

Measuring jet energy with the ATLAS detector

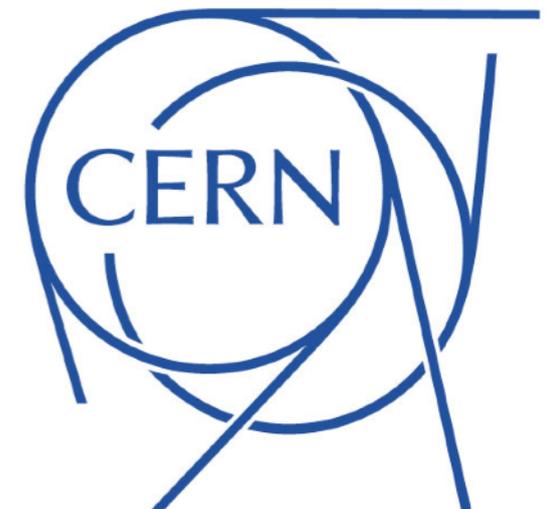
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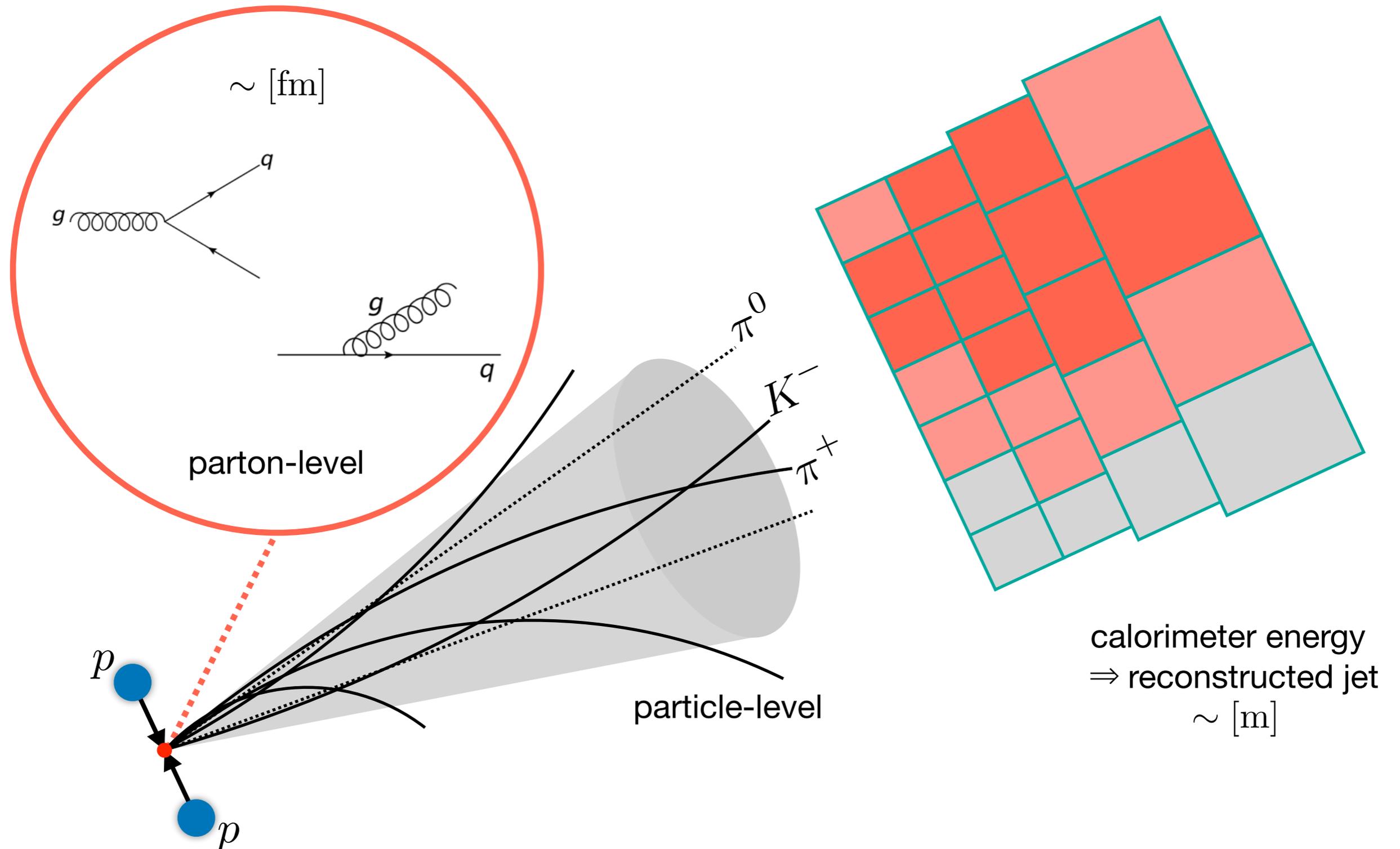


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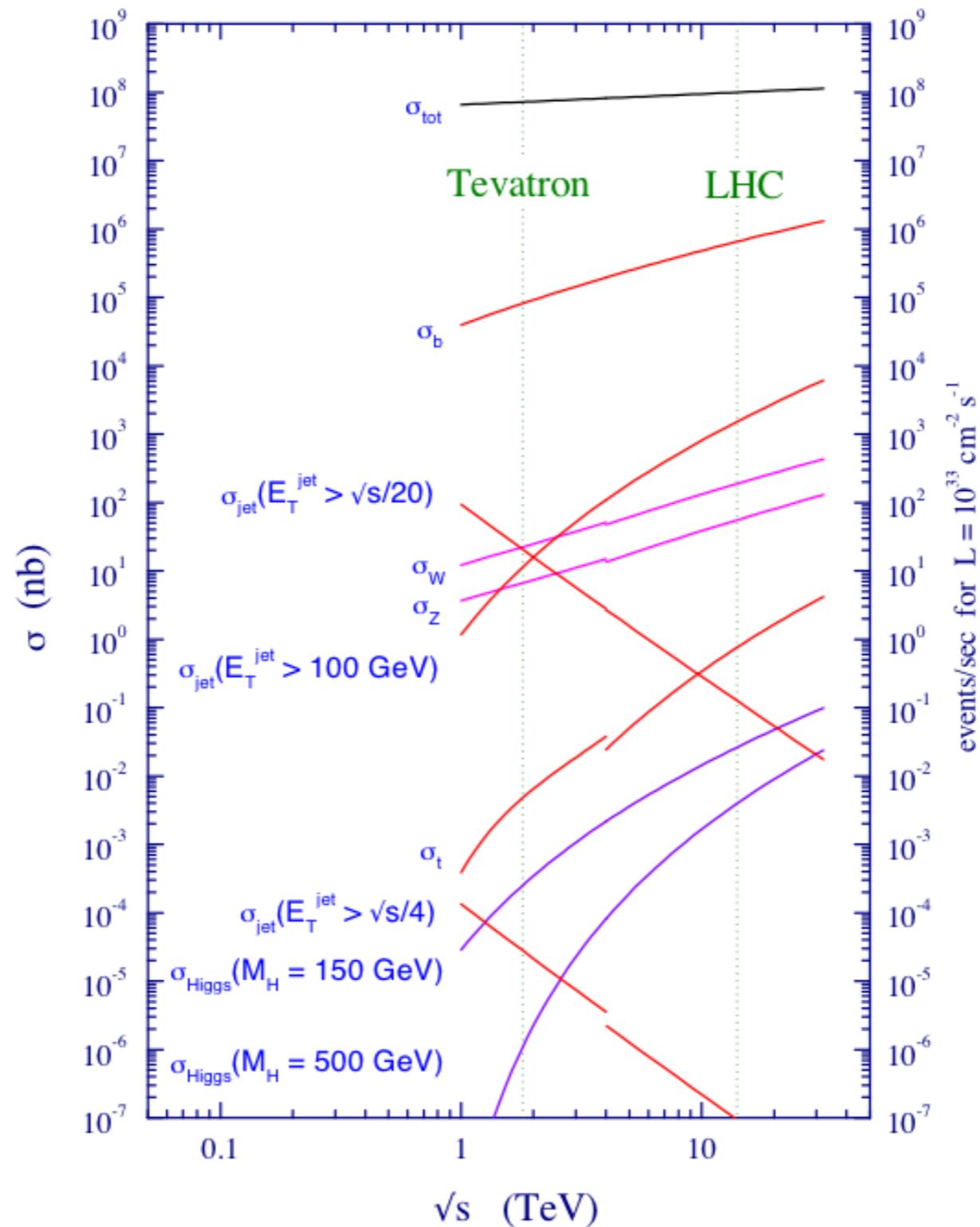
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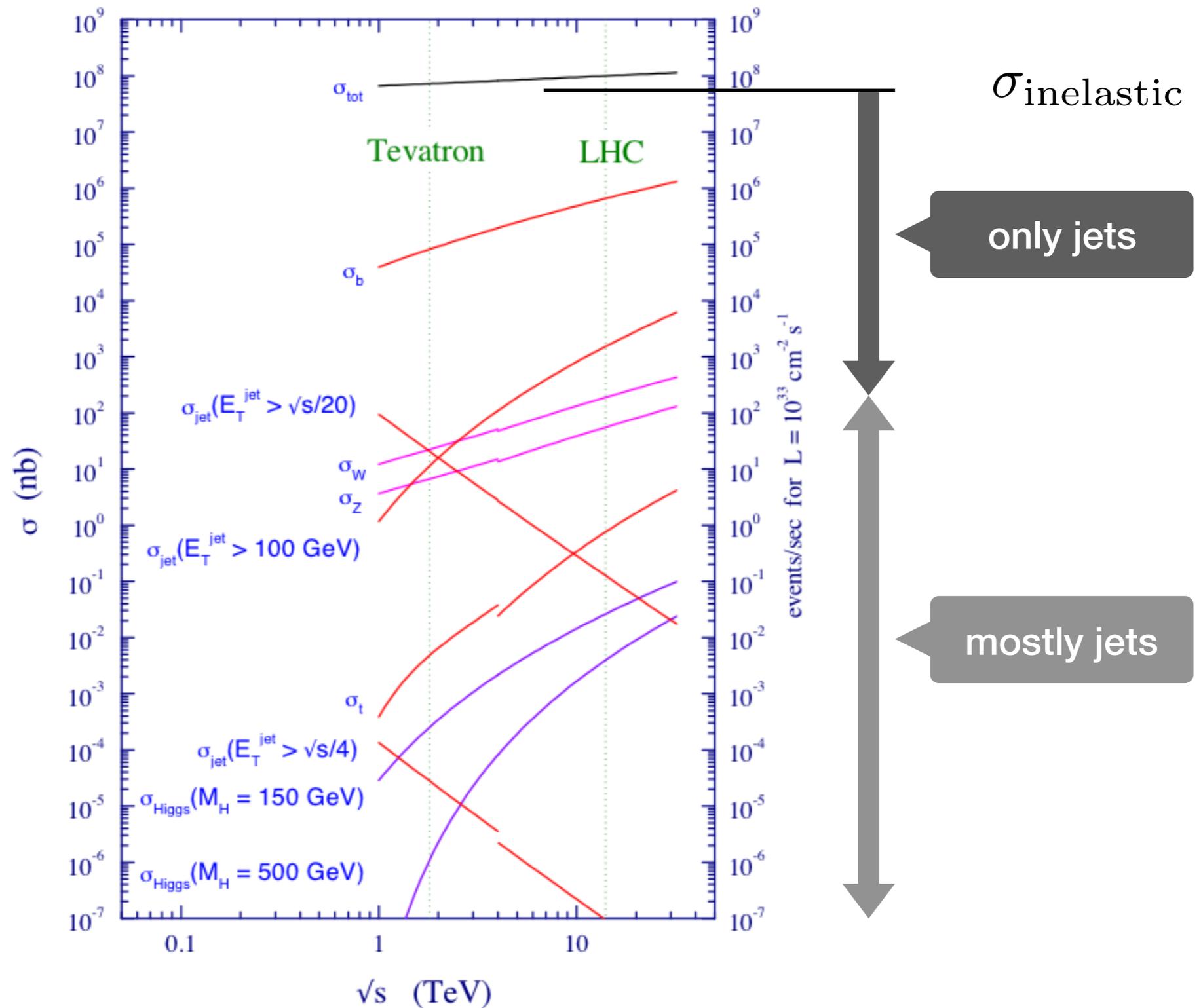
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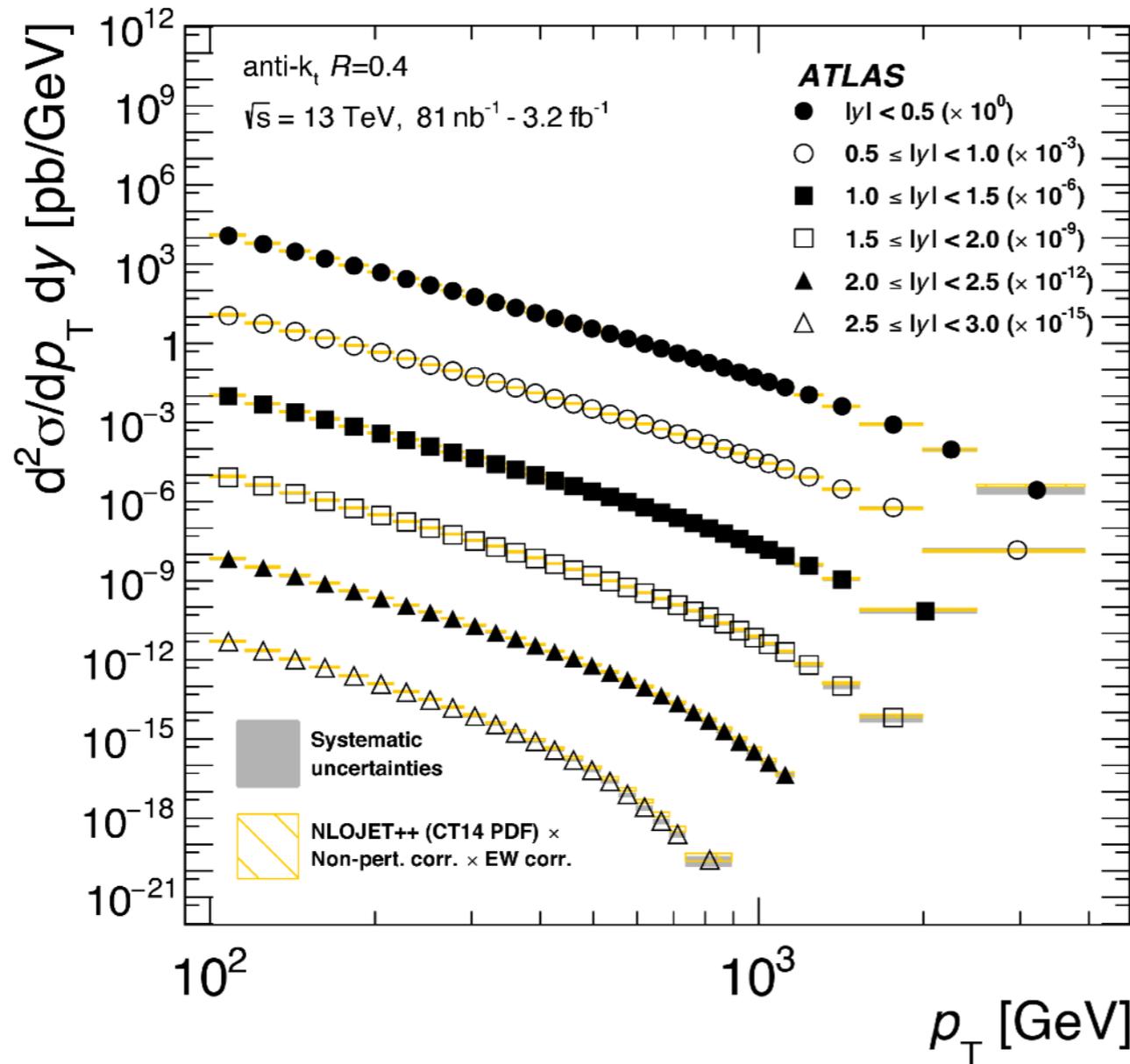


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Jets are **key ingredients to study physics** (test the Standard Model, search for new phenomena, etc.) in the proton-proton collisions at the Large Hadron Collider.

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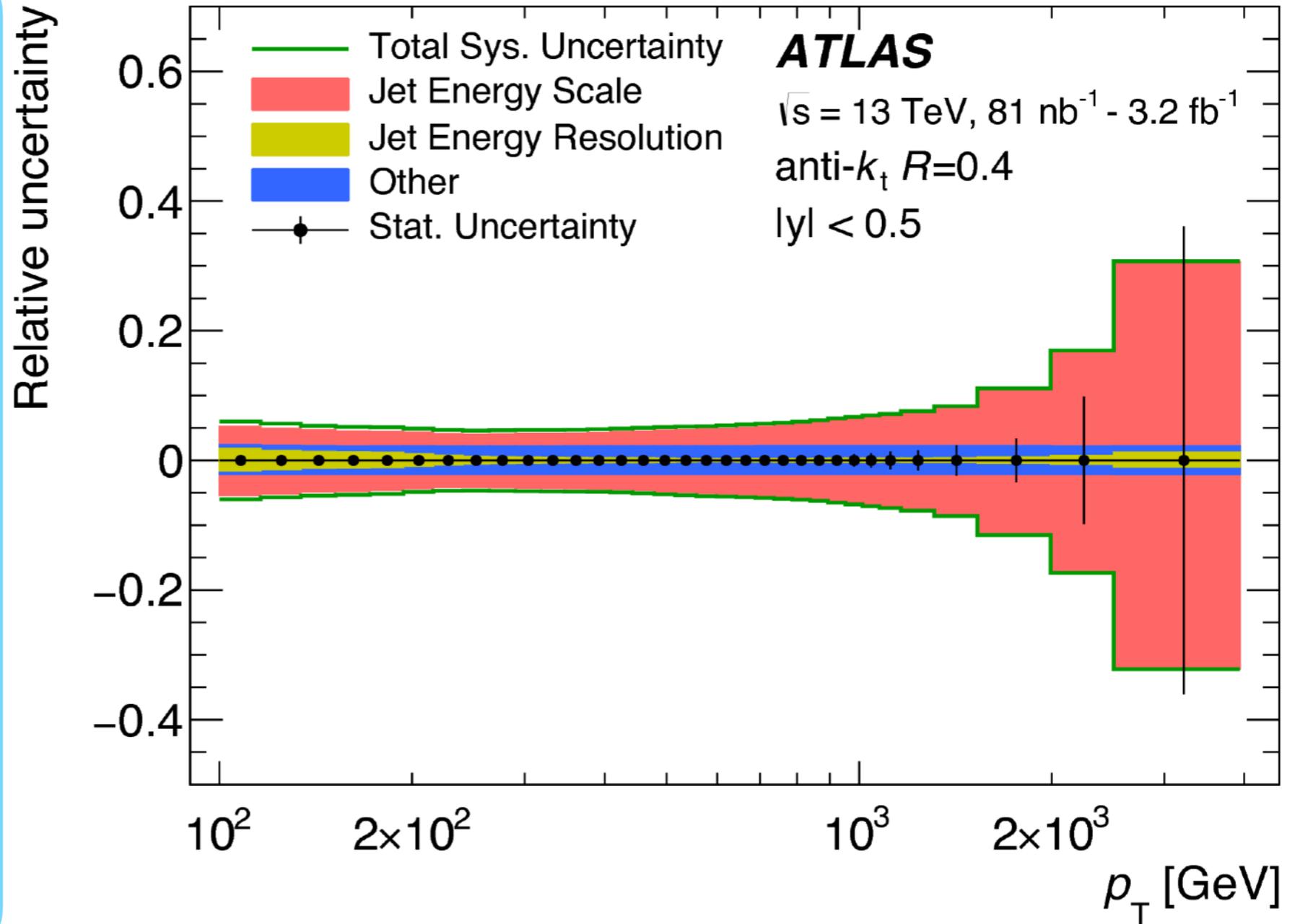
Jet energy calibration (scale) & resolution are the **important systematics** in many of these physics analyses.

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Relative uncertainty in cross section



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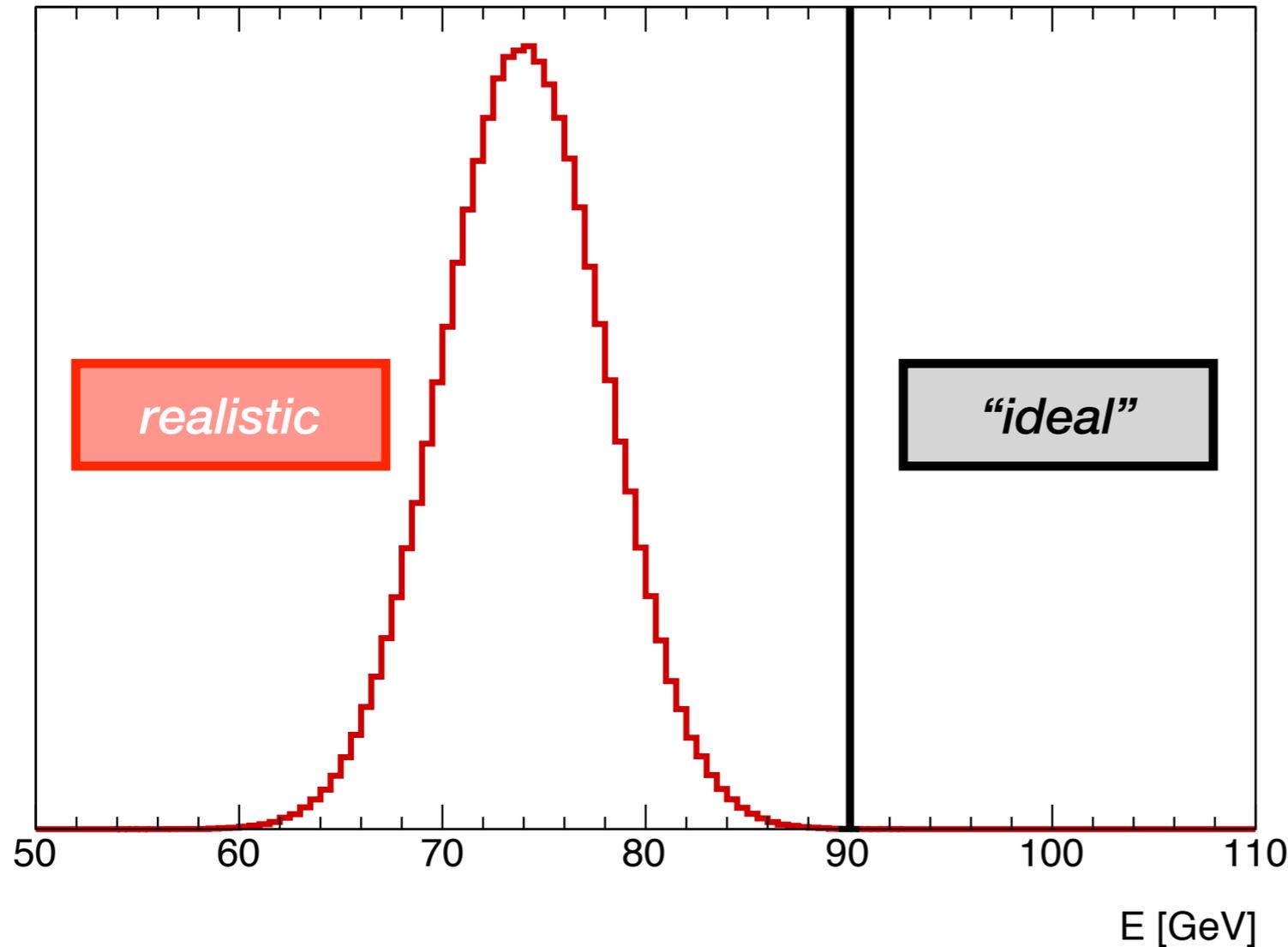
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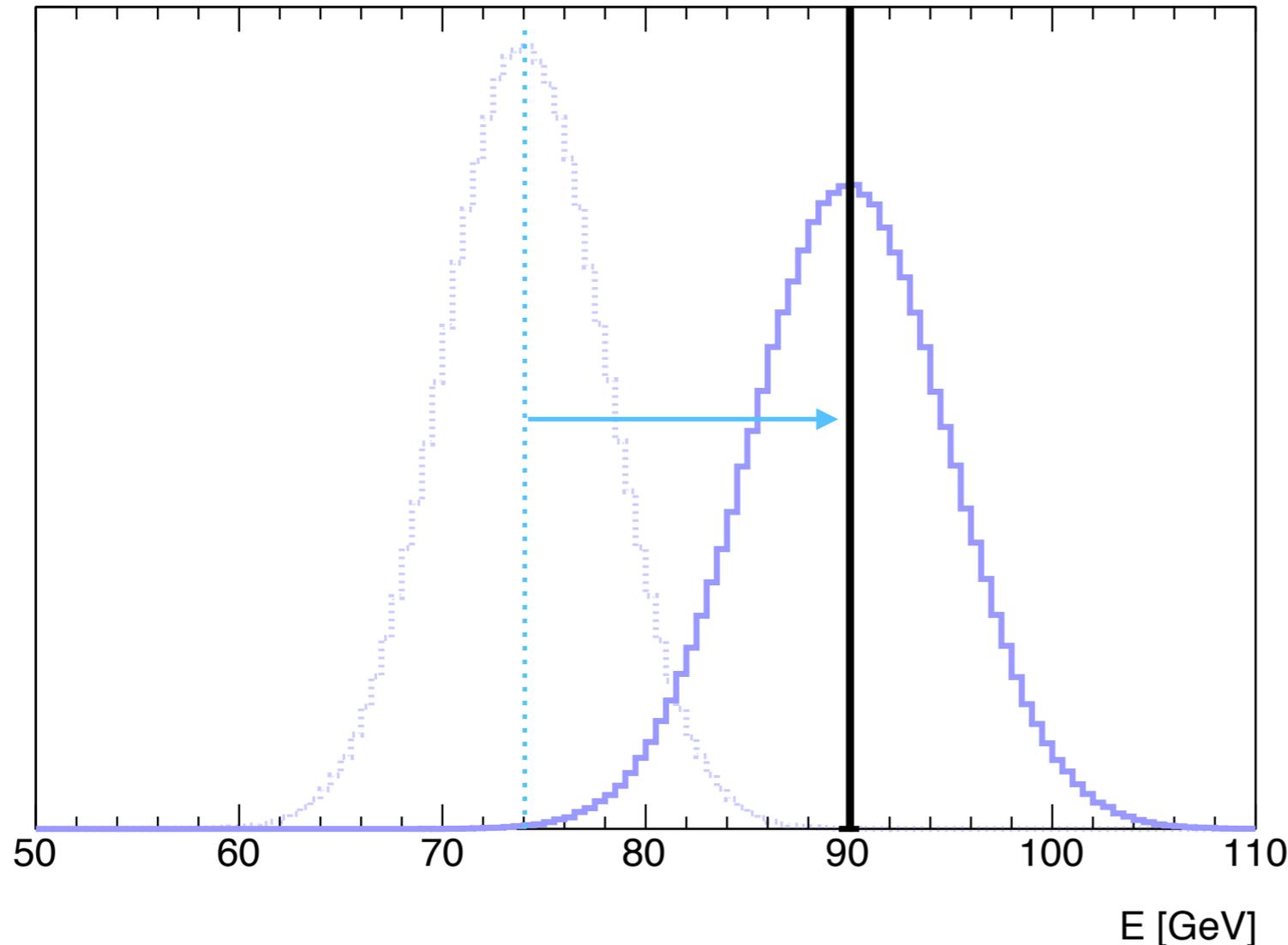
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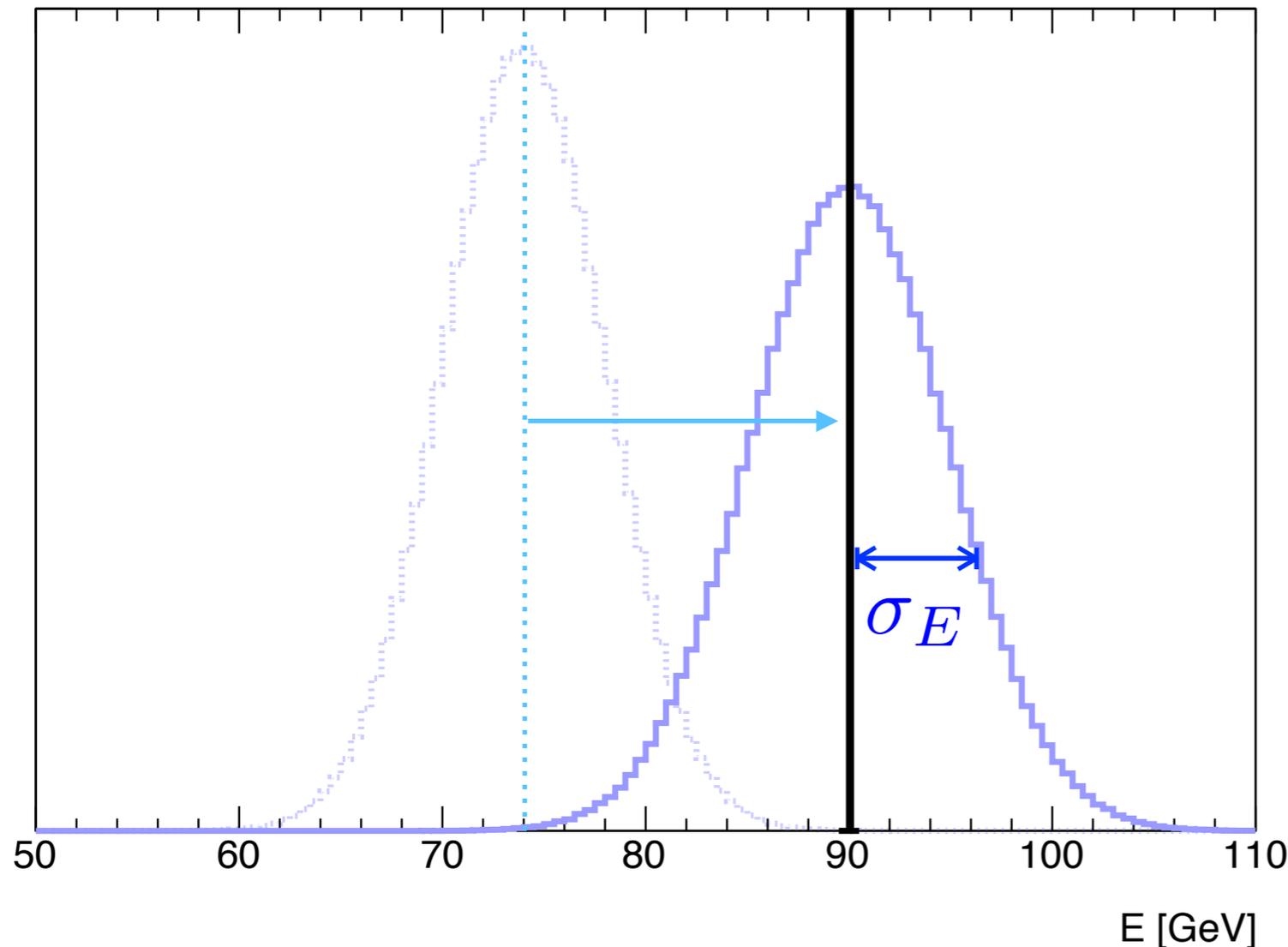
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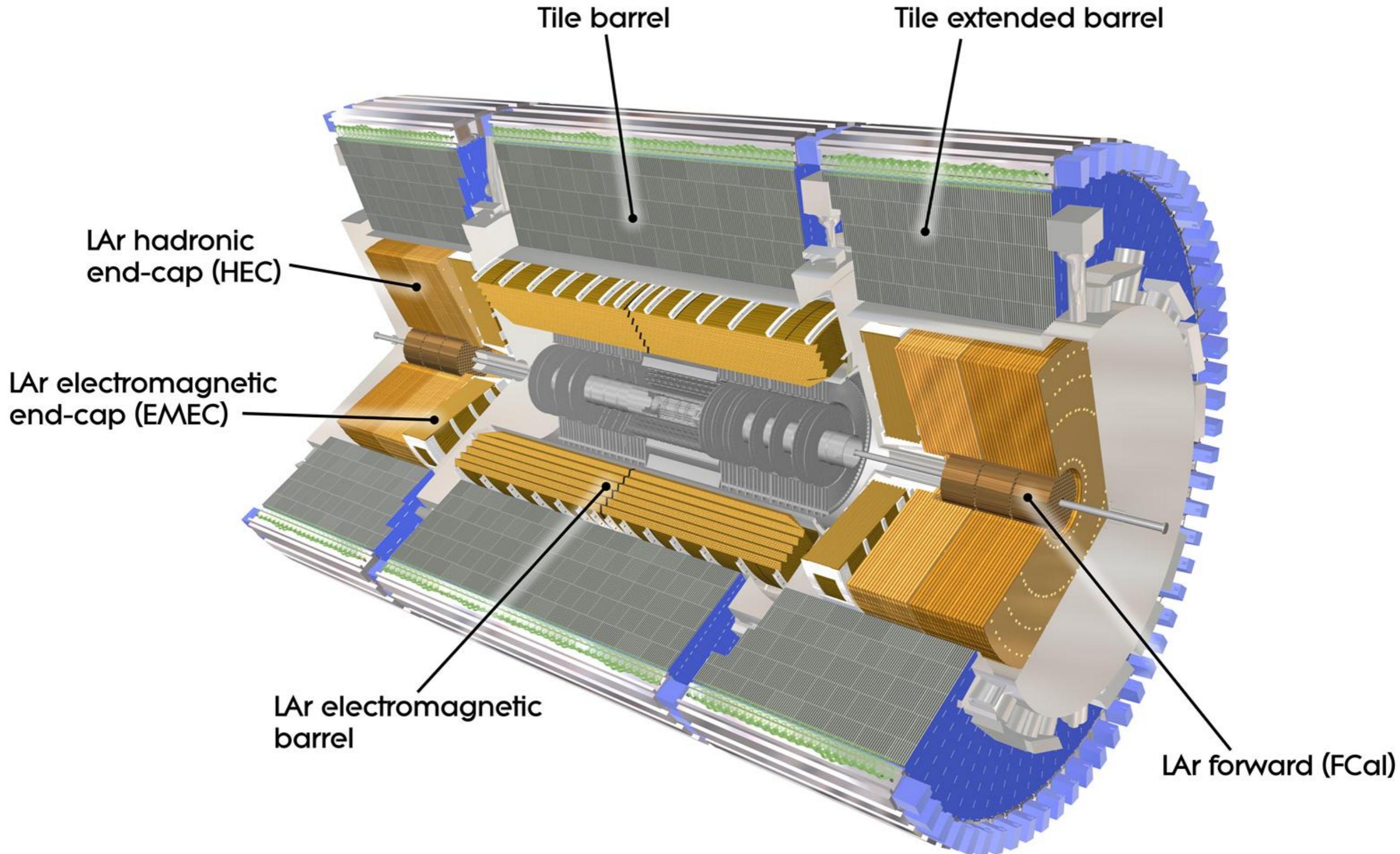
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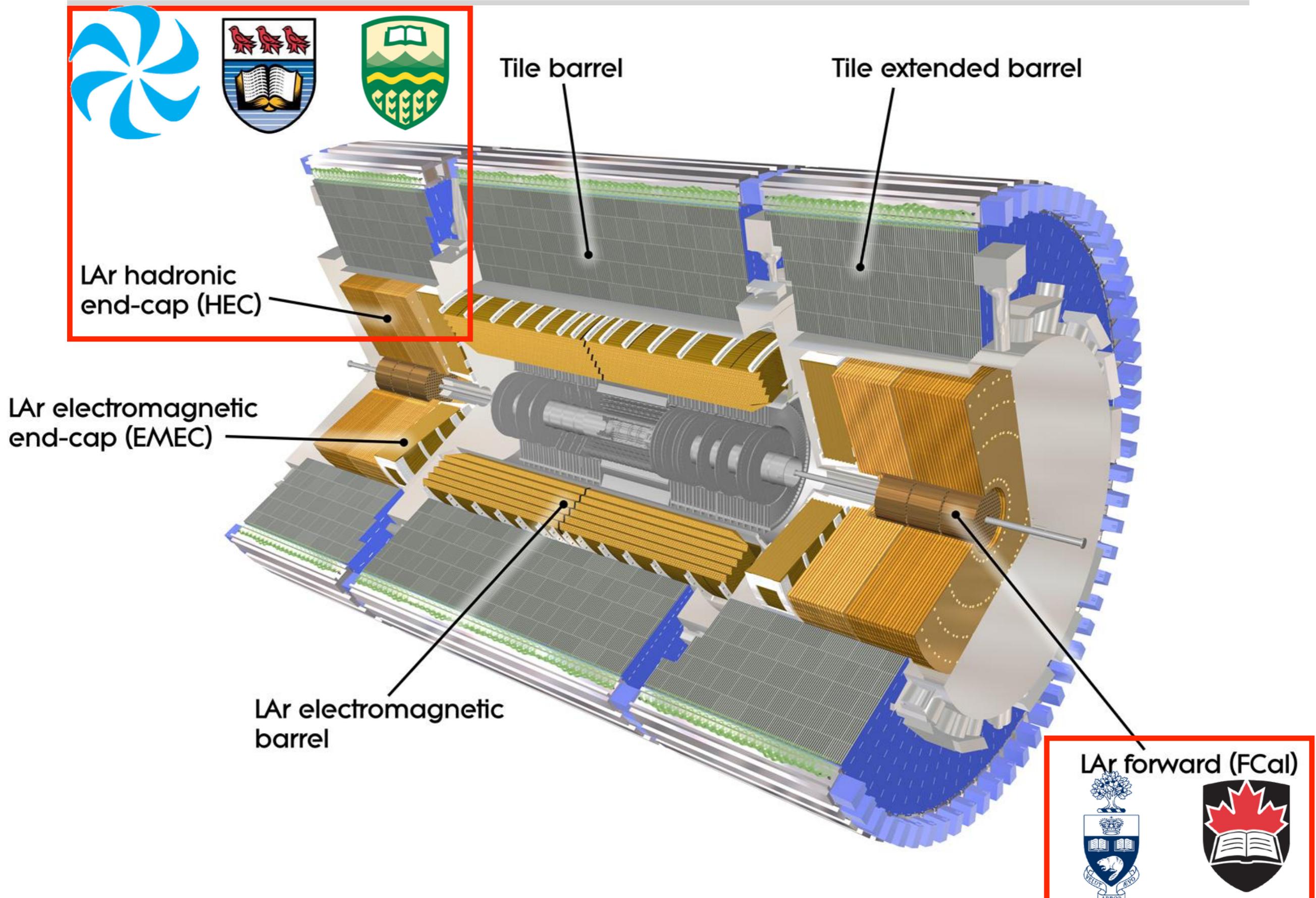
2. Resolution: the standard deviation (approx. gaussian)

$$\frac{\sigma_E}{E} = ?$$

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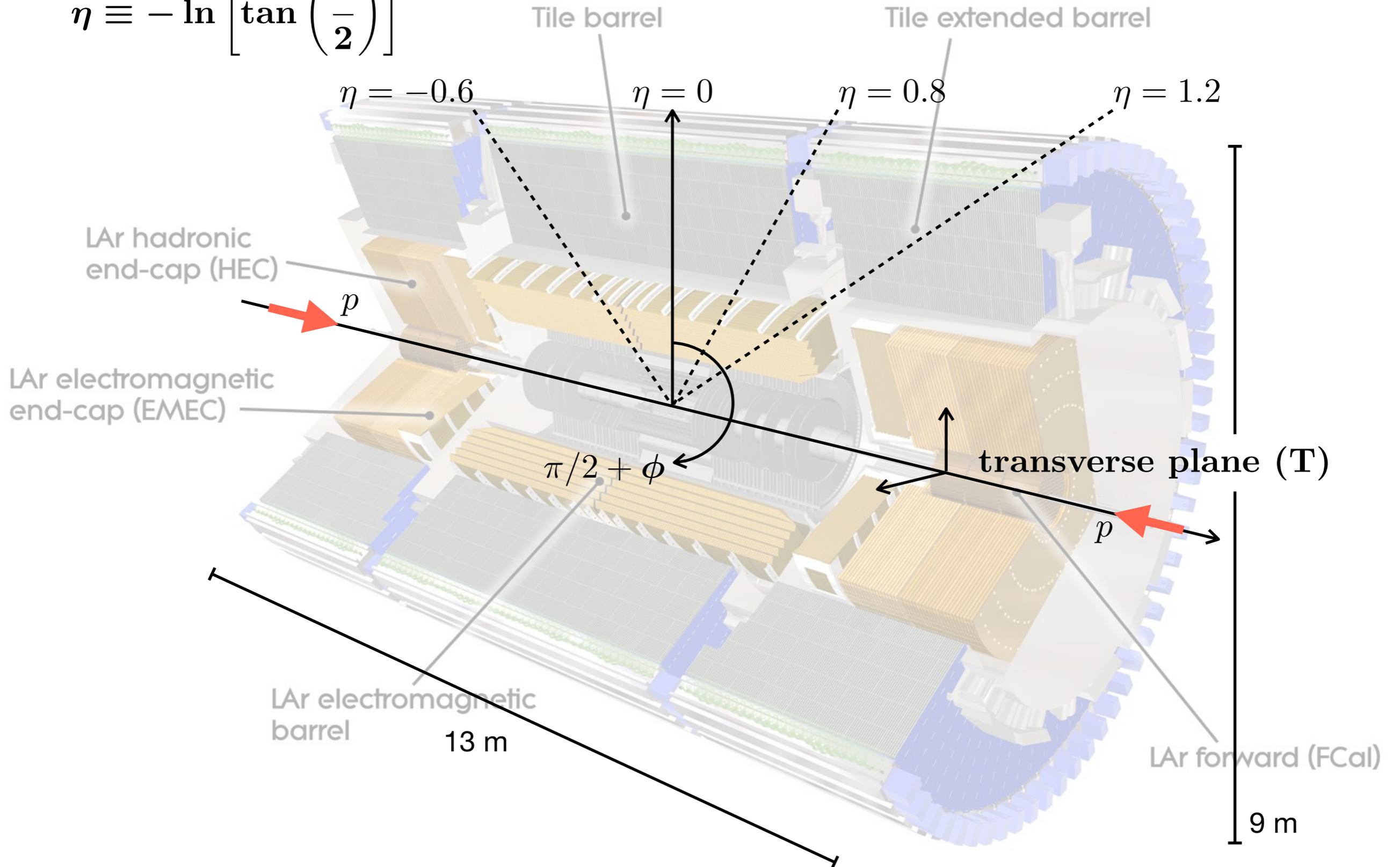


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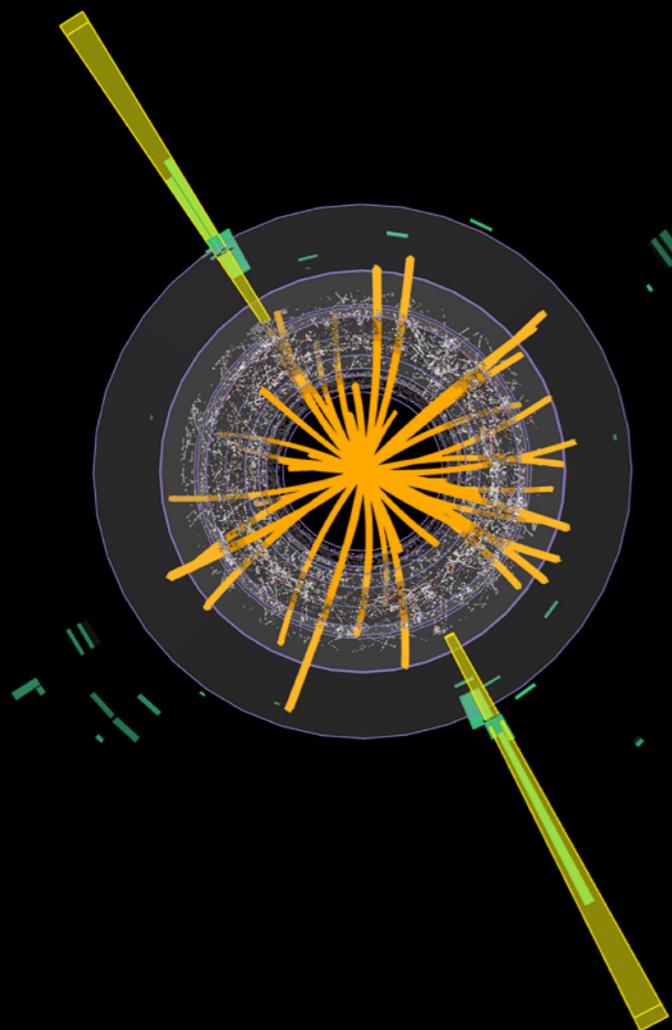
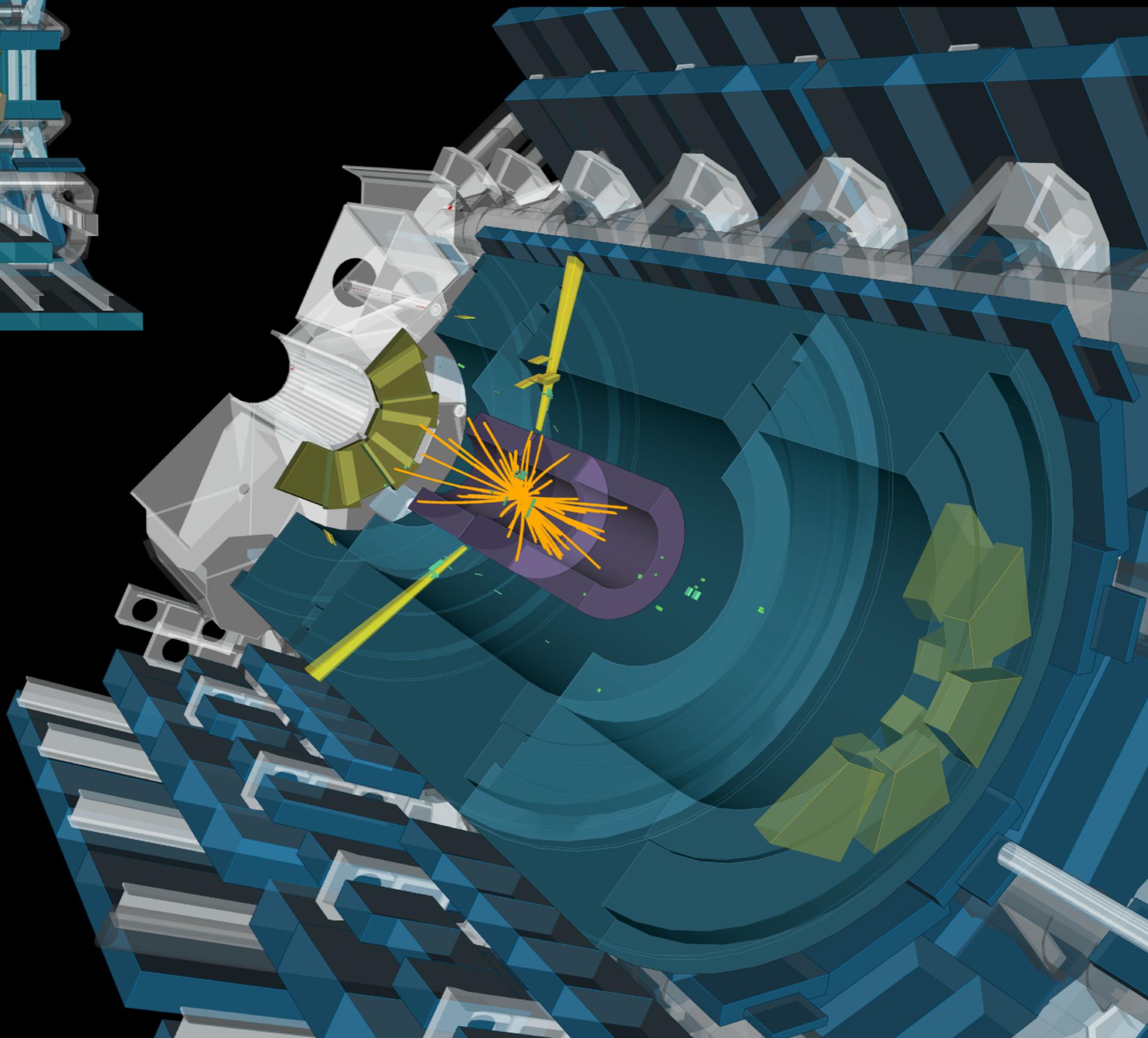
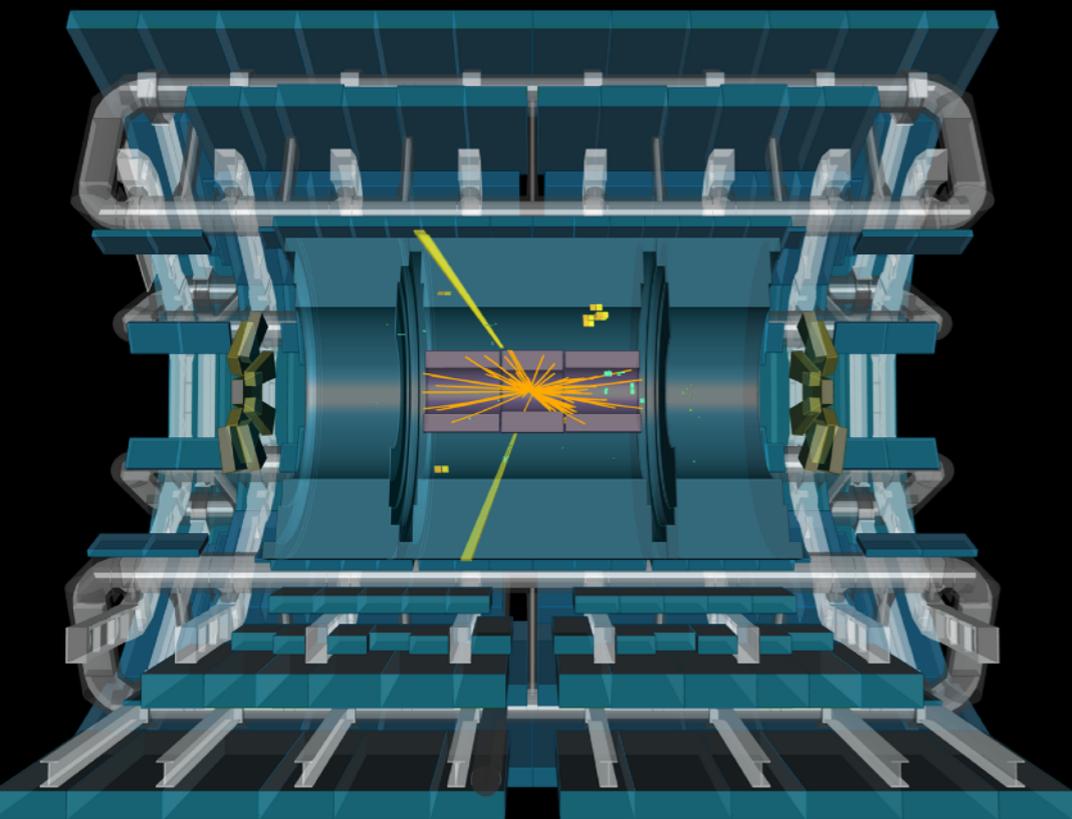


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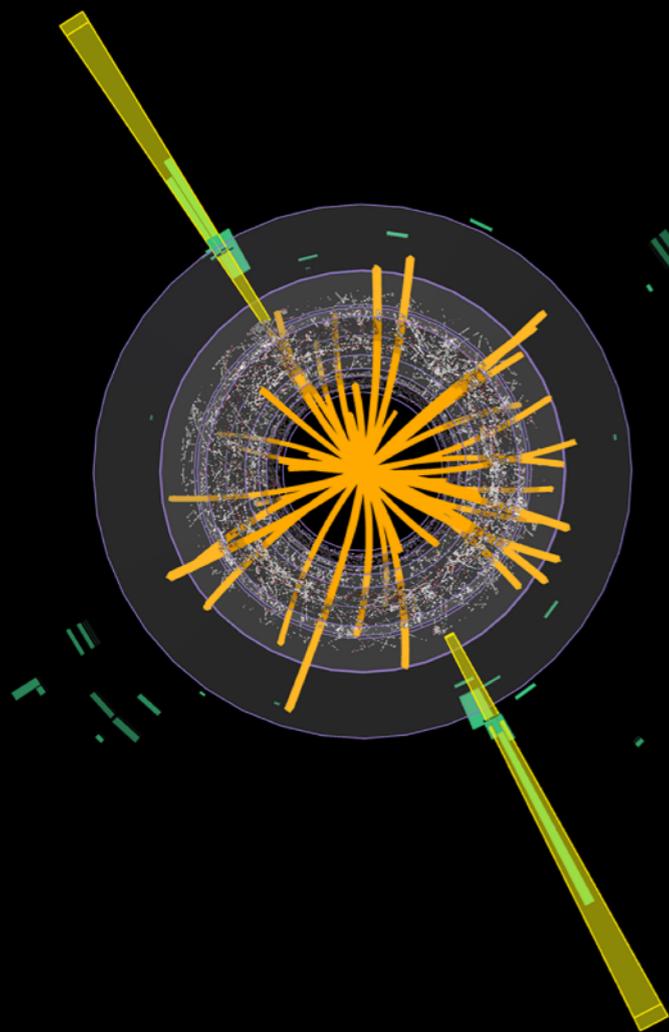
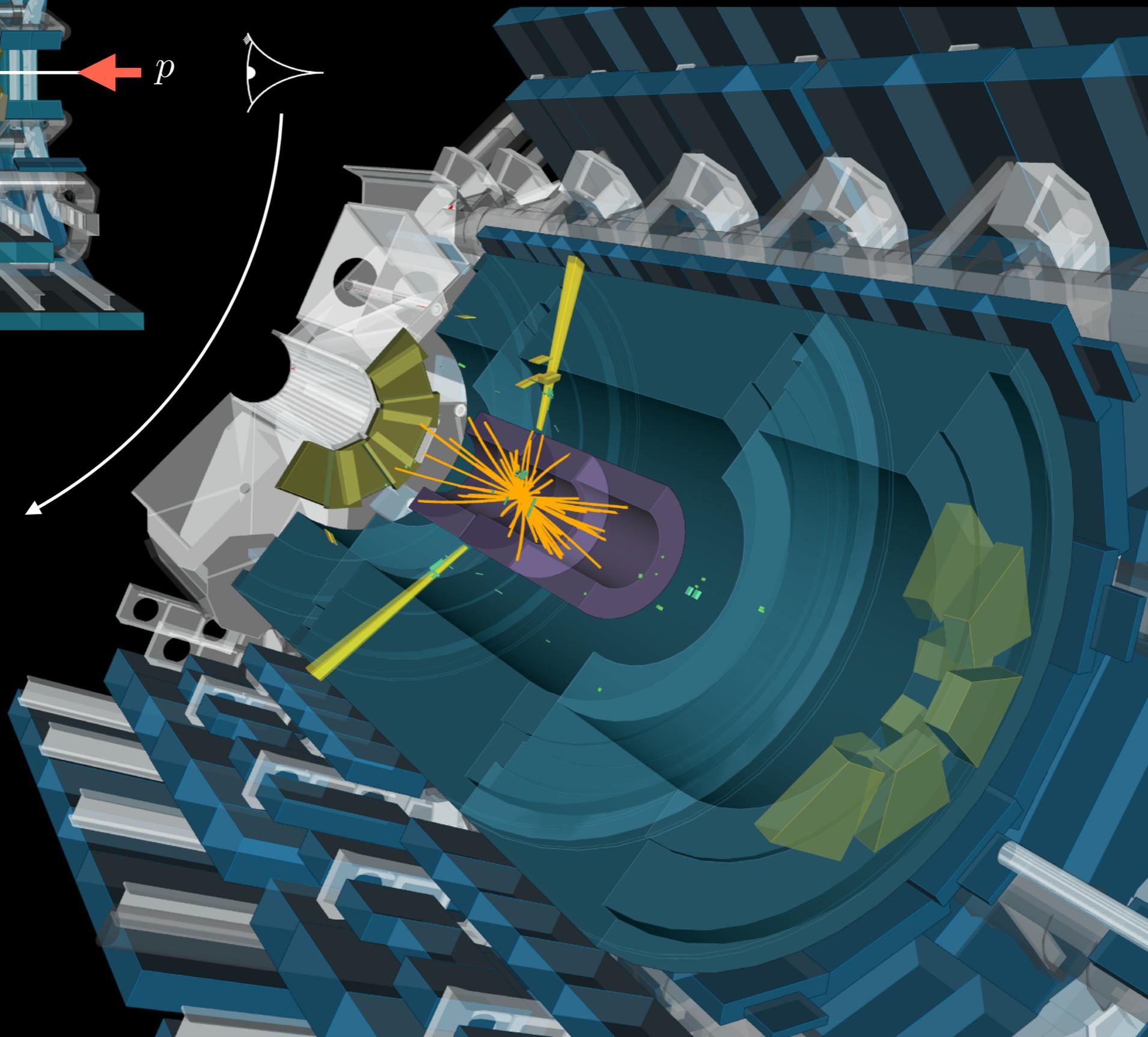
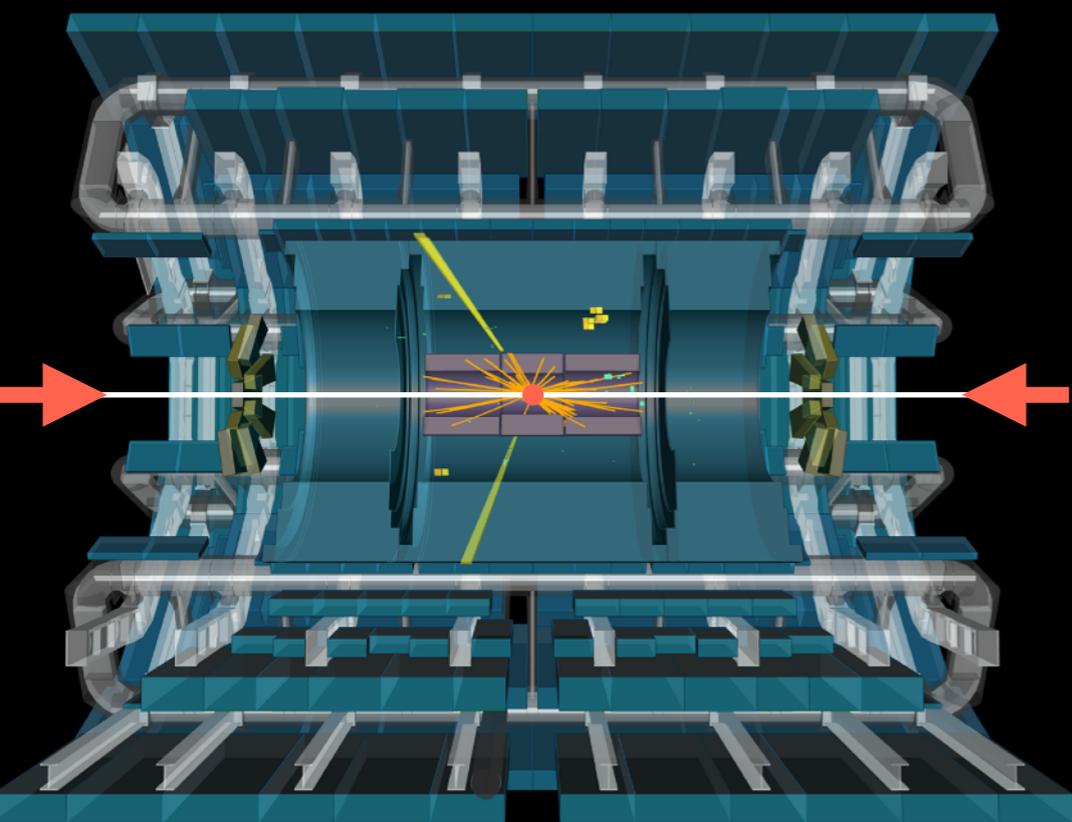
$$\eta \equiv -\ln \left[\tan \left(\frac{\theta}{2} \right) \right]$$



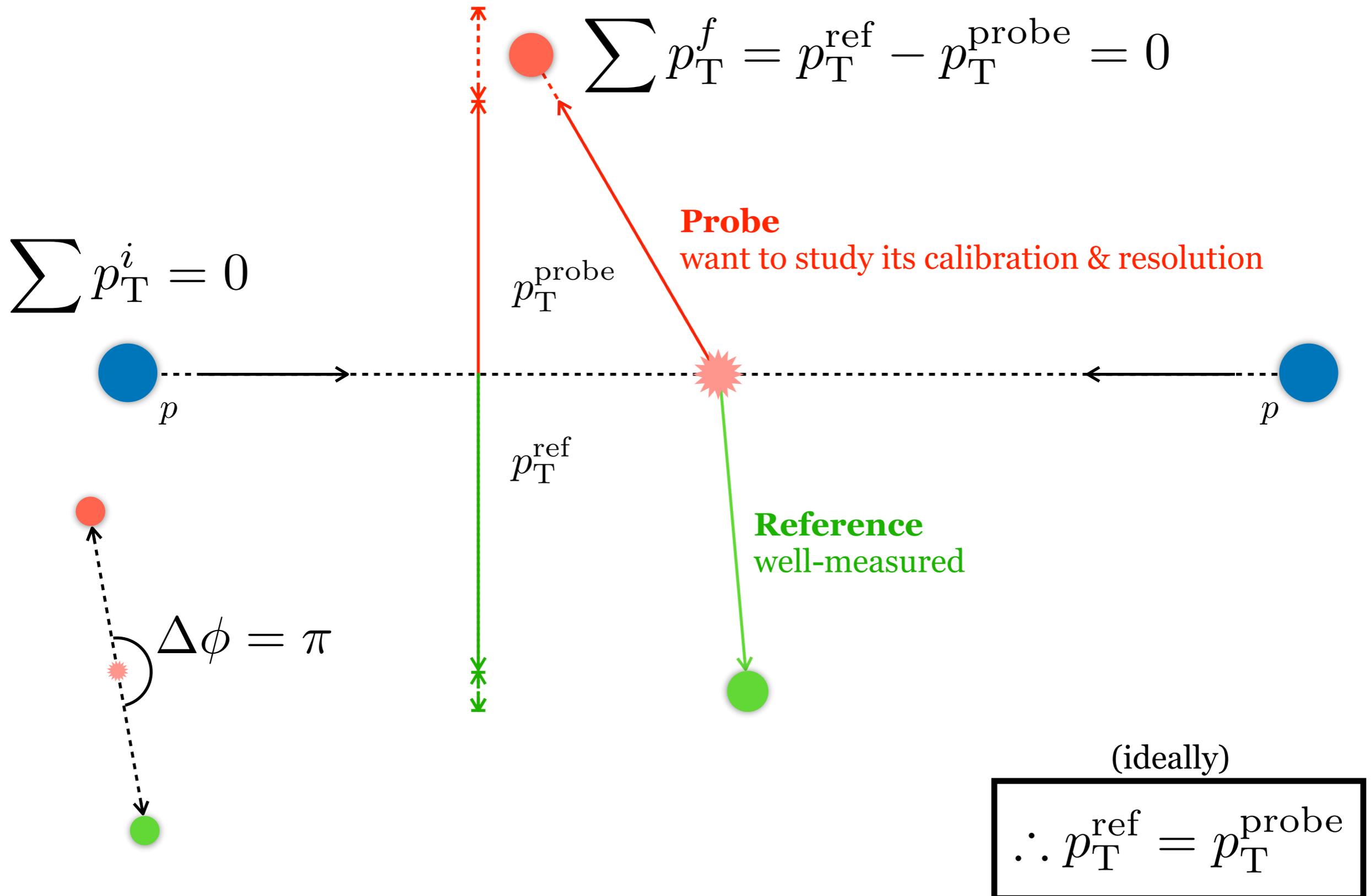
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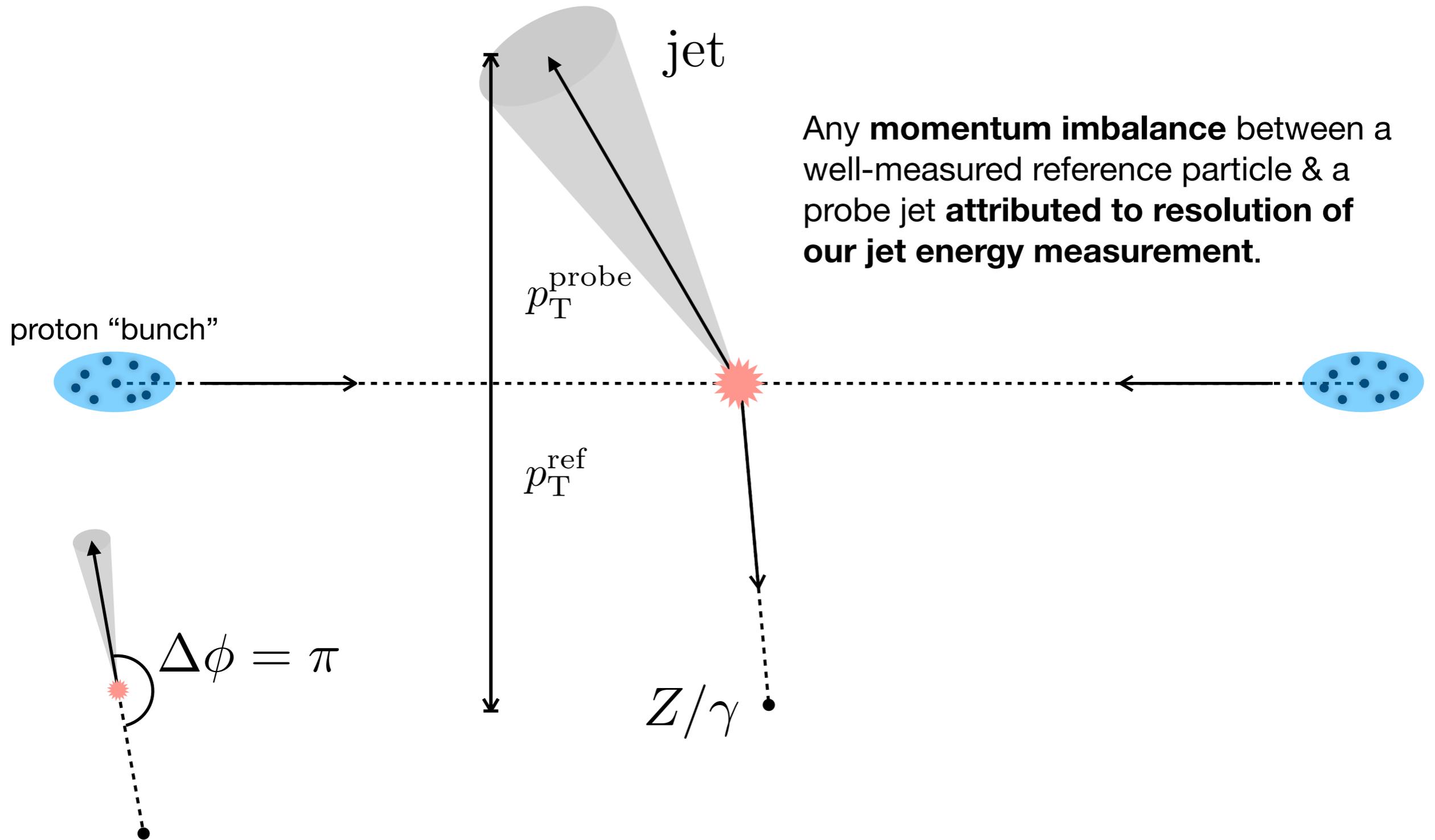
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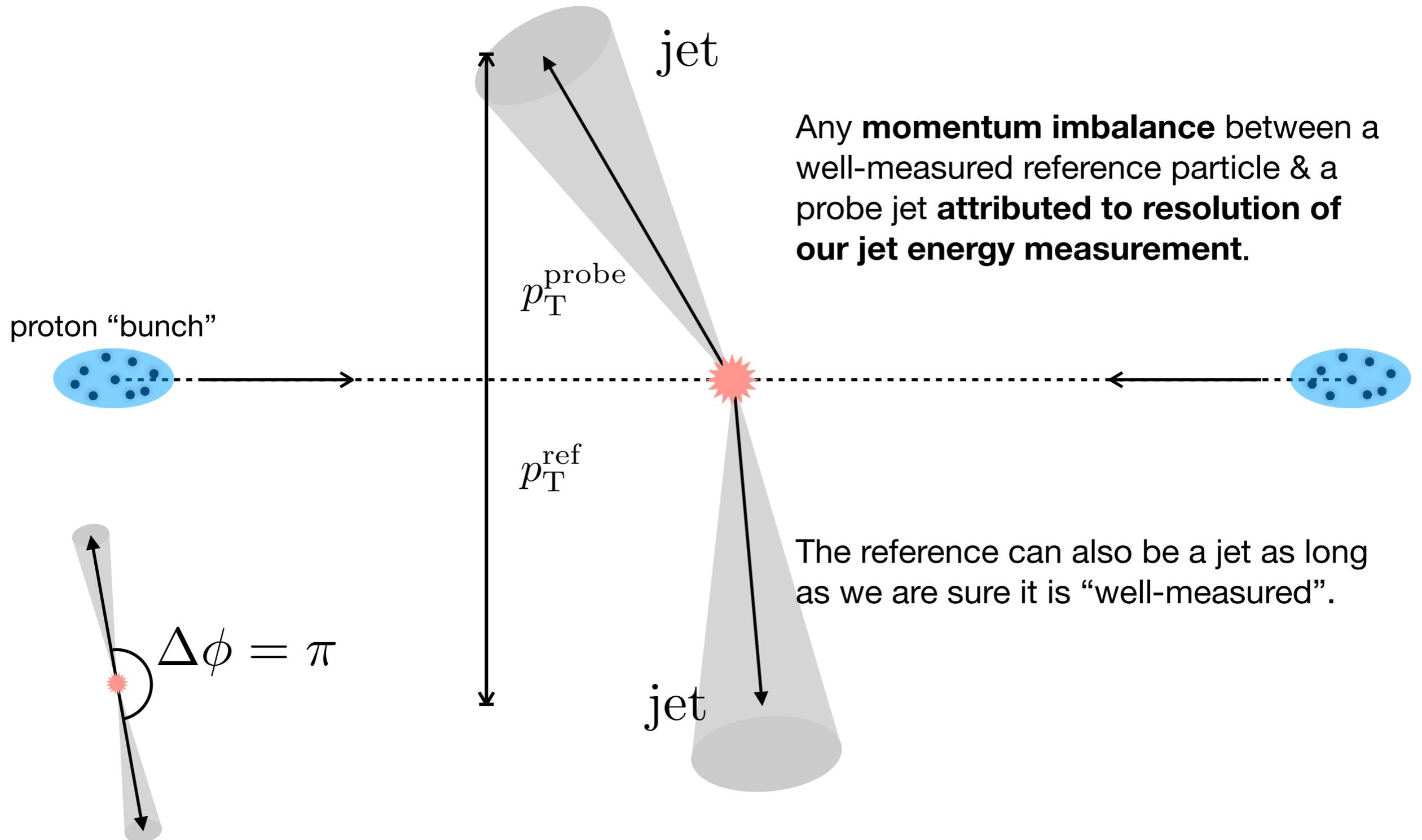
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V+jet event

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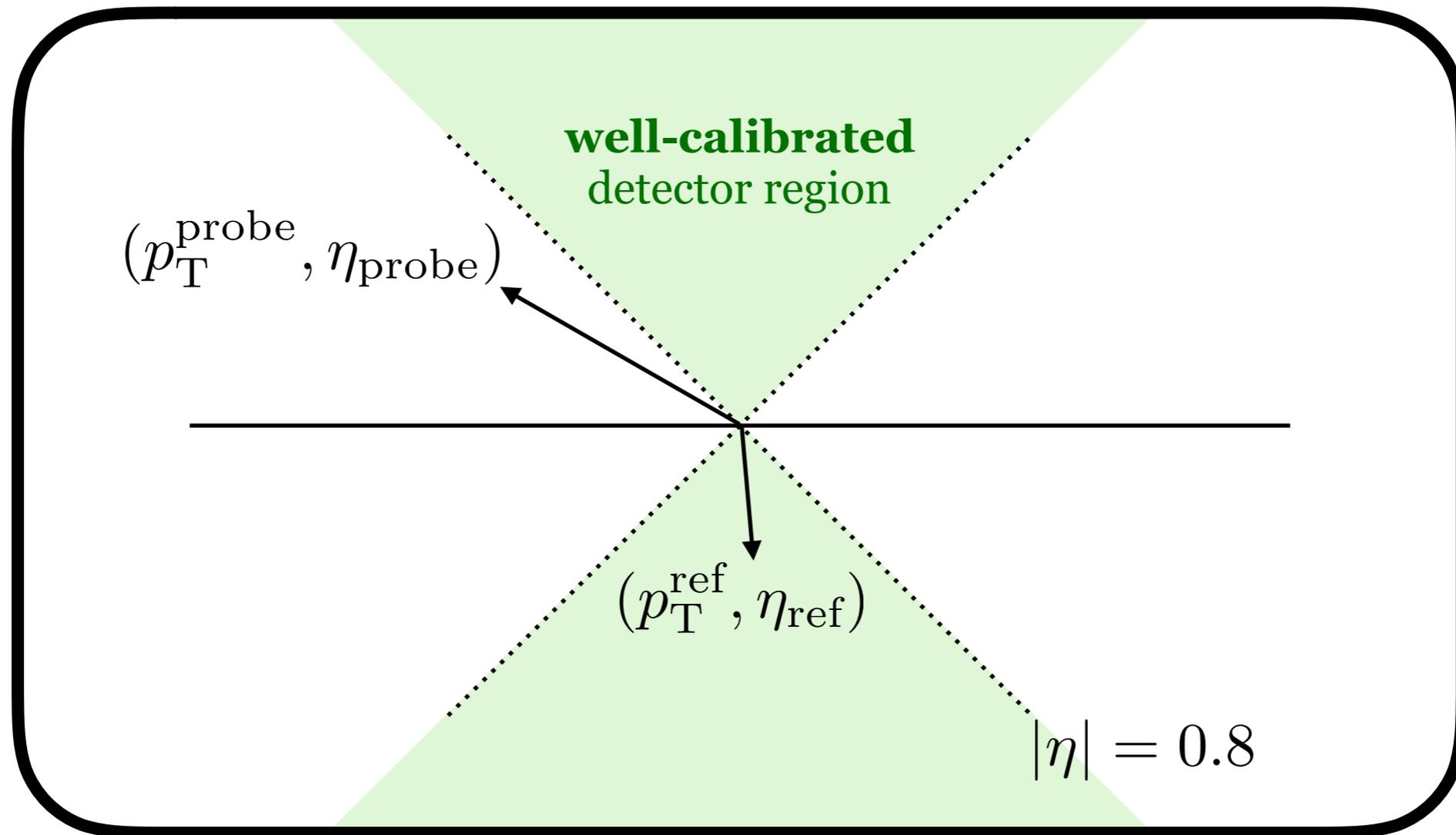


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The reference can also be a jet as long as we are sure it is "well-measured".

dijet event

In-situ measurement

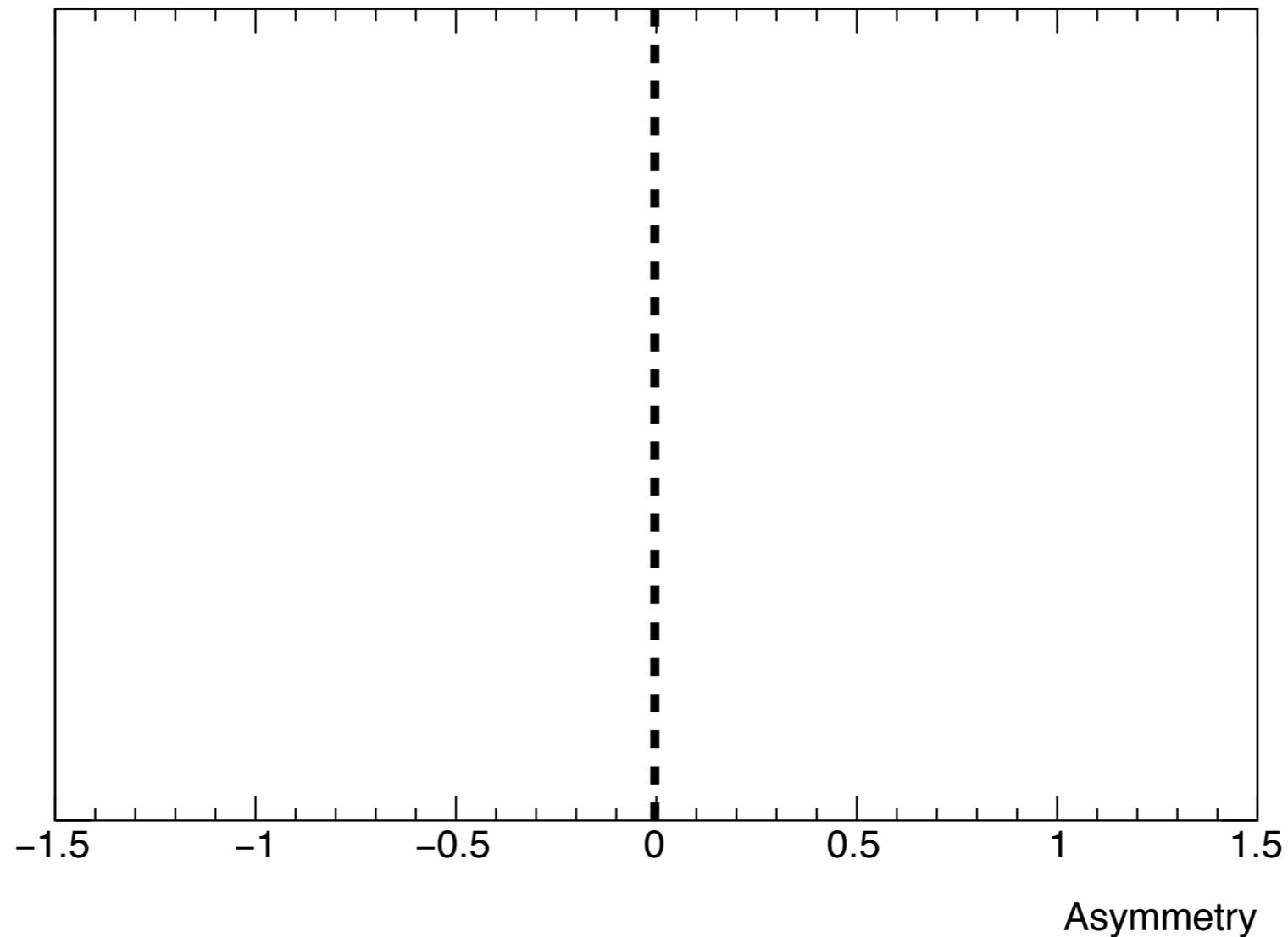


Define the **asymmetry** of the dijet system:
$$\mathcal{A} \equiv \frac{p_T^{\text{probe}} - p_T^{\text{ref}}}{p_T^{\text{avg}}}$$

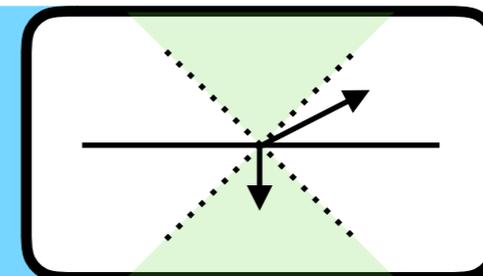
Study this quantity in **jet transverse momenta & detector region**: $(p_T^{\text{avg}}, \eta_{\text{probe}})$

Jet energy resolution

Perfect balance (calibration + resolution) will always give **zero asymmetry**.

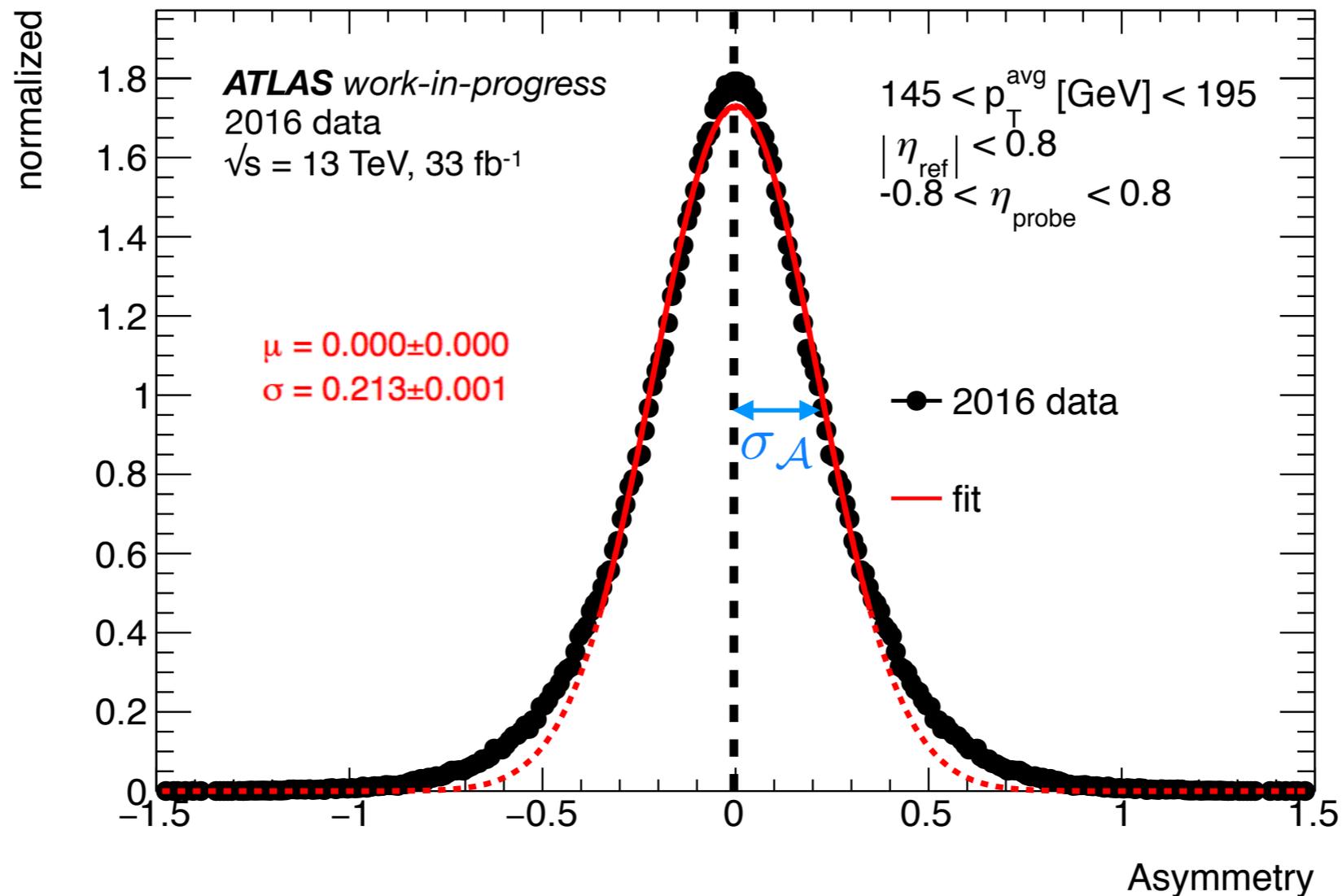


$$\sigma_{\mathcal{A}} = \left\langle \frac{\sigma_{p_T}}{p_T} \right\rangle_{\text{ref}} \oplus \left\langle \frac{\sigma_{p_T}}{p_T} \right\rangle_{\text{probe}}$$

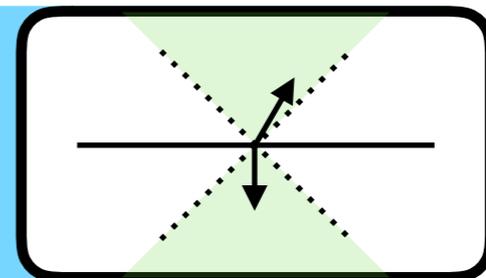


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 We observe a **width** around zero **due to energy resolution**.



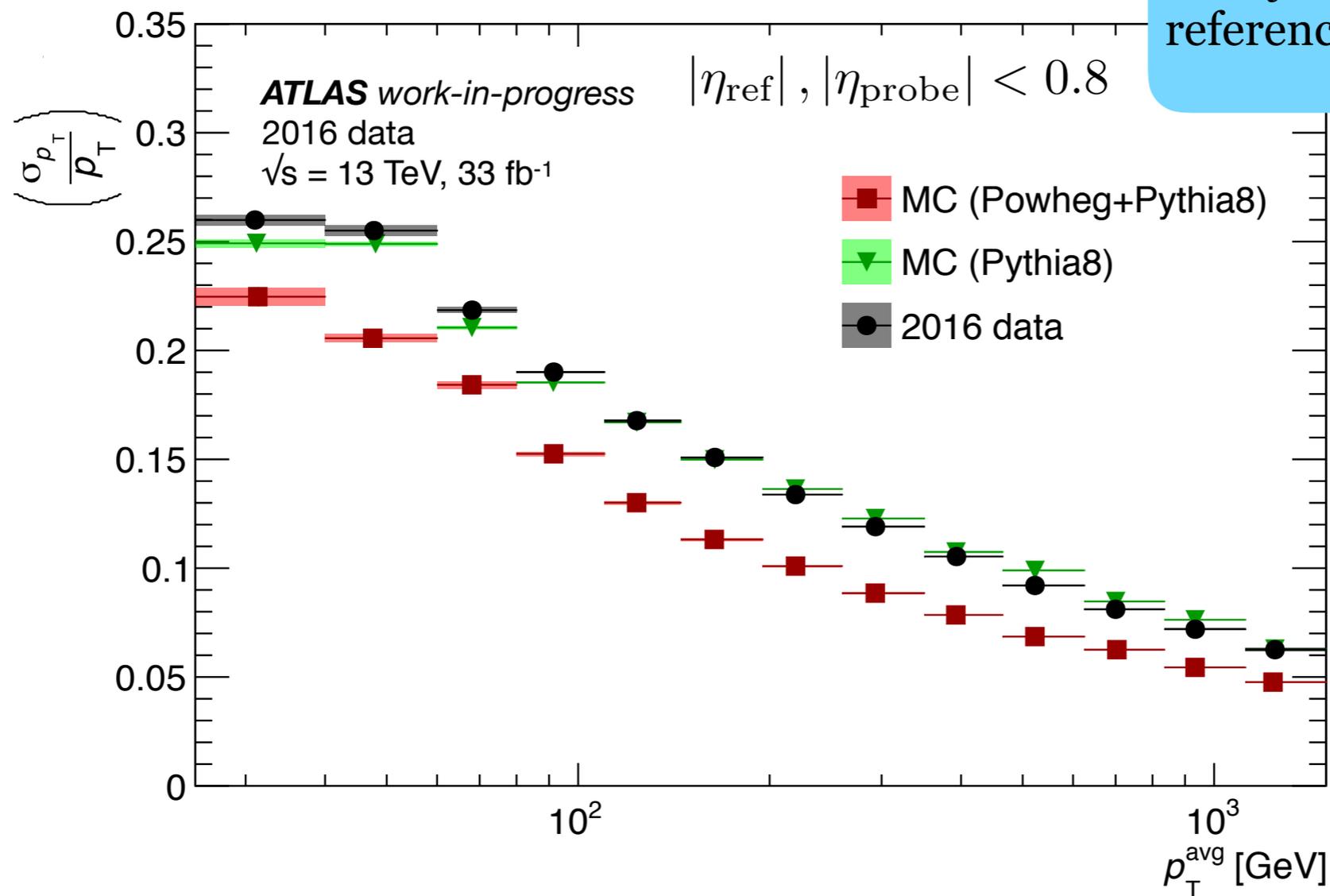
$$\left\langle \frac{\sigma_{p_T}}{p_T} \right\rangle = \frac{\sigma_{\mathcal{A}}}{\sqrt{2}} \quad (|\eta_{\text{probe}}| < 0.8)$$



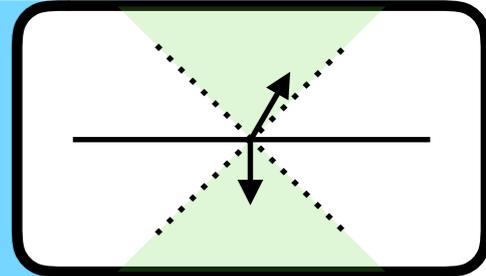
Jet energy resolution

First results of my work on **jet energy resolution** in **data collected in 2016**.
Monte Carlo simulations also studied for comparison.

relative jet energy resolution



both jets in
reference region



$$* \quad \frac{\sigma_{p_T}}{p_T} \approx \frac{\sigma_E}{E}$$

jet transverse momentum

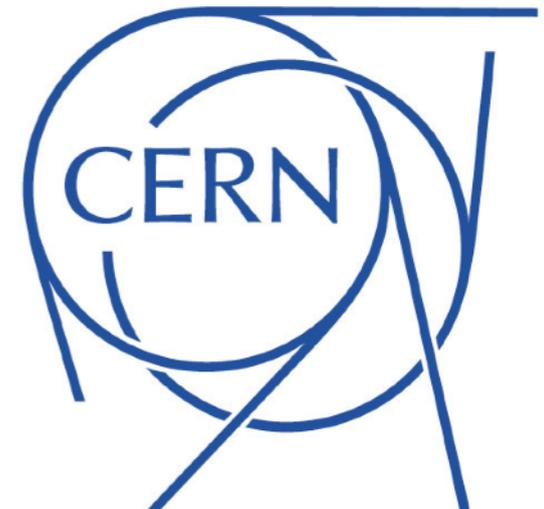
Summary

- Detailed understanding of ATLAS detector's jet energy measurement is crucial for the experiment's physics analyses.
- Work is ongoing to determine the jet energy resolution in-situ using 2015-2017 data.

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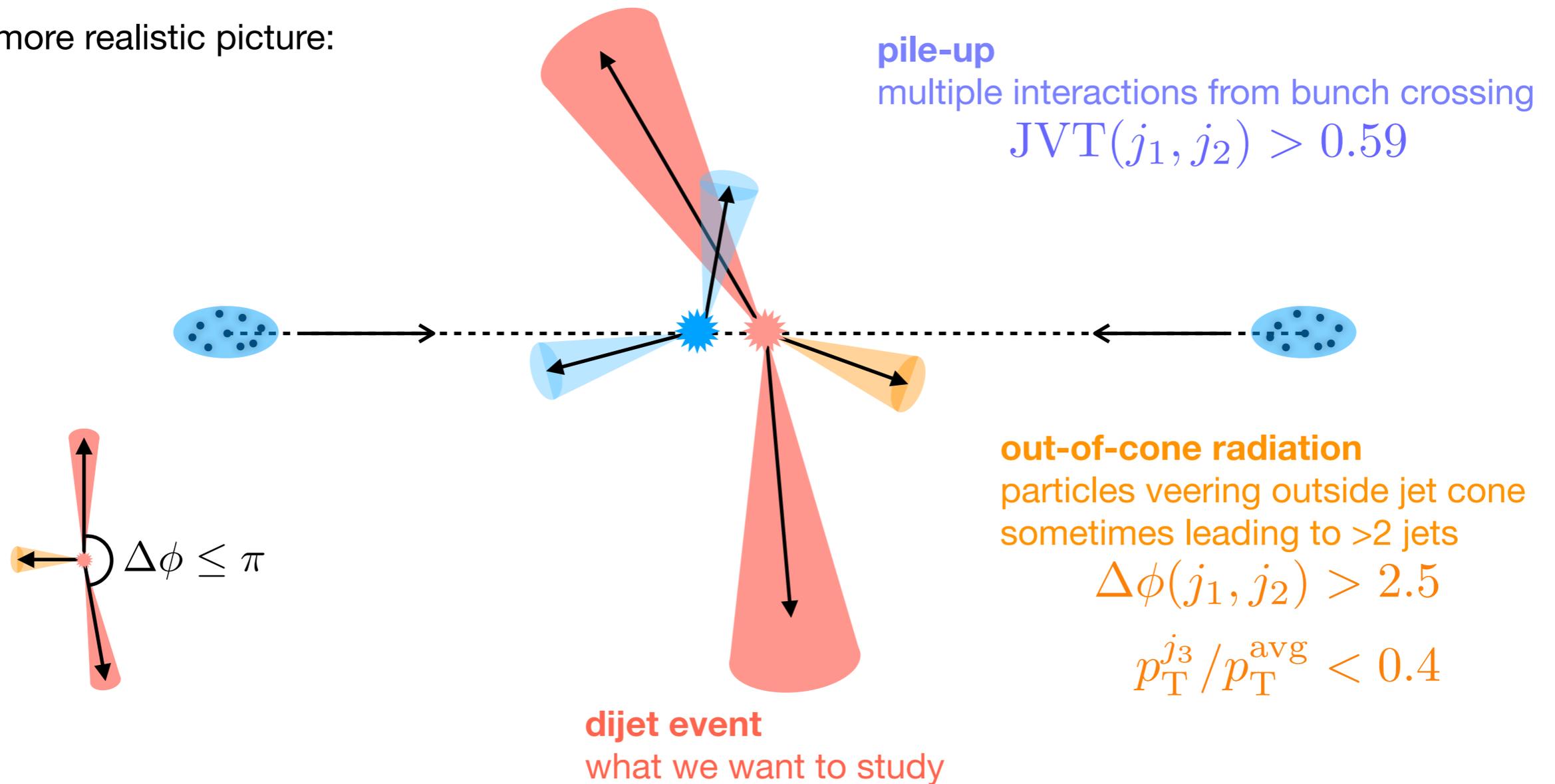


Backup

“Dijet” event?

Strictly speaking, a **dijet event** in data is a one which **exhibits dijet topology**: this is not necessarily a true dijet event!

more realistic picture:



consequence: these selections introduce systematics that must be carefully studied.

Why the slope?

Resolution of a sampling calorimeter typically take the form

$$\frac{\sigma}{E} = \frac{N}{E} \oplus \frac{S}{\sqrt{E}} \oplus C$$

Noise : processes independent of jet energy

electronic noise
pileup

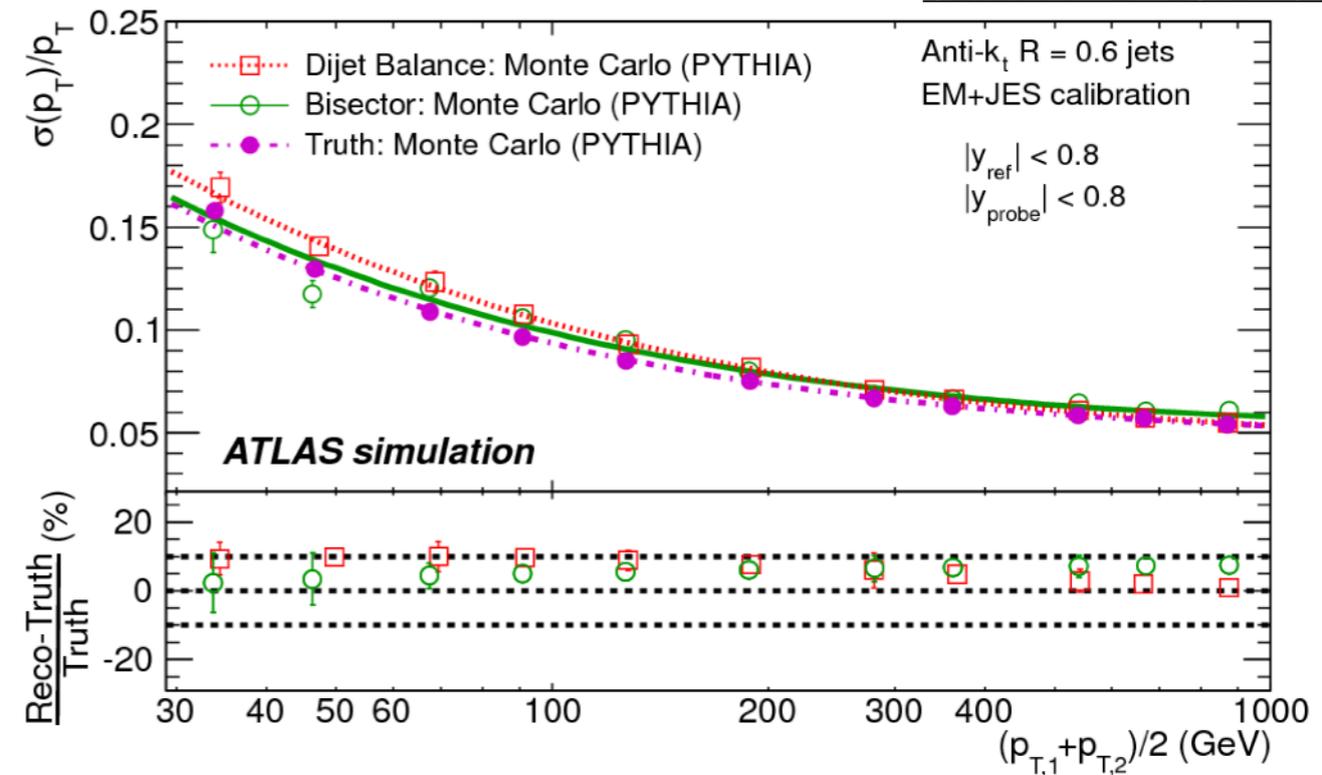
Constant : calorimeter design & parameters

calorimeter dimensions
dead material

Stochastic : statistical fluctuations

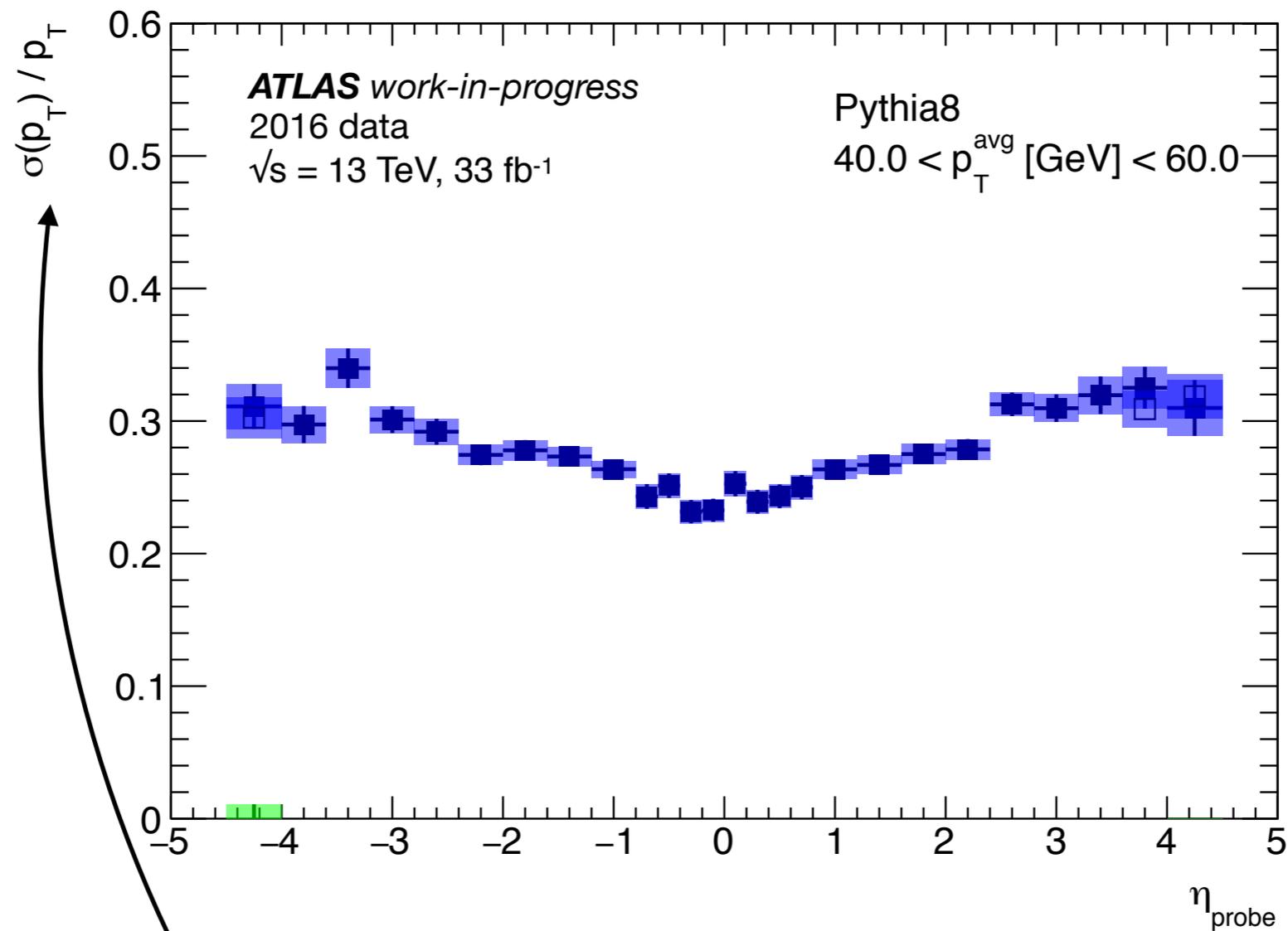
shower
sampling
signal

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Probing other detector regions?

Dijet event asymmetry will exhibit resolution effects from both reference (well-calibrated) & probe (want to study resolution) detector regions.



$$\left\langle \frac{\sigma_{p_T}}{p_T} \right\rangle_{\text{probe}} = \sigma_{\mathcal{A}} \ominus \left\langle \frac{\sigma_{p_T}}{p_T} \right\rangle_{\text{ref}}$$

already determined
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then put in here

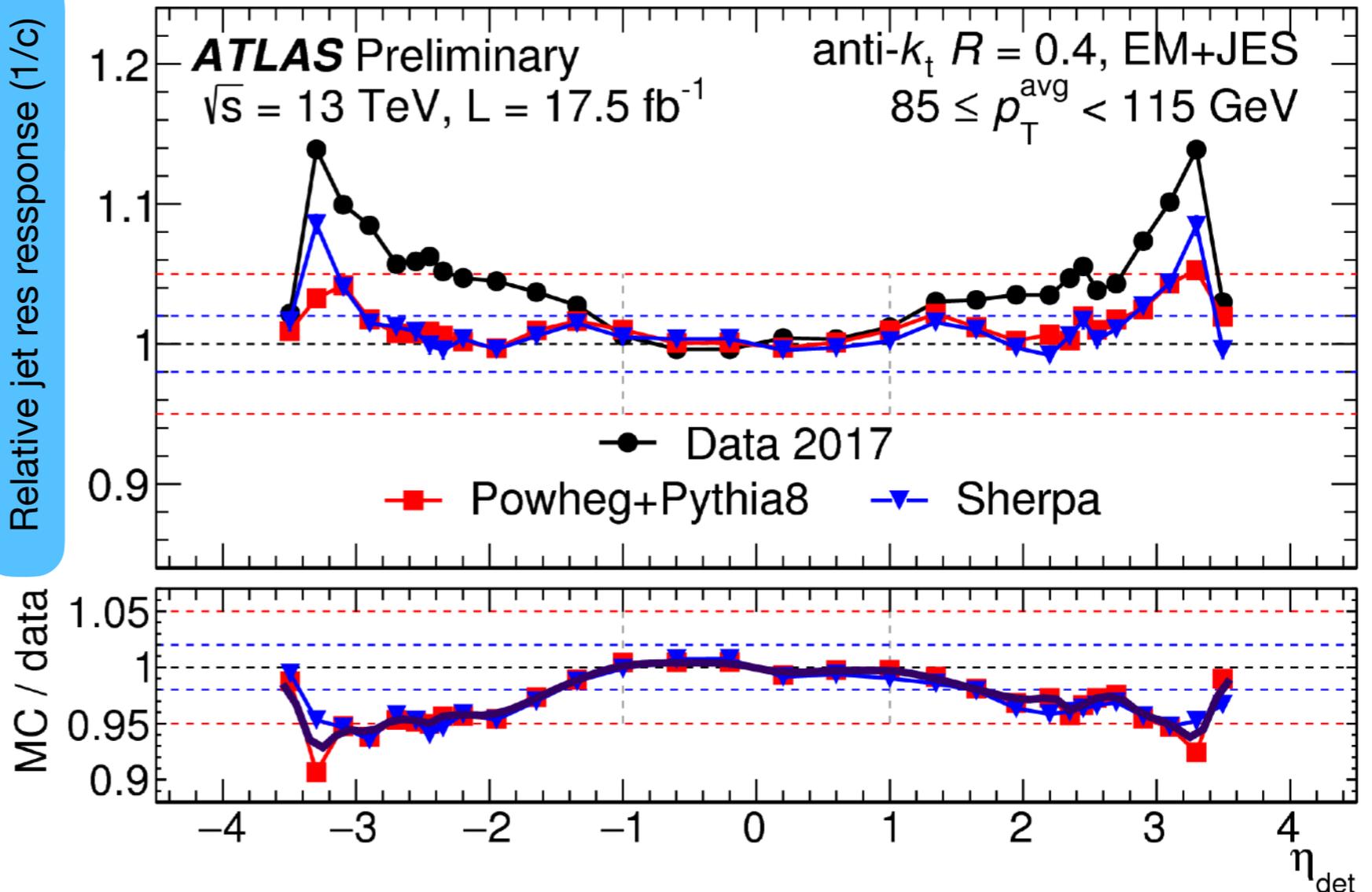
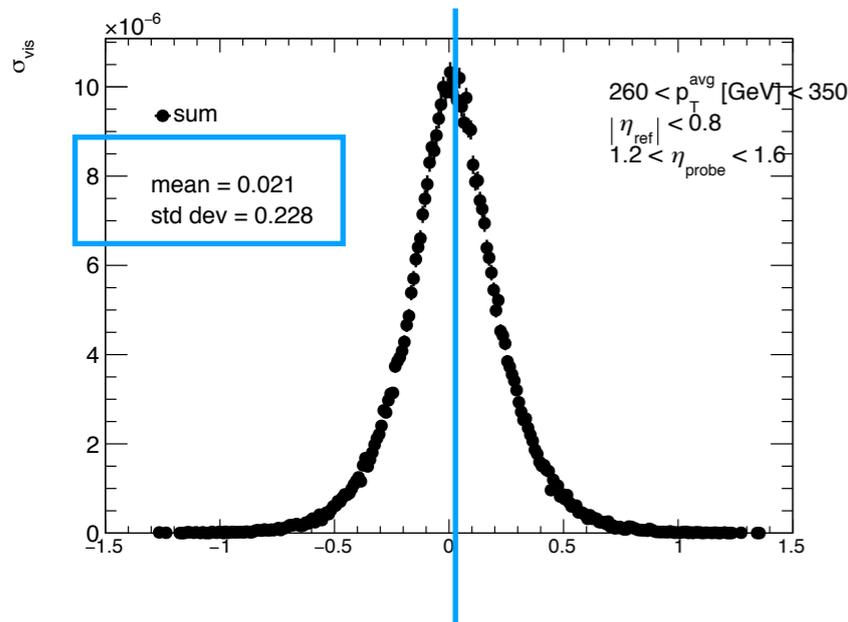
What about calibration?

Perfect balance (calibration + resolution) will always give zero asymmetry.
 Measurements **requiring calibration** will be **centered away from zero**.

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$$\left\langle \frac{p_T^{\text{probe}}}{p_T^{\text{ref}}} \right\rangle = \frac{2 - \langle \mathcal{A} \rangle}{2 + \langle \mathcal{A} \rangle}$$

Relative jet res response (1/c)



$$\left(\frac{\sigma_{p_T}}{p_T} \right) \stackrel{?}{\approx} \left(\frac{\sigma_E}{E} \right)$$

$$p_T = \frac{E \ominus m}{\cosh \eta}, \quad m \equiv f(E, \{\eta_{\text{cell}}, \phi_{\text{cell}}\}) \quad * \text{ topo-cluster input jets}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{\sigma_{p_T}}{p_T} \right)^2 \approx \left(\frac{\sigma_E}{E} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{\sigma_\eta}{\eta} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{\sigma_\phi}{\phi} \right)^2, \quad \frac{\sigma_\eta}{\eta}, \frac{\sigma_\phi}{\phi} \ll \frac{\sigma_E}{E}$$

$$\therefore \frac{\sigma_{p_T}}{p_T} \approx \frac{\sigma_E}{E}$$

angular resolution negligible relative to that of energy for jets measured in ATLAS

