

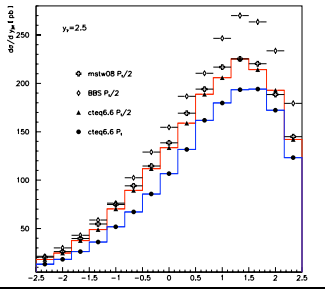
Photon + heavy-quark jet production at Tevatron and LHC

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γ -jet production¹
at LHC
computed at NLO by JETPHOX

¹ Z. Belghobsi et al., Phys. Rev. D **79** (2009) 114024.

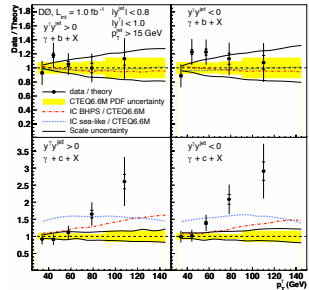
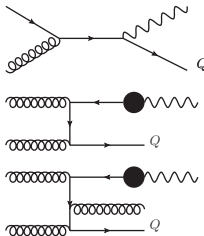
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- ▶ $\gamma + b/c$ production is the promising processes to probe PDFs in heavy quark sector.

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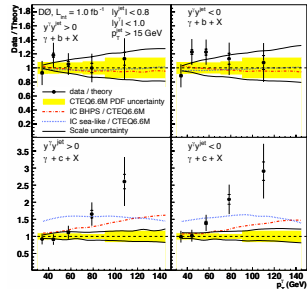
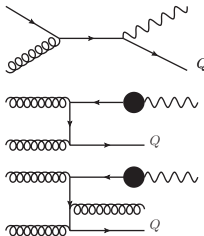
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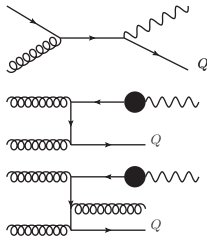


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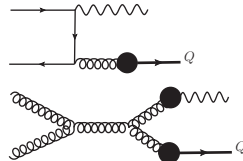
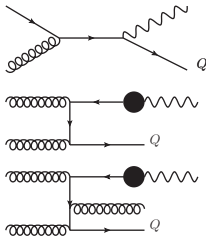
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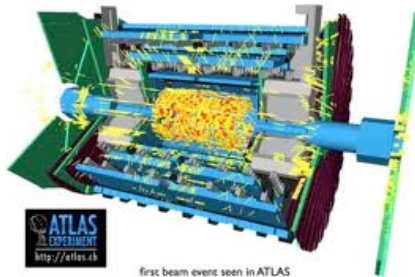
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- ▶ Compare with first LHC data at 7TeV



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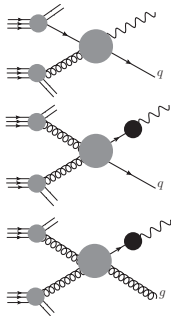
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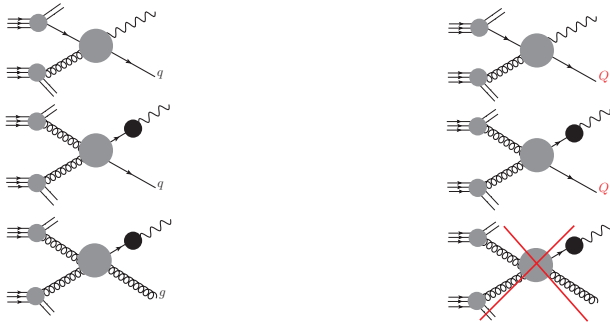
- ▶ Work based on the PHOX generators⁶, especially JETPHOX



⁶ http://lapth.in2p3.fr/PHOX_FAMILY/main.html

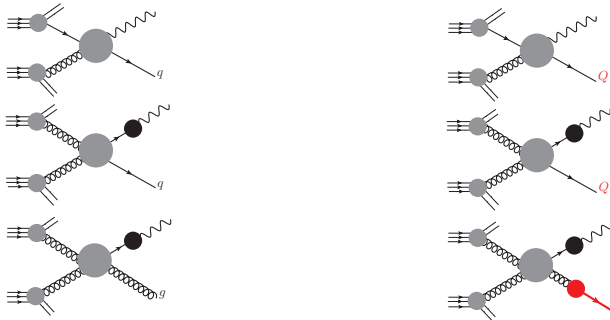
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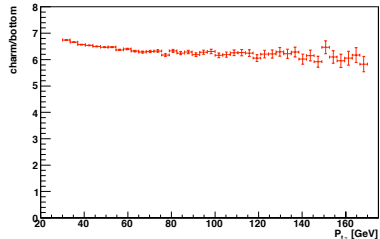
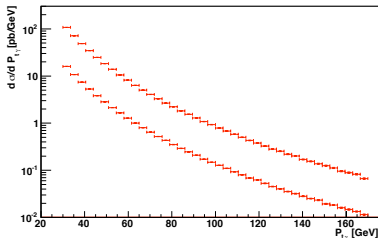
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- ▶ Including $g \rightarrow Q$ fragmentation: Improve current calculation



Born results

Left: $\gamma+c$ and $\gamma+b$ at LHC

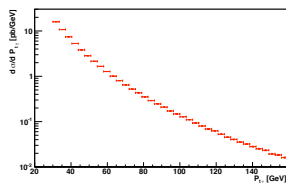
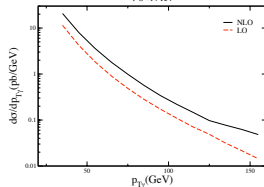
Right: $(\gamma+c)/(\gamma+b)$ ratio at LHC



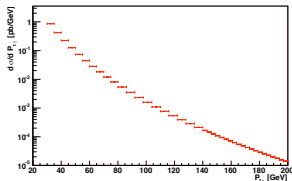
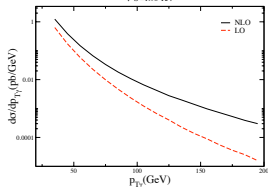
Cross check at Born

Good agreement with
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$p+p \rightarrow \gamma+b+X$
 $\sqrt{S}=14 \text{ TeV}$

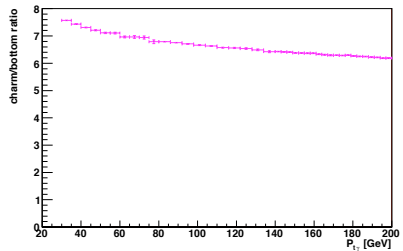
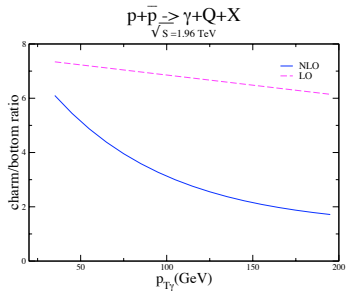


$p+\bar{p} \rightarrow \gamma+b+X$
 $\sqrt{S}=1.96 \text{ TeV}$

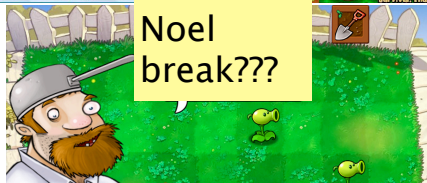


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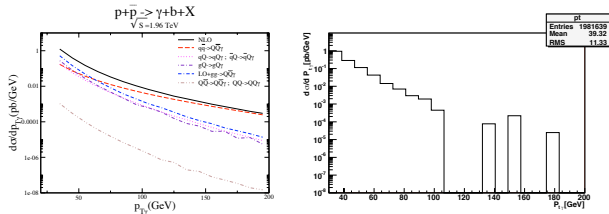
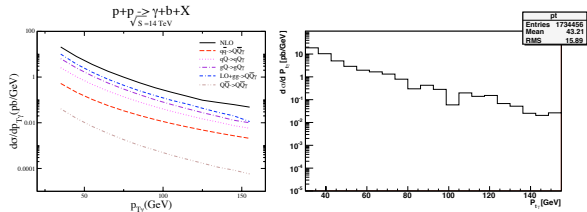
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"direct" photon contribute

Left: direct + fragmentation (previous results)

Right: direct



Conclusion and outlook

- ▶ At Born level, good agreement results were obtained
- ▶ Direct contribution at NLO calculation is done.
- ▶ Contribution of partons fragmenting into heavy-quarks will be included
- ▶ Phenomenology at Tevatron and LHC.