

# Jet Energy Calibration

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## ❖ **Basic principles**

- ▶ showering, fragmentation & hadronization, composition of jets
- ▶ calorimeter response to hadrons
- ▶ calorimeter response to jets

## ❖ **Calibration after jet clustering (“*top-down*”)**

- ▶ average jet calibration
  - Monte Carlo truth
  - in situ measurements of energy scale and resolution
- ▶ jet-by-jet Calibration
  - the ATLAS’s global sequential calibration (GS) and the track based improvement
  - the CMS’s jet plus track algorithm

## ❖ **Calibration before jet clustering (“*bottom-up*”)**

- ▶ the ATLAS’s global cell weighting (CSW) and local cluster weighting (LCW)
- ▶ the CMS’s particle flow

## ❖ **Summary**

- ☒ present the jet energy calibration strategies employed by CMS and ATLAS
- ☒ describe the data-driven measurement techniques
- ☒ bring to the surface the complexity and ambiguity of the jet object

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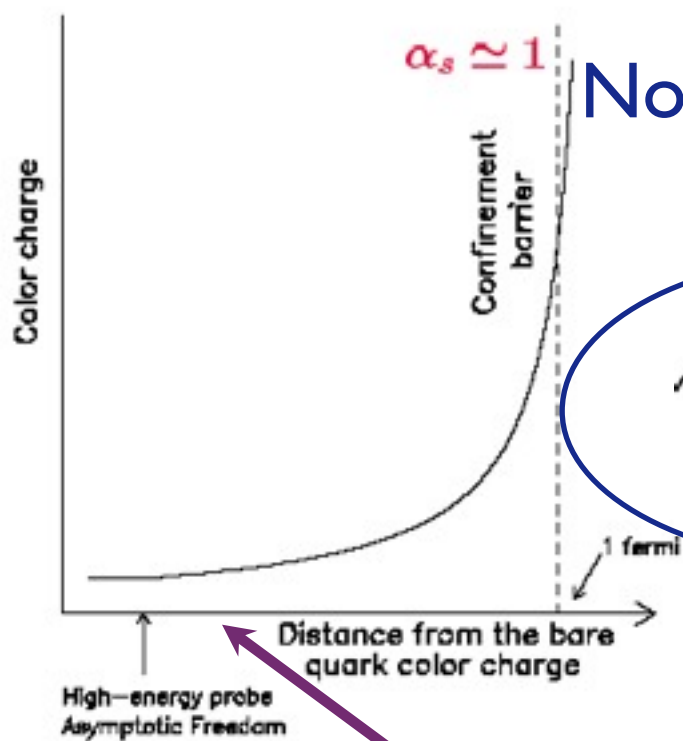
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# (I) Basic Principles

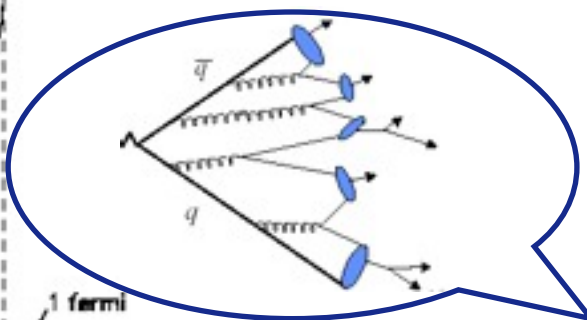
# The Jet Object

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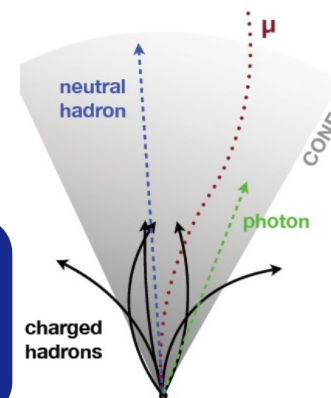
## Jet



Non perturbative QCD



Hadronization



A jet is the experimental signature of quarks and gluons

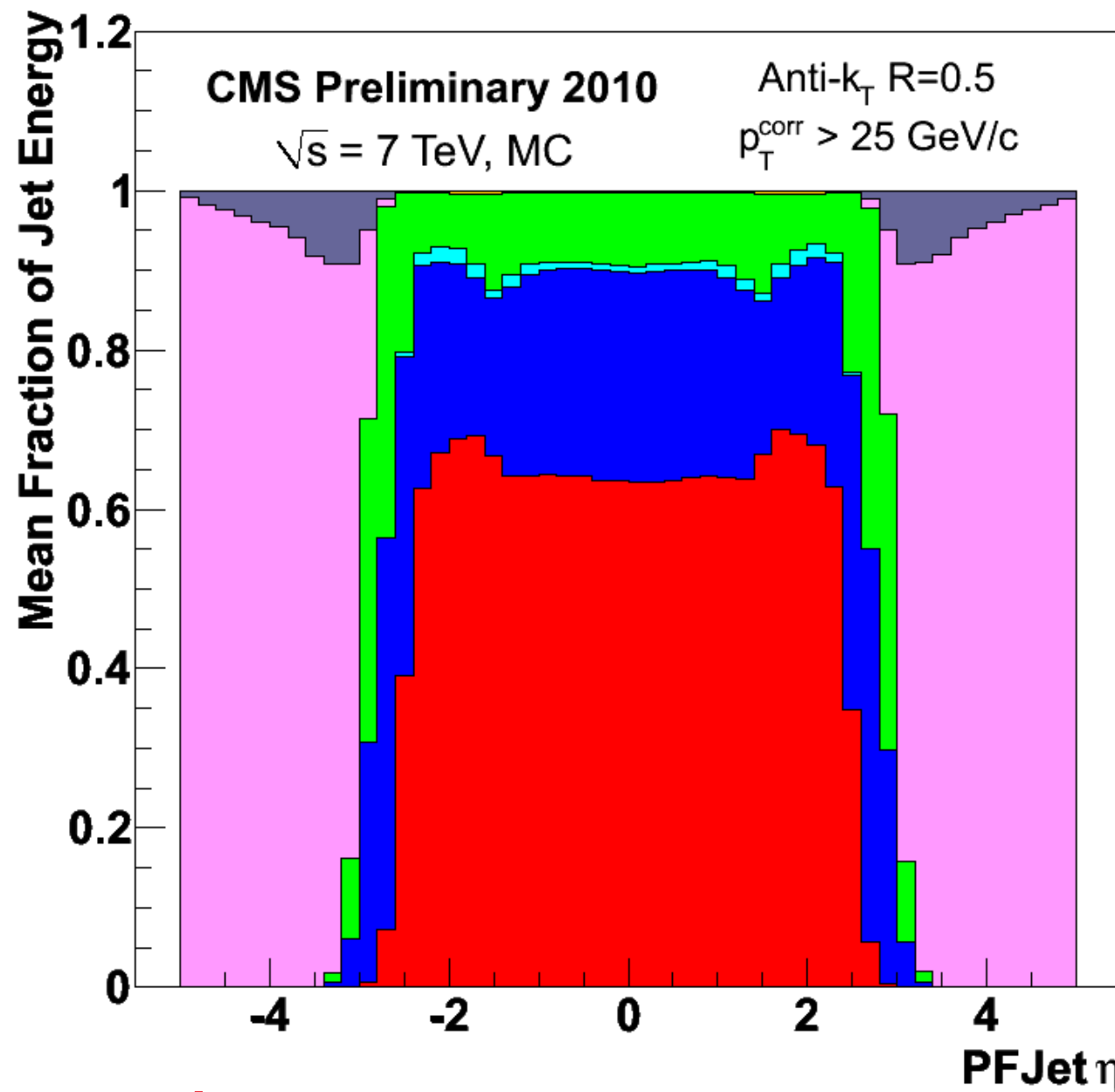
Perturbative QCD

Parton showering

$q, \bar{q}, g$

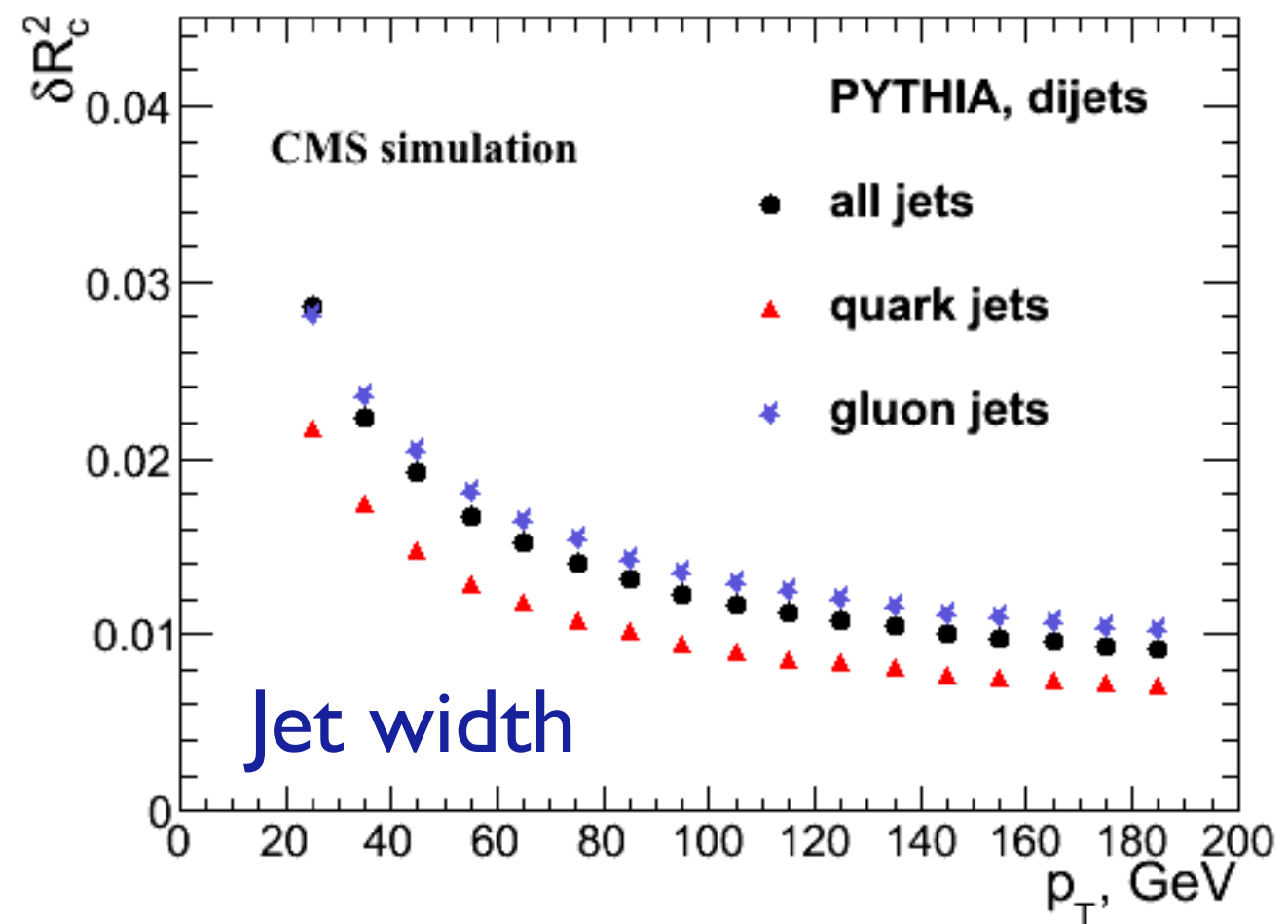
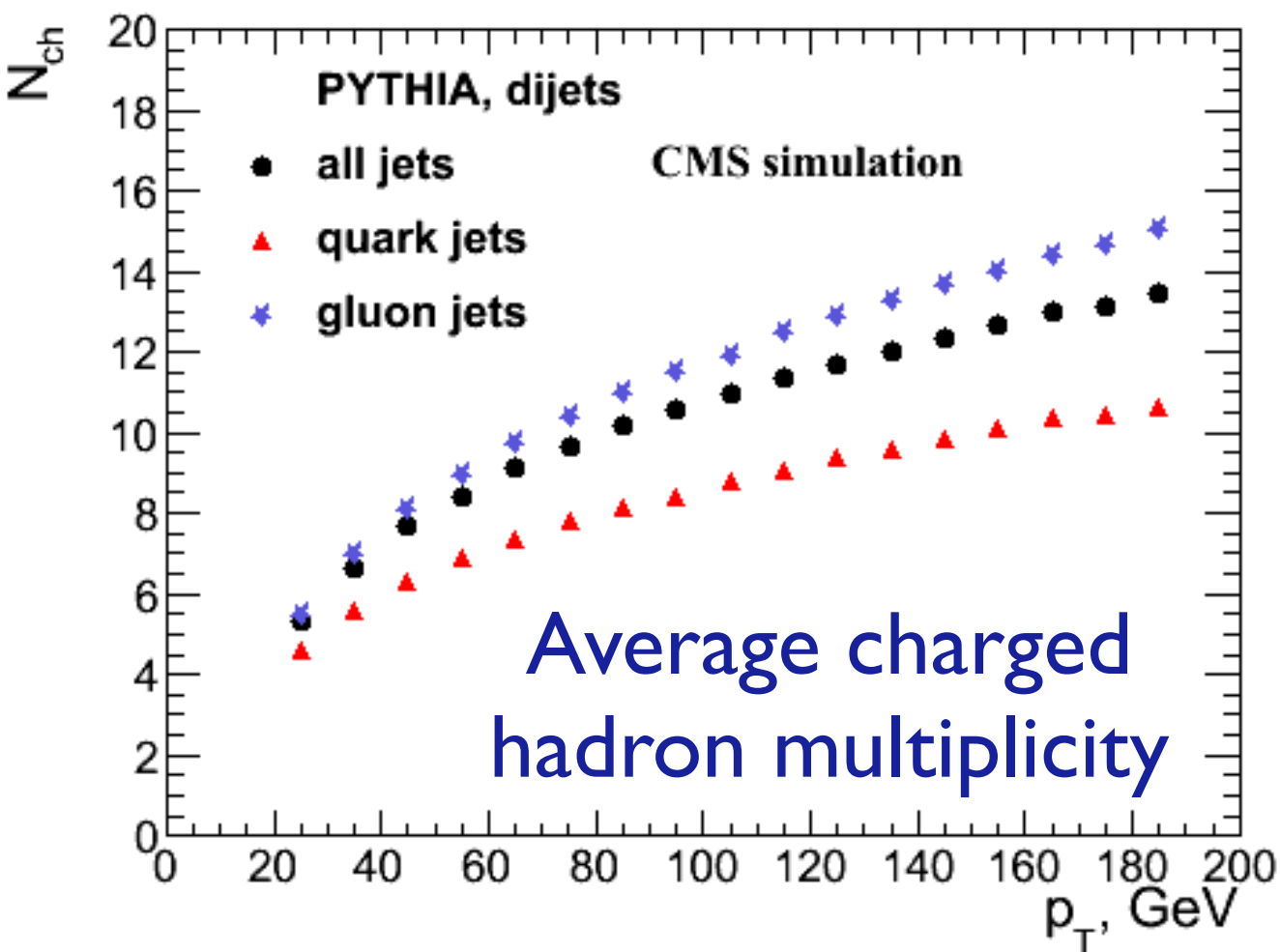
Hard parton scattering  
(determined by matrix QCD element and proton PDF)





- ◆ the jet composition determines the jet energy response
  - ▶ ~65% of the jet energy is carried by charged hadrons
  - ▶ ~25% of the jet energy is carried by photons
  - ▶ ~10% of the jet energy is carried by neutral hadrons

Jet energy composition,  
 reconstructed with the  
 particle flow algorithm



◆ gluon jets are different than quark jets. The differences emerge during the showering and fragmentation, mainly due to the larger color factor of the gluon Feynman diagrams.

- ▶ gluon jets contain more particles
- ▶ gluon jets contain softer particles
- ▶ gluon jets are wider

intrinsic calorimetric property

$$\frac{e}{\pi} = \frac{e/h}{1 - (1 - e/h) \langle f_{em} \rangle}$$

fraction of neutral hadrons  
~ln(E) dependence

- ◆ The hadronic shower is composed of a purely electromagnetic component and a purely hadronic one.
- ◆ The calorimeter response to hadrons is usually expressed through the “e/π” ratio (ratio of response to the electromagnetic energy deposition over the response to the hadronic component). It equals the response ratio to electrons and pions of the same energy.
- ◆ The ratio “e/h” is the ratio of the electromagnetic over the the hadronic energy detection efficiency. This is an intrinsic property of the calorimeter.
- ◆ Calorimeters with  $e/h \sim 1$  are called “compensating”.
- ◆ The finite energy resolution is caused by the largely fluctuating number of neutral hadrons in the shower.

$$R_J = 1 - (1 - h/e) \left( \frac{E_J}{E_o} \right)^{m-1} \int z^m \underbrace{D(z)}_{\text{fragmentation function}} d\underbrace{z}_{z=E_h/E_j}$$

- ◆ The calorimeter response to jets is the integral of the single hadron response over the jet distribution.
- ◆ In a real experiment, the jet energy response depends on several factors:
  - ▶ jet composition
  - ▶ calorimeter response to hadrons
  - ▶ noise suppression thresholds
  - ▶ dead material in front of the calorimeter
  - ▶ track bending magnetic field (does not allow soft tracks to reach the calorimeter)

## ◆ **“Top-down” approach**

- (1) first reconstruct jets from various detector inputs (calorimeter towers, tracks, clusters, particles, etc)
- (2) then derive average jet energy calibration factors ( $p_T$  and  $\eta$  dependent)
- (3) finally apply jet-by-jet corrections to improve the resolution, based on individual jet characteristics (charged fraction, width, associated tracks, etc)

## ◆ **“Bottom-up” approach**

- (1) first calibrate separately each detector input (particle flow candidates, clusters, etc)
- (2) then reconstruct the jets from the calibrated inputs
- (3) apply small residual (average) calibration if needed

❖ **the calibration of the jet energy scale is a particularly challenging task:**

◆ **because of the jet nature**

- ▶ jets are complicated composite objects, unlike the other particles which are elementary (electrons, muons, photons)

◆ **because of the hadrons interaction with matter**

- ▶ hadronic showers have electromagnetic, hadronic and invisible components

◆ **because of the gluon/quark jet differences**

- ▶ each physics sample is a unique mixture

◆ **because of the inherent jet definition ambiguity**

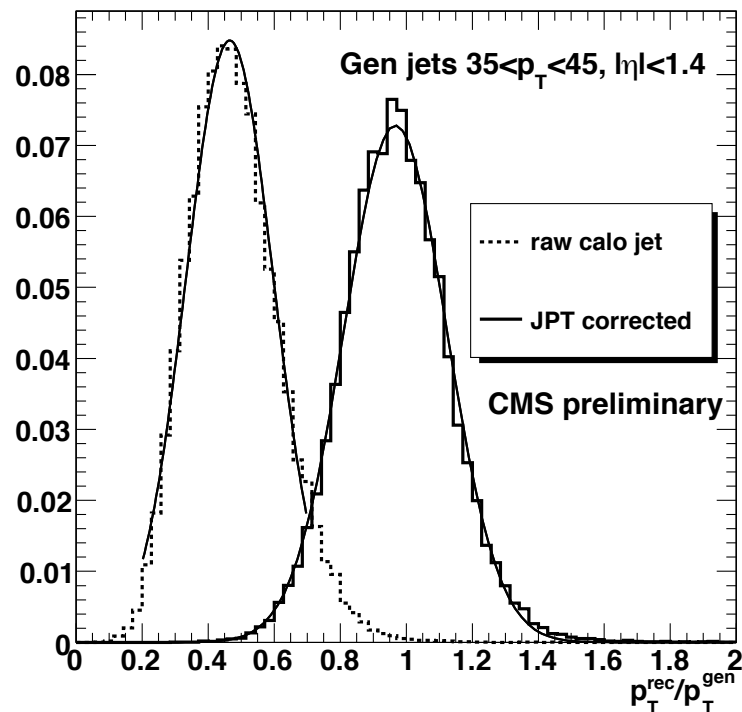
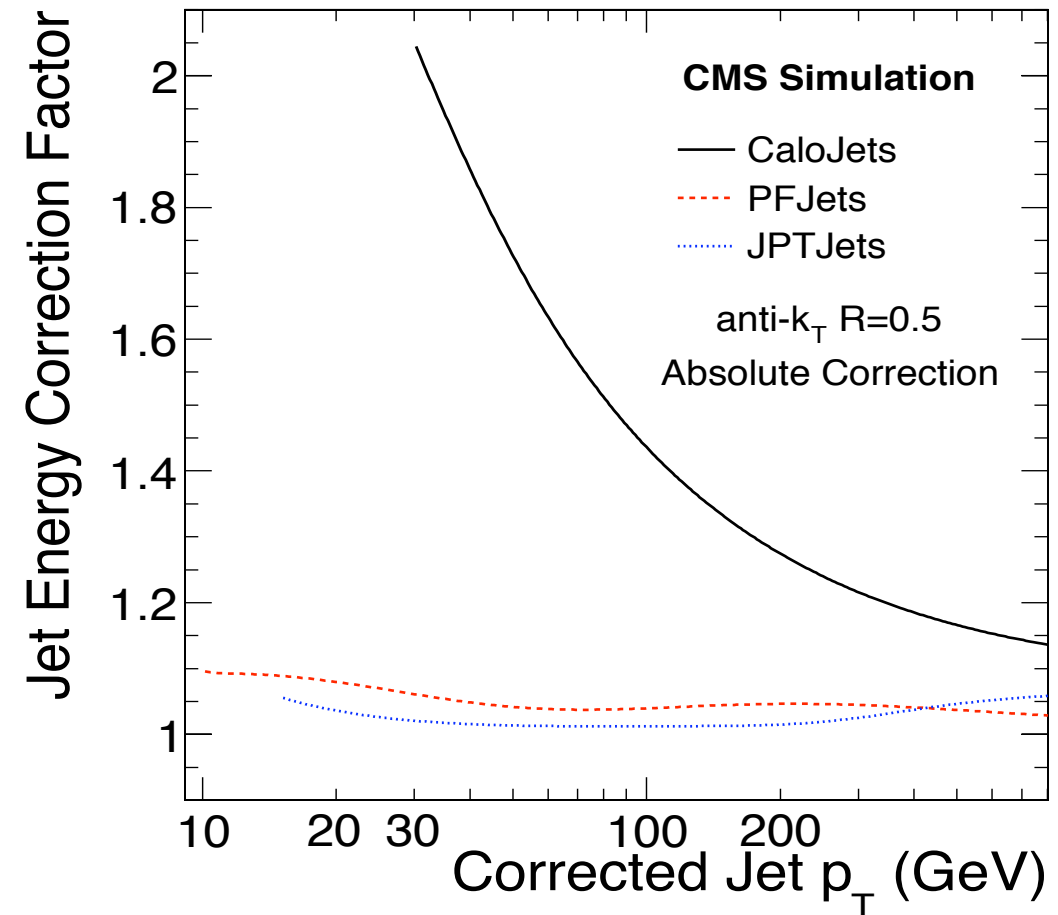
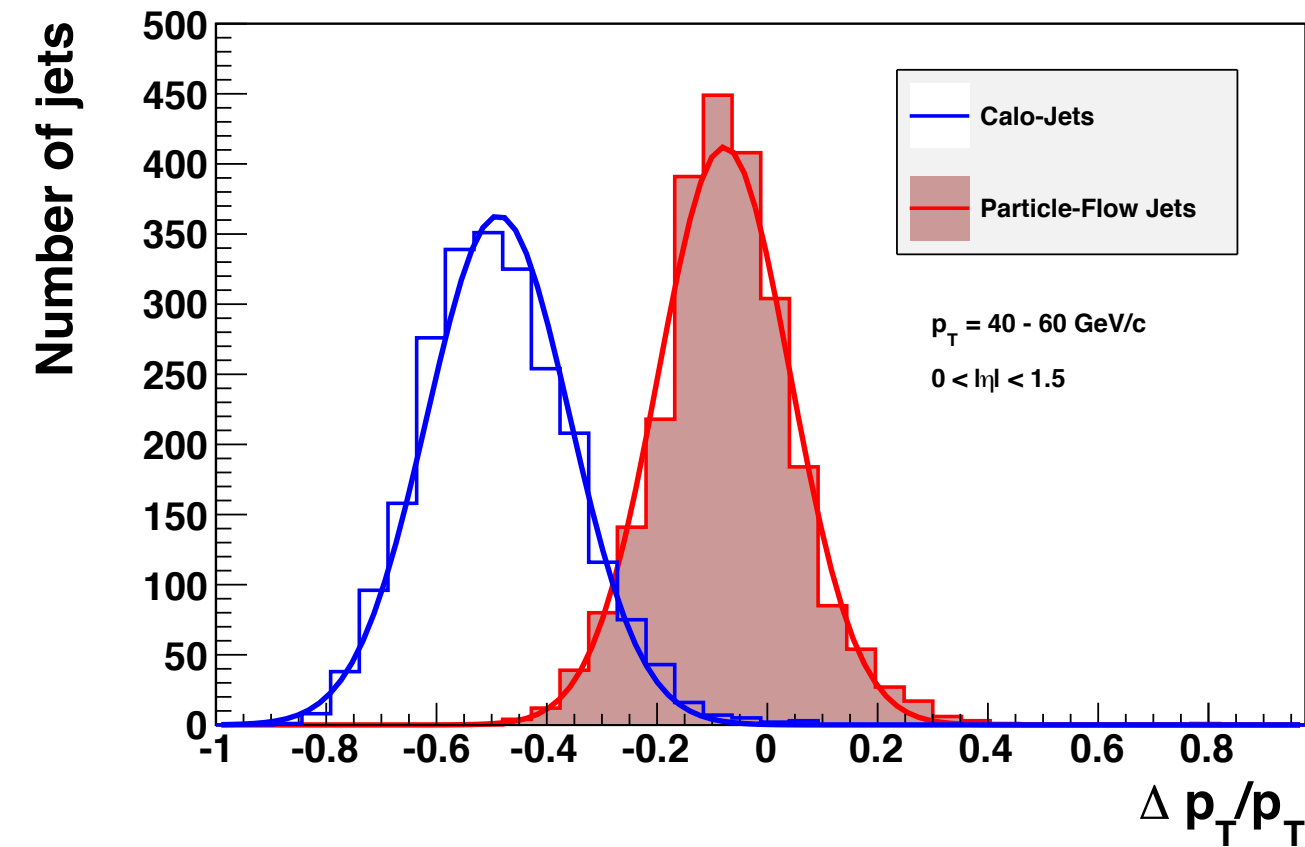
- ▶ particle level vs parton level
- ▶ dependence on the jet clustering algorithm

◆ **because of the significant biases of the in-situ measurements**

- ▶ steeply falling jet spectra
- ▶ finite resolution (much worse than other particles)

## (II) “*Top-down*” Calibration

CMS Preliminary



- ◆ geometrical matching between particle jets and reconstructed jets
- ◆ average correction to the particle level
- ◆ fixes the scale but does not improve the resolution
- ◆ used for MC studies
- ◆ starting point for the jet calibration in data

**Required**

**Optional**

**Reconstructed Jet**

**Offset**

**Rel:  $\eta$**

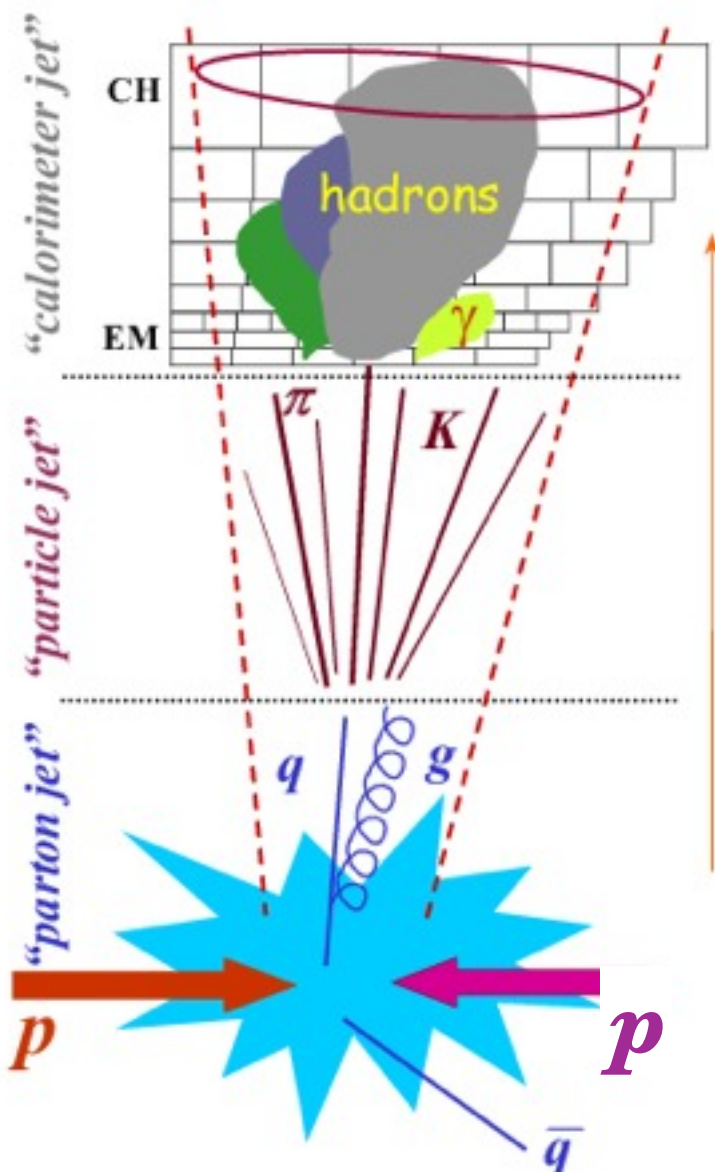
**Abs:  $p_T$**

**EMF**

**Flavor**

**Parton**

**Calibrated Jet**



## Why a multi-step approach?

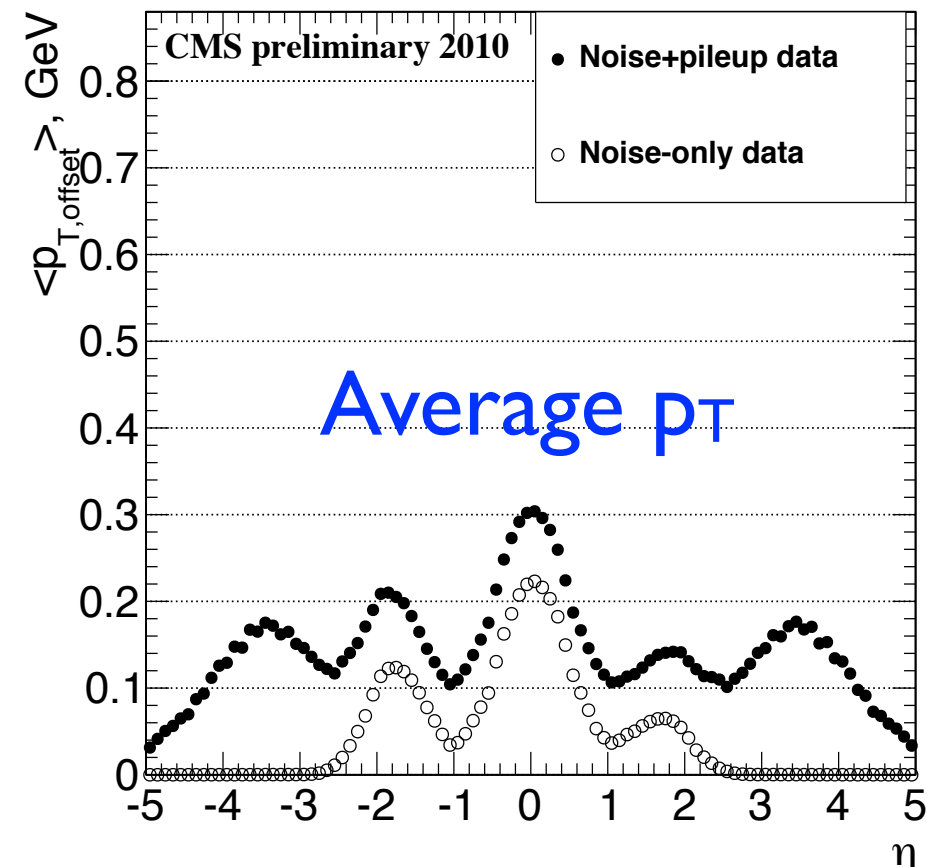
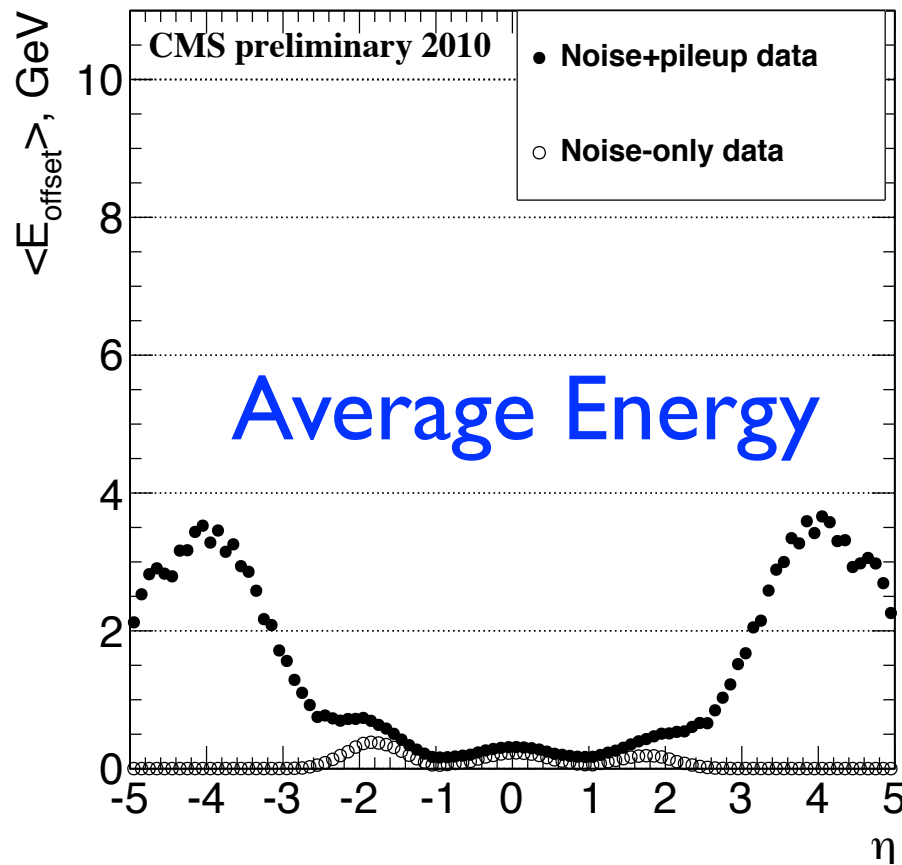
- ☒ Each sub-correction corrects for a different effect.
- ☒ Each sub-correction can be separately studied and optimized.
- ☒ Easier to develop data driven methods.
- ☒ Systematic uncertainties are easier to estimate.

### ◆ Required corrections:

- ▶ correct on average the energy scale, from detector level to particle level

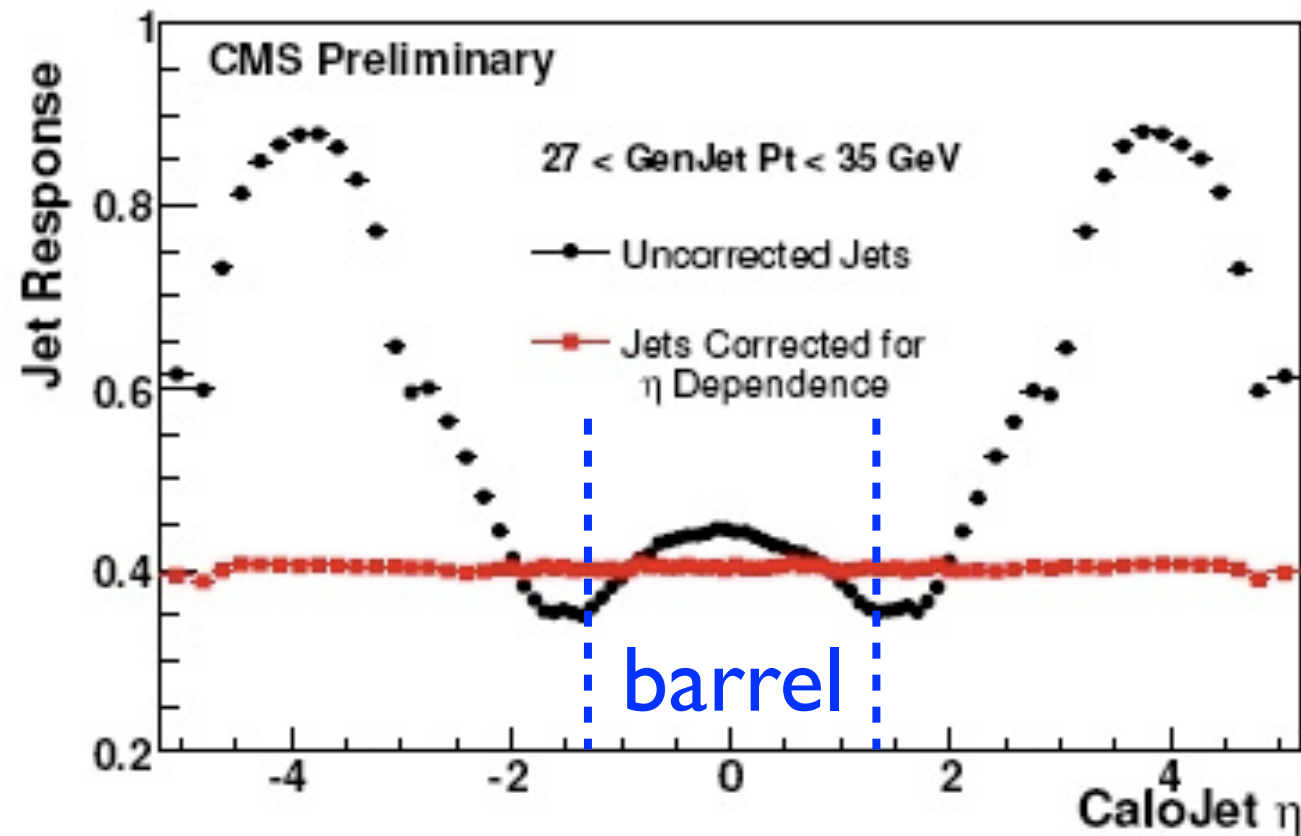
### ◆ Optional corrections:

- ▶ improve the energy resolution
- ▶ take care of sample differences (flavor)
- ▶ correct to parton level



- ◆ the *Offset* correction removes unwanted energy due to noise and pile-up
  - ▶ allows us to have luminosity independent jet energy corrections
- ◆ the noise contribution is measured from Zero Bias events by vetoing the Minimum Bias trigger
- ◆ the overall offset is measured from inclusive Zero Bias events
- ◆ **CAVEAT:** this approach systematically underestimates the offset correction due to the zero suppression thresholds
  - ▶ in a random cone, without real jet activity, soft contributions do not pass the zero suppression thresholds but they do in the presence of real jets. The underestimation can be as large as a factor of 4.

# Uniformity in $\eta$



## ◆ the jet energy response is not uniform across $\eta$

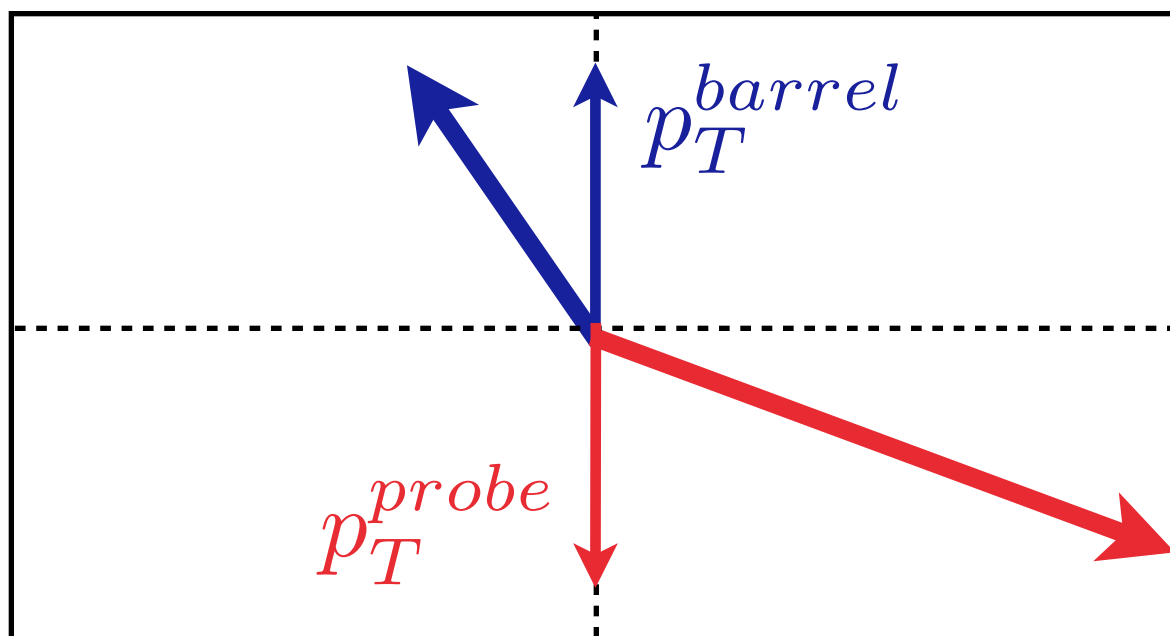
- ▶ the response is energy dependent. For fixed  $p_T$ , jets in outer  $\eta$  have more energy and better response.
- ▶ the material budget in front of the calorimeters is not uniform
- ▶ noise and reconstruction thresholds are not uniform

## ◆ uniformity in $\eta$ is achieved by correcting all jets with respect to the average scale in the barrel ( $|\eta| < 1.3$ )

- ▶ the barrel has the largest  $p_T$  reach
- ▶ the barrel has small response variations
- ▶ the barrel can be absolutely calibrated with in-situ measurements

# Dijet $p_T$ Balance (I)

## Barrel Jet

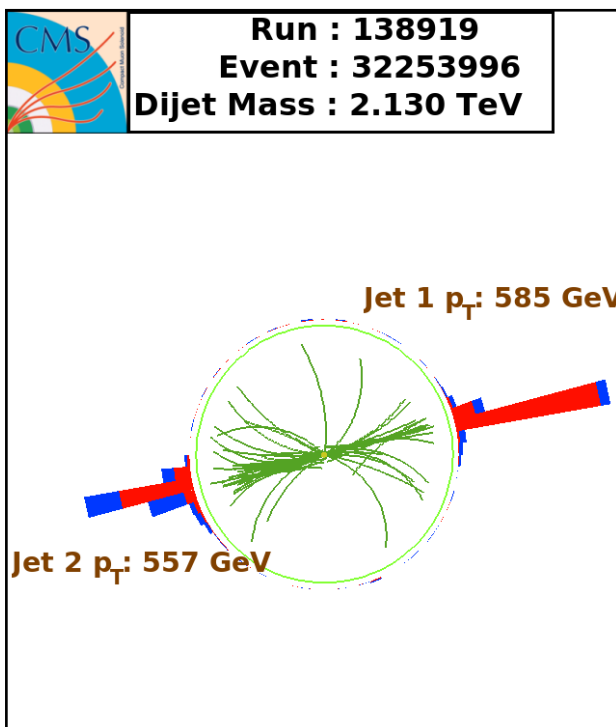


$$p_T^{di jet} = \frac{p_T^{probe} + p_T^{barrel}}{2}$$

$$B = \frac{p_T^{probe} - p_T^{barrel}}{p_T^{di jet}}$$

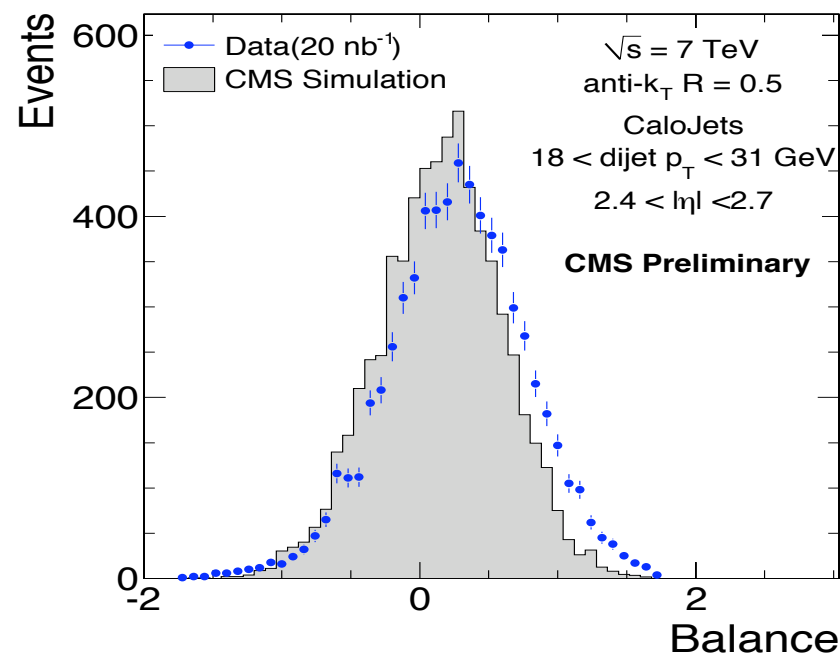
$$r = \frac{2 + \langle B \rangle}{2 - \langle B \rangle}$$

## Probe Jet



- ◆ the dijet  $p_T$  balance measures the **relative** jet energy response
- ◆ the quantity **r** is the least biased estimator of the relative response (as opposed to  $\langle p_T^{probe} / p_T^{barrel} \rangle$  which is maximally biased)

# Dijet $p_T$ Balance (II)



## ◆ Analysis essentials

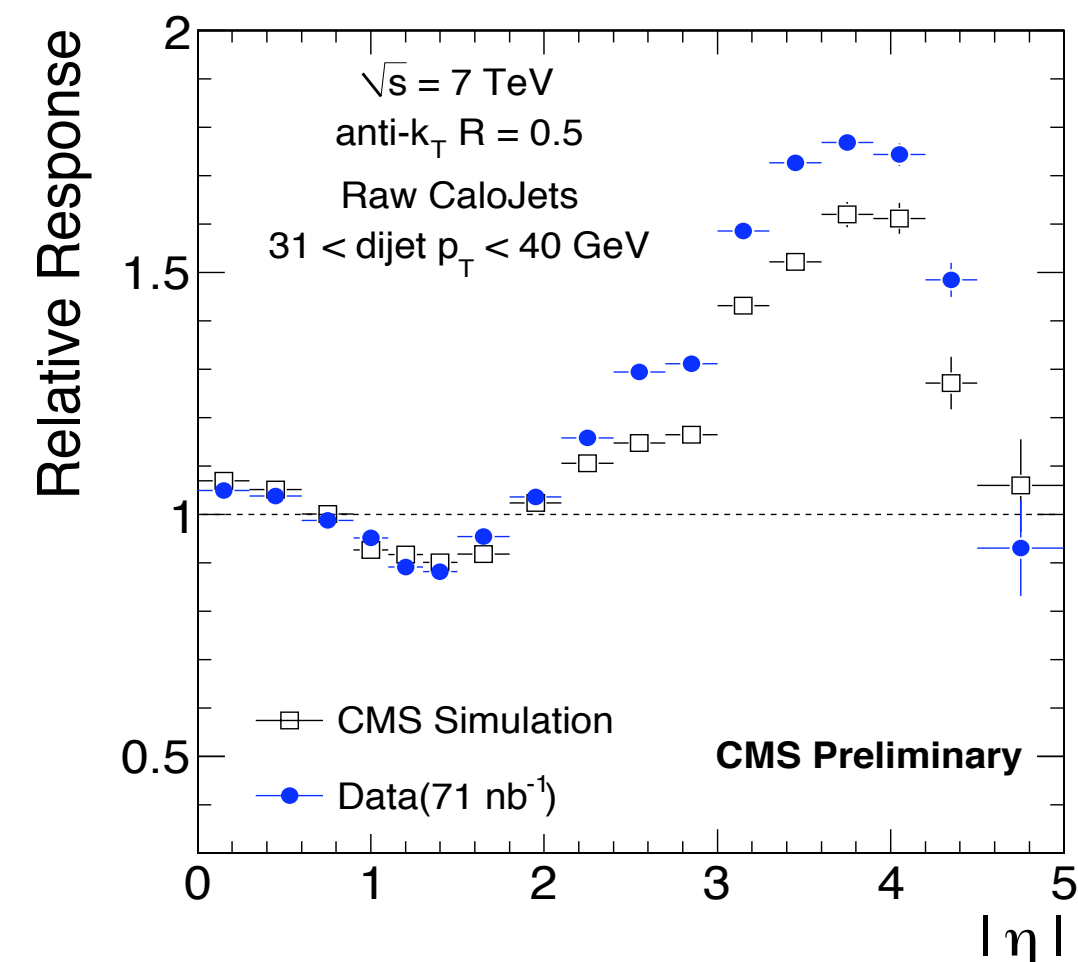
- ▶ bins of dijet  $p_T$  (reduces the resolution bias)
- ▶ bins of probe jet  $\eta$
- ▶ cut on the 3rd jet  $p_T$  (not very sensitive, no extrapolation to 0 needed)

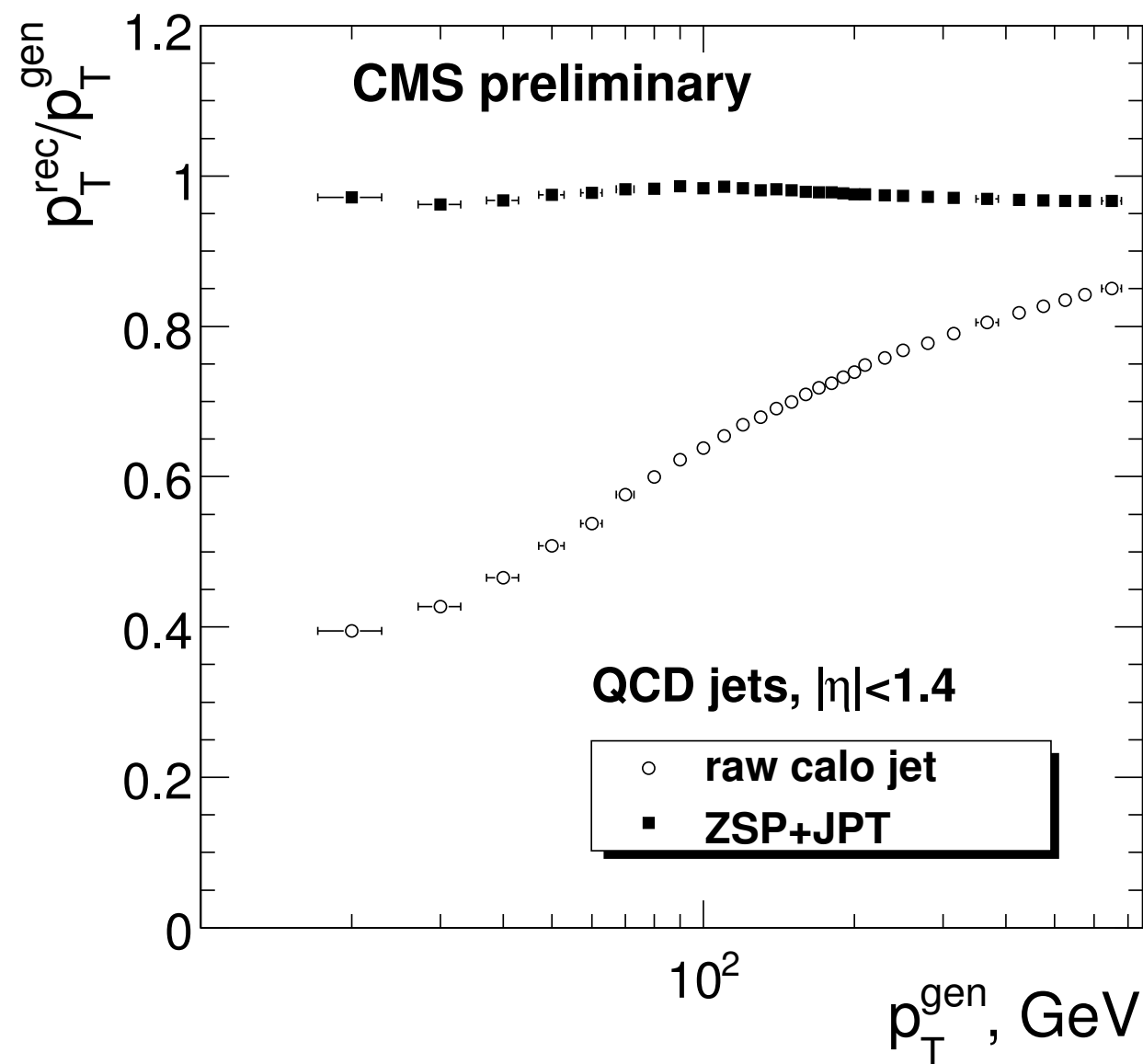
## ◆ Resolution bias

- ▶ leading systematic uncertainty
- ▶ needs to be explicitly corrected for
- ▶ caused by the different resolution of the barrel and probe jets and the steeply falling jet  $p_T$  spectrum

## ◆ First CMS data

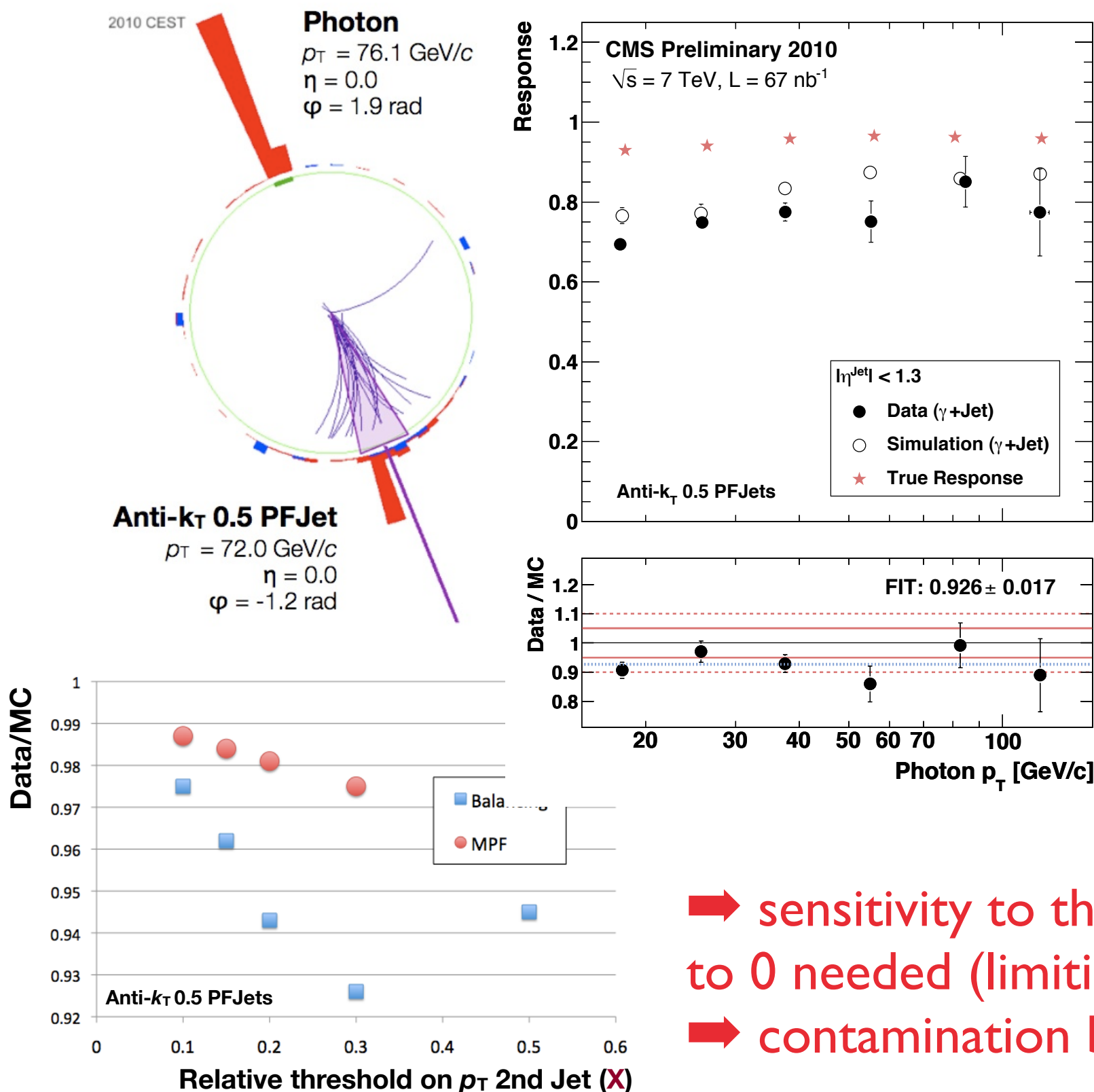
- ▶ bins of  $|\eta|$  due to limited statistics
- ▶ clear disagreement observed between data and MC in outer rapidities (consistent with higher single particle response)





- ◆ the relative jet energy correction makes the response uniform in  $\eta$  but does not fix the absolute scale
- ◆ looking at the  $p_T$  dependence of the response in the reference region (barrel)
- ◆ non-linearity observed
  - ▶ in other words: the response depends on the  $p_T$  (closer to unity as  $p_T$  increases)
- ◆ **absolute** energy correction
  - ▶ restores the average scale to unity
  - ▶ applied to all jets, although measured in the reference region

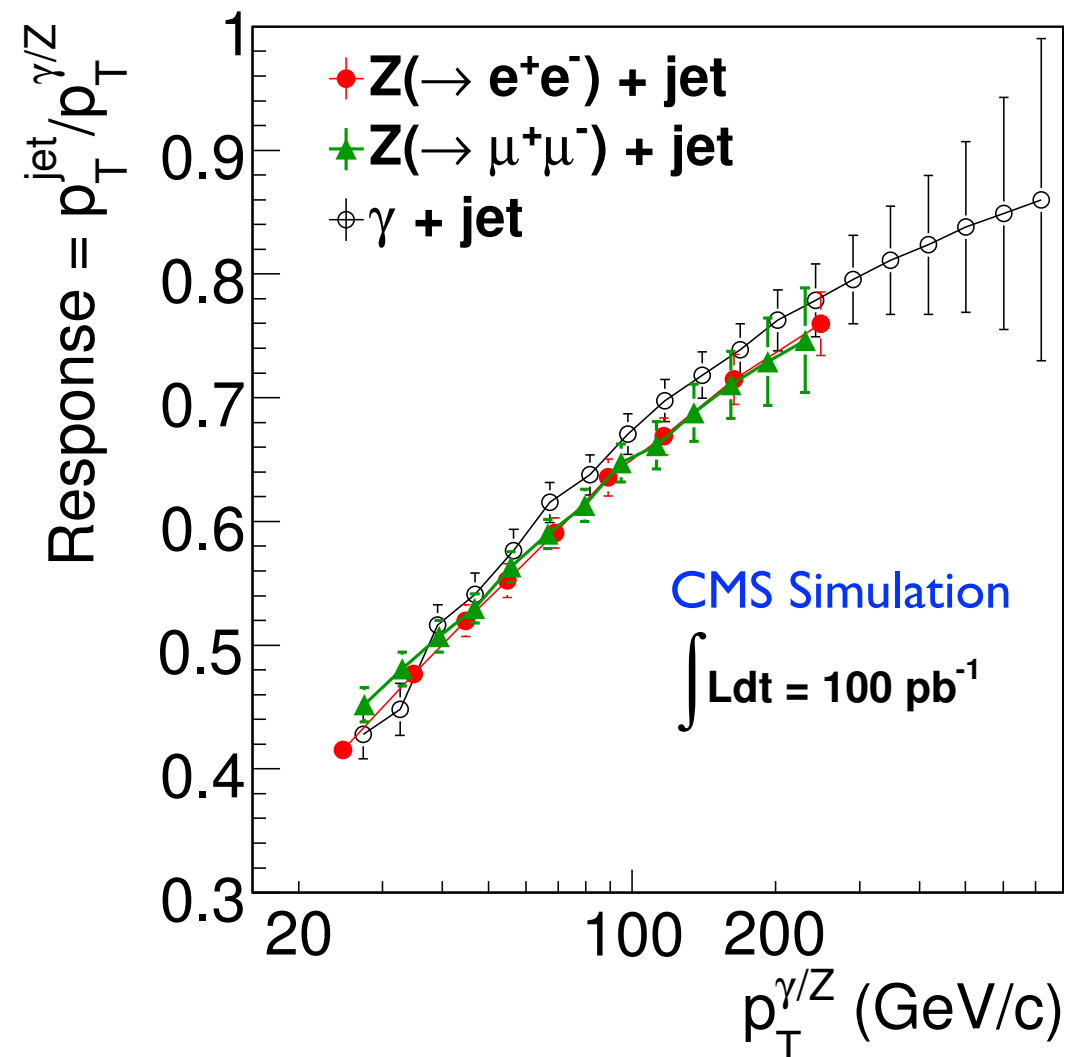
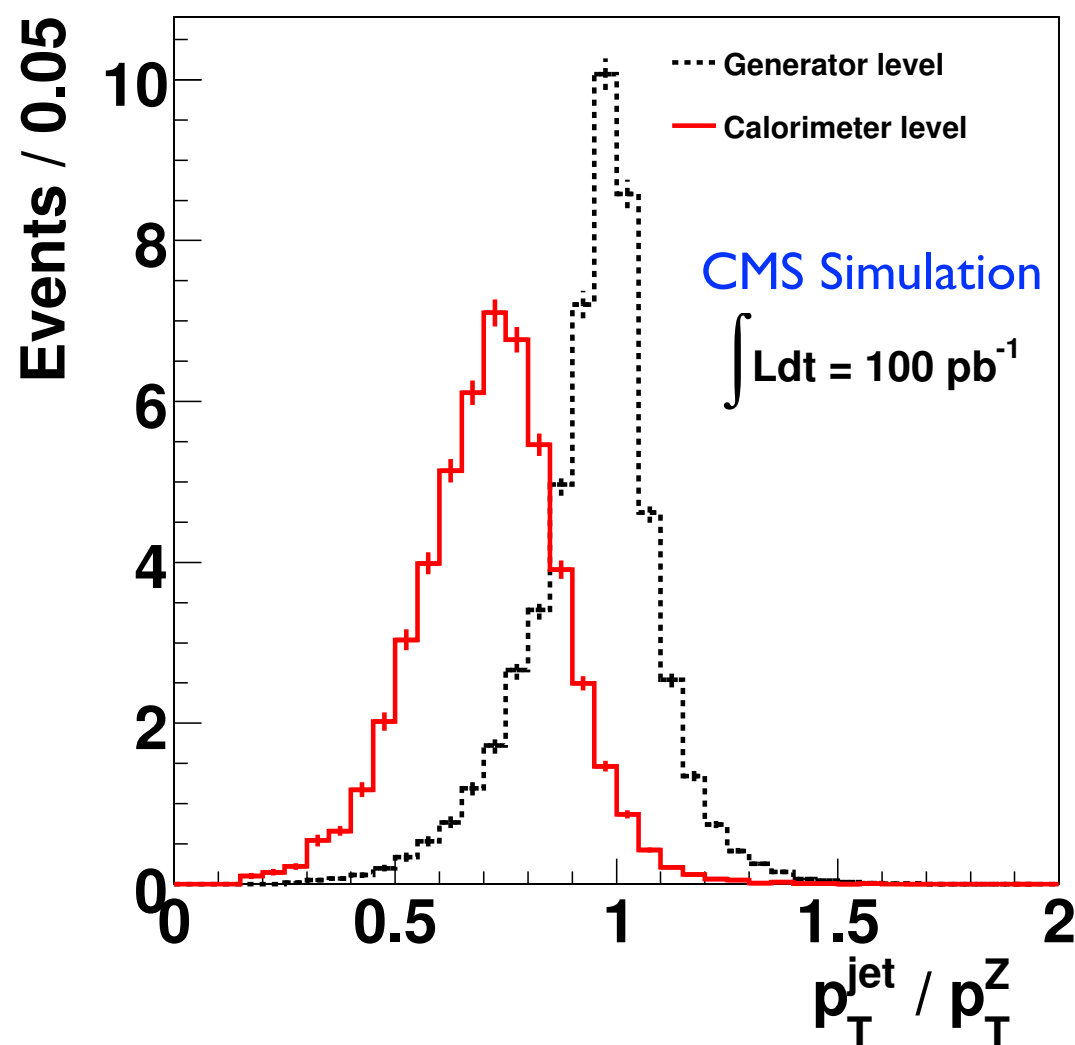
# $\gamma$ +jet $p_T$ Balance



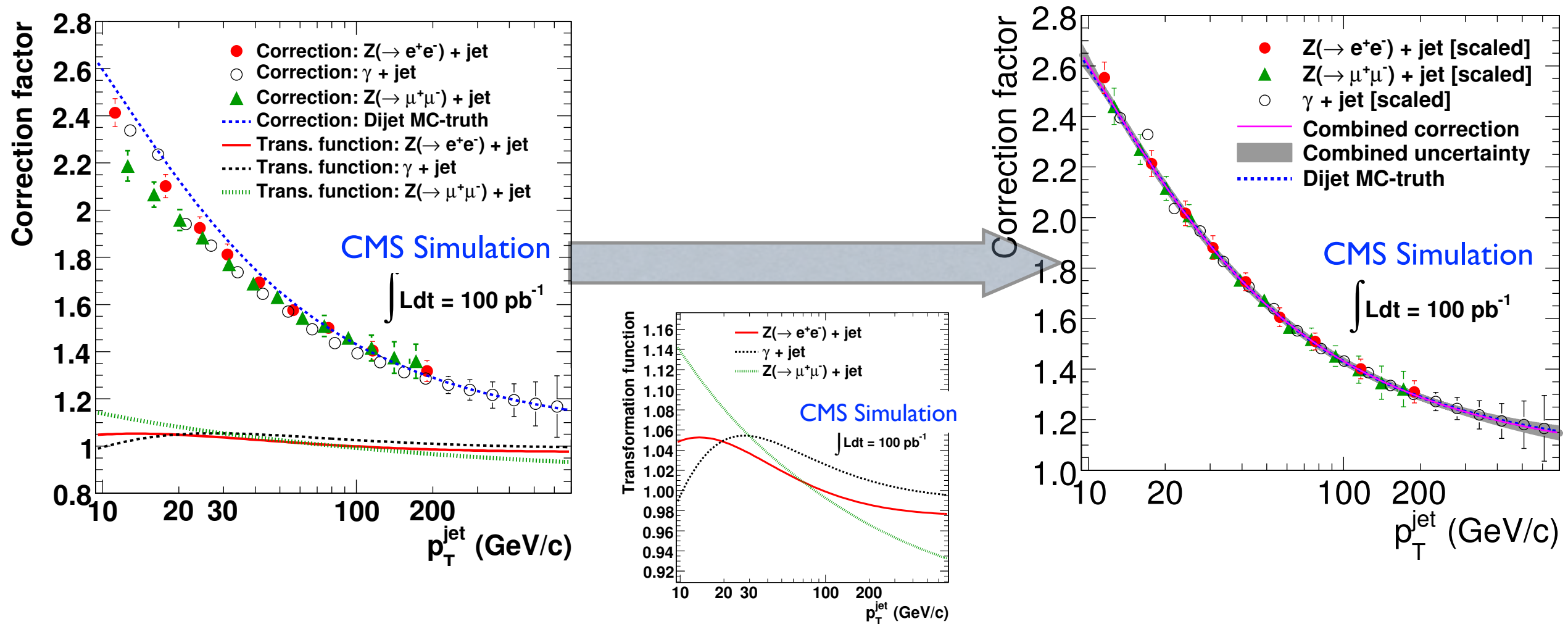
- ◆ measures the absolute energy scale
- ◆ look for events with a photon and a jet, back-to-back in azimuth
- ◆ the photon scale is known to  $\sim 1\%$  accuracy  $\Rightarrow$  absolute jet energy scale
- ◆ jets in the barrel region
- ◆ veto on the second jet
- ◆ parton level measurement

## CAVEATS

- ➡ sensitivity to the second jet veto. Extrapolation to 0 needed (limiting statistics).
- ➡ contamination by QCD background



- ◆ look for events with a Z and a jet, back-to-back in azimuth
- ◆ the Z  $p_T$  scale is known to  $\sim 1\%$  accuracy  $\Rightarrow$  absolute jet energy scale
- ◆ jets in the barrel region
- ◆ veto on the second jet
- ◆ parton level measurement
- ◆ free of QCD background  $\Rightarrow$  more precise measurement at low  $p_T$
- ◆ smaller  $p_T$  range than photon+jet balancing

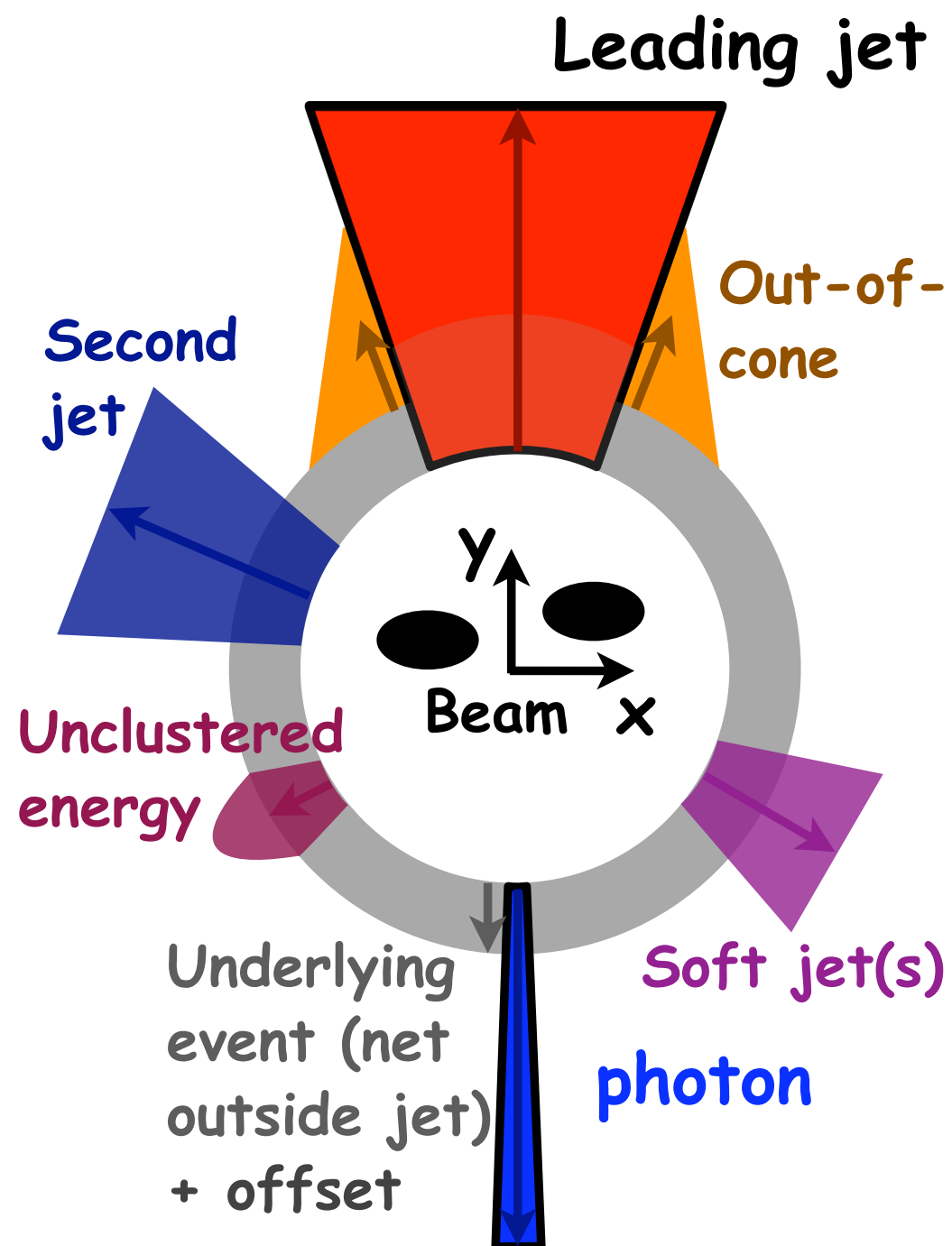


## Transformation factors

- ◆ mapping to QCD flavor content
- ◆ from parton level to particle level
- ◆ event selection residuals
- ◆ dominant source of systematic uncertainty

# The MPF Method (I)

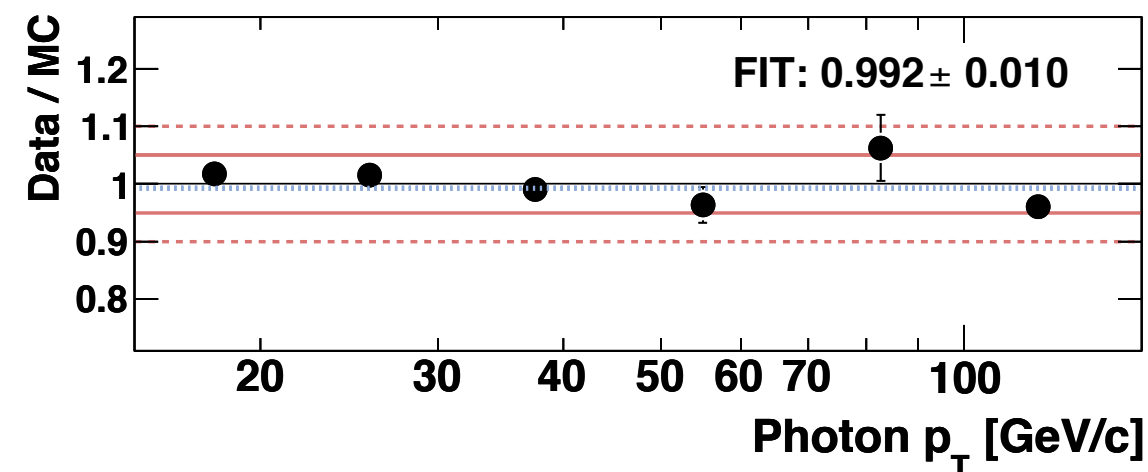
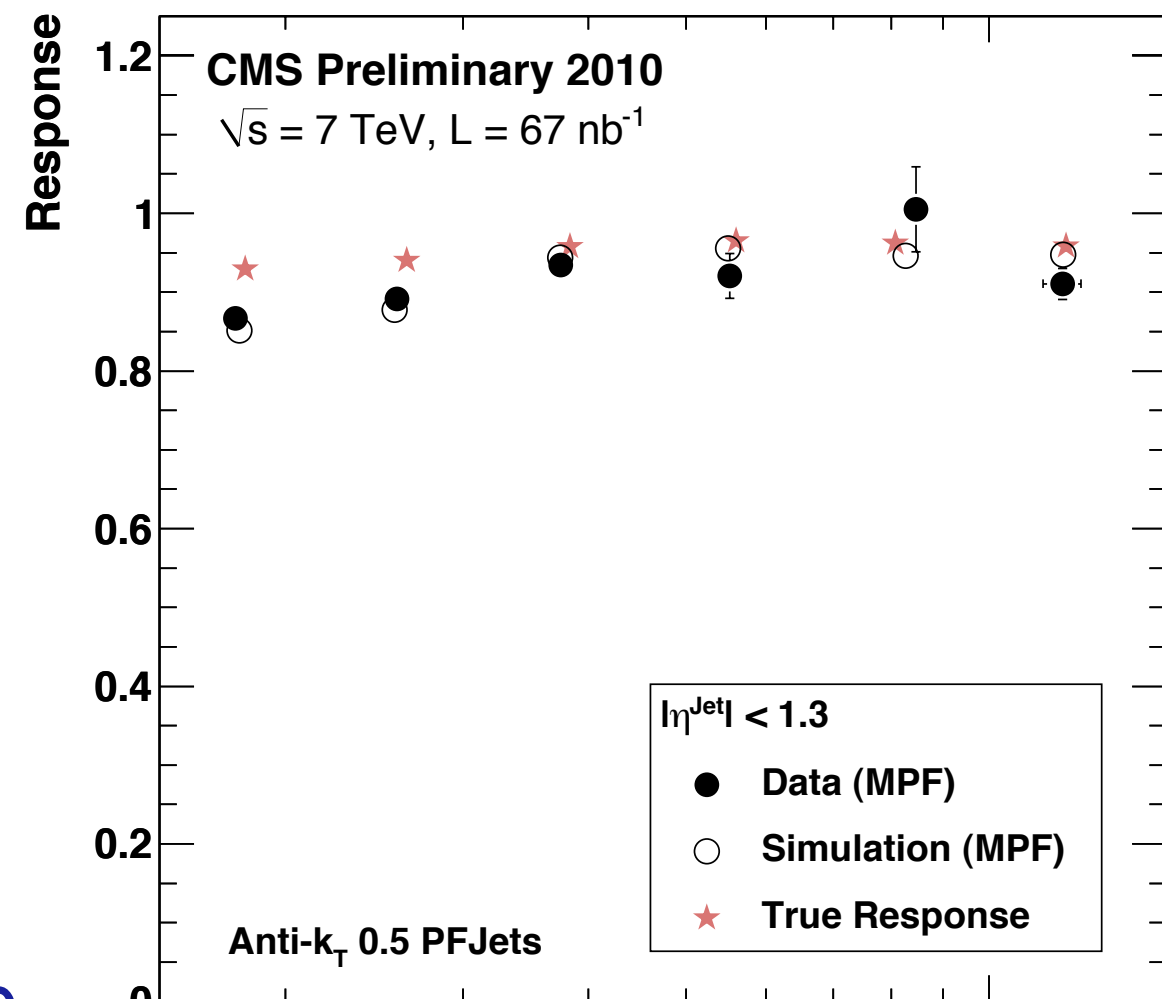
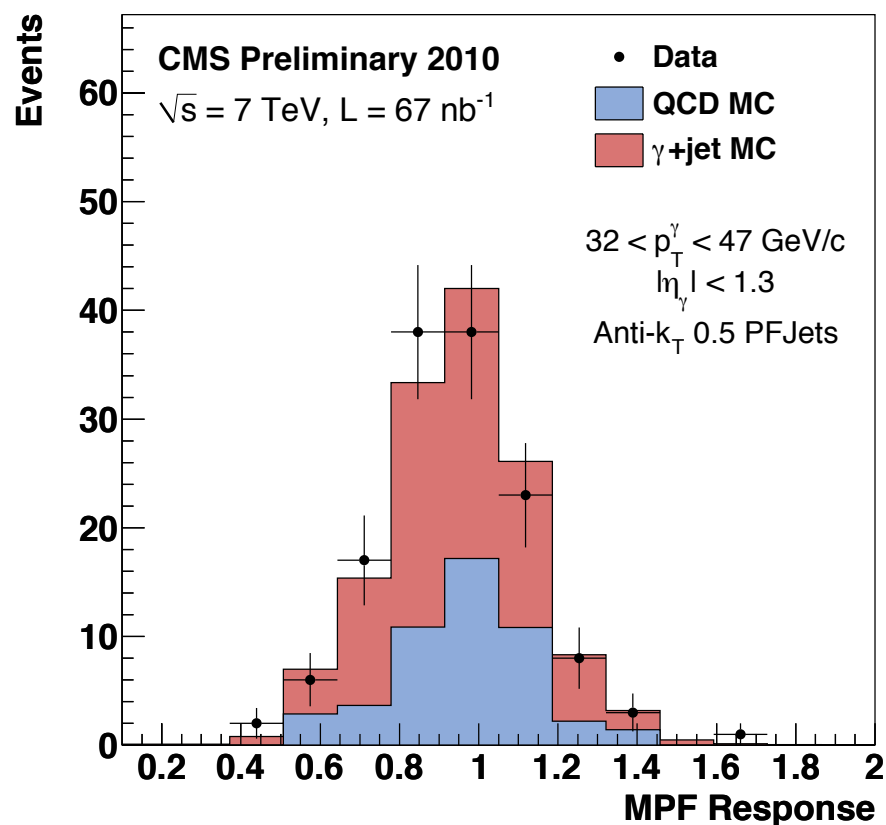
$$\vec{p}_{T,\gamma} + \vec{p}_{T,recoil} = \vec{0}$$



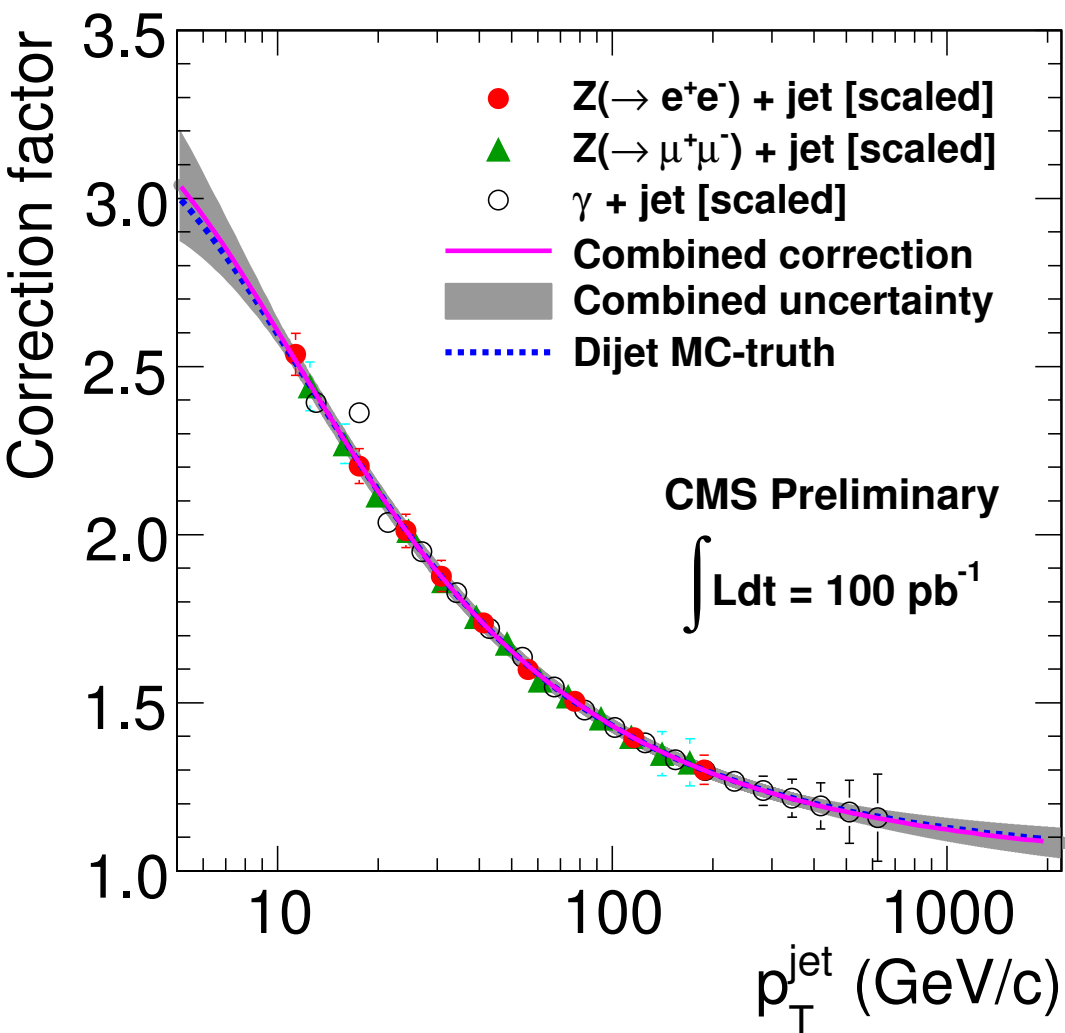
$$R_{\gamma} \vec{p}_{T,\gamma} + R_{recoil} \vec{p}_{T,recoil} = -\vec{E}_T^{miss}$$

$$R_{MPF} = R_{recoil} = 1 + \frac{\vec{E}_T^{miss} \cdot \vec{p}_{T,\gamma}}{(p_{T,\gamma})^2}$$

- ◆ balances the photon with the full hadronic recoil in events with no real missing energy
- ◆ relies on the MET measurement
- ◆ the recoil response can be translated to jet response



- ◆ better use of the available statistics than  $\gamma$ +jet  $p_T$  balancing
- ◆ veto on second jet and extrapolation to 0 needed (weaker dependence than  $\gamma$ +jet  $p_T$  balancing)
- ◆ **necessary conditions:**
  - ▶ MET and jet reconstruction identical
  - ▶ jet response similar to recoil response



◆ photon/Z+jet balancing methods cover only  $\sim 1/3$  of the available jet  $p_T$  range

◆ how to check the highest jet  $p_T$ ?

▶ through a tuned MC

- single particle response (directly measured)
- fragmentation modeling (Pythia, Herwig++)

▶ through 3-jet  $p_T$  balancing

- statistically limited but feasible
- important biases related to the event selection

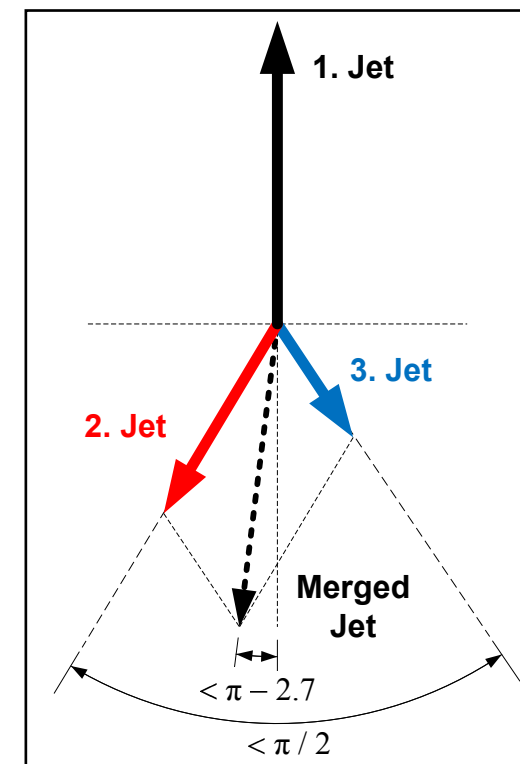
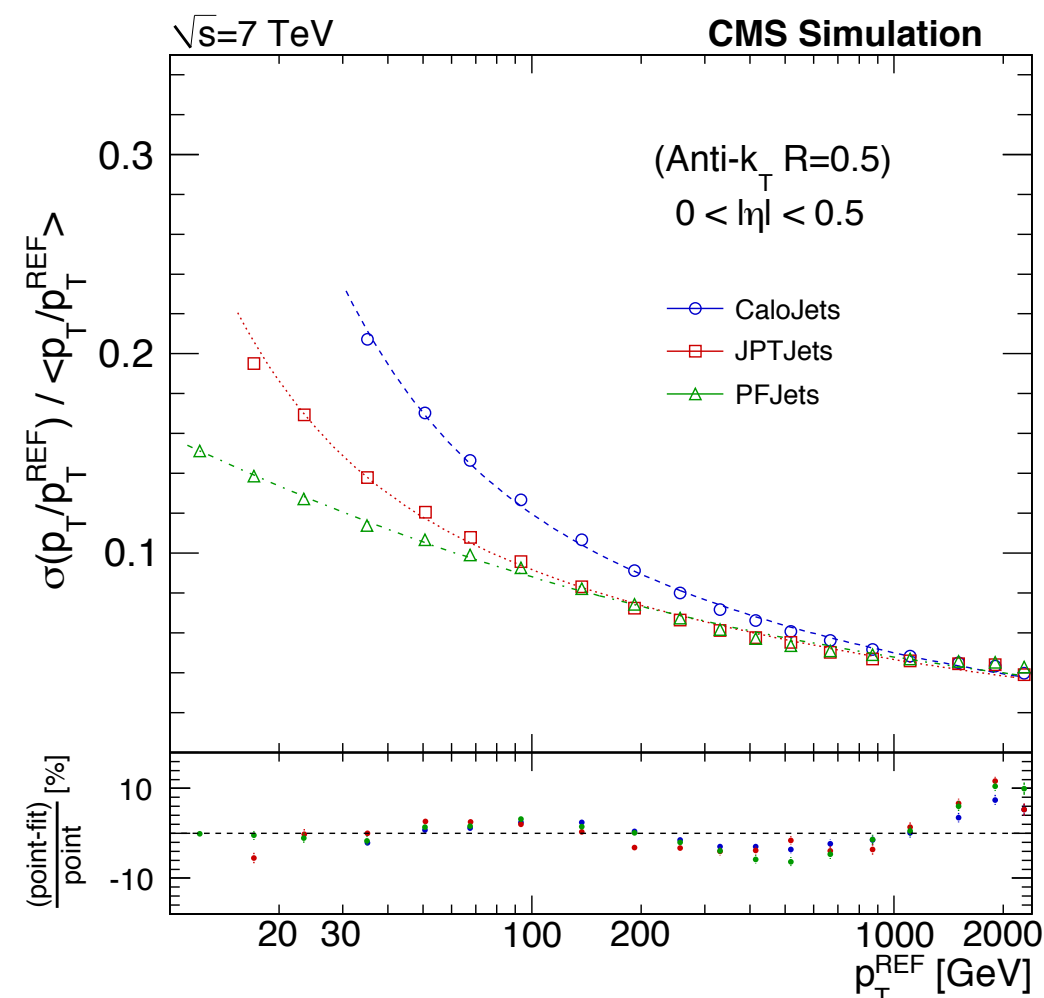
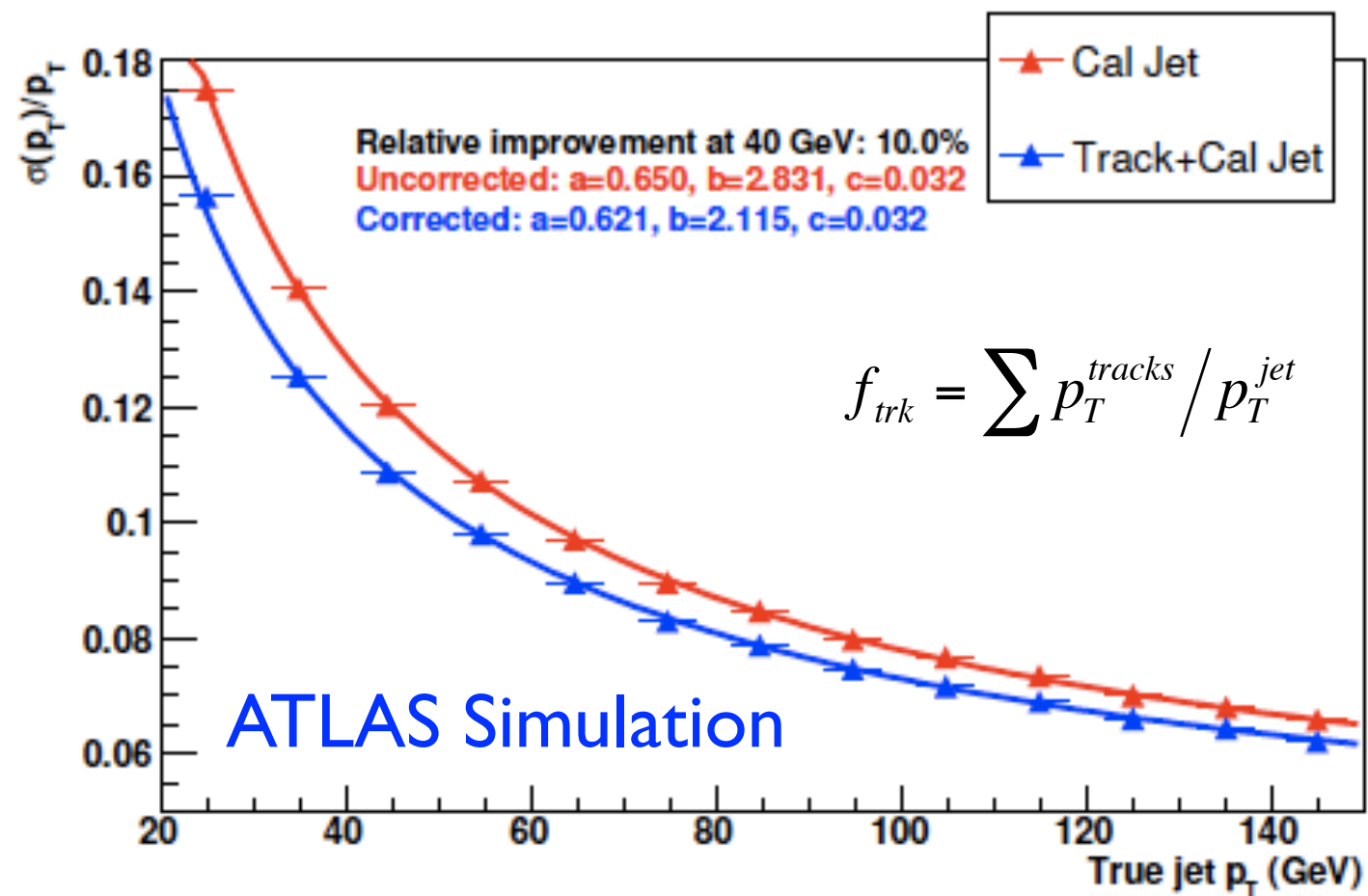
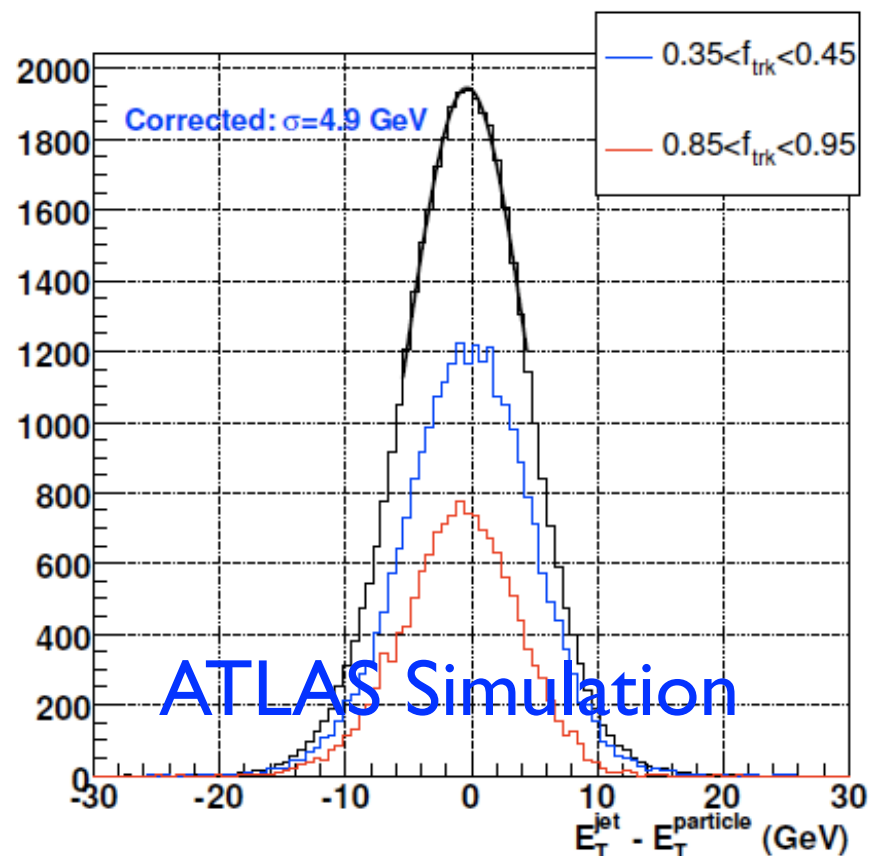
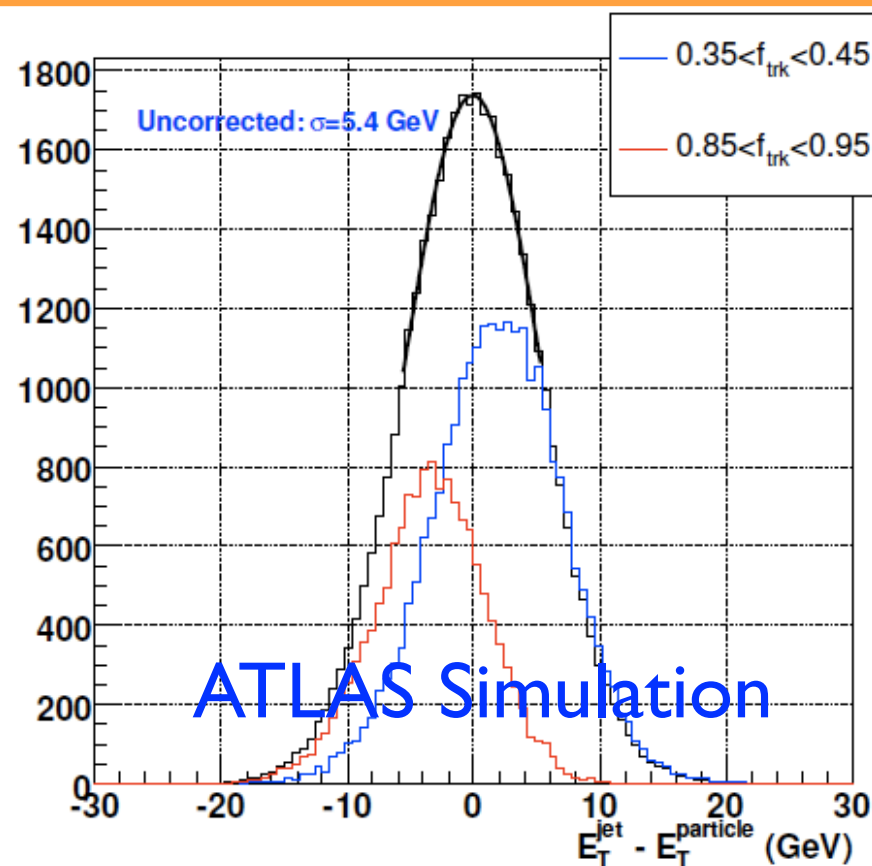


Diagram illustrating the ECAL (Electromagnetic Calorimeter) geometry and the selection criteria for the jet energy and transverse momentum.

The diagram shows a circular cross-section of the ECAL with a radius  $R = 120$  cm. The jet energy is defined as  $E_T^{\text{Jet}} = 100$  GeV. The transverse momentum of the photon is defined as  $p_T < 0.8$  GeV. The diagram is divided into three regions labeled 1, 2, and 3.

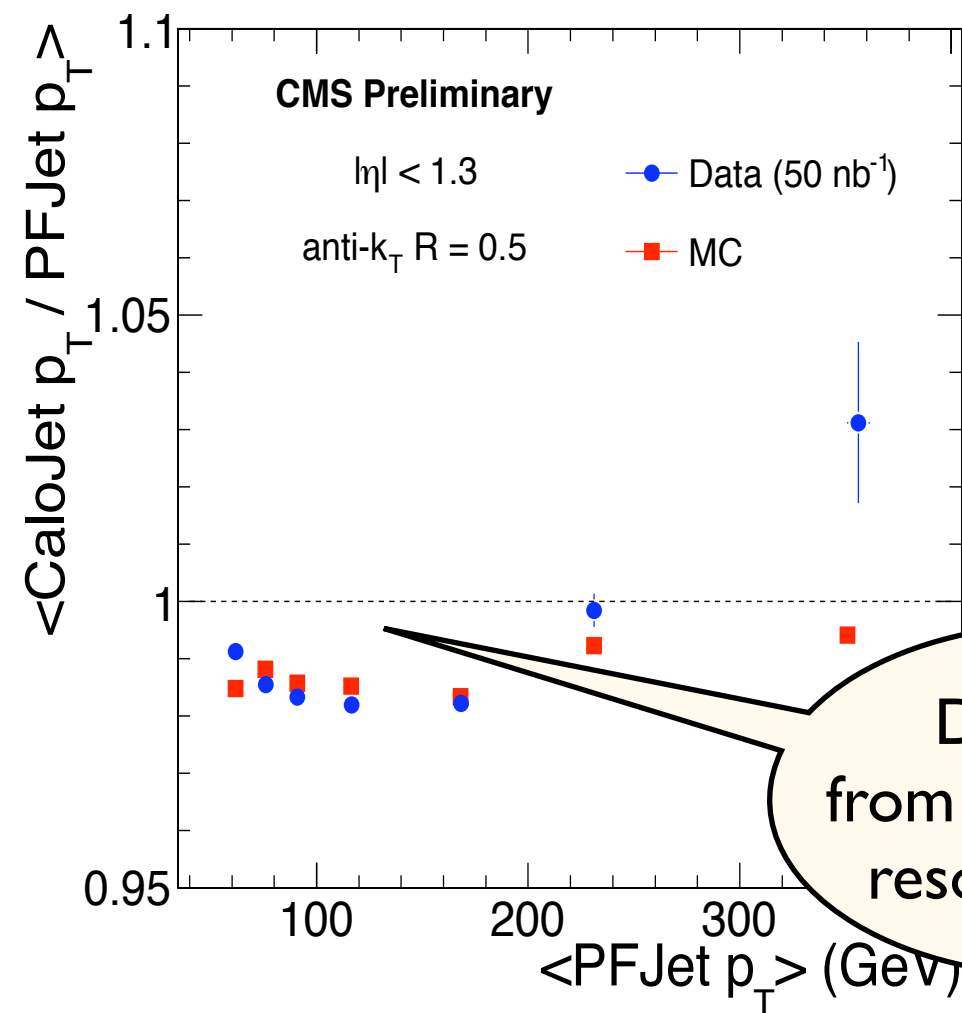
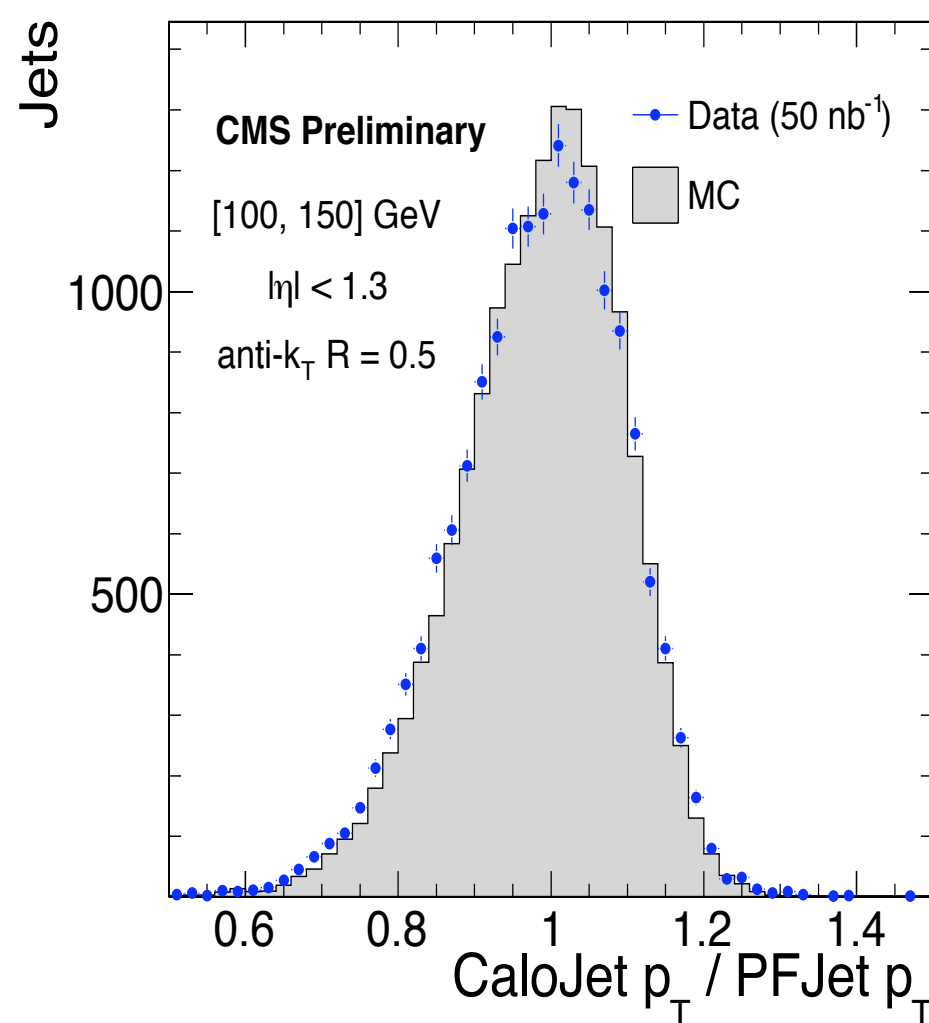


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$$f_{trk} = \sum p_T^{tracks} / p_T^{jet}$$

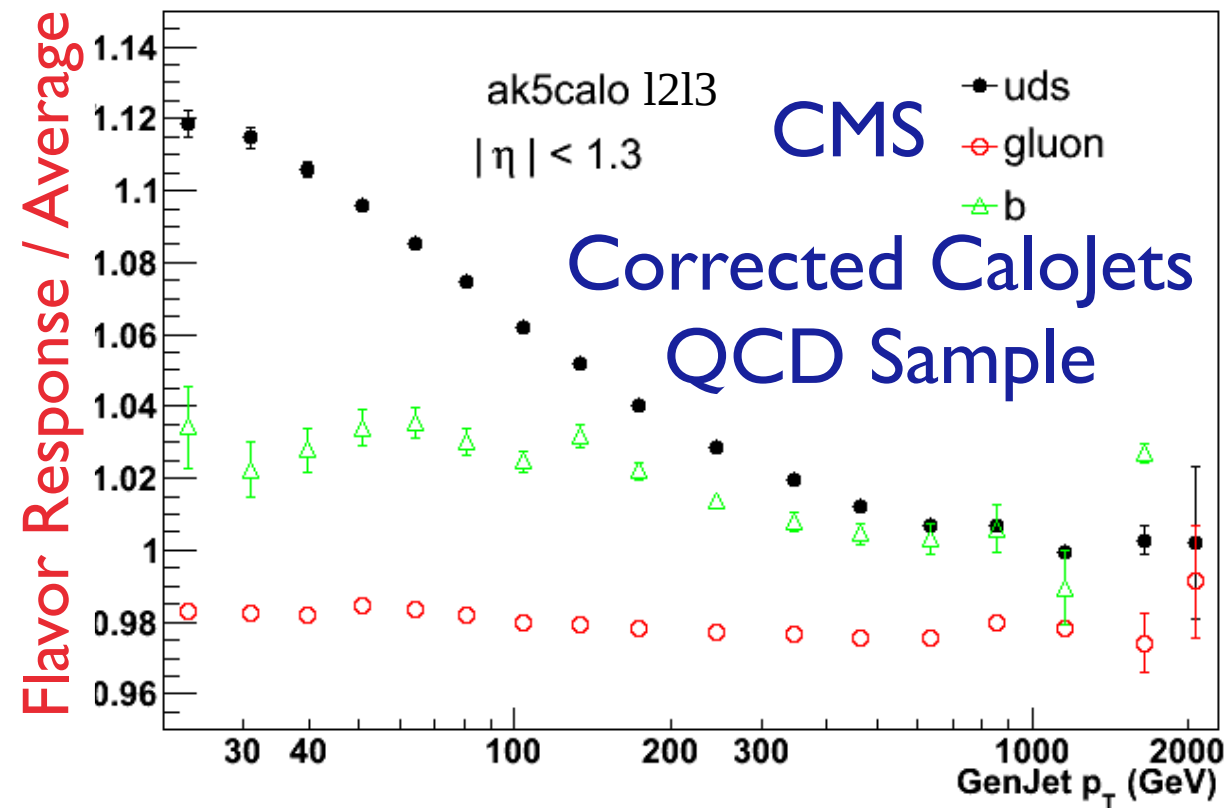
- ◆ start by reconstructed calorimeter jets, corrected for the average energy scale
- ◆ classify jets in bins of  $f_{trk}$
- ◆ apply an average residual correction for each bin (not purely “jet-by-jet”)
- ◆ energy resolution improvement



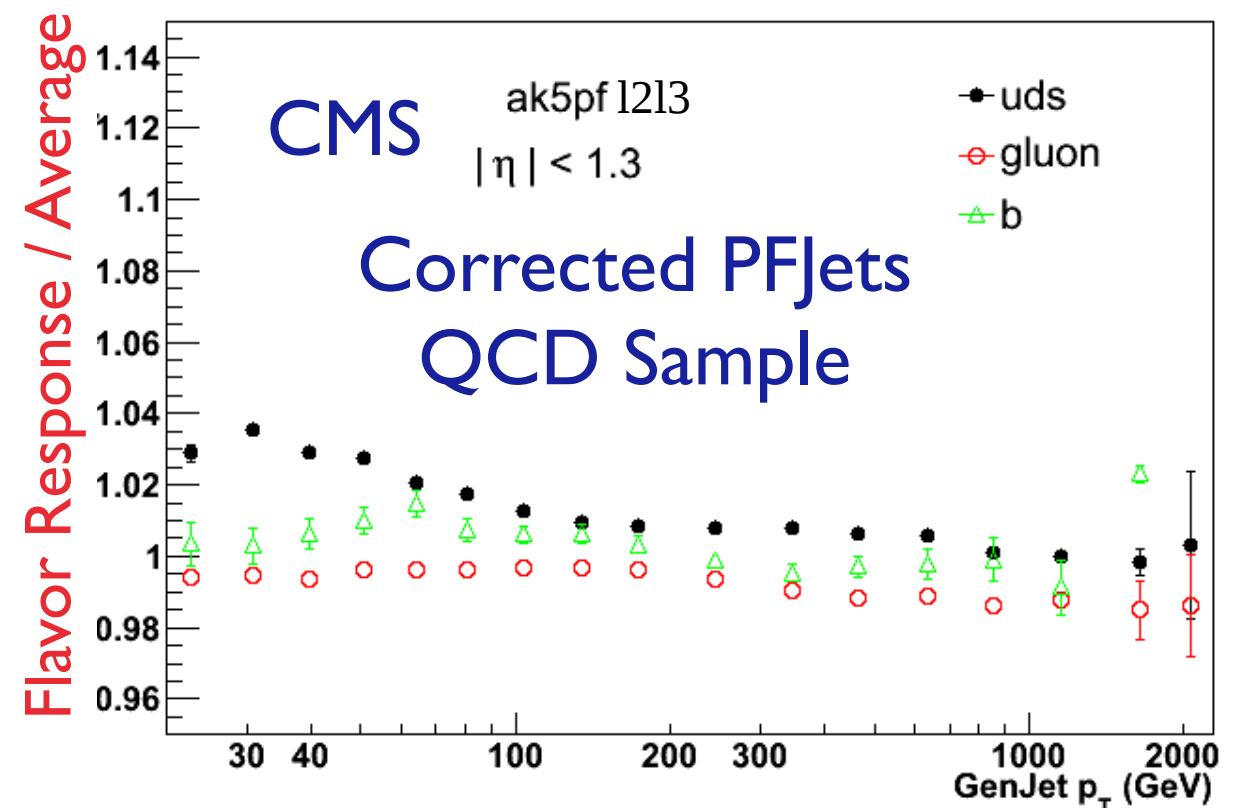
Deviation from unity due to resolution bias

- ◆ the multiple jet reconstruction techniques allow for jet-by-jet comparisons
  - ▶ each jet is a unique object, despite the reconstruction ambiguity
  - ▶ geometrical matching of different jet types (same reconstruction algorithm)
  - ▶ can help constrain the energy scale of the simpler jet types with respect to the more sophisticated and accurate ones

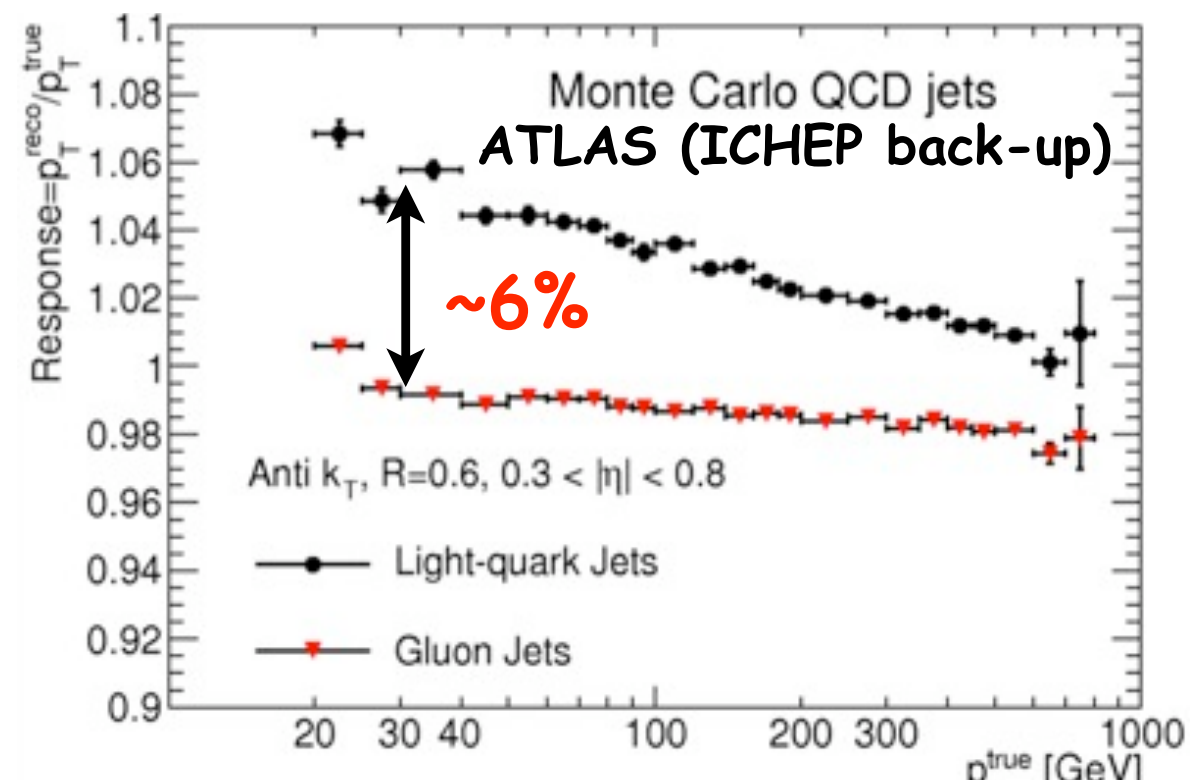
Pythia FullSim (corrected)



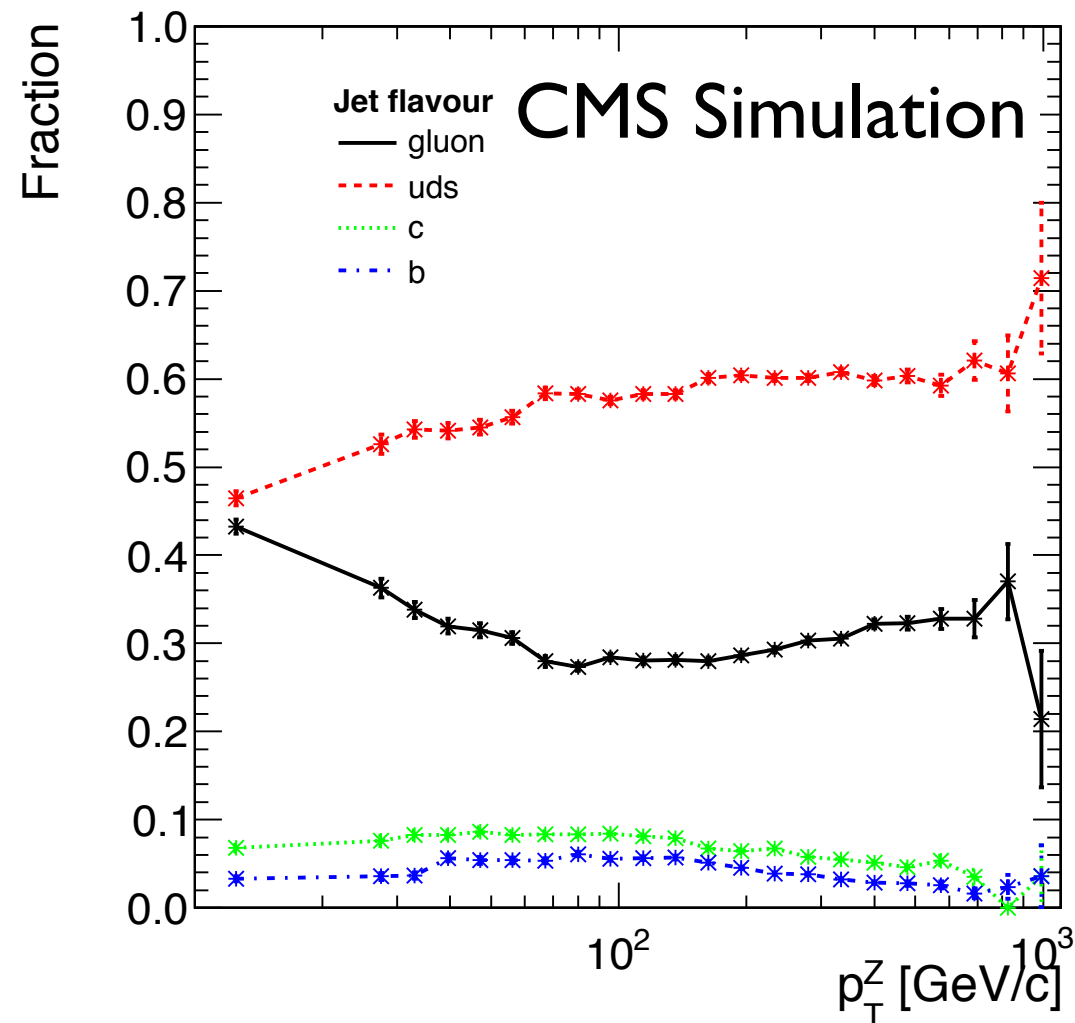
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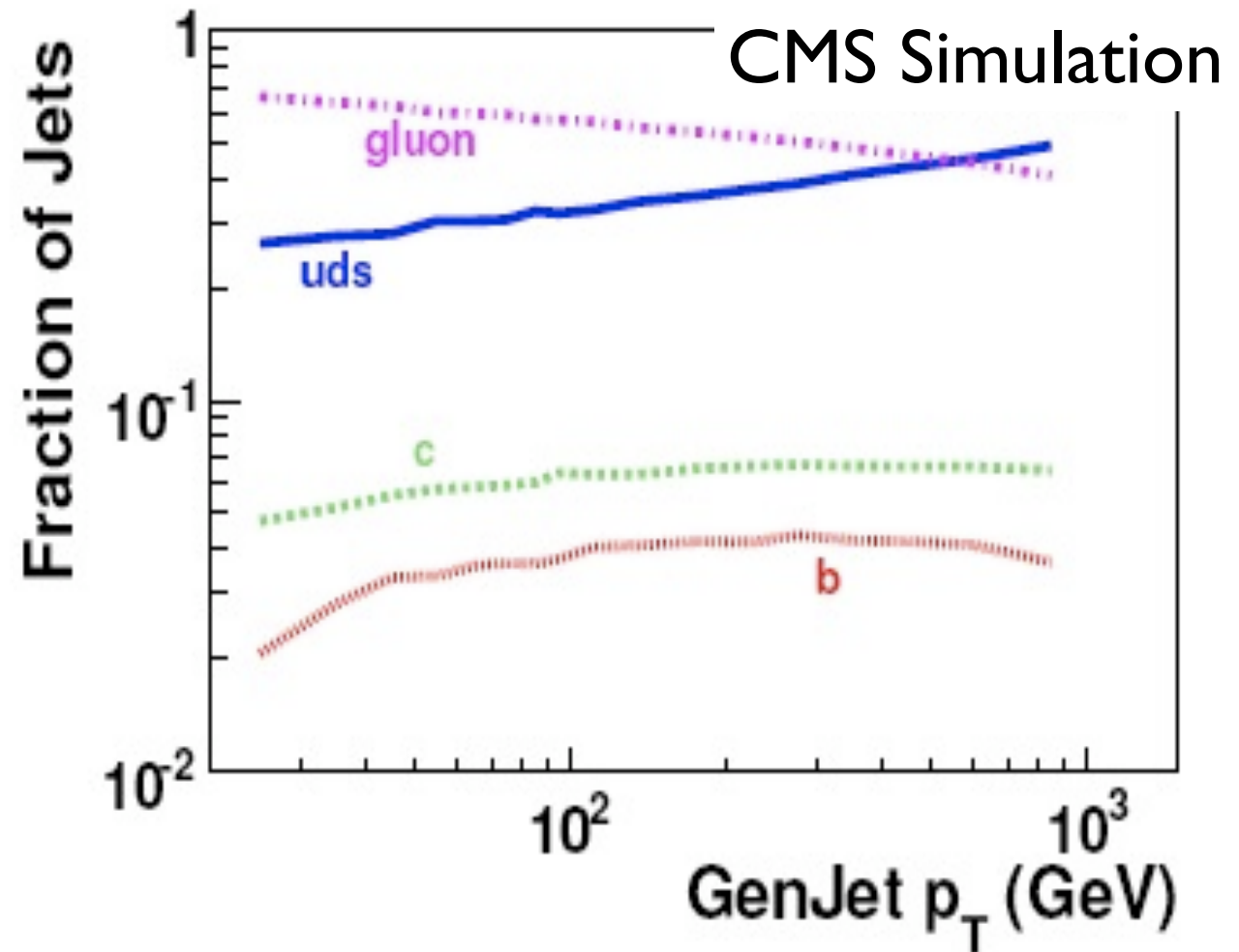
- ◆ significant response variations observed, depending on the jet flavor
  - ▶ light quarks are overcorrected by up to 12% (for the QCD mixture)
- ◆ sophisticated reconstruction and jet-by-jet residual corrections reduce the flavor dependence to ~5%



## Z+jet sample



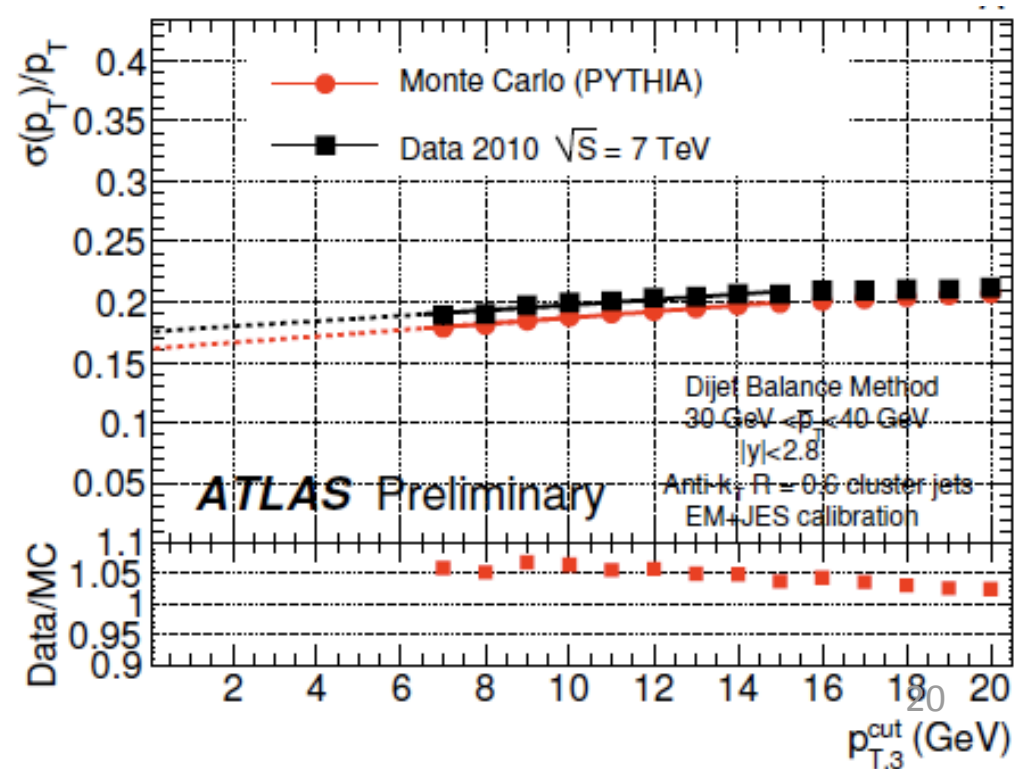
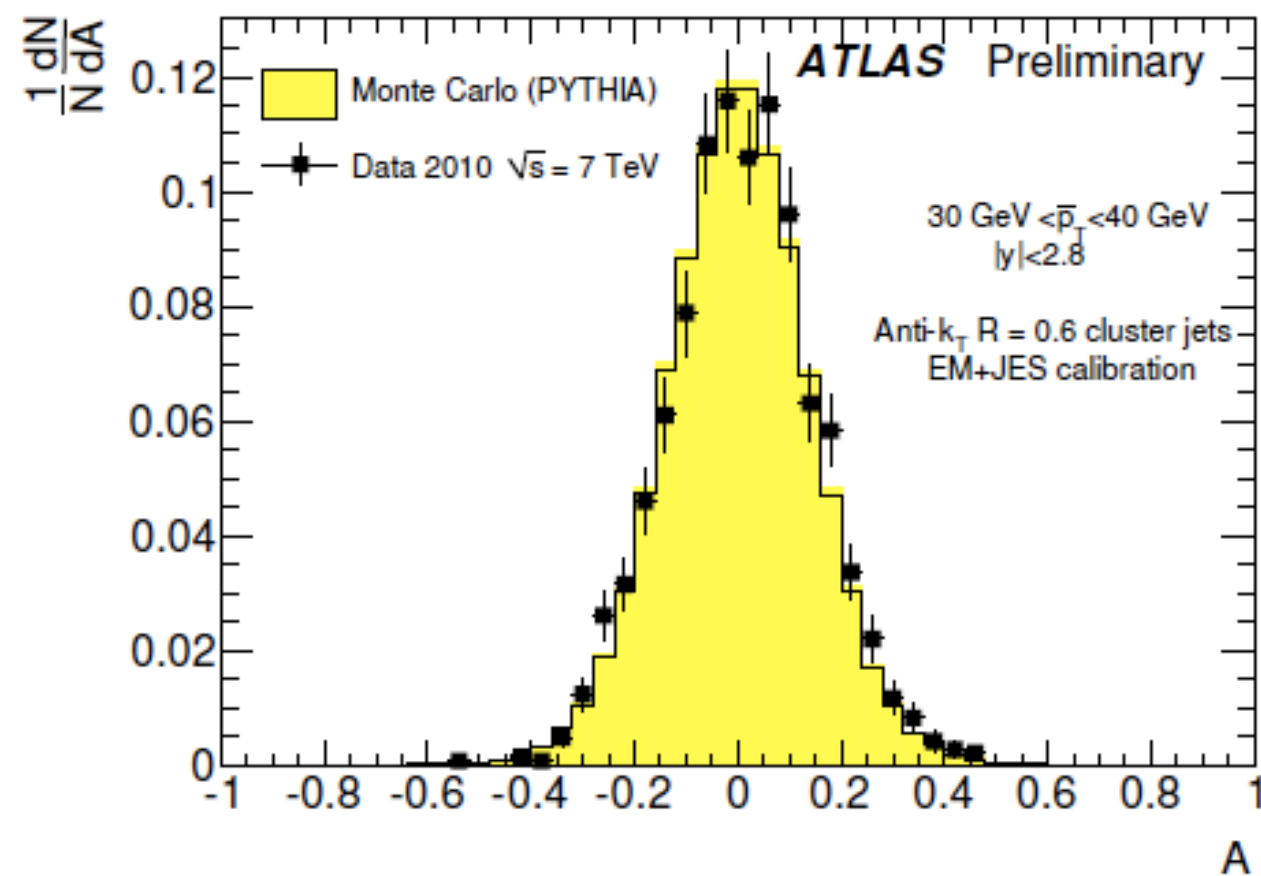
## QCD sample



### ◆ the flavor composition depends on the physics sample

- ▶ QCD sample is dominated by gluon jets
- ▶ Z/W + jets samples are dominated by light quark jets
- ▶ top quark samples contain b and light quark jets

◆ each analysis should look very careful into the flavor composition. Jet energy scale accuracy of ~1% can only be achieved with careful use of flavor corrections



$$A \equiv \frac{p_{T,1} - p_{T,2}}{p_{T,1} + p_{T,2}} \longrightarrow \frac{\sigma_{p_T}}{p_T} = \sqrt{2} \sigma_A$$

## ♦ asymmetry method: another word for dijet balance

► applied to corrected jets

## ♦ analysis essentials

► both jets in the same  $\eta$  bin

► bins of dijet  $p_T$

► jets “1” and “2” are the randomized two leading jets

► cut on the 3rd jet  $p_T$

## ♦ caveats

► only the core of the jet  $p_T$  resolution can be measured (the dijet  $p_T$  binning truncates the tails)

► very sensitive to the 3rd jet extrapolation to 0

## ◆ Bisector method

- ▶ uses dijet events
- ▶ measures the variance along the bisector axis and the axis perpendicular to it
- ▶ sensitive to the third jet

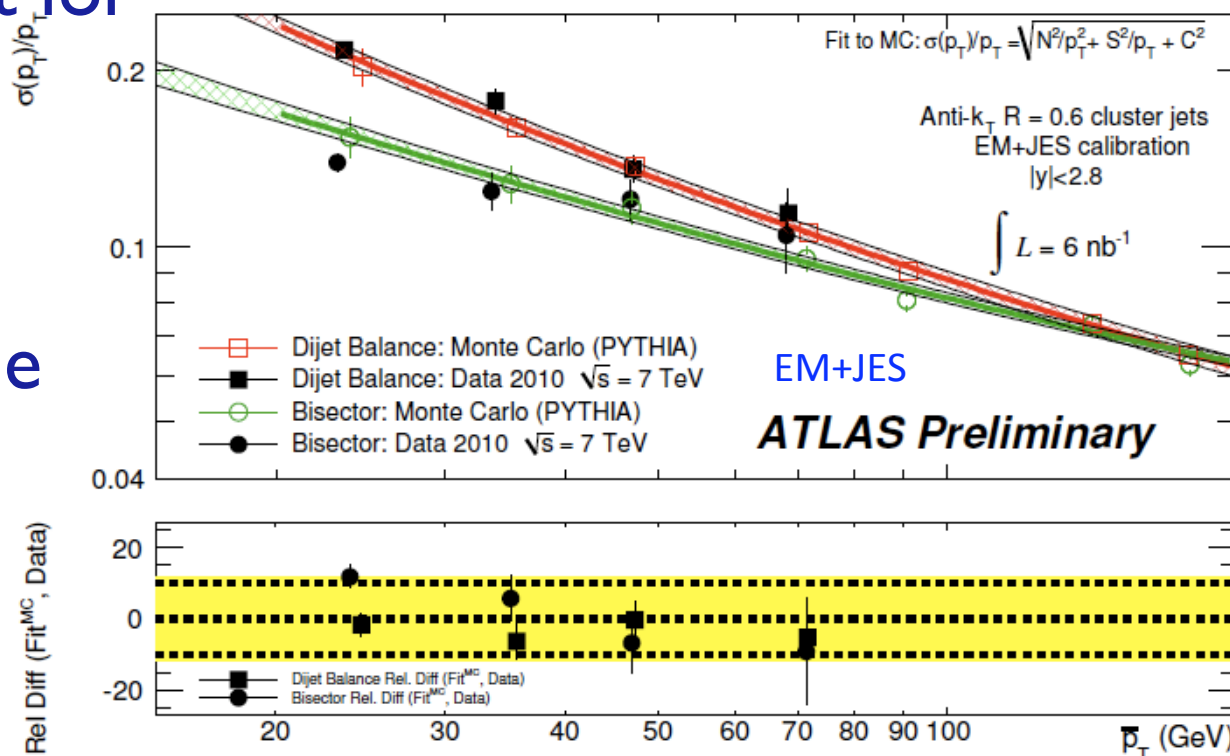
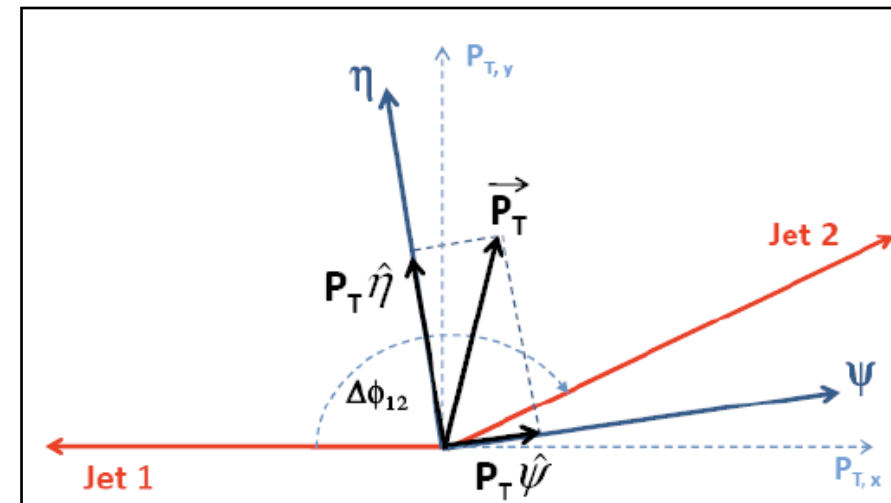
## ◆ $\gamma$ +jet $p_T$ balance

- ▶ similar to energy scale measurement
- ▶ the only data-driven method that can measure the resolution tails (important for predicting the MET tails due to QCD)

## ◆ MC truth

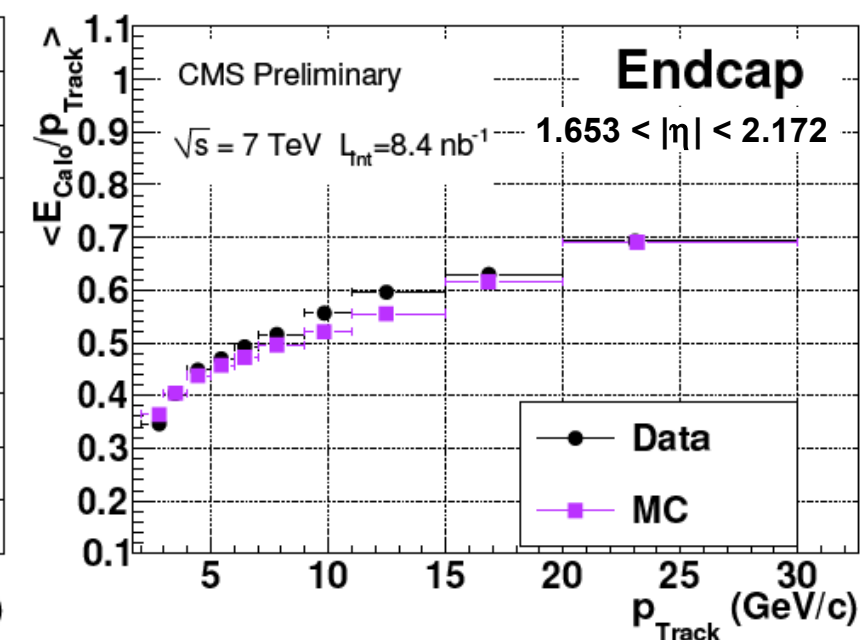
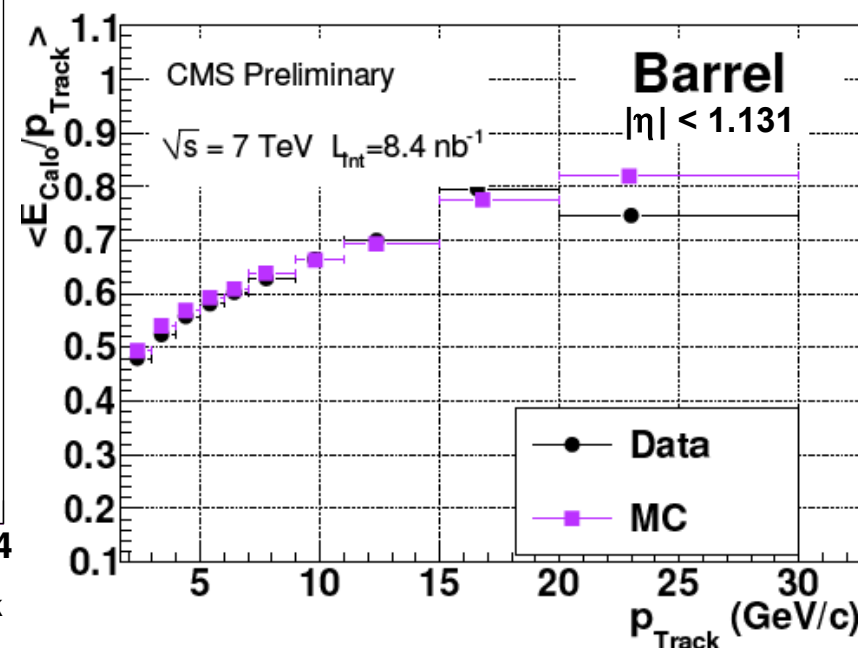
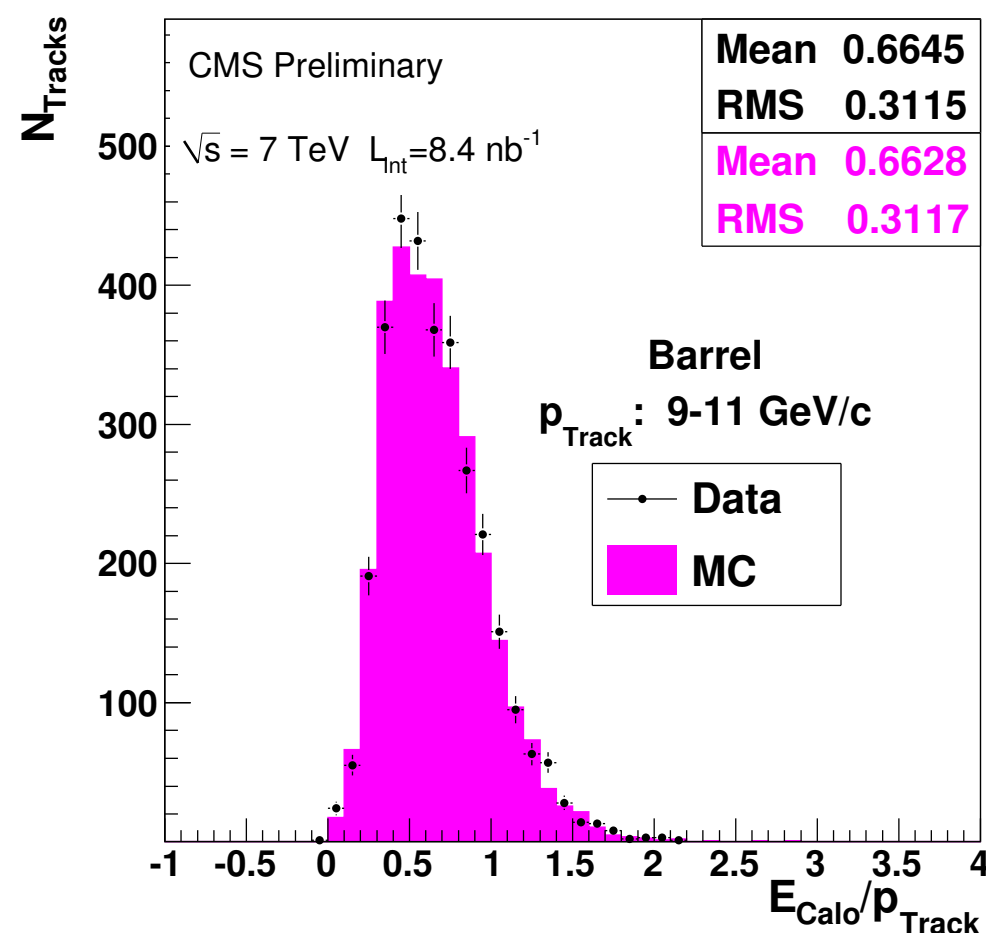
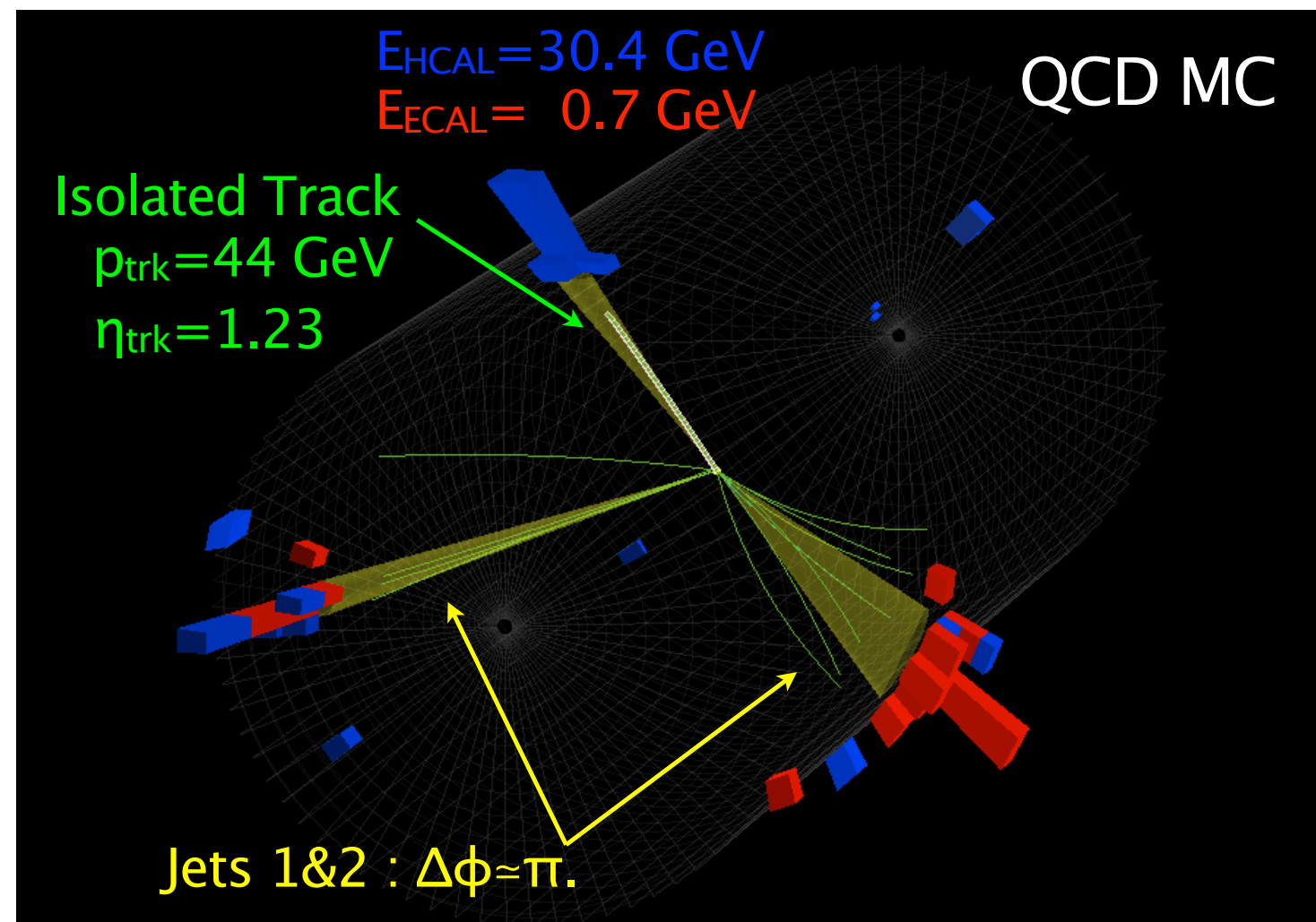
- ▶ a tuned MC is needed
- ▶ sensitive to the fragmentation and the hadron shower modeling

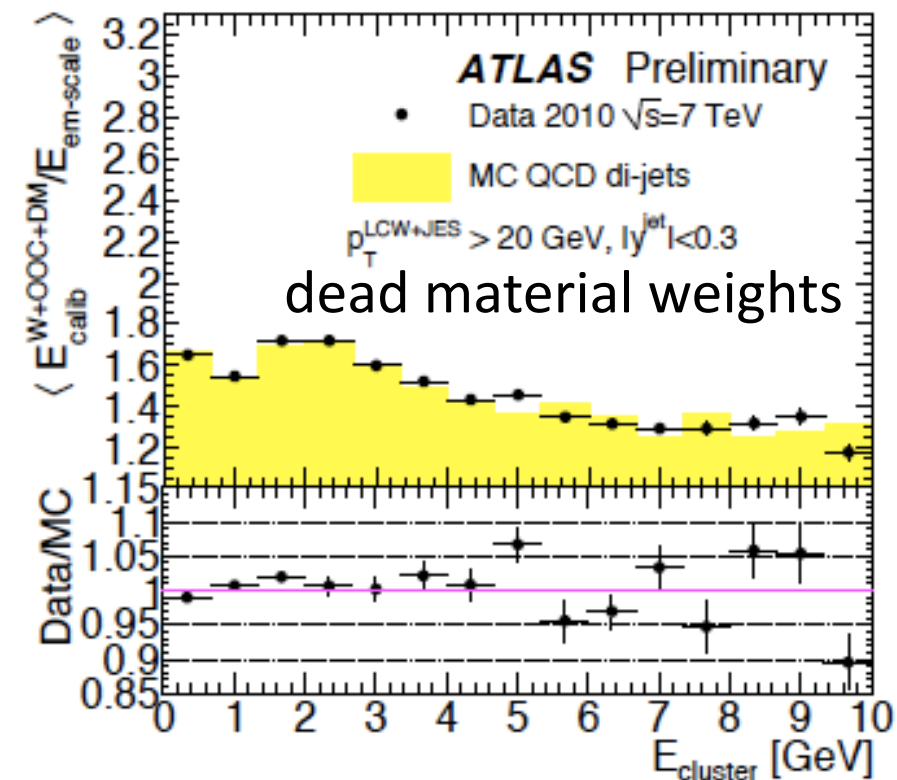
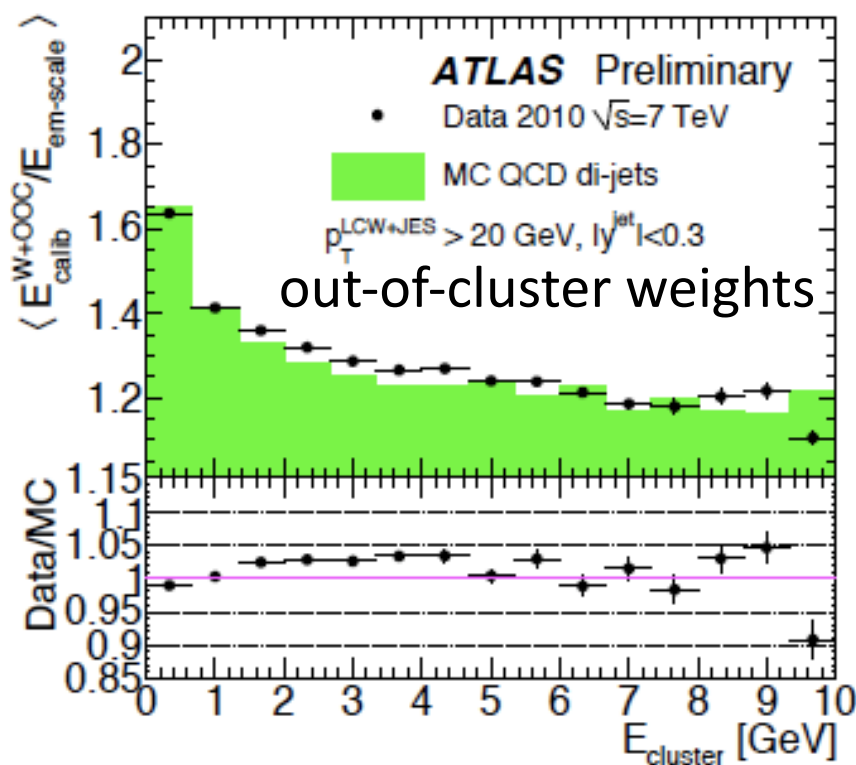
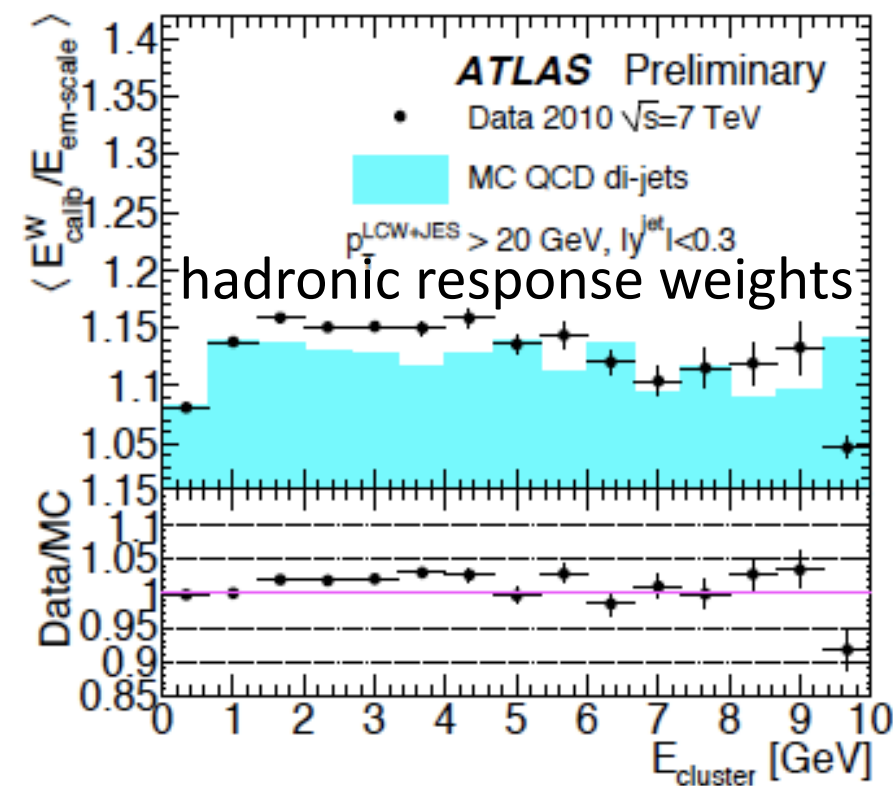
$$\frac{\sigma(p_T)}{\langle p_T \rangle} = \frac{\sqrt{\sigma_{\Psi}^{2\,calo} - \sigma_{\eta}^{2\,calo}}}{\sqrt{2} \langle p_T \rangle |\cos(\Delta\phi)|}$$



## (III) “*Bottom-up*” Calibration

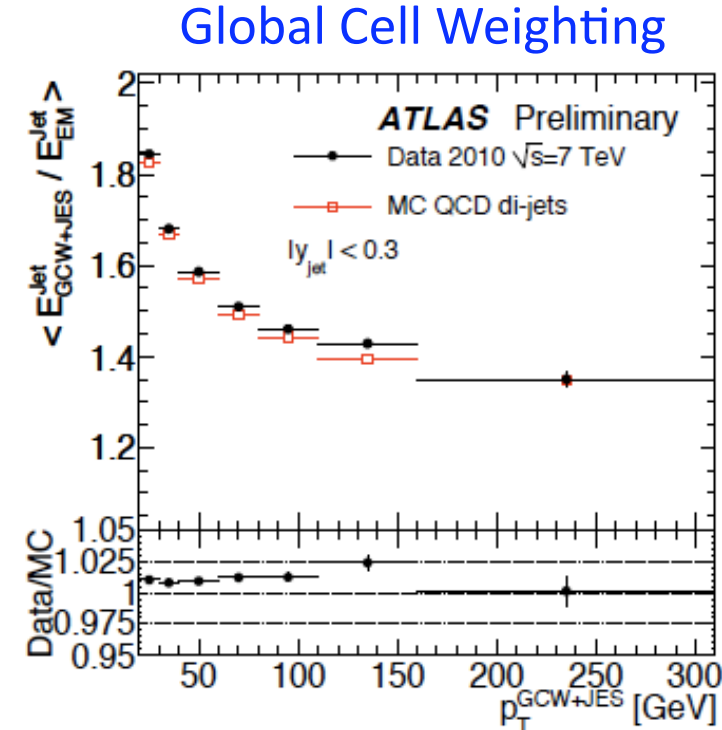
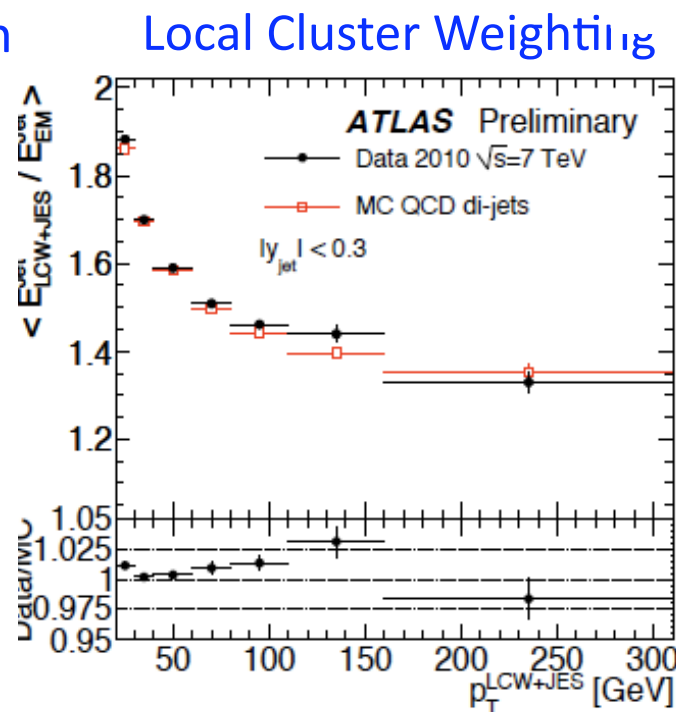
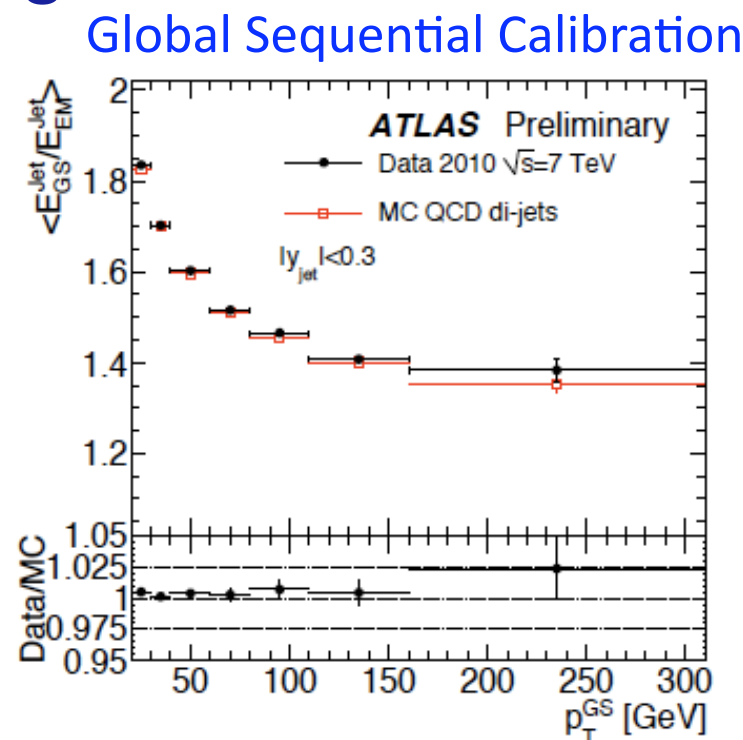
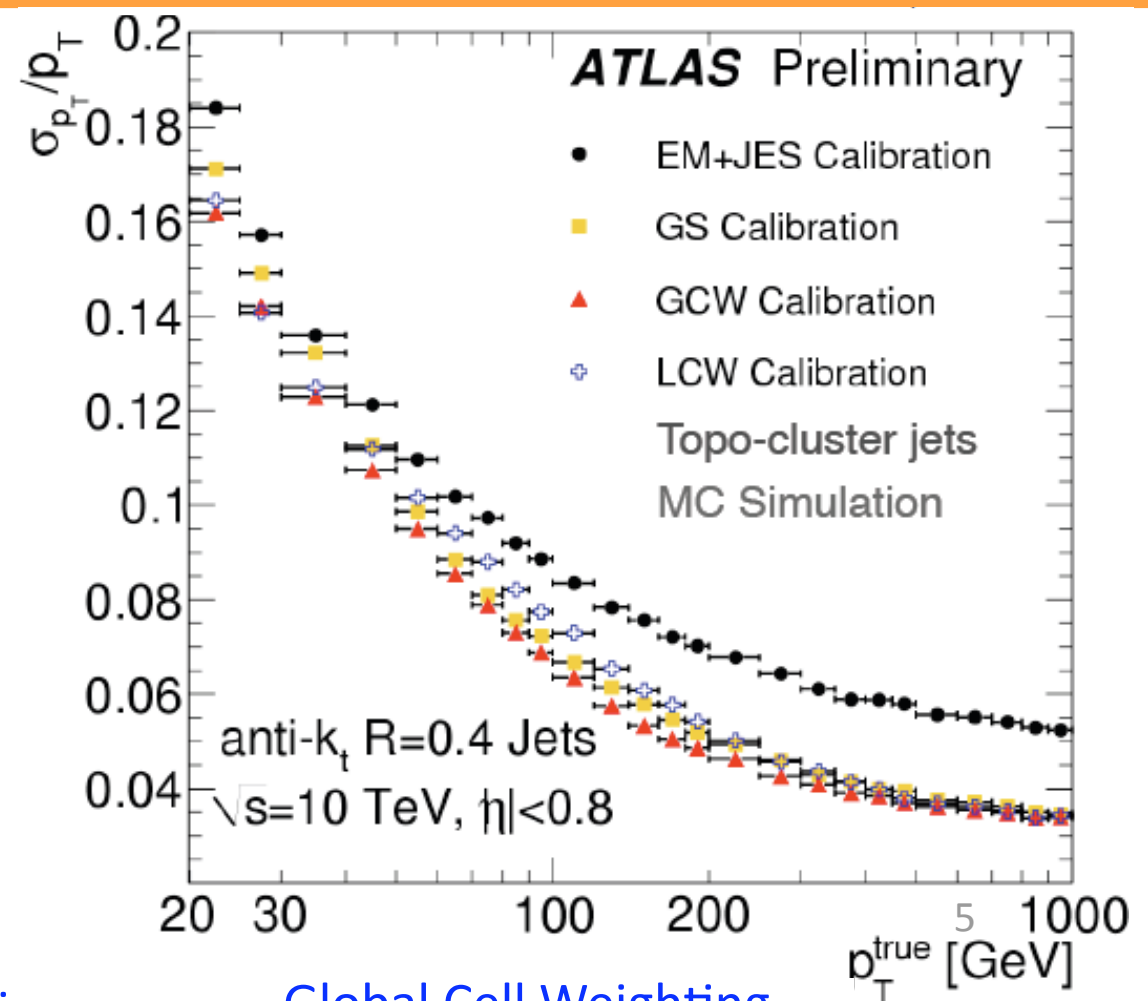
- ◆ initially measured in Test Beam experiments: not the same as the real detectors !!!
- ◆ key ingredient for the hadron calibration
- ◆ looking for isolated tracks
- ◆ measuring the ratio  $E_{\text{calo}}/p_{\text{trk}}$

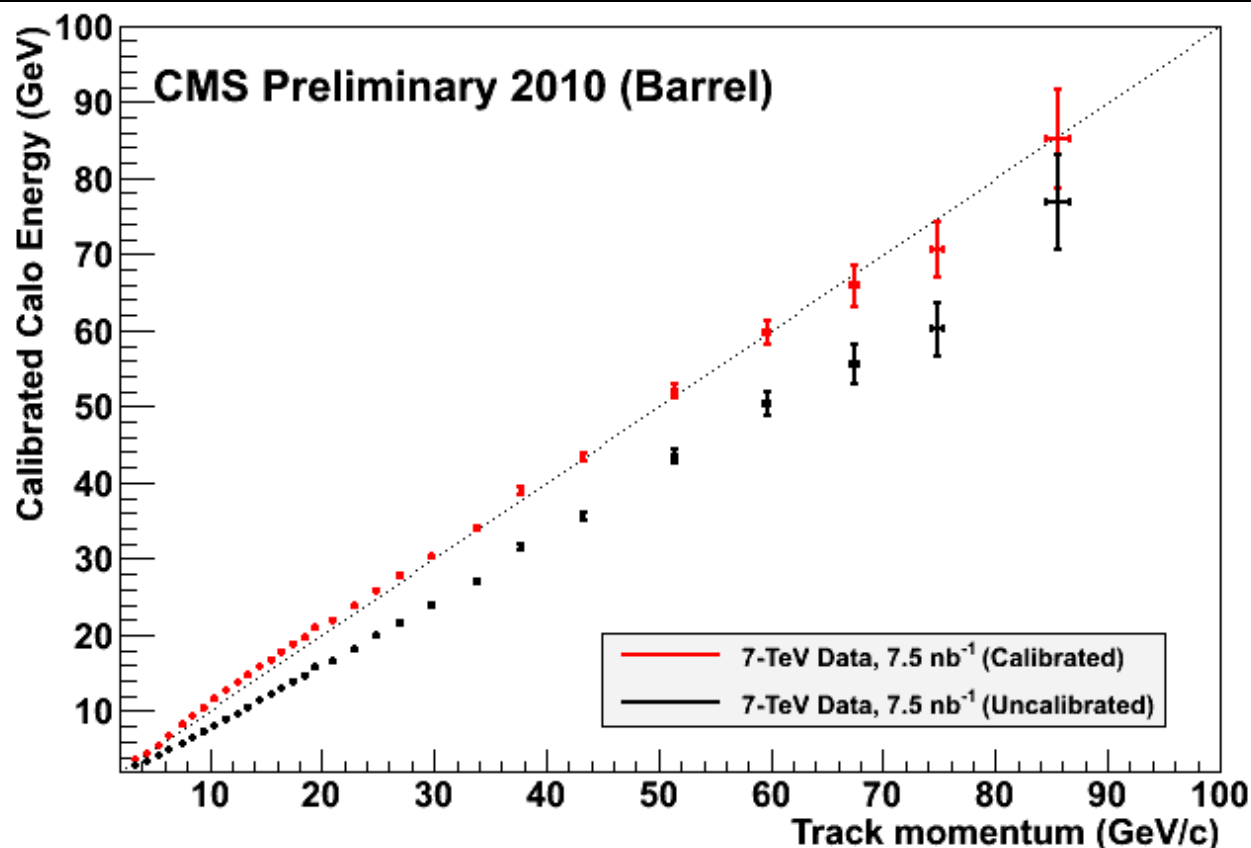
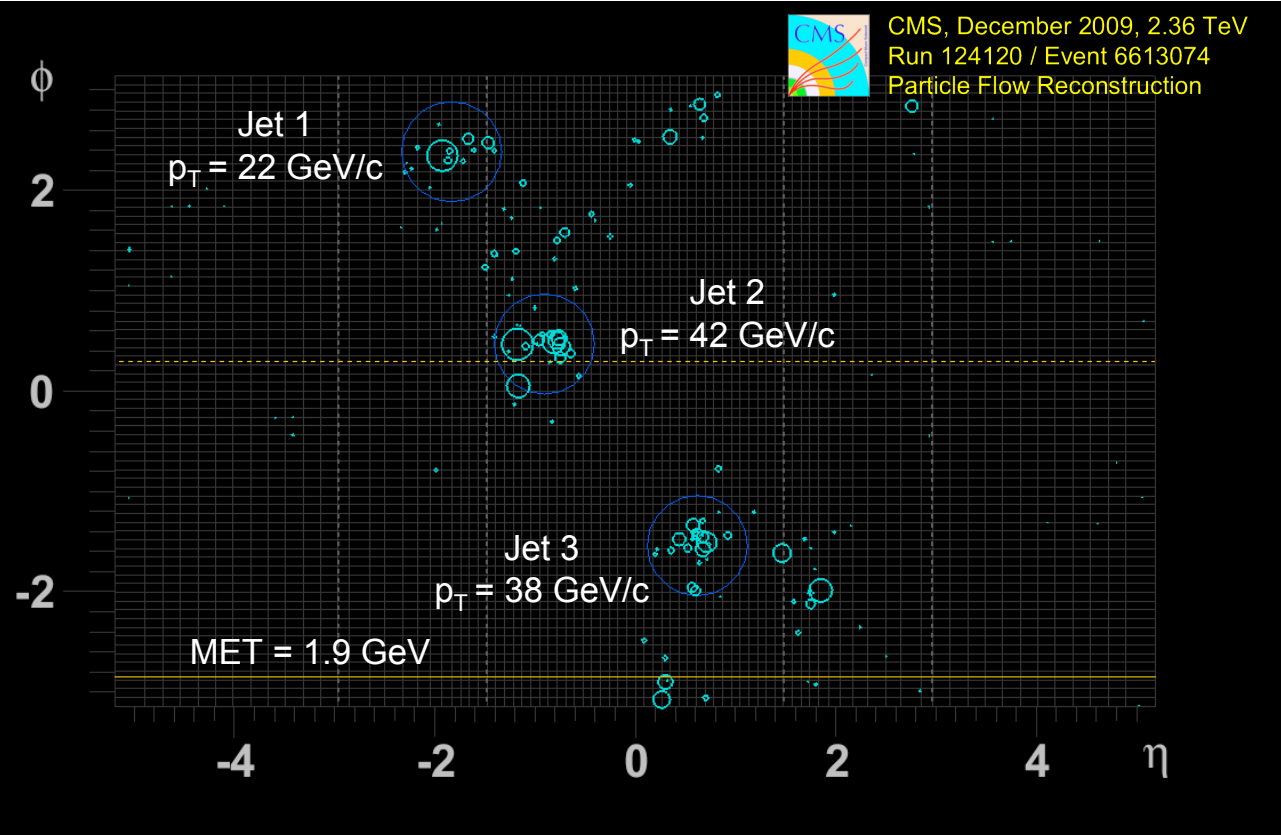




- ◆ individual cluster calibration, **prior to jet reconstruction**
- ◆ clusters classified as EM or HAD with a discriminant ( $\eta$ , depth, cell energy density)
- ◆ cluster weights
  - ▶ hadronic response (cell energy density and cluster energy)
  - ▶ out-of-cluster (cluster depth and energy deposited out of the cluster)
  - ▶ dead material (fractional energy deposited in each calorimeter layer and cluster energy)
- ◆ cluster weights calculated from the MC

- ◆ individual cell weights
  - ▶ dependent on the cell energy density
  - ▶ compensating for lower calorimeter response to hadrons
  - ▶ compensating for energy losses in dead material
- ◆ cell weights calculated from the MC
- ◆ improvement of the energy resolution
- ◆ all calibration methods result on the same average correction





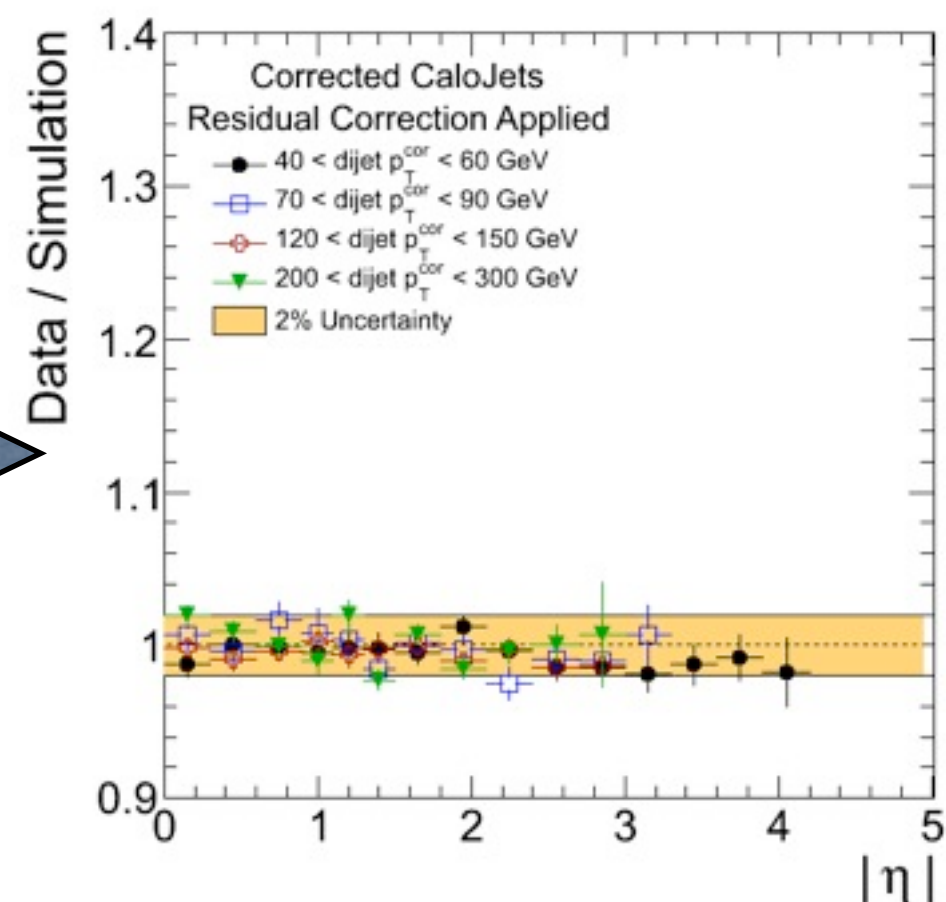
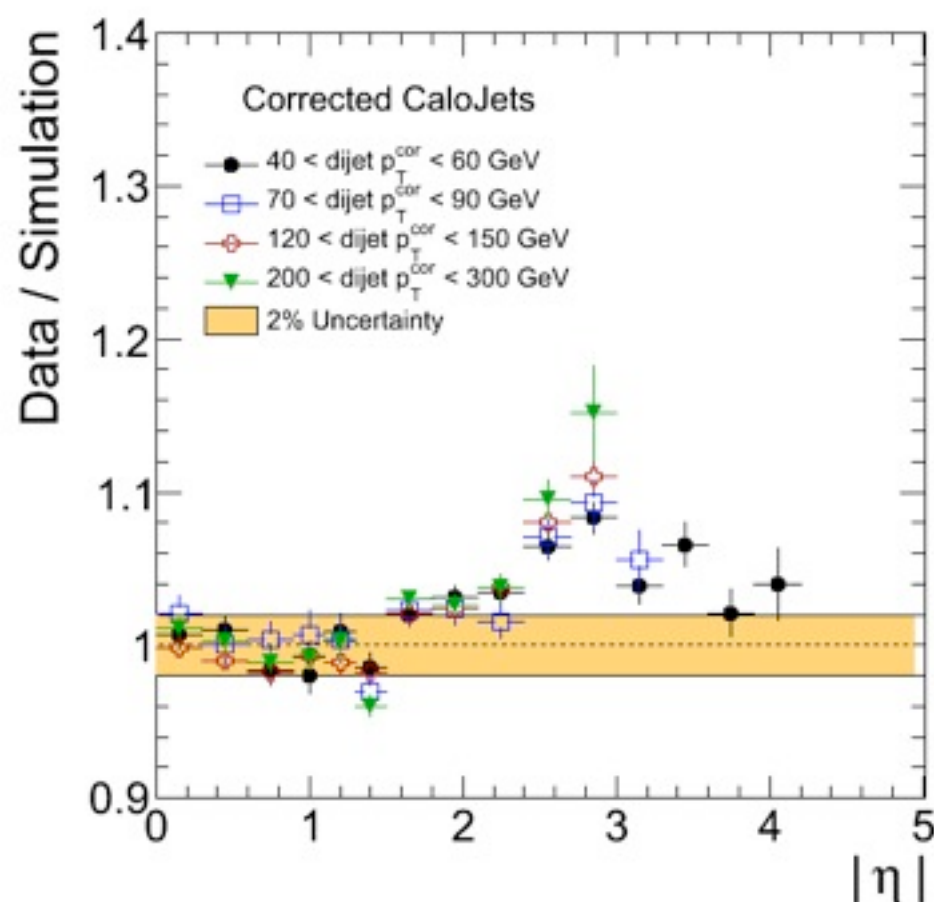
- ◆ sophisticated algorithm that reconstructs individual particles
  - ▶ optimal use of all sub-detectors
  - ▶ possible due to excellent CMS tracker and ECAL resolution
- ◆ hadrons are calibrated before jet clustering
  - ▶ calibration derived from the MC
- ◆ the particle flow jets reconstruct more than 90% of the true jet energy
  - ▶ the residual is due to the neutrals and is corrected on average
- ◆ particle flow jets have very good resolution, even at low jet  $p_T$
- ◆ a new era in the jet reconstruction

# A Final Word: the Current Reality

*“No battle plan survives contact with the enemy”*  
(Helmuth von Moltke the Elder)

The first data brought a pleasant surprise: the MC truth JEC is very successful !!!  
Only a small (<10%) residual is needed !!! Needed to modify the CMS plan.

$$C(p_T, \eta) = C_{MC}(p_T, \eta) \times C_{res}(p_T \cdot C_{MC}(p_T, \eta), \eta)$$



# Summary

- ◆ Jets are **special objects** due to the **ambiguity** of their definition.
- ◆ The jet energy scale is the most important uncertainty related to jets.
- ◆ Despite the complexity of the task, there are many handles to achieve the jet calibration:
  - ▶ multiple “in-situ” measurement techniques
  - ▶ very accurate, modern era simulations
- ◆ The first CMS and ATLAS studies indicate a remarkable accuracy of the jet energy scale, even at startup (huge success of the detector simulations).
  - ▶ currently the accuracy of both experiments is better than 5%
  - ▶ the 1% uncertainty will be achieved sooner than expected (after 20 years of operation, D0 reports 1% and CDF 3%)
- ◆ **However: the jet energy scale is analysis dependent and analyzers should get involved in order to help derive the most suitable calibration for their sample.**

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