

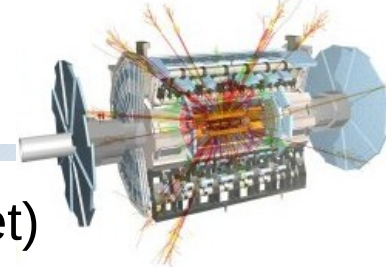
Jet Grooming in ATLAS

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• Outline:

- Update since last year
- Jet grooming techniques studied and optimizing grooming parameters
- Performance of grooming on large-R light quark/gluon jets in data
- MC-based signal background discrimination before and after grooming
- Jet grooming in $t\bar{t}$ events

Last year....



- **BOOST'11: ATLAS:** results shown with 42 pb^{-1} of data (2010 dataset)

- Measurement of:

- anti-kt $R=1.0$ mass and $\sqrt{d_{12}}$
- C/A $R=1.2$ mass before and after mass-drop/filtering (BDRS)

- Our “to-do” list:

(see Measurable vs Calculable WG Summary [here](#))

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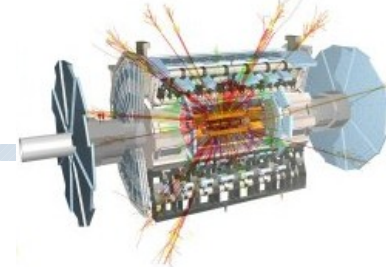
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- What is the best way to determine which algorithms work best?
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- **BOOST'12: ATLAS:** 4.7 fb⁻¹ of data!

- Showing groomed jet results using:

- Mass-drop/filtering (C/A), trimming and pruning (anti-kt and C/A)
- Mass, N-subjettiness (τ_{21} , τ_{32}), kt splitting scales ($\sqrt{d_{12}}$, $\sqrt{d_{23}}$) before and after grooming

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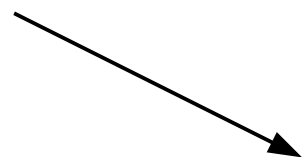
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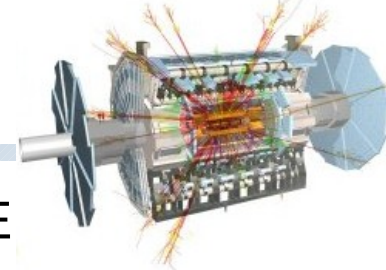
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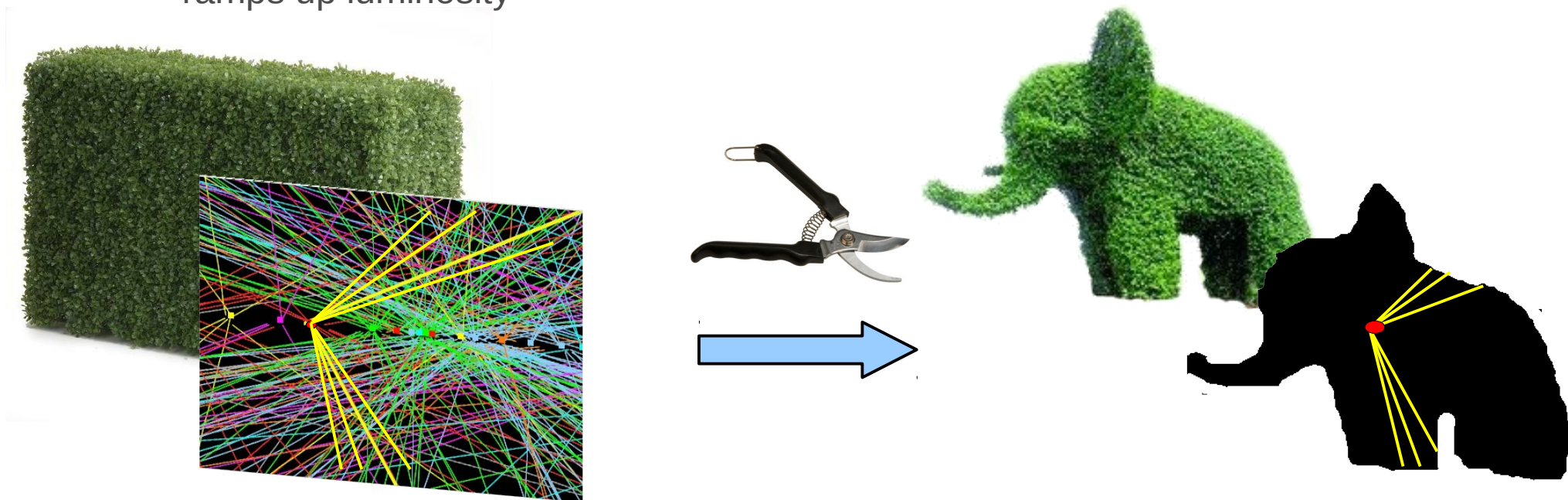
- Tried to address these questions with full detector simulation



Introduction to grooming

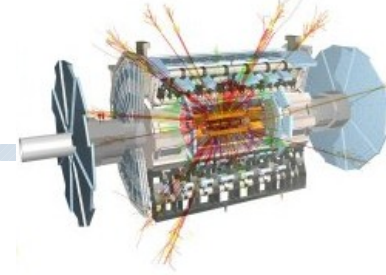


- **Jet grooming:** seeks to get rid of softer components in a jet from UE or pileup and leave constituents from the hard scatter behind
 - Better mass resolution expected after grooming
 - Great for searching for boosted objects contained in a large-R jet!
 - Is especially important to have these studies now so that we are prepared as LHC ramps up luminosity



- Three algorithms studied: mass-drop/filtering, pruning, trimming
- **ATLAS results shown today:** summarize the performance between various tunes of groomed algorithms

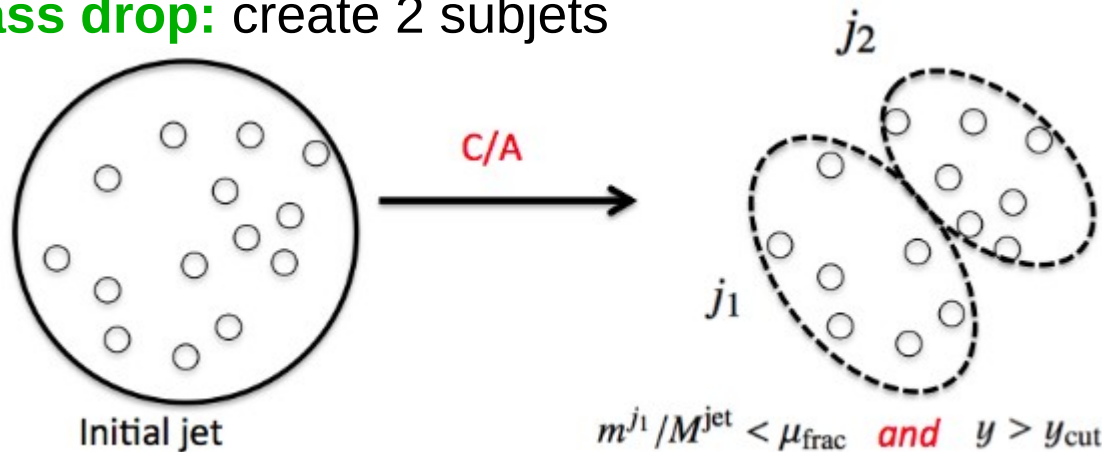
Jet grooming



- “Mass drop/filtering” <http://arxiv.org/abs/0802.2470>
(J. Butterworth, A. Davidson, M. Rubin, G. Salam)

- Identify relatively symmetric subjets, each with significantly smaller mass than their sum
- Was optimized for $H \rightarrow bb$ search using C/A jets... **not applied to anti-kt jets!**

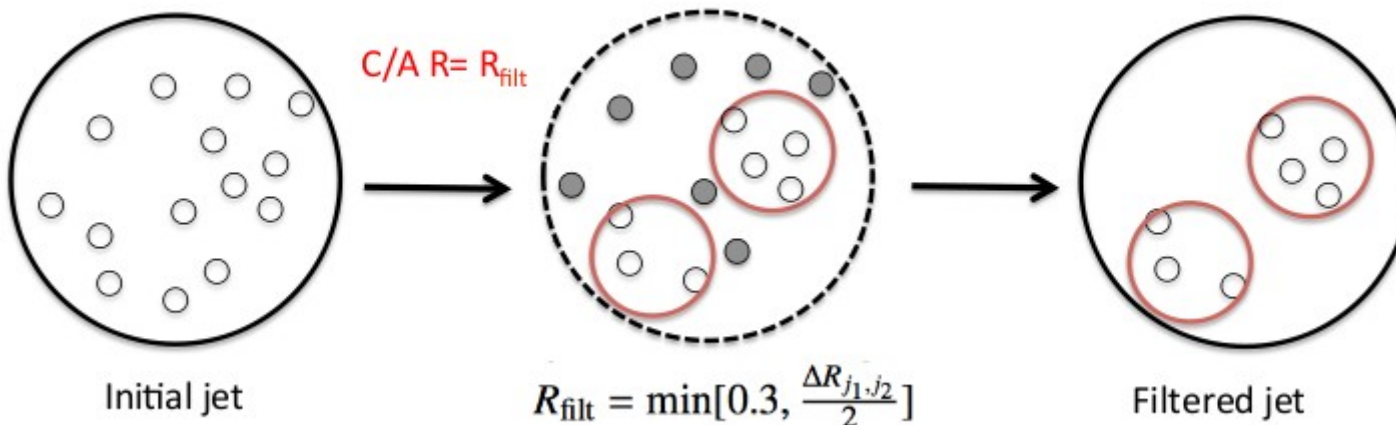
Mass drop: create 2 subjets



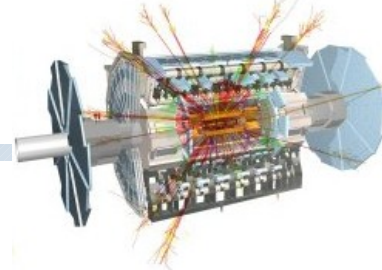
$$\frac{\min[(p_T^{j_1})^2, (p_T^{j_2})^2]}{(M^{\text{jet}})^2} \times \Delta R_{j_1, j_2}^2 > y_{\text{cut}}$$

Tuned parameter: μ_{frac}
(y_{cut} set to 0.09)

Filtering: constituents of j_1, j_2 are reclustered using C/A



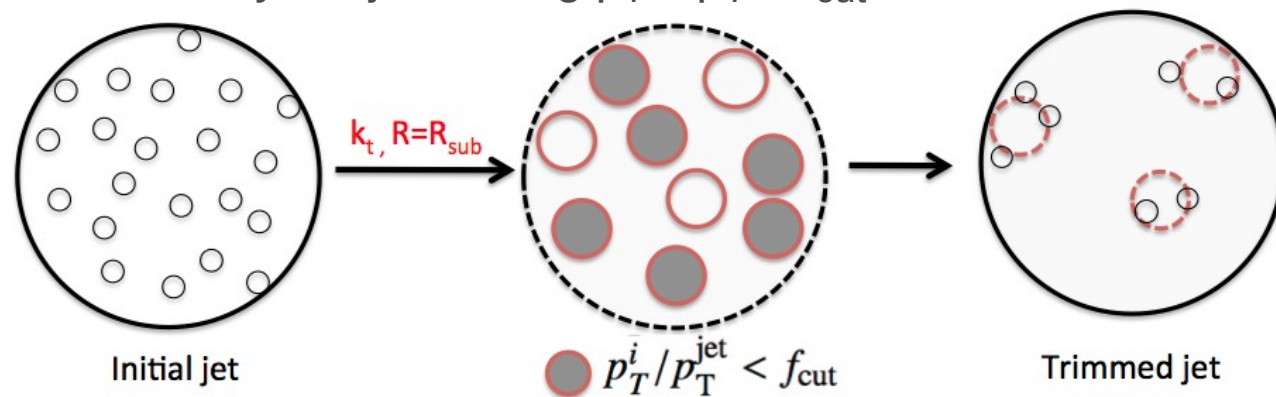
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• “Trimming” <http://arxiv.org/abs/0912.1342>

(D. Krohn, J. Thaler, L. Wang)

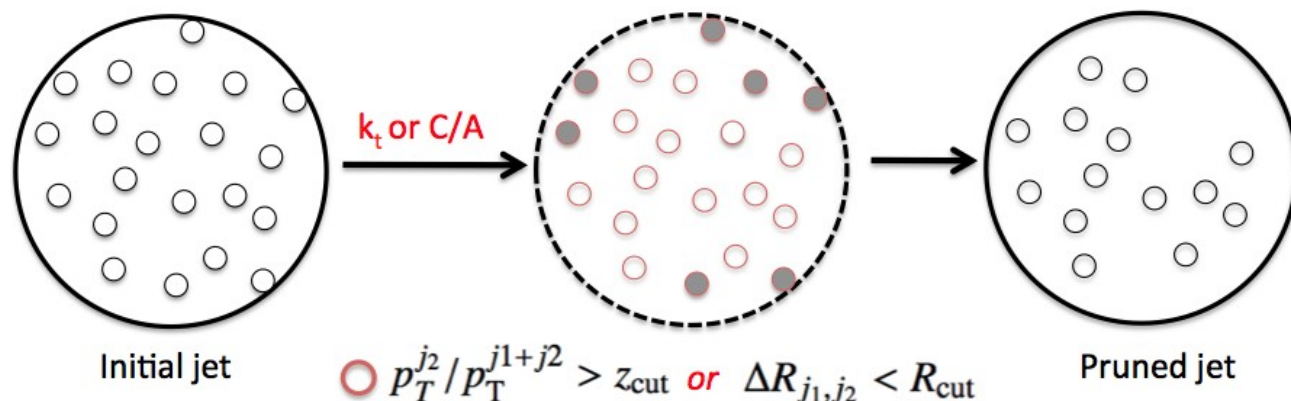
- uses k_t algorithm to create subjects of size R_{sub} from the constituents of the large-R jet: any subjects failing $p_{T_i} / p_T^{\text{jet}} < f_{\text{cut}}$ are removed



Tuned parameters:
 f_{cut} and R_{sub}

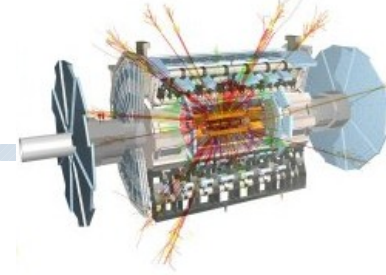
• “Pruning” <http://arxiv.org/abs/0912.0033> (S. Ellis, C. Vermilion, J. Walsh)

- Recombine jet constituents with C/A or k_t while vetoing wide angle (R_{cut}) and softer (z_{cut}) constituents. Does not recreate subjects but prunes at each point in jet reconstruction



Tuned parameters:
 R_{cut} and z_{cut}

Summary of parameters studied



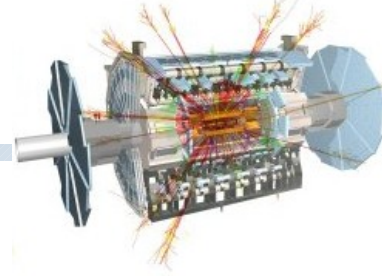
- Large-R jets studied: anti-kt with $R=1.0$, C/A with $R=1.2$
- In all, 12 + 15 different grooming configurations

Jet finding algorithms used	Grooming algorithm	Configurations considered
C/A	Mass-Drop Filtering	$\mu_{\text{frac}} = 0.20, 0.33, \mathbf{0.67}$
anti- k_t and C/A	Trimming	$f_{\text{cut}} = 0.01, \mathbf{0.03}, 0.05$ $R_{\text{sub}} = \mathbf{0.2}, 0.3$
anti- k_t and C/A	Pruning*	$R_{\text{cut}} = 0.1, 0.2, 0.3$ $z_{\text{cut}} = 0.05, 0.1$

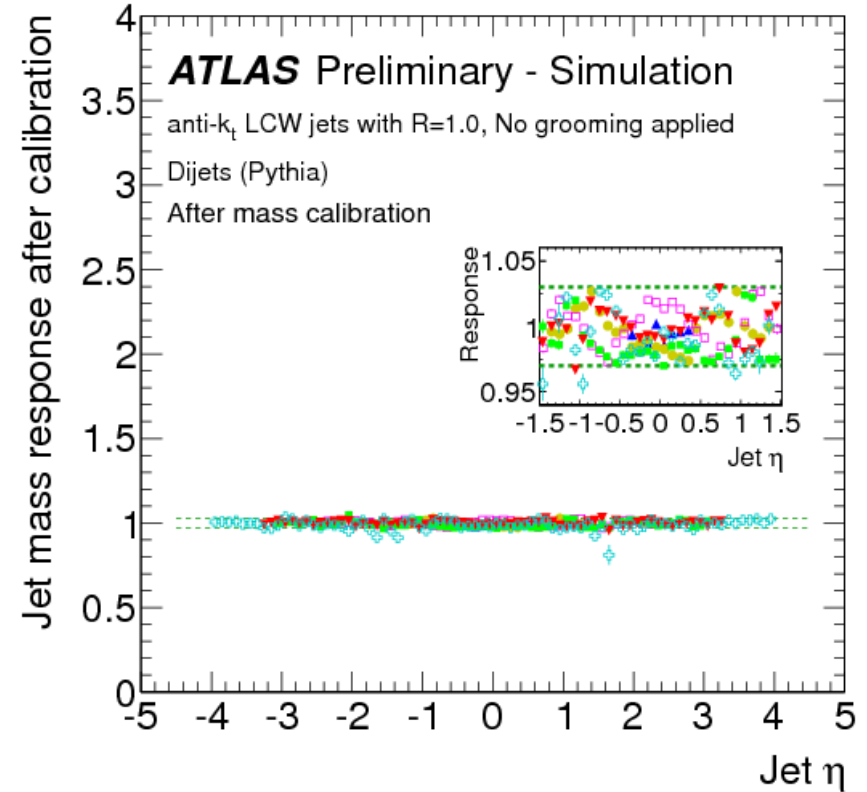
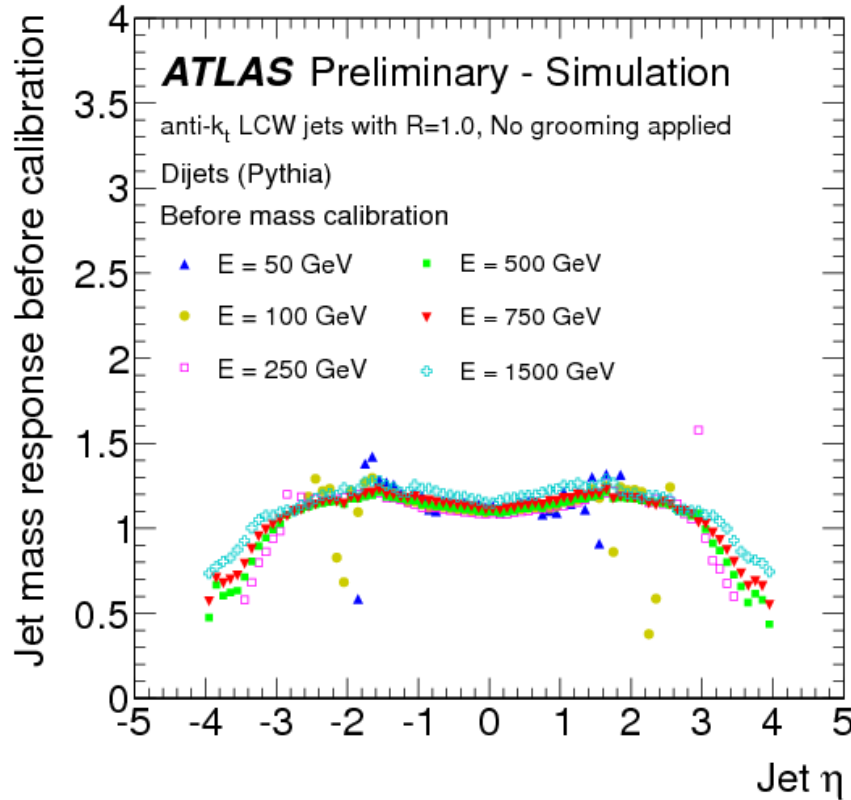
bold face: algorithm author recommendations

* Pruning parameters originally studied were changed with discussion with authors after very preliminary studies last fall (were $R_{\text{cut}} = 0.05, 0.1$ and $z_{\text{cut}} = 0.05, 0.1, 0.15$)

Jet calibration and selection

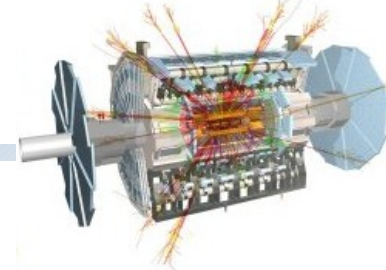


- Jets are built from “locally calibrated topological clusters” (LCW)
- Monte Carlo based calibration applied to correct scale
 - Measure calorimeter response with mean of a Gaussian fit to core of distribution of reco jet / truth jet (Pythia)
 - No pileup correction applied before JES/JMS corrections



- Events cleaned for detector noise and non-collision background

In situ validation of JES/JMS



- Double ratio method:**

$$r_{\text{track jet}}^m = \text{calo jet} / \text{track jet}$$

- Take mean of $r_{\text{track jet}}^m = R_{\text{data}}$ or R_{MC}

- Compute $R_{\text{data}}/R_{\text{MC}}$

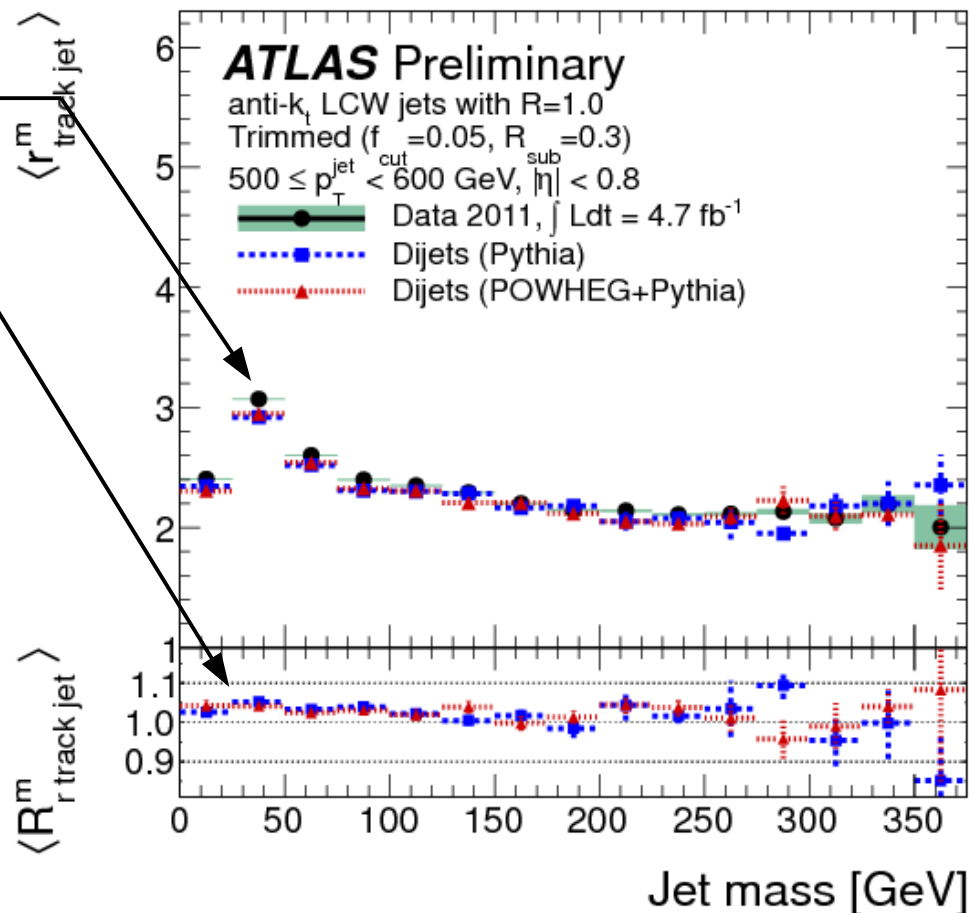
- Systematic is deviation from 1, taking the statistical uncertainty of the calo-to-track jet ratio into account

- weighted average (w_{bin} is the stat uncertainty):

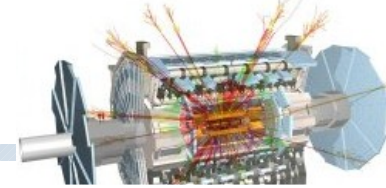
$$\langle \delta_{\text{MC}} \rangle = \frac{\sum_{\text{bins}} w_{\text{bin}} (R_{\text{rtrack-jet}}^m - 1)}{\sum_{\text{bins}} w_{\text{bin}}}$$

- Take the larger of either the Pythia or POWHEG comparison

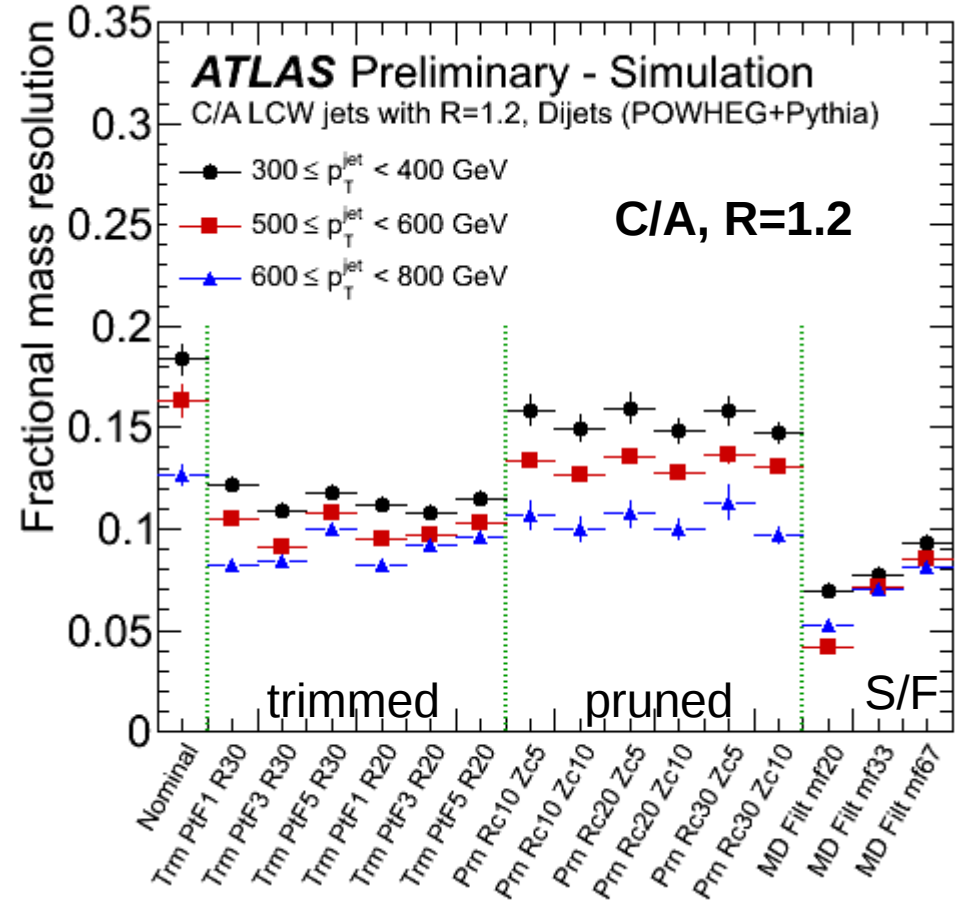
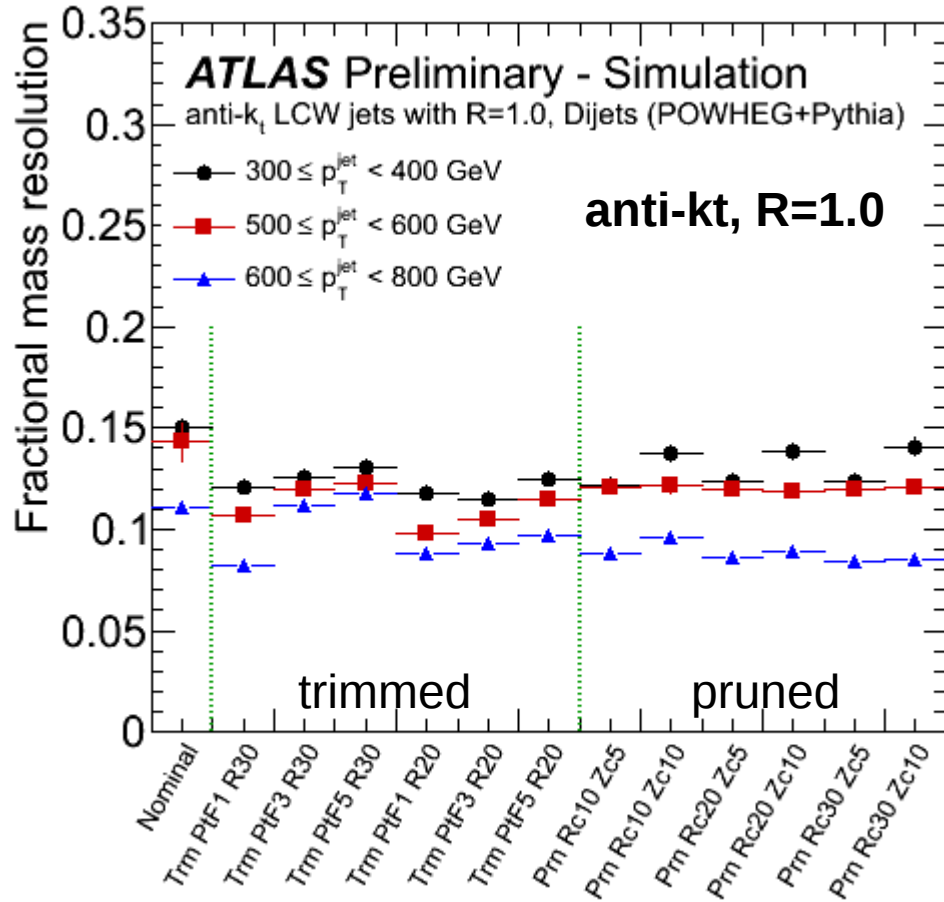
- JMS: fairly stable 4-5% up to $p_T \sim 800$ GeV**



Fractional mass resolution



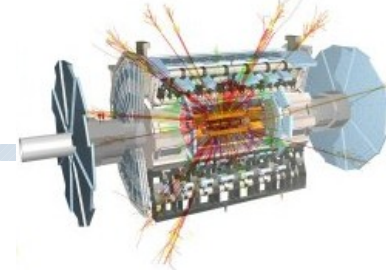
- **Leading jet in Powheg (NLO ME) + Pythia (PS), with pileup:** Reconstructed to truth jet matching within $dR < 0.75$, and truth jet must pass kinematic criteria



Note: calibration applied only to:

- Ungroomed ("Nominal") anti- k_t $R=1.0$ and C/A $R=1.2$
- anti- k_t $R=1.0$ with trimming ($f_{\text{cut}} = 3\%$, 5% and $R_{\text{sub}} = 0.3$)
- C/A $R=1.2$ with trimming: ($f_{\text{cut}} = 5\%$ and $R_{\text{sub}} = 0.3$) and mass-drop/filter ($\mu_{\text{frac}} = 0.67$)

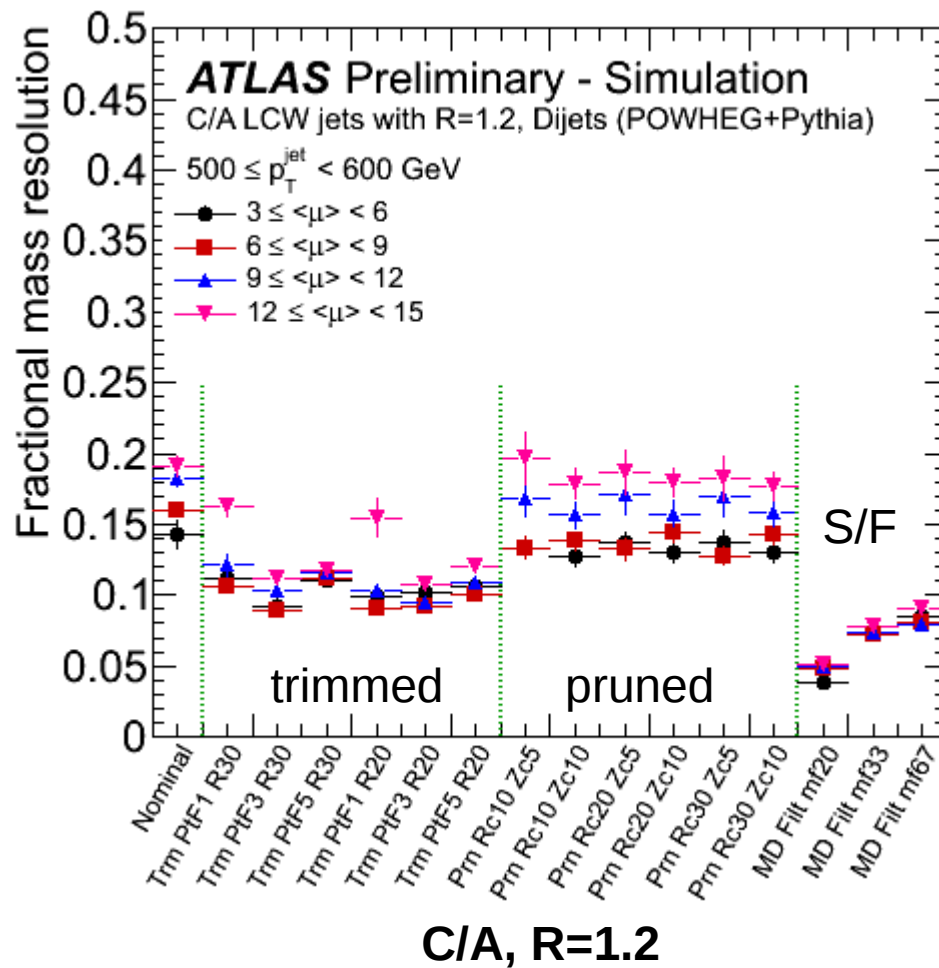
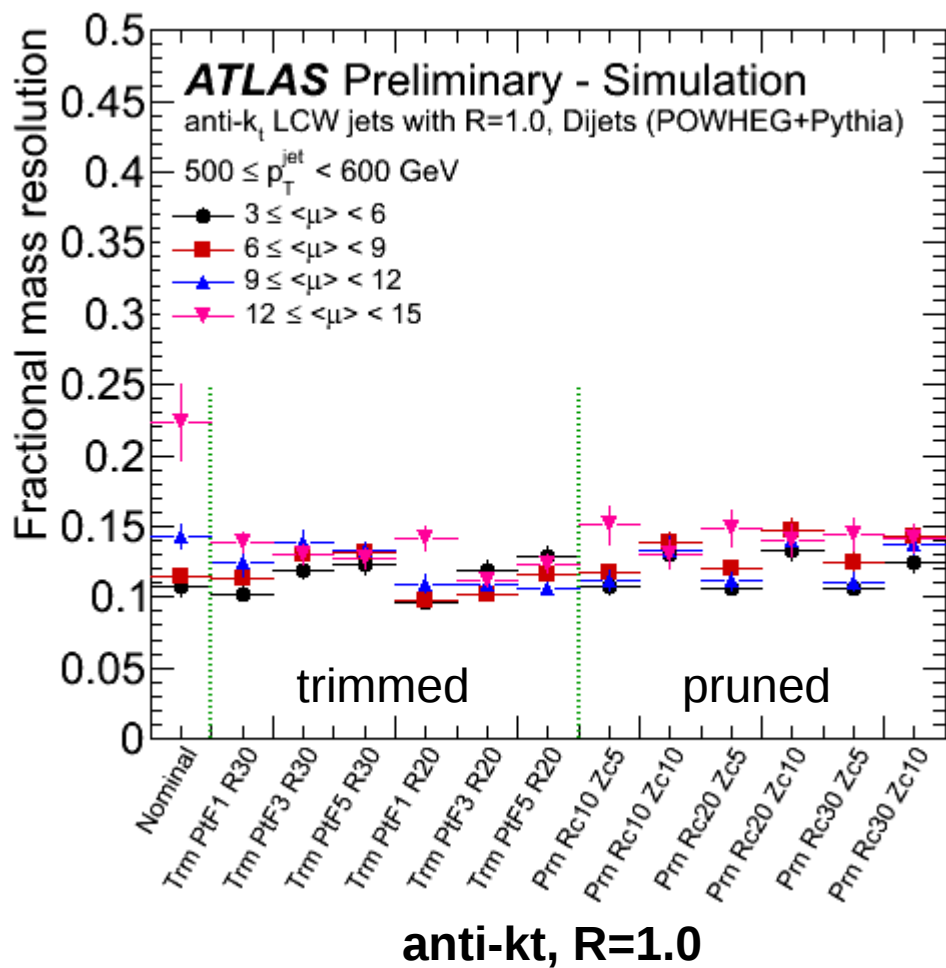
Mass resolution vs pileup



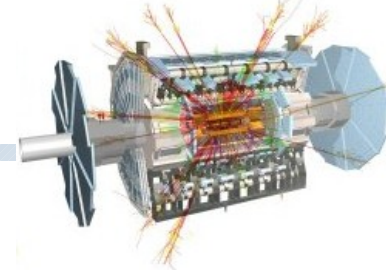
- Leading jet in Powheg (NLO ME) + Pythia (PS):

$500 < \text{jet } p_T < 600 \text{ GeV}$

average interactions per bunch crossing



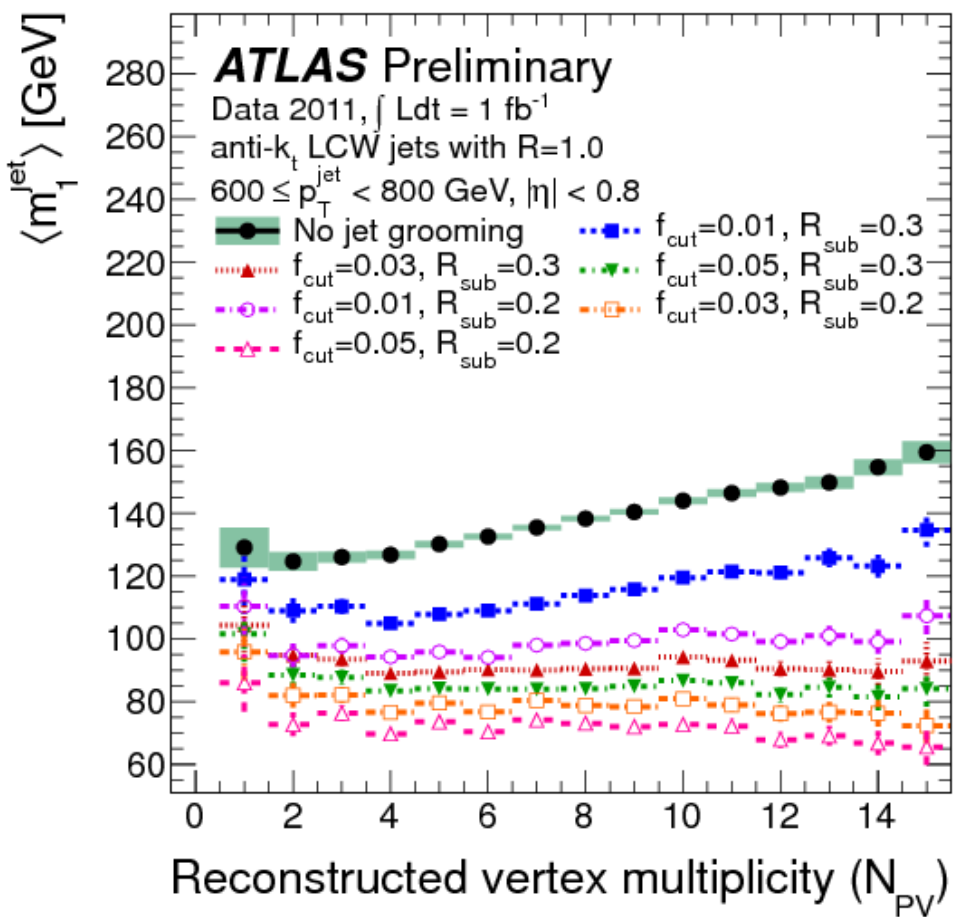
Mass vs pileup in data



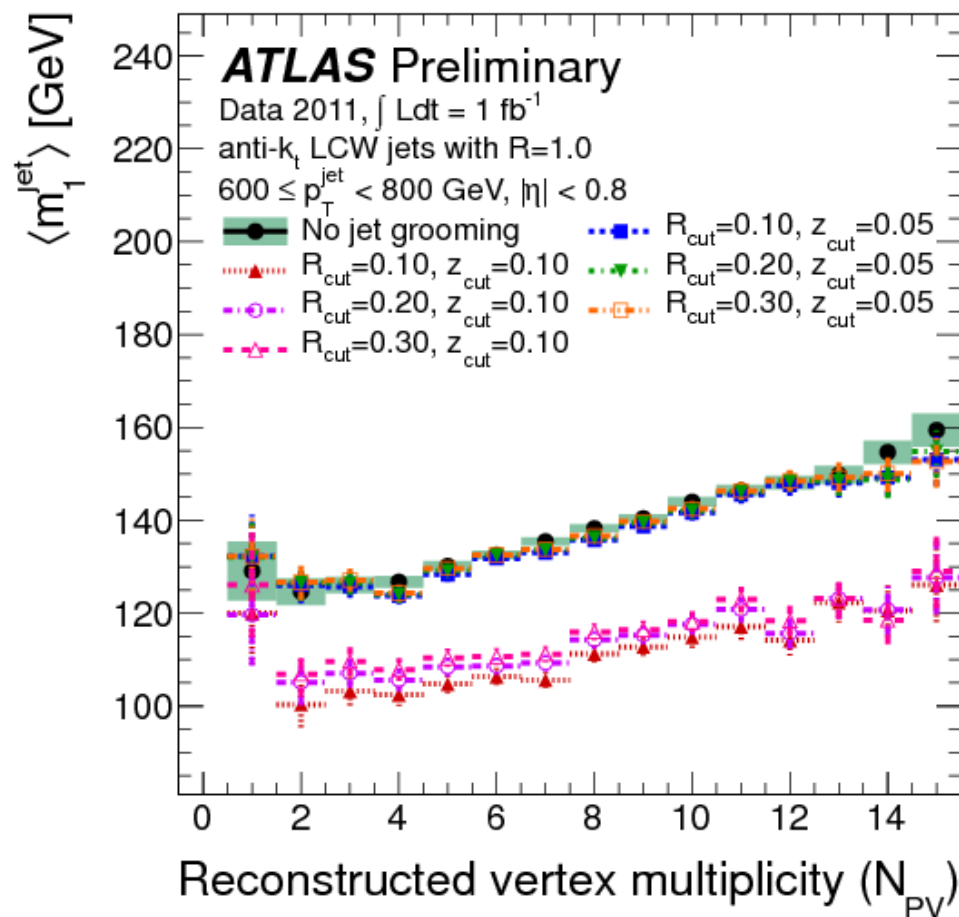
- Mean of mass distribution in data

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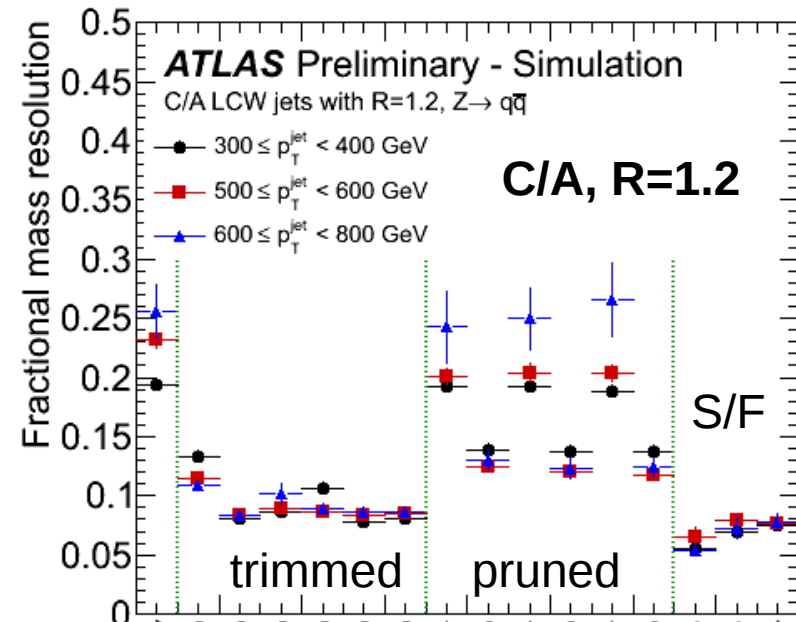
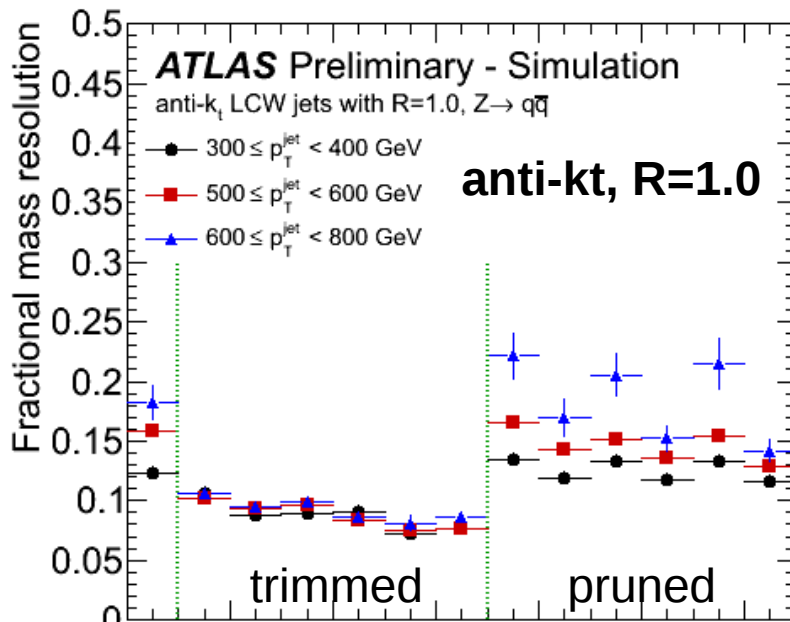
anti-kt R=1.0, Pruned



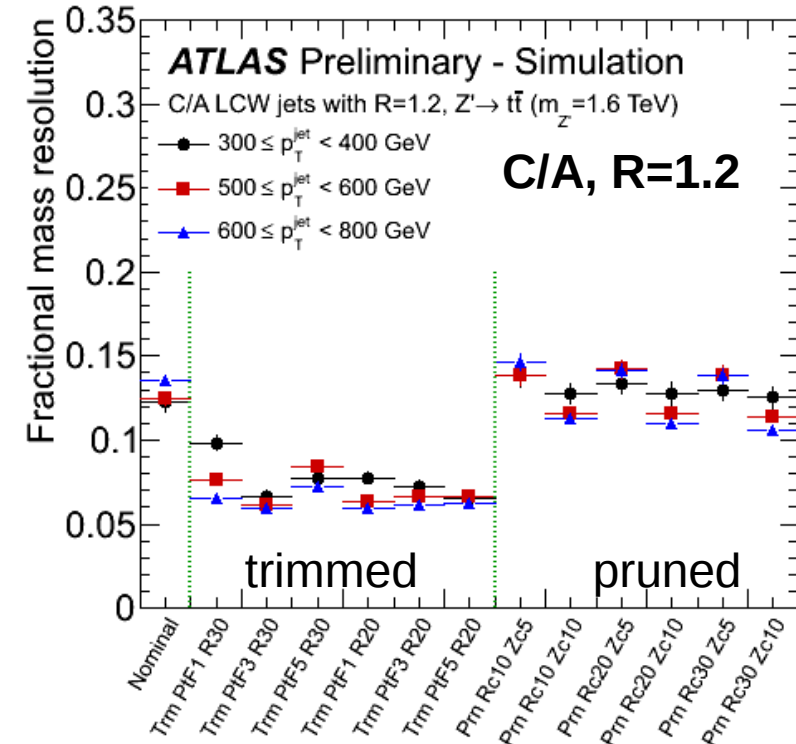
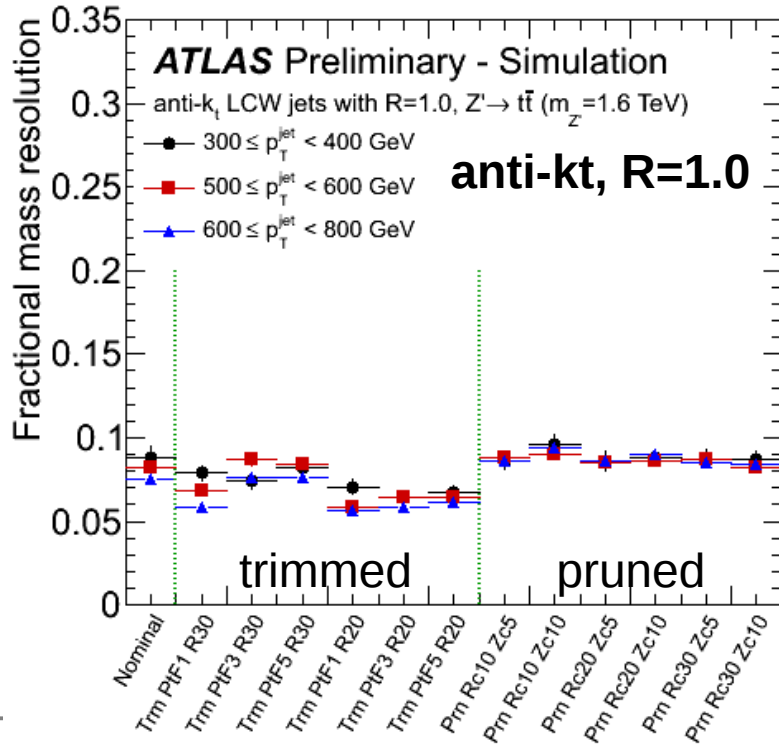
Resolution in boosted object events



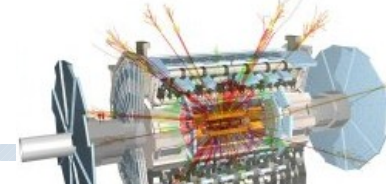
Herwig (ME)
+Jimmy (MPI)
 $Z \rightarrow q\bar{q}$ with pileup



Pythia $Z' \rightarrow t\bar{t}$
($M=1.6$ TeV) with pileup

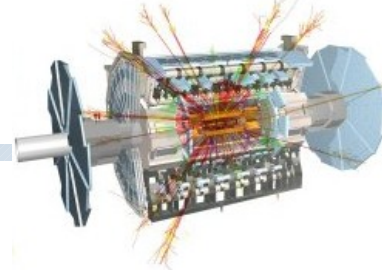


Recommendations for ATLAS



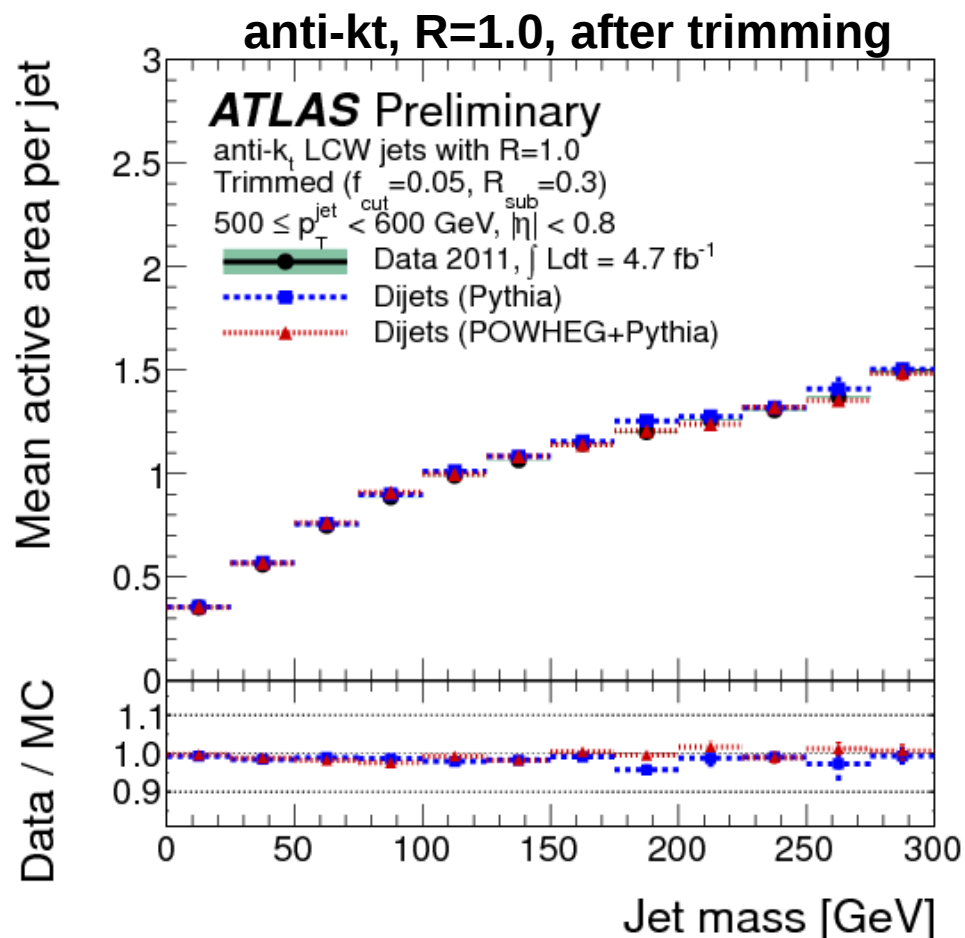
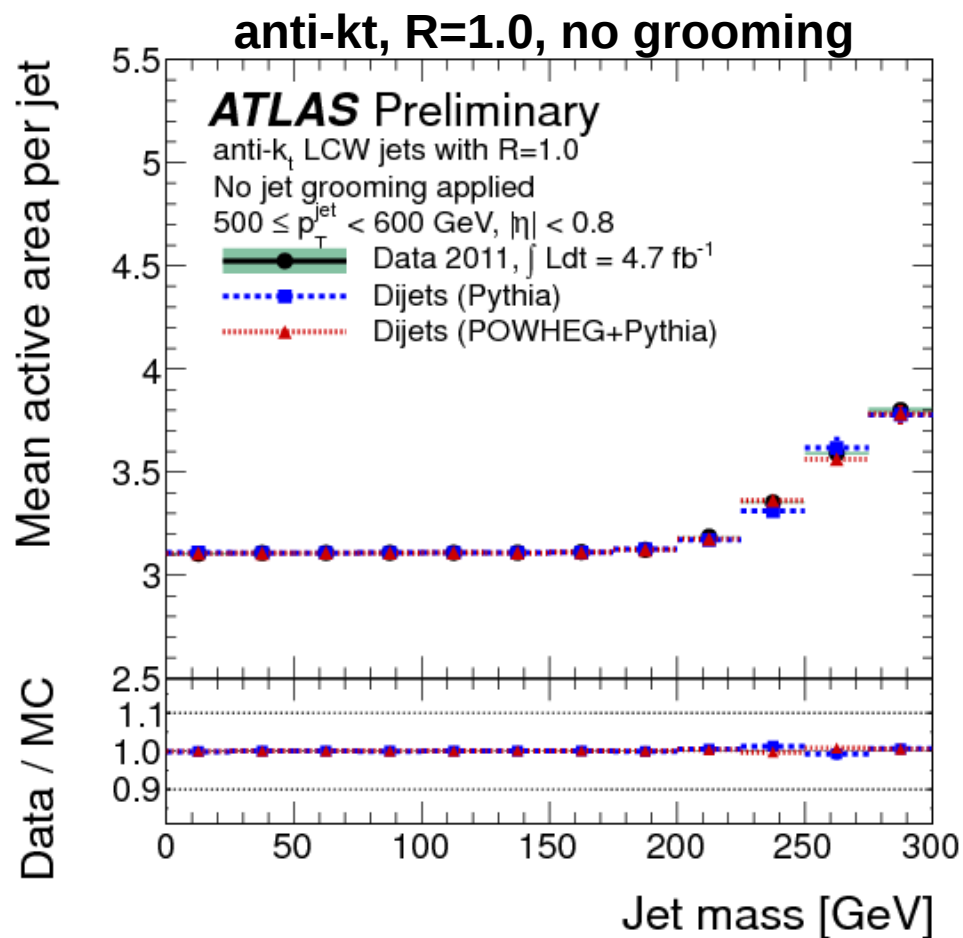
- Based on the above studies (and more not shown here), ATLAS found that **Trimmed anti-kt $R=1.0$ jets with $f_{\text{cut}} = 5\%$ and $R_{\text{sub}} = 0.3$** works best for our boosted top studies.
- **Mass-drop/filtered jets C/A $R=1.2$ jets with $\mu_{\text{frac}} = 0.67$** still show excellent performance and are recommended for two-body hadronic decay channels they were designed for.
- **A note on pruning:**
 - Most optimization was done as a function of pileup (not original design of algorithm)
 - That being said, initial studies show that a stricter $z_{\text{cut}} = 0.15$ (with $R_{\text{cut}} = 0.3$) looks promising
 - Will also look into event-by-event tuning using NPV, for example.

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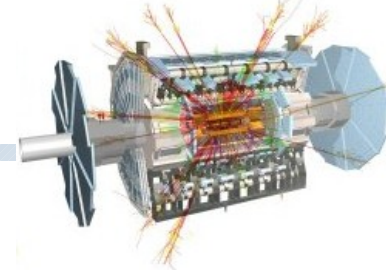


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- Before trimming: area $\sim \pi$ ($R=1.0$)
- After: reduced by factor 3 to 5 (well described in MC)



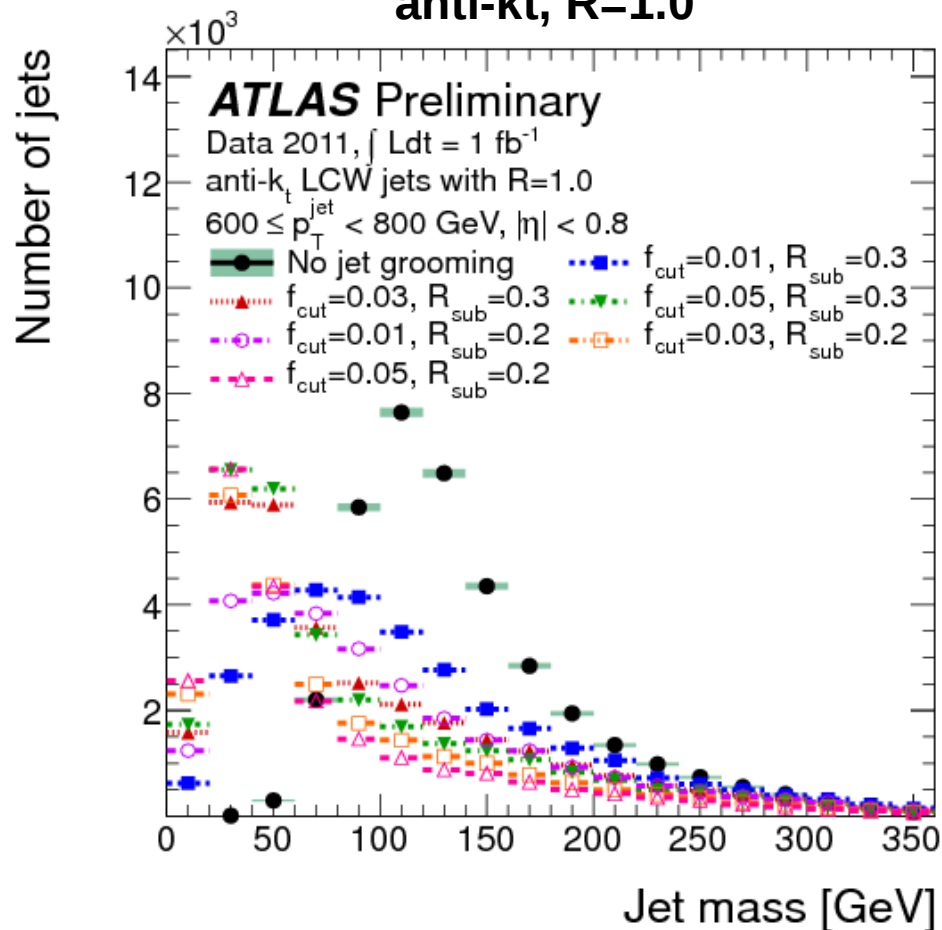
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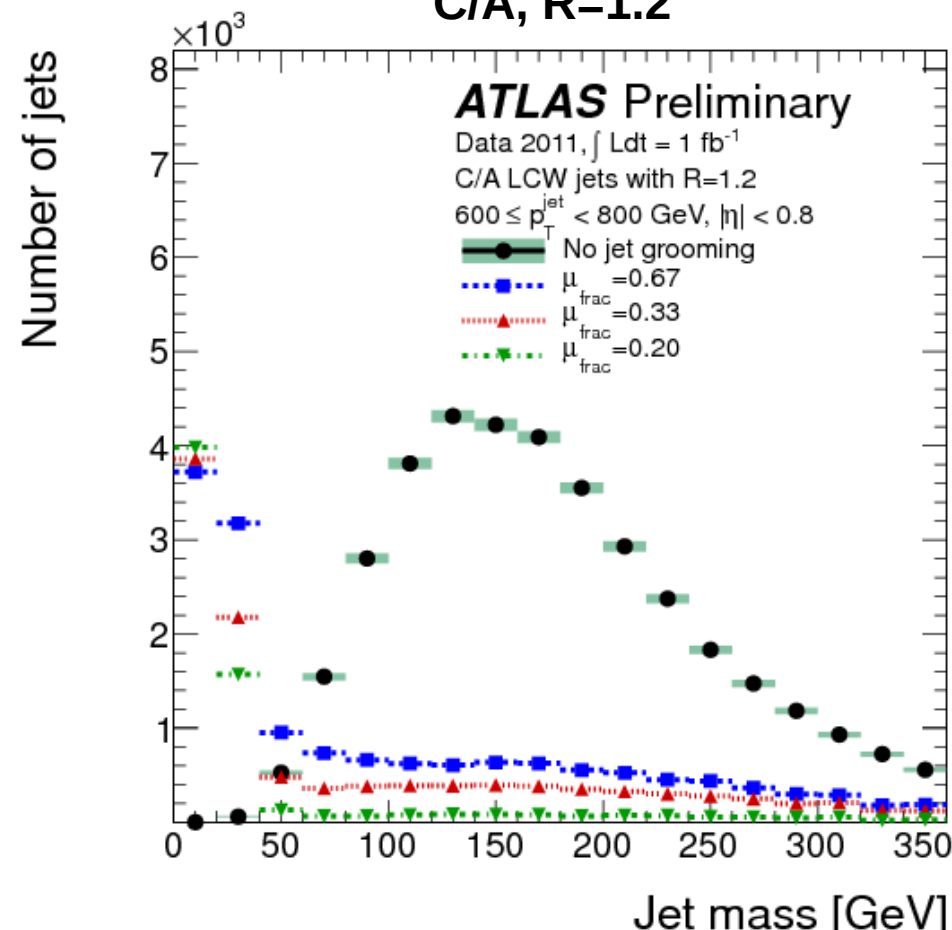
• Jet mass

-grooming causes mass to be pushed lower

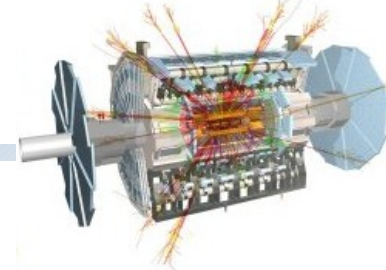
anti-kt, R=1.0



C/A, R=1.2



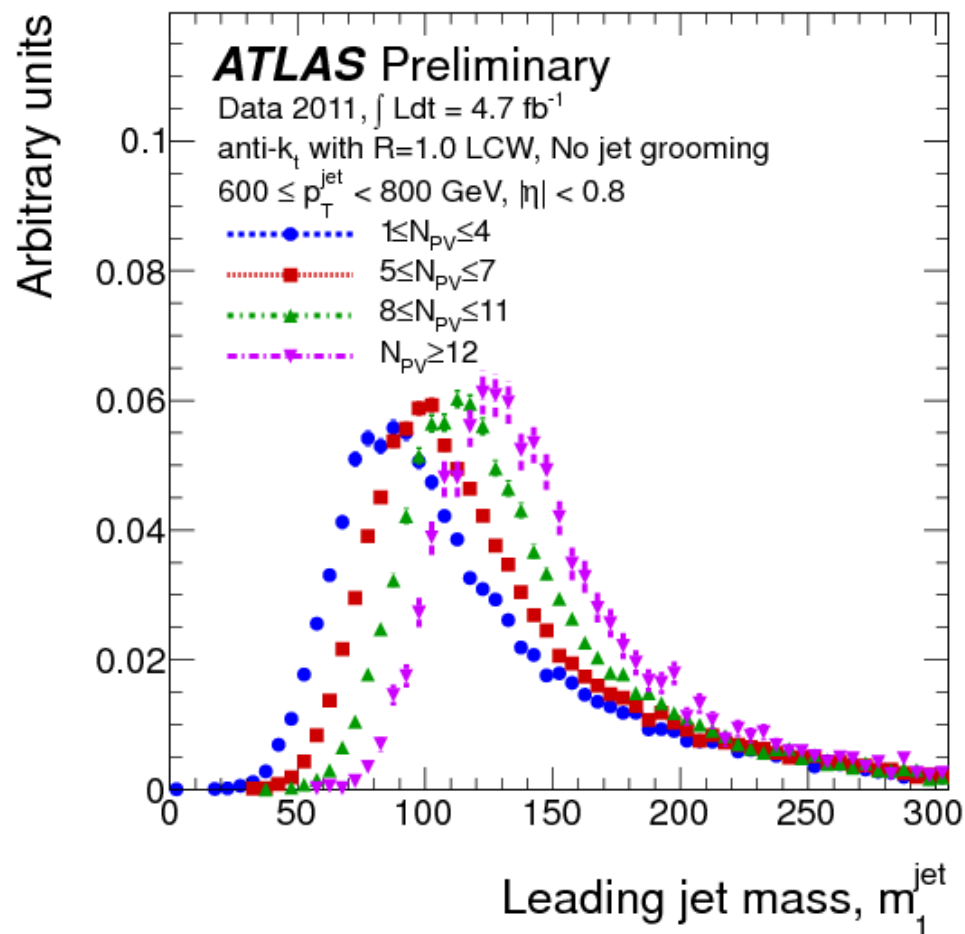
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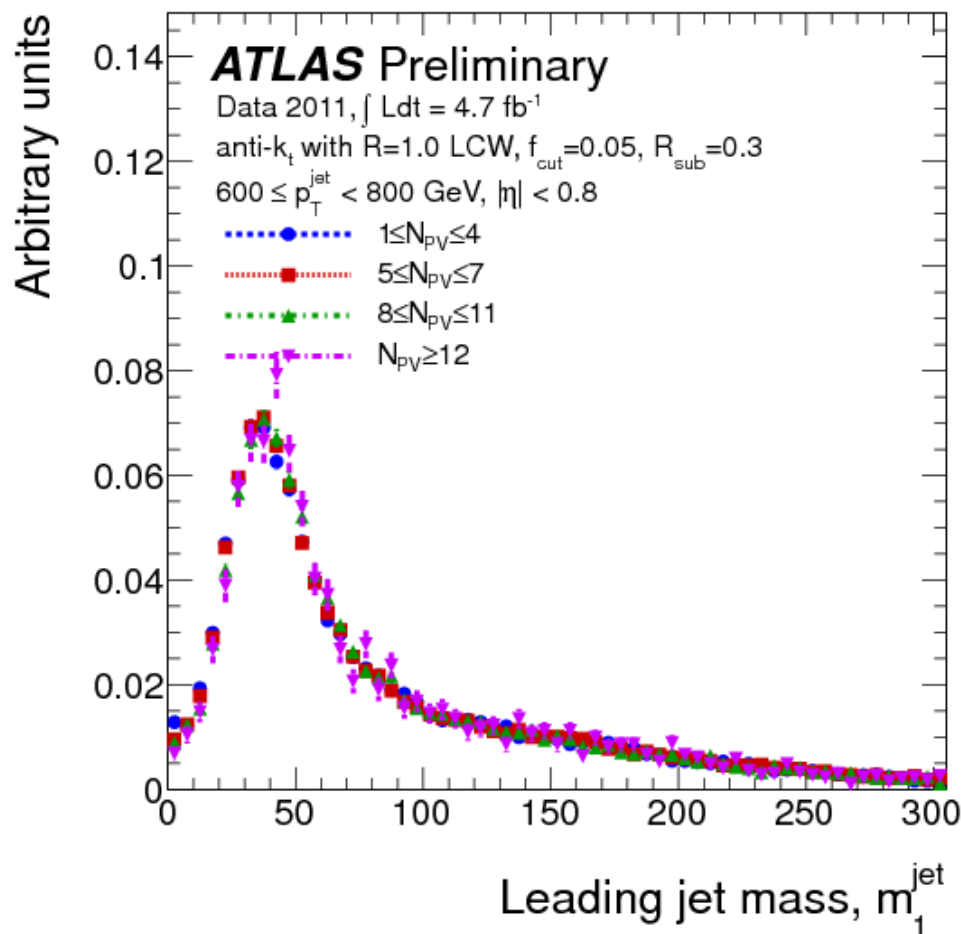
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- Compare ungroomed jets with trimmed vs pileup

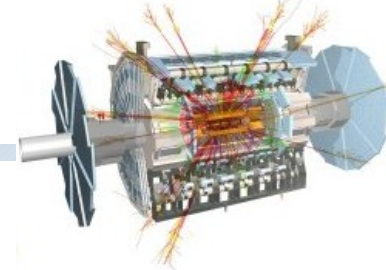
anti-kt, R=1.0, no grooming



anti-kt, R=1.0, after trimming



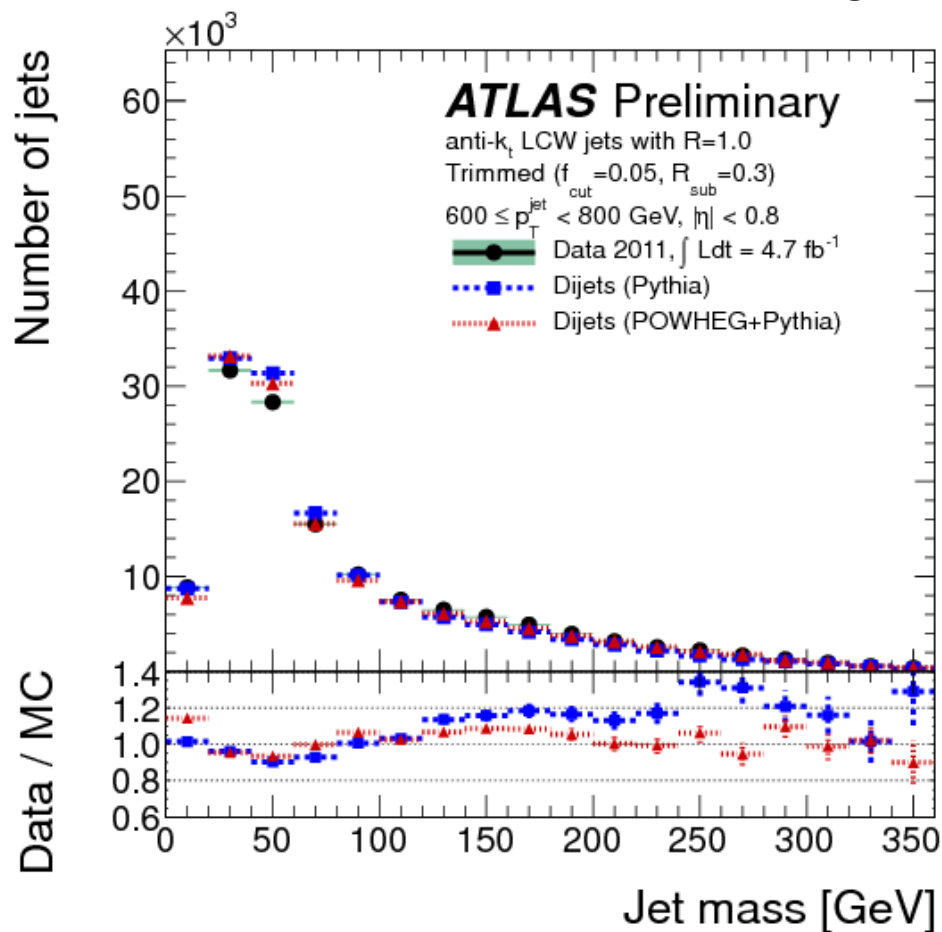
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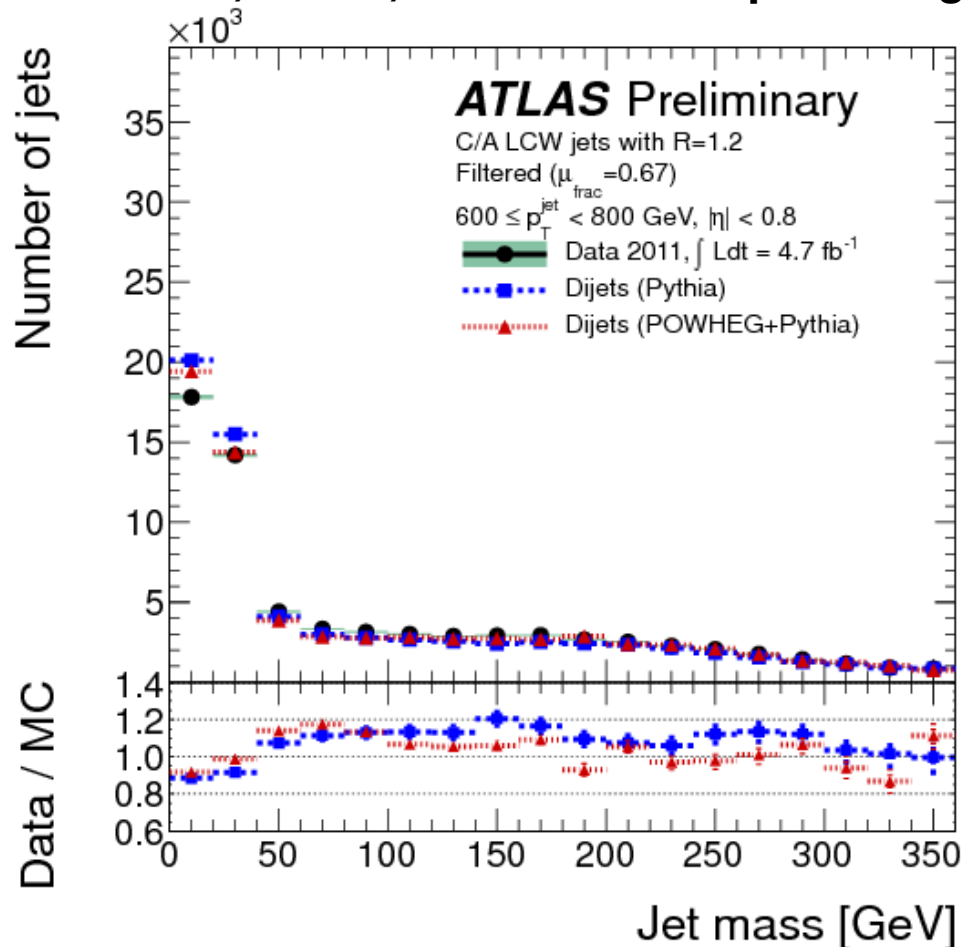
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- LO (Pythia) vs NLO (POWHEG)

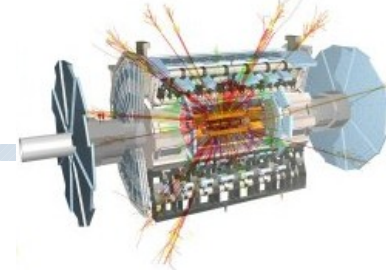
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C/A, R=1.2, after mass-drop/filtering



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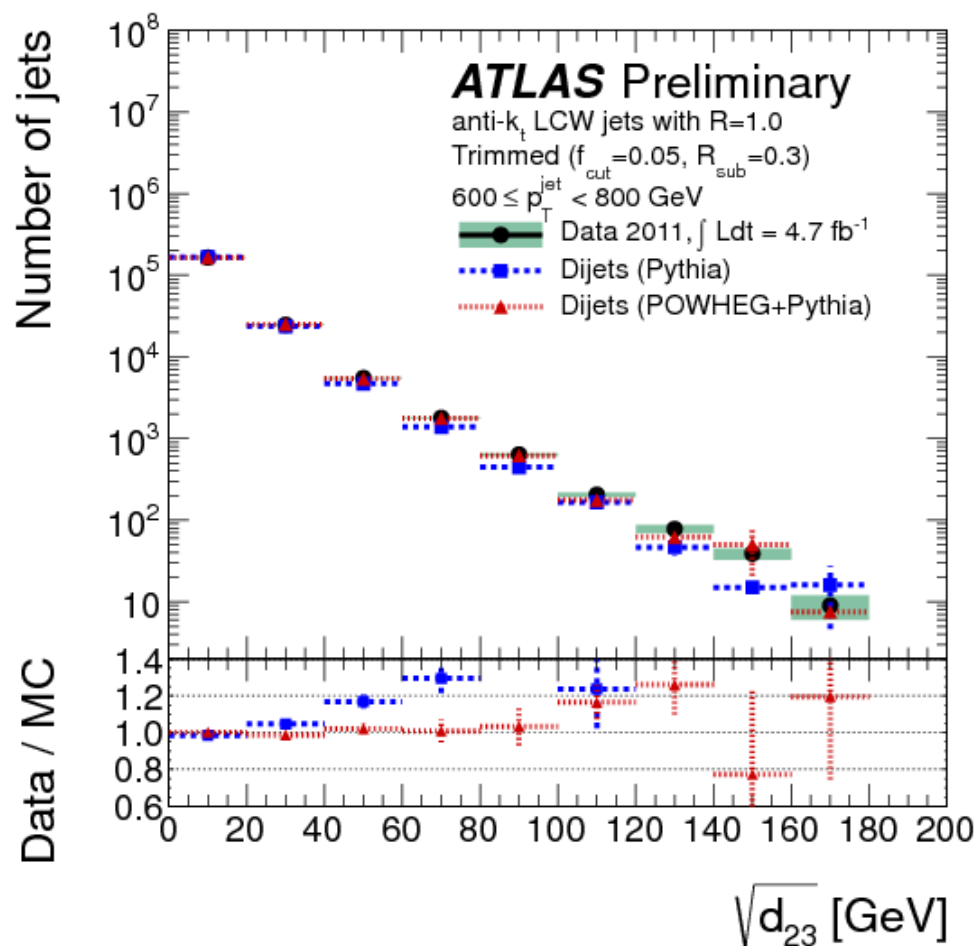
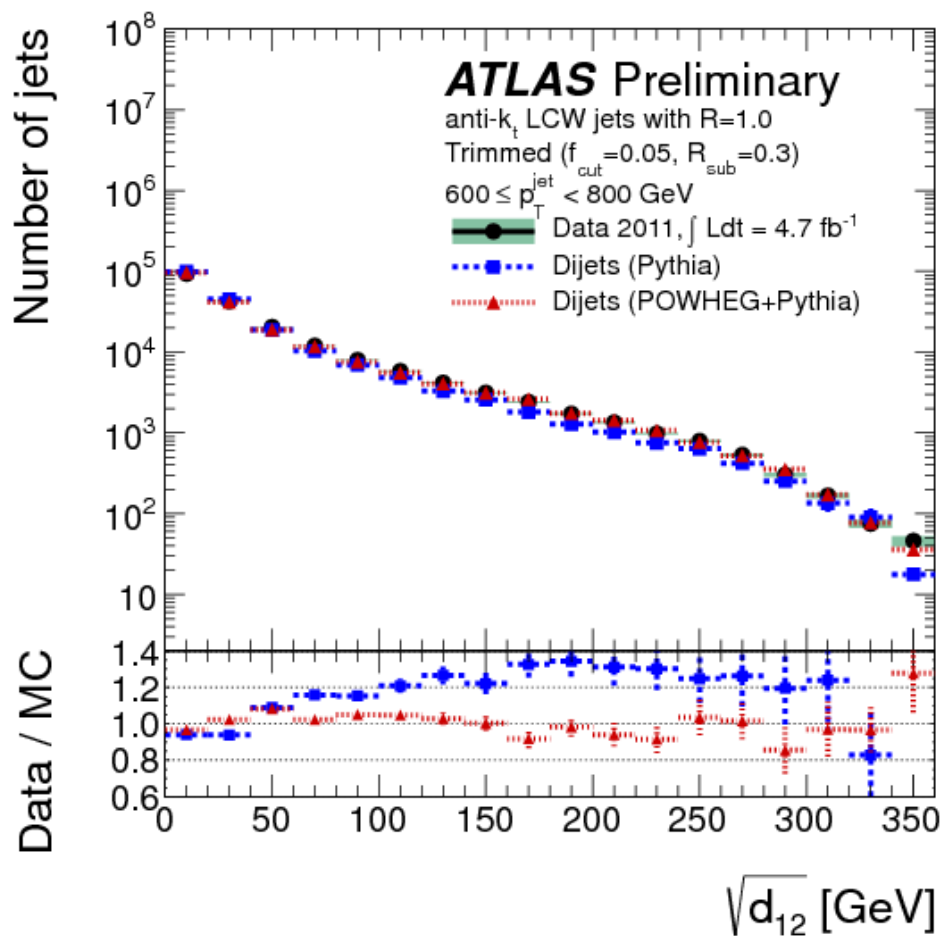


kt-splitting scales

$$\sqrt{d_{ij}} = \min(p_{Ti}, p_{Tj}) \times \Delta R_{ij}$$

$i, j = 1, 2$: last two constituents before final reclustering
 $i, j = 2, 3$: second and third to last constituents

anti-kt, R=1.0, after trimming



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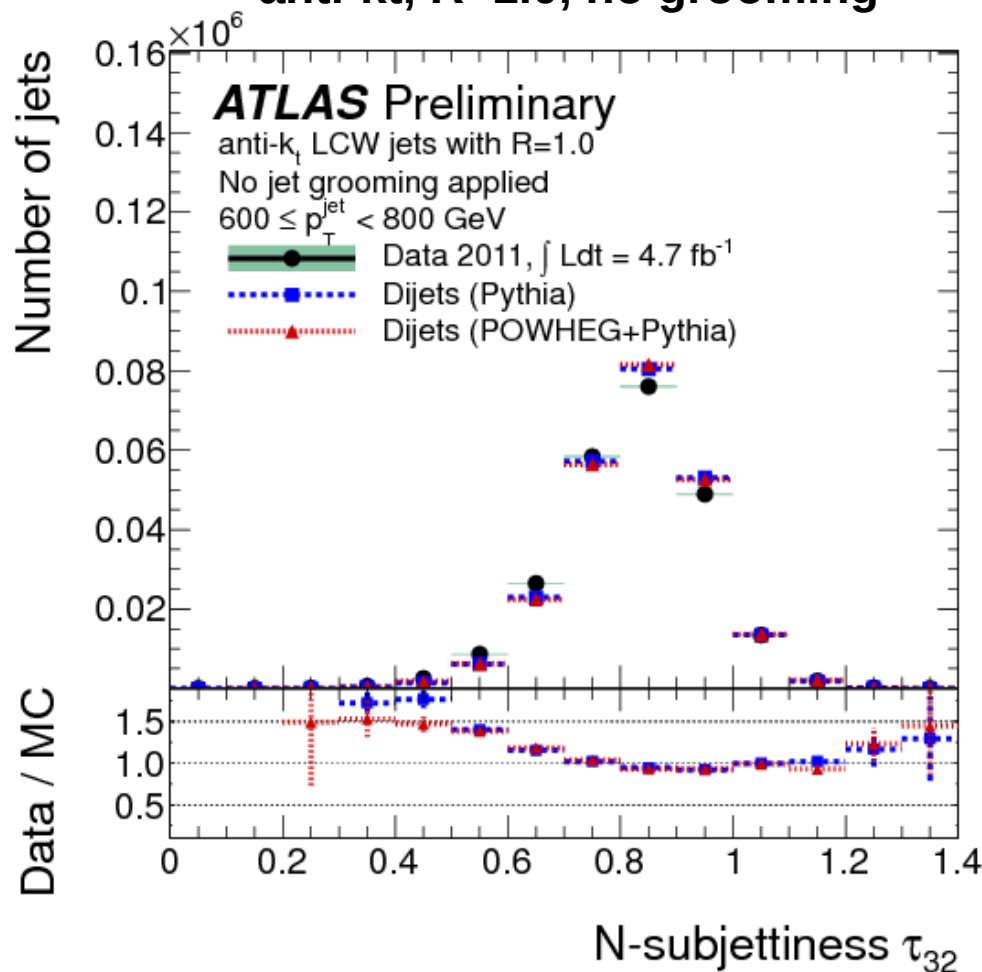


- **N-subjettiness:** Jets with $\tau_N \approx 0$ have all their radiation aligned with the candidate subjet directions and therefore can be considered as having N or fewer subjets

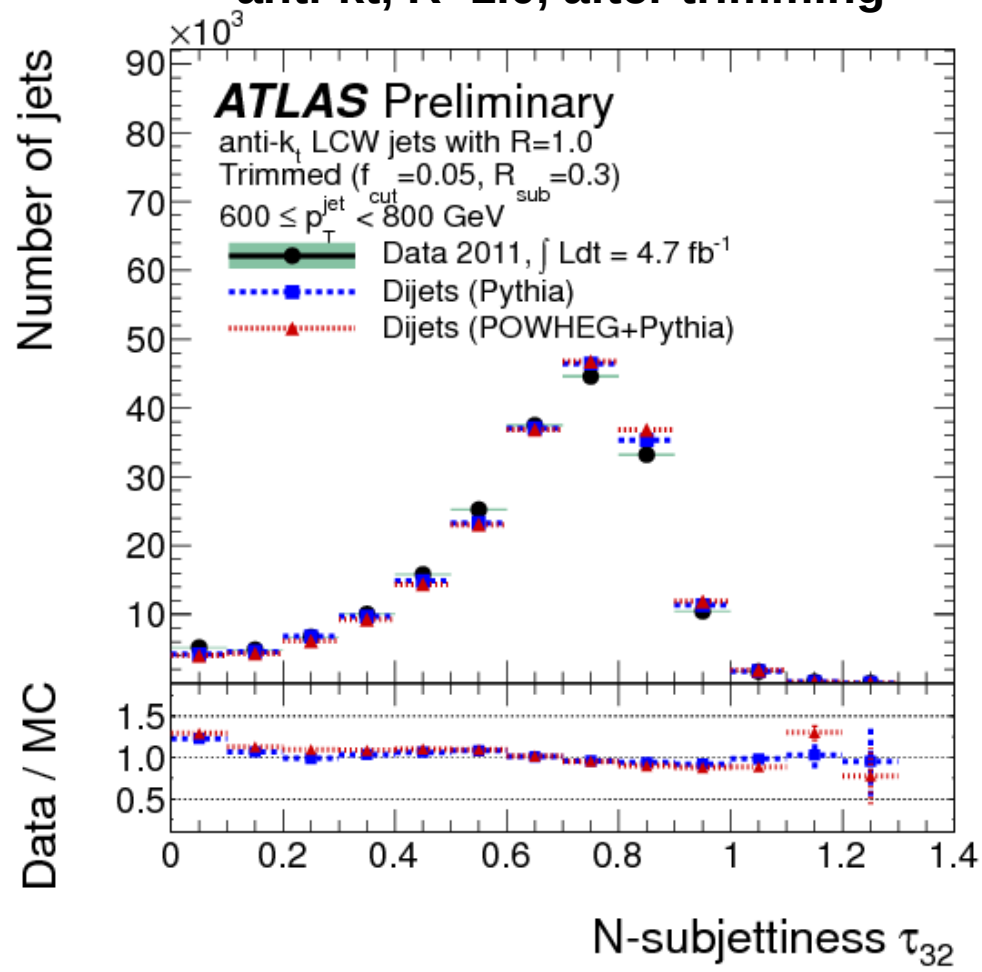
$$\tau_N = \frac{\sum_k p_{T,k} \min \{ \Delta R_{1,k}, R_{2,k}, \dots, R_{N,k} \}^\beta}{\sum_k p_{T,k} R_0} \quad (\text{for } k \text{ constituent particles})$$

- Here, kt subjet axes have not been optimized, $\beta=1$

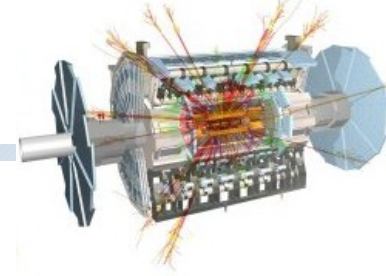
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anti-kt, R=1.0, after trimming



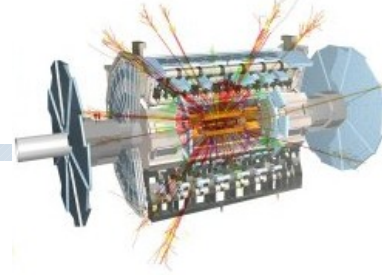
Signal/background discrimination



- **Background:** jets from gluons/light quarks
- **Signal:** jets with real substructure

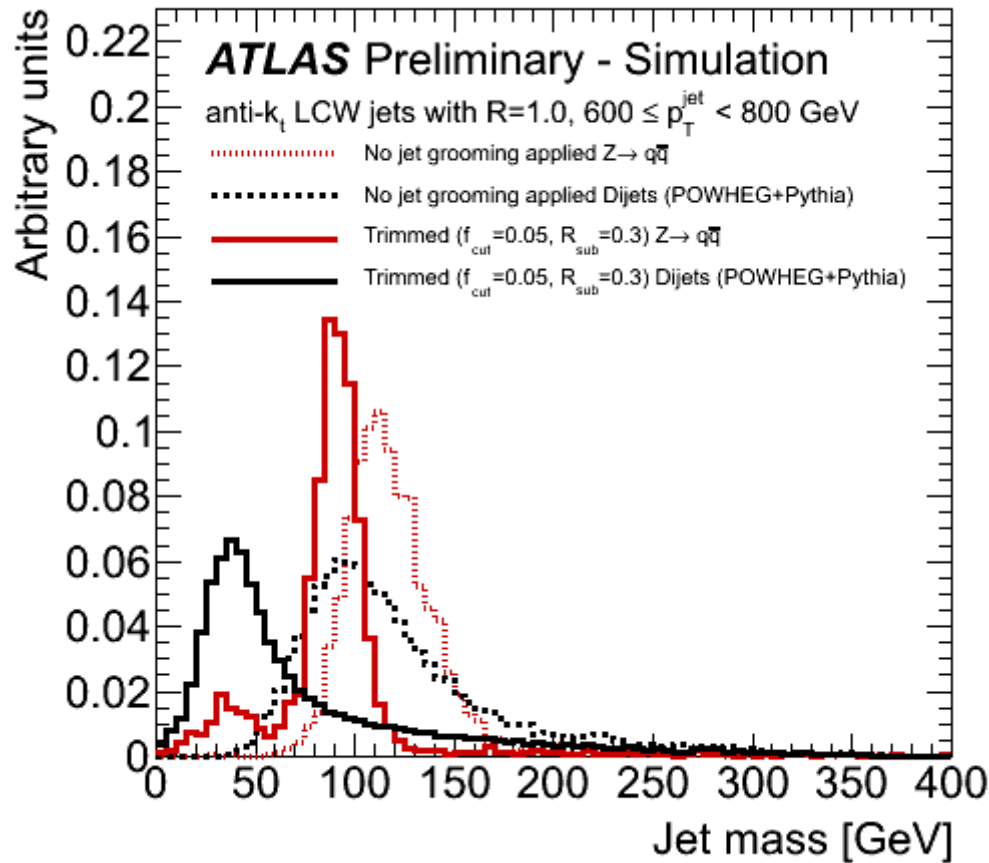
- “Two prong” (hadronic W/Z's, $H \rightarrow b\bar{b}$)
 - Tried out anti-kt $R=1.0$ with trimming and C/A $R=1.2$ with mass-drop/filtering
- “Three prong” (hadronically-decaying tops)
 - Tried out anti-kt $R=1.0$ and C/A $R=1.2$ with trimming

Z → qq events

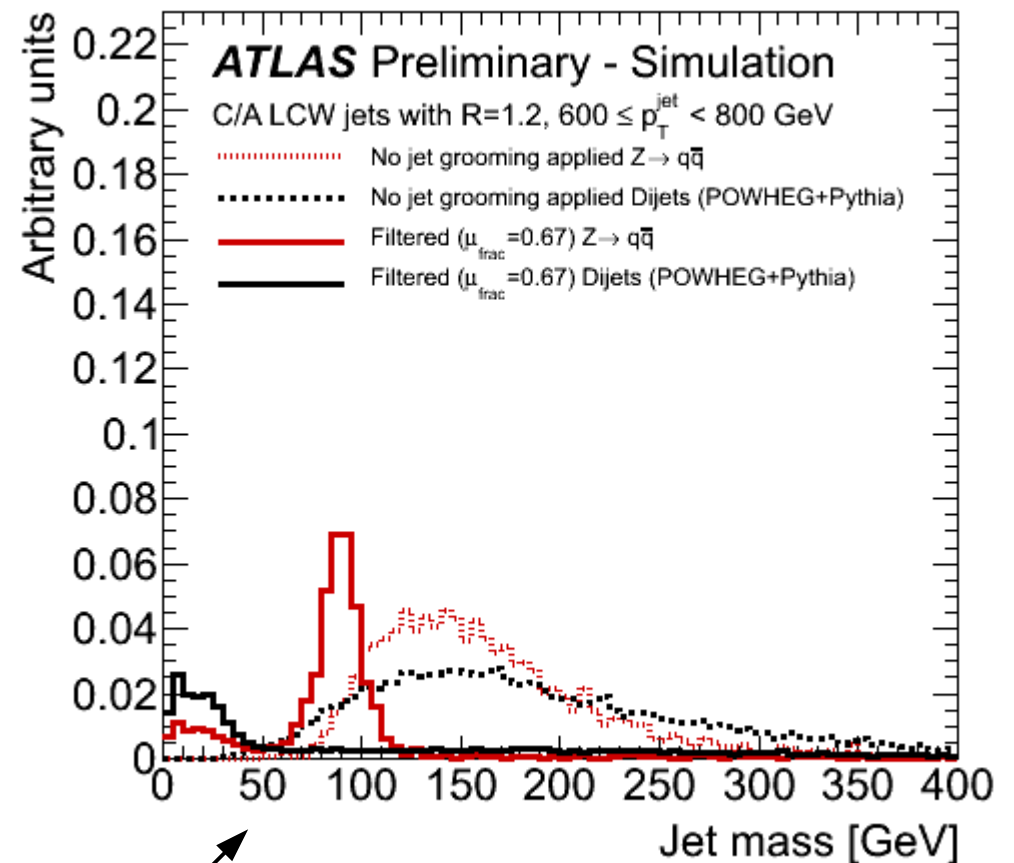


- Background: inclusive dijet sample (Powheg + pythia)
- $600 < \text{jet } p_T < 800 \text{ GeV}$

anti-kt R=1.0, (before/after trimming)

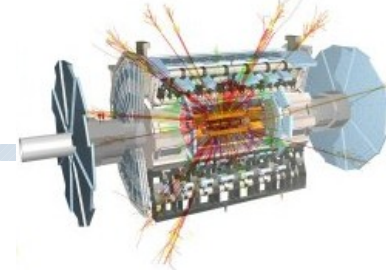


C/A R=1.2, (before/after mass-drop/filtering)



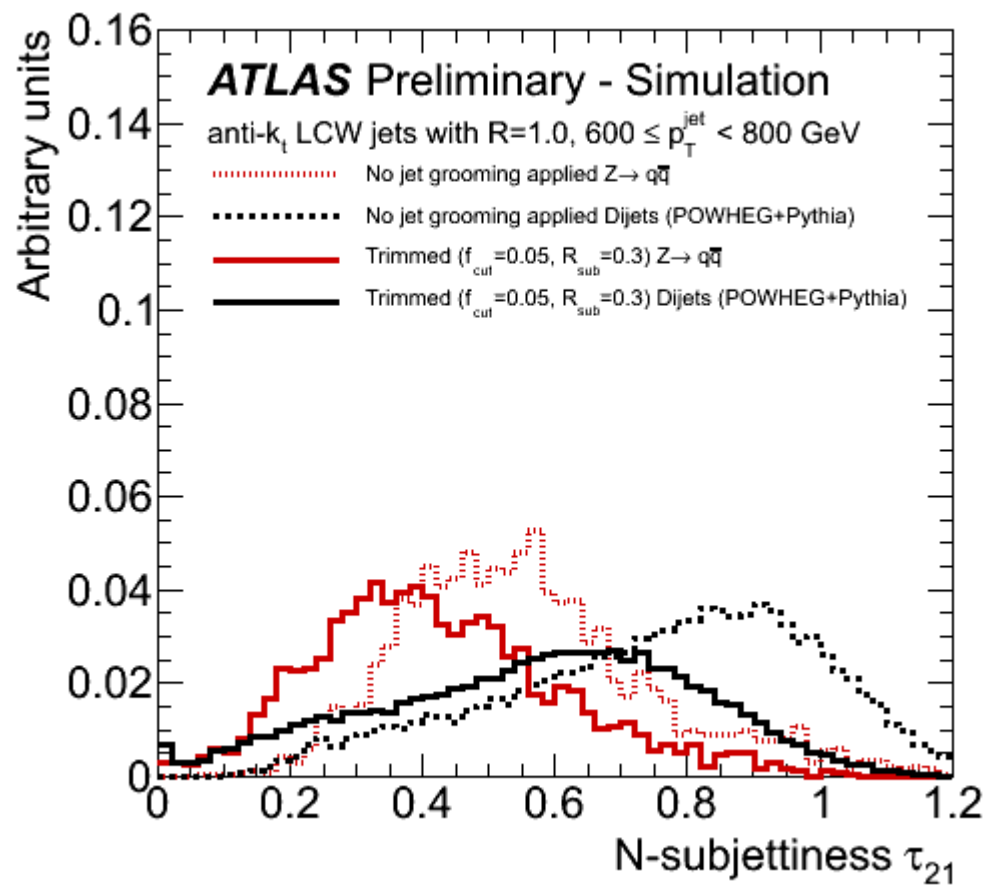
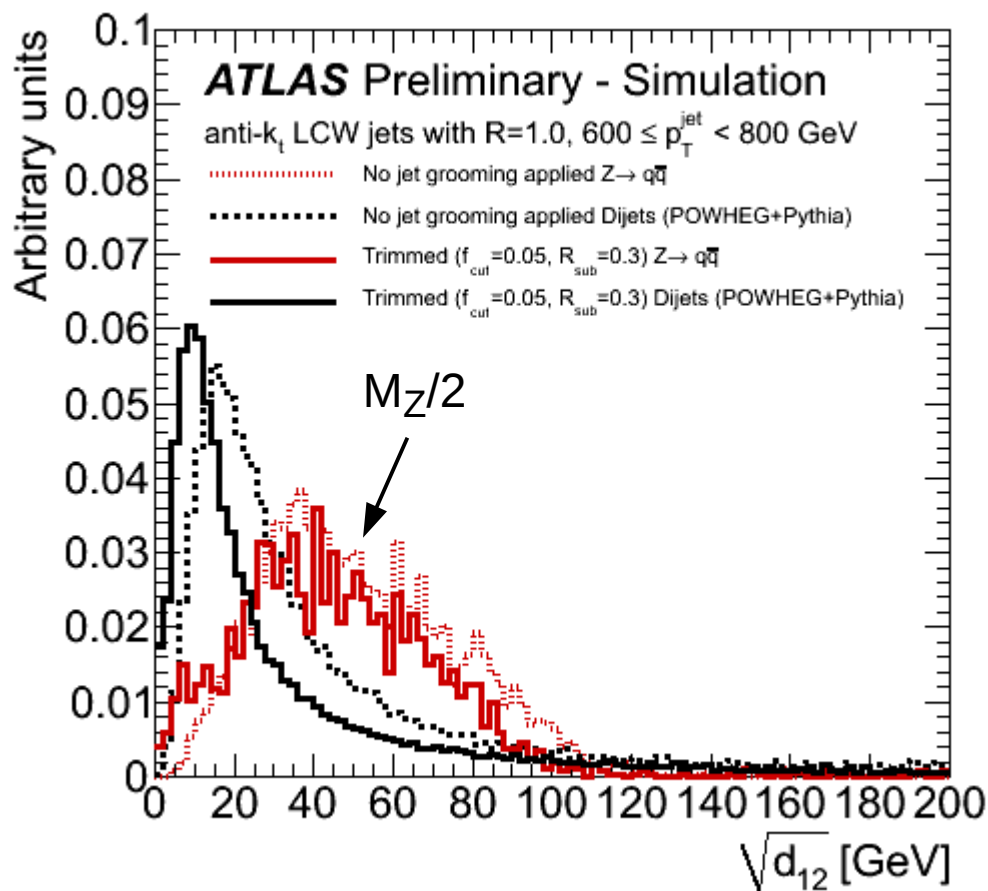
Note strict mass-drop criterion:
~30% efficient for background, ~45% for signal

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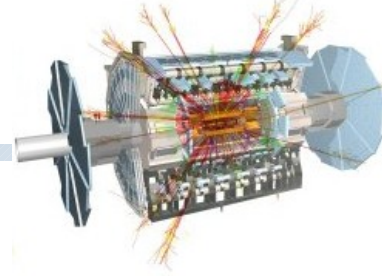


- Background: inclusive dijet sample (Powheg + pythia)
- $600 < \text{jet } p_T < 800 \text{ GeV}$

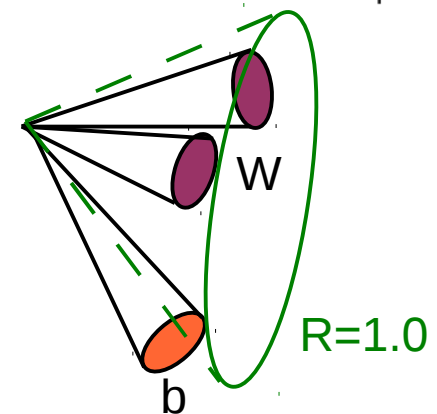
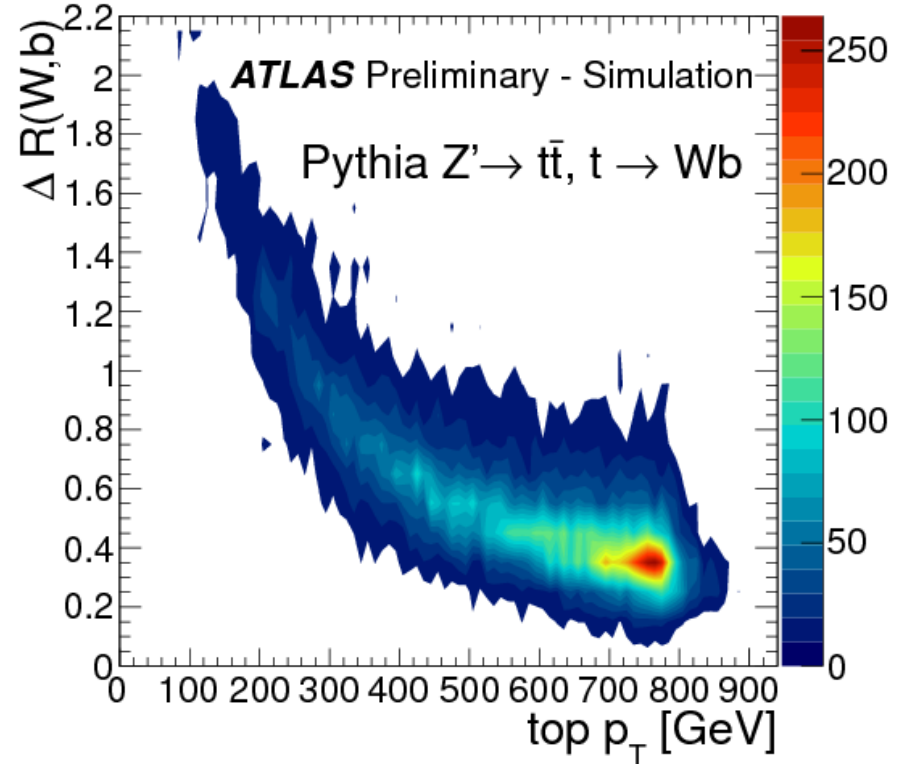
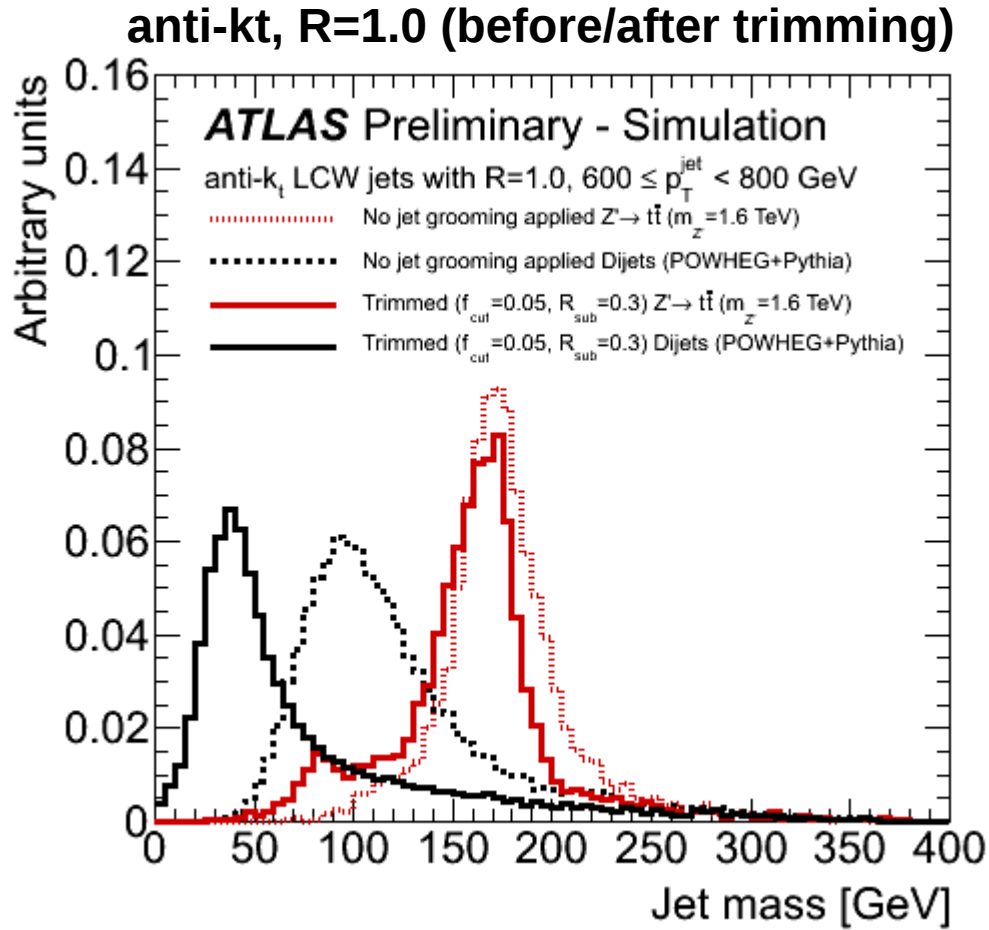
anti-kt, R=1.0 (before/after trimming)



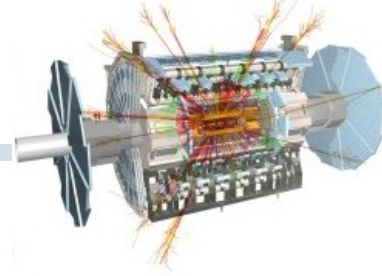
$Z' \rightarrow t\bar{t}$ events



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- $600 < \text{jet } p_T < 800 \text{ GeV}$

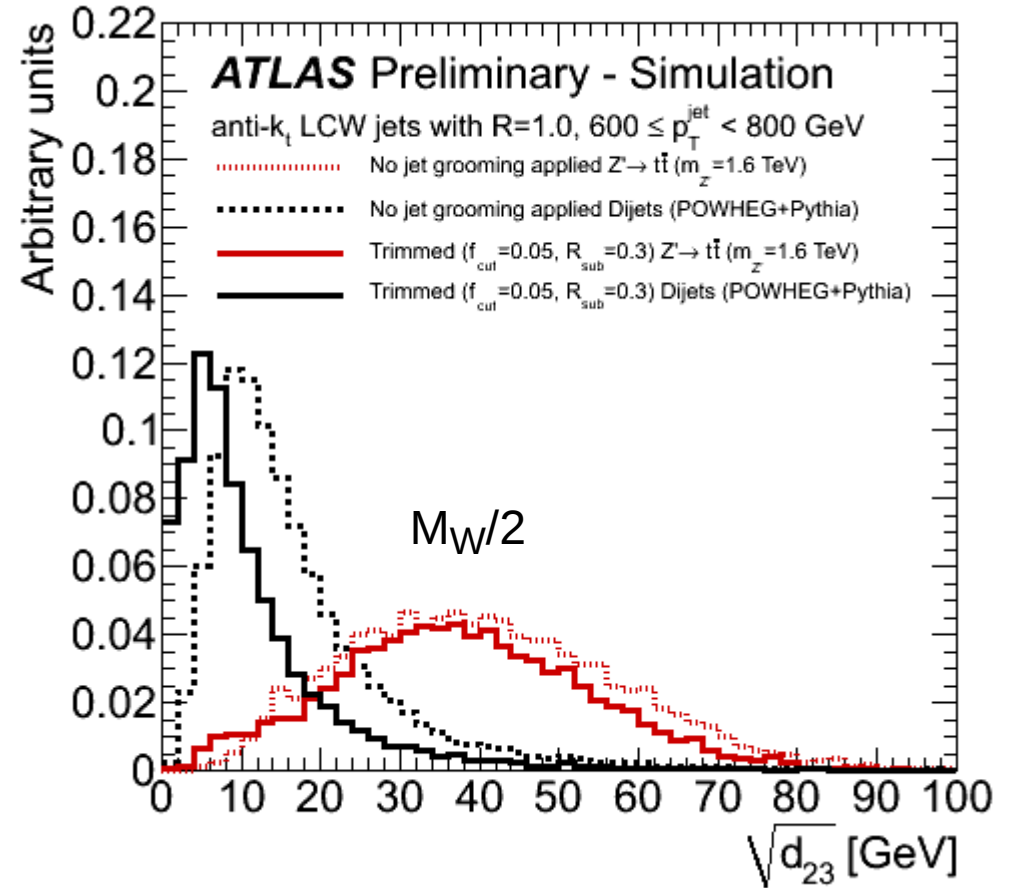
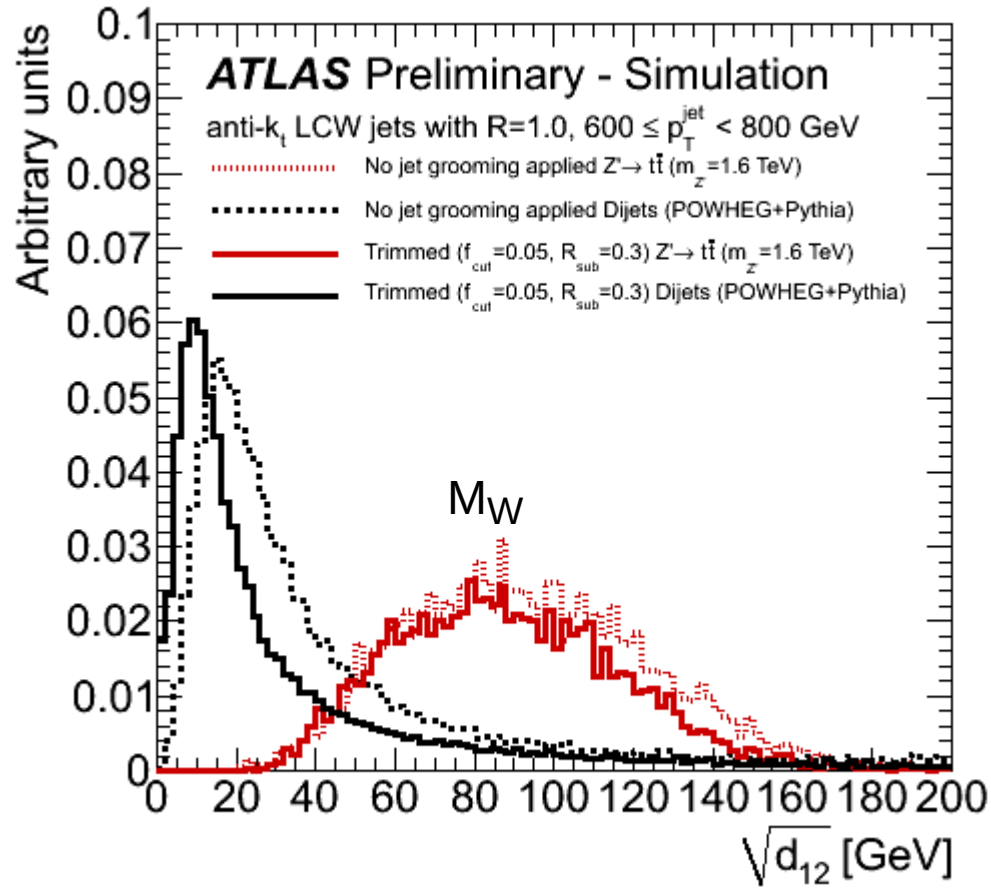


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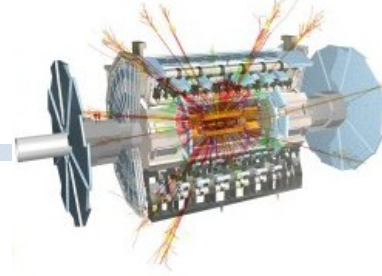


- Background: inclusive dijet sample (Powheg + pythia)
- $600 < \text{jet } p_T < 800 \text{ GeV}$

anti- k_t $R=1.0$, (before/after trimming)

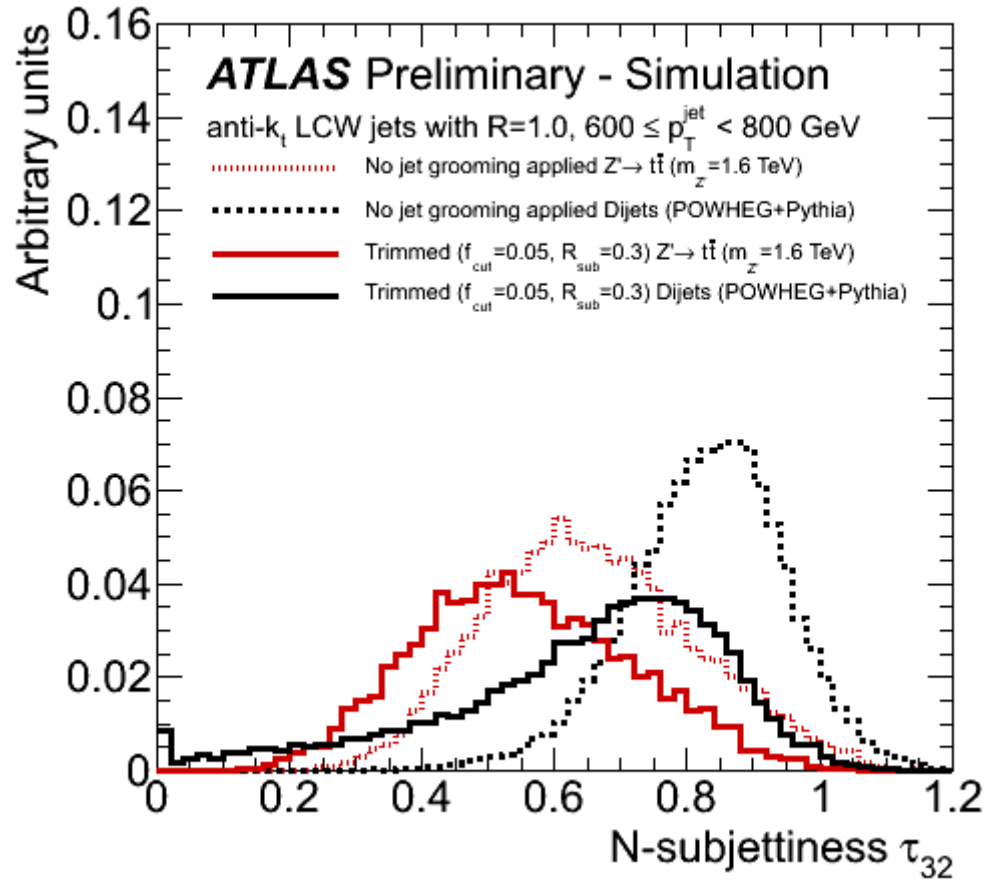


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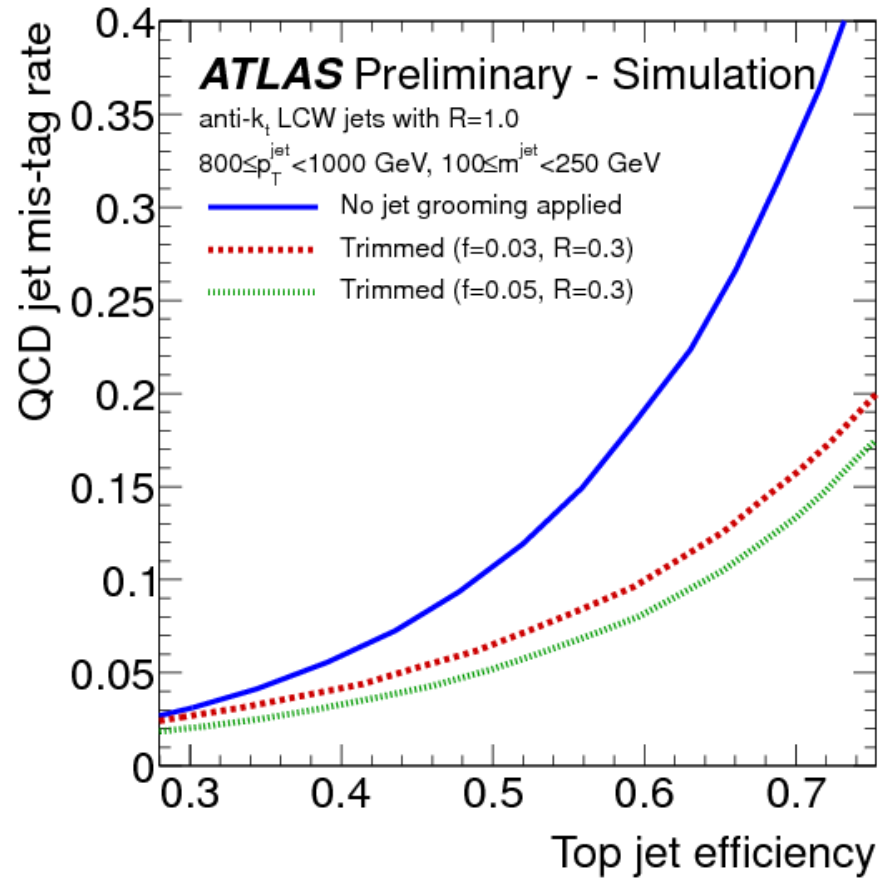


- Background: inclusive dijet sample (Powheg + pythia)
- N-subjettiness, using as a top-tagger:

anti-kt, R=1.0 (before/after trimming)

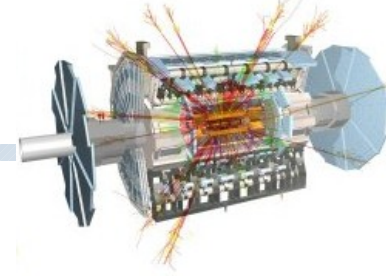


**$600 < p_T < 800$ GeV
(no mass cut)**

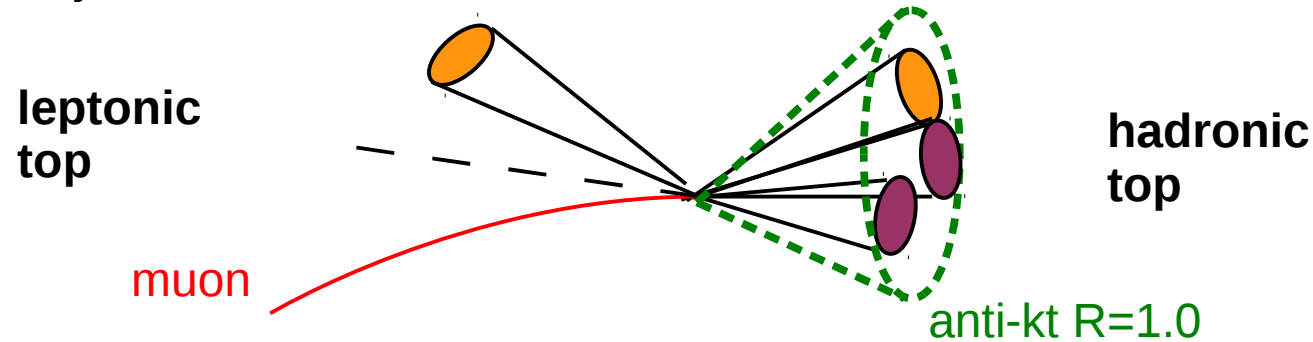


**$800 < p_T < 1000$ GeV
($100 < M < 250$ GeV)**

SM $t\bar{t}$ events in data

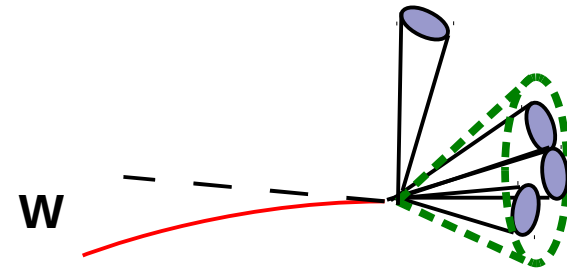


- Want to demonstrate the effect of grooming on jets with substructure
- **Enriched $t\bar{t}$ sample:** “tag” a leptonic top $\rightarrow Wb \rightarrow \mu\bar{\nu}b$ and study the hadronic top in a large-R jet

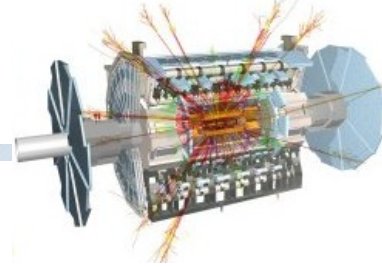


- Event Selection (Note: no data-driven bg estimations or systematics applied):
 - Standard data quality + vertex requirements + muon trigger (EF muon $p_T > 18$ GeV)
 - Four anti-kt $R=0.4$ jets with $p_T > 25$ GeV
 - Isolated muon with combined reconstruction in ID and MS, $p_T > 25$ GeV, $|\eta| < 2.5$
 - Missing energy $ME_T > 20$ GeV, and $ME_T + M_T(W) > 60$ GeV

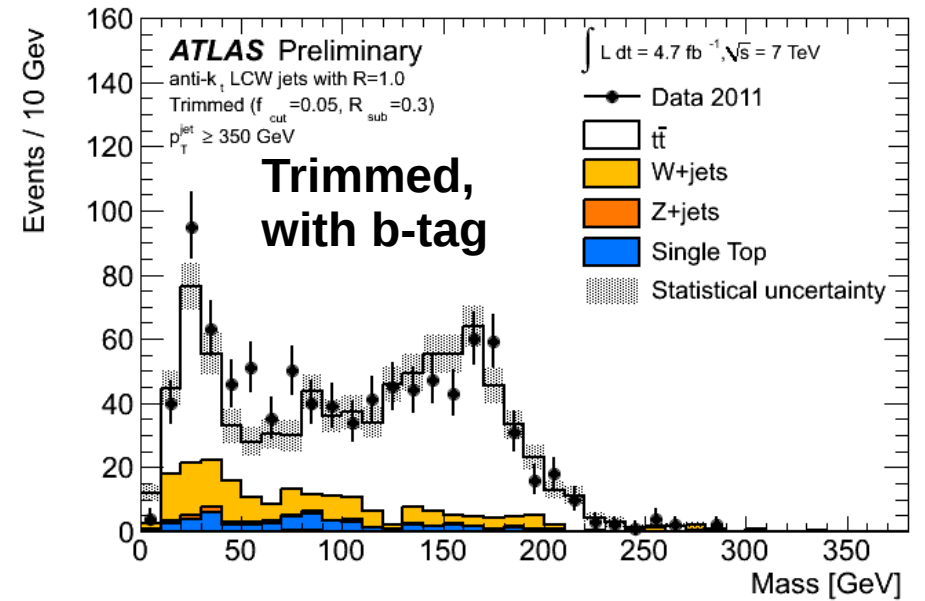
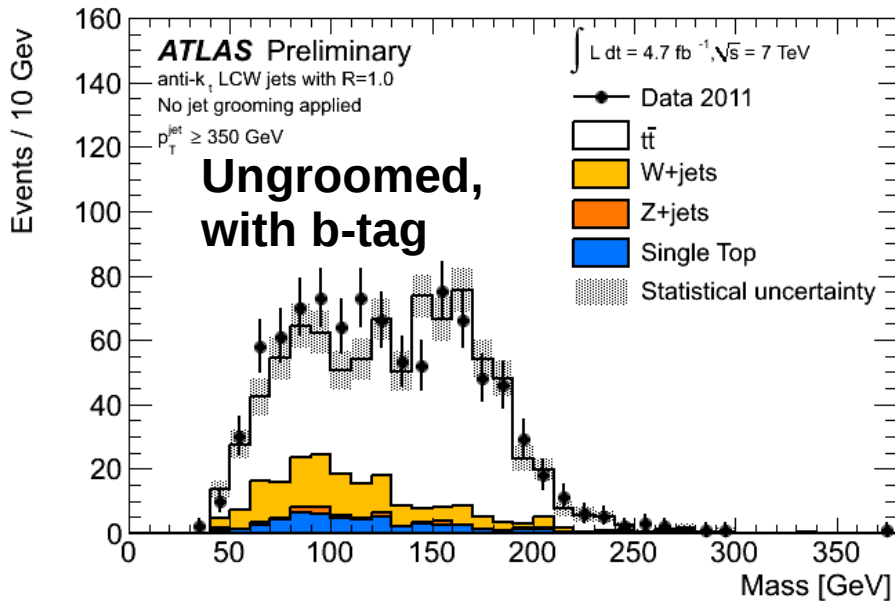
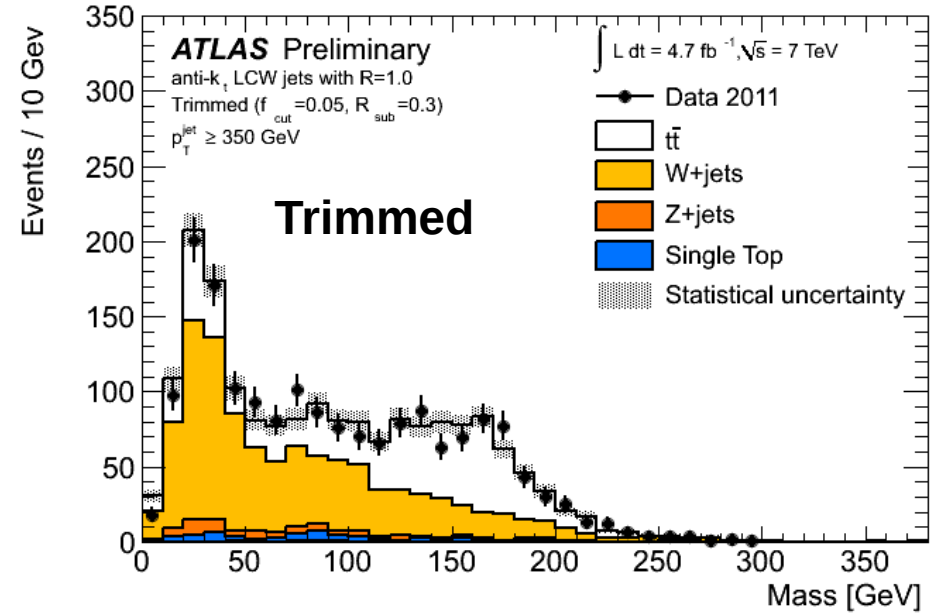
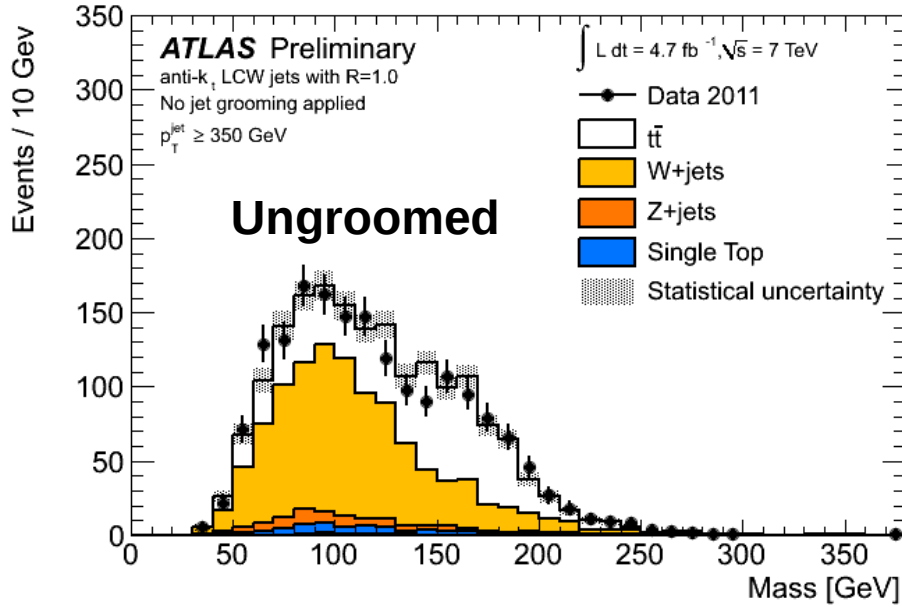
- Very little multi-jet events contamination
- **Main background: W +jets**



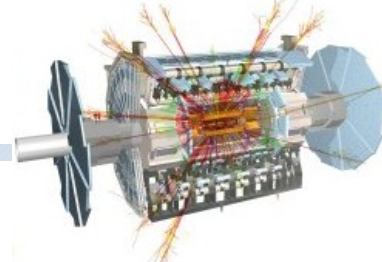
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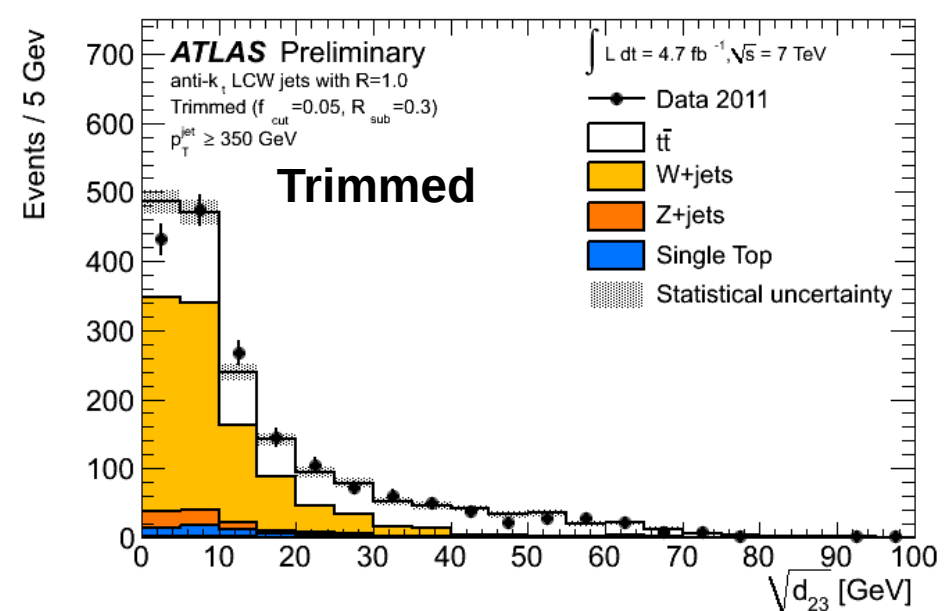
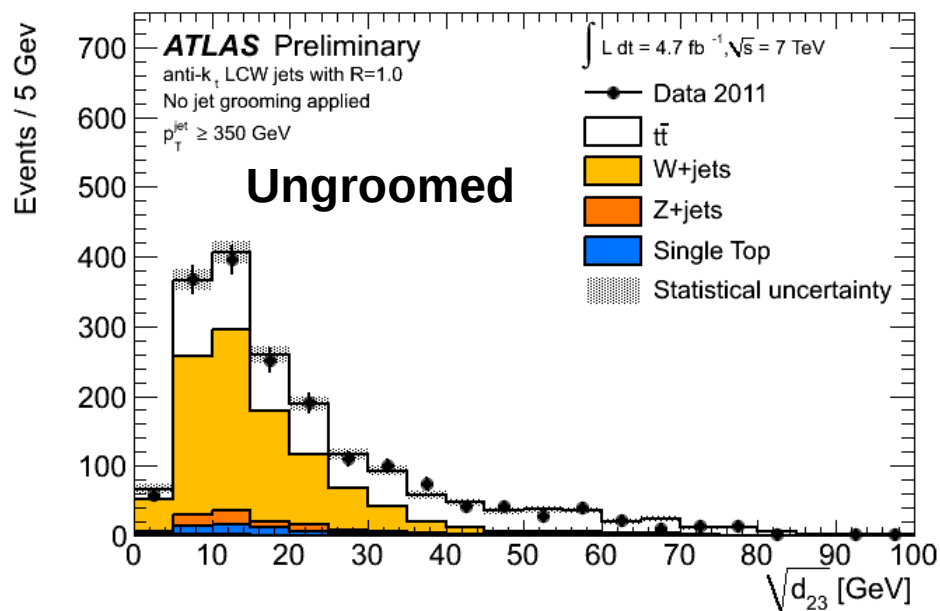
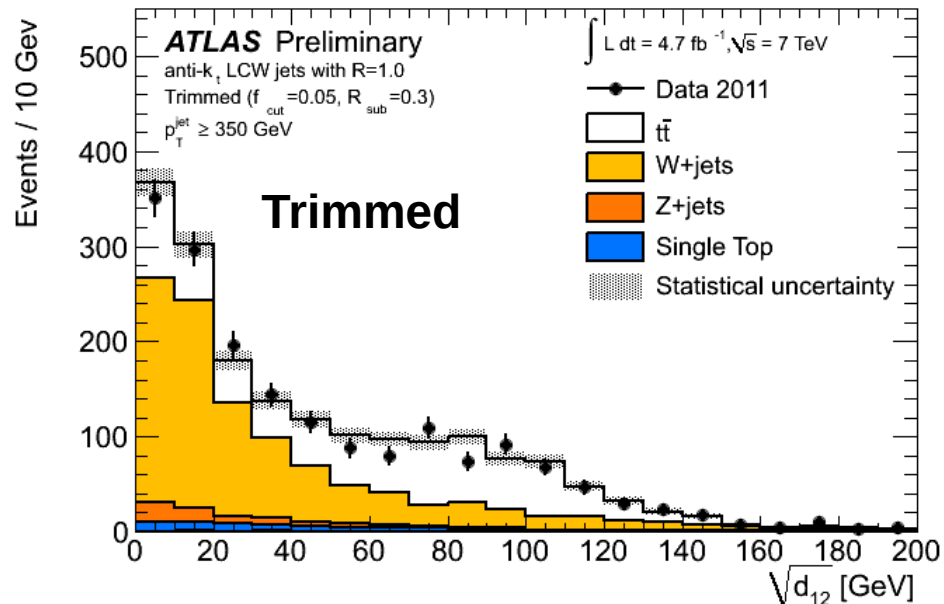
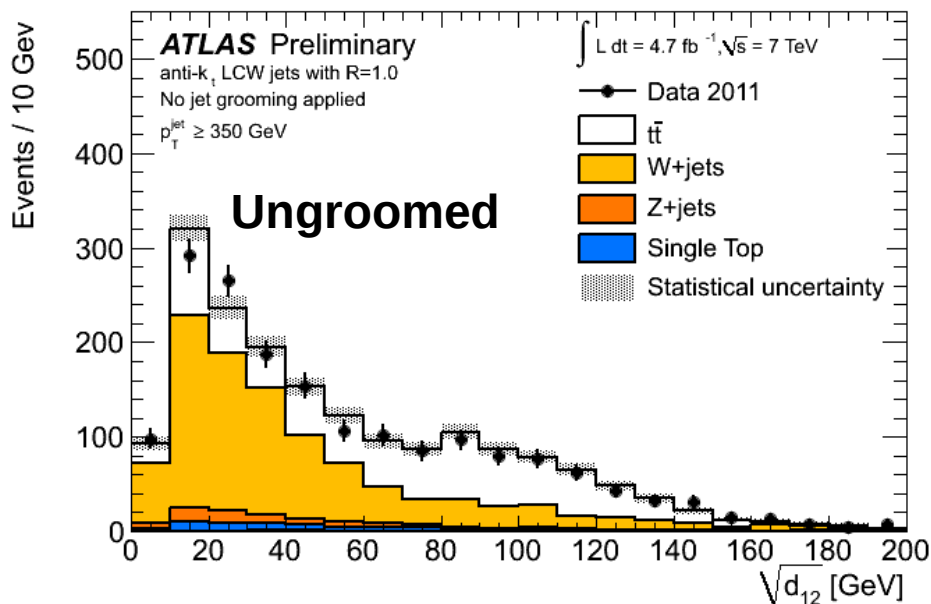
- Jet Mass** (leading p_T anti-kt $R=1.0$ jet, $p_T > 350$ GeV)



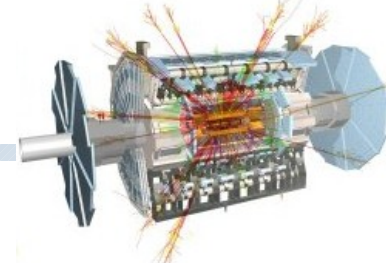
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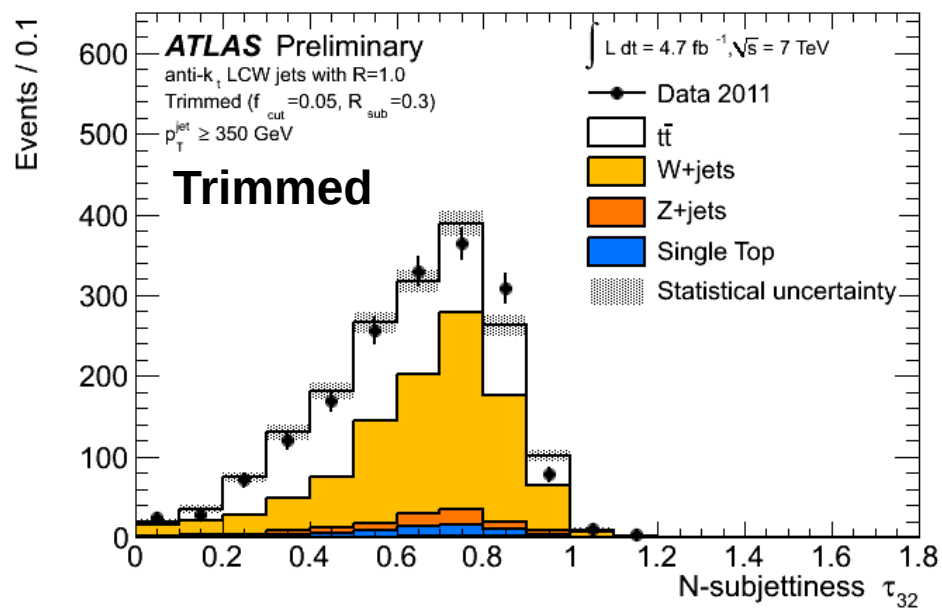
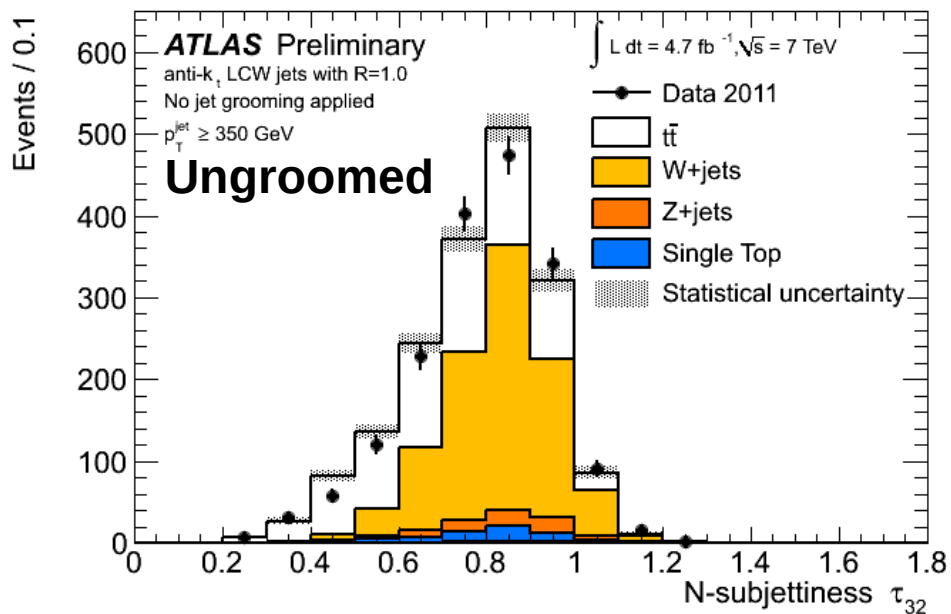
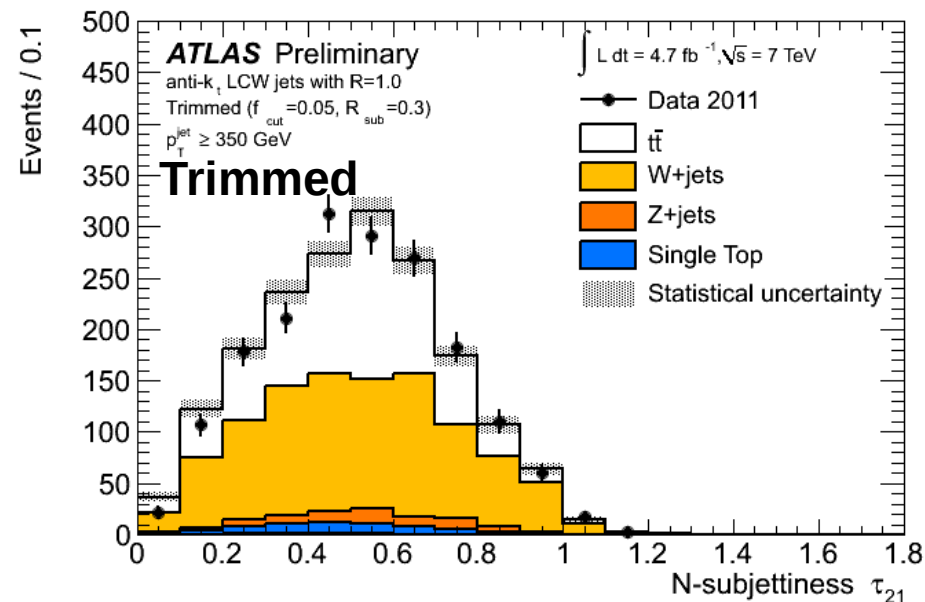
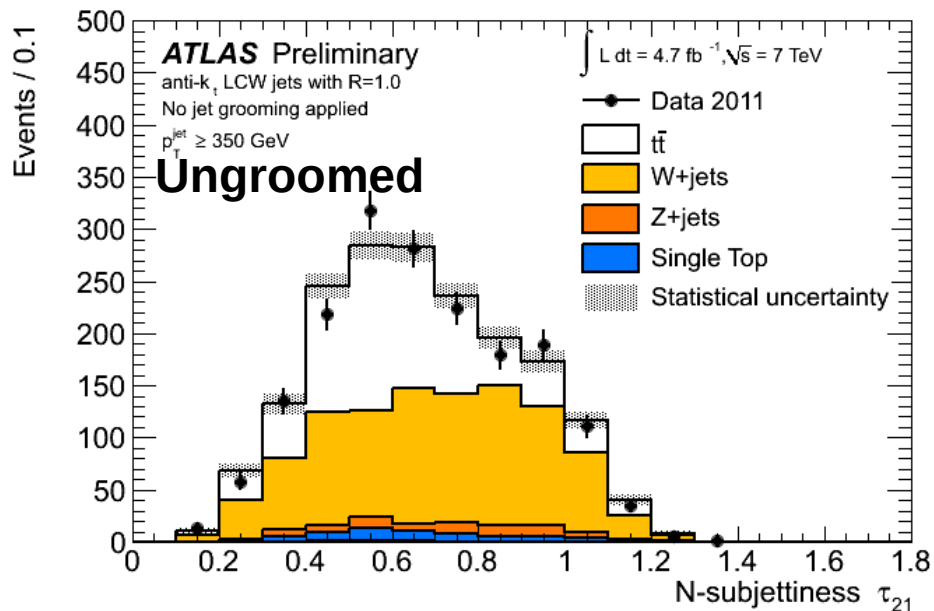
- kt-splitting scales** (leading p_T anti-kt $R=1.0$ jet, $p_T > 350$ GeV)



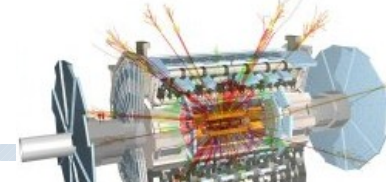
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- N-subjettiness** (leading p_T anti-kt R=1.0 jet, $p_T > 350$ GeV)



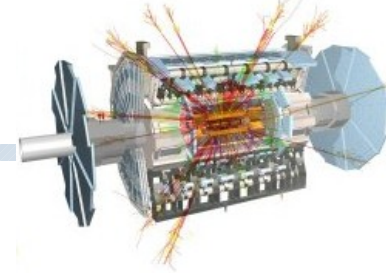
Conclusions



- Groomed jet properties can be a powerful tool to discriminate between a dominant QCD background and heavy particle reconstruction, increasing signal sensitivity.
 - Reduced sensitivity to underlying event and pileup (see next talk for more)
 - Mass signal peak remains relatively unaffected (and resolution improves!), but background non-substructure jets are systematically shifted lower in mass
- Found that **trimming** performs well against pileup and has little p_T dependence.
- **Pruning**, while not developed for pileup in particular, may be further tuned in the future to also mitigate pileup effects
- **Mass-drop/filtering** also performs well for two-pronged decays, but with loss of efficiency
- Data/MC agree well before and after grooming in both inclusive jet sample and in $t\bar{t}$ sample
 - POWHEG (hard matrix element) describes the data better than Pythia, especially in the tails of the distributions



Conclusions



- **ATLAS public notes with many more details than I can show today**

- Performance of large-R jets, jet grooming and jet substructure:

<https://atlas.web.cern.ch/Atlas/GROUPS/PHYSICS/CONFNOTES/ATLAS-CONF-2012-065/>

- Effect of pileup on ungroomed and groomed jets:

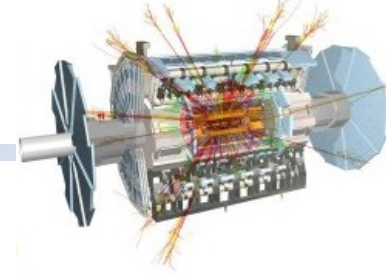
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Future work

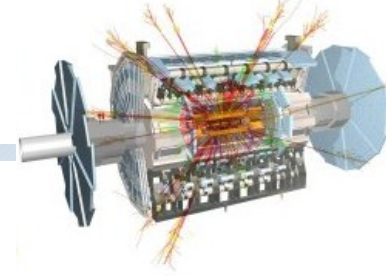
- Pileup subtraction on subjets before grooming parameters optimization?
- Optimize k_t axes for N-subjettiness, check $\beta=??$
- Look at grooming for smaller-R jets (ie: $R=0.4$)
- Measure properties of groomed jets containing boosted objects → boosted top tagging
- Can we use quark/gluon discrimination at the subjet level?



Backup

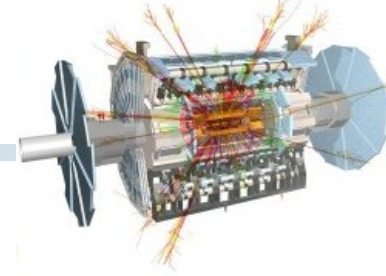


MC samples



- LO ME: Pythia 6.425, AUET2B tune
 - knew from last year that Pythia underestimates tail of mass distribution
- NLO ME: POWHEG 1.0, (patch 4) interfaced to Pythia (for PS, hadronization, UE)

Large-R jet calibration



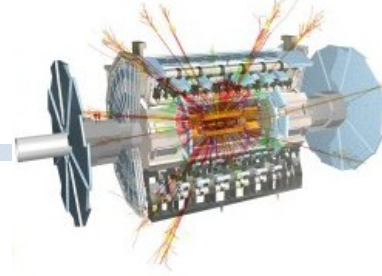
Calibrated collections:

- Ungroomed: anti-kt $R = 1.0$ and C/A, $R = 1.2$ jets
- Groomed collections:
 - anti-kt $R=1.0$ with trimming: ($f_{\text{cut}} = 3\%$, 5% and $R_{\text{sub}} = 0.3$)
 - C/A $R=1.2$ with trimming: ($f_{\text{cut}} = 5\%$ and $R_{\text{sub}} = 0.3$) and mass-drop/filter ($\mu_{\text{frac}} = 0.67$)

Calibration procedure:

- Local cluster weighting (LCW)
- Measure calorimeter response with mean of a Gaussian fit to core of distribution of reco jet / truth jet (Pythia)
- No pileup correction applied before JES/JMS corrections

In situ validation of JMS



- Calo-jet to track-jet double ratios
- JMS: fairly stable 4-5% up to $p_T \sim 800$ GeV

