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- Charged Particles in  $t\bar{t}$  events  $\rightarrow$  Constrain color reconnection in MC
- Charged Particles in Y(nS) events

 $\rightarrow$  Color effect not in MC (?)(!)





## Big Picture: Why look at top quarks and CR?

- Good for top quarks
  - Color reconnection (CR) modeling is a leading uncertainty in top mass measurements
- Good for generators models
  - Better constraints on CR (MPI) should help everywhere else



O Hard Interaction Resonance Decays MECs, Matching & Merging FSR ISR\* QED Weak Showers Hard Onium Multiparton Interactions Beam Remnants\* 🔯 Strings Ministrings / Clusters Colour Reconnections String Interactions Bose-Einstein & Fermi-Dirac Primary Hadrons Secondary Hadrons Hadronic Reinteractions (\*: incoming lines are crossed)

	$m_{\rm top}  [{\rm GeV}]$
Result	172.63
Statistics	0.20
Method	$0.05 \pm 0.04$
Matrix-element matching	$0.35\pm0.07$
Parton shower and hadronisation	$0.08\pm0.05$
Initial- and final-state QCD radiation	$0.20 \pm 0.02$
Underlying event	$0.06\pm0.10$
Colour reconnection	$0.29 \pm 0.07$
Parton distribution function	$0.02\pm0.00$
Single top modelling	$0.03\pm0.01$
Background normalisation	$0.01\pm0.02$
Jet energy scale	$0.38\pm0.02$
<i>b</i> -jet energy scale	$0.14 \pm 0.02$
Jet energy resolution	$0.05\pm0.02$
Jet vertex tagging	$0.01\pm0.01$
b-tagging	$0.04 \pm 0.01$
Leptons	$0.12 \pm 0.02$
Pile-up	$0.06 \pm 0.01$
Recoil effect	$0.\overline{37 \pm 0.09}$
Total systematic uncertainty (without recoil)	$0.67\pm0.05$
Total systematic uncertainty (with recoil)	$0.77\pm0.06$
Total uncertainty (without recoil)	$0.70 \pm 0.05$
Total uncertainty (with recoil)	$0.79 \pm 0.06$

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## How do we look at top quarks and CR?

- Select  $t\overline{t}$  events using di-leptonic  $e\mu$  channel
- Look at inclusive\* charged particles as:
  - [\*Not including the leptons or jet tracks]
  - Multiplicity n<sub>ch</sub>
  - Scalar sum of charged particle  $p_T$ ,  $\sum_{n_{ch}} p_T$
  - $\sum_{n_{ch}} p_T$  in bins of  $n_{ch}$



- Pileup and fake contribution subtracted with MC templates
- Compare data to MC
  - Pythia8 hadronizes with Lund strings ... several CR models
  - Herwig7 hadronizes with clusters ... several CR models
  - Many parameters!





### How Does Pythia8 Do?

arXiv:2209.07874



- Misses features of the data
- CR0, "MPI based" minimize color string lengths baseline for Pythia& ATLAS
- CR1,"QCD based", nominally improved version of CR0 is same~worse
- CR2, "gluon move", only gluons for reconnection (partially top mass motivated)





## How Does Herwig7 Do?

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- Somewhat better
- Plain & Stat CR: quarks can be rearranged from cluster to cluster
- Baryonic CR: geometric (nearest neighbor) combinations
- No CR model silver bullet



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#### Model to Model

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- Herwig probably best
- Data is ahead of models

<b>K</b> EXPERIMENT	

Observable	$n_{\rm ch}$	$\sum_{n_{\rm ch}} p_{\rm T}$	Global( $n_{ch}, \sum_{n_{ch}} p_{T}$ )	$\sum_{n_{\rm ch}} p_{\rm T}$ in bins of $n_{\rm ch}$	
NDF	7	10	17	8	
Generator set-up			$\chi^2$		_
Powheg+Pythia 8.230	62	106	434	224	_
CR0	55	113	629	129	
CR1	98	60	581	158	
CR2	58	179	402	238	
Powheg+Herwig 7.0.4	39	16	145	29	
Powheg+Herwig 7.1.3	53	42	188	41	
Powheg+Herwig 7.2.1	78	25	313	87	
Powheg+Herwig Baryonic CR	75	20	241	29	
Powheg+Herwig Stat CR	23	40	121	39	אוניברסיטת
Sherpa 2.2.10	77	211	263	124	جامعه بن عد ity of the Negevنــ

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## Big Picture: Why look at **Y**-UE correlations?

- Soft sector observables that were once (uniquely) associated with a QGP have been measured in pp collisions
  - Most prominently "flow" which persists to low multiplicity pp & even photo-nuclear interactions
  - Strangeness enhancement
- It's more difficult to tell this story with hard sector observables
- Here we look at Upsilon meson correlations with inclusive charged particles to try to bridge the soft-hard gap
  - Analyze charged particles kinematics to focus on Underlying Event (UE)



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[Color screening]



[Regeneration]







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  - pA could give us some sense of the influence of "cold nuclear effects"





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- More detailed measurements in 2020





## CMS Measurement of Y(nS) and pp $S_{xy}^T = \frac{1}{\sum_i p_{Ti}} \sum_i \frac{1}{p_{Ti}} \begin{pmatrix} p_{xi}^2 & p_{xi}p_{yi} \\ p_{xi}p_{yi} & p_{yi}^2 \end{pmatrix}$

- CMS results all the way  $back^{\text{fb}^{-1}(7 \text{ TeV})}$ 2014 challenge Y suppre **SSiO** (1s) as a nuclear effect by showing a decrease in experiment of the Y states compared to the ground state vs pp multiplies ity (1s)
- More detailed measurem  $N_{\text{track}}^{\Delta R} = 0$ in 2020
  - Including analysis of event  $N_{\text{track}}^{\Delta R} > 2$ geometry via spherecity Gwhier < 1.2 suggests effect is connected with UE net jets  $60 \times 80 \times 100$  120  $140 \times 100$

 $S_T = 1 \rightarrow \text{not jet-like}$ 







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- Use differential particle kinematics to reach for the UE
- Compare excited to ground states

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 "Inversion" of CMS approach, study same physics with emphasis on the UE itself





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 Shift in UE multiplicity across different excitation states can be understood as suppression of excited states at higher multiplicity





## Is there Y(nS) Suppression in pp Collisions?

- As event multiplicity (should be UE) grows larger, excited Y states are, compared to the ground state, relatively less likely to be found
- Do the CMS and ATLAS results show some "QGP-like" quarkonium "melting"?
- Is it even suppression? (yes) Maybe ground state enhancement? (no)
   →In any case seems to be a hard UE correlated phenomenon
   beyond CR/MPI tunings





## Summary

- Measuring CR sensitive observables in top quark events, gives us a detailed handle on CR/MPI
- Strong evidence from Upsilon mesons that there is some non-trivial interaction between the "UE" and a hard scattering
  - ATLAS & CMS have independent approaches that both point to UE driven modification of relative abundance of ground state vs excited state Upsilon mesons
  - Modification appearst to be a suppression of excited states
  - Seems we don't understand Upsilon meson production in pp





## Extra Slides





# A Previous Hard-Soft Study: Two-particle correlations in Z Boson Tagged pp Collisions

- In a previous study we asked: Does the presence of a hard scattering in the collision change "something-likegeometry" and consequently the observed "flow"?
- To answer we studied v<sub>2</sub> via 2particle correlations in pp collisions 'tagged' by a Z boson
- The answer to above question is not really



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## A Previous Hard-Soft Study: Two-particle correlations in Z Boson Tagged pp Collisions

- Developed techniques for HI-style analysis in high-luminosity pp collisions
  - We learned how to look at all tracks in the event even with high pile-up conditions
  - Starting thinking about where else this could be used ... **Upsilon mesons**!





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## What Do We Know about Upsilon Production at the LHC?

- Production cross-section seems well measured in pp collisions
- Some questions remain regarding polarization, importance of  $\boldsymbol{\chi}_{\rm h}$  feeddown etc





## pQCD Calculations of Cross-Sections

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 $\chi_b$  feed-downs into  $\Upsilon(nS)$  are similar for different species.

Calculations and the data show clear differences

Discrepancies are larger for higher  $\Upsilon(nS)$  and lower  $p_{\rm T}$ 

It looks like the ratios would rather follow  $m_{\rm T}$  – scaling cures rather than the data

#### $\Upsilon(1S)$ curve overshoots the data



## Technical Fit Things



fit 
$$(m) = \sum_{nS} N_{\Upsilon(nS)} F_n(m) + N_{bkg} F_{bkg}(m)$$
  
 $F_n(m) = (1 - \omega_n) CB_n(m) + \omega_n G_n(m)$  Crystal Ball + Gaussian  
 $F_{bkg}(m) = \sum_{i=0}^{3} a_i (m - m_0)^i; a_0 = 1$  Polynomial

$$\begin{pmatrix} P(m_0^{\mu\mu}) \\ P(m_1^{\mu\mu}) \\ P(m_2^{\mu\mu}) \\ P(m_3^{\mu\mu}) \\ P(m_3^{\mu\mu}) \\ P(m_4^{\mu\mu}) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 - f_{01} & f_{01} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ k_1 (1 - s_1) & s_1 & 0 & 0 & (1 - k_1) (1 - s_1) \\ k_2 (1 - s_2 - f_{21} - f_{23}) & f_{21} & s_2 & f_{23} & (1 - k_2) (1 - s_2 - f_{21} - f_{23}) \\ k_3 (1 - s_3 - f_{32}) & 0 & f_{32} & s_3 & (1 - k_3) (1 - s_3 - f_{32}) \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} P_0 \\ P(\Upsilon(1S)) \\ P(\Upsilon(2S)) \\ P(\Upsilon(3S)) \\ P_4 \end{pmatrix}$$





## Systematics Summary

	$p_{\rm T}^{\mu\mu} \le 4  {\rm GeV}$	$4 < p_{\rm T}^{\mu\mu} \le 12 {\rm GeV}$	$12 < p_{\rm T}^{\mu\mu} \le 30 {\rm GeV}$	$p_{\rm T}^{\mu\mu} > 30  {\rm GeV}$
$\Upsilon(1S)$	0.5 - 0.6	0.5 - 0.7	0.7 - 0.8	0.8 - 0.9
$\Upsilon(2S)$	0.6 - 0.6	0.5 - 0.7	0.7 - 0.8	0.8 - 1.0
$\Upsilon(3S)$	0.9 – 1.3	0.5 - 0.8	0.7 - 0.8	0.8 - 0.9
$\Upsilon(1S) - \Upsilon(2S)$	0.11 - 0.15	0.06 - 0.10	0.12 - 0.21	0.2 - 0.5
$\Upsilon(1S) - \Upsilon(3S)$	0.6 – 0.9	0.14 - 0.36	0.14 - 0.15	0.16 – 0.19

Table 1: Systematic uncertainties for measurements of  $\langle n_{ch} \rangle$  and their differences for different  $\Upsilon(nS)$  states and for the difference between  $\langle n_{ch} \rangle$  measured for  $\Upsilon(1S) - \Upsilon(nS)$ . The values are the number of charged particles with  $0.5 \le p_{\rm T} < 10$  GeV and  $|\eta| < 2.5$ .

Shown here in "units" of  $n_{ch}$  but propagated to all quantities





## Co-mover Interaction Model (CIM)

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- Within CIM, quarkonia are broken by collisions with comovers – i.e. final state particles with similar rapidities.
- CIM is typically used to explain *p*+A and A+A systems, matches CMS Upsilon pp data.
- With the new data, CIM can be tested on pp to reproduce  $\Upsilon(nS) \Upsilon(1S)$  differences
  - in cross section
  - in *n*<sub>ch</sub>
  - in hadron kinematic distributions:  $p_{T}$ ,  $\Delta \phi \Delta \eta$





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## Quarkonia Ratios Expected From $m_{T}$ Scaling

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- Transverse mass scaling lets one define an expectation for the excited states relative to the ground states
- Works well ~universally for light mesons at LHC energies
- Looking at Upsilon meson cross-sections shows missing excited states at low p<sub>T</sub> for Y(2S) factor of 1.6 are missing for Y(3S) factor of 2.4!





## A Strange Digression

- Enhancement of strange hadrons is one of the signature pp collectivity results
- Recent ALICE analyses seek to understand its nature ...





## A Strange Digression

- Enhanced strange hadrons are transverse to leading particle in event
- Strangeness enhancement is occurring outside of jets, perhaps implying that it's a UE effect ...





#### Does the rapidity matter?

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Introducing midrapidity-forward gap flattens the dependence as mentioned in: https://indico.cern.ch/event/634426/contributions/3003672/

But it may be due to loss of resolution...



#### Does the rapidity matter?



ALICE result on forward  $\Upsilon(2S)/\Upsilon(1S)$  vs tracks at midrapidity

Data doesn't warrant any gap dependence

A direct answer should come from  $\Delta \eta$  – analysis

