

Hadron-In-Jet Collins for TDR

Kevin Adkins, Morehead State University

ePIC Jet & HF Working Group Meeting

March 6, 2024

Target Plot:

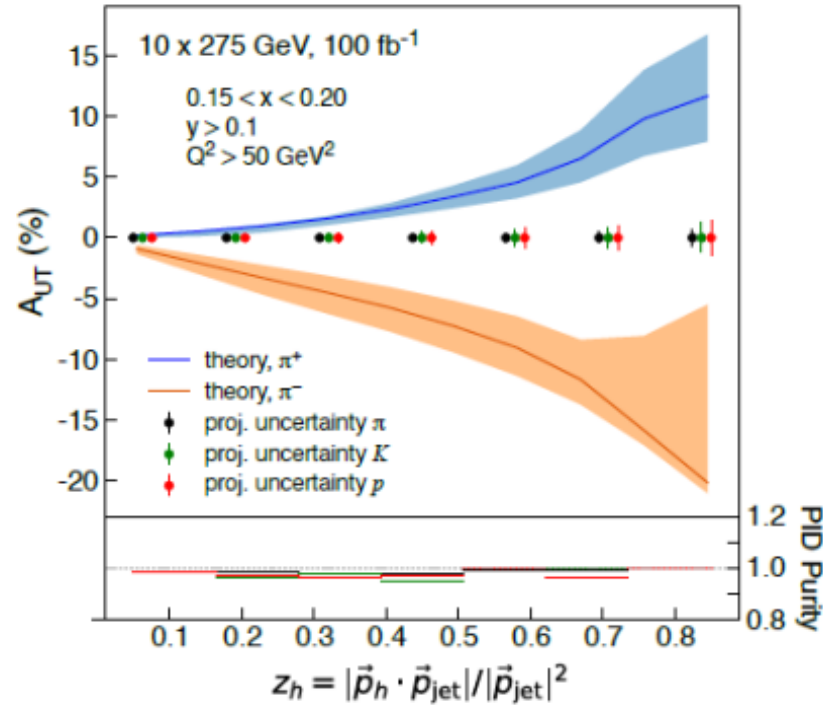


Figure 35: Projection for hadron-in-jet Collins asymmetry measurement for charged pions, kaons and protons. This is representative of the class of jet substructure measurements (FastSim).

Introduction

- Collins effect connects initial proton spin to final state azimuthal distribution of hadrons in a jet (pions, kaons, protons)
- Simulation is without polarization
 - Randomly assigned a spin state for use in calculating the angles that appear in the sinusoidal modulation
 - ϕ_S is related to the jet scatter direction
 - ϕ_H is the azimuthal angle of a hadron in the jet
 - $\phi_C = \phi_S - \phi_H$ is the “Collins angle”

$$d\sigma \approx F_{UU} \left\{ 1 + A_{UT}^{\sin(\phi_S - \phi_H)} \sin(\phi_S - \phi_H) \right\}$$

Introduction Cont.

- Isolate the asymmetry by exploiting the full 2π azimuthal coverage with the “cross ratio method”

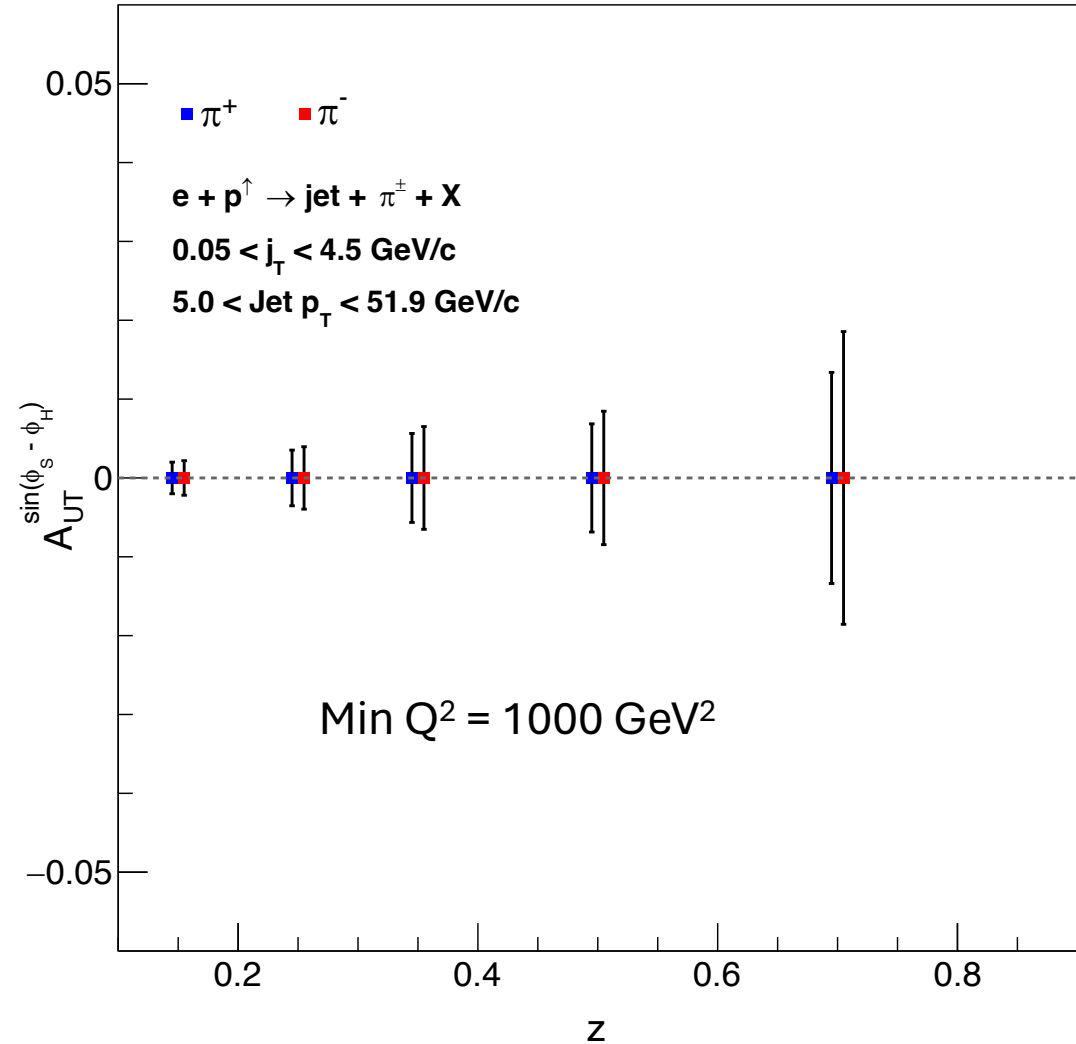
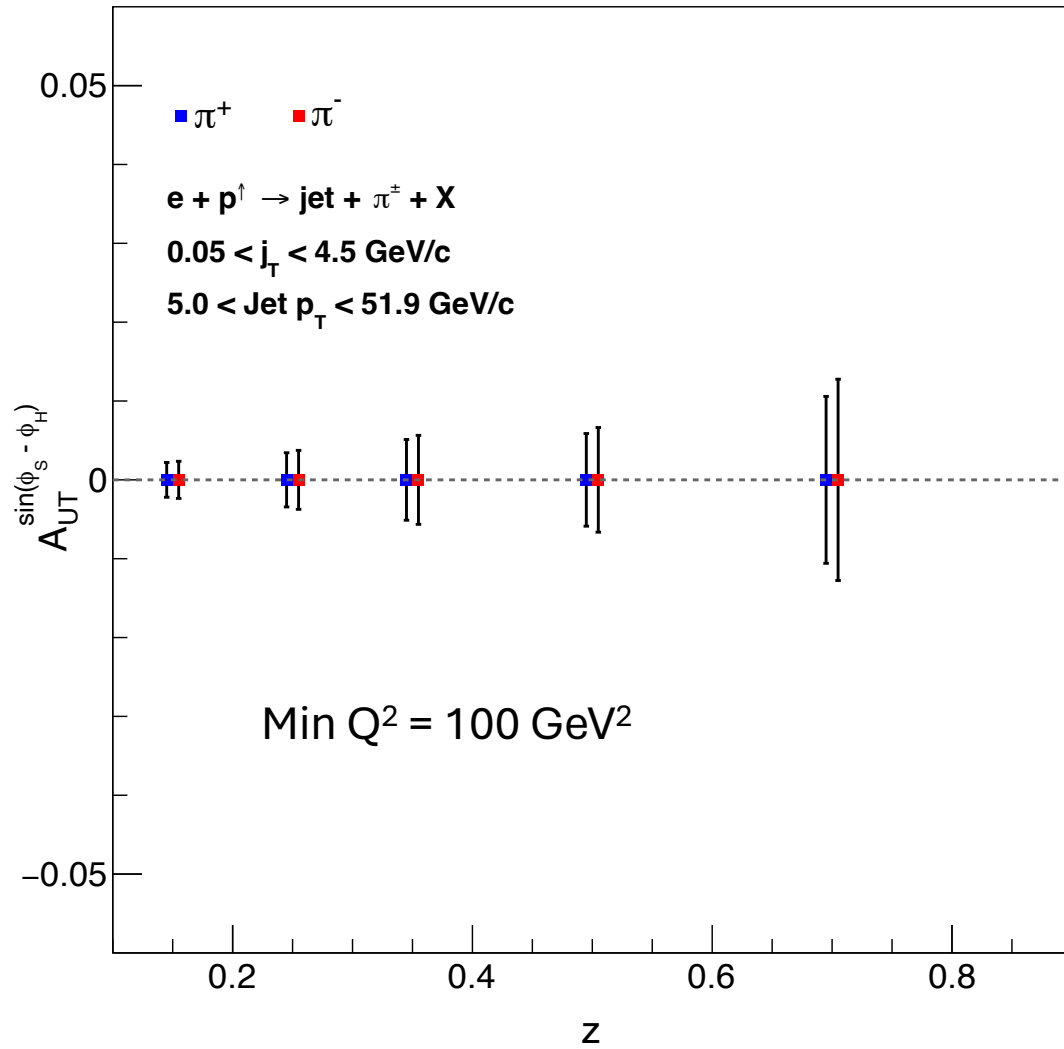
$$\epsilon = P \times A_{UT}^{\sin(\phi_S - \phi_H)} = \frac{\sqrt{N_U^+ N_D^-} - \sqrt{N_U^- N_D^+}}{\sqrt{N_U^+ N_D^-} + \sqrt{N_U^- N_D^+}}$$

- N is the number of hadrons that scatter into the upper (U) and lower (D) halves of the detector resulting from protons with spin up (+) and down (-)
- Each N is binned in two dimensions: ϕ_C and $\{z, j_T, \text{jet } p_T\}$

Analysis Basics

- Sample: 18x275 GeV, campaign: 23.12.1, NCDIS
- 1M events for minimum $Q^2 = 100 \text{ GeV}^2$ and $Q^2 = 1000 \text{ GeV}^2$
- Basic cuts:
 - Jet $E > 5 \text{ GeV}$
 - $5 < \text{Jet } p_T < 51.9 \text{ GeV}/c$ (binning may need to be adjusted for final plot, started with previous STAR binning)
 - $|\eta| < 2.5$
 - $0.05 < j_T < 4.5 \text{ GeV}/c$
 - $0.1 < z < 0.8$
 - Jets containing the original electron are rejected

Current Status of TDR Plots



To Do

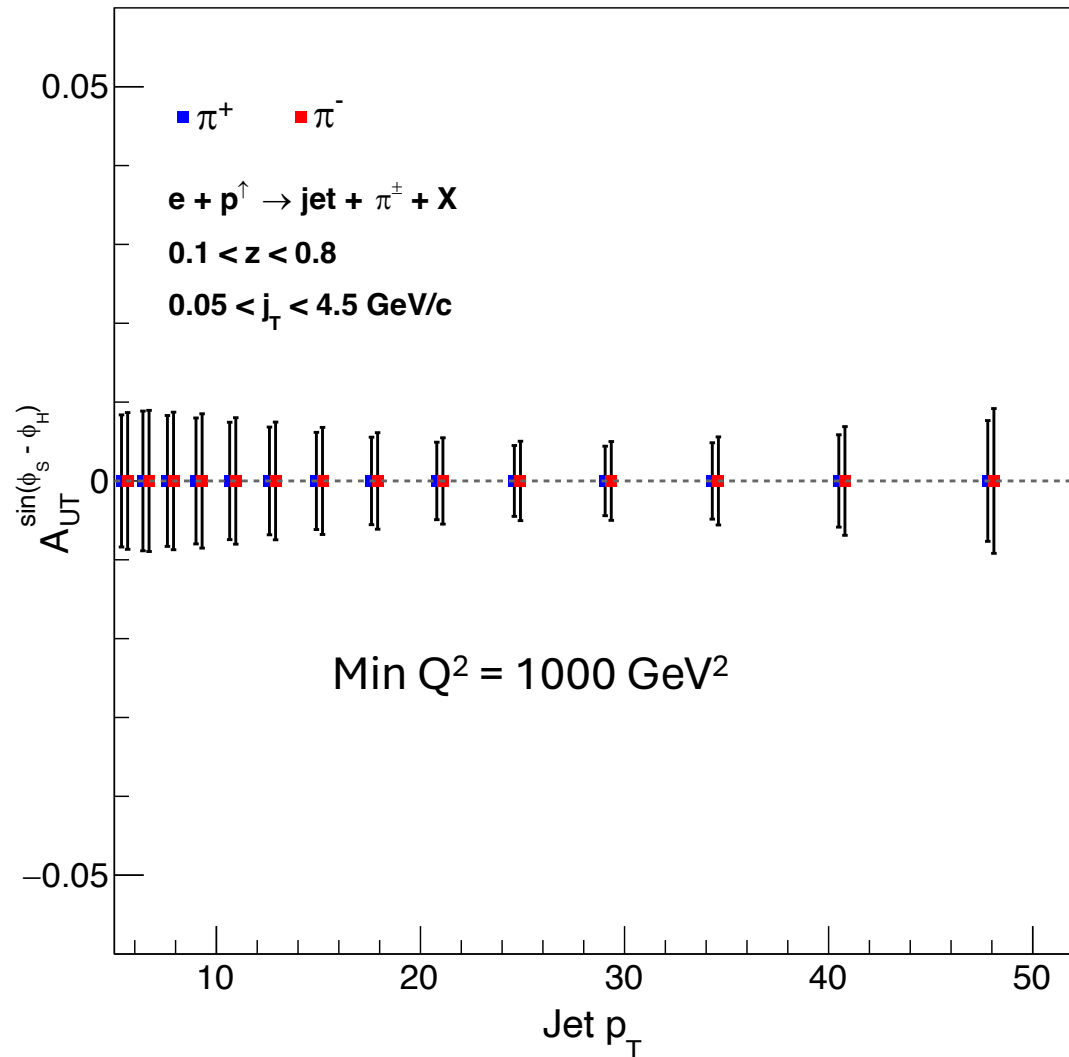
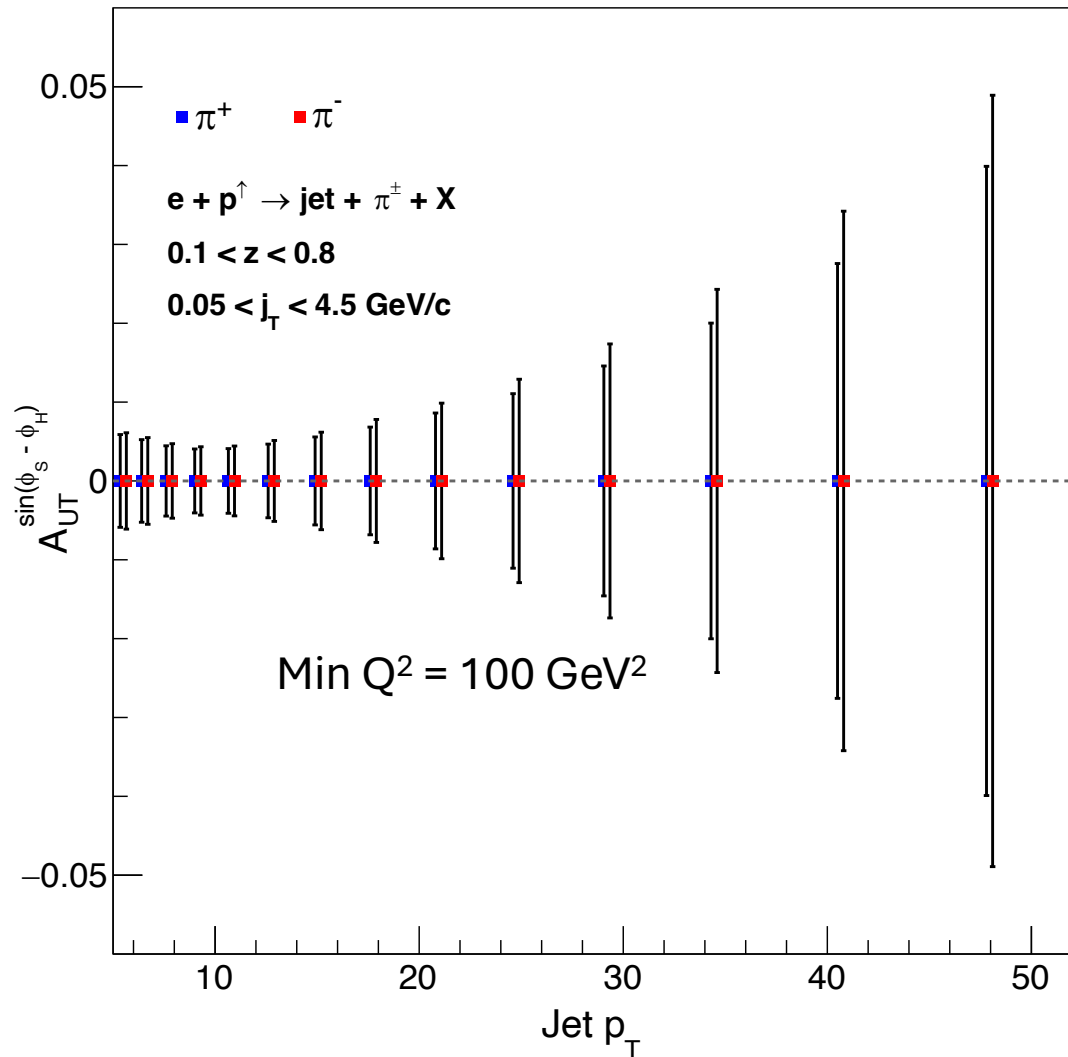
1. Add π^+ and π^- ?
2. Add proton and kaon asymmetry (quick) – combine charges?
3. Make the plots “pretty”
4. Run over all events

Questions

- What is the best way to run over ALL events?
- Where can I find the cross sections for each min Q^2 sample?
- What is the projected polarization?
 - Should be factored into the projected statistical error plot

Backup

Current Status (Jet p_T)



Current Status (j_T)

