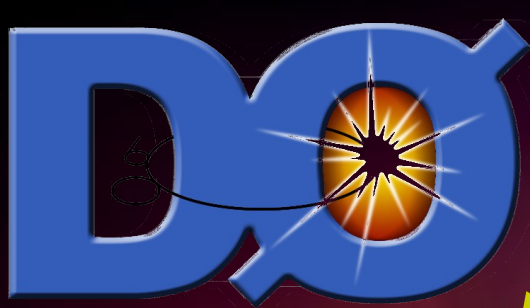




# **Standard Model** **Measurements at the** **Tevatron**

- Introduction
- Jet correlations
- Top physics
- W mass
- Conclusions & Outlook



# The Midwest



Scale: DESY → LHC (~1050 km)

- Fermilab is located near Chicago
- Endless Corn fields to the west,  
Lake Michigan to the east...

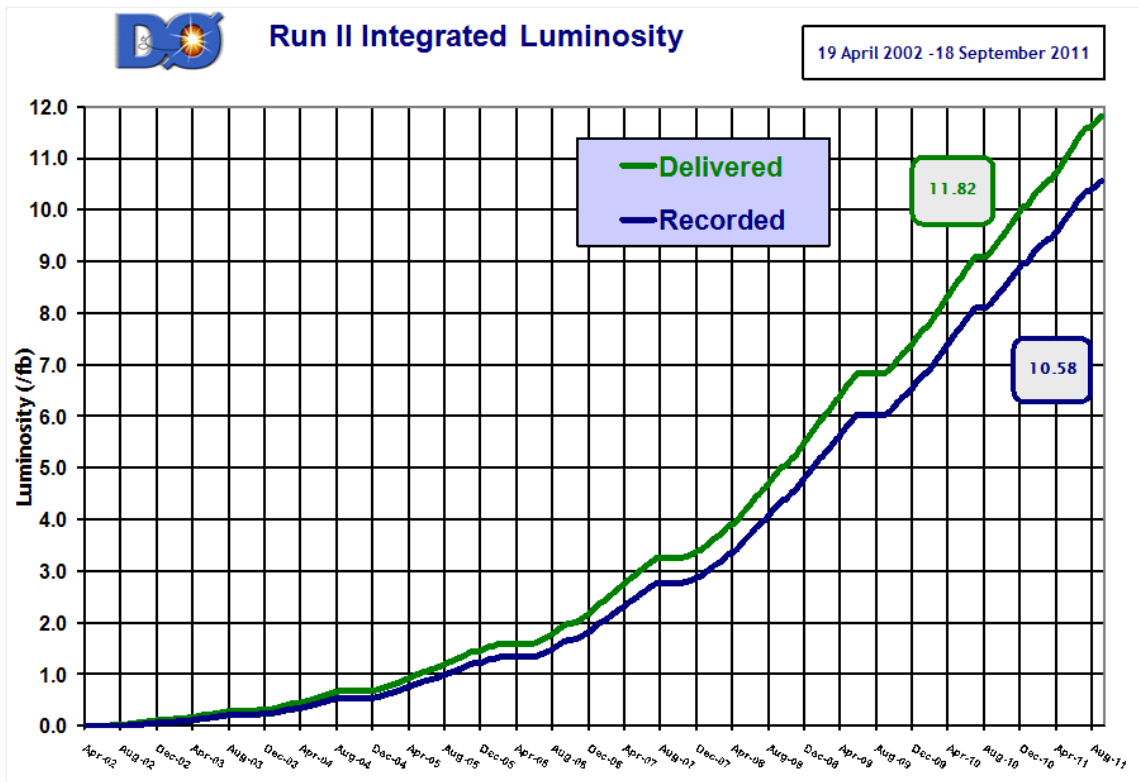




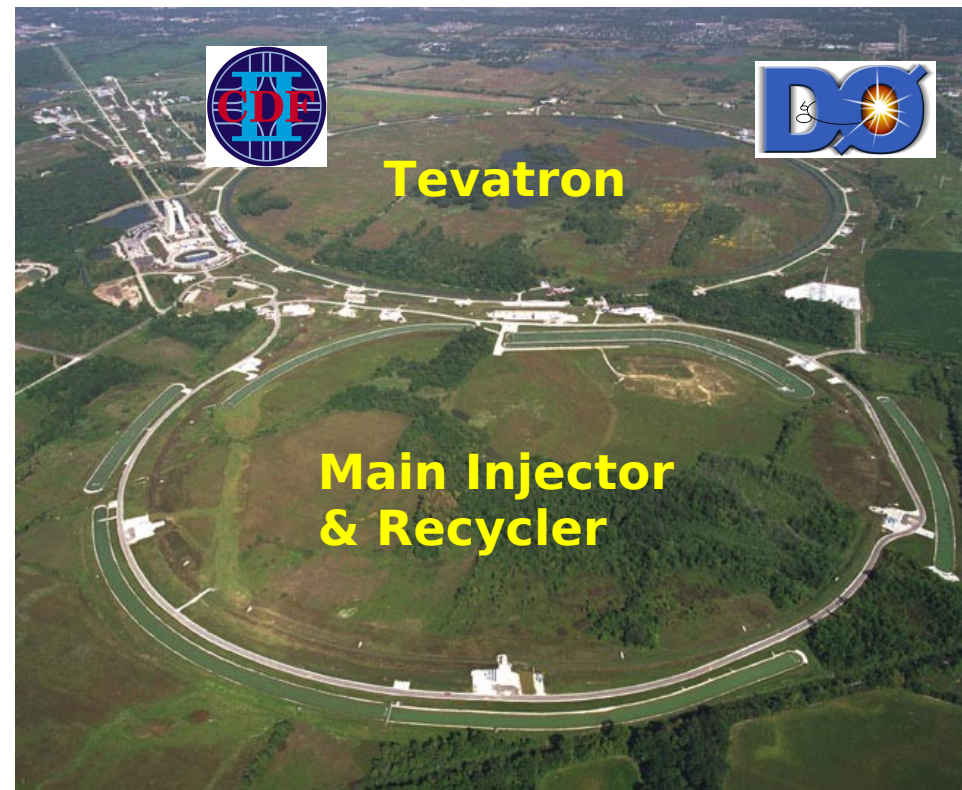
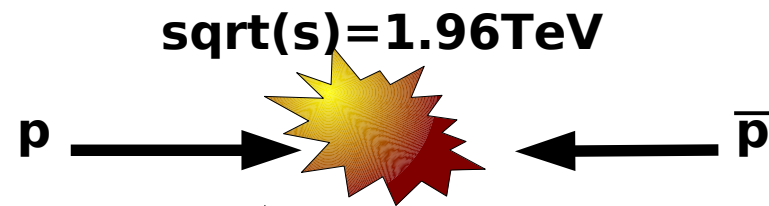
# The Tevatron



- Integrated luminosity:



- Initial luminosities:  $3 - 4 \times 10^{32} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$
- $\Delta t = 396\text{ns}$
- $\sim 12\text{fb}^{-1}/\text{experiment}$  delivered  $\rightarrow \sim 10 \text{ fb}^{-1}/\text{experiment}$  collected



**Thanks to the Accelerator Division!**





# The Tevatron



- Shutdown 30<sup>th</sup> of September 2011:

At DØ control room:



Main Control room: H. Edwards dumps beams



- Bill Lee and George Ginther  
(Run and technical Coordinator)
- DØ RunII data taking finally ends  
after ~10 years

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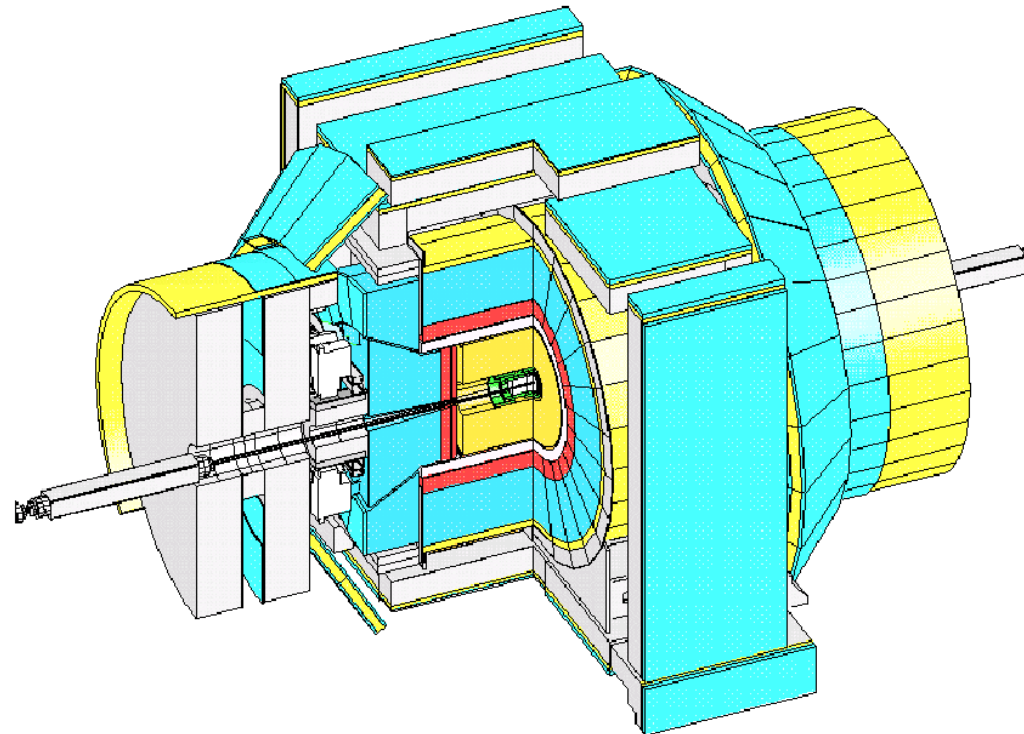
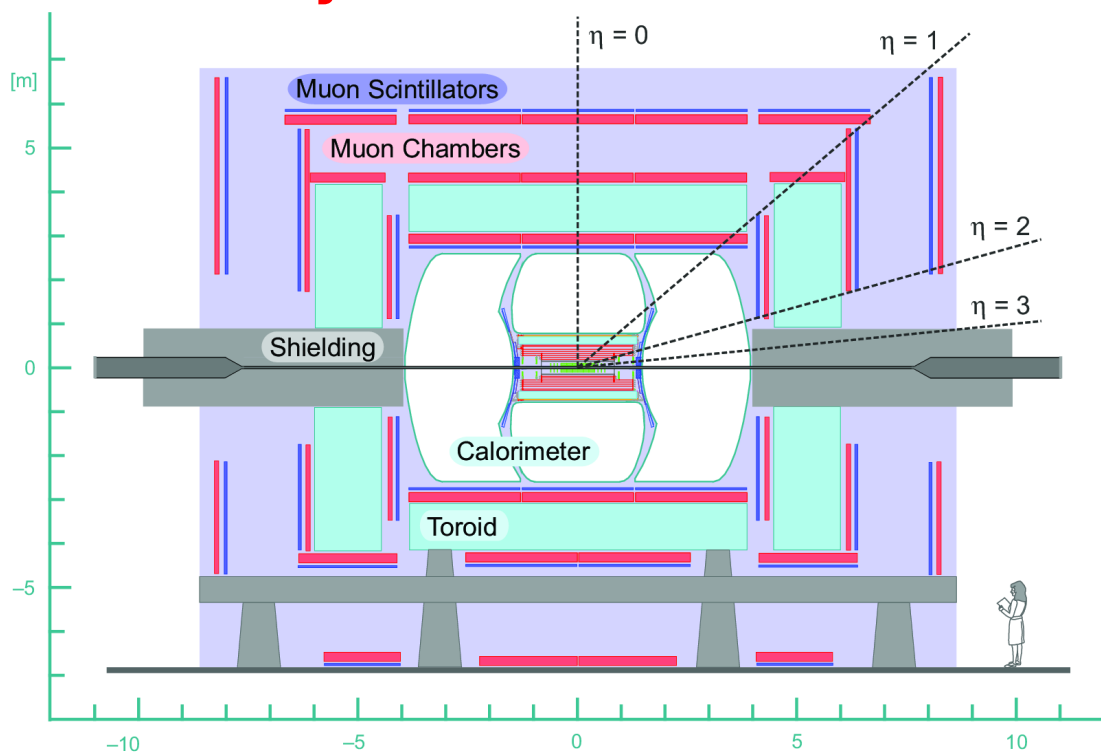


# The Experiments: CDF & DØ



General purpose  $4\pi$  detectors:

- **Tracker:** Detection and momentum measurement for charged particles
- **Calorimeter:** Identification and energy measurement of jets and electrons
- **Muon system:** Identification and momentum measurement of muons



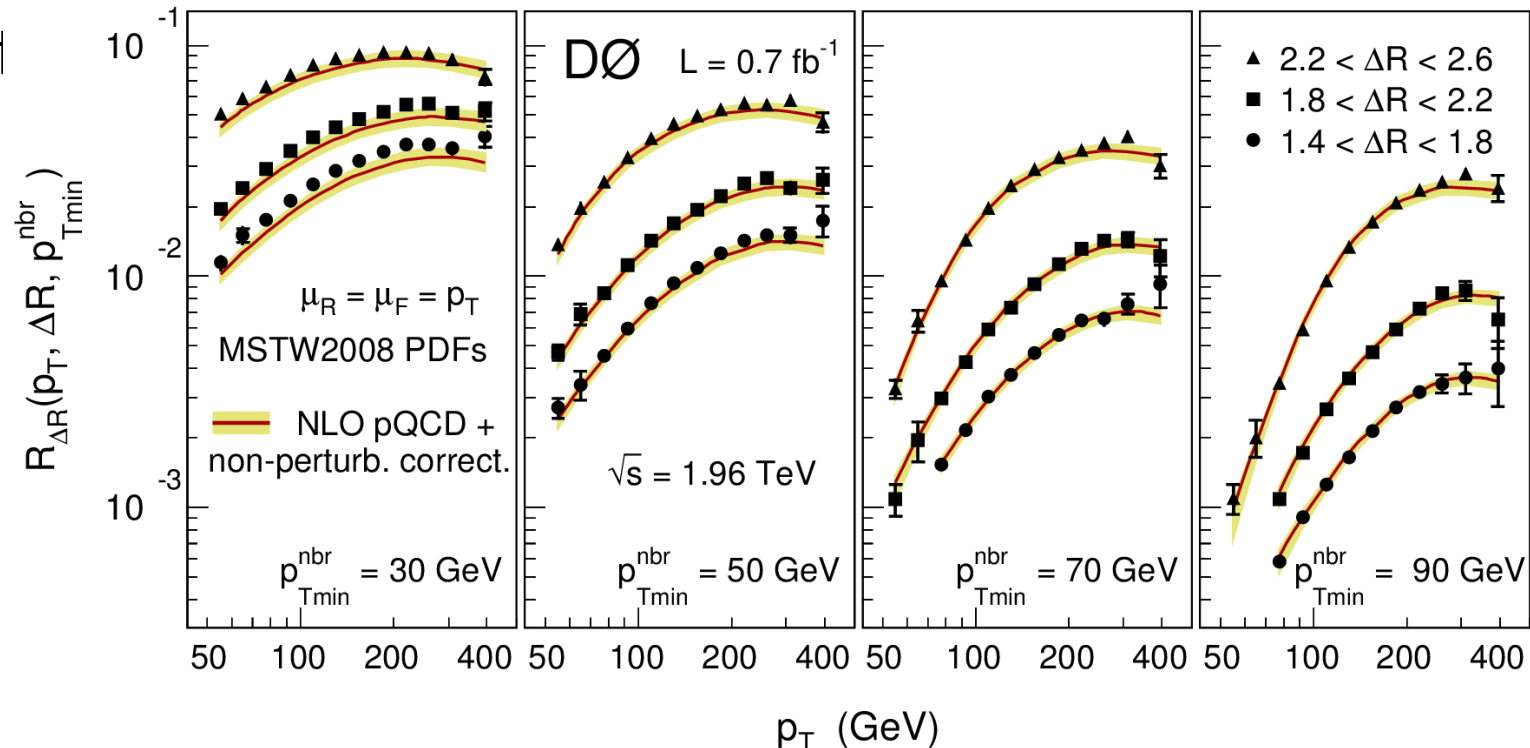
- Similar calorimeter and tracker coverages
- Detectors are of comparable strength in Tevatron Run II !

- Triple differential measurement of the average number of neighboring jets per jet:

$$R_{\Delta R}(p_T, \Delta R, p_{T\min}^{\text{nbr}}) = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{N_{\text{jet}}(p_T)} N_{\text{nbr}}^{(i)}(\Delta R, p_{T\min}^{\text{nbr}})}{N_{\text{jet}}(p_T)}$$

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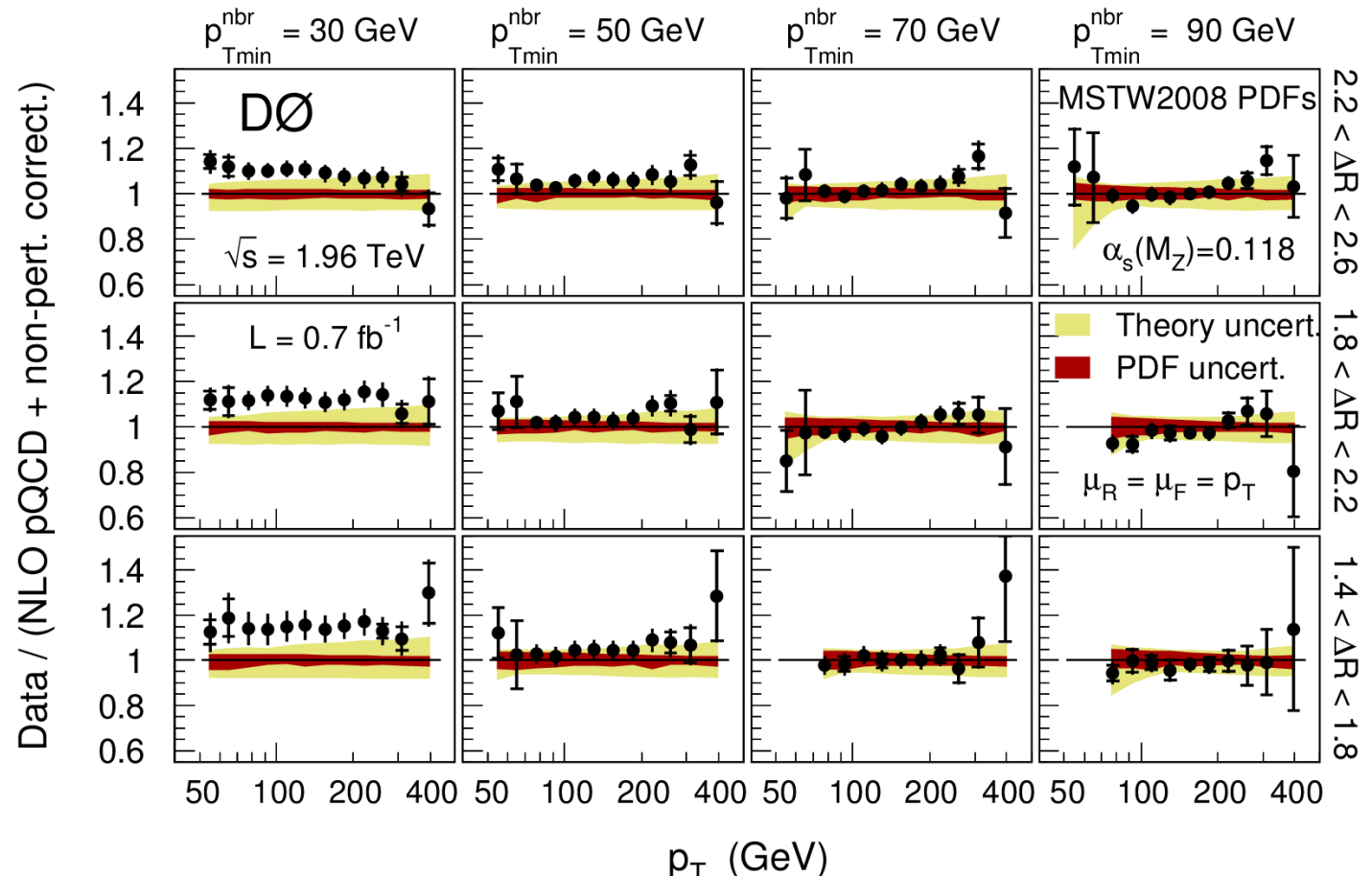


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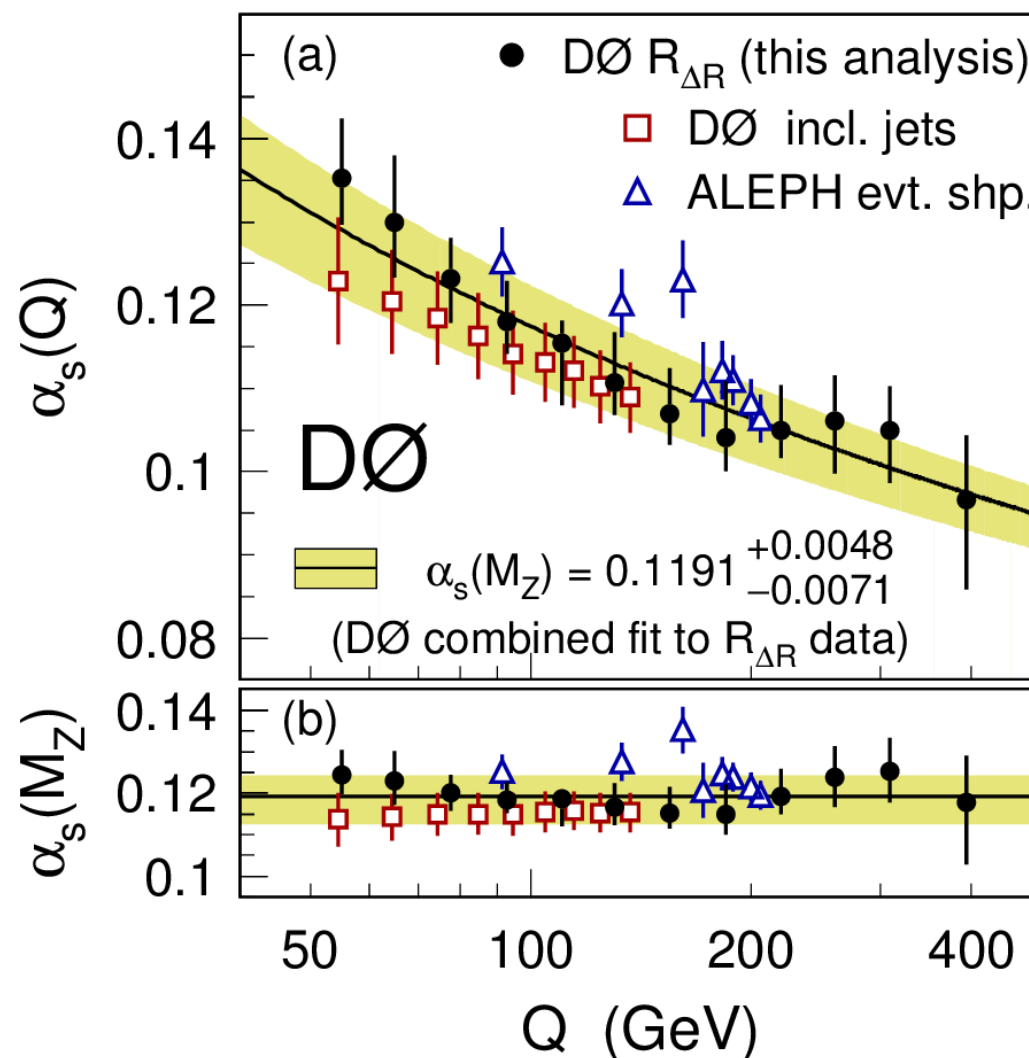
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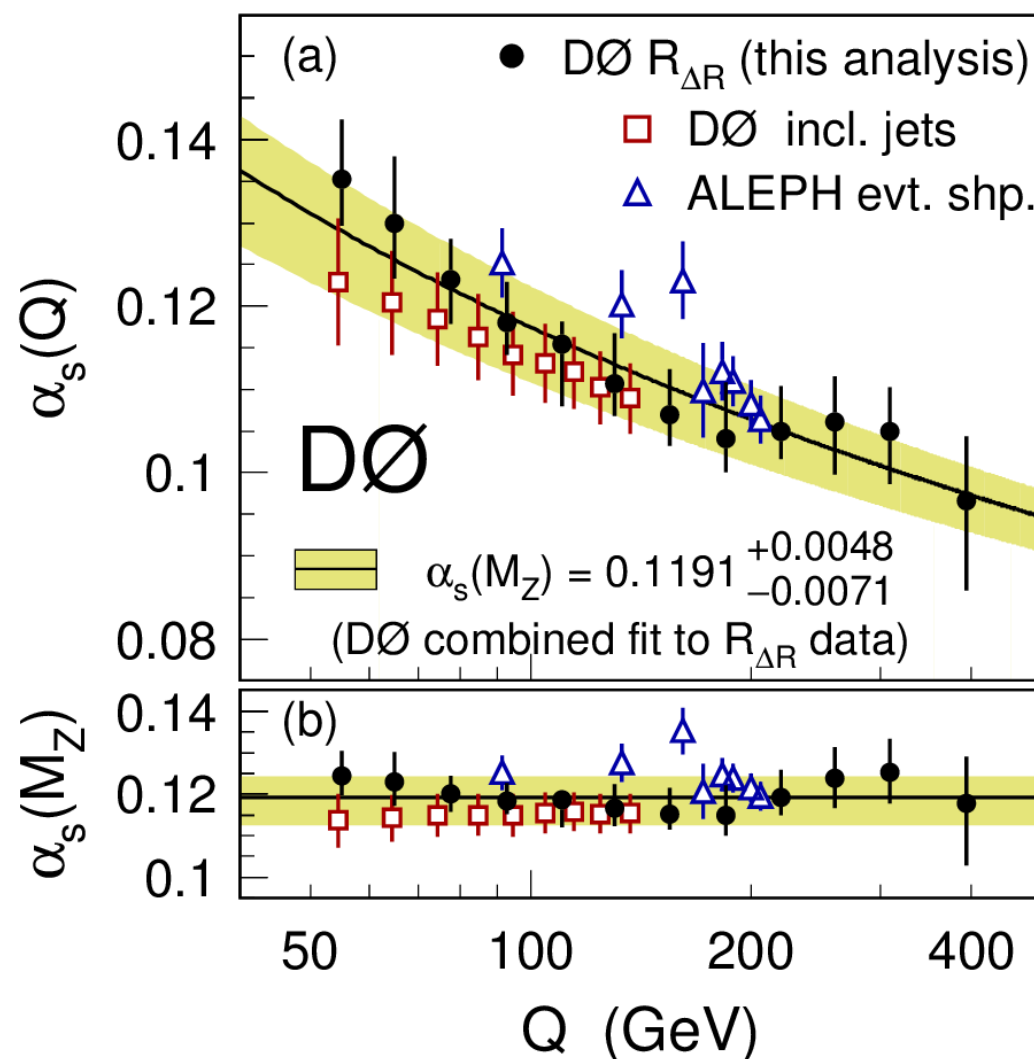
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$$\alpha_s(M_Z) = 0.1191 \pm \begin{matrix} 0.0048 \\ 0.0071 \end{matrix}$$

- High experimental precision with reduced uncertainties due to non-perturbative corrections, increased scale dependencies  
→ Need NNLO for 2, 3 jets

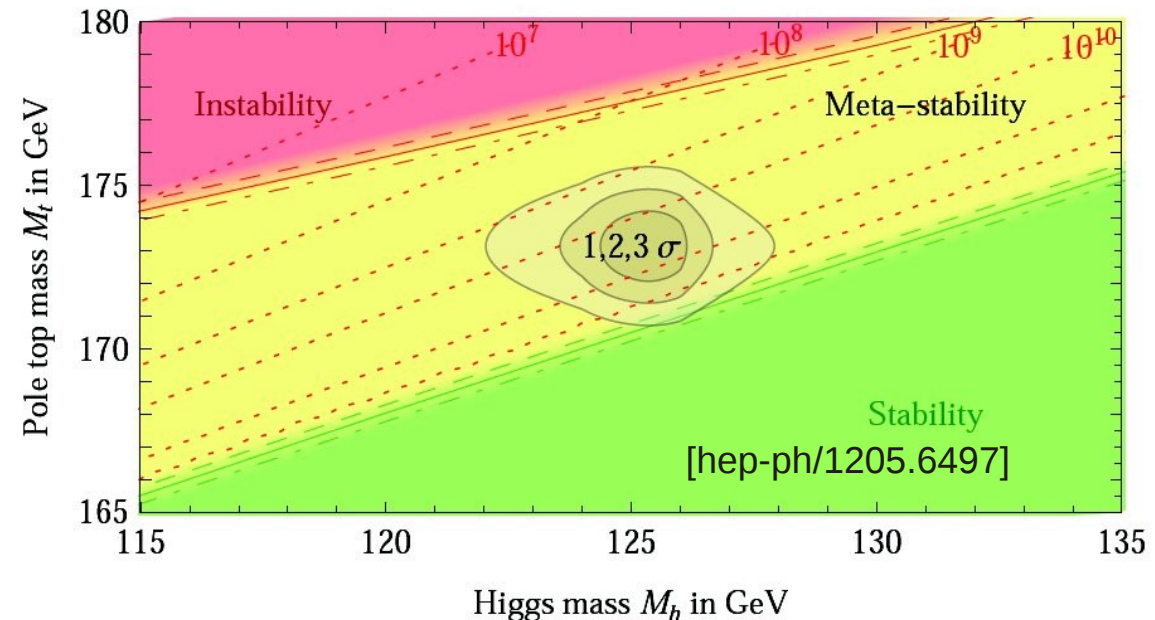
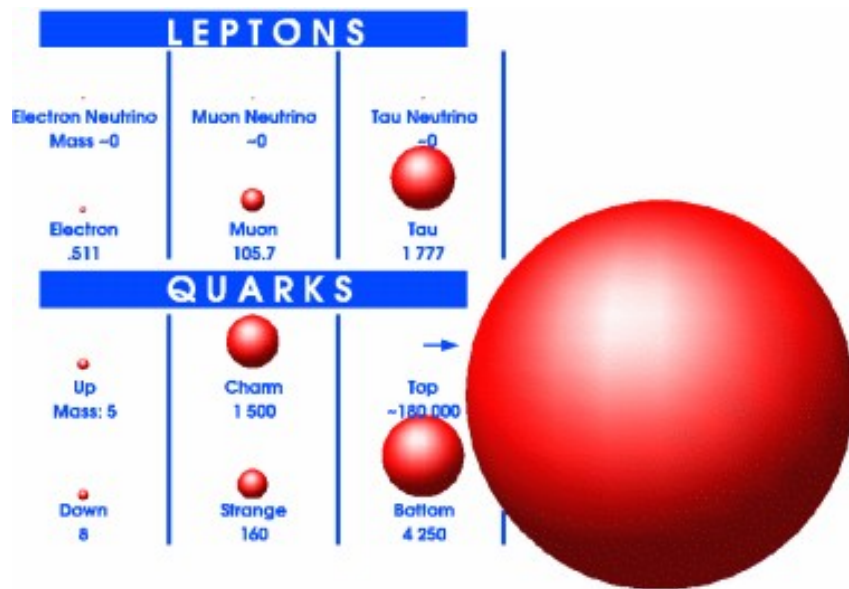


| $\alpha_s(M_Z)$ | Total uncertainty | Statistical | Experimental correlated | Non-perturbative corrections | MSTW2008NLO uncertainty | PDF set          | $\mu_{R,F}$ variation |
|-----------------|-------------------|-------------|-------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|-----------------------|
| 0.1191          | $+4.8$<br>$-7.1$  | $\pm 0.3$   | $+0.7$<br>$-0.9$        | $+0.2$<br>$-0.1$             | $+1.0$<br>$-0.5$        | $+0.0$<br>$-2.4$ | $+4.6$<br>$-6.6$      |

# DO Top – Introduction



- Top is the heaviest fundamental particle discovered so far:  
→  $m_t = 173.2 \pm 0.9 \text{ GeV}$
- Top plays special role in EWSB ?  
→ **Yukawa coupling  $\sim 1$**
- Lifetime:  $\tau \approx 5 \times 10^{-25} \text{ s} \ll \Gamma_{\text{QCD}}$   
→ **Observe bare quark**
- → Recent Higgs-like boson discovery at ATLAS & CMS  
→ If SM is “valid” up to the Planck-scale:

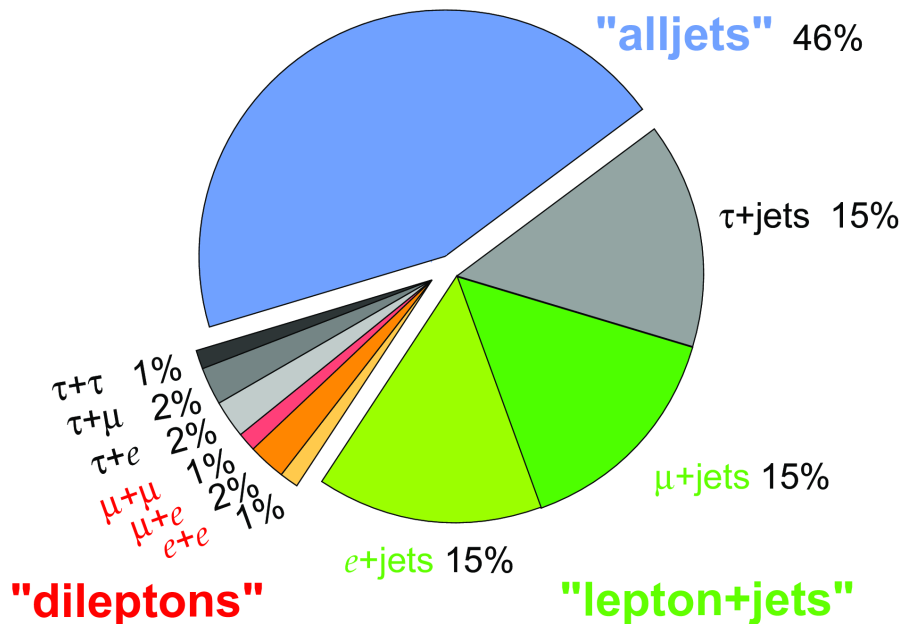


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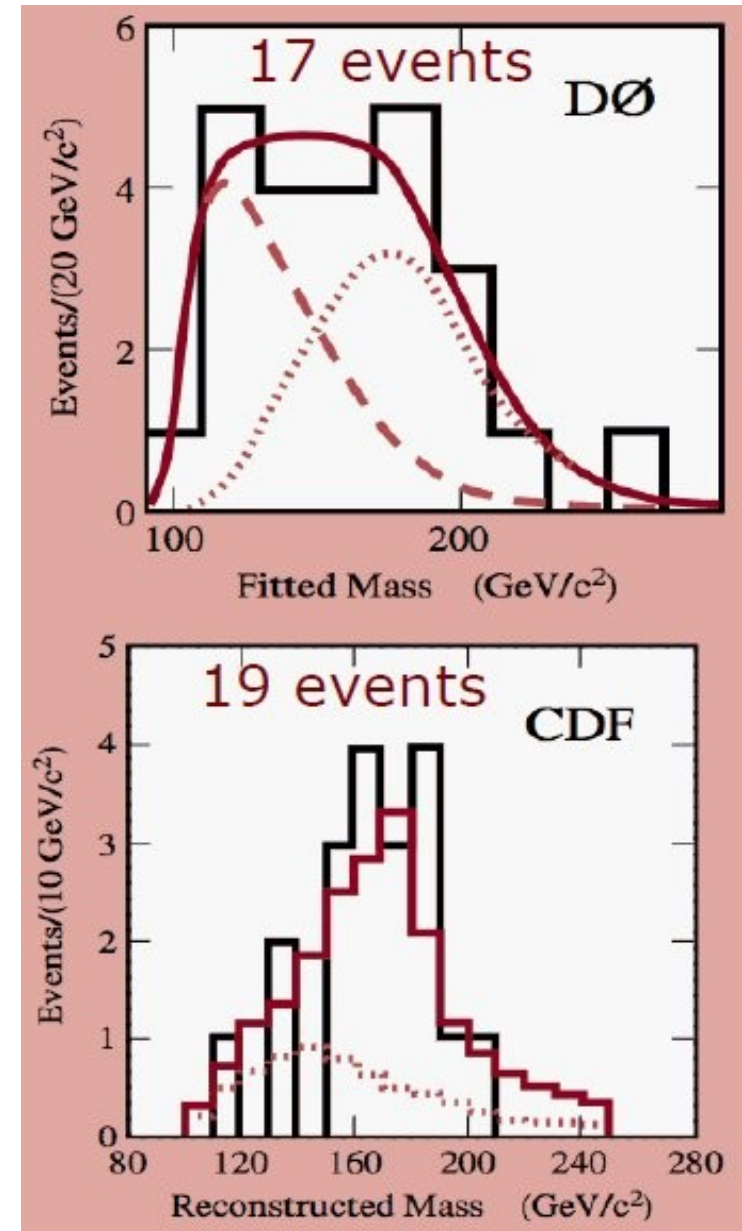


- Needed as Isospin partner of b-quark
- Discovered in 1995 by CDF and DØ using  $\sim 120\text{pb}^{-1}$
- Charge:  $+2/3e$
- SM top quark,  $\sim 100\%$  decay into Wb

## Top Pair Branching Fractions

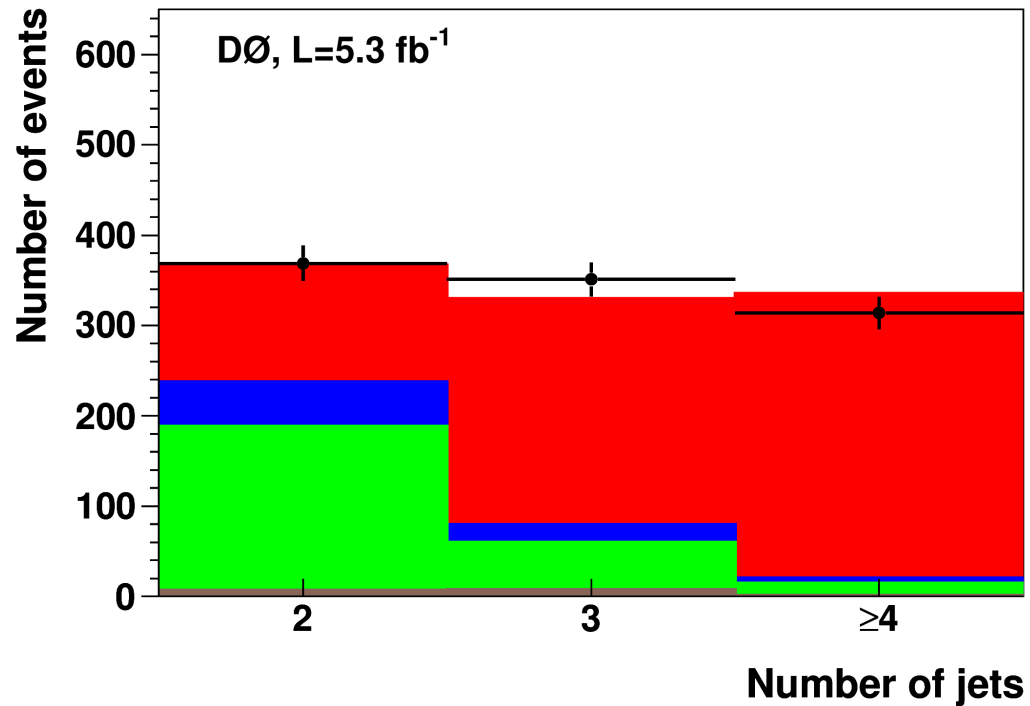


- Samples classified according to W-decay:  
dilepton ( $l\bar{l}$ ), lepton+jets ( $l$ +jets), all jets

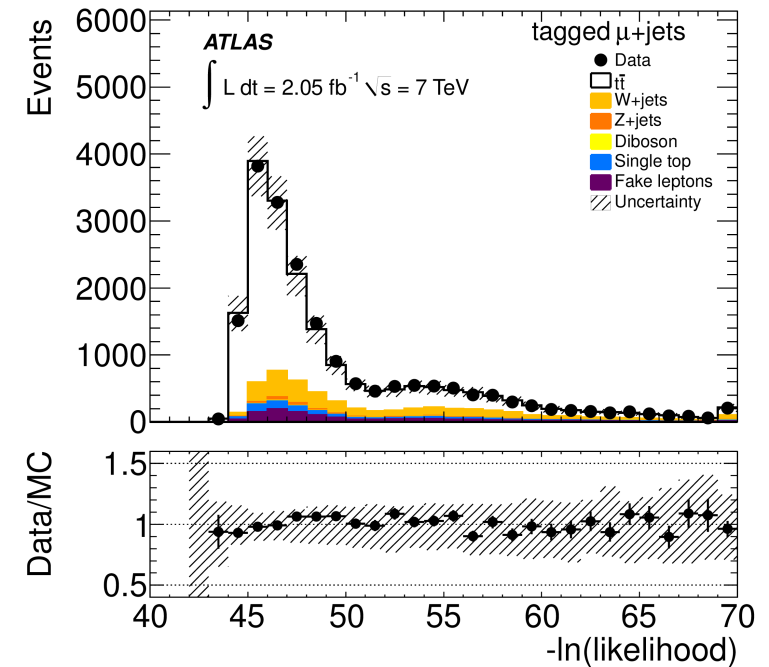


- Can Tevatron compete ?

Tevatron RunII (large statistics):

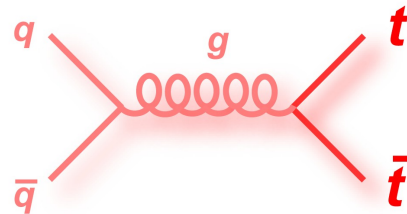


Top factory:



- Can Tevatron compete ? Differences between the machines helps:
  - center-of-mass energy  $\rightarrow$  different parton  $x$  of the initial state
  - $p\bar{p}$  versus  $pp$  machine

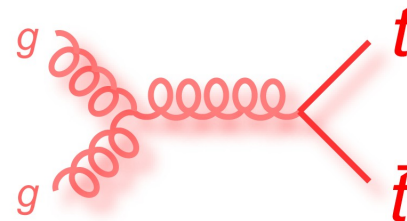
Tevatron:  
(1.96 TeV)  
~85%



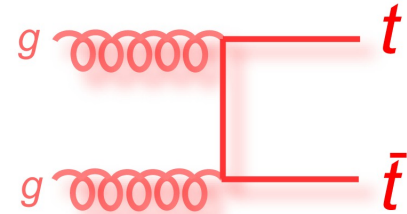
LHC:  
(7/8 TeV)

~15% (~10%, 14 TeV)

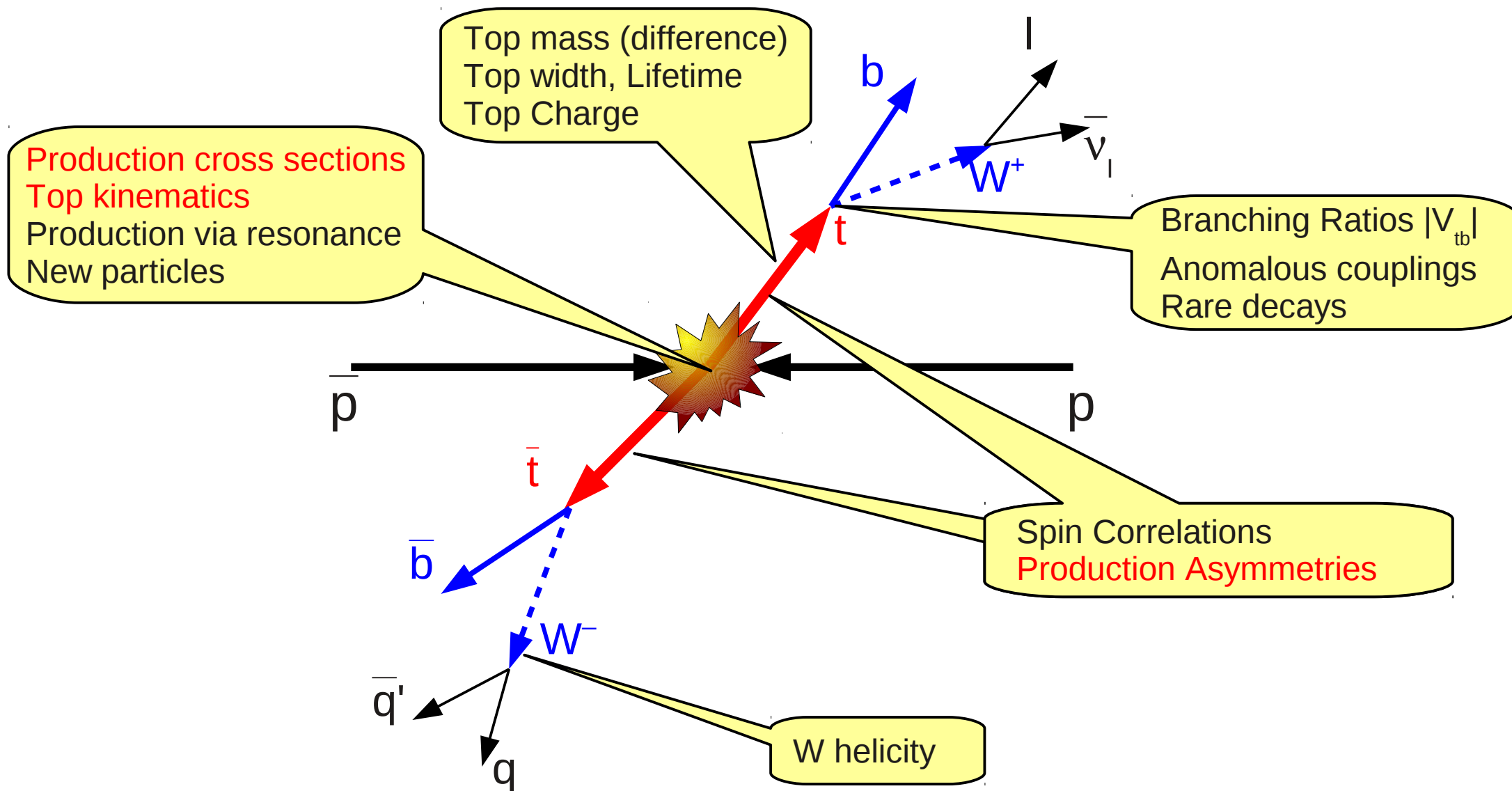
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~85% (~90%, 14 TeV)



- Differential and inclusive cross-sections
- Forward-backward asymmetries
- Systematically limited measurements, like top mass





# Tevatron Combination



CDF and DØ Electroweak working group (TevEWWG):

- CDF inputs: 4 measurements, up to  $8.8 \text{ fb}^{-1}$
- DØ inputs: 2 measurements, up to  $5.4 \text{ fb}^{-1}$
- use **Best Linear Unbiased Estimator (BLUE)**
- 10 sources of correlated systematic uncertainties  
→ either 0% (detector, statistics) or 100% (luminosity) assumed
- CDF has a weight of 60%, DØ comes with 40%

First **preliminary** Tevatron cross-section combination:

$\sigma(p\bar{p} \rightarrow t\bar{t})$  at  $\sqrt{s} = 1.96 \text{ TeV}$ , assuming  $m_t = 172.5 \text{ GeV}/c^2$

$$7.65 \pm 0.20 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.29 \text{ (syst)} \pm 0.22 \text{ (lumi) pb}$$
$$= 7.65 \pm 0.42 \text{ pb} \quad (\text{rel. } 5.5\%)$$

- Best prediction at NNLO+NNLL (MSTW2008)

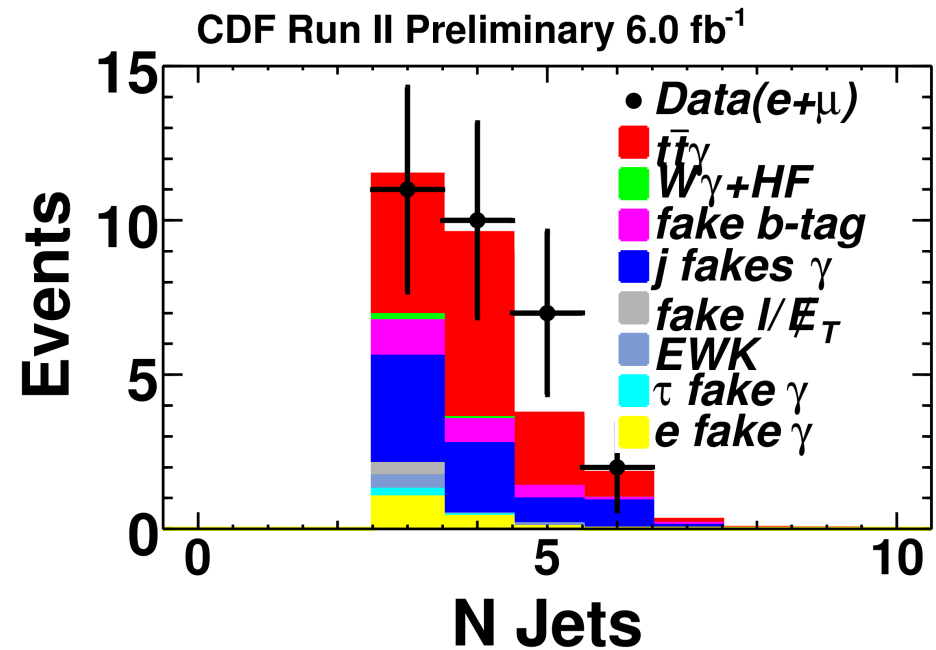
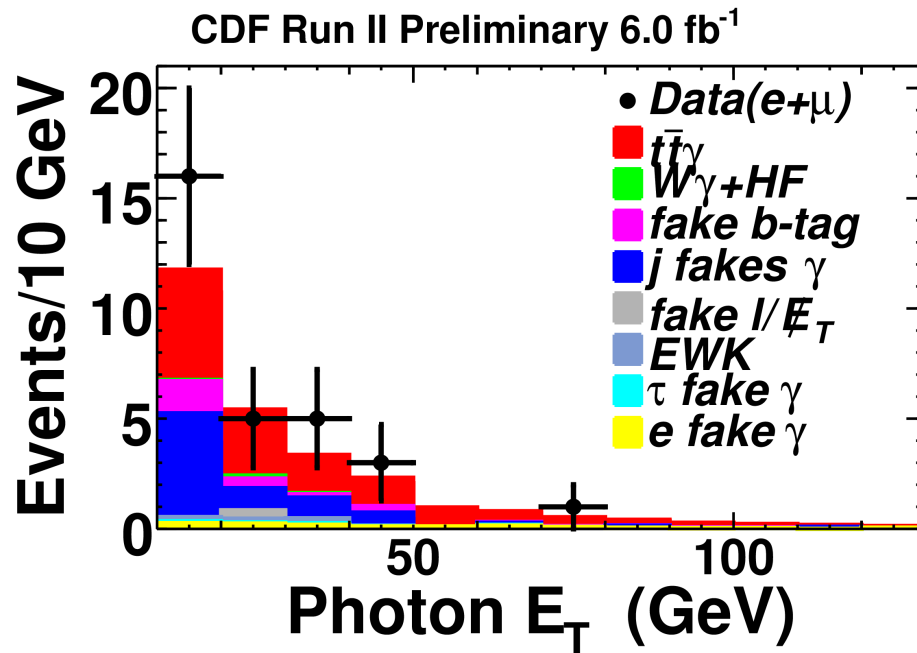
$$\sigma_{\text{tot}}^{\text{res}} = 7.067^{+0.143 (2.0\%)}_{-0.232 (3.3\%)} [\text{scales}]^{+0.186 (2.6\%)}_{-0.122 (1.7\%)} [\text{pdf}]$$

[arxiv:1204.5201](https://arxiv.org/abs/1204.5201)



- Final selection yields:

| $t\bar{t}\gamma$ , Isolated Leptons, Tight Chi2 on Photons |                         |                           |                                 |
|------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Standard Model Source                                      | $e\gamma b\cancel{E}_T$ | $\mu\gamma b\cancel{E}_T$ | $(e + \mu)\gamma b\cancel{E}_T$ |
| Total SM Prediction                                        | $16.7 \pm 2.2(tot)$     | $10.3 \pm 1.9(tot)$       | $26.9 \pm 3.4(tot)$             |
| Observed in Data                                           | 17                      | 13                        | 30                              |



- Probability of background alone to mimic observed signal is: 3 s.d.

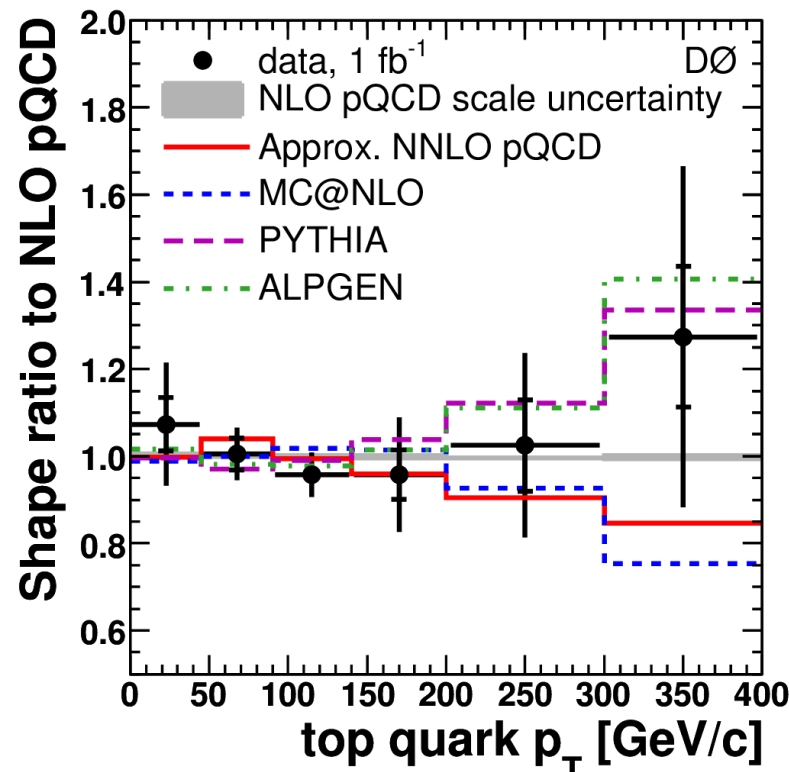
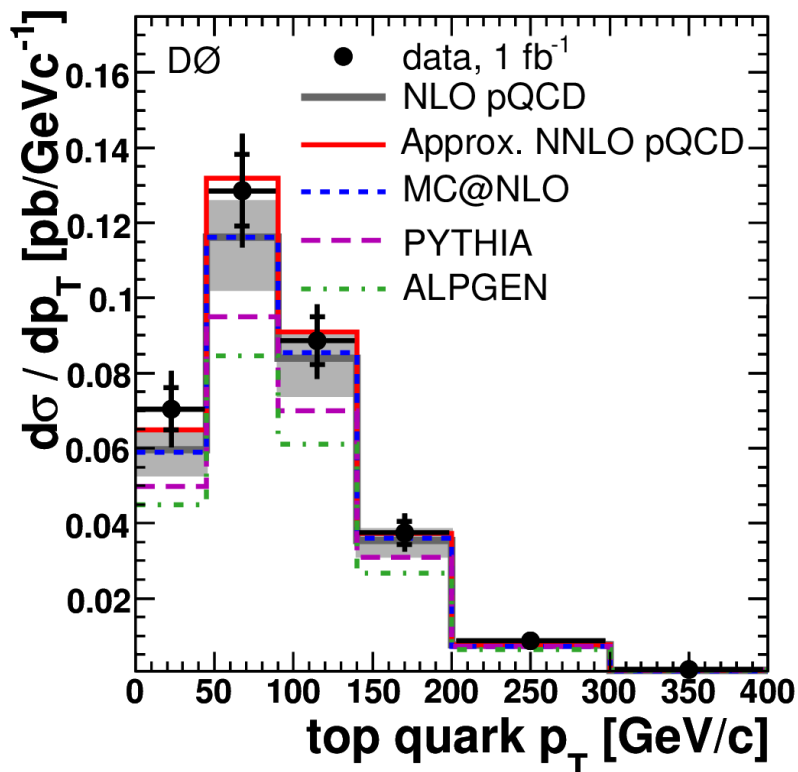
→  $\sigma_{t\bar{t}\gamma} = 0.18 \pm 0.07(\text{stat}) \pm 0.04(\text{sys.}) \pm 0.01 (\text{lum.}) \text{ pb}$

$R = \frac{t\bar{t}\gamma}{t\bar{t}} = 0.024 \pm 0.009(\text{stat.}) \pm 0.001(\text{sys.})$

- In good agreement to SM



# Differential cross section



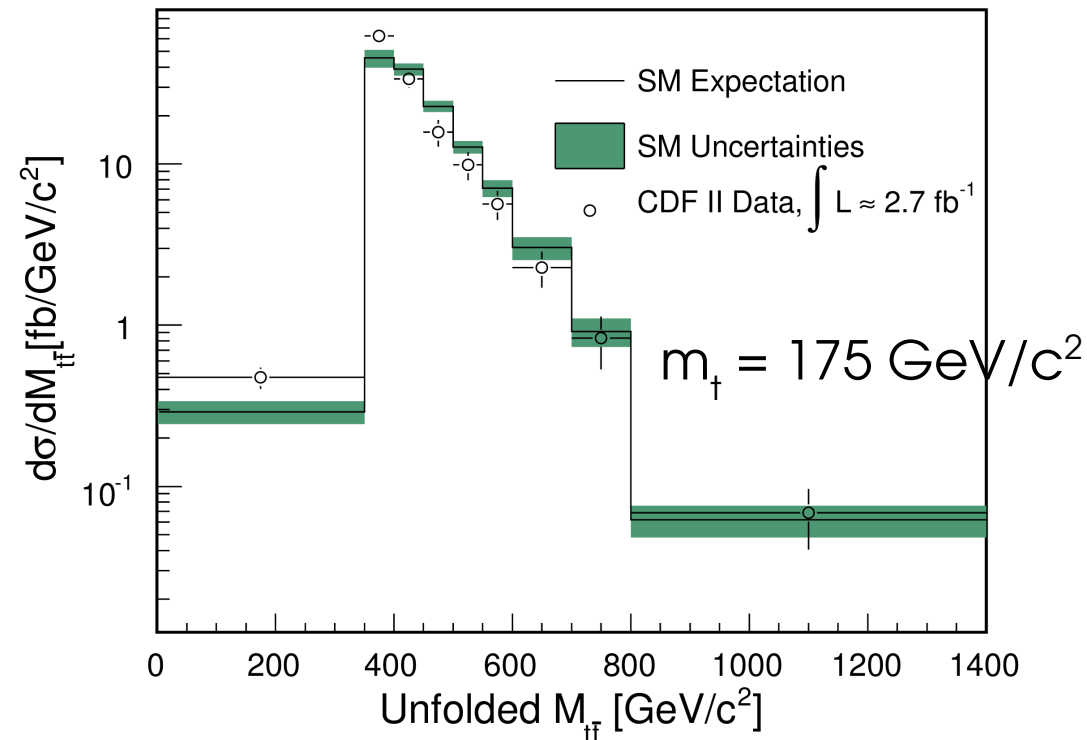
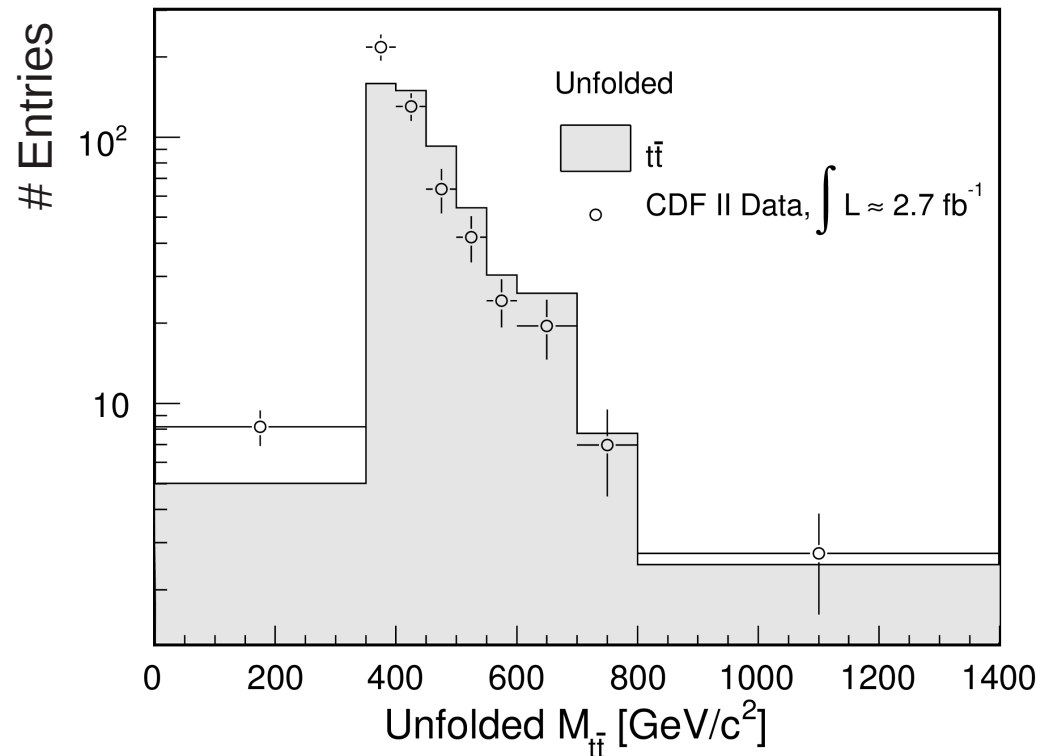
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- Largest shape uncertainty: Jet energy scale (1.5-5%)
- All use: CTEQ61 with  $\mu_{r/f} = m_t$ , except approx. NNLO pQCD uses MSTW08
- Integrated cross section:  $\sigma = 8.31 \pm 1.28$  (stat.) pb

→ Normalization nicely described by pQCD (N)NLO, however offset for PYTHIA, ALPGEN. Shape is reasonable described by all predictions

# Differential cross section

- Correct for detector effects & finite resolution by regularized unfolding



- Dominant systematics: JES 2-8% and at high  $M(t\bar{t})$  PDF up to 18%
- Integrated cross section:  $\sigma = 6.9 \pm 1.0$  (stat.+JES) pb

→ Invariant mass distribution of the  $t\bar{t}$  system is described by SM

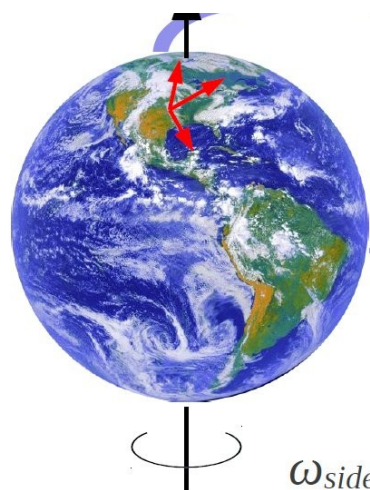


# Lorentz Invariance Violation

PRL 108, 261603 (2012)

- Search for a time dependent  $t\bar{t}$  cross section
- Standard Model Extension (SME): adds terms for Lorentz Invariance violation (LIV) to the matrix element:  $|\mathcal{M}|_{\text{SME}}^2 = PF\bar{F} + (\delta P_p)F\bar{F} + (\delta P_v)F\bar{F} + P(\delta F)\bar{F} + PF(\delta\bar{F})$ .

$$\sigma(t) \approx \sigma_{\text{ave}} [1 + f_{\text{SME}}(t)]$$



$\omega_{\text{side}}$

$$c_{L(R)}^{\text{Apparatus}} = \hat{R}(\omega_{\text{side}} t)_{(\text{Sun} \rightarrow \text{Apparatus})} c_{L(R)}^{\text{Sun}}$$

[D. Colladay and V.A. Kostelecky, Phys. Rev. D 58, 116002 (1998)]  
[V.A. Kostelecky, Phys. Rev. D 69, 105009 (2004)]



1 Solar day  $\approx$  0.997 sidereal days

- SME predicts cross section dependence on sidereal time (relative to fixed stars) as the orientation of the detector changes with the rotation of the earth
- $c_{L(R)}$  are different components of SME matrices





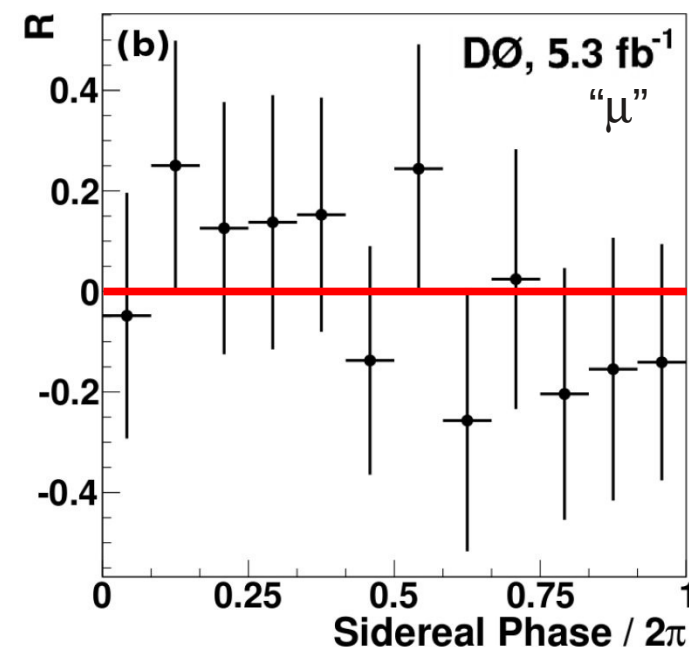
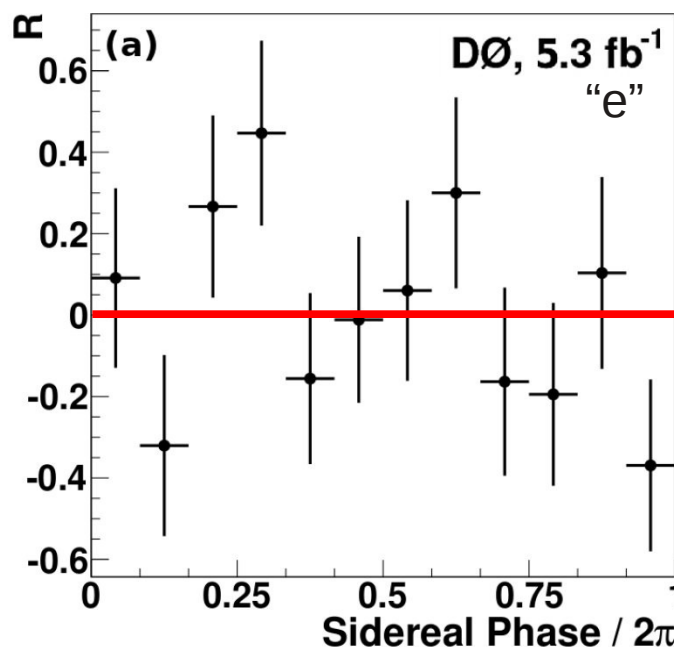
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$$R_i \equiv \frac{1}{f_s} \left( \frac{N_i / N_{S+B}}{\mathcal{L}_i / \mathcal{L}_{\text{int}}} - 1 \right)$$

Sidereal phase bin  $i$

Integrated Luminosity per bin

Total integrated luminosity





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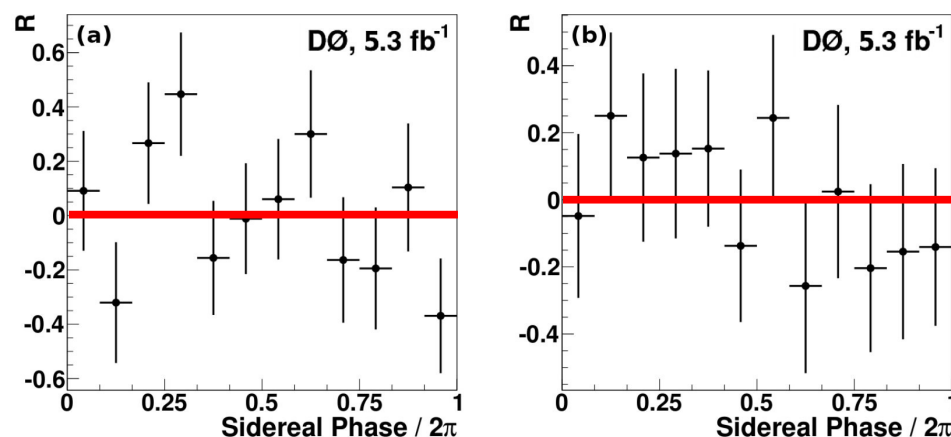
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| $(c_U)_{XZ33}$ | $-0.14 \pm 0.07 \pm 0.02$    | $[-0.28, +0.01]$  |
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| $(c_Q)_{YZ33}$ | $-0.03 \pm 0.08 \pm 0.01$    | $[-0.19, +0.12]$  |



→ No indication for time dependence of  $t\bar{t}$  cross-section.  
First constraints on LIV in top sector (and for a bare quark)

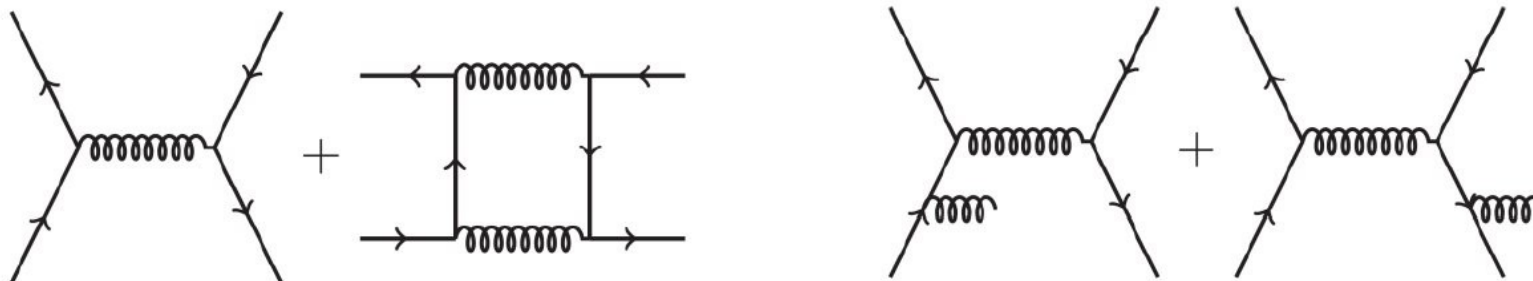




# $A_{FB}$ measurements



- Interference starts with NLO QCD



- Tevatron this is a forward-backward asymmetry because of initial state:  $q\bar{q}$  vs.  $gg$  (fwd-bwd symmetric)
- Difference between rapidities of the top-quarks is a measure of the asymmetry
- Measure  $\Delta y \equiv y_t - y_{\bar{t}}$  and define asymmetry:

$$A_{fb} = \frac{N^{\Delta y > 0} - N^{\Delta y < 0}}{N^{\Delta y > 0} + N^{\Delta y < 0}}$$



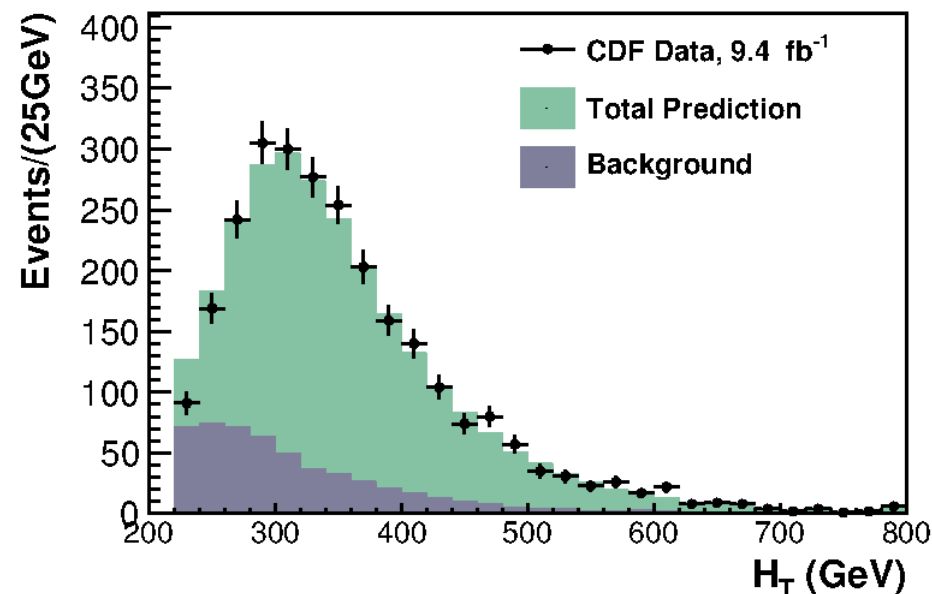
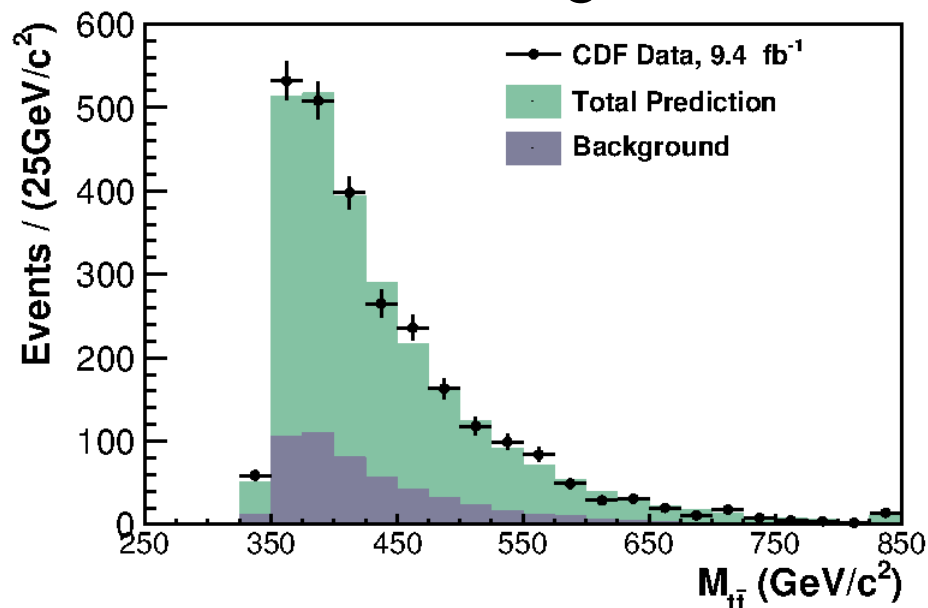
Inclusive NLO prediction (QCD+EWK):  
 $A_{fb} = 6.6 \pm 2.0 \%$



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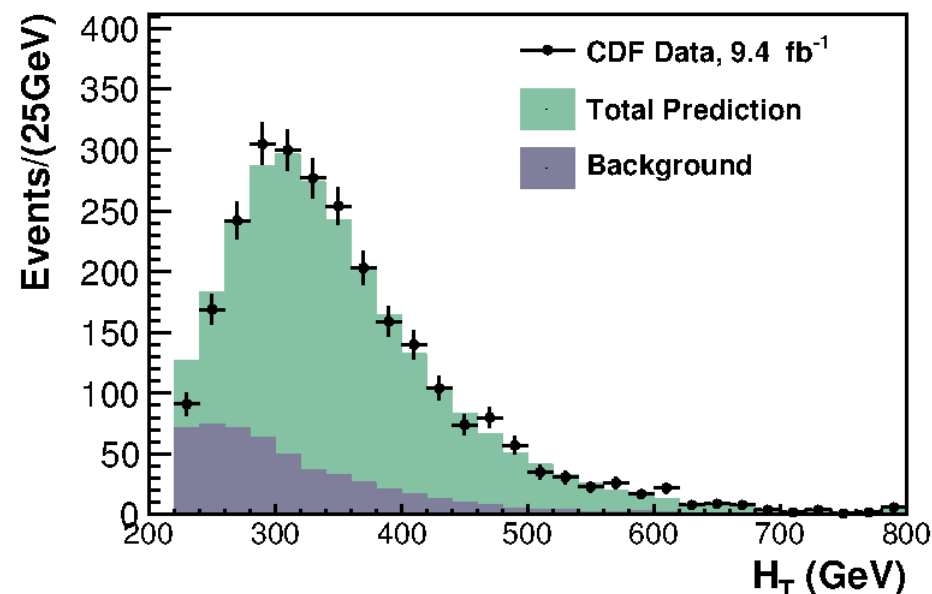
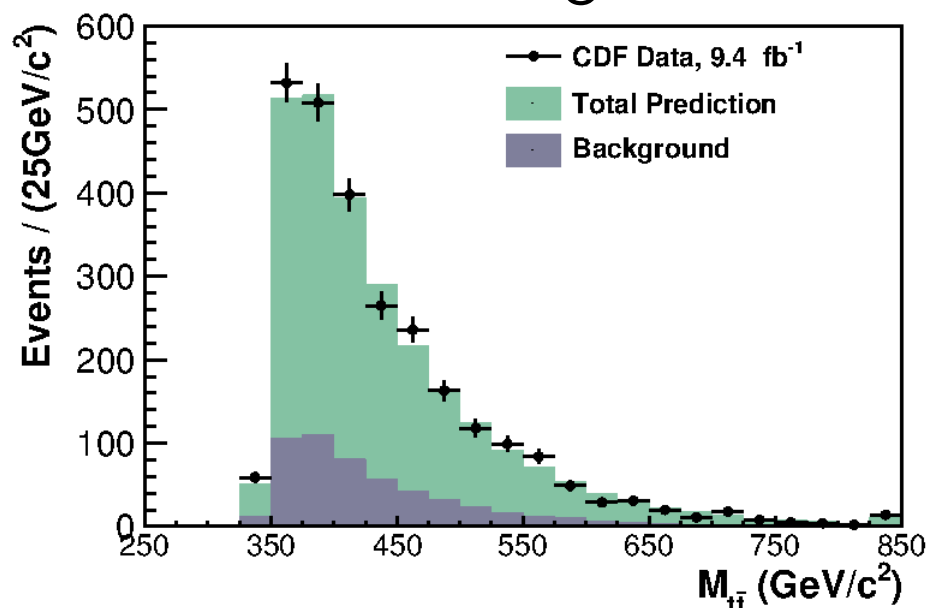
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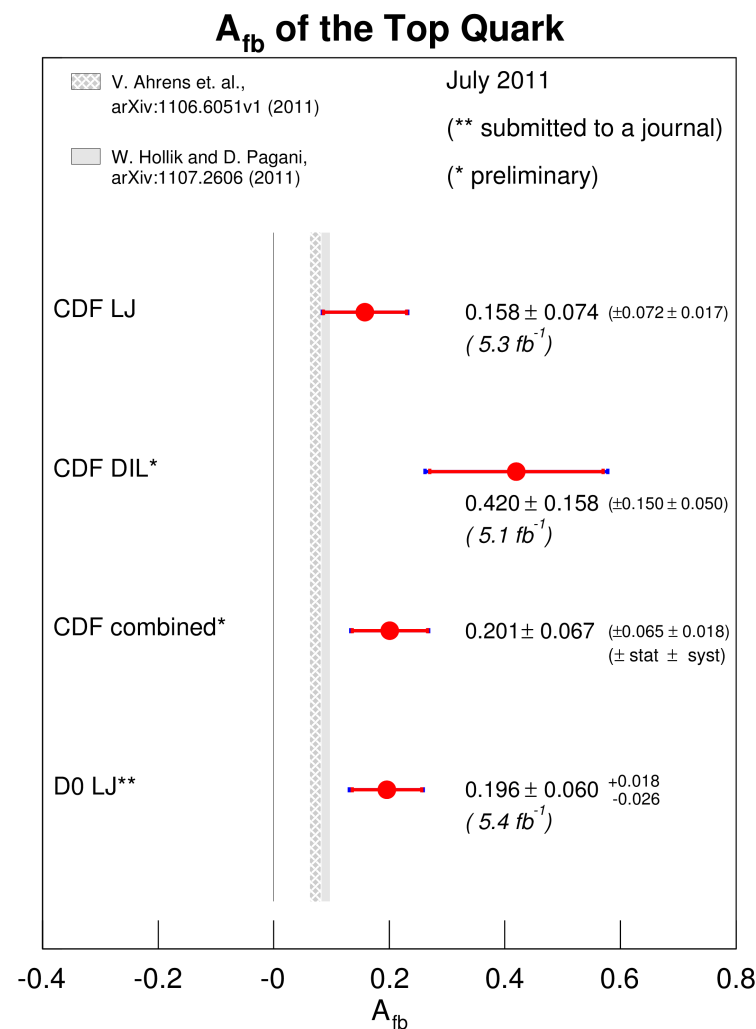
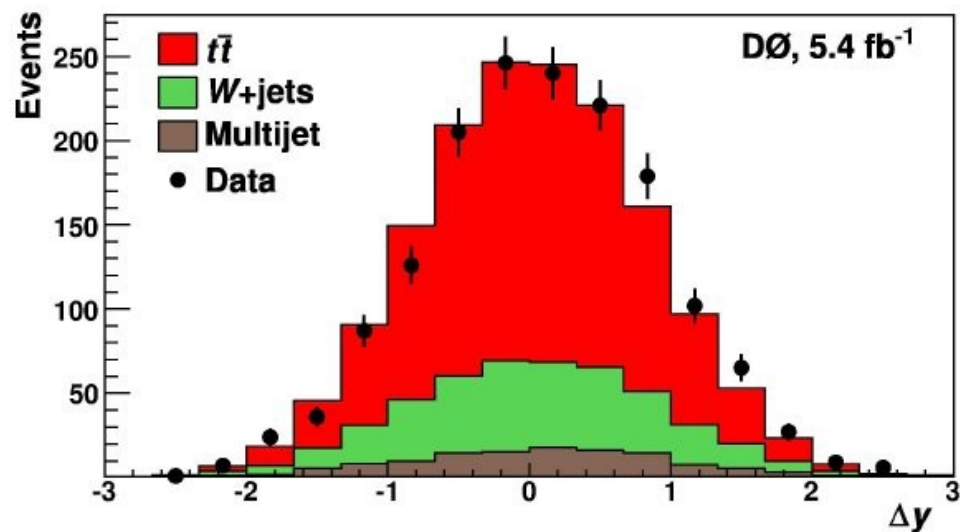




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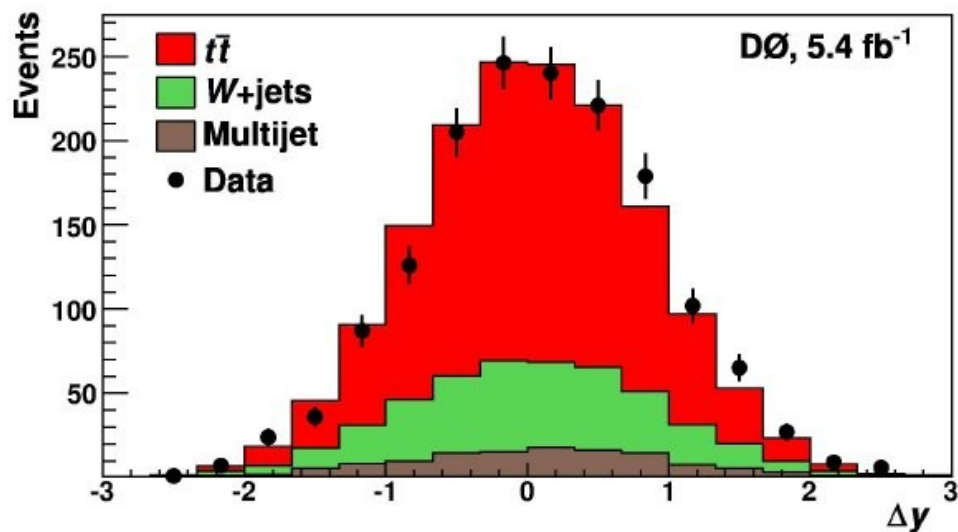




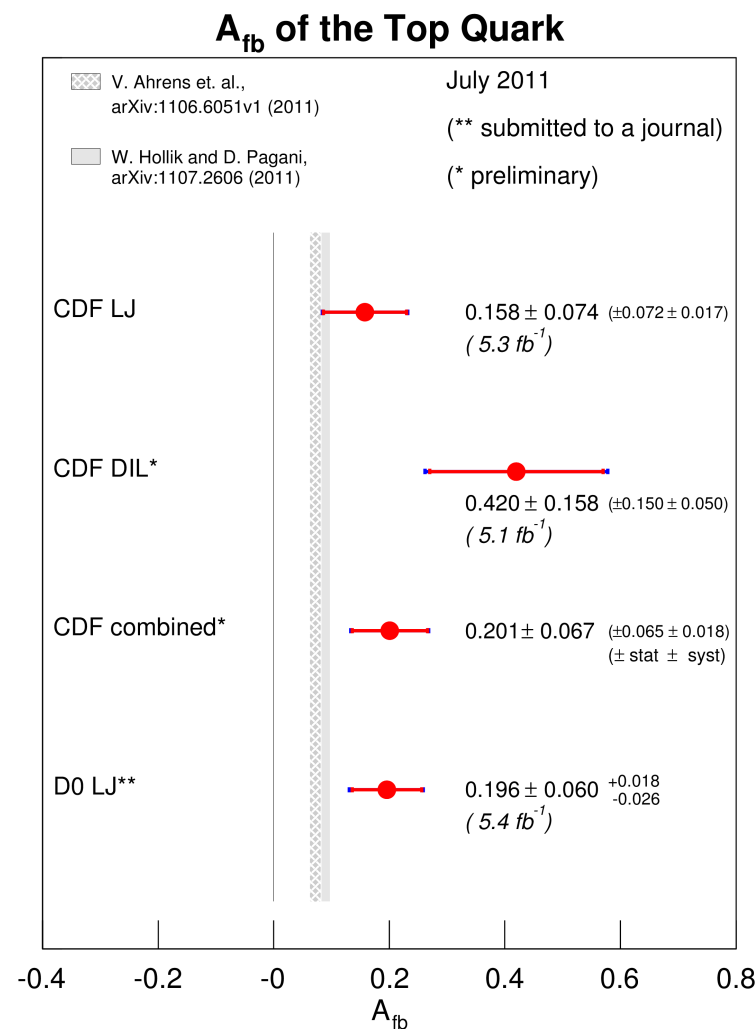
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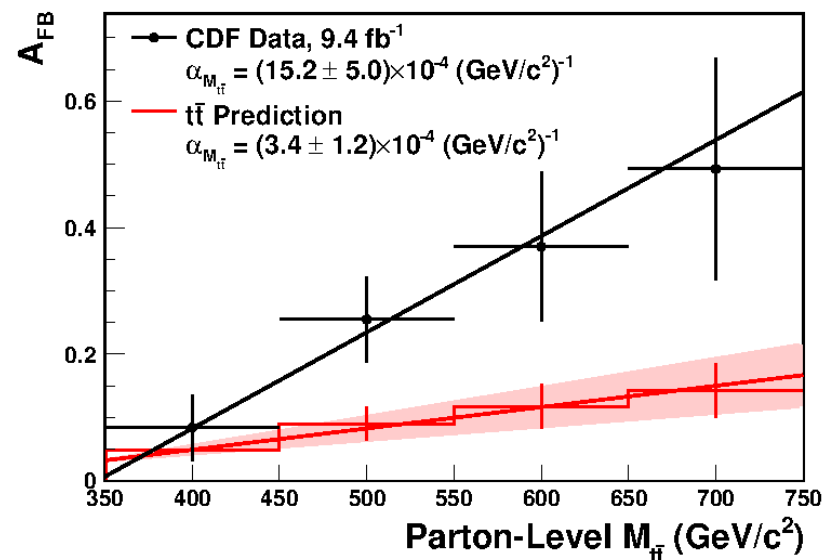
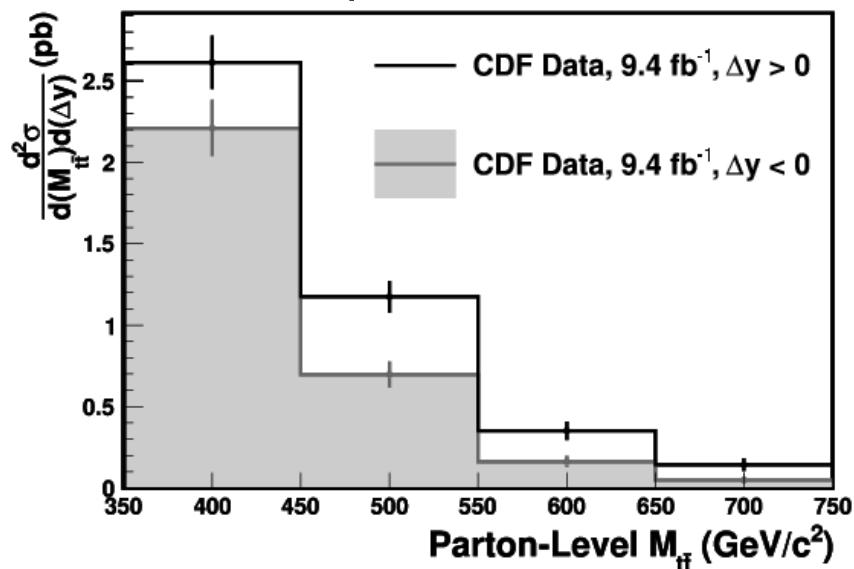




# $A_{FB}$ measurements



- Kinematic dependencies (double-differential cross sections)



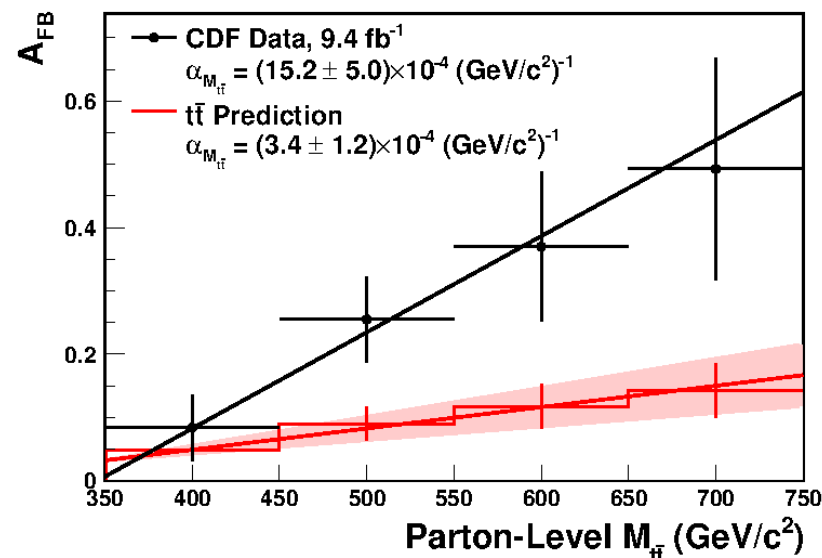
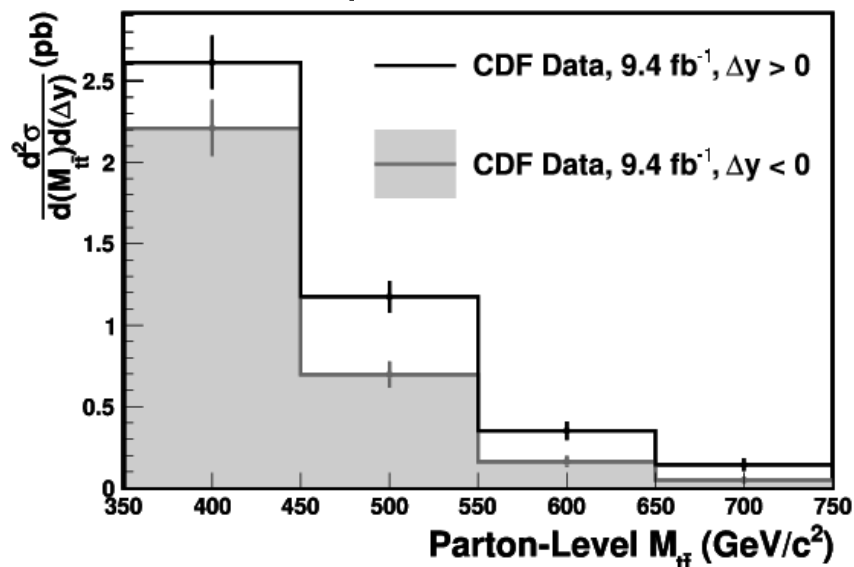
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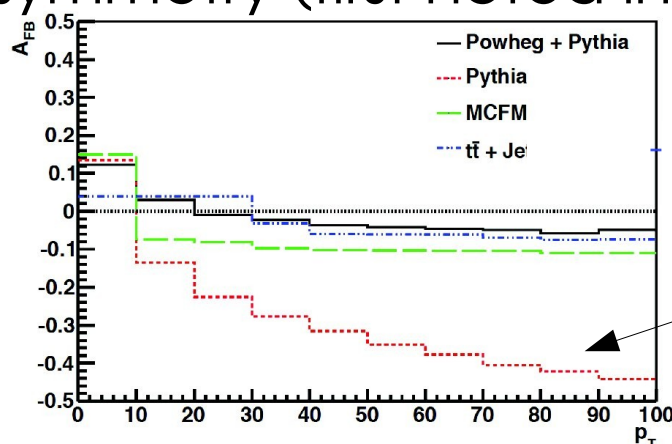
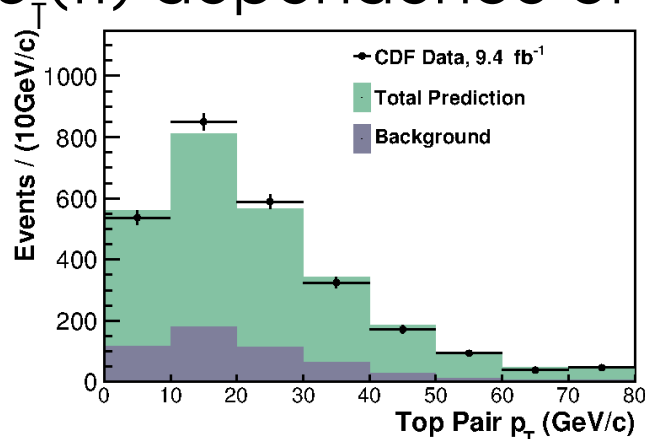
# $A_{FB}$ measurements



- Kinematic dependencies (double-differential cross sections)



- Slope is 2.5 s.d. away from prediction
- $p_T(t\bar{t})$  dependence of asymmetry (first noted in DØ analysis)



- Strong dependence in case of Pythia
- NLO QCD smaller

- Remains a puzzling situation, still lots of work to do...

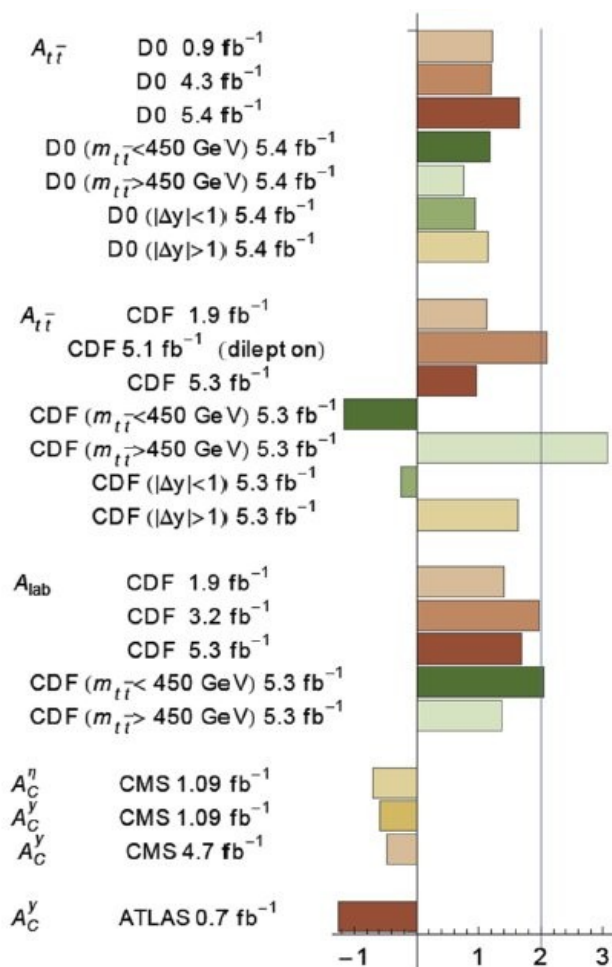




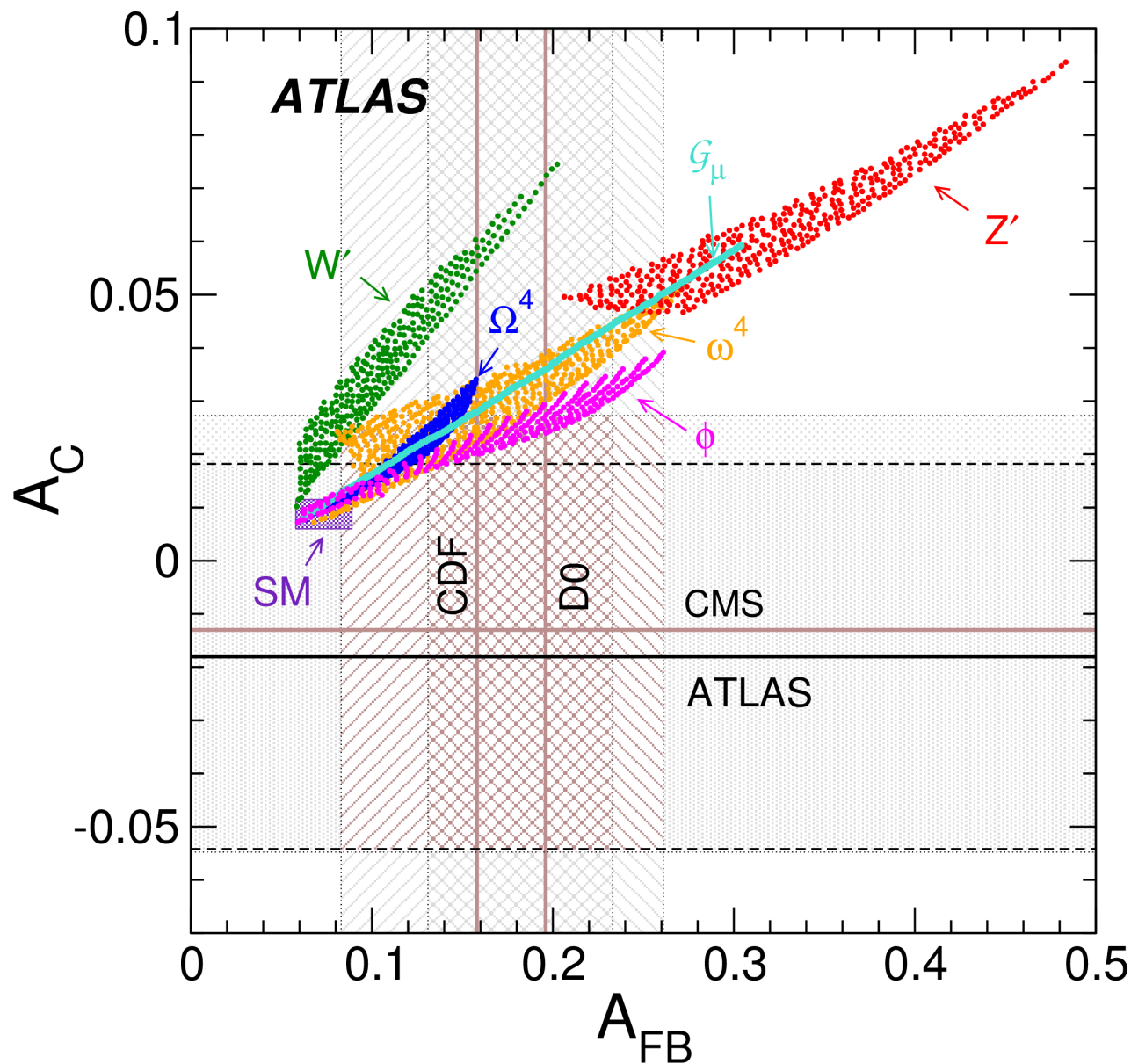
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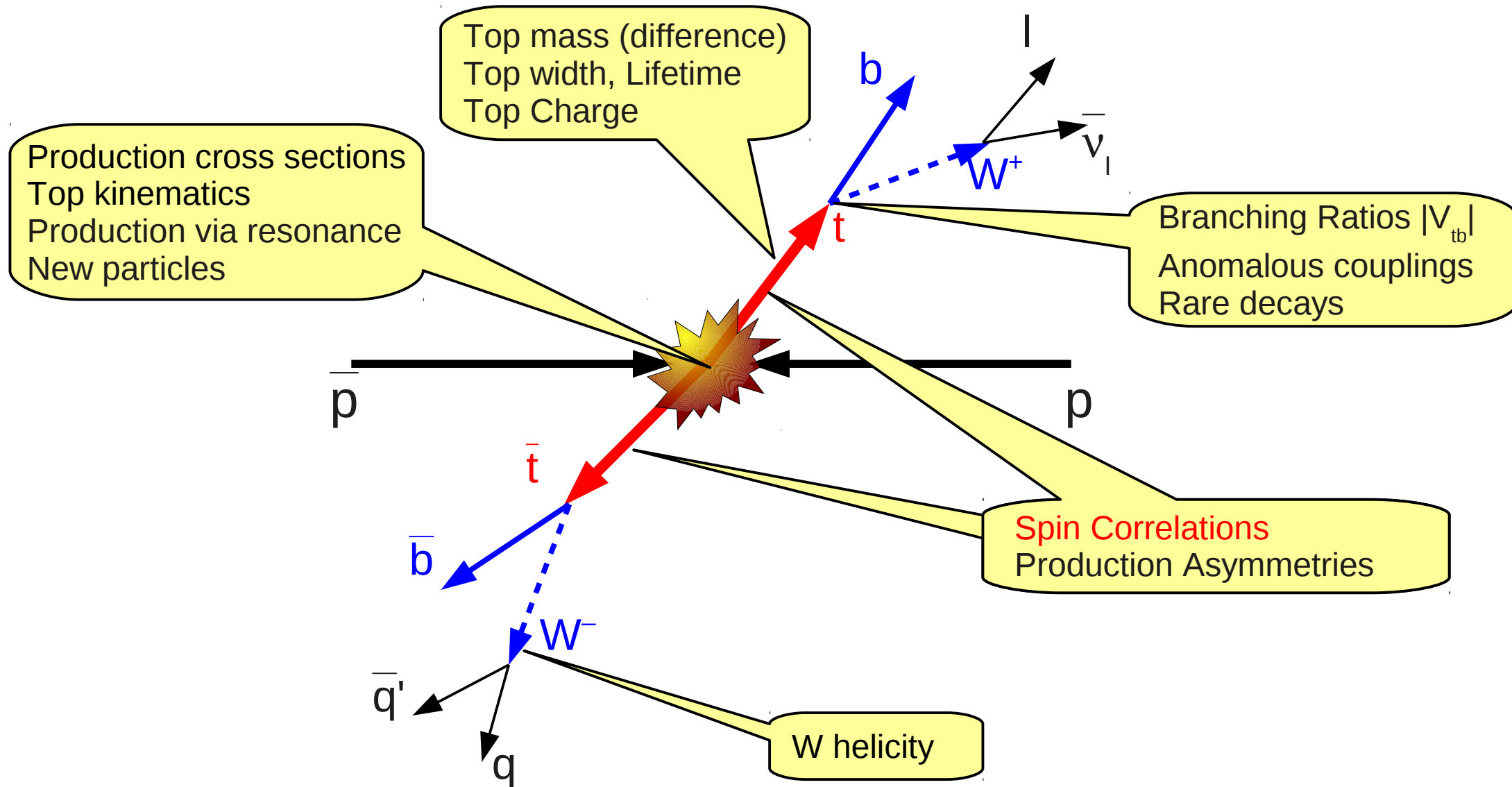


- Complimentary information from Tevatron and LHC
- Remains a puzzle for now...



Taken from G. Rodrigo (Moriond EW)







# Spin correlations



- Very short lifetime prevents spins from being affected by the fragmentation process: Spin correlations affect decay products
- Production is different at Tevatron vs. LHC → measure both !

$$\frac{1}{\sigma} \frac{d^2\sigma}{d\cos\theta_1 d\cos\theta_2} = \frac{1}{4}(1 - C \cos\theta_1 \cos\theta_2)$$

- NLO QCD predicts:  $C = 0.78 + 0.03 - 0.04$
- Use matrix element approach:

$$P_{\text{sgn}}(x; H) = \frac{1}{\sigma_{\text{obs}}} \int f_{\text{PDF}}(q_1) f_{\text{PDF}}(q_2) dq_1 dq_2 \\ \times \frac{(2\pi)^4 |\mathcal{M}(y, H)|^2}{q_1 q_2 s} W(x, y) d\Phi_6$$

→ 30% improvement

- Probabilities are used to form discriminant:

$$R = \frac{P_{\text{sgn}}(x; H = c)}{P_{\text{sgn}}(x; H = u) + P_{\text{sgn}}(x; H = c)}$$

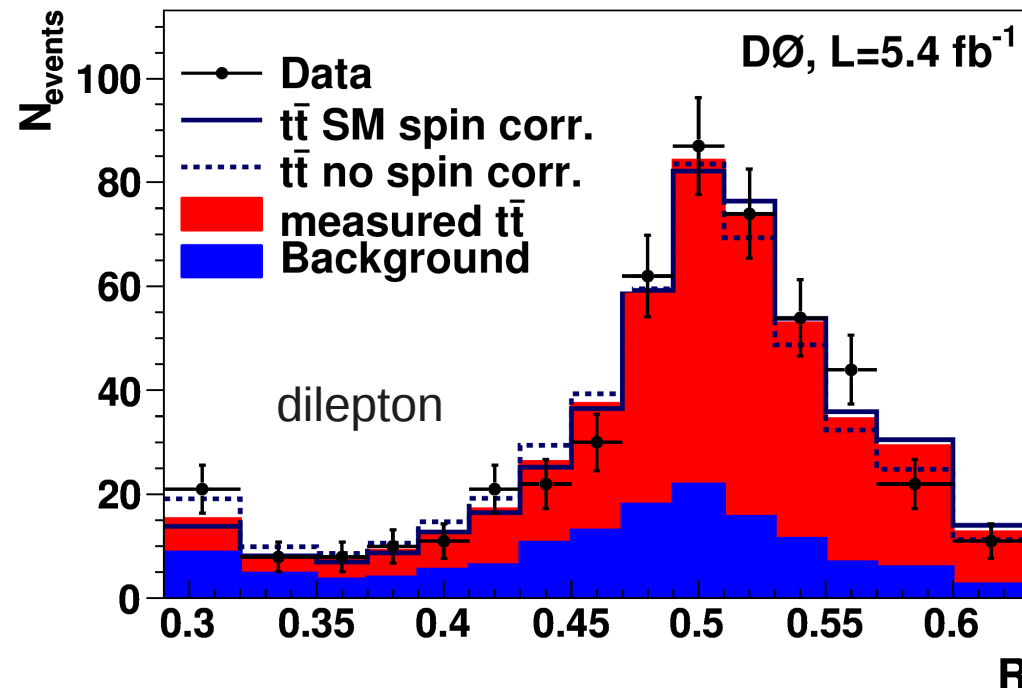
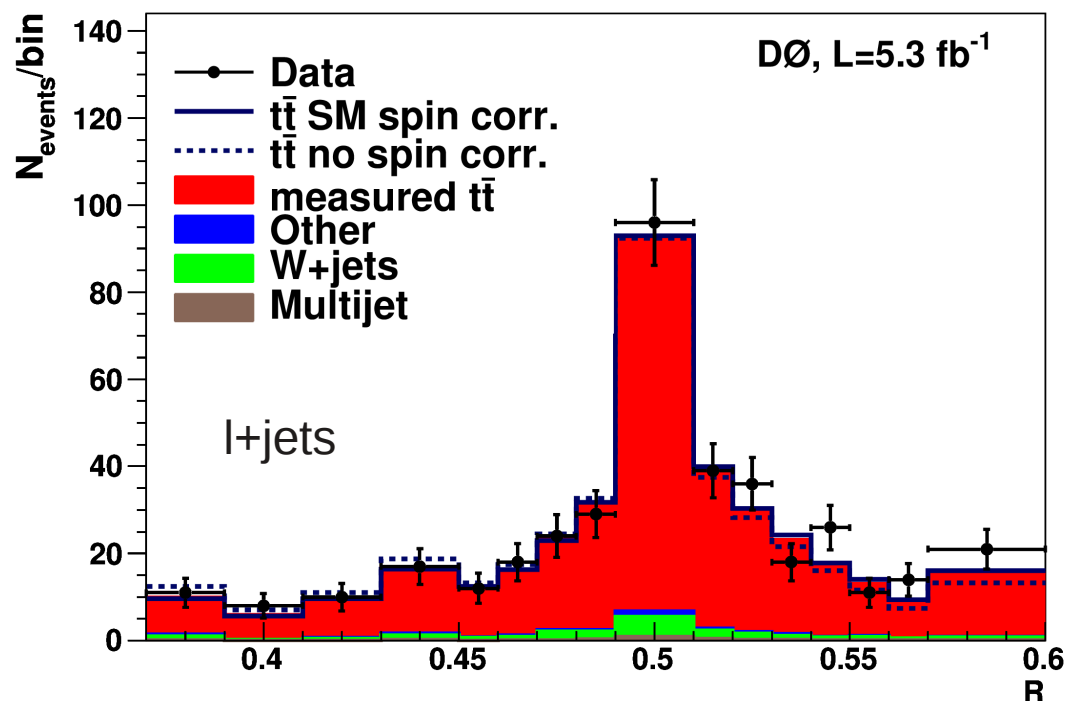
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# Spin correlations



- Very short lifetime prevents spins from being affected by the fragmentation process: Spin correlations affect decay products
- Use MC@NLO samples with and w/o spin correlations



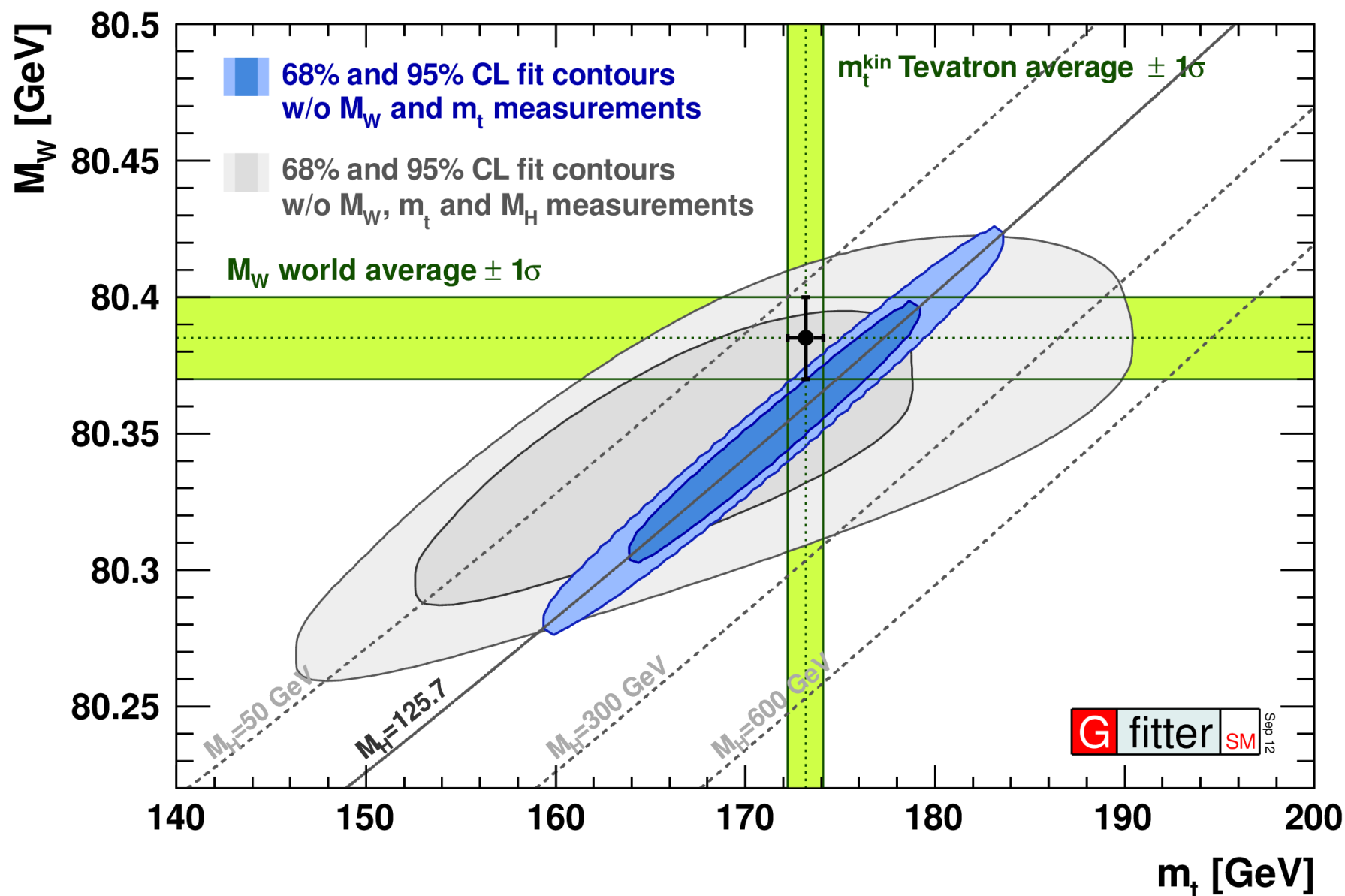
- l-jets:  $1.15 \pm 0.43$  (stat + sys)      Dilepton:  $0.74 \pm 0.41$  (stat + sys)
- DØ combination:  $0.85 \pm 0.29$  (stat + sys)  $\rightarrow$  3.1 s.d. for spin correlation



# $W$ mass $\leftrightarrow$ top quark mass



Gfitter [arxiv:1209.2716]





# Top mass: Methods



The measurements discussed today are based on:

- Template method
- Matrix Element method

→ Template method: Few assumptions, fast

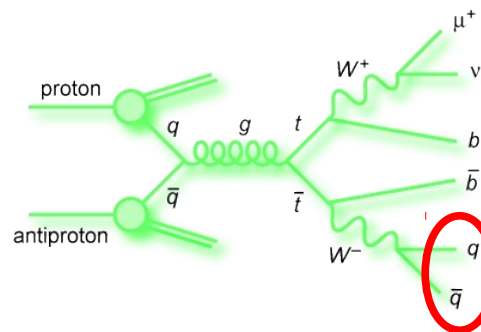
- Pick a set of variables sensitive to  $m_t$ , e.g.  $m_t^{\text{reco}}$
- Create “templates” = distributions of  $m_t$  using MC:  $m_t^{\text{reco}}$

→ Matrix element method: Precise, slow

- Calculate Probability on event-by-event basis

$$P(x, m_t) = \frac{1}{\sigma(m_t)} \int \sum \underbrace{d\sigma(y, m_t)}_{\text{LO ME}} dq_1 dq_2 \underbrace{f(q_1)f(q_2)}_{\text{PDFs}} \underbrace{W(y, x, k_{\text{JES}})}_{\text{Transferfunction}}$$

- Both methods use the 'in-situ' JES calibration to reduce JES uncertainty, use W boson mass constrain





# Top mass: Template

- Final state categories: 0,1,2 b-tags x loose,tight jet criteria
- Reconstruct event kinematics by minimizing:

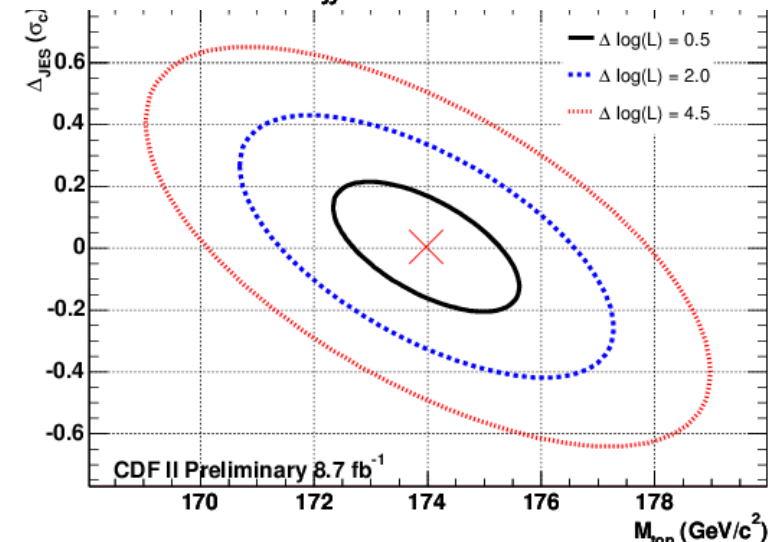
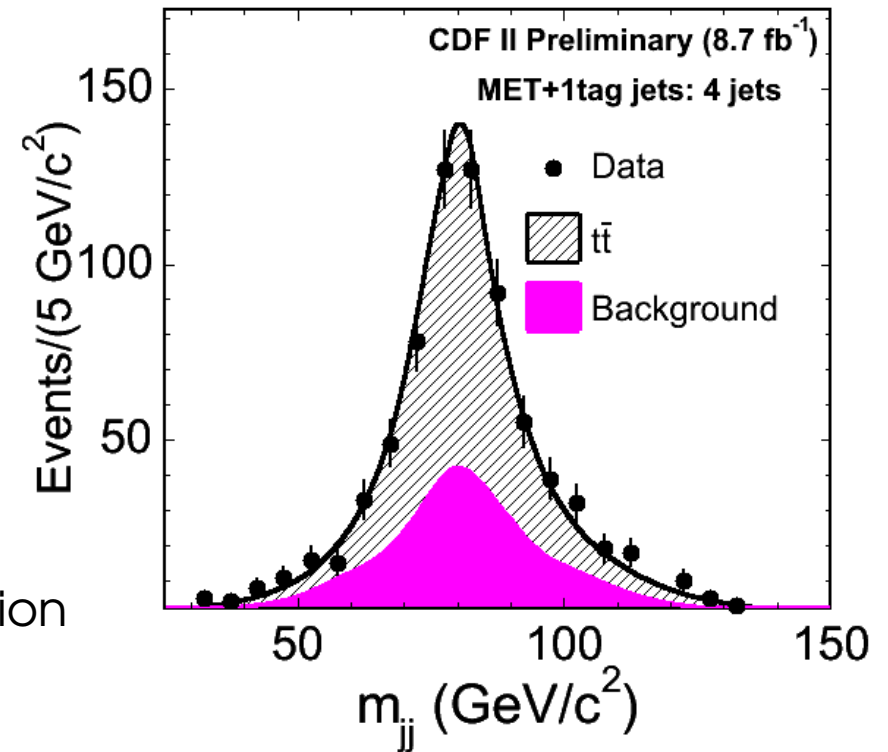
$$\chi^2 = \sum_{i=4\text{jets}} \frac{(p_T^{i,\text{fit}} - p_T^{i,\text{meas}})^2}{\sigma_i^2} + \sum_{j=x,y} \frac{(p_j^{UE,\text{fit}} - p_j^{UE,\text{meas}})^2}{\sigma_j^2} + \frac{(M_{jj} - M_W)^2}{\Gamma_W^2} + \frac{(M_{b,\text{missing}} - M_t^{\text{reco}})^2}{\Gamma_t^2} + \frac{(M_{bjj} - M_t^{\text{reco}})^2}{\Gamma_t^2}$$

'wrong' combination

- 3D template fit of  $m_{jj}^{\text{reco}}$ ,  $m_{\tau}^{\text{reco1}}$ ,  $m_{\tau}^{\text{reco2}}$
- Largest uncertainties:
  - Signal modeling: hadronization + UE, color reconnection
  - Detector modeling: JES, b-jet energy scale

→  $m_{\tau} = 172.85 \pm 1.10 \text{ (stat+sys) GeV}$

Precision of 0.6% !



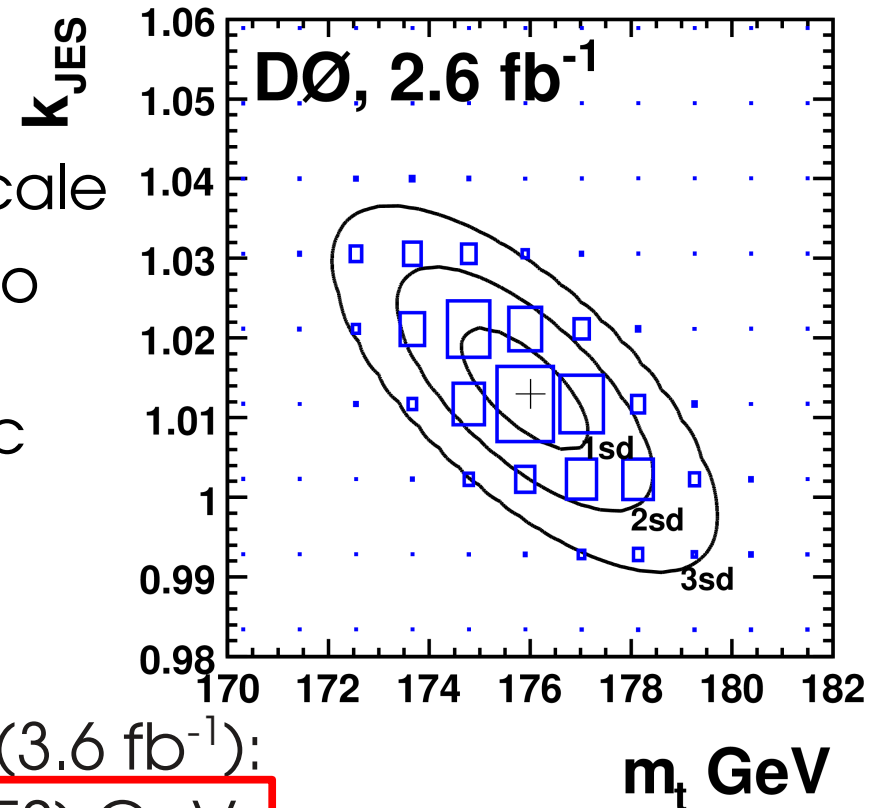


# Mass of the Top Quark

- Matrix Element method (ME) calculates event probability densities (PD) from differential cross sections and detector resolutions:

$$P(x, m_t) = \frac{1}{\sigma(m_t)} \int \sum \underbrace{d\sigma(y, m_t)}_{\text{LO ME}} dq_1 dq_2 \underbrace{f(q_1)f(q_2)}_{\text{PDFs}} \underbrace{W(y, x, k_{\text{JES}})}_{\text{Transferfunction}}$$

- The Transferfunction relates the PD of measured set  $x$  to the partonic set  $y$
- $k_{\text{JES}}$  is a global factor for the Jet Energy Scale
- Selection of l+jets events, use b-tagging to increase purity of the sample
- Measurement is dominated by systematic uncertainty



→ Most precise DØ mass measurement ( $3.6 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ ):

$$m_t = 174.9 \pm 0.8 \text{ (stat.)} \pm 1.2 \text{ (sys.+JES) GeV}$$

Precision of 0.9% !

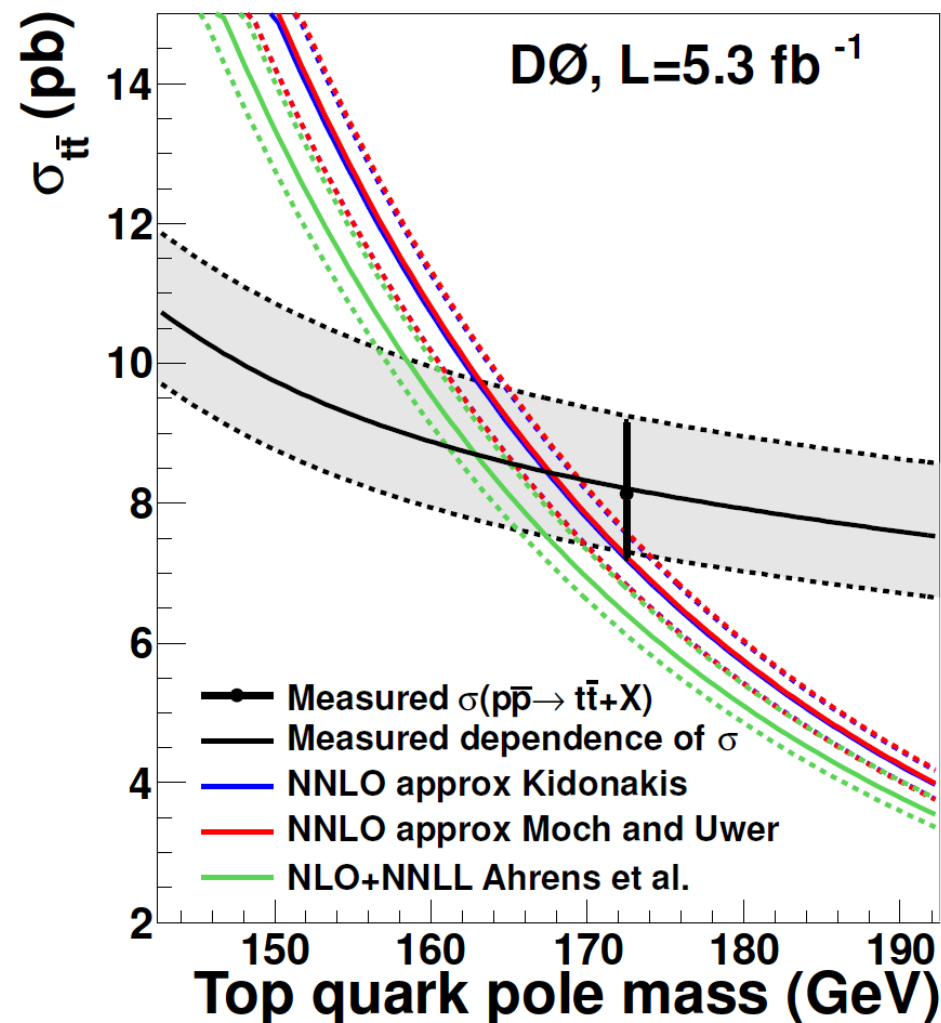




# Mass of the Top Quark

- Mass is convention dependent:  
Depends on the renormalization scheme
- Direct mass measurement is close to the pole mass
- Derive  $m_t^{\text{pole}}$  from intersection of measured  $\sigma_{t\bar{t}}$  and theoretical predictions:

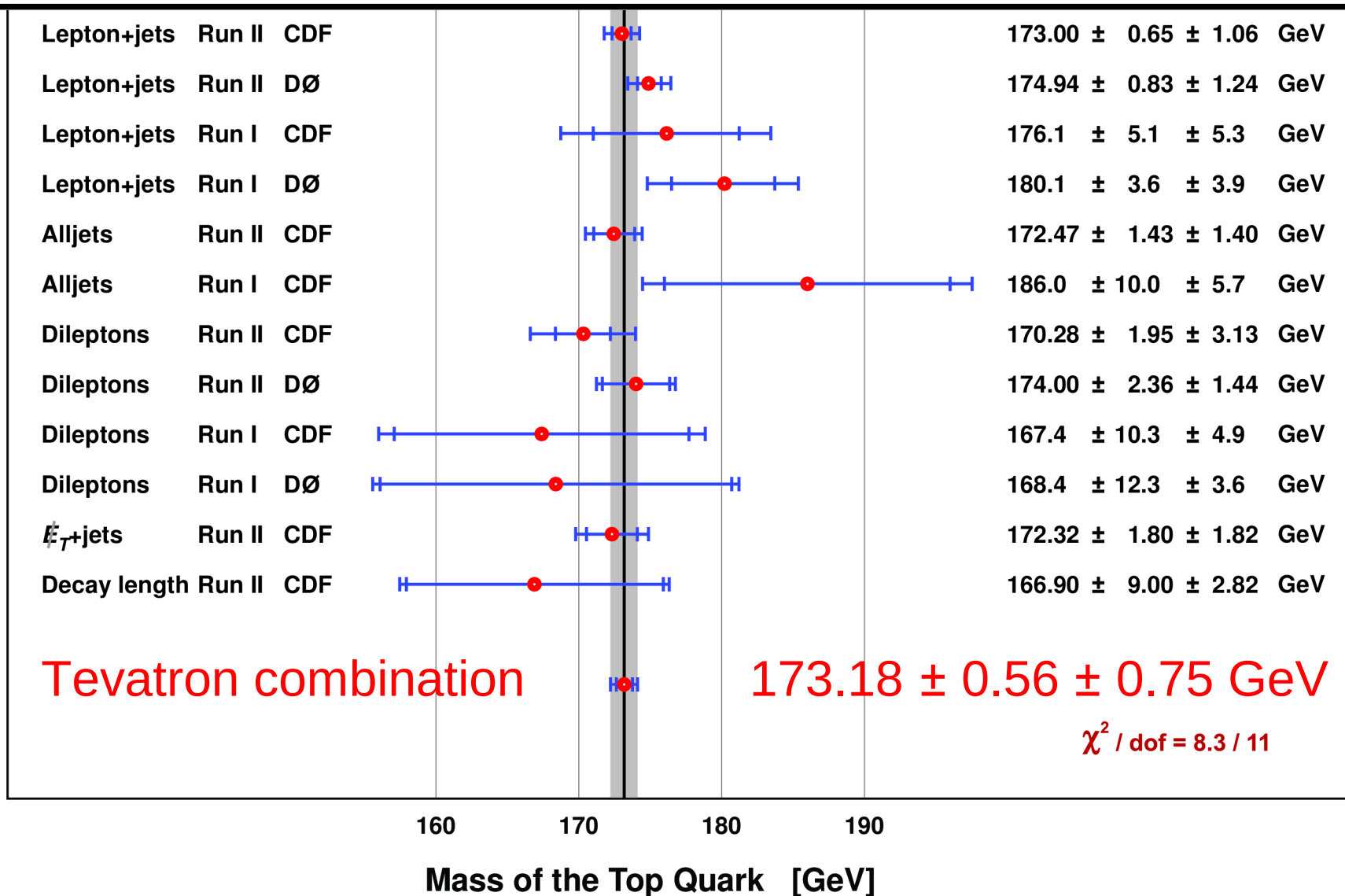
| Theoretical prediction | $m_t^{\text{pole}}$ (GeV)             | $\Delta m_t^{\text{pole}}$ (GeV)               |
|------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------|
| MC mass assumption     | $m_t^{\text{MC}} = m_t^{\text{pole}}$ | $m_t^{\text{MC}} = m_t^{\overline{\text{MS}}}$ |
| NLO [11]               | $164.8^{+5.7}_{-5.4}$                 | -3.0                                           |
| NLO+NLL [12]           | $166.5^{+5.5}_{-4.8}$                 | -2.7                                           |
| NLO+NNLL [13]          | $163.0^{+5.1}_{-4.6}$                 | -3.3                                           |
| Approximate NNLO [14]  | $167.5^{+5.2}_{-4.7}$                 | -2.7                                           |
| Approximate NNLO [15]  | $166.7^{+5.2}_{-4.5}$                 | -2.8                                           |



→  $m_t = 167.5 + 5.4 - 4.7 \text{ GeV}$

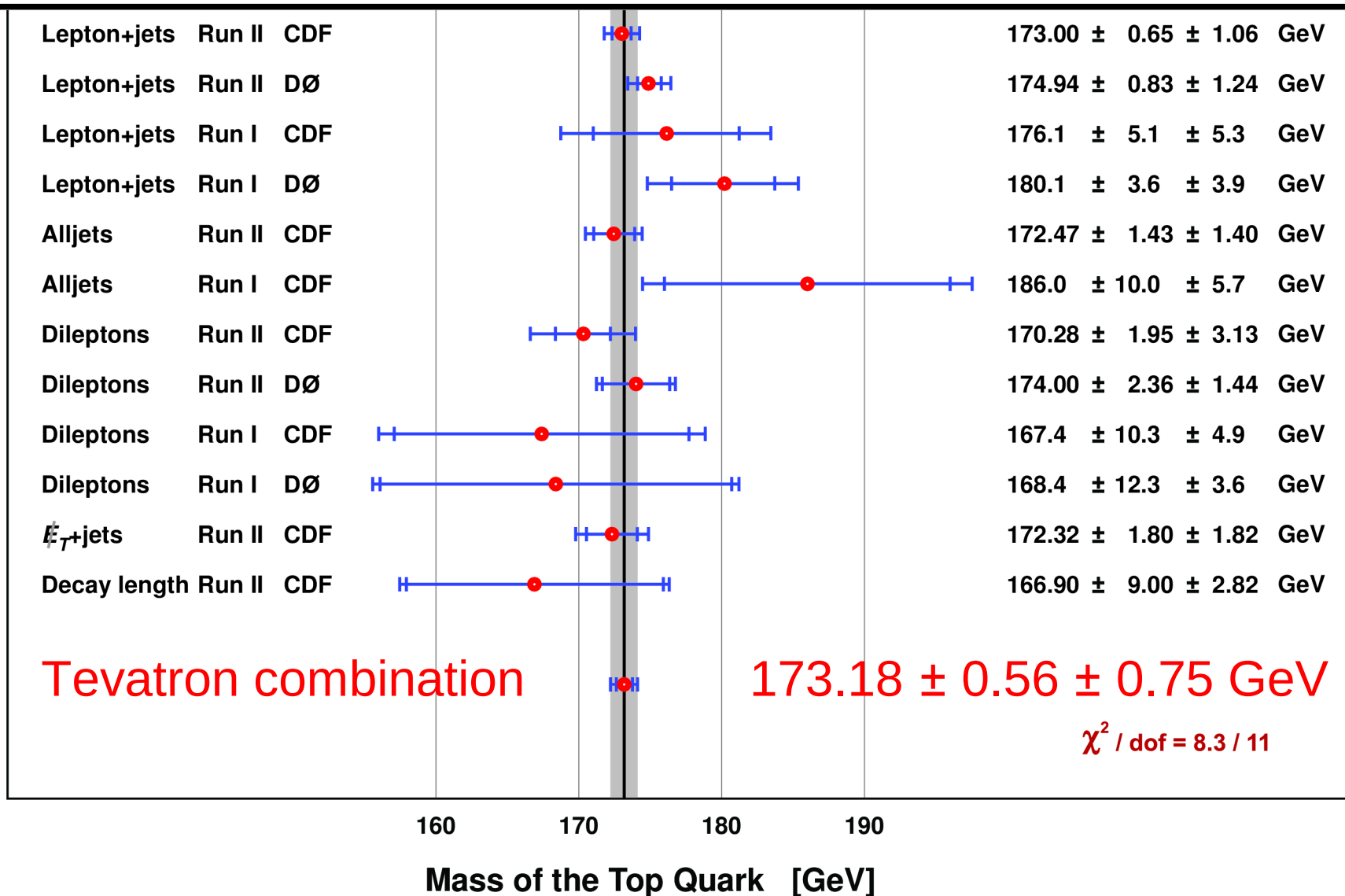


# Tevatron combination



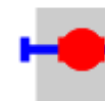


# Tevatron combination



Remarkable agreement !

LHC June 2012



$173.3 \pm 0.5 \pm 1.3$  GeV





# Top mass: Uncertainties!

→ Some overlap in systematic uncertainties

- Estimation of higher order effects:

- Factorization and Renormalization uncertainties overlap with ISR/FSR uncertainties, differential cross section distributions might help

- MC parton showers: PT versus Q2 ordered → O(500 MeV) difference ?!

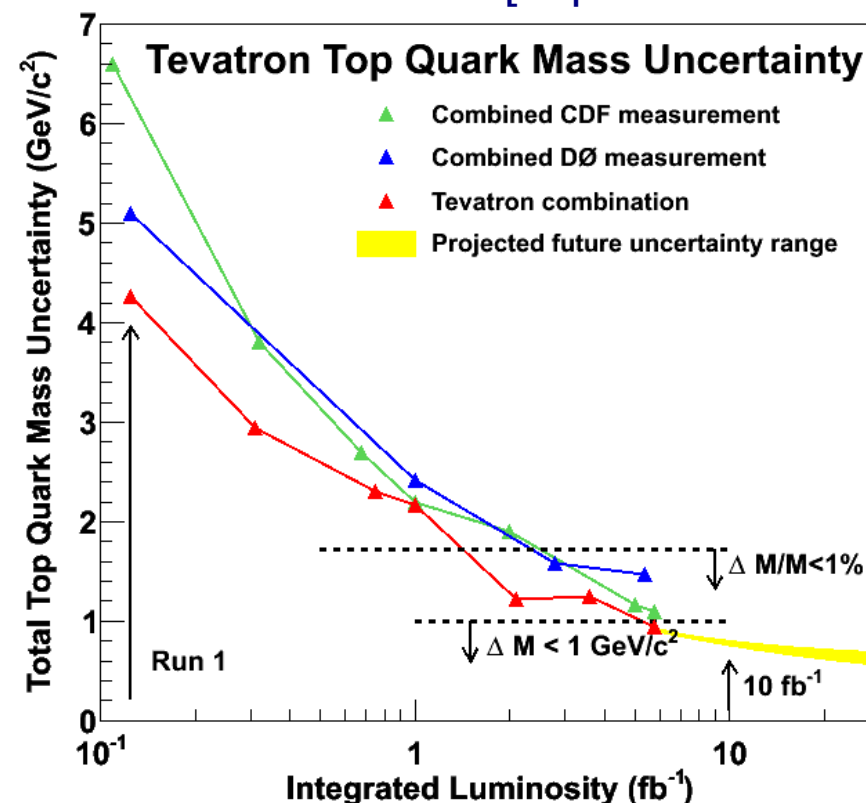
- Jet shapes studies, differential distributions, ...

Skands, Wicke:  
[[hep-ex:0807.3248](https://arxiv.org/abs/hep-ex/0807.3248)]

- Improvements in uncertainties: ~25%

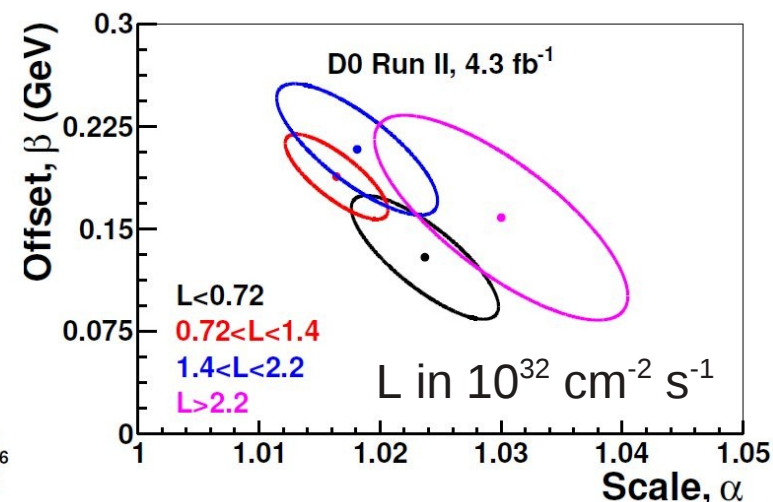
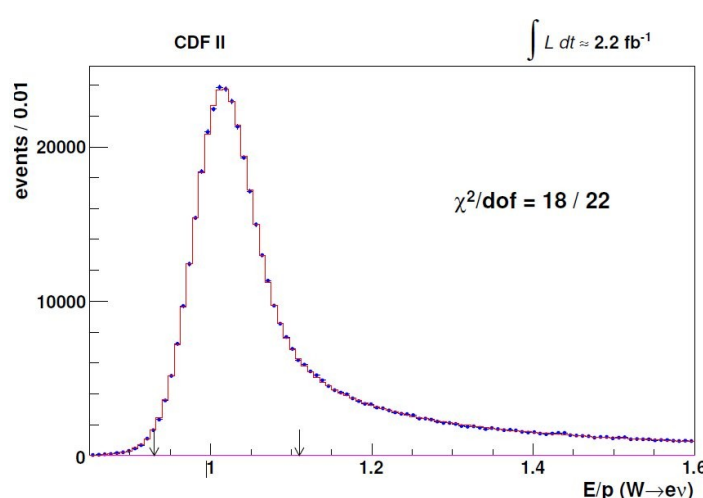
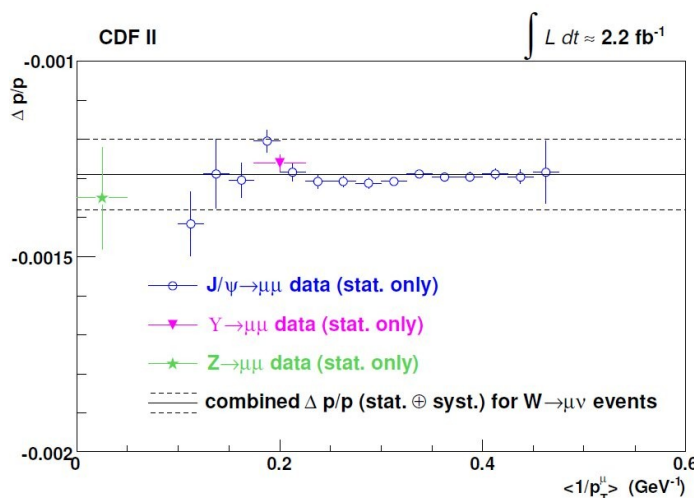
→ Fundamental limit:

- Already of the same order of  $\Lambda_{\text{QCD}}$
- Ultimately threshold scan at ILC



- CDF and DØ measurements use binned likelihood fits to extract  $M_W$
- CDF calibration done by:
  - Momentum scale from  $J/\psi \rightarrow \mu\mu$ ,  $Y \rightarrow \mu\mu$ ,  $Z \rightarrow \mu\mu$  mass fits
  - E/p distribution in  $W \rightarrow ev$  to calibrate calorimeter energy scale
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- CDF momentum scale and DØ energy scale precision  $\sim 0.01\%$  !

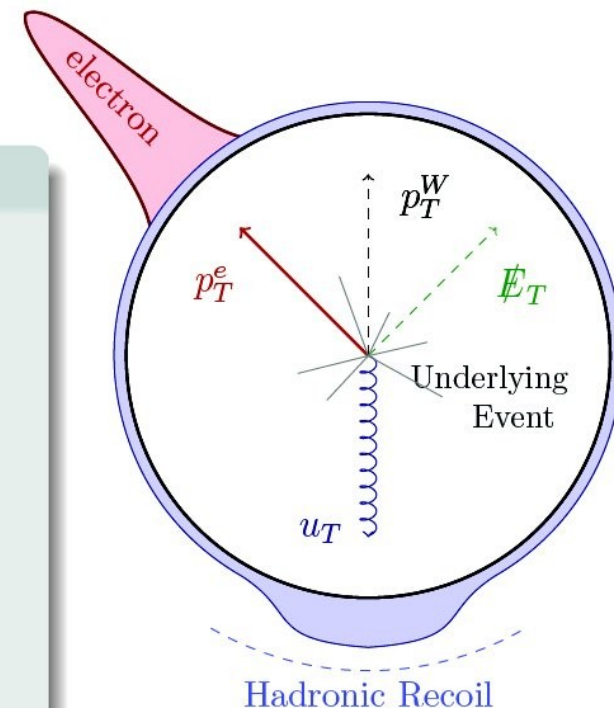
## • CDF and DØ measurement cuts:

### CDF analysis

- Analyzed  $2.2 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ .
- Uses  $W \rightarrow e\nu$  and  $W \rightarrow \mu\nu$  decay channels.
- Central leptons  $|\eta| < 1$  with  $30 < p_T < 55 \text{ GeV}$
- Missing transverse energy  $30 < \cancel{E}_T < 55 \text{ GeV}$
- Transverse mass  $60 < m_T < 100 \text{ GeV}$
- Hadronic recoil momentum  $u_T < 15 \text{ GeV}$

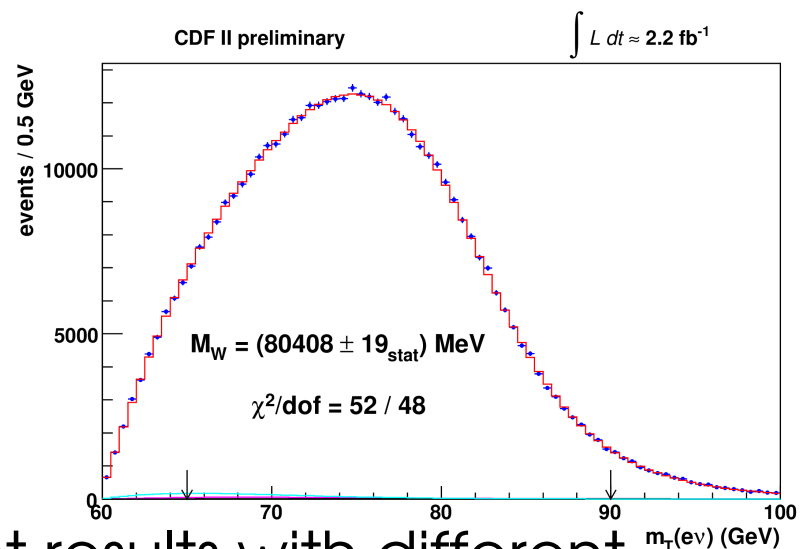
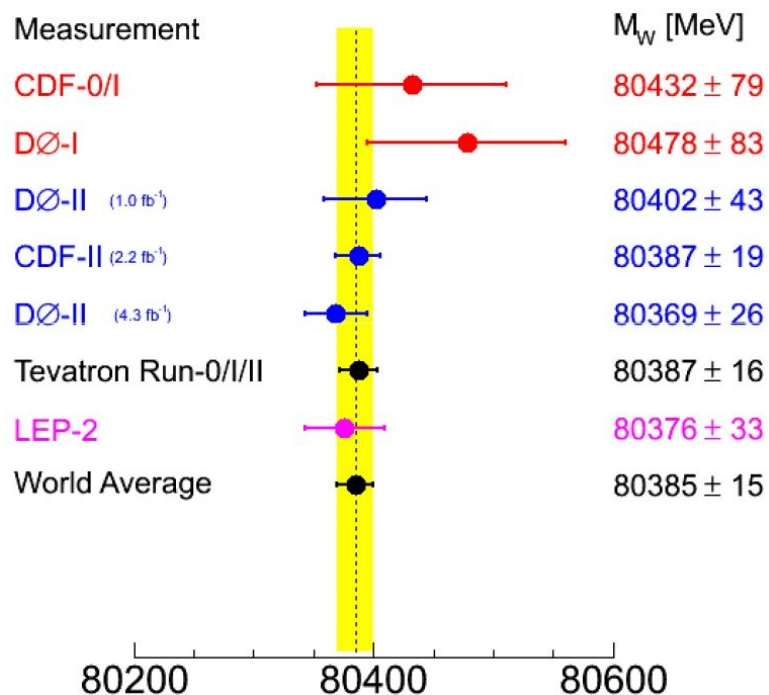
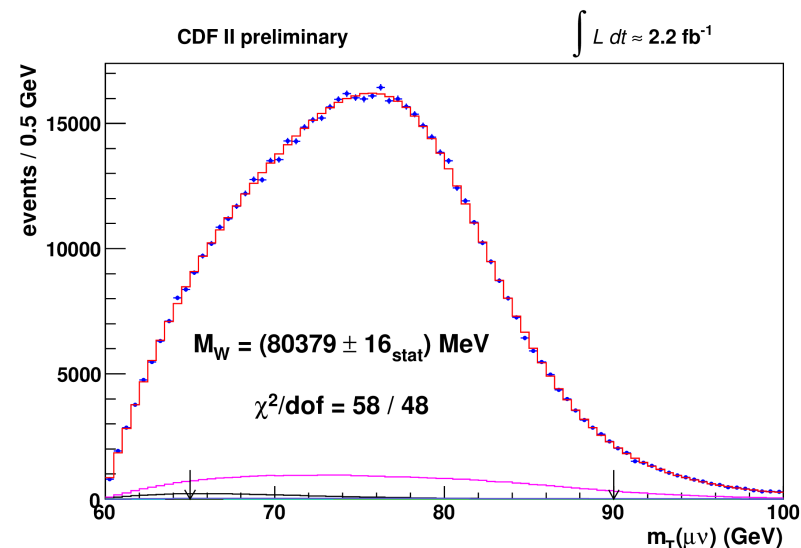
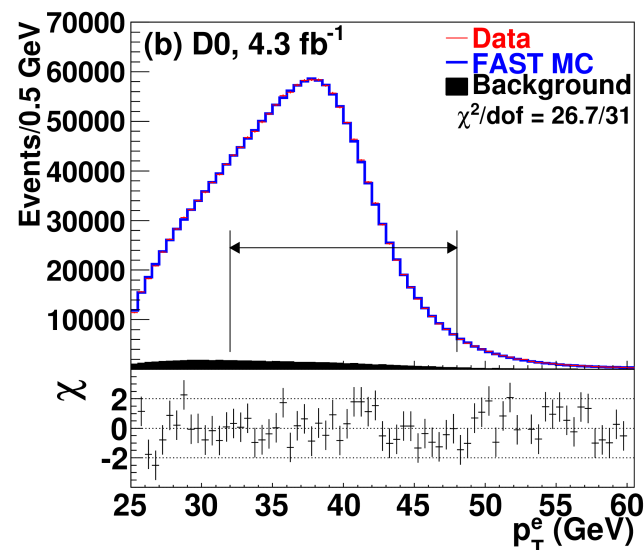
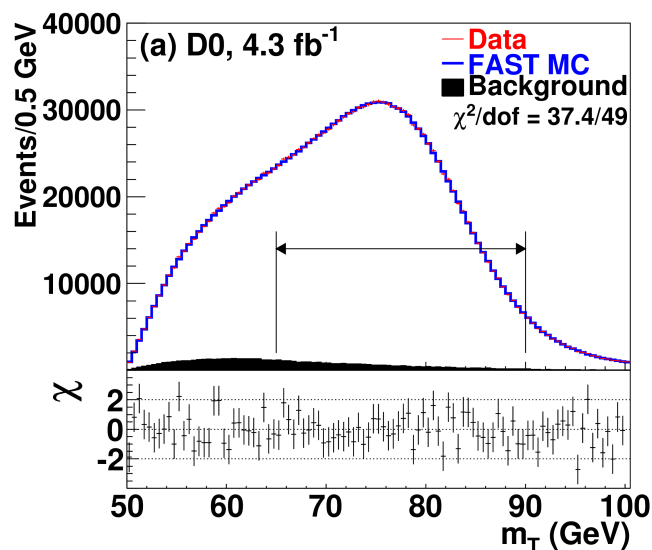
### DØ analysis

- Analyzed  $4.3 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  ( $1 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  analyzed before)
- Uses  $W \rightarrow e\nu$  decay channel.
- Central electrons  $|\eta| < 1.05$  with  $p_T > 25 \text{ GeV}$
- Missing transverse energy  $\cancel{E}_T > 25 \text{ GeV}$
- Transverse mass  $50 < m_T < 200 \text{ GeV}$
- Hadronic recoil momentum  $u_T < 15 \text{ GeV}$



## • Number of selected events:

|                                                      | $W \rightarrow e\nu$ candidates | $W \rightarrow \mu\nu$ candidates | Total                  |
|------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------|
| CDF $2.2 \text{ fb}^{-1}$                            | 470,126                         | 624,708                           | 1,094,834              |
| DØ $4.3 \text{ fb}^{-1}$<br>(+ $1 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ ) | 1,677,394                       | –                                 | 1,677,394<br>2,177,224 |



Very consistent results with different detectors and experimental measurement strategies !

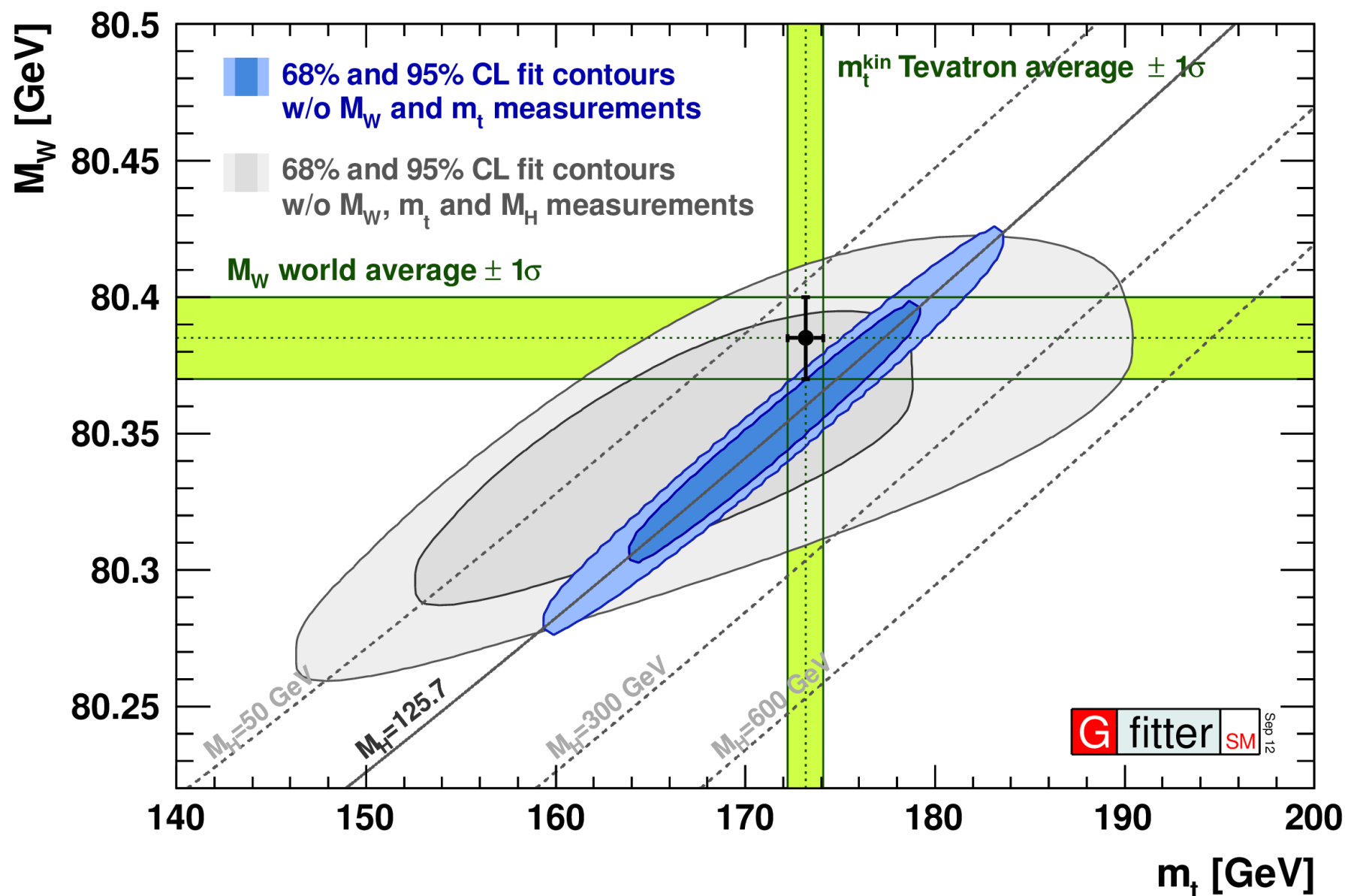
| Source                                                             | CDF $m_T(\mu, \nu)$ | CDF $m_T(e, \nu)$ | DØ $m_T(e, \nu)$ |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------|-------------------|------------------|
| <b>Experimental – Statistical power of the calibration sample.</b> |                     |                   |                  |
| Lepton Energy Scale                                                | 7                   | 10                | 16               |
| Lepton Energy Resolution                                           | 1                   | 4                 | 2                |
| Lepton Energy Non-Linearity                                        |                     |                   | 4                |
| Lepton Energy Loss                                                 |                     |                   | 4                |
| Recoil Energy Scale                                                | 5                   | 5                 |                  |
| Recoil Energy Resolution                                           | 7                   | 7                 |                  |
| Lepton Removal                                                     | 2                   | 3                 |                  |
| Recoil Model                                                       |                     |                   | 5                |
| Efficiency Model                                                   |                     |                   | 1                |
| Background                                                         | 3                   | 4                 | 2                |
| <b>W production and decay model – Not statistically driven.</b>    |                     |                   |                  |
| PDF                                                                | 10                  | 10                | 11               |
| QED                                                                | 4                   | 4                 | 7                |
| Boson $p_T$                                                        | 3                   | 3                 | 2                |



# $W$ mass $\leftrightarrow$ top quark mass



Gfitter [arxiv:1209.2716]



- Presented recent Standard Model measurements at the Tevatron:
  - Self consistency of SM
  - Many results not yet with final data set, updates expected soon
  - Tevatron top physics program can compete with LHC !

## Outlook:

- More precise results in the near future, *but*:
  - Concentrate on results which are **competitive or complimentary** to LHC
  - Puzzling situation AFB

<http://www-d0.fnal.gov/Run2Physics/top/index.html>

<http://www-cdf.fnal.gov/physics/new/top/top.html>





# Summary – Overview

| Property                                                                | Measurement                                                                                                                             | SM Prediction             | Luminosity (fb <sup>-1</sup> ) |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------------|
| $\sigma_{t\bar{t}}$ (for $M_t = 172.5$ GeV)                             | CDF: $7.5 \pm 0.31(\text{stat}) \pm 0.34(\text{syst}) \pm 0.15(\text{theory})$ pb<br>D0: $7.56^{+0.63}_{-0.56}$ (stat + syst + lumi) pb | $7.46^{+0.48}_{-0.67}$ pb | up to 4.6<br>5.6               |
| $\sigma_{tbq}$ (for $M_t = 172.5$ GeV)                                  | CDF: $0.8 \pm 0.4$ pb ( $M_t = 175$ GeV)<br>D0: $2.90 \pm 0.59$ pb                                                                      | $2.26 \pm 0.12$ pb        | 3.2<br>5.4                     |
| $\sigma_{tb}$ (for $M_t = 172.5$ GeV)                                   | CDF: $1.8^{+0.7}_{-0.5}$ pb ( $M_t = 175$ GeV)<br>D0: $0.68^{+0.38}_{-0.35}$ pb                                                         | $1.04 \pm 0.04$ pb        | 3.2<br>5.4                     |
| Charge asymmetry                                                        | CDF: $0.158 \pm 0.074$<br>D0: $0.196 \pm 0.065$                                                                                         | 0.06                      | 5.3<br>5.4                     |
| spin correlation                                                        | CDF: $0.72 \pm 0.64(\text{stat}) \pm 0.26(\text{syst})$<br>D0: $0.66 \pm 0.23(\text{stat} + \text{syst})$                               | $0.777^{+0.027}_{-0.042}$ | 5.3<br>5.4                     |
| $M_t$                                                                   | Tev: $173.2 \pm 0.9$ GeV                                                                                                                | -                         | up to 5.8                      |
| $\sigma_{t\bar{t}\gamma}$                                               | CDF: $0.18 \pm 0.08$ pb                                                                                                                 | $0.17 \pm 0.03$ pb        | 6.0                            |
| $ V_{tb} $                                                              | CDF: $ V_{tb}  = 0.91 \pm 0.11(\text{stat} + \text{syst}) \pm 0.07(\text{theory})$<br>D0: $ V_{tb}  = 1.02^{+0.10}_{-0.11}$             | 1                         | 3.2<br>5.4                     |
| $R = B(t \rightarrow Wb)/B(t \rightarrow Wq)$                           | CDF: $> 0.61$ @ 95% CL<br>D0: $0.90 \pm 0.04$                                                                                           | 1                         | 0.2<br>5.4                     |
| $\sigma(gg \rightarrow t\bar{t})/\sigma(p\bar{p} \rightarrow t\bar{t})$ | CDF: $0.07^{+0.15}_{-0.07}$                                                                                                             | 0.18                      | 1                              |
| $M_t - M_{\bar{t}}$                                                     | CDF: $-3.3 \pm 1.4(\text{stat}) \pm 1.0(\text{syst})$ GeV<br>D0: $0.8 \pm 1.8(\text{stat}) \pm 0.5(\text{syst})$ GeV                    | 0                         | 5.6<br>3.6                     |
| W helicity fraction                                                     | Tev: $f_0 = 0.732 \pm 0.063(\text{stat}) \pm 0.052(\text{syst})$                                                                        | 0.7                       | up to 5.4                      |
| Charge                                                                  | CDF: $-4/3$ excluded @ 95% CL<br>D0: $4/3$ excluded @ 92% CL                                                                            | $2/3$                     | 5.6<br>0.37                    |
| $\Gamma_t$                                                              | CDF: $< 7.6$ GeV @ 95% CL<br>D0: $1.99^{+0.69}_{-0.55}$ GeV                                                                             | 1.26 GeV                  | 4.3<br>up to 2.3               |

Table by F. Deliot

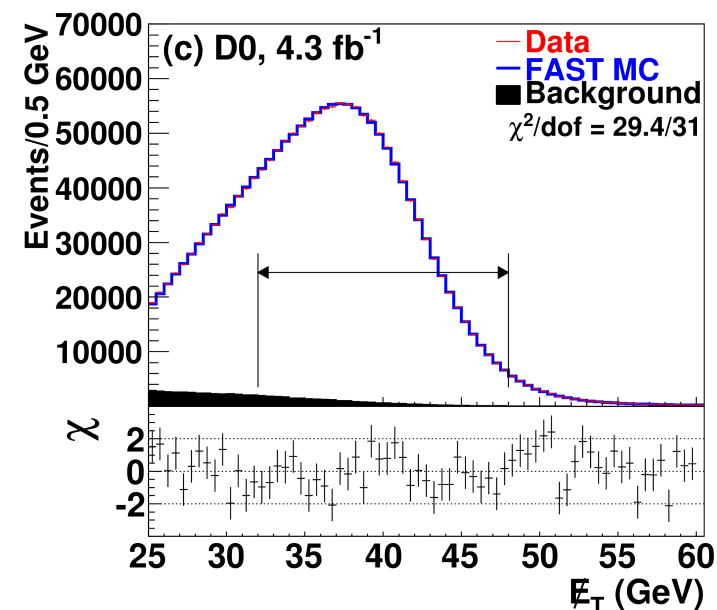
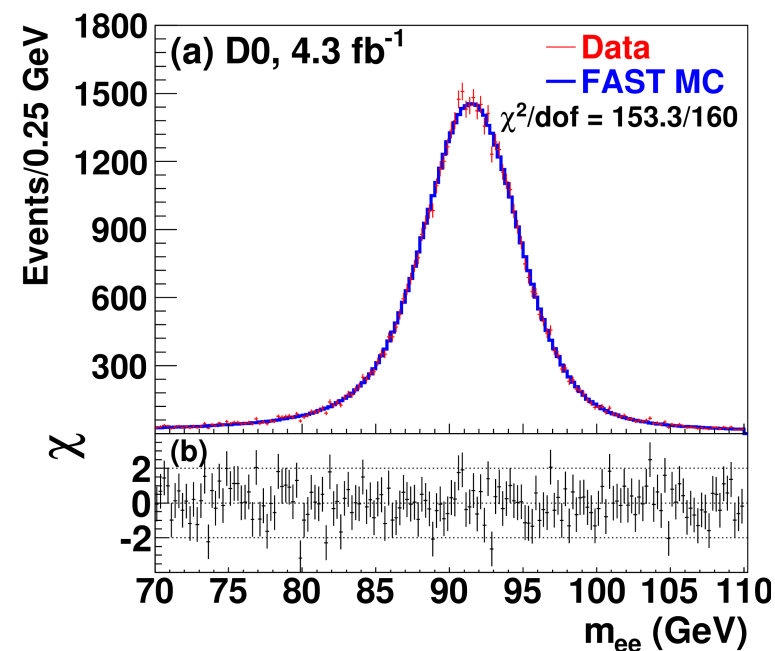
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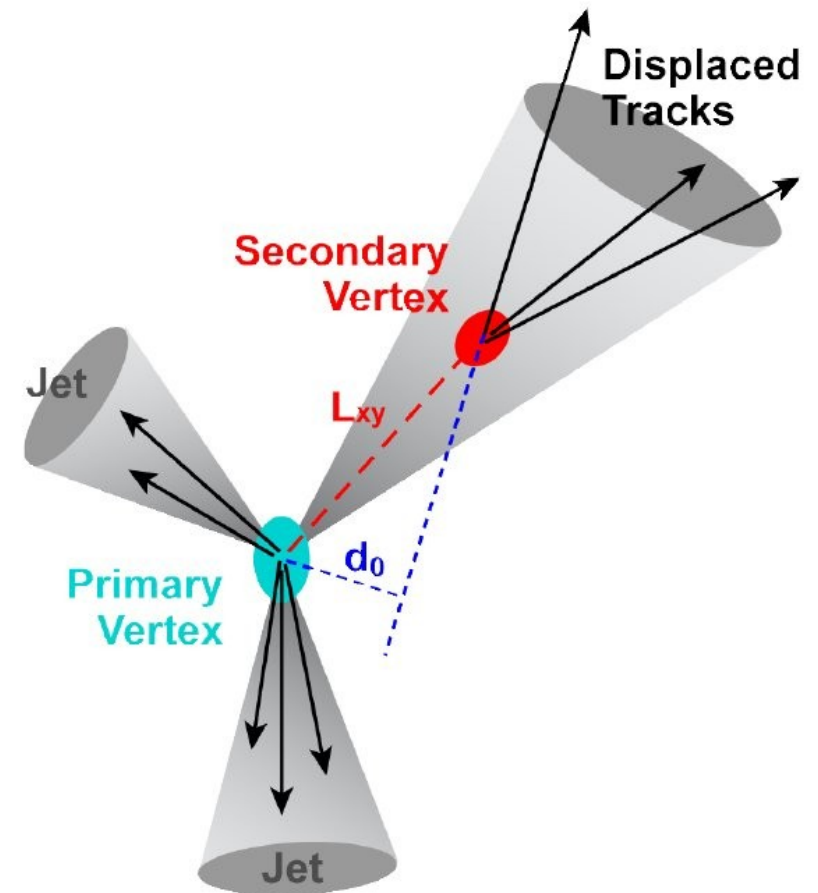
# *Backup*

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| Source                      | $\Delta M_W$ (MeV) |         |       |
|-----------------------------|--------------------|---------|-------|
|                             | $m_T$              | $p_T^e$ | $E_T$ |
| Electron energy calibration | 16                 | 17      | 16    |
| Electron resolution model   | 2                  | 2       | 3     |
| Electron shower modeling    | 4                  | 6       | 7     |
| Electron energy loss model  | 4                  | 4       | 4     |
| Hadronic recoil model       | 5                  | 6       | 14    |
| Electron efficiencies       | 1                  | 3       | 5     |
| Backgrounds                 | 2                  | 2       | 2     |
| Experimental subtotal       | 18                 | 20      | 24    |
| PDF                         | 11                 | 11      | 14    |
| QED                         | 7                  | 7       | 9     |
| Boson $p_T$                 | 2                  | 5       | 2     |
| Production subtotal         | 13                 | 14      | 17    |
| Total                       | 22                 | 24      | 29    |



- $b$ -quarks hadronize before decaying into a  $c$ -quark:
  - Long-lived  $B$  hadrons decay some millimeters away
  - Identify a displaced vertex from the decay tracks
  - soft  $e$  or  $\mu$  is produced (11% each)



- CDF **Secondary Vertex Tagger** searches for two or more tracks with large impact parameter ( $d_0$ ) pointing to a displaced vertex
- DØ **Neural Network tagger** combines the information from a secondary vertex and two impact parameter taggers



# Cross section measurement



- Compare the observed number of events ( $N^{\text{data}}$ ) with prediction
- Cross section is measured as:

$$\sigma = (N^{\text{data}} - N^{\text{bg}}) / \text{BR} \cdot A \cdot \epsilon \cdot L$$

- or maximize Poisson likelihood based on  $N^{\text{data}}$  using  $N^{\text{pred}}$ :

$$L(\sigma) = P(N^{\text{data}}, N^{\text{pred}})$$

- $t\bar{t}$  pair production tests QCD prediction, can also be used search for new physics

## A recipe:

- $\ell+1,2$  jets as control, 3 and  $\geq 4$  jet bins for measurement.
- Require at least one jet as a b-jet using a NN-based tagger.
- Require an isolated lepton and large missing transverse energy.
- Largest physics background: W/Z+jets; include di-boson, single-top.
- Include NLO/LO scale factors.
- Multi-jet background from data

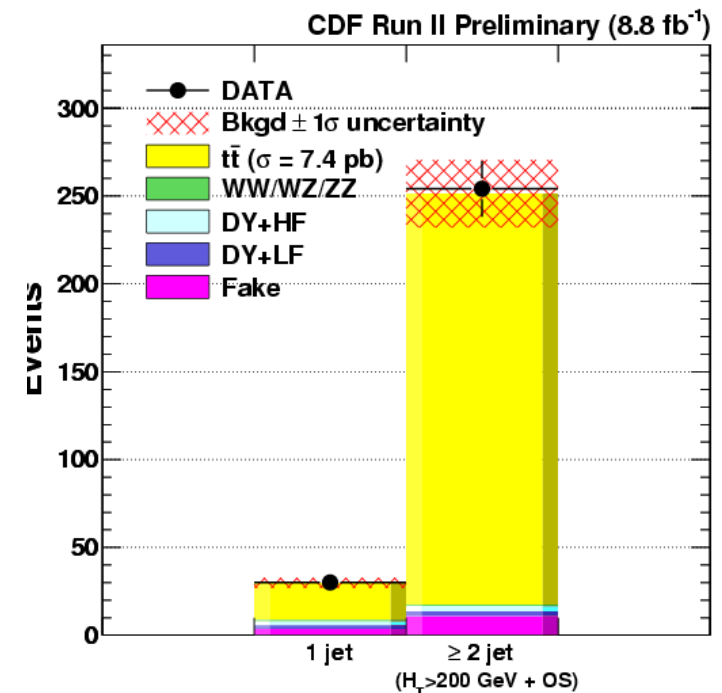
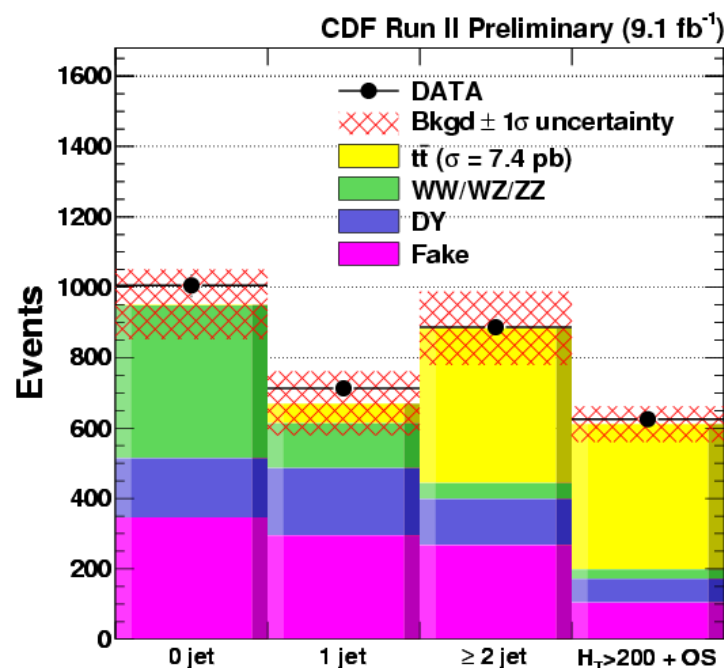
# Cross section measurement



- 625 candidate events in  $9.1 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  with 198 expected background evts:  
 $\sigma = 7.66 \pm 0.46 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.66 \text{ (syst)} \pm 0.47 \text{ (lumi)} \text{ pb}$  (rel: 12.2%)
- 254 candidate events with b-tagged jets in  $8.8 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  with 17 bg evts:  
 $\sigma = 7.47 \pm 0.50 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.53 \text{ (syst)} \pm 0.46 \text{ (lumi)} \text{ pb}$  (rel: 11.5%)
- Best prediction at NNLO+NNLL (MSTW2008)

## Leading uncertainties:

- background modeling  
(1st measurement)
- b-tagging  
(2nd measurement)





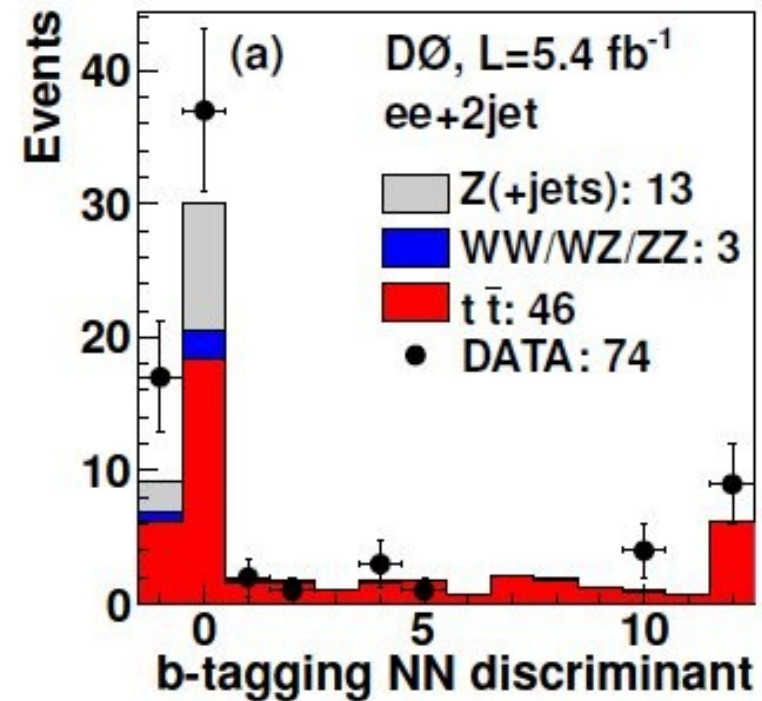
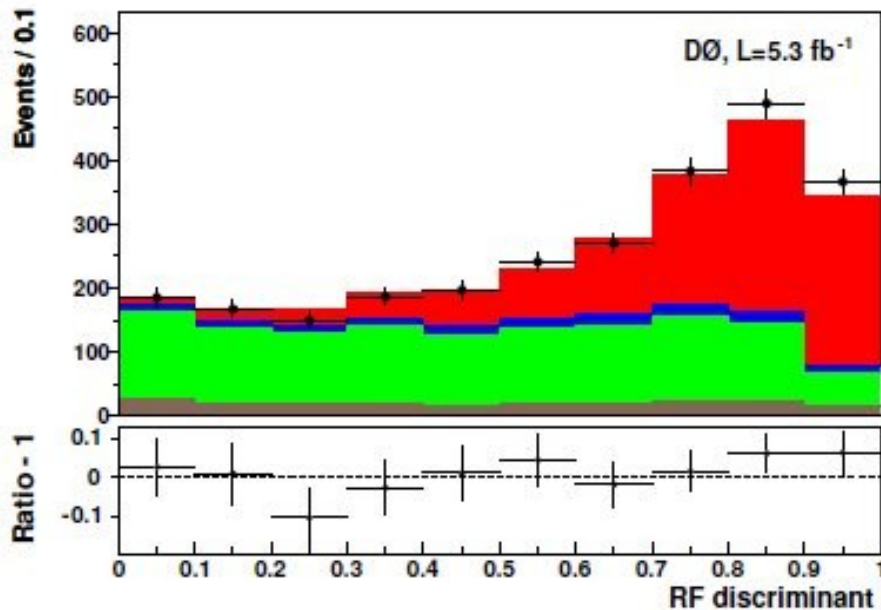
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l+jets final state in 5.3 fb<sup>-1</sup>:

- Discriminant using topological info
- Event count, by number of b-tags
- Combine both in likelihood  
(→ fit uncertainties)

dilepton final state in 5.4 fb<sup>-1</sup>:

- Likelihood based on b-tagging discriminant distribution  
(→ fit uncertainties)
- Merges 2-jet events and 1-jet events (eμ only)



$$\sigma = 7.87 + 0.77 - 0.64 \text{ pb (rel: 9.1\%)}$$

$$\sigma = 7.90 + 0.78 - 0.69 \text{ pb (rel: 9.4\%)}$$



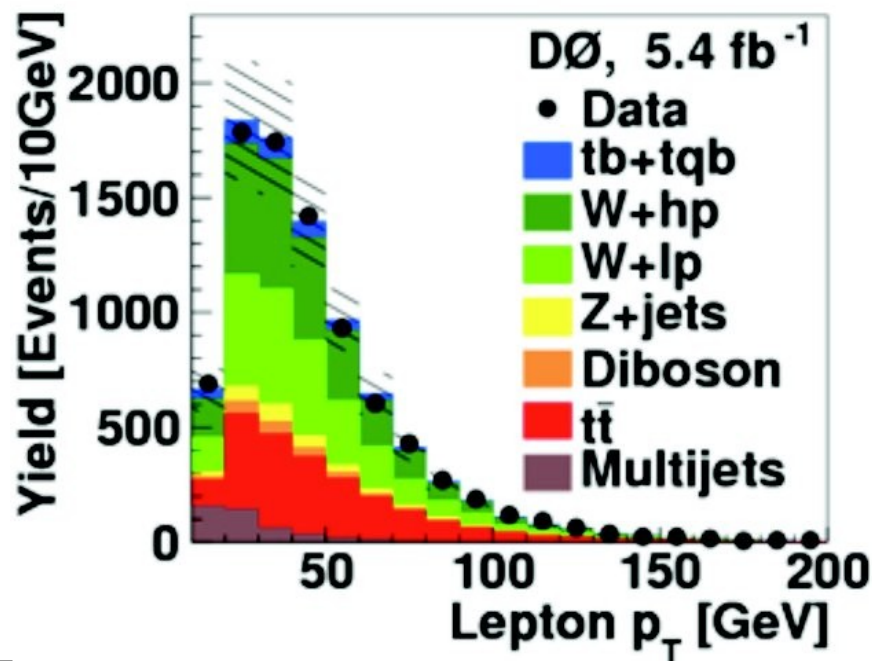


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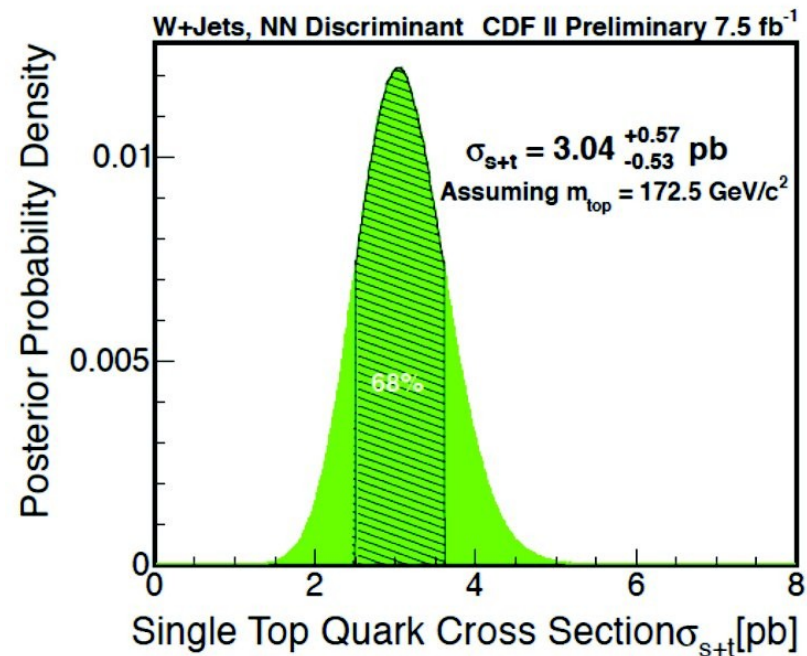


Observation of single top quark production in 2009

- 5 s.d. by CDF and DØ
- Very challenging channel at the Tevatron:
  - Small signal
  - Overwhelmed by background with similar signature
  - “Counting” does not work
    - multivariate techniques !



Bayesian approach (flat prior):



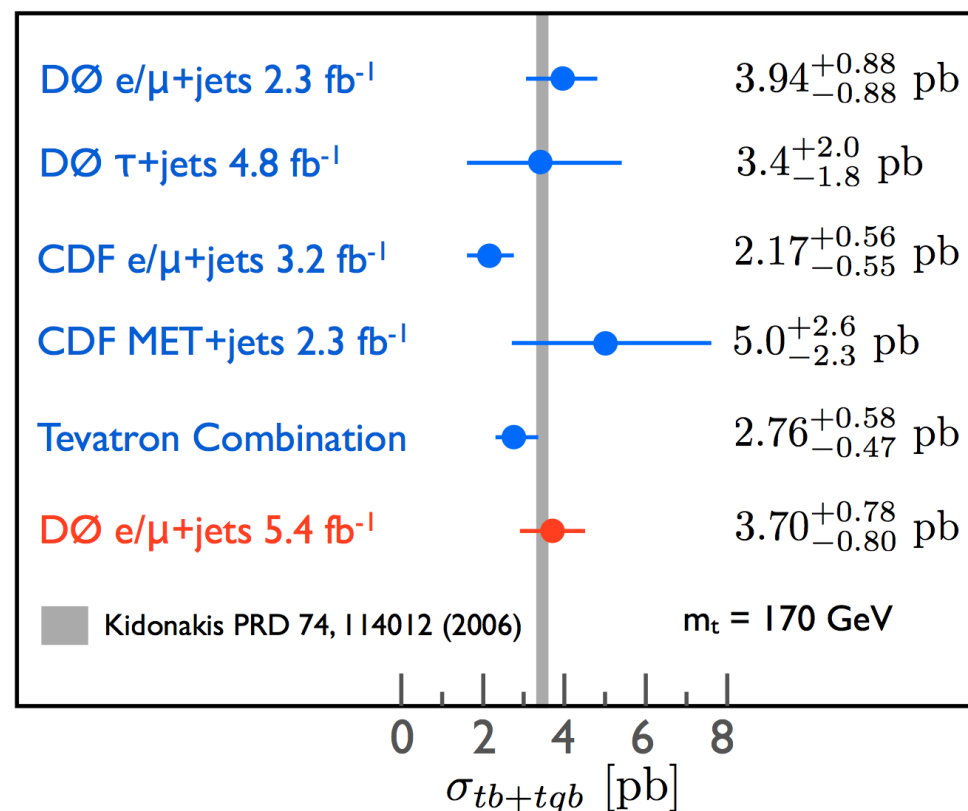
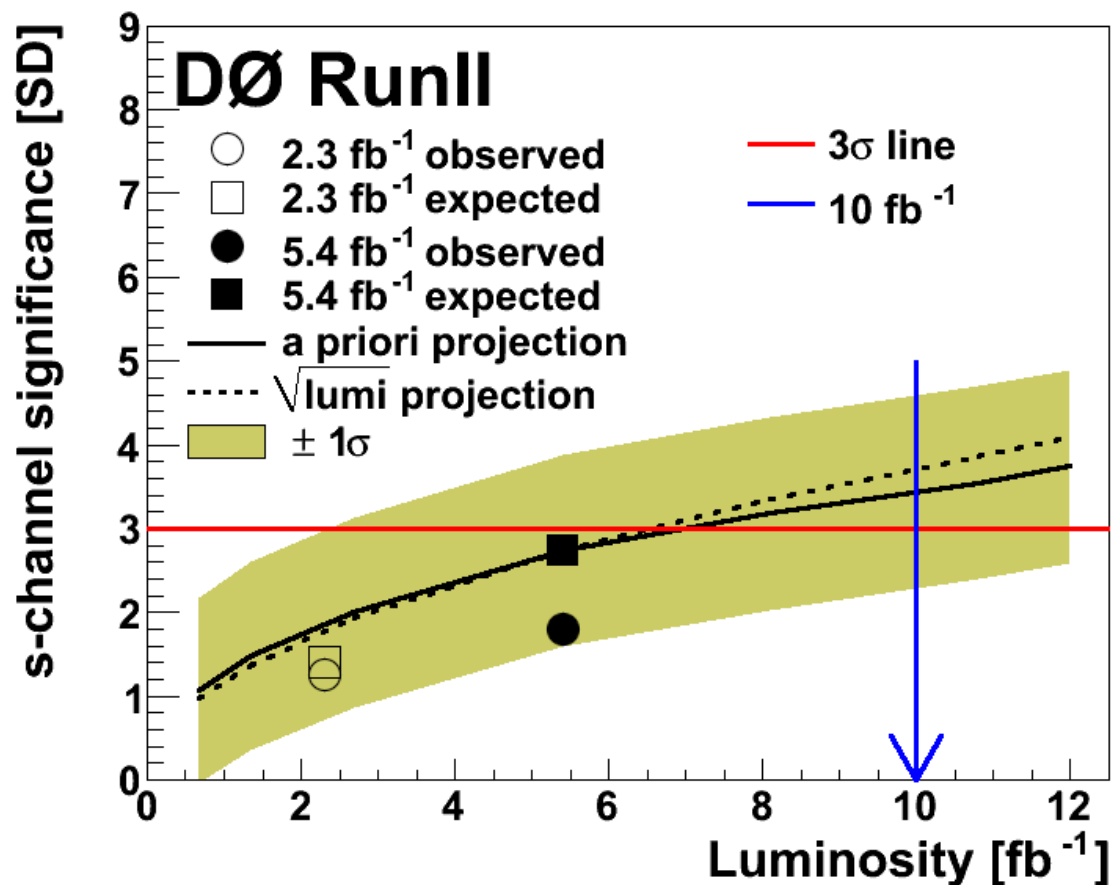


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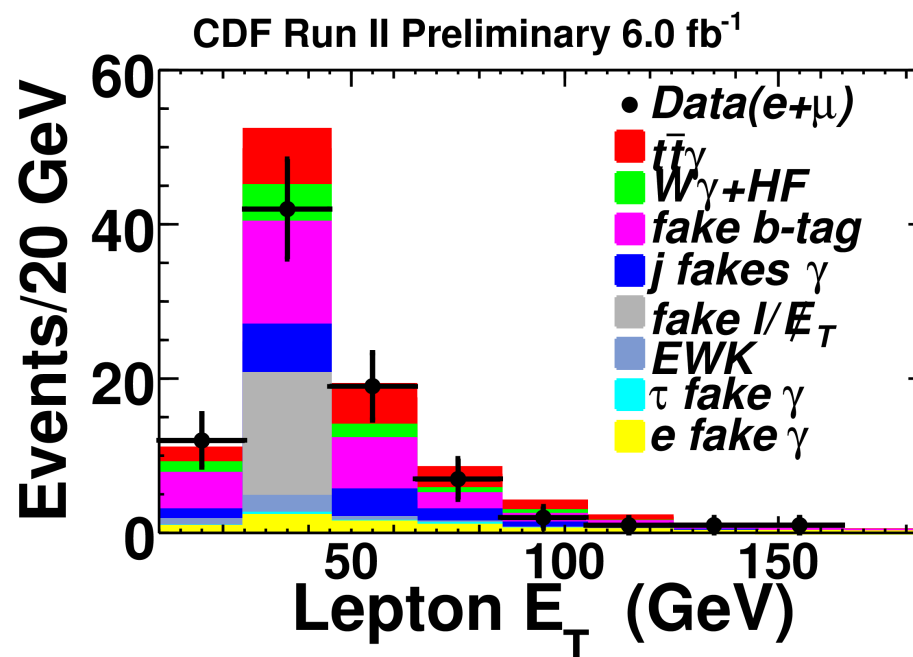
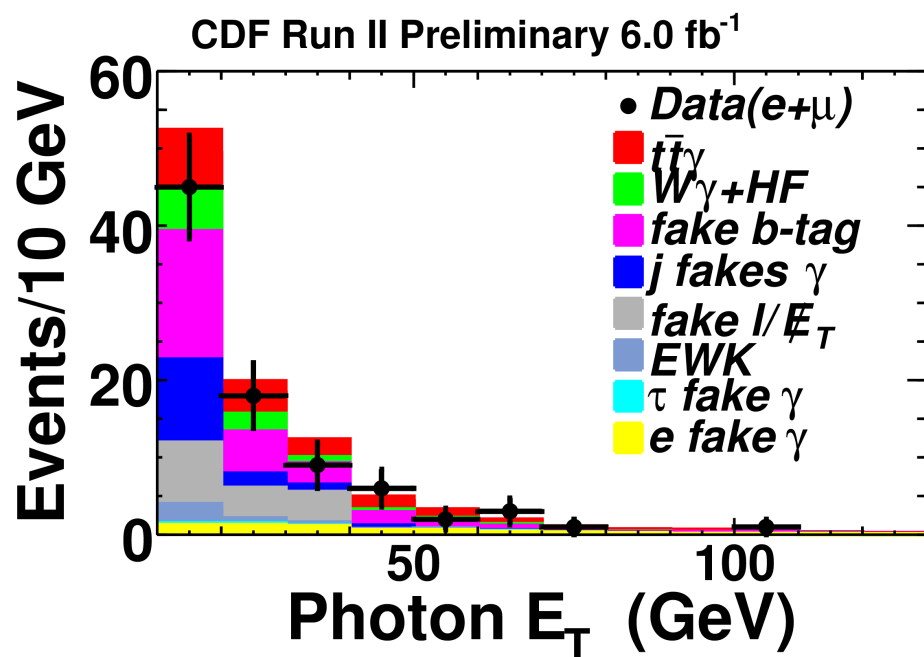
Projection for Run II using full data set:

- Single experiment: 3 – 3.5 s.d. possible
- Combination at least 4 s.d.



# Evidence for $t\bar{t}\gamma$

- l+jets channel (at least 3 jets, one  $b$ -tag and  $\cancel{E}_T$ ) + photon
- Fake photons by jets: no isolation cuts, use  $Z \rightarrow ee$  events to extrapolate isolation shape to used cuts at higher isolation values
- Fake photons by electrons: use  $Z \rightarrow ee$  events, where a high  $E_{T|}$  photon is radiated from one of the electrons

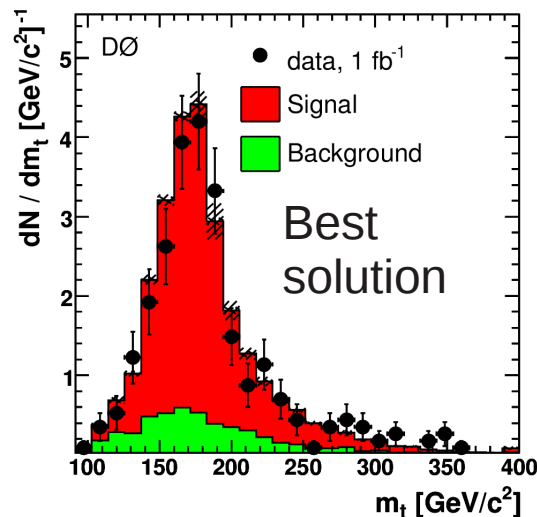




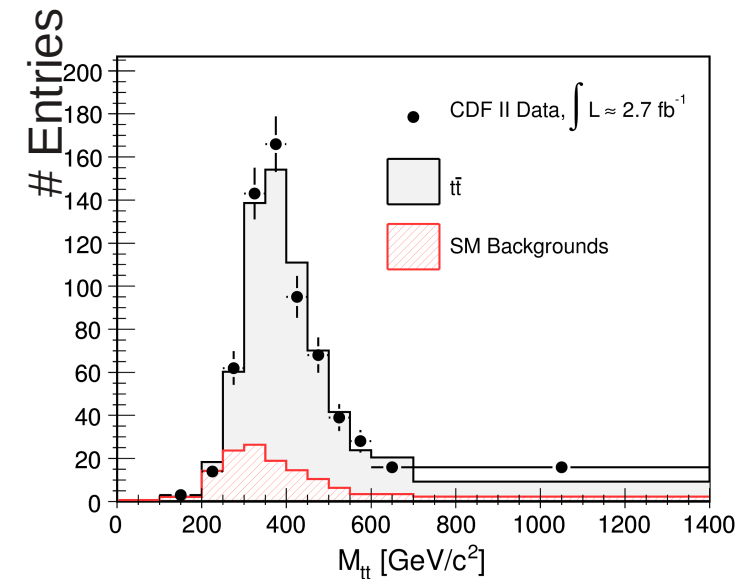
# Differential cross section



- Isolated lepton  $p_T > 20 \text{ GeV}/c$
- $\cancel{E}_T(e) > 20 \text{ GeV}$ ,  $\cancel{E}_T(\mu) > 25 \text{ GeV}$
- 4 jets  $p_T > 20 \text{ GeV}/c$ ,  
 $p_T^{\text{lead, jet}} > 40 \text{ GeV}/c$
- $|\eta(\text{jet})| < 2.5$  and at least 1  $b$ -tag
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- $|\eta(\text{jet})| < 2.0$  and at least 1  $b$ -tag
- MC uses CTEQ5L,  $m_t = 175 \text{ GeV}/c^2$



- $W \rightarrow q'q$  to constrain Jet Energy Scale (JES)
- Reconstruct invariant mass of  $t\bar{t}$  system:  $M(t\bar{t})$  –
- Associate leptons and jets with top quarks by constrained kinematic fit:  
Takes unreconstructed  $\nu$  into account,  $W$  boson mass is  $80.4 \text{ GeV}/c^2$



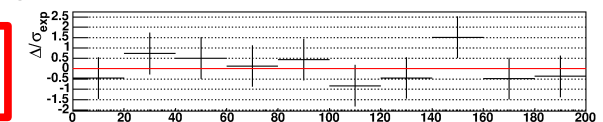
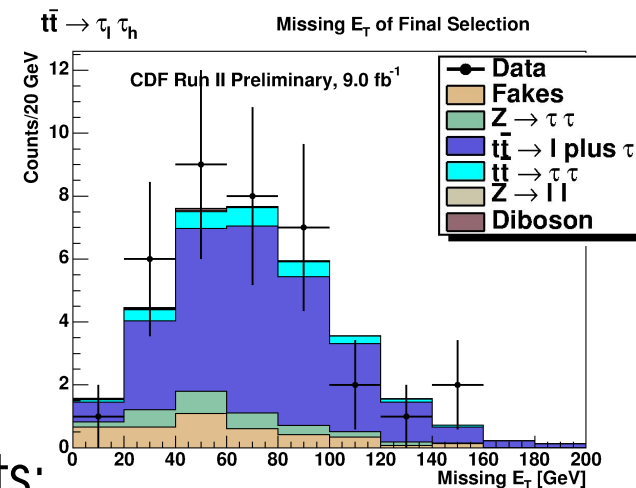
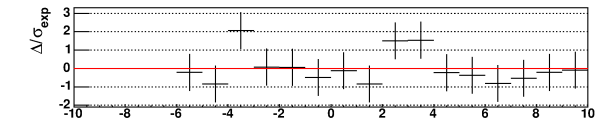
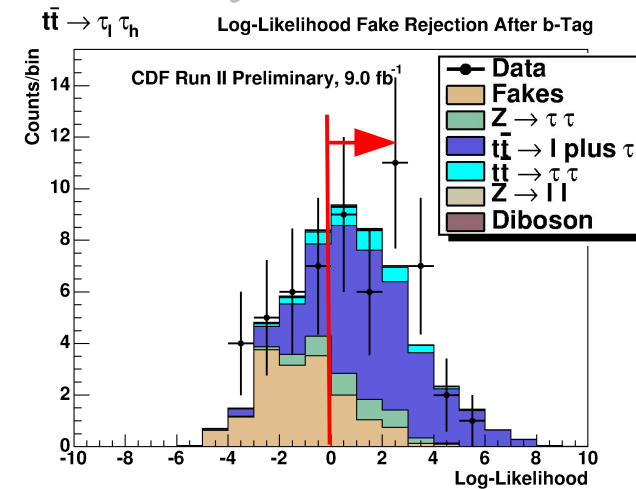
# Measurement $BR(t \rightarrow b\tau\nu)$

- More details on the cross section measurement:
  - CDF Conf. note
- e or  $\mu$  originating from  $\tau$  or W decay
- Selection uses kinematic +  $b$ -tag + log-likelihood cuts
  - log-L:  $m_T(\ell + \cancel{E}_T)$ ,  $E_T(3^{\text{rd}} \text{ lead. jet})$
- Removes most of the fake contribution, yields:

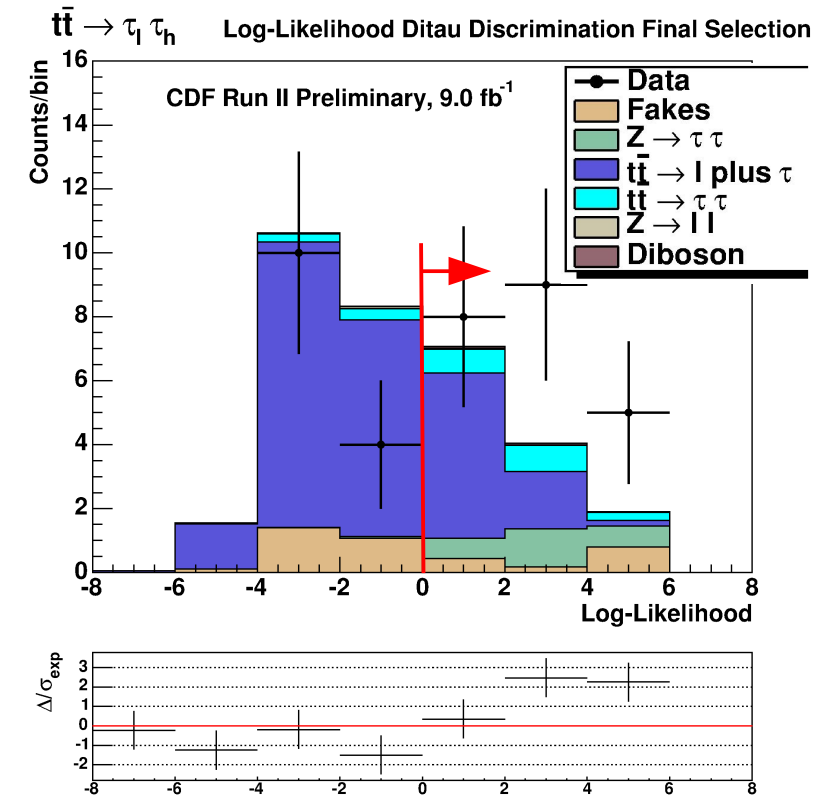
| $t\bar{t} \rightarrow \tau_\ell \tau_h + X$ | Events of Final Selection       |                                 |                                 |
|---------------------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Process                                     | Muon Sample                     | Electron Sample                 | Total                           |
| Fakes                                       | $1.80 \pm 0.31^{+0.13}_{-0.31}$ | $2.20 \pm 0.64^{+0.18}_{-0.48}$ | $4.01 \pm 0.71^{+0.31}_{-0.80}$ |
| $Z/\gamma^* \rightarrow \tau\tau$           | $1.12 \pm 0.07 \pm 0.25$        | $1.41 \pm 0.08 \pm 0.29$        | $2.53 \pm 0.11 \pm 0.53$        |
| $Z/\gamma^* \rightarrow \ell\ell$           | $0.10 \pm 0.03 \pm 0.03$        | $0.03 \pm 0.01 \pm 0.01$        | $0.13 \pm 0.03 \pm 0.04$        |
| Diboson                                     | $0.09 \pm 0.02 \pm 0.03$        | $0.09 \pm 0.02 \pm 0.03$        | $0.17 \pm 0.03 \pm 0.05$        |
| $t\bar{t} \rightarrow \tau\ell + X$         | $10.56 \pm 0.08 \pm 1.34$       | $13.73 \pm 0.10 \pm 1.75$       | $24.29 \pm 0.13 \pm 3.09$       |
| $t\bar{t} \rightarrow \tau\tau + X$         | $1.07 \pm 0.03 \pm 0.14$        | $1.37 \pm 0.03 \pm 0.18$        | $2.44 \pm 0.04 \pm 0.32$        |
| Total Expected                              | $14.7 \pm 0.3^{+1.6}_{-1.7}$    | $18.8 \pm 0.6^{+2.1}_{-2.1}$    | $33.6 \pm 0.7^{+3.7}_{-3.8}$    |
| Observed                                    | 12                              | 24                              | 36                              |

- BR measured from decays to single- and di-tau events:

$$BR(t \rightarrow \tau\nu b) = 0.120 \pm 0.030(\text{stat.})^{+0.022}_{-0.019}(\text{syst.}) \pm 0.007(\text{lum.})$$



- Resulting sample is further separated to measure  $R(t \rightarrow b\tau\nu_\tau)$  from only di-tau decays
- Log-likelihood based on:
  - $m_T(\ell + \cancel{E}_T)$ ,  $\Delta\phi(\cancel{E}_T, \ell)$ ,  $E_T(\ell)$
- SM expectation:  $BR(W \rightarrow \ell\nu) = (10.80 \pm 0.09)$   
(average over  $e, \mu, \tau$  decay modes)



- R measured from decays of only di-tau events:

$$BR(t \rightarrow \tau\nu b) = 0.098 \pm 0.022(\text{stat.}) \pm 0.014(\text{syst.})$$

- Single- and di-tau result in good agreement, as well as to SM expectation

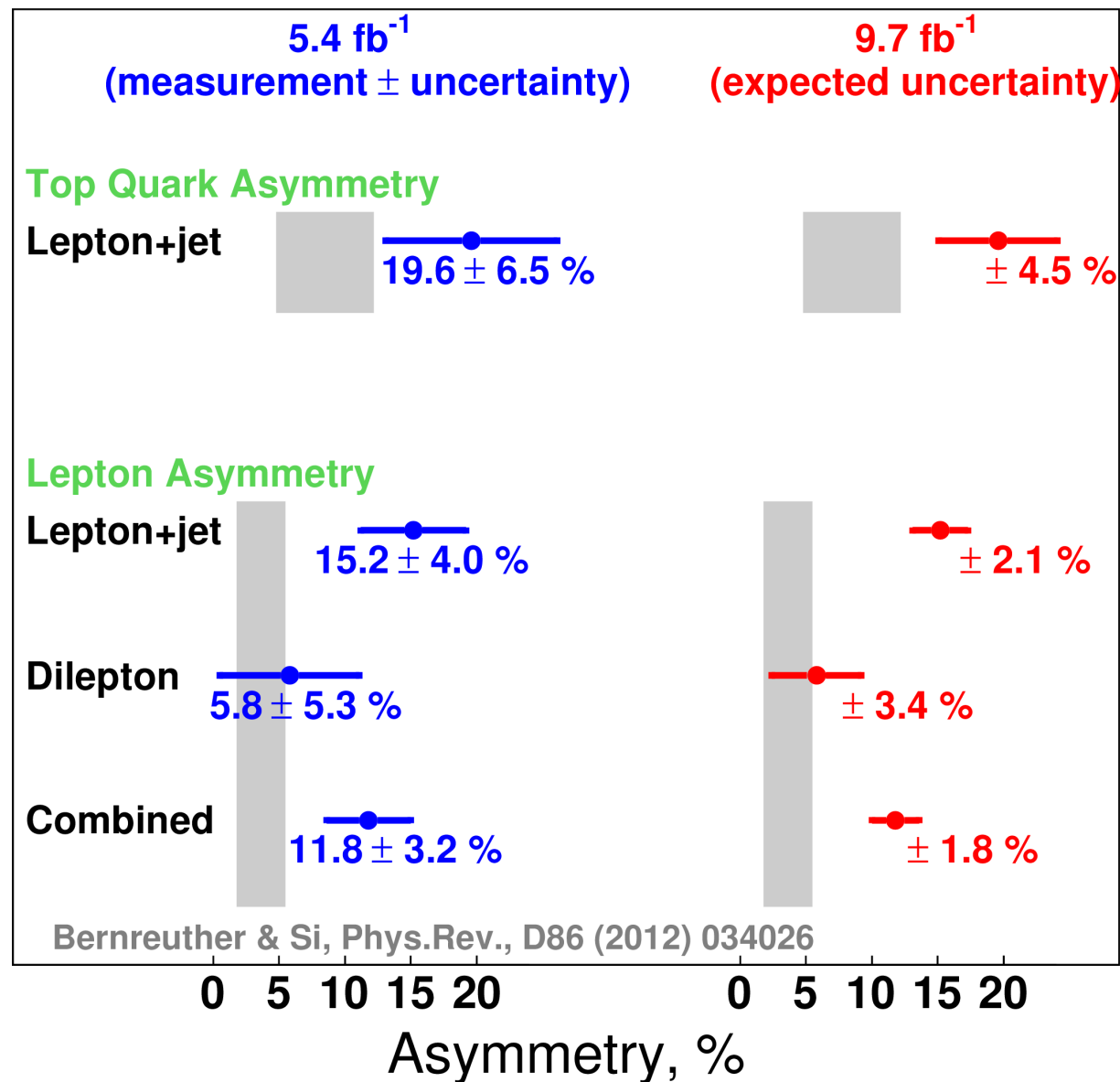


# $A_{FB}$ measurements



- **Puzzling situation !** → Need higher order QCD predictions

- Expected uncertainties for full data set
- Latest prediction at NLO (QCD+EWK)
- Lots of work still to do...





# Mass of the Top Quark

- Top Mass Measurement is dominated by systematics
- Total systematic error close to be below 1 GeV, already only 0.7%

| Source                              | Uncertainty (GeV) |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------|
| <i>Modeling of production:</i>      |                   |
| <i>Modeling of signal:</i>          |                   |
| Higher-order effects                | $\pm 0.25$        |
| ISR/FSR                             | $\pm 0.26$        |
| Hadronization and UE                | $\pm 0.58$        |
| Color reconnection                  | $\pm 0.28$        |
| Multiple $p\bar{p}$ interactions    | $\pm 0.07$        |
| Modeling of background              | $\pm 0.16$        |
| $W$ +jets heavy-flavor scale factor | $\pm 0.07$        |
| Modeling of $b$ jets                | $\pm 0.09$        |
| Choice of PDF                       | $\pm 0.24$        |
| <i>Modeling of detector:</i>        |                   |
| Residual jet energy scale           | $\pm 0.21$        |
| Data-MC jet response difference     | $\pm 0.28$        |
| $b$ -tagging efficiency             | $\pm 0.08$        |
| Trigger efficiency                  | $\pm 0.01$        |
| Lepton momentum scale               | $\pm 0.17$        |
| Jet energy resolution               | $\pm 0.32$        |
| Jet ID efficiency                   | $\pm 0.26$        |
| <i>Method:</i>                      |                   |
| Multijet contamination              | $\pm 0.14$        |
| Signal fraction                     | $\pm 0.10$        |
| MC calibration                      | $\pm 0.20$        |
| Total                               | $\pm 1.02$        |



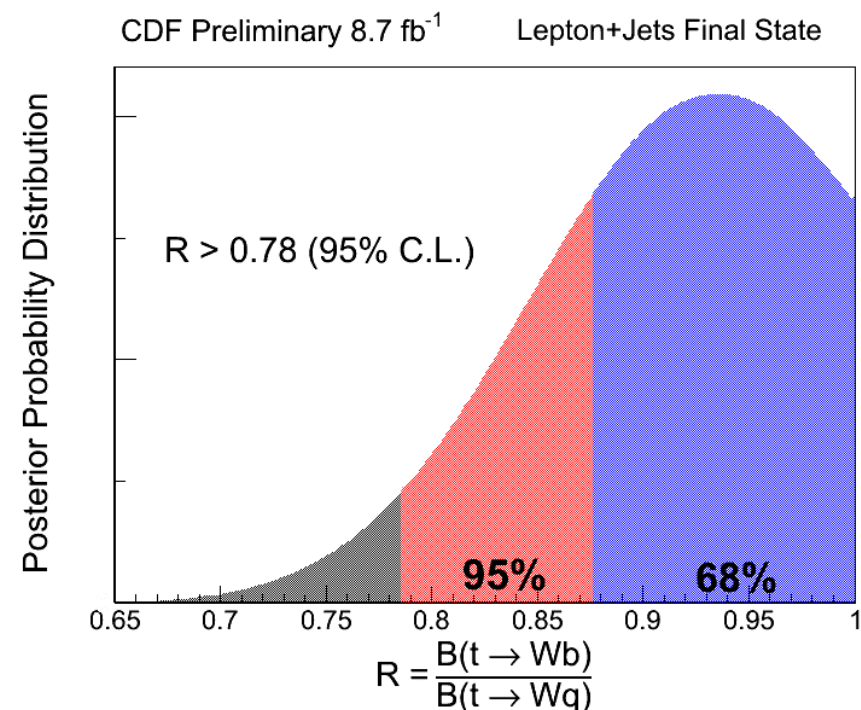
| Lepton+Jets, 1b Tag |            | CDF Preliminary 8.7fb <sup>-1</sup> |             |
|---------------------|------------|-------------------------------------|-------------|
| Process             | 3 Jets     | 4 Jets                              | ≥5 Jets     |
| $t\bar{t}$          | 800 ± 67   | 777 ± 64                            | 260 ± 21    |
| S <sub>Top</sub> S  | 30 ± 2     | 6.5 ± 0.5                           | 1.5 ± 0.1   |
| S <sub>Top</sub> T  | 48 ± 5     | 10 ± 1                              | 2.1 ± 0.2   |
| WW                  | 33 ± 4     | 8 ± 1                               | 2.4 ± 0.3   |
| WZ                  | 9.9 ± 0.9  | 1.9 ± 0.2                           | 0.6 ± 0.1   |
| ZZ                  | 1.8 ± 0.2  | 0.46 ± 0.04                         | 0.12 ± 0.01 |
| Z+jets              | 31 ± 3     | 9.1 ± 0.9                           | 2 ± 0.2     |
| W+bb                | 291 ± 118  | 74 ± 30                             | 17 ± 7      |
| W+cc                | 167 ± 68   | 47 ± 20                             | 12 ± 5      |
| W+c                 | 87 ± 35    | 17 ± 7                              | 4 ± 2       |
| Mistags             | 303 ± 42   | 74 ± 14                             | 17 ± 6      |
| Non-W               | 125 ± 50   | 35 ± 29                             | 10 ± 9      |
| Total Prediction    | 1928 ± 243 | 1061 ± 93                           | 330 ± 28    |
| Observed            | 1844       | 1088                                | 339         |

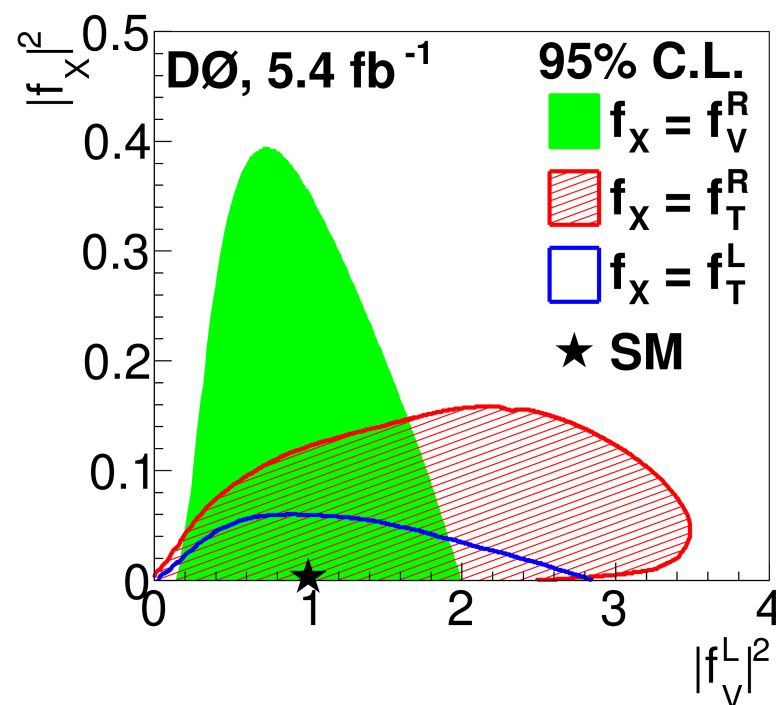
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| Process             | 3 Jets    | 4 Jets                              | ≥5 Jets     |
| $t\bar{t}$          | 216 ± 30  | 271 ± 36                            | 97 ± 13     |
| S <sub>Top</sub> S  | 9 ± 1     | 2.0 ± 0.3                           | 0.47 ± 0.06 |
| S <sub>Top</sub> T  | 9 ± 1     | 2.7 ± 0.4                           | 0.60 ± 0.09 |
| WW                  | 0.9 ± 0.2 | 0.5 ± 0.1                           | 0.22 ± 0.04 |
| WZ                  | 1.8 ± 0.3 | 0.27 ± 0.04                         | 0.07 ± 0.01 |
| ZZ                  | 0.4 ± 0.1 | 0.14 ± 0.02                         | 0.01 ± 0.00 |
| Z+jets              | 2.1 ± 0.2 | 0.77 ± 0.08                         | 0.29 ± 0.03 |
| W+bb                | 48 ± 20   | 14 ± 6                              | 4 ± 2       |
| W+cc                | 5 ± 2     | 2 ± 1                               | 0.8 ± 0.4   |
| W+c                 | 3 ± 1     | 0.8 ± 0.4                           | 0.2 ± 0.1   |
| Mistags             | 5 ± 1     | 1.7 ± 0.4                           | 0.6 ± 0.2   |
| Non-W               | 6 ± 3     | 0.1 ± 1.5                           | 0.1 ± 1.5   |
| Total Prediction    | 306 ± 40  | 296 ± 38                            | 104 ± 13    |
| Observed            | 275       | 273                                 | 126         |



| Lepton + Jets            |                                                         |                                                         | CDF Preliminary 8.7 fb <sup>-1</sup> |  |
|--------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|
| Source                   | $+\delta\sigma_{p\bar{p} \rightarrow t\bar{t}}$<br>(pb) | $-\delta\sigma_{p\bar{p} \rightarrow t\bar{t}}$<br>(pb) |                                      |  |
| Statistical              | 0.29                                                    | -0.29                                                   |                                      |  |
| Jet Energy Scale         | 0.46                                                    | -0.41                                                   |                                      |  |
| ISR/FSR                  | 0.22                                                    | -0.21                                                   |                                      |  |
| Luminosity               | 0.44                                                    | -0.39                                                   |                                      |  |
| Background Normalization | 0.78                                                    | -0.66                                                   |                                      |  |
| Top Mass                 | 0.33                                                    | -0.32                                                   |                                      |  |
| Others                   | 0.18                                                    | -0.15                                                   |                                      |  |
| Squared Sum              | 1.08                                                    | -0.96                                                   |                                      |  |

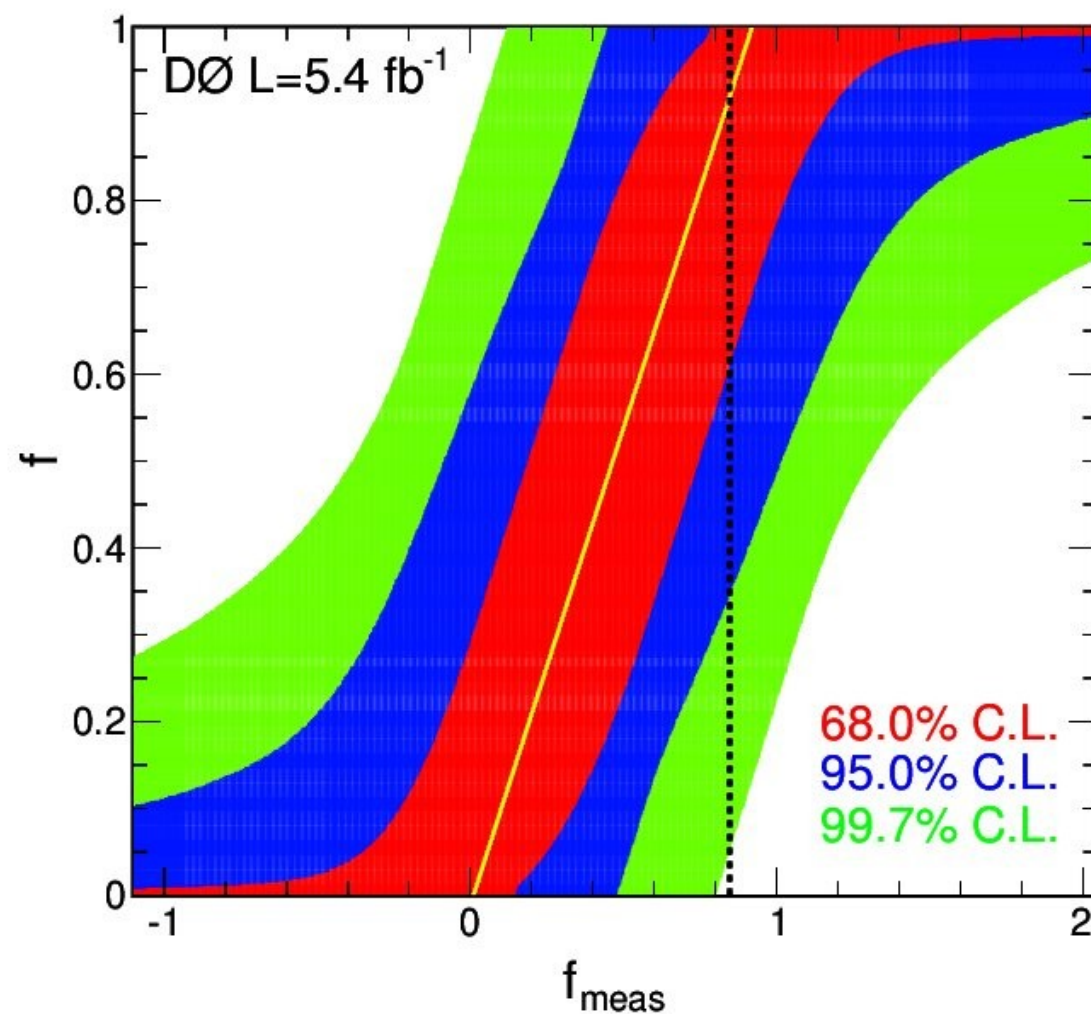
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|--------------------------|-------------|-------------|--------------------------------------|--|
| Source                   | $+\delta R$ | $-\delta R$ |                                      |  |
| Statistical              | 0.043       | -0.043      |                                      |  |
| Jet Energy Scale         | 0.016       | -0.019      |                                      |  |
| ISR/FSR                  | 0.006       | -0.006      |                                      |  |
| $b$ -tagging             | 0.078       | -0.073      |                                      |  |
| Background Normalization | 0.056       | -0.052      |                                      |  |
| Others                   | 0.005       | -0.005      |                                      |  |
| Squared Sum              | 0.098       | -0.092      |                                      |  |

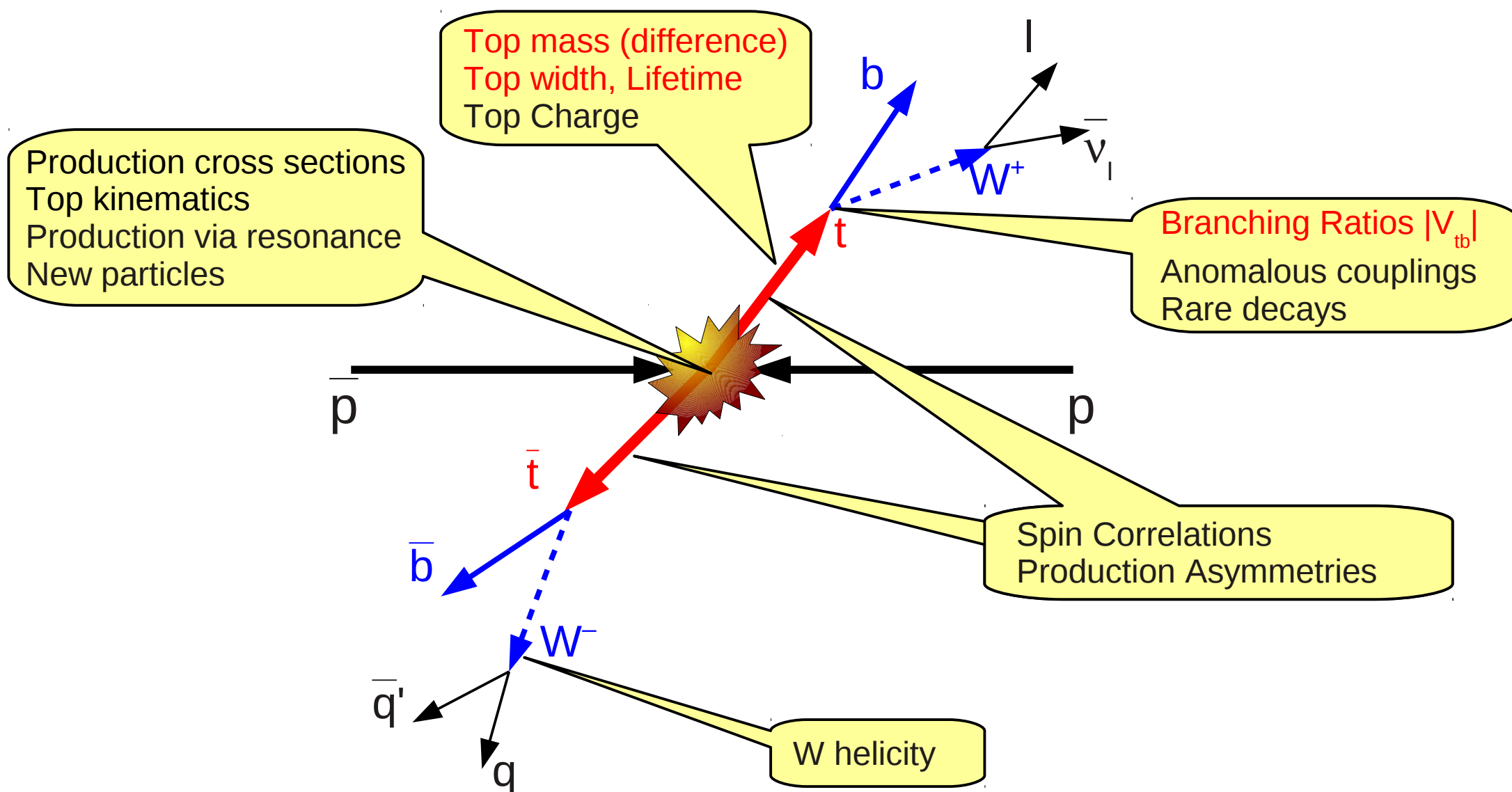




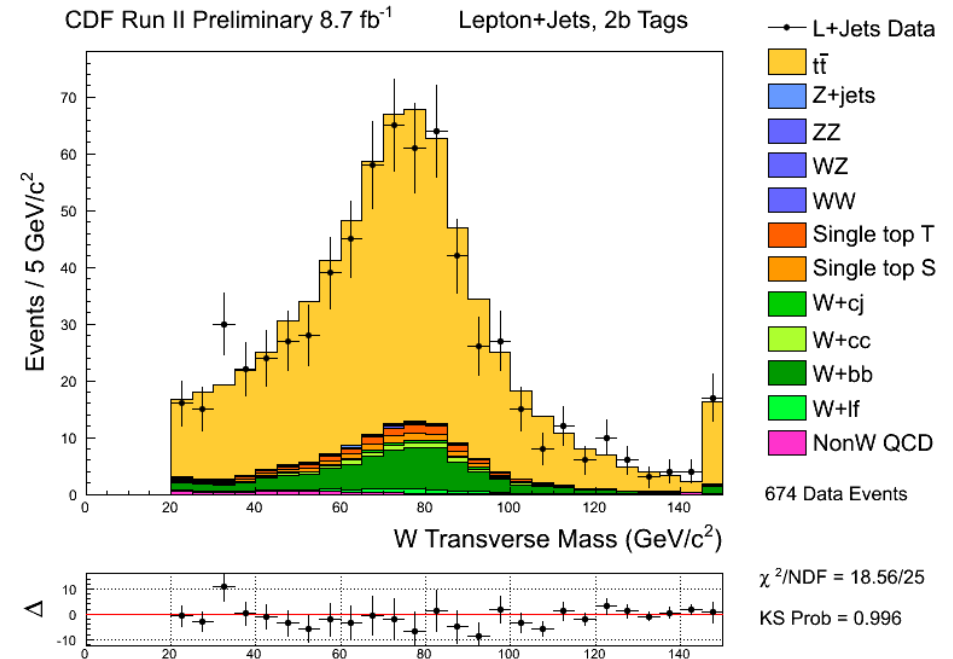
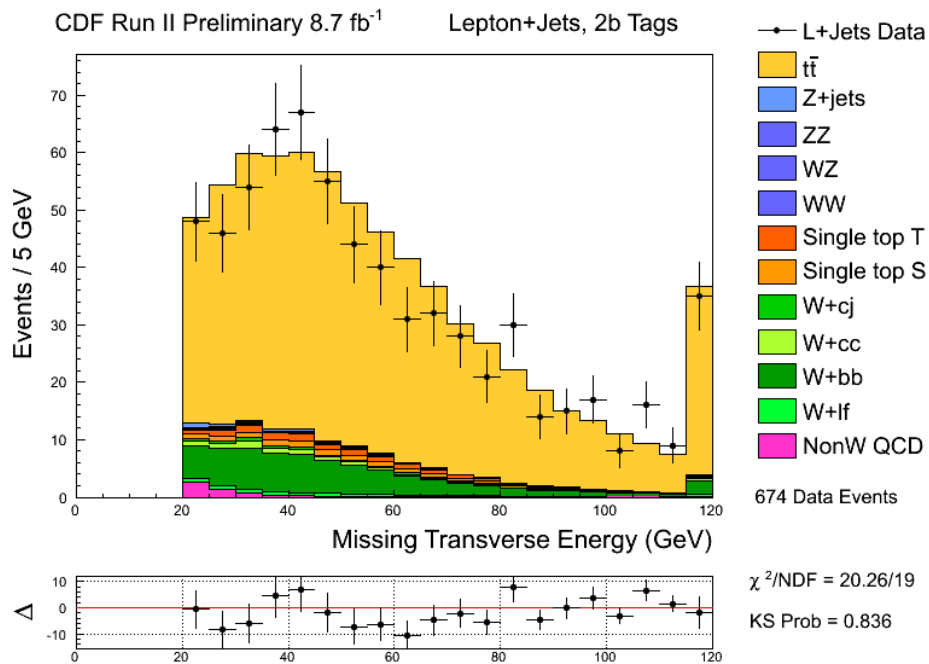


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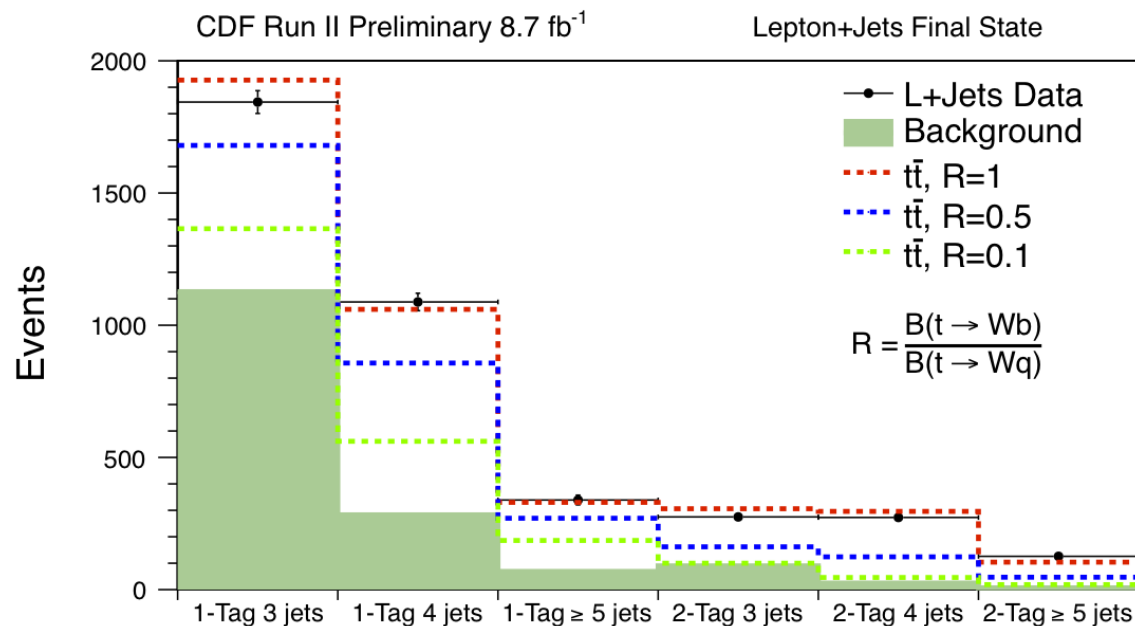




- Use lepton+jets  $t\bar{t}$  selection with:  $\geq 3$  jets, exactly one, two b-tag and  $\cancel{E}_T$
- Uses full CDF RunII data sample !
- Example control distribution shown for 2  $b$ -tags – nicely described

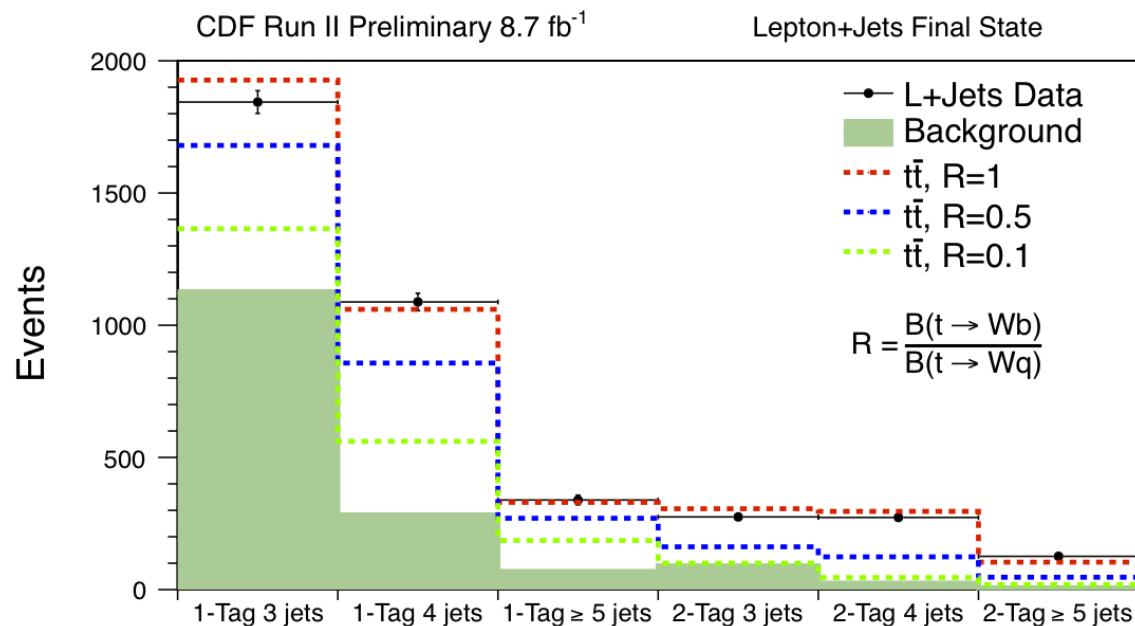


- Measure  $R = \frac{\mathcal{B}(t \rightarrow Wb)}{\mathcal{B}(t \rightarrow Wq)}$  from different jet and  $b$ -tag bins



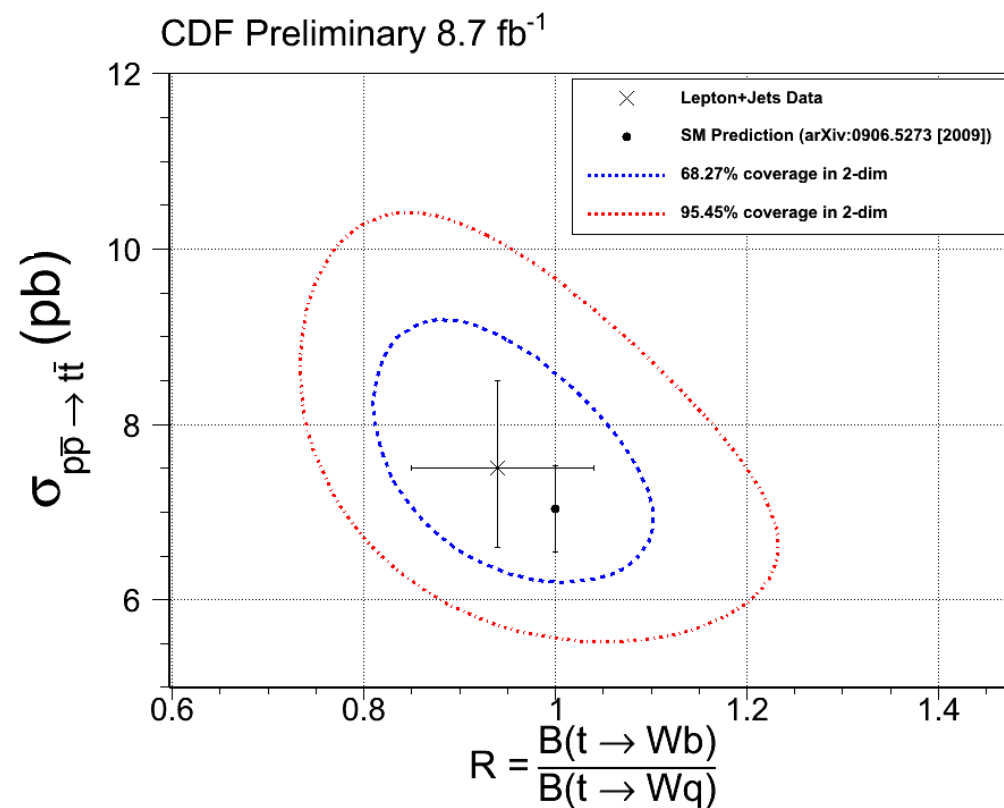
- Distribution shows example values of  $R$
- Simultaneous negative log-likelihood fit to  $R$  and  $\sigma(pp \rightarrow t\bar{t})$ :

$$\mathcal{L} = \prod_i \mathcal{P}(\mu_{exp}^i(R, \sigma_{pp \rightarrow t\bar{t}}, x_j) | N_{obs}^i) \prod_j G(x_j | 0, 1)$$



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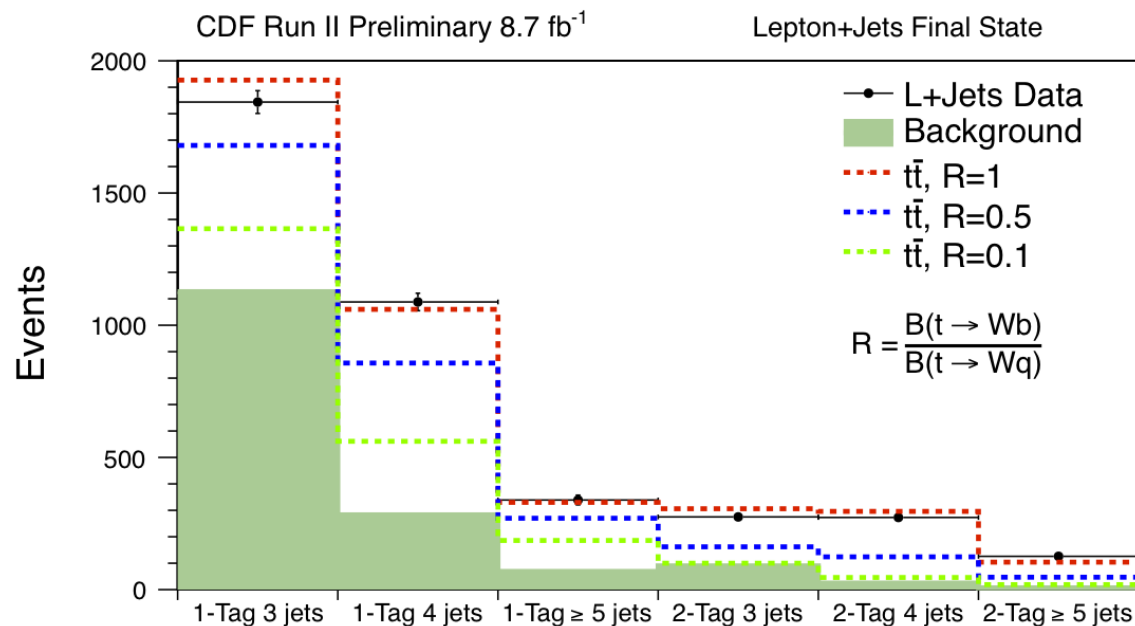
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Value (stat+syst)

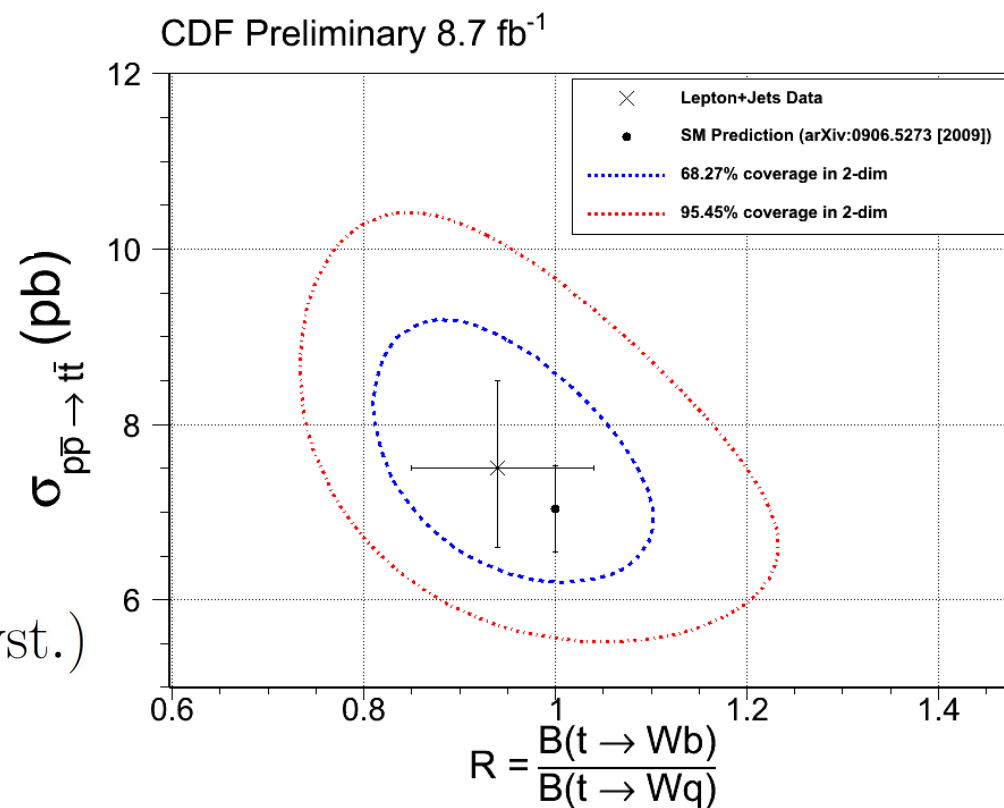
|                                               |                 |
|-----------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| $\sigma_{p\bar{p} \rightarrow t\bar{t}}$ (pb) | $7.5 \pm 1.0$   |
| $R$                                           | $0.94 \pm 0.09$ |
| $ V_{tb} $                                    | $0.97 \pm 0.05$ |

- Assume 3 Generations and Unitarity



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• D0:  $R = \frac{\mathcal{B}(t \rightarrow Wb)}{\mathcal{B}(t \rightarrow Wq)} = 0.90 \pm 0.04$  (stat. + syst.)

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• CMS:  $0.98 \pm 0.04$  (TOP-11-029)

• Results agrees with other measurements and SM expectation



- Fundamental property of the top quark:

$$\Gamma_t \text{ and lifetime } \tau_t = 1/\Gamma_t$$

- Total width:

$$\Gamma_t = \frac{\Gamma(t \rightarrow Wb)}{\mathcal{B}(t \rightarrow Wb)}$$

Use t-channel single top cross section measurement

BR measured using  $t\bar{t}$  decays



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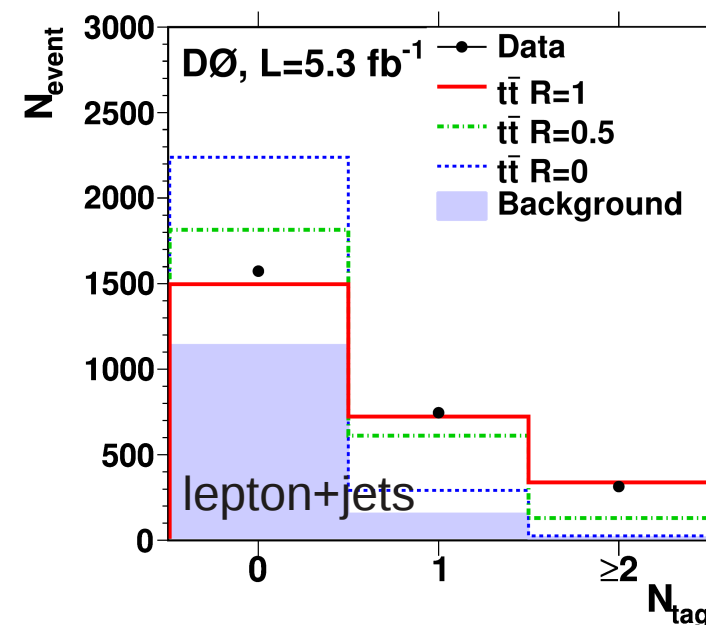
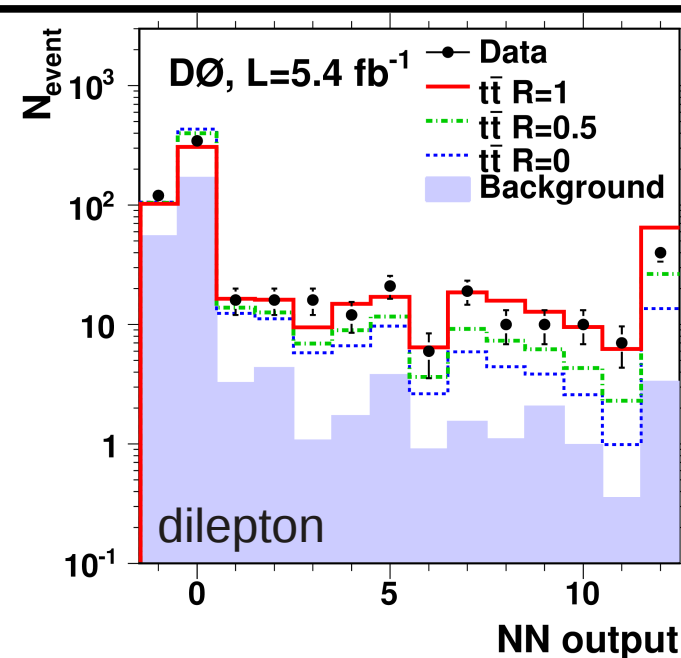
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Use t-channel single top  
cross section measurement  
PLB 705, 313 (2011)

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PRL 107, 121802 (2011)

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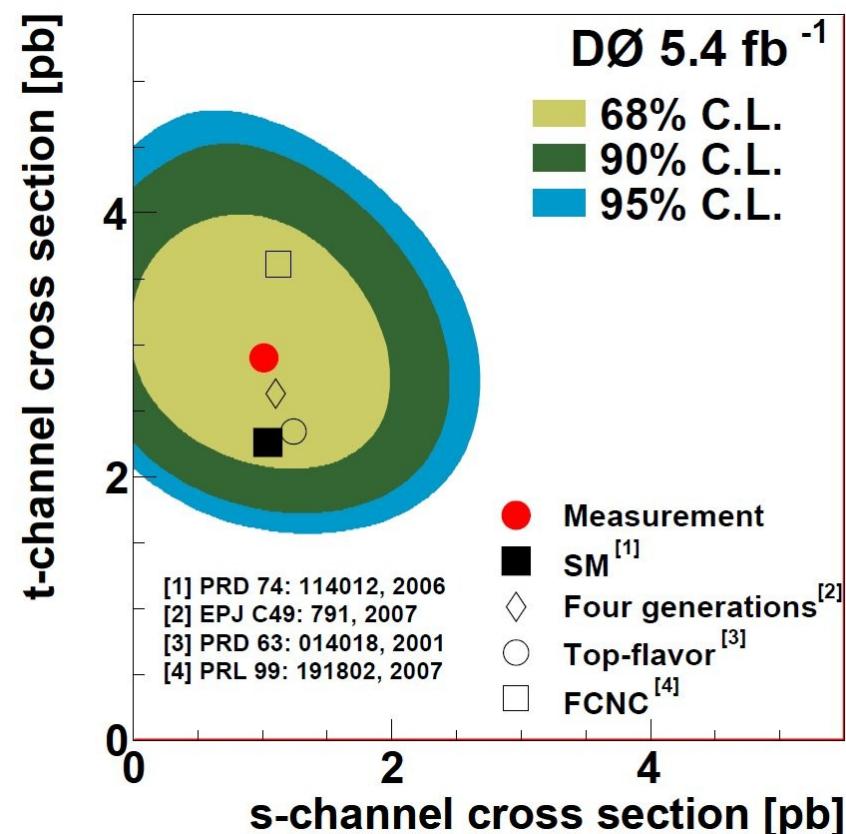
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- Result of t-channel single top cross section measurement:

$$\rightarrow \sigma(p\bar{p} \rightarrow tqb + X) = 2.90 \pm 0.59 \text{ (stat + syst) pb}$$

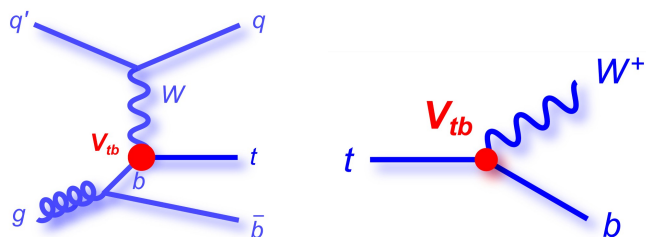




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- Total width:  $\Gamma_t = \frac{\Gamma(t \rightarrow Wb)}{\mathcal{B}(t \rightarrow Wb)}$  From t-channel single top cross section measurement  
BR measured using  $t\bar{t}$  decays
- Assume same coupling in production and decay:

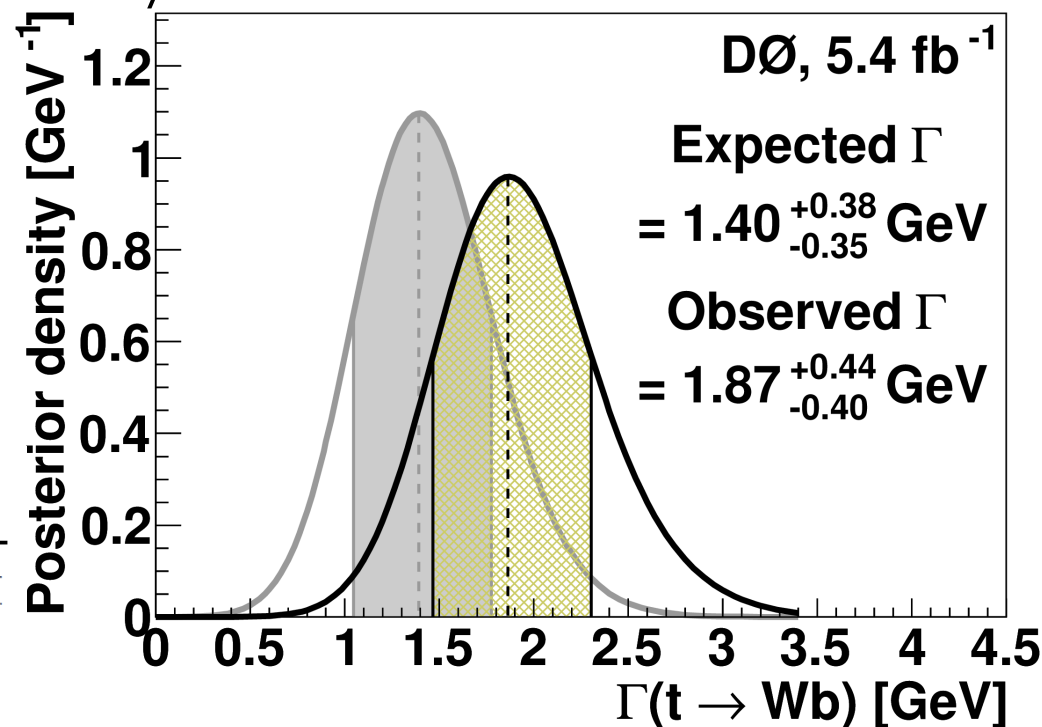


- Extract partial decay width from:

Only SM processes: 1.33 GeV

$$\Gamma(t \rightarrow Wb) = \sigma(t\text{-channel})_{m(t)=172.5 \text{ GeV}} \frac{\Gamma(t \rightarrow Wb)_{\text{SM}}}{\sigma(t\text{-channel})_{\text{SM}}}$$

$2.14 \pm 0.18 \text{ pb} \rightarrow \sigma(t\text{-channel})_{\text{SM}}$

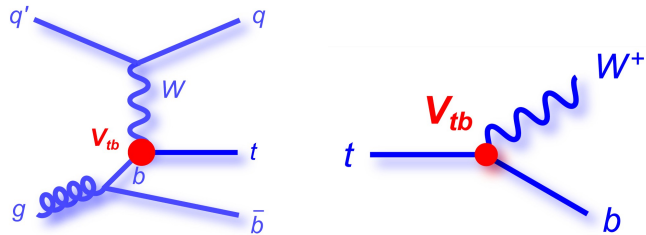




# Width of the Top Quark

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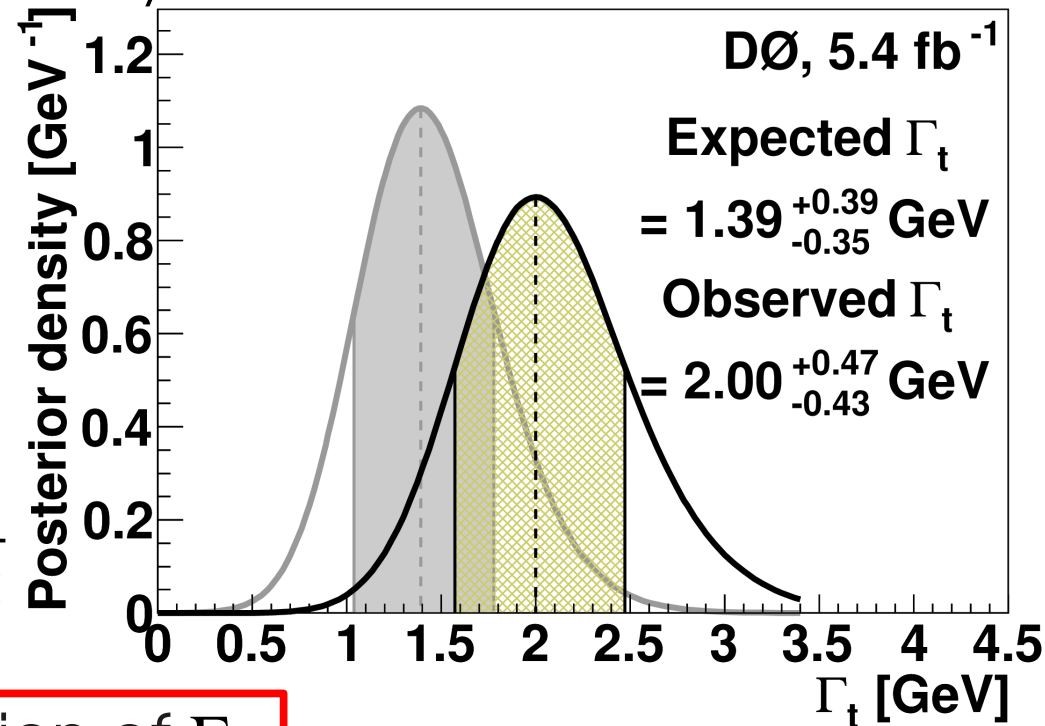
- Total width:  $\Gamma_t = \frac{\Gamma(t \rightarrow Wb)}{\mathcal{B}(t \rightarrow Wb)}$  From t-channel single top cross section measurement  
BR measured using  $t\bar{t}$  decays
- Assume same coupling in production and decay:



- Extract partial decay width from:

Only SM processes: 1.33 GeV

$$\Gamma(t \rightarrow Wb) = \sigma(t\text{-channel})_{m(t)=172.5 \text{ GeV}} \frac{\Gamma(t \rightarrow Wb)_{\text{SM}}}{\sigma(t\text{-channel})_{\text{SM}}} = 2.14 \pm 0.18 \text{ pb}$$



→ Most precise (indirect) determination of  $\Gamma_t$ :

$$\Gamma_t = 2.00 \pm_{0.42}^{0.47} \text{ GeV} \rightarrow \tau_t = 3.29 \pm_{0.63}^{0.90} \cdot 10^{-25} \text{ s}$$

CDF (direct measurement from reconstructed mass distribution):

$$\Gamma_t < 7.6 \text{ GeV @95\% C.L. PRL 105 232003}$$



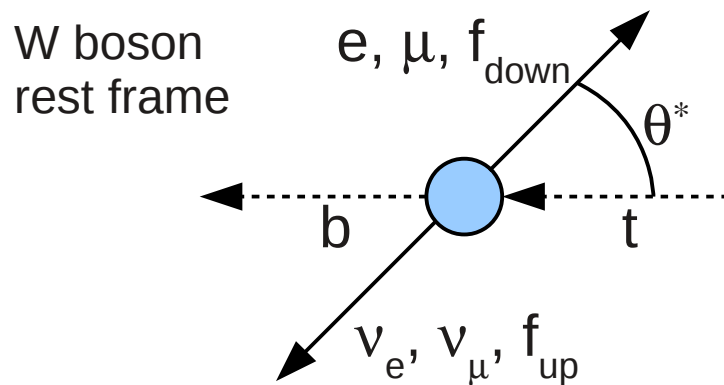


# *W helicity*



- Experimental precision not good enough → no strong constraint for left-handed and longitudinal case, but tiny prediction for right-handed helicity state → contributions due to new physics ?
- Direct test of the “V – A” nature of weak interaction

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| <p>Left handed<br/><math>\lambda = -1</math></p> <p><math>f_- = \frac{\Gamma(t \rightarrow W_- b)}{\Gamma(t \rightarrow W b)}</math></p> <p>SM: 30.3%</p>  | <p>Longitudinal<br/><math>\lambda = 0</math></p> <p><math>f_0 = \frac{\Gamma(t \rightarrow W_0 b)}{\Gamma(t \rightarrow W b)}</math></p> <p>SM: 69.6%</p>  | <p>Right handed<br/><math>\lambda = 1</math></p> <p><math>f_+ = \frac{\Gamma(t \rightarrow W_+ b)}{\Gamma(t \rightarrow W b)}</math></p> <p>SM: 0.1%</p>  |
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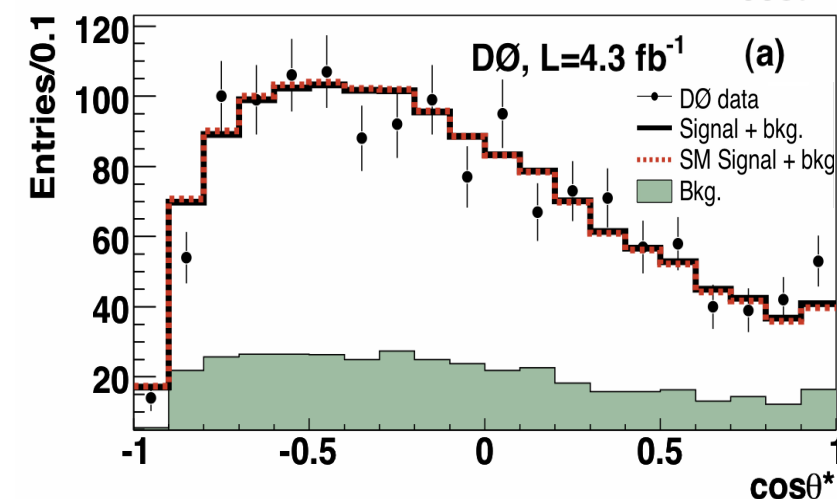
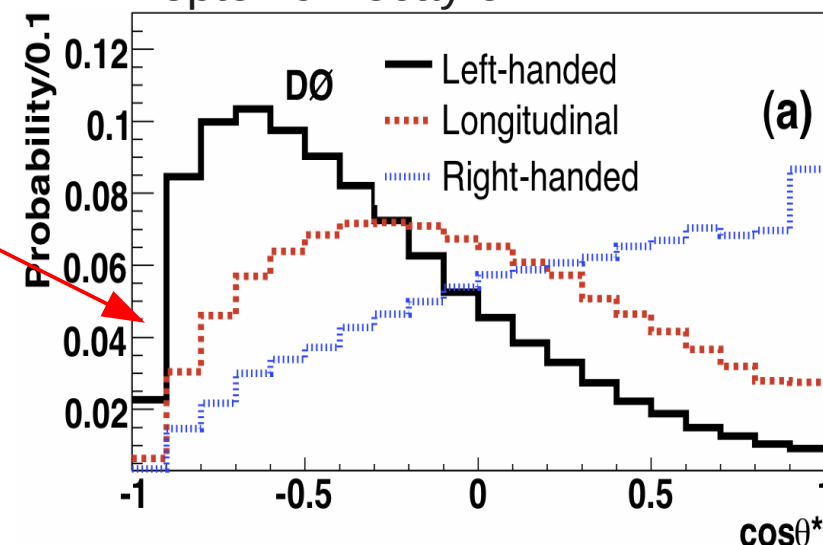
# *W helicity*



- Direct test of the “V – A” nature of weak interaction
- Use  $\cos(\theta^*)$  to distinguish between helicity states
- Fit templates to  $f_x$  distributions

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Leptonic Decay of W:



→ Result consistent with SM:

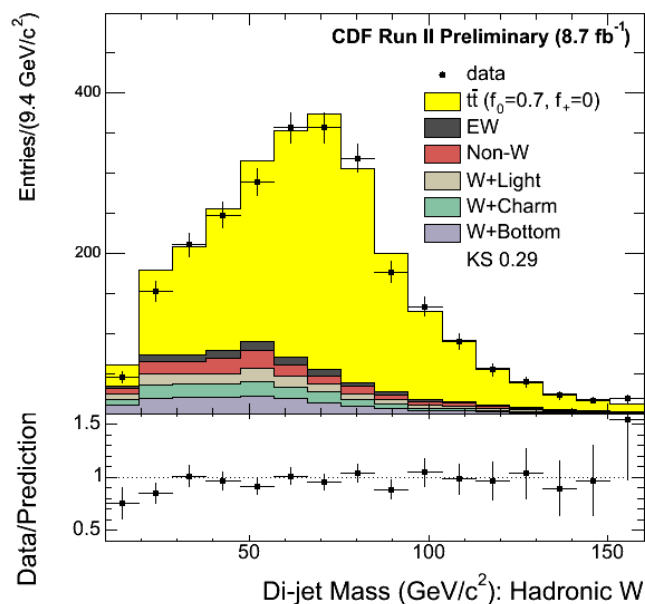
$$f_0 = 0.669 \pm 0.078 \text{ (stat.)} \pm 0.065 \text{ (syst.)}$$

$$f_+ = 0.023 \pm 0.041 \text{ (stat.)} \pm 0.034 \text{ (syst.)}$$

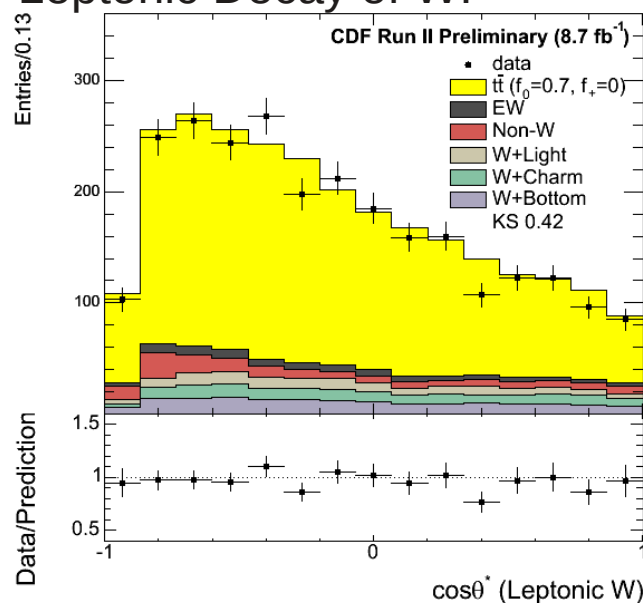


- Use matrix element approach for W helicity measurement
- Calculates an event probability based on the best jet-parton assignments:

Hadronic Decay of W:



Leptonic Decay of W:



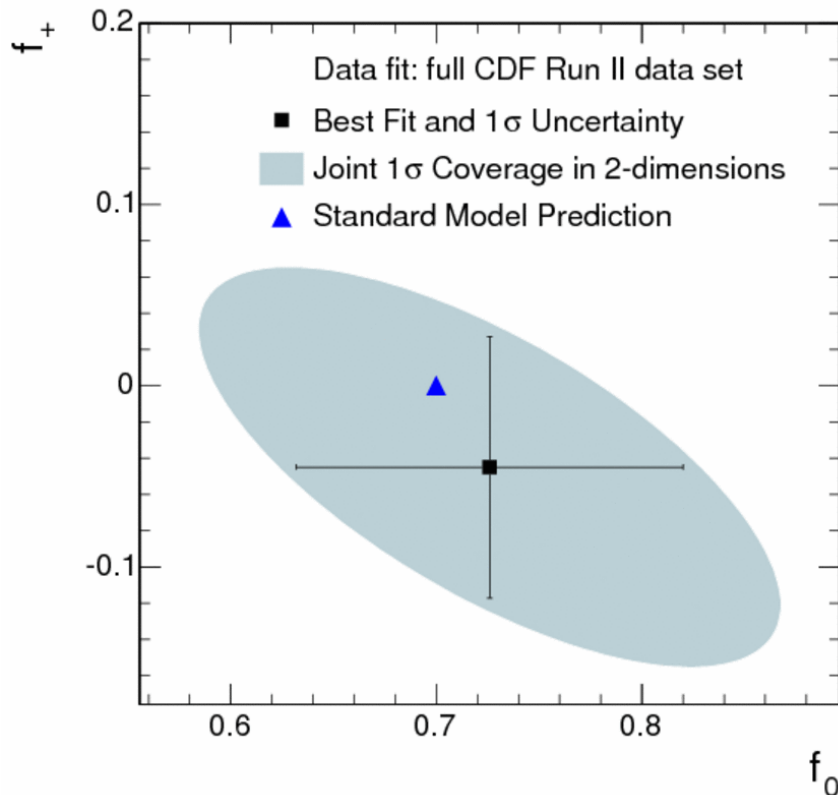
- ME likelihood is not full answer:
  - Only leading order (missing diagrams)
  - Events w/o correct assignment → Calibrate using ensemble tests



# *W helicity*



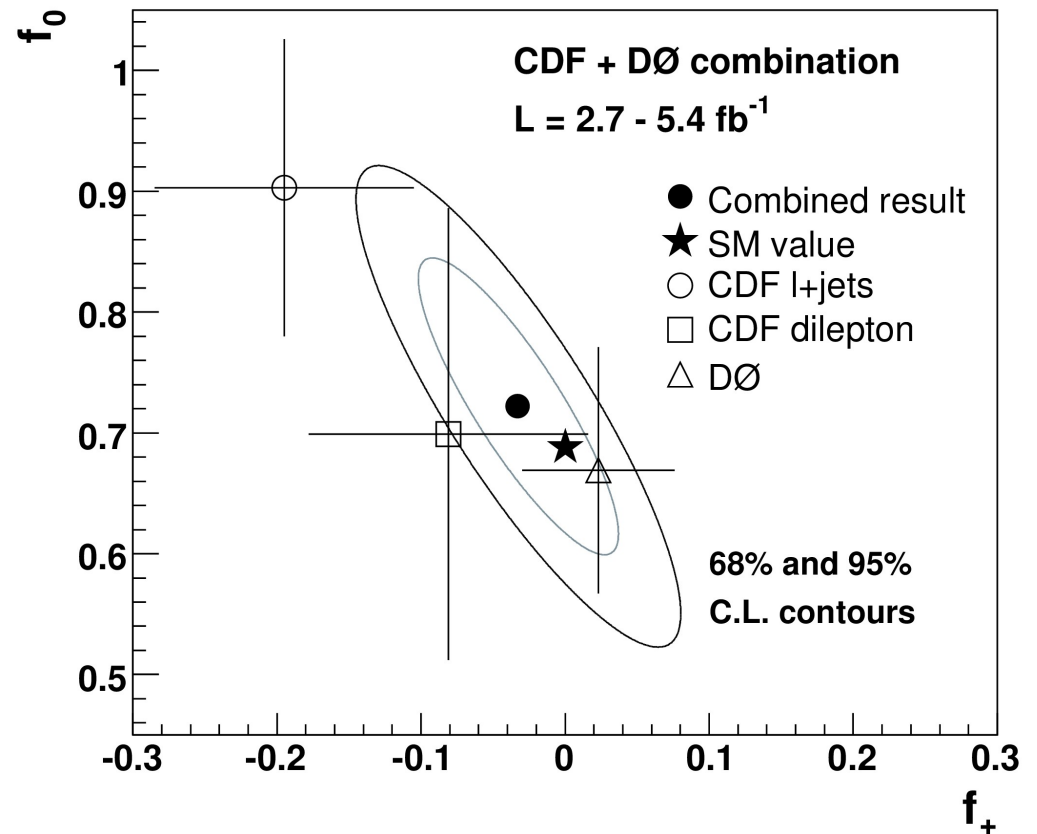
- Use matrix element approach for W helicity measurement



→ Result consistent with SM:

$$f_0 = 0.726 \pm 0.066 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.067 \text{ (syst)}$$

$$f_+ = -0.045 \pm 0.043 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.058 \text{ (syst)}$$



$$f_0 = 0.683 \pm 0.042 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.040 \text{ (syst)}$$

$$f_+ = -0.025 \pm 0.024 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.040 \text{ (syst)}$$

other fixed to SM

