Measuring the 180 140 120 Top Quark Mass 100 (GeV) 80 at the TeVatron 0







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Better than World Average! (Run I) m_{t} (WA) = 178.0^{+4.3}_{-4.3}GeV/c²

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m_t Tevatron Run I vs. New Run II Results







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Top Quark Production at the TeVatron

Top quarks are primarily produced in pairs:



 $\sigma(\overline{p}p \to t\bar{t} @ \sqrt{s} = 1.96 \text{TeV}) \approx 1.30 \times \sigma(\overline{p}p \to t\bar{t} @ \sqrt{s} = 1.8 \text{TeV})$

~ one top event every 10 BILLION inelastic collisions



Measuring *m*_t is Challenging!



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Jet Energy Scale (JES)

Determine true "parton" energy from measured jet energy in a cone



JES is dominant systematic for m_t measurements.

Current m_t world average uncertainty is $\pm 4.3 \text{GeV/c}^2$. $\Rightarrow 2.6 \text{ GeV/c}^2 \text{ JES}$ $\Rightarrow 2.7 \text{ GeV/c}^2 \text{ stat.}$

Correct for detector, algorithm and physics effects to obtain the true energy of the jet.

Uncertainty in modeling the behavior of jets (particle's response, fragmentation).

Measuring m_t

Run II goal: $m_t error \approx 2 \text{ GeV}$ Measure m_t in all experimental signatures Combine methods/channels

Two different techniques



D0 Run 2 Preliminary

Dilepton: Template

(L= 230pb⁻⁷)

155.0 ±^{14.0} ± 7.0



leading 4 jets

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4 jets $E_{T} > 21$

1 b-tag

0 b-tags

(L) 3 jets $E_T > 15$, 4th jet 8 < $E_T < 15$

1:1

1:1

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Template Method Systematics

Systematic	2-D fit	1-D fit
Source	Δm_t	Δm_t
	(Gev)	(Gev)
JES	2.5	3.1
b-jet modeling	0.6	0.6
ISR	0.4	0.4
FSR	0.6	0.4
PDFs	0.3	0.4
Generators	0.2	0.3
Bkg shape	1.1	1.0
b-tagging	0.1	0.2
MC statistics	0.3	0.4
Method	0.5	-
TOTAL	3.0 =	3.4 =
	2.5⊕1.7	3.1⊕1.5

~3% jet p_T uncertainty in top events



Future of the CDF Analysis with $W \rightarrow jj$

Advantage: statistical and JES systematic uncertainties will improve with $\int L$.

Expect to reach JES uncertainty below 1 GeV/c² for m_t in the future of CDF.

Total m_t uncertainty can reach 2 GeV/c²!



Template Method: I+jets + b-tagging D0

At least one b-tagged jet 69 events, S/B ~ 3/1		Systematic source	b-tagged Analysis	
First m_t measurement with b-tagging at D0! $m_t = 1706 \pm 4.2(\text{stat})^{+4.7}_{-5.3}(\text{JES}) \pm 3.7(\text{syst})\text{GeV/c}^2$			(GeV)	
		JES	+4.7/-5.3	
		Jet Res.	0.9	
		Gluon Rad.	2.4	
$D \oslash Run II Preliminary$ $\int L = 229 \text{ pb}^{-1}$ I_{1} I_{2} I_{2} I_{3} I_{4} $I_{$	D \varnothing Run II Preliminary $\int L = 229 \text{ pb}^{-1}$	Signal Model	2.3	
		Bkg Model	0.8	
	12 — tt+Background 12 — Data	b-tagging	0.7	
	10 10	Calibration	0.5	
		Trigger Bias	0.5	
		MC Stat.	0.5	
		Total	6.0	
		significant in	nprovemer	nts
	Fit Mass (GeV) ON JES	from D0 soo	n!	

Matrix Element Method: I+jets D0 Run I

Using all the variables in the event, integrate over all unknowns Sum over all permutations of jets and v solutions Background process probabilities explicitly included in likelihood Maximize $L = \prod_{i} P^{i}(x;m_{t})$

 $d^n \sigma$: cross section (LO Matrix element)

W(*y*,*x*): probability parton variables y measured as variables x

$$P(x;m_t) = \frac{1}{\sigma} \int d^n \sigma(y;m_t) dq_1 dq_2 f(q_1) f(q_2) W(x,y)$$

f(q): probability distribution that parton has momentum **q**

1.2

0.8

0.6

0.4

0.2

200

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L/L_{max}

552 In(L) 550 548

> 546 544

Nature Vol 429, Page 640 Run I results: June 2004

Dynamical Likelihood Method I+jets CDF

DLM: K. Kondo J. Phys. Soc. 57 4126 (1988)

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DLM Systematic Uncertainties

Systematic	Δm_t
Source	(GeV)
JES	3.0
Transfer Functions	0.2
ISR	0.4
FSR	0.5
PDFs	0.5
Generators	0.3
Bkg fraction	0.6
bkg Modeling	0.6
b-tagging	0.2
b-jet Modeling	0.6
Total	3.3

JES dominant systematic

<u>Future improvements:</u> Add background probability to likelihood Use W→jj information for JES

m_t results with Dileptons D0 & CDF

Under-constrained kinematics: 2 v's, 1 missing E_{T} observable

Calculate weight : assumed quantity explains the observed event given a true m_t

• Assume some kinematic quantities are • Follow template procedure known (ex: η or ϕ of v's, P_z^{ttbar} , E_{lepton})

Summary

Tevatron is performing very well Delivered luminosity >1 fb⁻¹

Several new m_t measurements available in different decay channels

- ⇒CDF dilepton results soon with reduced systematics
- ⇒D0 results soon with reduced systematics
- ⇒ongoing efforts to combine

Precision will be limited by systematics

A lot of work *already* to reduce systematics ⇒ especially JES

Will reach goal of measuring m_t to ~ 2 GeV in Run II!

More to come

Backup

Event-by-Event Mass Fitter

- Distill all event information into one number (called reconstructed mass).
- Select most probable jetparton assgnmt based on χ², after requiring b-tagged jets assigned to b partons.

Template Method: I+jets D0

Uses unique topology of ttbar events Discriminant using *topological* variables (D_{IB}) Distinguish signal and background

Fit to signal+bkg templates

 $m_t = 169.9 \pm 5.8(stat.)^{+7.8}_{-7.1}(syst.)GeV/c^2$

cut on D_{IB} 94 events, S/B ~ 1

1 lepton (e,μ)

at least 4 jets

large missing E_{T}

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