

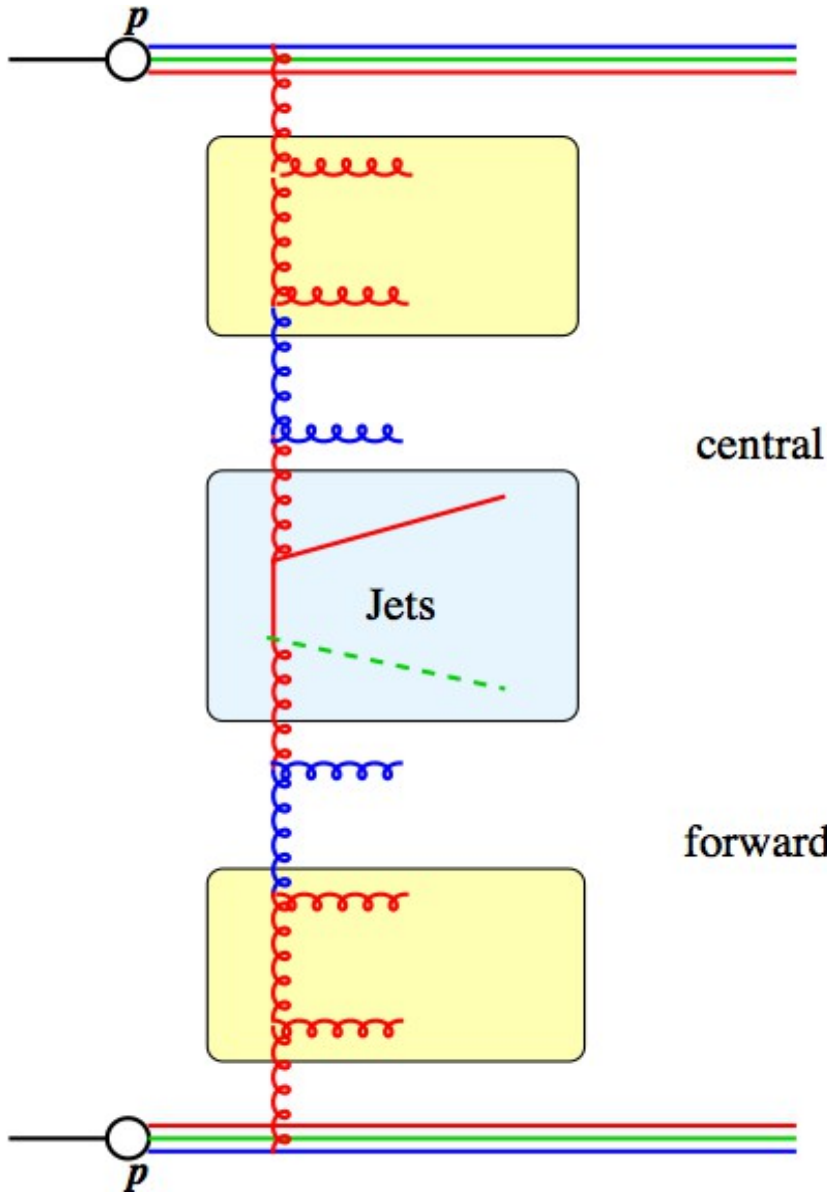
# Challenges in hard QCD at LHC

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## Outline:

- Where pQCD calculations describe measurements:
  - inclusive jets, heavy flavors at central rapidities
- Where measurements challenge theory:
  - at forward rapidities
- Looking a bit deeper into pQCD calculations
  - do we need uPDFs/TMDs ?
- Where descriptions are completely off:
  - jets at large rapidity separations

# Jet production



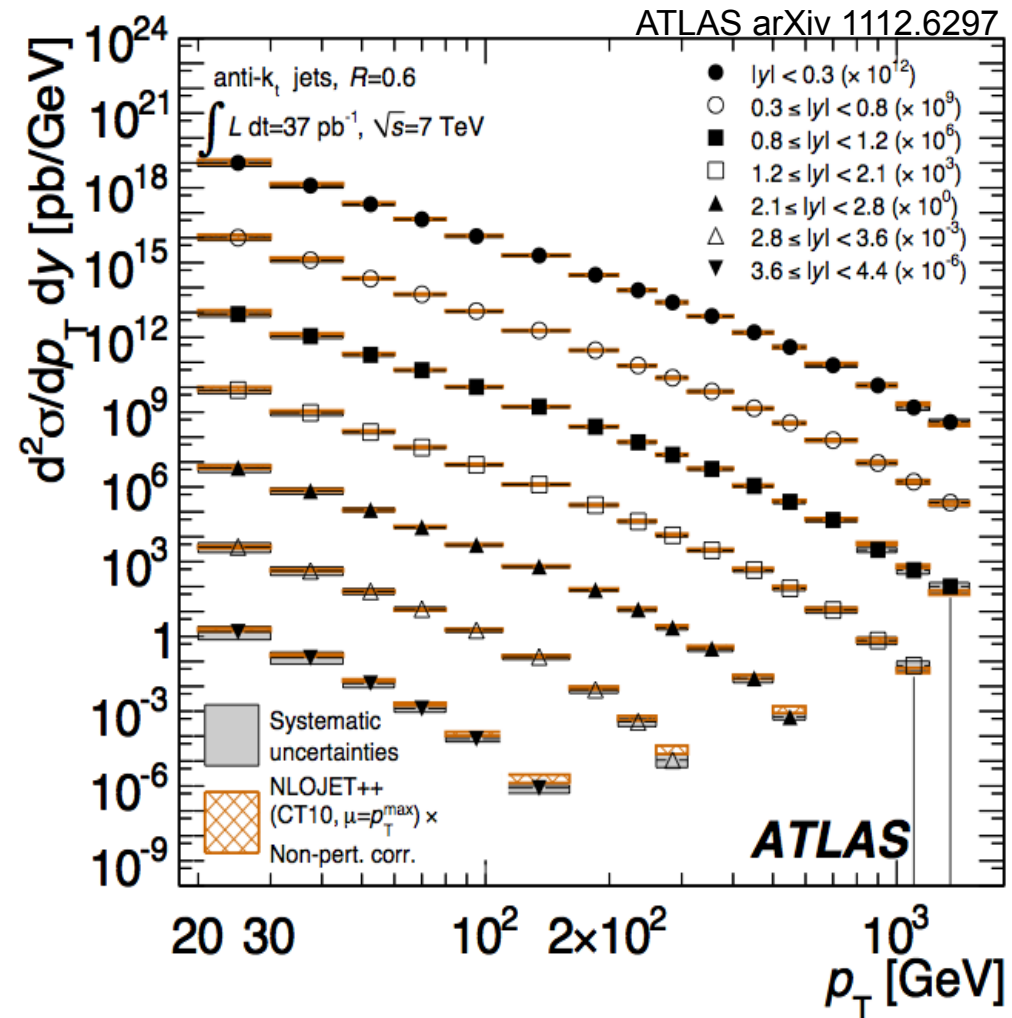
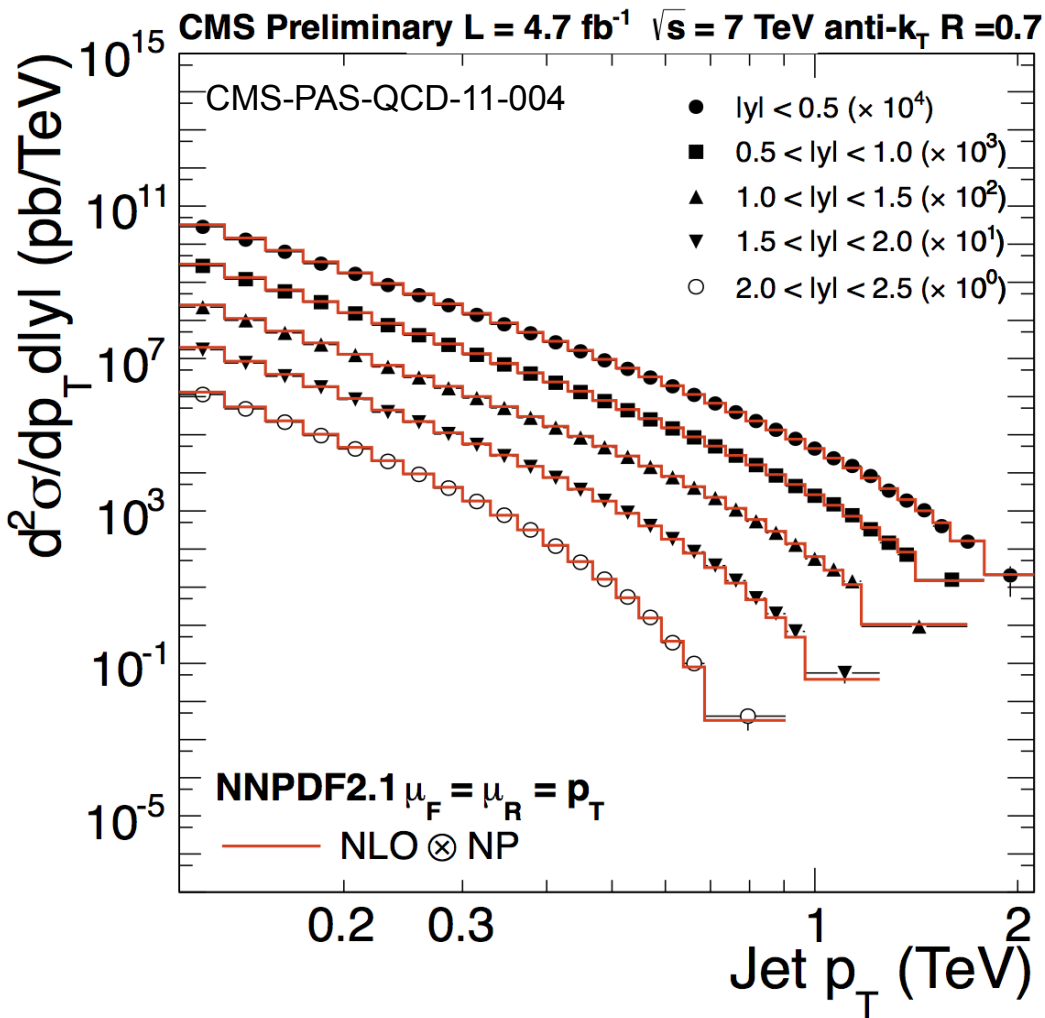
accessible values at  $\sqrt{s} = 7 \text{ TeV}$

$$x = \frac{2p_t}{\sqrt{s}} \exp(\pm y)$$

$p_t$	central ( $\eta=0$ )	forward ( $\eta=3$ )
35	$1 \cdot 10^{-2}$	$0.2, 5 \cdot 10^{-4}$
100	0.03	$0.6, 1.5 \cdot 10^{-3}$
150	0.04	$0.8, 2 \cdot 10^{-3}$
500	0.14	—
1000	0.28	—
2000	0.57	—
3500	1.0	—

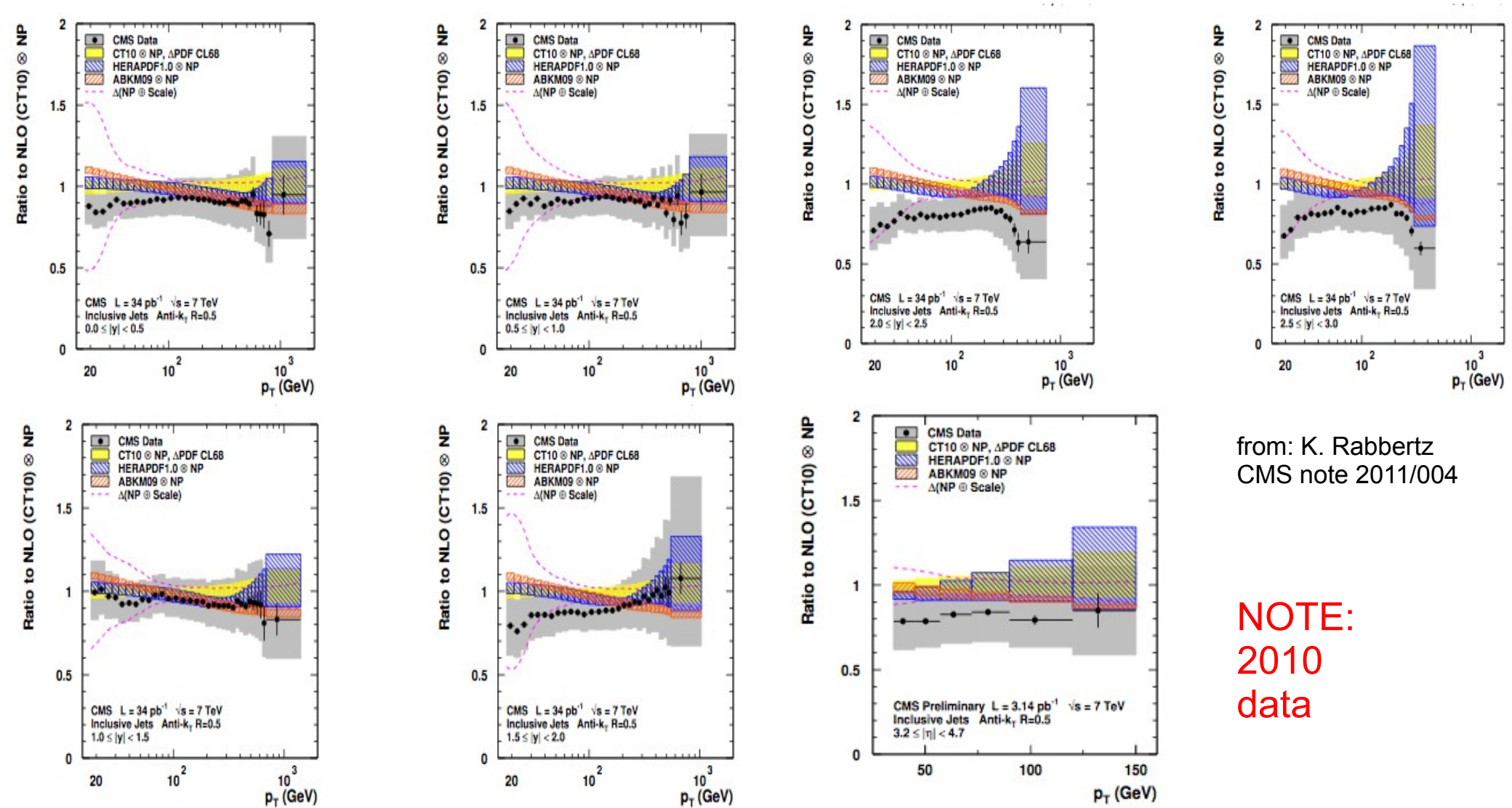
■ study of small and large  $x$  !!!

# Where NLO calc work: inclusive jets



- Very good agreement between NLO calculation and measurements over a high range in  $p_T$ , now reaching up to 2 TeV ( $x \sim 0.6$ )!

# Where NLO calc work ...



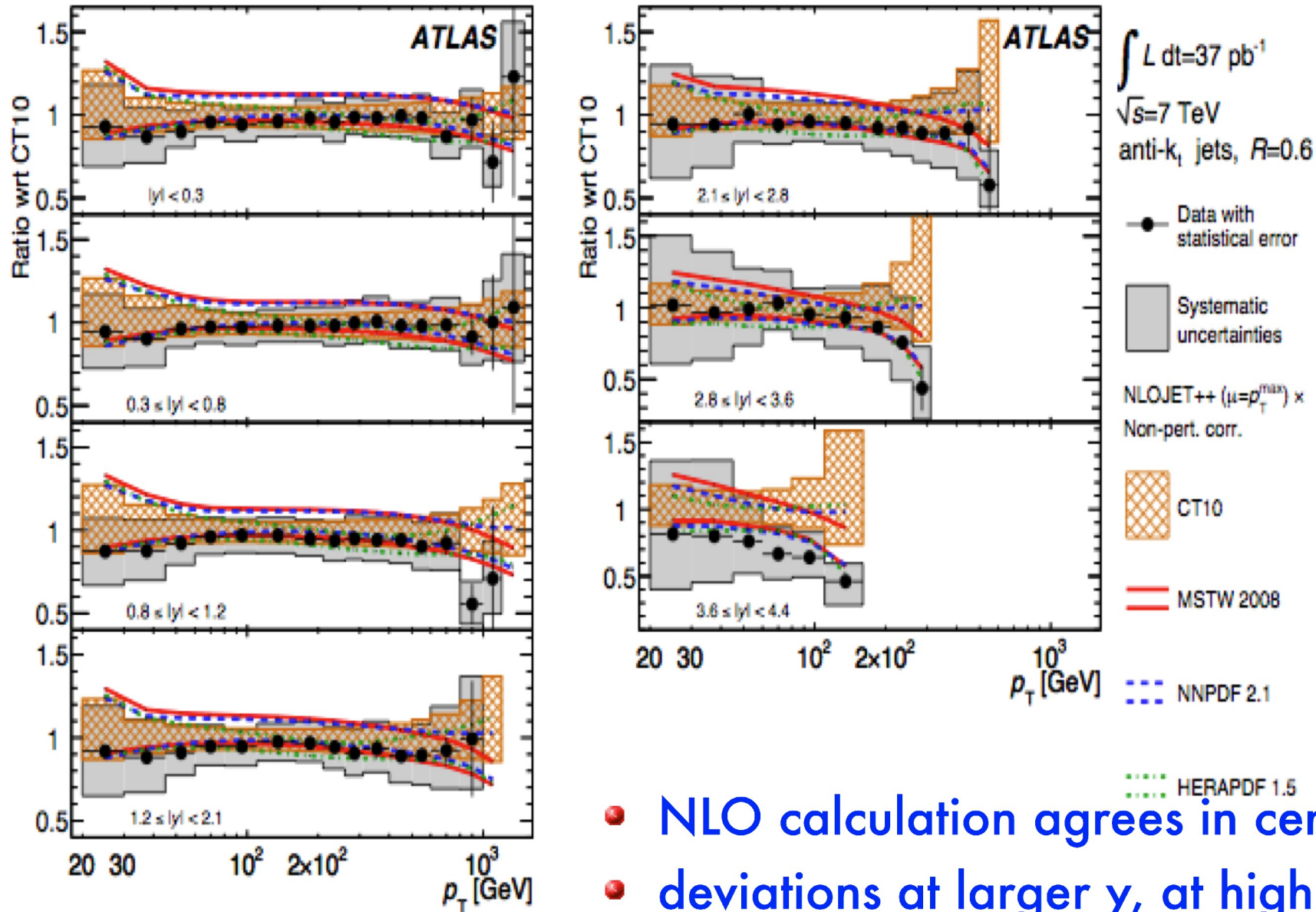
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CMS note 2011/004

**NOTE:**  
2010  
data

- Agreement within experimental uncertainties in central  $y$  range
- NLO starts deviating in forward region

# Where NLO calc work ...

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- NLO calculation agrees in central  $y$
- deviations at larger  $y$ , at high  $p_t$  outside uncertainties

# "non-perturbative" corrections

- Measurements corrected to stable hadron level
- corrections from hadron to NLO parton level needed

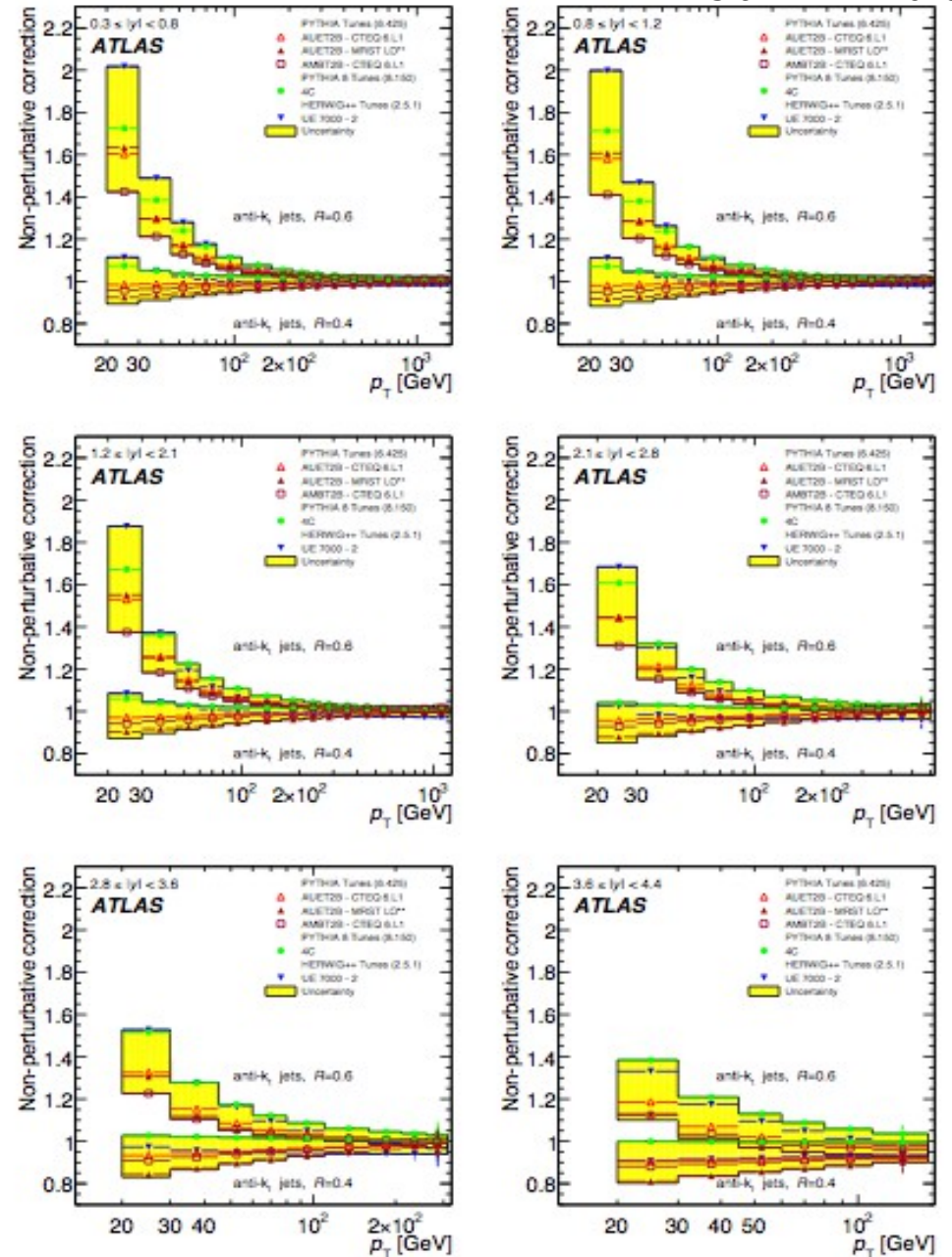
→ "non-perturbative" corrections (NP) (really non-perturbative ???)

→ calculated from MC generators PYTHIA/HERWIG

$$C_{np} = \frac{N_{MC}^{PS+MPI+had}}{N_{MC}^{PS}}$$

- Jet cone radius: competition between PS and MPI !

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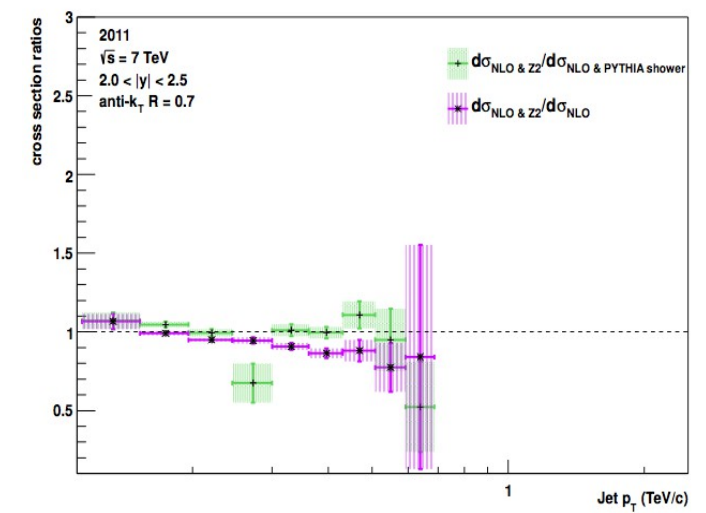
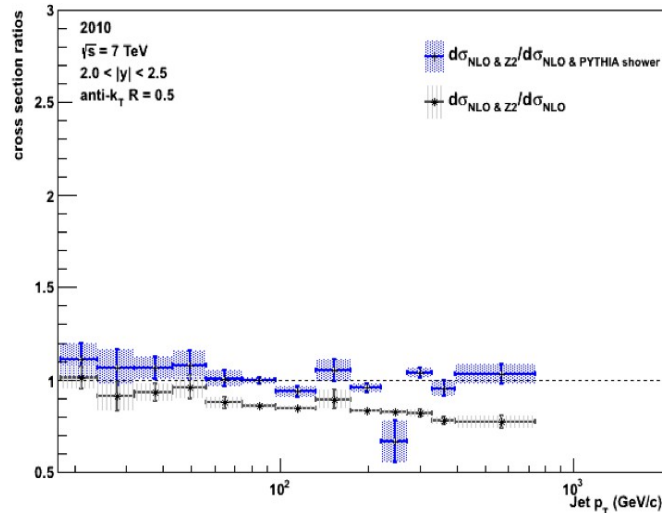
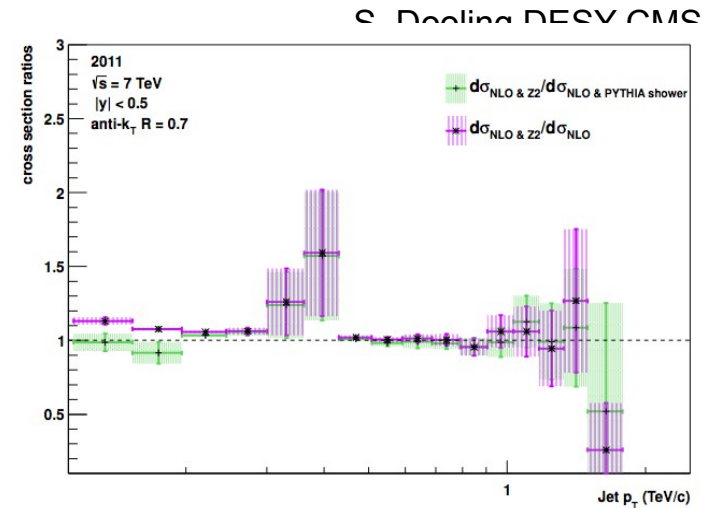
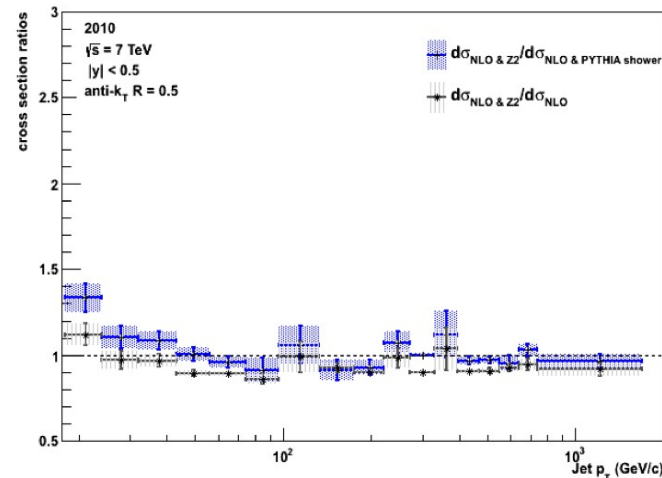
- NP Corrections from POWHEG

$$C_{np}^a = \frac{N_{POWHEG}^{PS+MPI+had}}{N_{POWHEG}^{PS}}$$

$$C_{np}^b = \frac{N_{POWHEG}^{PS+MPI+had}}{N_{POWHEG}}$$

- for fixed order NLO, using NP corrections from LO MCs is inconsistent !!!

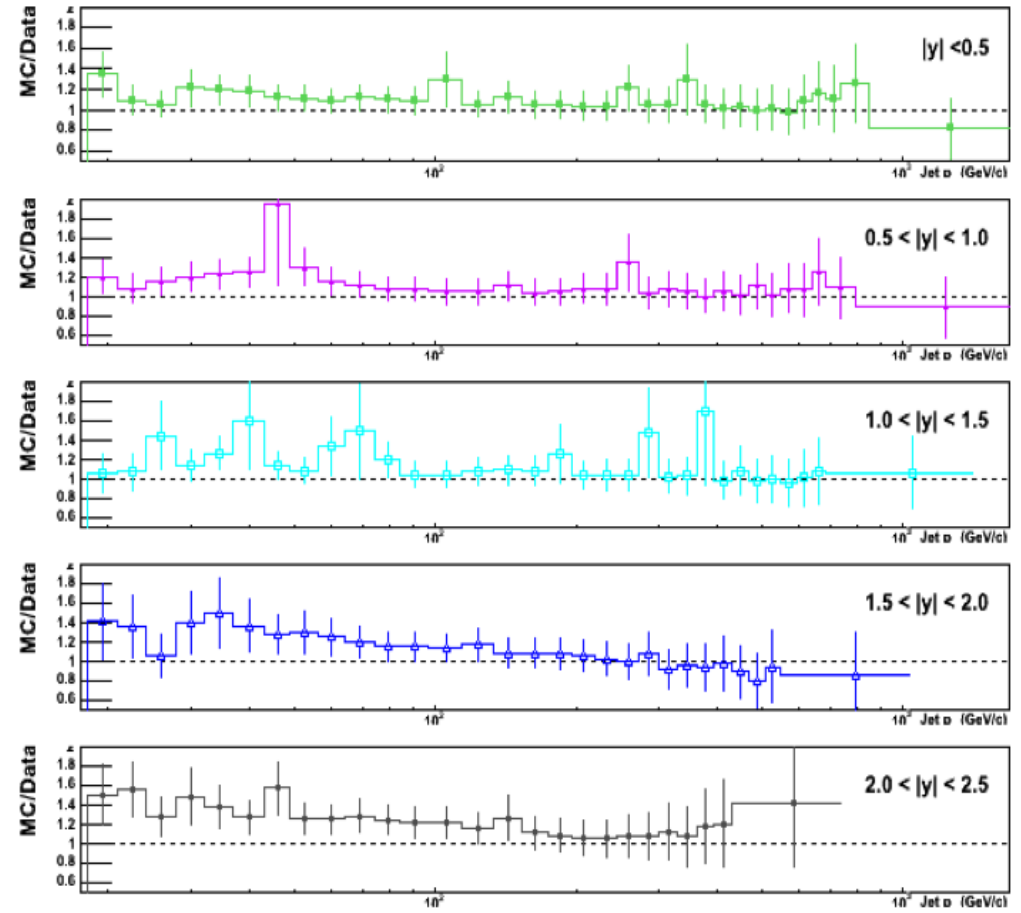
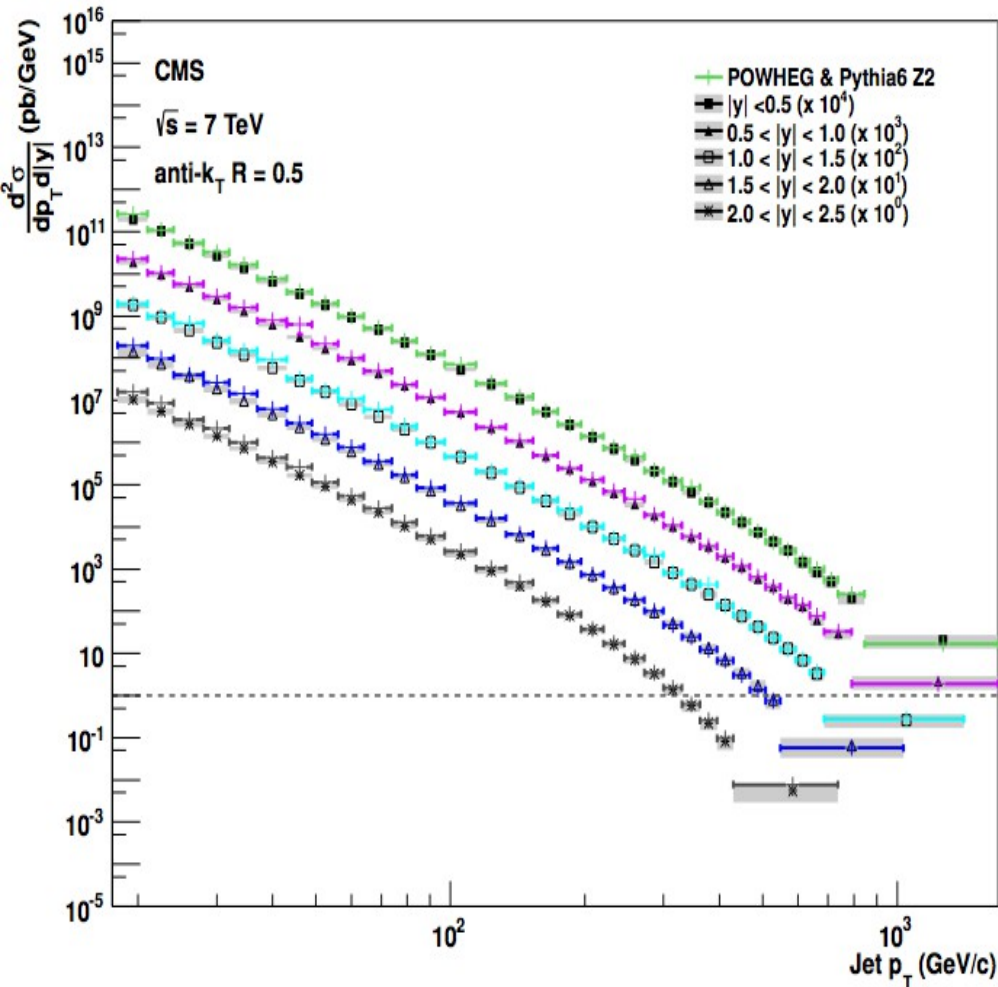
- NP corrections depend whether PS is included:  
 → for fixed order NLO no PS should be applied



**NOTE:**  
 different to what is obtained from from PYTHIA/HERWIG

# Where NLO+resummation works ?

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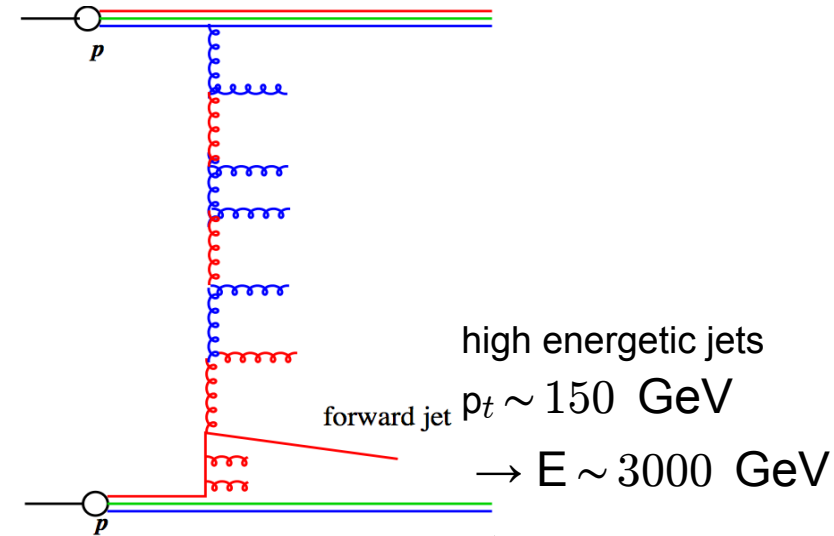
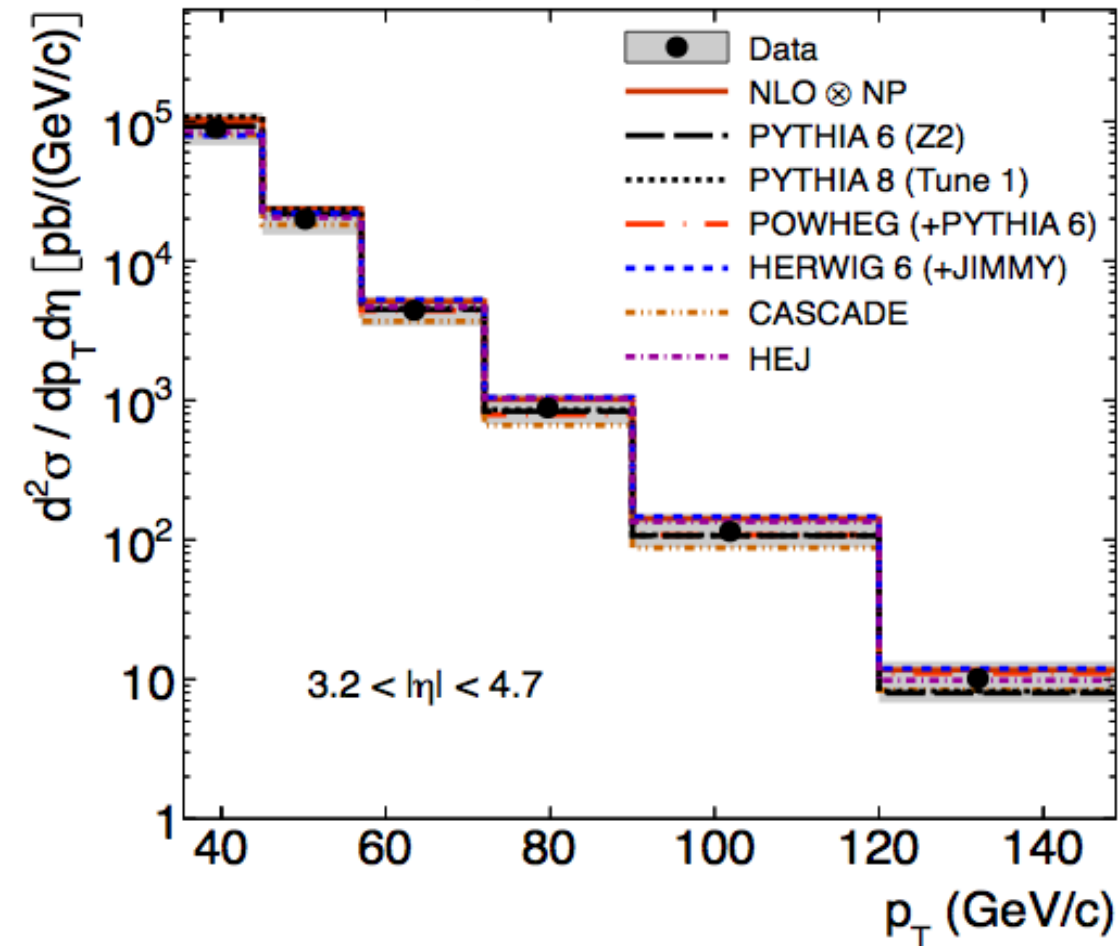
- POWHEG PYTHIA describes inclusive jets at stable hadron level
- no additional corrections applied !
- increasing differences towards forward region  $|y| > 2$



# Inclusive forward jet measurement

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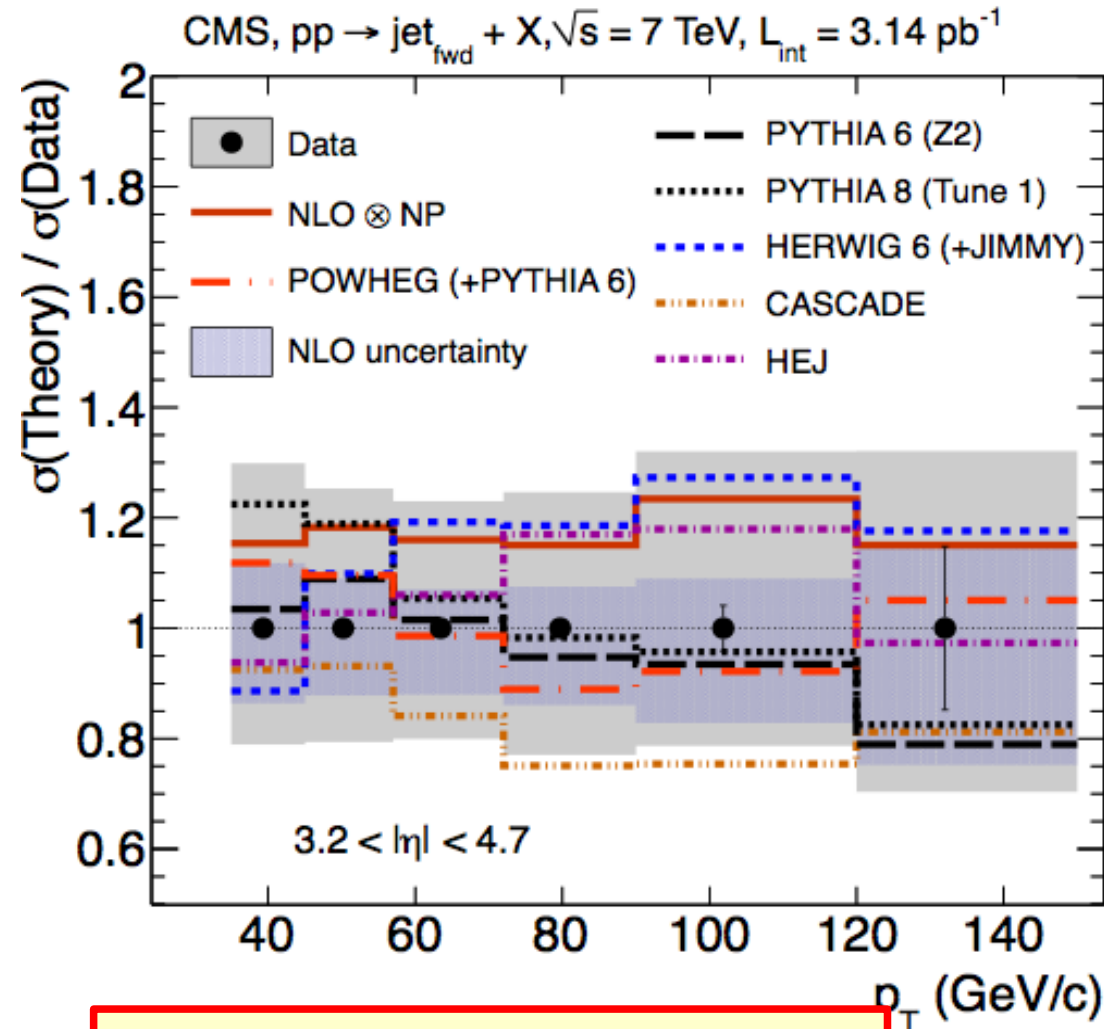
CMS,  $pp \rightarrow \text{jet}_{\text{fwd}} + X, \sqrt{s} = 7 \text{ TeV}, L_{\text{int}} = 3.14 \text{ pb}^{-1}$



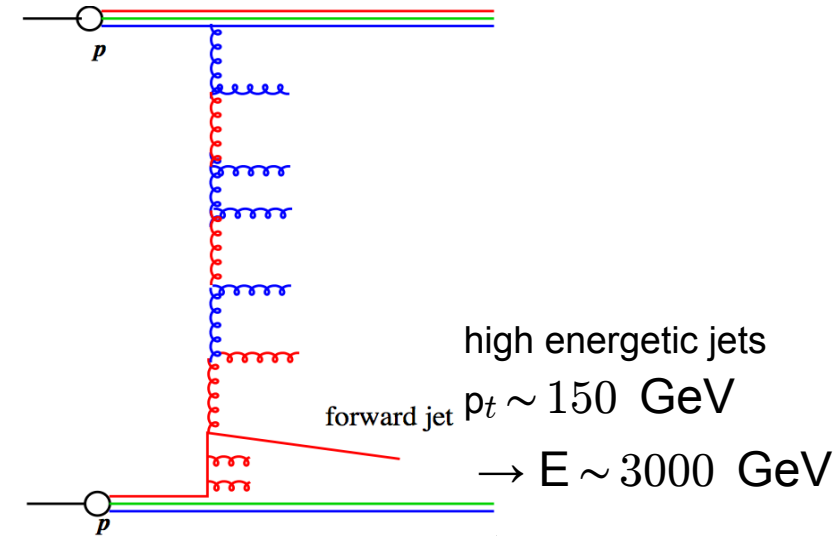
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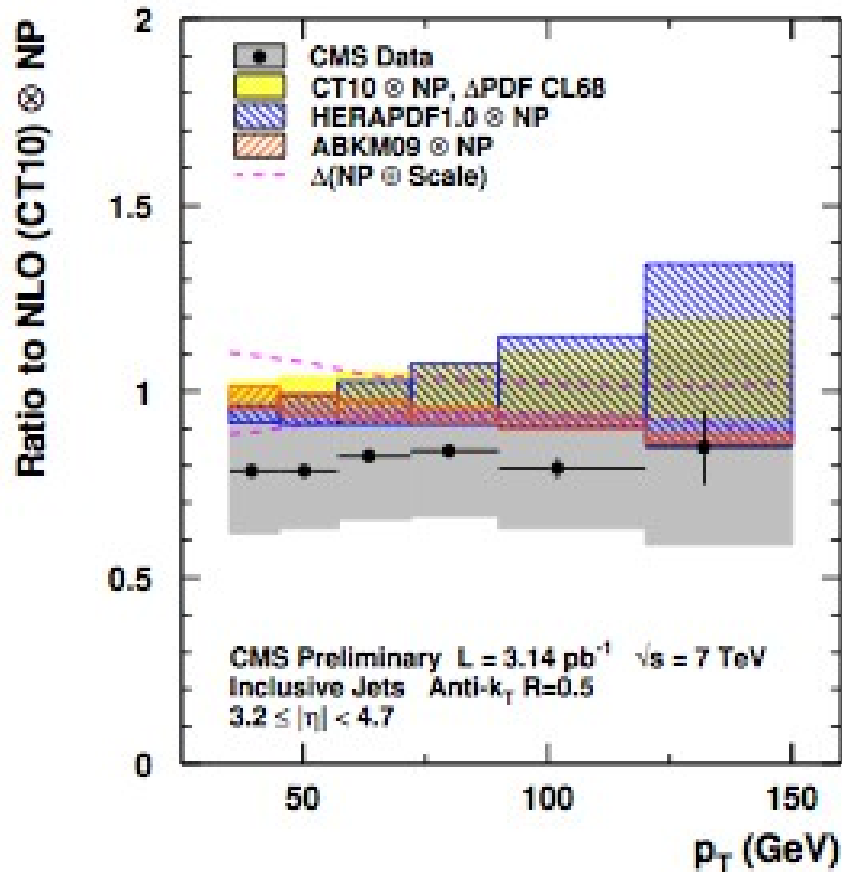
**NOTE:**  
 NLO  $\otimes$  NP  $\neq$   
 POWHEG + PYTHIA



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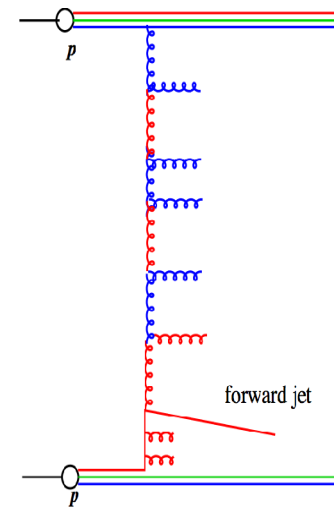
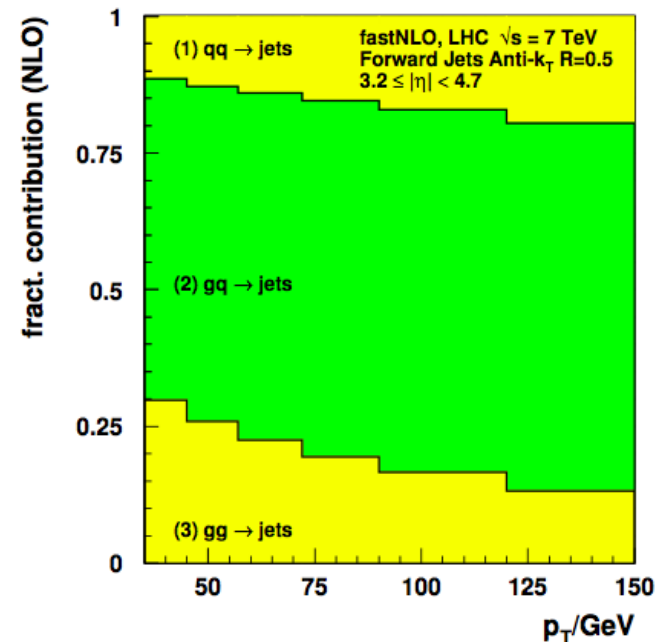
- forward jet measurement can constrain high  $x$  and low  $x$  parton distributions

- scale:  $\mu_f$  &  $\mu_r$  varied by 2 independently

→  $\sim 10\%$

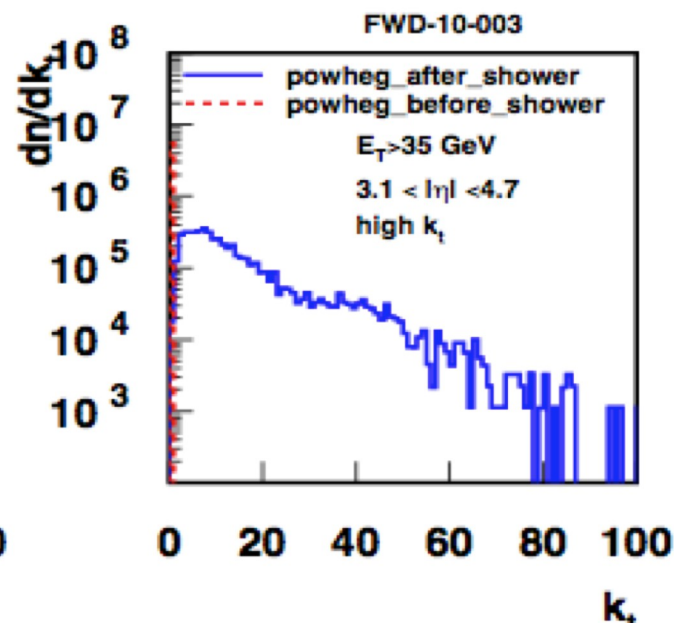
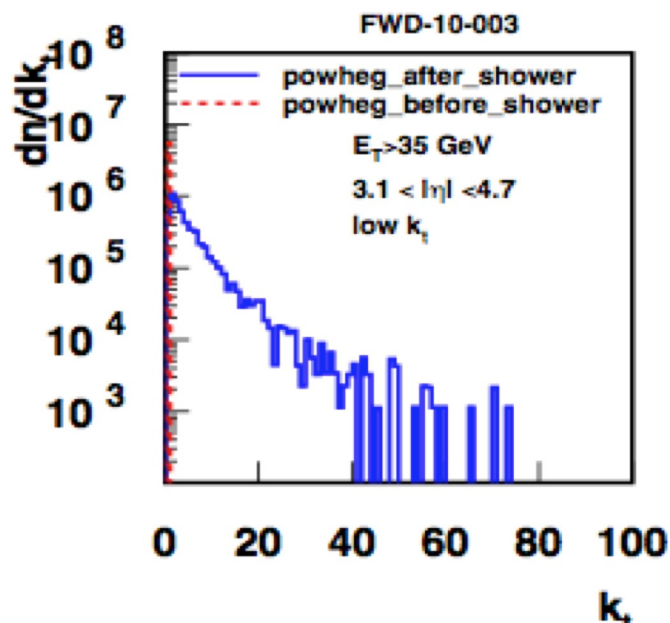
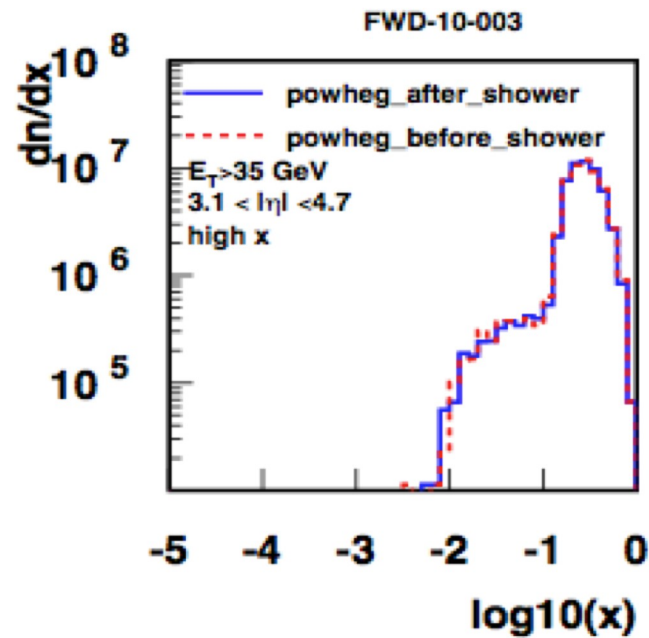
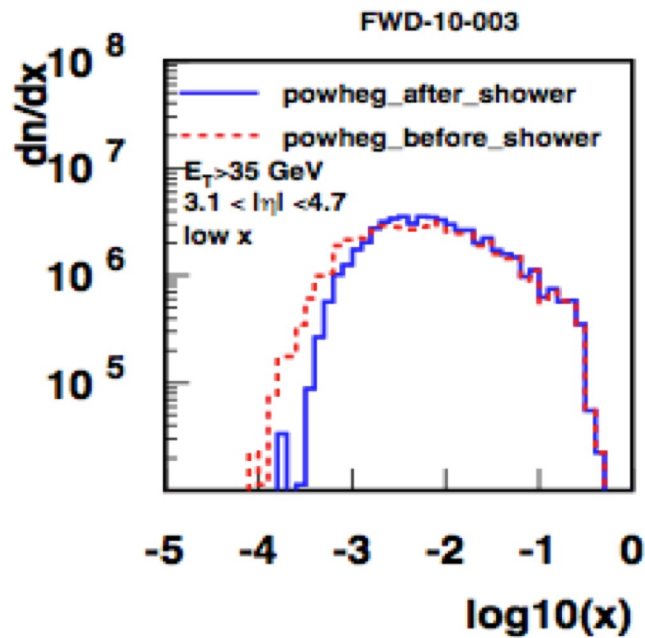
- PDF uncertainties largest at large  $p_T$  coming from large  $x$  partons

$\sim 10 \dots 30\%$



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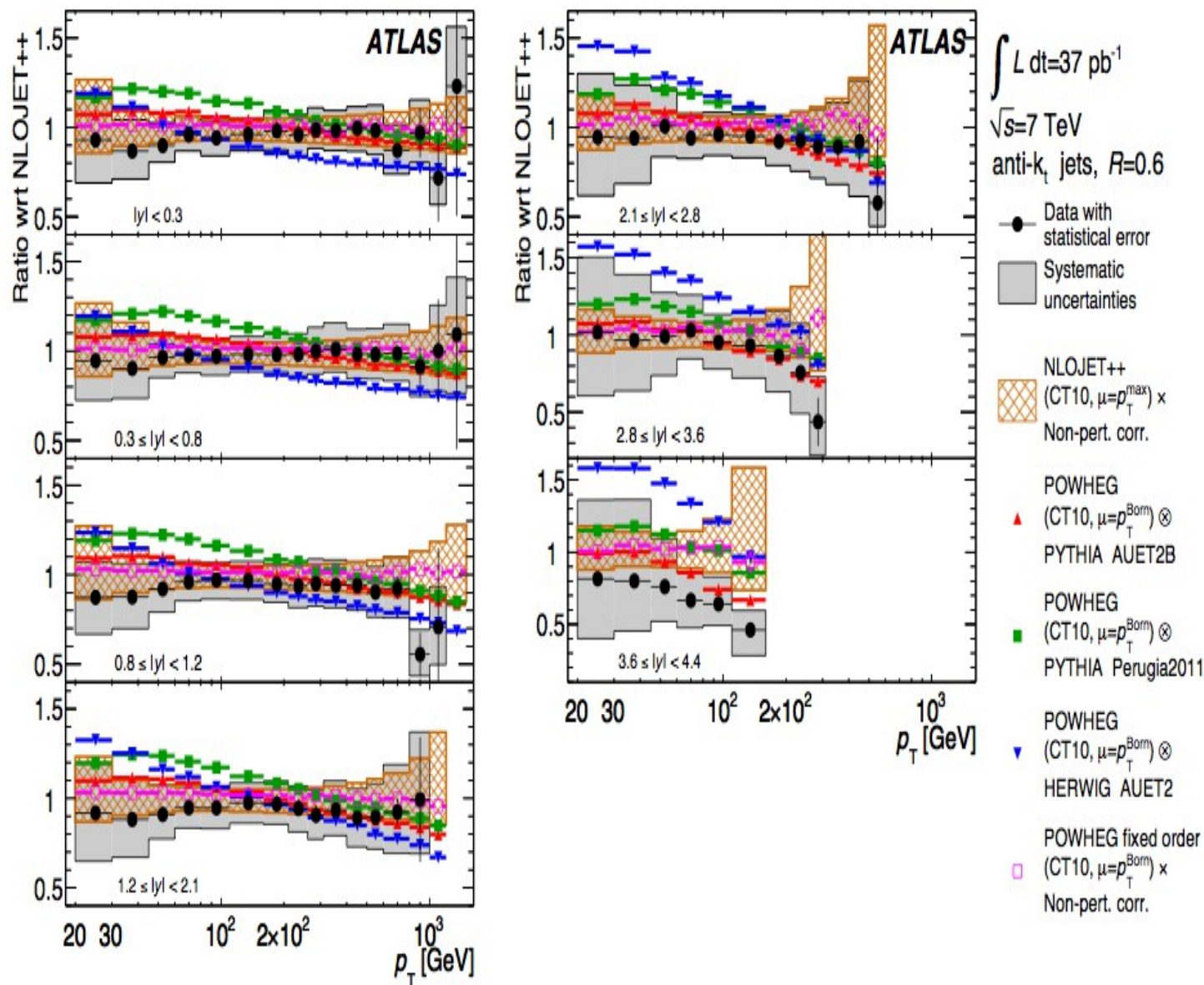
# Using inclusive Jets for PDFs ?



- x distribution for inclusive jets in POWHEG different after shower
- can this be consistently used in PDF fits ?

# Where measurements challenge theory

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- Comparison with POWHEG
- large differences with **PYTHIA** and **HERWIG PS** seen in forward regions
- differences seen even in different tunes !

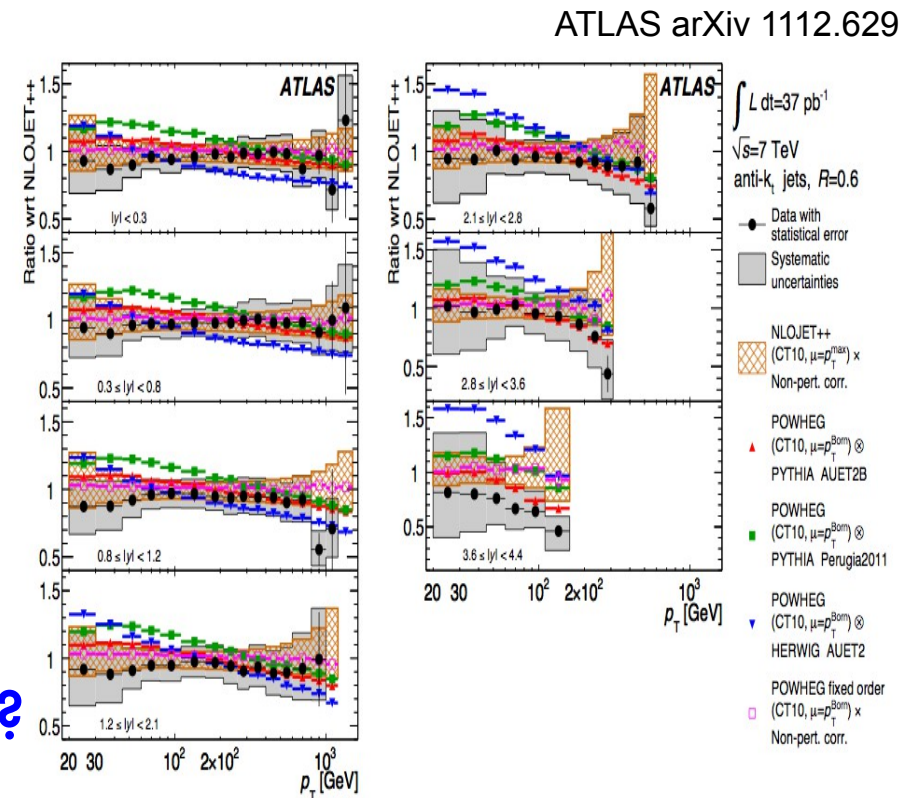
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Differences of PYTHIA/HERWIG PS show sensitivity to higher order radiation in inclusive jets  $> O(\alpha^3_s)$

- **BUT:** higher order contributions also treated by scale variations ... which are very different....
- Are differences from different PS or due to different kinematic matching ?

**HELP:**

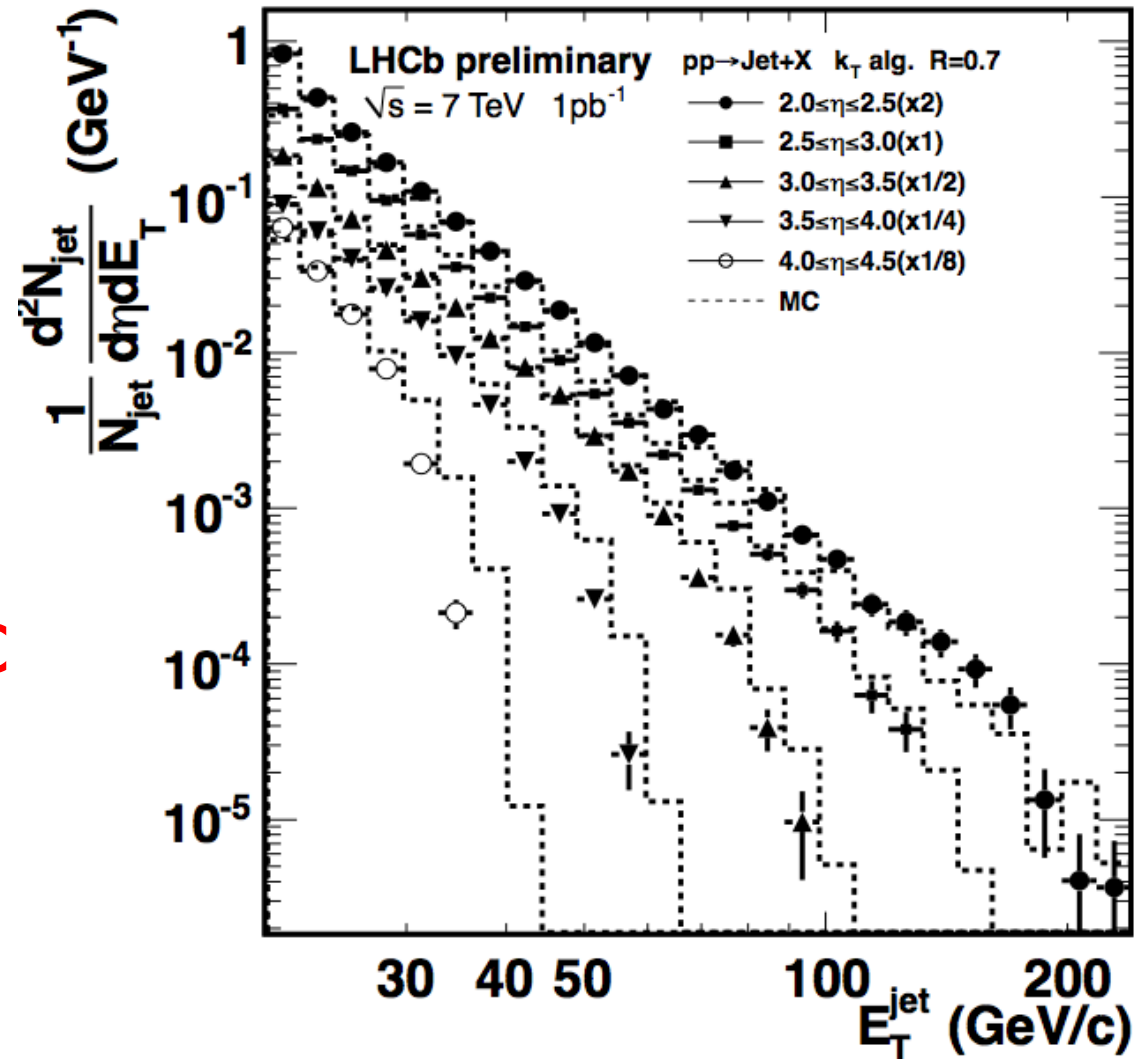
Most inclusive jet measurement suffers from higher orders !



# Deviations at forward $\eta$

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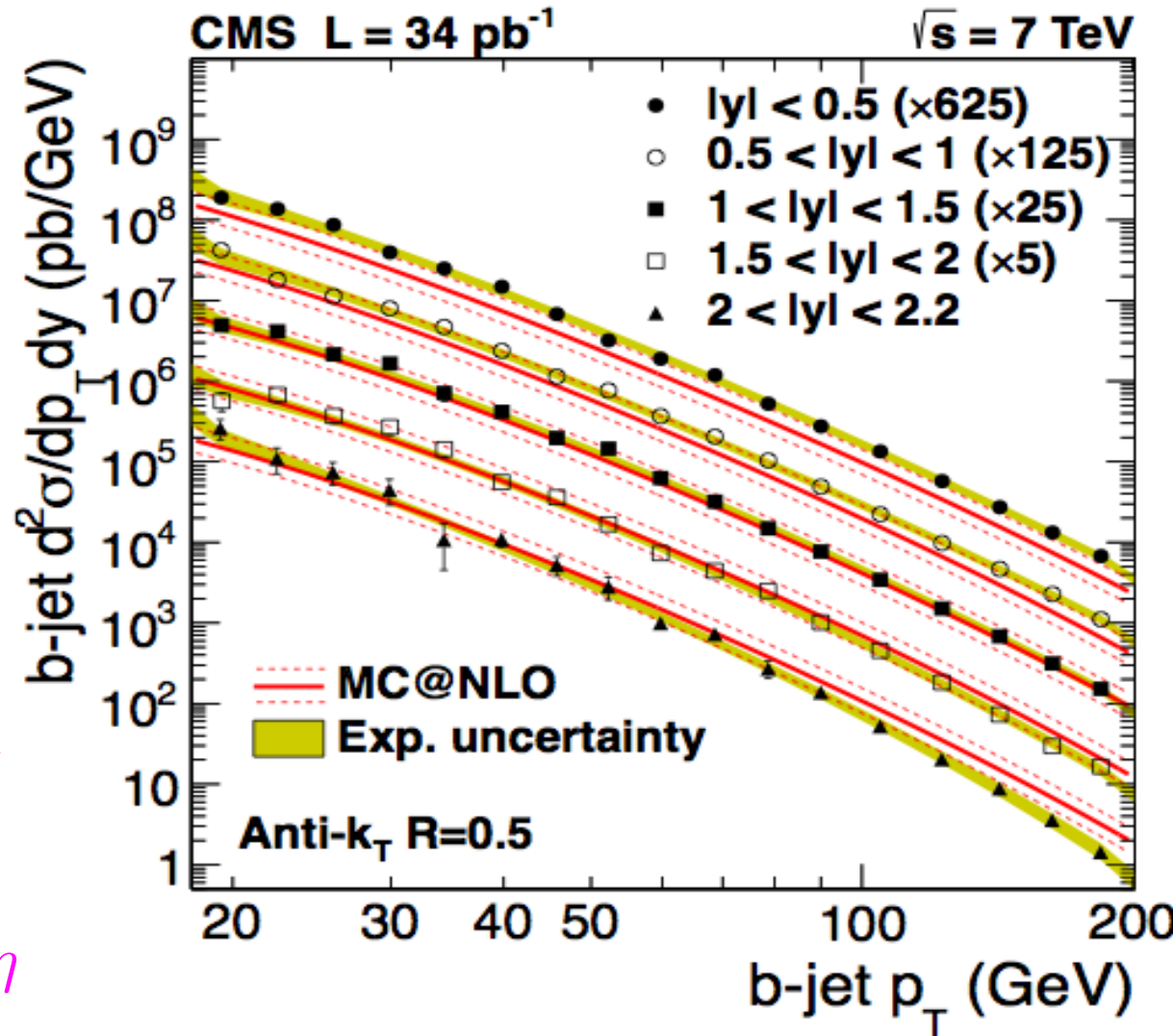
- kt-algo jets  $p_t > 20$  GeV
  - PYTHIA at detector level
    - small  $\eta$ , MC describes data
    - large  $\eta$ , large  $p_t$ , MC significantly above data
- is this just a problem of MC or is there physics behind ?



# Challenge: inclusive b-jets

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- b-jet production  $gg \rightarrow b\bar{b}$  dominates
  - inclusive b-jets: probe of gluon density
  - Reasonable description by MC@NLO at central rapidities
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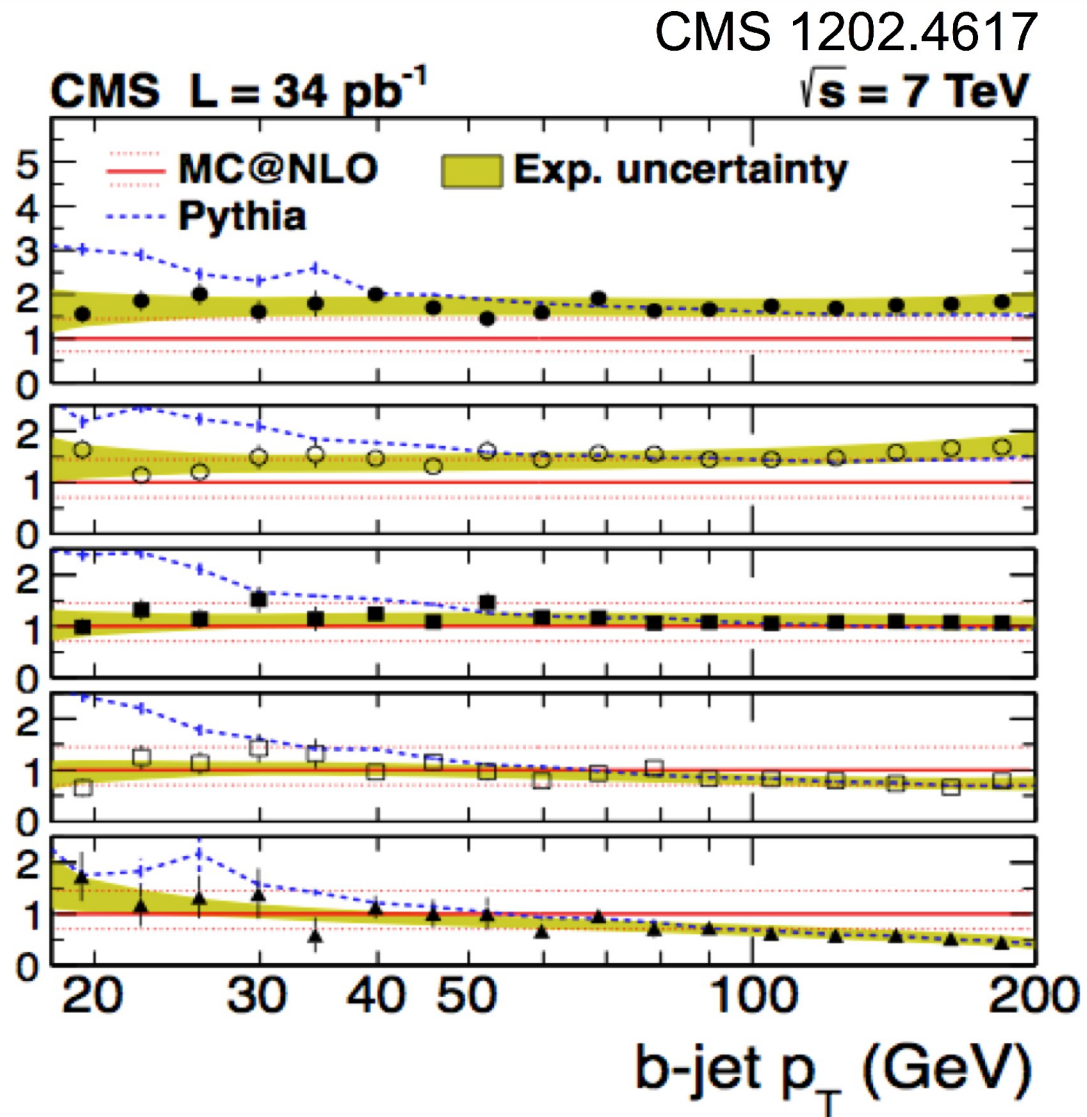




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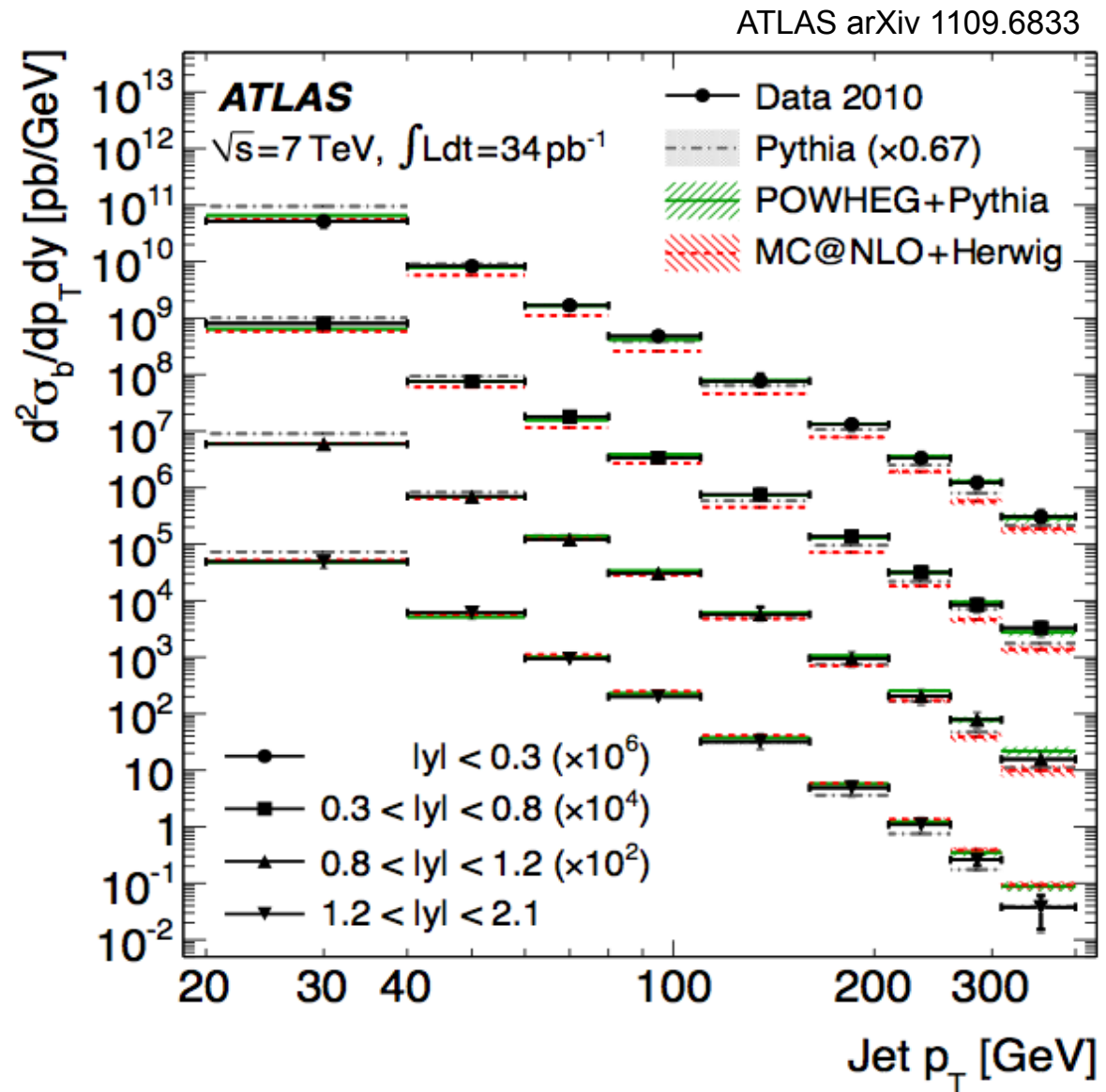
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Data / MC@NLO



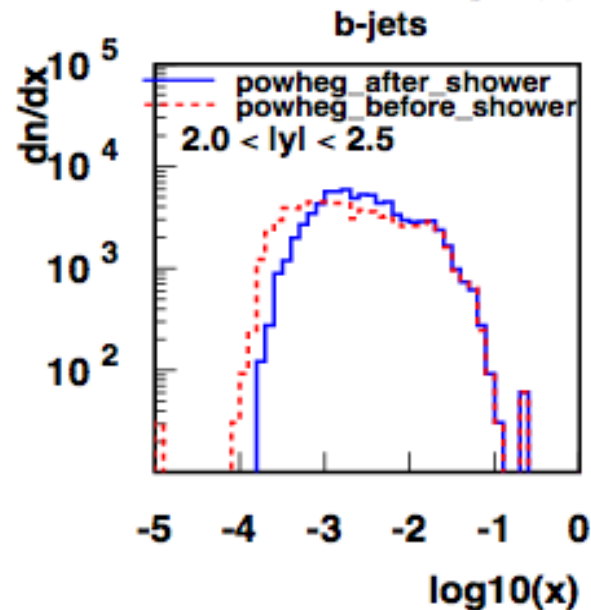
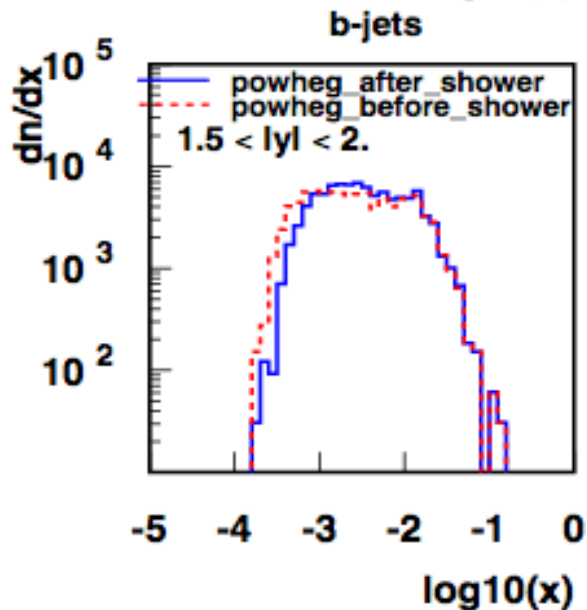
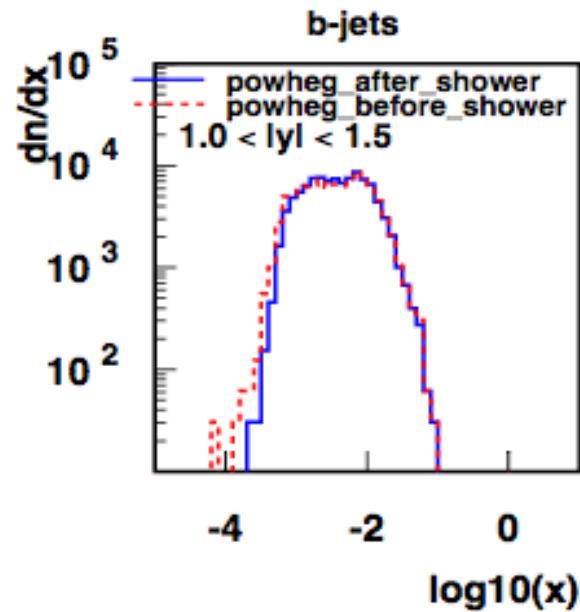
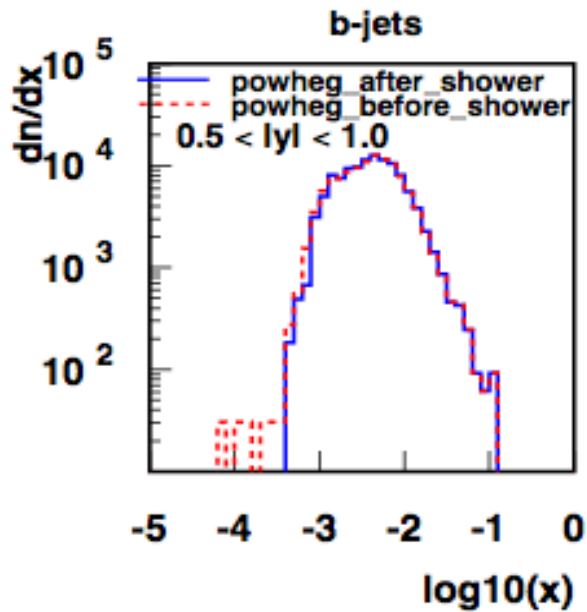
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➔ Both MCs give similar behavior !

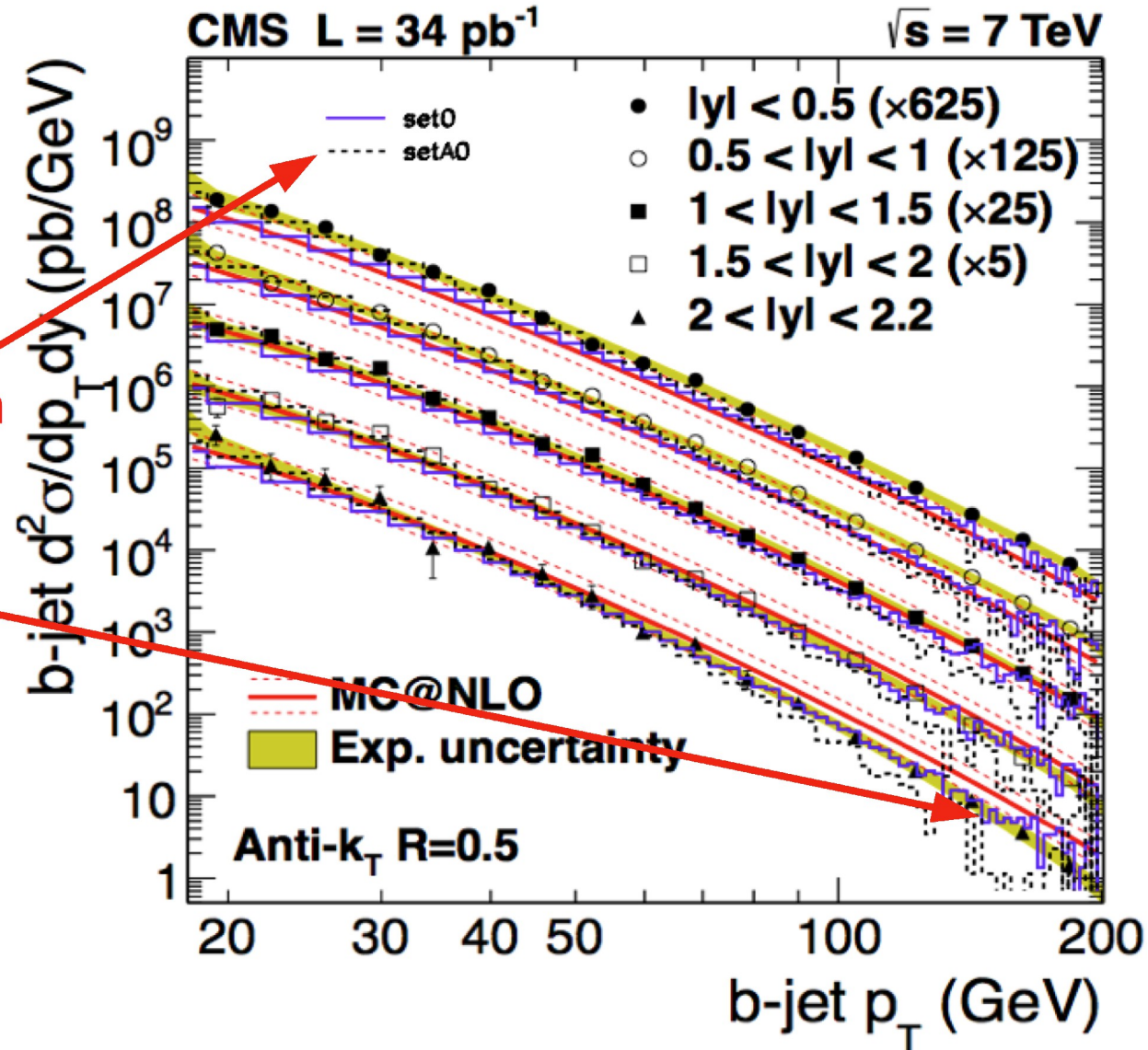
# Kinematics with shower in b-jets



- momentum fraction of gluon changes due to kinematics after shower
- low  $x$  region influences high  $p_t$  tail
- different  $x$  after shower  $\rightarrow$  different gluon density ...

# Inclusive b-jets

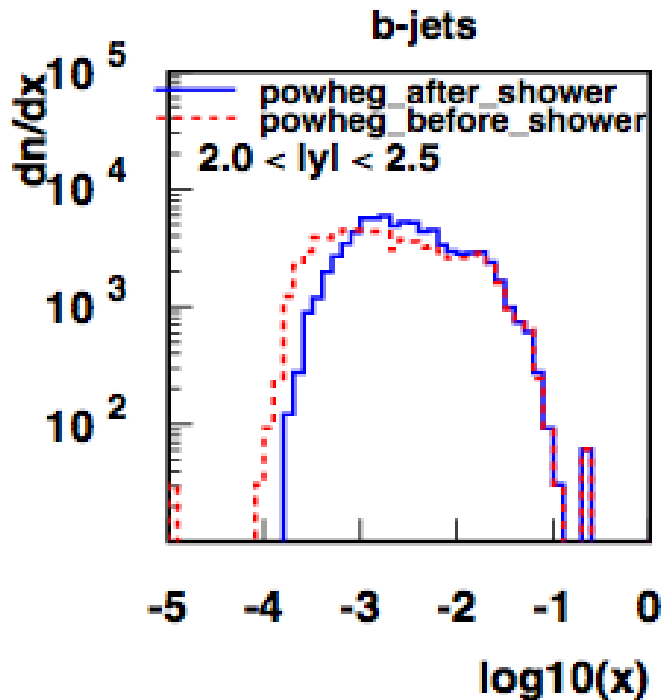
- b-jet production  $gg \rightarrow b\bar{b}$  dominates
- inclusive b-jets: probe of gluon density
- test of unintegrated gluon (TMD) obtained from  $F_2$  fit (CASCADE)
- description similar to MC@NLO at central rapidities
- BUT shape at large  $p_t$  much better described



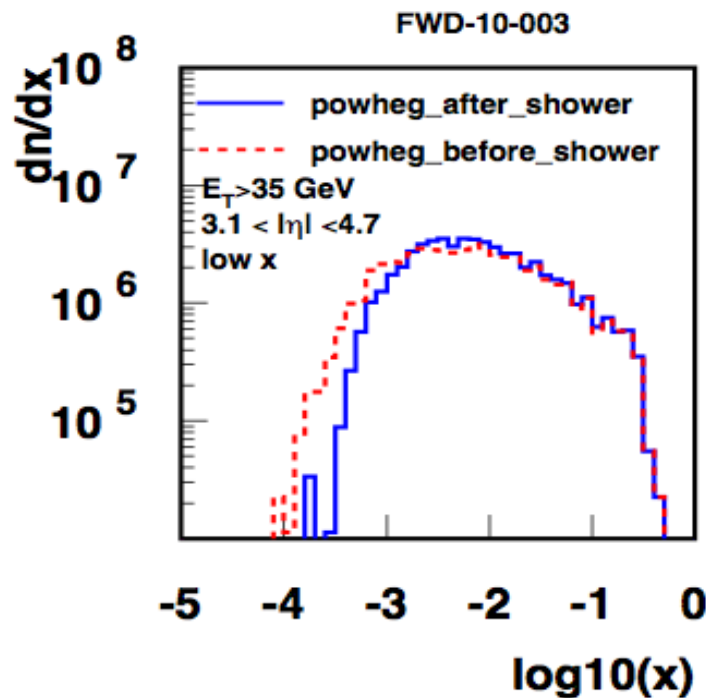
→ Is this effect of small  $x$  resummation or just kinematics ?

# Why TMDs ?

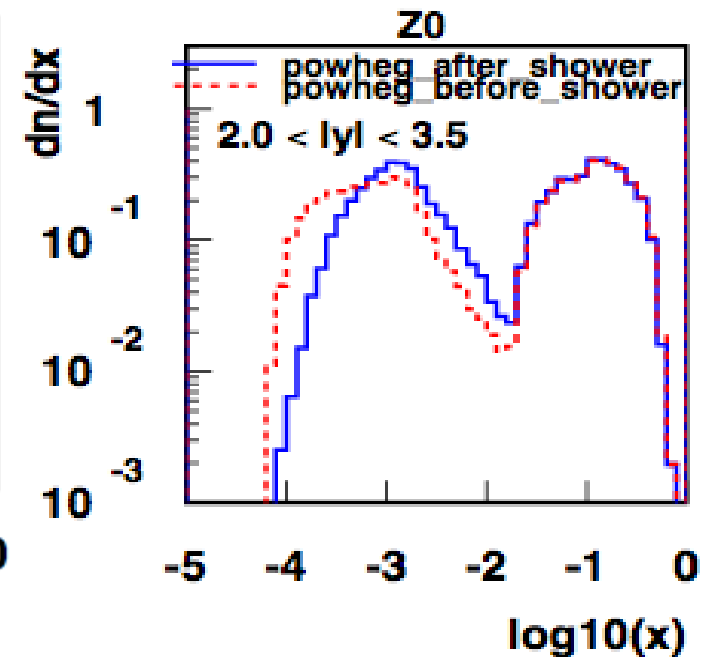
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- x distribution for incl jets in POWHEG different after shower



- x distribution for Z0 in POWHEG different after shower

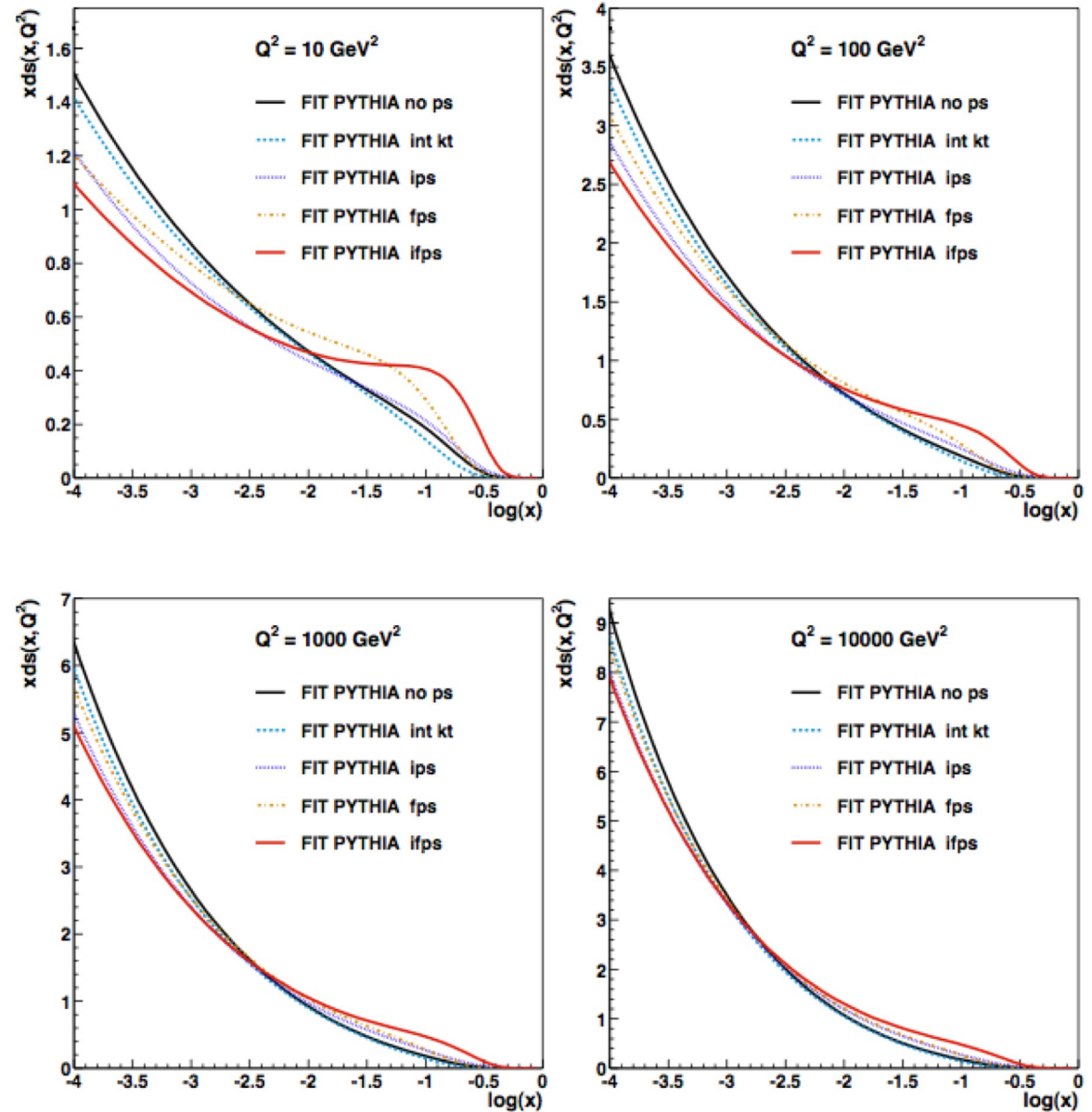


→ pure NLO parton level could give wrong results !

# The PDF4MC project

- perform fits to  $F_2$  using a Monte Carlo event generator which includes parton showers and intrinsic  $k_T$
- the resulting PDFs agree with standard LO ones if no PS and intrinsic  $k_T$  is applied.
- the final PDFs are different because of kinematic effects coming from transverse momenta of PS and intrinsic  $k_T$

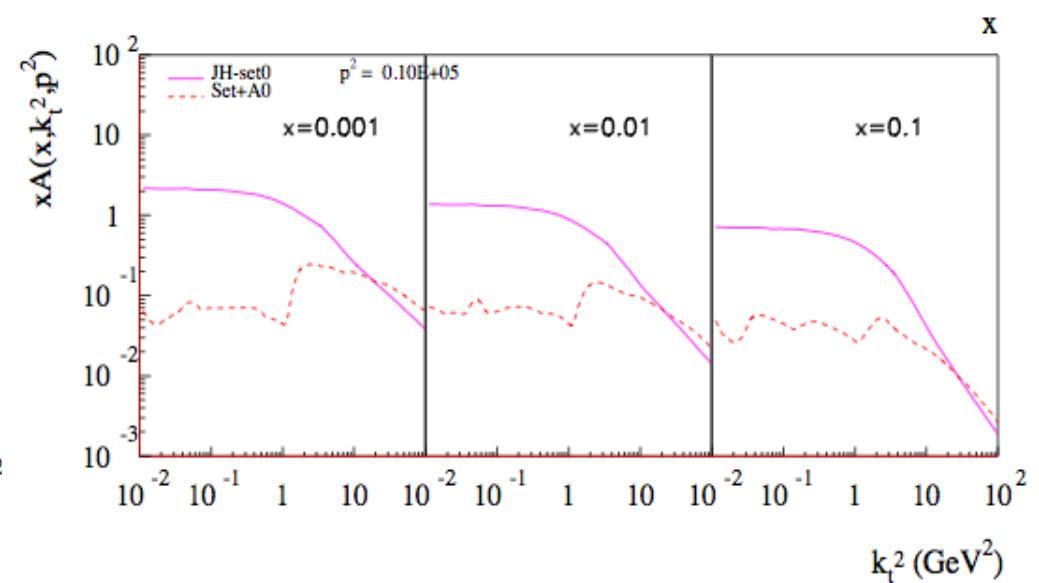
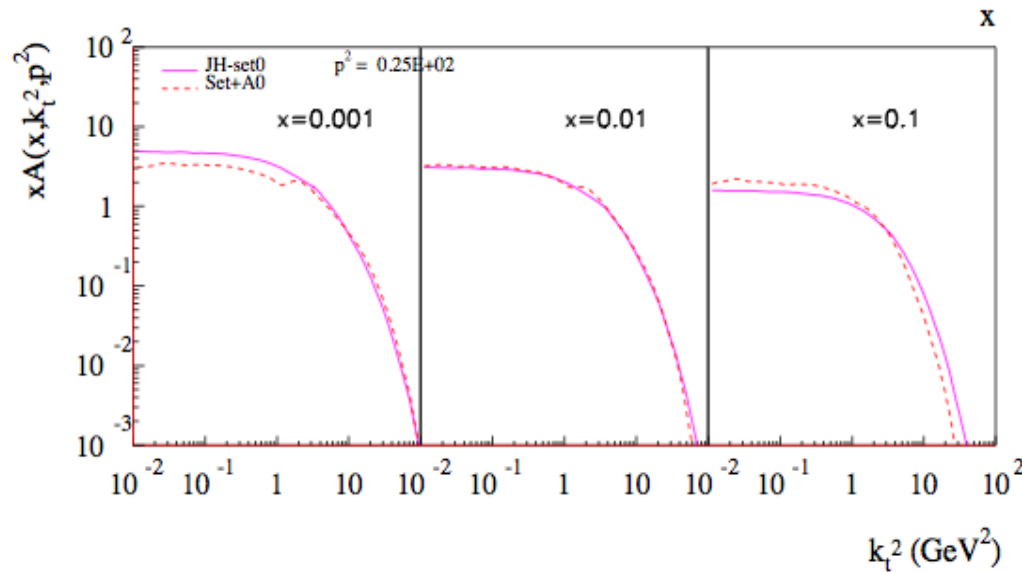
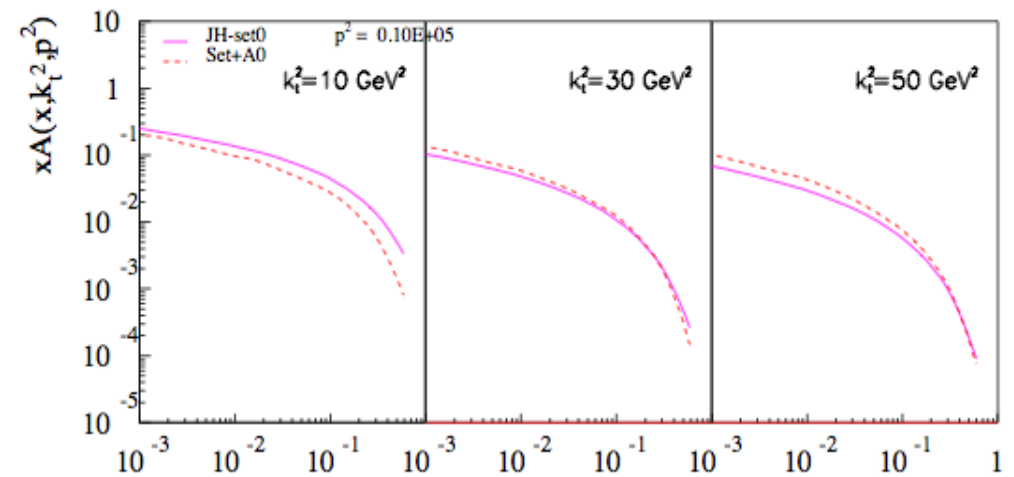
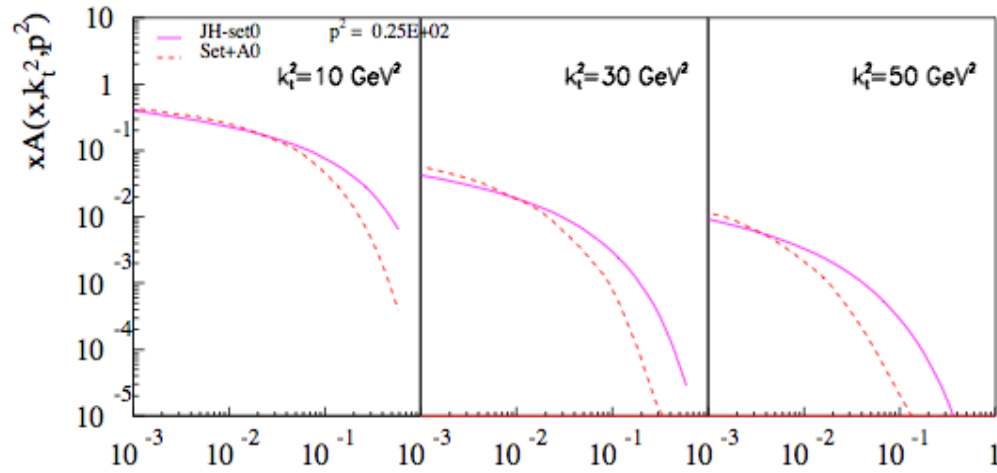
Determination of parton density functions using Monte Carlo event generators (Diploma 2009) Federico C. A. von Samson-Himmelstjerna



# CCFM TMDs: from a fit to $F_2$

evolved to  $p^2 = 25 \text{ GeV}^2$

evolved to  $p^2 = 10000 \text{ GeV}^2$



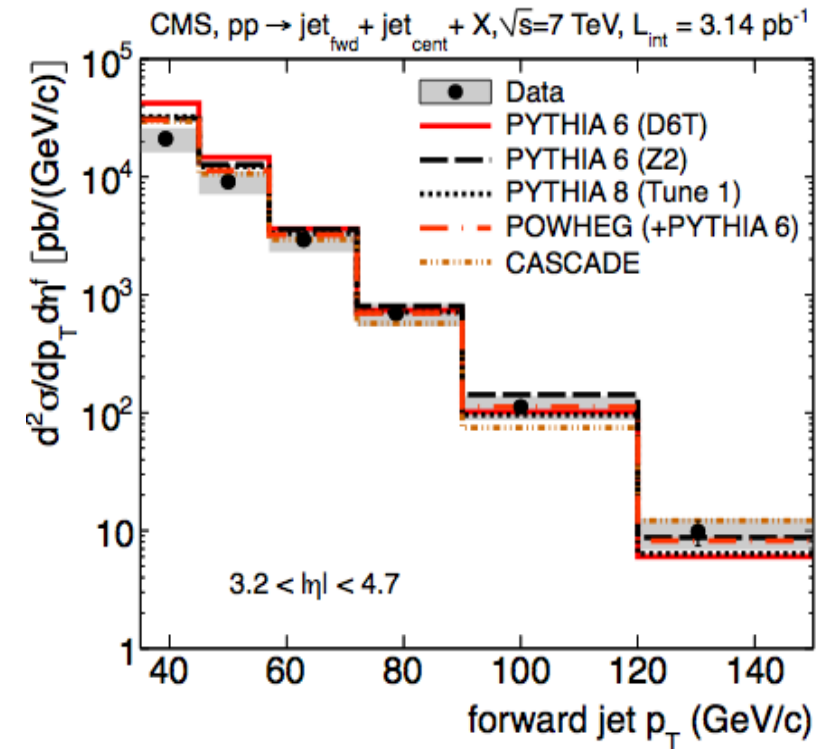
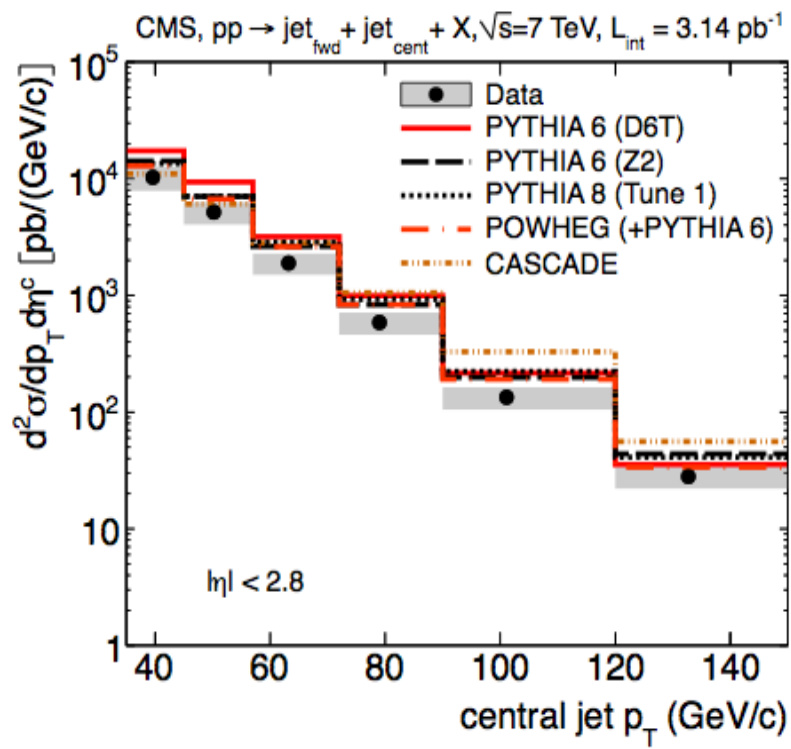
# Where measurements challenge theory

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- associated forward & central jets

- $E_t > 35$  GeV (anti-kt, R=0.5)

- leading jets in  $|\eta_c| < 2.8$  and  $3.2 < |\eta_f| < 4.7$

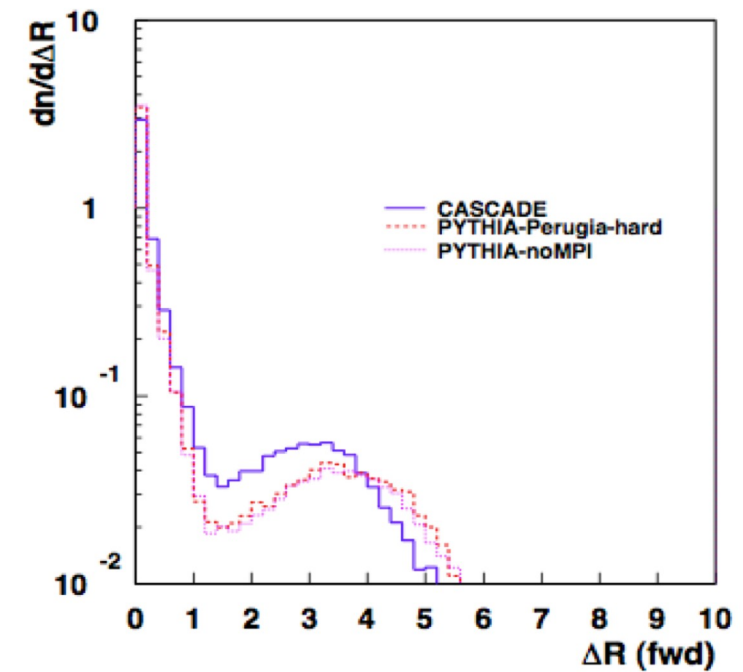
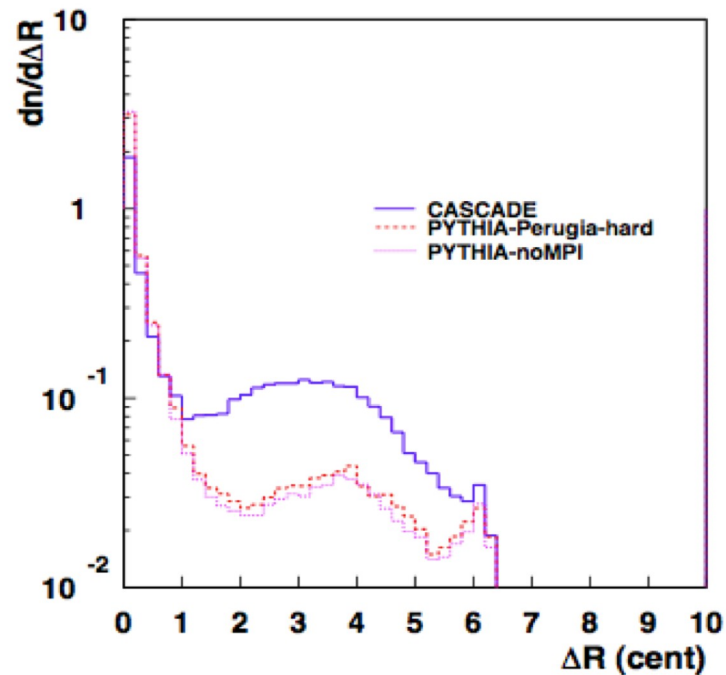




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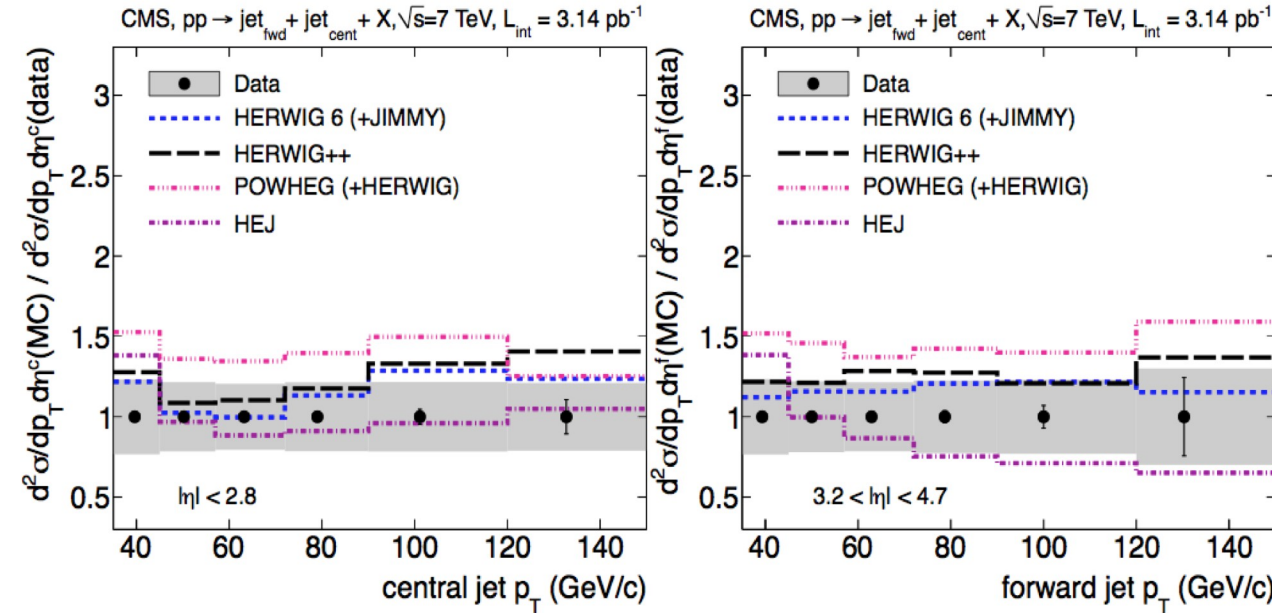
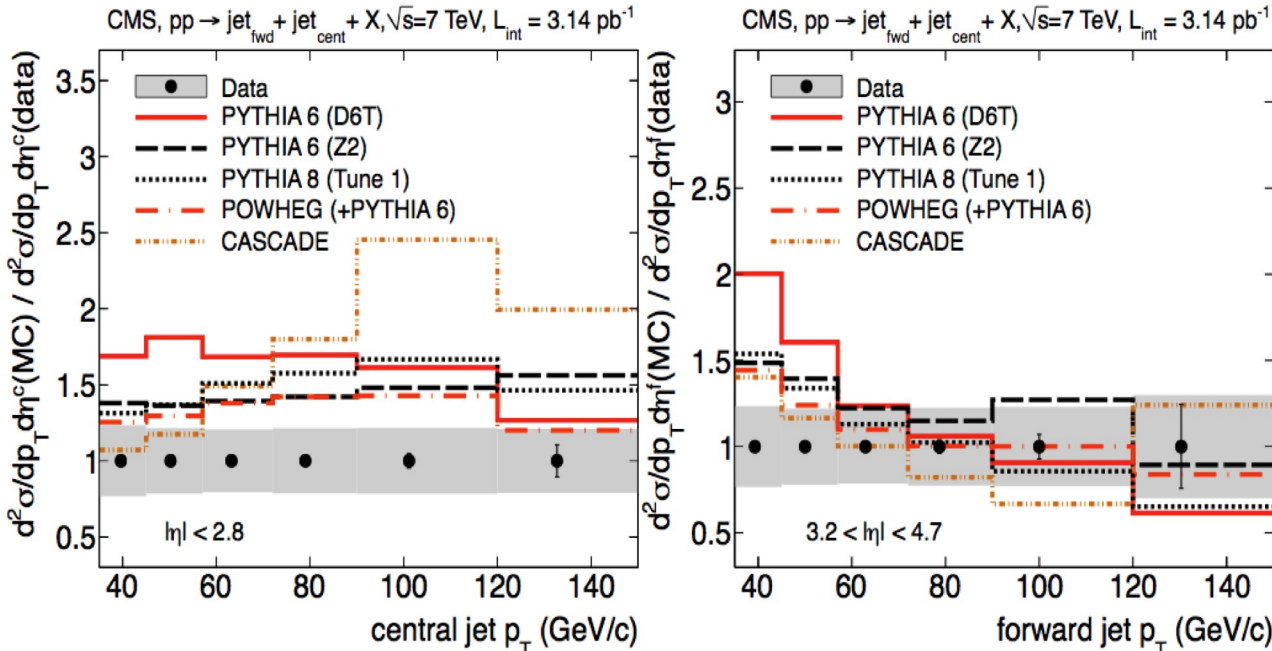
- associated forward & central jets
  - are  $2 \rightarrow 2$  ME partons producing central & forward jets ?
    - jets can come from shower partons !



- depends on shower: collinear or  $k_t$  factorized shower

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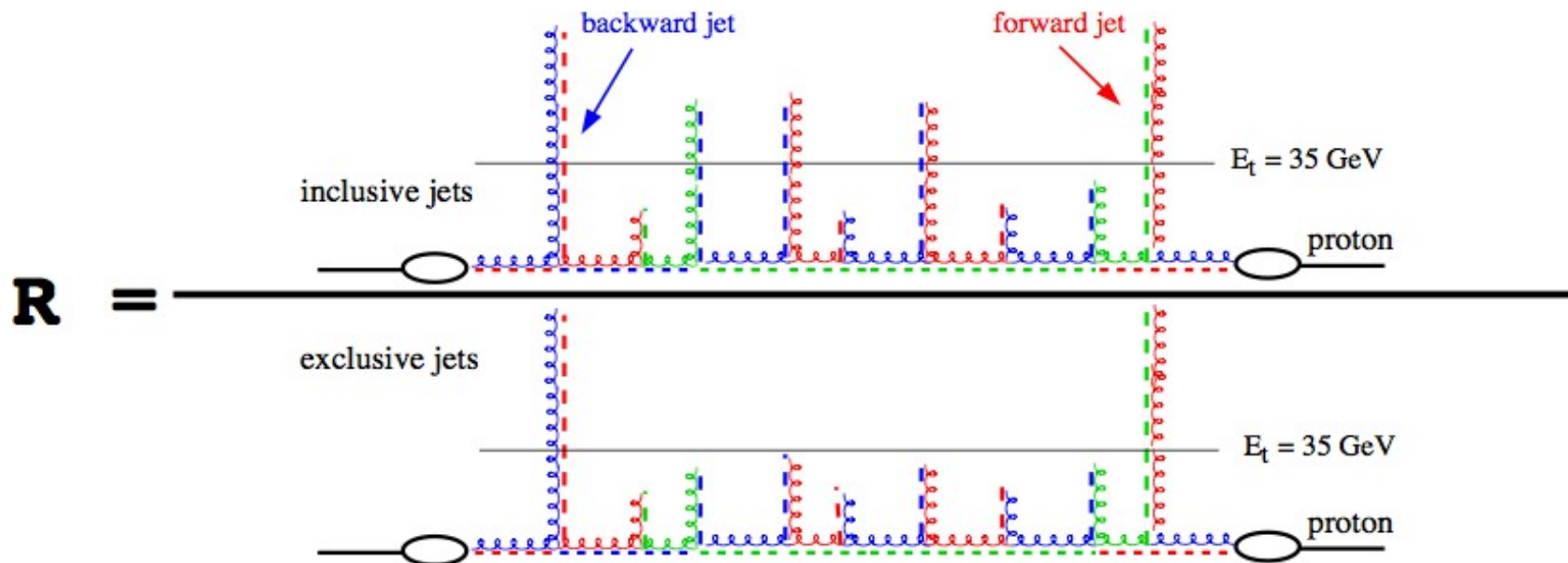
## Correlations of jets:

- Shape and norm not described
  - POWHEG/PYTHIA also off
  - CASCADE off
  - POWHEG/HERWIG closer to data
  - HEJ within uncertainties
- ➔ **BUT different to inclusive jets !!!!**

# Dijets at large $\Delta y$

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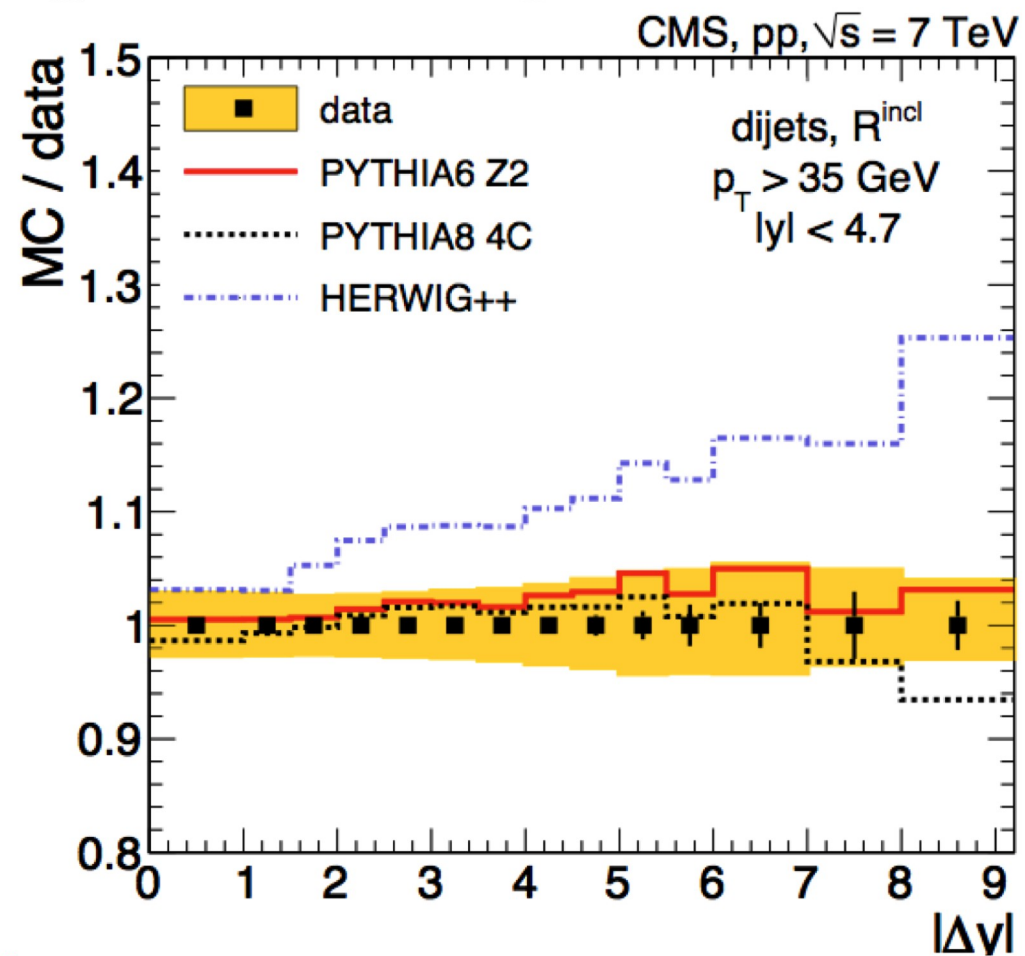
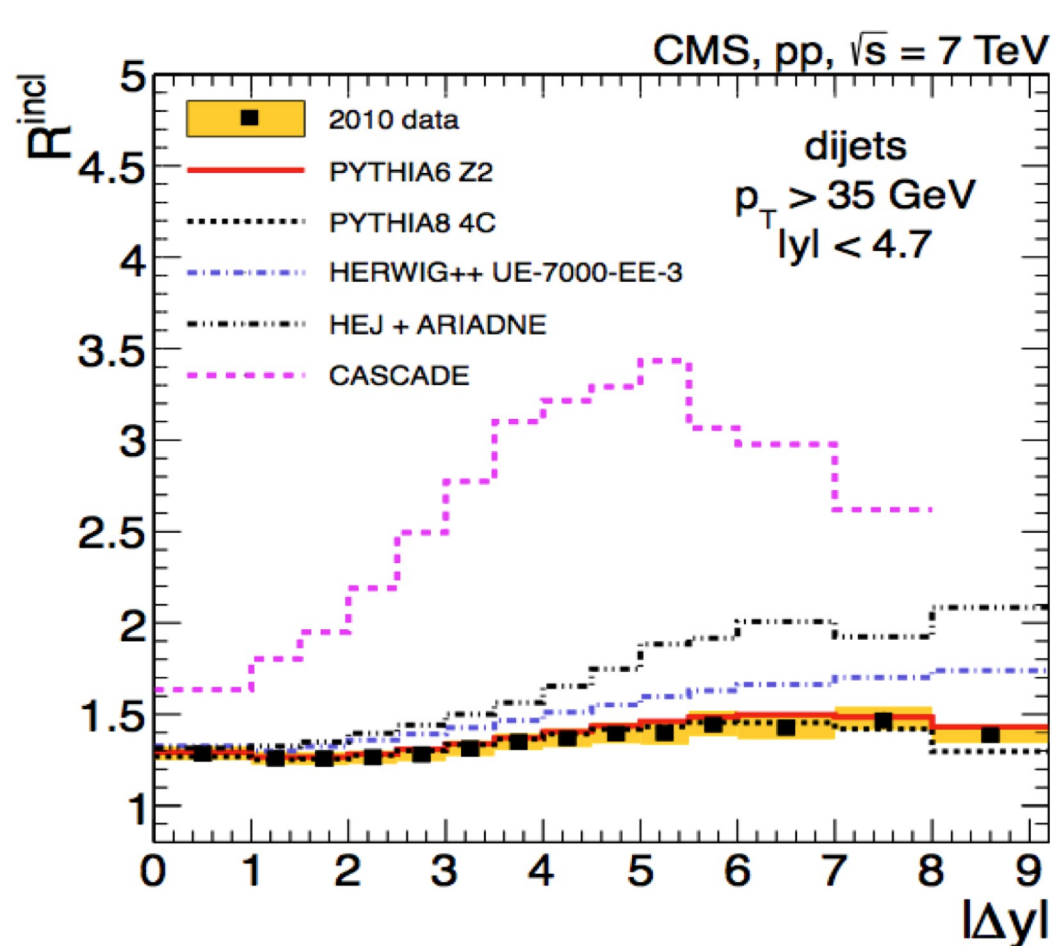
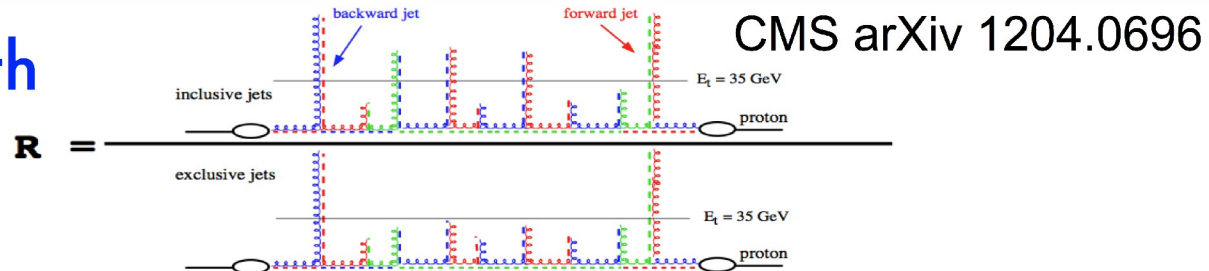
- select (anti-kt) dijets with  $p_{t\ min} = 35\ \text{GeV}$ ,  $|y| < 4.7$  as function of rapidity separation  $\Delta y$  between jets
- for large  $\Delta y$  **expect** rising xsection due to increased phase space (BFKL effects)
- **measure ratio of exclusive/inclusive xsection (many systematic cancel)**



→ **measure up to  $\Delta y < 9$  !!!**

# Dijets at large $\Delta y$

- select all (anti-kt) dijets with  $p_{t\ min} = 35\text{ GeV}$ ,  $|y| < 4.7$

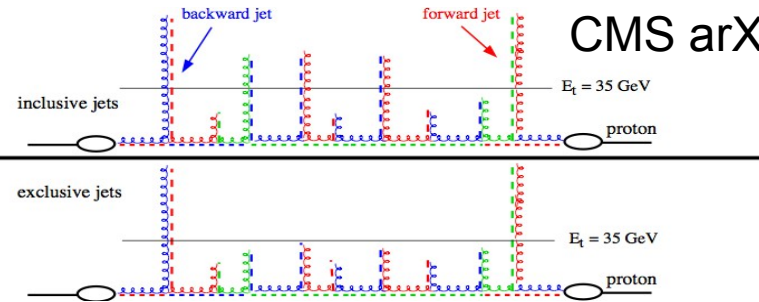


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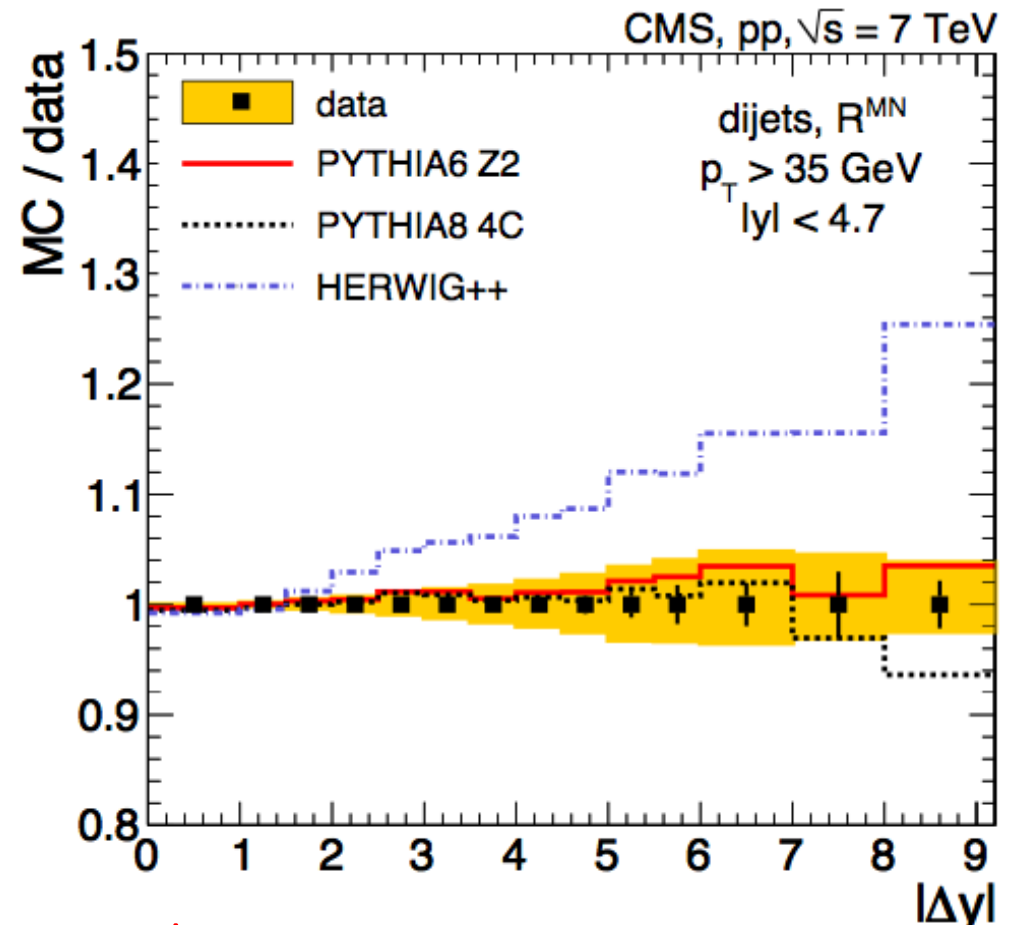
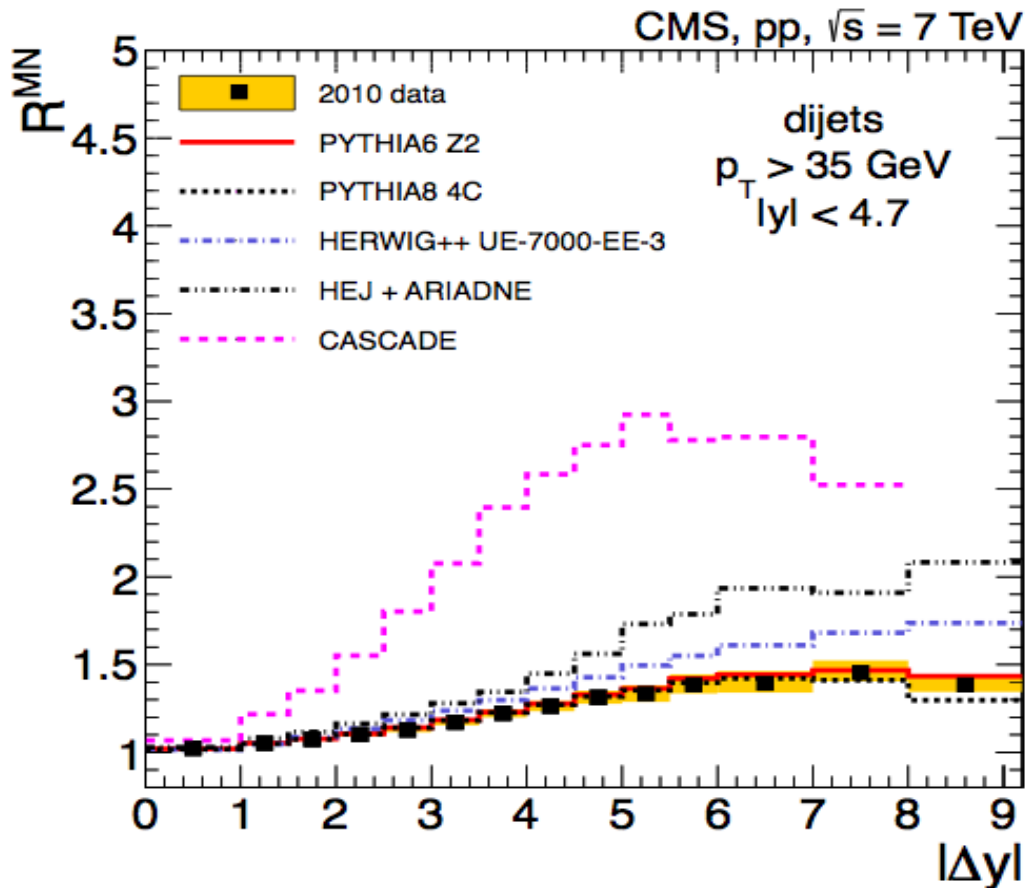
- select most forward/backward (anti-kt) dijets with

$$p_{T \min} = 35 \text{ GeV}, |y| < 4.7$$



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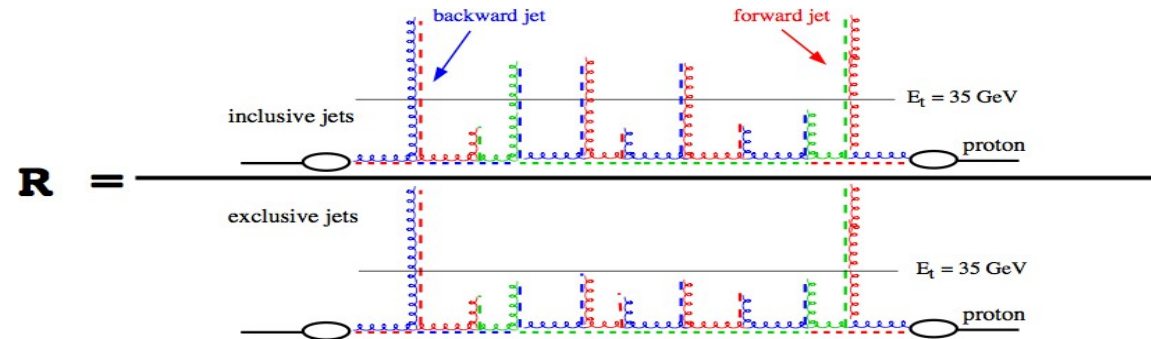


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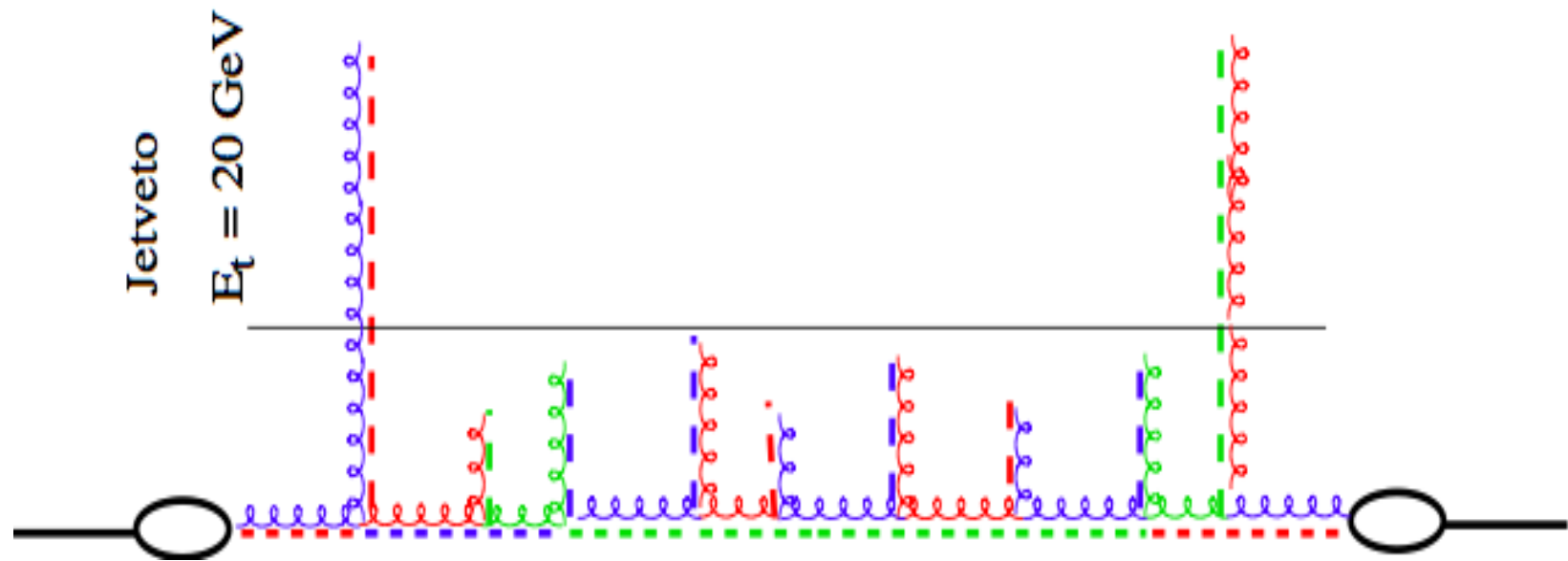
- (anti-kt) dijets with  
 $p_{t \min} = 35 \text{ GeV}, |y| < 4.7$
- Ratio is **only** described by  
PYTHIA (and POWHEG)
  - influence on Tune and MPI  
very small
- Large deviations at large  $\Delta y$ 
  - HERWIG (and POWHEG)
  - HEJ
  - CASCADE



➔ **Where is signal for BFKL at large  $\Delta y$  ?**

# Dijets with jet veto

- Jets with  $p_t > 20 \text{ GeV}$   $\bar{p}_t > 50 \text{ GeV}$ , Jet veto  $Q_0 = 20 \text{ GeV}$



- Measure "gap"-fraction (no jet with  $p_t > Q_0$ ) as function of  $\Delta y$

# Dijets with jet veto

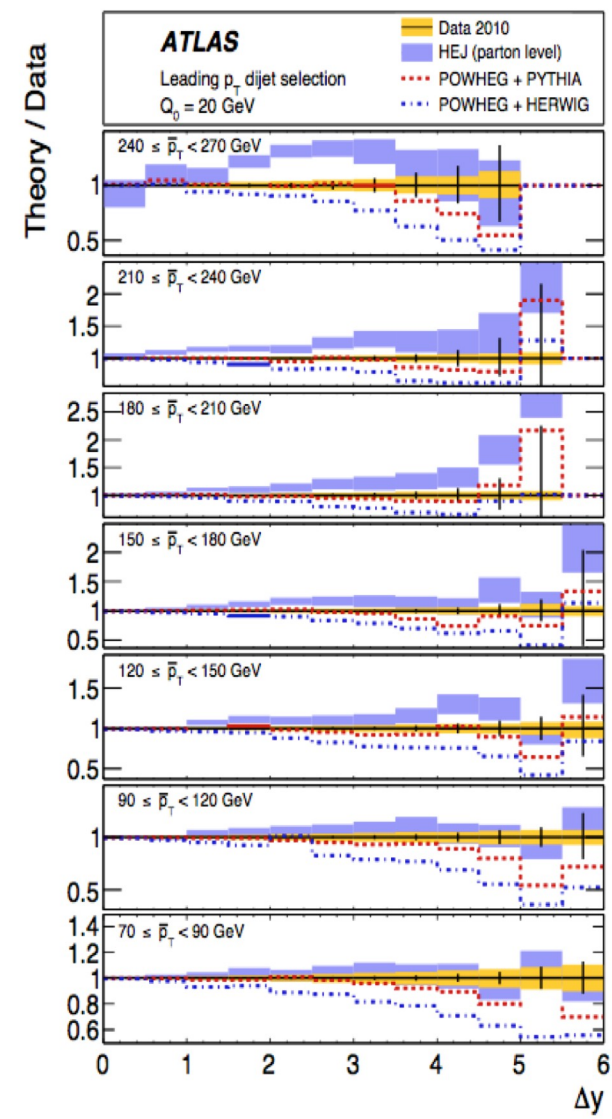
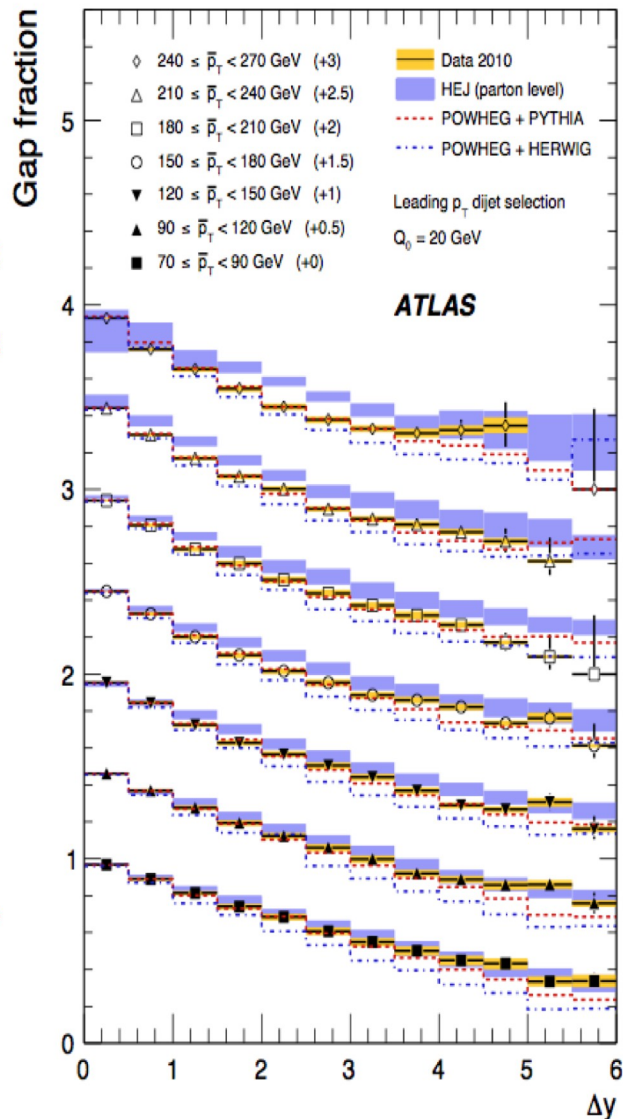
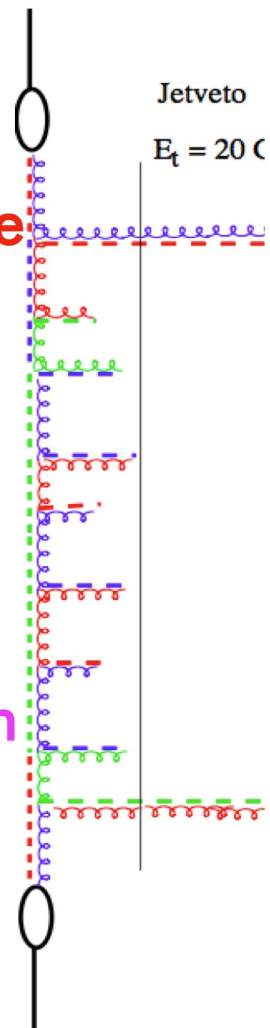
Jets with  $p_t > 20 \text{ GeV}$   $\bar{p}_t > 50 \text{ GeV}$ , Jet veto  $Q_0 = 20 \text{ GeV}$

Leading  $p_t$  jets

POWHEG too low at large  $\Delta y$

HEJ describes large  $\Delta y$

small  $x$  resummation needed





# Dijets with jet veto

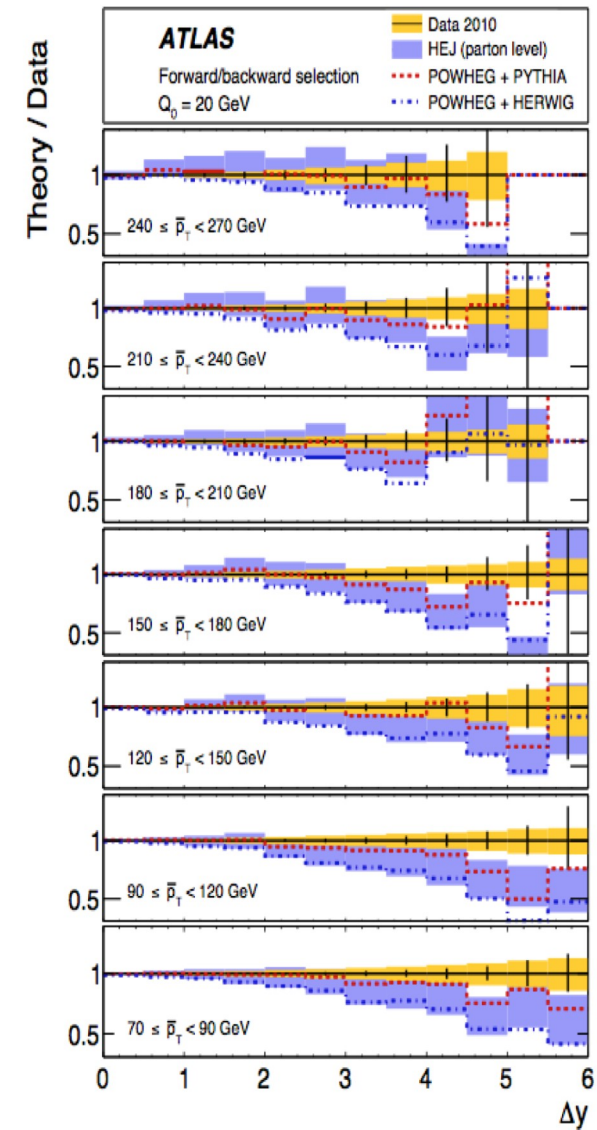
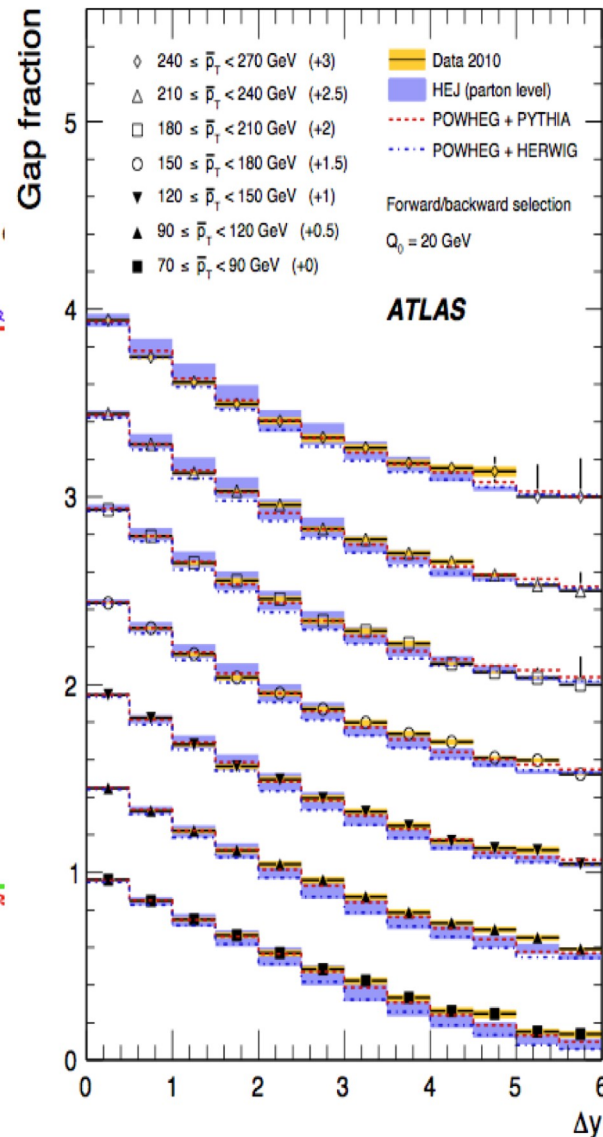
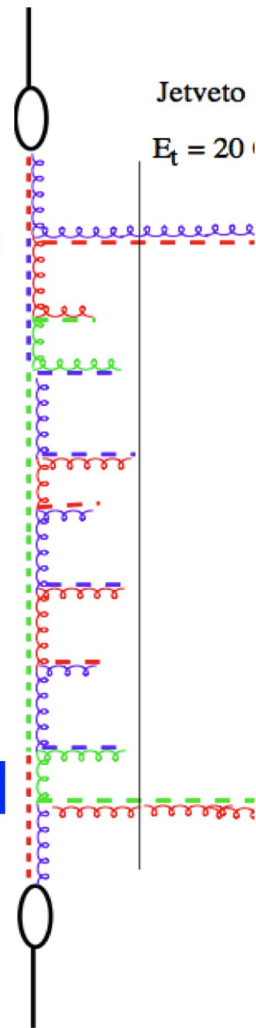
Jets with  $p_t > 20 \text{ GeV}$   $\bar{p}_t > 50 \text{ GeV}$ , Jet veto  $Q_0 = 20 \text{ GeV}$

Most fwd/bwd jets

POWHEG/HEJ  
too low at large  $\Delta y$

$\Delta p_t$  increases  
with  $\Delta y$

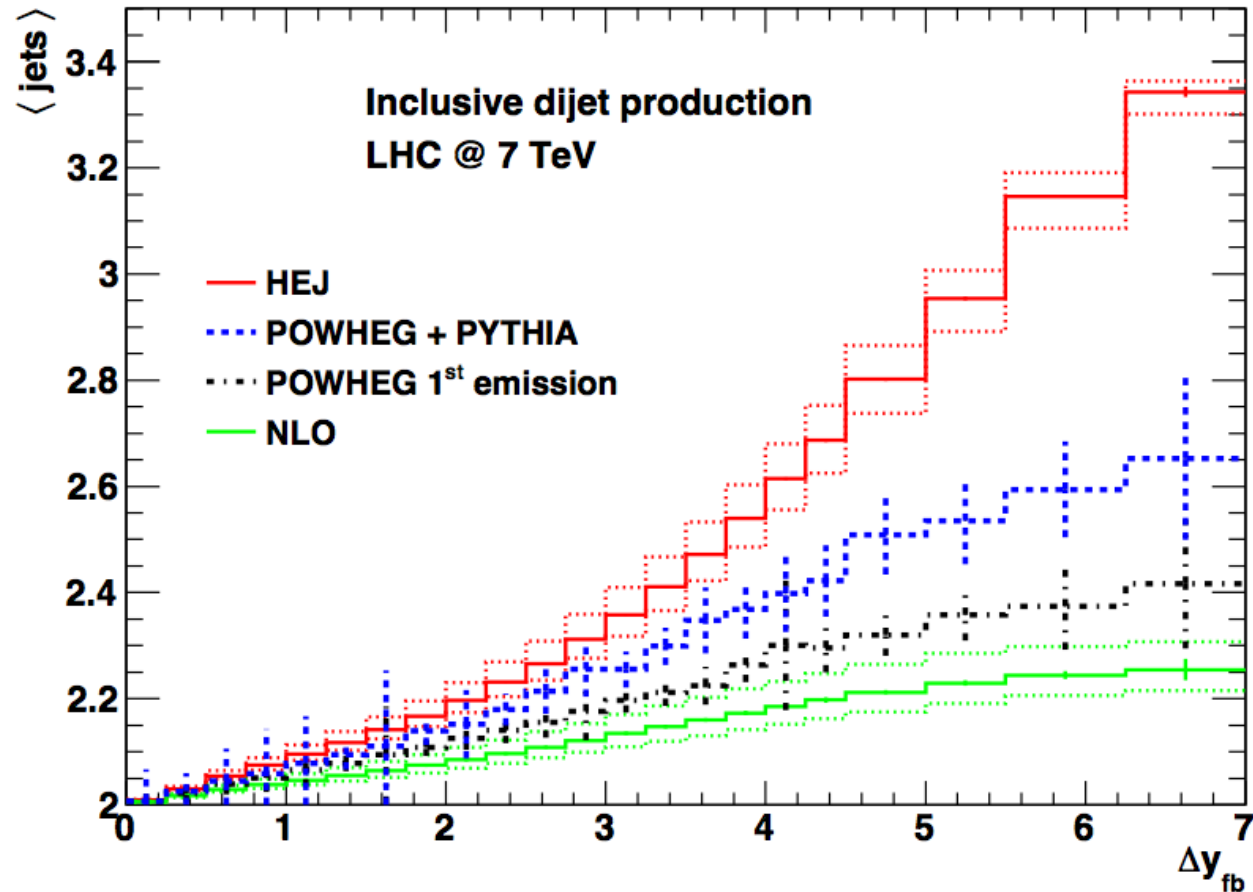
many relatively  
soft jets  
between tagged  
jets possible



# Understanding dijets at large $\Delta y$

S. Alioli et al arXiv 1202.1475v1

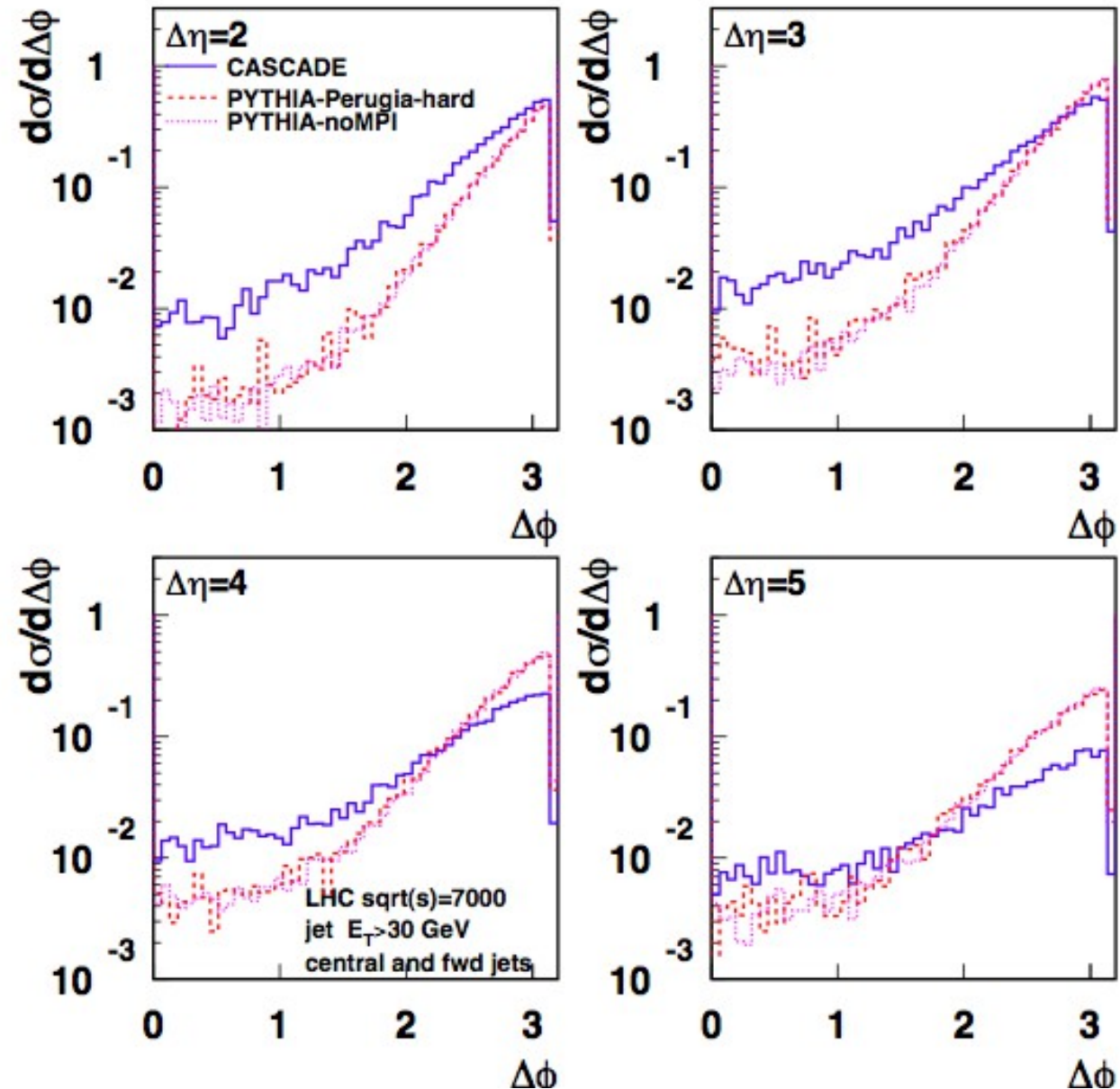
- With increased phase space at large  $\Delta y$  more jets can be produced
- NLO (dijet) < 3 jets
- HEJ with small  $x$  enhanced parton emissions produces more jets at large  $\Delta y$
- Differences in parton shower mechanism visible
- test with experiment !!!



# Understanding dijets at large $\Delta y$

Deak et al arXiv 1012.6037

- Decorrelation increase with increasing  $\Delta y$
- Decorrelation at large  $\Delta y$  reflects details of parton showering
- larger decorrelations expected from  $k_t$ -factorized shower



# Summary

- Jet measurements from LHC challenge theory
  - inclusive jets at central  $\eta$  are well described by NLO dijets
    - how to determine NP corrections needed for parton level ?
  - deviations from NLO predictions are seen at forward  $|y| > 2$ :
    - inclusive jets are subject to higher order corrections
    - differences in parton shower + NLO !
  - deviations in dijet correlations:
    - forward-central jets
    - jet veto: gap fraction
    - dijets at large  $|y|$  separation
- TMDs might be necessary for proper treatment of kinematics

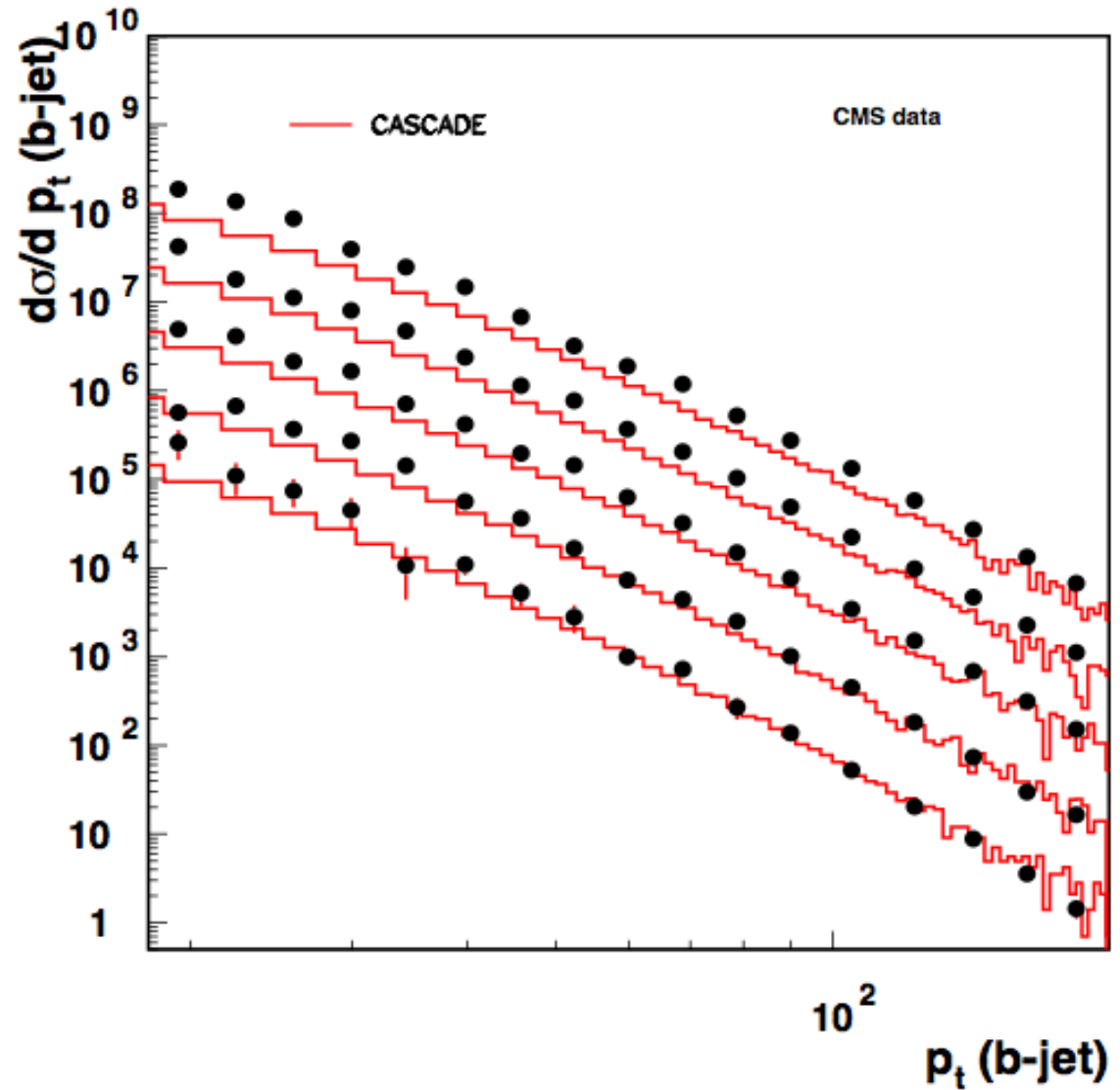
# and ...

- It's quite interesting and challenging doing QCD at LHC:
  - even during the Higgs race ....
- Upcoming issues:
  - small  $x$  – high energy behavior of QCD
    - where is BFKL, saturation and all this ?
  - high  $x$  – exclusive limit, threshold behavior
    - is there interesting QCD at highest luminosities ?

# Backup

# Inclusive b-jets

- b-jet production  $gg \rightarrow b\bar{b}$  dominates
- inclusive b-jets: probe of gluon density
- test of unintegrated gluon (TMD) obtained from  $F_2$  fit
- description similar to MC@NLO at central rapidities
- BUT shape at large  $p_t$  much better described



→ Is this effect of small  $x$  resummation or just kinematics ?