

FB asymmetry in $t\bar{t}$ production at CDF

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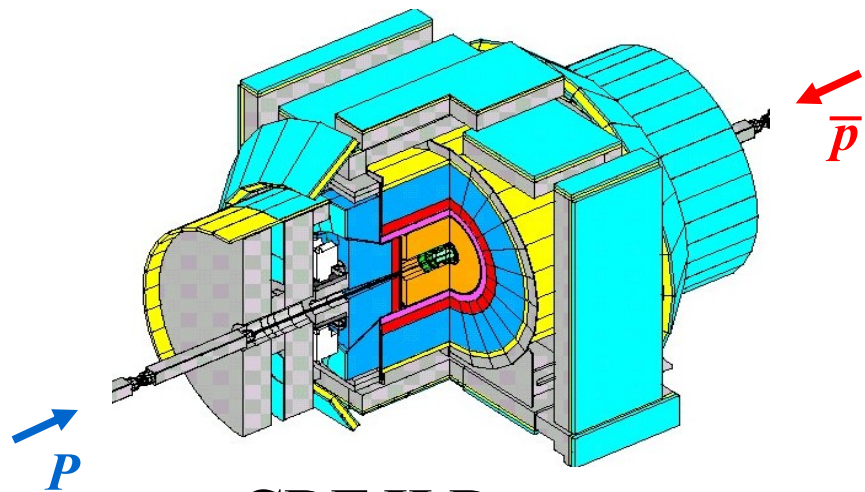




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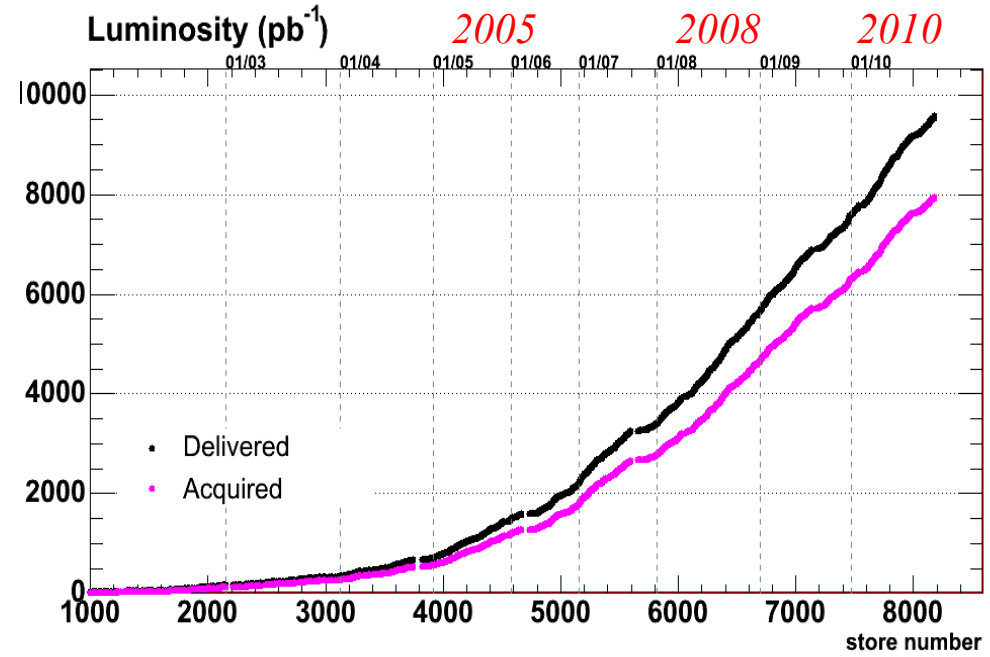
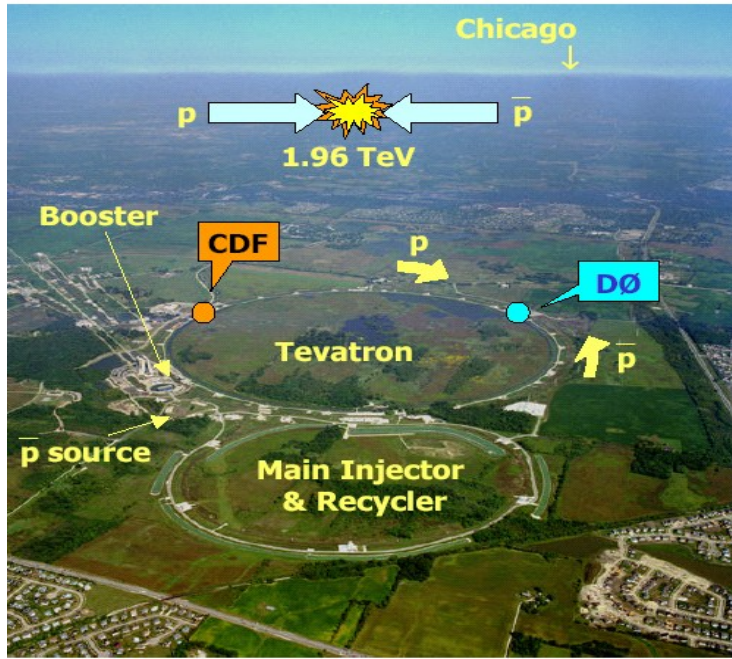
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CDF II Detector



CDF Experiment and Data

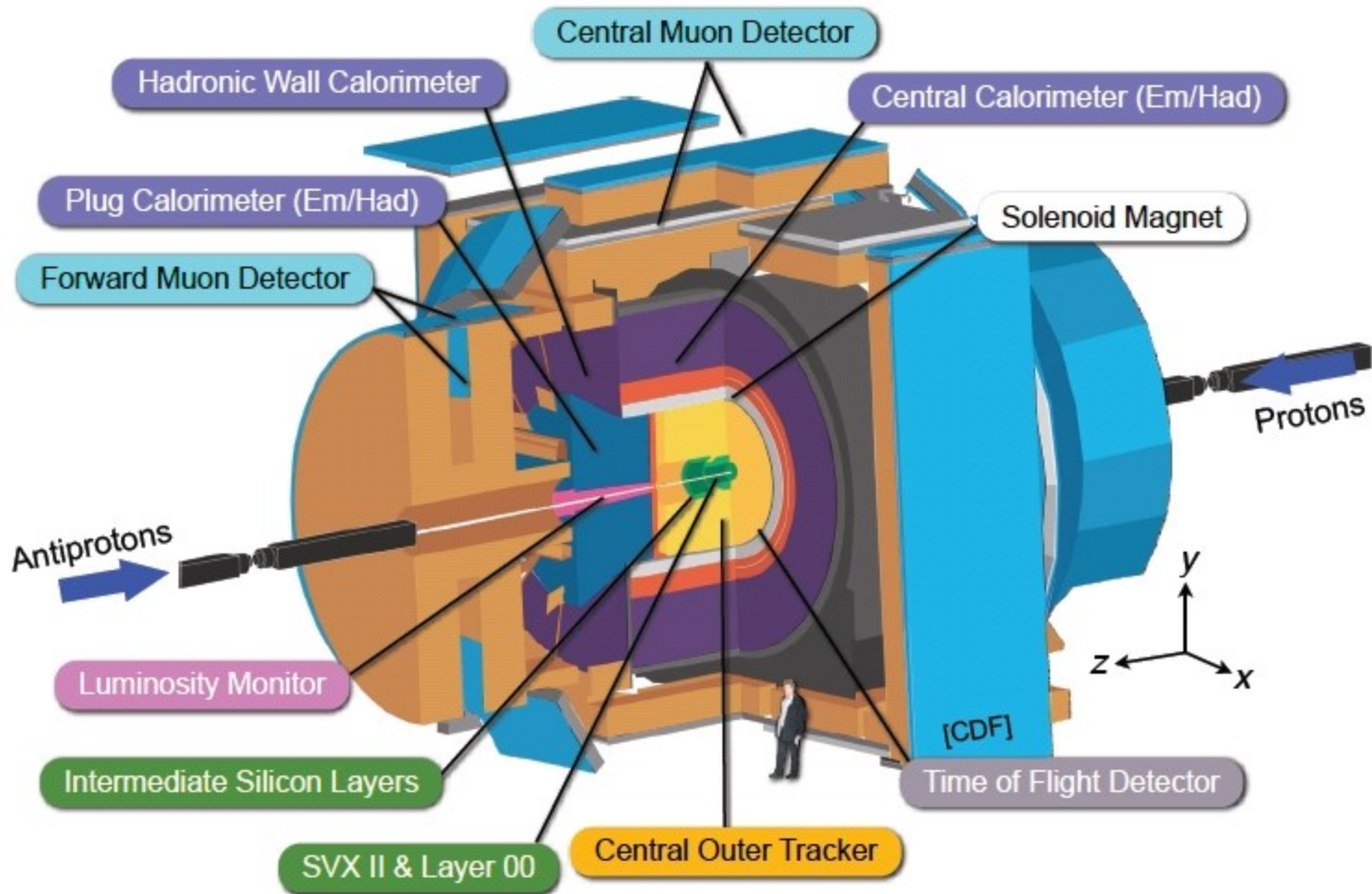


- Run I (1992~1996): $\sim 110 \text{ pb}^{-1}$, 1.8 TeV
- Run II(2001~2010): $\sim 7.0 \text{ fb}^{-1}$, 1.96 TeV
 - 1 km Radius Ring
 - 36 x 36 bunches, 396 ns spacing
 - 280 Billion protons/bunch
 - 80 Billion anti-p/bunch
 - 2 million collisions/sec

	Run II
Delivered	9.6 fb ⁻¹
Recorded	8.0 fb ⁻¹ (83%)
Produced	7.0 fb ⁻¹ (76%)
Analyzed	5 fb ⁻¹

CDF Detector

The CDF II Detector





$t\bar{t}$ Forward Backward Asymmetry



LO only: No forward-backward asymmetry

NLO prediction: Interference between LO and NLO

$$|\mathcal{M}|^2 \propto \left| \begin{array}{c} q \rightarrow \quad t \\ \bar{q} \rightarrow \quad \bar{t} \end{array} \begin{array}{c} \text{g} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{g} \end{array} + \begin{array}{c} \text{---} \text{---} \text{---} \\ q \rightarrow \quad t \\ \bar{q} \rightarrow \quad \bar{t} \end{array} \begin{array}{c} \text{g} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{g} \end{array} \right|^2$$

$A_{fb} = 0.06 \pm 0.01 \text{ (NLO)}$

Also presence of new physics could make asymmetry

$$\left| \begin{array}{c} q \rightarrow \quad t \\ \bar{q} \rightarrow \quad \bar{t} \end{array} \begin{array}{c} \text{g} \\ \text{---} \\ \mathbf{V} \end{array} + \begin{array}{c} q \rightarrow \quad t \\ \bar{q} \rightarrow \quad \bar{t} \end{array} \begin{array}{c} \text{---} \\ \mathbf{A?} \end{array} \right|^2$$

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Theoretical interest



- exotic gluons
 - massive chiral color
 - RS gluon
 - color sextets, anti-triplets
- IVB'
 - Z'
 - FV $W'Z'$ t-channel
- FV scalars
- effective Lagrangians

- nice theoretical review by Cao et al. PRD 81,014016, arXiv:1003.3461

- model building must contend with
 - total σ in good agreement with SM
 - $d\sigma/dM_{tt}$ in good agreement with SM

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Prior measurements



- CDF, 1.9 fb^{-1} , inclusive, corrected to “parton-level”

- tt rest frame $A^{t\bar{t}} = 0.24 \pm 0.14$

- NLO QCD $A^{t\bar{t}} = 0.06 \pm 0.01$

PRL 101, 202001 (2008)

- lab (pp) frame $A^{p\bar{p}} = 0.17 \pm 0.08$

- NLO QCD $A^{p\bar{p}} = 0.04 \pm 0.01$

- D0, inclusive, background subtracted “data-level”

- tt rest frame $A^{t\bar{t}} = 0.12 \pm 0.08$ 0.9 fb^{-1}

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- $A^{t\bar{t}} = 0.08 \pm 0.04$ 4.3 fb^{-1}

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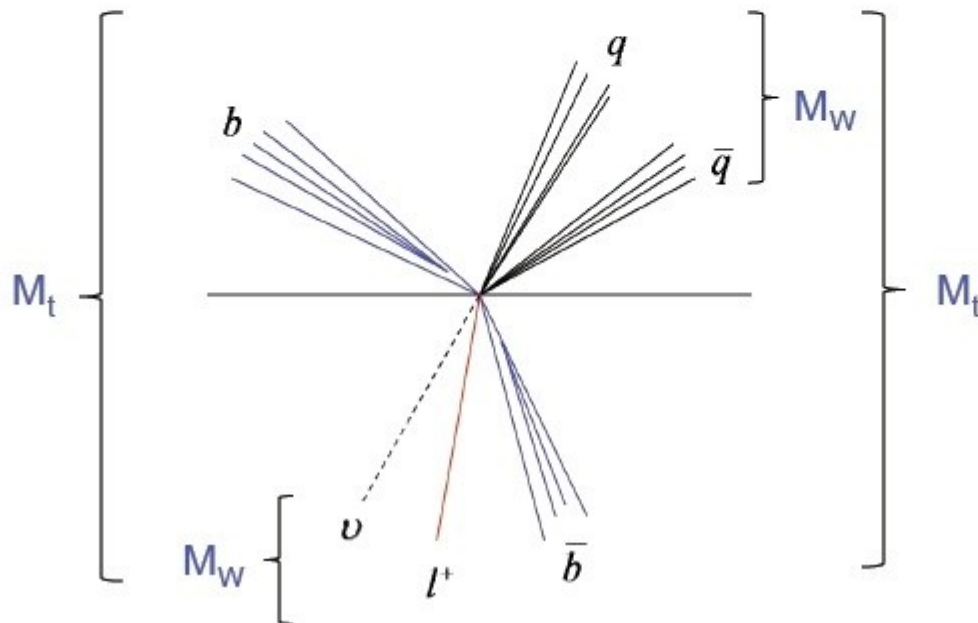
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Reconstruction of Top $L+jets$

$$l^+ + \cancel{E}_T + 4j + \geq 1 \text{ btag} \rightarrow (l^+ \nu b)(q \bar{q} \bar{b}) \rightarrow (W^+ b)(W^- \bar{b}) \rightarrow t \bar{t}$$

- Jet-parton assignment, $p_z(\nu)$ via minimum of simple χ^2
 - Constraints: $M_W = 80.4 \text{ GeV}/c^2$, $M_t = 175 \text{ GeV}/c^2$, btag = b
 - Float jet p_t within errors

$$\chi^2 = \sum_{lep, jets} \frac{(p_t^{i, meas} - p_t^{i, fit})^2}{\sigma_i^2} + \sum_{j=x,y} \frac{(p_j^{UE, meas} - p_j^{UE, fit})^2}{\sigma_j^2} + \frac{(M_{jj} - M_W)^2}{\Gamma_W^2} + \frac{(M_{l\nu} - M_W)^2}{\Gamma_W^2} + \frac{(M_{bjj} - M_{top})^2}{\Gamma_t^2} + \frac{(M_{bl\nu} - M_{top})^2}{\Gamma_t^2}$$



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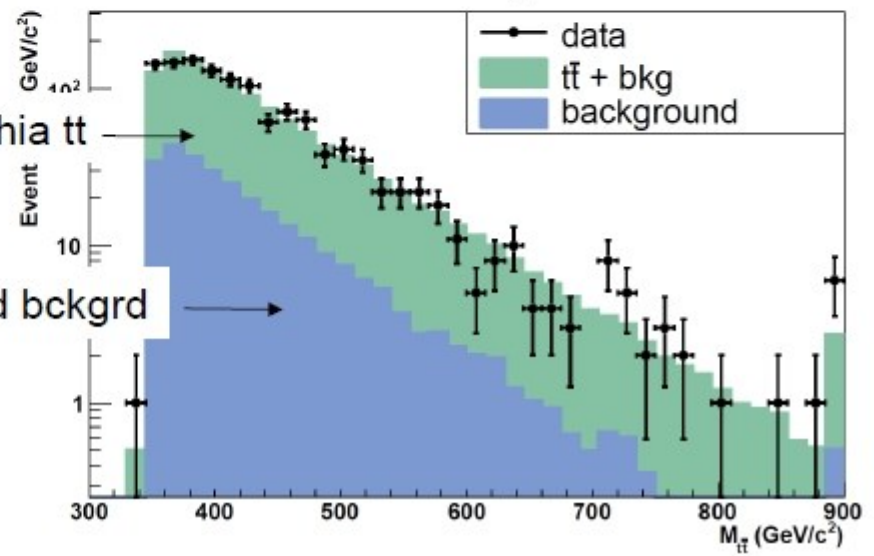
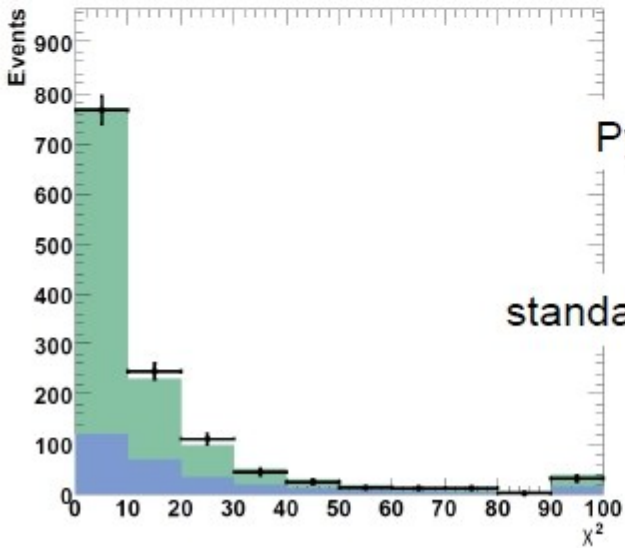
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χ^2

$M_{t\bar{t}}$



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Reconstruction of Top Dilepton



■ Dilepton channel

- Two neutrino missing (6 unknown variables)
- 6 constraints ($M_W:2$, $M_t:2$, $MET:2$)
- b - b bar ambiguity

→ Several (max 4) solutions x 2 comb. (b - b bar) with no redundant constraint.

Basic idea

One solution: $(\vec{p}_\nu, \vec{p}_{\bar{\nu}}) \Rightarrow p_z^{t\bar{t}}, p_T^{t\bar{t}},$ and $M_{t\bar{t}}$

Choose most likely solution from reconstructed $p_z^{t\bar{t}}, p_T^{t\bar{t}},$ and $M_{t\bar{t}}$

- These three variables are mostly distributed by initial parton distribution function.

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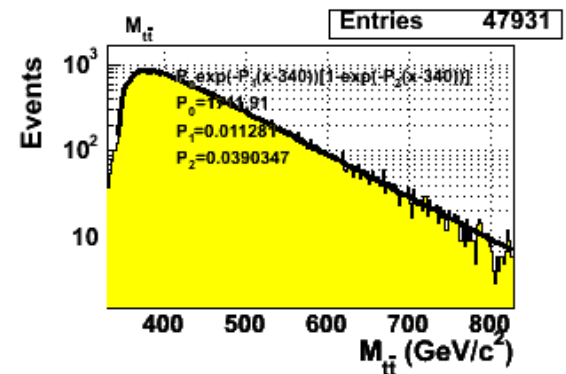
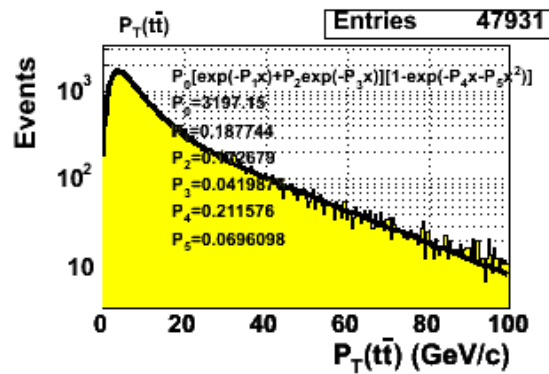
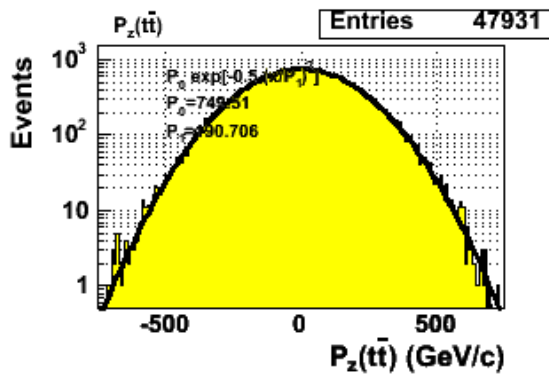
Reconstruction of Top Dilepton

$$\mathcal{L}(\vec{p}_\nu, \vec{p}_{\bar{\nu}}, E_b^{\text{guess}}, E_{\bar{b}}^{\text{guess}}) = P(p_z^{t\bar{t}})P(p_T^{t\bar{t}})P(M_{t\bar{t}}) \times$$

$$\frac{1}{\sigma_{\text{jet1}}} \exp \left[-\frac{1}{2} \left\{ \frac{E_{\text{jet1}}^{\text{meas}} - E_{\text{jet1}}^{\text{guess}}}{\sigma_{\text{jet1}}} \right\}^2 \right] \times \frac{1}{\sigma_{\text{jet2}}} \exp \left[-\frac{1}{2} \left\{ \frac{E_{\text{jet2}}^{\text{meas}} - E_{\text{jet2}}^{\text{guess}}}{\sigma_{\text{jet2}}} \right\}^2 \right] \times$$

$$\frac{1}{\sigma_x^{\text{MET}}} \exp \left[-\frac{1}{2} \left\{ \frac{E_x^{\text{meas}} - E_x^{\text{guess}}}{\sigma_x^{\text{MET}}} \right\}^2 \right] \times \frac{1}{\sigma_y^{\text{MET}}} \exp \left[-\frac{1}{2} \left\{ \frac{E_y^{\text{meas}} - E_y^{\text{guess}}}{\sigma_y^{\text{MET}}} \right\}^2 \right]$$

$P(p_z^{t\bar{t}})$, $P(p_T^{t\bar{t}})$, and $P(M_{t\bar{t}})$ are obtained from DIL candidates in PYTHIA MC



We take one representative $(\vec{p}_\nu, \vec{p}_{\bar{\nu}}, E_b^{\text{guess}}, E_{\bar{b}}^{\text{guess}})$ which gives maximum likelihood in an event.

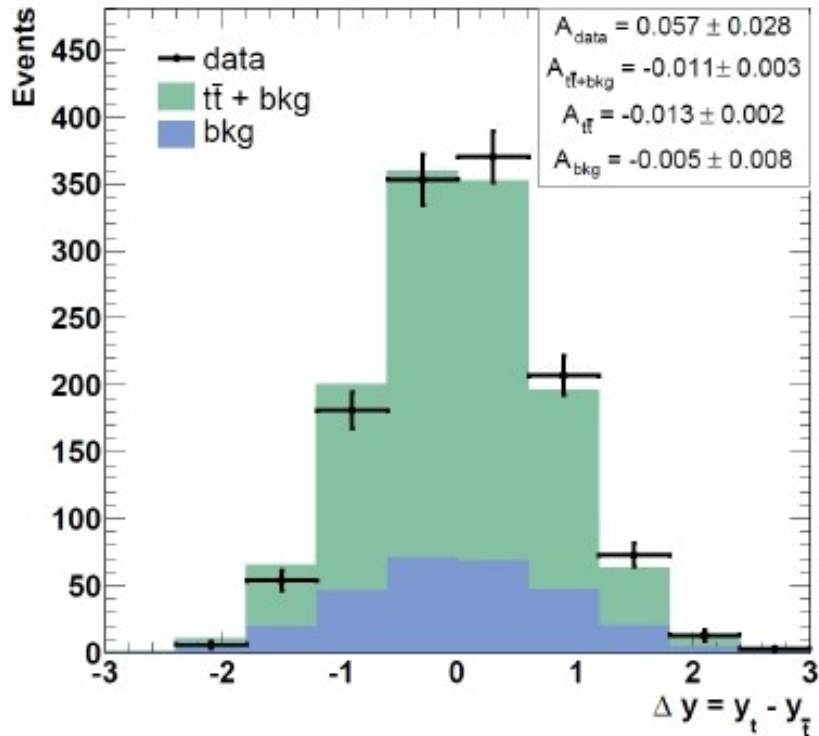
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Asymmetry of Top $L+jets$

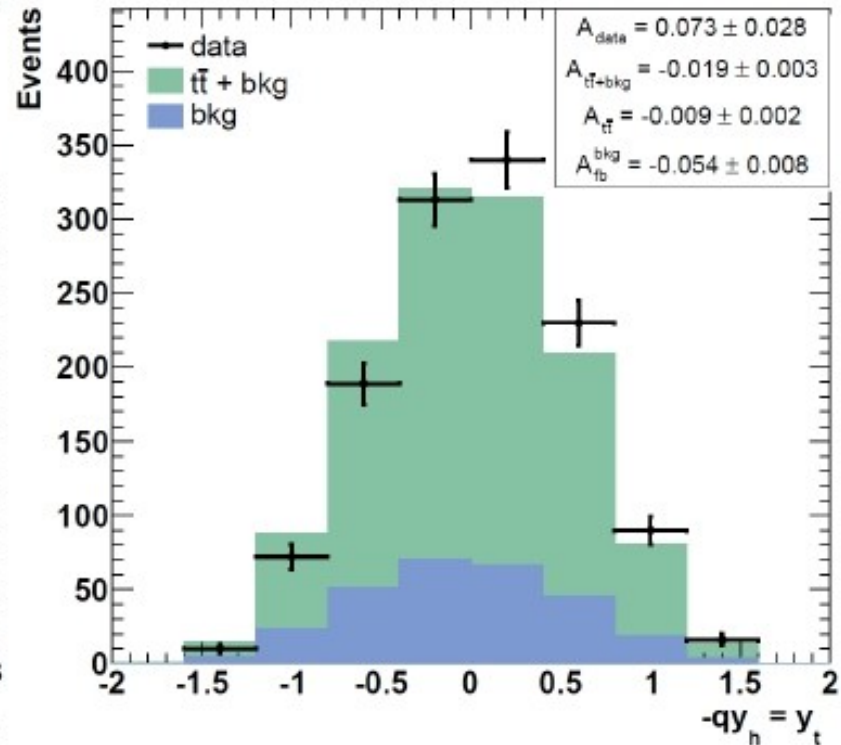


tt frame



- Combined Δy :
 $A_{FB} = 0.057 \pm 0.028$
- Compare to mc@nlo
 $A_{FB} = 0.024$

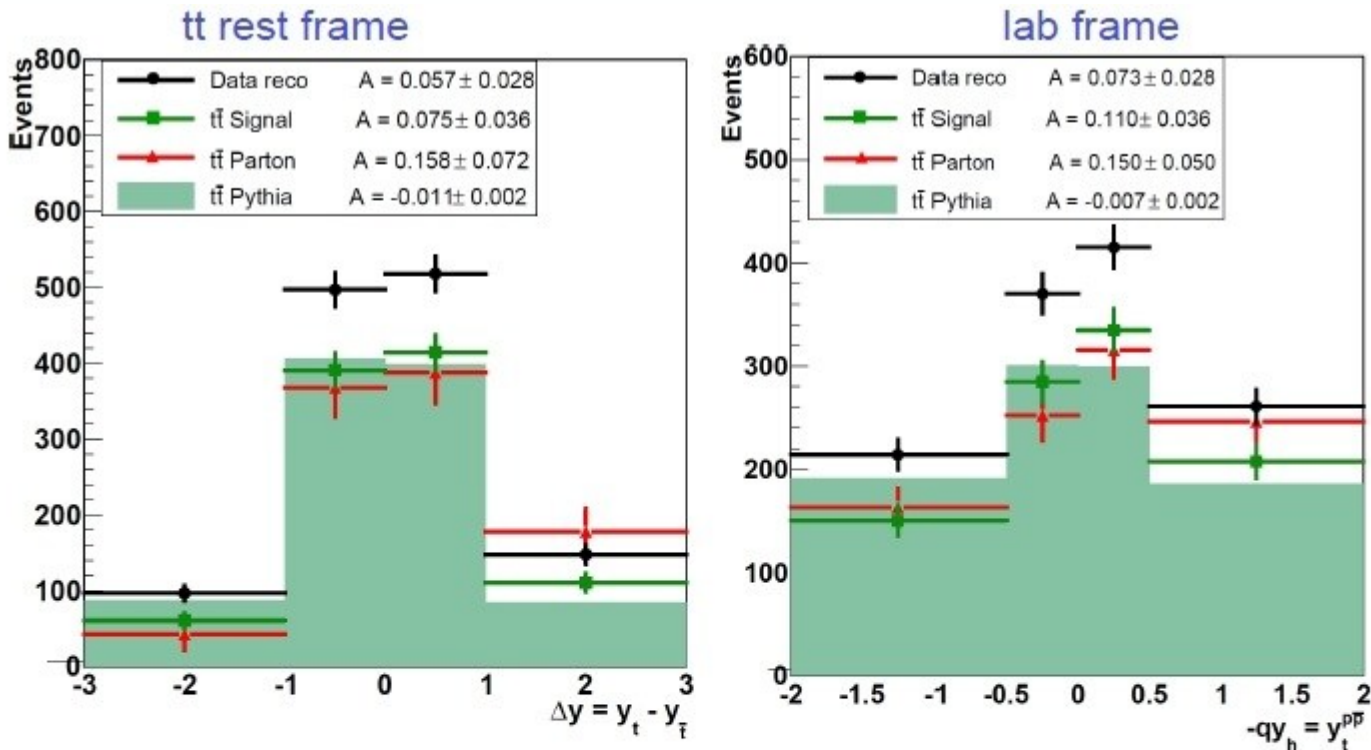
lab frame



- Combined $-q^*y_h$:
 $A_{FB} = 0.073 \pm 0.028$
- Compare to mc@nlo
 $A_{FB} = 0.001$



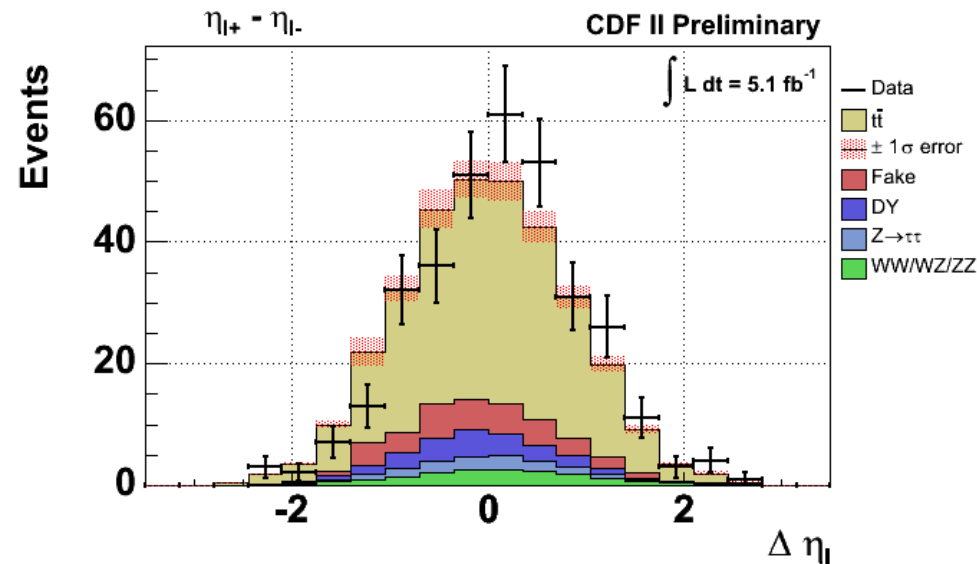
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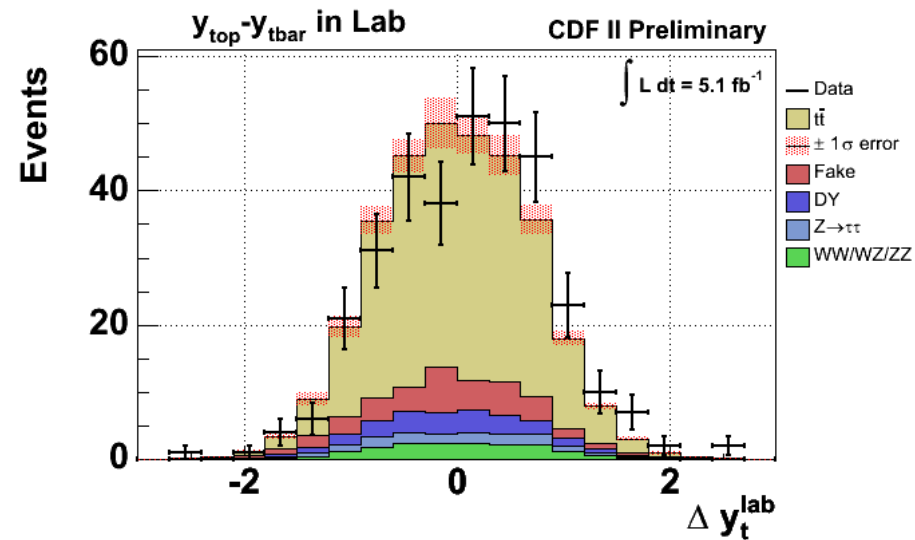
sample	level	A^{tt}	A^{pp}
data	data	0.057 ± 0.028	0.073 ± 0.028
MC@NLO	$t\bar{t}+bkg$	0.017 ± 0.004	0.001 ± 0.003
data	signal	0.075 ± 0.037	0.110 ± 0.039
MC@NLO	$t\bar{t}$	0.024 ± 0.005	0.018 ± 0.005
data	parton	0.158 ± 0.074	0.150 ± 0.055
MCFM	parton	0.058 ± 0.009	0.038 ± 0.006



Asymmetry of Top Dilepton



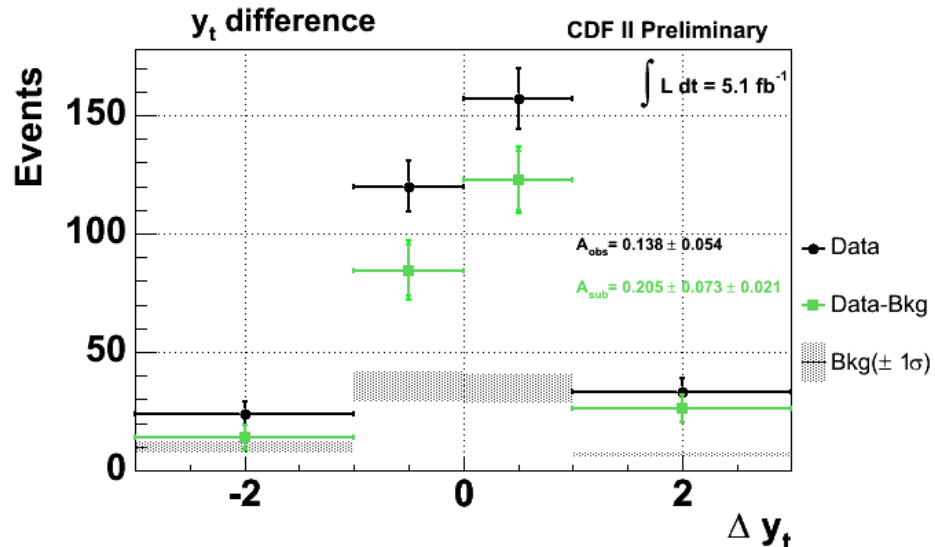
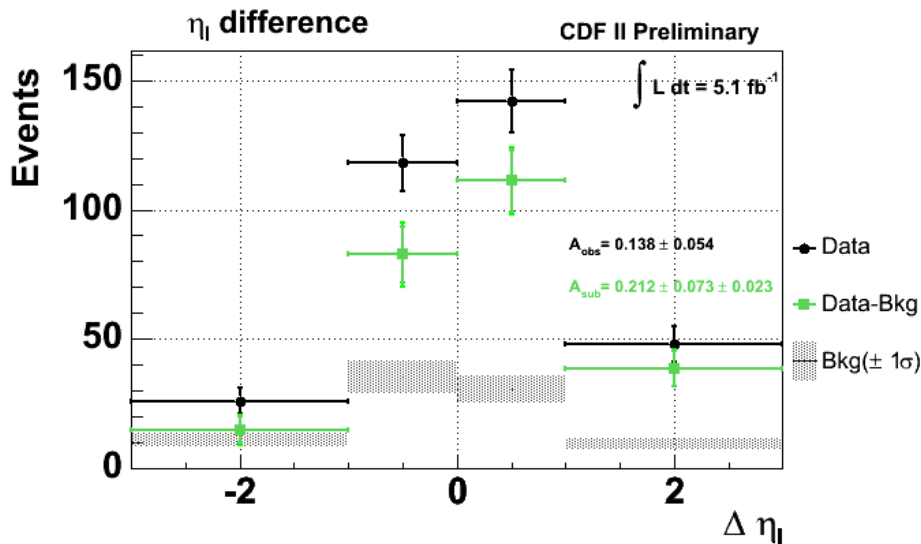
- $A_{\text{Obs}} = 0.138 \pm 0.054(\text{stat.})$
- Pred: $A_{\text{Obs}} = -0.022 \pm 0.022$



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- Pred: $A_{\text{Obs}} = -0.015 \pm 0.023$



Asymmetry of Top Dilepton



$\Delta \eta_l$

$$A_{\text{sub}} = 0.212 \pm 0.073(\text{stat.}) \pm 0.023(\text{bkg.shape.})$$

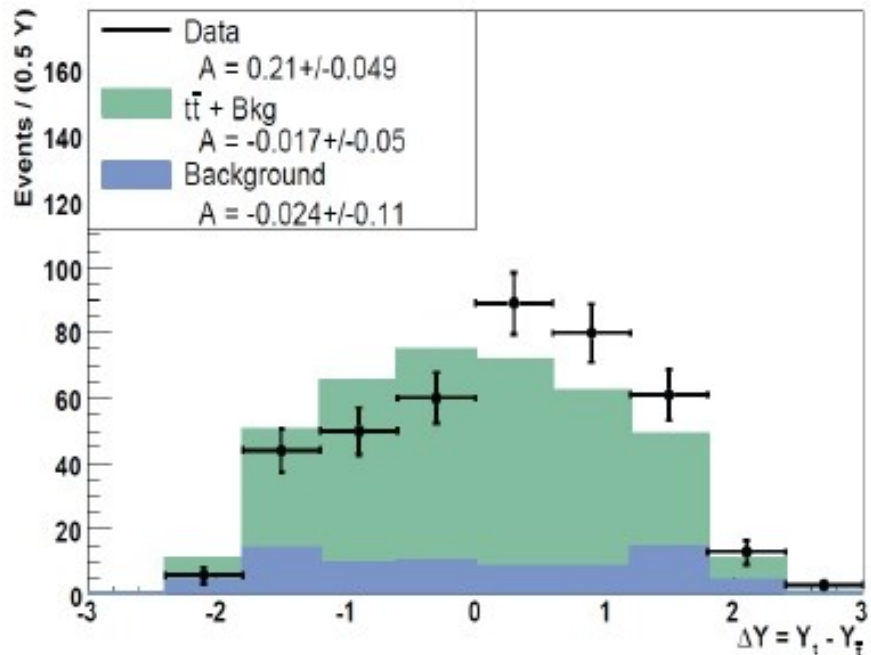
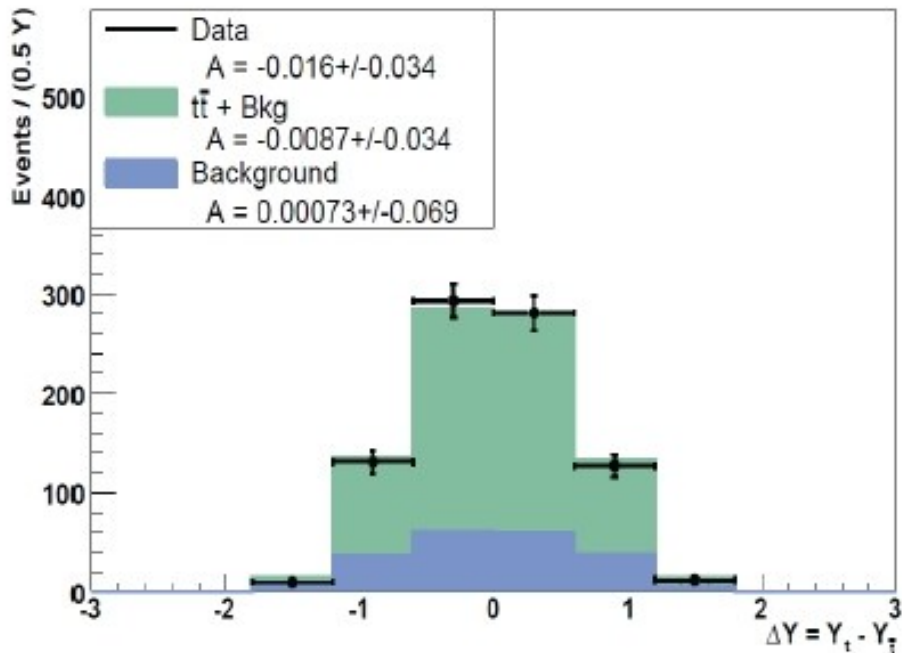
Δy_t

$$A_{\text{sub}} = 0.205 \pm 0.073(\text{stat.}) \pm 0.021(\text{bkg.shape.})$$

$$A_{\text{true}} = 0.417 \pm 0.148(\text{stat.}) \pm 0.053(\text{bkg.shape.})$$



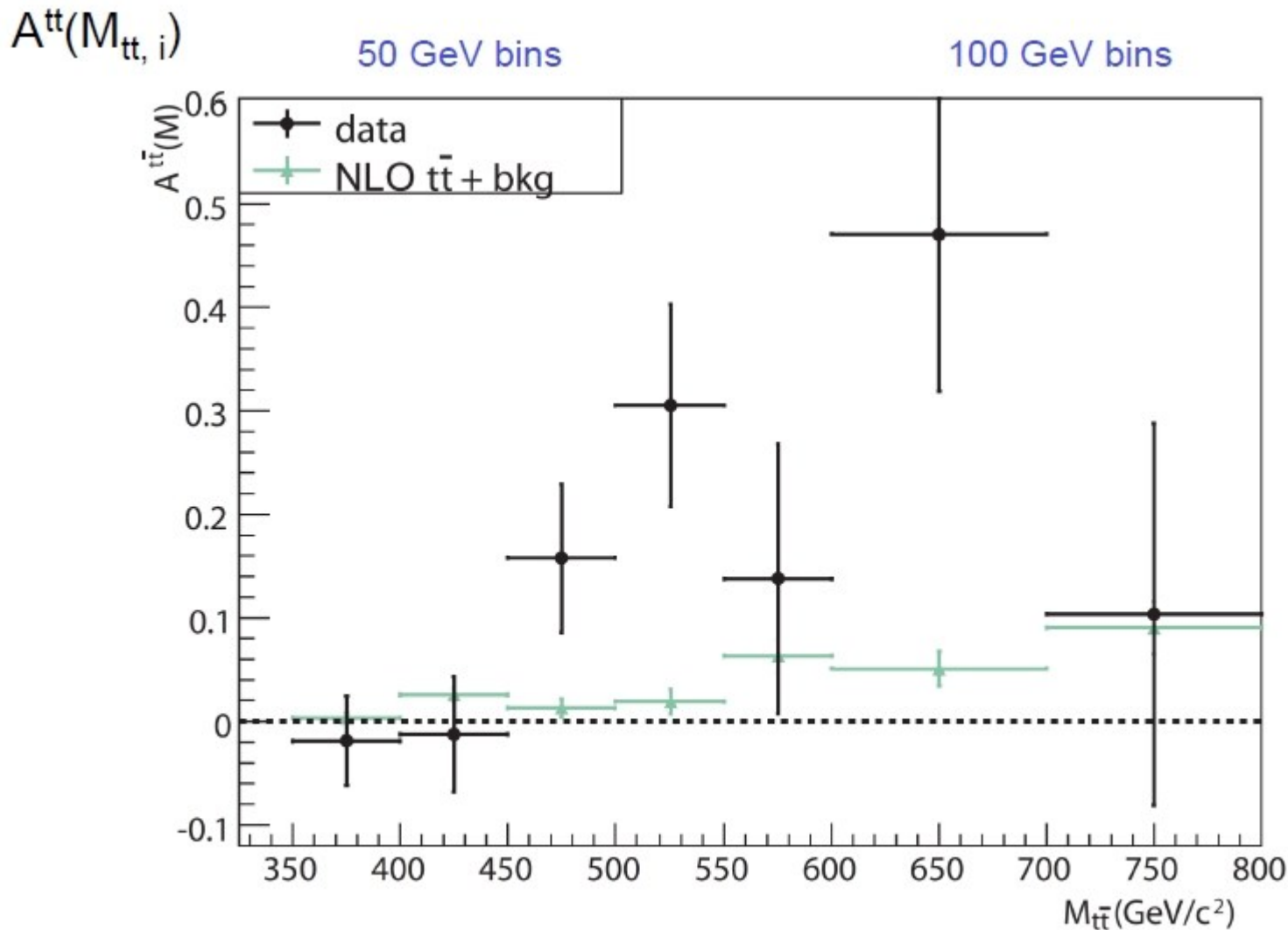
Asymmetry in high/low M_{tt} (LJ)



selection	all M	$M < 450 \text{ GeV}/c^2$	$M \geq 450 \text{ GeV}/c^2$
reco data	0.057 ± 0.028	-0.016 ± 0.034	0.212 ± 0.049
MC@NLO	0.017 ± 0.004	0.012 ± 0.006	0.030 ± 0.007



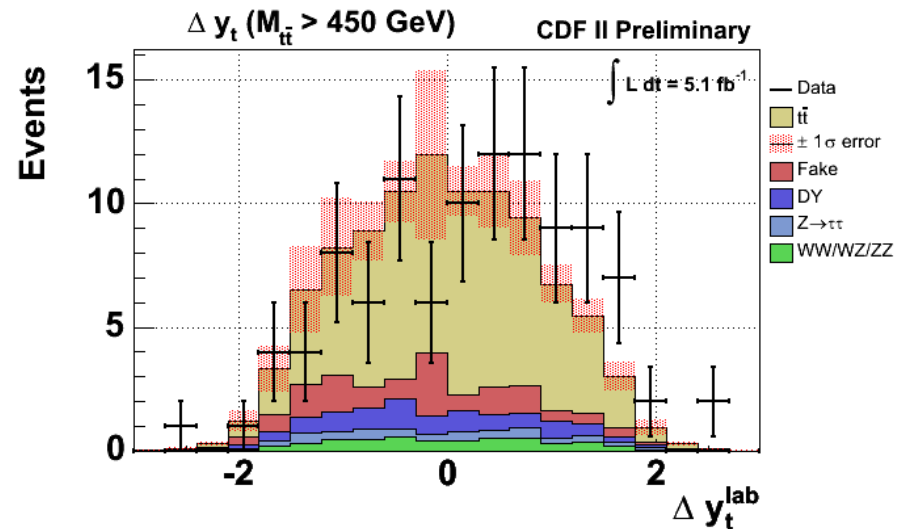
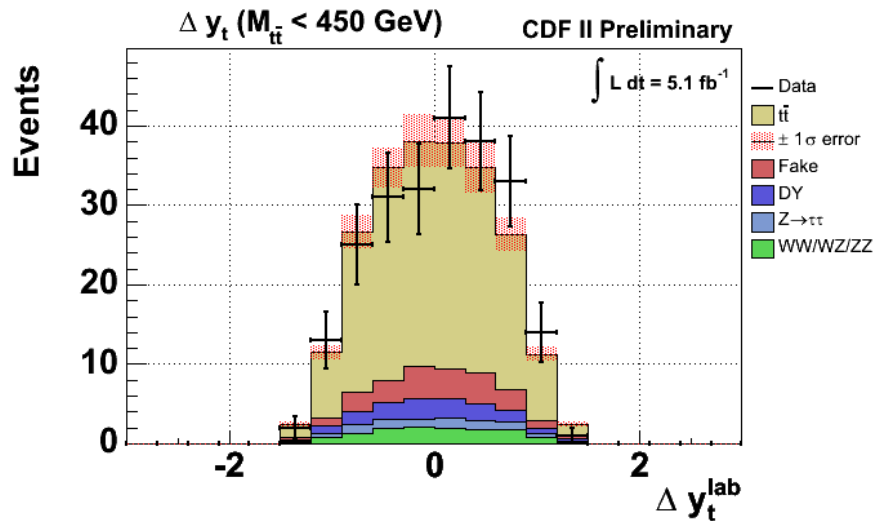
Asymmetry in high/low $M_{t\bar{t}}$ (LJ)



- How to quantify? Two bins: high and low



Asymmetry in high/low $M_{t\bar{t}}$ (DIL)



$$A_{\text{obs}} = 0.104 \pm 0.066(\text{stat.})$$

$$A_{\text{sub}} = 0.134 \pm 0.088(\text{stat.})$$

$$A_{\text{obs}} = 0.212 \pm 0.096(\text{stat.})$$

$$A_{\text{sub}} = 0.368 \pm 0.137(\text{stat.})$$

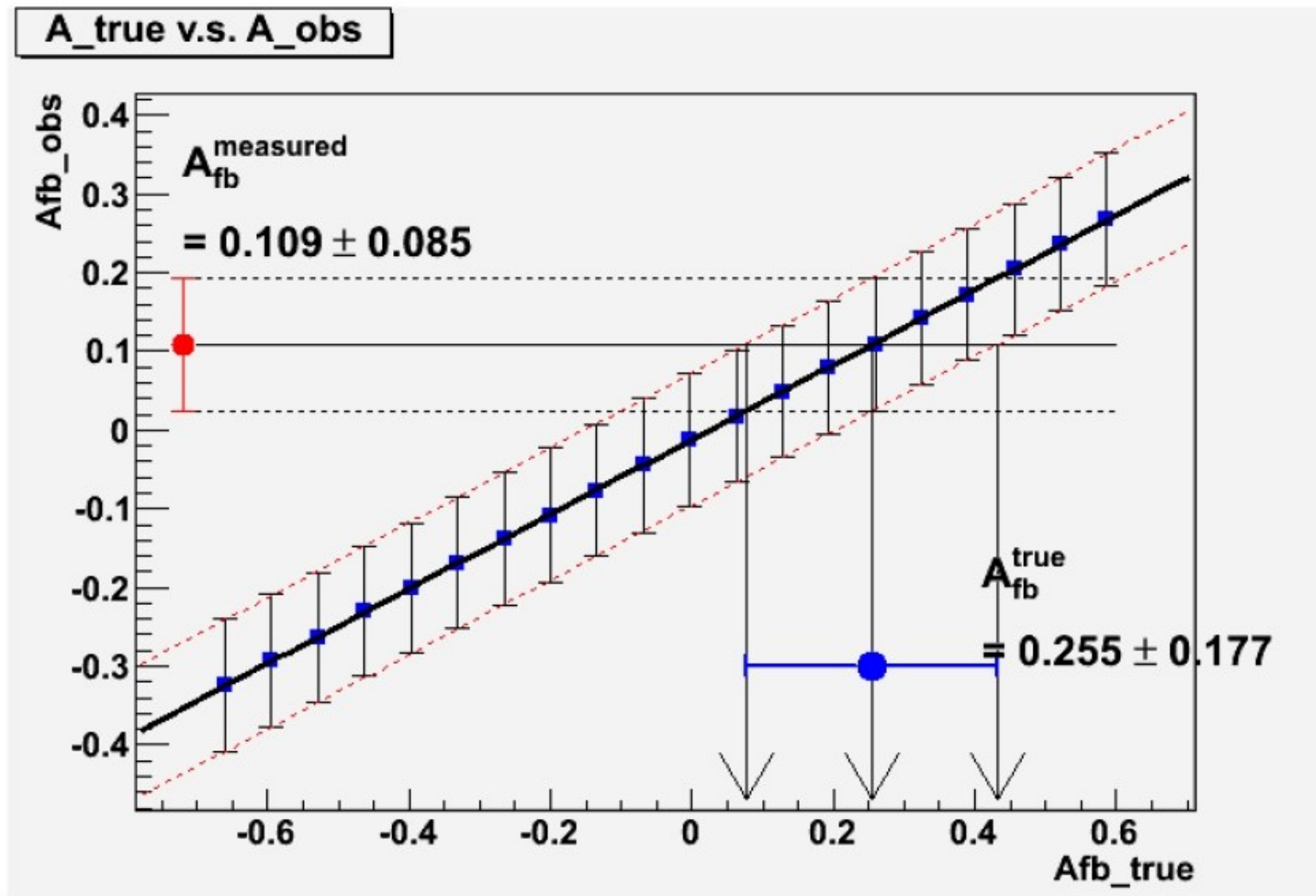
- *In high $M_{t\bar{t}}$ region, asymmetry looks larger.*
- *This is just rough estimation with only stat. error by hand. No bkg shape systematics is incorporated.*



Preliminary result of b -tagged Dilepton



nominal $A_{\text{true}} = 0.255 \pm 0.177(\text{stat})$





Summary



- Measured asymmetry in lab and tt frames in 2 sigma excess over SM for both of L+jets and Dilepton channel.

L+jets channel For $M_{tt} > 450 \text{ GeV}/c^2$

$$A_{\text{reco}}^{\text{tt}} = 0.210 \pm 0.049, A_{\text{parton}}^{\text{tt}} = 0.475 \pm 0.112$$

Dilepton channel

$$A_{\text{obs}} = 0.138 \pm 0.054_{\text{stat.}}$$

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$$A_{\text{true}} = 0.417 \pm 0.148_{\text{stat.}} \pm 0.053_{\text{syst..}}$$

- A_{tt} has a dependence on Δy , M_{tt} , especially L+jets channel.



■ *Backup Slide*



Systematic uncertainty (DIL)



Source of uncertainty	δA_{true}
Bkg shape	0.043
Detector effect	0.010
Signal MC stat.	0.010
Signal MC model	0.018
ISR/FSR	0.015
JES	0.008
Color reconnection	0.011
PDF	0.004
Syst. total	0.053
Stat.	0.148
Total uncertainty	0.157

← Reduced due to S/B improvement

← New μ^- efficiency as a function of η from Z+1jet sample shows different asymmetry from the prediction ($\Delta A=0.010$)

$$A_{\text{true}} = 0.417 \pm 0.148(\text{stat.}) \pm 0.053(\text{syst.})$$



Systematic uncertainty (LJ)



Source	$M < 450 \text{ GeV}/c^2$	$M \geq 450 \text{ GeV}/c^2$
background size	0.017	0.032
background shape	0.003	0.003
JES	0.005	0.012
ISR/FSR	0.012	0.008
color reconnection	0.009	0.004
PDF	0.018	0.004
physics model	0.035	0.035
total	0.047	0.049