

## W Mass Results at Tevatron and LHC

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## **Electroweak Symmetry Breaking**

- W (and Z) bosons are interesting objects to study: mass, width, production and decay properties
- Even more interesting to find out how exactly these objects came to be



- What is the mechanism by which W and Z bosons acquired their mass ?
- Precise measurements of M(W) tell us about Electroweak Symmetry Breaking <sub>2</sub>

## **M(W)** Motivation

• W boson mass is an important Standard Model parameter related to  $G_F$ ,  $\alpha_{EM}$ , and  $M_z$  via

$$M_{W}^{2} = \frac{\left(\frac{\text{tree level}}{\sqrt{2}G_{F} (1 - M_{W}^{2}/M_{Z}^{2})} (1 - \Delta r)\right)}{\left(\sqrt{2}G_{F} (1 - M_{W}^{2}/M_{Z}^{2})} (1 - \Delta r)\right)}$$

•  $\Delta r$  term represents (large!) higher-order corrections to  $M_W$ 



## **Constraining Standard Model**

- Since  $M_W$ ,  $M_{top}$ , and  $M_{Higgs}$  are all related via radiative corrections, we can constrain  $M_{Higgs}$  with precision measurements of  $M_W$  and  $M_{top}$
- Measurements of M<sub>W</sub> and M<sub>top</sub> overlaid with theory predictions for the Higgs boson



#### **Higgs limit from EW fits**



## **Measuring M(W)**

- Cannot reconstruct M(W) directly (missing neutrino p<sub>z</sub>)
- Extract it from observables that are sensitive to M(W)

$$M_{T} = \sqrt{2p_{T}^{e} p_{T}^{\nu} (1 - \cos \phi_{e\nu})} \qquad p_{T}^{e} \qquad p_{T}^{\nu} \left( \mathbf{E}_{T} = \left| \mathbf{\vec{p}}_{T}^{e} + \mathbf{\vec{p}}_{T}^{recoil} \right| \right)$$

- due to complicated detector effects analytical computation impossible
- determine M(W) via template fit (need Fast Monte Carlo model of detector effects)
- The observables are Lorentz-invariant only longitudinally: sensitive to transverse motion of W boson
  - need good model of W boson production

### **W→ev Event: Theory and AnalysisView**



Analysis: describe W  $\rightarrow$  event in terms of recoil and electron systems to achieve  $\Delta M_W/M_W \approx 0.5 \times 10^{-3}$ Required detector electron  $\sim 0.3 \times 10^{-3}$ response precision: hadronic recoil  $\sim 1\%$ 

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### DØ

- Tracker volume is small
- Very good calorimeter
- First-principles understanding of EM showers
- Final calibration: LEP M(Z)
- Electron channel only

## **Final M(W) Calibration (DØ)**

- Linear response model : E\_measured(e) =  $\alpha \times E_true(e) + \beta$  $\alpha \rightarrow scale \qquad \beta \rightarrow offset$
- Use  $Z \rightarrow$  ee electrons to constrain  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  (precision limited by statistics)
- Calibrate to  $M_Z (\pm 2 \text{ MeV from LEP})$
- Two observables to fit the data
  - $Z \rightarrow$  ee invariant mass
  - f<sub>Z</sub> variable "scans" the response as a function of energy

 $\alpha = 1.0111 \pm 0.0043$   $\beta = -0.404 \pm 0.209 \text{ GeV}$ correlation = -0.997

⇒ dominant systematic error, 100 % correlated between three observables

$$f_{Z} = (E(e1)+E(e2))(1-\cos(\gamma_{ee}))/m_{Z}$$



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### **Event Display of DØ W→ev Candidate Event**



## **Recoil Model (DØ)**

**Recoil in Fast MC:**  $\vec{u}_T = \vec{u}_T^{\text{Hard}} + \vec{u}_T^{\text{Soft}} + \vec{u}_T^{\text{Elec}} + \vec{u}_T^{\text{FSR}}$ 



## Mass fits: $M(Z), M_T(W)$



#### $m(Z) = 91.185 \pm 0.033 \text{ GeV}$ (stat)

remember that Z mass value from LEP was input to electron energy scale calibration, PDG:  $M(Z) = 91.1876 \pm 0.0021$  GeV  $m(W) = 80.401 \pm 0.023 \text{ GeV}$  (stat)

## Mass fits: P<sub>T</sub>(e), MET



 $m(W) = 80.402 \pm 0.023 \text{ GeV}$  (stat)

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## M(W) Uncertainties, MeV (DØ)

Source		m <sub>T</sub>	$\mathbf{p}_{\mathbf{T}}^{e}$	<b>E</b> <sub>T</sub>	
Statistical		23	27	23	
Systematic - Experimental					
Electron energy response		34	34	34	
Electron energy resolution		2	2	3	
Electron energy non-linearity		4	6	7	
Electron energy loss differences		4	4	4	
Recoil model		6	12	20	
Efficiencies		5	6	5	
Backgrounds		2	5	4	
Experimental Subtotal		35	37	41	
Systematic – W production and decay model					
PDF	in the near future	$\overline{10}$	11	11	
QED	expect reduction of experimental errors and increased importance of theoretical errors	7	7	9	
Boson pT		2	5	2	
W model subtotal		12	17	17	
Systematic Total		37	40	44	1

## **Lepton Energy Calibration (CDF)**



- QED corrections
  - magnetic field non-uniformity

## **CDF M(W) Analysis**

#### **Electron Channel**

#### **Muon Channel**





## **Results**



Tevatron ElectroWeak Working Group http://tevewwg.fnal.gov Combination performed with B.L.U.E. method L. Lyons et al, NIM in Phys. Res. A **500**, 391 (2003)

A. Valassi, NIM in Phys. Res. A **500**, 391 (2003)

CDF RunII 0.2 fb<sup>-1</sup> PRL 99, 151801 (2007)<br/>PRD 77, 112001 (2008)80.413  $\pm$  0.034 (stat.)  $\pm$  0.034 (syst.) GeV80.413  $\pm$  0.048 GeV17

## **Current M(W) Effort at the Tevatron**

- More data are being analyzed at CDF and  $D\emptyset$
- Main new challenges
  - "busier" events (recorded at higher instantaneous luminosities)
  - need for more careful treatment of systematic effects that used to be swamped by statistical fluctuations
- With the data currently analyzed dominant errors are reduced by a factor of 2-3 compared to published analyses



**Electron scale error at DØ** 



# W Production at LHC





- $P_T(W+)$  and  $P_T(W-)$  spectra are different
- c-quark and s-quark contribute significantly

# **Importance of knowing P<sub>T</sub>(W)**



 $P_T(W)=0$ , no detector effects  $P_T(W)$  included detector effects added

 $p_{T}(e)$  most affected by  $p_{T}(W)$ 

$$M_T = \sqrt{2E_T^l \not\!\!E_T (1 - \cos \Delta \phi)}$$

M<sub>T</sub> most affected by measurement of missing transverse momentum

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# **P<sub>T</sub>(W) Measurement (ATLAS)**

- Impressive result with 31pb<sup>-1</sup>
- W mass measurement is mostly interested in low end <sup><</sup>
  - lower hadronic energy
  - better theory description
- Serious step towards precision needed for W mass input

plan to split in  $P_T(W+)$  and  $P_T(W-)$ and use together with  $P_T(Z)$ measurement as feedback to W mass measurement



# **P<sub>T</sub>(W)** Measurement (ATLAS)





# W Production Asymmetry, PDFs



- LHC: a valence quark from proton and a sea quark from proton
- W production asymmetry is governed by the PDFs ⇒ constrain the PDFs with asymmetry measurements

## **Lepton Asymmetry from LHCb**

![](_page_24_Figure_1.jpeg)

#### probing smaller x region than other experiments

## Lepton Charge Asymmetry at LHC

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# **M(W)** Prospects with all Tevatron Data

- Electroweak fits favor light Higgs
- Currently

- most probable Higgs mass value = 92 GeV

- excluded above 161GeV @95% CL
- Under the following example scenario\*

 $\Delta M_{W} : 23 \text{ MeV} \rightarrow 15 \text{ MeV}$ central values (M<sub>W</sub>, M<sub>top</sub>) do not move  $\Delta M_{top} : 1 \text{ GeV}$ 

- Higgs:
  - most probable value = 71 GeV
  - excluded above 117GeV @95% CL
    - (114.4 from current direct searches)

\*Pete Renton, ICHEP2008

can be achieved at the Tevatron with the full dataset !!!

![](_page_26_Figure_13.jpeg)

## **Summary**

- W Mass measurement is crucial for constraining the Standard Model
- DØ made most precise measurement of the W boson mass from a single experiment
- Comparable results from CDF
- World average is now 23 MeV
- More Tevatron data are being analyzed, expecting significant improvements in precision soon
- With full Tevatron dataset expect 10-15 MeV precision
- Comparable ultimate precision expected from LHC

## **BACKUP SLIDES**

## **Effect of Corrections on M(W)**

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## **Recoil Calibration**

Final adjustment of free parameters in the recoil model is done *in situ* using balancing in  $Z \rightarrow$  ee events and the standard **UA2 observables:** 

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in the transverse plane, use a coordinate system defined by the bisector of the two electron momenta.

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### $Z \rightarrow e e and W \rightarrow e v$

#### Data in red MC in blue

![](_page_31_Figure_2.jpeg)

## **Electron Energy Resolution**

Electron energy resolution is driven by two components: sampling fluctuations and constant term

Sampling fluctuations are driven by sampling fraction of CAL modules (well known from simulation and test-beam) and by un-instrumented material. Amount of material has been quantified with good precision.

Constant term is extracted from  $Z \rightarrow ee$  data (fit to observed width of the Z peak).

**Result:**  $C = (2.05 \pm 0.10) \%$ in excellent agreement with Run II design goal (2%)

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## **Photons**

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Leading EW effects: 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> FSR photons -- modeled with PHOTOS. Effect of full EW corrections: compare W/ZGRAD in full EW mode with FSR-only mode Quality of FSR model: compare PHOTOS with W/ZGRAD in FSR-only mode 34

## **Backgrounds to W→ev**

- QCD (di-jet)  $(1.49 \pm 0.3 \%)$ : one jet fakes as an electron
  - determined from QCD data
- $Z \rightarrow ee (0.80 \pm 0.01 \%)$ : one electron lost in ICR(between central and end cap)
  - determined from  $Z \rightarrow ee$  data
- W $\rightarrow \tau v (1.60 \pm 0.02 \%)$ : Taus decaying into evv
  - determined from GEANT (full) MC
- For all 3 observables: estimated backgrounds are added to Fast MC simulated signal

![](_page_34_Figure_8.jpeg)

## W Boson Mass and Top Quark Mass

- Higgs boson mass is sensitive to M(W) and M(top)
- For equal contribution to the Higgs mass uncertainty need:  $\Delta M_W \approx 0.006 \Delta M_{top}$
- Current Tevatron average  $\Delta M_{top} = 1.3 \text{ GeV}$
- $\Rightarrow$  Would need:  $\Delta M_w = 8 \text{ MeV}$  (currently have:  $\Delta M_w = 23 \text{ MeV}$ )

## Lepton Charge Asymmetry

W rapidity cannot be reconstructed on event-by-event basis due to non-measurable longitudinal neutrino momentum

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![](_page_36_Figure_3.jpeg)

E.L. Berger, F. Halzen, C.S. Kim and S. Willenbrock; Phys. Rev. D40 (1989) 83