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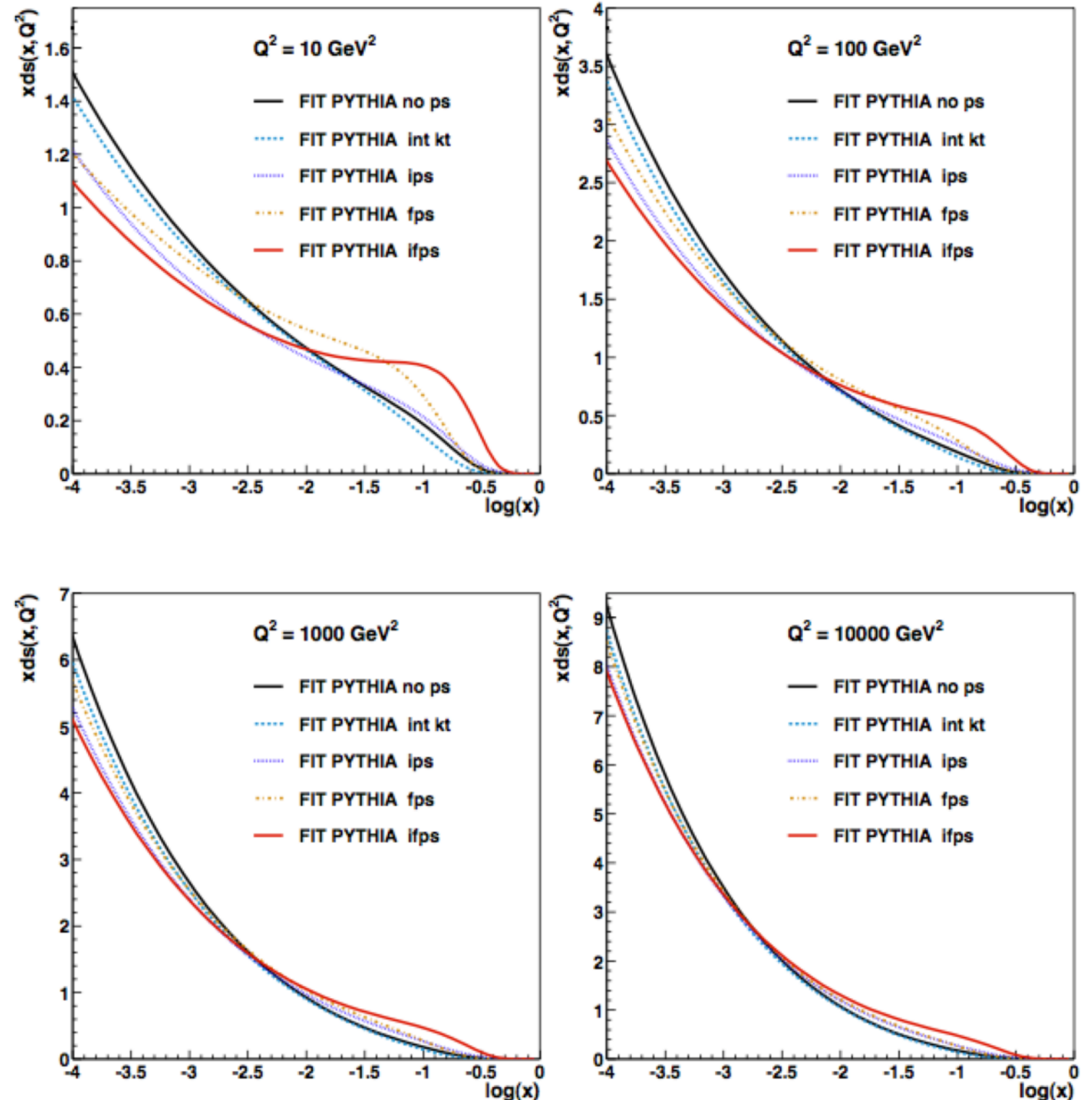
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- Can we extract an effective TMD from standard MC parton shower generators ?
  - Project started with summer-students 2015:
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    - with help from T. Sjostrand on PYTHIA

# Kinematic effects in PDF determination

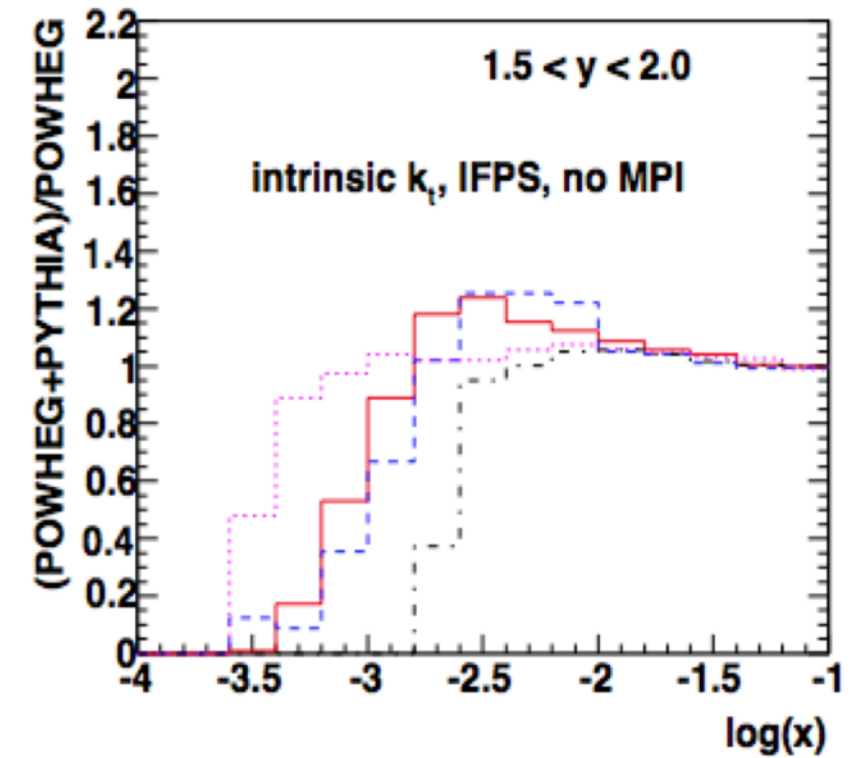
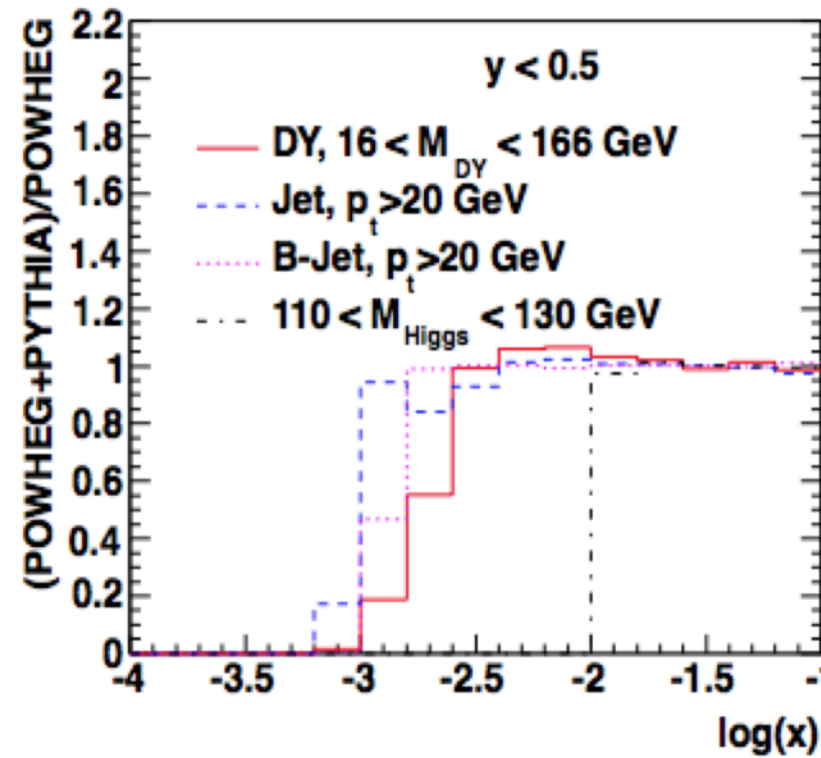
Determination of parton density functions using Monte Carlo event generator Federicon Samson-Himmelstjerna /afs/desy.de/group/h1/psfiles/theses/h1th-516.pdf

- perform fits to  $F_2$  using a Monte Carlo event generator which includes parton showers and intrinsic  $k_t$
- the resulting PDFs agree with standard LO ones if no PS and intrinsic  $k_t$  is applied.
- the final PDFs are different because of kinematic effects coming from transverse momenta of PS and intrinsic  $k_t$



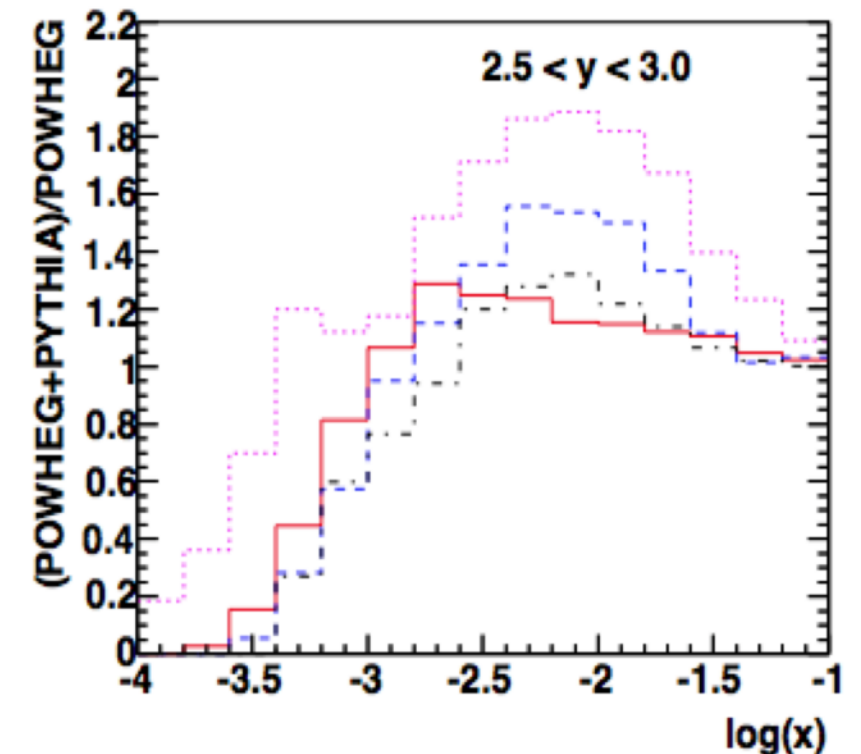
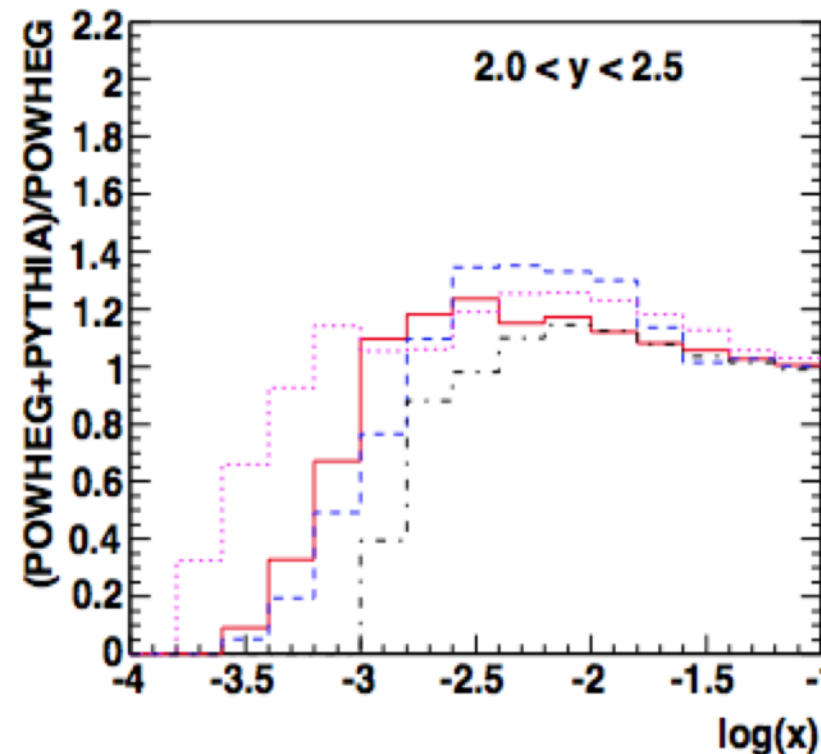
# TMD effects in pp

- TMDs are relevant for many processes at LHC
- parton shower matched with NLO (POWHEG) generates additional  $k_t$ , leading to energy-momentum mismatch



- Note:  $x$  is defined as light-cone momentum fraction:

$$x = \frac{E + p_z}{(E + p_z)_{beam}}$$





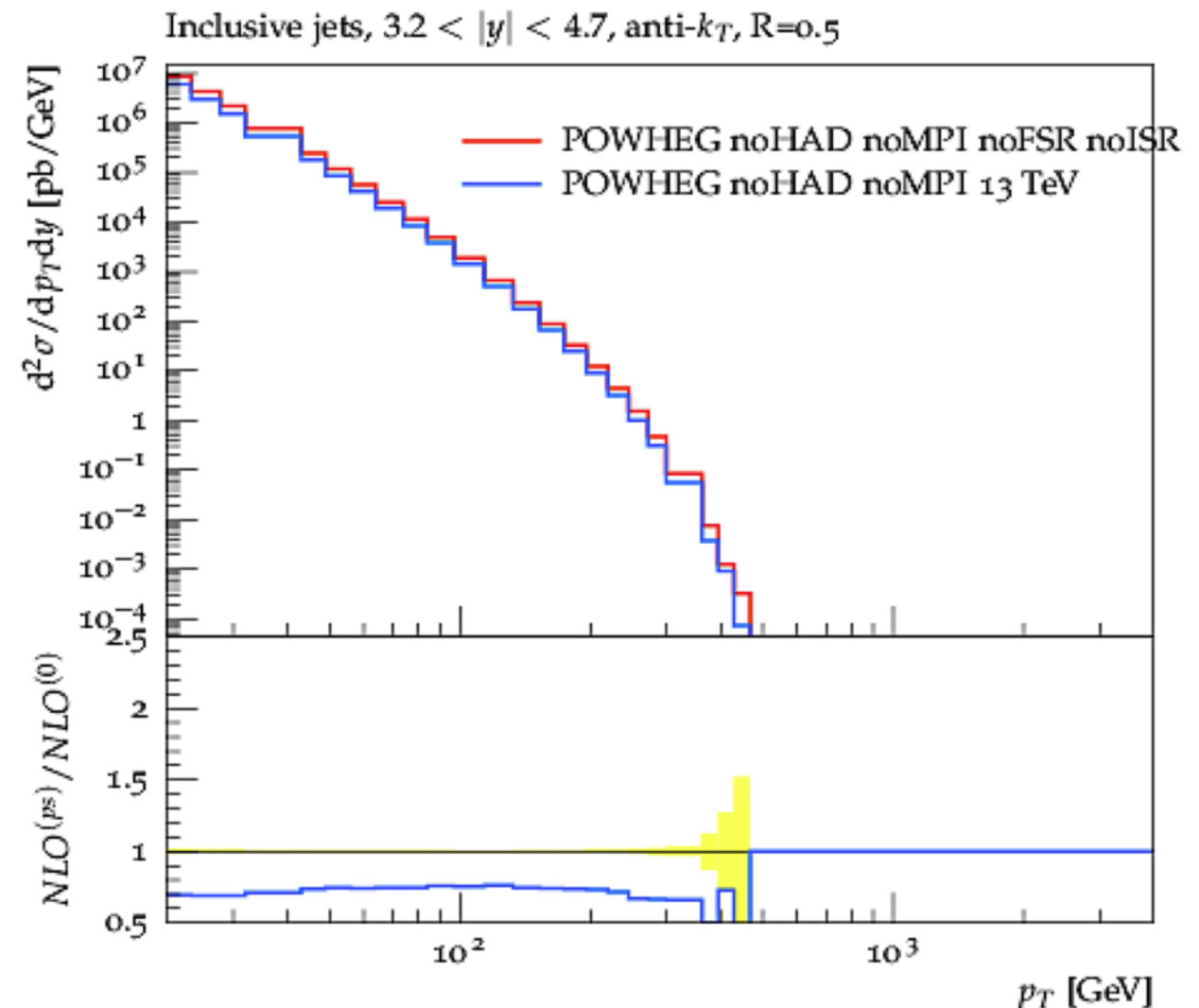
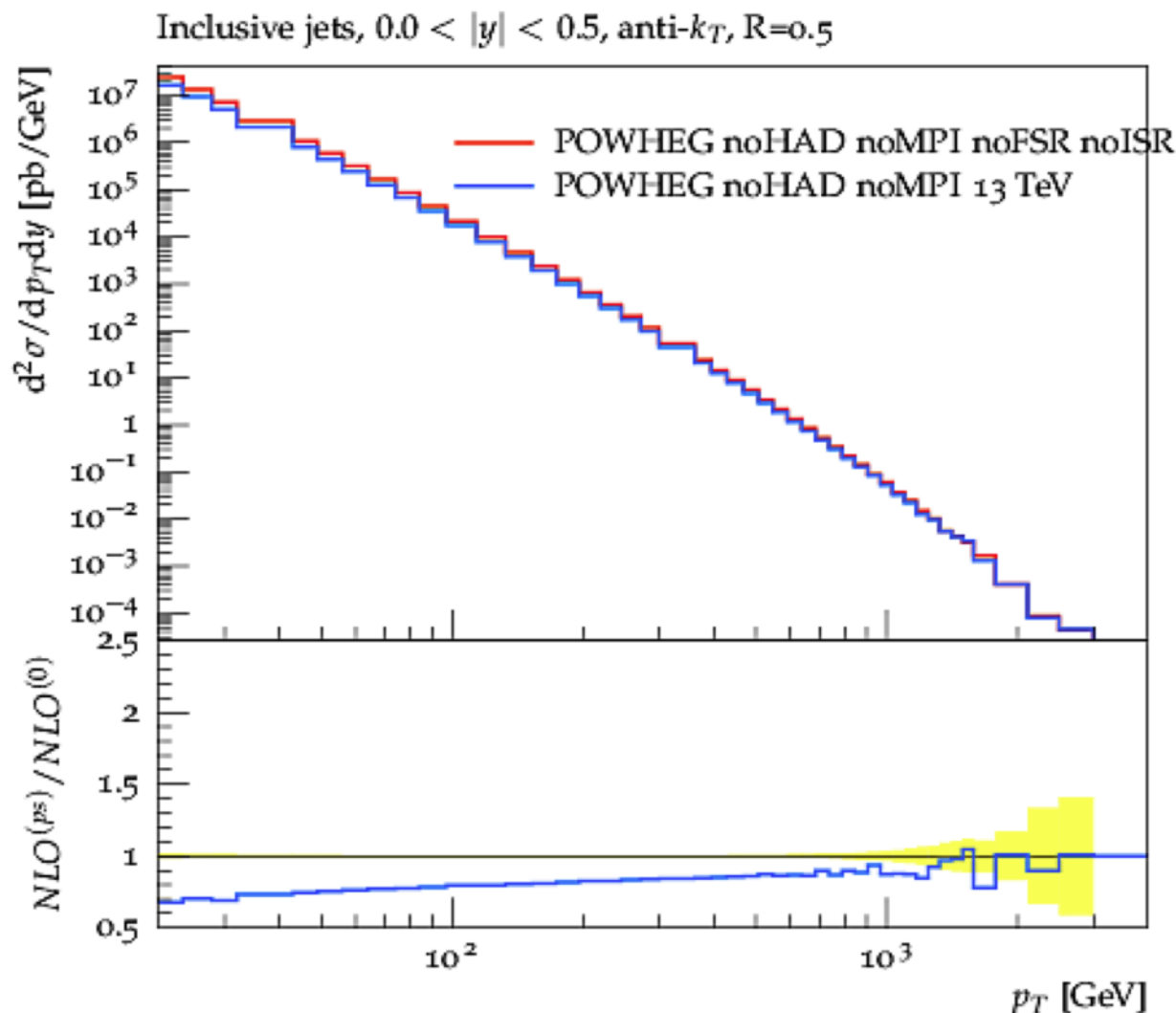
# Parton shower corrections

- use NLO+PS to calculate:

$$K^{PS} = \frac{N_{NLO-MC}^{(ps)}}{N_{NLO-MC}^{(0)}}$$

Approach described in: S. Dooling et al  
Phys.Rev., D87:094009, 2013.

- Corrections to be applied to fixed order NLO calculations:
  - kinematic effects: TMDs !
  - radiation outside of jet-cone



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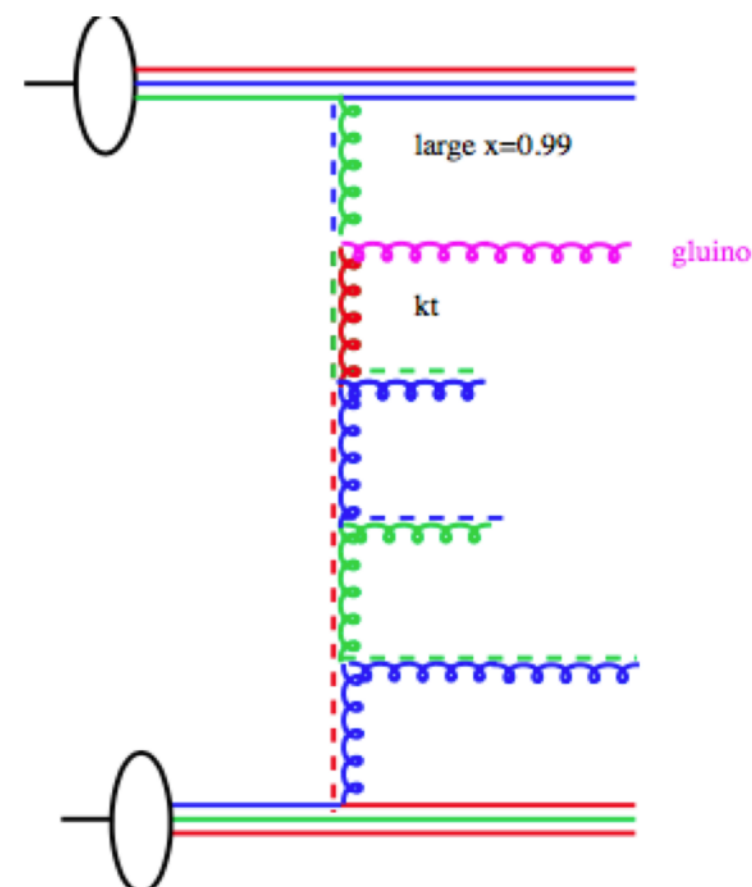
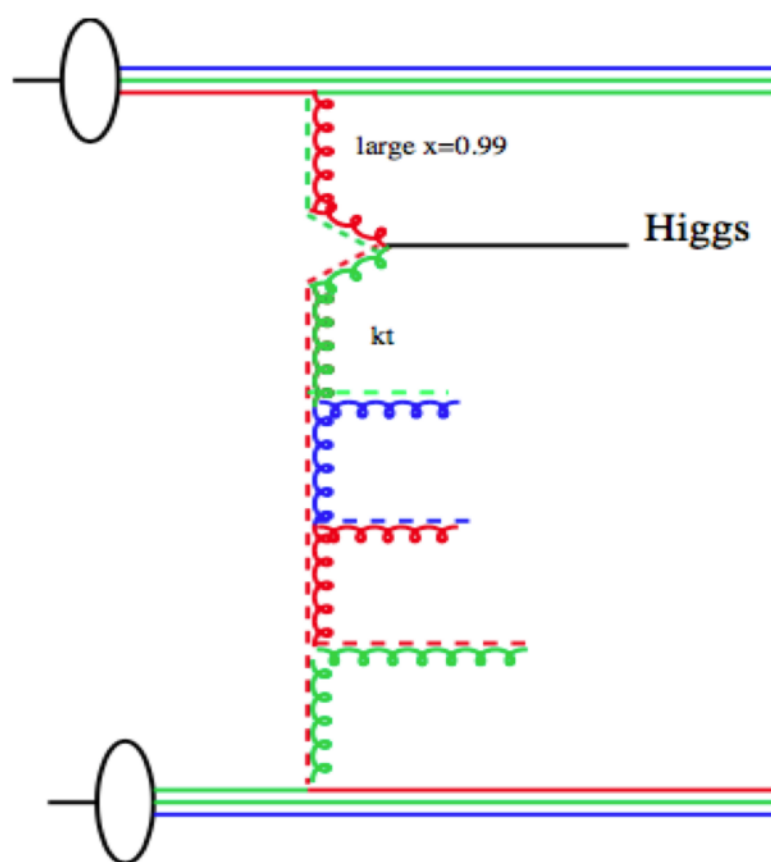
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- Goal: define TMD from MC parton shower generator
  - interest only in parton shower – NOT in hard process
  - define a simple “hard process”, from which one can easily calculate kinematics, just using 4-vectors:
    - $k_t$ ,  $x$  and  $\mu^2$

# TMD effects from MC parton shower generators

- Goal: define TMD from MC parton shower generator
  - Define a simple processes (for identifying hard probe after shower):
    - $gg \rightarrow H$  for a color singlet final state
    - $gg \rightarrow \tilde{g}$  for a **color octet** final state
  - do not rely on generator internal quantities, reconstruct  $k_t$  and  $x$  from 4-vector
  - fix  $x_1 = 0.99$  (no intrinsic  $k_t$ , no PS from parton 1), mass  $0.5 < m < 1000$  GeV

Idea Z. Nagy:  
study factorization  
breaking effects



# Studying intrinsic $k_t$ vers $x$ and definition of $x$

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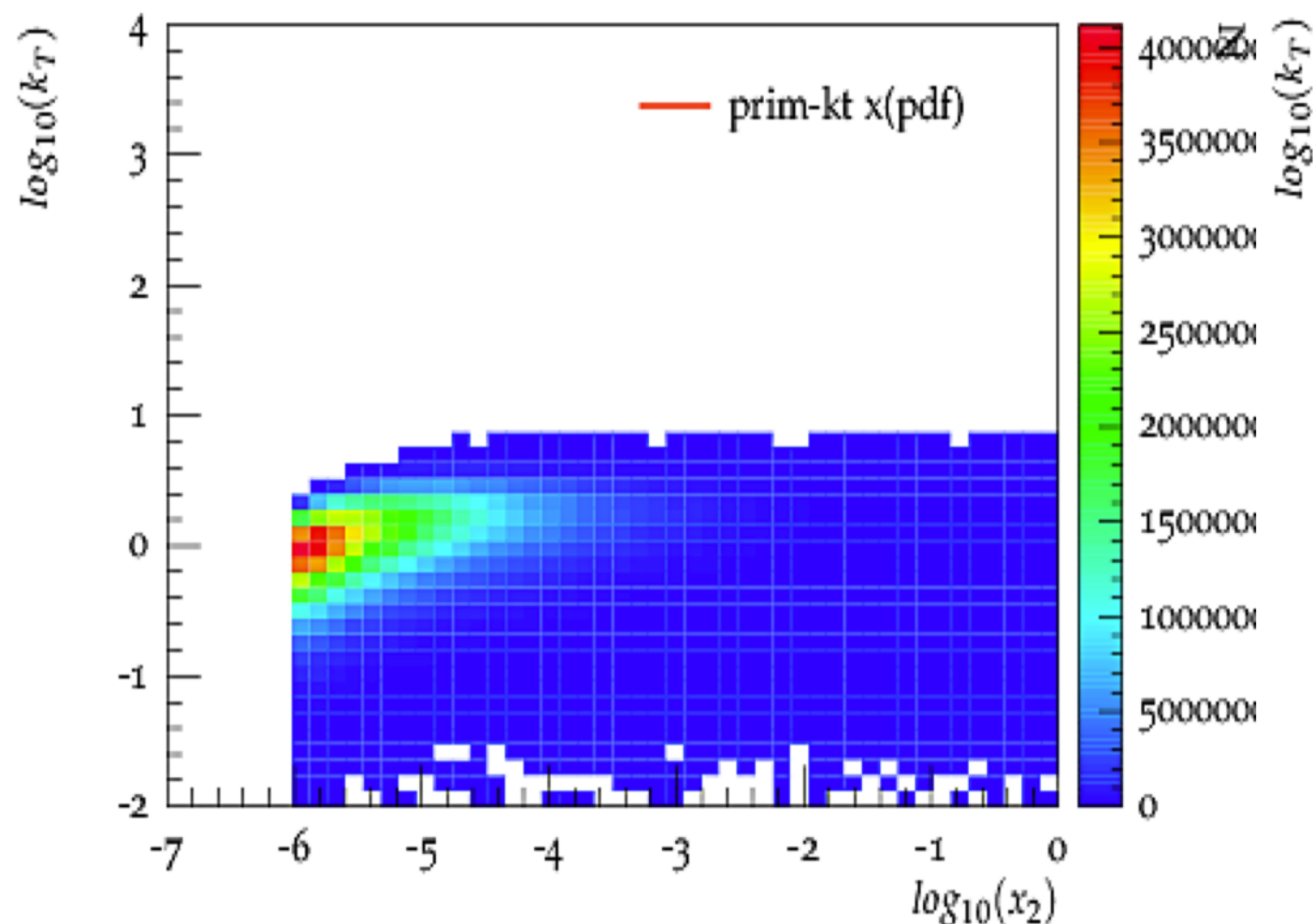
- from mass (or original pdf):

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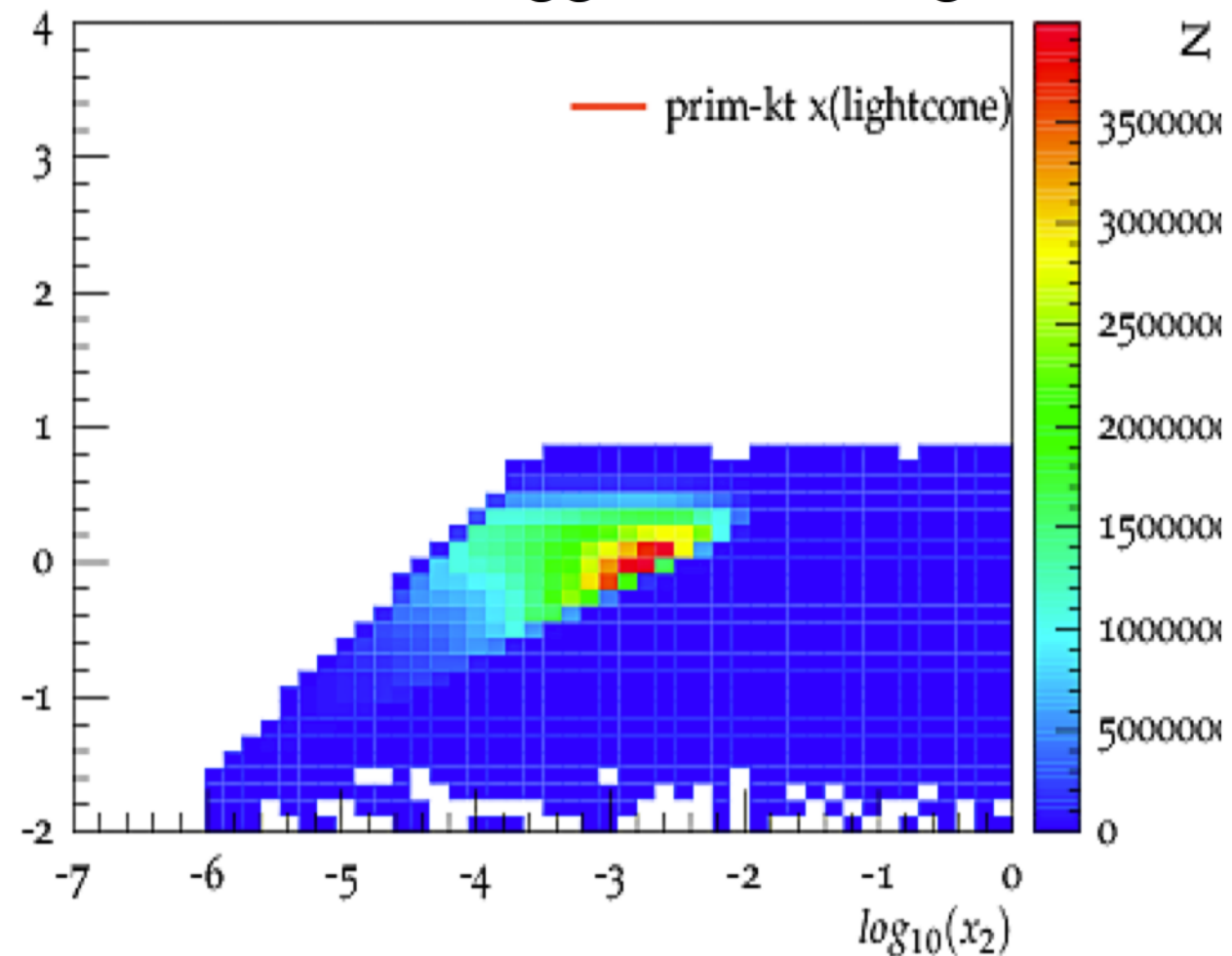
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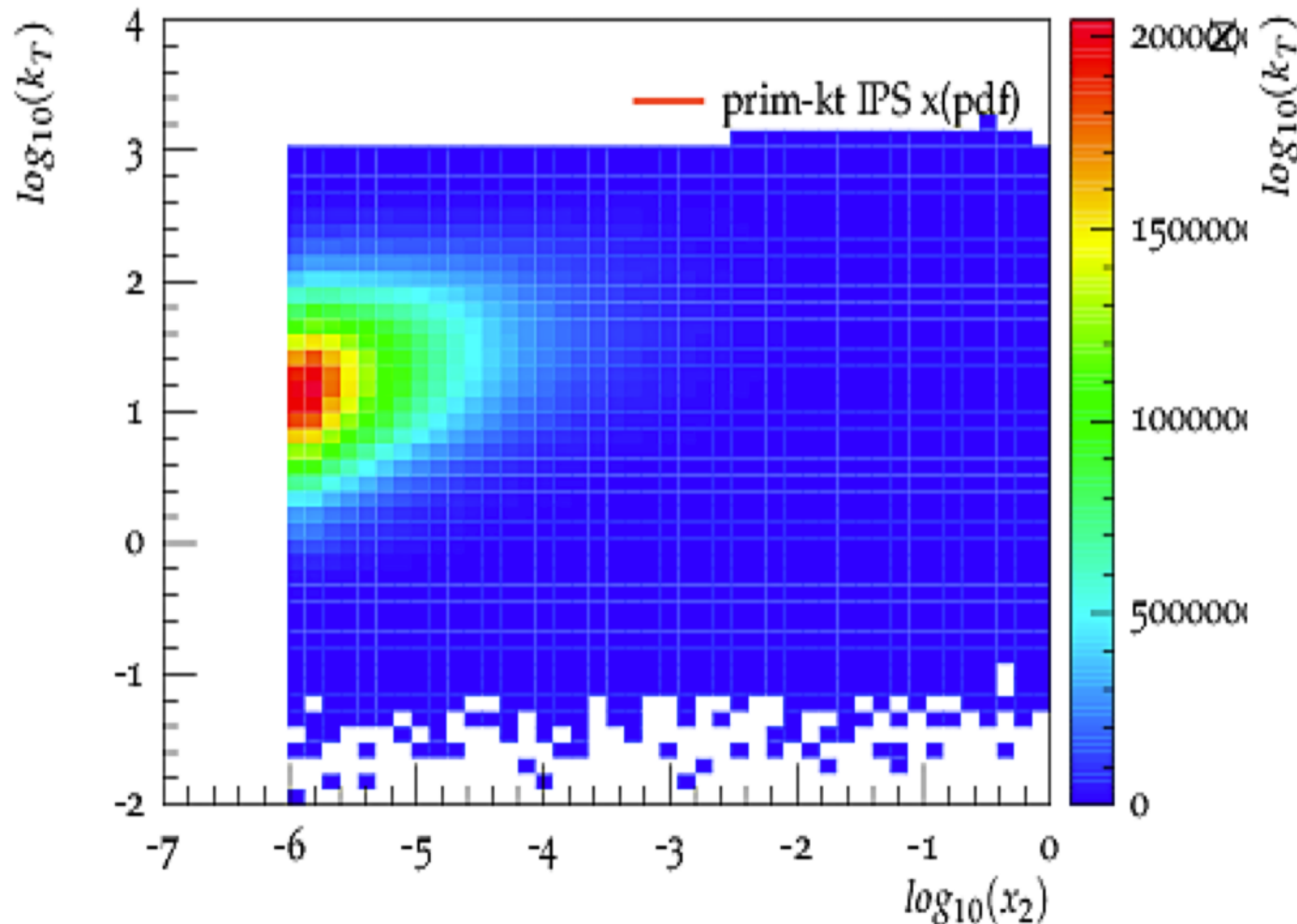
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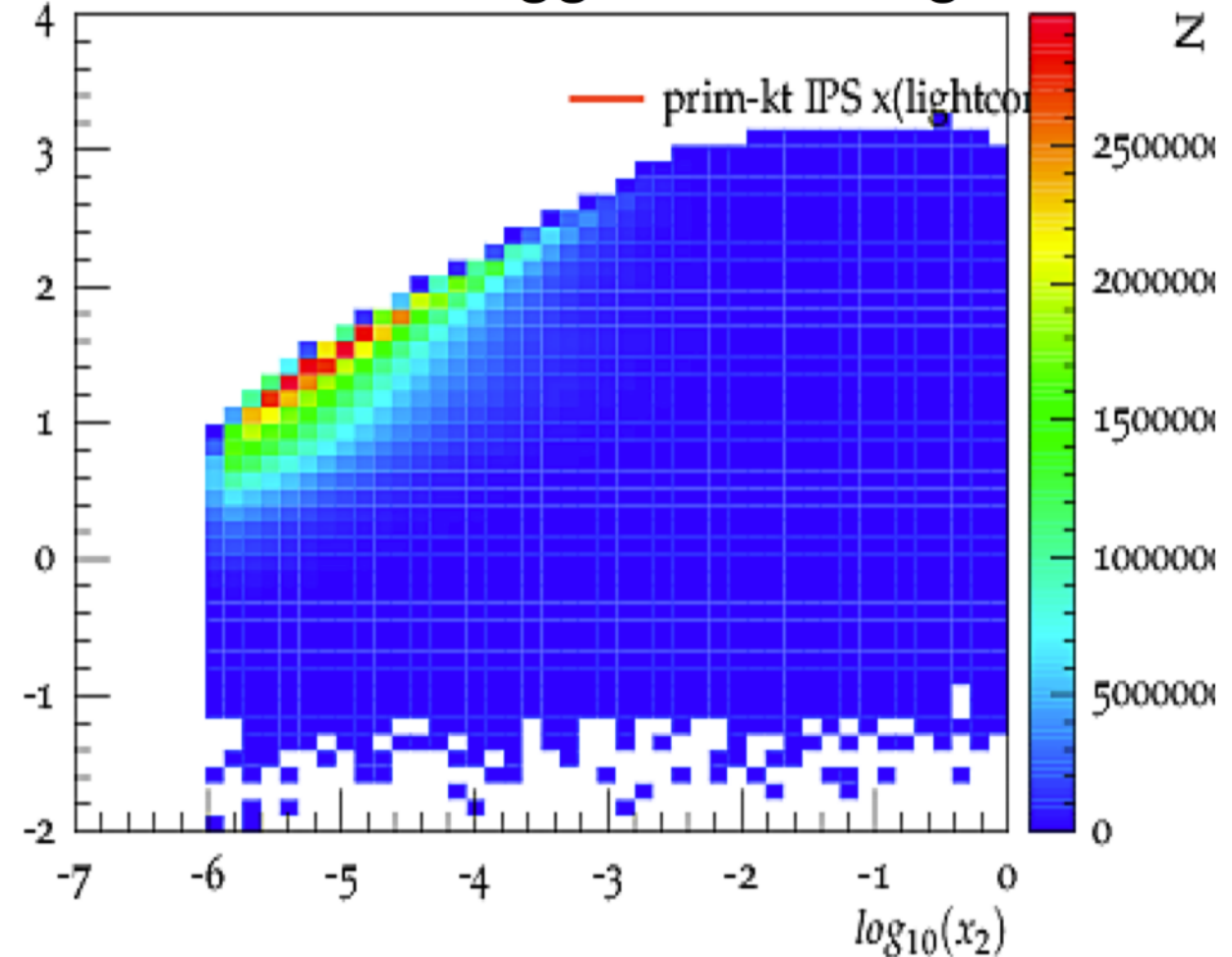
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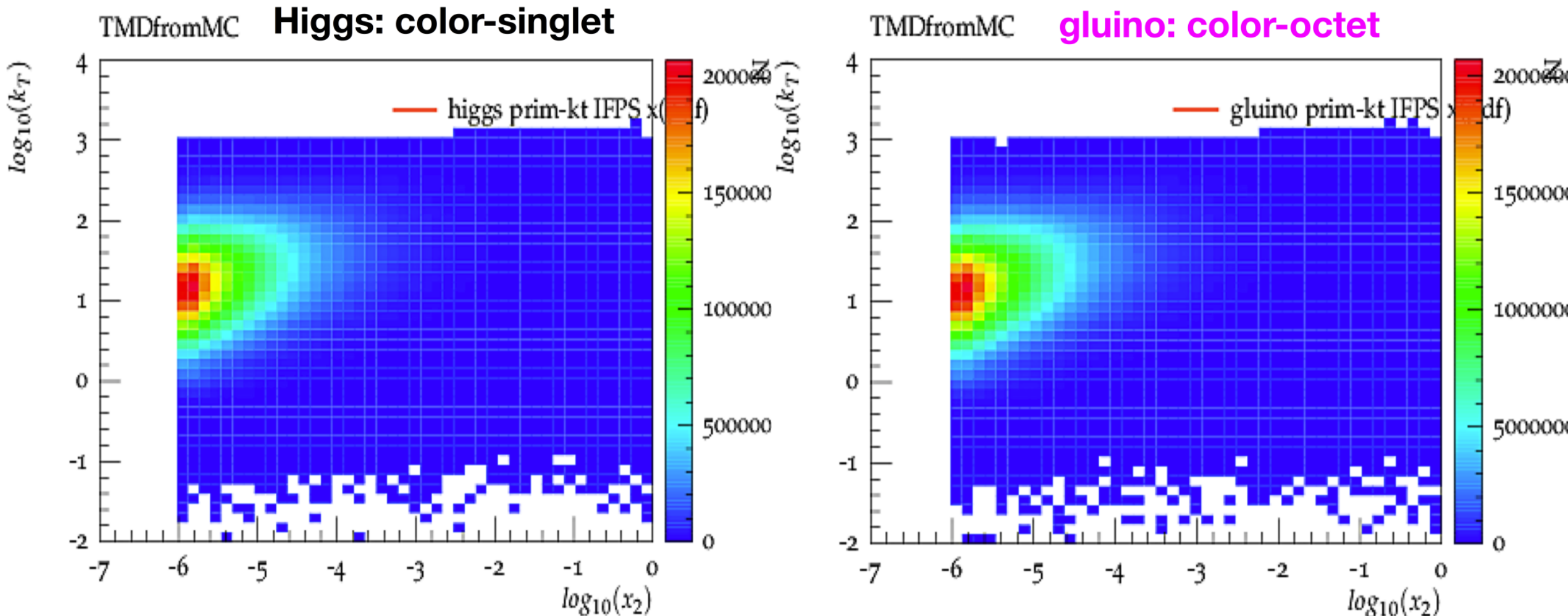
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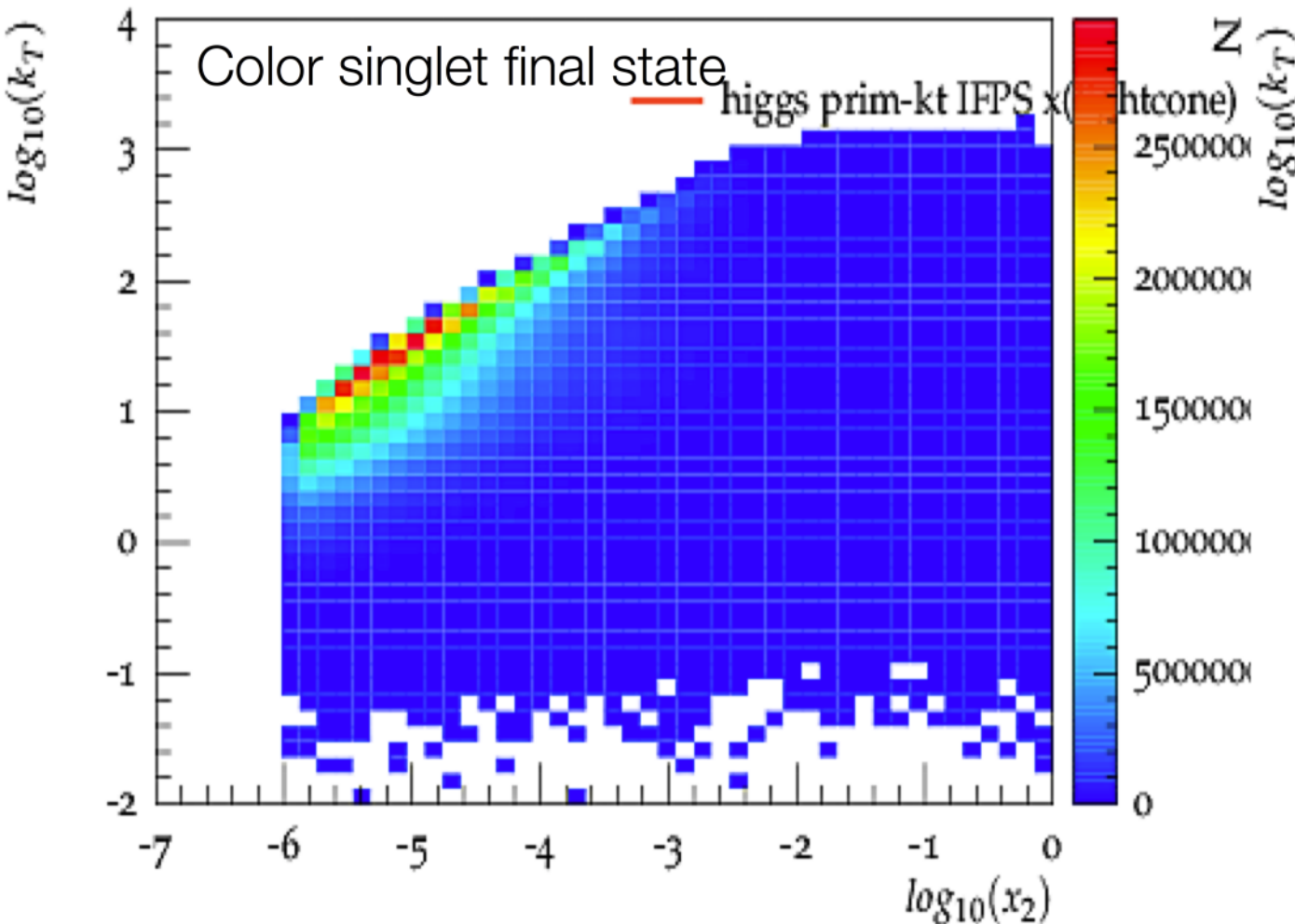
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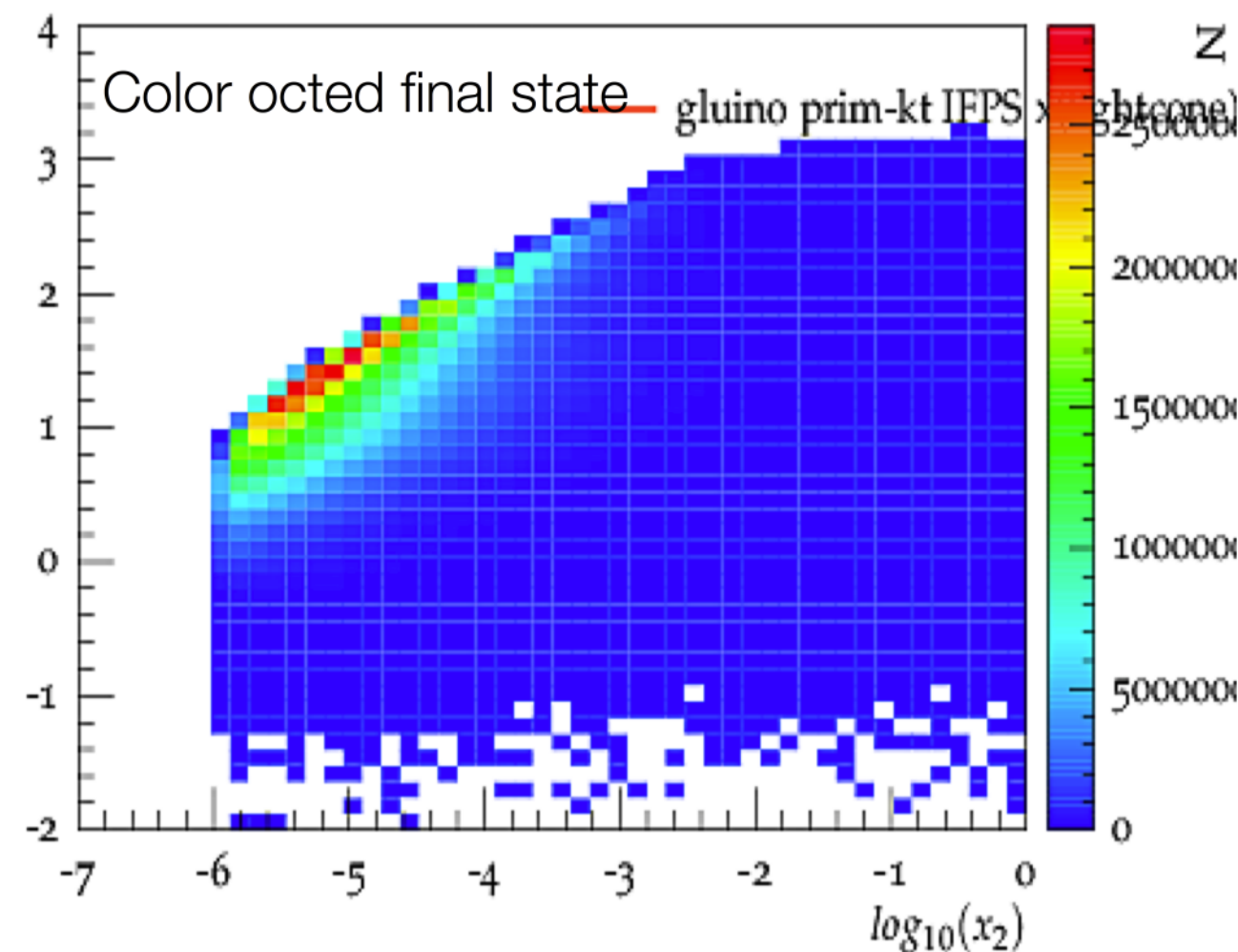
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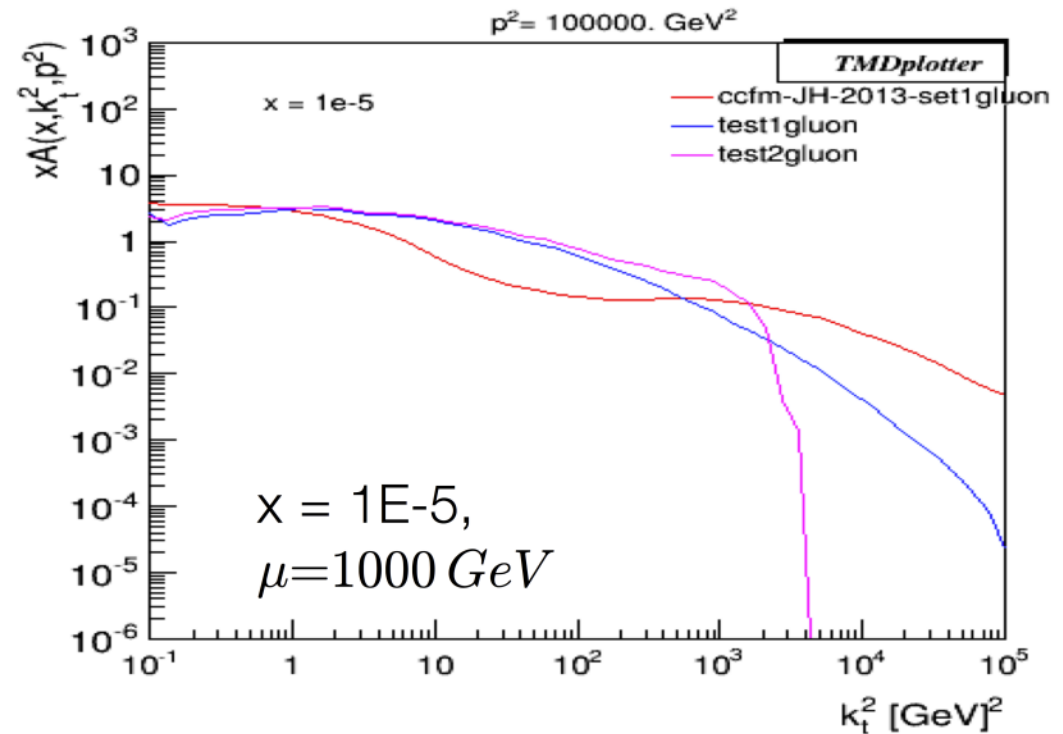
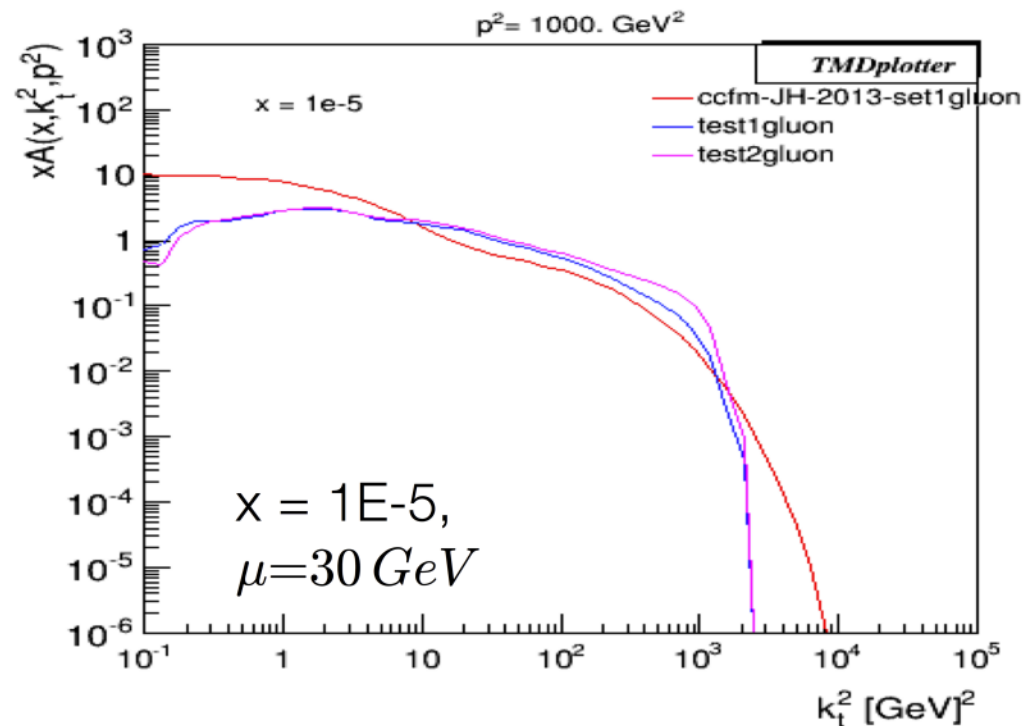
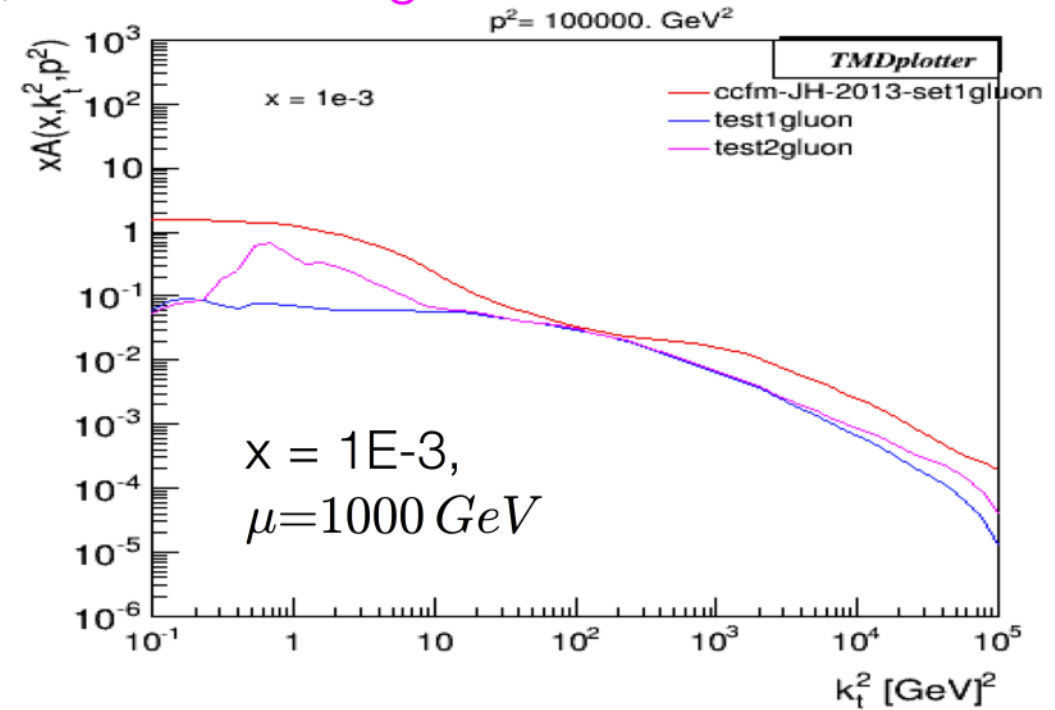
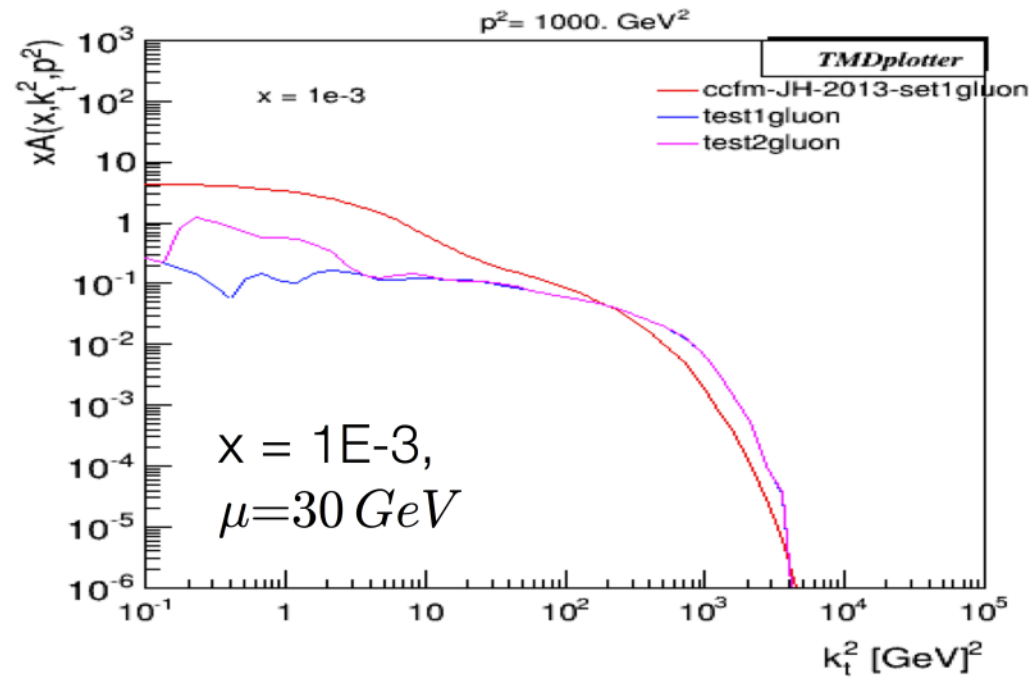
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- Use processes defined before (Higgs, gluino) to extract real TMD from MC:
  - determine quark and gluon TMDs (here only gluon is investigated)
  - compare with other TMDs (in TMDlib)



# TMDfromMC: initial parton shower TMD (PYTHIA8)

test1: x from mass , test2: x from lightcone



- Effect of x-defintion visible at large scales and small x !

# TMDfromMC: integrated

- Does one get back integrated pdf ?

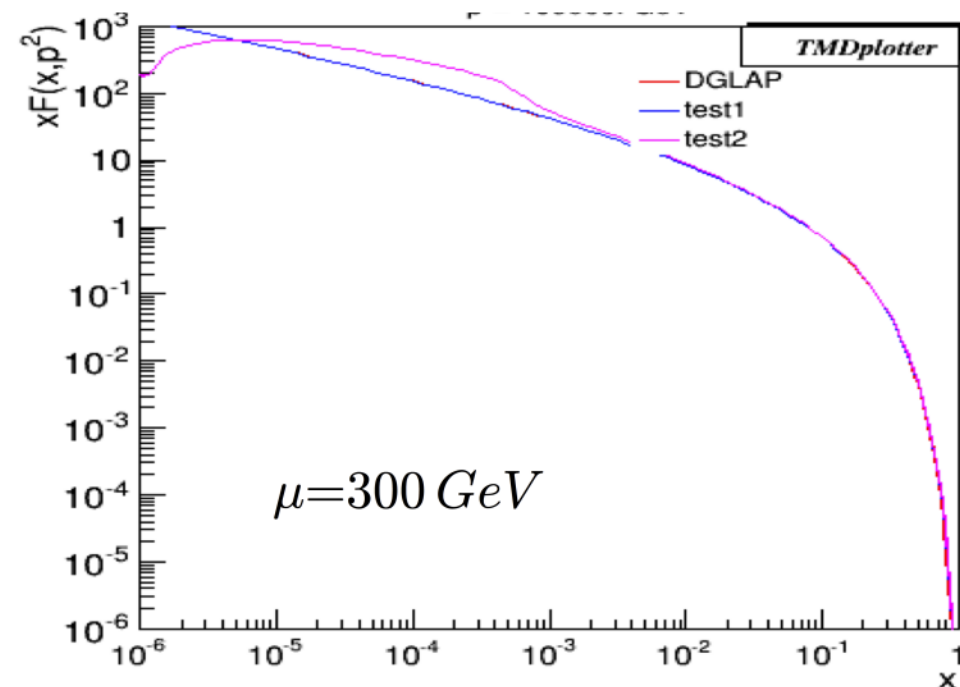
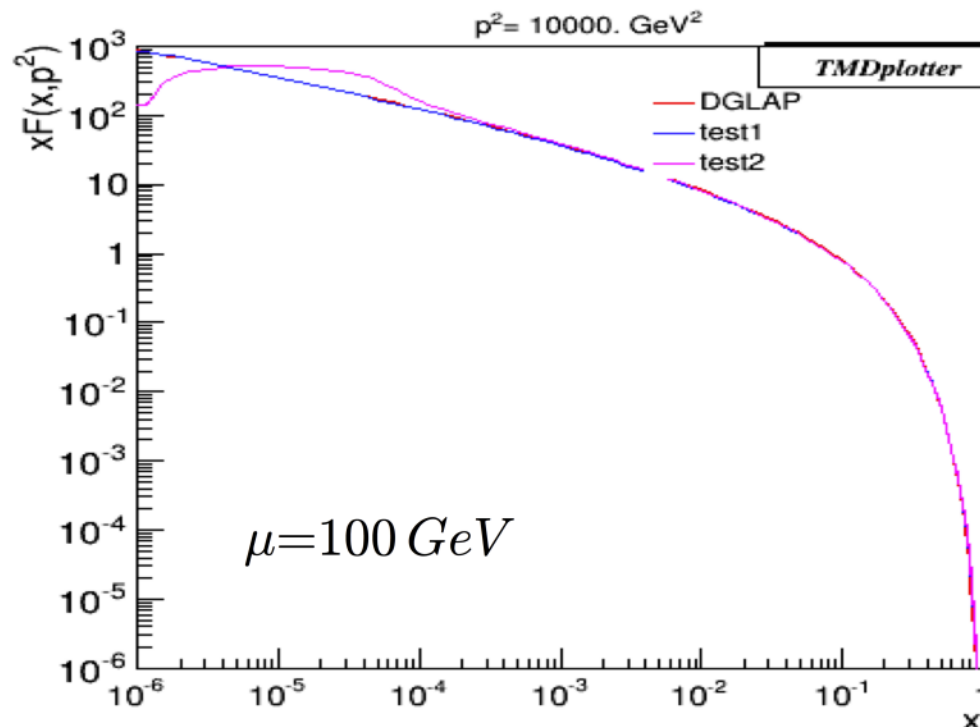
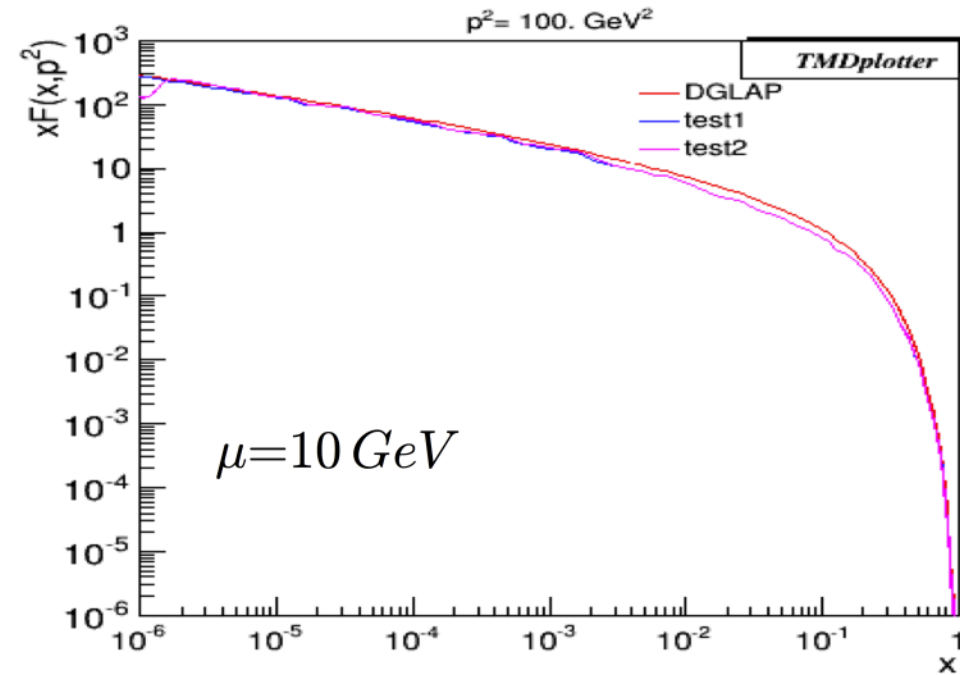
- using

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- but not

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- options for further studies:
  - study effect of PDF used in PS
  - study details of intrinsic  $k_t$
  - study effects on ordering – angular ordering, Q2 ordering etc in shower
  - study .....



# TMDfromMC: summary

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- TMD obtained from parton shower MC generators allow to study TMD effects of PS directly
  - Issues are definition of  $x$
  - transverse momentum effects can be very important, especially at small  $x$
- Study of PYTHIA 8 shows no difference between  $k_t$  distribution for IPS in color-singlet or color-octet final state
  - BUT: different generators might give different results:
    - herwig++ has color connection of initial-final state
    - SHERPA also
- TMDfromMC offers new possibilities:
  - direct comparison of parton shower between different approaches without complication of final state observables
  - allows to study “factorization” and “factorization-breaking” effects from MC generators
  - can be used also for any further calculation to treat kinematics correctly !
    - use in NLO – PS calculations using [TMDlib](#) with [TMDfromMC](#)