



# W & Z boson production (LHC)

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- LHC machine
- ATLAS and CMS detectors
- Inclusive production of Z/ W  $\rightarrow$  leptons
- Data Driven Techniques
- W/Z + Jets
- W charge asymmetry
- Z FB asymmetry
- Summary



### LHC machine

Cross section (mb)

102

10

10

1.9 2





LHC Circumference	~27 km
Designed E <sub>cm</sub>	14 TeV
Designed Luminosity	10 <sup>34</sup> cm <sup>-2</sup> s <sup>-1</sup>
bunch crossing rate	40 MHz (t <sub>bc</sub> =25 ns)
protons/bunch	~10 <sup>11</sup>



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<u>SC dipoles:</u> Number: 1232 Temp: 1.9K Length: 15m Weight:34tons Mag. Field: 8.3Tesla

σ<sub>inel</sub>(pp)≈80 mb@14TeV

total

elastic

Hat 1 3 13

103

10

Center of mass energy (GeV)

102

10

106

103

10

11111

104

10

109

pp

10

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- •W,Z properties are well known
- SM rediscovery studying W,Z production at LHC is fundamental
  - Very clean signal through their leptonic decays, large cross section
  - Provide strong constraints on the detector performance-calibration
  - > Sufficient statistics for  $d\sigma/dpt$  and  $d\sigma/d\eta$  measurements
  - >  $d\sigma/dpt$  spectrum provides constraints on QCD while  $d\sigma/d\eta$  is a direct probe of the PDFs
  - Building blocks of new physics scenarios e.i. Z', W', Little Higgs T->tZ ...













# CMS Inclusive Z/W(I)

#### **Ζ->**μ⁺μ⁻

- At least one of the Muons fired the trigger
- Two OS muons (hits from Tracker + Muon Chambers) with  $P_t > 20 \text{GeV}$ ,  $M_{\mu\mu} > 20 \text{ GeV/c}^2$
- Muon Isolation from tracker,  $\Sigma P_t$  of the tracks < 3GeV/c ( in cone  $\Delta R$  <0.3 )



#### **W->μv**

- Muon fired the trigger
- One muon (hits from Tracker + Muon Chambers) with  $P_t$  > 25GeV,  $|\eta|$  < 2
- Muon Isolation from tracker,  $\Sigma P_t$  of the tracks/Muon Pt < 0.09 ( in cone  $\Delta R$  <0.3 )
- MET stands for a measurement of the escaped v
- M<sub>T</sub> > 50 GeV/c<sup>2</sup>





### CMS Inclusive Z/W(II)



#### Z→e⁺e⁻

- At least one of the Electrons should fired the trigger
- Two electrons with  $E_t > 20 GeV$ ,  $|\eta| < 2.5$
- Electron Isolation from tracker, ECAL and HCAL ( in cone 0.02< $\Delta R$  <0.4 )
- Electron Id using shower shape variable( cluster width in η direction) and E/M cluster – track matching
- 70GeV/c<sup>2</sup> < M<sub>ee</sub> < 110 GeV/c<sup>2</sup>

#### W→ev

- Electron fired the trigger
- One electron with  $E_t > 30 GeV$ ,  $|\eta| < 2.5$
- Veto in second electron with Et > 20GeV
- Electron Isolation from tracker, ECAL and HCAL
- Same variables as in Z→e+e- case but tighter cuts





### Total Z/W inclusive x-sec



ATLAS				<b>P</b> ( 404)						
	$\sqrt{s} = 14TeV$	Process	$N(\times 10^{+})$	$B(\times 10^{4})$	A	×£ ð.	A/A = c	$\delta \varepsilon / \varepsilon$	σ (pb)	
RESULTS		$W \rightarrow ev$	$22.67 \pm 0.04$	$0.61 \pm 0.92$	0.	215 0.	.023	0.02 2	$0520 \pm 40 \pm$	=1060
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		$Z \rightarrow ee$	$2.71 \pm 0.02$	$0.23 \pm 0.04$	0.	246 0.	.023	0.03	$2016 \pm 16 \pm$	= 83
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Misalignment and uncertainties on the magnetic field have an impact on the reconstructed Z boson mass due to the muon momentum scale corrections of the order of 2.7%



Tag&Probe Method: Used to measure efficiencies from data

- 1. Tag Lepton(µ,e): pass stringent Muon or electron Identification criteria
- 2. Probe( $\mu$ ,e) : pass a set of id criteria depending on the efficiency under study
- 3.  $M_{lepton-Tag,lepton-Probe}$  in a window around  $M_Z$

CMS Preliminary

MC

0

0.5

T&P (data L=10 pb-1)

1 1.5 2

Trigger Efficiency

0.7

0.6

0.5

 $\sqrt{s} = 10 TeV$ 

-1 -0.5

-1.5

-2

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η





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# Data Driven Techniques (II)

#### Matrix or ABCD method:

Used to estimate the QCD background in W leptonic decays from data

Assume:

 $F_{QCD} = QCD_A/QCD_B = QCD_D/QCD_C = F'_{QCD}$ 

Make a scatter plot of two uncorrelated variables i.e. lepton Isolation vs Missing Transverse Energy (MET).



where  $QCD_X = N_X$ -EWK<sub>X</sub>-S<sub>X</sub> and N<sub>X</sub>, EWK<sub>X</sub>,S<sub>X</sub> are the total number of events, the EWK events (small number estimated from MC simulation) and the W→Iv events in region X(=A,B,C,D) respectively.

→ Then  $F_Z = S_A/S_B$ ,  $F_Z' = S_D/S_C$  can be estimated from the γ\*/Z→ee Ersatz (substitute) MET. So emulate the neutrino by calculating the MET of the Zee

sample but exclude one of the electrons and take into account the different kinematics  $\rightarrow$  Provides a reasonable MET representation in W $\rightarrow$ ev events

Also define  $I = S_{A+B}/S_{A+B+C+D}$ : the efficiency of the Track Isolation cut for the Ws and can be estimated from the T&P method.



 $\checkmark\,$  Finally simple algebra gives the Signal (W) in the A+B regions







 $\sigma(Z + (n+1) \text{ Jets})/\sigma(Z + n \text{ Jets}) \sim \alpha_s$ 



Z+Jets production is important:

- Test of perturbative QCD
- Important backgrounds for SM and BSM physics
- Test of performance of MC event generators





jet energy scale (JES)	7	7.6
Type 1 missing $E_T$ scale	10 (unclustered $E_T^{miss}$ ) + 7 (JES)	7.4
MC $p_T^{jet}$ , $\eta^{jet}$ dependence	-10,+0	-10,+0
b-tagging of b-jets ( $\delta \varepsilon_b$ )	8	16
mistagging of c-jets ( $\delta \varepsilon_c$ )	8	0.5
mistagging of light jets ( $\delta \varepsilon_{\ell}$ )	7.6	0.5
$N_Z^{afier \ b-tag}$ due to $t\bar{t}$ background subtraction	4	4.6
R	5	0.4
lepton selections	0.5	0.5
luminosity	10	10

Side – bands used to estimate the top background from data  $\delta\sigma = \pm 15\%(stat) \pm_{25\%}^{21\%}(sys)$ 

### $pp \rightarrow W(\mu v) + X$ charge asymmetry

The current PDFs predict an excess of W<sup>+</sup> over W<sup>-</sup> production with average charge ratio of 1.5 because protons have two u-type valence quarks

 $> A(\eta)$  is rather insensitive to systematics

Can be used to distinguish between different PDFs

$$A(\eta) = \frac{\frac{d\sigma}{d\eta}(W^+ \to \mu^+ \nu) - \frac{d\sigma}{d\eta}(W^- \to \mu^- \nu)}{\frac{d\sigma}{d\eta}(W^+ \to \mu^+ \nu) + \frac{d\sigma}{d\eta}(W^- \to \mu^- \nu)}$$

 $\hfill\square$  Selection criteria the same as for the  $W{\rightarrow}\mu\nu$  cross section measurement





### Z Boson FB asymmetry (A<sub>FB</sub>)



In pp collisions, e<sup>+</sup>e<sup>-</sup> pairs are predominantly produced via *qq* annihilation
 In SM there is an asymmetry (A<sub>FB</sub>) in the polar emission angle (θ) of the electron relative to the quark momentum vector in the e<sup>+</sup>e<sup>-</sup> rest frame
 A<sub>FB</sub> measurement is important:

 $\succ$  improve the knowledge of SM parameters (weak mixing angle -  $sin^2\theta_{eff}^{\ \ lept}$ ). Expect linear dependence between  $A_{FB}$  and  $sin2\theta_{eff}^{\ \ lept}$  around Z pole

> test the physics BSM (if performed in higher mass)

A<sub>FB</sub> measurement done around Z mass using either both electrons to be in the central region (C-C) or one in the central

$$A_{FB} = \frac{N_F - N_B}{N_F + N_B}$$

N<sub>F</sub>: Forward produced events (cosθ>0)

N<sub>B</sub>: Backward produced events (cosθ<0)

and the other in the Forward Calorimeters (2.5<|n|<4.9) (C-F)





# Summary



- Inclusive Z/W cross section measurements studies performed in both ATLAS and CMS LHC experiments
- Data Driven methods tested for extracting the efficiencies and QCD background
- Together with Z/W+Jets and W charge asymmetry studies present a robust start-up program
- The control of the SM EWK processes gives a significant confidence for New Physics studies





• For CMS:

https://twiki.cern.ch/twiki/bin/view/CMS/Ph ysicsResults

 For ATLAS: http://cdsweb.cern.ch/record/1125884/files /CERN-OPEN-2008-020.pdf?version=5





# **BACK-UP SLIDES**



### CMS Muon System P<sub>t</sub> resolution





Muon system resolution dominated by multiple scattering in iron for Pt<200 GeV</p>

Tracker alone gives best result, except at high Pt A.Kyriakis, EPS09 16-7-2009



### **Material Budget**





CMS material budget vs  $\eta$ 

ATLAS material budget vs  $\boldsymbol{\eta}$ 





Detector component	<b>Required resolution</b>	n $\eta$ coverage	
	6.50 <i>4</i>	Measurement	Trigger
Tracking	$\sigma_{p_T}/p_T = 0.05\% \ p_T \oplus 1\%$	±2.5	
EM calorimetry	$\sigma_{\!E}/E=10\%/\sqrt{E}\oplus 0.7\%$	±3.2	±2.5
Hadronic calorimetry (jets)			
barrel and end-cap	$\sigma_{\!E}/E=50\%/\sqrt{E}\oplus3\%$	$\pm 3.2$	±3.2
forward	$\sigma_{\!E}/E = 100\%/\sqrt{E} \oplus 10\%$	$3.1 <  \eta  < 4.9$	$3.1 <  \eta  < 4.9$
Muon spectrometer	$\sigma_{p_T}/p_T$ =10% at $p_T$ = 1 TeV	±2.7	±2.4

**Table 1.** General performance goals of the ATLAS detector. Note that, for high- $p_T$  muons, the muon-spectrometer performance is independent of the inner-detector system. The units for *E* and  $p_T$  are in GeV.





#### Z→e⁺e⁻

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- Two electrons with  $P_t > 20 GeV$ ,  $|\eta| < 2.5$
- Electron Isolation from tracker, (ΣP<sub>t</sub> of the tracks/P<sub>t</sub><sup>e</sup>)<sup>2</sup> < 0.02 ( in cone 0.02< $\Delta$ R <0.6 )

Definition of "robust" electron identification criteria.

	H/E	$\sigma_{\eta\eta}$	$\Delta \phi_{in}$	$\Delta \eta_{in}$
Barrel	0.115	0.0140	0.090	0.0090
Endcap	0.150	0.0275	0.092	0.0105

#### W→ev

Electron fired the trigger

•One electron with  $P_t > 20 \text{GeV}$ ,  $|\eta| < 2.5$ 

•Electron Isolation from tracker as in the  $Z \rightarrow e^+e^-$  case







## **Theoretical Uncertainties**







$$I = S_{A+B}/S_{A+B+C+D} \rightarrow I/(1.0 - I) = S_{A+B}/S_{C+D}$$
 (1)

$$S_{A+B} = (F_Z + 1.0)S_B$$
 (2)

$$S_{C+D} = (F'_Z + 1.0)S_C$$
 (3)

Each N has three components: W events, QCD and electroweak (EWK) background events. Assuming that  $F'_{QCD} = F_{QCD}$  we get:

$$F_{QCD} = F'_{QCD} = \frac{N_D - EWK_D - S_D}{N_C - EWK_C - S_C} = \frac{N_D - EWK_D - F'_Z S_C}{N_C - EWK_C - S_C} = (1), (3) = \frac{(F'_Z + 1.0)I(N_D - EWK_D) - F'_Z(1.0 - I)S_{A+B}}{(F'_Z + 1.0)I(N_C - EWK_C) - (1.0 - I)S_{A+B}}$$
(4)



### ABCD Mathematics (II)

In a similar manner:

$$F_{QCD} = \frac{N_A - EWK_A - S_A}{N_B - EWK_B - S_B} = \frac{N_A - EWK_A - F_Z S_B}{N_B - EWK_B - S_B} = (2) = \frac{N_A - EWK_A - F_Z (S_{A+B}/(F_Z + 1.0))}{N_B - EWK_B - (S_{A+B}/(F_Z + 1.0))} \rightarrow S_{A+B} = \frac{1.0 + F_Z}{F_Z - F_{QCD}} [N_A - EWK_A - F_{QCD} (N_B - EWK_B)]$$
(5)

Combining (4),(5) leads to an equation of the type:

$$aS_{A+B}^2 + bS_{A+B} + c = 0.0$$

with

$$a = (1.0 - I)(F'_Z - F_Z)$$
  

$$b = I(F'_Z + 1.0)[F_Z(N_C - EWK_C) - (N_D - EWK_D)] + (1 + F_Z)(1 - I)[(N_A - EWK_A) - F'_Z(N_B - EWK_B)]$$
  

$$c = I(1 + F_Z)(1 + F'_Z)[(N_D - EWK_D)(N_B - EWK_B) - (N_A - EWK_A)(N_C - EWK_C)]$$

Then

if 
$$F'_{Z} = / = F_{Z}$$
 we get  $S_{A+B} = (-b \pm SQRT(b^{2} - 4ac))/2a$   
if  $F'_{Z} = F_{Z}$  we get  $S_{A+B} = -c/b$