

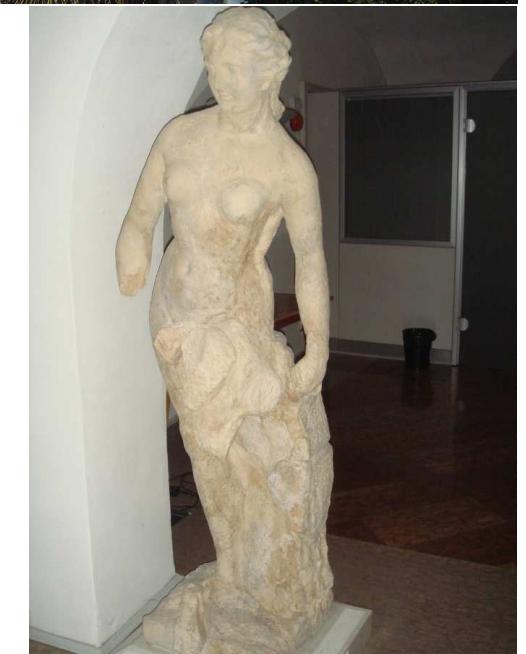
# Photo-production at Trento



charm



Strongly interacting quadrupole  
discussing the relevance of color dipoles



beauty



Workshop on Photoproduction at collider energies:  
from RHIC and HERA to LHC  
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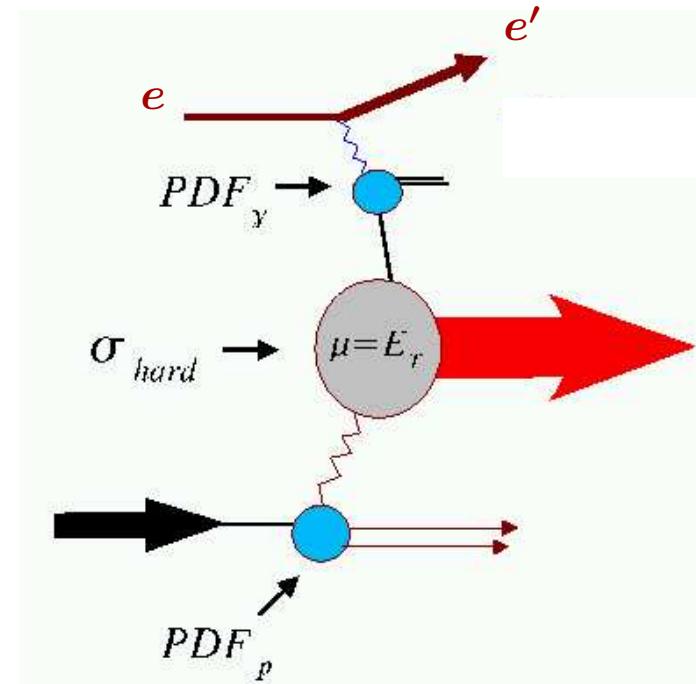


## Hard photoproduction at HERA

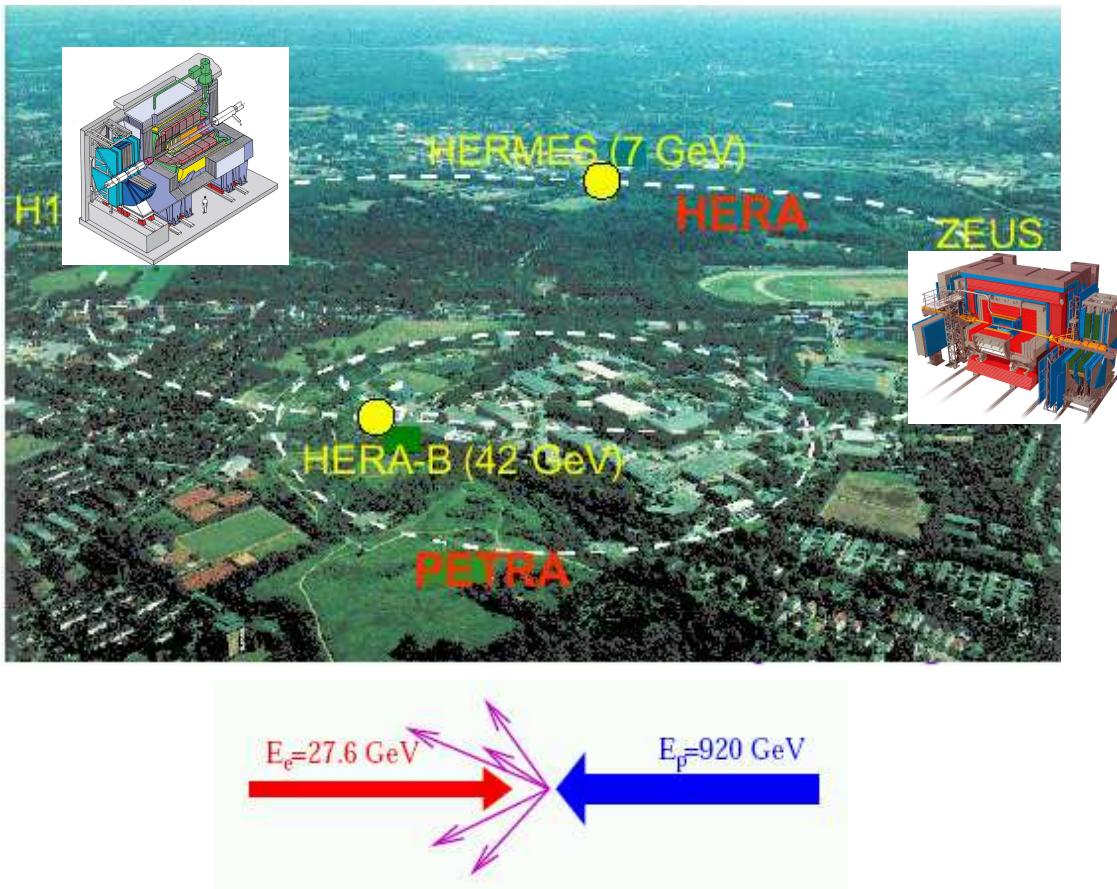
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- HERA and its photoproduction landscape
- General experimental aspects
- Testing QCD with high  $E_T$  jets
- Prompt photons as parton level probe
- Charm and beauty
- Summary and Outlook



# The HERA Collider

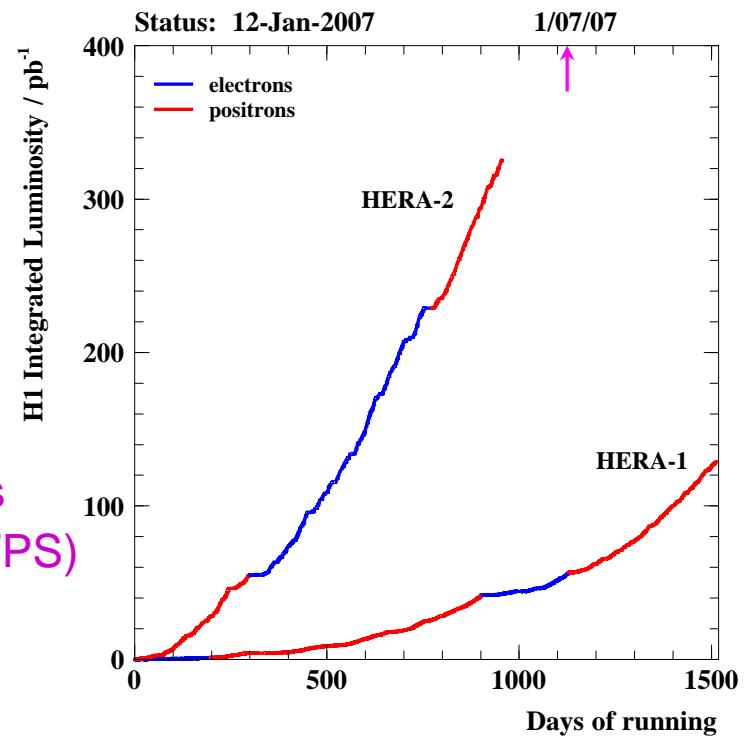


- HERA upgrade emphasizes rare and high  $p_t$  processes  
(Exp. improvements: silicon trackers, triggering, H1-VFPS)
- So far most of published results in photoproduction  
are based on HERA-1 data  $\Rightarrow$  more to come soon

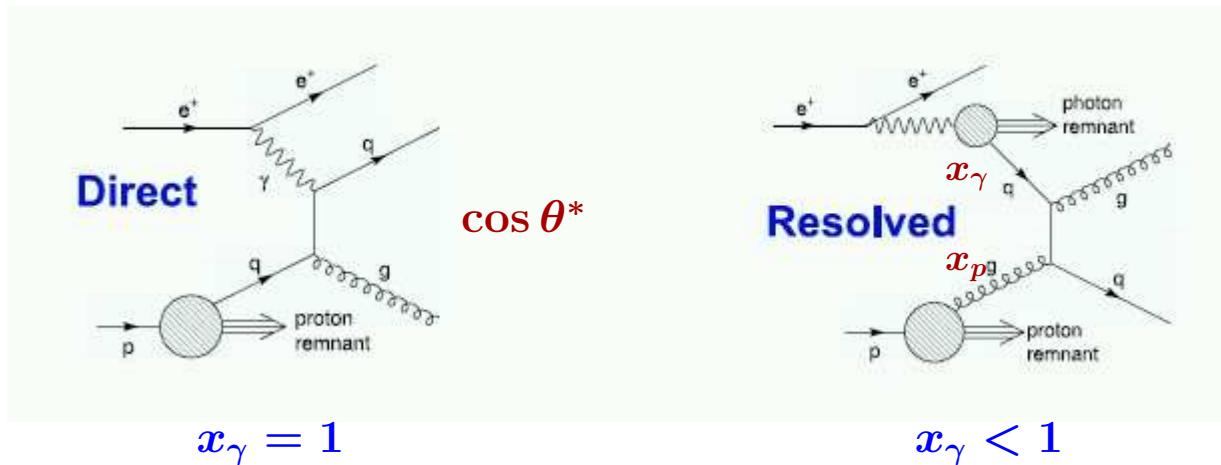
**HERA-1 (1993-2000)  $\simeq 120 \text{ pb}^{-1}$**

**HERA-2 (2003-2007)  $\simeq 380 \text{ pb}^{-1}$**

*last 3 months - low  $E_p$  run to measure  $F_L^p$*   
( $E_p = 460 \text{ GeV}$ ,  $\mathcal{L} \simeq 10 - 15 \text{ pb}^{-1}$ )



# Photoproduction Landscape at HERA



$$x_\gamma = \frac{1}{2yE_e} \sum_i E_{t,i} e^{-\eta_i}$$

$$x_p = \frac{1}{2E_p} \sum_i E_{t,i} e^{+\eta_i}$$

$$\cos \theta^* = \tanh\left(\frac{\eta_1 - \eta_2}{2}\right)$$

Beyond LO this classification becomes ambiguous

## Soft $\gamma p$

$\sigma_{tot}$ , min.bias events (E-flow, multiplicity), light VM

## Hard $\gamma p$

inclusive jets	→ high $E_t$ tail, scaling violation, $\alpha_s$
dijets	→ probing gluons in the proton and photon
multiplets	→ NNLO effects, MPI, colour dynamics
prompt photons	→ "direct" probe at parton level (no hadronisation effects)
heavy quarks	→ parton evolution dynamics; note multiscale problem ( $m_Q, E_t, Q^2$ )

## Hard-soft interplay

Diffraction and its factorisation properties  
Soft vs hard  $\mathcal{I}P$ , Multiple int., LRG survival

*see talks by A. Valkarova  
and A. Savin*

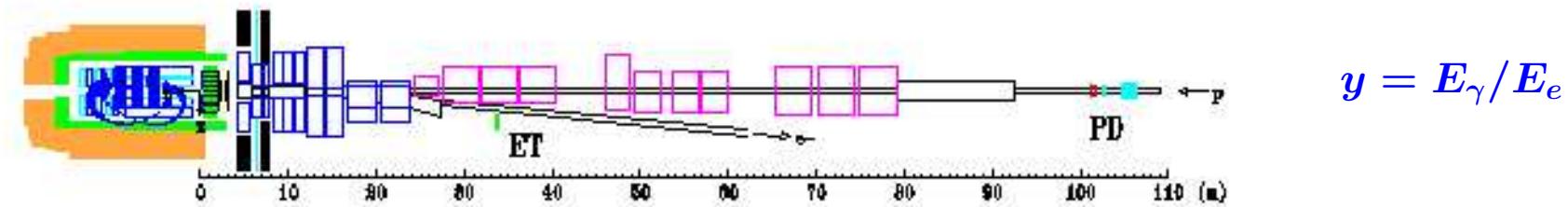
## HERA specifics:

transition from  $Q^2 = 0$  to  $Q^2 \geq 10 \text{ GeV}^2$  (virtual photon structure etc.)

# Experimental Aspects

- Selecting photoproduction:

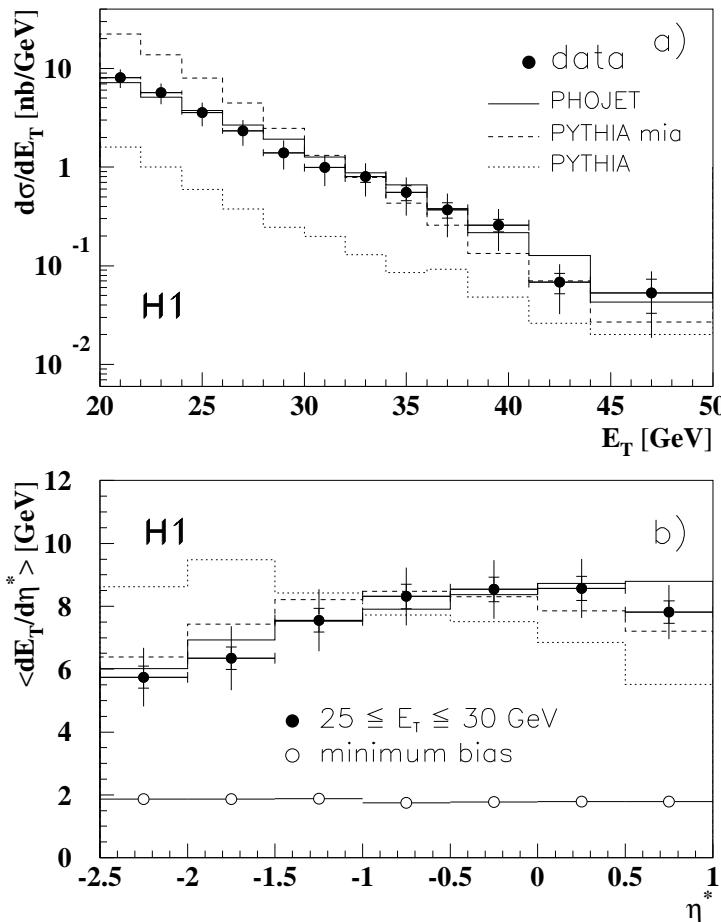
- ▷ tagged  $\gamma p$  ( $Q^2 < 0.01 \text{ GeV}^2$ ,  $0.3 < y < 0.7$ ) – clean, but limited in statistics and  $W$  range
- ▷ untagged  $\gamma p$  ( $Q^2 < 1 \text{ GeV}^2$ ) – no scattered  $e$  observed in the detector



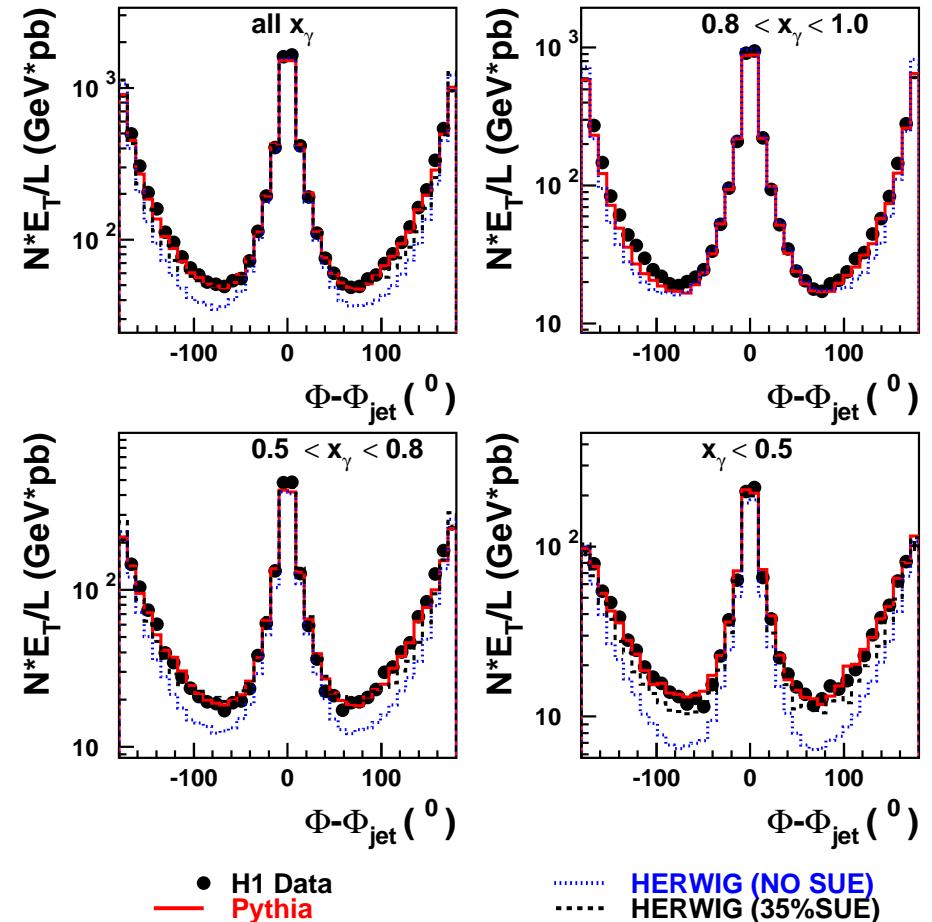
- $ep \rightarrow \gamma p$  cross section: use WWA for photon flux  $f_{\gamma/e}(y, Q^2)$
- Direct/resolved  $\gamma p$  separation:  $x_\gamma^{obs} >< 0.75(0.8)$
- Experimental signatures
  - ▷ jets (mainly inclusive  $k_t$ , occasionally cone algorithms)
  - ▷ isolated high  $E_t$  photons
  - ▷ HQ (tagged by  $D^*$ ,  $\mu$  decay, life time technique)
- Dominant experimental/theoretical uncertainties:
  - ▷ Jet  $E$ -scale:  $(3 - 4)\%$  at  $5 \text{ GeV}$  ....  $(1 - 1.5)\%$  at  $20 \text{ GeV} \Rightarrow (20 \rightarrow 7)\%$  in  $\sigma_{jets}$
  - ▷ hadronisation, non-pert. effects (model dependence)  $\sim (5 - 10)\%$  depending on typical  $E_T$
  - ▷ theory: scale dependence due to missing HO terms ( $\mu_r, \mu_f \cdot (1/2 - 2)$ )  $\Rightarrow (5 - 20)\%$

# Correcting for additional energy from soft underlying event

min.bias and medium  $E_T$   $\gamma p$  samples



high  $E_T$  dijet sample ( $E_{T,\max} > 25 \text{ GeV}$ )



★ After tuning MC parameters Jet profiles and  $E$ -flow are fairly well described

# MC models

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All available MC programs have LO ME + PS for hard QCD processes.  
They differ in parton evolution schemes and in modelling fragmentation:

- PYTHIA

- ▷ Collinear factorisation, DGLAP evolution equations
- ▷ LUND string fragmentation model
- ▷ multiple interaction between photon and proton remnants (LO QCD proc. with small  $p_t^{cut} \simeq 1.2$  GeV)

- HERWIG

- ▷ Collinear factorisation, DGLAP evolution equations
- ▷ cluster hadronisation model
- ▷ SUE (parametrized soft hh collisions) with tunable probability ( $P1 = 35\%$  for HERA)

- PHOJET

- ▷ Collinear factorisation, DGLAP evolution equations
- ▷ two-component Dual Parton model using unitarization scheme based upon AGK cutting rules
- ▷ LUND string fragmentation model
- ▷ multiparton interactions are naturally included (from multi- $\mathcal{I}\mathcal{P}$  contributions)

- CASCADE

- ▷  $k_t$  factorisation, CCFM evolution scheme, unintegrated parton densities  $f_{q,g}(x, k_t)$
- ▷ only gluon induced processes (emphasis on low  $x$  phenomena, HQ) quark contributions still missing
- ▷ Interfaced to Pythia/Jetset for use of LUND string fragmentation model

# $\mathcal{O}(\alpha\alpha_s^2)$ QCD calculations

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## ■ Jets

- Frixione and Ridolfi (1997) – subtraction method to deal with infrared singularities
- Klasen, Kramer, Kleinwort (1998) – phase space slicing technique

Typical parameter set: 5 flavours,  $\alpha_s(M_Z) = 0.118$ ,  $\mu = \mu_f = \mu_r = \mu_\gamma = \mu_p = E_T^{jet}$   
 proton PDFs: CTEQ5M, MRST99    photon PDFs: GRV-HO, AFG-HO

## ■ Prompt $\gamma$

- Krawczyk and Zembrinsky (KZ) (2001,2003)
- Fontannaz, Guillet, Heinrich (FGH) (2001,2004)  
 collinear factorisation, DGLAP evolution (some differences in HO terms for resolved component)
- Lipatov, Zotov (LZ) (2005)  
 $k_t$  factorisation approach, using unintegrated parton densities

## ■ HQ

- FMNR (1995) – massive scheme, Peterson fragmentation for charm
- ZMVFNS(2003) – massless scheme, BKK fragmentation
- GMVFNS(2005) – combined massive and massless scheme, KKSS fragmentation

# Jets in PHP: Overview

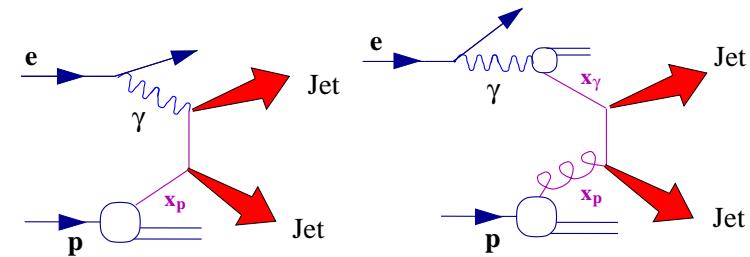
- Inclusive jets:

- highest statistics,
- least restrictive (largest phase space),
- theoretically most "safe"

$$\sigma_{jet} = flux(y, Q^2) \times PDF_\gamma \times PDF_p \times \sigma_{hard}$$

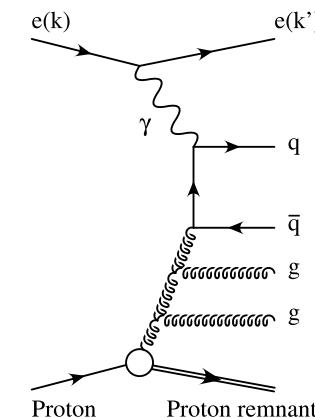
- Dijets:

- good reconstruction of hard scattering kinematics,
- sensitivity to proton and photon PDFs as well as to the basic properties of ME
- some care needed to avoid infrared unsafe regions (asymmetric jet  $E_T$  cuts)

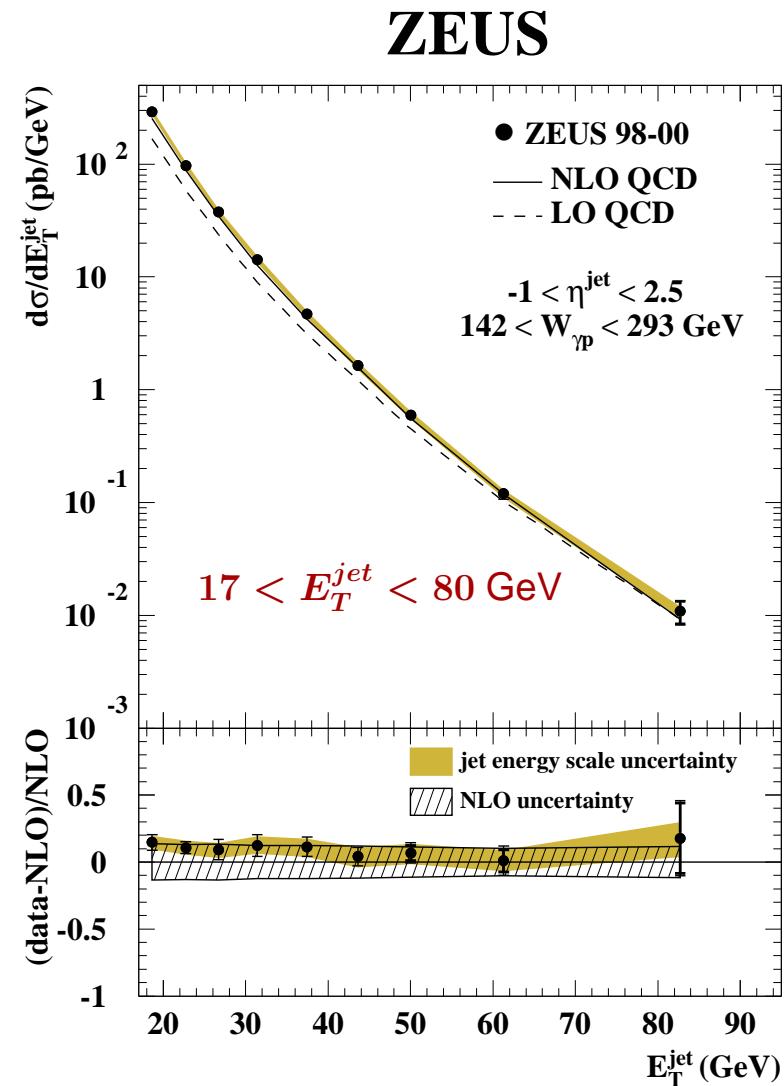
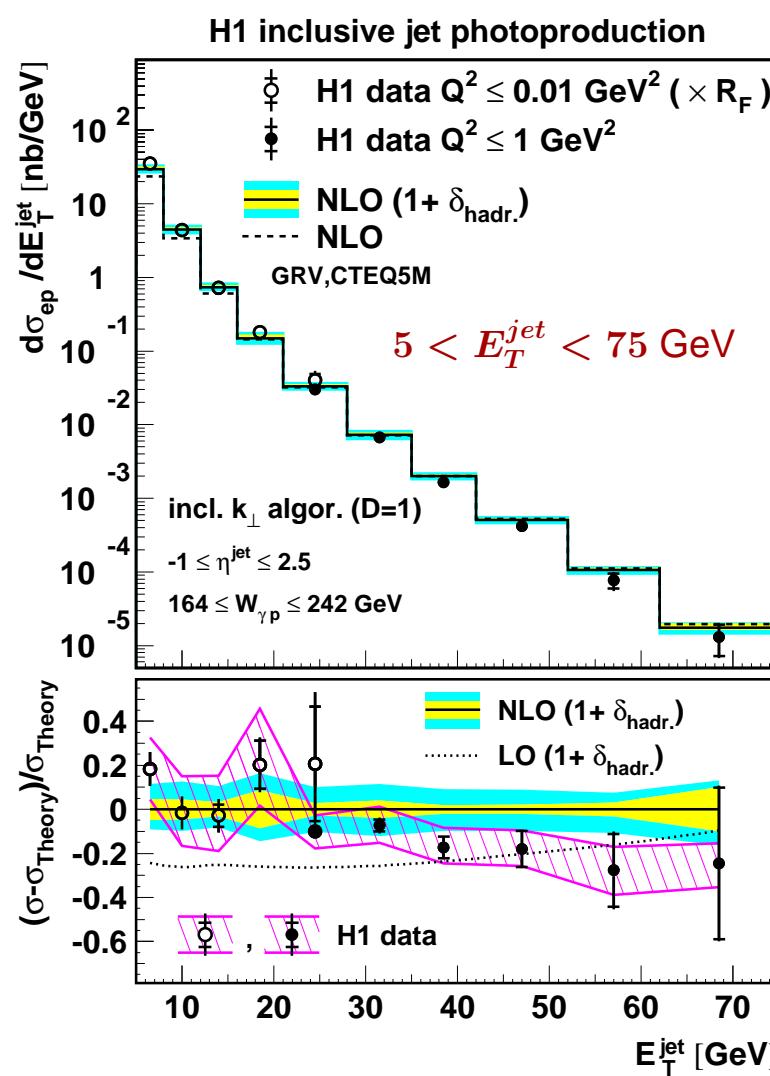


- Multijets:

- access to higher orders of pQCD,
- details of parton evolution,
- multi-parton interactions (MPI),
- underlying gauge group properties
- ...

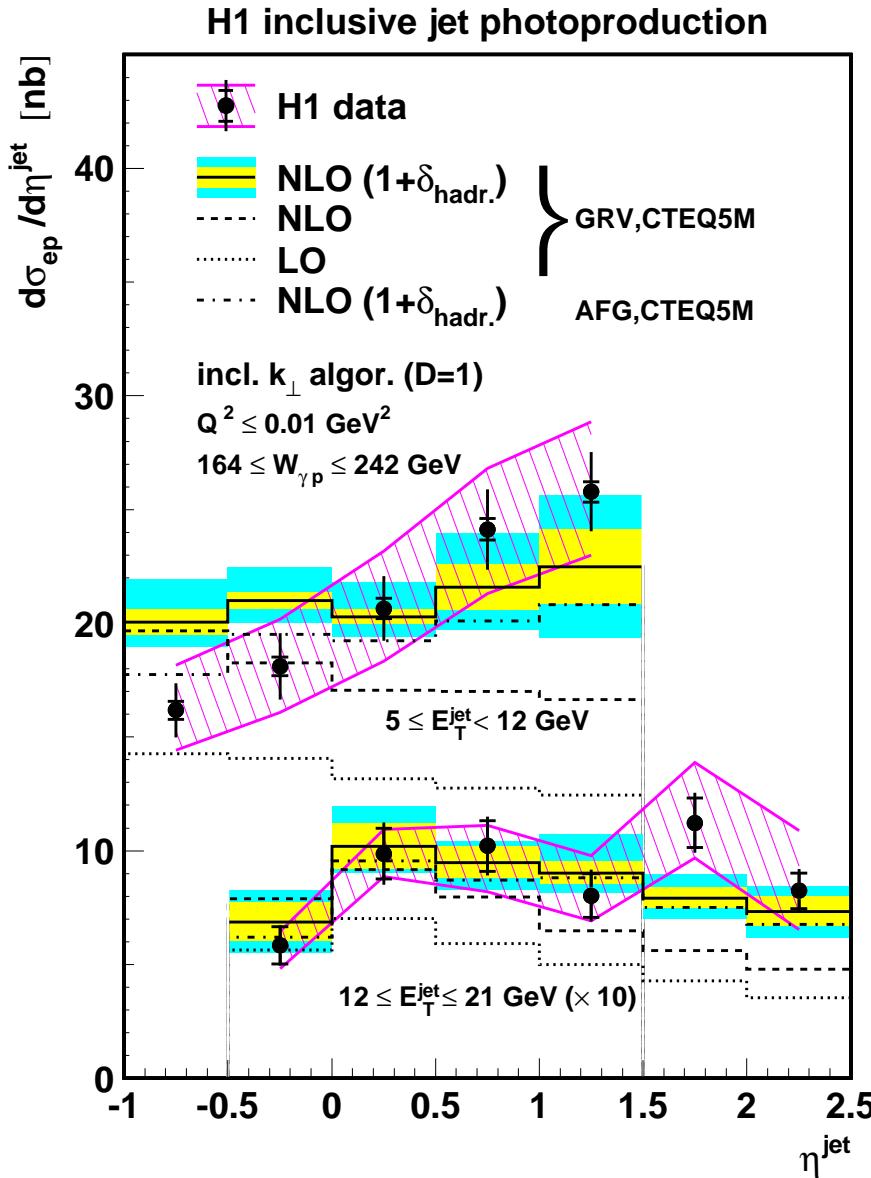


# Inclusive jets vs NLO QCD



★ Good agreement with NLO over 6 orders of magnitude. Dominant uncertainty due to theory

# Inclusive jets vs NLO

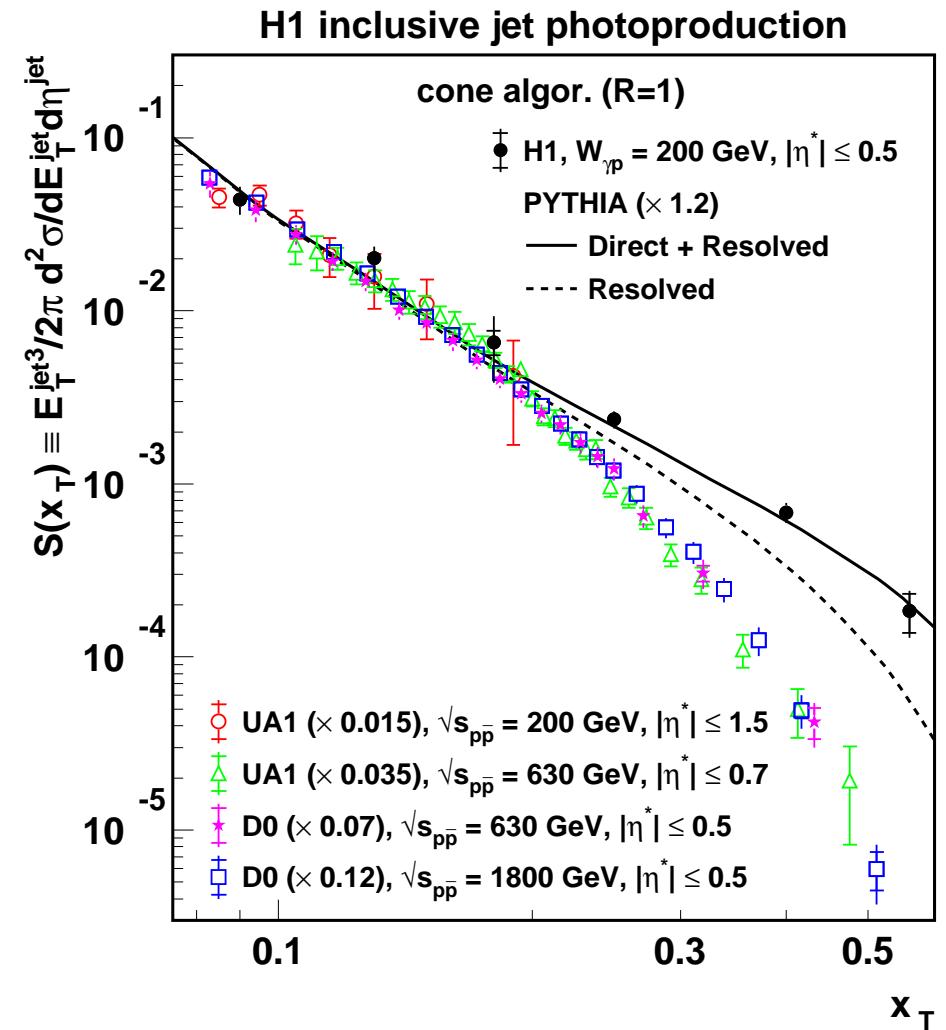
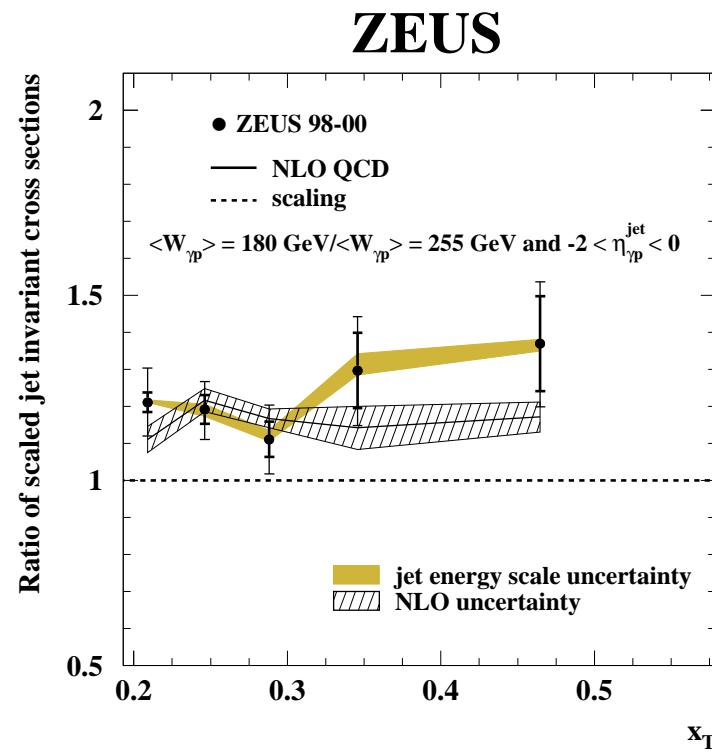


- NLO is OK in high  $E_T$  range, but provides only marginal agreement for low  $E_T^{\text{jet}}$
- Low  $E_T$  range is challenging:
  - hadronisation corrections and underlying event energy become substantial, in particular in forward range (large  $\eta$ , low  $x_\gamma$ )
  - Failure of LO MC to accurately estimate those?
  - Problems in photon PDFs in this kin.range?
  - Absence of HO terms beyond NLO?  
(Large NLO/LO corrections indicate this)

# Inclusive jets: Scaling violation

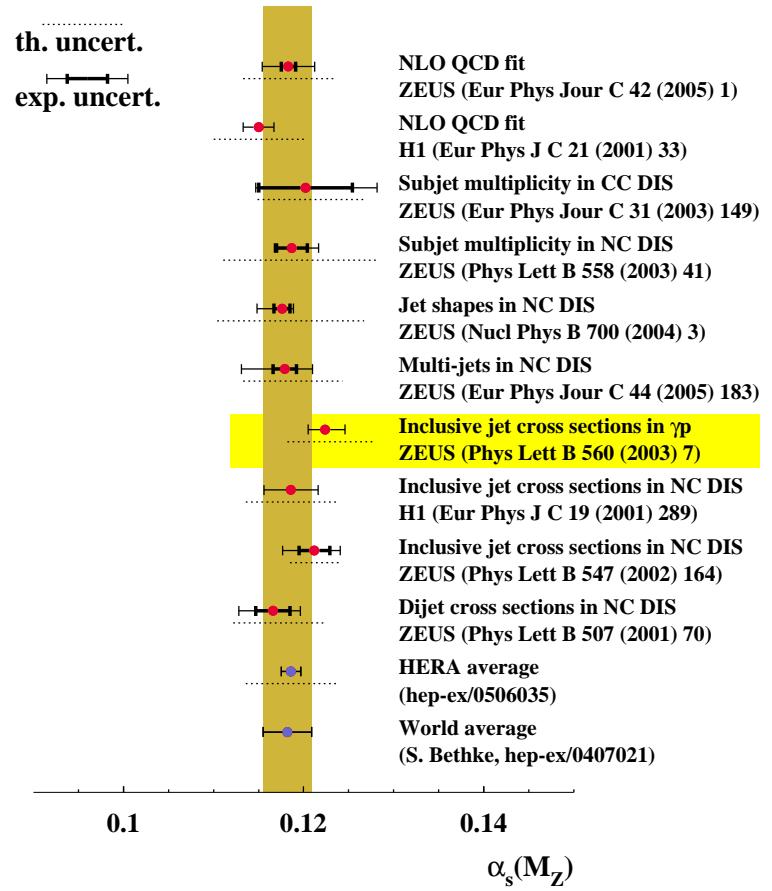
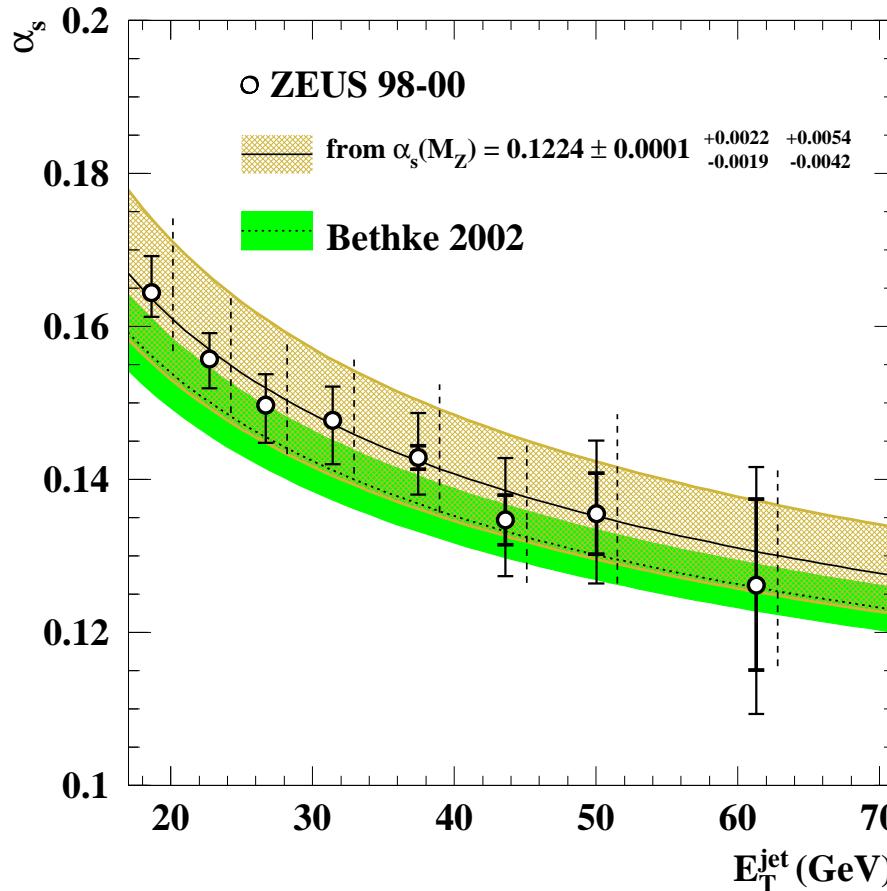
$$x_T = 2E_T^{jet}/W_{\gamma p}$$

- naive parton model predicts that scaled cross section  $(E_T^j)^3 d^3\sigma/d^3p_j$  is independent on  $W_{\gamma p}$



- ★ Clear scaling violation is observed, in agreement with NLO QCD expectations
- ★ At  $x_T < 0.2$   $\gamma p$  is similar to  $\bar{p}p$ , while at higher  $x_T$  the shape is different, reflecting difference in  $p$  and  $\gamma$  PDFs as well as direct  $\gamma p$  contribution

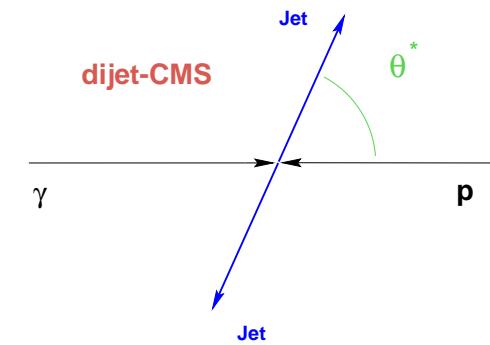
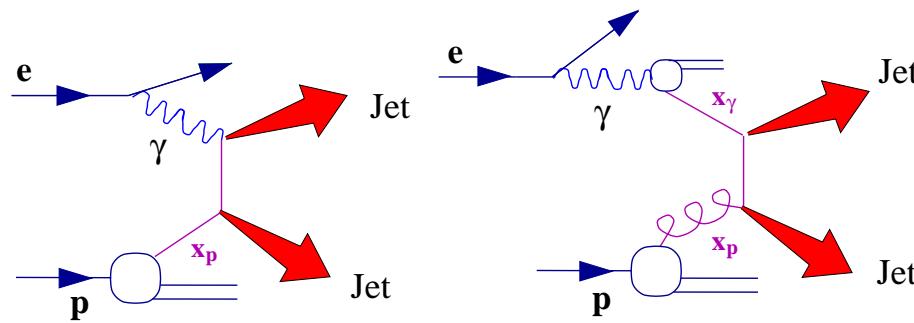
# Inclusive jets: Extracting $\alpha_s$ from scaling violation



$$d\sigma/dE_T^{\text{jet}}(\alpha_s(\mu)) = C_1 \alpha_s(\mu) + C_2 \alpha_s(\mu)^2$$

★ Competitive measurement of  $\alpha_s$  consistent with other methods and world average  
 Dominating error comes from missing HO terms beyond NLO (scale uncertainty)

# Dijets: Motivation

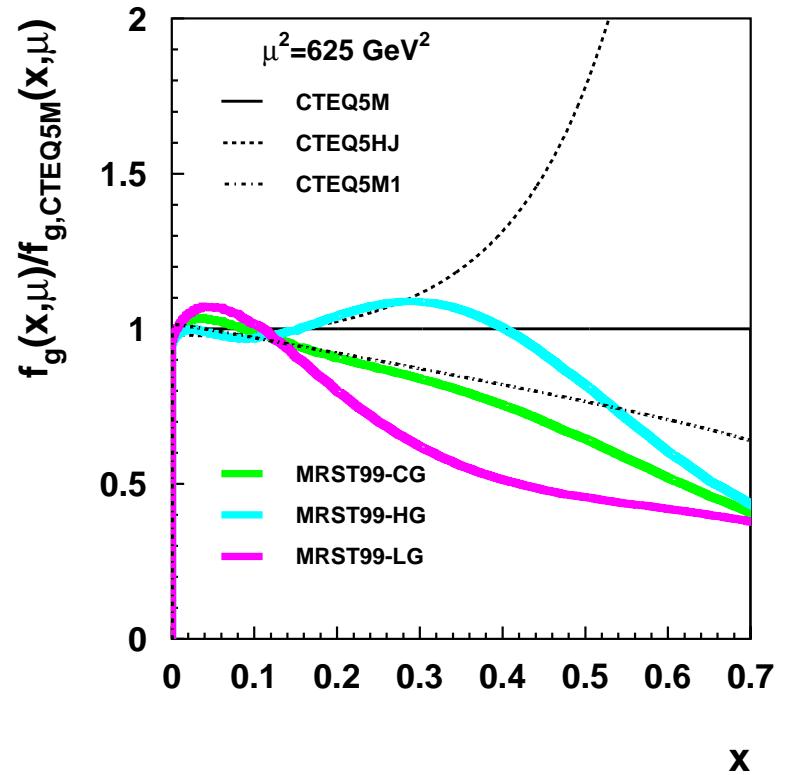


with 2 high  $E_T$  jets kinematics of hard scattering is fully defined

$x_\gamma$  dependence: sensitivity to photon structure

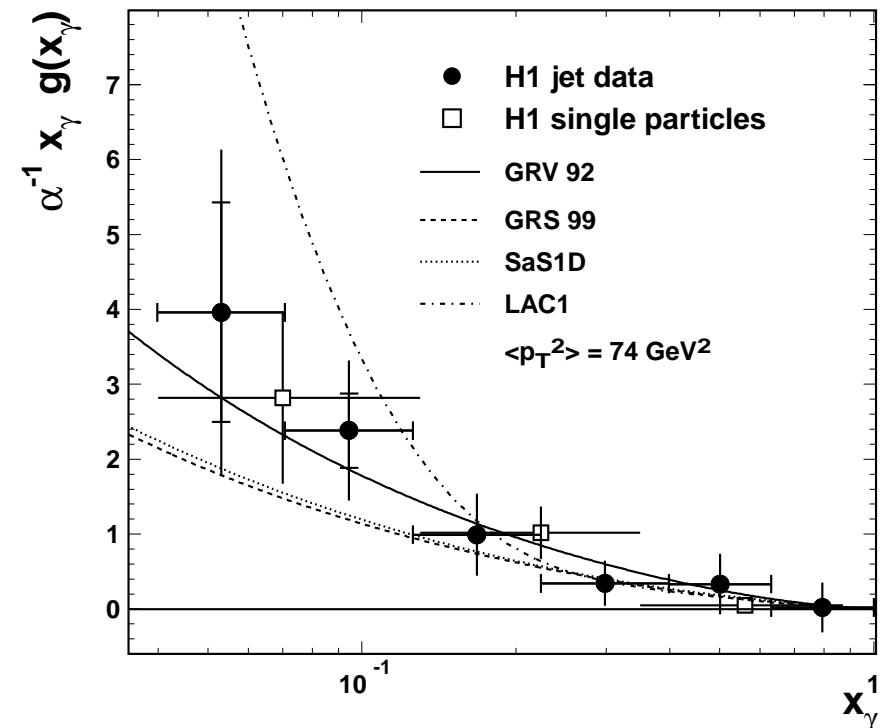
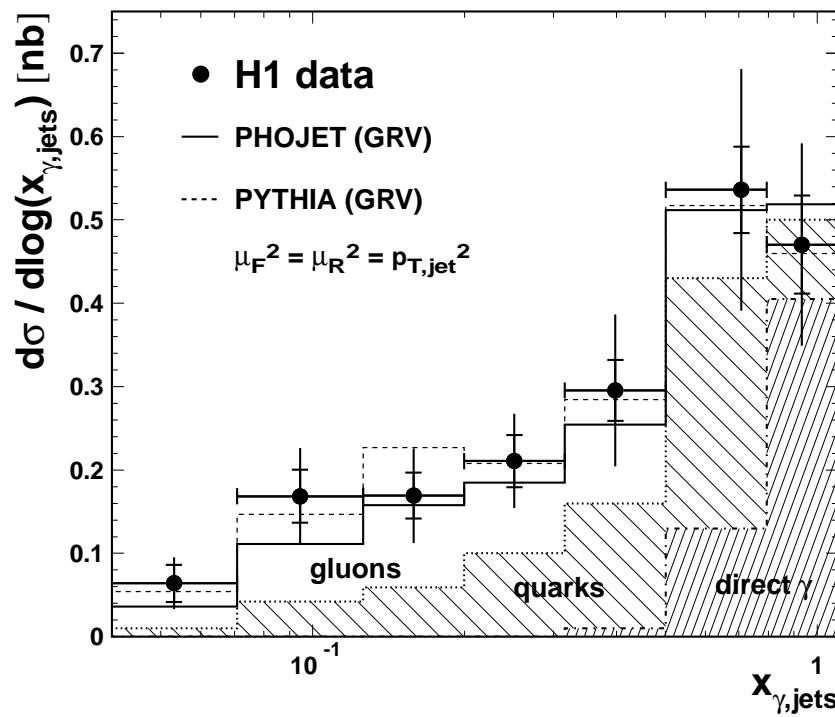
$x_p$  dependence: sensitivity to photon structure  
(esp. gluon at large  $x_p$ )

$\cos \theta^*$  dependence: sensitivity to short distance dynamics



# Dijets: Photon structure at LO

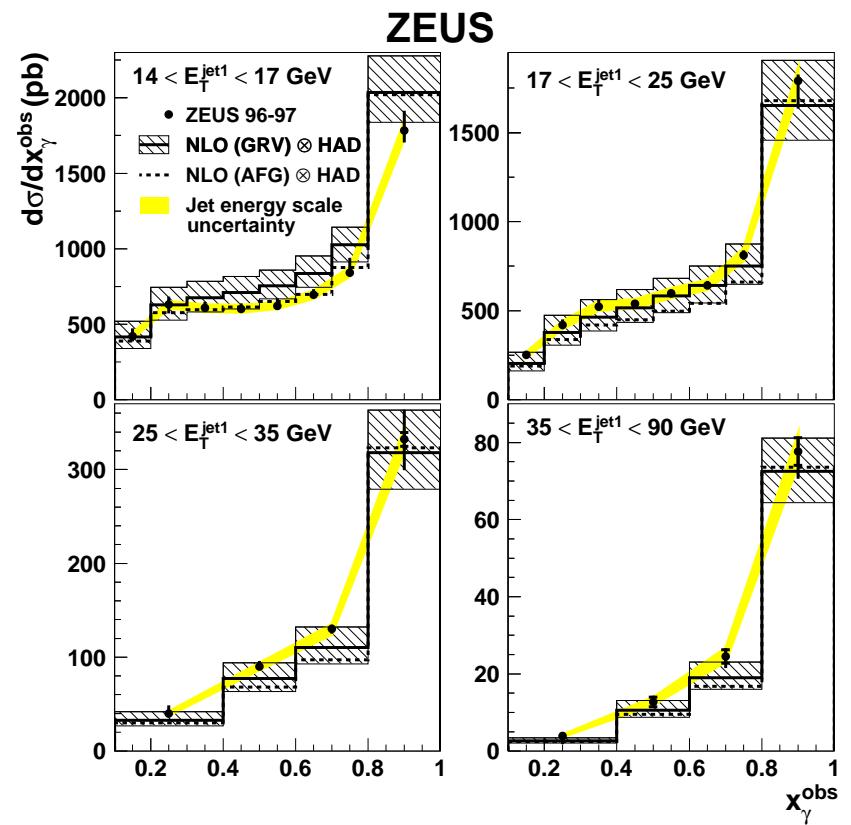
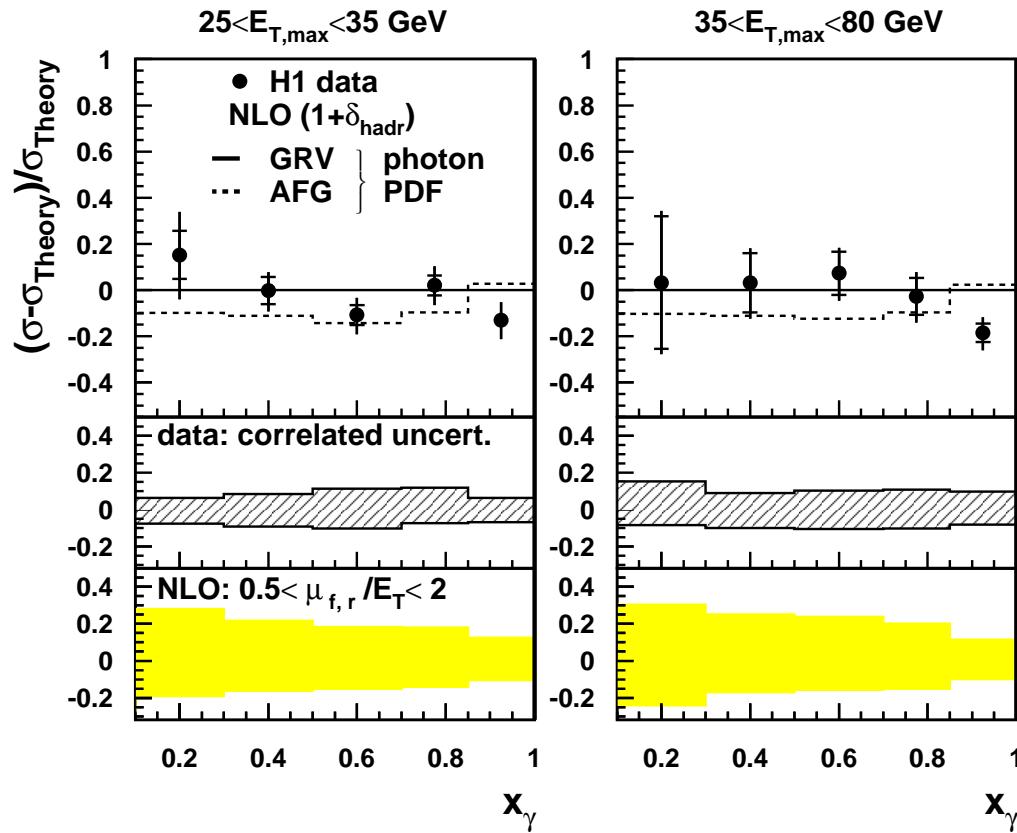
- $E_T^{jet} > 6 \text{ GeV}$  (trying to access low  $x_\gamma$ )  $\Rightarrow$  large non-pert. effects  $\Rightarrow$  LO analysis only
- High  $p_t$  charged particles ( $p_t > 2.6 \text{ GeV}/c$ )  $\Rightarrow$  completely different systematics  $\Rightarrow$  complementary method
- Gluon is obtained by subtracting quarks from effective pdf  $[q(x_\gamma) + \bar{q}(x_\gamma) + \frac{9}{4}g(x_\gamma)]$  unfolded from  $x_\gamma^{obs}$



★ So far this is the only extraction of gluon in photon (although in LO)  
Is it worth to repeat exercise with 50 fold statistics and NLO analysis?

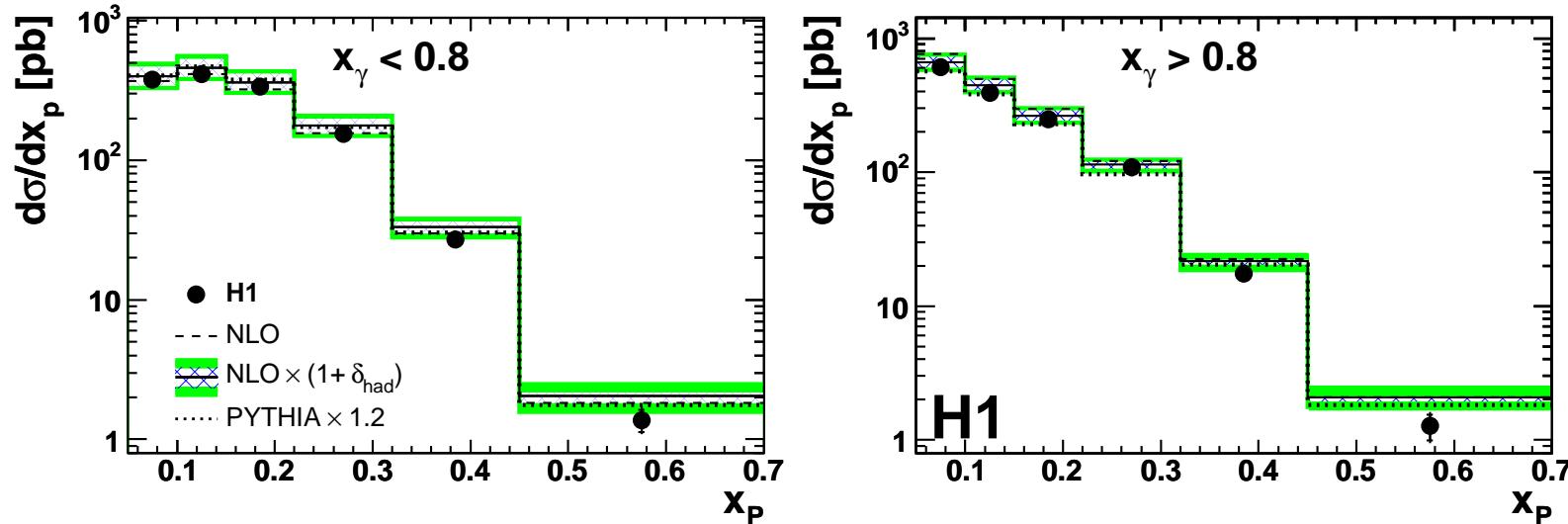
# Dijets: Photon structure at NLO

- The price for higher  $E_T^{jet}$  is that only relatively large  $x_\gamma > 0.1$  can be probed ( $x_\gamma = \frac{E_T^{j1} e^{-\eta_{j1}} + E_T^{j2} e^{-\eta_{j2}}}{2yE_e}$ )
- NLO analysis: Theoretical scale uncertainty dominates over experimental errors

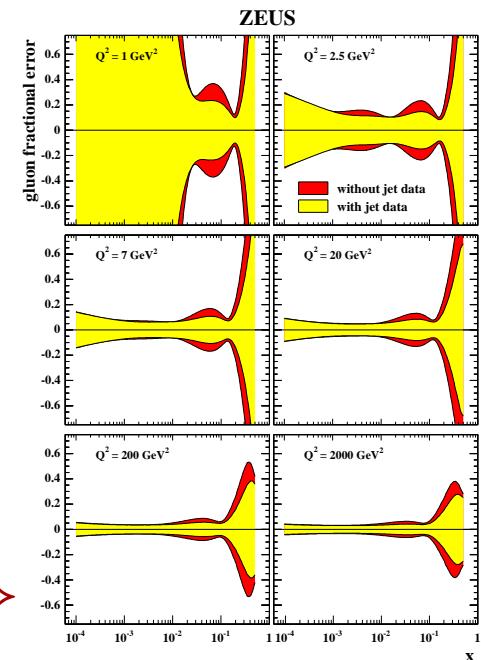


- ★ Probe photon PDFs at much higher scales than ever before (up to 8000 GeV<sup>2</sup>)
- ★ Within  $\sim 15\%$  present  $\gamma$ -PDFs are OK, but the data show potential to further constrain them

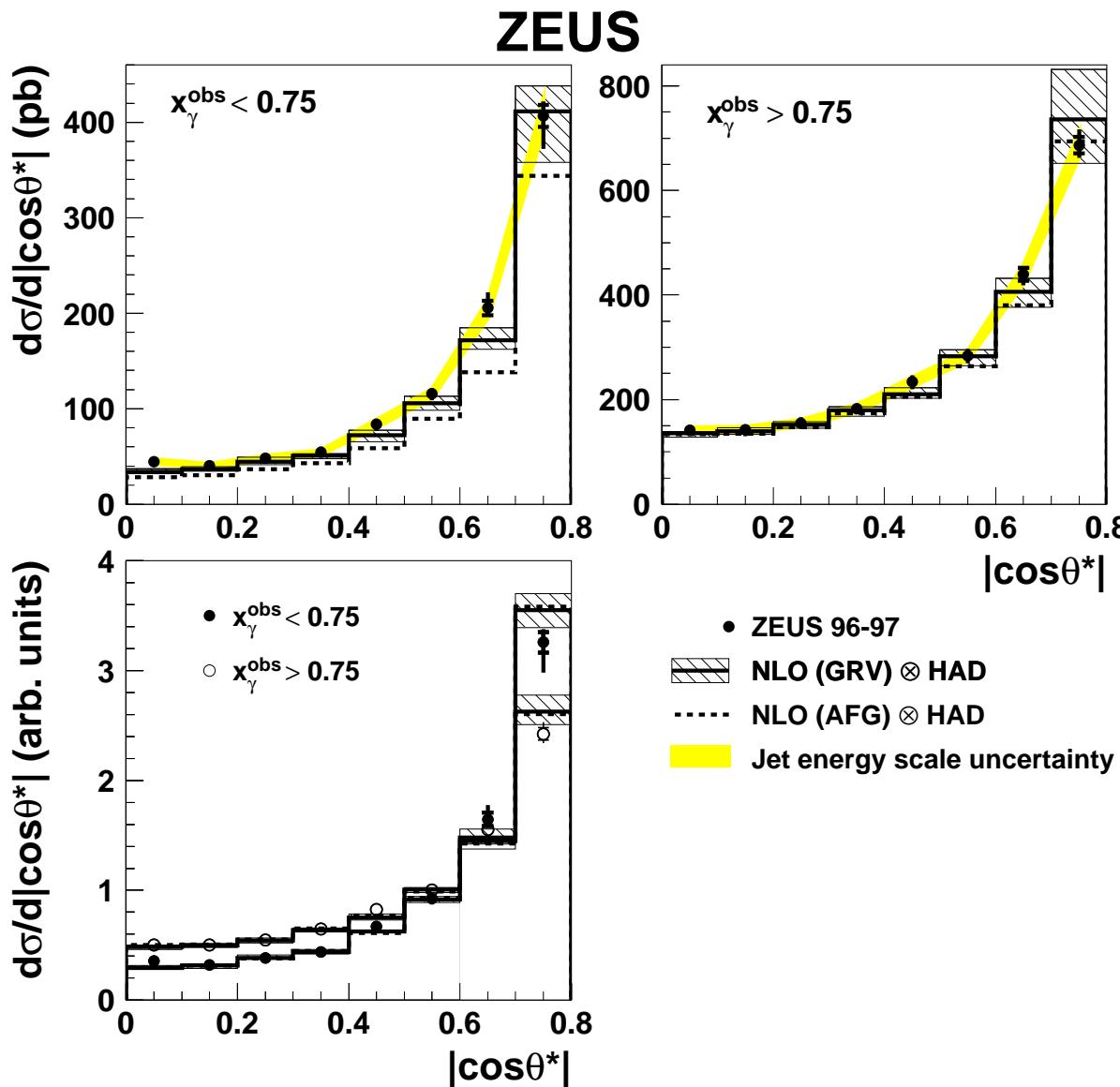
## Dijets: $x_p$ dependence



- $E_T^{jet_1} > 25 \text{ GeV}, E_T^{jet_2} > 15 \text{ GeV}$
  - LO MC is off by 20% (Pythia) or 55% (Herwig)  
at low  $x_p$  NLO agrees with data within 10%
  - CTEQ5M–MRST < 5% at  $x_p < 0.1$  and  $\sim 15\%$  at  $x_p > 0.1$   
at  $x_p \simeq 0.1 \approx 35\%$  of the cross section is gluon induced
- ⇒ Data are sensitive to high  $x_p$  gluon in the proton  
and can be used in the global fits (e.g. ZEUS: hep-ph/0503274) ⇒



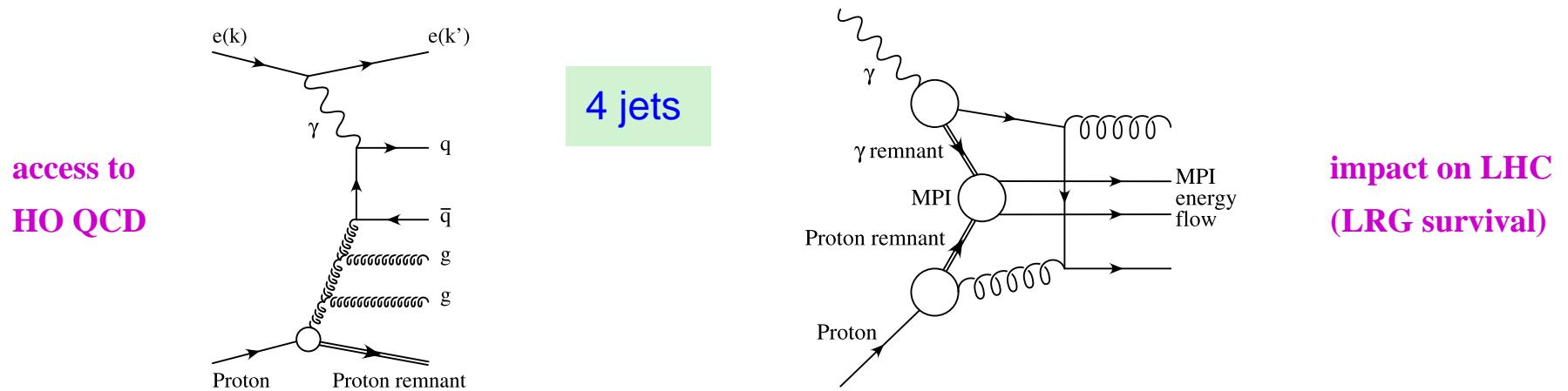
# Dijets: $|\cos \theta^*|$ dependence



$E_T^{jet_1} > 14 \text{ GeV}$ ,  
 $E_T^{jet_2} > 11 \text{ GeV}$ ,  
 $M_{JJ} > 42 \text{ GeV}$

- NLO calculation is able to describe angular dependence
- Shapes are consistent with expectations from dominant propagators:  
 "gluon"  $\propto (1 - |\cos \theta^*|)^{-2}$   
 "quark"  $\propto (1 - |\cos \theta^*|)^{-1}$

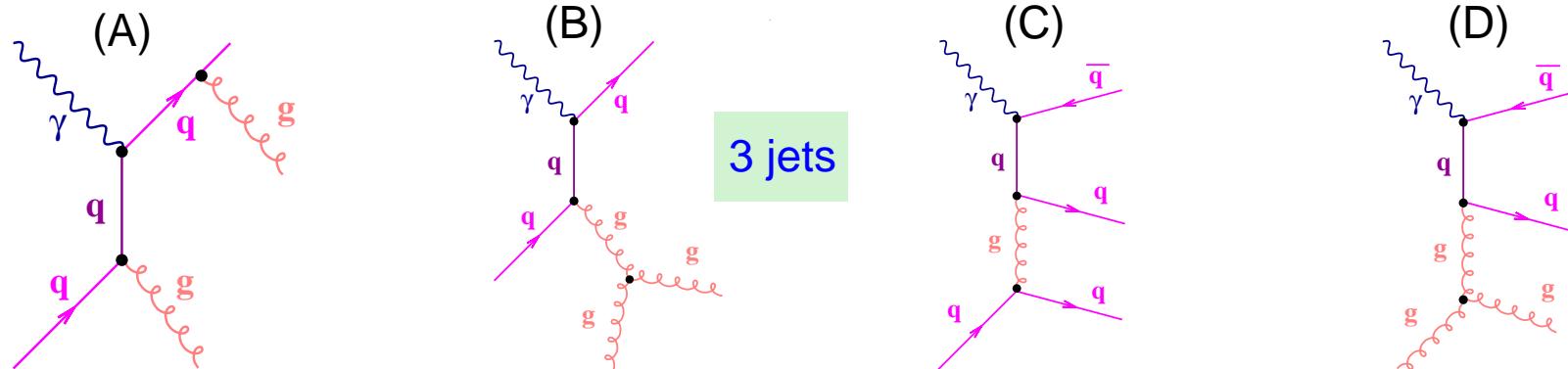
# Multijets in PHP: New largely unexplored field



LO is  $\mathcal{O}(\alpha\alpha_s^3)$  – no calculations exist

Example of MPI producing 4-jet final state

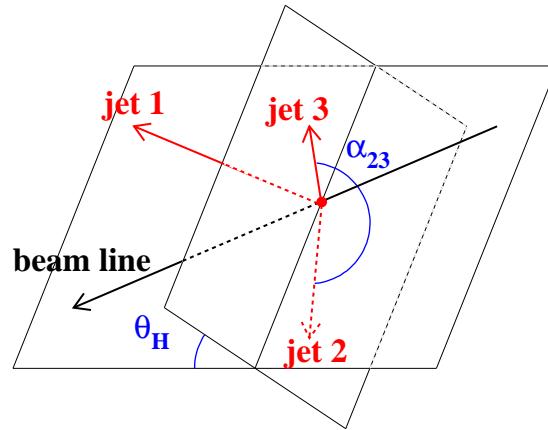
(see in the talk by A.Savin )



$$\text{LO: } \sigma_{ep \rightarrow 3j} = C_F^2 \sigma_A + C_F C_A \sigma_B + C_F T_F \sigma_C + T_F C_A \sigma_D$$

sensitivity to the underlying gauge group structure

# Multijets: Colour dynamics with 3-jet events



## Data:

2233 3-jet events

$E_T^{jet} > 14$  GeV each

$-1 < \eta^{jet} < 2.5$ ,  $x_\gamma^{obs} > 0.7$

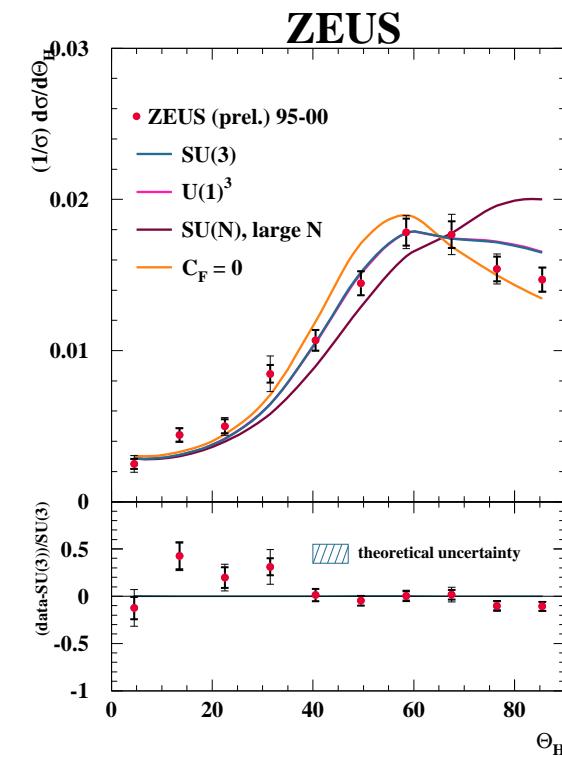
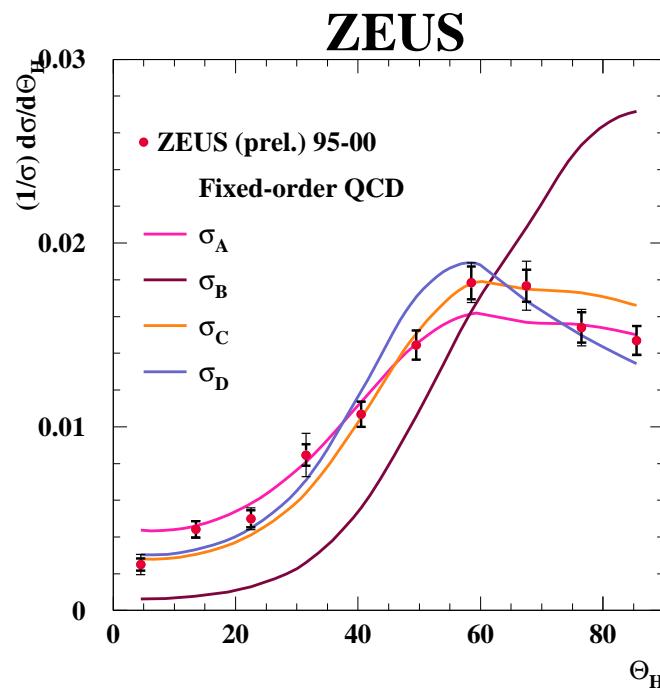
## $\mathcal{O}(\alpha\alpha_s^2)$ calculation

$$\alpha_s(M_Z) = 0.1175$$

$$\mu_r = \mu_f = E_T^{max}$$

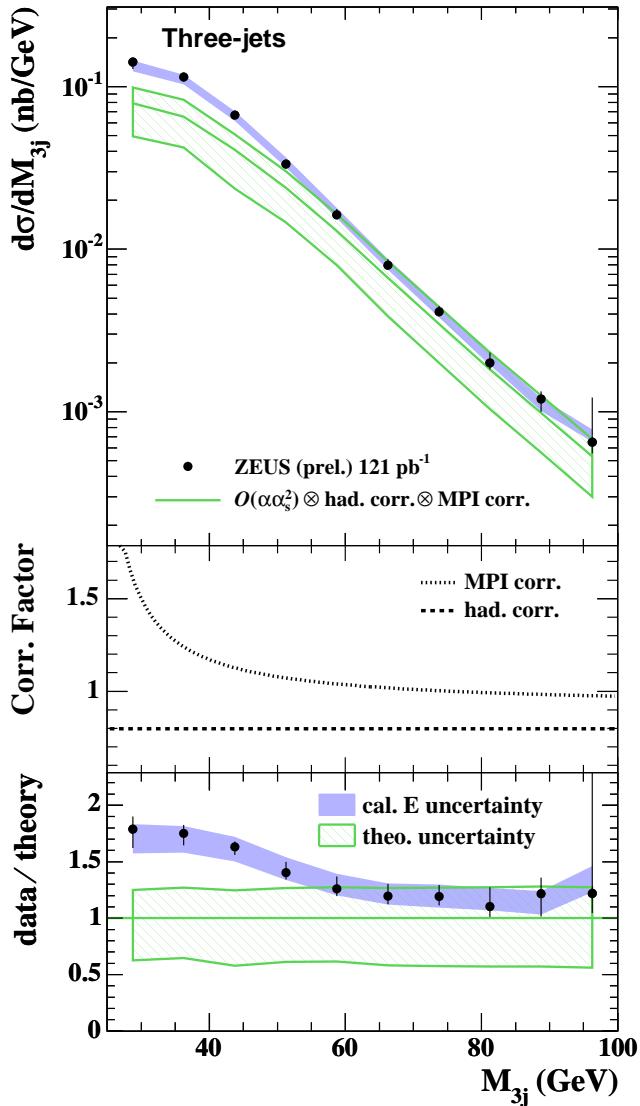
Hadr.corr. from Pythia

shapes of different terms  
sensitive to colour configurations



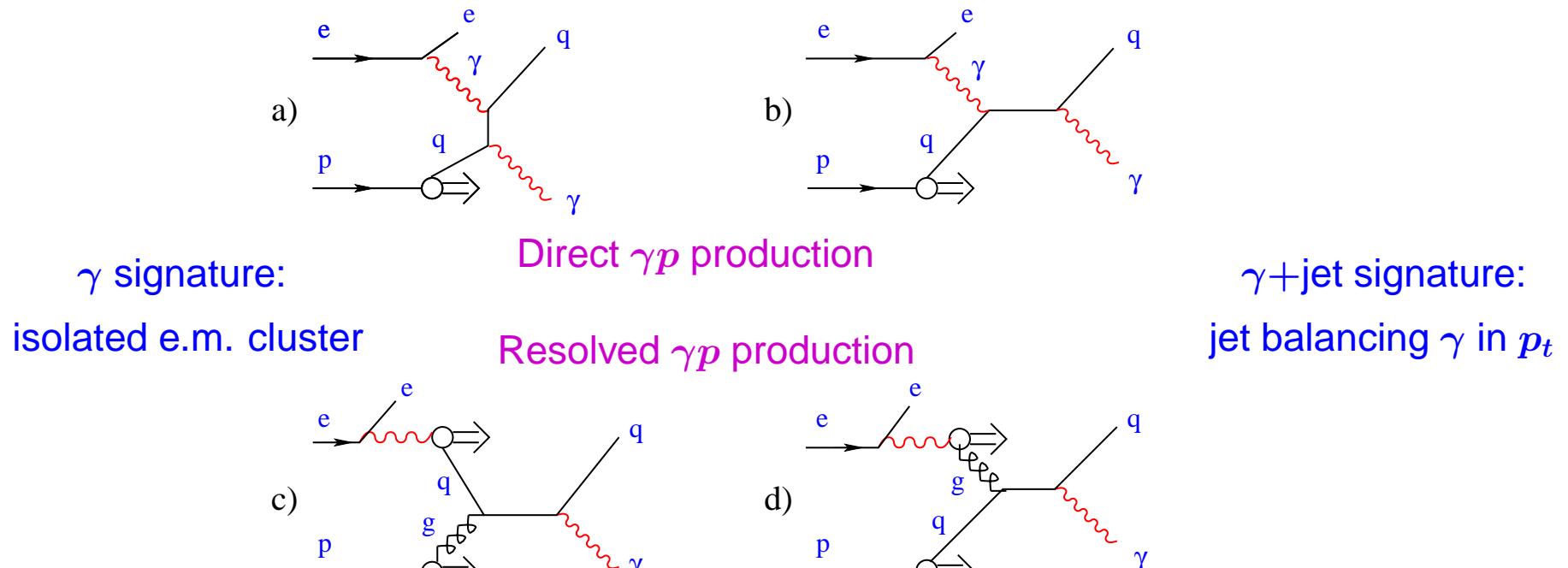
★ Data are consistent with  $SU(3)$  colour ‘mixture’

# 3-jet data vs $\mathcal{O}(\alpha\alpha_s^2)$ pQCD



- Data:  $Q^2 < 1 \text{ GeV}^2$ ,  $142 < W_{\gamma p} < 293 \text{ GeV}$   
 $E_T^j > 7, 7, 5 \text{ GeV}$ ,  $|\eta^j| < 2.4$ ,  $M_{3j} > 25 \text{ GeV}$
- Theory:  $\mathcal{O}(\alpha\alpha_s^2)$  calculation by  
by M.Klasen, T.Kleinwort and G.Kramer (1998)
- Non-perturbative effects:
  - hadronization corrections reduce  $\sigma_{3j}$  by  $\mathcal{O}(20\%)$
  - mult.int. from HERWIG-JIMMY eikonal model  
(only essential in low mass region,  $< 50 \text{ GeV}$ )
- Theoretical uncertainty is large, as expected from LO calculation
- At high  $M_{3j}$  calculations are in rough agreement with the data, but significantly underestimate low mass cross section

# Prompt photons



+ free of hadronisation effects  $\Rightarrow$   
direct link to parton level

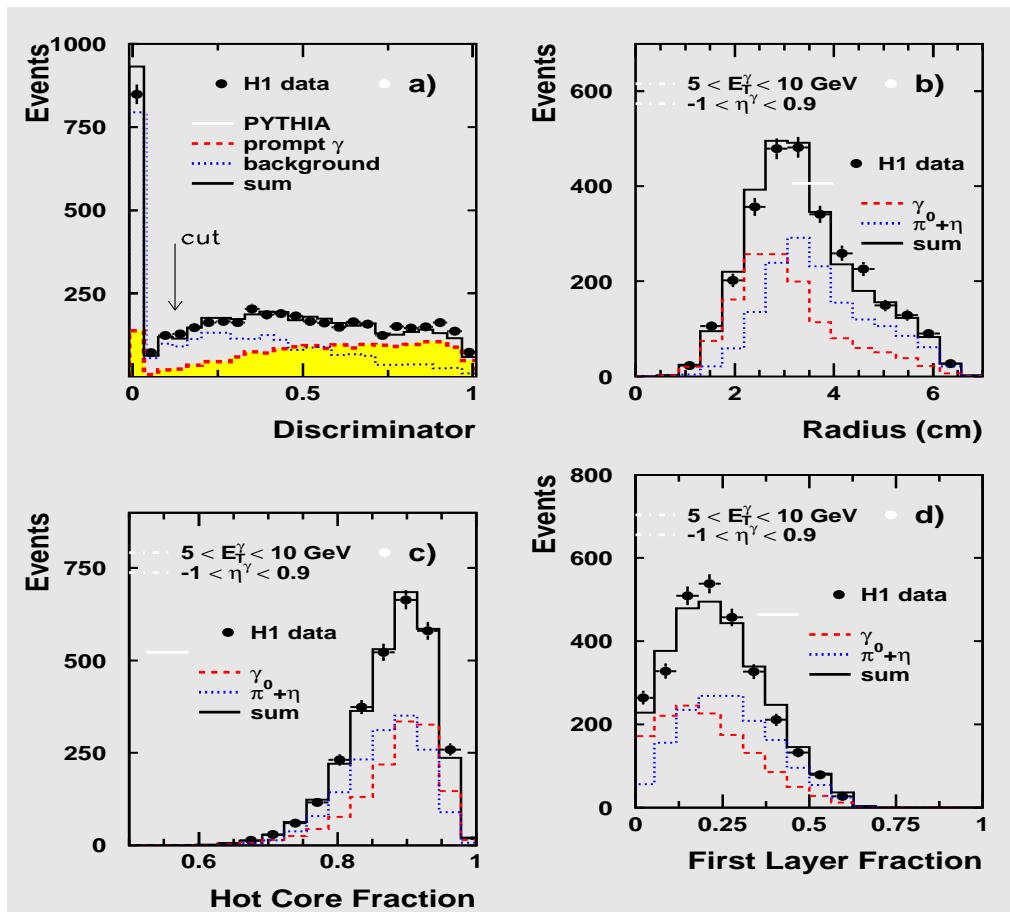
smaller experimental E-scale uncertainty  
(e.m. scale is better known than hadronic)

— low statistics as compared to jets

difficult background from  $\pi^0/\eta$  decays  
(dominant systematics,  $\approx 10 - 20\%$ )

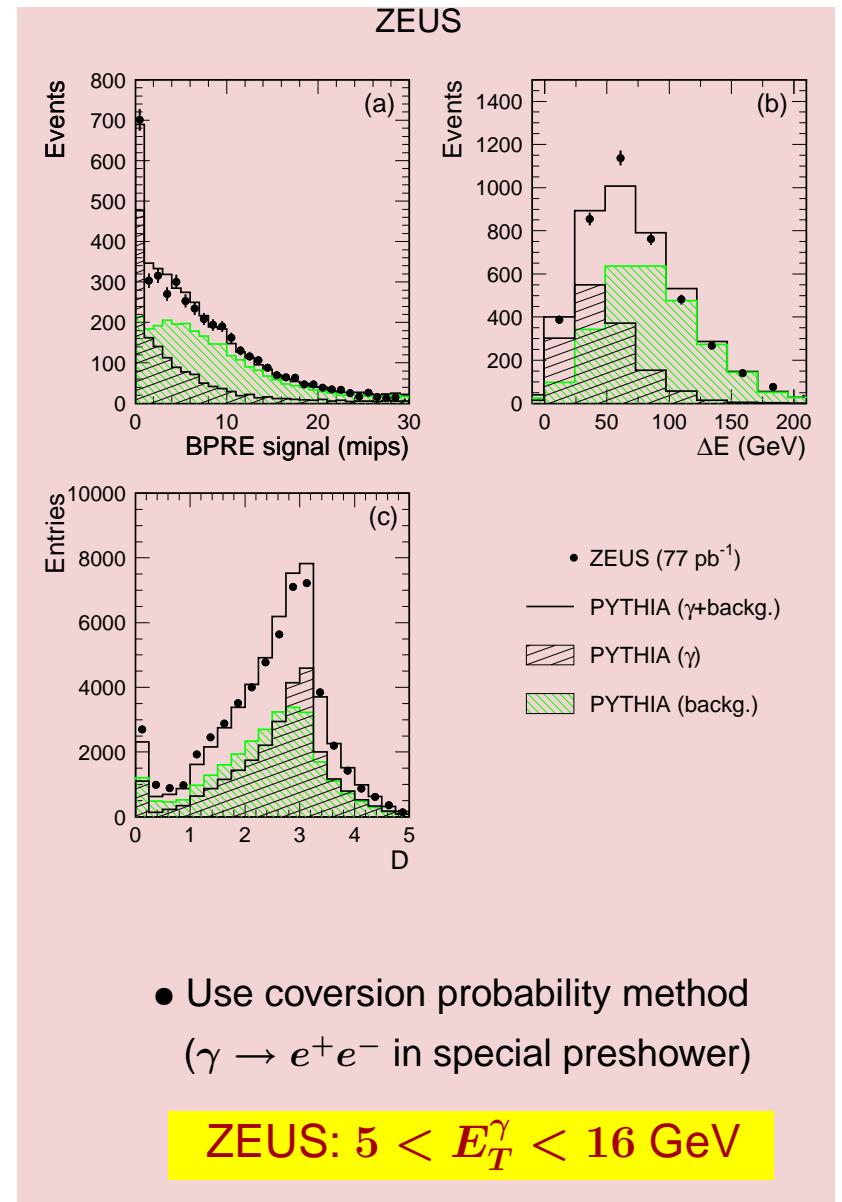
- Previous measurements have shown that inclusive production of prompt photons in hadron-hadron and  $\gamma$ -hadron collisions is unexpectedly large. Why?

# Prompt photons: Signal extraction



- Use combined discriminator, based on e.m. shower shape parameters (works fine for not very high  $E_T$ )

H1:  $5 < E_T^\gamma < 10 \text{ GeV}$



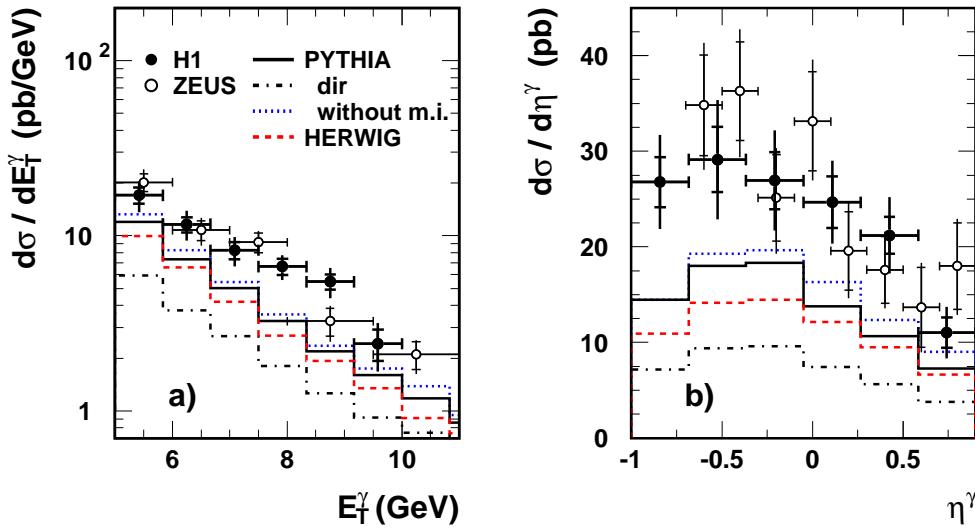
- Use conversion probability method ( $\gamma \rightarrow e^+e^-$  in special preshower)

ZEUS:  $5 < E_T^\gamma < 16 \text{ GeV}$

- Purity of the final sample is  $\sim 50\%$ . Remaining background is subtracted statistically

# Inclusive Prompt photons

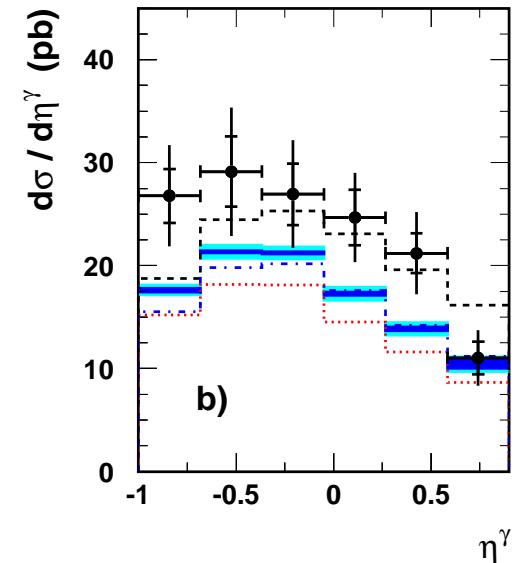
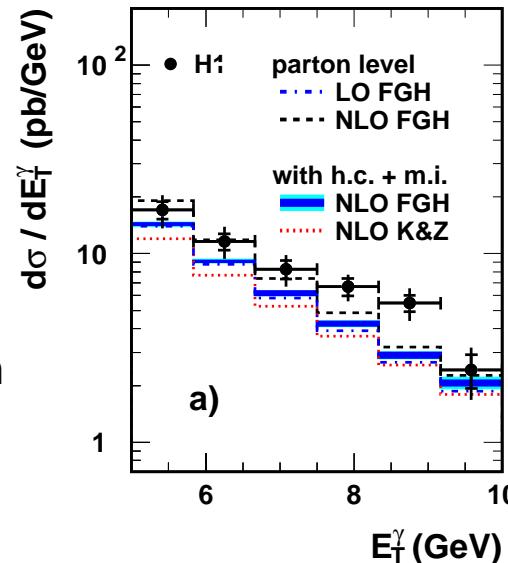
Inclusive prompt photon



- H1 and ZEUS measurements agree within errors
- LO MC: shapes are well described, but are below data by 40 – 50%
- More than 50% of prompt photons are produced in direct  $\gamma p$  interactions

Inclusive prompt photon

- NLO calculations are closer to the data, but still  $\sim 30\%$  below
- Mult.int. reduce cross section by spoiling  $\gamma$  isolation criteria
- NLO corrections are substantial, with  $NLO/LO = 1.2 - 1.4$  for FGH case  
⇒ Need for HO corrections? Else?

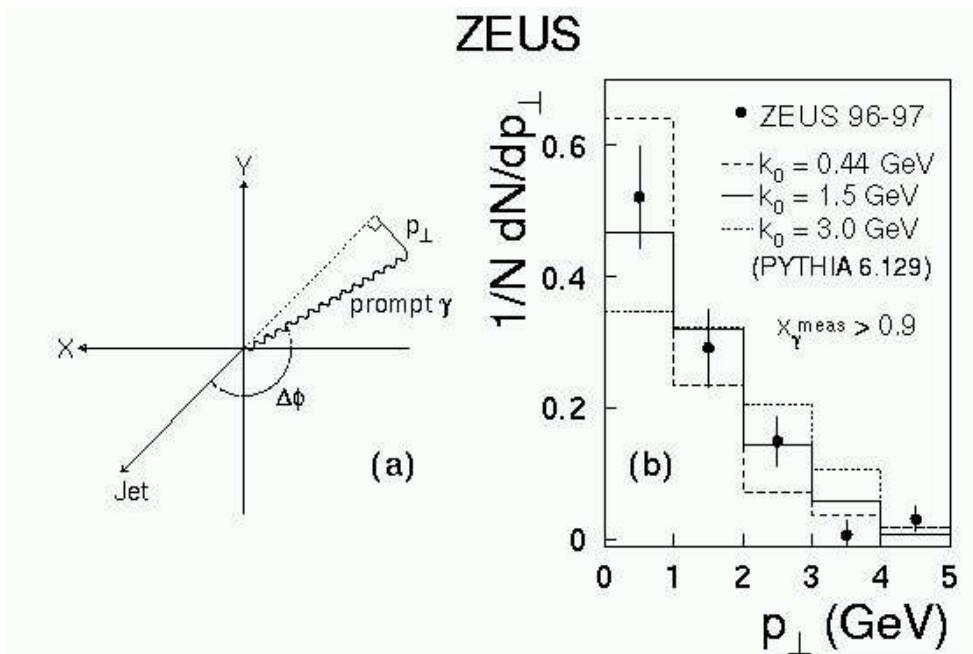


# Prompt photon + jet

One possible explanation of large inclusive photon production is due to high intrinsic transverse momentum of partons in the proton,  $\langle k_T \rangle$

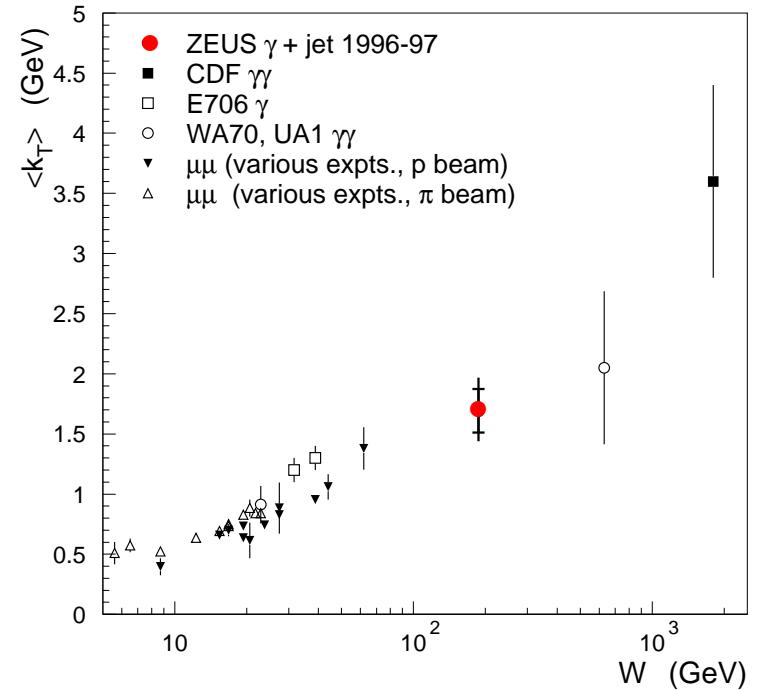
⇒ Select  $\gamma$ +jet and check  $p_T$  imbalance (in direct enriched sample)

$$(E_T^\gamma > 5 \text{ GeV}, E_T^{jet} > 5 \text{ GeV}, x_\gamma^{obs} > 0.9)$$



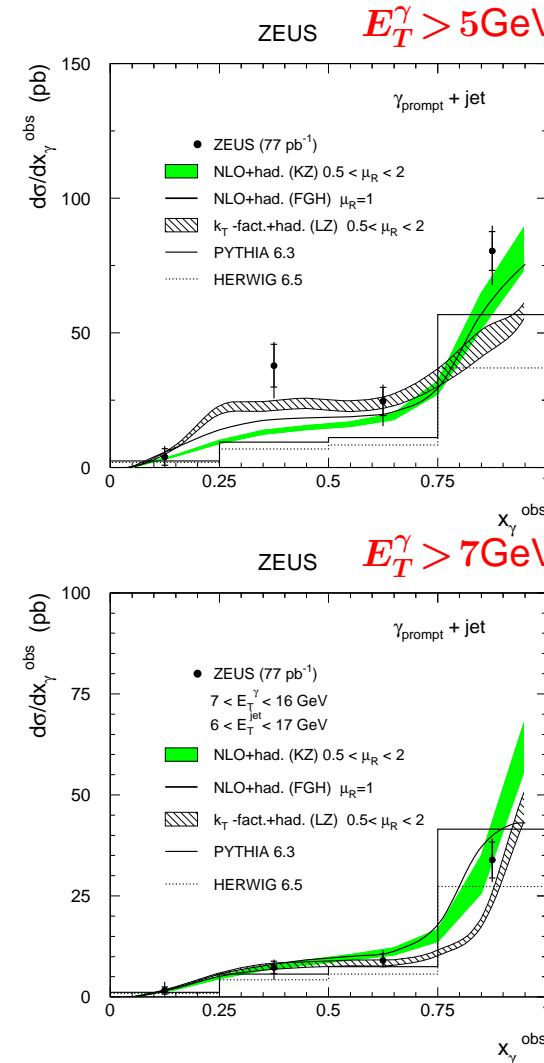
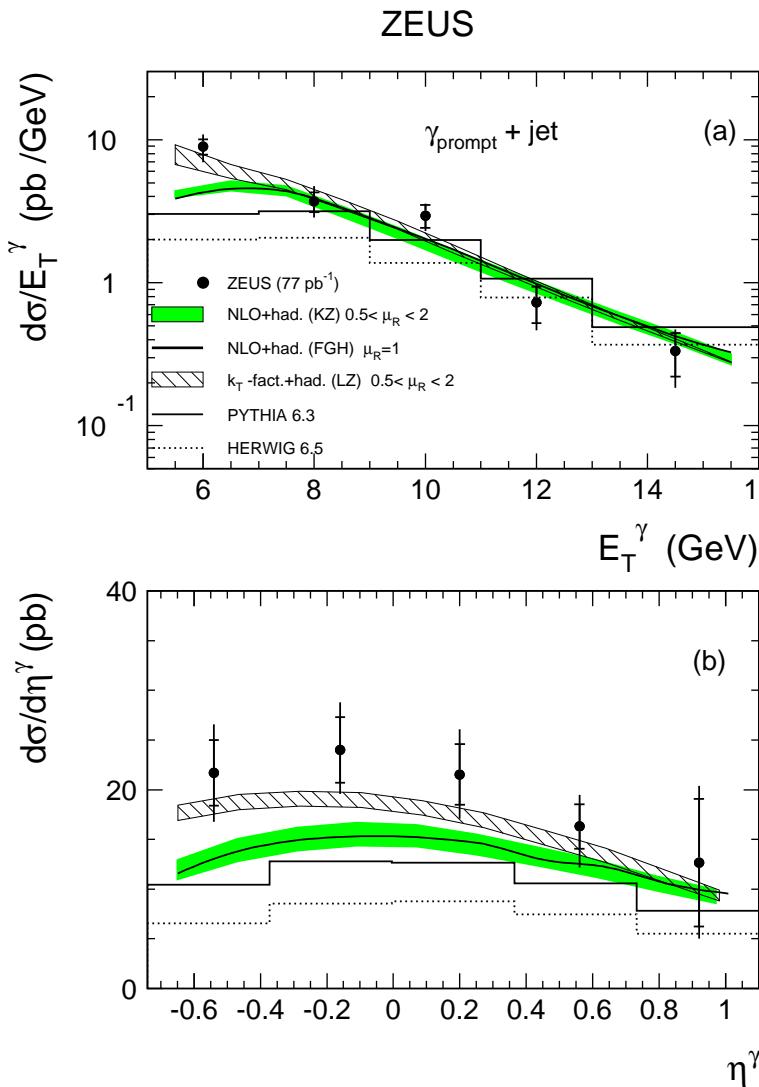
$$\langle k_T \rangle = 1.69 \pm 0.18 \pm 0.19 \text{ GeV}$$

(inferred from tuned Pythia)



- ZEUS result nicely interpolates between low energies and Tevatron measurements

# Prompt photon + jet vs NLO QCD



- **Data sample:**  $E_T^\gamma > 5\text{ GeV}$ ,  $E_T^{\text{jet}} > 6\text{ GeV}$
- **LO MC:** fail both in  $E_T^\gamma$  shape and normalisation
- In  $E_T^\gamma > 7\text{ GeV}$  range all NLO calculations agree with the data
- At low  $E_T^\gamma$ : Only LZ version gives adequate description

★ Best description is provided by NLO based upon  $k_T$ -factorisation approach and uPDFs

# Charm and Beauty at HERA

- Factorisation:

Photon Structure  $\otimes$  Matrix Element  $\otimes$  Proton Structure  $\otimes$  Fragmentation

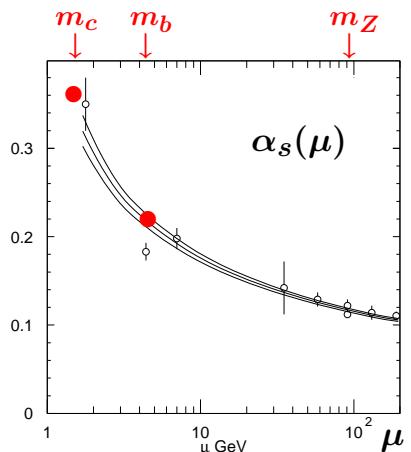
- Relevant scales:

$m_Q$  ( $m_c \sim 1.5$  GeV,  $m_b \sim 4.8$  GeV)

$Q^2 < 1$  GeV $^2$  ( $\gamma p$ ) or  $> 2$  GeV $^2$  (DIS)

$p_t^{c,b}$  ( $p_t^{jet} > 6$  or 7 GeV)

but: extra theoretical systematics from scale ambiguity (multiscale problem)



• Perturbative QCD applicable  
should work better for beauty than for charm

- QCD interpretation:

▷ NLO  $\mathcal{O}(\alpha_s^2)$  calculations

FMNR (*Frixione et al.*)

ZMVFNS (*Binnewies et al.*)

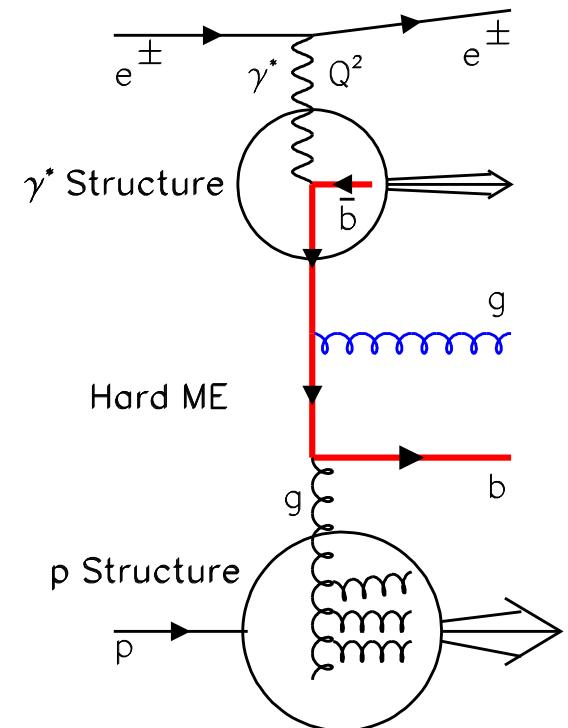
GMVFNS (*Kniehl et al.*)

▷ (LO  $\mathcal{O}(\alpha_s)$  + PS) Monte Carlo

Pythia / Herwig (DGLAP)

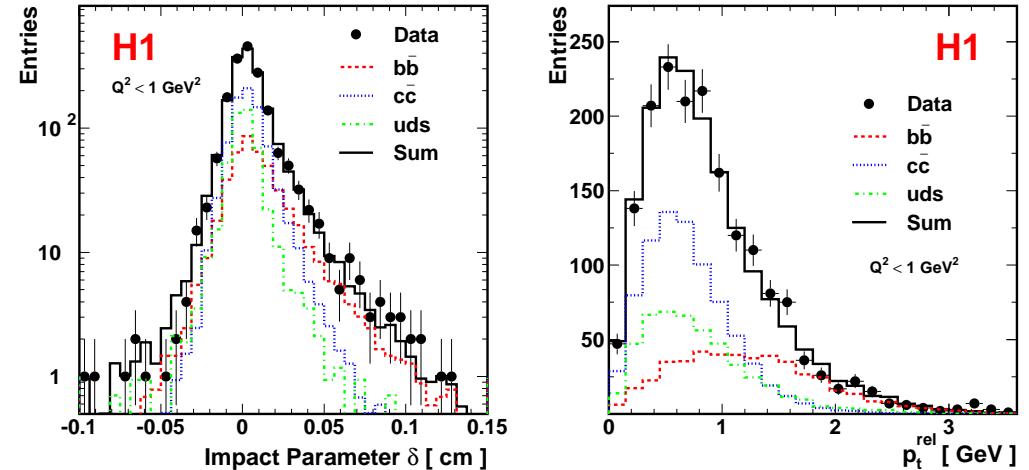
Cascade (CCFM,  $k_t$  factorisation)

Dominant process: **BGF**

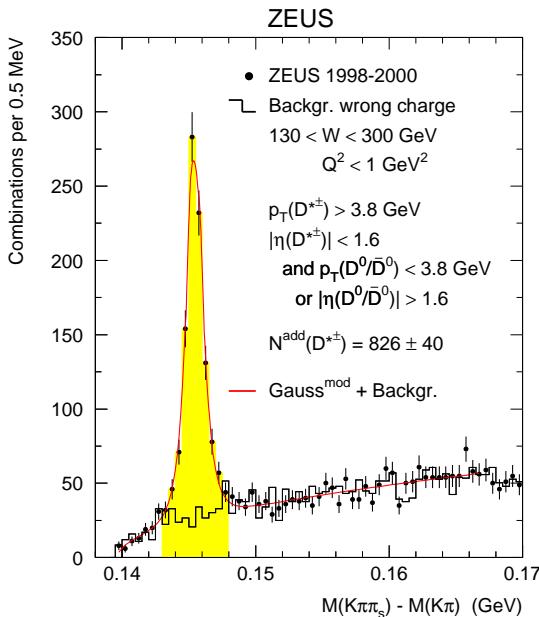


# Heavy Quark Identification

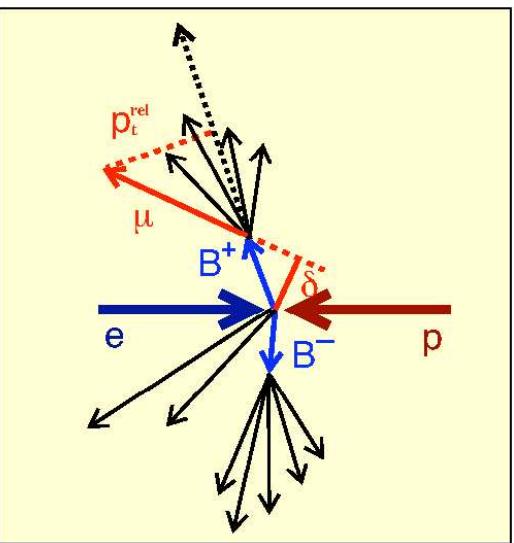
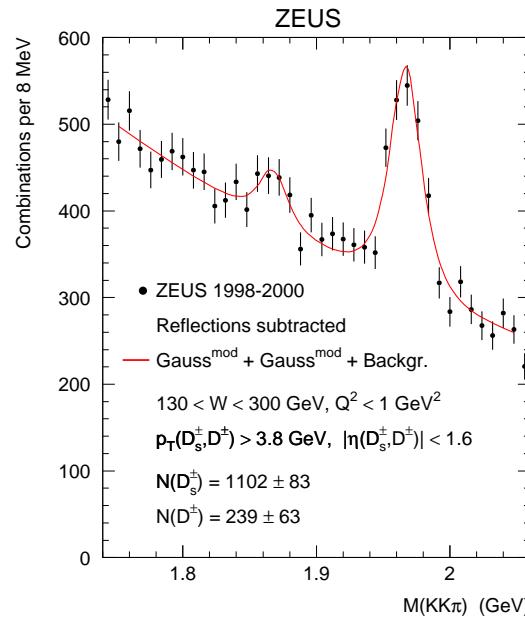
- Resonance reconstruction (e.g.  $D^*$ )
- Lifetime tag (impact parameter)
- High mass tag ( $p_t^{rel}$ , jet mass)
- Lepton tag ( $e, \mu$  from HQ decays)
- ...



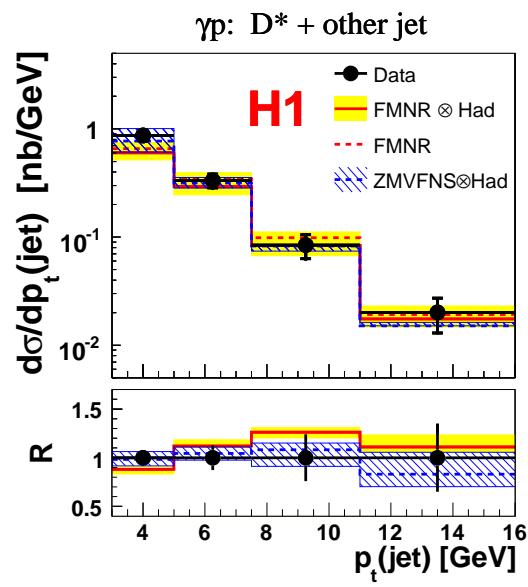
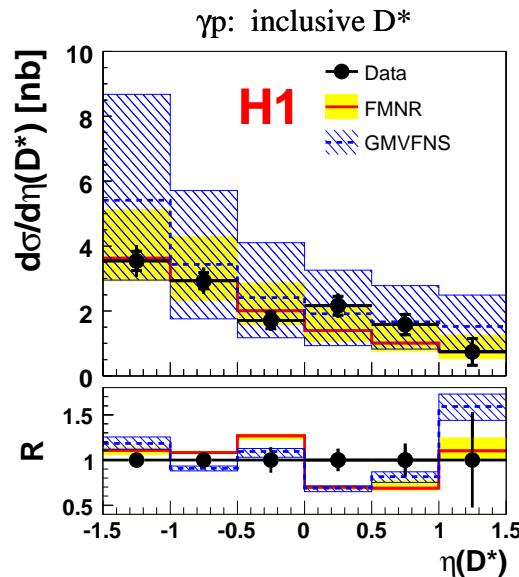
$$D^* \rightarrow D^0\pi_s \rightarrow K\pi\pi$$



$$D_s \rightarrow \phi(\rightarrow KK)\pi$$



# Open charm photoproduction

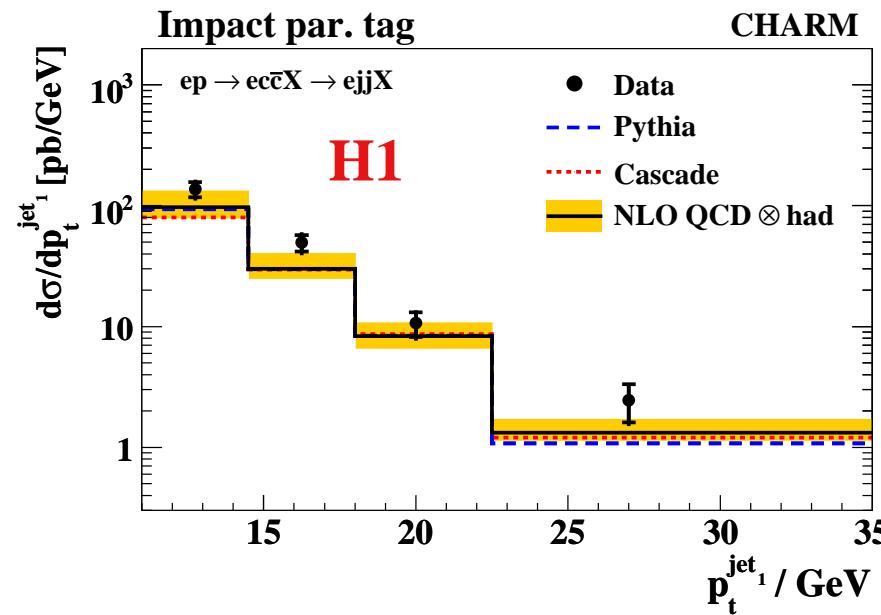


- $p_t(D^*) > 2 \text{ GeV}, E_T^{jet} > 3 \text{ GeV}, |\eta| < 1.5$

Observable	$\delta_{exp}$	$\delta_{theor}$
Incl. $D^*$	12%	35 – 50%
$D^* + \text{jet}$	15%	20 – 25%

- Charm with CVX detector (impact par. technique)

Good description over huge  $p_t$  range

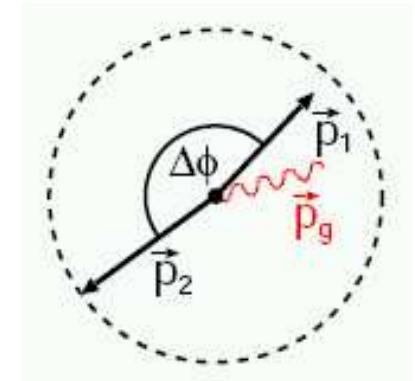
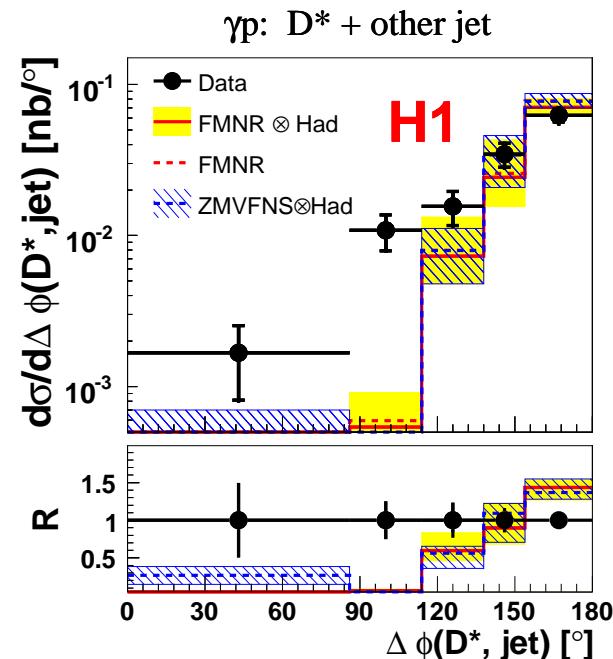
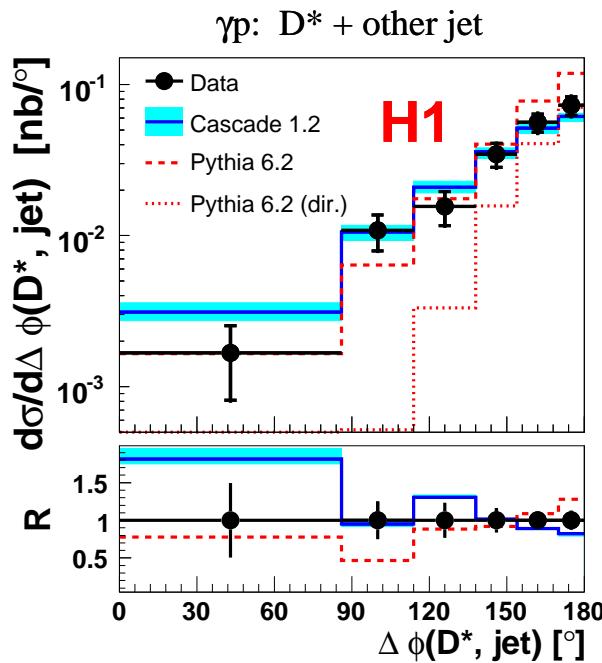


★ Inclusive  $D^*$ : NLO has problems.

★  $D^*(\text{charm}) + \text{jet}$ : Fair description by NLO

# $D^* + \text{jets}$

Look for deviations from back-to-back topology in  $D^* + \text{jet}$  events

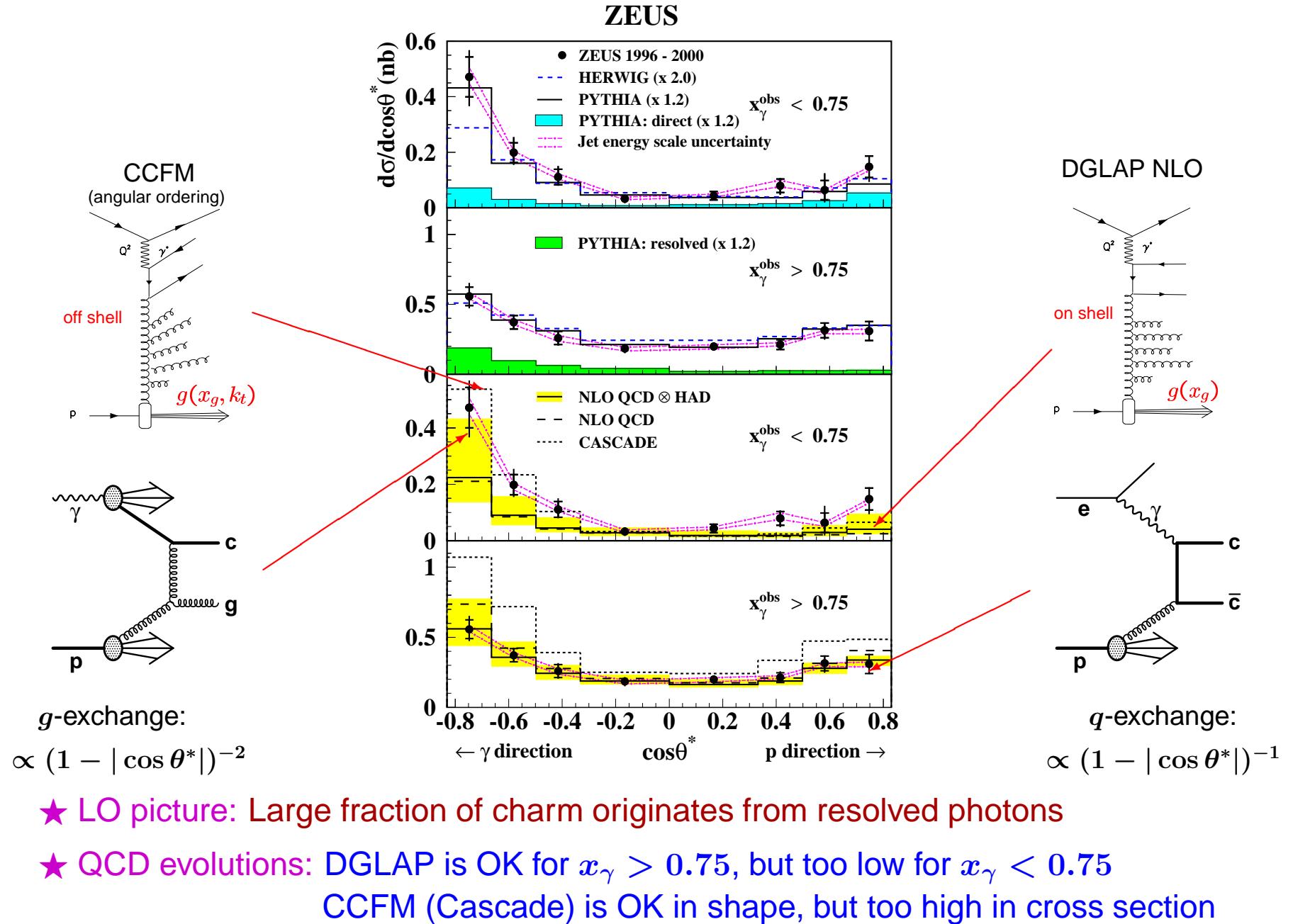


gluon radiation

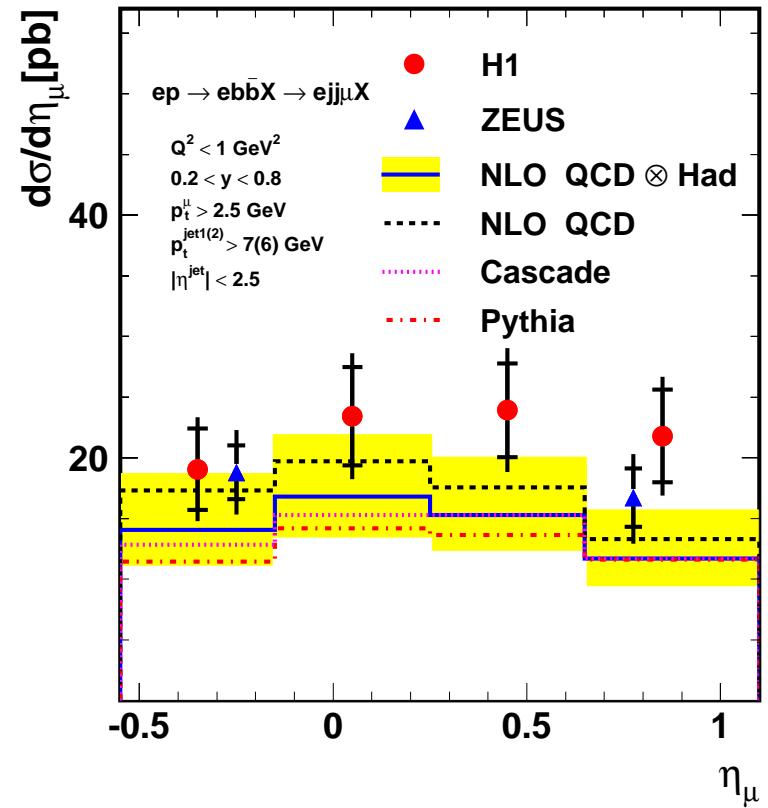
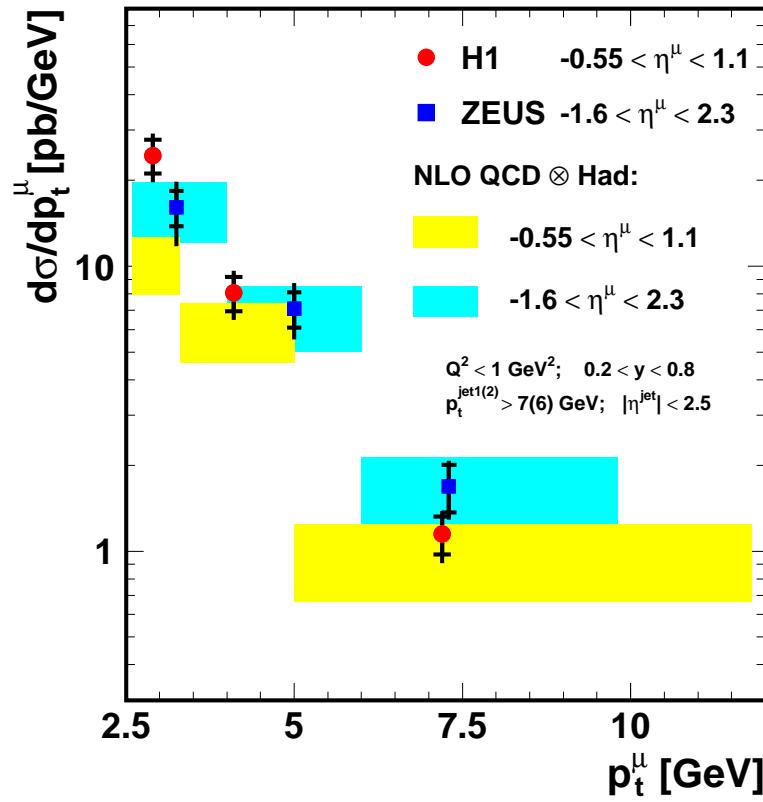
LO MC emulating higher orders by means of parton showers describe azimuthal  $D^*$ -jet correlation reasonably well, while existing NLO significantly underestimate small  $\Delta\Phi$  range

★ Indication of missing HO terms in NLO to describe  $D^*$ -jet angular correlations

# Charm in the Photon

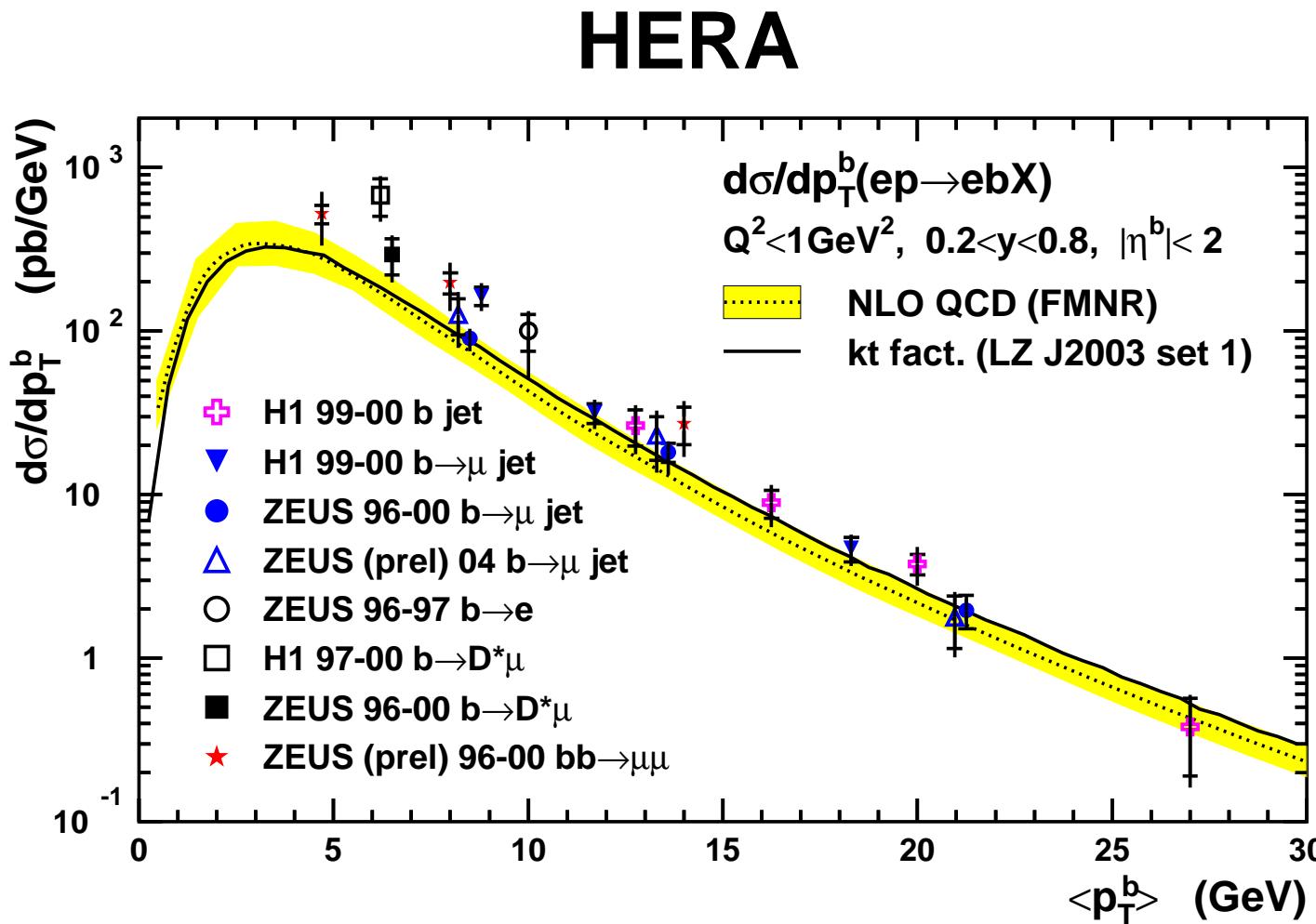


# Beauty PHP at HERA



- H1 and ZEUS agree in the common phase space
- LO MC underestimate cross section by  $\sim 40\%$
- NLO QCD is almost OK, but after adding hadronization corrections the agreement became worse

# Beauty PHP at HERA: Summary plot



★ NLO QCD is OK for high  $p_t$  beauty production, while  
it tends to underestimate cross section at lowish  $p_t$

# HERA photoproduction data vs NLO: Summary

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## ■ Jets

- Inclusive jets: except of low  $E_T^{jet} \approx 5 - 10$  GeV range NLO describes all the data
- Dijets: theoretical errors now often bigger than experimental
- Multijets: only LO for 3-jet final state exists. Theory falls behind.

## ■ Prompt photons

- Inclusive  $\gamma$ : NLO corrections to LO are substantial (20 – 40%) but still insufficient: NLO is  $\approx 30\%$  below the data
- $\gamma + \text{jet}$ : for  $E_T^\gamma > 7$  GeV and  $E_T^{jet} > 6$  GeV all calculations are OK. For low  $E_T^\gamma = 5 - 7$  GeV only LZ calculation (using  $k_t$  factorisation scheme) is able to describe data

## ■ HQ

- Charm:  $D^*$ -jet cross sections are well reproduced by NLO, which however fails to describe inclusive  $D^*$  as well as  $D^*$ -jet angular correlations
- Beauty: data have a tendency to lie above NLO, but the difference is no longer as dramatic. More precise data are required to further constrain theory

## Summary and Outlook

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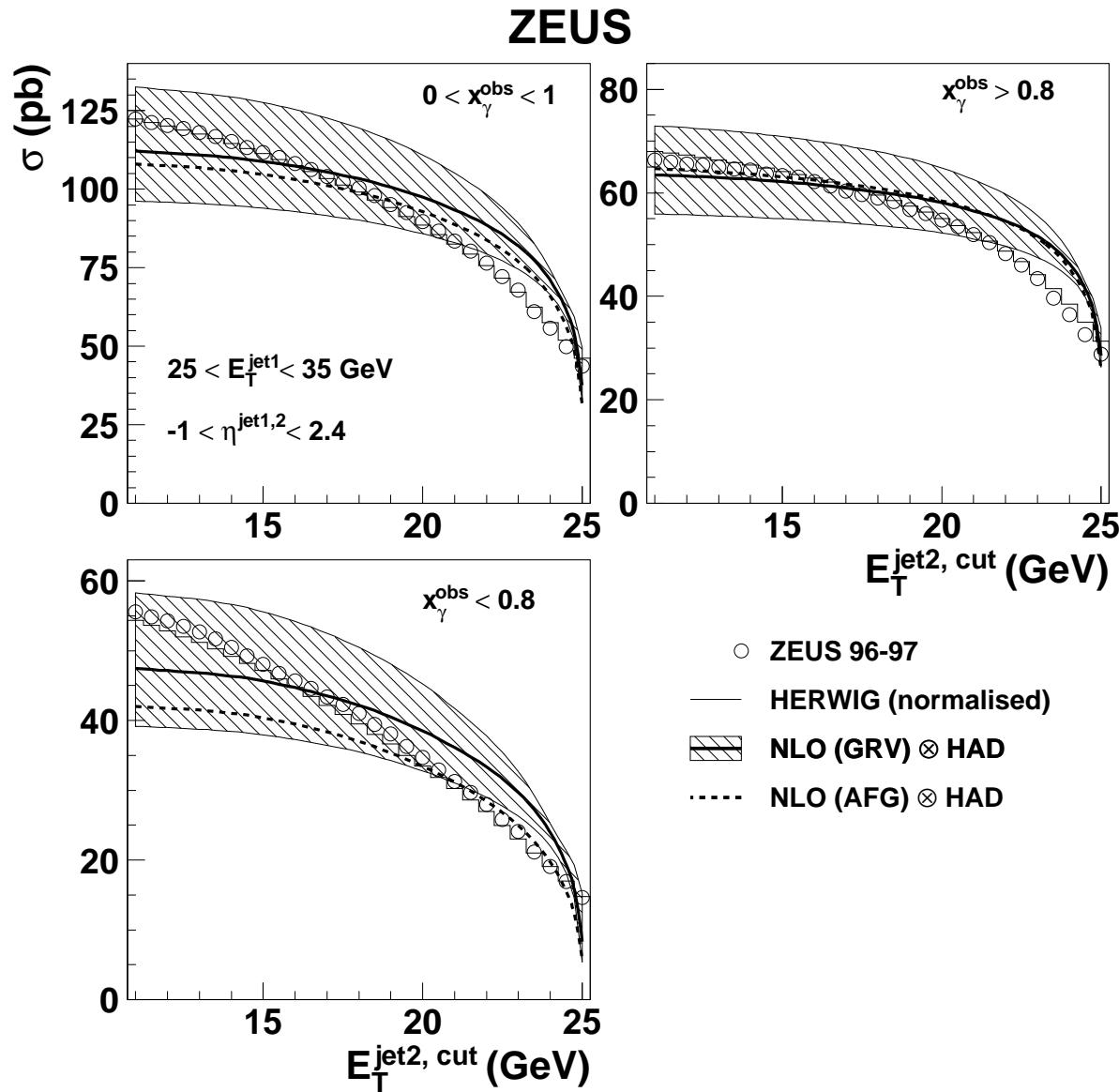
- Photoproduction at HERA is rich field of research, providing valuable and stringent test of our knowledge of QCD.  
Good understanding of inclusive jets, dijets and prompt photons is achieved with NLO, which is not yet the case for heavy flavours.

- There is a clear need for higher order theoretical calculations beyond presently available  $\mathcal{O}(\alpha_s^2)$ , as almost for all measurements theoretical uncertainty exceeds experimental errors ( $\alpha_s$ , inclusive photons, charm, low  $E_T$  range, multijets)

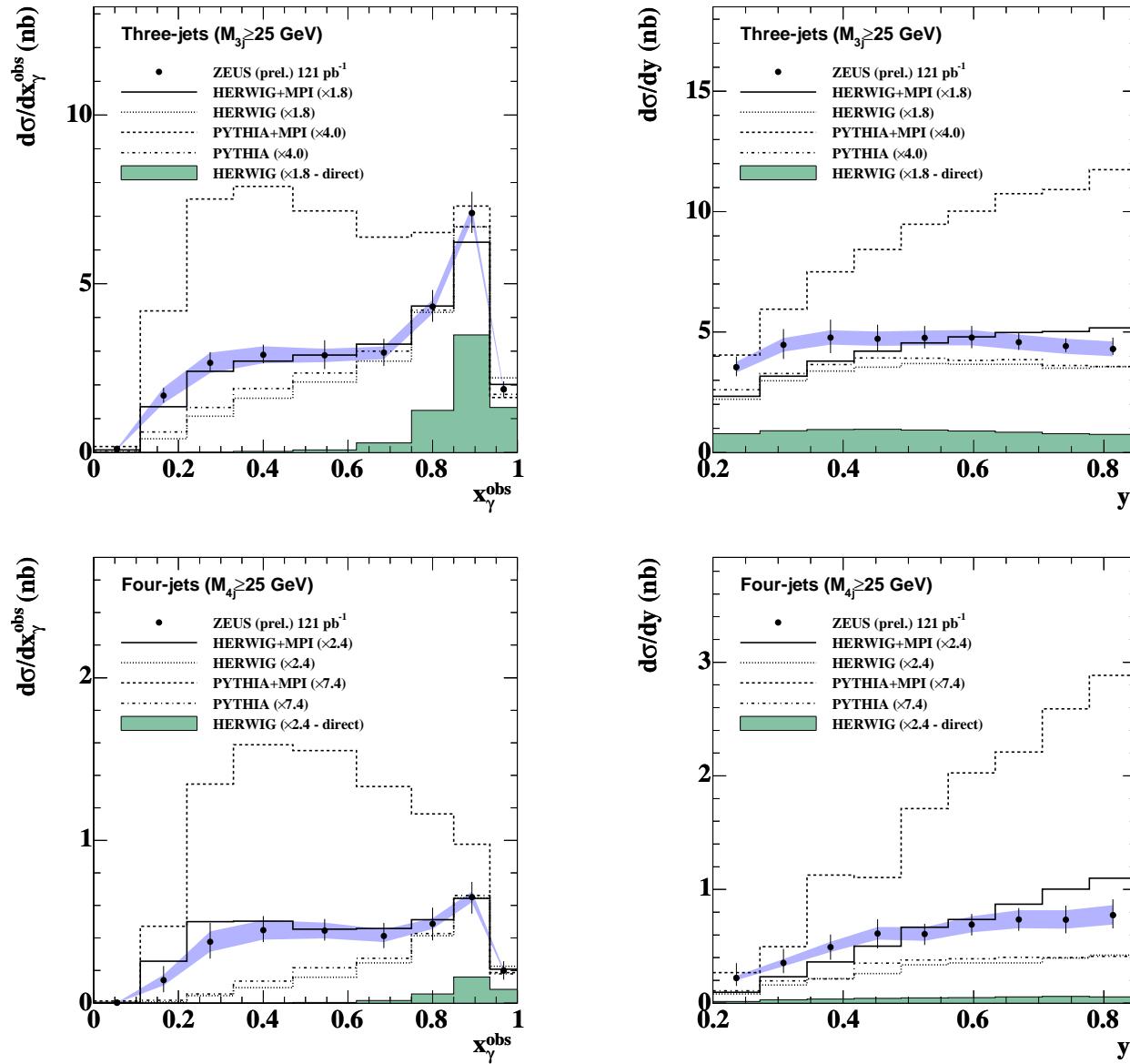
- So far only  $\sim 120 \text{ pb}^{-1}$  of HERA-1 data are analysed and published. There exist 3 times larger HERA-2 data samples with improved flavour tagging and phase space coverage by upgraded H1 and ZEUS detectors.  
To make best use of those we expect also corresponding progress from theory side.

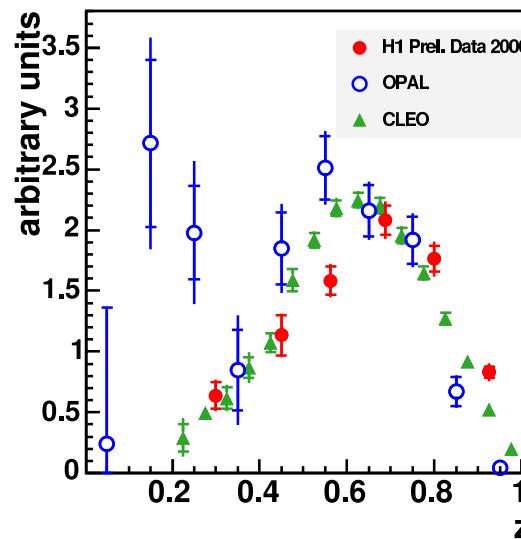
**BACKUP SLIDES...**

# Dijet cross section for $E_T^{j1} > 25$ GeV as a function of $E_{T, \text{min}}^{j2}$



# 4-jet data vs MC models





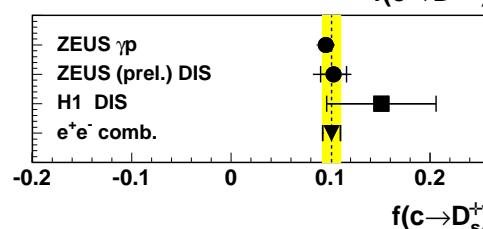
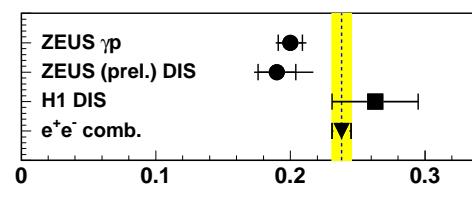
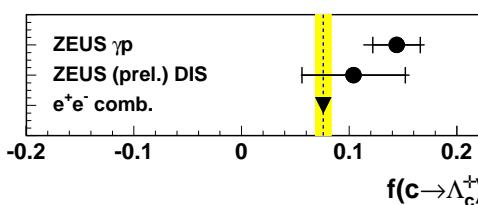
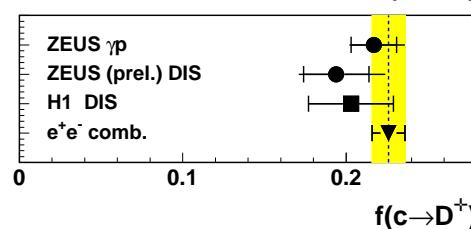
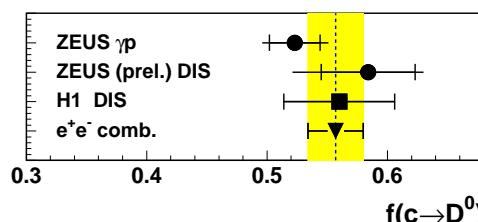
**H1** hemisphere method

$$\langle \sqrt{s} \rangle \approx 10 \text{ GeV}, \\ z = \frac{(E+p_L)_{D^*}}{\sum_{\text{hem}} (E+p)}$$

**OPAL**  $\sqrt{s} = 91.2 \text{ GeV}$ ,  
 $z = 2E_{D^*}/\sqrt{s}$

**CLEO**  $\sqrt{s} \approx 10 \text{ GeV}$ ,  
 $z = p_{D^*}/p_{\max}$

## Charm fragmentation : fractions



$$f(c \rightarrow D) = \frac{\sigma(D)}{\sum_i \sigma(D_i)}$$

⇒ accurate measurements at HERA : errors competitive

⇒ all fragmentation fractions in agreement with world average : universality