

b tagging scale factors

b tagging scale factors and their uncertainties

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Introduction



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- Several methods are available to apply b tagging SFs
- We use the whole b tagging discriminant spectrum in our analysis (BDT variables)
 - We need the BTagShapeCalibration method
 - Aims to correct the whole b-tagging discriminant distribution in MC to match that in data
 - Method does not induce migration between b jet multiplicity bins
 - Per event weight is

$$\omega_{\mathsf{event}} = \prod_{i}^{\mathsf{njets}} SF(D_i, p_{\mathsf{T}i}, \eta_i, F_i)$$



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- Important note on event yields
- Before applying any b tag selection criteria, expected event yields should be preserved
 - Analysis phase space (PS) can be different from PS where SFs were extracted
 - This condition is not automatically fulfilled
- Analysts should measure the sum of event weights before and after applying b-tag event weights, without requiring any b-tag selection
- Ratio

$$\sum \omega_{\mathsf{before}} / \sum \omega_{\mathsf{after}}$$

is a phase space extrapolation factor (PSEF) to be multiplied by the SF

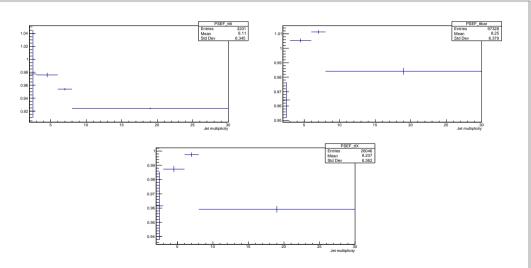
• In high jet multiplicity analysis, should be done per jet multiplicity



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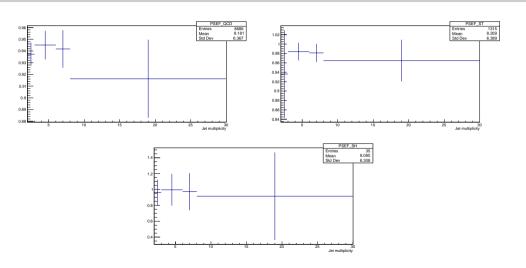
- We have **b** tagging requirements in our preselection
 - Need to produce new ntuples with no requirement on b tags
 - Launched jobs
- Produced one PSEF for each "kind" of process we consider
 - tttt
 - tt̄
 - QCD ttX
 - Single top
 - Single Higgs
- Split them in jet multiplicity bins
- Bin width is 2 (following our category definitions): {2, 4, 6, 8, 30}





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Systematic uncertainties



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- BTagShapeCalibration is subject to many sources of uncertainties; among these there's JES
- Two .csv files are available, with full or reduced JES uncertainty sources
- I picked the second (still, 12 sources of JES uncertainty...)
- I have a C++ method to deal with b tag uncertainties
- Will soon be able to produce upwards-/downwards-shifted shapes for b tagging
 - ullet Expect many histograms: 1 central value $+ \times$ 20 sources of unc. \times 2 = 41

Open items



• What about categories where we don't have a BDT? Should we treat b tagging SFs differently there?

- We don't use the full b tagging discriminant shape there
- If a different treatment is needed, I need to study (always used BTagShapeCalibration)
- I can "easily" provide upwards-/downwards-shifted shapes for other uncertainties
 - Muon SFs
 - Electron SFs
 - Trigger SFs
 - QCD shape estimation
- Will do so when done with b tagging uncertainties

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