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# TOP MASS MEASUREMENT IN THE ALL HADRONIC $T\bar{T}B\bar{A}R$ CHANNEL



# OUTLINE

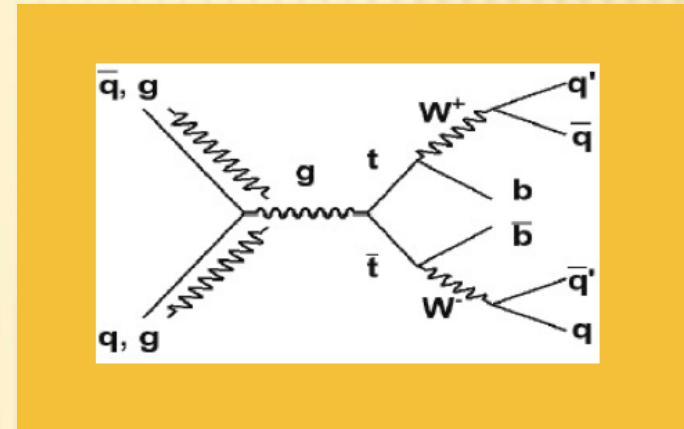
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- ✓ all-hadronic  $t\bar{t}$  channel and QCD multi jet events
- ✓ trigger focus:
  - preliminary studies at an event generator level with Pythia
  - determine efficiency of existing multi jet triggers
  - develop new ones that can stand higher lumi
- ✓ top reconstruction:
  - use of b-tagging to start with
  - develop an efficient technique for signal extraction and reconstruction
  - mass measurement → fit? template? TMVA?

# ALL HADRONIC TTBAR CHANNEL

I'm looking into the all-hadronic ttbar channel:

- highest BR (46%) → large statistics
- full event reconstruction
- large combinatorial background (90/event)
- **huge QCD background**



TRIGGER



first step to get a good  
separation  
of signal from background



# QCD MULTI JET BACKGROUND

events with 6 high  $p_T$  jets in the final state are a background to the all hadronic  $t\bar{t}$  signal

in case of available b-tagging at a trigger level the signal from background separation will become easier

first first data only jet trigger are available  
HLT runs in pass-through mode



*SAME  
for offline*



**NEED TO UNDERSTAND SIGNAL AND BACKGROUND TOPOLOGY IN DETAIL, TO OPTIMIZE CUTS ON  $p_T$ /ETA/N OF JETS**



# TRIGGER STUDIES WITH PYTHIA

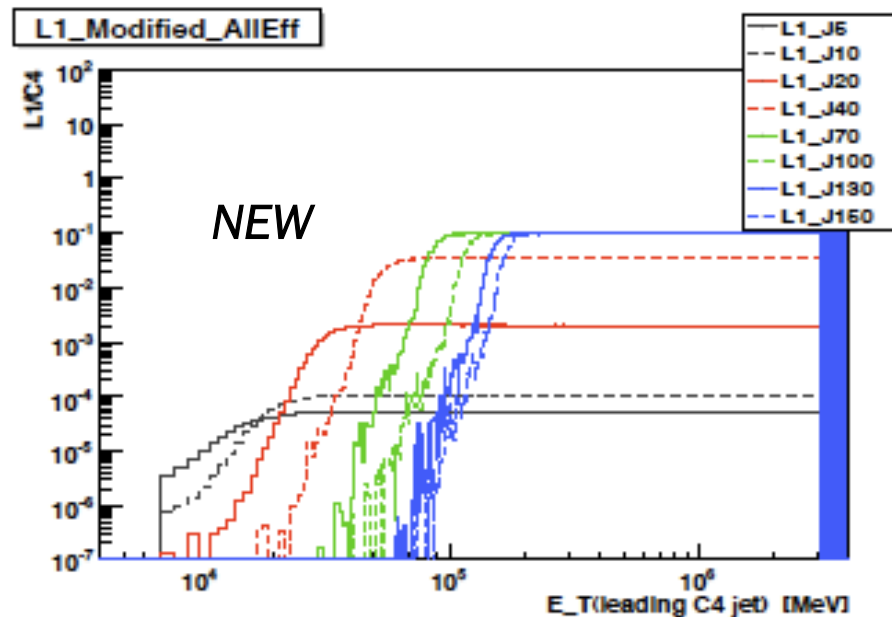
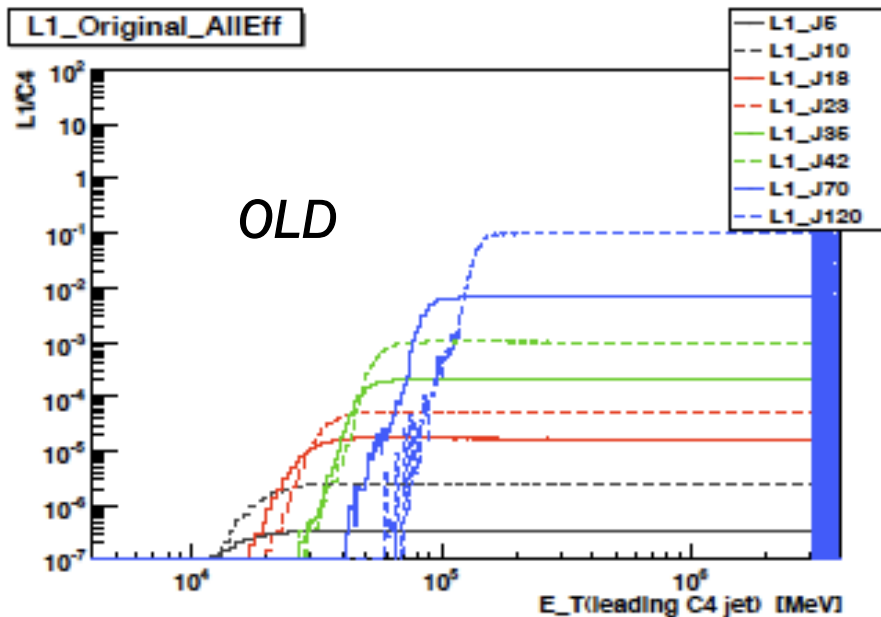
	<i>efficiency</i>	<i>sigma Pythia</i>	<i>eff. * sigma</i>	<i>S/B</i>	
1J100 ttbar	$5.46 \cdot 10^{-1}$	$0.230 * 0.44 \text{ nb}$	$5.5 \cdot 10^{-2} \text{ nb}$	$5.7 * 10^{-5}$	ONE JET
1J100 QCD	$1.34 \cdot 10^{-3}$	$751619 \text{ nb}$	$1 \cdot 10^3 \text{ nb}$		
6J30 ttbar	$2.5 \cdot 10^{-1}$	$0.230 * 0.44 \text{ nb}$	$2.5 \cdot 10^{-2} \text{ nb}$	$1.2 * 10^{-3}$	6 JETS
6J30 QCD	$2.6 \cdot 10^{-5}$	$751716 \text{ nb}$	$20 \text{ nb}$		
6J35 ttbar	$1.6 \cdot 10^{-1}$	$0.232 * 0.44 \text{ nb}$	$1.7 \cdot 10^{-2} \text{ nb}$	$1.9 * 10^{-3}$	
6J35 QCD	$1.2 \cdot 10^{-5}$	$752344 \text{ nb}$	$9 \text{ nb}$		
6J40 ttbar	$1 \cdot 10^{-1}$	$0.230 * 0.44 \text{ nb}$	$1.1 \cdot 10^{-2} \text{ nb}$	$3.0 * 10^{-3}$	
6J40 QCD	$5 \cdot 10^{-6}$	$752412 \text{ nb}$	$3.8 \text{ nb}$		
6J45 ttbar	$7.2 \cdot 10^{-2}$	$0.231 * 0.44 \text{ nb}$	$7.5 \cdot 10^{-3} \text{ nb}$	$4.9 * 10^{-3}$	6 & 4 JETS
6J45 QCD	$2.1 \cdot 10^{-6}$	$751994 \text{ nb}$	$1.6 \text{ nb}$		
6J204J40 ttbar	$3.74 \cdot 10^{-1}$	$0.230 * 0.44 \text{ nb}$	$3.8 \cdot 10^{-2} \text{ nb}$	$1.1 * 10^{-3}$	
6J204J40 QCD	$5 \cdot 10^{-5}$	$752050 \text{ nb}$	$3.76 \cdot 10^1 \text{ nb}$		

one jet trigger:: not efficient → in QCD events the highest pT jet has a pT higher than in ttbar  
 six-jets :: “flat” multi-jet triggers show a better S/B but a smaller signal efficiency:  
 could be strongly biased by the event generator==> need full ME calculation!!

# ATLAS TRIGGER

- multi jet menu trigger have to be base on LV1 trigger thresholds
- from June 09 (trigger menu meeting): LV1 jet trigger thresholds will change in order to avoid overlap of turn on regions [Gustavo Kertzscher ]

existing L1 thresholds	5	10	18	23	35	42	70	120
proposed L1 thresholds	5	10	20	40	70	100	130	150



# ATLAS TRIGGER

new menu LumiE31 implemented from production release 15.3.1.5 →

- used for mc08 re-processing
- contains new jet thresholds
- contains some multi-jet triggers

test triggers ..?

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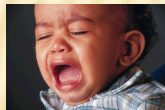
I was asked to test..



# ATLAS TRIGGER

Plan is:

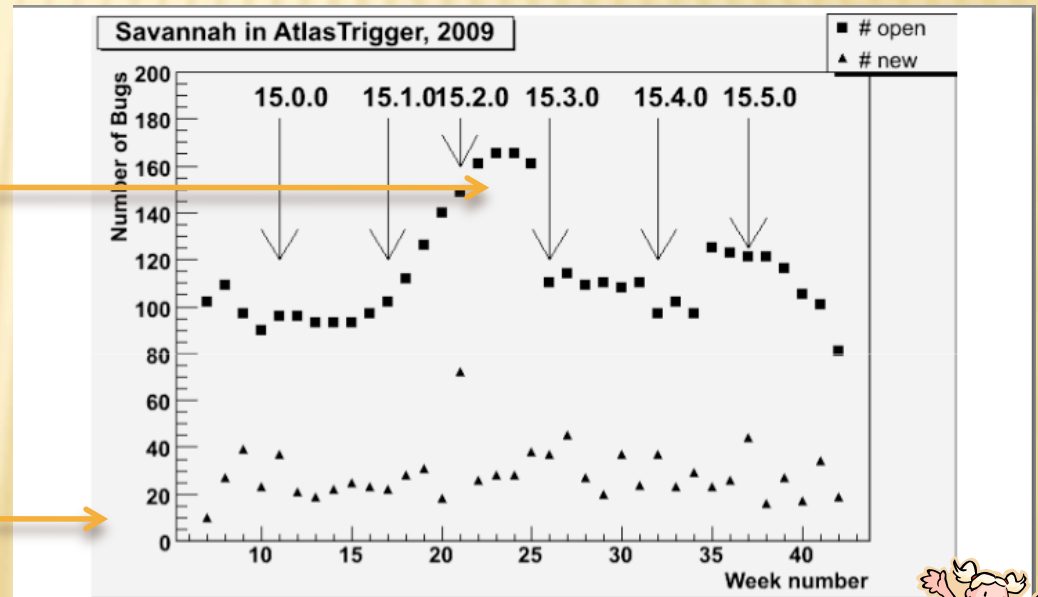
- ✓ test efficiency of all of the multi jet triggers in the menu
- ✓ implement and test efficiency and estimate rate of new triggers:
  - ✓ valid for higher lumi
  - ✓ keep higher signal statistics at low lumi as well
  - ✓ test triggers inspired from pythia studies
  - ✓ Ignacio Aracena is already proposing XJY+JEZ triggers (discussion on JE def)
  - ✓ already tried to start BUT...:



Me Jumping on the trigger train..

FROM  
trigger menu meeting

Wednesday 14 October 2009	
14:00->15:35	<b>General Issues</b>
14:00	P1 Status (10) ( Slides )
14:20	Trigger time-outs and truncated HLT results (10) ( Slides )
14:40	Releases and Validation Update (10) Monika W
15:00	Monitoring Update (10) Martin Zur Nedden (Humt
15:20	Offline Trigger Shifter Monitoring (15) ( Slides )



→ Good news: Number of open bugs slowly going down!



# MASS MEASUREMENT

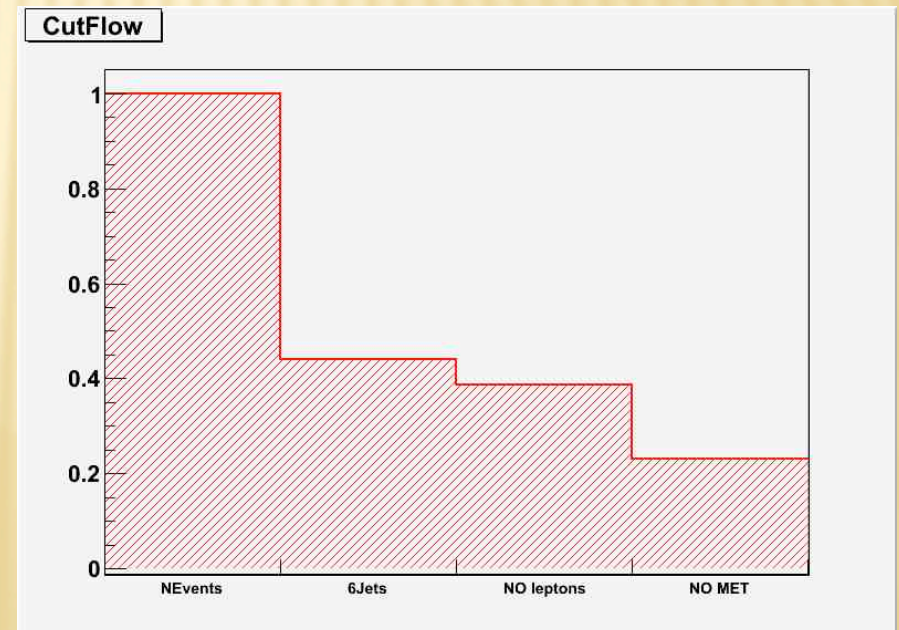
I think (after looking at Marion's and Liv's thesis) that:

- cut based analysis WITH b-tagging is feasible
  - I would like to optimize it wrt AntiKt algos and LC jets
  - using b-tagging one could optimize the reconstruction with TMVA or others..
- cut based analysis WITHOUT b-tagging is VERY hard  $S/B = 1/1000$ ..
- and if we don't have b-tagging yet, will we have a GOOD tune/ understanding of QCD background in terms of MC simulations?

Selection at the moment 25% efficiency

- $n_{\text{jets}}(pt > 20 \text{ GeV}) \Rightarrow 6$  (no el overlap!)
- no isolated e or mu with  $pt > 20 \text{ GeV}$
- no  $MET > 20 \text{ GeV}$

COULD IT BE BETTER?...



# CONCLUSIONS

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Some numbers at 10 TeV:

- ✓ integrated luminosity of  $200 \text{ pb}^{-1}$
- ✓ all-hadronic cross section (NNLO) 176 pb
- ✓ 35000 events \* 0.5 (multi-jet selection efficiency) = 19000 signal ev
- ✓ QCD background LO after trigger = 30000000 ev

**LOTS OF WORK TO BE DONE !!!!!**



**BACK-UP**

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# TRIGGER STUDIES

Preliminary studies at event generator:

- used Pythia for both parton shower and hard process
- run jet algorithm on outgoing HADRONS (Kt4)
- applies multi-jet filters on the truth jets ( $|\eta| < 3.2$  as feasible at trigger level)
- simulate both QCD and  $t\bar{t}$  production in this way, applying the same filters

- ✓ running Pythia in ATLAS is quite easy
- ✓ different parameters are easily tunable
- ✓ no “a priori” filter applied
- ✓ all the previous studies have been performed with Pythia at 14 TeV ==> useful comparison at 10 TeV

BUT..

- no detector description is included: vital for trigger studies
- Parton Shower Event generators are not providing the best theoretical description of multi-jet final states, because of soft and collinear approximation==> ALPGEN samples

# TRIGGER STUDIES

ALL samples (QCD and ttbar) generated with MC08\_Pythia\_Common.py:

1.  $\sqrt{s} = 10$  TeV
2.  $\text{ckin}[3] = 18$ . GeV == minimum allowed Pt value for the 2p-> 2p hard process
3. run number 105046 for QCD
4. run number 105204 for ttbar ==> Pythia meta-data cross section \* all-had BR
5. statistics of  $10^6$  events/sample for QCD
6. Statistics of  $10^4$  events/sample for ttbar

Results organized in tables:

- every row is a different sample (ttbar or QCD) with a specific filter applied
- $\text{efficiency} = \frac{\# \text{events surviving the filter}}{\# \text{events generated}}$
- $\sigma_{\text{pythia}}$  == cross section of GENERATED events
- $\text{eff.} * \sigma$  == effective cross section AFTER filter, if no prescale ==>
- this is the trigger rate at  $L = 10^{33} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$
- at  $L = 10^{31} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$ , this has to be multiplied by  $10^{-2}$
- $S/B = \text{signal} / \text{background ratio}$



# TRIGGER STUDIES

the jet Pt cut of the multi-jet filter indicates the ACTUAL threshold applied

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4J17_3J35 ttbar	$8.22 \cdot 10^{-1}$	$0.230 * 0.44 \text{ nb}$	$8.4 \cdot 10^{-2} \text{ nb}$	$7.5 * 10^{-5}$
4J17_3J35 QCD	$1.45 \cdot 10^{-3}$	751682 nb	$1.1 \cdot 10^3 \text{ nb}$	

MULTI JET TRIGGER MENU FILTERS

ALPGEN SAMPLE TRUTH FILTER

# PYTHIA PT CUT

**Justification of the low PT cut at 18 GeV: the sigma\*efficiency is stable up to 35 GeV!!**

