Update for run 17 diffractive EM-jet A_N

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Outline

□ Responses to the questions and suggestions last week

- 1. Check the west RP track momentum distribution for events by different x_F ranges
- 2. Study the fraction of west RP track energy to beam energy ($x_L = \frac{E_{proton}}{E_{beam}}$)

□ Preliminary plots

- Run 17 diffractive EM-jet A_N for all photon multiplicity, and 1 or 2 photon multiplicity EM-jets
- Comparison between inclusive and diffractive EM-jet for 1 or 2 photon multiplicity EM-jets

- E sum spectrum based on different x_F ranges
- Data: FMS stream data with <u>**no**</u> <u>east BBC cut</u>, but west BBC cut **<250**.
- All photon multiplicity
- Black curve (Background) is mixed events from zerobias events (scaled to data).
- Red curve is the FMS stream data



West RP track momentum for events with different EM-jet x_F

- The west RP P for events with EM-jet at different x_F distribute similarly.
- Their peaks at low P region are within 160 190 GeV, regardless of EM-jet energy (x_F)



West RP track momentum for events with different EM-jet \boldsymbol{x}_{F}

- Draw all the West RP track momentum distribution (normalized) for different EM-jet x_F regions in the same canvas.
- The lower momentum peaks look very close among different EM-jet x_F.



Particle level proton x_L

• Particle level proton x_L with proton within west RP coverage and photon within FMS coverage.

$$x_L = \frac{E_{proton}}{E_{beam}}$$

- In simulation, we can see high x_L is preferred with west RP coverage.
 - (Low x_L can not be detected by RP)



Simulation: 2M hard diffraction simulation events with pp510.

Possible idea for preliminary results for run 17 diffractive EM-jet A_N

- From the previous slide, high x_L is preferred with west RP coverage. We can consider to allow $x_L > 0.75$.
- Therefore, the EM-jet x_F should be less than 0.25. (Note: only one EM-jet allowed.)

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$$x_F = \frac{E_{EM-jet}}{E_{beam}}$$

• If yes, we only consider 3 *x*_{*F*} bins: [0.1, 0.15], [0.15, 0.2], [0.2, 0.25]

Signal A_N results for all photon multiplicity

- A_N results with 3 x_F bins only
 - **3** x_F bins. ([0.1, 0.15], [0.15, 0.2], [0.2, 0.25])
- The A_N data point values and statistical / systematic uncertainty are same as last week.
- Preliminary plot request for diffractive EM-jet A_N for all photon multiplicity EM-jets



$$A_{N}(sig) = \frac{A_{N}(measured) - frac(bkg) * A_{N}(bkg)}{frac(sig)}$$

Constant fit to check n-sigma to be non-zero:

- Blue beam: 0.022 +/- 0.011. (2.05 σ)
- Yellow beam: 0.0010 +/- 0.013. (0.79 *σ*)

Signal A_N results for photon multiplicity <= 2

- A_N results with 3 x_F bins only
 - **3** x_F bins. ([0.1, 0.15], [0.15, 0.2], [0.2, 0.25])
- The A_N data point values and statistical / systematic uncertainty are same as last week.
- **Preliminary plot** request for diffractive EM-jet A_N for 1 or 2 photon multiplicity EM-jets



$$A_{N}(sig) = \frac{A_{N}(measured) - frac(bkg) * A_{N}(bkg)}{frac(sig)}$$

Constant fit to check n-sigma to be non-zero:

- Blue beam: 0.018 +/- 0.013. (1.38 σ)
- Yellow beam: -0.0044 +/- 0.012 (0.36 σ)

Comparison between run 17 inclusive and diffractive EM-jet $A_{\rm N}$

- Compare the A_N results between inclusive and diffractive process.
 - 1 or 2 photon multiplicity EM-jets are considered.
- Both inclusive and diffractive EM-jet A_N are with the same sign ($A_N > 0$)
- Diffractive process could have some contribution on large A_N for inclusive process at high x_F regions. However, their values are still covered with uncertainties.



Conclusion

- Particle level simulation on proton x_L study shows that high x_L is preferred with west RP coverage in pp collisions.
- Updated preliminary results with only 3 x_F regions.
- Comparison between inclusive and diffractive processes A_N shows that diffractive process could have some contribution on large A_N for inclusive process at high x_F regions.
 - However, if counting the error bars, the inclusive and diffractive processes $A_{\rm N}$ are still
- Analysis details on preliminary request <u>slide</u>