Update on dijet mass spectrum in W + 2jets events @ CDF

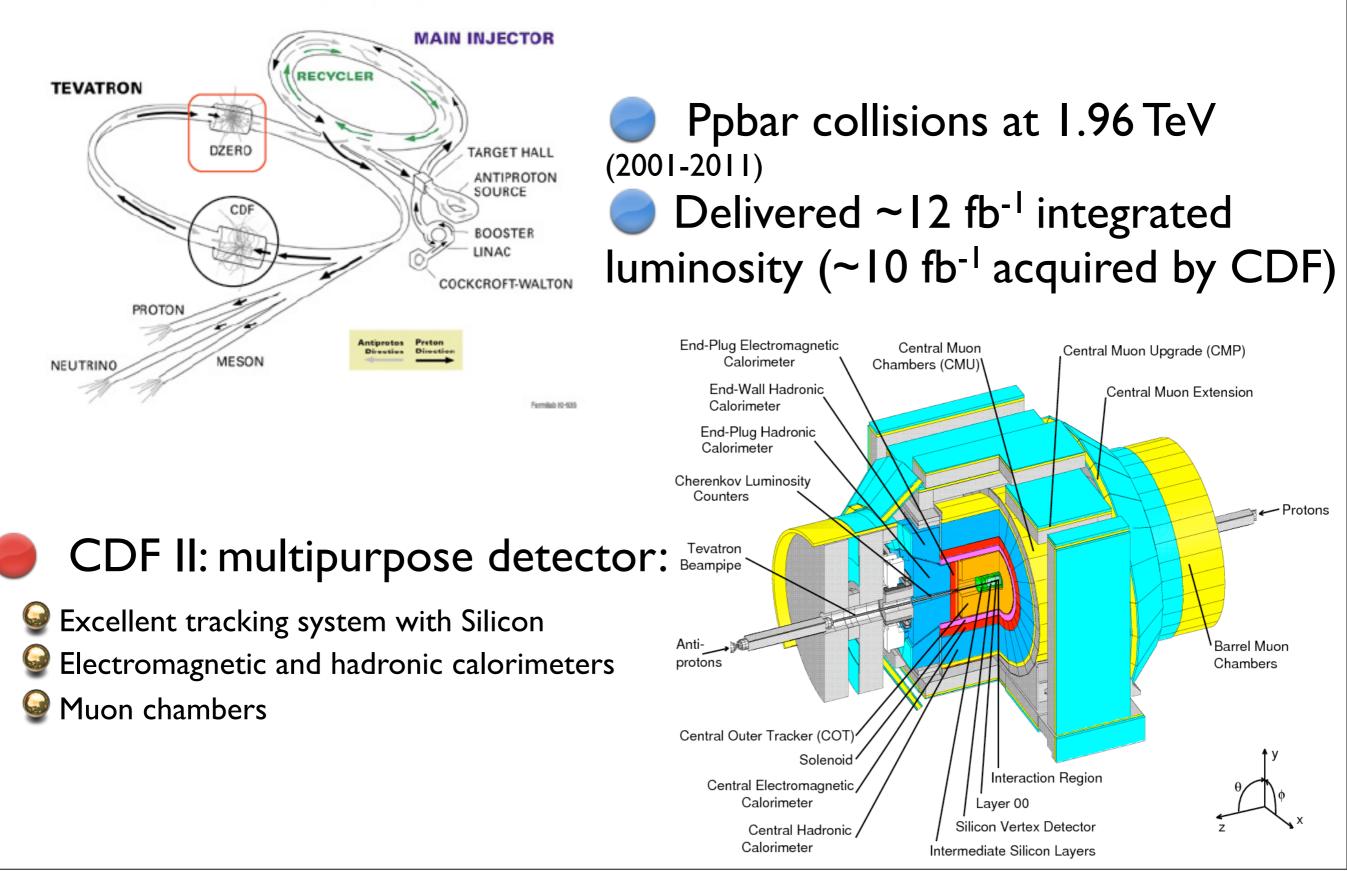






Experimental environment

FERMILAB'S ACCELERATOR CHAIN

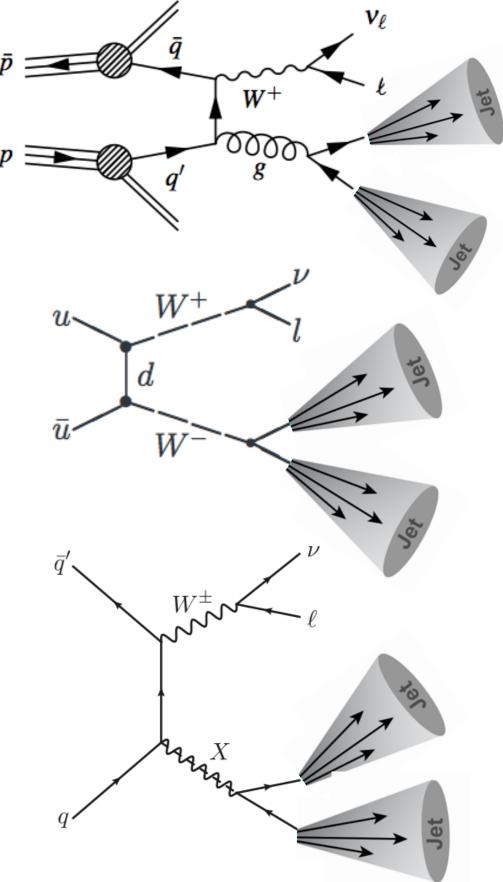


Motivation

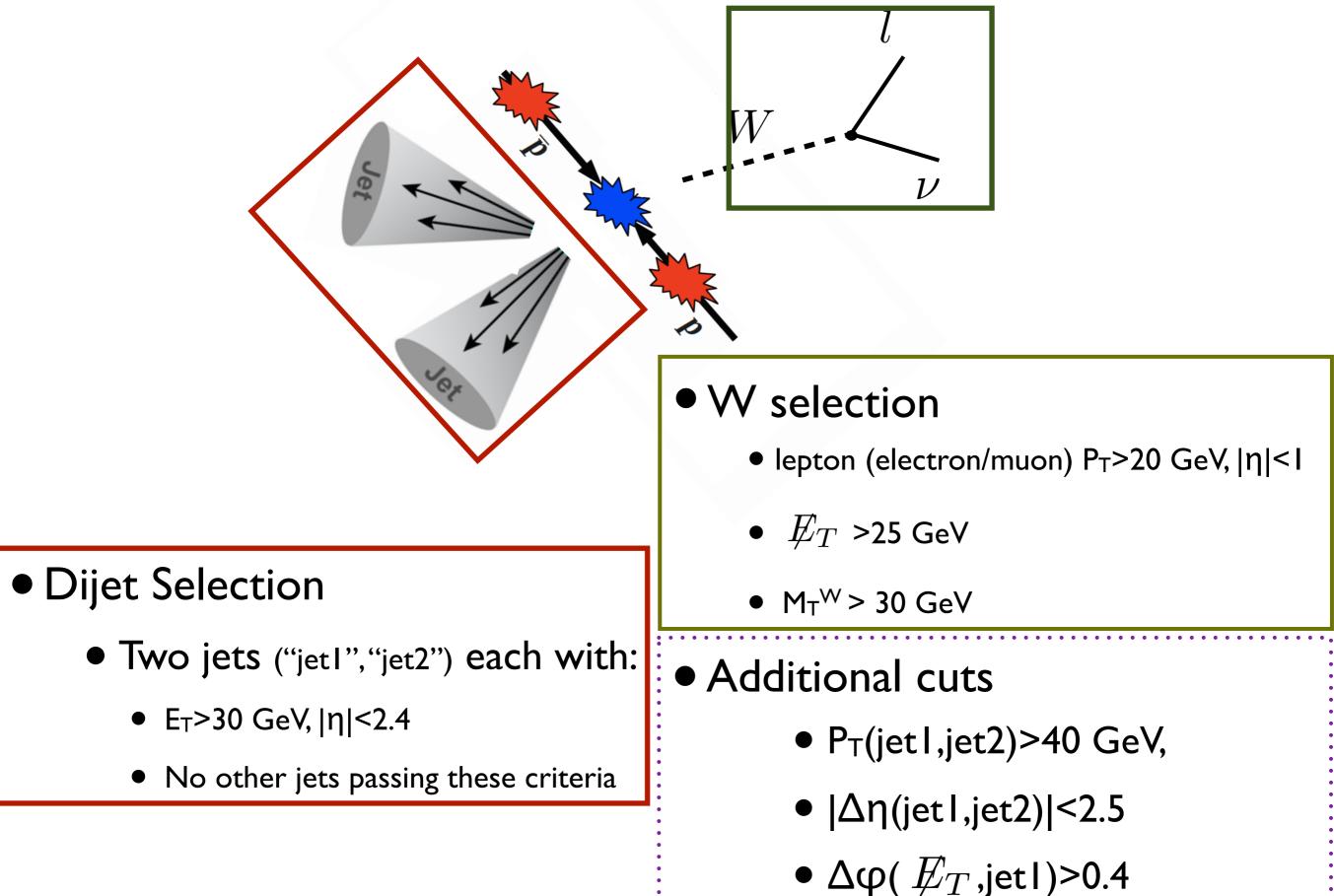
Measurement of associated production of W bosons and jets is a <u>important</u> <u>test of the standard model (SM)</u>

W+jets production is:

- a dominant background for important processes being studied at the Tevatron
 - Diboson, Single-top, Higgs, etc.
- a background in searches for new physics beyond SM ("X")

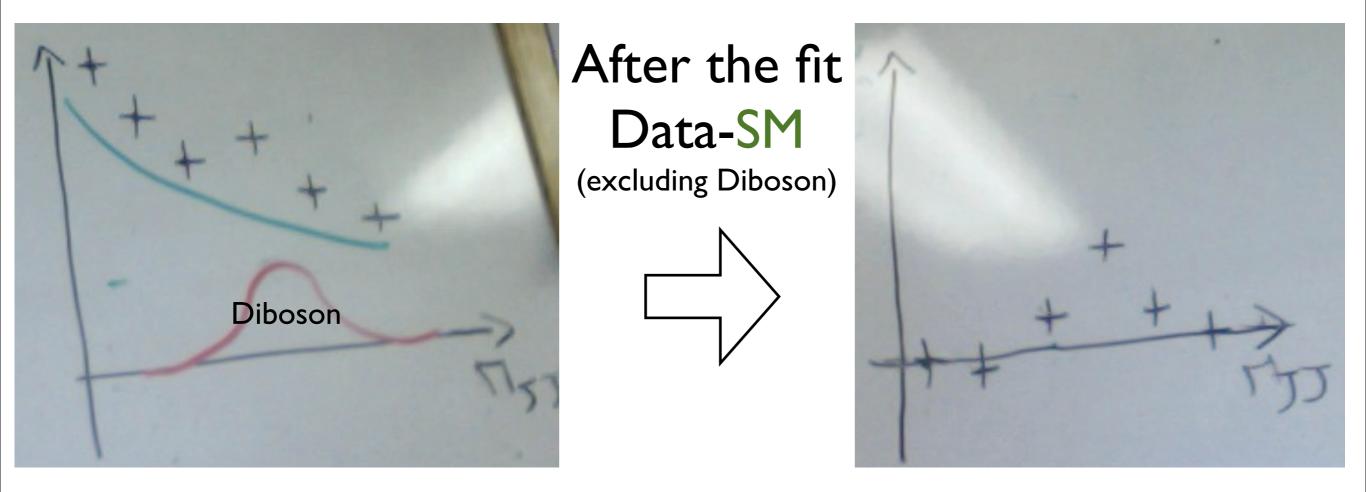


Event selection: revisit the old result



Modeling of the data sample

How do we model the data? Fit in dijet-mass ("Mjj")

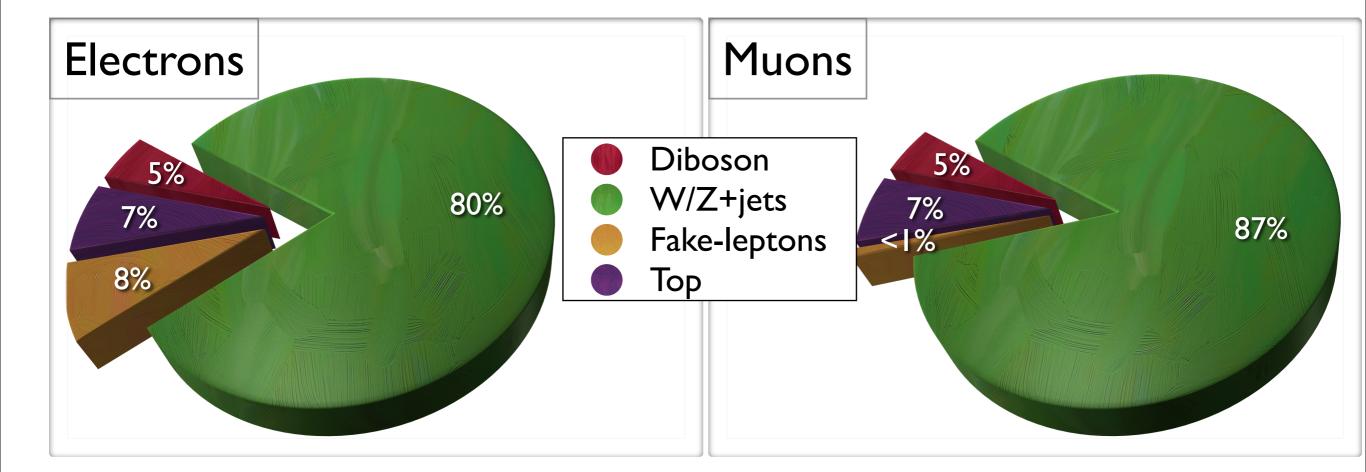


Modeling the data sample

Process	Shapes	Rate constraint
WW/WZ/ZZ inclusive	PYTHIA	Theory
$t \overline{t}$	PYTHIA	Measured cross-section
single-top	MadEvent+PYTHIA	Theory
$Z \to e, \mu, \tau {\rm +jets}$	ALPGEN+PYTHIA	None
$W{+}\mathrm{jets}$	ALPGEN+PYTHIA	None
Fake leptons from multi-jets	from data	from data

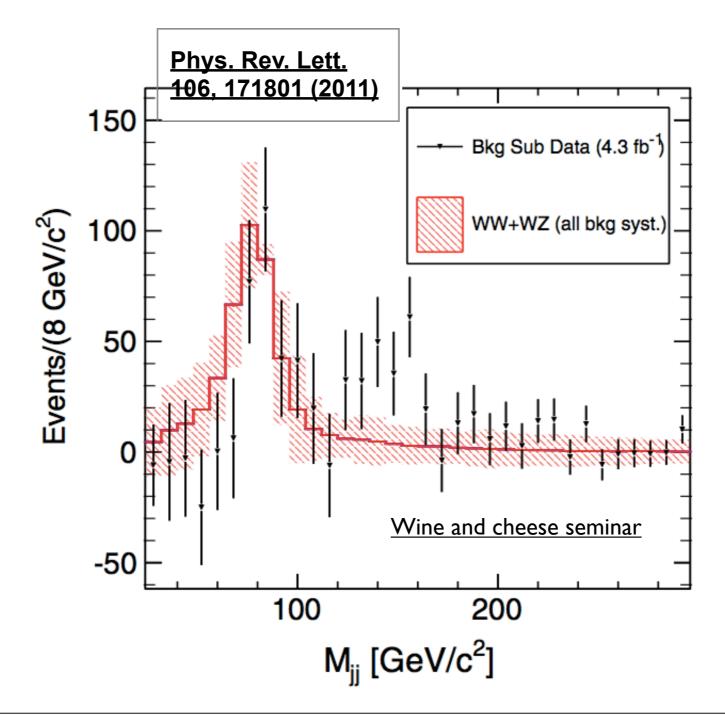


Composition of the data sample



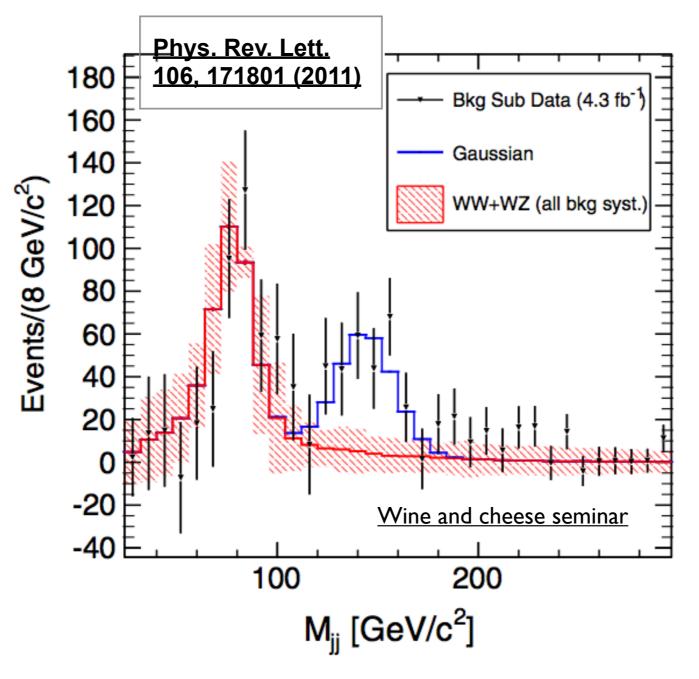
Previous result

 CDF has reported an excess of events around a dijet mass of 145 GeV using a 4.3/fb dataset. We stated that "such an excess is not described by current theoretical predictions within the statistical and systematic uncertainties"



Previous result

• "One possible way to interpret this disagreement is a gaussian contribution in the 120–160 GeV/c² mass range" with the significance of 3.2 σ



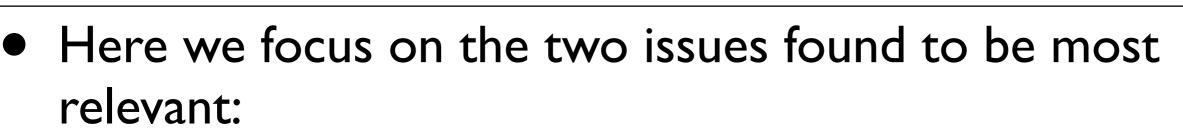
Where we are today

- Reproducing the same analysis with the full CDF dataset we observe a similar excess with even higher significance
- However, we are aware that other experiments do not observe the same excess
- What's going on?



Moving on

 In the past two years we studied the W+2jets sample intensively, exploring New Physics models, but also searching for possible deficiencies in our SM predictions



- Modeling of the jet response
- Modeling of the fake-leptons
- We further reject events with low dijet opening angle since predictions do not model accurately the data in that region

minor effect at dijet masses > ~50 GeV/c²

• All the details about our studies will be published soon

Modeling of the jet response

Modeling of the fake-leptons

Object identifications - jets

- Jets of particles:
 - collection of calorimeter towers clustered with the "JETCLU" cone algorithm (radius R=0.4)

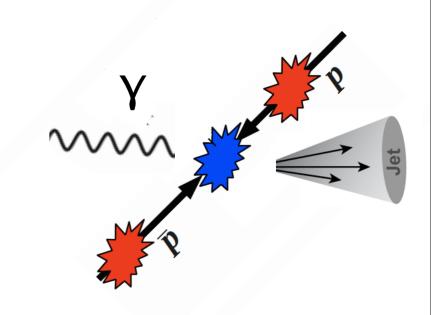
Parton level

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Particle Jet

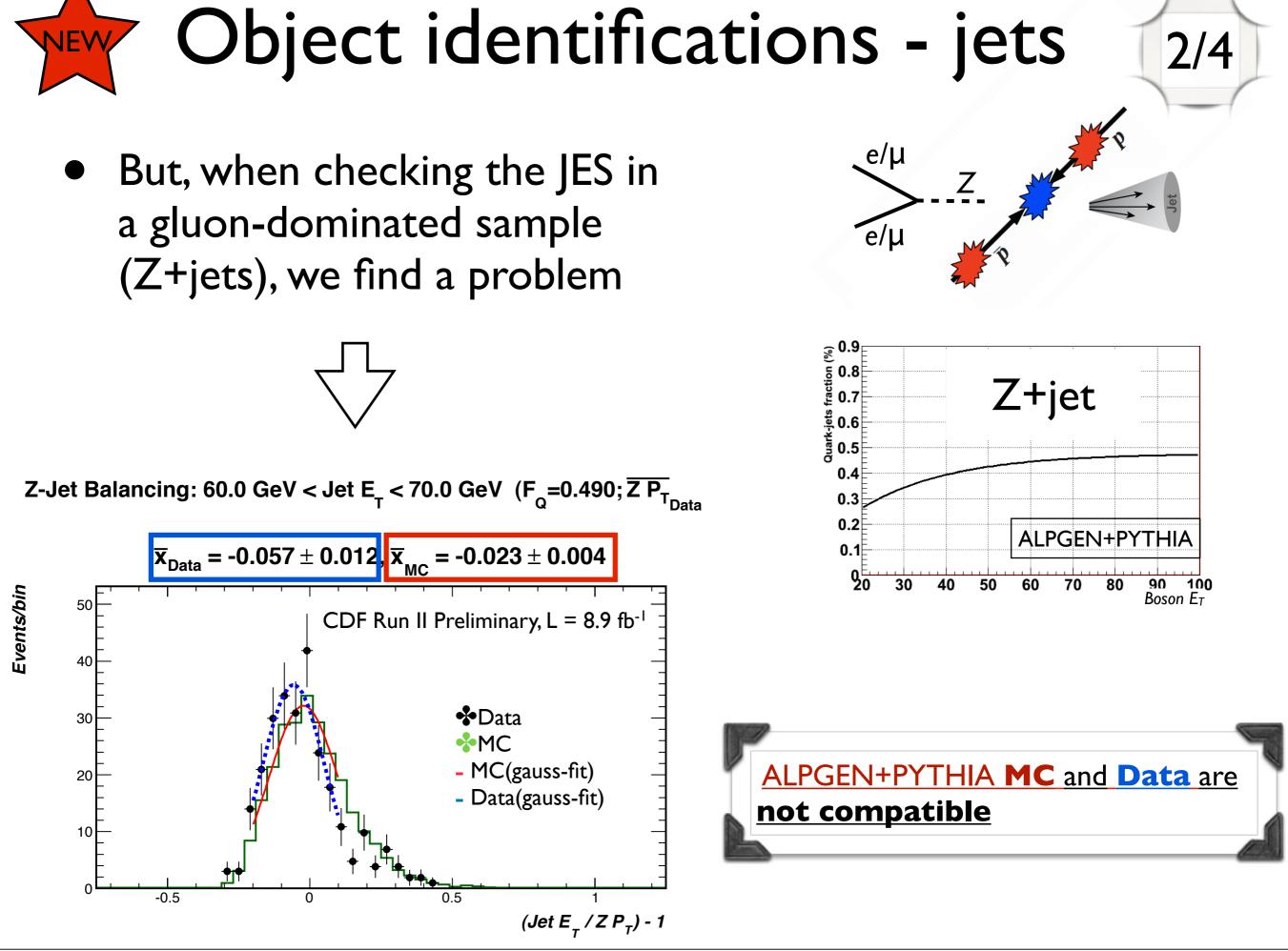
Jet energy scale ("JES")

- <u>Transfer function</u> from the towercluster to the <u>hadron-level</u> energies (true energy)
- <u>Validated</u> in γ +jet events:
 - γ +jet events are quark dominated (>70% at E^{γ}_{T} <80 GeV)



Energy depositions

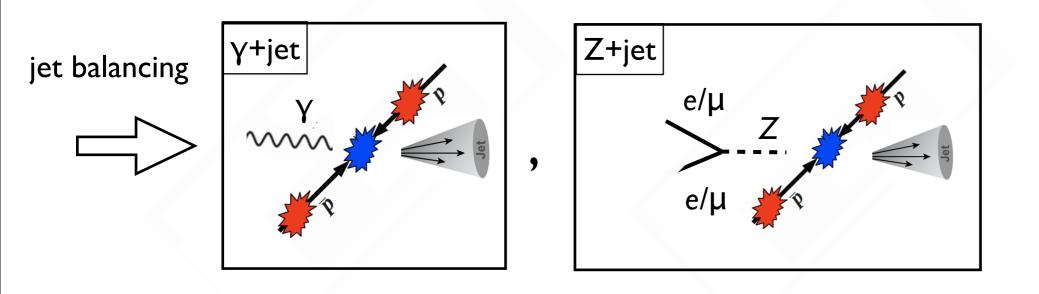
in calorimeters

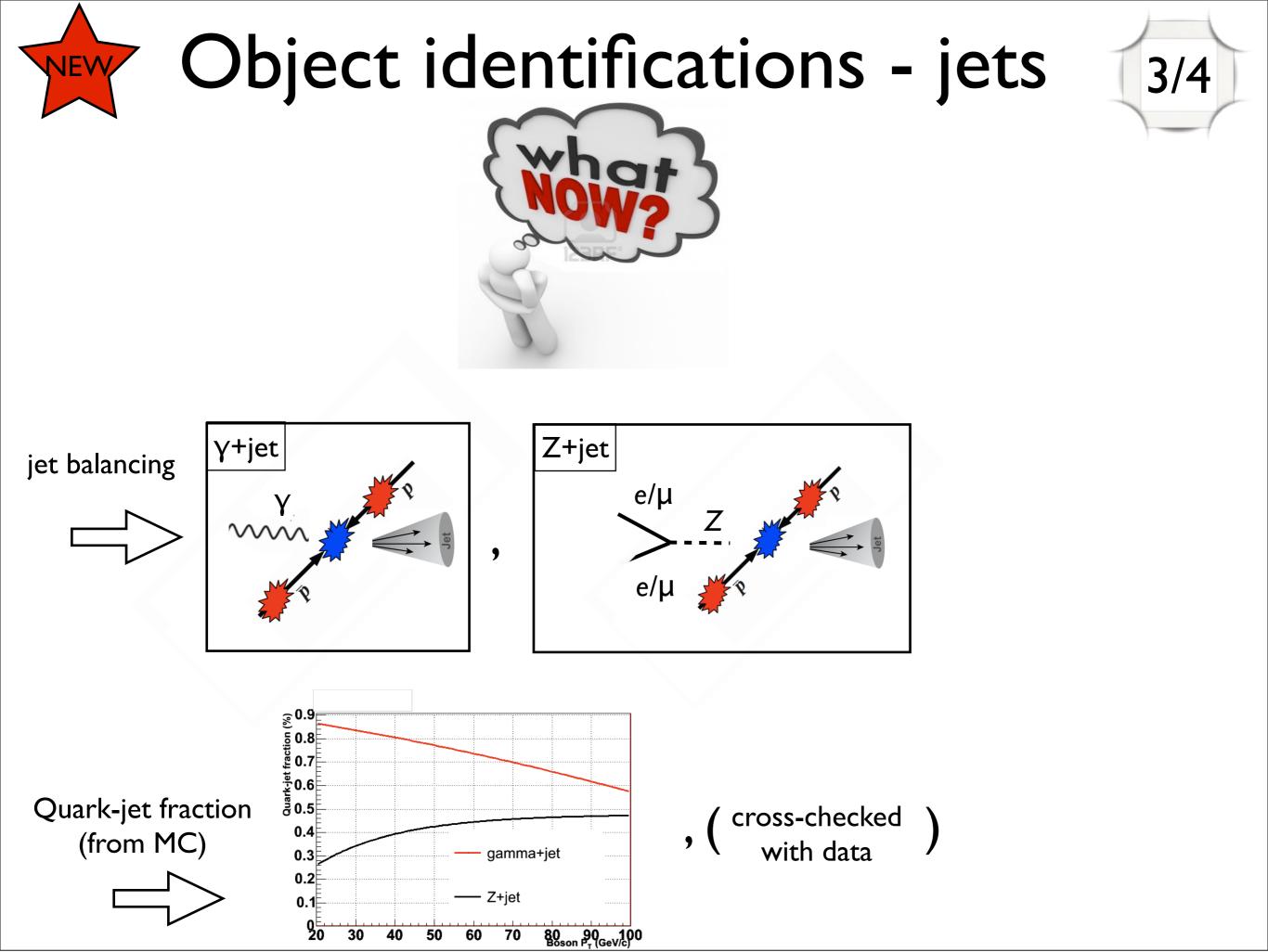


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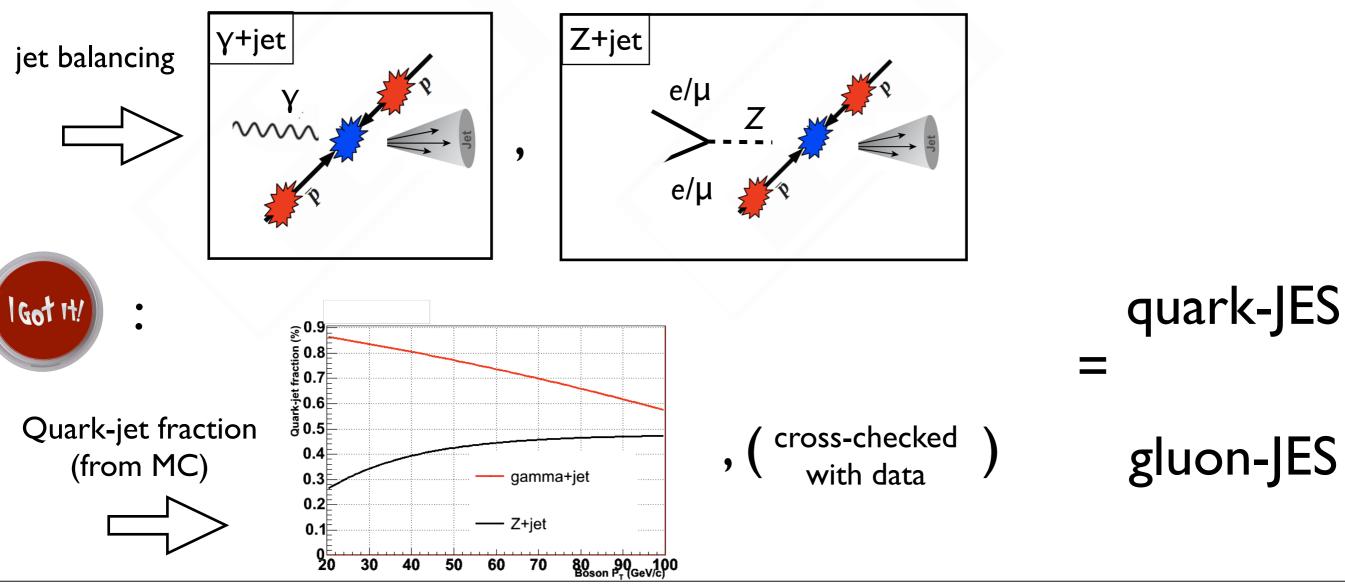


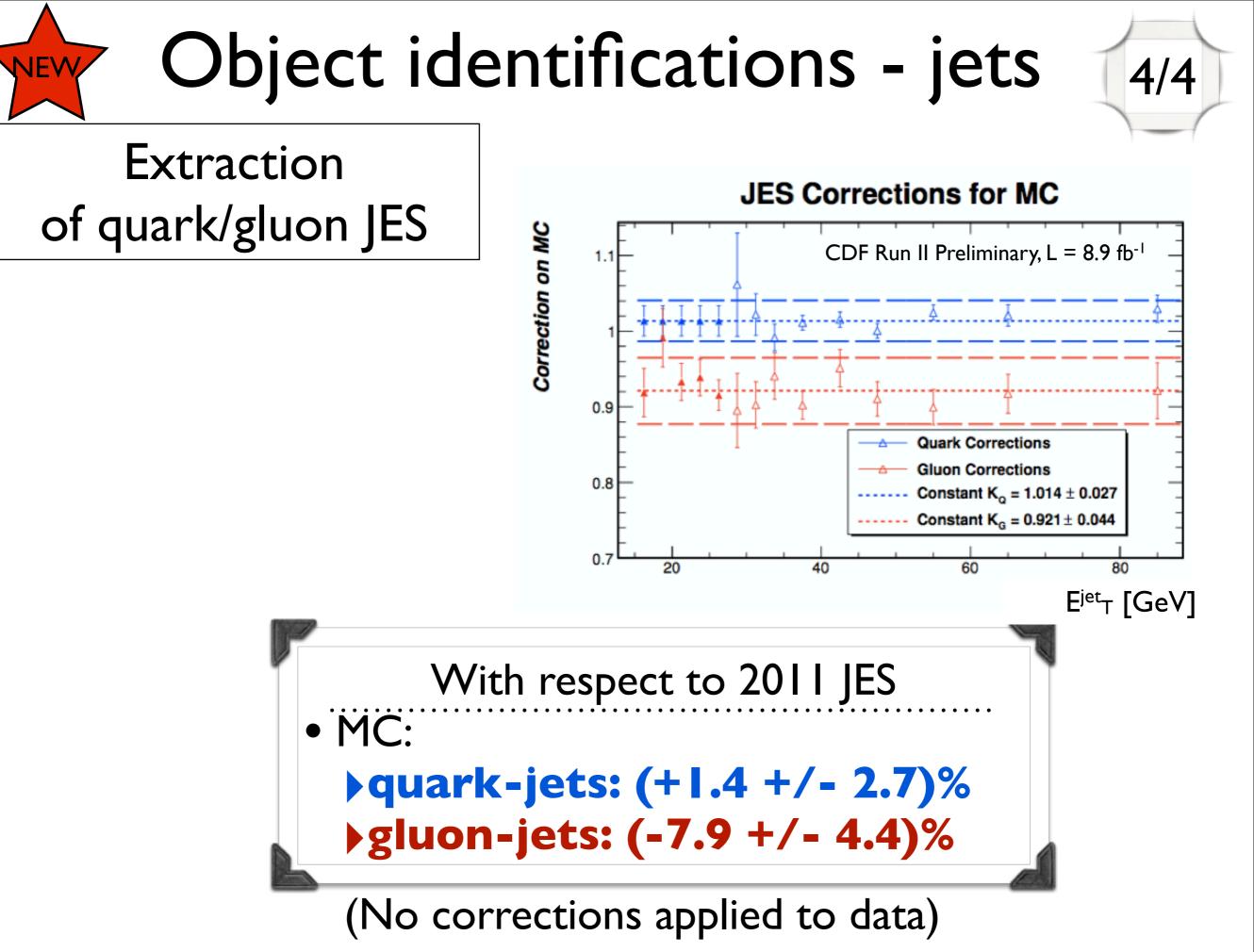


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Object identifications - jets

We will make the assumption that the observed discrepancies between γ+jet and Z+jet originate from differences in the modeling of the jet response for quarks and gluons



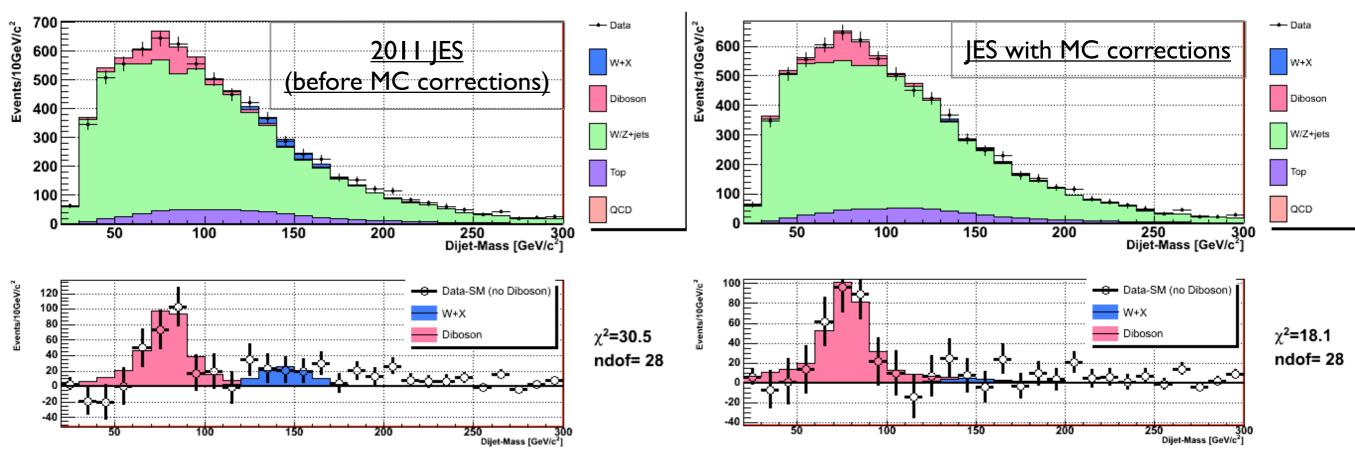


Effect of the MC corrections (Muon sample)

CDF Run II Preliminary, L = 8.9 fb⁻¹

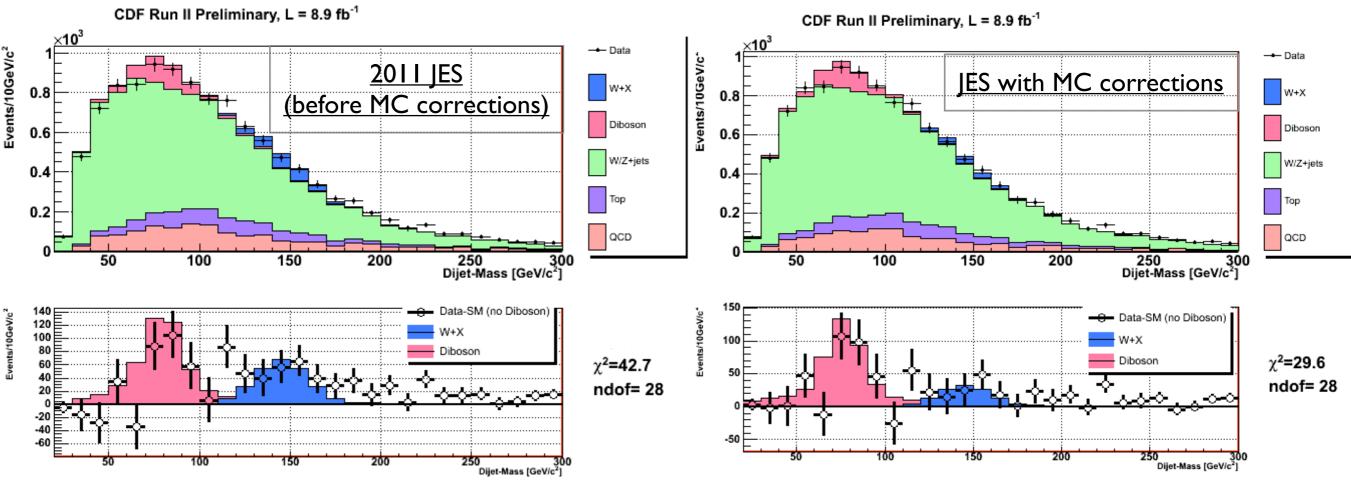
- Dijet mass in the muon sample with
 standard JES MC (as in 2011)
 - JES MC corrections

CDF Run II Preliminary, L = 8.9 fb⁻¹



After JES MC corrections muon sample is well described by the SM

Effect of the MC corrections (Electron sample)



JES MC corrections improve the description of the data
However, the same **behavior** is not seen in the **muon** and electron **samples**

Question: what can be different between the muon and electron samples?

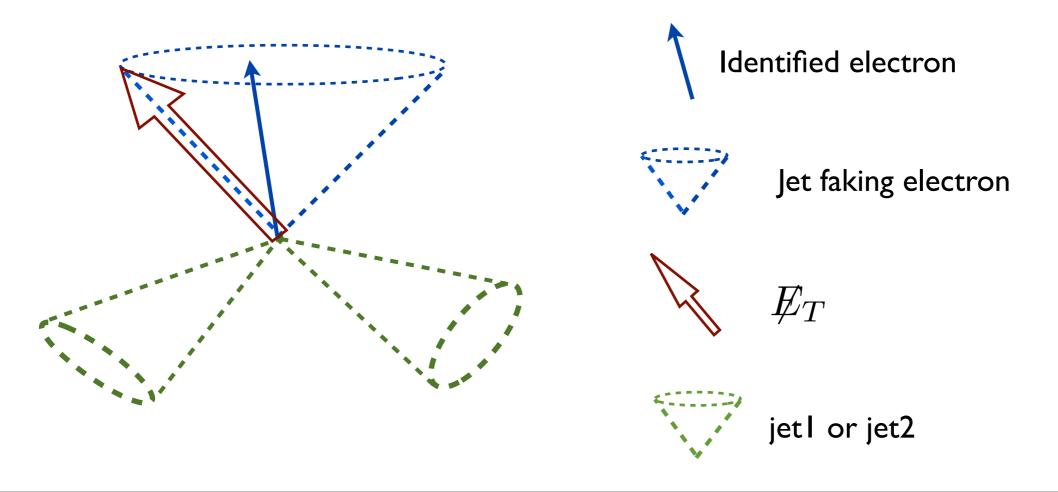
(Most obvious) answer: fake-leptons background

- Muons: neglibible
- Electrons: sizeable



Modeling of the jet response Modeling of the fake-leptons

- 1/7
- Multi-jet selected events are typically 3 jets events
 - One jet faking the identified electron

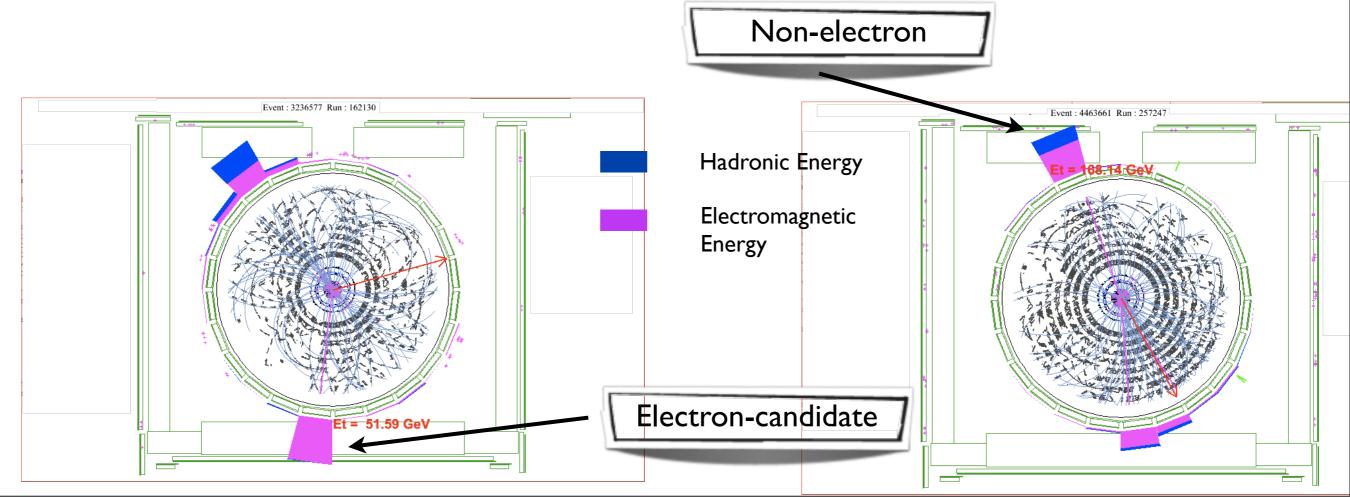




How do we model it?

Using "non-electron" events

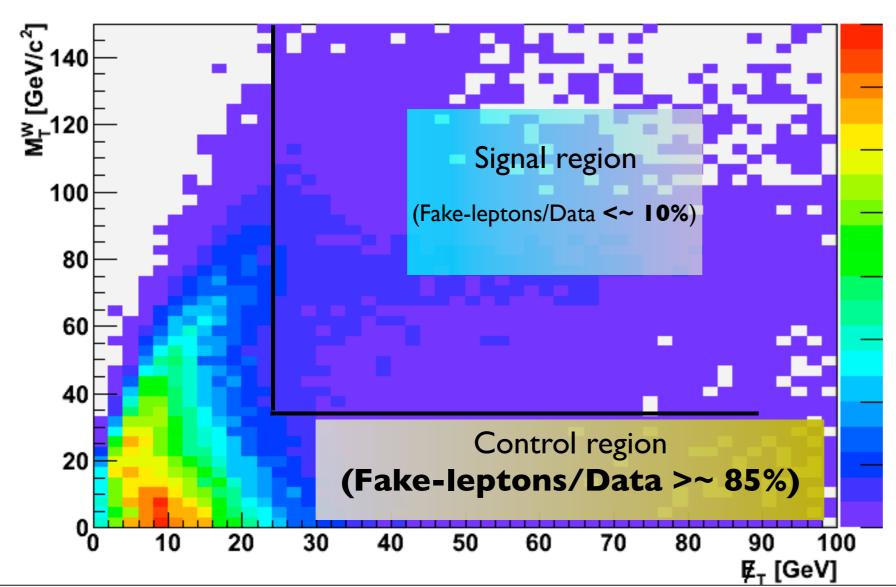
- Same kinematics as in electron-candidate events but two electron identification requirements are failed



 How do we judge whether the non-electron model is appropriate or not?

Control region

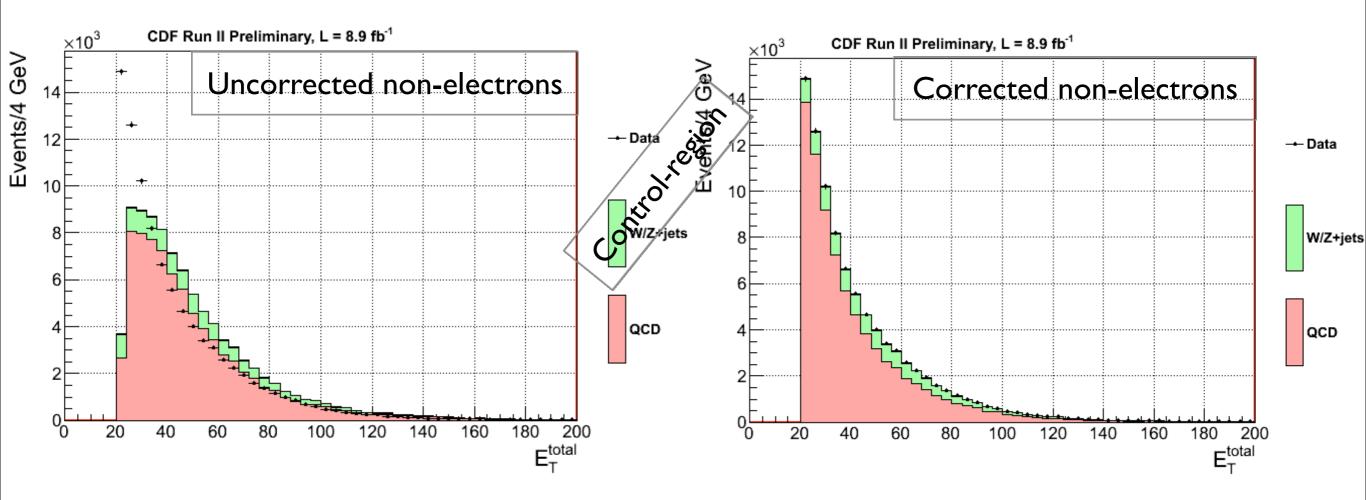
Defined to enhance the fake-leptons contamination in the sample
Need to magnify the symptoms to spot the problems!



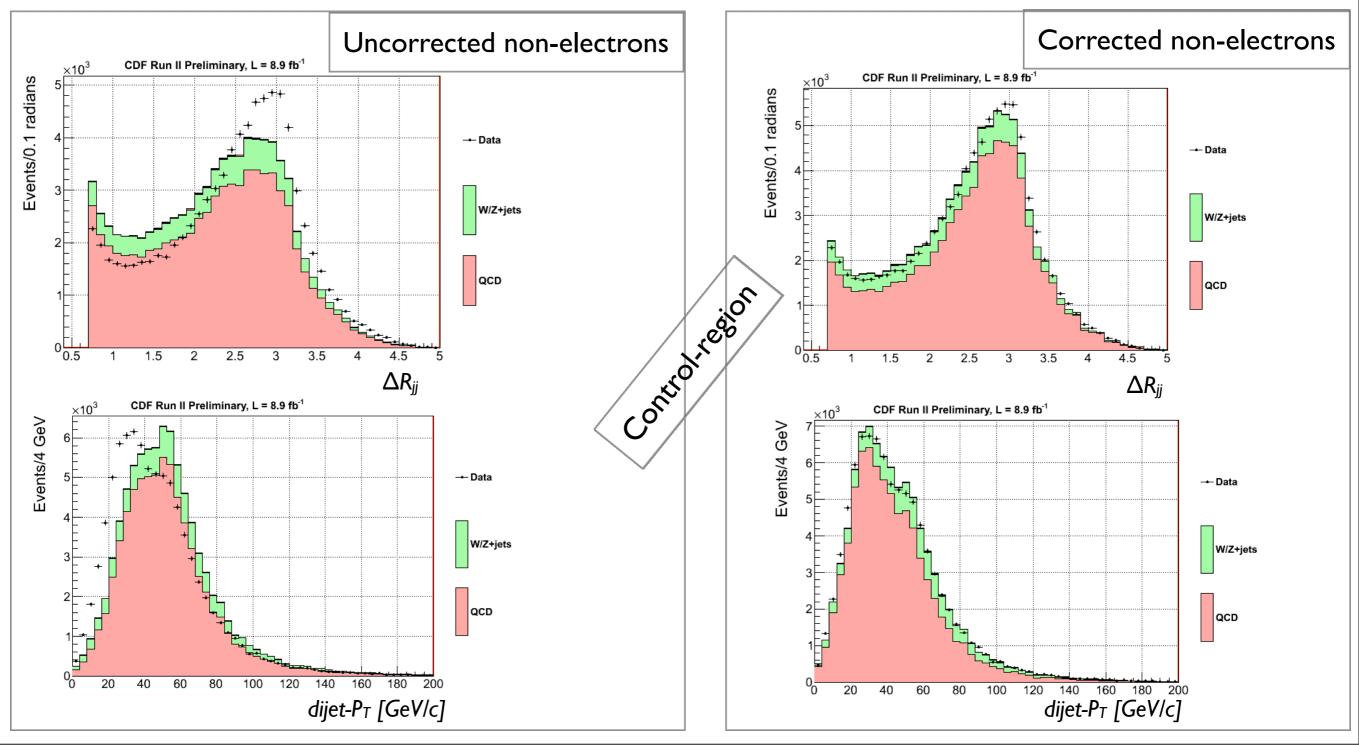


QCD multi-jets background 4/7 • Quick reminder: main difference between electron candidates and non-electrons Non-electron **Electron candidate** (failing of two identification requirements) electromagnetic deposit Electromagnetic fraction hadronic deposit CDF Run II Preliminary, L = 8.9 fb⁻¹ Events/4 GeV 🗕 Data Electron-trigger cuts on $E_T^{electromagnetic}$ rather than E_T^{total} W/Z+jets QCD •close to threshold, trigger efficiency is much lower for non-electrons 20 40 60 80 100 120 140 160 180 200 E^{total}

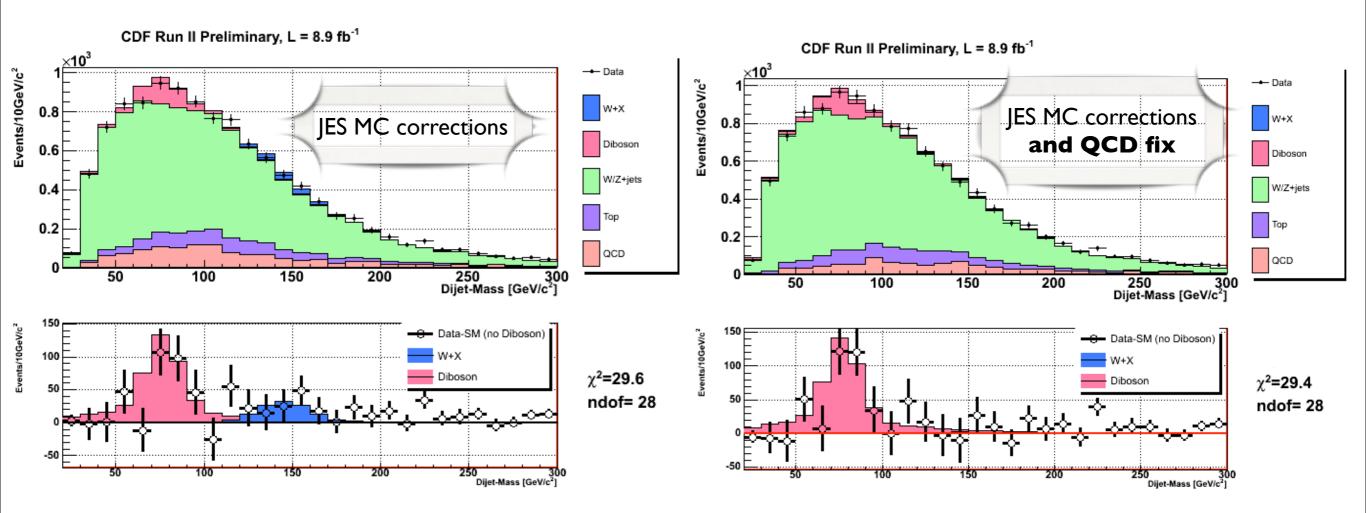
• To remove the trigger bias we determine a reweighting in the control region and apply it in the signal region



• We compare shapes before and after the correction



QCD multi-jets background (Electron sample)

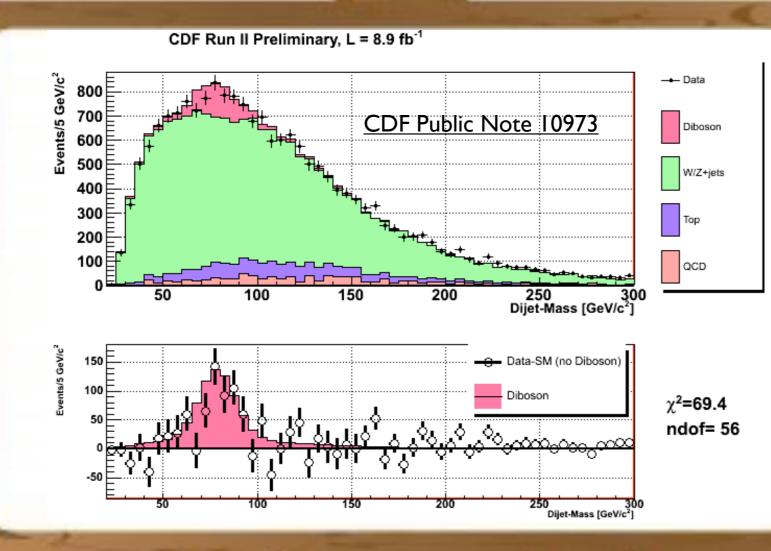


After JES MC corrections and QCD fix full consistency between the electron and the muon samples

Final fit: procedure

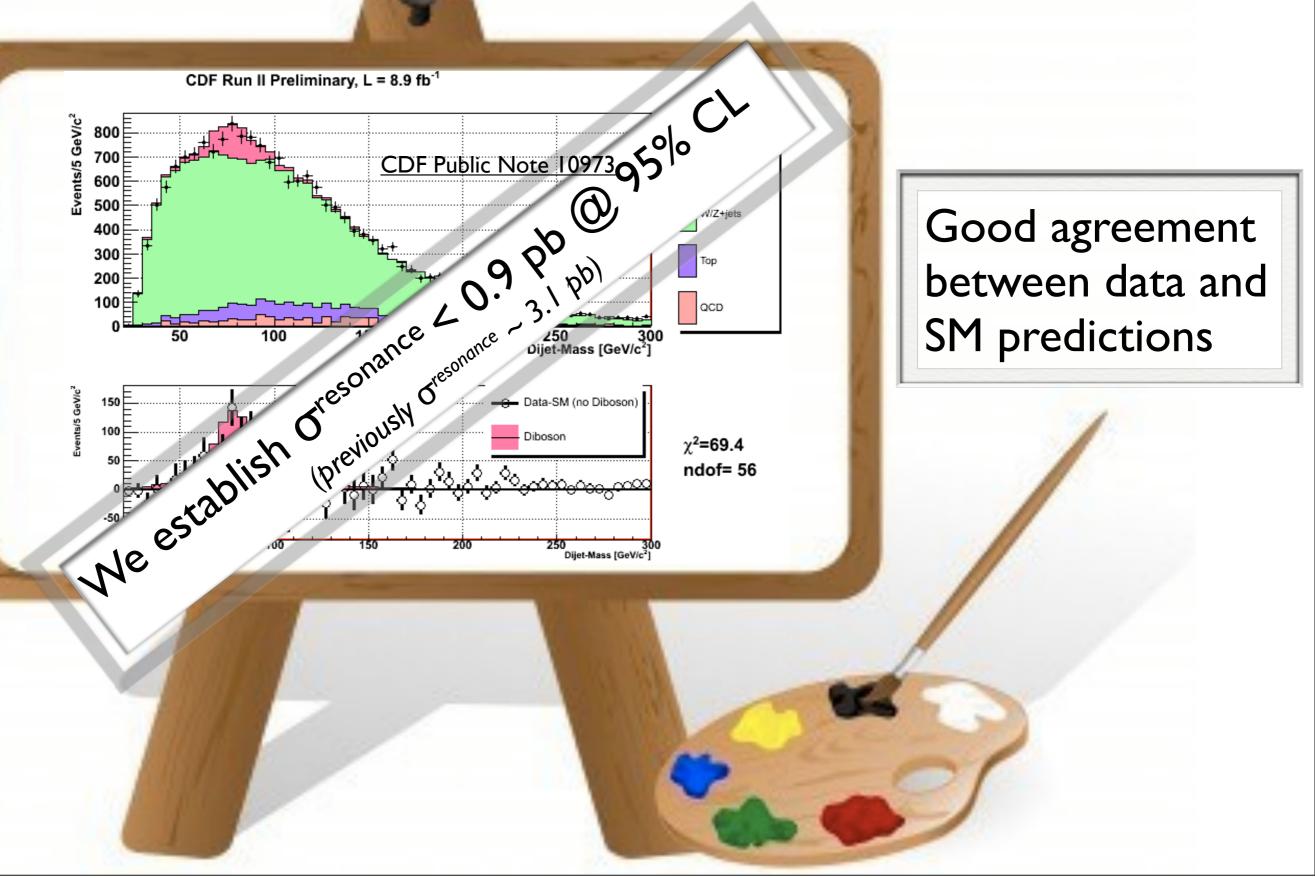
- Fit dijet mass using 4 templates:
 - W/Z+jets
 - Top
 - Diboson
 - QCD multi-jets background
- Maximization of binned likelihood function
- Nuisance parameters in the fit
 - Jet energy scale
 - Background shapes and normalization

Results: electrons + muons



Good agreement between data and SM predictions

Results: electrons + muons



Conclusions

- Big effort made by CDF to reach this point
- Concerned by disagreement between data and SM expectations in the W+2jets sample: <u>deficiencies in models or new physics?</u>
- We investigated many, and we found two subtle potential issues
 - Important differences in the modeling of quark and gluon jet response
 - Inaccurate modeling of a major background (fake electrons from QCD multijets)
- We applied the appropriate corrections and we found that the data are well described by the SM.

It took us ~2 years to complete this task

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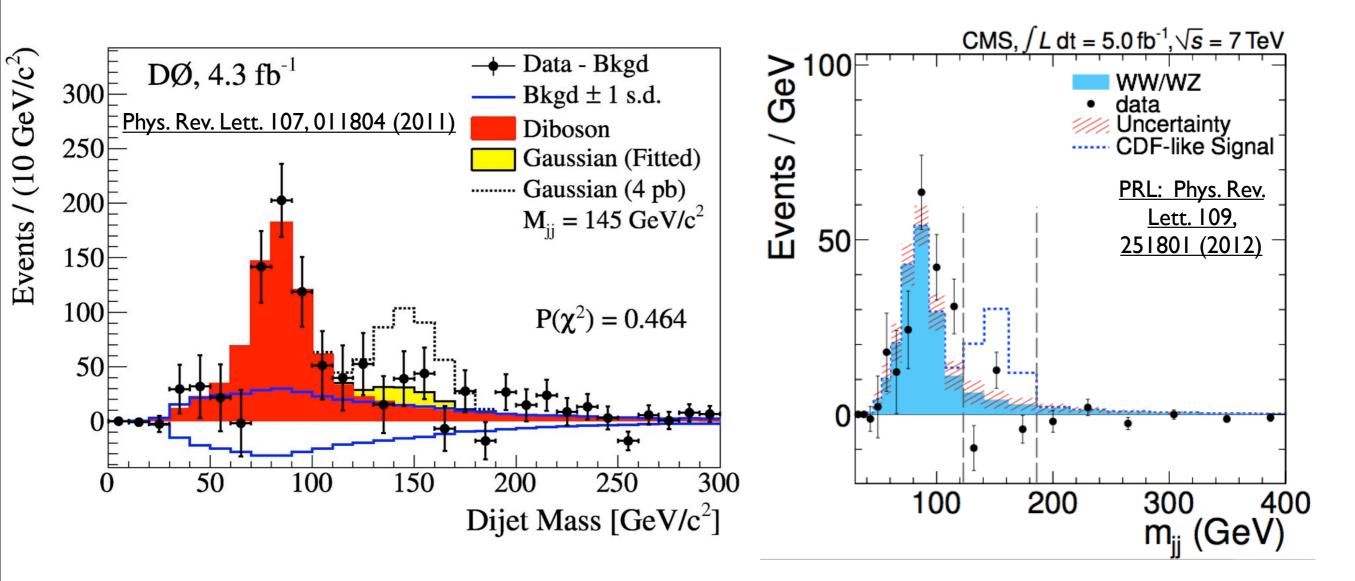
Thanks for the attention! P.S: more details about these studies will be published soon in a PRD

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State of the art from other experiments

Both D0 and CMS performed similar analyses

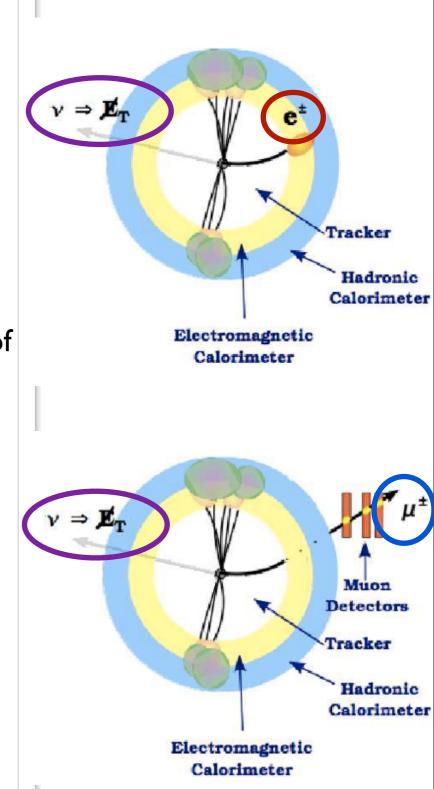


• Also, preliminary analysis from ATLAS (ATLAS-CONF-2011-097)

Similar effects are not observed

Object identifications - leptons, V

- Want to efficiently collect Ws:
 - Trigger on charged lepton
 - Offline lepton identification:
 - Electrons:
 - Track matched to an isolated calorimetric deposit of one or two towers
 - Mostly electromagnetic (>90%)
 - Muons:
 - Isolated track matched to a small calorimetric deposit and hits in the muon chambers.



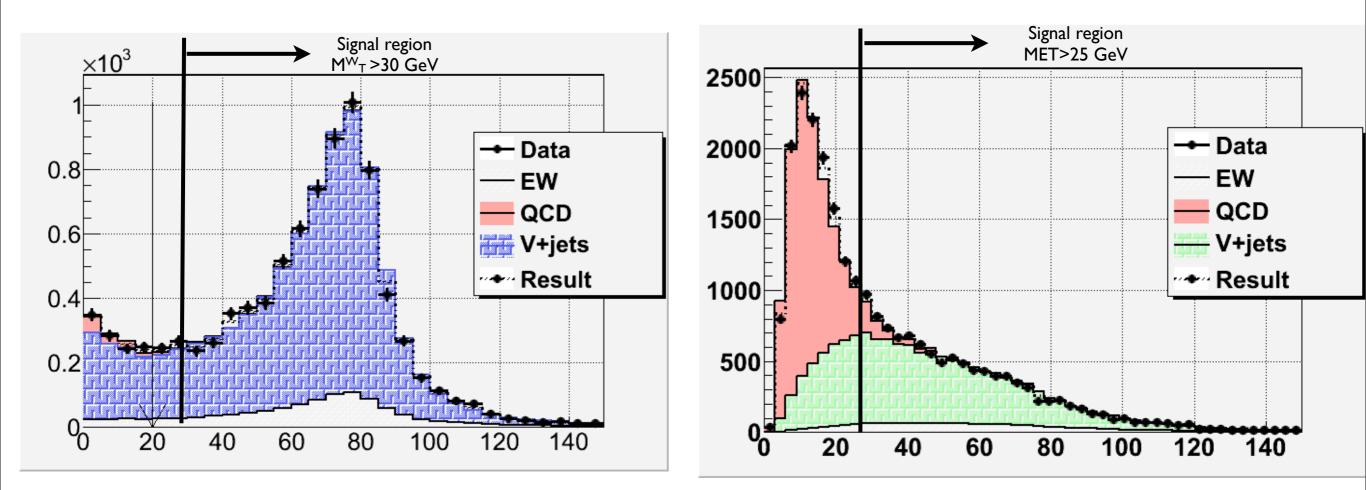
Expected yields

Process	Rate (Electrons)	Rate (Muons)	
Signal	101.6 ± 1.2	76.1 ± 1.0	
WW	487.7 ± 3.8	315.9 ± 2.7	
$\mathbf{t}\mathbf{t}$	670 ± 2.4	430.5 ± 1.7	
single-top	160.8 ± 0.6	106.3 ± 0.5	
Zjets	248.2 ± 2.9	471.6 ± 2.7	
Wjets	8899.6 ± 35.4	5959.3 ± 24.1	
QCD	898.1 ± 65.7	20.2 ± 1.4	
Total	11466.0 ± 74.8	7380.0 ± 24.5	

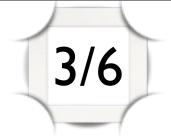
SM prediction - QCD rate

Determined by fitting the MET/M^W_T distributions

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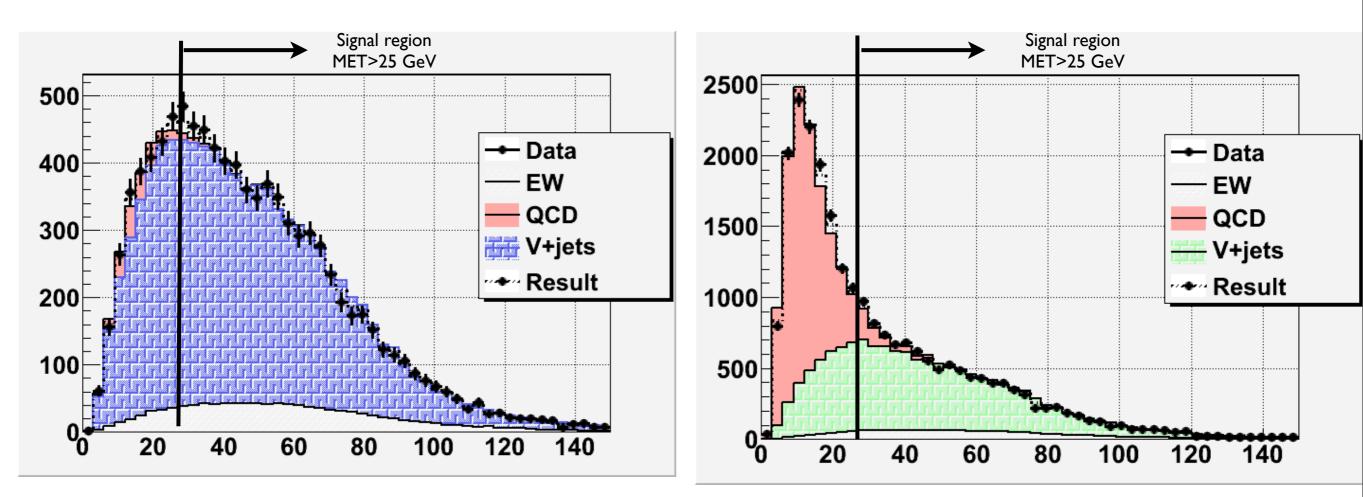


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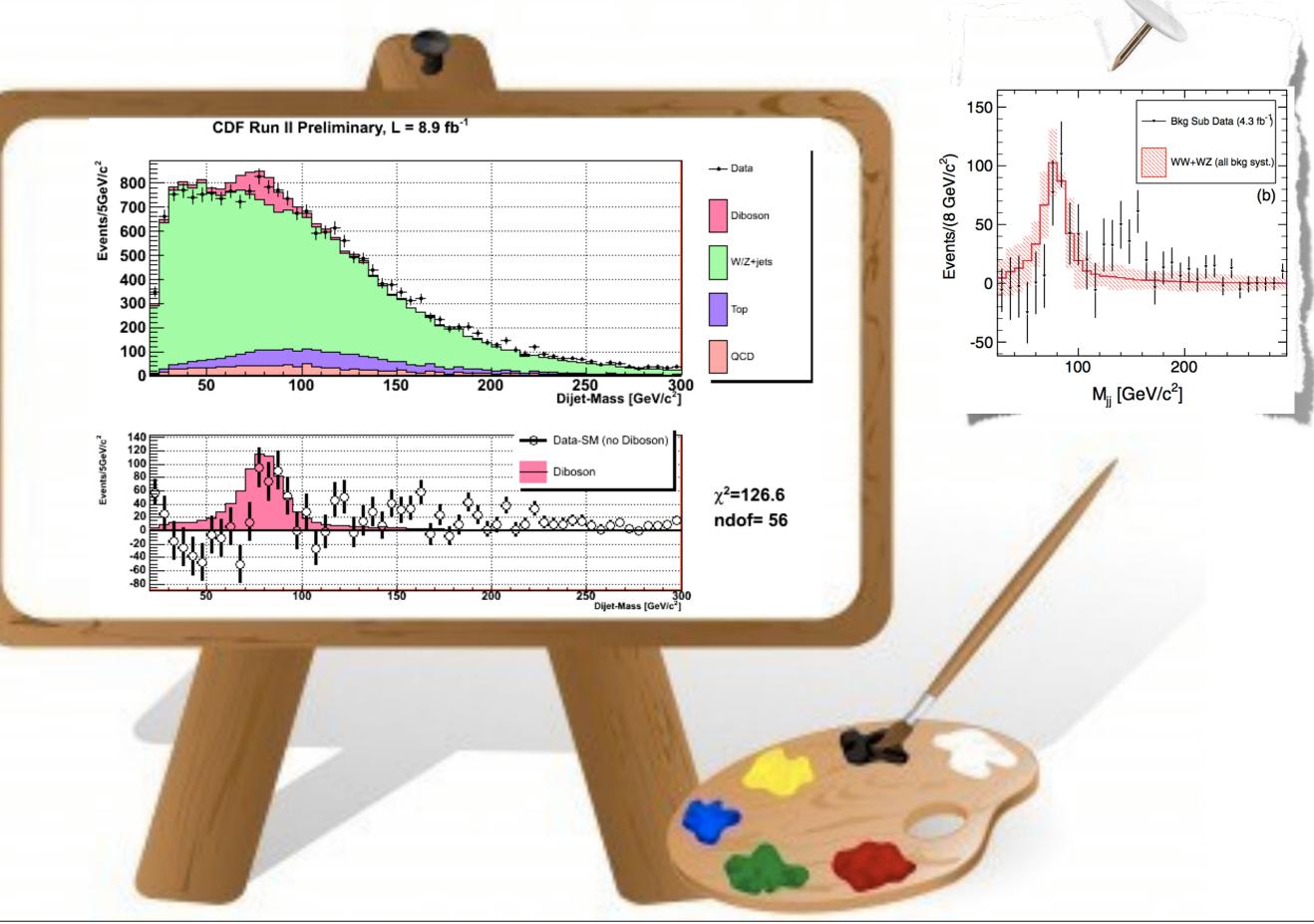


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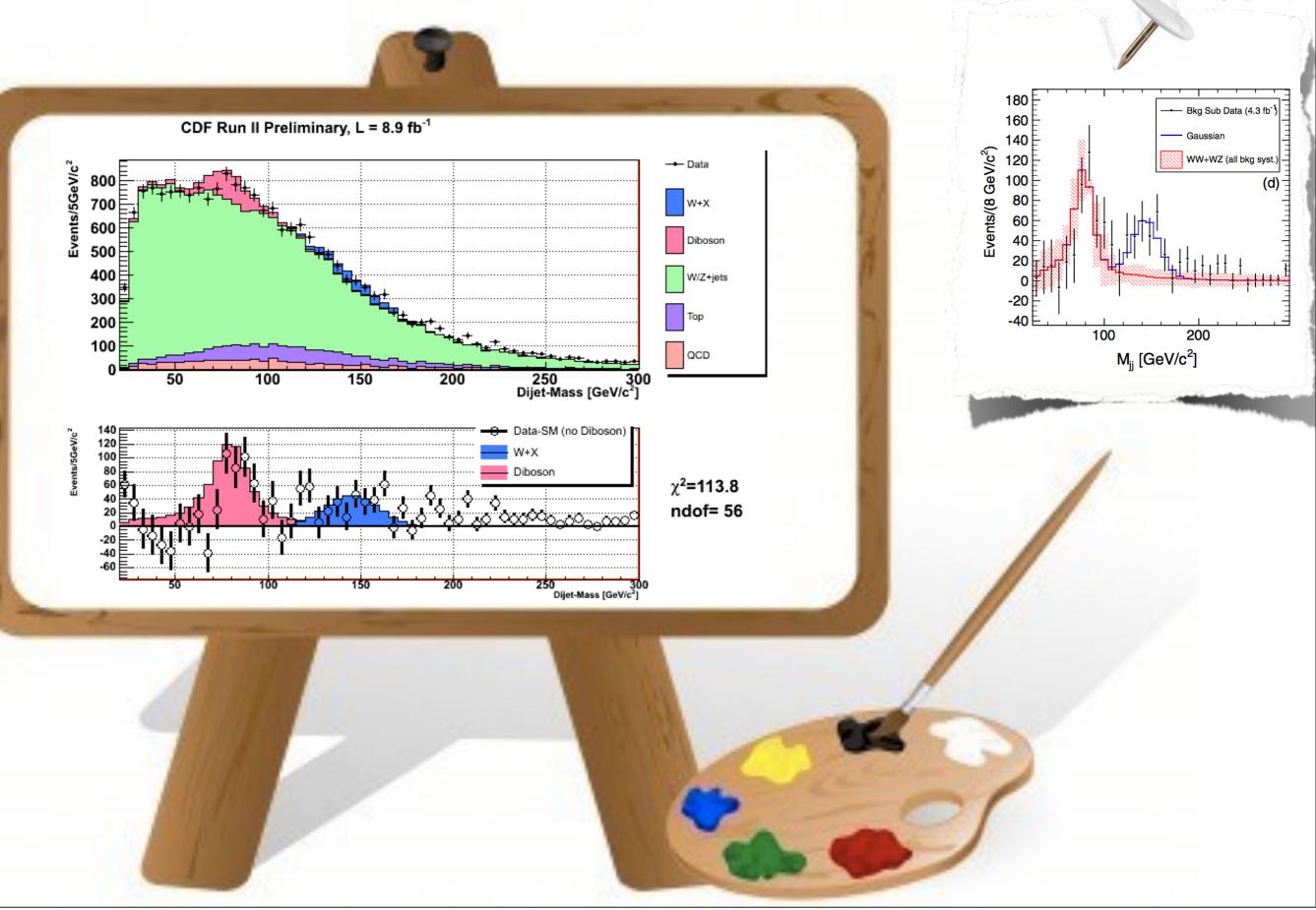
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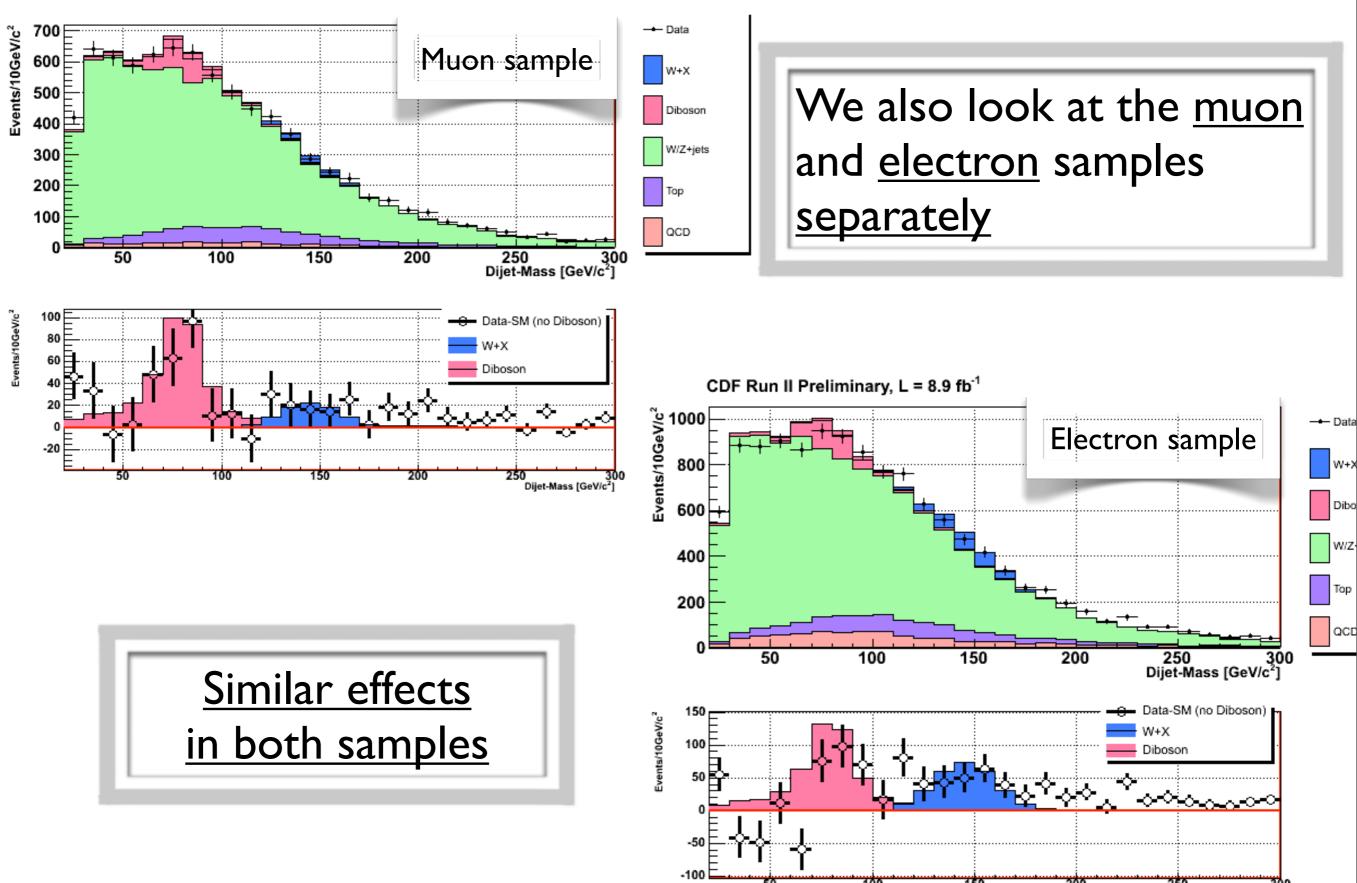


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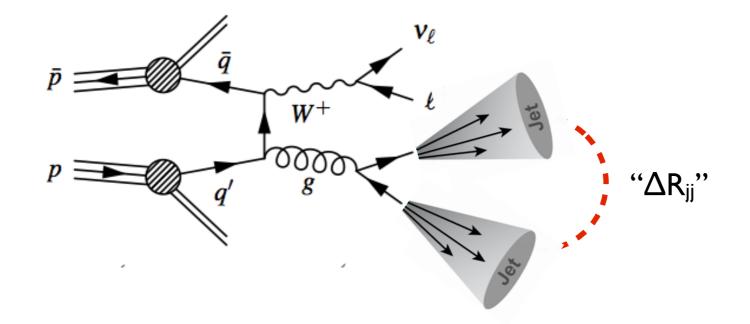


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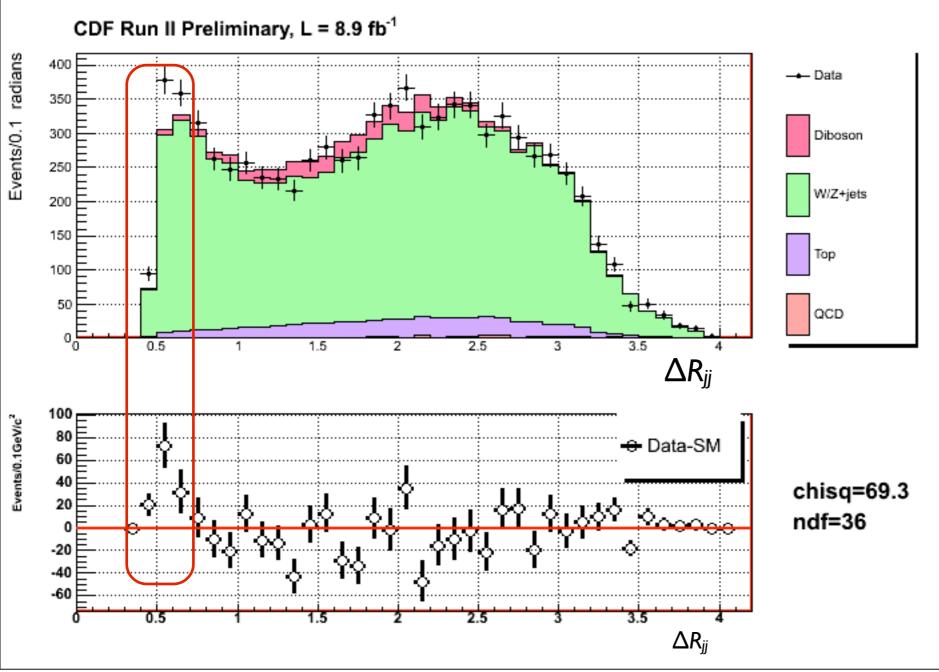
Modeling of events with small dijet opening angle



Modeling of the jet response Modeling of the fake-leptons

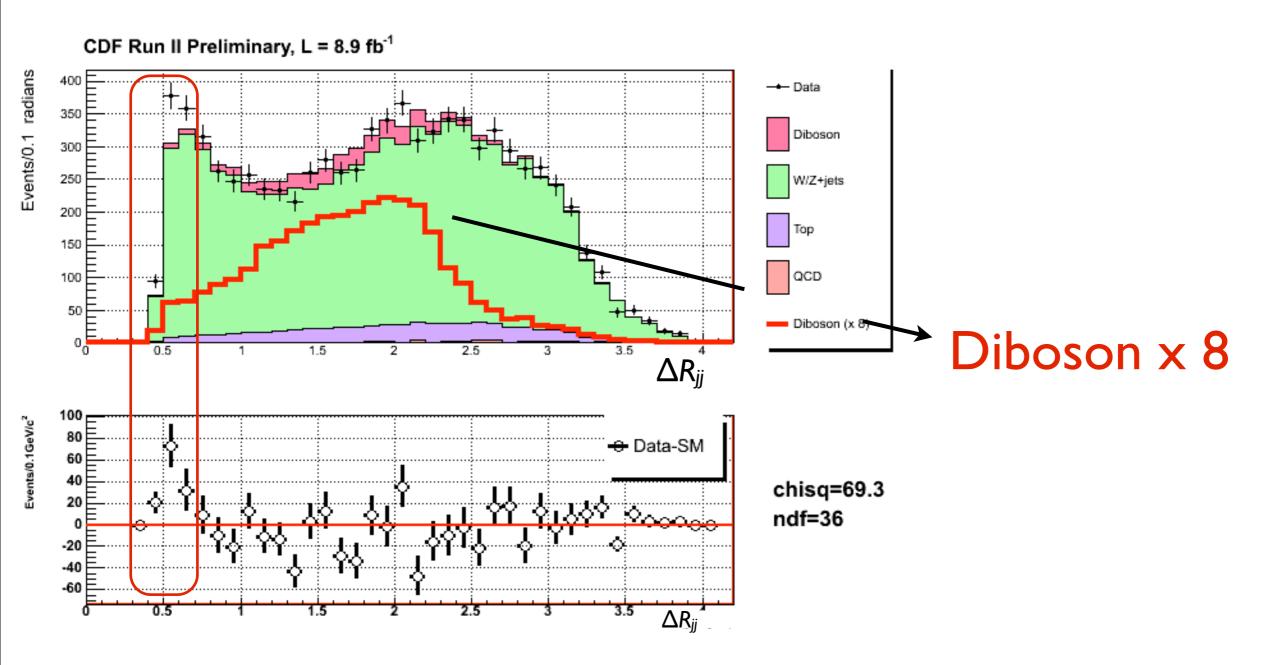
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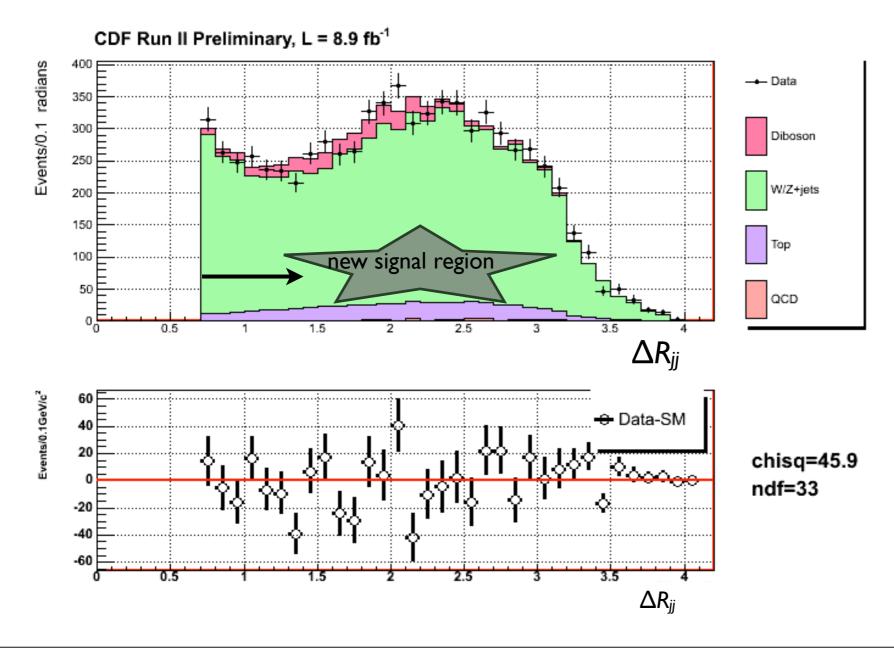
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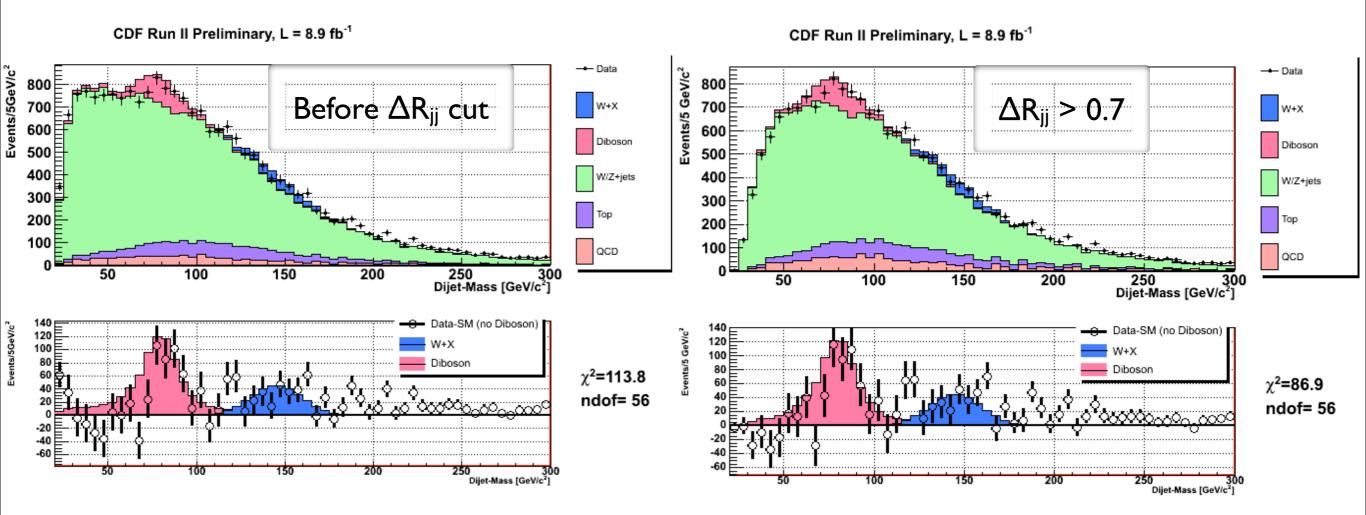


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- We therefore require ΔR_{jj} > 0.7

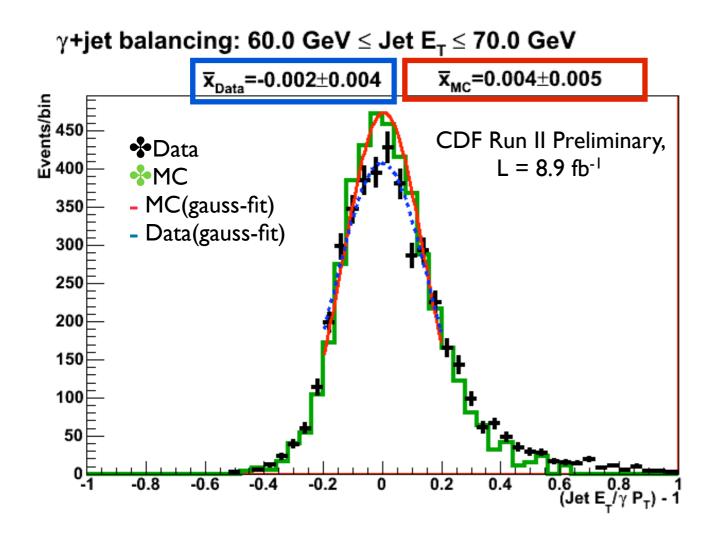


- ΔR_{jj} > 0.7 cut has a minor effect at large dijet masses
- But improved agreement with the predictions for low dijet masses



Object identifications - jets

 Critical to this analysis when validating the JES is the compatibility between Data and MC





✓ Jet balancing against the photon is
 compatible between PYTHIA Tune A
 MC and Data within statistical
 uncertainty

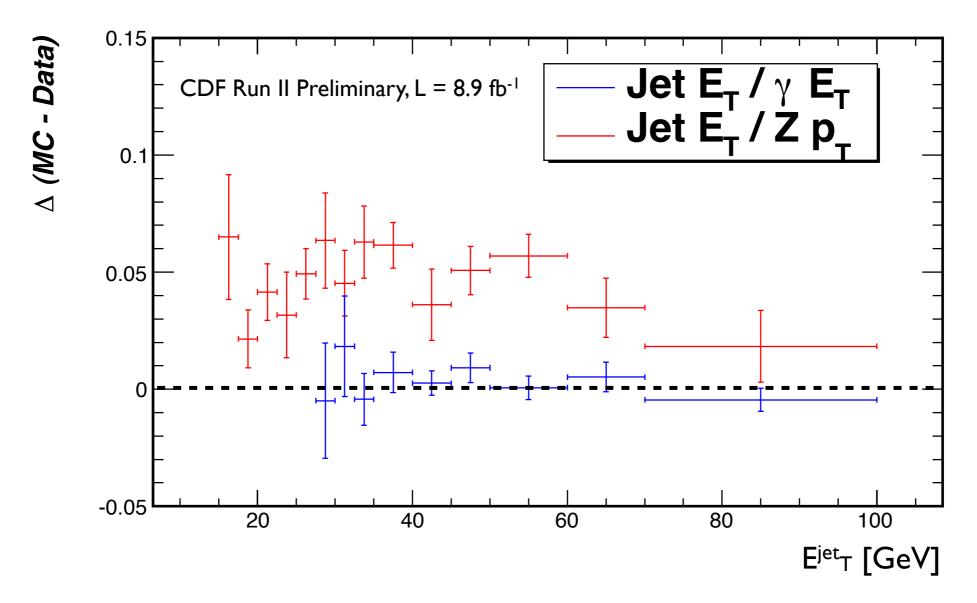
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Jet balancing overview

Balancing performed in several jet E_T bins

Difference between Data and MC in Jet Balancing



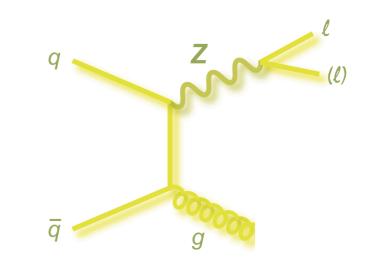
Q/G-JES: Event selection

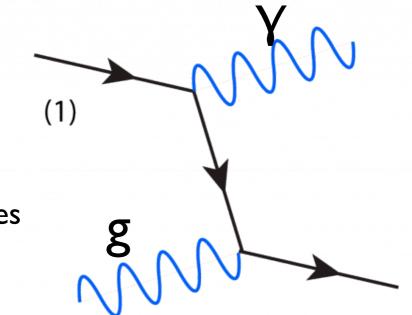
• Z+jet selection:

- PT(lep1)>20 GeV/c
- PT(lep2)>20 GeV/c
- 76<(M(lep1,lep2)/GeV/c2)<106</p>
- PT(lep1,lep2)>10 GeV/c
- ▶ MET<20 GeV
- ▶ =I jet with ET>3 GeV/c
- ▶ ∆φ(jet,Z)>2.8

• γ+jet selection:

- ► ET^γ> 27 GeV, 0.2<|η|<0.6</p>
 - away from cracks in the calorimeter and trigger biases
- I number of primary vertices
- ▶ MET/ET^Y<0.8</p>
- ▶ = I jet with ET>3 GeV/c
- ▶ Δφ(jet,γ)>3





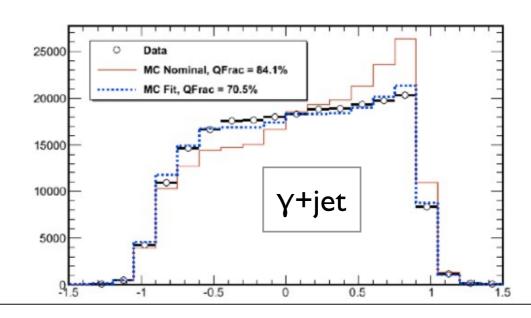
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Inputs to Q/G-JES: F^Q

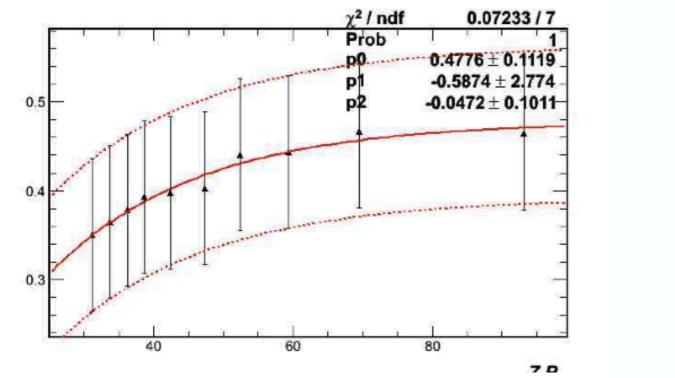
Predicted from MC (at first order)

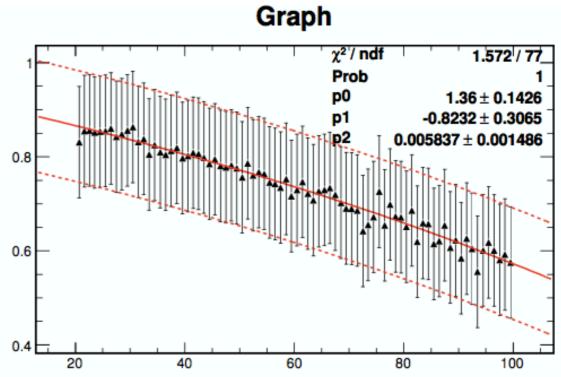
Cross-checked with the data

- We developed quark-gluon discriminant is an artificial neural network discriminant that examines the shape of a jet and assigns a score based on how quark-like the jet appears to be An artificial
- Fit the quark-gluon discriminant distribution with quark and gluon templates from MC
- The obtained difference with the predicted F^Q is <~ 10%
 - used as systematic uncertainties when when deriving quark/gluon JES









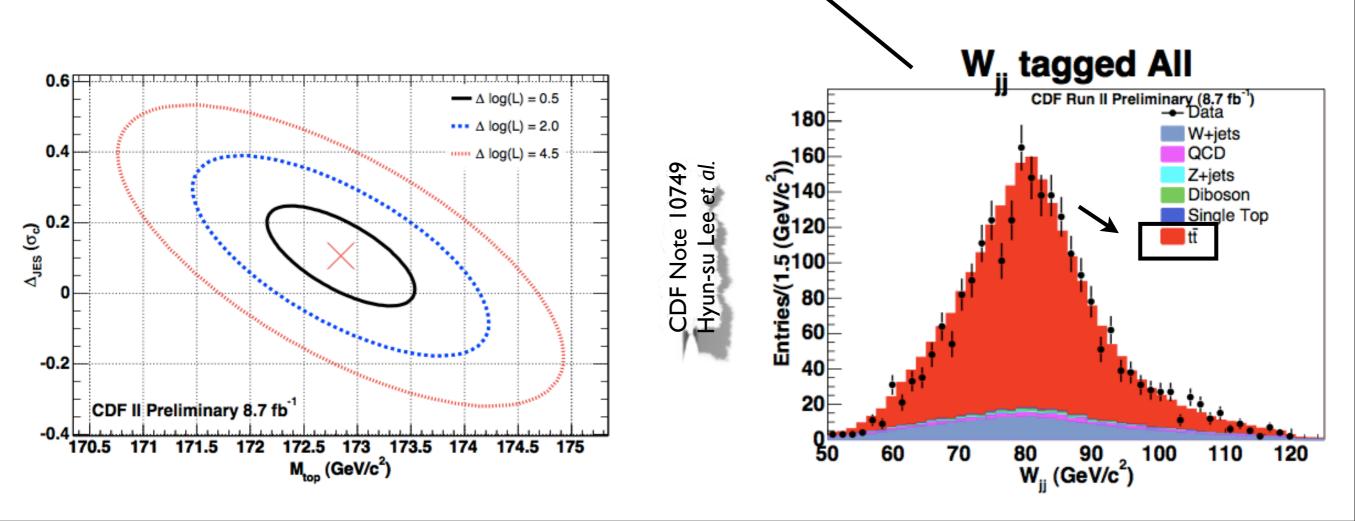
Quark Vs gluon JES ("Q/G-JES")



Why not before (Additional reasons)?

•Never encountered any problems in the main investigated samples

• top-pairs enhanced samples are heavily quarkdominated



Effect of the changes on main analyses @CDF

3. QCD:

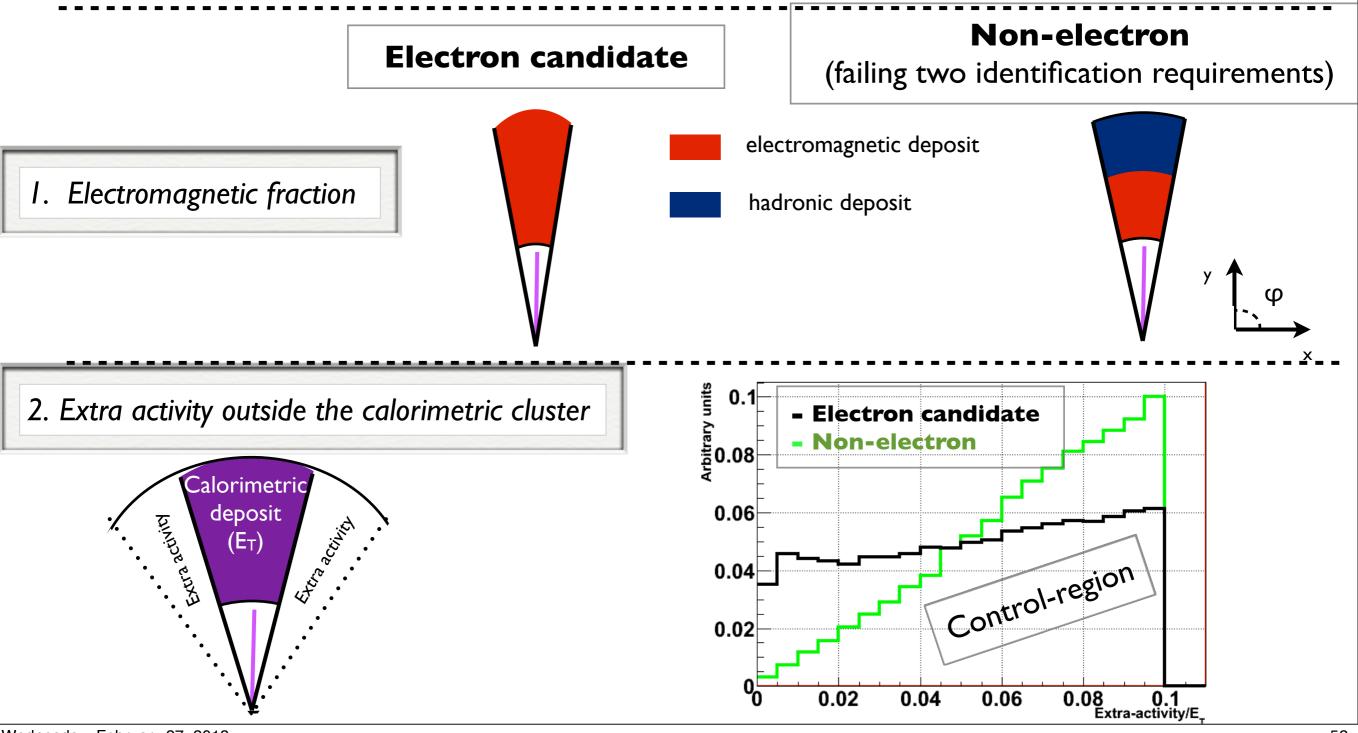
- cross-section analyses use R=0.7 cone-MIDPOINT or antiKT jets
 - those algorithms are less sensitive to soft radiation
 - Data-MC discrepancy even for JETCLU R=0.7 cone jets is within CDF JES uncertainty

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Source of uncertainty	jet cone $= 0.4$	jet cone $= 0.7$	jet cone $= 1.0$
renormalization and factorization scales	+0.9 -0.0	+0.9 - 0.4	± 0.4
FSR parameters in PYTHIA	± 0.4	± 0.1	± 0.1
ME's and parton-jet matching	+0.8 -0.0	+1.1 - 0.0	+0.8 - 0.0
single particle response	± 2.5	± 2.5	± 2.5
multiple proton interactions	+1.0 -0.0	+1.2 -0.0	+1.2 -0.0
large-angle FSR, limitation of PS	+0.0 - 2.9	+0.0 - 0.2	+1.7 -0.0
Estimate of the total variation	+3.0 - 3.8	+3.1 - 2.5	+3.4 - 2.5
The observed discrepancy *	+4.7	+3.2	+2.0

*: the observed discrepancy is defined as the P_T imbalance $(P^{jet}T / P^{Z}T)$ in predictions divided by Z+ljet data

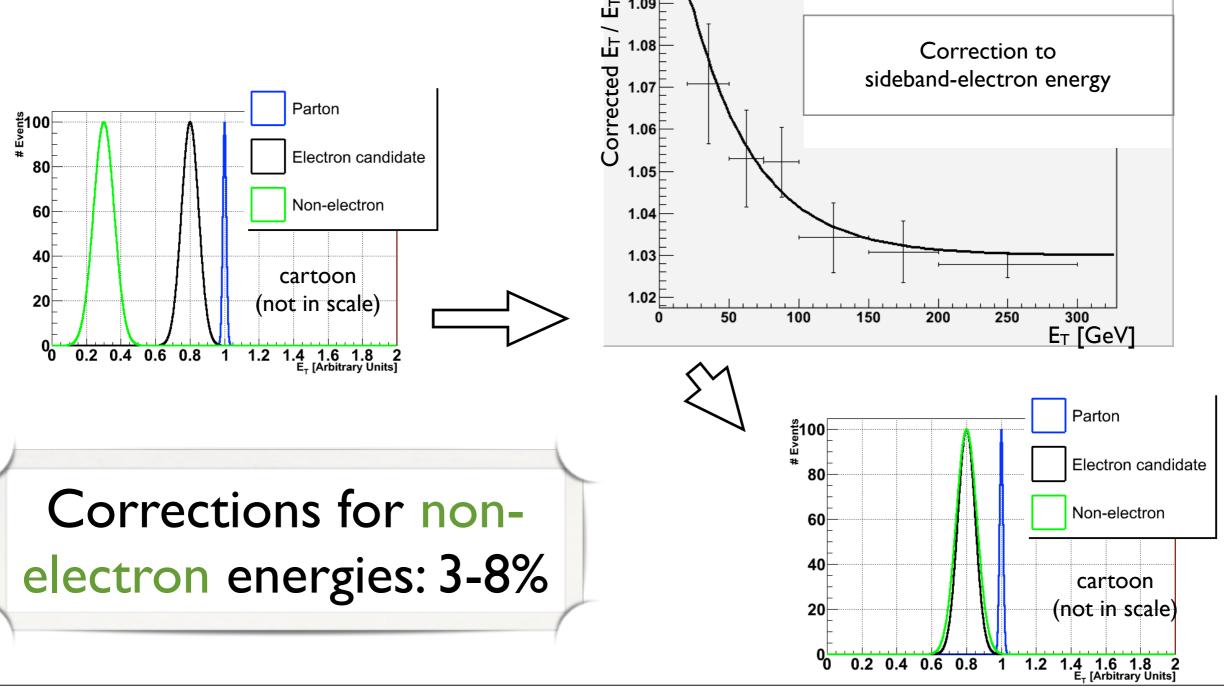
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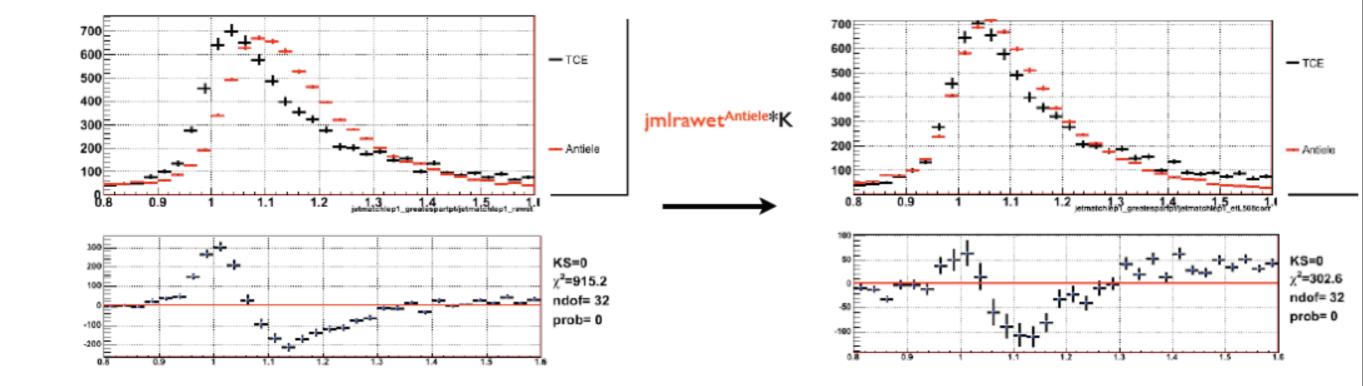
• <u>Quick Reminder:</u> differences between electron candidates and non-electrons



QCD multi-jets background

- <u>Question</u>: given the same parton energy, does non-electron energy properly model candidate-electron energy?
- <u>Answer</u>: from MC we see that non-electron energy needs to be corrected

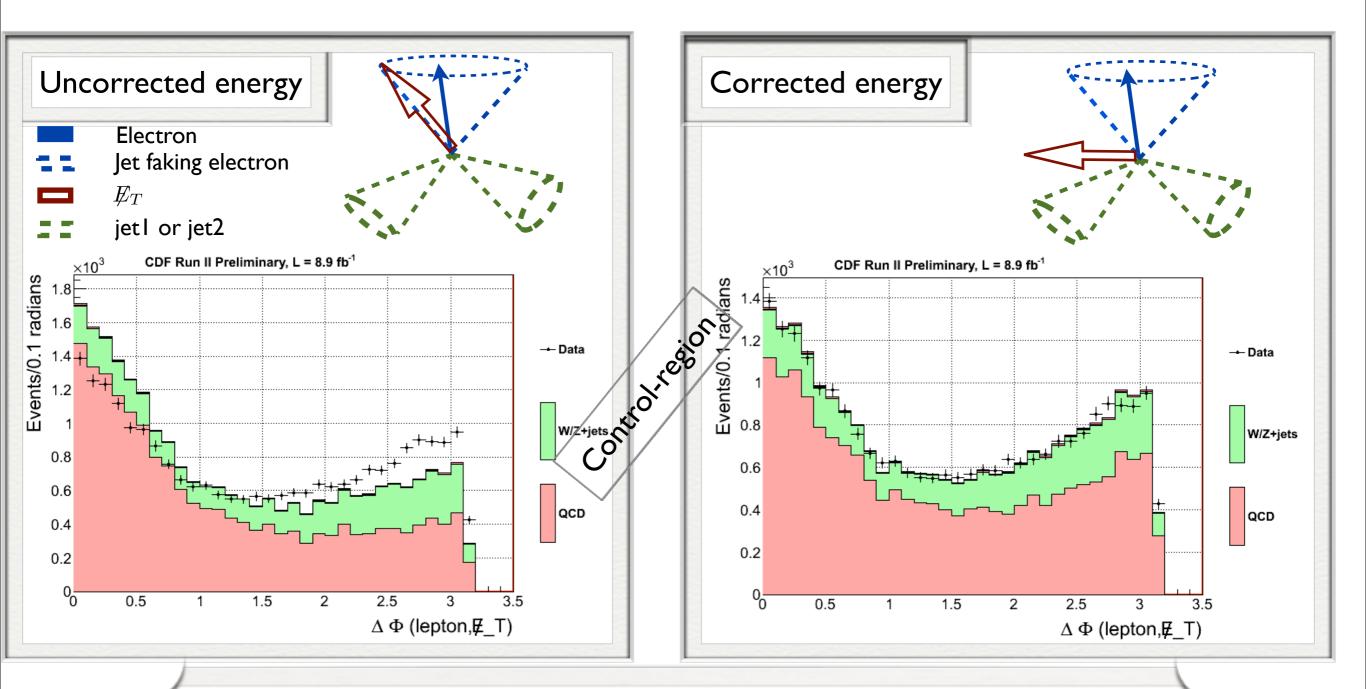




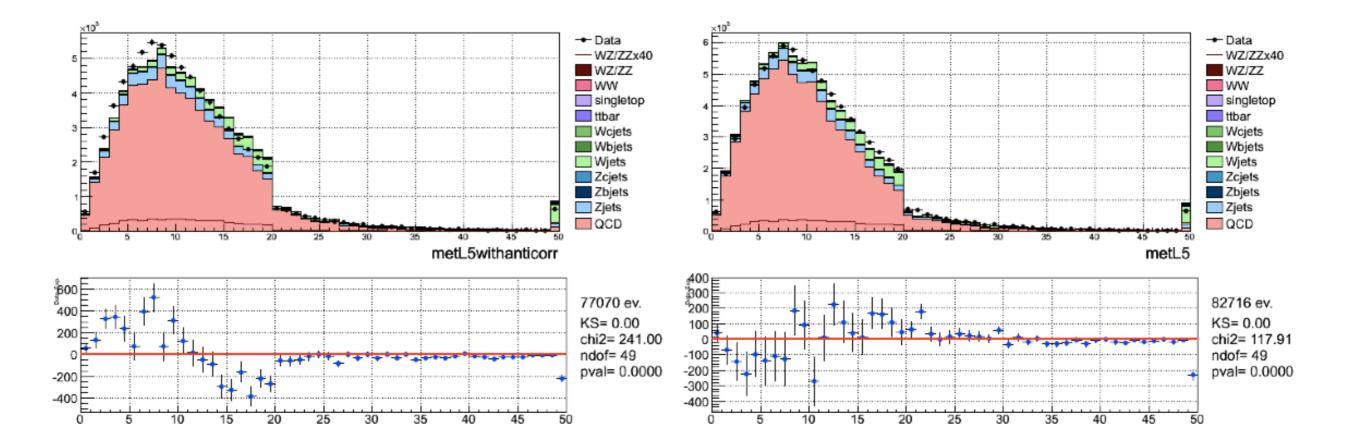
QCD multi-jets background

Validation of the non-electron energy corrections

•Note: Corrections affect the magnitude and the direction of the missing transverse energy



Large improvements when corrections are applied



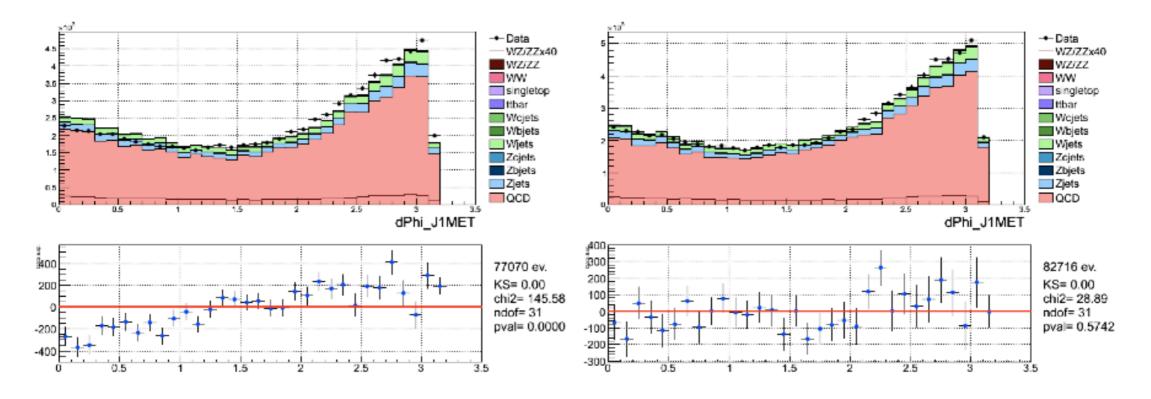
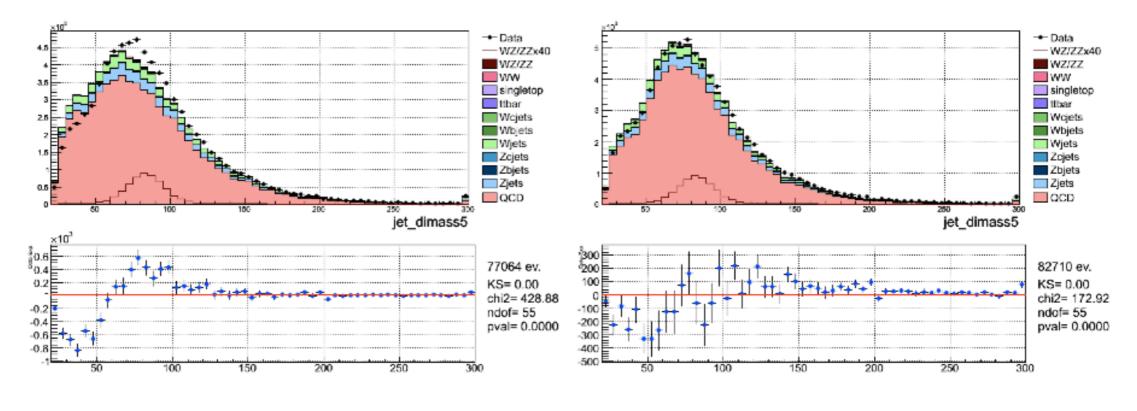


Figure 18: $dPhi(jet1, E_T)$ with out-of-the-box (left) and cured (right) QCD model.



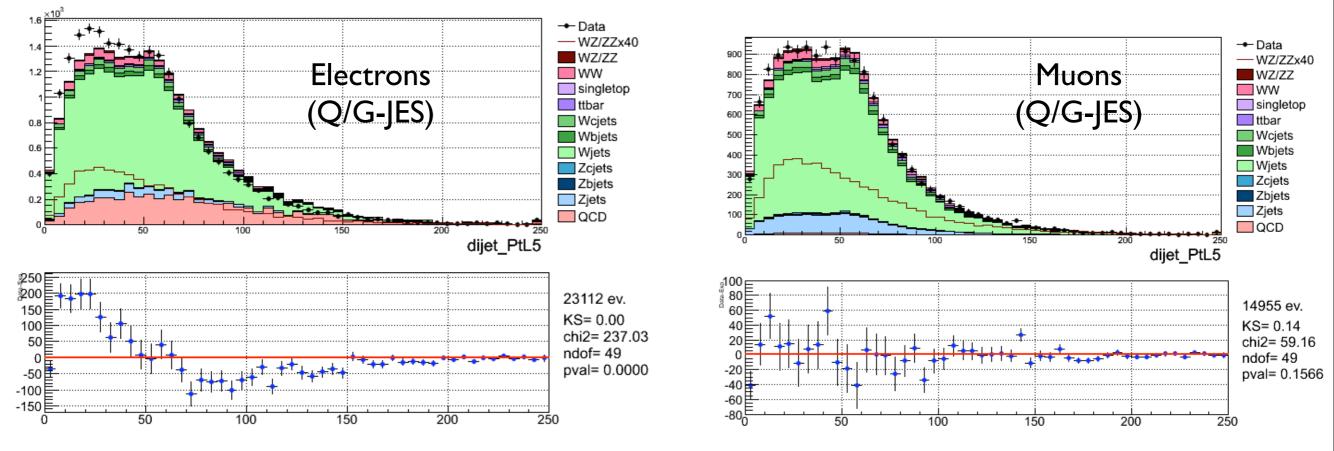
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Modeling in the electron sample

•For a more accurate evaluation

- P_T(jet1,jet2) cut is removed
- jet ET cuts are lowered to 20 GeV (was 30 GeV)

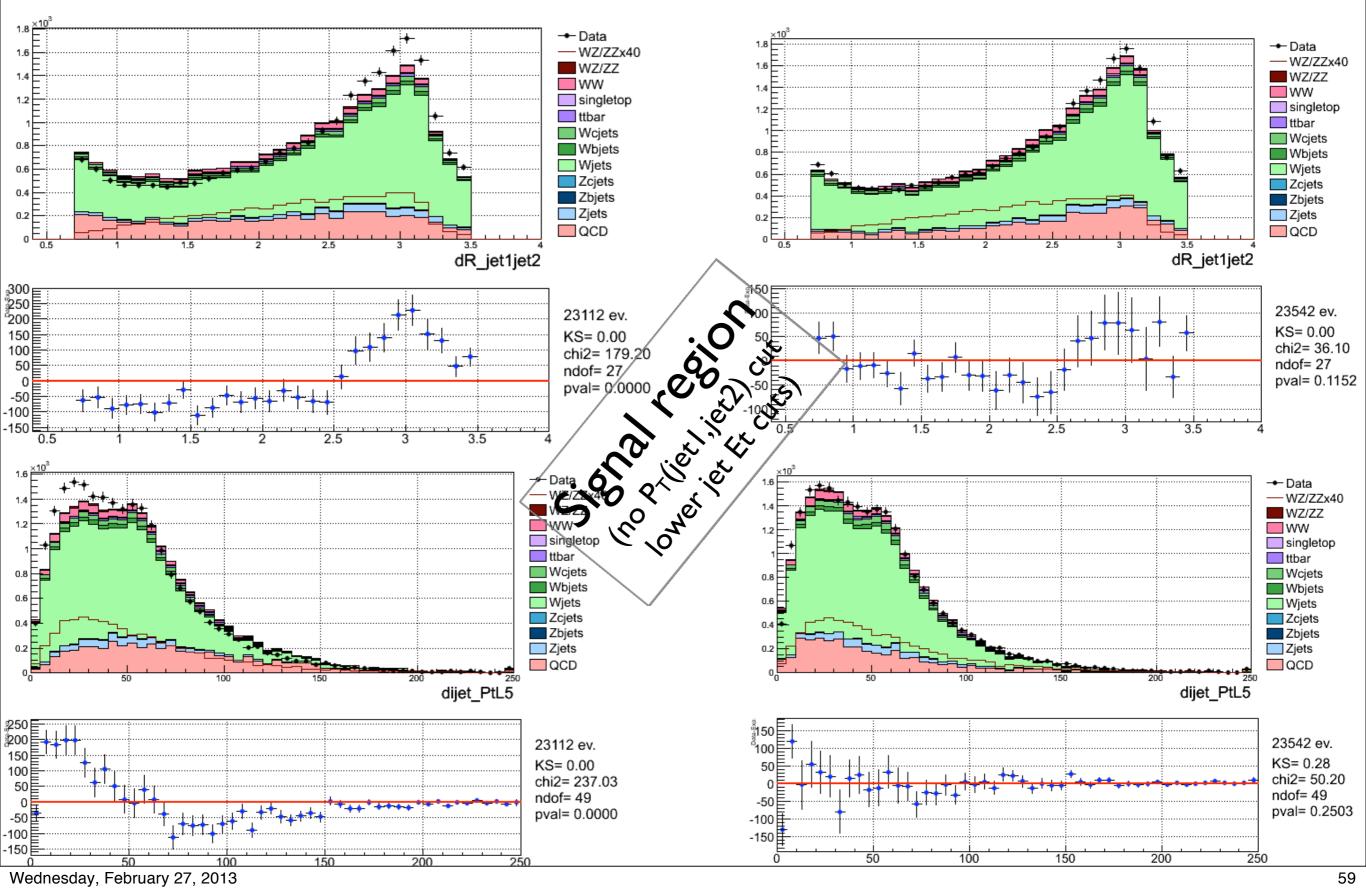
•Electron and muon samples are compared

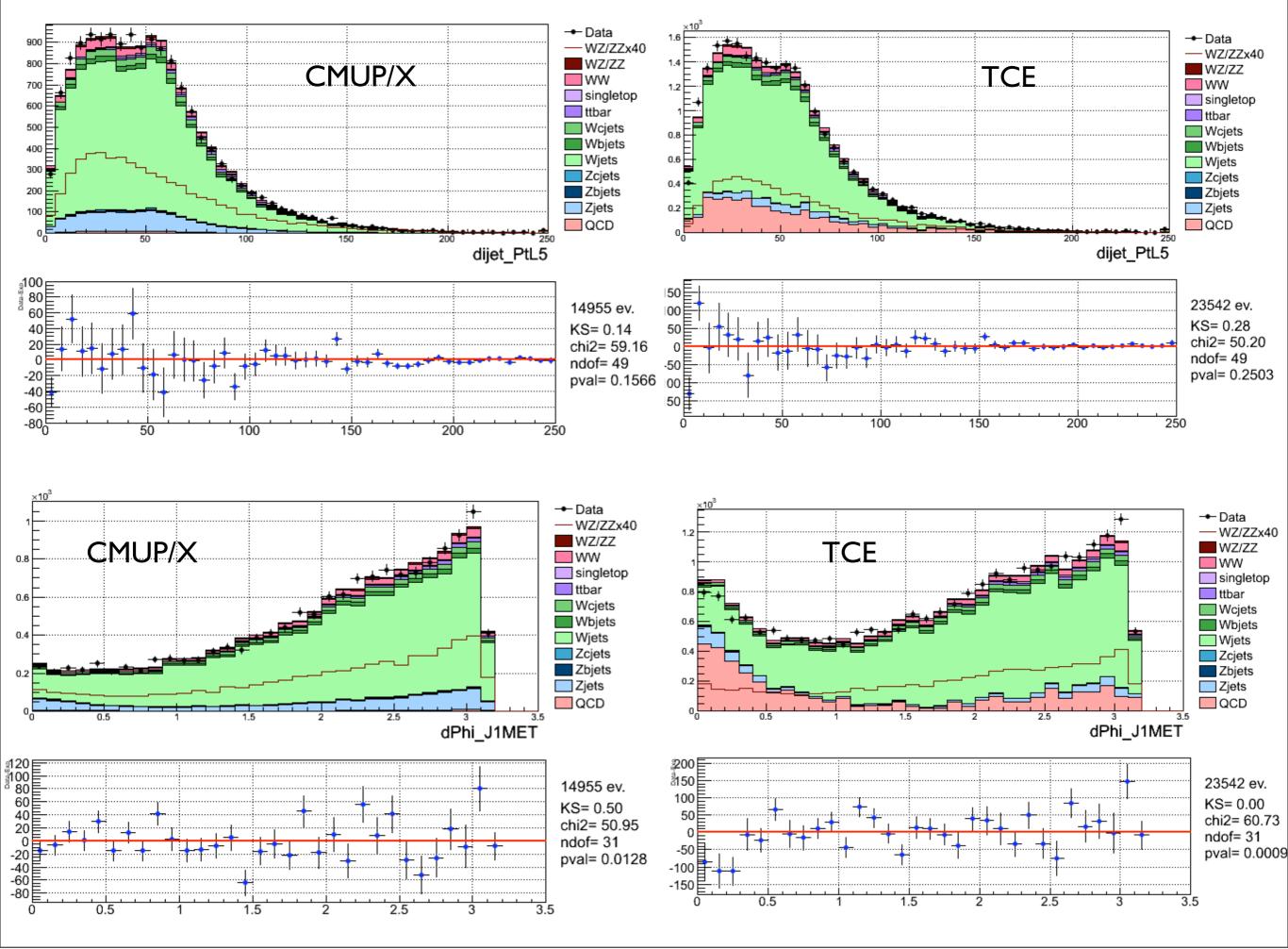


•Large mismodeling at low $P_T(jet1, jet2)$ in the electron sample as opposed to the muon sample

QCD model before and after the cure - Diboson selection

•Modeling with the QCD model before (left) and **after correcting the antielectron energy and removing the trigger bias** (right)

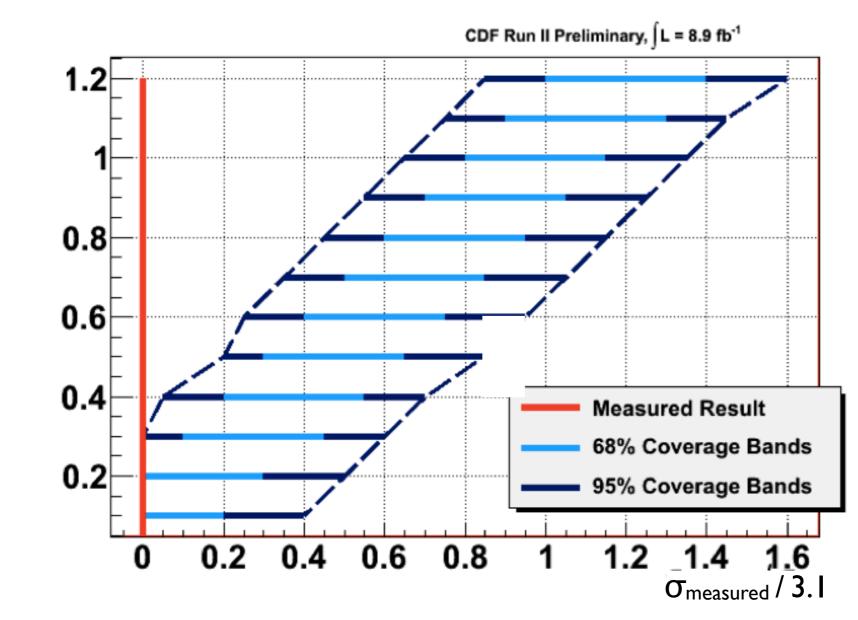




Systematic uncertainties

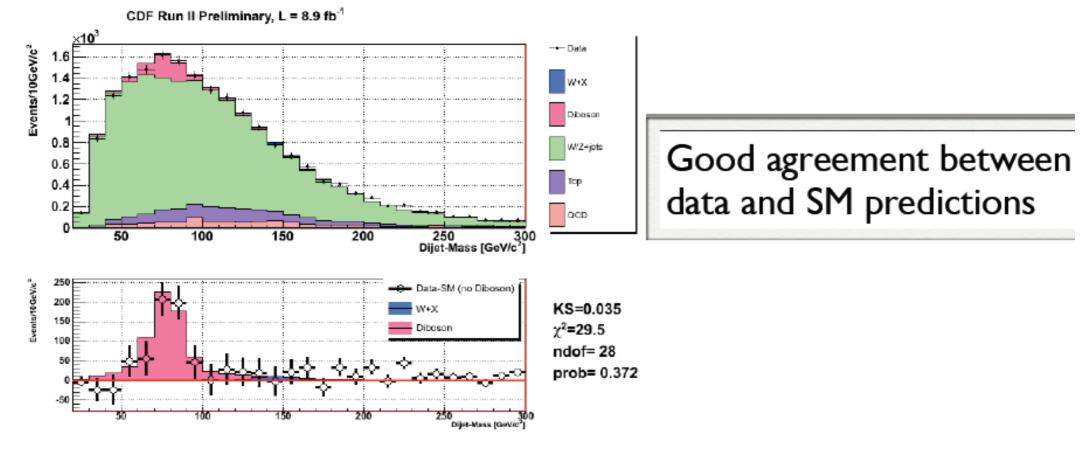
Systematic	WW+WZ+ZZ	Single-top	$tar{t}$	W+ jets	Z+ jets	QCD
JES shape/rate	$ m yes/\pm^{2.8\%}_{3.5\%}$	$ m yes/\pm^{0.2\%}_{1.8\%}$	$ m yes/\pm^{0.2\%}_{1.8\%}$	yes/no	yes/no	no/no
Q^2	no	no	no	yes	no	no
Luminosity	$\pm_{6.0\%}^{6.0\%}$	$\pm^{6.0\%}_{6.0\%}$	no	no	no	no
IFSR	$\pm^{2.5\%}_{2.5\%}$	$\pm^{2.5\%}_{2.5\%}$	no	no	no	no
PDF	$\pm^{2.0\%}_{2.0\%}$	$\pm^{2.0\%}_{2.0\%}$	no	no	no	no
Trigger efficiency	$\pm^{2.2\%}_{2.2\%}$	$\pm^{2.2\%}_{2.2\%}$	no	no	no	no

Since no resonance was found we establish $\sigma < \sigma_{max} = 0.9 \text{ pb} @ 95\% \text{ CL}$



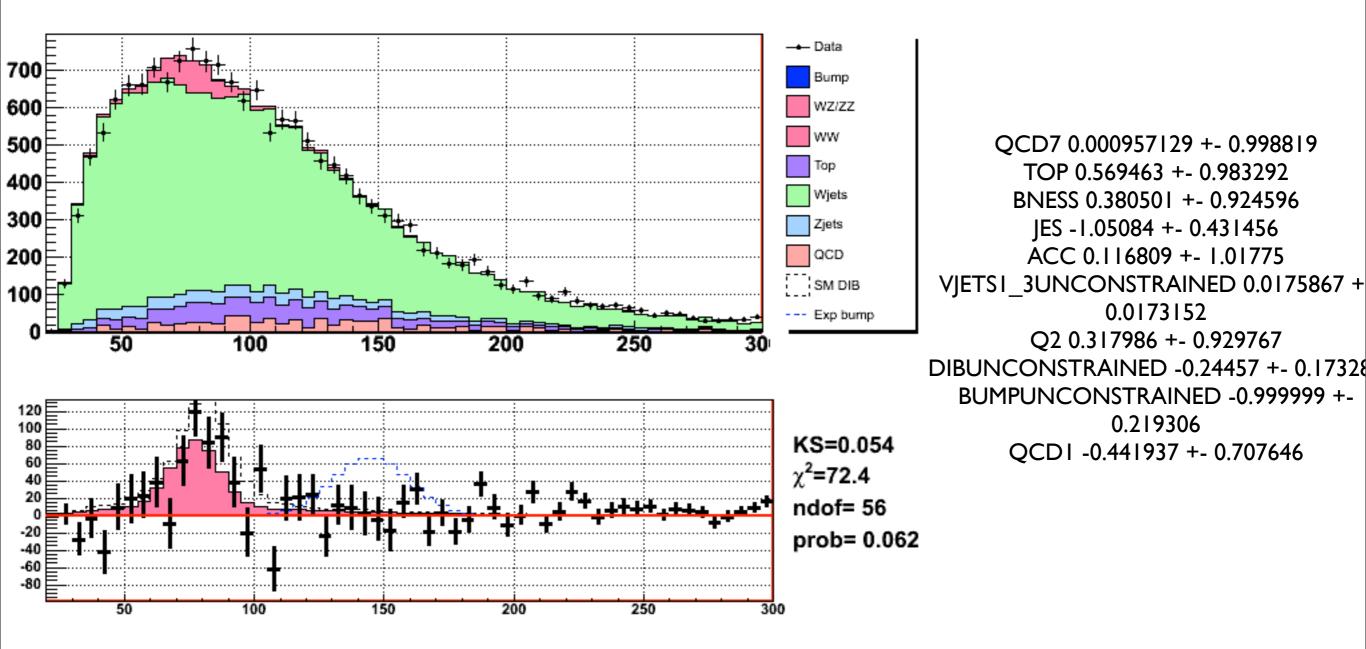


Results



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$|\eta| < 2$ - diboson unconstrained



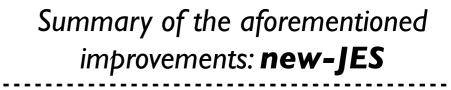
I.Two charged leptons + two jets

• Z+jets as dominating contributions

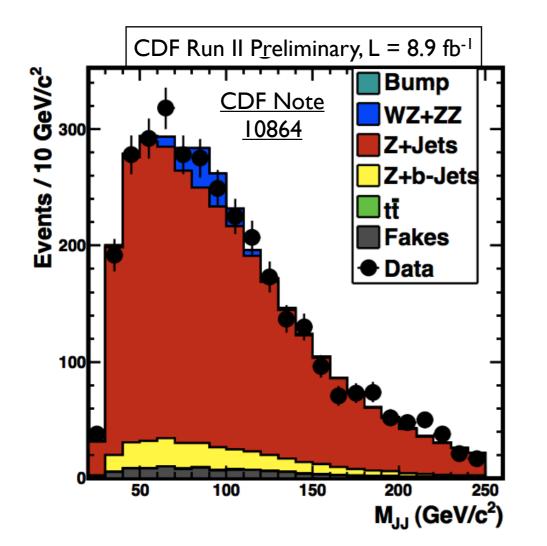
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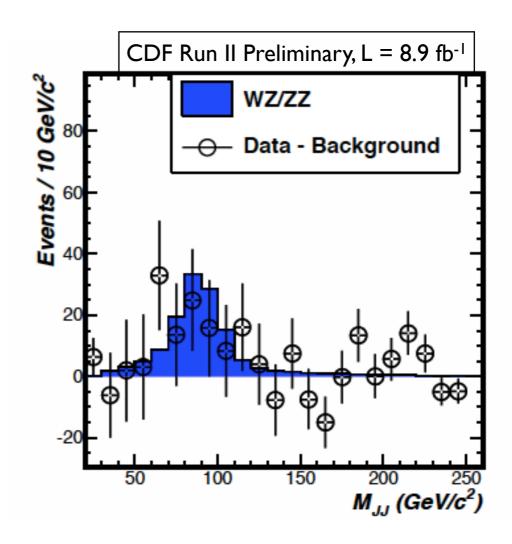
▶=2 charged leptons with $P_T > 20 \text{ GeV/c}$

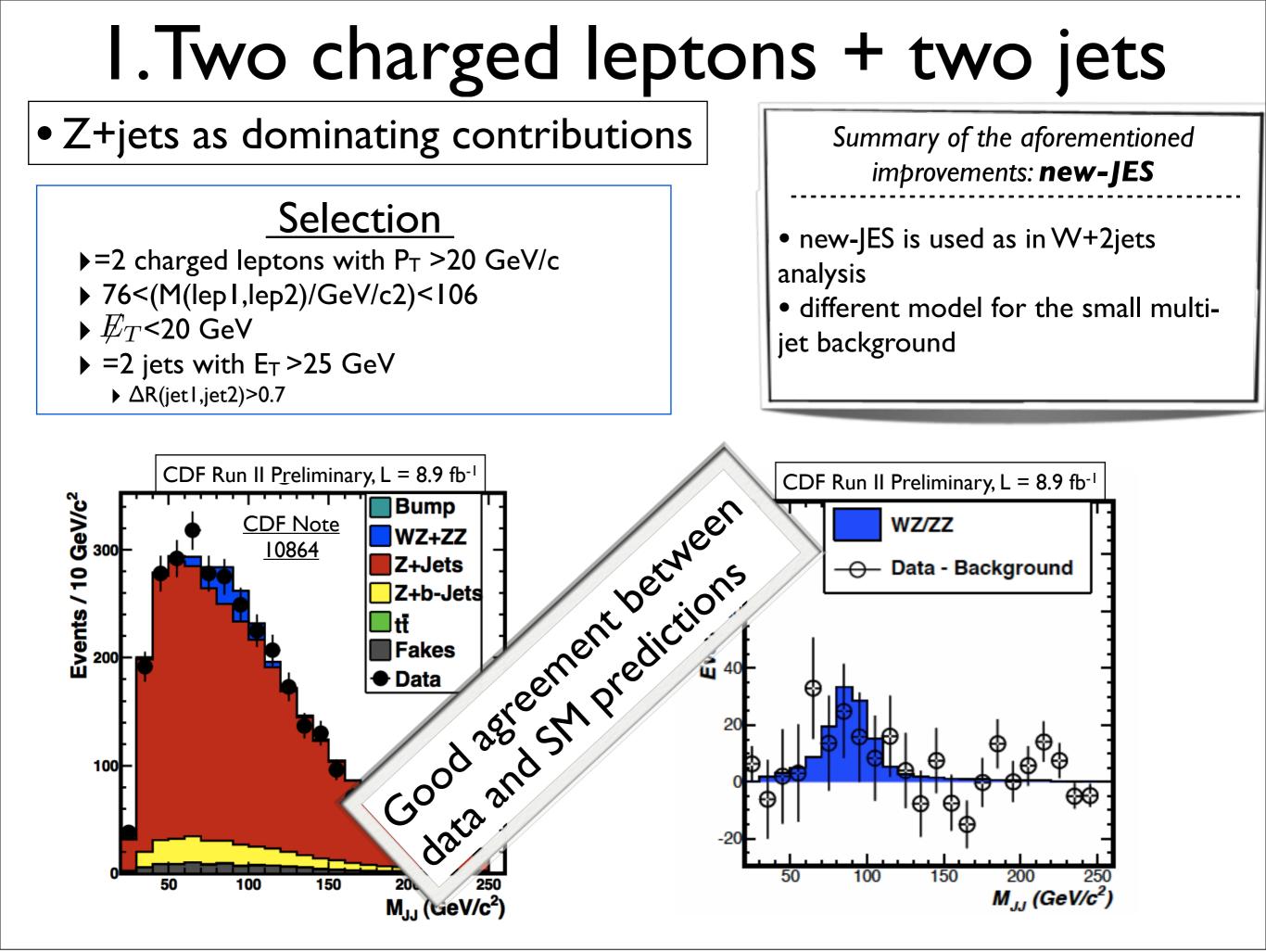
- 76<(M(lep1,lep2)/GeV/c2)<106</p>
- ▶ =2 jets with $E_T > 25$ GeV
 - ▶ △R(jet1,jet2)>0.7



- new-JES is used as in W+2jets analysis
- different model for the small multijet background







2. Large E_T + two jets

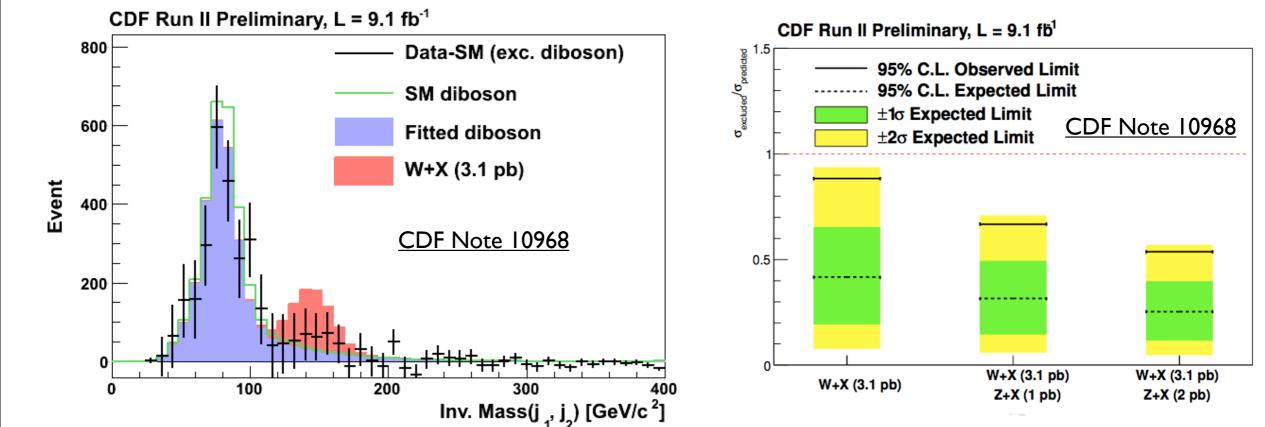
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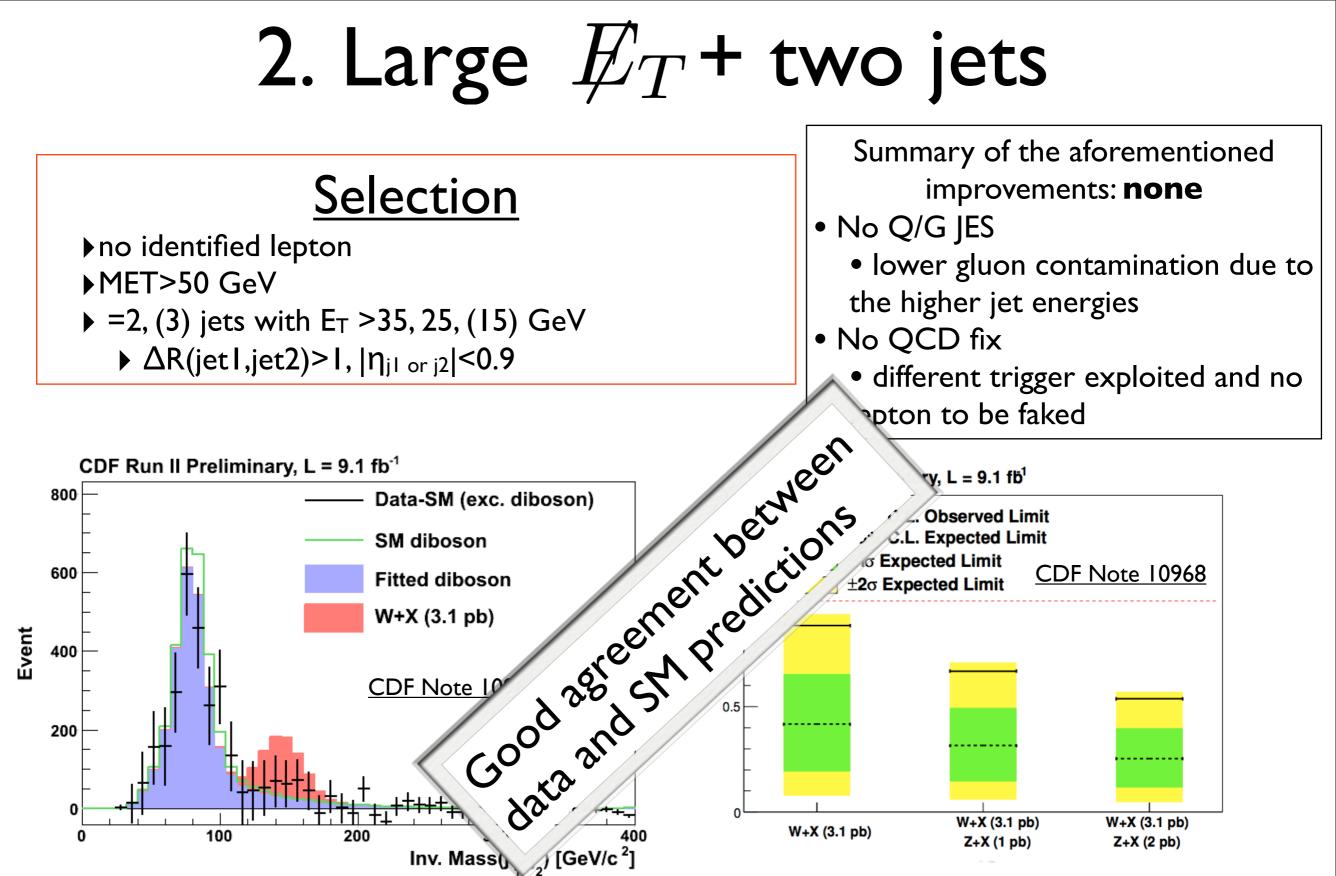
no identified leptonMET>50 GeV

- ▶ =2, (3) jets with E_T >35, 25, (15) GeV
 - ► ΔR(jet1, jet2)>1, |η_{j1 or j2}|<0.9</p>

Summary of the aforementioned improvements: **none**

- No Q/G JES
 - lower gluon contamination due to the higher jet energies
- No QCD fix
 - different trigger exploited and no lepton to be faked



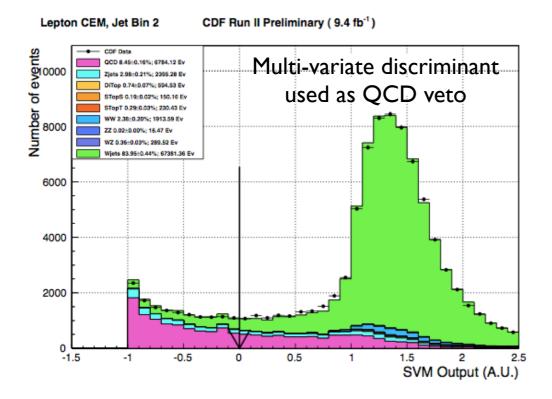


For a mixture of W+X (3.1 pb) and Z+X (1 pb) σ <2.1 pb @ 95% CL

Effect of the changes on main analyses @CDF

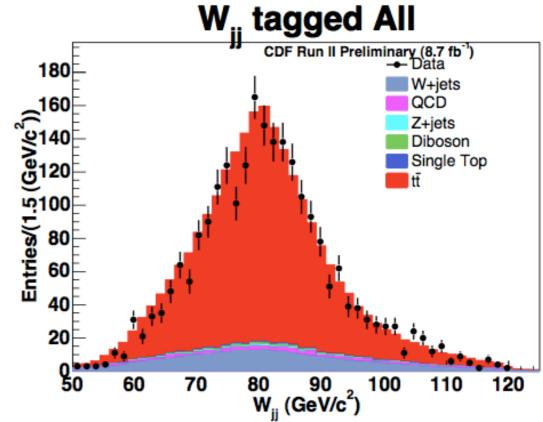
I. Top-pairs:

- Effect of the quark/gluon-JES was checked - none
 - Top-pair signal extracted from ~gluon-free samples
- Effect QCD-model fix: negligible
 - QCD/Data < 5%



2. Higgs:

- Quark/gluon-JES already included
- Effect QCD-model fix: negligible
 - Applies only to one out of 3 main analyses
 - Was already partially included
 - QCD/Data ~ 2% thanks to a tight QCD veto

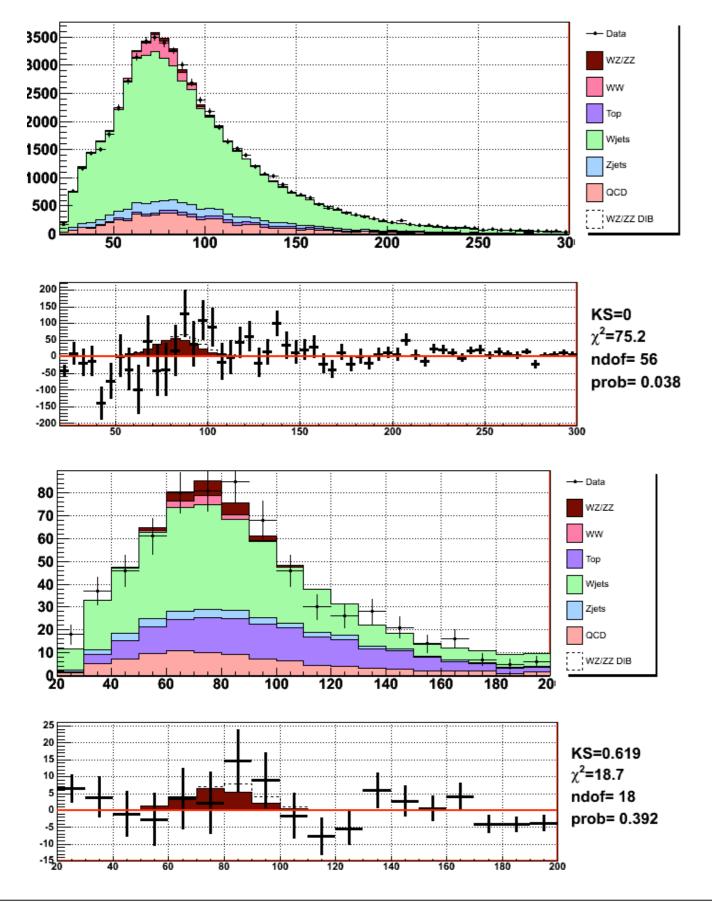


Effect of the changes on main analyses @CDF

3. QCD:

- cross-section analyses use R=0.7 cone-MIDPOINT or antiKT jets
 - those algorithms are less sensitive to soft radiation
 - Data-MC discrepancy even for JETCLU R=0.7 cone jets is within CDF JES uncertainty

Mj1j2 fit



Parameter	Fit value (in units of σ or %)		
TOP	0.95 ± 0.97		
BNESS	0.20 ± 0.37		
JES	-1.11 ± 0.35		
Q2	-1.52 ± 0.56		
ww	-1.08 ± 0.97		
Acceptance	$\textbf{-1.11}\pm0.95$		
Signal	-0.07 ± 0.67		
VJETSTag2j	-0.06 ± 0.08		
VJETSNotag2j	0.02 ± 0.01		
QCDTCETag2j	0.06 ± 0.94		
QCDTCENotag2j	-0.26 ± 0.39		
QCDCMUPCMXTag2j	0.02 ± 1.00		
QCDCMUPCMXNotag2j	-0.09 ± 0.99		
QCDPHXTag2j	0.01 ± 0.97		
QCDPHXNotag2j	-0.50 ± 0.25		
QCDEMCTag2j	-0.02 ± 1.00		
QCDEMCNotag2j	-0.02 ± 0.98		