## W and Z precise measurements at 13 TeV with the ATLAS and CMS experiments

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### Motivation





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• Differential measurements: 10s - 100s of bins stat. unc. dominating!

At present: most precise measurements released from 8 TeV data! precision of 8 TeV run might no be reached any time soon with 13 TeV data

#### Overview



#### • 13 TeV analyses:

- Single boson cross section measurements
- Ratio measurements
- Associated jets

#### Recent highlights from 8 TeV data:

- Z-Boson transverse momentum measurement
- Drell-Yan x-section measurements
- Study of Angular coefficients in pp  $\rightarrow Z/\gamma^* \rightarrow II$

Naturally this represents a selection of few of the many results from the ATLAS and CMS collaborations. For a complete list, please refer to the collaboration websites:



# Results at $\sqrt{s} = 13$ TeV



# Typical Selection of W,Z Events



#### ATLAS

- Data collected during 2015
  √s = 13 TeV, 81 pb<sup>-1</sup>
- Fiducial Volume, ee and  $\mu\mu$  channels  $p_T > 25 \text{ GeV}$   $|\eta| < 2.5$  W:  $E_T^{miss} > 25 \text{ GeV}$  $m_T > 50 \text{ GeV}$

 $\mathsf{Z:}66\,\mathrm{GeV} < m_Z < 116\,\mathrm{GeV}$ 

- Signal Simulation:
  - Powheg + Pythia8
- Backgrounds:
  - EW & ttbar from MC
  - QCD multijet: data-driven

#### CMS

- Data collected during 2015
  √s = 13 TeV, 2.3 fb<sup>-1</sup>
- Fiducial volume of  $\mu\mu$  channel  $p_T > 25 \text{ GeV}$  $|\eta| < 2.4$  W:  $m_T > 50 \text{ GeV}$

**Z**: 60 GeV <  $m_Z < 120$  GeV

- Signal Simulation:
  MG5 aMC@NLO + Pythia8
- Backgrounds:
  - EW & ttbar from MC
  - QCD multijet: data-driven

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CMS-PAS-SMP-15-011

### Measured distributions

- Control distributions: invariant mass (transverse mass)
  - Signal process, Electroweak and top backgrounds simulated
  - Multijet background estimated from data (negligible in Z analysis)

Simulation and measurement agree very well!



### Systematic uncertainties

#### • Main sources:

- Jet energy scale (W only)
  - Propagated to uncertainty on MET

- Uncertainty estimation:
  - Calibration derived from the data
    - Largely based on 2012 calibration
    - Uncertainties are derived in calibration
  - Efficiency scale factors account for data / simulation discrepancy. Varied within uncertainties.

| A                                     | TLAS                    |                         |                                      |                             |                     |                                | CMS: Ζ -> μμ                    |     |
|---------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----|
| 5C/C [%]                              | $Z \rightarrow e^+ e^-$ | $W^+ \rightarrow e^+ v$ | $W^- \rightarrow e^- \overline{\nu}$ | $Z \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$ | $W^+ \to \mu^+ \nu$ | $W^- \to \mu^- \overline{\nu}$ | Lepton reco. & id. [%]          | 1.3 |
| Lepton trigger                        | 0.1                     | 0.3                     | 0.3                                  | 0.2                         | 0.6                 | 0.6                            | Bkg. subtraction / modeling [%] | 0.1 |
| Lepton reconstruction, identification | 0.9                     | 0.5                     | 0.6                                  | 0.9                         | 0.4                 | 0.4                            | Total experimental [%]          | 1.3 |
| Lepton isolation                      | 0.3                     | 0.1                     | 0.1                                  | 0.5                         | 0.3                 | 0.3                            | PDF [%]                         | 07  |
| Lepton scale and resolution           | 0.2                     | 0.4                     | 0.4                                  | 0.1                         | 0.1                 | 0.1                            |                                 | 0.7 |
| Charge identification                 | 0.1                     | 0.1                     | 0.1                                  | -                           | _                   | _                              | QCD corrections [%]             | 1.1 |
| ES and JER                            | -                       | 1.7                     | 1.7                                  | -                           | 1.6                 | 1.7                            | EW corrections [%]              | 0.4 |
| <sup>zmiss</sup>                      | _                       | 0.1                     | 0.1                                  | _                           | 0.1                 | 0.1                            | $T_{1}$                         | 1 / |
| Pile-up modelling                     | < 0.1                   | 0.4                     | 0.3                                  | < 0.1                       | 0.2                 | 0.2                            | Theoretical Uncertainty [%]     | 1.4 |
| PDF                                   | 0.1                     | 0.1                     | 0.1                                  | < 0.1                       | 0.1                 | 0.1                            | Lumi [%]                        | 2.7 |
| Fotal                                 | 1.0                     | 1.9                     | 1.9                                  | 1.1                         | 1.8                 | 1.8                            | Total [%]                       | 3.3 |
|                                       |                         |                         |                                      |                             |                     |                                |                                 |     |

Lepton reco & id (W & Z)
Lepton isolation (Z)

# **Results - Differer**

• Low range dominated by:

Non perturbative effects Soft gluon resummation

FEWZ doesn't calculate that

 High pT range: dominated by hard parton emission

 Rapidity spectrum well described small deviations at large |Y|



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### Results - Ratios and impact on PDFs



- Luminosity uncertainty cancels in ratios!
- Sensitivity to PDFs
  - Predictions and measurement disagree systematically by ~ 1 standard deviation

### **Results - Lepton Universality**



- Ratio of cross sections in different lepton final states
- W,Z: 2 independent processes
- Precise test of lepton universality

# In agreement with standard model predictions

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# Z + jet cross section measurements



- Sensitive to
  - Parton shower, matrix element & PS matching
- Standard Z selection + requirement on jets
- Jet definition:
  - Anti-kt algorithm, radius 0.4
  - p<sub>T</sub> > 30 GeV && |y| < 2.5 (2.4)
  - Jets overlapping with leptons are removed
- Measurement differentially in several variables, compared to various simulations
- Very sensitive probe of different MC approaches, tuning, ...
- Alpgen + Py6 & MG5\_aMC + Py8 CKKWL
  - discrepancy for large jet pT (> 200 GeV)

#### ATLAS-CONF-2016-046



# Z + jet cross section measurements: Systematics



Systematics dominated by

Other large contributions depend on variable of interest

• Jet Energy Scale

• Jet energy resolution, Luminosity, Background, ...



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# Z + jet cross section measurements

• Z + jet measurement vs. number of jets



Different generators describe different features well





 $Z/\gamma^* (\rightarrow I^+\Gamma) + jets$ 

SHERPA 2.1

BLACKHAT + SHERPA

🔶 Data

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### W + jet cross section measurements

• Same observables of interest as for Z+jet measurement



• Dominant uncertainty: jet energy scale







**CMS-PAS-SMP-16-005** 

# Selected precision results from 8 TeV data set



### Measurement of $p_{\mathrm{T}}^{ll}$ and $\phi_{\eta}^{*}$



#### ATLAS

- Data collected during 2012
   √s = 8 TeV, 20.3 fb<sup>-1</sup>
- Fiducial Volume ( ee and µµ channels )

 $\begin{array}{l} p_{\mathrm{T}} > 20\,\mathrm{GeV} \\ |\eta| < 2.4 \end{array}$ 

- •MC signal:
  - POWHEG+PYTHIA
- Backgrounds:
  - EW & ttbar from MC
  - QCD multijet: data-driven

#### Eur. Phys. J. C 76(5), 1-61 (2016)

#### CMS

- Data collected during 2012
  - $\sqrt{s} = 8 \text{ TeV}, 18.4 \text{ pb}^{-1} (W, Z p_T)$
  - $\sqrt{s} = 8 \text{ TeV}, 19.7 \text{ fb}^{-1} (\phi^*)$

#### Fiducial volume of ee (µµ) channels

 $p_T > 25(20) \,\mathrm{GeV}$  $|\eta| < 2.5(2.1)$ 

- •MC signal:
  - POWHEG+PYTHIA

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- QCD multijet: data-driven

#### <u>arXiv:1606.05864,</u> CMS-PAS-SMP-15-002





# Measurement of $p_T^{ll}$ and $\phi_{\eta}^*$







• Depends only on measured angles

 Better resolution compared to momentum measurements

•  $\sqrt{2}m_Z\phi_n^* \approx p_T^{ll}$ 

x-axes in Plots are aligned

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# Measurement of $p_{\rm T}^{ll}$ and $\phi_{\eta}^{*}$





- High range dominated by:
  - Emission of hard partons

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#### ResBos predictions not consistent with data

# Comparison to different ME generators





#### CMS-PAS-SMP-15-002

• Powheg:

- Disagreement with measurement
- most pronounced in low / high phi\* region

Resbos:

- Uses resummation technique
- Optimized for describing low momentum tail
- Madgraph:
  - Describes high momentum tail very well





- Comparison in 3 regions of m<sub>II</sub>
- 2 individual Pythia tunes:
  - AZNLO done on 7 TeV data at Zpeak
    AU2
- Significant disagreement between simulation & data in peak region
- Also significant disagreement between PowHeg and Sherpa
  - Particularly for large  $\phi^*$  values

# W Boson pT measurement





 Resbos and Powheg show deviation from measurement at high p<sub>T</sub>

• FEWZ shows some disagreement in mid p<sub>T</sub> range

Ratio of Z / W  $p_T$  well modeled

by all generators!

### Drell - Yan cross section measurements



- Comparison to predictions from:
  - aMC@NLO: provides automated PS matching to ME, NLO accuracy
  - FEWZ: full spin correlation, NNLO QCD accuracy, NLO EWK

- Statistically limited at large invariant masses
- Uncertainties > 20% @ 500 GeV
- More precise measurement with 8 TeV dataset





# Drell-Yan measurements @ 8 TeV

• Uncertainties at few % level, compared to 20% at 13 TeV analysis

Agreement with SM over 3 orders of magnitude in mass!



# High mass DY measurement @ 8 TeV



- Only masses above Z-peak considered
  - Comparison to various PDFs
  - Rapidity distribution very sensitive
    - Significant deviations observed





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ATLAS

Theory/Data

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0.9

1.



- High mass Drell-Yan data included in NNPDF2.3
  - Significant constraint of photon PDF



# Angular Coefficients A<sub>i</sub>



# A bit of Theory



#### Differential cross section for

$$pp \to Z/\gamma^* + X \to l^+l^- + X$$

 $\frac{d\sigma}{dp_T^Z \, dy^Z \, dm^Z \, d\cos\theta \, d\phi} = \frac{3}{16\pi} \frac{d\sigma^{U+L}}{dp_T^Z \, dy^Z \, dm^Z}$ 

$$\left\{ (1 + \cos^2 \theta) + \frac{1}{2} A_0 (1 - 3\cos^2 \theta) + A_1 \sin 2\theta \cos \phi + \frac{1}{2} A_2 \sin^2 \theta \cos 2\phi + A_3 \sin \theta \cos \phi + A_4 \cos \theta + A_5 \sin^2 \theta \sin 2\phi + A_6 \sin 2\theta \sin \phi + A_7 \sin \theta \sin \phi \right\}$$

#### Angular distributions parametrized by coefficients Ai

- $\bullet$  Test QCD predictions to all orders of  $\alpha_s$
- Includes Spin-correlations of all particles

#### Angles in **Collins-Soper** Frame:



• Rest frame of di-lepton system

• z-axis bisecting directions of incoming proton momenta

• Direction of z-axis defined by longitudinal boost of di-lepton system

• Sensitive to various SM parameters

A bit of Theory



#### Orthogonal polynomials used to A<sub>i</sub> are neither input to theory parametrize angular distribution: calculations, nor simulations! $\left\langle P(\cos\theta,\phi)\right\rangle = \frac{\int P(\cos\theta,\phi)d\sigma(\cos\theta,\phi)d\cos\theta\,d\phi}{\int d\sigma(\cos\theta,\phi)d\cos\theta\,d\phi} \qquad \qquad <\frac{1}{2}(1-3\cos^2\theta) > = \frac{3}{20}(A_0 - \frac{2}{3}) \\ <\sin 2\theta \,\cos\phi > = \frac{1}{4}A_0$ $<\sin 2\theta \cos \phi >= \frac{1}{5}A_1$ normalization of unpolarized cross section, also applied to all other P $<\sin\theta \cos\phi >= \frac{1}{4}A_3$ $< 1 + \cos^2 \theta >$ $<\frac{1}{2}(1-3\cos^2\theta)>=\frac{3}{20}(A_0-\frac{2}{3})$ longitudinal polarization interference term: $\sin^2\theta \sin 2\phi \ge \frac{1}{5}A_5$ $<\sin 2\theta \ \cos \phi >= \frac{1}{5}A_1$ longitudinal<sup>\*</sup> fransværse $<\sin\theta\sin\phi>=\frac{1}{4}A_7$ $<\sin^2\theta \cos 2\phi >= \frac{1}{10}A_2$ transverse polarization $<\sin\theta\cos\phi>=\frac{1}{4}A_3$ product of v-a couplings, sensitive to Weinberg angle $<\cos\theta>=\frac{1}{4}A_4$ 8/3 \* forward backward asymmetry A<sub>FB</sub>, sensitive to Weinberg angle non-zero already at LO $q\bar{q} \rightarrow Z/\gamma^* \rightarrow l^+ l^ <\sin^2\theta$ $\sin 2\phi >= \frac{1}{5}A_5$ Predicted to be 0 @ NLO $<\sin 2\theta \sin \phi>=\frac{1}{5}A_6$ Non zero contributions @ NNLO for large $p_T(Z)$ $<\sin\theta\sin\phi>=\frac{1}{4}A_7$ Measured by ATLAS - Set to 0 in CMS analysis

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# Impact of higher order QCD corrections



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 $p_{\tau}^{Z}$  [GeV]





### The Measurement - Lepton Selection



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**CMS** •  $\sqrt{s} = 8$  TeV, 19.7 fb<sup>-1</sup> • Fiducial Volume: (muons only)



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**ATLAS** • √s = 8 TeV, 20.3 fb<sup>-1</sup>

- Measurement performed in 3 independent channels:
  - Muons
  - Electrons: central central
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#### • Fiducial Volume:

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- OS di-leptons  $80 < m_{ll} < 100 \,\mathrm{GeV}$

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# Analysis strategy

#### Angular distributions sculpted by fiducial acceptance

- Polynomials are "folded" into reconstruction space
  - Simulation used to model acceptance, efficiencies & resolution
  - 3D folding in  $\cos\theta, \varphi, p^{II}$
- Folded polynomials (templates) fitted to measured angular distributions
- Angular coefficients A<sub>i</sub> normalize the templates relative to each other
  - A<sub>i</sub> extracted from fit
- Overall normalization done in  $p_T(Z)$
- Fit implemented as maximum likelihood fit
  - Nuisance parameter for each systematic uncertainty incorporated
  - Background templates included

Template value / 0.25





# A glance at Uncertainties





#### Total uncertainties

Very similar shape for all A<sub>i</sub>



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### Measurement Results





### Measurement Results





- Equal to 0 @ NLO
- Higher order effects become visible

• Small discrepancy between measurement and simulation:

• Limitations of current simulations

## Comparison of various Generators





- A0 A2 (< Lam-Tung relation)
- Compatible results in different rapidity regions
- Significant differences between simulations

### Comparison of various Generators





• Significant differences between simulations!

- Sherpa & PowHegBox show statistical unc. only
- DYNNLO gives best description of measured A<sub>0</sub>
- No generator describes A0-A2
  (Best: Sherpa 2.1)
- Improvement from Sherpa 1.4 to
  2.1

### **Conclusions & Outlook**



# **Conclusions & Outlook**

- Study of weak vector bosons provide a wealth of information
  - Partonshower modeling
  - Higher order matrix element calculations
  - PDFs, alpha\_s, weak mixing angle, new physics
- 13 TeV results have been provided by ATLAS and CMS in short time!
  - First precise results appearing
    - Inclusive and differential cross section, V+jets
- Precision domain dominated by study of 8 TeV data (2012)
  - Differential measurements with %-level uncertainties!
  - Very sensitive tools!
- Several further measurements in progress
  - Addition of heavy flavor jets
  - Multidifferential x-section measurements
    - Large impact on PDFs expected!

Stay tuned for what still is to come :-)



#### Z Polarisation measurement - results





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# Multijet Background estimation in detail

• MJ fit regions:

• full event selection removing **mT** or **MET** requirement

- •MJ enriched samples in fit region:
  - Mutually exclusive isolation cuts
    - Statistically independent sample
- Similar samples for signal and other backgrounds created from simulation
- Normalization of MJ sample and Signal template extracted in ML fit
- Linear extrapolation to signal region
- Average of all MJ estimations used as central value (4% µ channel, 10% e channel)
- 0.5 \* difference between average and single estimations used as uncertainty
- (20%-30%) Kristof Schmieden





### Drell-Yan Measurements - low & high masses



#### CMS-PAS-SMP-16-009

- Reaction:  $pp \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^- + X$ 
  - Large statistics allow to go to high invariant masses
  - Sensitivity to new physics



### Z Polarisation measurement

Analysis Acceptance \* Efficiency for 3 considered channels





### Z Polarisation measurement

• Folding of phi projected polynomials



### Z Polarisation measurement





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#### **Electroweak corrections**



- Predictions low by ~15% in all  $m_{II}$  bins
- No significant impact of NLO EWK corrections

Expected due to softgluon emissions



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# Measurement Results - Compatibility ee / µµ



• Electron and Muon channels give consistent results

- Similar for all A<sub>i</sub>
- Regularization:

ATLAS

<sup>-</sup>8 TeV, 20.3 fb<sup>-1</sup>

 $ee_{CC}^{}$ ,  $\mu\mu_{CC}^{}$ : y<sup>Z</sup>-integrated

• Smooth fluctuations in results & uncertainties

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• Increase correlation between bins

Unregularised

10<sup>2</sup>

Regularised



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-0.05

 $A_4^{\mu\mu}$  -  $A_4^{ee}$ 

0.15

0.1

0.05

0

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p<sub>T</sub><sup>Z</sup> [GeV]

# Impact of higher order QCD corrections







- Only small impact in A<sub>1,3,4</sub>
- No sensitivity with current measurement

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### Measurement Results





• A<sub>0</sub> well described by fixed order calculations

• A<sub>2</sub> predicted too high for large  $p^{Z_{T}}$ 

► A<sub>0</sub> - A<sub>2</sub> predictions also off w.r.t. measurement

 Impact of higher order effects not covered in simulation