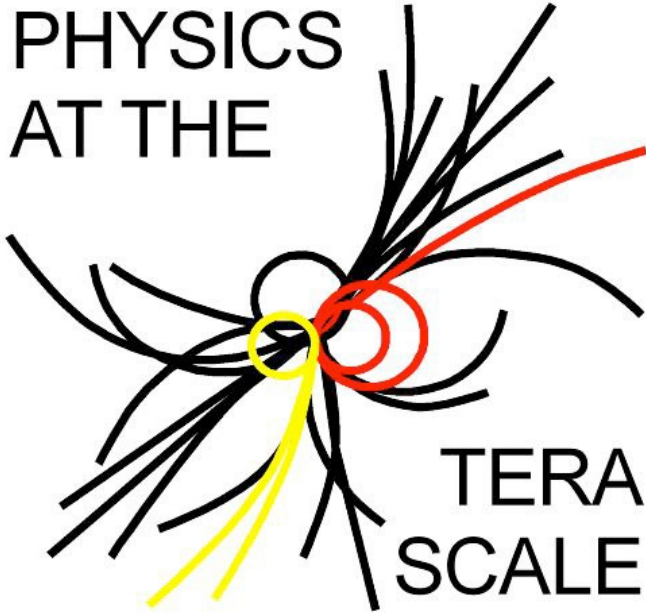


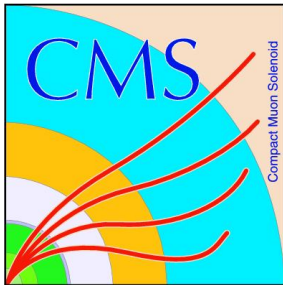
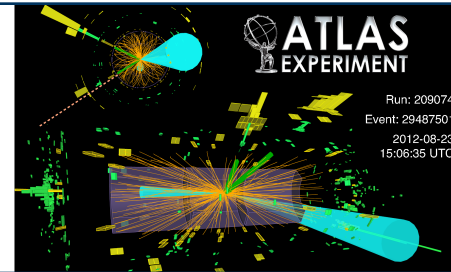
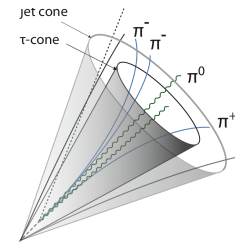
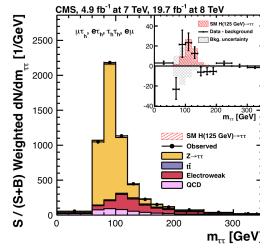
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$\tau\tau$ WG Report



Jürgen Kroseberg

(Physikalisches Institut der Universität Bonn)

on behalf of the group



- original “mission statement”:

Development and verification of algorithms related to $\tau\tau$ final states, especially via **exchange of analysis concepts** and experiences **between ATLAS and CMS**, and via **dialogue with theorists**, e.g. about theoretical uncertainties. This **encompasses all physics channels involving $\tau\tau$ mass** distributions, like SM $Z \rightarrow \tau\tau$, SUSY $h/H/A \rightarrow \tau\tau$ or $m_{\tau\tau}$ endpoints in SUSY cascades.

- have been dynamically adjusting scope (see below)

- typically **two-day workshops twice per year** (13 so far)
- since 2012 chaired by A. Raspereza (CMS) + J.K. (ATLAS)
- typically **20-30 participants**
- typically **2 invited speakers from outside Germany**, thus fostering exchange with growing pool of external experts
- **previous workshops** at Dresden, Göttingen (2x), Bonn (2x), KIT, Mainz, Munich, Freiburg, Wuppertal, Würzburg
- **this year:** 2 workshops at DESY

- try not to duplicate other meetings; be pragmatic
- focus on **informal discussions** between ATLAS+CMS (and increasingly between theory+experiment again)

24 participants from 10 institutes

Welcome	RASPEREZA, Alexei	CP Properties of Higgs in tautau Channel	BERGE, Stefan
Seminar Room 3, DESY	14:30 - 14:40	Seminar Room 1b, DESY	09:30 - 10:10
ATLAS Physics News	LAI, Stan	Simulating Taus and the Higgs CP at CMS	NUGENT, Ian
Seminar Room 3, DESY	14:40 - 15:00	Seminar Room 1b, DESY	10:10 - 10:30
CMS Physics News	RASPEREZA, Alexei	TauSpinner studies	BANERJEE, Swagato
Seminar Room 3, DESY	15:00 - 15:20	Seminar Room 1b, DESY	10:30 - 10:50
Coffee break		Discussion	
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Tau Id Developments in CMS	VEELKEN, Christian	Coffee break	
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Tau Id Developments in ATLAS	YUEN, Stephanie	Embedding in CMS	BURGMEIER, Armin
Seminar Room 3, DESY	16:10 - 16:40	Seminar Room 1b, DESY	11:30 - 11:50
The di-tau Mass Reconstruction in CMS	VEELKEN, Christian	Embedding in ATLAS	LIEBAL, Jessica
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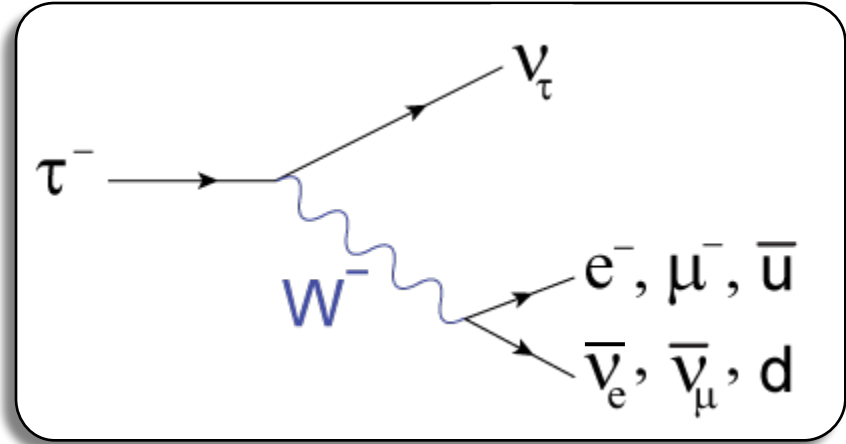
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28 participants from 11 institutes

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CMS tautau Physics News <i>SR 1, DESY</i>	<i>GILBERT, Andrew</i> 14:40 - 15:00	ATLAS Tau Reco/ID for Run2 <i>SR 1, DESY</i>	<i>WINTER, Benedict</i> 09:45 - 10:10
ATLAS tautau Physics News <i>SR 1, DESY</i>	<i>SCHILLO, Christian</i> 15:00 - 15:20	Tau Track Reconstruction with ATLAS <i>SR 1, DESY</i>	<i>DUSCHINGER, Dirk</i> 10:10 - 10:30
Status of ATLAS H⁺->tau Searches <i>SR 1, DESY</i>	<i>KOPP, Anna</i> 15:20 - 15:40	CMS Tau Reco/ID for Run2 <i>SR 1, DESY</i>	<i>VEELKEN, Christian</i> 10:30 - 11:00
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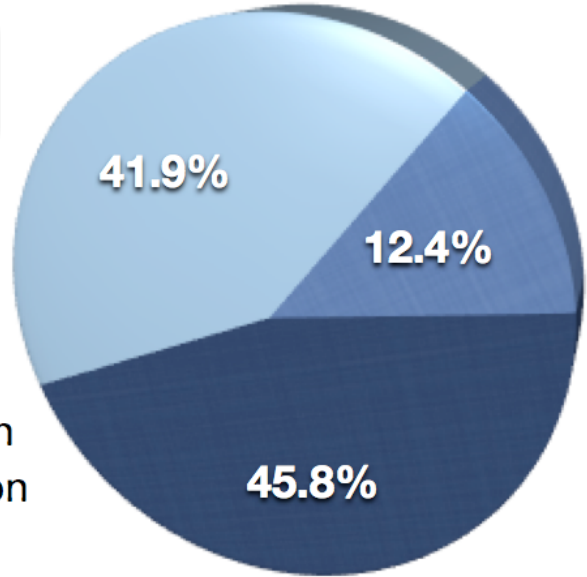
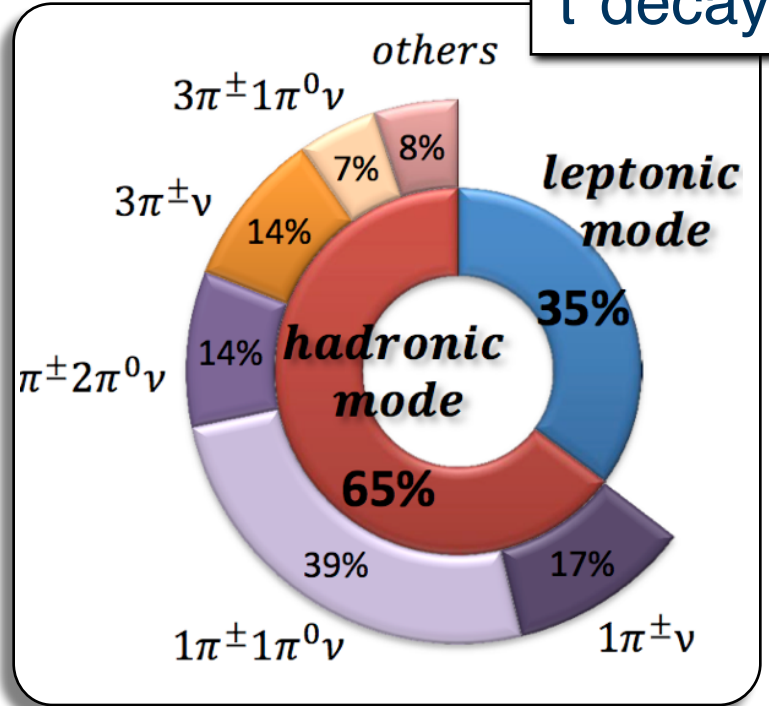
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- **Mass:** $m_\tau \approx 1.8 \text{ GeV}$
- **Lifetime** $\approx 300 \text{ fs}$
- **Decay length** $\approx 87 \mu\text{m}$

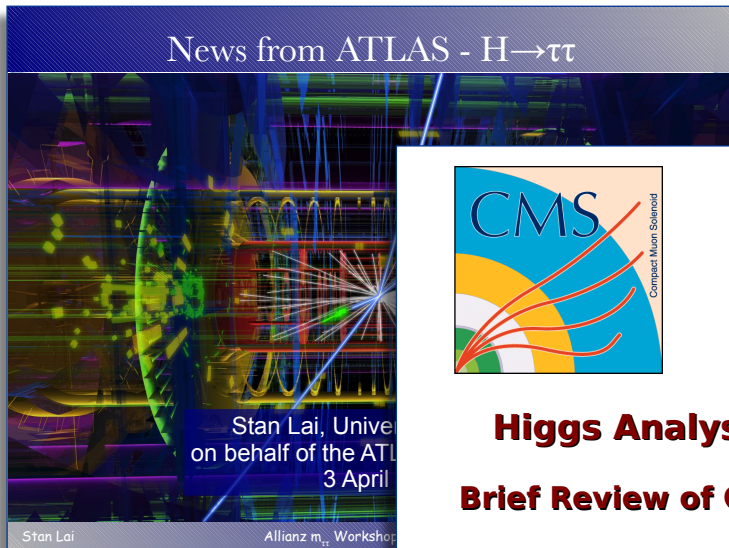
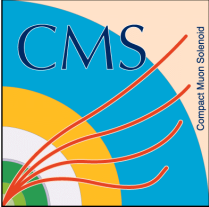



τ decays

$\tau\tau$ decays



- not the focus of the group
- still, reviewing and discussing recent conference results and papers has become a regular and productive ingredient

Higgs Analyses Involving Taus
Brief Review of CMS Results and Plans

A. Raspereza (DESY)
HATauTau Workshop, DESY Hamburg
April 3rd 2014

- Evidence for SM $H \rightarrow \tau\tau$
- Final run1 MSSM Higgs $\rightarrow \tau\tau$ limits
- $Z' \rightarrow \tau\tau$ limits
- Search for LFV Higgs decays
- $H^+ \rightarrow \tau\nu$ limits
- ...

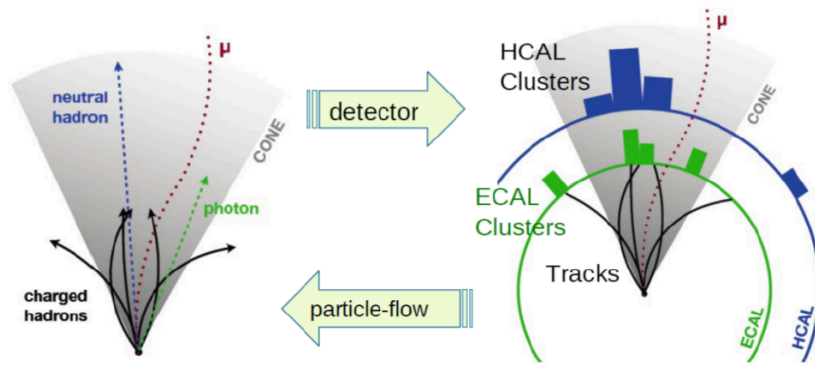
- similar function as “collider cross talks” at CERN in (even) more informal setting

- establish inclusive **5σ signal**
- optimise for maximal impact in combined **coupling analysis**
- establish signals for **individual production mechanisms** ([VBF], VH, ttH)
- fiducial/**differential measurements**
- **Polarisation/Spin/CP**
- (re-)connect to **BSM** aspect (Higgs portal etc)
- ...
- also **single-tau program**, e.g. $H^+ \rightarrow \tau\nu$

Particle Flow Algorithm

Consistent Interpretation of all detector Signal in terms of individual Particles:

- e, μ , photons, charged Hadrons, neutral Hadrons

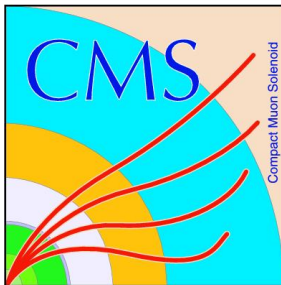


Higher level Objects are reconstructed using individual Particles as Input:

- τ_h , Jets (incl. b-tagging), E_T^{miss}
- Particle Isolation

Christian Veelken

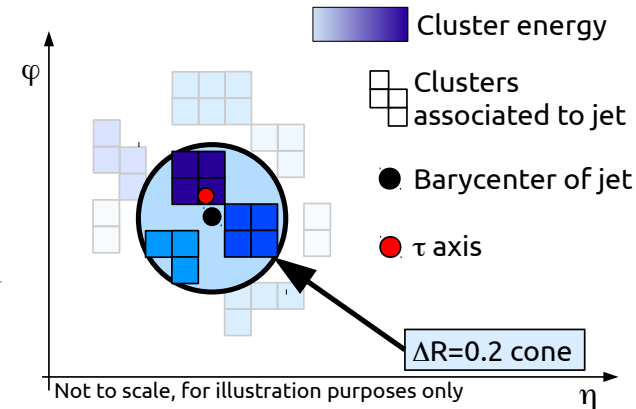
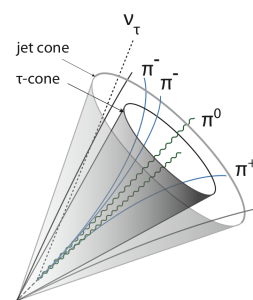
Tau ID in CMS



Reconstruction of τ leptons in ATLAS (7)

- Jet (anti-Kt, $R=0.4$) with $p_{T,\text{Calibrated}} > 10$ GeV \rightarrow use as τ candidate
- Use barycenter of clusters (cluster = set of calorimeter cells)
- Collect clusters within $\Delta R=0.2$ cone
- Recalculate cluster position wrt. Tau vertex
- "TJVA" \rightarrow backup

\rightarrow Tau axis



18th September, Tau 2014, Aachen, Germany

C. Limbach: Tau Reconstruction in ATLAS

Run 1

1-prong / 3-prong

Calorimeter 4-momentum

ID with basic substructure (no substr. online)

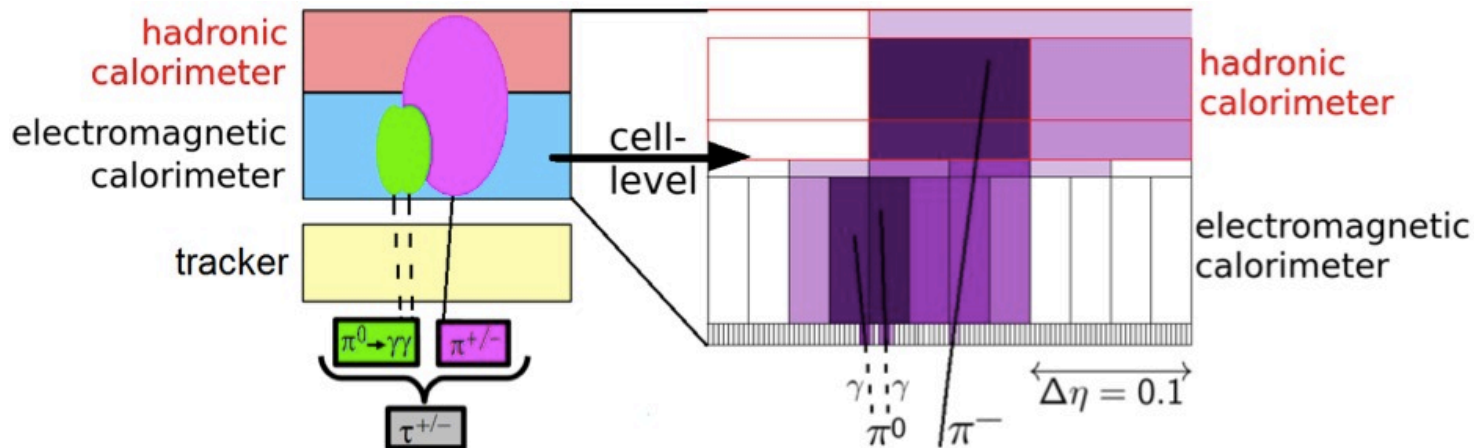
Run 2

1p0n / 1p1n / 1pXn / 3p0n / 3pXn

Calo / p-flow 4-momentum

ID with approx. substr. (on/offline harmony)

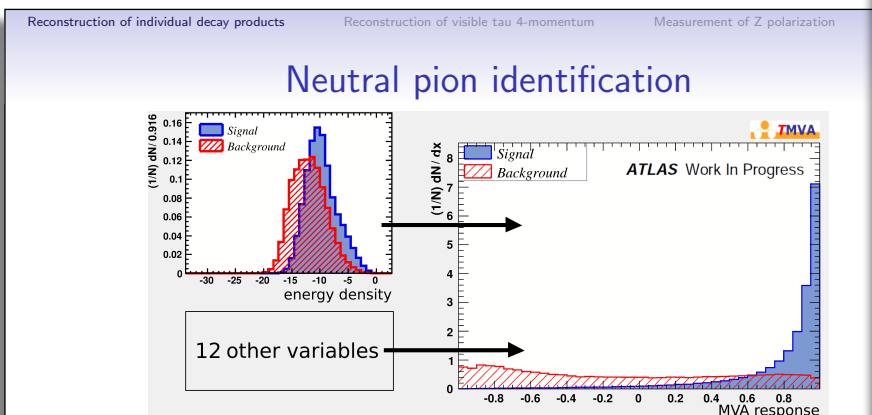
Access to pions



- also under **run2 conditions**
- also for **new features**:
substructure information
decay mode classification,
continuous tau ID
- also for additional/
specific applications
- also for **complex environments**

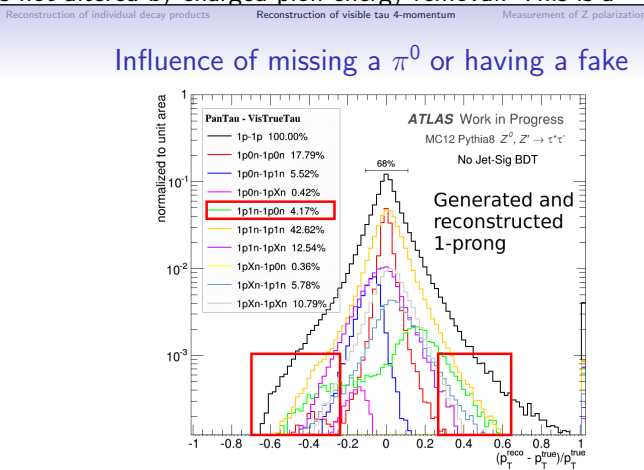
- **efficient** reconstruction & ID
- good **separation** from QCD jets, electrons (and muons)
- **precise** measurement of direction and energy (and thus of mass)
- good **control** of associated systematic uncertainties
- also other **related tools**:
MMC, TauSpinner, tau embedding, simulation, ...

e.g. ATLAS



- Determine quality (π^0 -likeness) of each neutral PFO by using a BDT. Exploit shape of neutral PFOs (=clusters), only. Preliminary π^0 -tagging
- Cluster shapes not altered by charged pion energy removal. This is a difference with other methods

- Disadvantage of removal of neutral pions
- Advantage of subtraction of neutral pions
- Advantage of reconstruction of neutral pions



- Strong contribution from generated 1p0n taus, which are reconstructed as 1p1n
- Call generated $\tau^\pm \rightarrow \pi^\pm K^0 \nu_\tau$ decays 1p0n in this plot

MVA-based identification of decay mode

Combine info calculated upstream for final identification of mode:

- 4-momenta of charged PFOs
- neutral PFOs quality and 4-momenta
- number of reconstructed photons

Mode	Nomenclature
$\tau^\pm \rightarrow \pi^\pm \nu_\tau$	1p0n
$\tau^\pm \rightarrow \pi^\pm \pi^0 \nu_\tau$	1p1n
$\tau^\pm \rightarrow \pi^\pm > 1\pi^0 \nu_\tau$	1pXn
$\tau^\pm \rightarrow 2\pi^\pm \nu_\tau$	2p0n

Variation of silicon hits requirement

- tested track association performance for varied silicon hits requirement
- not counted conversion tracks to observe, what best effect a dedicated conversion tagger could be achieved
- requirements on # silicon hits greater than 7, 8, 9 has shown to give best performances
- similar performance as applying run 1 selection on top of recommended working points

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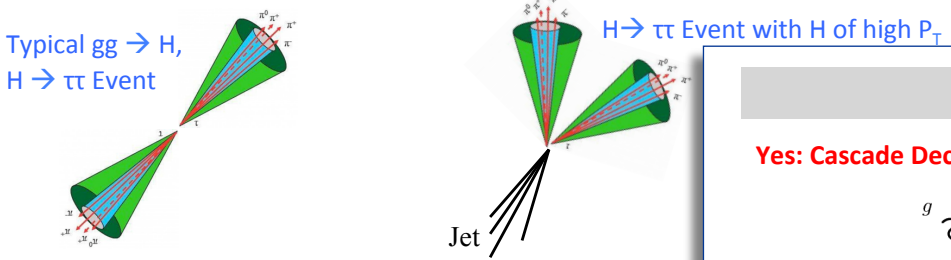
D. Duschinger

Boosted Taus

Isolation of τ_h is main handle to suppress large background arising from Jet $\rightarrow \tau_h$ fakes

- All CMS analyses with τ_h in the final state use isolation, either via the cut-based or the MVA Tau ID
- Crucial to maintain good τ_h isolation performance for all final state topologies

Angular Separation between Leptons is typically larger than size of isolation cones (currently 0.5 for τ_h , soon to be reduced to 0.4 to reduce PU effects)

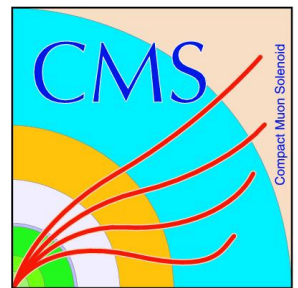


e.g. CMS

Are there cases when angular separation < size of isolation

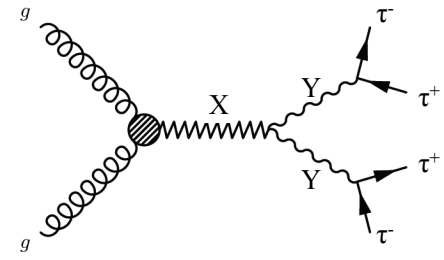
Christian Veelken Tau ID in CMS

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Boosted Taus (cont'd)

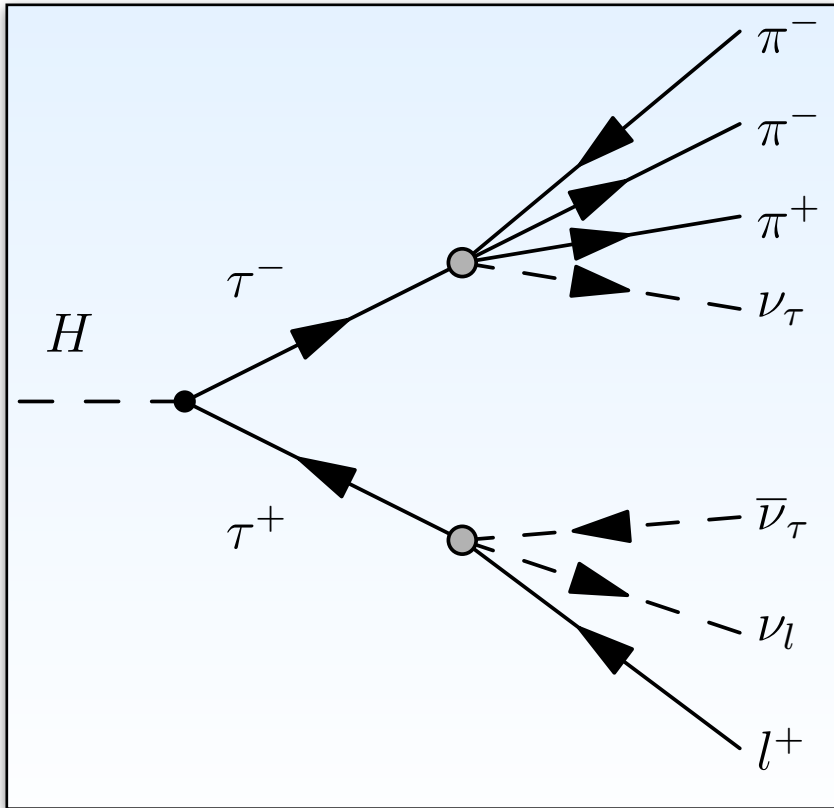
Yes: Cascade Decays of high Mass Resonances ($M_X \gg M_Y$)



- Angular separation between Electrons, Muons and Taus from Y Decay approximately $\Delta R = \frac{2.0 \cdot M_Y}{P_T^Y}$, $P_T^Y \approx \frac{M_X}{2}$
- Efficiency of "standard" Lepton Isolation decreases significantly when $P_T^Y > 5.0 \cdot M_Y$ or equivalently $M_X > 10 \cdot M_Y$

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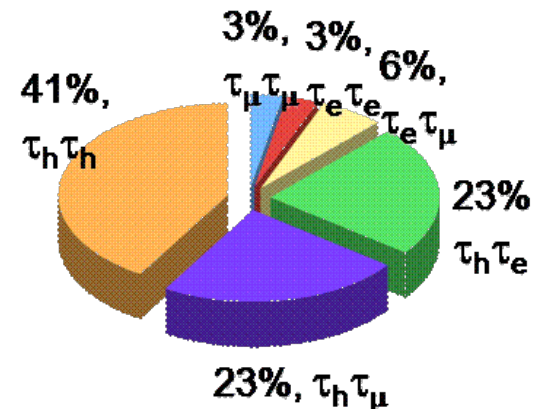
Tau ID in CMS



(could) use

- visible momenta
- missing momentum
- secondary vertex information
- tau mass constraints
- other features of decay kinematics, spin correlations, ...

- reconstruct resonance over large BG from **under-constrained system**, mainly based on events with additional jets



SVfit Algorithm

$M_{\tau\tau}$ Solutions obtained by finding Maximum of Probability density:

$$\frac{dL(M_{\tau\tau})}{dM_{\tau\tau}} = \int_{\Omega} \frac{df(\mathbf{x}_u|\mathbf{x}_m)}{d\mathbf{x}_u} \delta(M_{\tau\tau} - M_{\tau\tau}(\mathbf{x}_u, \mathbf{x}_m)) d\mathbf{x}_u$$

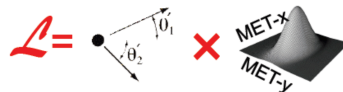
Histogram

\mathbf{x}_u : unknown Variables θ^* , ϕ^* , m_w

\mathbf{x}_m : measured Observables E_x^{miss} , E_y^{miss} ; Momenta of visible τ Decay products

Likelihood function f incorporates our Knowledge about:

- τ Decay Kinematics
- Experimental Resolution on E_x^{miss} , E_y^{miss}

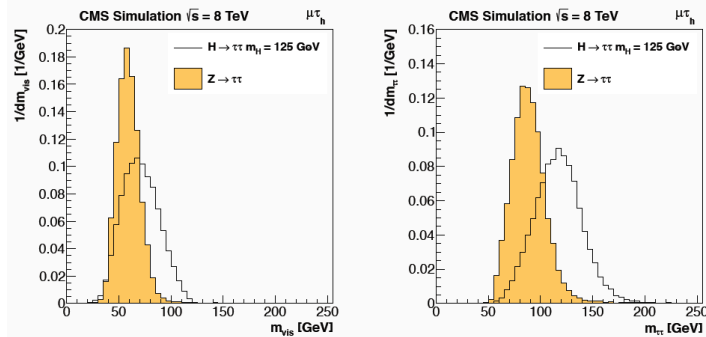


Integral over Likelihood function is computed numerically.

2 Methods implemented in SVFit:

- Adaptive Integration (VEGAS, part of GNU Scientific Library)
- Markov Chain (custom Implementation in SVfit)

Performance in CMS $H \rightarrow \tau\tau$ Analysis



- SVfit improves Separation between $H \rightarrow \tau\tau$ Signal and irreducible $Z \rightarrow \tau\tau$ Background
- Reducible Backgrounds W +Jets, QCD, $t\bar{t}$ approximately flat
 → Effective Background Contribution decreases if Higgs Signal concentrated in narrow Mass window

ATLAS: missing mass calculator (**MMC**)

CMS: **SVfit**

future:

- reconsider / **tune** algorithms for **specific uses**
- tune for broader **use beyond mass reconstruction**
- neutrino reconstruction?
- use in polarisation-related analyses
- use of **substructure** decay classification?

e.g. $t\bar{t}H \rightarrow \tau\tau$

Kinematically constraining $t\bar{t}H(\tau\tau)$ events

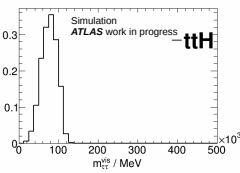
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$m_{\tau\tau}$ workshop

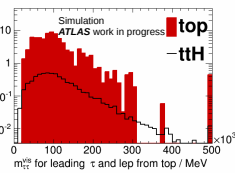
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Mass of $\tau\tau$ -system in 2 l , 1 τ_{had} channel

l and τ truth matched to Higgs



l truth matched to $t\bar{t}$, leading τ



Ideal identification of the systems \rightarrow promising mass resolution and shape separation

Leading p_T τ is from H
Identifying lepton not
"Simple" criteria (e.g. jet) found not to work

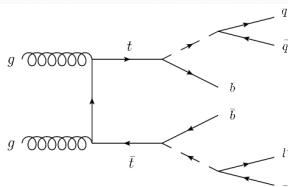
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Kinematic fit of $t\bar{t} \rightarrow l + jets$

KLFilter:

"A likelihood-based reconstruction algorithm for top-quark pairs and the KLFilter framework" - Erdmann, Johannes et al. arXiv:1312.5595

Example: Single lepton $t\bar{t}$ decay



Aim: Associate jets with partons

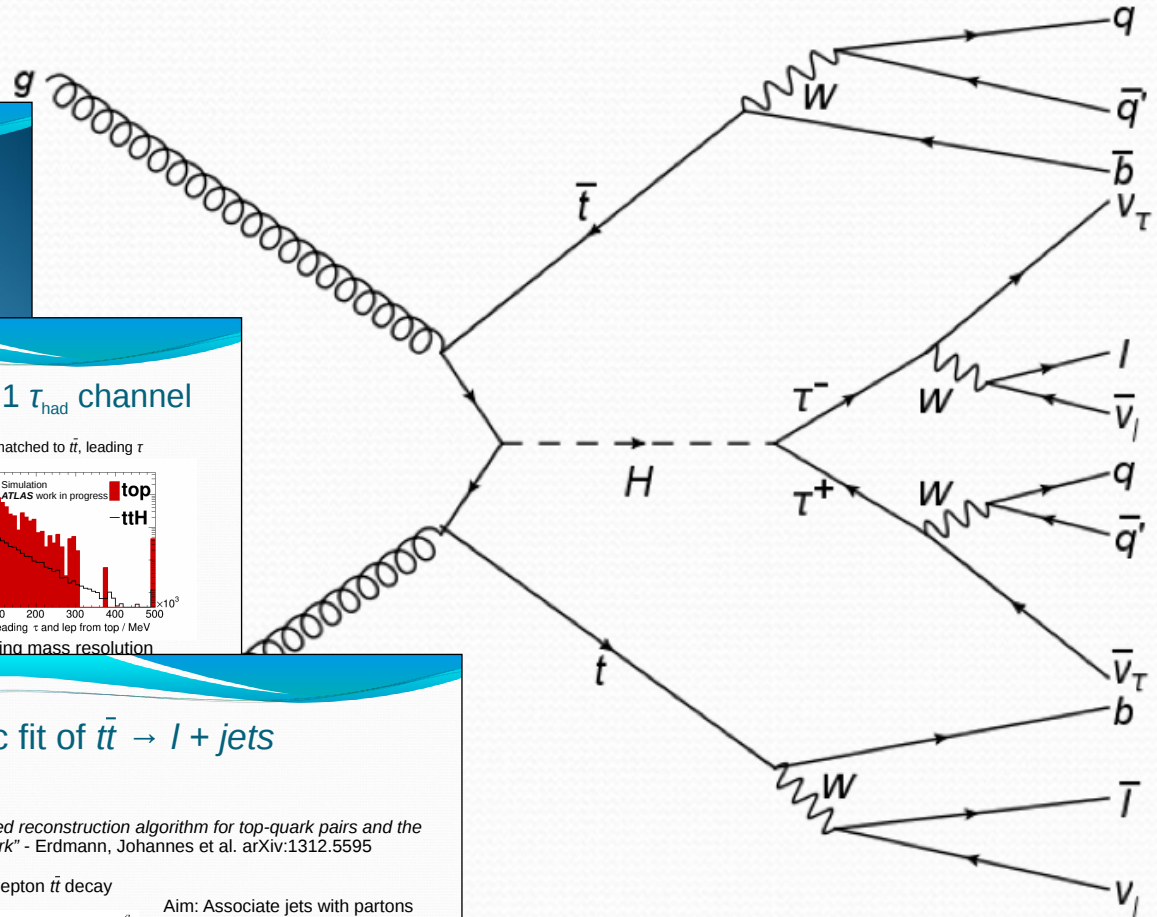
\rightarrow Fit exactly 4 jets:
 $4! = 24$ permutations

Not sensitive to commutation of 2 jets from hadronic W :

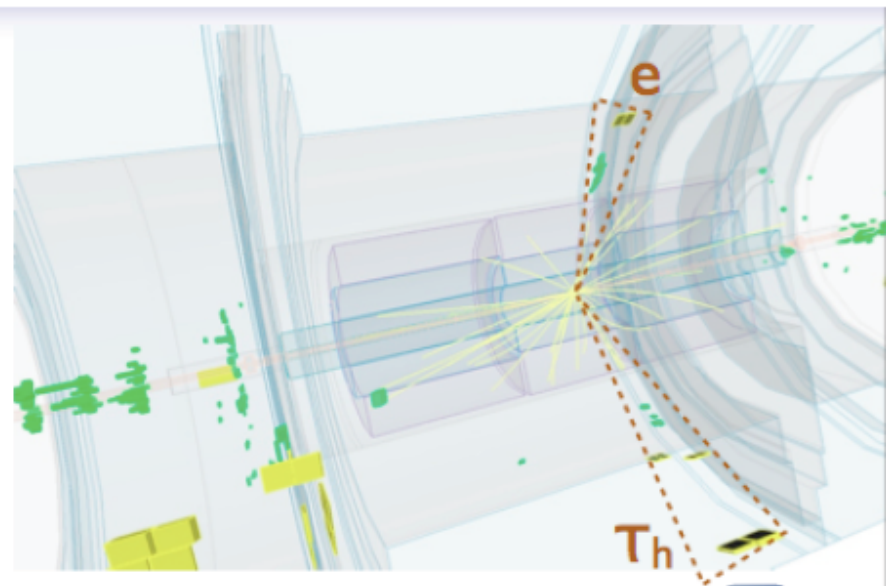
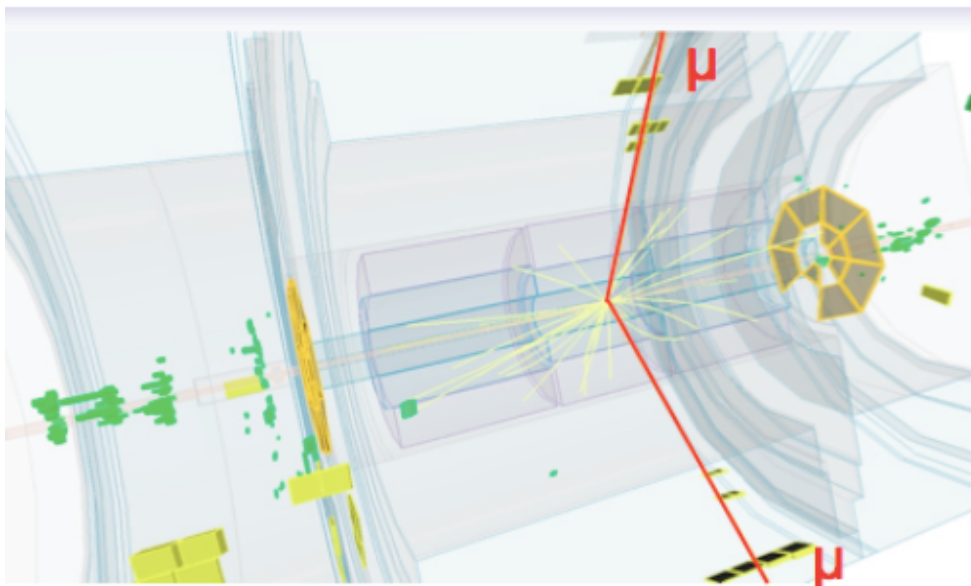
\rightarrow 12 permutations!
(6 if one b -tag, 2 if both)

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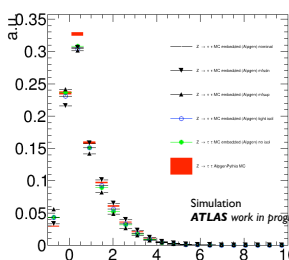
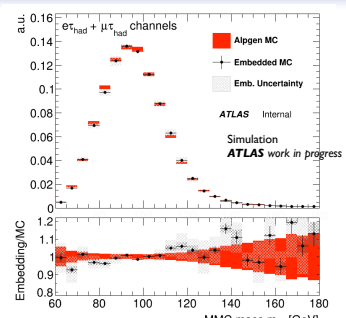
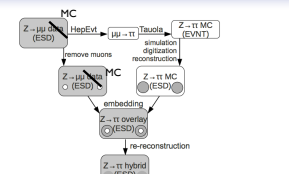
- **start from (real-data) $Z \rightarrow \mu\mu$ events:** very similar to $Z \rightarrow \tau\tau$ (except for Z decay leptons) and can be selected very purely and signal-free (b/c Higgs $\rightarrow \mu\mu$ BR is small)
- **replace data muons with simulated tau leptons**, so that Z decay kinematics is preserved (correcting for tau/muon mass difference)



- nicely illustrates spirit and scope of this group:
 - genuine **German** key **contribution** to very high-profile analysis
 - productive **CMS-ATLAS collaboration** (even outside workshops) **since the beginning** of the group until now
 - **focus on** experimental **concepts**; simple idea, complex details
 - good balance of **common ideas and** implementation **differences**
 - highly **relevant beyond mass** reconstruction



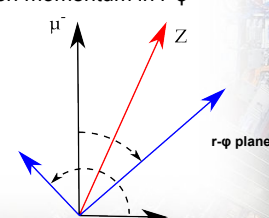
MC closure check



- Use Z $\rightarrow \mu\mu$ MC instead of data as input
- Apply to apply comparisons between MC embedding/Pythia MC
- Provided same simulation conditions
- Check if MC embedding matches with Z $\rightarrow \tau\tau$ MC within systematic uncertainties

4-Vector Transformation (2)

- Instead: **Mirror** the four vector in the proton-Z plane
 - Corresponds to the transformation $\phi \rightarrow -\phi$
 - The Z decay seems to be **invariant** under this transformation
- Has a simple interpretation in the laboratory frame:
 - Swap "sides" of muons wrt. Z boson momentum in r- ϕ
 - Changes only phi coordinate
 - p_T and η remain invariant
 - **Geometric acceptance** stays the same!



External embedding corrections

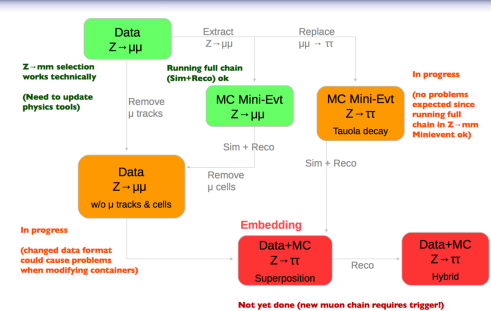
- **Reco Eff of original muons**
- **Trigger Eff of original muons**
- Exp B-Layer flag correction
- Analysis trigger emulation
- TauSpinner weight

Embedded samples biased due to Z $\rightarrow \mu\mu$ selection on data

- Muon trigger efficiency
- Muon offline reconstruction efficiency

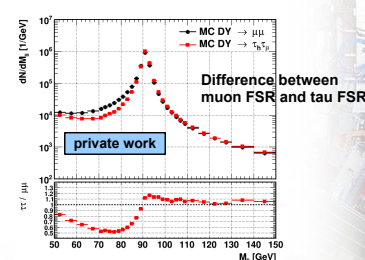
→ Efficiency correction needed

Preparation for run2



Final State Radiation

- Muon FSR introduces **two effects**:
 - The radiated **energy is lost** for the replacement taus
 - Radiated photons contribute to the **isolation** around the embedded objects
- Tau FSR is much smaller than Muon FSR
- For the simulated leptons in embedding:
 - Radiation **enabled** for $\mu\mu \rightarrow \tau\tau$ embedding



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Determination of the Higgs CP mixing angle in the tau decay channels: Z-boson background processes

Stefan Berge, RWTH Aachen

in collaboration with W. Bernreuther and S. Kirchner

TauSpinner Studies

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Simulating τ and the Higgs CP at CMS

$\tau\tau$ analysis Working Group
04.04.2014

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RWTH Aachen University

Outline

- Introduction – Higgs CP
- Simulating $\tau \rightarrow \pi\pi\nu$
- Simulating the τ Spin Correlatons
- Obtaining the τ 4-Vector
- Prospects for Measuring the Higgs and its CP
- Summary & Outlook

Workshop of the tautau Analysis Working Group
DESY, 3-4 April 2014

- hot topic and long-term effort
- study experimental challenges
- theory tools up to the task?

Tomorrow afternoon:

TAUOLA and TauSpinner Status and Plans	<i>WAS, Zbigniew</i>
<i>SR 1, DESY</i>	15:40 - 16:10
Coffee break	
<i>Seminar Room 3, DESY</i>	16:10 - 16:30
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