm 5\%$

KT D=0.4

Jet Cum Multiplicity

# W+jets: PDF vs JES Uncertainty

- PDF vs Jet Scale Uncertainty ( $\Delta JS$ )  
with 10% (5%) jet energy miscal.

(Note: results with tight EF cuts samples)

2.9% < $\Delta PDF$ < 7.3%
5.8% < $\Delta JS$ (10%) < 23.6%
3.6% < $\Delta JS$ (5 %) < 11.9%



**PDF Uncert < Expt. Syst. Uncert**

Next: When is JES < PDF Unc?  
Try with 1,2,3% jet energy miscal.

Multipl	$\Delta+$ PDF (%)	$\Delta-$ PDF (%)	$\Delta+$ JS (%)	$\Delta-$ JS (%)
W+ $\geq 1$ jets	3.2	2.9	10.7 (5.2)	10.7 (5.2)
W+ $\geq 2$ jets	3.2	2.9	10.2 (5.1)	10.7 (5.2)
W+ $\geq 3$ jets	3.3	2.9	5.8 (3.6)	9.0 (4.0)
W+ $\geq 4$ jets	5.0	3.9	14.7 (7.8)	15.6 (7.0)
W+ $\geq 5$ jets	5.9	4.8	20.8 (9.5)	20.5 (10.7)
W+ $\geq 6$ jets	7.3	5.9	22.2 (10.4)	23.6 (11.9)

# Conclusions

- W/Z + jets is a broad topic, today I showed some of the work done
  - General Topics:
    - Investigation of **detector effects**:
      - Electron and Muon efficiencies → effect of **high hadronic activity**
      - Jet Reconstruction: Resolution, Jet Energy Scale, Reconstruction Efficiency
    - **Non-perturbative corrections**: UE, Fragmentation → **negligible corrections** for jet Pt > 40GeV
  - Specific Analyses:
    - **Z(ee) + jets** : Background, Comparison data to LO/NLO predictions
    - **W( e nu) + jets**: Systematic Uncertainties (JES vs PDF)
  - More: Comparison between different Jet Algorithms, Background Studies on W+jets, Generator Filter for QCD Background, etc.
  - Still ongoing work...
- JES Uncertainty** is  
the main limitation

# **EXTRAS**

# Z + b jets

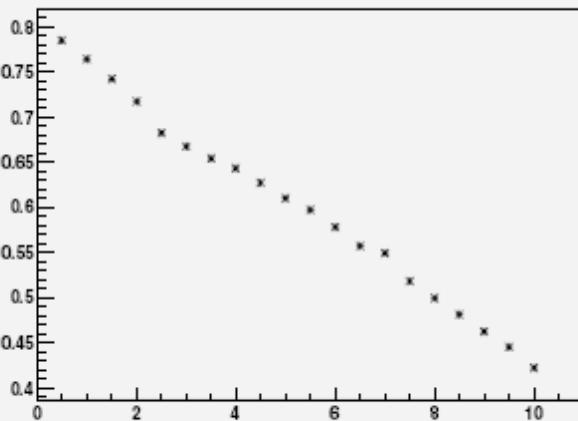
## ■ Why?

- Z + b jets cross-section sensitive to **b quark density** of the proton: help reduce **PDFs uncertainty**.
- More interesting measurement at LHC than Tevatron (larger signal cross-section by 50, smaller relative BKG)
- Here : study **selection cut** and **b-tagging efficiency**

Samples (different from rest of note):

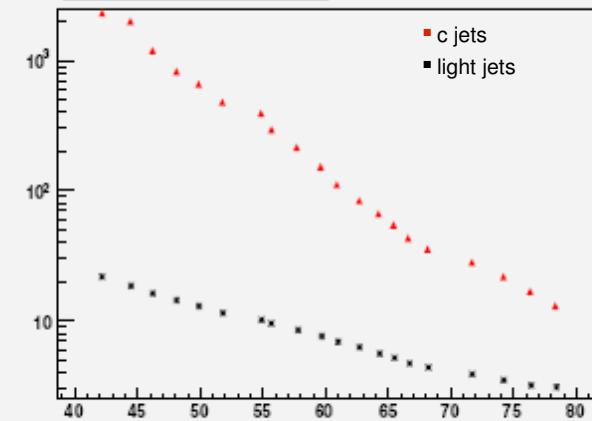
Sample	Process	
6397	$Z \rightarrow \mu\mu + b$ jets	Sherpa
6396	$Z \rightarrow \mu\mu + c$ or light jets	
5568	$t\bar{t}$	
5105	$W \rightarrow \mu\nu$	Pythia
5145	$Z \rightarrow \mu\mu$ inclusive	

Eff. of b-tagging vs weight



(a)

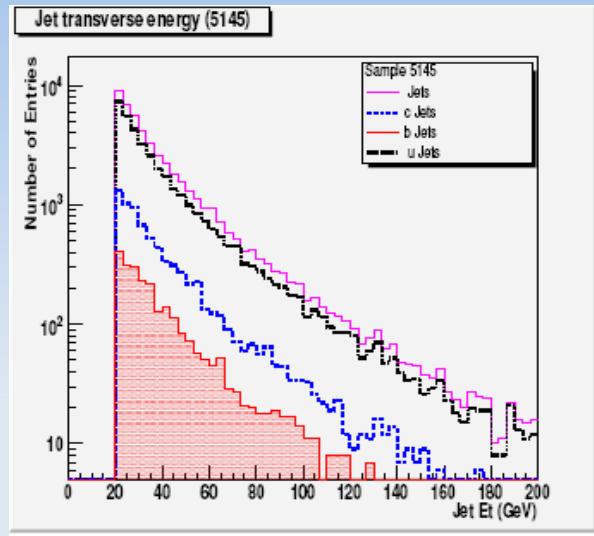
Rejection factor vs b-tagging eff.



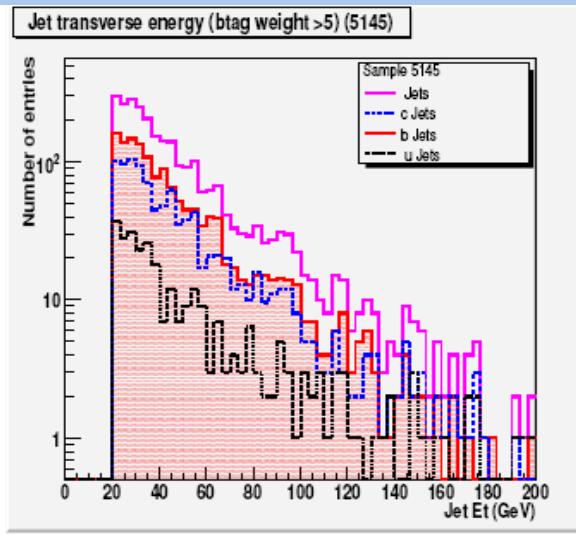
(b)

- Standard Cuts on muon and jets
- Z Mass window cut:  $M_Z \pm 20$  GeV
- b-tagging: weight  $\geq 5$  (combination of secondary vertex and impact parameter)

# Z+ b jets



(a)



(b)

Effect of cuts:

Jet Pt spectrum for b,c and light jets in the Z inlc. sample, before (a) and after (b) the cut on b-tagging weight.

## Results:

- Lum=100 pb<sup>-1</sup>, Signal  $\sigma = 41.25$  pb
- Jet Pt > 20 GeV:  $536 \pm 23$  events
  - Jet Pt > 40 GeV:  $289 \pm 17$  events
  - Contamin. from c and light jets: 30%
  - Other Bkg negligible

## Final Efficiencies (all cuts, Pt jet > 20/40 GeV)

Cuts	Z inclusive	Z+b jets	Z+c or light jets
Number of jets >0	$18.9 \pm 0.1\%$	$36 \pm 1\%$	$25 \pm 1\%$
$E_T^{jet} > 20$ GeV & $ \eta  < 2.5$	$10.26 \pm 0.08\%$	$24 \pm 1\%$	$25 \pm 1\%$
b jet weight >5	$0.24 \pm 0.01\%$	$12.8 \pm 0.2\%$	$0.2 \pm 0.1\%$
$E_T^{jet} > 40$ GeV & $ \eta  < 2.5$	$3.94 \pm 0.05\%$	$12.3 \pm 0.2\%$	$8.2 \pm 0.8\%$
b jet weight >5	$0.072 \pm 0.005\%$	$7.1 \pm 0.5\%$	$0.2 \pm 0.1\%$