Correlations in multijet events in CMS at 13TeV

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Multijets correlations

- Testing ground for perturbative quantum chromodynamics (pQCD).
- Insight to resummation by means of Parton Showers.
- Interplay between Parton Showers and Matrix Elements.



Why to bother?

- Fixed order calculations to get partonic cross sections
- They're only reliable when all the scales are of the same order
- Resummation looks for an improved perturbative expansion
- It's done by Parton Showers in MC generators



Why to bother?

- High multiplicity partonic final state needed to get the tail

- Parton Showers and Matrix Elements interplay



Measurements of inclusive 2-jet, 3-jet and 4-jet azimuthal correlations in pp collisions at 13TeV

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Inclusive 2-jet cross section

 $\frac{1}{d\sigma}\frac{d\sigma}{d\Delta\phi_{1,2}}$

- Reconstruction with $anti-k_t4$
- Consider all jets up to |y|<5 and $p_T>100 {\it GeV}$
- Define n-jet event by requiring $|y_n| < 2.5$ for all n
- Region away from π is sensitive to hard radiation from Matrix Elements
- Region close to $\boldsymbol{\pi}$ is sensitive to resummed contributions from Parton Showers
- Overall description is achieved and understood over many orders of magnitud



Systematics

The main sources of systematics considered:

- Modelling of the true spectra
- $\Delta \phi$ resolution uncertainty
- Jet Energy Scale uncertainties
- Jet Energy Resolution uncertainties

Theory predictions

Matrix element generator	Simulated diagrams	PDF set	Tune
PYTHIA8.219	2→2 (LO)	NNPDF2.3LO	CUETP8M1
HERWIG++ 2.7.1	2→2 (LO)	CTEQ6L1	CUETHppS1
MADGRAPH5 2.3.3	2→2, 2→3, 2→4 (LO)	NNPDF2.3LO	CUETP8M1
+ PYTHIA8.219			
POWHEG	2→2, 2→3 (NLO)	NNPDF3.0nlo	CUETP8M1
+ PYTHIA8.219			
HERWIG7	2→2 (NLO)	MMHT2014	UE-MMHT

Inclusive 2-jet cross section

- MadGraph performs the best among the LO predictions
- Powheg 2J and 3J fail to describe the data
- Herwig7 (MC@NLO for matching to Parton Showers), formally NLO but effectively $2\rightarrow$ 3 LO, gives a good description
- MC@NLO method has advantages compared to the POWHEG method for this observable



Azimuthal angular correlations in back-to-back jets topologies

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 $\label{eq:constraint} \begin{array}{l} \text{CMS} \text{Experiment at LHC, CERN} \\ \text{Data recorded: Sun Aug 14 130.117 2016 CEST} \\ \text{RunFvent: 278820 / 21368498} \\ \text{Lumi section: 18} \\ \\ \text{Leading } p_{T} = 696 \text{GeV} \\ \text{Subleading } p_{T} = 694 \text{GeV} \\ \text{Leading } y = 0.23 \\ \\ \text{Subleading } y = 0.57 \end{array}$

 $\Delta \phi_{1,2} = 178.2^{\circ}$



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Previous measurement and motivation



- What is new?

- In the back to back region, sensitive to effects beyond finite order in perturbative expansion

- Detailed investigation of the region $(\Delta \phi \sim 180^\circ)$

- Testing the resummed predictions coming from different Parton Shower models

- Soft radiation interference and factorization breaking?



• Fixed-order predictions diverge towards 180° \rightarrow resummation needed

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Motivation



- A is a non-universal process dependent factor.
- Final and initial state soft radiation interference.
- Color-connections lead to azimuthal correlations.
- How significant are these corrections?

Dijet azimuthal correlations in inclusive 2-jets events

Linear scale

Log scale



 The normalized inclusive 2-jet cross section in linear scale (left) and in log scale, compared to predictions from Powheg-2J (right)

• As p_T^{max} increases the distributions become steeper.

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Dijet azimuthal correlations in inclusive 2-jets events

- MadGraph best, fails towards high p_T^{max}
- P8 and Herwig++ similar
- Differences of up to 10%

- Pythia8 and Herwig++ resum in the same way (only evolution variable differs)

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Dijet azimuthal correlations in inclusive 2-jets events

- MadGraph and Powheg 3J best
- Powheg 2J fails
- Biggest discrepancies in the last bin

- MadGraph and Powheg 3J, both go to up to $2 \rightarrow 4$ partons
- Powheg 2J is effectively 2→3 LO

Dijet azimuthal correlations in inclusive 3-jets events



- Two scale process by requiring at least a third jet with $p_{\mathcal{T}} > 30 \text{GeV}$

- MadGraph fails in up to 15%

- P8 and Herwig++ describe

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Dijet azimuthal correlations in inclusive 3-jets events



- MadGraph, Powheg 2J and Powheg 3J fail
- Powheg 2J and Powheg 3J similar

- Decorrelations in the 3-jets inclusive case are well described by partons coming from Parton Showers exclusively, whereas a mixture of partons from Parton Showers and Matrix Elements are not able to the set of the set

Summary and conclusions

- Angular correlations in inclusive multijet events were considered
- Systematic uncertainties from Jet Energy Scale, Jet Energy Resolution, model dependence and $\Delta\phi$ resolution

Multijet azimuthal angular correlations $@\sqrt{s} = 13 \text{TeV}$

- Overall description of the data is achieved and understood
- Although, differences of up 40% are reached
- Observations emphasize the need to improve predictions for multijet production Azimuthal angular correlations in back-to-back jets topologies

- Multi-leg final state MC Powheg 3J and Madgraph provide a good description of the data for 2-jet inclusive events

- They start to fail towards high p_T^{max}

- For 3-jet inclusive events, partons coming exclusively from Parton Showers describe the observed $\Delta\phi_{1,2}$, whereas the merged/matched results from Madgraph, Powheg2J and Powheg 3J don't

- In general, the predictions can not describe at the same time the 2-jet and 3-jet inclusive cross sections

- Further phenomenological and theoretical investigations (z.B TMDs, analytical resummation) are needed in order to understand the deviations

Thank you for your attention.

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Inclusive 2-jet, 3-jet and 4-jet cross sections



- Three and four jet events distributions are smoother close to $\boldsymbol{\pi}$ since exclusive 2-jet are discarded
- The distributions are strongly peaked at π and become steeper with increasing p_T^{max}
- Best description among LO generators coming from Madgraph, and from Herwig7 among the NLO generators

$$\frac{1}{d\sigma} \frac{d\sigma}{d\Delta \phi_{2J}^{min}}$$

- Minimum $\Delta\phi$ between any two of the n-jets
- Infrared safe observable
- Sensitive to correlations among subleading jets
- Distributions are close to be flat and decrease slowly at the right end
- Flatter left end due to finite cone size



- Pythia fails to describe
- Herwig++ performs well at high p_T^{max} (quantum correlations partially captured by angular ordering)
- Multileg generator Madgraph gives a good description

