

# Rebalance and smear: A Fake MET Primer

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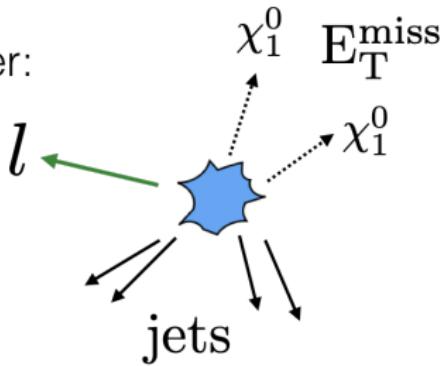
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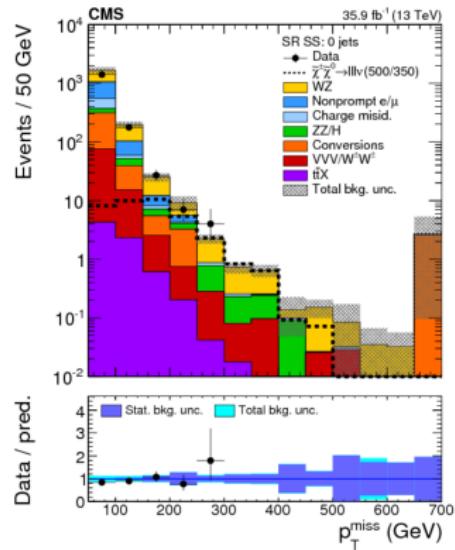
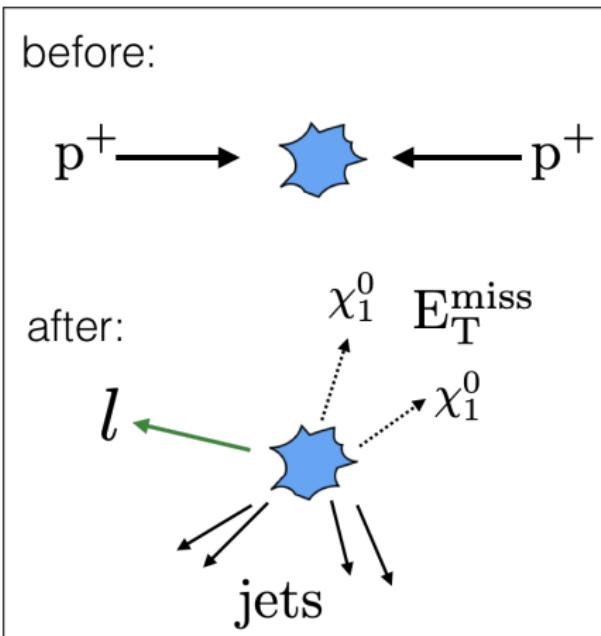


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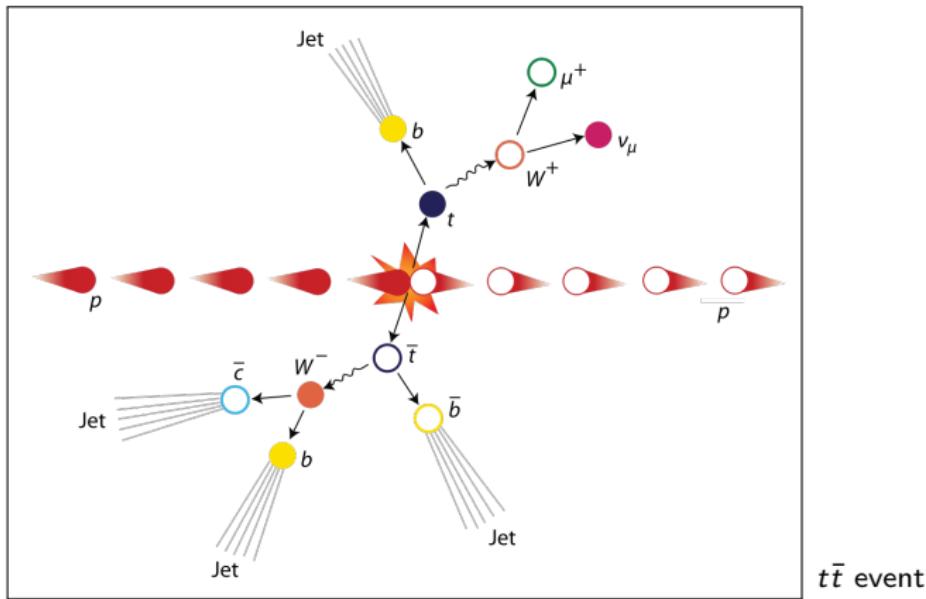
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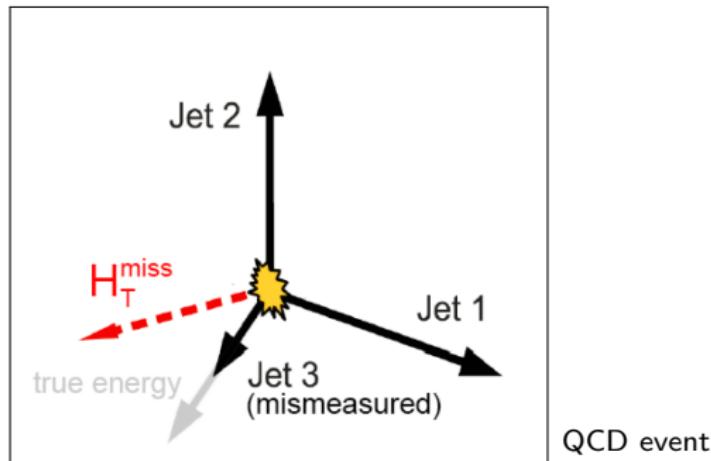
## “Real” MET

Real  $E_T^{\text{miss}}$  → is MET that comes from invisible particles (neutrinos)



# Fake MET

Fake  $E_T^{\text{miss}}$  → is MET that comes from jet energy mis-measurement

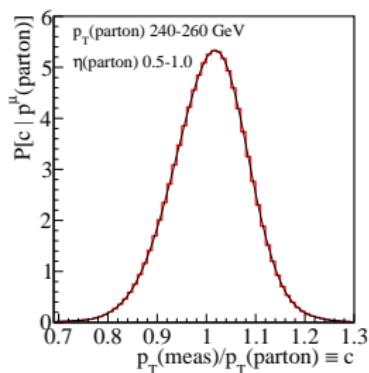
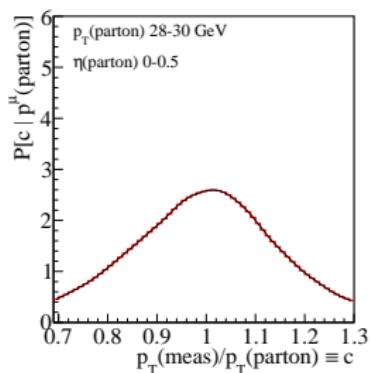


- Most LHC events are QCD
- Fake MET also comes from Drell-Yan and  $\gamma + \text{jets}$

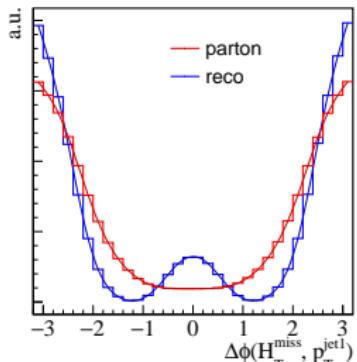
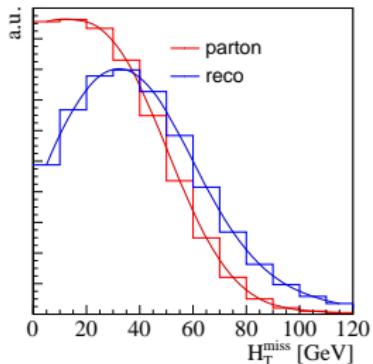
# Can we get back to the truth-level jets?

Rebalance the event (rescale the jets)  
by maximizing posterior density:

$$\mathcal{P}(\vec{\mathcal{J}}_{\text{true}} | \vec{\mathcal{J}}_{\text{meas}}) \sim \mathcal{P}(\vec{\mathcal{J}}_{\text{meas}} | \vec{\mathcal{J}}_{\text{true}}) \pi(H_{T,\text{true}}^{\text{miss}}, \Delta\phi_{j(b), H_T^{\text{miss}}}^{\text{true}})$$



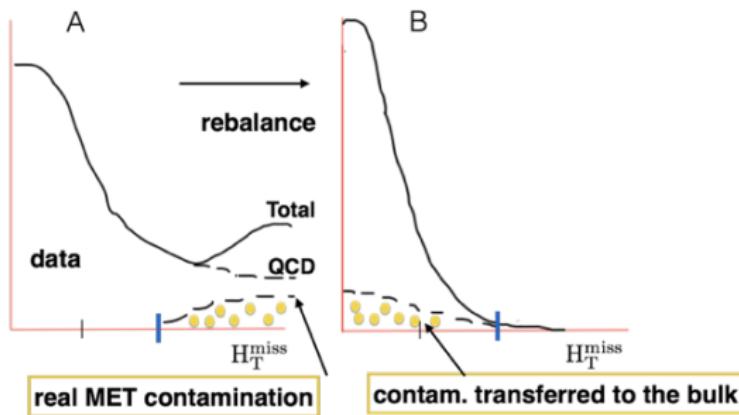
jet responses functions obtained from simulation that has been corrected by  
data/MC jet energy resolution scale factors (see Marek's thesis)



GEN-level MHT quantities

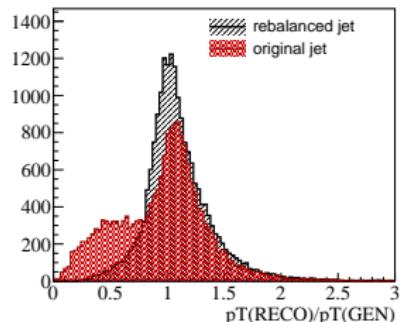
# Rebalancing “restores” jet $p_T$

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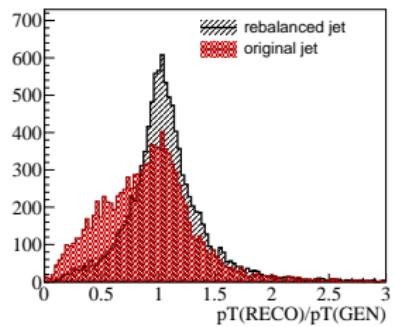


- (right) looking at jets in simulated QCD events with  $H_T^{\text{miss}} > 120$  GeV
- rebalancing improves the JER, recovers missing energy

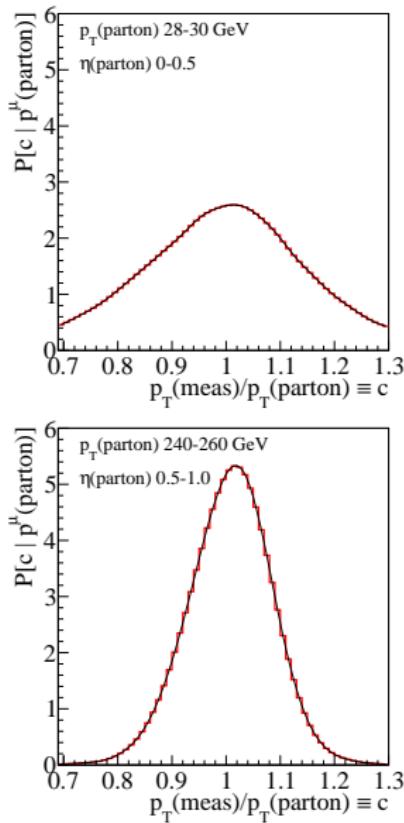
lead jet resolution



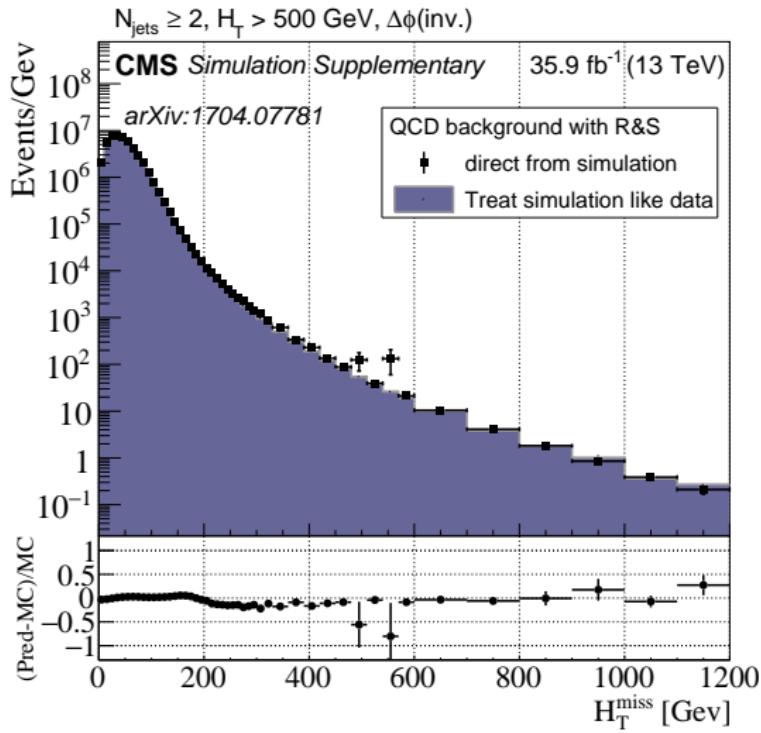
second jet resolution



# Smear jets to arrive at detector-level sample

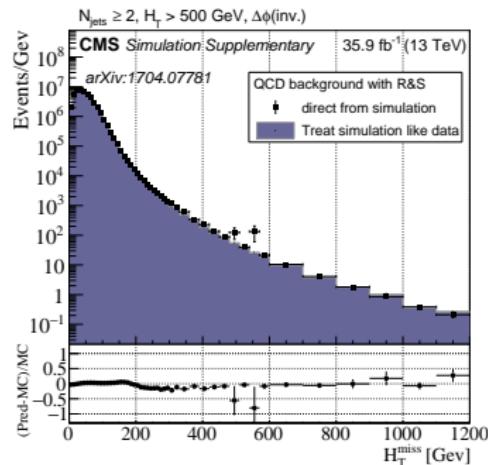


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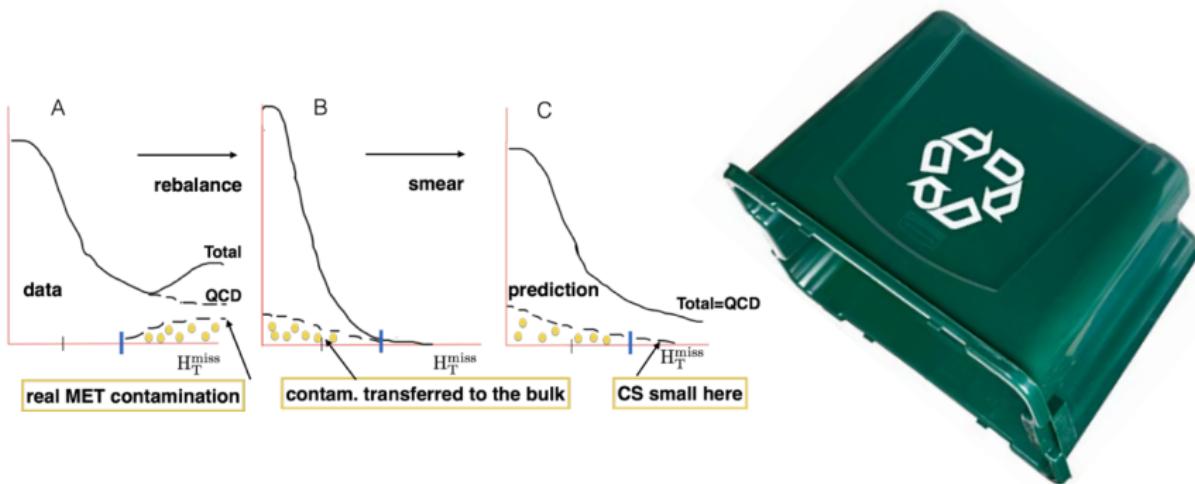


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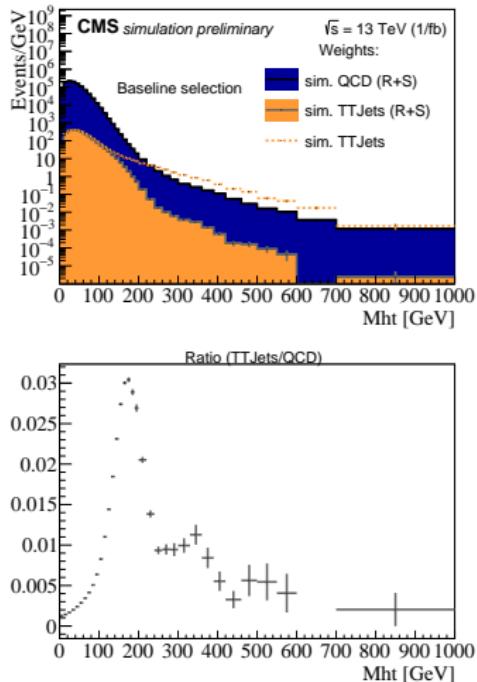


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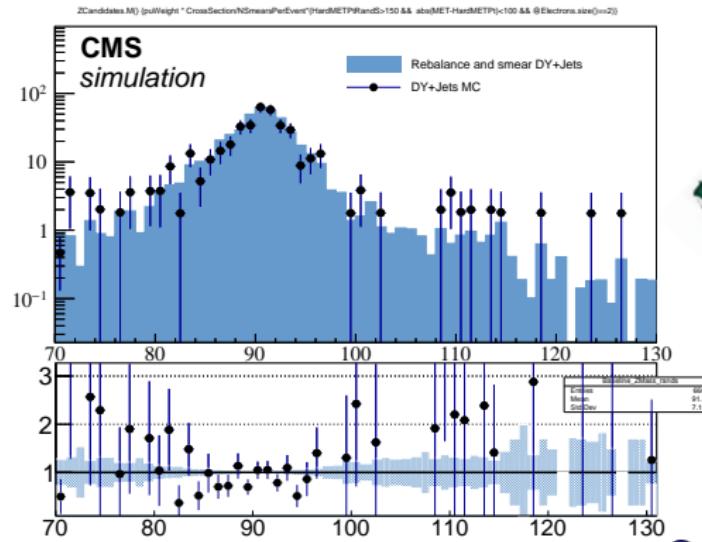
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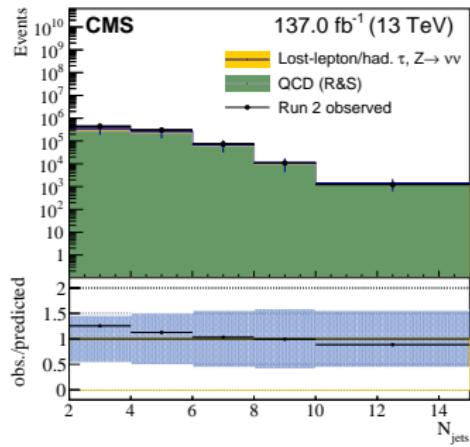
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- ③ it's performed in real data, so good fidelity w.r.t. jet multiplicity, other

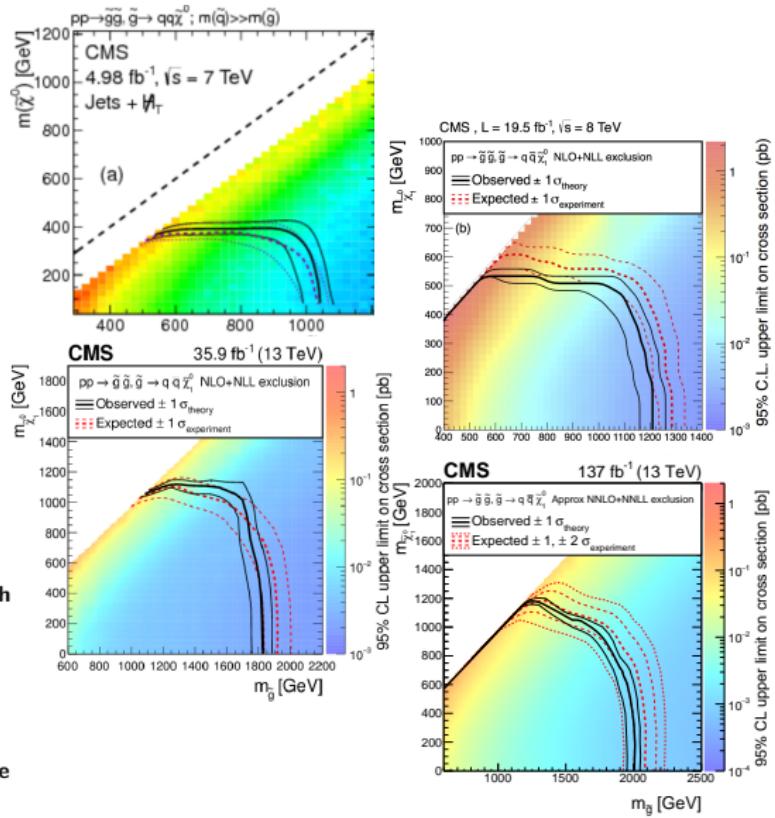
# History of R&S

- Sue Ann Koay - *[link to dissertation](#)*
- Christian Sander - *[link to talk](#)*
- Christian Auterman - *[Hamburg talk](#)*
- Sam Bein - *[link to dissertation](#)*
- Marek Niedziela - *[link to dissertation](#)*



# History of R&S (part 2)

- published in Ra2/b analyses
- generic search in final states with:
  - $H_T^{miss} > 250 \text{ GeV}$
  - $n_{jet} > 1$
  - $n_{lepton} == 0$
- Search for New Physics in the Multijet and Missing Transverse Momentum Final State in Proton-Proton Collisions at  $\sqrt{s}=7 \text{ TeV}$  - CMS Collaboration Phys.Rev.Lett. 109 (2012) 171803
- Search for new physics in the multijet and missing transverse momentum final state in proton-proton collisions at  $\sqrt{s}=8 \text{ TeV}$  - CMS Collaboration - JHEP 1406 (2014) 055
- Search for supersymmetry in multijet events with missing transverse momentum in proton-proton collisions at 13 TeV - CMS Collaboration Phys. Rev. D 96, 032003 (35  $\text{fb}^{-1}$ )
- Search for supersymmetry in proton-proton collisions at 13 TeV using  $137 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  of data in final states with jets and large missing transverse momentum - CMS Collaboration SUS-19-006



# Expanding horizons?

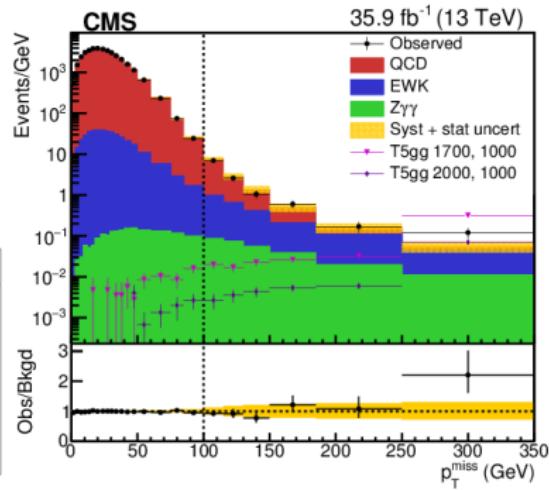
A look at a recent photon+jet search:

**Search for supersymmetry in final states with photons and missing transverse momentum in proton-proton collisions at 13 TeV - CMS Collaboration, 10.1007/JHEP06(2019)143**

main analysis selection:

- $E_T^{\text{miss}} > 120 \text{ GeV}$
- $n_\gamma = 2$  (loose photons),  $p_T > 75 \text{ GeV}$
- binning in  $E_T^{\text{miss}}$

$p_T^{\text{miss}}$ bin (GeV)	QCD	EWK	$Z\gamma\gamma$	Total background	Observed
100 – 115	$99 \pm 12$	$13.7 \pm 4.2$	$1.3 \pm 0.6$	$114 \pm 13$	105
115 – 130	$32.8^{+7.0}_{-6.7}$	$9.0 \pm 2.7$	$1.1 \pm 0.6$	$42.9^{+7.5}_{-7.3}$	39
130 – 150	$18.8^{+5.1}_{-4.9}$	$7.4 \pm 2.3$	$1.1 \pm 0.6$	$27.3^{+5.6}_{-5.4}$	21
150 – 185	$9.9^{+3.6}_{-3.4}$	$6.1 \pm 1.9$	$1.3 \pm 0.7$	$17.4^{+4.1}_{-3.9}$	21
185 – 250	$3.1^{+1.9}_{-1.7}$	$5.8 \pm 1.8$	$1.3 \pm 0.6$	$10.2^{+2.7}_{-2.6}$	11
$\geq 250$	$1.0^{+1.1}_{-0.9}$	$3.3 \pm 1.1$	$1.1 \pm 0.6$	$5.4^{+1.6}_{-1.5}$	12



→ largest uncertainty from QCD - can R&S be used as to reduce this or cross check?

# First try at R&S with photons

Looking into 1 photon, 2-photon +  $E_T^{miss}$  in  $\gamma + jets$  simulation

→ simplified selection selection:

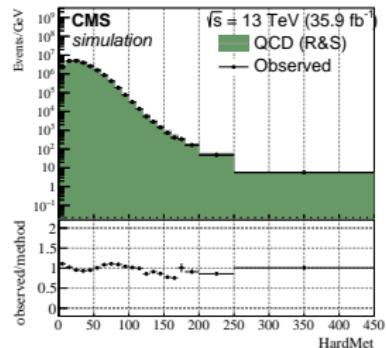
- $E_T^{miss} > 120 \text{ GeV}$
- $n_\gamma = 1, 2 (loose photons),  $p_T > 75 \text{ GeV}$$
- a few questionable filters

Modified posterior:

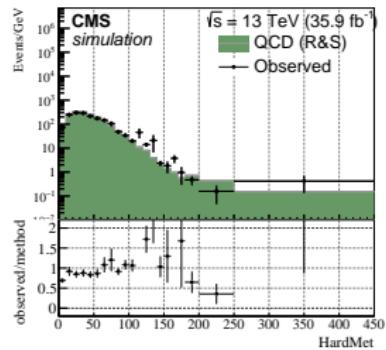
- use same prior and likelihood response templates as before
- freeze photon 4-vectors in the rebalancing and smearing
- rebalance and smear hadronic objects only

→ some non-closure is evident up to the 25% level

1-photon



2-photon



# Summary

- exciting new opportunities in the field of fake MET
- photon+jet final states
- Drell-Yan final states?
- potential to produce rebalance+smeared ntuples which could be used by a wider user base
- potential to look into how well R&S models new observables

