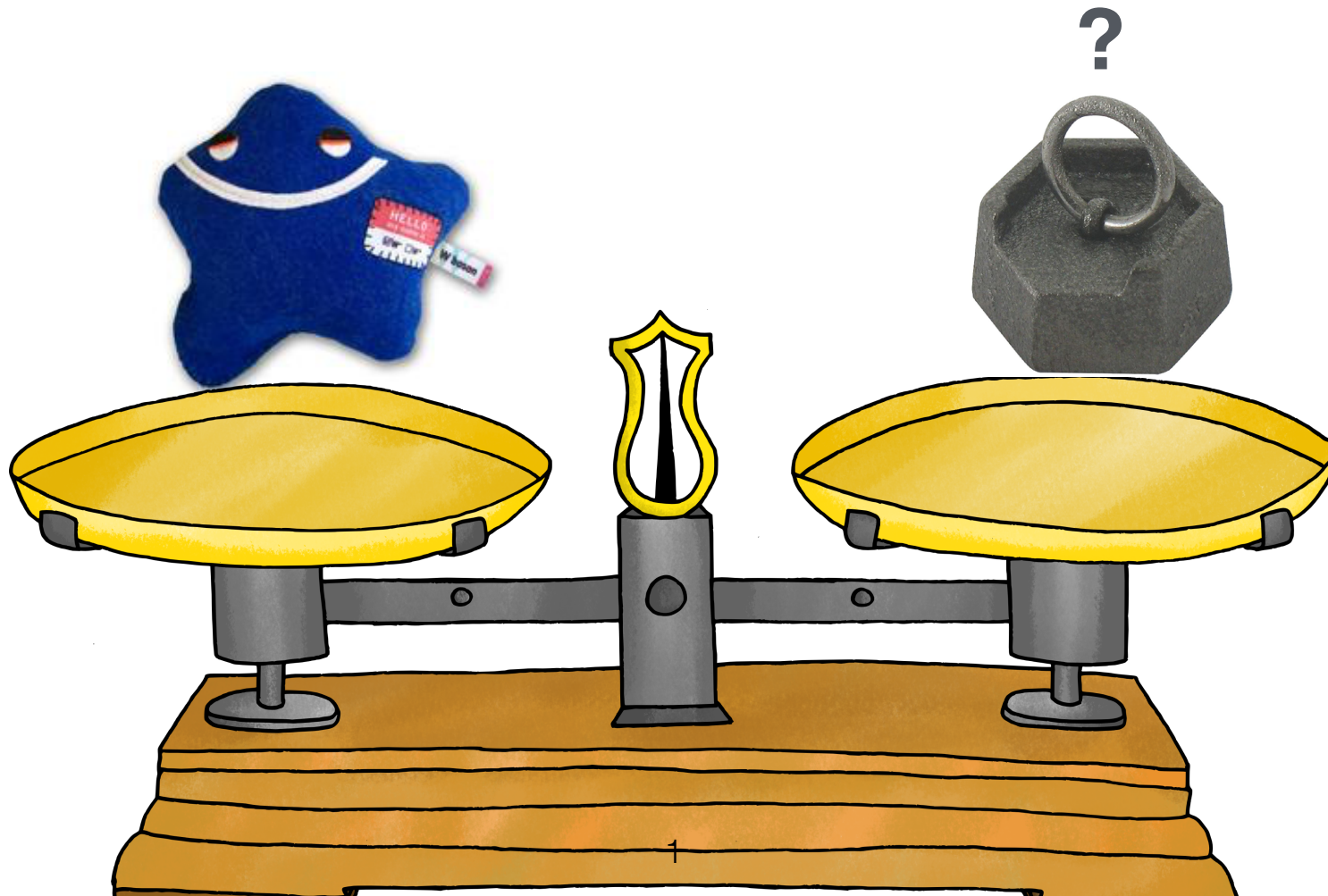


Measurement of the W-boson mass with the ATLAS detector

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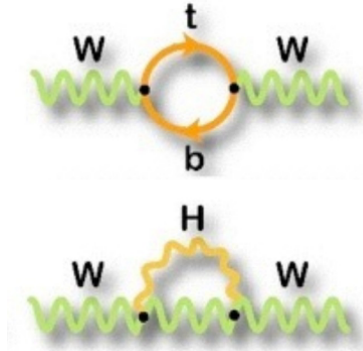


Motivation of the measurement

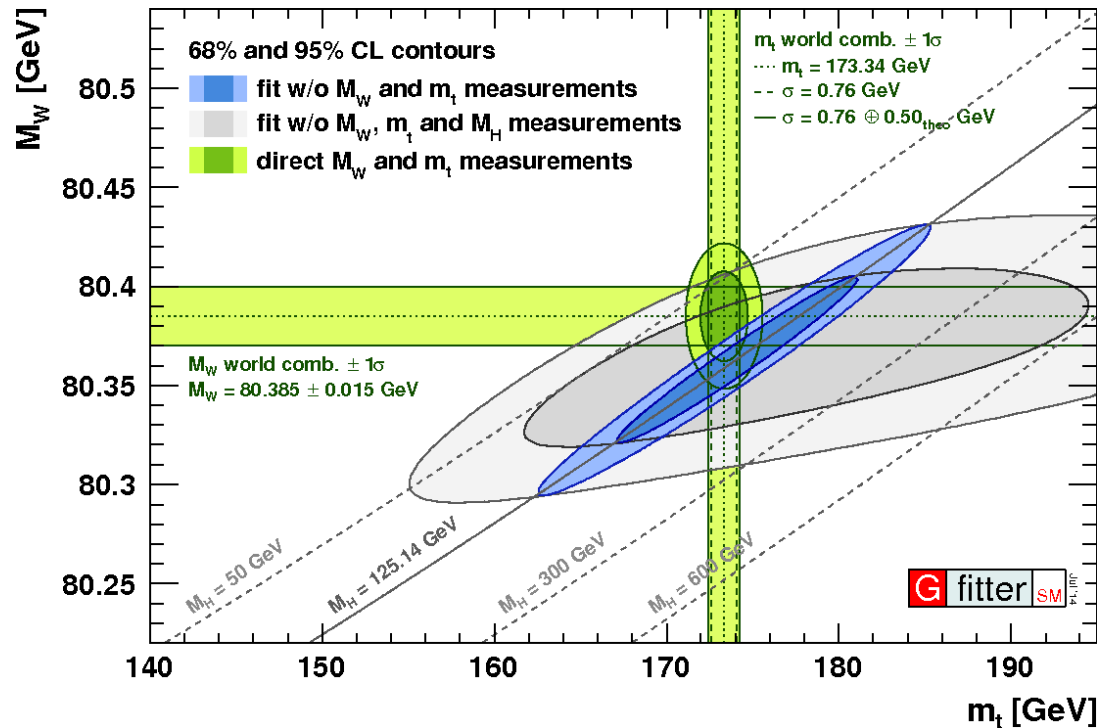
In the electroweak sector of the SM, the W mass is defined by:

$$\text{In the on-shell scheme: } m_W^2 \left(1 - \frac{m_W^2}{m_Z^2} \right) = \frac{\pi\alpha}{\sqrt{2}G_F} (1 + \Delta r)$$

Δr reflects loop corrections and depends on m_t^2 and $\ln m_H$



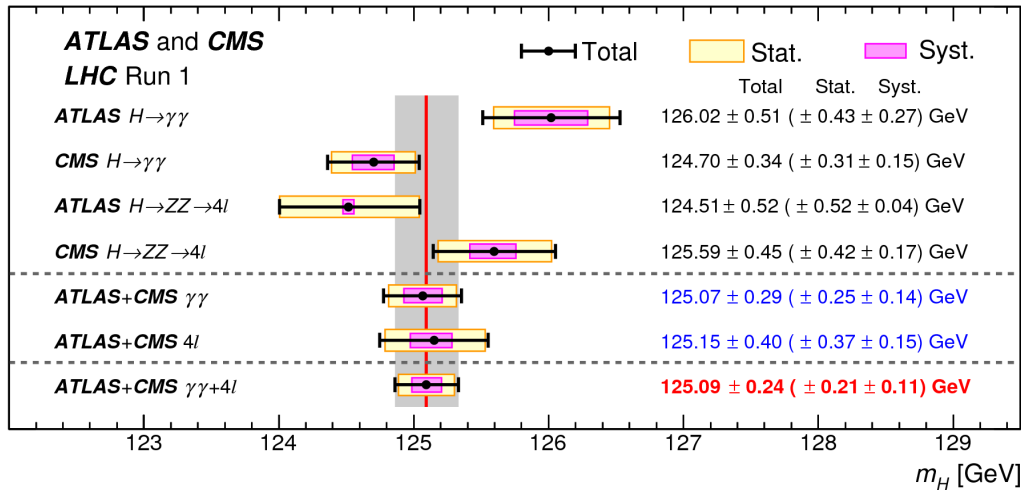
The relation between M_W , m_t , and M_H provides stringent test of the SM and is sensitive to new Physics



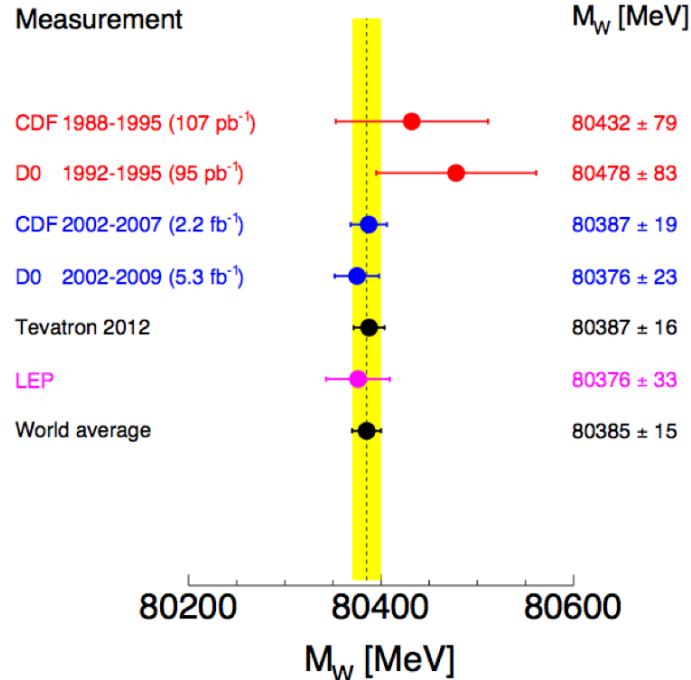
Status of the measurements

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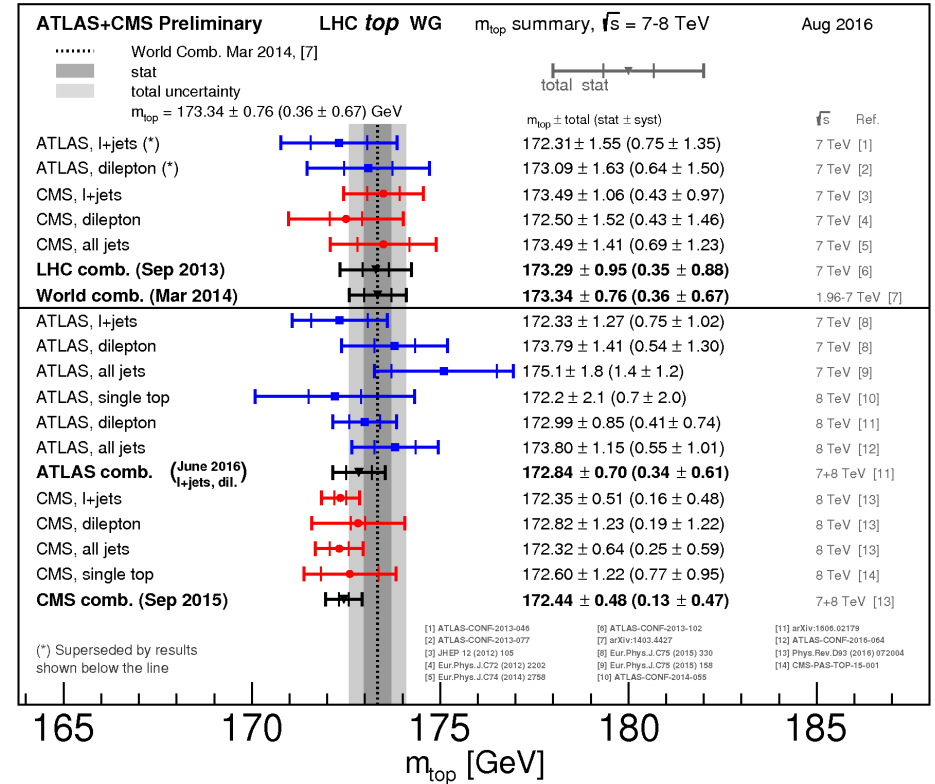
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Mass of the W Boson



Top mass



W mass

World average uncertainty
~15 MeV
Best individual measurement:
CDF 19 MeV

Tevatron results

CDF experiment:

[Phys. Rev. Lett.108 \(2012\) 151803](#)

electron/muon channels
2.2 fb⁻¹ integrated luminosity

$$m_W = 80387_{\pm 12(\text{stat}) \pm 15(\text{syst})} \text{ MeV}$$

D0 experiment:

[Phys. Rev. Lett. 108 \(2012\) 151804](#)

electron channel
4.3 fb⁻¹ integrated luminosity

$$m_W = 80375_{\pm 11(\text{stat}) \pm 20(\text{syst})} \text{ MeV}$$

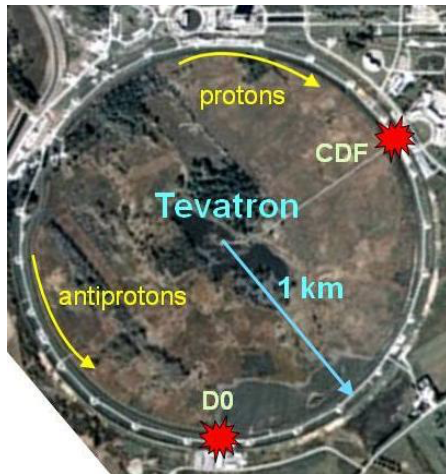
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Lepton energy scale and resolution	7
Recoil energy scale and resolution	6
Lepton removal	2
Backgrounds	3
$p_T(W)$ model	5
Parton distributions	10
QED radiation	4
W -boson statistics	12
Total	19

Source	ΔM_W (MeV)		
	m_T	p_T^e	\cancel{E}_T
Electron energy calibration	16	17	16
Electron resolution model	2	2	3
Electron shower modeling	4	6	7
Electron energy loss model	4	4	4
Hadronic recoil model	5	6	14
Electron efficiencies	1	3	5
Backgrounds	2	2	2
Experimental subtotal	18	20	24
PDF	11	11	14
QED	7	7	9
Boson p_T	2	5	2
Production subtotal	13	14	17
Total	22	24	29

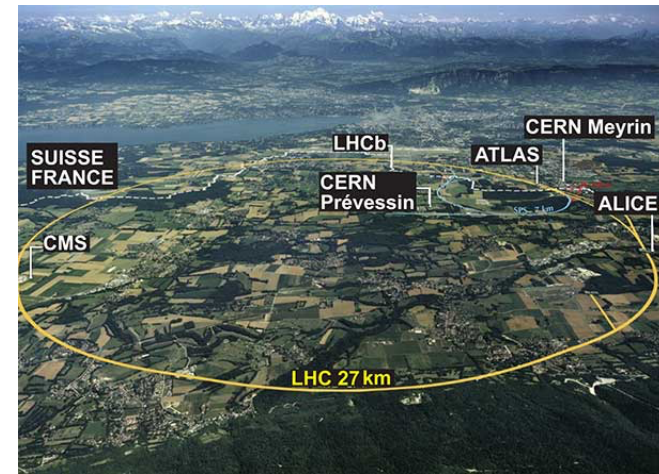
$$M_W = 80387 \pm 16 \text{ MeV}$$

Tevatron vs LHC

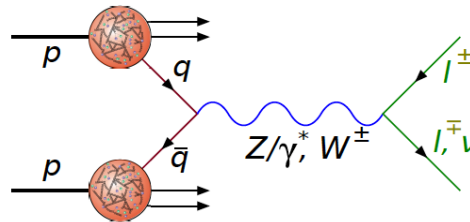
proton-antiprotons collisions $\sqrt{s}=1.96$ TeV



proton-protons collisions $\sqrt{s}=7$ TeV

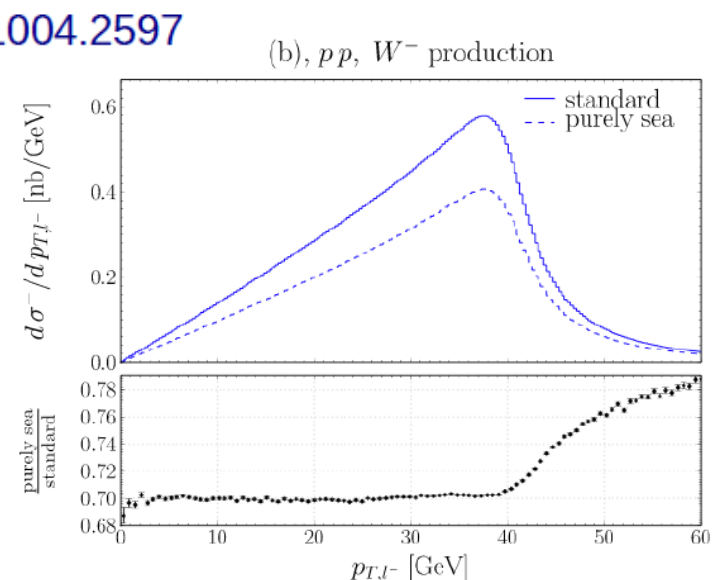
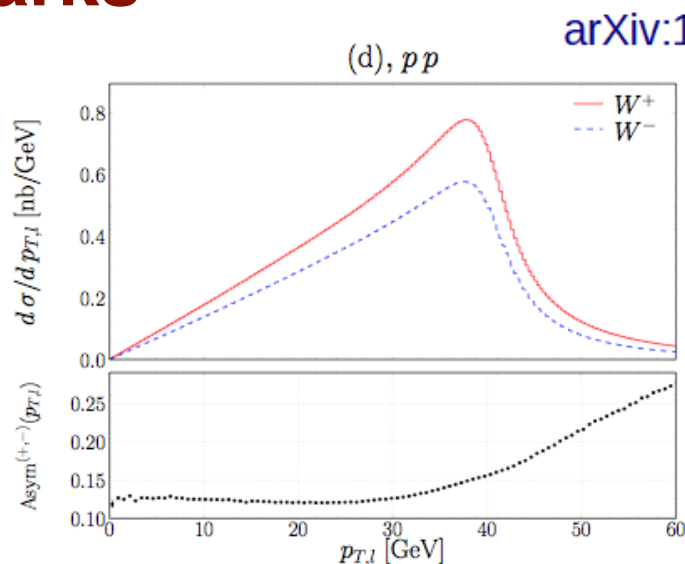
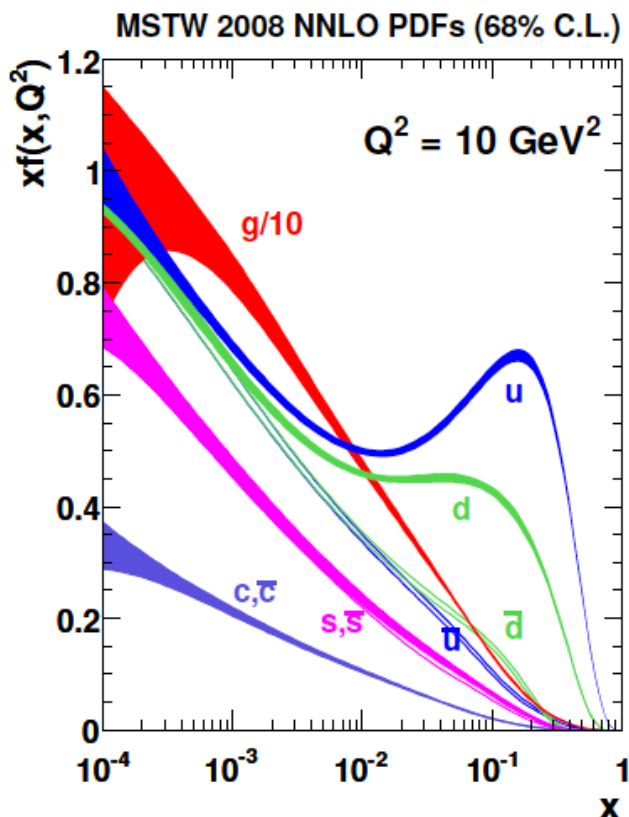


@LHC: Even more challenging and difficult to perform the measurement



- higher **pile-up** environment: difficult hadronic recoil calibration, worse resolution
- W^+/W^- production is asymmetric \rightarrow **charge-dependent** analysis
- The **sea-quark PDFs** play a larger role at the LHC (*25% of the W -boson production is induced by at least one second generation quark s or c*).
- The **valence-sea difference** as well as the amount of sea quarks with u and d

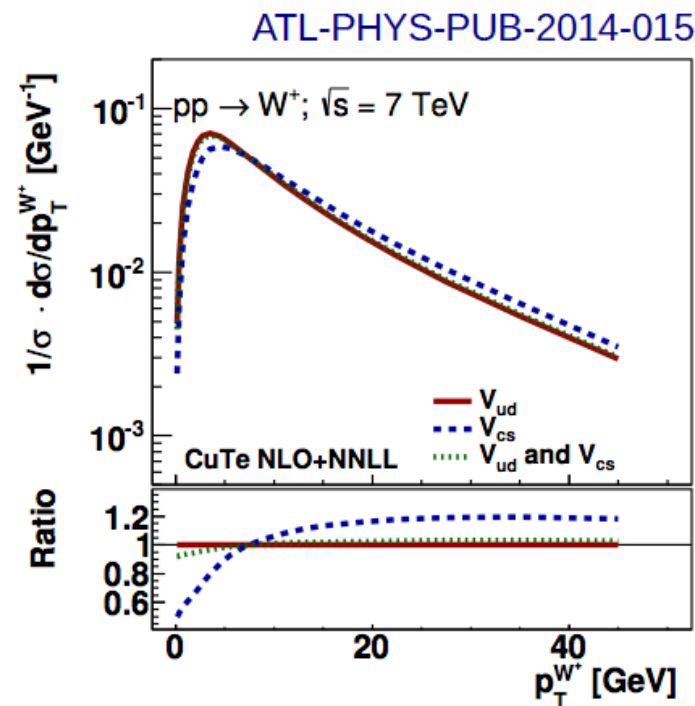
Valence vs sea quarks

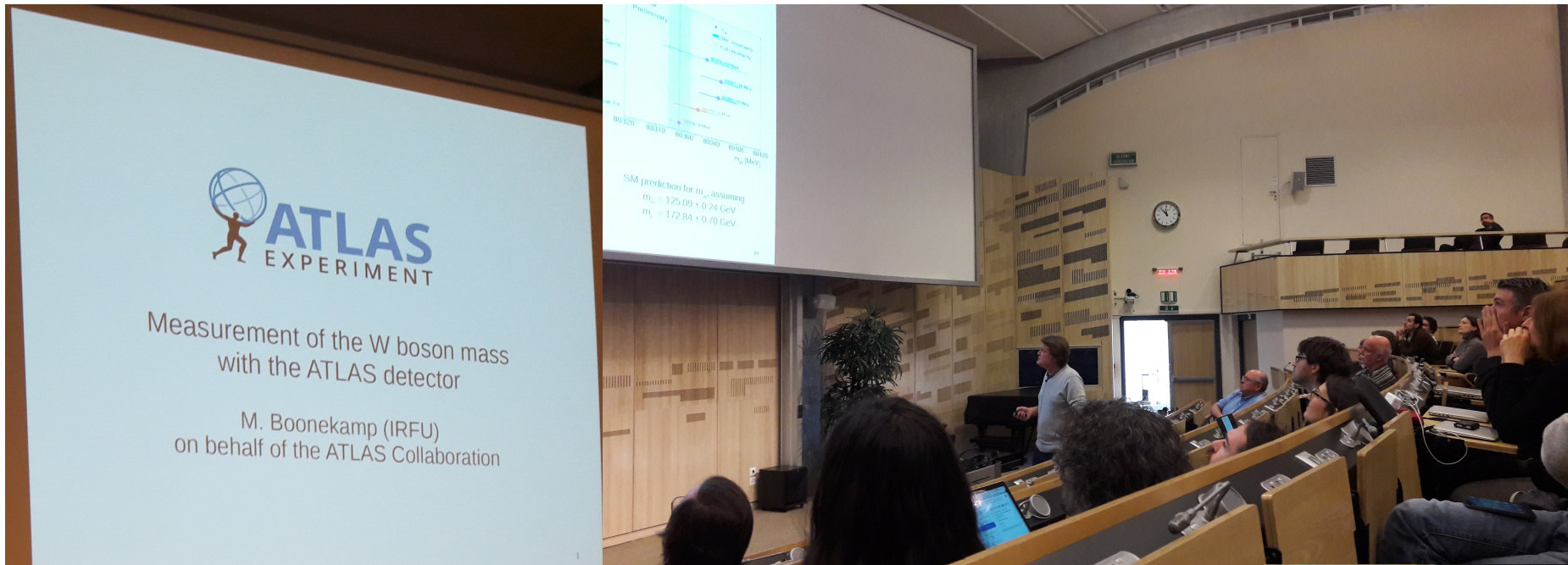


The uncertainty in u and d valence and sea PDF \rightarrow an uncertainty in helicity axis of the $W \rightarrow$ on p_T^l spectrum

Strange quark pdf uncertainty \rightarrow uncertainty on the relative fraction of charm-initiated W boson production \rightarrow uncertainty on $p_T(W)$

The amount of charm initiated W production will also alter the balance between valence quark and sea quark $\rightarrow W$ polarisation $\rightarrow p_T^l$





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News

LHC EXPERIMENTS

ATLAS makes precision measurement of W mass

arXiv.org > hep-ex > arXiv:1701.07240v1

arXiv:1701.07240 [hep-ex]

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High Energy Physics - Experiment

Measurement of the W -boson mass in pp collisions at $\sqrt{s} = 7$ TeV with the ATLAS detector

ATLAS Collaboration

paper is submitted to EPJC

(Submitted on 25 Jan 2017)



ATLAS detector

Inner detector ($|\eta| < 2.5$, $B=2T$)

Tracking, vertexing, dE/dx , e/π ID

- Si pixels, Si strips, Trans. Rad. det.
- $\sigma/p_T \sim 3.8 \times 10^{-4} p_T(\text{GeV}) \oplus 0.015$

4 Magnets Superconducting

- 1 Central solenoid ($B=2T$)
- 3 Air core Toroids ($B=0.5T$ in the barrel, $B=1T$ in the EC)

EM Calorimeter ($|\eta| < 3.2$)

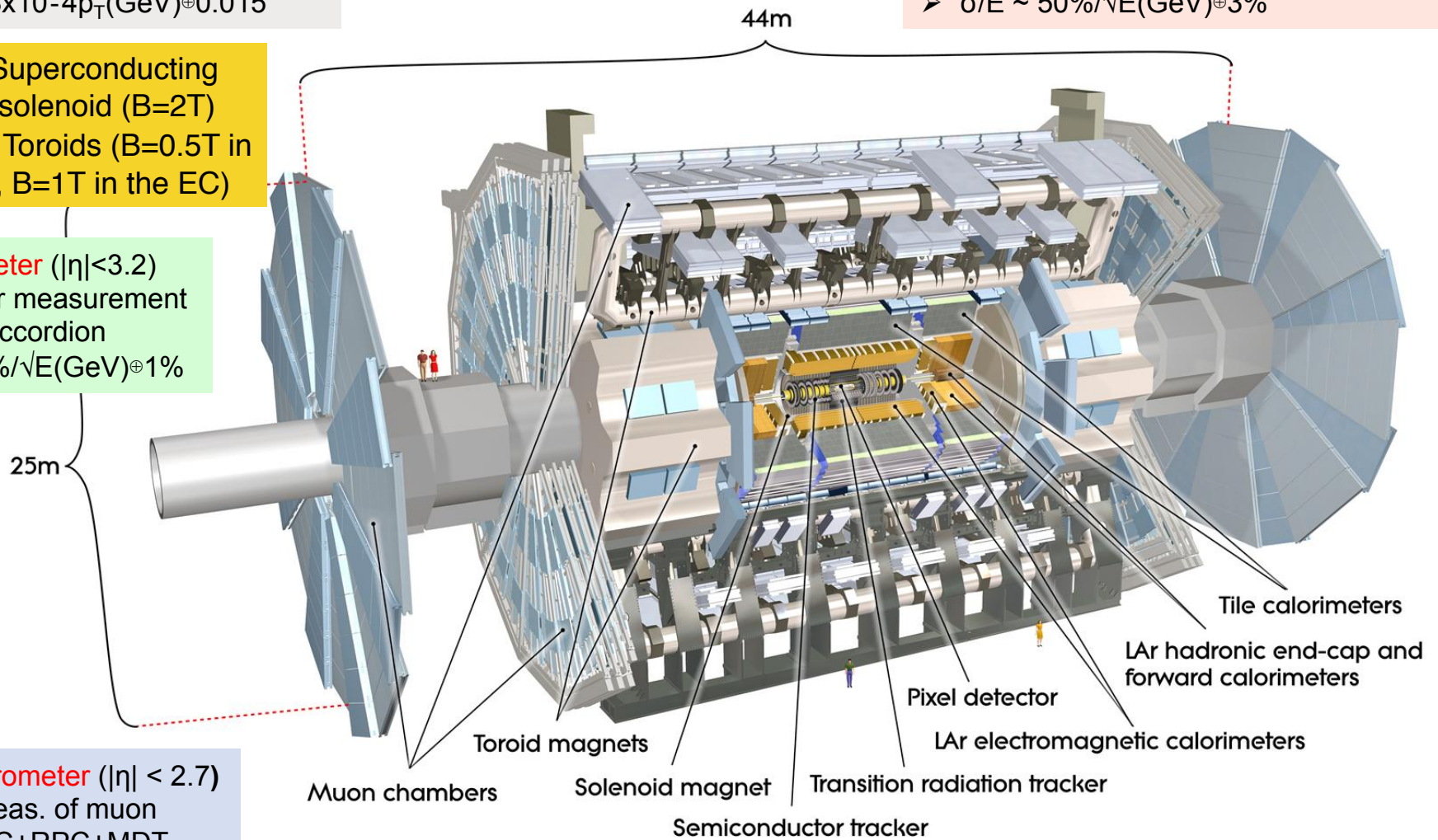
e/γ ID trigger measurement

- Pb-Lar accordion
- $\sigma/E \sim 10\%/\sqrt{E(\text{GeV})} \oplus 1\%$

Hadron Calorimeter ($|\eta| < 5$)

Trigger and meas. of jet/Emiss

- Fe/scintillator (central), Cu/W-LAr (fwd)
- $\sigma/E \sim 50\%/\sqrt{E(\text{GeV})} \oplus 3\%$



Muon spectrometer ($|\eta| < 2.7$)

Trigger & meas. of muon

- CSC+TGC+RPC+MDT
- $\sigma/p_T < 10\%$ up to 1 TeV

Samples used for the analysis

Data Run I in 2011:

centre-of-mass energy: **7 TeV**

4.6 fb⁻¹ for the electron channel

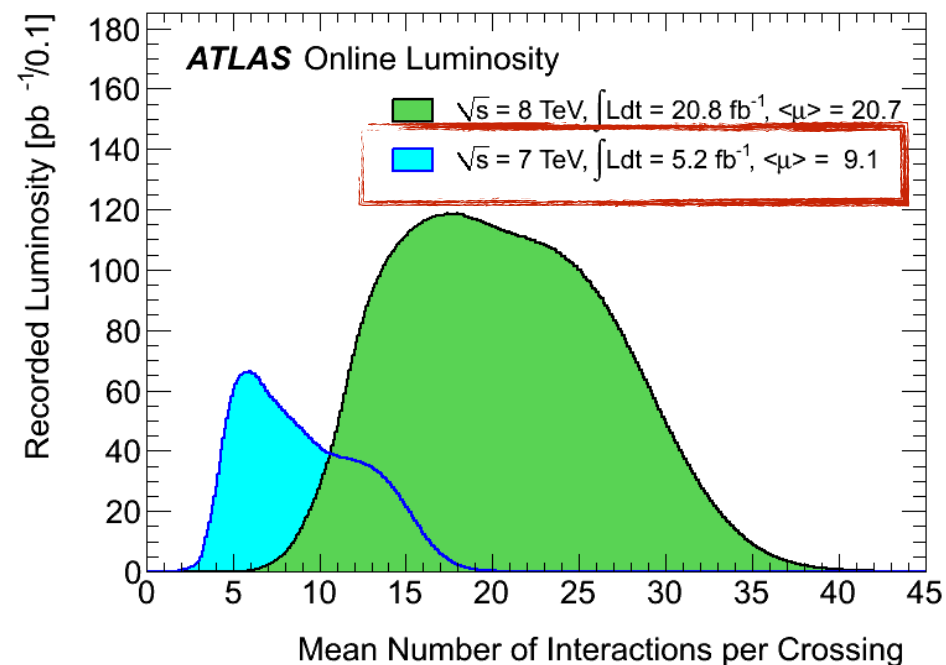
4.1 fb⁻¹ for the muon channel

(part of the data discarded due to timing problem in the resistive plate chambers)

bunch spacing: 50 ns

Simulation MC samples:

- Single boson production: **Powheg+Pythia8** (NLO QCD+PS tune AZNLO), QED FSR using PHOTOS
- Herwig and MC@NLO for EW and top backgrounds
- Pile-up simulated using Pythia
- Description of passive material based on final ATLAS Run I calibration results



Selection cuts

Lepton selections:

- muons isolated (track-based) $|\eta_{\text{lepton}}| < 2.4$
- electrons isolated (track+calorimeter-based) tight identified $0 < |\eta_{\text{lepton}}| < 1.2$, $1.8 < |\eta_{\text{lepton}}| < 2.4$

Kinematic requirements: $p_{\text{T}} > 30$ GeV, $m_{\text{T}} > 60$ GeV, $\text{MET} > 30$ GeV and $\text{recoil}(u_{\text{T}}) < 30$ GeV

~6M/8M observed in the electron/muon channel

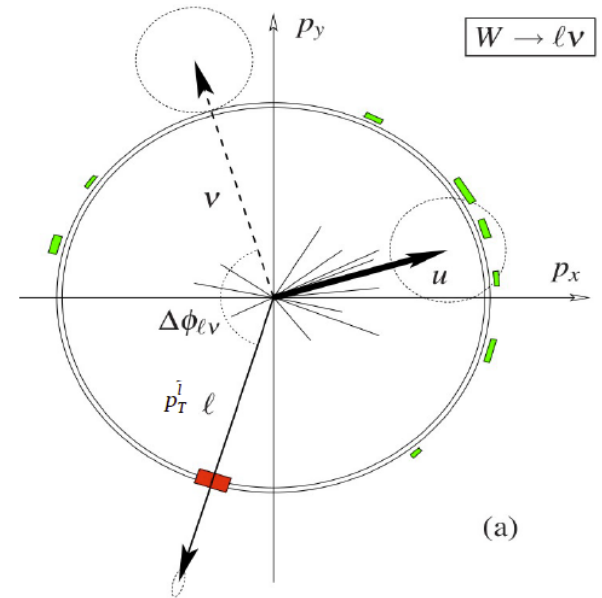
$ \eta_{\ell} $ range	0–0.8	0.8–1.4	1.4–2.0	2.0–2.4	Inclusive
$W^+ \rightarrow \mu^+ \nu$	1 283 332	1 063 131	1 377 773	885 582	4 609 818
$W^- \rightarrow \mu^- \bar{\nu}$	1 001 592	769 876	916 163	547 329	3 234 960
$ \eta_{\ell} $ range	0–0.6	0.6–1.2		1.8–2.4	Inclusive
$W^+ \rightarrow e^+ \nu$	1 233 960	1 207 136		956 620	3 397 716
$W^- \rightarrow e^- \bar{\nu}$	969 170	908 327		610 028	2 487 525

Variables and categories

Recoil reconstructed from the vector sum of the momenta of all clusters measured in the calorimeters.

$$\vec{u}_T = \sum_i \vec{E}_{T,i}$$

In W, Z events $-u_T$ provides an estimate of the boson p_T



Sensitive final state distributions: p_T^ℓ , m_T , p_T^{miss} (*not used due to its poor resolution*)

$$\vec{p}_T^{\text{miss}} = -(\vec{p}_T^\ell + \vec{u}_T). \quad m_T = \sqrt{2p_T^\ell p_T^{\text{miss}}(1 - \cos \Delta\phi)}$$

Categories for the measurement:

Decay channel	$W \rightarrow e\nu$	$W \rightarrow \mu\nu$
Kinematic distributions	p_T^ℓ, m_T	p_T^ℓ, m_T
Charge categories	W^+, W^-	W^+, W^-
$ \eta_\ell $ categories	$[0, 0.6], [0.6, 1.2], [1.8, 2.4]$	$[0, 0.8], [0.8, 1.4], [1.4, 2.0], [2.0, 2.4]$

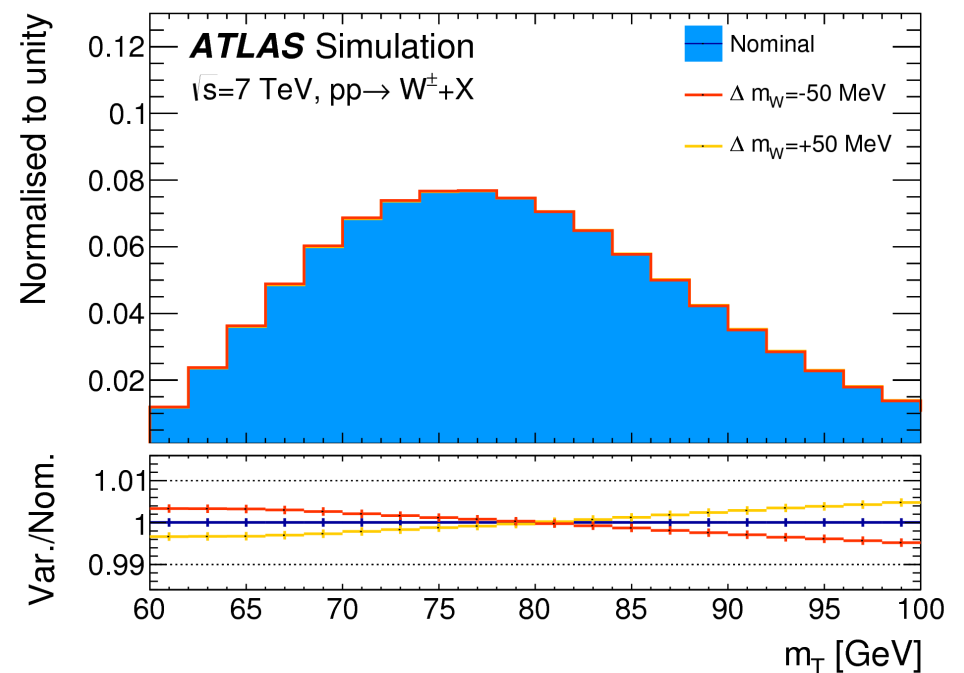
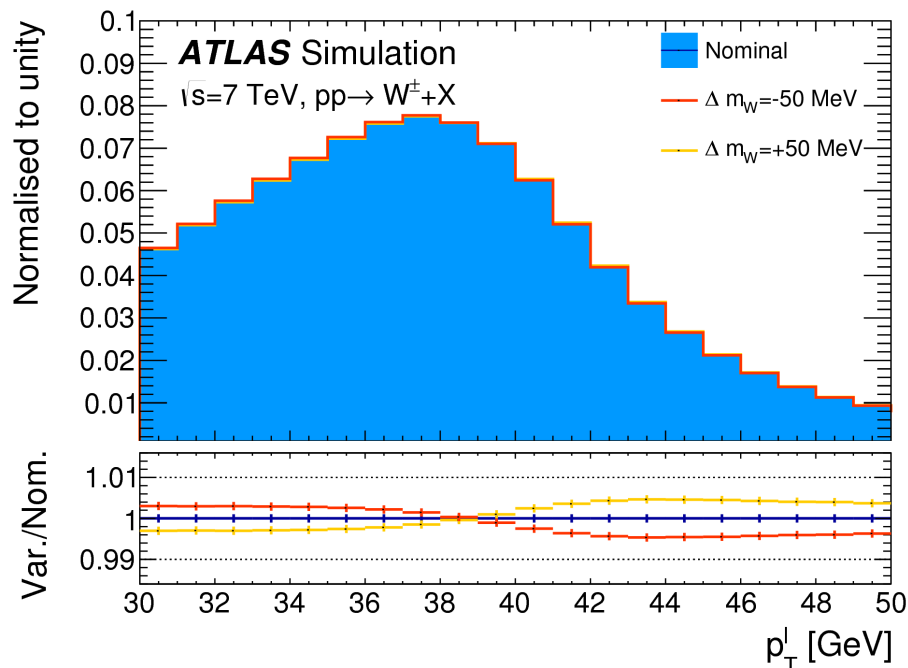
Analysis strategy

Template fit approach: compute the p_T^l and m_T distributions for different assumed values of m_W \rightarrow chi2 minimisation gives the best fit template (*fitting ranges: $32 < p_T^l < 45$ GeV, $66 < m_T < 99$ GeV*).

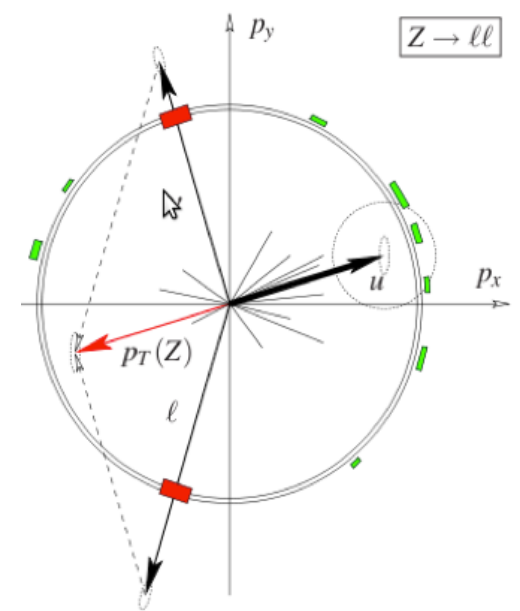
Predictions for different m_W values are obtained by reweighting the boson invariant mass distribution according to the BW parameterisation.

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dm} \propto \frac{m^2}{(m^2 - m_V^2)^2 + m^4 \Gamma_V^2 / m_V^2}$$

A blinding offset was applied throughout the measurement and removed when consistent results were found.



Analysis strategy



Benefit from the fully reconstructed mass (and kinematics in the transverse plane) in **Z-boson sample** to validate the analysis and to provide significant **experimental and theoretical constraints**.

- **Lepton momentum corrections** derived exploiting the precisely measured value of m_Z at LEP
- The **recoil response** is calibrated using the expected momentum balance with $p_{T^{\parallel}}$ in Z events and tested using the m_T observable
- Ancillary measurements on Z data are used to validate the **physics modelling corrections**
- The whole analysis is checked by performing **a measurement of the Z-boson mass** and comparing to the LEP value using:
 - m_{\parallel} (closure test of the calibration procedure)
 - $p_{T^{\perp}}$ to test the $p_{T^{\perp}}$ -dependence of the corrections and the modelling of the Z p_T and of the relative fractions of the Z-boson helicity states.



Experimental precision

Muon Calibration & Efficiency

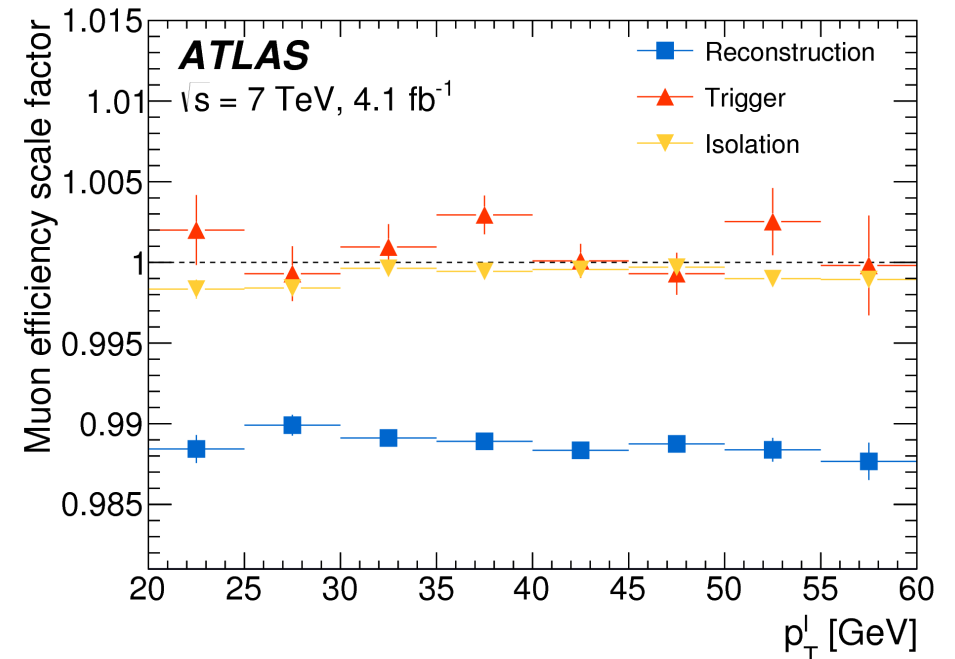
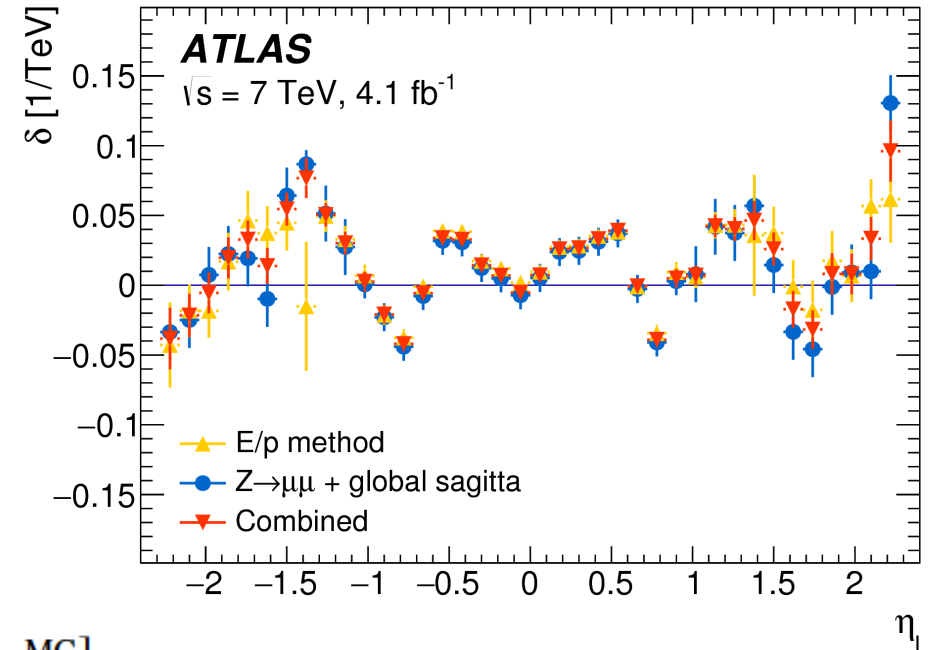
Muon identified using combined ID+MS tracks, momentum measurement from ID only.

Calibration factors for ID-only muons derived from $Z \rightarrow \mu\mu$ and **sagitta bias** charge-dependent corrections from $Z \rightarrow \mu\mu$ and E/p of $W \rightarrow e\nu$. [Eur.Phys.J.C 74 \(2014\) 3130](#)

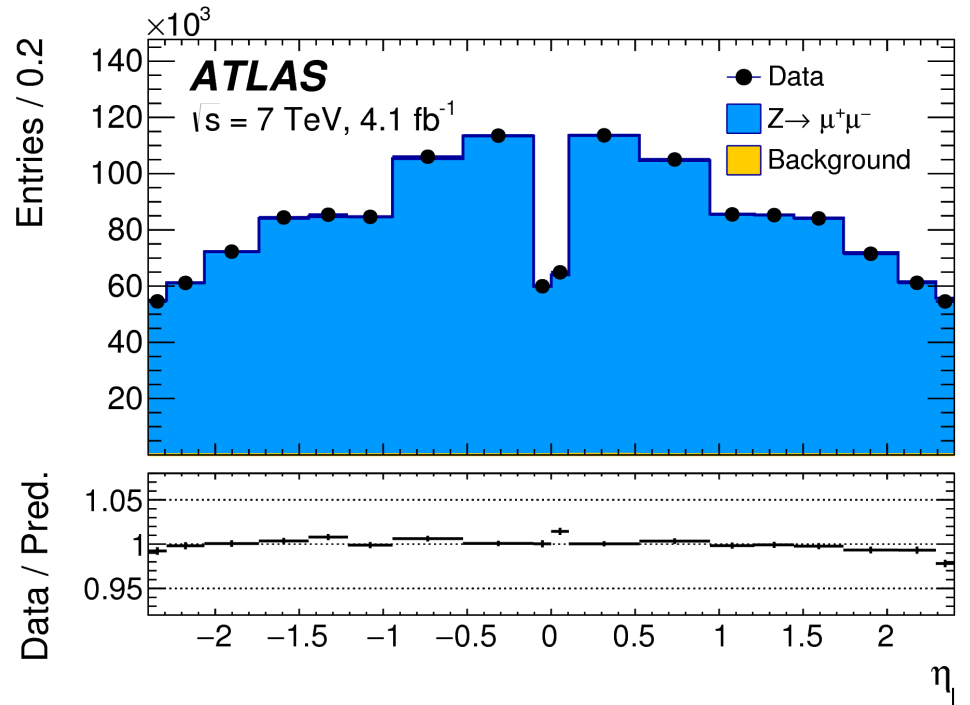
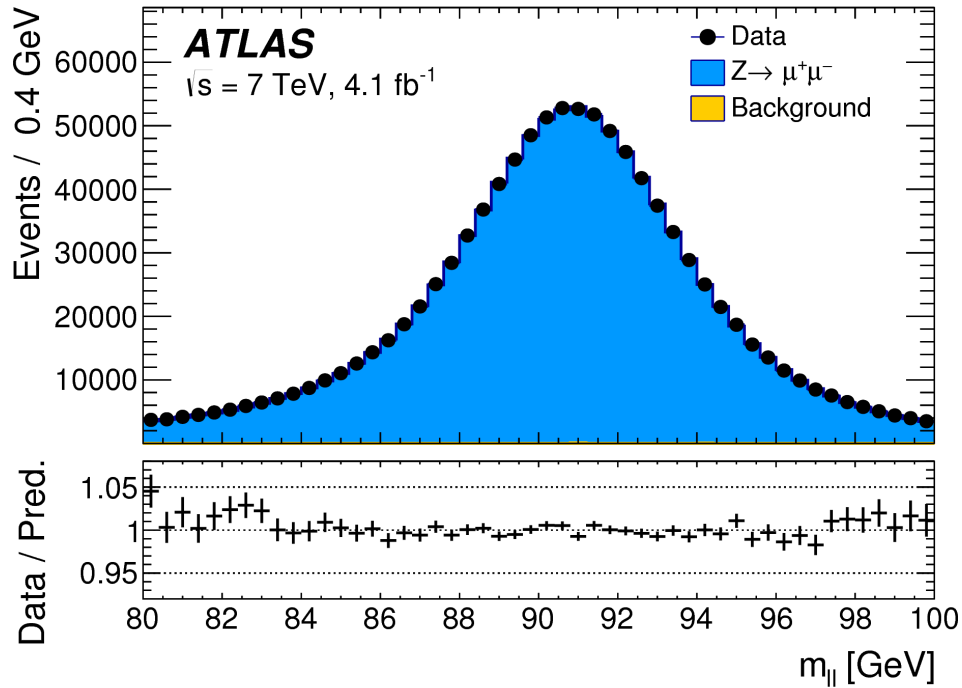
$$p_T^{\text{MC,corr}} = p_T^{\text{MC}} \times [1 + \alpha(\eta, \phi)] \times [1 + \beta_{\text{curv}}(\eta) \cdot G(0, 1) \cdot p_T^{\text{MC}}]$$

$$p_T^{\text{data,corr}} = \frac{p_T^{\text{data}}}{1 + q \cdot \delta(\eta, \phi) \cdot p_T^{\text{data}}}$$

Muon **trigger/id/iso efficiency** corrections data/MC evaluated in bins of p_T^l , eta and charge. Dominant uncertainty is the statistical uncertainty of the Z sample.



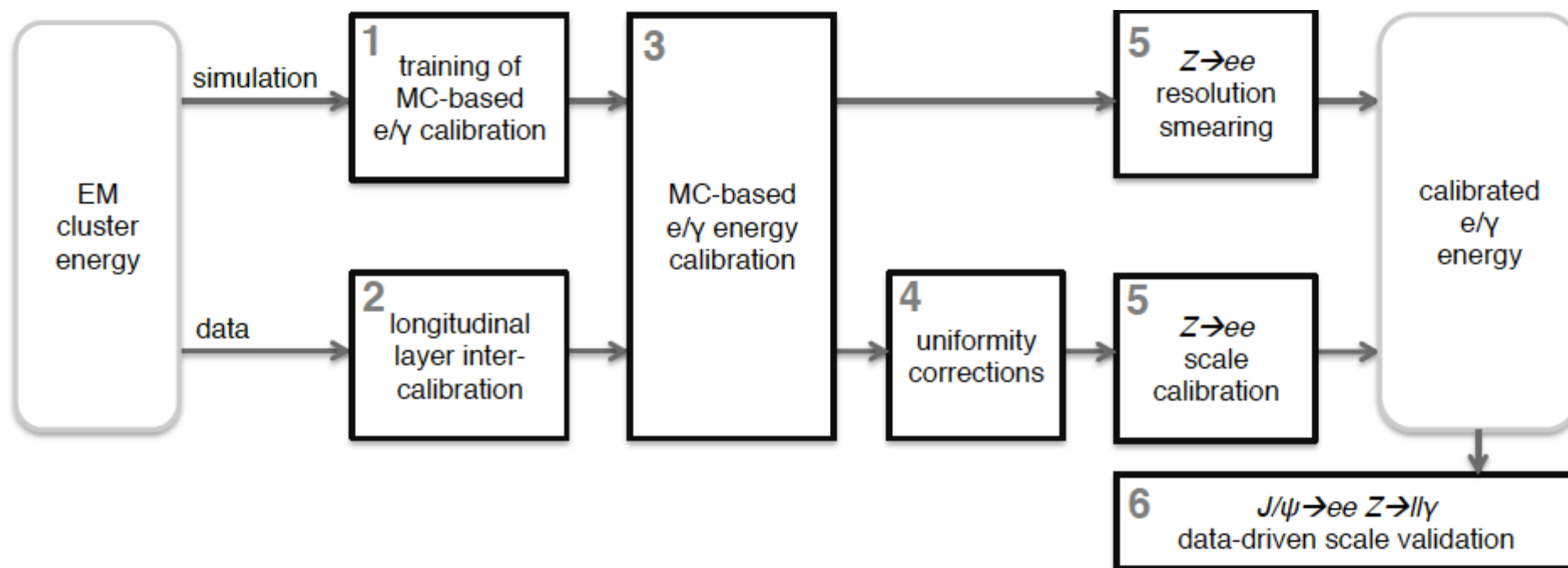
Muon Calibration & Efficiency



$ \eta_e $ range	[0.0, 0.8]		[0.8, 1.4]		[1.4, 2.0]		[2.0, 2.4]		Combined	
	p_T^l	m_T	p_T^l	m_T	p_T^l	m_T	p_T^l	m_T	p_T^l	m_T
Kinematic distribution										
δm_W [MeV]										
Momentum scale	8.9	9.3	14.2	15.6	27.4	29.2	111.0	115.4	8.4	8.8
Momentum resolution	1.8	2.0	1.9	1.7	1.5	2.2	3.4	3.8	1.0	1.2
Sagitta bias	0.7	0.8	1.7	1.7	3.1	3.1	4.5	4.3	0.6	0.6
Reconstruction and isolation efficiencies	4.0	3.6	5.1	3.7	4.7	3.5	6.4	5.5	2.7	2.2
Trigger efficiency	5.6	5.0	7.1	5.0	11.8	9.1	12.1	9.9	4.1	3.2
Total	11.4	11.4	16.9	17.0	30.4	31.0	112.0	116.1	9.8	9.7

Electron Calibration & Efficiency

Calibration for electrons closely follows the Run I calibration paper [Eur.Phys.J.C 74 \(2014\) 3071](https://arxiv.org/abs/1307.7132)

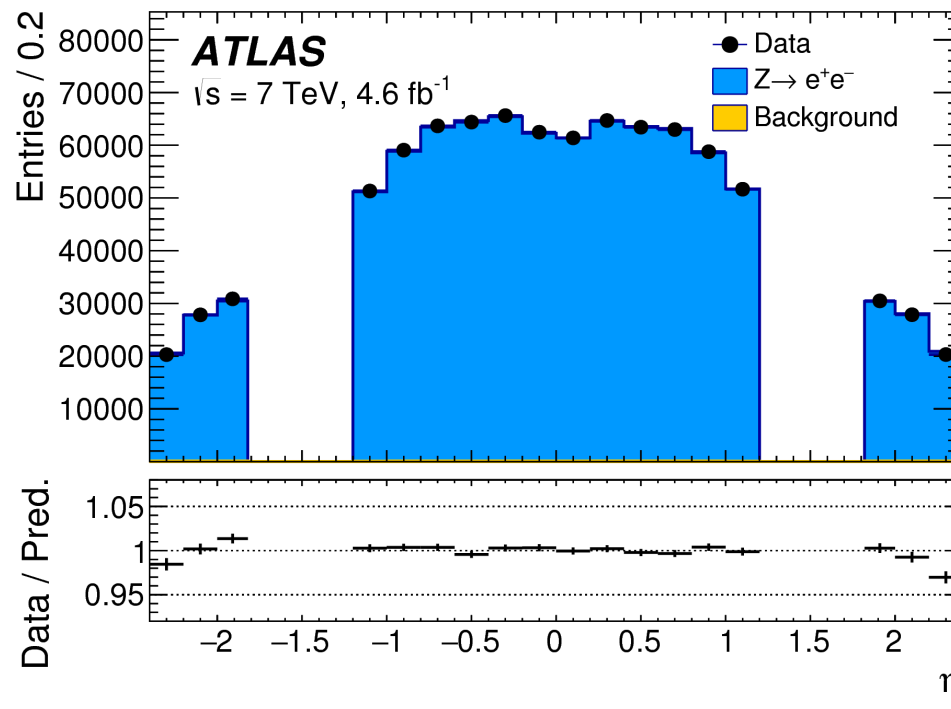
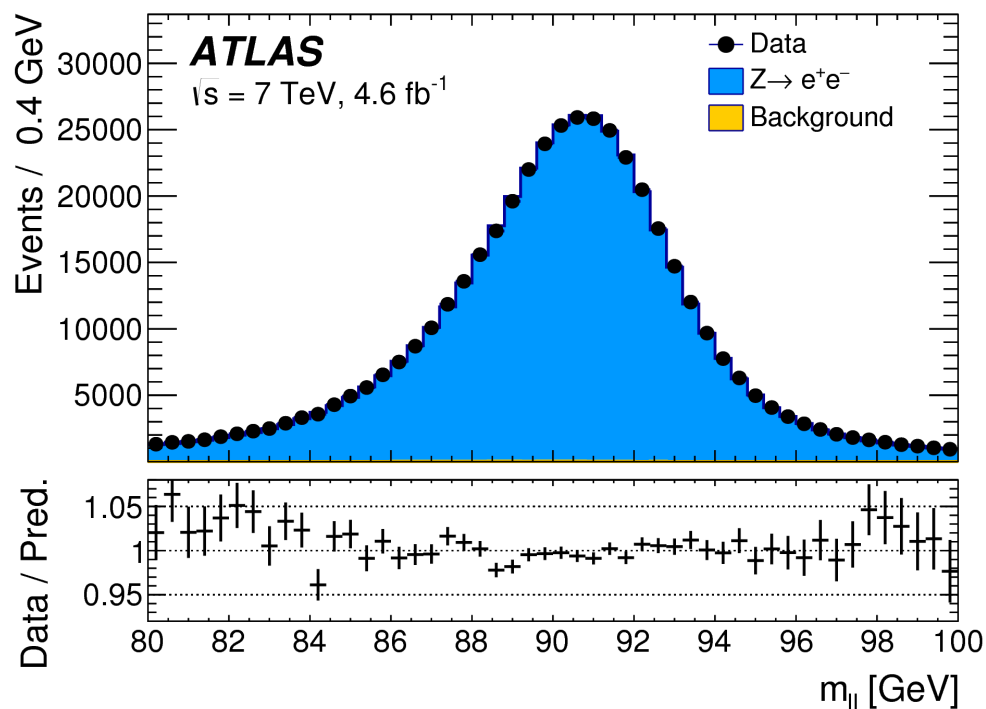


Exclude bin $1.2 < \eta_{\text{cal}} < 1.82$ for the W mass measurement as the amount of passive material in front of the calorimeter and its uncertainty are largest in this region.

Azimuthal correction from $\langle E/p \rangle$ vs ϕ

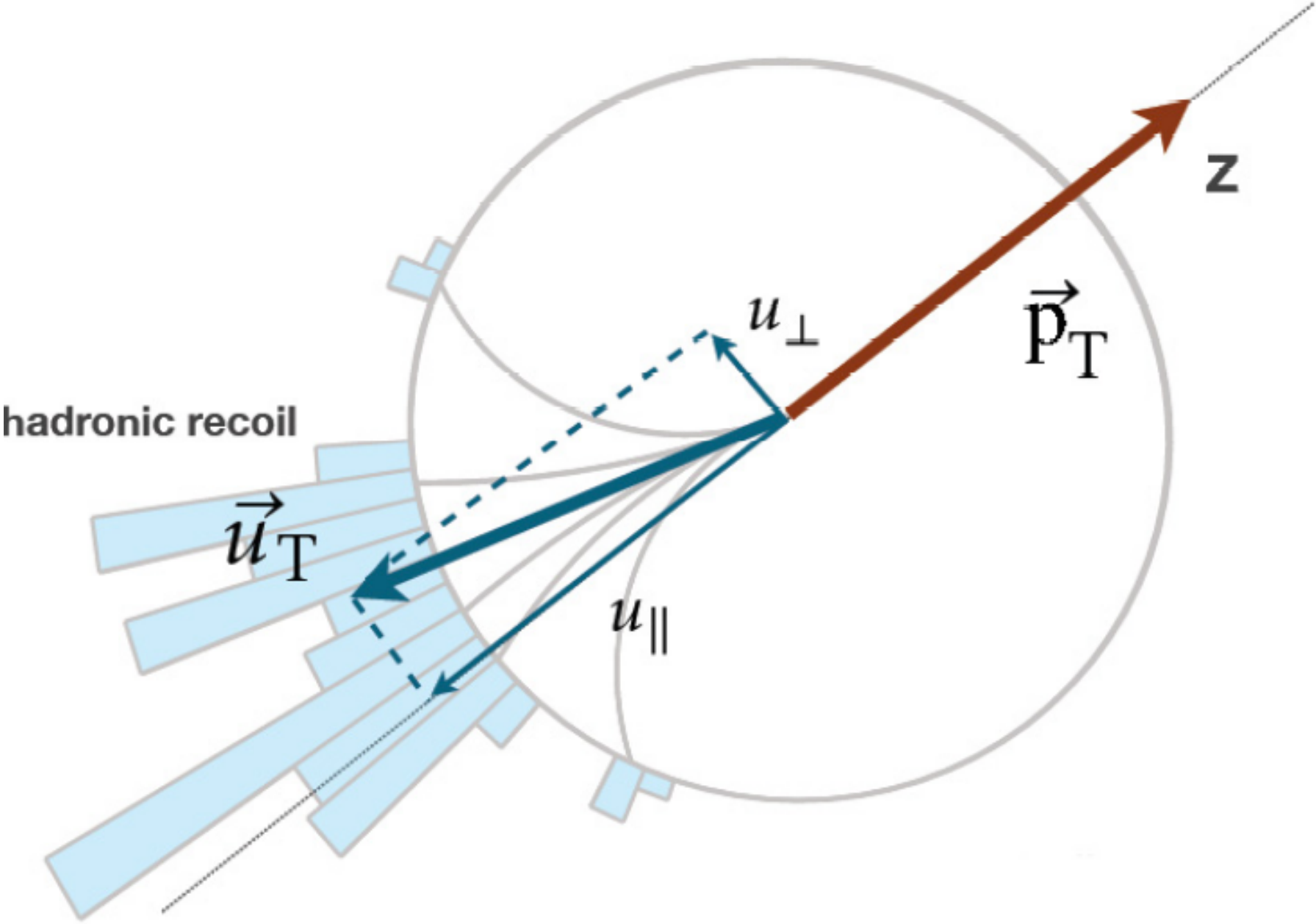
Electron efficiency corrections en fonction de η et p_T [Eur.Phys.J.C 74 \(2014\) 2941](https://arxiv.org/abs/1307.7132)

Electron Calibration & Efficiency



$ \eta_e $ range	[0.0, 0.6]		[0.6, 1.2]		[1.82, 2.4]		Combined	
Kinematic distribution	p_T^ℓ	m_T	p_T^ℓ	m_T	p_T^ℓ	m_T	p_T^ℓ	m_T
δm_W [MeV]								
Energy scale	10.4	10.3	10.8	10.1	16.1	17.1	8.1	8.0
Energy resolution	5.0	6.0	7.3	6.7	10.4	15.5	3.5	5.5
Energy linearity	2.2	4.2	5.8	8.9	8.6	10.6	3.4	5.5
Energy tails	2.3	3.3	2.3	3.3	2.3	3.3	2.3	3.3
Reconstruction efficiency	10.5	8.8	9.9	7.8	14.5	11.0	7.2	6.0
Identification efficiency	10.4	7.7	11.7	8.8	16.7	12.1	7.3	5.6
Trigger and isolation efficiencies	0.2	0.5	0.3	0.5	2.0	2.2	0.8	0.9
Charge mismeasurement	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	1.5	1.5	0.1	0.1
Total	19.0	17.5	21.1	19.4	30.7	30.5	14.2	14.3

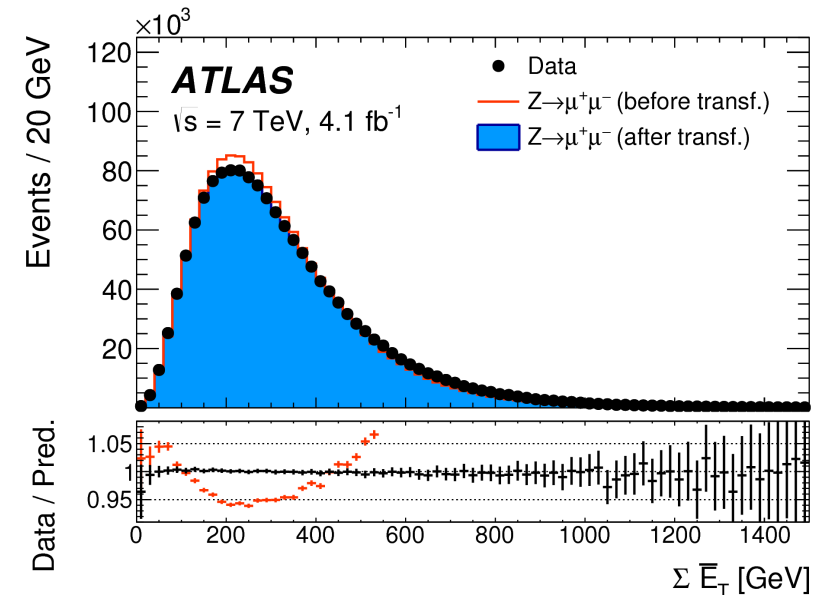
Recoil Calibration



Recoil Calibration

A set of corrections is derived:

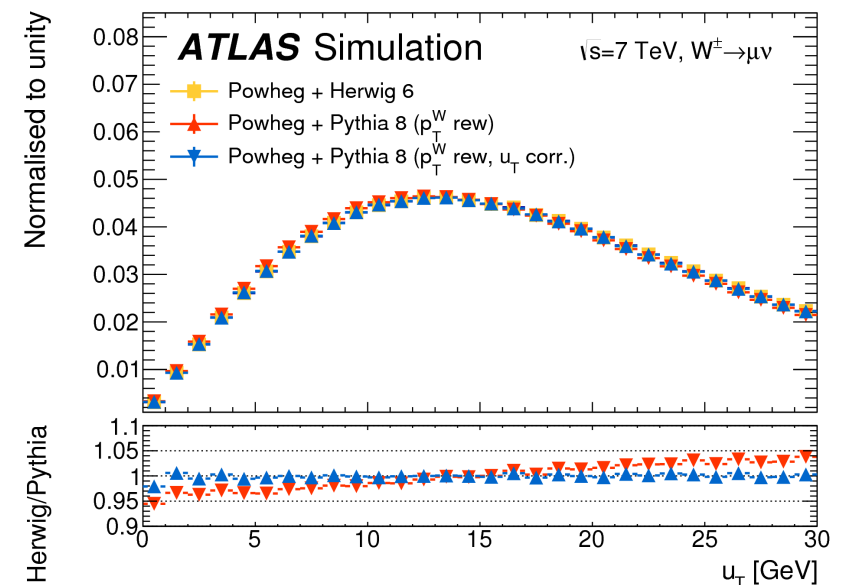
- equalise **pile-up multiplicity** distribution in data and MC
- equalise **SumE_{T-U}** for W⁺,W⁻,Z in data and MC
- apply residual recoil **energy scale and resolution** corrections using p_T balance in Z events (in bins of p_T^{ll} and SumE_{T-U})



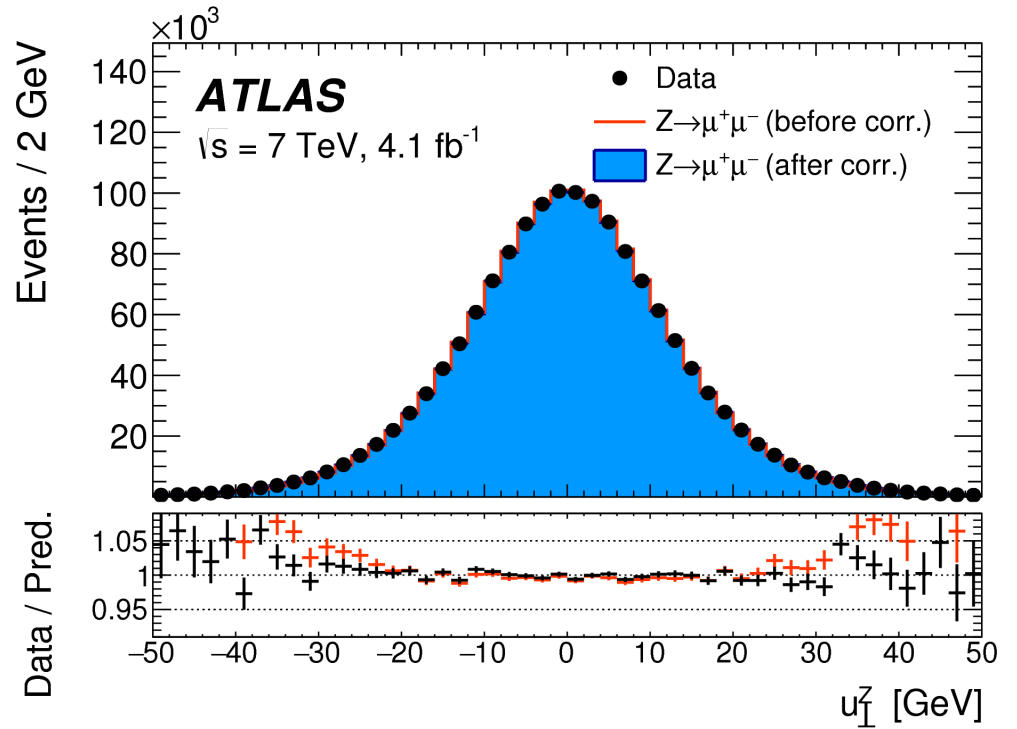
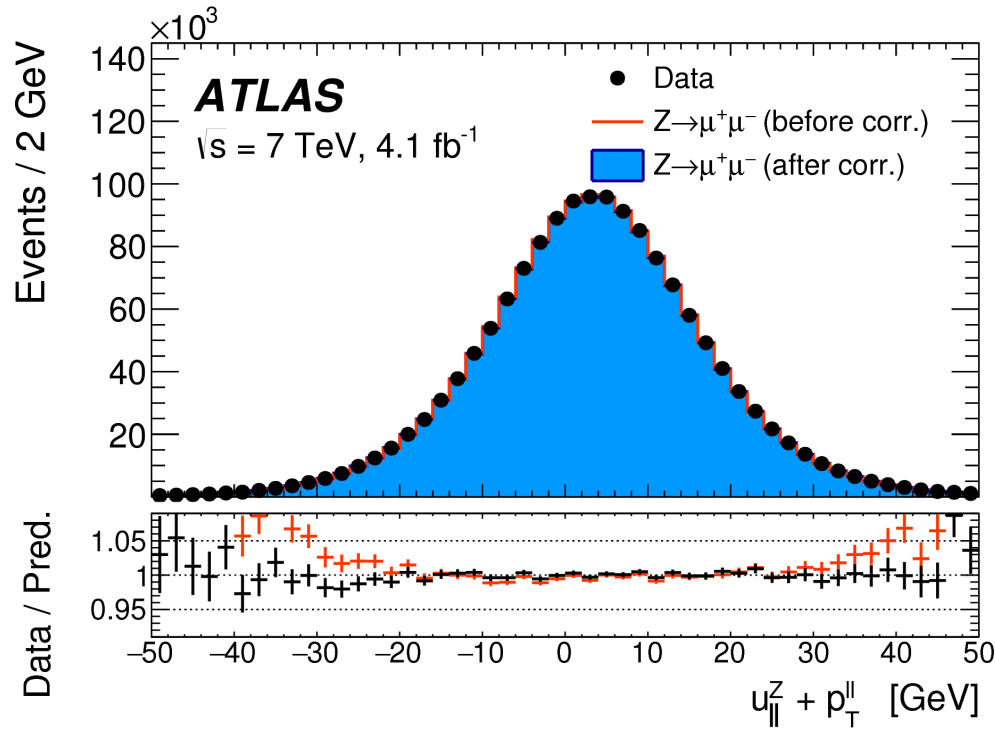
The corrections are derived in pile-up bins, $\langle \mu \rangle$, 2.5-6.5, 6.5-9.5 and 9.5-16.0

A **closure test** of the applicability of Z-based corrections to W production is performed using Powheg+Herwig6 samples.

The particle-level $p_T(W)$ distribution in Powheg+Pythia8 is reweighted to Powheg+Herwig6

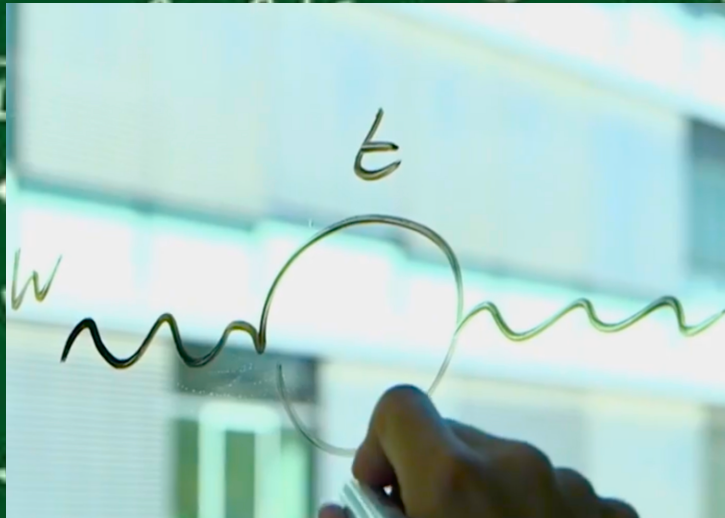


Recoil Calibration



Kinematic distribution	W^+		W^-		Combined	
	p_T^{ℓ}	m_T	p_T^{ℓ}	m_T	p_T^{ℓ}	m_T
δm_W [MeV]						
$\langle \mu \rangle$ scale factor	0.2	1.0	0.2	1.0	0.2	1.0
$\Sigma \vec{E}_T$ correction	0.9	12.2	1.1	10.2	1.0	11.2
Residual corrections (statistics)	2.0	2.7	2.0	2.7	2.0	2.7
Residual corrections (interpolation)	1.4	3.1	1.4	3.1	1.4	3.1
Residual corrections ($Z \rightarrow W$ extrapolation)	0.2	5.8	0.2	4.3	0.2	5.1
Total	2.6	14.2	2.7	11.8	2.6	13.0

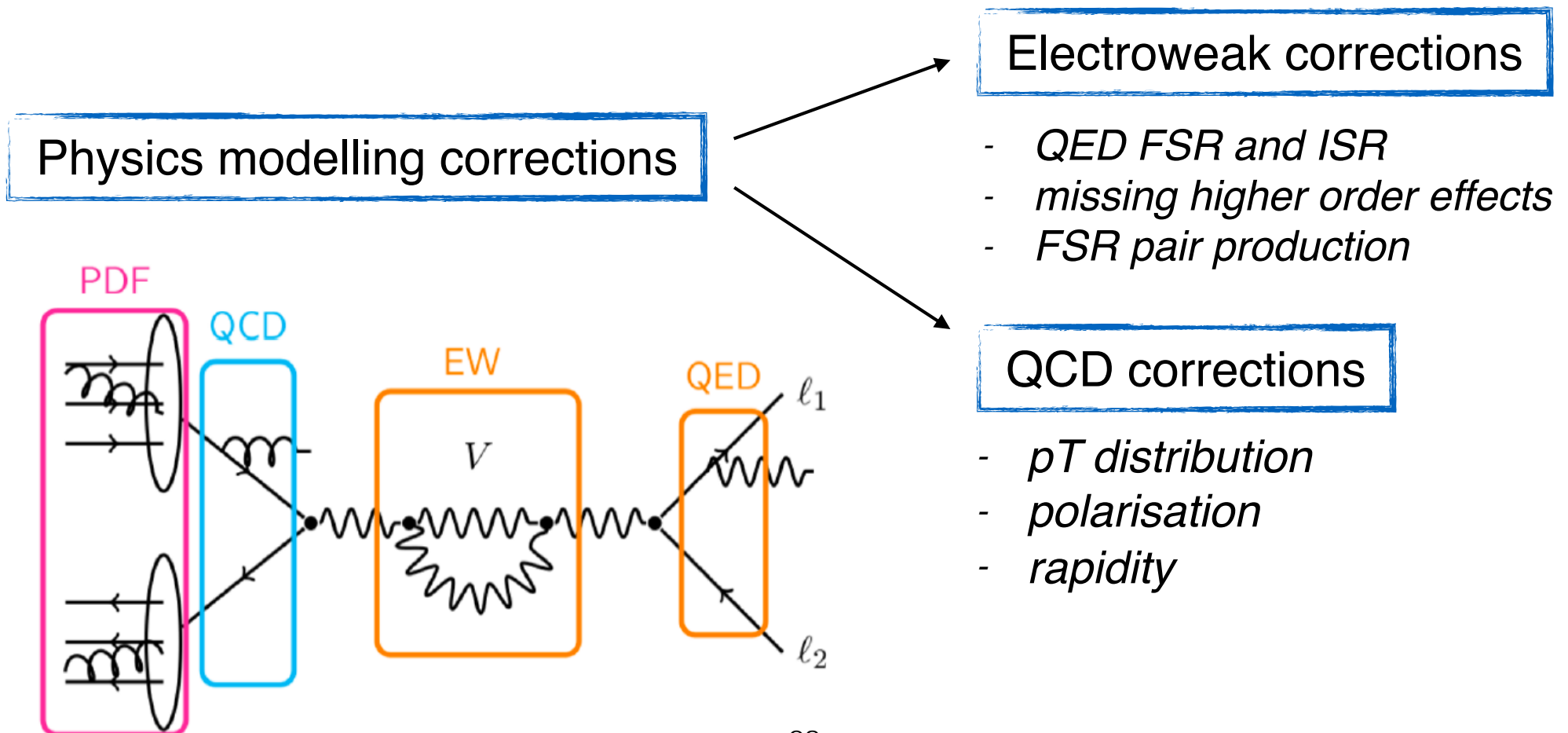
Physics modelling



Physics modelling

No available single generator to describe all the physics modelling

Start from the Powheg+Pythia8 and apply corrections. Use ancillary measurements of Drell-Yan processes to validate (and tune) the model and assess systematic uncertainties.



EW corrections

QED effects: **FSR** (*dominant correction*) included in the simulation with PHOTOS, negligible uncertainty. QED **ISR** included through Pythia8 parton shower.

NLO EW effects: taken as uncertainties, **pure weak corrections** evaluated in the presence of QCD corrections, estimated using Winhac. **ISR-FSR interference**.

FSR **lepton pair production** estimated and added as an uncertainty. Formally higher order correction but a significant additional source of energy loss.

Decay channel	$W \rightarrow e\nu$		$W \rightarrow \mu\nu$	
	p_T^ℓ	m_T	p_T^ℓ	m_T
δm_W [MeV]				
FSR (real)	< 0.1	< 0.1	< 0.1	< 0.1
Pure weak and IFI corrections	3.3	2.5	3.5	2.5
FSR (pair production)	3.6	0.8	4.4	0.8
Total	4.9	2.6	5.6	2.6

QCD corrections

The Drell-Yan cross-section can be decomposed by **factorising** the dynamic of the boson production and the kinematic of the boson decay. An approximate decomposition is given by:

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dp_1 dp_2} = \left[\frac{d\sigma(m)}{dm} \right] \left[\frac{d\sigma(y)}{dy} \right] \left[\frac{d\sigma(p_T, y)}{dp_T dy} \left(\frac{d\sigma(y)}{dy} \right)^{-1} \right] \left[(1 + \cos^2 \theta) + \sum_{i=0}^7 A_i(p_T, y) P_i(\cos \theta, \phi) \right]$$

The diagram illustrates the factorization of the Drell-Yan cross-section into four distinct components, each associated with a specific QCD correction method:

- Breit-Wigner:** Associated with the mass distribution term $\left[\frac{d\sigma(m)}{dm} \right]$.
- NNLO pQCD:** Associated with the rapidity distribution term $\left[\frac{d\sigma(y)}{dy} \right]$.
- Parton Shower:** Associated with the transverse momentum distribution term $\left[\frac{d\sigma(p_T, y)}{dp_T dy} \left(\frac{d\sigma(y)}{dy} \right)^{-1} \right]$.
- Kinematic Factor:** The final term $\left[(1 + \cos^2 \theta) + \sum_{i=0}^7 A_i(p_T, y) P_i(\cos \theta, \phi) \right]$ represents the angular distribution of the decay products.

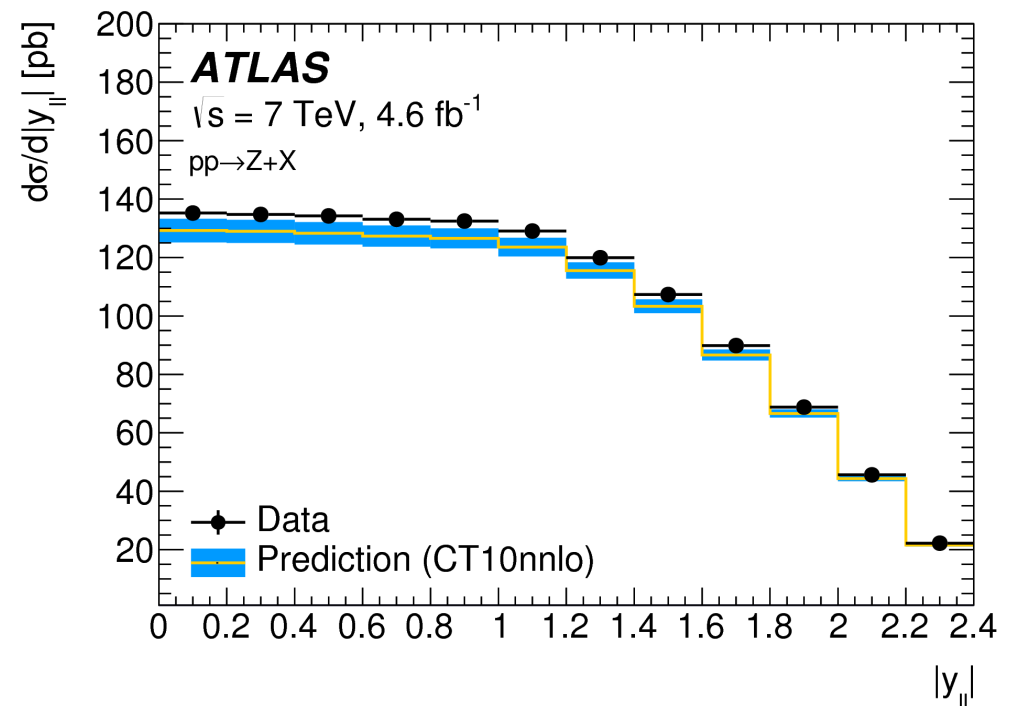
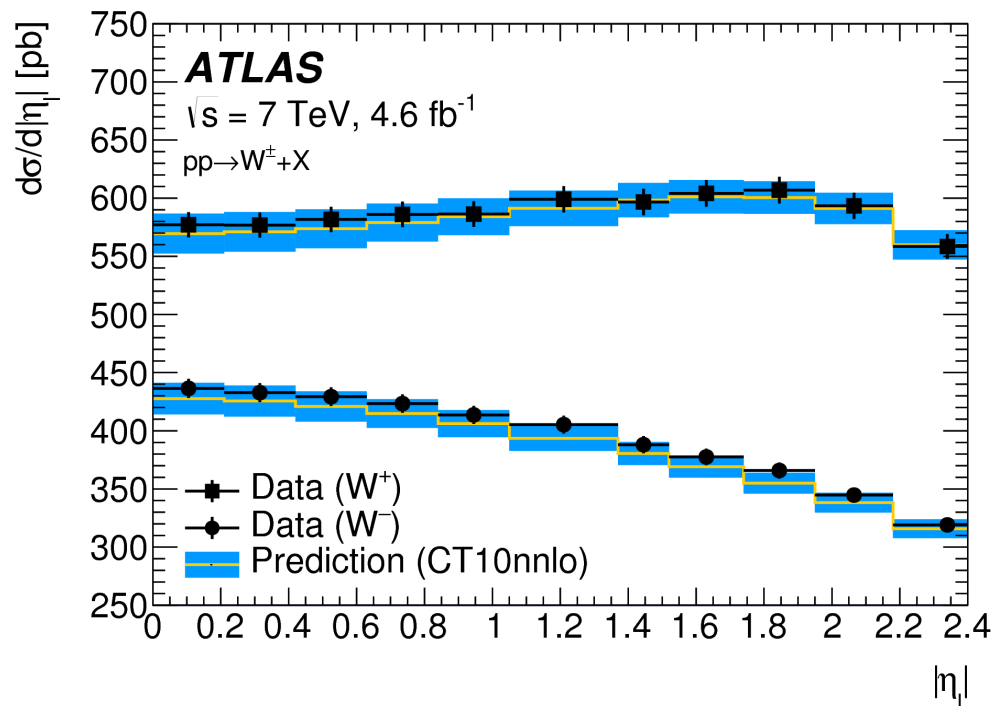
The $d\sigma/dm$ is modelled with a BW parametrisation (+ EW corrections)

The $d\sigma/dy$ and the A_i coefficients are modelled with fixed order pQCD at NNLO

The $d\sigma/dp_T$ is modelled with parton shower (tried analytic resummation)

Rapidity distribution

The **rapidity distribution** is modelled with NNLO predictions and the **CT10nnlo** PDF set. PDF choice validated on the observed weaker suppression of the strange quark in the W,Z cross-section data as published in [arXiv:1612.03016](https://arxiv.org/abs/1612.03016)

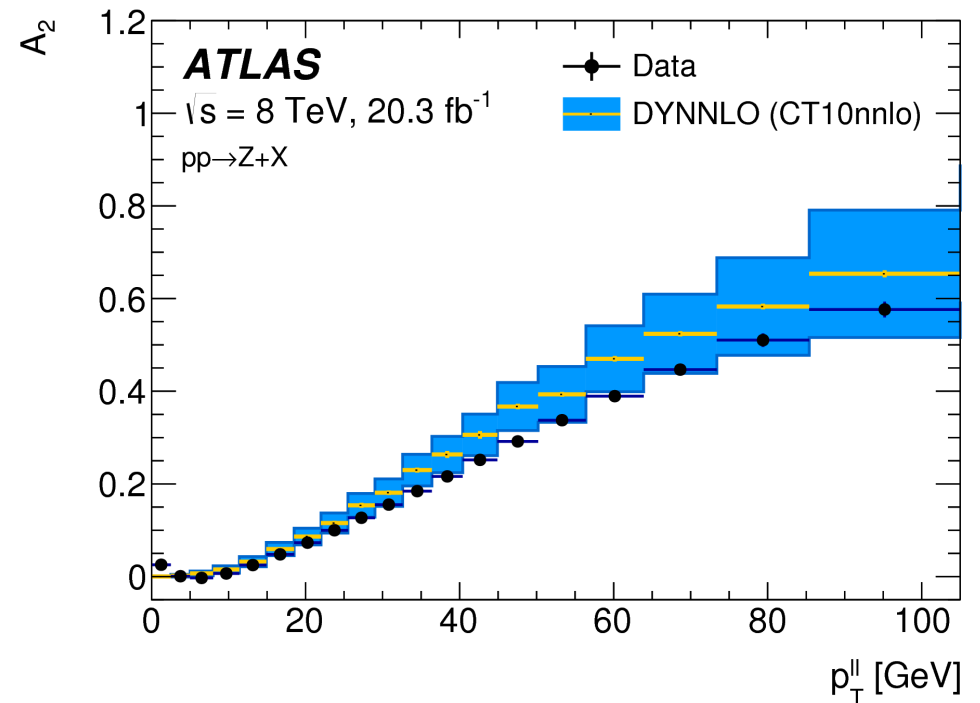
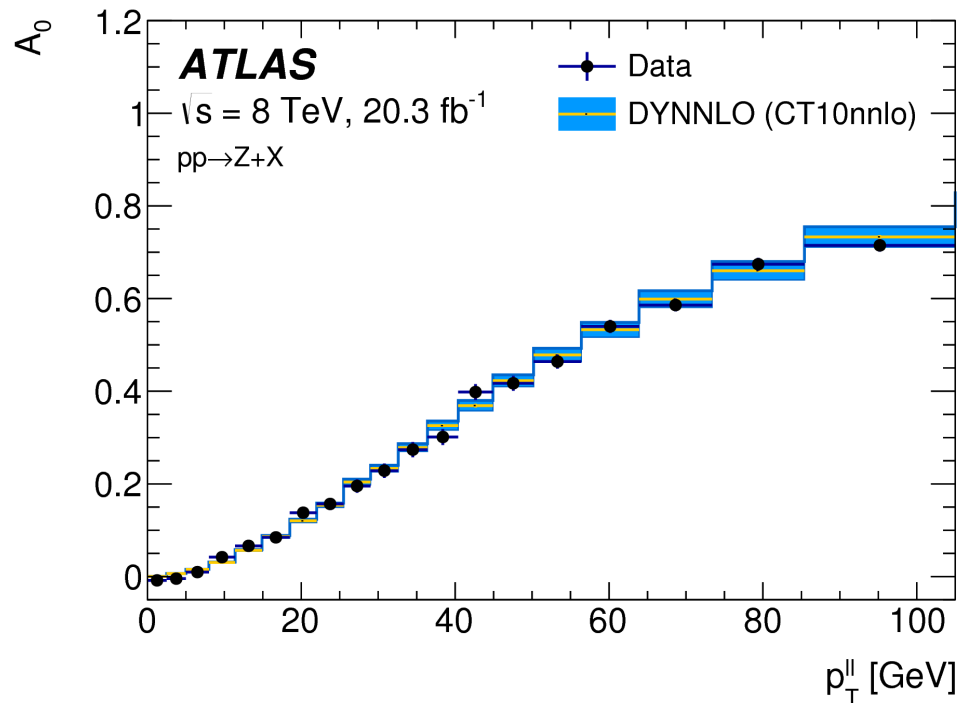


Satisfactory agreement between the theoretical prediction and the measurements is observed: $\chi^2/\text{dof} = 45/34$.

Angular coefficients

The A_i coefficients are modelled with fixed order pQCD at NNLO.

The predictions (DYNNLO) are validated by comparison to the A_i measurements in 8 TeV Z-boson data [JHEP08\(2016\)159](#)



Uncertainties on A_i modelling: experimental uncertainty of the measurement and observed discrepancy for A_2 coefficient

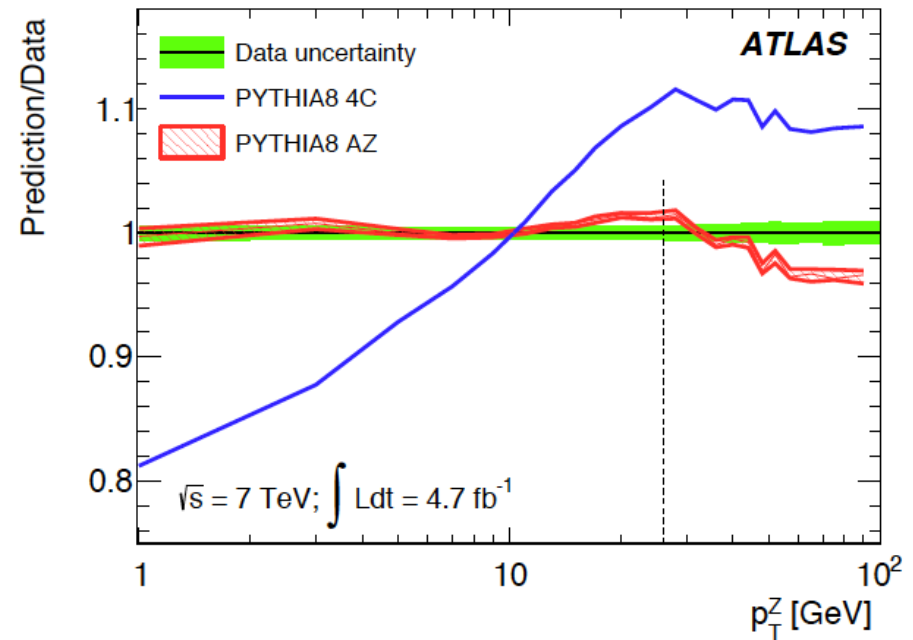
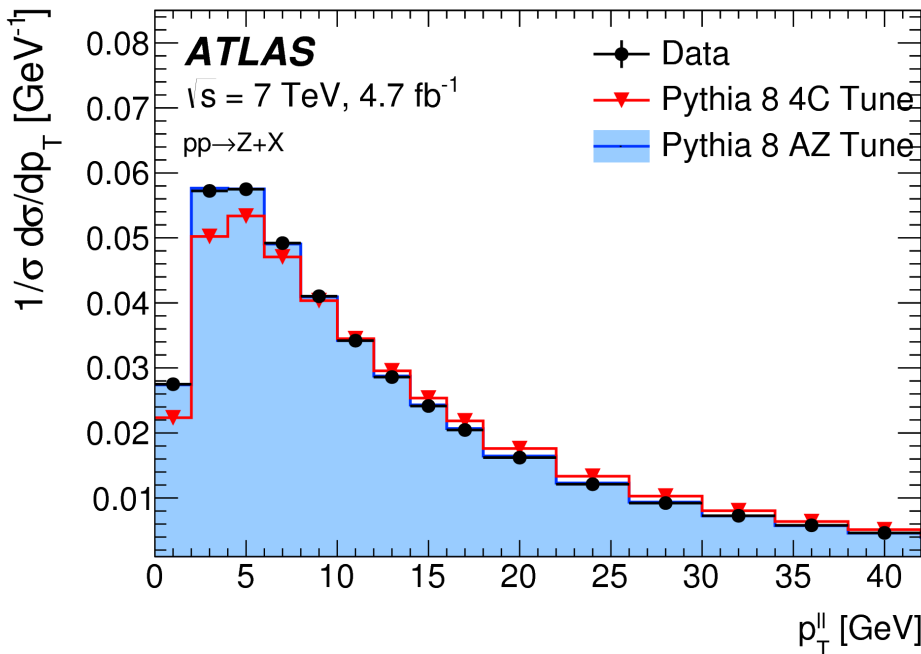
W -boson charge	W^+		W^-		Combined	
	p_T^ℓ	m_T	p_T^ℓ	m_T	p_T^ℓ	m_T
Angular coefficients	5.8	5.3	5.8	5.3	5.8	5.3

Transverse momentum

Parton shower MC Pythia 8 tuned to the 7 TeV data AZ tune (better description in rapidity bins than the AZNLO tune of Powheg+Pythia) [JHEP09\(2014\)145](#)

The agreement between data and Pythia AZ is better than 1% for $p_T < 40$ GeV

PYTHIA8	
Tune Name	AZ
Primordial k_T [GeV]	1.71 ± 0.03
ISR $\alpha_S^{ISR}(m_Z)$	0.1237 ± 0.0002
ISR cut-off [GeV]	0.59 ± 0.08
χ^2_{\min}/dof	45.4/32

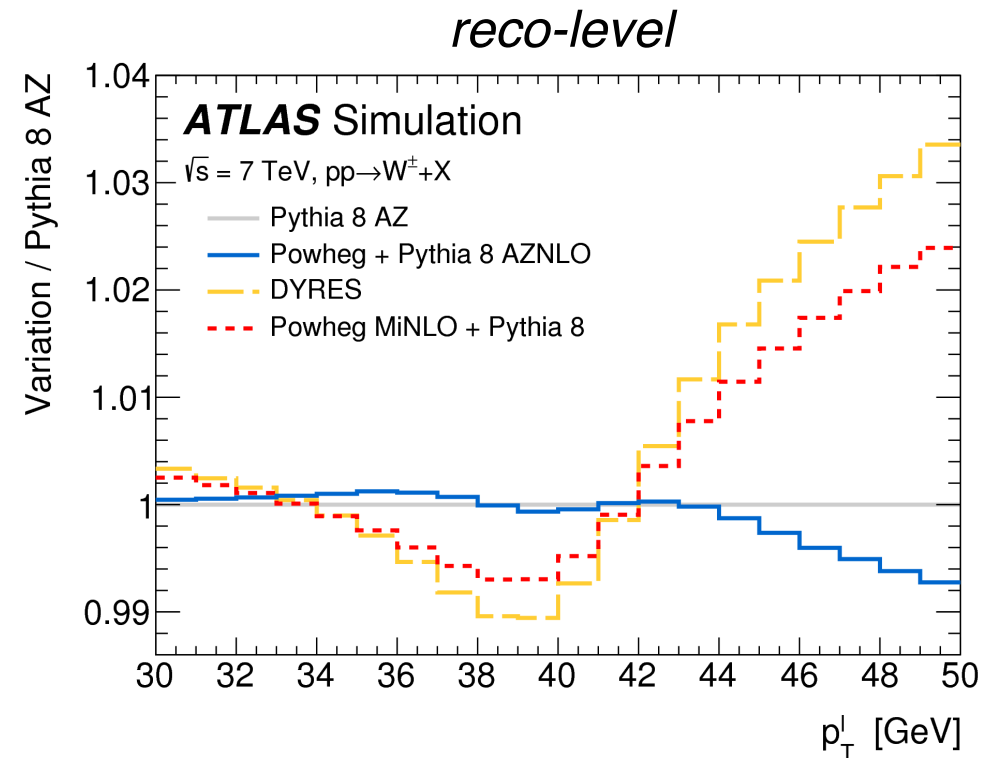
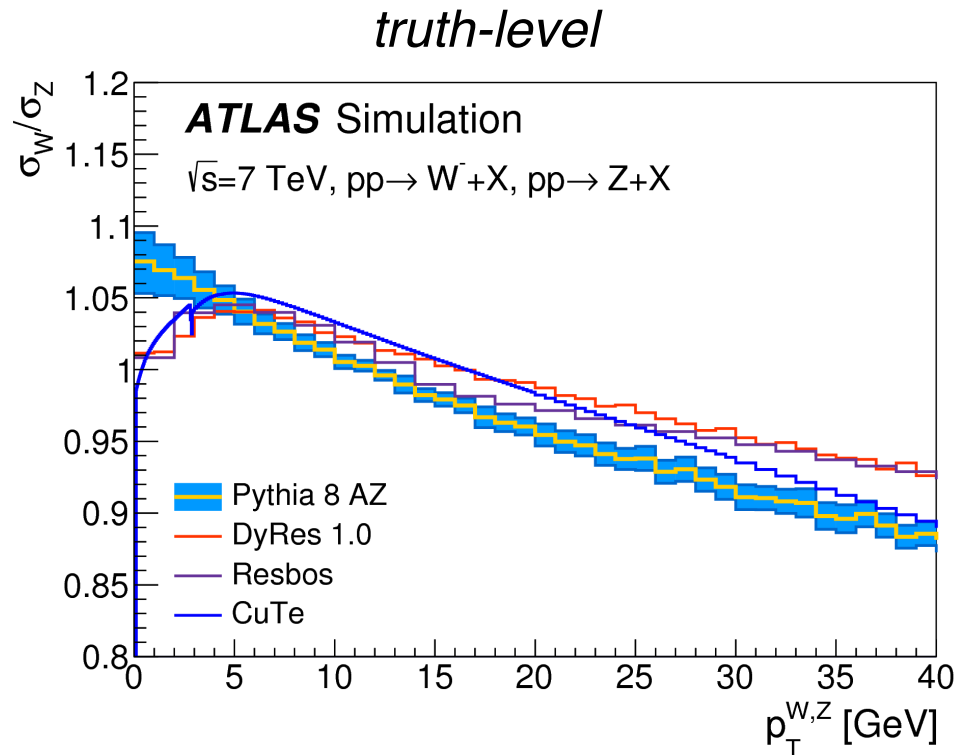


The accuracy of Z data is propagated and considered as an uncertainty

W-boson charge Kinematic distribution	W^+		W^-		Combined	
	p_T^ℓ	m_T	p_T^ℓ	m_T	p_T^ℓ	m_T
AZ tune	3.0	$^{3.4}_{28}$	3.0	3.4	3.0	3.4

Transverse momentum

Resummed predictions (DYRES, ResBos, CuTe) and Powheg MiNLO+Pythia8 were tried but they predict **harder W p_T spectrum for a given p_T (Z) spectrum.**

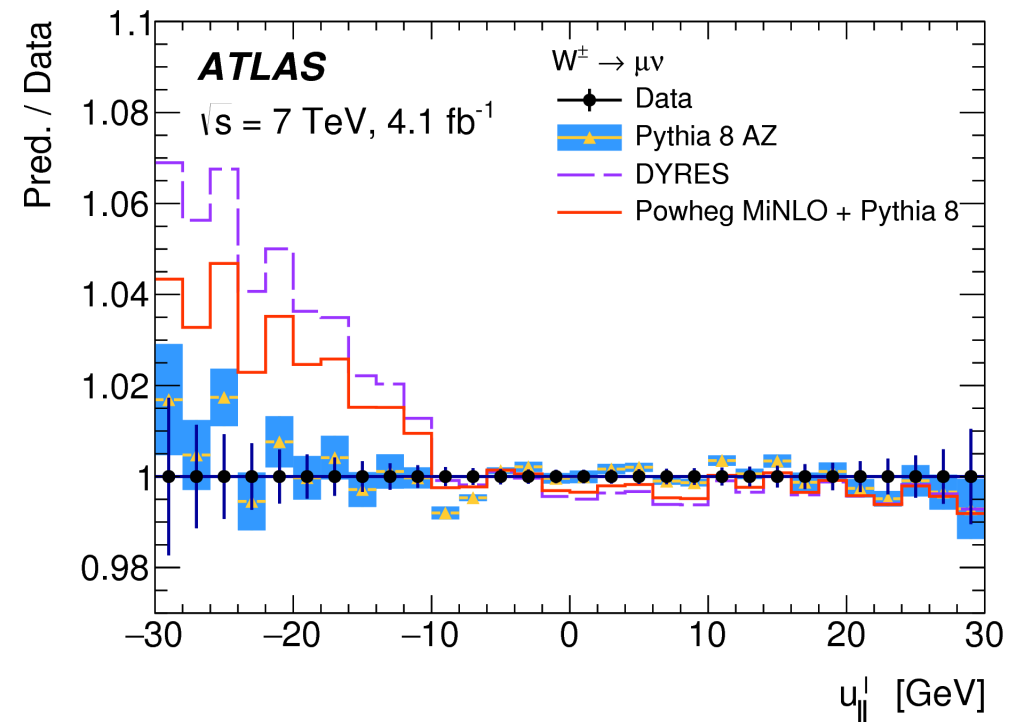
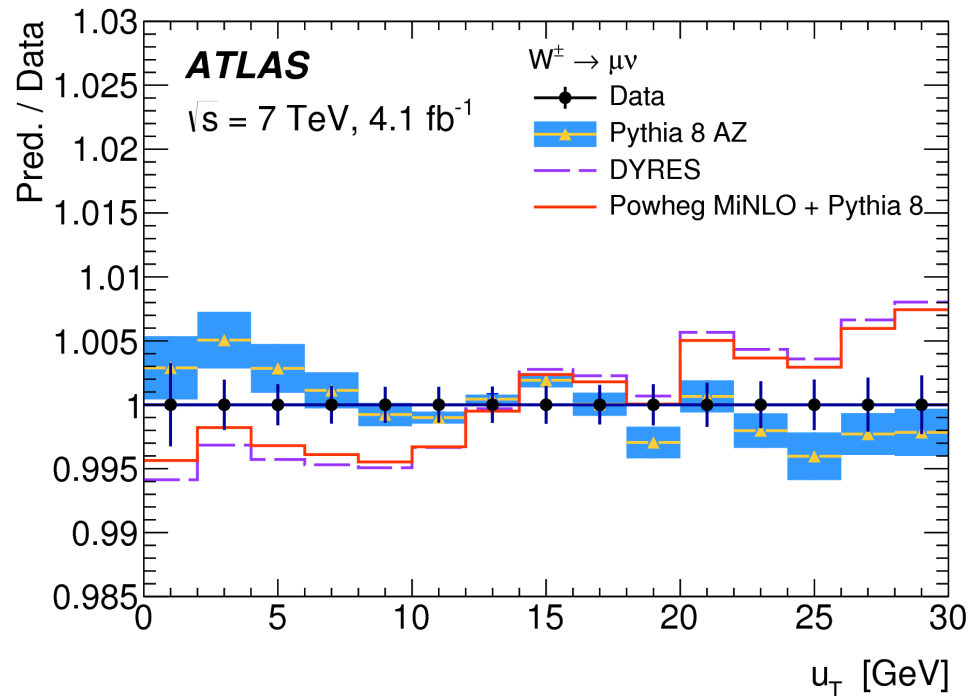


The effect on m_W of using the “formally” more accurate predictions has a significant impact on the W-mass value of the order of 50-100 MeV

Transverse momentum

The $u_{\parallel}(l)$ distribution is very sensitive to the underlying $p_{\text{T}}(W)$ distribution

—> used to provide a data-driven validation of the accuracy of our Pythia8 AZ model and to compare to the other calculations



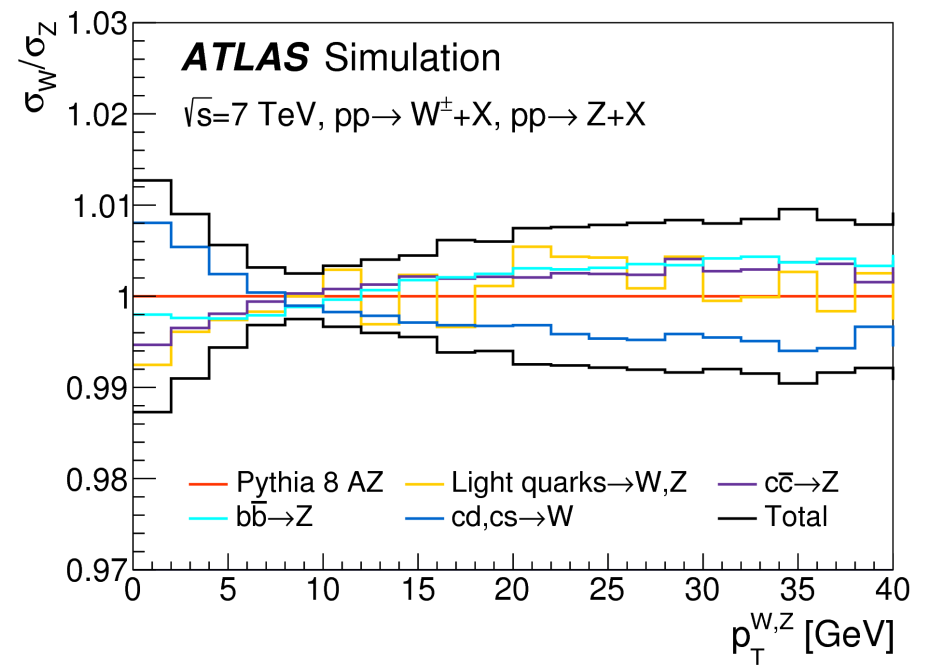
The NNLL resummed predictions and Powheg+MiNLO are strongly disfavoured by the data and the PS MC are in a good agreement tested using Pythia8 , Herwig7 and Powheg+Pythia8

Transverse momentum uncertainties

Z→W extrapolation: heavy quark masses (varying m_c by ± 0.5 GeV and m_b by ± 0.8 GeV), factorisation scale variations in the QCD ISR (separately for light and heavy-quark induced production),

Relative variations of the $p_T(W)$ and $p_T(Z)$ are considered.

Higher-order QCD expected to be largely correlated between W and Z produced by light quarks but a certain degree of decorrelation is expected from heavy-flavour induced production.



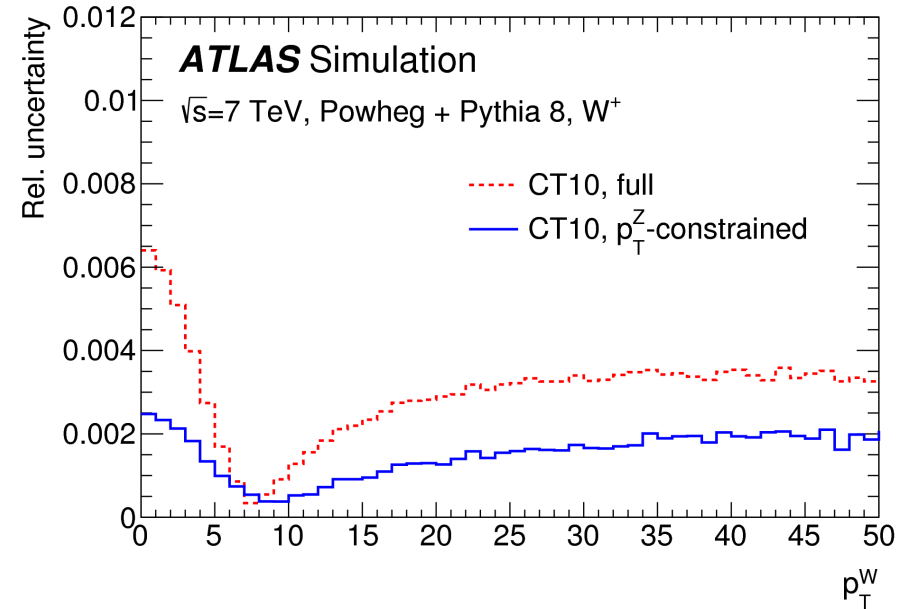
W-boson charge Kinematic distribution	W^+		W^-		Combined	
	p_T^ℓ	m_T	p_T^ℓ	m_T	p_T^ℓ	m_T
Charm-quark mass	1.2	1.5	1.2	1.5	1.2	1.5
Parton shower μ_F with heavy-flavour decorrelation	5.0	6.9	5.0	6.9	5.0	6.9

PDF uncertainties

PDF variations (25 error eigenvectors) of CT10nnlo are applied simultaneously to the boson rapidity, A_i , and p_T distributions.

Only relative variations of the $p_T(W)$ and $p_T(Z)$ induced by PDFs are considered.

Consider largest deviation of $p_T(W)/p_T(Z)$ for the parton shower PDF variation: CTEQ6L1 LO (nominal) to CT14lo, MMHT2014lo and NNPDF2.3lo



W -boson charge Kinematic distribution	W^+		W^-		Combined	
	p_T^ℓ	m_T	p_T^ℓ	m_T	p_T^ℓ	m_T
Fixed-order PDF uncertainty	13.1	14.9	12.0	14.2	8.0	8.7
Parton shower PDF uncertainty	3.6	4.0	2.6	2.4	1.0	1.6

The PDF uncertainties very similar between p_T^ℓ and m_T but strongly *anti-correlated between W^+ and W^-* . Envelope taken from *CT14 and MMHT2014* ~3.8 MeV.

Summary of physics modelling uncertainties

W -boson charge	W^+		W^-		Combined	
	p_T^ℓ	m_T	p_T^ℓ	m_T	p_T^ℓ	m_T
Kinematic distribution						
δm_W [MeV]						
Fixed-order PDF uncertainty	13.1	14.9	12.0	14.2	8.0	8.7
AZ tune	3.0	3.4	3.0	3.4	3.0	3.4
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Parton shower PDF uncertainty	3.6	4.0	2.6	2.4	1.0	1.6
Angular coefficients	5.8	5.3	5.8	5.3	5.8	5.3
Total	15.9	18.1	14.8	17.2	11.6	12.9

QCD

Decay channel	$W \rightarrow e\nu$		$W \rightarrow \mu\nu$	
	p_T^ℓ	m_T	p_T^ℓ	m_T
δm_W [MeV]				
FSR (real)	< 0.1	< 0.1	< 0.1	< 0.1
Pure weak and IFI corrections	3.3	2.5	3.5	2.5
FSR (pair production)	3.6	0.8	4.4	0.8
Total	4.9	2.6	5.6	2.6

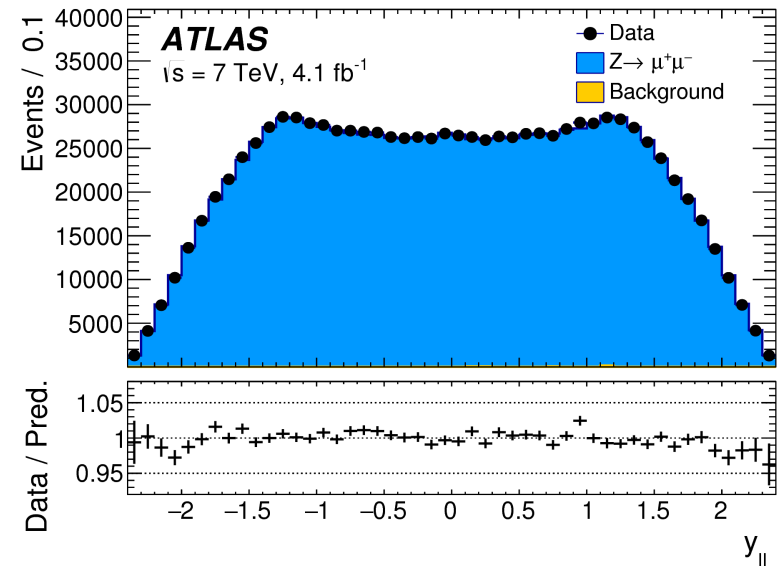
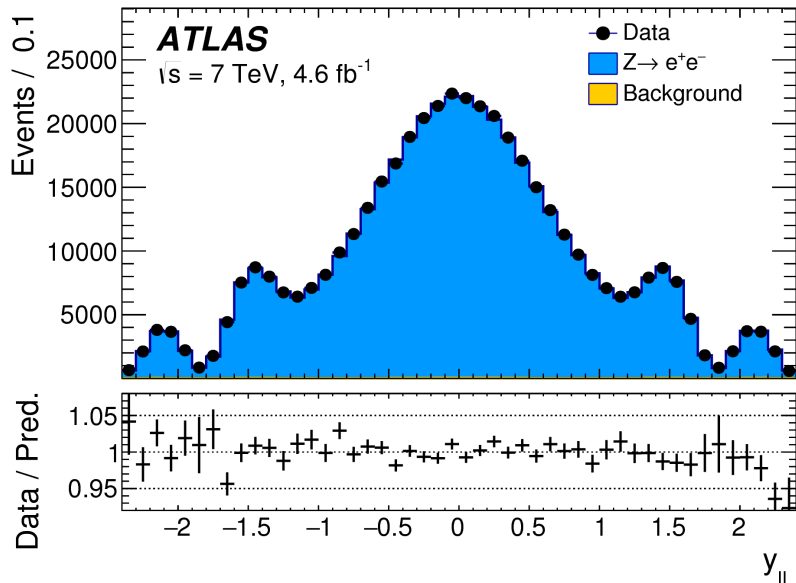
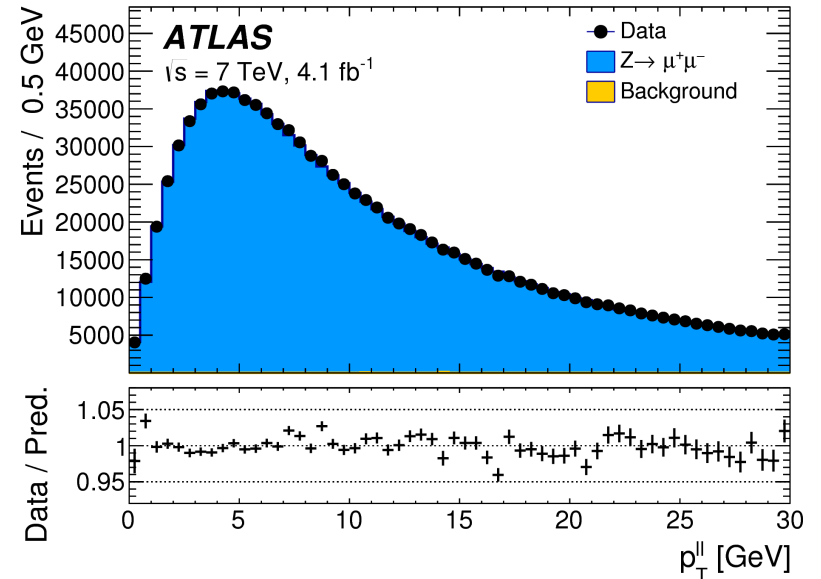
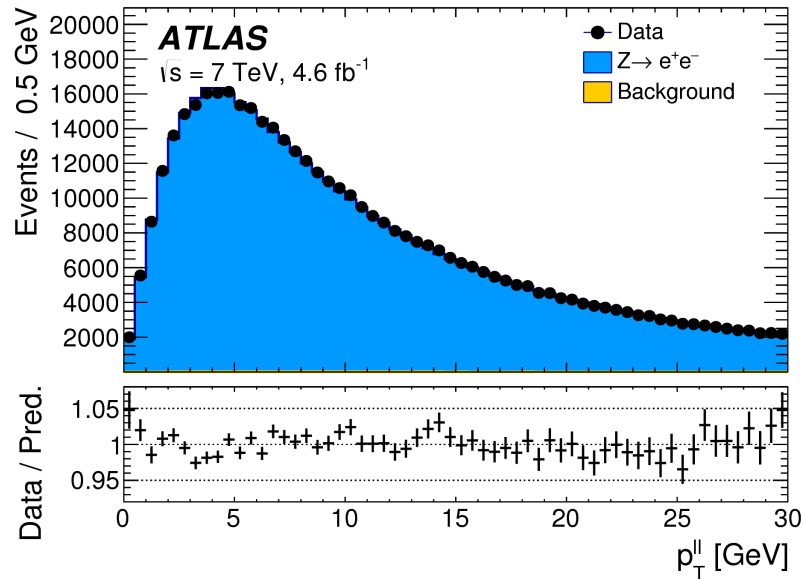
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The PDF uncertainties are the dominant followed by $p_T(W)$ uncertainty due to the heavy-flavour initiated production.

Validation and results

Cross checks with Z events

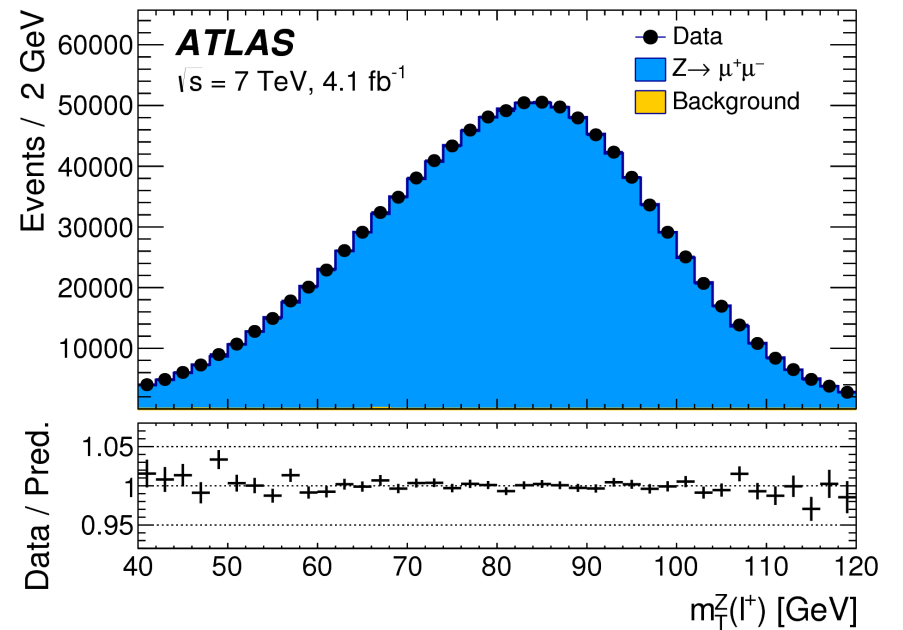
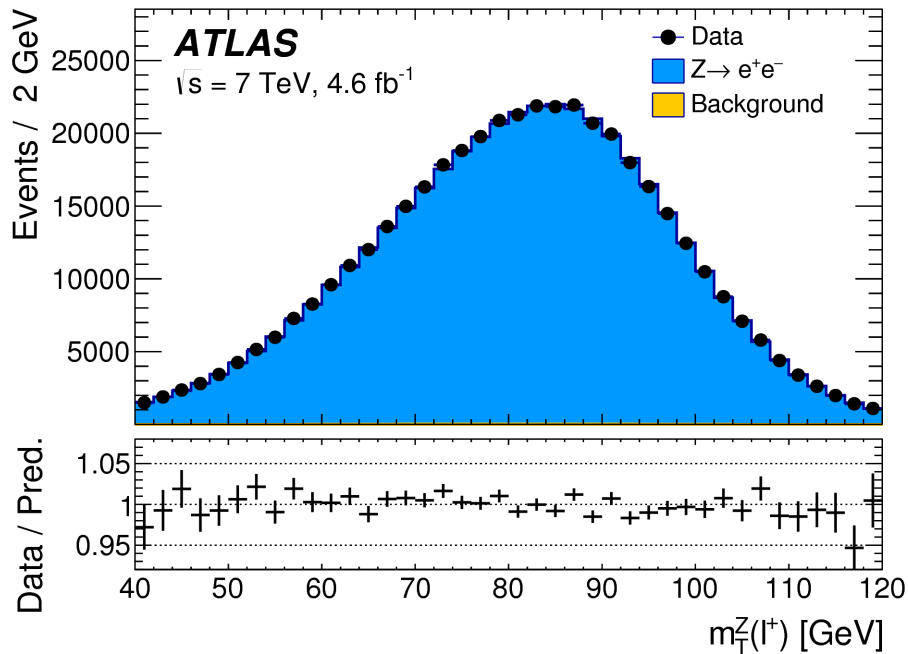
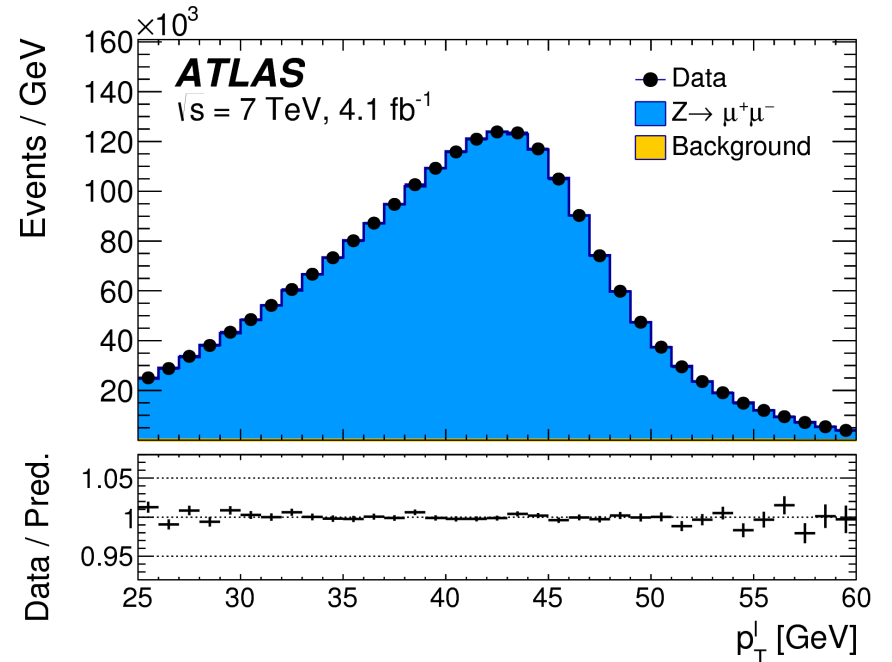
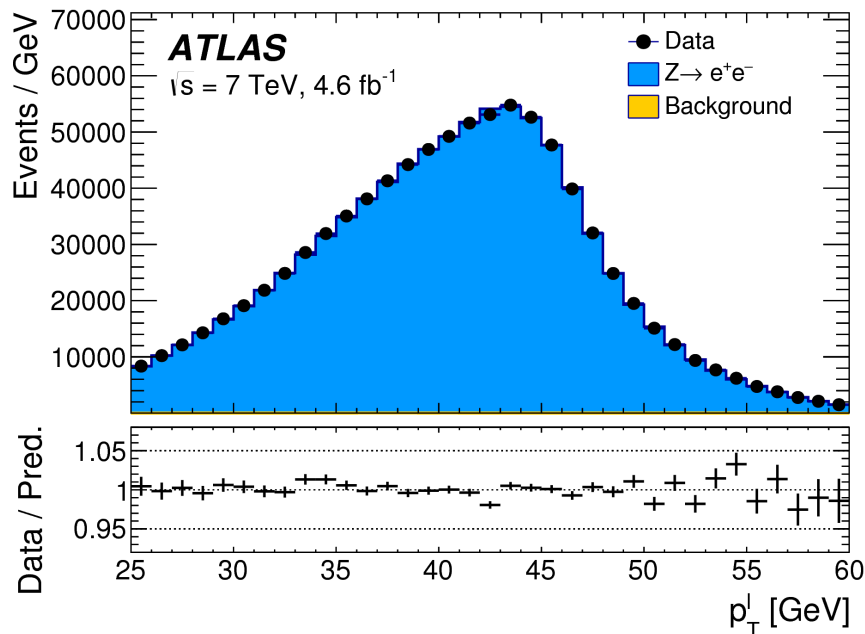
Z tranverse momentum and rapidity distributions in e, mu channels



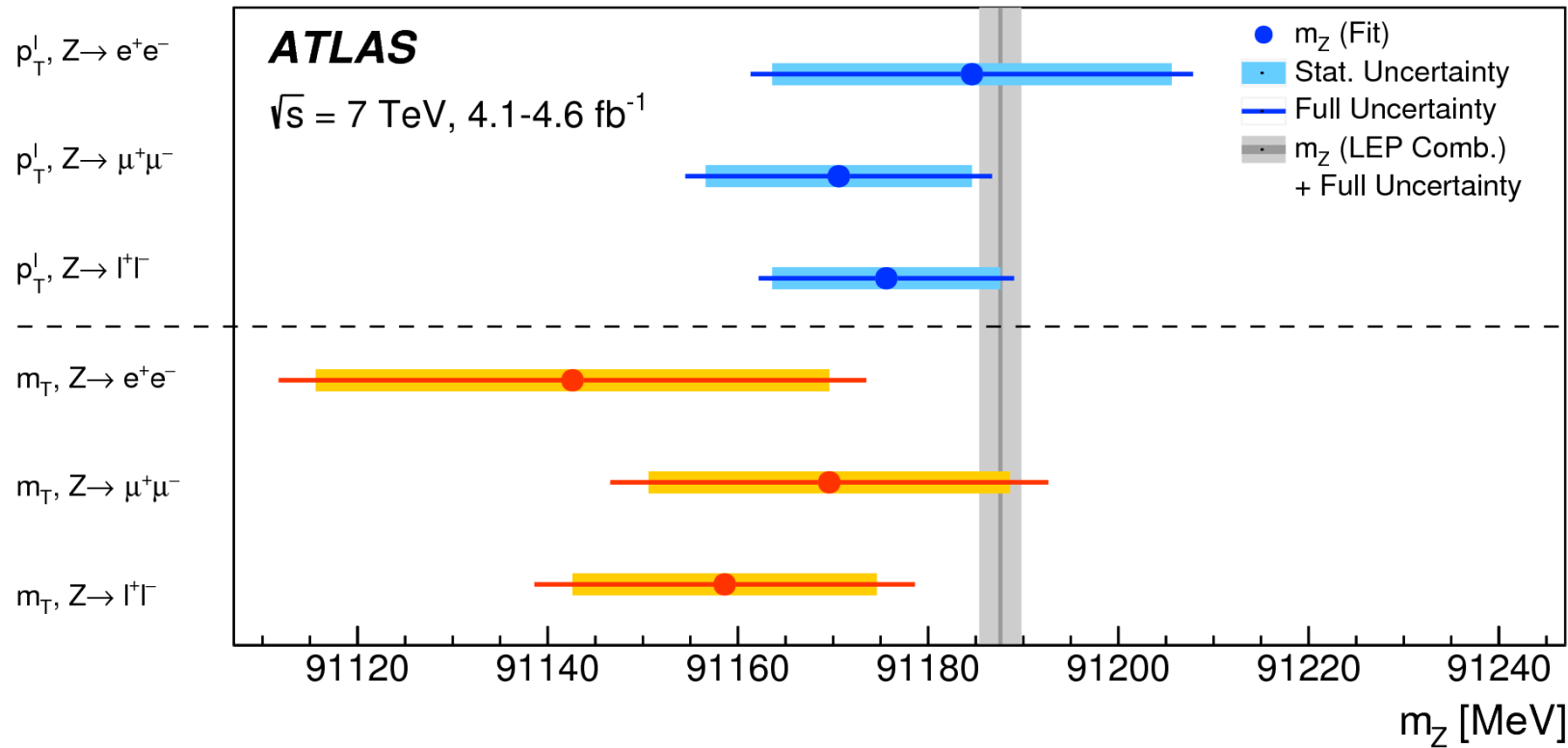
Good agreement is observed. Error bars are statistics only.

Cross checks with Z events

Transverse momentum and transverse mass distributions in e, mu channels



Cross checks with Z events



Lepton charge Distribution	ℓ^+			ℓ^-			Combined	
	p_T^ℓ	m_T		p_T^ℓ	m_T		p_T^ℓ	m_T
Δm_Z [MeV]			37					
$Z \rightarrow ee$	$13 \pm 31 \pm 10$	$-93 \pm 38 \pm 15$	$-20 \pm 31 \pm 10$	$4 \pm 38 \pm 15$			$-3 \pm 21 \pm 10$	$-45 \pm 27 \pm 15$
$Z \rightarrow \mu\mu$	$1 \pm 22 \pm 8$	$-35 \pm 28 \pm 13$	$-36 \pm 22 \pm 8$	$-1 \pm 27 \pm 13$			$-17 \pm 14 \pm 8$	$-18 \pm 19 \pm 13$
Combined	$5 \pm 18 \pm 6$	$-58 \pm 23 \pm 12$	$-31 \pm 18 \pm 6$	$1 \pm 22 \pm 12$			$-12 \pm 12 \pm 6$	$-29 \pm 16 \pm 12$

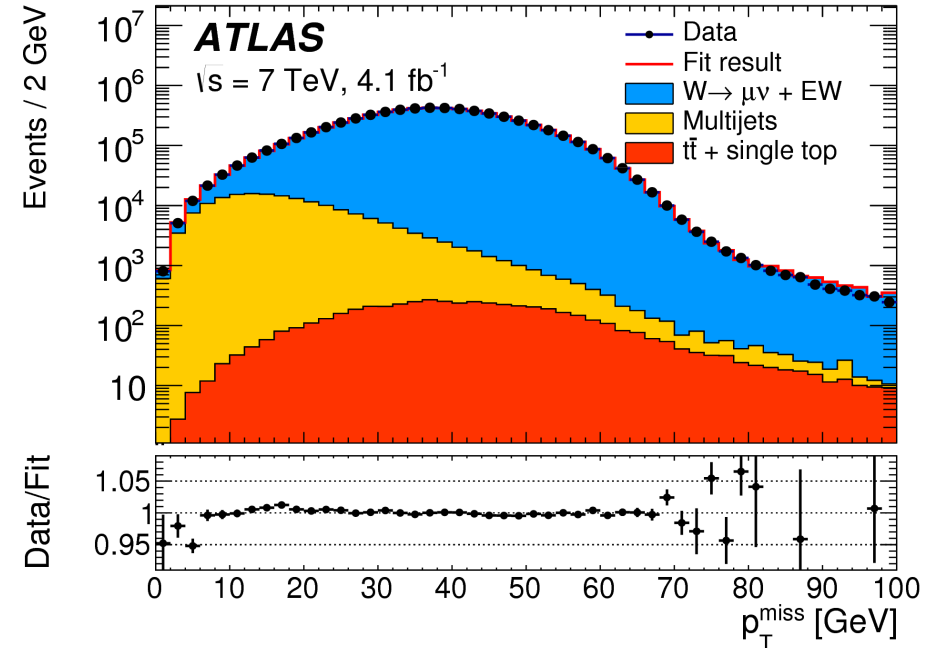
Results are consistent with the combined LEP value of m_Z within experimental uncertainties

Backgrounds in W

Electroweak and top-quark backgrounds are determined from simulation

Multijet background is determined using data-driven techniques:

- define background-dominated fit regions with relaxed cuts of the event selection
- template fits in these regions to 3 observables: p_T^{miss} , m_T and p_T^ℓ/m_T
- control regions are obtained by inverting the lepton isolation requirements



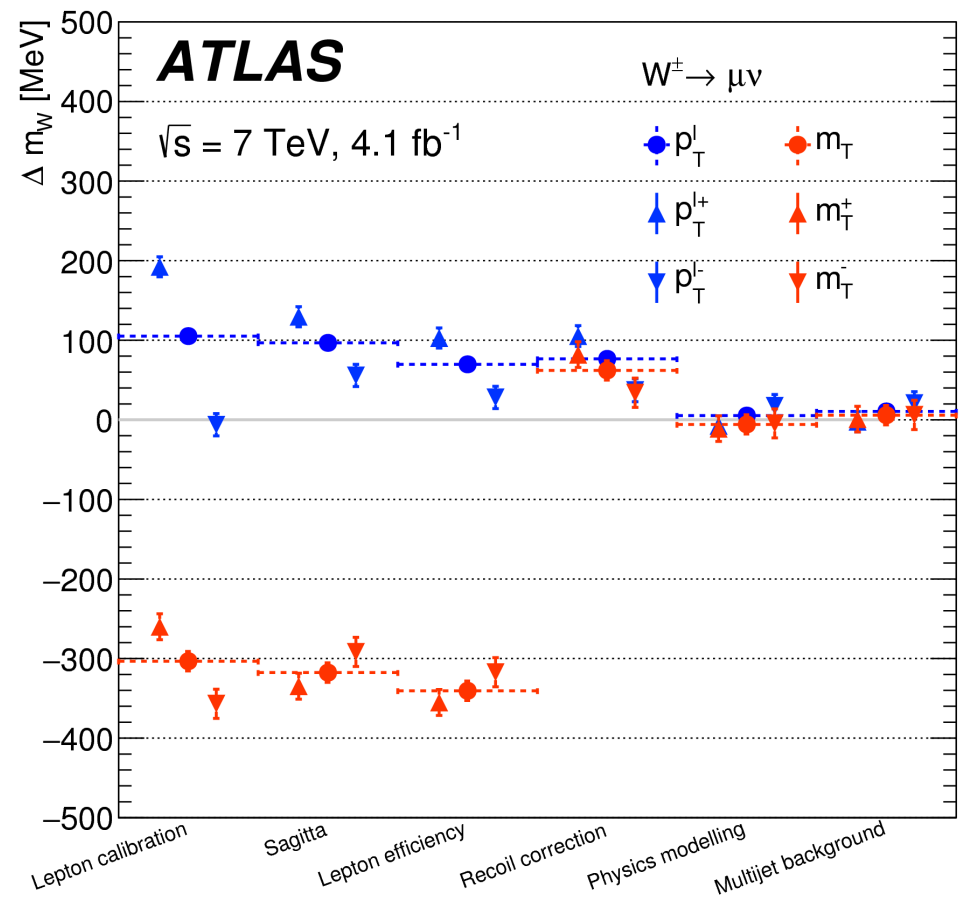
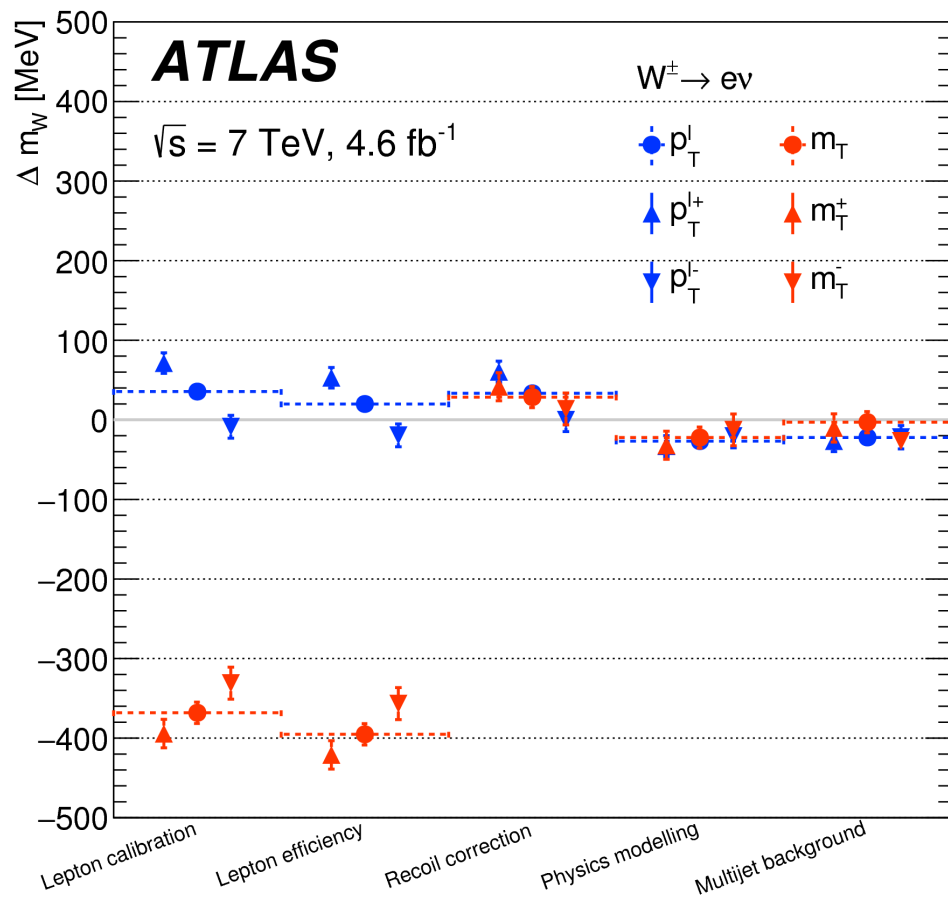
$W \rightarrow \mu\nu$						
Category	$W \rightarrow \tau\nu$	$Z \rightarrow \mu\mu$	$Z \rightarrow \tau\tau$	Top	Dibosons	Multijet
W^\pm $0.0 < \eta < 0.8$	1.04	2.83	0.12	0.16	0.08	0.72
W^\pm $0.8 < \eta < 1.4$	1.01	4.44	0.11	0.12	0.07	0.57
W^\pm $1.4 < \eta < 2.0$	0.99	6.78	0.11	0.07	0.06	0.51
W^\pm $2.0 < \eta < 2.4$	1.00	8.50	0.10	0.04	0.05	0.50
W^\pm all η bins	1.01	5.41	0.11	0.10	0.06	0.58
W^+ all η bins	0.99	4.80	0.10	0.09	0.06	0.51
W^- all η bins	1.04	6.28	0.14	0.12	0.08	0.68

$W \rightarrow e\nu$						
Category	$W \rightarrow \tau\nu$	$Z \rightarrow ee$	$Z \rightarrow \tau\tau$	Top	Dibosons	Multijet
W^\pm $0.0 < \eta < 0.6$	1.02	3.34	0.13	0.15	0.08	0.59
W^\pm $0.6 < \eta < 1.2$	1.00	3.48	0.12	0.13	0.08	0.76
W^\pm $1.8 < \eta < 2.4$	0.97	3.23	0.11	0.05	0.05	1.74
W^\pm all η bins	1.00	3.37	0.12	0.12	0.07	1.00
W^+ all η bins	0.98	2.92	0.10	0.11	0.06	0.84
W^- all η bins	1.04	3.98	0.14	0.13	0.08	1.21

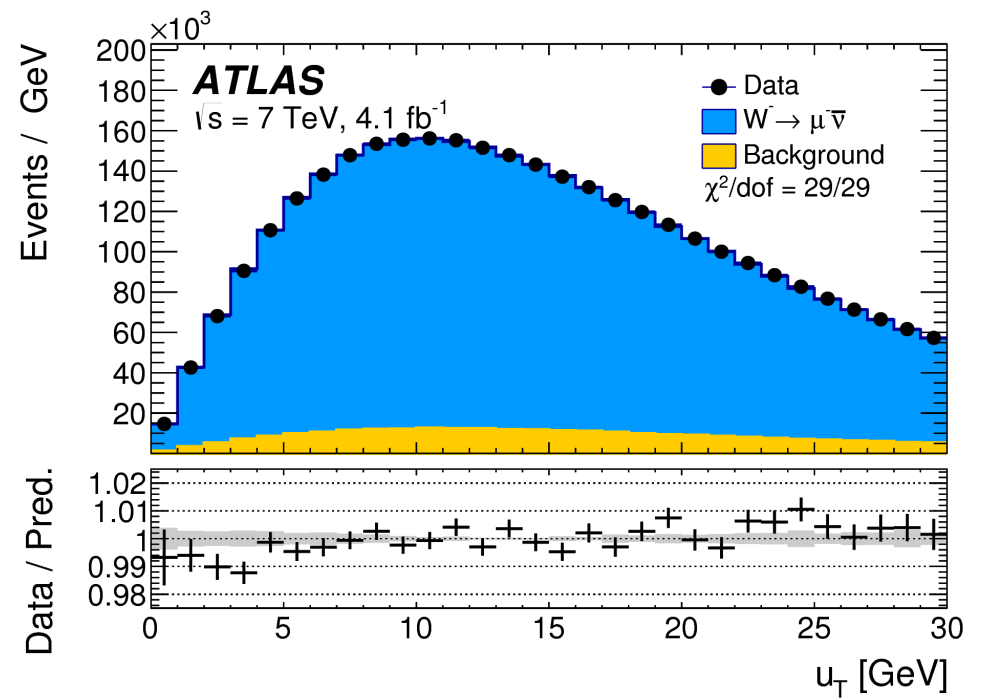
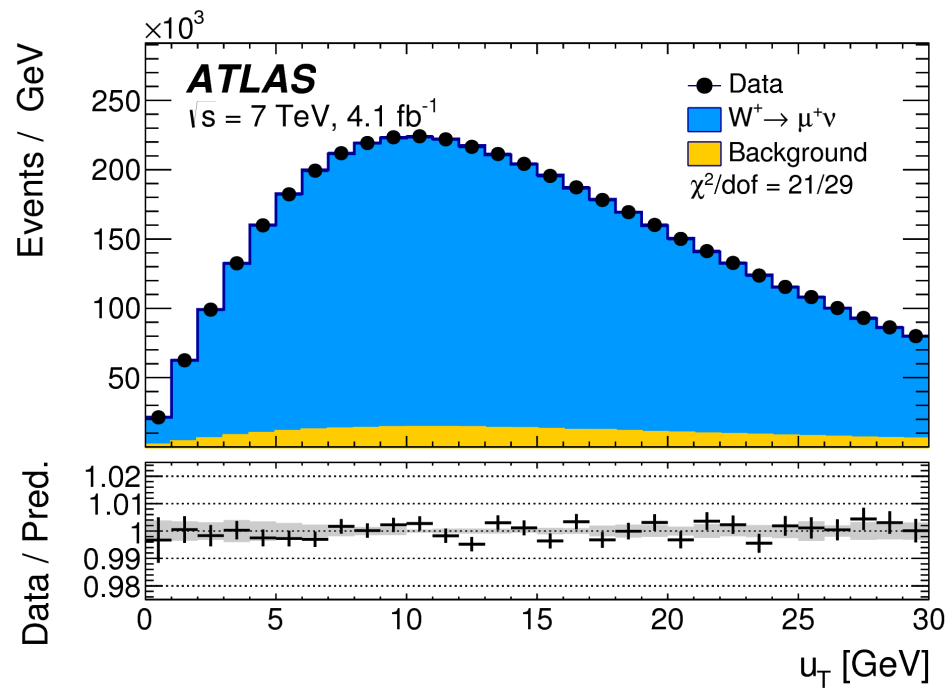
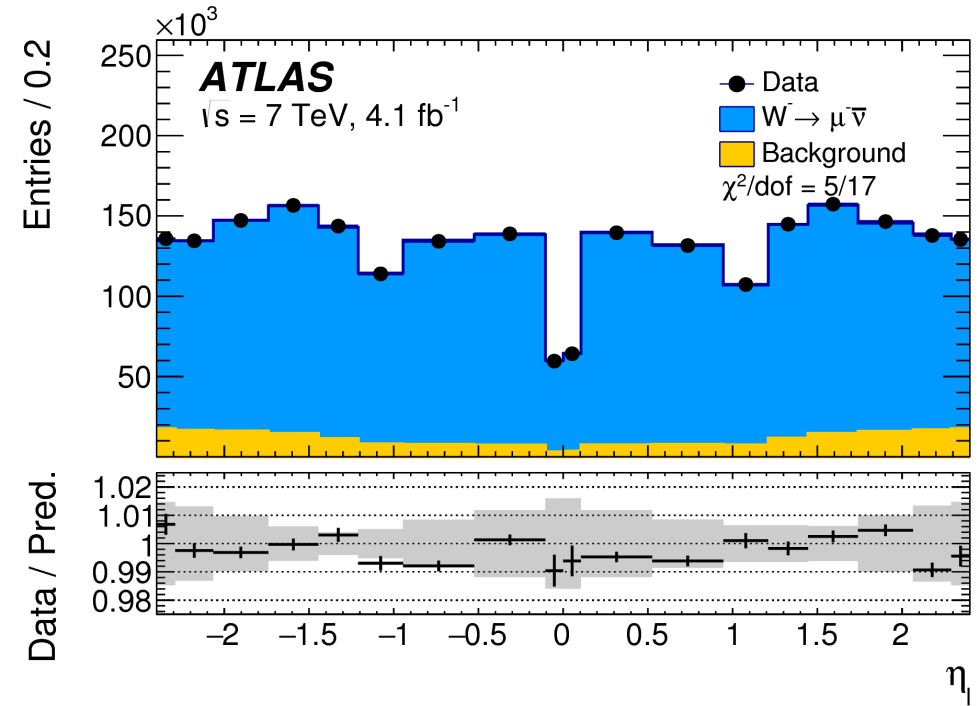
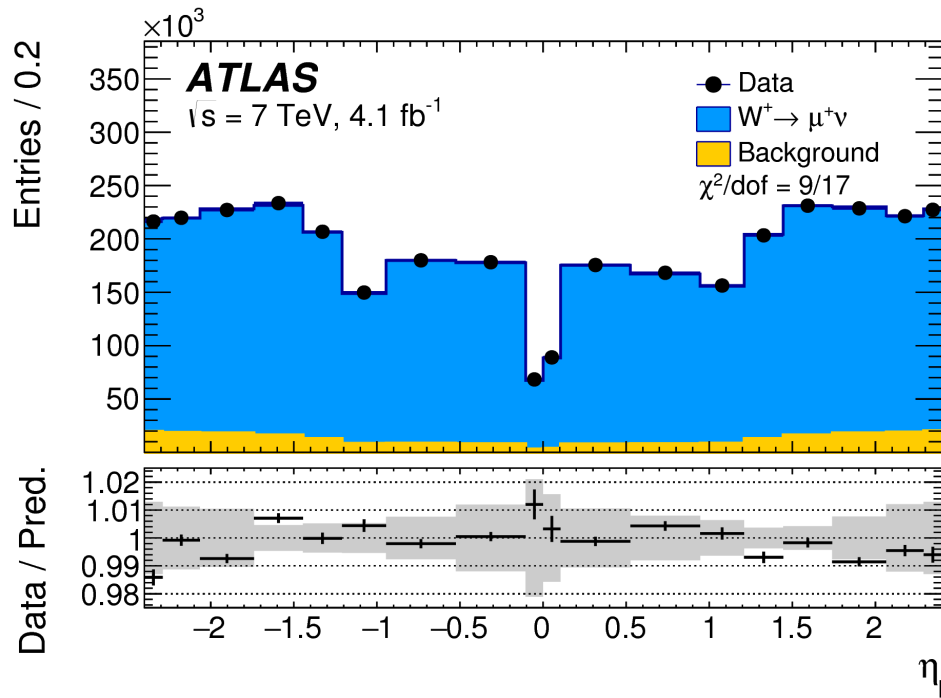
Kinematic distribution	p_T^ℓ				m_T			
	$W \rightarrow e\nu$		$W \rightarrow \mu\nu$		$W \rightarrow e\nu$		$W \rightarrow \mu\nu$	
Decay channel	W^+	W^-	W^+	W^-	W^+	W^-	W^+	W^-
W-boson charge	W^+	W^-	W^+	W^-	W^+	W^-	W^+	W^-
δm_W [MeV]								
$W \rightarrow \tau\nu$ (fraction, shape)	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.3
$Z \rightarrow ee$ (fraction, shape)	3.3	4.8	-	-	4.3	6.4	-	-
$Z \rightarrow \mu\mu$ (fraction, shape)	-	-	3.5	4.5	-	-	4.3	5.2
$Z \rightarrow \tau\tau$ (fraction, shape)	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.3
WW, WZ, ZZ (fraction)	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.4
Top (fraction)	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
Multijet (fraction)	3.2	3.6	1.8	2.4	8.1	8.6	3.7	4.6
Multijet (shape)	3.8	3.1	1.6	1.5	8.6	8.0	2.5	2.4
Total	6.0	6.8	4.3	5.3	12.6	13.4	6.2	7.4

Summary of different corrections

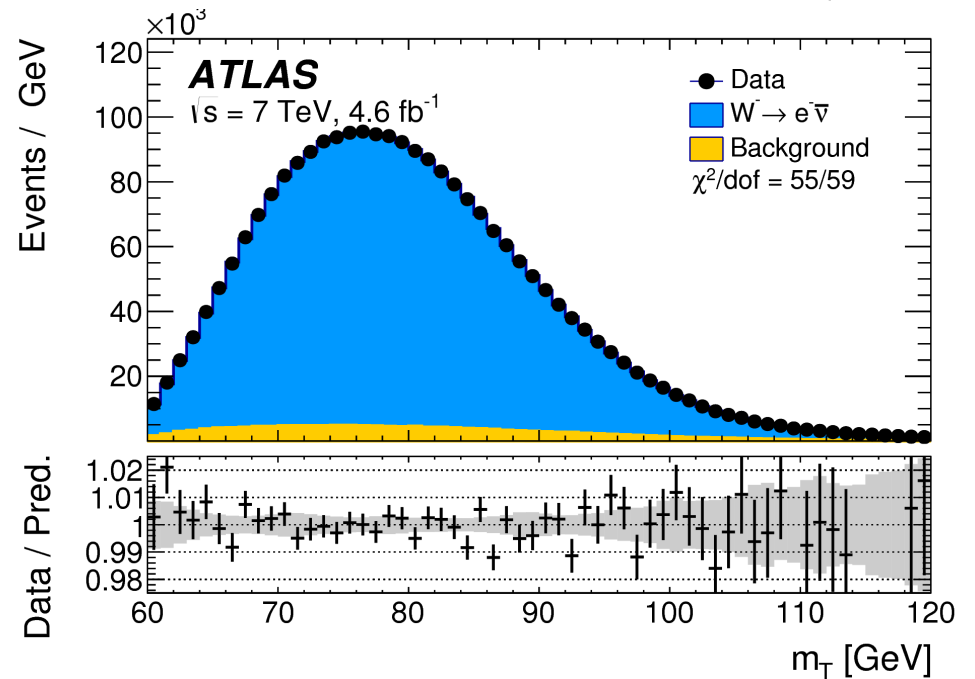
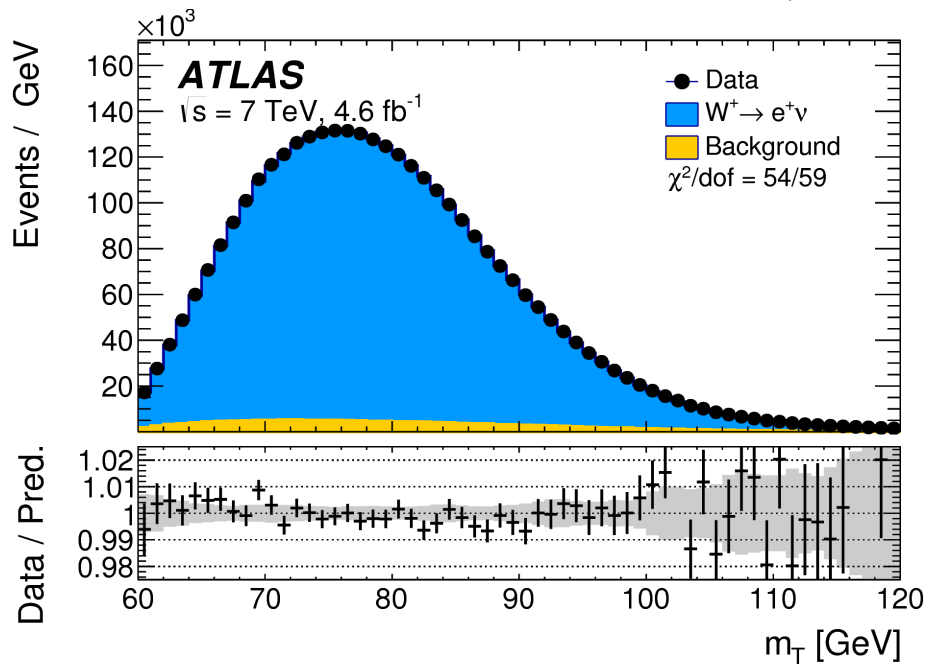
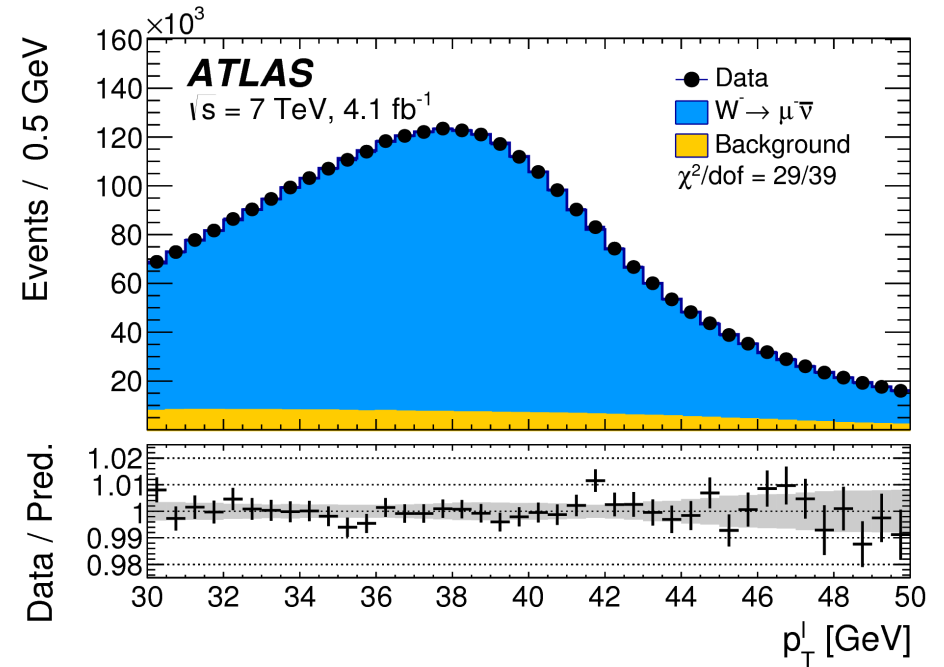
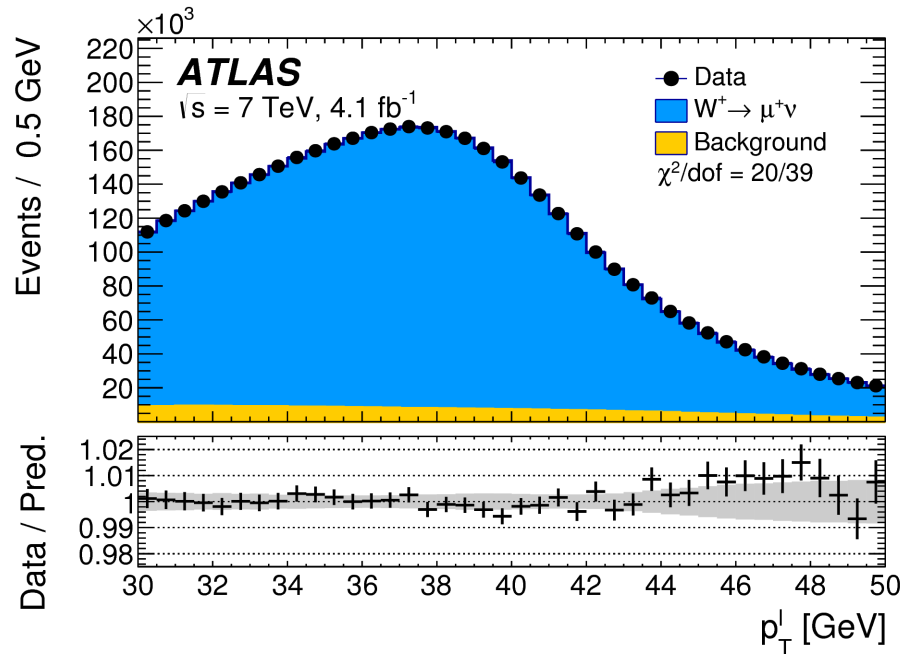
After all corrections are applied, **consistent results** are achieved between different channels, observables, categories, charges and only after results were unblinded.



W control distributions: eta, pT

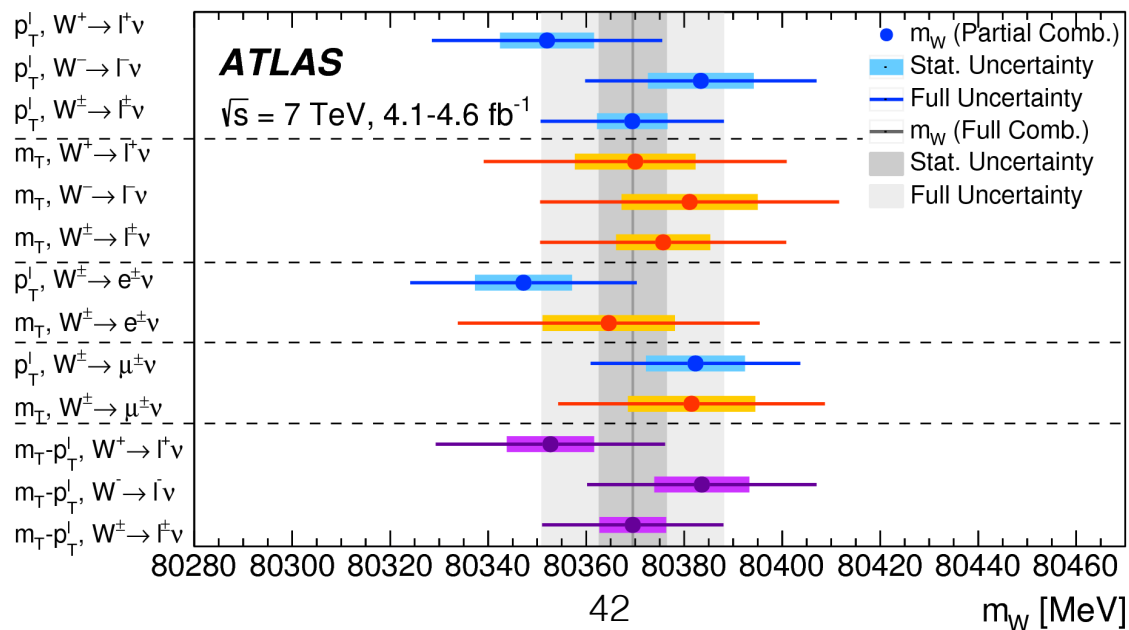
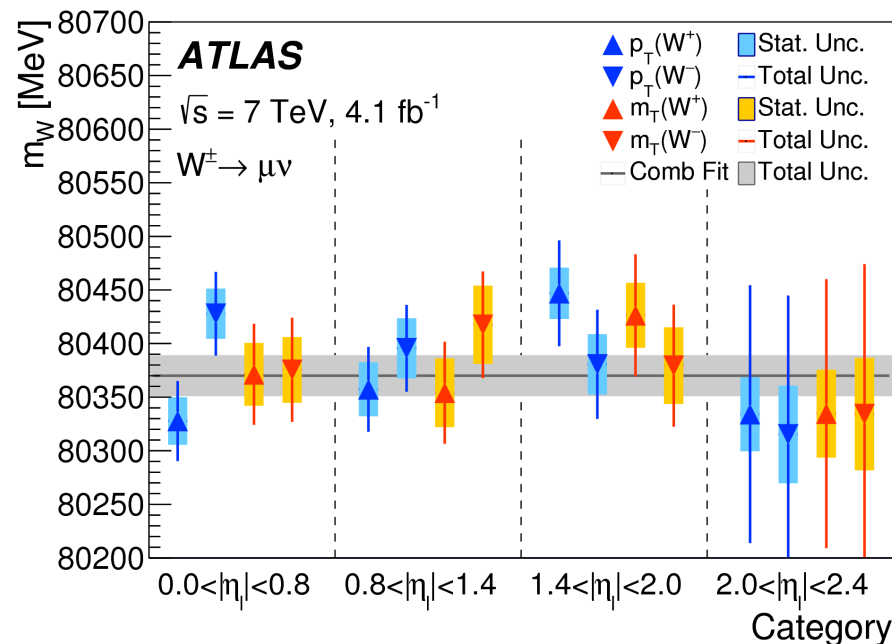
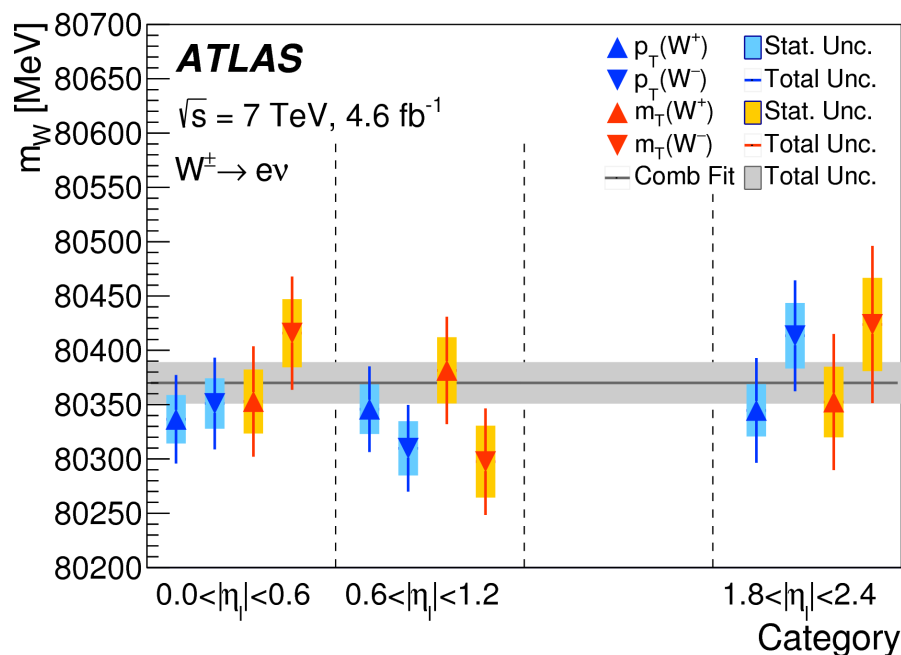


W mass-sensitive distributions: p_T^l and m_T



Consistency of the results

The consistency of the results was checked in the different categories but also in different pileup, u_T and $u_{||}$ bins



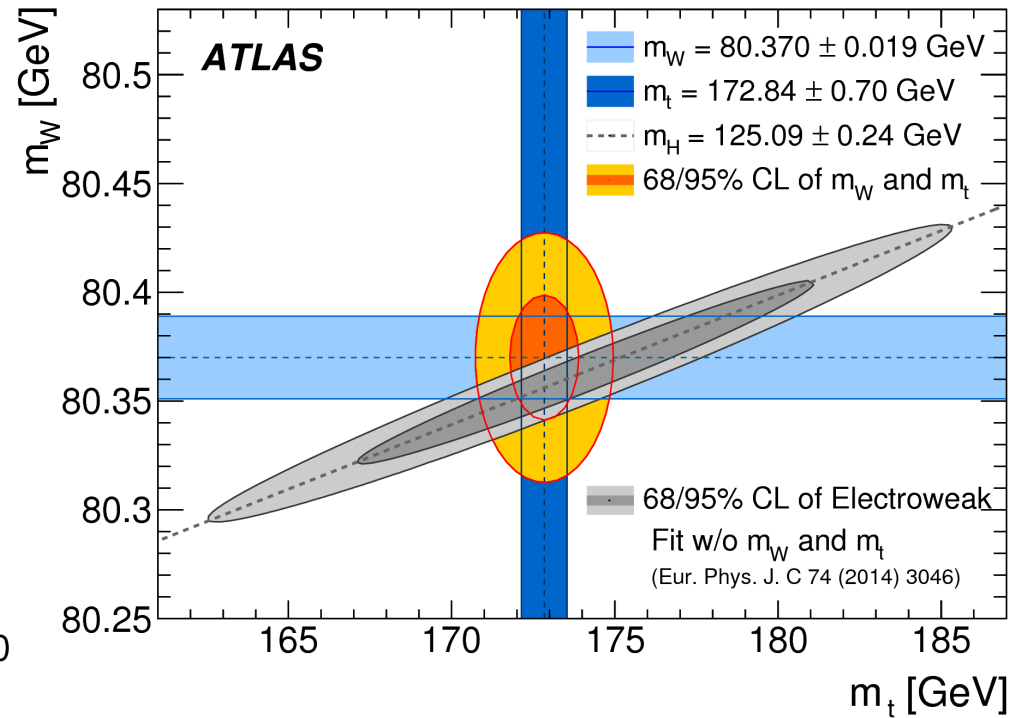
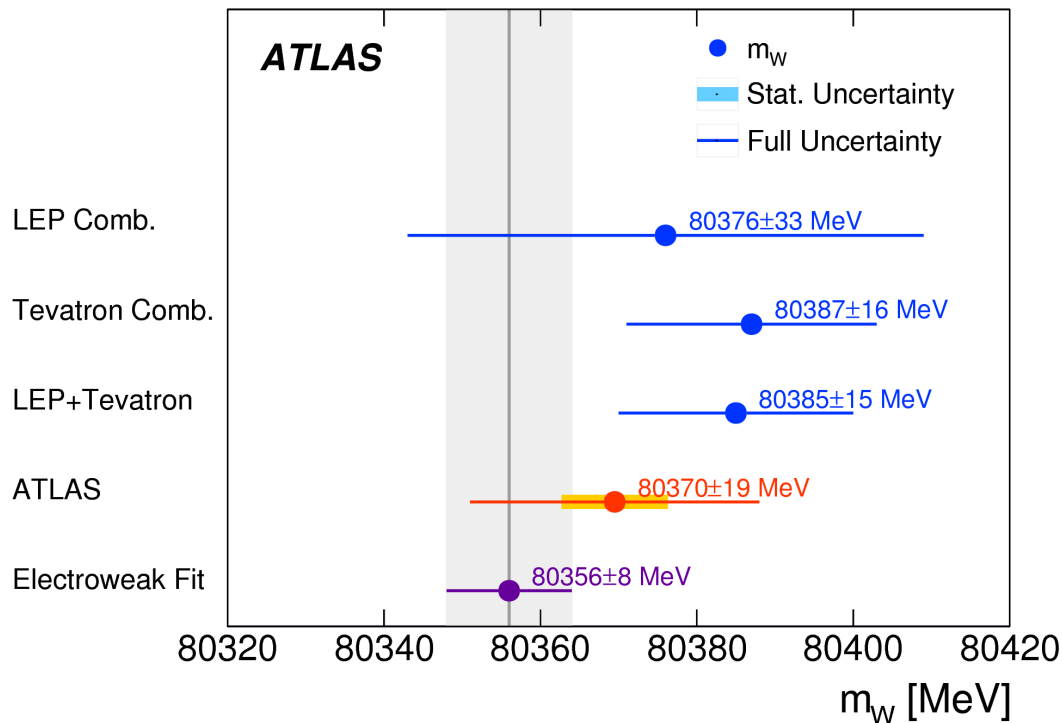
Results

$$m_W = 80369.5 \pm 6.8 \text{ MeV (stat.)} \pm 10.6 \text{ MeV (exp. syst.)} \pm 13.6 \text{ MeV (mod. syst.)}$$

$$= 80369.5 \pm 18.5 \text{ MeV,}$$

Combined categories	Value [MeV]	Stat. Unc.	Muon Unc.	Elec. Unc.	Recoil Unc.	Bckg. Unc.	QCD Unc.	EWK Unc.	PDF Unc.	Total Unc.	χ^2/dof of Comb.
$m_T-p_T^\ell, W^\pm, e-\mu$	80369.5	6.8	6.6	6.4	2.9	4.5	8.3	5.5	9.2	18.5	29/27

$$m_{W^+} - m_{W^-} = -29 \pm 28 \text{ MeV}$$

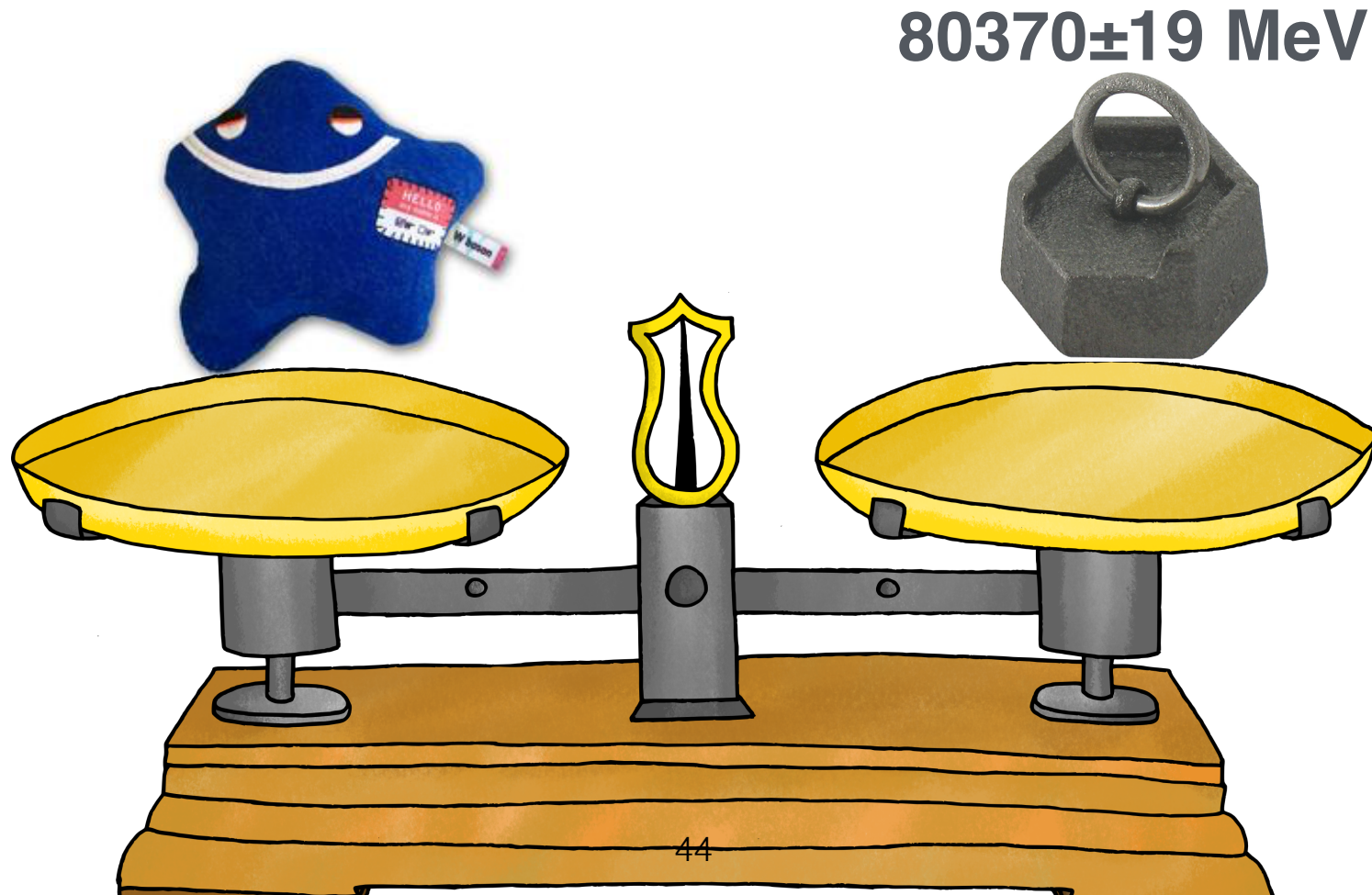


The result is consistent with the SM expectation, compatible with the world average and competitive in precision to the currently leading measurements by CDF and D0

Conclusion

The first LHC measurement of $m_W = 80370 \pm 19 \text{ MeV}$ is public now [arXiv:1701.07240v1](#) after many years of effort in the ATLAS collaboration.

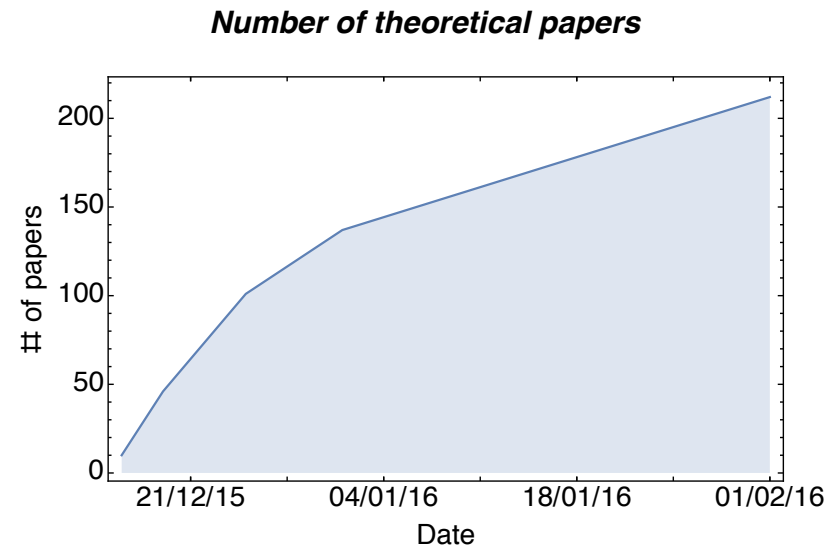
The central value is consistent with the SM prediction and with the current world average value.



Perspectives

The uncertainty is dominated by theoretical modelling uncertainties, therefore more work in this direction is required and *a fully consistent model within one simulation tool* is needed

Not yet the same picture
as for the 750 GeV excess :)



More data are available with the **8 and 13 TeV** datasets which can be used to improve the analysis and to further constrain the PDFs. Experimentally, with the increase of the statistics in Z sample, most of the calibration uncertainties can be reduced. While more work is needed (already started) on the recoil with the increasing pileup.