

Top at CMS

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What do we measure at CMS?

Production

- Cross section: Total and differential
- Asymmetries
- Polarizations
- Associated productions
- **Resonances**
- **FCNC single top**
- spin correlations

Decays

- $BR(t \rightarrow Wb) / BR(t \rightarrow Wq) \Rightarrow \text{CKM}$
- $|V_{tb}|$
- W-helicity \Rightarrow **anomalous couplings**
- **$t \rightarrow H^+b$**
- **BSM top decays**

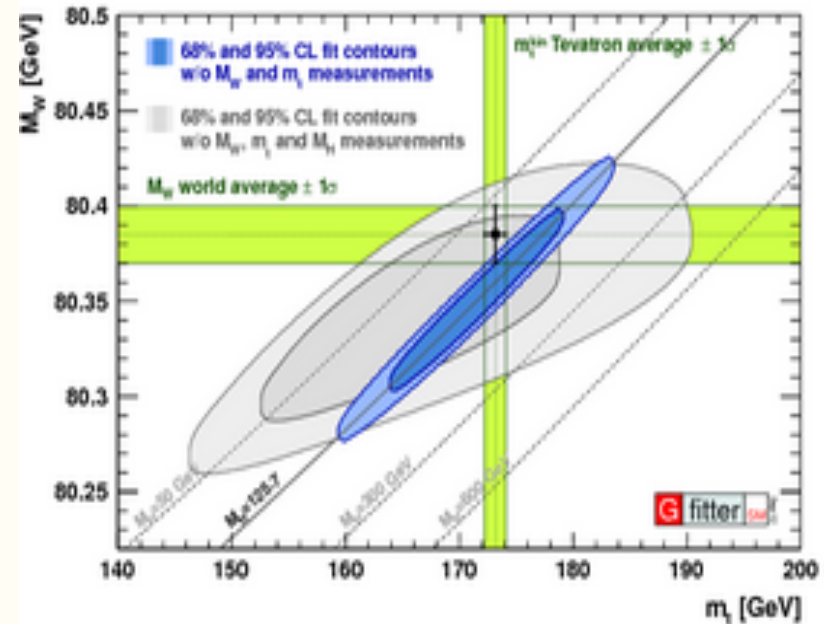
Intrinsic Properties

- Mass
- Charge
- Lifetime, width
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- Top provides a huge spectrum of measurements on SM and BSM
- Many analysis: different analysis per decay/production channel
- At LHC two different cm energies
- **NOT ALL COVERED HERE** \Rightarrow try to give a representative overview of top in CMS
- Newest analysis are prioritized

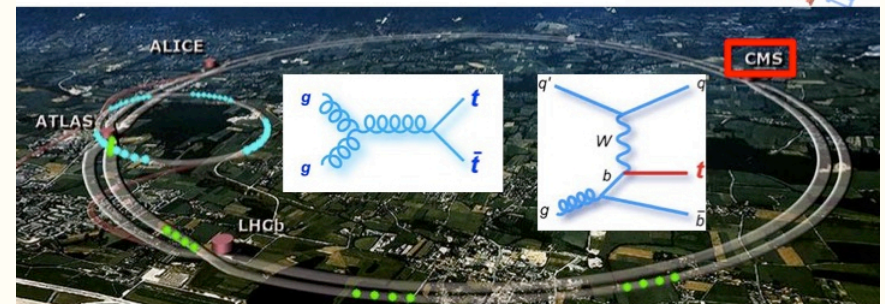
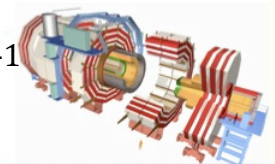
Top Physics

- Heaviest quark \Rightarrow maybe special role?
- Does not hadronize before decaying \Rightarrow allows to study a free quark
- Decay almost 100% to Wb . top to other decays is $< O(10^{-13})$
- Total and differential rates are calculated with good precision $O(10\%)$
- Important background for SM higgs and other BSM searches
- Opens a door to new physics search \Rightarrow May reveal non standard contributions and new particles



$$L(\text{at } 7 \text{ TeV}) = 6.13(5.55) \text{ fb}^{-1}$$

$$L(\text{at } 8 \text{ TeV}) = 23.30(21.79) \text{ fb}^{-1}$$



Top Production

Top Pair

[Czakon, Fiedler, Mitov, arXiv:1303.6254]

| \sqrt{s} (TeV) | 7 | 8 |
|--------------------|--|--|
| σ (at NNLO) | $172.0^{+4.4}_{-5.8} {}^{+4.7}_{-4.8}$ | $245.8^{+6.2}_{-8.4} {}^{+6.2}_{-6.4}$ |

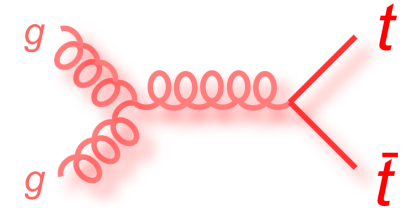
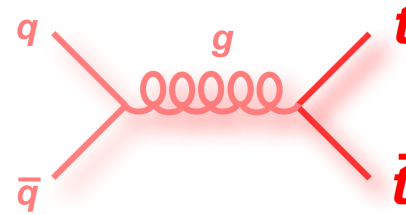
$$M_{\text{top}} = 173 \text{ GeV}$$

Single Top

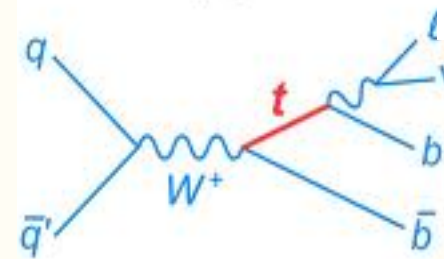
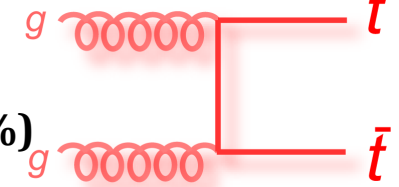
N.Kidonakis, arXiv:1205.3453v1

| \sqrt{s} (TeV) | 7 | 8 |
|------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| T-channel (pb) | $65.9^{+2.1}_{-0.7} {}^{+1.5}_{-1.7}$ | $87.2^{+2.8}_{-1.0} {}^{+2.0}_{-2.2}$ |
| S-channel (pb) | $4.56 \pm 0.07 {}^{+0.18}_{-0.17}$ | $5.55 \pm 0.08 \pm 0.21$ |
| Wt-channel (pb) | $15.2 \pm 0.4 {}^{+1.0}_{-1.2}$ | $22.2 \pm 0.6 \pm 1.4$ |

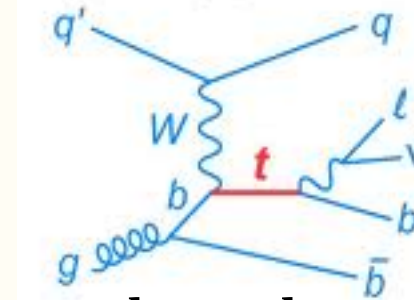
Quark annihilation



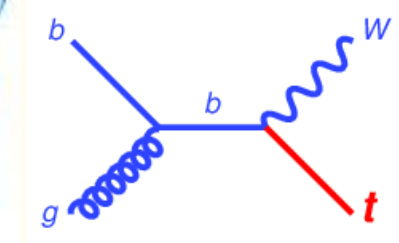
Gluon Fusion Dominant at LHC (80%)



S-channel



t-channel

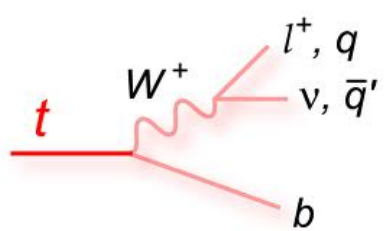


Wt-channel

Top Decay

Top decays $\approx 100\%$ Wb ,
 $|V_{tb}| \gg |V_{td}, |V_{ts}|$

Events are classified
 according to W decay



Signal:

- Triggering on lepton or jets
- Up to two Iso.l high Pt leptons(l+jets or dilepton)
- Missing Transverse energy(l+jets or dilepton)
- Two to six high E_t jets(l+jets, dilepton, fully hadronically)
 - Always two b's

Backgrounds

QCD multijet \Rightarrow fully hadronic
 W +jets ($Wb\bar{b}/cc$) \Rightarrow l+jets
 Dibosons \Rightarrow l+jets, dileptons
 Drell-Yan \Rightarrow dileptons

Single top is bkg for top pair and viceversa

Tools

b-tagging
 t-tagging

Top Pair Decay Channels

| | | | | | | | |
|------------|---------------|-----------|------------|---------------------|------------|--|---------------|
| $\bar{c}s$ | electron+jets | muon+jets | tau+jets | all-hadronic 46% | | | |
| $\bar{u}d$ | | | | | | | |
| τ^- | $e\tau$ | $\mu\tau$ | $\tau\tau$ | | | | tau+jets |
| μ^- | $e\mu$ | $\mu\mu$ | $\mu\tau$ | | | | muon+jets 45% |
| e^- | $e\bar{e}$ | $e\mu$ | $e\tau$ | | | | electron+jets |
| W decay | e^+ | μ^+ | τ^+ | $u\bar{d}$ | $c\bar{s}$ | | |

Top Production

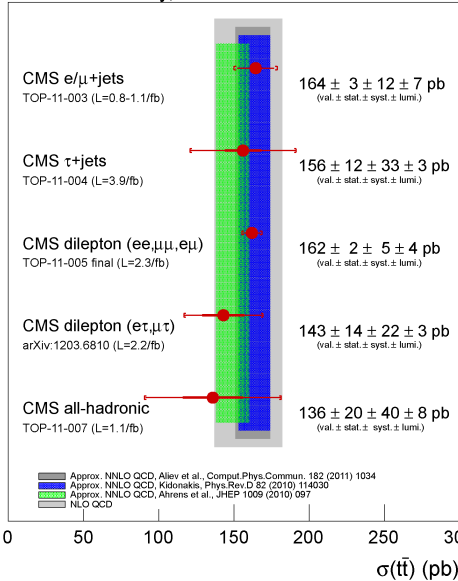
Cross sections: Totals and Differentials
Cross Section Ratios : $\sigma(t)/\sigma(\bar{t})$, $\sigma(t\bar{t}b\bar{b})/\sigma(t\bar{t}jj)$
Additional jets in $t\bar{t}$ events
Charge asymmetry

Top Pair Cross sections

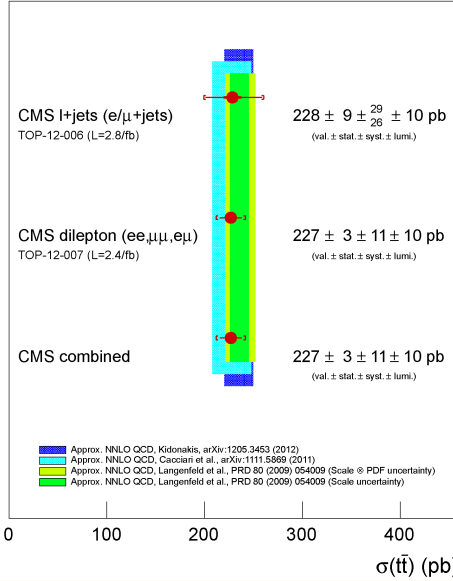
At $\sqrt{s}=7$ TeV

At $\sqrt{s}=8$ TeV

CMS Preliminary, $\sqrt{s}=7$ TeV



CMS Preliminary, $\sqrt{s}=8$ TeV



- Measurements are from likelihood fits (l+jets, hadronic) or counting methods (dileptons)
- Data driven estimation for the main back. contributions

Ratio: $\sigma(8 \text{ TeV})/\sigma(7 \text{ TeV})=1.41 \pm 0.10$

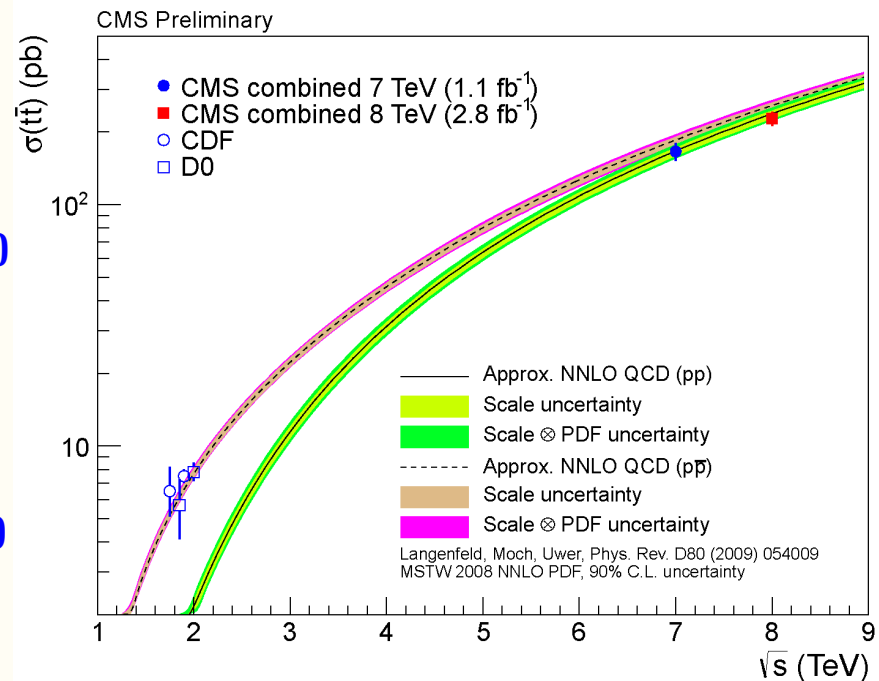
Combination up to 1.1 fb⁻¹ at 7 TeV (CMS PAS TOP-11-024)

$\sigma=165.8 \pm 2.2(\text{stat}) \pm 10.6(\text{syst}) \pm 7.8(\text{lumi}) \text{ pb}^{-1}$

$\sigma=173.8 \pm 2.3(\text{stat}) \pm 7.6(\text{syst}) \pm 6.3(\text{lumi}) \text{ pb}^{-1}$
LHC results

Combination up to 2.8 fb⁻¹ at 8 TeV (CMS PAS TOP-12-007)

$\sigma=227 \pm 3(\text{stat}) \pm 11(\text{syst}) \pm 10(\text{lumi}) \text{ pb}^{-1}$



Differential Cross sections

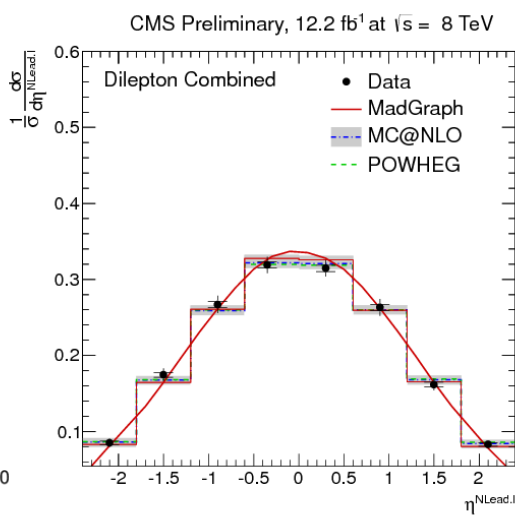
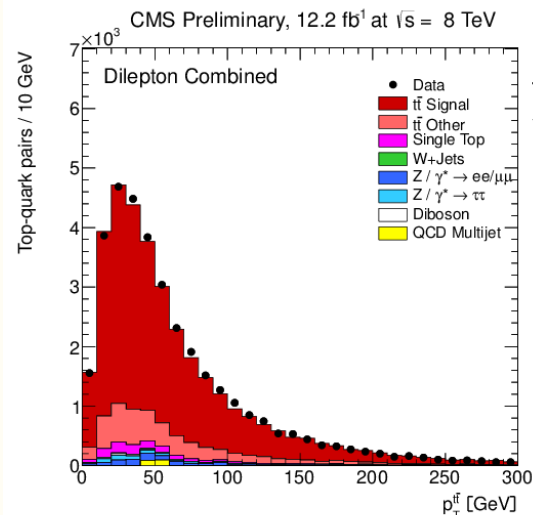
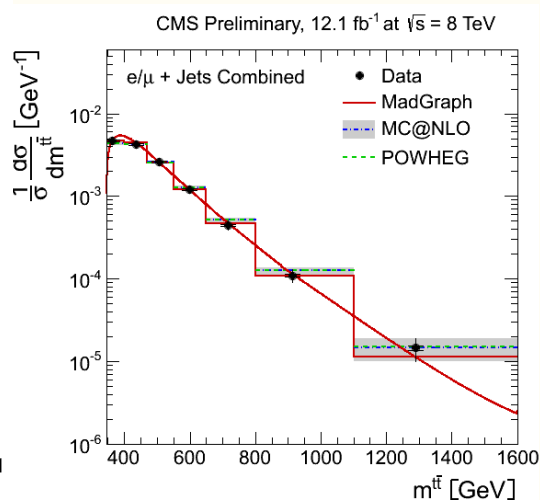
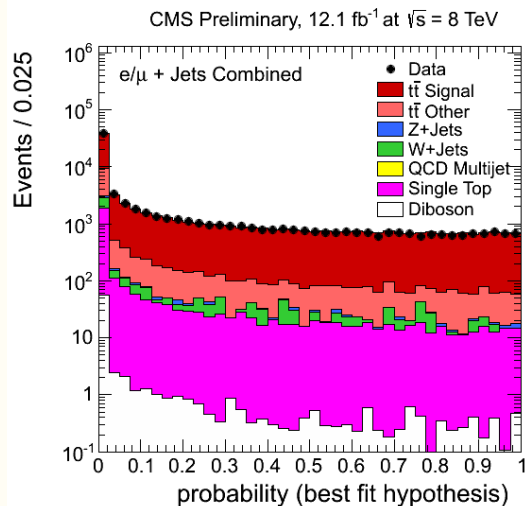
Done at $\sqrt{s}=7$ and $\sqrt{s}=8$ TeV in l+jets and dilepton

Measure as a function of kinematic properties of final state objects(l,b), top and tbar system

- tt reconstruction:
 - L+jets : constraint kinematic fitter (**CMS PAS TOP-12-027**)
 - Dilepton channel use an alternative kinematic reconstruction with top mass range wider. (**CMS PAS TOP-12-028**)
- 5.4% and 3.9% typical Syst. Uncertainties for l+jets and dilepton channels respectively

- Normalized differential cross sections -> cancels out systematic uncertainties

Good agreement between data and theoretical predictions, no deviation observed



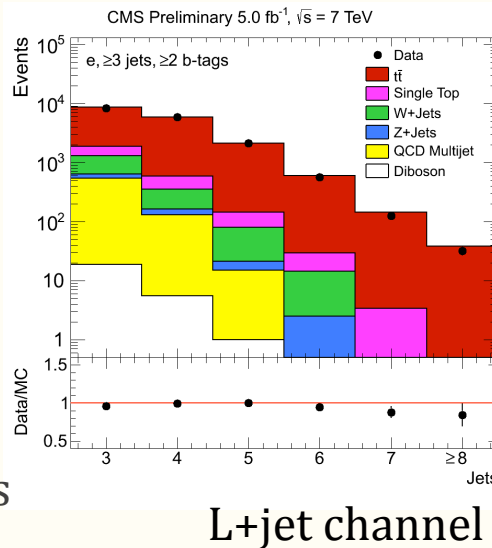
Jet multiplicity in $t\bar{t}$

At $\sqrt{s}=7$ TeV

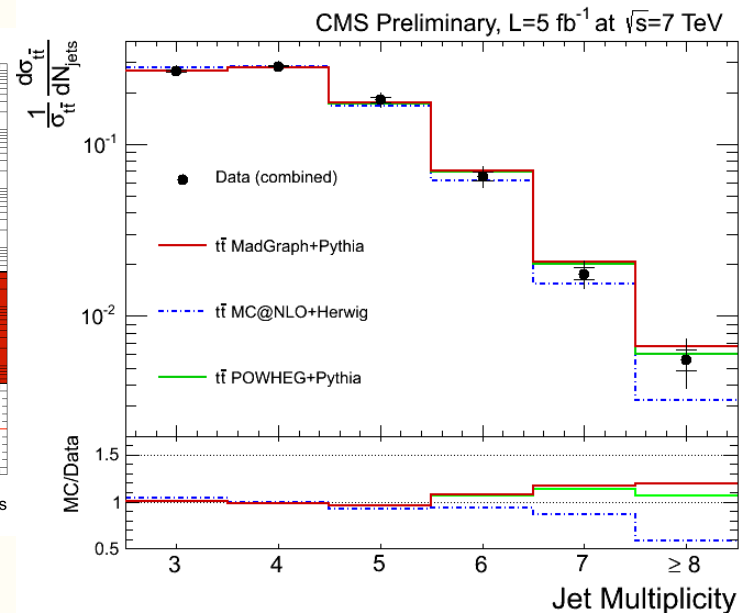
- This probes the simulation for high jet multiplicity QCD at top scale
- Measure the initial and final state radiation contributions
 - Important for Top, Higgs and many BSM analyses
 - Measurement unfolded at MCs level in visible experimental phase space

MC@NLO shows some discrepancy in the number of jets at high Pt jets

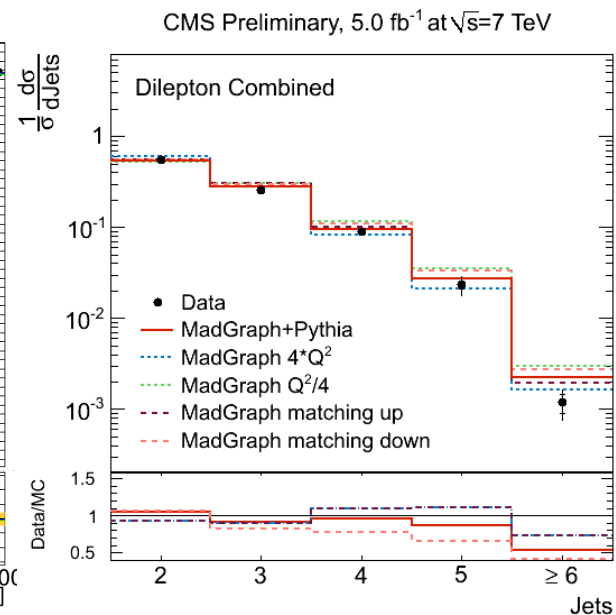
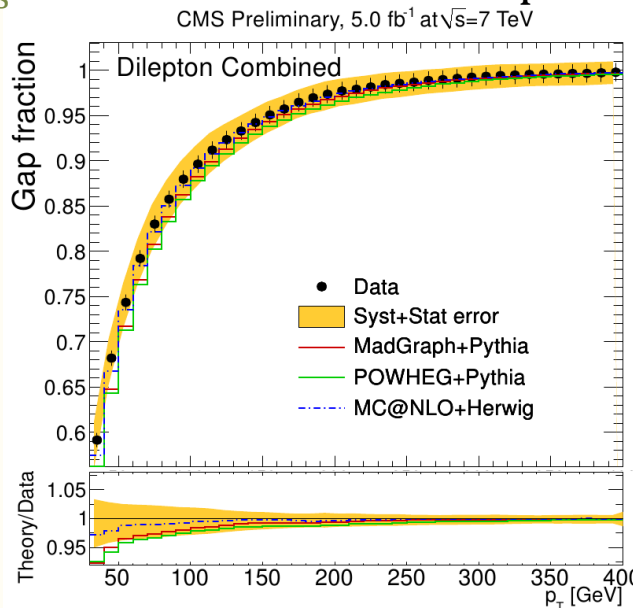
Tt with veto on extra jets
Constraint QCD radiation



CMS PAS TOP-12-018

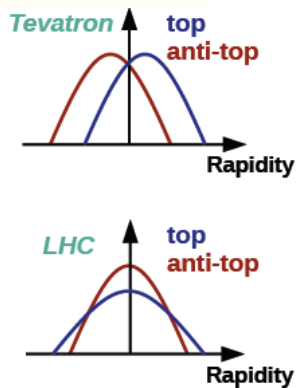


Dilepton channel CMS PAS TOP-12-023



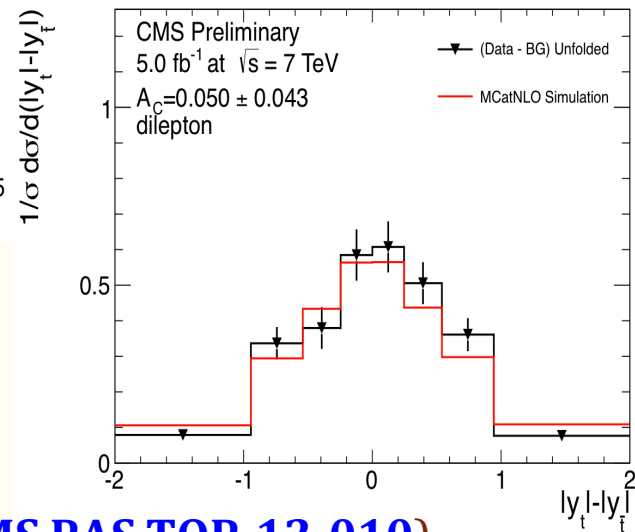
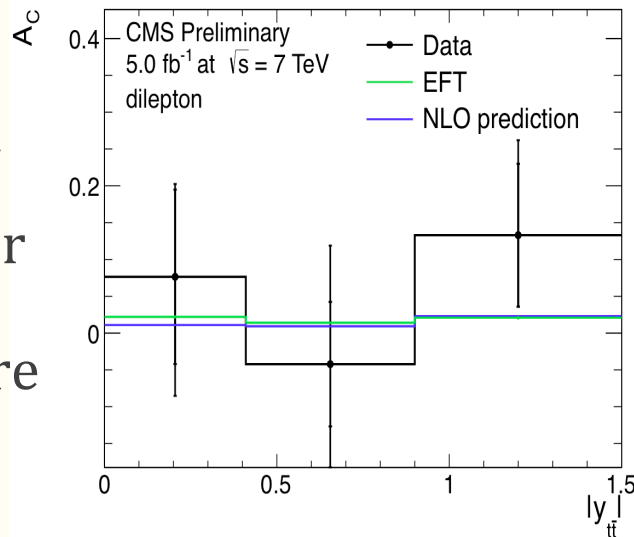
tt charge asymmetry

- NLO correction introduce small asymmetries in t and tbar rapidity distributions at ppbar production
- At LHC initial state are symmetric \Rightarrow no differences



$$\Delta |y| = |y_t| - |y_{\bar{t}}|$$

$$A_c = \frac{N(\Delta |y| > 0) - N(\Delta |y| < 0)}{N(\Delta |y| > 0) + N(\Delta |y| < 0)}$$



Dilepton channel (**CMS PAS TOP-12-010**)

$$A_c = 0.050 \pm 0.043(\text{stat})^{+0.010}_{-0.039}(\text{syst})$$

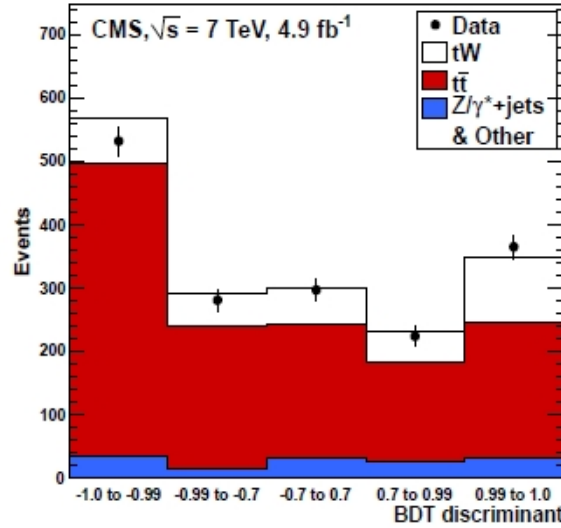
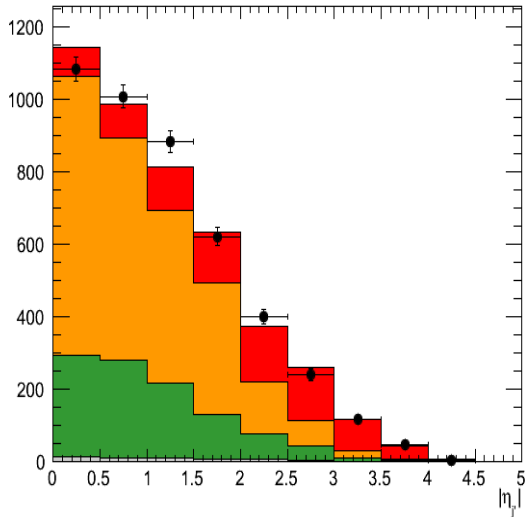
$$A_{llc} = 0.010 \pm 0.015(\text{stat}) \pm 0.006(\text{syst})$$

L+jets channel (**Phys. Lett. B717 (2012) 129**)

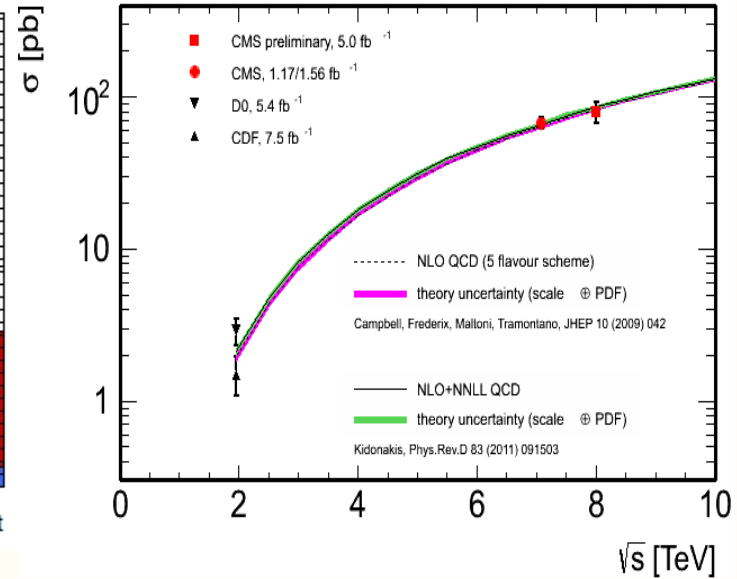
$$A_c = 0.004 \pm 0.010(\text{stat}) \pm 0.011(\text{syst})$$

Single Top Cross Section

CMS Preliminary, 5.0 fb^{-1} , $\sqrt{s} = 8 \text{ TeV}$



t-channel single top quark production



Ratio: $\sigma(8 \text{ TeV})/\sigma(7 \text{ TeV}) = 1.14 \pm 0.12(\text{stat.}) \pm 0.14(\text{syst})$

| | $\sigma(\text{t-channel})[\text{pb}]$ •lepton+MET+b-jet+recoil jet •Signal extraction by fitting, $ \eta_{j\text{recoil}} $ distribution | $\sigma(\text{tW})[\text{pb}]$ •Two leptons+MET+b-jet •Simultaneous fitting to MVT output in different jet-bin regions | V_{tb} |
|-----------------------------------|--|--|---|
| 7TeV ($L=5.0\text{fb}^{-1}$) | JHEP 12 (2012) 035 $67.2 \pm 3.7(\text{stat}) \pm 4.6(\text{syst}) \pm 2.5(\text{lumi})$ | 16^{+5}_{-4} (sign. 4σ) Phys. Rev. Lett. 110 (2013) 022003 | $1.04^{+0.10}_{-0.13}(\text{exp})^{+0.03}_{-0.04}(\text{th})$ |
| 8TeV ($L=5.0\text{fb}^{-1}$) | $80.1 \pm 7.5(\text{stat}) \pm 11.0(\text{syst}) \pm 4.0(\text{lumi})$ CMS PAS TOP-12-011 | | $1.04^{+0.10}_{-0.11}$ |

$\sigma(t)/\sigma(\bar{t})$ in t-channel

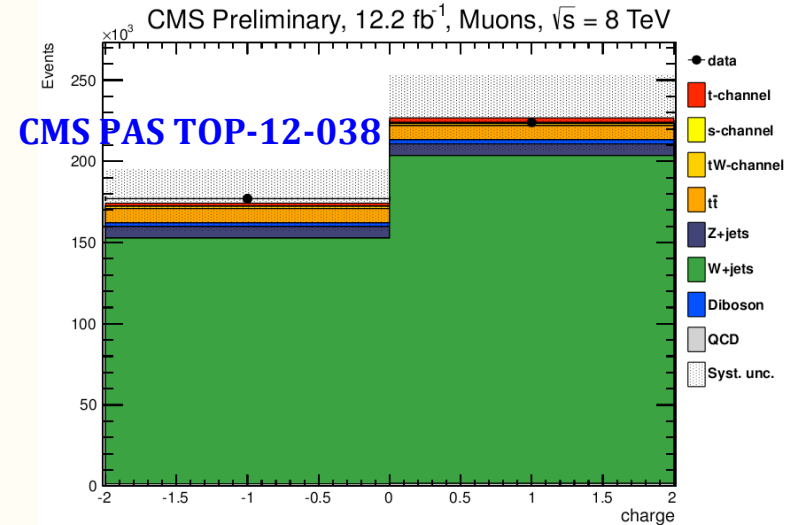
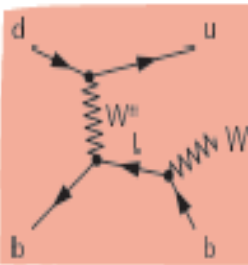
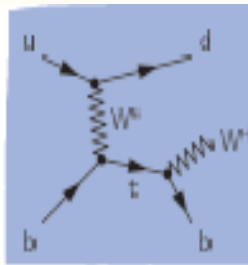
At $\sqrt{s}=8$ TeV

pp collision u density is $\approx 2x$ d density \Rightarrow is expected to be larger than 1

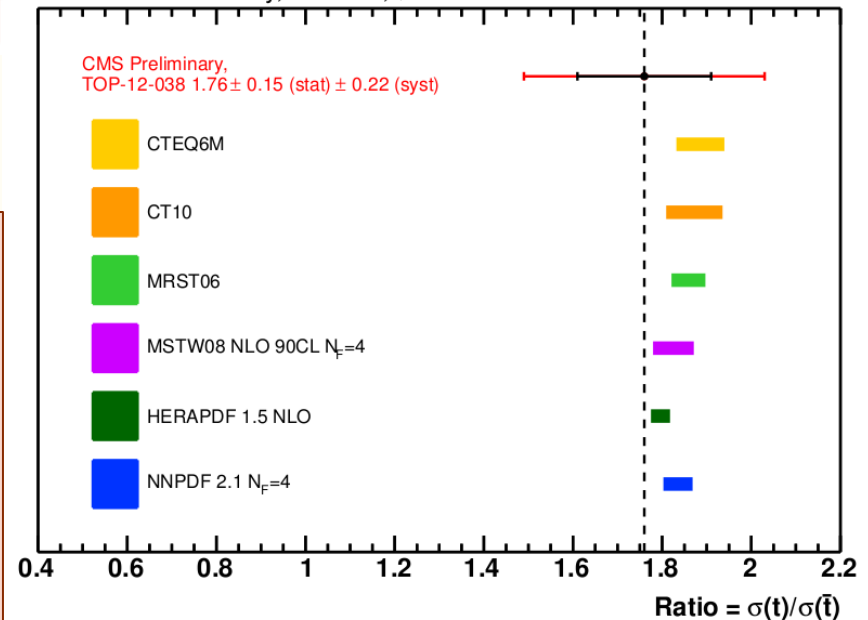
Top decaying leptonically to e or μ

Background estimations through data driven techniques

Performance a fit in the η distribution of the non b-tagged jet for the $l^+(l^-)$ distributions simultaneously



CMS Preliminary, 12.2 fb⁻¹, $\sqrt{s} = 8$ TeV



$$R = 1.76 \pm 0.15(\text{stat}) \pm 0.22(\text{syst})$$

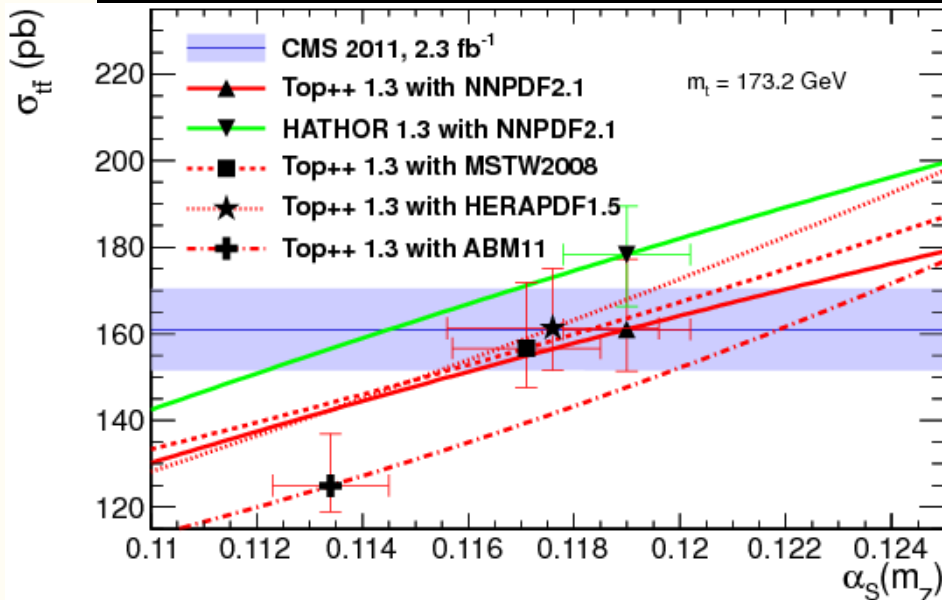
Agrees with predictions

$$SF(R_{\text{exp}}/R_{\text{SM}}) = 0.96 \pm 0.08(\text{stat}) \pm 0.12(\text{syst})$$

$$\sigma(\text{top}) = 49.9 \pm 1.9(\text{stat}) \pm 8.9(\text{syst}) \text{ pb.}$$

$$\sigma(\text{anti-top}) = 28.3 \pm 2.4(\text{stat}) \pm 4.9(\text{syst}) \text{ pb.}$$

Determination of α_s



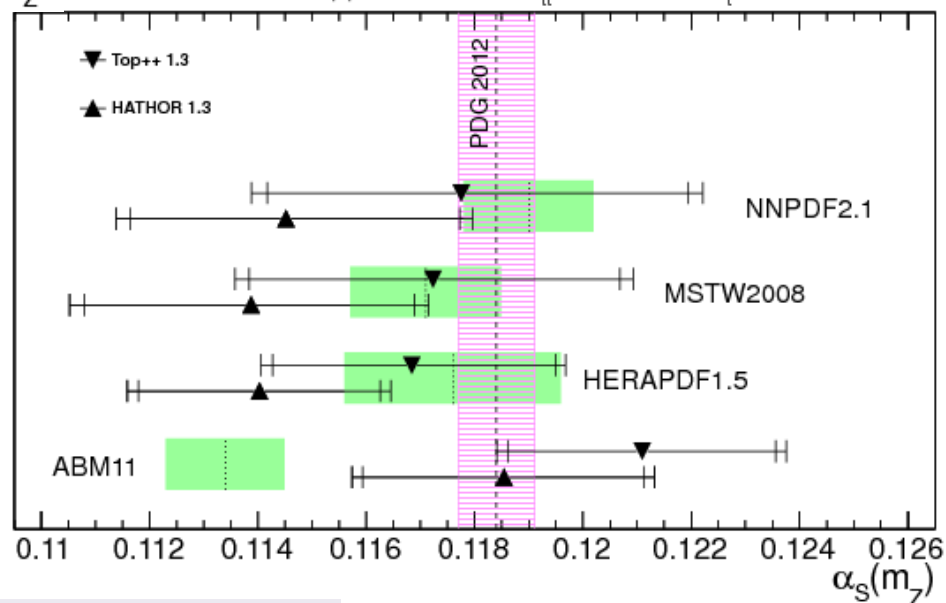
$$\alpha_s(m_Z) = 0.1178^{+0.0046}_{-0.0040}$$

In good agreement with the world average (0.1184 ± 0.0007)

CMS-PAS-TOP-12-022

$\alpha_s(m_Z)^{-1}$ of 2011 CMS data \times approx. NNLO for $\sigma_{t\bar{t}}$, $\sqrt{s} = 7 \text{ TeV}$, $m_t = 173.2 \pm 1.4 \text{ GeV}$

- Using the measurement top cross section at 7 TeV, and approx. NNLO QCD prediction for the cross section with different PDFs \Rightarrow the α_s is extracted
- Top++ and NNPDF used for extraction of α_s (less assumptions of PDF parametrization)
- Maximum likelihood of the predicted and measured cross sections



Top decays

$BR(t \rightarrow WB) / BR(t \rightarrow Wq)$

W-helicity

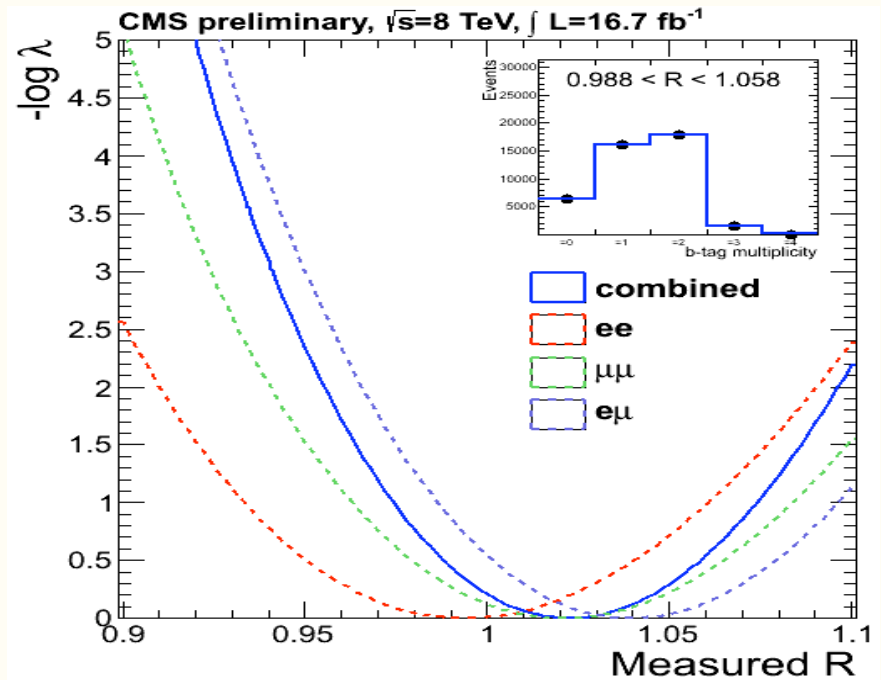
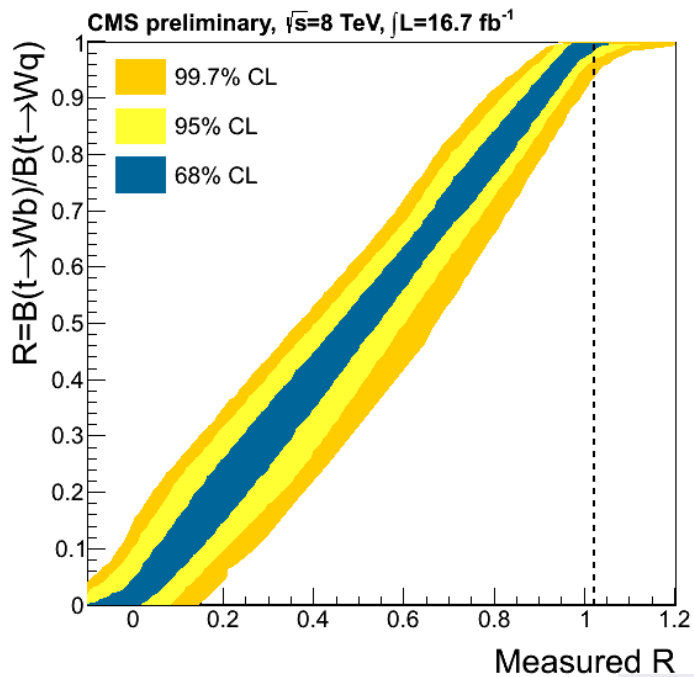
Spin correlations

$R = BR(t \rightarrow Wb) / BR(t \rightarrow Wq)$

At $\sqrt{s} = 8$ TeV

CMS PAS TOP-12-035

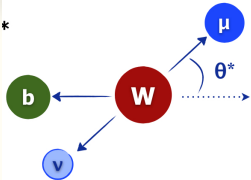
- Dilepton channel: two high iso. Pt leptons, with MET and two jets
- Back. are estimated using Data Driven techniques
- Extract with PRL fit on jet multiplicity that accounts for
 - Fraction of $t\bar{t}$ in sample and single-t
 - Fraction of events with correct jet assignment
 - B-tagging efficiency and misidentification



| | | |
|------------|---------------------------|---------------------|
| R | $1.023^{+0.036}_{-0.034}$ | Unconstrained |
| R | > 0.945 | 95% C.L. constraint |
| $ V_{tb} $ | $1.011^{+0.018}_{-0.017}$ | Unconstrained |
| $ V_{tb} $ | > 0.972 | 95% C.L. constraint |

Most precise measurement

W helicity



V-A SM nature of the tWb is tested with $\cos\theta^*$

$$F_L = 0.311 \pm 0.005, F_0 = 0.687 \pm 0.005, F_R = 0.0017 \pm 0.0001$$

SM: $V_L \neq 0$ and $g_R = g_L = V_R = 0$

Use a likelihood method

CMS PAS TOP-12-020

single-top(l +jets at 7+8 TeV)

$$F_L = 0.293 \pm 0.069(\text{stat.}) \pm 0.030(\text{syst})$$

$$F_0 = 0.713 \pm 0.114(\text{stat.}) \pm 0.023(\text{syst})$$

$$F_R = -0.006 \pm 0.057(\text{stat.}) \pm 0.027(\text{syst})$$

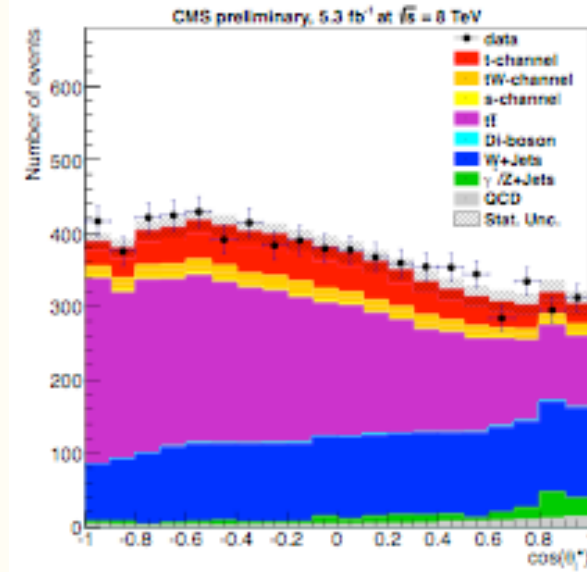
CMS PAS TOP-12-015

$t\bar{t}$ bar(dilepton at 7 TeV)

$$F_L = 0.288 \pm 0.035(\text{stat.}) \pm 0.050(\text{syst})$$

$$F_0 = 0.698 \pm 0.057(\text{stat.}) \pm 0.063(\text{syst})$$

$$F_R = 0.014 \pm 0.027(\text{stat.}) \pm 0.055(\text{syst})$$



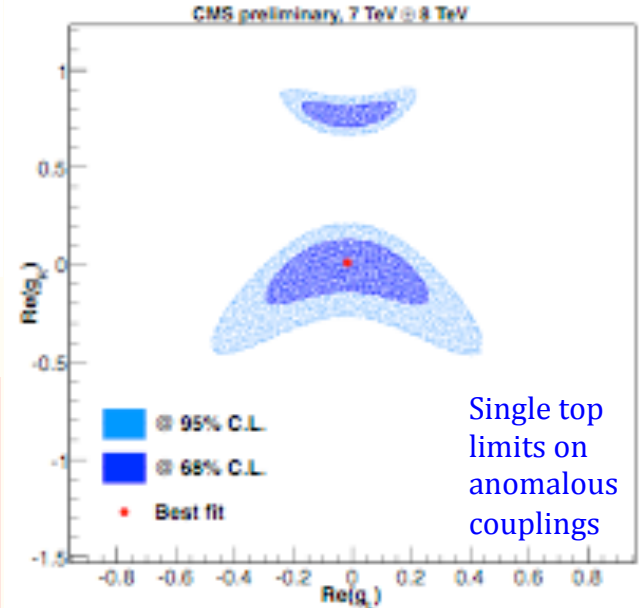
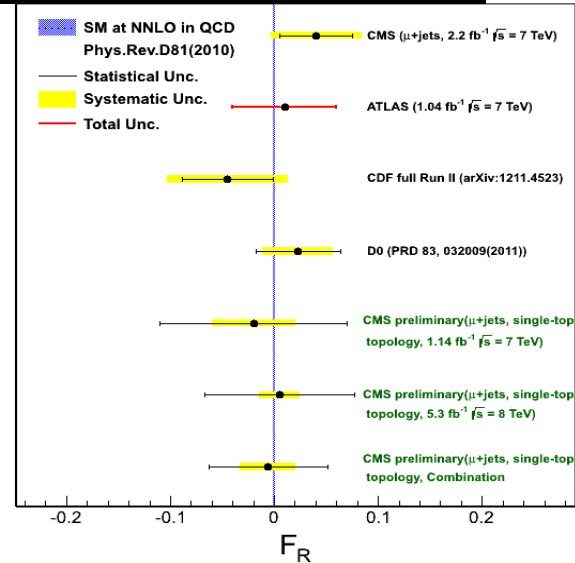
CMS PAS TOP-12-025

ATLAS+CMS(at 7 TeV)

$$F_L = 0.359 \pm 0.021(\text{stat.}) \pm 0.048(\text{syst})$$

$$F_0 = 0.626 \pm 0.034(\text{stat.}) \pm 0.048(\text{syst})$$

$$F_R = -0.015 \pm 0.034$$



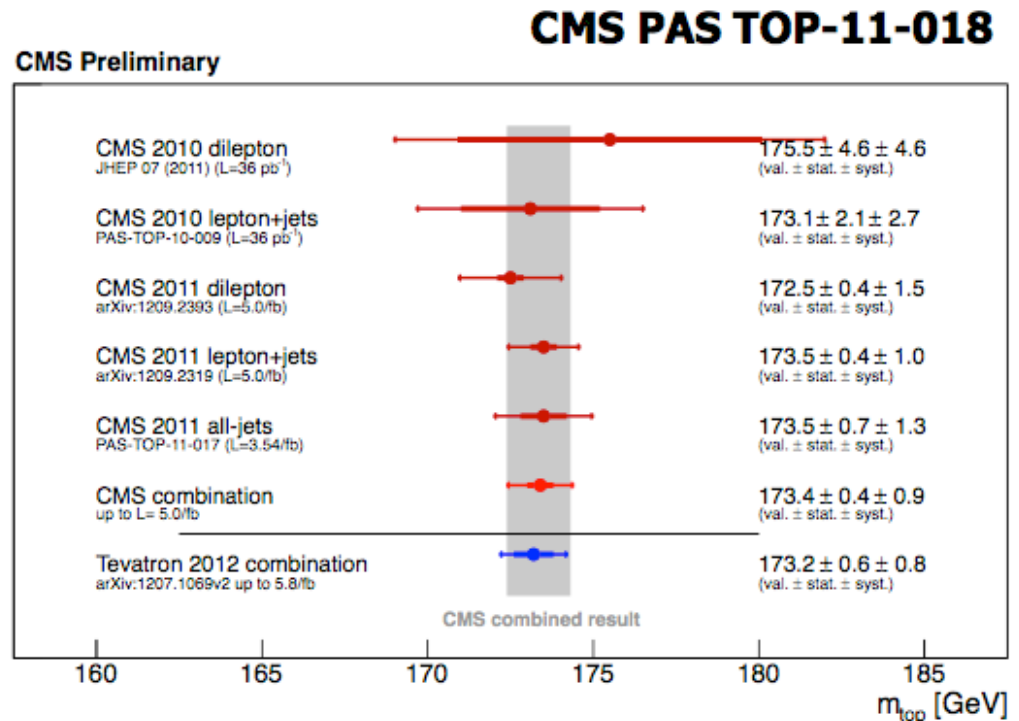
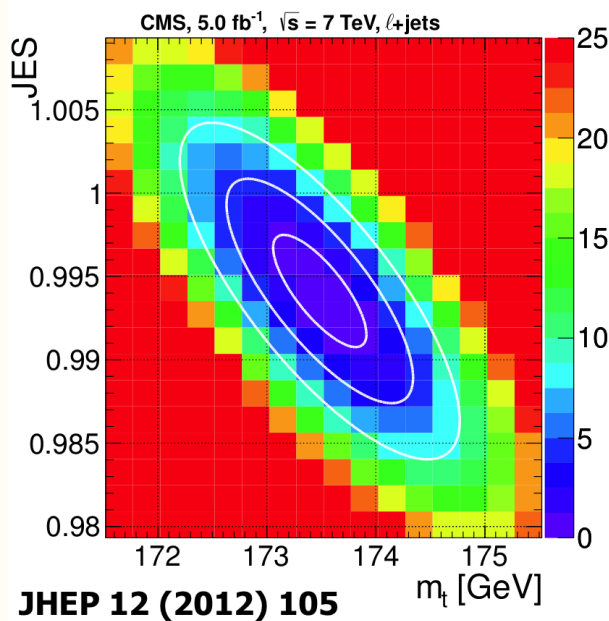
Top Properties

Mass
Mass differences
polarizations

Mass measurements

- 0 Template Fit Method (j+jets)
- 0 Ideograms Method(l+jets, fully hadronic)
- 0 Analytical Matrix weighting technique(dileptons)
- 0 Full kinematic analysis(dileptons)
- 0 Kinematic endpoints(dileptons)
- 0 In-situ jet energy scale (JES/JSF) calibration

Combination done with BLUE
 $M_t = 173.4 \pm 0.4(\text{stat}) \pm 0.9(\text{syst}) \text{ GeV}$



Top mass dependence with top kinematics

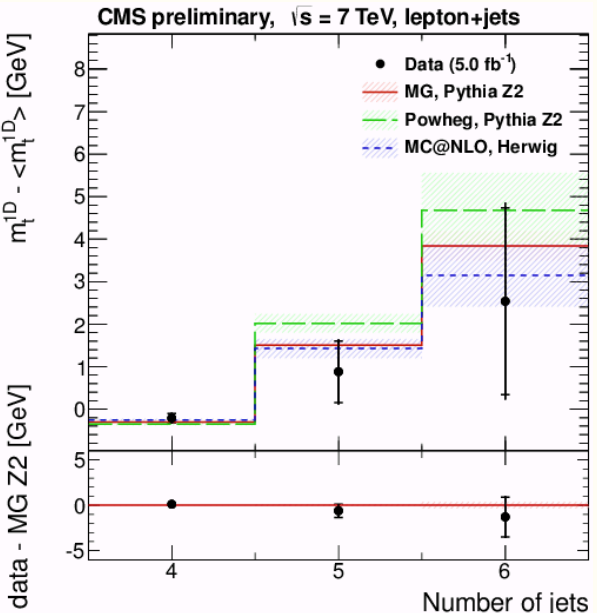
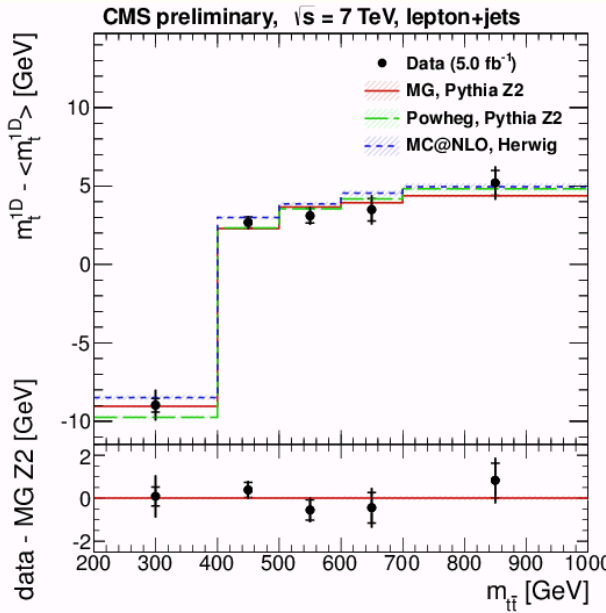
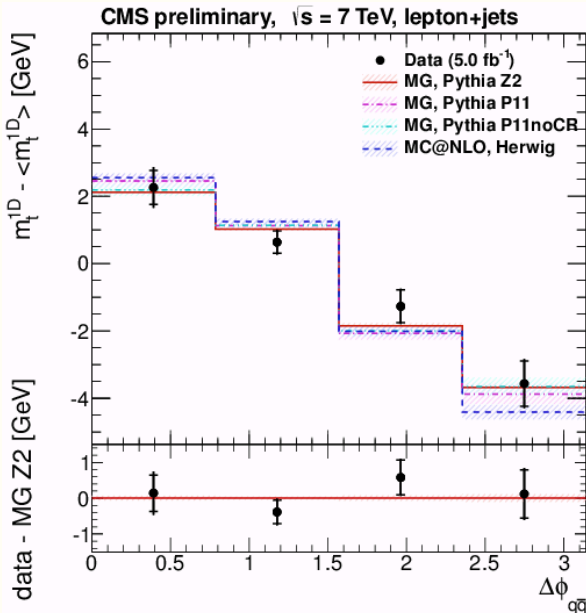
CMS PAS TOP-12-029

Relation contains (non)perturbative corrections, expected to depend on event kinematics

Check the mass dependence with kinematic variables

test for color connections effects, ISR/FSR and b-quark kinematics

Precision does not allow to distinguish between different tuning \Rightarrow data/MC agreement rule out significant biases

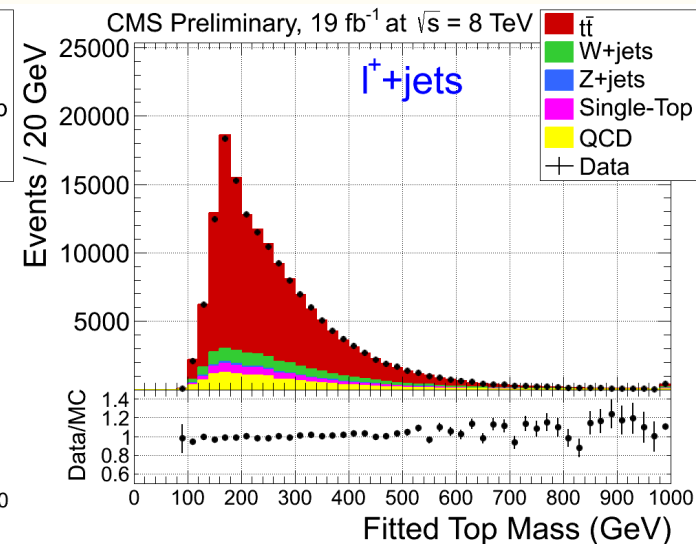
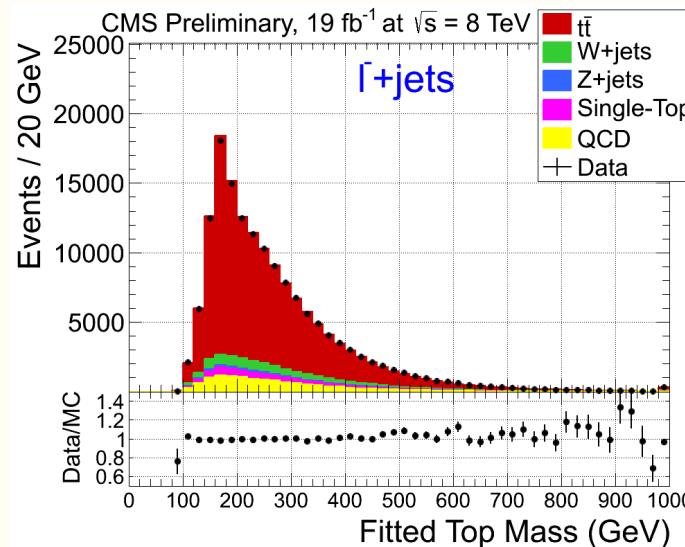


Top -anti top mass difference

CMS PAS TOP-12-031

- 0 CPT predicts equal mass for top-antitop quarks \Rightarrow deviation from this hypothesis deep impact on SM
- 0 Using l +jets channel, data is divided in l^+ or l^- plus 3 jets to obtained the top decays. The ideogram methods is used to obtained the mass for top or anti-top and finally

| $\Delta m_{top}(\mu)$ (MeV) | $\Delta m_{top}(e)$ (MeV) | $\Delta m_{top}(\mu+e)$ (MeV) |
|--------------------------------|------------------------------|--|
| $-230 \pm 264_{(stat)}$ | $-325 \pm 294_{(stat)}$ | $-272 \pm 196_{(stat)} \pm 122_{(syst)}$ |



$$\Delta m_{top} = m_t - m_{\bar{t}}$$

Results consistent with SM, precision higher than existing measurement

Many more analysis done in CMS

They compress production, decays, properties, search for new physics with top

- 0 Top spin correlations
- 0 ttV production
- 0 Top polarization
- 0 Search for FCNC in top decays
- 0 Search for resonances in $t\bar{t}$ production
- 0 Search for pair production of new physics resonances decaying into $t\bar{t}$
- 0 Search for $t\bar{b}$ resonances
- 0 Search for top partners with $5/3$ charged
- 0 Search for b' and t'
- 0 Search for Z' into top pairs
- 0 Etc...

More results into :

<https://twiki.cern.ch/twiki/bin/view/CMSPublic/PhysicsResultsTOP>

<https://twiki.cern.ch/twiki/bin/view/CMSPublic/PhysicsResultsB2G> (for search of NP with tops)

Conclusions

- 0 Top is still a very exciting topic at colliders
- 0 High precision measurements at LHC are reached now
- 0 Large statistics samples allows to perform detailed studies of the characteristic of this quark
- 0 So far everything agrees with SM prediction for this quark.
- 0 Finalizing the results with 8 TeV trying to include the full statistics. More results and better precision expected before the beginning of the LHC again.
- 0 Very good Top quark physics understanding is essential for the CMS search of new physics program
 - 0 Full CMS potential for top physics is still underway, stay tune for more news

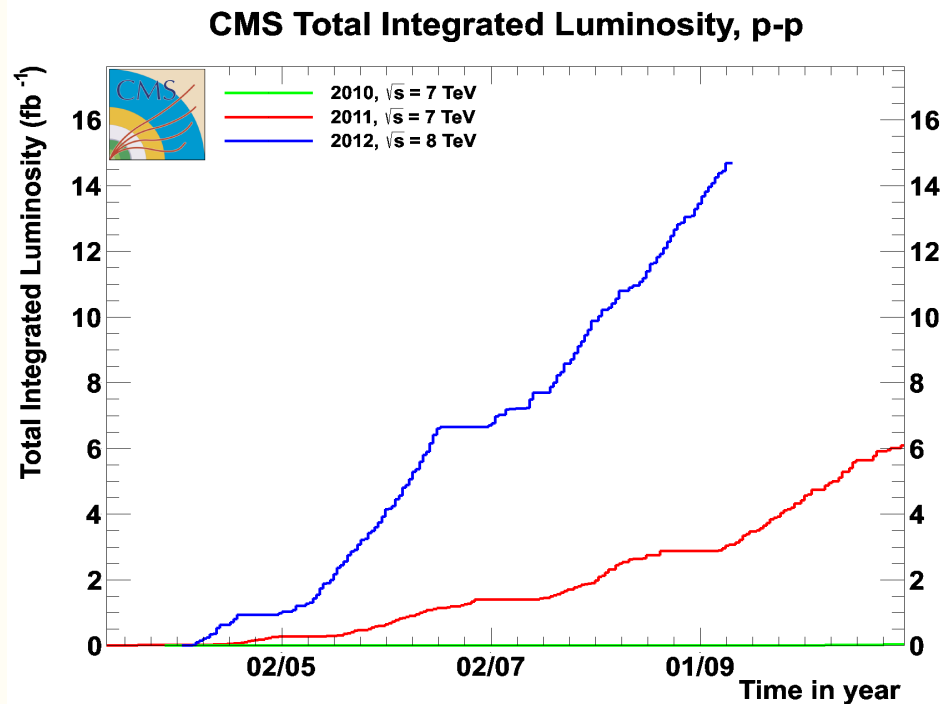
Additional material

More information about the talk

LHC performance

Spectacular performance of the LHC, CMS and ATLAS!

- Over 20 fb^{-1} data in pp collisions recorded in experiments in 2011 and 2012:
 - ~ 5 fb^{-1} @ 7 TeV: luminosity $3 \cdot 10^{33} \text{ cms}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$ → ~ 0.8M tt events
 - ~ 14 fb^{-1} @ 8 TeV: luminosity $7 \cdot 10^{33} \text{ cms}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$ → ~ 3.0M tt events
- Data taking efficiency > 90%
- Plans: to get 30 fb^{-1} before end of 2012



Experimental techniques

0 Isolated Leptons (e, μ or tau)

- 0 isolation cuts against QCD backgrounds

0 Pile-up subtraction

- 0 based on charged component
- 0 Residual area based correction for neutral

0 Jet (and missing ET)

- 0 CMS: particle flow (track/calorimeter combination)
- 0 optimal resolution and scale uncertainties
- 0 minimal flavour response differences

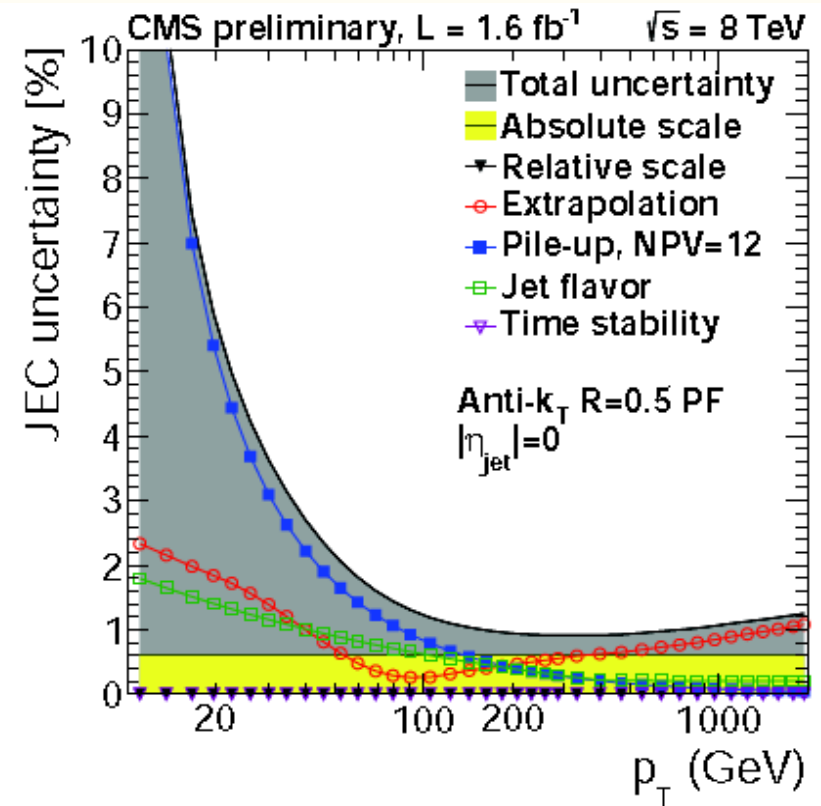
0 B-tagging

- 0 combination of several techniques (vertex, impact parameter, track distributions within jets)

Top quarks require high precision calibration of jets and b-tagging



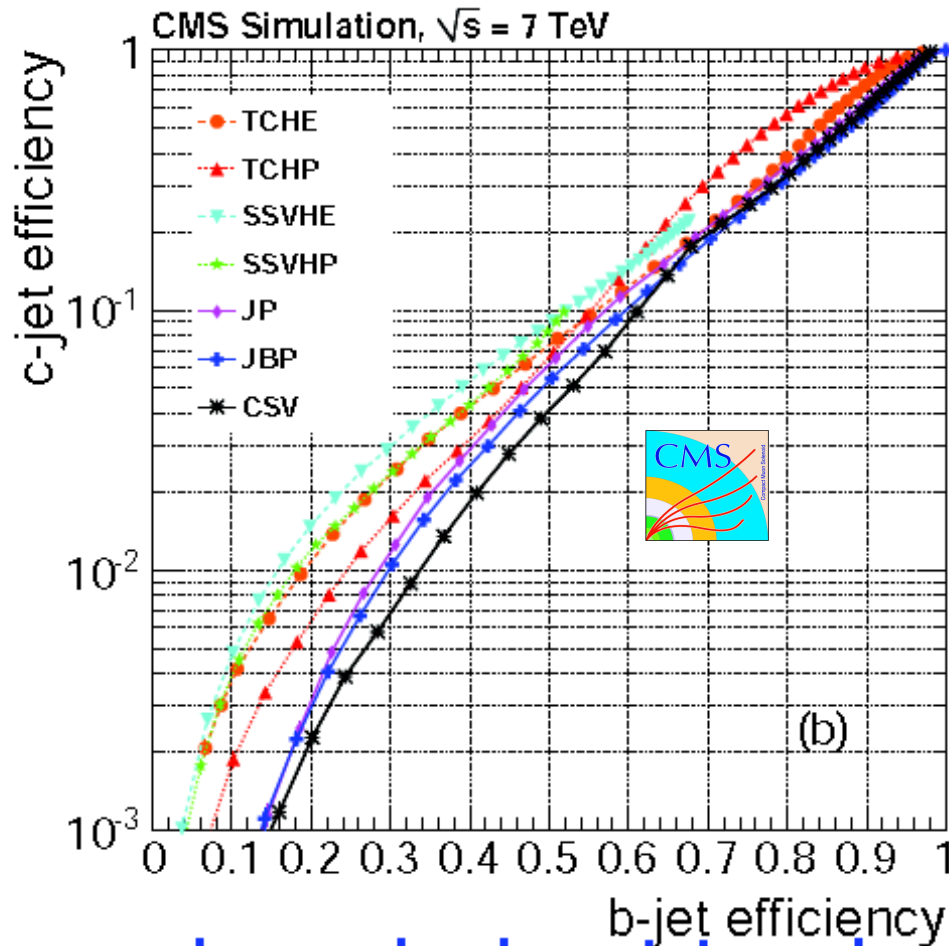
CMS Uncertainties comparable to 2010, 2011.



Experimental technique

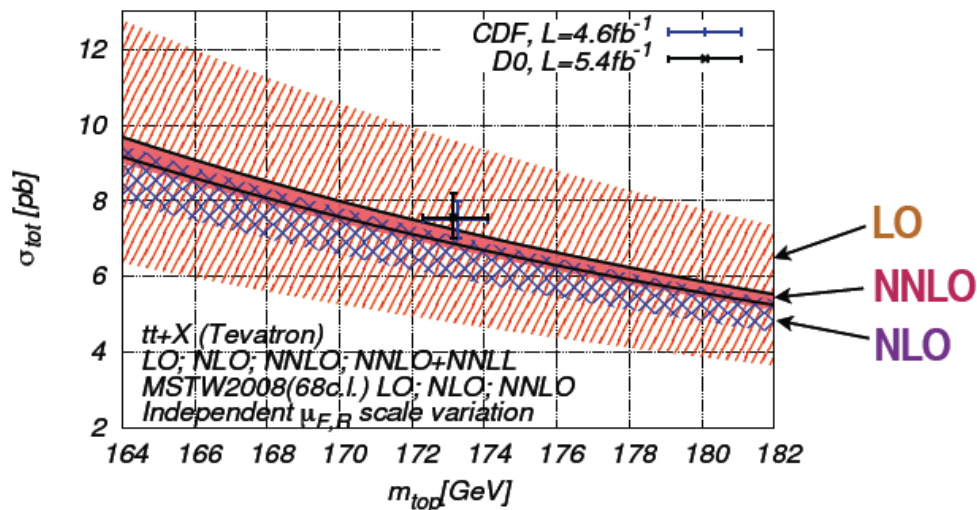
b-tagging

efficiencies of the light quarks
versus the b's
For the different algorithms



MC simulations

Baernreuther, Czakon, Mitov 1204.5201 [hep-ph]



full NNLO now available for qq \rightarrow tt



MADGRAPH
CTEQ6 PDF
 $M_t = 172.5$ GeV

ttbar sample typically normalized according to one of the existing approximate NNLO cross sections

■ Calculations

NLO
NLO+NNLL and approx. NNLO
full NNLO (available for qq)

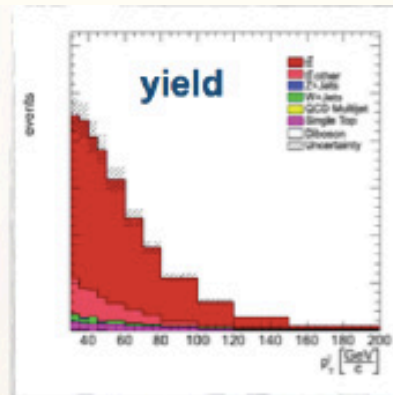
■ Event generators

NLO+PS
MC@NLO
POWHEG
Tree-level (+ HO) matched PS
MADGRAPH
ALPGEN
SHERPA
PYTHIA (LO)

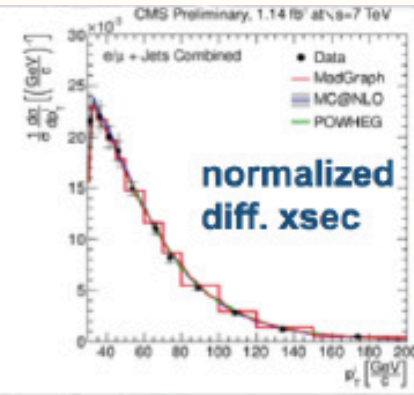
Modeling uncertainties

- ttbar signal compared with different MC generators to access differences between the NLO+PS generators, as well compare ME+PS with NLO+PS event generators.
- Compare PYTHIA and HERWIG to access variations in the PS and hadronization description.
- Study the impact of the choice of scales: vary the renormalization and factorization scales by 0.5 and 2.0 w.r.t. The different default values, both for signal and the most important backgrounds (V+jets)
- Effect of increasing or decreasing the amount of ISR and FSR is evaluated with dedicated samples: PYTHIA (for CMS) and ACERMC (for ATLAS).
- For those samples with ME+PS: study the choice of matching scale by varying the scale w.r.t the default value some amount.
- PDF choice: using error PDF sets (LHAPDF for CMS) or PDF4LHC prescription in case of ATLAS.

Differential xs



$$\frac{1}{\sigma} \frac{d\sigma^i}{dX} = \frac{1}{\sigma} \frac{N_{\text{Data}}^i - N_{\text{BG}}^i}{\Delta_X^i \epsilon^i L}$$



Cut and count approach

Data driven corrections

- ▶ Drell-Yan background (dileptons)
- ▶ Trigger efficiencies
- ▶ Lepton identification and isolation

Corrected to parton or particle level and for detector effects

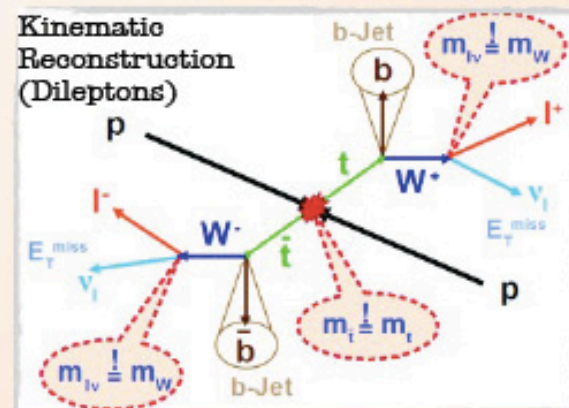
- ▶ Purity & stability typically > 50%
- ▶ Regularised (SVD) unfolding (MadGraph+Pythia MC)

Normalised to in-situ cross section

Top reconstruction

• Dileptons

- ▶ Kinematic reconstruction
- ▶ Underconstrained
- ▶ Input
 - 2 leading jets
 - 2 leptons
 - MET
- ▶ Constraints
 - m_W
 - $MET = \sum(\text{neutrino } p_T)$
 - $m_t = m_{\bar{t}}$ [100 GeV, 300 GeV]
- ▶ Chose solution by comparing neutrino energy spectrum to prediction
- ▶ For $m_{t\bar{t}}$ only: 4-vector sum of 2 leading jets, MET, 2 leptons



• Lepton + jets

- ▶ Kinematic fit
- ▶ Input
 - Lepton
 - up to 5 leading jets
 - Neutrino momentum = MET (initially)
- ▶ Vary 4-Vectors within Resolution
 - $m_t = m_{\bar{t}}$
 - m_W
- ▶ Chose solution with minimum χ^2

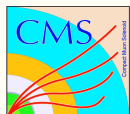
Lepton (τ) + jets channel



| Relative uncertainty [%] | |
|---------------------------------|------------|
| Jet energy correction | ± 10.5 |
| Jet energy resolution | ± 1.9 |
| Unclustered E_T^{miss} | ± 6.6 |
| Tau energy correction | ± 6.6 |
| Tau identification | ± 9.0 |
| Tau trigger leg | ± 7.4 |
| B-tagging | ± 2.8 |
| Pileup | +4.9 -1.4 |
| Top quark mass | ± 2.8 |
| Q^2 scale | ± 2.2 |
| Parton matching | ± 3.0 |
| PDF | ± 5.2 |
| Theoretical cross section | ± 2.8 |
| Systematic | ± 20.0 |
| Statistical from fit and MC | ± 7.7 |
| Statistical from trigger | ± 1.4 |
| Total statistical | ± 7.8 |

- **Main systematics:**
 τ identification ($\sim 9\%$), JES ($\sim 10\%$)

Xs All hadronic channel



Main systematics: b-tagging efficiencies (~ 16%), jet energy scale (~ 14%), and background estimation (~ 12%)

| Source | Relative Uncertainty (%) |
|------------------------|--------------------------|
| B-Tagging | 15.7 |
| Jet Energy Scale | 13.5 |
| Background | 12.2 |
| Q^2 Scale | 8.7 |
| Tune | 8.1 |
| ISR/FSR | 5.6 |
| Top Quark Mass | 5.3 |
| Parton Shower Matching | 5.2 |
| Jet Energy Resolution | 4.8 |
| Trigger | 4.5 |
| Pile-Up | 0.6 |
| Systematic | 29.1 |
| Statistical | 14.3 |
| Luminosity | 6.0 |
| Total Uncertainty | 33.0 |



Xs Lepton (e/ μ) + jets channel

@ 7TeV

1.1 fb⁻¹

@ 8TeV

2.8 fb⁻¹

| Source | Muon Analysis | Electron Analysis | Combined Analysis |
|---|-----------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Quantity | Uncertainty (%) | | |
| Lepton ID/reco/trigger | 3.4 | 3 | 3.4 |
| \cancel{E}_T resolution due to unclustered energy | < 1 | < 1 | < 1 |
| $t\bar{t}$ +jets Q^2 scale | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| ISR/FSR | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| ME to PS matching | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| Pile-up | 2.5 | 2.6 | 2.6 |
| PDF | 3.4 | 3.4 | 3.4 |
| Profile Likelihood Parameter | Uncertainty (%) | | |
| Jet energy scale and resolution | 4.2 | 4.2 | 3.1 |
| b -tag efficiency | 3.3 | 3.4 | 2.4 |
| W +jets Q^2 scale | 0.9 | 0.8 | 0.7 |
| Combined | 7.8 | 7.8 | 7.3 |

TABLE 1. Overview of the systematic uncertainties on the cross section measurement. Uncertainties marked with (*) are obtained from 7 TeV.

| Systematic | Combined fit $\delta\sigma_{t\bar{t}}$ (%) |
|---|--|
| Jet Energy Scale | +4.3 -5.0 |
| Jet Energy Resolution | +0.5 -1.1 |
| Pileup | -0.7 +0.7 |
| Background Composition | -0.1 +0.1 |
| W+Jets template shape from unweighted 7TeV | 0.9 |
| Normalisation of data-driven multijet shape | 0.9 |
| b tagging efficiency measurement | 8.0 |
| Trigger Efficiency | -2.8 +3.2 |
| Lepton selection | -2.4 +2.8 |
| Factorization scale (*) | +6.2 -2.1 |
| ME-PS Matching threshold (*) | +4.6 -3.1 |
| PDF uncertainties (*) | +1.6 -2.0 |
| Top Quark Mass (*) | +0.3 +1.4 |
| Luminosity | 4.4 |
| Total | +12.7 -11.4 |



Xs Dilepton (e, μ) channel

@ 7TeV

2.3 fb⁻¹

| Source | Uncertainty on $\sigma_{t\bar{t}}$ (pb) |
|-----------------------------|---|
| Diboson | 0.4 |
| Single top | 2.3 |
| Drell-Yan | 1.0 |
| Non-W/Z leptons | 0.6 |
| Lepton Efficiencies | 1.7 |
| Lepton Energy Scale | 0.5 |
| Jet Energy Scale | 2.8 |
| Jet Energy Resolution | 0.5 |
| \cancel{E}_T Efficiency | 1.9 |
| b-tagging | 1.1 |
| Pileup | 0.7 |
| W Branching Ratio | 2.7 |
| Q^2 scale of QCD | 1.0 |
| Matching partons to showers | 1.0 |
| Total systematic | 5.6 |
| Integrated luminosity | 3.6 |
| Statistical | 2.6 |

@ 8TeV

2.4 fb⁻¹

| Source | Cont. to the $\sigma_{t\bar{t}}$ (pb) | Cont. to the $\sigma_{t\bar{t}}$ (%) |
|---------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| VV | 0.3 | 0.1 |
| Single top - tW | 2.2 | 1.0 |
| Non W/Z leptons | 3.2 | 1.4 |
| Drell-Yan | 1.6 | 0.7 |
| Lepton efficiencies | 4.0 | 1.8 |
| LES | 0.7 | 0.3 |
| JES | 5.7 | 2.5 |
| JER | 3.8 | 1.7 |
| B-tagging | 2.0 | 0.9 |
| Pile-up | 3.3 | 1.5 |
| Branching ratio | 3.9 | 1.7 |
| Event Q^2 scale | 1.6 | 0.7 |
| Matching | 1.6 | 0.7 |
| Total Systematic | 10.7 | 4.7 |
| Luminosity | 10.0 | 4.4 |
| Statistics | 3.1 | 1.4 |

LHC combination @ 7TeV

- LHC combination from TOPLHCWG working group : combination of the ATLAS and CMS combinations (ATLAS-CONF-2012-134, CMS PAS TOP-12-003).
- BLUE method used : simple and compatible results with likelihood based methods.
- Type of uncertainties and their correlations :
 - Detector modeling : uncorrelated.
 - JES : uncorrelated (assumption tested).
 - Signal modeling : fully correlated (assumption tested).
 - Backgrounds estimated from data : uncorrelated.
 - Backgrounds estimated from simulation : fully correlated.
 - Luminosity : partially correlated, bunch charge uncertainty (fully correlated, 3% for ATLAS, 3.1% for CMS) or detector related uncertainty (uncorrelated 2.4% for ATLAS, 3.6% for CMS).

LHC combination @ 7TeV

ATLAS-CONF-2012-134 , CMS PAS TOP-12-003

| | ATLAS | CMS | Correlation | LHC combination |
|-----------------------------|-------|-------|-------------|-----------------|
| Cross-section | 177.0 | 165.8 | | 173.3 |
| Uncertainty | | | | |
| Statistical | 3.2 | 2.2 | 0 | 2.3 |
| JES | 2.7 | 3.5 | 0 | 2.1 |
| Detector model | 5.3 | 8.8 | 0 | 4.6 |
| Signal model | | | | |
| Monte-Carlo | 4.2 | 1.1 | 1 | 3.1 |
| Parton shower | 1.3 | 2.2 | 1 | 1.6 |
| Radiation | 0.8 | 4.1 | 1 | 1.9 |
| PDF | 1.9 | 4.1 | 1 | 2.6 |
| Background from data | 1.5 | 3.4 | 0 | 1.6 |
| Background from MC | 1.6 | 1.6 | 1 | 1.6 |
| Method | 2.4 | n/e | 1 | 1.6 |
| <i>W</i> leptonic branching | 1.0 | 1.0 | 1 | 1.0 |
| Luminosity | | | | |
| Bunch current | 5.3 | 5.1 | 1 | 5.3 |
| Detector effects | 4.3 | 5.9 | 0 | 3.4 |
| Total systematic | 10.8 | 14.2 | | 9.8 |
| Total | 11.3 | 14.4 | | 10.1 |

Mass systematic unc.

| | Dileptons 2010 | Lepton+jets 2010 | Dileptons 2011 | Lepton+jets 2011 | All jets 2011 |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------|---------------------|-------------------|---------------------|------------------|
| Measured m_t | 175.50 | 173.10 | 172.50 | 173.49 | 173.49 |
| JES | 4.0 | 2.3 | 1.2 | 0.75 | 1.1 |
| Lepton energy scale | 0.30 | — | 0.14 | 0.02 | — |
| MC generator | 0.50 | — | 0.04 | — | — |
| ISR/FSR | 0.20 | 0.20 | — | — | — |
| PDF | 0.50 | 0.10 | 0.09 | 0.07 | 0.06 |
| Factorization scale | 0.60 | 1.10 | 0.55 | 0.24 | 0.22 |
| ME-PS matching threshold | 0.70 | 0.40 | 0.19 | 0.18 | 0.24 |
| Signal | | | | | |
| Jet energy resolution | 0.50 | 0.10 | 0.14 | 0.23 | 0.15 |
| b -tagging | 0.40 | 0.10 | 0.09 | 0.12 | 0.06 |
| MET scale | 0.10 | 0.40 | 0.12 | 0.06 | — |
| Detector Modeling | | | | | |
| Underlying event | 1.30 | 0.20 | 0.05 | 0.15 | 0.32 |
| Background MC | 0.10 | 0.20 | 0.05 | 0.13 | — |
| Background Data | — | 0.40 | — | — | 0.20 |
| Fit calibration and MC | 0.20 | 0.10 | 0.40 | 0.06 | 0.13 |
| Pile-up | 1.00 | 0.10 | 0.11 | 0.07 | 0.06 |
| Color reconnection | n/e | n/e | 0.13 | 0.54 | 0.15 |
| Trigger | — | — | — | — | 0.24 |
| Total Systematic Uncertainty | 4.52 | 2.63 | 1.41 | 1.03 | 1.25 |

Systematic unc diff xs

- 0 Global uncertainties due to normalisation
- 0 Remaining shape uncertainties evaluated individually for each bin:
 - 0 Jet energy scale and resolution
 - 0 Lepton identification and isolation efficiencies
 - 0 Trigger efficiencies
 - 0 B-tagging efficiencies
 - 0 Pile up modelling
- 0 Top mass uncertainties
 - 0 Scale and matching scale variations (dominant)
 - 0 Hadronisation (POWHEG+Pythia, MC@NLO+Herwig)
 - 0 PDF variations

T-channel cross section

7TeV

| Uncertainty source | | NN | BDT | $\eta_{j'}$ | | |
|--------------------------------|----------------------|---------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|
| Marginalised (NN, BDT) | Experimental uncert. | Statistical | -6.1/+5.5% | -4.7/+5.4% | $\pm 8.5\%$ | |
| | | Limited MC data | -1.7/+2.3% | | $\pm 3.1\%$ | |
| | | Jet energy scale | -0.3/+1.9% | $\pm 0.6\%$ | -3.9/+4.1% | |
| | | Jet energy resolution | -0.3/+0.6% | $\pm 0.1\%$ | -0.7/+1.2% | |
| | | b tagging | -2.7/+3.1% | $\pm 1.6\%$ | $\pm 3.1\%$ | |
| | | Muon trigger + reco. | -2.2/+2.3% | $\pm 1.9\%$ | -1.5/+1.7% | |
| | | Electron trigger + reco. | -0.6/+0.7% | $\pm 1.2\%$ | -0.8/+0.9% | |
| | | Hadronic trigger | -1.3/+1.2% | $\pm 1.5\%$ | $\pm 3.0\%$ | |
| | | Pileup | -1.0/+0.9% | $\pm 0.4\%$ | -0.3/+0.2% | |
| | MET modeling | -0.0/+0.2% | $\pm 0.2\%$ | $\pm 0.5\%$ | | |
| | Backg. rates | W+jets | -2.0/+3.0% | -3.5/+2.5% | $\pm 5.9\%$ | |
| | | light flavor (u, d, s, g) | -0.2/+0.3% | $\pm 0.4\%$ | n/a | |
| | | heavy flavor (b, c) | -1.9/+2.9% | -3.5/+2.5% | n/a | |
| | | $t\bar{t}$ | -0.9/+0.8% | $\pm 1.0\%$ | $\pm 3.3\%$ | |
| | | QCD, muon | $\pm 0.8\%$ | $\pm 1.7\%$ | $\pm 0.9\%$ | |
| QCD, electron | | $\pm 0.4\%$ | $\pm 0.8\%$ | -0.4/+0.3% | | |
| s-, tW ch., dibosons, Z+jets | $\pm 0.3\%$ | $\pm 0.6\%$ | $\pm 0.5\%$ | | | |
| Total marginalised uncertainty | | -7.7/+7.9% | -7.7/+7.8% | n/a | | |
| Not marginalised | Theor. uncert. | Luminosity | | $\pm 2.2\%$ | | |
| | | Scale, $t\bar{t}$ | -3.3/+1.0% | $\pm 0.9\%$ | -4.0/+2.1% | |
| | | Scale, W+jets | -2.8/+0.3% | -0.0/+3.4% | n/a | |
| | | Scale, t-, s-, tW channels | -0.4/+1.0% | $\pm 0.2\%$ | -2.2/+2.3% | |
| | | Matching, $t\bar{t}$ | $\pm 1.3\%$ | $\pm 0.4\%$ | $\pm 0.4\%$ | |
| | | t-channel generator | $\pm 4.2\%$ | $\pm 4.6\%$ | $\pm 2.5\%$ | |
| | | PDF | $\pm 1.3\%$ | $\pm 1.3\%$ | $\pm 2.5\%$ | |
| | | Total theor. uncertainty | | -6.3/+4.8% | -4.9/+5.9% | -5.6/+4.9% |
| | | Syst. + theor. + luminosity uncert. | | -8.1/+7.8% | -8.1/+8.4% | $\pm 10.8\%$ |
| | | Total (stat. + syst. + theor. + lum.) | | -10.1/+9.5% | -9.4/+10.0% | $\pm 13.8\%$ |

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| Uncertainty source | in pb | relative |
|--------------------------------|-------------|---------------|
| Statistical | ± 5.7 | $\pm 7.2\%$ |
| W+jets and $t\bar{t}$ modeling | ± 3.6 | $\pm 4.5\%$ |
| JES | -6.2 / +4.7 | -7.8 / +5.8 % |
| JER | -0.8 / +0.3 | -1.0 / +0.4 % |
| Unclassified E_T | -0.8 / +0.7 | -1.0 / +0.9 % |
| Pileup | -0.5 / +0.3 | -0.6 / +0.4 % |
| Muon trigger + reconstruction | -4.1 / +4.0 | -5.1 / +5.1 % |
| Q^2 | ± 2.5 | $\pm 3.1\%$ |
| $t\bar{t}$, rate | -1.5 / +1.7 | -1.9 / +2.1 % |
| QCD, rate | ± 0.7 | $\pm 0.9\%$ |
| t-channel generator | ± 4.4 | $\pm 5.5\%$ |
| Other backgrounds, rate | ± 0.5 | $\pm 0.6\%$ |
| b-tagging | ± 3.7 | $\pm 4.6\%$ |
| PDF | ± 3.7 | $\pm 4.6\%$ |
| Simulation statistics | ± 1.8 | $\pm 2.2\%$ |
| Total systematics | ± 11.0 | $\pm 13.7\%$ |
| Luminosity uncertainty | ± 4.0 | $\pm 5.0\%$ |
| Total | ± 13.0 | $\pm 16.3\%$ |

Systematic unc. W helicity

| Systematic source | $\sqrt{s} = 8 \text{ TeV}$ | | $\sqrt{s} = 7 \text{ TeV}$ | |
|--|----------------------------|--------------|----------------------------|--------------|
| | ΔF_L | ΔF_0 | ΔF_L | ΔF_0 |
| JES | 0.006 | 0.006 | 0.020 | 0.020 |
| JER | 0.008 | 0.003 | 0.015 | 0.010 |
| unclustered energy | 0.013 | 0.003 | 0.015 | 0.015 |
| pileup | 0.002 | 0.003 | 0.004 | 0.000 |
| b-flavored scale factor | 0.004 | 0.006 | 0.009 | 0.009 |
| non-b-flavored scale factor | 0.004 | 0.007 | 0.002 | 0.001 |
| single-top generator | 0.008 | 0.014 | 0.004 | 0.004 |
| Q^2 scale | 0.009 | 0.012 | 0.040 | 0.007 |
| m_{top} | 0.005 | 0.006 | 0.010 | 0.010 |
| PDF | 0.005 | 0.005 | 0.000 | 0.000 |
| $t\bar{t}$ normalization | 0.002 | 0.003 | 0.008 | 0.008 |
| QCD shape | 0.002 | 0.002 | 0.004 | 0.004 |
| W+jets shape | 0.008 | 0.010 | 0.010 | 0.010 |
| integrated luminosity | 0.003 | 0.003 | 0.007 | 0.007 |
| SM W-helicity reference | 0.004 | 0.003 | 0.001 | 0.002 |
| systematic uncertainty (w/o generator) | 0.022 | 0.021 | 0.054 | 0.035 |
| total systematic uncertainty | 0.024 | 0.026 | 0.054 | 0.035 |

| Systematic source | ΔF_L | ΔF_0 |
|------------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| JES | 0.007 | 0.007 |
| JER | 0.011 | 0.003 |
| unclustered energy | 0.018 | 0.010 |
| pileup | 0.002 | 0.002 |
| b-flavored scale factor | 0.003 | 0.001 |
| non-b-flavored scale factor | 0.001 | 0.002 |
| single-top generator | 0.005 | 0.009 |
| Q^2 scale | 0.006 | 0.008 |
| m_{top} | 0.001 | 0.001 |
| PDF | 0.003 | 0.003 |
| $t\bar{t}$ normalization | 0.003 | 0.002 |
| QCD shape | 0.003 | 0.003 |
| W+jets shape | 0.012 | 0.011 |
| integrated luminosity | 0.010 | 0.010 |
| SM W-helicity reference | 0.002 | 0.001 |
| total systematic uncertainty | 0.030 | 0.023 |