

b-Tagging for High- P_T and for ITk Layout

Exotic Searches using Di-bjets

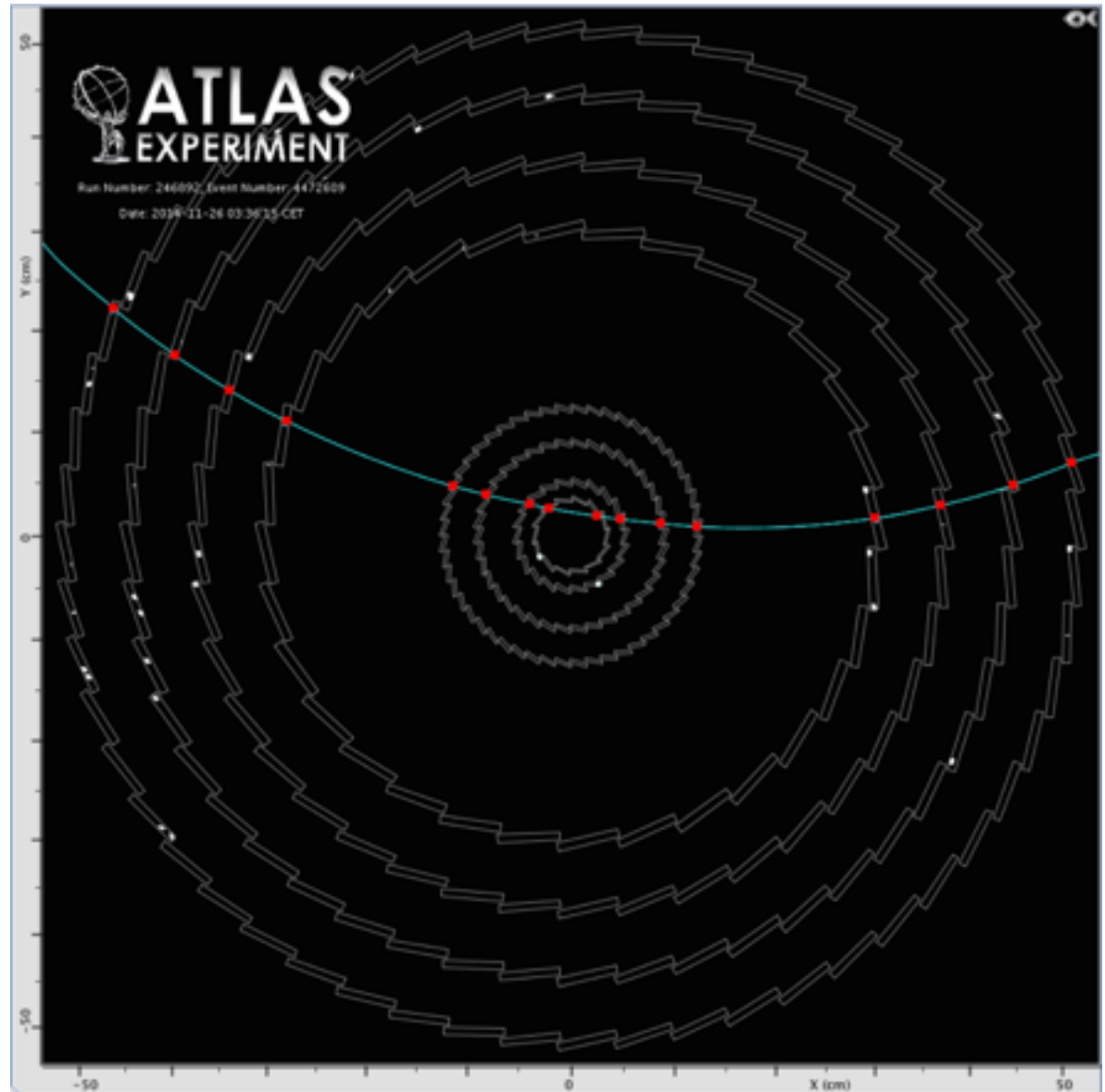
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Also: Andreas, Tim, Andy, Katharine, Ines.

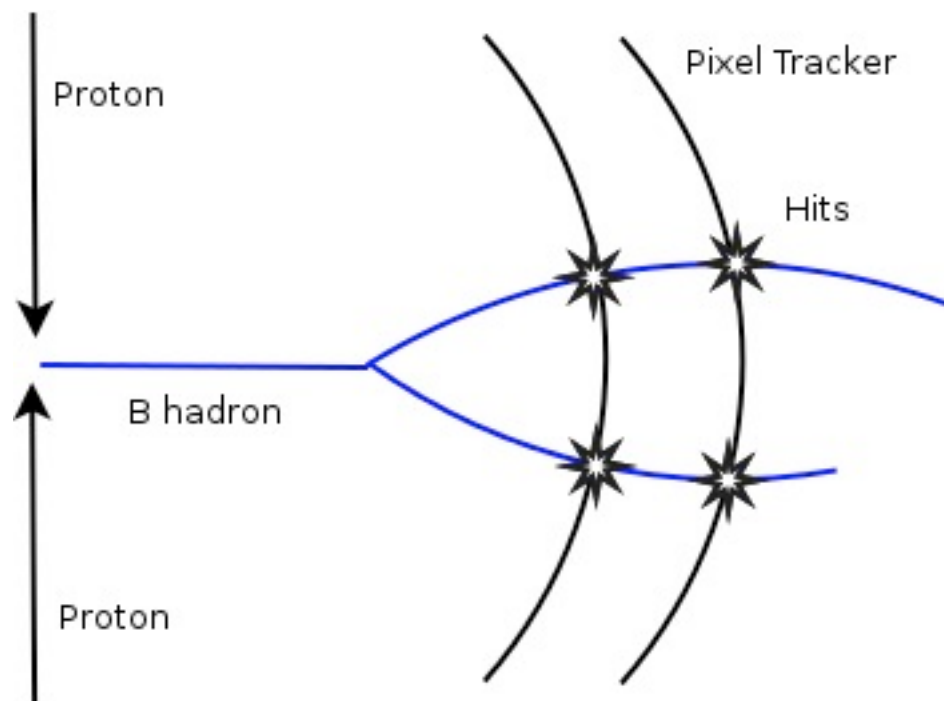
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Silicon Tracker at ATLAS

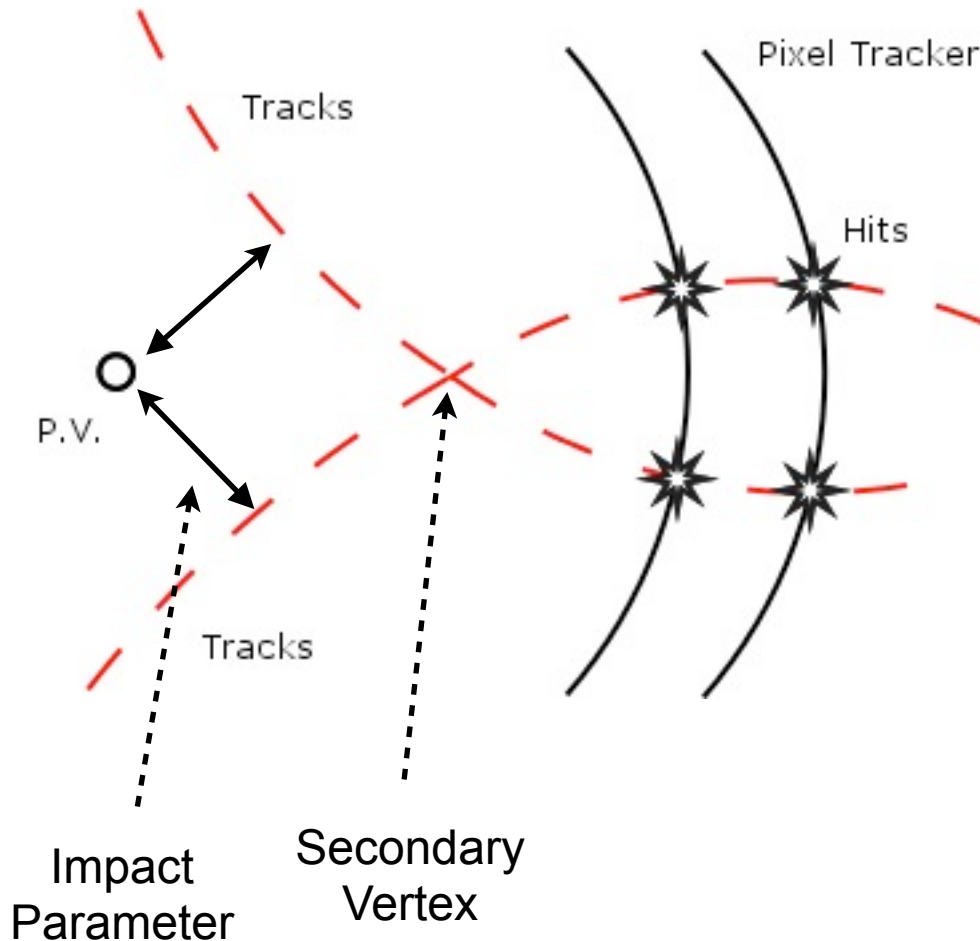
- Four Cylindrical Pixel Layers close to Beam Pipe
- Insertable B-Layer (IBL) added at 33mm in 2014 to improve b-tagging performance.



B-tagging



B-tagging - IP and SV



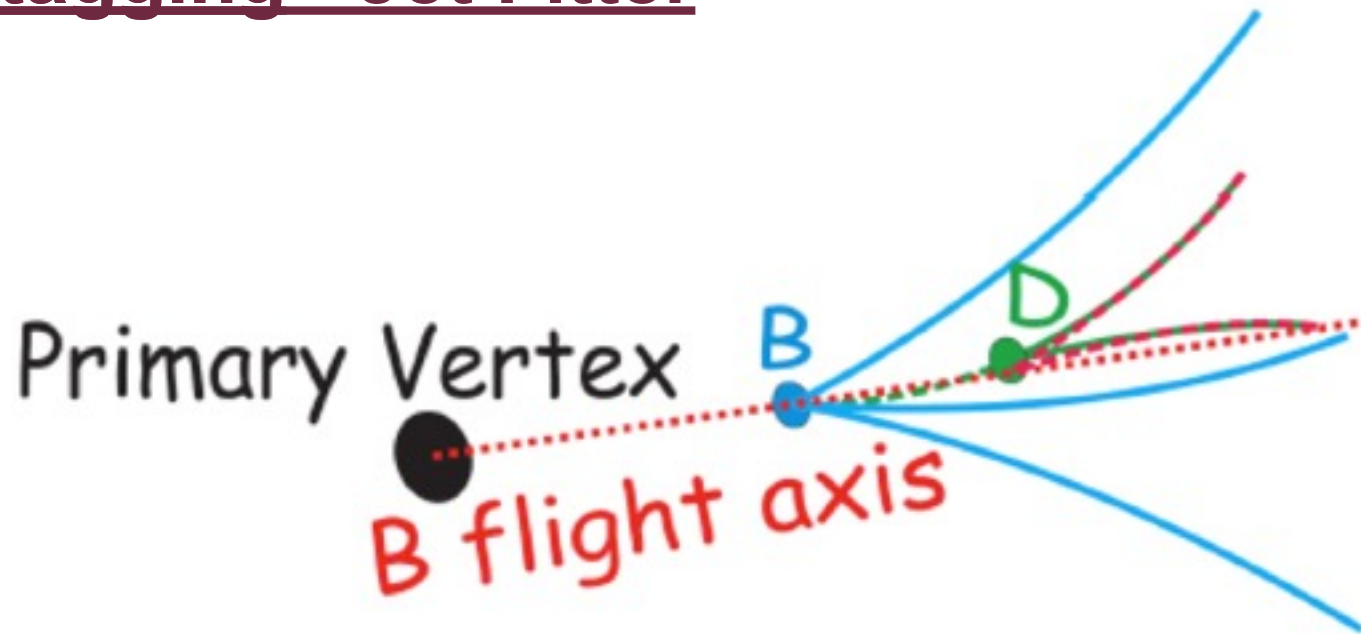
IP3D

- Look for tracks with a large impact parameter
significance = $(I.P. / \sigma)$

SV1

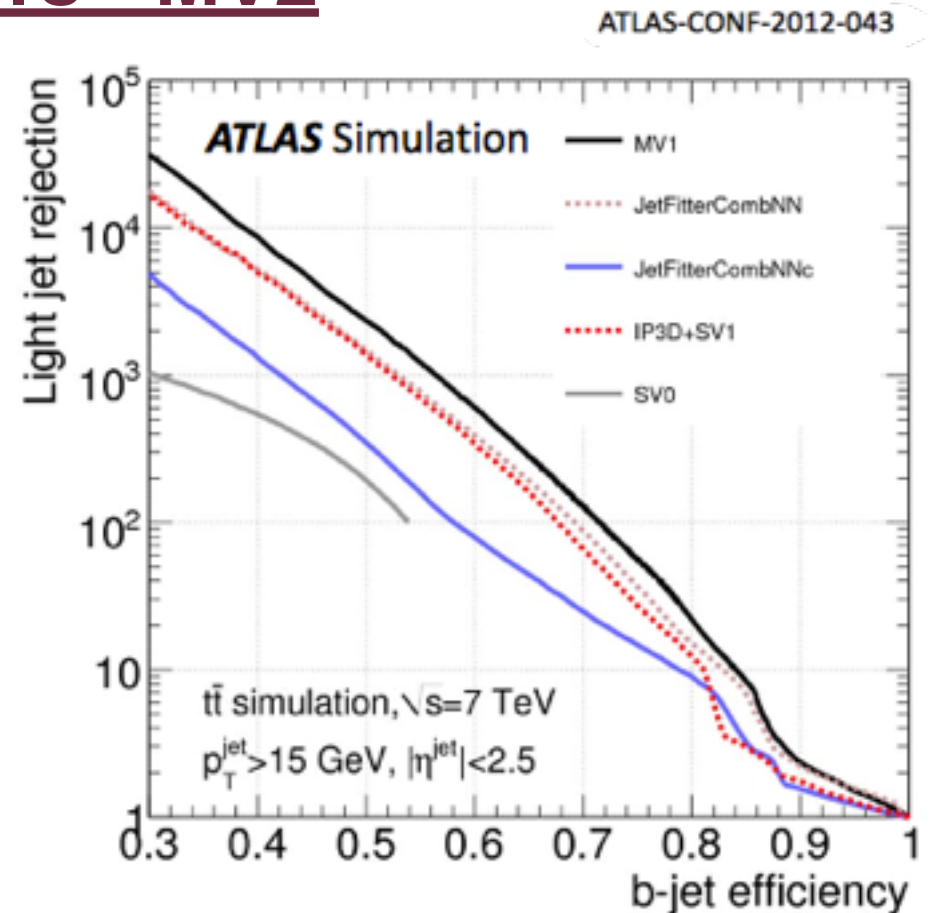
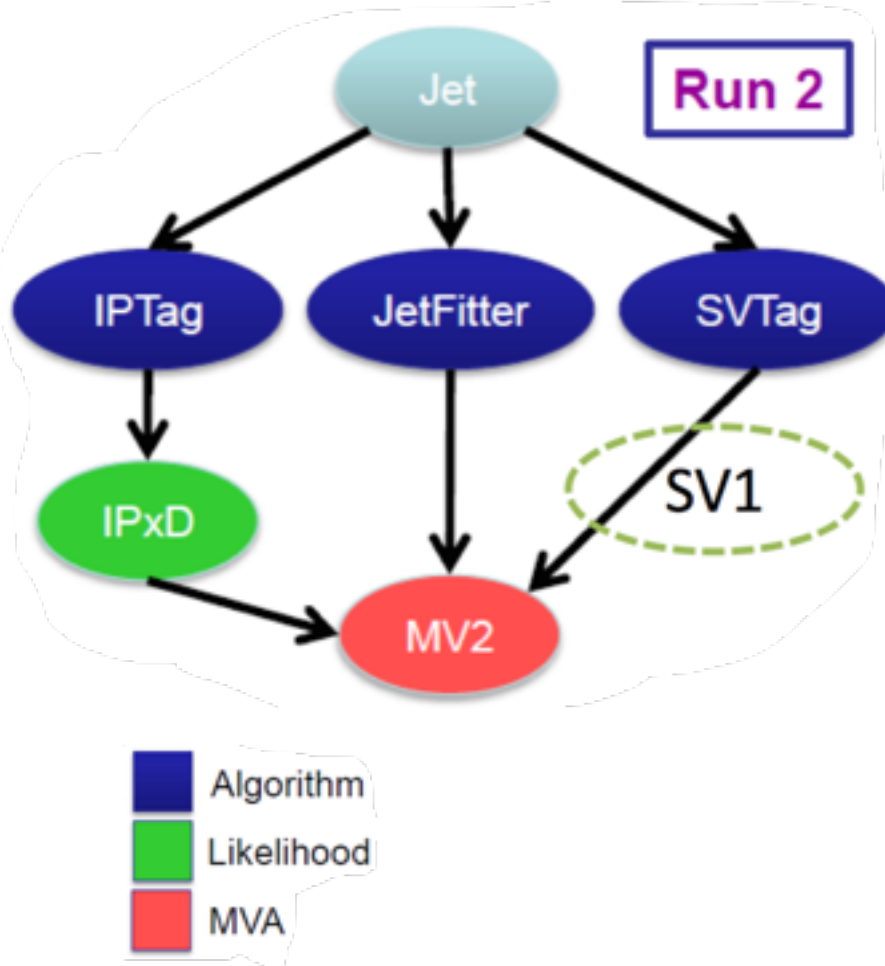
- Identify a secondary vertex
- Look for large flight path
significance = $(F.P. / \sigma)$

B-tagging - Jet Fitter



- Reconstruct the decay chain of the B hadron by reconstructing the secondary and tertiary vertices, which correspond to B and D meson decays.
- Assume that these vertices lie on the same line, the B flight axis.

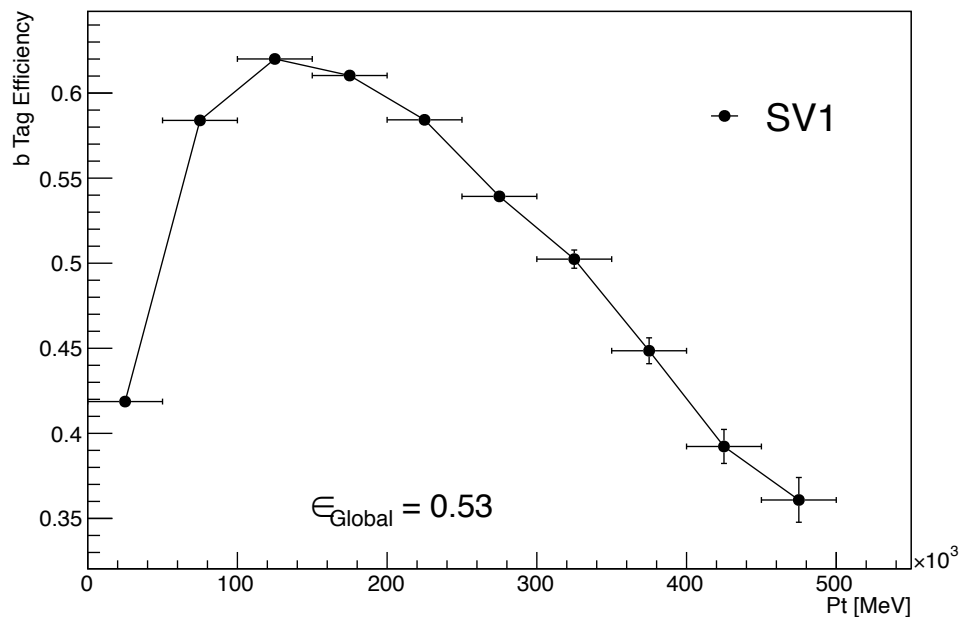
Multi-Variate B Taggers - MV2



- Can combine the basic algorithms in a neural network.
- This leads to improved performance

Problems at High P_T

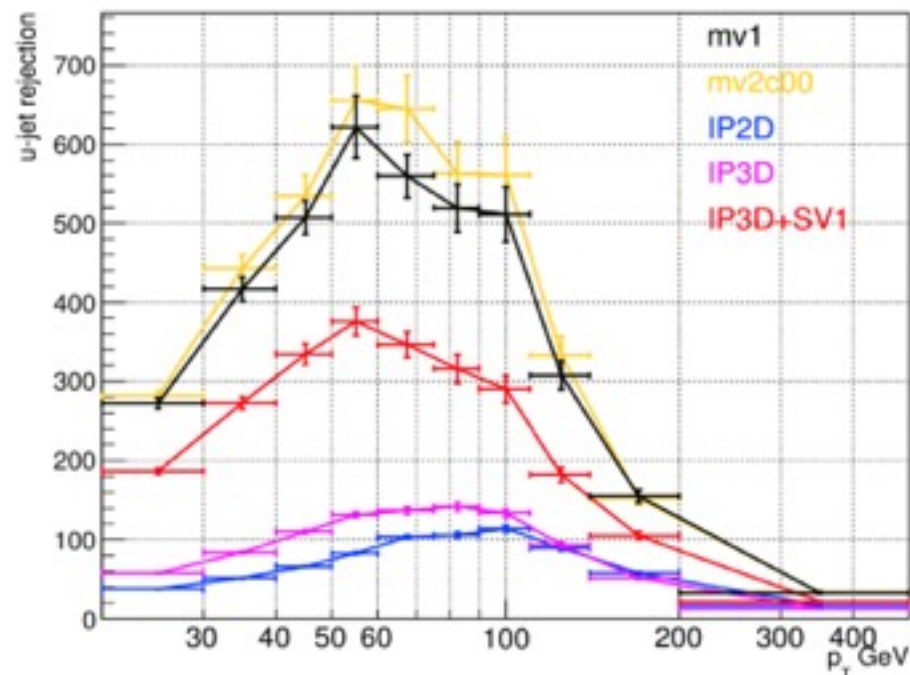
[First Look at R20 - Yulia Rodina](#)



Global Cut Efficiency = 0.53

For a fixed discriminant cut
SV1_llr > 4.5

13TeV ttbar



Flat Cut Efficiency = 0.7

13TeV ttbar

Problems at High P_T - Lifetime

B_0 Meson

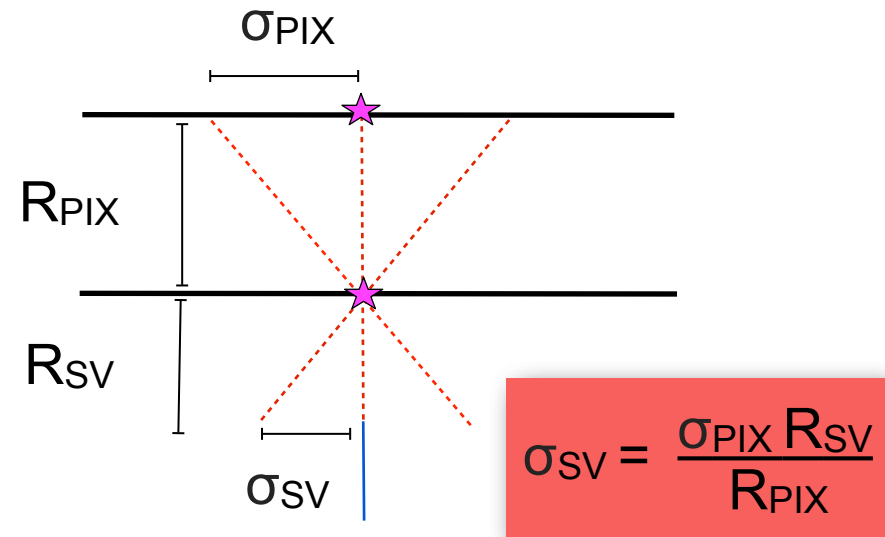
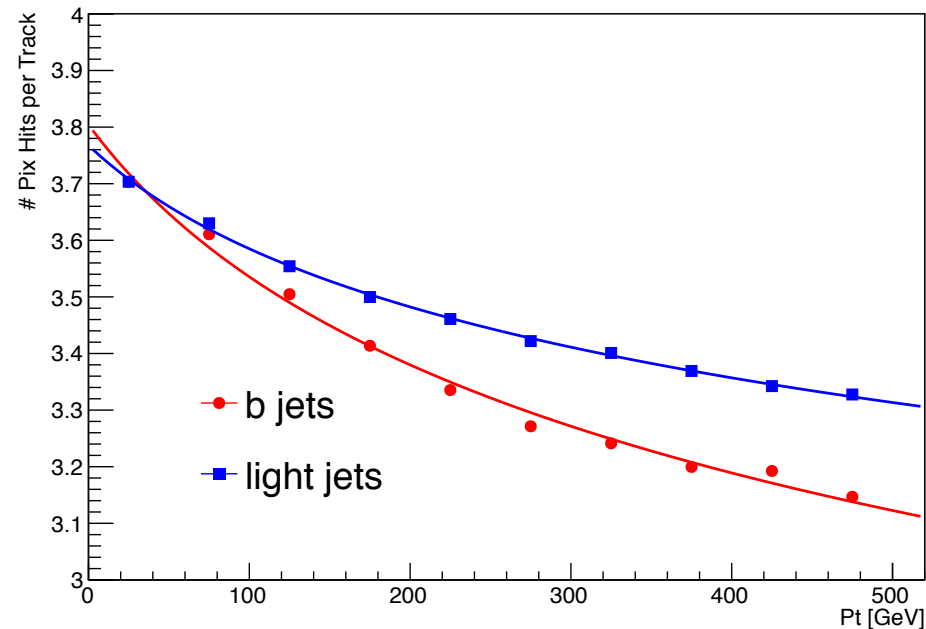
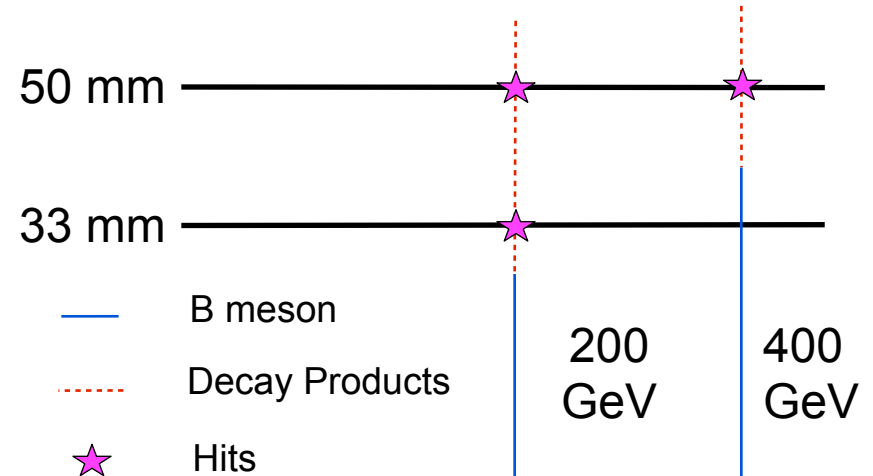
$$c\tau \sim 450\mu m$$

$$P_T \sim 200 \text{ GeV}$$

$$vt \sim 20mm$$

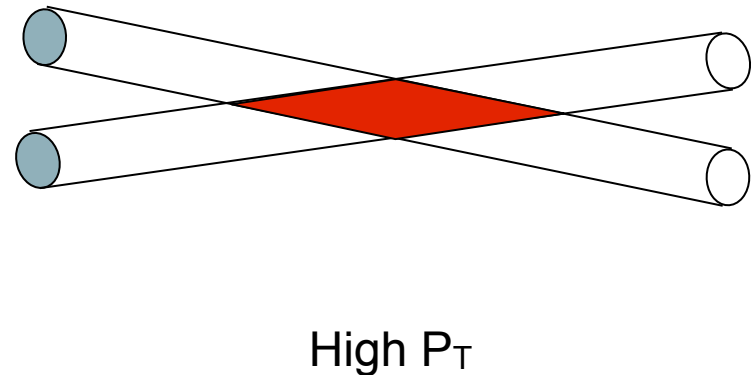
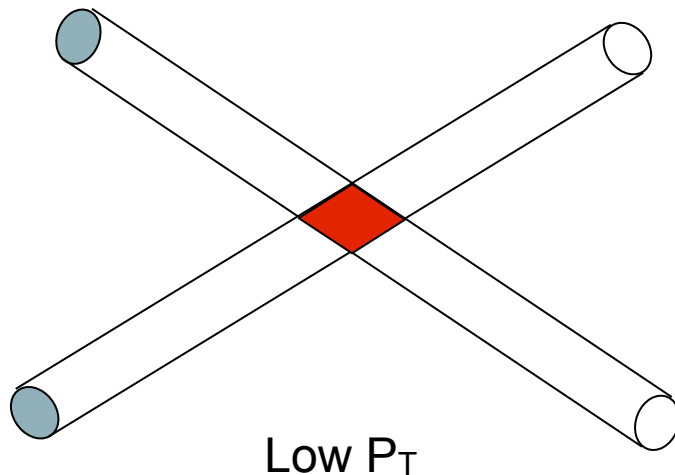
$$P_T \sim 400 \text{ GeV}$$

$$vt \sim 40mm$$



Problems at High P_T - Boost

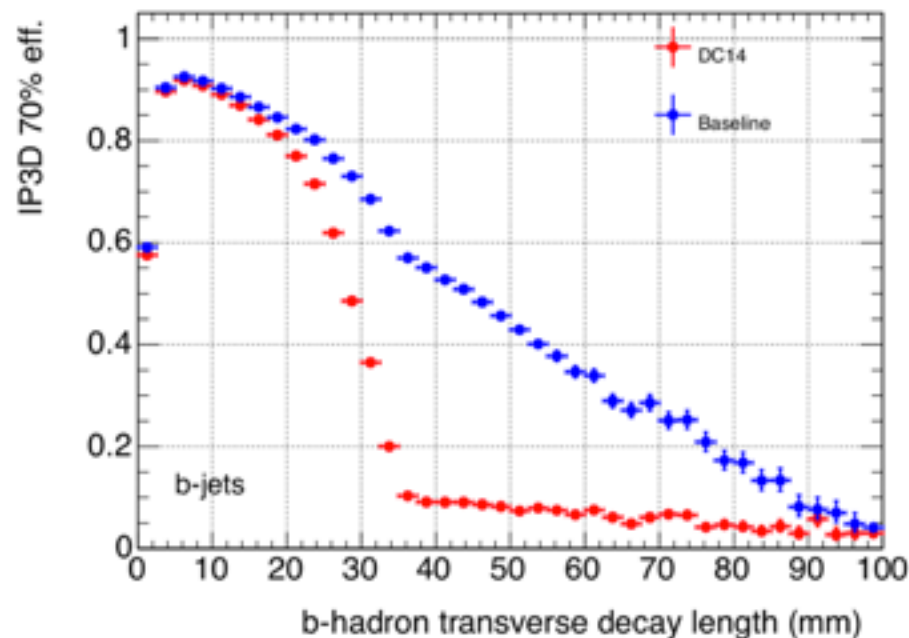
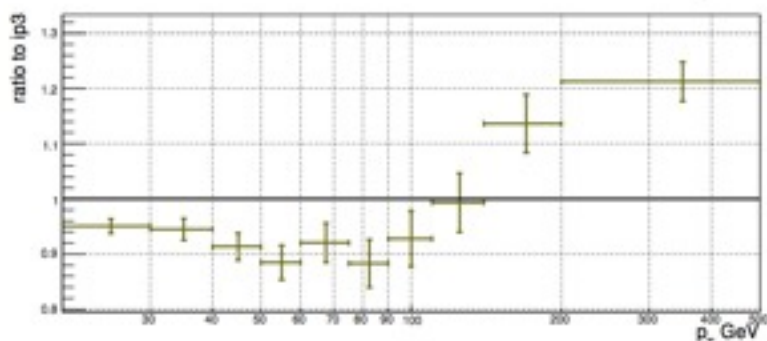
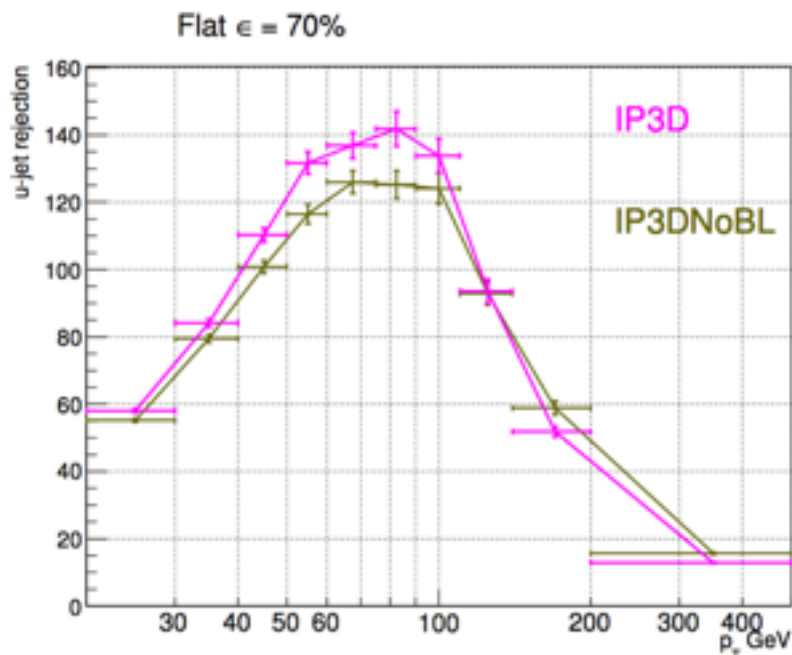
- Each track has a trajectory error associated with it from reconstruction.
 - ➡ These errors can be visualised as a “tube” around the track.
- Vertices are constructed from two tracks crossing
 - ➡ The error on the position of the vertex is the overlap of the two “tubes”.
- At high P_T the jet becomes boosted, and tracks lie closer together
 - ➡ This leads to larger errors on the vertices.
 - ➡ Also we will get more fake vertices.



Improving BTag at High P_T

Dropping Requirement of IBL Hit IP3D Alg.

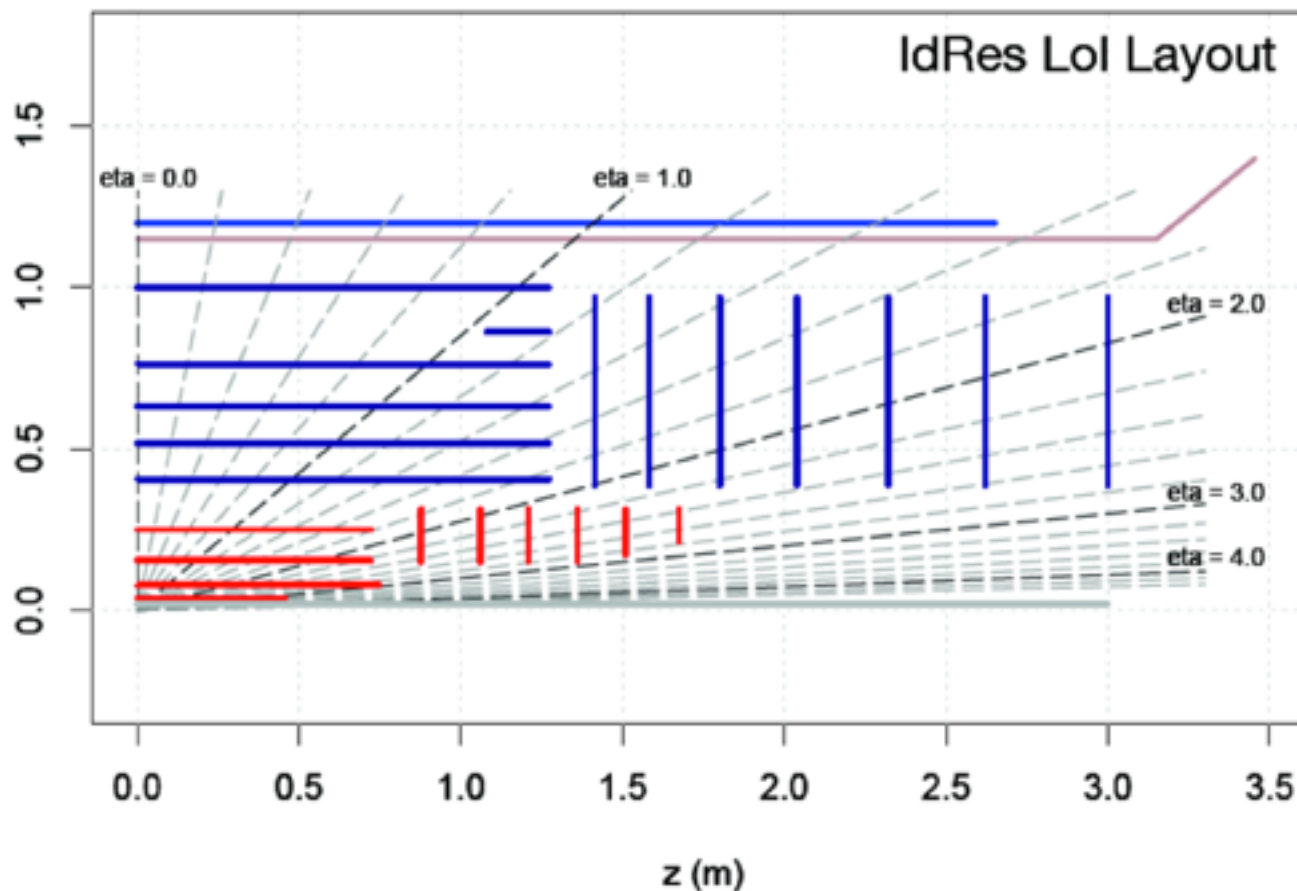
[From Michaël Ughetto's
Talk at Flav Tag Workshop](#)



Baseline means retagged without IBL requirement

We need to create a new set of cuts for high- P_T b-tagging

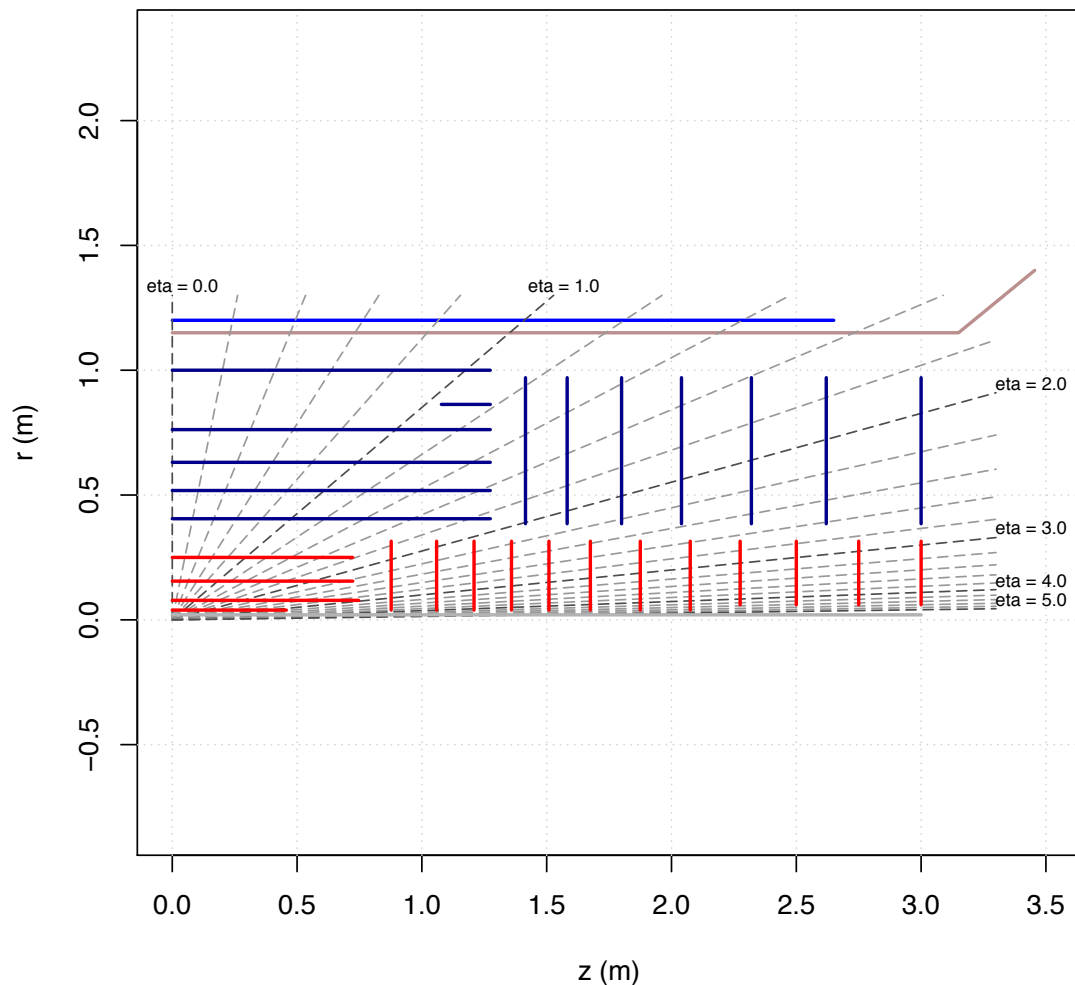
B-tagging in the ITk Layout



- New geometry required to deal with higher LHC luminosity after 2022 shutdown.
- Many layouts in discussion.
- Need to determine optimal b-tagging performances of layouts.

Very Forward ITk Layout

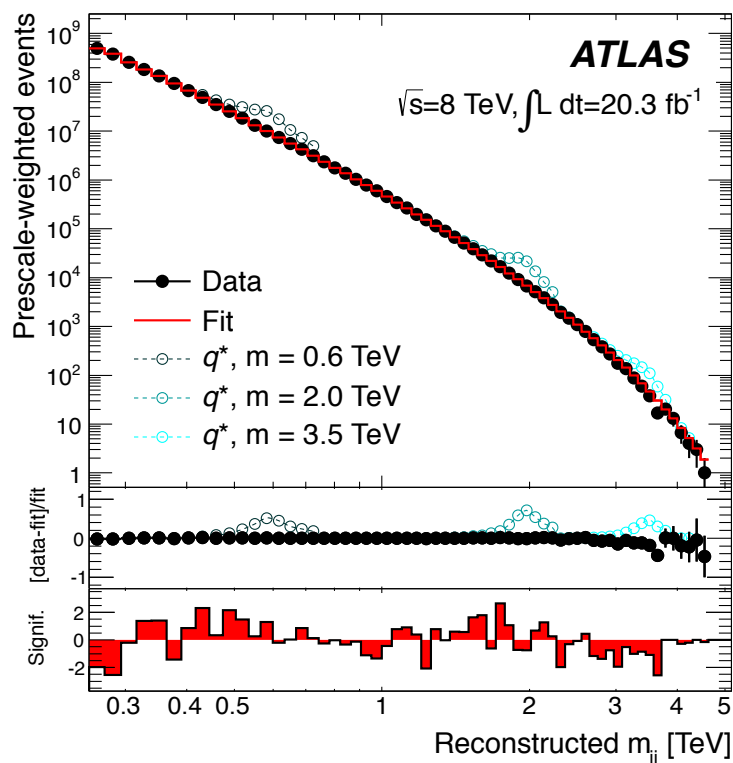
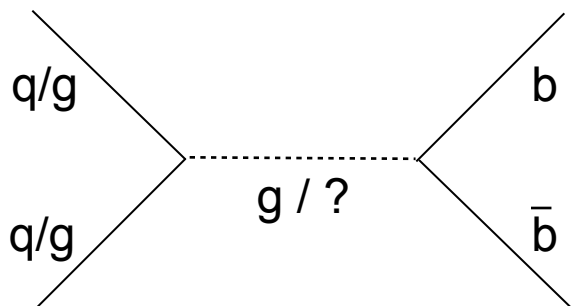
ID geometry from LoIVF.geom 16:20:38 29/04/14



- VF layout has coverage out to $\eta = 4$

➡ New regime for b-tagging

Exotic Searches in Di-bjets



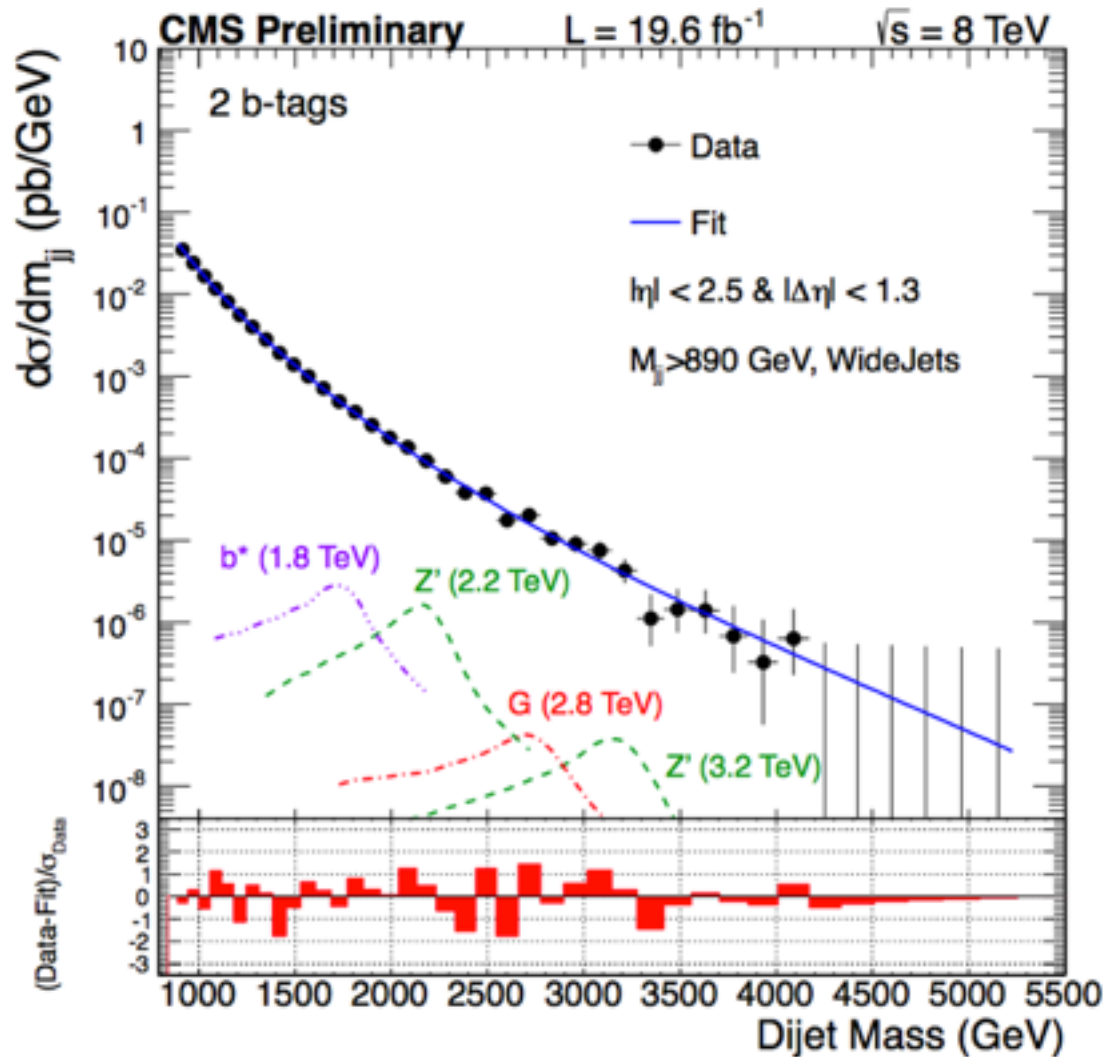
- Search for pairs of b-tagged jets.
- Di-jets is one of the most sensitive probes of new physics at high masses.
- Many BSM models predict resonances that have decays to $b\bar{b}$ as it is a member of the third generation of quarks.

Challenges

- We require effective b-tagging at extremely high- p_T ($\sim 1\text{ TeV}$)
- Uncertainties from the b-jet energy scale

Backup

CMS Di-b-jets



B-Efficiency - P_T : All Taggers

