

Higgs+jet production in bottom quark annihilation

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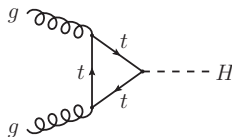
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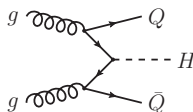
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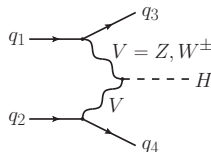
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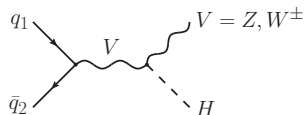
- associated $Q\bar{Q}H$ production
 $pp \rightarrow (Q\bar{Q})H$ (SM: $Q = t$):



- weak boson fusion (WBF)
 $q_1 q_2 \rightarrow q_3 q_4 H$:

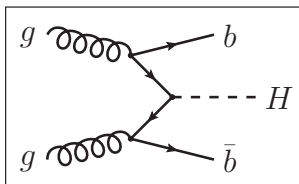


- Higgs Strahlung $q_1 \bar{q}_2 \rightarrow VH$:



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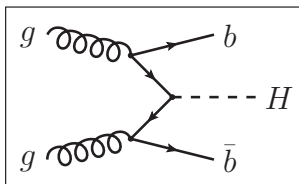


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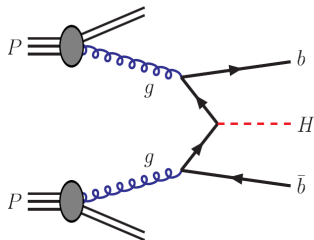
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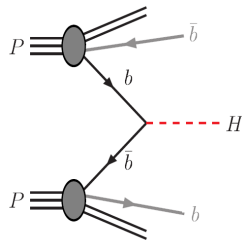
→ associated $b\bar{b}H$ production can be dominant

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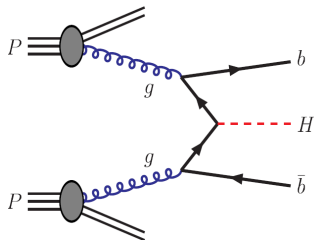
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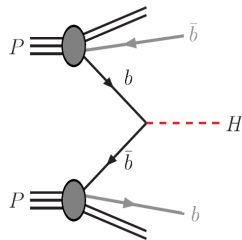


- exclusive up to NLO

[Dittmaier, Krämer, Spira '04]

[Dawson, Jackson, Reina, Wackerath '04]

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[Dicus, Willenbrock '89]

[Dicus, Stelzer, Sullivan, Willenbrock '99]

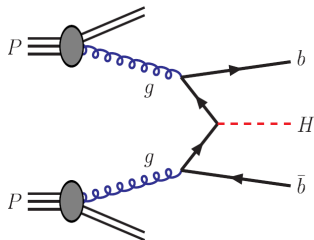
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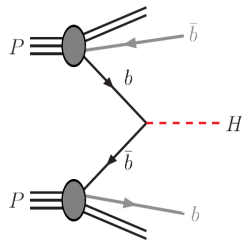
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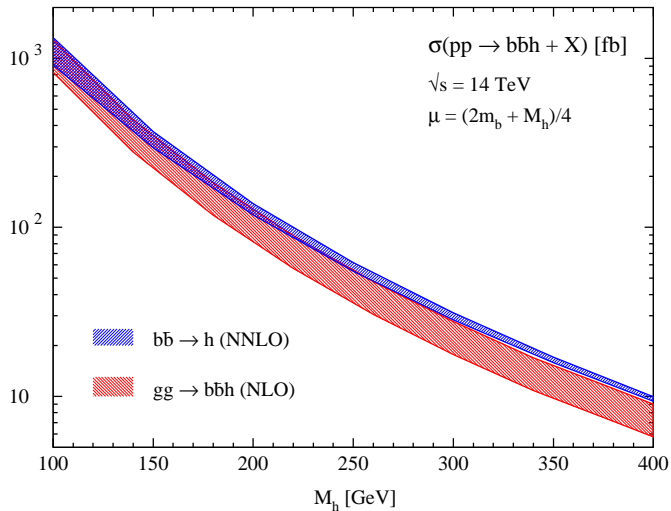
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- 5-FS: "natural" factorization scale $\mu_F = \frac{m_H}{4}$

[Harlander, Kilgore '03], [Plehn '03], [Maltoni, Sullivan, Willenbrock '03], [Boos, Plehn '04]

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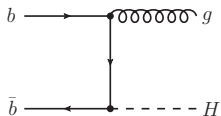


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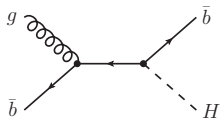
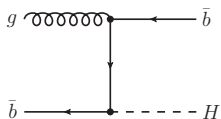
$(b\bar{b})H + jet$ calculation

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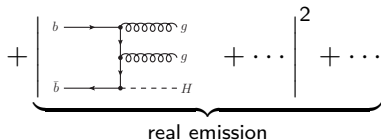
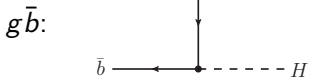
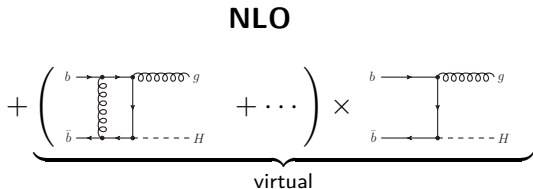
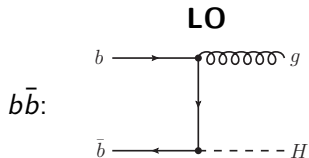
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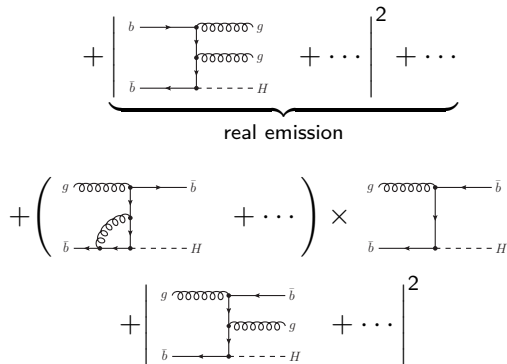
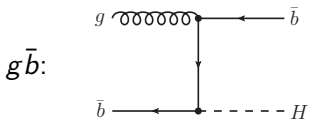
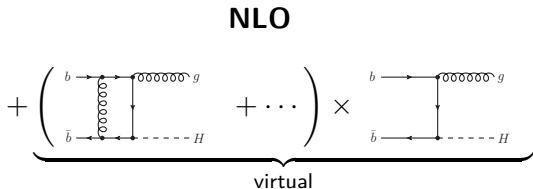
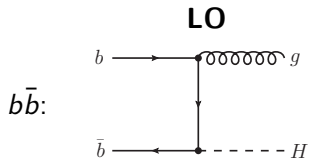
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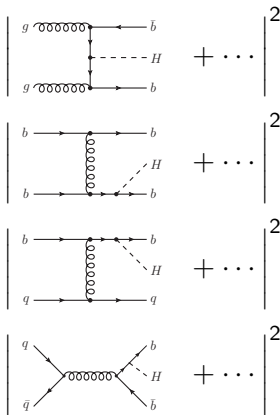
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NLO



Catani Seymour dipole subtraction

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- introduce a subtraction term that approximates the real emission

$$\Rightarrow \sigma^{NLO} = \int_{m+1} \left[(d\sigma^R)_{\varepsilon=0} - (d\sigma^A)_{\varepsilon=0} \right] + \int_m \left[d\sigma^V + \int_1 d\sigma^A \right]_{\varepsilon=0}$$

- each term in squared brackets finite
→ phase-space integration in $d = 4 (\varepsilon = 0)$ dimensions
- dipole factorization was used to calculate the subtraction term

[Catani, Seymour '97]

- α -parameter independence

[Nagy, Trócsányi '00], [Nagy '03]

- virtual corrections checked

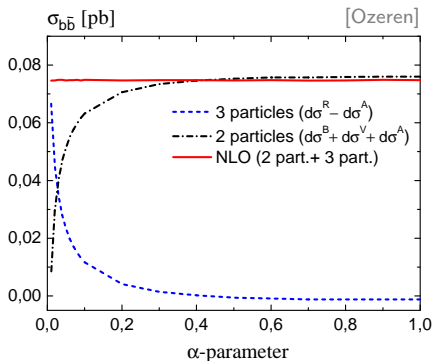
[Campbell, Ellis, Maltoni, Willenbrock '03]

- small p_T behaviour checked numerically against resummed expression

[Belyaev, Nadolsky '06]

- **most important:** numerical comparison to an analytic evaluation of the p_T and y distribution

[Ozeren '10]

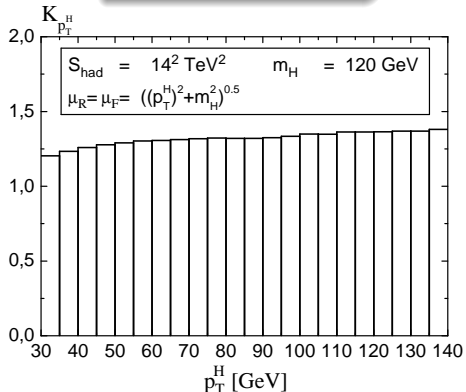
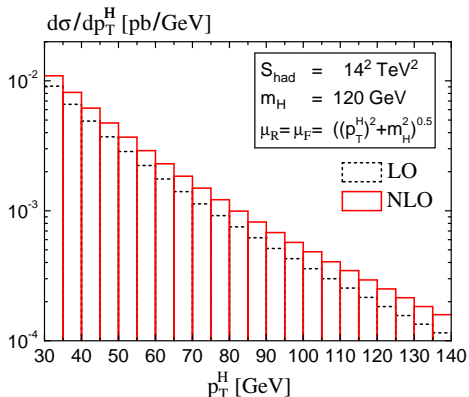


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Transverse momentum distribution:

[Harlander, Ozeren, MW '10]

$$K_{p_T^H} \equiv \frac{\left(\frac{d\sigma}{dp_T^H}\right)_{NLO}}{\left(\frac{d\sigma}{dp_T^H}\right)_{LO}}$$



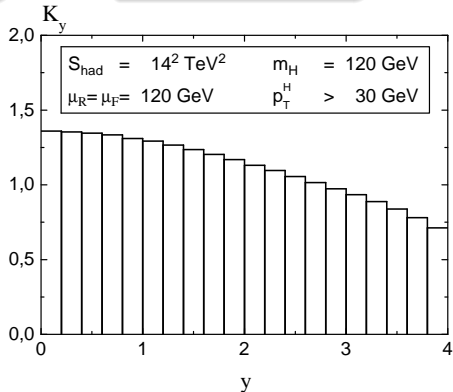
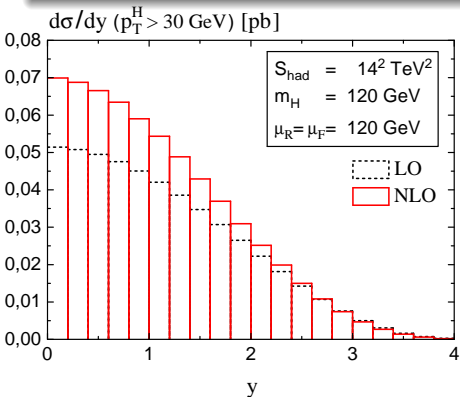
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Rapidity distribution:

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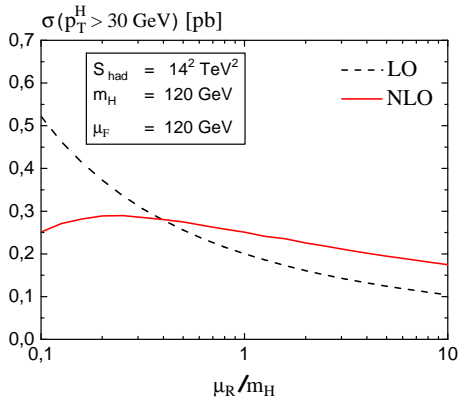
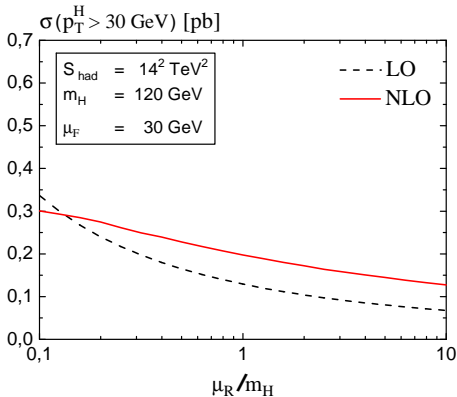


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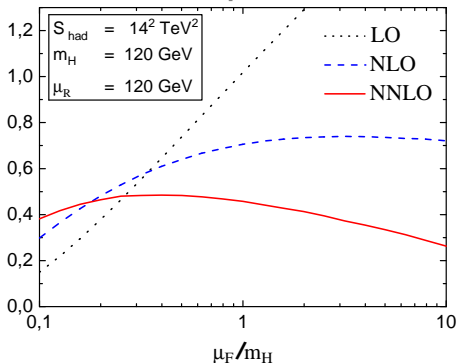
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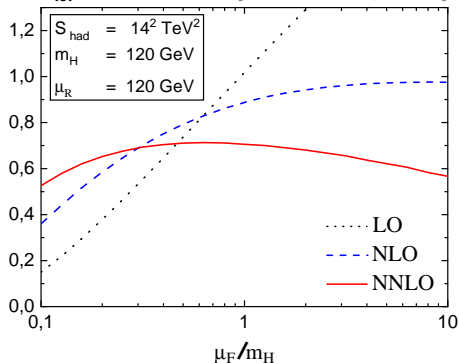
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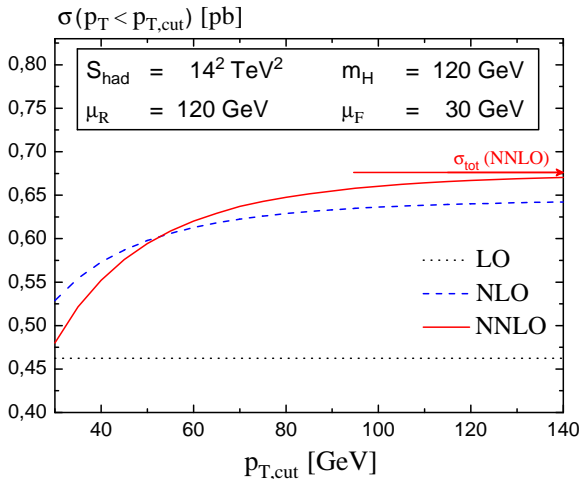


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$p_{T,cut}$ dependence:

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[Catani, de Florian, Grazzini '01]

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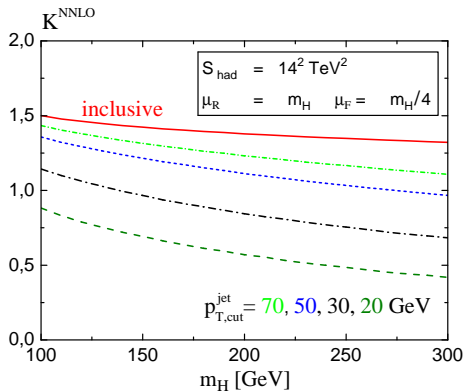
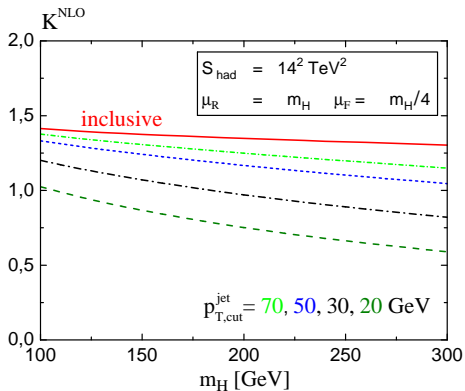
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$$\begin{aligned}\sigma^{\text{veto}}(p_T^{\text{jet}} < p_{T,\text{cut}}^{\text{jet}}) &= \sigma^{\text{tot}} - \sigma^{H+\text{jet}}[1\text{-jet}](p_T^{\text{jet}} > p_{T,\text{cut}}^{\text{jet}}) \\ &\quad - \sigma^{H+\text{jet}}[2\text{-jet}](p_{T,1}^{\text{jet}}, p_{T,2}^{\text{jet}} > p_{T,\text{cut}}^{\text{jet}})\end{aligned}$$

Associated ($b\bar{b}$) H production with jet veto at NNLO

Higgs mass dependence:

[Harlander, Ozeren, MW '10]



Conclusions:

- $b\bar{b}H + jet$ production up to NLO (fully differential)
 - factorization scale $\mu_F = \frac{m_H}{4}$ less motivated
 - NNLO with upper p_T^H cut calculated
 - NNLO jet vetoed cross section calculated
 - K-factors rather flat, similar to gluon fusion, but different from inclusive ones
- } similar results

Outlook:

- full NNLO Monte Carlo ?
- parton shower ?
- combination with Higgs+jet in gluon fusion – interference terms ?

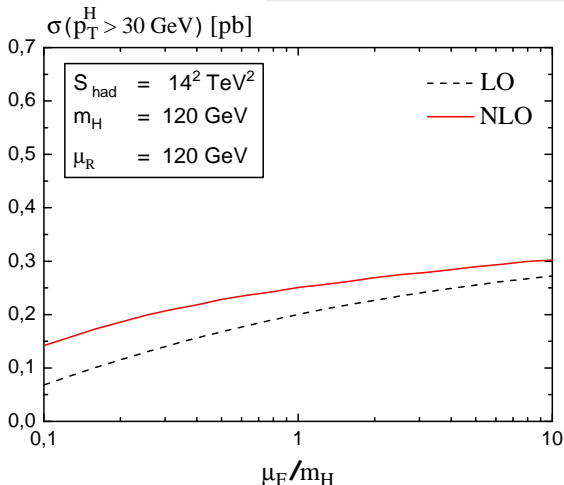
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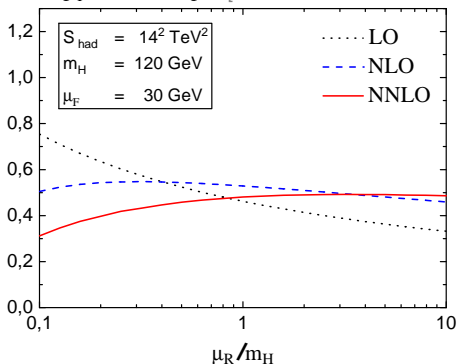


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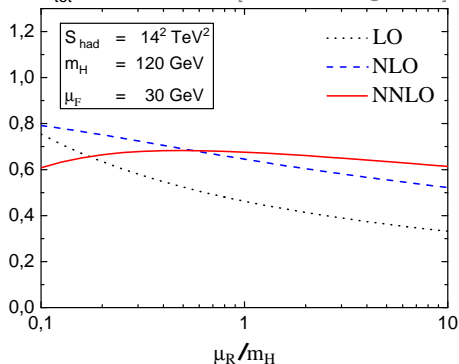
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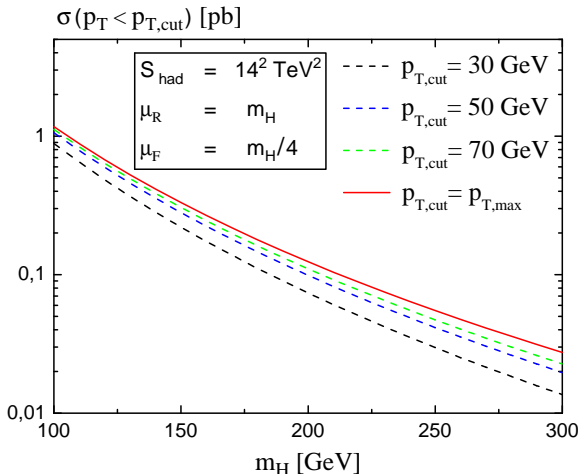
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- In General: m partons in final state \rightarrow how many jets?

- 1 Clustering part — clustering of jets:

jets = $m - n$ (if n times two jets have to be clustered into one jet according to the considered jet definition)

The momenta of the clustered jets are recombined according to the recombination Scheme (e.g. E-Scheme: $p_i \oplus p_j = p_i + p_j$).

- 2 Acceptance part — performing cuts on the momenta of the $(m - n)$ jets (e.g. $p_{T,\text{cut}}, y_{\text{cut}}, \dots$):

jets = $(m - n) - k$ (if k of the $(m - n)$ jets do not survive the cuts)

\rightarrow contributes to the $[(m - k - l)\text{-jet}]$ cross section

Jet Algorithm

- we want to calculate the [1-jet] and the [2-jet] cross section with a minimum cut ($p_{T,\text{cut}}$) on the transverse momentum of the jets

LO-kinematics: 1 parton with momentum p_1 (trivial)

if($p_1 > p_{T,\text{cut}}$) \rightarrow contribution to [1-jet] c.s.

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if($R_{12} > R$) \rightarrow 2 jets with $k_1 = p_1$ and $k_2 = p_2$

if($k_1 \wedge k_2 > p_{T,\text{cut}}$) \rightarrow contr. to [2-jet] c.s.

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else \rightarrow contribution to [1-jet] c.s.

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k_T -algorithm: define

[Catani, Dokshitzer,
Seymour, Webber '93]

$$d_1 = p_{T,1}^2, \quad d_2 = p_{T,2}^2$$
$$d_{12} = \min(d_1, d_2) \cdot ((\phi_1 - \phi_2)^2 + (\eta_1 - \eta_2)^2)$$

if($d_1 \wedge d_2 \wedge d_{12} > p_{T,\text{cut}}$) \rightarrow contr. to [2-jet] c.s.

if($d_{12} = \min(d_1, d_2, d_{12})$) \rightarrow cluster $k_{\text{jet}} = p_1 + p_2$

if($k_{\text{jet}} > p_{T,\text{cut}}$) \rightarrow contribution to [1-jet] c.s.

if($k_{\text{jet}} < p_{T,\text{cut}}$) \rightarrow discard event

else if($d_1 \wedge d_2 < p_{T,\text{cut}}$) \rightarrow discard event

else \rightarrow contribution to [1-jet] c.s.

- using the jet algorithm \rightarrow jet vetoed cross section at NNLO:

$$\begin{aligned}\sigma^{\text{veto}}(p_T^{\text{jet}} < p_{T,\text{cut}}^{\text{jet}}) &= \sigma^{\text{tot}} - \sigma^{H+\text{jet}}[1\text{-jet}](p_T^{\text{jet}} > p_{T,\text{cut}}^{\text{jet}}) \\ &\quad - \sigma^{H+\text{jet}}[2\text{-jet}](p_{T,1}^{\text{jet}}, p_{T,2}^{\text{jet}} > p_{T,\text{cut}}^{\text{jet}})\end{aligned}$$

- use NNLO PDFs and couplings
- Higgs+jet calculation fully exclusive

\rightarrow vetoed cross section with

- additional experimental cuts on jets (e.g. rapidity cut)
- different jet definitions

possible