

Forward–Central Jet Correlations

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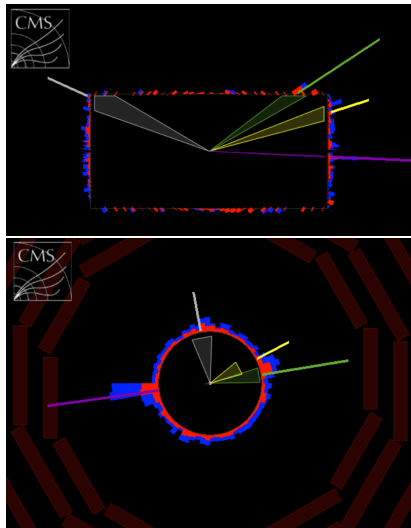
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- Proton Structure
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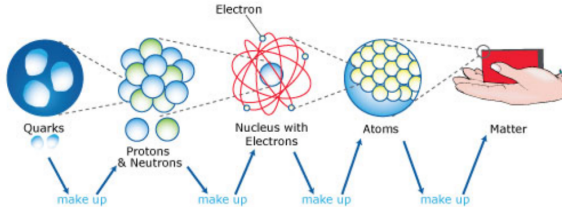
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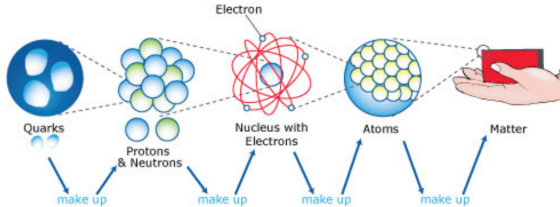
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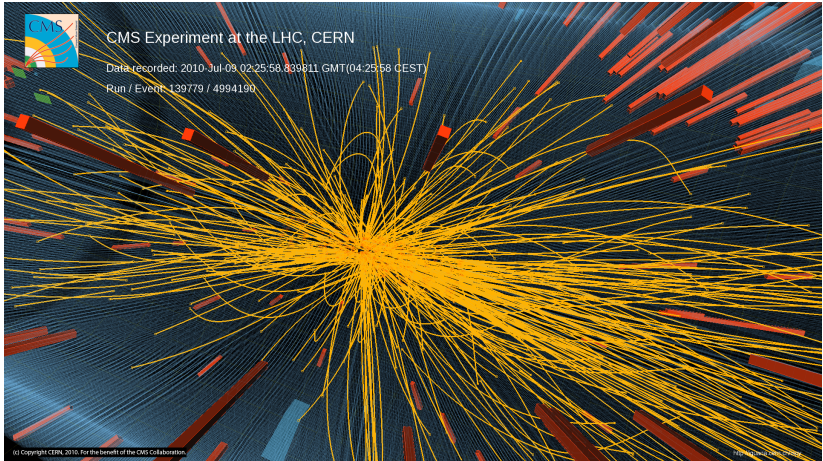


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- Protons have two types of quarks: valence quarks and sea quarks.
- Valence quarks contribute to the quantum number of the hadron.
- Sea quarks are virtual quark-antiquark pairs which come from the splinting gluons within the hadron.
- Systematic description of QCD stills a challenge.
- Understanding the structure of the proton will give a new insight on these riddles.

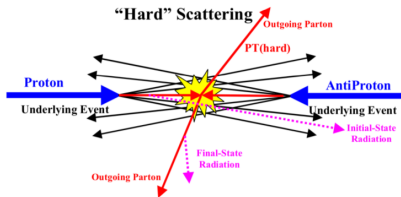
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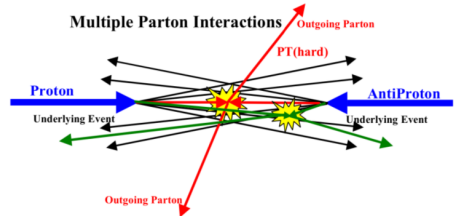
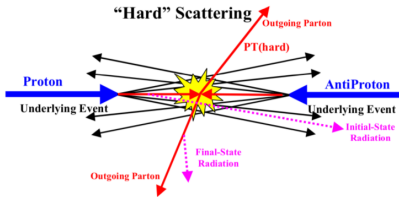
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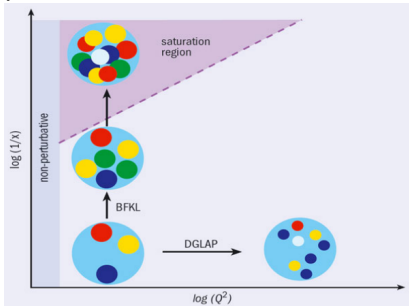


Multi-Parton Interactions

- In the same proton there are several partons.
- It is possible that more than one of them collide.

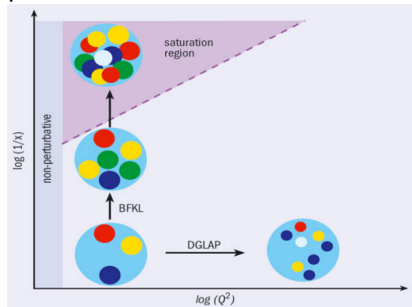
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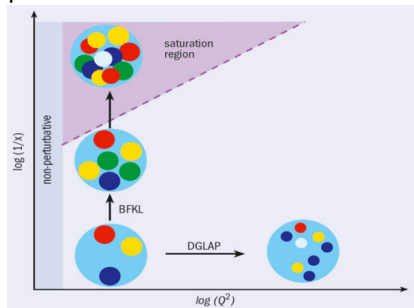


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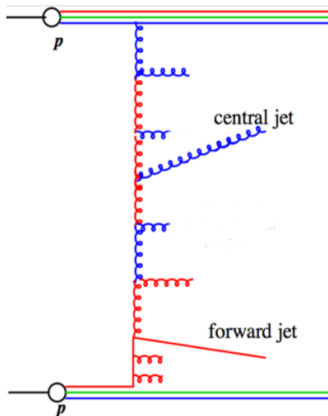
BFKL (Balitsky-Faden-Kuraev-Lipatov)

- Resum the $\log(1-x)$ contributions
- Expected to be the dominant scheme at low- x
- Cascade strong ordered in x but not in k_T

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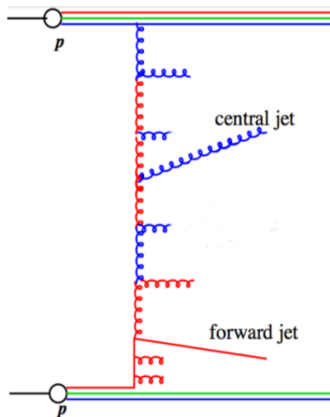
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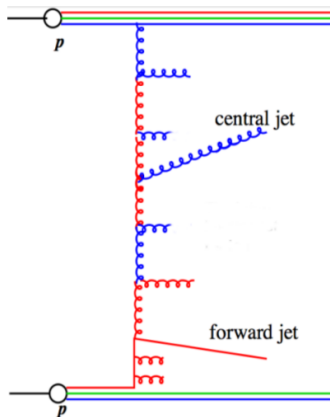
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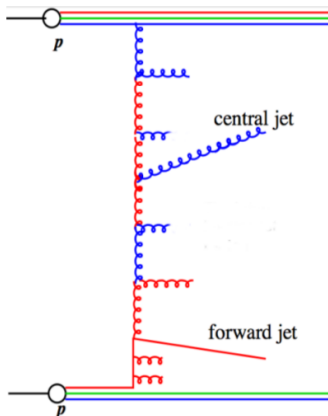
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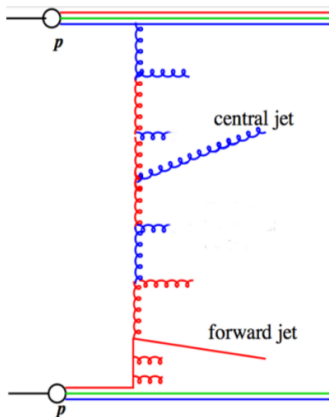
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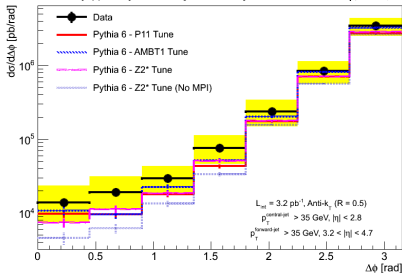
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Sensitivity to underlying event and multi-parton interactions

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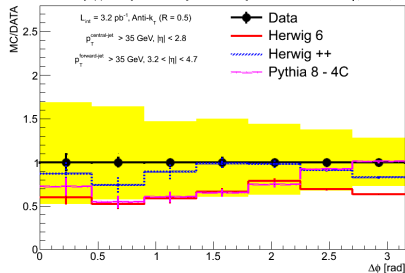
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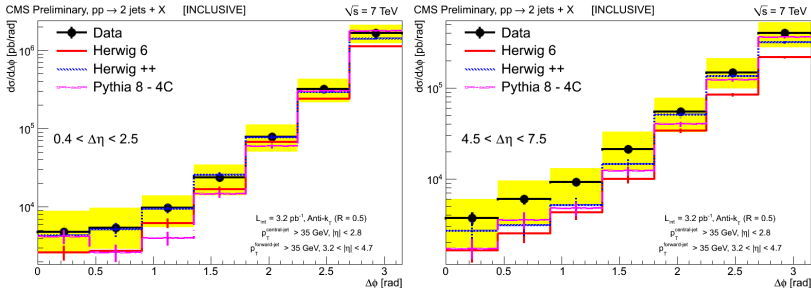
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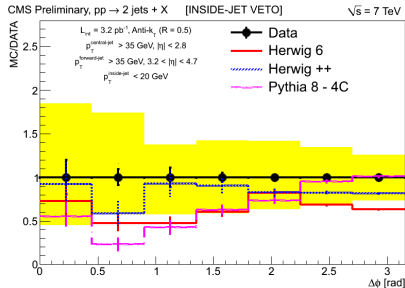
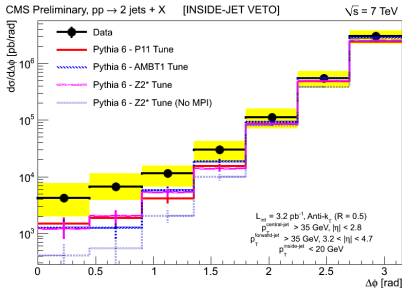
- $\Delta\phi$ is a steeply falling distribution
- All the Mc describe the distribution reasonably well, except for the lower $\Delta\phi$ region

Inclusive Scenario Differentially

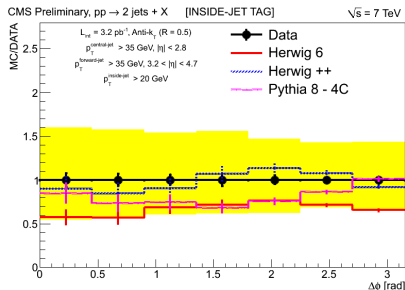
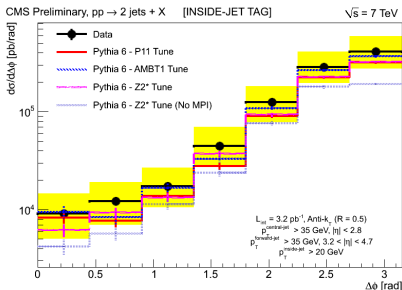


- The slope flattens out as the rapidity gap increases.
- The MC predictions have more troubles to reproduce the results in the wider rapidity gap.

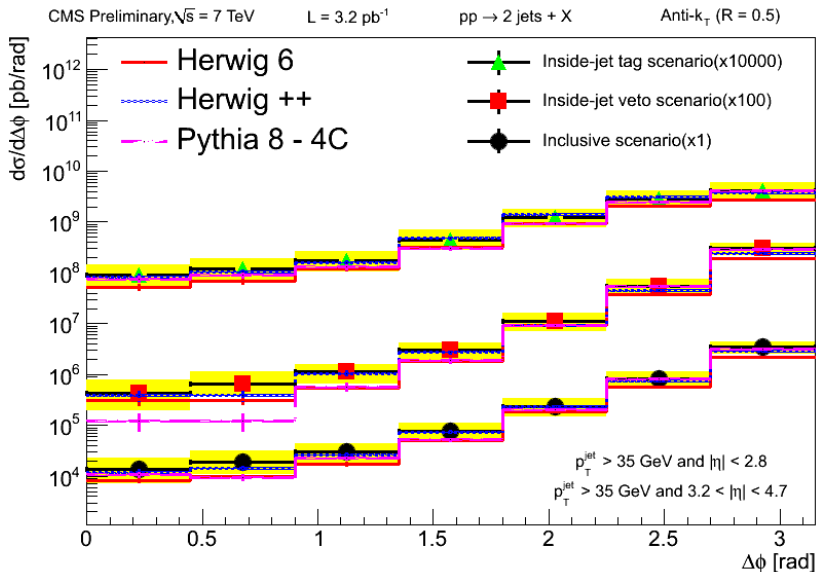
Veto Scenario



- The correlation is stronger than in the inclusive scenario
- Pythia deviates more from data while Herwig describes it better for lower $\Delta\phi$



- The decorrelation is stronger than in the inclusive scenario
- Most predictions seem to yield a reasonable shape but fail slightly in the normalization



Summary

- Forward–Central Jet Correlations had been measured, probing the high and low- x physics.
- DGLAP MCs describe the observables very well.
- No Monte Carlo is able to describe all features of the data.

Thank you for your attention