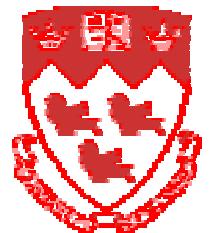


# Heavy Flavoured jets at HERA



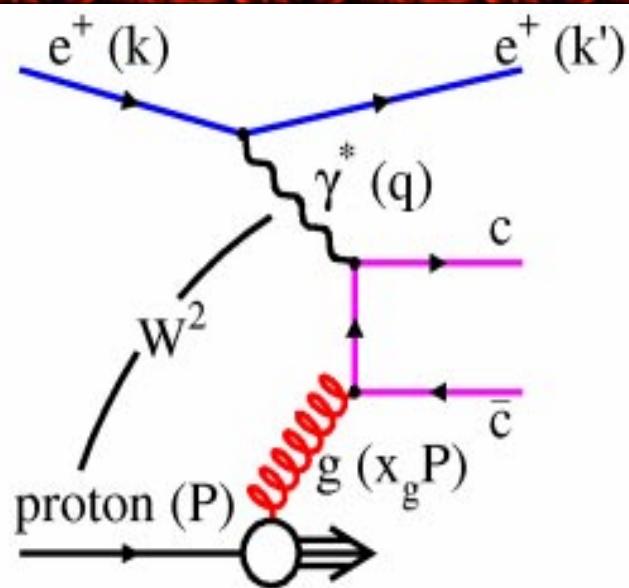
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# Introduction



$$s = (\mathbf{P} + \mathbf{k})^2$$

$$Q^2 = -\mathbf{q}^2 = -(\mathbf{k} - \mathbf{k}')^2$$

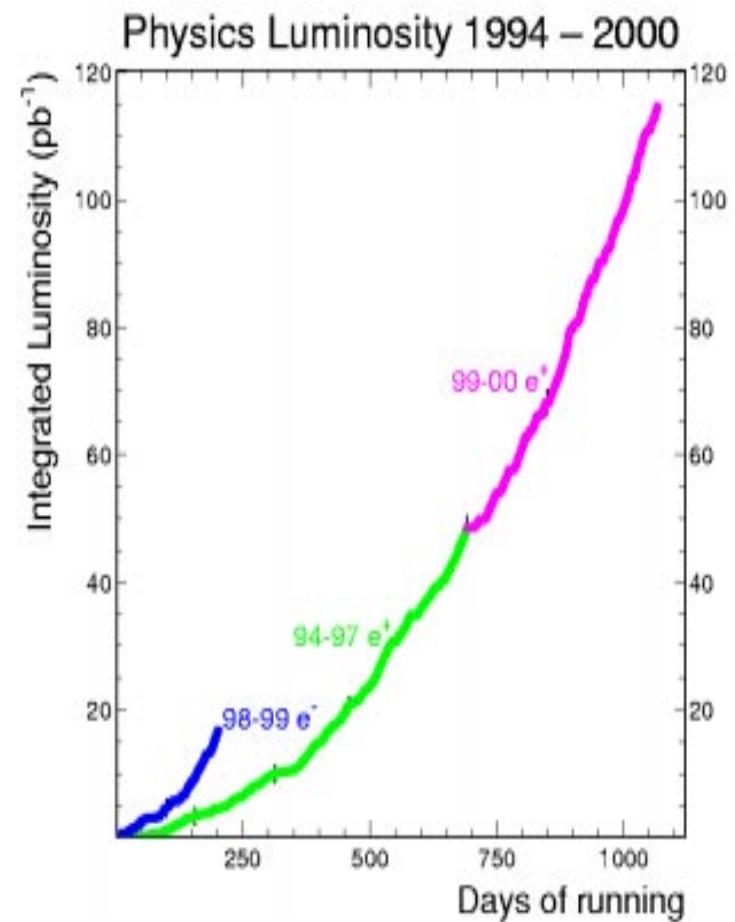
$$W^2 = (\mathbf{P} + \mathbf{q})^2$$

$$y = \mathbf{q} \cdot \mathbf{P} / \mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{P} \cong W^2/s$$

## Photoproduction Regime:

- ◆ No scattered electrons
- ◆  $Q^2 \leq 1 \text{ GeV}^2$
- ◆  $130 < W < 280 \text{ GeV}$

- ◆ 1992–1997  $E_p = 820 \text{ GeV}$   $\sqrt{s} = 300 \text{ GeV}$
- ◆ 1998–2000  $E_p = 920 \text{ GeV}$   $\sqrt{s} = 318 \text{ GeV}$



# Heavy Flavour Production & Fragmentation

## Experimentally ( $c \rightarrow D$ ) Meson:

- Fragmentation Fraction

$$f(c \rightarrow D^{*+}) = 0.235 \pm 0.007 \text{ (LEP)}$$

- Fragmentation Functions

(e.g Peterson Fragmentation Function)

## Charmed Mesons :

Vector State (V)  $D^{*\pm} \rightarrow$  spin 1

Pseudoscalar (PS)  $D^0 \rightarrow$  spin 0

$$P_v = V/(V + PS)$$

**Simple spin counting :  $P_v = 0.75$**

## Whether these fragmentation fractions are Universal ?

### However there are several models

K. Cheung et. al. hep-ph/9505365  $P_v = 0.68$

Braaten et. al. Phys.Rev.D51(1995) 4819  $0.5 < P_v < 0.75$

Y. Q. Chen. Phys. Rev. D48 (1993) 5181  $P_v = 0.6$

Yi-Jin Pei, Z. Phys. C 72, 39 (1996)  $P_v = 0.56$



# Universality of charm fragmentation

## Direct Production rates from charm fragmentation :

$$P_v = \sigma_{\text{dir}}(D^{*\pm}) / (\sigma_{\text{dir}}(D^{*\pm}) + \sigma_{\text{dir}}(D^0))$$

Assuming:

- a)  $\sigma(D^{*0}) = \sigma(D^{*\pm})$
- b) No sizable distortions from excited D mesons

### Decay Modes:

$$D^0 \rightarrow K^- \pi^+ (+\text{c.c.})$$
$$D^{*+} \rightarrow (K^- \pi^+) \pi_s^+ (+\text{c.c.})$$

;  $\pi_s$  is a soft pion with low momentum

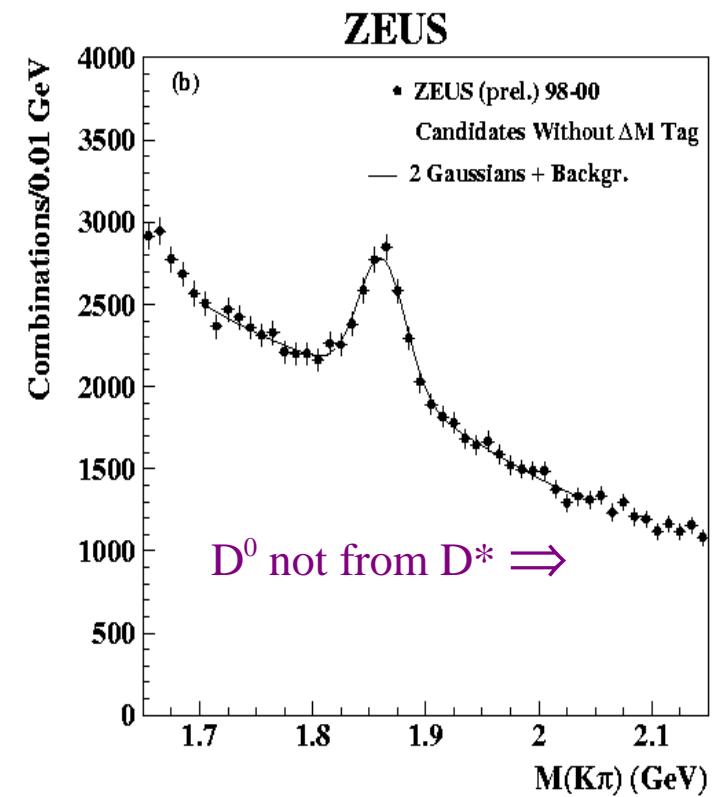
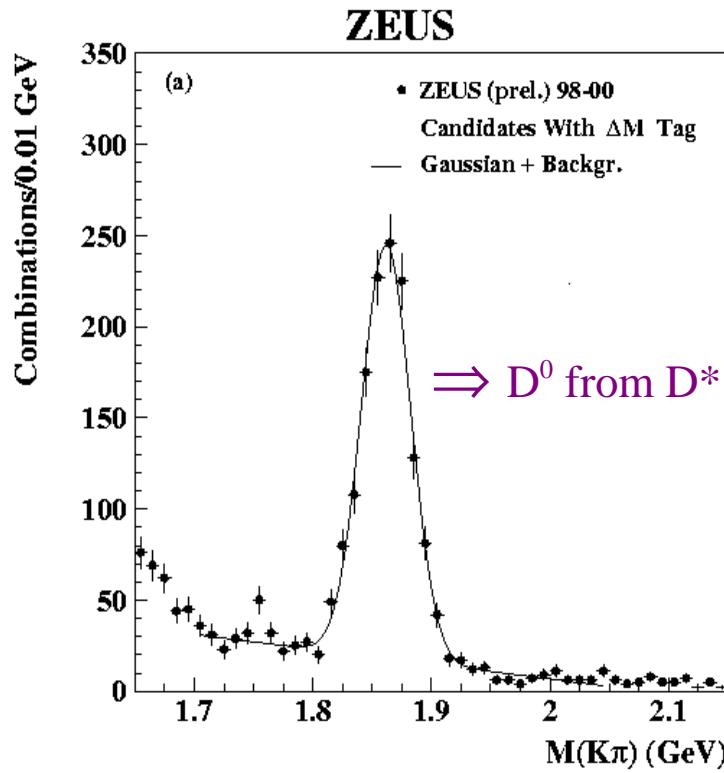
$$\sigma_{\text{dir}}(D^0) = \sigma_{\text{tot}}(D^0) - \sigma_{\text{tot}}(D^{*\pm})(1 + \text{BR}(D^{*\pm} \rightarrow D^0 \pi^\pm))$$

$$P_v = \frac{1}{(\sigma_{\text{tot}}(D^0)/\sigma_{\text{tot}}(D^{*\pm}) - \text{BR}(D^{*\pm} \rightarrow D^0 \pi^\pm))}$$

**P<sub>v</sub> measured from ZEUS data for D\* and D<sup>0</sup> mesons**



# Universality of charm fragmentation



$$P_v = 0.546 \pm 0.045(\text{stat.}) \pm 0.028(\text{syst.})$$

Using :  $N(D^0) = 5223 \pm 185$

$N(D^{*\pm}) = 1180 \pm 39$

OPAL:  $P_v = 0.57 \pm 0.05$

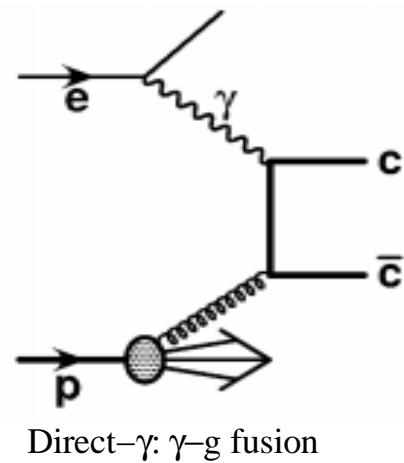
ALEPH :  $P_v = 0.595 \pm 0.045$

**Charm Fragmentation Fractions are Universal**

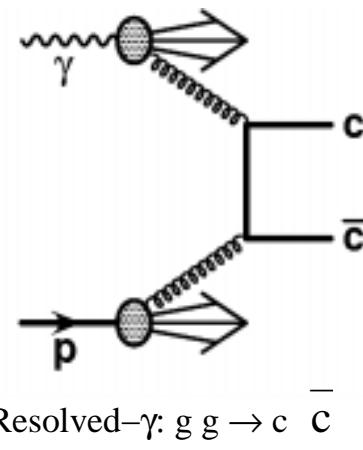
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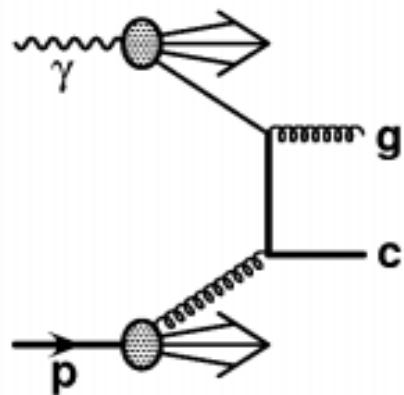
# Charm with Jets (LO)



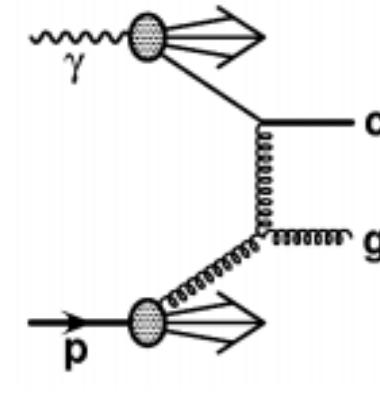
**q-exchange**



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**g-exchange**

Define: Direct photon  $x_\gamma = 1$

Resolved photon  $x_\gamma < 1$

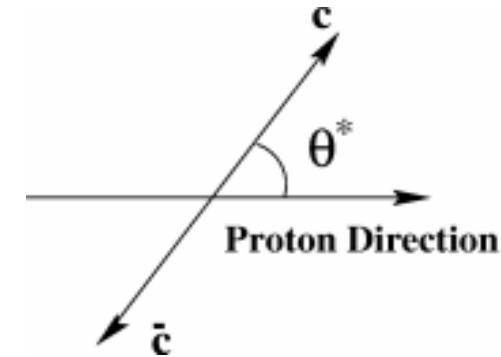
Direct and Resolved :

$$q\text{-exchange} \quad d\sigma/d\cos\theta^* \sim (1 - |\cos\theta^*|)^{-1}$$

Resolved :

$$g\text{-exchange} \quad d\sigma/d\cos\theta^* \sim (1 - |\cos\theta^*|)^{-2}$$

Rutherford Scattering

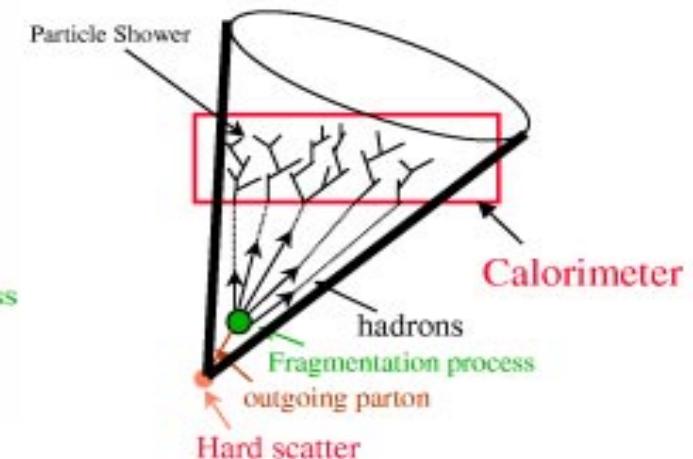
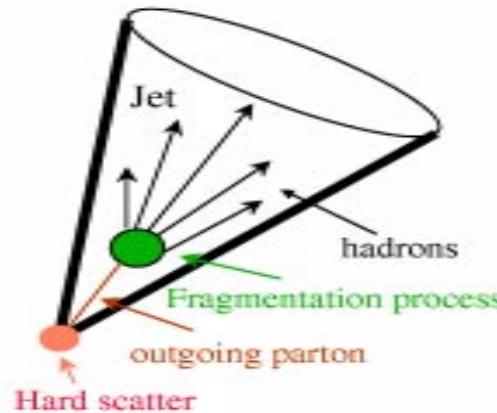


$\theta^*$  = center of mass scattering angle

# Charm Jets in experiments & NLO

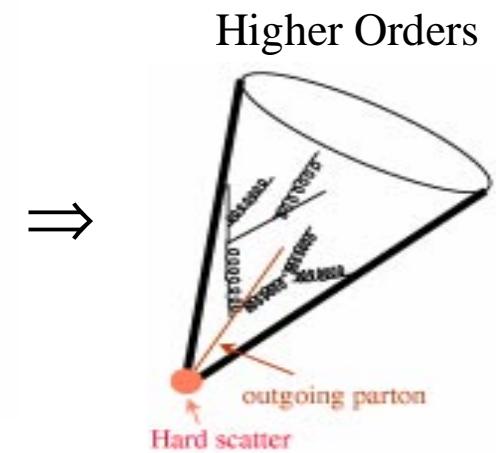
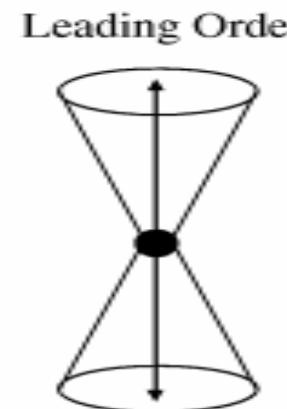
## KTCLUS Algorithm for Jets

Hadron level Charm Jets  $\Rightarrow$



## Fixed-order ("massive") NLO (Parton level Jets)

- ★ Only light quarks u,d,s are active flavours in  $p, \gamma$
- ★ No explicit charm excitation component
- ★ Charm is only produced dynamically
- ★ Scheme valid for  $p_{\perp}^2 \approx m_Q^2$
- ★ Only sum of dir./res contribution well defined



## Parton level Charm Jets



# Inclusive Charm Jets Cross section

Now let's see the charm jets ...

For  $Q^2 < 1 \text{ GeV}^2$ ;  $130 < W < 280 \text{ GeV}$

$p_T^{D^*} > 3 \text{ GeV}$ ,  $|\eta^{D^*}| < 1.5$

NLO Fixed order (**Frixione et al.**)

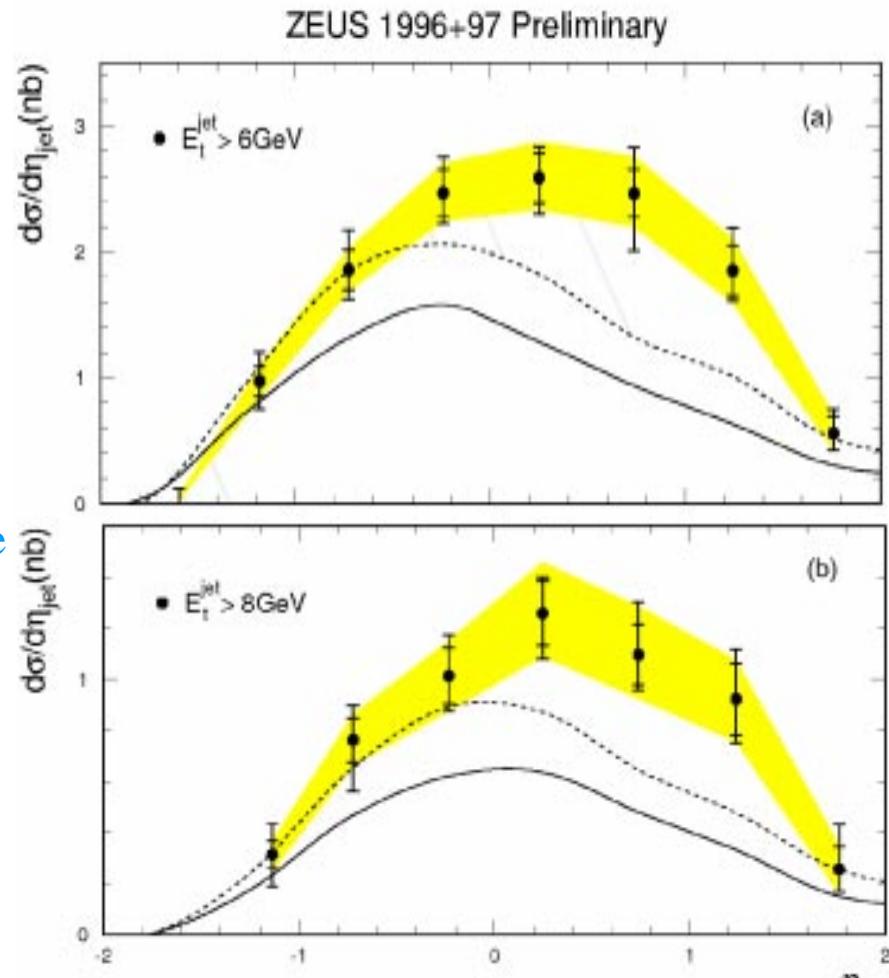
PDFs: p MRSG,  $\gamma$  GRV-G HO

solid curves:  $m_c = 1.5 \text{ GeV}$ ,  $\mu_R = m_\perp$ ,  $\mu_F = 2m_\perp$

dotted curves:  $m_c = 1.2$  and  $\mu_R = 0.5m_\perp \leftarrow$  extreme case

**Extreme case is still below the data, disagreement large for  $\eta^{D^*} > 0$**

Same trend as observed in  $\eta$  distribution for inclusive  $D^{*\pm}$  and  $D_s^\pm$  cross-section



Jet distributions are not sensitive to "Beam Drag" effects !!!



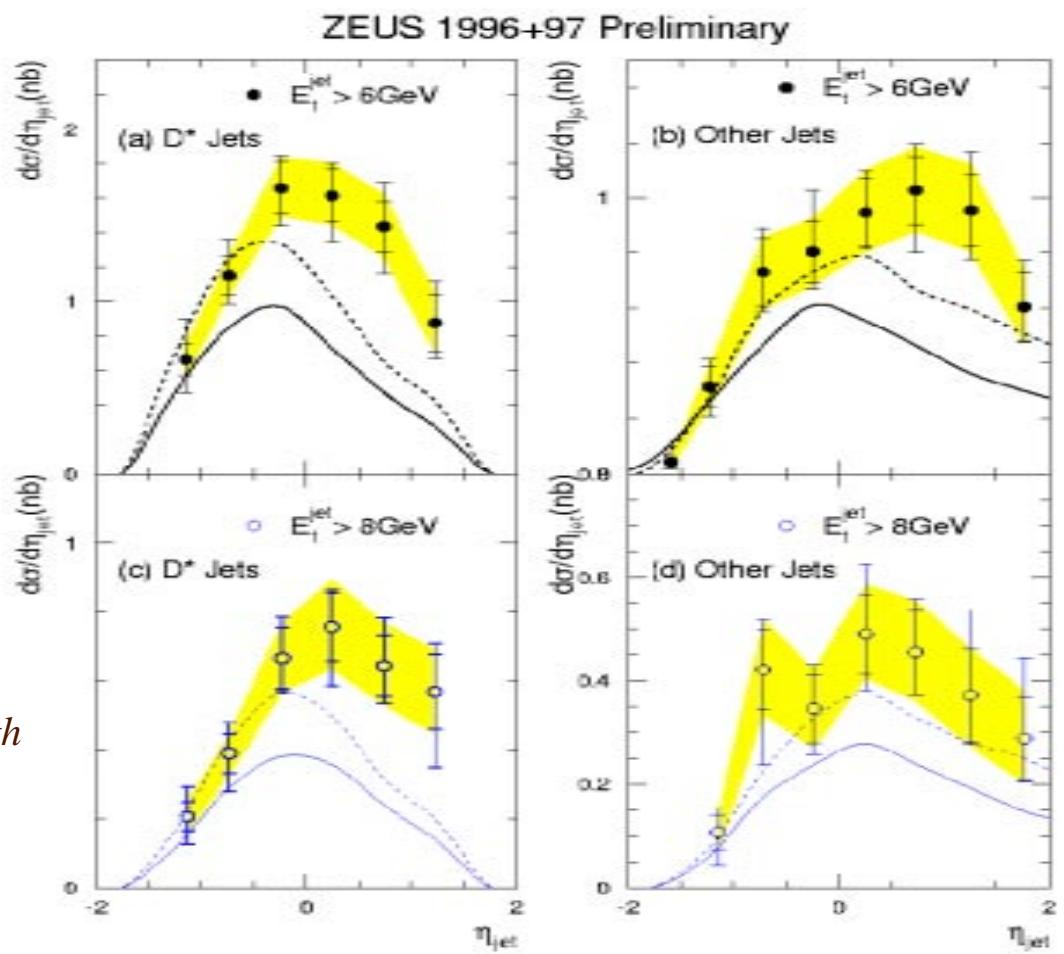
# Inclusive Charm Jet Cross section

Looking at the picture from both sides:

$D^*$  jet  $\Rightarrow$  Jet nearest to  $D^*$  in  $\eta - \phi$  space  
 $\Rightarrow$  Other Jet

NLO underestimates both non- $D^*$  cross section as well as the  $D^*$  jet cross section

(Reproduces  $E_T^{jet}$  shapes reasonably well in both cases)



# $x_\gamma^{\text{OBS}}$ Measurements

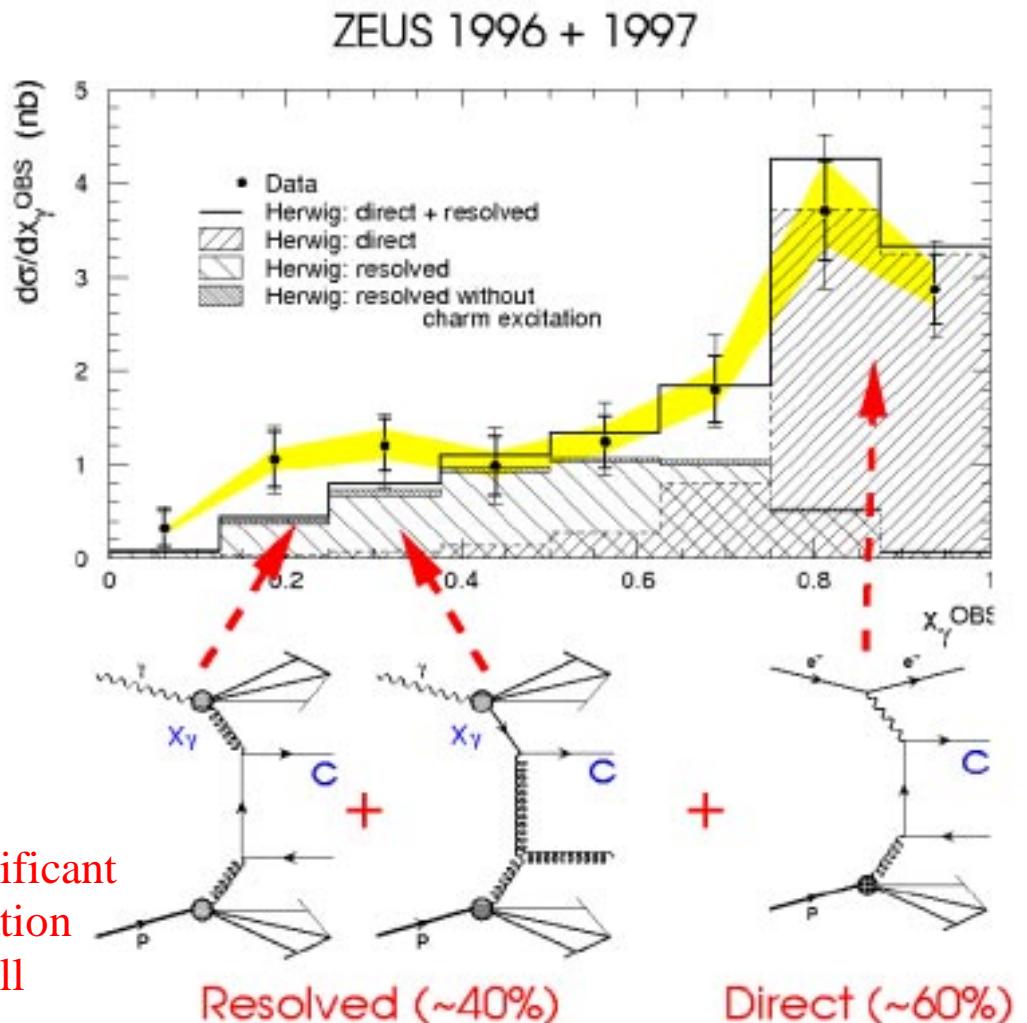
Fraction of photon energy contributing to the production of two highest  $E_t^{\text{jet}}$  jets

$$x_\gamma^{\text{OBS}} = \frac{\sum_{\text{jets}} E_T e^{-\eta}}{2yE_e}$$

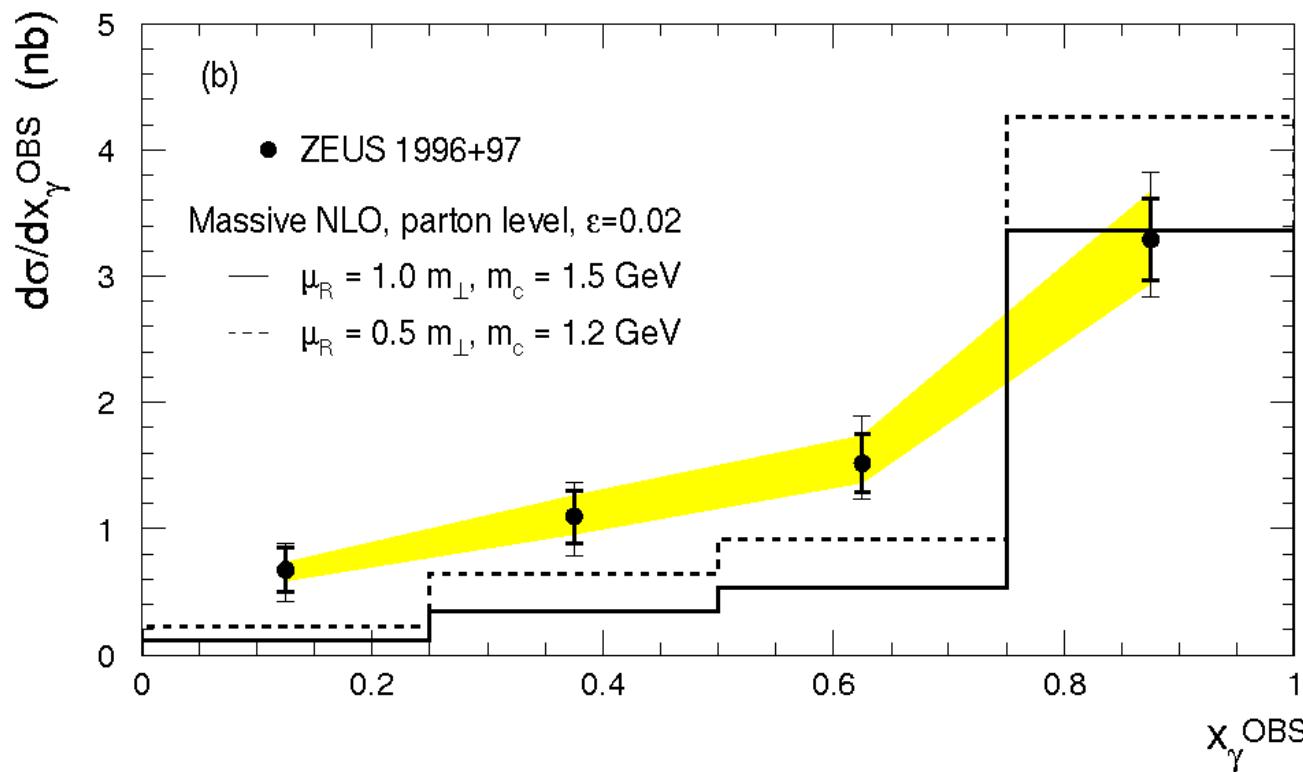
$Q^2 < 1 \text{ GeV}^2$ ,  $130 < W < 280 \text{ GeV}$   
 $E_T^{\text{jet1}} > 7 \text{ GeV}$ ,  $E_T^{\text{jet2}} > 6 \text{ GeV}$ ,  $|\eta^{\text{jet}}| < 2.4$   
 $p_\perp^{\text{D}^*} > 3 \text{ GeV}$ ,  $-1.5 < \eta^{\text{D}^*} < 1.5$

## LO(DGLAP) Herwig MC :

- ★ Both direct and resolved fractions are significant
- ★ Dominant part of resolved is from c excitation
- ★ Resolved without c excitation is quite small



# $x_{\gamma}^{\text{OBS}}$ Measurements



**Yellow bands:** Uncertainty due to Calorimeter energy scale

**Fixed order NLO calculation below data at  $x_{\gamma}^{\text{OBS}} < 0.75$**

Would be interesting to see "massless" calculations ??

*CASCADE*  $\Rightarrow$  describes well (See B. West & H. Jung's talk)



# Dijet angular distribution in D\* photoproduction

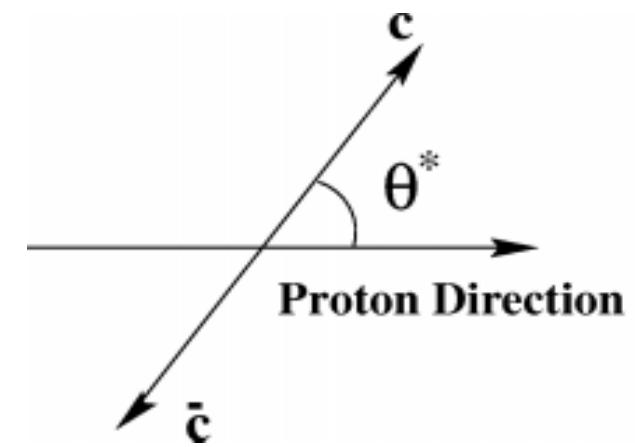
**QCD (LO) predicts that the angular distribution of the outgoing partons in resolved processes will be enhanced at high  $|\cos\theta^*|$  with respect to direct photon processes.**

H. Baer, J. Ohnemus & J. F Owens, Phys. Rev D40 (1989) 2844

**Is it really true ?**

ZEUS published Phys. Lett. B 384 (1996) 401

**Is it also true in case of charm ?**



# Dijet angular distribution in D\* photoproduction

D\* dijet events enable study of the photon structure in particular its charm content

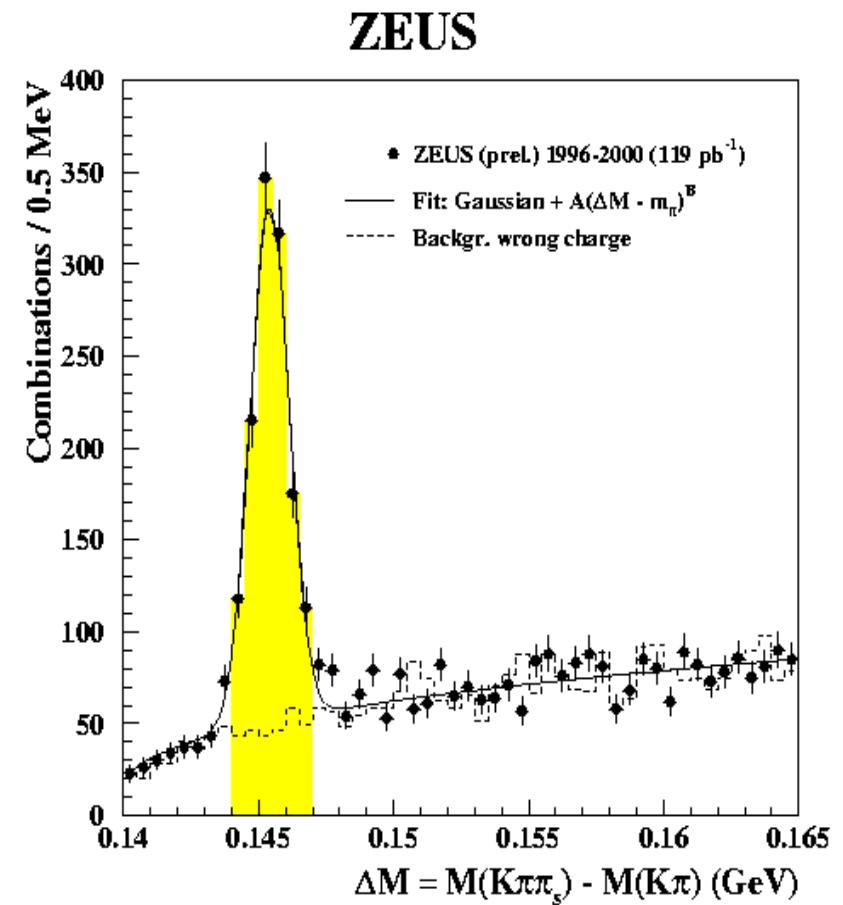
**Sample Used:** Photoproduction with a reconstructed D\* and atleast 2 hadron jets – "dijets"

- ★ Require D\* with  $p_T^{D^*} > 3.0 \text{ GeV}$ ,  $|\eta^{D^*}| < 1.5$
- ★ Dijets  $E_t^{\text{jet}} > 5 \text{ GeV}$ ,  $\eta^{\text{jet}} < 2.4$ ,  $M_{jj} > 18 \text{ GeV}$   
 $|\cos\theta^*| < 0.83$  | $\bar{\eta}$ | < 1.2,  $\bar{\eta} = 0.5 |\eta^{\text{jet1}} + \eta^{\text{jet2}}|$   
[EPS 2001 Abstr. 499]

**Kinematic region:**

$$Q^2 < 1 \text{ GeV}^2$$

$$130 < W_{\gamma p} < 280 \text{ GeV}$$



# Dijet angular distribution in D\* photoproduction

$$\cos\theta^* = \tanh(0.5(\eta^{\text{jet}1} - \eta^{\text{jet}2}))$$

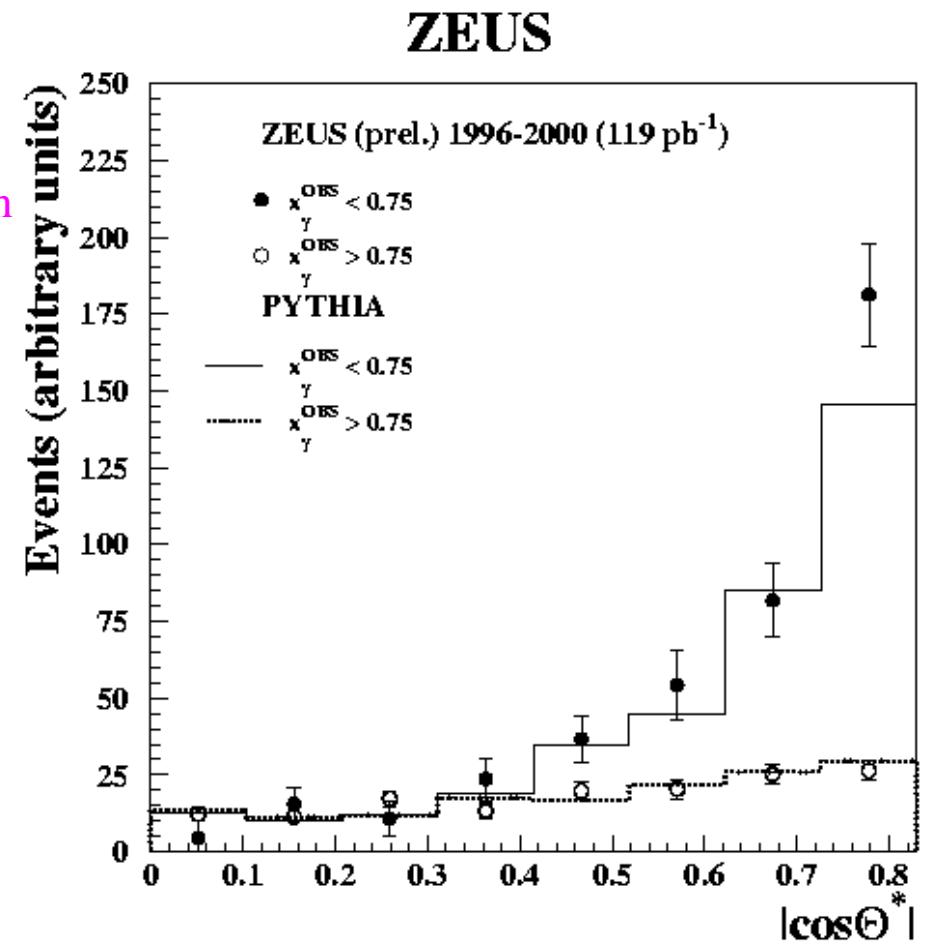
$\theta^*$  = angle between jet–jet axis and beam direction  
in dijet rest frame

Distribution is not biased by  $M_{jj} > 18$  GeV cut

Pythia (LO DGLAP) describes both  
 $x_\gamma^{\text{OBS}} > 0.75$  and  $x_\gamma^{\text{OBS}} < 0.75$

A clear signature of g-exchange

CASCADE ? NLO ?



$$q\text{-exchange} \propto (1 - |\cos\theta^*|)^{-1}$$

$$g\text{-exchange} \propto (1 - |\cos\theta^*|)^{-2}$$

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# Summary and Outlook

## Summary:

- HERA has provided wide spectrum of heavy flavoured (charm and beauty) Jets measurements
- Measurement of  $P_v$  (strangeness-suppression factor  $\gamma_s$  and excited D meson fragmentation fractions) are consistant with LEP results
- Charm (and Beauty) photoproduction *cross section are underestimated by fixed-order NLO for low  $x_\gamma^{\text{OBS}}$*
- The  $\cos\theta^*$  distribution for dijet events with a  $D^*$  shows a clear *signature of gluon propagator* for events with  $x_\gamma^{\text{OBS}} < 0.75$

## Outlook:

- Complete HERA I data (1994–2000)
- Need better theoretical input
- HERA II (2001–2006):  $\approx$  luminosity increase ( $\mathcal{L}_{\text{int}} \approx 1\text{fb}^{-1}$ )
- Detector upgrades
  - Si microvertex detector
  - Forward tracking  $\Rightarrow$  *big improvement in heavy quark tagging efficiency*

A lot of interesting Heavy–Flavoured Jets Physics to come from HERA

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