

JET SUBSTRUCTURE IN TOP JETS

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Outline

Distinguishing Hadronic Top Decays (Top Jets)
from Light quark Jets

Jet Mass Distribution

When the mass distribution is not enough...

Use properties of the perturbative xsection and
utilize the distribution in the eta phi plane...

(Jet Substructure)

Distinguishing Hadronic Top Decays from Light quark Jets

Top Decay



What happens when top decay is Highly boosted ?

Final states become highly collimated

Focus on Top Jet Mass Distribution.

Top peak in jet mass ?

Top Jets @ the LHC

Mass Tag; Illustrate with a Cone jet

$$R^2 = (\Delta\eta)^2 + (\Delta\phi)^2 \quad m_J^2 = \left(\sum_{i \in R} P_i \right)^2$$

Top Mass Window: $140 \leq m_J \leq 210$ GeV

Counting in the mass window, seems hopeless...

$S/B \sim 10^{-2}$ For jets with $P_T > 1000$ GeV $R = 0.4$



$$\begin{array}{ll} jj + X & t\bar{t} + X \\ 10pb & 100fb \end{array}$$

Need to Study the Background...

QCD Jet Mass Background, Theory

LA, Lee, Perez, Sung & Virzi (Berger, Kucs, Sterman)

Jet Production: $H_a(p_a) + H_b(p_b) \rightarrow J_1(m_{J_1}^2, p_{1,T}, R) + X$
(due to “light” jets)

This x-section factorizes

$$\frac{d\sigma_{H_A H_B \rightarrow J_1 X}(R)}{dp_T dm_J d\eta} = \sum_{abc} \int dx_a dx_b \underbrace{\phi_a(x_a) \phi_b(x_b)}_{\text{pdf's}} \frac{d\hat{\sigma}_{ab \rightarrow cX}}{dp_T dm_J d\eta}(x_a, x_b, p_T, \eta, m_J, R)$$

for small R

$$\frac{d\sigma_{H_A H_B \rightarrow J_1 X}(R)}{dp_T dm_J d\eta} = \sum_{abc} \int dx_a dx_b \phi_a(x_a) \phi_b(x_b) \underbrace{H_{ab \rightarrow cX}}_{\text{Hard}}(x_a, x_b, p_T, \eta, R) \\ \times \underbrace{J_1^c(m_J, p_T, R)}_{\text{Jet functions}} + \mathcal{O}(R^2)$$

Contributions from initial state radiation $\sim R^2$
to Jet mass

QCD Jet Mass distribution

Leading Contribution: Single Gluon Emission

$$J^{(f)} = 2 \frac{\alpha_S}{\pi} \frac{C_f}{m_J} \log \left(\frac{p_T^2 R^2}{m_J^2} \right) + \mathcal{O}(R^4)$$

Jet Mass Distribution;

$$\frac{d\sigma(R)}{dp_T dm_J} = \sum_c J^c(m_J, p_T, R) \frac{d\hat{\sigma}^c(R)}{dp_T}$$

Jet Functions

Quarks jets

$$J_i^q(m_J^2, p_{0,J_i}, R) = \frac{(2\pi)^3}{2\sqrt{2} (p_{0,J_i})^2} \frac{\xi_\mu}{N_c} \sum_{N_{J_i}} \text{Tr} \left\{ \gamma^\mu \langle 0 | q(0) \Phi_\xi^{(\bar{q})\dagger}(\infty, 0) | N_{J_i} \rangle \langle N_{J_i} | \Phi_\xi^{(\bar{q})}(\infty, 0) \bar{q}(0) | 0 \rangle \right\} \\ \times \delta(m_J^2 - \tilde{m}_J^2(N_{J_i}, R)) \delta^{(2)}(\hat{n} - \tilde{n}(N_{J_i})) \delta(p_{0,J_i} - \omega(N_{J_c})),$$

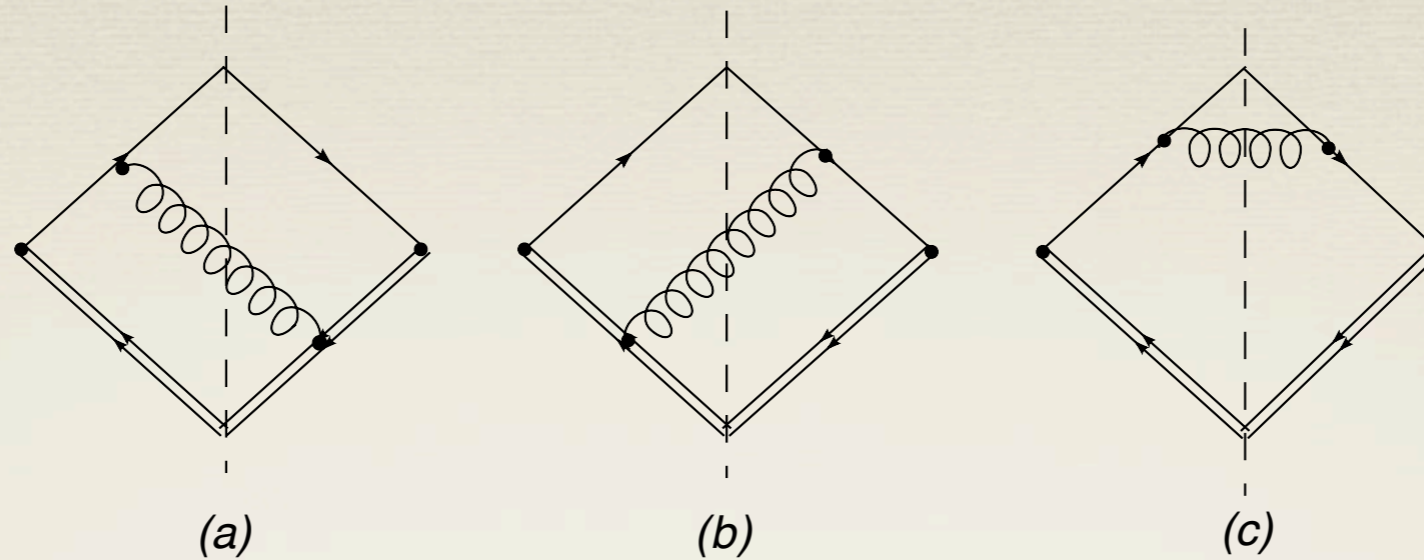
Gluons jets

$$J_i^g(m_J^2, p_{0,J_i}, R) = \frac{(2\pi)^3}{2(p_{0,J_i})^3} \sum_{N_{J_i}} \langle 0 | \xi_\sigma F^{\sigma\nu}(0) \Phi_\xi^{(g)\dagger}(0, \infty) | N_{J_i} \rangle \langle N_{J_i} | \Phi_\xi^{(g)}(0, \infty) F_\nu^\rho(0) \xi_\rho | 0 \rangle \\ \times \delta(m_J^2 - \tilde{m}_J^2(N_{J_i}, R)) \delta^{(2)}(\hat{n} - \tilde{n}(N_{J_i})) \delta(p_{0,J_i} - \omega(N_{J_c})).$$

Normalized $\int dm_J J(m_J) = 1$

Perturbatively Calculable; systematically improvable

Quark Jet Function, in detail...



$$J_i^{q(1)}(m_J^2, p_{0,J_i}, R) = \frac{C_F \beta_i}{4m_{J_i}^2} \int_{\cos(R)}^{\beta_i} \frac{d \cos \theta_S}{\pi} \frac{\alpha_S(k_0) z^4}{(2(1 - \beta_i \cos \theta_S) - z^2)(1 - \beta_i \cos \theta_S)} \times$$

$$\left\{ z^2 \frac{(1 + \cos \theta_S)^2}{(1 - \beta_i \cos \theta_S)(2(1 + \beta_i)(1 - \beta_i \cos \theta_S) - z^2(1 + \cos \theta_S))} + \frac{3(1 + \beta_i)}{z^2} + \frac{1}{z^4} \frac{(2(1 + \beta_i)(1 - \beta_i \cos \theta_S) - z^2(1 + \cos \theta_S))^2}{(1 + \cos \theta_S)(1 - \beta_i \cos \theta_S)} \right\},$$

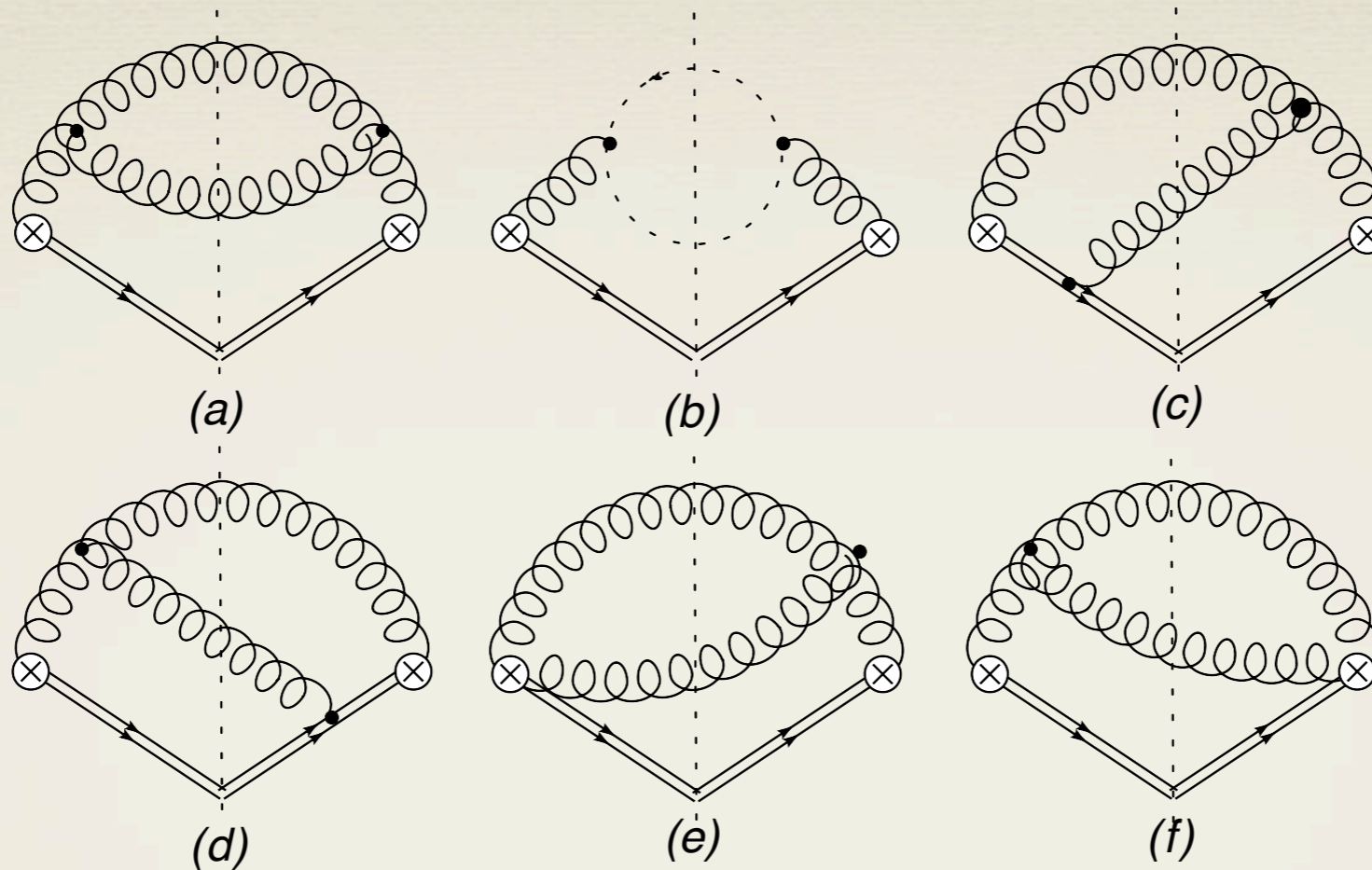
$$z = m_J / p_{0,J_i}$$

θ_S : Angle between Jet axis and softer particle

$$\beta_i = \sqrt{1 - z^2}$$

$$k_0 = \frac{p_{0,J}}{2} \frac{z^2}{1 - \beta_i \cos \theta_S}$$

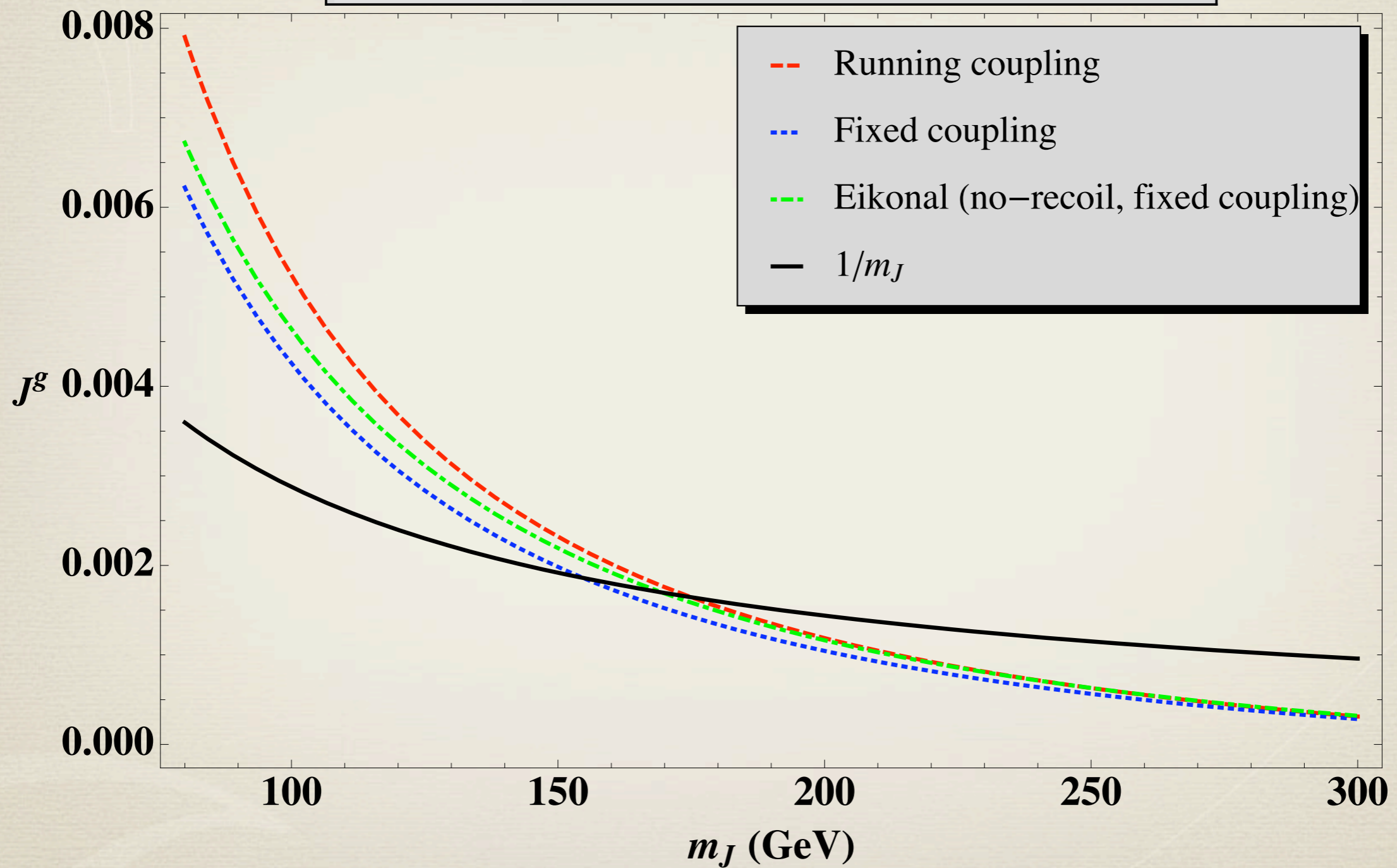
Gluon Jet function in detail...



$$\begin{aligned}
 J_i^{g(1)}(m_J^2, p_{0,J_i}, R) &= \frac{C_A \beta_i}{16m_{J_i}^2} \int_{\cos(R)}^{\beta_i} \frac{d \cos \theta_S}{\pi} \frac{\alpha_S(k_0)}{(1 - \beta \cos \theta_S)^2 (1 - \cos^2 \theta_S) (2(1 + \beta) - z^2)} \\
 &\times \left(z^4 (1 + \cos \theta_S)^2 + z^2 (1 - \cos^2 \theta_S) (2(1 + \beta_i) - z^2) + (1 - \cos \theta_S)^2 (2(1 + \beta_i) - z^2)^2 \right)^2.
 \end{aligned}$$

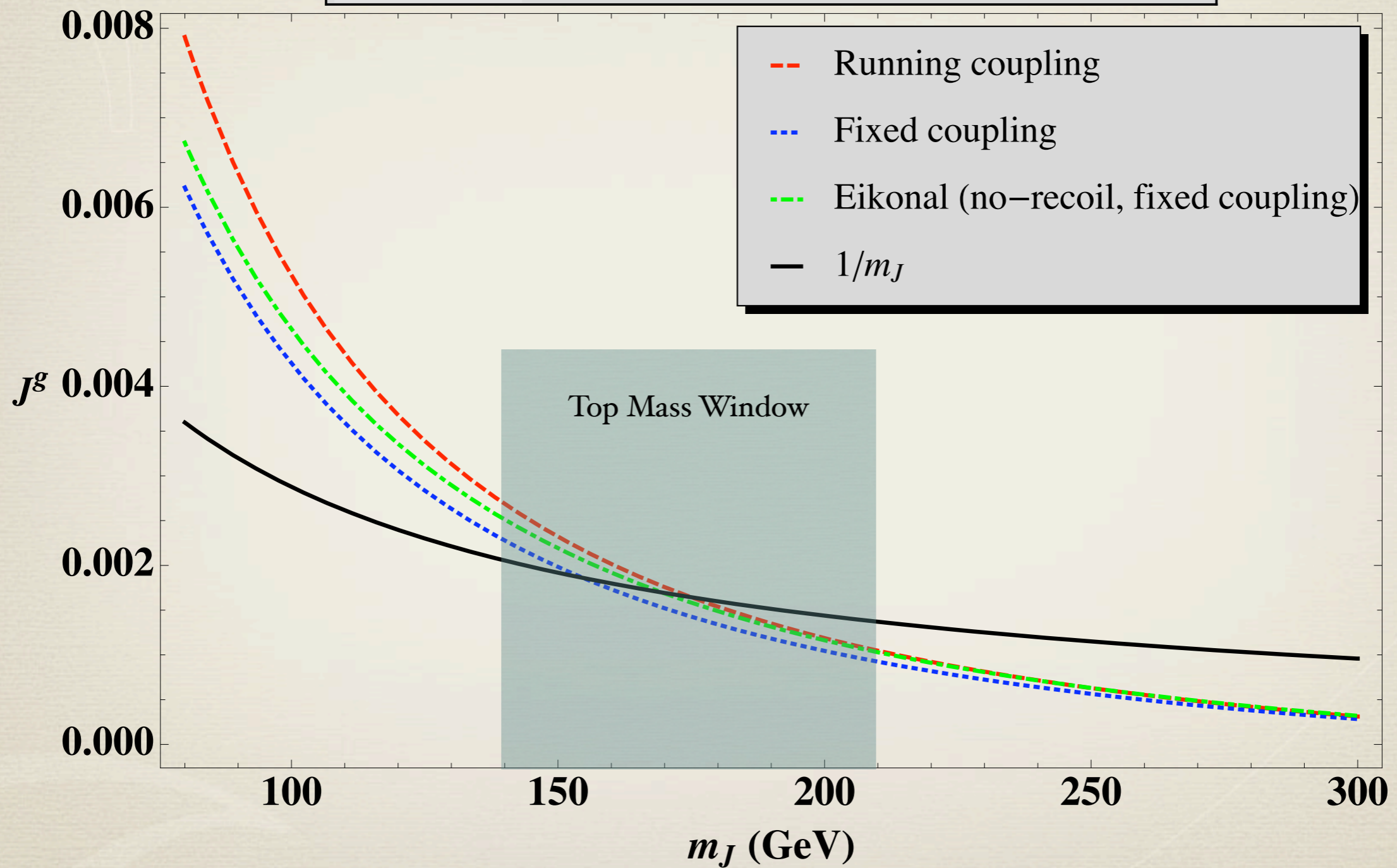
The Importance of the log

(Gluon Jet Functions, $P_T = 1$ TeV, $R=0.4$)

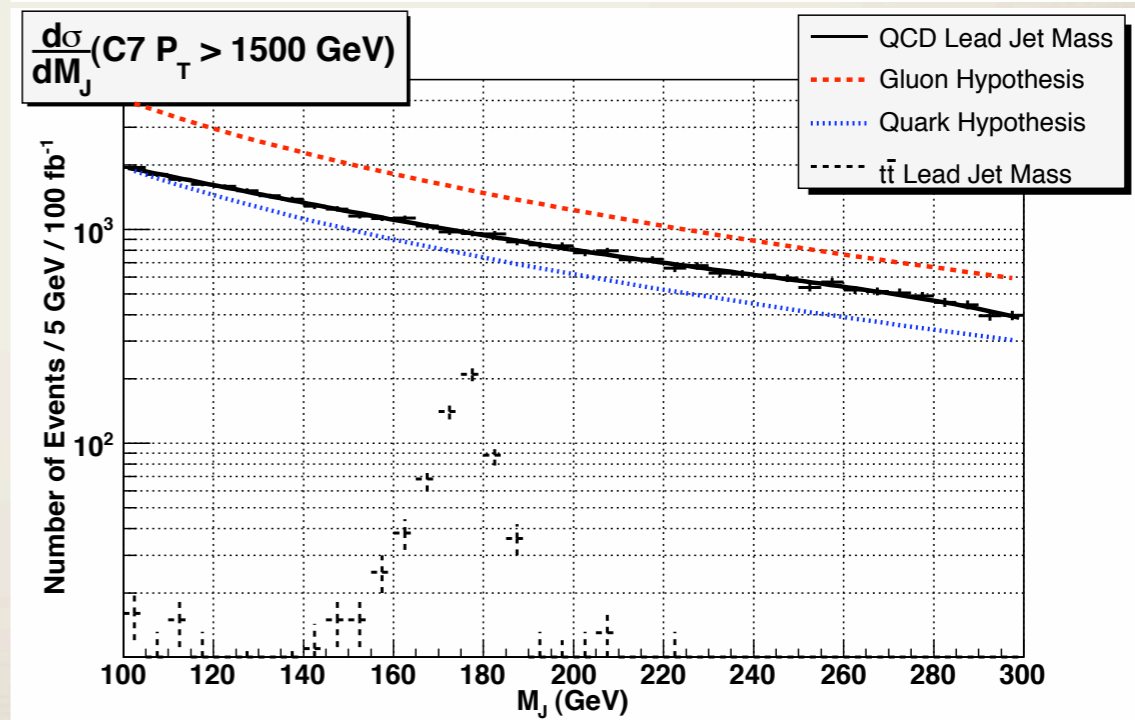
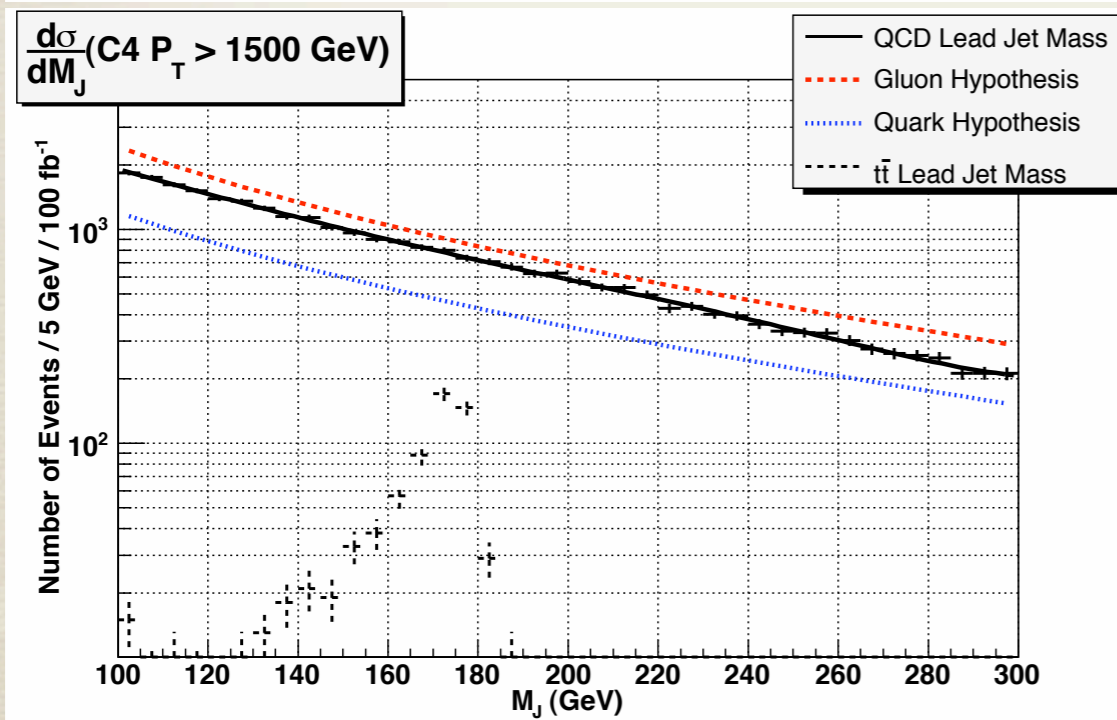
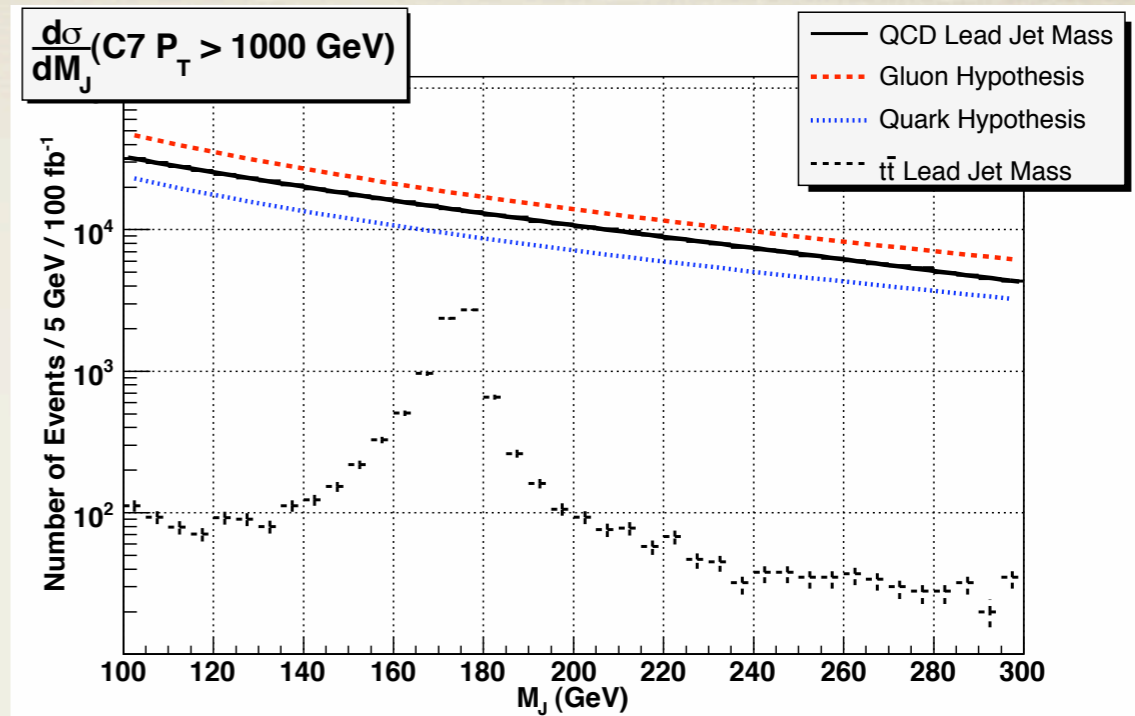
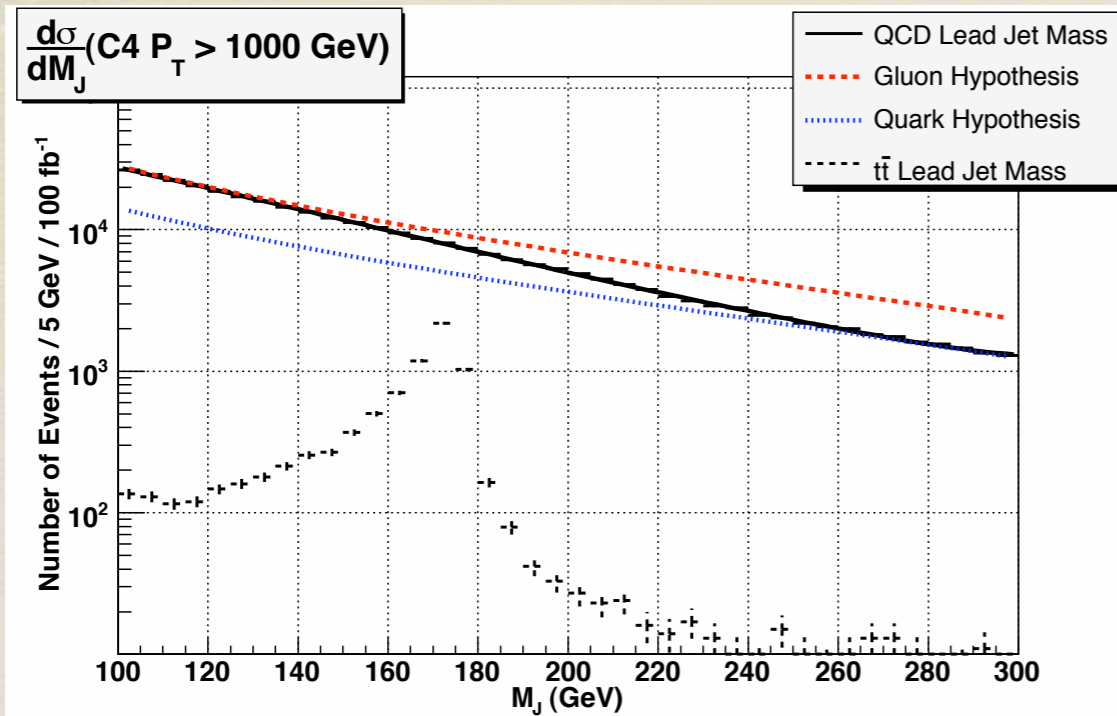


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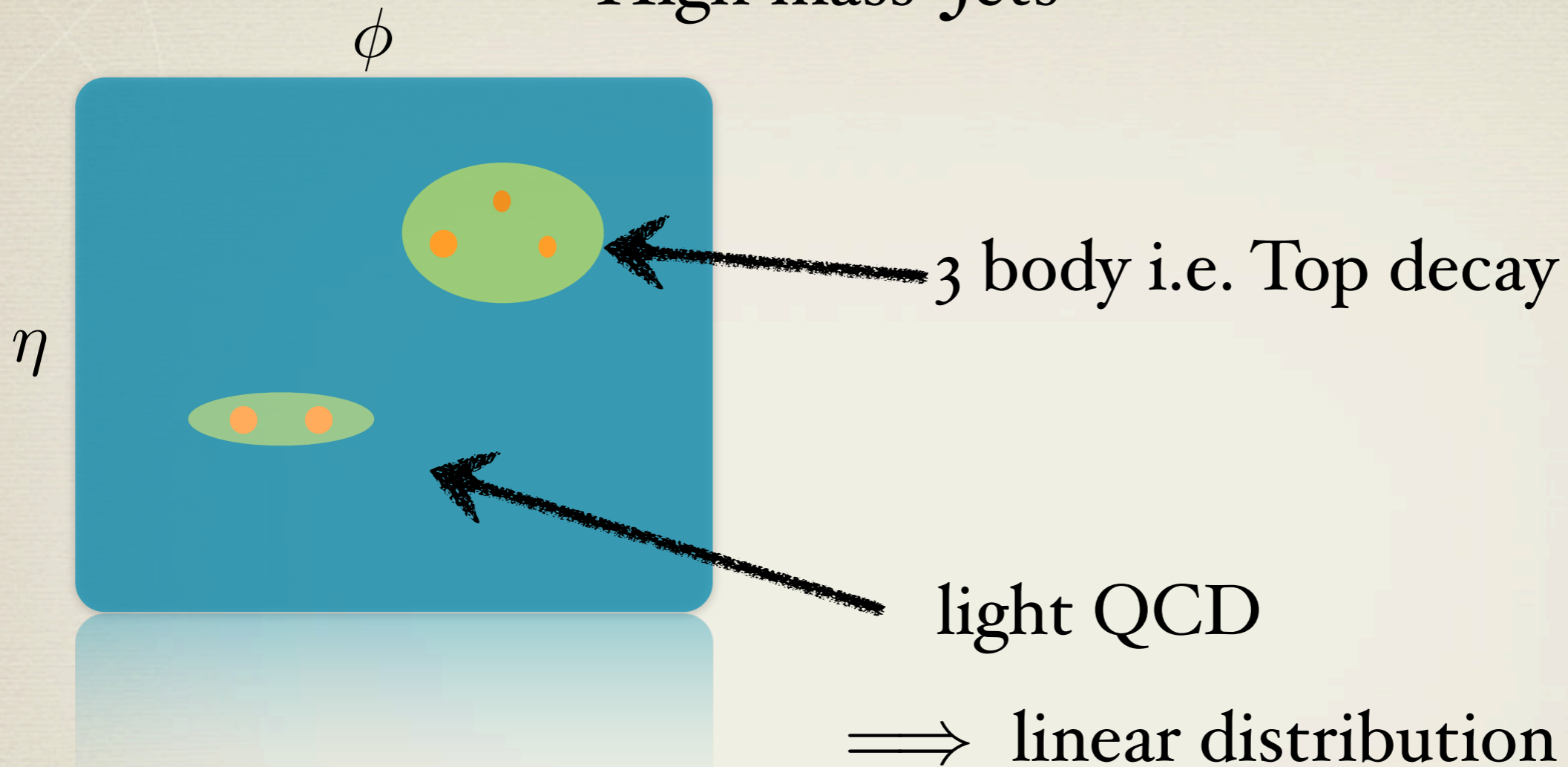


Ex: (sherpa) Di-Jet Vs. SM $t\bar{t}$



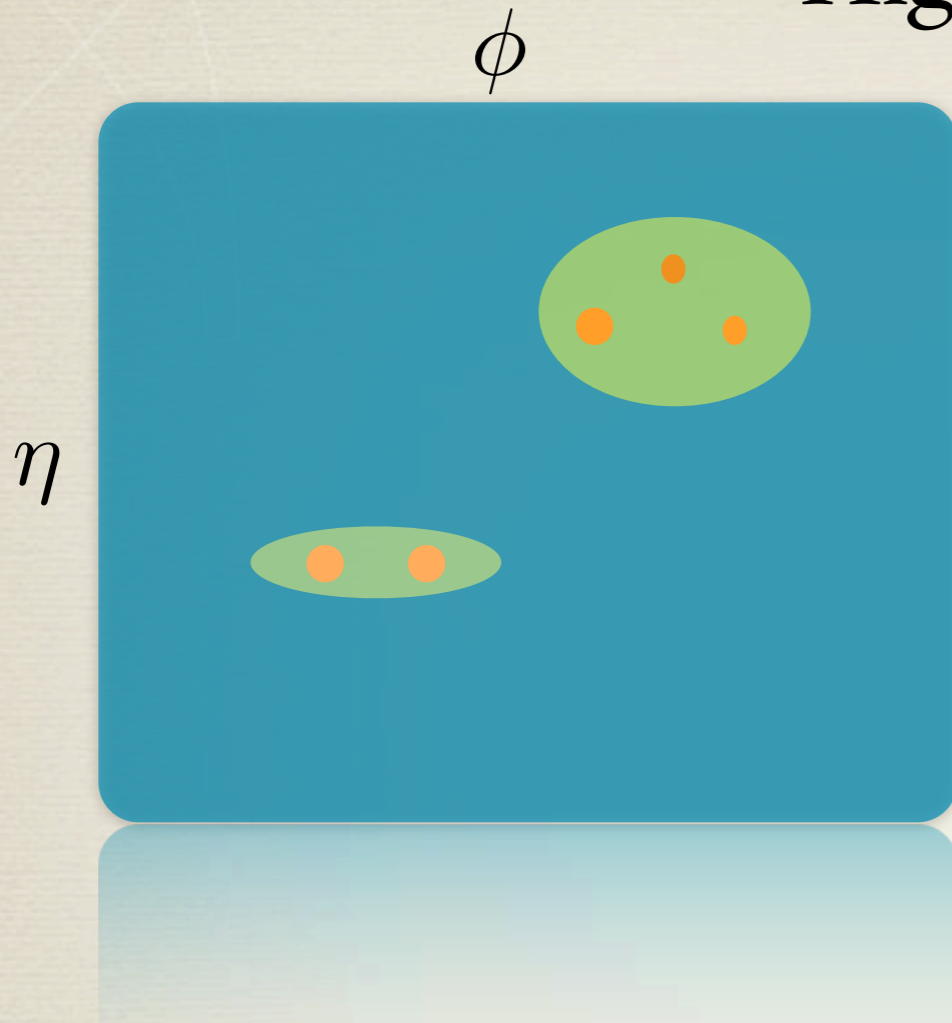
Planar Flow

High mass Jets



Planar Flow

High mass Jets



We can use “inertia” of the distribution

$$I_{\omega}^{kl} = \frac{1}{m_J} \sum_i \omega_i \frac{p_{i,k}}{\omega_i} \frac{p_{i,l}}{\omega_i}$$

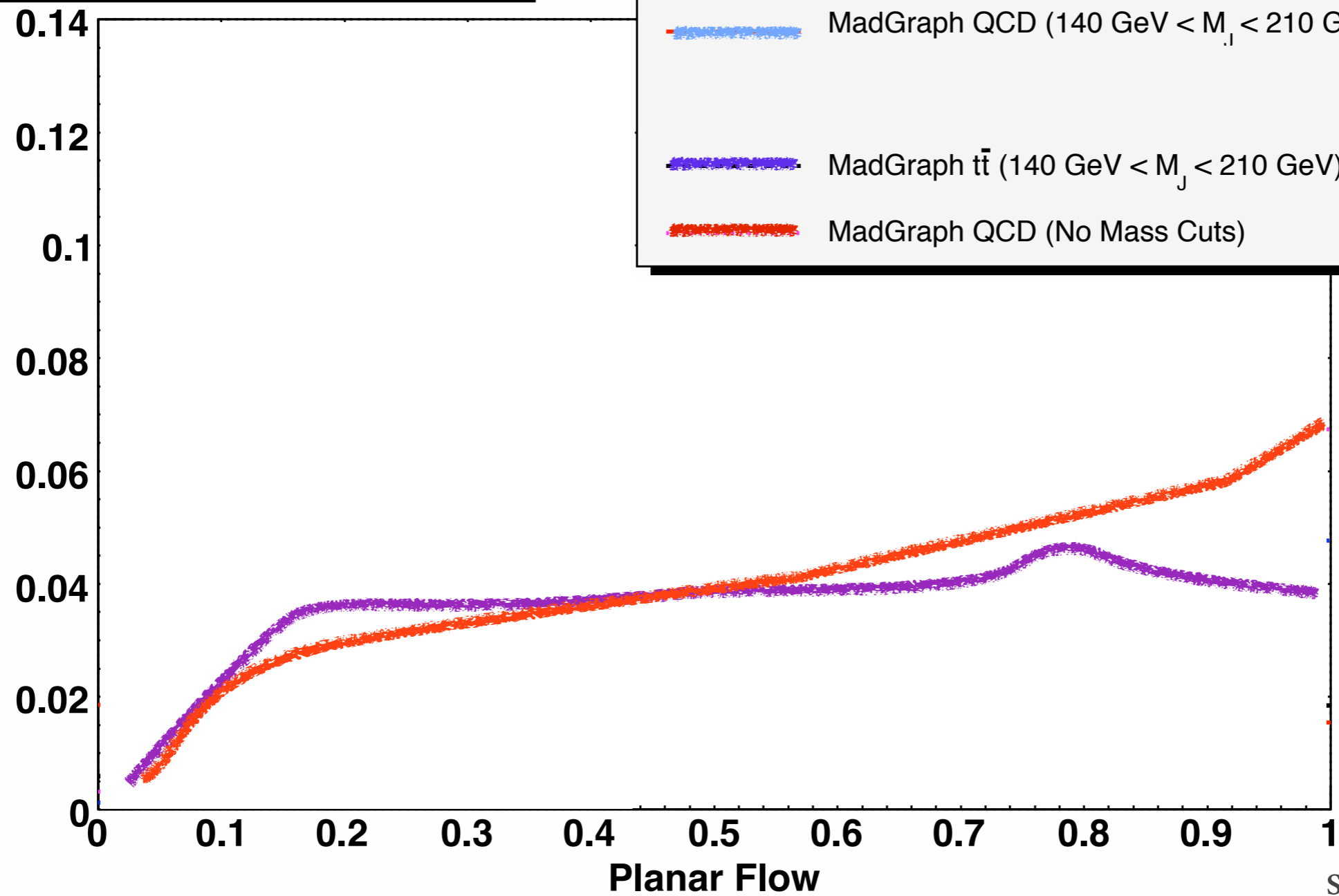
Planar Flow:

$$Pf = \frac{4 \det(I_{\omega})}{\text{tr}(I_{\omega})^2}$$

$$\text{linear} \implies Pf = 0$$

Planar Flow

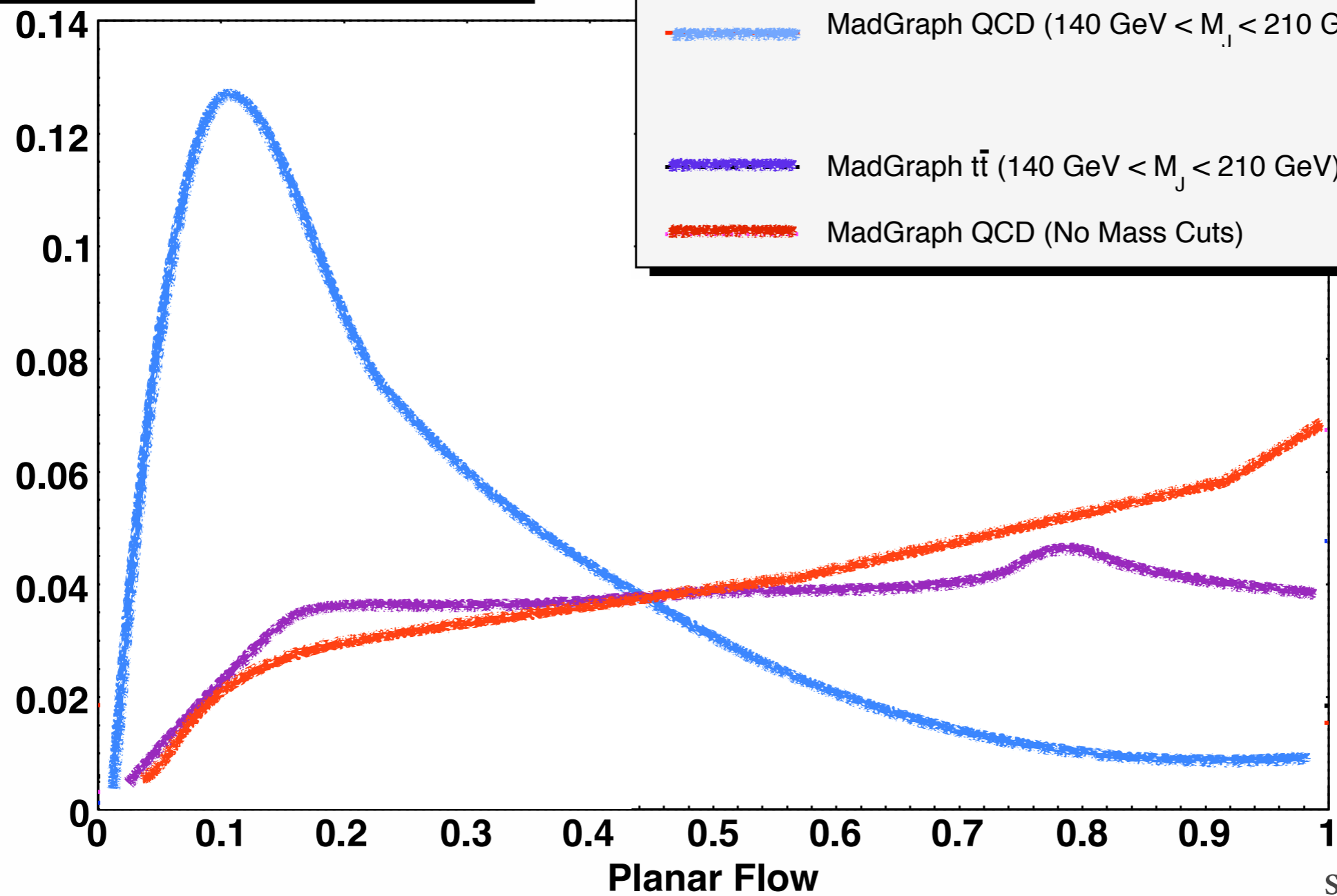
Planar Flow ($P_T = 1$ TeV)



sketch

Planar Flow

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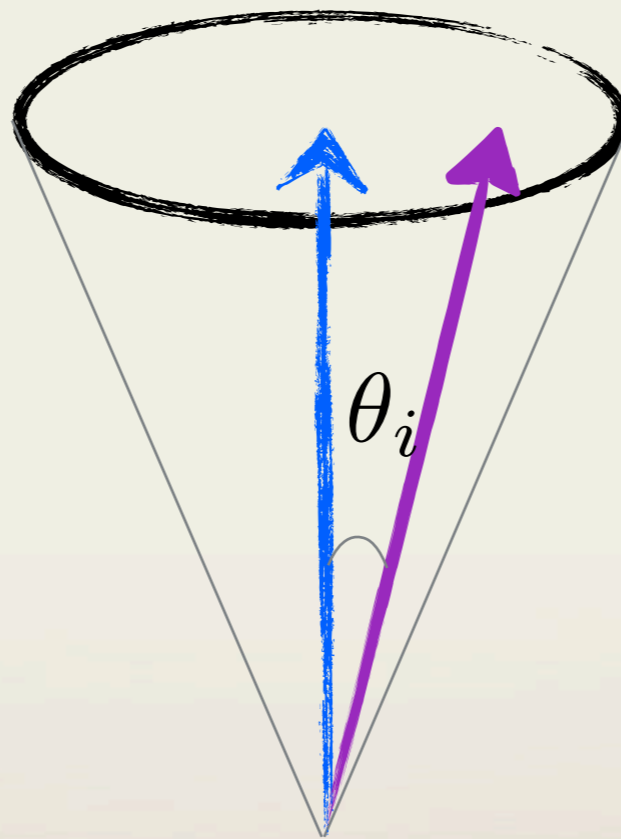


sketch

Angularities

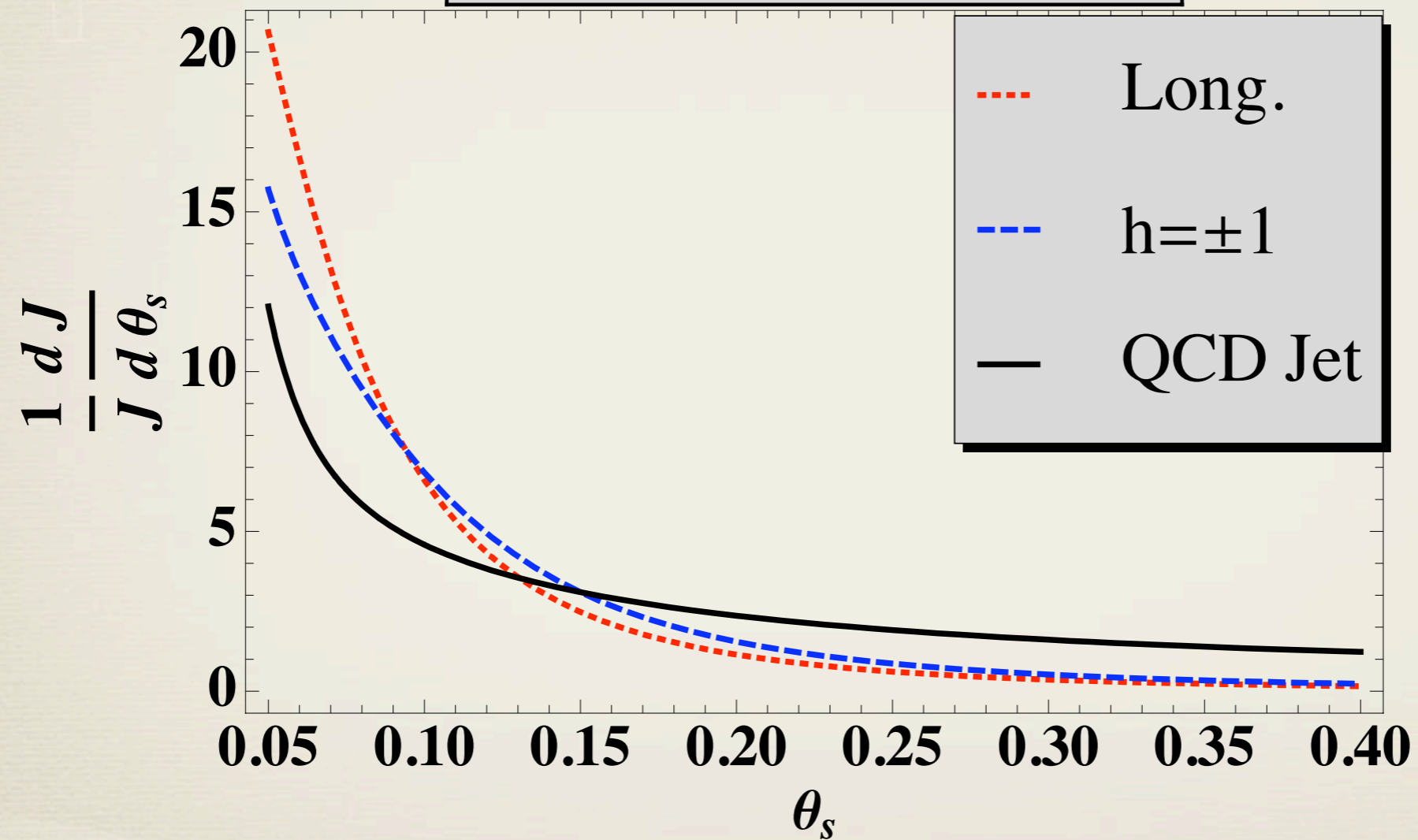
(C. Berger, T. Kucs, G. Sterman '03)

$$\tau_a = \frac{1}{m_J} \sum_i \omega_i \sin^a \left(\frac{\pi \theta_i}{2R} \right) \left[1 - \cos \left(\frac{\pi \theta_i}{2R} \right) \right]^{1-a}$$



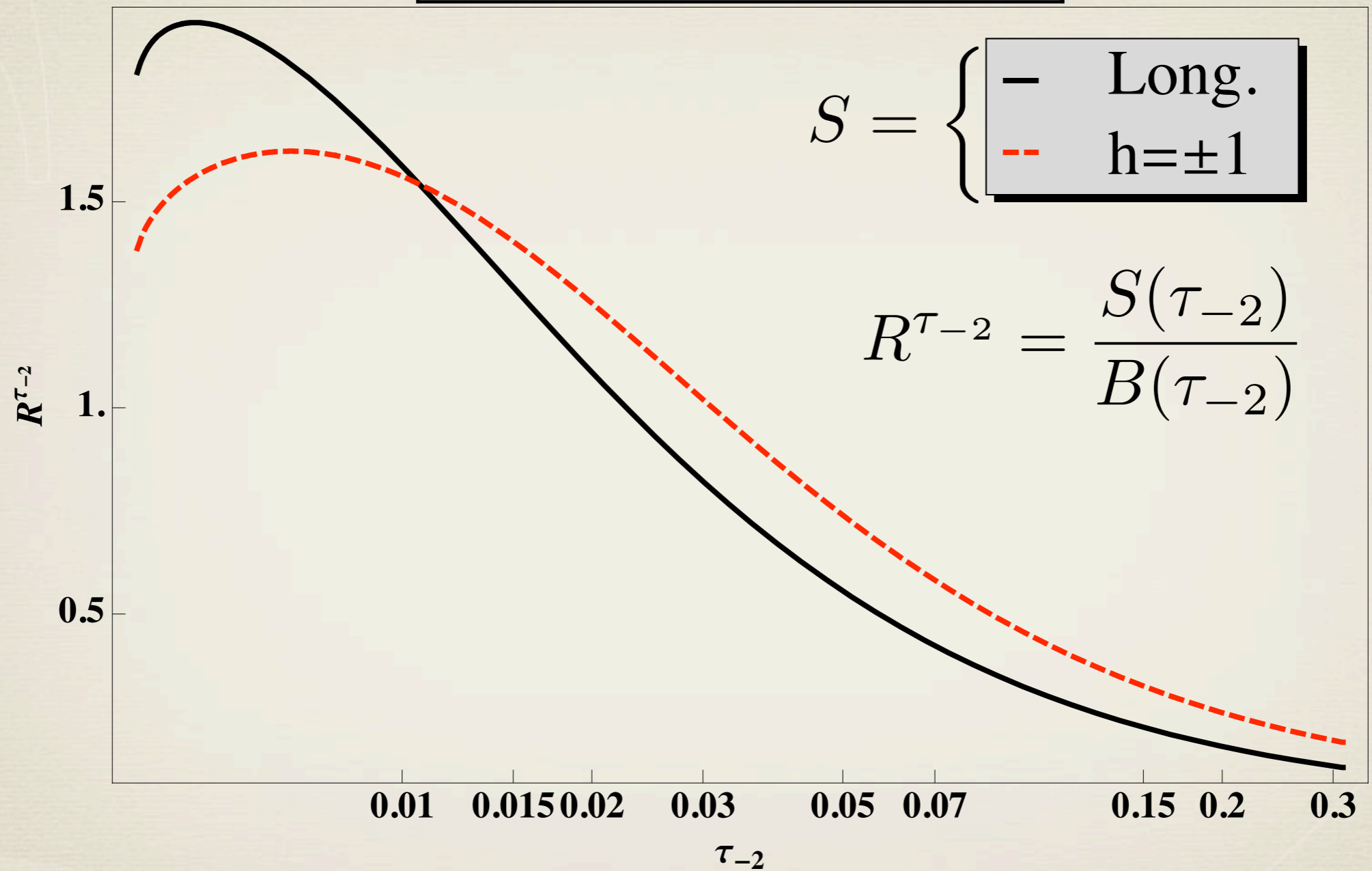
Gauge Boson Decays

$\frac{1}{J} \frac{dJ}{d\theta_s}$ vs. θ_s for $z=0.05$



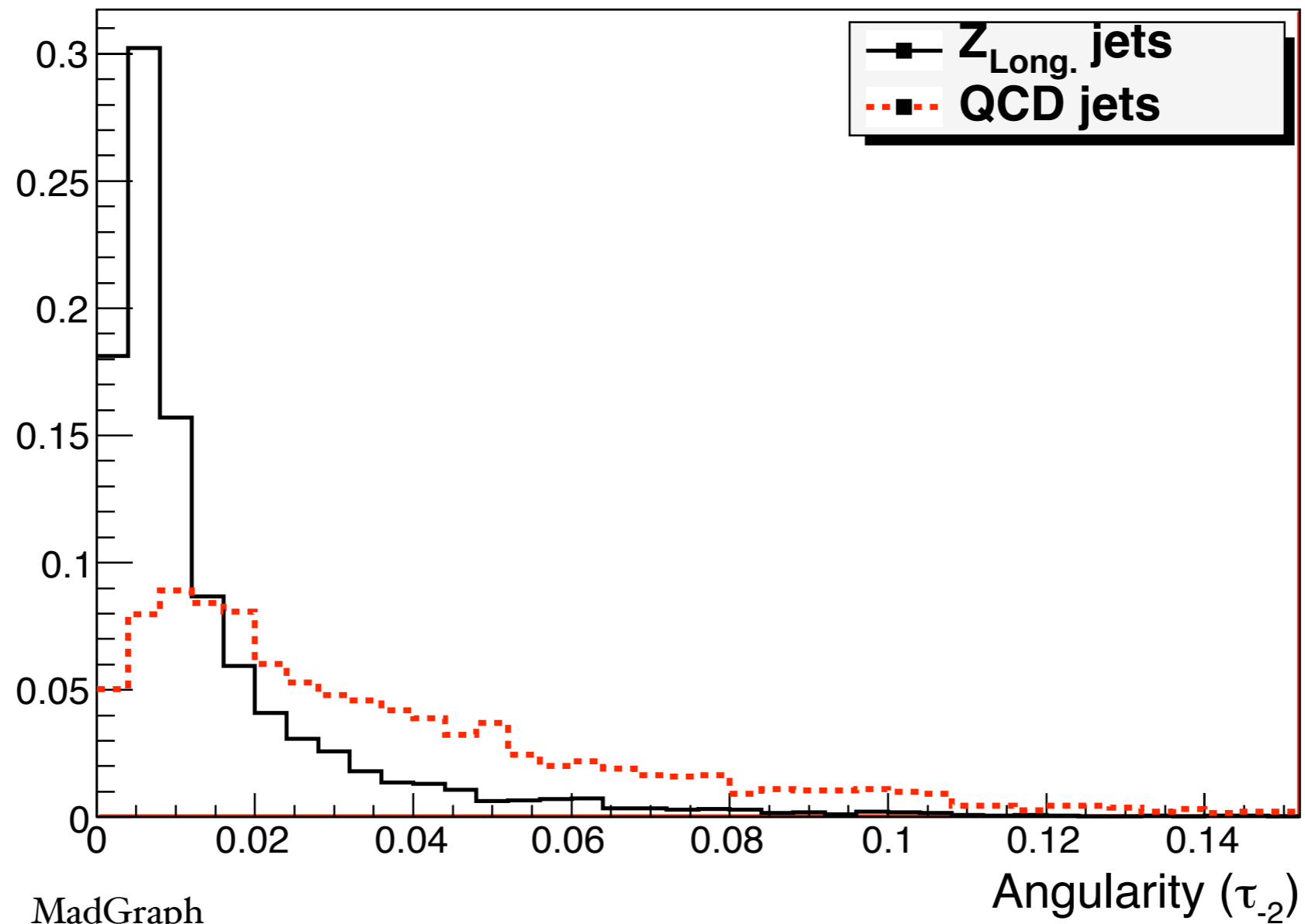
Angularities

$R^{\tau_{-2}}$ vs. τ_{-2} for $z=0.05$



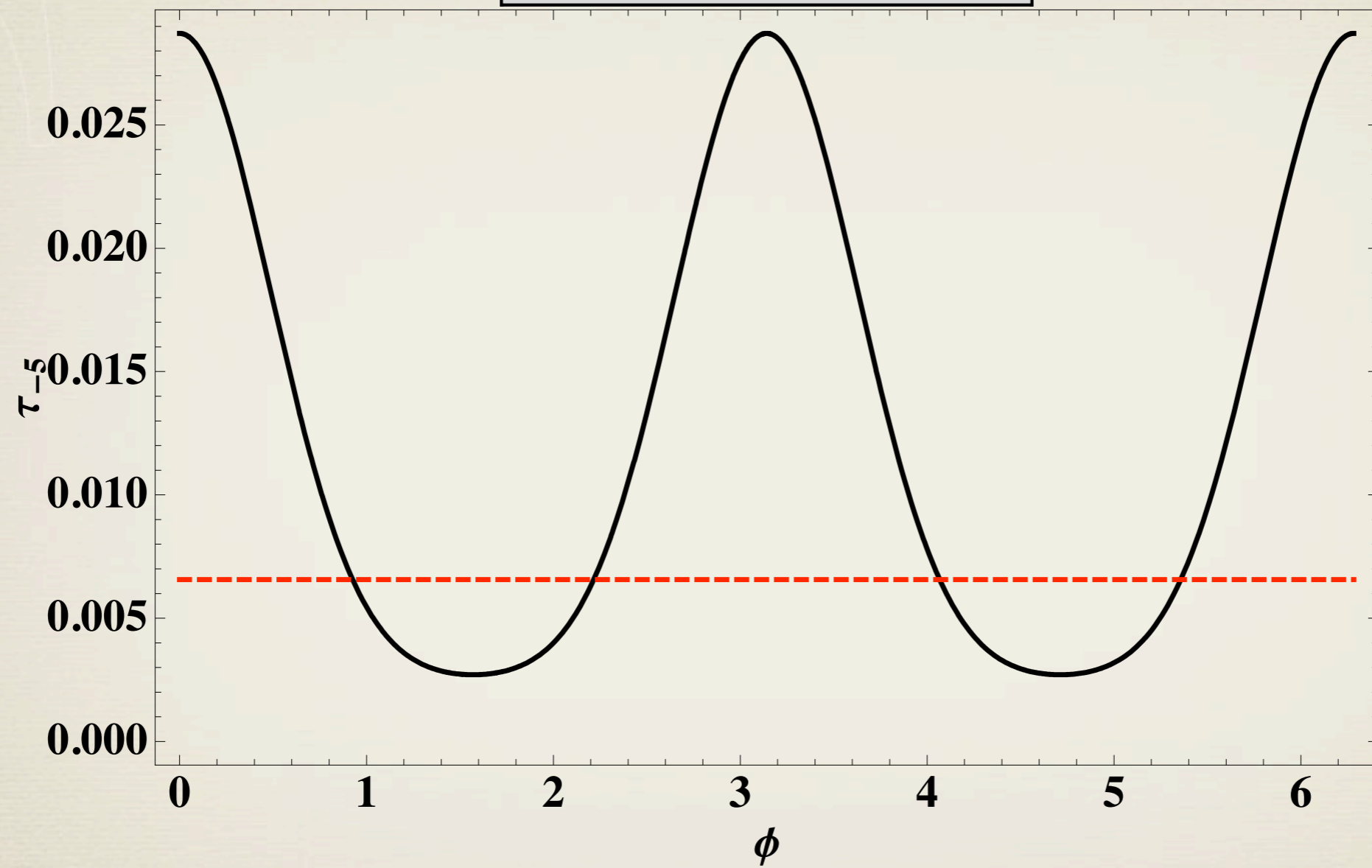
Angularities in MC

Angularity, τ_a ($a = -2, z = 0.05, R = 0.4$)



Linear Top Decay

Angularity (τ_a) with $a=-5$



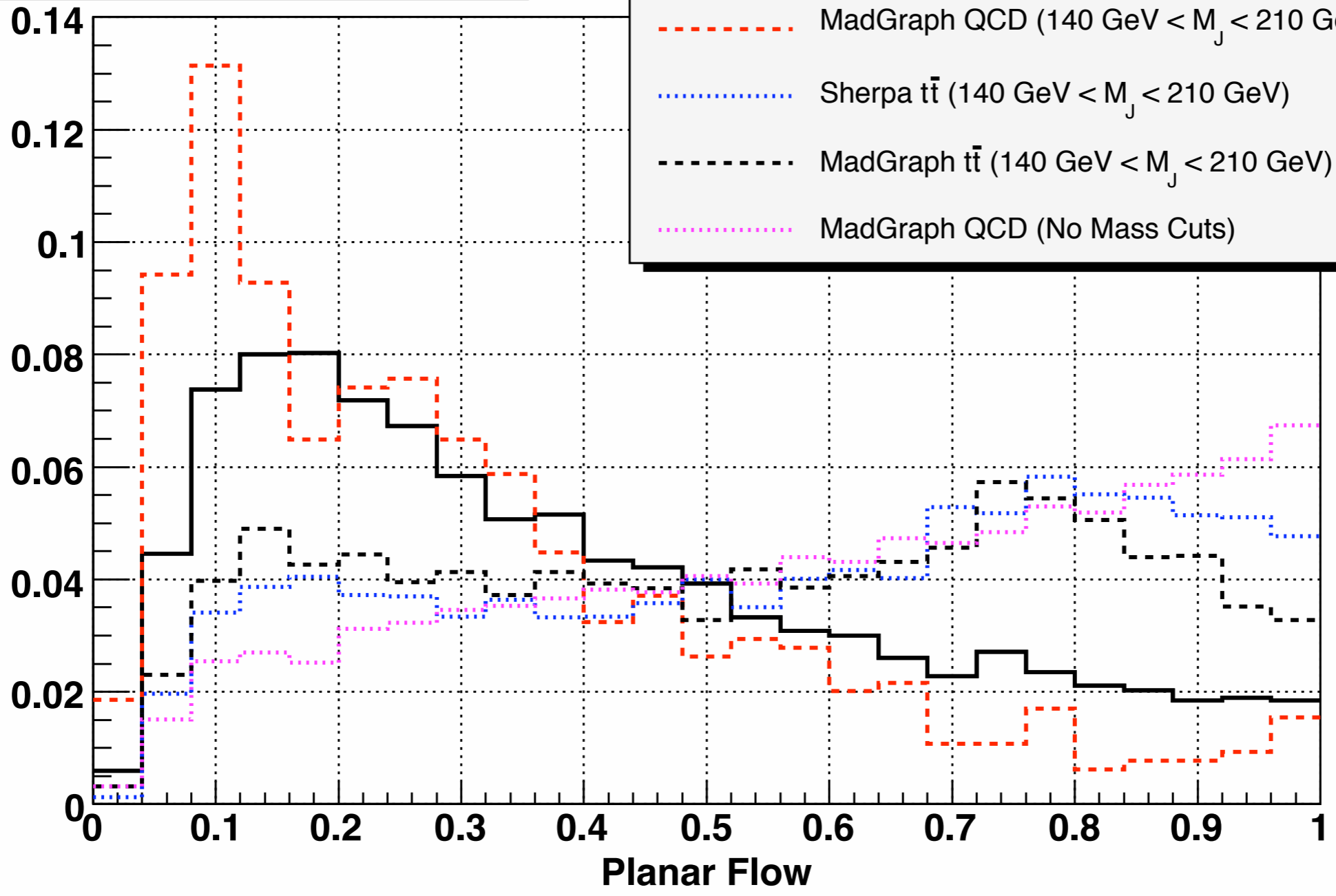
Summary

Jet functions provide a systematic approach to describe the jet mass background (small R)

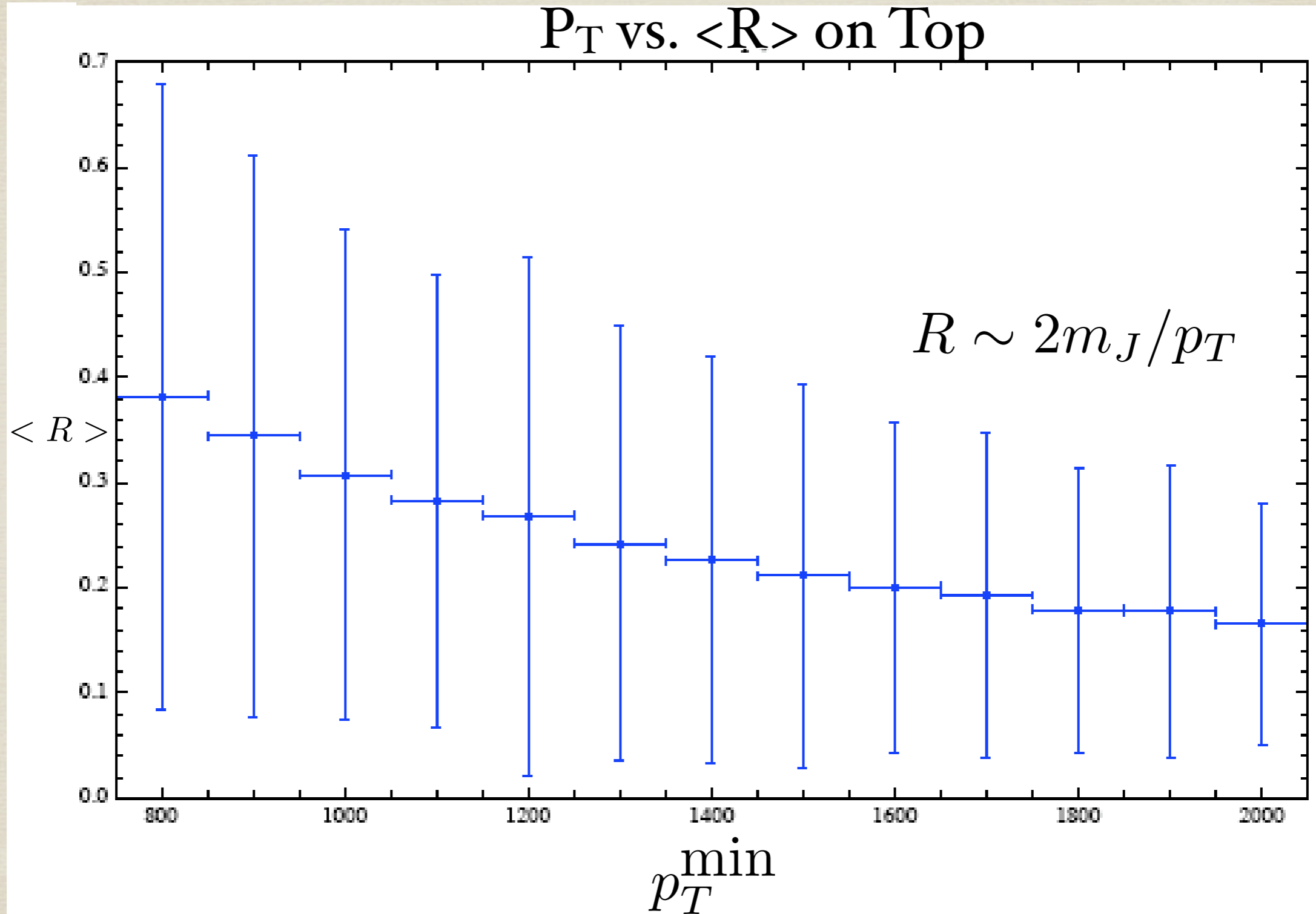
A Careful understanding of the substructure of Background and Signal allows us to develop observables that are “tuned” to our signal

Planarity Effects in QCD light jets appear at NLO in Jet Mass Distrib. (α_s^4)

Planar Flow ($P_T = 1$ TeV)



Top jets collimate @ high P_T



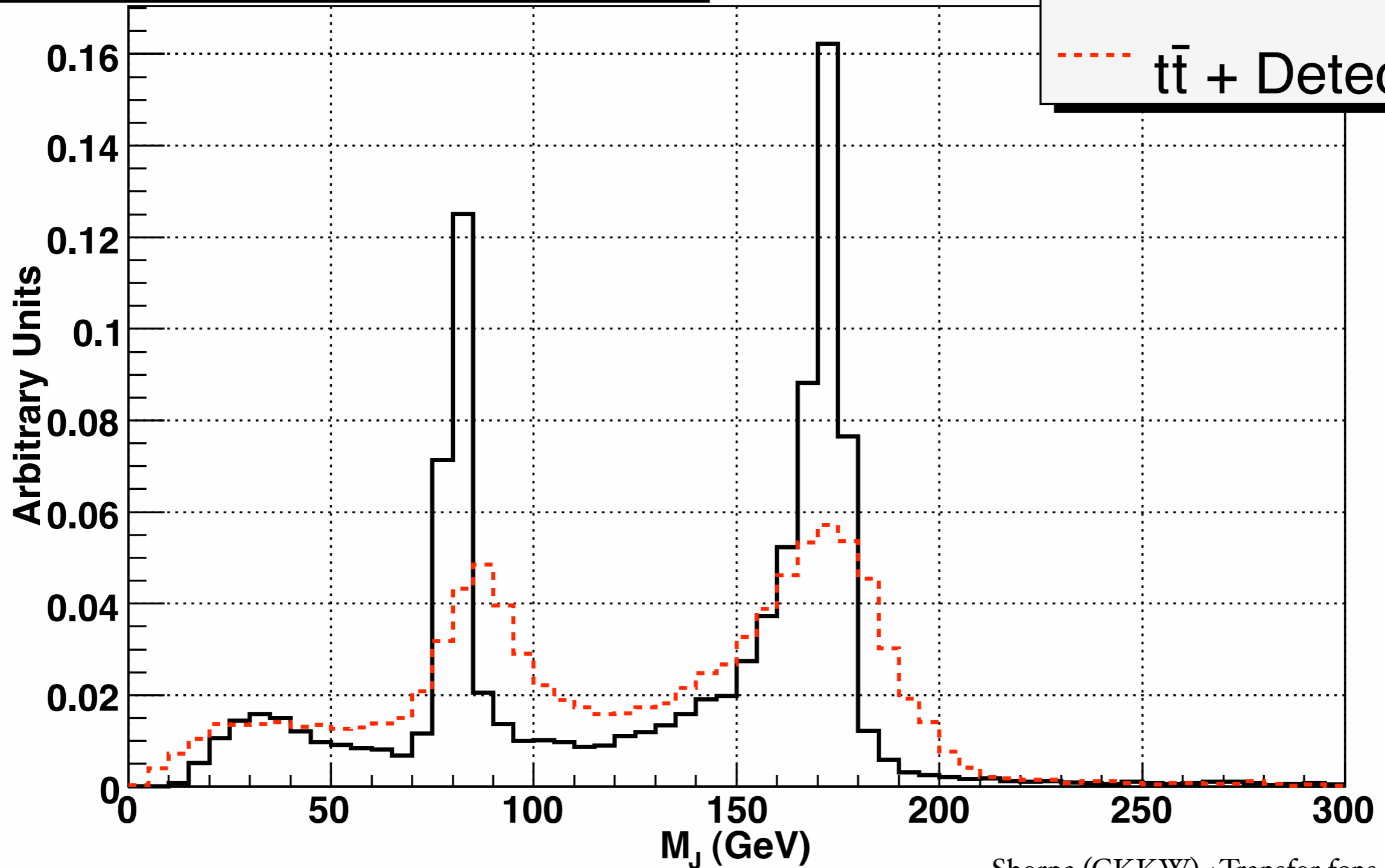
Cone Size: $R^2 = (\Delta\eta)^2 + (\Delta\phi)^2$

Top Jet Mass Distribution

Jet Mass (C4 $P_T^{\text{LEAD}} > 1000 \text{ GeV}$)

$R=0.4$

— $t\bar{t}$
- - - $t\bar{t}$ + Detector



Sherpa (CKKW) + Transfer fcn + JES

Small cone losses signal