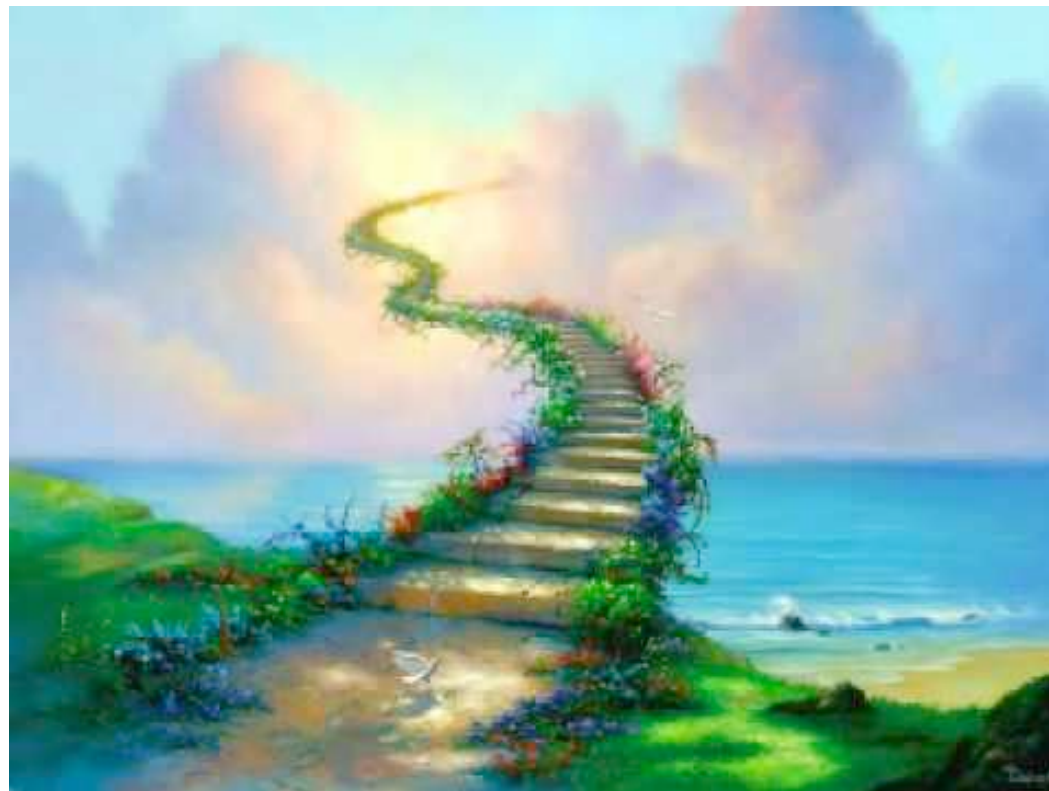


Jets and their substructure

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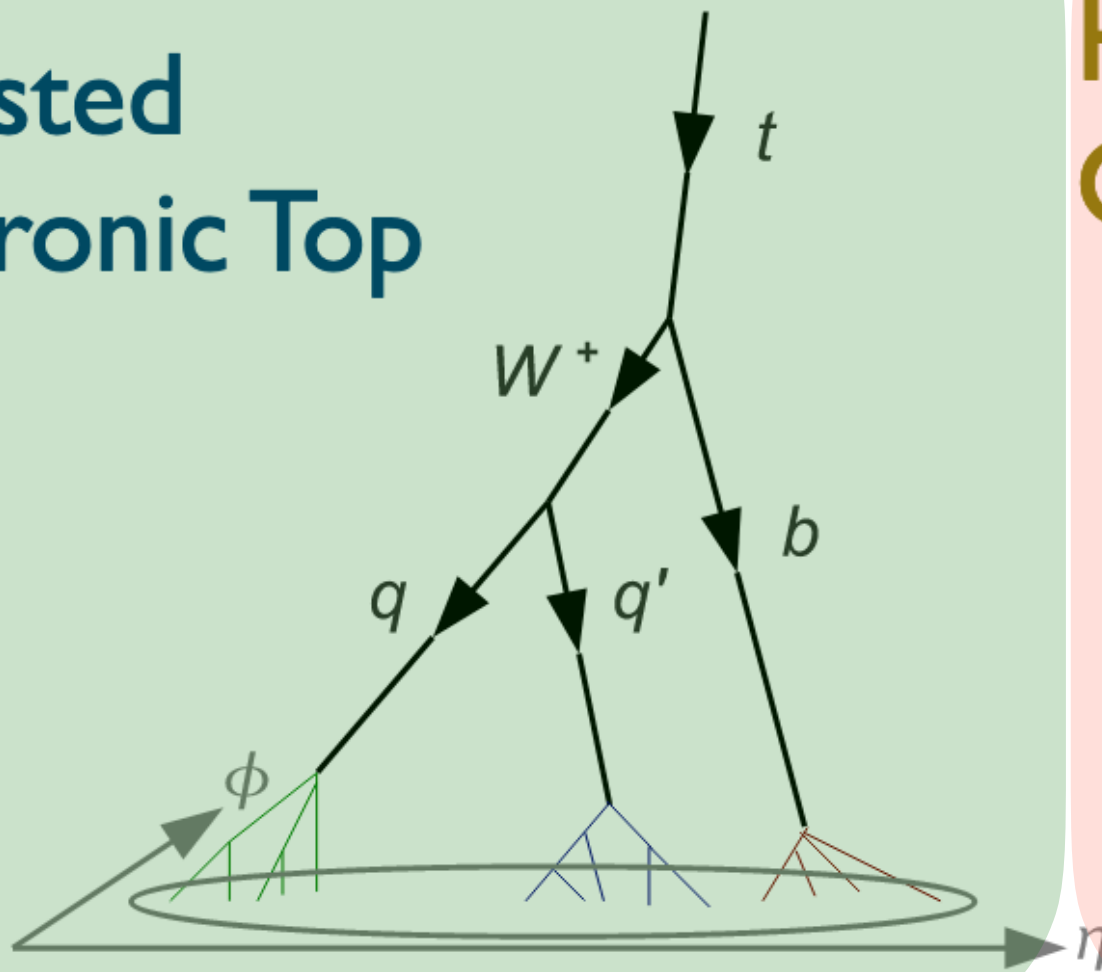
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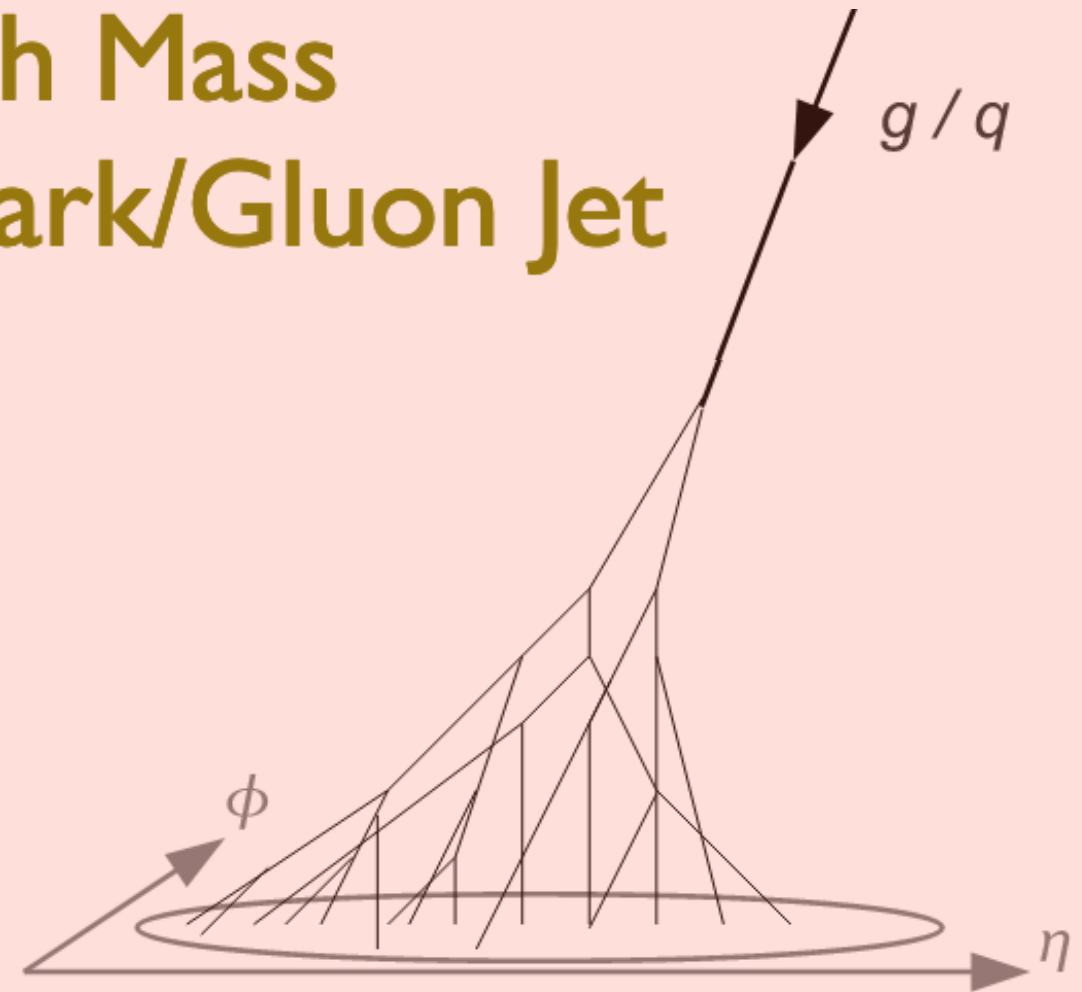
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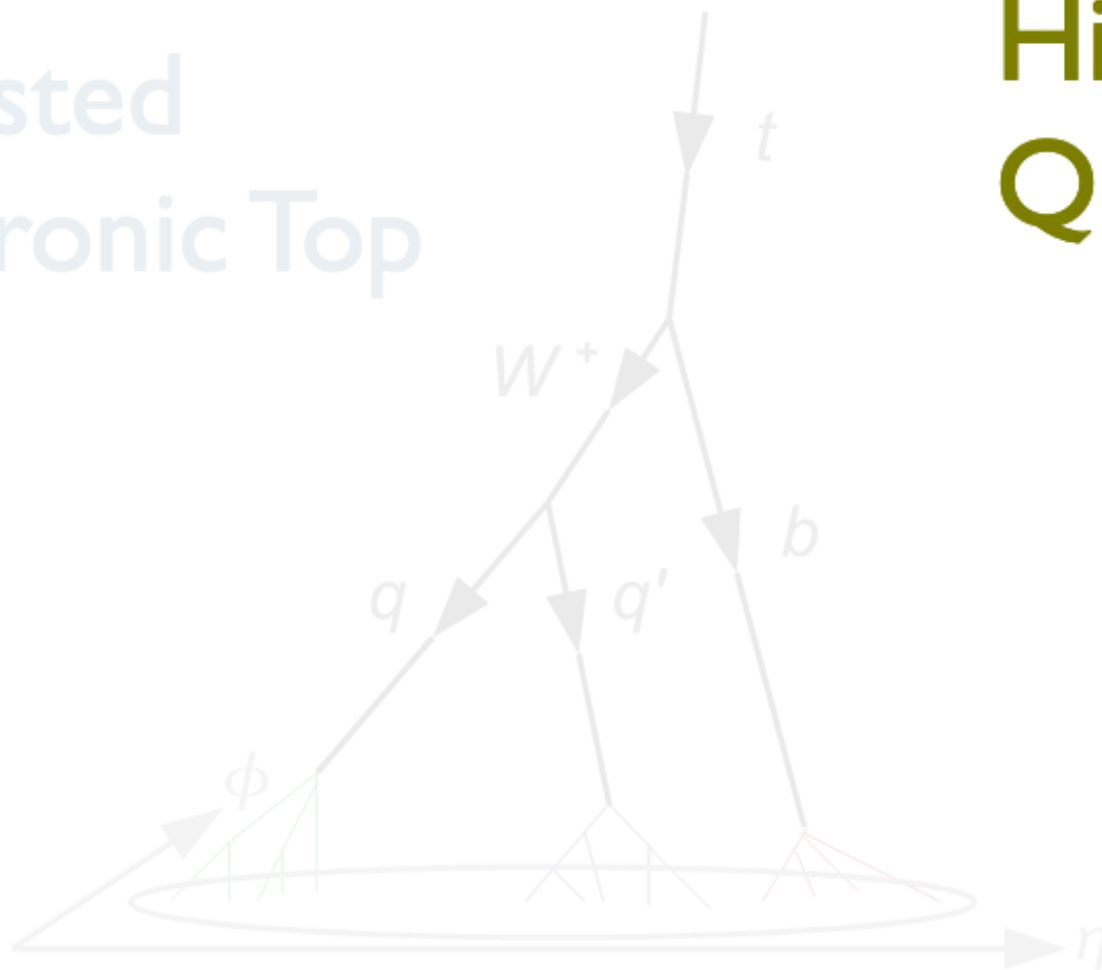


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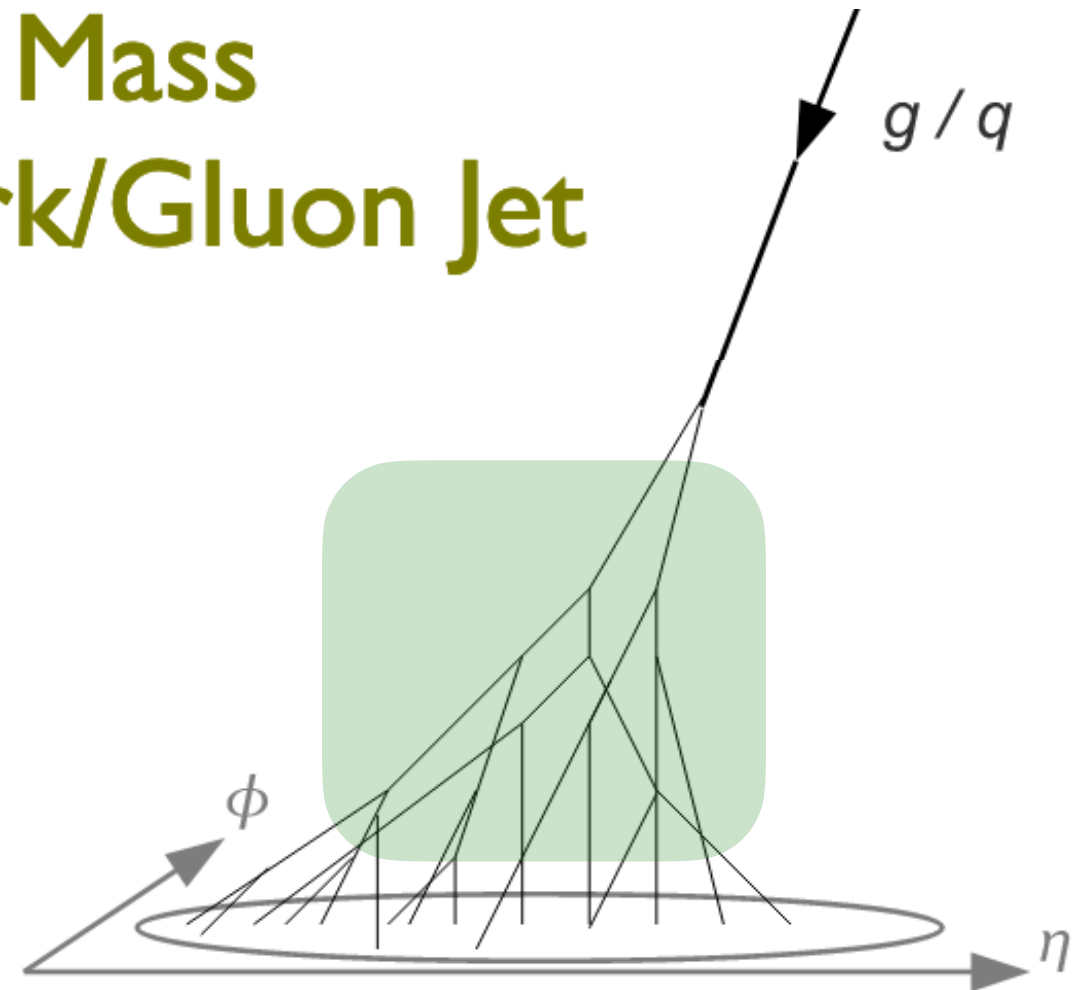
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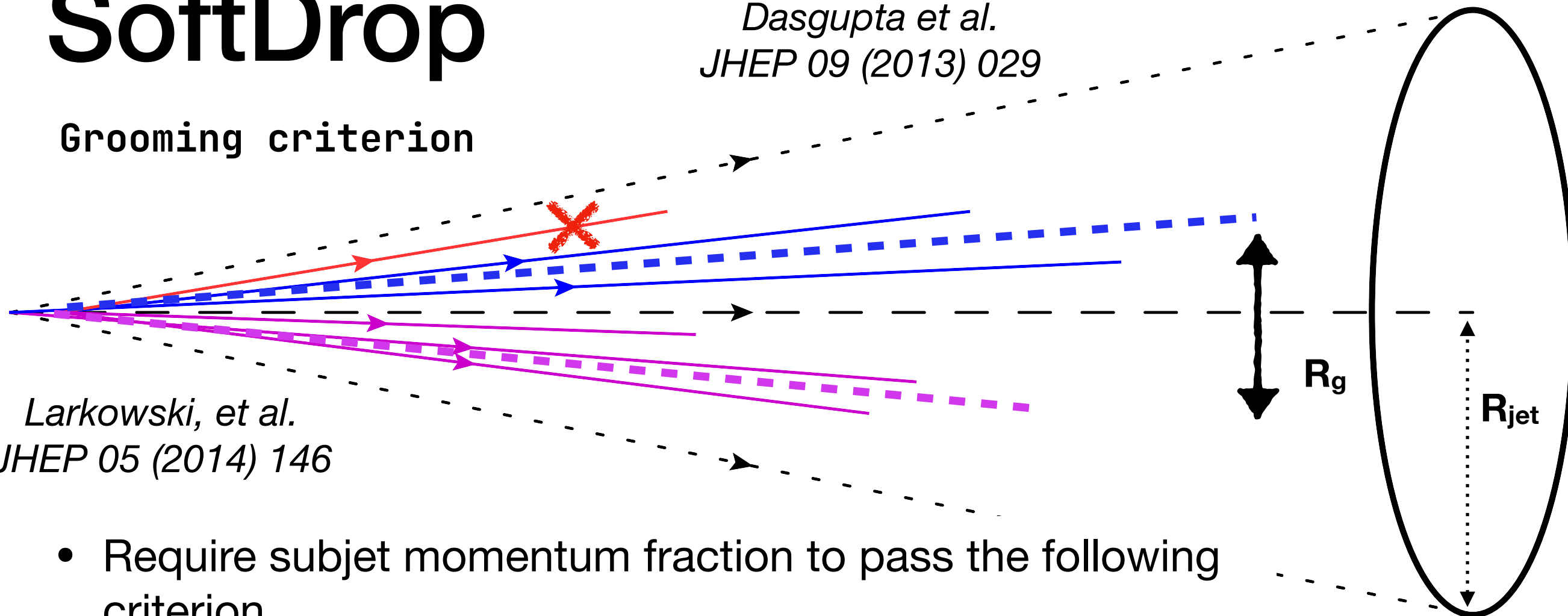
Transitioned to studies of fundamental QCD (parton showers)
and non-perturbative processes (hadronization)

SoftDrop

Dasgupta et al.
JHEP 09 (2013) 029

Grooming criterion

Larkowski, et al.
JHEP 05 (2014) 146



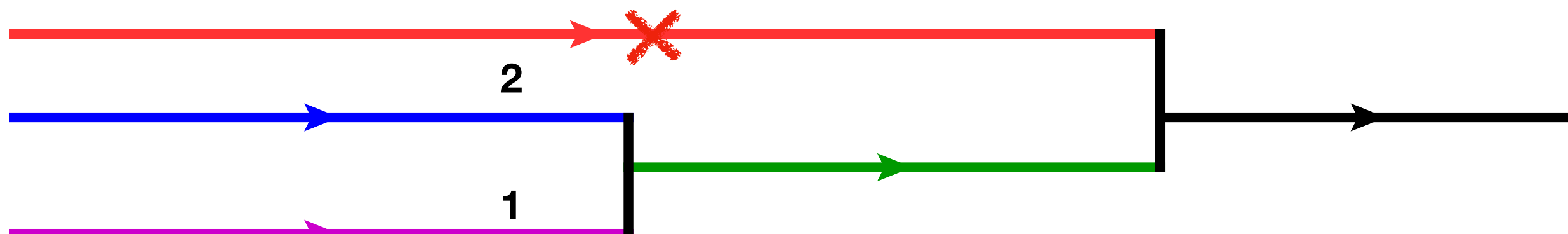
- Require subjet momentum fraction to pass the following criterion

$$z_g = \frac{\min(p_{T,1}, p_{T,2})}{p_{T,1} + p_{T,2}} > z_{cut} (R_g / R_{jet})^\beta$$

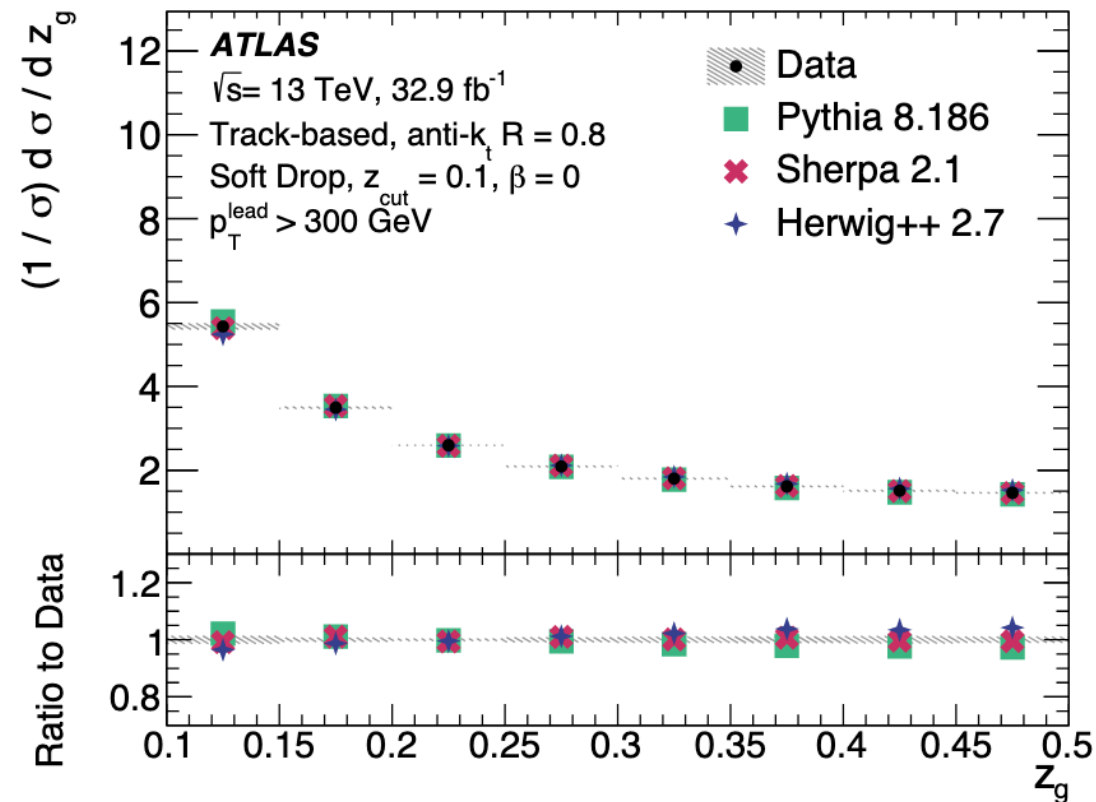
$z_{cut} = 0.1$
 $\beta = 0$

- With the two surviving branches (first hard split) - we have two observables that characterize a jet's substructure

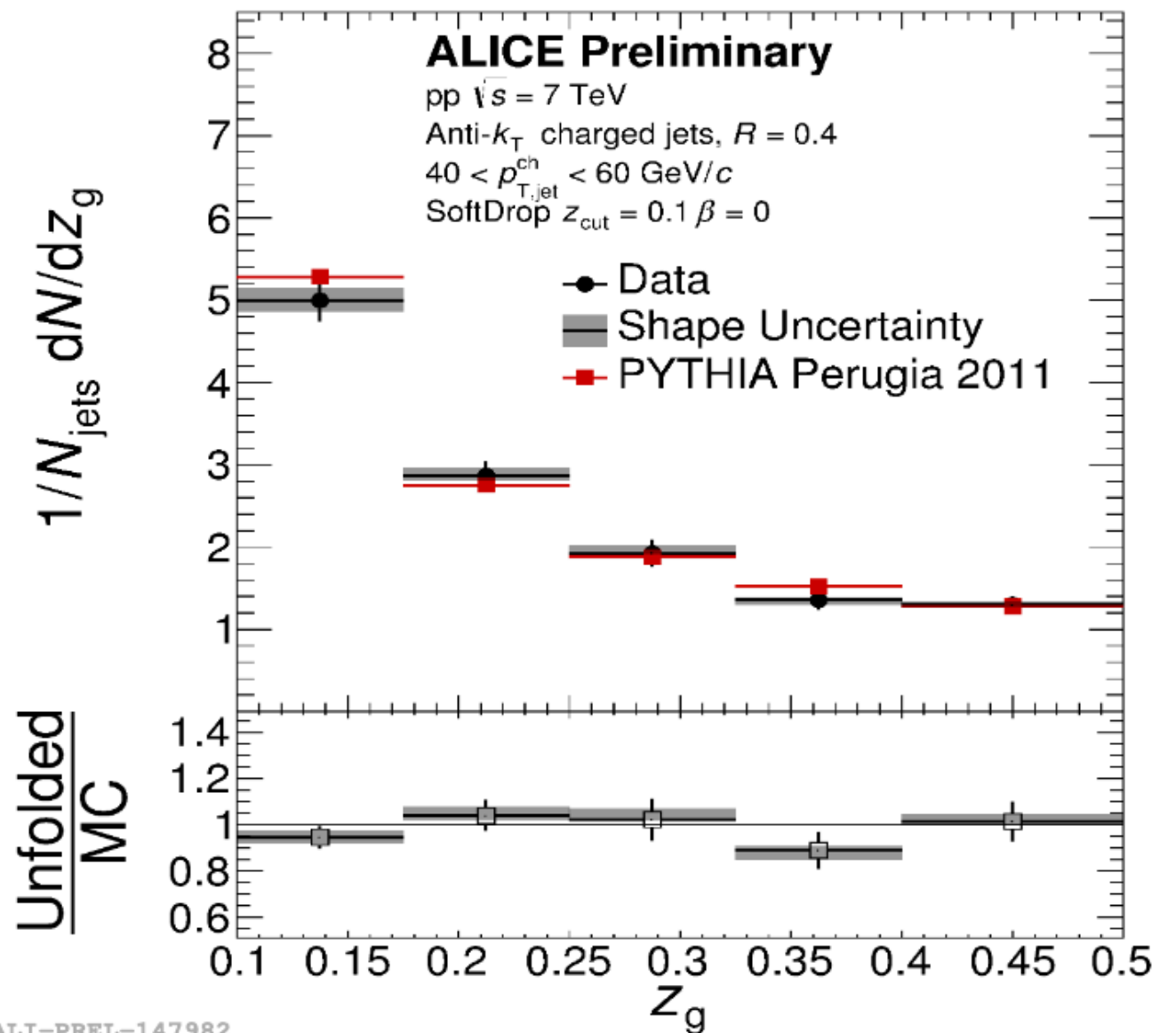
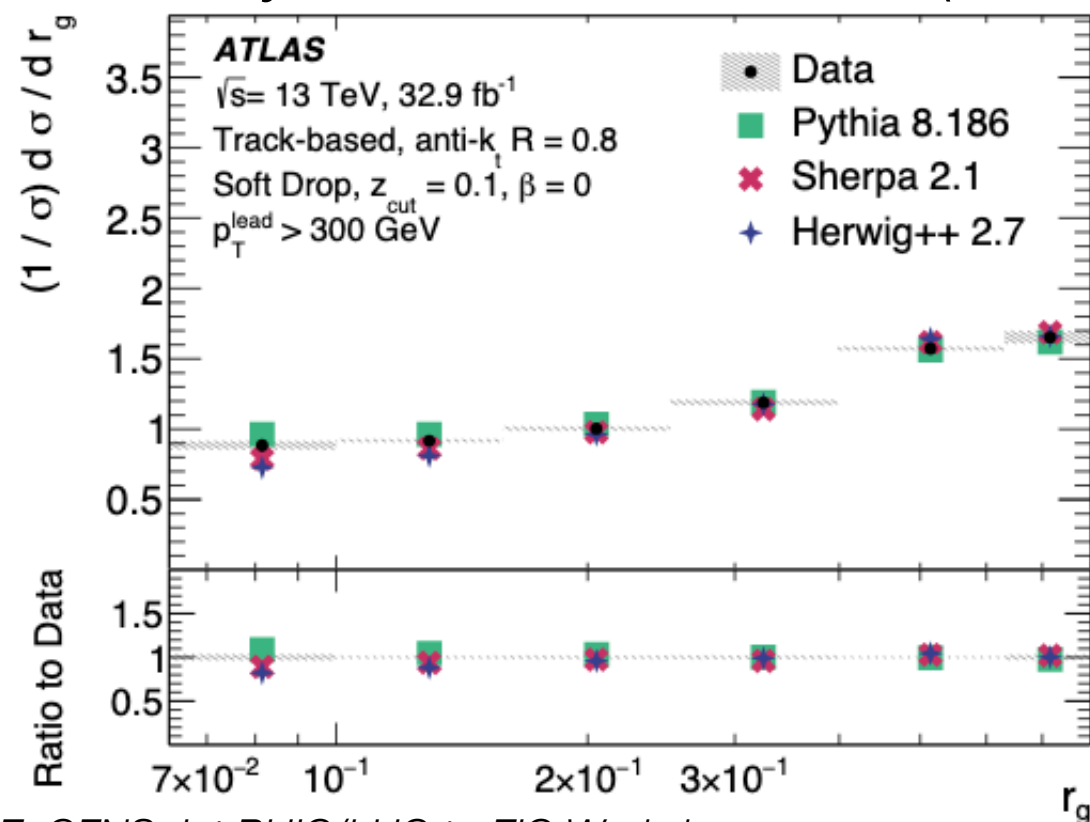
z_g, R_g



SoftDrop distributions in pp



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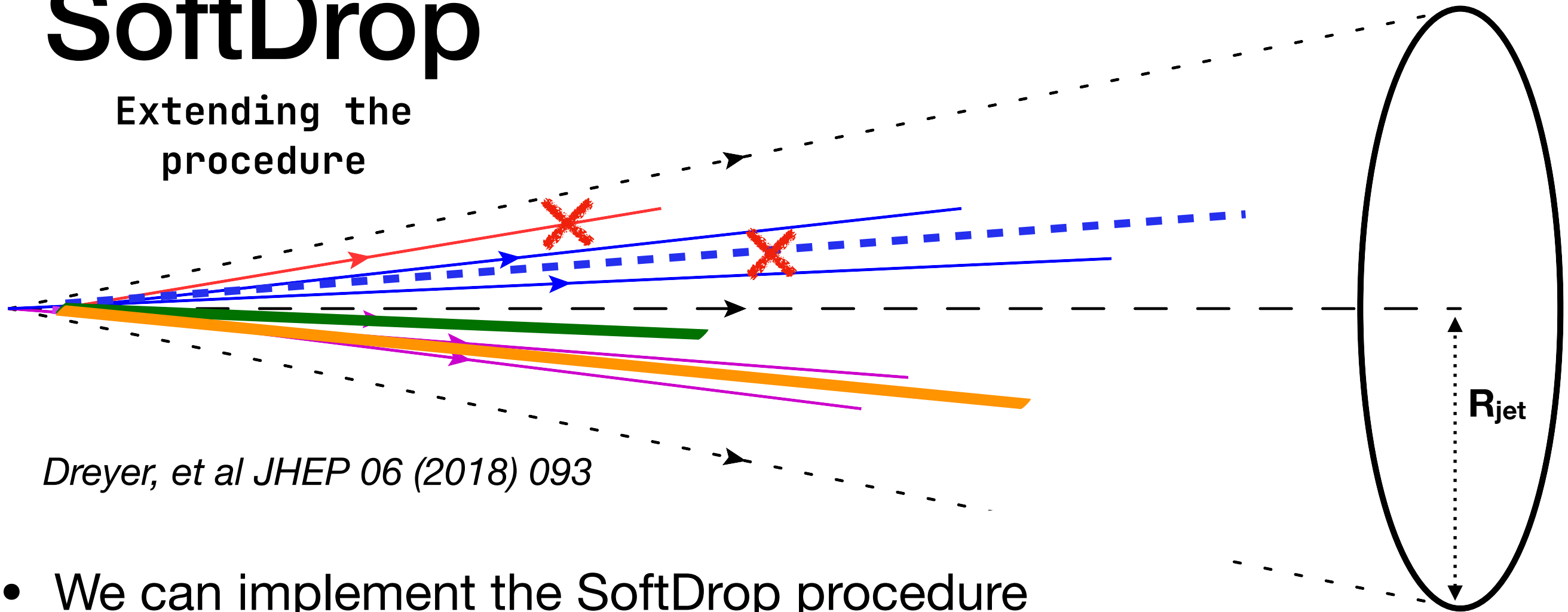


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- Overall good agreement with MC
- Track based observables come with better precision

SoftDrop

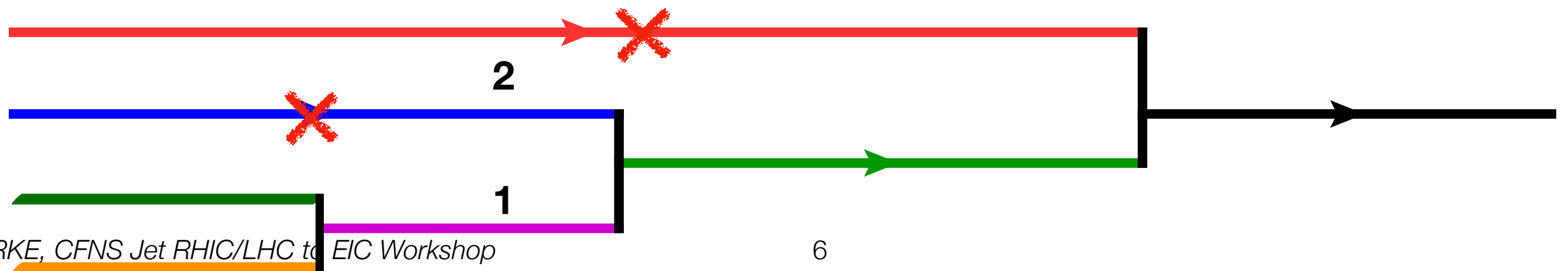
Extending the procedure



Dreyer, et al JHEP 06 (2018) 093

- We can implement the SoftDrop procedure throughout the CA tree -
 - Follow the hardest branch - Iterative SoftDrop
 - Following all branches - Recursive SoftDrop

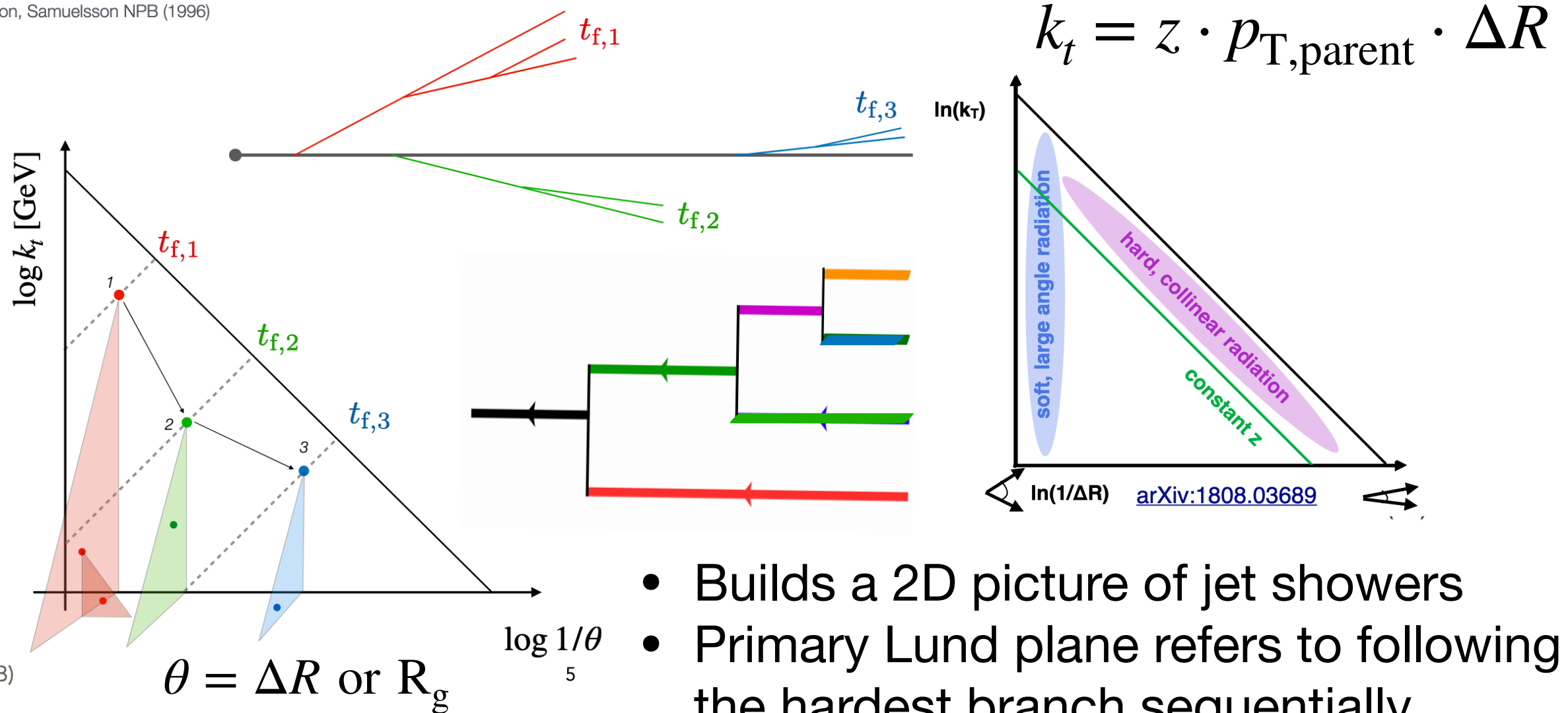
$$n_{SD}, z_g^n, R_g^n$$



Phase space of jet evolutions

Lund Diagrams

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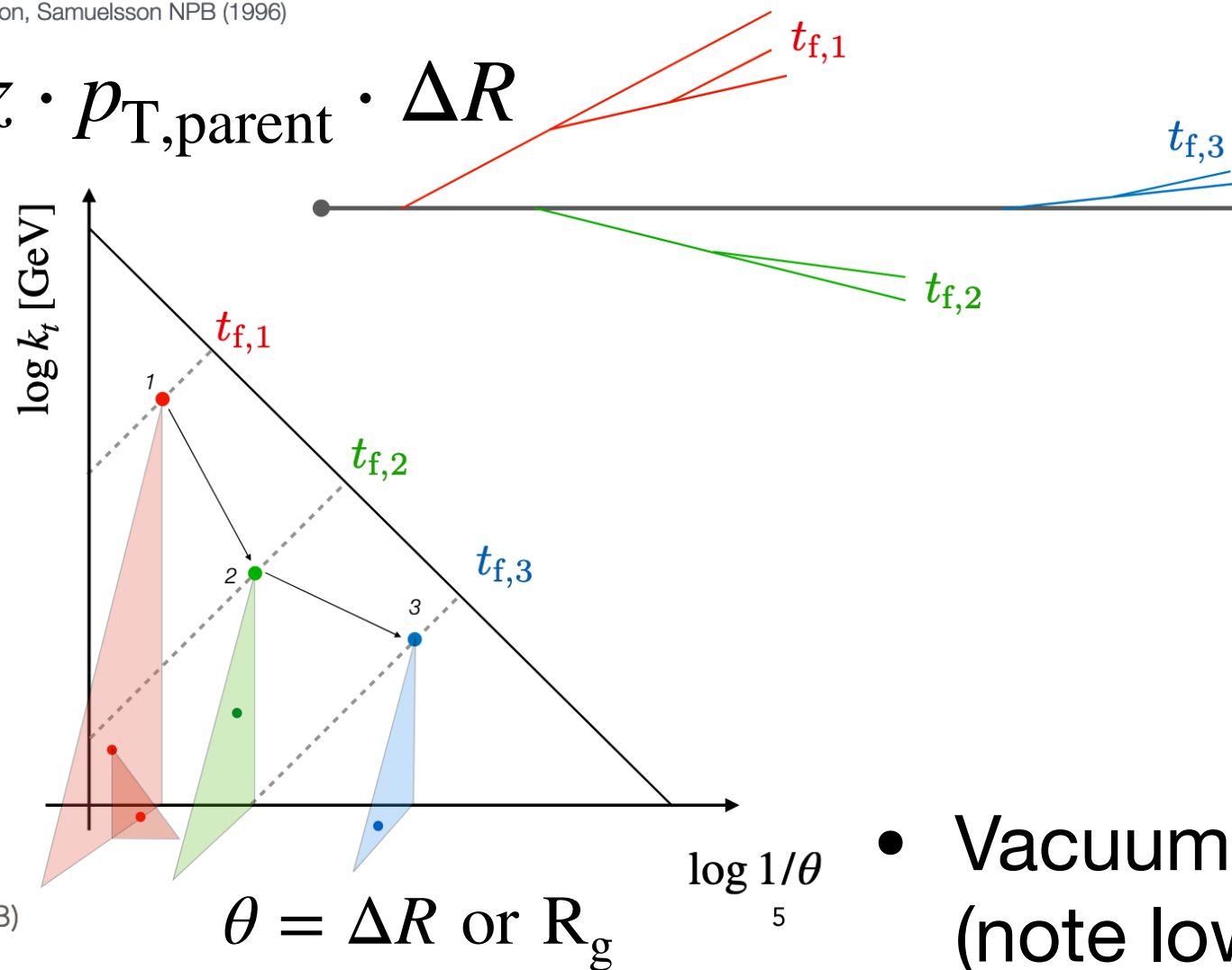
- Builds a 2D picture of jet showers
- Primary Lund plane refers to following the hardest branch sequentially
- Different axis representations:
 $\ln(k_T)$, $\ln(z\theta)$, $\ln(1/z)$

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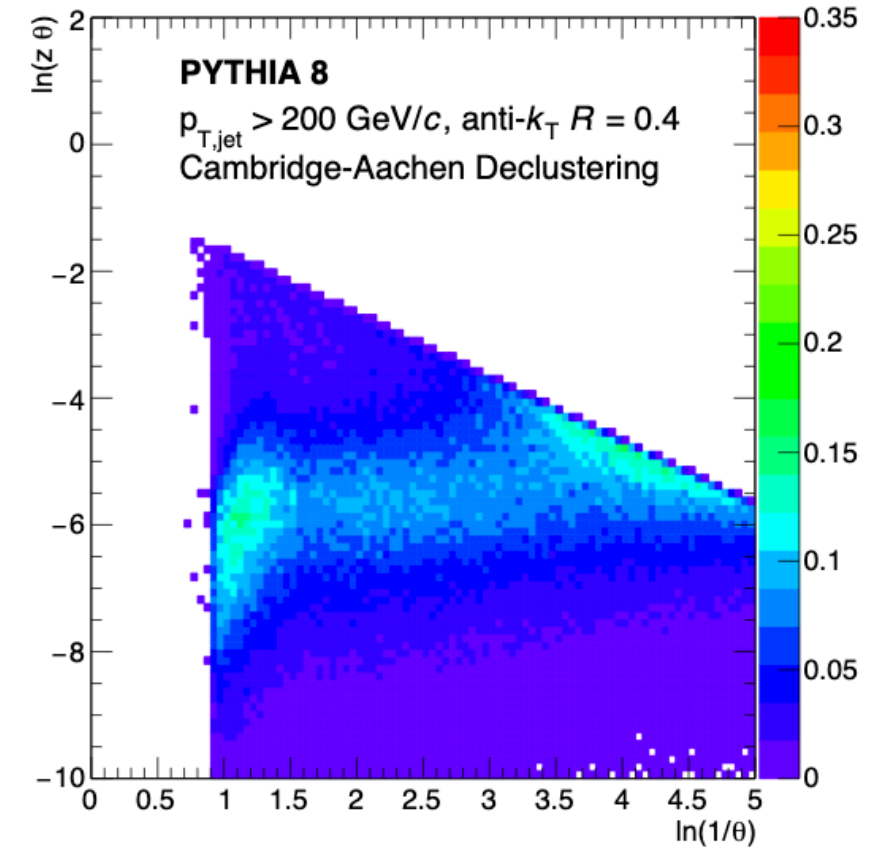
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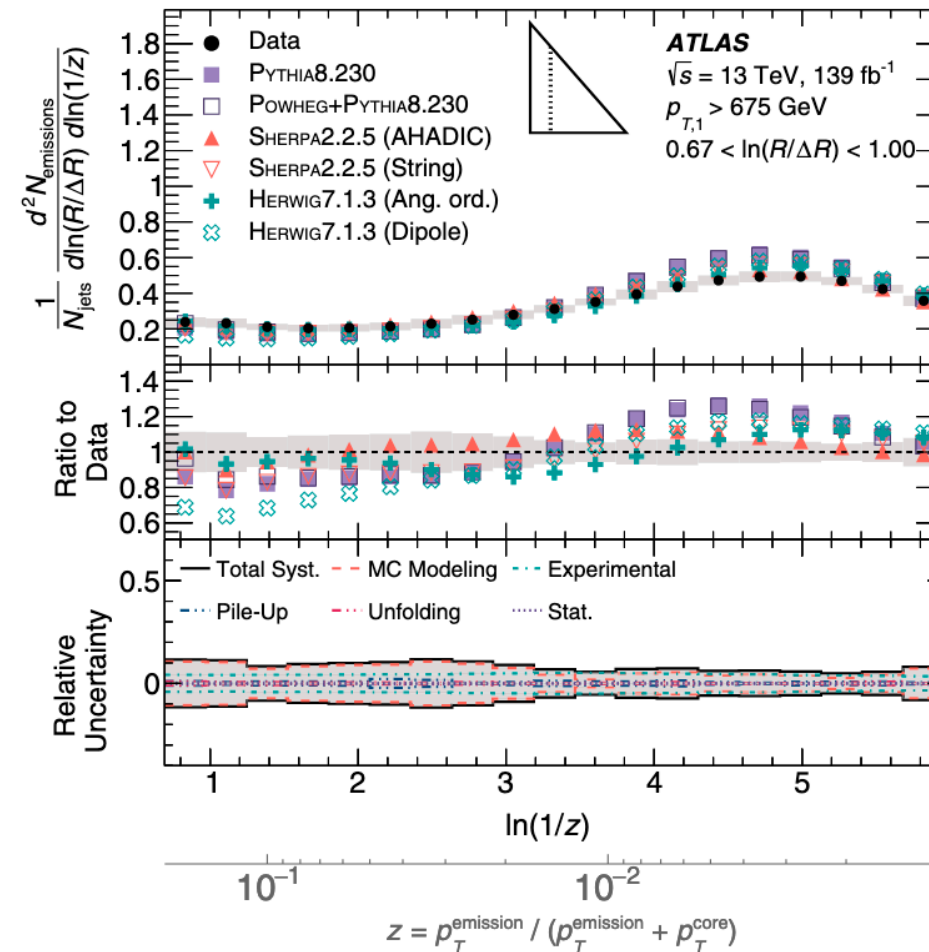
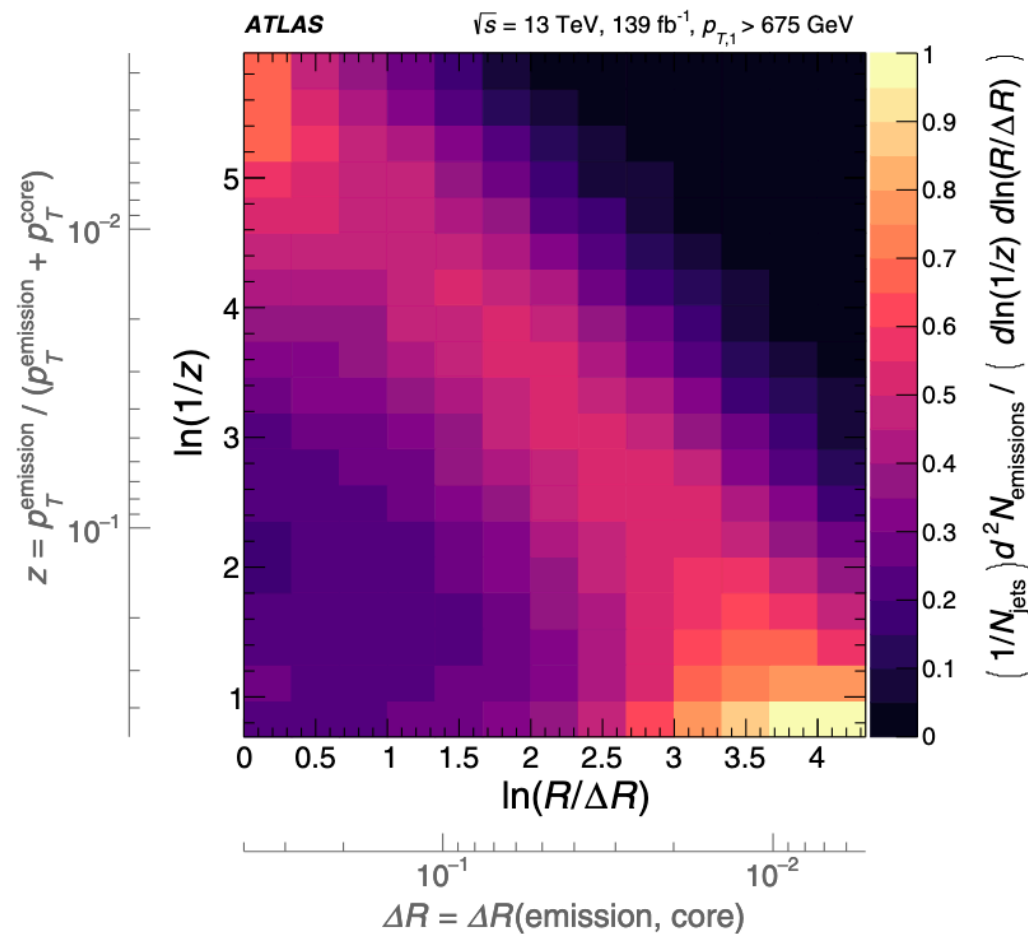


Jets fill up the emission space!

- Vacuum jet shower for $R=0.4$ jets (note lower end of x-axis cutoff)
- Effect of hadronization shown as low momentum and across all θ

Recent measurements of Lund Plane and their projections at the LHC

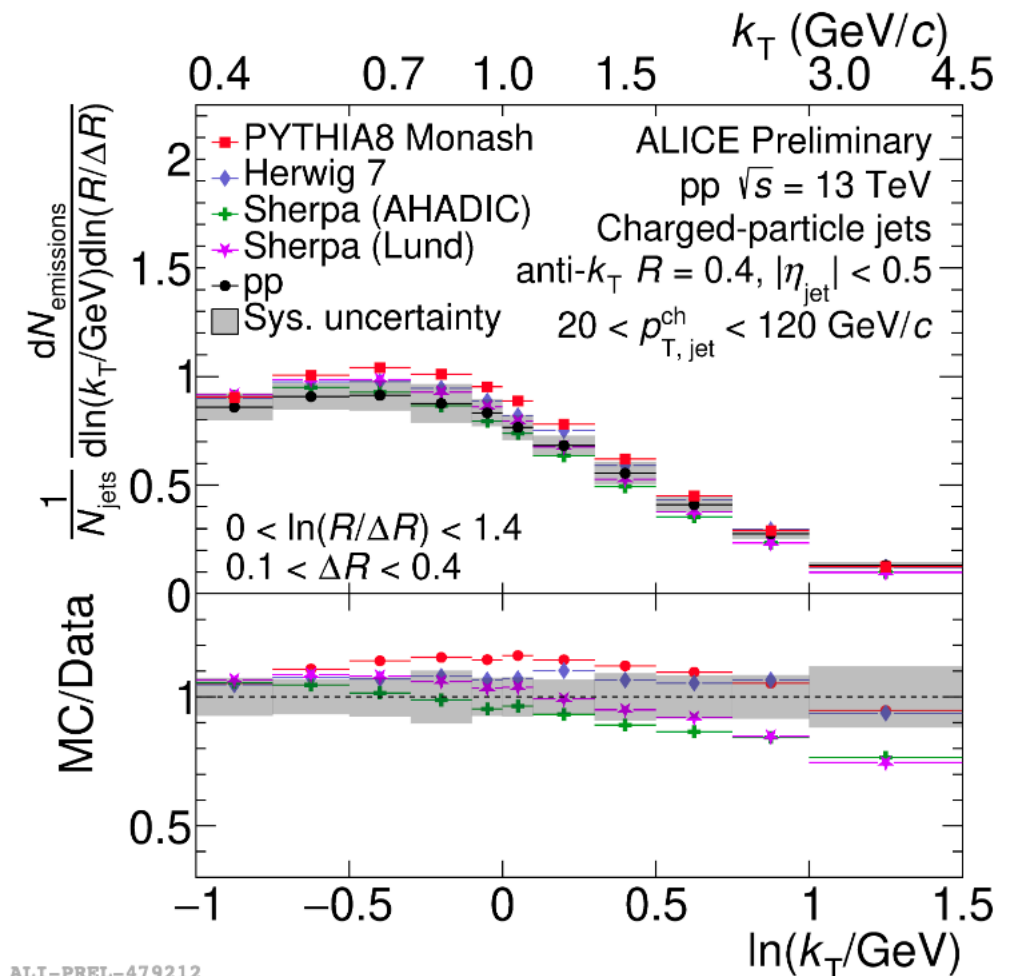
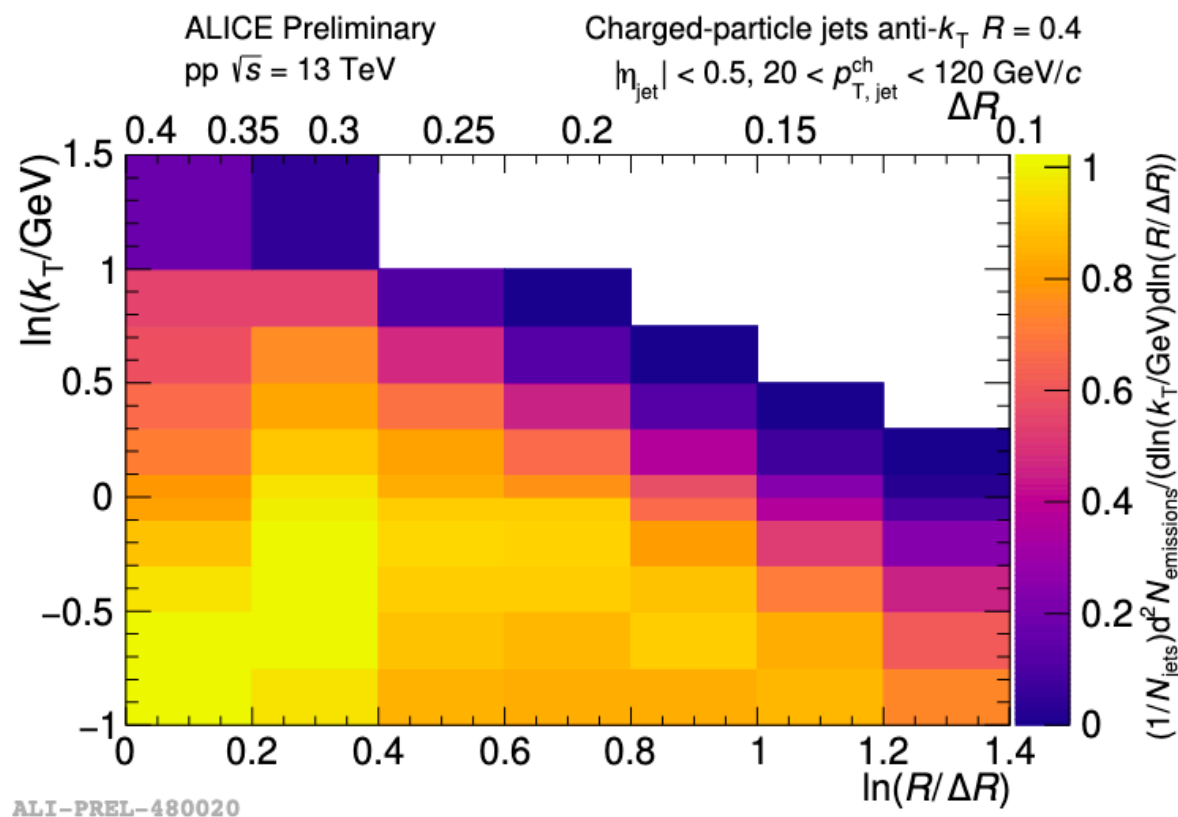
ATLAS, *Phys. Rev. Lett.* 124, 222002 (2020)



- Each split along the harder branch makes an entry here in the 2D Lund plane
- Comparison with particle level MC w/ varied shower/hadronization models showcase differences

Recent measurements of Lund Plane and their projections at the LHC

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- Lower p_T jets at ALICE (20 - 120 GeV) also show interesting differences for large k_T splits
- Lund plane integrates over splits - can we measure the evolution of these observables along the jet shower?

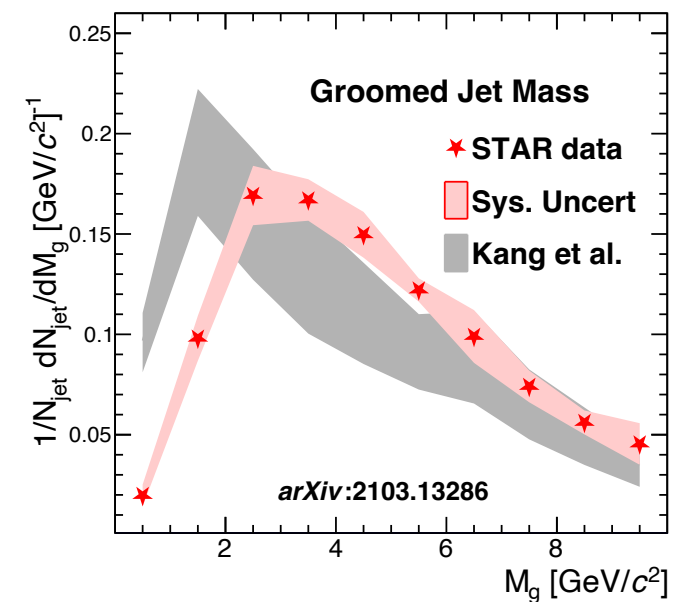
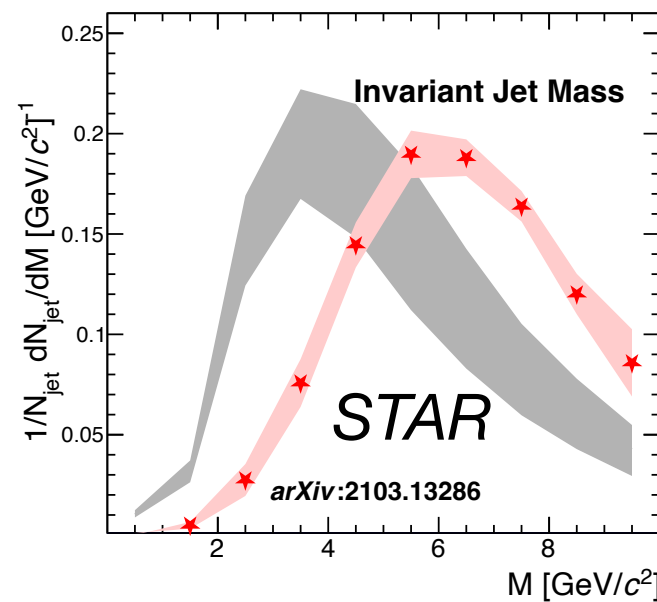
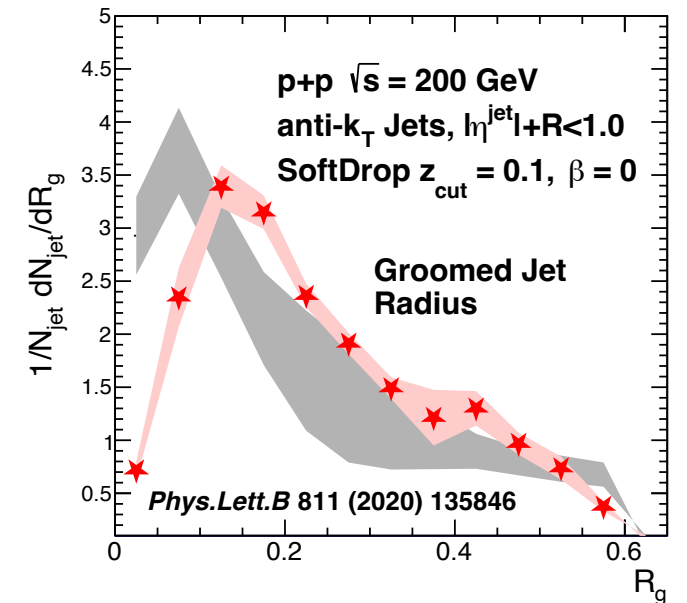
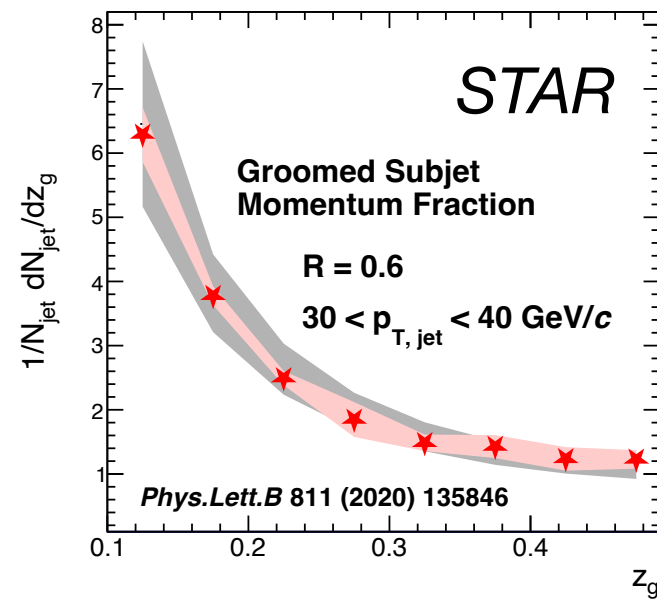
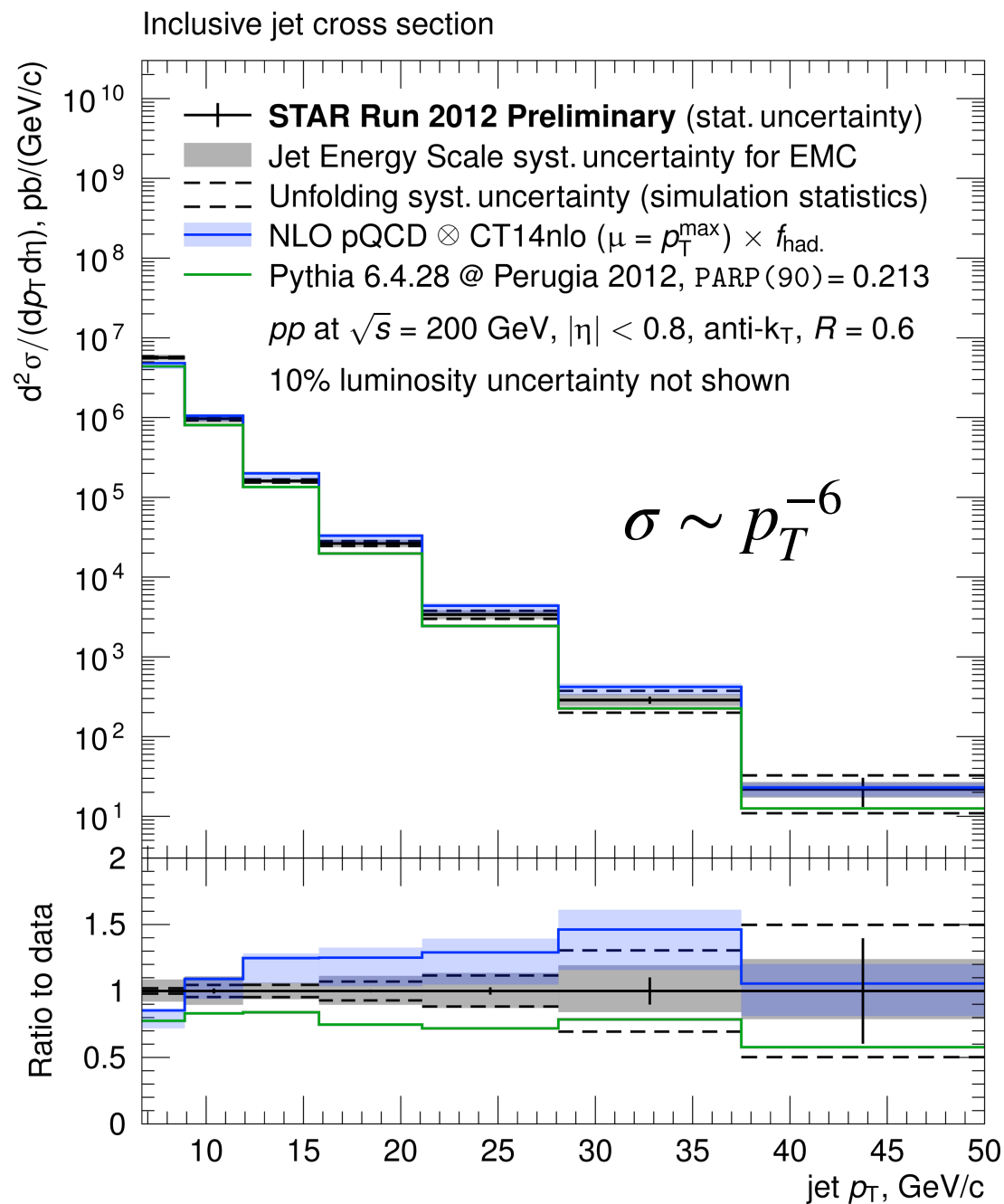
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Jets in $pp \sqrt{s} = 200 \text{ GeV}$

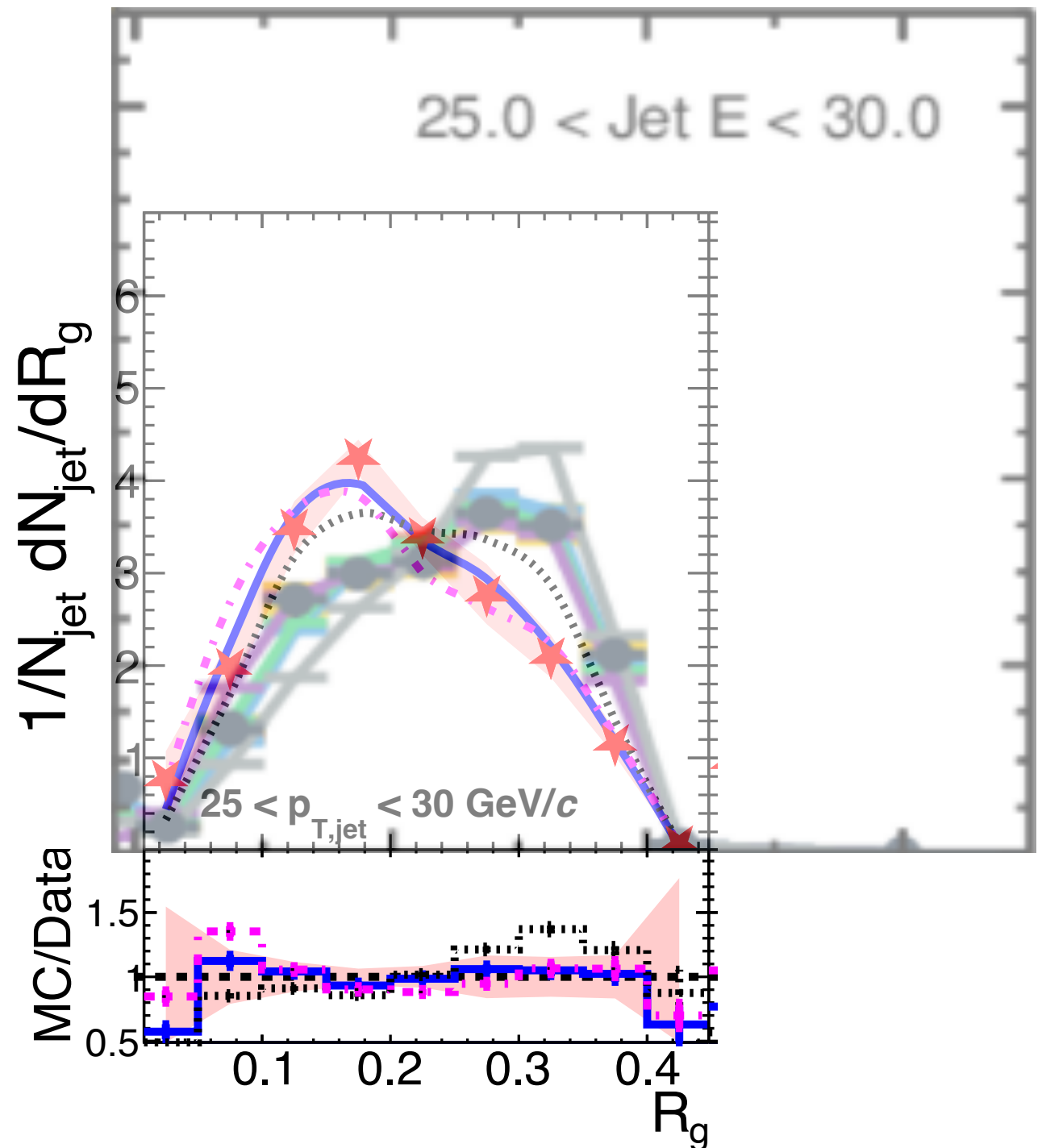
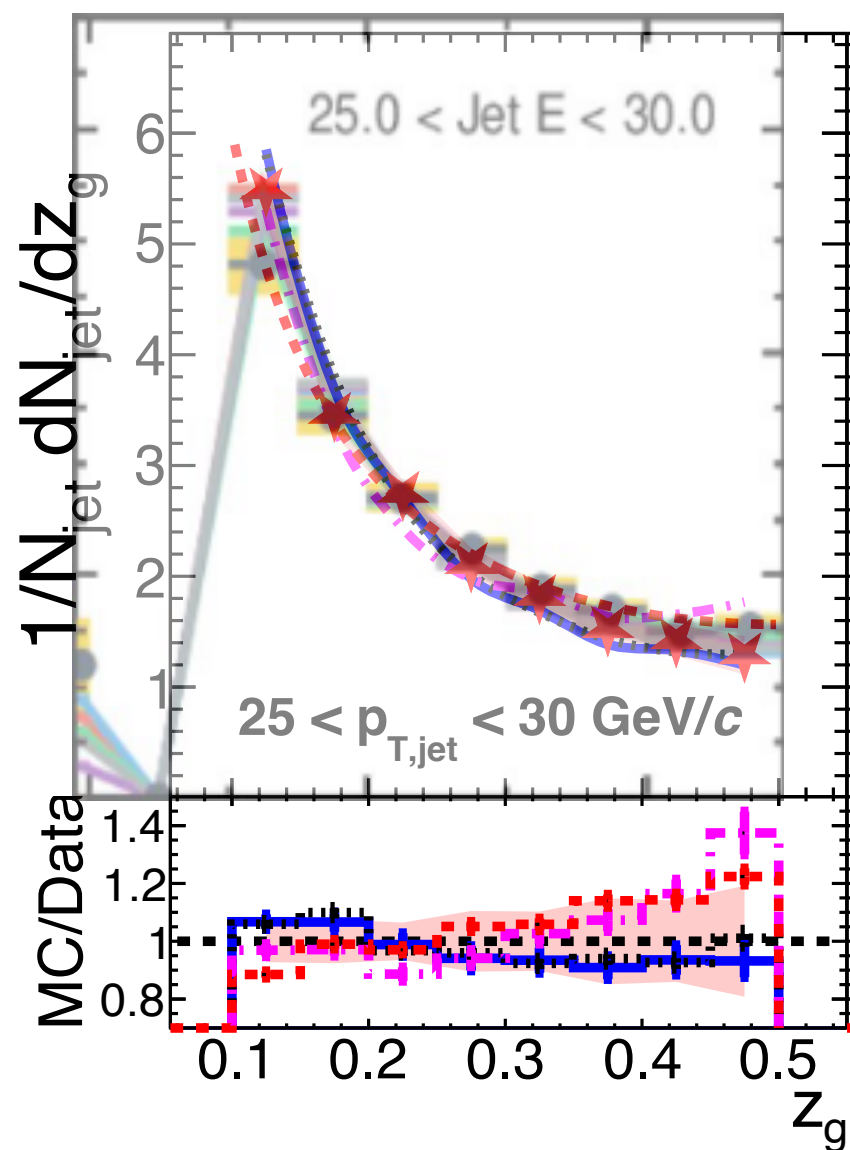


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Comparing STAR vs ALEPH

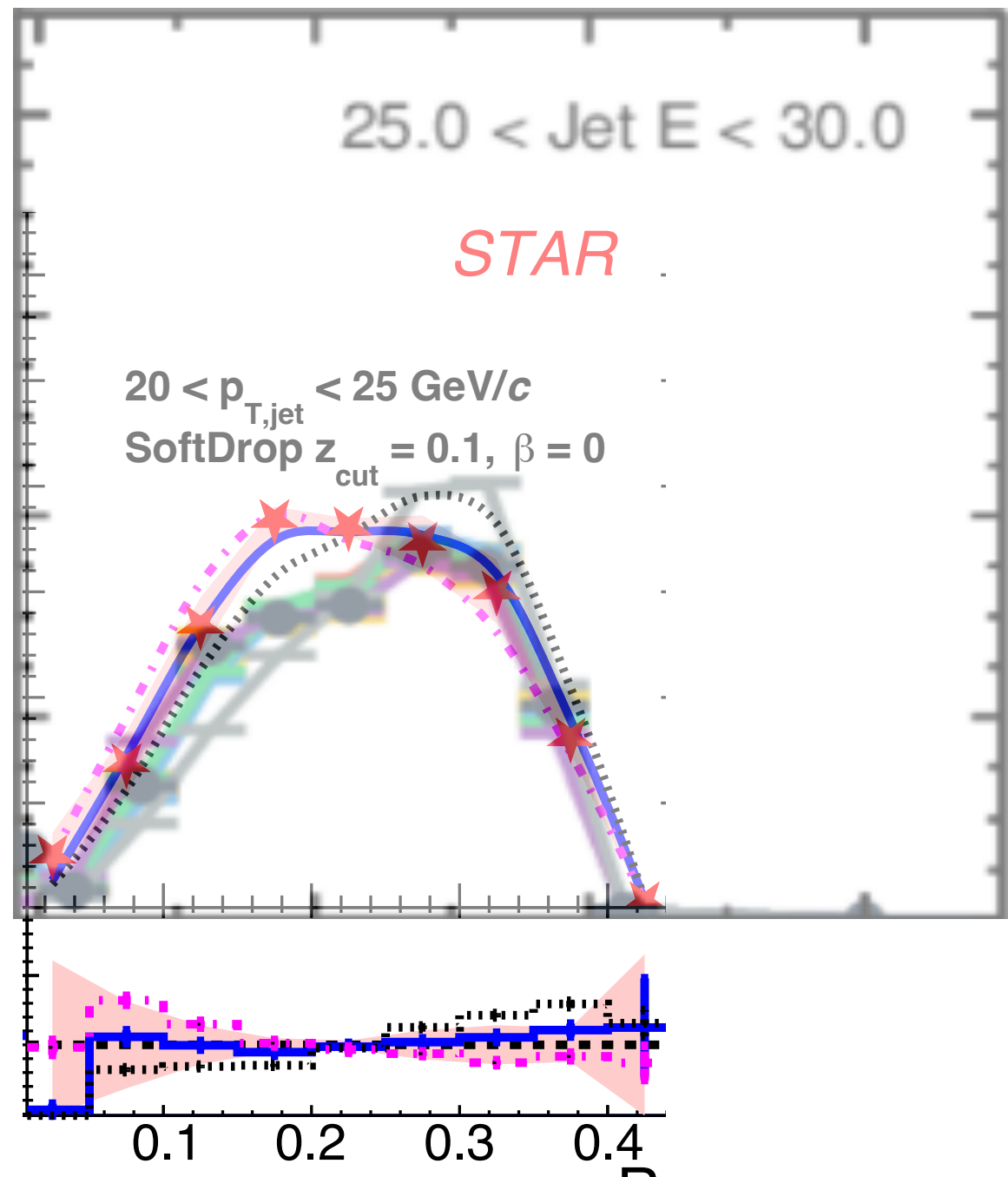
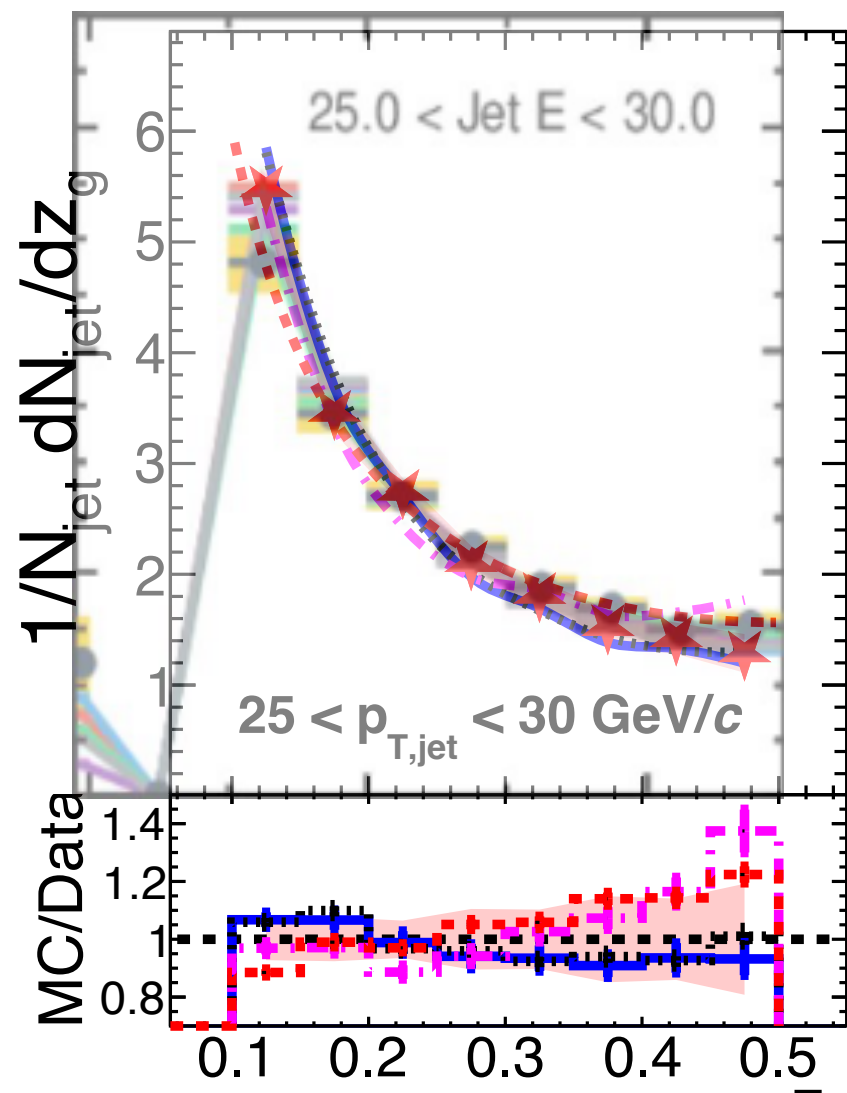
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Is the comparison apples to apples?

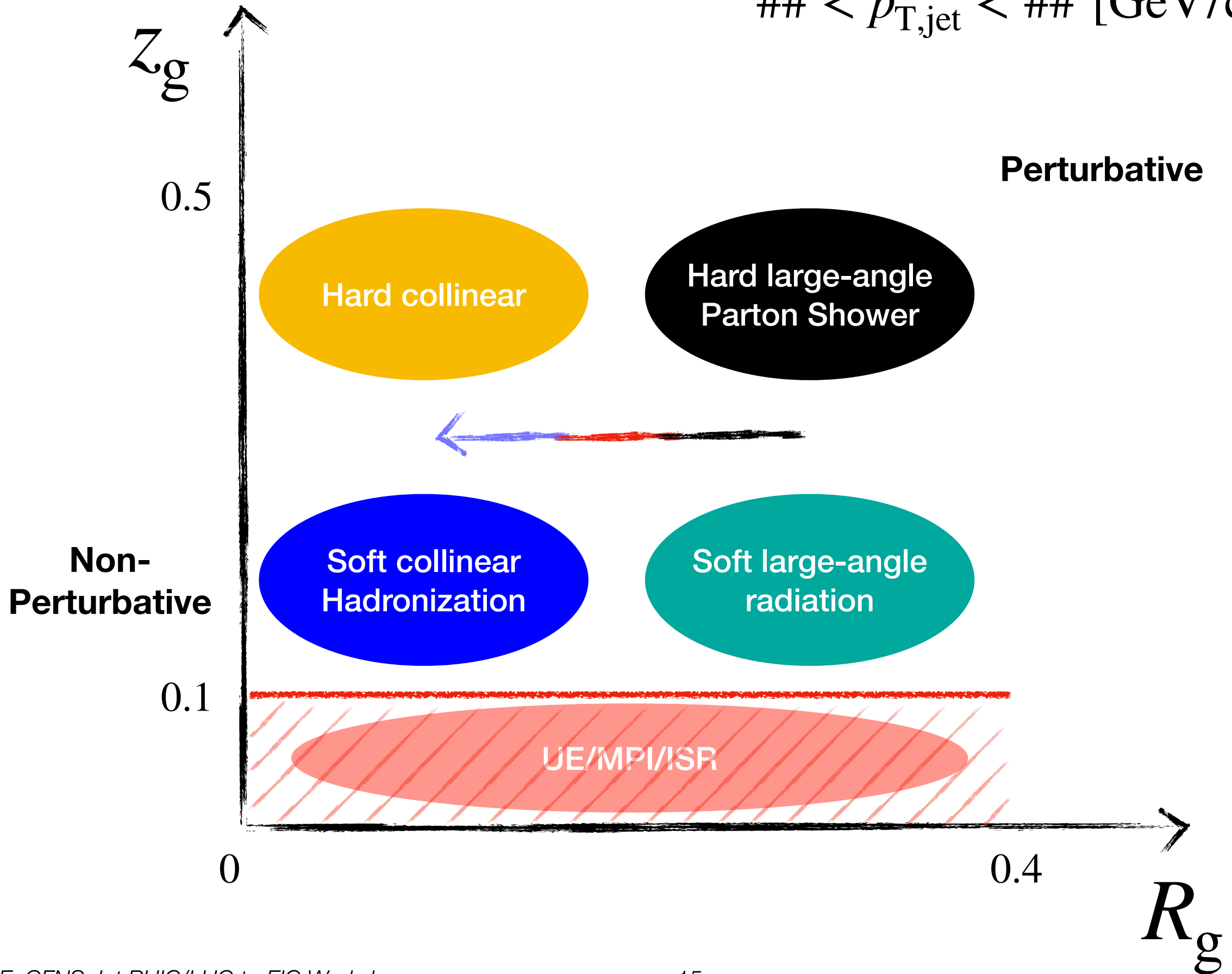
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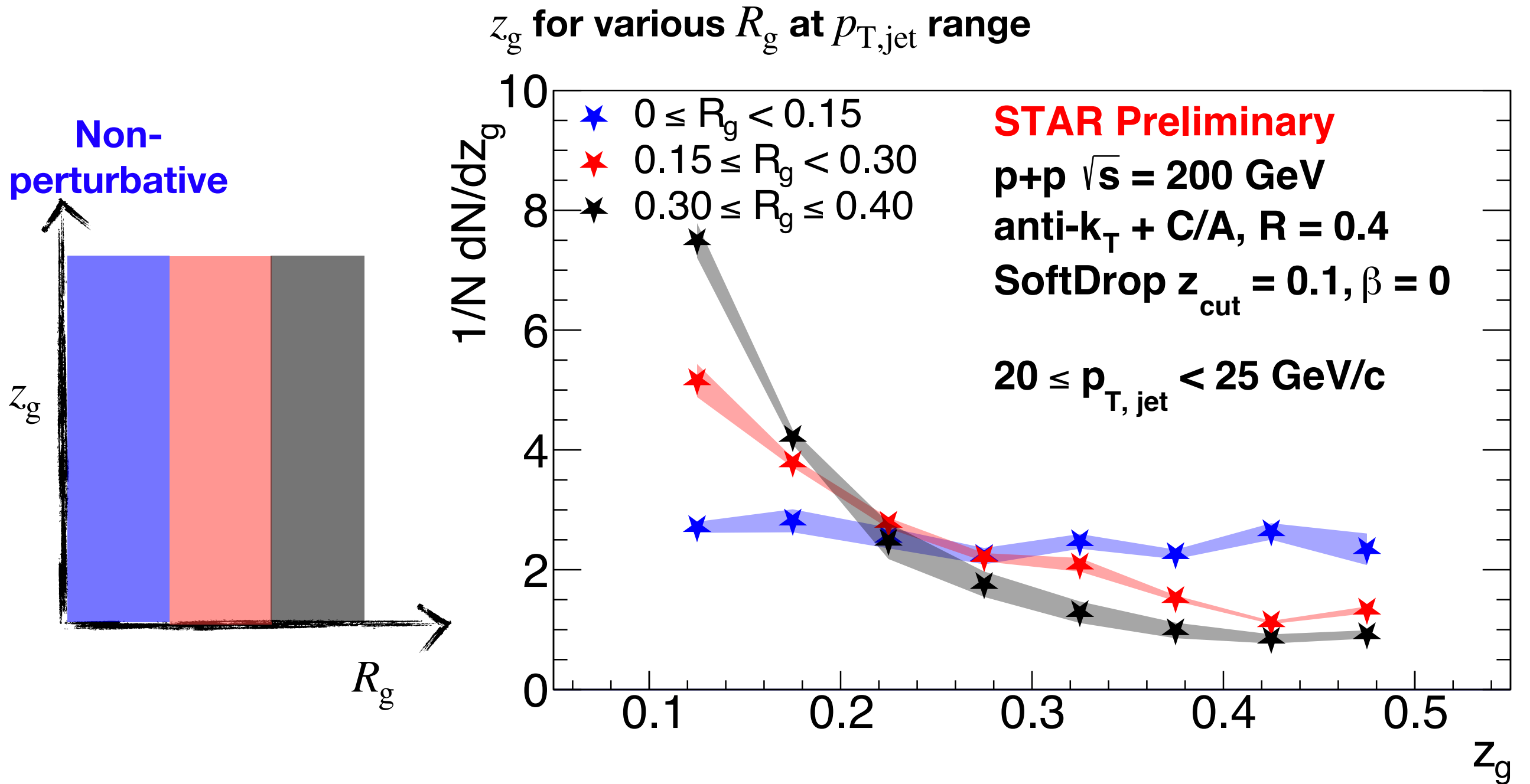


These jets in pp collisions have a $\langle M \rangle \approx 3 \text{ GeV}/c^2$ plus there's hadronic component!

$$\#\# < p_{T,\text{jet}} < \#\# \text{ [GeV/c]}$$



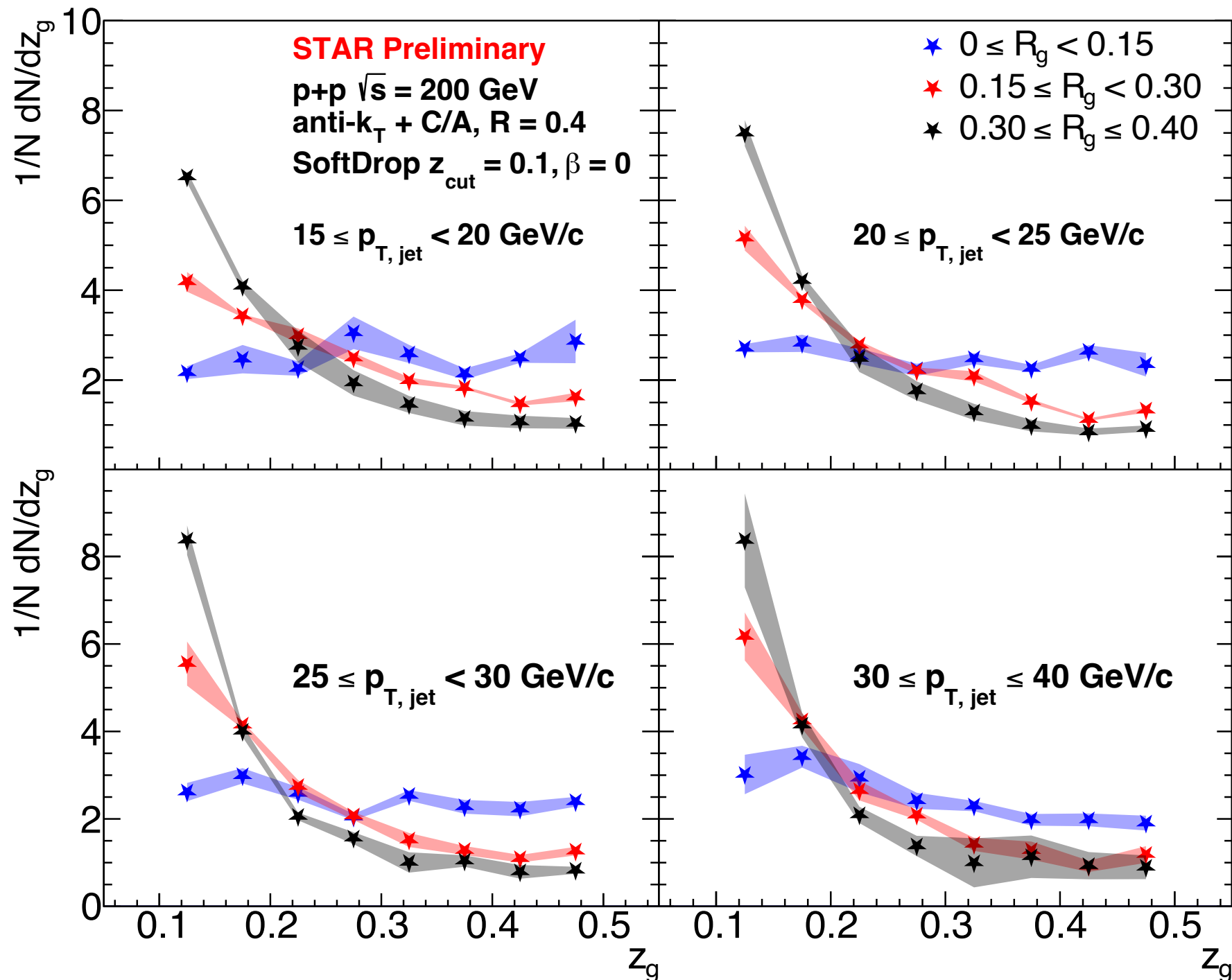
Correlation between the splitting scales



- Significant variation from selecting on R_g
- Evolution from **soft-wide angle splits** to **hard-collinear splits**

Evolution vs. $p_{T,\text{jet}}$

z_g for various R_g and $p_{T,\text{jet}}$

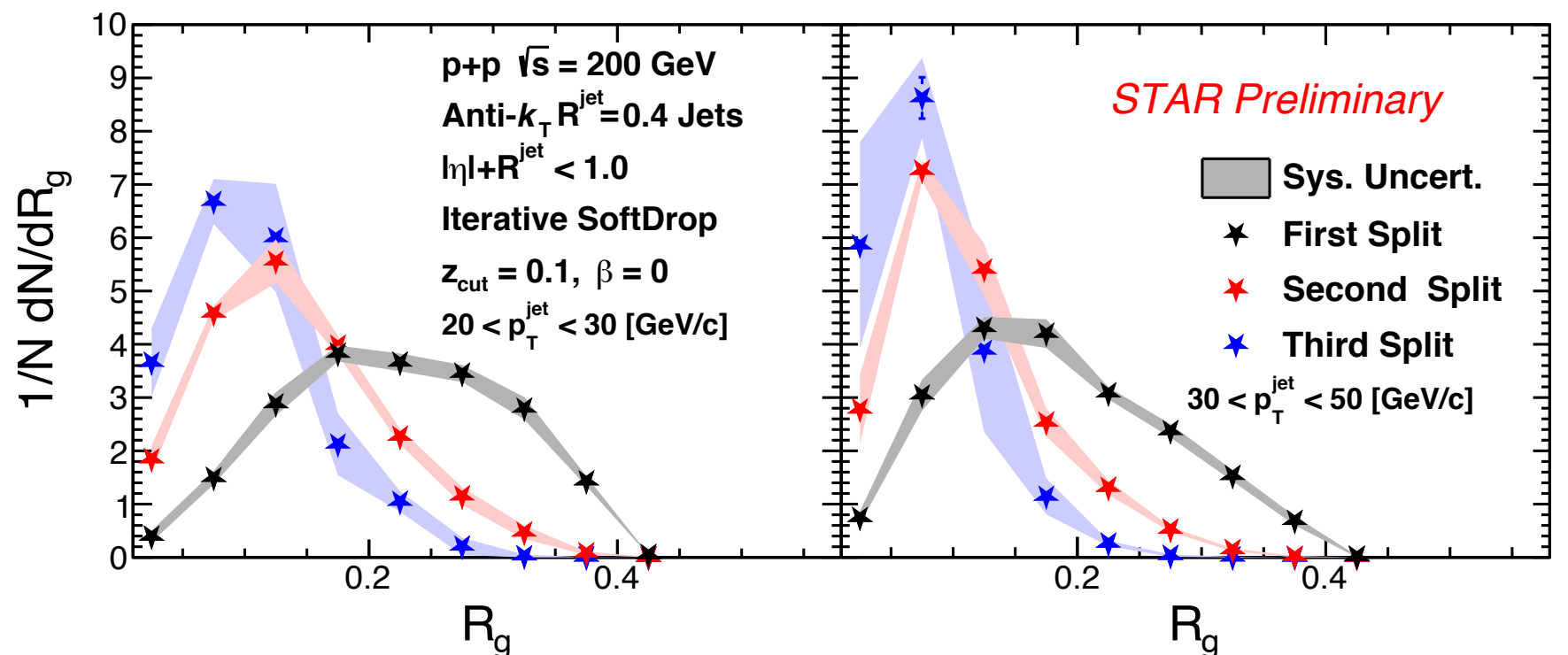
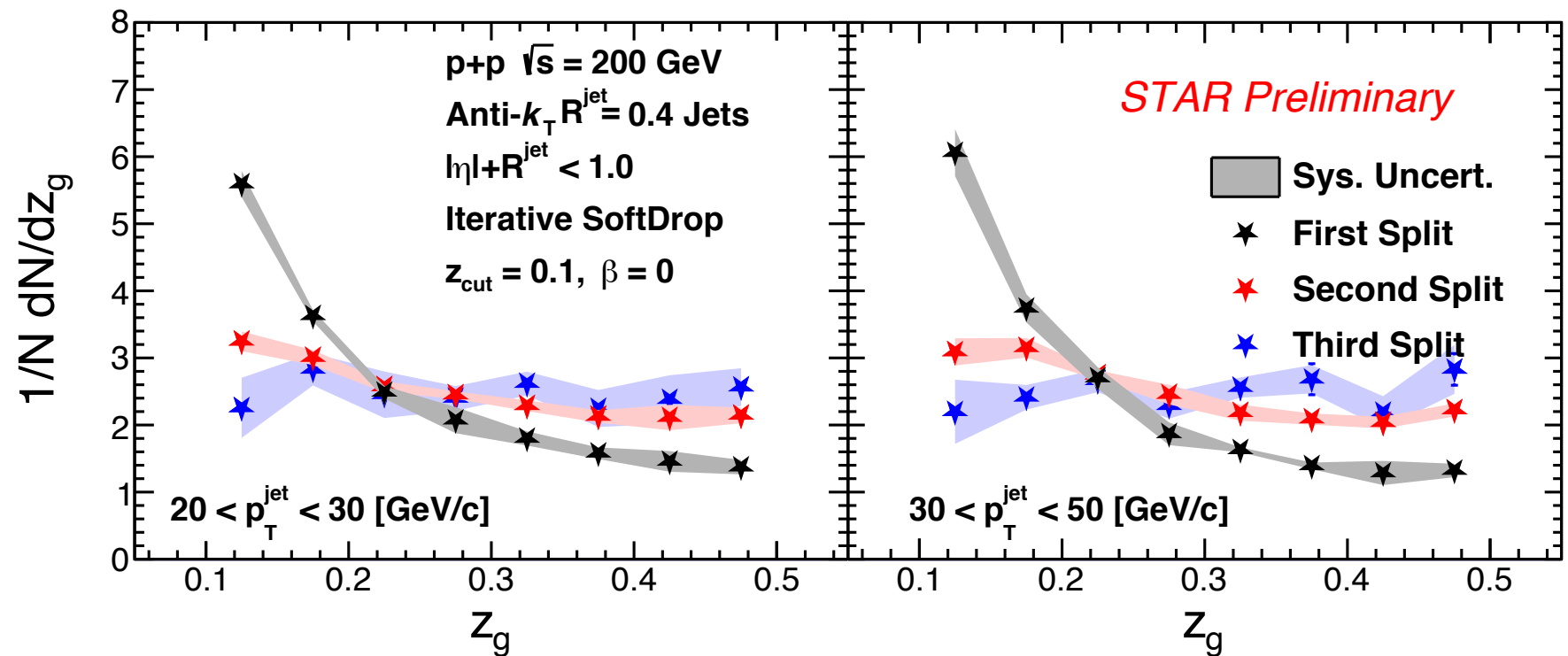


- Increasing jet p_T has a small to mild effect on substructure
- Selection on R_g determines **the z_g shape** - high degree of correlation
- **Phase space restrictions matter!**

Evolution of the splittings

1st, 2nd, 3rd splits for various $p_{T,\text{jet}}$

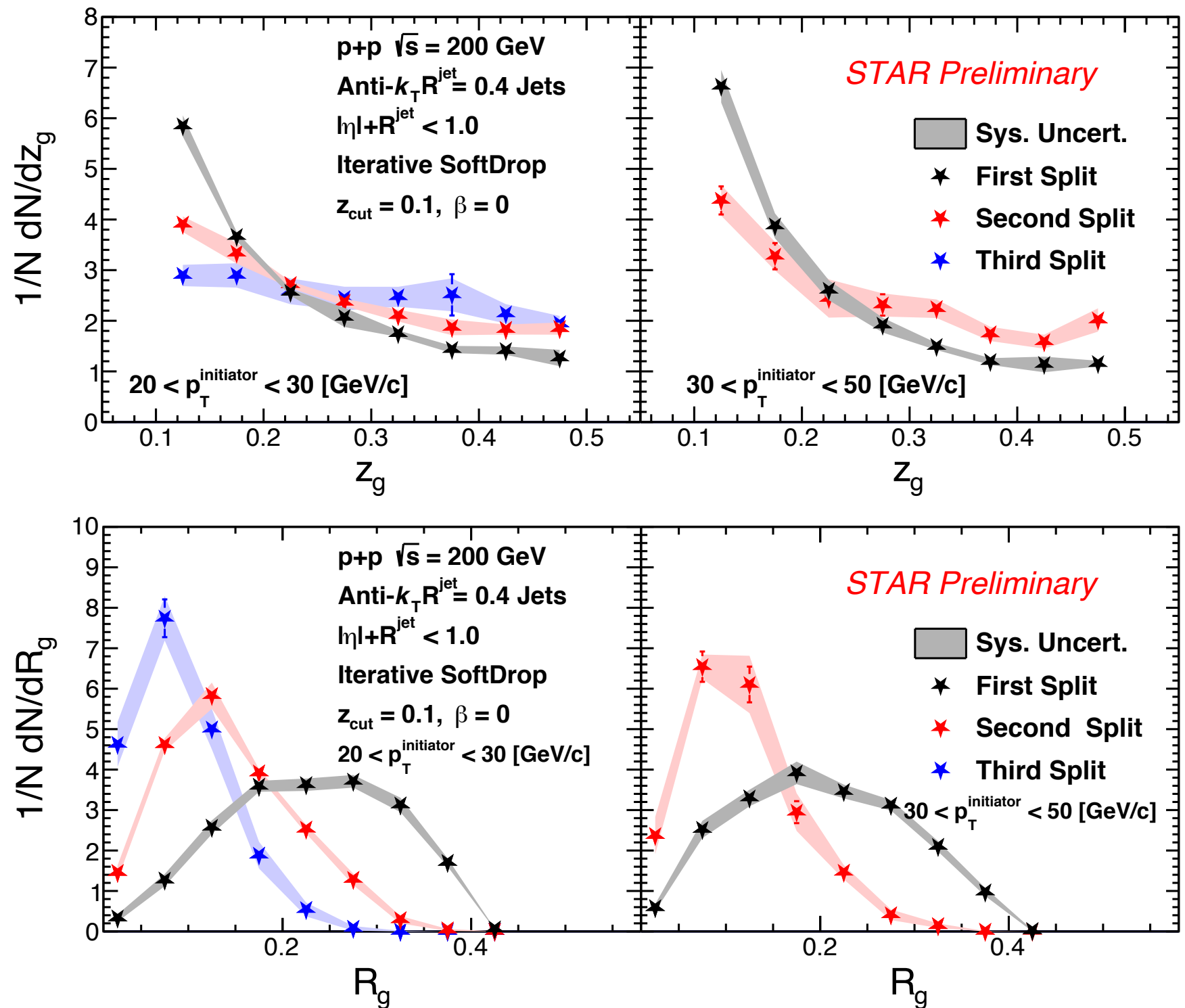
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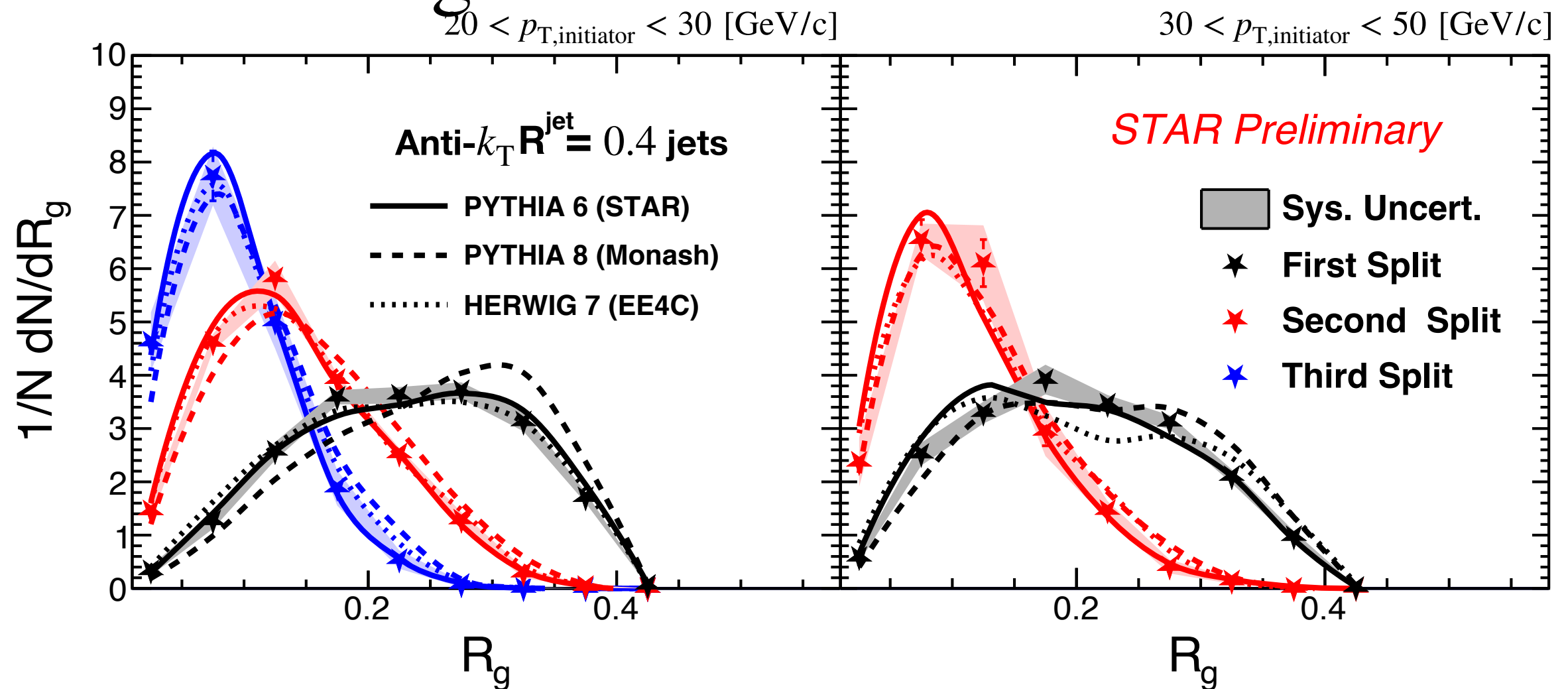
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- For a given split with $p_{T, \text{initiator}}$, what are the z_g, R_g for 1st, 2nd and 3rd splits? Follow a split...
- Splits are directly comparable with each other - only difference is where they occur in the shower
- Hint of differences between **second split** z_g (similar R_g) for initiator vs. jet momenta selection



Comparisons with leading order MC - R_g for various initiator p_T



- Three MC (PYTHIA 6, PYTHIA 8, HERWIG 7) **models describe the overall trend of narrowing** of jet substructure for higher splits
- Availability of emission phase space depends on both jet momenta and split # - similar peaks of R_g for **third splits** on the left to **second splits** on the right

How to experimentally measure the formation time τ_f

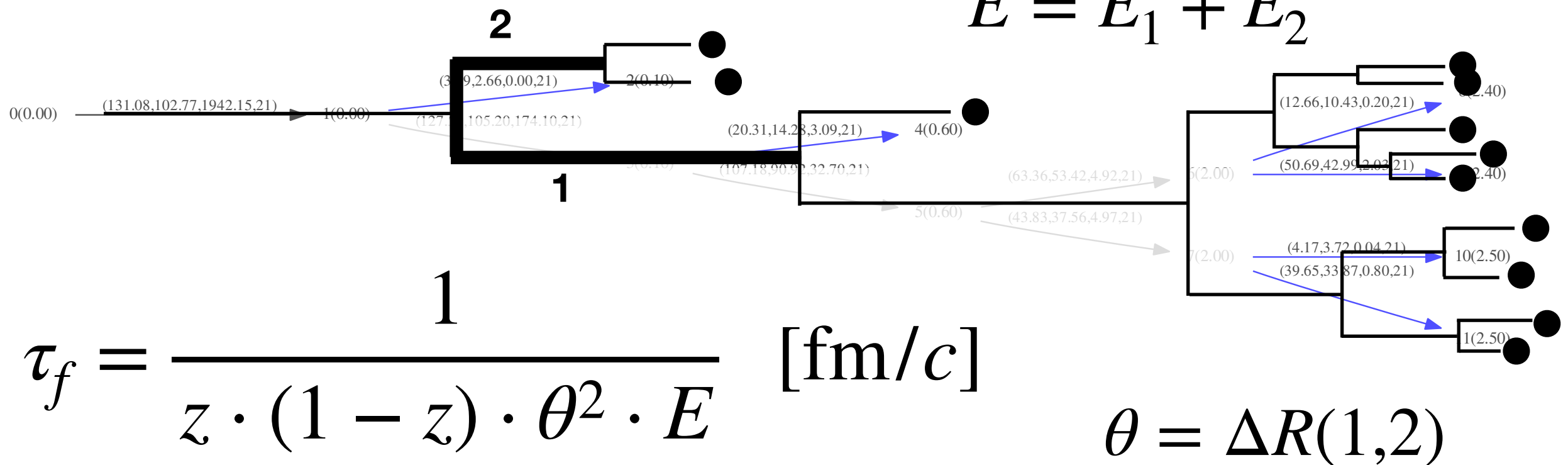
Take any two objects - in this case the first two surviving prongs after SoftDrop grooming

$$z = \frac{\min(p_{T,1}, p_{T,2})}{p_{T,1} + p_{T,2}}$$

Dasgupta et al.
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$$E = E_1 + E_2$$



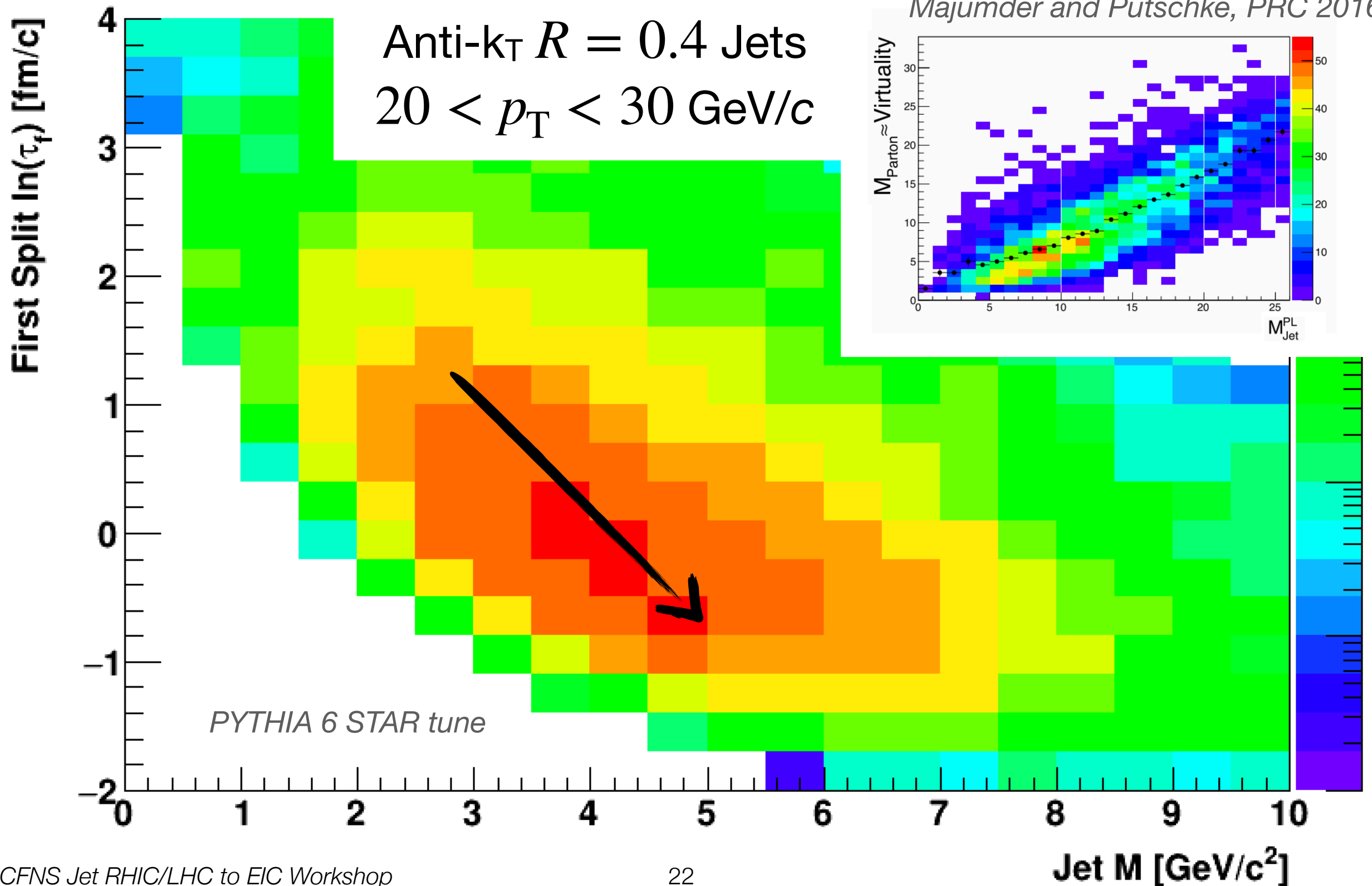
$$\tau_f = \frac{1}{z \cdot (1 - z) \cdot \theta^2 \cdot E} \quad [\text{fm}/c]$$

$$\theta = \Delta R(1,2)$$

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Chien et. al. 2109.15318

Formation time vs jet mass



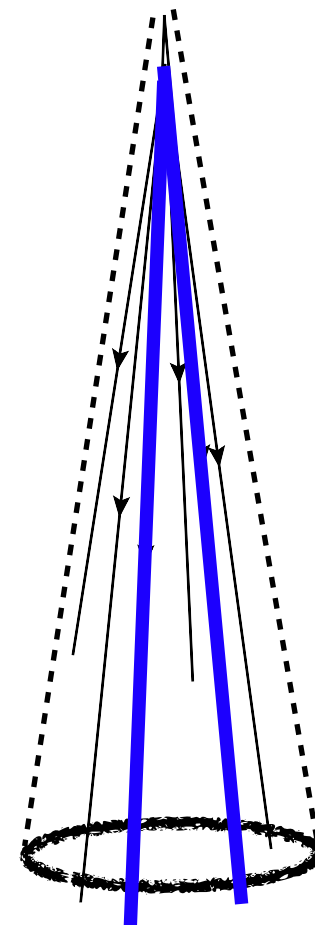
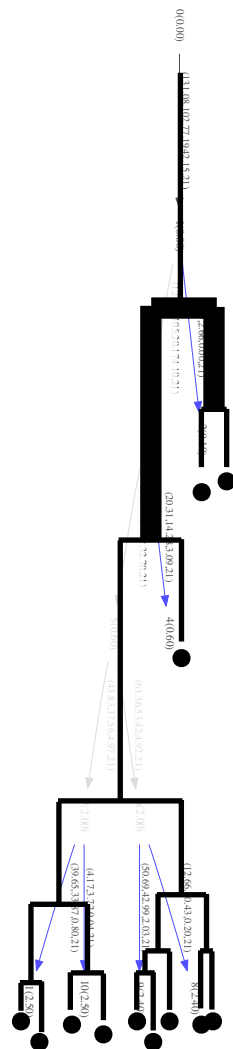
Identifying two regimes

- SoftDrop
first split τ_f

- Leading and subleading
ch-particle τ_f

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- Occur later in time since its calculated using charged particles which occur at the end
- Mostly non-perturbative

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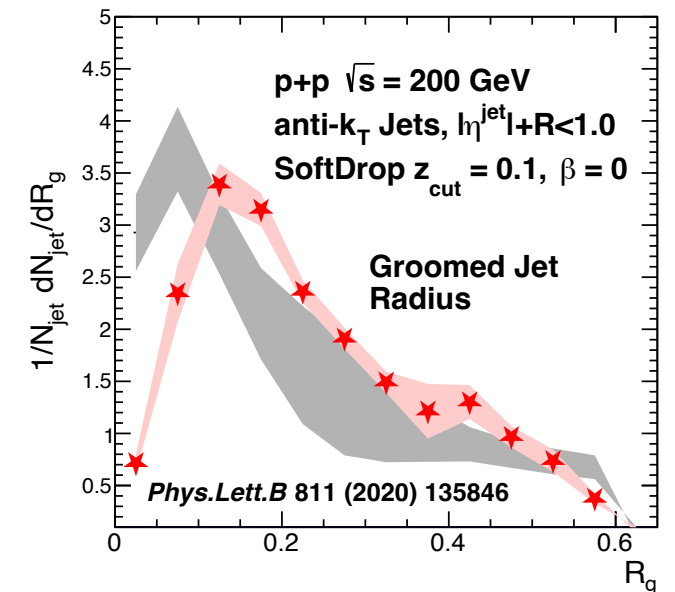
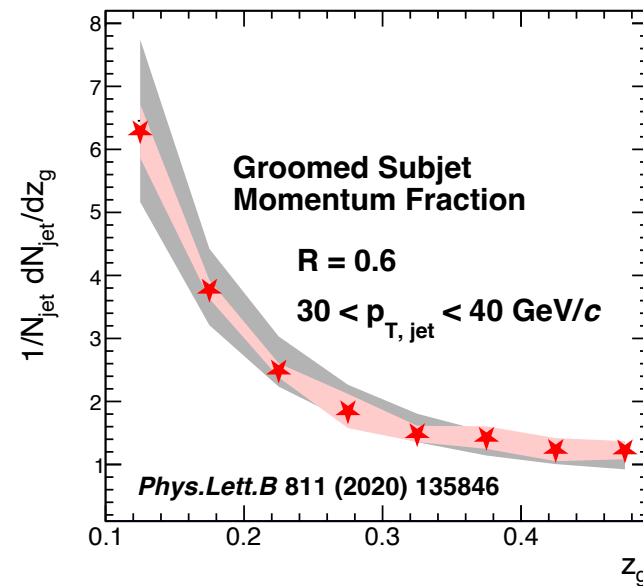
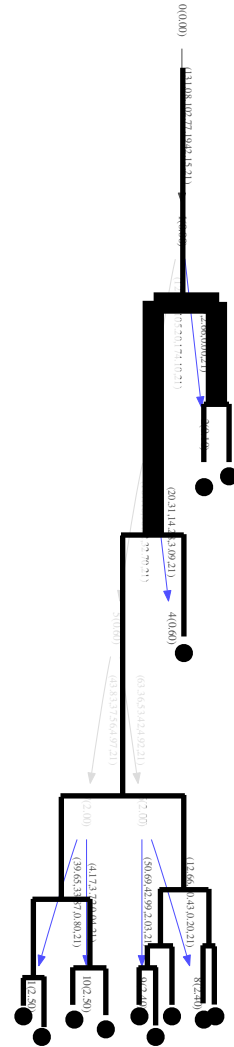
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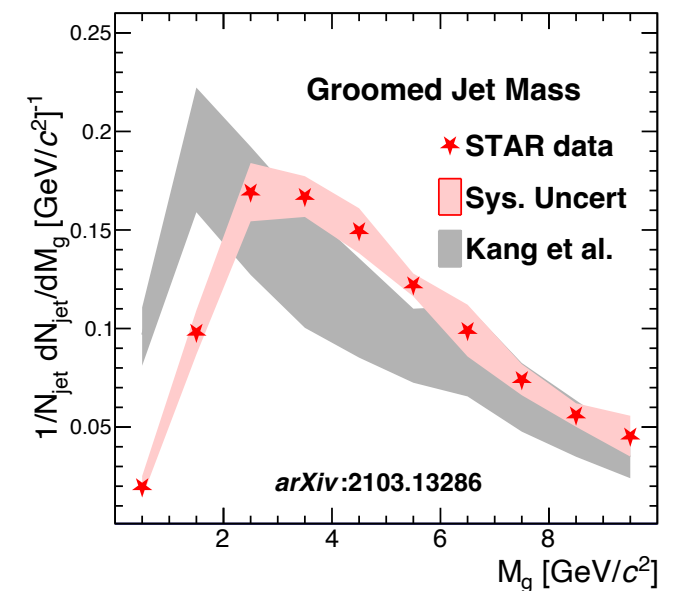
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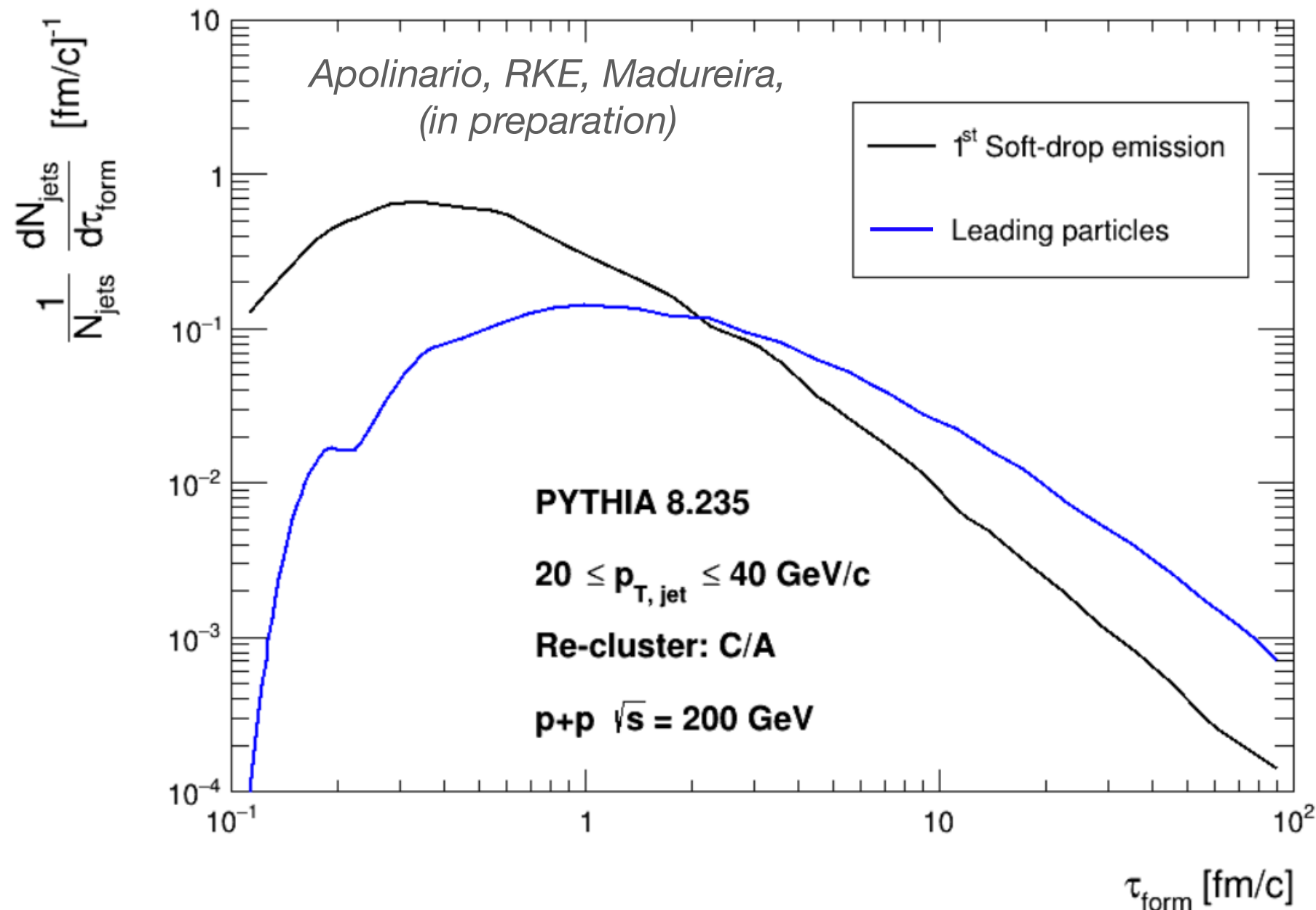
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- NLL calculations (w/o non-perturbative corrections) matches data at large jet R and high p_T



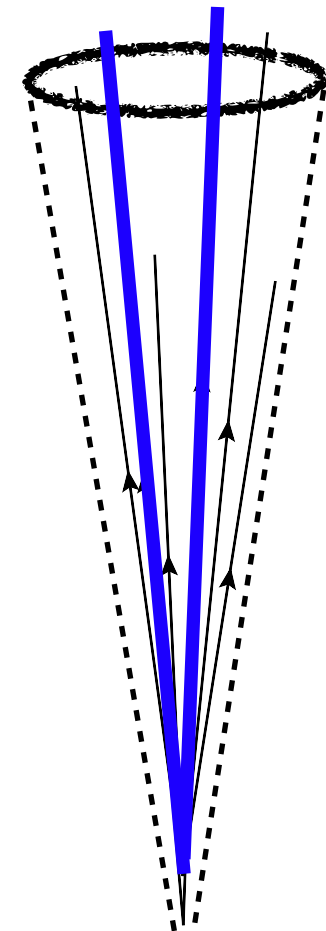
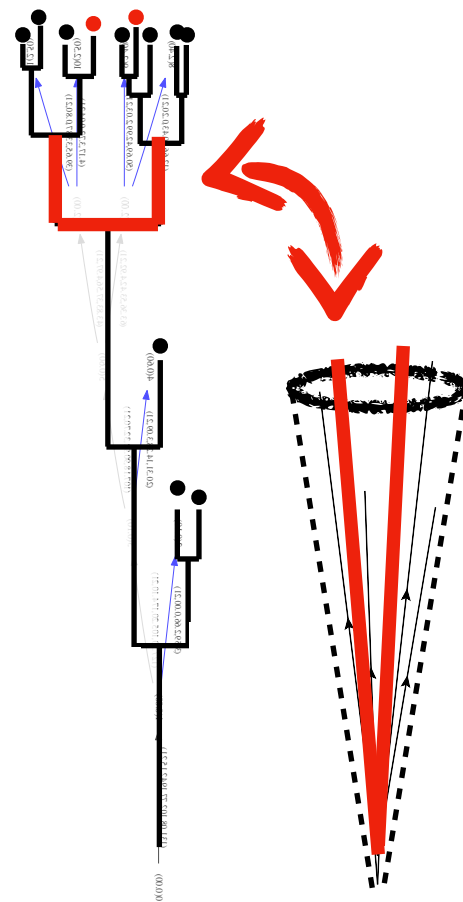
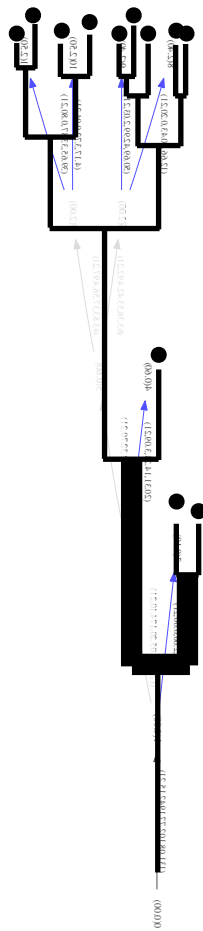
What do these distributions look like in PYTHIA?



- As expected we see a significant shift between the two distributions
- Charged particles generally have a formation time much larger than the first splits

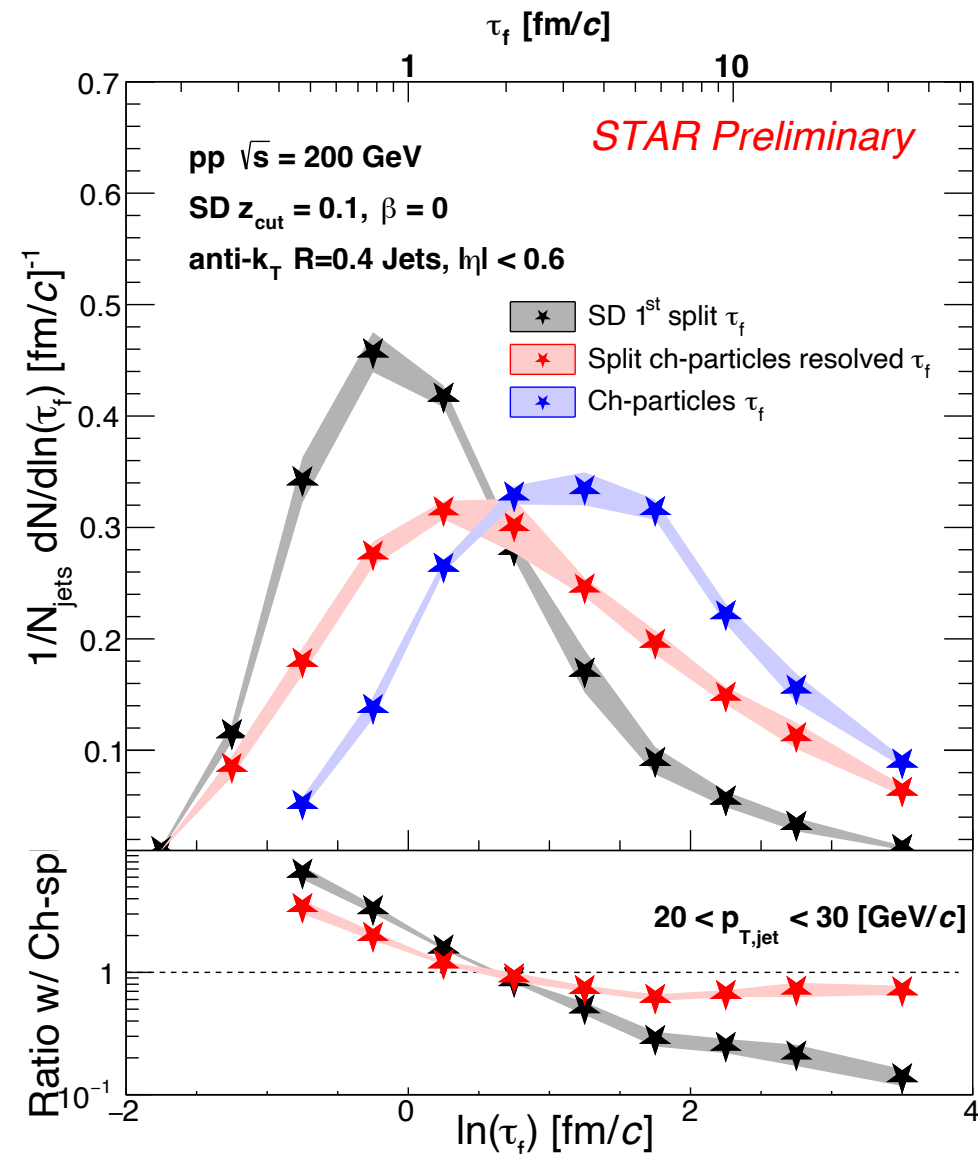
Connecting the two regimes

- SoftDrop first split τ_f
- SoftDrop split (varying z_{cut}) resolving the two leading charged particles
- Leading and subleading ch-particle τ_f



Formation times across various regimes within the jet shower

- **First measurements of formation time** from the jet splitting trees and from charged particles in the jet
- **Resolved SD splits** show **similar shape** as the **charged particle split** at large τ_f values occurring in the predominantly **non-perturbative region**
- Comparison of the different splits highlights the transition from **pQCD** to **npQCD**



RKE (for STAR) pdf
 Jets and 3D Imaging at the EIC Workshop

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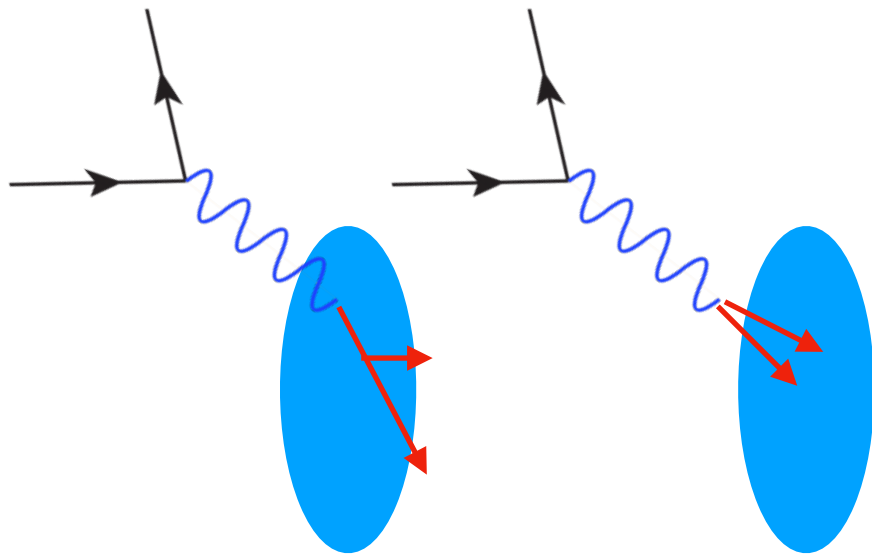
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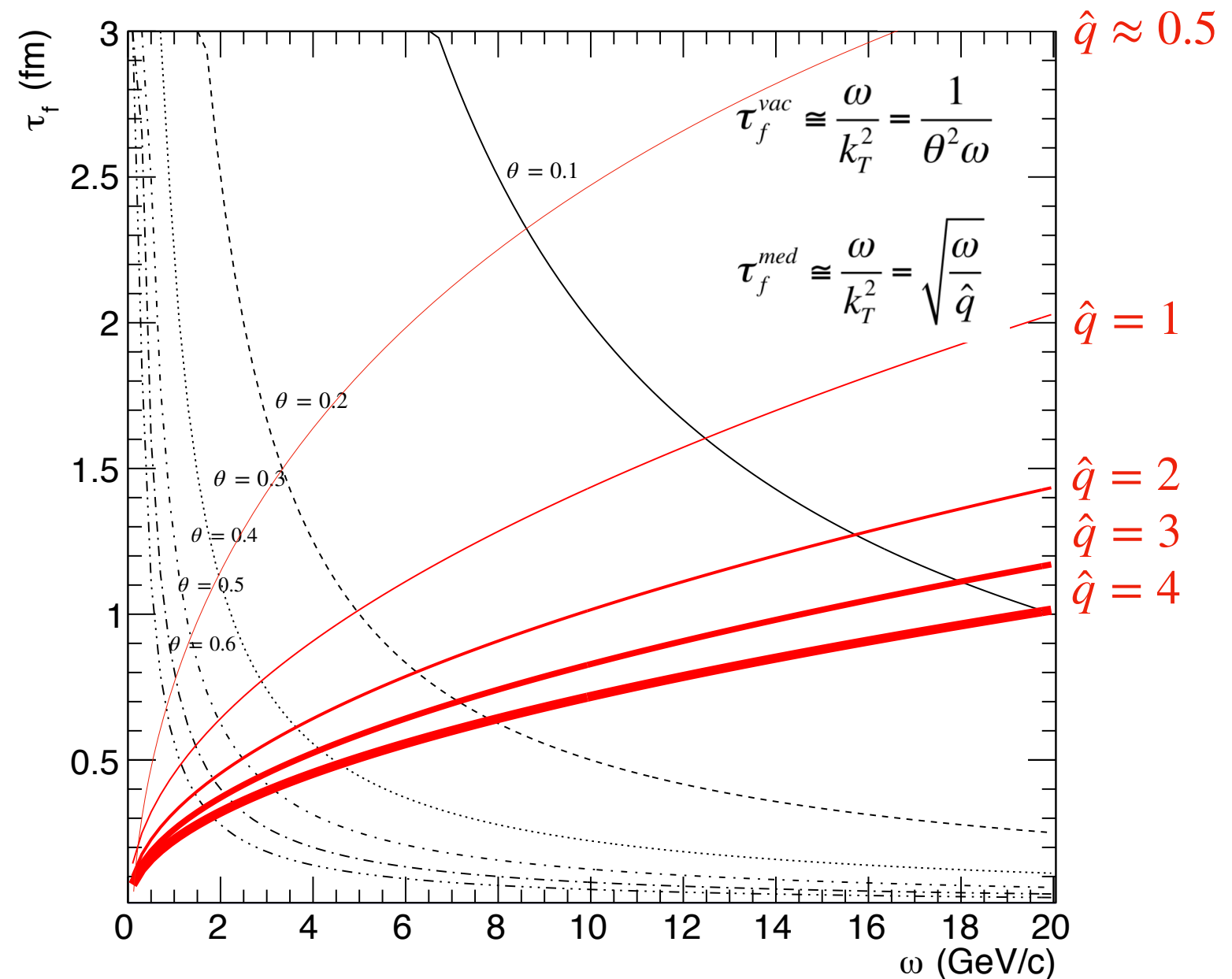
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Measuring the parton shower

Studies of CNM and initial state vs resolution scale and τ_f



- With splitting/dijet energies roughly 5-30 GeV, we can study resolutions O(1-5) fm!
- Enabling differential measurements of similar kinematics but varying shower topology!



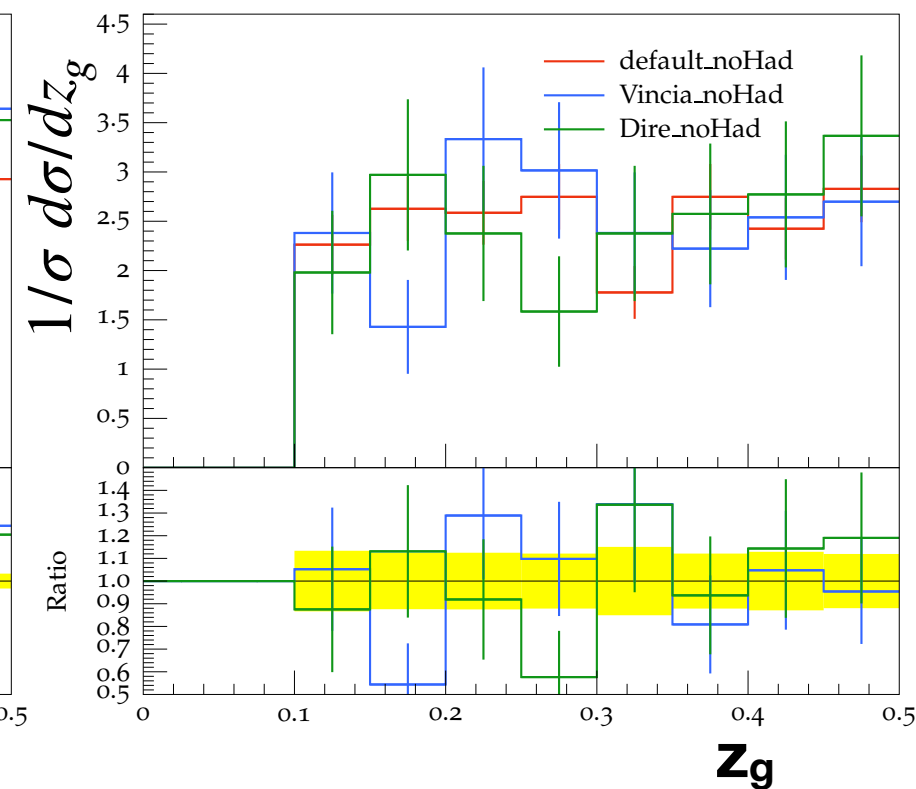
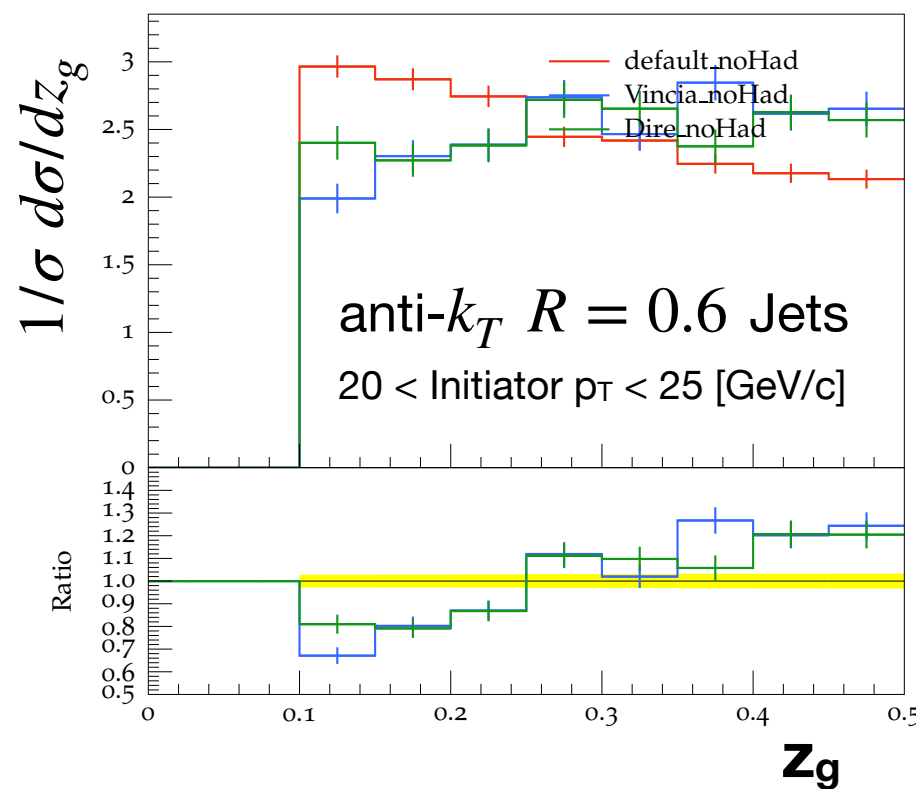
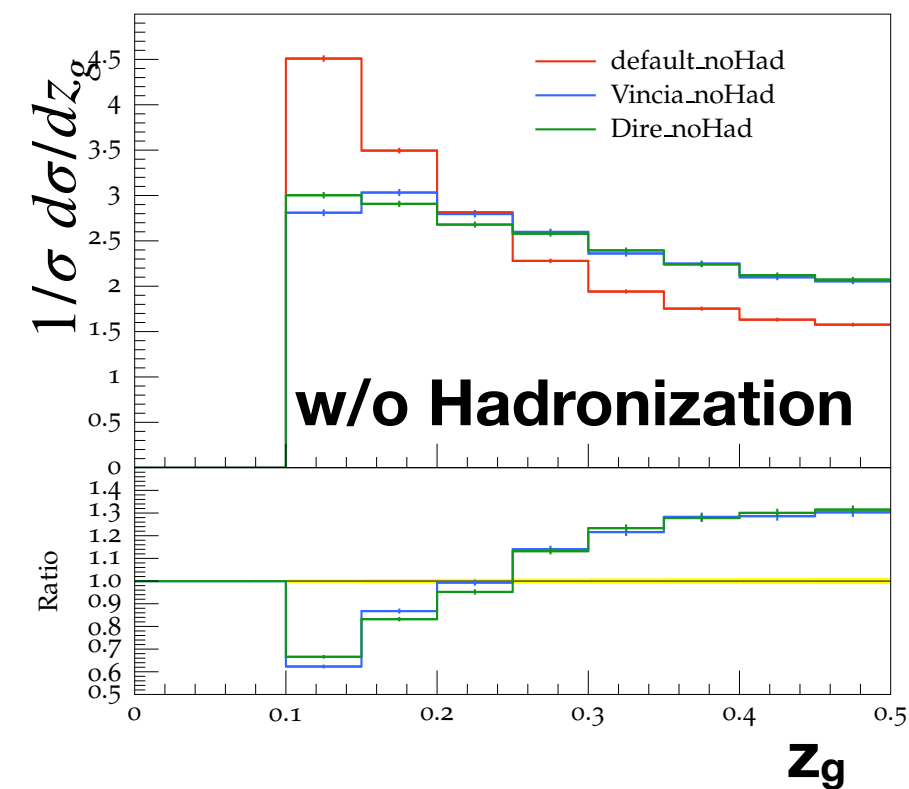
Effect of Parton Showers

PYTHIA 8.301

First Split

Second Split

Third Split



- At parton level, variations between shower models
- z_g shape becomes flatter as we move along the shower

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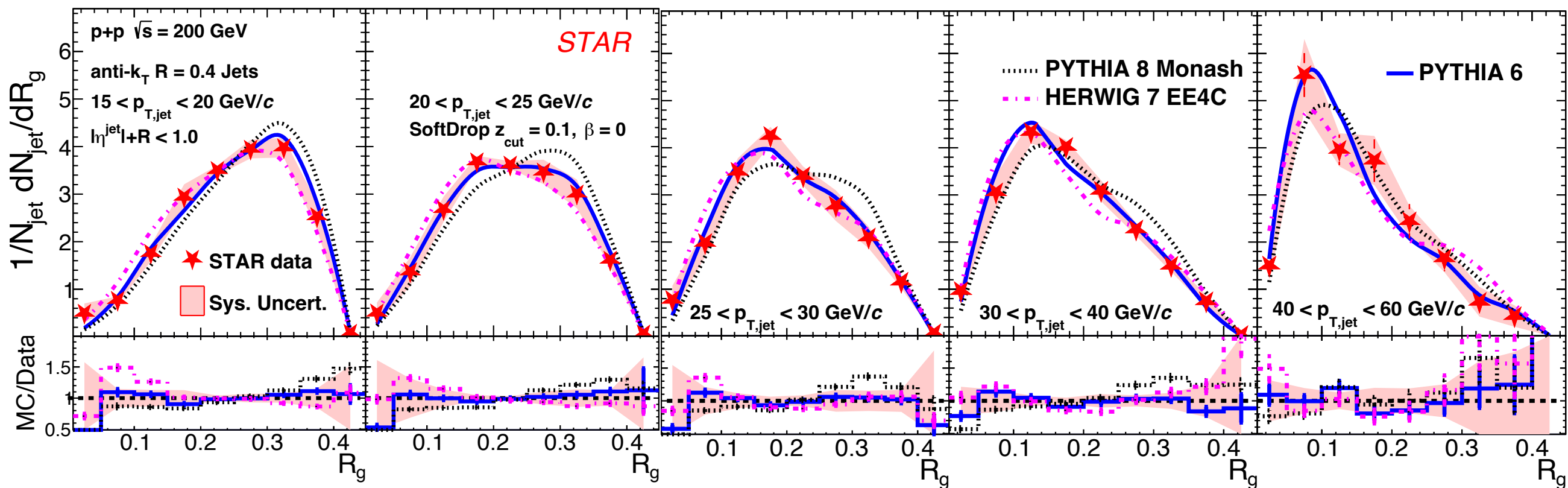
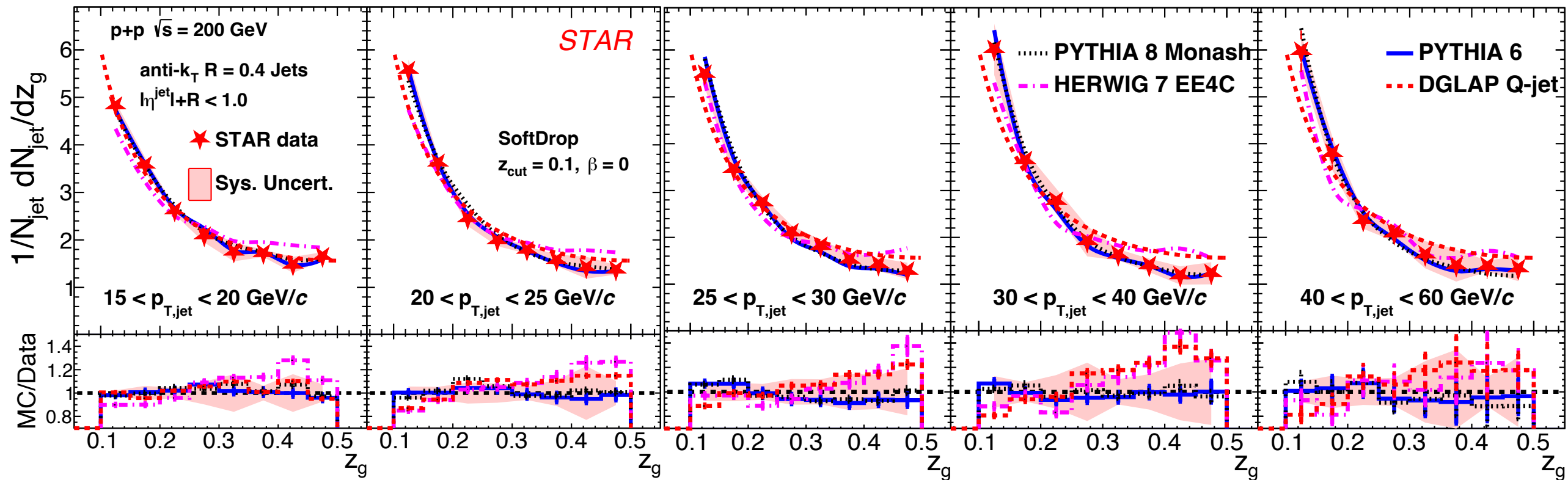
- Ongoing quantifications of novel substructure techniques to map the jet evolution
- EIC will provide a cleaner environment and energy scale selection (re: STAR vs ALEPH) leading to precision mapping of the emission phase-space
- Lead to discovery physics about non-perturbative effects and hadronization within jets

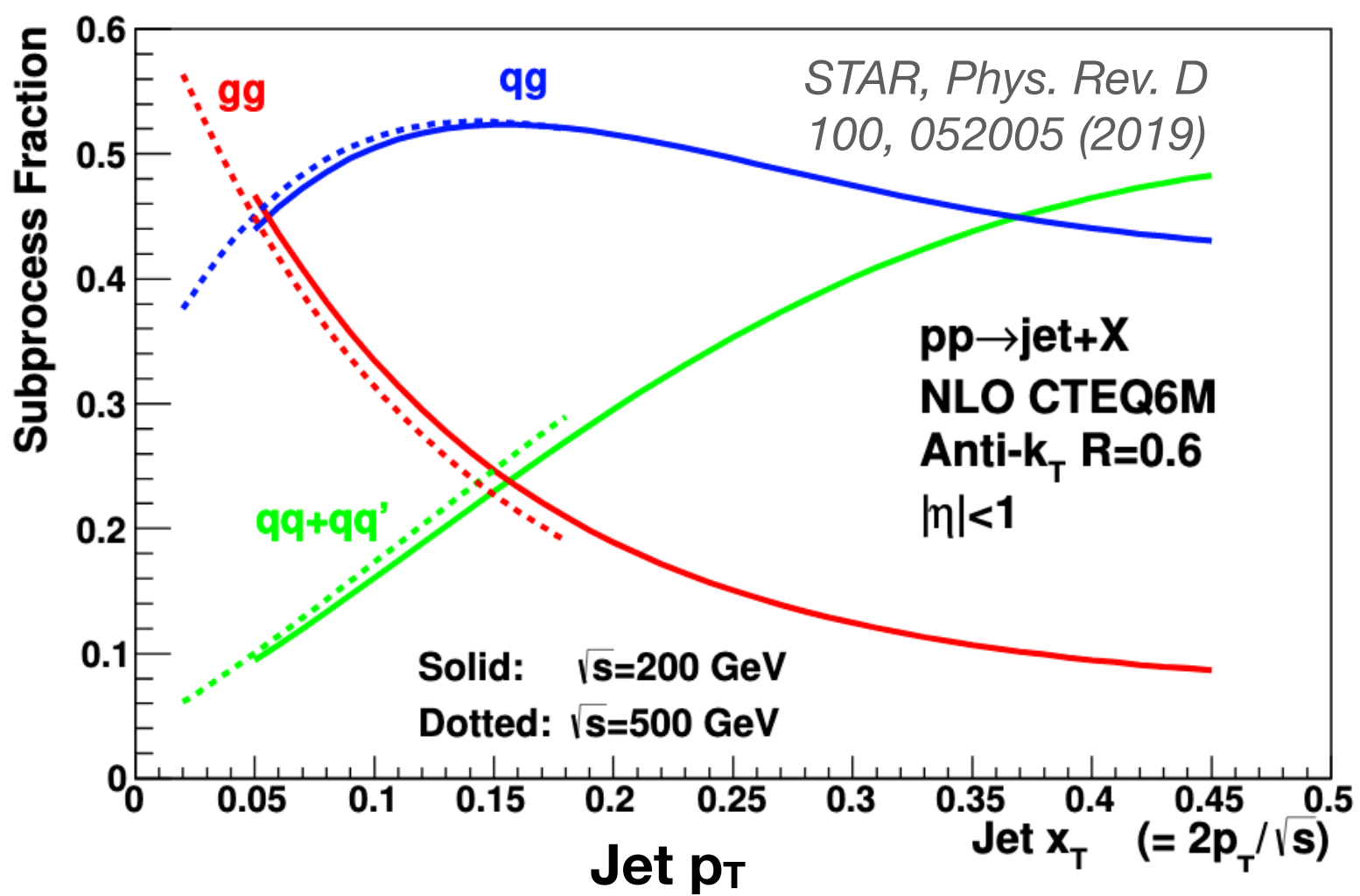
Backup

Jet p_T

$15 < p_T < 20 \text{ GeV}/c$

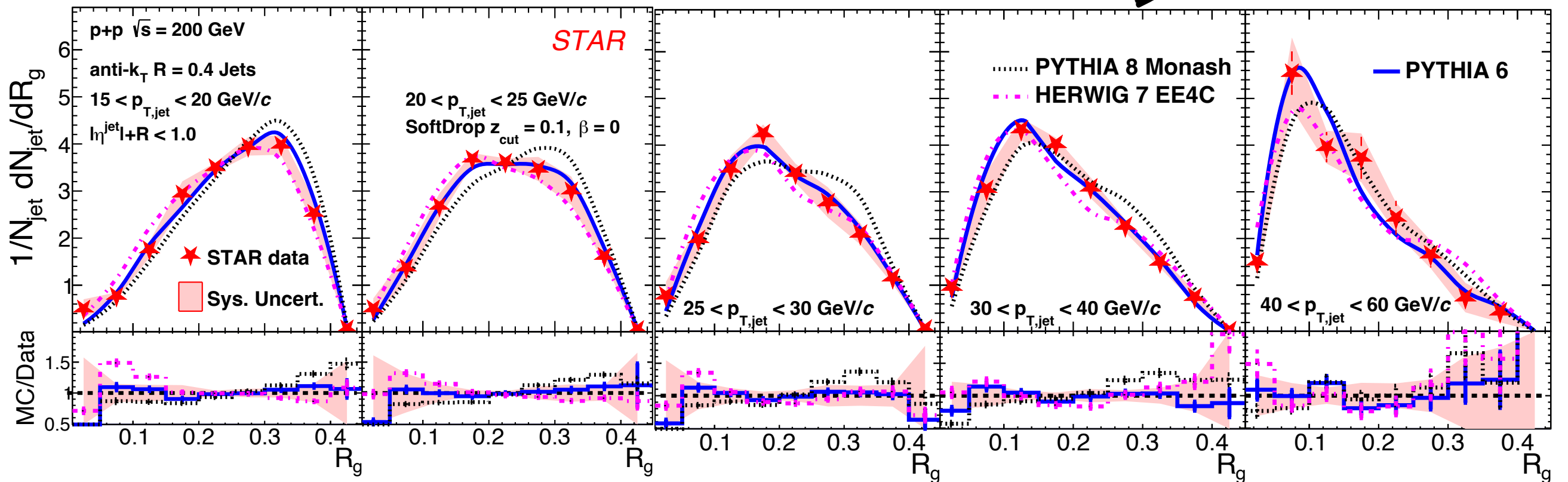
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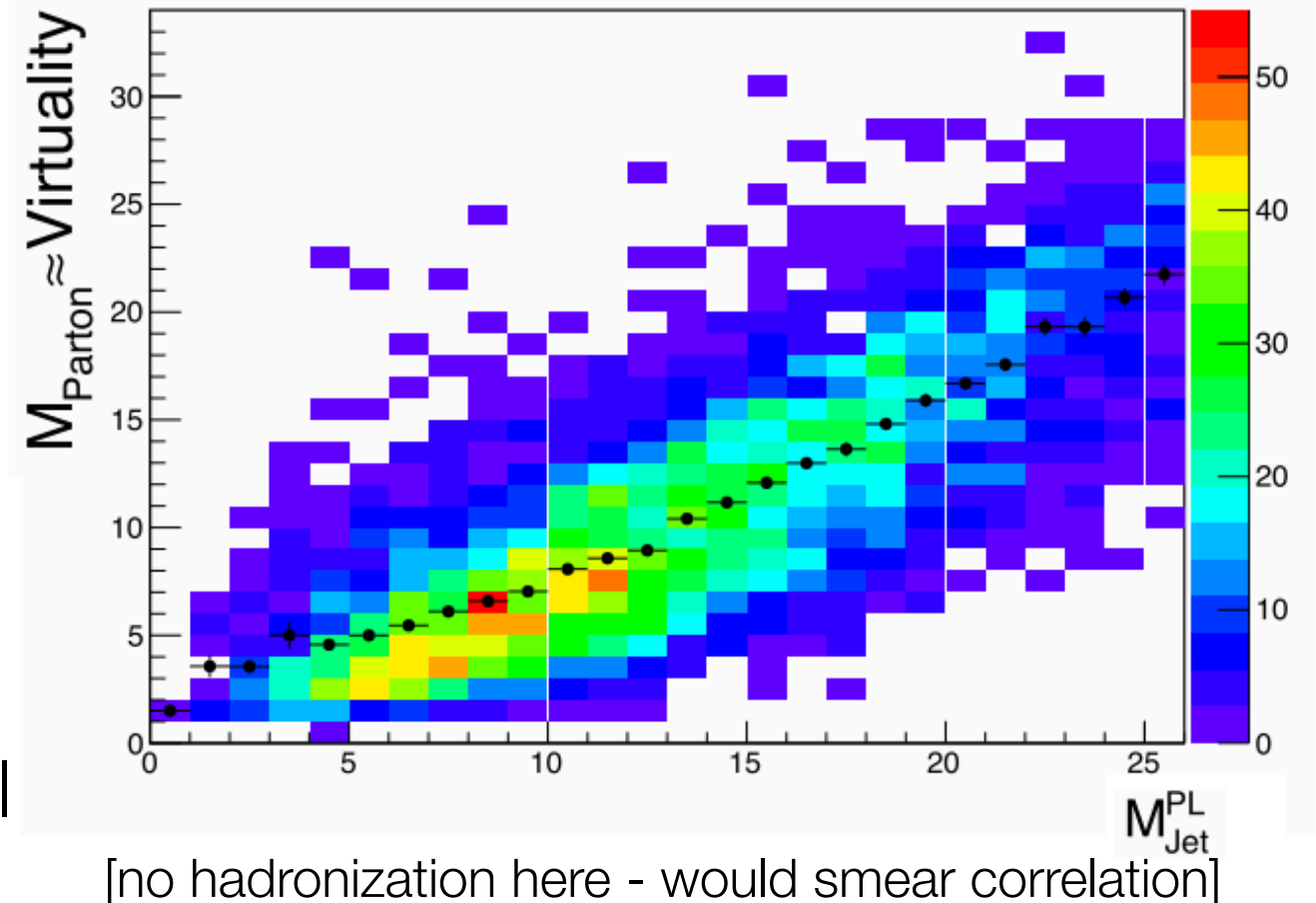
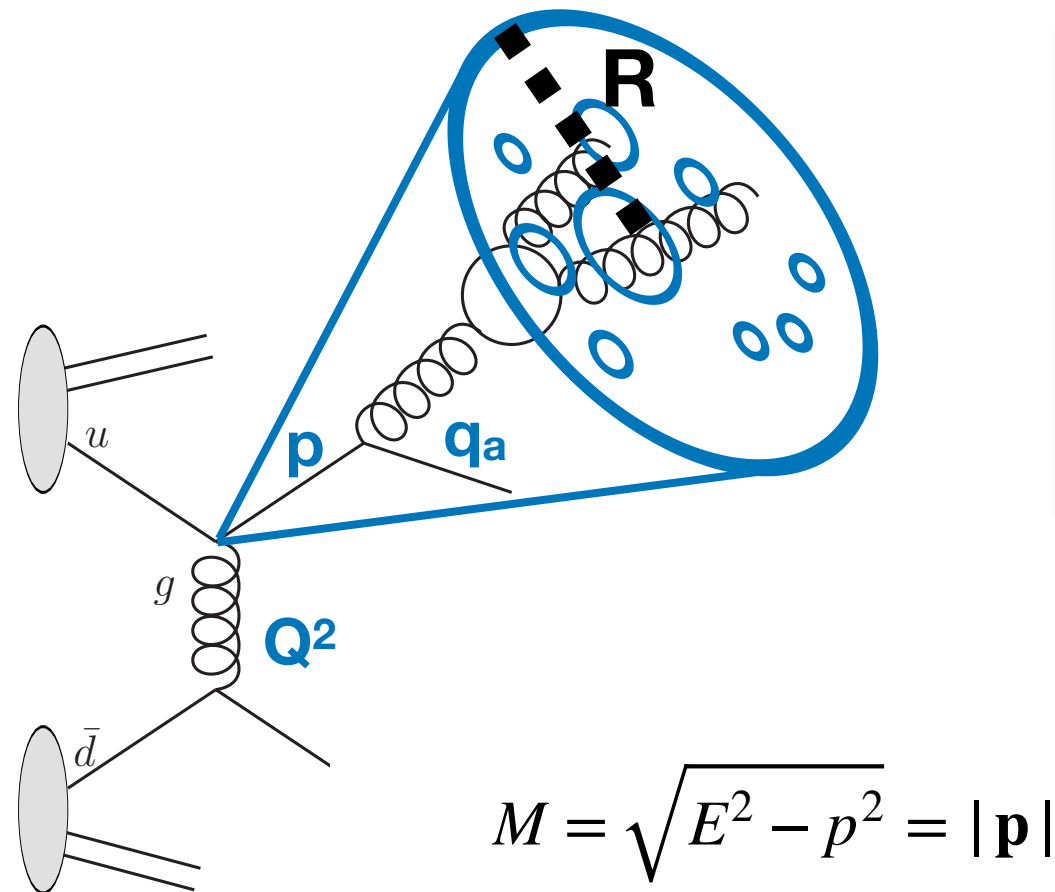


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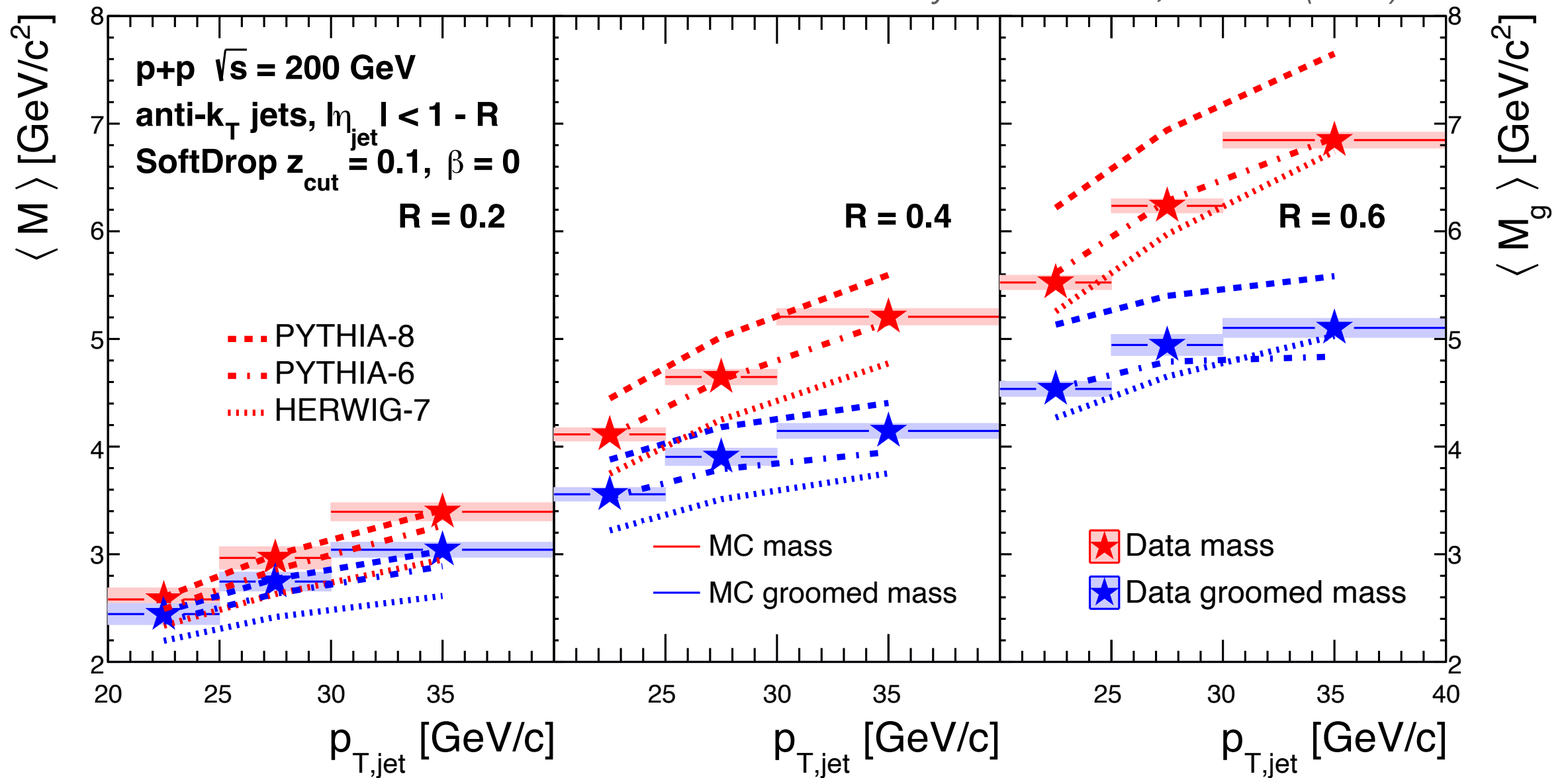
Jet Mass



- Part of a broader class of angularity observables *Kang, Lee and Ringer, JHEP 2018*
- Sensitive to partonic dynamics i.e. virtuality *Majumder and Putschke, PRC 2016*
- Governs essentially the energy spread within a jet - ability to study differential properties of jets *ATLAS-CONF-2018-014 ALICE, PLB 2018 CMS, JHEP 2018*

Evolution of jet mass

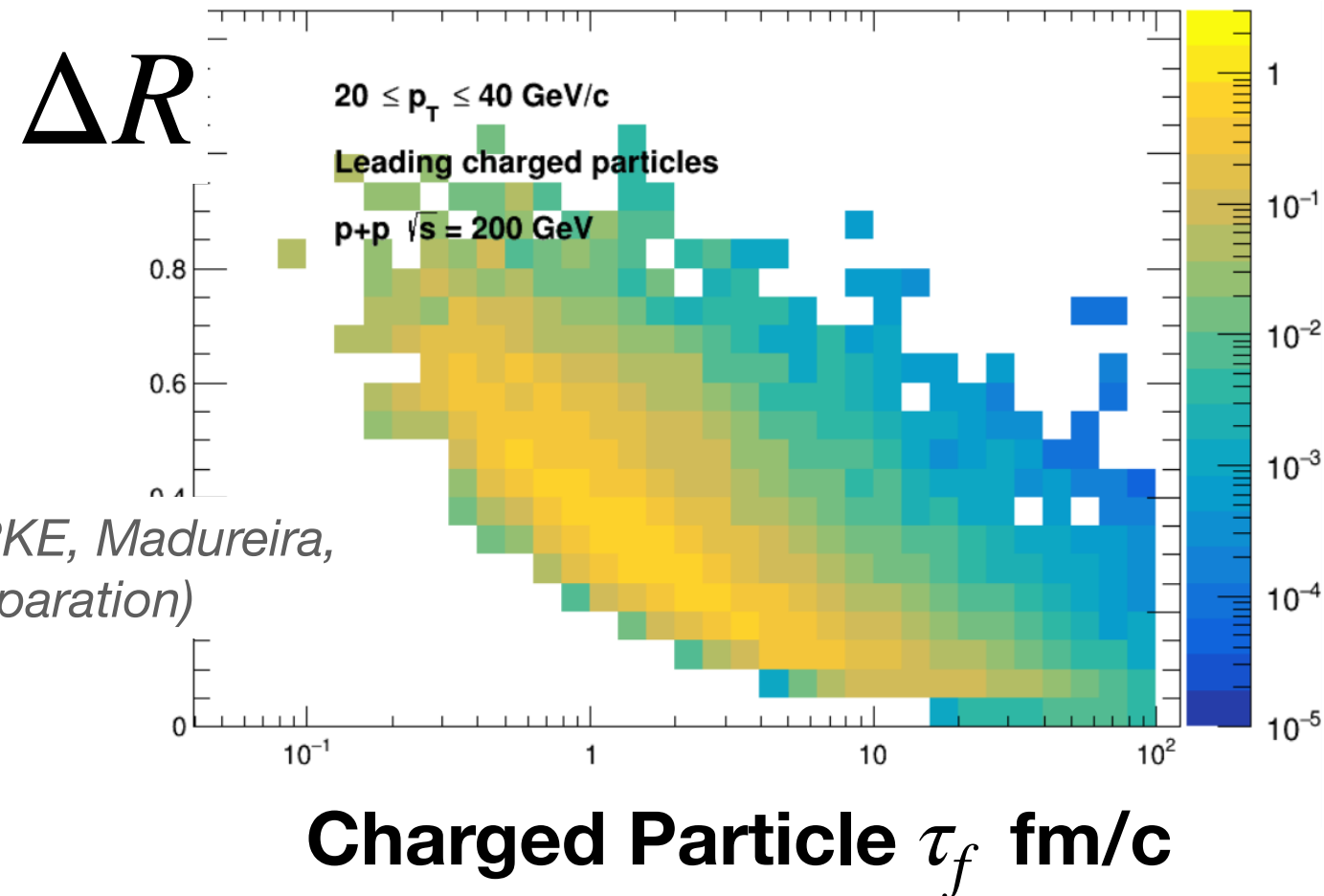
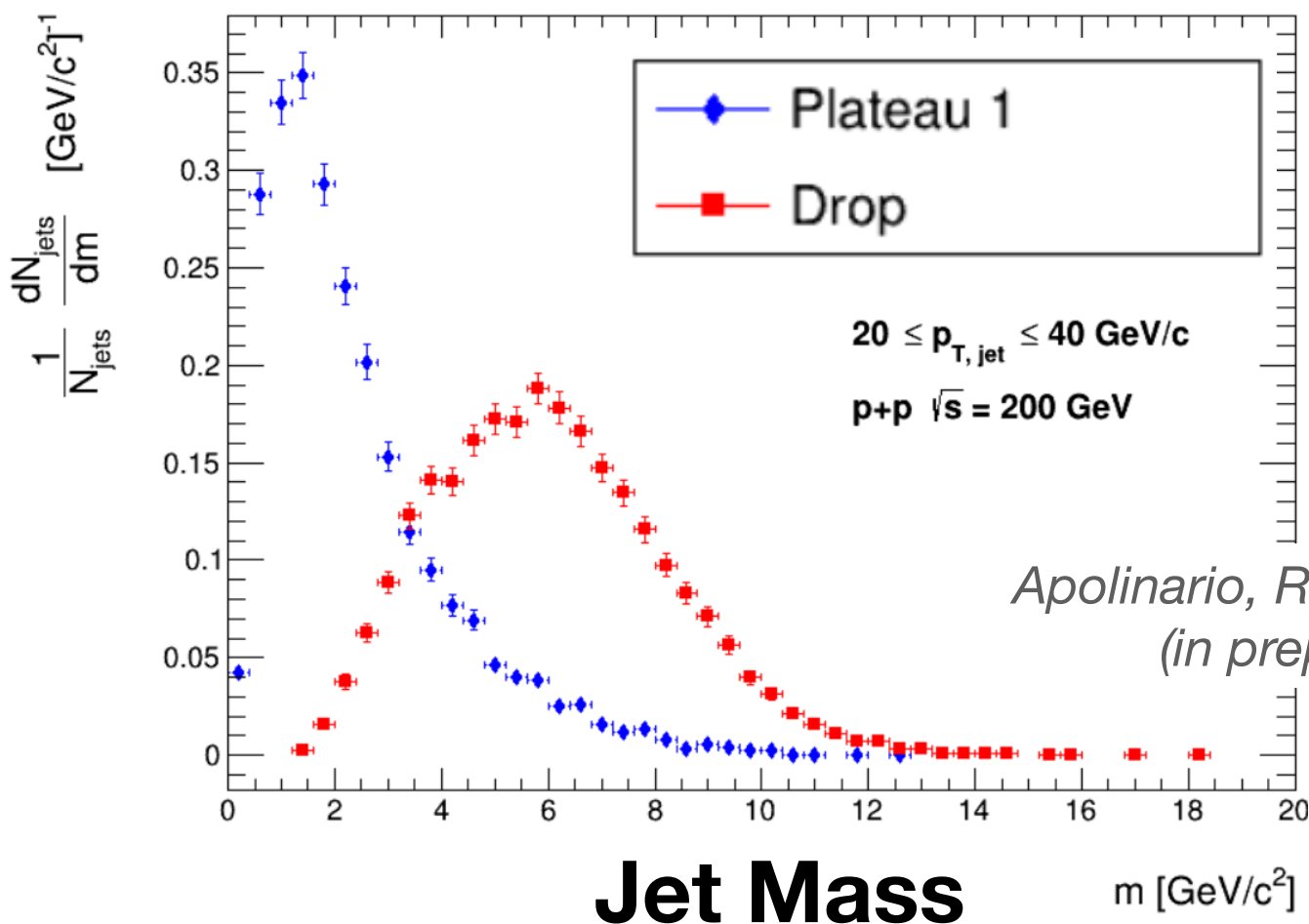
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Significant reduction in the groomed jet mass due to removal of non-perturbative contributions around the jet periphery

Where do we go from here?

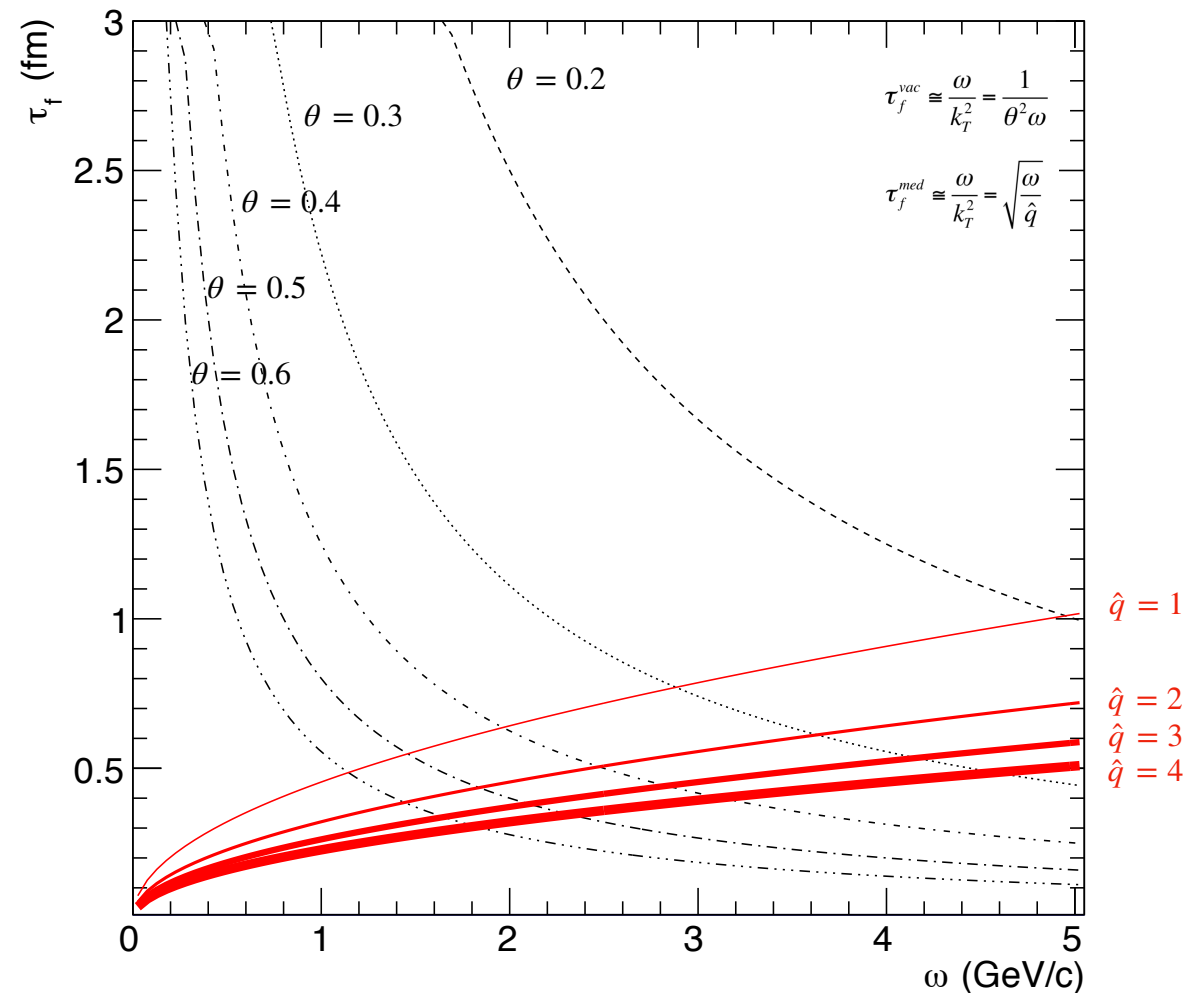
Studying the plateau



- Selection on the resolved formation time essentially sculpts the jet mass and opening angles
- Reproduce correlation between later times and smaller masses (virtuality) and narrower opening angles - Important handle on particle production and hadronization

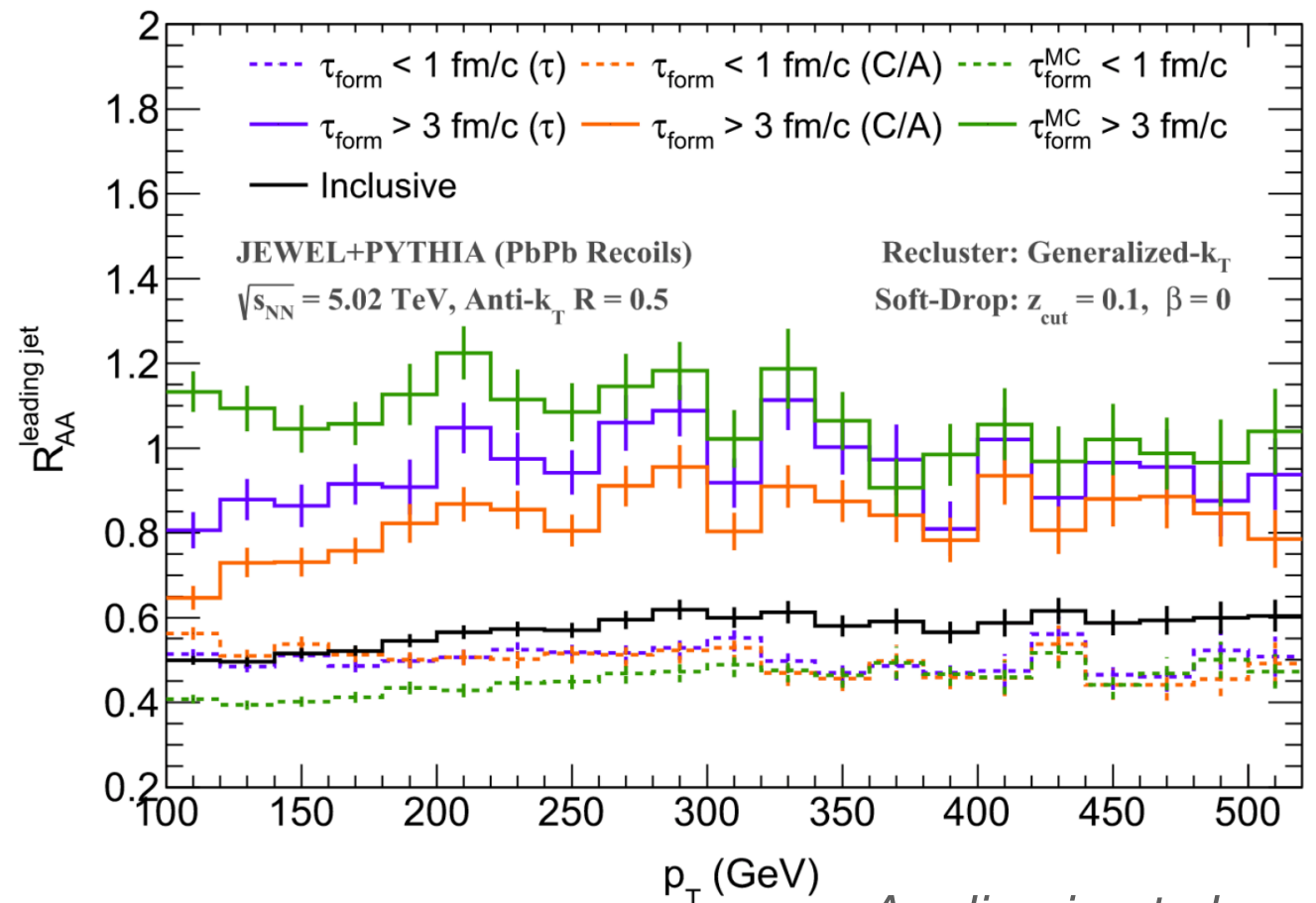
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Time resolved QGP tomography



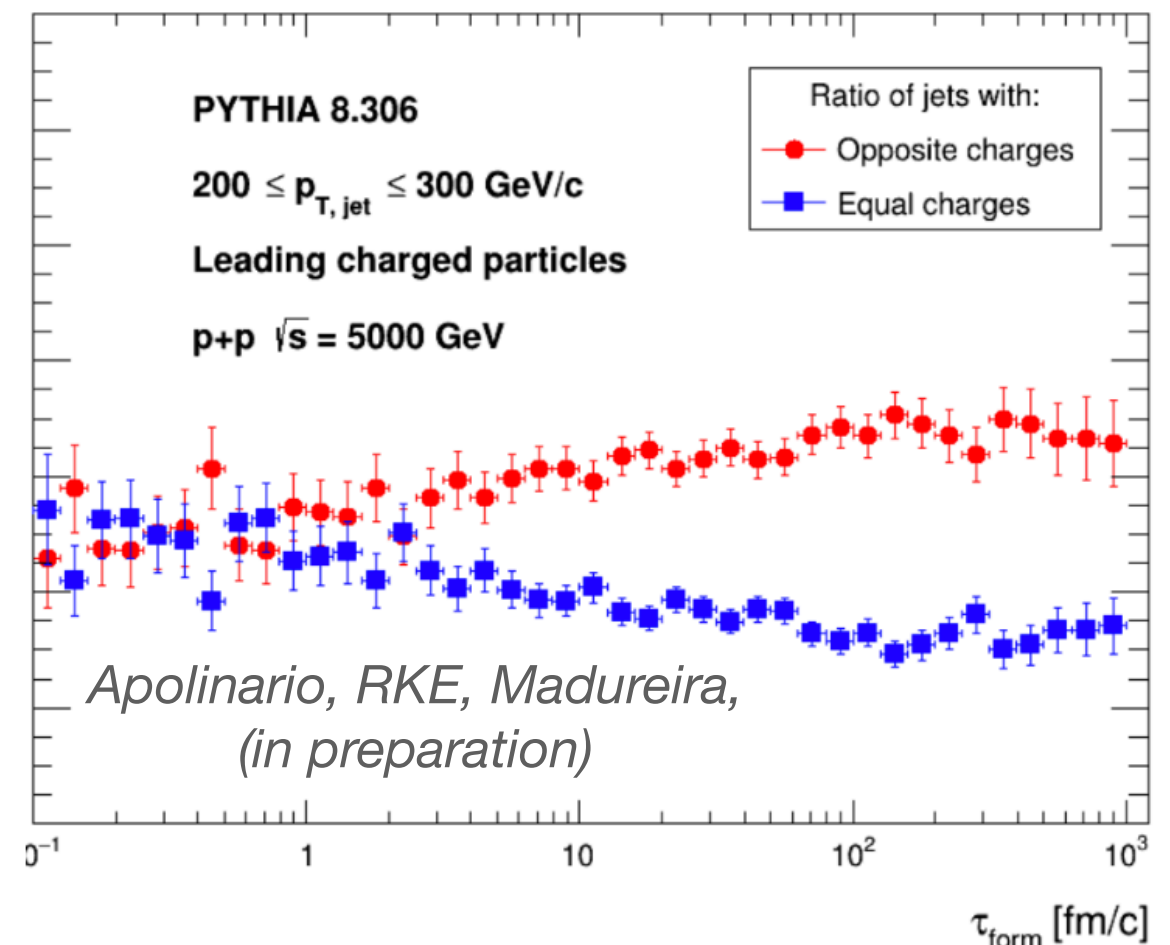
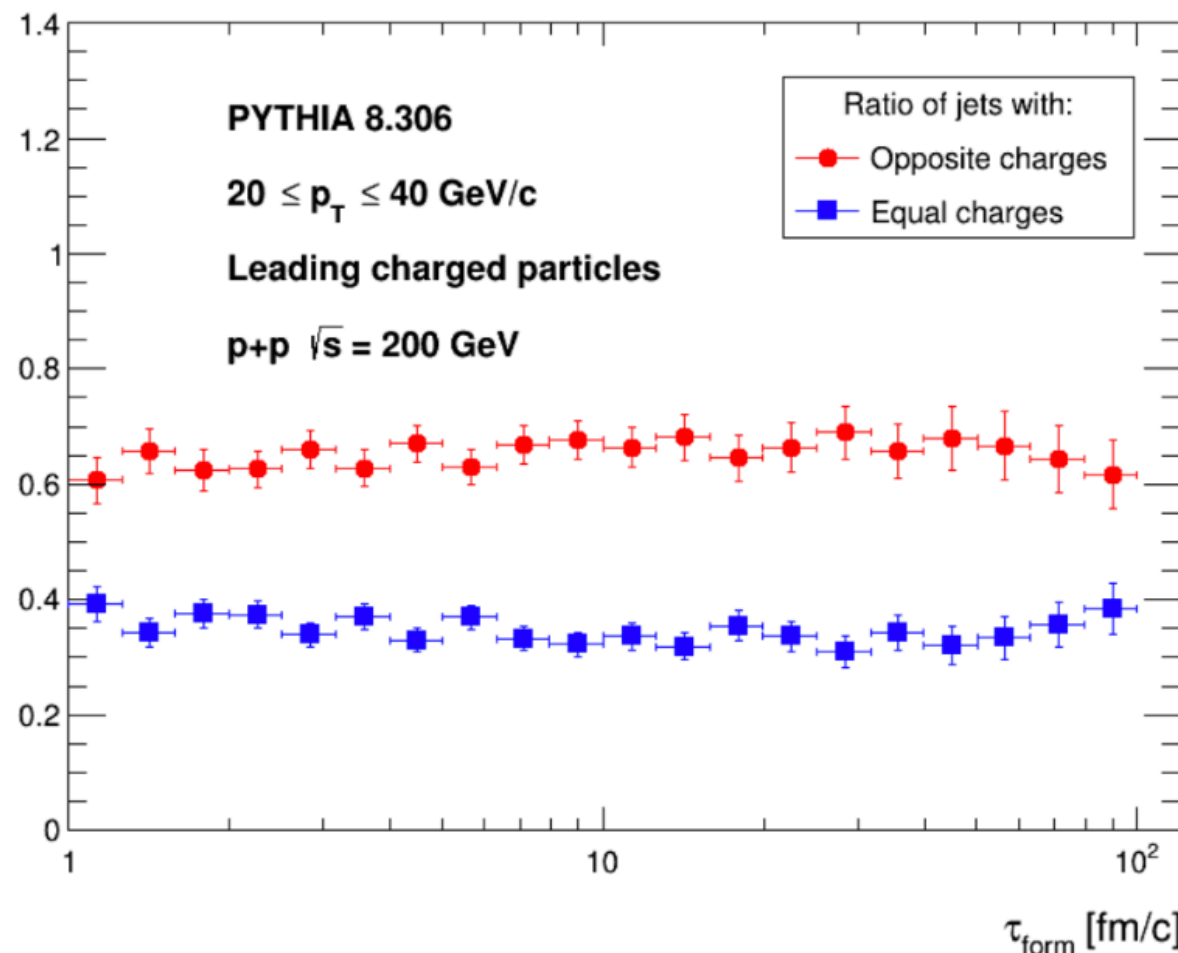
- Searching for hard medium induced gluon emissions, medium coherence length etc...

- Scan across emission phase-space leads to first ever space-time tomography of the QGP



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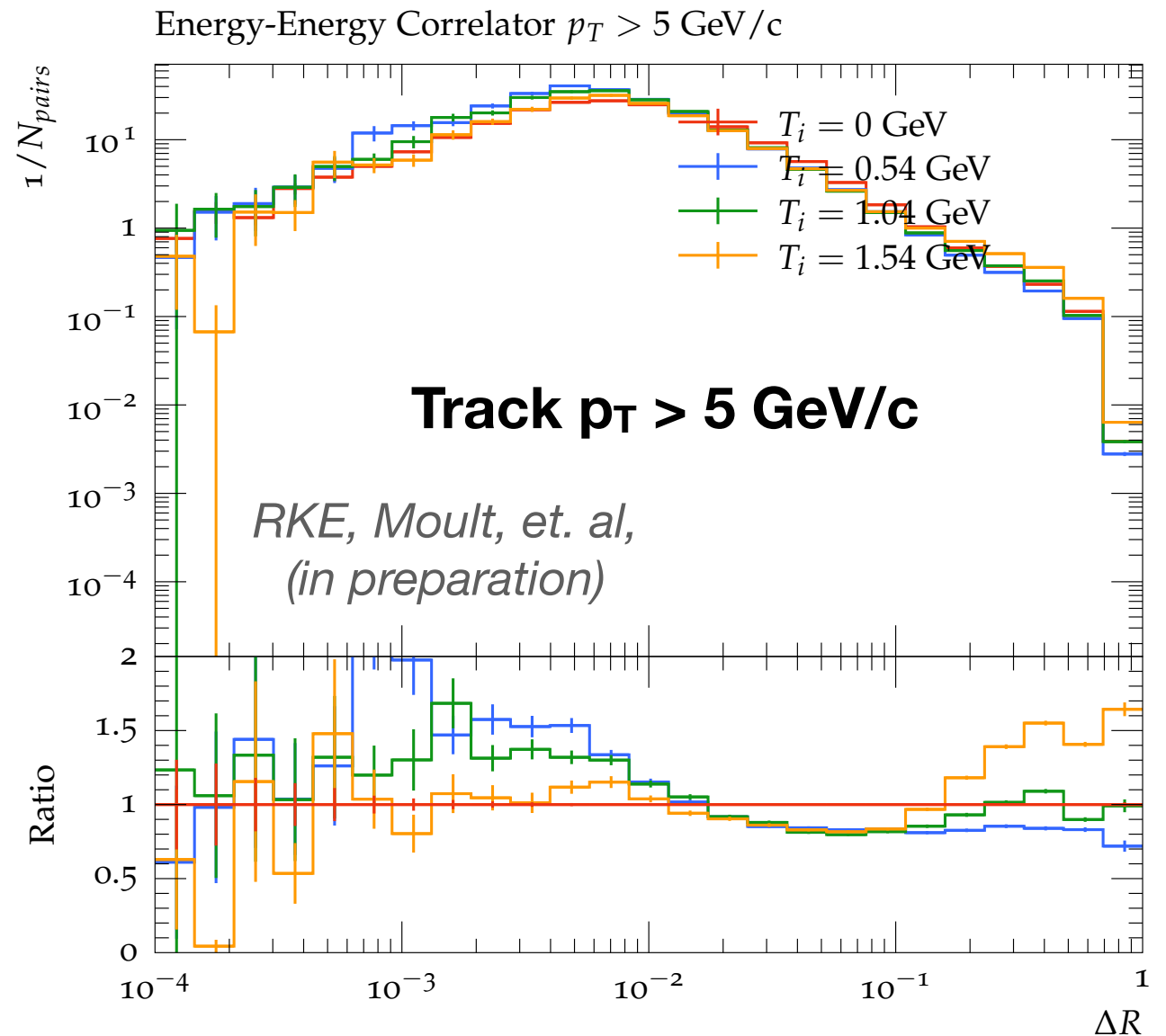
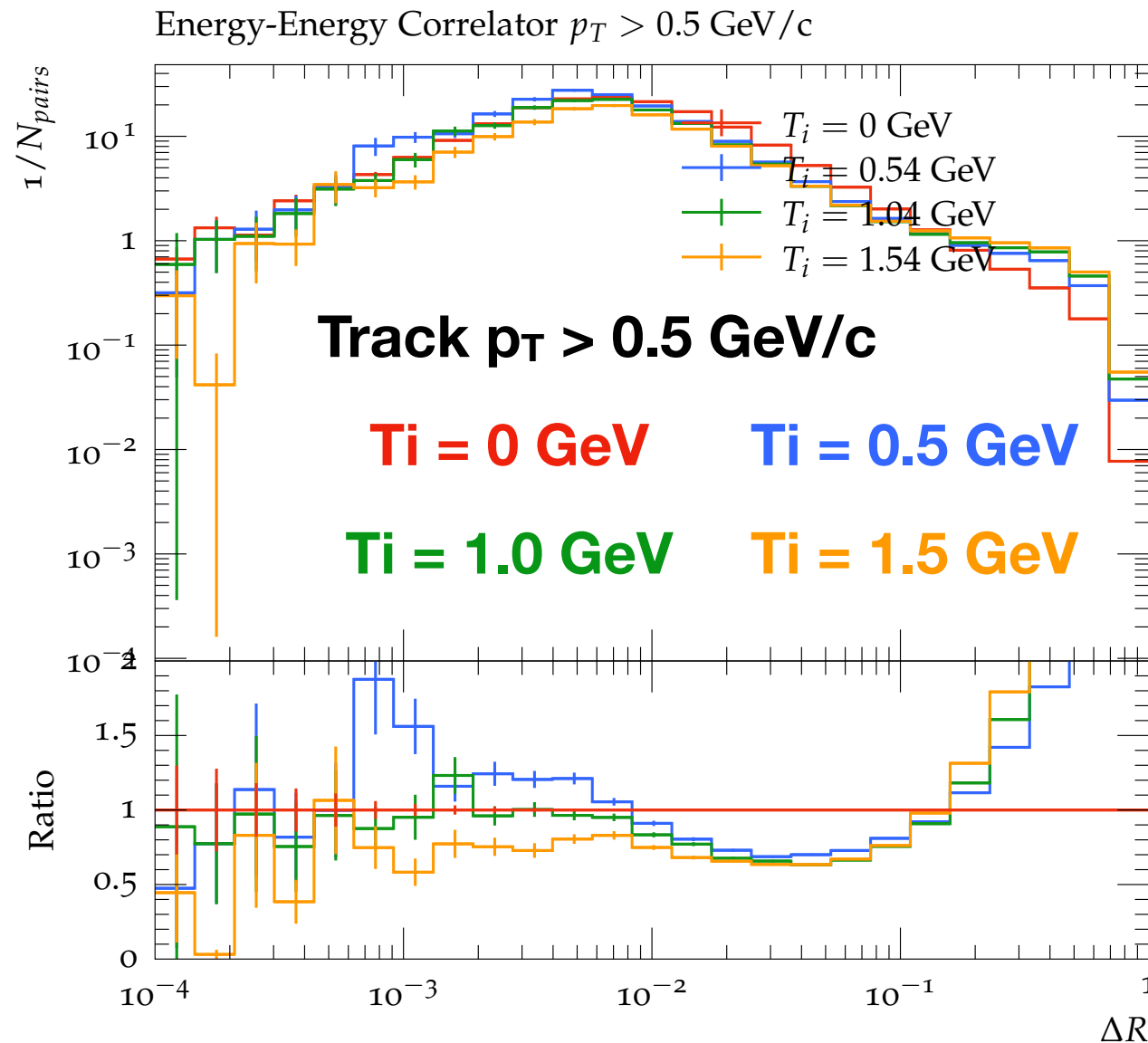
Extending the charge-correlations in formation time



- Significant split in the formation times for 3rd particle to be opposite sign - quantitative categorizing of charge conservation in jets vs time
- Emerging as a new avenue that's complementary to jet substructure focused on understanding hadronization mechanisms

Where do we go from here?

Energy-Energy Correlators in Heavy Ions



- Energy correlators highlight impact of varying ‘Temperature’ on the jet shower

**Measurements ongoing at STAR
in pp and AuAu Collisions**