

# Unfolding in ATLAS $t\bar{t}$ +jets.

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- > Measure jet multiplicity in semi-leptonic  $t\bar{t}$  events ( $e$ +jets and  $\mu$ +jets) with a number of jet  $p_T$  thresholds: 25, 40, 60, and 80 GeV.
- > Measured up to 8 jets (inclusive).
- > Motivation: Constrain radiation, test pQCD, understand background for many searches.
- > Reco-level plots were compared with data in [ATLAS-CONF-2011-142](#) (2011,  $0.70 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ ).
- > Present measurement fully unfolded to particle level in fiducial region using full 2011 data set ( $4.7 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ ).  
CONF note from last November: [ATLAS-CONF-2012-155](#)
- > Paper on the way.

> Standard top-group semi-leptonic selections, with some exceptions (marked in red below):

- Electron (20 and 22 GeV) or muon (18 GeV) trigger.
- Electron  $|\eta| < 2.47$ ,  
excluding  $1.37 < |\eta| < 1.52$
- Muon  $|\eta| < 2.5$
- Exactly one lepton with  $p_T > 25$  GeV. No other lepton with  $p_T > 15$  GeV.
- $\geq 3$  jets with  $p_T > 25$  (40, 60, 80) GeV (EM+JES calibration) and  $|JVF| > 0.75$
- $E_T^{\text{miss}} > 30$  GeV
- $m_T(W) > 35$  GeV in both channels
- $\geq 1$   $b$ -tagged jets (MV1@60%)  
with  $p_T > 25$  GeV

> Particle level selection, used for unfolding. Closely matched to reco-level acceptance:

- Electron  
(dressed with photons in  $\Delta R < 0.1$ )  
 $|\eta| < 2.47$ ,  
excluding  $1.37 < |\eta| < 1.52$
- Muon  $|\eta| < 2.5$
- Exactly one lepton with  $p_T > 25$  GeV. No other lepton with  $p_T > 15$  GeV.
- $\geq 3$  jets with  $p_{T,\text{truth}} > 25$  GeV
- $E_T^{\text{miss}} > 25$  GeV
- $m_T(W) > 35$  GeV in both channels
- $\geq 1$  jet with a  $p_T > 5$  GeV  $b$ -hadron within  $\Delta R < 0.3$
- Electrons, muons, neutrinos matched to  $W$ s.

$$f_{\text{part!reco}} \mathbf{M}_{\text{part}}^{\text{reco}} f_{\text{reco!part}} f_{\text{accept}} (1 - f_{\text{bgnd}}) N^{\text{reco}}(n_{\text{jets}}^{\text{reco}}).$$

Arrows from the equation components point to the following descriptions:

- $f_{\text{part!reco}}$ : Events failing jet multiplicity requirement at reco level, but passing at particle level. Function of  $n_{\text{jets\_part}}$
- $\mathbf{M}_{\text{part}}^{\text{reco}}$ : Unfolding matrix. Applied through iterative Bayesian method
- $f_{\text{reco!part}}$ : Events failing jet multiplicity requirement at particle level, but passing at reco level. Function of  $n_{\text{jets\_reco}}$
- $f_{\text{accept}}$ : Acceptance: All selection efficiencies except jet multiplicity, function of  $n_{\text{jets\_reco}}$
- $(1 - f_{\text{bgnd}})$ : Background subtraction

## > Uncertainties propagated through unfolding using pseudo-experiments:

- Statistical uncertainty on unfolding factors
- Background estimation
- Reconstruction efficiencies
- Generator bias
- ISR/FSR from ALPGEN+PYTHIA  $\alpha_s$  variations.

# Derivation of correction factors

## >f\_bgnd

- QCD data-driven
- W+jets semi-data-driven
- Z+jets, single top, di-bosons from Monte Carlo

## >f\_accpt

- from Monte Carlo
- Various selection efficiencies measured in data (b-tagging, lepton id, trigger...). MC re-scaled to match data.
- 1.8-1.9 for electron channel and 1.4-1.5 for muon channel.

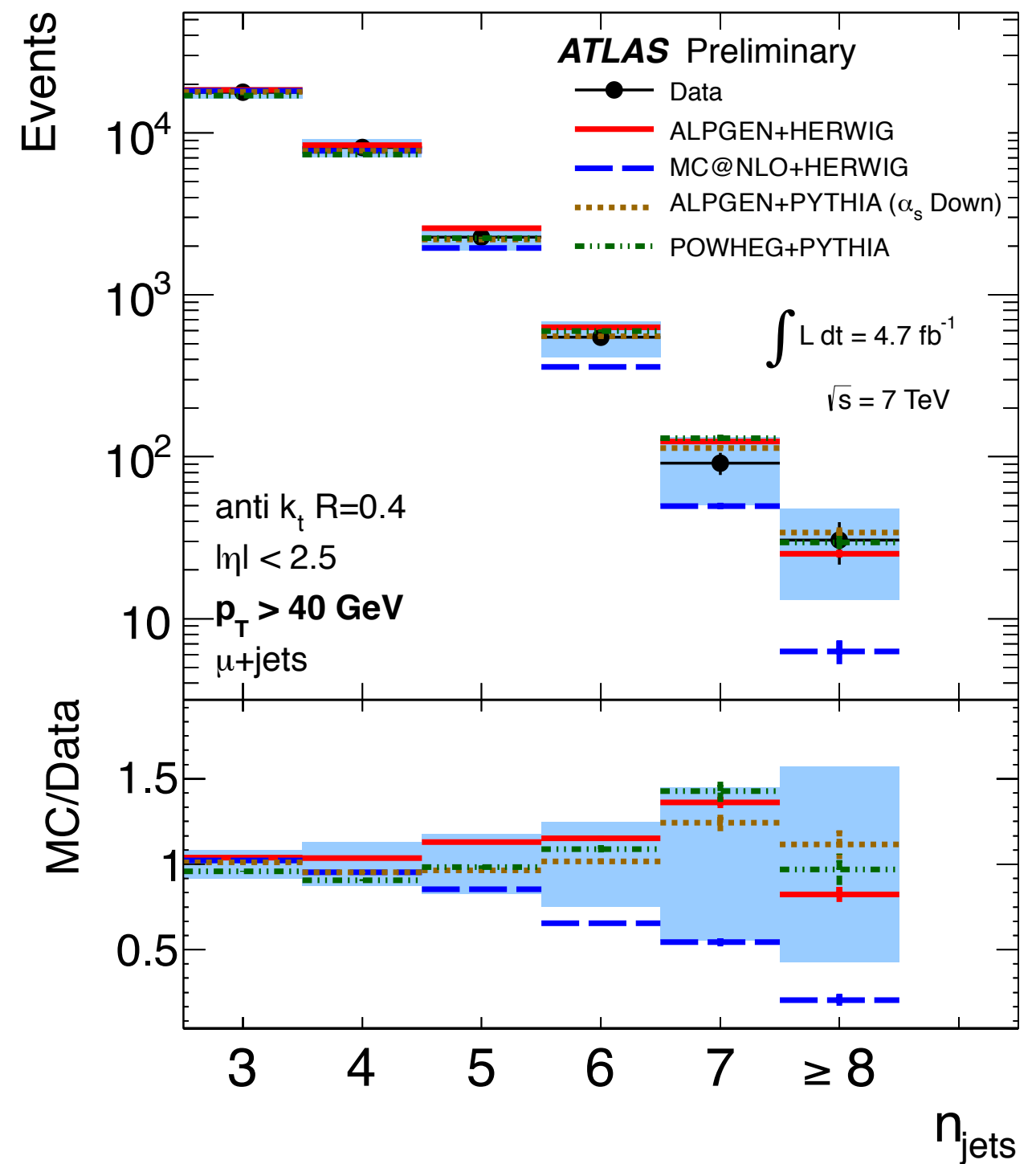
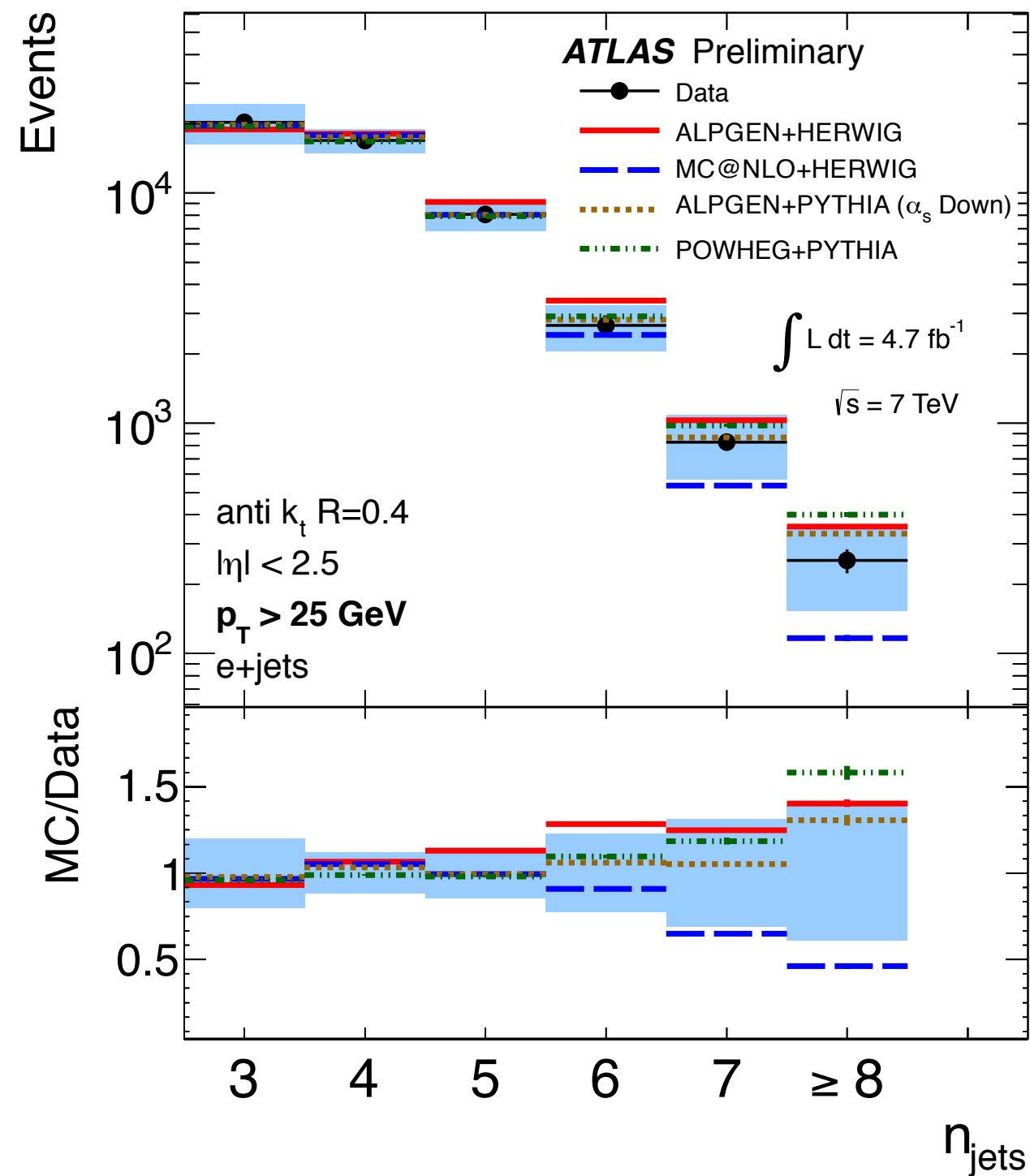
## >f\_rnp : from Monte Carlo

## >M: From Monte Carlo.

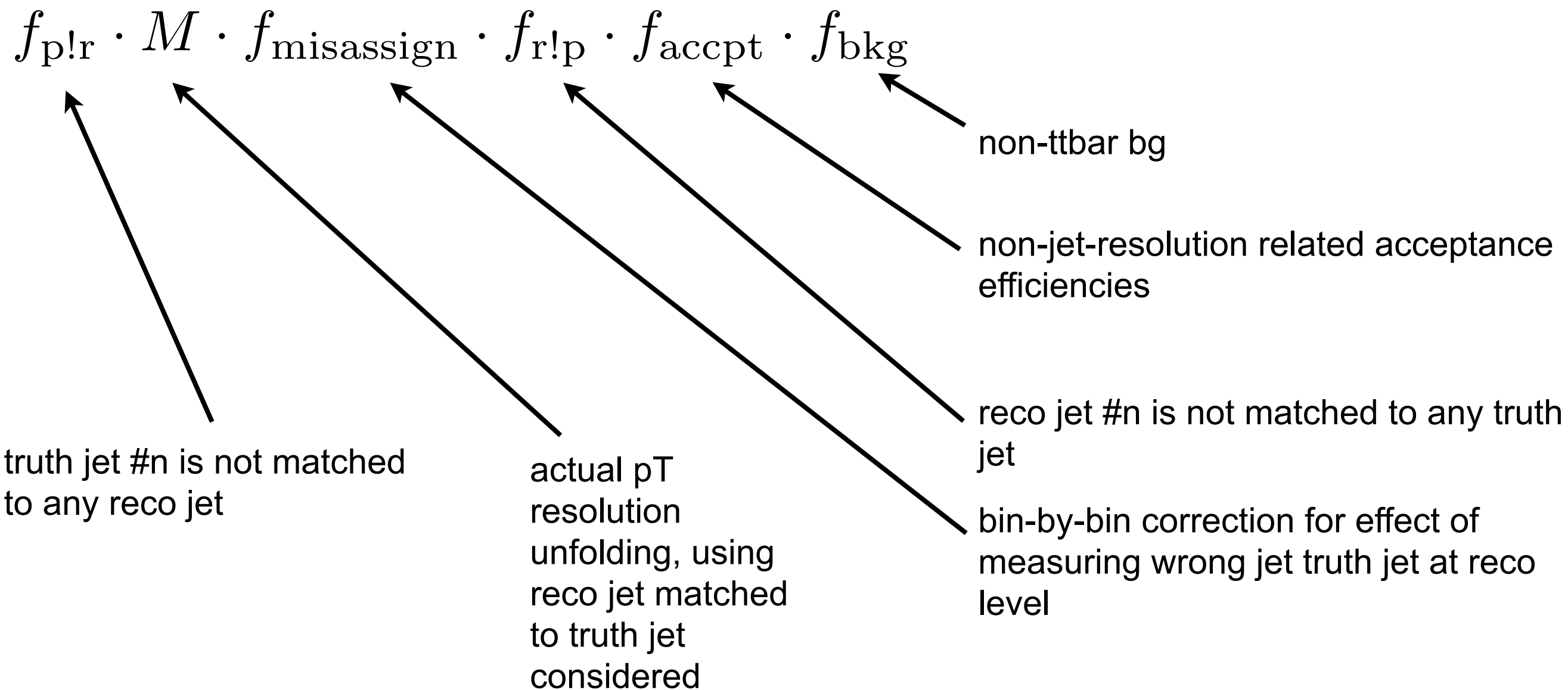
## >f\_pnr

- from Monte Carlo
- extrapolating from probability of measuring 3 jets at reco level, given 4 particle jets.

# Unfolded distributions, example



# Unfolding ansatz for pT of jet #n



> Under study.



# BACKUP