Top and QCD at the Tevatron



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 Photon+HF production
 - Energy scan
- □ Summary & Remarks



The Fermilab Tevatron

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The Fermilab Tevatron



Run II at the Tevatron

- □ Proton-antiproton collisions at 1.96 TeV
- March 2001 September 2011
- □ Peak luminosity 4.3 x 10³² cm⁻²s⁻¹
- □ Delivered integrated luminosity ~12 fb⁻¹



Up to about 10 fb⁻¹ of data are available for each experiment



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The CDF and D0 Experiments





The data-taking efficiency for both experiments was high (> 90%)

Top Quark Physics

Why Study Top at the Tevatron?

- Predicted by the SM and discovered
 by CDF&D0 in 1995
- □ Very unique:
 - $\blacksquare m_t \sim 170 \text{ GeV vs } m_b \sim 5 \text{ GeV}$
 - **Top-Higgs Yukawa coupling** $\lambda_t \approx 1$
 - may help identify the mechanism of EWSB and mass generation.
 - may serve as a window to new physics that couple preferentially to top.
- □ Successful Tevatron top quark program
 - Only place we could study the top quark until 2010
 - High precision measurements of top quark mass, top pair production cross section, decay properties
 - Basic properties/kinematics still not known precisely: forwardbackward asymmetry, spin, width. charge, lifetime, etc



Top Quark Production at the Tevatron

Top quark is mainly produced in pairs (~7 pb)



■ Can be also produced singly (~ 3pb). Single top quark production discussed later. According to SM: $\Gamma(t \rightarrow Wb) \sim 100\%$



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Ttbar Cross Section Measurements

- □ Ttbar cross section prediction computed at NNLO+NNLL accuracy $\sigma_{t\bar{t}} = 7.24^{+0.15}_{-0.24}(\text{scale})^{+0.18}_{-0.12}(\text{PDF})[\text{pb}]$ depends on its mass (~3%/GeV)
- □ Measurement basics:

$$\sigma = \frac{N_{\text{data}} - N_{\text{BG}}}{\mathcal{BR} \cdot \mathcal{A} \cdot \mathcal{L}}$$

- L(σ) = P(N_{data}, N_{pred}) maximized w.r.t. σ where P(x,μ) is the Poission probability dist.
- Fit a predicted binned distribution to data
- Actual likelihood is more complicated due to systematics





Ttbar Cross Section Measurements

- The first measurements with the complete Tevatron dataset have started coming
- Measurements consistent amongst various channels
- Limitation from systematic uncertainties (JES, b-tag, W+jets)



 $p\overline{p} \rightarrow t\overline{t}$ cross section (pb) at \sqrt{s} =1.96 TeV

Combination:

 $\sigma(p\bar{p} \rightarrow t\bar{t} @ 1.96 \text{TeV}) = 7.65 \pm 0.20 \text{(stat)} \pm 0.29 \text{(syst)} \pm 0.22 \text{(lumi)pb}$

reaching to the NNLO prediction accurancy

$$\begin{split} \text{NNLO+NNLL:} \ \sigma(p\bar{p} \rightarrow t\bar{t}) = 7.24^{+0.15}_{-0.24}(\text{scale})^{+0.18}_{-0.12}(\text{PDF})[\text{pb}] \\ \text{(Barneruther, Czakon, Mitov)} \end{split}$$



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Top Quark Mass in the l+jets Channel

- □ Top mass close to the scale of EWSB
 - Special role in EWSB?
- Huge mass gives importance to QCD corrections for top quark

... M_{top} with M_{higgs} & M_W provides a fundamental tests of SM

- □ Measurement uses a "template" method:
 - m_t^{reco} from a kinematic fitter:

$$\chi^{2} = \Sigma_{i=\ell,4jets} \frac{(p_{T}^{i,fit} - p_{T}^{i,meas})^{2}}{\sigma_{i}^{2}} + \Sigma_{j=x,y} \frac{(U_{j}^{fit} - U_{j}^{meas})^{2}}{\sigma_{j}^{2}} + \frac{(M_{jj} - M_{W})^{2}}{\Gamma_{W}^{2}} + \frac{(M_{\ell\nu} - M_{W})^{2}}{\Gamma_{W}^{2}} + \frac{(M_{bjj} - m_{t}^{\text{reco}})^{2}}{\Gamma_{t}^{2}} + \frac{(M_{b\ell\nu} - m_{t}^{\text{reco}})^{2}}{\Gamma_{t}^{2}}$$

$$\label{eq:constraint} \begin{array}{|c|c|c|} \hline & Three \ M_{top} \ sensitive \ variables: \\ m_t^{\ reco}, \ m_t^{\ reco(2)}, \ m_{jj} \\ \hline & Mapped \ to \ M_{top} \ and \ \Delta JES \ by \ a \ likelihood \ fit \ \& \\ signal \ (bkg) \ probability \\ density \ function \\ \hline & & \\ \hline \hline & & \\ \hline & & \\ \hline \hline \\ \hline & & \\ \hline \hline & & \\ \hline \hline \\ \hline \hline & & \\ \hline \hline \hline \\ \hline \hline \\ \hline \hline \hline \\ \hline \hline \hline \\ \hline \hline \hline \hline \\ \hline \hline \hline$$











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Top Quark Mass in Dilepton Channel



- Based on neutrino weighting technique (matrix element method)
- □ Jet calibration (& JES systematic reduction) is achieved by using the energy scale derived from in lepton+jets measurements: $k_{JES} = 1.013 \pm 0.008$ (stat)
- Neutrino weighting technique
 - The kinematics underconstrained due to two neutrinos
 - Probability density function depends on η of neutrinos

$$\mathcal{W} \propto \int \mathcal{P}(\eta_1 | m_t) \mathcal{P}(\eta_2 | m_t) \rho_{\eta 1} \rho_{\eta 2} d\eta_1 d\eta_2$$

from MC ttbar events resolution factors



Binned likelihood fit is used for final mass determination Combined with other 1fb⁻¹ dataset (total 5.3 fb⁻¹)

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Top Quark Mass Combination



250 Events

200

150

100

50

Do tops have a preference to travel along the proton or antiproton direction?

- Measure "asymmetry" in Δy $A_{\rm FB} = \frac{N(\Delta y > 0) - N(\Delta y < 0)}{N(\Delta y > 0) + N(\Delta y < 0)}$
- Leading-order: П SM predicts no asymmetry
- Next-to-leading-order: small positive asymmetry $A_{\rm FB} = 6.6\%$

POWHEG: JHEP 0709, 126 (2007) EW Corrections: Phys. Rev. D 84, 093003 (2011) JHEP 1201, 063 (2012); arXiv:1201.3926 [hep-ph]

- BSM ideas:
 - Massive chiral color octets, RS gluon, W', Z', etc







Δy

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+Jets Data









<u>dσ</u> (pb) Measurement based on 8.7 fb⁻¹ of A_{FB} = 0.162 \pm 0.047 NLO (QCD+EW) tt l + MET + >=4jets + btag events $A_{FB} = 0.066$ 2498 events, $bkg = 505 \pm 123$ Full ttbar reconstruction M_W , M_{top} constraints, best χ^2 0.5 -0.5 0.5 -1 0 1.5 Parton Level Δy Differential xsec in Δy CDF dil (5.1 fb⁻¹) Unfolded to the parton level D0 l+j (5.4 fb⁻¹) **Integrated AFB:** $A_{FB} = 18.7 \pm 3.7\%$ $A_{\rm FB}$ (measured) = $(16.2 \pm 4.7)\%$ CDF I+j (8.7 fb⁻¹) (Amidei 12) NLO QCD+EWK 10 20 30 40 50 0 60 A_{FB} (%)

A_{FB}: Δy & Pt (ttbar) Dependence

Rapidity dependence

$$A_{FB}(|\Delta y|) = \frac{N(|\Delta y|) - N(-|\Delta y|)}{N(|\Delta y|) + N(-|\Delta y|)}$$

Line fit measures correlated significance:

slope > 3σ from 0 (2.4 σ from SM)

- Pt(ttbar) dependence
 - Due to color coherence
 - Noted first by a D0 study [PRD 84, 112005 (2011)]
 - The "trend" is as expected
 - Data above predictions
- □ Other studies:
 - Lepton asymmetries, lepton-top asymmetry ratio, etc
 - A_c measurement at the LHC



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CDF Run II Preliminary L = 8.7 fb⁻¹

Single Top Quark Production









s-channel production

t-channel production

Associated Wt production

	tb [pb]	tqb [pb]	tW [pb]	
Tevatron (1.96 TeV)	1.04 x4.4	2.26 x28	0.3 x26	PRD 74, 114012 (2006) PRD 81, 054028 (2010) PRD 83, 091503 (2011)
LHC (7 TeV)	¥ 4.59	• 64.2	7.8	

- □ Motivation:
 - Direct measurement of CKM matrix element $|V_{tb}|$ ($\sigma_{s+t} \sim |V_{tb}|^2$)
 - Sensitive to New Physics (FCNC, W'...) and CP violation
 - Additional channel for top quark properties study
- □ Experimental challenge:
 - Extract small signal out of a large background with large uncertainty

Observation by D0 & CDF



Observed by CDF and D0 in 2009
 CDF: <u>PRL 101, 252001</u>
 D0: <u>PRL103, 092001</u>



- CDF: Four multivariate analyses in lepton+jets with 3.2fb⁻¹ data.
- CDF: MET+Jets with 2.1fb⁻¹ data
- D0: Three multivariate analysis in lepton+jets with 2.3fb⁻¹ data.





CDF Conf. Note 10793, PRD 84, 112001 (2011, D0)



Recent Analyses in Lepton+Jets

- **D0** with 5.4 fb⁻¹:
 - three multivariate (MVA) methods to extract signal: Boosted decision tree, neural network, neuro-evolution of augmented topologies
- **CDF** with 7.5 fb⁻¹:
 - neural network discriminant
 - High quality, high P_T isolated track:
 ~15% gain in single top acceptance
- Measured cross section:
 - $\sigma_{s+t} = 3.43 + 0.73 0.74 \text{ pb}$ (D0)
 - σ_{s+t} = 3.04 +0.57-0.53 pb (CDF)
- \Box Limits on $|V_{tb}|$
 - |V_{tb}| > 0.79 at 95% CL (D0)
 - |V_{tb}| > 0.79 at 95% CL (CDF)



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New physics may affect s- and t-channels differently Remove the s/t channel constraint



QCD Physcis

Jet Production at the Tevatron





and α_s . Study/test matrix element calculations.

- Underlying event makes the measurement complicated
 - Good place to study nature of underlying event



Inclusive Jet Cross Section





- □ Test pQCD over 8 order of magnitude in $d\sigma^2/dp_T dy$
- $\Box \quad \text{Highest } p_T^{\text{jet}} > 600 \text{ GeV/c}$

Inclusive Jet Cross Section

- Both CDF and D0 measurements are in agreement with NLO predictions
 - Both in favor of somewhat softer gluons at high-x
- Experimental uncertainties:
 smaller than PDF uncertainties









PDF with Tevatron Run II Jet Data





Tevatron Run II data lead to softer high-x gluons (more consistent with DIS data than Run I) and help reducing uncertainties PRD 79, 112002 (CDF), PRL 103, 191803 (D0

Dijet Mass & Angular Distributions

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Angular Correlations of Jets



- Observable: R_{∆R} average number of neighboring jets for jets from an inclusive jets sample
- It depends on three variables
 - inclusive jet p_T
 - distance ΔR to neighbor jet in (Δφ, Δy)
 - neighbor jet p_T^{nbr}min</sub> requirement
- Sensitive to strong coupling constant

Average number of neighboring jets within ΔR to an inclusive jet



- □ Uncertainties 2-5%!
- Dependence of $R_{\Delta R}$ on $(p_T, \Delta R, p_T^{nbr})$ described by pQCD

arXiv:1207.4957, Accepted by PLB Running of Strong Coupling Constant

- $\square \quad \text{Extract } \alpha_{s} \text{ from } R_{\Delta R}$ measurement
 - $p_T^{nbr}_{min} >= 50, 70, 90 \text{ GeV}$
 - At each p_T, combine all data points with different p_T^{nbr}_{min} and ΔR requirements
- α_s(p_T) measurement up to 400
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 $\alpha_{s}(p_{T})$ decreases with p_{T} as predicted by the RGE

Consistent with other results from jet and event shape data

Extract α_s from R_{AR} measurement

- $p_{T}^{nbr}_{min} >= 50, 70, 90 \text{ GeV}$
- At each p_{T} , combine all data points with different $p_{T}^{nbr}_{min}$ and ΔR $/ \alpha_{s}(Q)$ requirements
- $\alpha_{s}(p_{T})$ measurement up to 400 GeV!









PLB 705, 200 (2011), arXiv:1207.4957, Accepted by PLB

W+Jets/HF Production

- Fundamental test of pQCD, at high momentum scales.
- W+jets are critical for physics at the Tevatron and LHC: top, Higgs, SUSY, and other BSM
 - Large theory uncertainties (30%-40%) on W+HF production limits our physics potentials

W+b+X

 $\sigma(W+b)\cdot \mathcal{B}(W\to \mu\nu) =$

 $1.04 \pm 0.05 \,(\text{stat.}) \pm 0.12 \,(\text{syst.}) \,\text{pb.}$

Theory (MCFM):

 $1.34^{+0.40}_{-0.33}$ (scale) ± 0.06 (PDF) $^{+0.09}_{-0.05}$ (m_b)pb

Sharpa: 1.21, Madgraph5: 1.52 (pb)





Z+Jets



Motivation:

- □ Fundamental test of pQCD, at high momentum scales.
- Background for rare SM processes (top, diboson) and BSM searches

Measurement:

□ Full dataset 9.6 fb⁻¹. Z→ll, l=e, μ .

Theory for comparisons:

- □ MCFM&BLACKHAT+SHERPA: NLO pQCD
- □ ALPGEN+PYTHIA: Matched LO-ME+PS
- D POWHEP+PYTHIA: Merged NLO+PS
- □ LOOPSIM+MCFM: Approximate nNLO
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CDF Run II Preliminary



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□ Blackhat+Sherpa NLO for Z+3jets!

□ LOOPSIM+MCFM scale variation lower than experimental uncertainty



CDF Conf. Note 10594, CDF Conf. Note 10818

dơ/dE⁷ (pb/GeV)

10⁻²

 10^{-3}

50

100

Z/γ+HF Production

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Systematic uncertainty NLO (Stavreva, Owens)

200

250

300

PYTHIA, mstj(42)=4, mstj(44)=3

CDF y+jets data, L=9.1 fb⁻¹

PYTHIA

150

– γ+b+X





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Higher order effects? Gluon splitting? Intrinsic HF?

http://www-cdf.fnal.gov/physics/new/gcd/ue_escan/escan/index.html

Energy Scan and Underlying Event (UE) 2π **Away Region** PTmax Direction Just before the shutdown, Tevatron delivered small amount (a few 10 M ΔΦ Transverse Region of events) of data at 300 & 900 GeV "Toward" Transverse region sensitive to UE Leading φ Jet 'Transverse' "Transverse "Transverse" Charged Particle Density: dN/dndo **Toward Region** 0.9 "Away" Transverse **CDF** Preliminary 1.96 TeV Region 'Transverse" Charged Density **Corrected Data** Tune Z1 Generator Leve 0.6 Away Region 900 GeV +1 Transverse plane



Measurements will allow for

- Deeper understanding of MPI
- More precise prediction to П projections to next LHC energies



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Summary



Tremendous effort has been made to advance understanding of top quark and QCD at the Tevatron

- Data taking ended last fall, but still analyses with full dataset are ongoing
- Many areas of studies are competitive and complimentary to results from the LHC
- Ttbar x-section, top quark mass are measured to 5%, 1% accuracy. AFB is rather unique at the Tevatron.
- Tevatron QCD measurements provide important inputs/feedback for PDF determination, QCD modeling, and MC tuning

More results on top and QCD physics from Tevatron can be found on:

- http://www-cdf.fnal.gov/physics/new/top/top.html
- http://www-d0.fnal.gov/Run2Physics/top/
- http://www-cdf.fnal.gov/physics/new/qcd/QCD.html
- http://www-d0.fnal.gov/Run2Physics/qcd/

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Backup

Spin Correlation



- Top pairs are produced with a definite spin state depending on production mechanism:
 - Quark-Antiquark Annihilation (~85%): Spin 1
 - Gluon Fusion (~15%): Spin 0

□ Top decays before hadronization (only known quark to do so!)

- Spin information passed to decay products the correlated spins can be measured from decay product angular distributions
- □ Correlation strength (frame dependent!) is defined as:

$$A = \frac{N_{\uparrow\uparrow} + N_{\downarrow\downarrow} - N_{\uparrow\downarrow} - N_{\downarrow\uparrow}}{N_{\uparrow\uparrow} + N_{\downarrow\downarrow} + N_{\uparrow\downarrow} + N_{\downarrow\uparrow}}$$

Theory prediction: $A_{beam}^{SM} = 0.78^{+0.03}_{-0.04}$ (Nucl. Phys. B 690, 81(2004))

Spin Correlation

N_{events}/bin

140

120

100

80

60

40

20

Data

Other

0.4

W+iets

Multijet

0.45

0.5

- New matrix element approach
 - Significantly increased sensitivity
 - Likelihood fit based on probabilities that events are signal events and do (or do not) contain SM spin correlation
- 3 sigma evidence for spin correlations!

$$A = 0.66 \pm 0.23 (\text{stat.} \oplus \text{syst.})$$



0.55

0.6 R







epton+Jets from 5.4 fb⁻¹: D0

- Use three multivariate (MVA) methods to extract signal:
 - Boosted decision tree, neural network, neuro-evolution of augmented topologies
- □ Six analysis channels:
 - 2, 3 or 4 jets with 1 or 2 b-tags
- Cross section measured using Bayesian approach
 - Posterior density peak for x-section, with 68% interval as uncertainty.
- □ Since $\sigma_{s+t} \propto |V_{tb}|^2$, directly measure $|V_{tb}|$ from σ_{s+t} posterior
 - Assuming $|V_{td}|^2 + |V_{ts}|^2 \ll |V_{tb}|^2$
 - Pure V-A and CP conserving W_{tb} vertex







Lepton+Jets from 7.5 fb⁻¹: CDF

- Use a neural network discriminant
- □ Add new lepton category: ISOTRK
 - High quality, high PT isolated track: ~15% gain in single top acceptance
- POWHEP for signal modeling
- □ Assuming mtop = $172.5 \text{ Gev}/c^2$,
 - Measured cross section:

σ_{s+t} = 3.04 +0.57-0.53 pb

- From the cross section posterior set limit: |V_{tb}| > 0.78 at 95% CL
- Extracted |V_{tb}| = 0.92 +0.10-0.08 (stat.+sys.) ± 0.05(theory)



CDF Conf. Note 10793

Jet Production and Measuremnt



Jet Algorithms

Cone jet

K_T jet

Two main categories of jet algorithms

Cone Algorithms

- E.g. Midpoint Algo.: Extensive use at Tevatron in Run II (as suggested in Run II workshop in 1999, hep-ex/0005012)
- Cluster objects based on their proximity in $y(\eta)$ - ϕ space
- Identify "stable" cones (kinematic direction = geometric center)
- Pros: simpler for underlying-event and pileup corrections Cons: infrared-unsafe in high order pQCD & overlapping stable cones.
- Successive Combination Algorithms
 - E.g. Kt Algorithm: Extensive use at HERA. A few Tevatron analyses.
 - Cluster objects based on a certain metric. Relative Kt for Kt algorithm.
 - Pros: Infrared-safe in all order of perturbative QCD calculations. Cons: Jet geometry can be complicated. Complex corrections.

A lot of developments in recent years.

- □ SISCone, Cambridge-Aachen, Anti-Kt, etc.
- Extensively studied in LHC experiments. Will benefit future studies.

Jet "Definitions" - Jet Algorithms

Midpoint cone-based algorithm

- □ Cluster objects based on their proximity in y-\u03c6 space
- Starting from seeds (calorimeter towers/particles above threshold), find stable cones

Infrared unsafety:

soft parton emission changes jet clustering

(kinematic centroid = geometric center).

- □ Seeds necessary for speed, however source of infrared unsafety.
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- □ Stable cones sometime overlap
 - \rightarrow merge cones when p_T overlap > 75%

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More advanced algorithm(s) available now, but negligible effects on this measurement.

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<u>k_T algorithm</u>

- Cluster objects in order of increasing their relative transverse momentum (k_T) $\Box \quad d_{ii} = p_{T,i}^{2}, \quad d_{ij} = \min(p_{T,i}^{2}, p_{T,j}^{2}) \frac{\Delta R}{D^{2}}^{2}$ until all objects become part of jets
 - D parameter controls merging termination and characterizes size of resulting jets

- collinear safe to all orders of QCD.
- Every object assigned to a jet: concerns about vacuuming up too many particles.
- Successful at LEP & HERA, but relatively new at the hadron colliders
 - □ More difficult environment (underlying event, multiple *pp* interactions...)

Jet Production at the Tevatron

 \Box Test pQCD at highest Q².

□ Unique sensitivity to new physics

- Compositeness, new massive particles, extra dimensions, ...
- Constrain PDFs (especially gluons at high-x)
- \Box Measure α_s

Inclusive Jet Cross Section

□ Test pQCD over 8 order of magnitude in do²/dp_Tdy

- $\Box \quad \text{Highest } p_T^{\text{jet}} > 600 \text{ GeV/c}$
- □ Jet energy scale (JES) is dominant uncertainty: CDF (2-3%), D0 (1-2%)
- □ Spectrum steeply falling: 1% JES error \rightarrow 5–10% (10–25%) central (forward) x-section

Inclusive Jets with Kt Algorithm

 Data/theory comparison consistent between measurements with cone and Kt algorithms and with different D values (jet sizes)

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From Particle to Parton Level

use models to study effects of non-perturbative processes (PYTHIA, HERWIG)

- hadronization correction
- underlying event correction

CDF study for cone R=0.7 for central jet cross section

Midpoint vs SIScone: hadron level

Differences between the currently-used Midpoint algorithm and the newly developed SIScone algorithm in MC at the hadron-level.

Midpoint vs SIScone: parton level

Differences between the currently-used Midpoint algorithm and the newly developed SIScone algorithm at the parton-level.

Differences < 1% \rightarrow negligible effects on data-NLO comparisons

Inclusive Jets: Cone vs Kt Algorithm

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PDF with Tevatron Run II Jet Data

- Tevatron Run II data lead to softer high-x gluons (more consistent with DIS data) and help reducing uncertainties
- MSTW08 does not include Tevatron Run 1 data any longer while CT09 (CTEQ TEA group) still does, which makes MSTW08 high-x even softer (consistent within uncertainty)

Strong Coupling Constant

$$\sigma_{jet} = (\sum_n \alpha_s^n \boldsymbol{c}_n) \otimes f_1(\alpha_s) \otimes f_2(\alpha_s)$$

- From 22 (out of 110) inclusive jet cross section data points at 50 < p_T < 145 GeV/c
- NLO + 2-loop threshold corrections
 MSTW2008NNLO PDFs
- · Extend HERA results to high p_T

3.5-4.1% precision

PRD 80, 111107 (2009)