

A tuning fork is positioned vertically on a rectangular wooden block. The tuning fork has two prongs at the top and a circular base. The wooden block is light-colored with some faint markings on its top surface. The background is a plain, light-colored surface.

# Measurements useful for MC Tuning

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# Introduction

## Why Monte Carlo?

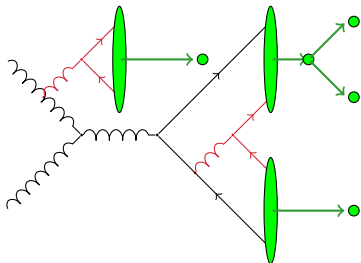
- **Topology** of collision events is **complex**
- Calculating cross-sections at hadron colliders relies on convolving
  - **matrix elements** (MEs) for the scattering process
  - corresponding **parton distribution functions** (PDFs)
- Monte Carlo simulations can relate these theoretical calculations to measurements

## Monte Carlo predictions

- Outgoing partons **fragment** and **hadronise** (non perturbative)
- Radiation from **initial** and **final**-state partons together with **MPI** also important
- Non-perturbative effects described with phenomenological models

Models have free parameters with values that must be determined by fitting to data

Historically, Monte Carlo generators factorised events into independent pieces



- **Matrix Element:** exact theoretical calculation up to stated accuracy (e.g. LO or NLO).
- **Parton Shower:** QCD radiation matched to the matrix element (bremsstrahlung).
- **Hadronisation:** Phenomenological models describing non-perturbative effects.

Interplay between ME and PS complicated at higher orders (eg. CKKW/MLM merging)

**Underlying event:** any hadronic activity not associated with hard scattering process

- Unavoidable background in collision events
- Not well-predicted as non-perturbative effects dominate
- Need to ensure that measurements are not dependent on details of model used

Not possible to unambiguously assign particles to the hard scatter or UE

Typically modelled with

- Multiple parton interactions
- Initial/final-state radiation

Overlaid collisions within the same bunch crossing (**pileup**) also complicate measurements

## Monte Carlo generators

- Majority of effort has been devoted to tuning **PYTHIA 6**
- LHC experiments have also tuned **HERWIG +JIMMY** and **PYTHIA 8**
- **HERWIG++** and **SHERPA** have so far been tuned by authors

## Tuning inputs

- **Correcting** measurements to **well-defined kinematic** region
- Important change in Tevatron → LHC transition (pioneered at ATLAS)

## Professor/Rivet

- Automated **tuning framework**
- Generate lots of samples and use **minimisation** techniques to obtain best fit
- Strong support from LHC experiments

## Underlying event

- Universality: studied in both jet events and  $Z$  events

## Event and jet shapes

- Sensitive to collinear ISR/FSR

## Colour coherence

- Sensitive to modelling of QCD correlations

## Jet substructure

- Modelling of QCD branching

## Jet vetoes

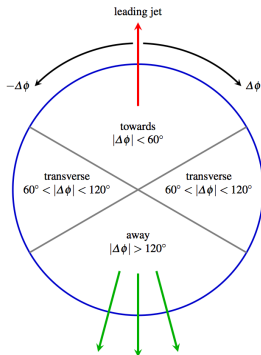
- Colour singlet/colour octet modelling

# Underlying Event



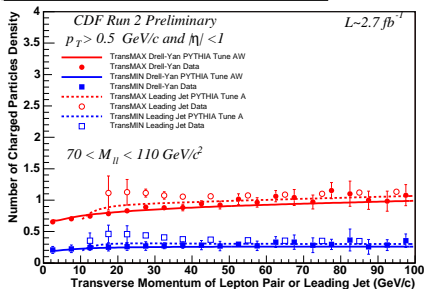
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- Three azimuthal regions defined wrt leading object (eg. jet or vector boson)



- Transverse: depleted of QCD activity related to hard-scatter

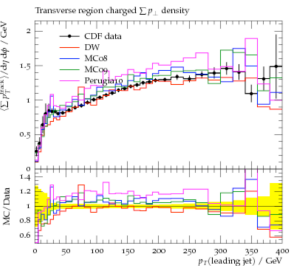
TransMAX and transMIN Charged Particle Density:  $dN/d\eta d\phi$



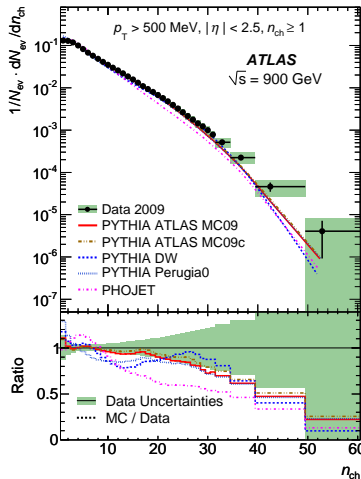
- Divide into **trans-max** and **trans-min**
- Underlying event activity very similar between Z-boson and jet events

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- Tunes agreed with CDF data

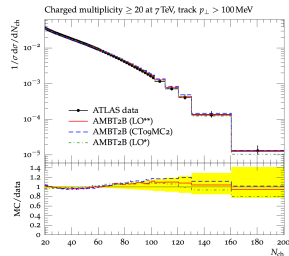


- ... but not with 900 GeV ATLAS data!



- Large deviations → new tunes needed

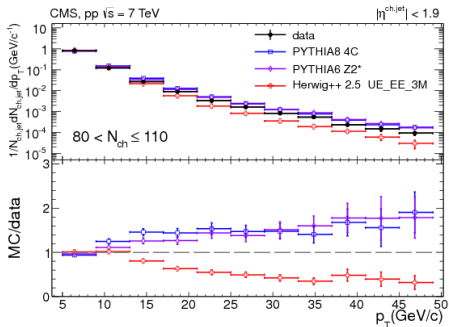
- UE no longer modelled as average to be subtracted from each event



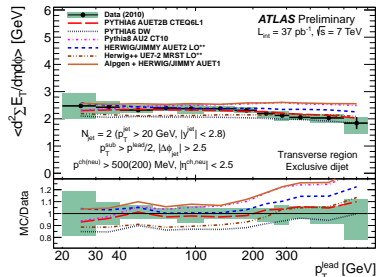
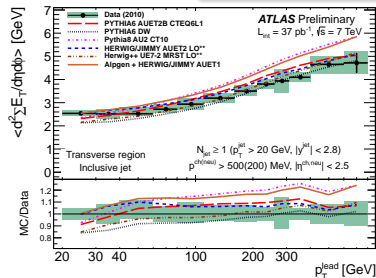
- Separate charged+neutral components
- Much better agreement

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- Large discrepancies seen at high  $p_T$

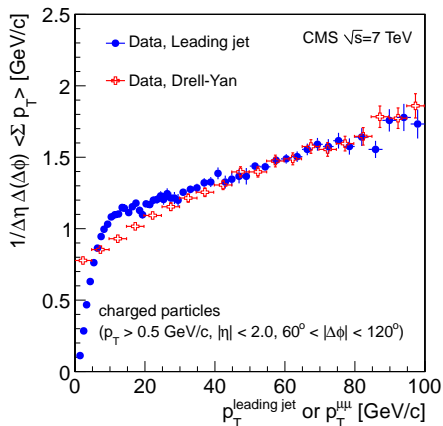
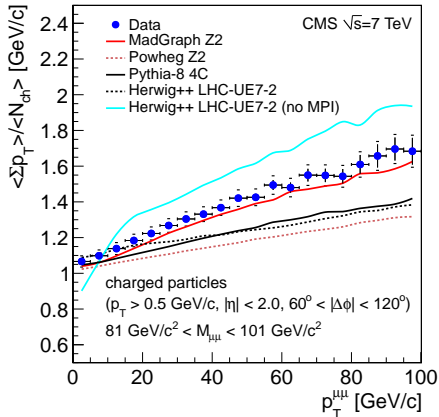


- Inclusive jet / exclusive dijet selections
- Study interplay of MPI and QCD radiation
- Flat  $\sum p_T$  in exclusive dijets  $\rightarrow$  MPI independent of hard process
- HERWIG++ better inclusive; PYTHIA exclusive

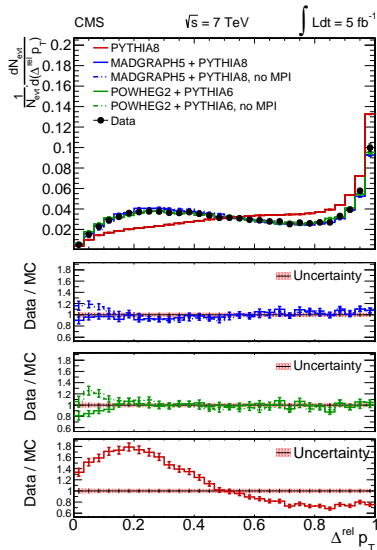


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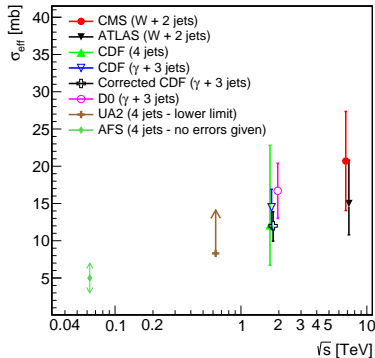
- Energy density in transverse region
- Sensitive to ISR and MPI (no QCD FSR)
- **HERWIG++**: MPI saturation ( $p_T > 40$  GeV)



- UE well described by hadronic tunes  
→ universality of MPI
- Z2 good with **MADGRAPH** (CTEQ6) but not **POWHEG** (CT10)



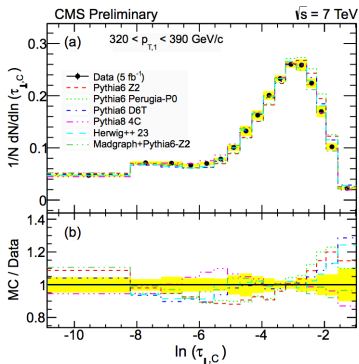
- Extract DPS component from final states
- Independent/simultaneous production ( $\sigma_{\text{eff}}$ )



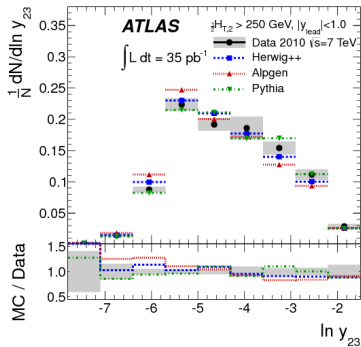
- Good agreement between LHC and Tevatron

# Event Shapes

- Test colour connection; ISR/FSR modelling



- Transverse thrust:  $\tau_{\perp} = 1 - \max \frac{\sum_i |p_{T,i} \cdot \hat{\eta}_T|}{\sum_i p_{T,i}}$
- **MADGRAPH** gives best agreement
- Not sensitive to MPI

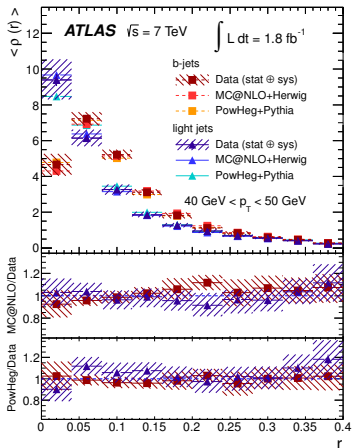


- Third jet resolution:  $y_{23} = \frac{p_{T,3}^2}{(p_{T,1} + p_{T,2})^2}$
- **PYTHIA/ALPGEN** better than **HERWIG++**
- LO+PS gives reasonable description of multi-jet event shapes

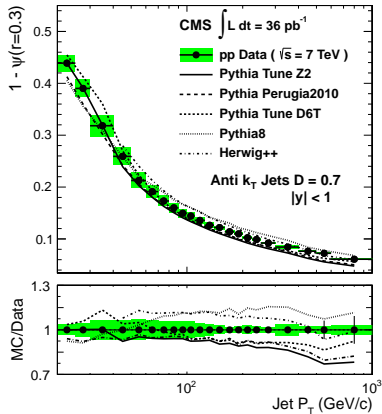
# Jet Shapes



- $b$ -jets broader than light-quark jets
- POWHEG, MC@NLO both agree well



$$\psi = \sum_{r_i < r} p_T / \sum_{r_i < R} p_T$$

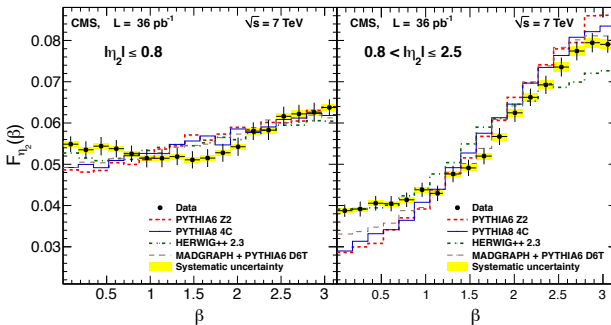
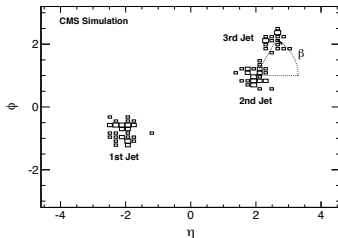


- Large high  $p_T$  spread (Perugia2010 best)

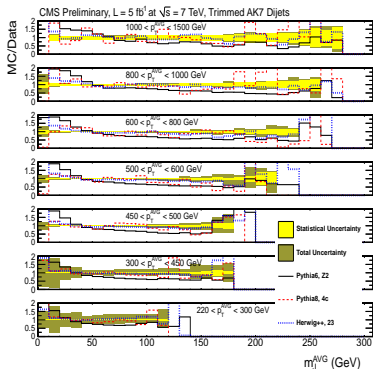
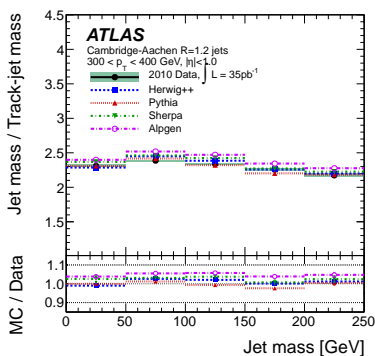
# Colour Coherence

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- Emission of a **coloured** object depends on other **coloured** objects in the event.
- Direction of third jet emission gives information about colour coherence.
- No **Monte Carlo** describes the data well  
→ colour coherence effects needed
- $\beta = \arctan(|\Delta\phi_{23}|/\Delta\eta_{23})$



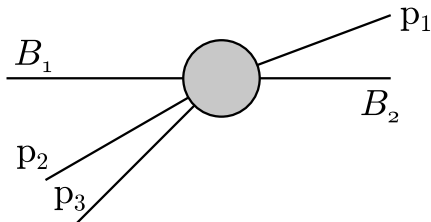
# Jet Substructure



- Substructure in boosted jets used to distinguish between QCD and heavy decays
- Undo jet clustering and look for a mass drop
- LO+PS Monte Carlo performs well

$k_{\perp}$  algorithm

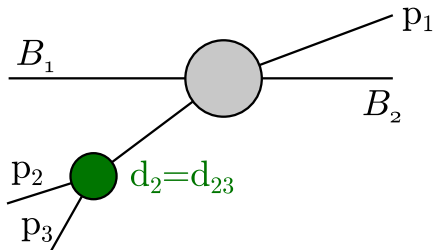
$$d_{ij} = \min(p_{Ti}^2, p_{Tj}^2) \frac{\Delta R_{ij}^2}{R^2} \quad d_{iB} = p_{Ti}^2$$



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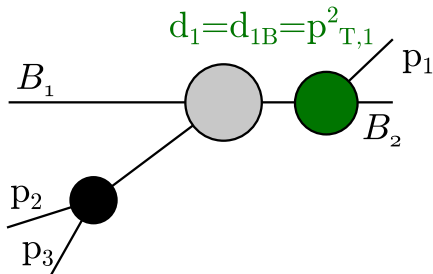
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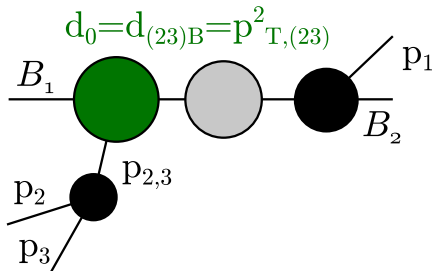


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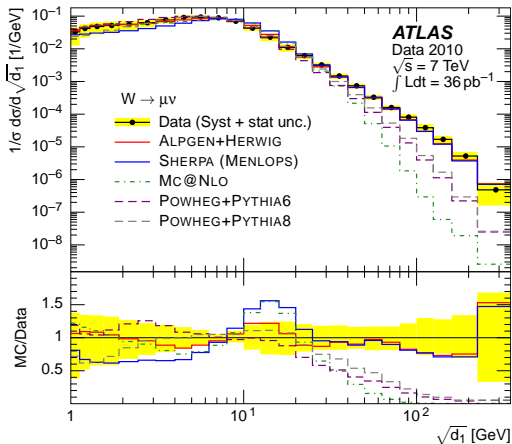


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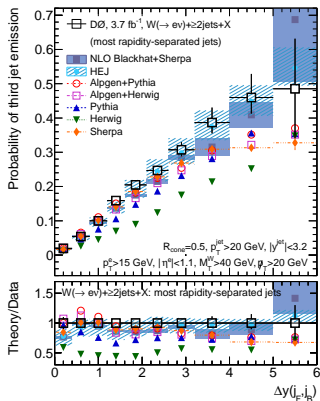
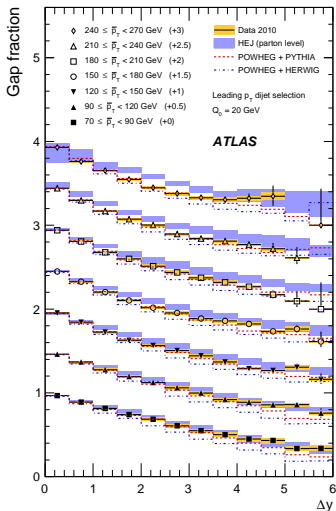


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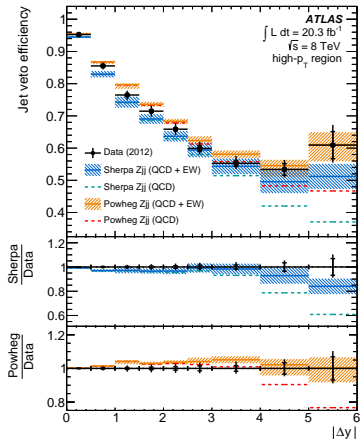


- Multi-leg (ALPGEN + HERWIG / SHERPA) exact tree level predictions
- Outperform NLO+PS (POWHEG / MC@NLO) in high  $p_T$  tails
- Even true for  $\sqrt{d_0}$  for which they have the same formal accuracy

# Jet Vetoos



- Fraction of events with extra jet radiation
- Sensitive to BFKL/colour singlet effects
- HEJ performs well at large  $\Delta y$



- Direct test of ZWW coupling
- Only  $\simeq 1\%$  of  $Z + 2j$  cross-section
- Use jet veto to enhance
- Extract colour singlet component from colour octet background
- Benchmark for future weak-boson fusion studies

# Summary

A large number of SM measurements have been made by **LHC** and **Tevatron** experiments

- impossible to discuss them all here
- dijet azimuthal decorrelations      ATLAS PRL 106 (2011) 172002; CMS PRL 106 (2011) 122003
- inclusive jet ratios      ATLAS EPJC (2013) 73 2509; CMS CMS-PAS-SMP-13-002
- event shapes in  $Z$  +jets      CMS PLB 722 (2013) 238-261
- V+jets      shown in talk by G. Chiodini yesterday

**Monte Carlo** generators have been remarkably successful in predicting experimental results

- experiments are providing distributions necessary for further Monte Carlo **tuning** work

Increased accuracy will be needed for **LHC Run II** (eg. differential Higgs analyses)

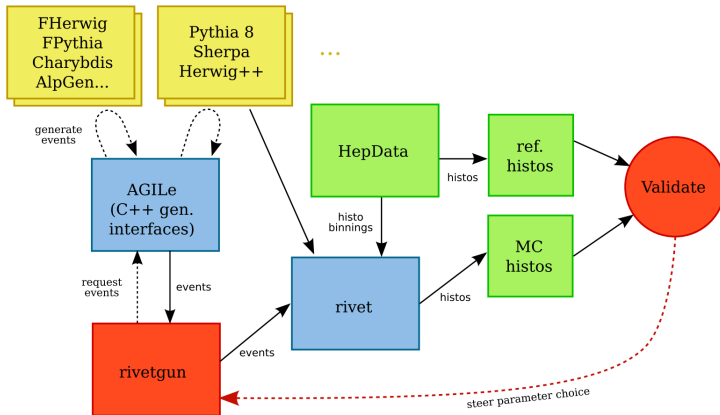
- improved modelling of low  $p_T$  processes has a large effect on precision measurements

Monte Carlo generator tuning is a complex but important area of study

# Backup



## A complete validation/tuning system



Bundle reference data for standard analyses – mostly obtained **direct from HepData**

The screenshot shows the Durham HepData Project website. At the top, there is a navigation menu with links for REACTION DATABASE, DATA REVIEWS, PARTON DISTRIBUTION FUNCTION SERVER, and OTHER HEP RESOURCES. The main heading is "The Durham HepData Project" with the Durham University logo. Below this is the "Reaction Database Standard Search Interface". It features a search box with the text "Enter query:" and a "Search" button. Below the search box, there are examples of queries: "re p -> p p and obs sig. exp cern" and "Search Help -- Output Help -- Form Search -- Browse Keywords". To the right of the search interface is a "Quick link to HepData data reviews" section with a list of search criteria: Structure functions in DIS, Single photon production in hadronic interactions, Two-photon reactions leading to hadron final states, Drell-Yan cross-sections, Inclusive particle production data in e+e- interactions, Hadronic total cross-sections (R) in e+e- interactions, Low-energy neutrino cross-sections, and Event shapes in lepton-nepton and lepton-nucleon interactions. Below this is a "Predefined event shape / jet searches" section with a list of search criteria: Event shapes (thrust, etc...), Event shapes in e+e- collisions, Event shapes in non-e+e- collisions, Jet production (in any process), Jet production in e+e- collisions, and Jet production in non-e+e- collisions. At the bottom of the page, there is a footer with the text "HepData is funded by the UK STFC and hosted at the Durham IPPP. Please send questions and comments to hepdata@projects.hepforge.org" and logos for IP and Science & Technology Facilities Council.



Monte Carlo histograms binned identically to reference data → **automatic consistency.**

There are lots of parameters:

- **PS**:  $t_{min}$ ,  $\alpha_s$  or  $\Lambda_{QCD}$
- **Hadronisation**: depends strongly on model
  - **String**: string tension  $\sigma$ , Lund  $a$  and  $b$  params, baryon suppression, flavour params
  - **Cluster**: constituent masses, flavour params
- **UE**: interaction form factor params (Gaussian width/p(r,h)oton radii),  $p_T^{min}$ , colour reconnection params
- **CKKW/MLM**: ME/PS matching scale, factorization/renorm. scale

Can sometimes be tuned independently: e.g. kinematics, flavour, UE...depending on analyses

**CDF PRD 82 (2010) 034001**

- PYTHIA 6.2    Tune A (CDF Run I UE)
- PYTHIA 6.2    Tune AW (CDF Run I UE+Z)
- PYTHIA 6.2    Tune DW (CDF Run I UE+Z+dijets)

**ATLAS PLB 688 (2010) 21**

- PYTHIA 6.421 ATLAS MCO9
- PYTHIA 6.421 ATLAS MCO9c
- PYTHIA 6.421 Tune DW (CDF Run I UE+Z+dijets)
- PYTHIA 6.421 PerugiaO

**ATLAS ATL-PHYS-PUB-2011-014**

- PYTHIA 6.421 AMBT2B

**CMS EPJC 73 (2013) 2674**

- PYTHIA 6.424    Z2\*
- PYTHIA 8.145    4C
- HERWIG++ 2.5    UE-EE-3M

**ATLAS ATLAS-CONF-2012-164**

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- PYTHIA 6.421                    DW
- PYTHIA 8.153                    AU2
- HERWIG 6.5.20/JIMMY 4.31    AUET2
- HERWIG++ 2.5.1                UE7-2
- ALPGEN +HERWIG/JIMMY        AUET1

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- MADGRAPH 5      Z2
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- HERWIG++        LHC-UE7-2

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- POWHEG +PYTHIA unknown

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