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Event Physics Overview

PYTHIA Status

Improved Parton Showers

Heavy Flavour Production

Heavy Flavour Hadronization

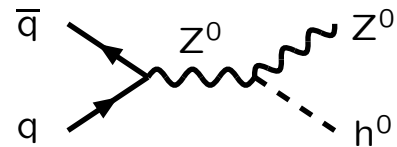
Multiple Interactions

Summary

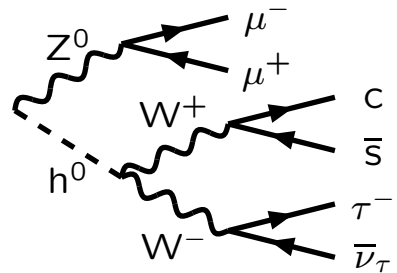
Event physics overview

Structure of the basic generation process:

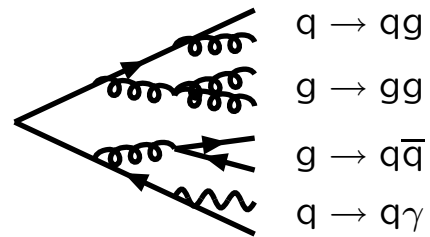
1) Hard subprocess:
 $d\hat{\sigma}/d\hat{t}$, Breit-Wigners



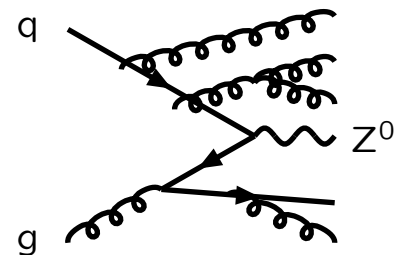
2) Resonance decays:
includes correlations
(where implemented)



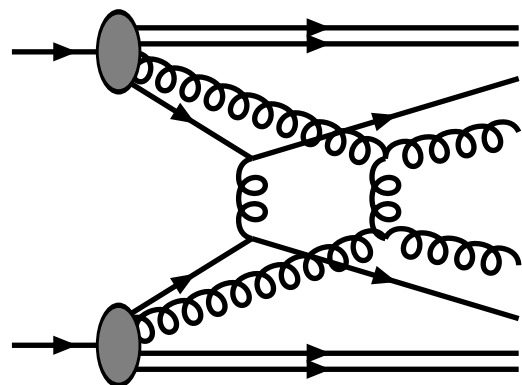
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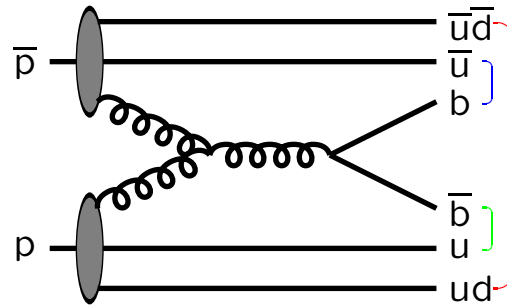
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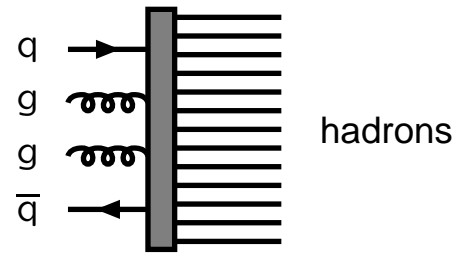
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interactions



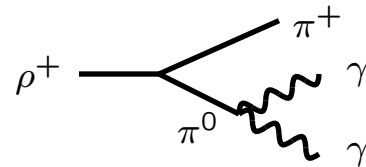
6) Beam remnants:
colour-connected
to rest of event



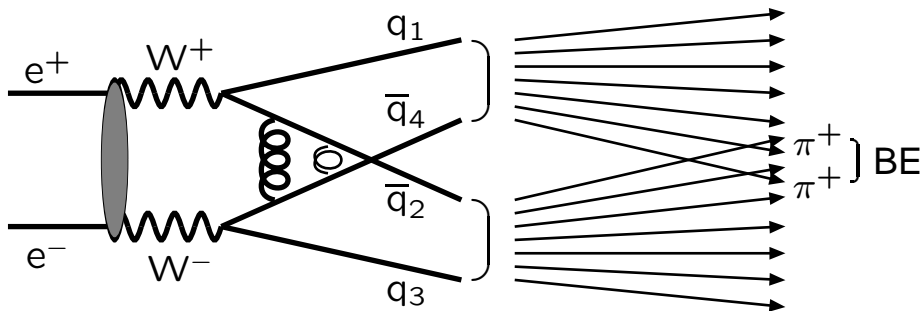
7) Hadronization
(or fragmentation)



8) Normal decays:
hadronic, τ , charm, ...



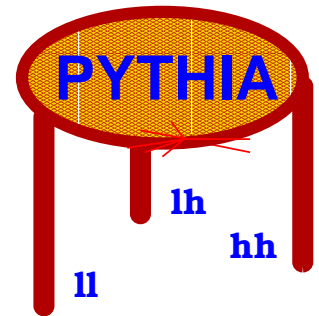
9) QCD interconnection effects:



a) colour rearrangement (\Rightarrow rapidity gaps?);
b) Bose-Einstein (within & between strings).

10) The forgotten/unexpected: a chain is
never stronger than its weakest link!

PYTHIA Status



JETSET 7.4
PYTHIA 5.7
SPYTHIA

} 4 March 1997 : PYTHIA 6.1

Currently **PYTHIA 6.210**
of 25 September 2002
~ 58,900 lines Fortran 77

Code, manual, sample main programs, more:

www.thep.lu.se/~torbjorn/Pythia.html

short writeup in T. Sjöstrand, P. Edén, C. Friberg,
L. Lönnblad, G. Miu, S. Mrenna and E. Norrbin
Computer Phys. Commun. **135** (2001) 238
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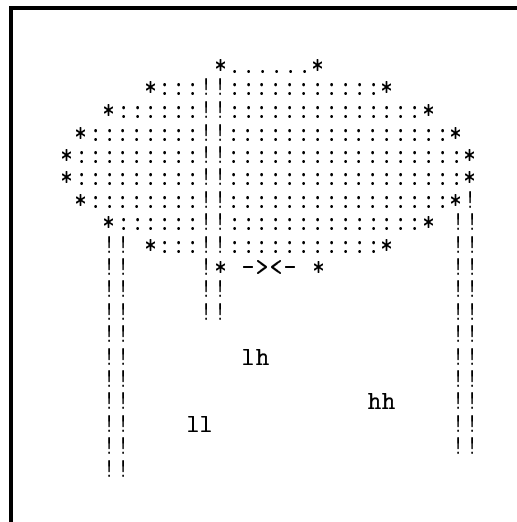
PYTHIA 6.2

Physics and Manual

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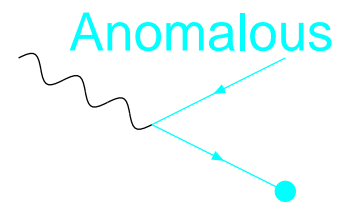
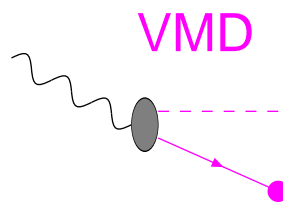
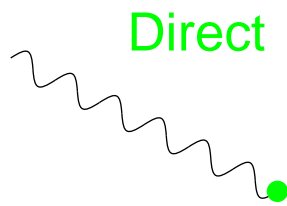
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Subprocess summary

Processes	Examples
QCD & related	
Soft QCD	low- p_{\perp} ; diffraction
Hard QCD	$qg \rightarrow qg$
Open heavy flavour	$q\bar{q} \rightarrow t\bar{t}$
Closed heavy flavour	$gg \rightarrow gJ/\psi$
$\gamma\gamma$ physics	$\gamma q \rightarrow qg$
DIS	$\gamma^* q \rightarrow q$
$\gamma^*\gamma^*$ physics	$\gamma_T^* \gamma_L^* \rightarrow q\bar{q}$
Electroweak SM	
Single $\gamma^*/Z^0/W^{\pm}$	$q\bar{q} \rightarrow \gamma^*/Z^0$
$(\gamma/\gamma^*/Z^0/W^{\pm}/f/g)^2$	$q\bar{q} \rightarrow W^+W^-$
Light SM Higgs	$gg \rightarrow h^0$
Heavy SM Higgs	$Z_L^0 Z_L^0 \rightarrow W_L^+ W_L^-$
SUSY BSM	
$h^0/H^0/A^0/H^{\pm}$	$q\bar{q} \rightarrow h^0 A^0$
SUSY	$q\bar{q}' \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_i^0 \tilde{\chi}_j^{\pm}$
RSUSY	$\tilde{\chi}_i^0 \rightarrow \text{bcs} \Rightarrow$ junctions!
Other BSM	
Technicolor	$q\bar{q}' \rightarrow \pi_{tc}^0 \pi_{tc}^{\pm}$
New gauge bosons	$q\bar{q} \rightarrow \gamma^*/Z^0/Z'^0$
Compositeness	$q\bar{q} \rightarrow e^{\pm} e^{*\mp}$
Leptoquarks	$qg \rightarrow \ell L_Q$
$H^{\pm\pm}$ (from LR-sym.)	$q\bar{q} \rightarrow H^{++} H^{--}$
Extra dimensions	$gg \rightarrow G^* \rightarrow e^+ e^-$
+ New User-Defined Process Machinery	

Photoproduction

(G.A. Schuler & TS, NPB407 (1993) 539, ZPC73 (1997) 677)



Direct: point-like

Resolved: hadronic state

Spectrum of fluctuations $\gamma \leftrightarrow q\bar{q} \propto dk_{\perp}^2/k_{\perp}^2$
 alt. $m \simeq 2k_{\perp}; dm^2/m^2$

* $k_{\perp} < k_0 \simeq 0.5 \text{ GeV}$: nonperturbative $\gamma \rightarrow q\bar{q}$
 hadronic physics \Rightarrow VMD

(Vector Meson Dominance)

parameterized couplings to $\rho^0, \omega, \phi, J/\psi$

$$\sigma_{\text{tot}}^{\gamma \rightarrow \rho} = \mathcal{P}(\gamma \rightarrow \rho) \cdot \sigma_{\text{tot}}^{\rho}$$

$$\text{PDF } f_i^{\gamma \rightarrow \rho}(x, \mu^2), \sigma_{\text{jet}}^{\gamma \rightarrow \rho} = \dots$$

beam remnants, multiple interactions, ...

* $k_{\perp} > k_0$: perturbative $\gamma \rightarrow q\bar{q}$

PDF calculable: anomalous part of γ

but $\sigma_{\text{tot}}^{q\bar{q}}$ not \Rightarrow GVMD

(Generalized VMD)

geometric scaling ansatz $\sigma_{\text{tot}}^{q\bar{q}} \propto k_V^2/k_{\perp}^2$,

$$k_V \simeq m_{\rho}/2 \text{ for light quarks}$$

again hadronic character: beam remnants, ...

Deeply Inelastic Scattering

(aim: extend photoproduction to $Q^2 \sim m_\rho^2$)

(Ch. Friberg & TS, EPJC13 (2000) 151, JHEP09 (2000) 10)

Virtual photon: $\gamma^* q \rightarrow q$

$$\sigma_{\text{tot}}^{\gamma^* p} \simeq \frac{4\pi^2 \alpha_{\text{em}}}{Q^2} F_2(x, Q^2) \simeq \frac{4\pi^2 \alpha_{\text{em}}}{Q^2} \sum_{q, \bar{q}} e_q^2 x q(x, Q^2)$$

but $F_2 \rightarrow 0$ for $Q^2 \rightarrow 0$ by gauge invariance,
+ limit doublecounting with photoproduction

$$\sigma_{\text{DIS}}^{\gamma^* p} \simeq \left(\frac{Q^2}{Q^2 + m_\rho^2} \right)^2 \frac{4\pi^2 \alpha_{\text{em}}}{Q^2} \sum_{q, \bar{q}} e_q^2 x q(x, Q^2)$$

where $q(x, Q^2)$ frozen for $Q^2 < Q_0^2$;

and prefactor ensures $\sigma_{\text{DIS}} \rightarrow 0$ for $Q^2 \rightarrow 0$

$$\mathcal{O}(\alpha_s) \text{ DIS} = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{QCDC } \gamma^* q \rightarrow qg \\ \text{BGF } \gamma^* g \rightarrow q\bar{q} \end{array} \right\} = \text{dir}$$

$$\sigma_{\text{LO DIS}}^{\gamma^* p} = \sigma_{\text{DIS}}^{\gamma^* p} - \sigma_{\text{dir}}^{\gamma^* p} \rightarrow \sigma_{\text{DIS}}^{\gamma^* p} \exp \left(- \frac{\sigma_{\text{dir}}^{\gamma^* p}}{\sigma_{\text{DIS}}^{\gamma^* p}} \right)$$

corresponds to Sudakov form factor

so 4 components: DIS + dir + VMD + GVMD

From Real to Virtual Photons

$$\sigma_{\text{tot}}^{\gamma^*p}(W^2, Q^2) = \sigma_{\text{DIS}}^{\gamma^*p} \exp\left(-\frac{\sigma_{\text{dir}}^{\gamma^*p}}{\sigma_{\text{DIS}}^{\gamma^*p}}\right) + \sigma_{\text{dir}}^{\gamma^*p} + \left(\frac{W^2}{Q^2+W^2}\right)^3 \left(\sigma_{\text{VMD}}^{\gamma^*p} + \sigma_{\text{GVMD}}^{\gamma^*p}\right)$$

Direct photon: Q^2 in ME expression

Resolved photon:

total cross section $\sigma_{\text{tot}}^{\gamma \rightarrow i}$ dampened by dipole

$$\left(\frac{m^2}{m^2 + Q^2}\right)^2 \quad (\text{fewer fluctuations, smaller size})$$

VMD: $m = m_\rho, m_\omega, m_\phi, m_{J/\psi}$

GVMD: $m \simeq 2k_\perp$; in total

$$\int_{k_0^2} \frac{dk_\perp^2}{k_\perp^2} \frac{k_V^2}{k_\perp^2} \left(\frac{4k_\perp^2}{4k_\perp^2 + Q^2}\right)^2$$

$f_i^{\gamma^*T}(x, \mu^2, Q^2)$: SaS 1D (also dipole-based)

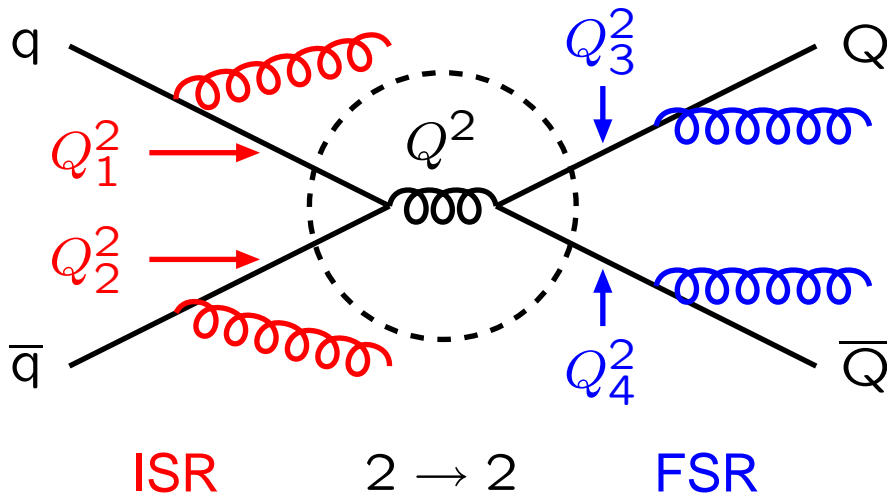
$f_i^{\gamma^*L}(x, \mu^2, Q^2)$: simple multiplicative factor
or Chyla (hep-ph/0006232)

$(1-x)^3$ reduces doublecounting at large x

⊕ virtual photon flux (T & L)

Parton Shower approach

$$2 \rightarrow n = (2 \rightarrow 2) \oplus \text{ISR} \oplus \text{FSR}$$



$2 \rightarrow 2 =$ hard scattering (on-shell)

$$\sigma = \iiint dx_1 dx_2 d\hat{t} f_i(x_1, Q^2) f_j(x_2, Q^2) \frac{d\hat{\sigma}_{ij}}{d\hat{t}}$$

FSR = Final-State Radiation; timelike shower

$Q_i^2 = M^2 > 0$ decreasing + coherence

ISR = Initial-State Radiation; spacelike shower

$Q_i^2 = -M^2 > 0$ increasing + \sim coherence

backwards evolution: start at hard scattering

Do not doublecount! $Q^2 > Q_1^2, Q_2^2, Q_3^2, Q_4^2$

$2 \rightarrow 2 =$ most virtual = shortest distance

ME vs. PS

ME : Matrix Elements

- + systematic expansion in α_s ('exact')
- + powerful for multiparton Born level
- + flexible phase space cuts
- loop calculations very tough
- negative cross section in collinear regions
 - ⇒ unpredictable jet/event structure
- *no easy match to hadronization*

PS : Parton Showers

- approximate, to LL (or NLL)
- main topology not predetermined
 - ⇒ inefficient for exclusive states
- + process-generic ⇒ simple multiparton
- + Sudakov form factors/resummation
 - ⇒ sensible jet/event structure
- + *easy to match to hadronization*

Marriage desirable! But how?

- Problems:
- gaps in coverage?
 - doublecounting of radiation?
 - Sudakov?
 - NLO consistency?

Merging

= smooth transition ME/PS, no sharp edge.

+ emissions can cover full phase space

– coherence not straightforward

Want to reproduce

$$W^{\text{ME}} = \frac{1}{\sigma(\text{LO})} \frac{d\sigma(\text{LO} + g)}{d(\text{phasespace})}$$

by shower generation + correction procedure

$$\underbrace{W^{\text{ME}}}_{\text{wanted}} = \underbrace{W^{\text{PS}}}_{\text{generated}} \overbrace{\frac{W^{\text{ME}}}{W^{\text{PS}}}}^{\text{correction}}$$

Comments:

- Do not normalize W^{ME} to $\sigma(\text{NLO})$, since extra work without clear gain (expect radiation also in events added by $K\text{-factor} \geq 1$)

- Exponentiate ME correction

by shower Sudakov form factor:

$$W_{\text{actual}}^{\text{PS}}(Q^2) =$$

$$W^{\text{ME}}(Q^2) \exp\left(-\int_{Q^2}^{Q_{\text{max}}^2} W^{\text{ME}}(Q'^2) dQ'^2\right)$$

- Normally several shower histories
⇒ alternative approaches, largely equivalent

Final-state showers

Merging with $\gamma^*/Z^0 \rightarrow q\bar{q}g$ since long

(M. Bengtsson & TS, PLB185 (1987) 435, NPB289 (1987) 810)

... but problems with $\gamma^*/Z^0 \rightarrow b\bar{b}g$ noted:

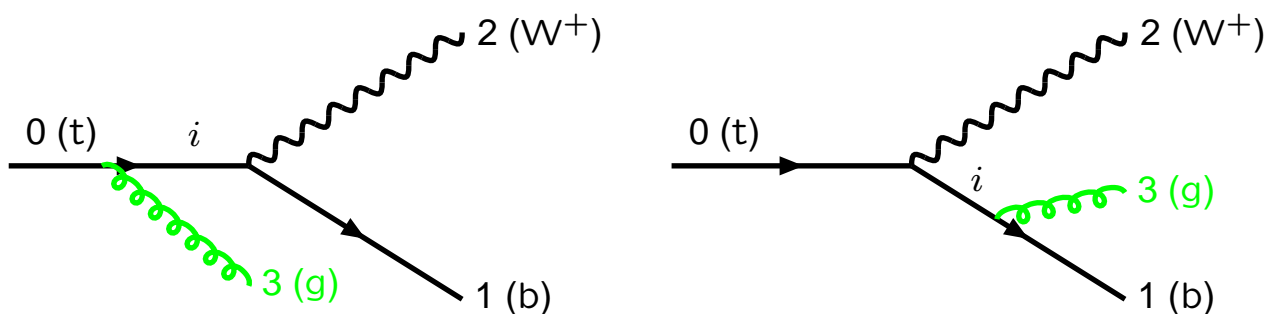
$Q_i^2 = m_i^2$ gives wrong singularity structure,

$Q_i^2 = m_i^2 - m_{i,\text{onshell}}^2$ is relevant propagator!

$$W^{\text{ME}} = \frac{(\dots)}{Q_1^2 Q_2^2} - \frac{(\dots)}{Q_1^4} - \frac{(\dots)}{Q_2^4}$$

(also weight from splitting kernels in PS)

Coloured decaying particle also radiates:



ME $\frac{1}{Q_0^2 Q_1^2}$ matches PS $b \rightarrow bg$

\Rightarrow can merge PS with generic $a \rightarrow bcg$ ME

(E. Norrbin & TS, NPB603 (2001) 297)

Subsequent branchings $q \rightarrow qg$: also matched to ME, with reduced energy of system

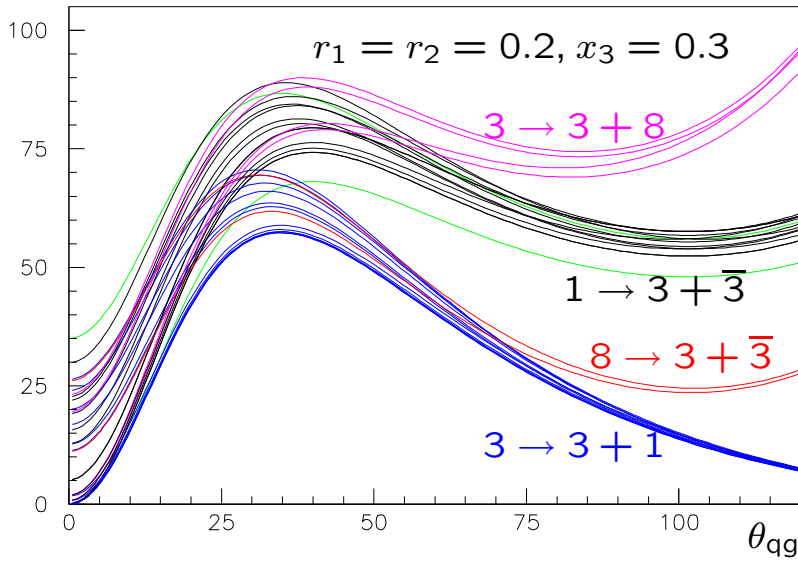
Calculate for 1 \rightarrow 2 processes in (SM+MSSM):

$$W_{\text{ME}}(x_1, x_2) \equiv \frac{\sigma(a \rightarrow bc)}{dx_1 dx_2}$$

Depends on

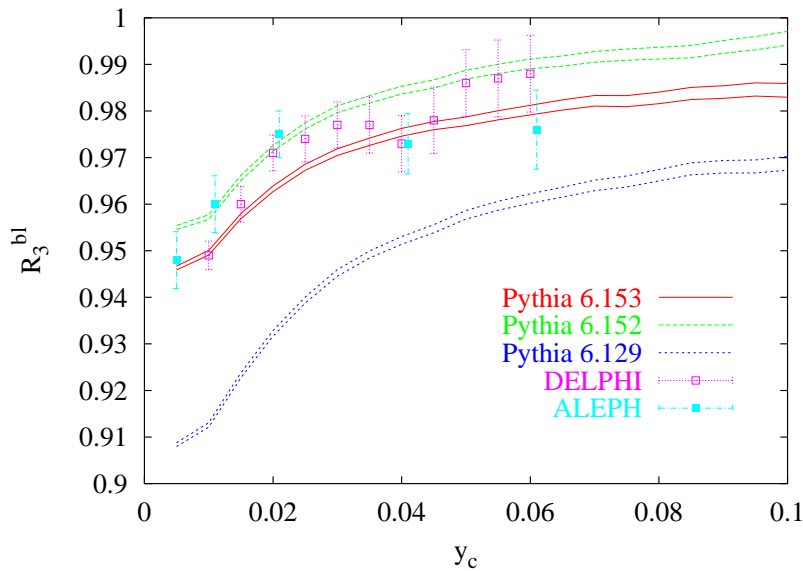
- mass ratios $r_1 = m_b/m_a$ and $r_2 = m_c/m_a$
- colour and spin structure
- vector vs. axial vector etc. (γ_5)

colour	spin	γ_5	example
$1 \rightarrow 3 + \bar{3}$	—	—	(eikonal)
$1 \rightarrow 3 + \bar{3}$	$1 \rightarrow \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}$	$1, \gamma_5, 1 \pm \gamma_5$	$Z^0 \rightarrow q\bar{q}$
$3 \rightarrow 3 + 1$	$\frac{1}{2} \rightarrow \frac{1}{2} + 1$	$1, \gamma_5, 1 \pm \gamma_5$	$t \rightarrow bW^+$
$1 \rightarrow 3 + \bar{3}$	$0 \rightarrow \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}$	$1, \gamma_5, 1 \pm \gamma_5$	$H^0 \rightarrow q\bar{q}$
$3 \rightarrow 3 + 1$	$\frac{1}{2} \rightarrow \frac{1}{2} + 0$	$1, \gamma_5, 1 \pm \gamma_5$	$t \rightarrow bH^+$
$1 \rightarrow 3 + \bar{3}$	$1 \rightarrow 0 + 0$	1	$Z^0 \rightarrow \tilde{q}\tilde{q}$
$3 \rightarrow 3 + 1$	$0 \rightarrow 0 + 1$	1	$\tilde{q} \rightarrow \tilde{q}'W^+$
$1 \rightarrow 3 + \bar{3}$	$0 \rightarrow 0 + 0$	1	$H^0 \rightarrow \tilde{q}\tilde{q}$
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$1 \rightarrow 3 + \bar{3}$	$\frac{1}{2} \rightarrow \frac{1}{2} + 0$	$1, \gamma_5, 1 \pm \gamma_5$	$\chi \rightarrow q\tilde{q}$
$3 \rightarrow 3 + 1$	$0 \rightarrow \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}$	$1, \gamma_5, 1 \pm \gamma_5$	$\tilde{q} \rightarrow q\chi$
$3 \rightarrow 3 + 1$	$\frac{1}{2} \rightarrow 0 + \frac{1}{2}$	$1, \gamma_5, 1 \pm \gamma_5$	$t \rightarrow \tilde{t}\chi$
$8 \rightarrow 3 + \bar{3}$	$\frac{1}{2} \rightarrow \frac{1}{2} + 0$	$1, \gamma_5, 1 \pm \gamma_5$	$\tilde{g} \rightarrow q\tilde{q}$
$3 \rightarrow 3 + 8$	$0 \rightarrow \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}$	$1, \gamma_5, 1 \pm \gamma_5$	$\tilde{q} \rightarrow q\tilde{g}$
$3 \rightarrow 3 + 8$	$\frac{1}{2} \rightarrow 0 + \frac{1}{2}$	$1, \gamma_5, 1 \pm \gamma_5$	$t \rightarrow \tilde{t}\tilde{g}$



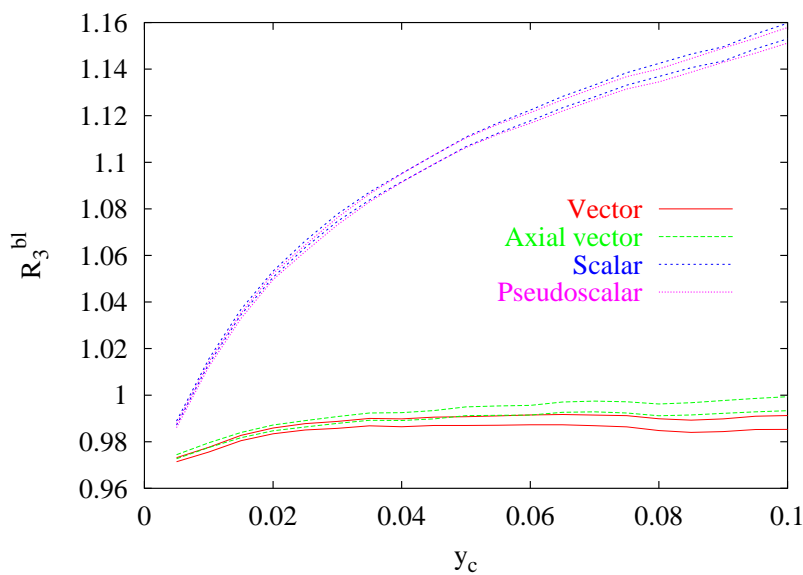
$$W^{\text{ME}}(x_1, x_2)$$

g emission rate
for different
colour, spin and
parity structures



$$R_3^{\text{bl}}(y_c)$$

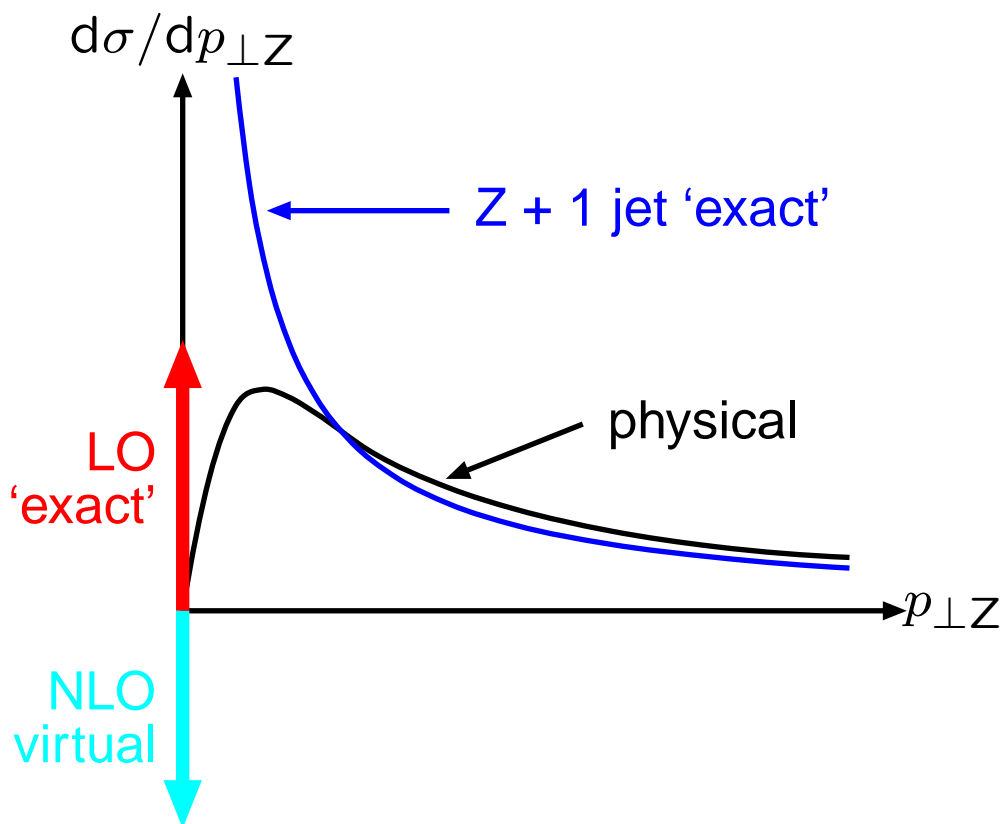
$E_{\text{CM}} = 91 \text{ GeV}$
 $m_b = 4.8 \text{ GeV}$
 ratio of 3-jets
in b and uds (=l)
events



$$R_3^{\text{bl}}(y_c)$$

$E_{\text{CM}} = m_{h/H/A}$
 $= 120 \text{ GeV}$
 $m_b = 4.8 \text{ GeV}$
 reference light q
from γ^*/Z^*

Initial-state showers



resummation: physical $p_{\perp Z}$ spectrum

shower: ditto + accompanying jets (exclusive)

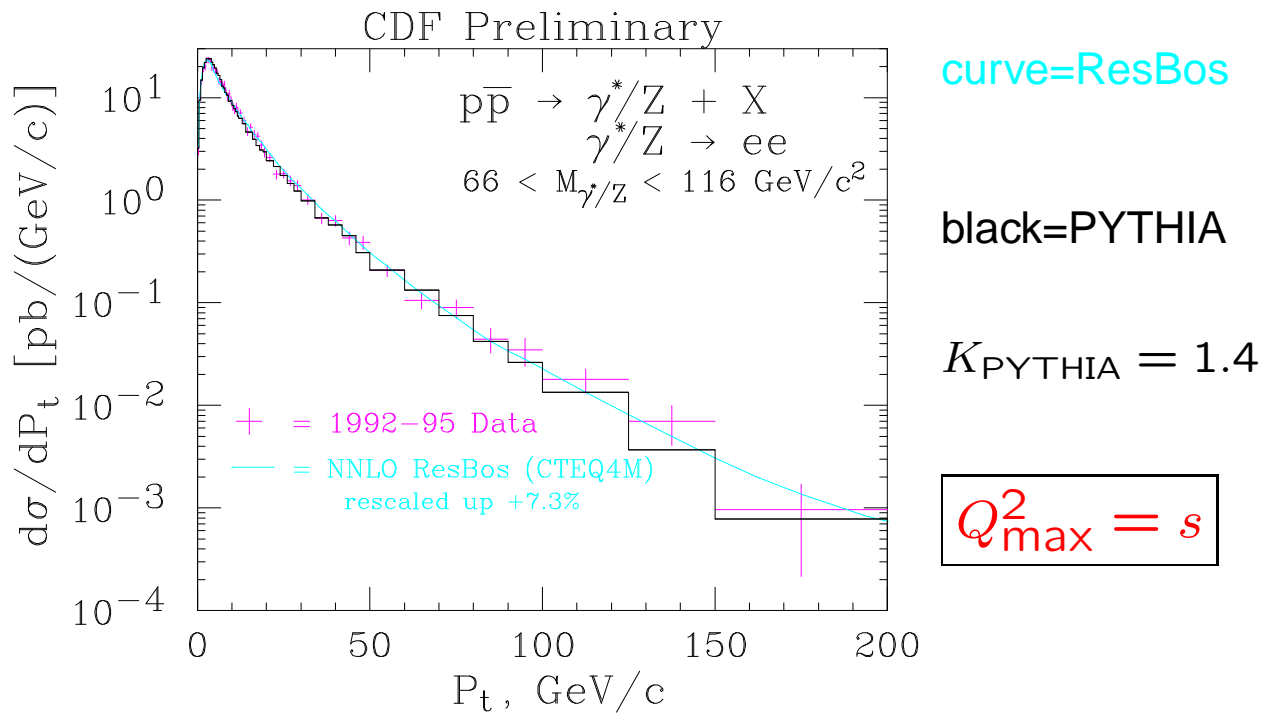
Merged with matrix elements for

$q\bar{q} \rightarrow (\gamma^*/Z^0/W^\pm)g$ and $qg \rightarrow (\gamma^*/Z^0/W^\pm)q'$:

(G. Miu & TS, PLB449 (1999) 313)

$$\left(\frac{W^{\text{ME}}}{W^{\text{PS}}}\right)_{q\bar{q}' \rightarrow gW} = \frac{\hat{t}^2 + \hat{u}^2 + 2m_W^2 \hat{s}}{\hat{s}^2 + m_W^4} \leq 1$$

$$\left(\frac{W^{\text{ME}}}{W^{\text{PS}}}\right)_{qg \rightarrow q'W} = \frac{\hat{s}^2 + \hat{u}^2 + 2m_W^2 \hat{t}}{(\hat{s} - m_W^2)^2 + m_W^4} < 3$$



C. Balázs, J. Huston and I. Puljak, PRD63 (2001) 014021

Problem: requires large primordial $k_{\perp} \approx 2 \text{ GeV}$
 \Rightarrow need BFKL/CCFM non-ordered evolution ?

Modified algorithm also affects other processes

- prefer $Q_{\text{max}}^2 = s$ where no doublecounting
 \Rightarrow more radiation at large p_{\perp}
- require $\hat{u} = Q^2 - \hat{s}(1 - z) < 0$ in branchings
 \Rightarrow fewer but harder emissions

Similarly for Higgs production in $m_t \rightarrow \infty$ limit:

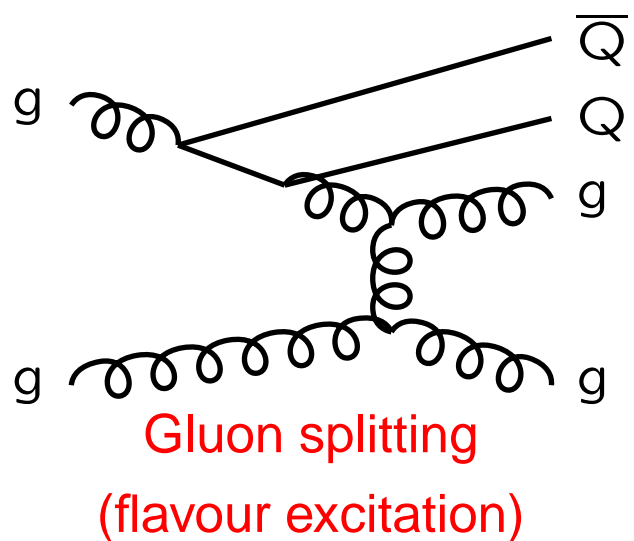
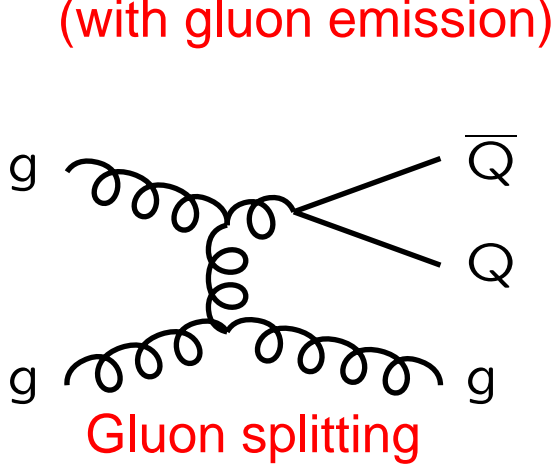
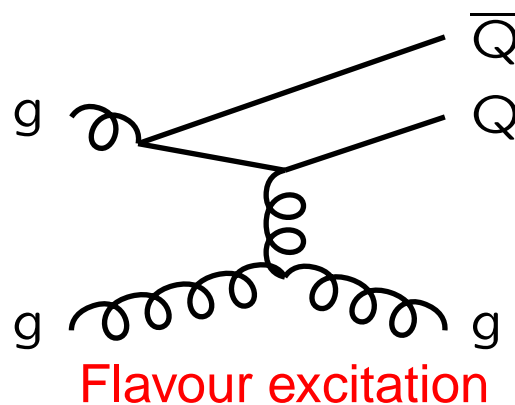
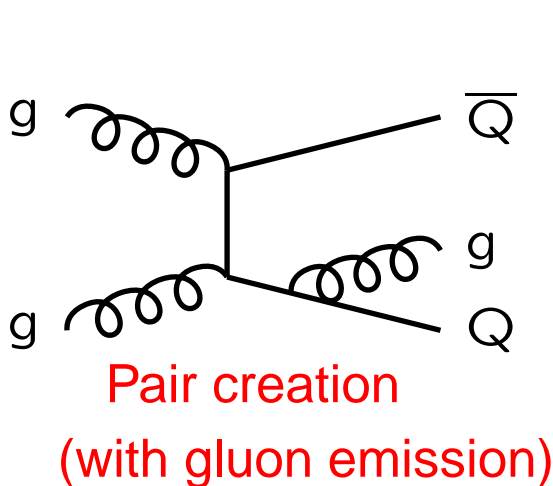
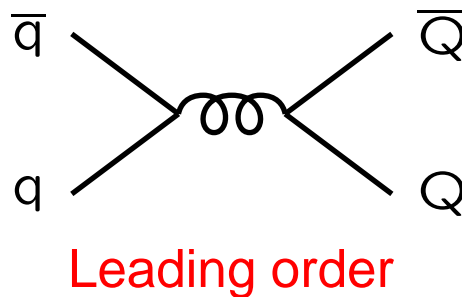
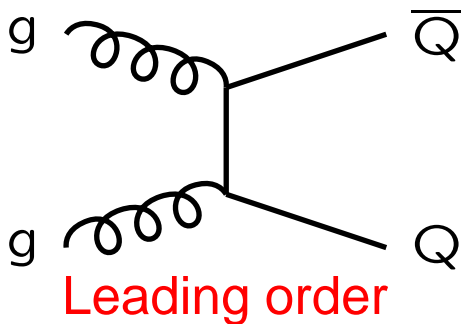
- $gg \rightarrow gh^0$ and $qg \rightarrow qh^0$ simple
- $q\bar{q} \rightarrow gh^0$ nonsingular & small \Rightarrow add

Challenges:

- gauge boson pairs (S. Burby)
- QCD $2 \rightarrow 2$ with ISR+FSR+interference

Production graphs

Examples of $Q = c/b$ production diagrams, *not* exhaustive:



PS approach to heavy quarks

3 main sources (arbitrary names):

1) pair creation:

based on $gg \rightarrow Q\bar{Q}$ and $q\bar{q} \rightarrow Q\bar{Q}$ with masses
+ additional showering

2) flavour excitation:

based on c and b content of standard PDF's

+ $Qg \rightarrow Qg$ and $Qq \rightarrow Qq$ ME's;

massive kinematics but massless ME's;

with $Q^2 > m_Q^2$ (so PDF > 0) and $Q_i^2 < Q^2$;

$g \rightarrow b\bar{b}$ by backwards evolution (improved)

$\approx t$ -channel graph of $gg \rightarrow Q\bar{Q}$

3) gluon splitting:

ordinary $2 \rightarrow 2$ processes, e.g. $gg \rightarrow gg$

+ $g \rightarrow Q\bar{Q}$ branching with threshold

$$\sqrt{1 - 4m_Q^2/m_g^2} (1 + 2m_Q^2/m_g^2)$$

$\approx s$ -channel graphs of $gg, q\bar{q} \rightarrow Q\bar{Q}$

Avoid doublecounting:

$$\text{for } 2 \rightarrow 2: Q^2 = \hat{p}_\perp^2 + (m_3^2 + m_4^2)/2 \quad (\Rightarrow \hat{s} \gtrsim 4Q^2)$$

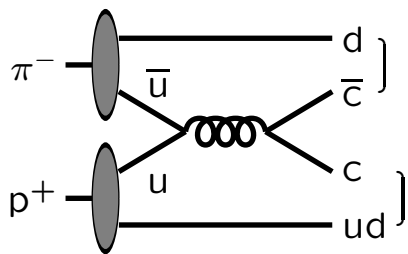
$$\text{for FSR: } Q_{\max}^2 = m_{\max}^2 = 4Q^2$$

$$\text{for ISR: } Q_{\max}^2 = Q^2$$

Beam Remnant Physics

Strings normally 'large' mass, but at times small because of beam remnant structure or by $g \rightarrow q\bar{q}$ in shower. Thus three hadronization mechanisms (regions):

1. Normal string fragmentation:
continuum of phase-space states.
2. Cluster decay:
low mass \Rightarrow exclusive two-body state.
3. Cluster collapse:
very low mass \Rightarrow only one hadron.



If collapse:

$\bar{c}d$: D^- , D^{*-} , ...

cud : Λ_c^+ , Σ_c^+ , Σ_c^{*+} , ...

\Rightarrow flavour asymmetries

Can give D "drag" to larger x_F than c quark.

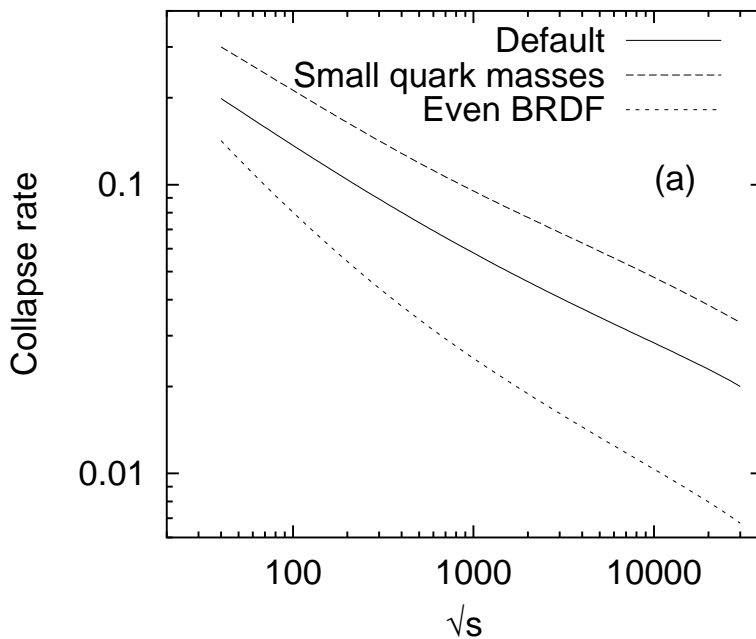
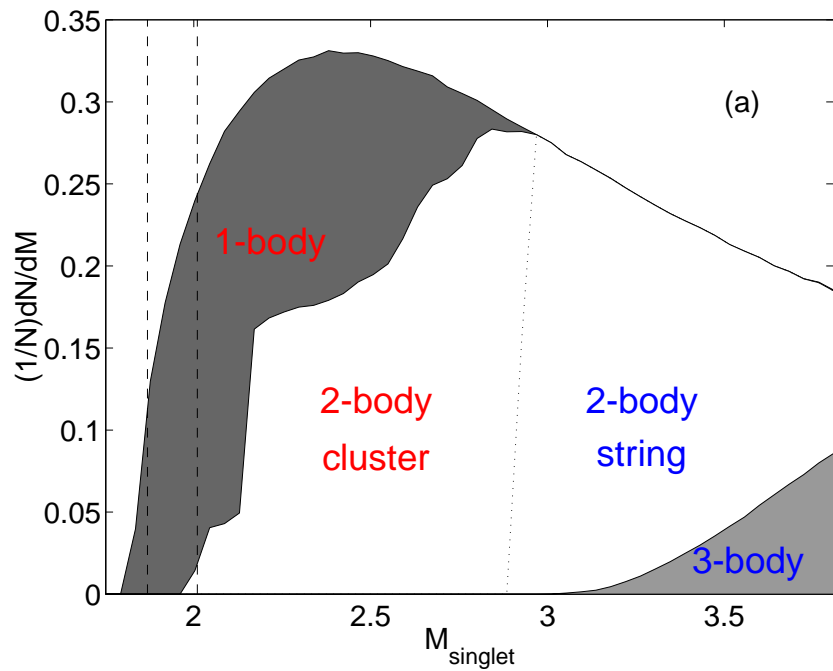
PYTHIA *pre*dicted qualitative behaviour.

Quantitative one sensitive to details

\Rightarrow develop model & tune

Improved description of when collapse occurs
 (mass spectrum \Leftarrow constituent quark masses)

example:
 charm
 string
 in πp
 collision



charm string
 collapse rate
 in pp collisions

(variations)

and

1-body collapse: energy-momentum shuffling
 2-body decay: smoother joining to string
 picture (matched anisotropic decay)

But also normal string fragmentation:

$$\bar{c} \longleftarrow \longrightarrow d \quad \longrightarrow z$$

$$p_{\pm} = E \pm p_z$$

$$p_{-D} = zp_{-c} \quad 0 < z < 1$$

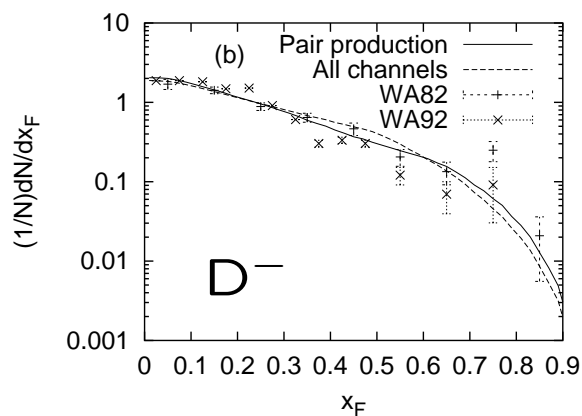
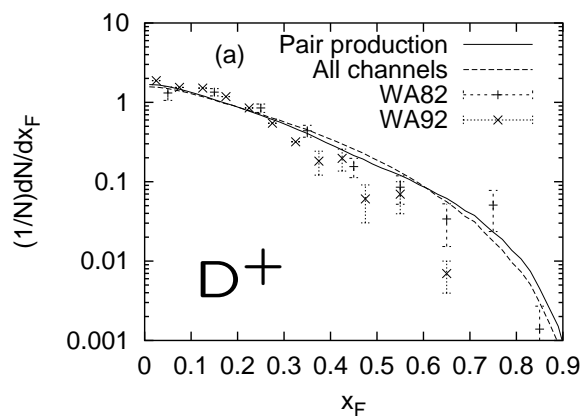
$$\Rightarrow p_{+D} = \frac{m_{\perp D}^2}{p_{-D}} = \frac{m_{\perp D}^2}{zp_{-c}} \text{ normally } > \frac{m_{\perp c}^2}{zp_{-c}} = \frac{p_{+c}}{z}$$

i.e. again drag.

Technical components of modelling:

- Charm and bottom masses: c and b cross sections ($m_c = 1.5$, $m_b = 4.8$)
- Light-quark masses: threshold for cluster mass spectrum, together with m_c ($m_u = m_d = 0.33$, $m_s = 0.50$)
- Beam remnant distribution function: ($p - g = ud_0 + u$ in colour octet state) hadron asymmetries also without collapse (uneven sharing, but not extremely so)
- Primordial k_{\perp} : collapse rate at large p_{\perp} (Gaussian width 1 GeV)
- Threshold behaviour for non-collapse: all at $D\pi$ or gradually at $D\pi$, $D^*\pi$, $D\rho$, ...
- Collapse energy–momentum conservation: practical solution to mass δ function (several models tried; not very sensitive)

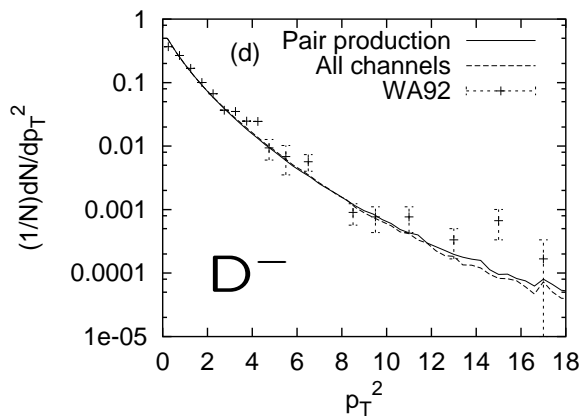
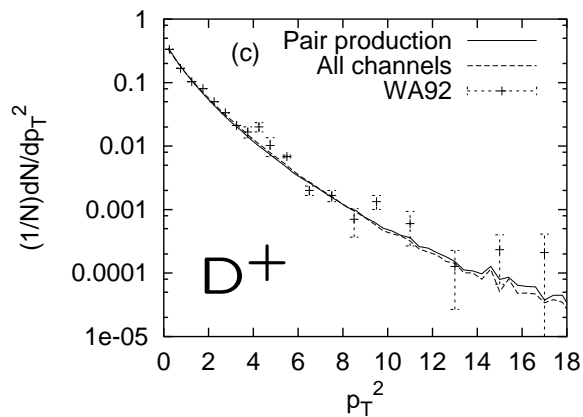
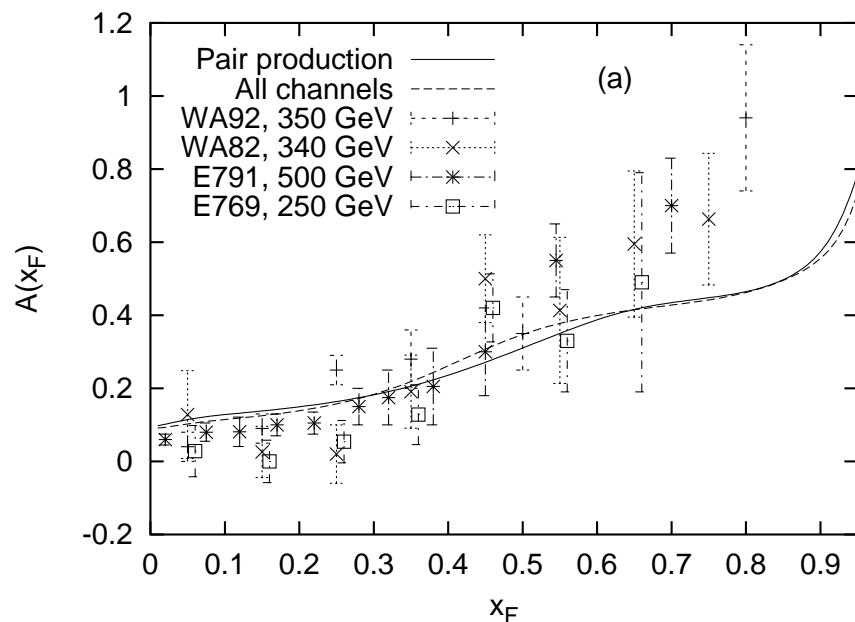
Asymmetries and correlations



$$A(x_F) =$$

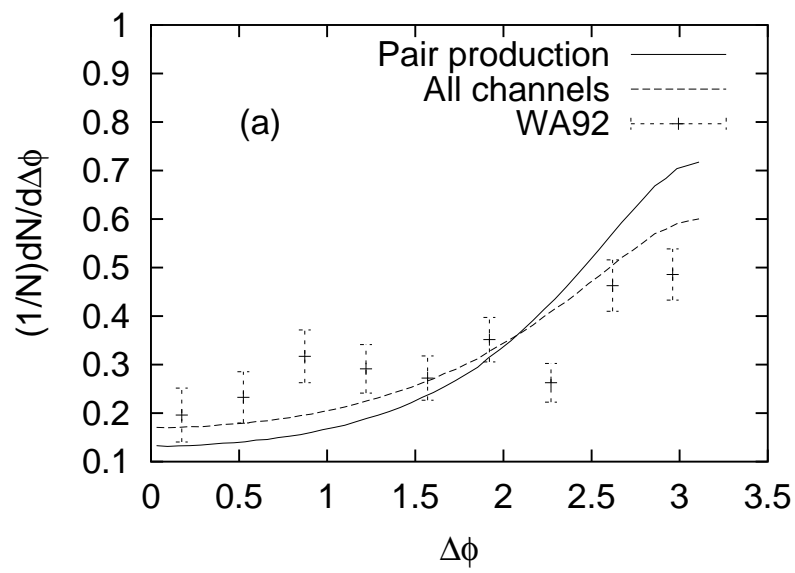
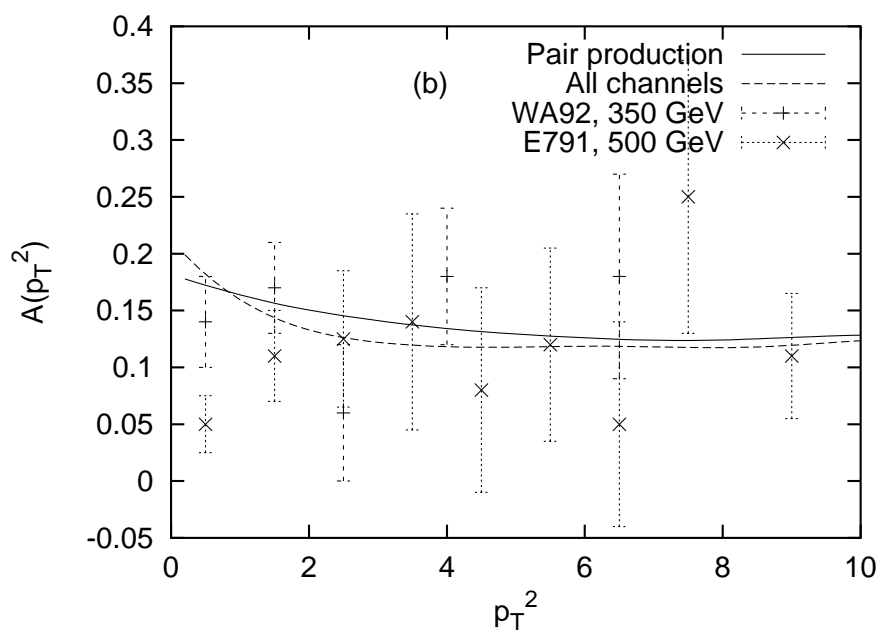
$$\frac{\#D^- - \#D^+}{\#D^- + \#D^+}$$

in π^-p

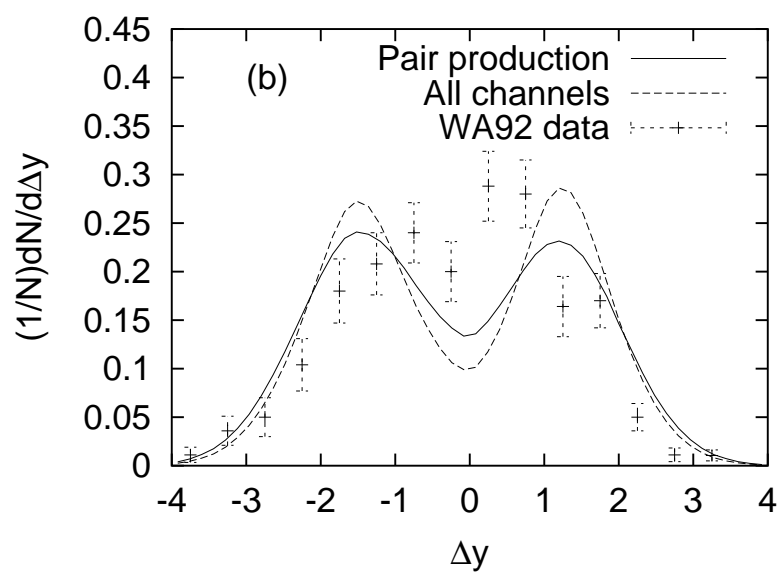


$$A(p_{\perp}) = \frac{\#D^- - \#D^+}{\#D^- + \#D^+}$$

in $\pi^- p$



ϕ correlations improved ...



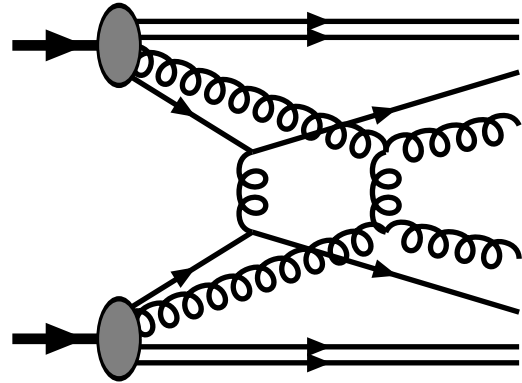
... but y correlations worsened

Multiple Interactions

(TS & M. van Zijl, PRD36 (1987) 2019,

J. Dischler & TS, EPJdir C2 (2001) 1)

Consequence of composite nature of hadrons:



Evidence:

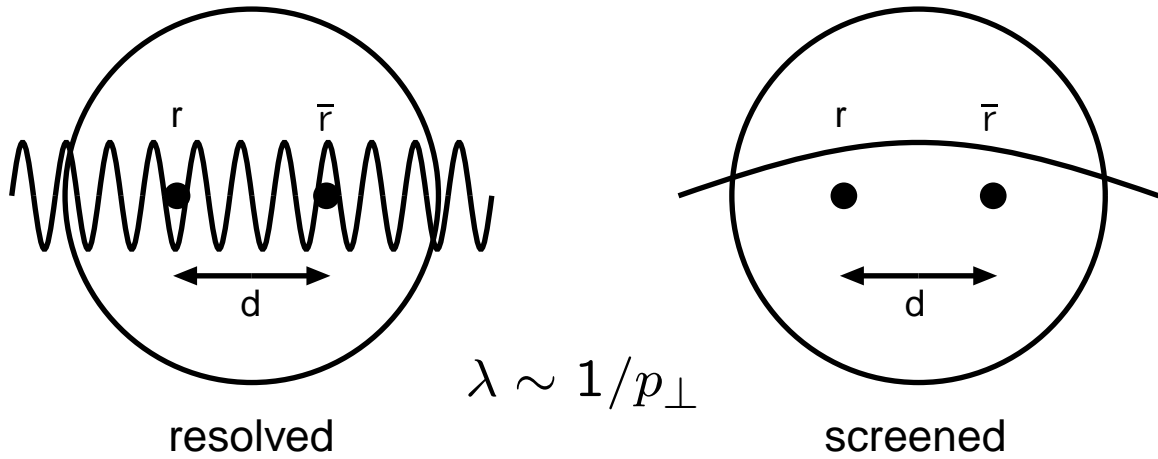
- direct observation: AFS, UA1, CDF
- implied by width of multiplicity distribution + jet universality: UA5
- forward–backward correlations: UA5
- pedestal effect: UA1, H1

One new free parameter: $p_{\perp \min}$

$$\frac{1}{2}\sigma_{\text{jet}} = \int_{p_{\perp \min}^2}^{s/4} \frac{d\sigma}{dp_{\perp}^2} dp_{\perp}^2$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \int_0^{s/4} \frac{d\sigma}{dp_{\perp}^2} \frac{p_{\perp}^4}{(p_{\perp 0}^2 + p_{\perp}^2)^2} dp_{\perp}^2$$

Measure of d (or r_s) screening length d in hadron



$$\langle d \rangle \sim \frac{r_p}{\sqrt{N_{\text{partons}}}} \quad \text{no correlations}$$

$$\sim \frac{r_p}{N_{\text{partons}}} \quad \text{with correlations?}$$

$$N_{\text{partons}} \sim N_g = \int_{\sim 4p_{\perp \text{min}}^2/s}^1 g(x, \sim p_{\perp \text{min}}^2) dx$$

Olden days:

$$xg(x, Q_0^2) \rightarrow \text{const. for } x \rightarrow 0$$

$$\Rightarrow N_{\text{partons}} \sim \ln \frac{s}{4p_{\perp \text{min}}^2} \sim \text{const.}$$

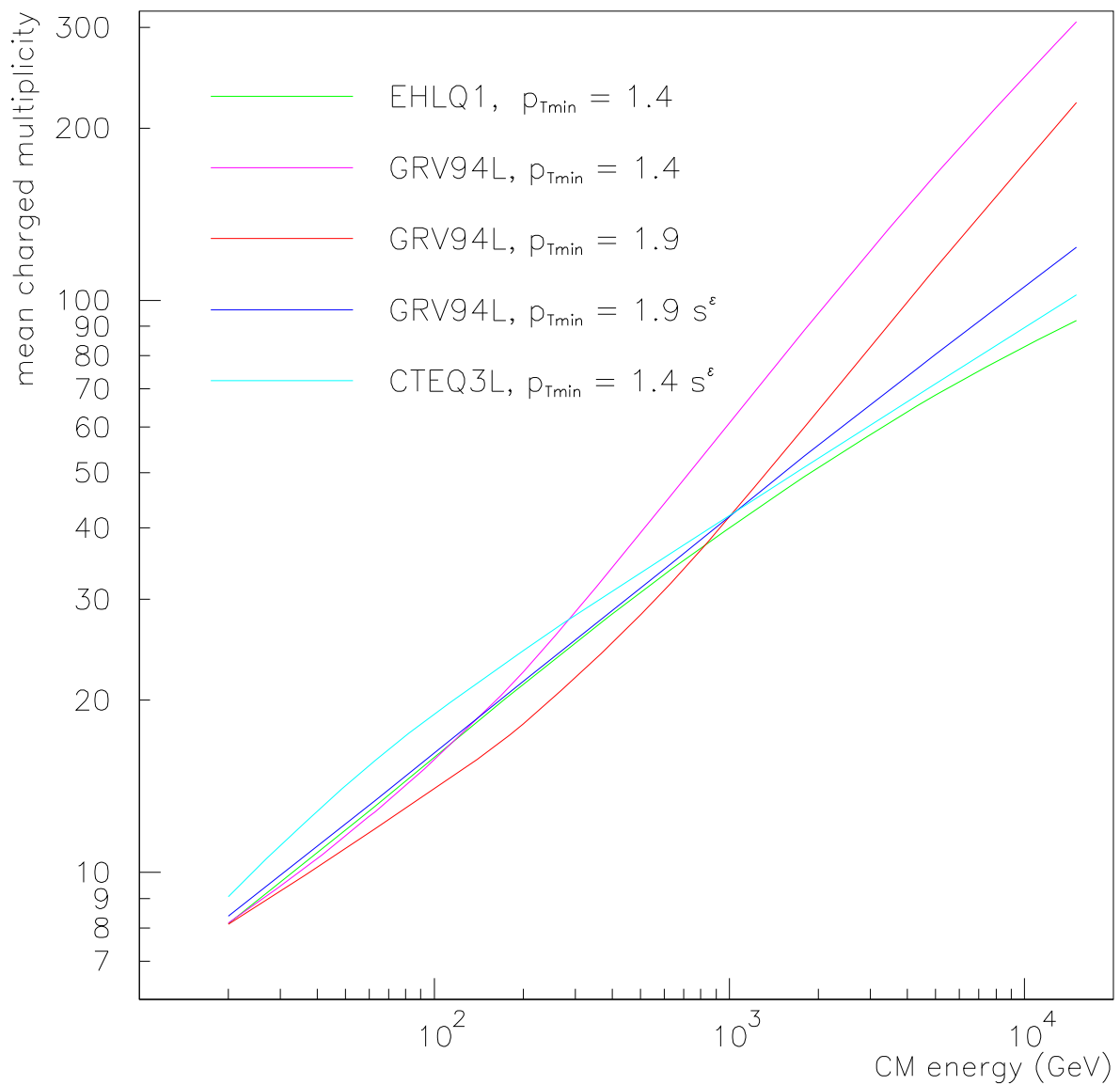
Post-HERA:

$$xg(x, Q_0^2) \sim x^{-\epsilon} \text{ for } x \rightarrow 0, \quad \epsilon \gtrsim 0.08$$

$$\Rightarrow N_{\text{partons}} \sim \left(\frac{s}{4p_{\perp \text{min}}^2} \right)^{\epsilon}$$

$$\Rightarrow p_{\perp \text{min}} \sim \frac{1}{\langle d \rangle} \sim N_{\text{partons}} \sim s^{\epsilon}$$

Mean charged multiplicity in inelastic non-diffractive 'minimum bias':



'New' PYTHIA default:

$$p_{\perp min} = (1.9 \text{ GeV}) \left(\frac{s}{1 \text{ TeV}^2} \right)^{0.08}$$

Importance:

- comparison of data at 630 GeV & 1.8 TeV
- extrapolations to LHC

Summary

- PYTHIA evolving – do not use old versions!
- Test photoproduction/DIS transition region.
- Many ongoing efforts to improve showers.
Objective not NLO but good description.
Merging: “NLO ME” \Rightarrow shower smoothly;
applicable to ISR and FSR alike.
- Heavy flavour production/hadronization
understood in pp?
Perturbative by non-overlapping
LO + flavour excitation + gluon splitting.
Combined with string hadronization;
small string = cluster, with special treatment
- Multiple interactions getting to be orthodoxy!
CDF: min bias & underlying event agree.
Varying impact parameter \Rightarrow “hot spots”.