

Workshop on Low x Physics Lisbon, Portugal, 28 June - 1 July, 2006

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# p-p Interactions

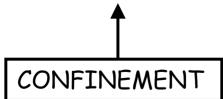
Non-diffractive:
Color-exchange

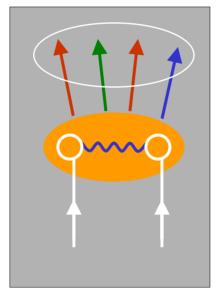
Diffractive:

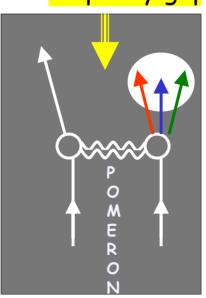
Colorless exchange with vacuum quantum numbers

rapidity gap

Incident hadrons acquire color and break apart





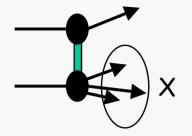


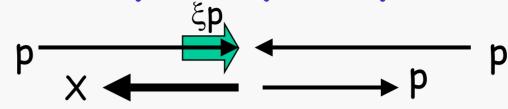
Incident hadrons retain their quantum numbers remaining colorless

pseudo-DECONFINEMENT

Goal: understand the QCD nature of the diffractive exchange

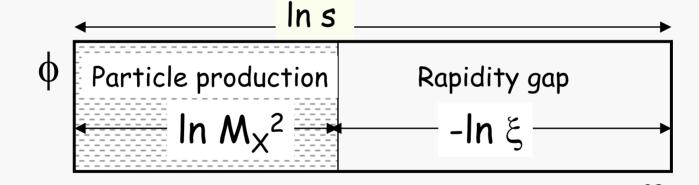
# Rapidity Gaps





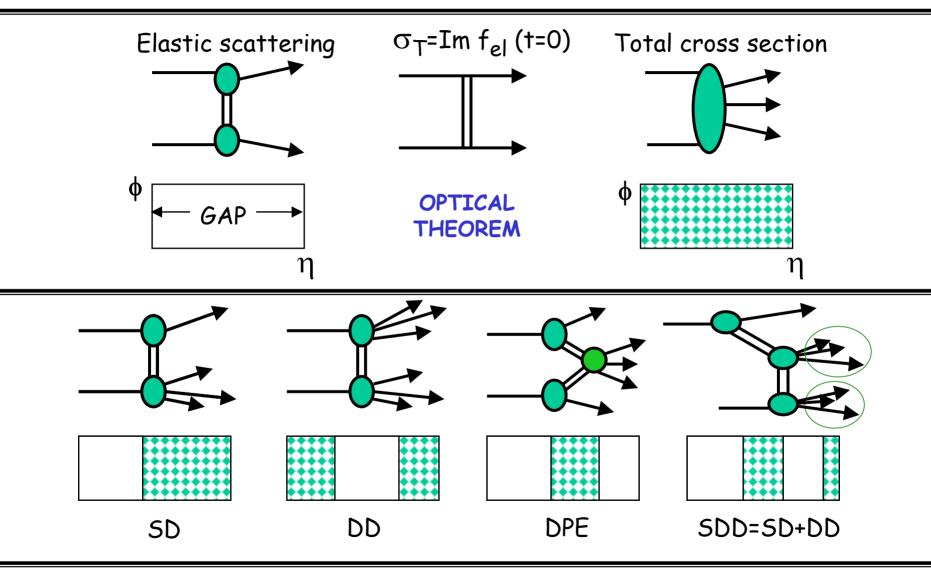
Momentum loss fraction

$$\xi = \frac{\Delta P_L}{P_L} = \frac{M_X^2}{S}$$



$$\left(\frac{d\sigma}{d\Delta\eta}\right)_{t=0} \approx constant \Rightarrow \frac{d\sigma}{dM^2} \sim \frac{1}{M^2} \Rightarrow \frac{d\sigma}{d\xi} \sim \frac{1}{\xi}$$

### Diffraction @ CDF

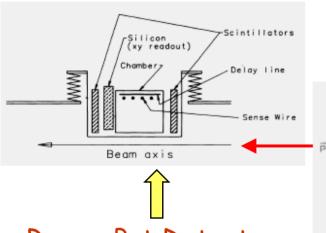




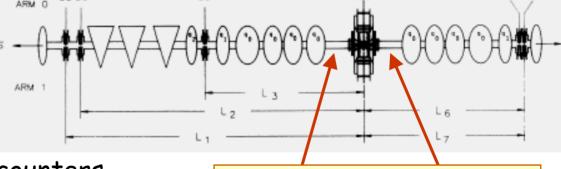
### Run 1-0 (1988-89)

Elastic, single diffractive, and total cross sections

@ 546 and 1800 GeV



Roman Pot Spectrometers CDF-I



Roman Pot Detectors

Scintillation trigger counters

- Wire chamber
- Double-sided silicon strip detector

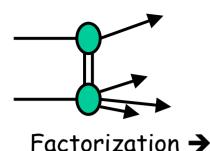
Roman Pots with Trackers up to  $|\eta| = 7$ 

- Total cross section
- > Elastic cross section
- > Single diffraction

 $\sigma^{\text{tot}} \sim S^{\epsilon}$ 

 $d\sigma/dt \sim exp[2\alpha' lns] \rightarrow shrinking forward peak$ 

Breakdown of Regge factorization



### Renormalization

$$\frac{d^2\sigma_{SD}}{dtd\xi} = (f_{IP/p}(t,\xi)) \bullet \sigma_{IP-\overline{p}}(M_X^2)$$

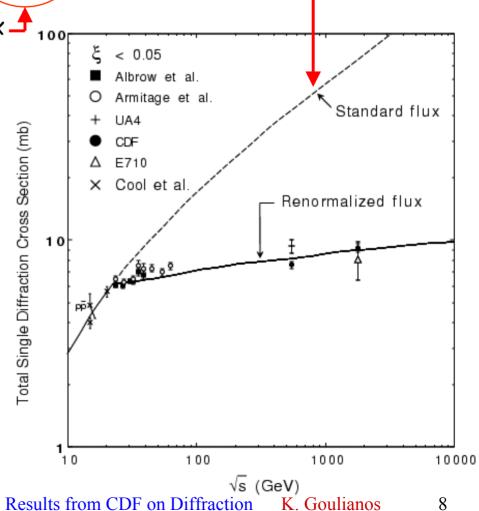


Pomeron flux 🗗

- Regge theory  $\sigma_{SD}$  exceeds  $\sigma_{T}$  at  $\sqrt{s} \approx 2 \text{ TeV}.$
- \* Renormalization Pomeron flux integral (re)normalized to unity

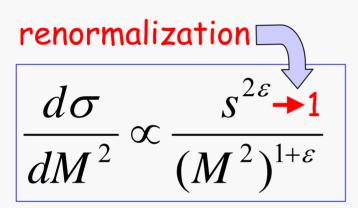
KG, PLB 358 (1995) 379

$$\int\limits_{\xi_{min}}^{0.1}\int\limits_{t=-\infty}^{0}f_{IP/p}(t,\xi)\;d\xi\,dt=1$$

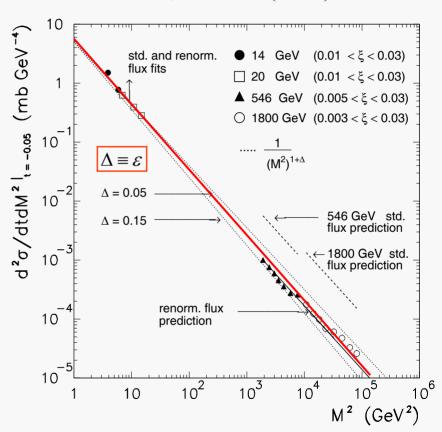


## A Scaling Law in Diffraction

#### KG&JM, PRD 59 (1999) 114017

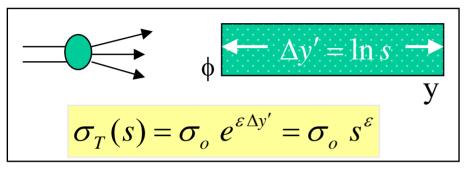


→ Independent of S over 6 orders of magnitude in M<sup>2</sup>!



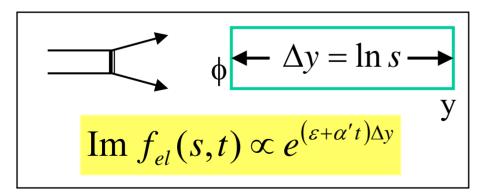
Factorization breaks down so as to ensure M<sup>2</sup>-scaling!

### The QCD Connection

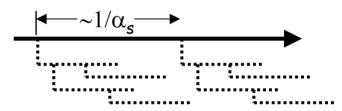


The exponential rise of  $\sigma_T(\Delta y')$  is due to the increase of wee partons with  $\Delta y'$ 

(E. Levin, An Introduction to Pomerons, Preprint DESY 98-120)



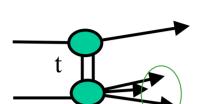
Total cross section: power law increase versus S



Elastic cross section: forward scattering amplitude

## Single Diffraction in QCD

(KG, hep-ph/0205141)





$$\left. \frac{d\sigma}{dM^2} \right|_{REGGE} \propto \frac{s^{2\epsilon}}{(M^2)^{1+\epsilon}}$$

2 independent variables:  $t, \Delta y$ 

$$\frac{d^2\sigma}{dt\ d\Delta y} = C \bullet F_p^2(t) \bullet \left\{ e^{(\varepsilon + \alpha' t)\Delta y} \right\}^2 \bullet \kappa \bullet \left\{ \sigma_o e^{\varepsilon \Delta y'} \right\}$$

Gap probability

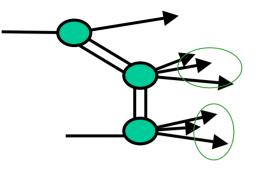
$$\sum_{e}^{4} \frac{1}{2\varepsilon \Delta y} \longrightarrow \int_{\Delta y_{\min}}^{\Delta y = \ln s} s^{2\varepsilon \Delta y} \approx s^{2\varepsilon}$$

factor

Renormalization removes the s-dependence → SCALING

### Multi-gap Renormalization

(KG, hep-ph/0205141)



i = 1 - 5

$$\Delta y_1$$
  $\Delta y_2$   $\Delta y_2$   $\Delta y_2$ 

5 independent variables

$$t_1 \left( \Delta y = \Delta y_1 + \Delta y_2 \right) t_2$$

color factors

$$\frac{d^{5}\sigma}{\prod dV_{i}} = C \times F_{p}^{2}(t_{1}) \prod_{i=1-2} \left\{ e^{(\varepsilon + \alpha' t_{i})\Delta y_{i}} \right\}^{2} \times \kappa^{2} \left\{ \sigma_{o} e^{\varepsilon(\Delta y'_{1} + \Delta y'_{2})} \right\}$$

Gap probability

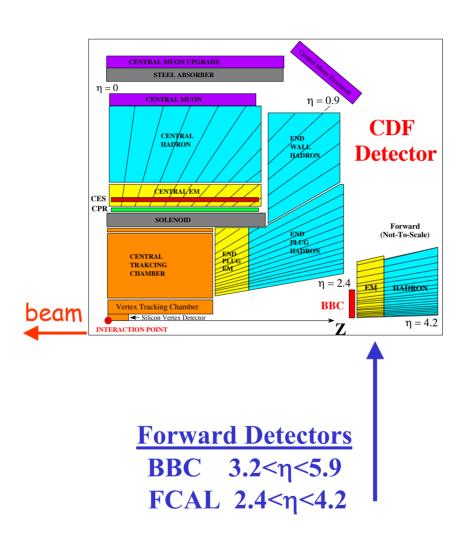
$$\sim e^{2\varepsilon\Delta y}$$

Sub-energy cross section (for regions with particles)

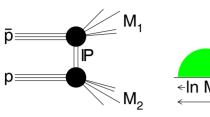
$$\int_{\Delta y = \ln s}^{\Delta y = \ln s} s^{2\varepsilon \Delta y} \approx s^{2\varepsilon}$$

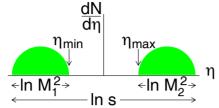
Same suppression as for single gap!

### CDF-IA, IB

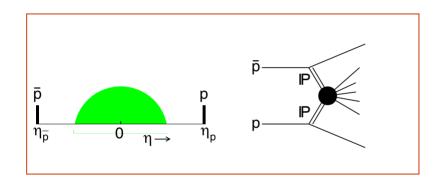


## Central and Double Gaps

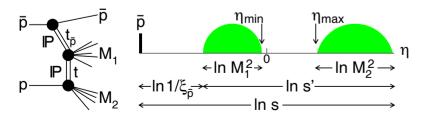




- **□ Double Diffraction Dissociation** 
  - **➤** One central gap

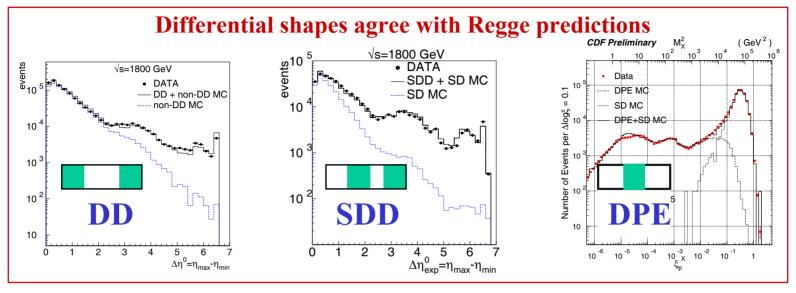


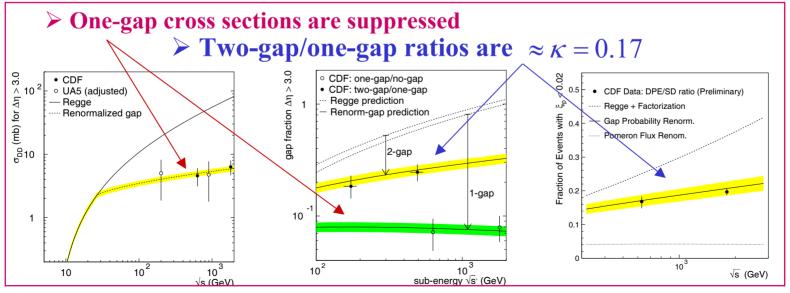
- **□ Double Pomeron Exchange** 
  - > Two forward gaps



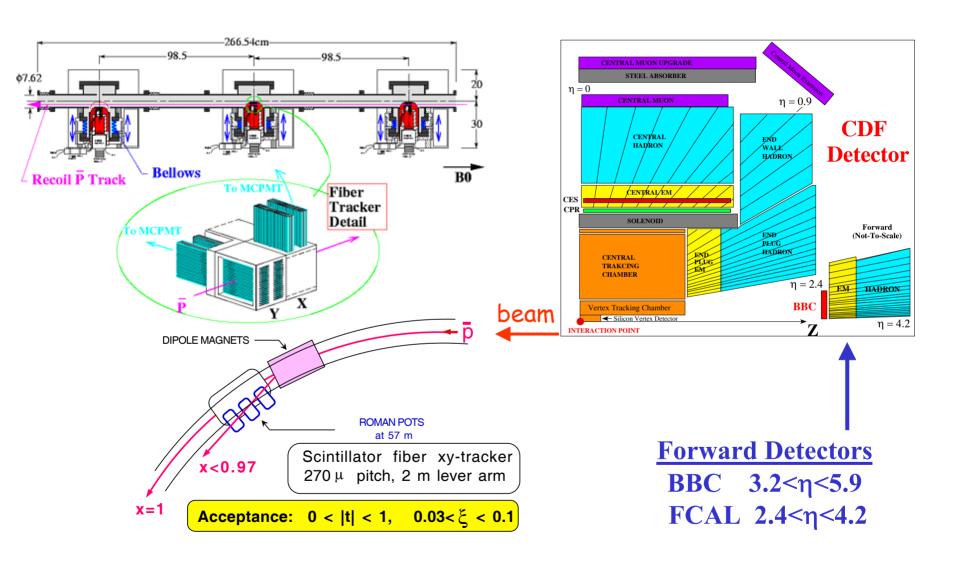
- **■** SDD: Single+Double Diffraction
  - ➤ One forward + one central gap

### Central & Double-Gap CDF Results

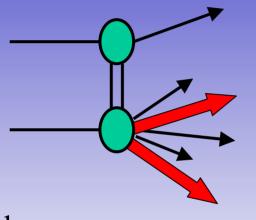




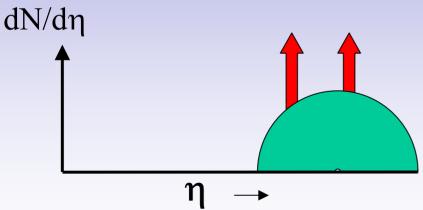
### CDF-IC



# HARD DIFFRACTION



- Diffractive fractions
- Diffractive structure function
  - → factorization breakdown
- Restoring factorization
- Hard diffraction in QCD



 $JJ, W, b, J/\psi$ 

### Diffractive Fractions

$$\overline{p}p \rightarrow (+X) + \text{gap}$$

Fraction: SD/ND ratio at 1800 GeV

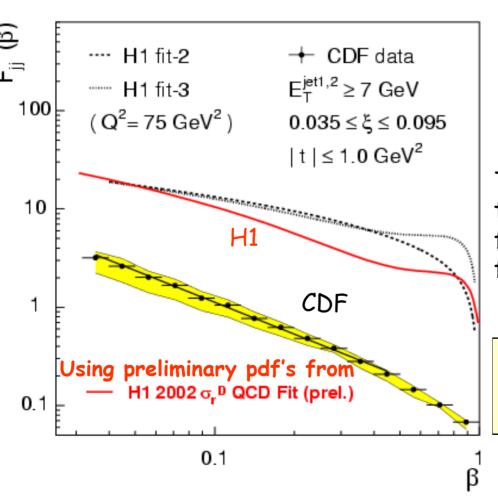
	Fraction(%)
W	1.15 (0.55)
JJ	0.75 (0.10)
b	0.62 (0.25)
<b>J/</b> ψ	1.45 (0.25)

All ratios ~ 1%

→ ~ uniform suppression
 ~ FACTORIZATION!

### Diffractive Structure Function:

#### Breakdown of QCD Factorization

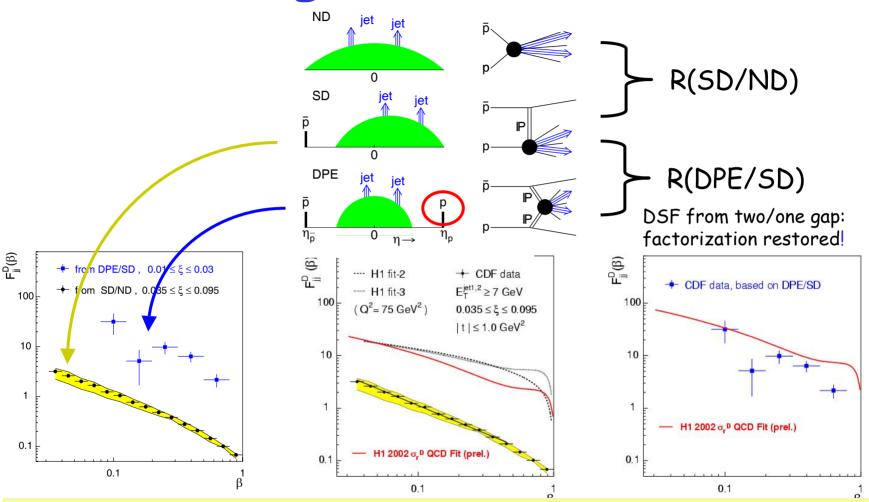


 $\beta$  = momentum fraction of parton in Pomeron

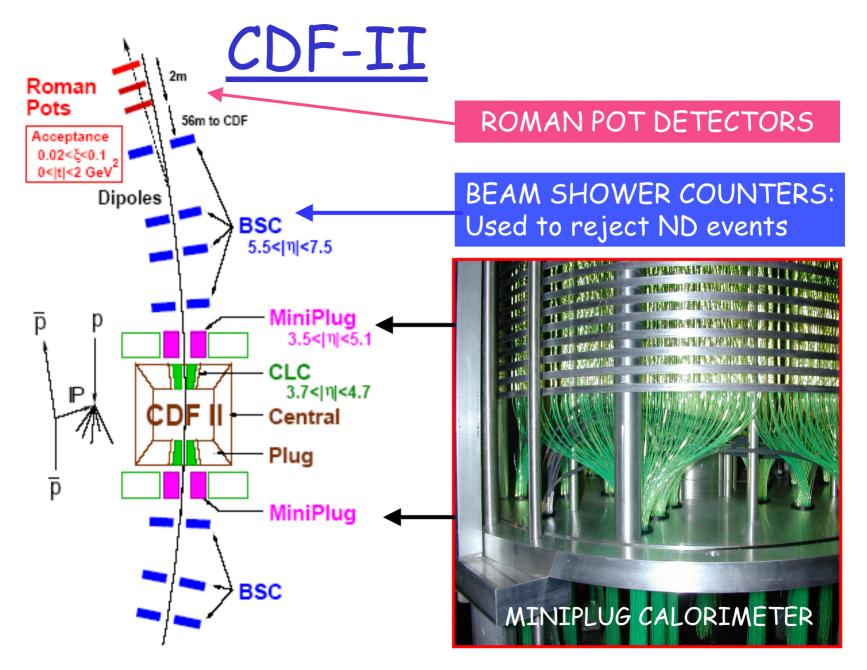
The diffractive structure function at the Tevatron is suppressed by a factor of ~10 relative to expectation from pdf's measured by H1 at HERA

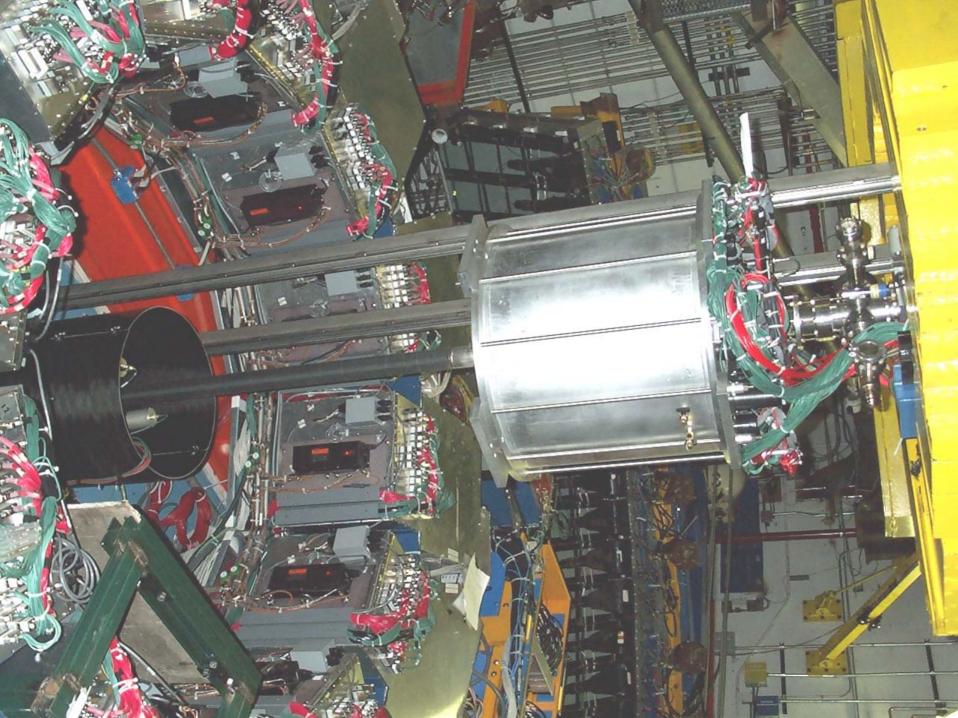
Similar suppression factor as in soft diffraction relative to Regge expectations!

## Restoring QCD Factorization

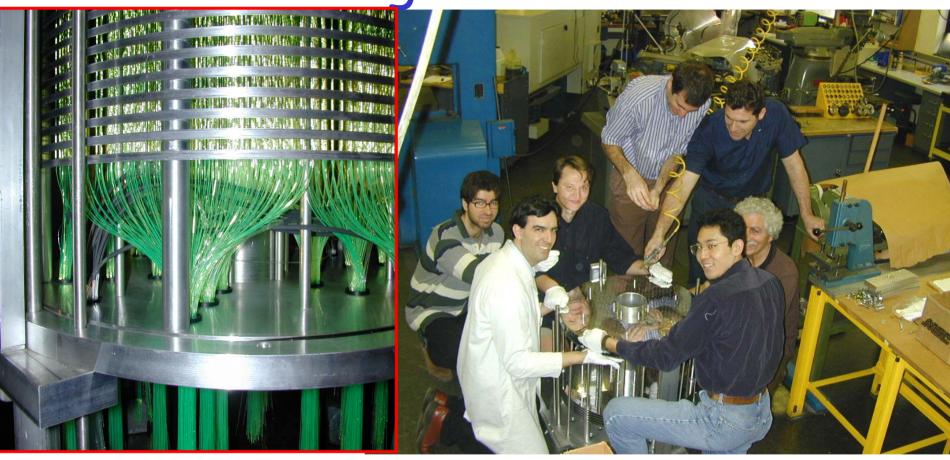


The diffractive structure function measured on the proton side in events with a leading antiproton is NOT suppressed relative to predictions based on DDIS





MiniPlug Calorimeter



About 1500 wavelength shifting fibers of 1 mm dia. are 'strung' through holes drilled in  $36x_4^{\frac{1}{4}}$ " lead plates sandwiched between reflective Al sheets and guided into bunches to be viewed individually by multi-channel photomultipliers.

## Run II Results

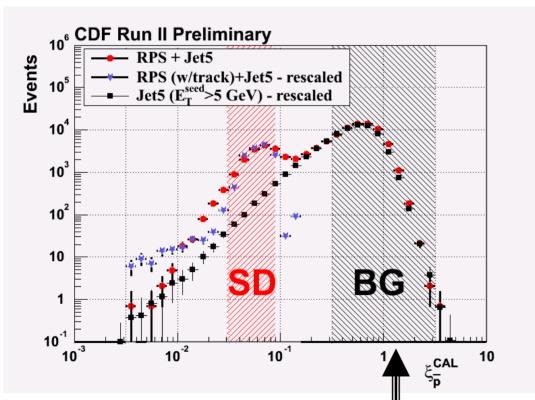


- Diffractive structure function
  - > Q<sup>2</sup> dependence
  - > t dependence
- Exclusive production
  - > dijet
  - > diphoton



### Diffractive Dijet Signal

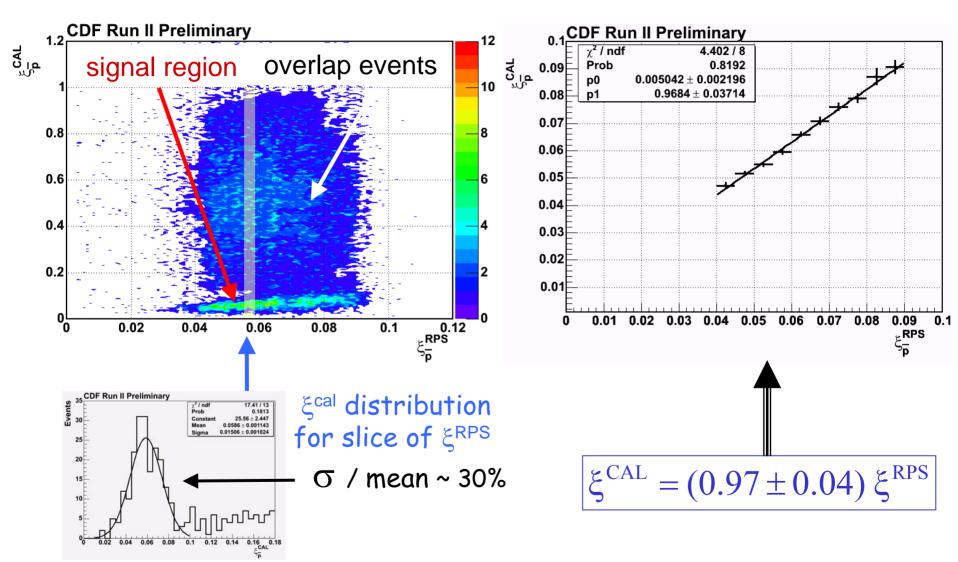
- Bulk of data taken with RPS trigger but no working RPS tracking
- Extract ξ from calorimetric information
- Calibrate calorimetric  $\xi$  using limited sample of RPS tracking data
- Subtract overlap background using a rescaled dijet event sample
- Verify diffractive  $\xi$  range by comparing  $\xi^{RPS}$  with  $\xi^{CAL}$



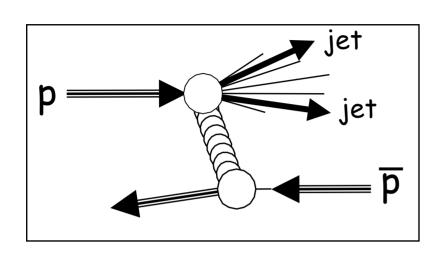
$$\xi^{CAL} = \frac{\sum_{\text{all towers}} E_T \ e^{-\eta}}{\sqrt{s}}$$

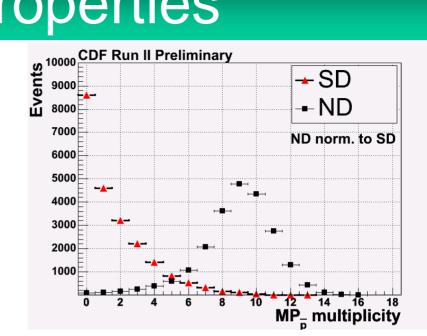
Overlap events: mainly ND dijets plus SD low & RPS trigger

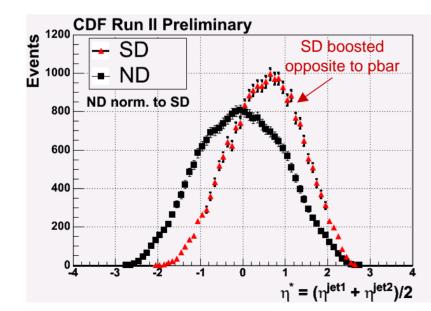
# ξ<sup>CAL</sup> Calibration

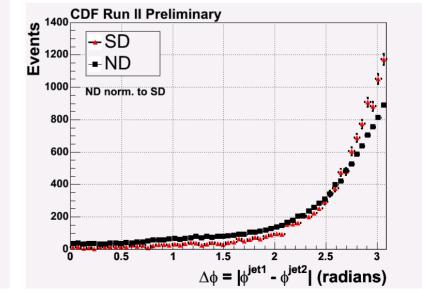


### Dijet Properties



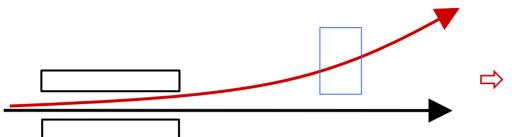






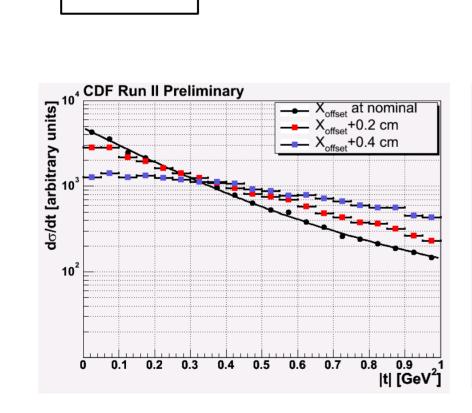
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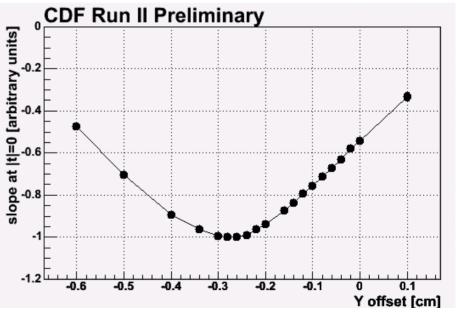
### Alignment of RPS using Data



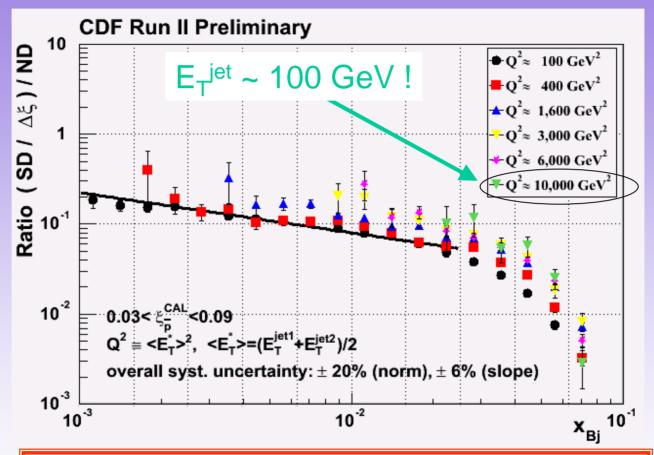
maximize the |t|-slope

⇒ determine X and Y offsets





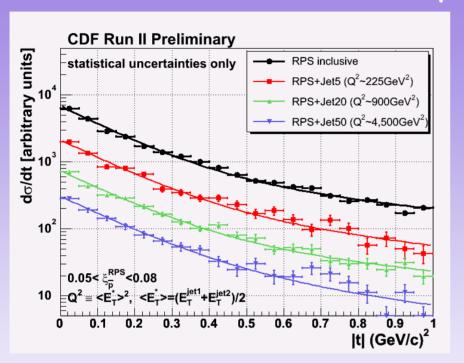
### Diffractive Structure Function: Q<sup>2</sup> dependence

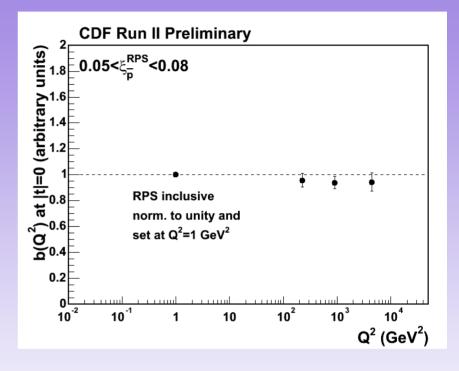


Small Q<sup>2</sup> dependence in region 100 < Q<sup>2</sup> < 10,000 GeV<sup>2</sup>

⇒ Pomeron evolves similarly to proton!

# Diffractive Structure Function: t- dependence





Fit  $d\sigma/dt$  to a double exponential:

$$F = 0.9 \cdot e^{b_1 \cdot t} + 0.1 \cdot e^{b_2 \cdot t}$$

- > No diffraction dips
- No Q2 dependence in slope from inclusive to Q<sup>2</sup>~10<sup>4</sup> GeV<sup>2</sup>

Same slope over entire region of 0 < Q<sup>2</sup> < 10,000 GeV<sup>2</sup> across soft and hard diffraction!

### EXCLUSIVE PRODUCTION

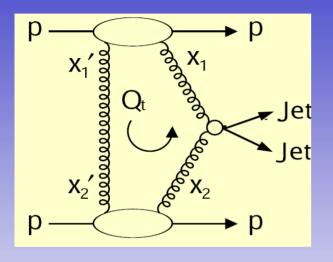
Measure exclusive jj &  $\gamma\gamma$ 



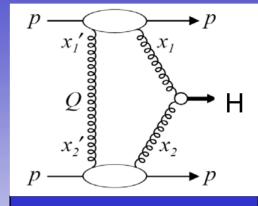




Calibrate predictions for H production rates @ LHC



Bialas, Landshoff, Phys.Lett. B 256,540 (1991) Khoze, Martin, Ryskin, Eur. Phys. J. C23, 311 (2002); C25,391 (2002);C26,229 (2002) C. Royon, hep-ph/0308283 B. Cox, A. Pilkington, PRD 72, 094024 (2005) OTHER.....



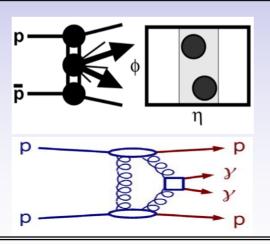
KMR:  $\sigma_{H}(LHC) \sim 3 \text{ fb}$ S/B ~ 1 if  $\Delta$ M ~ 1 GeV

Clean discovery channel

Search for exclusive dijets: Measure dijet mass fraction

$$R_{jj} = \frac{M_{jj}}{M_{x} (all calorimeters)}$$

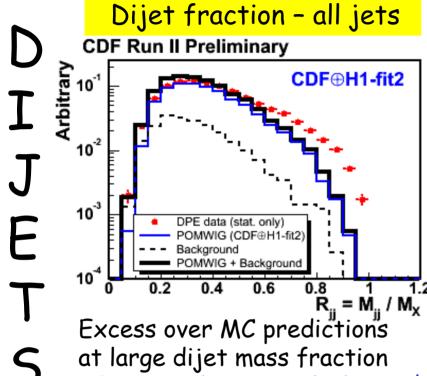
Look for signal as  $M_{ii} \rightarrow 1$ 



Search for exclusive  $\gamma\gamma$ 

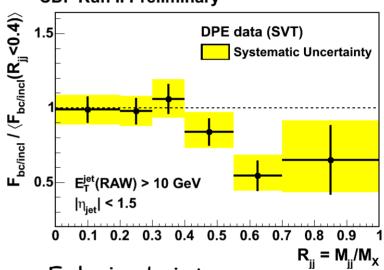
Search for events with two high  $E_{T}$  gammas and no other activity in the calorimeters or BSCs

## Exclusive Dijet and yy Search



#### b-tagged dijet fraction





Exlusive b-jets are suppressed by  $J_z$ = 0 selection rule

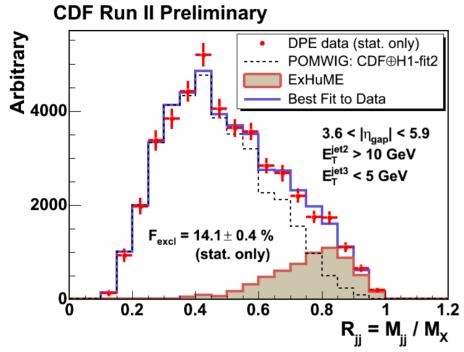
Systematic uncertainties under study: tune in soon for results!

#### Exclusive yy

Based on 3 events observed:  $\sigma_{MEAS} = 0.14^{+0.14}_{-0.04}(stat) \pm 0.03(syst)$  pb

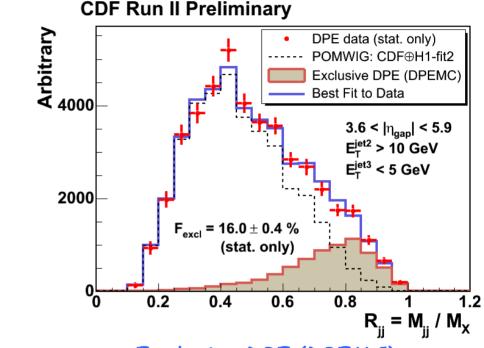
Good agreement with KMR:  $\sigma_{KMR} = 0.04 \pm 0.04 (\times 2 - 3) \ pb$ 

### Dijets: Data vs MC



ExHuME (KMR): gg→gg process

→ uses LO pQCD



Exclusive DPE (DPEMC)→ non-pQCD based on Regge theory

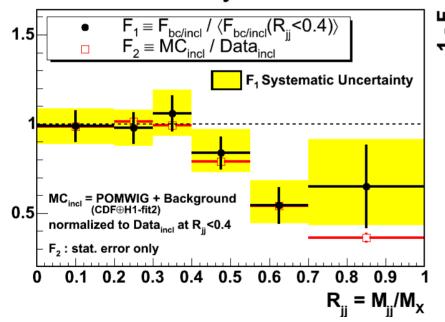
- ⇒ Excess of events at high R<sub>jj</sub> is well described by both exclusive dijet production models
- $\Rightarrow$  Currently investigating the dependence of the cross section on second jet  $\mathsf{E}_\mathsf{T}$  to differentiate between the two models

# Exclusive Dijet Signal

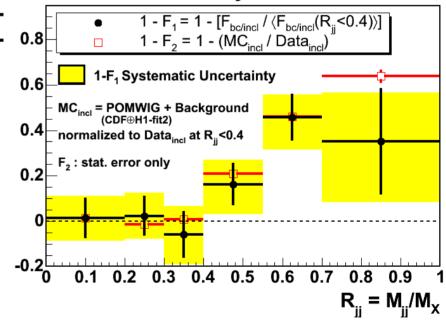
### COMPARISON

inclusive data vs MC @ b/c-jet data vs inclusive

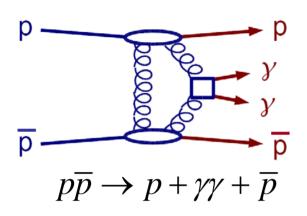
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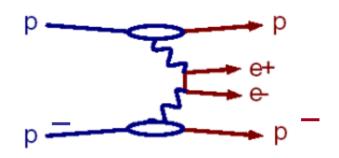


#### **CDF Run II Preliminary**



### Exclusive $\gamma\gamma$ /ee Search

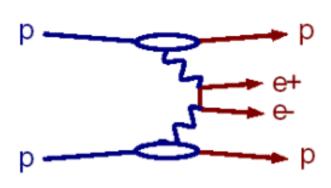




QED process: cross-check to exclusive  $\gamma\gamma$ 

- √ (anti)proton not detected
- $\checkmark$  require 2 EM showers (E<sub>T</sub>>5 GeV, |h|<2)
- ✓ veto on all BSCs and all calorimetery except for the 2 EM showers
- ✓ L~530 pb<sup>-1</sup> delivered → L<sub>effective</sub>=46 pb<sup>-1</sup>
- √⇒ 19 events with 2 EM showers + "nothing" [above threshold]

### Exclusive ee Search

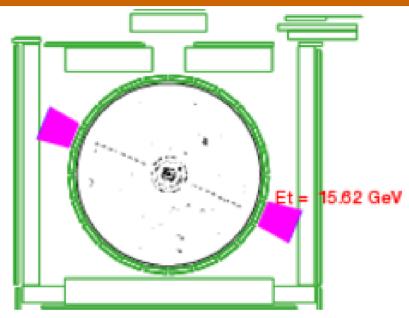


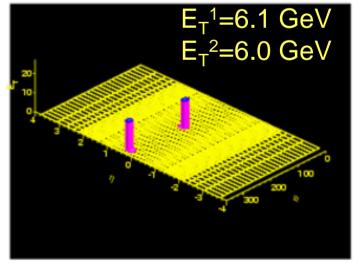
control sample for  $\gamma\gamma$  search

⇒16 candidate events found background 2.1 +0.7 events

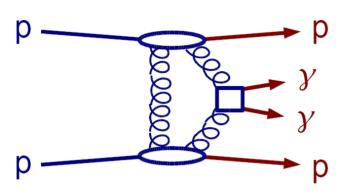
$$\sigma_{\text{MEASURED}} = 1.6^{+0.5}_{-0.3} \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.3 \text{ (sys) pb}$$

good agreement with LPAIR:  $\sigma_{PA/R} = 1.711 \pm 0.008 \, pb$ 





## Exclusive yy Search



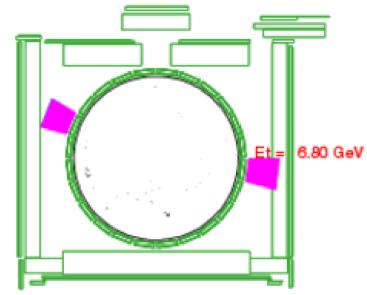
⇒ 3 candidate events found background: 0.0 +0.2 events

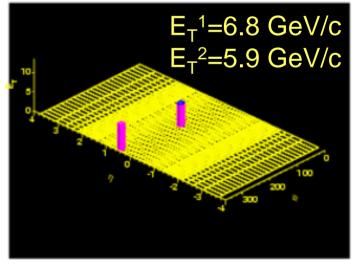
$$\sigma_{\text{MEASURED}} = 0.14^{+0.14}_{-0.04} \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.03 \text{ (sys) pb}$$

good agreement with KMR:

$$\sigma_{KMR} = 0.04 \pm (\times 2 - 3) \ pb$$

 $\Rightarrow$   $\sigma_{H}$  ~ 10 fb (if H exists) within a factor ~ 2-3 , higher in MSSM





# Dark Energy

#### Non-diffractive interactions

Rapidity gaps are formed by multiplicity fluctuations:

$$P(\Delta y) = e^{-\rho \Delta y}, \quad \rho = \frac{dN_{particles}}{dy}$$

 $P(\Delta y)$  is exponentially suppressed

#### Diffractive interactions

Rapidity gaps at t=0 grow with  $\Delta y$ :

$$P(\Delta y)\big|_{t=0} \sim e^{2\epsilon \Delta y}$$

28: negative particle density!



Gravitational repulsion?

## Summary

#### TEVATRON - what we have learnt

- $\rightarrow$  M<sup>2</sup> scaling
- > Non-suppressed double-gap to single-gap ratios
- → Pomeron: composite object made up from underlying pdf's subject to color constraints

#### LHC - what to do

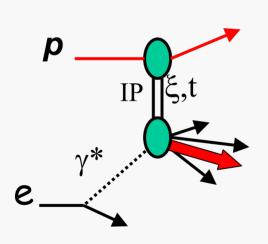
- → High mass (→ 4 TeV!) and multi-gap diffraction
- Exclusive production
  - → Reduced bgnd for std Higgs to study properties
  - → Discovery channel for certain Higgs scenarios

# BACKUP

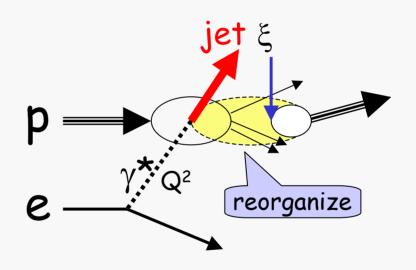
# Diffractive DIS: two models

Particle-like Pomeron

Color reorganization



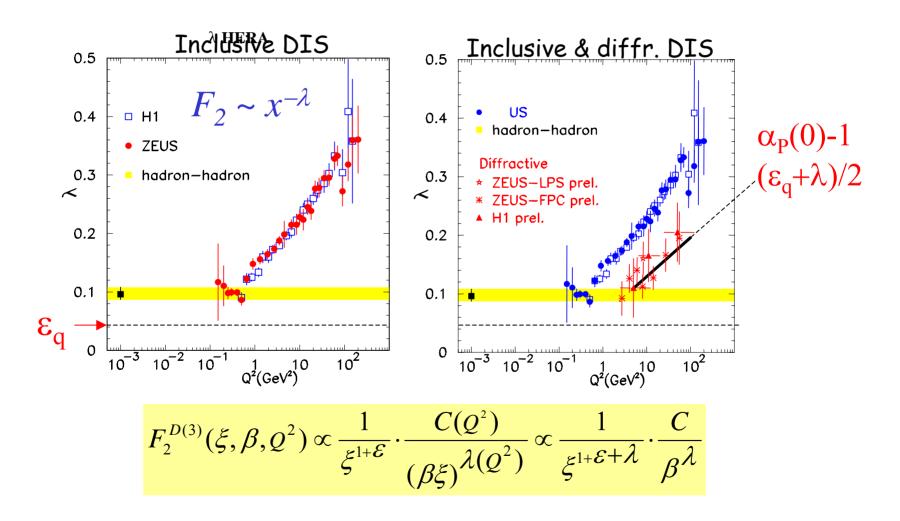
what is the Pomeron structure?



probing the proton structure!

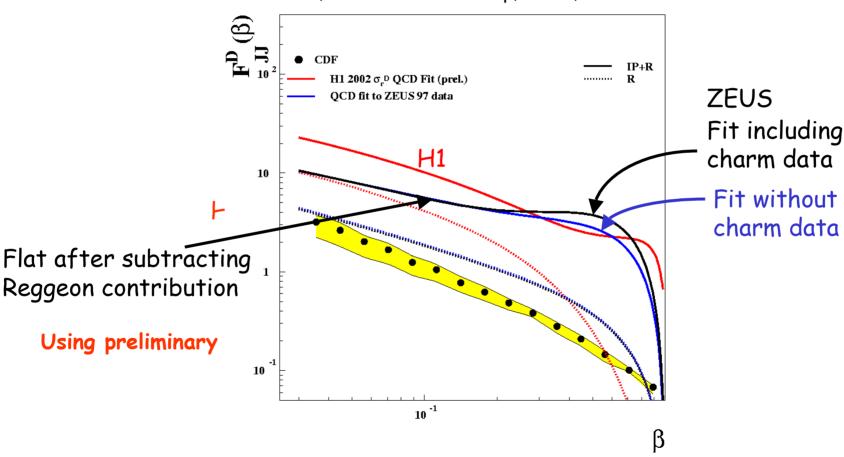
### Inclusive vs Diffractive DIS

KG, "Diffraction: a New Approach," J.Phys.G26:716-720,2000 e-Print Archive: hep-ph/0001092

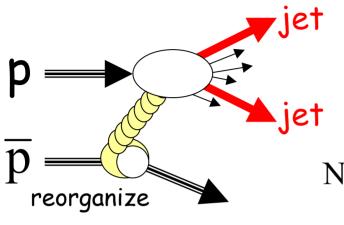


### DSF: H1 vs ZEUS



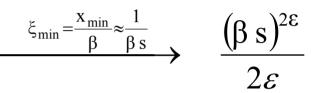


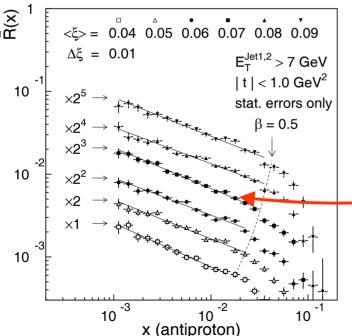
### Diffractive Dijets @ Tevatron



$$F^{D}(\xi, x, Q^{2}) = N_{renorm} \frac{1}{\xi^{1+2\varepsilon}} \cdot F(x/\xi, Q^{2})$$

$$_{\rm rm} = \int_{\xi_{\rm min}}^{1} \frac{\mathrm{d}\xi}{\xi^{1+2\epsilon}}$$

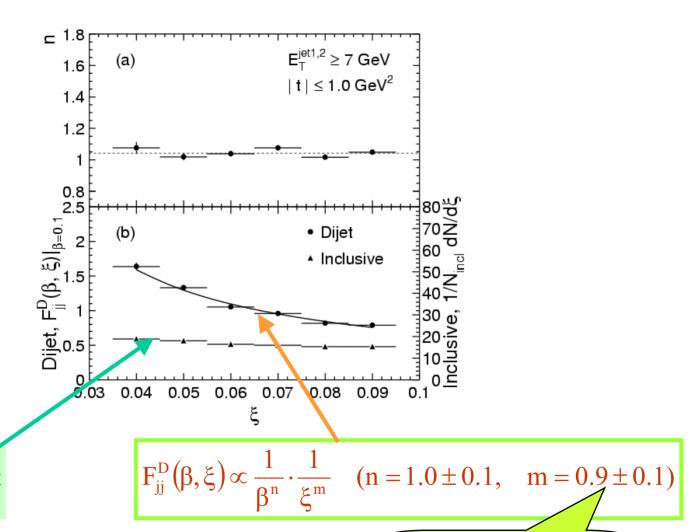




$$\left. \left. R \frac{SD}{ND} \left( x \right) \right|_{\text{renorm}} \propto \frac{1}{\xi^{1 - \lambda \left( \varrho^{2} \right)}} \cdot x^{-2\varepsilon_{g}}$$

 $\varepsilon_q \sim 0.2 \Rightarrow$  Agreement with data!

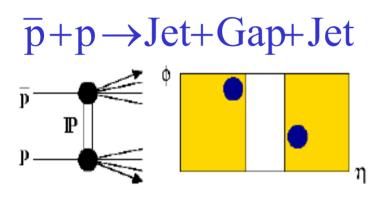
# ξ-dependence: Inclusive vs Dijet

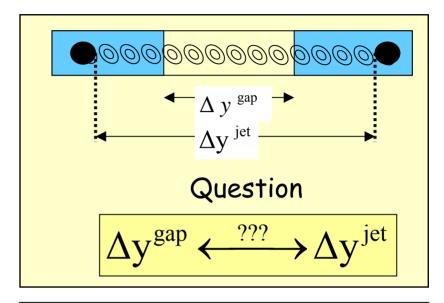


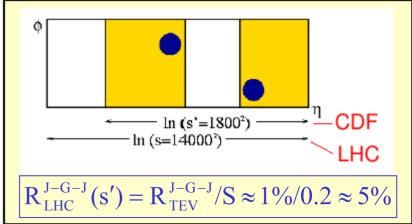
 $\frac{d\sigma_{inel}}{d\xi} \propto constant$ 

Pomeron dominated

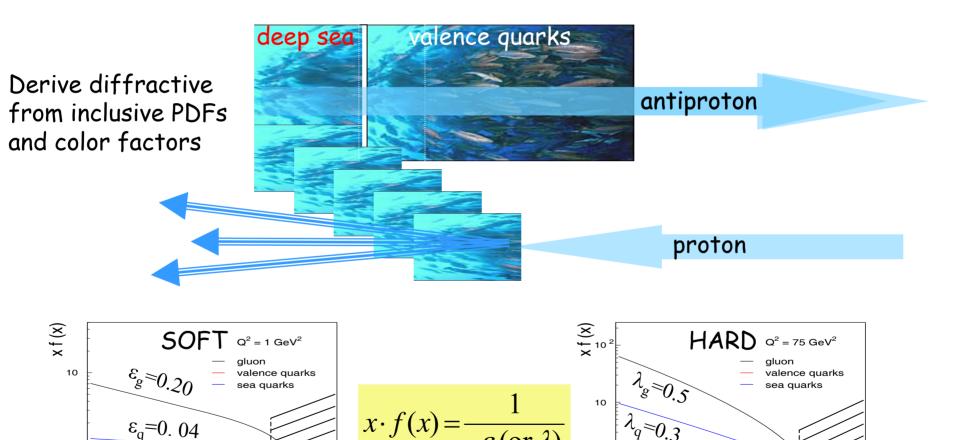
### Gap Between Jets







### Diffraction from the Deep Sea



10 <sup>-2</sup>

10 <sup>-1</sup>

10 -2

10 -3

 $\mathbf{x}^{1}$