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Soft QCD at the LHC: Findings & Surprises

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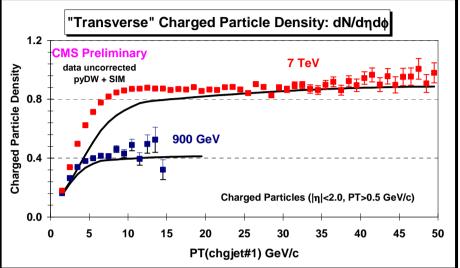
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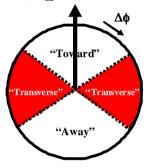
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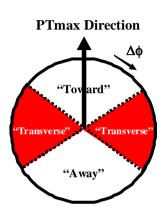
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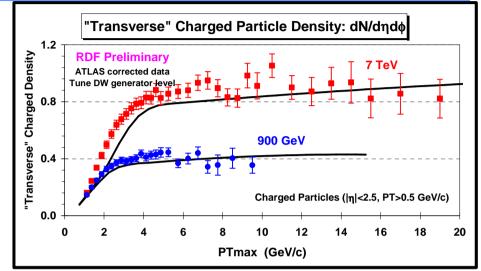




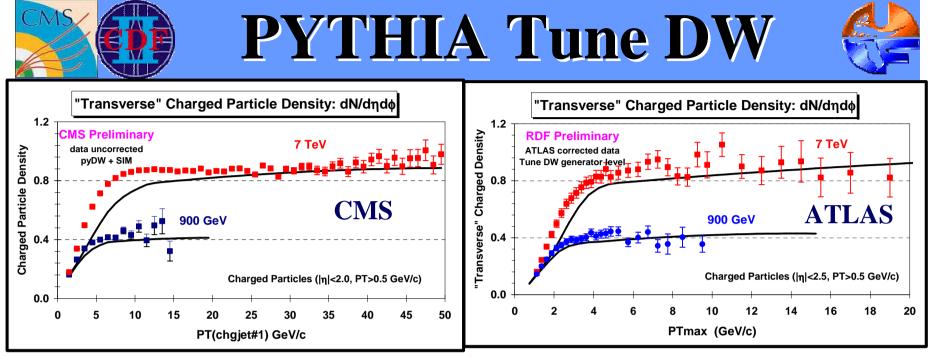
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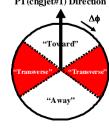




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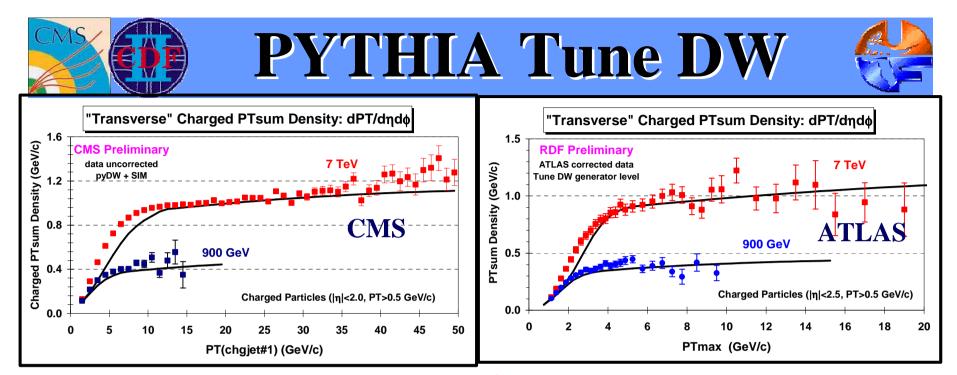
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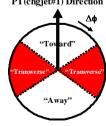


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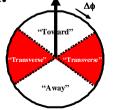


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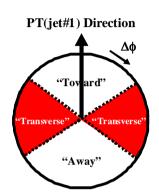


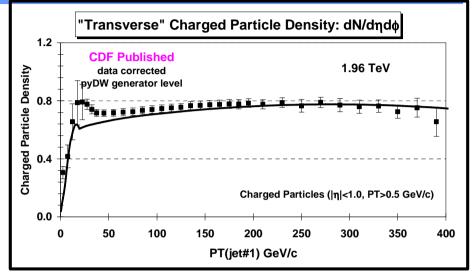




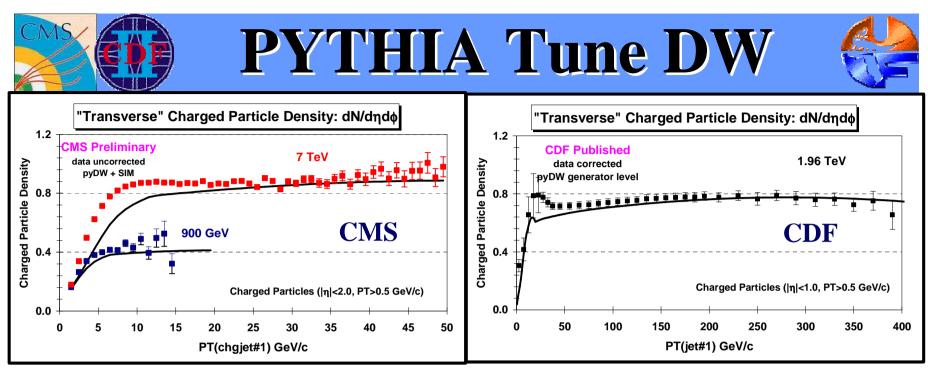
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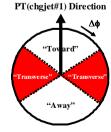




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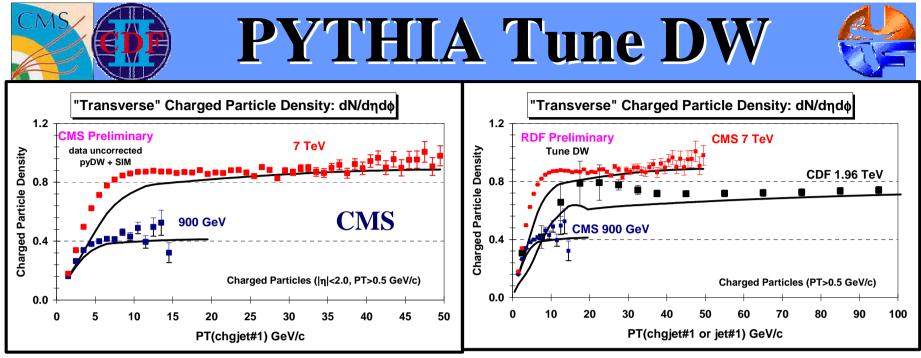
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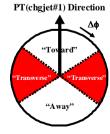


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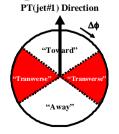


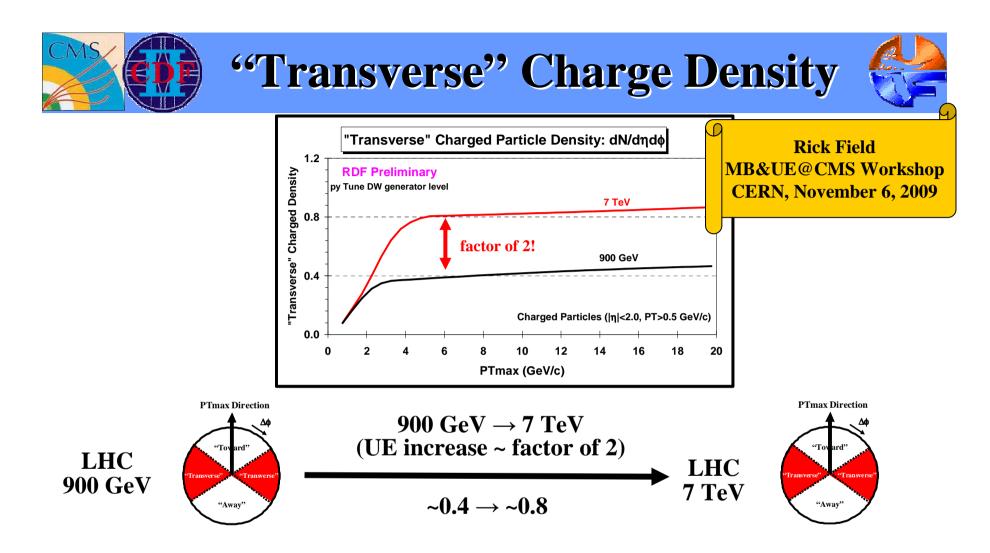
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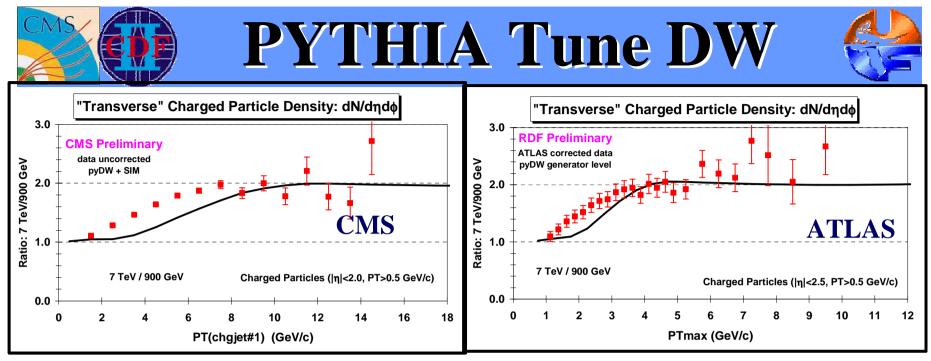
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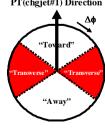




Shows the charged particle density in the "transverse" region for charged particles (p_T > 0.5 GeV/c, |η| < 2) at 900 GeV and 7 TeV as defined by PTmax from PYTHIA Tune DW and at the particle level (*i.e.* generator level).



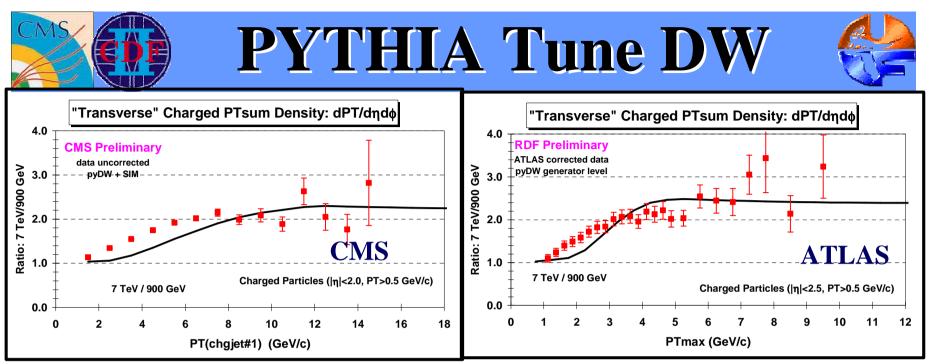
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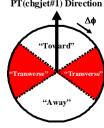
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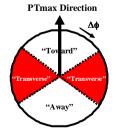


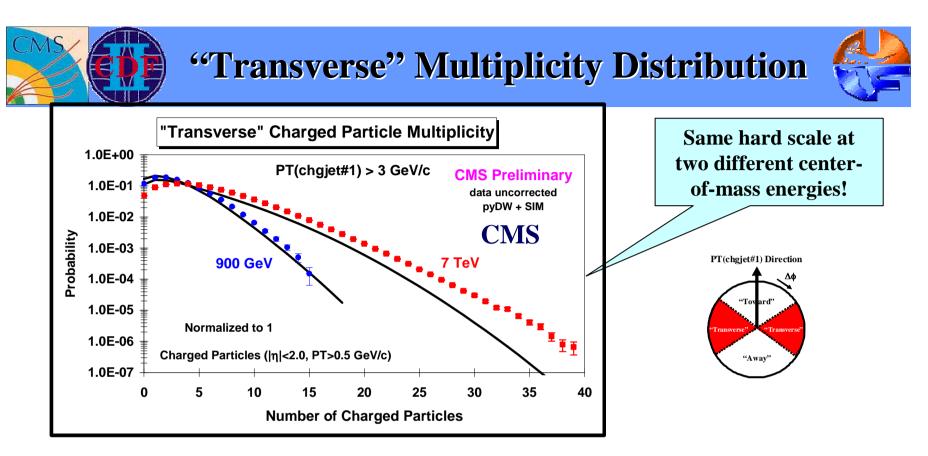
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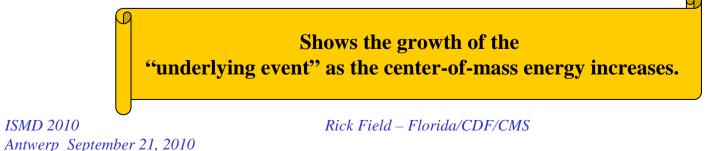
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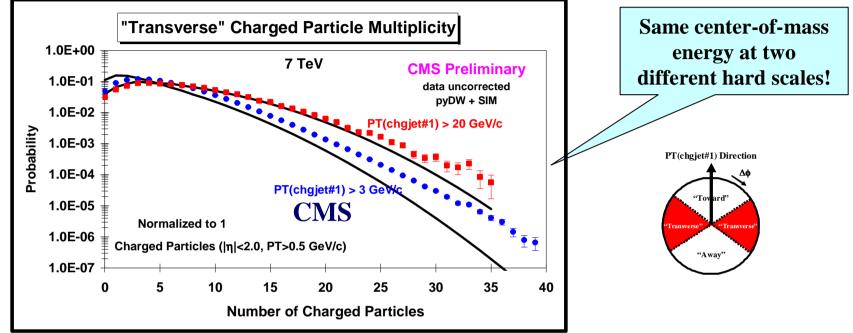


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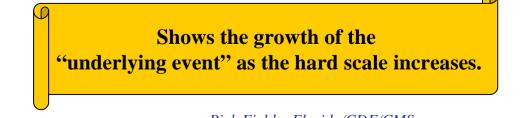




"Transverse" Multiplicity Distribution



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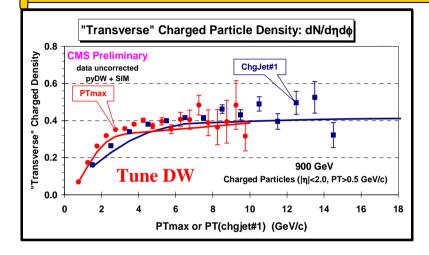
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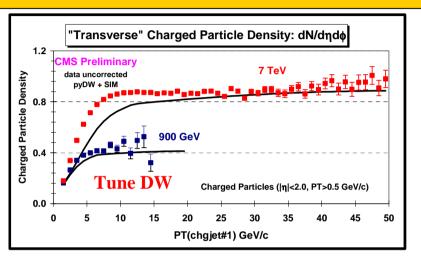
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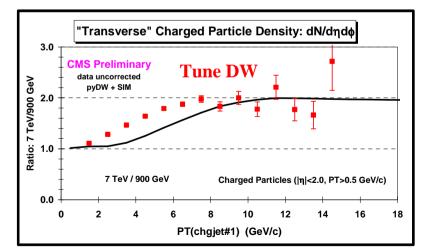


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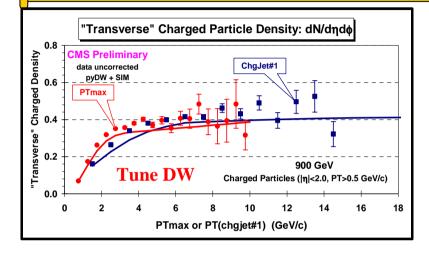




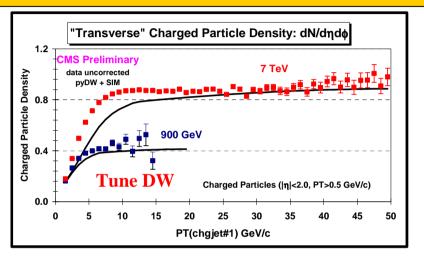
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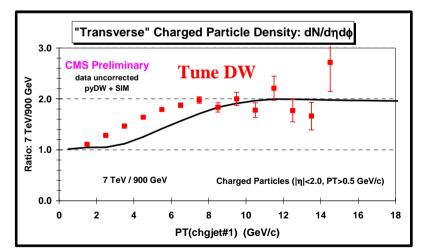


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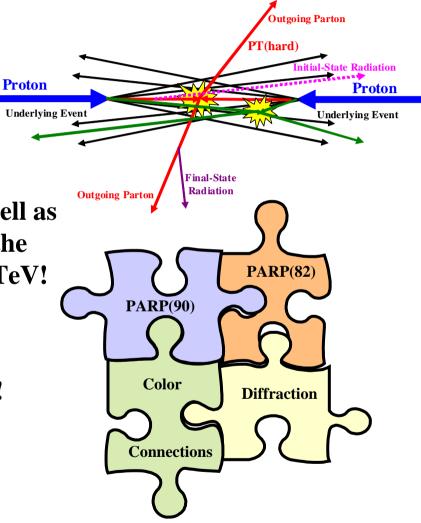






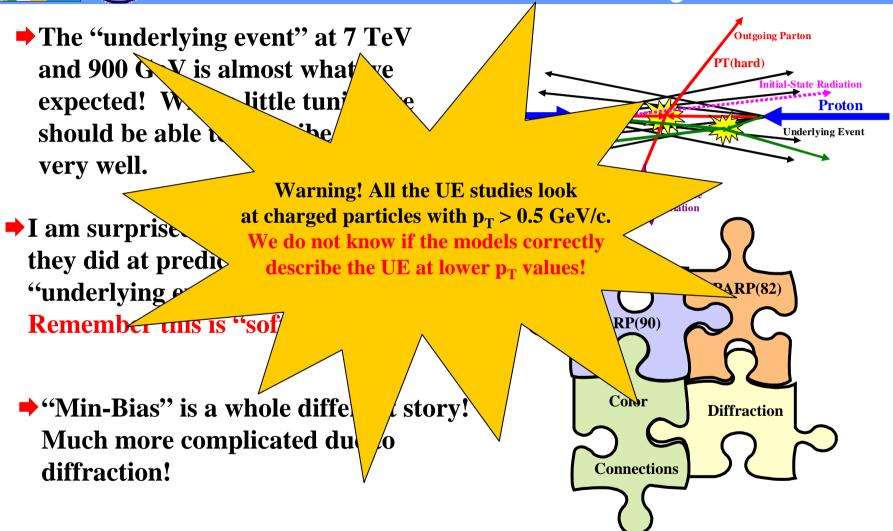
UE Summary

- The "underlying event" at 7 TeV and 900 GeV is almost what we expected! With a little tuning we should be able to describe the data very well (see Tune Z1 later in this talk).
- I am surprised that the Tunes did as well as they did at predicting the behavior of the "underlying event" at 900 GeV and 7 TeV! Remember this is "soft" QCD!
 - "Min-Bias" is a whole different story! Much more complicated due to diffraction!



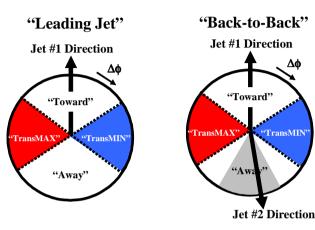


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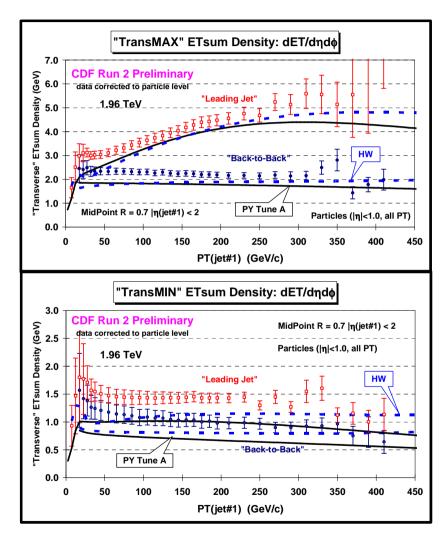








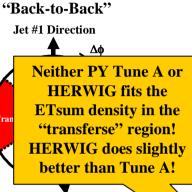
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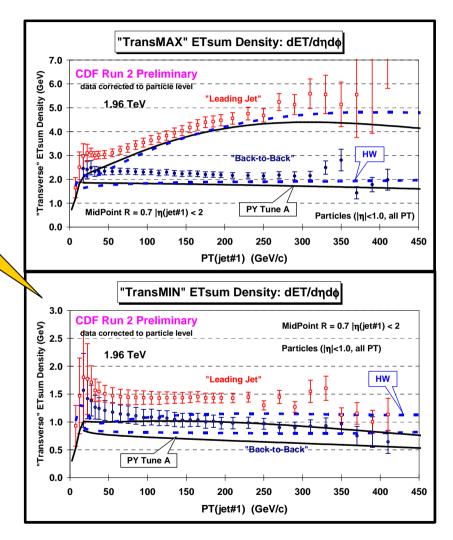






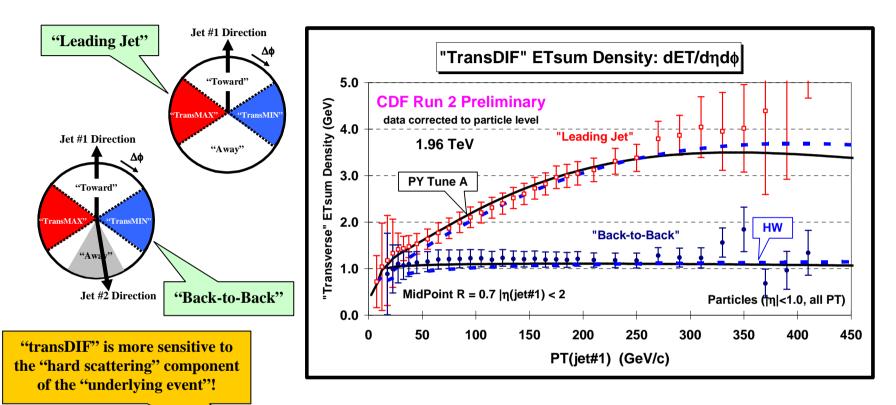
Jet #2 Direction

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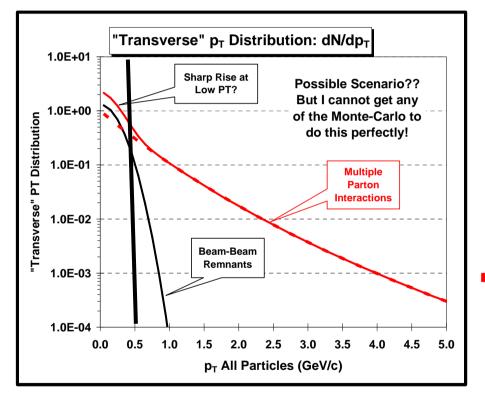


- Use the leading jet to define the MAX and MIN "transverse" regions on an event-byevent basis with MAX (MIN) having the largest (smallest) charged PTsum density.
- Shows the "transDIF" = MAX-MIN ETsum density, dETsum/dηdφ, for all particles (|η| < 1) versus P_T(jet#1) for "Leading Jet" and "Back-to-Back" events.

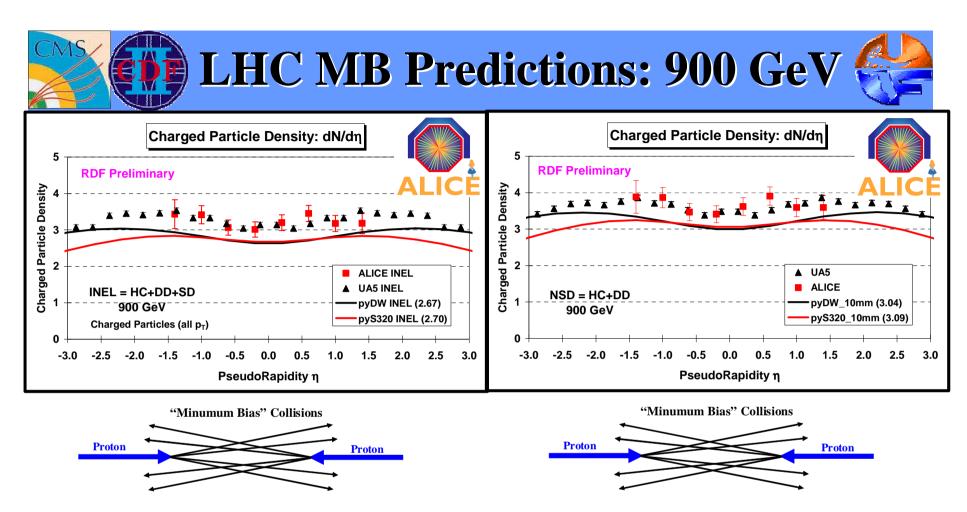




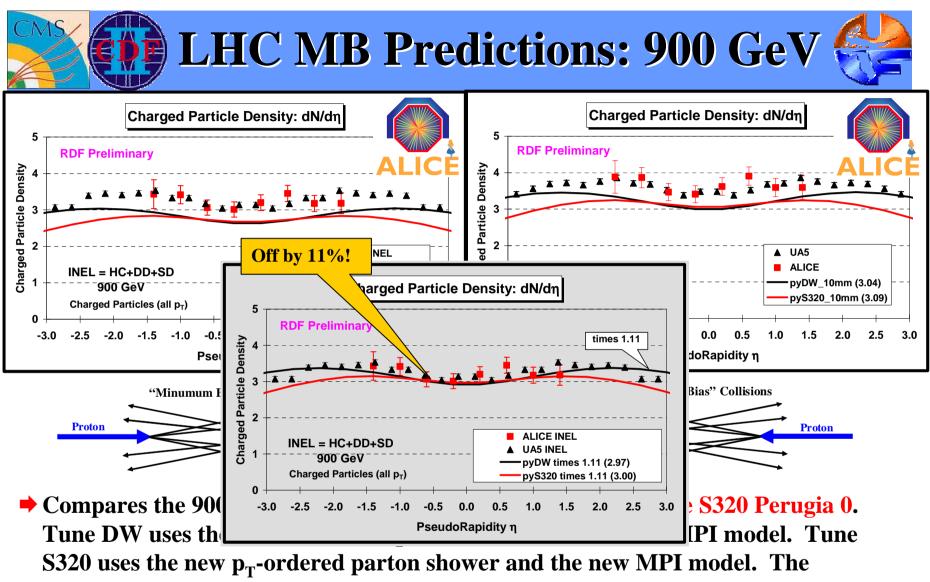
Possible Scenario??



- PYTHIA Tune A fits the charged particle PTsum density for p_T > 0.5 GeV/c, but it does not produce enough ETsum for towers with E_T > 0.1 GeV.
- It is possible that there is a sharp rise in the number of particles in the "underlying event" at low p_T (*i.e.* p_T < 0.5 GeV/c).</p>
- Perhaps there are two components, a vary "soft" beam-beam remnant component (Gaussian or exponential) and a "hard" multiple interaction component.



Compares the 900 GeV ALICE data with PYTHIA Tune DW and Tune S320
 Perugia 0. Tune DW uses the old Q²-ordered parton shower and the old MPI model. Tune S320 uses the new p_T-ordered parton shower and the new MPI model. The numbers in parentheses are the average value of dN/dη for the region |η| < 0.6.



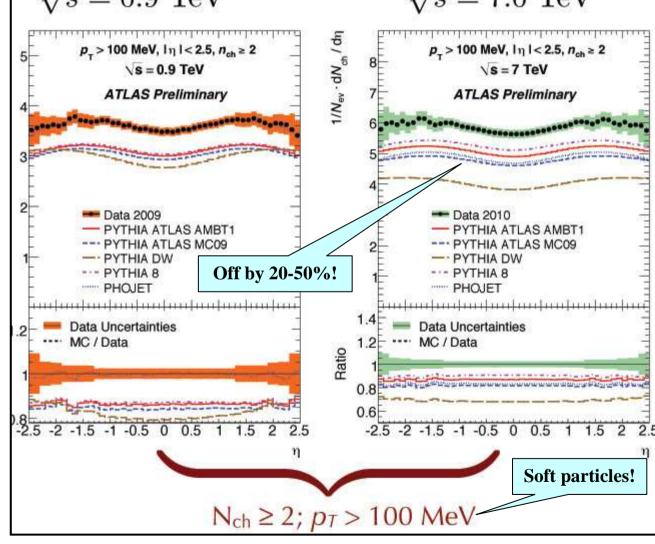
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ATLAS INEL dN/dn $\sqrt{s} = 0.9 \text{ TeV}$ $\sqrt{s} = 7.0 \text{ TeV}$ $\sqrt{s} = 7.0 \text{ TeV}$

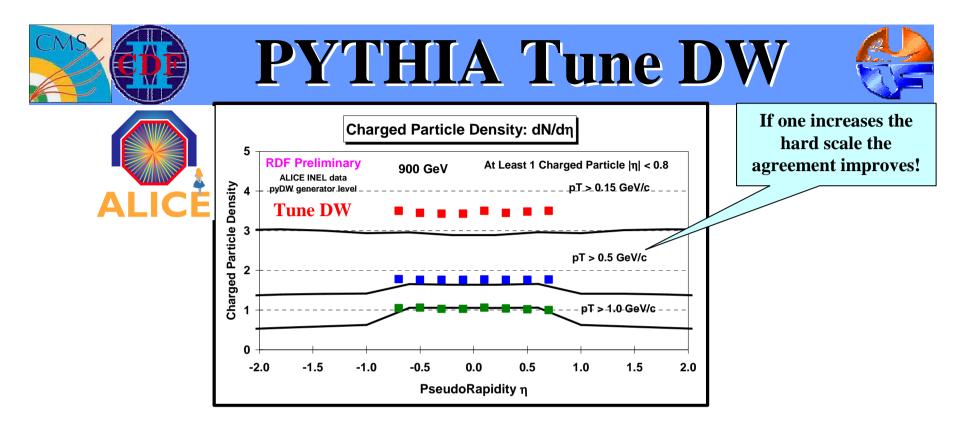
 None of the tunes fit the ATLAS INEL dN/dη data with PT > 100 MeV! They all predict too few particles.

The ATLAS Tune AMBT1 was designed to fit the inelastic data for Nchg ≥ 6 with p_T > 0.5 GeV/c!



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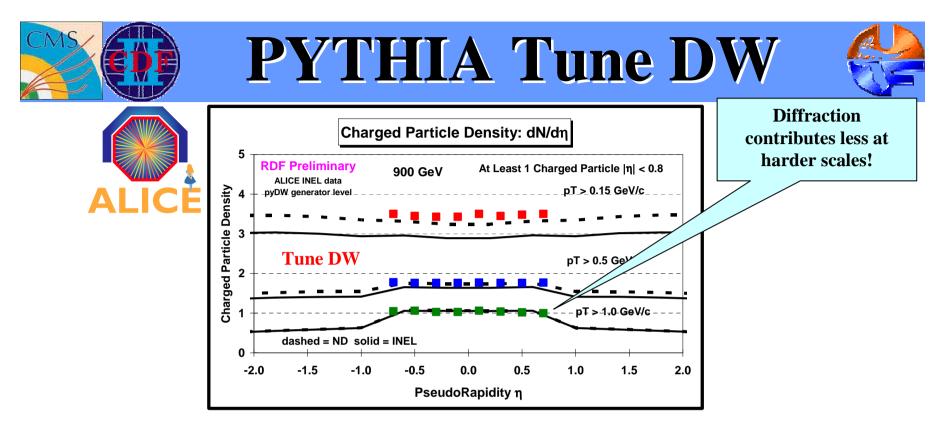
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ALICE inelastic data at 900 GeV on the dN/dη distribution for charged particles (p_T > PTmin) for events with at least one charged particle with p_T > PTmin and |η| < 0.8 for PTmin = 0.15 GeV/c, 0.5 GeV/c, and 1.0 GeV/c compared with PYTHIA Tune DW at the generator level.</p>

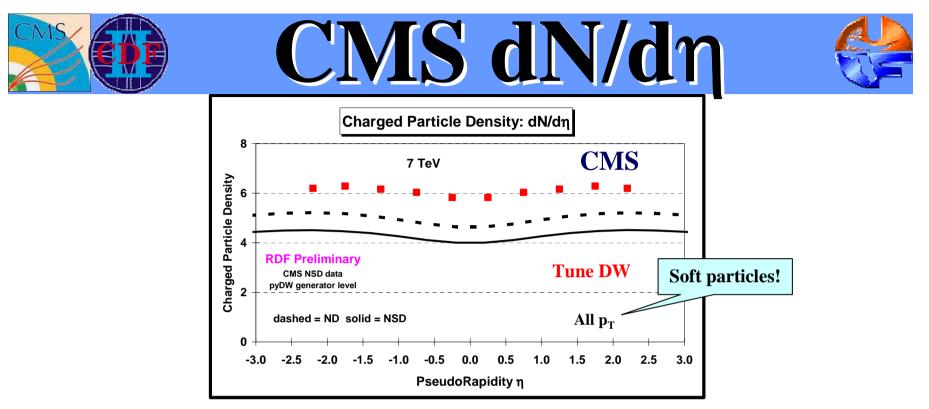


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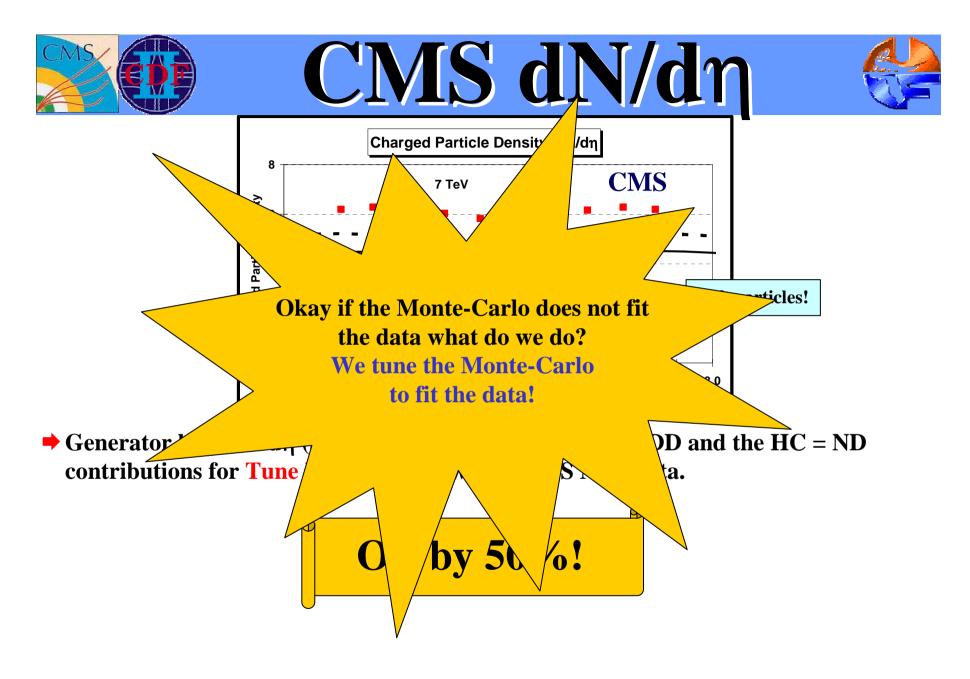
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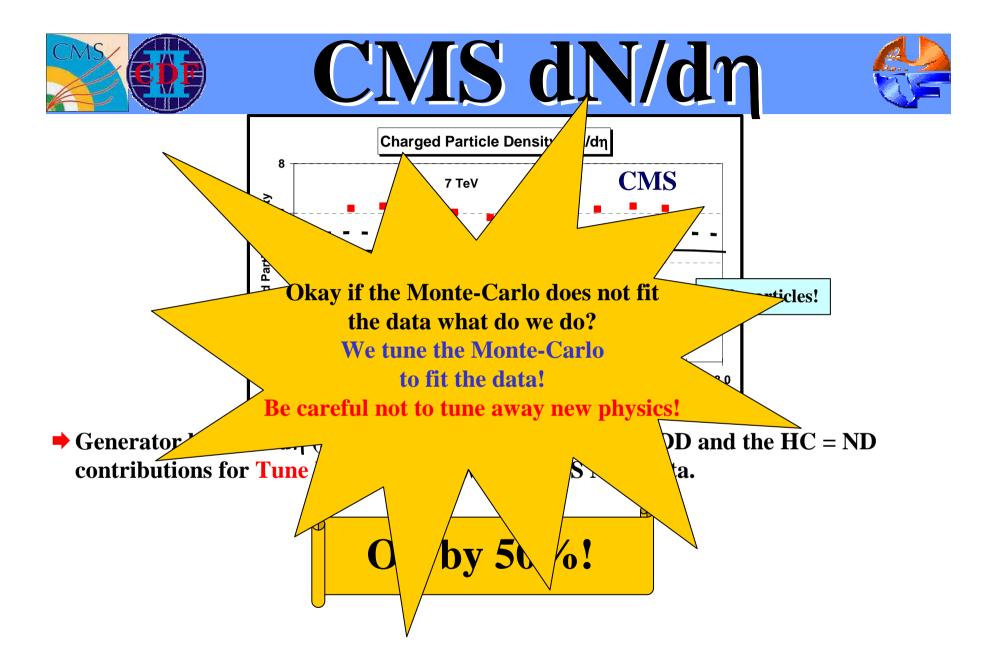
Cannot trust PYTHIA 6.2 modeling of diffraction!



Generator level dN/dη (all pT). Shows the NSD = HC + DD and the HC = ND contributions for Tune DW. Also shows the CMS NSD data.









PYTHIA Tune Z1

 $\mathbf{PARP(90)}$

Color

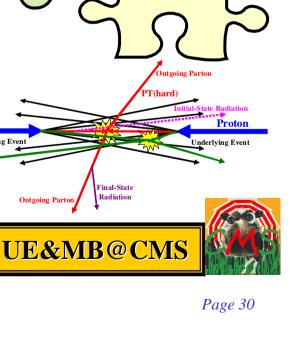
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Underlying Event

Connections

- All my previous tunes (A, DW, DWT, D6, D6T, CW, X1, and X2) were PYTHIA 6.4 tunes using the old Q²-ordered parton showers and the old MPI model (really 6.2 tunes)!
- I believe that it is time to move to PYTHIA 6.4 (p_T-ordered parton showers and new MPI model)!
- Tune Z1: I started with the parameters of ATLAS Tune AMBT1, but I changed LO* to CTEQ5L and I varied PARP(82) and PARP(90) to get a very good fit of the CMS UE data at 900 GeV and 7 TeV.
- The ATLAS Tune AMBT1 was designed to fit the inelastic data for Nchg ≥ 6 and to fit the PTmax UE data with PTmax > 10 GeV/c. Tune AMBT1 is primarily a min-bias tune, while Tune Z1 is a UE tune!

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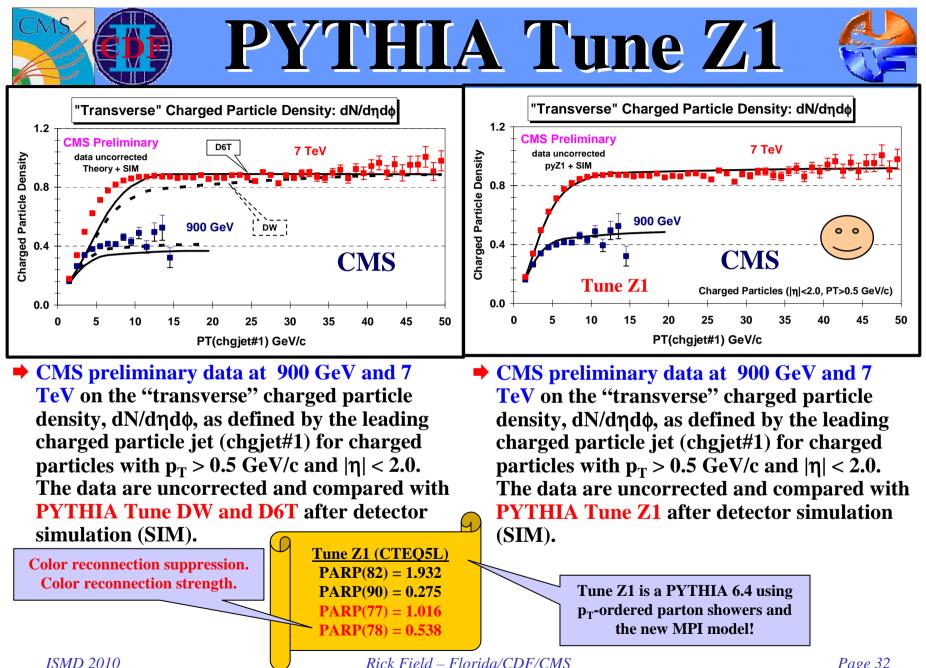


PARP(82)

Diffraction

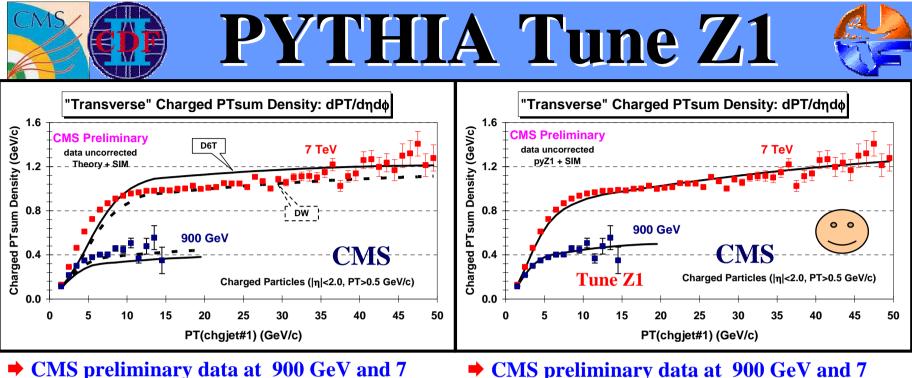


	PYTHIA Tu	ne Z1	
	Parameter	Tune Z1 (R. Field CMS)	Tune AMBT1 (ATLAS)
Parameters not shown are the PYTHIA 6.4 defaults!	Parton Distribution Function	CTEQ5L	LO*
	PARP(82) – MPI Cut-off	1.932	2.292
	PARP(89) – Reference energy, E0	1800.0	1800.0
	PARP(90) – MPI Energy Extrapolation	0.275	0.25
	PARP(77) – CR Suppression	1.016	1.016
	PARP(78) – CR Strength	0.538	0.538
	PARP(80) – Probability colored parton from BBR	0.1	0.1
	PARP(83) – Matter fraction in core	0.356	0.356
	PARP(84) – Core of matter overlap	0.651	0.651
	PARP(62) – ISR Cut-off	1.025	1.025
	PARP(93) – primordial kT-max	10.0	10.0
	MSTP(81) – MPI, ISR, FSR, BBR model	21	21
	MSTP(82) – Double gaussion matter distribution	4	4
	MSTP(91) – Gaussian primordial kT	1	1
	MSTP(95) – strategy for color reconnection	6	6



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TeV on the "transverse" charged PTsum

density, $dPT/d\eta d\phi$, as defined by the leading

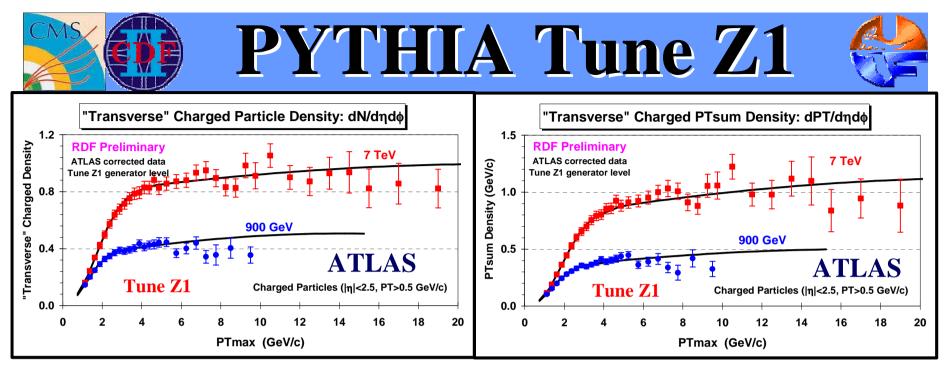
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PYTHIA Tune Z1 after detector simulation 4 (SIM). **Tune Z1 (CTEO5L) Color reconnection suppression.** PARP(82) = 1.932**Color reconnection strength.** Tune Z1 is a PYTHIA 6.4 using PARP(90) = 0.275 p_{T} -ordered parton showers and PARP(77) = 1.016the new MPI model! PARP(78) = 0.538Rick Field – Florida/CDF/CMS **ISMD 2010** Page 33 Antwerp September 21, 2010



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Color reconnection suppression.

Color reconnection strength.

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Tune Z1 (CTEQ5L)

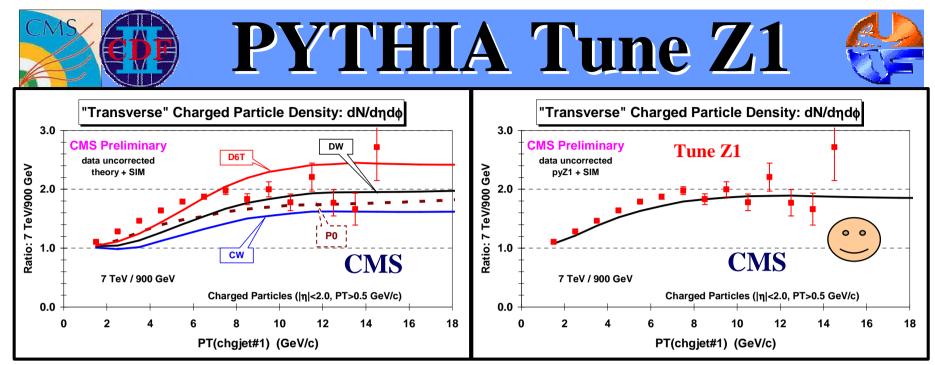
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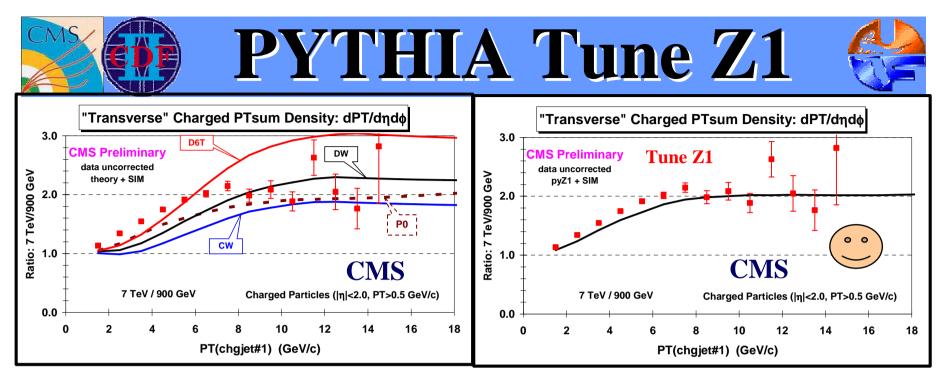
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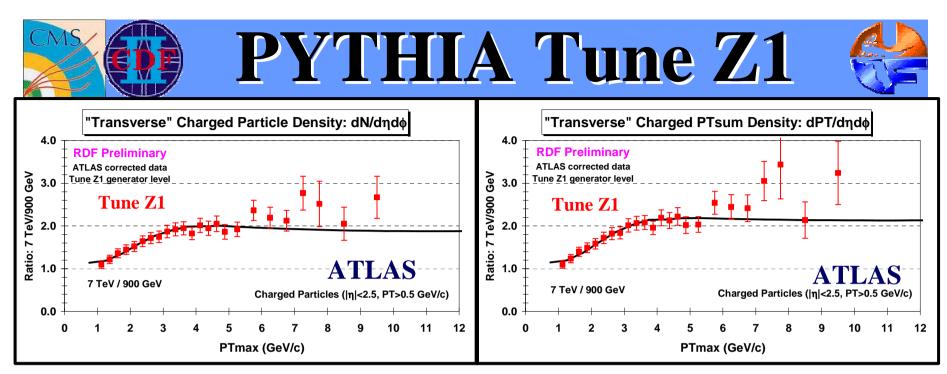


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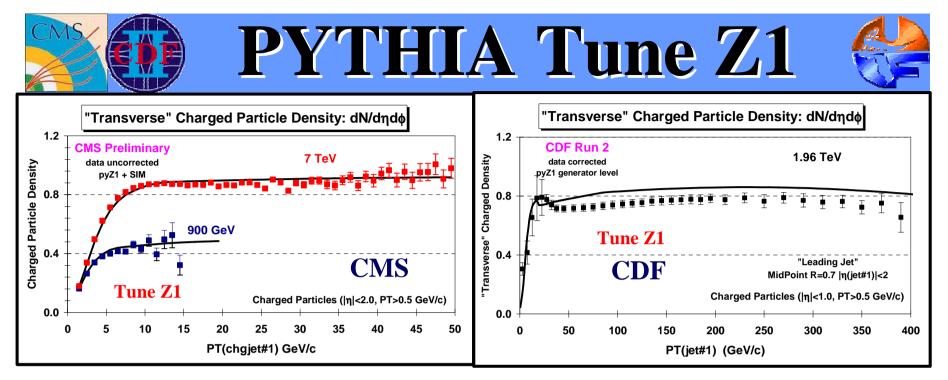
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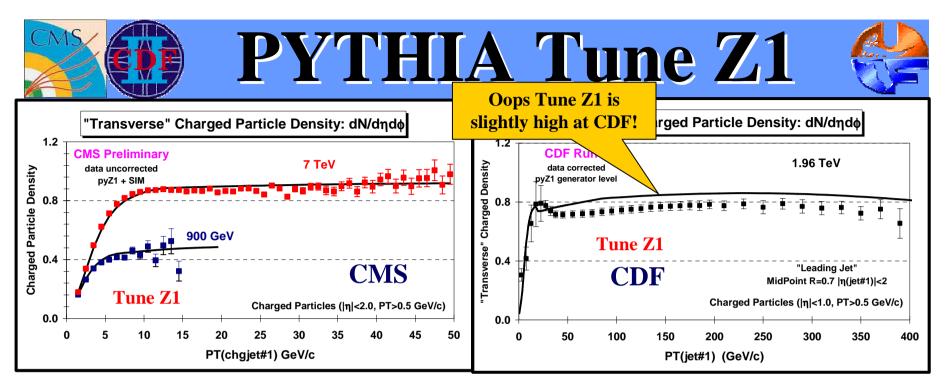
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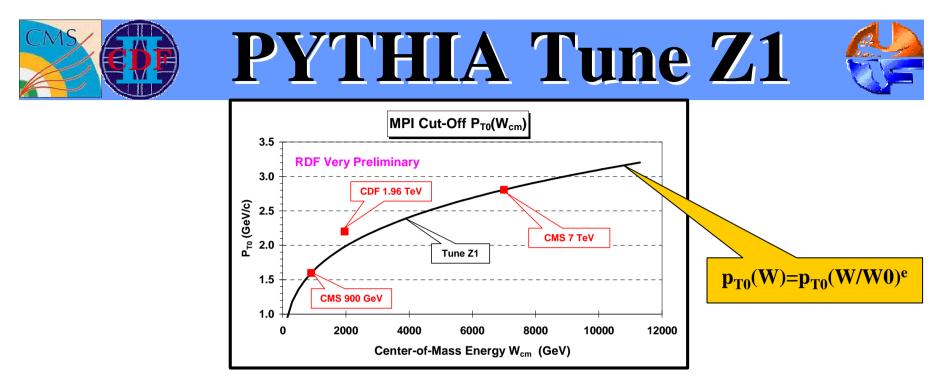
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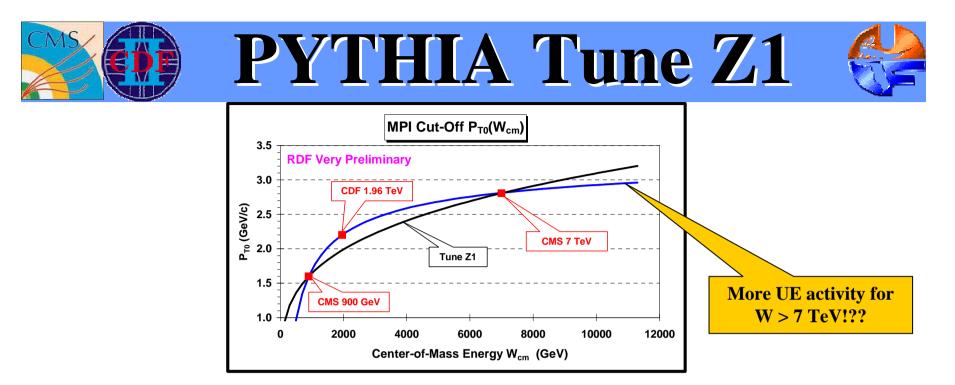


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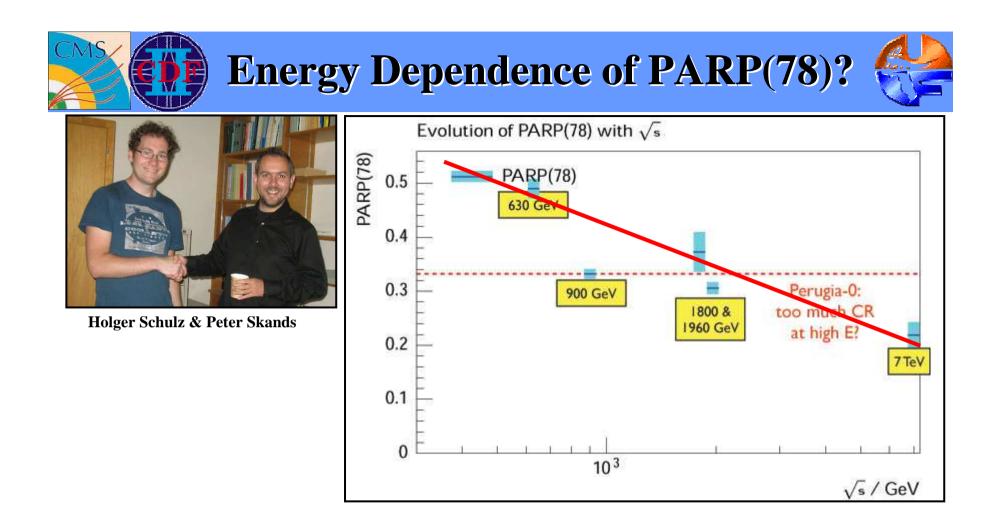


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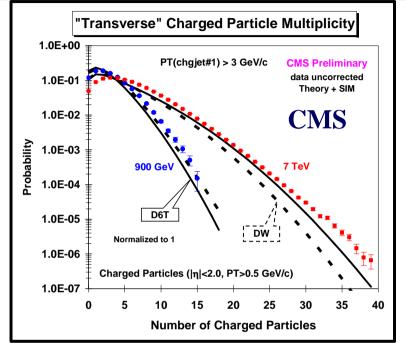
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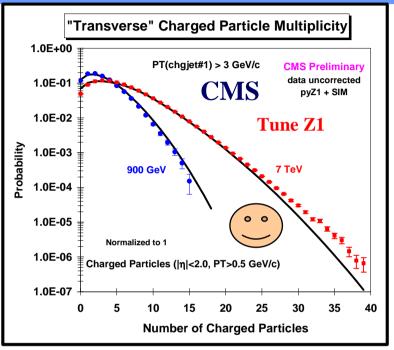
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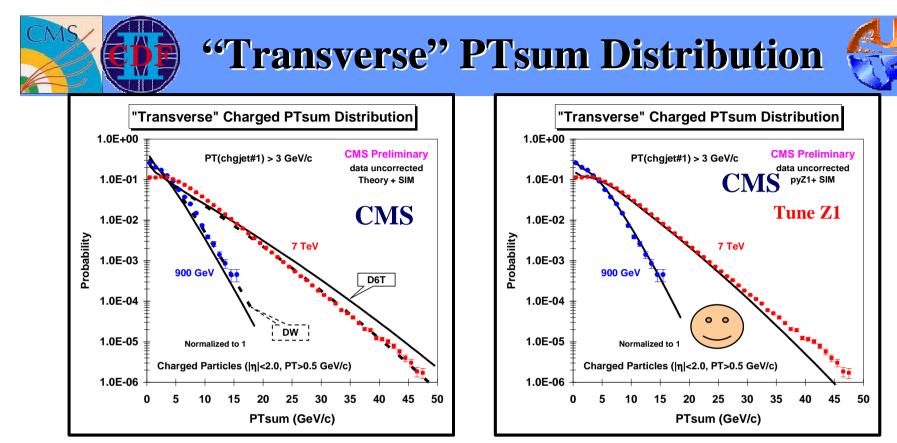
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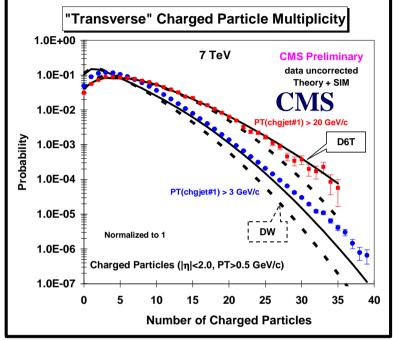
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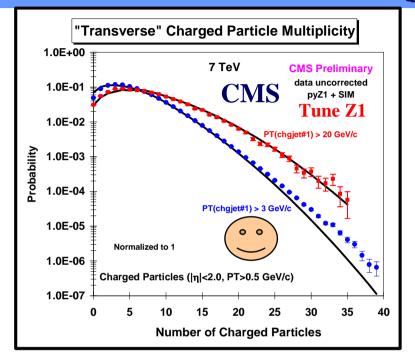
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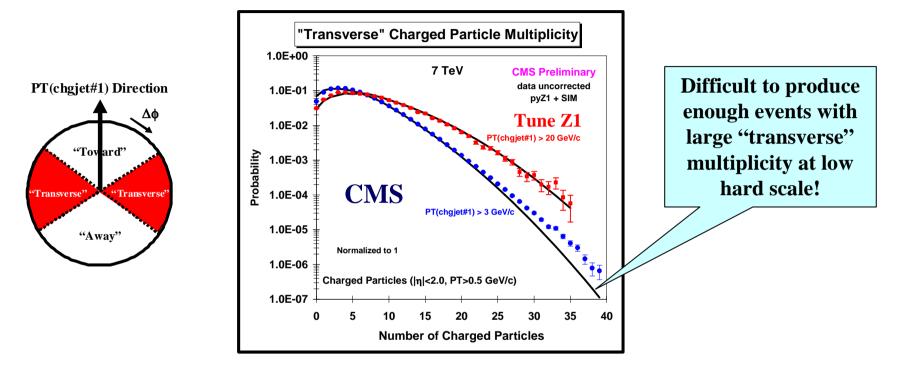
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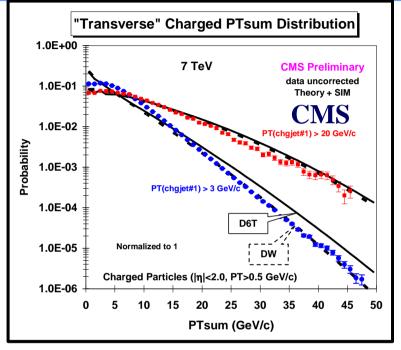
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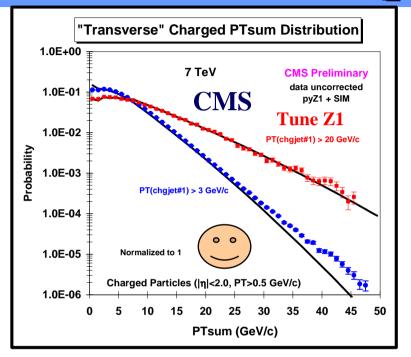
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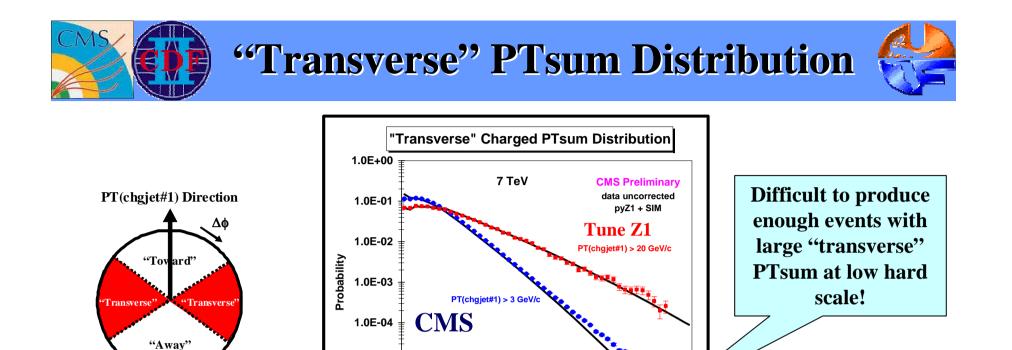
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Charged Particles (In < 2.0, PT>0.5 GeV/c)

20

25

PTsum (GeV/c)

30

35

40

45

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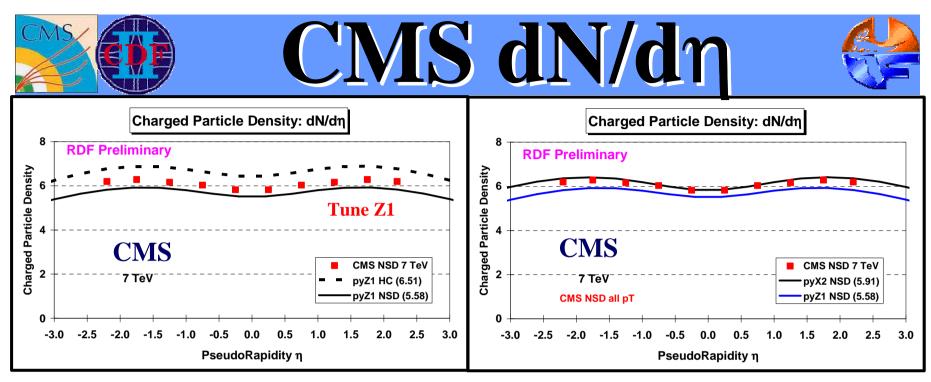
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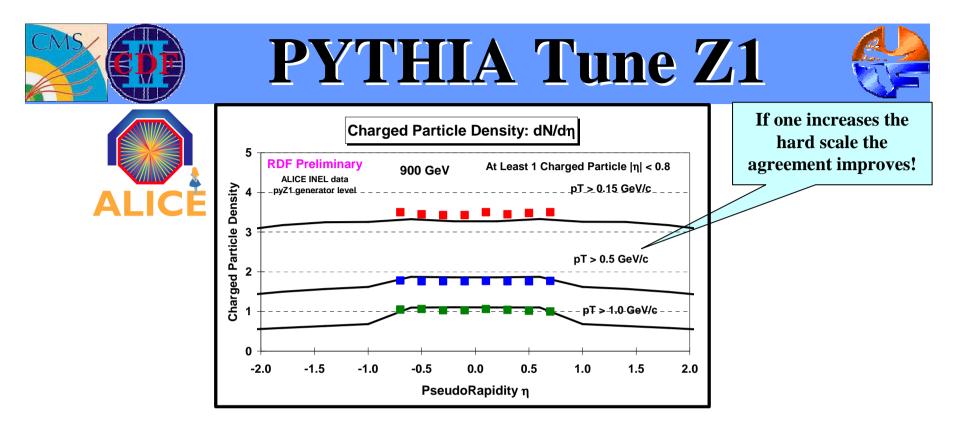
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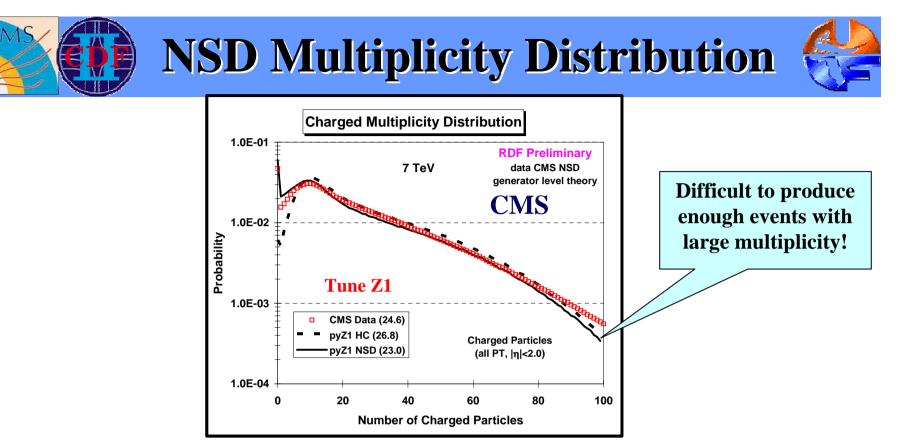
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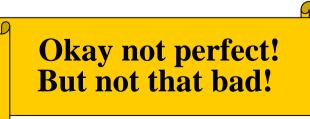


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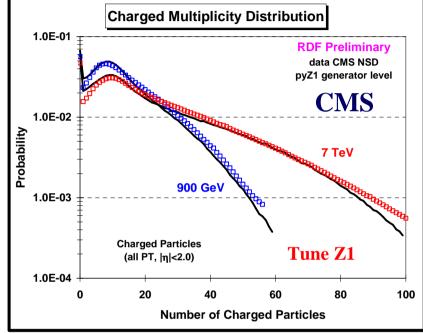
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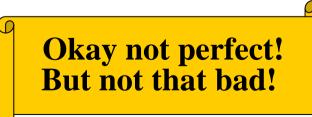
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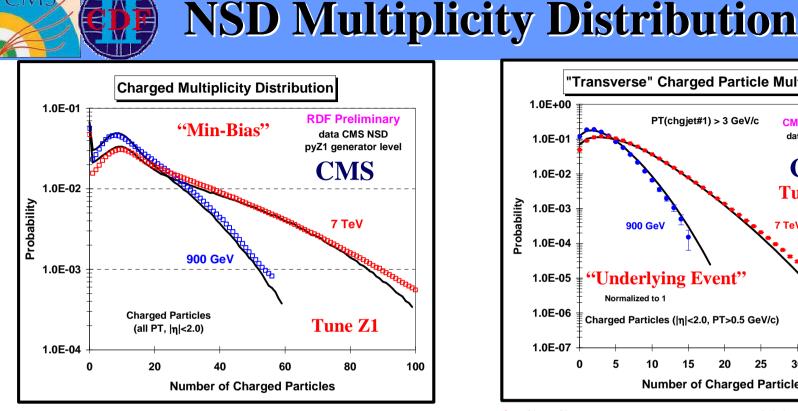




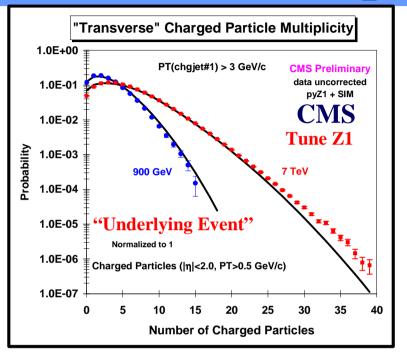
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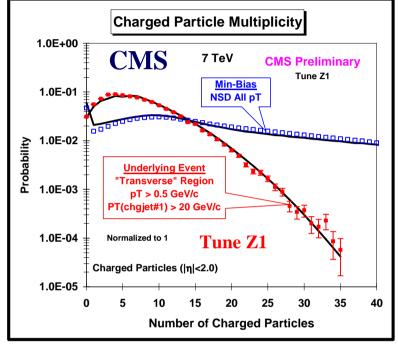


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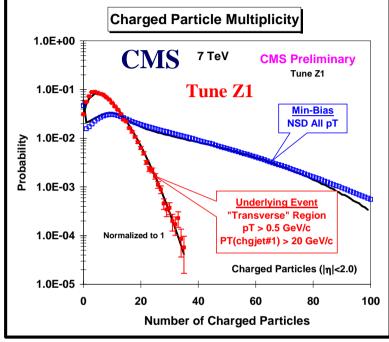




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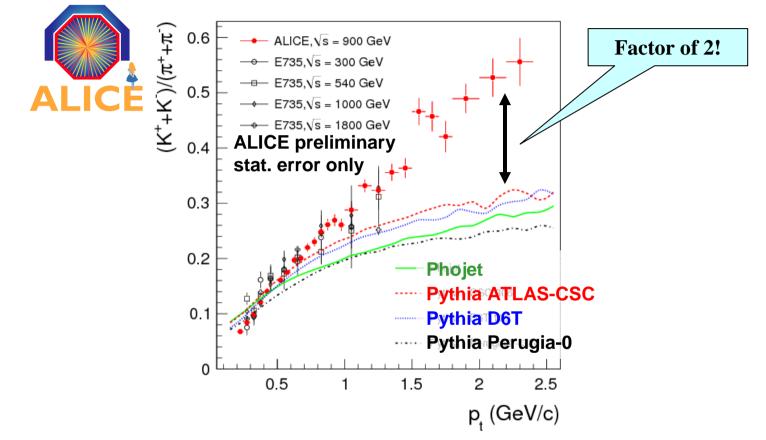




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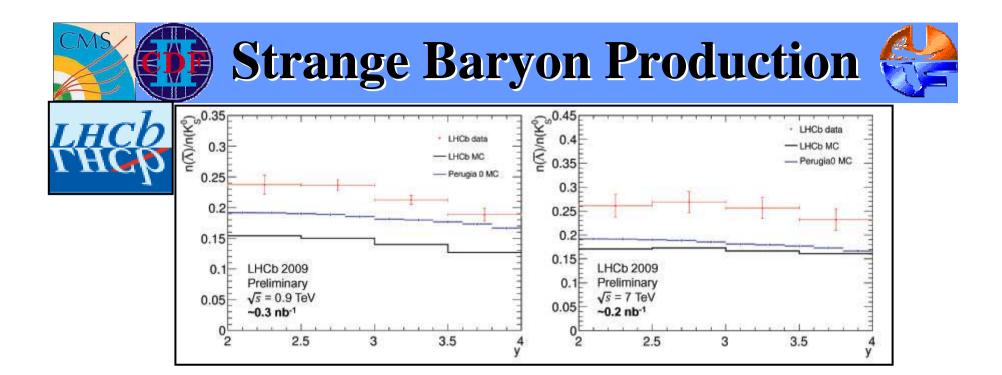
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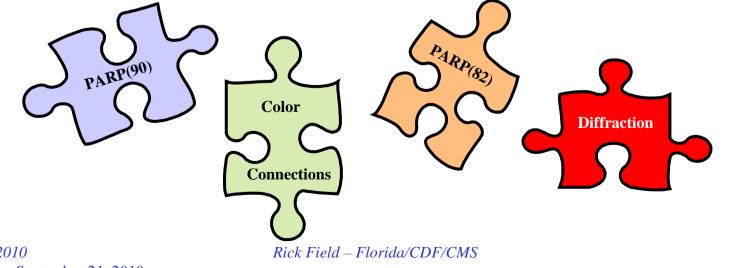
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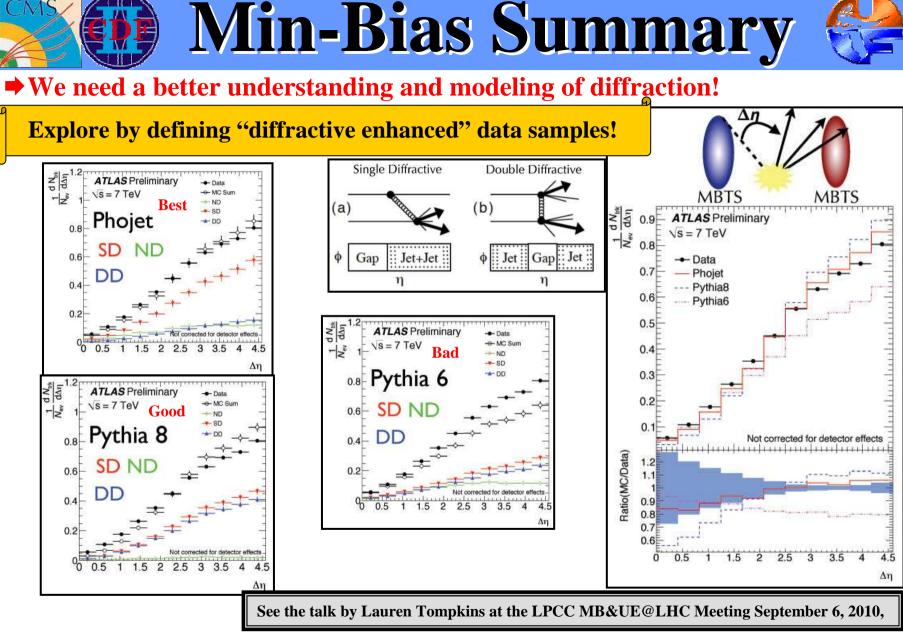


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Min-Bias Summary

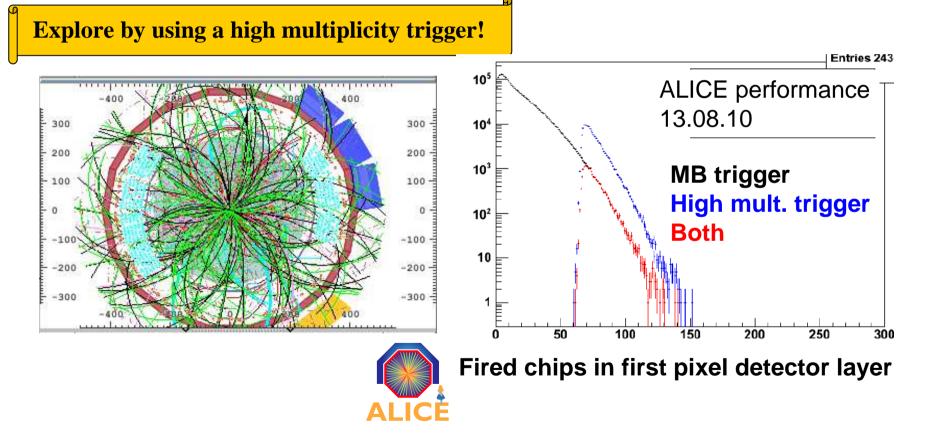
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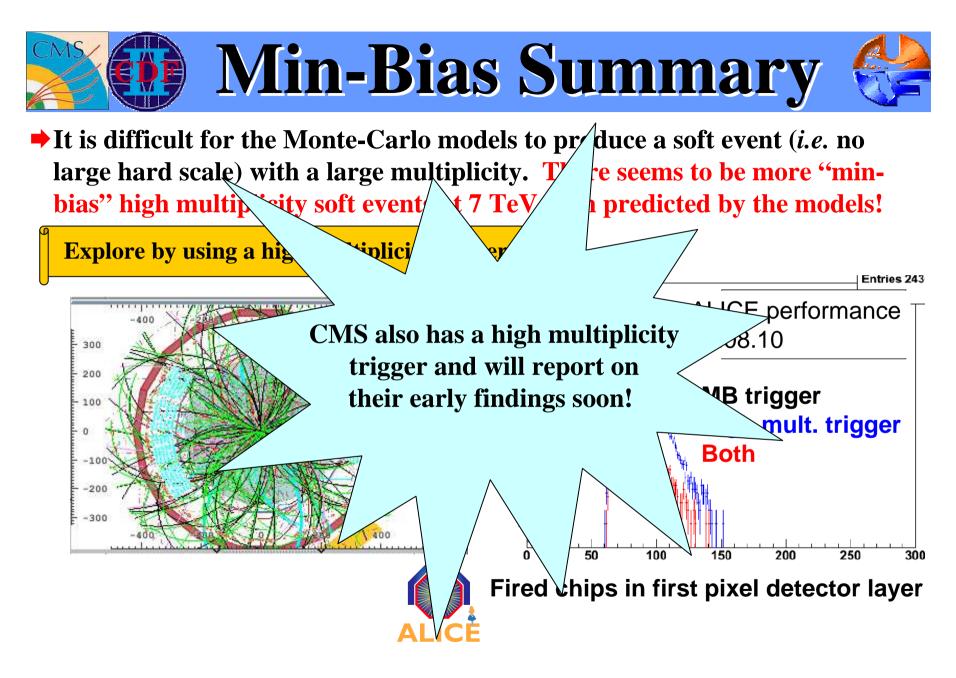




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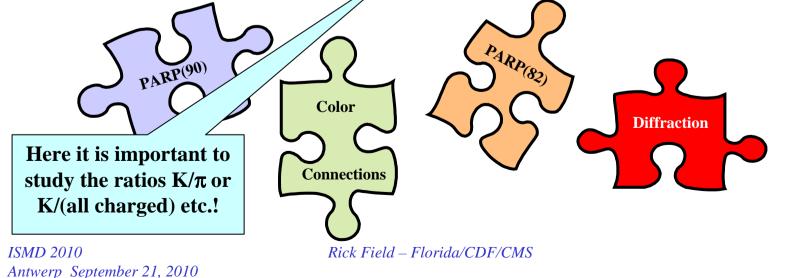
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