#### W Boson Mass Measurements at the Tevatron Ashutosh Kotwal Duke University

#### For the CDF and D0 Collaborations



Large Hadron Collider Physics Conference Barcelona, May 17, 2013 Motivation for Precision Electroweak Measurements

• Radiative corrections due to heavy quark and Higgs loops and exotica



Motivate the introduction of the  $\rho$  parameter:  $M_W^2 = \rho [M_W(\text{tree})]^2$ with the predictions  $\Delta \rho = (\rho-1) \sim M_{\text{top}}^2$  and  $\Delta \rho \sim \ln M_H$ 

- In conjunction with  $M_{top}$  and the Higgs boson mass, the W boson mass stringently tests the SM
- A discrepancy with the SM can be used to test new physics models

### **Contributions from Supersymmetric Particles**



- Radiative correction depends on mass splitting ( $\Delta m^2$ ) between squarks in SU(2) doublet
- After folding in limits on SUSY particles from direct searches, SUSY loops can contribute 100 MeV to  $M_w$

## Progress on $M_{top}$ at the Tevatron and LHC



- From the Tevatron and LHC (which is approaching Tevatron precision),  $\Delta M_{top} < 0.9 \text{ GeV} => \Delta M_H / M_H < 8\%$
- equivalent  $\Delta M_W < 6$  MeV for the same Higgs mass constraint
- Current world average  $\Delta M_W = 15 \text{ MeV}$ 
  - progress on  $\Delta M_W$  has the biggest impact on precision electroweak fit

## Motivation

• Generic parameterization of new physics contributing to W and Z boson self-energies: *S*, *T*, *U* parameters (Peskin & Takeuchi)



 $M_{w}$  and Asymmetries are the most powerful observables in this parameterization

## W Boson Production at the Tevatron



Initial state QCD radiation is O(10 GeV), measure as soft 'hadronic recoil' in calorimeter (calibrated to ~0.5%)

## Quadrant of Collider Detector at Fermilab (CDF)



Select W and Z bosons with central ( $|\mathbf{\eta}| < 1$ ) leptons

## D0 Detector at Fermilab



## Electron Energy Scale at D0

- Correct for low-energy non-linearity
  - Energy loss due to upstream dead material (ionization, bremsstrahlung)
  - Modeling of underlying event energy flow in electron towers
  - Electronics noise and pileup
- Straight-line model for calorimeter response

 $R_{EM}(E_{true}) = \alpha \cdot (E_{true} - \bar{E}_{true}) + \beta + \bar{E}_{true}$ Offset, <sup>0.3</sup> 0.550 0.12 0.12 D0 Run II, 4.3 fb<sup>-1</sup> Tune on  $Z \rightarrow ee$  mass exploiting electron energy spread => measure  $m_w/m_z$ L<0.72 0.075 0.72<L<1.4 1.4<L<2.2 Calibration procedure checked with L>2.2 closure test performed with 1.01 1.02 1.03 1.04 1.05 GEANT pseudo-data Scale,  $\alpha$ 

### $Z \rightarrow ee \text{ data } at D0$



Good agreement between data and parameterised Monte Carlo.

## CDF Electron and Muon Measurement

- A complete detector simulation of all quantities measured in the data
- First-principles simulation of tracking
  - Tracks and photons propagated through a high-granularity 3-D lookup table of material properties for silicon detector and drift chamber



## Internal Alignment of CDF Drift Chamber

• Use a clean sample of ~400k cosmic rays for cell-by-cell internal alignment



- Fit hits on both sides simultaneously to a single helix (A. Kotwal, H. Gerberich and C. Hays, NIMA 506, 110 (2003))
  - Time of incidence is a floated parameter in this 'dicosmic fit'

### CDF Tracking Momentum Scale

Set using  $J/\psi \rightarrow \mu\mu$  and  $\Upsilon \rightarrow \mu\mu$  resonance and  $Z \rightarrow \mu\mu$  masses

- Extracted by fitting J/ $\psi$  mass in bins of 1/p<sub>T</sub>( $\mu$ ), and extrapolating momentum scale to zero curvature
- J/ $\psi \rightarrow \mu\mu$  mass independent of  $p_T(\mu)$  after 4% tuning of energy loss



## **CDF** Tracking Momentum Scale

#### $\Upsilon \rightarrow \mu\mu$ resonance provides

- Momentum scale measurement at higher p<sub>T</sub>
- Validation of beam-constaining procedure (upsilons are promptly produced)
- Cross-check of non-beam-constrained (NBC) and beam-constrained (BC) fits



 $Z \rightarrow \mu \mu$  Mass Cross-check & Combination at CDF

- Using the J/ $\psi$  and Y momentum scale, performed "blinded" measurement of Z mass
  - Z mass consistent with PDG value (91188 MeV) (0.7 $\sigma$  statistical)



CDF Tracker Linearity Cross-check & Combination

- Final calibration using the  $J/\psi$ ,  $\Upsilon$  and Z bosons for calibration
- Combined momentum scale correction :



#### EM Calorimeter Energy Calibration at CDF

• E/p peak from  $W \rightarrow ev$  decays provides measurements of EM calorimeter scale and its (E<sub>T</sub>-dependent) non-linearity

$$\Delta S_E = (9_{\text{stat}} \pm 5_{\text{non-linearity}} \pm 5_{X0} \pm 9_{\text{Tracker}}) \times 10^{-5}$$

Setting S<sub>E</sub> to 1 using E/p calibration from combined  $W \rightarrow ev$  and  $Z \rightarrow ee$  samples



 $Z \rightarrow ee$  Mass Cross-check and Combination at CDF

- Performed "blind" measurement of Z mass using E/p-based calibration
  - Consistent with PDG value (91188 MeV) within 1.4 $\sigma$  (statistical)

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$$M_Z = 91230 \pm 30_{stat} \pm 10_{calorimeter} \pm 8_{momentum} \pm 5_{QED} \pm 2_{alignment} MeV$$

• Combine E/p-based calibration with  $Z \rightarrow ee$  mass for maximum precision



 $\Delta M_{\rm W} = 10 {\rm MeV}$ 

Recoil Response Model at D0 (similar to CDF)

- Hadronic response model motivated from "first principles"
  - "jet response" + spectator interaction + additional interactions and noise



### W Mass Fits at D0



Fitted result:  $m_W = 80371 \pm 13$  (stat) MeV Fitted result:  $m_W = 80343 \pm 14$  (stat) MeV

### W Mass Fits at CDF



Neutrino  $p_{T}$  fits also performed by both experiments to check consistency

### Transverse Mass Fit Uncertainties (MeV)

Source	CDF $m_T(\mu,  u)$	$CDF\ m_T(e, u)$	$D {oldsymbol {Q}} \ m_T(e,  u)$					
Experimental – Statistical power of the calibration sample.								
Lepton Energy Scale	7	10	16					
Lepton Energy Resolution	1	4	2					
Lepton Energy Non-Linearity			4					
Lepton Energy Loss			4					
Recoil Energy Scale	5	5						
Recoil Energy Resolution	7	7						
Lepton Removal	2	3						
Recoil Model			5					
Efficiency Model			1					
Background	3	4	2					
W production and decay model – Not statistically driven.								
PDF	10	10	11					
QED	4	4	7					
Boson $p_T$	3	3	2					

## Combined W Mass Result, Error Scaling (CDF)



#### W Boson Mass Measurements from Different Experiments



## PDF Uncertainties – scope for improvement

- Factor of 5 bigger samples of W and Z bosons available at Tevatron
- Newer PDF sets, *e.g.* CT10W include more recent data, such as Tevatron W charge asymmetry data
- Dominant sources of W mass uncertainty are the  $d_{\text{valence}}$  and  $\overline{d}$ - $\overline{u}$  degrees of freedom
  - Understand consistency of data constraining these d.o.f.
  - PDF fitters increase tolerance to accommodate inconsistent datasets
- Tevatron and LHC measurements that can further constrain PDFs:
  - Z boson rapidity distribution
  - W  $\rightarrow l\nu$  lepton rapidity distribution
  - W boson charge asymmetry

#### Test of Electroweak Quantum Loops at High Energy



The top quark mass, the W boson mass and the mass of the Higgs boson provides a stringent test of the standard model at loop level

Current M<sub>W</sub> vs M<sub>top</sub>



# Improved $M_W vs M_{top}$ (half the current uncertainties)



# Summary

- The W boson mass is a very interesting parameter to measure with increasing precision
- New Tevatron W mass result from 2.2 fb<sup>-1</sup> 5.3 fb<sup>-1</sup> (PRL 108, 151803 & 151804)

 $- M_W = 80385 \pm 15 \text{ MeV}$ 

• New global electroweak fit  $M_{\rm H} = 94^{+29}_{-24}$  GeV @ 68% CL (LEPEWWG)

– Consistent with directly measured  $M_{_{\rm H}} \sim 125 \text{ GeV}$ 

• Looking forward to  $\Delta M_W < 10$  MeV from 10 fb<sup>-1</sup> of Tevatron data

– Could LHC achieve  $\Delta M_W \sim 5$  MeV given huge statistics ?



## Backup

### Constraining Boson p<sub>T</sub> Spectrum

• Fit the non-perturbative parameter  $g_2$  and QCD coupling  $\alpha_s$  in RESBOS to  $p_T(ll)$  spectra:  $\Delta M_w = 5 \text{ MeV}$ 



Measurement of EM Calorimeter Non-linearity

- Perform E/p fit-based calibration in bins of electron  $E_T$
- GEANT-motivated parameterization of non-linear response:  $S_E = 1 + \beta \log(E_T / 39 \text{ GeV})$
- Tune on W and Z data:  $\beta = (5.2 \pm 0.7_{stat}) \times 10^{-3}$

 $=>\Delta M_W = 4 \text{ MeV}$ 



### Tuning Recoil Resolution Model with Z events

At low  $p_T(Z)$ ,  $p_T$ -balance constrains hadronic resolution due to underlying event



At high  $p_T(Z)$ ,  $p_T$ -balance constrains jet resolution

#### Testing Hadronic Recoil Model with W events



Recoil projection (GeV) on lepton direction

### Systematic Uncertainties in QED Radiative Corrections

	CDF0	CDFIa	CDFIb	$CDFII 200 pb^{-1}$	$CDFII 2.3 fb^{-1}$	$DØ 1 fb^{-1}$
effects:						
single photon				$\checkmark$		$\checkmark$
exact $\mathcal{O}(\alpha)$	_	—	—			—
$\operatorname{multi-photon}$	_	_	_	_		$\checkmark$
ISR	_	_	_	_		_
uncertainties:						
$2\gamma$ emission				$\checkmark$		$\checkmark$
ISR	—	—		$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
$\alpha \alpha_s$	_	_	_	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	—
SV cut-off	—	—	—	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Z/W correl.	—	—	—	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
beyond $2\gamma$	_	_	—	—		—
H.O. SV corr.	_	_	—	_		—
pair creation	—	_	—	—		—
Breit-Wigner	_	_	_	_		_
EWK scheme	_	_	_	_		_

## Parton Distribution Functions

- Affect W kinematic lineshapes through acceptance cuts
- We use CTEQ6 as the default PDF
- Use ensemble of 'uncertainty' PDFs
  - Represent variations of eigenvectors in the PDF parameter space
  - compute  $\delta M_W$  contribution from each error PDF
- Using MSTW2008 PDF ensemble defined for 68% CL, obtain systematic uncertainty of 10 MeV
- Comparing CTEQ and MSTW at 90% CL, yield similar uncertainty (CTEQ is 10% larger)
  - Cross-check: default MSTW2008 relative to default CTEQ6 yields 6 MeV shift in W mass

## Generator-level Signal Simulation



- Generator-level input for W & Z simulation provided by RESBOS (C. Balazs & C.-P. Yuan, PRD56, 5558 (1997) and references therein), which
  - Calculates triple-differential production cross section, and p<sub>T</sub>-dependent double-differential decay angular distribution
  - calculates boson  $p_T$  spectrum reliably over the relevant  $p_T$  range: includes tunable parameters in the non-perturbative regime at low  $p_T$
- Multiple radiative photons generated according to PHOTOS (P. Golonka and Z. Was, Eur. J. Phys. C 45, 97 (2006) and references therein)