



News from the W boson

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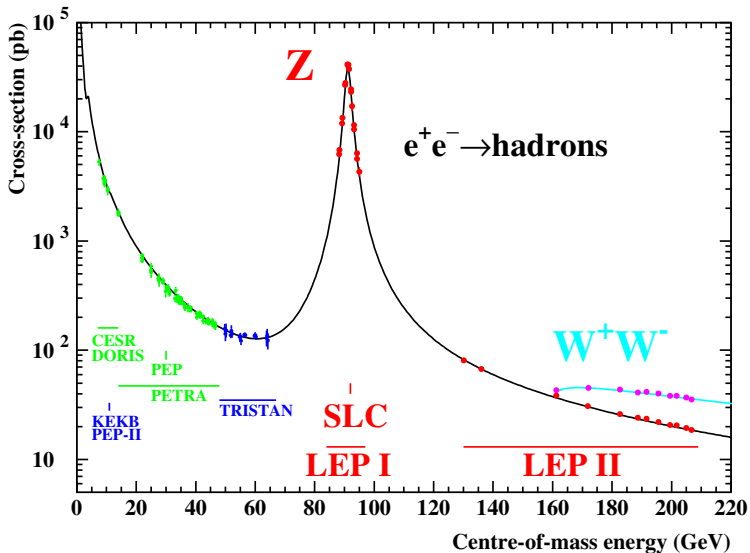
40 years since the discovery of the W and Z bosons



- ▶ Force carriers of the electro-weak interaction, acquire their mass from the interaction with the Higgs boson (that was only discovered ~ 30 years later)
- ▶ Discovered in $p\bar{p}$ collisions at CERN SPS

W and Z Physics

- ▶ Electroweak sector (almost) completely fixed with just three parameters, e.g. α , G_F , m_Z
- ▶ Dedicated $e^+e^- \rightarrow Z$ program at LEP (and SLAC) ~ 20 million Z bosons, but only few W bosons

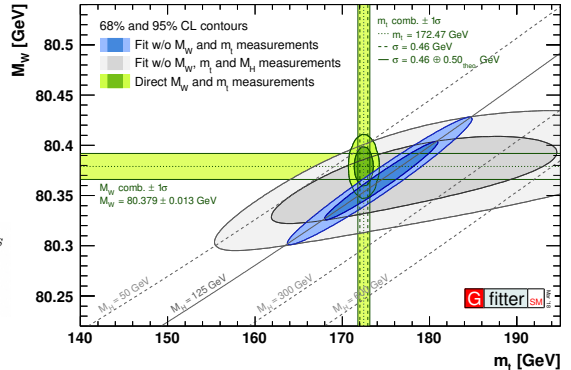
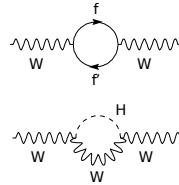


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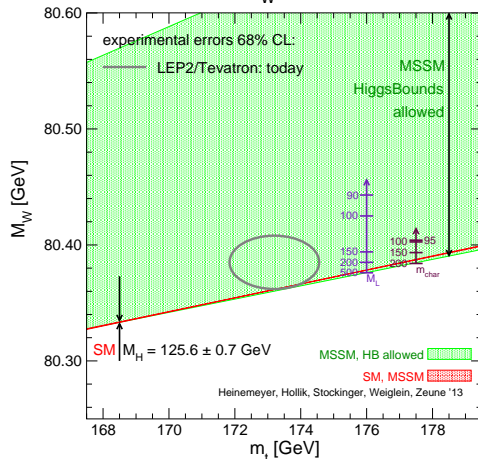
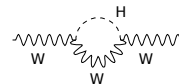
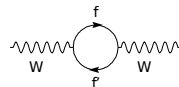
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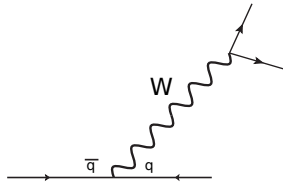
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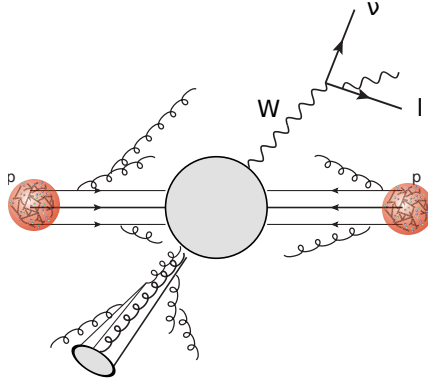
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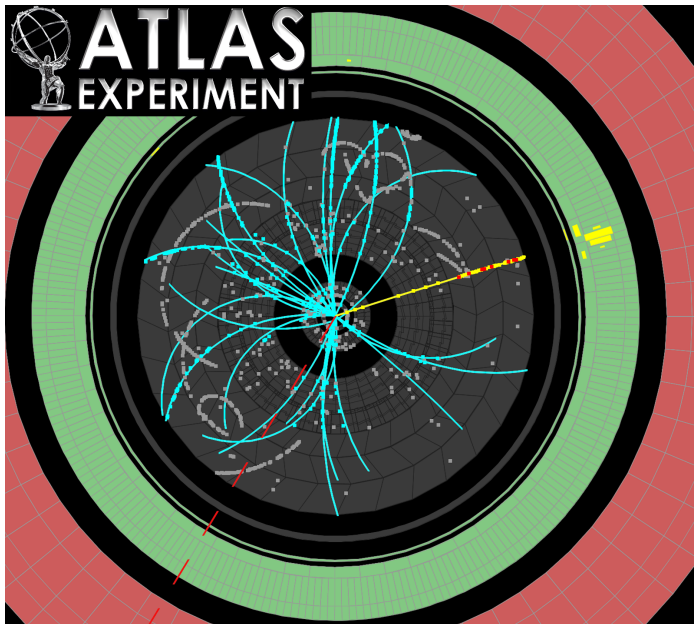
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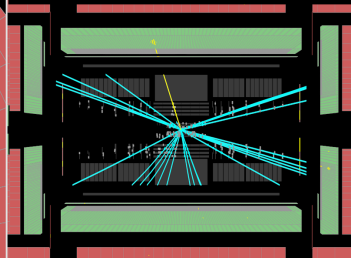
- ▶ Huge event samples available (millions), but unfortunately high-energy hadron collisions a priori not a “precision environment” – a tall mountain to climb:
 - ▶ Leptonic final state in Drell–Yan process $pp \rightarrow l\nu$ eliminates the worst problems from strong interactions, but we now have to compensate for the “missing” information from the neutrino
 - ▶ Z production $pp \rightarrow ll$ invaluable to constrain models and calibrate detector
 - ▶ Precision QCD and EW calculations and excellent knowledge of PDFs to compute Z -to- W differences

A $W \rightarrow e\nu$ candidate



Run Number: 152409, Event Number: 5966801

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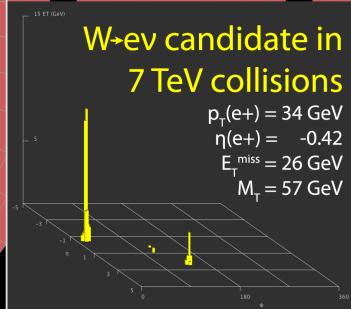
$W \rightarrow e\nu$ candidate in
7 TeV collisions

$p_T(e^+) = 34$ GeV

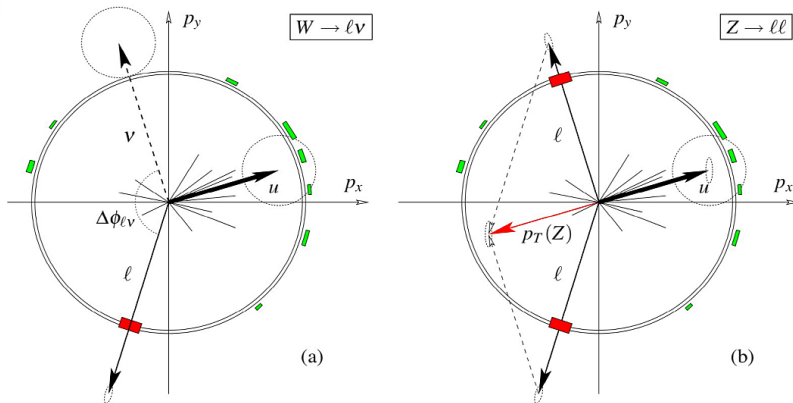
$\eta(e^+) = -0.42$

$E_T^{\text{miss}} = 26$ GeV

$M_T = 57$ GeV

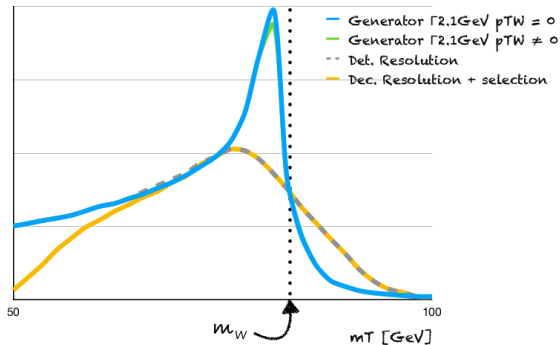
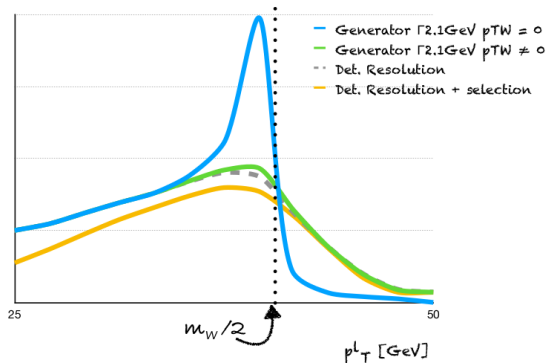


The transverse view



- ▶ Collision balanced transversely to the beam (but not longitudinally)
- ▶ Lepton transverse momentum p_T^ℓ
- ▶ Remainder of the event: “hadronic recoil” $\vec{u}_T = p_T^W$
- ▶ neutrino inferred using $\vec{p}_T^{\text{miss}} = -(\vec{p}_T^\ell + \vec{u}_T)$
- ▶ transverse mass $m_T = \sqrt{2p_T^\ell p_T^{\text{miss}} (1 - \cos \Delta\phi)}$

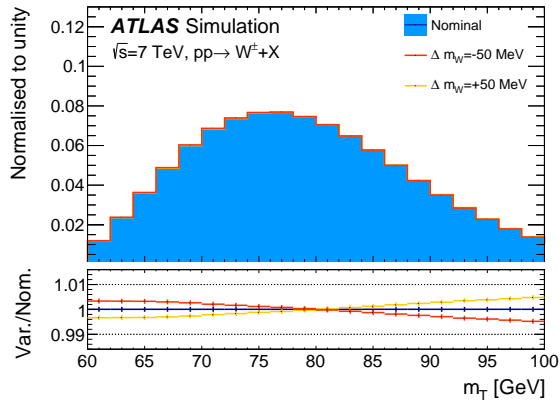
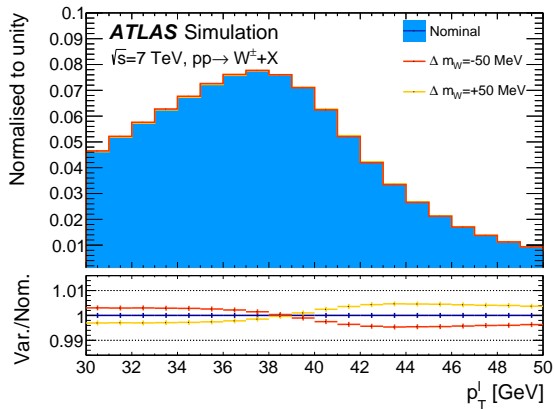
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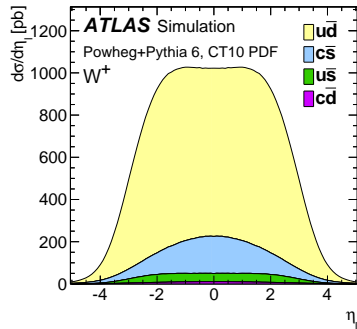
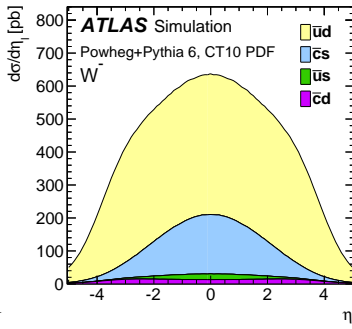
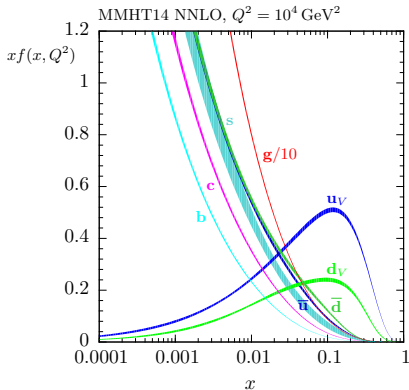
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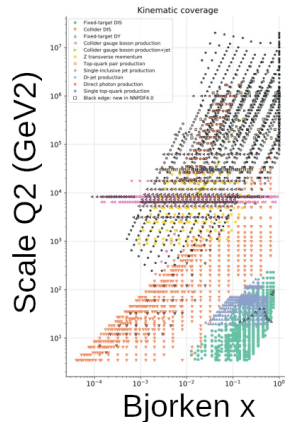
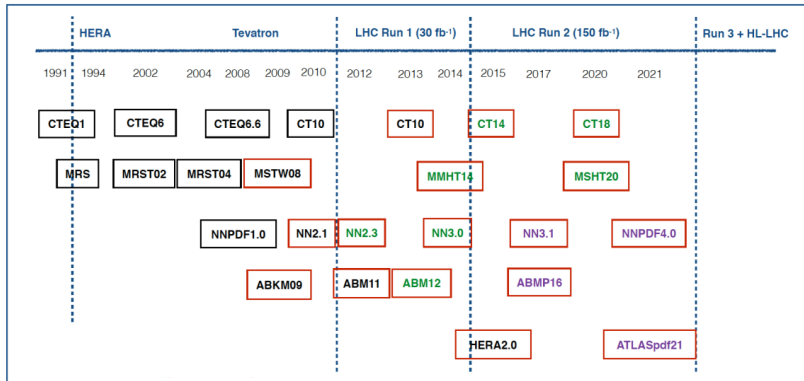
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- ▶ Some analyses (e.g. ATLAS) split the sample into many categories with W^{\pm} , e/μ , forward central
- ▶ Obviously all these analyses are blinded w.r.t. the final m_W , sometimes in several steps

The longitudinal view

- ▶ Longitudinal imbalance in W production in hadron collisions due to variable and unknown momentum fractions x_1, x_2 of initiating quarks: statistically given by Parton Distribution Functions (PDFs)
- ▶ Flavour matters as well: LHC has more heavy flavour contributions



PDFs in a nutshell



- ▶ Input from Deep Inelastic Lepton-Nucleon scattering and other diverse data
- ▶ Last decades with progress in theory, input data and fit methodology: a lot of interesting QCD physics, and an art in itself
- ▶ Fit groups: CT, MMHT/MSHT, NNPDF, in addition ABM+, HERA and HERA+LHC analyses
- ▶ In principle, different groups fit mostly the same data with the same theory and provide uncertainties... good enough for m_W ?

The complete “physics model”

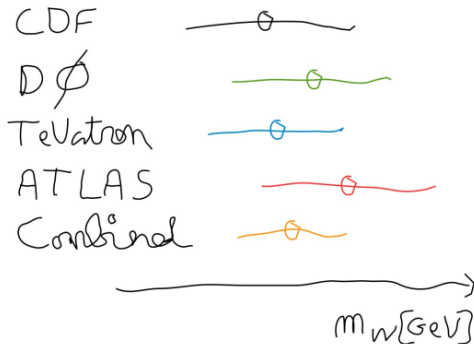
- ▶ Typical factorisation of five-dimensional DY cross section

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d\sigma}{dp_1 p_2} = \frac{d\sigma}{dm} \frac{d\sigma}{dp_T} \frac{d\sigma}{dy} & \left[1 + \cos^2 \theta + \frac{1}{2} A_0 (1 - 3 \cos^2 \theta) + A_1 \sin 2\theta \cos \phi \right. \\ & + \frac{1}{2} A_2 \sin^2 \theta \cos 2\phi + A_3 \sin \theta \cos \phi + A_4 \cos \theta \\ & \left. + A_5 \sin^2 \theta \sin 2\phi + A_6 \sin 2\theta \sin \phi + A_7 \sin \theta \sin \phi \right] \end{aligned}$$

- ▶ $\frac{d\sigma}{dm}$: the Breit-Wigner resonance that contains m_W
- ▶ $\frac{d\sigma}{dp_T}$: transverse momentum, typically constrained by $Z \rightarrow \ell\ell$ + theory, but can also be measured in W events
 - ▶ Will come back to this in the final part of the talk
- ▶ $\frac{d\sigma}{dy}$: rapidity dependence given by PDFs & higher order QCD
- ▶ Angular coefficients A_i ; assuming spin-1 boson: higher order QCD with some PDF dependence, can be validated in $Z \rightarrow \ell\ell$

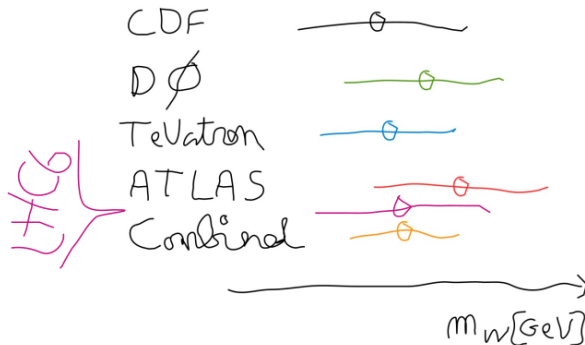
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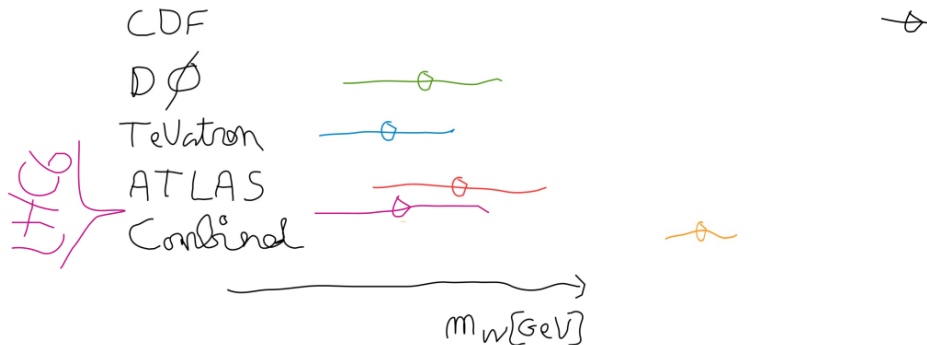
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The current status of m_W measurements

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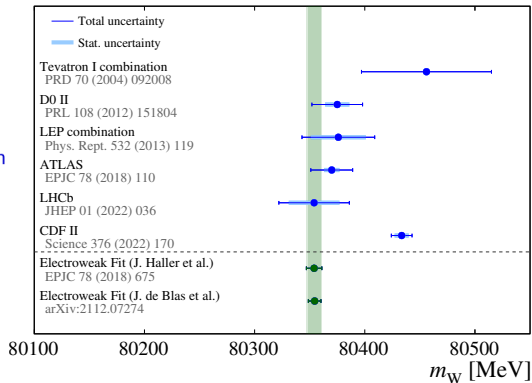


Inputs and Analysis strategy

- ▶ Challenging measurements typically take multiple years to deliver, using tools and theory modelling available at the time
- ▶ Developed an “update procedure”:

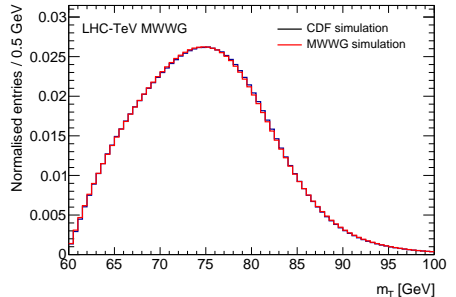
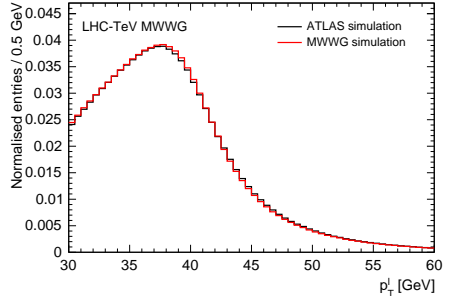
$$m_W^{\text{updated}} = \underbrace{m_W^{\text{ref.}}}_{\text{published}} + \underbrace{\delta m_W^{\text{QCD}}}_{\text{Improved predictions, PDF extrapolation for reference PDF}} + \underbrace{\delta m_W^{\text{PDF}}}_{\text{PDF extrapolation}}$$

- ▶ δm_W^{PDF} : Correct measurements to a new, common PDF baseline
- ▶ δm_W^{QCD} : Correct theory “problems” post-hoc, if beyond the quoted uncertainties
- ▶ Need archeology to understand how m_W^{ref} was obtained (papers usually wrong...)

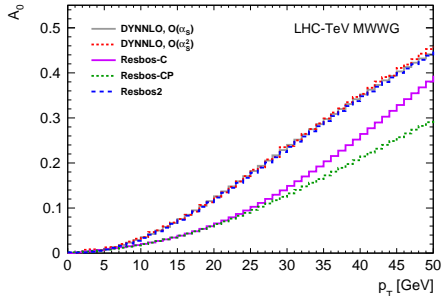


Starting point and Detector Emulation

- ▶ Original QCD tools and PDFs
 - ▶ CDF: Resbos1 (NLO) with CTEQ6M (NLO), corrected post-hoc to NNPDF3.1
 - ▶ D0: Resbos1 (NNLO) with CTEQ6.6 (NLO)
 - ▶ ATLAS: Powheg+Pythia corrected to NNLO with CT10nnlo
 - ▶ LHCb : Powheg+Pythia with NNLO corrections and PDF average of NNPDF3.1,CT18,MSHT20 (NLO)
- ▶ The original detector-level analysis is usually not accessible – instead generate large samples (Powheg NLO and NNLO) and apply fast emulation of detector effects
- ▶ Verified to be good enough to assess shifts from changed theory δm_W at better than 1 MeV



- ▶ Uncovered a wrong modelling of decay angular coefficients in ResBos used for TeVatron analyses: correction of about -10 MeV
- ▶ In addition: inconsistent W width assumption (D0), distortion/cutoffs in line shape...
- ▶ CDF (unknowingly?) performed a single correction for PDFs and angular coefficient modelling and eventually needs little correction



Coefficient	m_T	p_T^ℓ	p_T^ν
A_0	-6.3	-2.6	-9.1
A_1	1.1	1.3	0.3
A_2	-0.7	0.4	-3.2
A_3	-2.1	-4.1	1.0
A_4	-1.4	-3.3	-1.6
$A_0 - A_4$	-9.5	-8.4	-12.5
RESBOS2	-10.2 ± 1.1	-7.6 ± 1.2	-11.8 ± 1.4
Difference	-0.7 ± 1.1	0.8 ± 1.2	0.7 ± 1.4

Table 7: Values of δm_W^{pol} in MeV associated with reweighting each A_i coefficient from RESBOS-C to RESBOS2 for the CDF detector, as well as the result of a direct fit to RESBOS2. The result of the direct fit is consistent with that of the reweighting.

- ▶ A fact conveniently ingored in all (!) previous m_W combinations: measurements should be corrected to the same PDF set before combination
- ▶ Effects can easily be of the same order as the quoted PDF uncertainty

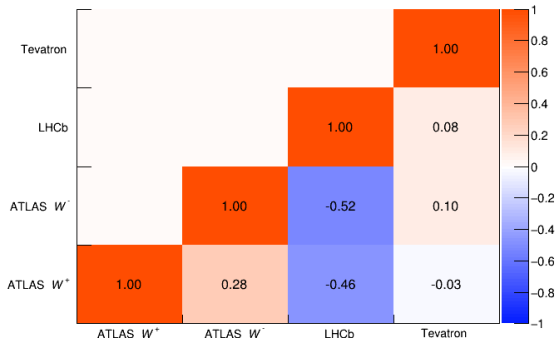
PDF set	D0 p_T^ℓ	D0 p_T^{ν}	CDF p_T^ℓ	CDF p_T^{ν}	ATLAS W^+	ATLAS W^-	LHCb
CTEQ6	-17.0	-17.7	0.0	0.0	-	-	-
CTEQ6.6	0.0	0.0	15.0	17.0	-	-	-
CT10	0.4	-1.3	16.0	16.3	0.0	0.0	-
CT14	-9.7	-10.6	5.8	6.8	-1.2	-5.8	1.1
CT18	-8.2	-9.3	7.2	7.7	12.1	-2.3	-6.0
ABMP16	-19.6	-21.5	-1.4	-2.4	-22.5	-3.1	7.7
MMHT2014	-10.4	-12.7	6.1	5.5	-2.6	9.9	-10.8
MSHT20	-13.7	-15.4	3.6	4.1	-20.9	4.5	-2.0
NNPDF3.1	-1.0	-1.2	14.0	15.1	-14.1	-1.8	6.0
NNPDF4.0	6.7	8.1	20.8	24.1	-22.4	6.9	8.3

Table 3: Values of δm_W^{PDF} in MeV for each PDF set using the p_T^ℓ (all experiments) or p_T^{ν} (CDF and D0) distribution, determined using the WJ-MINNLO calculation.

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CT10	–	–	<u>9.2</u>	–
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CT18	14.9	13.4	10.0	12.2
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MMHT2014	8.8	7.7	8.8	8.0
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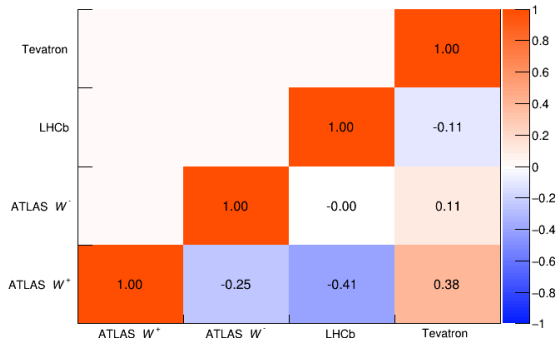


CT18

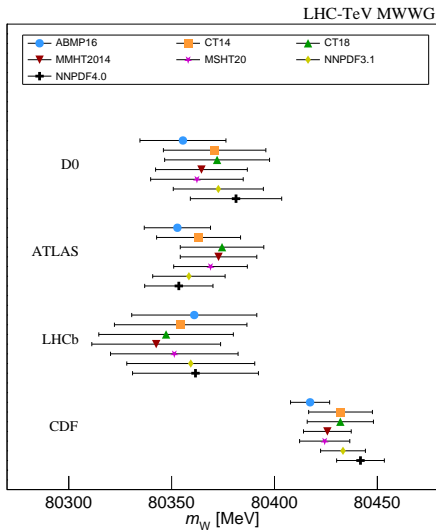
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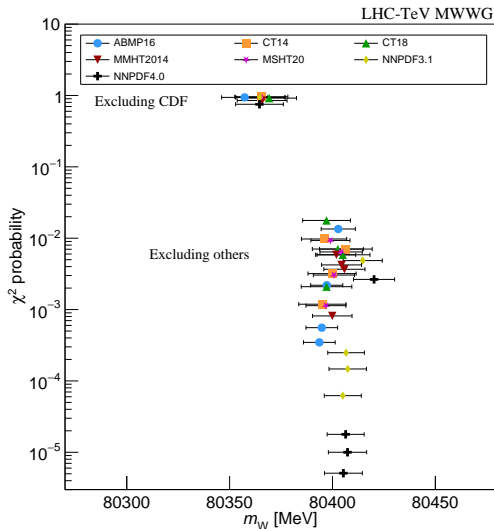
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All experiments (4 d.o.f.)					
PDF set	m_W	σ_{PDF}	χ^2	$p(\chi^2, n)$	
ABMP16	80392.7 ± 7.5	3.2	29	0.0008%	
CT14	80393.0 ± 10.9	7.1	16	0.3%	
CT18	80394.6 ± 11.5	7.7	15	0.5%	
MMHT2014	80398.0 ± 9.2	5.8	17	0.2%	
MSHT20	80395.1 ± 9.3	5.8	16	0.3%	
NNPDF3.1	80403.0 ± 8.7	5.3	23	0.1%	
NNPDF4.0	80403.1 ± 8.9	5.3	28	0.001%	

- ▶ After all corrections applied: combination fails for each PDF set

Conclusion for the Combination



- ▶ Excluding single experiments gives a clear pattern:
 - ▶ Combinations without CDF work regardless of PDF set

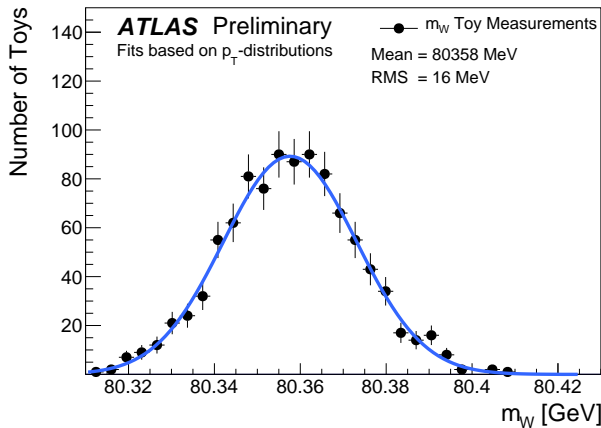
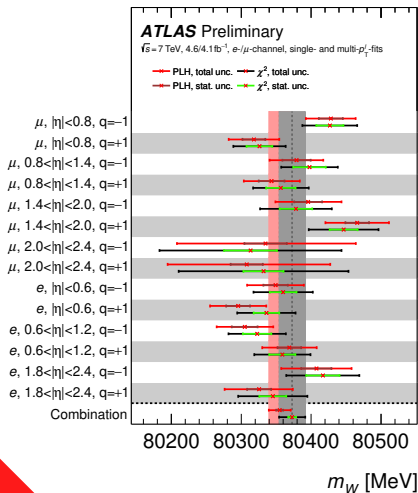
$$m_W = 80369.2 \pm 13.3 \text{ MeV}$$

with 91% probability for the CT18 PDF set

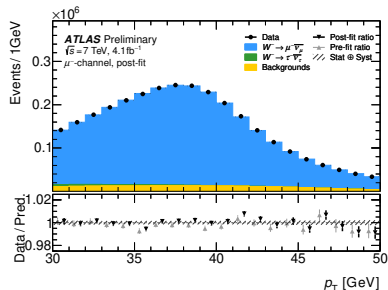
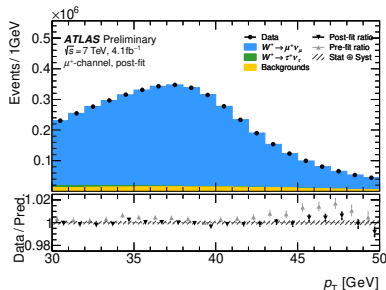
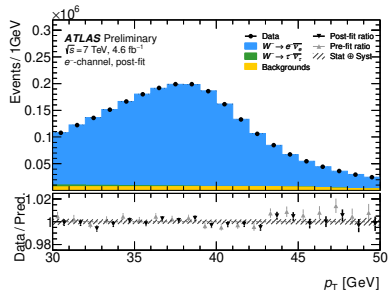
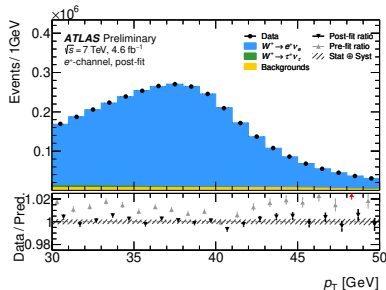
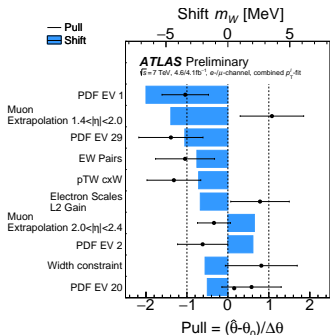
- ▶ The new CDF measurement is incompatible at 3.6σ , even though the PDF uncertainty using CT18 is far larger than the published one
- ▶ Where next?

- ▶ First m_W measurement at the LHC made public by ATLAS in late 2016: $m_W = 80370 \pm 19$ MeV
- ▶ At the time proof “it could be done” and tied for best uncertainty with CDF
- ▶ Reanalysis with a Profile Likelihood fit joined across all categories instead of “classic” χ^2 fits with offset error propagation

- ▶ Expected a reduction of uncertainty, shift in central value of $O(16$ MeV) possible

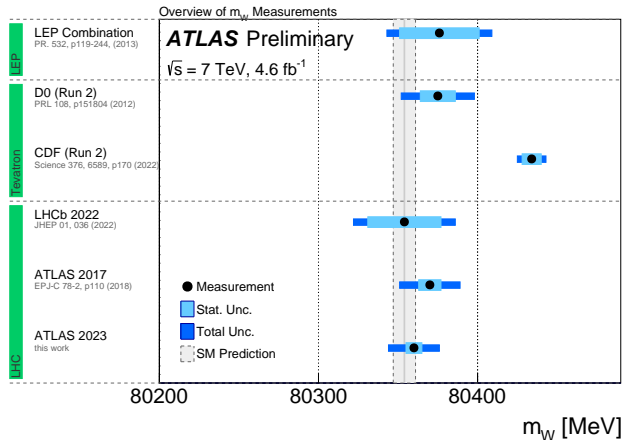


Parameters controlling the correlated uncertainties are shifted and constrained: shift in central value, smaller uncertainty, better Data/Prediction ratios

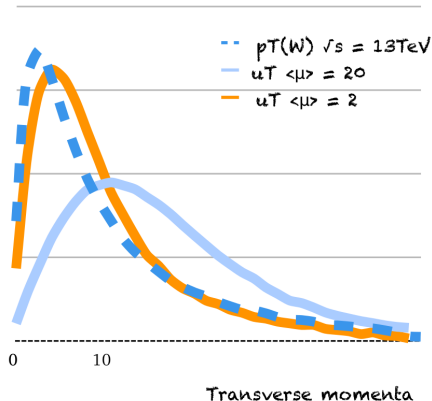
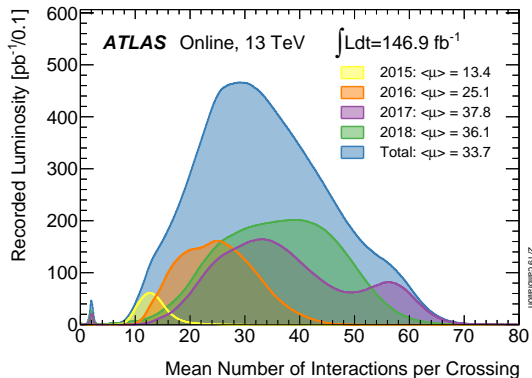


- ▶ Study of PDF dependence: all results lower than previous result, NNPDF again significantly lower
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 - ▶ 15% better uncertainty than previous publication
 - ▶ One also notices this is closer to the SM and further away from CDF...

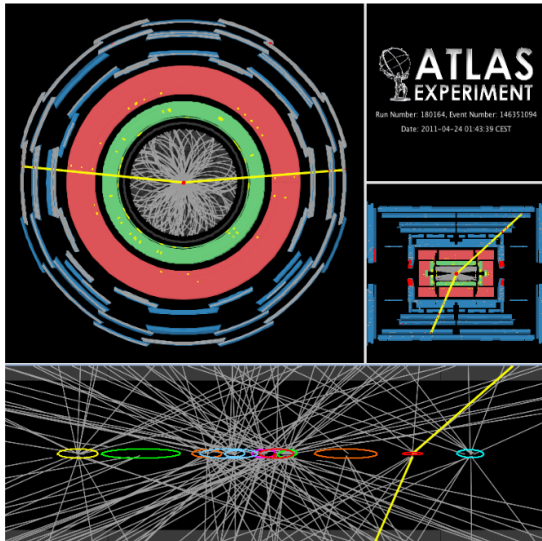
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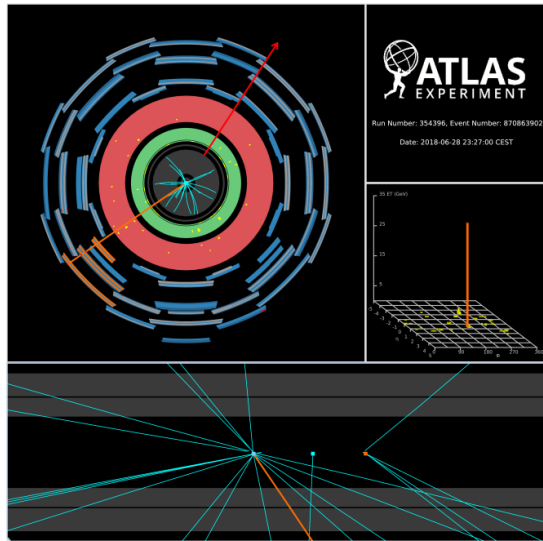
- ▶ Usually LHC delivers maximum luminosity to ATLAS and CMS: average of 20-60 simultaneous pp collisions
- ▶ Pileup fills the calorimeters with noise and worsens the “hadronic recoil” measurement
- ▶ However, ATLAS took some special datasets at $\sqrt{s} = 5$ and 13 TeV: direct measurement of p_T^W (now), bringing back m_T into the game for m_W (future)
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ATLAS low-pileup data

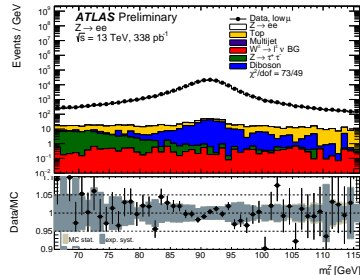
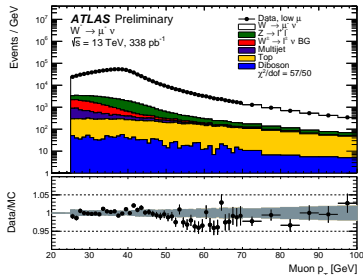
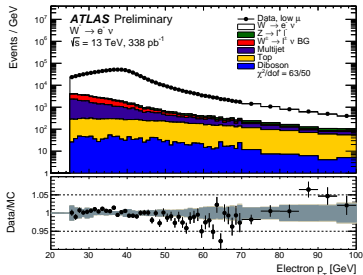
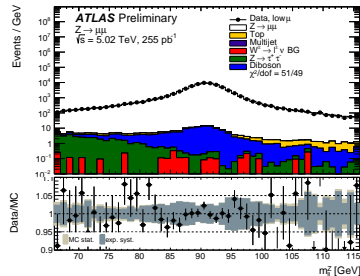
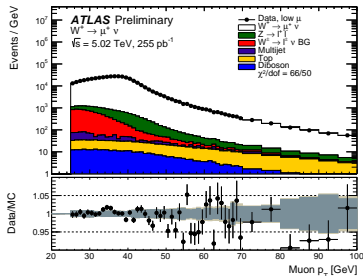
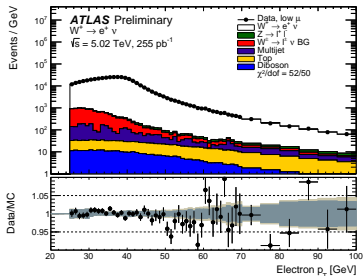


9 additional reconstructed vertices



2 additional reconstructed vertices

- Obviously, we had to calibrate the leptons and the hadronic recoil and determine the backgrounds

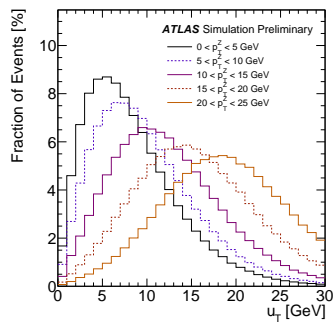
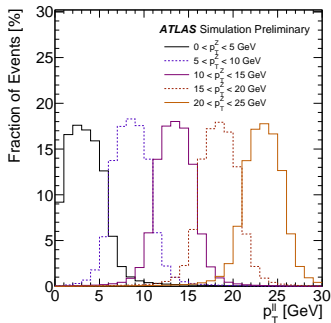
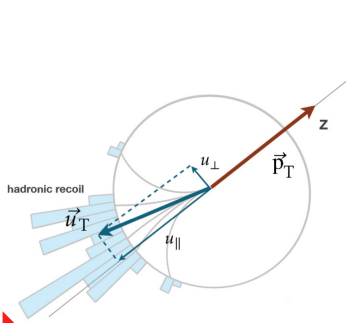


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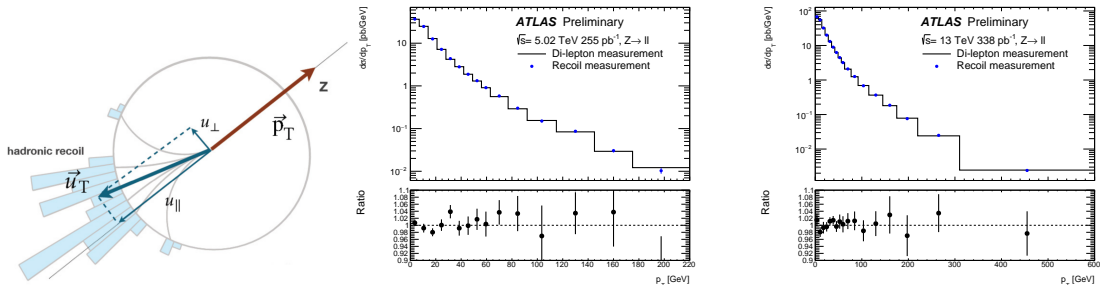


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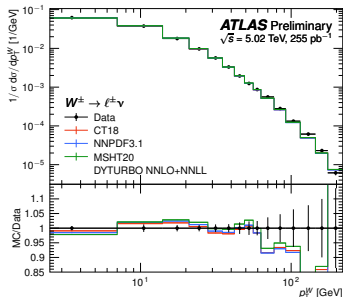
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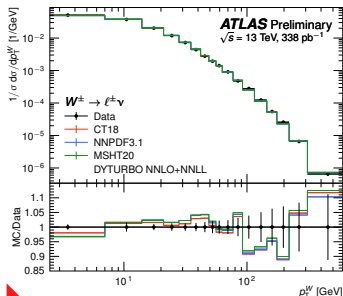
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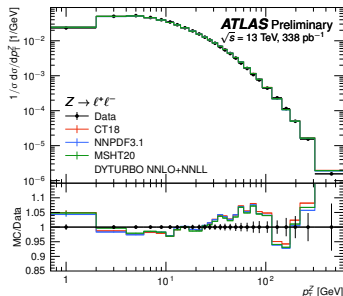
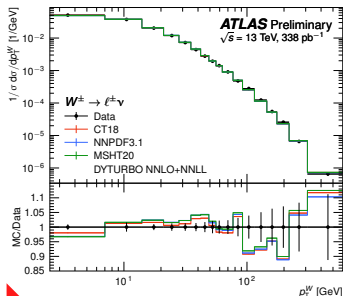
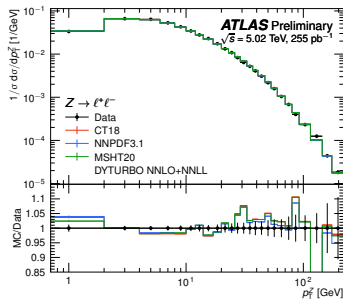
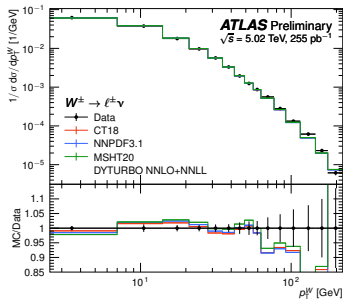
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- ▶ A p_T^W measurement in ~ 7 GeV bins at 1 – 2% accuracy
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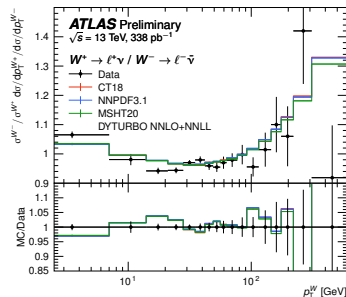
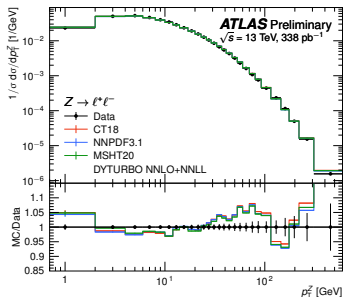
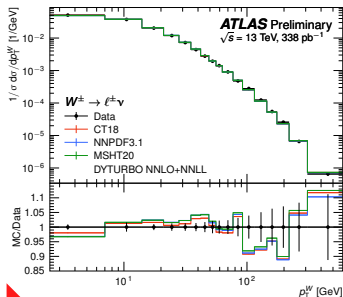
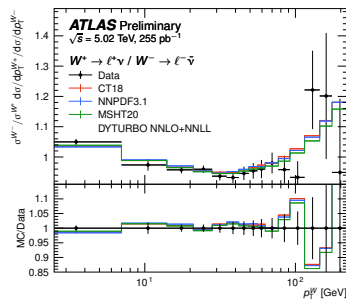
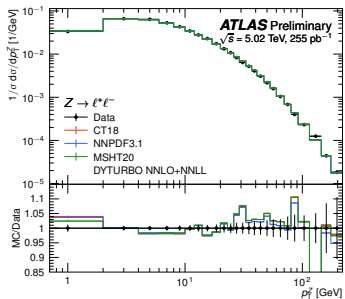
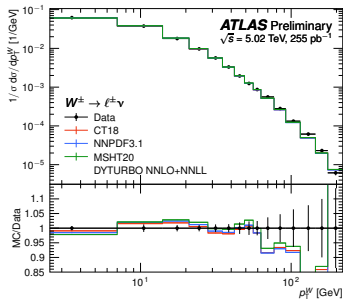


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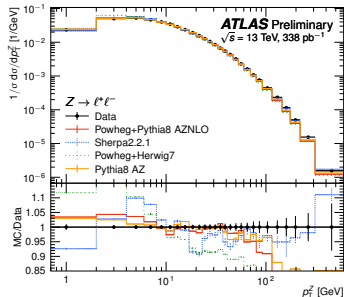
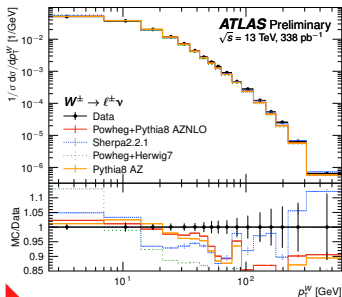
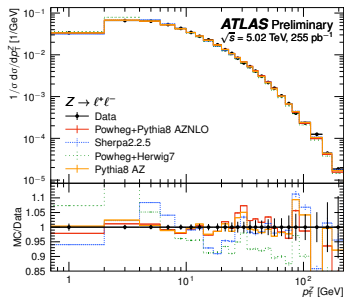
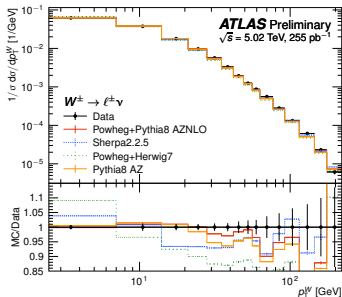


- ▶ A p_T^Z measurement in ~ 3 GeV bins at $< 1\%$ accuracy
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Boson p_T measurement: NNLO+NNLL QCD



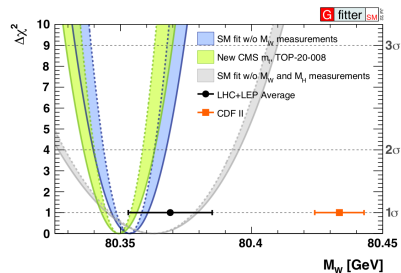
Boson p_T measurement: MC generators with Parton showers



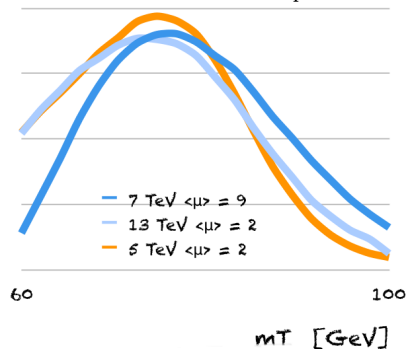
- ▶ Huge variability in parton shower MCs
- ▶ Those carefully tuned to ATLAS data at $\sqrt{s} = 7 \text{ TeV}$ and used for $m_W - \text{Pythia8 AZ}$ – do a good job, especially at $\sqrt{s} = 5 \text{ TeV}$

Conclusions

- ▶ The W boson mass is among the key observables to constrain Beyond SM physics
- ▶ The experimental situation is not satisfactory: combination of All-CDF has excellent compatibility and similar precision as CDF alone, $> 3.6\sigma$ experimental discrepancy
- ▶ Preliminary improved ATLAS m_W reanalysis pushes the experimental measurement further towards the SM and away from CDF
- ▶ New (preliminary) ATLAS results on W and Z transverse momentum spectra at 1 – 2% precision using dedicated low-pileup data open the road towards improvements in modelling for future m_W analyses and a competitive measurement using the m_T in an LHC environment



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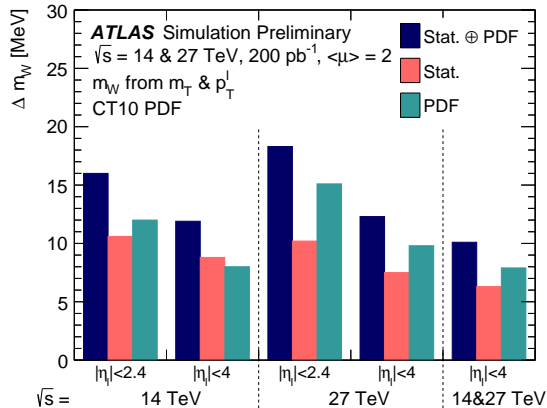
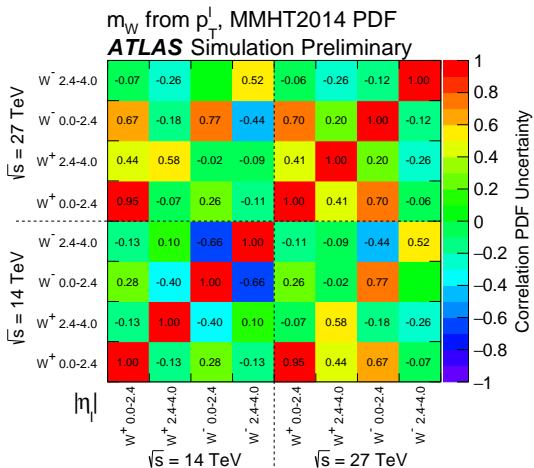
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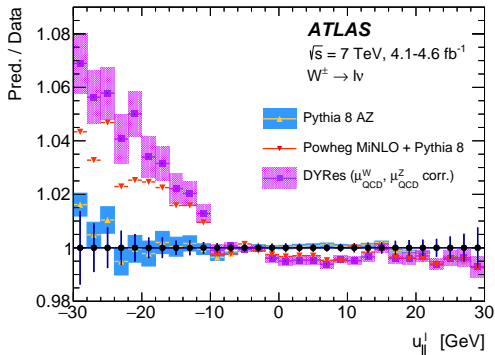
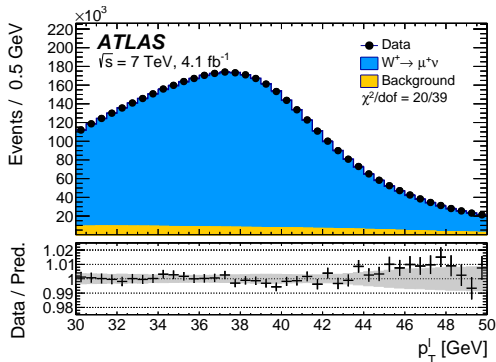
In 2012, D0 published a measurement of the W boson mass using 5.3 fb^{-1} of Tevatron data (Phys. Rev. Lett. **108**, 151804 (2012)), with a subsequent longer description (Phys. Rev. D **89**, 012005 (2014)). This measurement, $m_W = 80,375 \pm 23 \text{ MeV}$, remains the official D0 result.

A study of the remaining approximately 5 fb^{-1} of data taken between 2009 and 2011 showed that the deterioration of the detector due to radiation damage effects, combined with the higher pileup owing to the increased instantaneous luminosity, precludes a further precision measurement of the W boson mass.

Correction	δm_W^{QCD} [MeV]					
	p_T^W -constrained			No constraint		
	p_T^ℓ	m_T	p_T^ν	p_T^ℓ	m_T	p_T^ν
Invariant mass	< 0.1	< 0.1	< 0.1	< 0.1	< 0.1	< 0.1
Rapidity	< 0.1	< 0.1	< 0.1	< 0.1	< 0.1	< 0.1
A_0	7.6	10.0	15.8	16.0	12.6	19.5
A_1	-2.4	-1.9	-1.8	-1.2	-1.6	-1.4
A_2	-3.0	-2.6	2.9	-4.2	-3.0	2.3
A_3	2.9	1.6	-0.5	3.5	1.8	-0.2
A_4	2.4	-0.1	-0.5	0.1	-0.7	-1.0
$A_0 - A_4$	7.6	7.0	16.0	14.1	9.1	18.9
Total	7.6	7.0	16.0	14.1	9.1	18.9
RESBos2	7.3 ± 1.1	8.4 ± 1.0	16.6 ± 1.2	13.9 ± 1.1	10.3 ± 1.0	19.8 ± 1.2
Non-closure	-0.3 ± 1.1	1.4 ± 1.0	0.6 ± 1.2	-0.2 ± 1.1	1.2 ± 1.0	0.9 ± 1.2

Table 5: Effect of reweighting the angular coefficients in the D0 RESBos1 events to those of RESBos2, as well as a direct fit of RESBos1 to RESBos2. Good closure is observed.



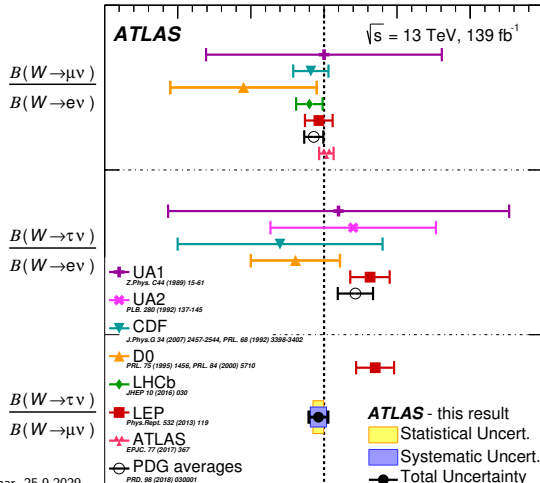
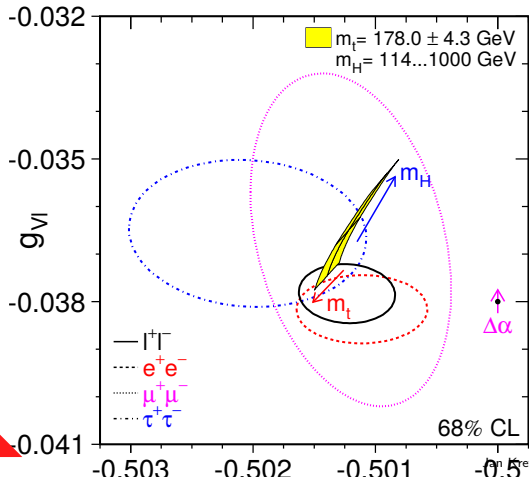


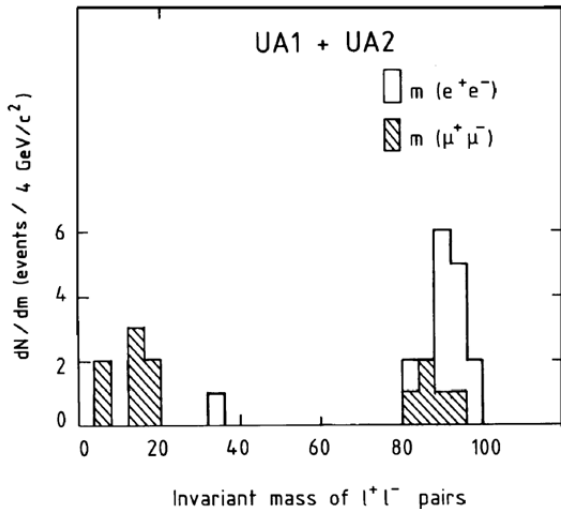
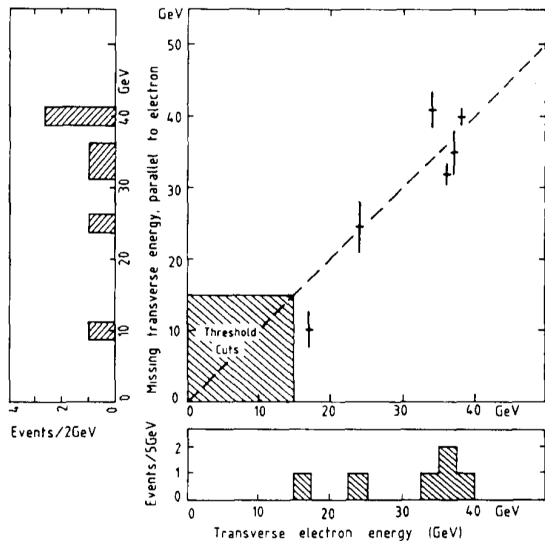
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W^-	9.7	7.2	7.8	3.3	6.6	8.3	5.3	13.6	23.4
W^\pm	6.8	6.6	6.4	2.9	4.5	8.3	5.5	9.2	18.5

[MeV]

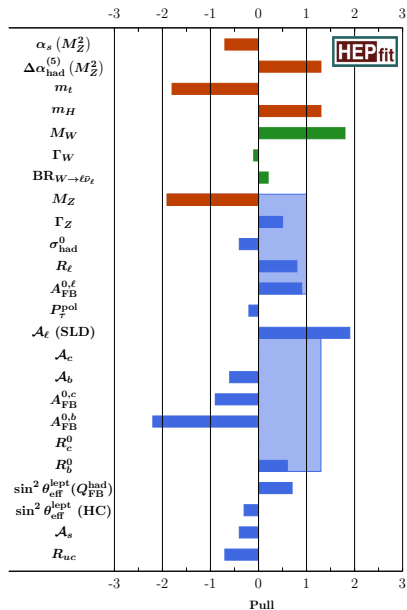
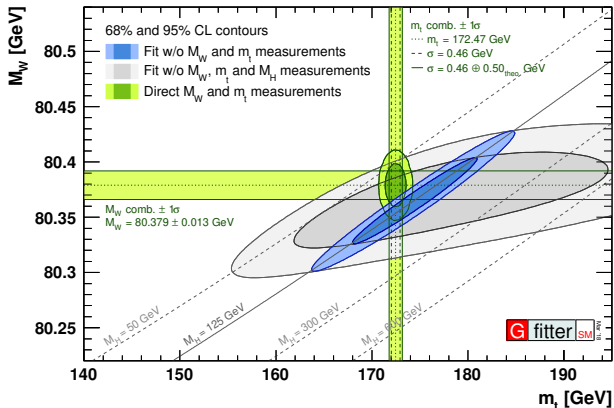
Lepton Universality

- ▶ In the SM the couplings of the leptons e, μ, τ to W and Z bosons are all the same, leading to same branching fractions (ignoring different masses — calculable effect)
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- ▶ For W nowadays strongest constraints from LHC (ATLAS) data

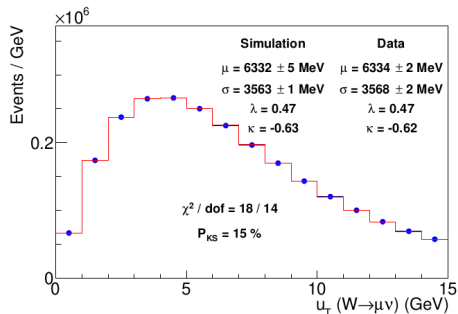
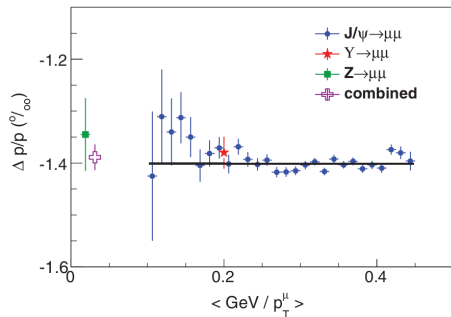




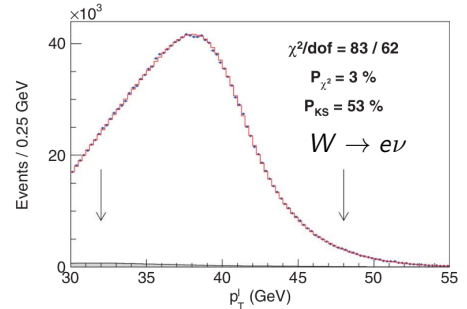
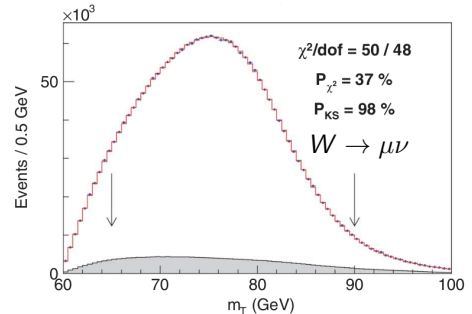
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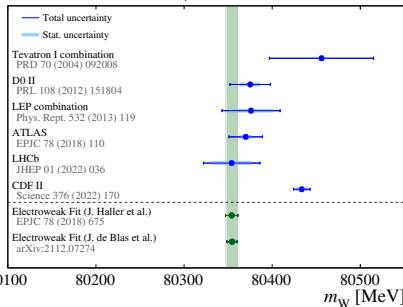
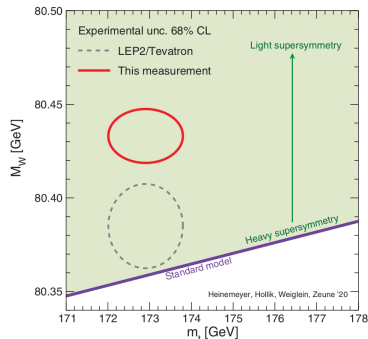
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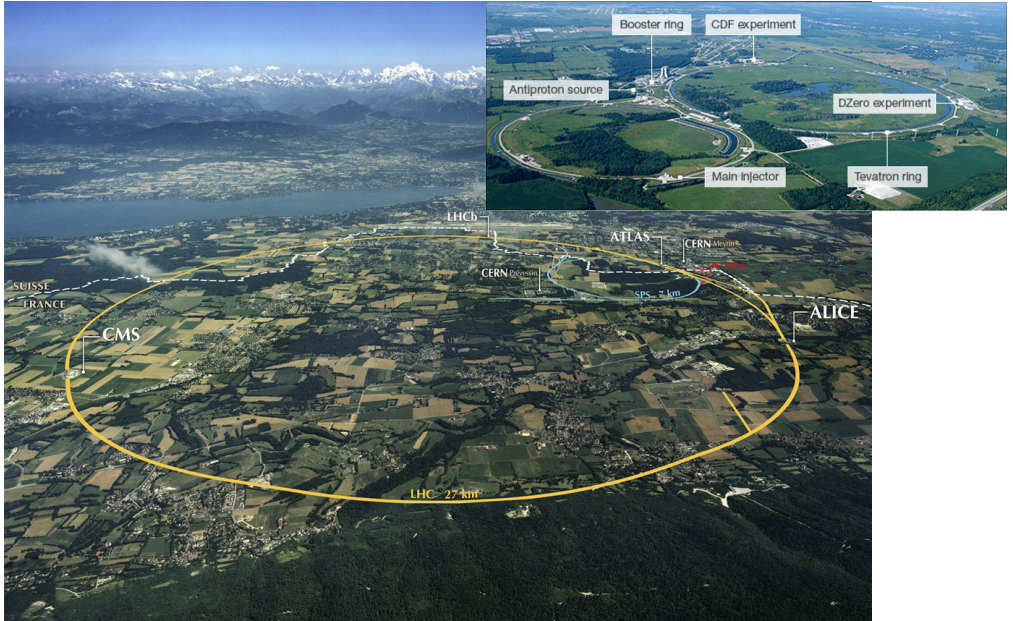
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Cross-section at 5.02 TeV [pb]			
CT18	1364	2199	320.9
MSHT20	1351	2185	324.3
NNPDF3.1	1381	2232	329.8
Data	1384 ± 16	2228 ± 25	333.0 ± 4.1
Cross-section at 13 TeV [pb]			
CT18	3410	4462	749.8
MSHT20	3397	4457	766.1
NNPDF3.1	3452	4513	771.4
Data	3486 ± 38	4571 ± 49	780.3 ± 10.4

PDF set	W^+/W^-	W^-/Z	W^+/Z	W^\pm/Z
Cross-section ratios at 5.02 TeV				
CT18	1.612	4.25	6.85	11.10
MSHT20	1.618	4.16	6.74	10.90
NNPDF3.1	1.616	4.19	6.77	10.95
Data	1.611 ± 0.005	4.16 ± 0.05	6.69 ± 0.08	10.85 ± 0.12
Cross-section ratios at 13 TeV				
CT18	1.309	4.55	5.95	10.50
MSHT20	1.312	4.43	5.82	10.25
NNPDF3.1	1.307	4.48	5.85	10.33
Data	1.312 ± 0.003	4.46 ± 0.07	5.84 ± 0.09	10.31 ± 0.15