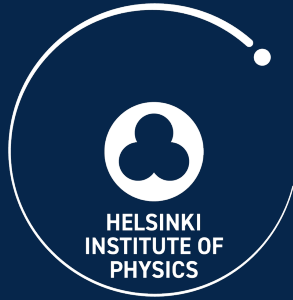




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# Jet Reconstruction & Pileup Mitigation Performance in CMS

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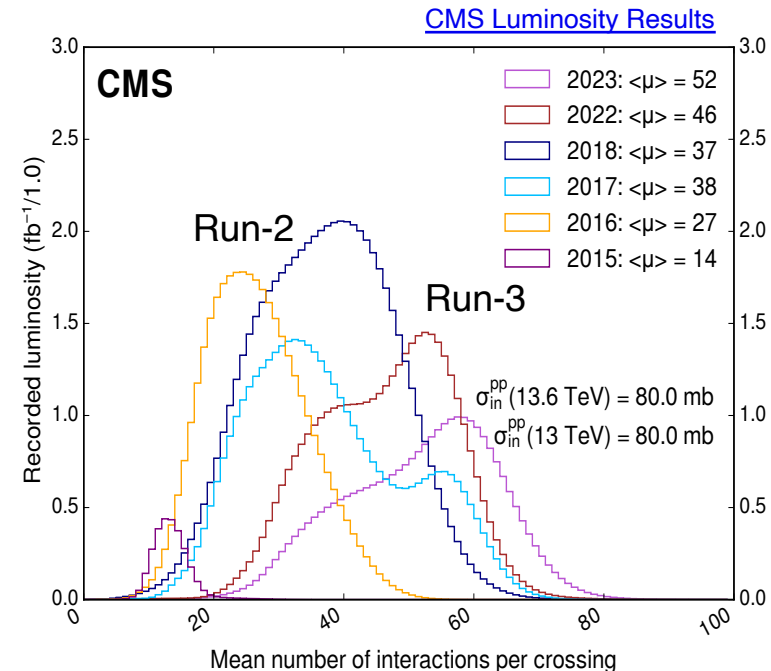
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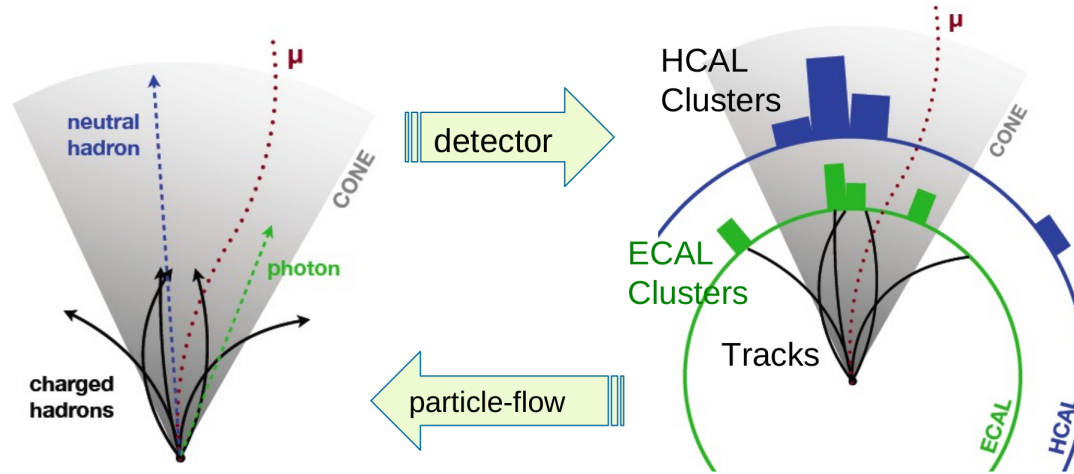
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- Jet reconstruction is integral to the CMS physics program.
  - Crucial signatures in SM measurements & BSM searches.
- Need optimum reconstruction & precise calibration.
- Unprecedented number of Pileup in Run-3 datasets.
  - Pileup mitigation more important than ever to maintain jet performance.

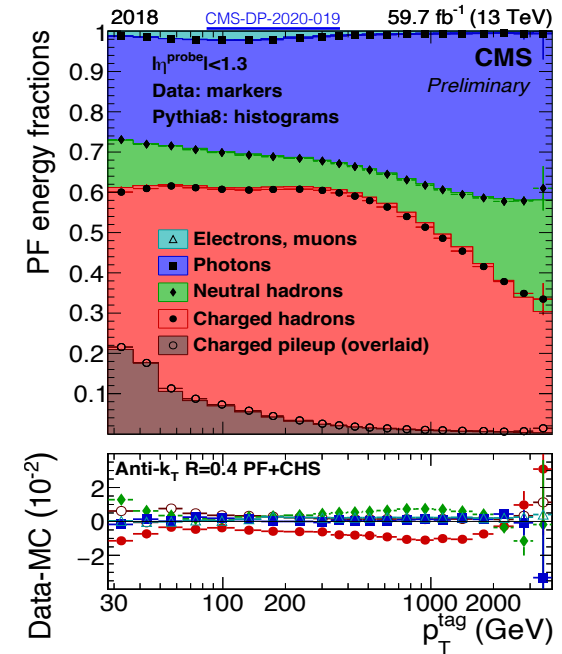


# Jet Reconstruction in CMS

## Particle Flow (PF) Algorithm JINST 12 (2017) P10003



global event description by combining various sub-detectors information



“Standard” jet algorithms with PF candidates as inputs:

- Small-R jets: anti- $k_T$   $R = 0.4$  [AK4]
- Large-R jets: anti- $k_T$   $R = 0.8$  [AK8]

- AK or CA  $R=1.5$  are sometimes used. Analysis specific.
- “Non-standard” jets also used (e.g Variable-R). See Gabriele Milella’s poster & Donato Troiano’s talk.

# Constituent-level Pileup Mitigation with PUPPI

# Constituent-level Pileup Mitigation

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## CMS mitigates pileup at the constituent-level

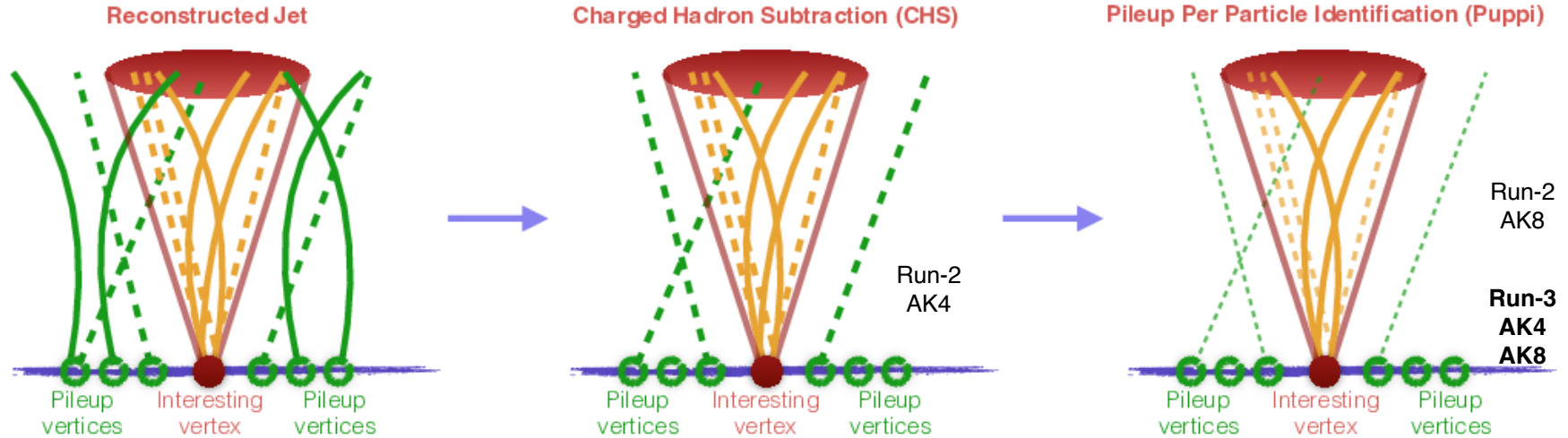


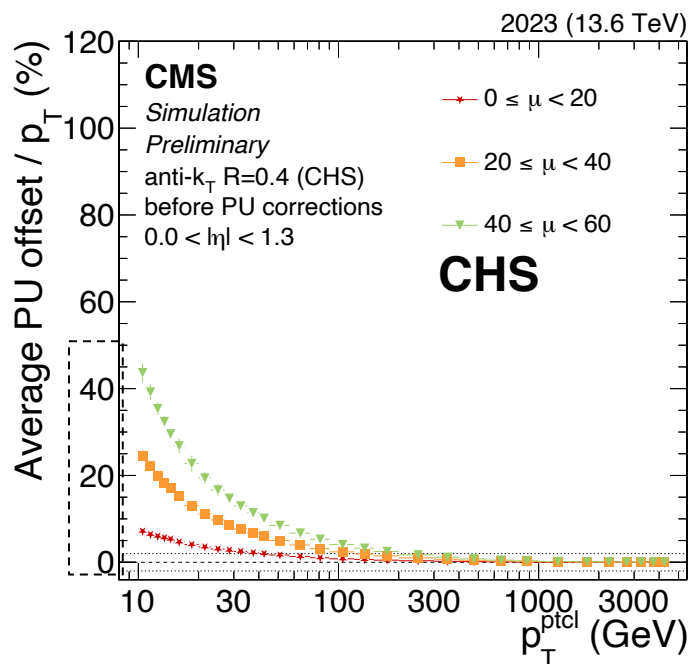
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### CHS

- Discard charged PF candidates from Pileup Vertices

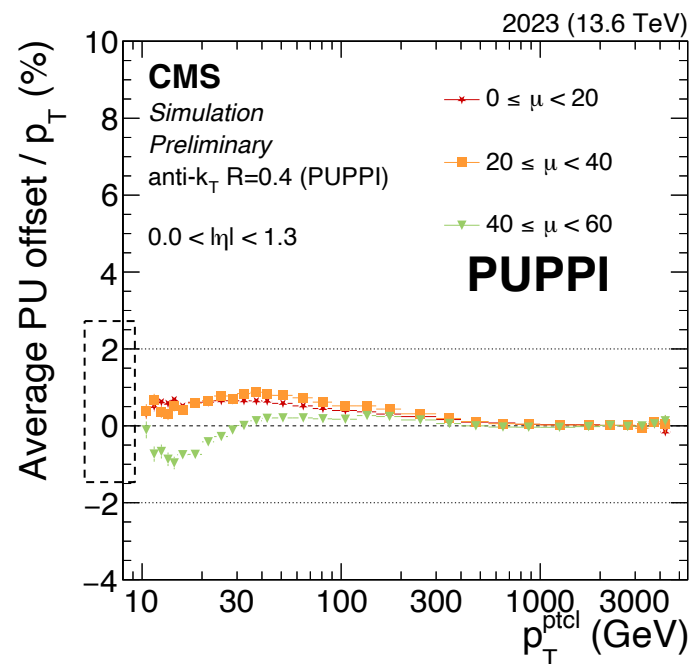
### PUPPI

- More refined treatment of charged PF candidates, depends on vertex association.
- Apply weights to neutral PF candidates four-vector.



Large pileup contamination  
at low  $p_T$

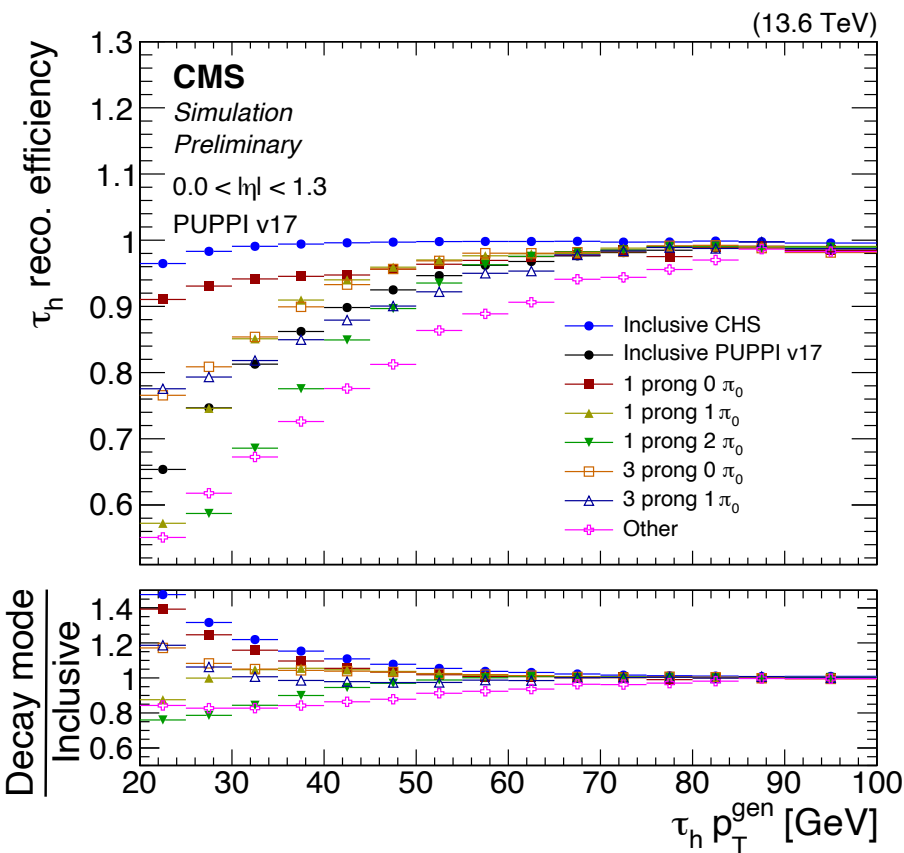
Require dedicated step in jet  
energy corrections.



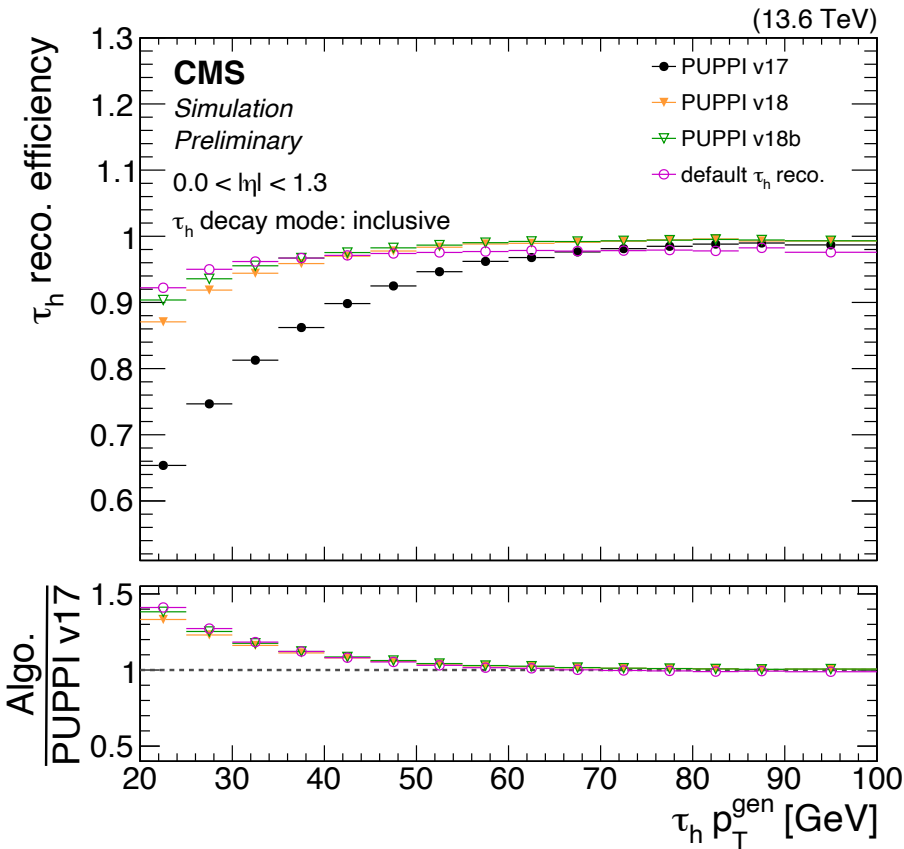
Negligible  
pileup contamination

Not used for jet energy corrections.  
Monitor pileup.

- Hadronically-decaying  $\tau$ -lepton reconstruction uses **AK4 CHS** jets as seeds. [JINST 13 \(2018\) P10005](#)
- Natural to switch to **PUPPI jets** but observed a lower reconstruction efficiency.
- Due to the different treatment of charged PF candidates associated to Pileup Vertices between CHS and PUPPI.
  - specifically ones not associated to any vertex.

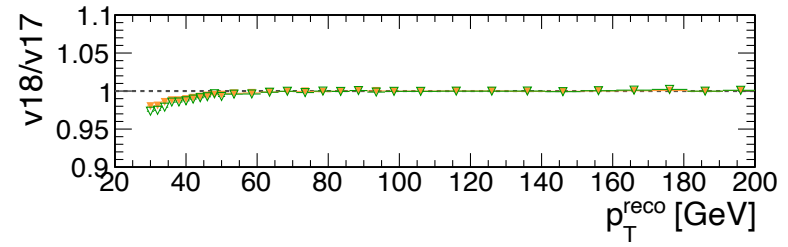
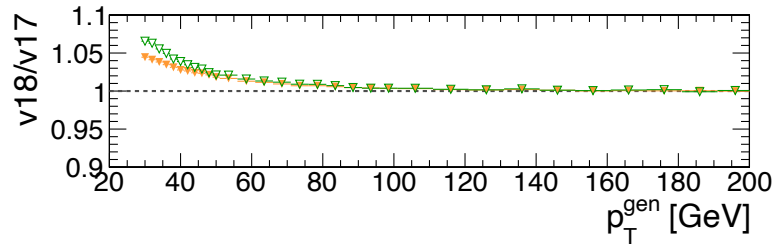
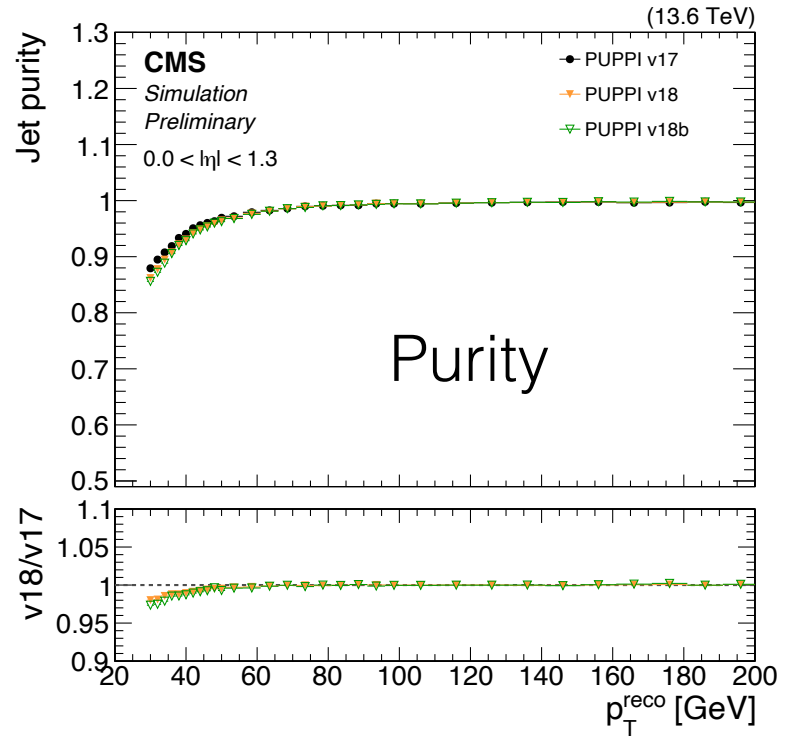
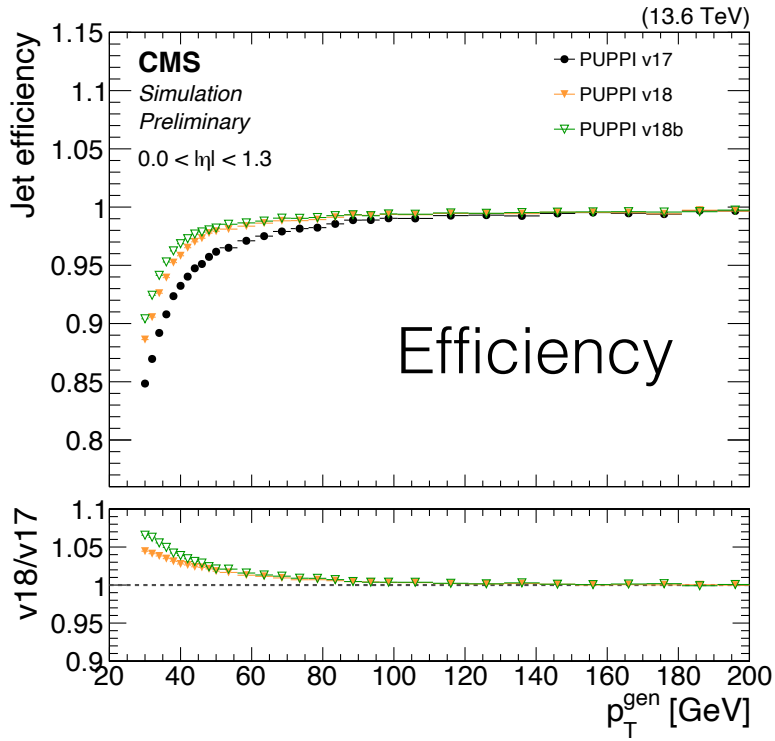


- CHS: retains charged PF candidates not associated to any vertices.
- PUPPI: retains if  $p_T > 20$  GeV but assign a weight if lower.
- Update PUPPI algorithm (V18): retains if  $p_T > 4$  GeV.
  - Substantial efficiency recovery.



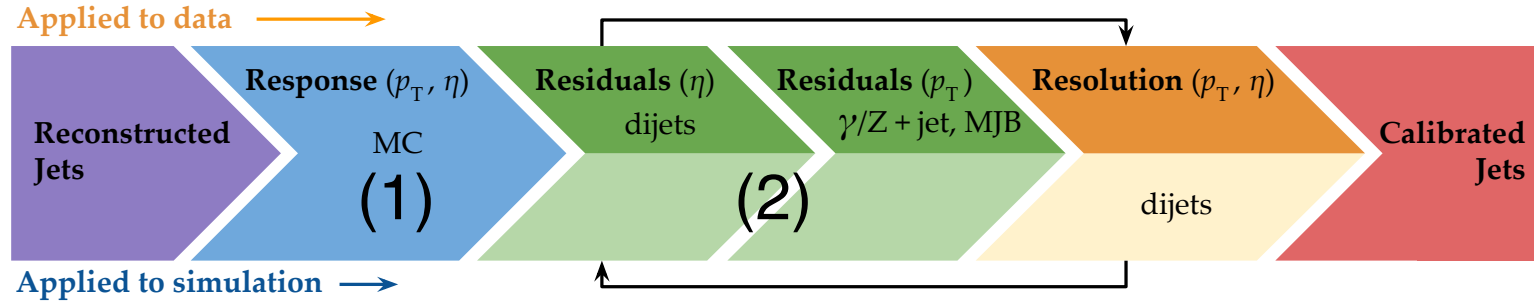


## Impact on real jets from hard-scatter vertex



Improve efficiency, small reduction in purity

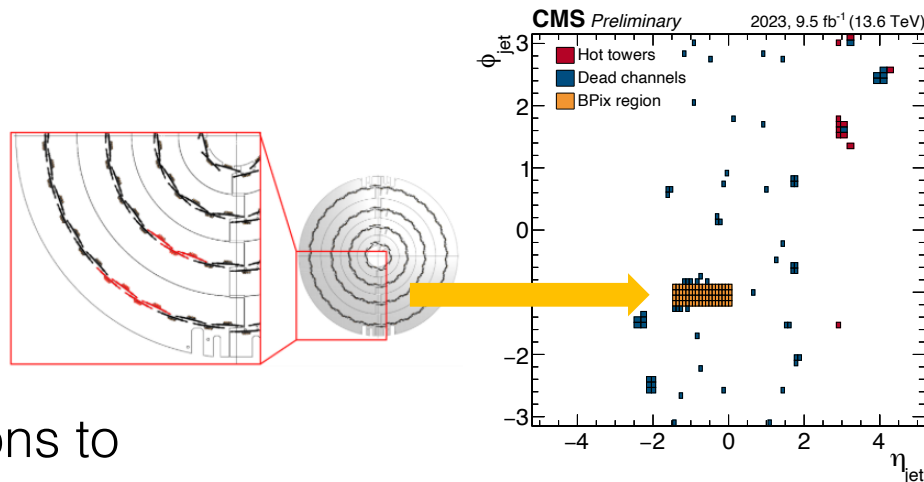
# Jet Energy Scale & Resolution Calibration for Run-3 Datasets



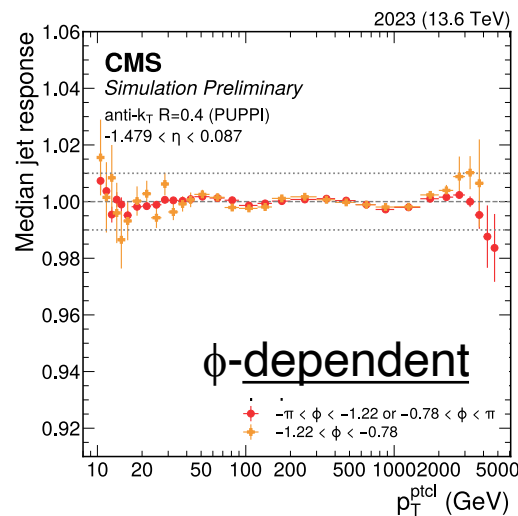
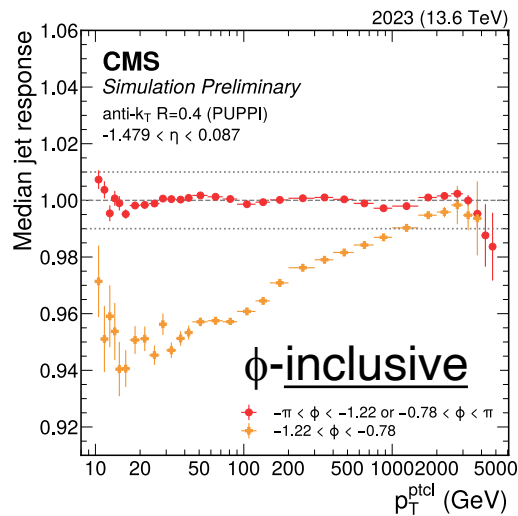
- Factorized approach to jet energy calibration.
- Jet Energy Scale (JES) calibration:
  - 1) MC “truth” corrections: correct to particle-level jet scale.
  - 2) Residual corrections: correct for residual differences between simulation & data.
- Jet Energy Resolution (JER) calibration:
  - Smear jet energy in simulation to match that in data.

# $\phi$ -dependent JES Corrections

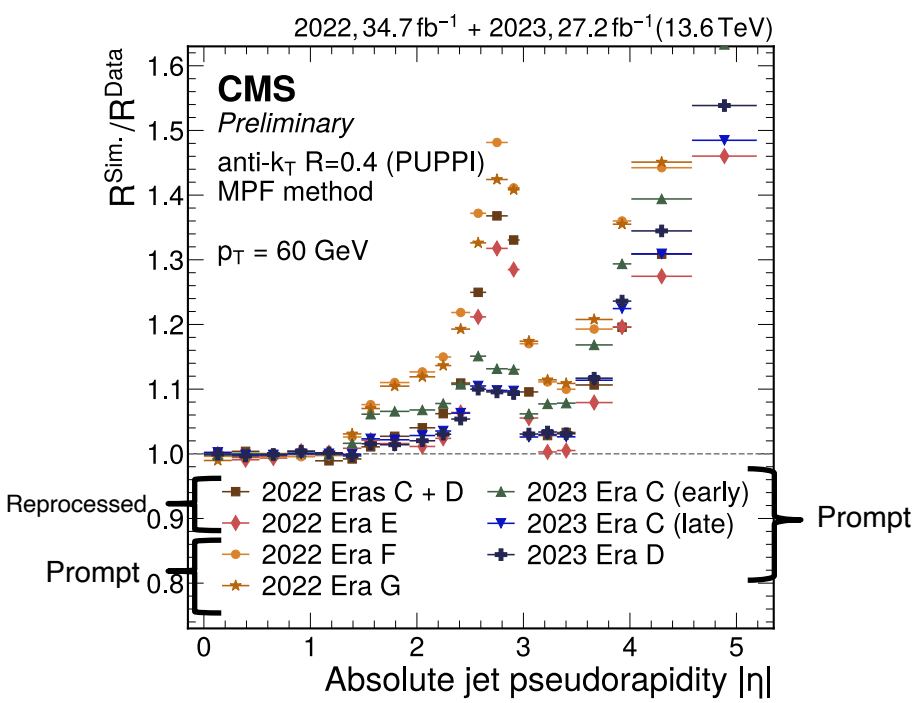
- Partial failure of a portion of the Barrel Pixel sub-detector (BPix) occurred during 2023 data-taking.
  - Track reconstruction efficiency loss, affects jet energy scale.
- Introduce  $\phi$ -dependent JES corrections to minimize impact of BPix inefficiency.



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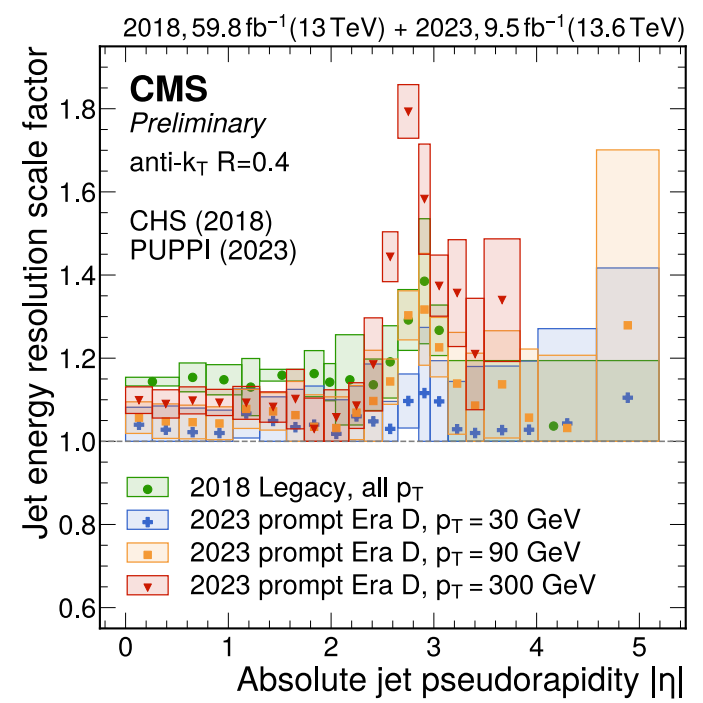


## JES residual corrections



Significant improvement of the reprocessed 2022 & prompt 2023 data compared to prompt 2022 data

## JER (Data/Simulation) SF



- Run-3 prompt reconstructed data is better than Run-2 legacy.
- Observed p<sub>T</sub> dependence for Run-3 dataset.

# Jet $p_T$ regression with ParticleNet

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## ParticleNet

[Phys. Rev. D 101, 056019 \(2020\)](#)

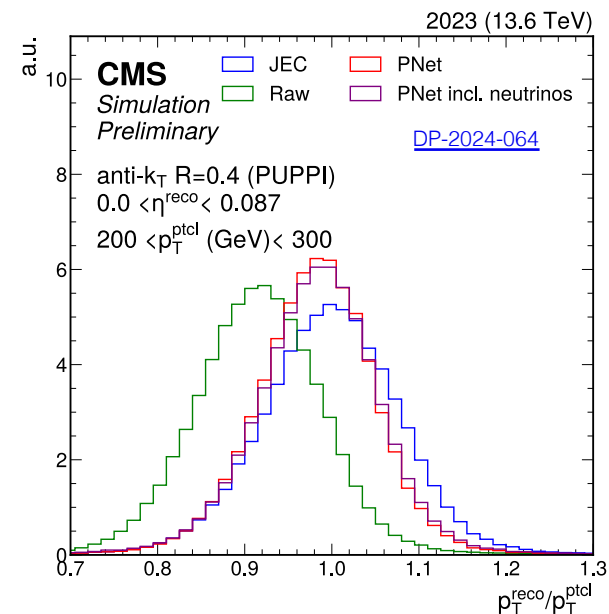
Graph NN with PF constituents & Secondary Vertices as inputs.

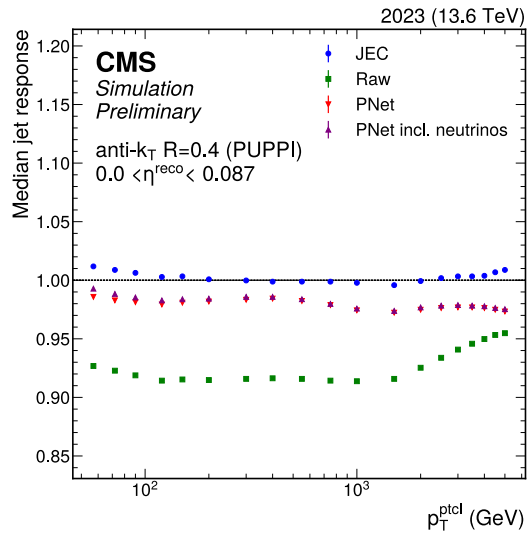
- First used for boosted resonance tagging with **AK8 jets**. [DP-2020-002](#)  
[CMS-PAS-BTV-22-001](#)
- Extended for **AK8 jet mass regression**. [DP-2021-017](#)
- Commissioned for **AK4 jet flavor tagging** &  $p_T$  regression.

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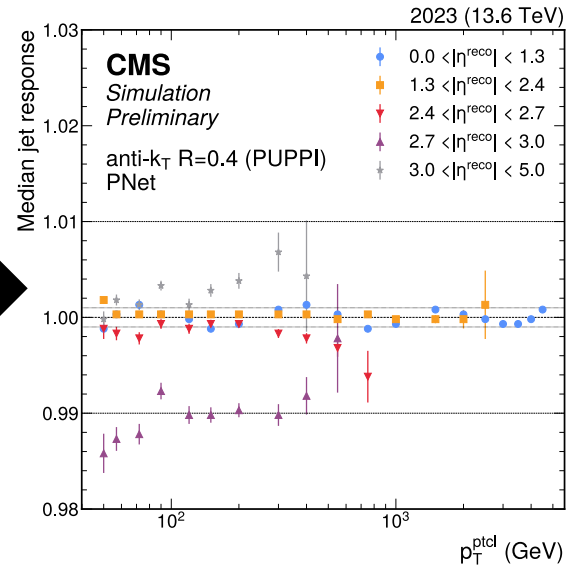
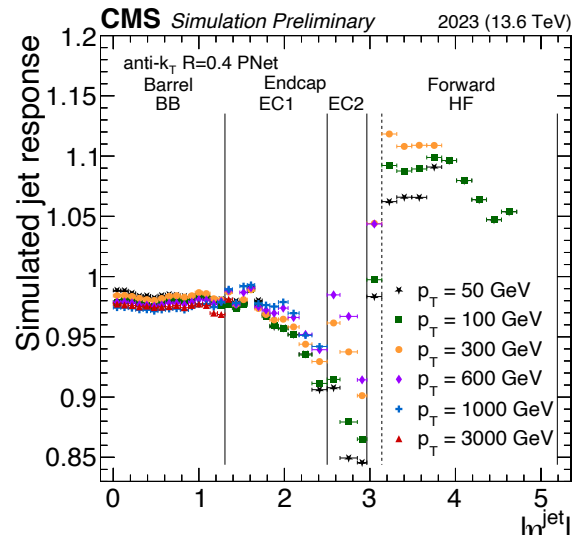
$$L = \text{CatEntropy}(x, x_{truth}) + \gamma_{regr} \cdot \log(\cosh(y - y_{truth})) + \gamma_{quantile} \cdot [p_{0.16}(z - z_{truth}) + p_{0.84}(z - z_{truth})]$$

Two types of target  $p_T$  regression  
without & with neutrino contribution

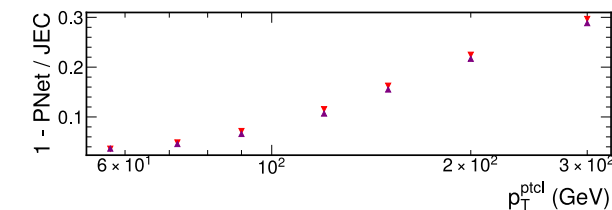
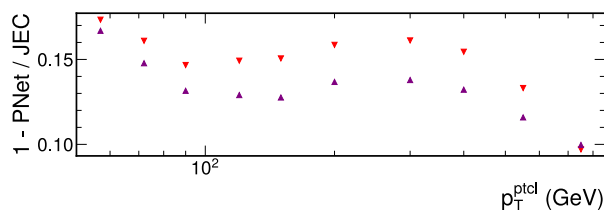
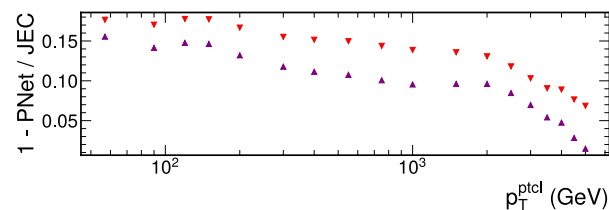
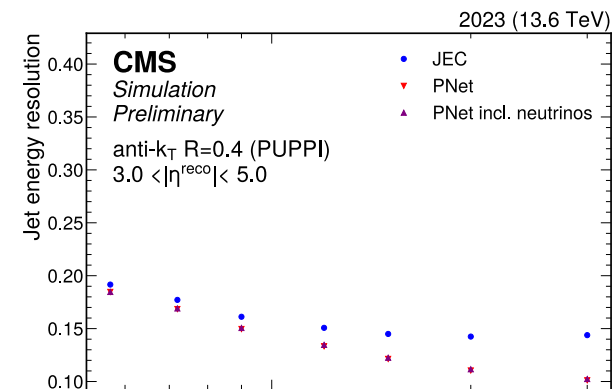
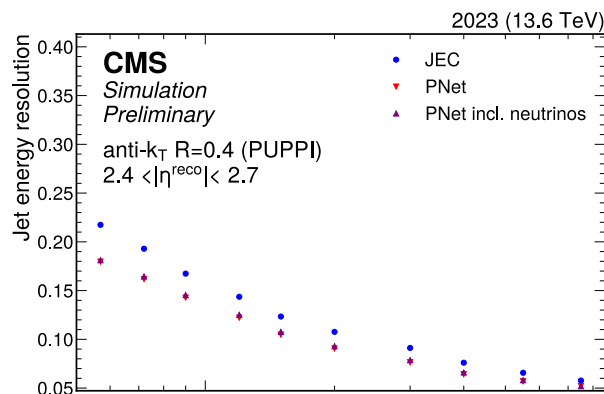
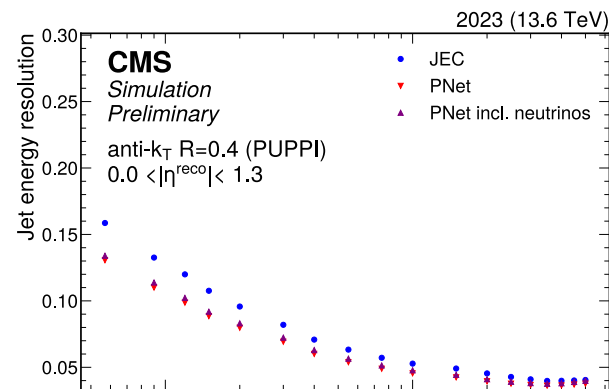




- Regressed  $p_T$  response closer to 1 compared to raw  $p_T$  for central jets.
- Derive MC-truth corrections, achieve response closure within 1% (similar level to JEC).





$0.0 < |\eta| < 1.3$ 
 $2.4 < |\eta| < 2.7$ 
 $3.0 < |\eta| < 5.0$ 


Clear improvement in JER  
across the jet  $p_T$  range, even for forward jets.

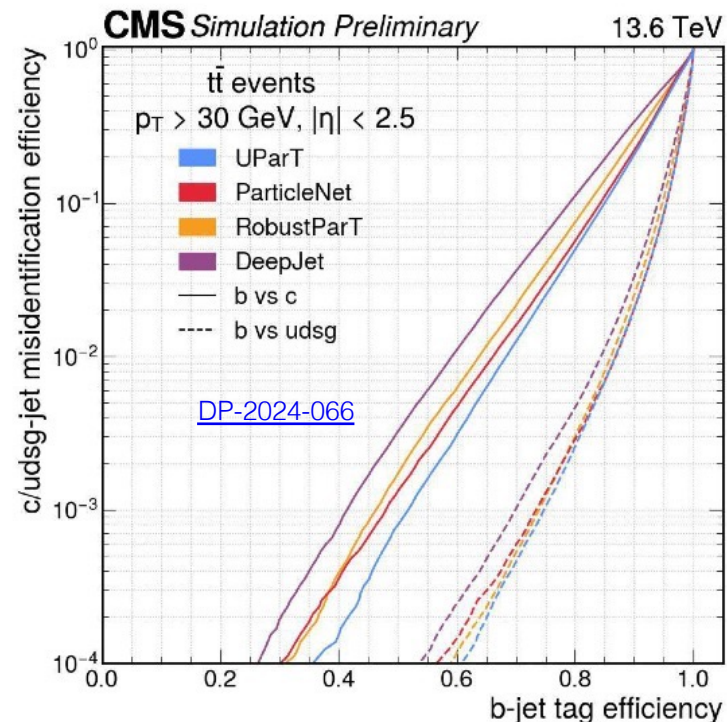
# Unified Particle Transformer (UParT)

# (Unified) Particle Transformer

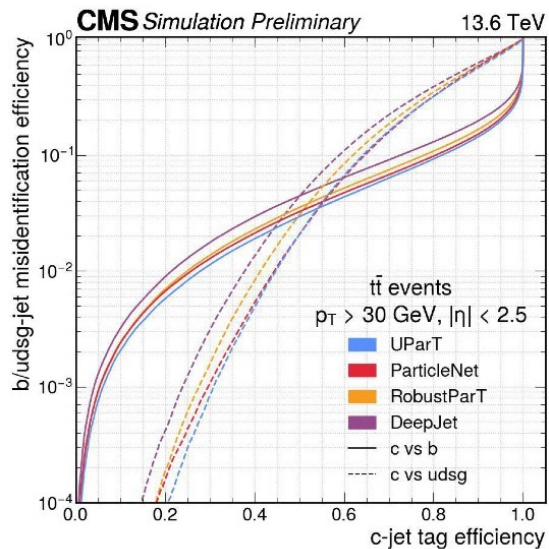
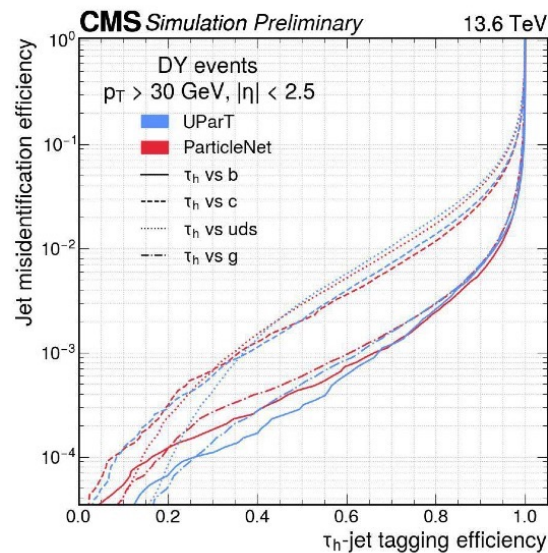
- CMS investigated several Transformer models for flavour tagging:
  - ParticleTransformerAK4 [2202.03772](#) [DP-2022-050](#)
  - **RobustParT**: Utilize adversarial training to enhance model robustness against simulation mismodeling. [DP-2024-025](#)

## Unified Particle Transformer (UParT)

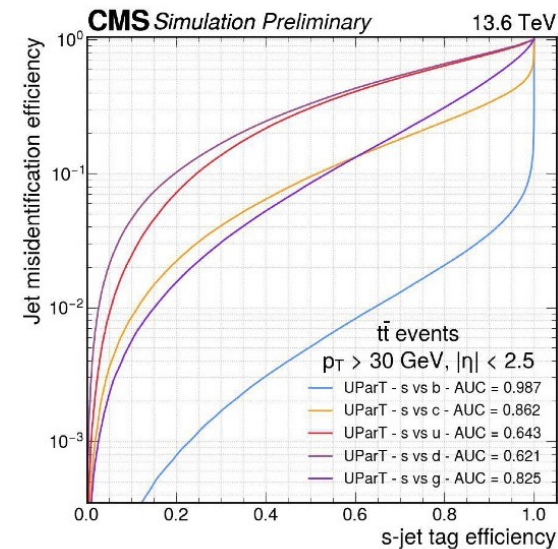
- Extended class: extending from b & c jet tagging to include s & hadronic  $\tau$  (one per final state) **tagging**.
- Extended regression: simultaneous flavor aware **jet energy & resolution regression**



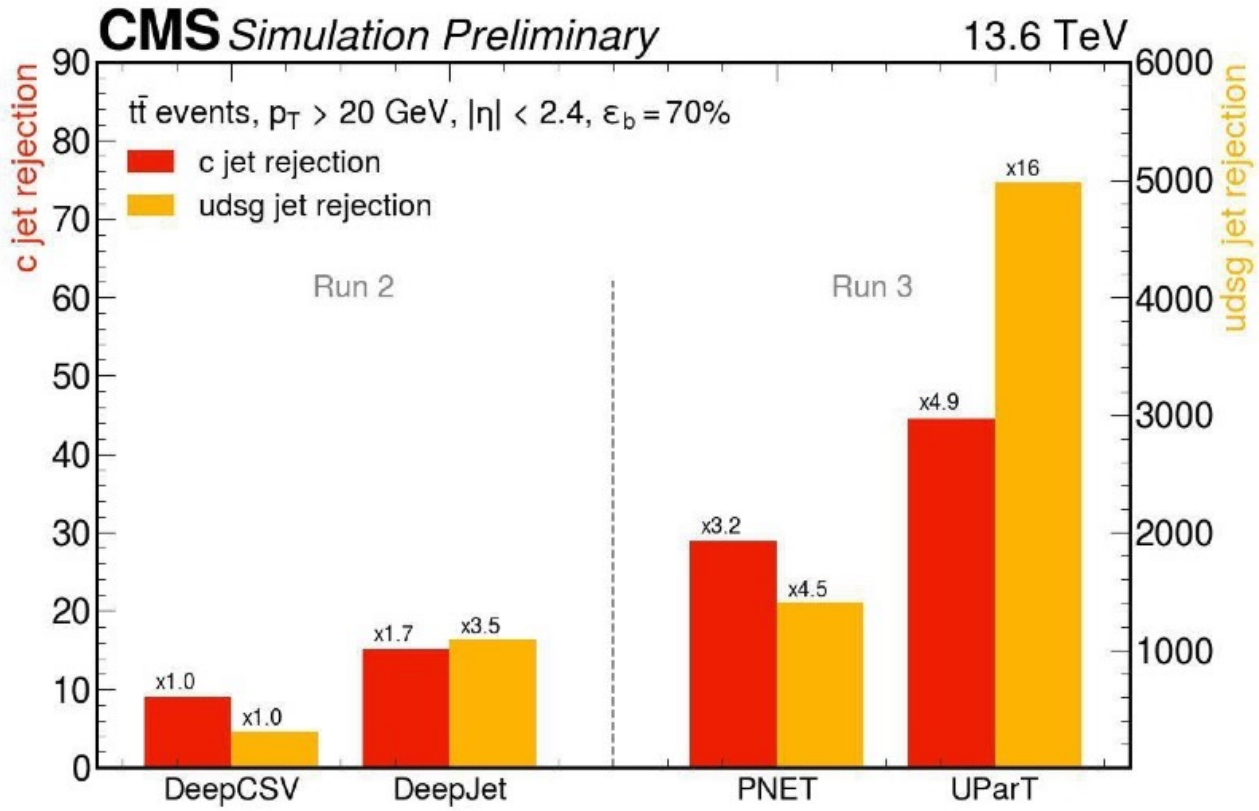
c-jet

hadronic  $\tau$ 

s-jet



First attempt at  
strange-jet tagging in  
CMS!



Impressive advancement of jet tagging within ~decade.  
Powered by state-of-the-art Machine Learning techniques!

- Updated PUPPI algorithm to maintain hadronic  $\tau$  reconstruction efficiency.
  - Towards unified jet &  $\tau$  reconstruction.
- Measured JES & JER for Run-3 datasets.
  - JER SF as good (even better) than Run-2 legacy in Run-3 prompt data.
- Extended ParticleNet architecture to include jet  $p_T$  regression
  - Substantial JER improvement.
- Commissioned **Unified Particle Transformer** tagger for AK4 jets.
  - Extended flavour-tagging capabilities & perform  $p_T$  regression at the same time!

EXTRA SLIDES

PUPPI calculates an  $\alpha_i$  value for each particle in the event

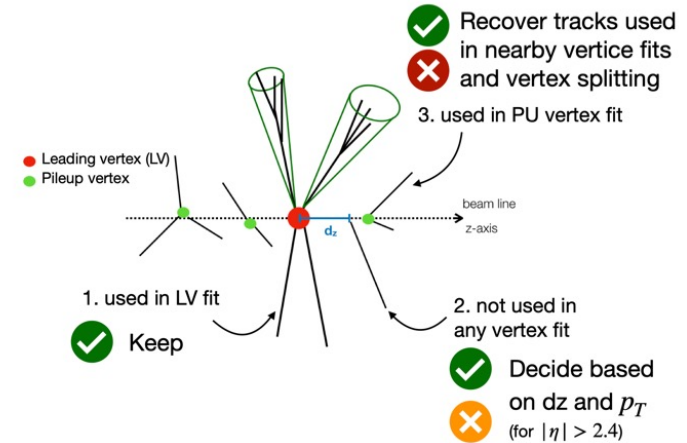
$$\alpha_i = \log \sum_{j \neq i, \Delta R_{ij} < R_0} \left( \frac{p_{T,j}}{\Delta R_{ij}} \right)^2$$

for  $|\eta_i| < 2.5$ ,  $j$  are charged particles from LV and for  $|\eta_i| > 2.5$ ,  $j$  are all kinds of reconstructed particles. The median ( $\bar{\alpha}_{PU}$ ) and RMS ( $\alpha_{PU}^{RMS}$ ) are calculated from the charged PU  $\alpha$  distribution. Based on that each neutral particle receives a signed  $\chi^2$

$$\text{signed } \chi_i^2 = \frac{(\alpha_i - \bar{\alpha}_{PU}) |\alpha_i - \bar{\alpha}_{PU}|}{(\alpha_{PU}^{RMS})^2}$$

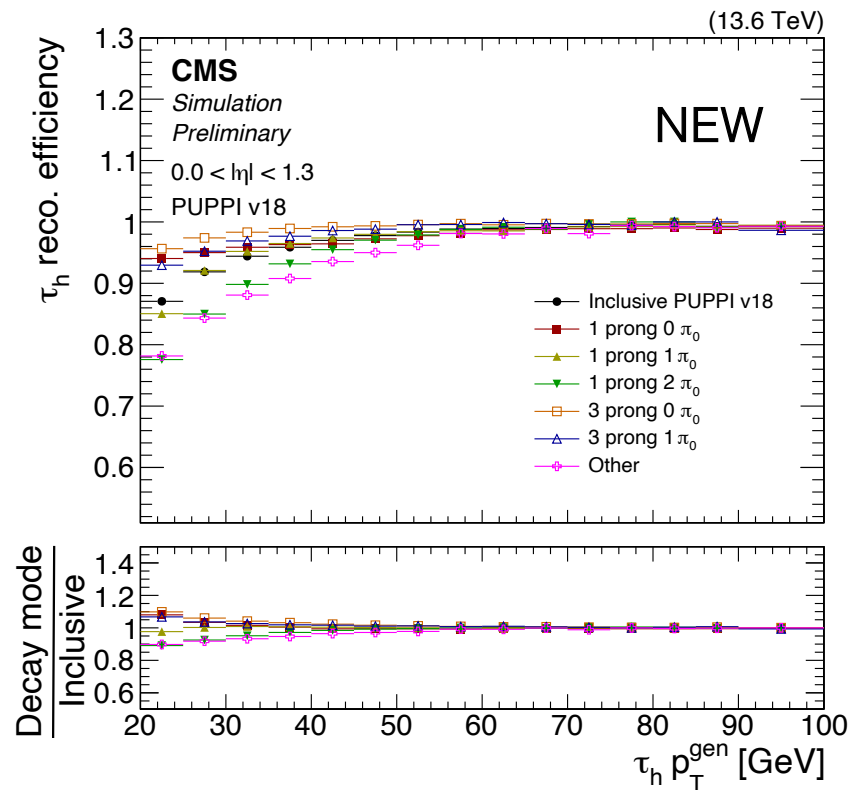
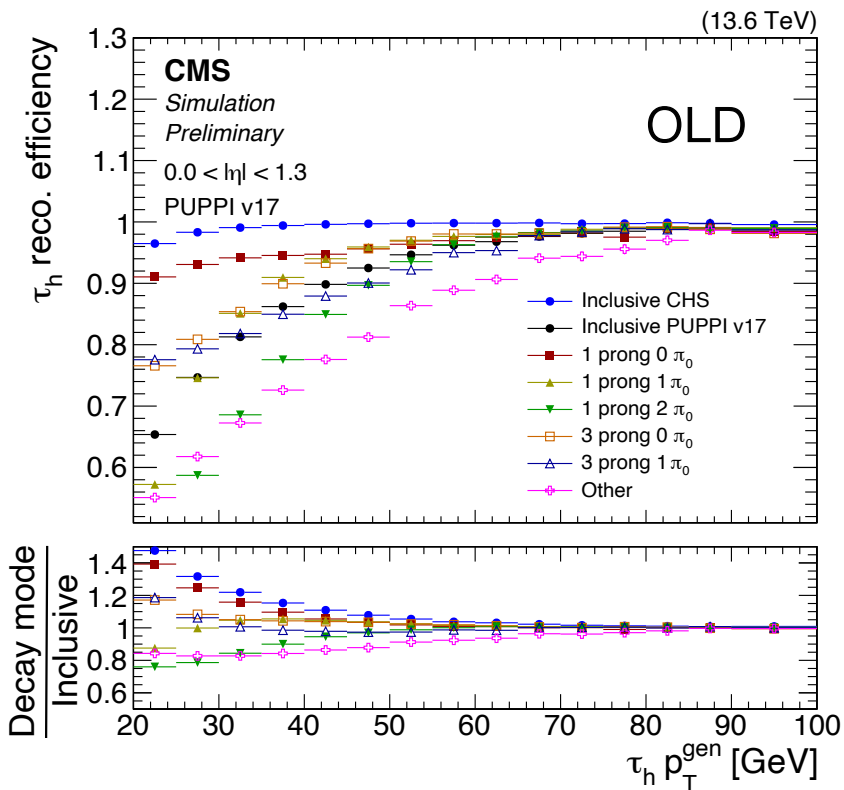
The weight for each neutral particle is calculated with a cumulative distribution function and multiplied to the four-momentum of the particle:

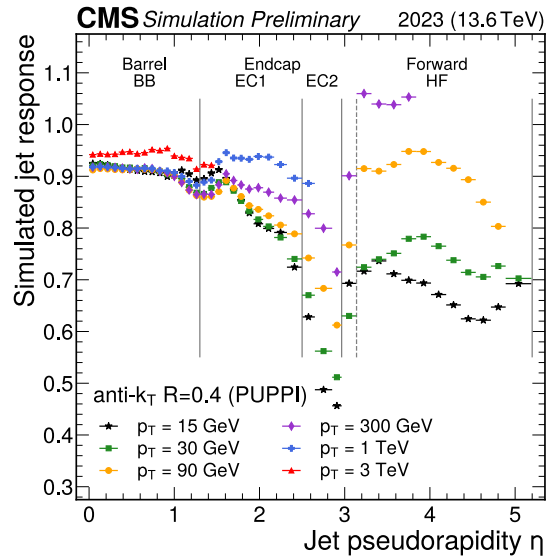
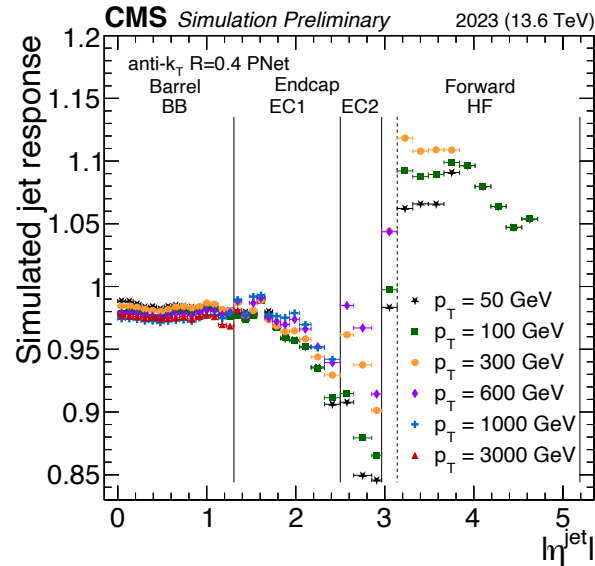
$$w_i = F_{\chi^2, \text{NDF}=1}(\text{signed } \chi_i^2)$$



CHS keeps LV (✓) and unassociated (✗) particles, PUPPI keeps LV (✓) but assigns a weight to unassociated particles (✗).





Jet  $p_T$  [DP-2024-039](#)

 Regressed Jet  $p_T$  [DP-2024-064](#)

 Regressed Jet  $p_T$  with Neutrinos
