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Minimum-Bias and Underlying-Event Physics

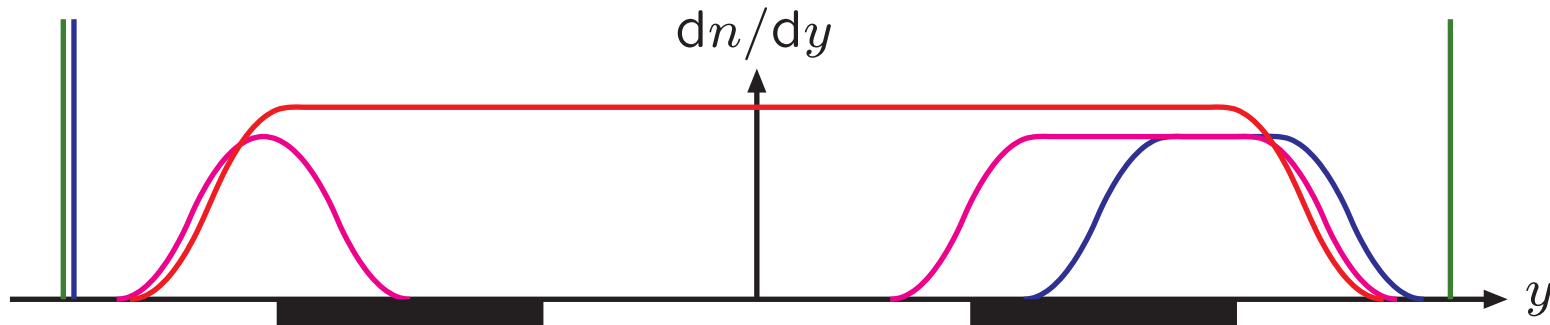
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What is minimum bias?

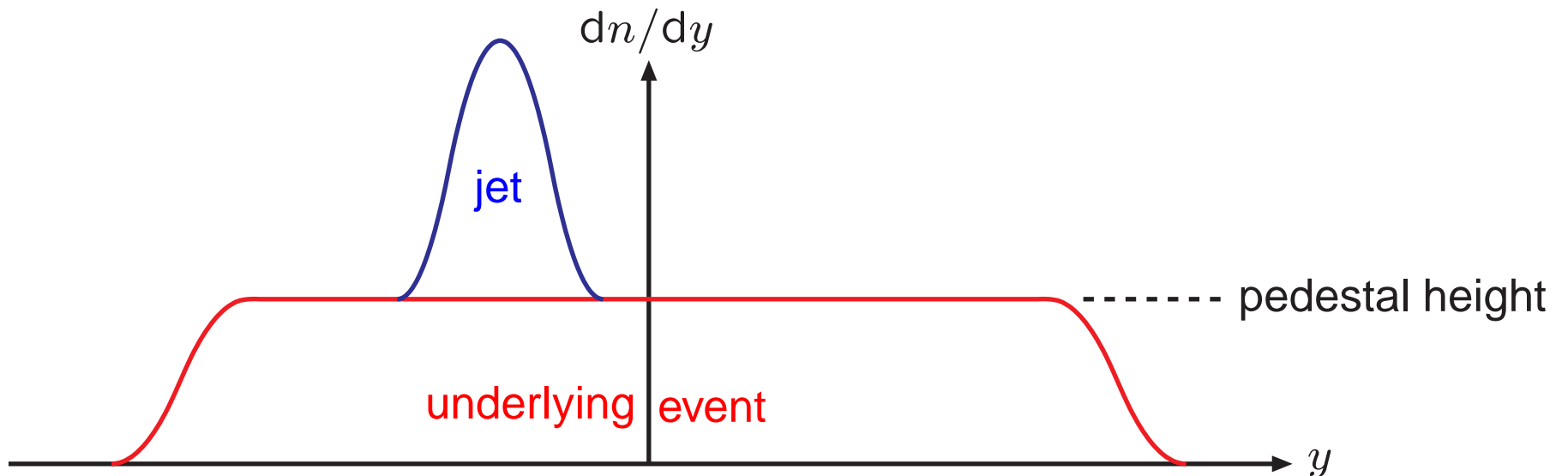
\approx “all events, with no bias from restricted trigger conditions”

$$\sigma_{\text{tot}} = \sigma_{\text{elastic}} + \sigma_{\text{single-diffractive}} + \sigma_{\text{double-diffractive}} + \dots + \sigma_{\text{non-diffractive}}$$



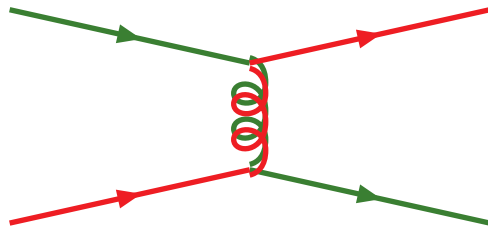
reality: $\sigma_{\text{min-bias}} \approx \sigma_{\text{non-diffractive}} + \sigma_{\text{double-diffractive}} \approx 2/3 \times \sigma_{\text{tot}}$

What is underlying event?



What is multiple interactions?

Cross section for $2 \rightarrow 2$ interactions is dominated by t -channel gluon exchange, so diverges like $d\hat{\sigma}/dp_{\perp}^2 \approx 1/p_{\perp}^4$ for $p_{\perp} \rightarrow 0$.



integrate QCD $2 \rightarrow 2$

$$qq' \rightarrow qq'$$

$$q\bar{q} \rightarrow q'\bar{q}'$$

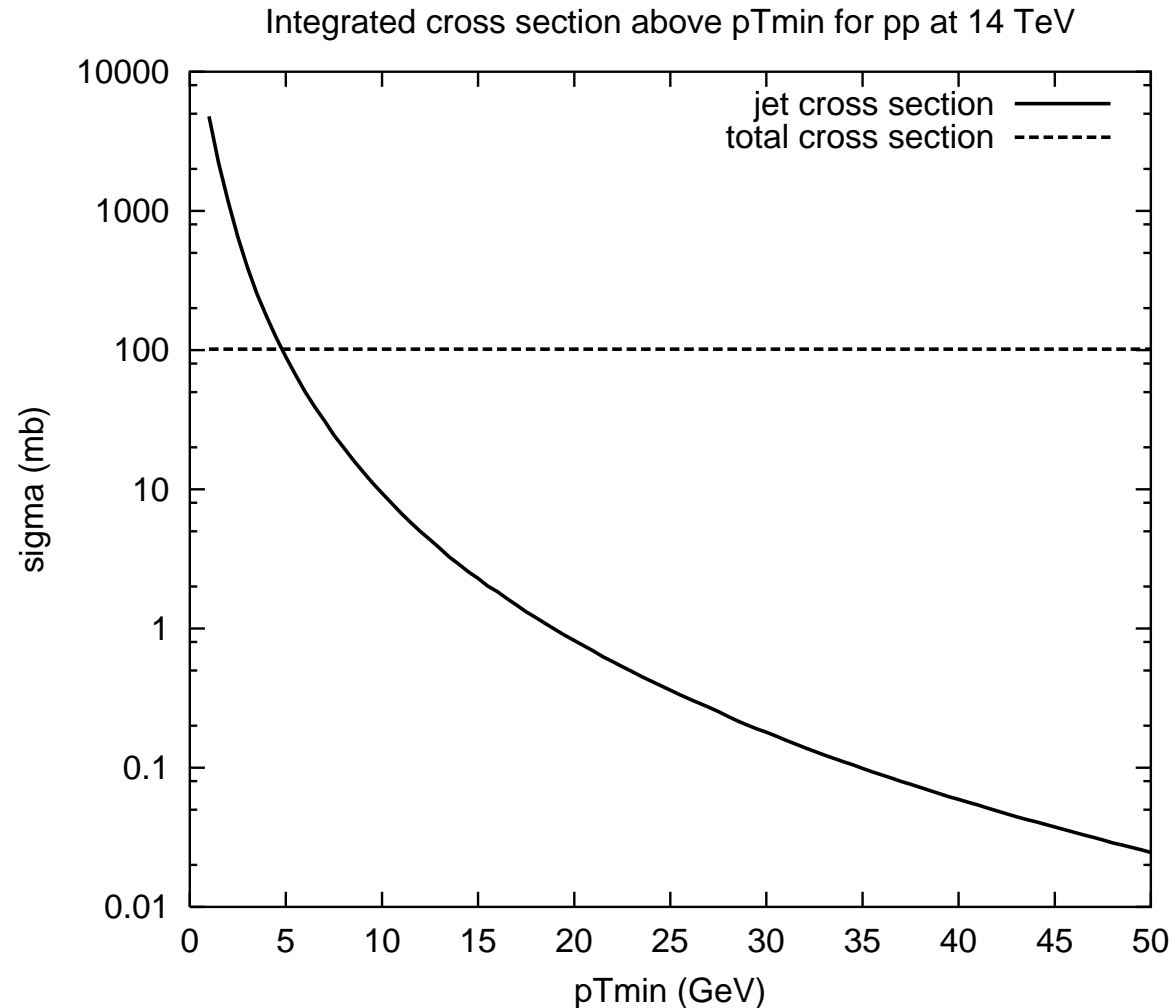
$$q\bar{q} \rightarrow gg$$

$$qg \rightarrow qg$$

$$gg \rightarrow gg$$

$$gg \rightarrow q\bar{q}$$

with CTEQ 5L PDF's



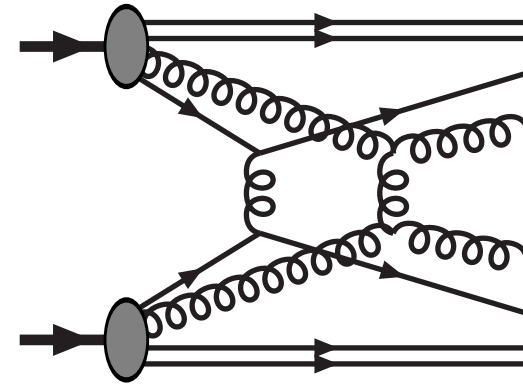
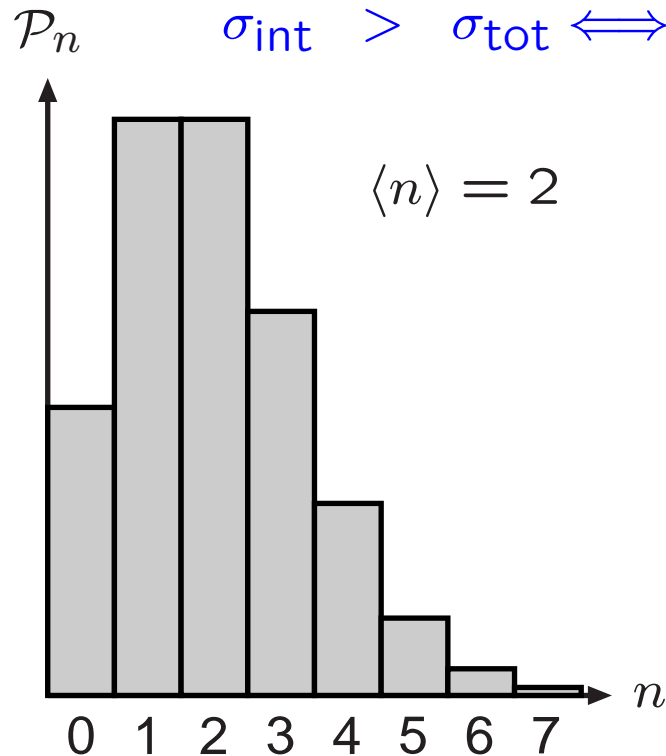
$$\sigma_{\text{int}}(p_{\perp\text{min}}) = \iiint_{p_{\perp\text{min}}} dx_1 dx_2 dp_{\perp}^2 f_1(x_1, p_{\perp}^2) f_2(x_2, p_{\perp}^2) \frac{d\hat{\sigma}}{dp_{\perp}^2}$$

Half a solution to $\sigma_{\text{int}}(p_{\perp\text{min}}) > \sigma_{\text{tot}}$: many interactions per event

$$\sigma_{\text{tot}} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sigma_n$$

$$\sigma_{\text{int}} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} n \sigma_n$$

$$\sigma_{\text{int}} > \sigma_{\text{tot}} \iff \langle n \rangle > 1$$



If interactions occur independently
then **Poissonian statistics**

$$\mathcal{P}_n = \frac{\langle n \rangle^n}{n!} e^{-\langle n \rangle}$$

but energy–momentum conservation
 \Rightarrow large n suppressed

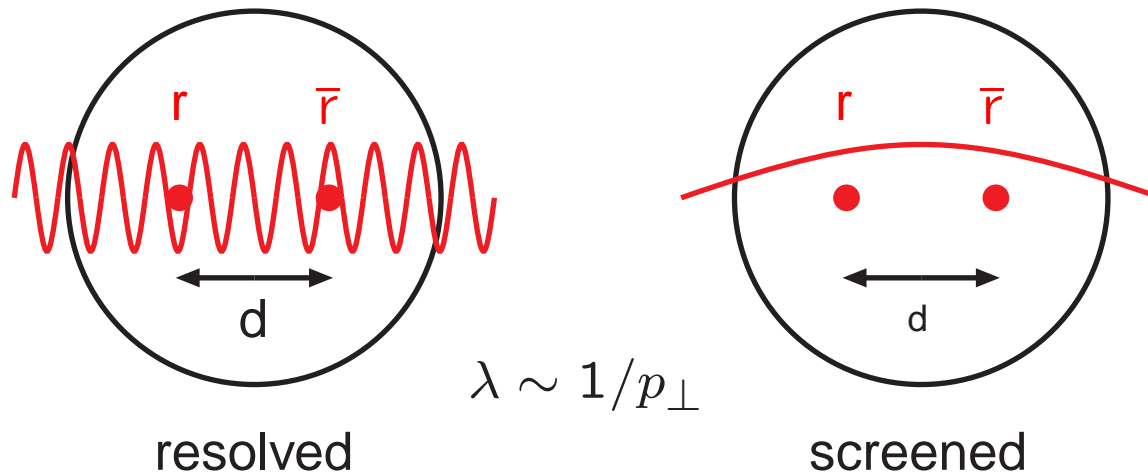
Other half of solution:

perturbative QCD not valid at small p_{\perp} since q, g not asymptotic states (confinement!).

Naively breakdown at

$$p_{\perp \text{min}} \simeq \frac{\hbar}{r_p} \approx \frac{0.2 \text{ GeV} \cdot \text{fm}}{0.7 \text{ fm}} \approx 0.3 \text{ GeV} \simeq \Lambda_{\text{QCD}}$$

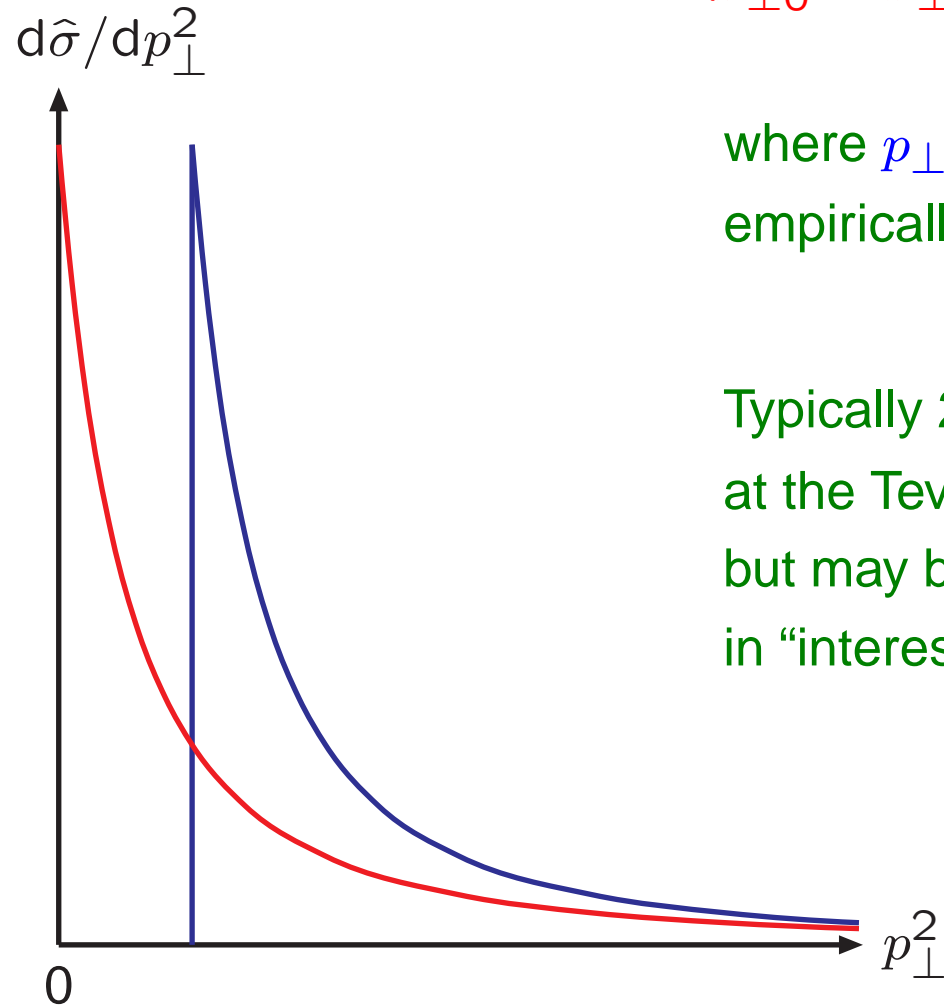
... but better replace r_p by (unknown) colour screening length d in hadron



so modify

$$\frac{d\hat{\sigma}}{dp_{\perp}^2} \propto \frac{\alpha_S^2(p_{\perp}^2)}{p_{\perp}^4} \rightarrow \frac{\alpha_S^2(p_{\perp}^2)}{p_{\perp}^4} \theta(p_{\perp} - p_{\perp\min}) \quad (\text{simpler})$$

$$\text{or} \rightarrow \frac{\alpha_S^2(p_{\perp 0}^2 + p_{\perp}^2)}{(p_{\perp 0}^2 + p_{\perp}^2)^2} \quad (\text{more physical})$$



where $p_{\perp\min}$ or $p_{\perp 0}$ are free parameters,
empirically of order **2 GeV**

Typically 2 – 3 interactions/event
at the Tevatron, 4 – 5 at the LHC,
but may be more
in “interesting” high- p_{\perp} ones.

Basic generation of multiple interactions

- For now exclude diffractive (and elastic) topologies,
i.e. only model nondiffractive events, with $\sigma_{\text{nd}} \simeq 0.6 \times \sigma_{\text{tot}}$
- Differential probability for interaction at p_{\perp} is

$$\frac{dP}{dp_{\perp}} = \frac{1}{\sigma_{\text{nd}}} \frac{d\sigma}{dp_{\perp}}$$

- Average number of interactions naively

$$\langle n \rangle = \frac{1}{\sigma_{\text{nd}}} \int_0^{E_{\text{cm}}/2} \frac{d\sigma}{dp_{\perp}} dp_{\perp}$$

- Require ≥ 1 interaction in an event
or else pass through without anything happening

$$P_{\geq 1} = 1 - P_0 = 1 - \exp(-\langle n \rangle)$$

(Alternatively: allow soft nonperturbative interactions even if no perturbative ones.)

Can pick n from Poissonian and then generate n independent interactions according to $d\sigma/dp_{\perp}$ (so long as energy left), or better...

... generate interactions in ordered sequence $p_{\perp 1} > p_{\perp 2} > p_{\perp 3} > \dots$

- recall “Sudakov” trick used e.g. for parton showers:
if probability for something to happen at “time” t is $P(t)$
and happenings are uncorrelated in time (Poissonian statistics)
then the probability for a *first* happening after 0 at t_1 is

$$\mathcal{P}(t_1) = P(t_1) \exp \left(- \int_0^{t_1} P(t) dt \right)$$

and for an i 'th at t_i is

$$\mathcal{P}(t_i) = P(t_i) \exp \left(- \int_{t_{i-1}}^{t_i} P(t) dt \right)$$

- Apply to ordered sequence of decreasing p_{\perp} , starting from $E_{\text{cm}}/2$

$$\mathcal{P}(p_{\perp} = p_{\perp i}) = \frac{1}{\sigma_{\text{nd}}} \frac{d\sigma}{dp_{\perp}} \exp \left[- \int_{p_{\perp}}^{p_{\perp(i-1)}} \frac{1}{\sigma_{\text{nd}}} \frac{d\sigma}{dp'_{\perp}} dp'_{\perp} \right]$$

- Use rescaled PDF's taking into account already used momentum
 $\implies n_{\text{int}}$ narrower than Poissonian

Impact parameter dependence

So far assumed that all collisions have equivalent initial conditions, but hadrons are extended,

e.g. empirical double Gaussian:

$$\rho_{\text{matter}}(r) = N_1 \exp\left(-\frac{r^2}{r_1^2}\right) + N_2 \exp\left(-\frac{r^2}{r_2^2}\right)$$

where $r_2 \neq r_1$ represents “hot spots”, and overlap of hadrons during collision is

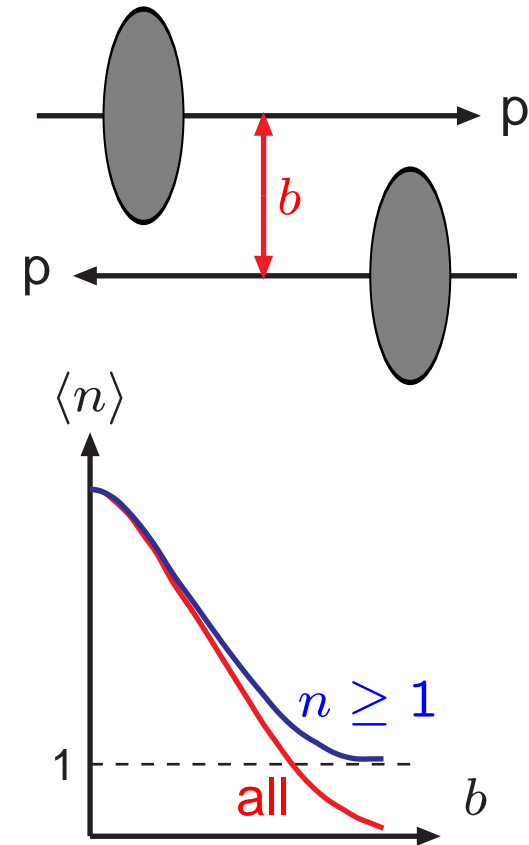
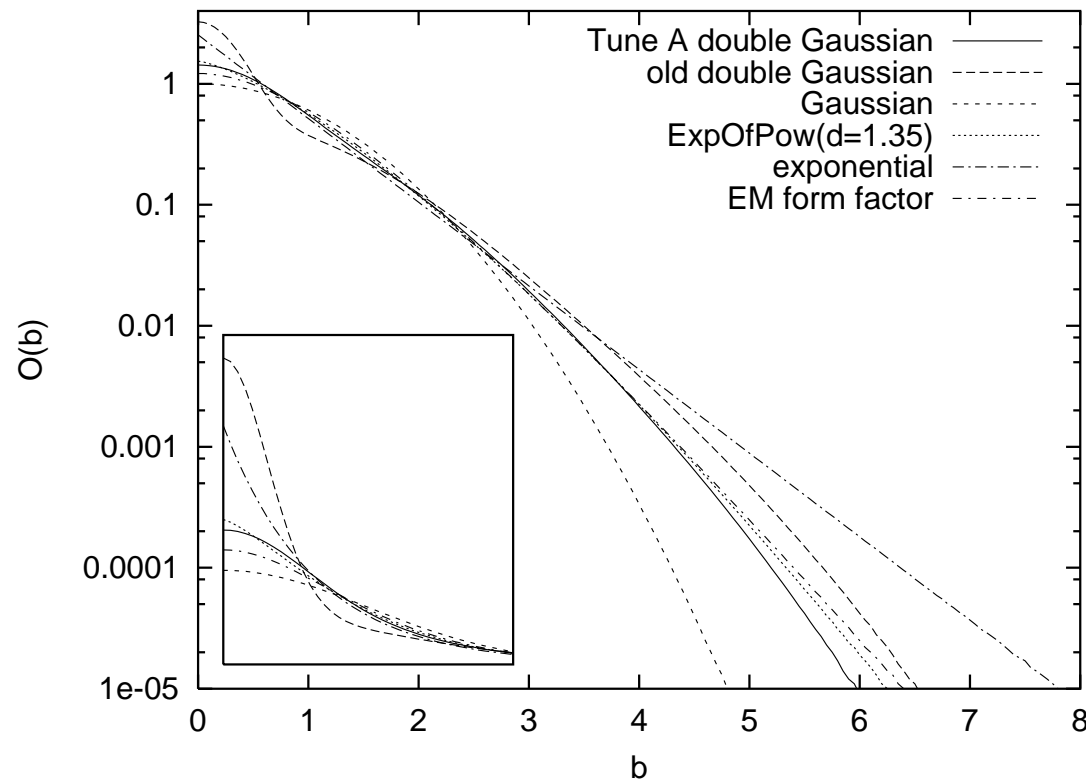
$$\mathcal{O}(b) = \int d^3\mathbf{x} dt \rho_{1,\text{matter}}^{\text{boosted}}(\mathbf{x}, t) \rho_{2,\text{matter}}^{\text{boosted}}(\mathbf{x}, t)$$

or electromagnetic form factor:

$$S_p(\mathbf{b}) = \int \frac{d^2\mathbf{k}}{2\pi} \frac{\exp(i\mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{b})}{(1 + \mathbf{k}^2/\mu^2)^2}$$

where $\mu = 0.71 \text{ GeV} \rightarrow$ free parameter, which gives

$$\mathcal{O}(b) = \frac{\mu^2}{96\pi} (\mu b)^3 K_3(\mu b)$$



- Events are distributed in impact parameter b
- Average activity at b proportional to $\mathcal{O}(b)$
 - ★ central collisions more active $\Rightarrow \mathcal{P}_n$ broader than Poissonian
 - ★ peripheral passages normally give no collisions at all \Rightarrow finite σ_{tot}
- Also crucial for *pedestal effect* (more later)

PYTHIA implementation

(1) Simple scenario (1985):

first model for event properties based on perturbative multiple interactions
no longer used (no impact-parameter dependence)

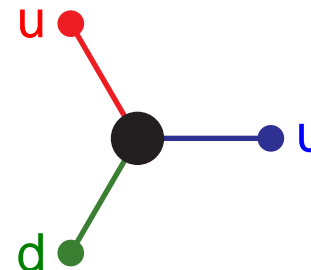
(2) Impact-parameter-dependence (1987):

still in frequent use (Tune A, Tune DWT, ATLAS tune, ...)

- double Gaussian matter distribution,
- interactions ordered in decreasing p_{\perp} ,
- PDF's rescaled for momentum conservation,
- *but* no showers for subsequent interactions and simplified flavours

(3) Improved handling of PDFs and beam remnants (2004)

- Trace flavour content of remnant,
including baryon number (junction)
- Study colour (re)arrangement
among outgoing partons (ongoing!)
- Allow radiation for all interactions

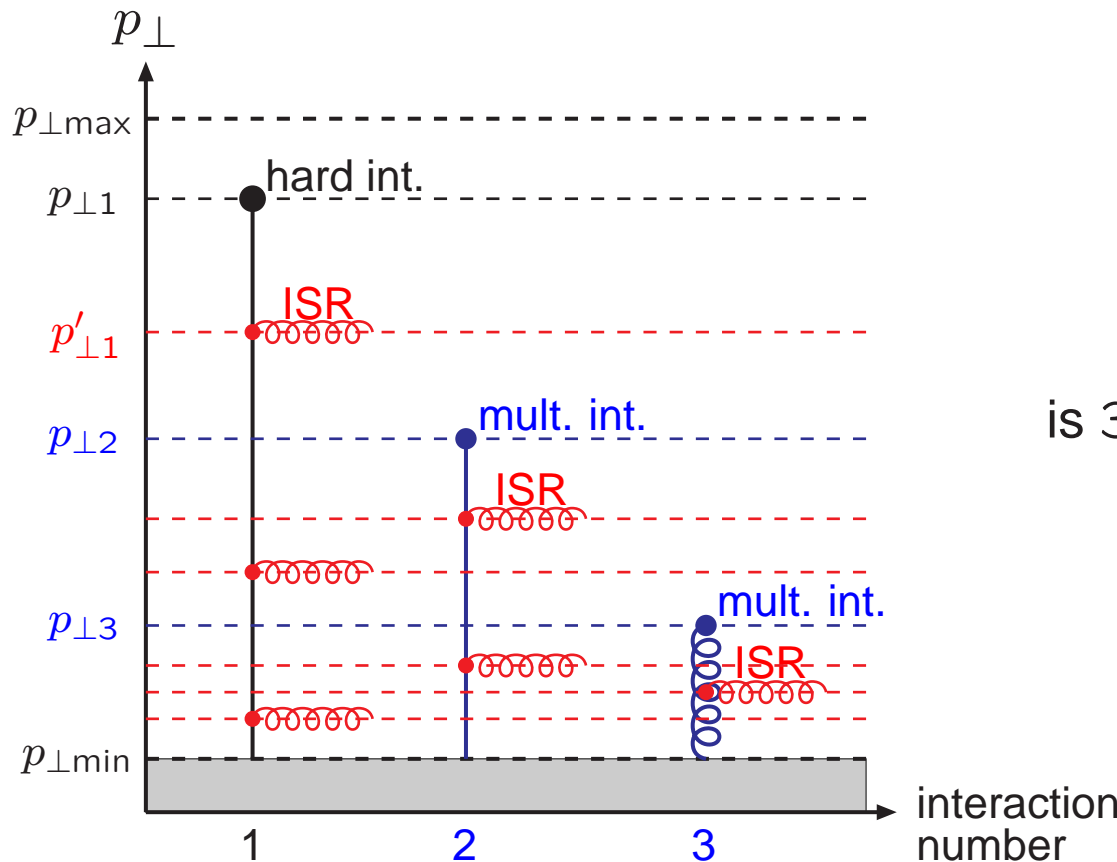


(4) Evolution interleaved with ISR (2004)

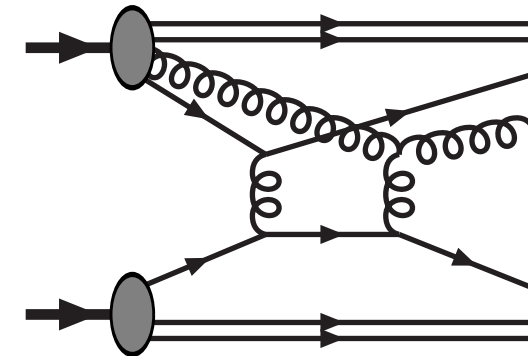
- Transverse-momentum-ordered showers

$$\frac{d\mathcal{P}}{dp_{\perp}} = \left(\frac{d\mathcal{P}_{\text{MI}}}{dp_{\perp}} + \sum \frac{d\mathcal{P}_{\text{ISR}}}{dp_{\perp}} \right) \exp \left(- \int_{p_{\perp}}^{p_{\perp i-1}} \left(\frac{d\mathcal{P}_{\text{MI}}}{dp'_{\perp}} + \sum \frac{d\mathcal{P}_{\text{ISR}}}{dp'_{\perp}} \right) dp'_{\perp} \right)$$

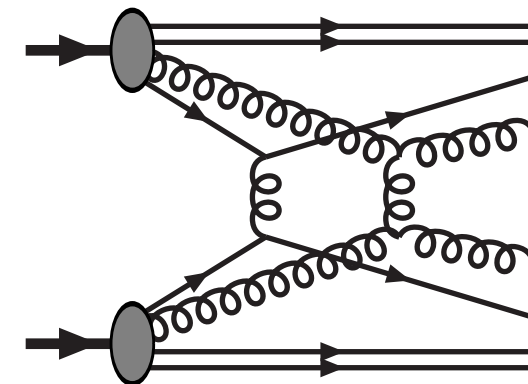
with ISR sum over all previous MI



(5) Rescattering (in progress)

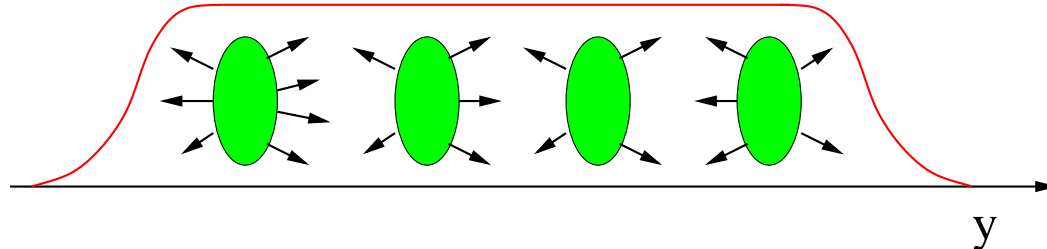


is $3 \rightarrow 3$ instead of $4 \rightarrow 4$:



HERWIG implementation

(1) Soft Underlying Event (1988), based on UA5 Monte Carlo



- Distribute a (\sim negative binomial) number of clusters independently in rapidity and transverse momentum according to parametrization/extrapolation of data
- modify for overall energy/momentum/flavour conservation
- no minijets; correlations only by cluster decays

(2) Jimmy (1995; HERWIG add-on; part of HERWIG++)

- only model of underlying event, not of minimum bias
- similar to **PYTHIA (2)** above; but details different
- matter profile by electromagnetic form factor (with tuned size)
- no p_{\perp} -ordering of emissions, no rescaling of PDF: abrupt stop when (if) run out of energy

(3) Ivan (2002, code not public; in progress)

- also handles minimum bias
- soft and hard multiple interactions together fill whole p_{\perp} range

SHERPA implementation

(1) Conventional approach (2005)

- Based on formalism of **PYTHIA (2)** but
- Full showers for all interactions, with CKKW matching

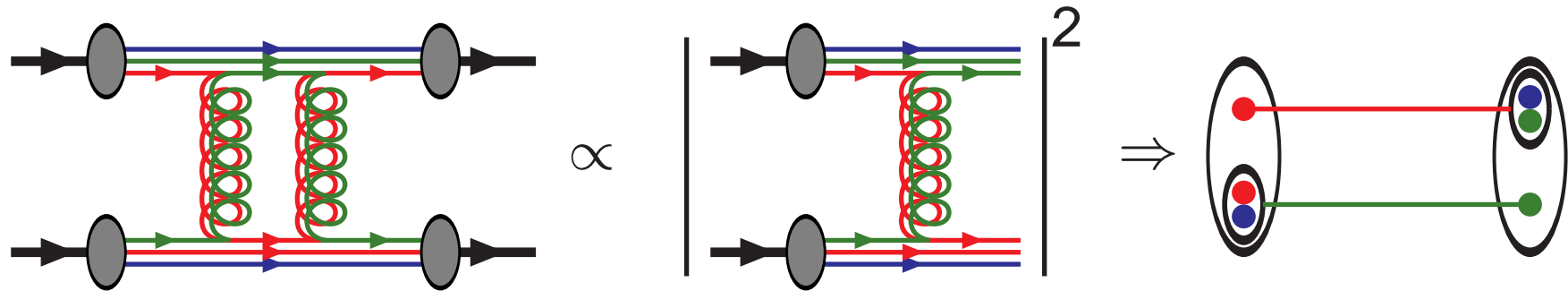
(2) k_{\perp} -factorization-based approach (2007)

- unintegrated PDFs and off-shell matrix elements
- consistent with BFKL evolution (small x)
- combination with multiple interactions in progress

PhoJet (& relatives) implementation

(1) Cut Pomeron (1982)

- Pomeron predates QCD; nowadays \sim glueball tower
- Optical theorem relates σ_{total} and σ_{elastic}



- Unified framework of nondiffractive and diffractive interactions
- Purely low- p_{\perp} : only primordial k_{\perp} fluctuations
- Usually simple Gaussian matter distribution

(2) Extension to large p_{\perp} (1990)

- distinguish soft and hard Pomerons (cf. Ivan):
 - soft = nonperturbative, low- p_{\perp} , as above
 - hard = perturbative, “high”- p_{\perp}
- hard based on PYTHIA code, with lower cutoff in p_{\perp}

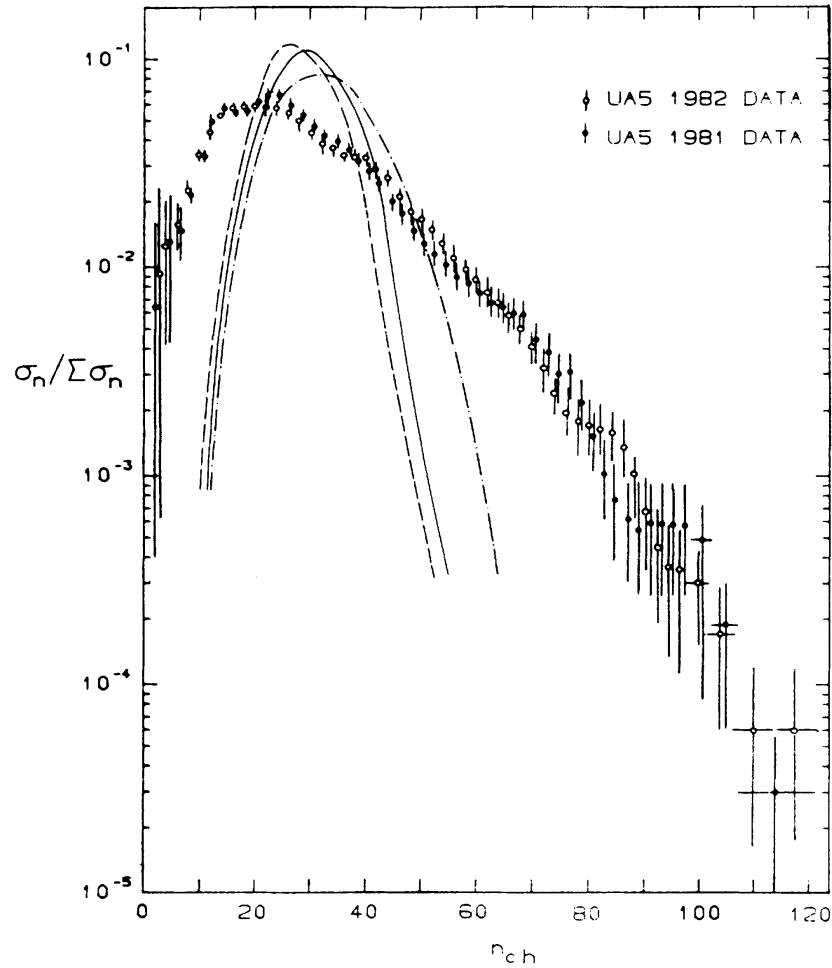


FIG. 3. Charged-multiplicity distribution at 540 GeV, UA5 results (Ref. 32) vs simple models: dashed low p_T only, full including hard scatterings, dash-dotted also including initial- and final-state radiation.

without multiple interactions

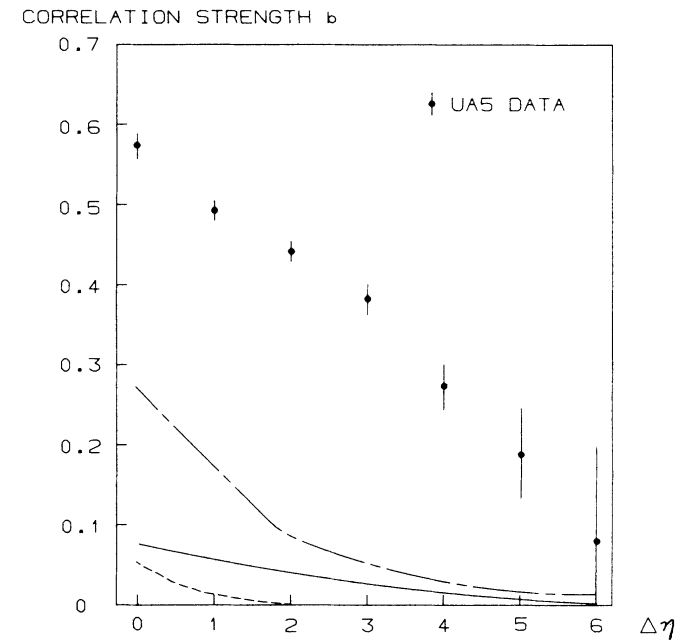


FIG. 4. Forward-backward multiplicity correlation at 540 GeV, UA5 results (Ref. 33) vs simple models; the latter models with notation as in Fig. 3.

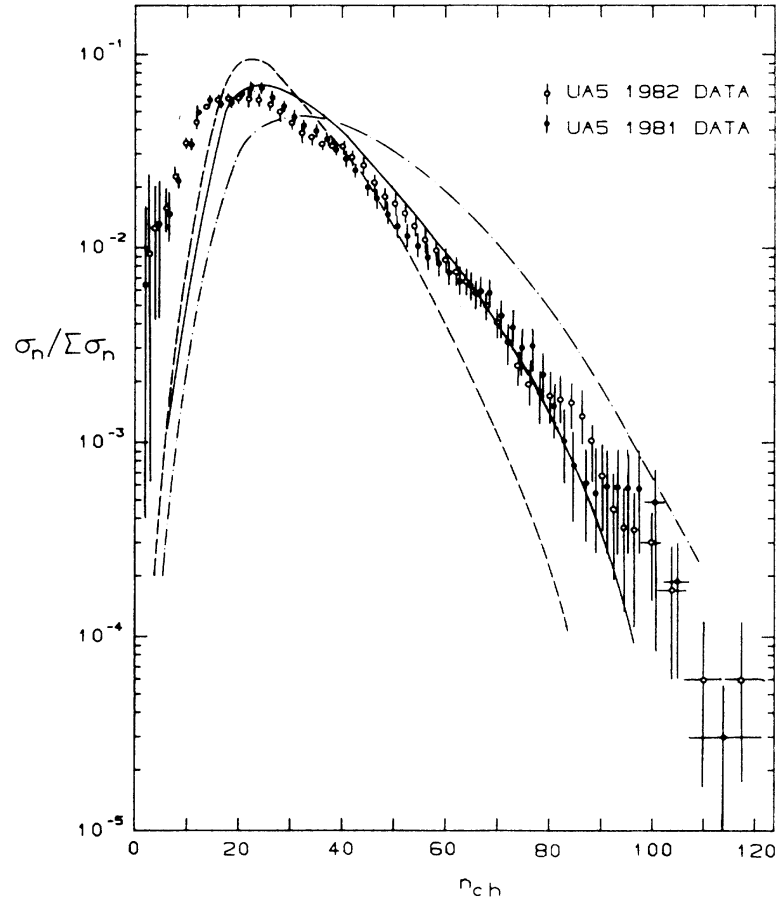


FIG. 5. Charged-multiplicity distribution at 540 GeV, UA5 results (Ref. 32) vs impact-parameter-independent multiple-interaction model: dashed line, $p_{Tmin}=2.0$ GeV; solid line, $p_{Tmin}=1.6$ GeV; dashed-dotted line, $p_{Tmin}=1.2$ GeV.

with multiple interactions

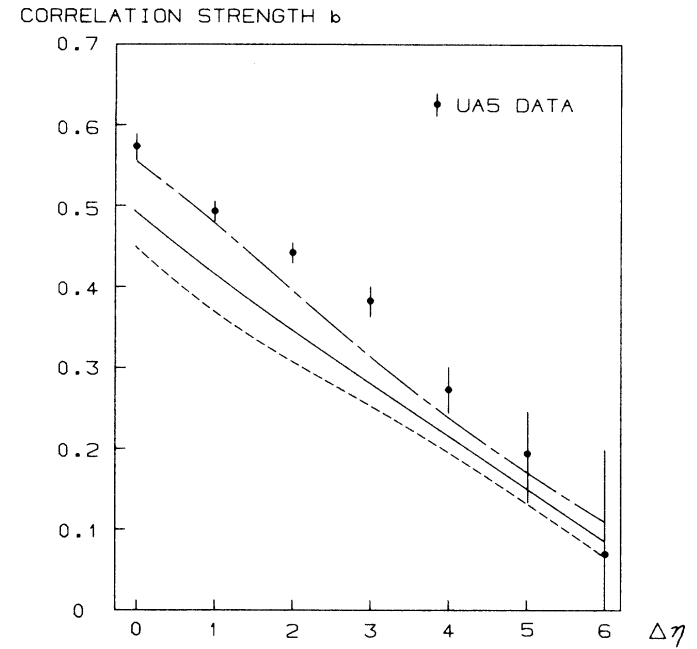


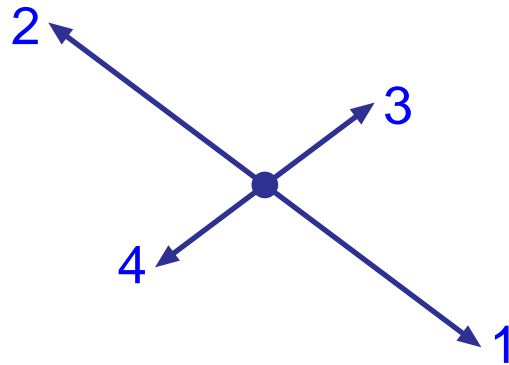
FIG. 6. Forward-backward multiplicity correlation at 540 GeV, UA5 results (Ref. 33) vs impact-parameter-independent multiple-interaction model; the latter with notation as in Fig. 5.

Direct observation of multiple interactions

Four studies: AFS (1987), UA2 (1991), CDF (1993, 1997)

Order 4 jets $p_{\perp 1} > p_{\perp 2} > p_{\perp 3} > p_{\perp 4}$ and define φ as angle between $p_{\perp 1} \mp p_{\perp 2}$ and $p_{\perp 3} \mp p_{\perp 4}$ for AFS/CDF

Double Parton Scattering

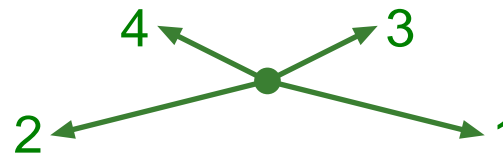


$$|p_{\perp 1} + p_{\perp 2}| \approx 0$$

$$|p_{\perp 3} + p_{\perp 4}| \approx 0$$

$d\sigma/d\varphi$ flat

Double BremsStrahlung

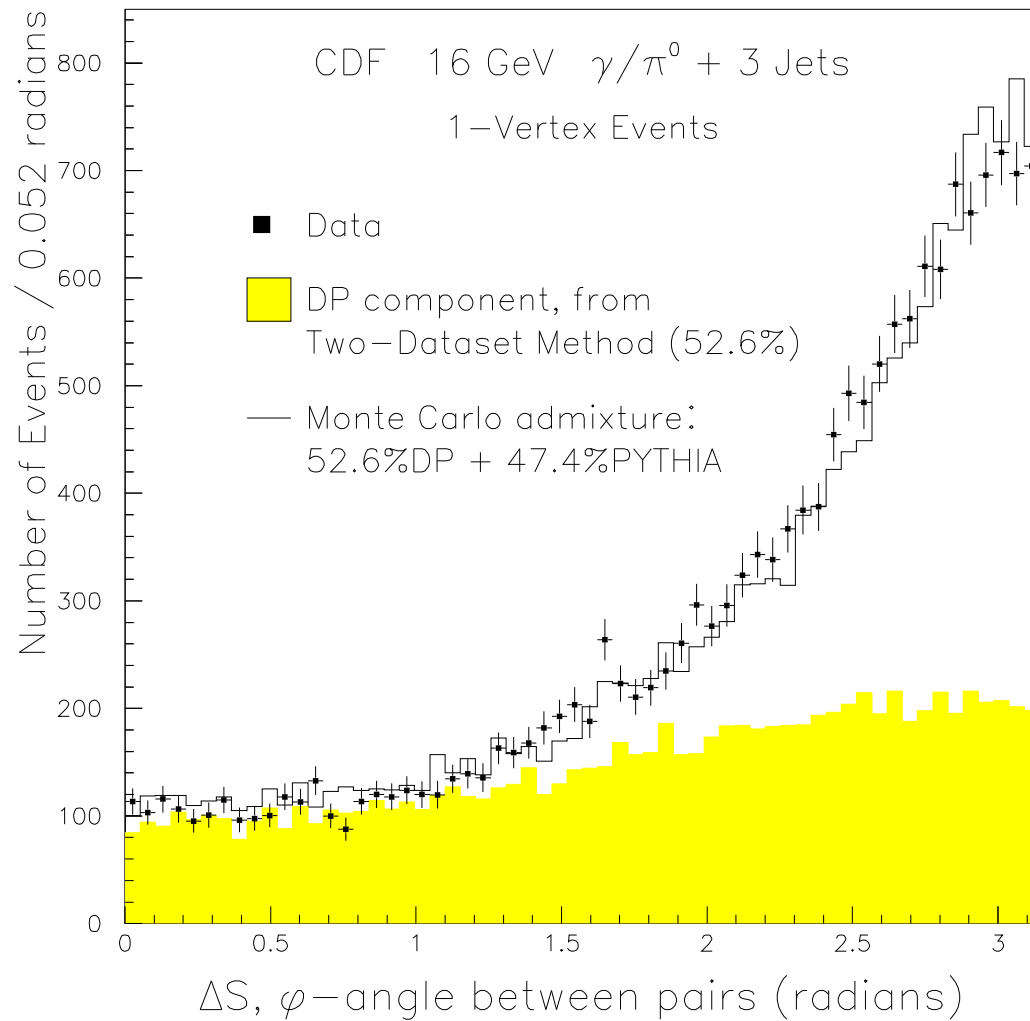


$$|p_{\perp 1} + p_{\perp 2}| \gg 0$$

$$|p_{\perp 3} + p_{\perp 4}| \gg 0$$

$d\sigma/d\varphi$ peaked at $\varphi \approx 0/\pi$ for AFS/CDF

AFS 4-jet analysis (pp at 63 GeV): observe 6 times Poissonian prediction, with impact parameter expect 3.7 times Poissonian, but big errors \Rightarrow low acceptance, also UA2



CDF 3-jet + prompt
photon analysis

Yellow region =
double parton
scattering (DPS)

The rest =
PYTHIA showers

$$\sigma_{\text{DPS}} = \frac{\sigma_A \sigma_B}{\sigma_{\text{eff}}} \quad \text{for } A \neq B \quad \Rightarrow \quad \sigma_{\text{eff}} = 14.5 \pm 1.7^{+1.7}_{-2.3} \text{ mb}$$

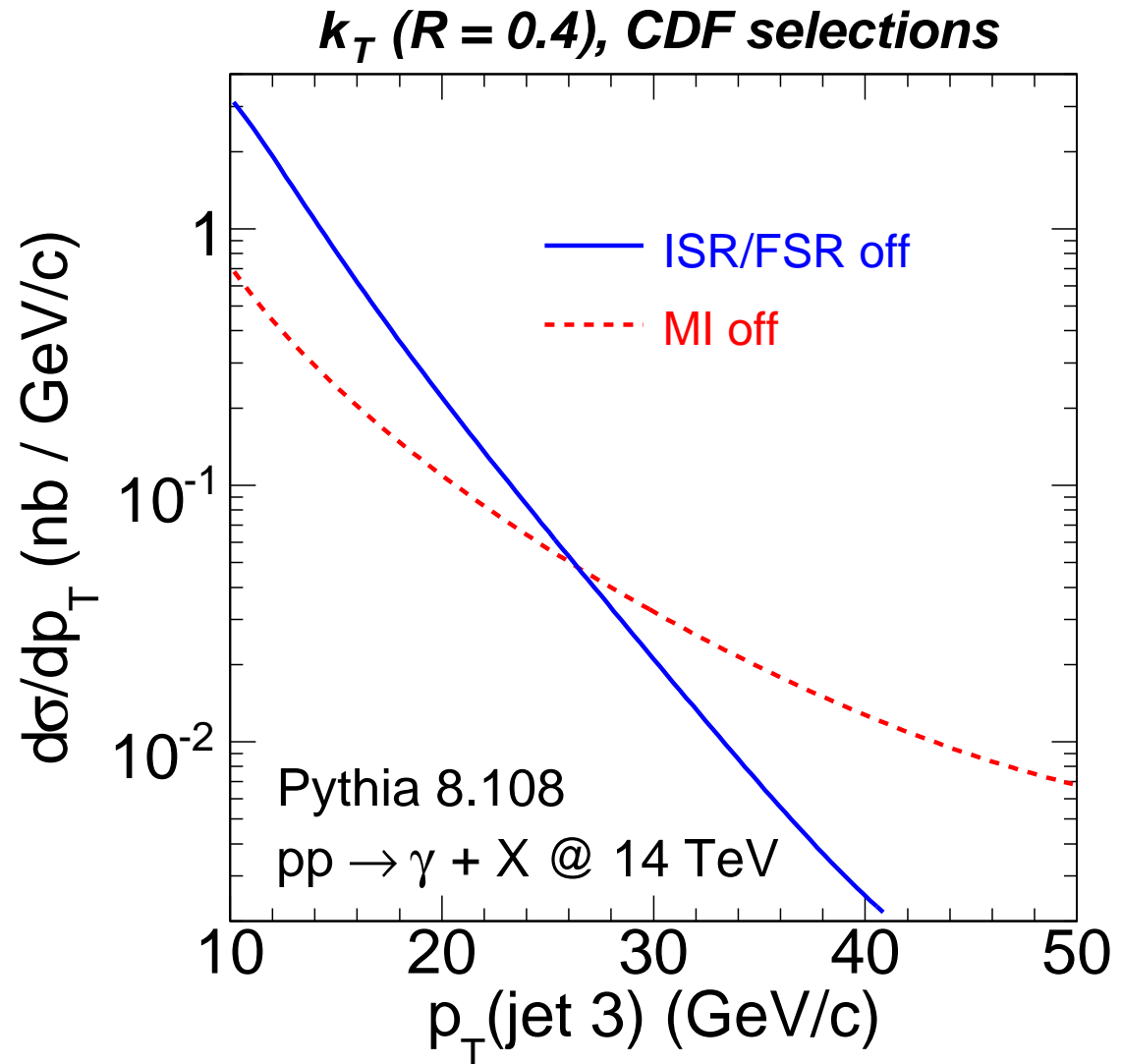
Strong enhancement relative to naive expectations!

Same study also
planned for LHC

Selection for DPS
delicate balance:

showers dominate
at large p_{\perp}
 \Rightarrow too large
background

multiple interactions
dominate at small p_{\perp} ,
but there jet
identification difficult



Jet pedestal effect

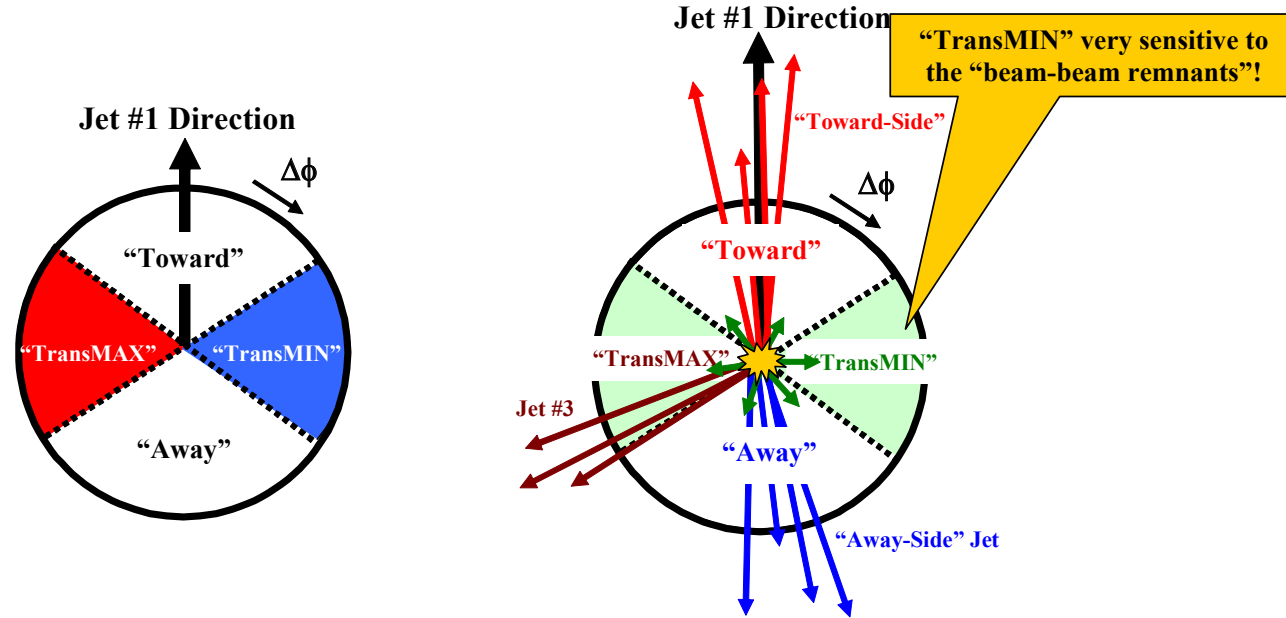
Events with hard scale (jet, W/Z , ...) have more underlying activity!

Events with n interactions have n chances that one of them is hard,
so “trigger bias”: hard scale \Rightarrow central collision
 \Rightarrow more interactions \Rightarrow larger underlying activity.

Centrality effect saturates at $p_{\perp \text{hard}} \sim 10$ GeV.

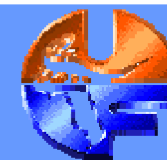
Studied in detail by Rick Field, comparing with CDF data:

“MAX/MIN Transverse” Densities

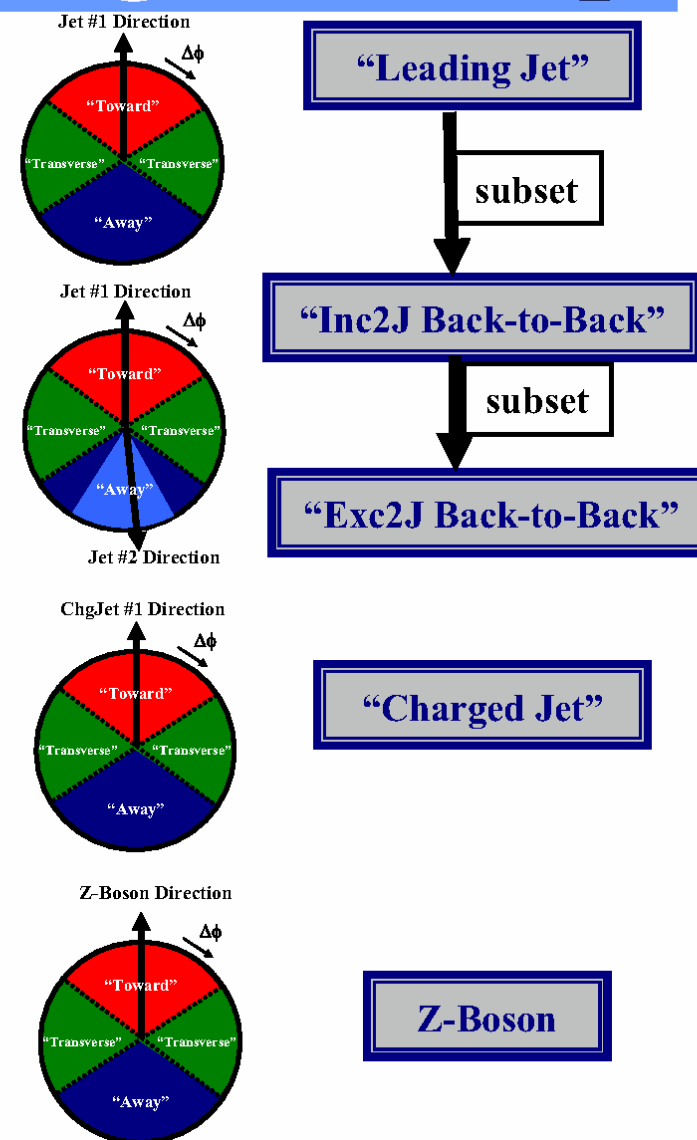


- Define the **MAX and MIN “transverse” regions** on an event-by-event basis with MAX (MIN) having the largest (smallest) density.

Event Topologies



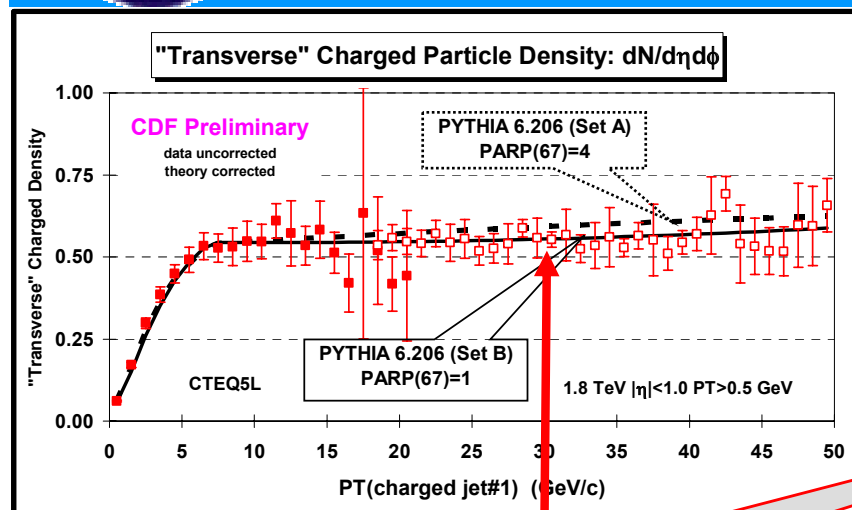
- ➔ **“Leading Jet”** events correspond to the leading calorimeter jet (MidPoint $R = 0.7$) in the region $|\eta| < 2$ with no other conditions.
- ➔ **“Inclusive 2-Jet Back-to-Back”** events are selected to have at least two jets with Jet#1 and Jet#2 nearly “back-to-back” ($\Delta\phi_{12} > 150^\circ$) with almost equal transverse energies ($P_T(\text{jet}\#2)/P_T(\text{jet}\#1) > 0.8$) with no other conditions .
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- ➔ **“Leading ChgJet”** events correspond to the leading charged particle jet ($R = 0.7$) in the region $|\eta| < 1$ with no other conditions.
- ➔ **“Z-Boson”** events are Drell-Yan events with $70 < M(\text{lepton-pair}) < 110$ GeV with no other conditions.





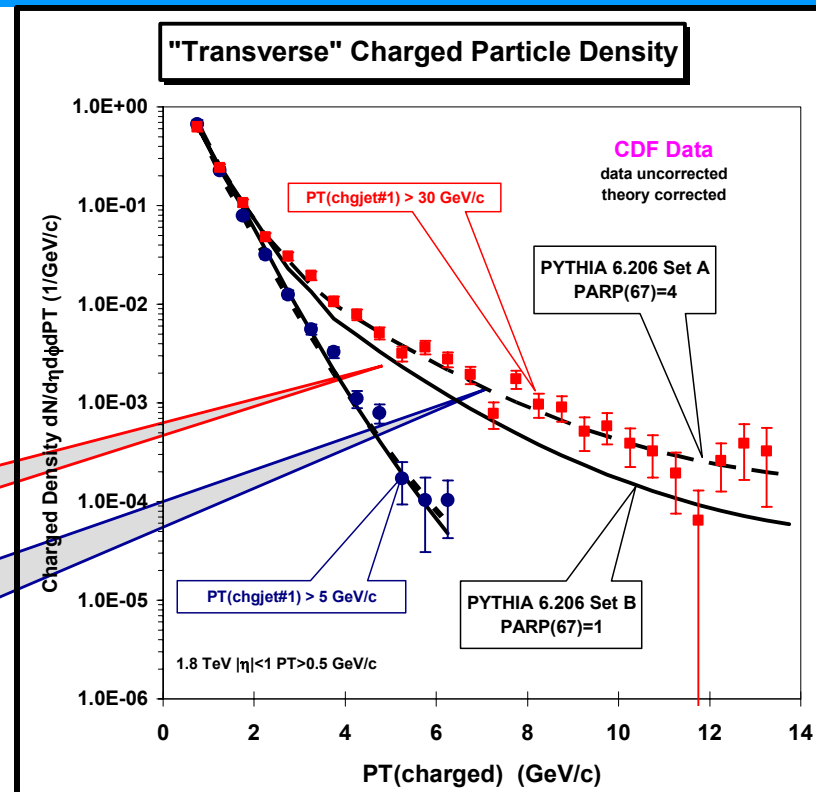
Tuned PYTHIA 6.206

“Transverse” P_T Distribution



$P_T(\text{charged jet\#1}) > 30$ GeV/c

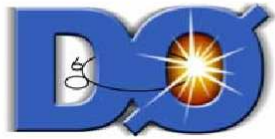
PARP(67)=4.0 (old default) is favored
over PARP(67)=1.0 (new default)!



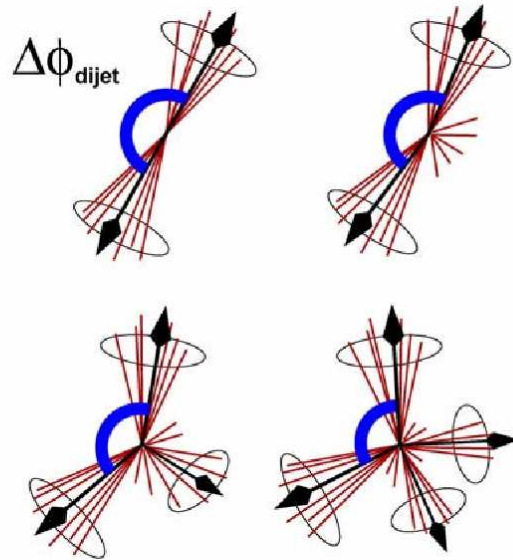
- ➔ Compares the average “transverse” charge particle density ($|\eta| < 1$, $P_T > 0.5$ GeV) versus $P_T(\text{charged jet\#1})$ and the P_T distribution of the “transverse” density, $dN_{\text{chg}}/d\eta d\phi dP_T$ with the QCD Monte-Carlo predictions of two **tuned** versions of **PYTHIA 6.206** ($P_T(\text{hard}) > 0$, CTEQ5L, **Set B** (PARP(67)=1) and **Set A** (PARP(67)=4)).



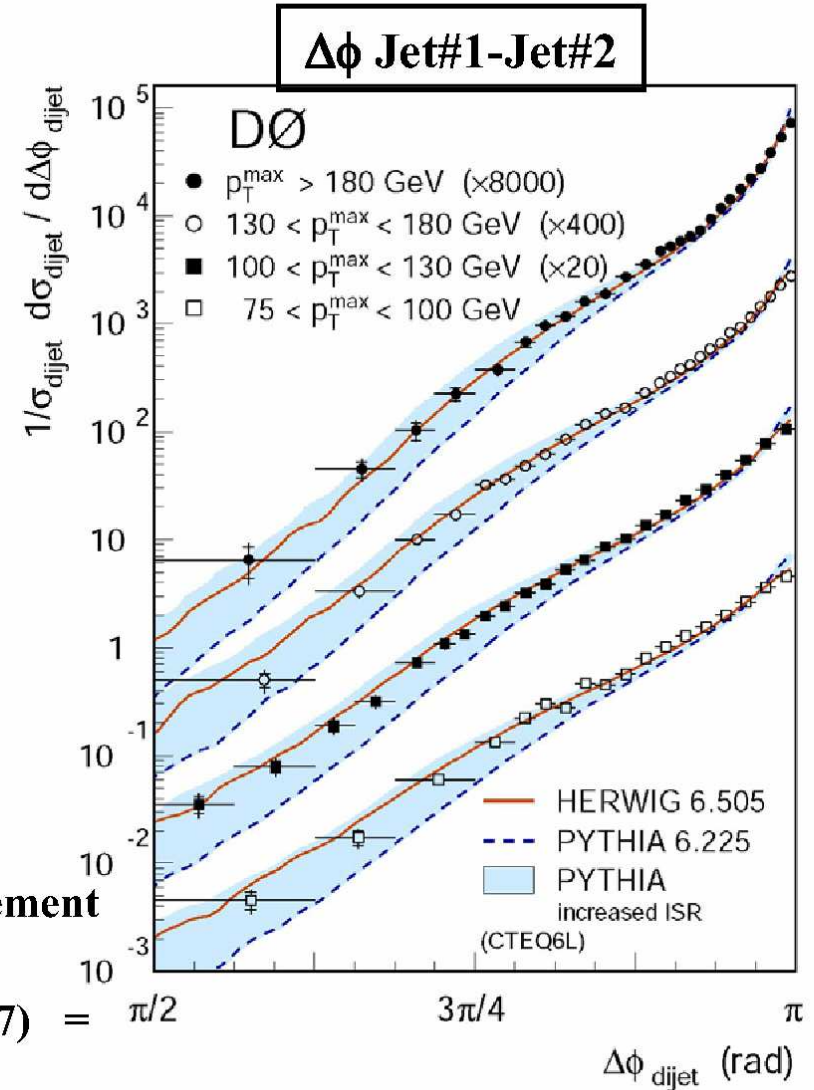
Jet-Jet Correlations (DØ)



Jet#1-Jet#2 $\Delta\phi$ Distribution



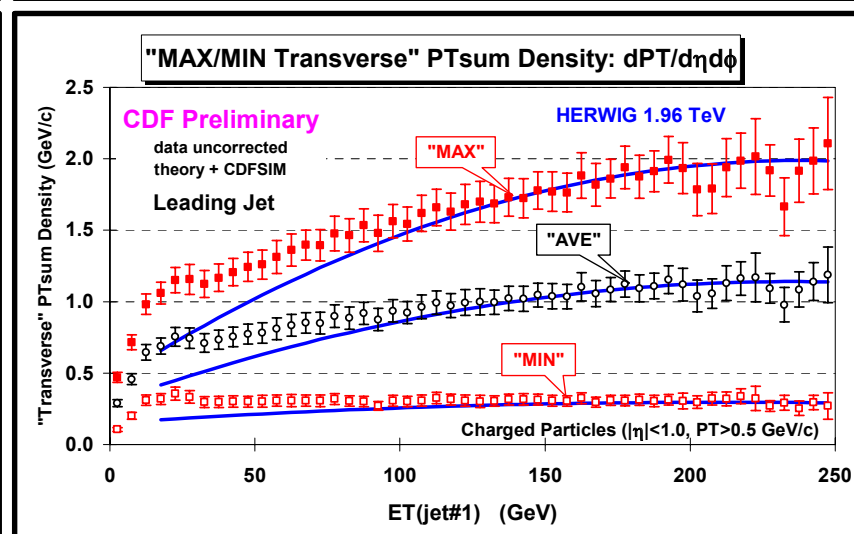
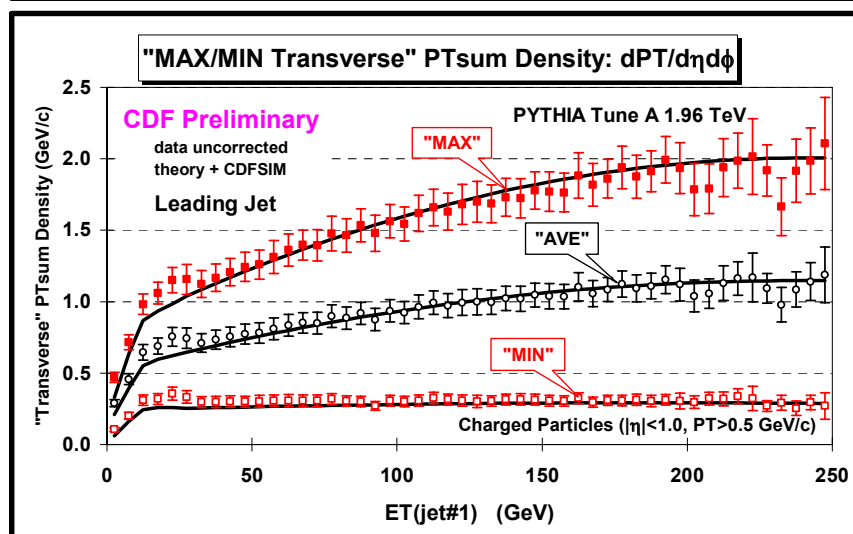
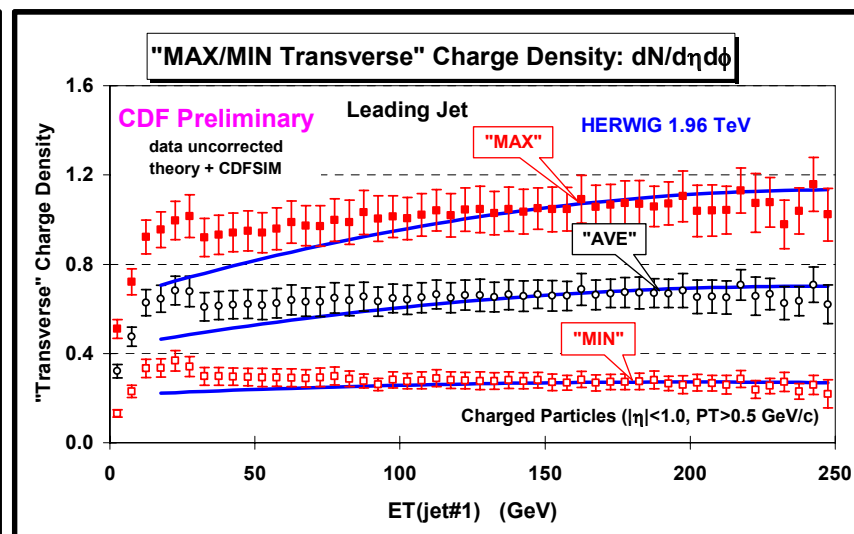
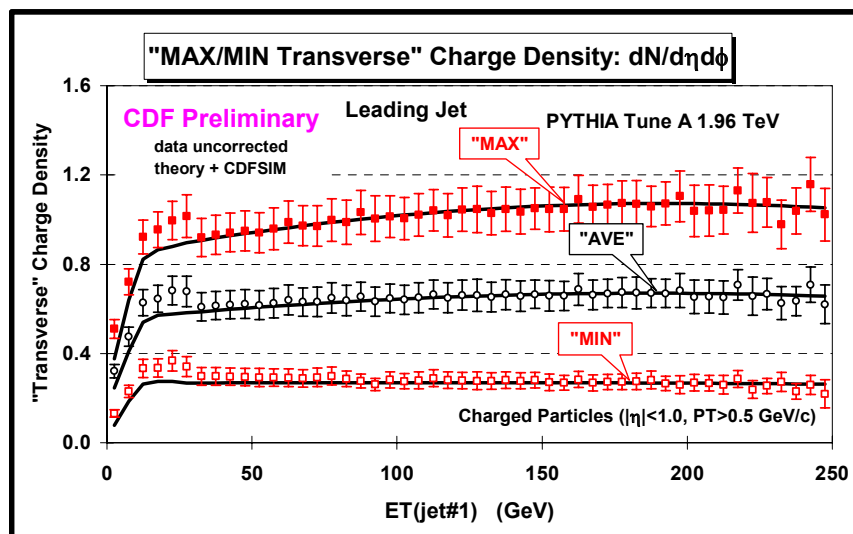
- ➔ MidPoint Cone Algorithm ($R = 0.7$, $f_{\text{merge}} = 0.5$)
- ➔ $\mathcal{L} = 150 \text{ pb}^{-1}$ (Phys. Rev. Lett. 94 221801 (2005))
- ➔ Data/NLO agreement good. Data/HERWIG agreement good.
- ➔ Data/PYTHIA agreement good provided PARP(67) = 1.0→4.0 (i.e. like Tune A, **best fit 2.5**).



Leading Jet: “MAX & MIN Transverse” Densities

PYTHIA Tune A

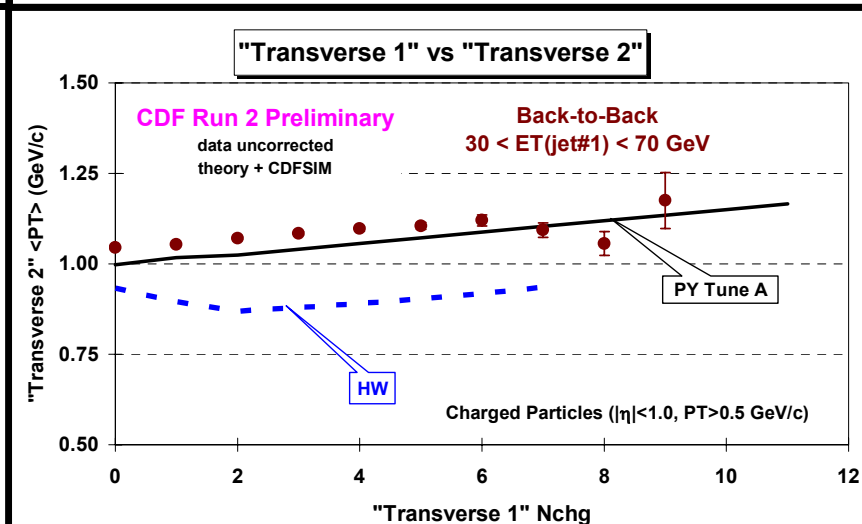
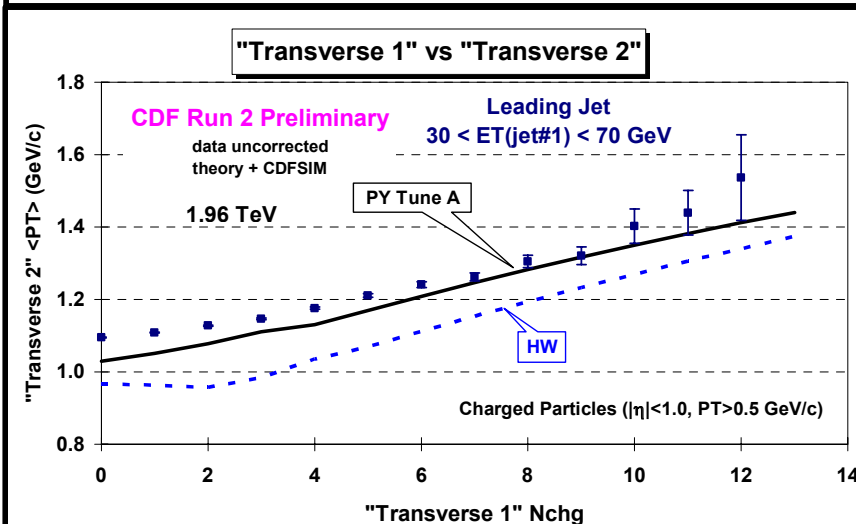
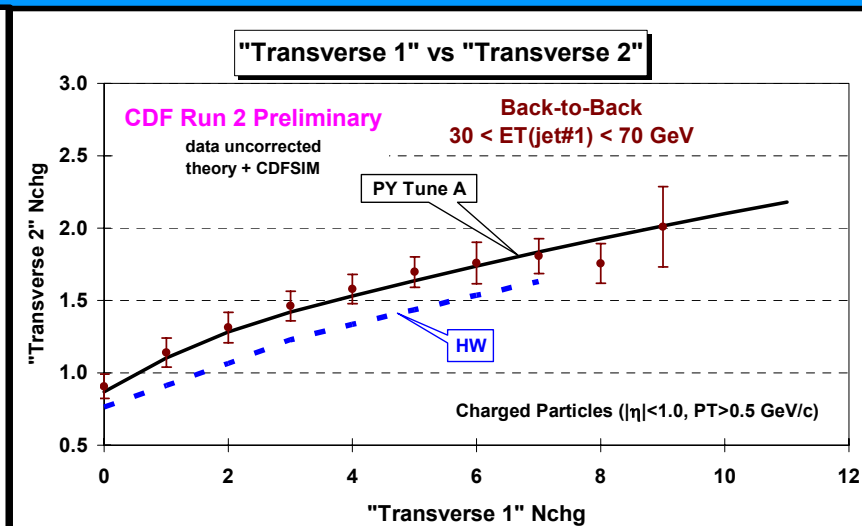
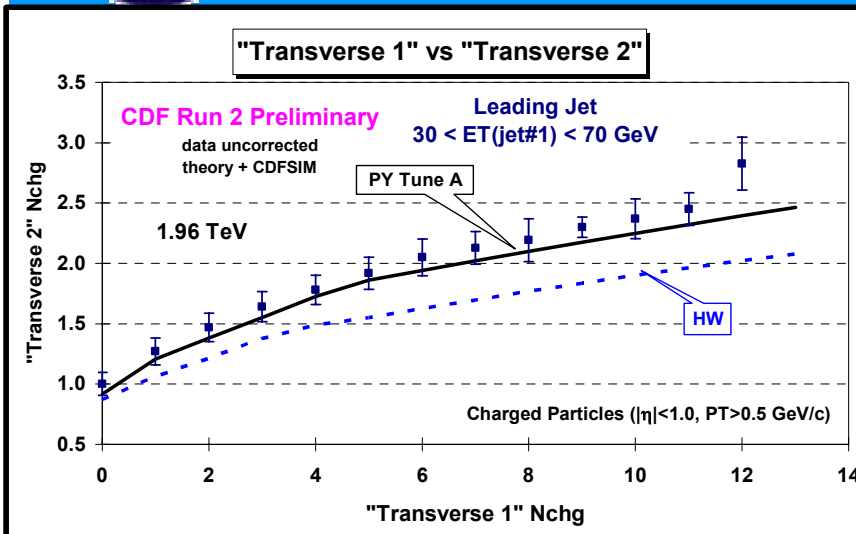
HERWIG



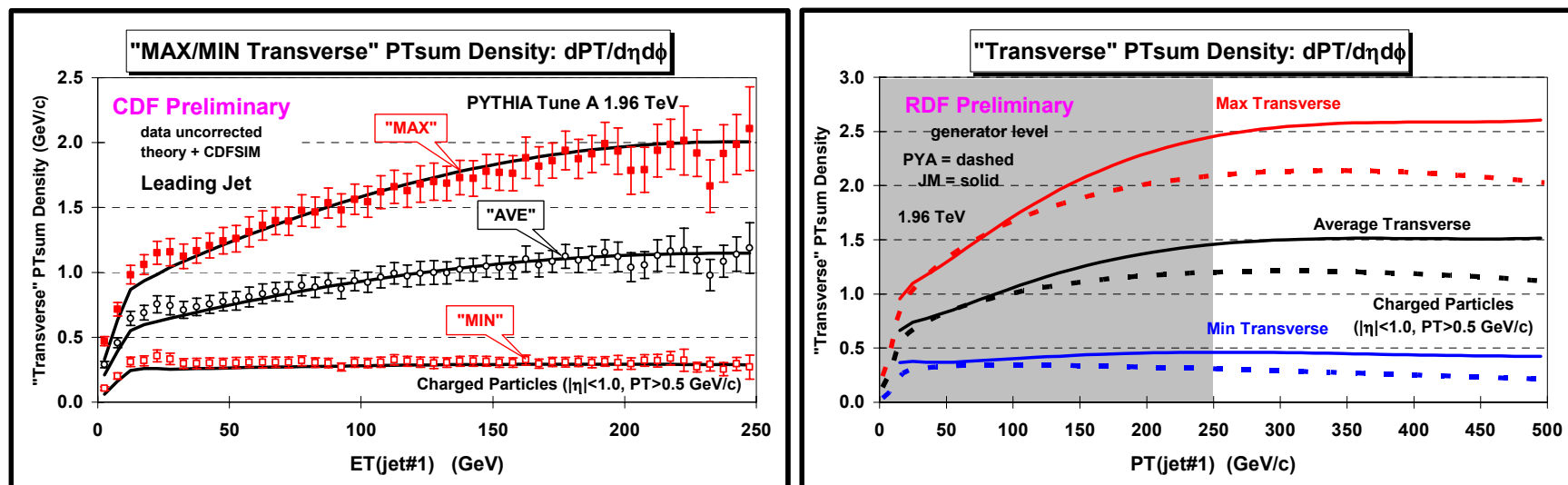
Charged particle density and PTsum density for “leading jet” events versus $E_T(\text{jet}\#1)$ for PYTHIA Tune A and HERWIG.



“Transverse 1” Region vs “Transverse 2” Region



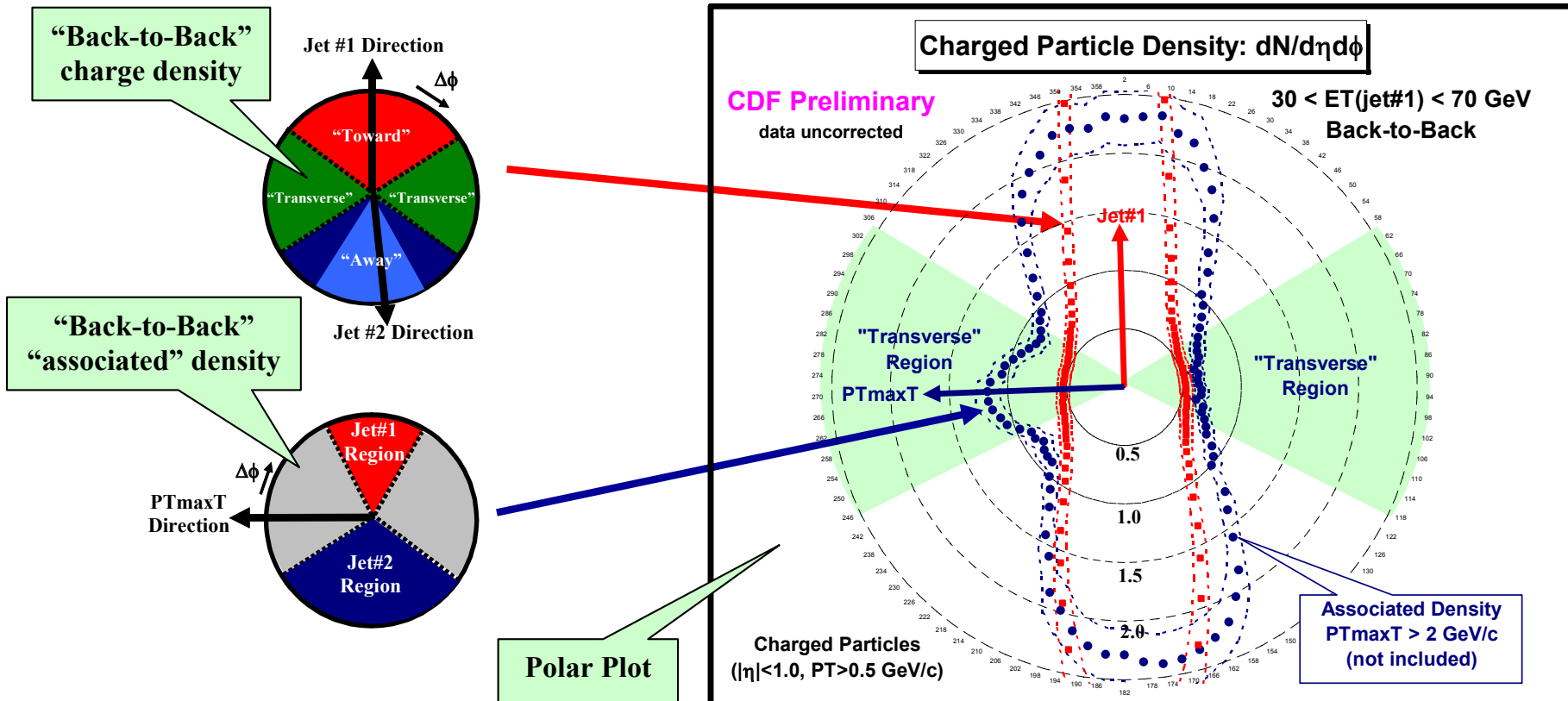
PYTHIA Tune A vs JIMMY: “Transverse Region”



- (left) Run 2 data for charged *scalar* PTsum density ($|\eta| < 1, p_T > 0.5$ GeV/c) in the MAX/MIN/AVE “transverse” region versus $P_T(\text{jet\#1})$ compared with PYTHIA Tune A (after CDFSIM).
- (right) Shows the generator level predictions of PYTHIA Tune A (dashed) and JIMMY ($P_{T\text{min}} = 1.8$ GeV/c) for charged *scalar* PTsum density ($|\eta| < 1, p_T > 0.5$ GeV/c) in the MAX/MIN/AVE “transverse” region versus $P_T(\text{jet\#1})$.
- The tuned JIMMY now agrees with PYTHIA for $P_T(\text{jet\#1}) < 100$ GeV but produces much more activity than PYTHIA Tune A (and the data?) in the “transverse” region for $P_T(\text{jet\#1}) > 100$ GeV!



Back-to-Back “Associated” Charged Particle Densities



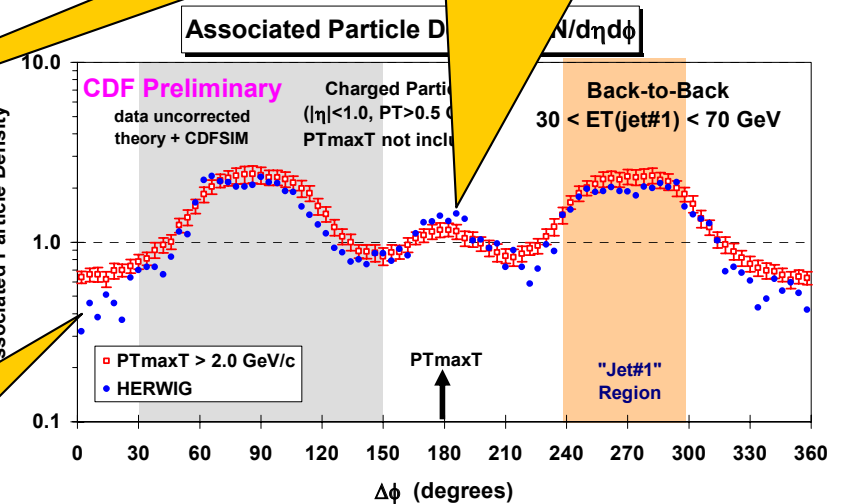
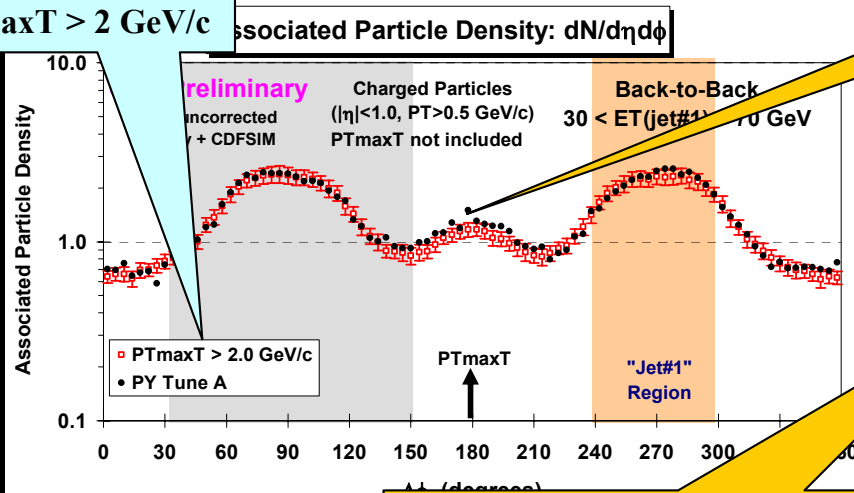
- ➔ Shows the $\Delta\phi$ dependence of the “associated” charged particle density, $dN_{chg}/d\eta d\phi$, $p_T > 0.5 \text{ GeV/c}$, $|\eta| < 1$, $p_{TmaxT} > 2.0 \text{ GeV/c}$ (not including p_{TmaxT}) relative to p_{TmaxT} (rotated to 180°) and the charged particle density, $dN_{chg}/d\eta d\phi$, $p_T > 0.5 \text{ GeV/c}$, $|\eta| < 1$, relative to jet#1 (rotated to 270°) for “back-to-back events” with $30 < E_T(\text{jet\#1}) < 70 \text{ GeV}$.



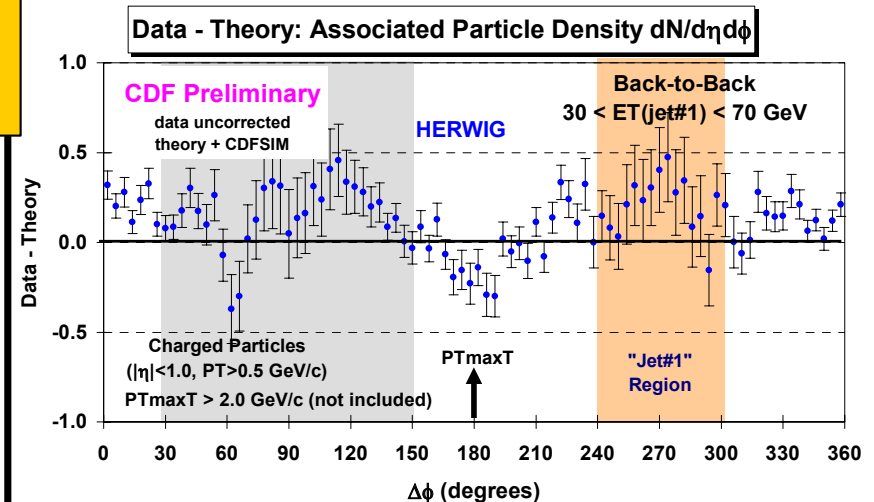
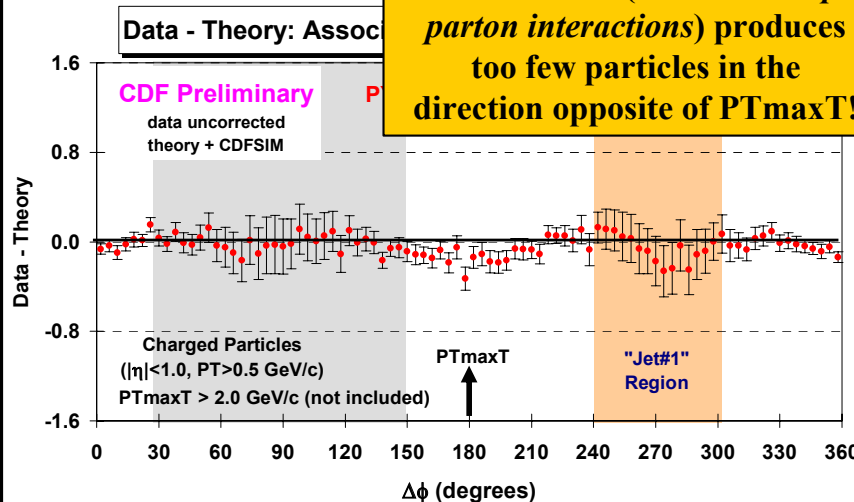
“Associated” Charge Density PYTHIA Tune A vs HERWIG

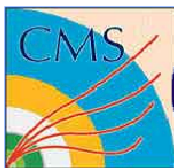
For $PT_{maxT} > 2.0$ GeV both
PYTHIA and HERWIG produce
slightly too many “associated”
particles in the direction of PT_{maxT} !

$PT_{maxT} > 2$ GeV/c

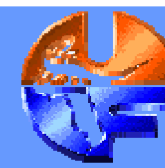


But HERWIG (without multiple
parton interactions) produces
too few particles in the
direction opposite of PT_{maxT} !





CDF Run 1 $P_T(Z)$



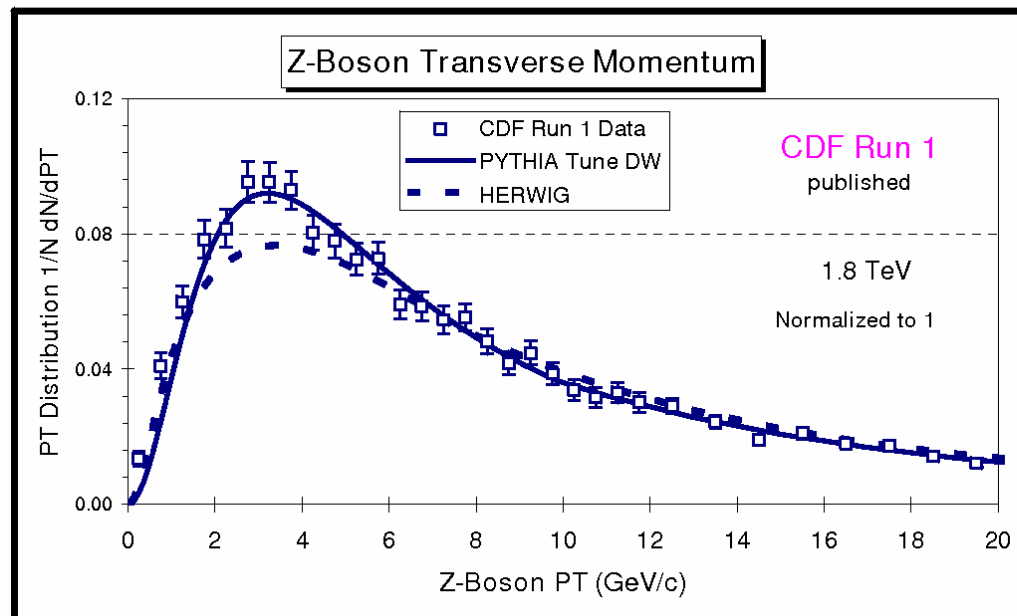
PYTHIA 6.2 CTEQ5L

UE Parameters

Parameter	Tune DW	Tune AW
MSTP(81)	1	1
MSTP(82)	4	4
PARP(82)	1.9 GeV	2.0 GeV
PARP(83)	0.5	0.5
PARP(84)	0.4	0.4
PARP(85)	1.0	0.9
PARP(86)	1.0	0.95
PARP(89)	1.8 TeV	1.8 TeV
PARP(90)	0.25	0.25
PARP(62)	1.25	1.25
PARP(64)	0.2	0.2
PARP(67)	2.5	4.0
MSTP(91)	1	1
PARP(91)	2.1	2.1
PARP(93)	15.0	15.0

ISR Parameters

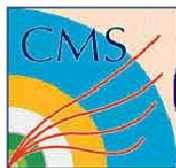
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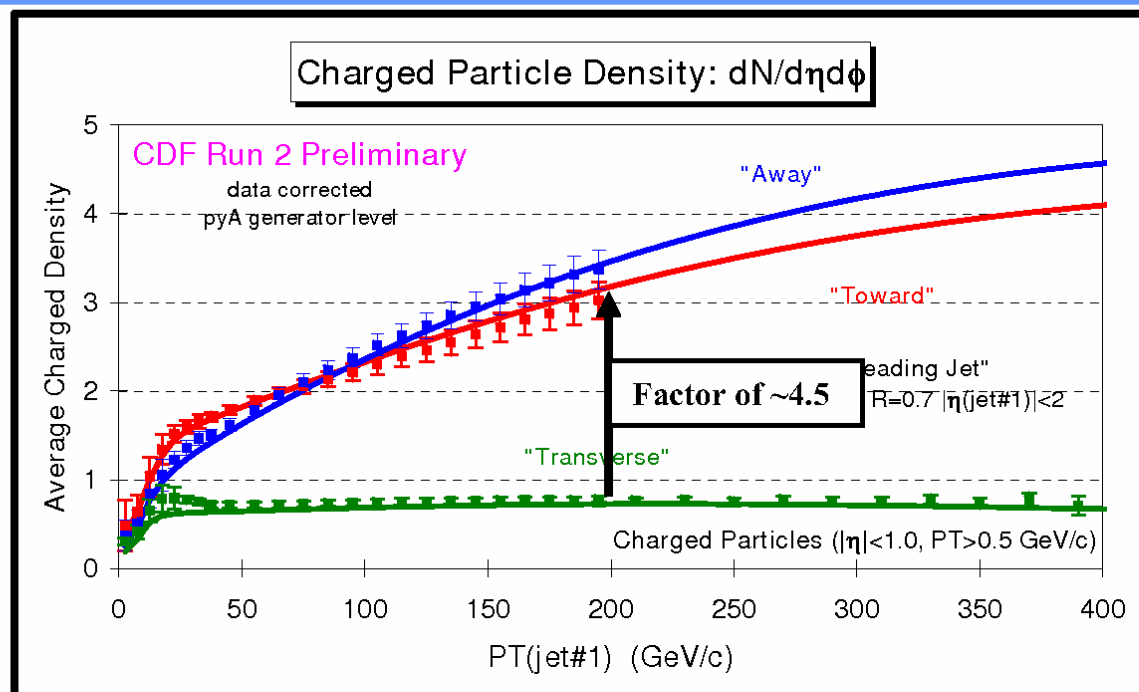
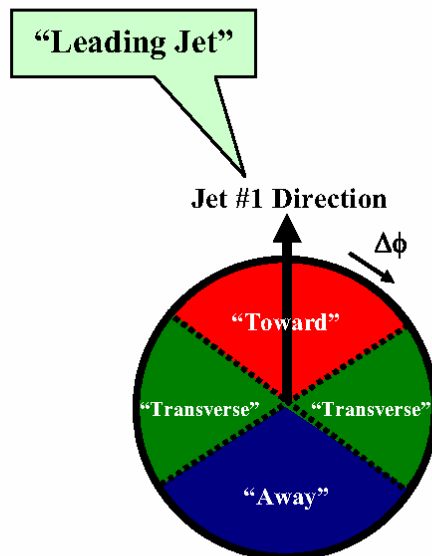
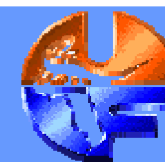
➔ Shows the Run 1 Z-boson p_T distribution ($\langle p_T(Z) \rangle \approx 11.5$ GeV/c) compared with **PYTHIA Tune DW**, and **HERWIG**.

Tune DW uses D0's preferred value of PARP(67)!

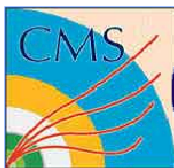
Tune DW has a lower value of PARP(67) and slightly more MPI!



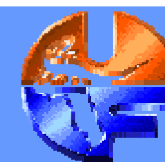
“Towards”, “Away”, “Transverse”



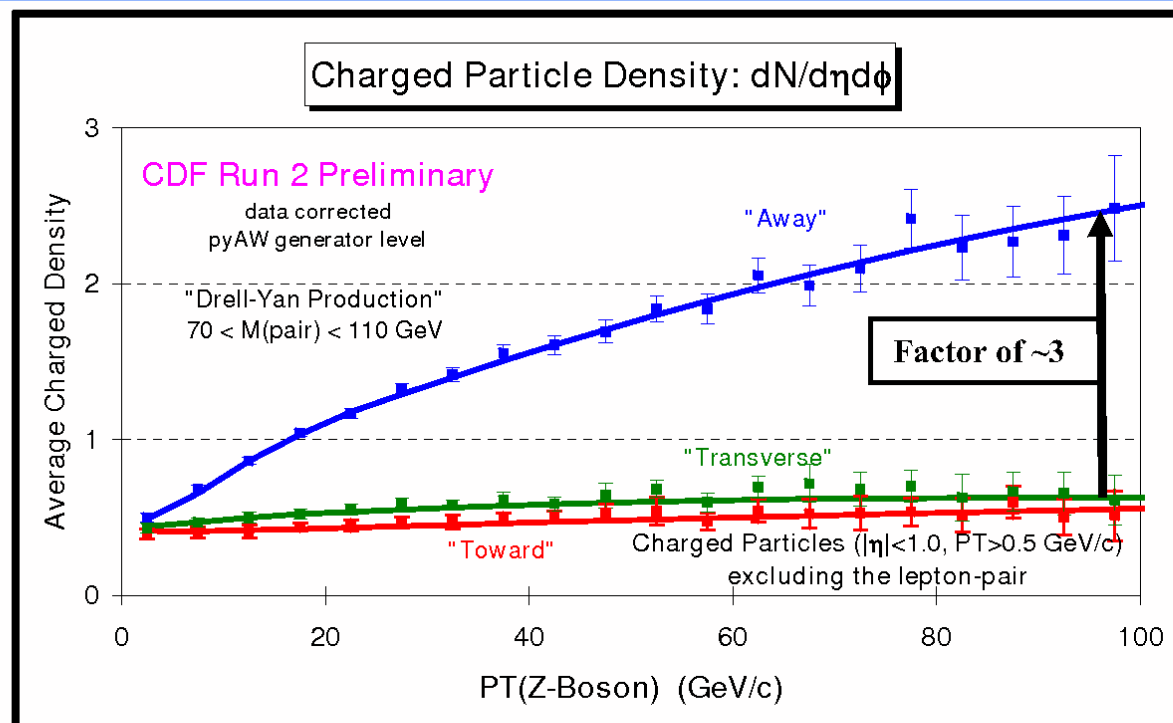
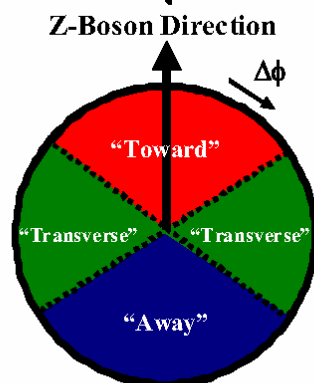
- ➔ Data at 1.96 TeV on the density of charged particles, $dN/d\eta d\phi$, with $p_T > 0.5$ GeV/c and $|\eta| < 1$ for “leading jet” events as a function of the leading jet p_T for the “toward”, “away”, and “transverse” regions. The data are corrected to the particle level (with errors that include both the statistical error and the systematic uncertainty) and are compared with PYTHIA Tune A at the particle level (i.e. generator level).



“Towards”, “Away”, “Transverse”

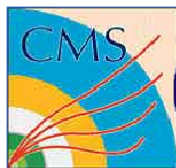


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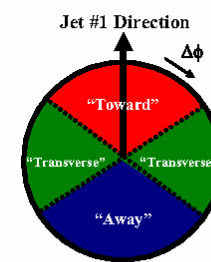
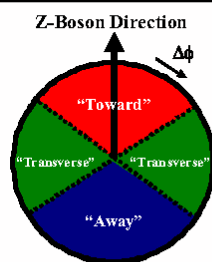
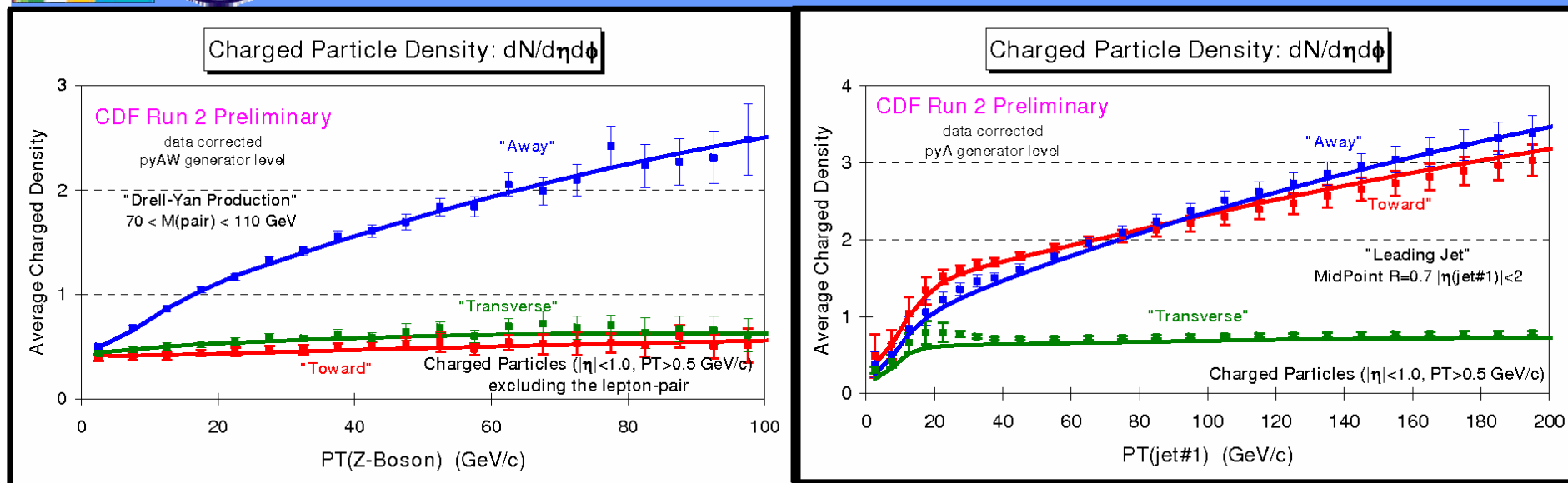
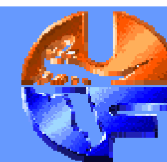


- ➔ Data at 1.96 TeV on the density of charged particles, $dN/d\eta d\phi$, with $p_T > 0.5 \text{ GeV}/c$ and $|\eta| < 1$ for “Z-Boson” events as a function of the leading jet p_T for the “toward”, “away”, and “transverse” regions. The data are corrected to the particle level (with errors that include both the statistical error and the systematic uncertainty) and are compared with PYTHIA Tune AW at the particle level (i.e. generator level).

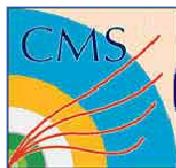
Deepak Kar's Thesis



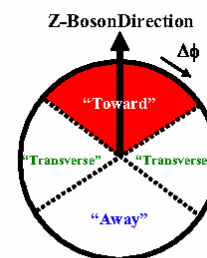
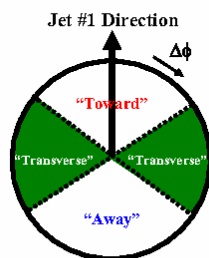
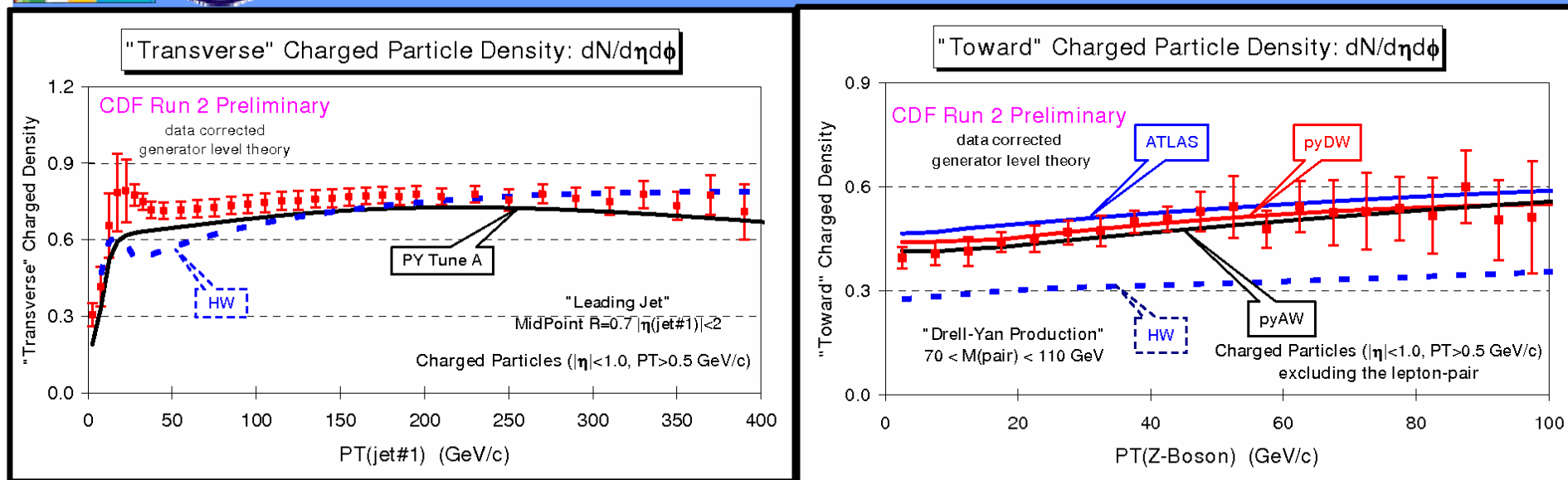
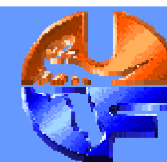
“Charged Particle Density”



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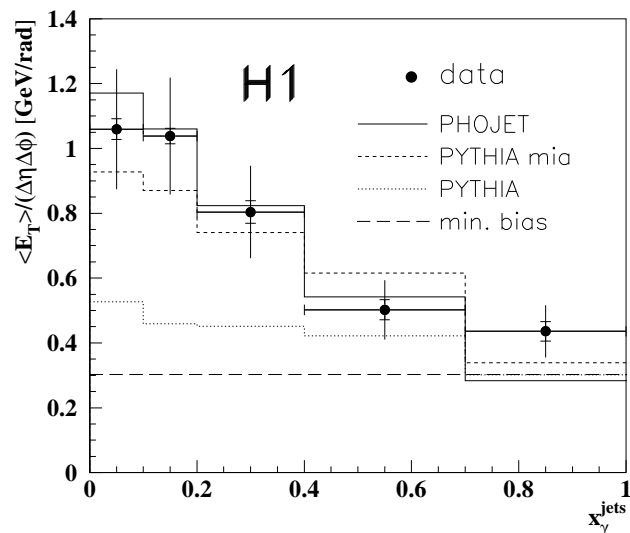
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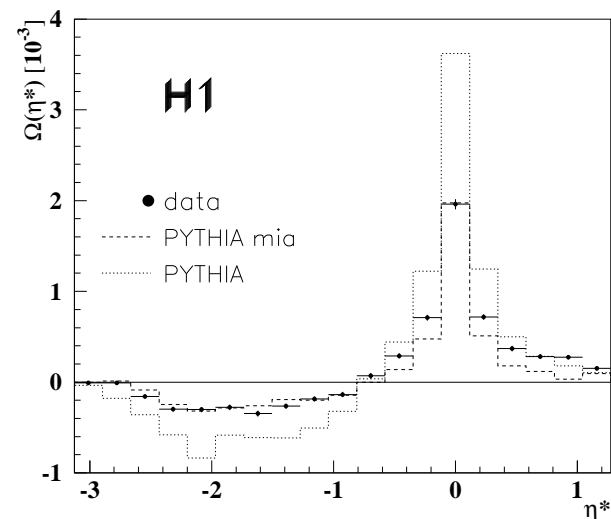
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Multiple interactions also preferred by HERA photoproduction data:

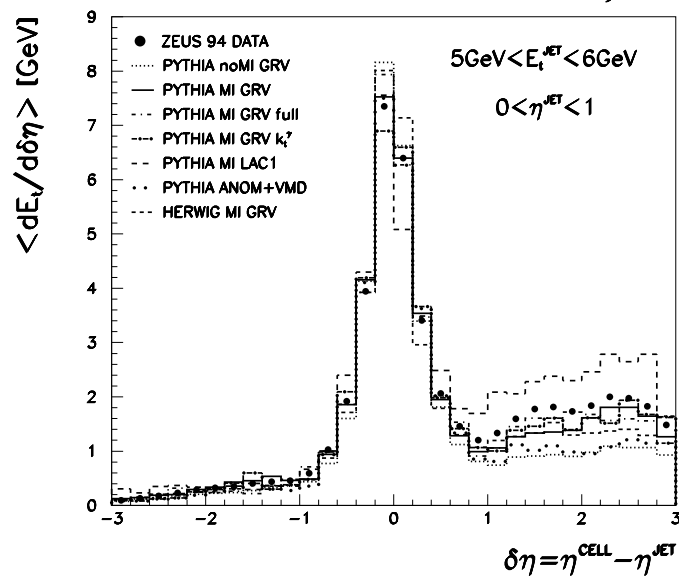
underlying activity in
photoproduction vs. DIS



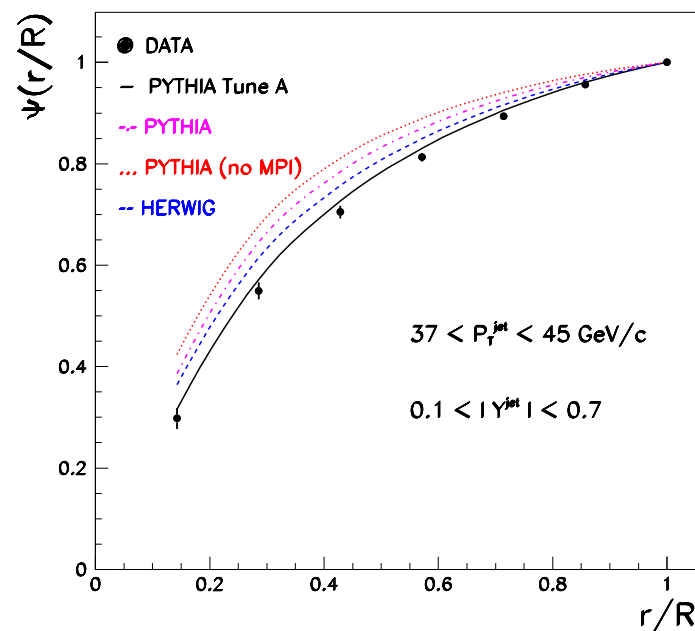
(anti)correlations in
energy flow around jet



ZEUS 1994 Preliminary

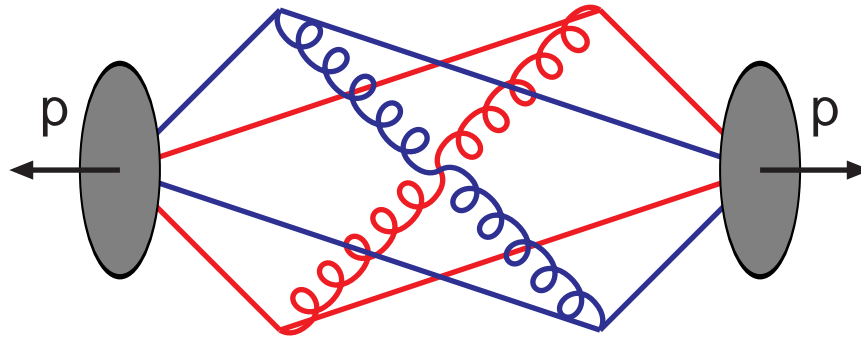


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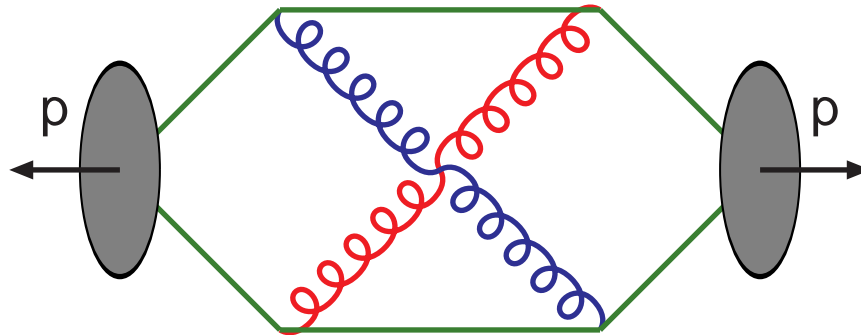


Colour correlations

$\langle p_{\perp} \rangle(n_{ch})$ is very sensitive to colour flow



long strings to remnants \Rightarrow much $n_{ch}/\text{interaction} \Rightarrow \langle p_{\perp} \rangle(n_{ch}) \sim \text{flat}$



short strings (more central) \Rightarrow less $n_{ch}/\text{interaction} \Rightarrow \langle p_{\perp} \rangle(n_{ch})$ rising

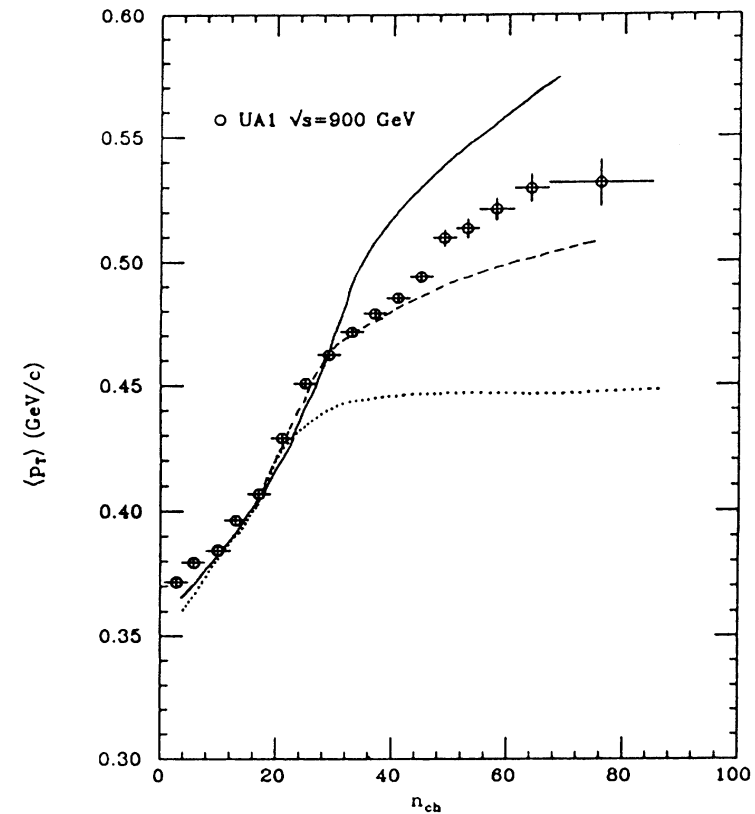
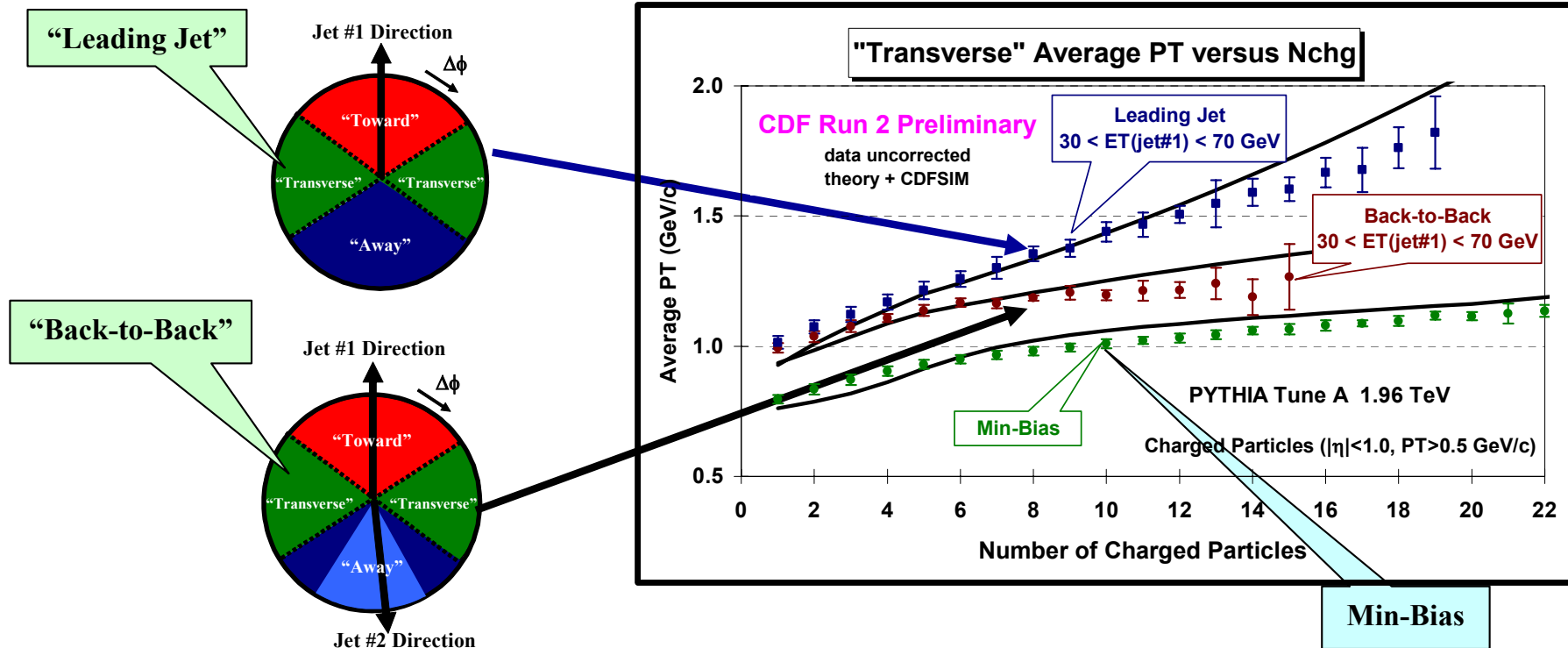


FIG. 27. Average transverse momentum of charged particles in $|\eta| < 2.5$ as a function of the multiplicity. UA1 data points (Ref. 49) at 900 GeV compared with the model for different assumptions about the nature of the subsequent (nonhardest) interactions. Dashed line, assuming $q\bar{q}$ scatterings only; dotted line, gg scatterings with “maximal” string length; solid line gg scatterings with “minimal” string length.



“Transverse” $\langle p_T \rangle$ versus “Transverse” N_{chg}



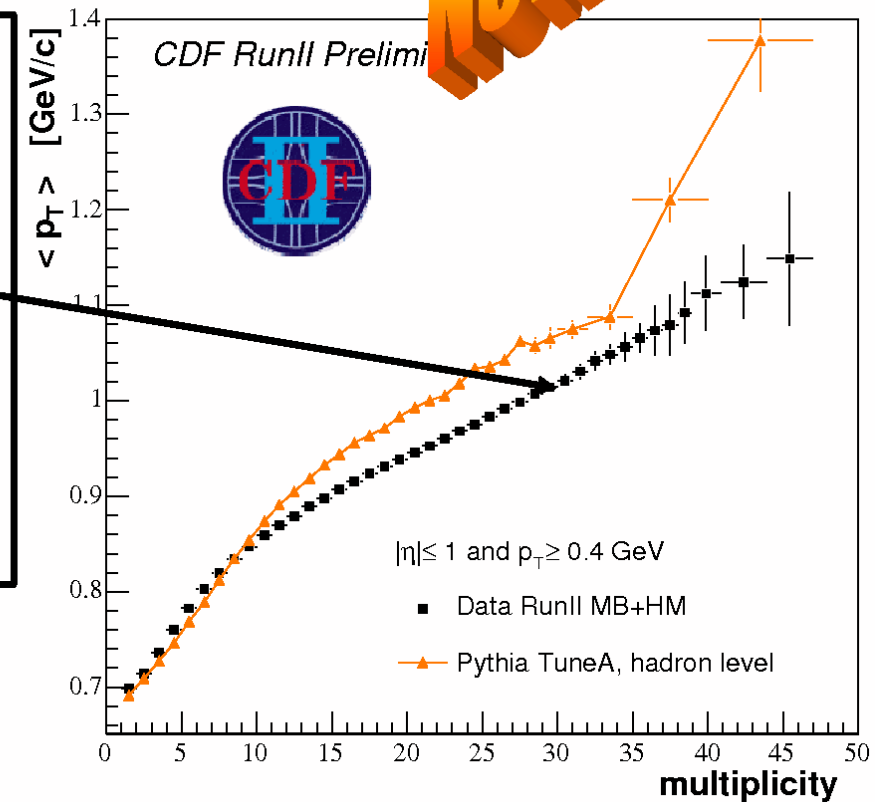
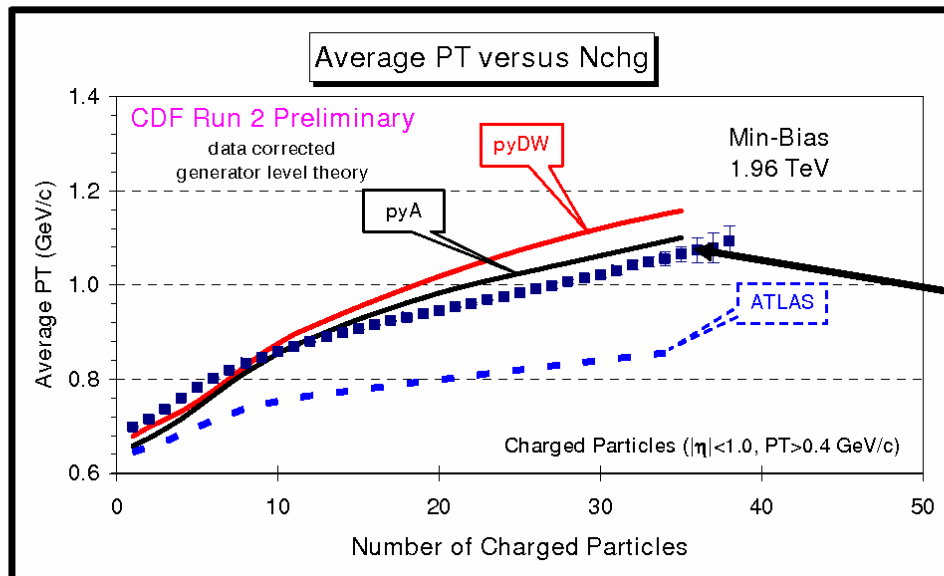
- ➔ Look at the $\langle p_T \rangle$ of particles in the “transverse” region ($p_T > 0.5$ GeV/c, $|\eta| < 1$) versus the number of particles in the “transverse” region: $\langle p_T \rangle$ vs N_{chg} .
- ➔ Shows $\langle p_T \rangle$ versus N_{chg} in the “transverse” region ($p_T > 0.5$ GeV/c, $|\eta| < 1$) for “Leading Jet” and “Back-to-Back” events with $30 < E_T(\text{jet\#1}) < 70$ GeV compared with “min-bias” collisions.



Min-Bias Correlations



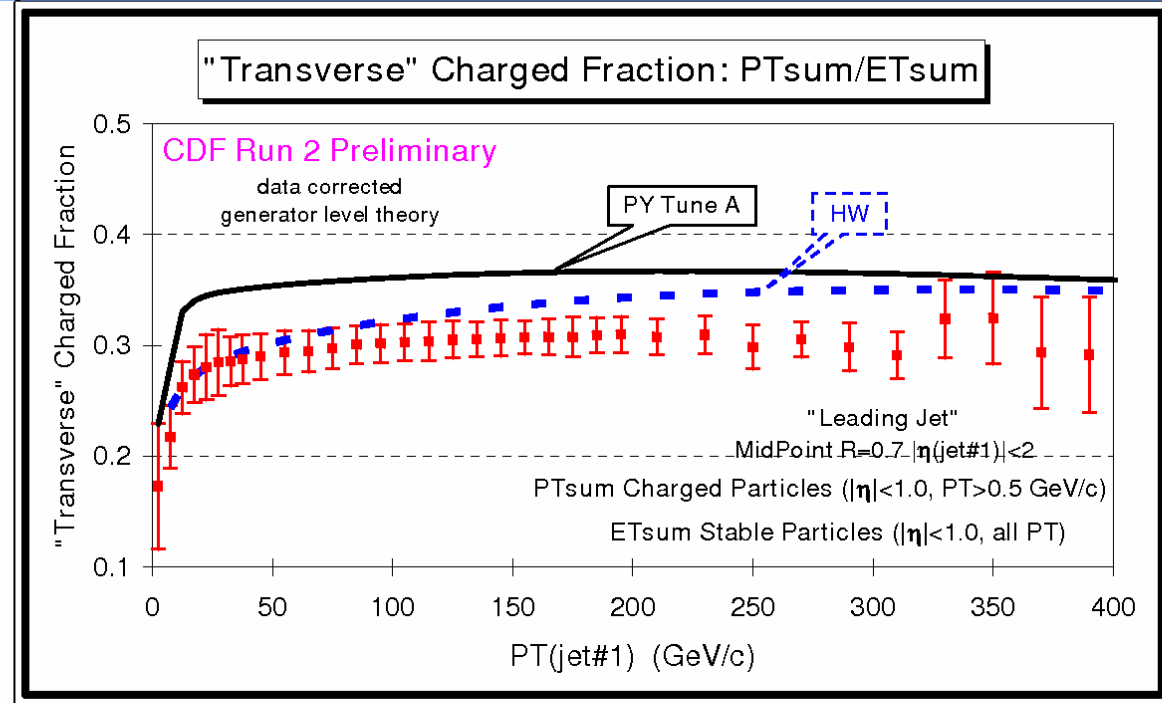
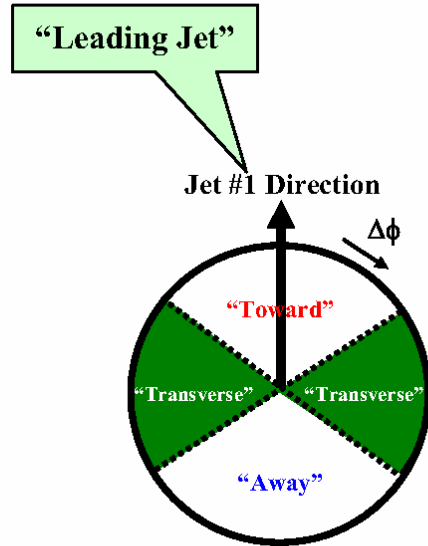
New



- ➔ Data at 1.96 TeV on the **average p_T of charged particles versus the number of charged particles** ($p_T > 0.4$ GeV/c, $|\eta| < 1$) for “min-bias” collisions at CDF Run 2. The data are corrected to the particle level and are compared with PYTHIA Tune A at the particle level (*i.e.* generator level).



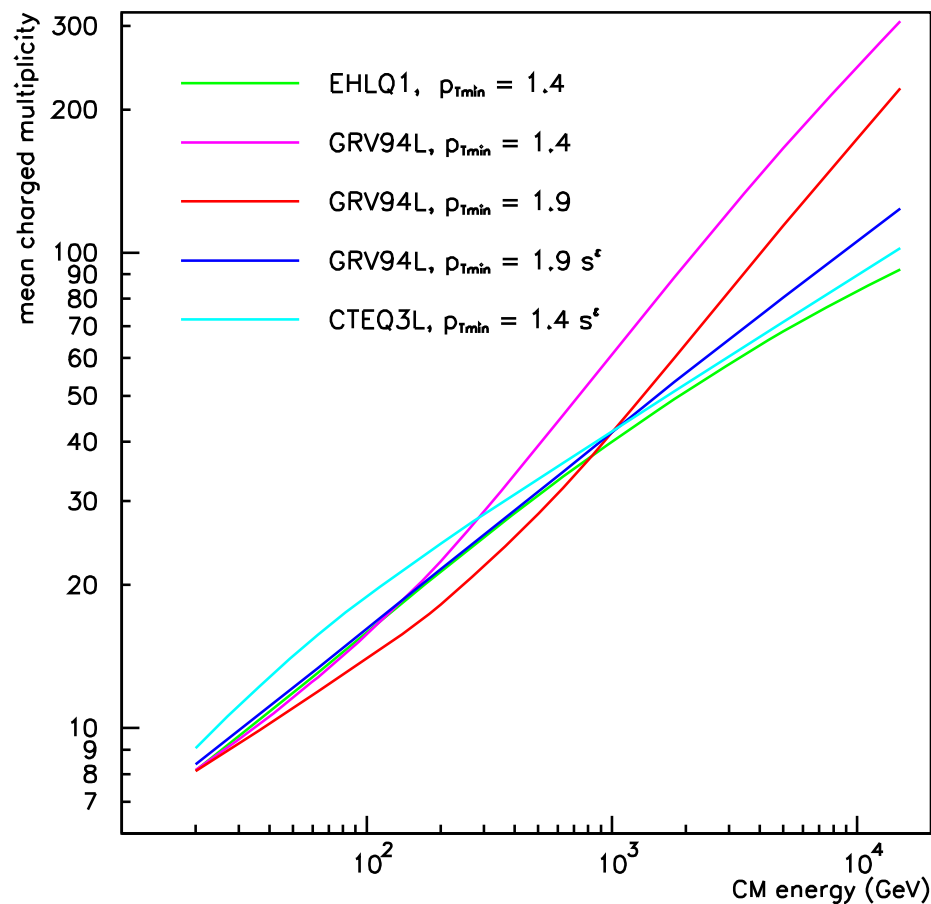
The “Transverse” Region



- ➔ Data at 1.96 TeV on the charged fraction, PT_{sum}/ET_{sum} , for PT_{sum} ($p_T > 0.5 \text{ GeV/c}$, $|\eta| < 1$) and ET_{sum} (all p_T , $|\eta| < 1$) for “leading jet” events as a function of the leading jet p_T for the “**transverse**” region. The data are corrected to the particle level (with errors that include both the statistical error and the systematic uncertainty) and are compared with PYTHIA Tune A and HERWIG (without MPI) at the particle level (i.e. generator level).

Extrapolation to LHC

Energy dependence of $p_{\perp \min}$ and $p_{\perp 0}$:



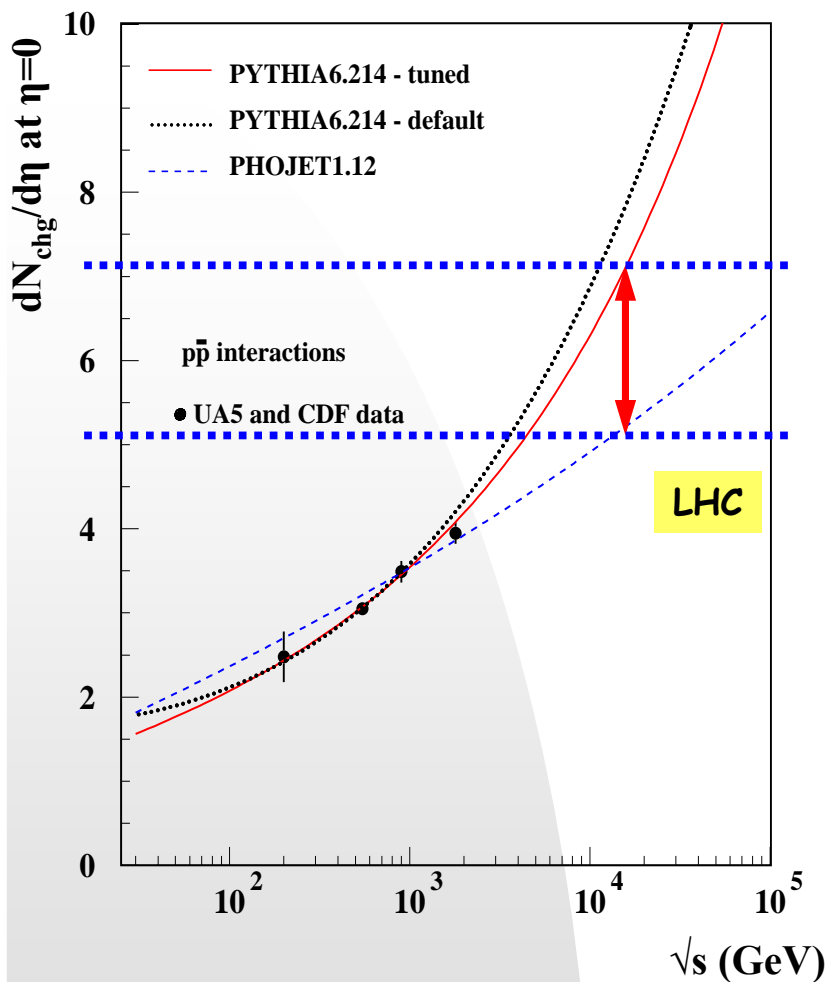
Larger collision energy
 \Rightarrow probe parton (\approx gluon)
 density at smaller x
 \Rightarrow smaller colour
 screening length d
 \Rightarrow larger $p_{\perp \min}$ or $p_{\perp 0}$

Post-HERA PDF fits
 steeper at small x
 \Rightarrow stronger energy
 dependence

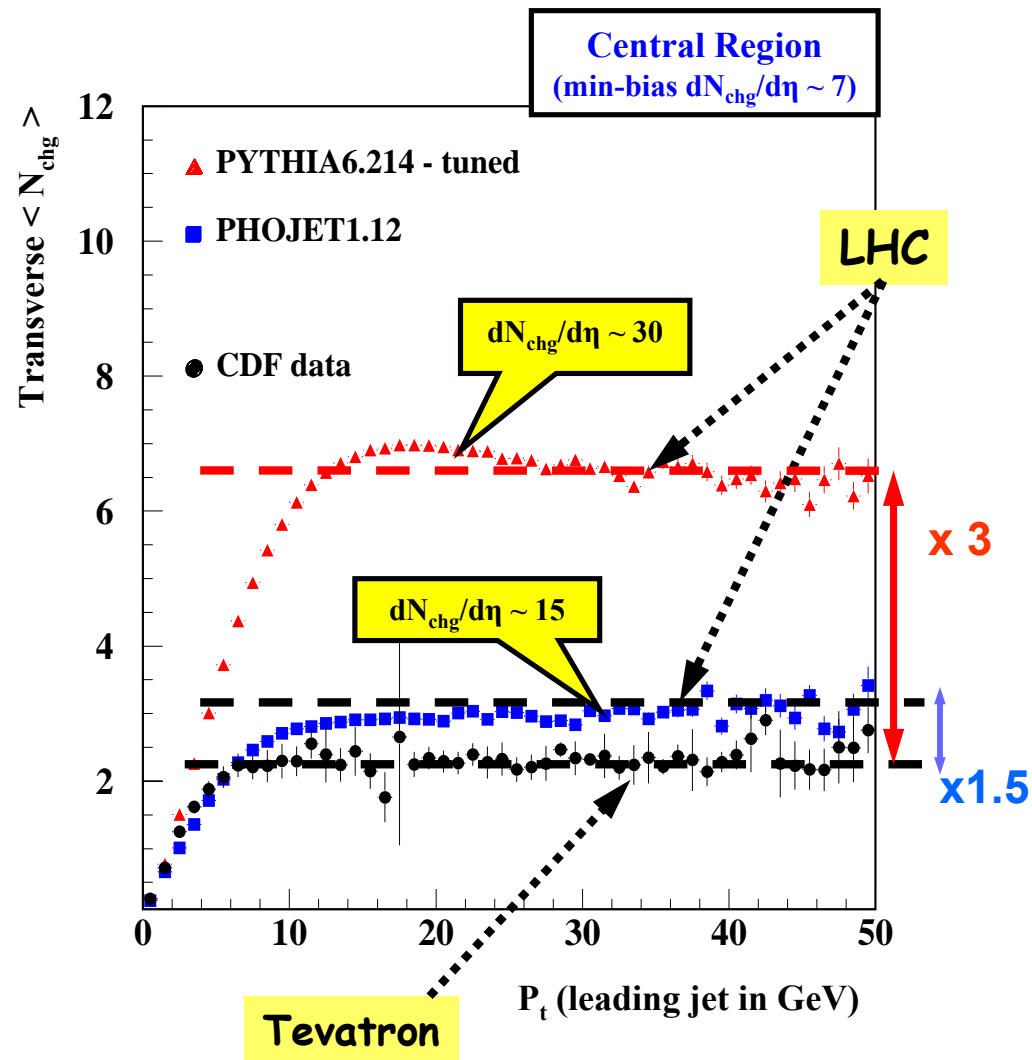
Current PYTHIA 8 default, tied to CTEQ 5L, is

$$p_{\perp 0}(s) = 2.15 \text{ GeV} \left(\frac{s}{(1.8 \text{ TeV})^2} \right)^{0.08}$$

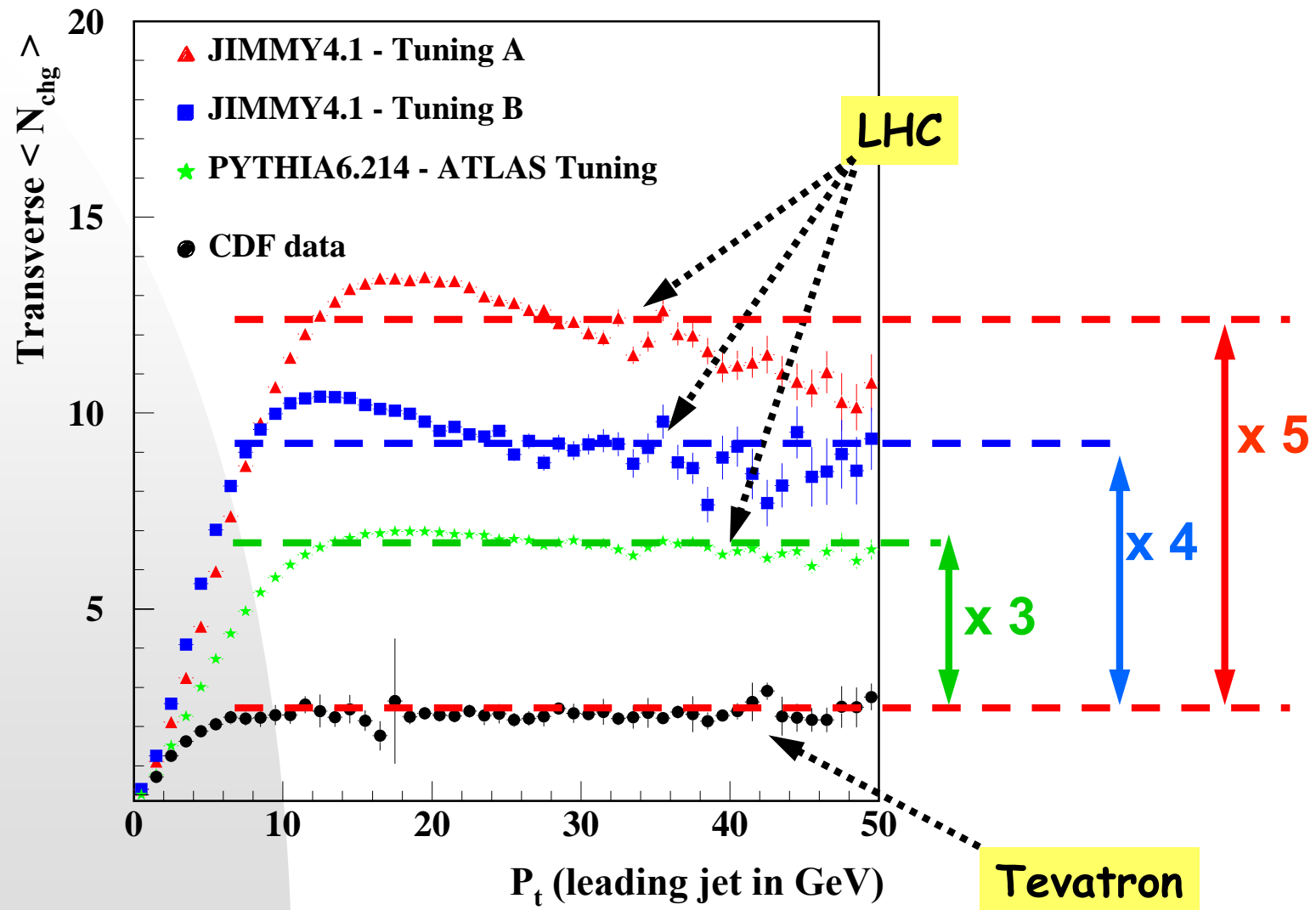
LHC predictions: pp collisions at $\sqrt{s} = 14$ TeV



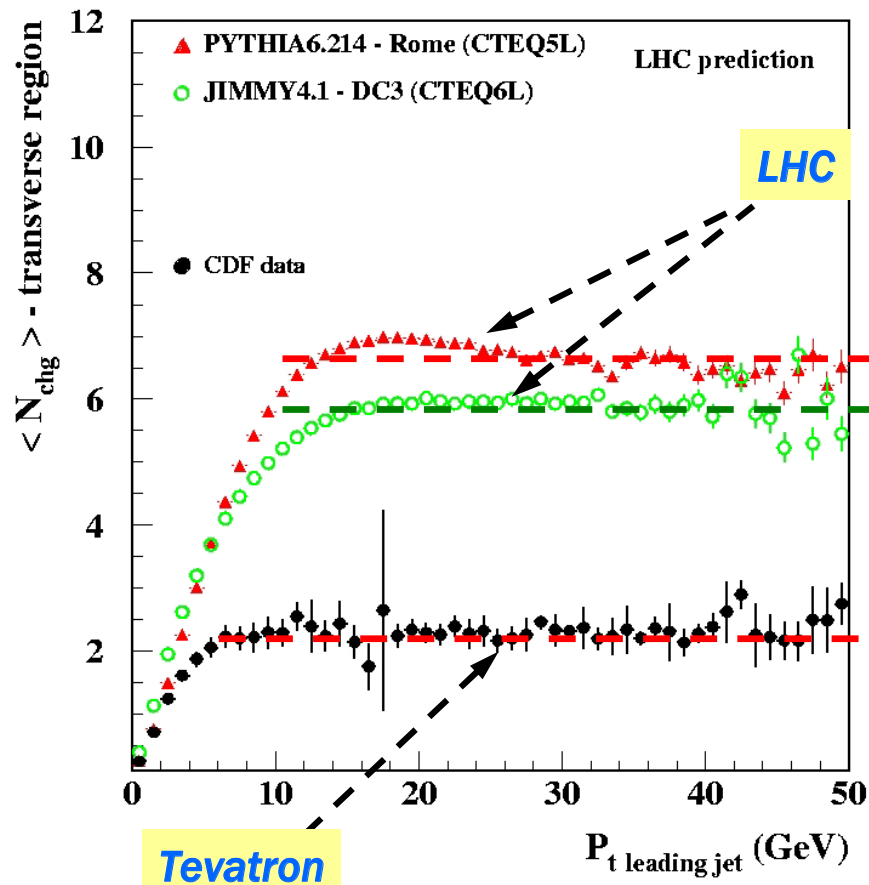
- **PYTHIA** models favour $\ln^2(s)$;
- **PHOJET** suggests a $\ln(s)$ dependence.



LHC predictions: JIMMY4.1 Tunings A and B vs. PYTHIA6.214 – ATLAS Tuning (DC2)



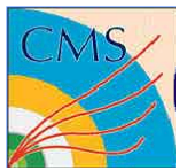
UE tunings: Pythia vs. Jimmy



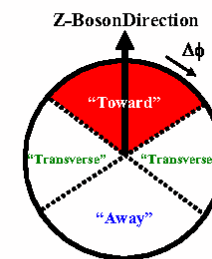
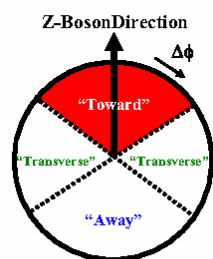
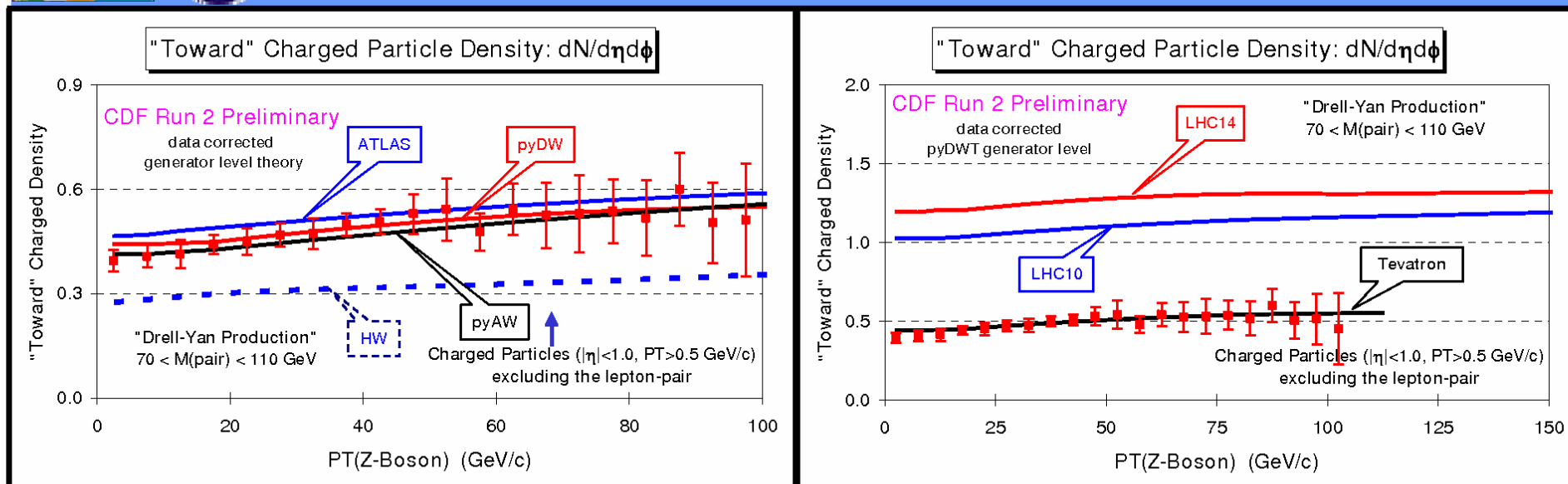
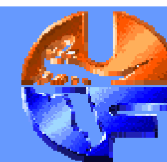
PTJIM=4.9

$$= 2.8 \times (14 / 1.8)^{0.27}$$

- energy dependent PTJIM generates UE predictions similar to the ones generated by PYTHIA6.2 – ATLAS.



Z-Boson: “Towards” Region



- ➔ Data at 1.96 TeV on the density of charged particles, $dN/d\eta d\phi$, with $p_T > 0.5 \text{ GeV/c}$ and $|\eta| < 1$ for “Z-Boson” events as a function of $P_T(\text{Z})$ for the “toward” region. The data are corrected to the particle level (with errors that include both the statistical error and the systematic uncertainty) and are compared with PYTHIA Tune AW and HERWIG (without MPI) at the particle level (i.e. generator level).

Multiple Interactions Outlook

Issues requiring further thought and study:

- Multi-parton PDF's $f_{a_1 a_2 a_3 \dots}(x_1, Q_1^2, x_2, Q_2^2, x_3, Q_3^2, \dots)$
- Close-packing in initial state, especially small x
- Impact-parameter picture and (x, b) correlations
e.g. large- x partons more central!, valence quarks more central?
- Details of colour-screening mechanism
- Rescattering: one parton scattering several times
- Intertwining: one parton splits in two that scatter separately
- Colour sharing: two FS–IS dipoles become one FS–FS one
- Colour reconnection: required for $\langle p_{\perp} \rangle (n_{\text{charged}})$
- Collective effects (e.g. QGP, cf. Hadronization above)
- Relation to diffraction: eikonalization, multi-gap topologies, ...

Action items:

- Vigorous experimental program at LHC
- Study energy dependence: RHIC (pp) \rightarrow Tevatron \rightarrow LHC
- Develop new frameworks and refine existing ones

Much work ahead!

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Welcome to the first International Workshop on Multiple Partonic Interactions at the LHC "1st MPI@LHC".

The objective of this first workshop on Multiple Partonic Interactions (MPI) at the LHC is to raise the profile of MPI studies, summarizing the legacy from the older phenomenology at hadronic colliders and favouring further specific contacts between the theory and experimental communities. The MPI are experiencing a growing popularity and are currently widely invoked to account for observations that would not be explained otherwise: the activity of the Underlying Event, the cross sections for multiple heavy flavour production, the survival probability of large rapidity gaps in hard diffraction, etc. At the same time, the implementation of the MPI effects in the Monte Carlo models is quickly proceeding through an increasing level of sophistication and complexity that in perspective achieves deep general implications for the LHC physics. The ultimate ambition of this workshop is to promote the MPI as unification concept between seemingly heterogeneous research lines and to profit of the complete experimental picture in order to constrain their implementation in the models, evaluating the spin offs on the LHC physics program.



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