



# Lund and Cambridge multiplicity for precision physics

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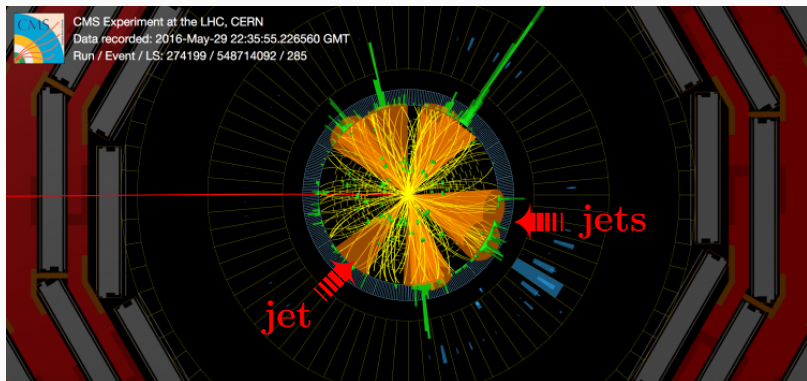
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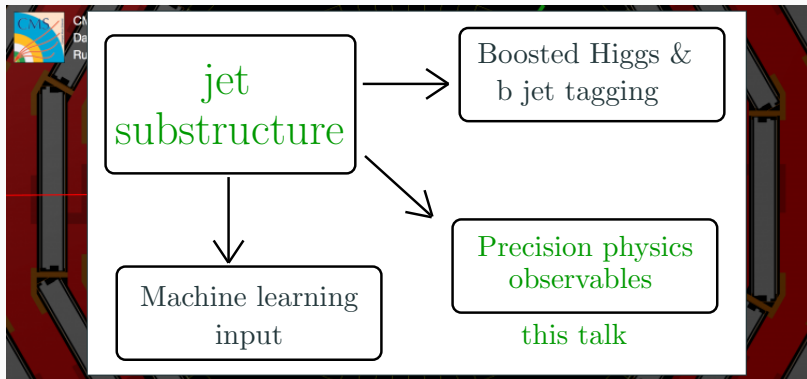
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# Context

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1. Lund multiplicity

A new way of counting jets

2. Predicting the average multiplicity

New advance in high-resolution regime

3. Phenomenology at LEP and the LHC

Uncertainties below 5%

# Lund multiplicity

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# Lund multiplicity algorithm

Is a new way of evaluating the multiplicity at colliders.

1. Begin with an anti- $k_t$  jet (LHC), an event hemisphere ( $e^+e^-$ ), any object.
2. Choose a *resolution parameter*  $k_{t,\text{cut}}$
3. Re-cluster the object with Cambridge/Aachen
4. Traverse back through the clustering tree and count the number of declusterings with  $k_t > k_{t,\text{cut}}$ , adding +1 for the initial jet.\*

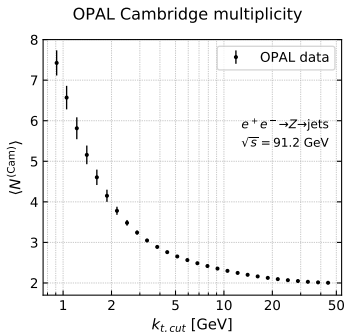
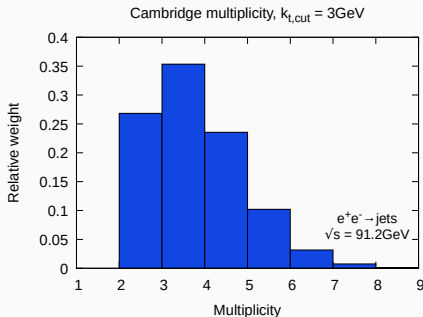
\*  $k_t = \min(E_1, E_2) \sin \theta_{12}$  for  $\ell^+\ell^-$  collider.

For  $pp$  collisions use  $k_t = \min(k_{\perp,j_1}, k_{\perp,j_2}) \Delta R_{j_1,j_2}$ .

# Lund multiplicity algorithm

Proof of concept: Both hemispheres in  $e^+e^-$  collisions at LEP

- Because of their angular-ordered nature, conventional Cambridge jet multiplicity is closely related to Lund multiplicity, so we computed both. In this talk I will focus on the former.
- Multiplicity varies from event to event. This talk is about computing the average multiplicity  $\langle N \rangle$

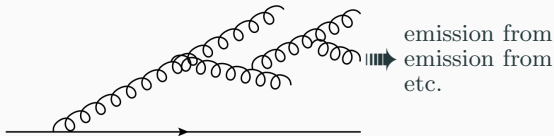


# Predicting the average Lund and Cambridge multiplicities

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# Structure of average multiplicity at low $k_{t,\text{cut}}$

- As  $k_{t,\text{cut}} \ll \sqrt{s}$ , the dominant Feynman diagrams become



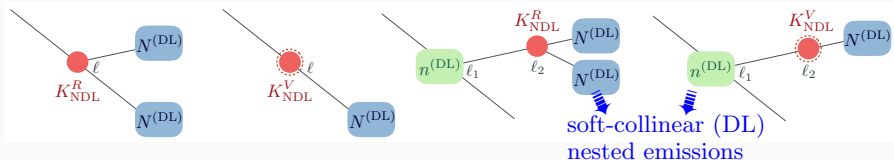
- In this limit, two large logarithms  $L = \ln(k_{t,\text{cut}}/\sqrt{s})$  appear for each emission –  $\alpha_s L^2$  for 1, or  $[\alpha_s L^2]^n$  for  $n$  emissions
- As  $\alpha_s L^2 \sim 1$ , one sums the effect of an infinite number of emissions, so-called “double-logarithmic” (DL) counting

$$\langle N(\alpha_s, L) \rangle = \langle N(\alpha_s, 0) \rangle \left[ \underbrace{\text{DL}}_{(\alpha_s L^2)^n} + \underbrace{\text{NDL}}_{\alpha_s^n L^{2n-1}} + \underbrace{\text{NNDL}}_{\alpha_s^n L^{2n-2}} + \dots \right]$$

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- We developed a novel resummation formalism which works as
  1. Enumerate the possible corrections going from  $N^k \text{DL} \rightarrow N^{k+1} \text{DL}$
  2. For each contribution, compute a fixed-order correction kernel  $K$
  3. Use  $K$  and  $N^{\leq k} \text{DL}$  to account for the effect at all orders.
- For example, going from  $\text{DL} \rightarrow \text{NDL}$ , exactly one emission in a chain of  $n$  is *not* soft-and-collinear (done in 1991)



$\Rightarrow$  With this we computed  $\langle N \rangle$  up to NNDL accuracy

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And resummed them with our developed formalism

$$2\pi h_3^{(g)} = D_{\text{end}}^{q \rightarrow qg} + (D_{\text{end}}^{g \rightarrow gg} + D_{\text{end}}^{g \rightarrow q\bar{q}}) \frac{C_F}{C_A} (\cosh \nu - 1) + D_{\text{hmc}}^{ggg} \cosh \nu \quad (4.71)$$

$$\begin{aligned} & + \frac{C_F}{C_A} \left[ (1 - c_s) D_{\text{pair}}^{q\bar{q}} (\cosh \nu - 1) + \left( K + D_{\text{pair}}^{gg} + c_s D_{\text{pair}}^{q\bar{q}} \right) \frac{\nu}{2} \sinh \nu \right] \\ & + C_F \left[ \left( \cosh \nu - 1 - \frac{1 - c_s}{4} \nu^2 \right) D_{\text{clust}}^{(\text{prim})} + (\cosh \nu - 1) D_{\text{clust}}^{(\text{sec})} \right] \\ & + \frac{C_F}{C_A} \left[ D_{\text{e-loss}}^g \frac{\nu}{2} \sinh \nu + (D_{\text{e-loss}}^g - D_{\text{e-loss}}^g) (\cosh \nu - 1) \right] \\ & + \frac{C_F}{2} \left\{ (B_{gg} + c_s B_{gq})^2 \nu^2 \cosh \nu + 8 [2c_s B_{gg} - 2c_s B_q - (1 - 3c_s^2) B_{gq}] B_{gq} \cosh \nu \right. \\ & \quad \left. + [4B_q (B_{gg} + (2c_s + 1) B_{gq}) - (B_{gg} + c_s B_{gq}) (B_{gg} + 9c_s B_{gq})] \nu \sinh \nu \right. \\ & \quad \left. + 4(1 - c_s^2) B_{gq}^2 \nu^2 + 8 [2c_s B_q - 2c_s B_{gg} + (1 - 3c_s^2) B_{gq}] B_{gq} \right\} \\ & + \frac{C_F \pi \beta_0}{C_A 2} \left\{ (B_{gg} + c_s B_{gq}) \nu^3 \sinh \nu + [2B_q - 2B_{gg} + (6 - 8c_s) B_{gq}] \nu \sinh \nu \right. \\ & \quad \left. + 2(B_q + B_{gg} + B_{gq}) \nu^2 \cosh \nu - 4(1 - c_s) B_{gq} (2 \cosh \nu - 2 + \nu^2) \right\} \\ & + \frac{C_F \pi^2 \beta_0^2}{C_A 8 C_A} [3\nu(2\nu^2 - 1) \sinh \nu + (\nu^4 + 3\nu^2) \cosh \nu] \end{aligned}$$

quark-initiated  
jets

all coefficients  
are analytic

for quarks, and

$$2\pi h_3^{(g)} = (D_{\text{end}}^{g \rightarrow gg} + D_{\text{end}}^{g \rightarrow q\bar{q}}) \cosh \nu + [D_{\text{hmc}}^{ggg} \cosh \nu + D_{\text{hmc}}^{ggq} (c_s \cosh \nu + 1 - c_s)] \quad (4.72)$$

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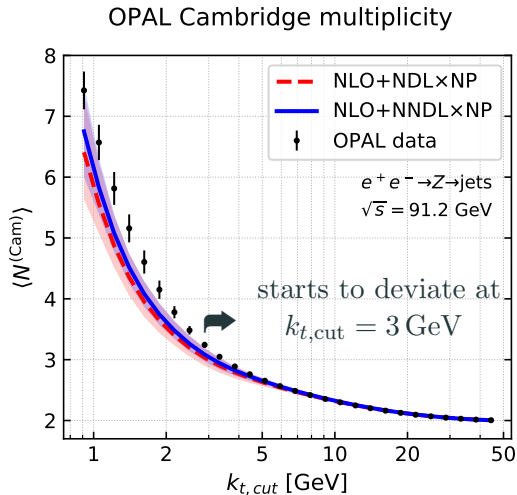
gluon-initiated  
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# Phenomenology at LEP and the LHC

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# Predictions vs LEP data

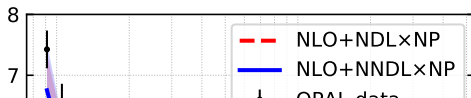
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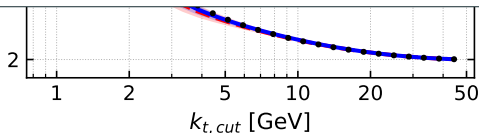
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OPAL Cambridge multiplicity



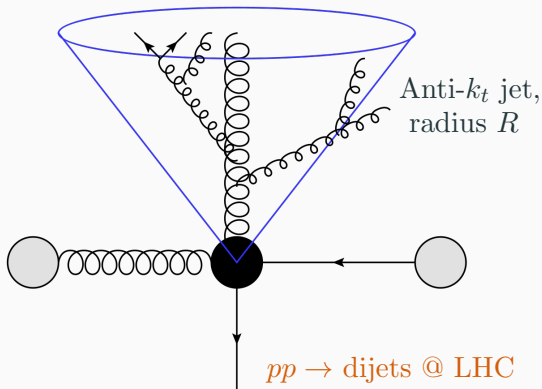
Size of statistical improvement

Uncertainty @ 3 GeV	NDL	NNDL
Perturbative	4.7%	2.8%
Non-perturbative	2.5%	



# Lund multiplicity at the LHC [Work in progress]

- Looking inside jets at the LHC: dijets and Z+jet
  - (i) Re-cluster a high- $p_t$  jet with Cambridge/Aachen
  - (ii) Traverse backwards and count the number of declusterings with  $k_t > k_{t,\text{cut}}$ , +1 for initial jet
- Currently working on predictions at NN DL accuracy



# Conclusions

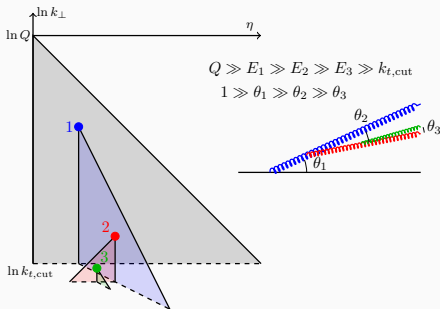
1. Lund multiplicity is a new observable for precision jet substructure measurements, applicable to LHC, FCC-ee, ...  
Valuable for  $\alpha_s$  extraction, validation of new generation of parton showers
2. We have developed a new formalism to predict the average multiplicity in collider events  
First NNDL accurate multiplicity result
3. We have produced predictions that allow for sub-5% accuracy on measurements at lepton colliders  
Current on-going effort to extend the calculation to LHC jets

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# The Lund Jet plane

Lund multiplicity gets its name from the Lund jet plane, a modern jet substructure technique:

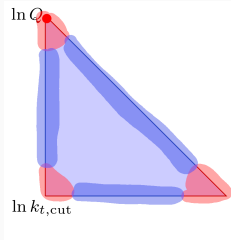
- i) Begin with a jet of interest (e.g. anti- $k_t$  jet at the LHC)
- ii) Recluster it with the Cambridge/Aachen jet algorithm
- iii) Traverse backwards through the clustering sequence and at each de-clustering record  $\{k_t, \Delta R^2, m^2, \dots\}$ . This information can be represented with a Lund diagram



# The resummation method: NDL example

- The correction kernel  $K^{R,V}$  is dependent on the kinematic region.

For NDL: blue region



- Example: hard-collinear correction

$$K^R = \frac{\alpha_s}{\pi} \int_0^1 dz \left[ P_{gg}(z) - \frac{2C_A}{z} \right] = -K^V$$

- Schematically resum by adding towers of soft-collinear emissions after ( $N^{(\text{DL})}$ ) or before ( $n^{(\text{DL})}$ ) the correction:

