Z/γ*+Jets and photon+b/c Measurements at DØ

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OUTLINE:

INTRODUCTION ANALYSIS / RESULTS CONCLUSION



MOTIVATION

Z+Jets

- Test perturbative QCD and parton shower models
- Comparison with different event generators
- It is a major background for small cross section processes
- Clean signature and high purity
- Photon+heavy flavor
- Probe of heavy flavor and gluon contents of hadrons
- Probe gluon splitting to heavy flavor quark pairs
- Small cross section productions benefit from this knowledge
- High statistics and good energy measurement of the photon







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Currently taking DATA of proton-antiproton collisions at 1.96 TeV 70/pb per week and already 6/fb in tape DØ Run IIa jet physics well understood

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DØ DETECTOR



- Fiber and Silicon detectors for tracking in 2T superconducting solenoid magnet $|\eta|$ < 2.5
- Liquid Ar calorimeter (fine segmentation) + Ur calorimeter $|\eta|$ < 4
- Muon spectrometers using 1.8 T toroidal iron magnets $|\eta|$ < 2.0



Z+JET+X SELECTION

Muons

- p_T > 15 GeV
- |η| < 1.7
- Matched track
- $\Delta R(jet, muon) > 0.5$
- 65 GeV < $M(\mu,\mu)$ < 115 GeV

Electrons

- p_T > 25 GeV
- $|\eta| < 1.1$ and $1.5 < |\eta| < 2.5$
- Matched track
- 65 GeV < M(e,e) < 115 GeV



Jets

- reconstructed by D0 RunII iterative seedbased algorithm $\Delta R = 0.5$
- p_T > 20 GeV
- $|\eta| < 2.5$ (ee)
- $|\eta| < 3.2 \ (\mu\mu)$



$Z/\gamma^* p_{\tau}$ MEASUREMENT (pp $\rightarrow Z/\gamma^*$ ($\rightarrow ee$) + X)

DATA is unfolded to particle level

- **low** \mathbf{q}_{T} **high** $|\mathbf{y}|$: small-x non-perturbative test (BLNY) with and without modified form factors from small-x DIS data

- high q_: perturbative calculation test. NNLO is off by a factor of 1.25



Z/γ^* AND JET MEASUREMENTS (pp $\rightarrow Z/\gamma^*$ ($\rightarrow \mu\mu$) + jet + X)



DATA is corrected to particle level

Non-perturbative effects at low p_{τ} not well described NLO agrees within errors Event generators predict lower cross sections Alpgen has more central jets High p_{τ} slope differences in SHERPA and PYTHIA



ANGULAR MEASUREMENTS (pp $\rightarrow Z/\gamma^*$ ($\rightarrow \mu\mu$) + jet + X)

Measurements for 2 different Z p_{τ} thresholds

NLO is in fair agreement with DATA Sherpa agrees with DATA Z $p_{T} > 25$ GeV and has shape difference for Z $p_{T} > 45$ GeV Other event generators have the correct shape



ANGULAR MEASUREMENTS (pp $\rightarrow Z/\gamma^*$ ($\rightarrow \mu\mu$) + jet + X)

Measurements for 2 different Z p_{τ} thresholds

LO is shown (NLO not available by publication) Sherpa provides a good description while other event generators have a normalization differences



JET MEASUREMENTS (pp $\rightarrow Z/\gamma^*$ (\rightarrow ee) + jet + X)

Pythia with p_{τ} ordered (tune S0) has better agreement NLO improves over LO Alpgen+Pythia agrees in shape but not in normalization Herwig disagrees for $p_{\tau} > 50$ GeV Sherpa predicts a less steeply falling spectrum Phys. Lett. B 678, 45 (2009) D0 Run II, L=1.04 fb⁻¹ --- Data at particle level + Data PYTHIA S0 [1 / GeV] 10⁻² MCFM NLO HERWIG+JIMMY --- Scale unc. **PYTHIA QW** 2.0 (C) Scale unc. 10⁻³ (a) jet) 10^{-4}



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JET MEASUREMENTS (pp $\rightarrow Z/\gamma^*$ (\rightarrow ee) + jet + X)

NLO improves over LO

Both Pythia tunes (tune S0, tune QW) and Herwig do not agree in shape Alpgen+Phytia and Sherpa agree in shape but not in normalization



JET MEASUREMENTS (pp $\rightarrow Z/\gamma^*$ ($\rightarrow ee$) + jet + X)

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PHOTON+b/c+X SELECTION

Photon

- p_T > 30 GeV
- |y| < 1.0
- Clusters of $\Delta R = 0.4$
- Isolation criteria required
- NN to reject di-jet background

Jets

- reconstructed by D0 RunII algorithm $\Delta R = 0.5$
- p_T > 15 GeV
- |y| < 0.8

Two rapidity regions $y^{\gamma}y^{jet} > 0$ and $y^{\gamma}y^{jet} < 0 \Rightarrow$ different intervals x accessed.



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HEAVY FLAVOR FRACTIONS

Steps

- 1- Determine photon purity fitting MC photon ID NN templates to DATA
- 2- Use a b-tagging NN to enhance heavy flavor content
- 3- Perform a template fitting procedure to estimate the heavy flavor fractions

Use templates of a heavy flavor sensitive variable:

$$P_{\rm HF-jet} = -\ln \prod_i P_{\rm track}^i$$

Light flavor template from DATA Heavy flavor template from MC fit constraint (light + c + b) = 1

Many consistency checks showed the method is very robust.





PHOTON+b/c+X MEASUREMENT

$\textbf{Photon + b} \Rightarrow \textbf{Good agreement}$

Photon + c \Rightarrow Discrepancy in both rapidity regions for p_T > 70 GeV



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- Important tests of QCD and Electroweak predictions.

- Comparisons with event generators will improve physics background modeling and help to find undiscovered physics.

- Z+jets

- NLO describes DATA, but not everywhere.
- SHERPA is the best generator for angles, but not for transverse momentum.
- All generators have large scale uncertainties.

- Photon+heavy flavor

- Theory predictions work for photon+b, but not for photon+c.



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BACK UP SLIDES

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EVENT GENERATORS

Z+Jet muon:

MCFM + CTEQ6.6MAlpgen v2.13 + Phythia tune QW + CTEQ6.1M Sherpa v1.1.1 + APACIC + AMISIC + CTEQ6.1M Phythia v6.418 tune QW + CTEQ6.1M Z+Jet electron: Pythia v6.416 Tune QW and Tune S0 (pT ordered) + CTEQ6.1M Herwig v6.510 + Jimmy v4.31 + CTEQ6.1M MCFM v5.3 + non-perturbative corrections + CTEQ6.1M Alpgen v2.13 + Pythia v6.325 + CTEQ6.1M Sherpa v1.1.1 + CTEQ6.1M Z+Jet angular: Pythia v6.420 Tune QW + CTEQ6.1M Pythia v6.420 Tune P (pT ordered) + MRST 2007 modified L0 PDFs Herwig v6.510 + Jimmy v4.31 + CTEQ5L MCFM v5.4 + MSTW2008 Alpgen v2.13 + Pythia v6.420 tune QW and tune P + CTEQ6.1M Sherpa v1.1.3 + CTEQ6.1M Photon+h.f preliminary theory predictions + CTEQ6.6M













(a)

(b)















Phase Space: 9x102 < Q2 < 2E4 GeV2 and 0.01 < x < 0.3 At Hera: Q2 < 650 GeV2 and x < 0.02 $x_{1,2} = p_T^{\gamma} / \sqrt{s} \cdot (\exp(\pm y^{\gamma}) + \exp(\pm y^{jet}))$



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