

# *Perspectives on hadronic final states, from up close & far away*

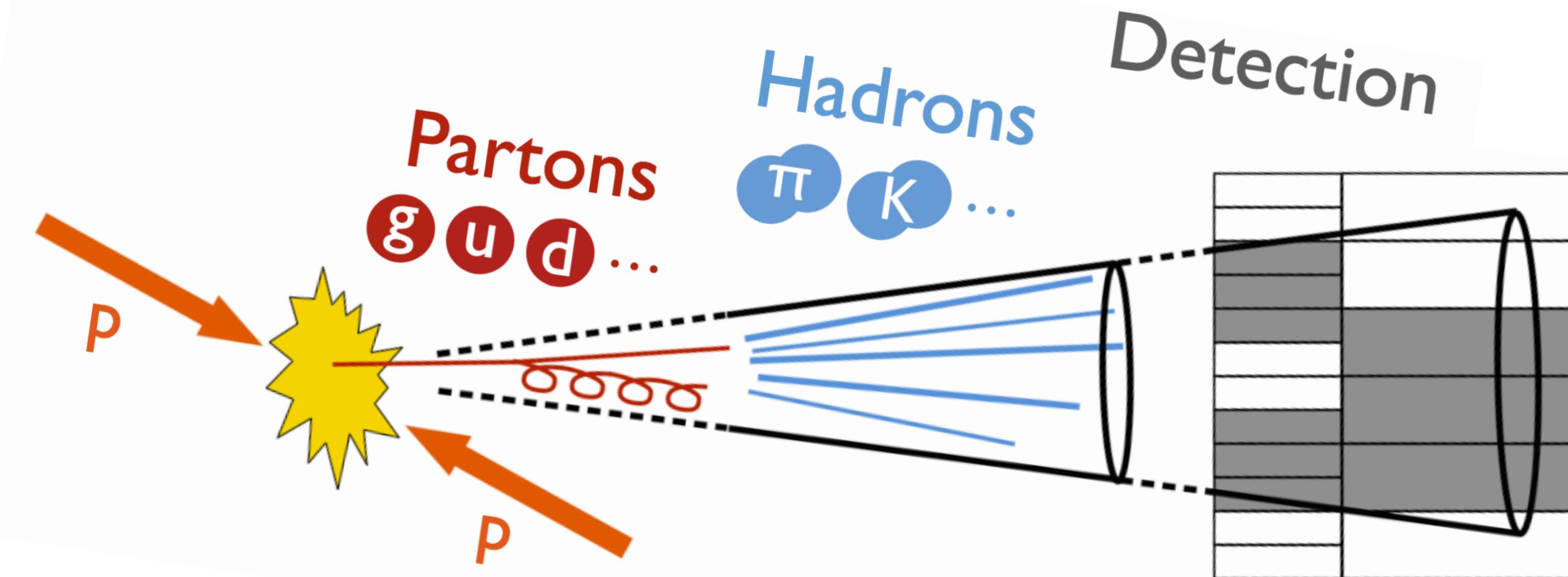
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 **ATLAS**  
EXPERIMENT

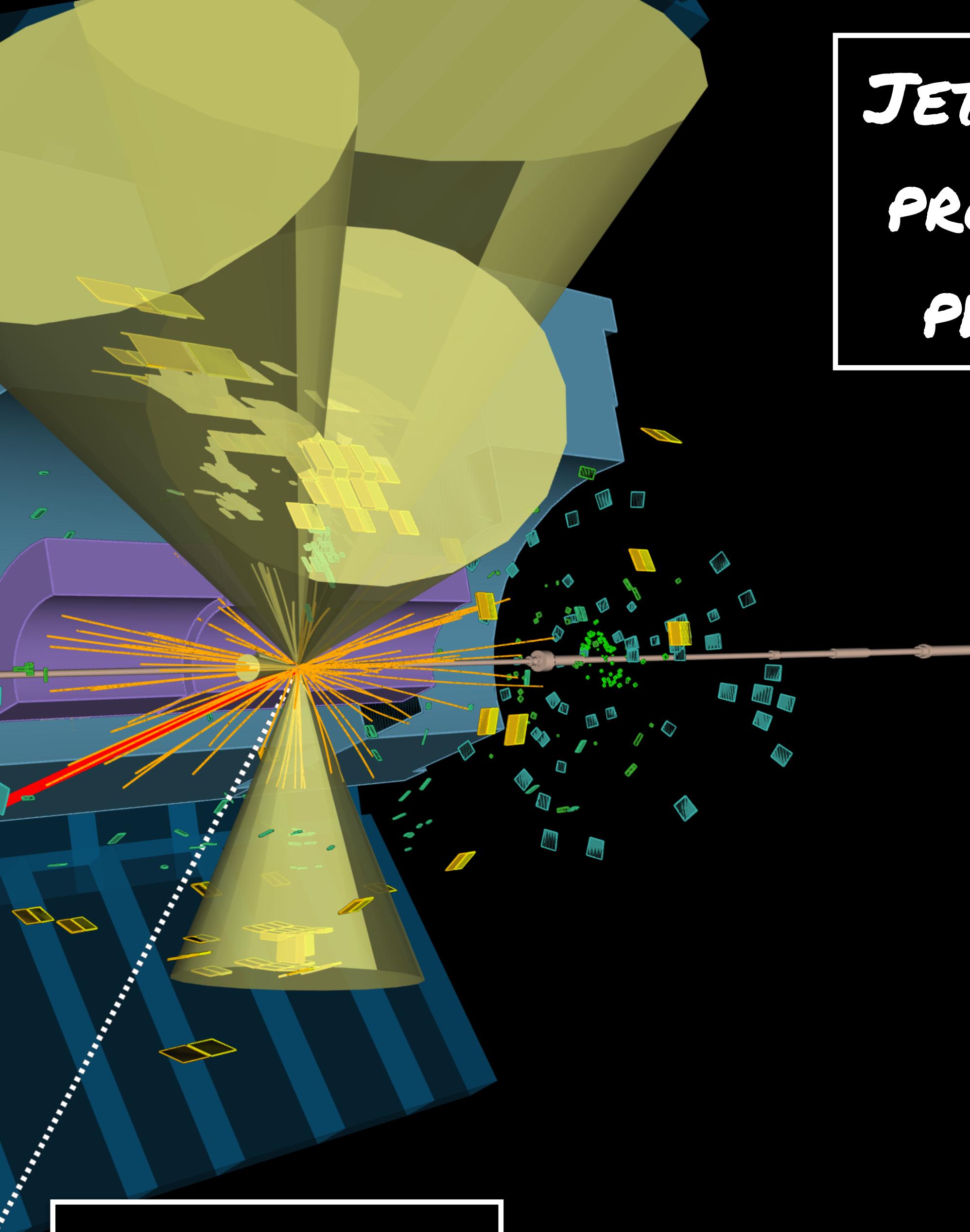
- Jets are formed when high-energy quarks and gluons are produced in LHC collisions (Proxy for parton momentum).
- *Jets are complex: composite objects w/ multiple scales, large areas.*



- *Theoretical* complexity:
  - fixed-order aspects
  - resummation-dominated aspects
  - non-perturbative aspects
- *Experimental* complexity:
  - Calorimeter signals
  - Charged-particle tracks

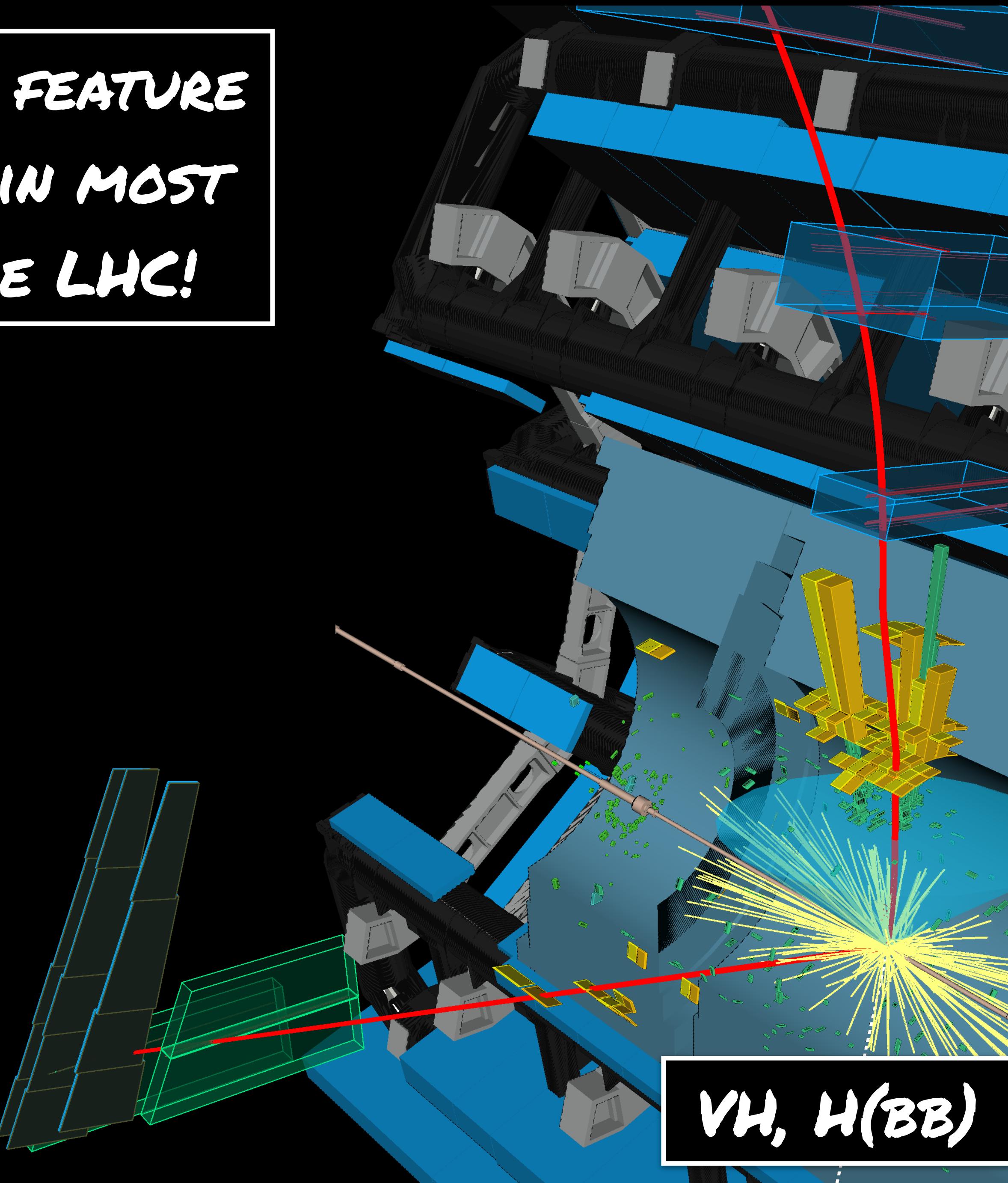
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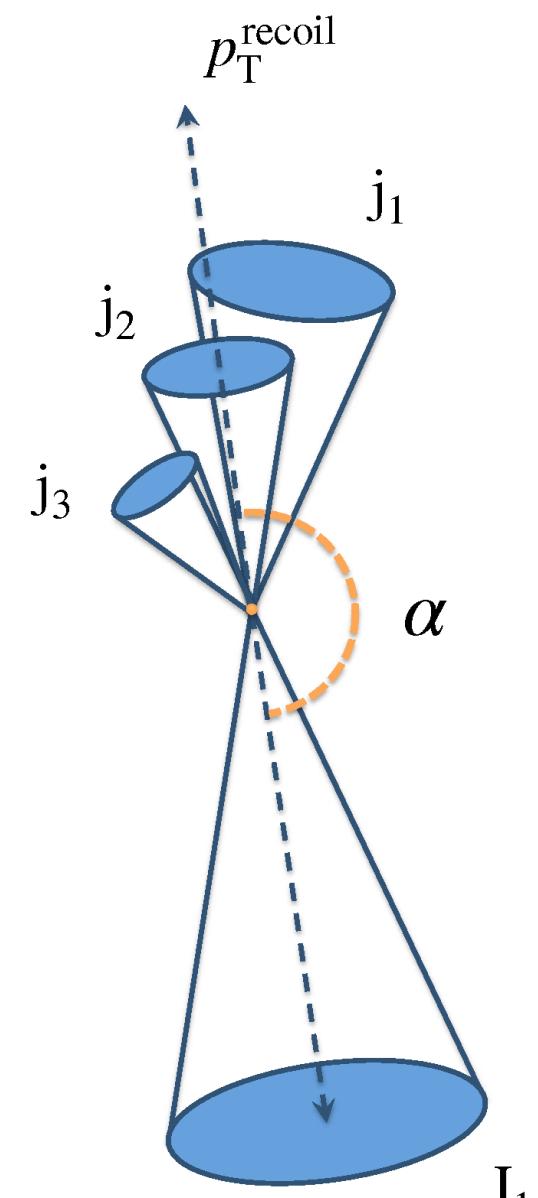
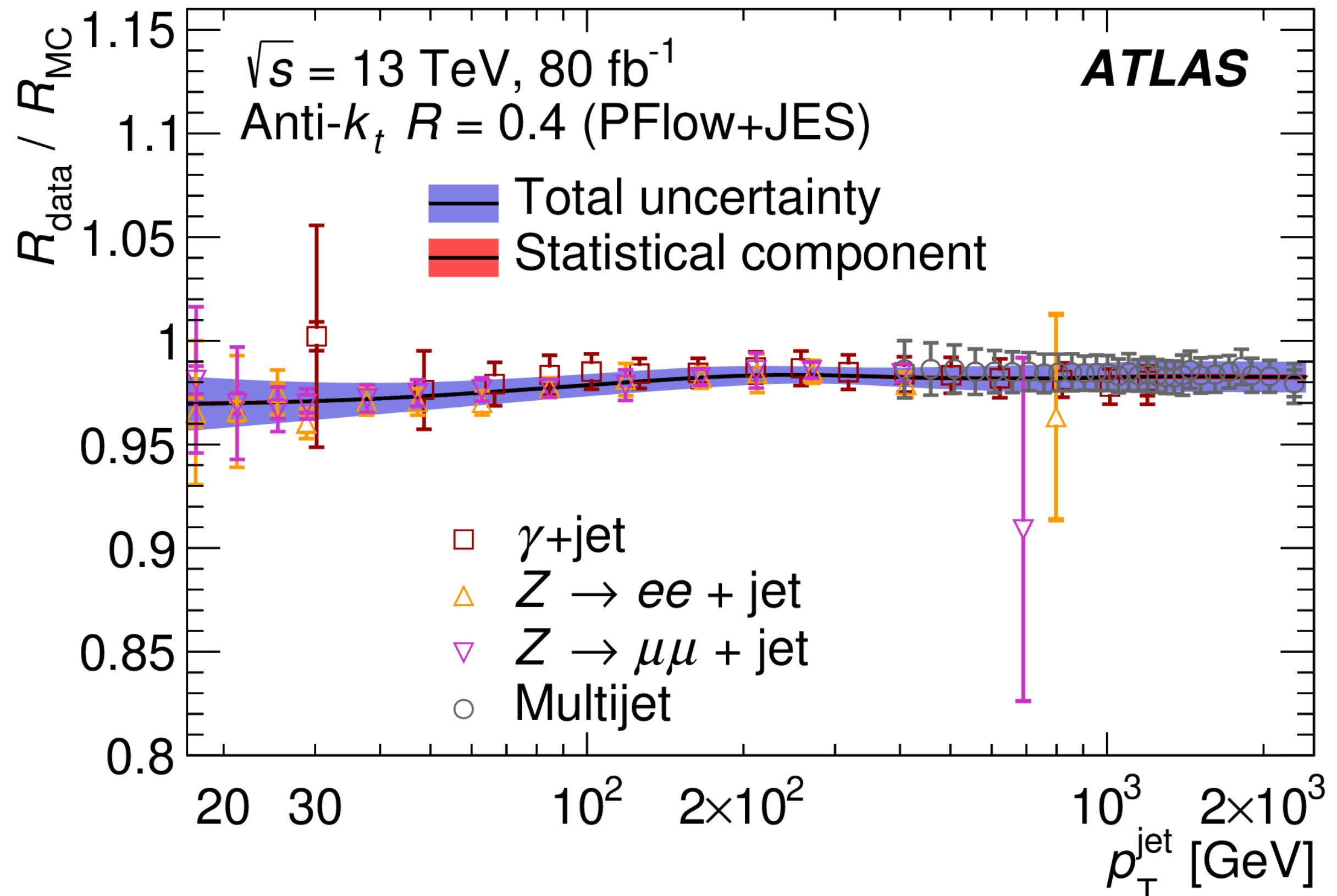
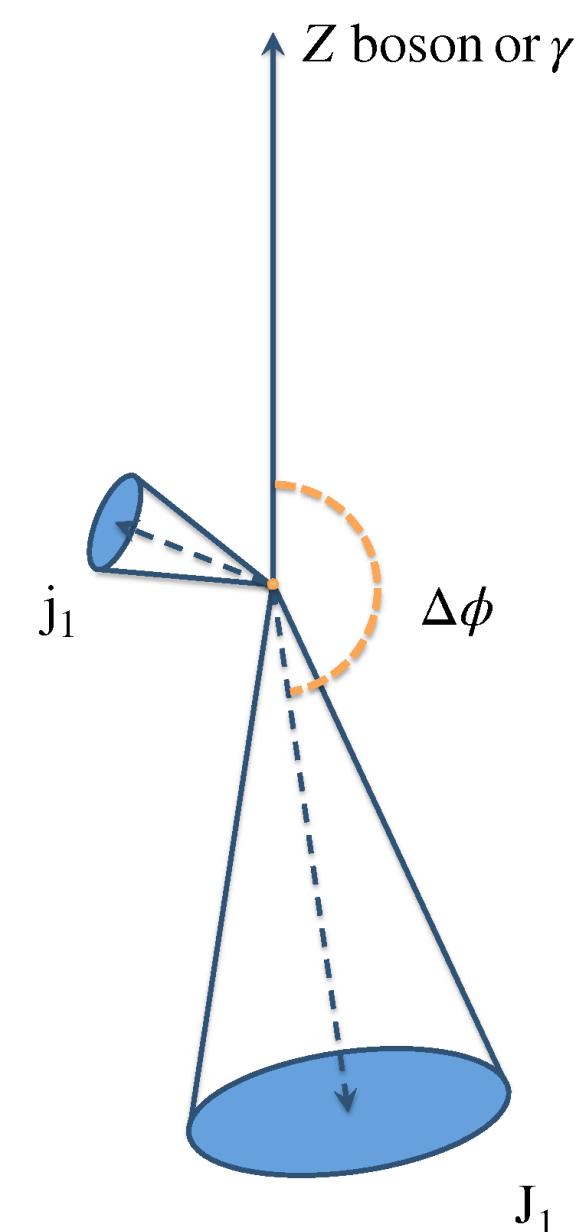
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JETS AND QCD FEATURE  
PROMINENTLY IN MOST  
PHYSICS @ THE LHC!

TOP MASS  $M_T$





- Experimentalists at the LHC **work hard to calibrate the jet energy scale (JES)** using *in situ* balance measurements.
  - Not a topic for today, but one near & dear to me: **ATLAS** has recently achieved sub-% JES precision over the widest-ever kinematic range!

**ATLAS JES**

**Run 2:** EPJC 81 (2021) 689

**Run 3 (brand new!):** 2303.17312

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$\sqrt{s} = 8 \text{ TeV}$	$m_{\ell+\text{jets}} [\text{GeV}]$
$k$	Results ( $i = 0 \dots, 5$ )
0	Statistics – Stat. comp. ( $m_{\text{top}}$ ) – Stat. comp. (JSF) – Stat. comp. (bJSF)
1	Method $0.13 \pm 0.11$
2	Signal Monte Carlo generator
3	Hadronization
4	Initial- and final-state QCD radiation
5	Underlying event
6	Colour reconnection
7	Parton distribution function
8	Background normalization
9	$W/Z+\text{jets}$ shape
10	Fake leptons shape
11	Data-driven all-jets background
12	Jet energy scale
13	Relative $b$ -to-light-jet energy scale
14	Jet energy resolution
15	Jet reconstruction efficiency
16	Jet vertex fraction
17	$b$ -tagging
18	Leptons
19	Missing transverse momentum
20	Pile-up
21	All-jets trigger
22	Fast vs. full simulation
	Total systematic uncertainty
	Total

*Modelling various aspects of QCD...*

*JES → Modelling here!*

**JMR  
modelling**

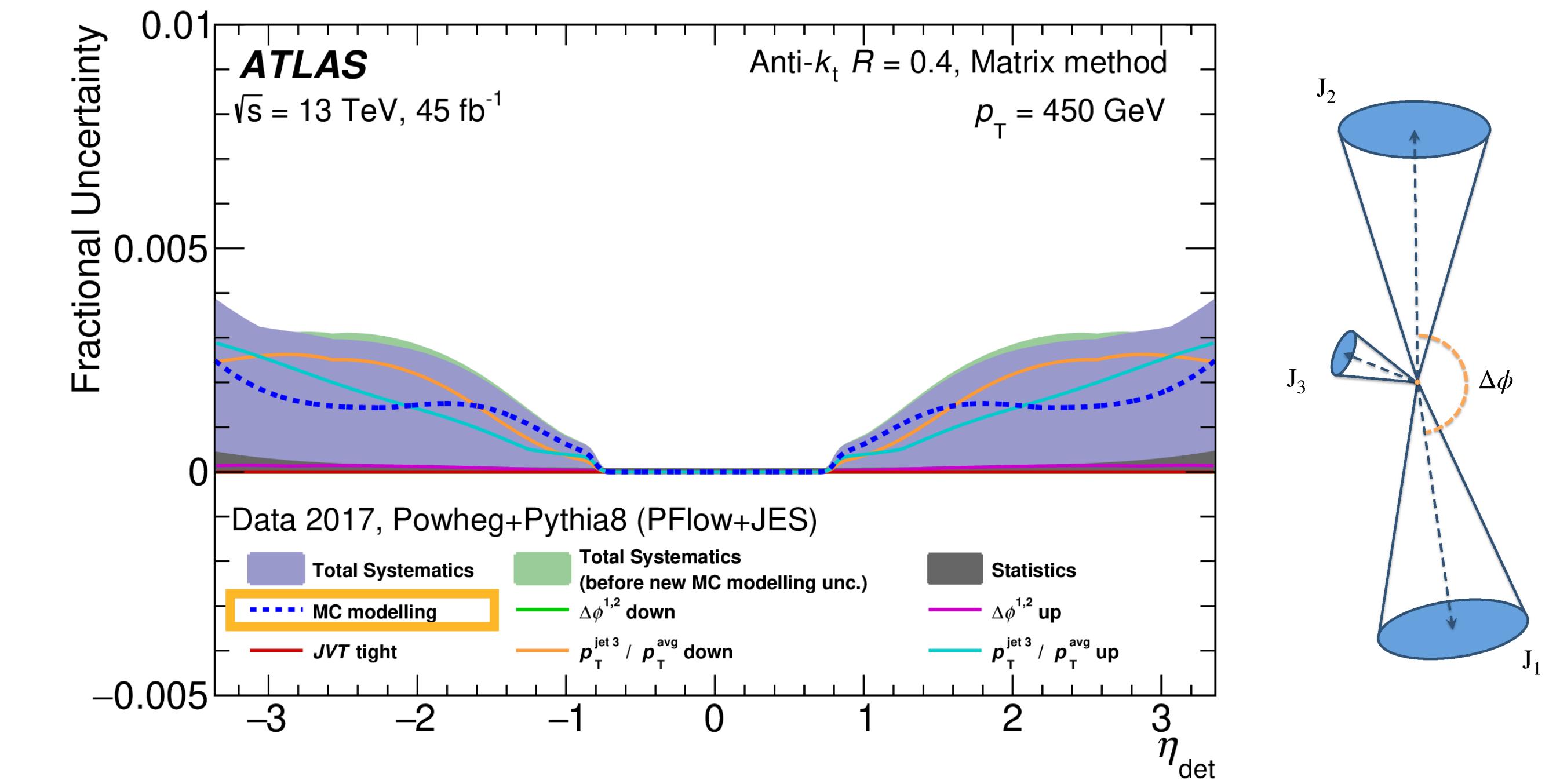
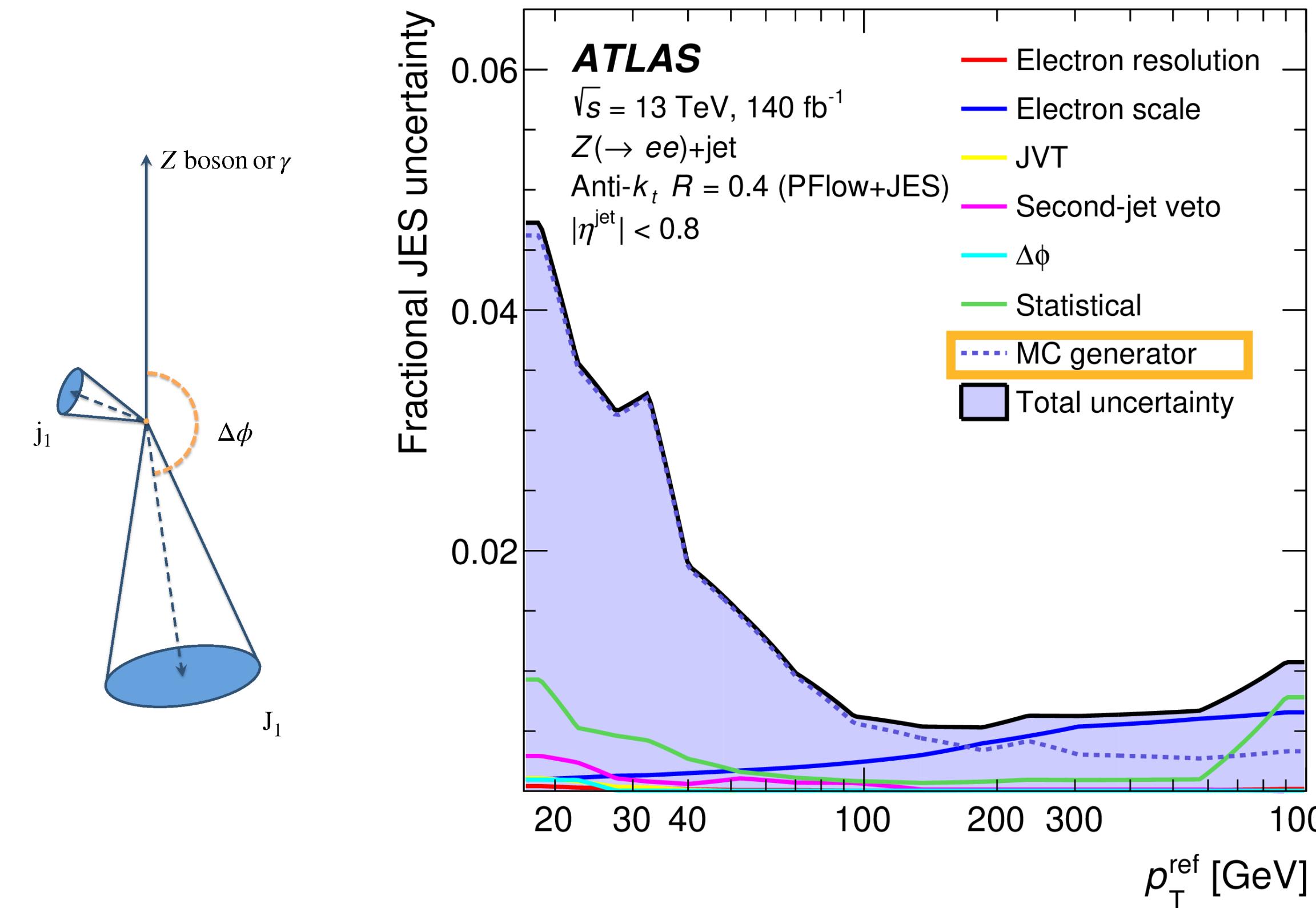
**Parton shower**

Source of uncertainty	Avg. impact
Total	0.372
Statistical	0.283
Systematic	0.240
Experimental uncertainties	
Small- $R$ jets	0.038
Large- $R$ jets	0.133
$E_T^{\text{miss}}$	0.007
Leptons	0.010
$b$ -jets	0.016
$b$ -tagging	0.011
$c$ -jets	0.008
light-flavour jets	0.004
extrapolation	0.001
Pile-up	0.013
Luminosity	
Theoretical and modelling uncertainties	
Signal	0.038
Backgrounds	0.100
→ $Z + \text{jets}$	0.048
→ $W + \text{jets}$	0.058
→ $t\bar{t}$	0.035
→ Single top quark	0.027
→ Diboson	0.032
→ Multijet	0.009
MC statistical	0.092

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# ATLAS Jet Energy Scale

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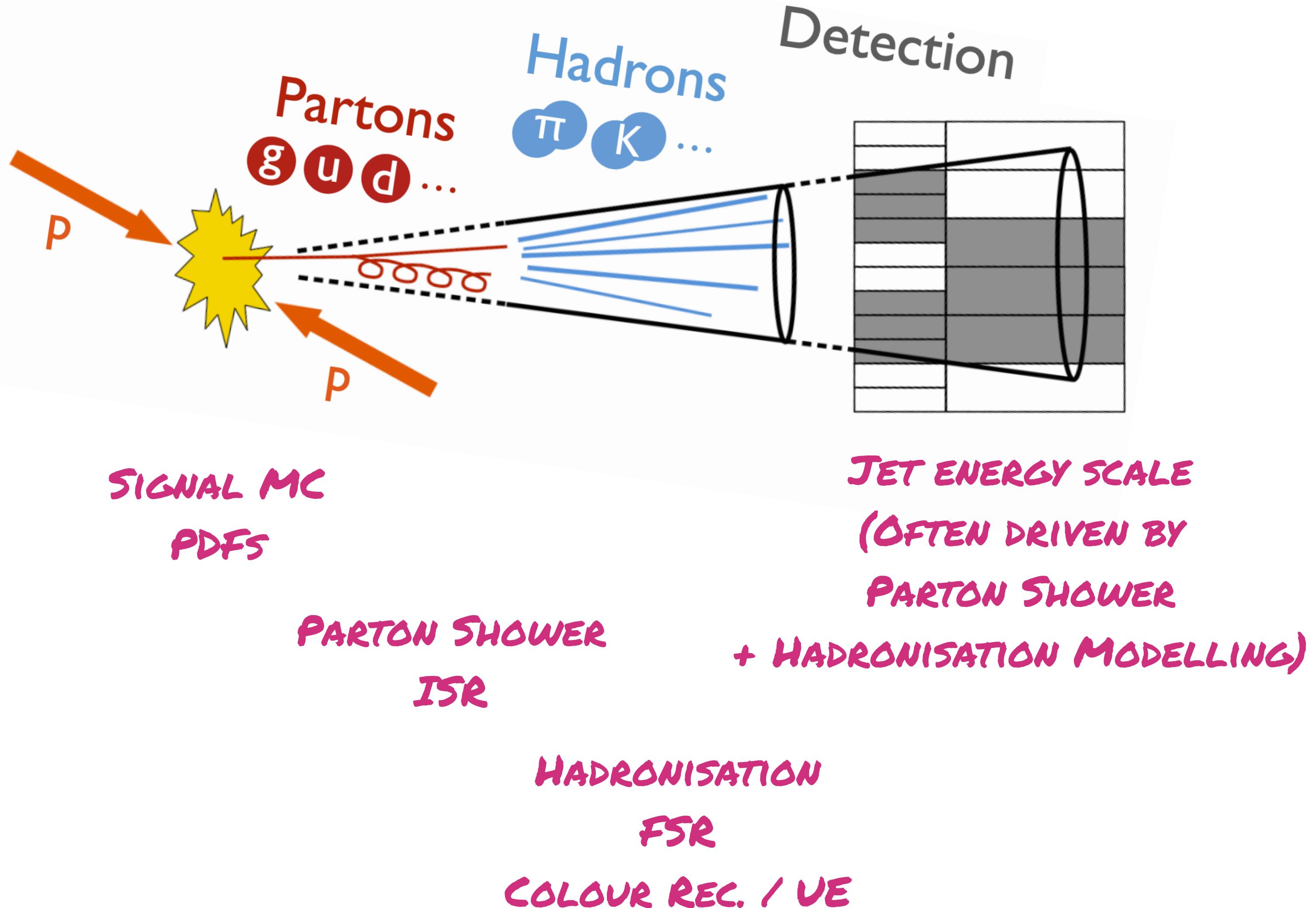


- Even with our latest techniques, the *in situ* JES uncertainty is still driven by **the choice of nominal MC model** in many places...

$\sqrt{s} = 8 \text{ TeV}$	
$k$	$m_{\ell+\text{jets}}^{\text{top}}$ [GeV]
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1 Method	$0.13 \pm 0.11$
2 Signal Monte Carlo generator	$0.16 \pm 0.17$
3 Hadronization	$0.15 \pm 0.10$
4 Initial- and final-state QCD radiation	$0.08 \pm 0.11$
5 Underlying event	$0.08 \pm 0.15$
6 Colour reconnection	$0.19 \pm 0.15$
7 Parton distribution function	$0.09 \pm 0.00$
8 Background normalization	$0.08 \pm 0.00$
9 $W/Z+\text{jets}$ shape	$0.11 \pm 0.00$
10 Fake leptons shape	0
11 Data-driven all-jets background	
12 Jet energy scale	$0.54 \pm 0.02$
13 Relative $b$ -to-light-jet energy scale	$0.03 \pm 0.01$
14 Jet energy resolution	$0.20 \pm 0.04$
15 Jet reconstruction efficiency	$0.02 \pm 0.01$
16 Jet vertex fraction	$0.09 \pm 0.01$
17 $b$ -tagging	$0.38 \pm 0.00$
18 Leptons	$0.16 \pm 0.01$
19 Missing transverse momentum	$0.05 \pm 0.01$
20 Pile-up	$0.15 \pm 0.01$
21 All-jets trigger	
22 Fast vs. full simulation	
Total systematic uncertainty	$0.82 \pm 0.06$
Total	$0.91 \pm 0.06$

Various aspects of QCD...

JES/JER →  
Large parts from  
MC Modelling!



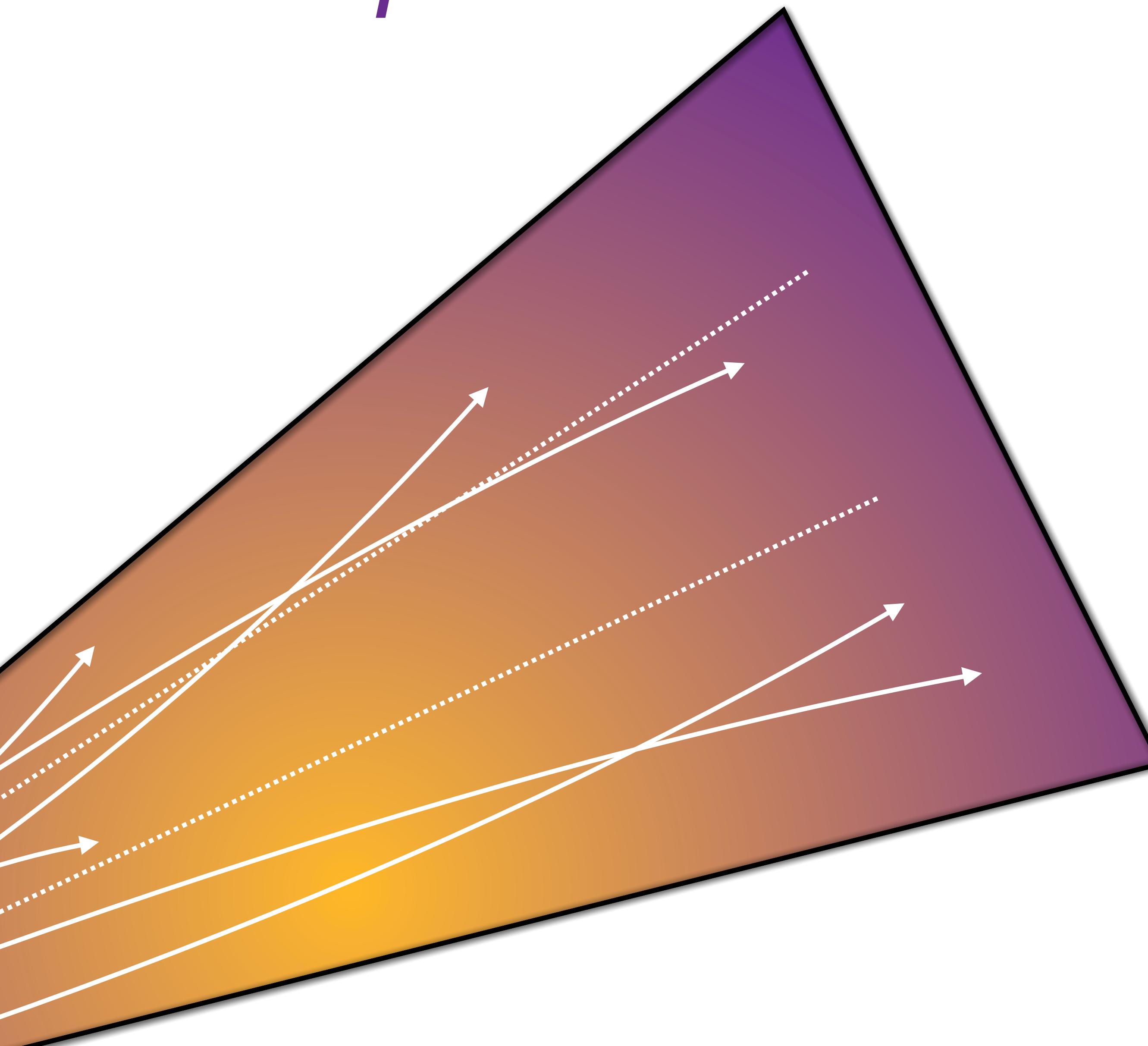
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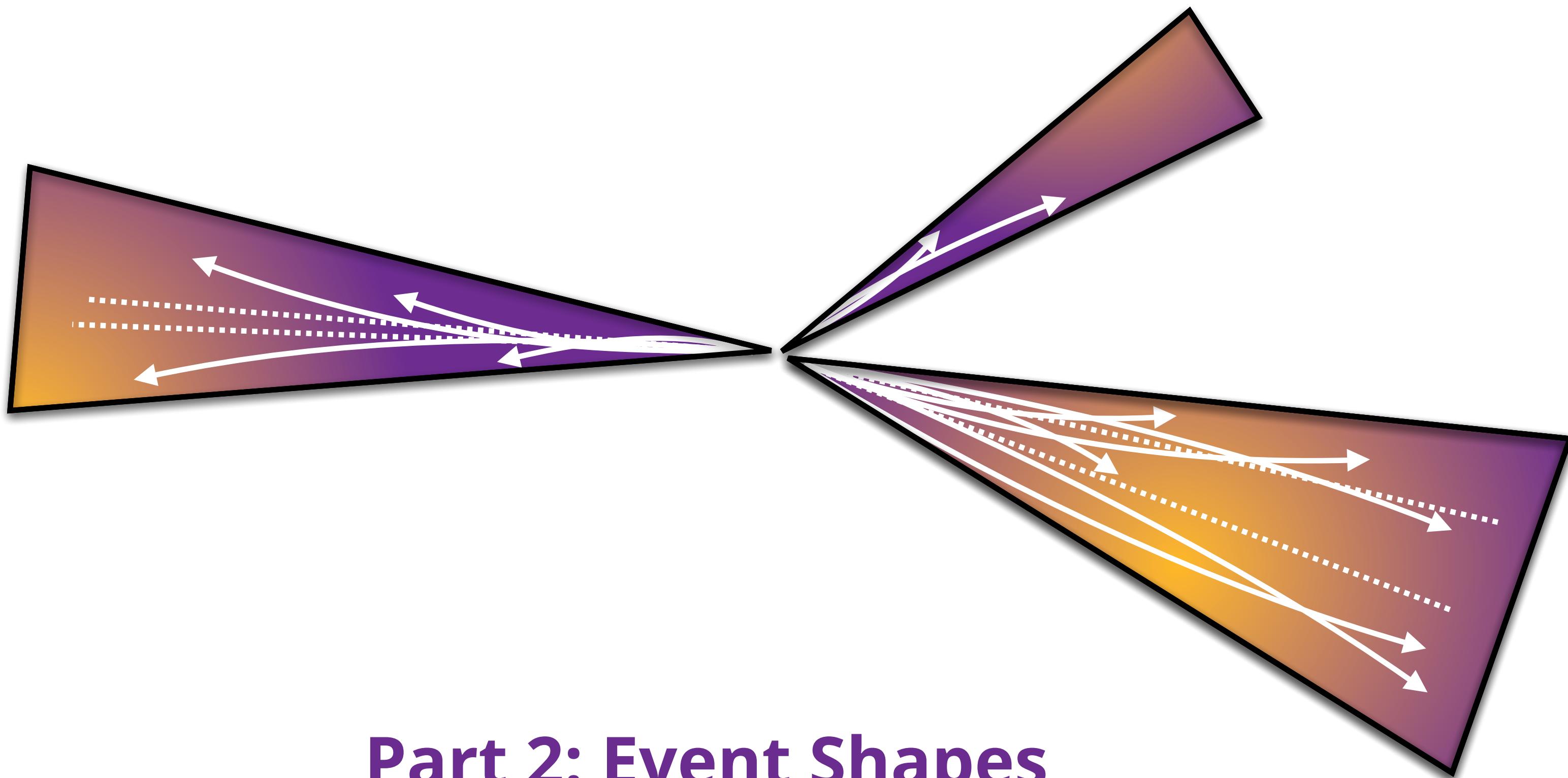
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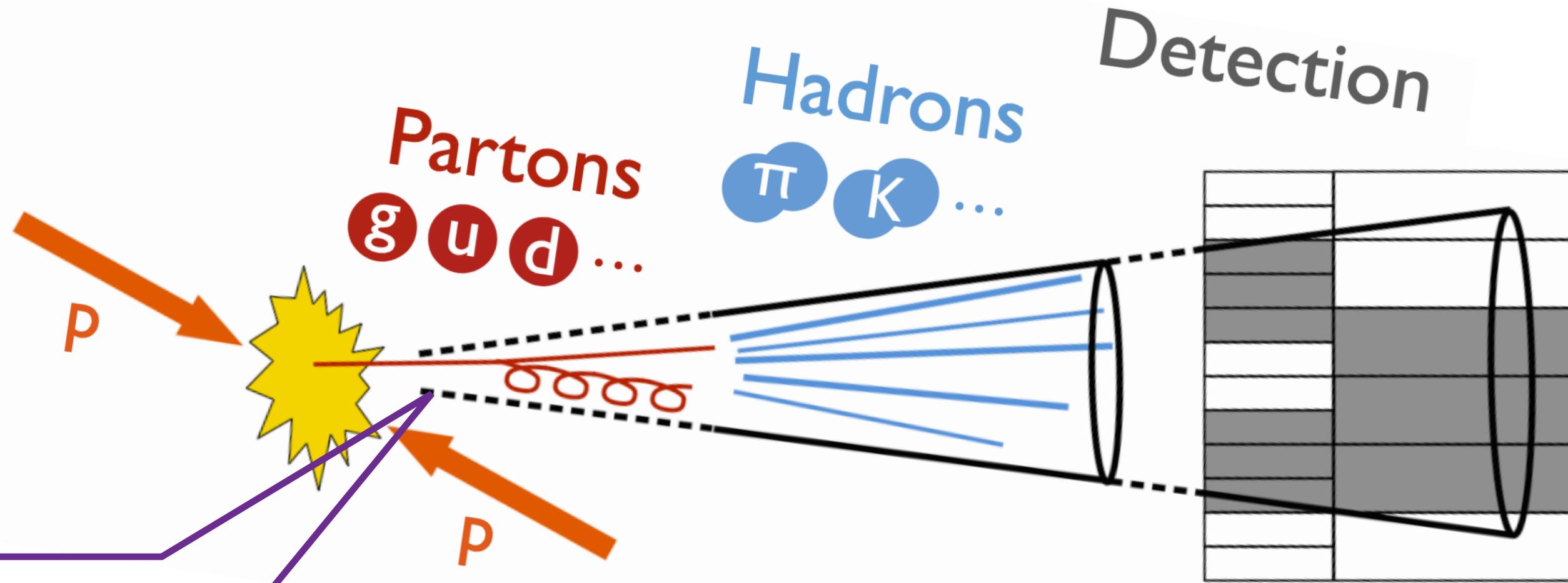
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+ FAR AWAY

## Part 2: Event Shapes

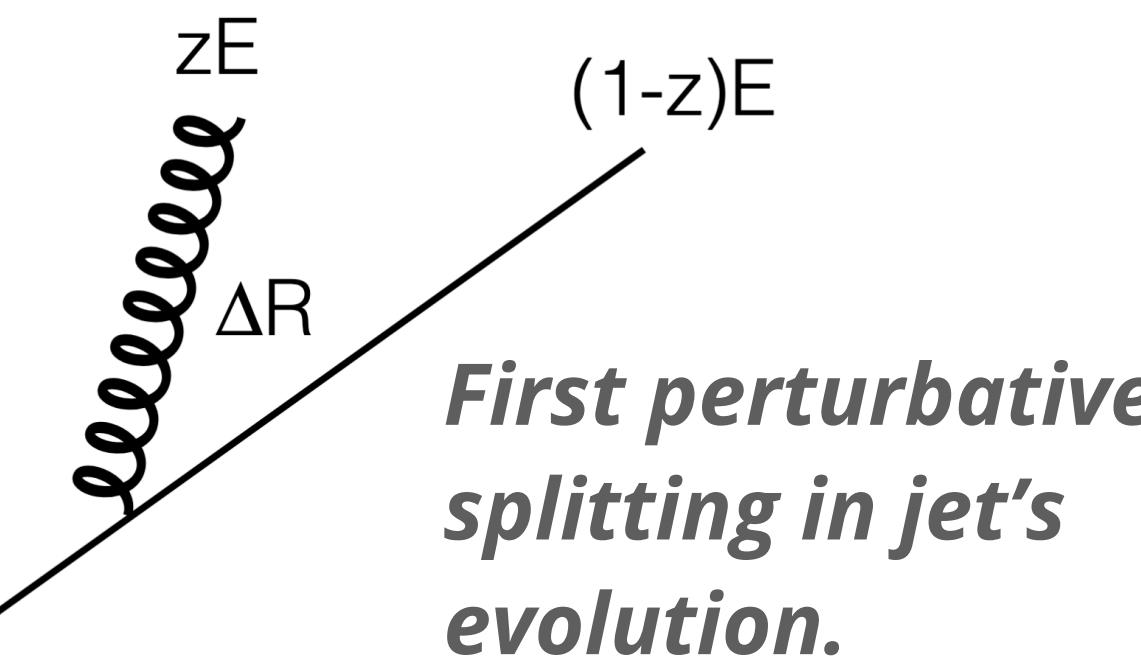
Multijet Event Isotropies w/ Optimal Transport

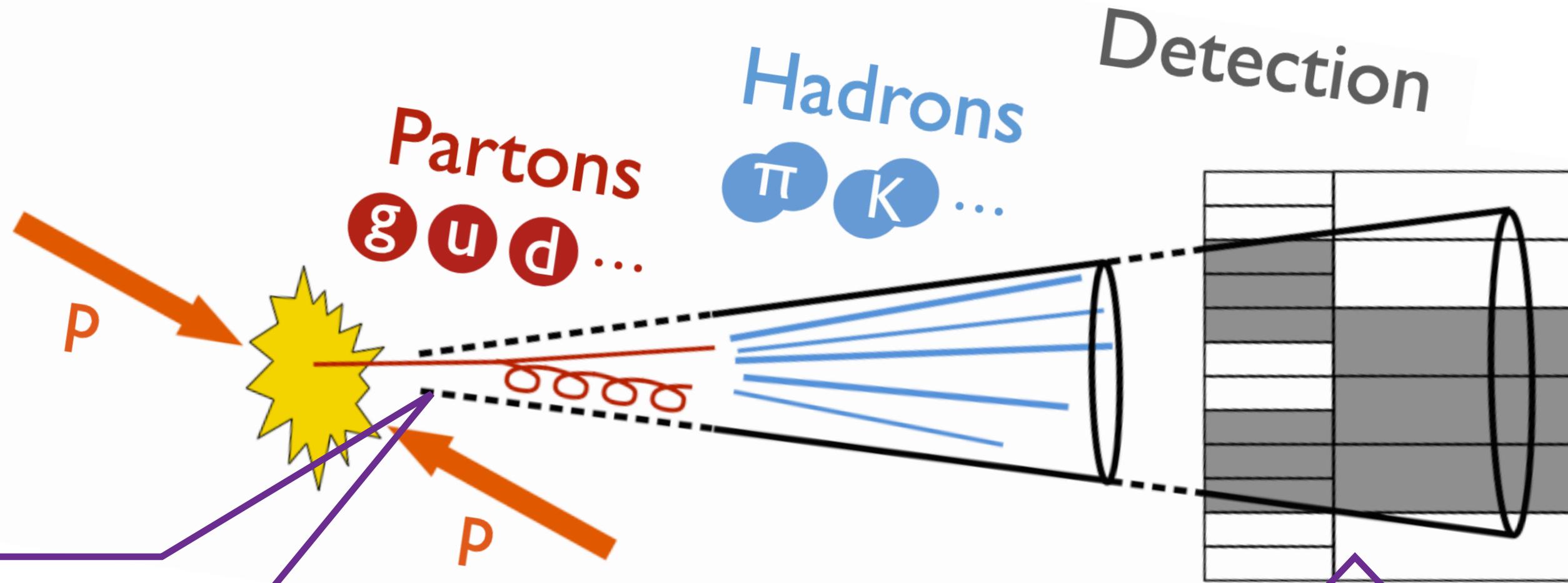
[ATLAS-STDM-2020-20](#)



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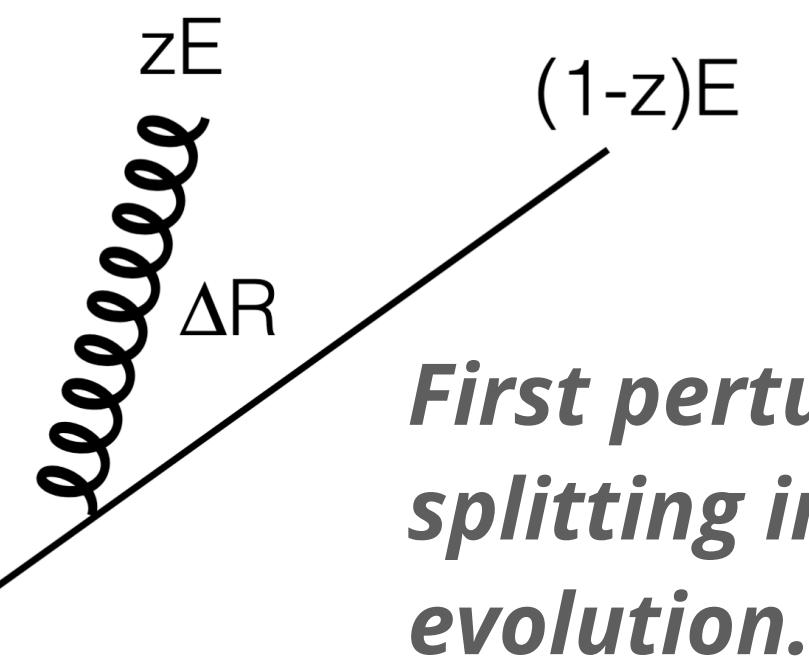
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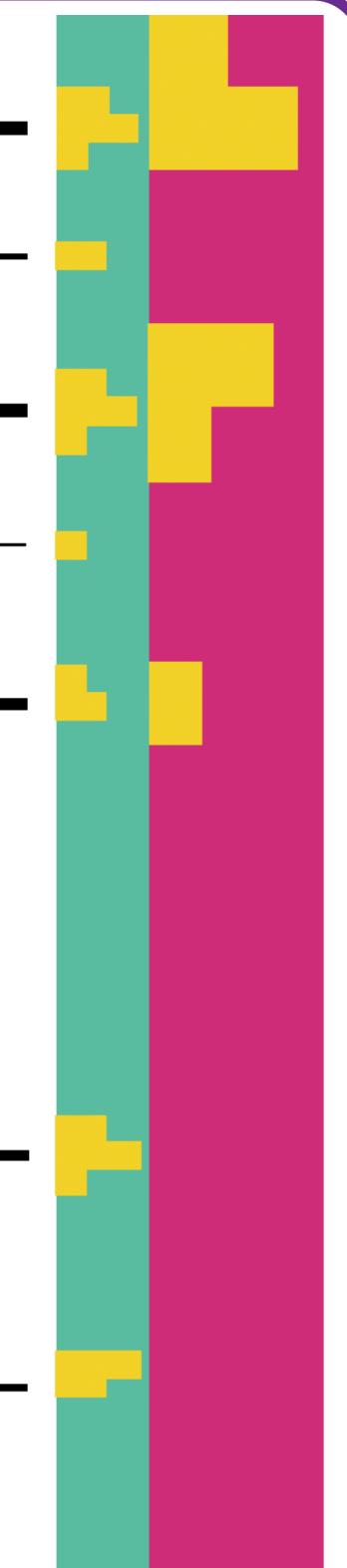
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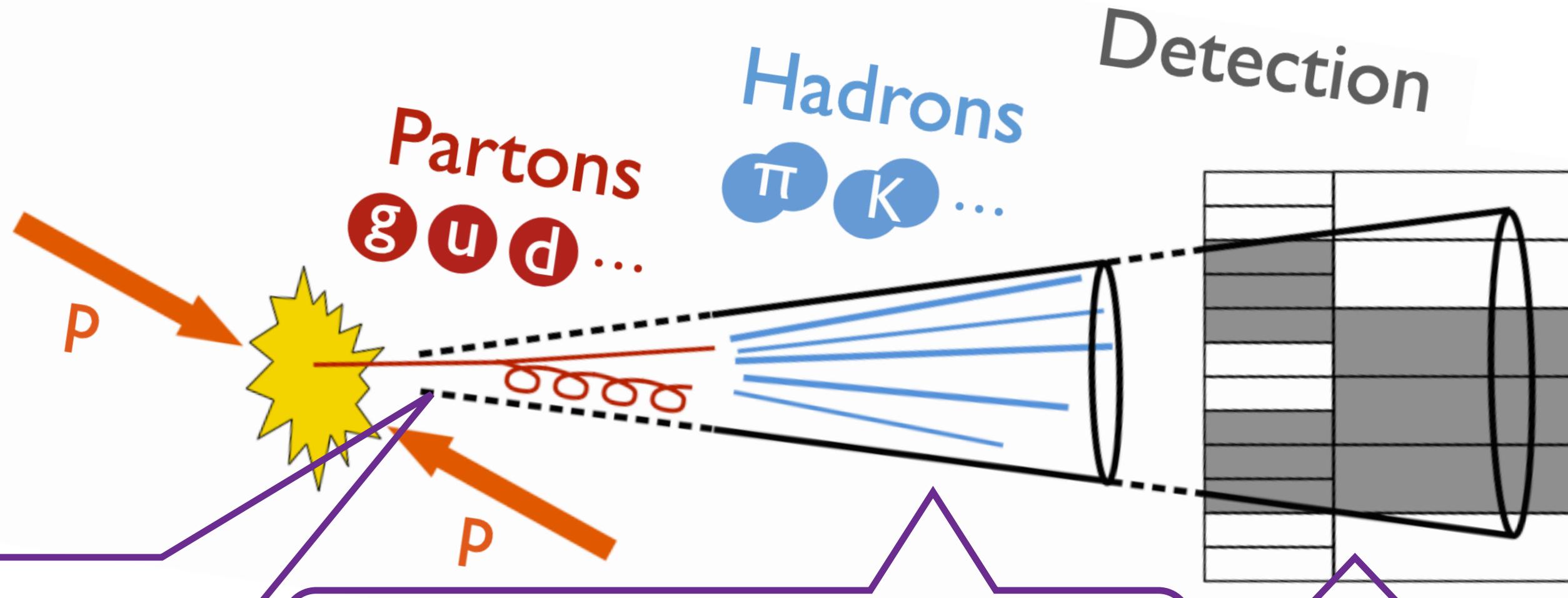


### What we got:

$j$

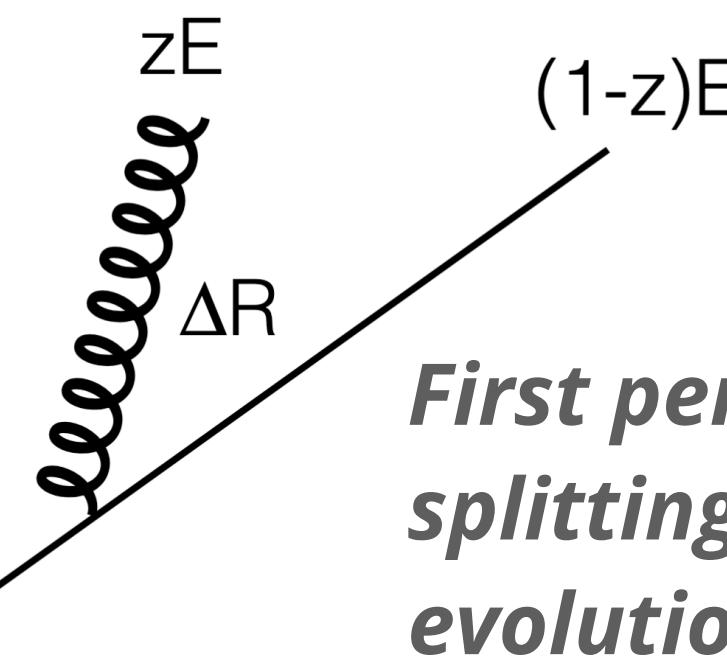
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## What we want:

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*First perturbative splitting in jet's evolution.*

## What's the problem:

*Large number of emissions from non-perturbative hadronisation processes obscure hard structure.*

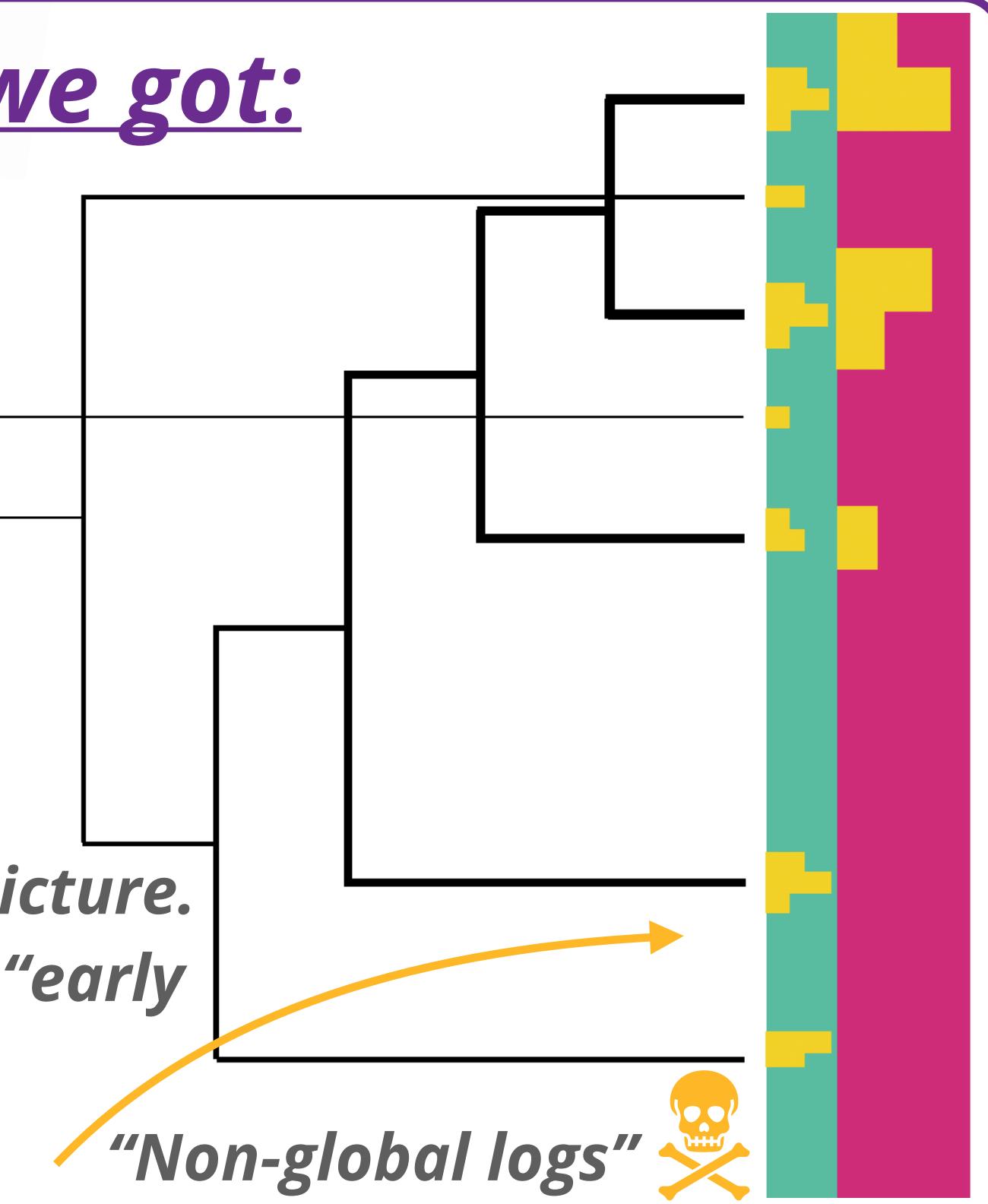


*... and, early JSS tools were not theoretically amenable.*

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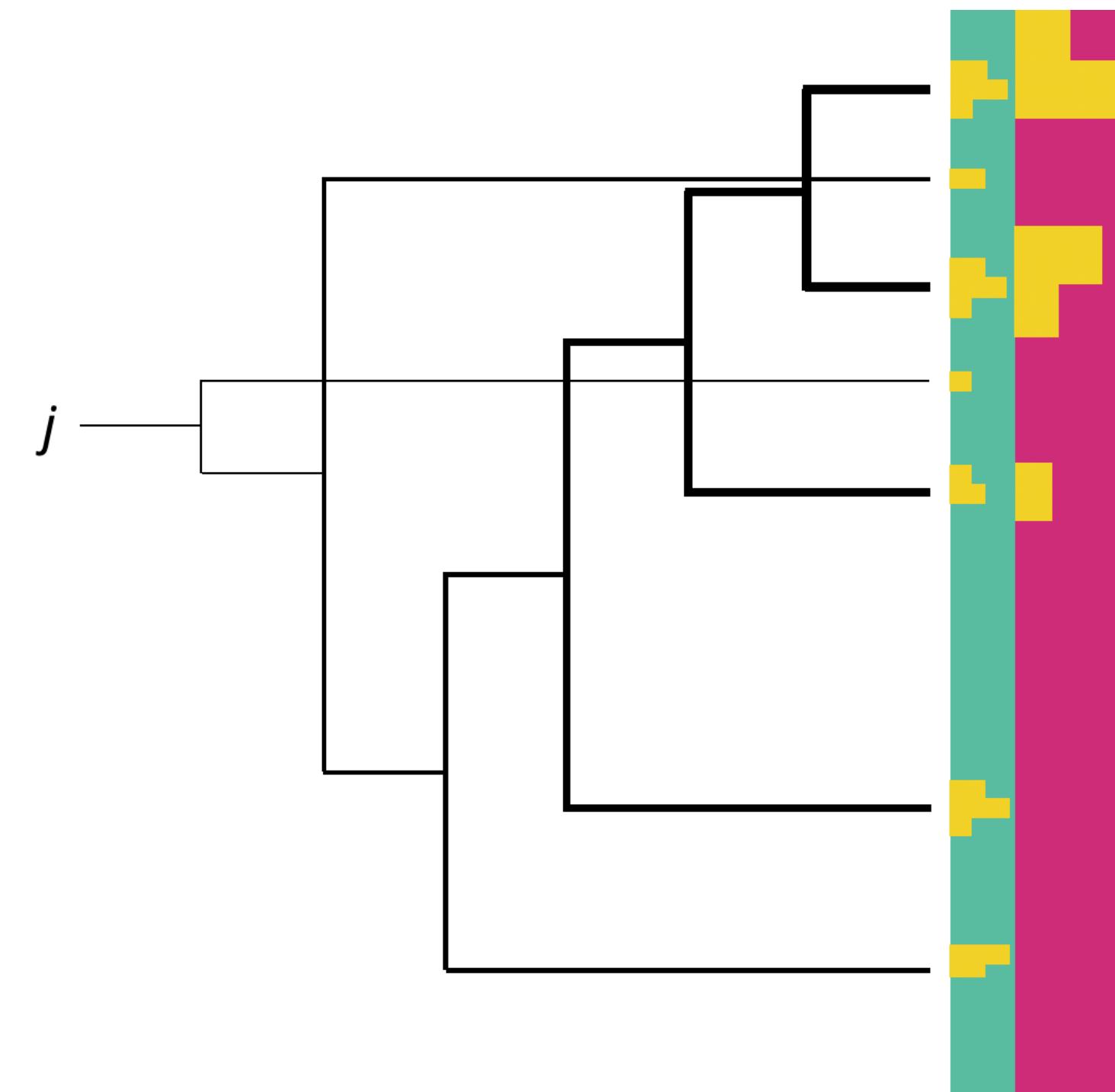


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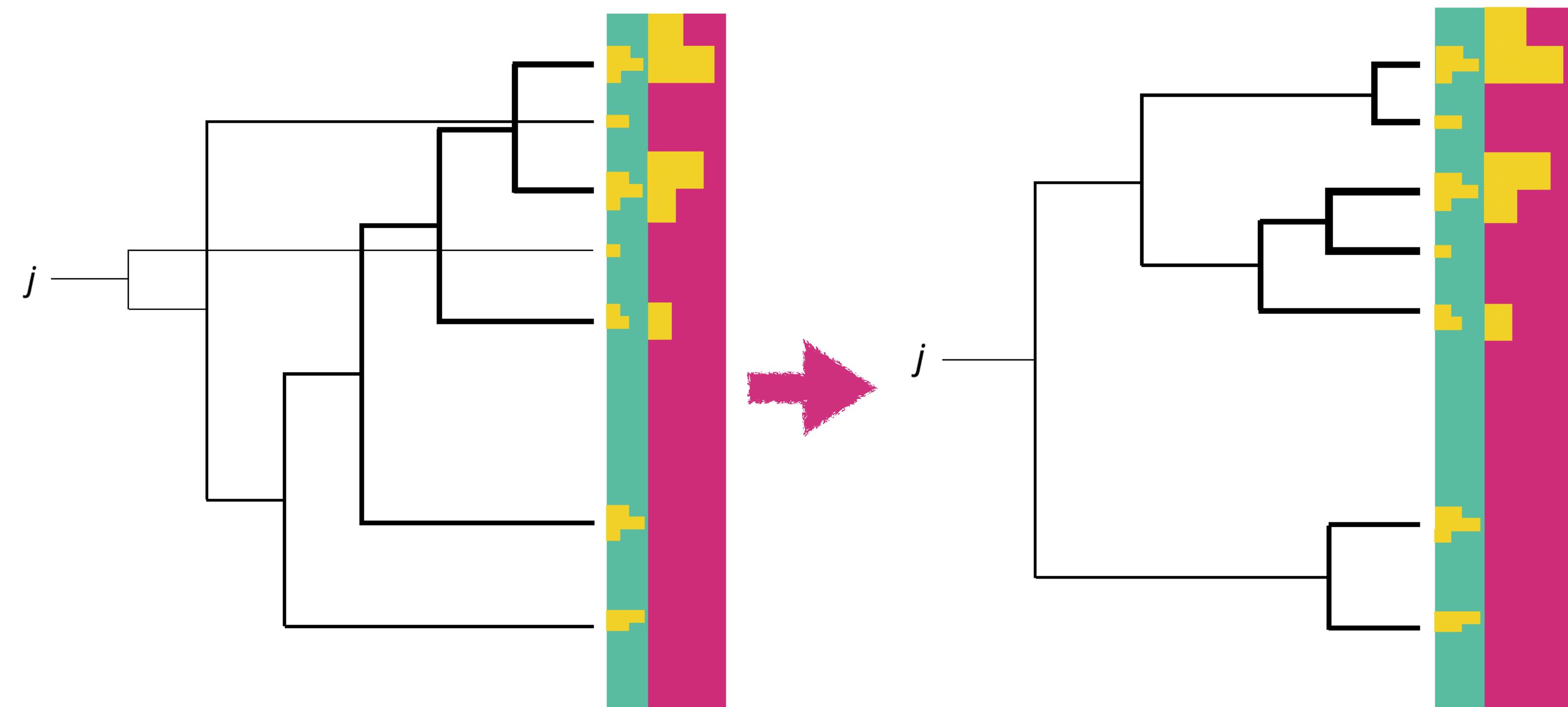
*"Non-global logs"* 💀

# The Soft-Drop / modified Mass-Drop Algorithm



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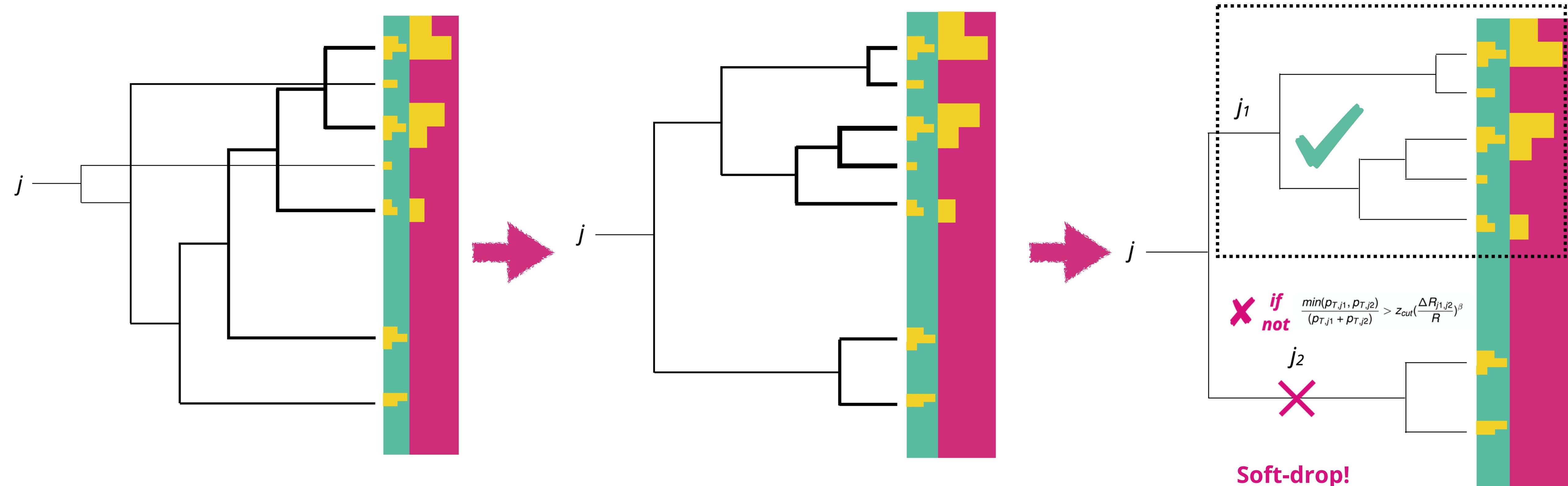
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3. Check soft-drop condition at  
each node, starting with the  
widest-angle emission.

**Stop when one passes!**

# Precision Jet Substructure: Soft-Drop Observables

ATLAS, [PRD 101, 052007 \(2020\)](#), [PRL 121, 092001 \(2018\)](#)

- **Goal:** provide experimental testbed for the first high-accuracy (>LL) JSS predictions:

- **Mass**  $\rho = \log_{10}(m_j / p_T j)$

\*today NLL [1704.02210](#) [1712.05105](#)

NNLL [1603.06375](#) [1603.09338](#) [1803.03645](#) [1811.06983](#)

- **Angle**  $R_g = \Delta R(j_1, j_2)$

NLL [1908.01783](#)

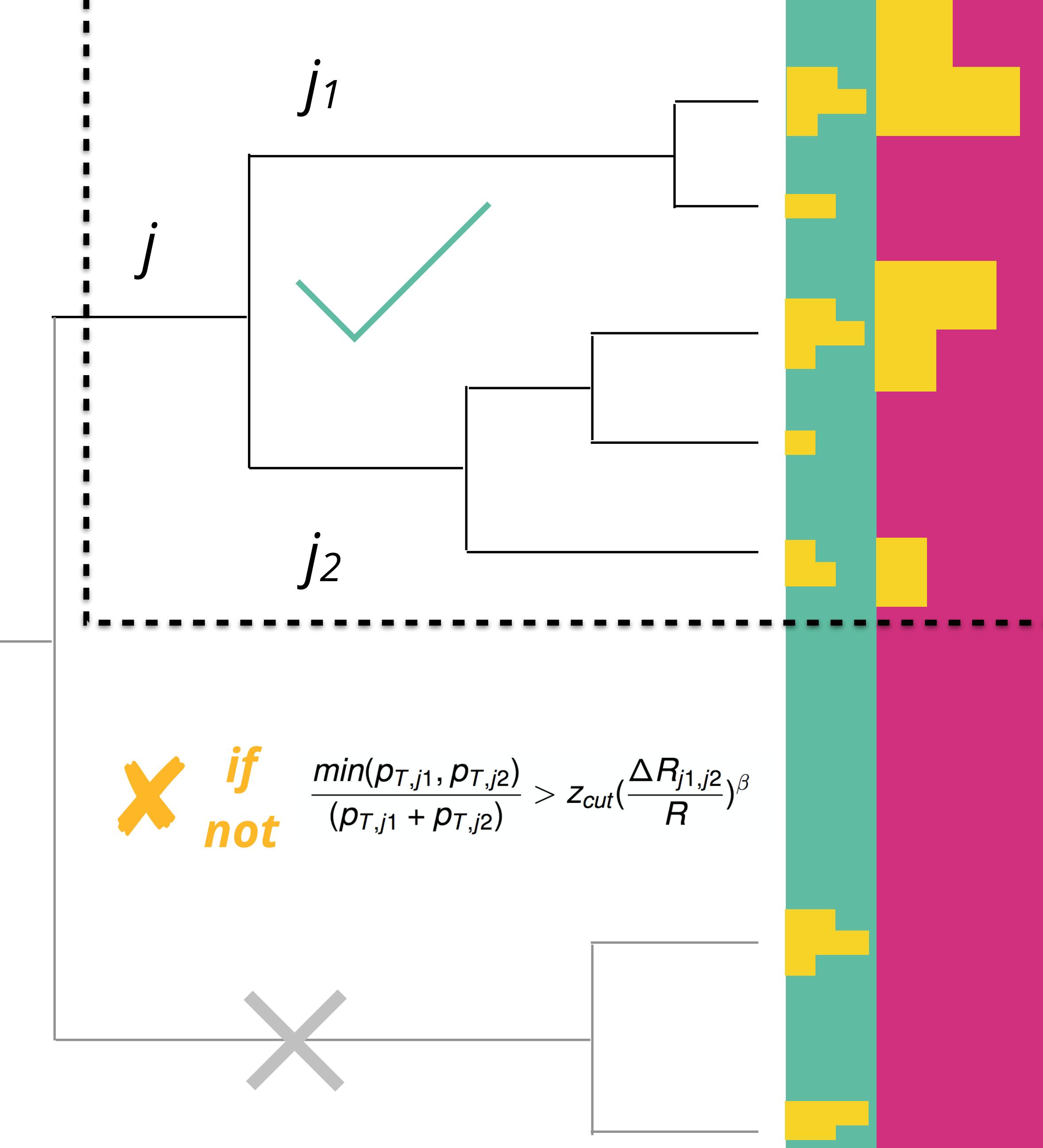
- **Balance**  $Z_g = p_T j^2 / p_T j^1$

NLL [2106.04589](#)

- JSS measurements made in **dijet events**:

- No backgrounds, q/g admixture, broad kinematic range.  $p_T \sim 300 \text{ GeV} — 2 \text{ TeV}$

- Measured different  $\beta$  values → **more/less NP-QCD**
- Measured **calorimeter and track-based** signals

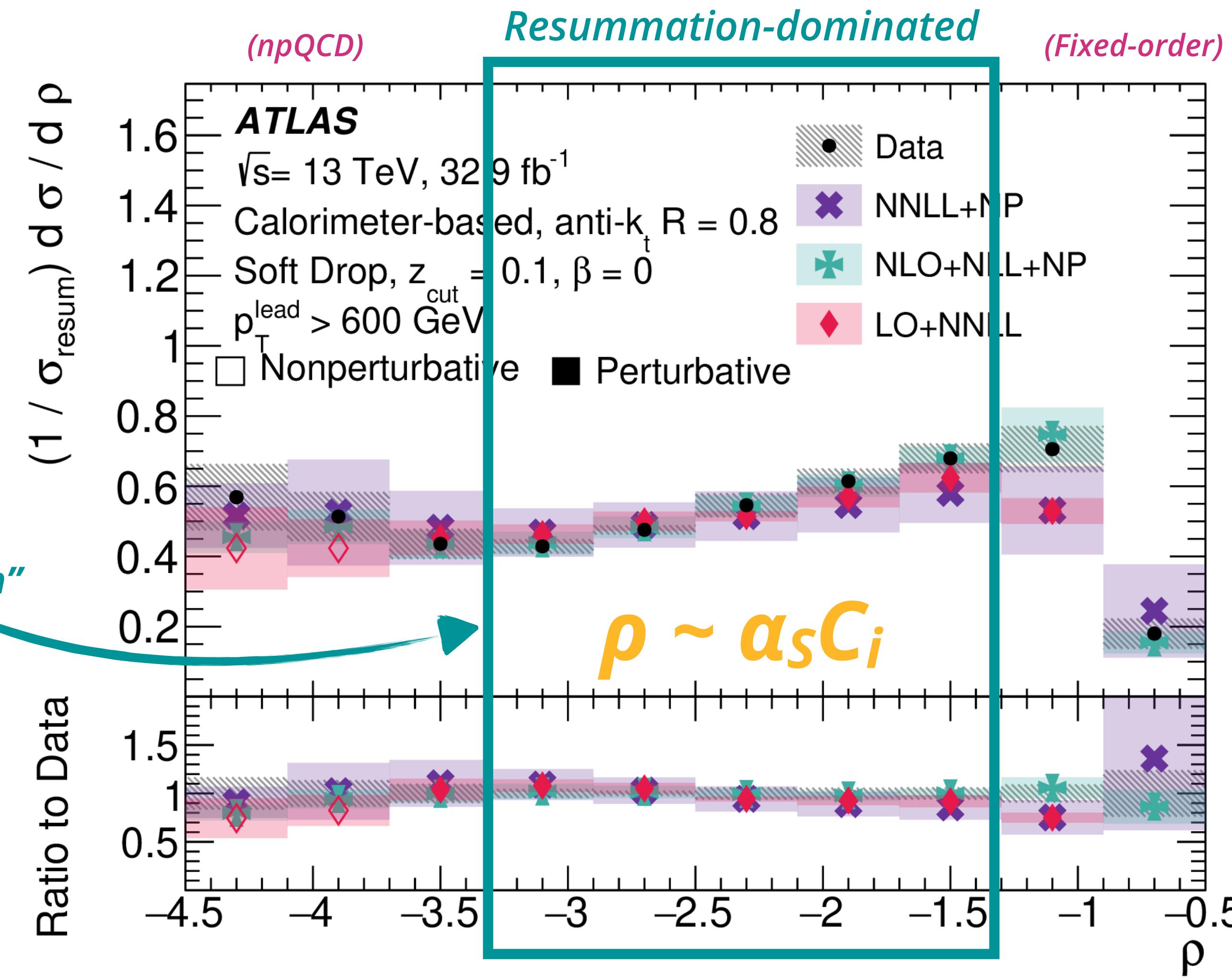


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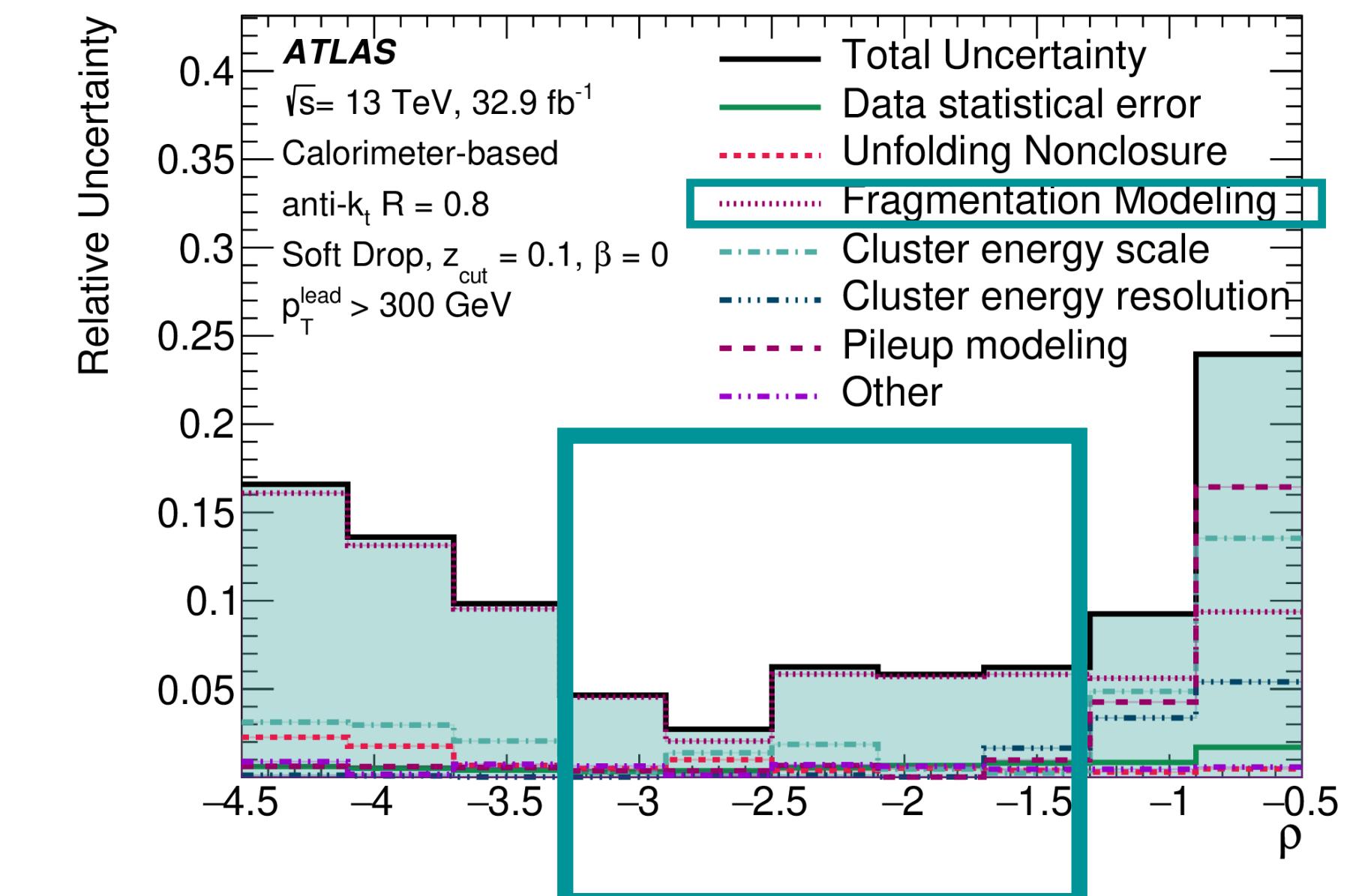
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"Relative Mass"  
 $\rho = \log(m_{SD}^2/p_T^2)$

Calculations  
target  
"resummation"  
region!



Good theoretical & experimental control!  
 Comparable unc. in 'resummation region.'

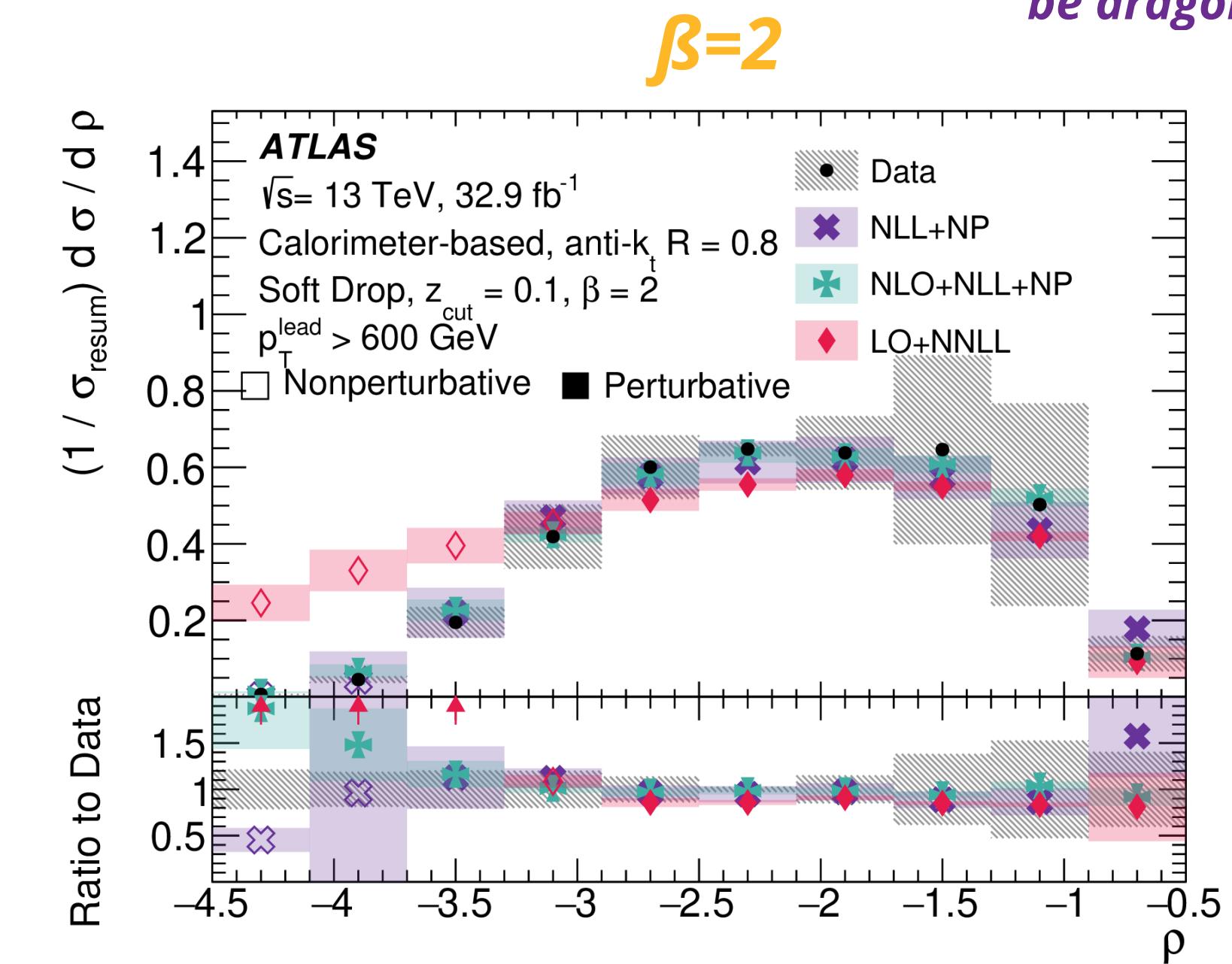
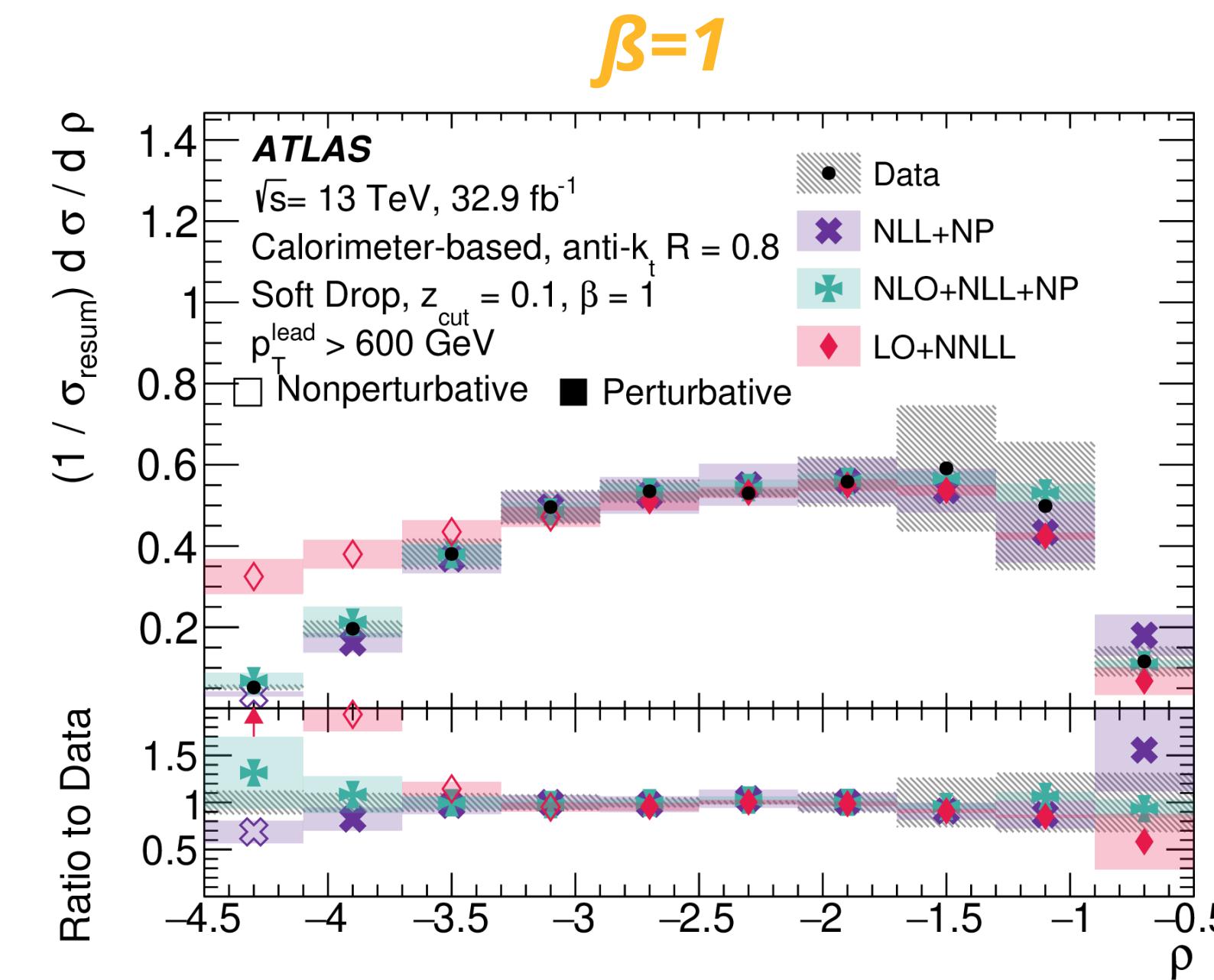
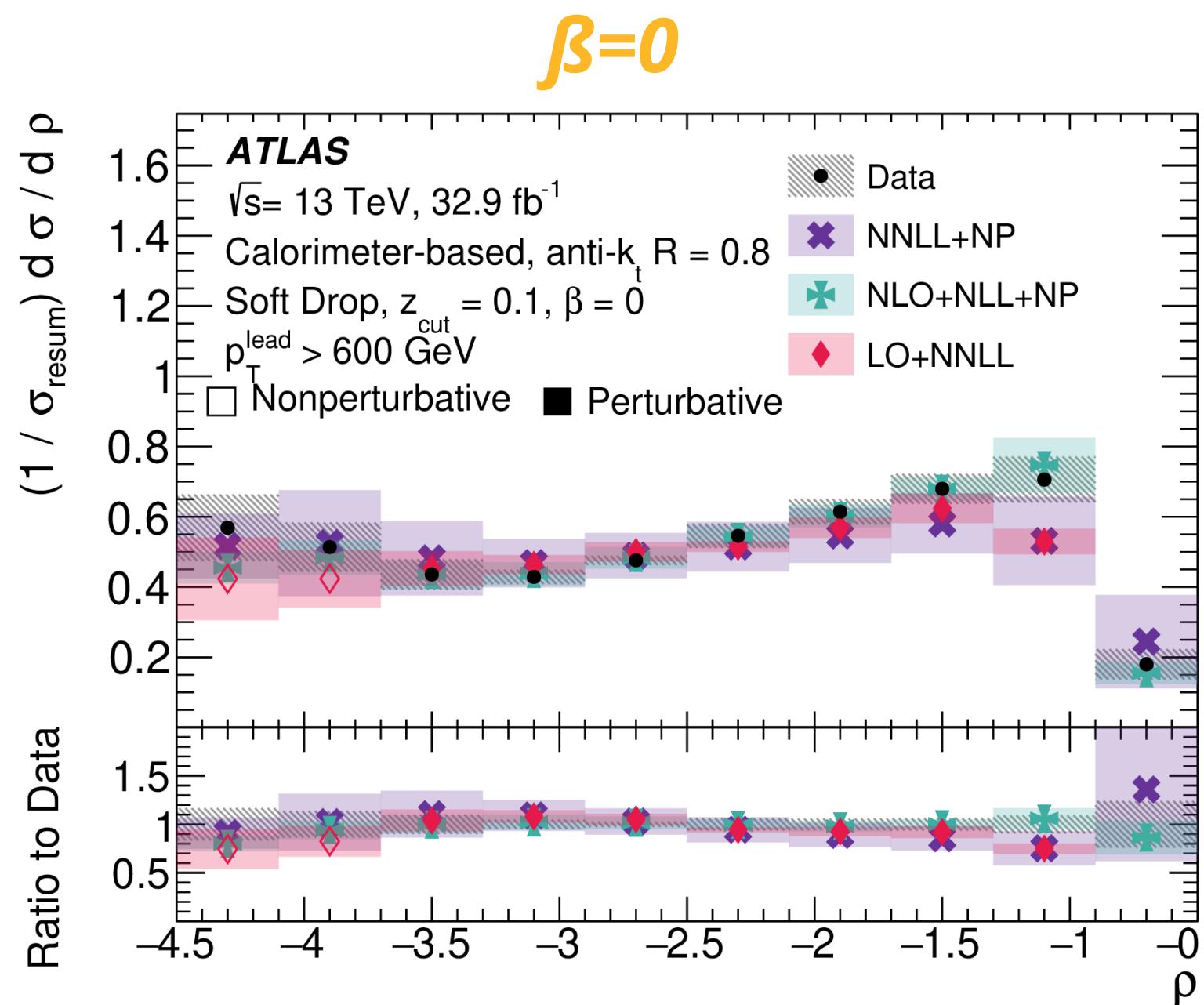


# Soft-Drop Jet Mass: increasing NP-QCD

ATLAS, PRD 101, 052007 (2020), PRL 121, 092001 (2018)

"Relative Mass"  
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Permit more non-perturbative (soft, wide-angle) radiation



Agreement deteriorates, 'well-understood' region shrinks, uncertainties increase!

# Calo- and track-based JSS

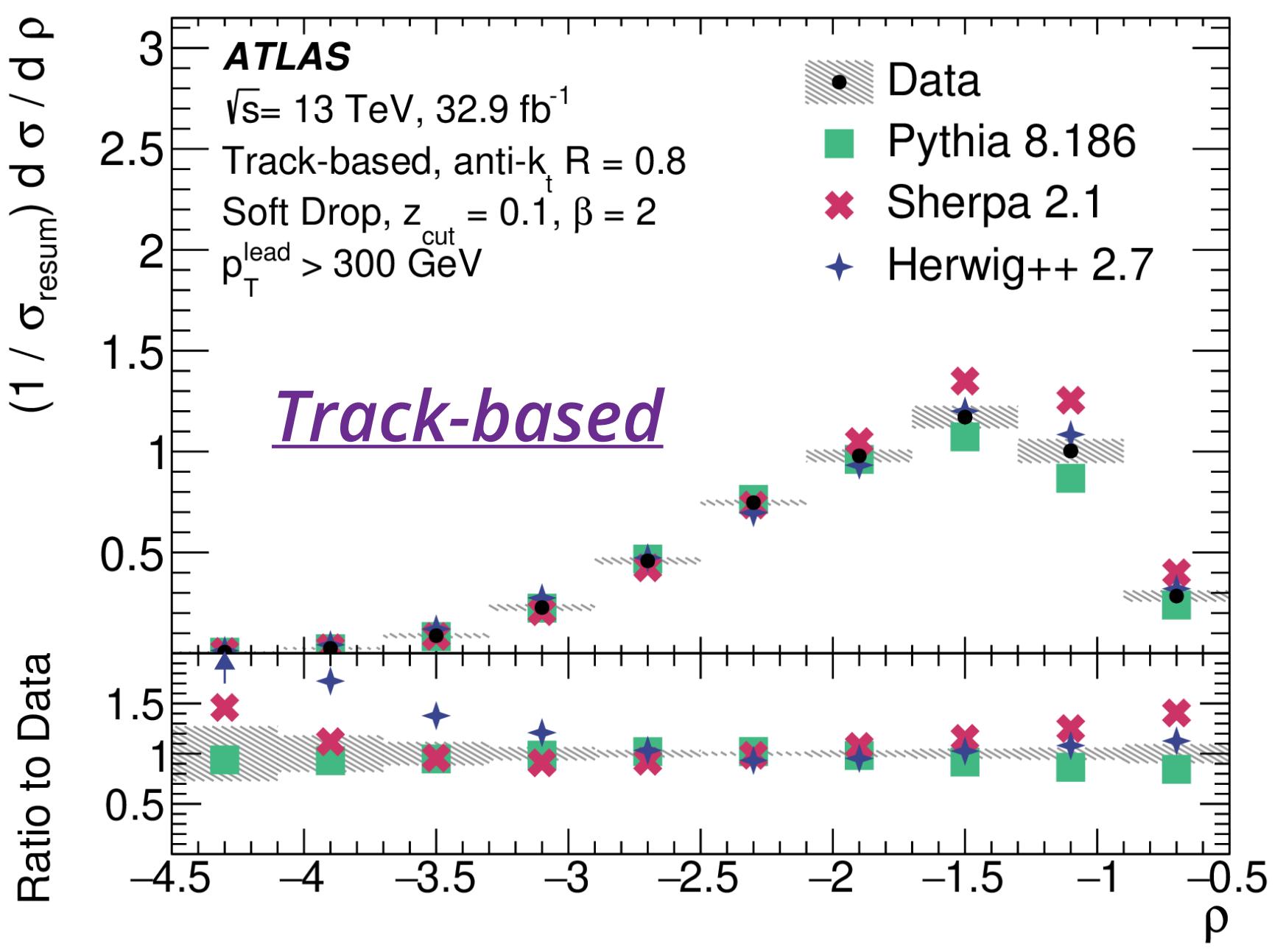
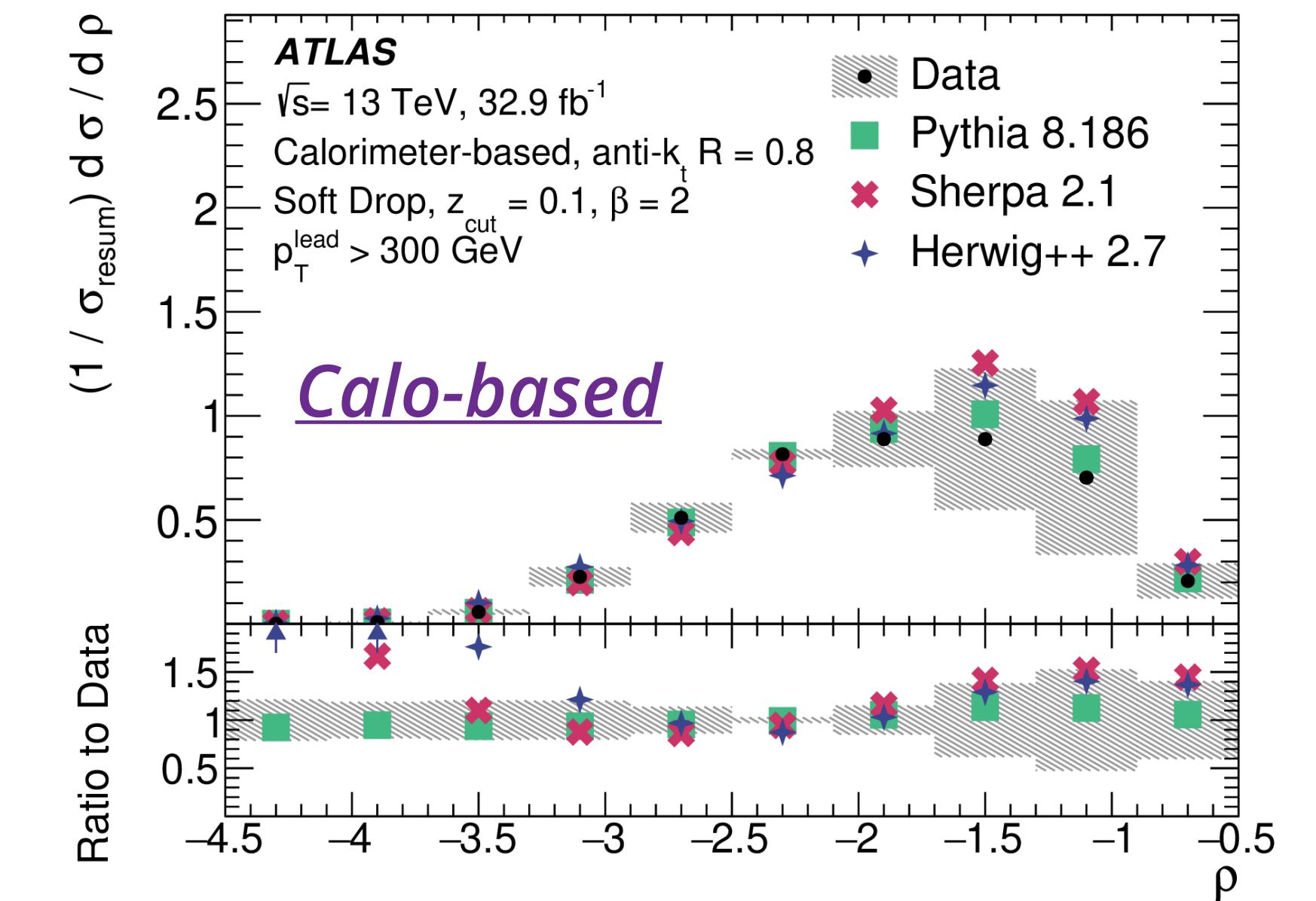
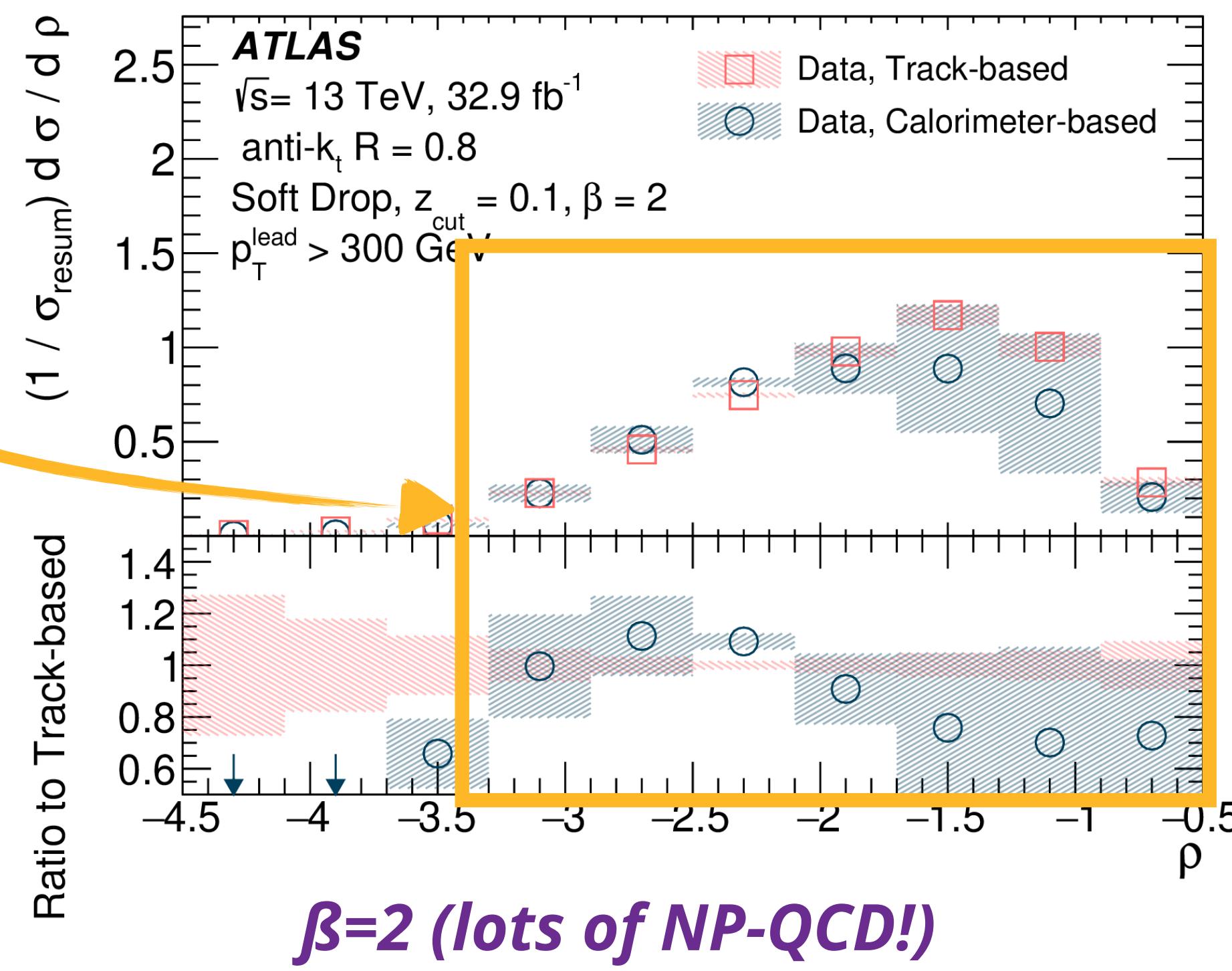
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- **Advantages:** Smaller angles, softer signals, better resolution (more bins).
- **Trade-offs:** IRC safety (collinear-unsafe).

Track-based measurement provides a cross-check on calorimeter-based measurement.

Also, more precise reference data for improving MC models.

Reduced uncertainties!



# Aside: CMS JSS Angularities Measurement

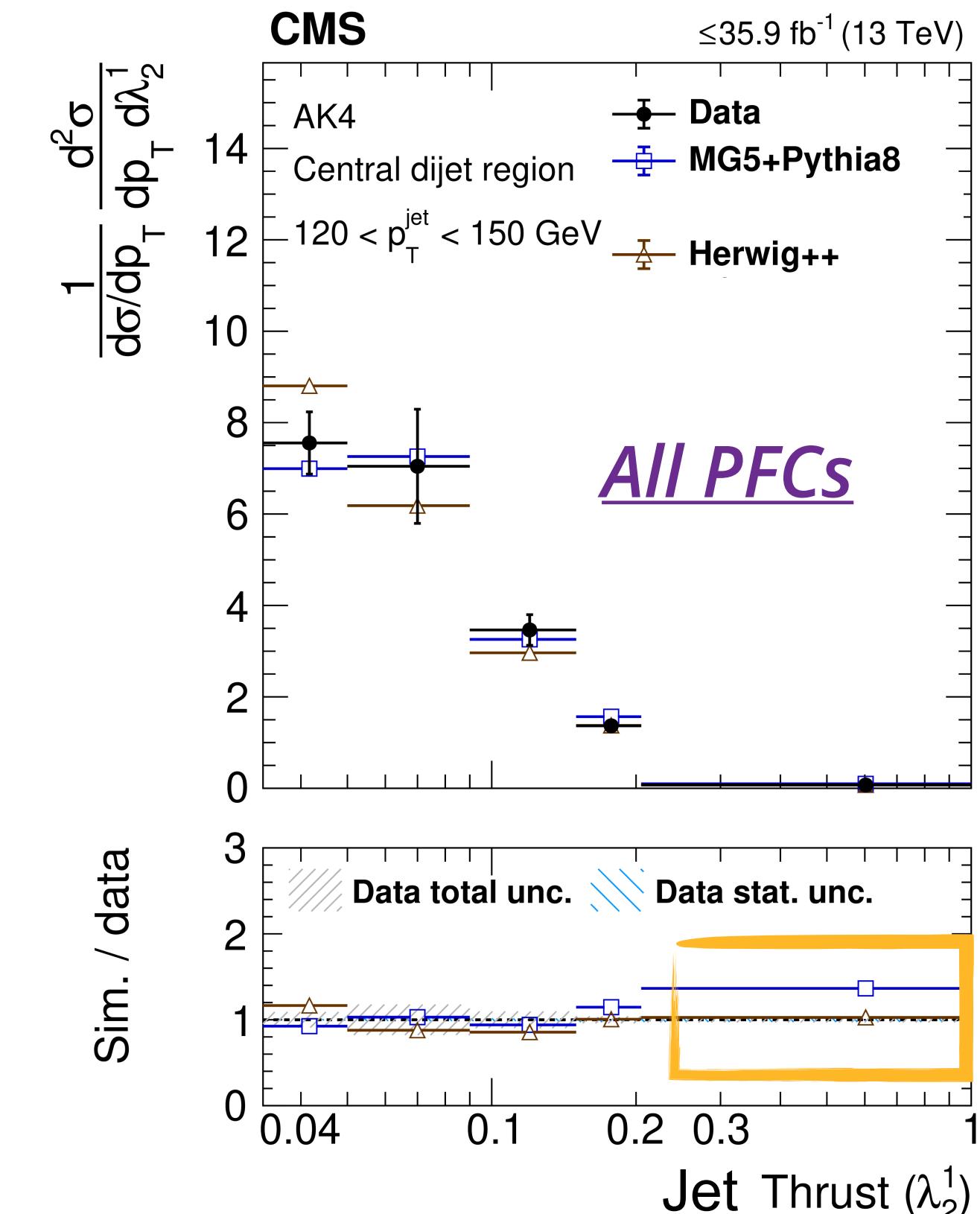
CMS, JHEP 01 (2022) 188

## JSS ANGULARITIES

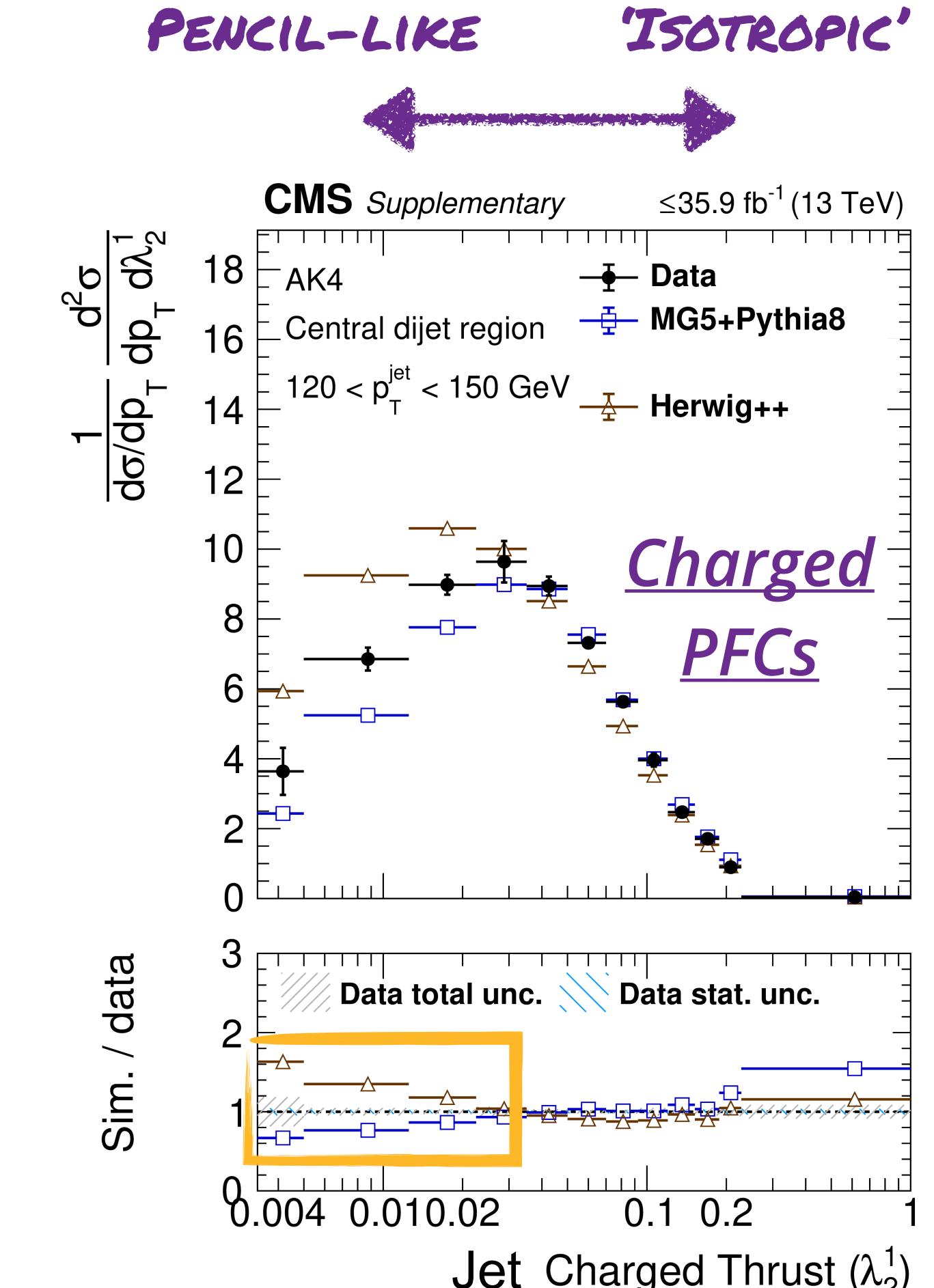
Products of relative constituent energies and angles, varying weight of each component

$$\lambda_{\beta}^{\kappa} = \sum_{i \in \text{jet}} z_i^{\kappa} \left( \frac{\Delta R_i}{R} \right)^{\beta}$$

- Both ATLAS and CMS have made comparisons of **charged+neutral & charged-only pictures**.
  - Similar observations can be made using data from both collaborations
  - Perhaps surprising, given CMS's "particle-flow" reconstruction.



*Similar levels of  
(dis)agreement!*



*Charged picture has  
significantly more reach  
into collinear region (10x)!*

# *Local metaphor*



CALORIMETER-ONLY

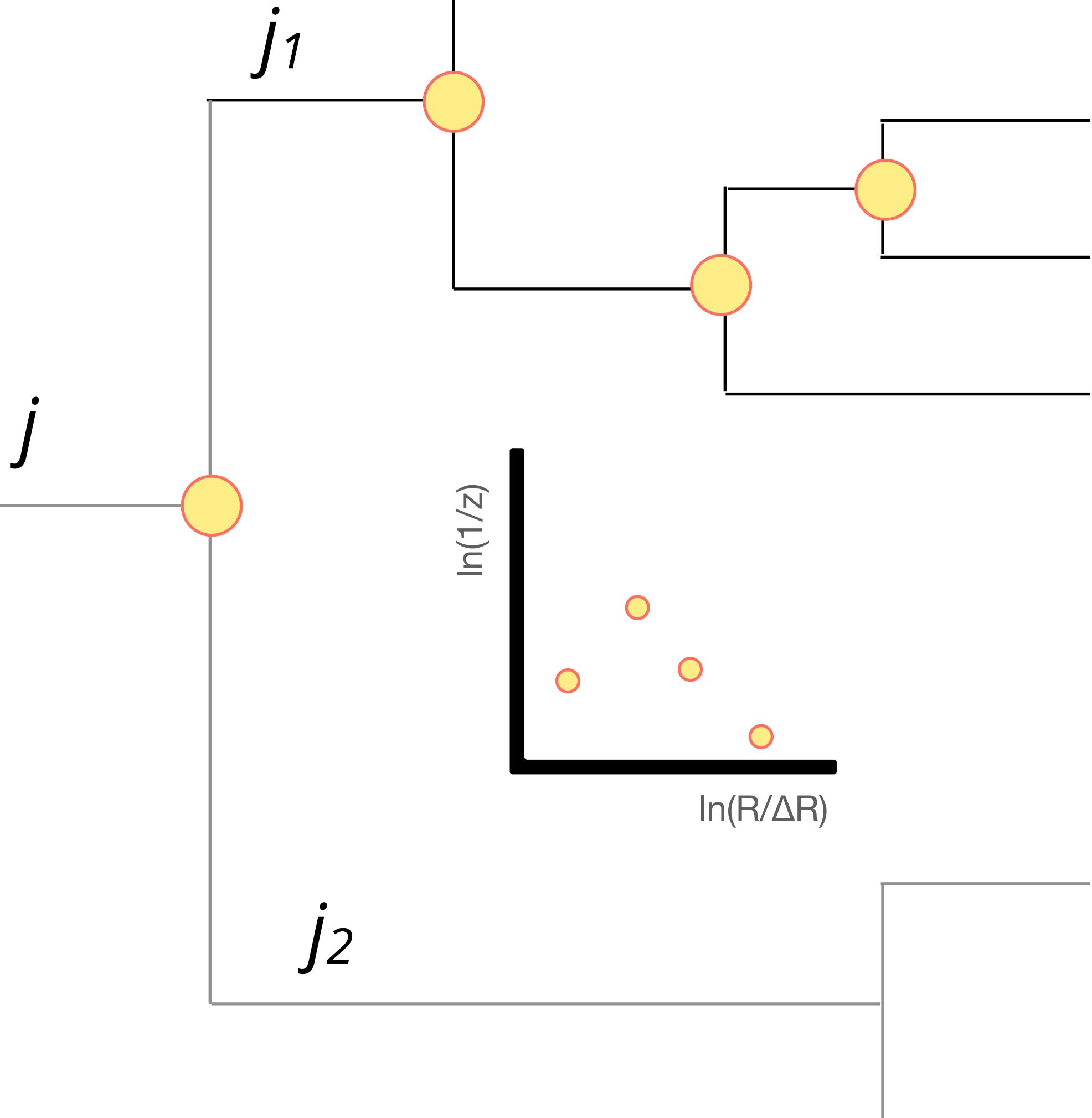


INNER-DETECTOR-ONLY

# Lund jet plane

Dreyer, Salam & Soyez [JHEP 12 \(2018\) 064](#)

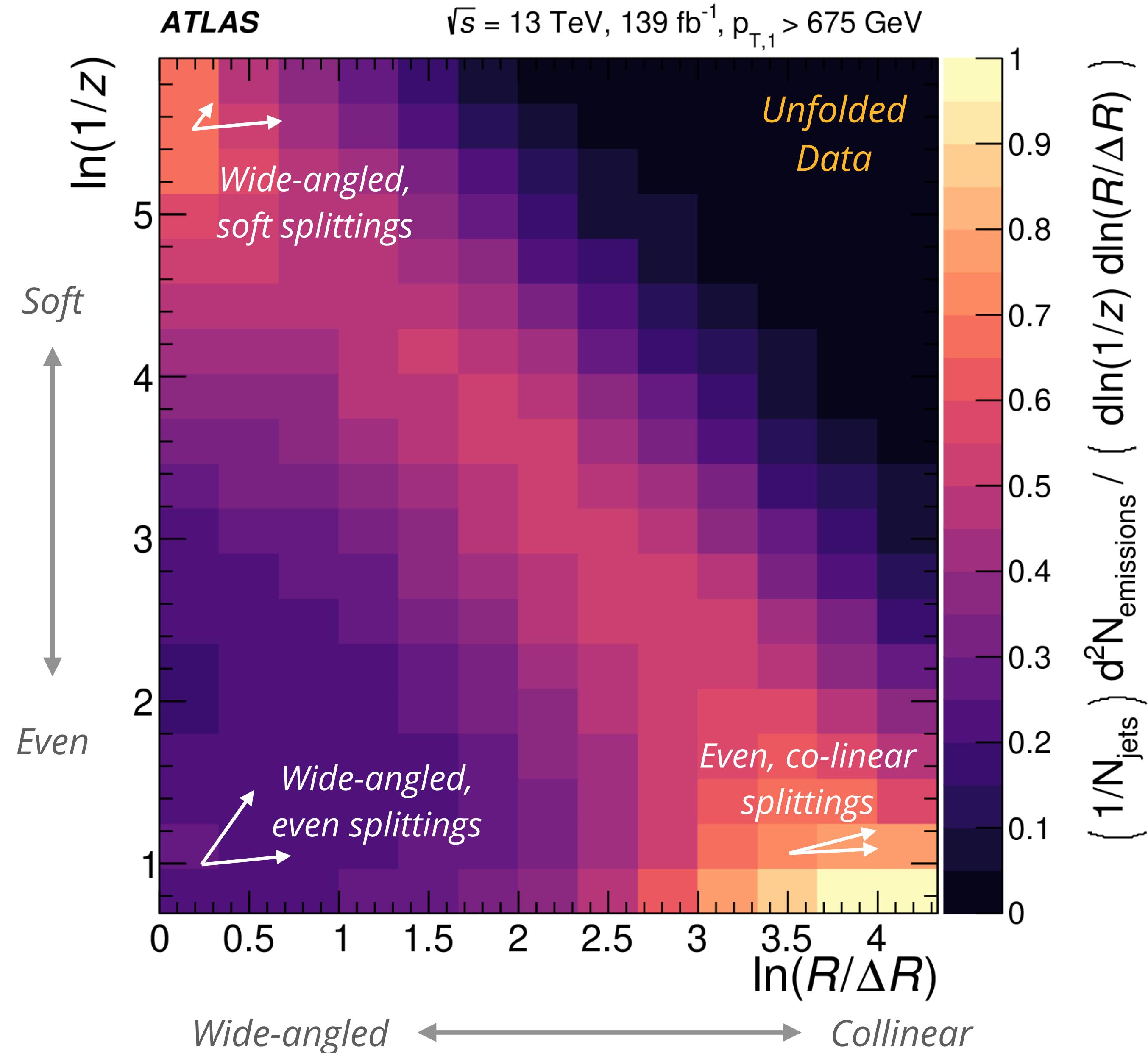
- Lund Plane : tool used by PSMC authors for 34 years & counting (Andersson et al. [Z.Phys.C 43 \(1989\) 625](#))
- Newly applied to JSS by Dreyer *et al.*
  - **Key concept:** probe entire angle-ordered emission history of originating parton.
  - Parameterise emissions of **angle-ordered picture** in terms of their **relative energies (z)** and **angles ( $\Delta R$ )**.
- Powerful, physics-forward representation of JSS:
  - ML/AI ([1903.09644](#), [2012.08526](#)),  
q/g tagging ([2112.09140](#)),  
PS development ([1805.09327](#), [2205.02861](#)),  
analytics ([2007.06578](#)),  
heavy-flavour ([2106.05713](#), [2112.09650](#), [2202.05082](#))
  - ... we'll have a whole LJP workshop at CERN in July!



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ATLAS, PRL 124, 222002 (2020)

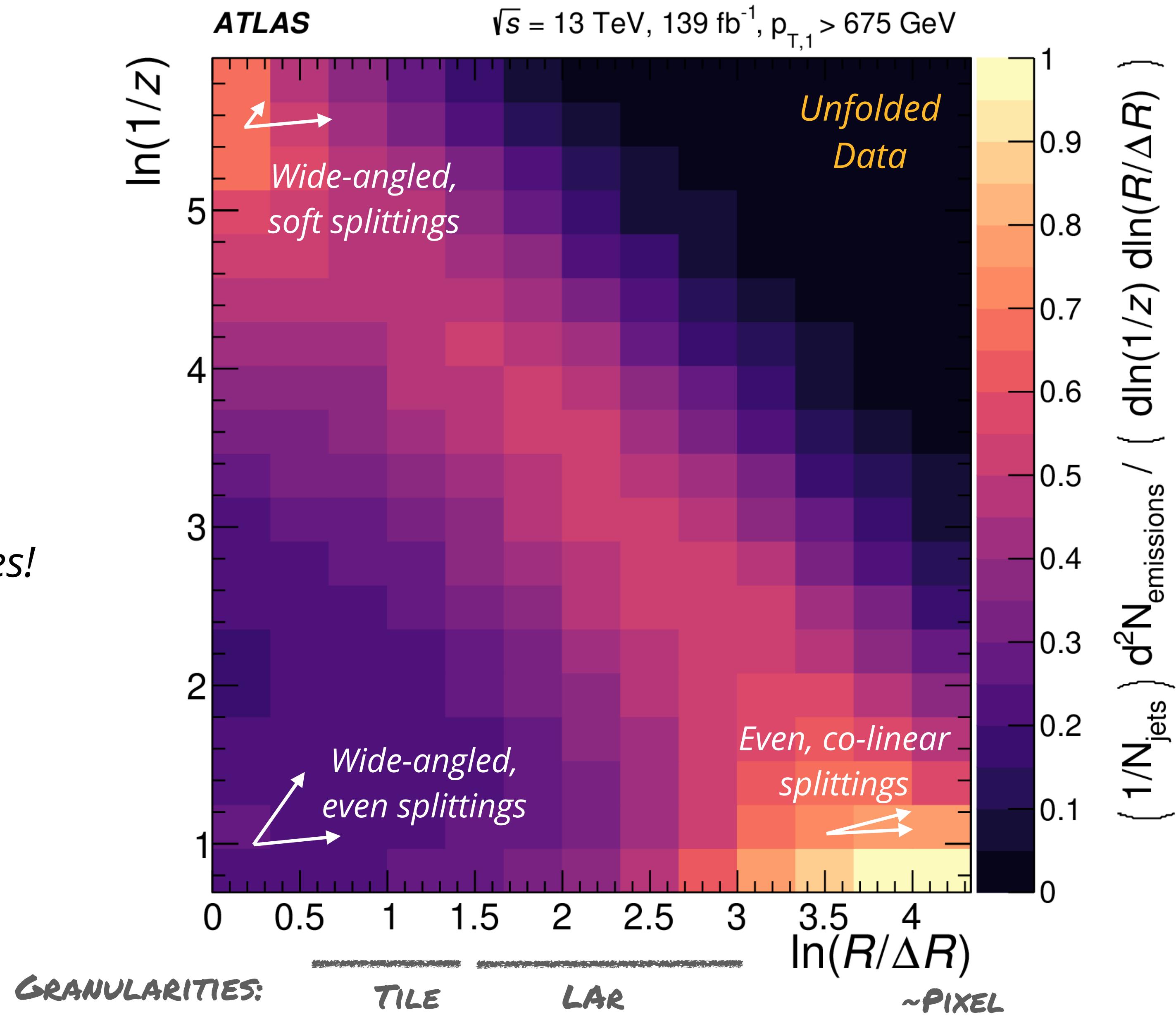
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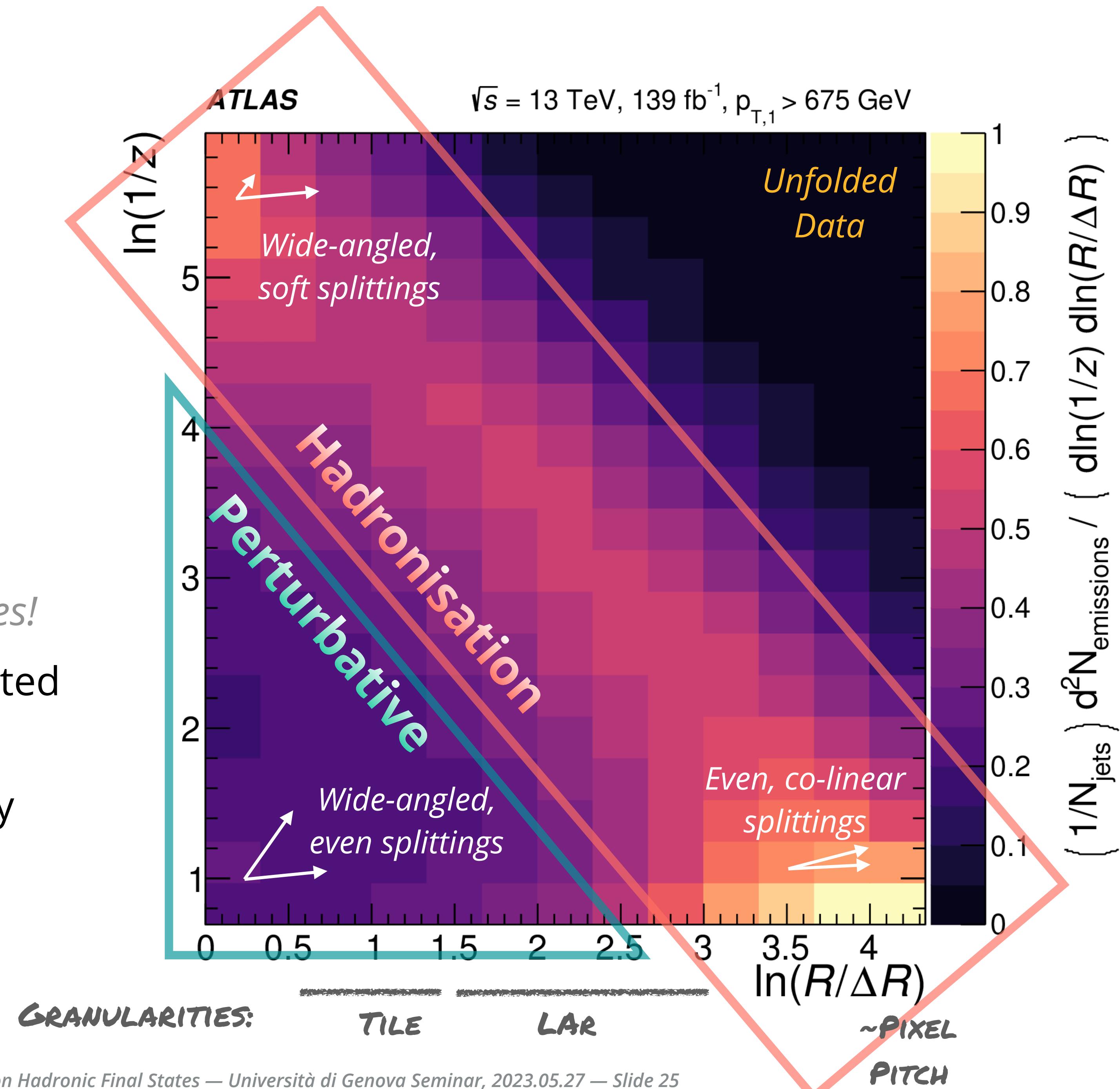
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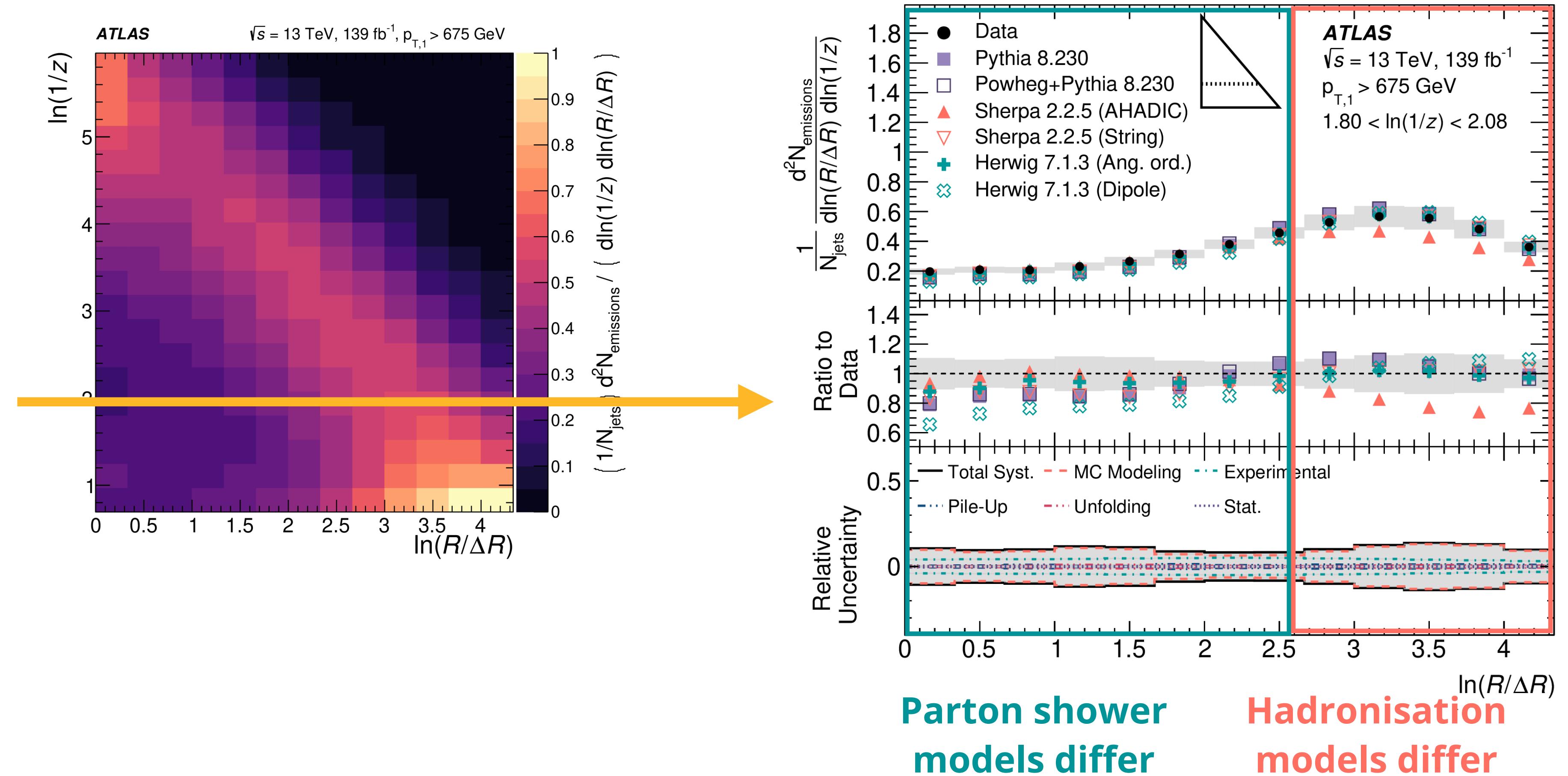


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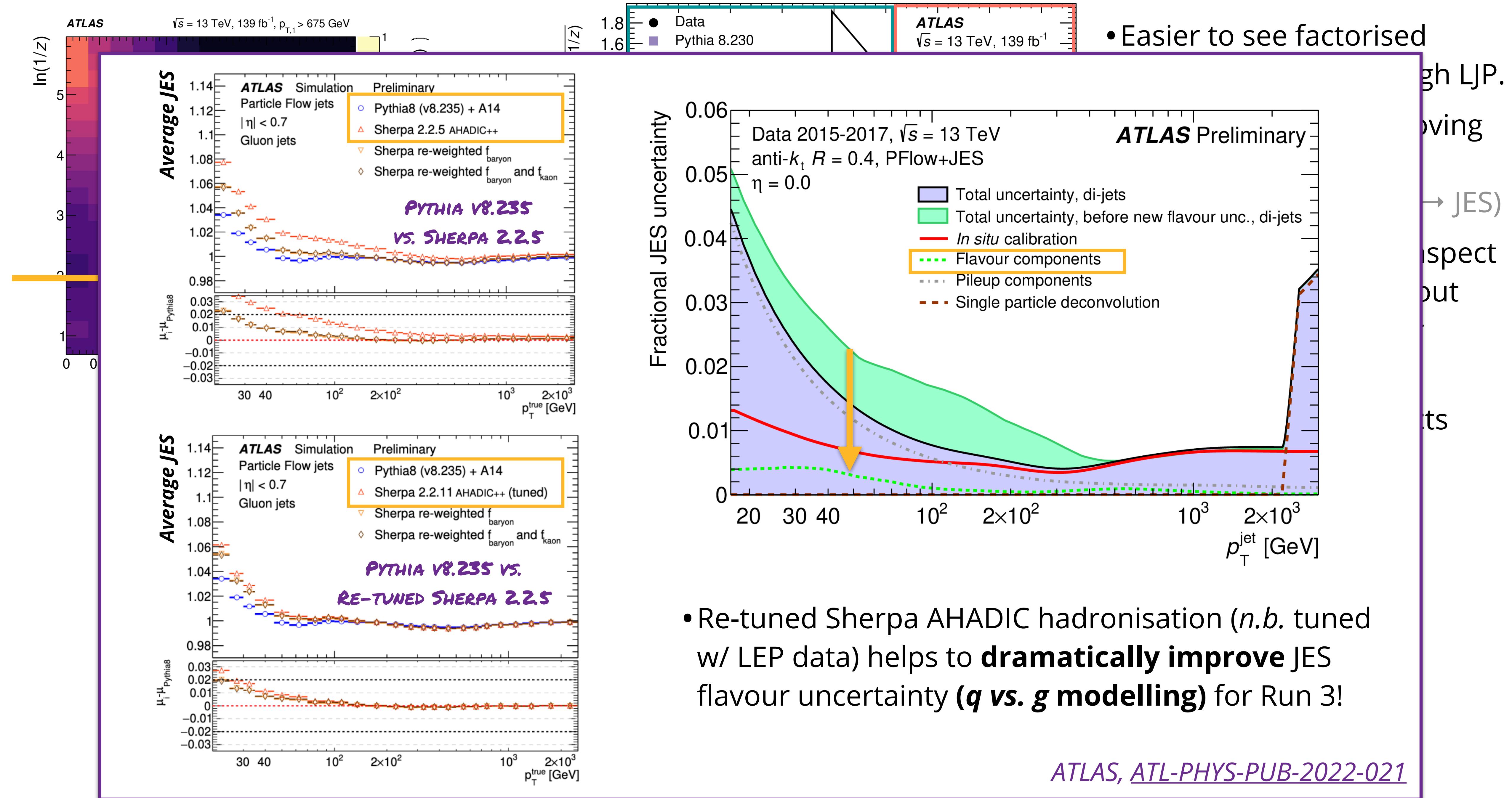
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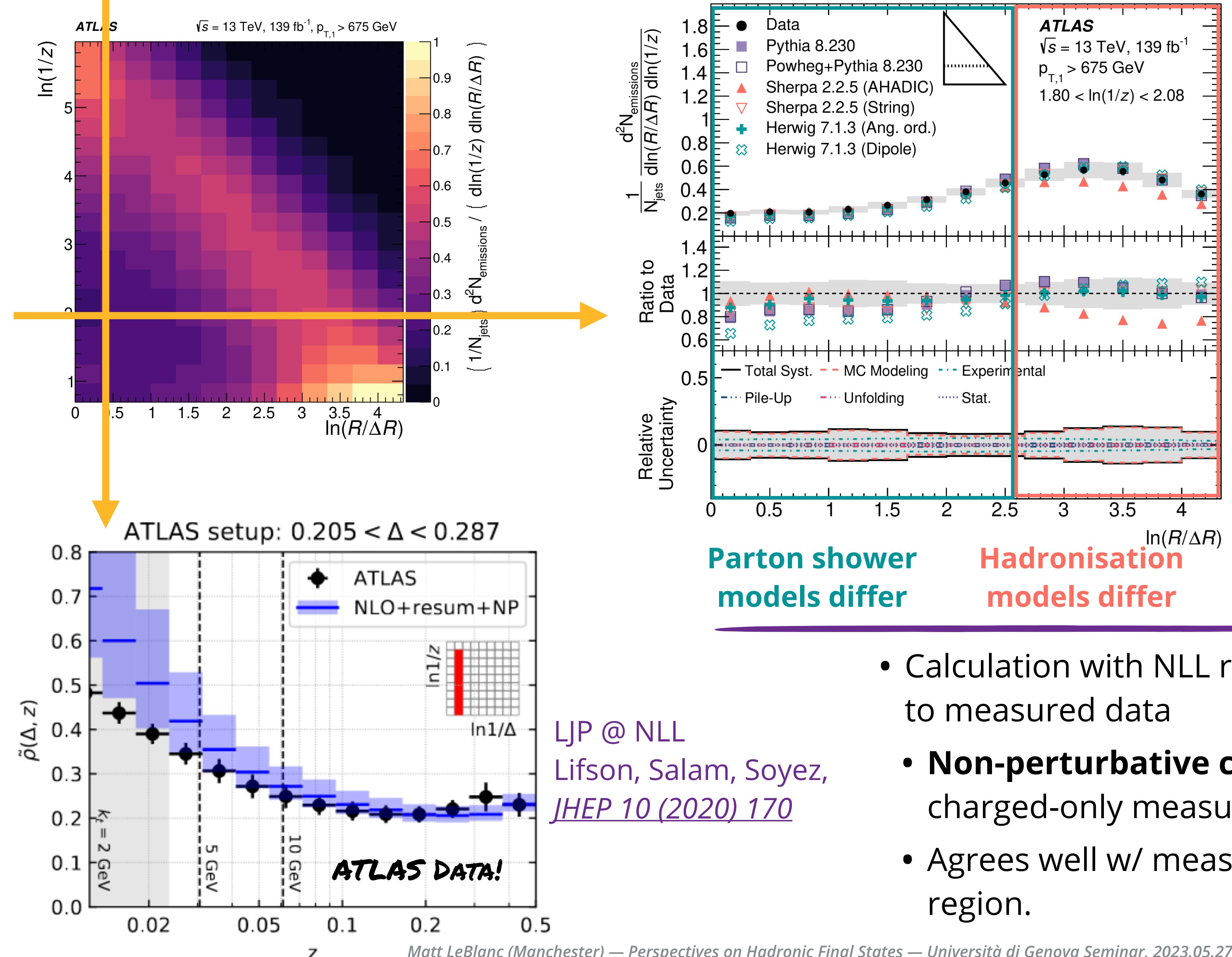
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- **Perturbative region**, uniformly populated (lower-left corner).
- **Non-Perturbative region**, enhanced by hadronisation (diagonal band).





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- Calculation with NLL resummation compared to measured data
- **Non-perturbative corrections small** despite charged-only measurement.
- Agrees well w/ measurement in perturbative region.

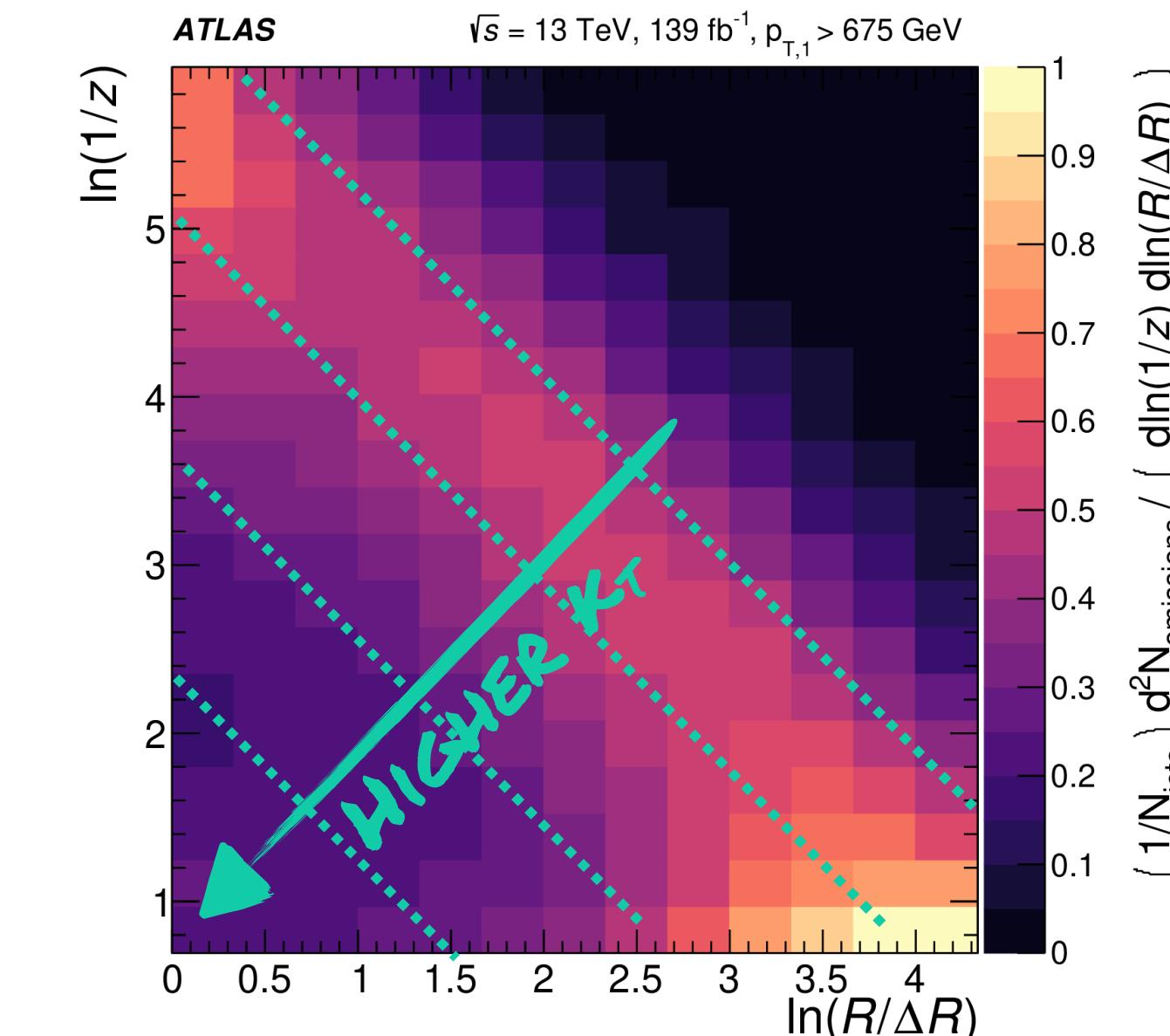
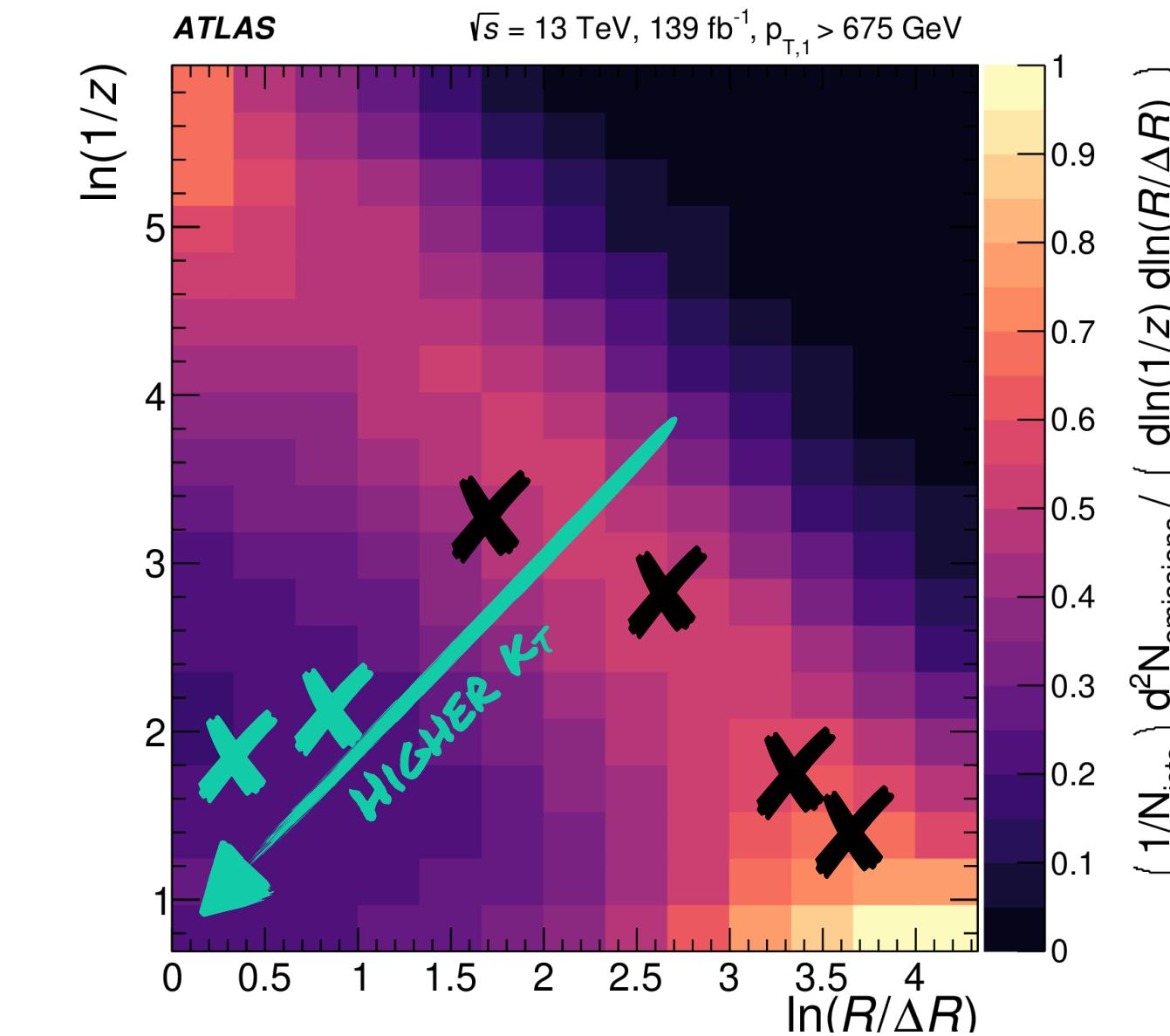
# LJP + Parton Showers >LL

Dasgupta, Dreyer, Hamilton, Monni, Salam & Soyez, *PRL* 125, 052002 (2020)  
<https://gsalam.web.cern.ch/gsalam/panscales/>

- Can the >NLL revolution for JSS be generalised?

*had LO  $\rightarrow$  NLO  $\rightarrow$  NNLO,  
now LL  $\rightarrow$  NLL  $\rightarrow$  NNLL!  
want Parton Showers: LL  $\rightarrow$  NLL*

- Parton Shower Monte Carlos are probably the most widely-used theoretical HEP tool.
  - We know that the current generation have limitations:
    - Only  $\sim$ LL accurate
    - Do not provide realistic estimates of uncertainties
    - Performance difficult to evaluate
      - tuned to data (empirical)
  - LJP can be used to construct observables sensitive to higher-order effects (PanScales, NLL).

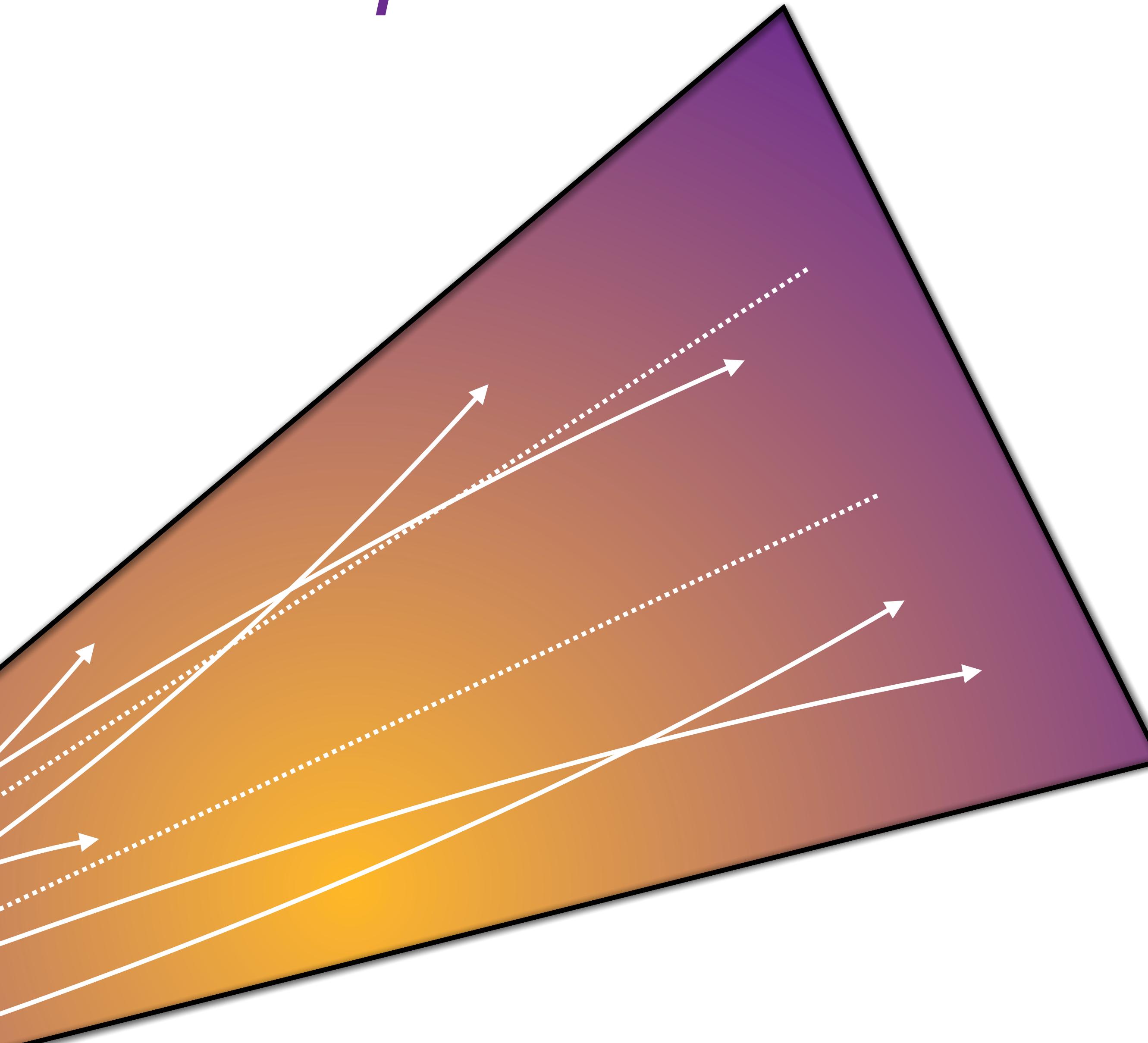


DELTA-PHI BETWEEN  
TWO EMISSIONS WITH  
HIGHEST  $K_T$   
→ SPIN  
CORRELATIONS

INCREASE  $K_T$ -CUT  
+ INTEGRATE IN LJP  
(COUNT EMISSIONS)  
→ SPLITTING  
FUNCTIONS  
( $2 \rightarrow 2, 2 \rightarrow 3$ )

SEE ALSO LH19  
2003.01700

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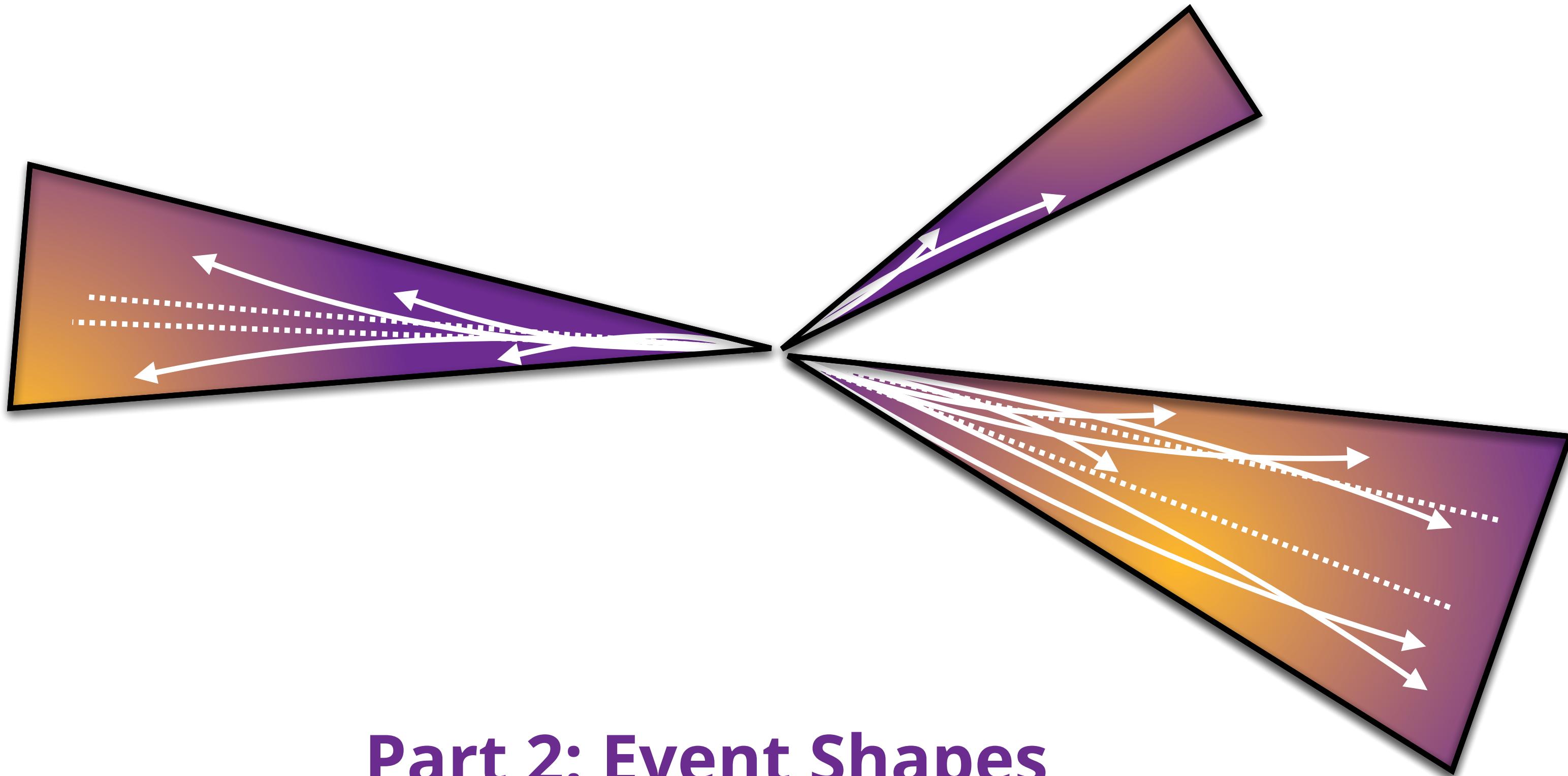
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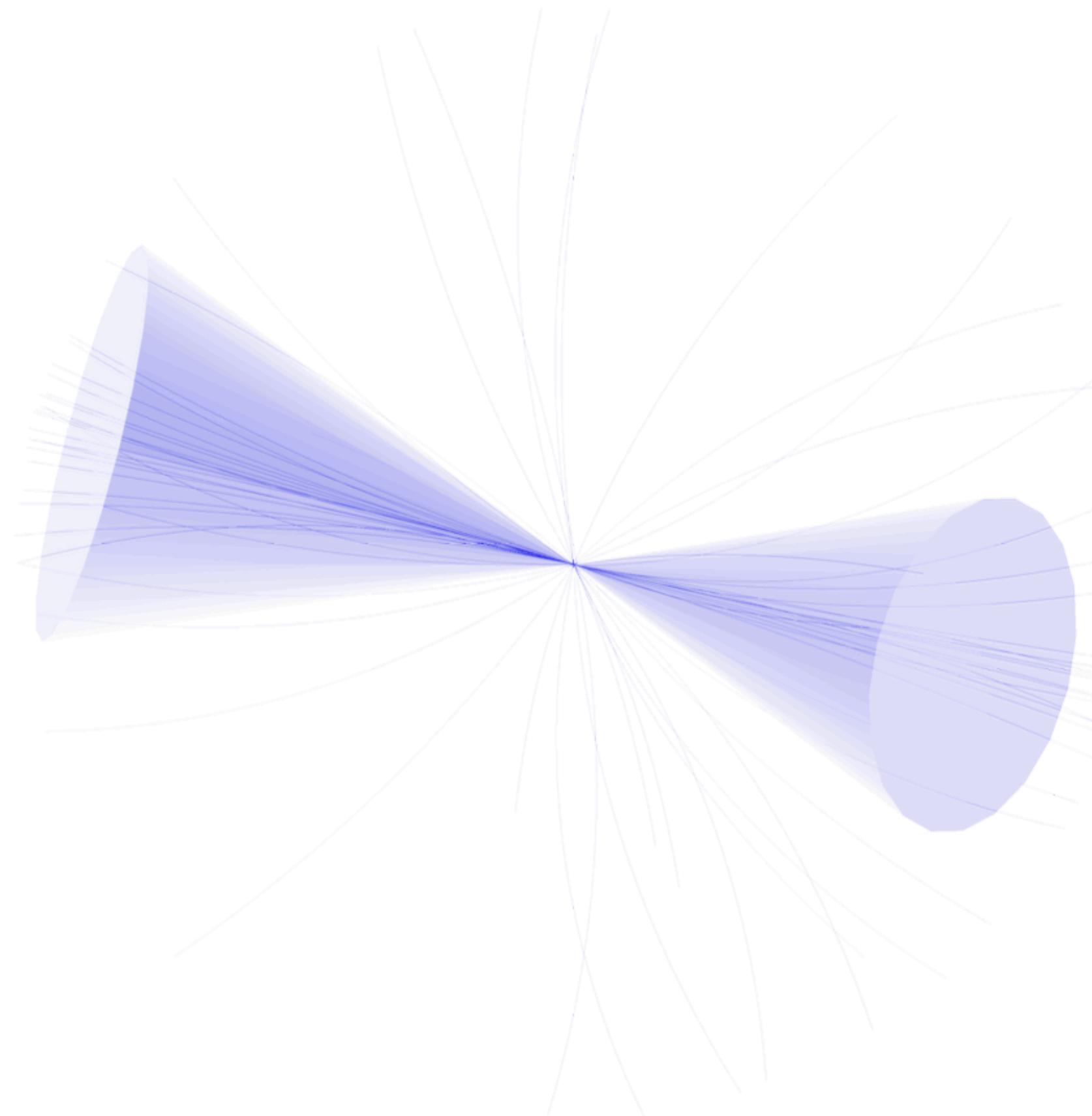
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Multijet Event Isotropies w/ Optimal Transport

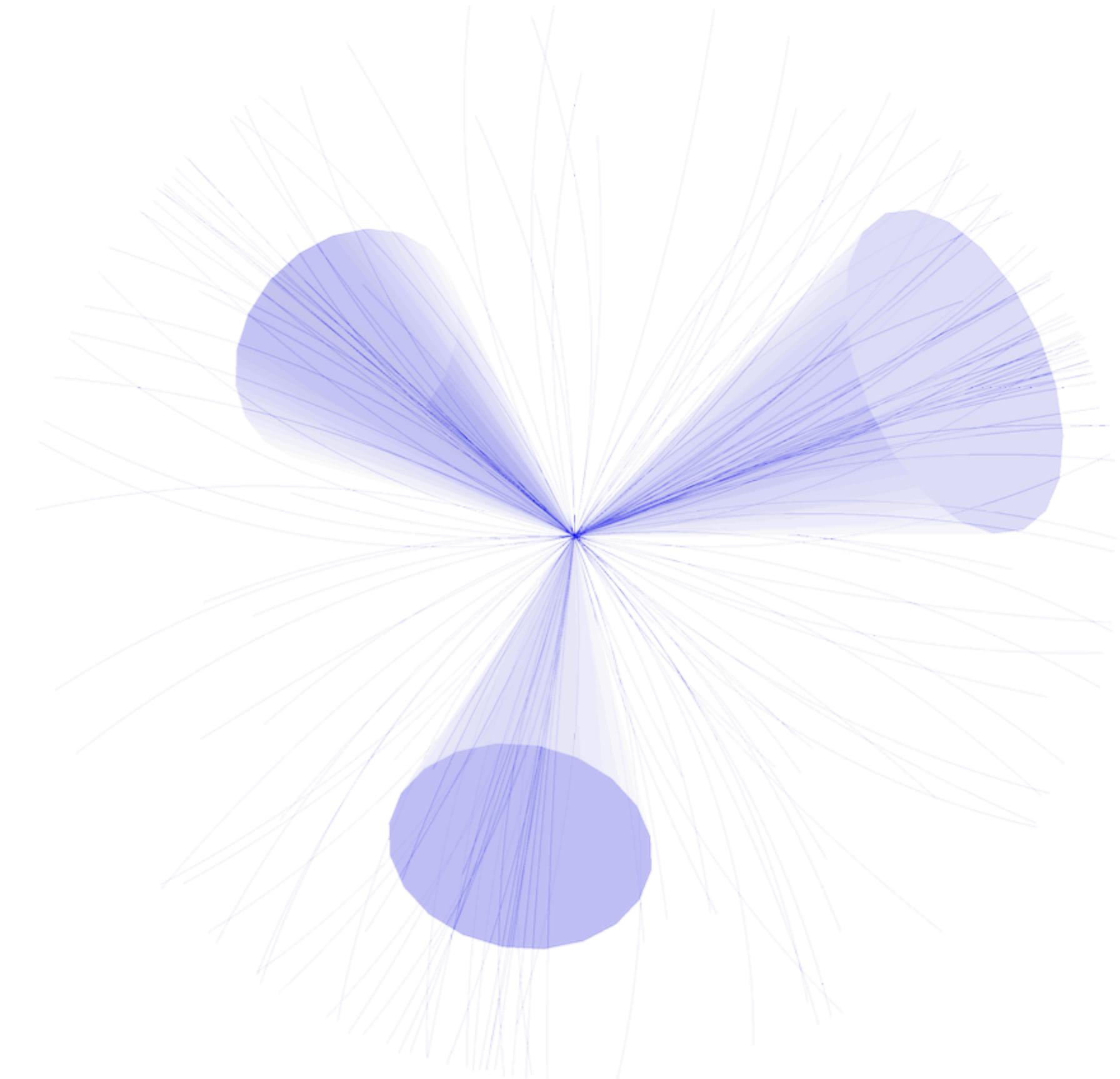
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# EVENT SHAPES

... INTERPOLATE BETWEEN COLLIDER EVENT TOPOLOGIES.



WHICH EVENT IS MORE  
BACK-TO-BACK?



# EVENT SHAPES

... INTERPOLATE BETWEEN COLLIDER EVENT TOPOLOGIES.

THEY HAVE SEEN A WIDE VARIETY OF APPLICATIONS IN COLLIDER PHYSICS FOR OVER 50 YEARS.

## GLUON OBSERVATION (JADE, 1980)

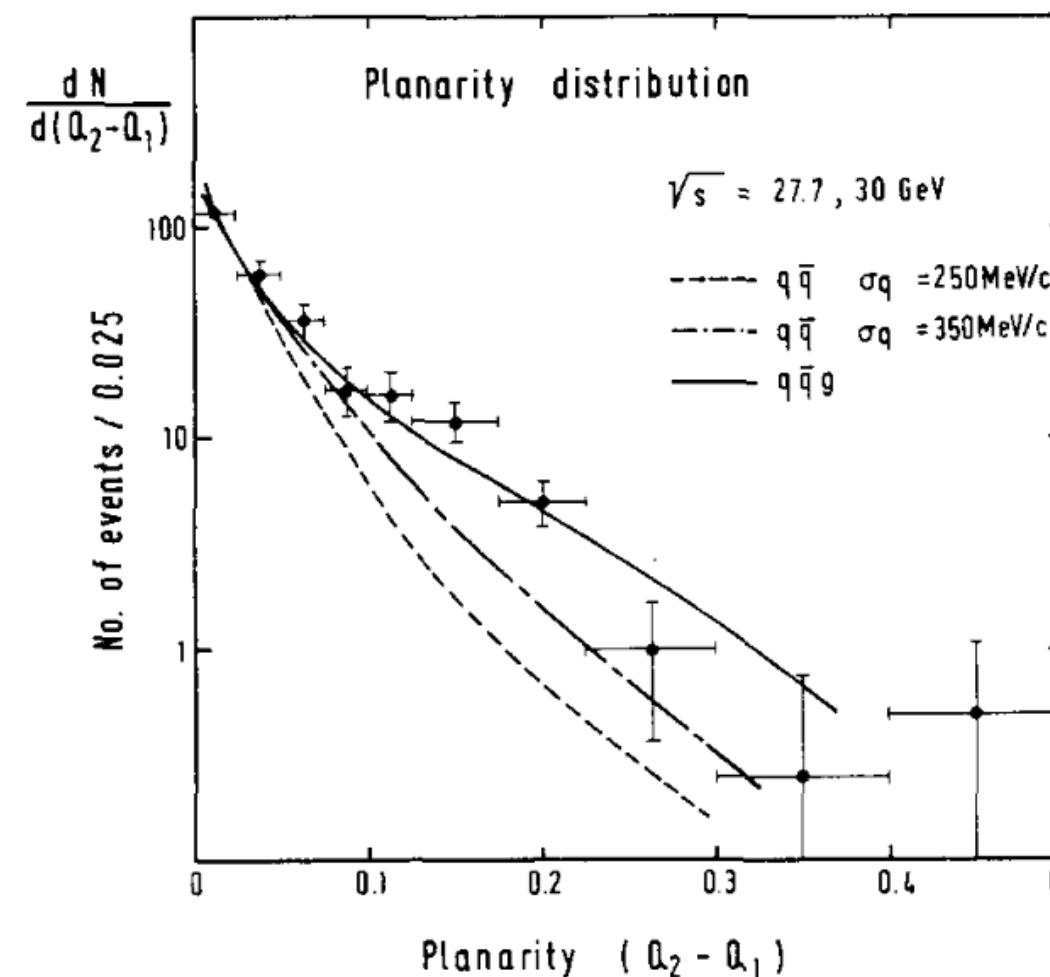
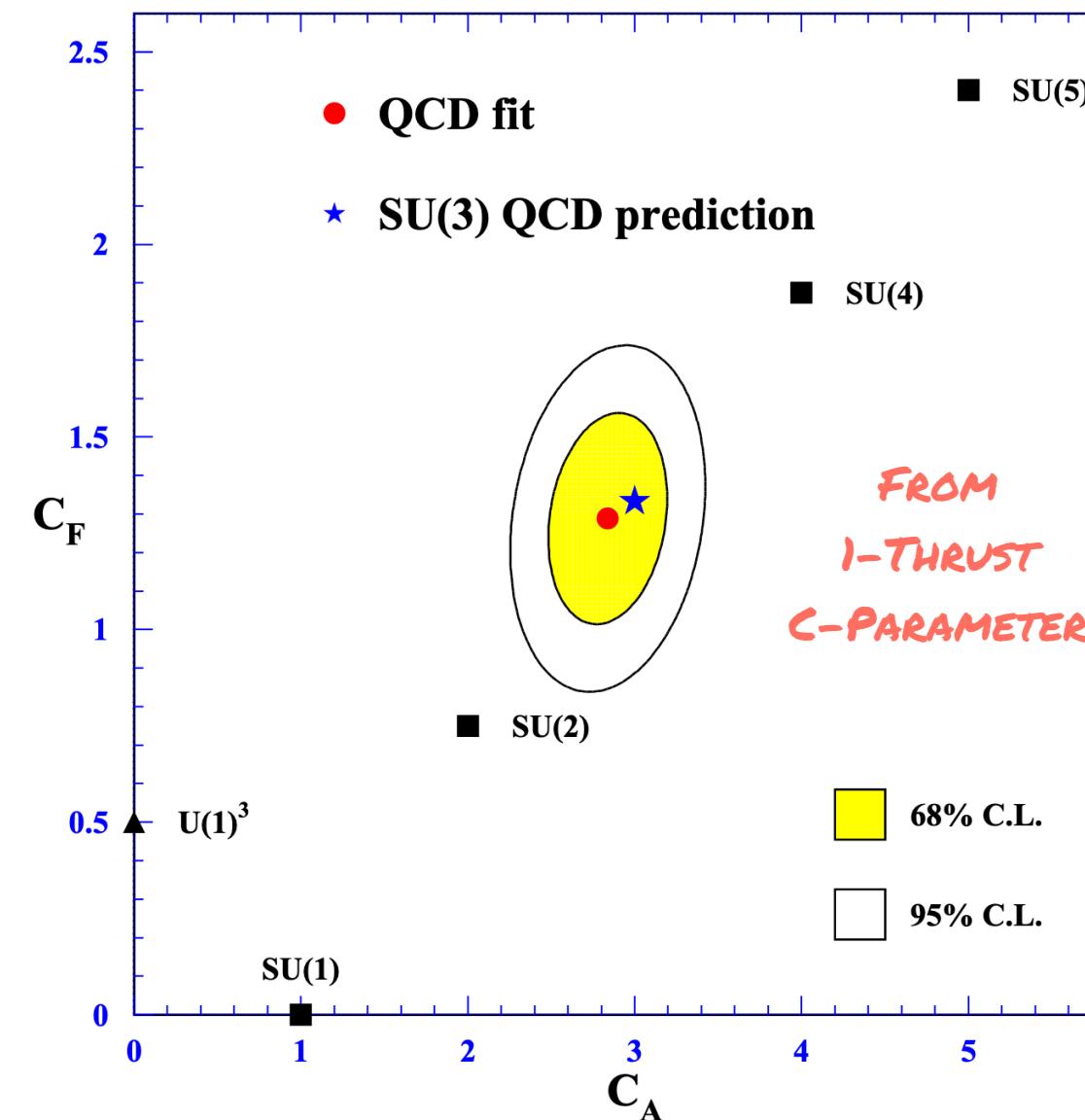


Fig. 3. The planarity distribution compared with model predictions.

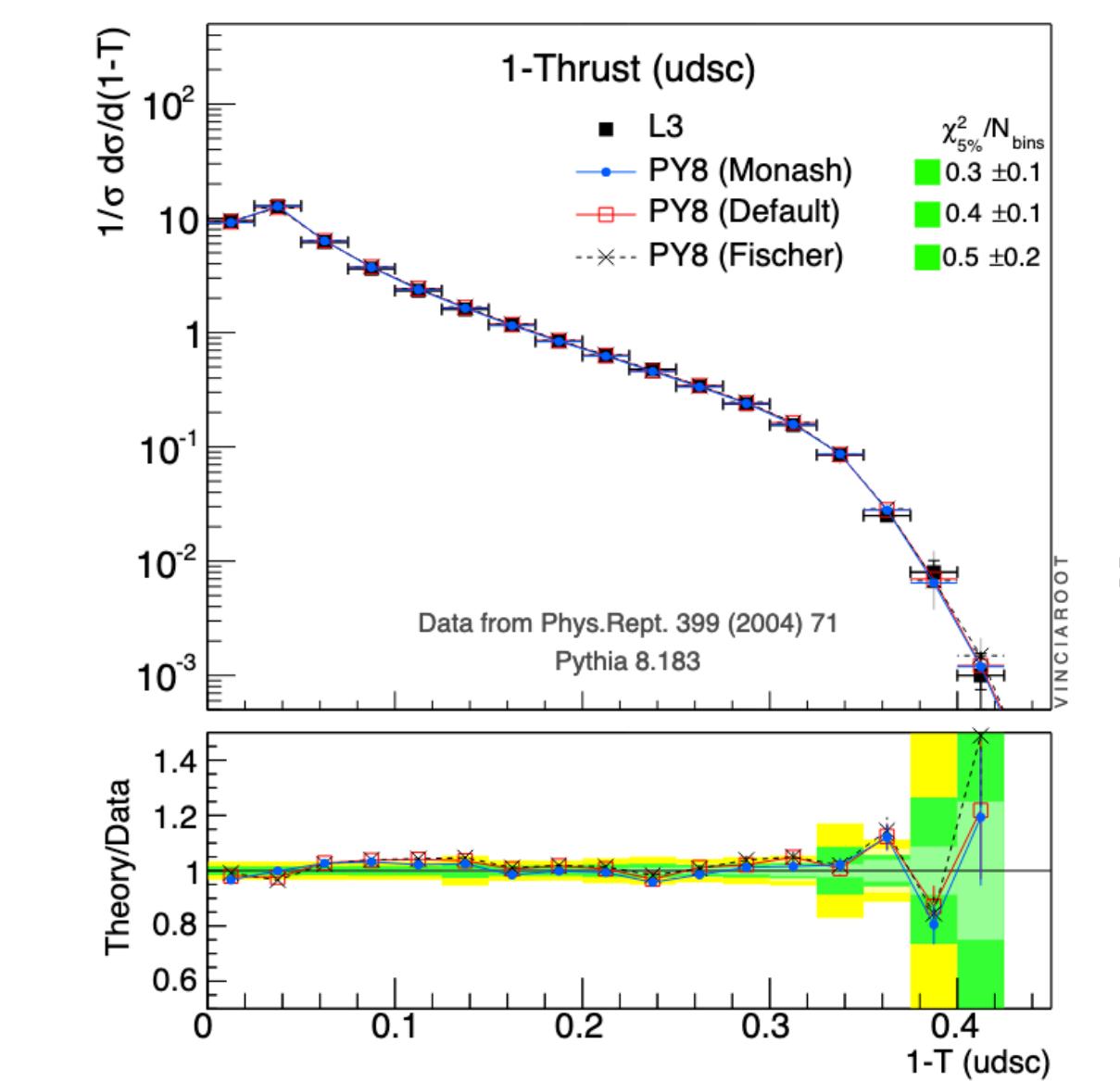
$$T_{\alpha\beta} = \sum_i P_{i\alpha} P_{i\beta} / \sum_i P_i^2 ,$$

$$T = \max_{\vec{n}} \left( \frac{\sum_i |\vec{p}_i \cdot \vec{n}|}{\sum_i |\vec{p}_i|} \right) \quad C = 3(\lambda_1\lambda_2 + \lambda_2\lambda_3 + \lambda_3\lambda_1)$$

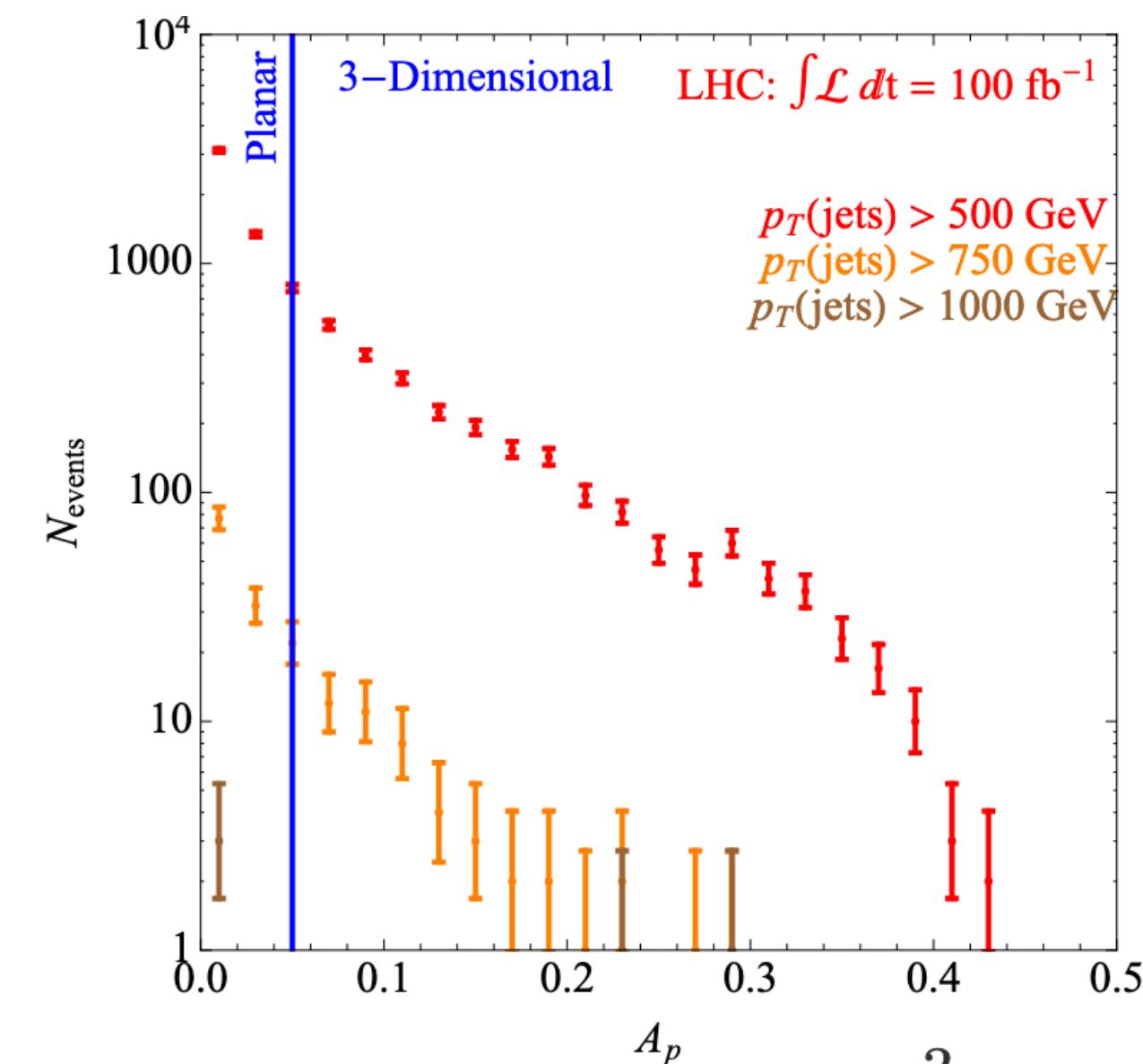
## QCD COLOUR FACTORS (KLUTH ET AL. 2000)



## MONASH TUNE (SKANDS ET AL. 2014)



## BSM? (ANCHORDOQUI ET AL. 2011)



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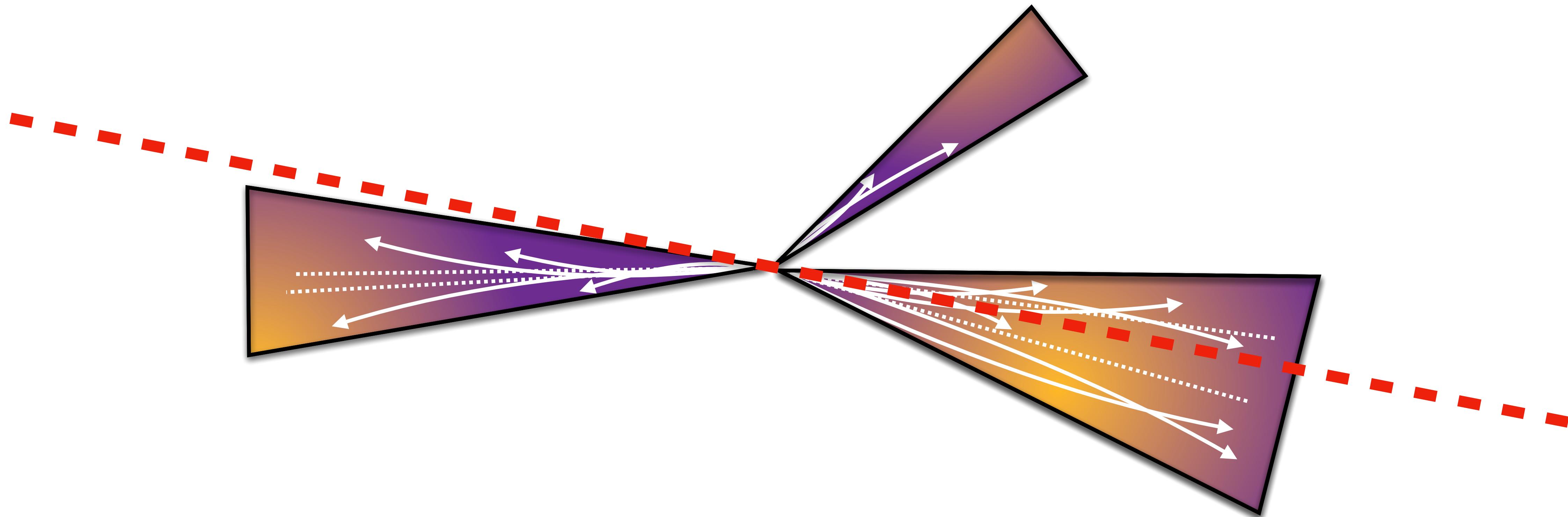
$$A_p = \frac{3}{2} Q_1,$$

# Transverse thrust

*One common  
definition of thrust:*

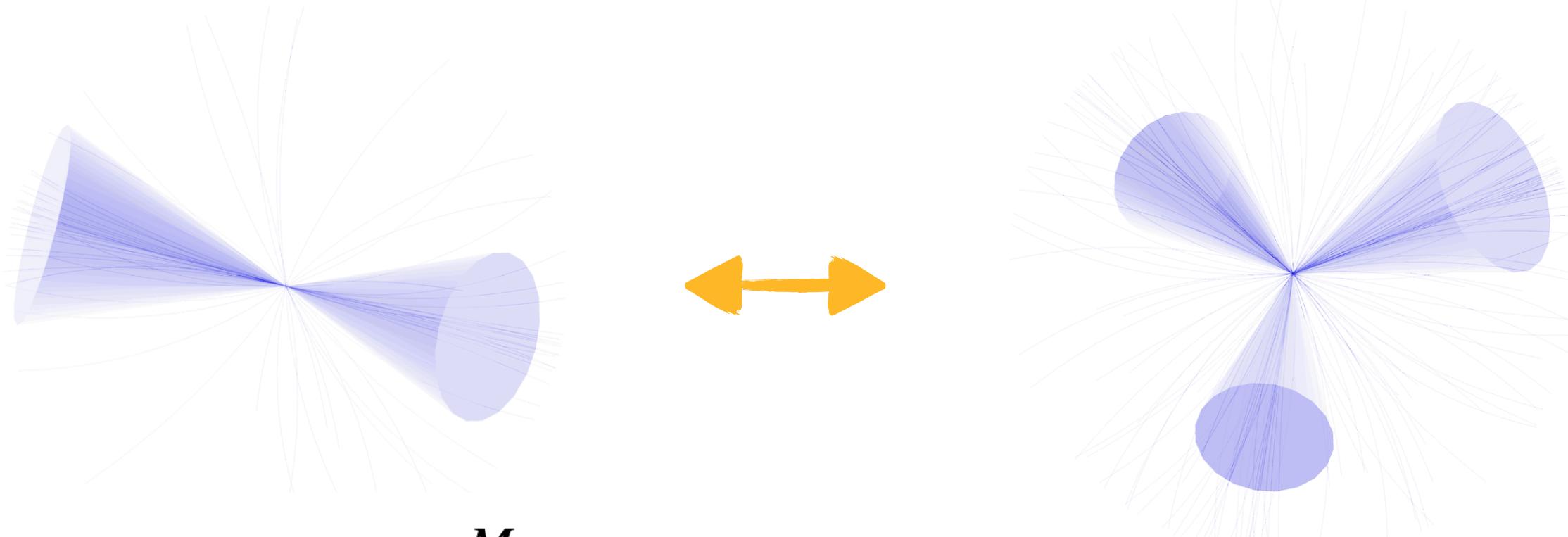
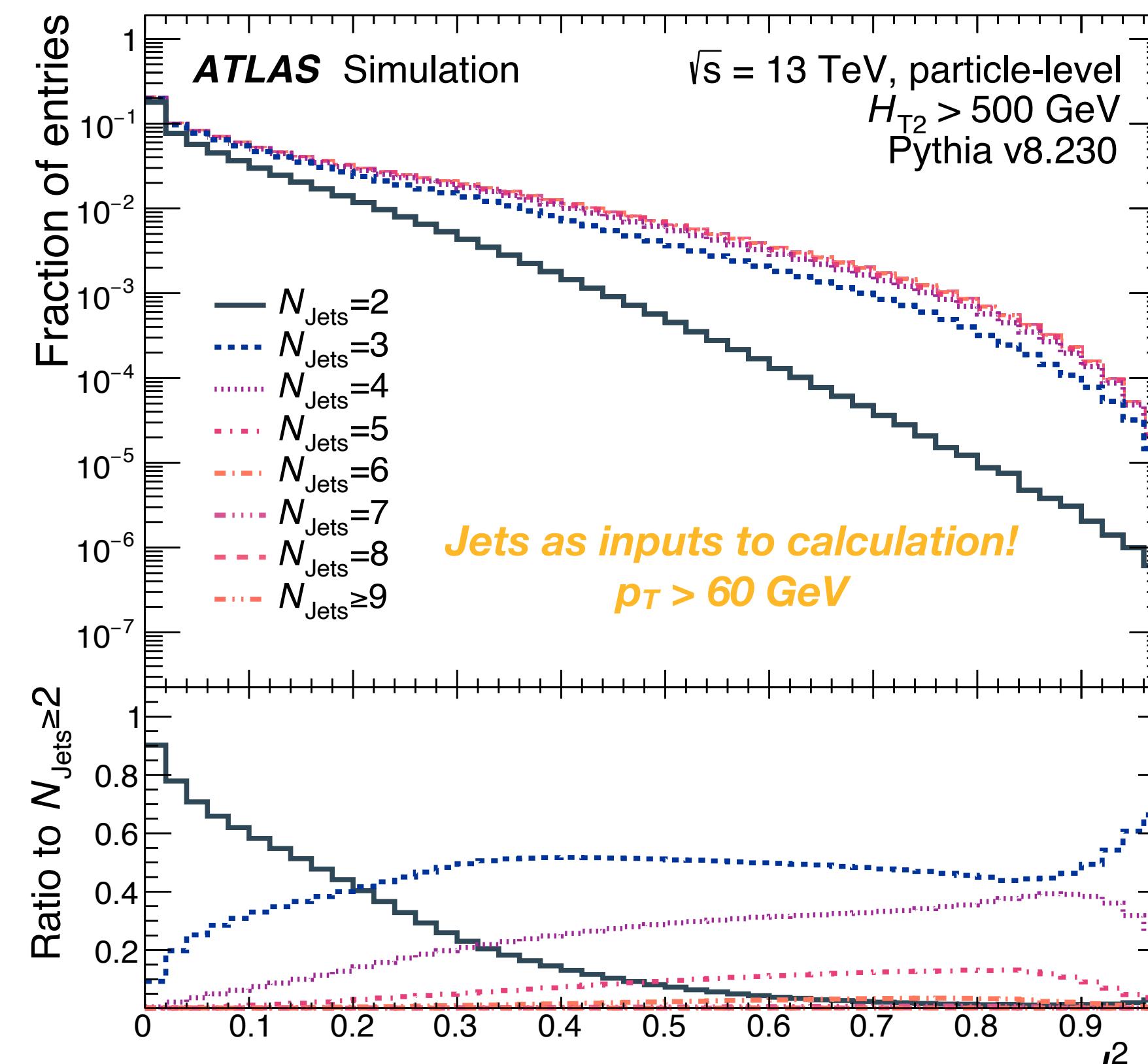
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**PROJECT EVENT ACTIVITY  
ONTO THE 'THRUST AXIS'  
THAT MINIMISES  
OBSERVABLE**



# Transverse thrust

- **Transverse Thrust** is an extremely well-understood event shape in  $pp$  collisions.
  - Quantifies how “back-to-back” an event is.
  - Small values: back-to-back
  - Large values: ‘Mercedes’
- *Are Mercedes events isotropic?*

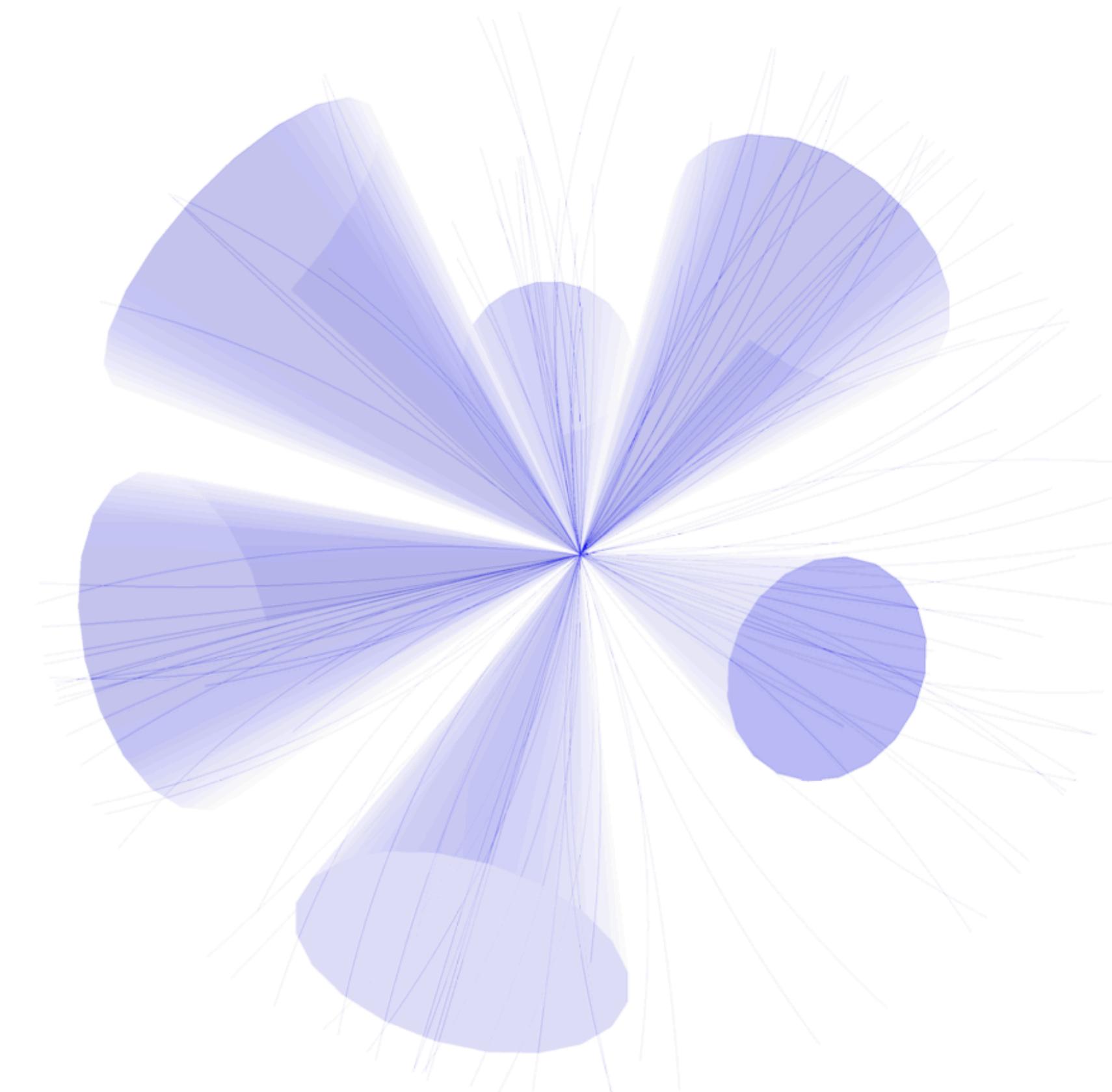


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**WHAT ABOUT THIS EVENT?**

**DOES IT HAVE A LARGE OR  
SMALL THRUST VALUE?**

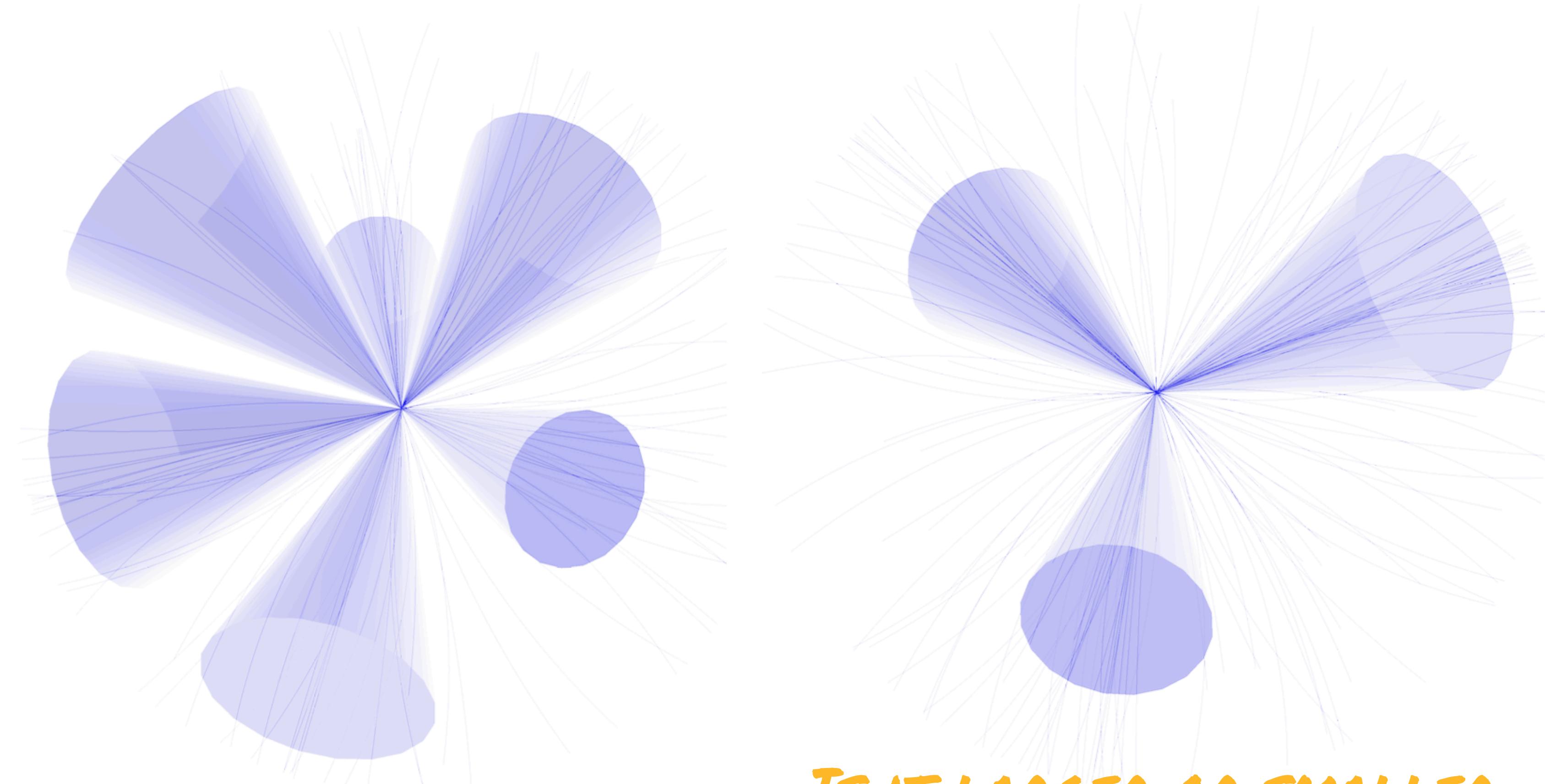
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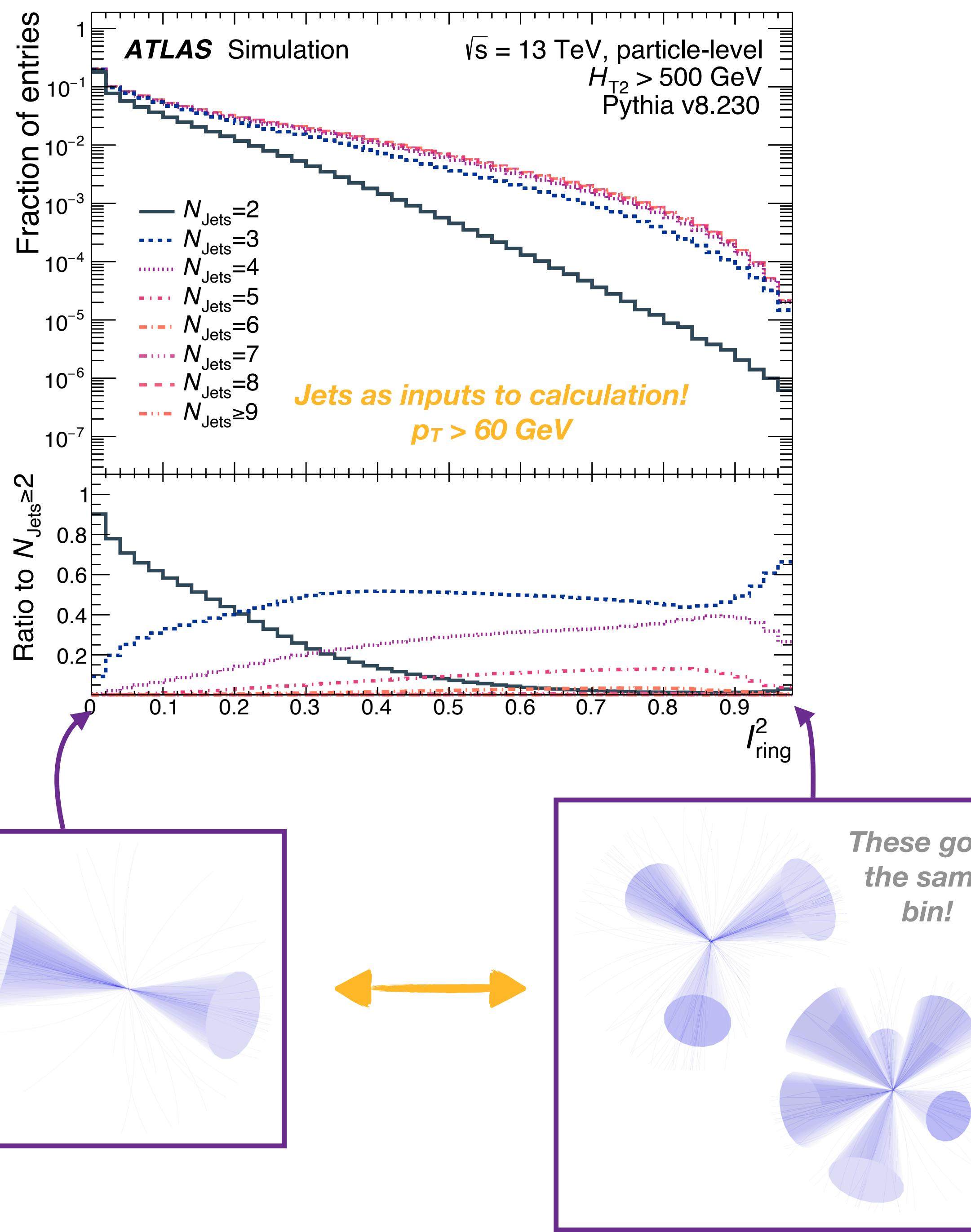
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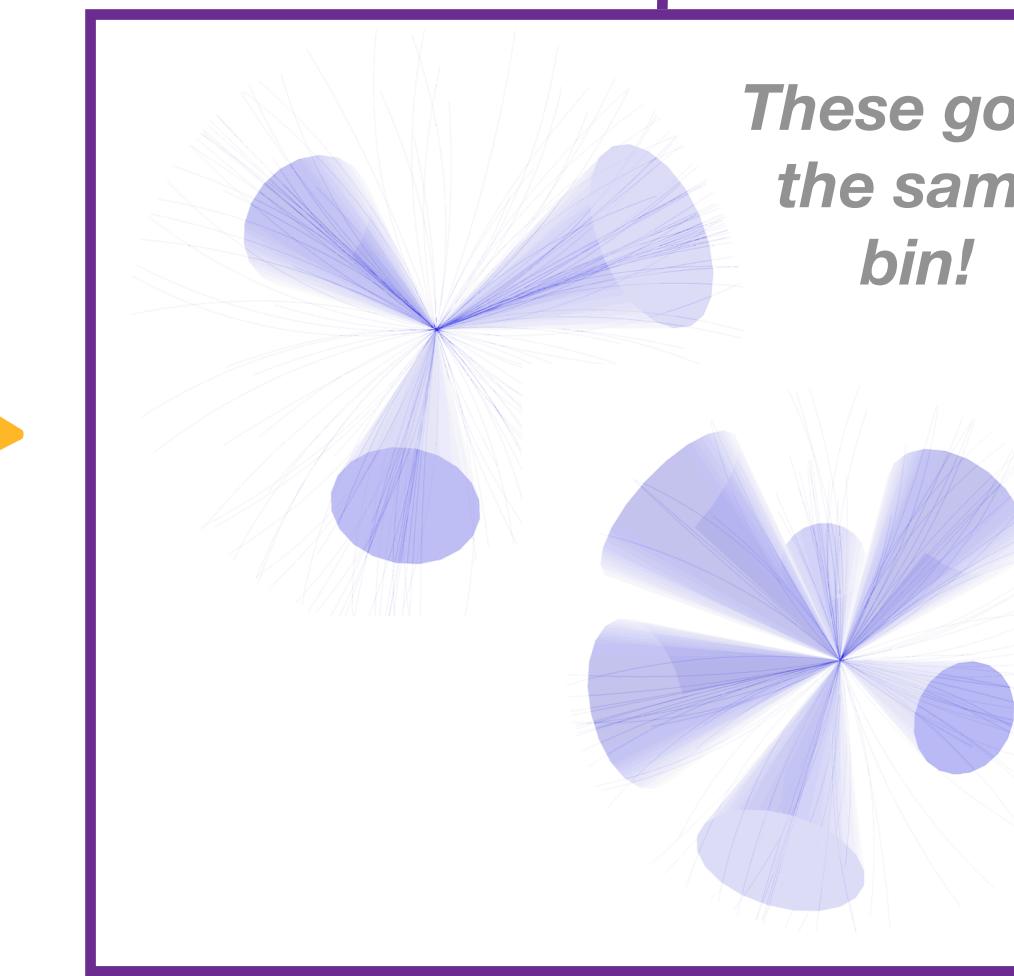
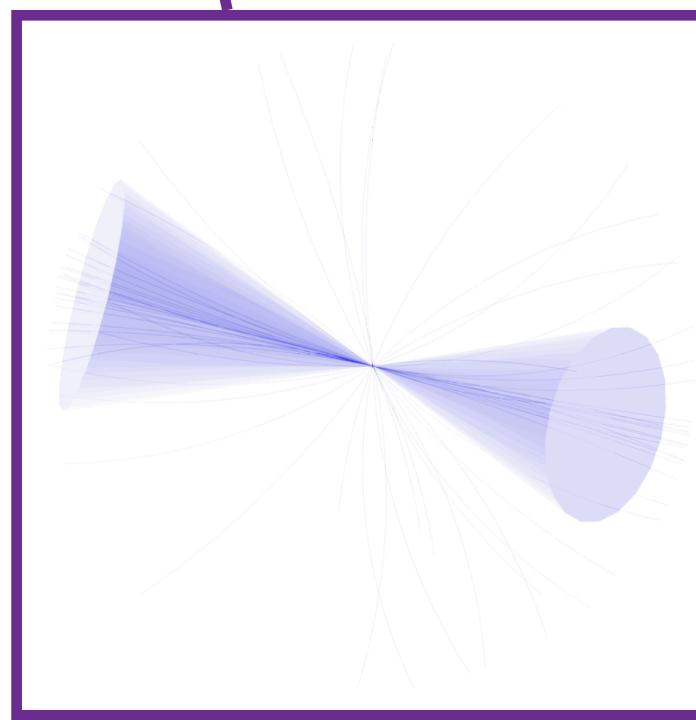


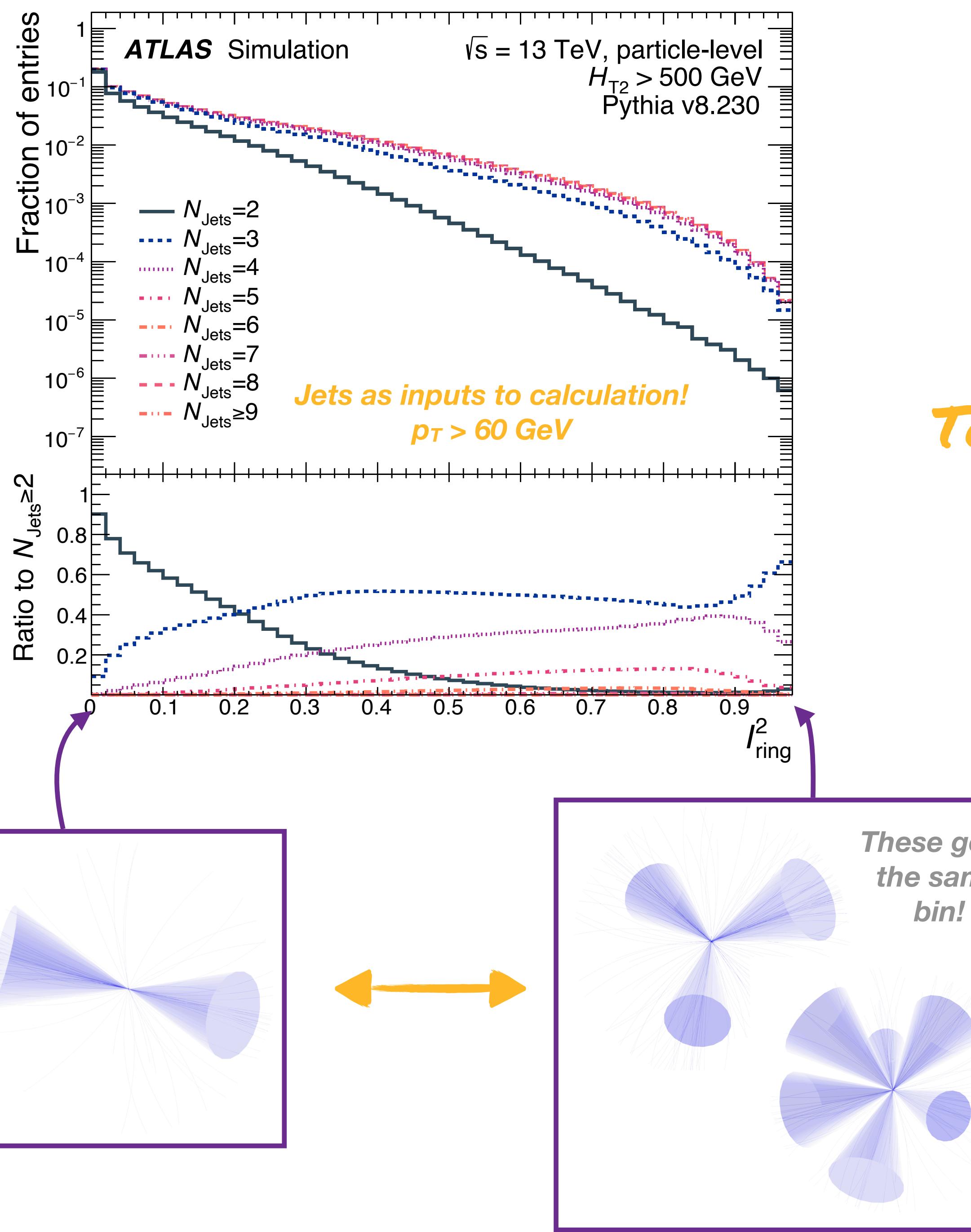
IS IT LARGER OR SMALLER  
THAN THIS ONE?  
MORE OR LESS ISOTROPIC?



THRUST PICKS OUT BACK-TO-BACK  
EVENTS, NOT ISOTROPIC ONES.

These go in  
the same  
bin!





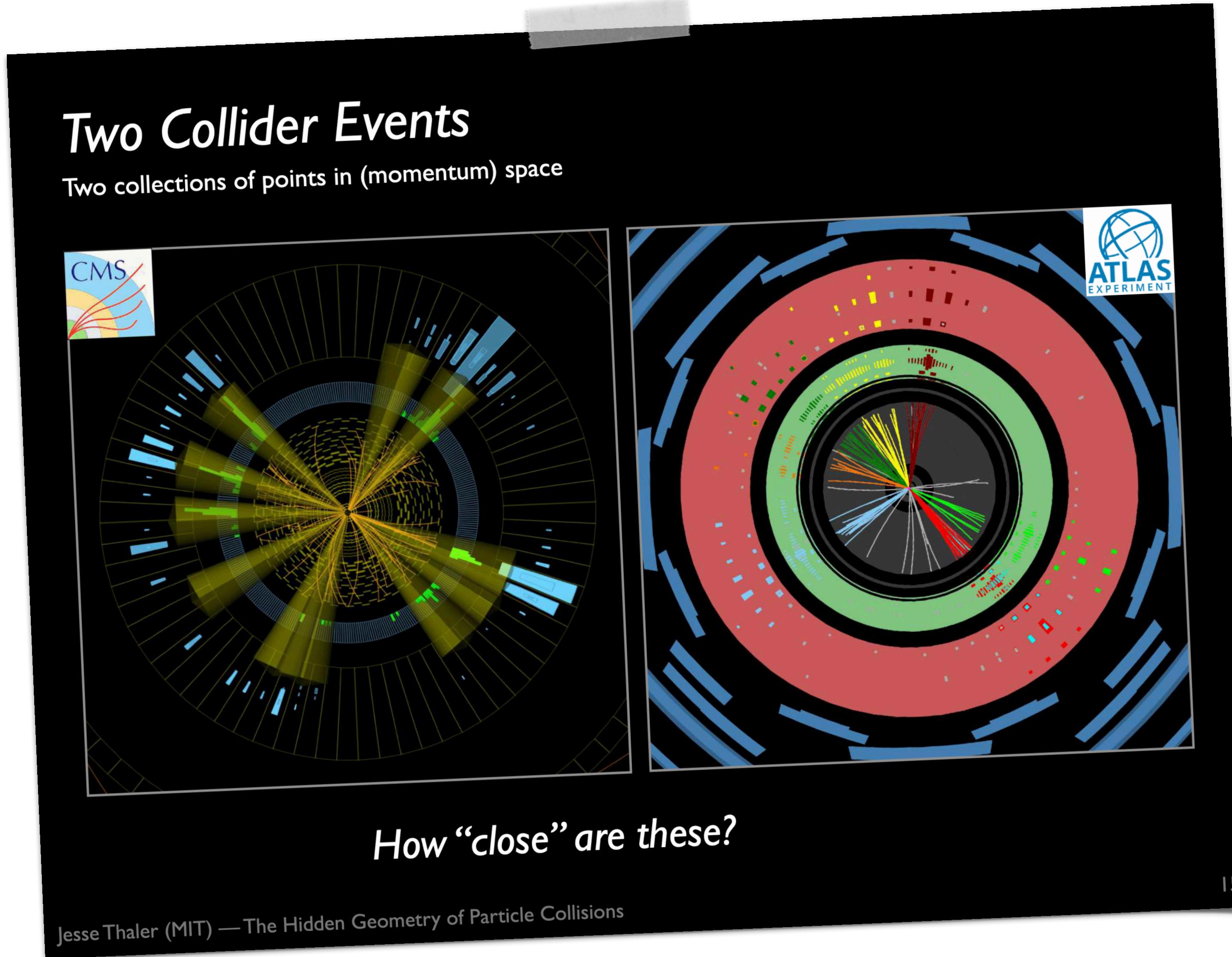
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TO ISOLATE ISOTROPIC CONFIGURATIONS,  
WE NEED A NEW TOOL:

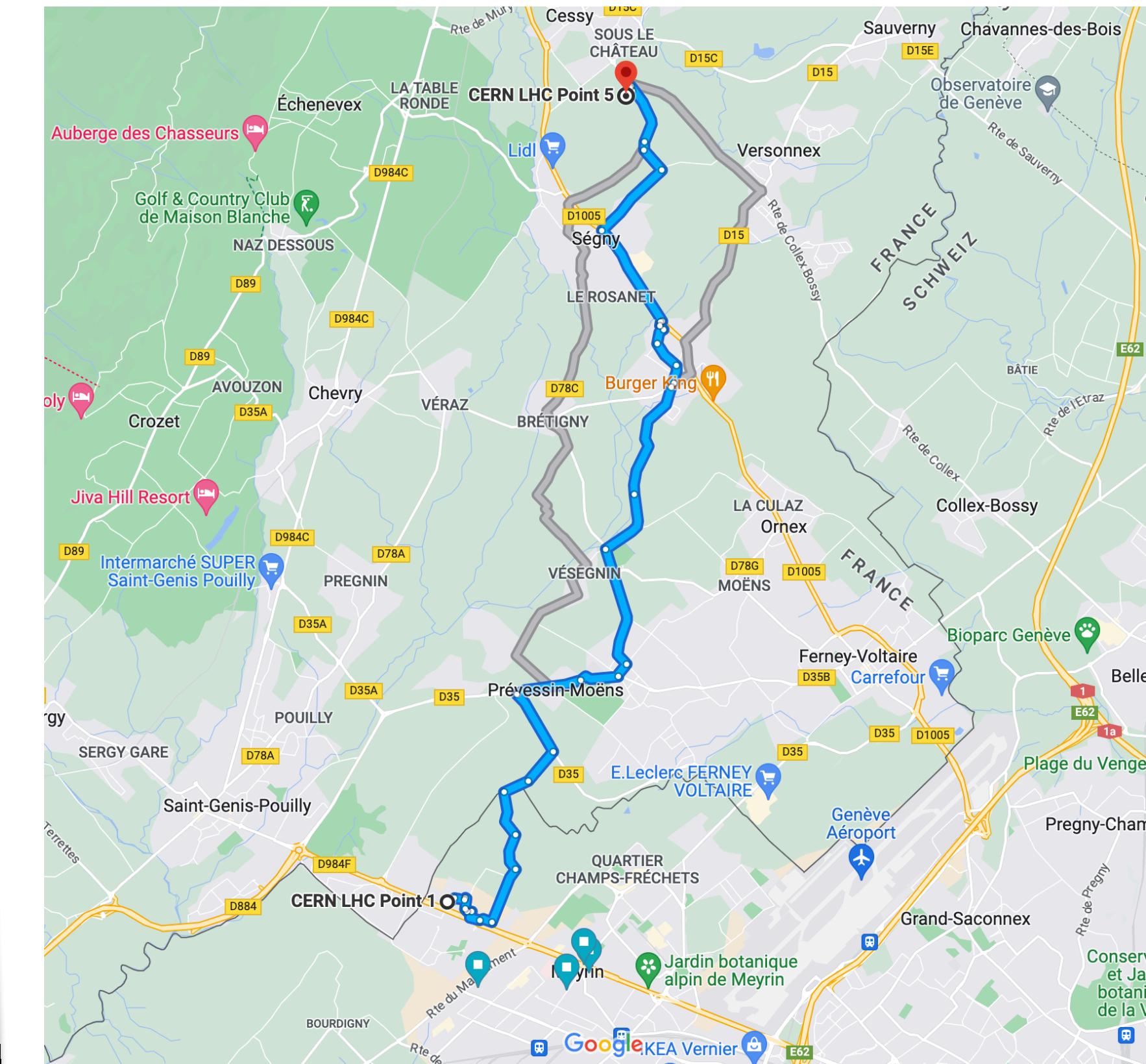
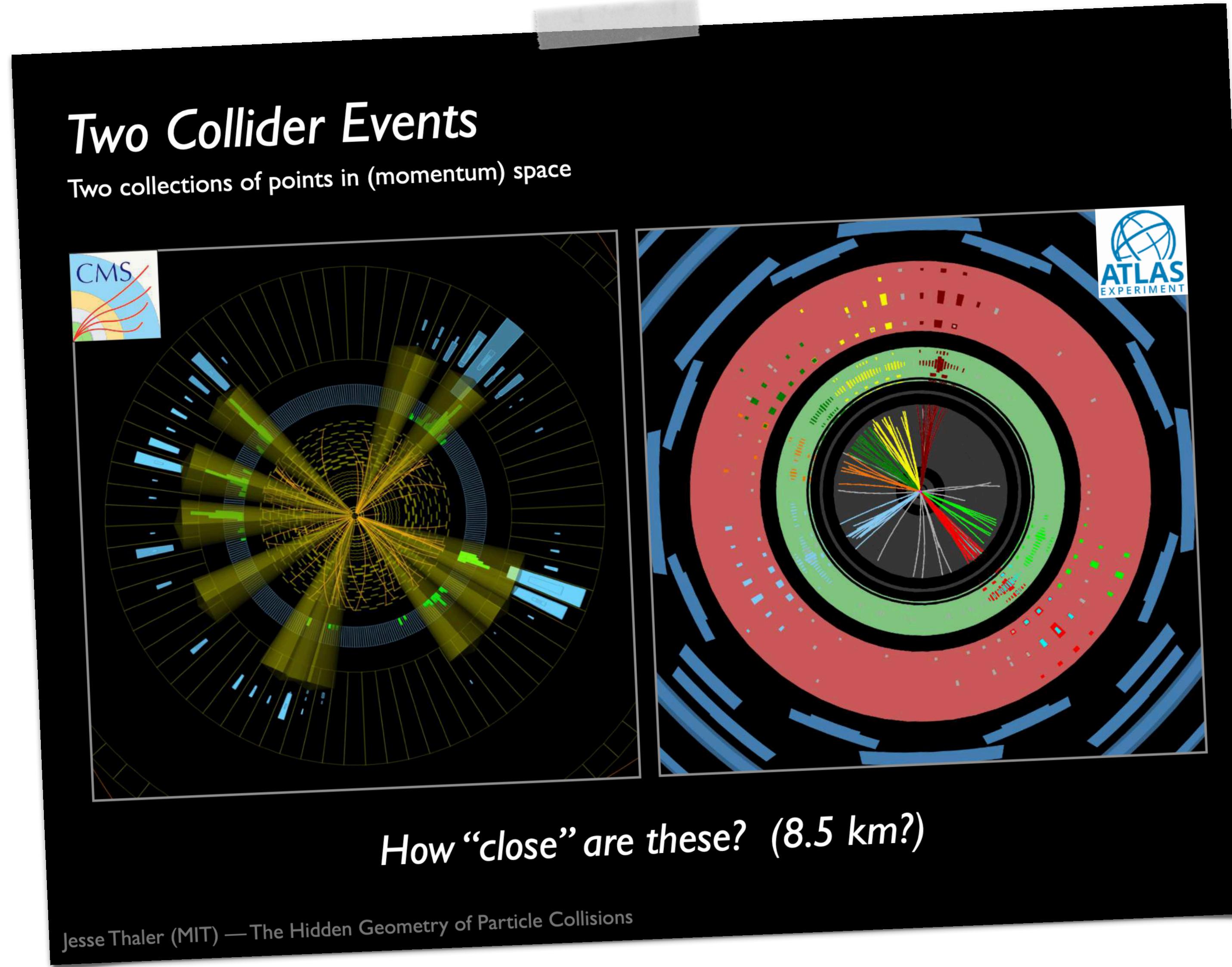


... A NOTION  
OF "DISTANCE"!

# Distance & QCD



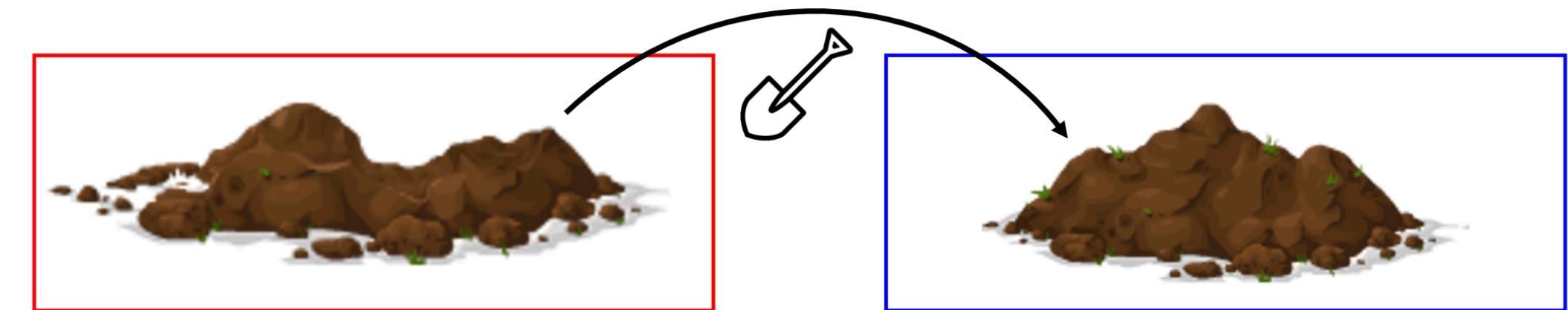
# Distance & QCD



# Energy-Mover's Distance (EMD)

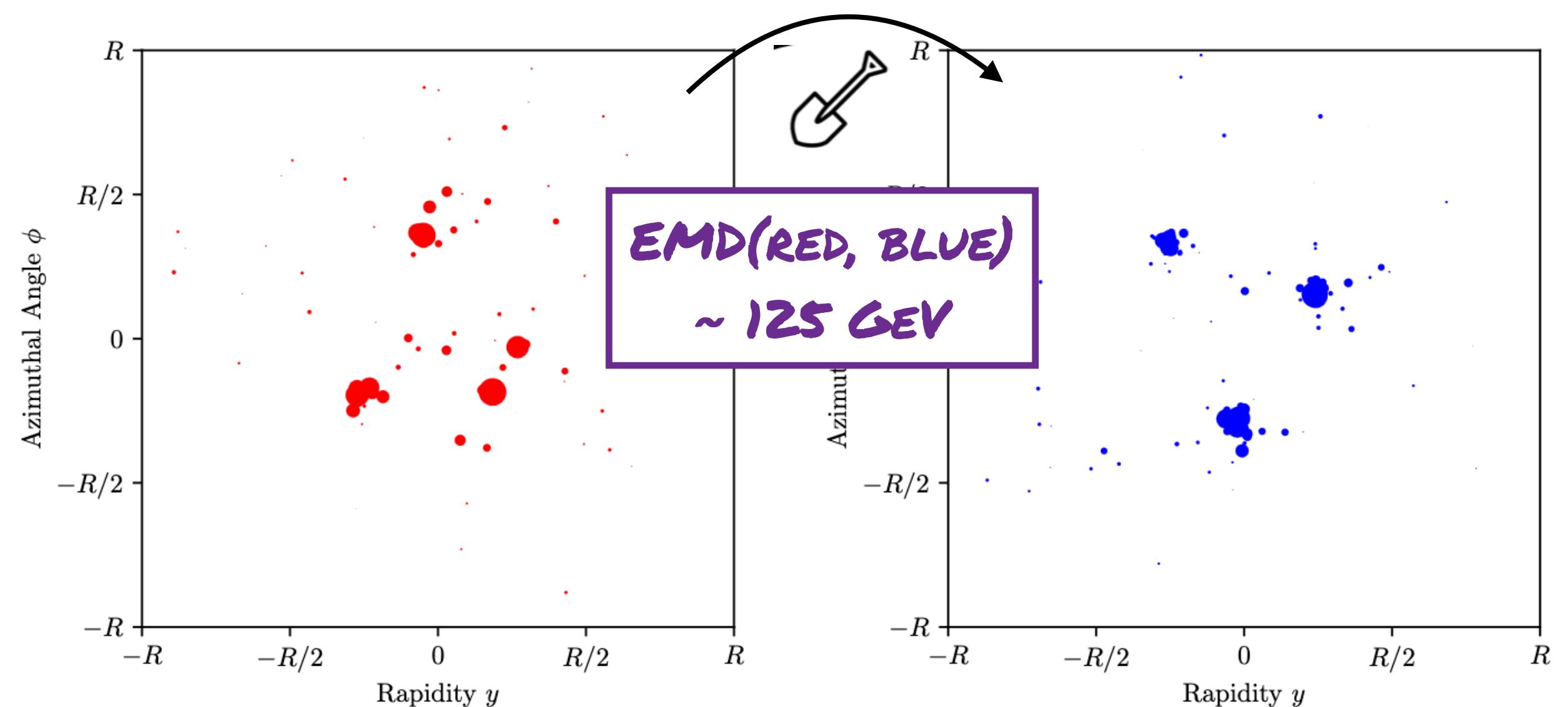
Komiske, Metodiev & Thaler, [PRL 123, 041801 \(2019\)](#), [JHEP 07 \(2020\) 006](#)

- Need **IRC-safe distance metric** between collider radiation patterns.
  - EMD defined as the **minimum 'work required to re-arrange one event into another.**
  - Corresponds to the  **$p$ -Wasserstein class** of metrics.
- **Interdisciplinary tool for QCD analysis!**
  - EMDs used often in **computer vision**: problems solved w/ **Optimal Transport** techniques.
    - Common tools/libraries... [1](#), [2](#), [3](#)
    - Some have been adapted for HEP! [4](#), [5](#)

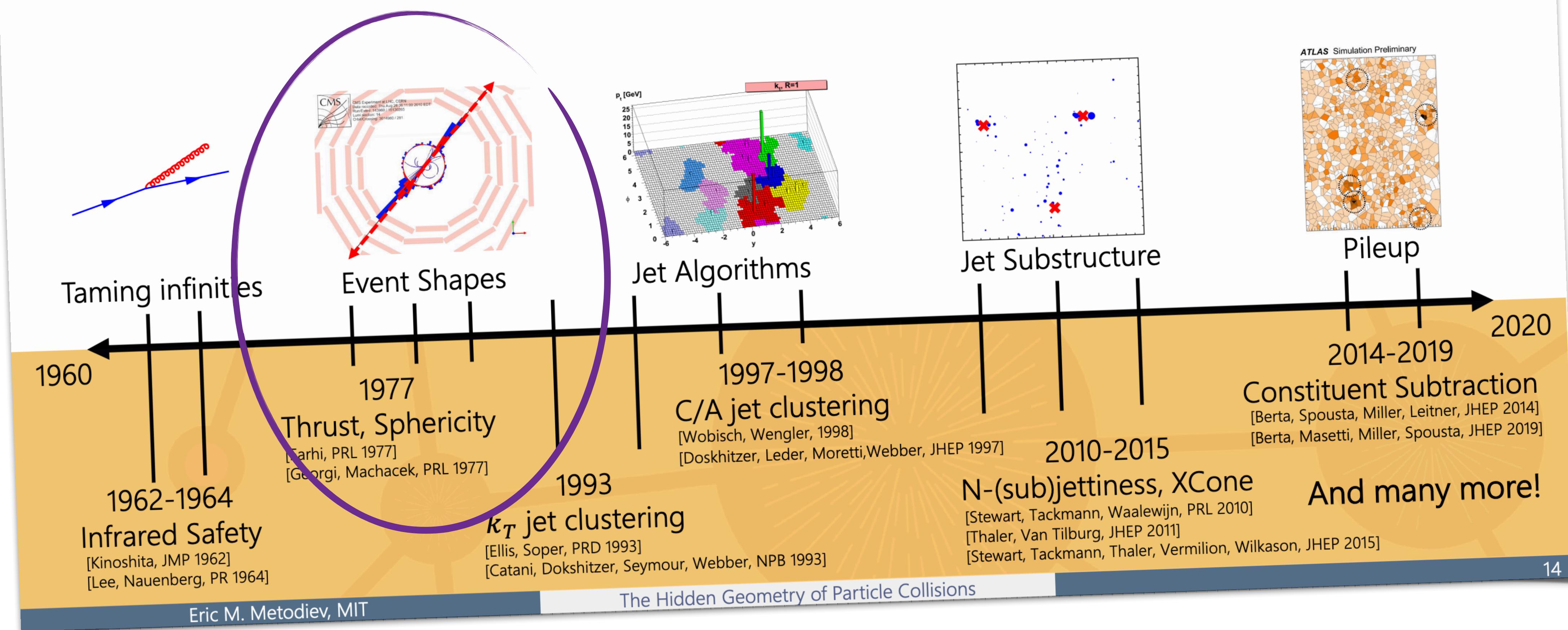


A.K.A. EARTH-MOVER'S DISTANCE

$$\text{EMD}_\beta(\mathcal{E}, \mathcal{E}') = \min_{\{f_{ij} \geq 0\}} \sum_{i=1}^M \sum_{j=1}^{M'} f_{ij} \theta_{ij}^\beta$$



# Six Decades of Collider Techniques



# Thrust via OT

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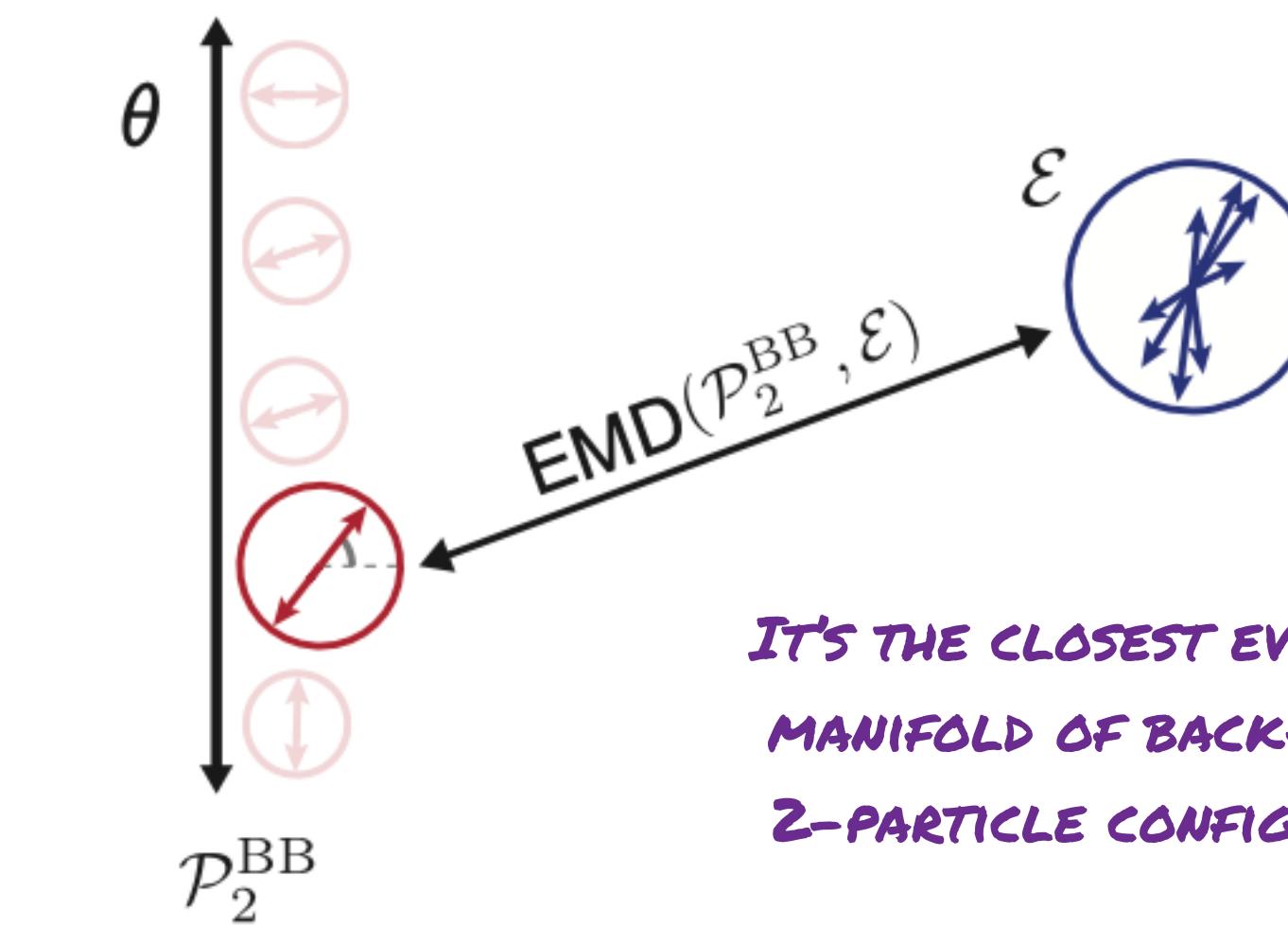
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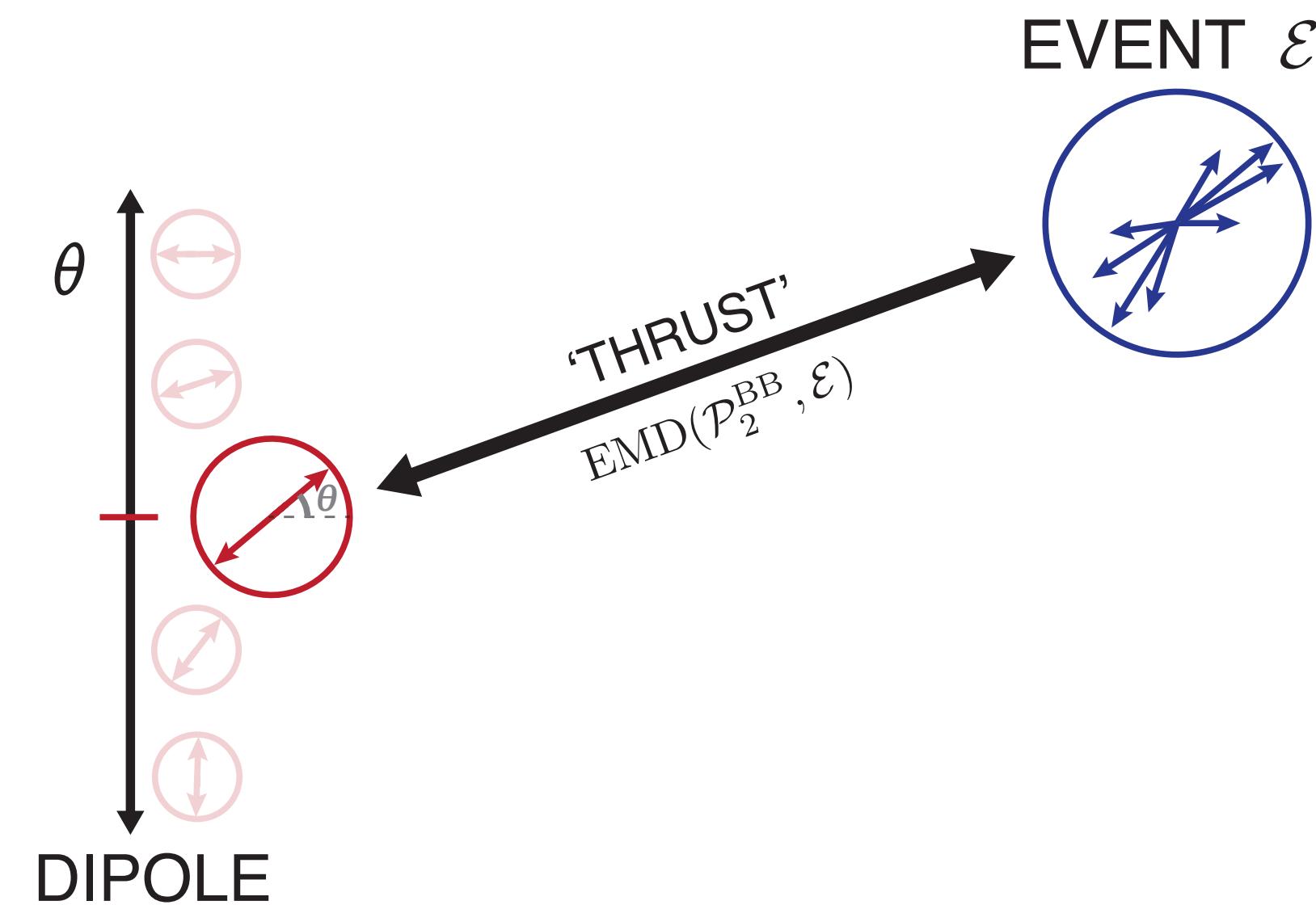


IT'S THE CLOSEST EVENT IN THE  
MANIFOLD OF BACK-TO-BACK  
2-PARTICLE CONFIGURATIONS!

# Novel event shapes via OT: 'event isotropy'

Cesarotti & Thaler, *JHEP* 08 (2020) 084

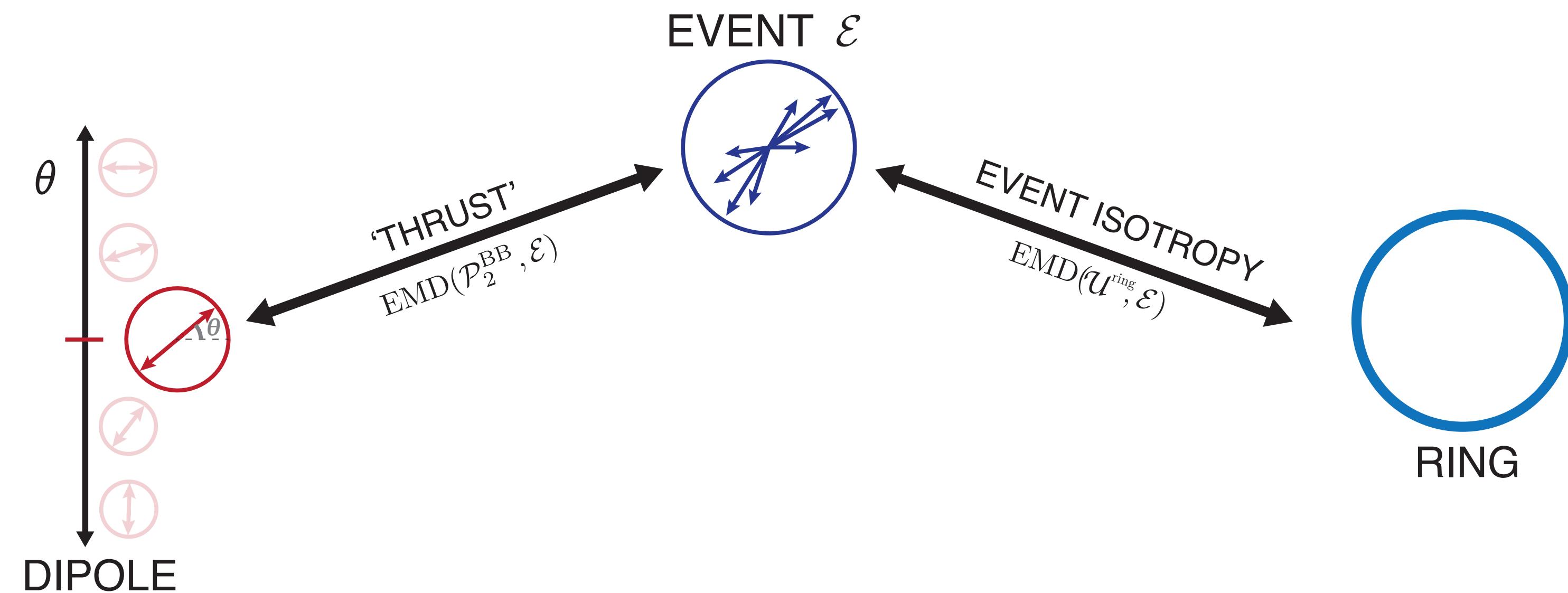
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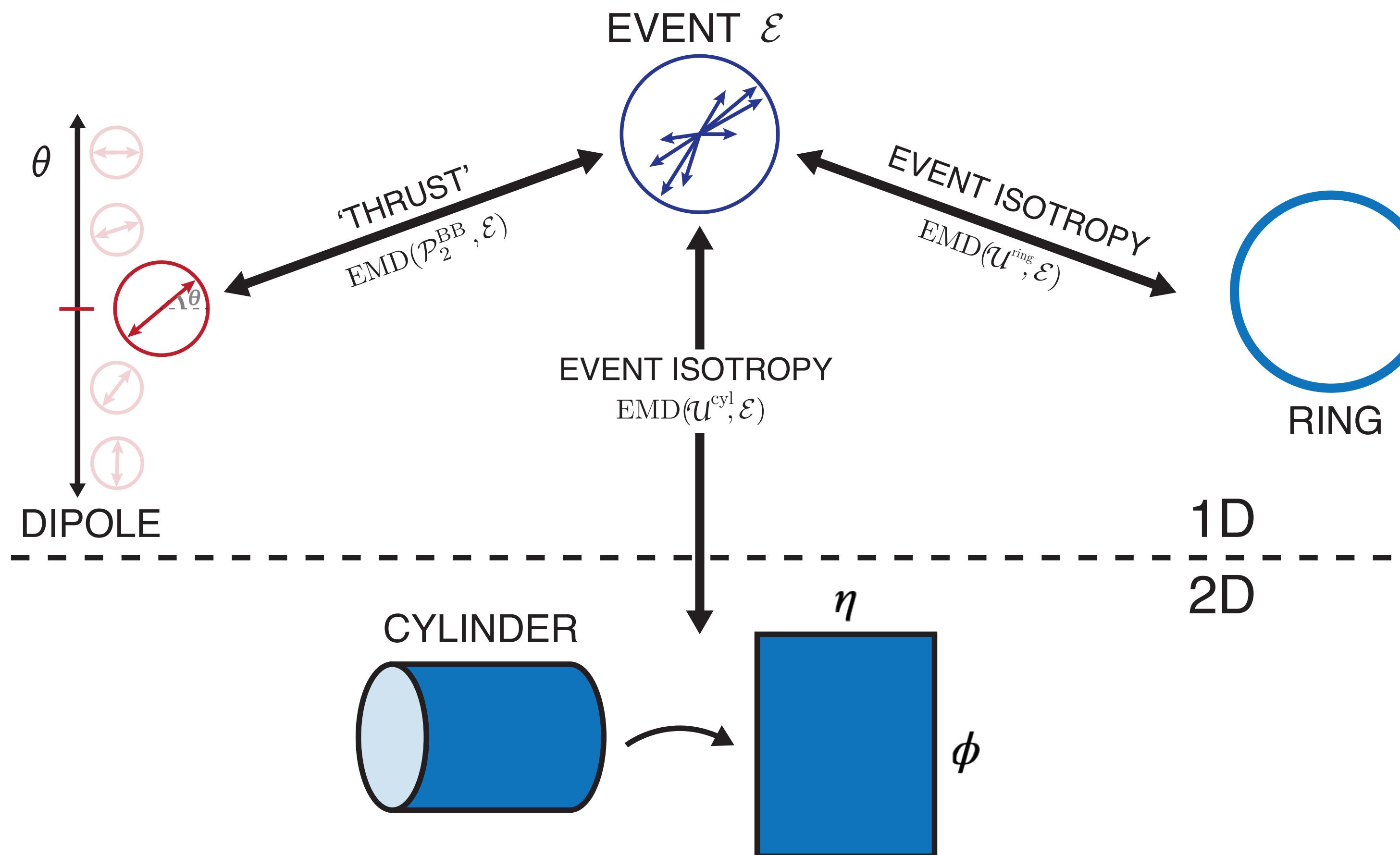
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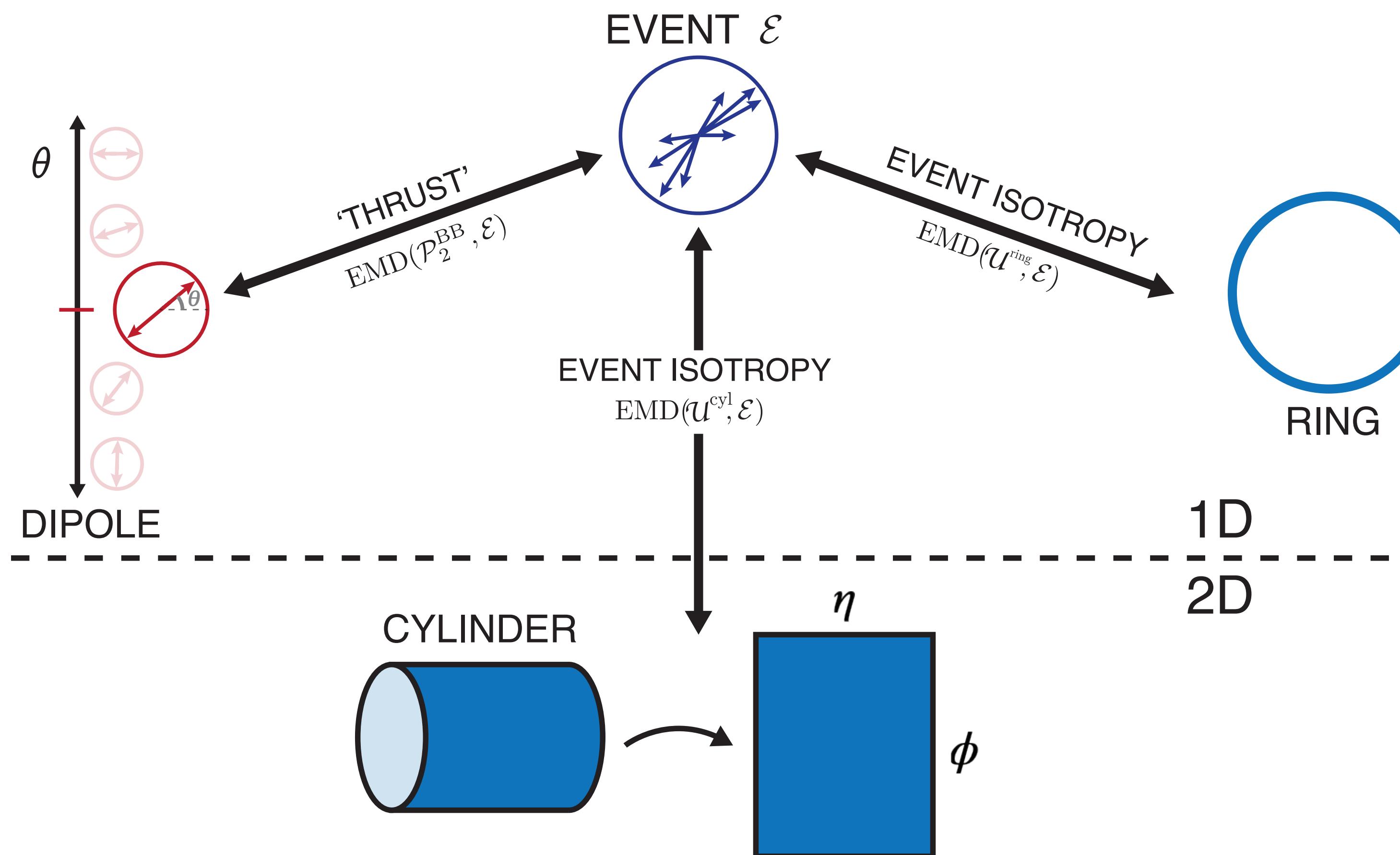
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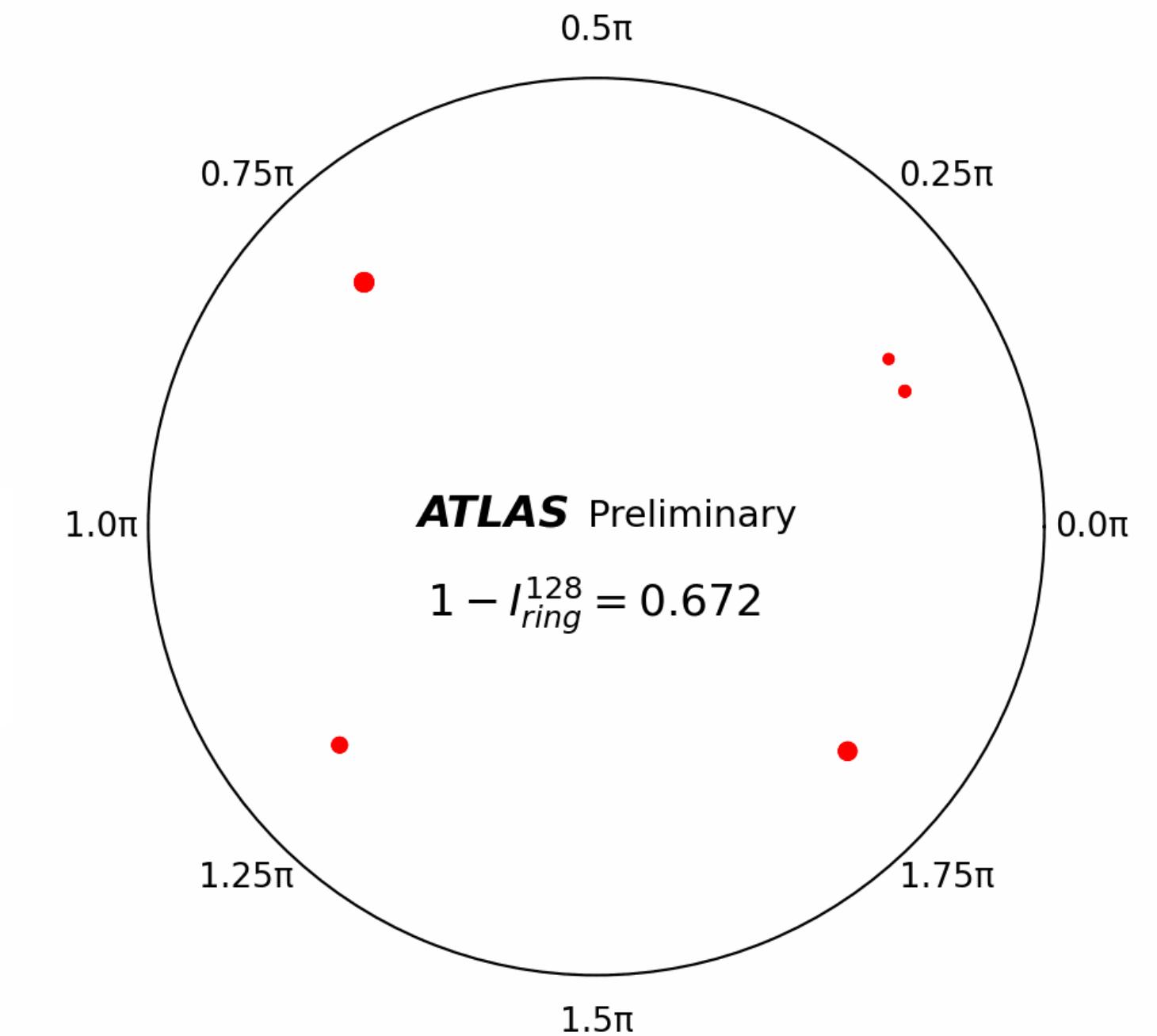
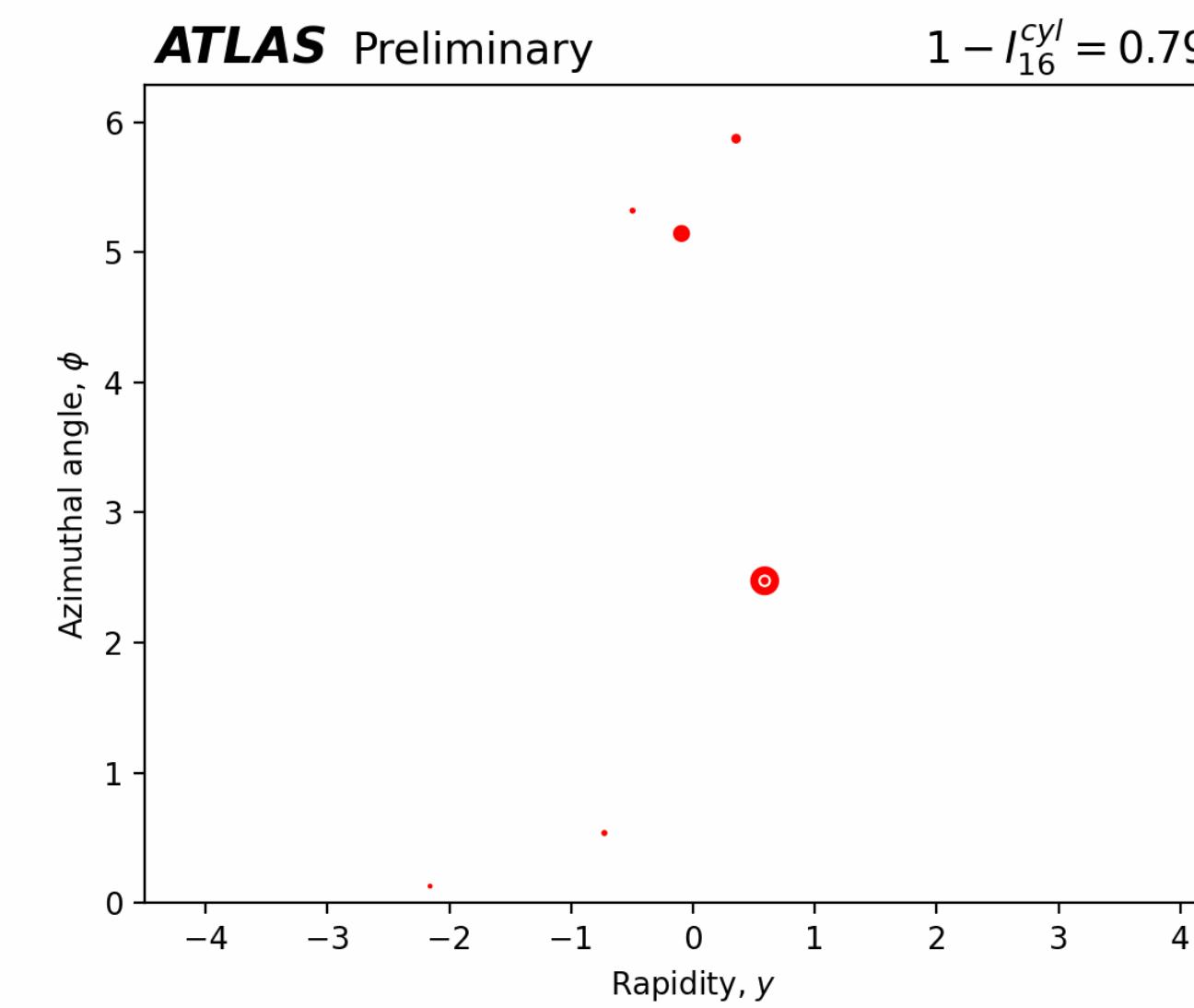
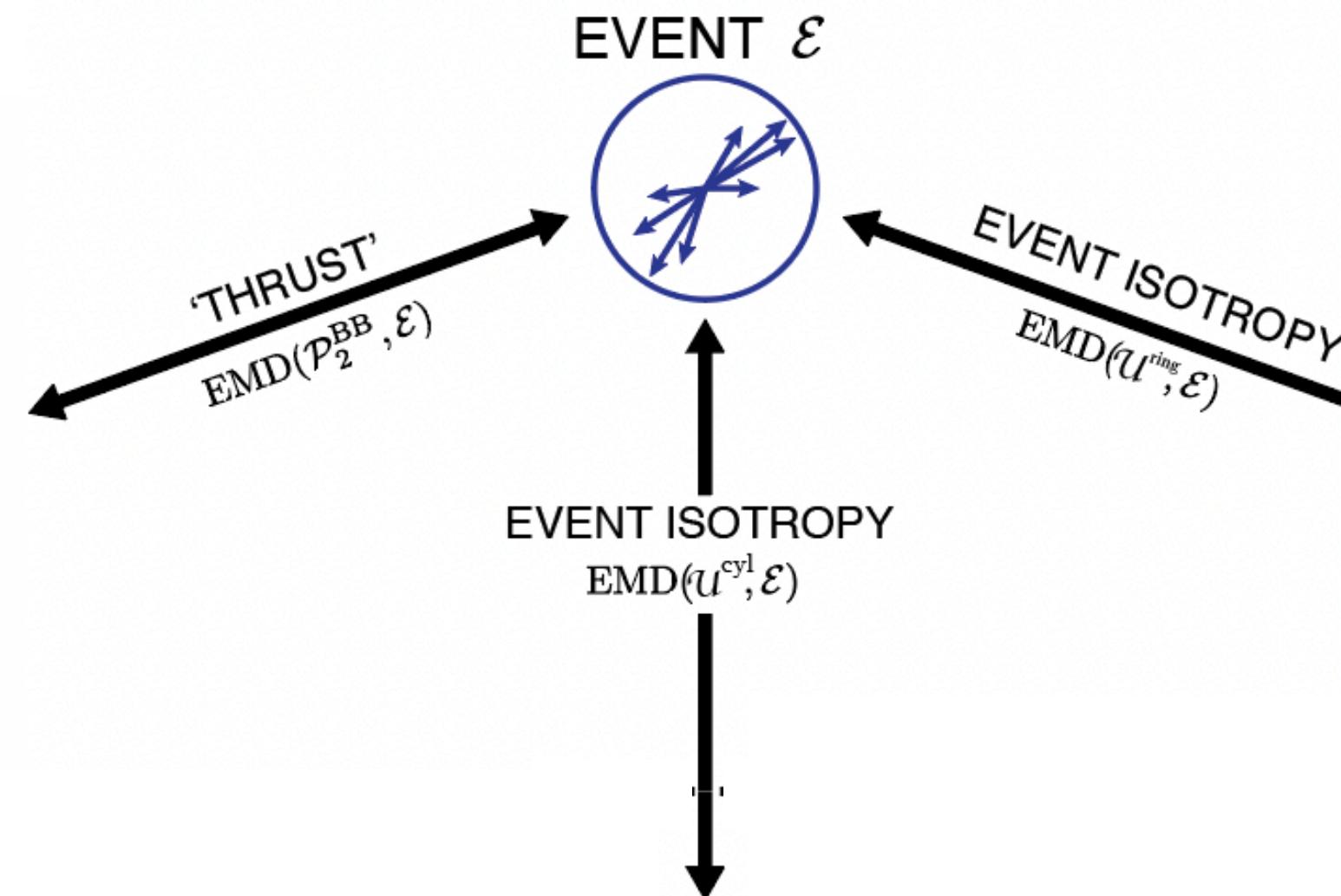
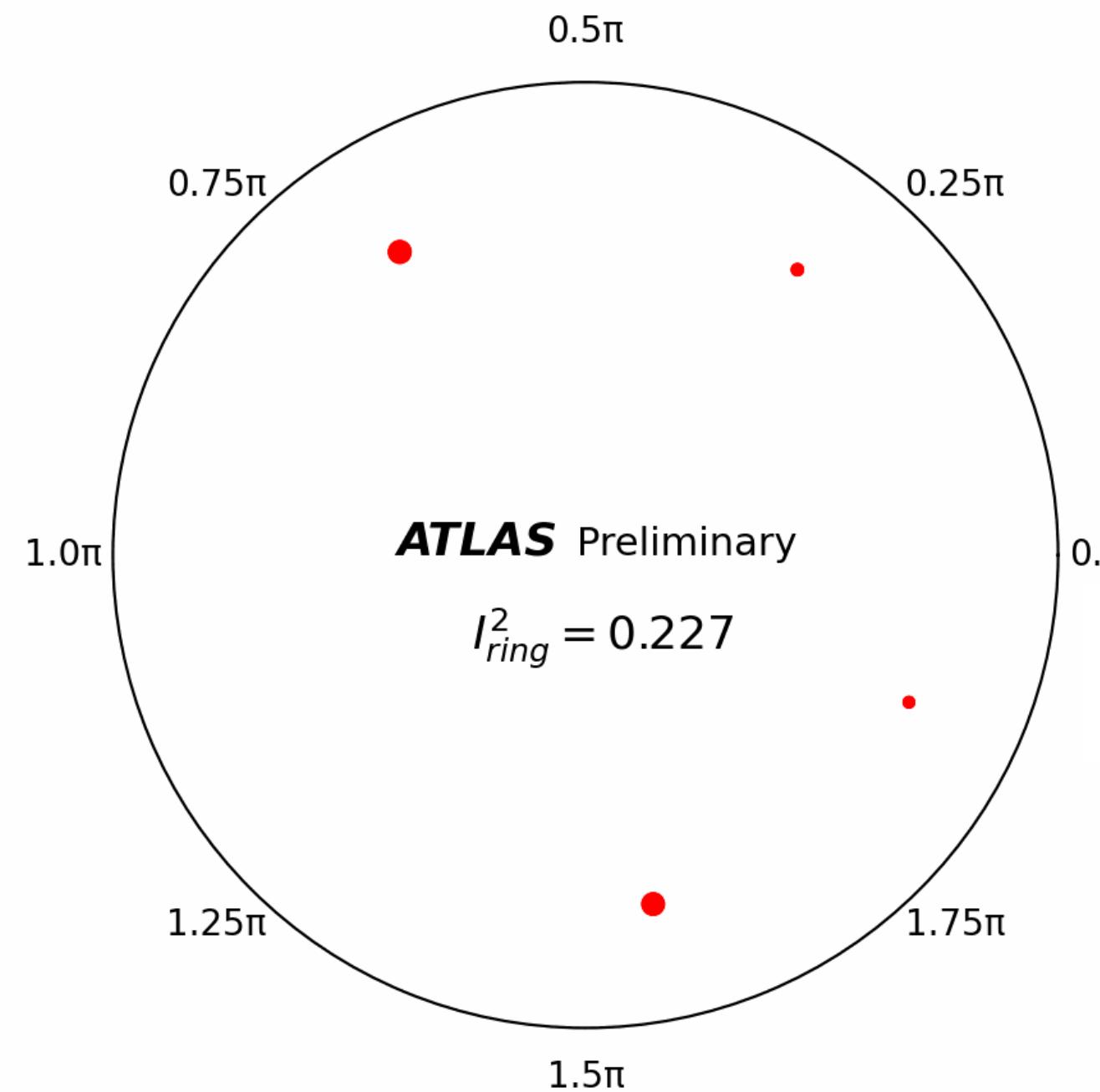
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- We measured 3 EMDs, per-event:
  - Two most-distant 1D configurations conserving transverse momentum.
  - 2D extension of isotropy into rapidity-phi space (**IsoCyl16**).
- Used **R=0.4 PFlow jets** ( $p_T > 60$  GeV,  $|y| < 4.4$ ) + recoil vector as inputs to EMD calculations.
- Measurements in inclusive bins of **jet multiplicity** and  $H_{T2} = p_{T,1} + p_{T,2}$ .

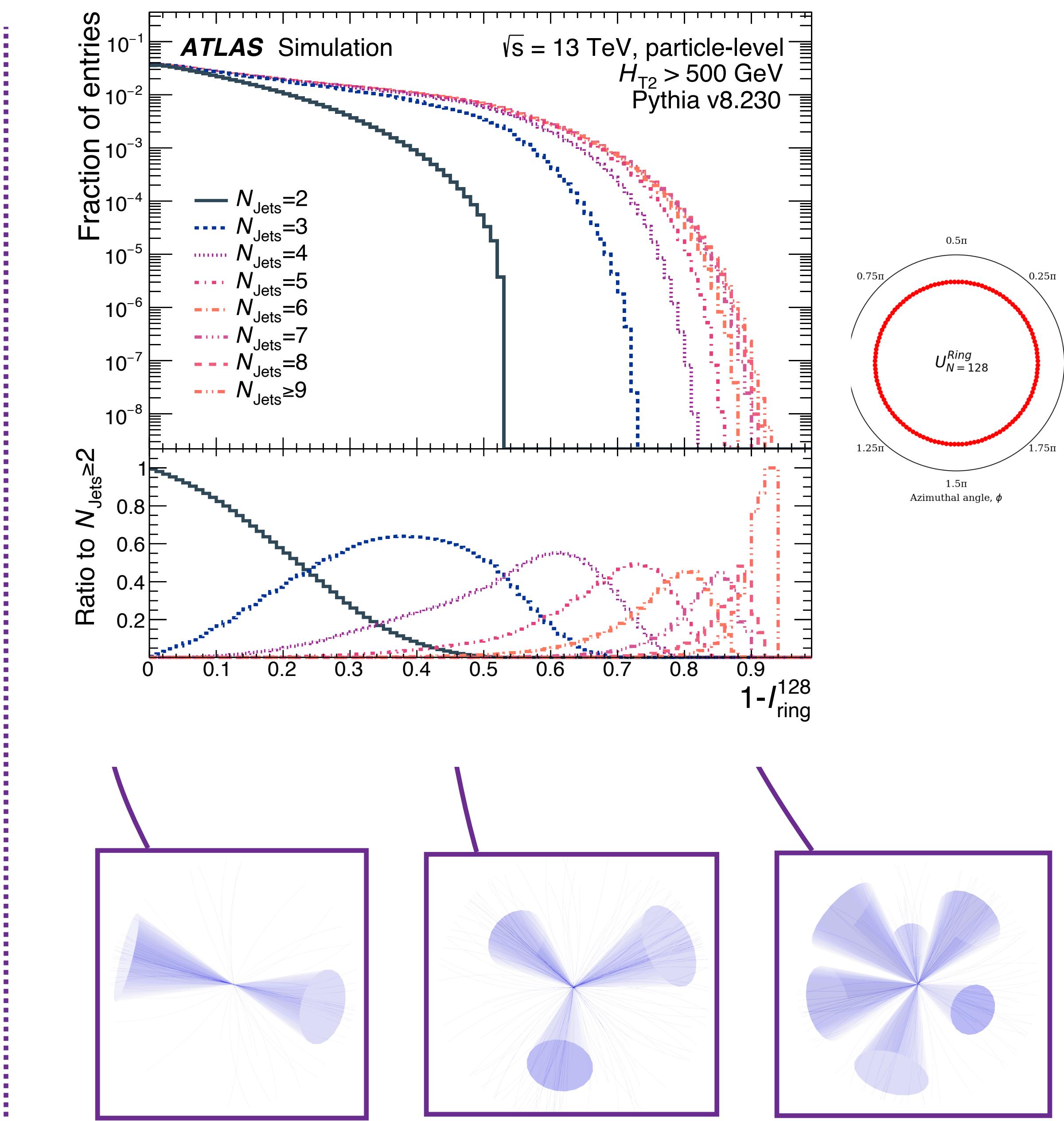
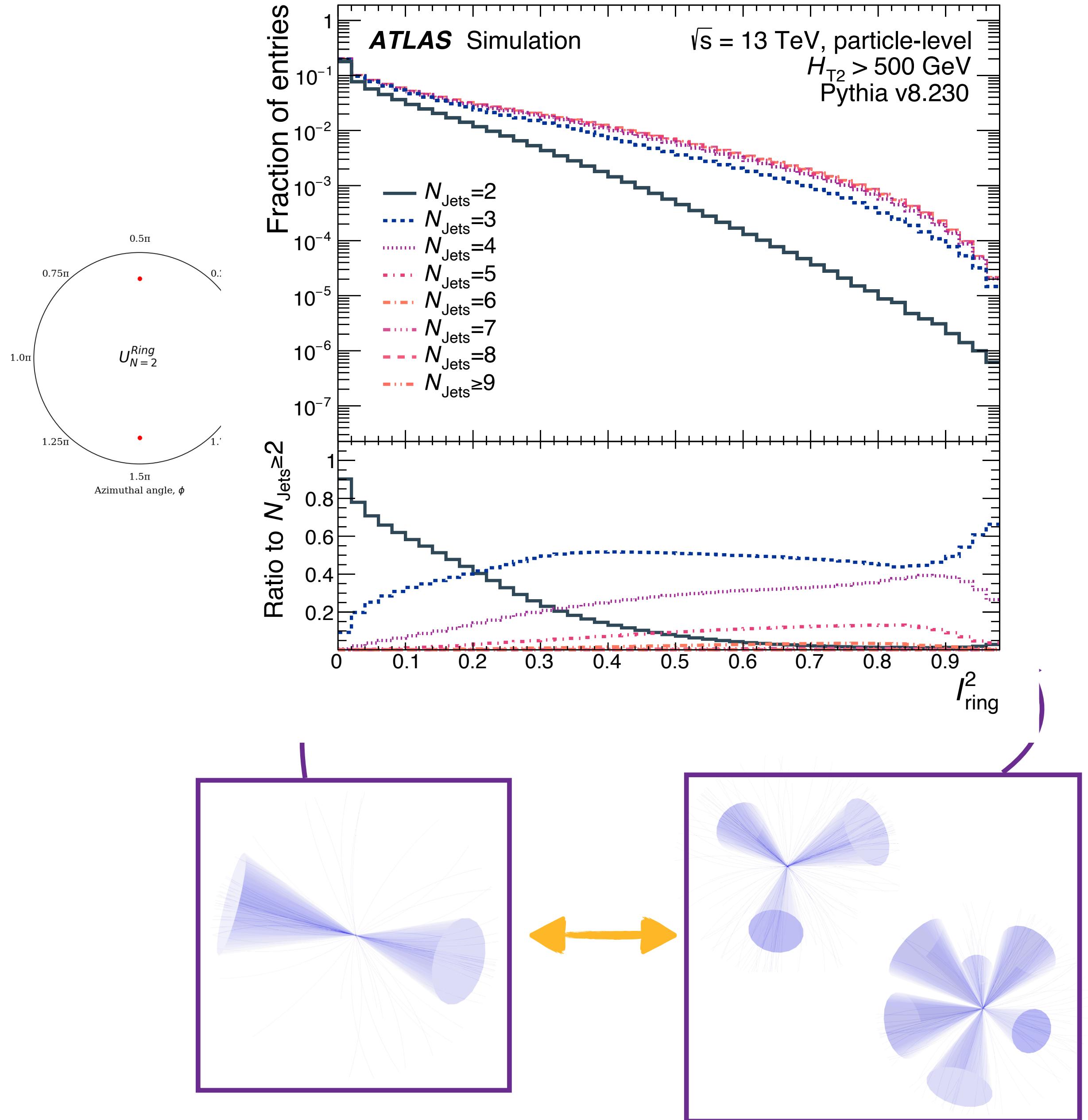
# Visualisation of OT calculation

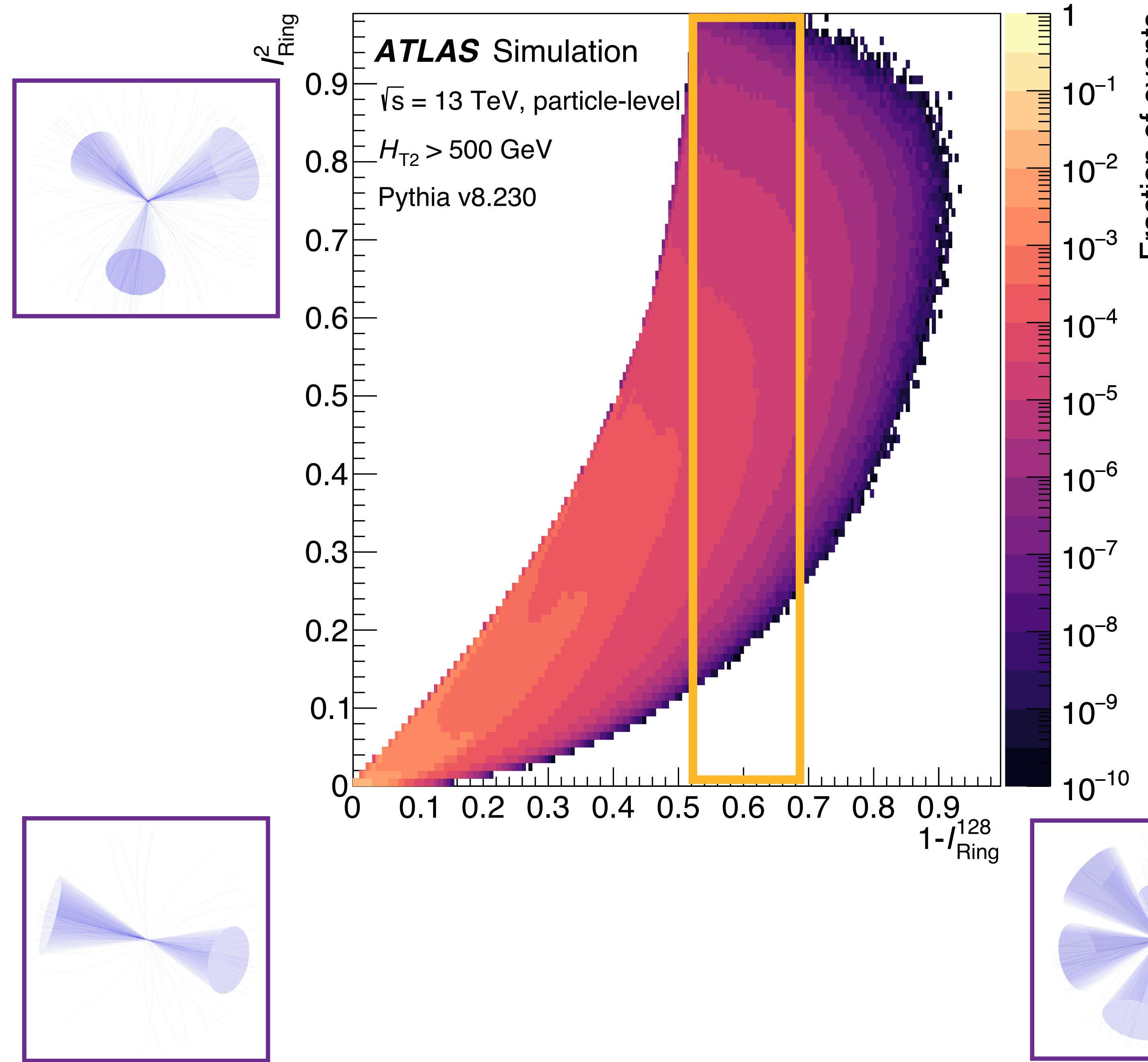
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Animations are at this link :  
<https://cernbox.cern.ch/index.php/s/rYYF20n3je2rtXI>

# Different properties w/ different reference geometries...

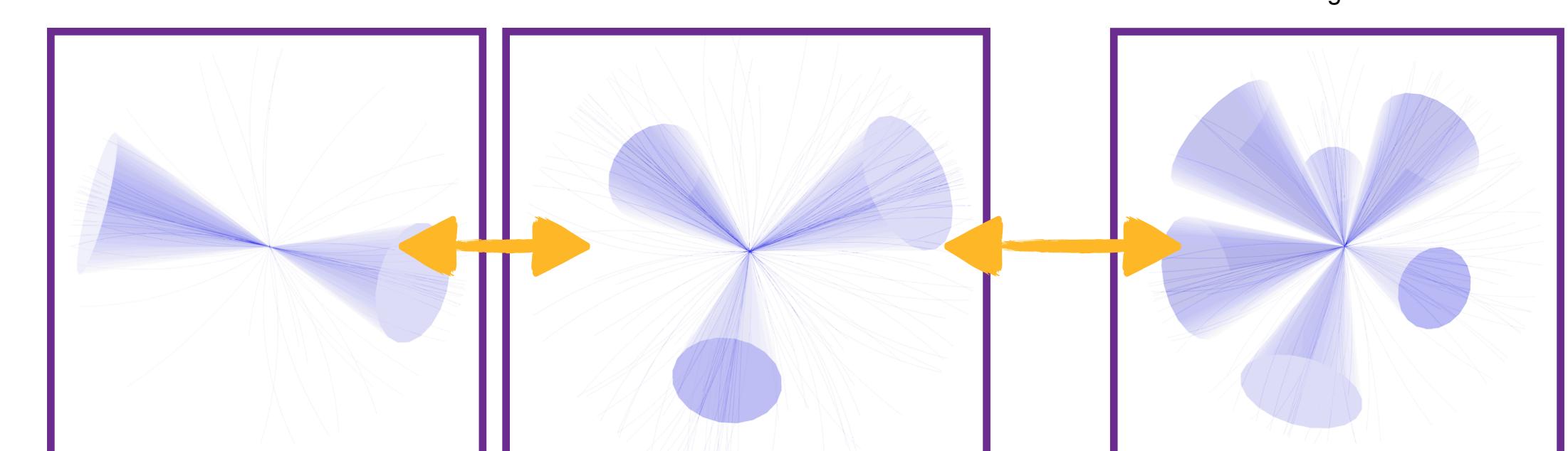
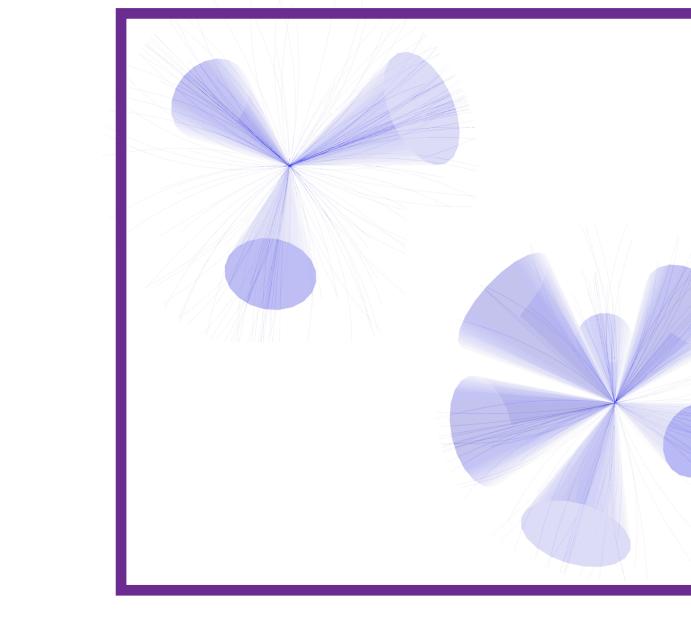
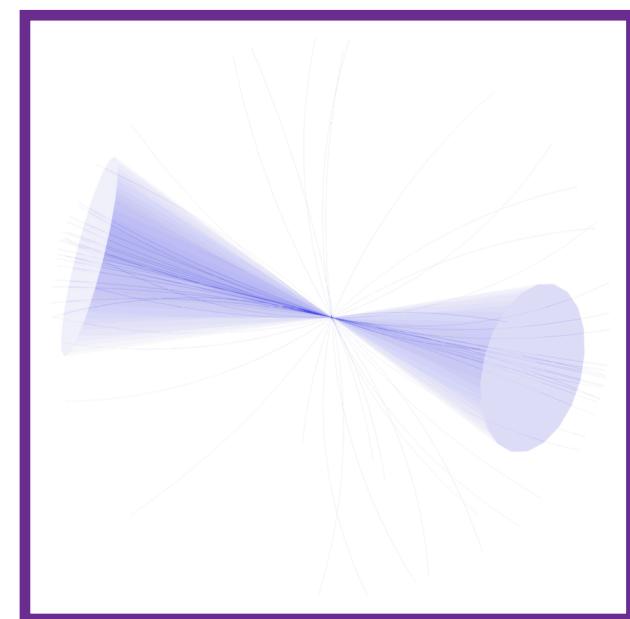
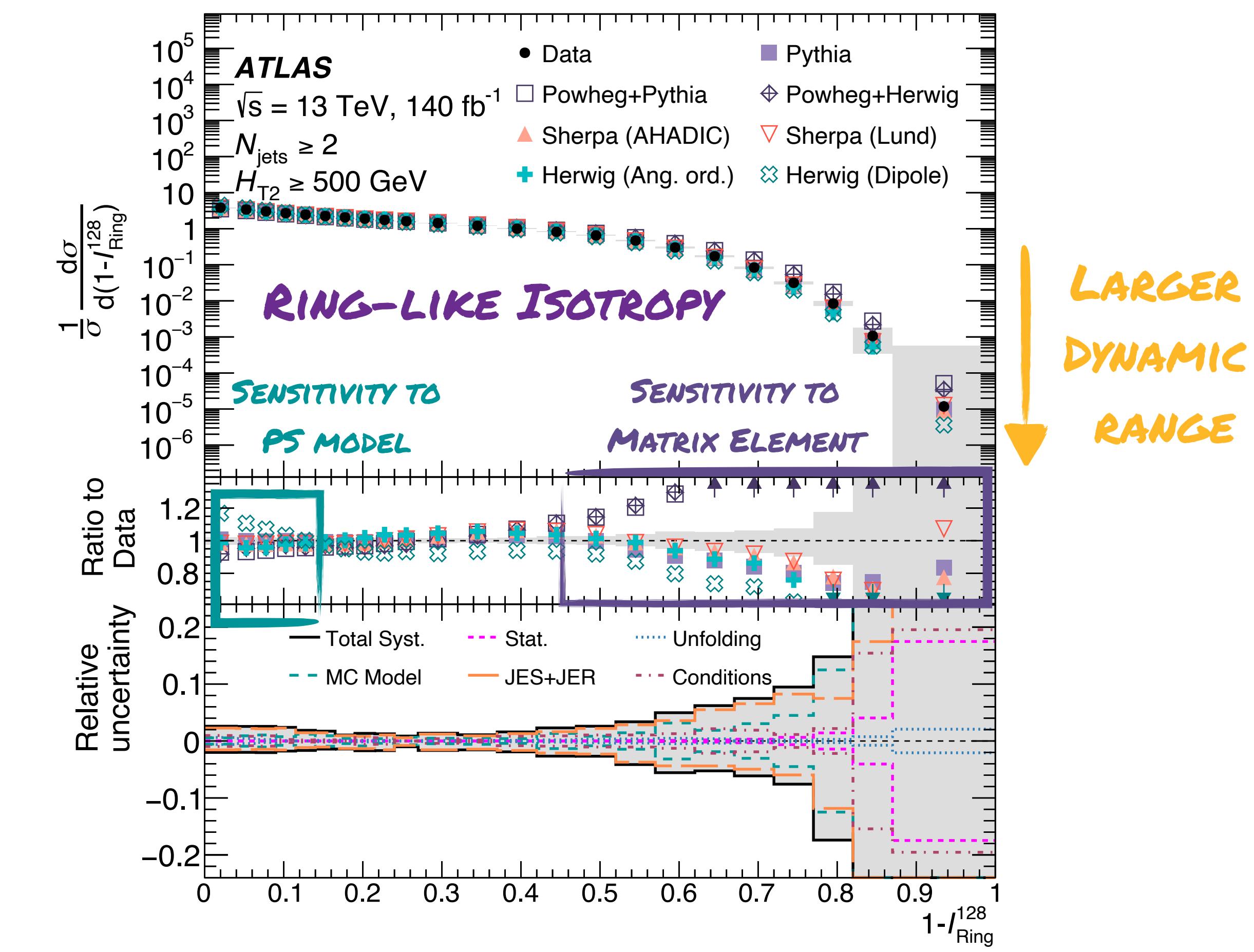
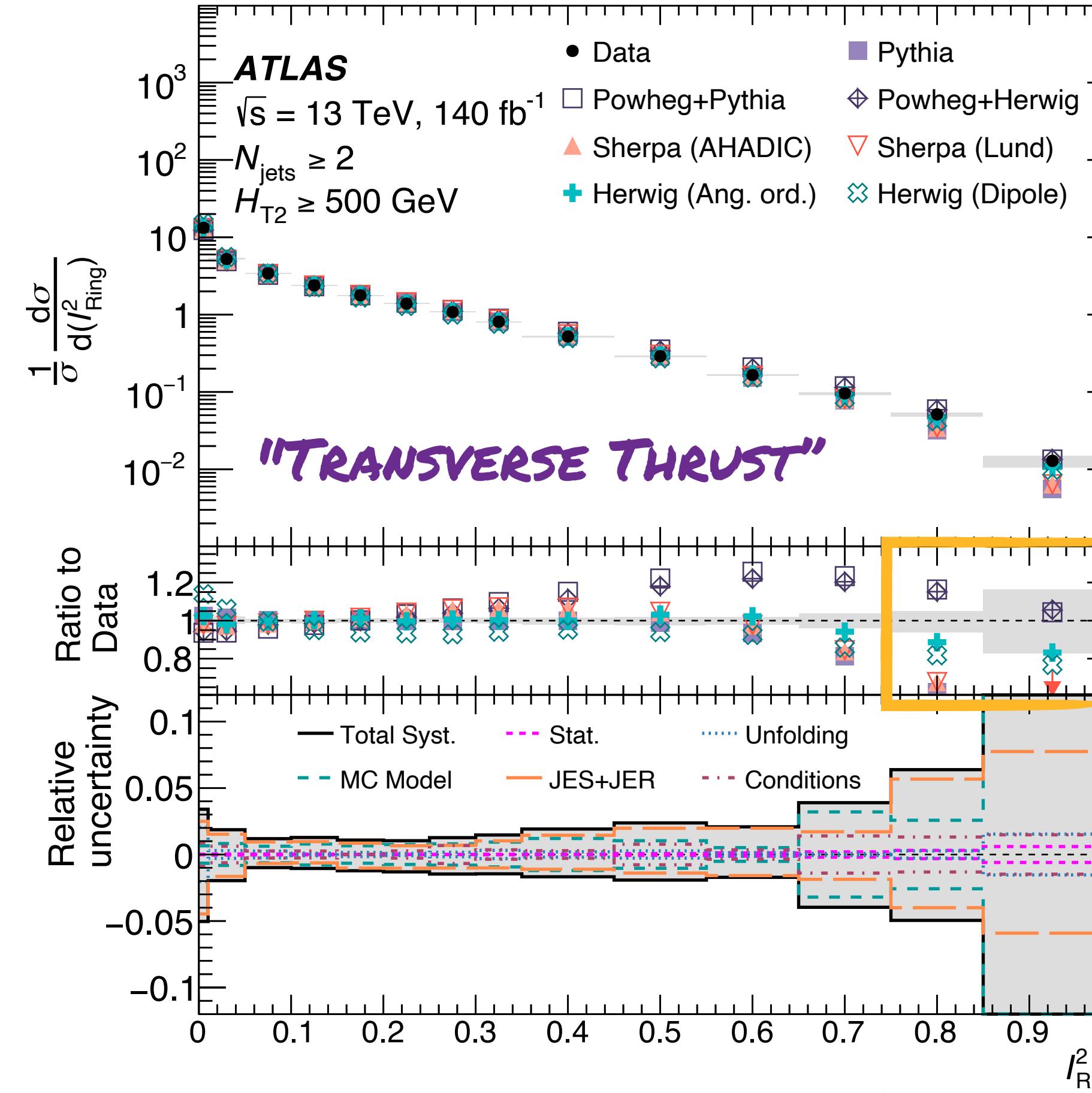




Events that saturate IsoRing2 only have intermediate IsoRing128 values!  
3-pronged configurations are **not “isotropic” in the same way** as a high-multiplicity multijet event.

# Results: $I_{\text{Ring}}^2$ and $I_{\text{Ring}}^{128}$

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**ATLAS**  
EXPERIMENT

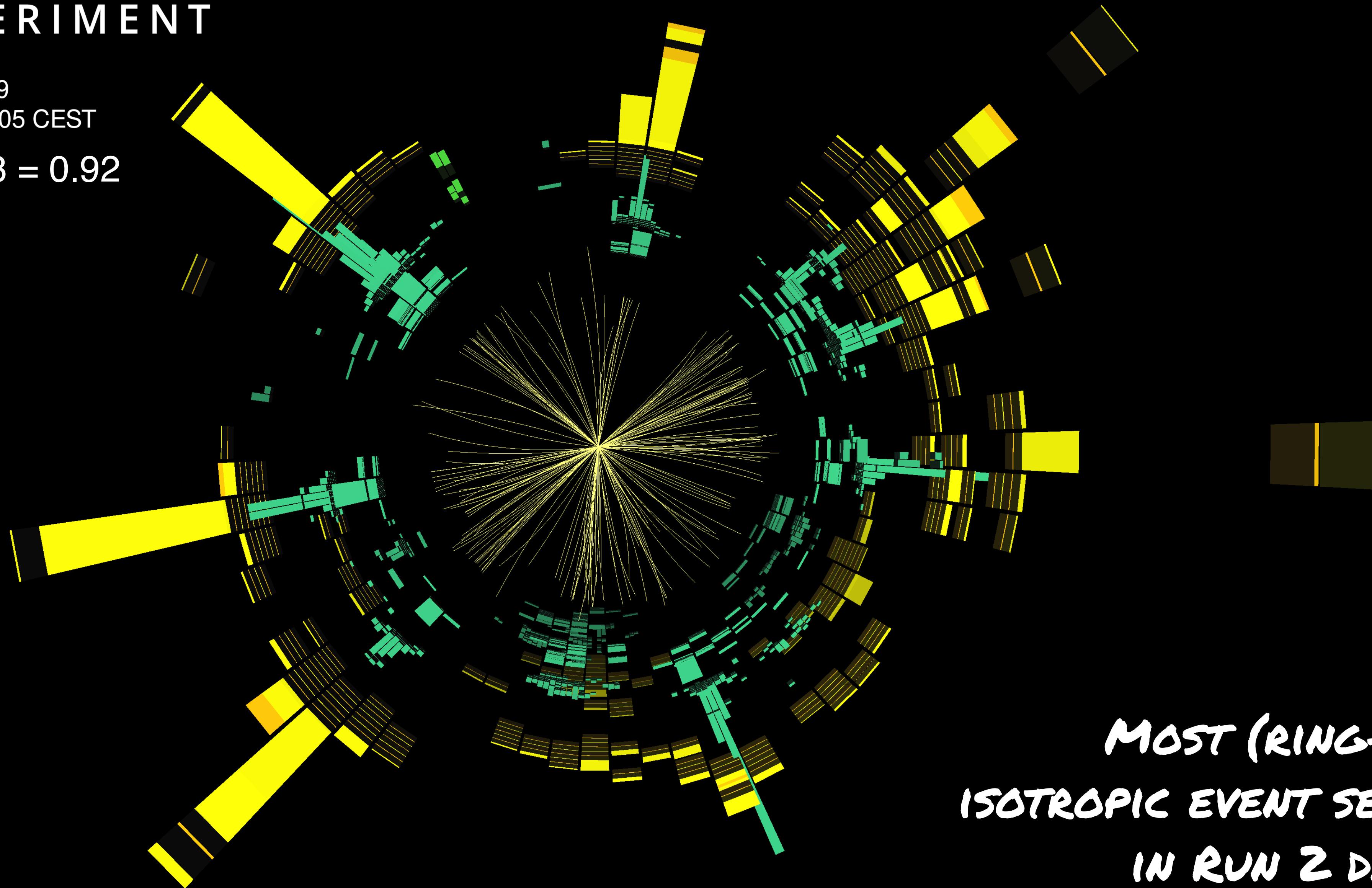
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$1 - \text{IsoRing}_{128} = 0.92$

$N_{\text{jets}} = 12$



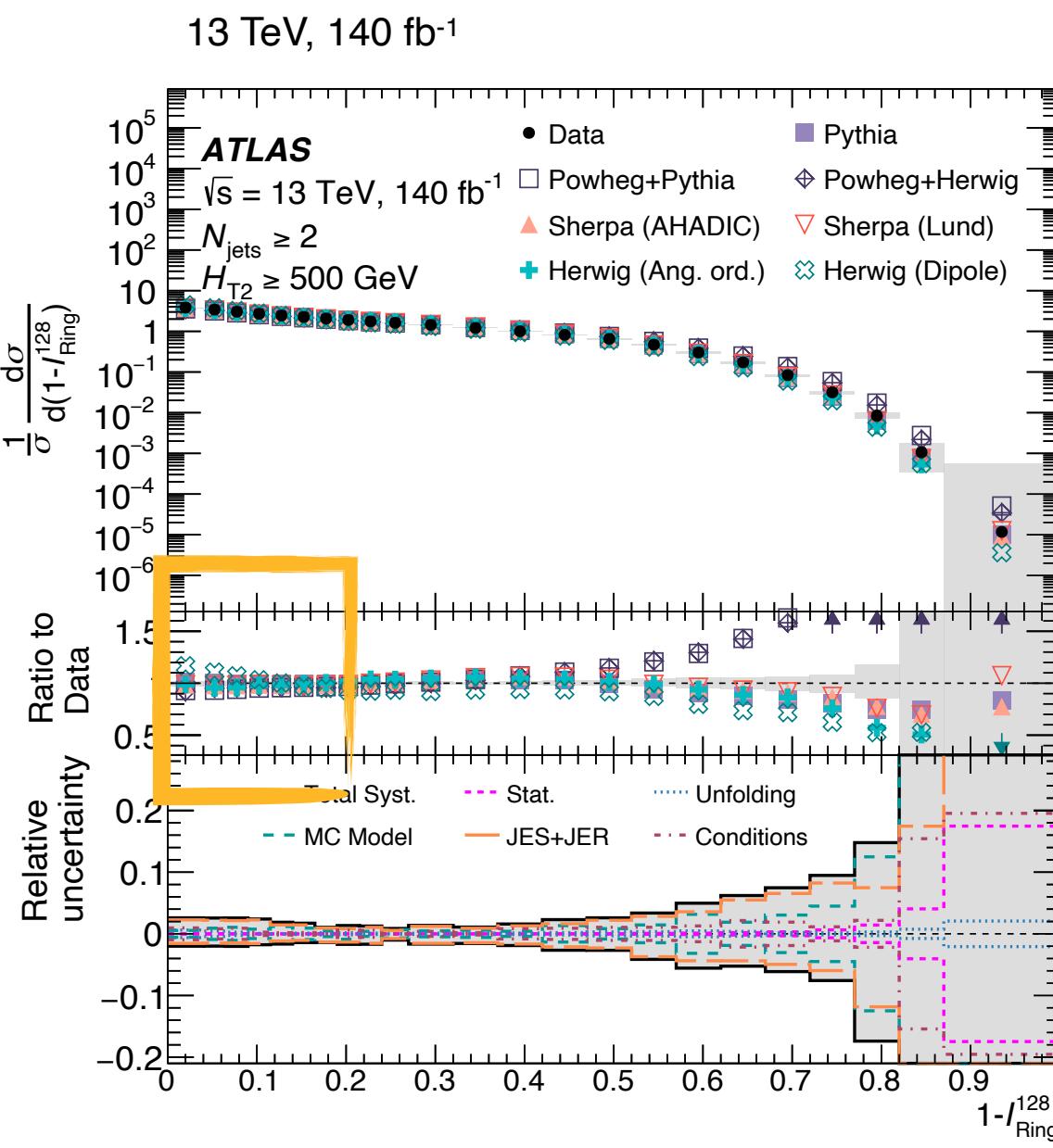
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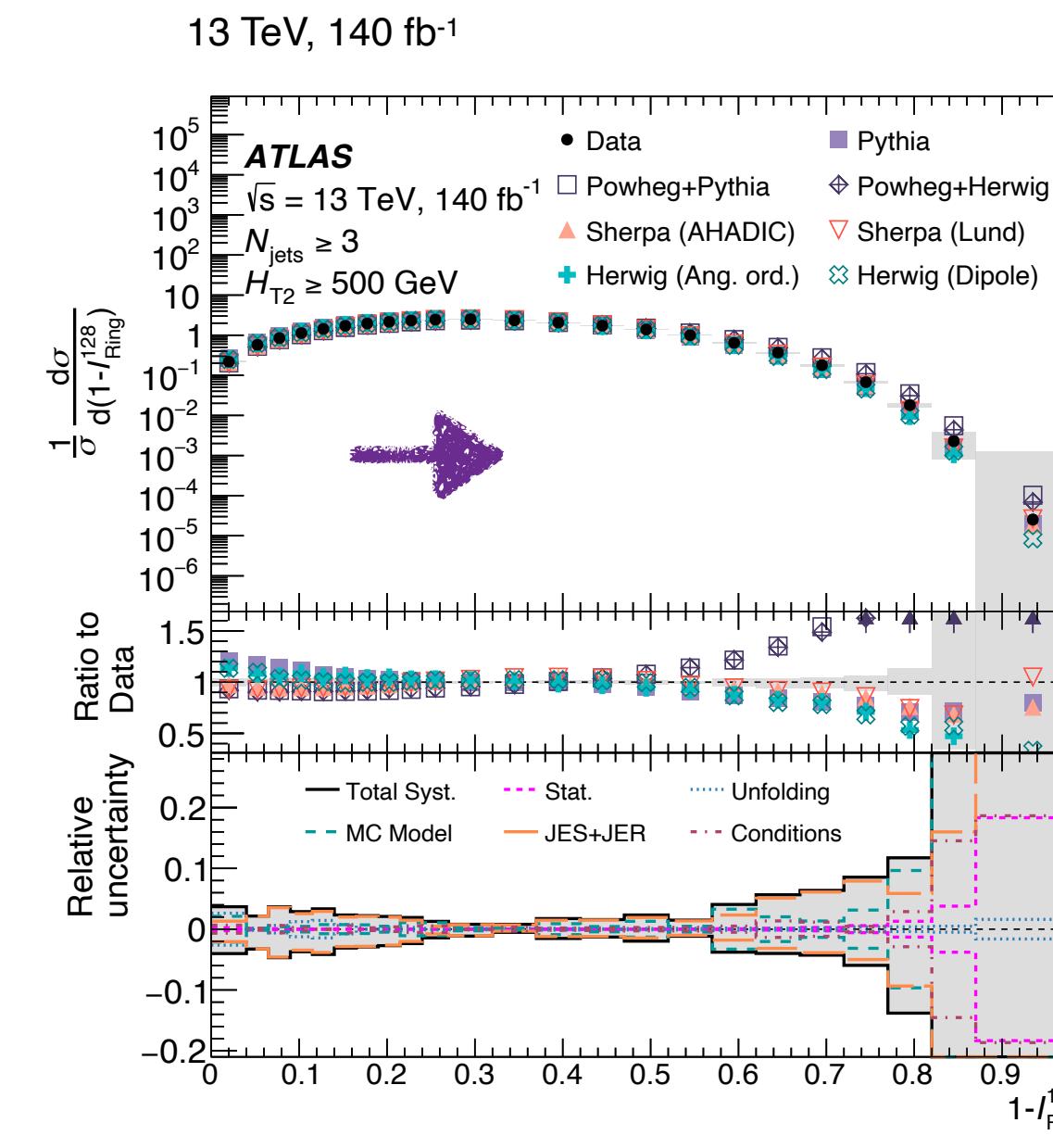
*Increase minimum jet requirement*



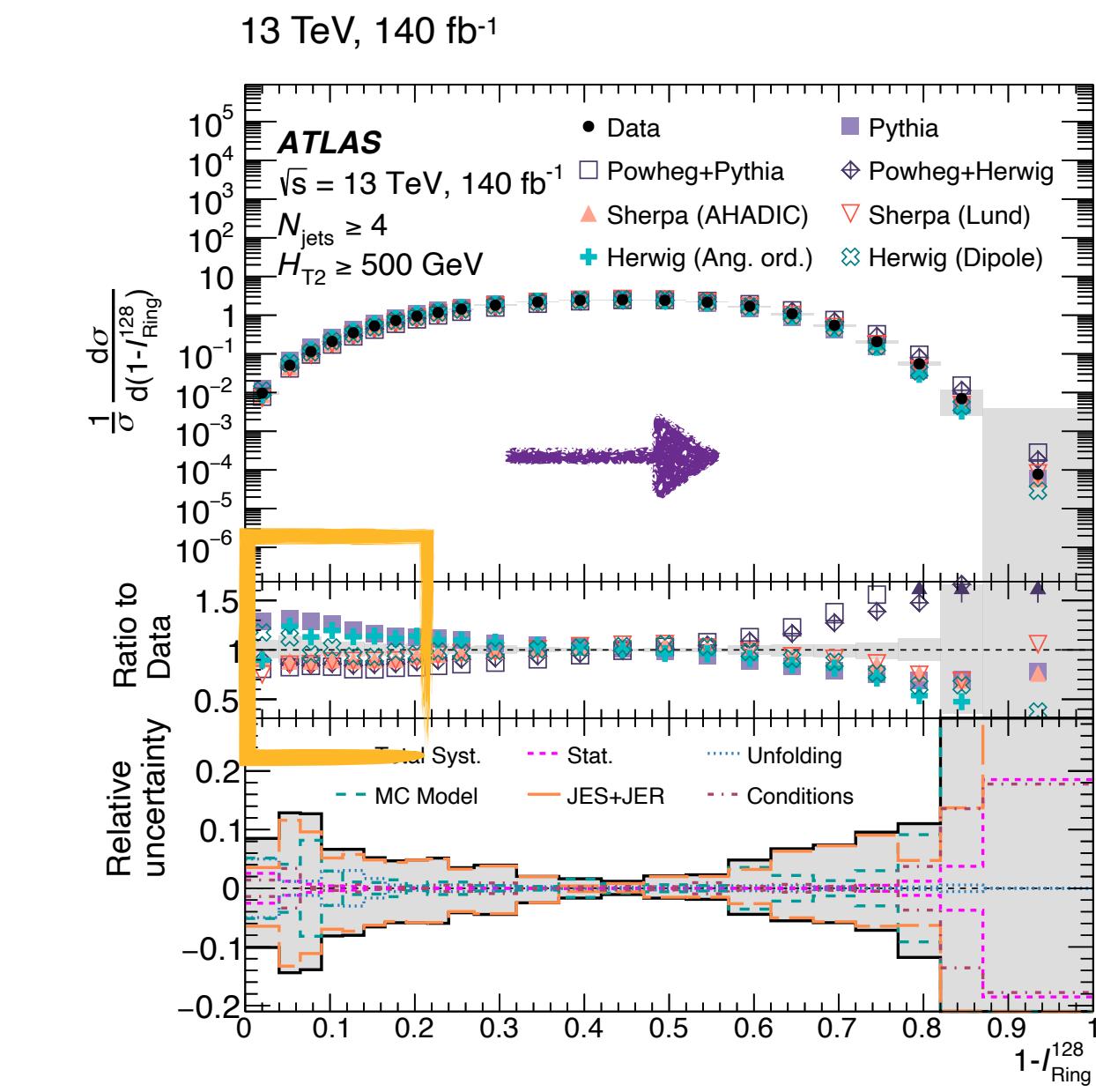
$N \geq 2$



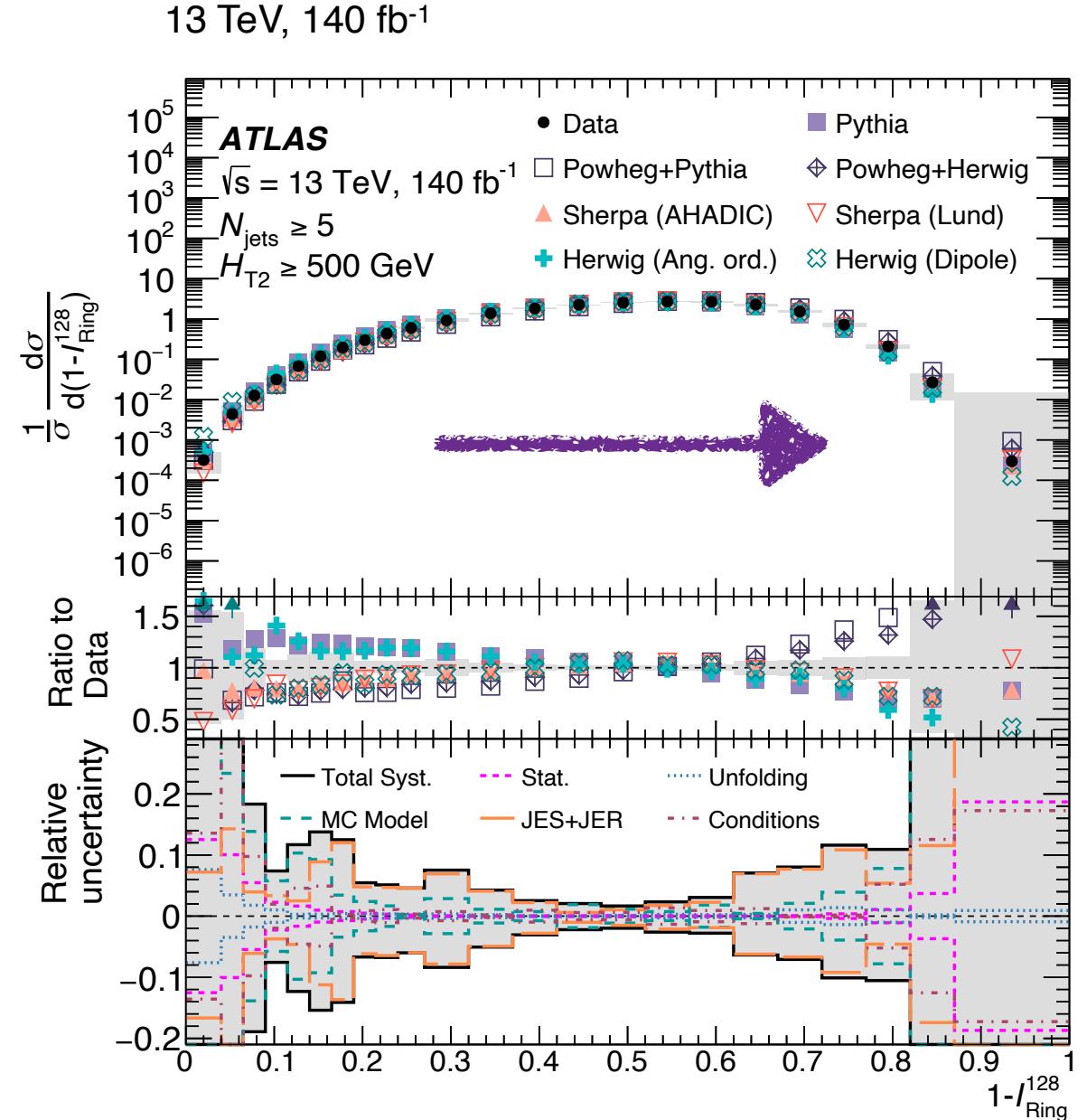
$N \geq 3$



$N \geq 4$



$N \geq 5$



*Data/MC disagreement deteriorates at “dijet-like” end: soft activity in the event increases difficulty for MC generators*

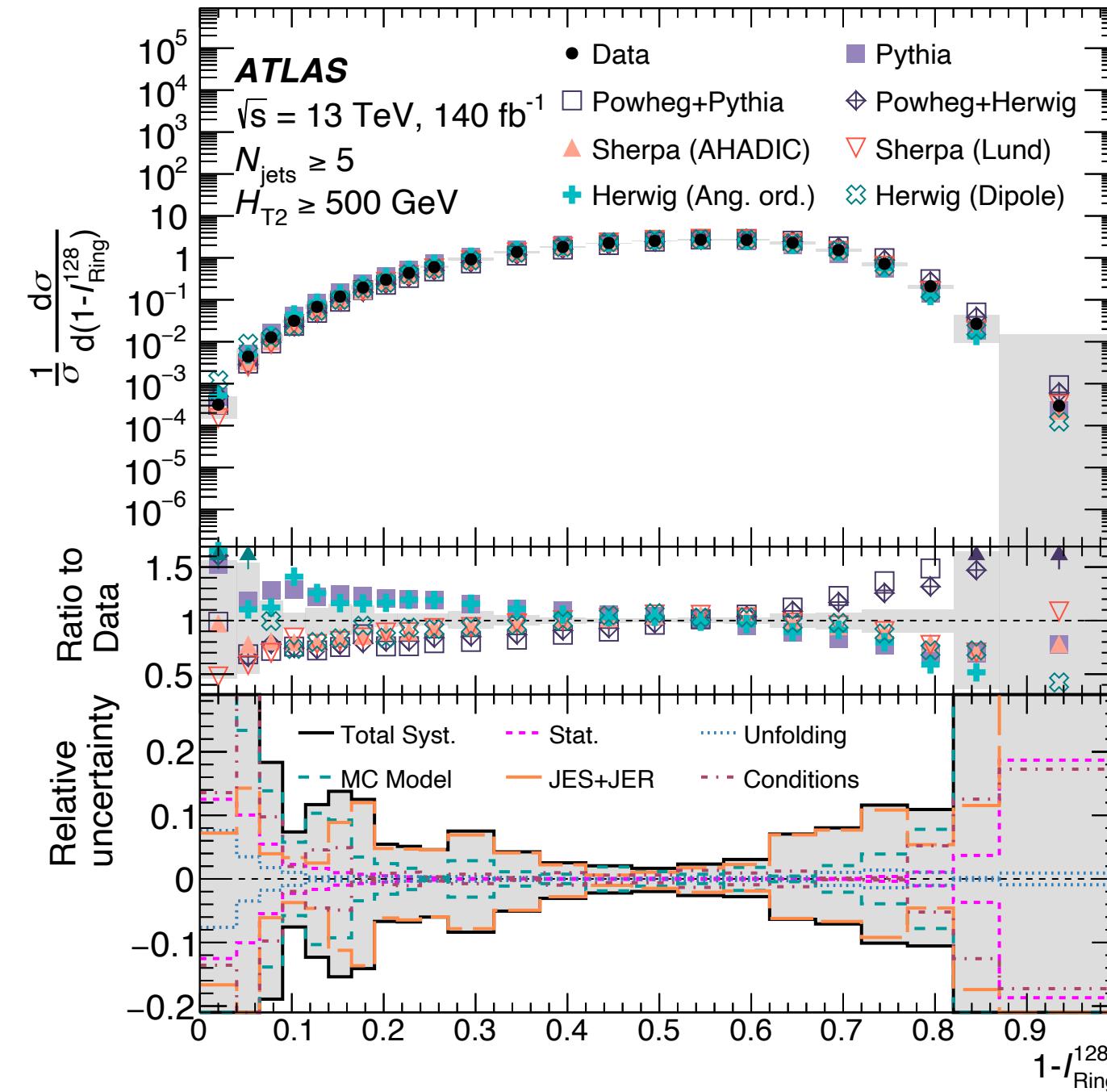
*Events become more isotropic on-average as  $N_{\text{jets}}$  is increased (expected scaling!)*

# Results: $I_{\text{Ring}}^{128}$ vs. $H_{\text{T2}}$

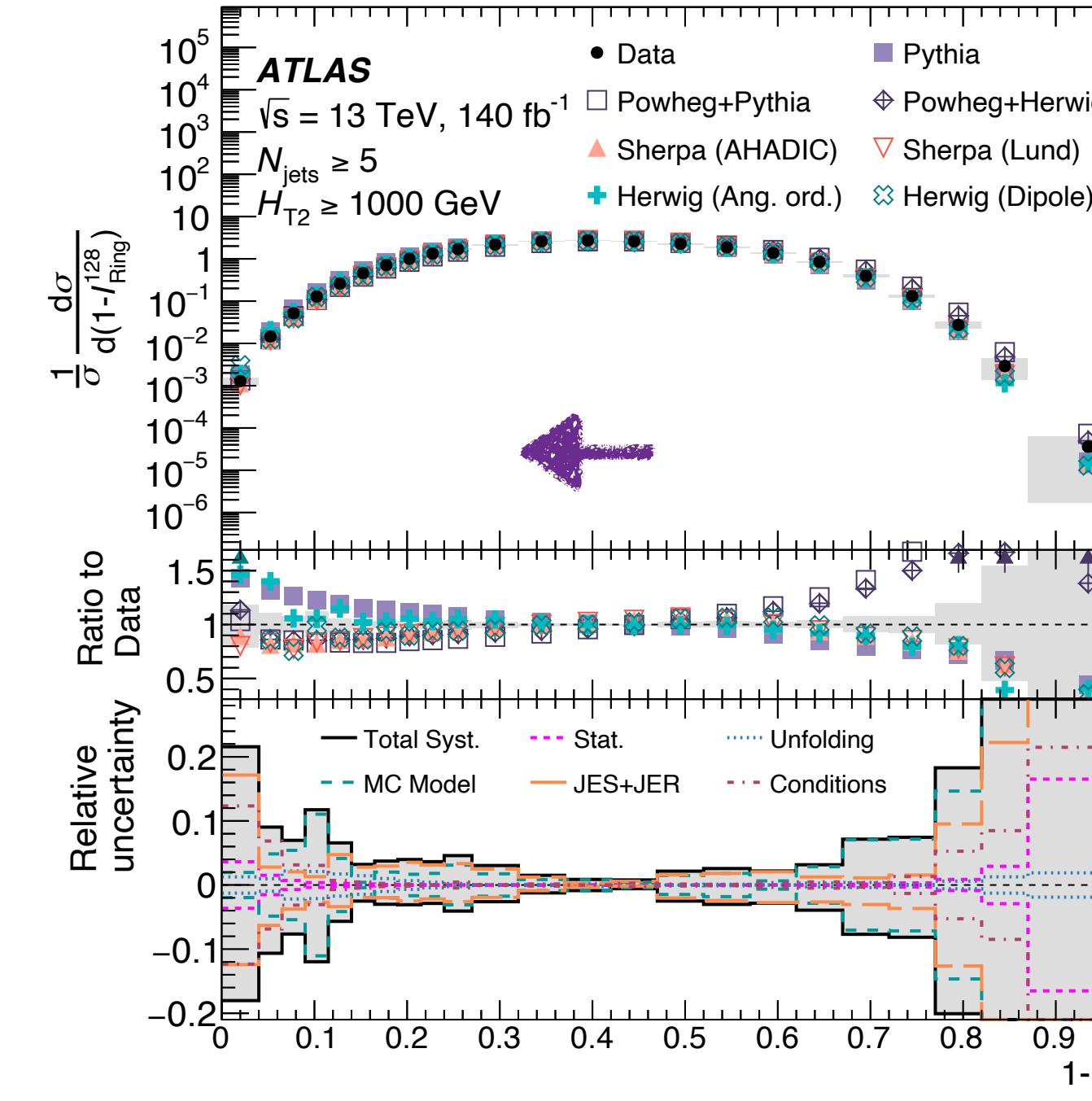
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*Increase minimum  $H_{\text{T2}}$  requirement*

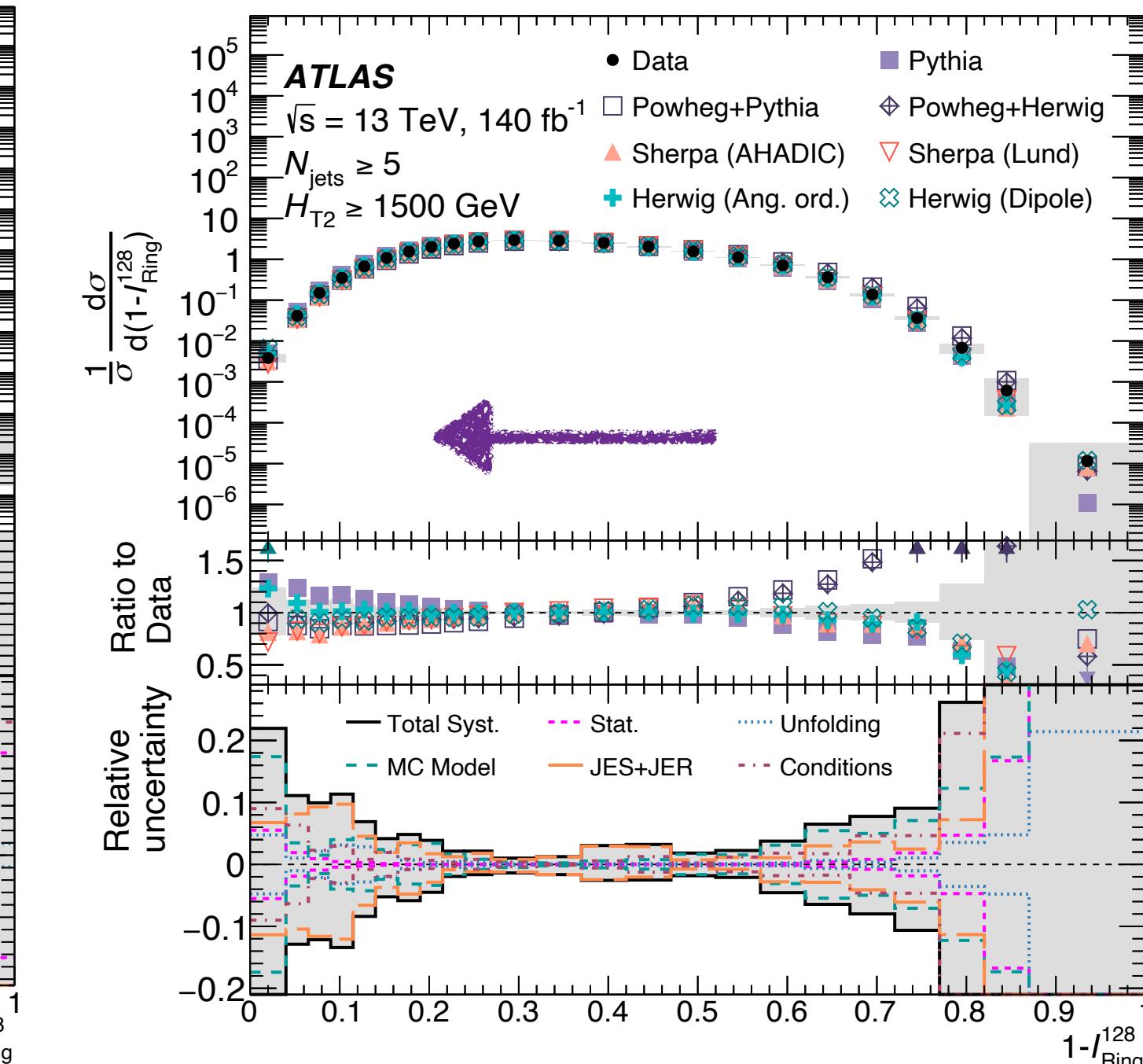
$H_{\text{T2}} \geq 500 \text{ GeV}$



$H_{\text{T2}} \geq 1000 \text{ GeV}$



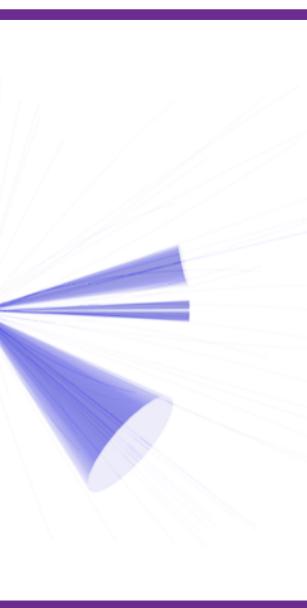
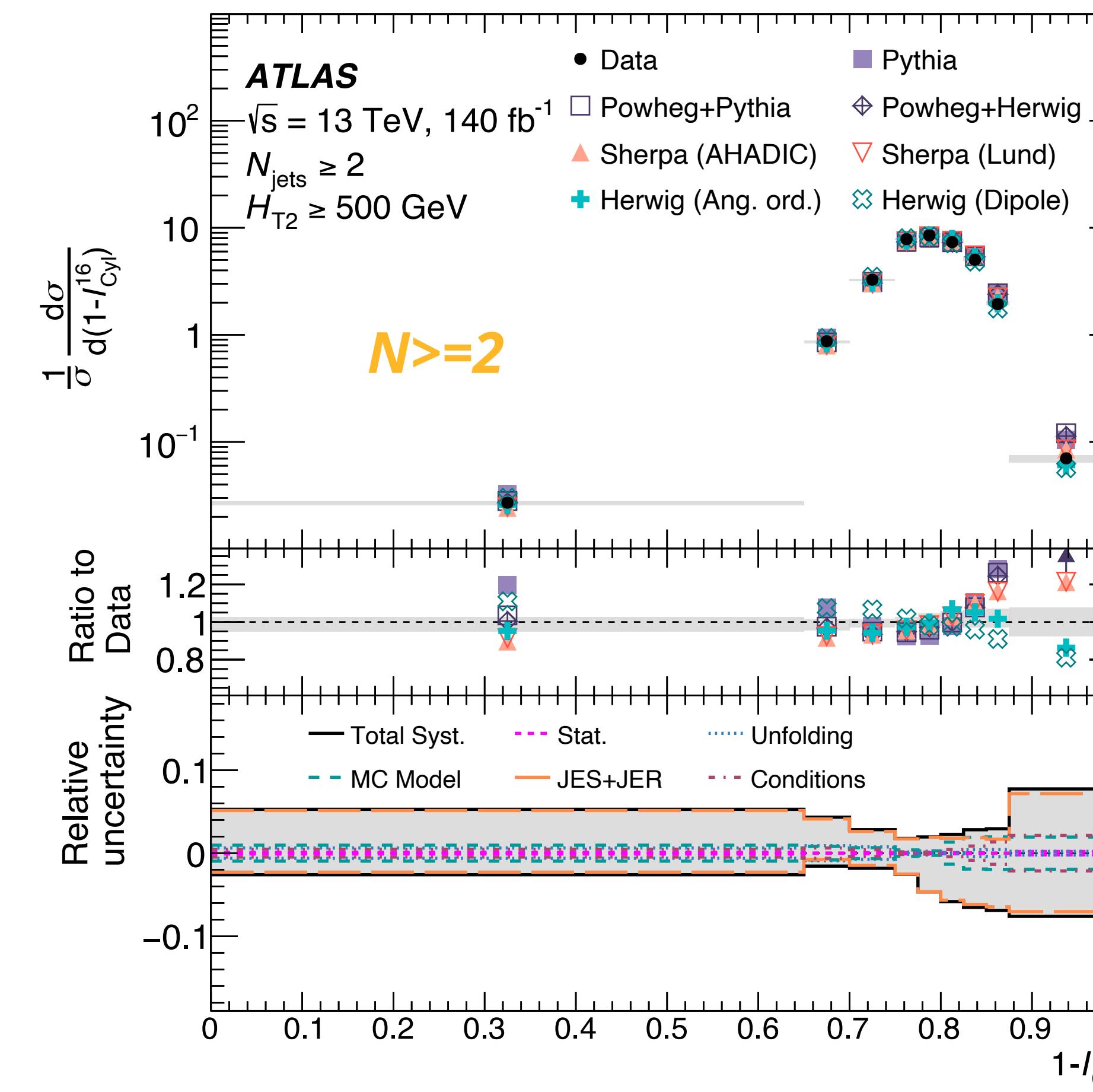
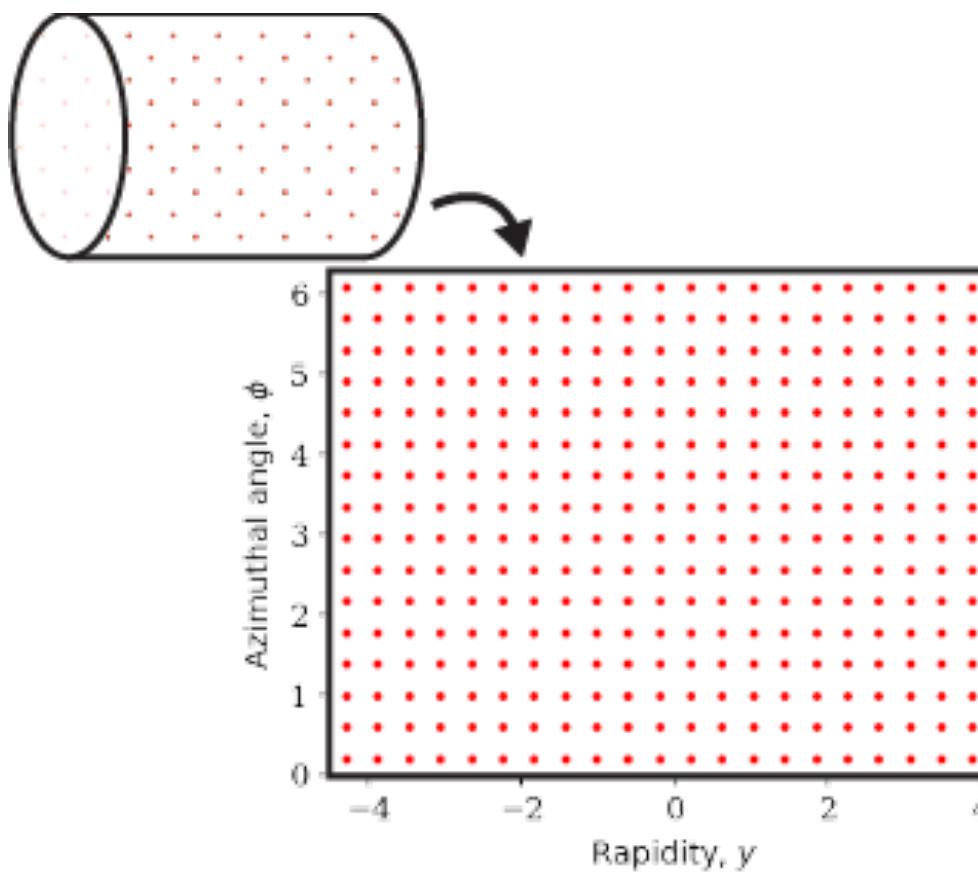
$H_{\text{T2}} \geq 1500 \text{ GeV}$



*Data/MC disagreement improves at “dijet-like” end: events become more collimated with larger  $H_{\text{T2}}$ , description is better despite large jet multiplicities.*

# Results: $I_{cyl}^{16}$

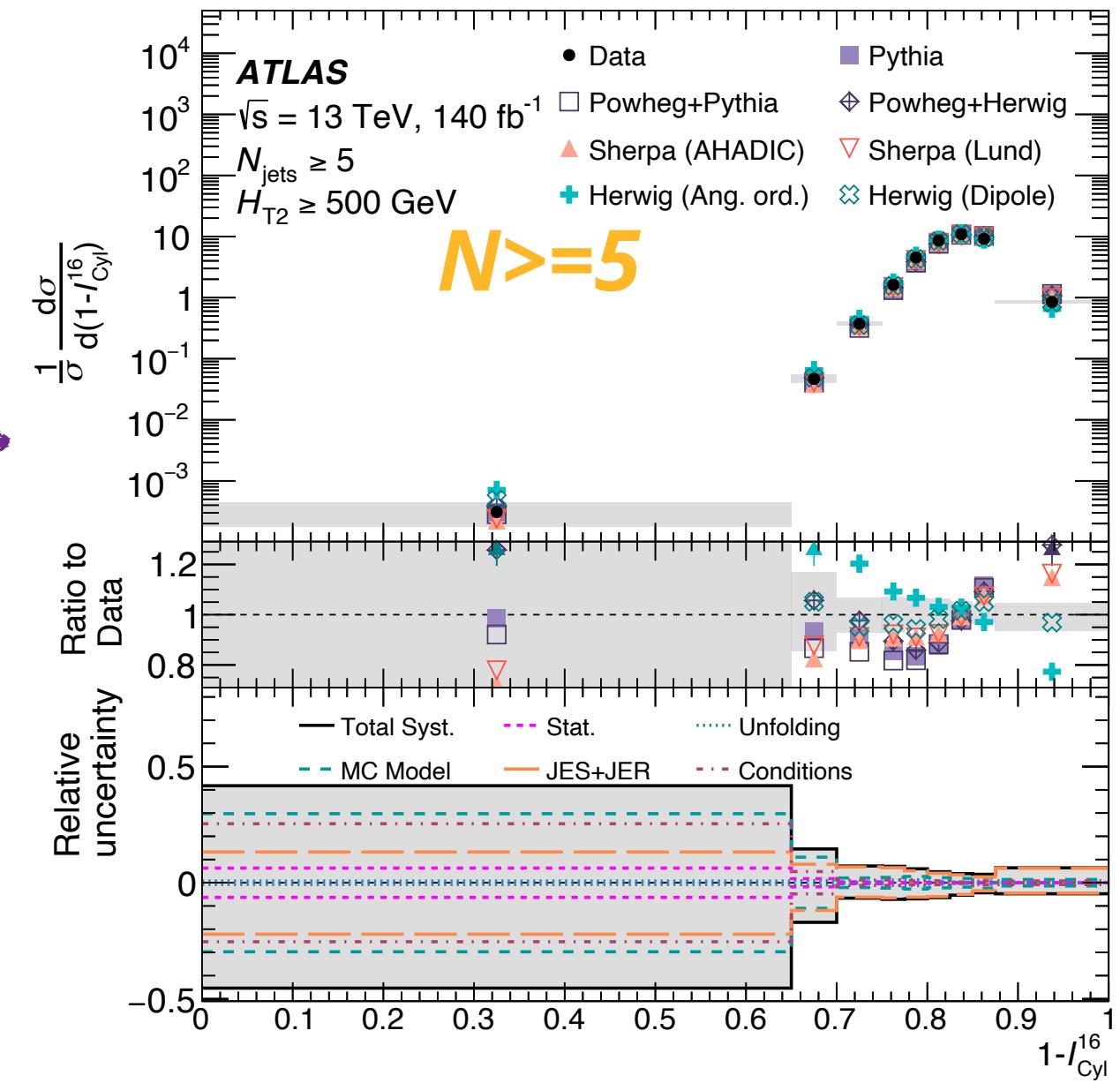
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n.b. side view!



**Increase  $N_{\text{jets}}$ :**  
**isotropy increased significantly!**



# Concluding remarks

*Comments by S. Marzani*

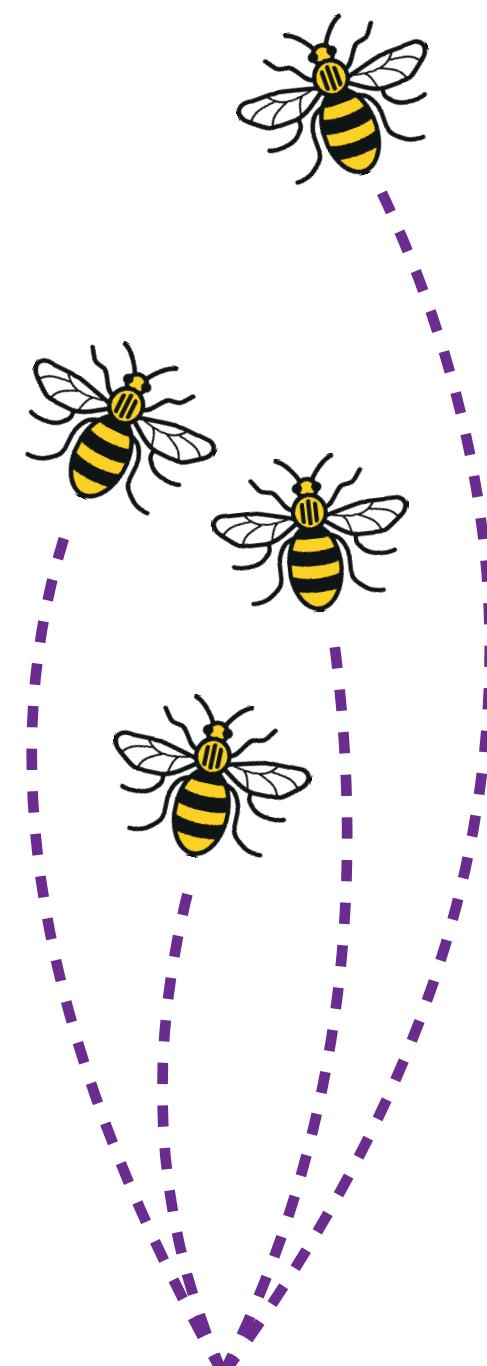
@ 2022.11.11 CERN QCD Seminar

- LHC Run3 does not give us any substantial increase in energy: but we will have more and more data;
- the theoretical focus is on making our tools better and better

*Cross-pollination: bring field-specific developments to the broader pheno community*

*Understanding new tools: ML algorithms are reshaping the way we think analyses and searches*

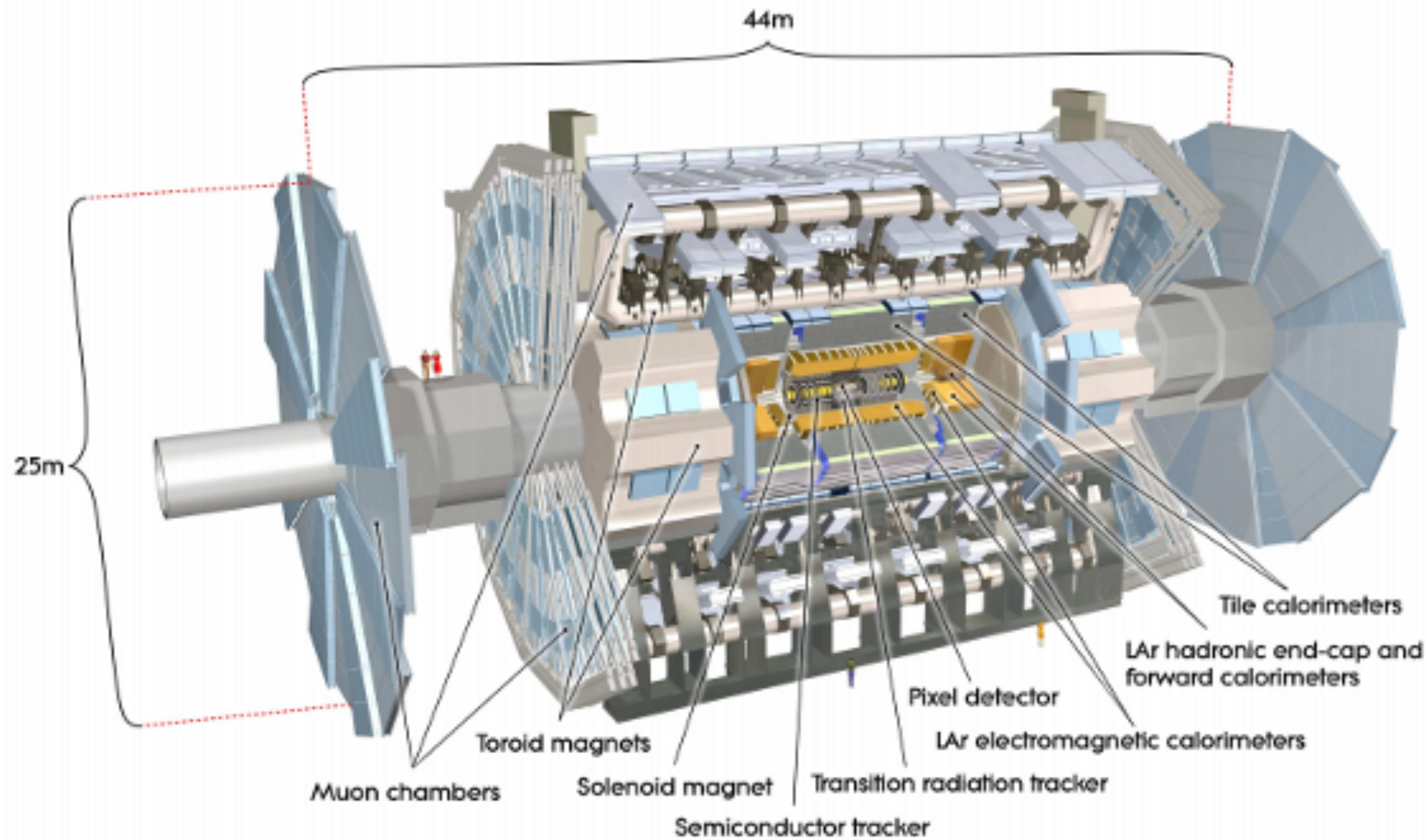
- This idea has already been **exemplified in QCD studies with Run 2 data!**
  - JSS programme demonstrates fruitful **interplay of theory & experiment.**
  - **New QCD measurements** of observables w/ novel properties resulting from direct collaboration between **ATLAS** and theory community.
  - Crucial to **Maintain this momentum!**
    - Run 3 is a moment of **reflection and opportunity** before HL-LHC era ...
      - Keep asking each other : **WHAT SHOULD WE DO NEXT?**



[https://twiki.cern.ch/twiki/bin/view/  
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*Thanks for  
Listening!*

*Auxiliary material.*



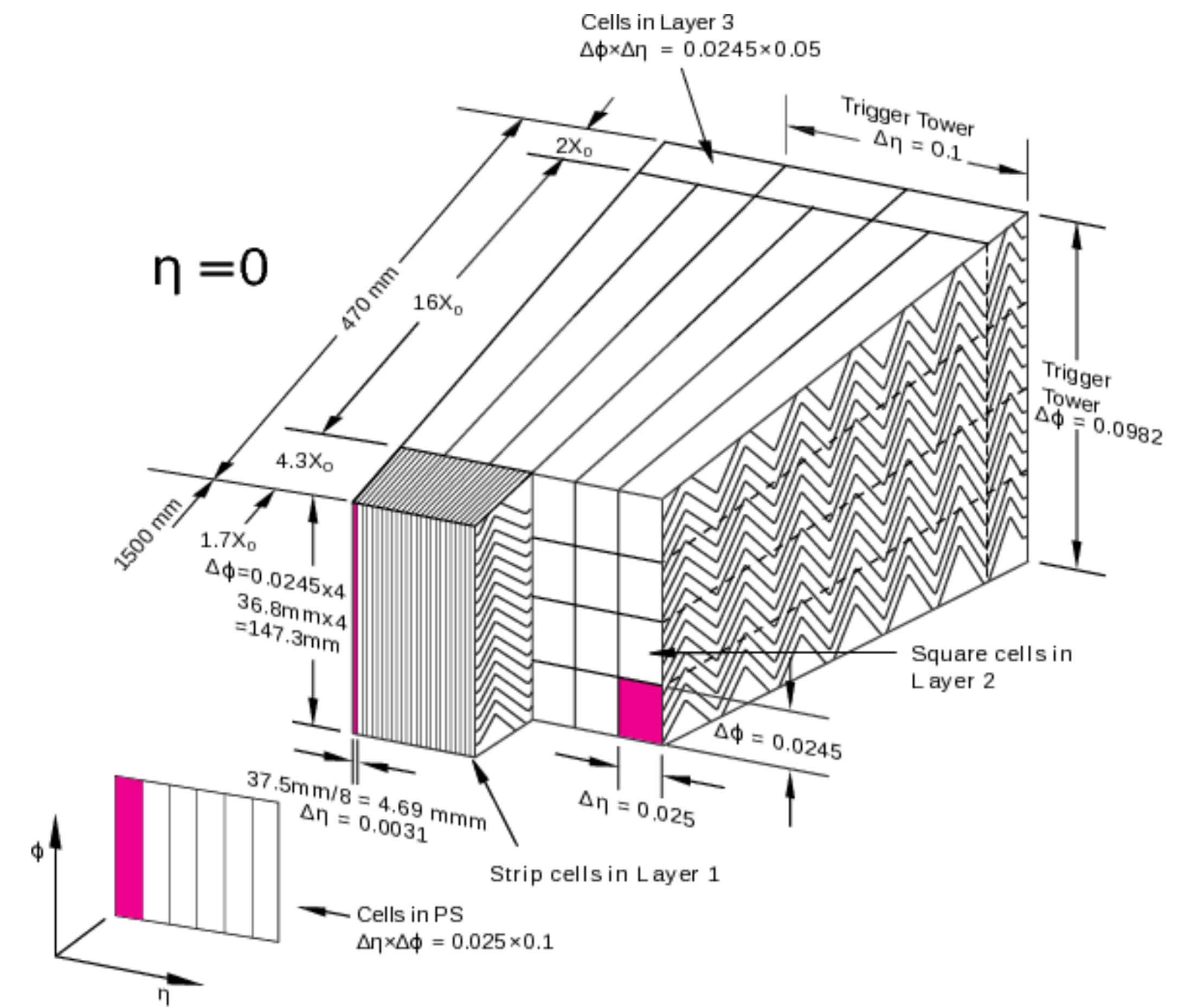
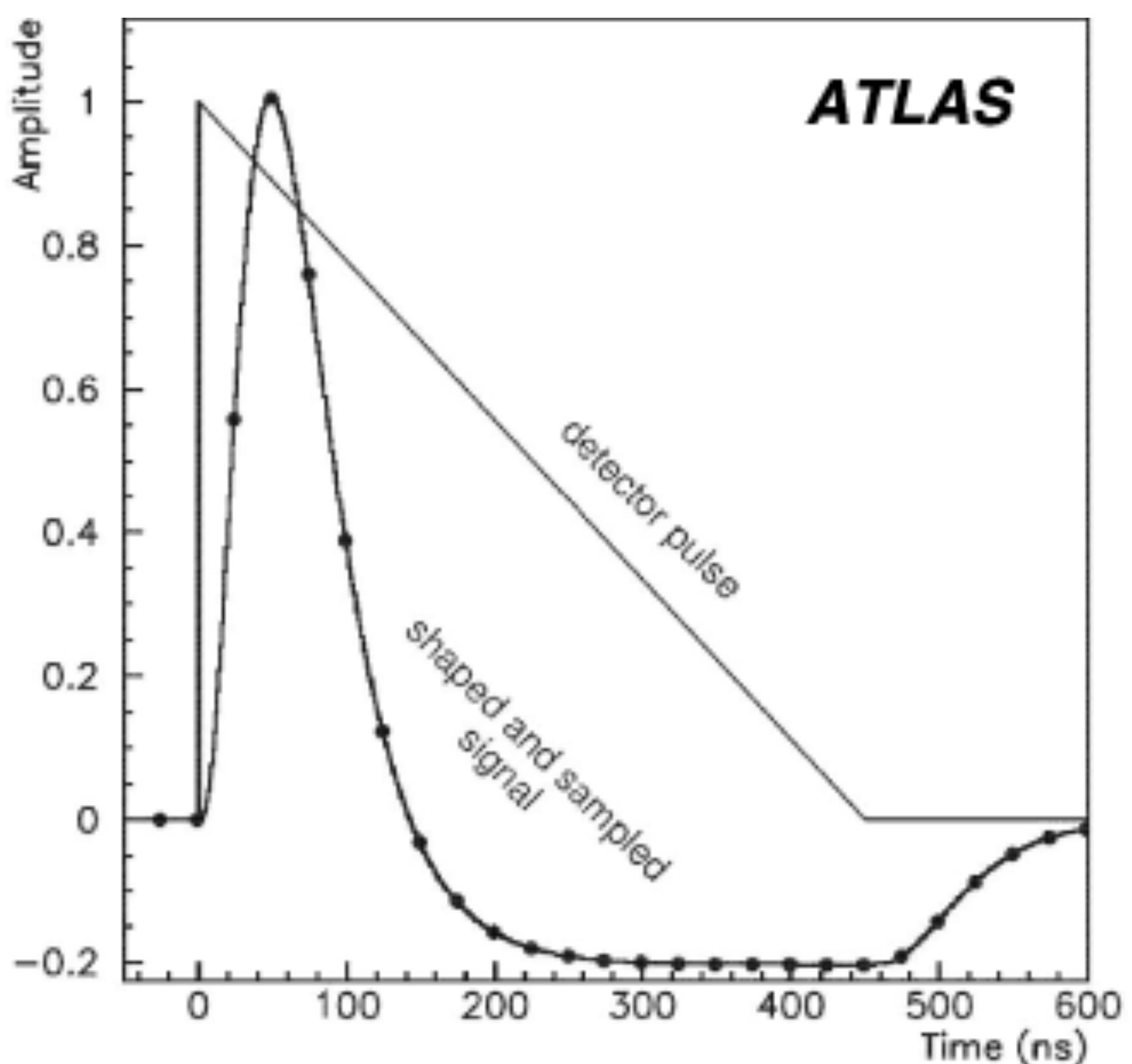
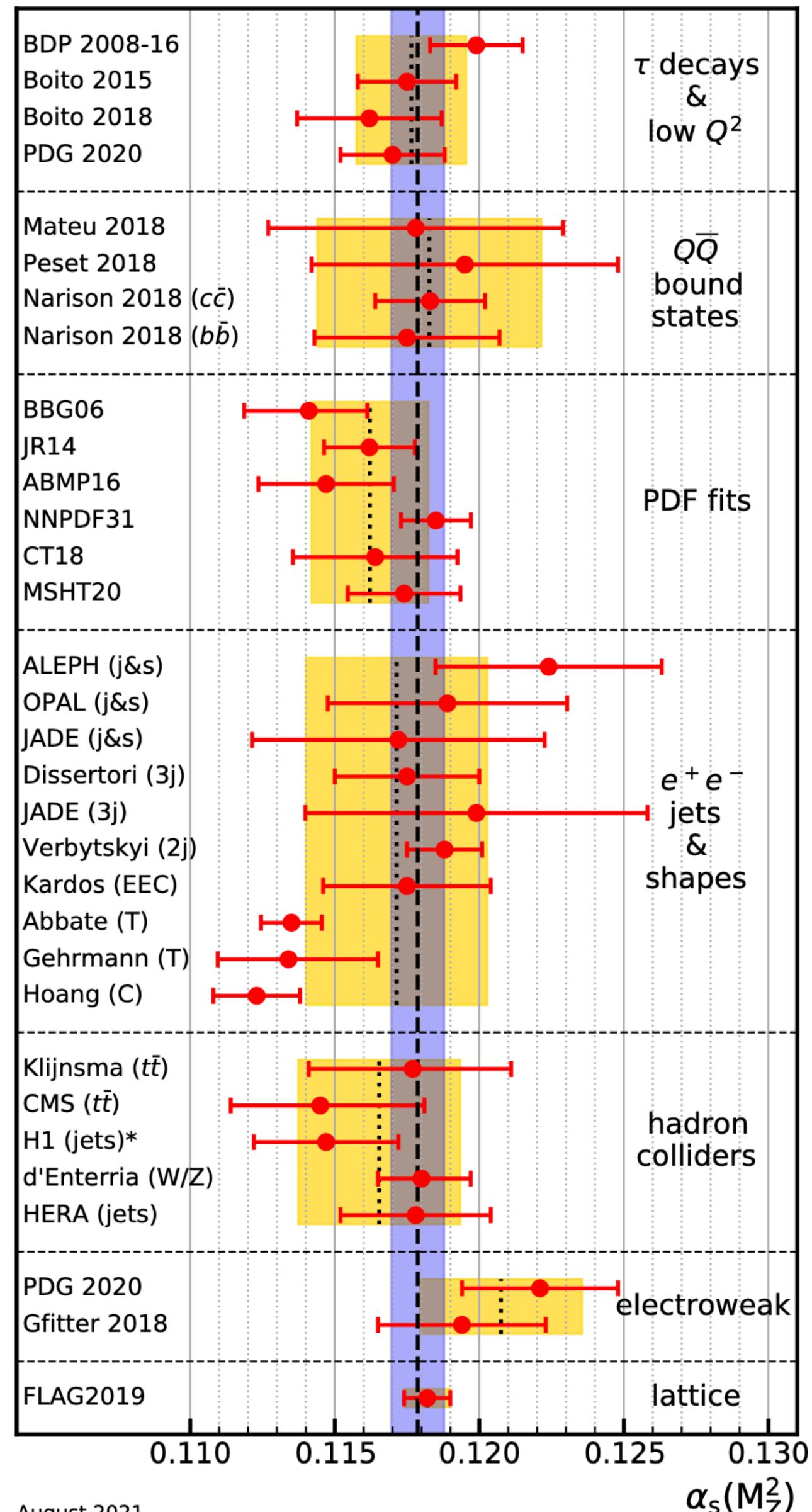


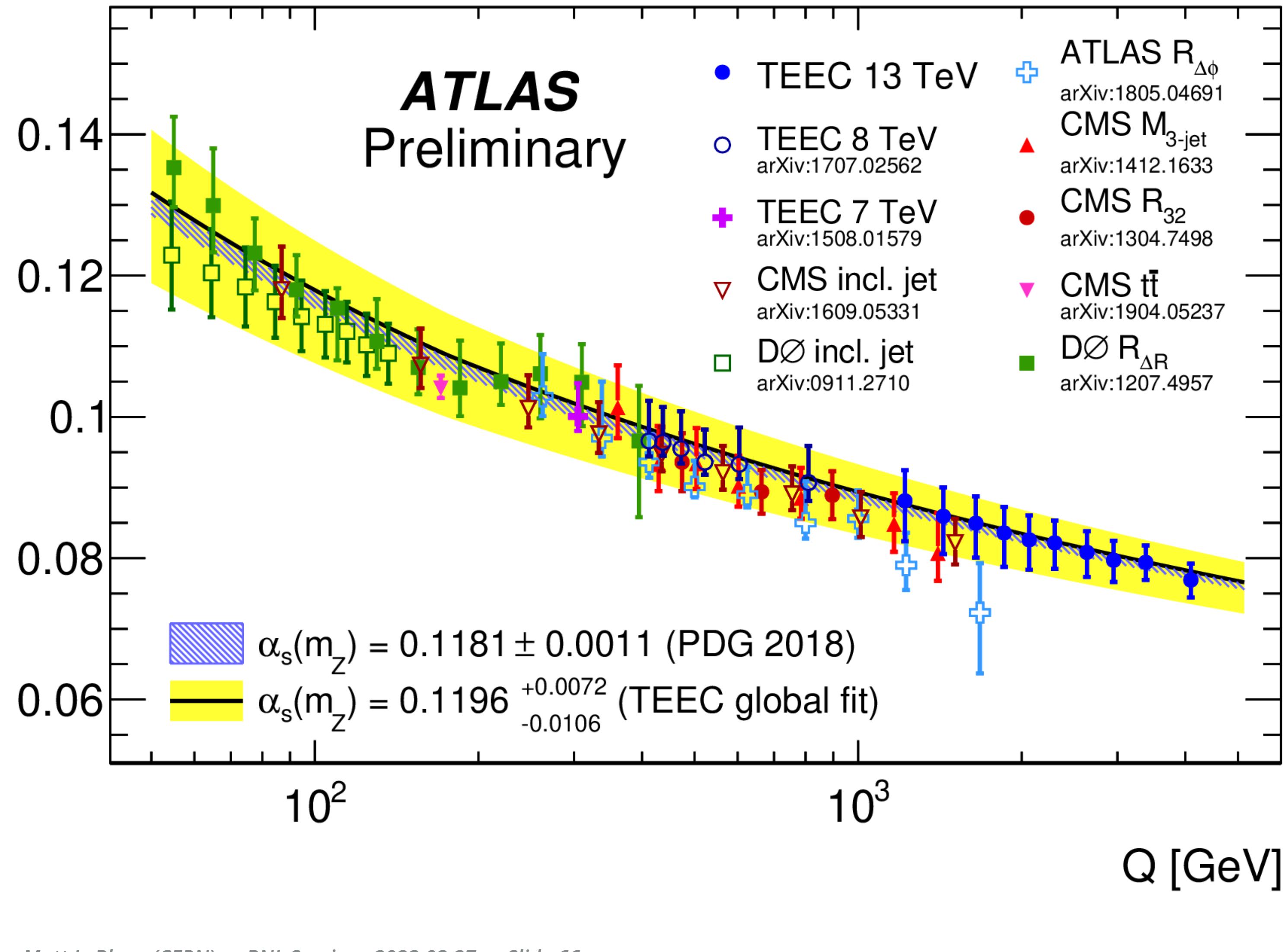
Table 1: The read-out granularity of the ATLAS calorimeter system [1], given in terms of  $\Delta\eta \times \Delta\phi$  with the exception of the forward calorimeters, where it is given in linear measures  $\Delta x \times \Delta y$ , due to the non-pointing read-out geometry of the FCAL. For comparison, the FCAL granularity is approximately  $\Delta\eta \times \Delta\phi = 0.15 \times 0.15 (0.3 \times 0.3)$  at  $\eta = 3.5 (4.5)$ . The total number of read-out cells, including both ends of the calorimeter system, with (without) pre-samplers is 187 652 (178 308).

Calorimeter	Module	Sampling ( $S_{\text{calo}}$ )	$N_{\text{cells}}$	$\eta$ -coverage	$\Delta\eta \times \Delta\phi$
<i>Electromagnetic calorimeters</i>	EMB		109 568	$ \eta  < 1.52$	
		PreSamplerB	7 808	$ \eta  < 1.52$	$0.025 \times \pi/32$
		EMB1		$ \eta  < 1.4$	$0.025/8 \times \pi/32$
				$1.4 <  \eta  < 1.475$	$0.025 \times \pi/128$
		EMB2		$ \eta  < 1.4$	$0.025 \times \pi/128$
				$1.4 <  \eta  < 1.475$	$0.075 \times \pi/128$
	EMEC	EMB3		$ \eta  < 1.35$	$0.050 \times \pi/128$
			63 744	$1.375 <  \eta  < 3.2$	
		PreSamplerE	1 536	$1.5 <  \eta  < 1.8$	$0.025 \times \pi/32$
		EME1		$1.375 <  \eta  < 1.425$	$0.050 \times \pi/32$
				$1.425 <  \eta  < 1.5$	$0.025 \times \pi/32$
				$1.5 <  \eta  < 1.8$	$0.025/8 \times \pi/32$
				$1.8 <  \eta  < 2.0$	$0.025/6 \times \pi/32$
		EME2		$2.0 <  \eta  < 2.4$	$0.025/4 \times \pi/32$
				$2.4 <  \eta  < 2.5$	$0.025 \times \pi/32$
				$2.5 <  \eta  < 3.2$	$0.1 \times \pi/32$
		EME3		$1.375 <  \eta  < 1.425$	$0.050 \times \pi/128$
				$1.425 <  \eta  < 2.5$	$0.025 \times \pi/128$
				$2.5 <  \eta  < 3.2$	$0.1 \times \pi/128$
				$1.5 <  \eta  < 2.5$	$0.050 \times \pi/128$
<i>Hadronic calorimeters</i>	Tile (barrel)		2 880	$ \eta  < 1$	
		TileBar0/1			$0.1 \times \pi/32$
		TileBar2			$0.2 \times \pi/32$
			2 304	$0.8 <  \eta  < 1.7$	
		TileExt0/1			$0.1 \times \pi/32$
	HEC	TileExt2			$0.2 \times \pi/32$
			5 632	$1.5 <  \eta  < 3.2$	
		HEC0/1/2/3		$1.5 <  \eta  < 2.5$	$0.1 \times \pi/32$
				$2.5 <  \eta  < 3.2$	$0.2 \times \pi/16$
<i>Forward calorimeters</i>	FCAL		3 524	$3.1 <  \eta  < 4.9$	$\Delta x \times \Delta y$
		FCAL0		$3.1 <  \eta  < 3.15$	$1.5 \text{ cm} \times 1.3 \text{ cm}$
				$3.15 <  \eta  < 4.3$	$3.0 \text{ cm} \times 2.6 \text{ cm}$
				$4.3 <  \eta  < 4.83$	$1.5 \text{ cm} \times 1.3 \text{ cm}$
		FCAL1		$3.2 <  \eta  < 3.24$	$1.7 \text{ cm} \times 2.1 \text{ cm}$
				$3.24 <  \eta  < 4.5$	$3.3 \text{ cm} \times 4.2 \text{ cm}$
				$4.5 <  \eta  < 4.81$	$1.7 \text{ cm} \times 2.1 \text{ cm}$
			FCAL2	$3.29 <  \eta  < 3.32$	$2.7 \text{ cm} \times 2.4 \text{ cm}$
				$3.32 <  \eta  < 4.6$	$5.4 \text{ cm} \times 4.7 \text{ cm}$
				$4.6 <  \eta  < 4.75$	$2.7 \text{ cm} \times 2.4 \text{ cm}$

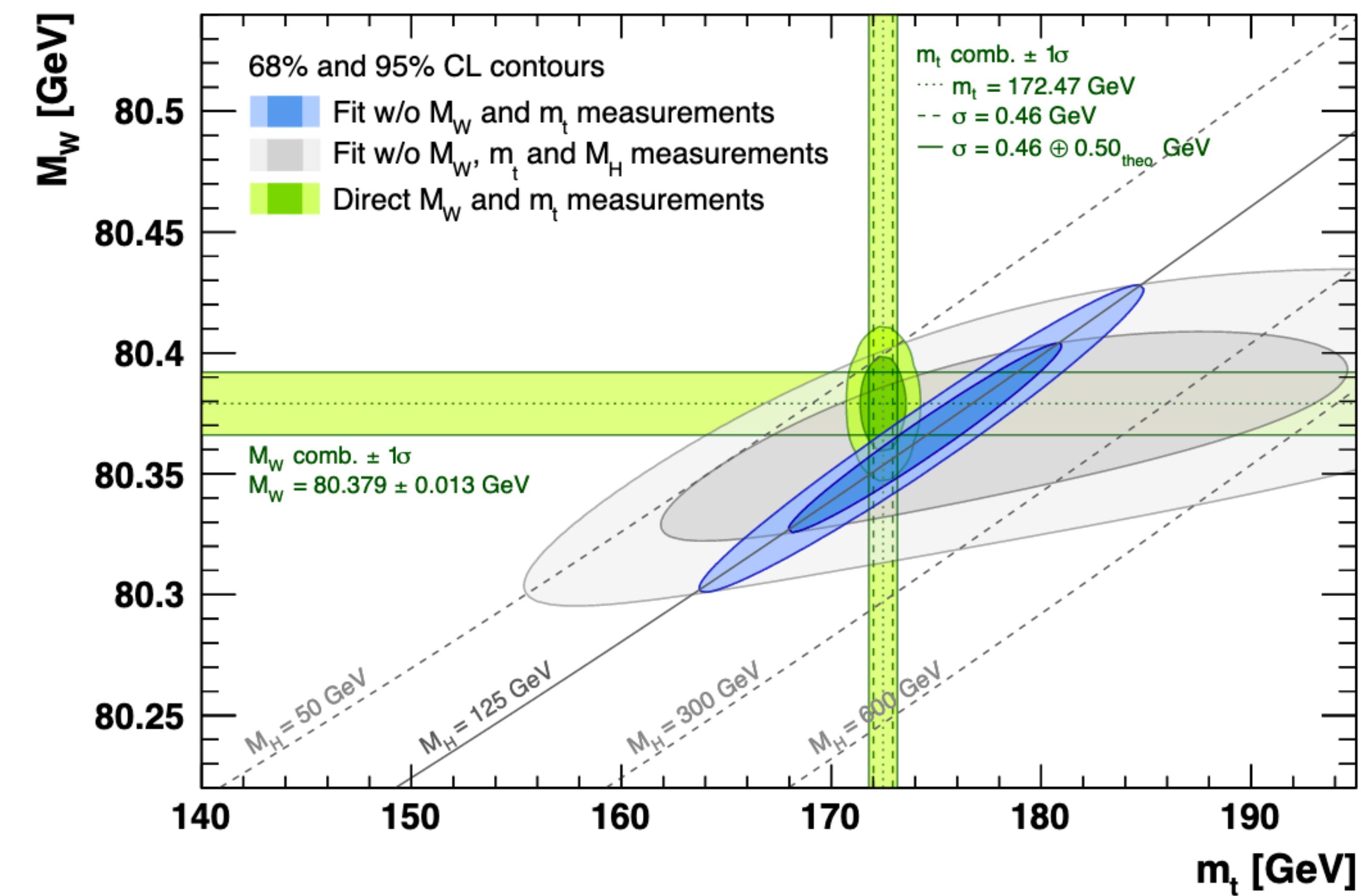
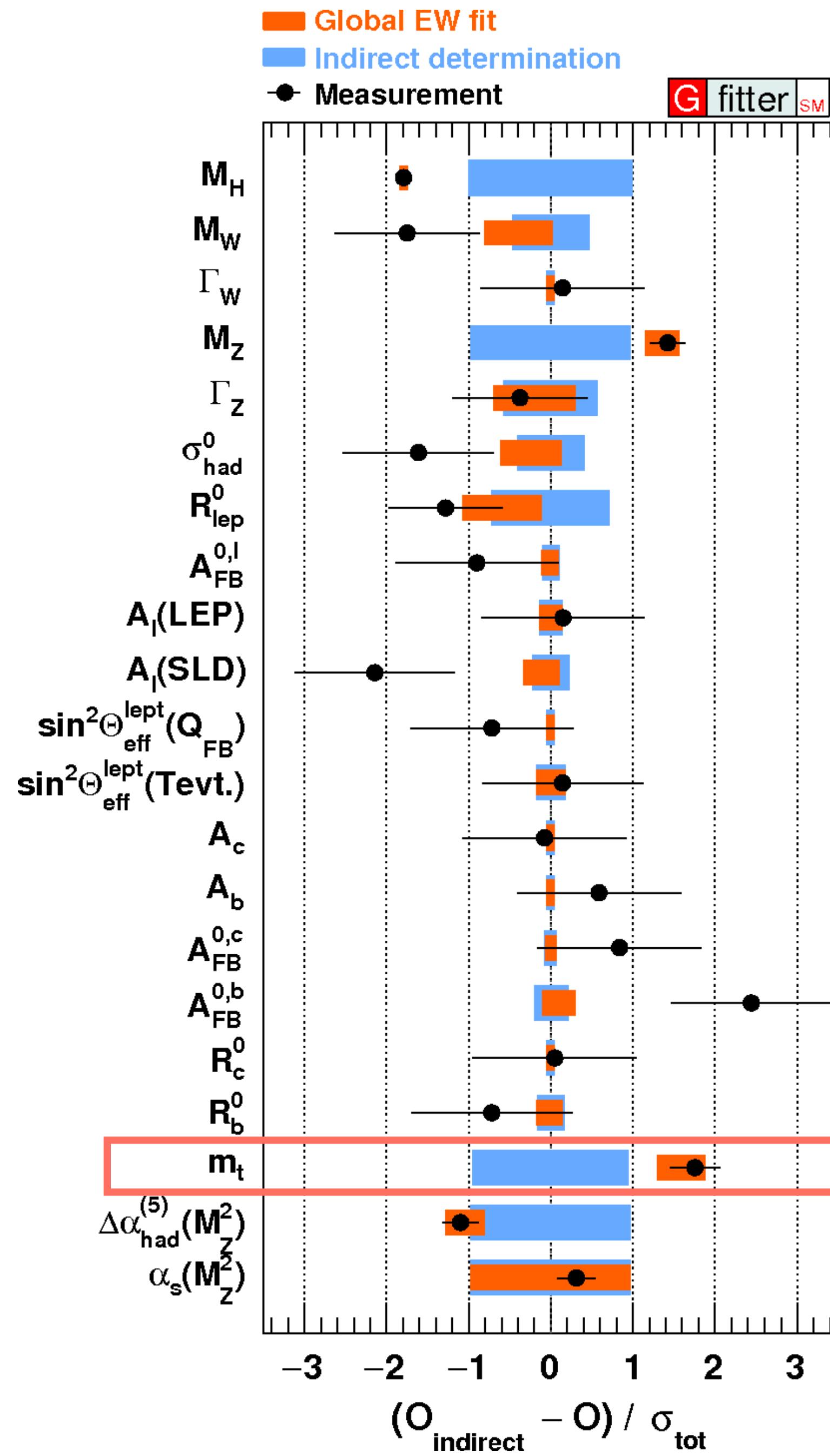
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# Global Electroweak Fit



# Soft-drop observables: calo vs. track response matrices

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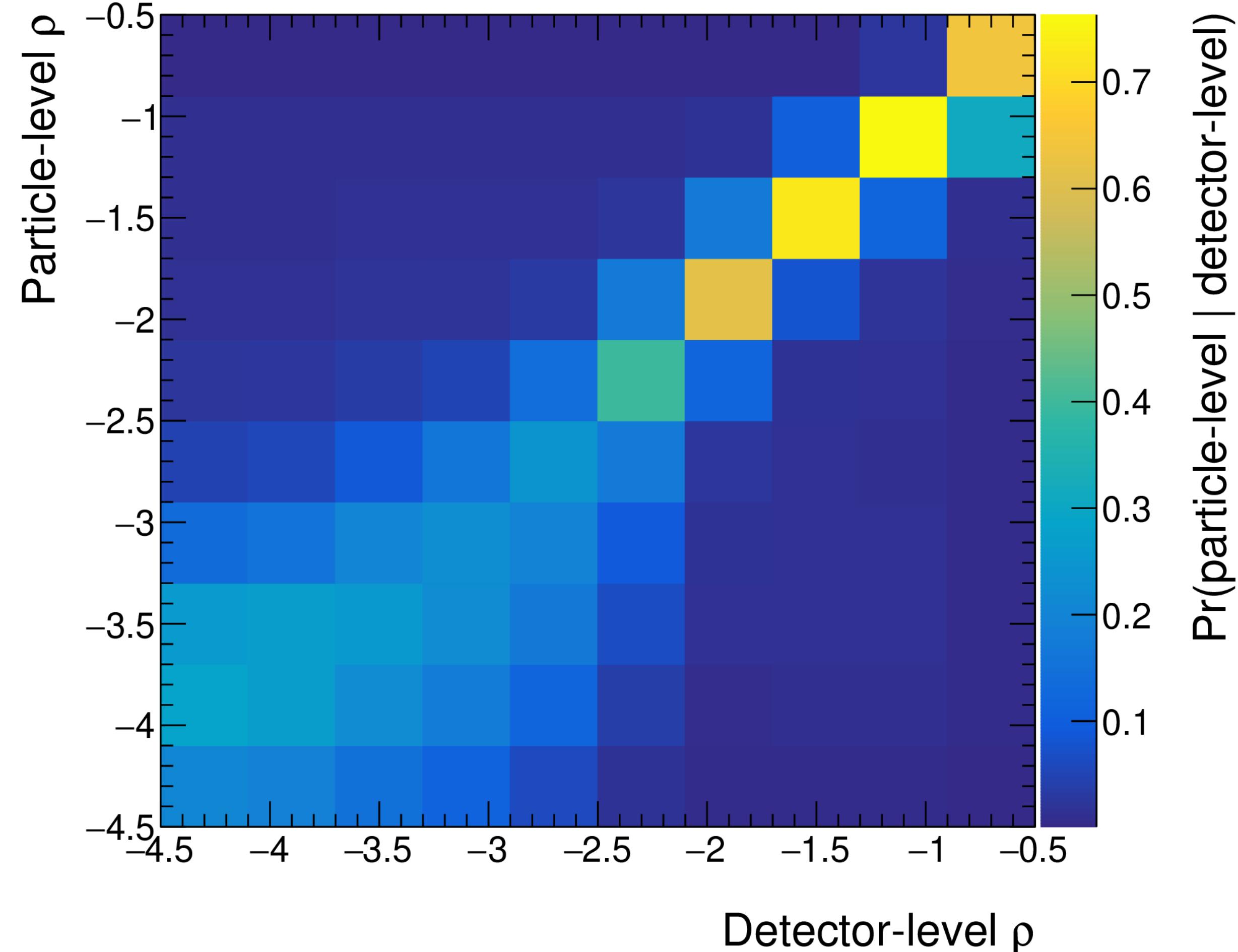
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Soft Drop,  $z_{\text{cut}} = 0.1, \beta = 0$

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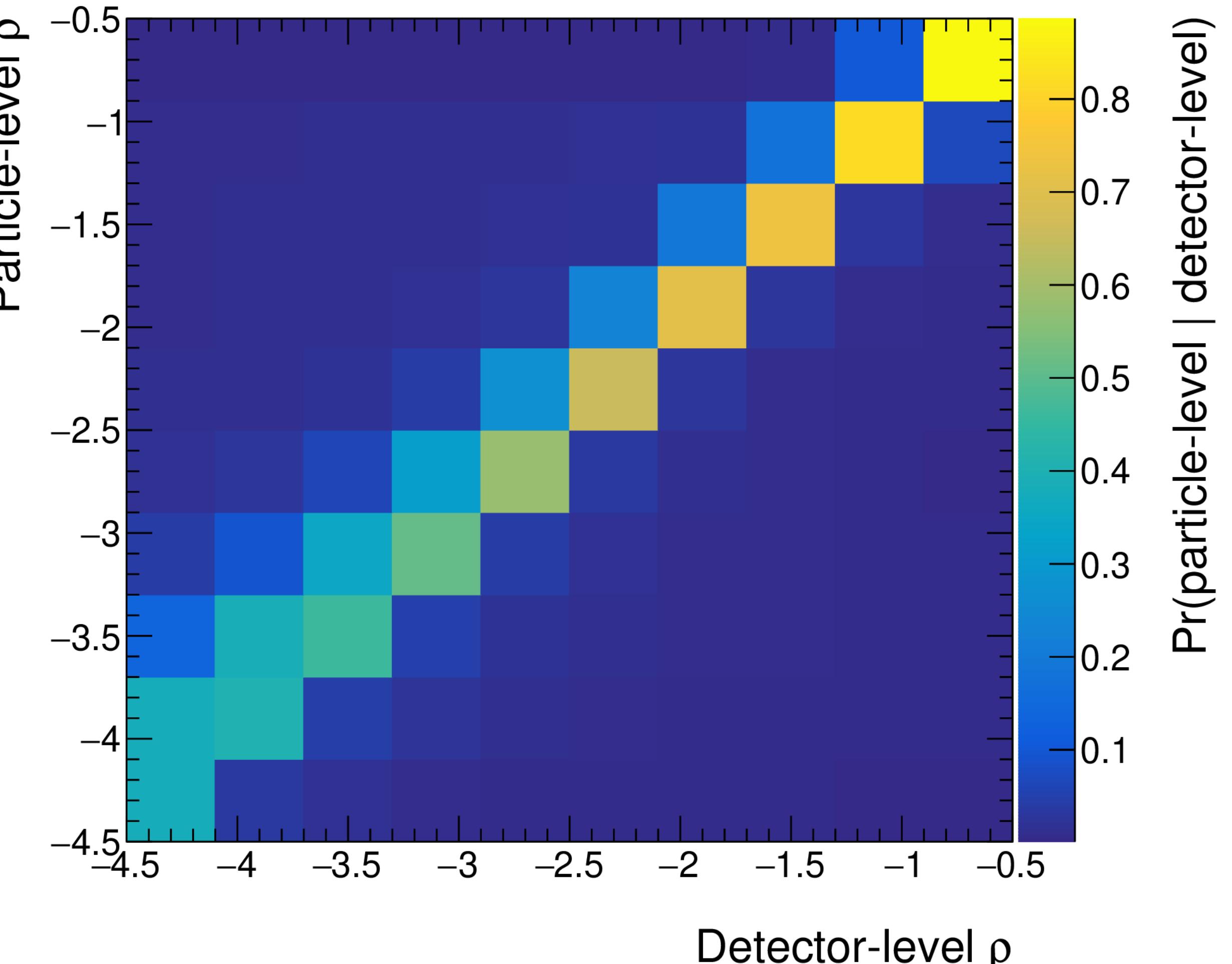
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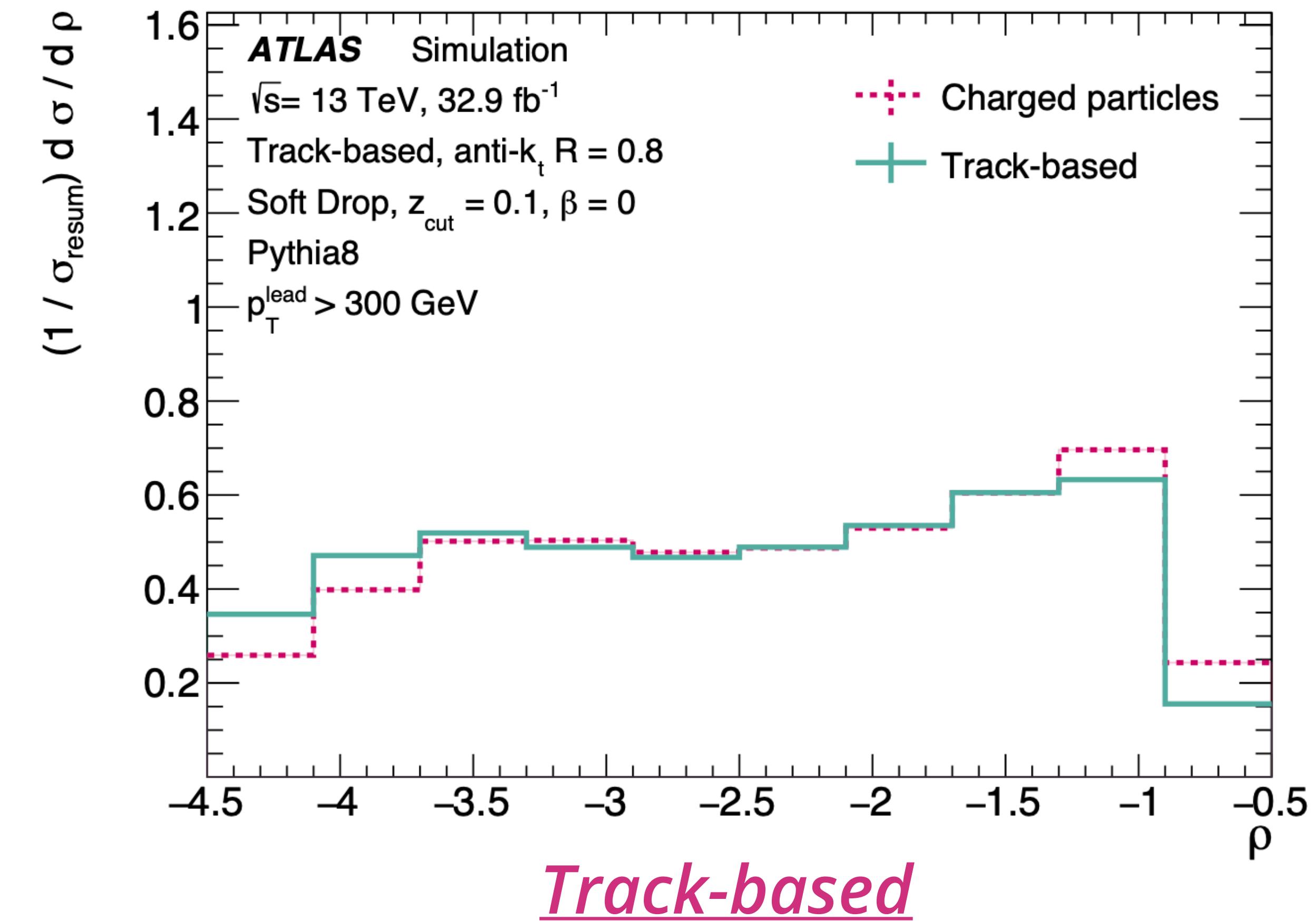
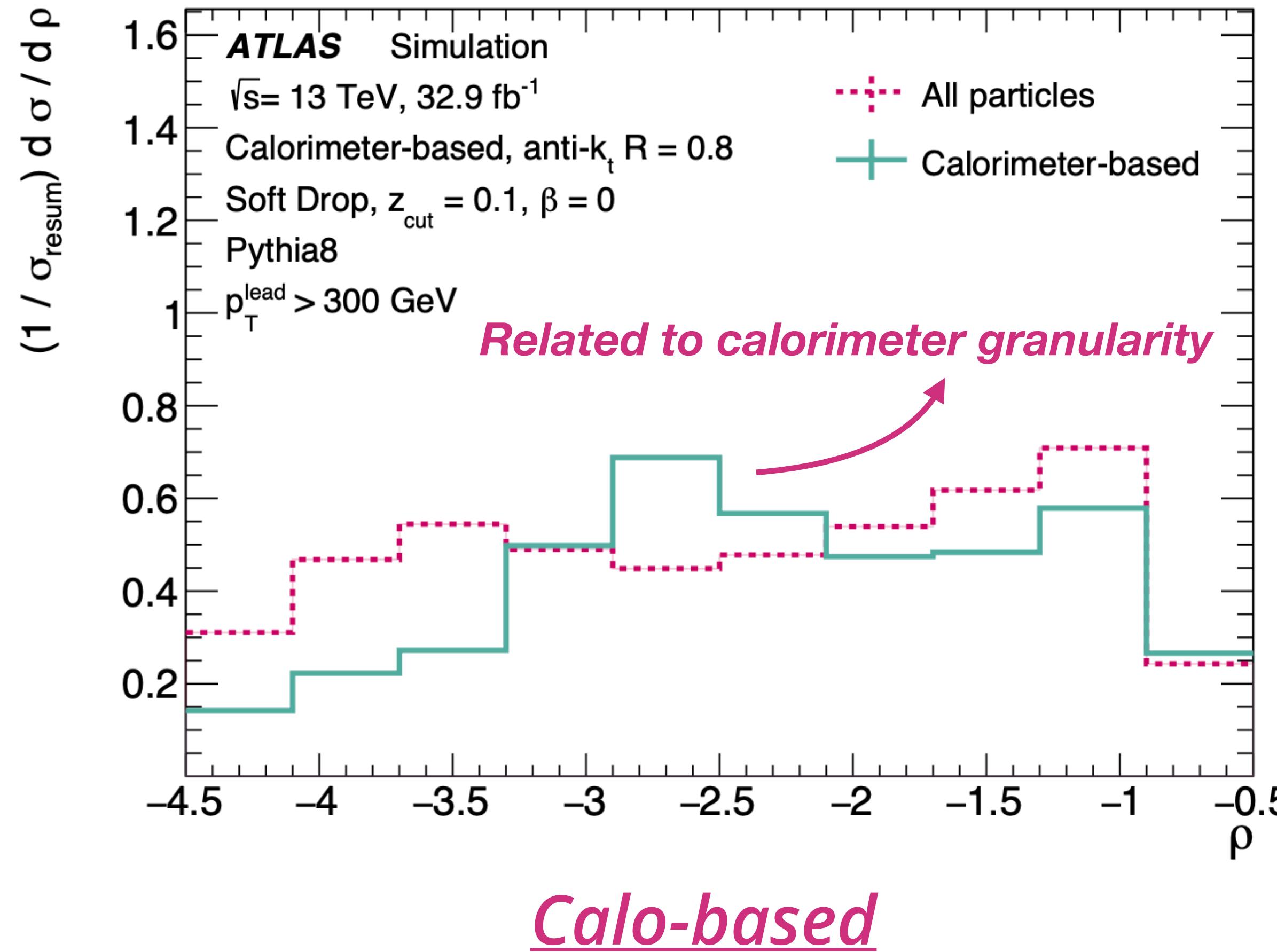
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# Soft-drop observables: calo vs. track before unfolding

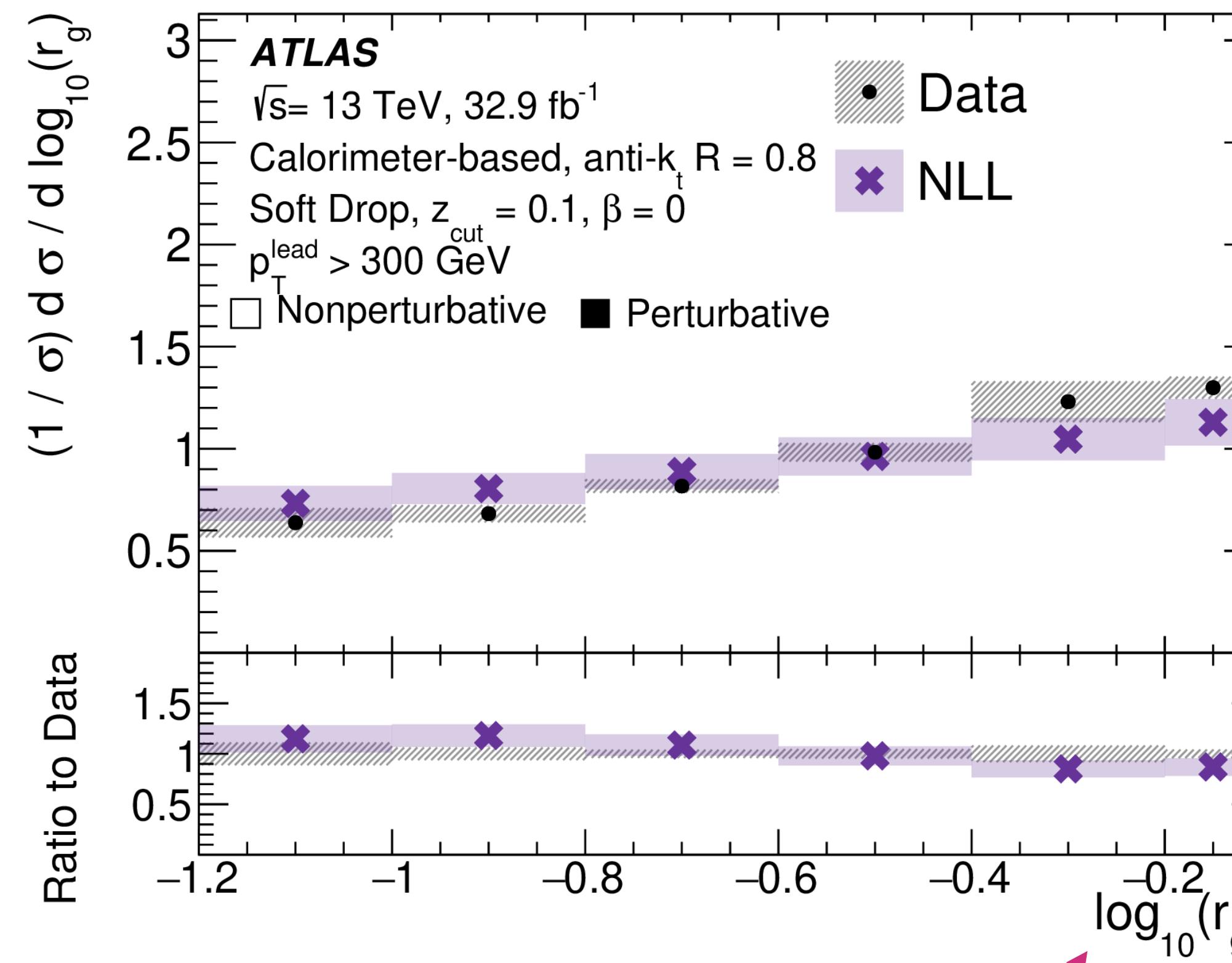
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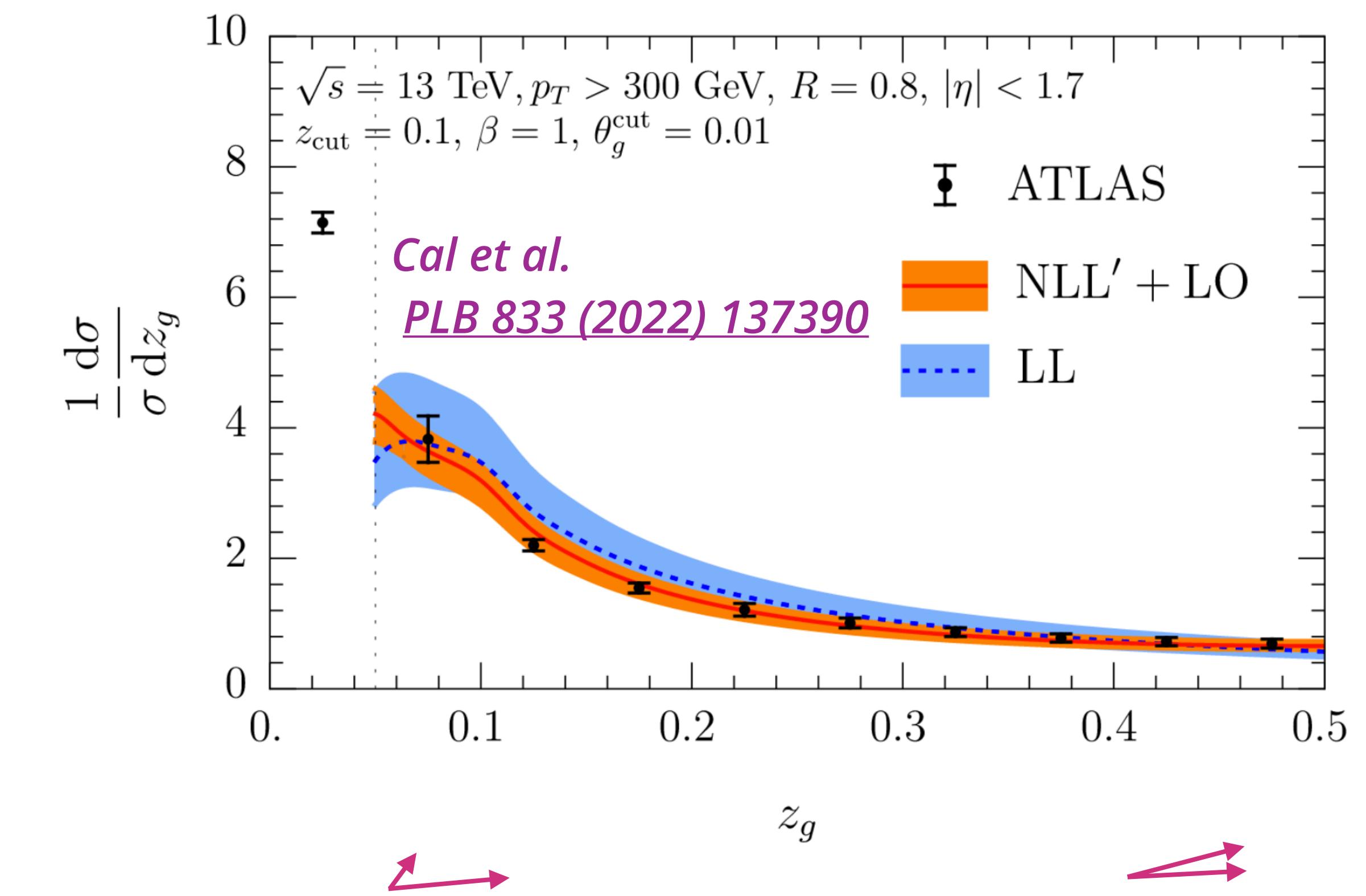
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"Groomed radius"  $r_g = \Delta R(p_T^{j1}, p_T^{j1})$



Collinear (npQCD)      Wide-angled

"Energy balance"  $z_g = p_T^{j2}/p_T^{j1}$



Soft splittings (npQCD)      Even splittings