## Buckets of Tops

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### Top at LHC

• top: closest to new physics

fine tuning problem  $\to$  top partner  $\delta m_h^2 \sim (t)^{-1/2} (-\frac{3}{4\pi}y_t^2\Lambda_{\rm SM}^2)$ 

- $\tilde{t}\tilde{t} \to t\bar{t}\chi\chi$ : stop search
- $t\bar{t}H$ : largest yukawa coupling to higgs to be measured
- $t\bar{t}$ : main background for new physics search
- hadronic top:

advantage : momentum reconstruction

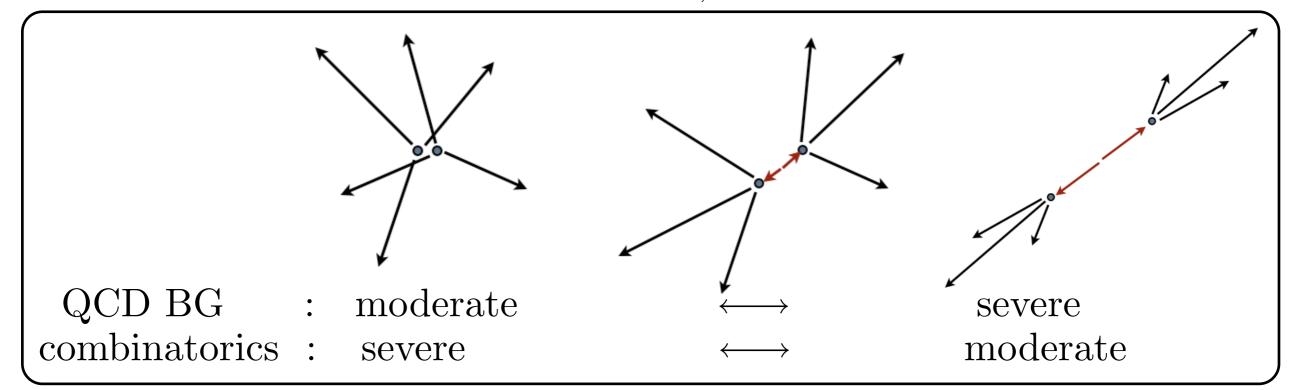
disadvantage: QCD and combinatorics

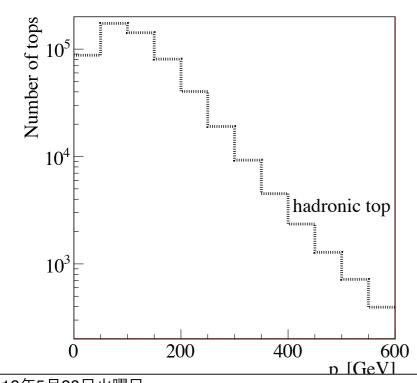
 $\rightarrow$  boosted tops

ISR makes the situation worse

### Moderately boosted tops

• events look different depending on  $p_{T,t}$ 

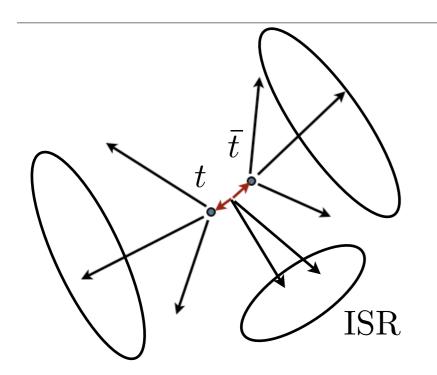




moderate boost help to solve combinatorics HEPTopTager: down to  $p_T \sim 200 \text{ GeV}$ 

How can we tag  $p_T \sim 100 \text{ GeV}$ ? stop search,  $t\bar{t}H$  with  $25\text{fb}^{-1}$ keeping signal important

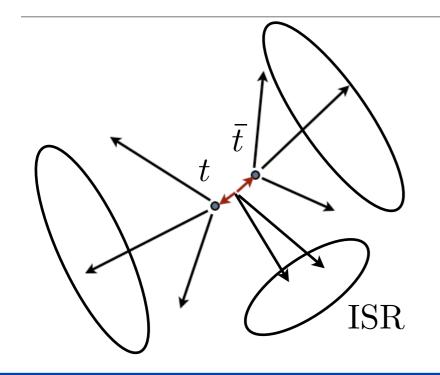
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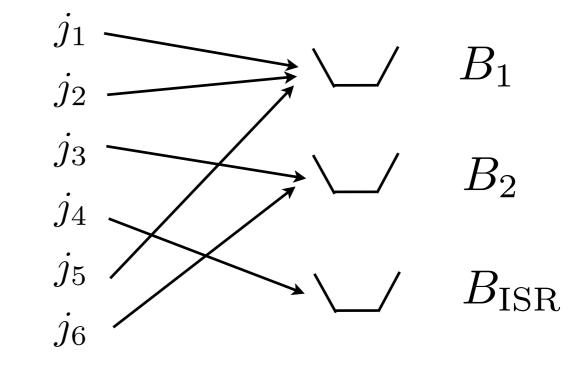
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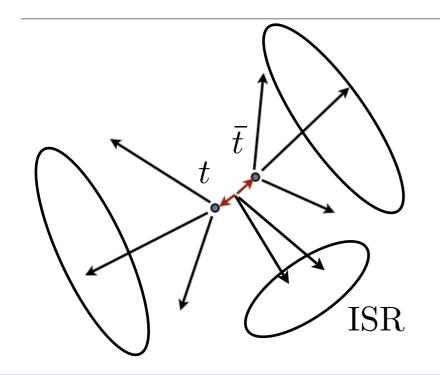
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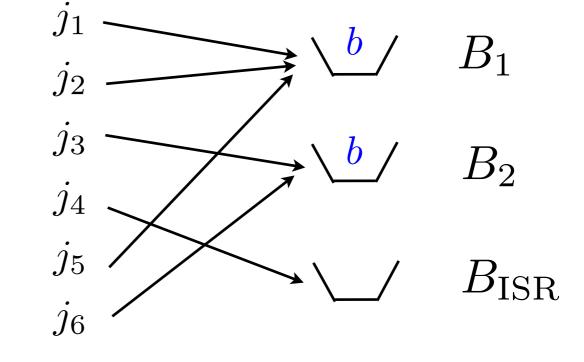
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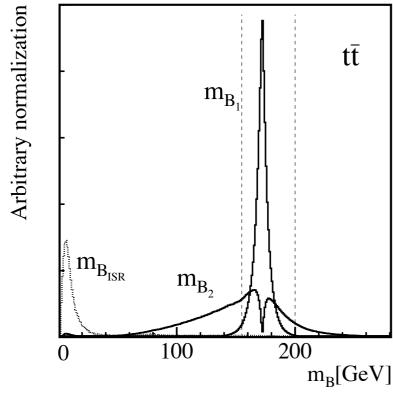
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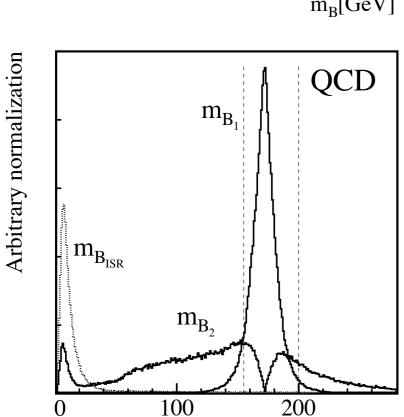
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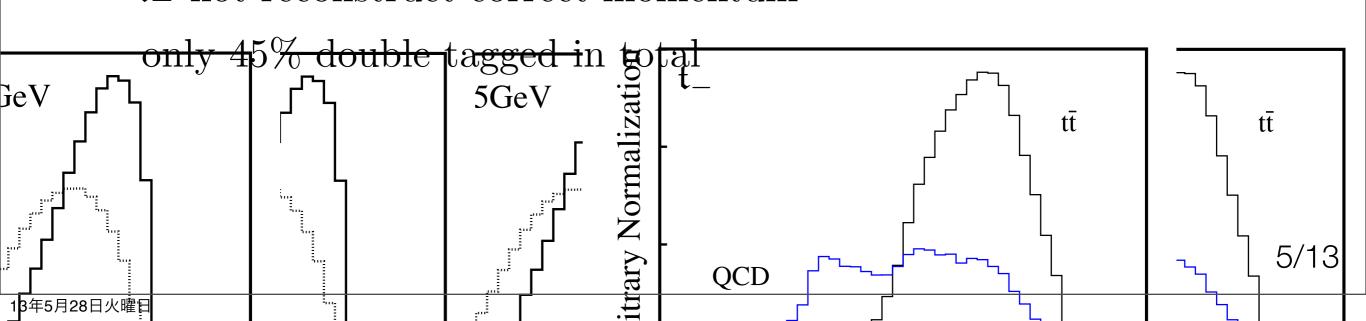
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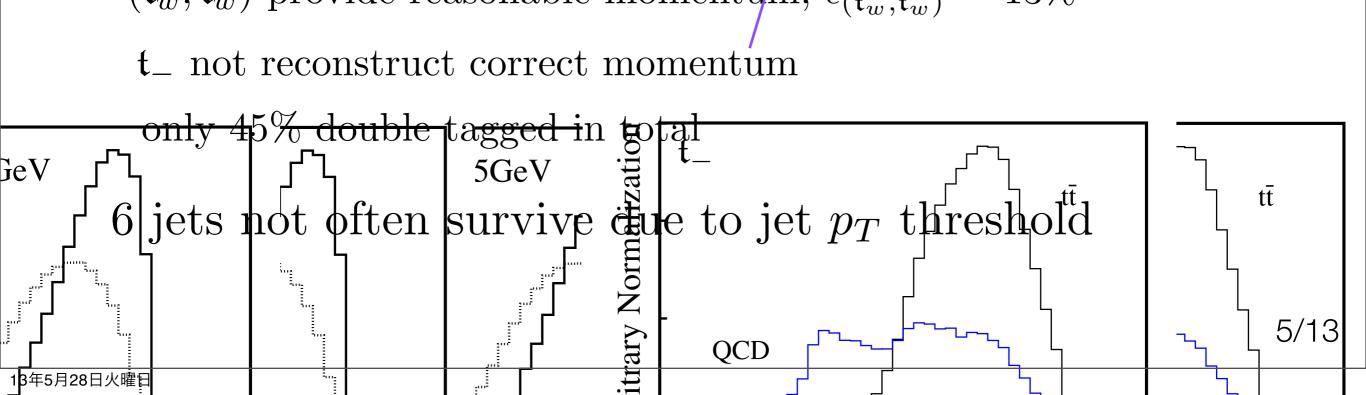
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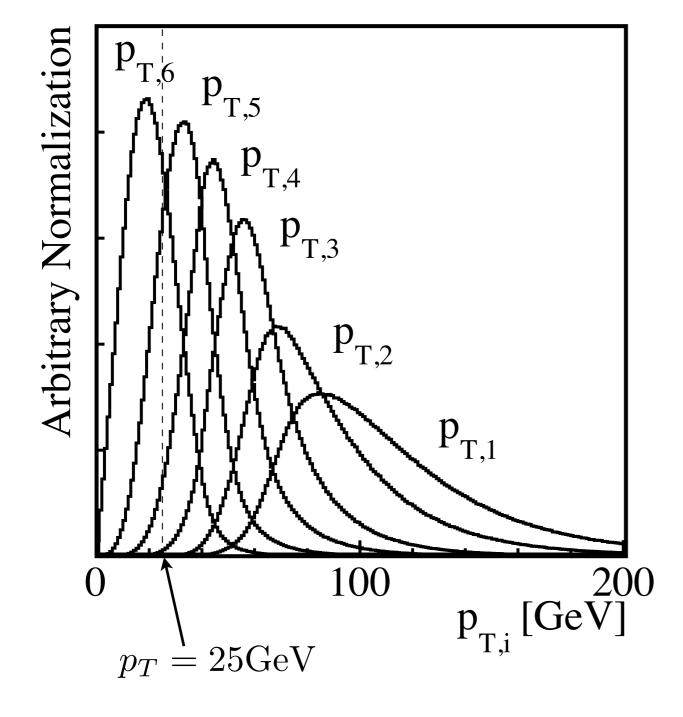
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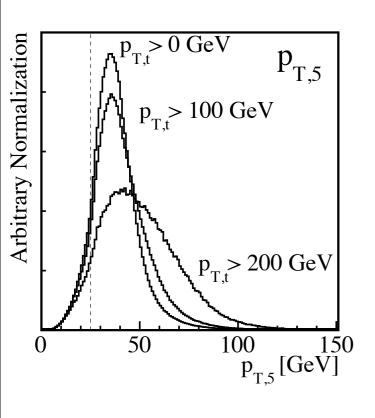
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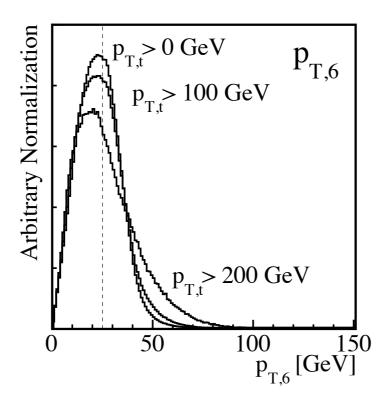
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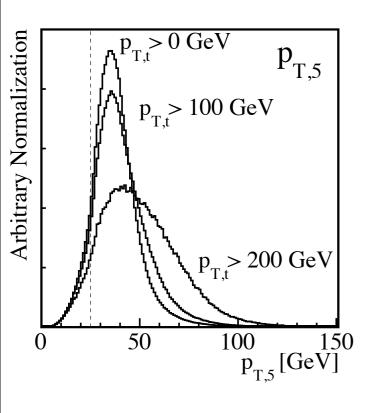
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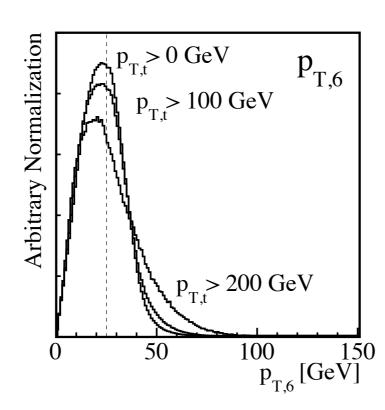
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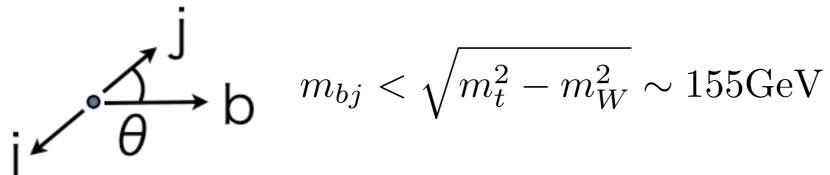
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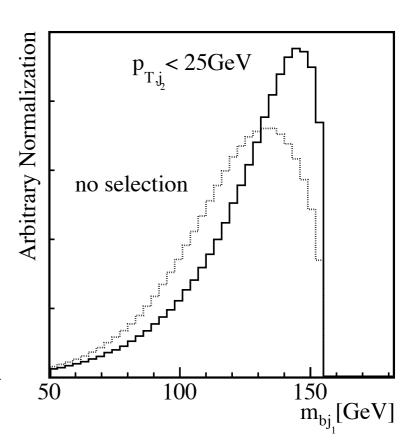
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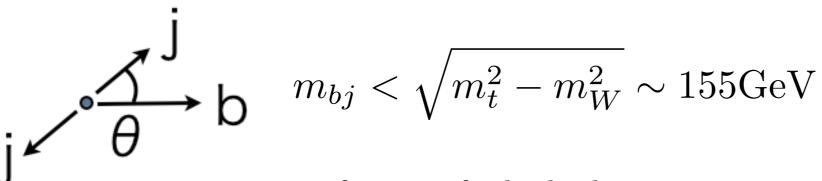


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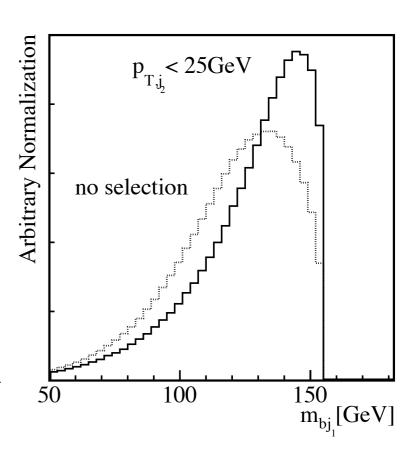


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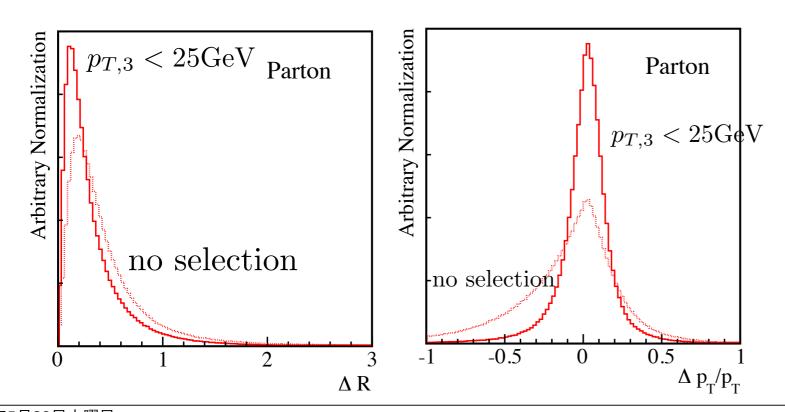
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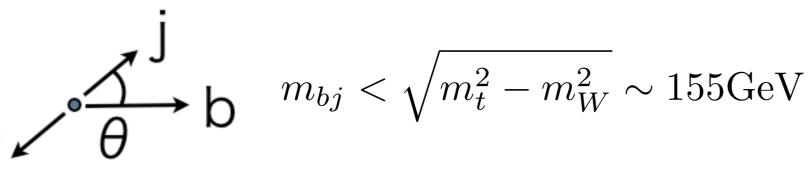


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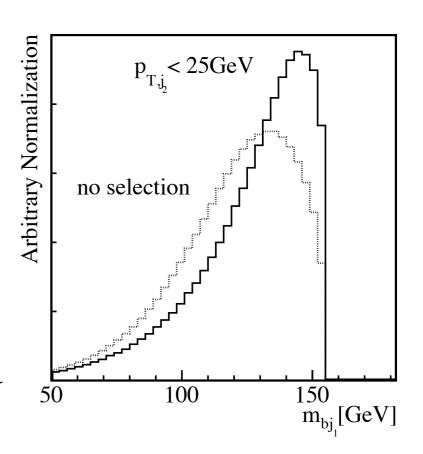


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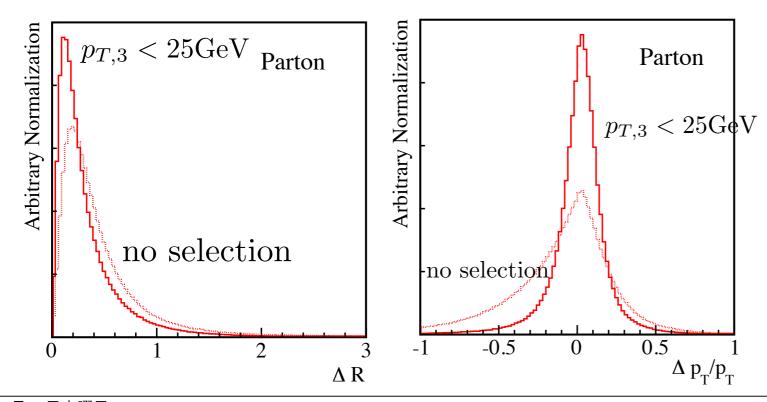
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new metric:

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if  $m_B > 155 \text{GeV}$ , thrown away

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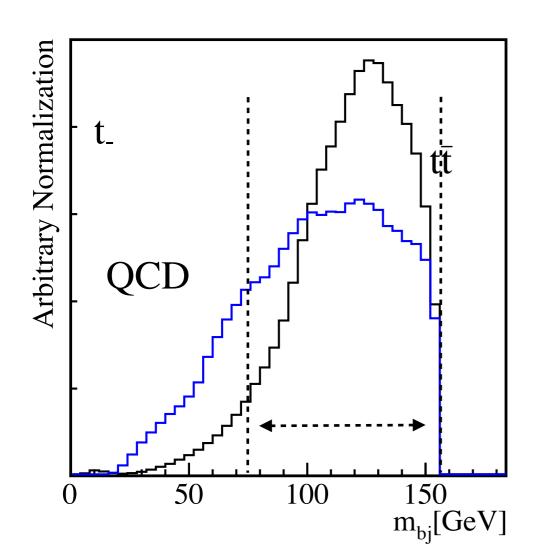
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$$m_{\mathfrak{t}_{-}}(=m_{bj})$$
 distribution

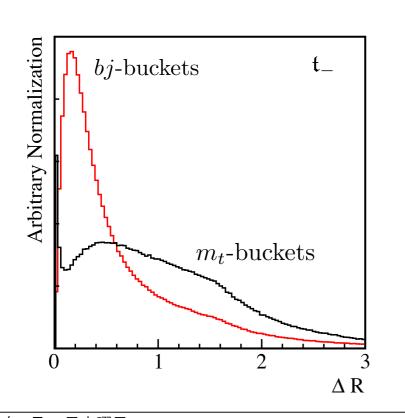
accept  $\mathfrak{t}_{-}$  as a top

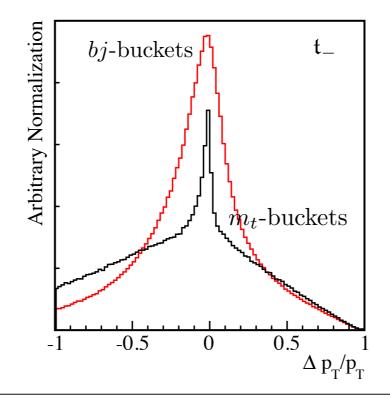
$$75 \text{ GeV} < m_{bj} < 155 \text{ GeV}$$

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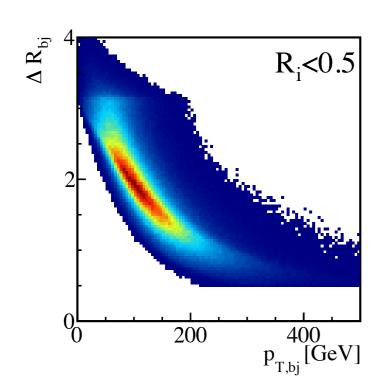
increase in number and quality 70% double tagged in total

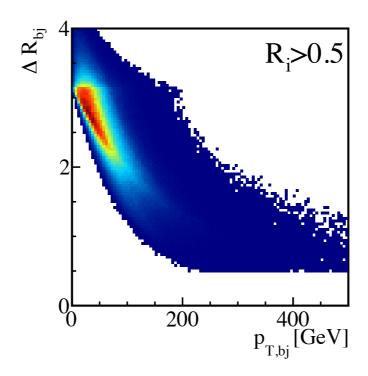




better reconstruction

## Consistency check





to enhance  $R_i < 0.5$ 

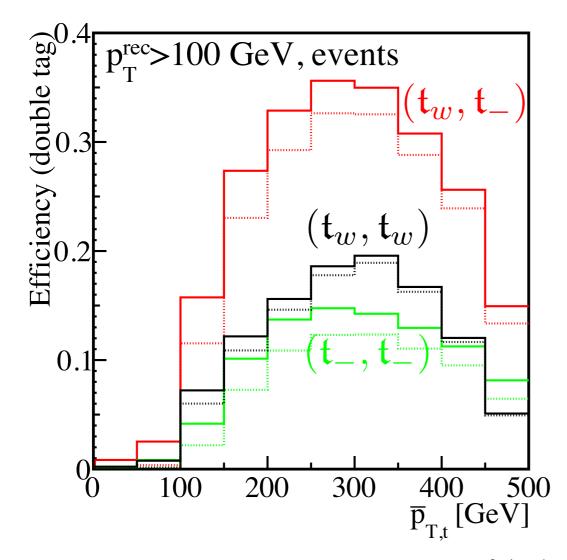
$$p_T^{\rm rec} > 100 {\rm GeV}$$

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$(\mathfrak{t}_w, \mathfrak{t}),  p_T^{\rm rec} > 100  {\rm GeV} $	2805	80.5%	305.4	9.2
$(\mathfrak{t},\mathfrak{t}_w), p_T^{\mathrm{rec}} > 100 \text{ GeV}$	287.9	60.5%	26.4	10.9
$(\mathfrak{t}_{-},\mathfrak{t}_{-}), p_T^{\rm rec} > 100 \text{ GeV}$	1084	67.7%	339.3	3.2
total, $p_T^{\rm rec} > 100 \text{ GeV}$	5593	78.5%	698.2	8.0

 $\sim 80\%$  provide good momentum for both tops

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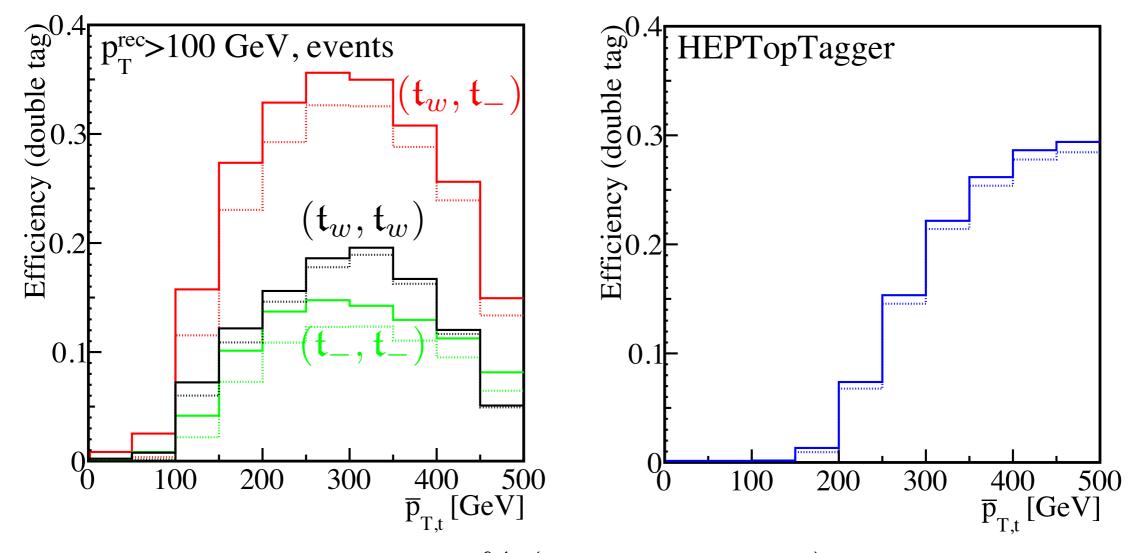


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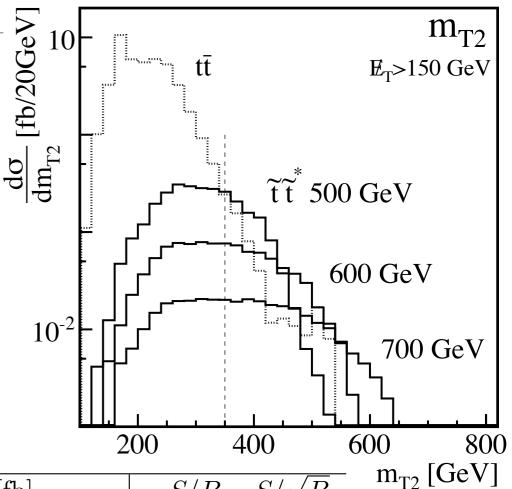
for  $\bar{p}_{T,t} > 300$  GeV, jet substructure method start to be efficient

#### Stop pair search

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- $\tilde{t}\tilde{t}^* \to t\bar{t}\chi\chi$ :  $t\bar{t} + E_T$ typically  $10^4$  difference in cross section
- $\bullet$  include  $\mathfrak{t}_{-}$  increase both signal and BG
- LHC 8 TeV with 25 fb $^{-1}$ :

$$S/B \sim 1 \text{ for } m_{\tilde{t}} = 600 \text{ GeV}$$



	$t\bar{t}$ +jets [fb]		$\tilde{t}\tilde{t}^*$ [fb]		S/B	$S/\sqrt{B}$
$m_{\tilde{t}} \; [\mathrm{GeV}]$		500	600	700	60	00
before cuts	$234 \times 10^3$	80.50	23.00	7.19		
veto lepton	$157 \times 10^3$	50.45	14.38	4.46		
$\geq 5 \text{ jets}$	$85.9 \times 10^{3}$	37.87	10.90	3.37		
2 b-tags	$28.0 \times 10^{3}$	11.41	3.30	1.02		
2 tops reconstructed, $p_{T,t}^{\text{rec}} > 100 \text{ GeV}$	$6.32 \times 10^{3}$	3.90	1.23	0.38	0.0002	0.08
$E_T > 150 \text{ GeV}$	44.71	2.80	0.98	0.33	0.02	0.7
$m_{T2} > 350  \mathrm{GeV}$	0.45	0.79	0.44	0.18	1.0	3.3
$100\% \tau \text{ rejection}$	0.14	0.73	0.40	0.16	2.8	5.3

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## Forward-Backward charge asym. at ILC

• semi-leptonic top pairs

LC-REP2012-003: I. Garcia, E.Ros, J.Trenado, M.Vos

 $\ell$ , p, at least 4 jets

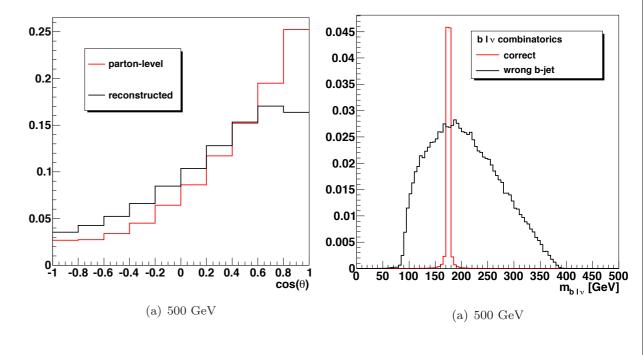
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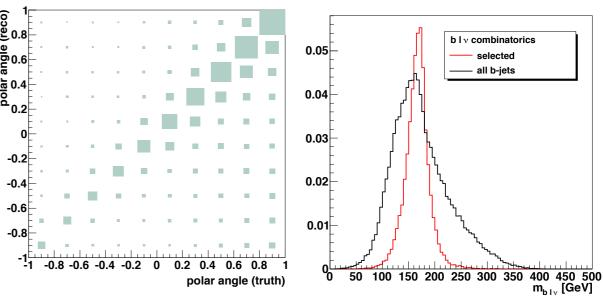
$$|m_{\ell\nu j} - m_t| < 35 \text{ GeV}$$

$$|E_{\ell\nu} + E_j - E_{\text{beam}}| < 75 \text{ GeV}$$

 $\rightarrow \cos \theta_{\ell}$  reconstruction

- $\bullet$  migration effect due to wrong j
- consider a bucket for  $t_h$ ?





## Summary

- top: tool for new physics search
- keep low  $p_T$  signal tops :  $p_{T,t} = 100 350 \text{ GeV}$
- buckets help to solve combinatorics
- bj-buckets provide  $\sim 4$  times the signal