

**Study of di-jet properties in p+p
collisions at $\sqrt{s} = 7$ TeV
by the LHC-ALICE experiment**

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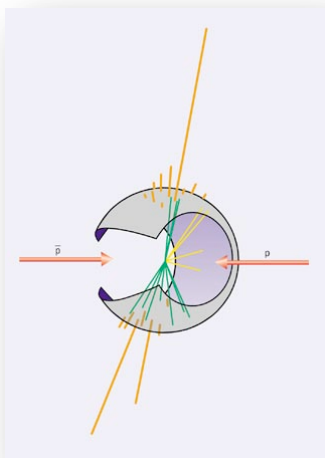
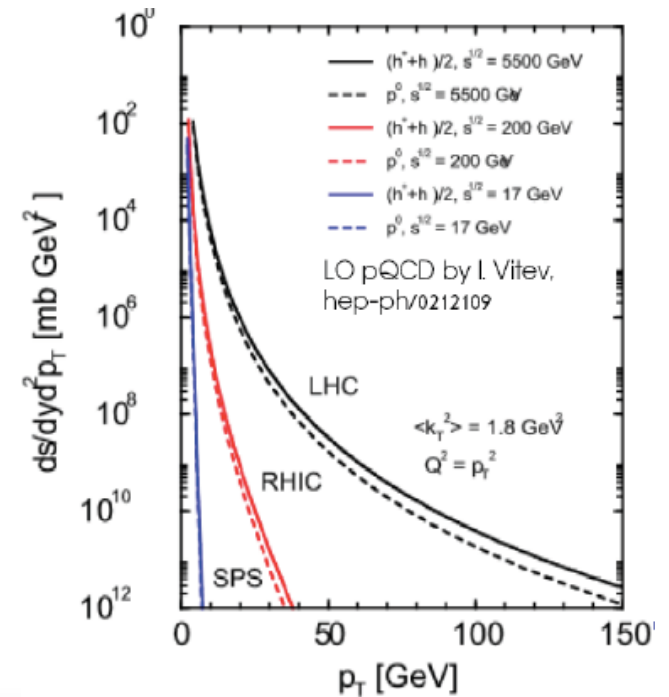
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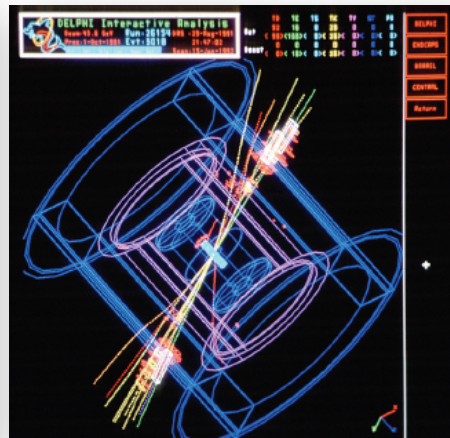
- **Physics motivation**
- **ALICE experiment and data set**
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Why jets?

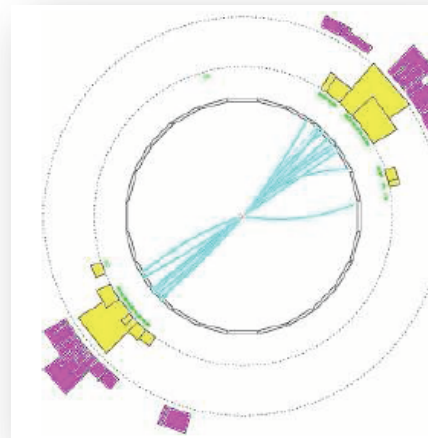
- Jet is a well defined object, and produced by the hard scattering of partons at the initial stage of the collision.
- Studied in many high energy experiments for many years.
- Jet provides a powerful probe to study the hot and dense QCD matter created in high energy heavy ion collisions.
- **At LHC energy, jet production is dominant, compared to that in RHIC.**
- Jet measurements in **p+p** at LHC **provide an important baseline to heavy ion data**, as well as the further understating of QCD.



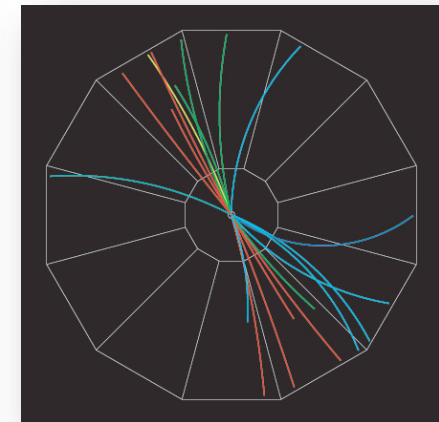
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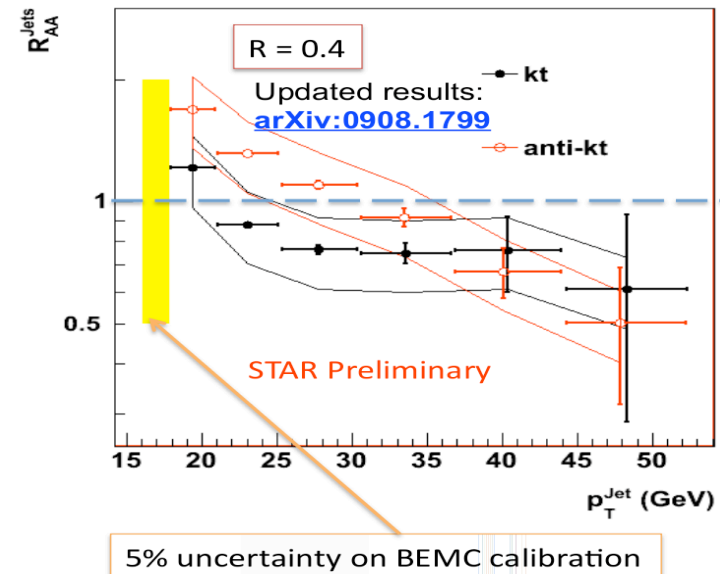
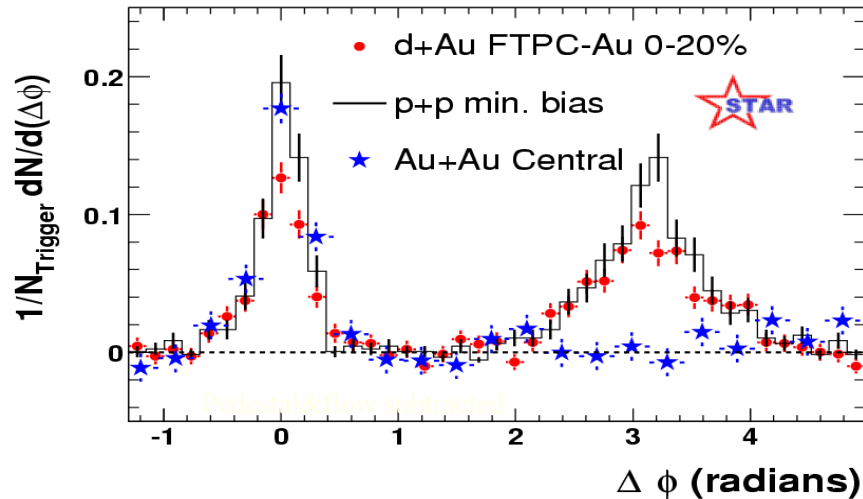
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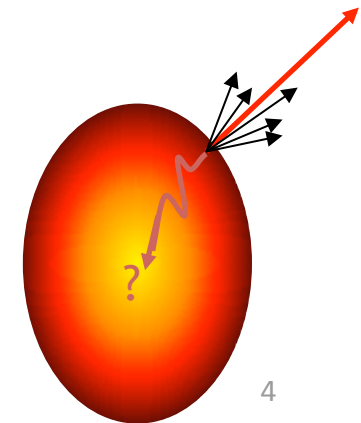
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Jet quenching at RHIC

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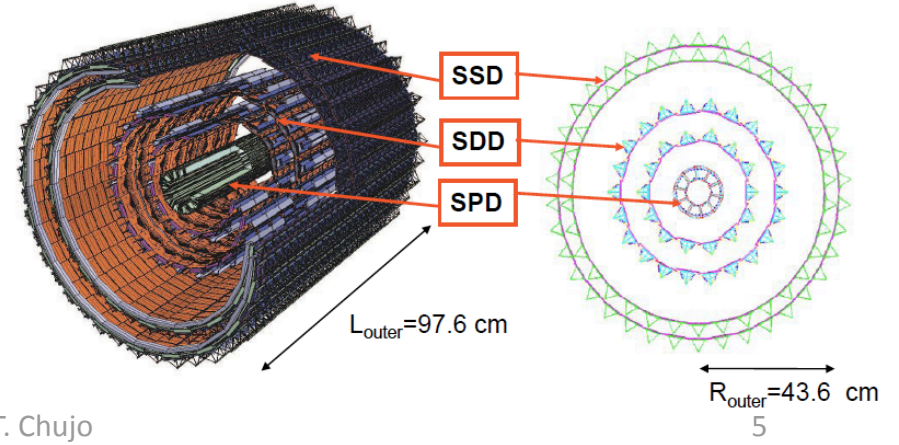
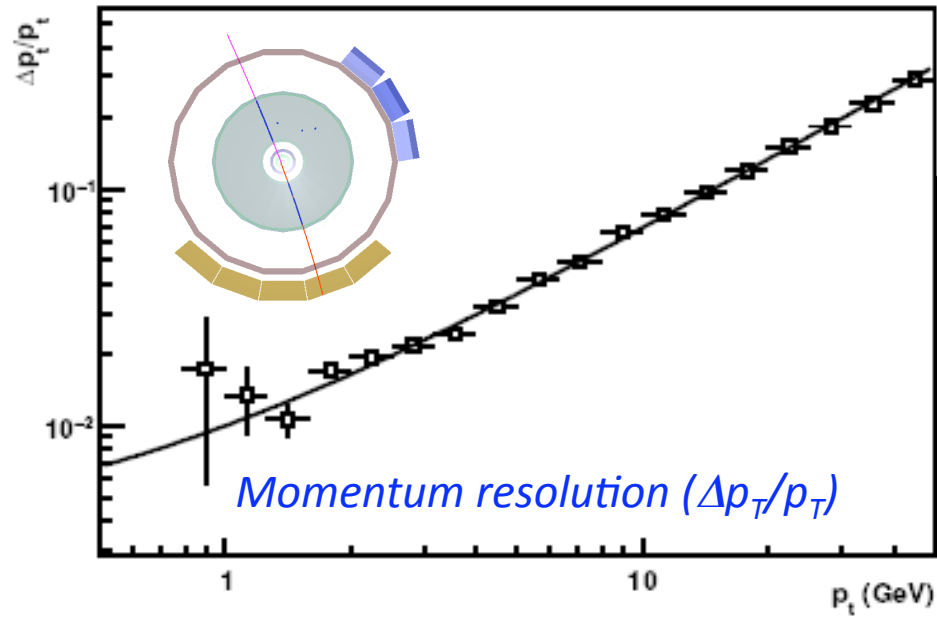
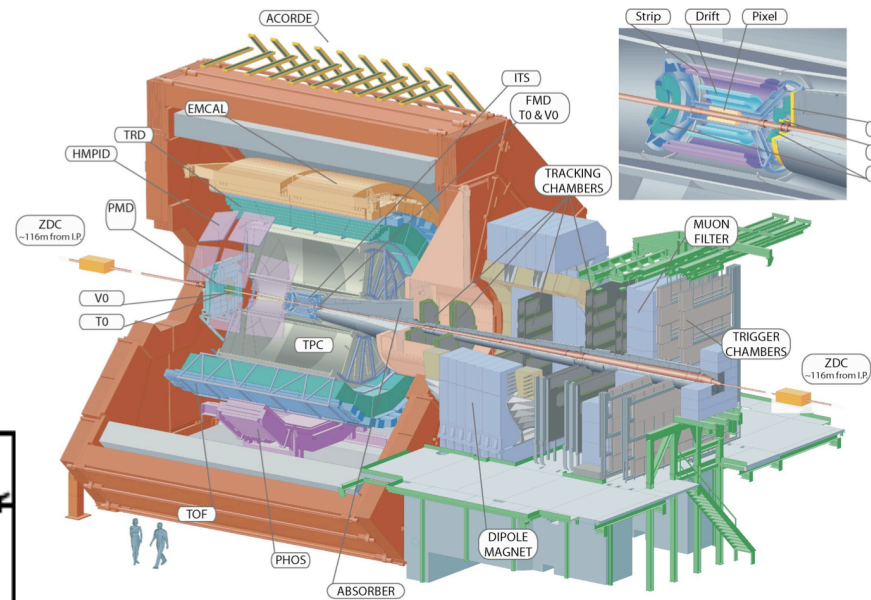


- Disappearance of away-side jet in Au+Au central at RHIC ($\sqrt{s_{NN}} = 200$ GeV).
- Jet quenching by hot and dense medium.
 - indicating energy density: $\epsilon > 100 \epsilon_0$
- First measurement of full jet reconstruction at RHIC (STAR).



Jet ID using TPC & ITS in ALICE

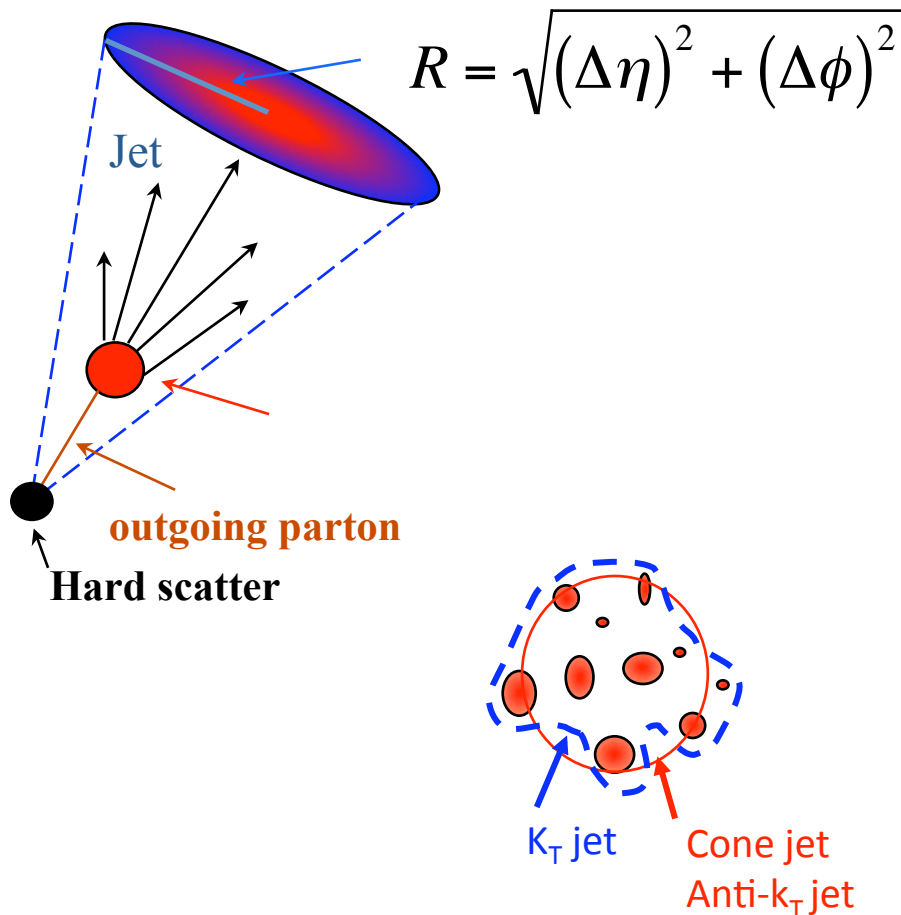
- **ITS (Inner Tracking System), TPC**
 - Charged particles reconstructed $\Delta\eta = 1.8$.
 - ITS: $\sigma_{r\phi} \sim \text{few } 10 \text{ } \mu\text{m}$, $\sigma_z \sim \text{few } 100 \text{ } \mu\text{m}$ (SPD, SDD)
 - SPD: Silicon Pixel
 - SSD: Silicon Strip
 - SDD: Silicon Drift
 - Material budget: $\sim 1\% X/X_0$ per layer.
 - TPC: Excellent momentum resolution.
 - $\sim 7\%$ at 10 GeV.



Analyzed data sample

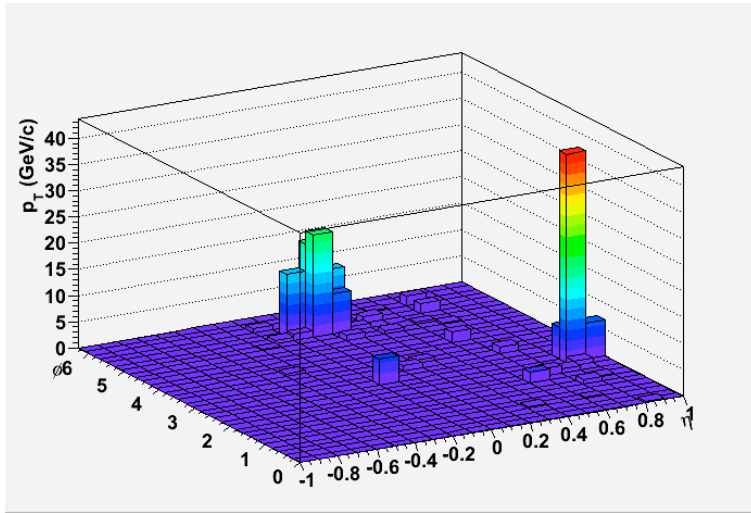
- p+p at $\sqrt{s} = 7.0$ TeV, reconstructed data from LHC10c and LHC10d periods.
- Minimum bias trigger: 128 M events.
 - eliminating non-physics events, and requiring z-vertex $< \pm 10$ cm.
 - MB trigger: “SPD *or* V0-A *or* V0-C”
 - at least one charged particle in 8 pseudorapidity units
- η cut:
 - single charged tracks within $|\eta| < 0.9$.
 - jets $|\eta| < 0.5$.

Jet finding algorithms

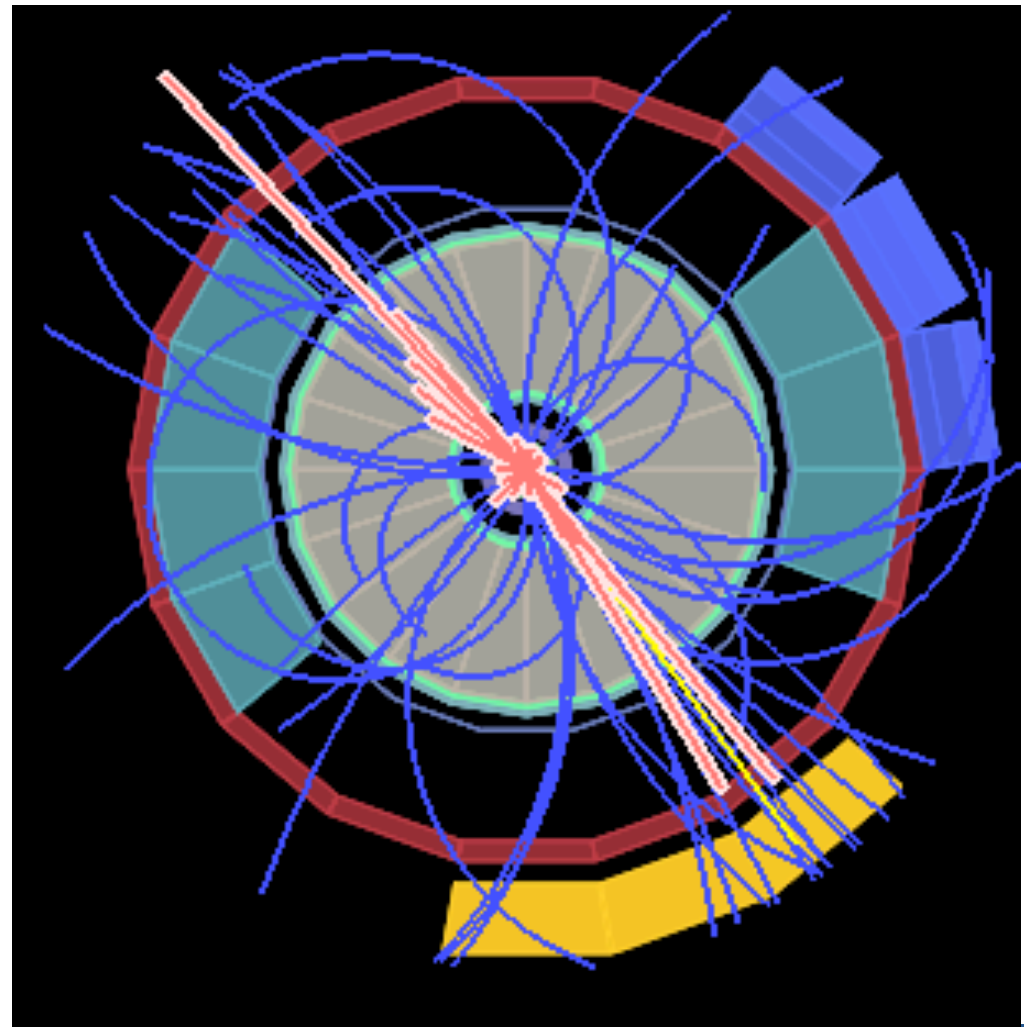
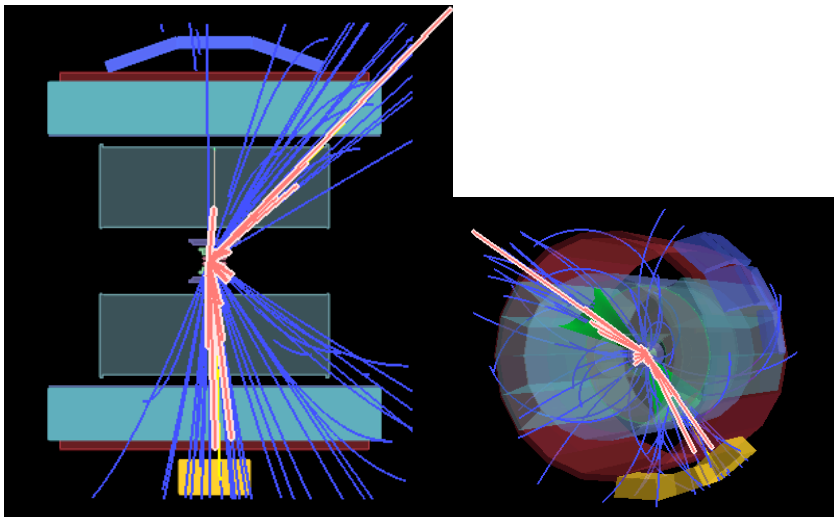


1. Cone algorithm:
 - Simple geometric motivation.
 - Split/merging procedure for overlapping cone.
 - ◆ UA1
 - ◆ SIS cone
 - Seedless Infrared Safe Cone algorithm
 - insensitive to soft radiation.
2. Sequential recombination algorithm:
 - Cluster pairs of objects close in relative p_T .
 - Define “distance” between pairs.
 - ◆ k_T algorithm
 - Starting from low p_T particle.
 - ◆ anti- k_T algorithm
 - Starting from high p_T particle.

Dijet event in p+p 7 TeV in ALICE

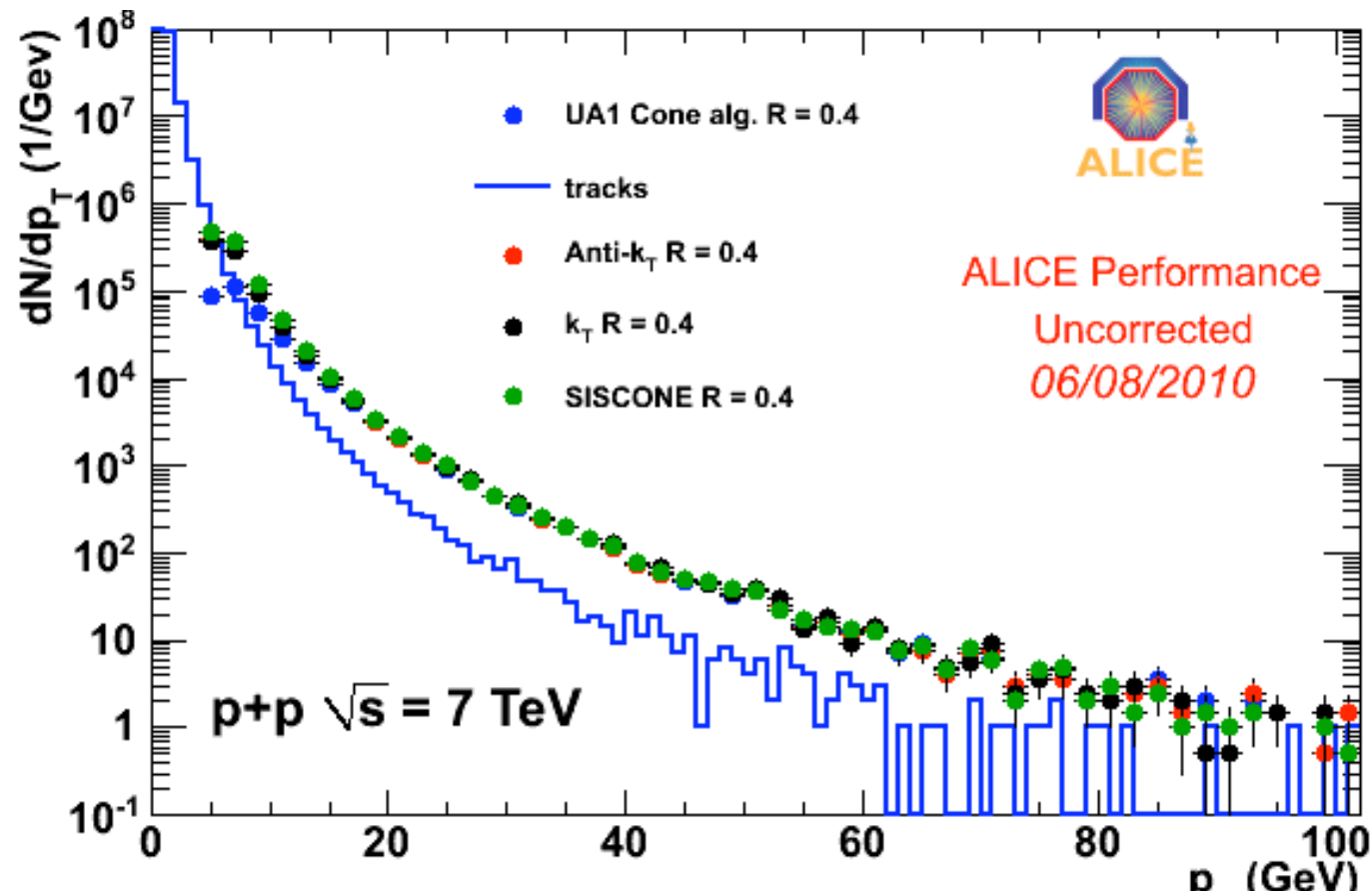


η - ϕ grid



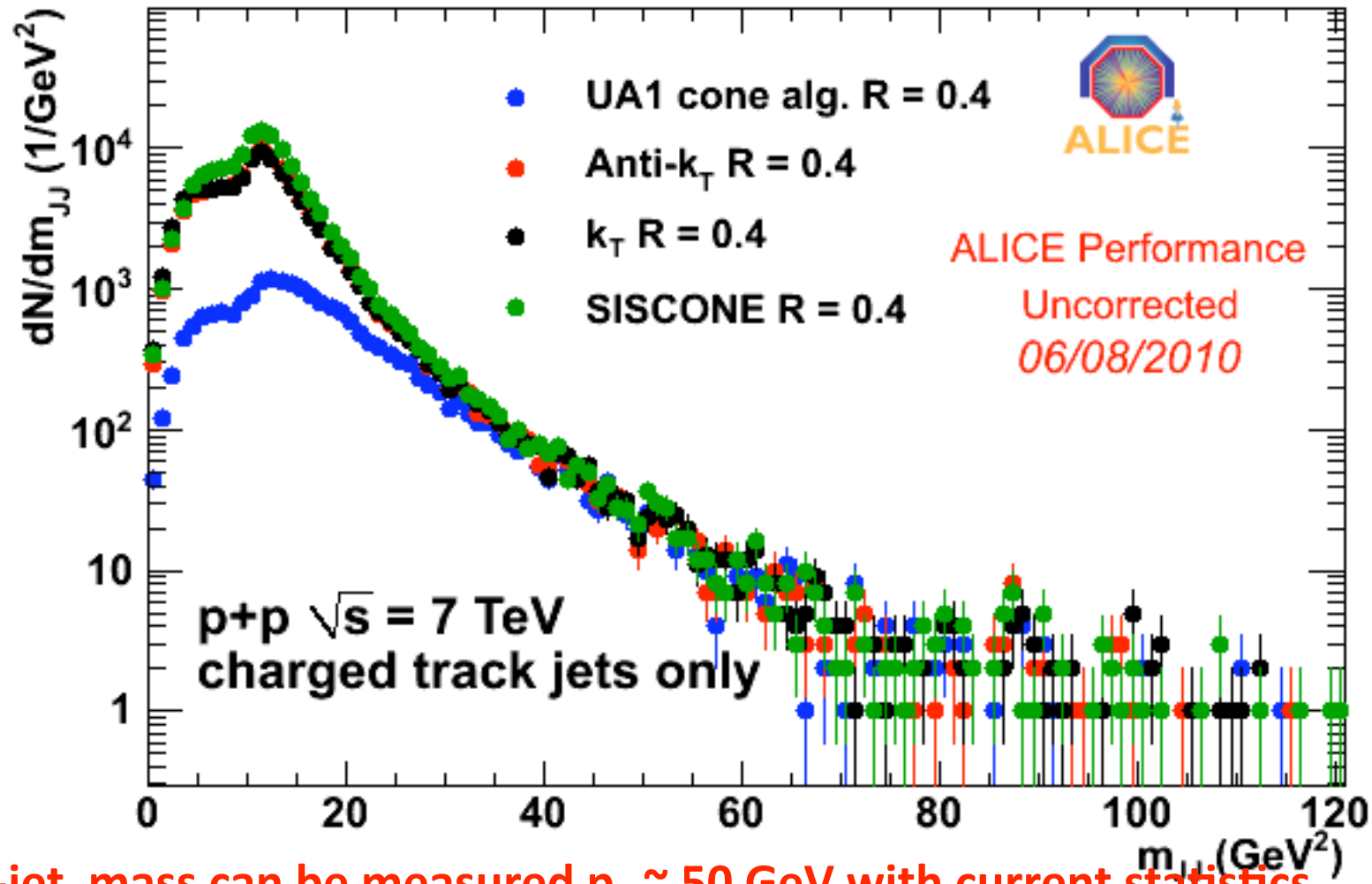
Reconstructed Jets UA1 Cone $R = 0.4$:
 Jet 1: $\eta = 0.02$, $\phi = 306^\circ$, $p_T = 71$ GeV, Tracks 15
 Jet 2: $\eta = 0.84$, $\phi = 132$, $p_T = 47$ GeV, Tracks 9
 $\Delta\phi = 174^\circ$
 Total Tracks 108

(Raw) single jet spectrum in p+p 7 TeV



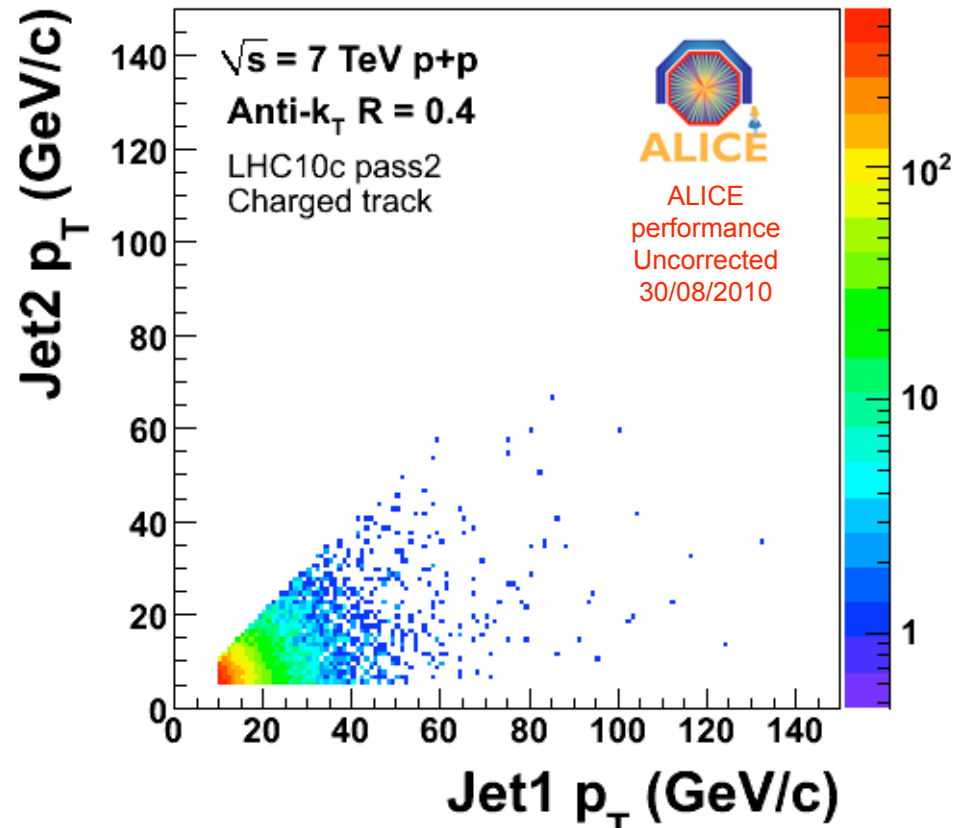
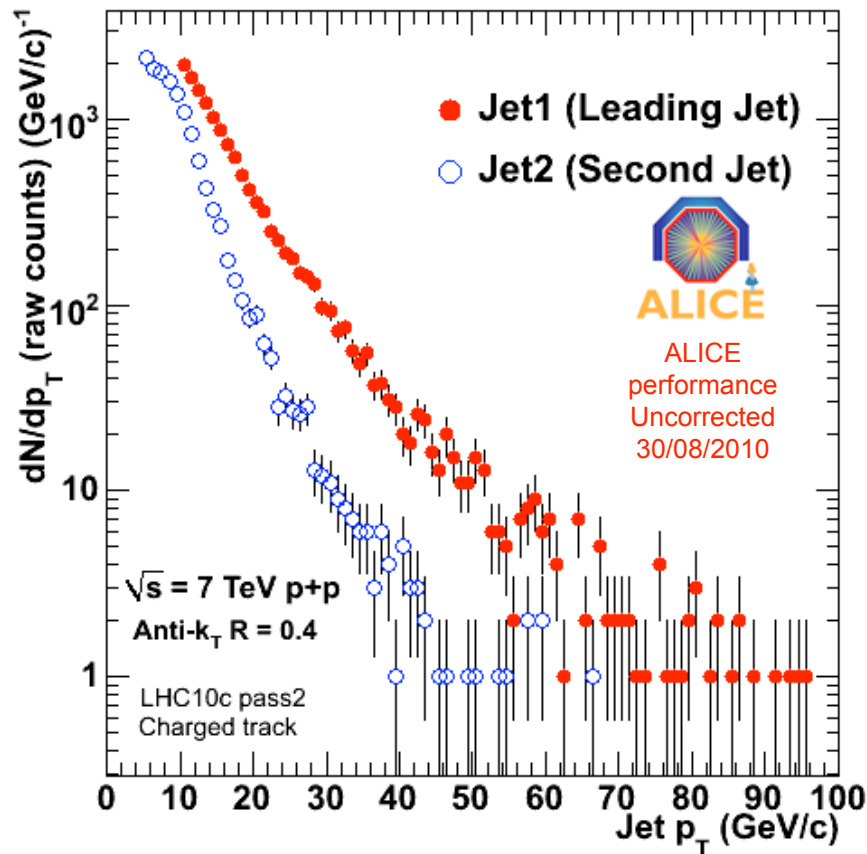
Jet can be measured $p_T \sim 70$ GeV/c with current statistics.

Di-jet invariant mass plot



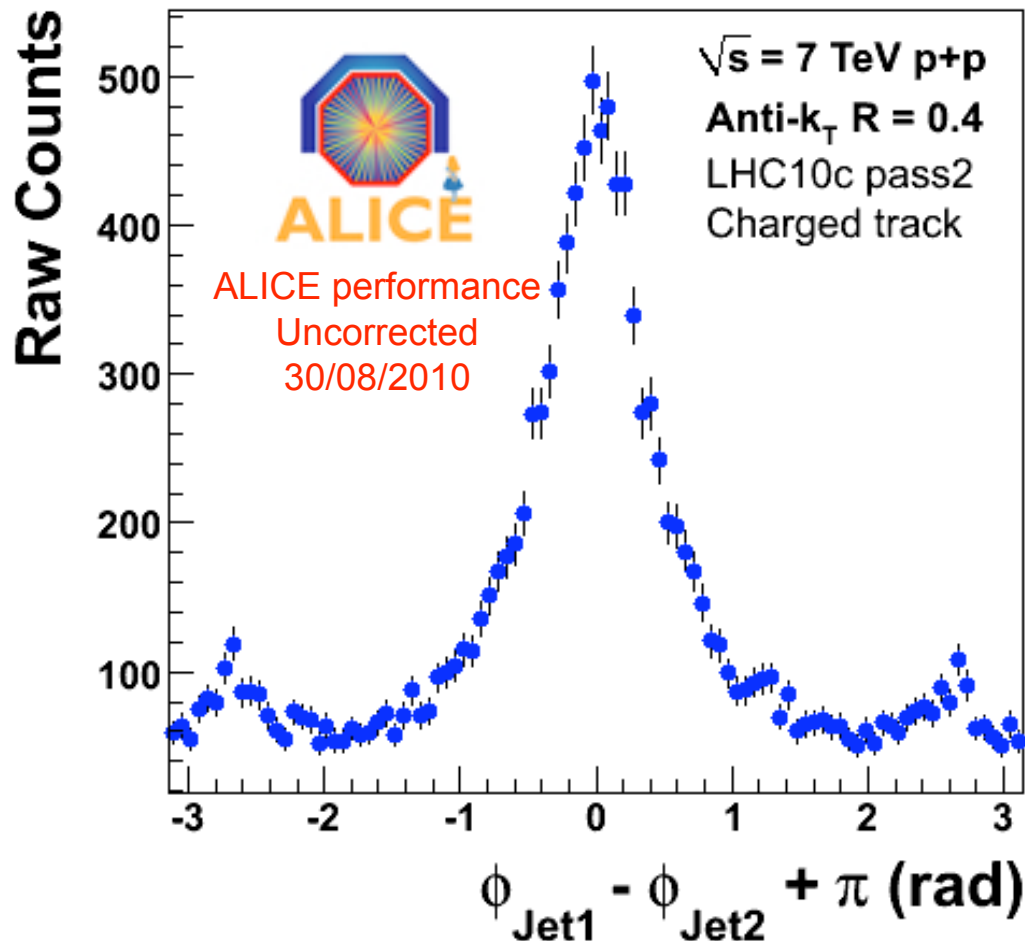
di-jet mass can be measured $p_T \sim 50 \text{ GeV}$ with current statistics.

Leading and second jet p_T raw spectrum and correlation (for



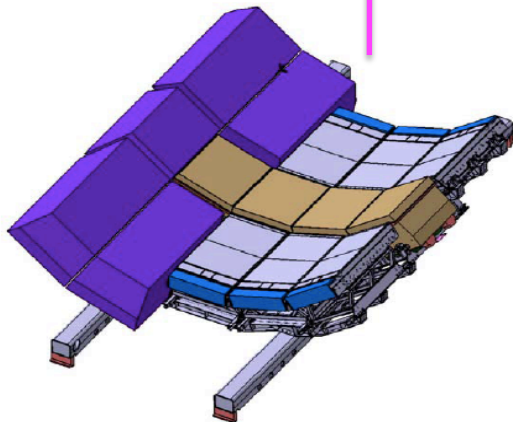
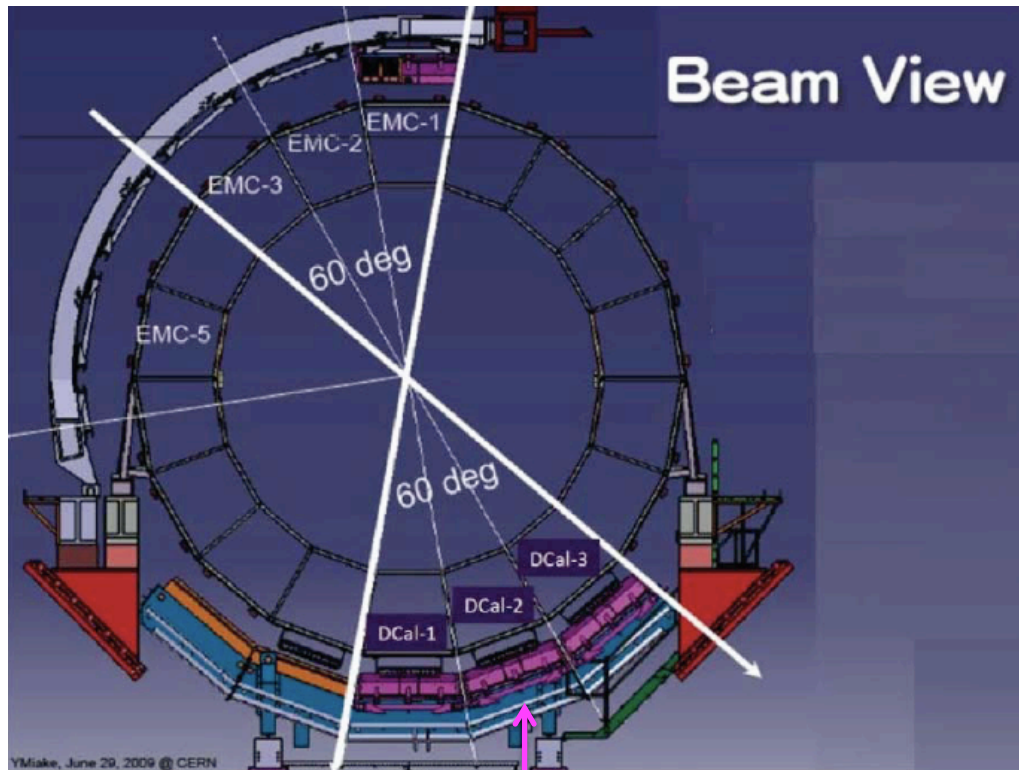
Leading jet p_T spectrum is harder than that for 2nd jet.

Acoplanarity of jets (Raw)



- Azimuthal angle difference between 1st (leading) jet and 2nd jet.
- leading jet p_T cut: > 10 GeV/c
- Acoplanarity:
 - $\phi_{\text{Jet1}} - \phi_{\text{Jet2}} + \pi$
- Next step:
 - comparison with model.
 - **Comparison to that in heavy ion**, which will start data taking in Nov. 2010, Pb+Pb 2.76 TeV.

ALICE Dijet Calorimeter (DCal) Project



DCal:

- Extend the acceptance of EMCal (Pb-Scinti. sampling).
 - EMCal: $\Delta\phi = 110^\circ$
 - DCal: $\Delta\phi = 60^\circ$ (on opposite side of EMCal)
 - $\Delta\eta = 0.7$ for both EMCal and DCal + PHOS
 - $\sim 10\%/ \sqrt{E}$
- Allow back-to-back hadron-jet, di-jet measurements in ALICE, with $R = 0.4$, up to $p_T \sim 150$ GeV/c.
- Enhance jet, γ trigger capability.
 - Catania, CERN, Frascati, Grenoble, INFN, Jyväskylä, Nantes, Stranbourg, **Tsukuba**, ORNL, LBNL, Yale, Huston, LANL, Wuhan
- **To be installed in 2012.**

Summary and outlook

- **First look at jet and dijet in p+p 7 TeV in ALICE.**
- Using the 128 M MB statistics, ALICE can measure single jet up to $p_T \sim 70$ GeV/c, and dijet mass < 50 GeV/c².
- **Outlook:**
 - Analyze full statistics data sample (so far, 700 M MB data in p+p 7 TeV as of Sep. 2010).
 - Corrections to the raw (di-) jet spectra.
 - Acoplanarity:
 - Model comparison.
 - > 2 jets study.
 - **Prepare for the first Pb+Pb run ($\sqrt{s_{NN}} = 2.76$ TeV, Nov. 2010)!**
 - **Any difference in ϕ balance, p_T balance in Pb+Pb compared to p+p?**
 - Use EMCAL & PHOS info, to enhance di-jet measurement.