

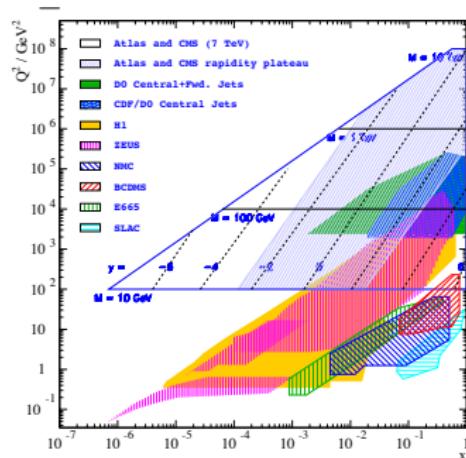
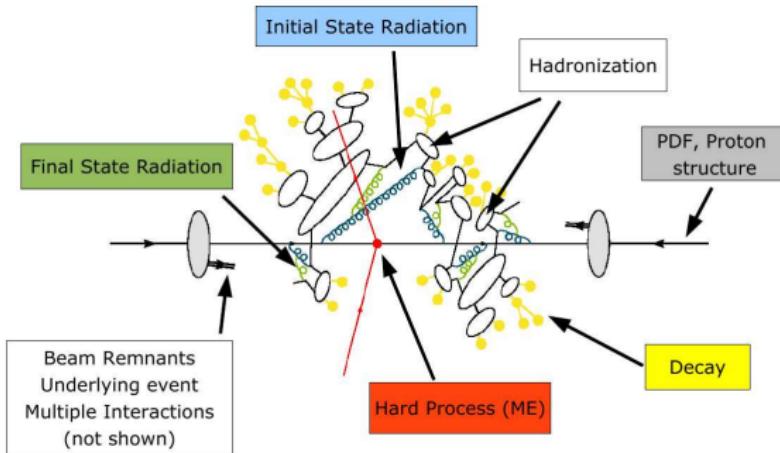
APPLgrid news

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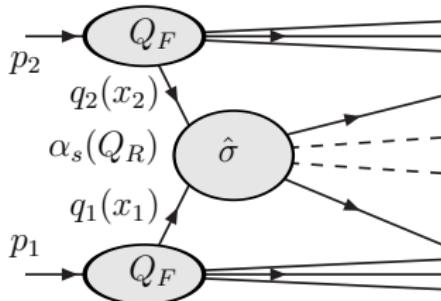
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Proton-proton collision



- hard scattering can be calculated to NLO(NNLO) precision
- description of showers and non-perturbative effects comes from MC
- PDFs and strong coupling are determined from precision data (LEP, HERA, TEVATRON, ...).

N^x LO QCD cross section



$$\frac{d\sigma}{dX} \sim \sum_{(i,j,p)} \int d\Gamma \alpha_s^p(Q_R^2) q_i(x_1, Q_F^2) q_j(x_2, Q_F^2) \frac{d\hat{\sigma}_{(p)}^{ij}}{dX}(x_1, x_2, Q_F^2, Q_R^2; S)$$

- Coupling and parton density functions are non-perturbative inputs to calculation (extracted from data)
- Perturbative coefficients are essentially independent from PDF functions due to factorization theorem

Calculating NLO cross-sections
takes a long time (\sim days/weeks/months)

\implies we can split calculation into two parts

- Step 1 (long run): Collect perturbative weights to grids .
 - ▶ binning
 - ▶ interpolation
 - ▶ initial flavours decomposition : $13 \times 13 \rightarrow \mathcal{L}$
($\mathcal{L} \sim 10$)

$$\frac{d\hat{\sigma}_{(p)}^{ij}}{dX}(x_1, x_2, Q_F^2, Q_R^2; S) \xrightarrow{3D-grid} w^{(p)(l)}(x_1^m, x_2^n, Q^{2k}) (Q_R^2 \equiv Q_F^2)$$

- Step 2 ($\sim 10\text{--}100$ ms): Convolute grid with PDF's .
 - ▶ integral \rightarrow sum
 - ▶ any coupling, PDF

Details of the method (I)

Interpolation

- user defined interpolation orders n_y, n_τ

$$f(x, Q^2) = \sum_{i=0}^{n_y} \sum_{\iota=0}^{n_\tau} f_{k+i, \kappa+\iota} I_i^{(n)} \left(\frac{y(x)}{\delta y} - k \right) I_\iota^{(n')} \left(\frac{\tau(Q^2)}{\delta \tau} - \kappa \right)$$

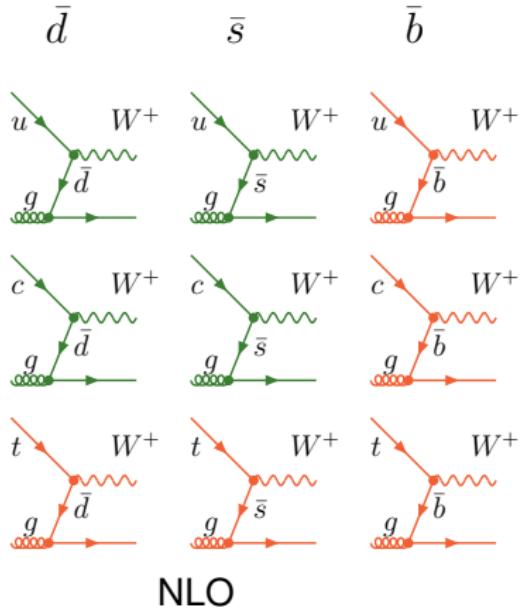
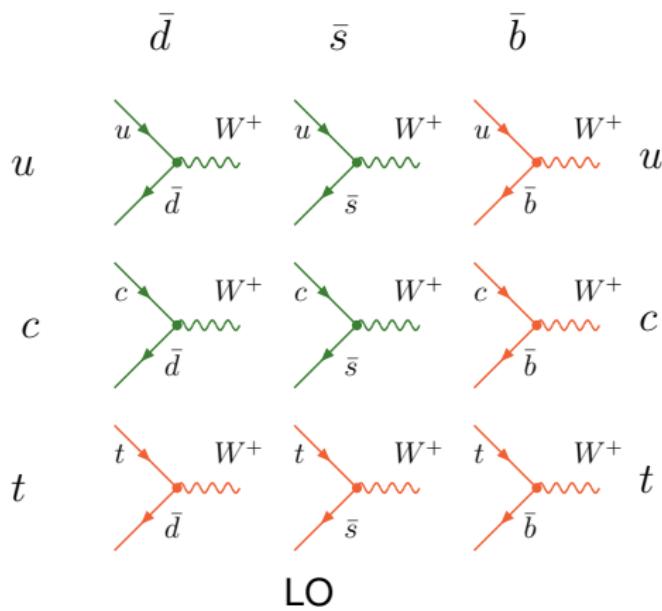
Subprocess decomposition

$13 \times 13 \rightarrow \mathcal{L}$ due to the symmetries of the ME weights

$$\sum_{m,n} \nu_{mn}^{(I)} f_{m/H_1}(x_1, Q^2) f_{n/H_2}(x_2, Q^2) \equiv F^{(I)}(x_1, x_2, Q^2),$$

“generalised” PDFs depend on the process and the perturbative order

APPLGRID subprocesses for W^\pm production (I)



APPLGRID subprocesses for W^\pm production (II)

The weights for W^+ -production can be organized in six possible initial state combinations (calculated using MCFM)

$$\bar{D}U : \quad F^{(0)}(x_1, x_2, Q^2) = \sum_{j=1,3,5} f_{-j/H_1}(x_1) \sum_{i=2,4,6} f_{i/H_2}(x_2) V_{ij}^2$$

$$U\bar{D} : \quad F^{(1)}(x_1, x_2, Q^2) = \sum_{i=2,4,6} f_{i/H_1}(x_1) \sum_{j=1,3,5} f_{-j/H_2}(x_2) V_{ij}^2$$

$$\bar{D}g : \quad F^{(2)}(x_1, x_2, Q^2) = \sum_{i=1,3,5} f_{-i/H_1}(x_1) (V_{iu}^2 + V_{ic}^2 + V_{it}^2) f_{0/H_2}(x_2)$$

$$Ug : \quad F^{(3)}(x_1, x_2, Q^2) = \sum_{i=2,4,6} f_{i/H_1}(x_1) (V_{id}^2 + V_{is}^2 + V_{ib}^2) f_{0/H_2}(x_2)$$

$$g\bar{D} : \quad F^{(4)}(x_1, x_2, Q^2) = \sum_{i=1,3,5} f_{0/H_1}(x_1) (V_{iu}^2 + V_{ic}^2 + V_{it}^2) f_{-i/H_2}(x_2)$$

$$gU : \quad F^{(5)}(x_1, x_2, Q^2) = \sum_{i=2,4,6} f_{0/H_1}(x_1) (V_{id}^2 + V_{is}^2 + V_{ib}^2) f_{i/H_2}(x_2)$$

We separate $u\bar{d}$ from $\bar{d}u$ in order to get the right rapidity distribution for the electron,

because of the chiral nature of the W^\pm couplings

APPLGRID subprocesses for Z^0 production

We can introduce 12 sub-processes in Z production (calculated using MCFM)

$$U\bar{U} : F^{(0)}(x_1, x_2, Q^2) = U_{12}(x_1, x_2)$$

$$D\bar{D} : F^{(1)}(x_1, x_2, Q^2) = D_{12}(x_1, x_2)$$

$$\bar{U}U : F^{(2)}(x_1, x_2, Q^2) = \bar{U}_{21}(x_1, x_2)$$

$$\bar{D}D : F^{(3)}(x_1, x_2, Q^2) = \bar{D}_{21}(x_1, x_2)$$

$$gU : F^{(4)}(x_1, x_2, Q^2) = G_1(x_1)U_2(x_2)$$

$$g\bar{U} : F^{(5)}(x_1, x_2, Q^2) = G_1(x_1)\bar{U}_2(x_2)$$

$$gD : F^{(6)}(x_1, x_2, Q^2) = G_1(x_1)D_2(x_2)$$

$$g\bar{D} : F^{(7)}(x_1, x_2, Q^2) = G_1(x_1)\bar{D}_2(x_2)$$

$$Ug : F^{(8)}(x_1, x_2, Q^2) = U_1(x_1)G_2(x_2)$$

$$\bar{U}g : F^{(9)}(x_1, x_2, Q^2) = \bar{U}_1(x_1)G_2(x_2)$$

$$Dg : F^{(10)}(x_1, x_2, Q^2) = D_1(x_1)G_2(x_2)$$

$$\bar{D}g : F^{(11)}(x_1, x_2, Q^2) = \bar{D}_1(x_1)G_2(x_2)$$

We separate $u\bar{u}$ from $\bar{u}u$
contributions to include
 γ/Z interference

APPLGRID subprocesses for Z^0 production II

Use is made of the generalised PDFs defined as:

$$U_H(x) = \sum_{i=2,4,6} f_{i/H}(x, Q^2), \quad \overline{U}_H(x) = \sum_{i=2,4,6} f_{-i/H}(x, Q^2),$$

$$D_H(x) = \sum_{i=1,3,5} f_{i/H}(x, Q^2), \quad \overline{D}_H(x) = \sum_{i=1,3,5} f_{-i/H}(x, Q^2),$$

$$U_{12}(x_1, x_2) = \sum_{i=2,4,6} f_{i/H_1}(x_1, Q^2) f_{-i/H_2}(x_2, Q^2),$$

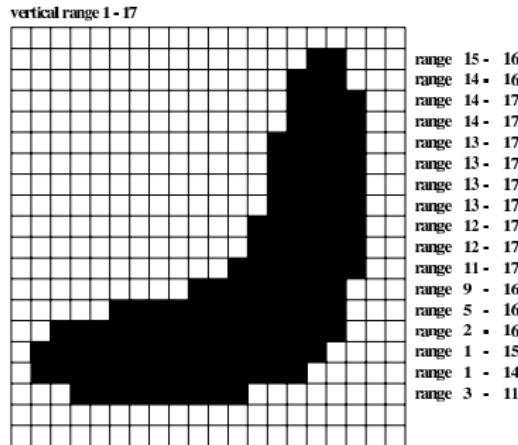
$$D_{12}(x_1, x_2) = \sum_{i=1,3,5} f_{i/H_1}(x_1, Q^2) f_{-i/H_2}(x_2, Q^2),$$

$$U_{21}(x_1, x_2) = \sum_{i=2,4,6} f_{-i/H_1}(x_1, Q^2) f_{i/H_2}(x_2, Q^2),$$

$$D_{21}(x_1, x_2) = \sum_{i=1,3,5} f_{-i/H_1}(x_1, Q^2) f_{i/H_2}(x_2, Q^2),$$

Details of the method (II)

Phasespace optimisation



User just defines max/min possible values of x , Q^2 . The optimisation procedure finds appropriate limits for each subprocess/order/observable bin.

← $x_1 x_2$ – phasespace

Final result

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dX} = \sum_p \sum_{l=0}^L \sum_{m,n,k} w_{m,n,k}^{(p)(l)} \left(\frac{\alpha_s(Q_k^2)}{2\pi} \right)^{p_l} F^{(l)}(x_{1m}, x_{2n}, Q_k^2)$$

Scale dependence

Having the weights $w_{m,n,k}^{(p)(l)}$ determined separately order by order in α_s , it is straightforward to vary the renormalisation μ_R and factorisation μ_F scales a posteriori.

We assume scales to be equal

$$\mu_R = \mu_F = Q$$

in the original calculation.

Introducing ξ_R and ξ_F corresponding to the factors by which one varies μ_R and μ_F respectively,

$$\mu_R = \xi_R \times Q$$

$$\mu_F = \xi_F \times Q$$

Master formula and Scale dependence at NLO

Then for arbitrary ξ_R and ξ_F we may write:

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dX} (\xi_R, \xi_F) = \sum_{l=0}^L \sum_m \sum_n \sum_k \left\{ \left(\frac{\alpha_s(\xi_R^2 Q^2 k)}{2\pi} \right)^{p_{\text{LO}}} \times W_{m,n,k}^{(\text{LO})(l)} F^{(l)}(x_{1m}, x_{1n}, \xi_F^2 Q^2 k) + \left(\frac{\alpha_s(\xi_R^2 Q^2 k)}{2\pi} \right)^{p_{\text{NLO}}} \times \left[\left(W_{m,n,k}^{(\text{NLO})(l)} + 2\pi\beta_0 p_{\text{LO}} \ln \xi_R^2 W_{m,n,k}^{(\text{LO})(l)} \right) F^{(l)}(x_{1m}, x_{2n}, \xi_F^2 Q^2 k) - \ln \xi_F^2 W_{m,n,k}^{(\text{LO})(l)} \times \left(F_{q_1 \rightarrow P_0 \otimes q_1}^{(l)}(x_{1m}, x_{2n}, \xi_F^2 Q^2 k) + F_{q_2 \rightarrow P_0 \otimes q_2}^{(l)}(x_{1m}, x_{2n}, \xi_F^2 Q^2 k) \right) \right] \right\}$$

where $F_{q_1 \rightarrow P_0 \otimes q_1}^{(l)}$ is calculated as $F^{(l)}$, but with q_1 replaced with $P_0 \otimes q_1$ (LO splitting function convoluted with PDF), and analogously for $F_{q_2 \rightarrow P_0 \otimes q_2}^{(l)}$.

Master formula and Scale dependence at NNLO

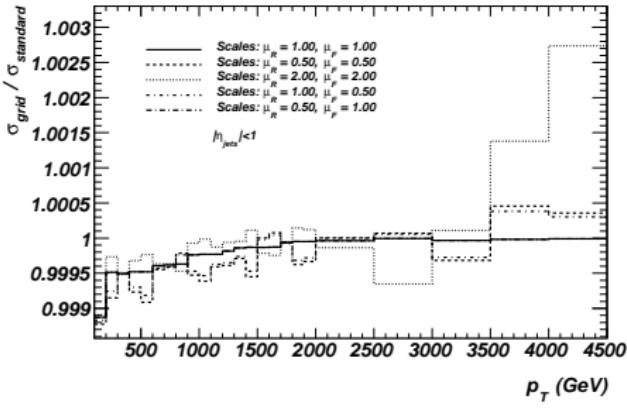
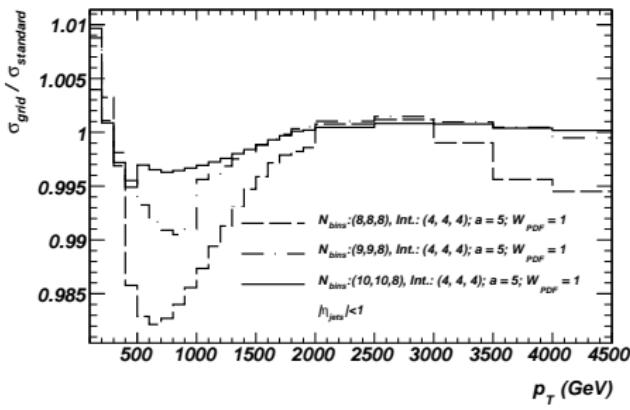
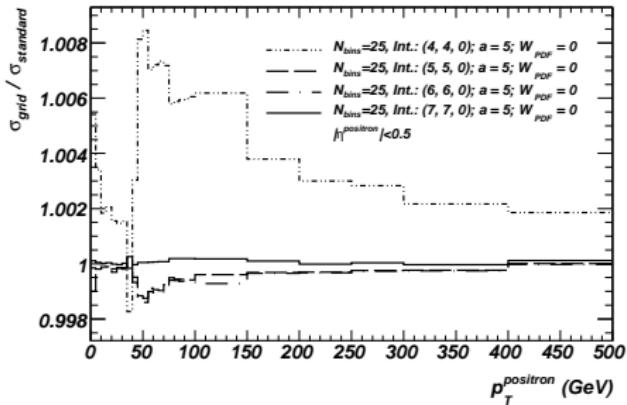
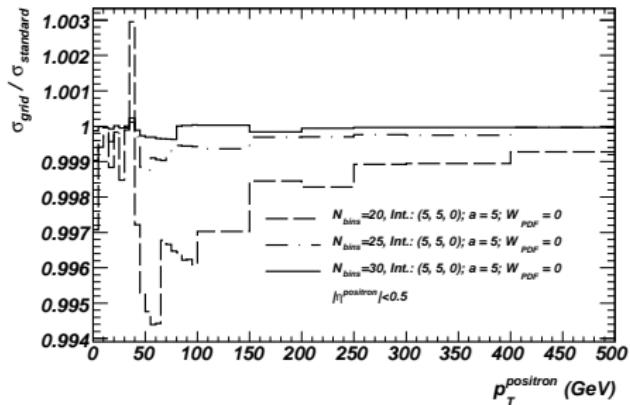
$$\frac{d\sigma}{dX}(\xi_R, \xi_F) = \sum_{l=0}^L \sum_m \sum_n \sum_k F^{(l)} \left(x_{1m}, x_{2n}, \xi_F^2 Q^2 k \right) \times$$
$$\left\{ \left(\frac{\alpha_s (\xi_R^2 Q^2 k)}{2\pi} \right)^{p_{\text{LO}}} W_{m,n,k}^{(\text{LO})(l)} \right.$$
$$+ \left(\frac{\alpha_s (\xi_R^2 Q^2 k)}{2\pi} \right)^{p_{\text{NLO}}} W_{m,n,k}^{(\text{NLO})(l)} + \left(\frac{\alpha_s (\xi_R^2 Q^2 k)}{2\pi} \right)^{p_{\text{NNLO}}} W_{m,n,k}^{(\text{NNLO})(l)} \Bigg\}$$
$$+ \sum_{l=0}^L \sum_m \sum_n \sum_k \left(\frac{\alpha_s (\xi_R^2 Q^2 k)}{2\pi} \right)^{p_{\text{NNLO}}} \times \left\{ \text{Scale variations terms} \right\}$$

Scale dependence at NNLO

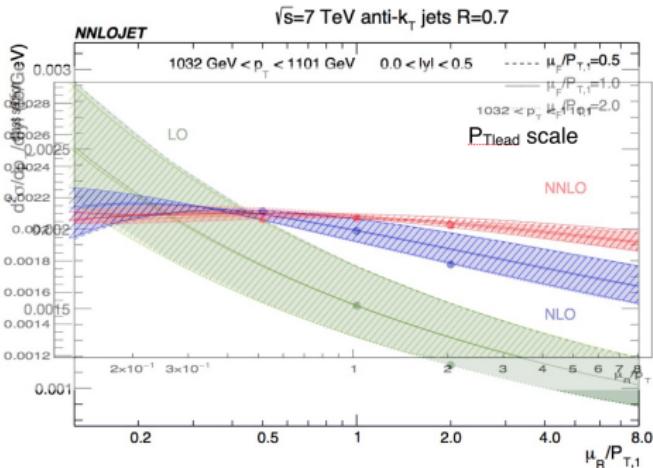
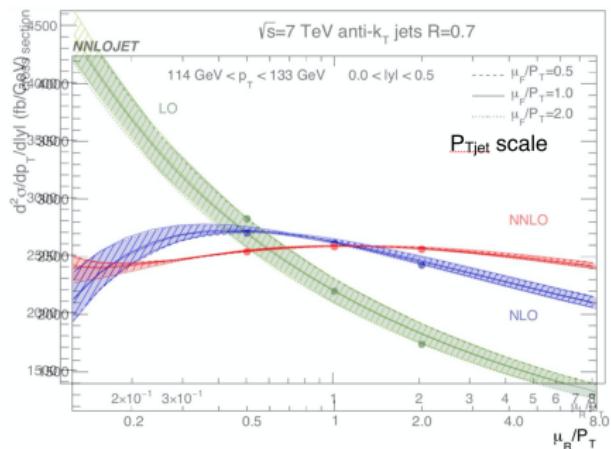
$$L_R = \log \xi_R^2, \quad L_F = \log \xi_F^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= L_R \left(p_{\text{NLO}} \beta_0 W_{m,n,k}^{(\text{NLO})(I)} + p_{\text{LO}} \beta_1 W_{m,n,k}^{(\text{LO})(I)} \right) F^{(I)} \\ &+ L_R^2 p_{\text{NLO}} \beta_0^2 W_{m,n,k}^{(\text{LO})(I)} F^{(I)} \\ &- L_F \left(W_{m,n,k}^{(\text{NLO})(I)} \left[F_{q_1 \rightarrow P_0 \otimes q_1}^{(I)} + F_{q_2 \rightarrow P_0 \otimes q_2}^{(I)} \right] \right. \\ &\quad \left. + W_{m,n,k}^{(\text{LO})(I)} \left[F_{q_1 \rightarrow P_1 \otimes q_1}^{(I)} + F_{q_2 \rightarrow P_1 \otimes q_2}^{(I)} \right] \right) \\ &+ L_F^2 W_{m,n,k}^{(\text{LO})(I)} \left(F_{q_1 \rightarrow P_0 \otimes q_1; q_2 \rightarrow P_0 \otimes q_2}^{(I)} + \frac{1}{2} F_{q_1 \rightarrow P_0 \otimes P_0 \otimes q_1}^{(I)} + \frac{1}{2} F_{q_2 \rightarrow P_0 \otimes P_0 \otimes q_2}^{(I)} \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \frac{1}{2} \beta_0 F_{q_1 \rightarrow P_0 \otimes q_1}^{(I)} + \frac{1}{2} \beta_0 F_{q_2 \rightarrow P_0 \otimes q_2}^{(I)} \right) \\ &- L_R L_F p_{\text{NLO}} \beta_0 W_{m,n,k}^{(\text{LO})(I)} \left(F_{q_1 \rightarrow P_0 \otimes q_1}^{(I)} + F_{q_2 \rightarrow P_0 \otimes q_2}^{(I)} \right) \end{aligned}$$

APPLGRID accuracy.

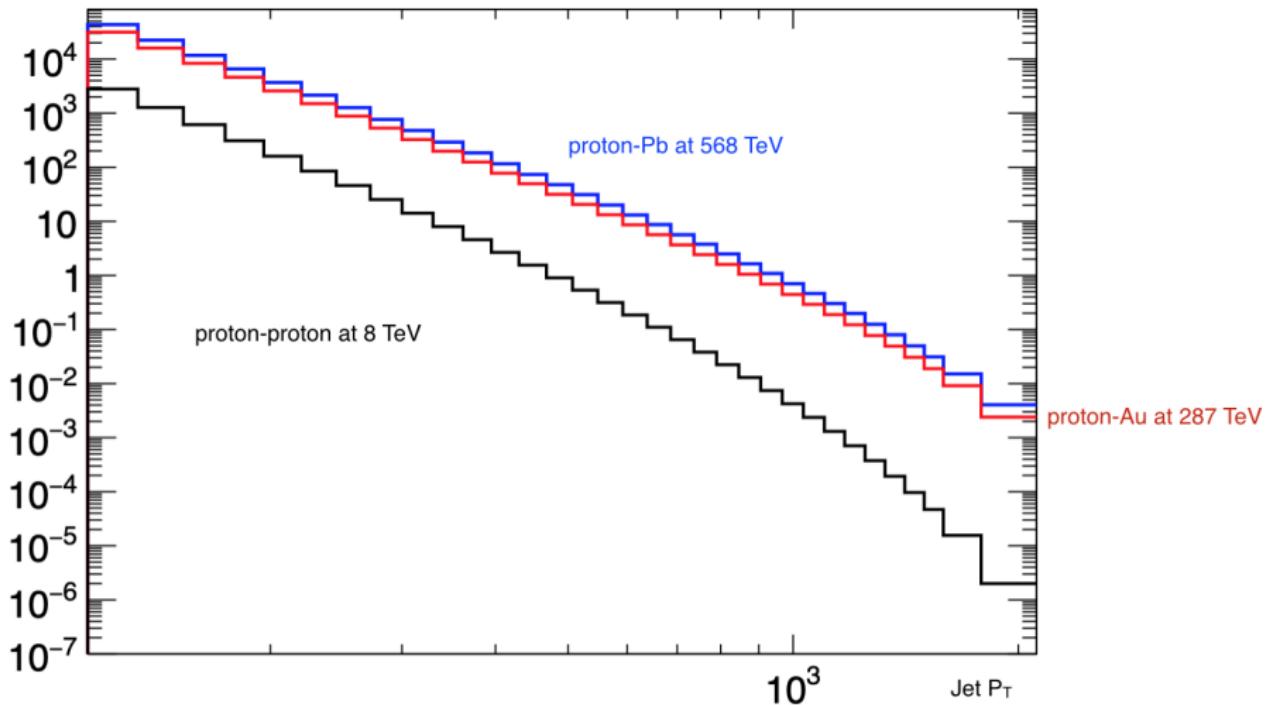


Scale variations validation



- Horizontal axis - renormalisation scale
- Shaded bands - factorisation scale variations from original NNLOJET paper
- Unshaded, hatched bands - APPLgrid scale valuation

Changing PDFs and centre-of-mass-energy



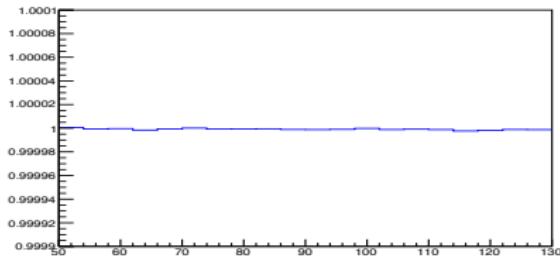
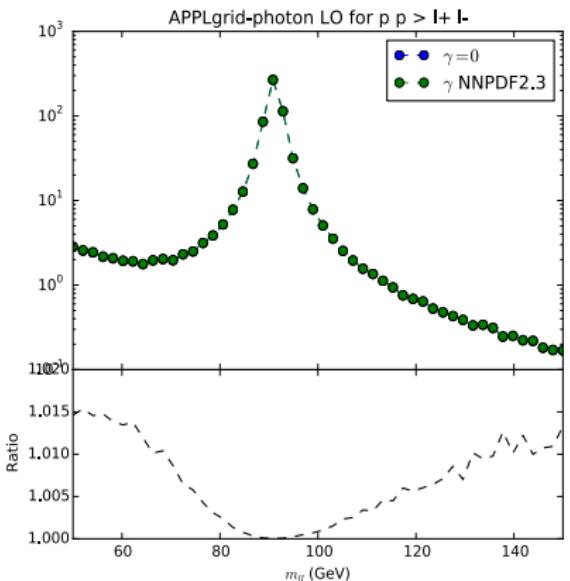
Inclusive jet production

Photon-induced processes

- Currently use a modification of the lhaglue type LHAPDF interface

```
extern "C" void evolvepdf(const double& x, const double& Q, double* x
  xfx += 6;
  for (int i = -6; i < 7; i++) xfx[i] = pdf->xfxQ(i, x, Q);
  xfx[7] = pdf->xfxQ(22, x, Q);
}
```

- Use native LHAPDF 6 calls with call to access photon density, in lhaglue type wrapper
- APPLgrid intrinsic lumi_pdf class allows additional parton - 7 or 22 for the photon

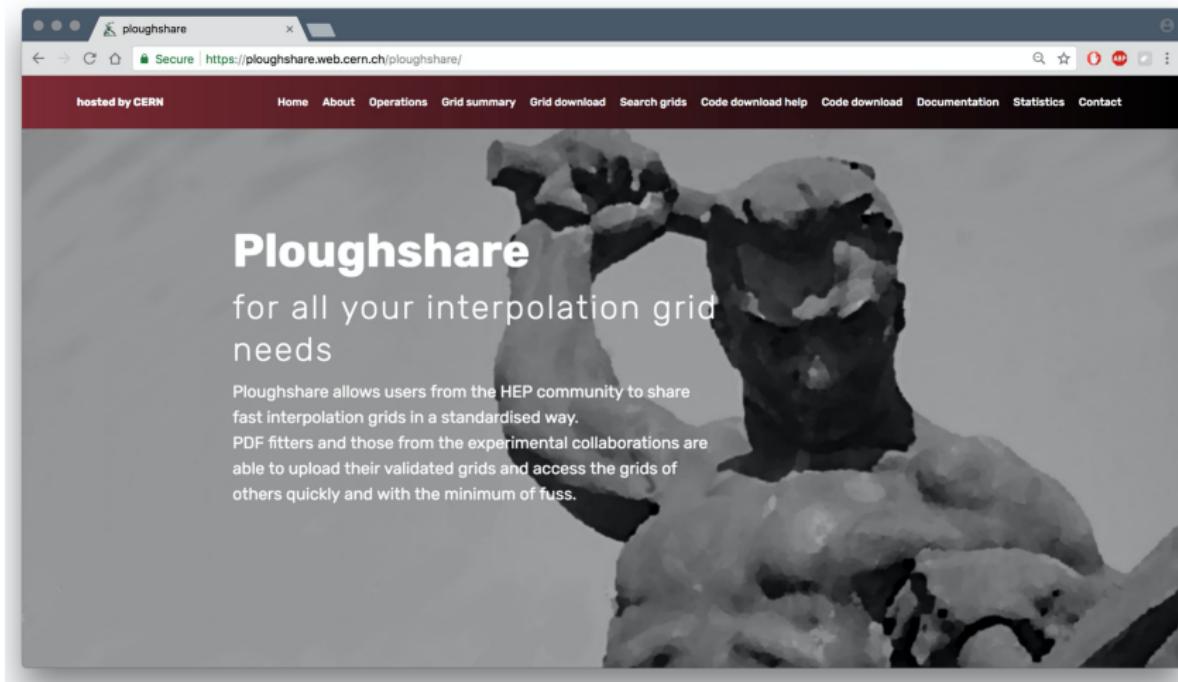


Interface to cross section calculators

- NLOJET++ : Jet production in $pp(\bar{p})-$ and $ep-$ collisions.
 - ▶ $2 \rightarrow 2$ and $2 \rightarrow 3$ at NLO; $2 \rightarrow 4$ at LO
www.desy.de/~znagy/Site/NLOJet++.htm.
- MCFM : parton-level NLO(NNLO) QCD cross sections calculator for various femtobarn-level processes at hadron-hadron colliders.
 - ▶ $V, V + n\text{Jet}, V + b\bar{b}, VV, Q\bar{Q}, \dots (\sim \mathcal{O}(300))$ mcfm.fnal.gov/
- SHERPA : Simulation of High-Energy Reactions of PArticles in lepton-lepton, lepton-photon, photon-photon, lepton-hadron and hadron-hadron collisions.
 - ▶ A huge amount of scattering processes sherpa.hepforge.org.
- aMC@NLO : A framework for the computation of hard events at the NLO or LO, to be subsequently showered (infrared-safe observables at the NLO or LO).
 - ▶ Matrix elements calculations from Madgraph 5
amcatnlo.web.cern.ch/amcatnlo/; madgraph.phys.ucl.ac.be/.
- DYNNLO : NNLO calculation of Drell-Yan processes at hadron colliders theory.fi.infn.it/grazzini/dy.html
- NNLOJET : NNLO calculation of vector boson, V+jet, Higgs, inclusive jet/dijet at hadron colliders

Grid distribution: Ploughshare

[ploughshare.web.cern.ch](https://ploughshare.web.cern.ch/ploughshare/)



Grid distribution: Ploughshare II

Full analysis records

Measurement of inclusive jet and dijet production in pp collisions at $\sqrt{s} = 7$ TeV using the ATLAS detector

Inclusive jet and dijet cross sections have been measured in proton-proton collisions at a centre-of-mass energy of 7 TeV using the ATLAS detector at the Large Hadron Collider. The cross sections were measured using jets clustered with the anti- R algorithm with parameters $R=0.4$ and $R=0.6$. These measurements are based on the 2010 data sample, consisting of a total integrated luminosity of 37 inverse picobarns. Inclusive jet double-differential cross sections are presented as a function of jet transverse momentum, in bins of jet rapidity. Dijet double-differential cross sections are studied as a function of the dijet invariant mass, in bins of half the rapidity separation of the two leading jets. The measurements are performed in the jet rapidity range $|y|<4.4$, covering jet transverse momenta from 20 GeV to 1.5 TeV and dijet invariant masses from 70 GeV to 5 TeV. The data are compared to expectations based on next-to-leading order QCD calculations corrected for non-perturbative effects, as well as to next-to-leading order Monte Carlo predictions. In addition to a test of the theory in a new kinematic regime, the data also provide sensitivity to parton distribution functions in a region where they are currently not well-constrained.

Journal: [Phys.Rev. D86 \(2012\) 014022](#) (doi: 10.1103/PhysRevD.86.014022)
arxiv: [1112.6297](#)
inspire: [https://inspirehep.net/record/1082936](#)
HepData: [https://hepdata.net/record/ins1082936](#)

Experiment	Physics process	Beam energy	Calculation	direct link
ATLAS	pp	7 TeV	NLOjet++	atlas-atlas-dijets-arxiv-1112.6297 tarball atlas-atlas-dijets-arxiv-1112.6297-xsec000.root :: Table 19 : $d^2\sigma/dm_{\{12\}}dy^*$ (pb/TeV), Anti-kT R=0.4, $0.0 < y < 0.5$
				atlas-atlas-dijets-arxiv-1112.6297-xsec001.root :: Table 20 : $d^2\sigma/dm_{\{12\}}dy^*$ (pb/TeV), Anti-kT R=0.4, $0.5 < y < 1.0$
				atlas-atlas-dijets-arxiv-1112.6297-xsec002.root :: Table 21 : $d^2\sigma/dm_{\{12\}}dy^*$ (pb/TeV), Anti-kT R=0.4, $1.0 < y < 1.5$
				atlas-atlas-dijets-arxiv-1112.6297-xsec003.root :: Table 22 : $d^2\sigma/dm_{\{12\}}dy^*$ (pb/TeV), Anti-kT R=0.4, $1.5 < y < 2.0$
				atlas-atlas-dijets-arxiv-1112.6297-xsec004.root :: Table 23 : $d^2\sigma/dm_{\{12\}}dy^*$ (pb/TeV), Anti-kT R=0.4, $2.0 < y < 2.5$
				atlas-atlas-dijets-arxiv-1112.6297-xsec005.root :: Table 24 : $d^2\sigma/dm_{\{12\}}dy^*$ (pb/TeV), Anti-kT R=0.4, $2.5 < y < 3.0$
				atlas-atlas-dijets-arxiv-1112.6297-xsec006.root :: Table 26 : $d^2\sigma/dm_{\{12\}}dy^*$ (pb/TeV), Anti-kT R=0.4, $3.5 < y < 4.0$

link to full tarball

links to specific hep data table

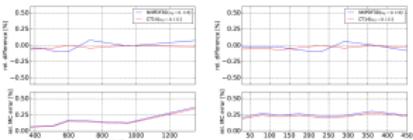
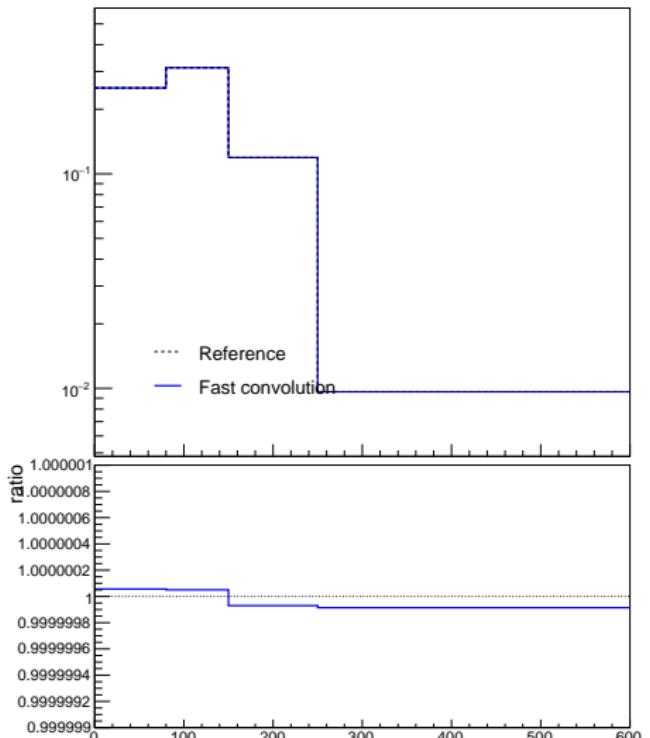
links to individual grids

- Full title and abstract
- Links to ...
 - Journal paper (DOI)
 - Preprint
 - Inspire
 - HepData
- Table with all available grids

- This information is determined automatically from the required preprint ID when you upload grids
- For grids with no corresponding paper, a dummy arXiv number arxiv: 0000.00000 can be used
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optional grid description

Top production grids



- The fastNLO top grids for the CMS measurement [arXiv:1703.01630] at NNLO released by Czakon et al [arXiv:1704.08551]. [Link](#)
 - ▶ Code is not available
 - ▶ Poor performance : slow convolution and high memory consumption
- Tables converted to full APPLgrid tables. [Link](#)
 - ▶ Disk: 2.85 MB → 1.41 MB
 - ▶ Memory: 6052500 B → 3003750 B
 - ▶ Time: 182 ms → 126 ms

Current developments : MCFM v9.0

- MCFM group has released new version on 25.09.2019 [arXiv:1909.09117]
- Features: improved integration algorithm, better control of numerical accuracy, new code structure, new processes for off-shell SM and SMEFT single-top-quark production, high-pt treatment of mass effects in H+jet process, several NNLO color-singlet processes
- APPLgrid interface is off. The old one wouldn't work anyway, due to many changes in the MCFM code
- In contact with authors to re-enable the APPLgrid interface for the new versions (*)
 - ▶ LO, REAL, VIRT contributions already implemented and validated
 - ▶ NNLO contribution is in progress
 - ▶ The mcmf-bridge user interface is updated
 - ▶ based on the text steering file
 - ▶ allows to fully configure the observable w/o recompiling the package

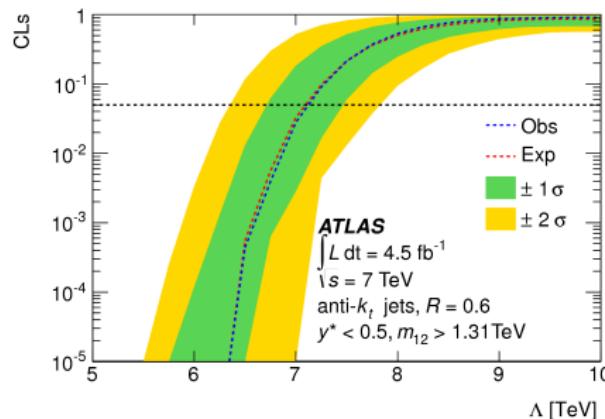
(*) together with Vlad Danilov (CMS-DESY)



Contact interactions in jet production

- NLO calculations done by Jun Gao [arXiv:1204.4773]
- Original code takes some ideas from APPLgrid and generates matrix elements tables in a special (internal) format. The convolution script allows predictions for any PDF/strong coupling/Lambda a-posteriori

- Works nicely for plotting, but quite inconvenient, for fitting purposes...
- Interface C-APPLgrid is in progress



Summary

Precision measurements of QCD improve knowledge of PDFs and strong coupling constant and might facilitate discoveries at the LHC.

- APPLgrid is an open project, complete source code is available as [HEPforge package](#)
- A posteriori evaluation of uncertainties from renormalisation and factorisation scale variations, strong coupling measurement and PDFs error sets in a very short time
- Allows rigorous inclusion of collider data in a PDF/strong coupling fit.
- Other functionality, such as \sqrt{S} rescaling, change of initial hadrons
- A list of QCD and electroweak processes can be studied
 - ▶ Jet production studied using NLOJET++, NNLOJET
 - ▶ Drell-Yan production via NNLOJET, MCFM, DYNNLO
 - ▶ Many other processes via MCFM, SHERPA, aMC@NLO, ContactInteractions
 - ★ W/Z/ γ ; W/Z γ +jet; $t\bar{t}$, $b\bar{b}$, $c\bar{c}$; W+charm, any process with a basic decomposition

BACK-UP