

$$HH \rightarrow \gamma\gamma bb$$

$\gamma\gamma$  background decomposition studies and  
Jet  $p_T$  reweighting with BTagging Efficiencies for the  
background templates

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# Motivations

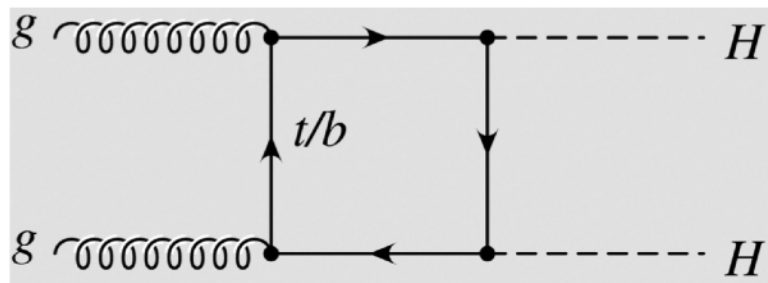
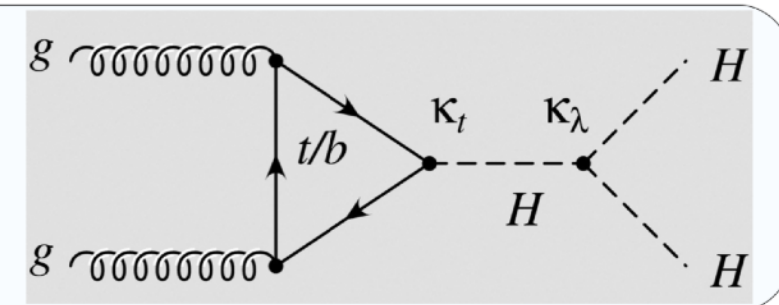
$$\mathcal{L}_H = \frac{1}{2}(\partial^\mu H)(\partial_\mu H) - \boxed{\lambda v^2} H^2 - \underbrace{\lambda v H^3 - \frac{1}{4} \lambda H^4}_{\text{There are vertices with 3 and 4 Higgs bosons}}$$

Mass term: ~125 GeV  
(measured at the LHC)

Higgs vacuum expectation value:  $v \sim 246$  GeV  
(known from Fermi constant)

There are vertices with 3 and 4 Higgs bosons

Therefore in the SM we expect multi-Higgs production at tree-level with already known couplings



However, still very small cross section:  
 $\sigma(HH) = 34$  fb (c.f.  $\sigma(gg \rightarrow H) \sim 50$  pb)  
due to negative interference with box diagram

**$HH \rightarrow bb\gamma\gamma$ : JHEP 11 (2018) 040**

- High BR from  $H \rightarrow bb$
- Clean signature from  $\gamma\gamma$

|                | bb    | WW    | $\tau\tau$ | ZZ     | $\gamma\gamma$ |
|----------------|-------|-------|------------|--------|----------------|
| bb             | 33%   |       |            |        |                |
| WW             | 25%   | 4.6%  |            |        |                |
| $\tau\tau$     | 7.4%  | 2.5%  | 0.39%      |        |                |
| ZZ             | 3.1%  | 1.2%  | 0.34%      | 0.076% |                |
| $\gamma\gamma$ | 0.26% | 0.10% | 0.029%     | 0.013% | 0.0005%        |

Direction of largest BR



# Outline

- ◆  $\gamma\gamma$  background decomposition studies
- ◆ Reweighting technique to reduce statistical fluctuation in the di-photon background MC
- ◆ Samples: skimmed mc16a/d/e di-photon Sherpa MC MxAOD
- ◆ Full Run 2 simulation studies

# Object Reconstruction and Event Selection

## Object Reconstruction

### Photon Objects

- ◆ Loose identification criteria
- ◆  $p_T > 25 \text{ GeV}$
- ◆  $p_T/m_{\gamma\gamma} > 0.35$  and  $0.25$ , respectively for leading and subleading  $\gamma$
- ◆ Overlap removal (electrons and jets  $\Delta R < 0.4$ )

### Jet Objects

- ◆ Jets are reconstructed using the anti- $k_t$  algorithm with radius parameter  $0.4$
- ◆  $|\eta| < 4.4$
- ◆  $p_T > 25 \text{ GeV}$
- ◆ Jets with  $|\eta| < 2.5$  and  $p_T < 120 \text{ GeV}$  originating from pile-up collisions are suppressed by JVT

### B-jets

- ◆ MV2c10, AntiKt4EMTopoJets, FixedCutBEff\_85, FixedCutBEff\_70

2H  $\gamma\gamma$ bb analysis

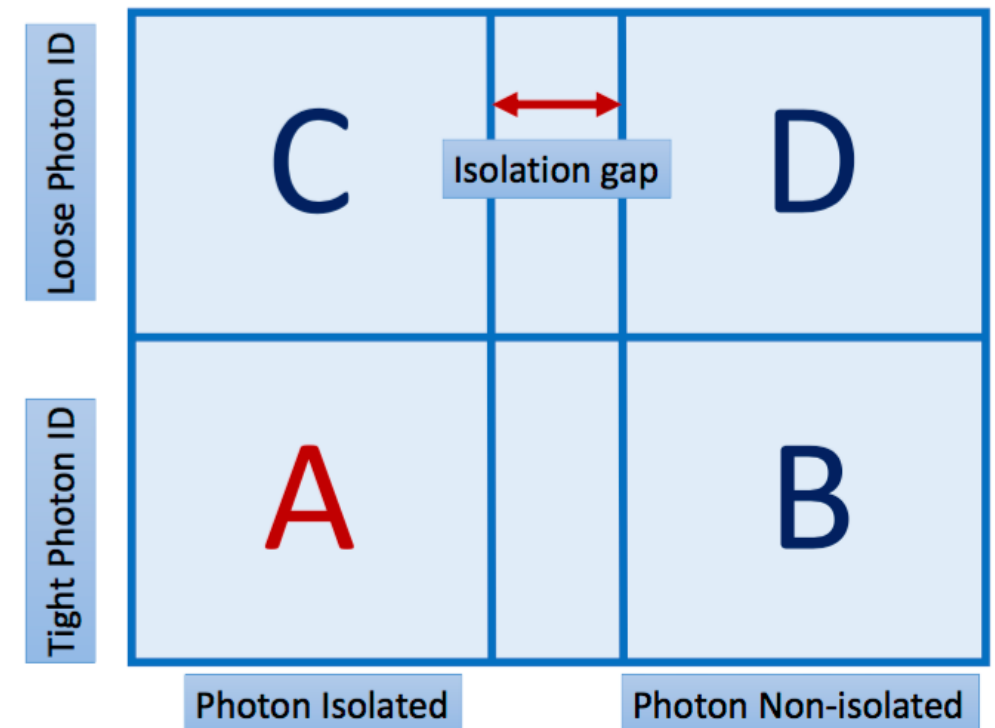
## Event Selection

- ◆ Trigger Selection:
  - ◆ diphoton trigger with  $p_T$  thresholds of  $35 \text{ GeV}$  and  $25 \text{ GeV}$
- ◆ Jet cleaning
- ◆  $N_j > 2$
- ◆  $N_{j\_central} \geq 2$  ( $|\eta| < 2.5$ )
- ◆  $N_{lep} = 0$
- ◆  $N_{btag70} < 3$
- ◆ 2 tight and isolated photons
- ◆  $m_{\gamma\gamma} \in (105, 160) \text{ GeV}$

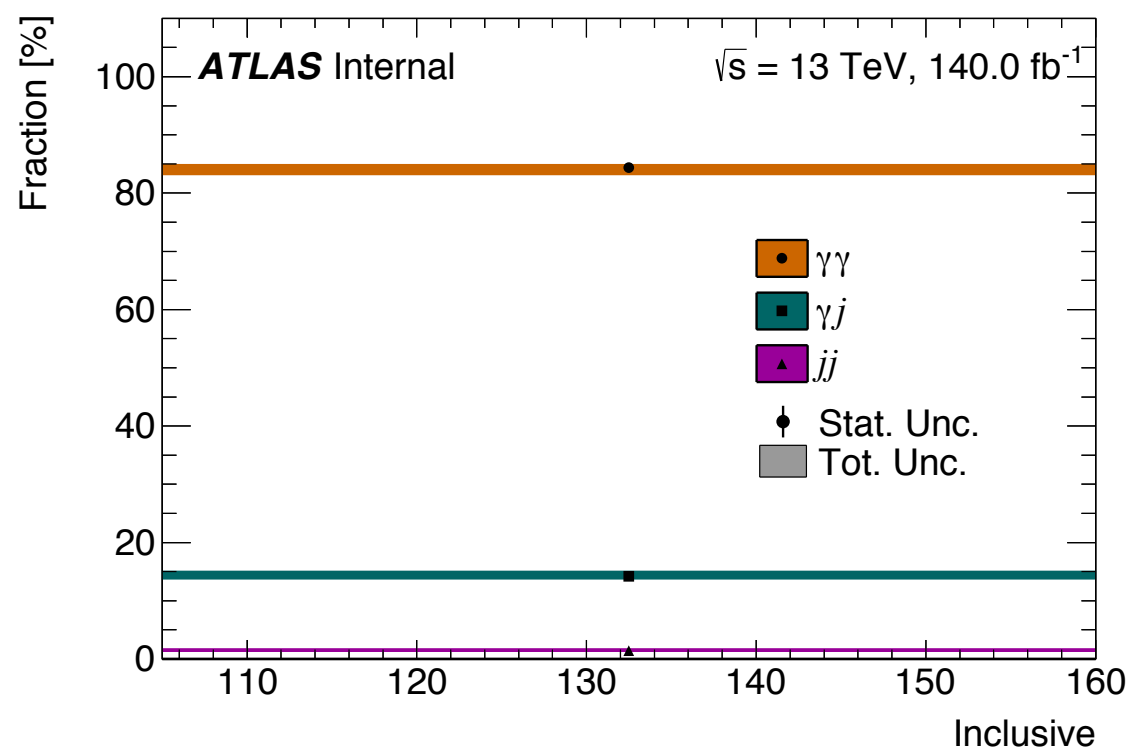
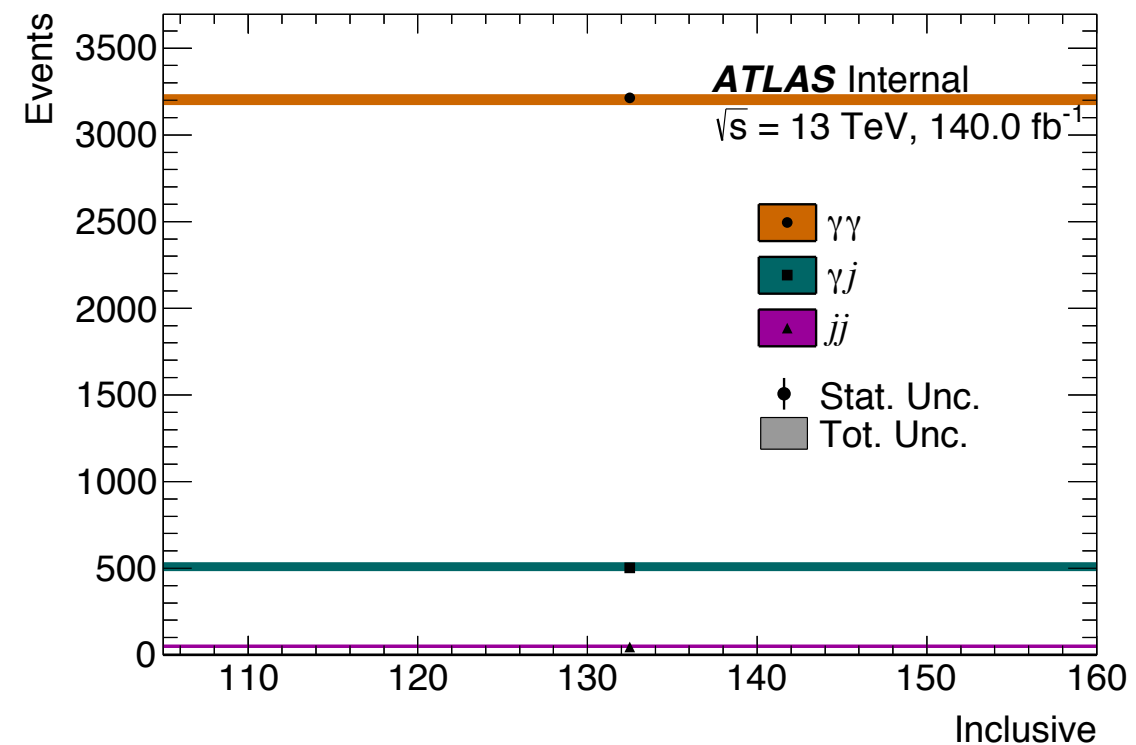
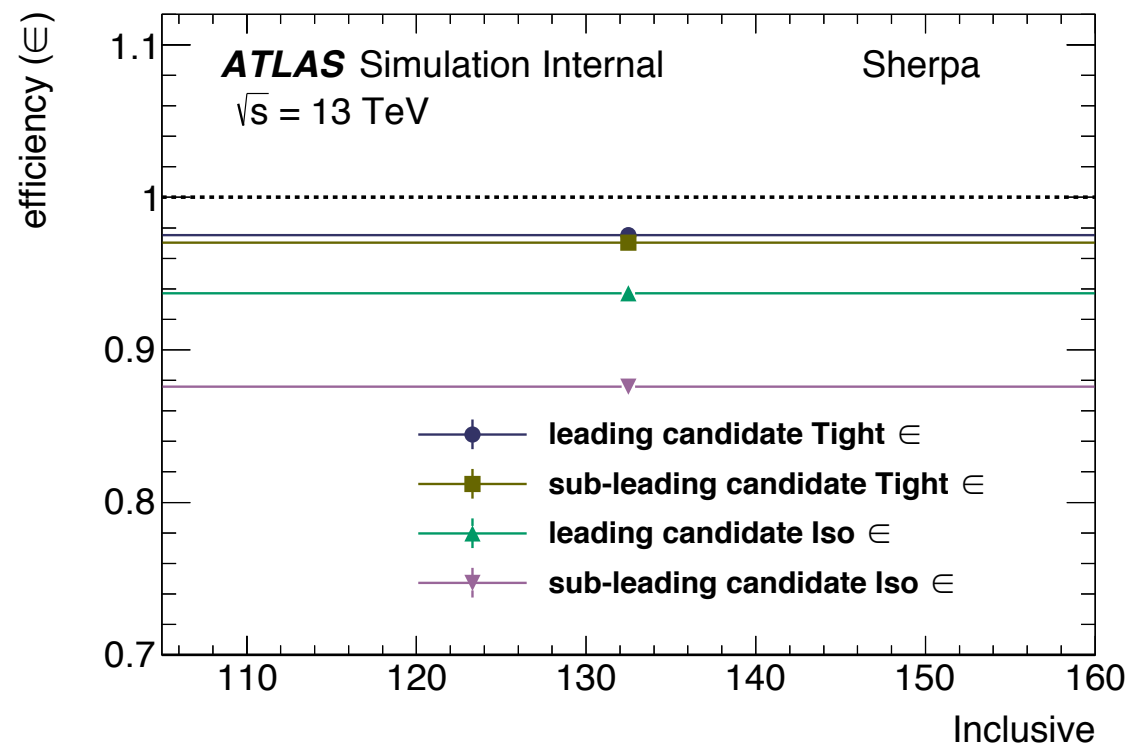
Sherpa  $\gamma\gamma$  sample

# Sideband Method

- $H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$  signal region: two Tight (T) identified and isolated (I) photon candidates
- Dominant SM background processes:  $\gamma\gamma$ ,  $\gamma$ -jet, and jet-jet
- Data-driven background decomposition using the 2x2D sideband method:
  - 16 regions (15 background control region and 1 signal region)
  - each region categorised based on photon ID and isolation
  - required inputs from simulation: photon efficiencies
  - solve the 16 equations corresponding to the TT region to extrapolate rates of the different bkg event processes in the background control regions into the signal region



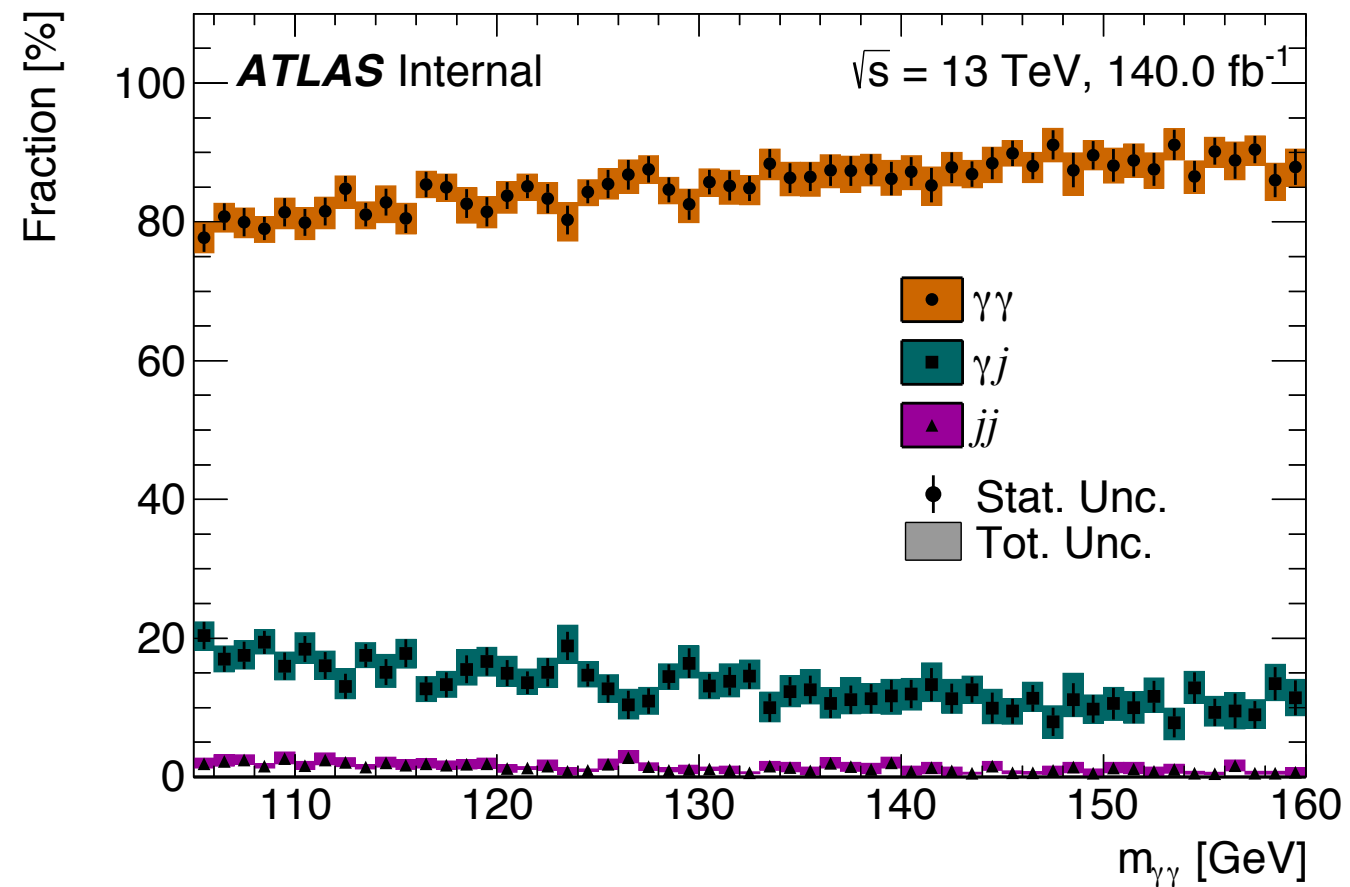
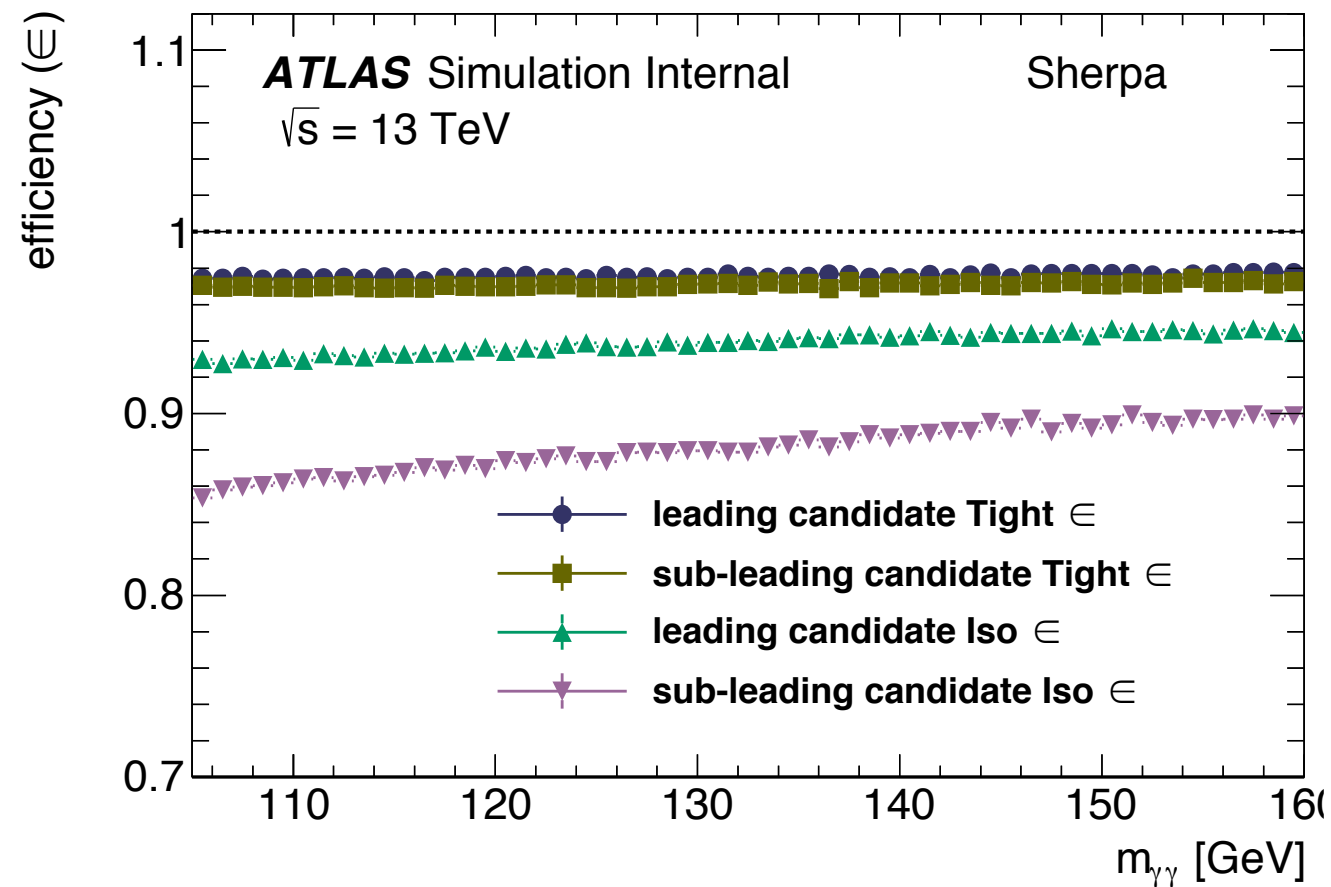
# Inclusive region



| Region         | Fraction (%) | Error (%) |
|----------------|--------------|-----------|
| $\gamma\gamma$ | 84           | $\pm 1$   |
| $\gamma jet$   | 15           | $\pm 0.5$ |
| $jet jet$      | 1            | $\pm 0.1$ |

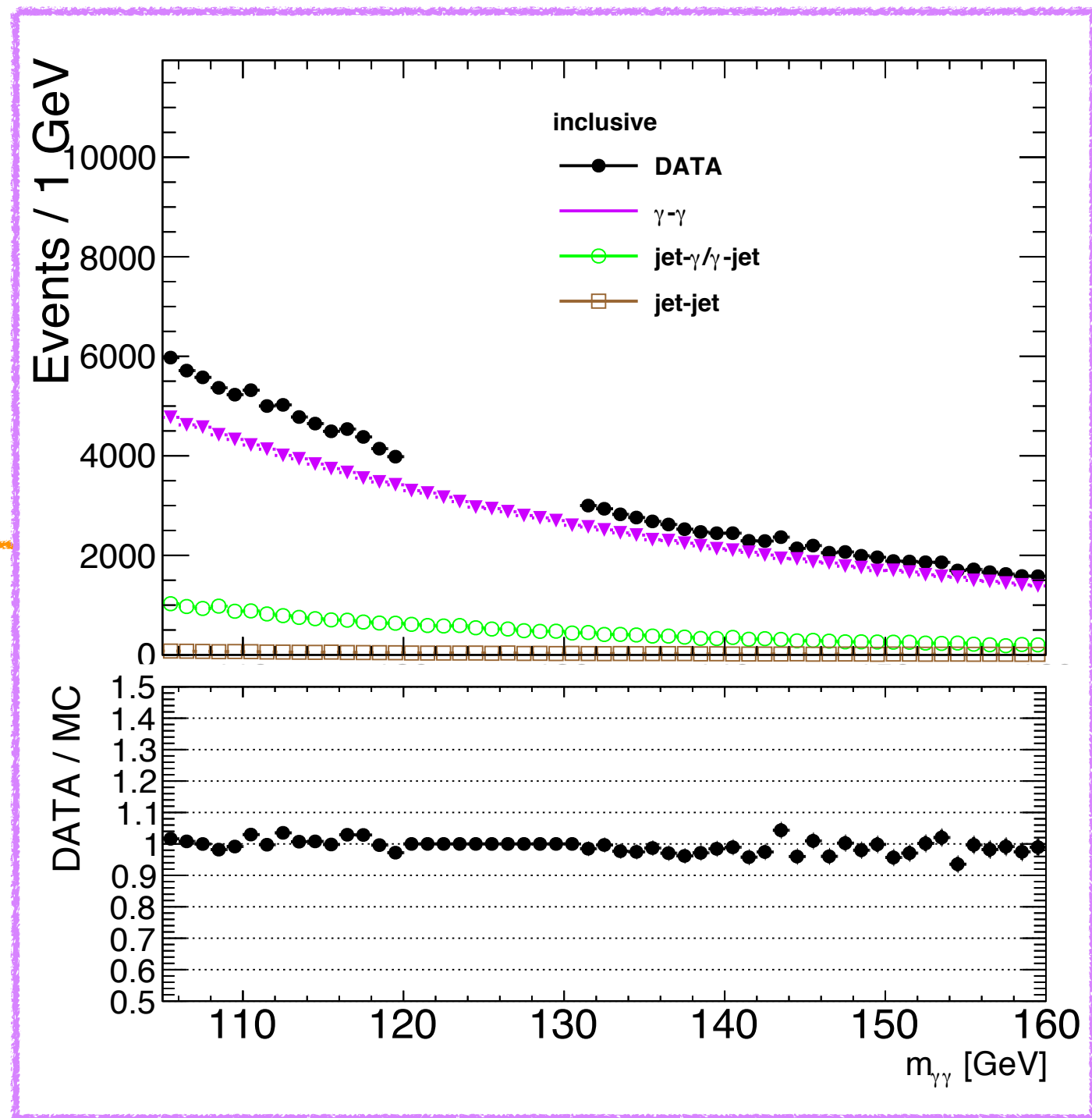
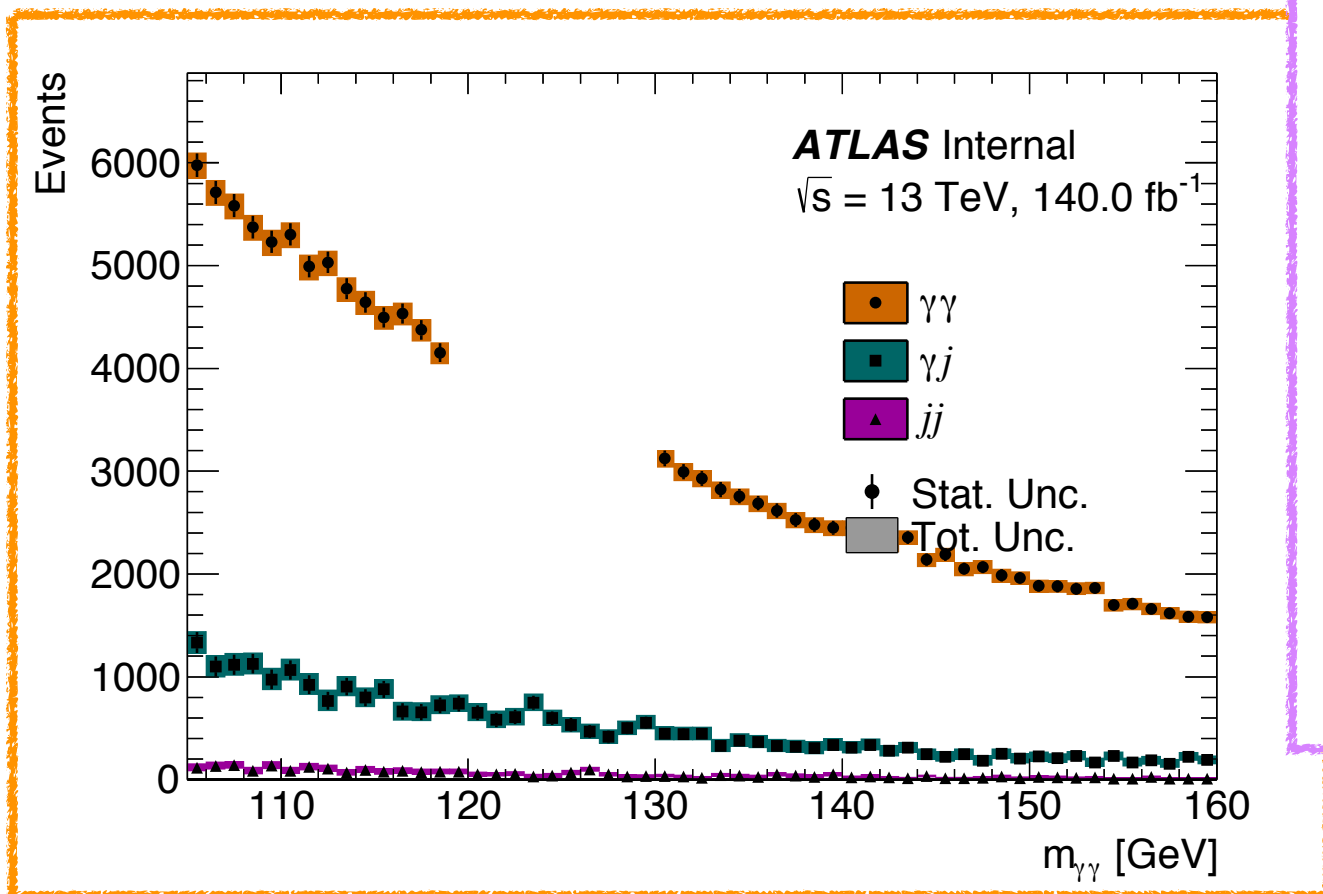


# $\gamma\gamma$ mass spectrum



# $\gamma\gamma$ mass spectrum

- Data driven technique to estimate  $\gamma\gamma, \gamma j, jj$  contribution
- Shape given by MC distribution



# Signal Region Categories

## Inclusive Region

|                  |                                                             |
|------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|
| Common Selection | $N_{cen} \text{ jets} < 6, N_{lep} = 0, N_{70\%b-tags} < 3$ |
|------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|

## Cut based selection for the non resonant analysis

Cat-4  
Cat-3  
Cat-2  
Cat-1

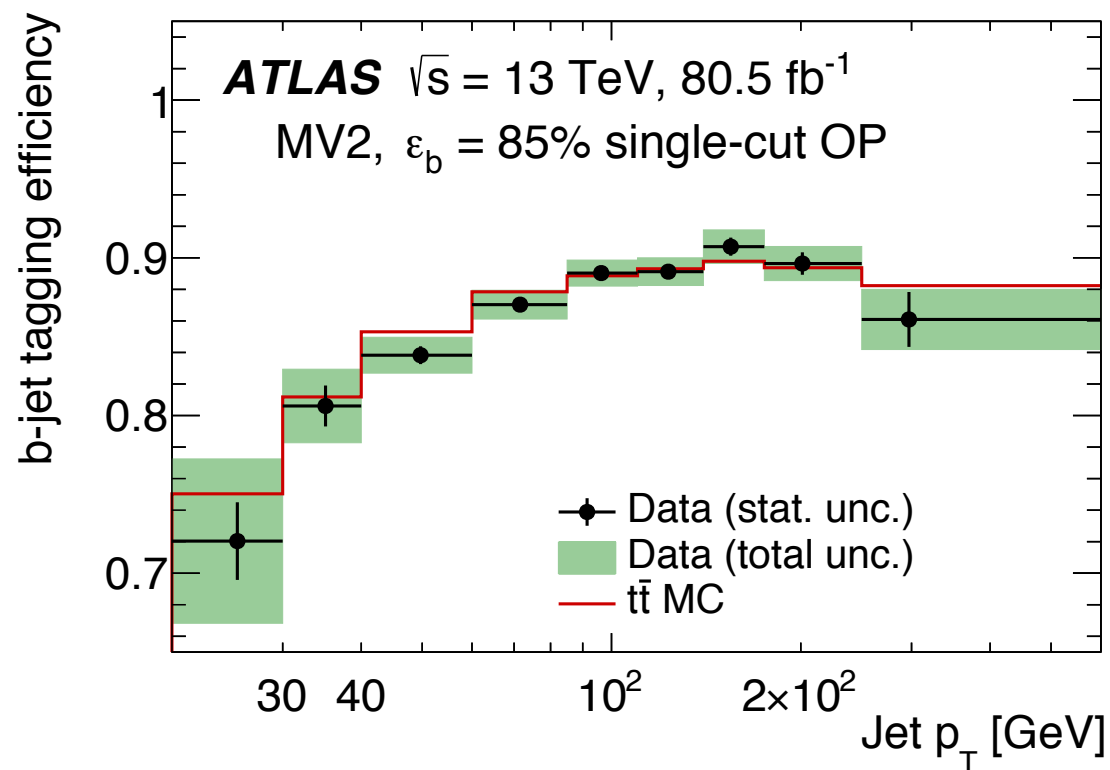
| Common Selection                             | $N_{cen} \text{ jets} < 6, N_{lep} = 0, N_{85\%b-tags} \geq 2, N_{70\%b-tags} < 3, m_{bb} \in [90, 140] \text{ GeV}$                       |
|----------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Category                                     | Further Selections                                                                                                                         |
| $b$ -tag tight, $M_x^* \geq 350 \text{ GeV}$ | $M_x^* \geq 350 \text{ GeV}, N_{70\%b-tags} = 2, \Delta R(\gamma, \gamma) < 2.0, \Delta R(b, b) < 2.0, \Delta R(bb, \gamma, \gamma) < 3.4$ |
| $b$ -tag loose, $M_x^* \geq 350 \text{ GeV}$ | $M_x^* \geq 350 \text{ GeV}, \Delta R(\gamma, \gamma) < 2.0, \Delta R(b, b) < 2.0, \Delta R(bb, \gamma, \gamma) < 3.4$                     |
| $b$ -tag tight, $M_x^* < 350 \text{ GeV}$    | $M_x^* < 350 \text{ GeV}, N_{70\%b-tags} = 2$                                                                                              |
| $b$ -tag loose, $M_x^* < 350 \text{ GeV}$    | $M_x^* < 350 \text{ GeV}$                                                                                                                  |

$$M_x^* = M_{b\bar{b}\gamma\gamma} - M_{b\bar{b}} - M_{\gamma\gamma} + 250.0 \text{ GeV}$$

Reference for this categorisation can be found here: [link](#)

**Signal Region: Combination of MV2@85 && MV2@70**

# Comparing Tagging Efficiencies



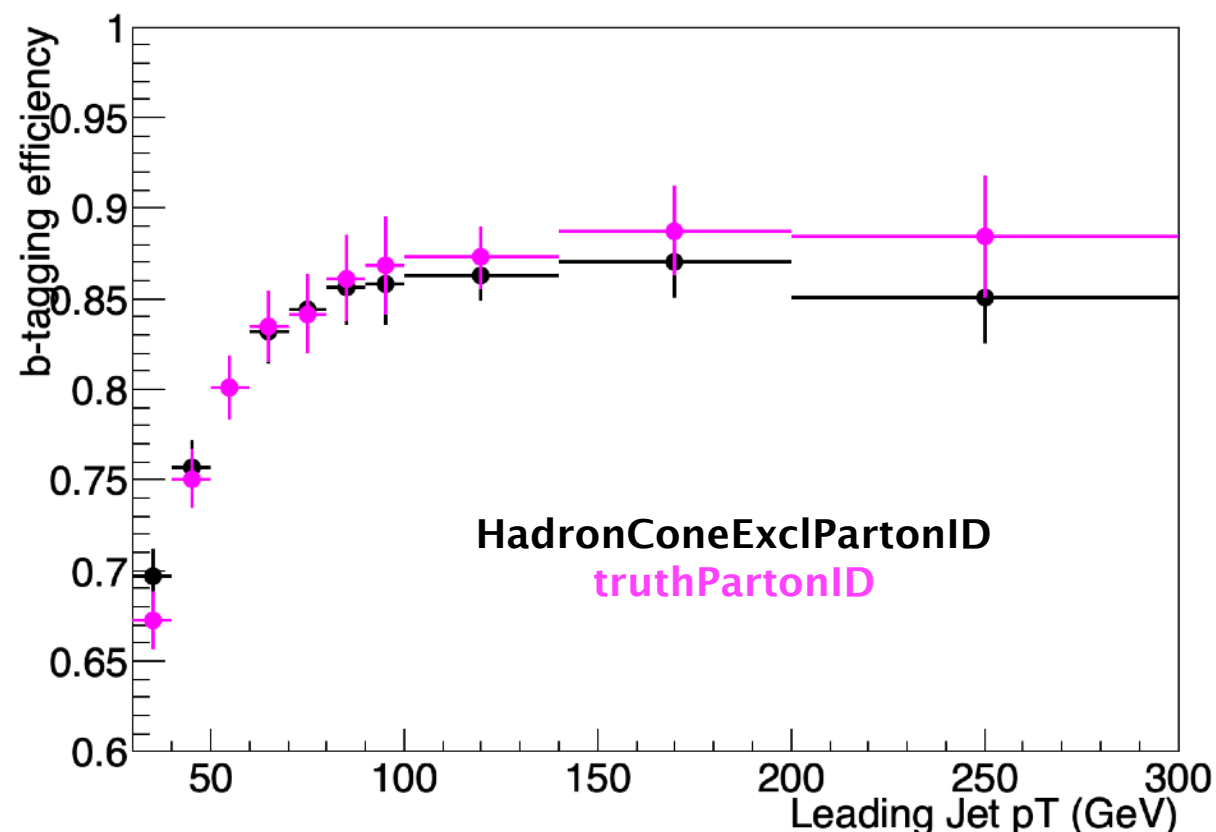
**MV2c10@85% WP**

Given the above Object reconstruction and Event Selection

**Efficiency definition: Numerator/Denominator**

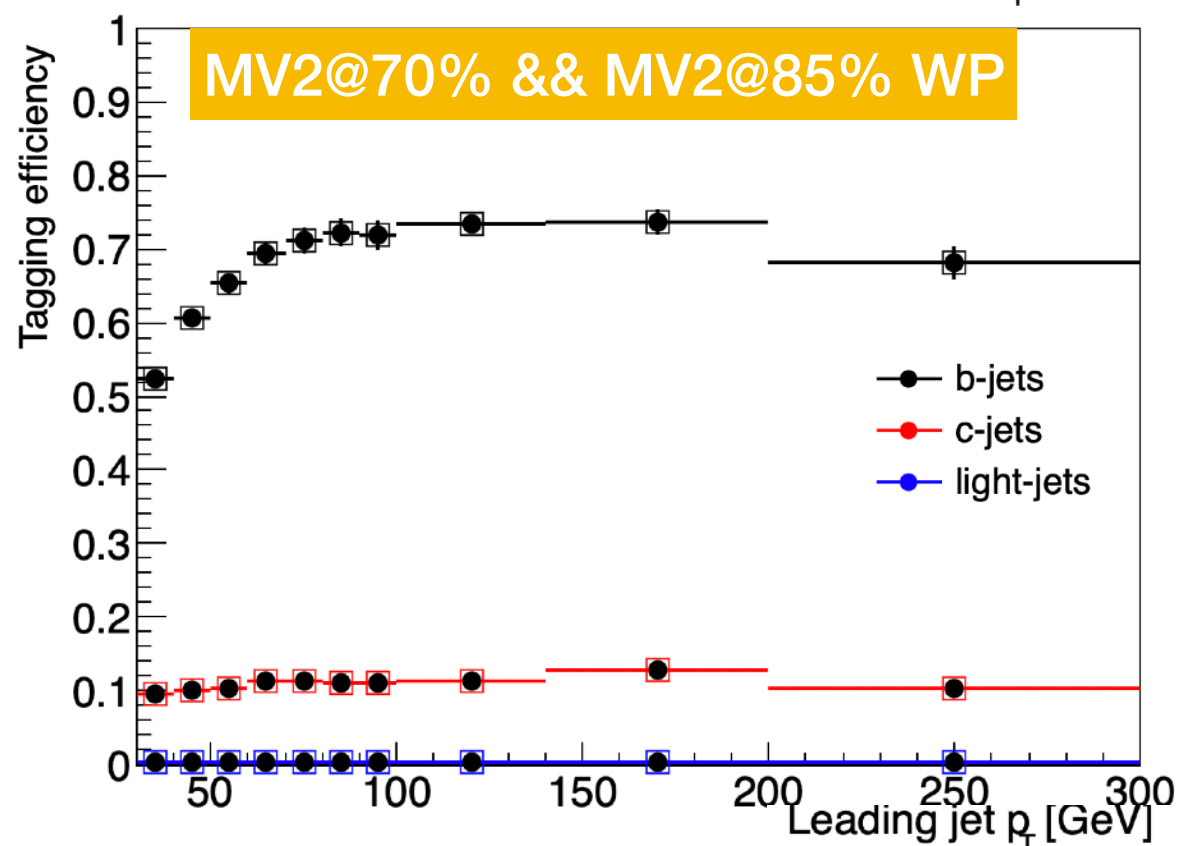
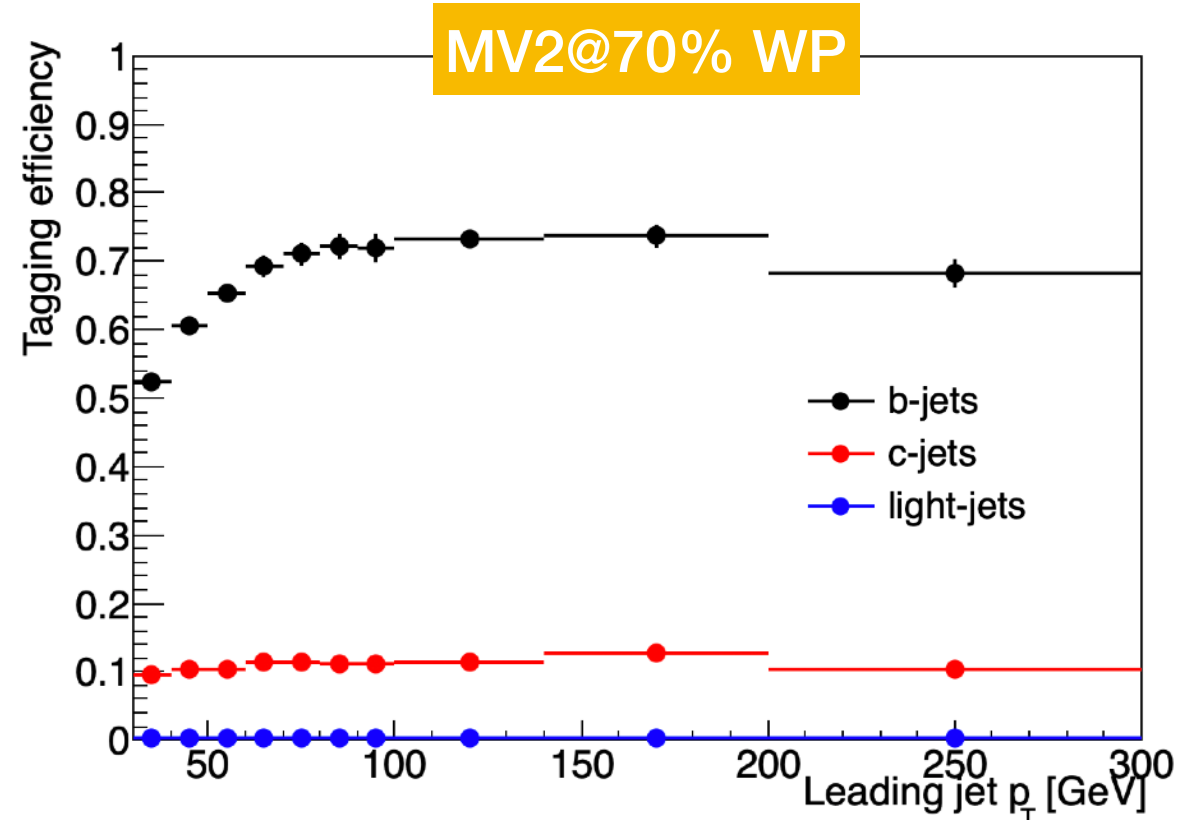
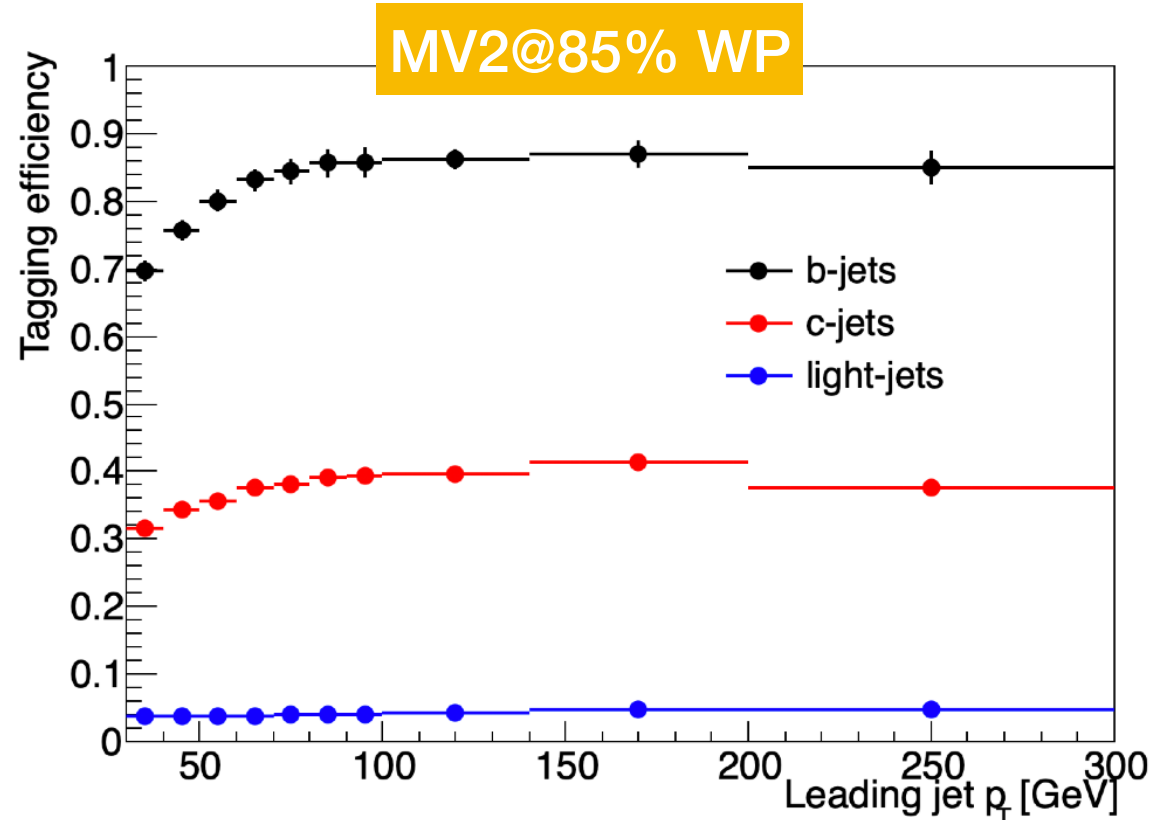
**Denominator** is: the number of jet that pass the b-truth matching and in the central region

**Numerator** is: the number of jets that pass MV2 selection on top of the denominator



- ✦ Updated truth parton definition to the into account gluon splitting in bottom quark pairs
- ✦ <https://twiki.cern.ch/twiki/bin/view/AtlasProtected/BTagCalib2017>
- ✦ The b-tagging efficiency at low pT has improved of a factor  $\sim 5\%$
- ✦ There is still a  $\sim 13\%$  difference wrt the performance group

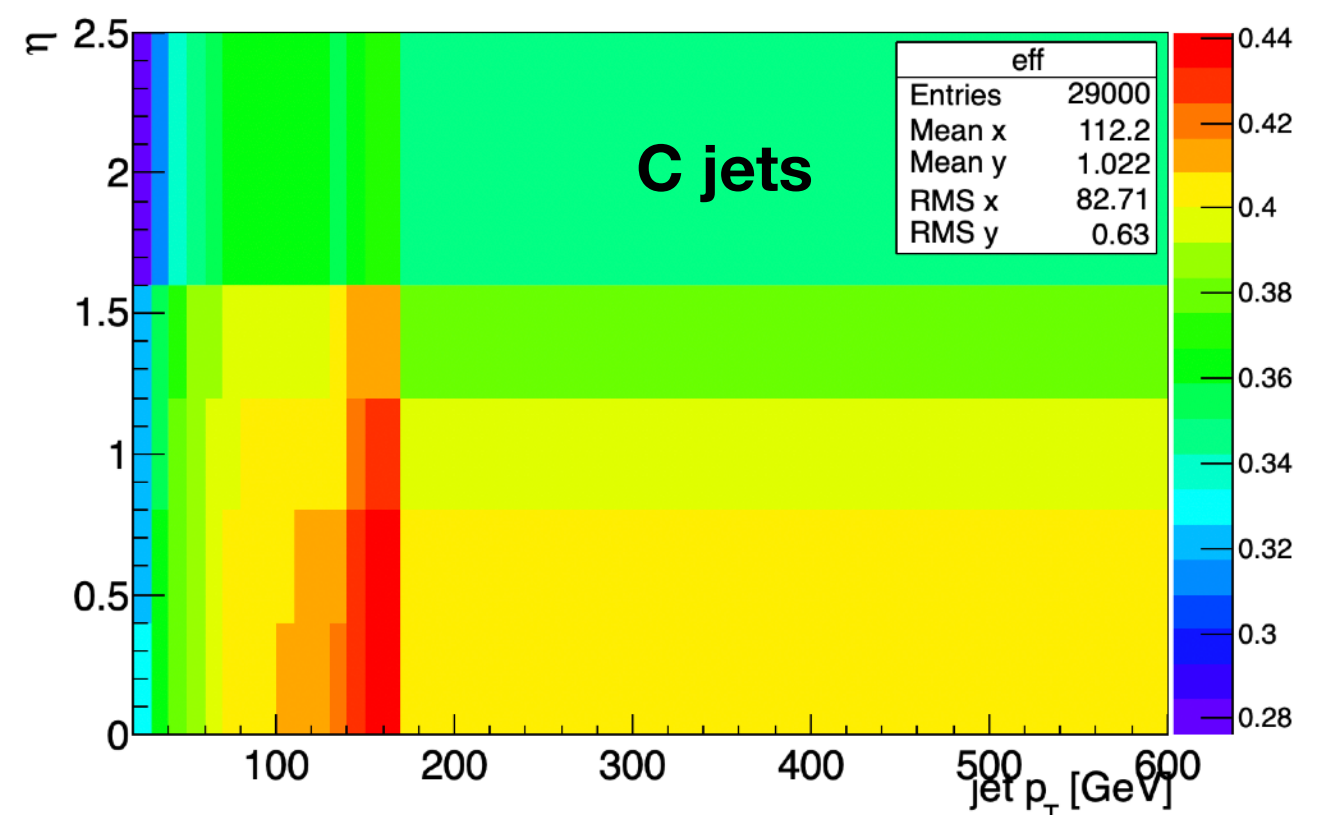
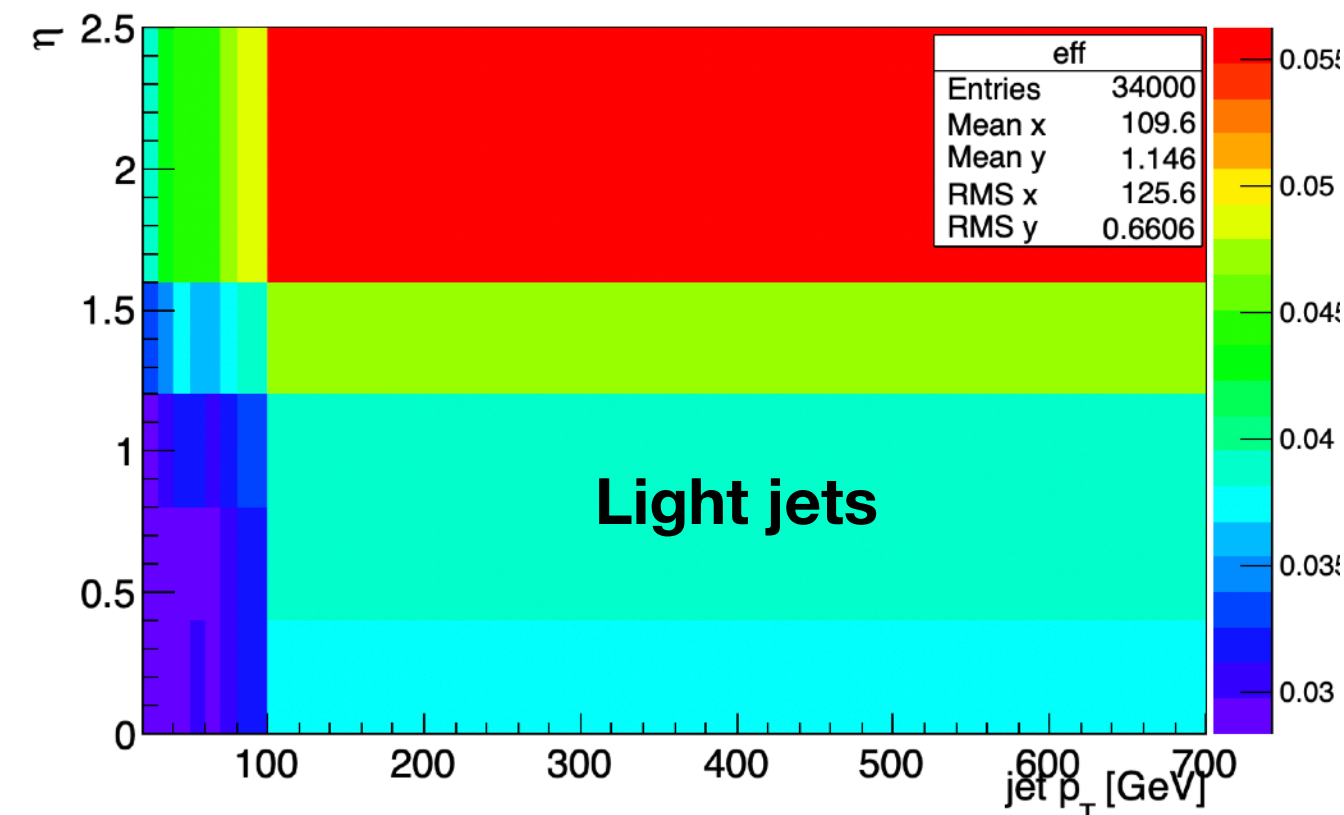
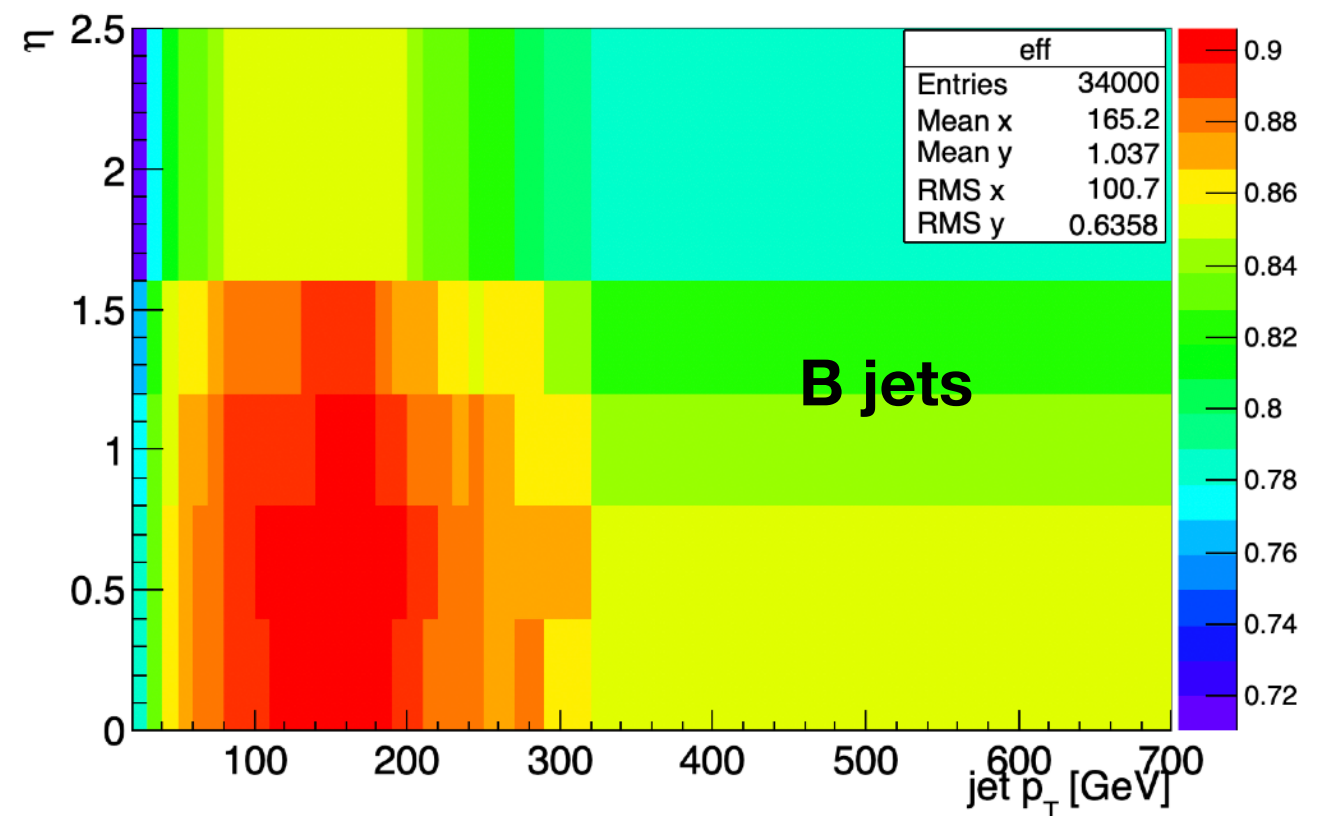
# Local tagging efficiency results



- ◆ Our signal region is a combination of the Mv2c10@70% and MV2c10@85% working point
- ◆ Logical AND of these conditions
- ◆ The resulting efficiency is equivalent to the Mv2c10@70% one

# Tagging Efficiencies, CDI File

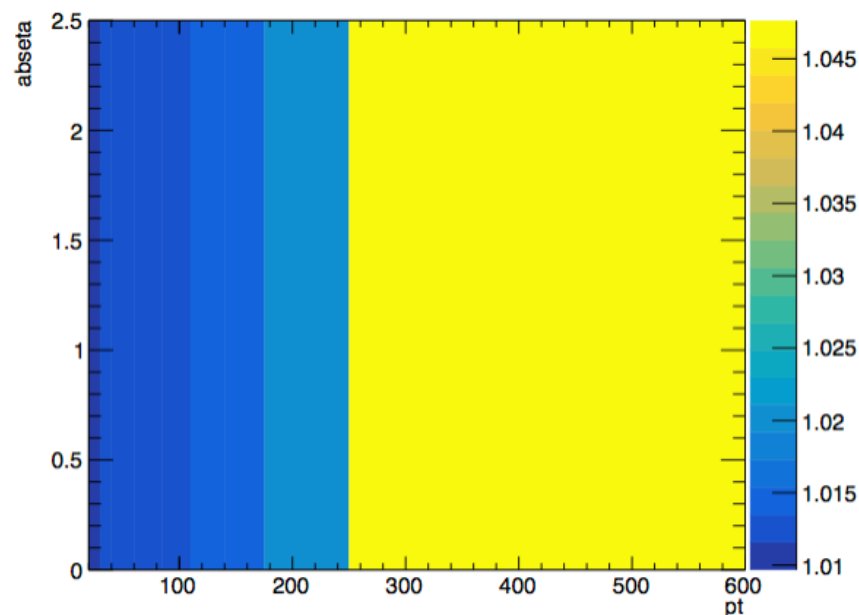
- ◆ CDI File from July 2019  
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GroupData/xAODBTaggingEfficiency/  
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CDI-2019-07-30\_v1.root
- ◆ Pythia 8 sample
- ◆ ttbar events (object reconstruction and  
event selection in the back-up)
- ◆ MV2c10, AntiKt4EMTopoJets,  
FixedCutBEff\_85



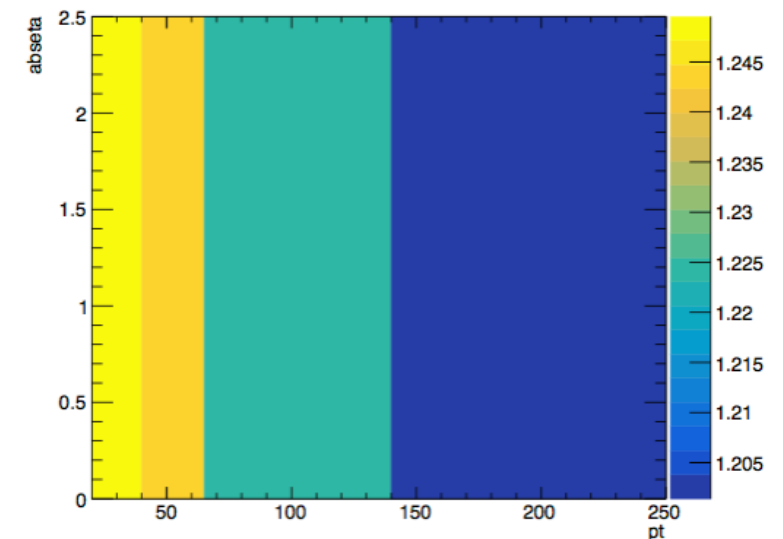
# Pythia8/Sherpa Scale Factors

July 2019: MC/MC Pythia8 / Sherpa MV2c10@85% EMTopoJets

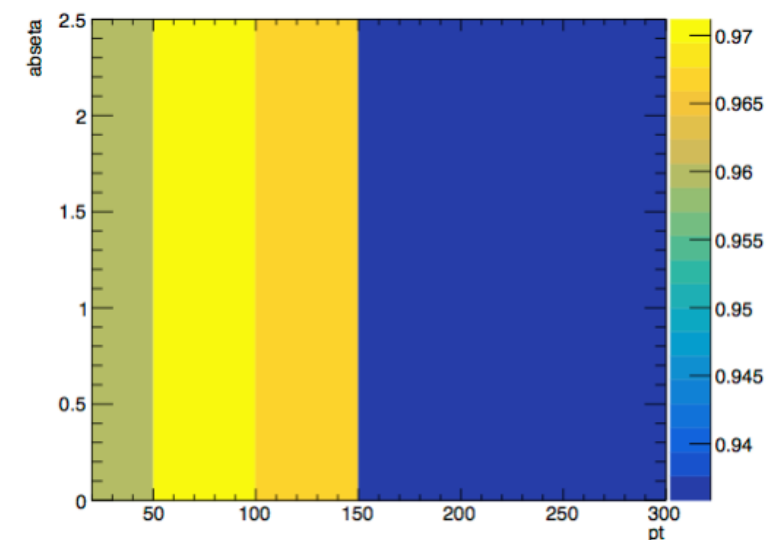
b-jets



c-jets



light-jets

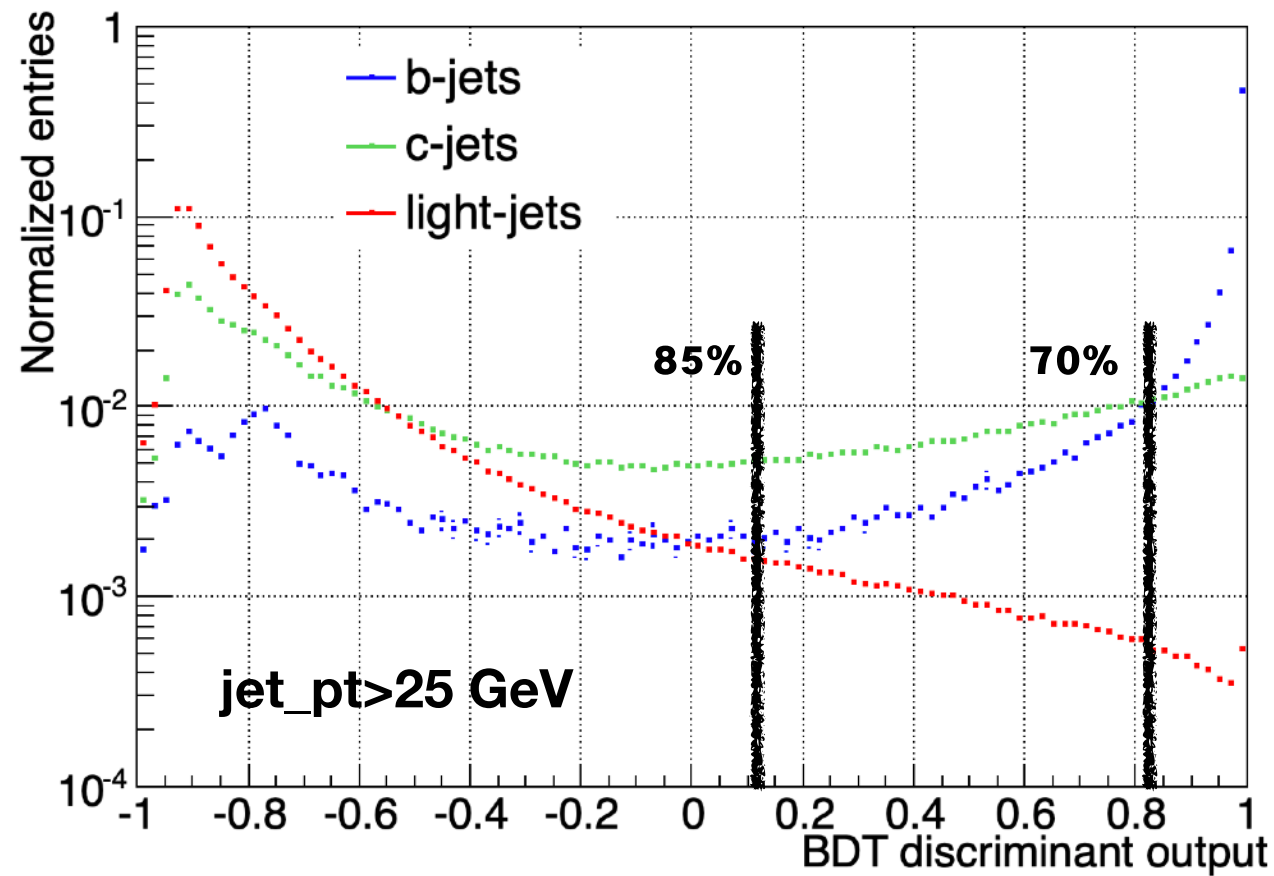


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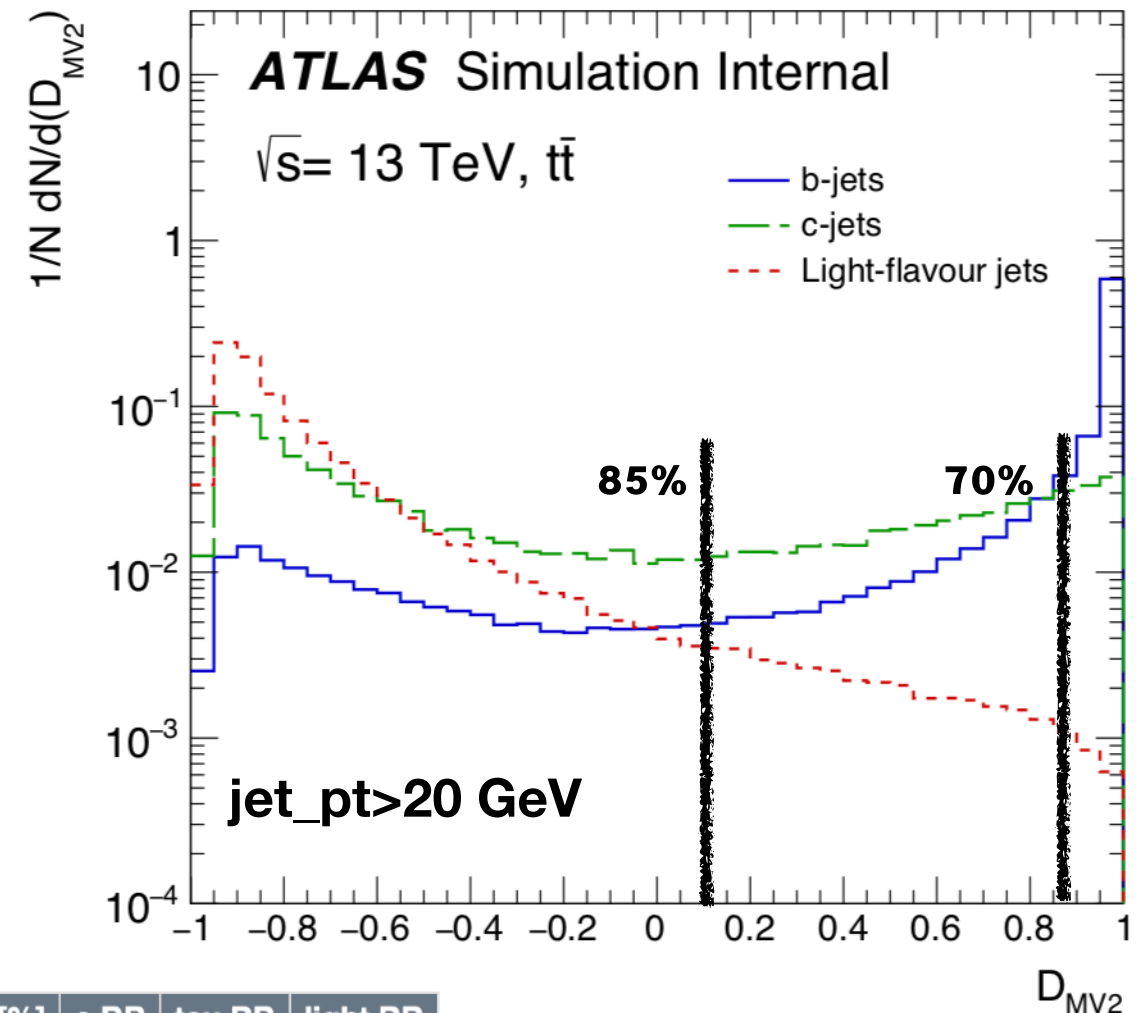
These SFs can justify up to a ~2.5% difference  
(Thanks Marko and the flavtag-btagging algorithms mailing list)

# Crosscheck on BDT discriminant

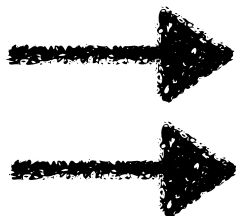
Our result



Performance group

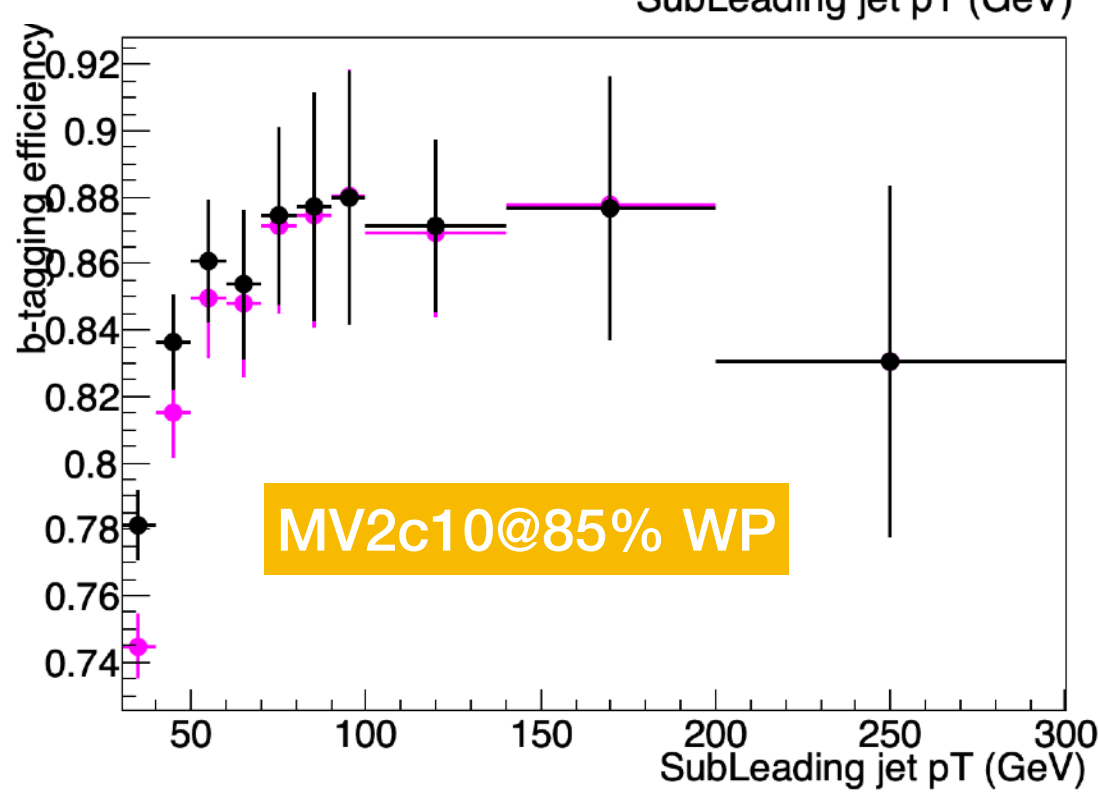
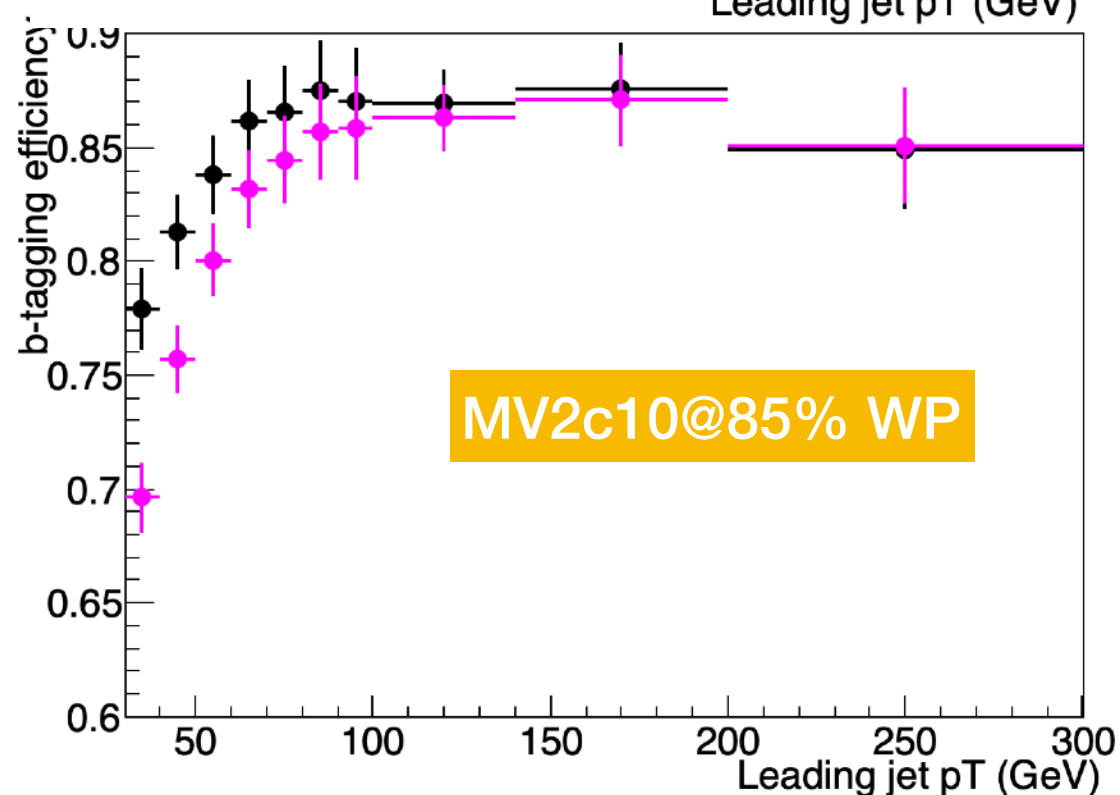
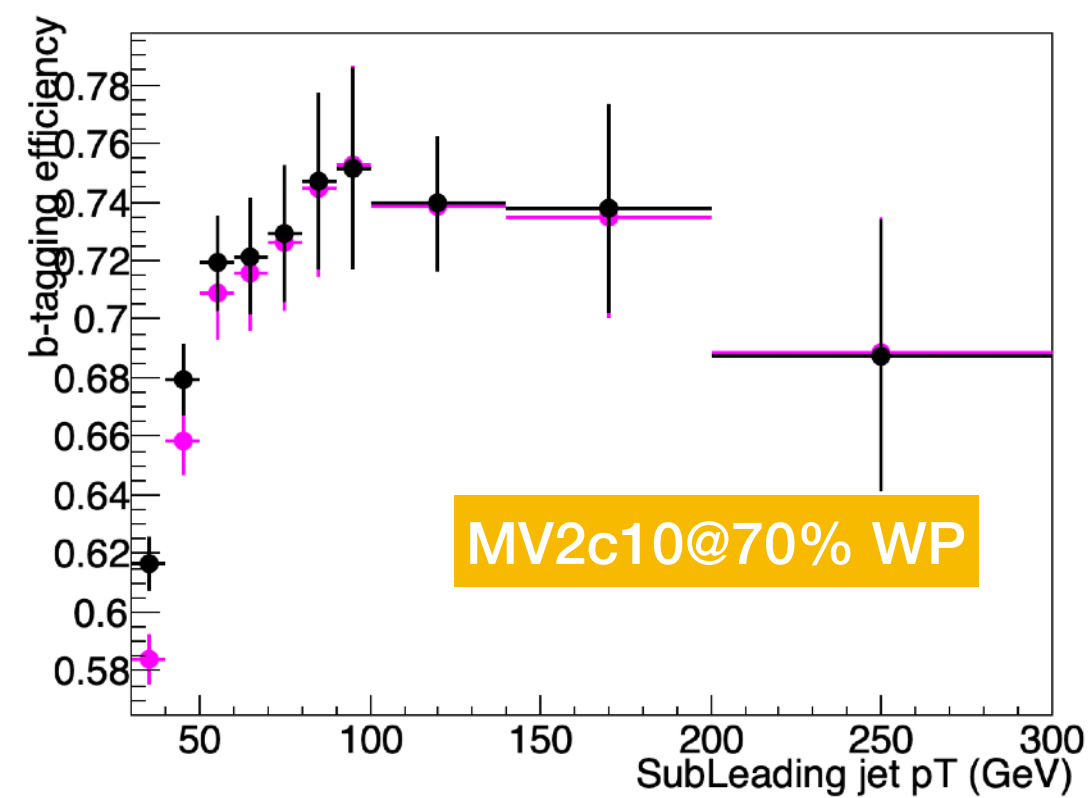
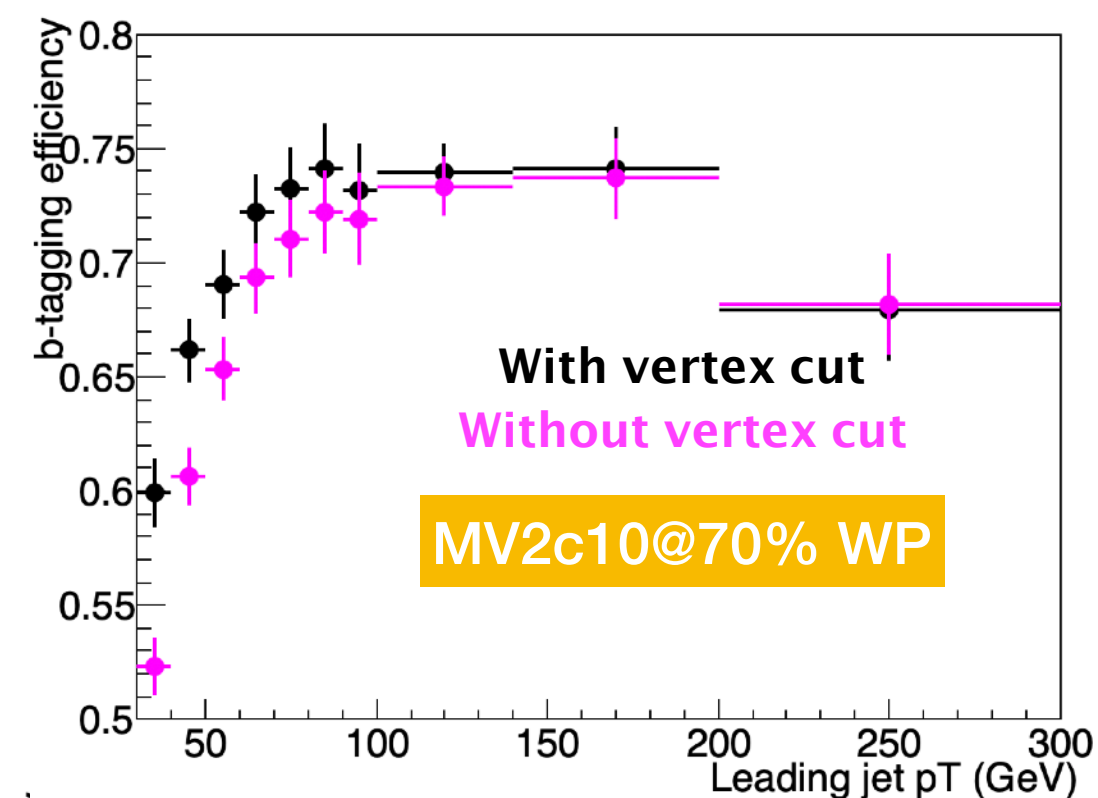


| name            | cut value | b-jet efficiency [%] | c RR | tau RR | light RR |
|-----------------|-----------|----------------------|------|--------|----------|
| HybBEff_60      | -         | 61.11                | 22   | 151    | 1150     |
| HybBEff_70      | -         | 70.88                | 8    | 38     | 301      |
| HybBEff_77      | -         | 77.60                | 4    | 15     | 109      |
| HybBEff_85      | -         | 85.27                | 2    | 6      | 27       |
| FixedCutBEff_60 | 0.94      | 61.14                | 22   | 150    | 1204     |
| FixedCutBEff_70 | 0.83      | 70.84                | 8    | 39     | 313      |
| FixedCutBEff_77 | 0.64      | 77.53                | 4    | 16     | 113      |
| FixedCutBEff_85 | 0.11      | 85.23                | 2    | 6      | 28       |



# Check on the vertex variables

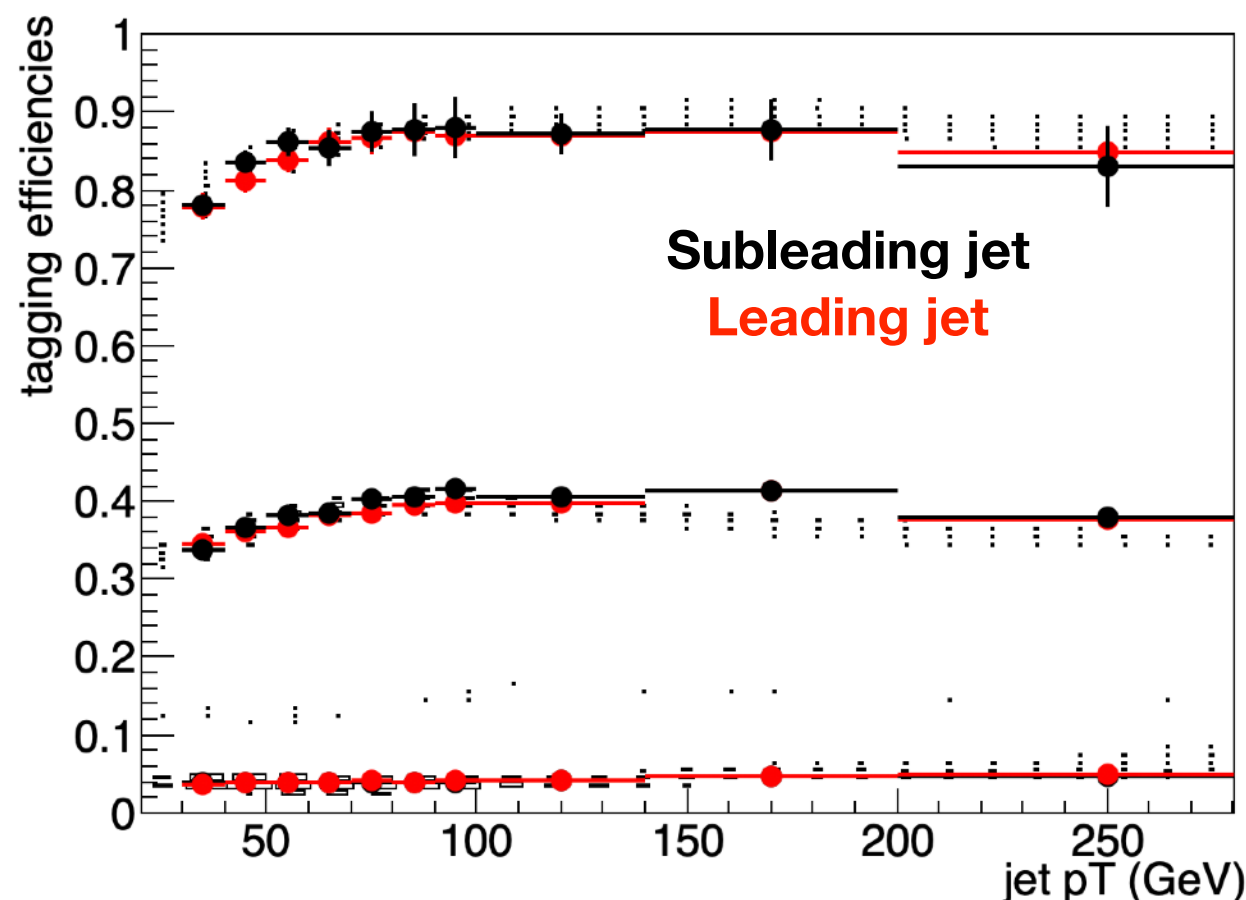
Further cut on the events when the hardest vertex does not correspond to the selected vertex



# Conclusions on tagging efficiencies

- ◆ Our tagging efficiency is lower wrt the performance group result
  - ◆ light jets efficiency: in agreement
  - ◆ c-jets efficiency: compatible
  - ◆ b-jets efficiency: 13% difference at low jet pT
  - ◆ these differences appear in all  $\eta$  bins
  - ◆ the subleading jet tagging efficiencies have a better agreement
- ◆ We updated the jet truth matching according to the recommendations
- ◆ The MC/MC scale factors (Pythia8/Sherpa) are not enough to justify the difference
- ◆ We checked the MV2 BDT output distribution and the cuts
- ◆ The vertex related variables cut is important at low pT

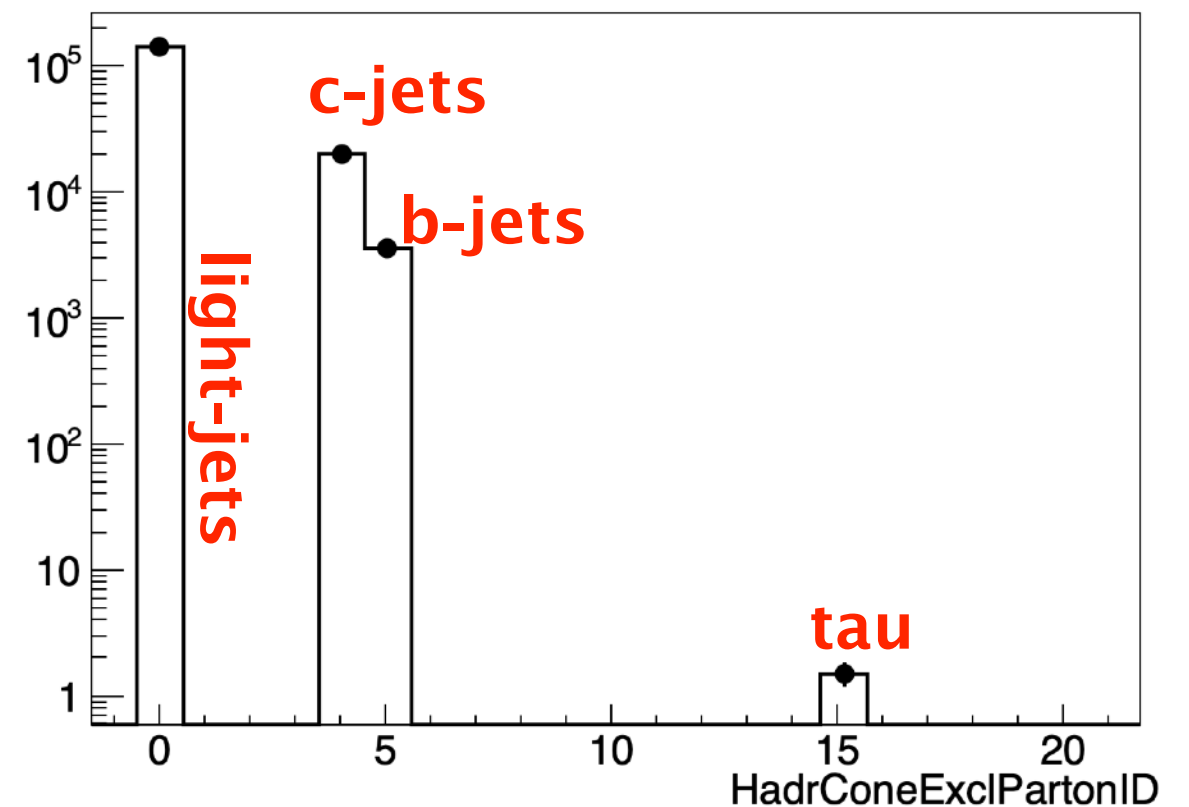
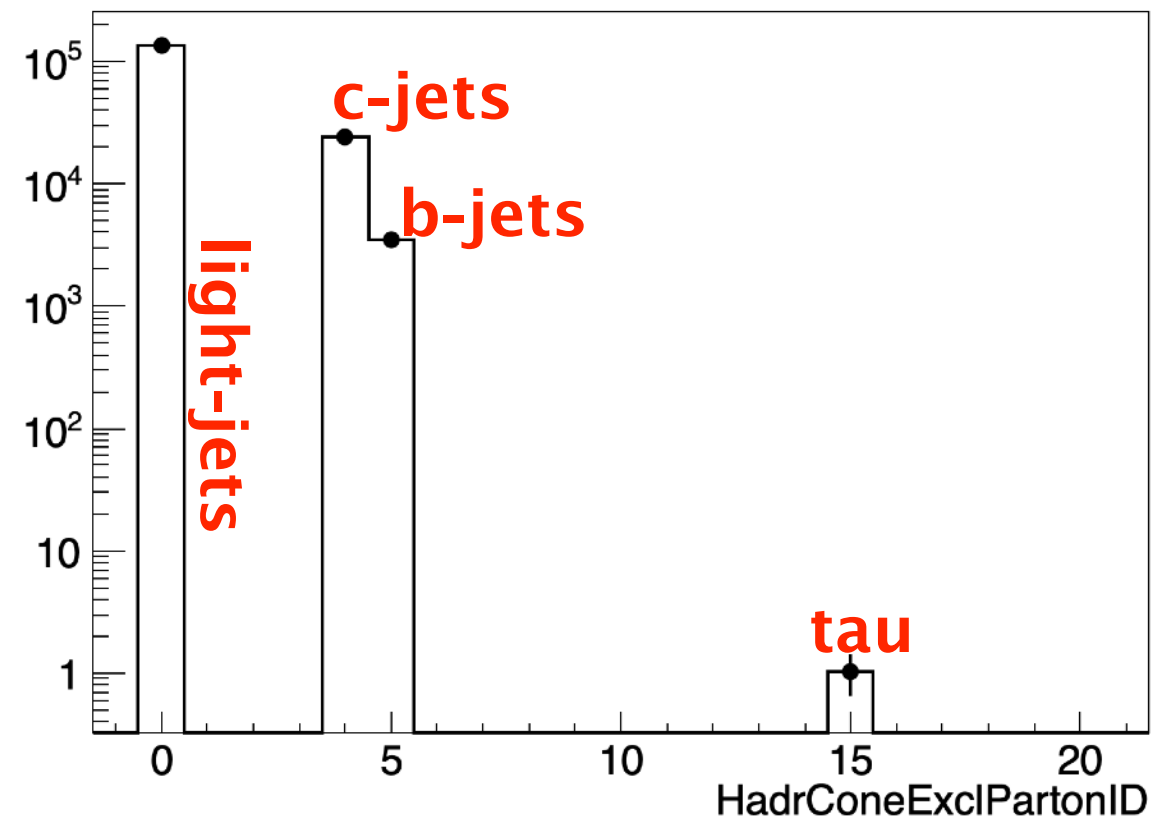
**Our best result**  
**I think we have quite**  
**good agreement**



# Truth jets flavour fractions

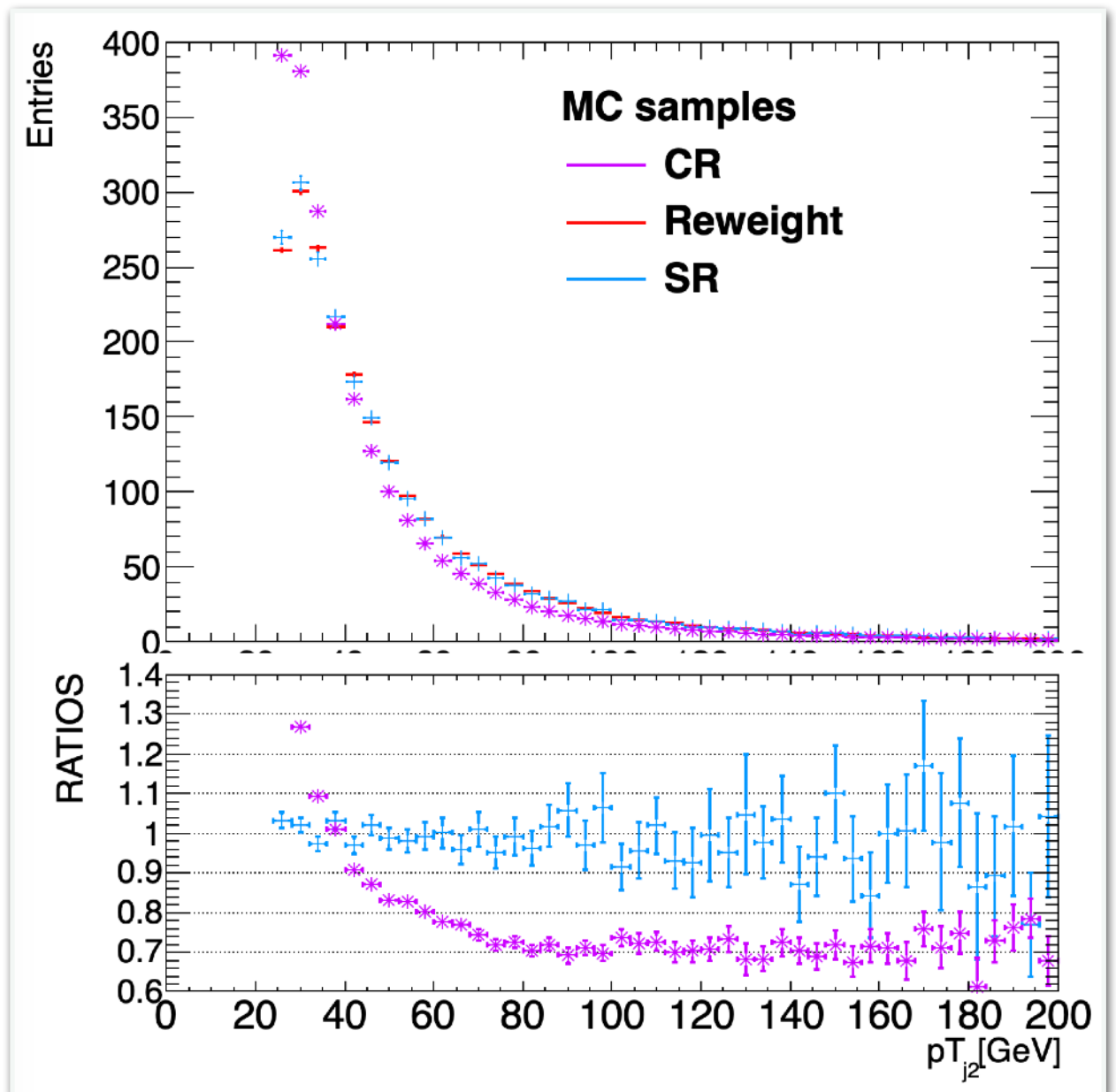
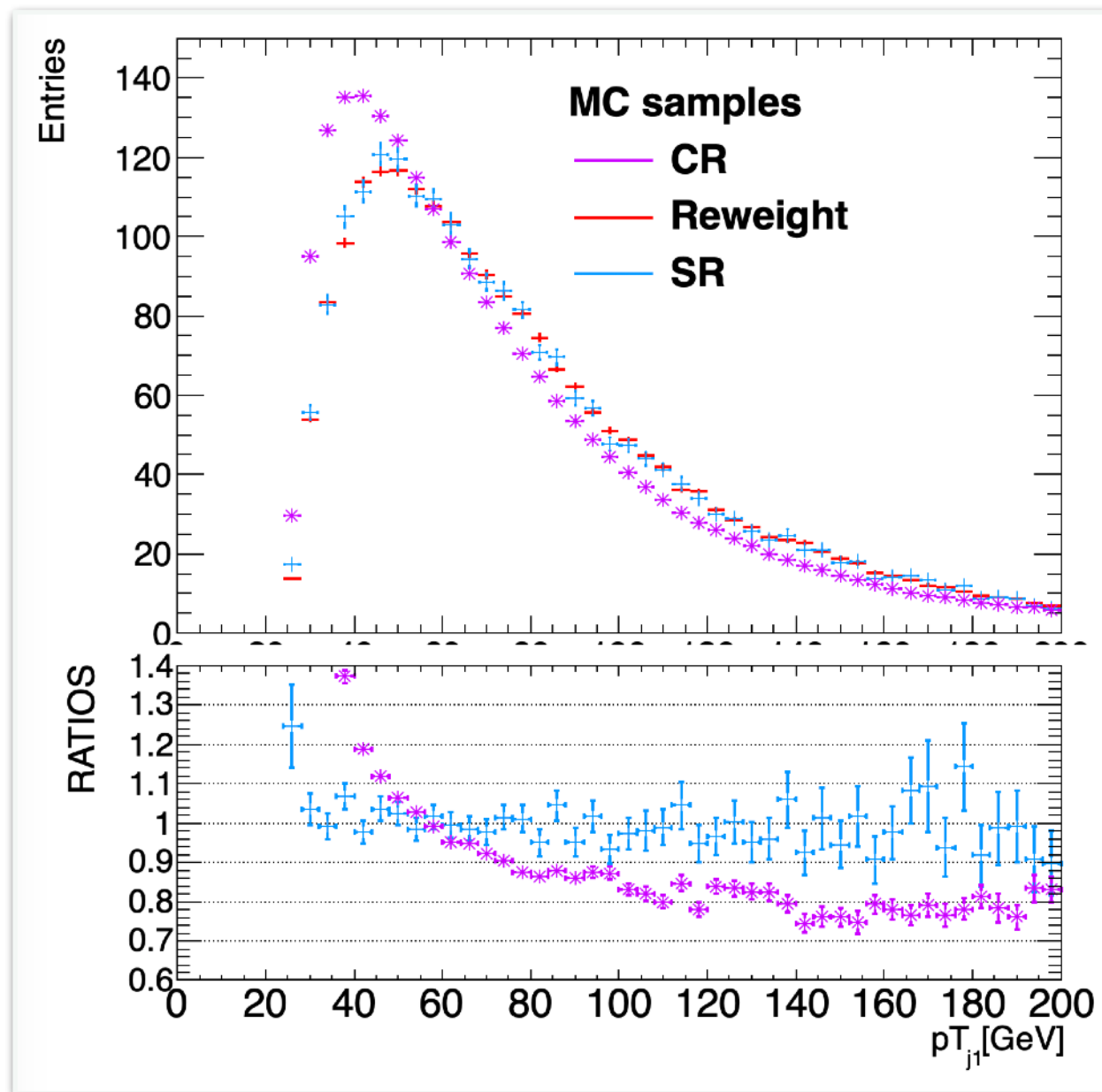
Inclusive Region

|              | Leading jet | SubLeading jet |
|--------------|-------------|----------------|
| light-jets % | 83.2        | 85.8           |
| c-jets %     | 14.6        | 12.1           |
| b-jets %     | 2.1         | 2.2            |
| tau %        | 0.0006      | 0.0009         |



# Closure test, pT distributions

## Inclusive region

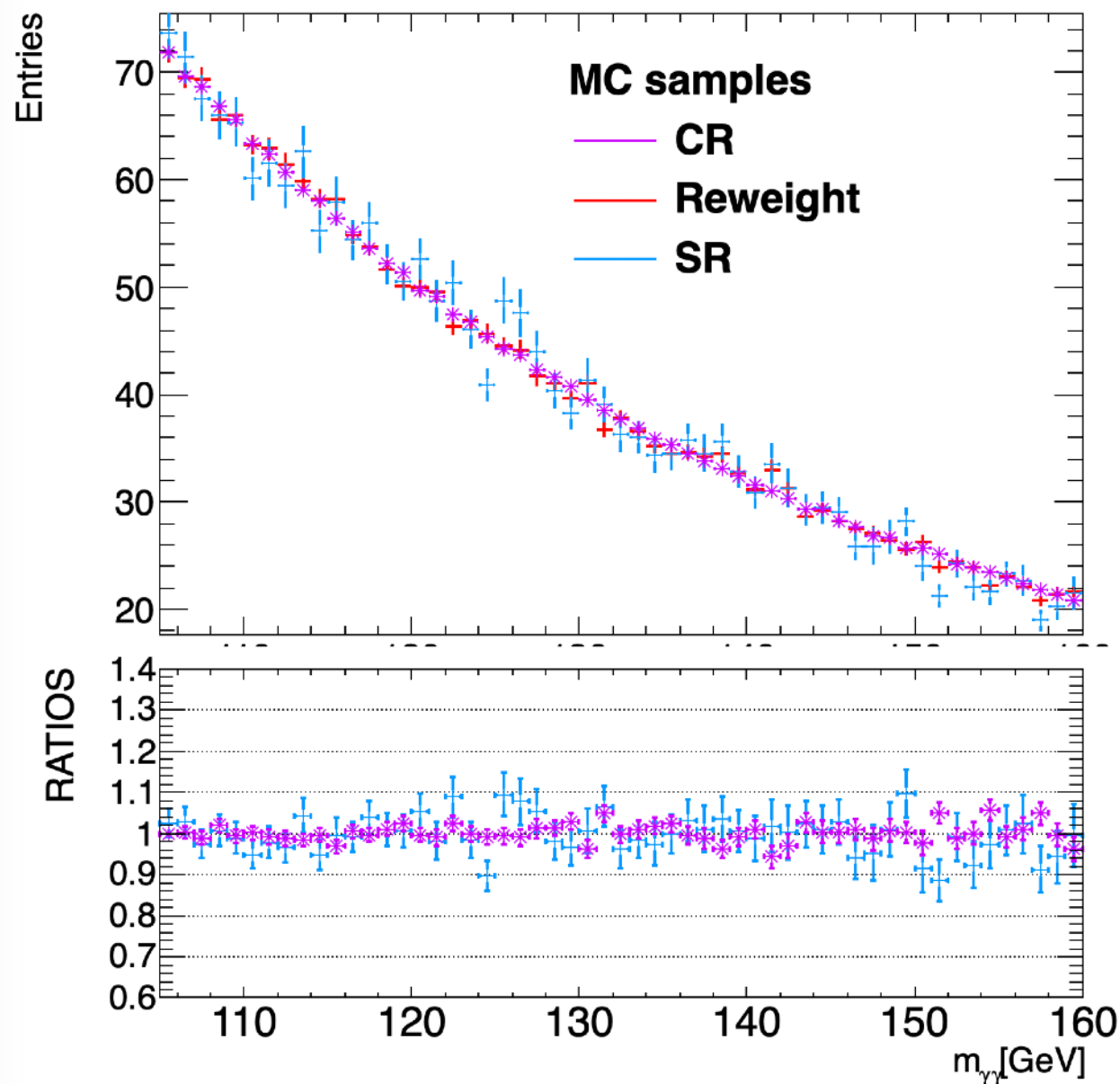


Reweighting done with the new efficiency definition

# Closure tests, invariant mass spectra

Inclusive region

MV2c10@85% WP



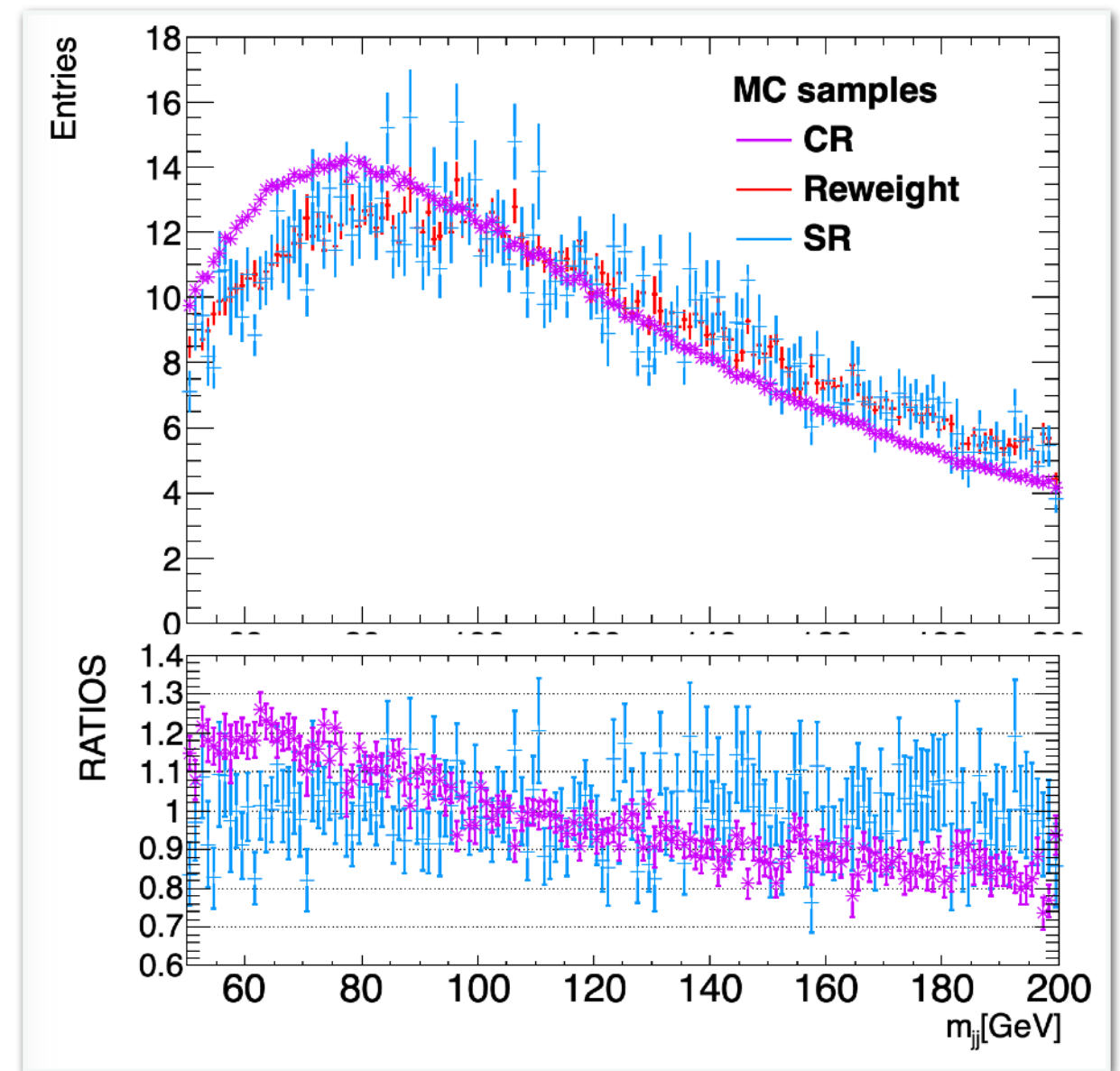
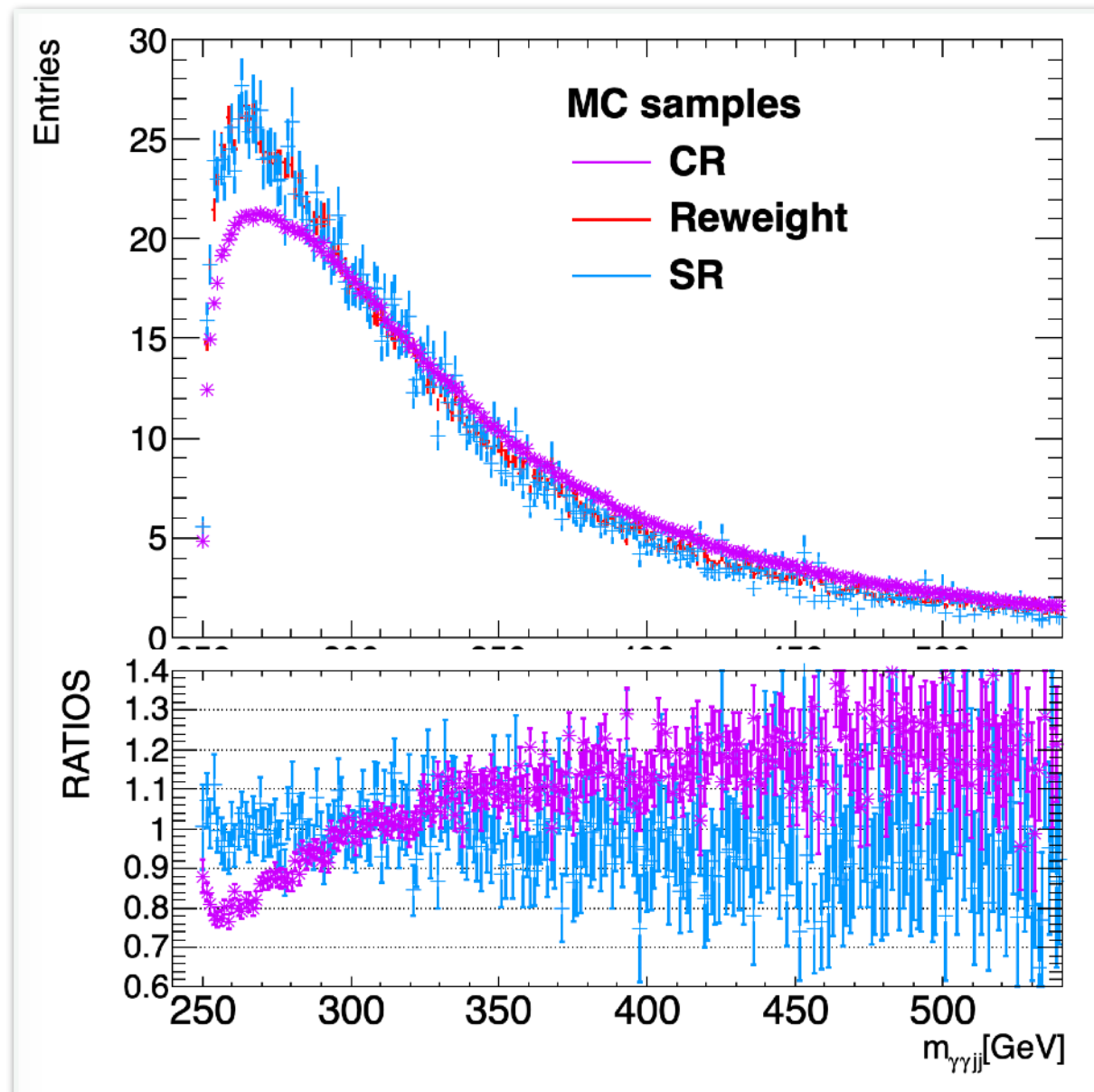
- ◆ Application with  $\geq 2$  central jets
- ◆ Signal Region: events with 2 Btag85 jets
- ◆ Control Region: events with  $\geq 2$  central jets
- ◆ 2-D reweighting on the pT of the 2 central leading jets
- ◆ Assuming third/fourth jets will not pass the Btagging

|          | Stat    | MC Yield | (sum weight) <sup>2</sup> /<br>(sum weight <sup>2</sup> ) |
|----------|---------|----------|-----------------------------------------------------------|
| SR       | 74551   | 2242.5   | 28738.6                                                   |
| Reweight | 5505400 | 2121.1   | 136965                                                    |
| CR       | 5505400 | 162668   | 2026610                                                   |

- ◆ Static amount is enlarged by  $\sim 70$  times for Btag85=2
- ◆ Effective statistics Reweight/SR  $\sim 5$
- ◆ Effective statistics CR/Reweight  $\sim 15$

# Closure tests, invariant mass spectra

## Inclusive region

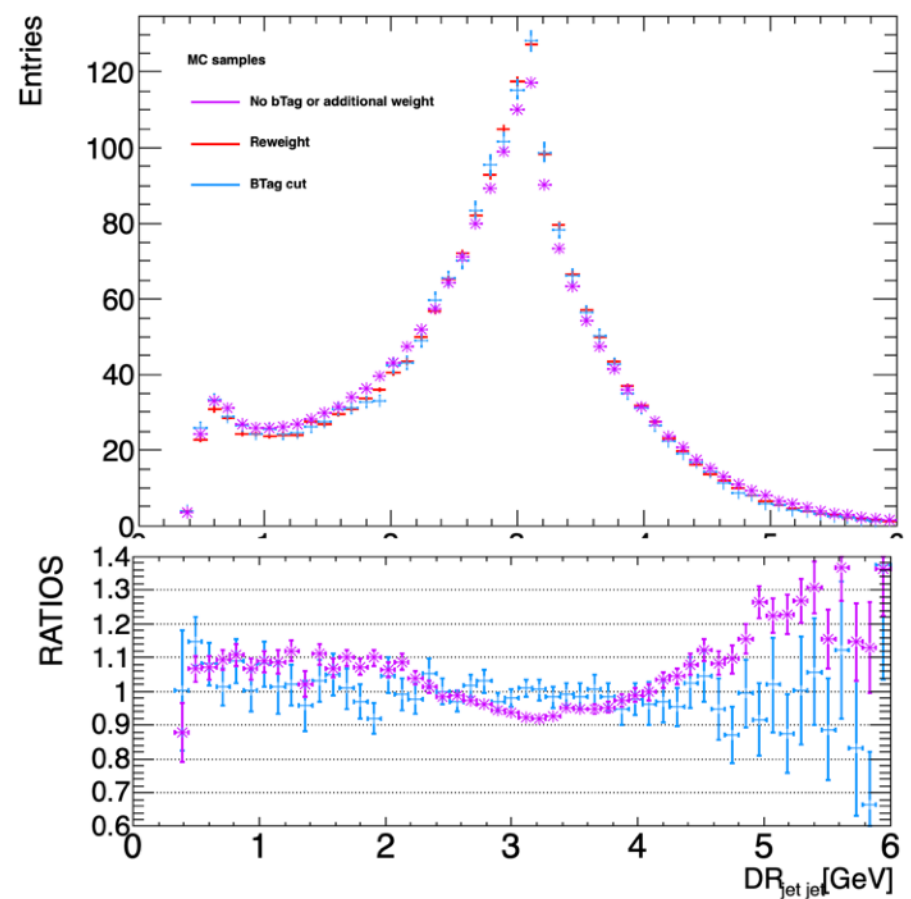
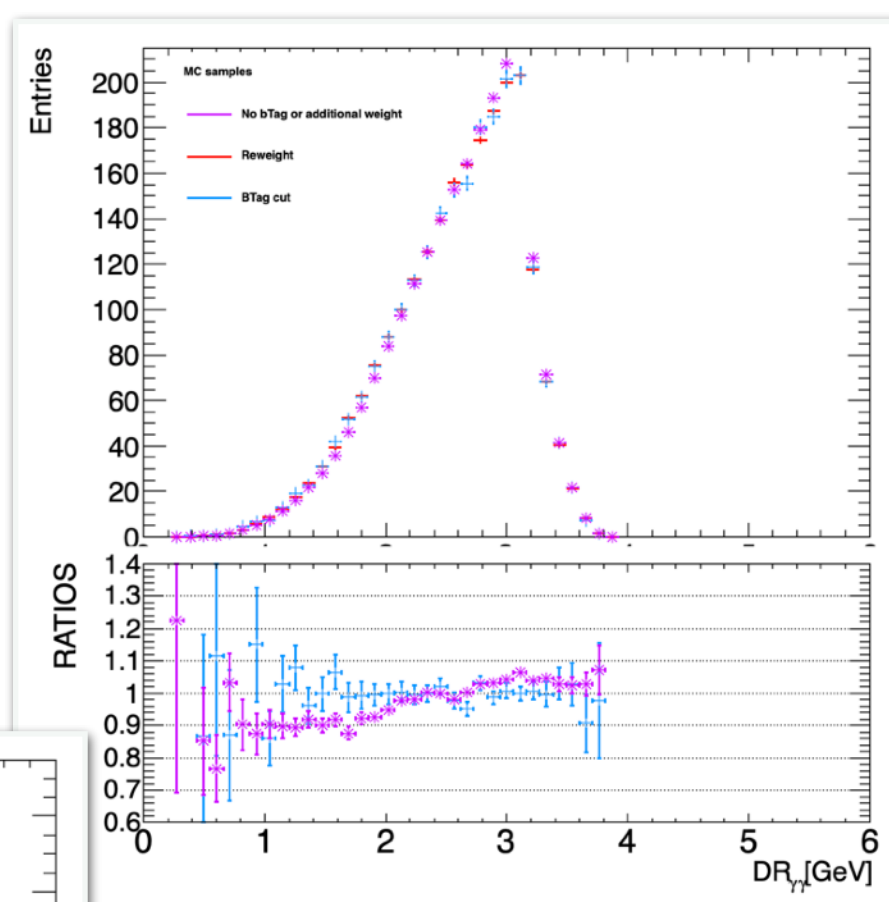
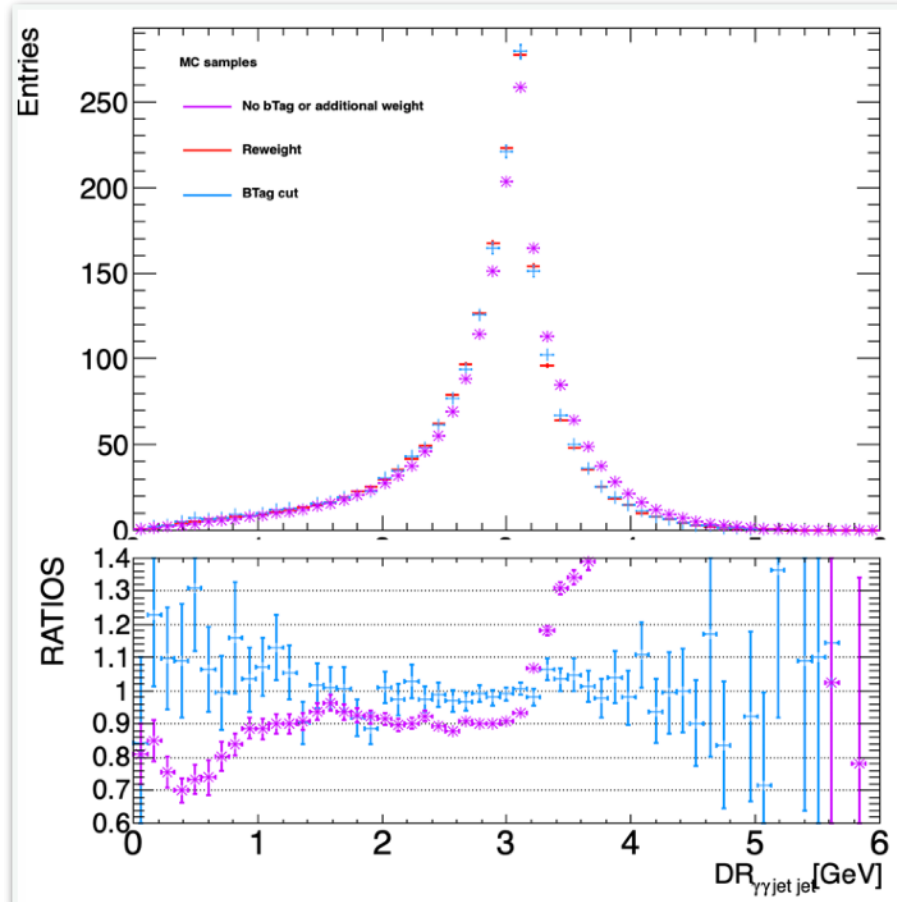


$$M_x^* = M_{b\bar{b}\gamma\gamma} - M_{b\bar{b}} - M_{\gamma\gamma} + 250.0 \text{ GeV}$$

# Closure tests-More kinematic variables

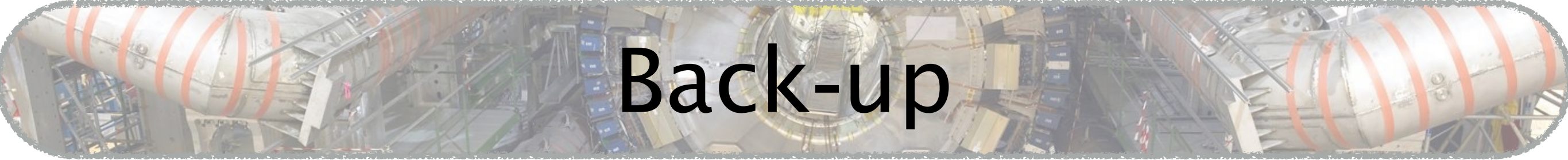
## Inclusive region

$$\Delta R = \sqrt{(\Delta\phi^2 + \Delta\eta^2)}$$



# Conclusions

- ✦ 2x2D sideband Method to estimate the  $\gamma\gamma$ ,  $\gamma$ -jet, jet- $\gamma$  and jet-jet components
- ✦ We did many checks on the tagging efficiency while comparing with the performance group, where the largest difference comes from the vertex
- ✦ We also checked the  $\eta$ -dependence, Sherpa-Pythia8 difference and those differences are small
- ✦ The reweighted shapes are well modeled not only on  $m_{jj}$  and  $m_{\gamma jj}$ , but also on the  $dR$  variables, which may be helpful in the categorization optimization
- ✦ We estimated the effective statistics in the inclusive sample and in the 4 SR categories
  - ✦ There is a gain using the reweighted technique wrt the SR (a factor of 4)
  - ✦ But we have too few truth b-jet which driven the statistic in the re-weighted shape



# Back-up

# Truth Level Particle ID, SR categories

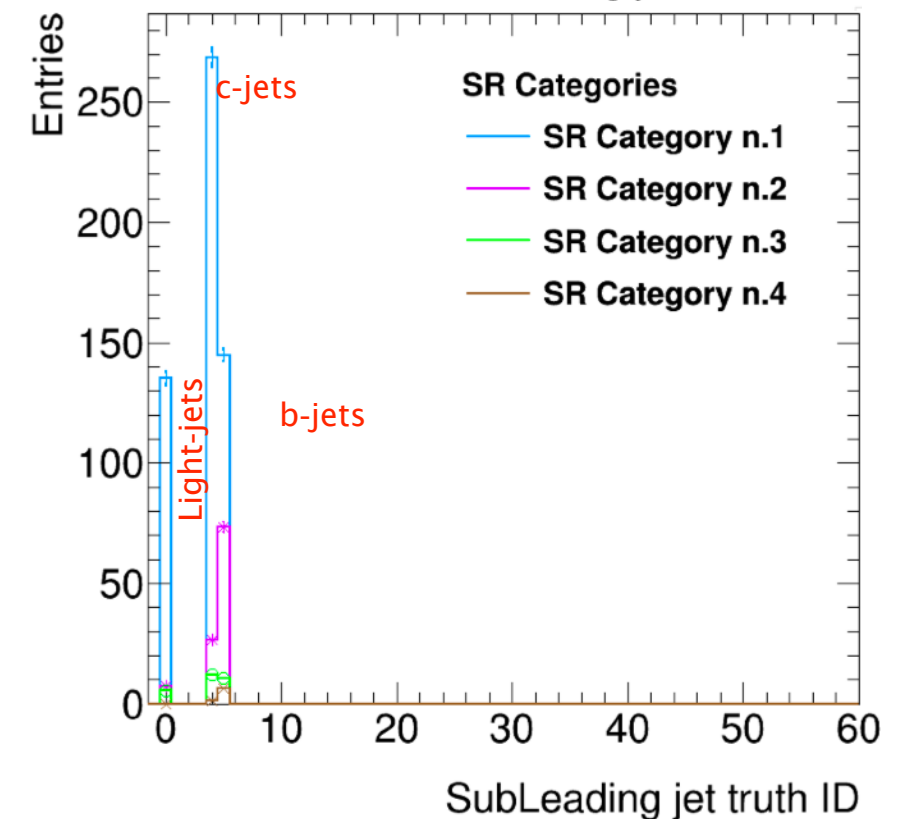
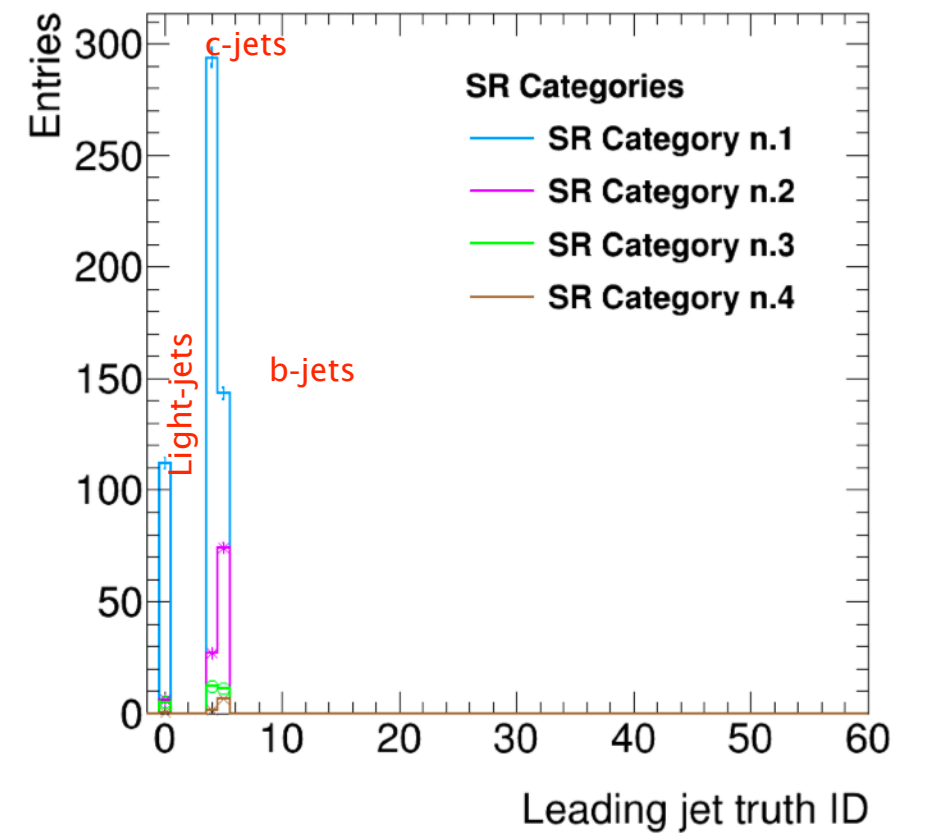
Leading jet

|              | Cat. 1 | Cat. 2 | Cat. 3 | Cat. 4 |
|--------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Light-jets % | 20.4   | 5.6    | 17.4   | 1.6    |
| C-jets %     | 53.5   | 25.2   | 42.6   | 14.4   |
| B-jets %     | 26.1   | 69.2   | 39.9   | 84.0   |

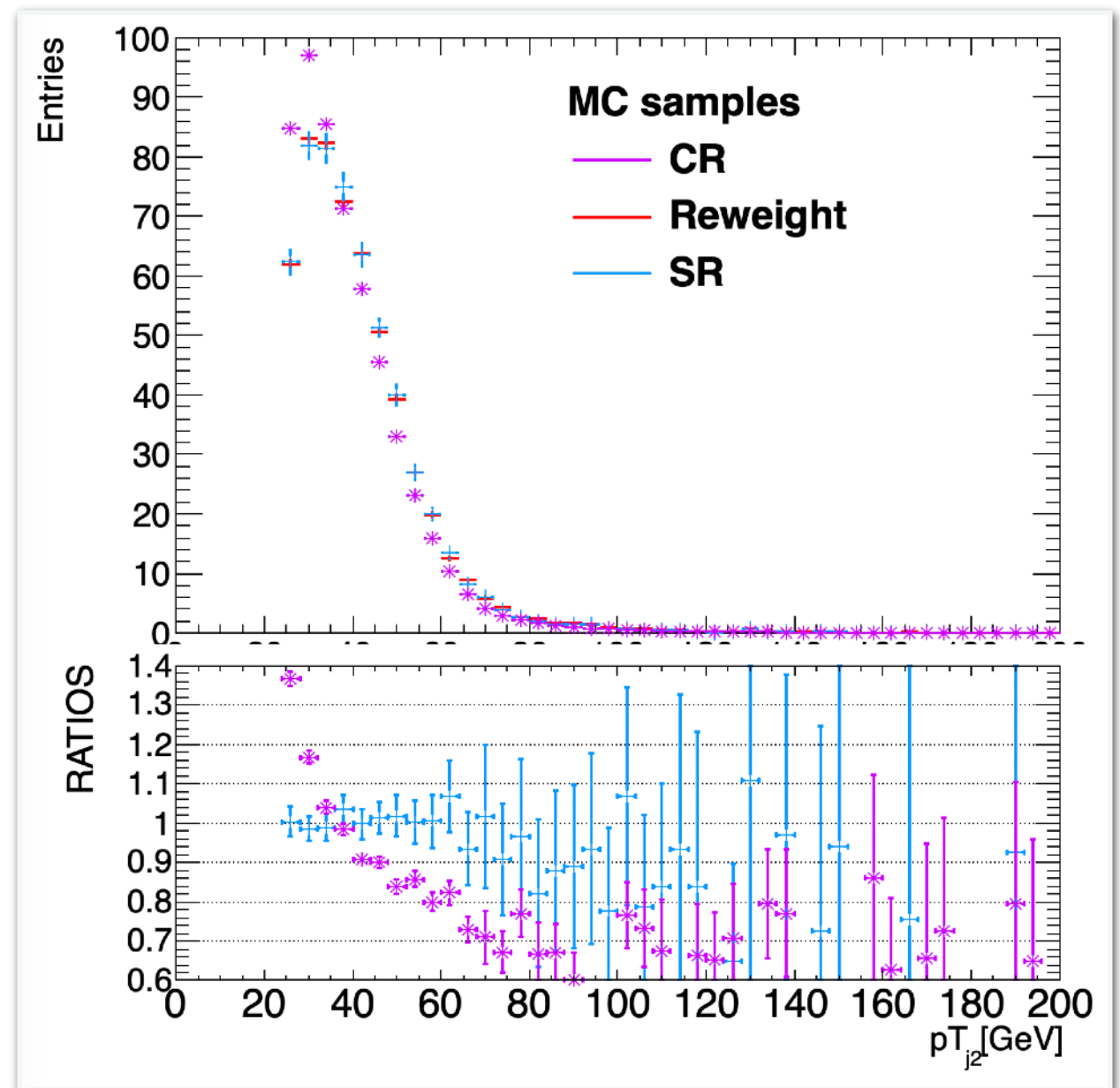
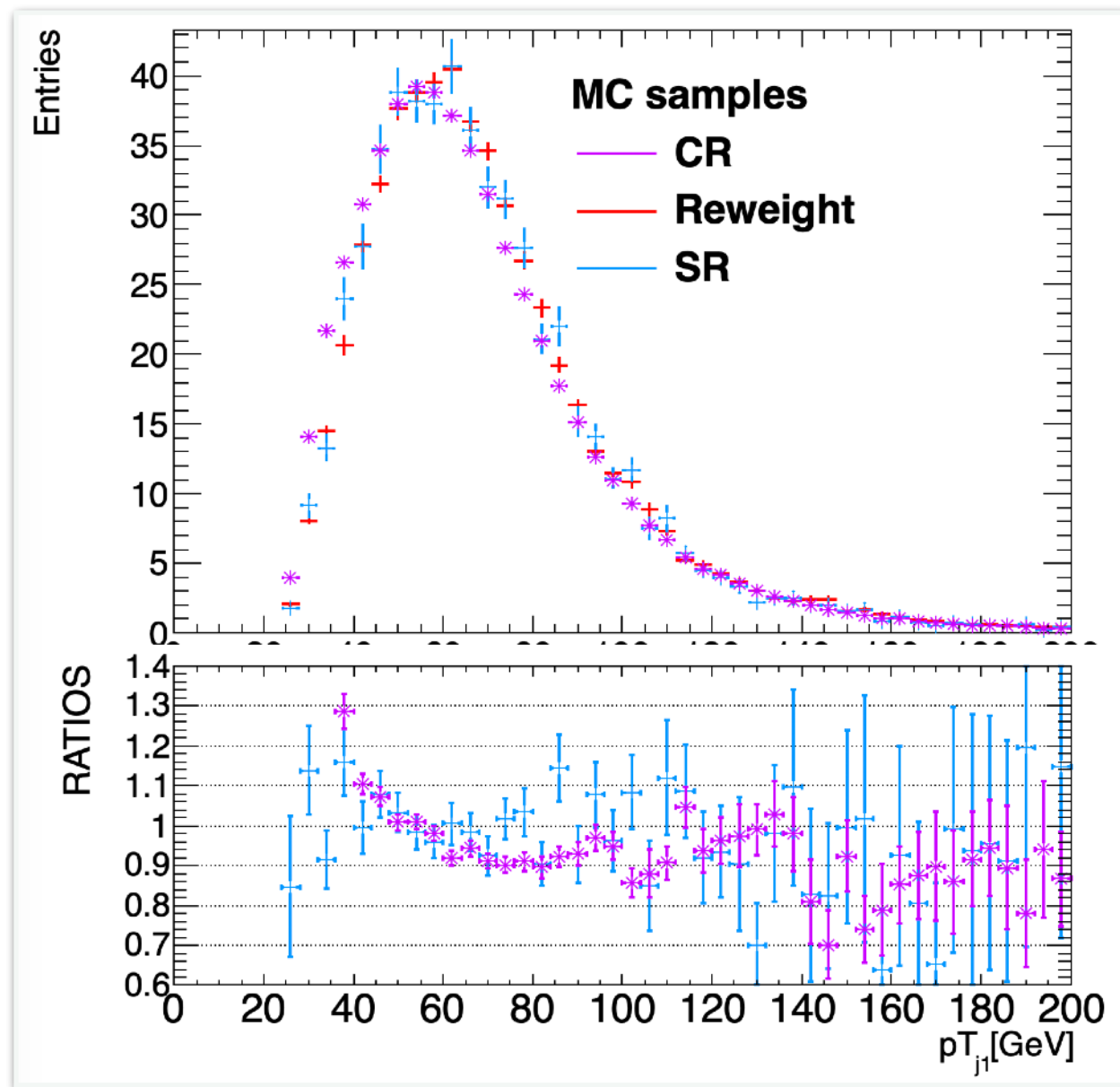
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|              |      |      |         |      |
|--------------|------|------|---------|------|
| Light-jets % | 24.6 | 6.8  | 19.7    | 0.8  |
| C-jets %     | 48.9 | 24.7 | 42.8    | 17.3 |
| B-jets %     | 26.4 | 68.5 | 37.4769 | 81.9 |

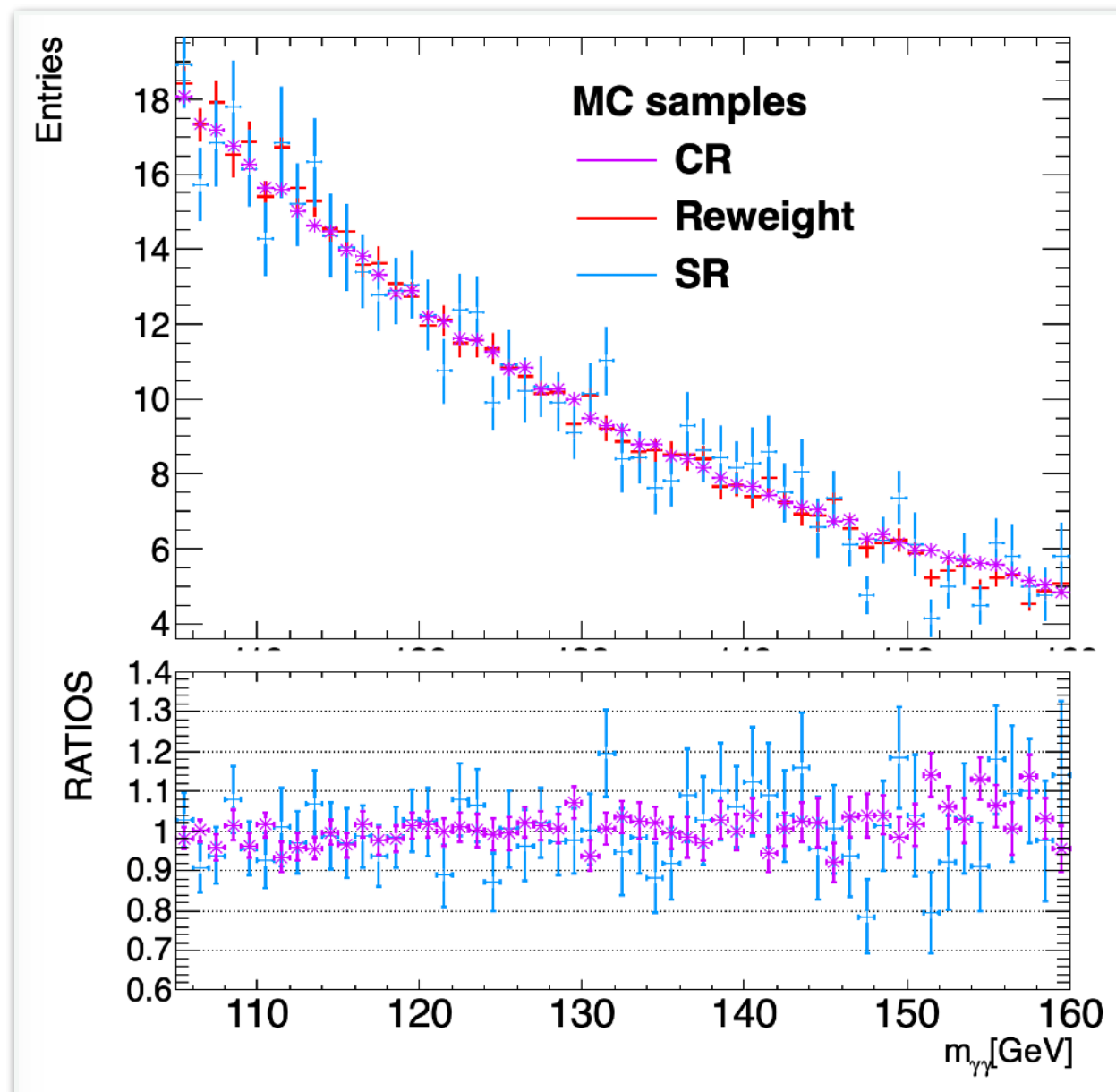
SubLeading jet



# Closure test, $p_T$ distributions-SR<sub>1</sub>



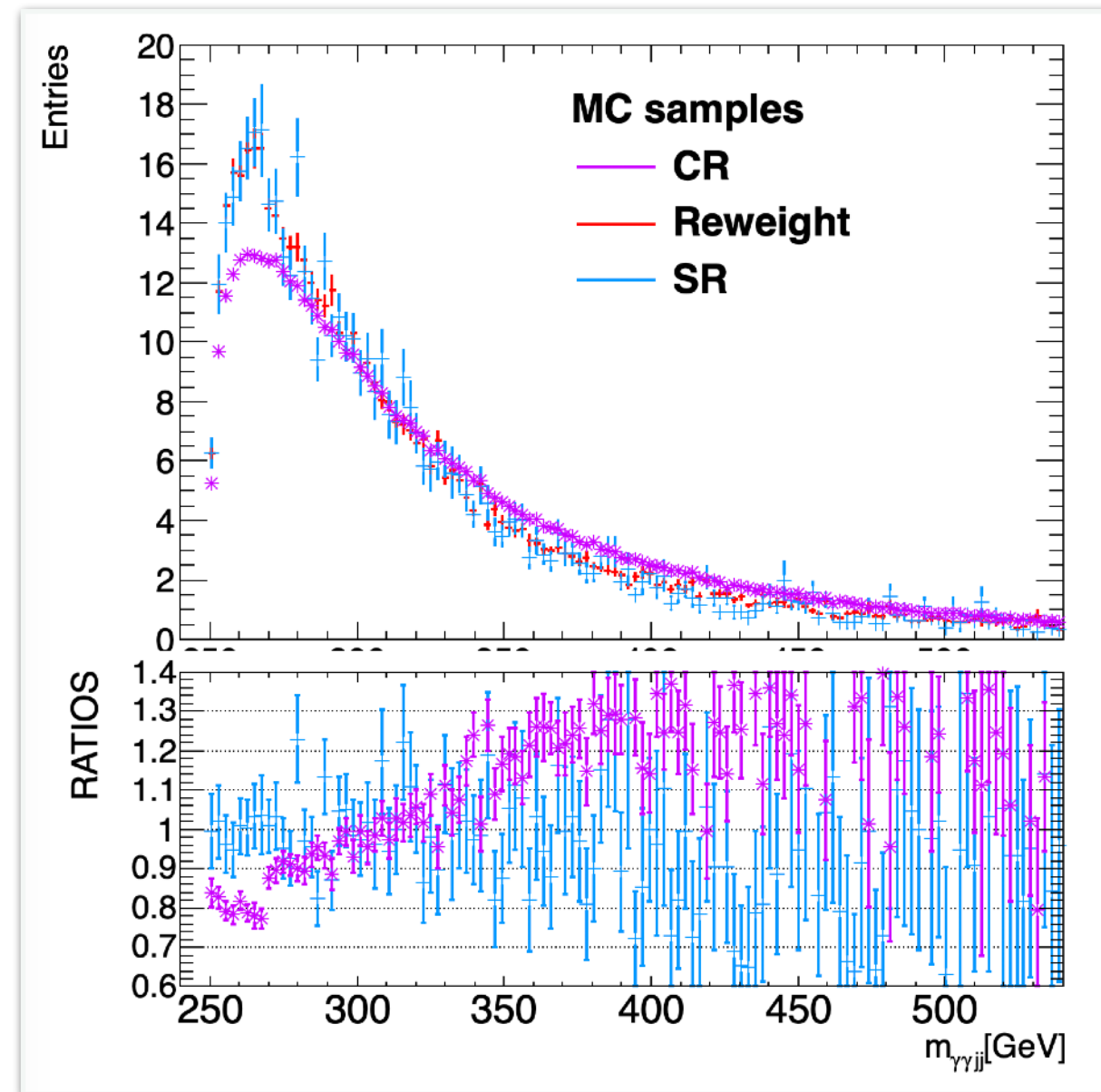
# Closure test, mass spectra-SR1



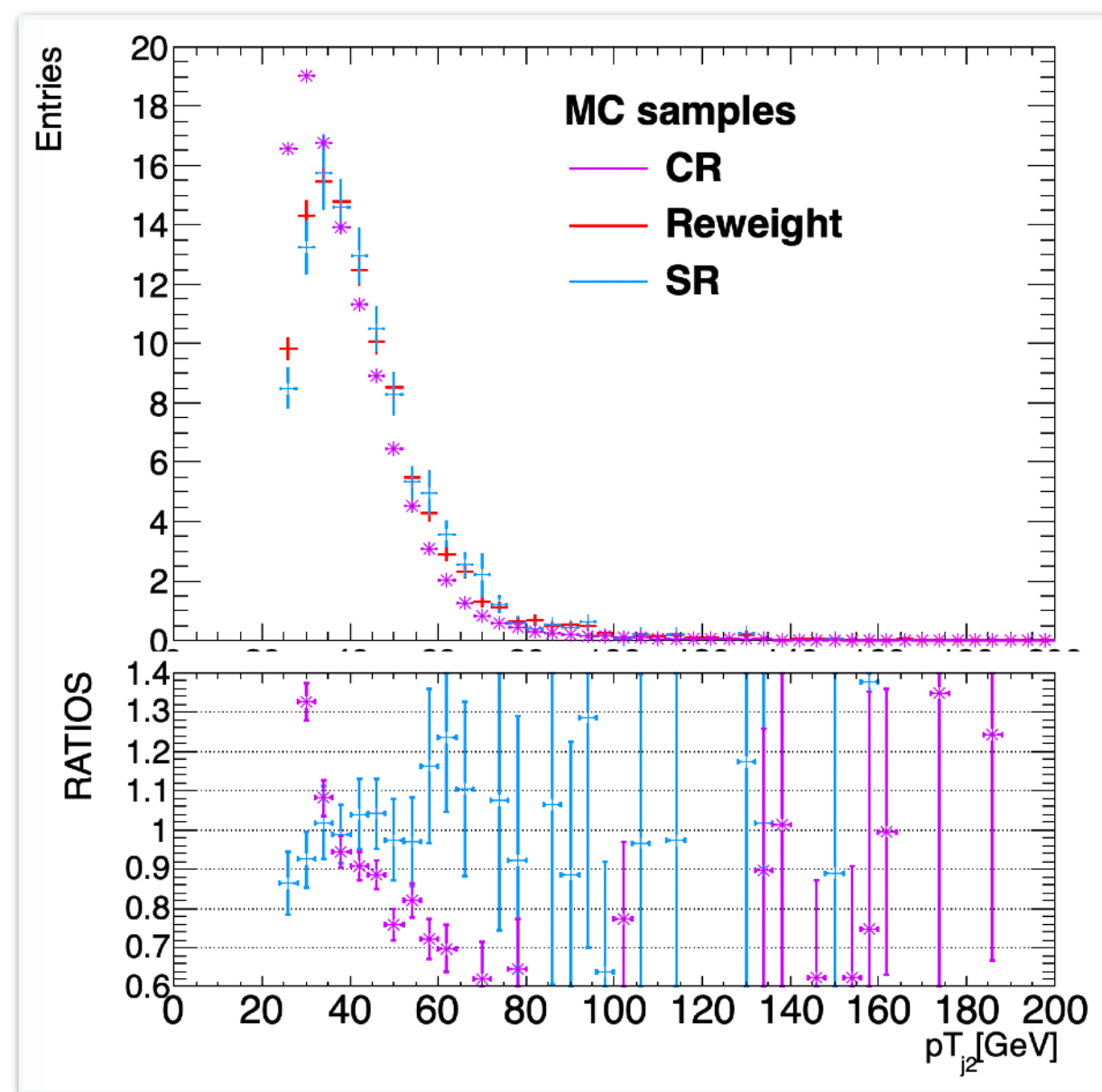
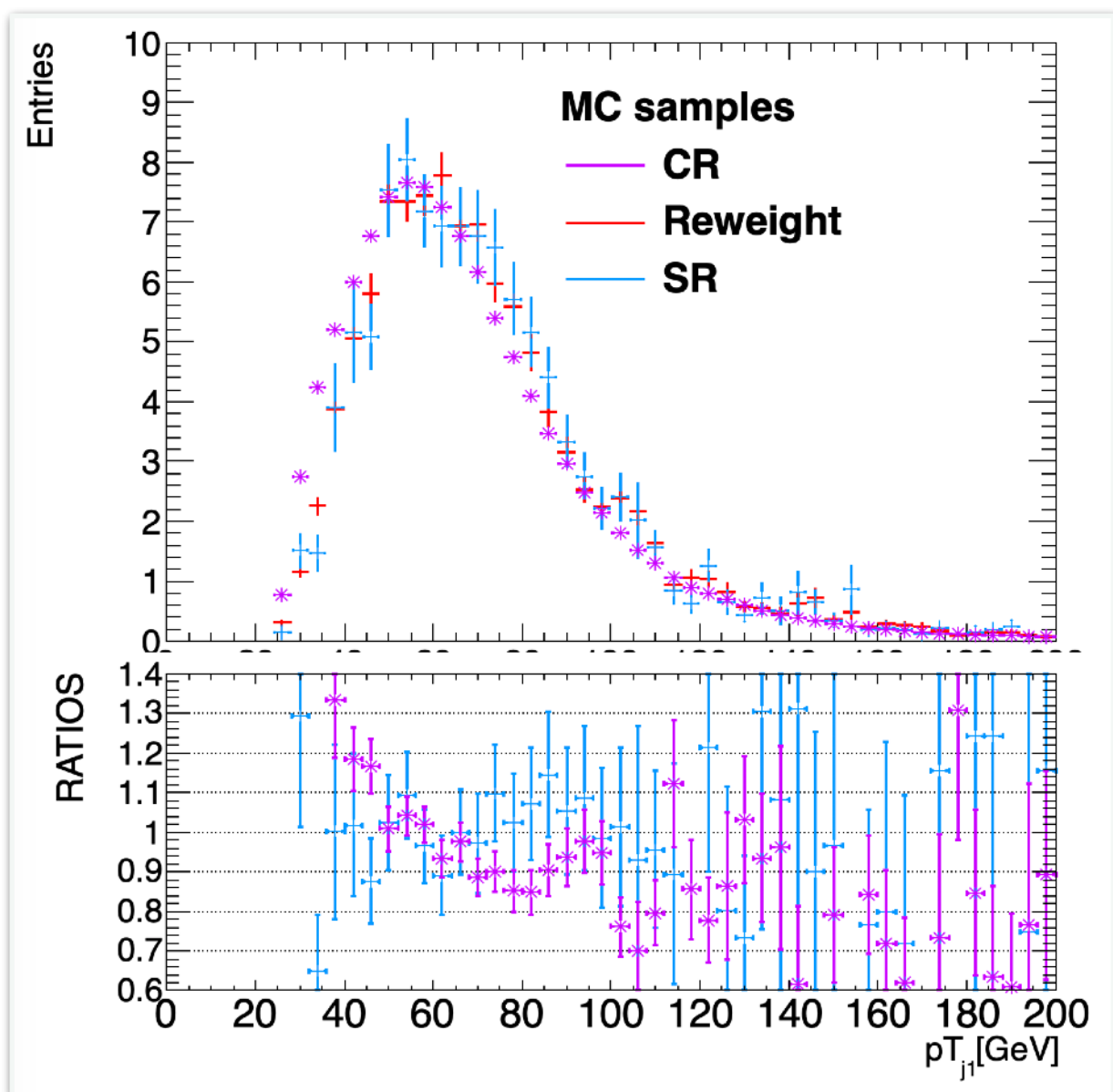
|          | Stat    | MC Yield | $(\text{sum weight})^2 / (\text{sum weight}^2)$ |
|----------|---------|----------|-------------------------------------------------|
| SR       | 18044   | 548.6    | 7058.3                                          |
| Reweight | 1376260 | 529.2    | 35913.8                                         |
| CR       | 1376260 | 40977.6  | 504060                                          |

- ◆ In the reweighted case, the statistical amount is enlarged by  $\sim 76$  wrt SR
- ◆ Effective statistics Reweight/SR  $\sim 5$
- ◆ Effective statistics CR/Reweight  $\sim 15$

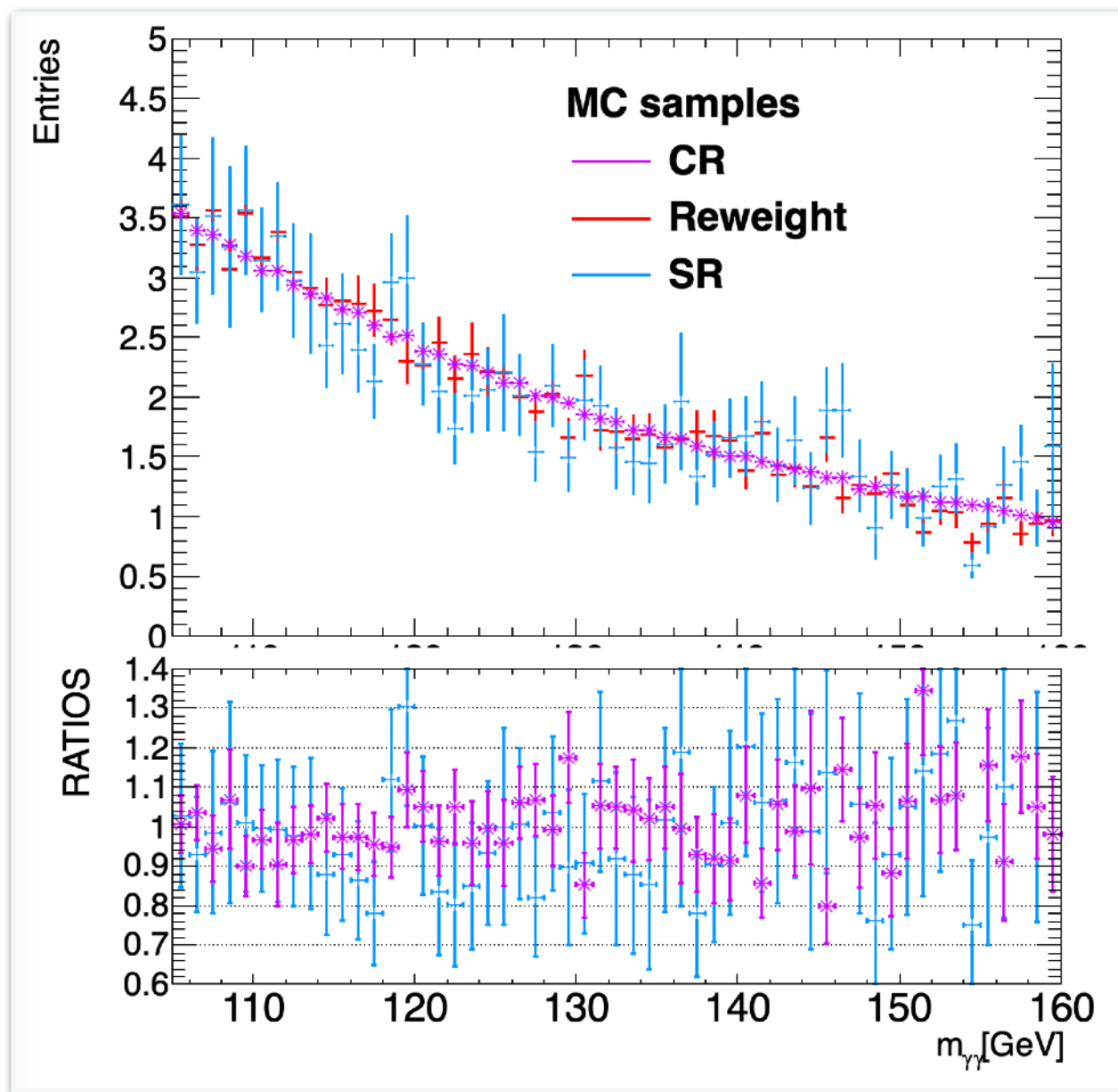
# Closure test, mass spectra-SR1



# Closure test, $p_T$ distributions-SR2



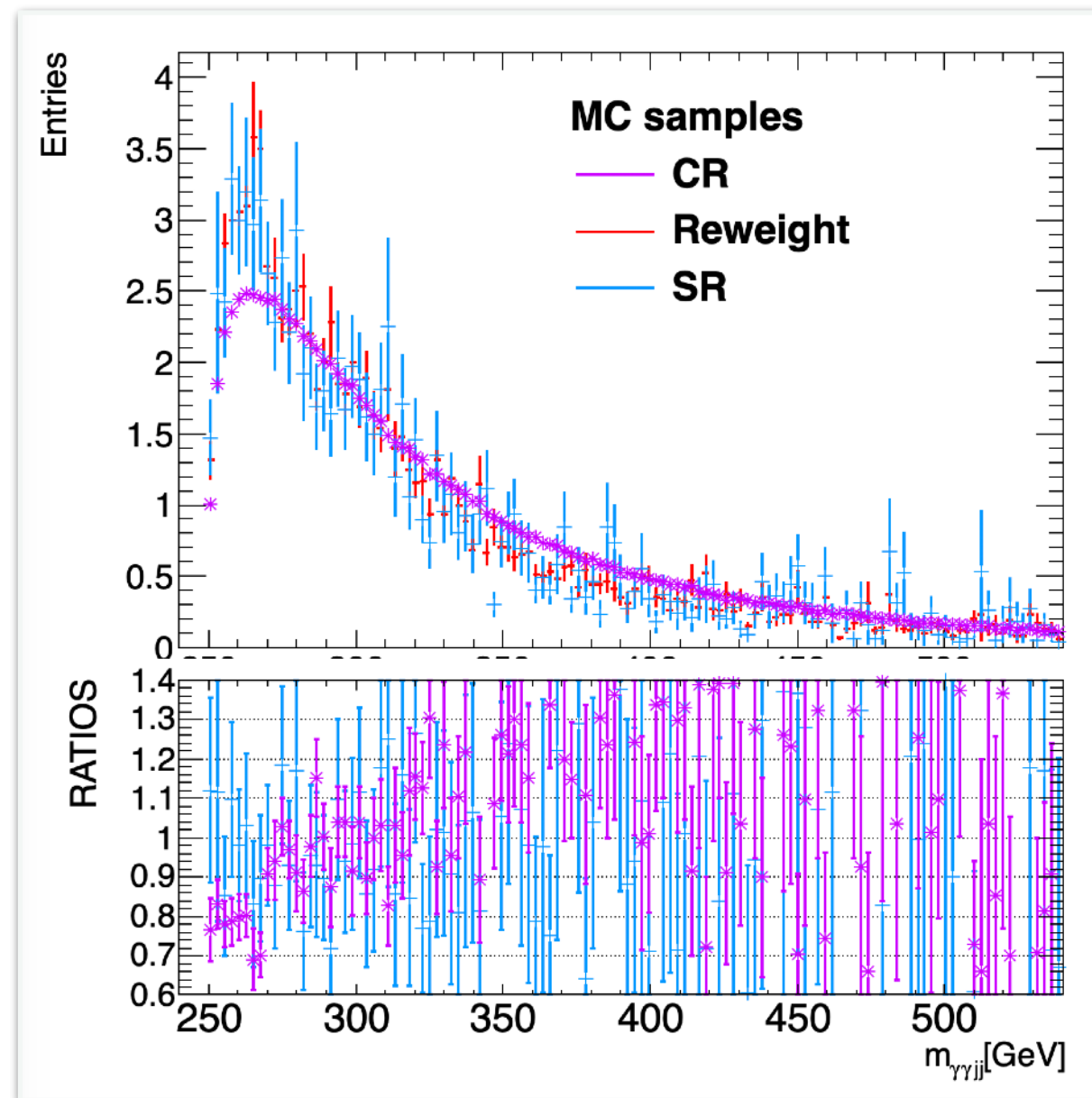
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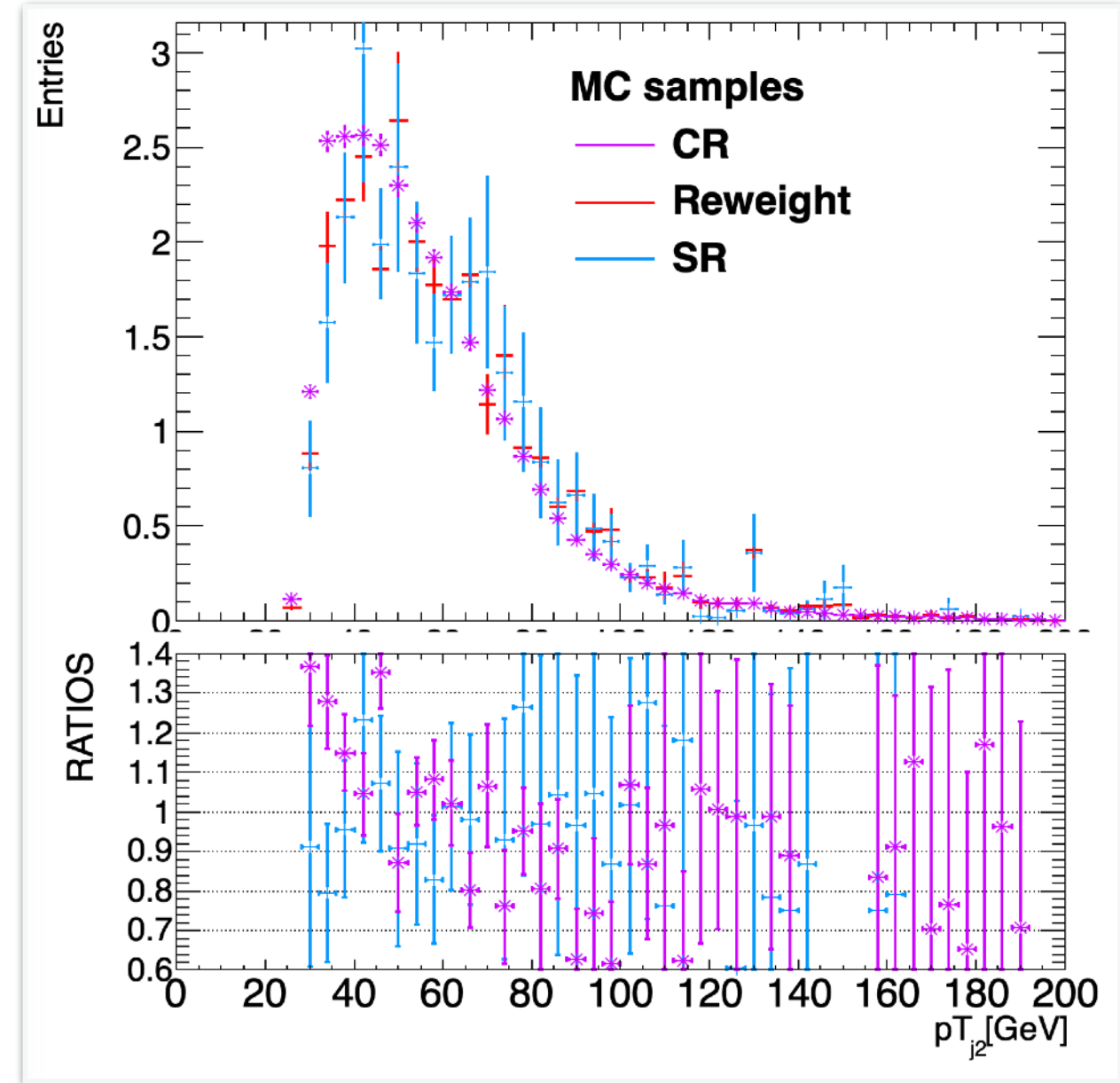
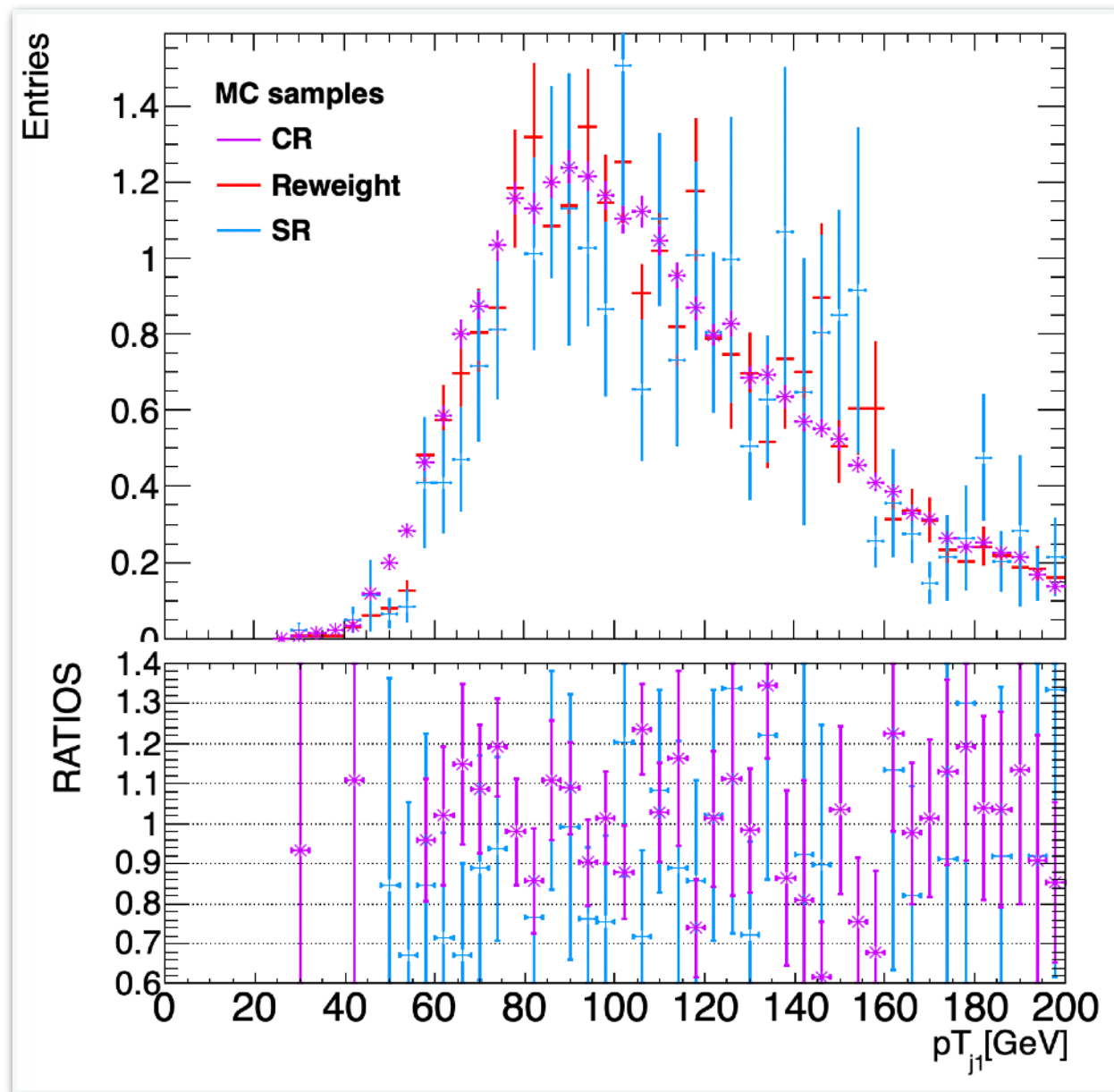
|          | Stat    | MC Yield | (sum weight) <sup>2</sup> /<br>(sum weight <sup>2</sup> ) |
|----------|---------|----------|-----------------------------------------------------------|
| SR       | 3497    | 107.4    | 1403.6                                                    |
| Reweight | 1376260 | 109.1    | 5015.3                                                    |
| CR       | 1376260 | 40977.6  | 504060                                                    |

- ◆ In the reweighted case, the statistical amount is enlarged by  $\sim 390$  wrt SR
- ◆ Effective statistics Reweight/SR  $\sim 3.5$
- ◆ Effective statistics CR/Reweight  $\sim 100$

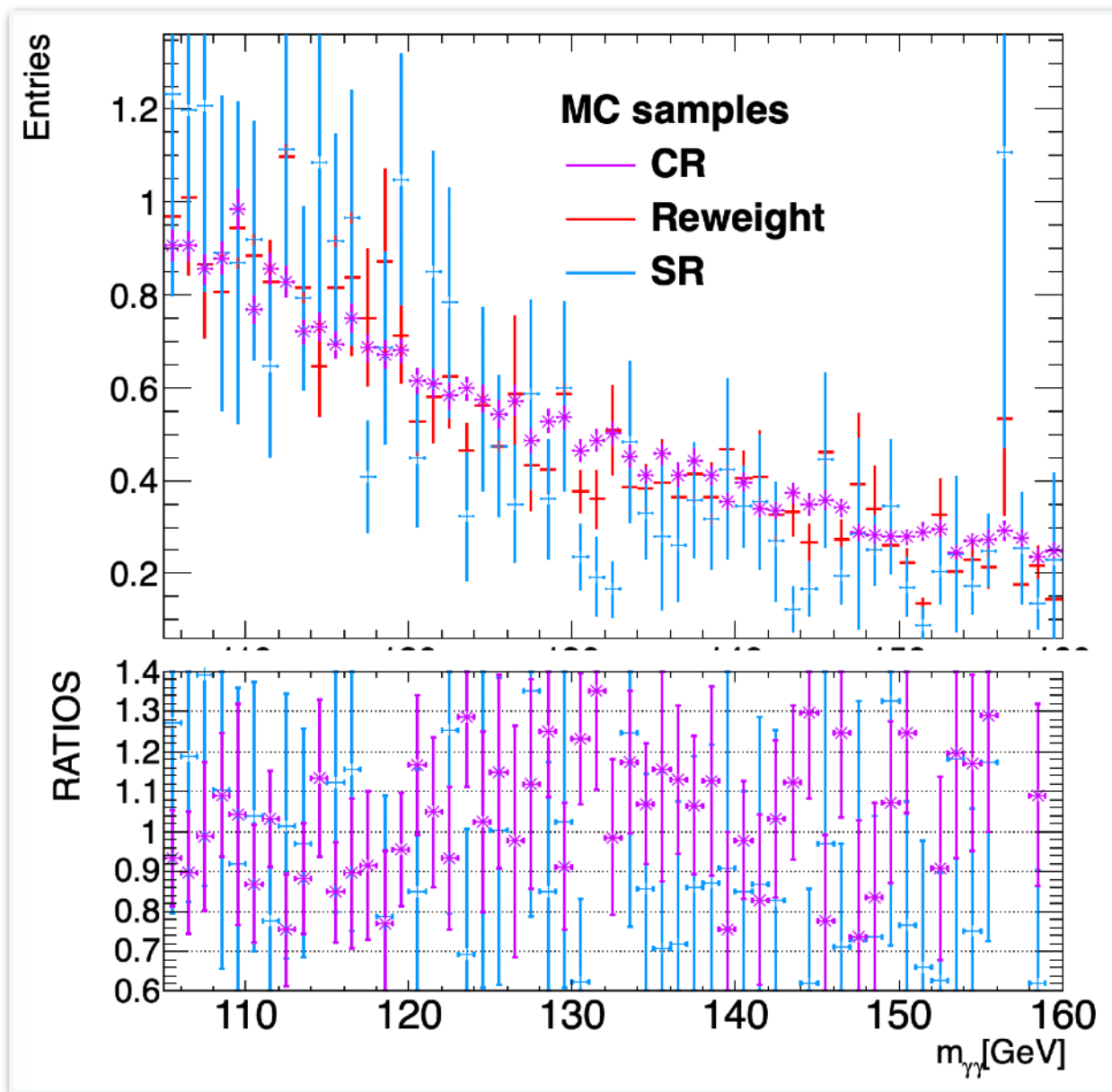
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# Closure test, $p_T$ distributions-SR3



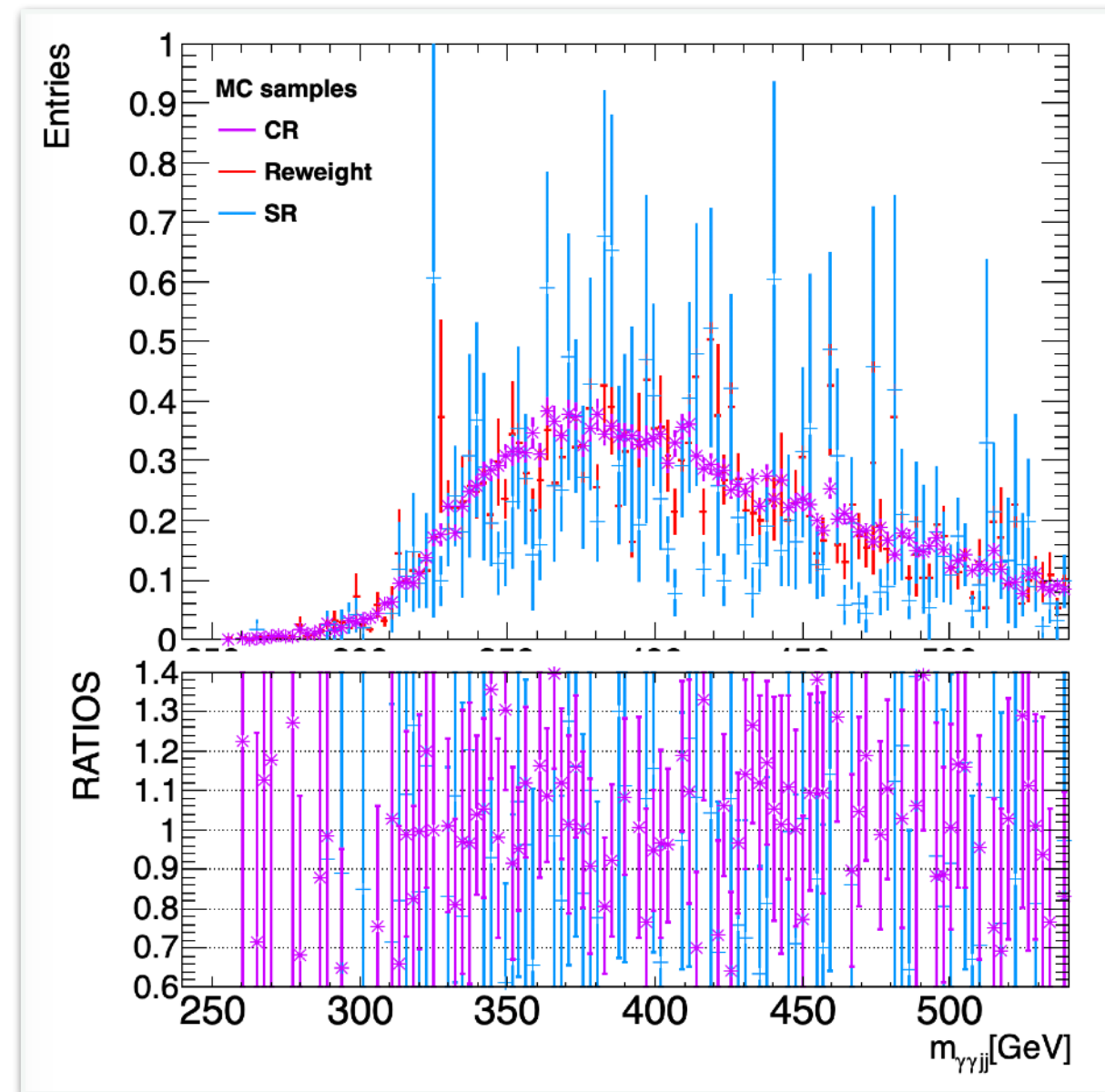
# Closure test, mass spectra-SR3



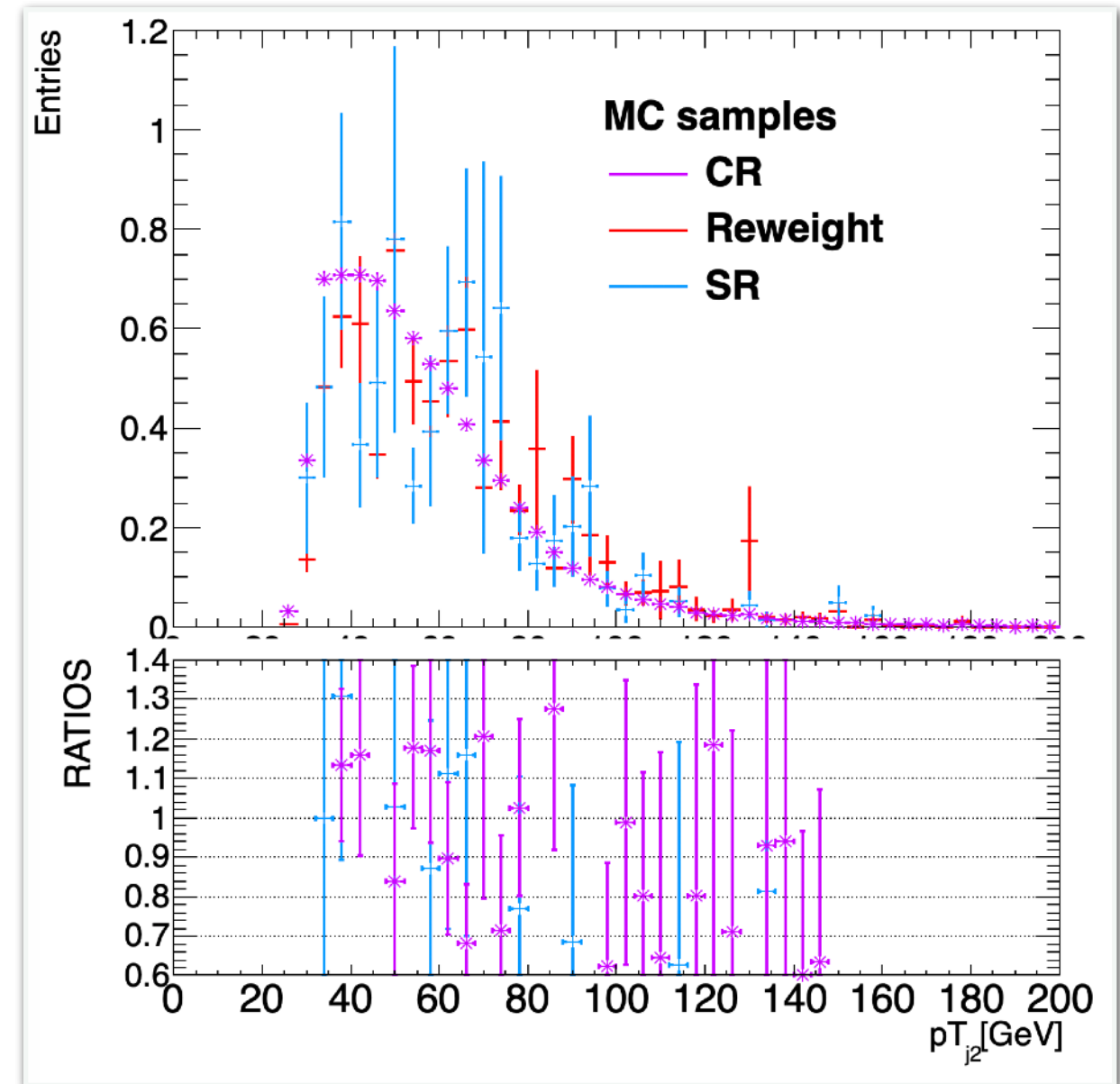
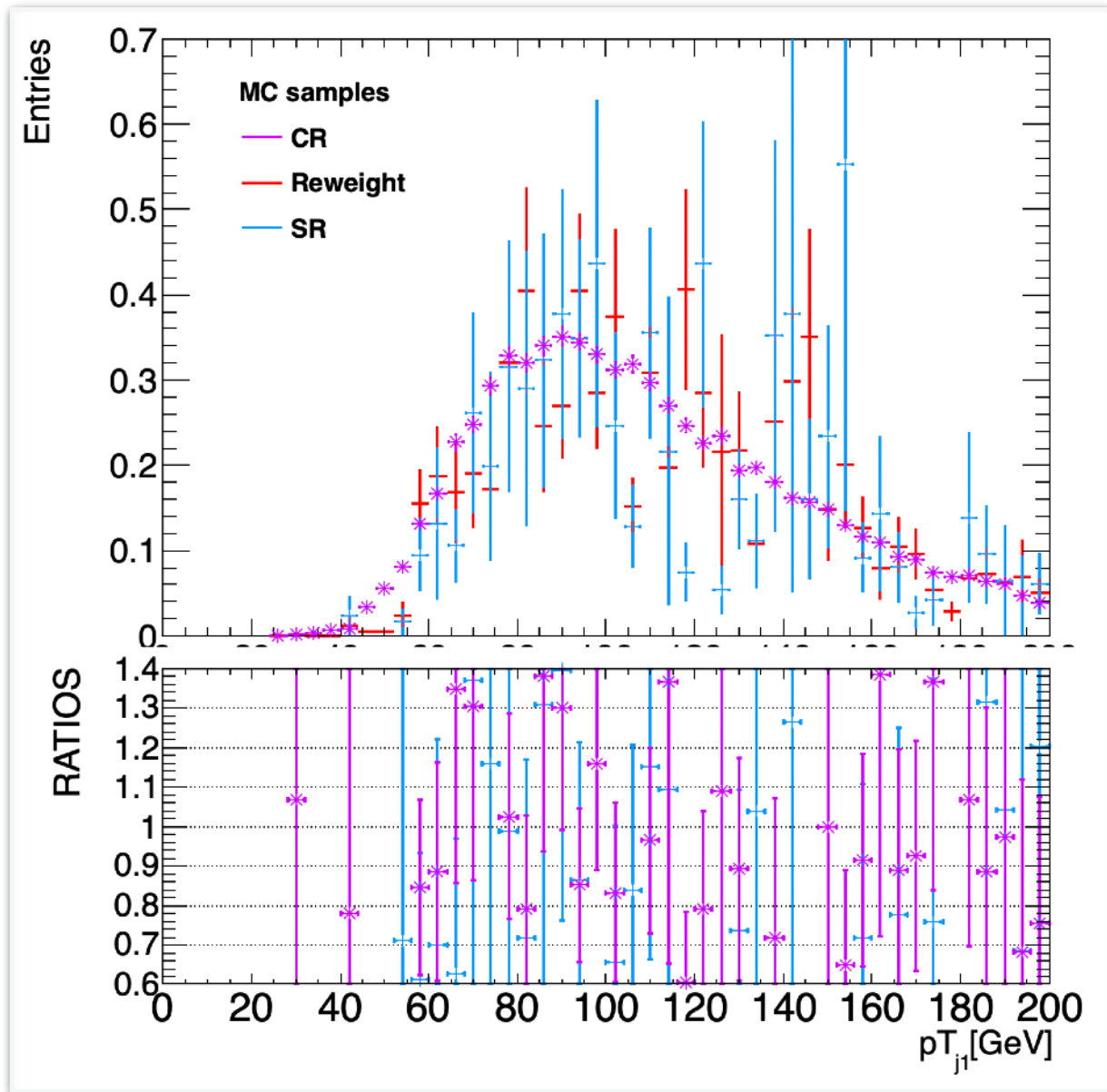
|          | Stat  | MC Yield | $(\text{sum weight})^2 / (\text{sum weight}^2)$ |
|----------|-------|----------|-------------------------------------------------|
| SR       | 828   | 28.0     | 316.3                                           |
| Reweight | 51683 | 27.3     | 1190.6                                          |
| CR       | 51683 | 1730.6   | 20639.3                                         |

- ◆ In the reweighted case, the statistical amount is enlarged by  $\sim 62$  wrt SR
- ◆ Effective statistics Reweight/SR  $\sim 3.8$
- ◆ Effective statistics CR/Reweight  $\sim 17$

# Closure test, mass spectra-SR3

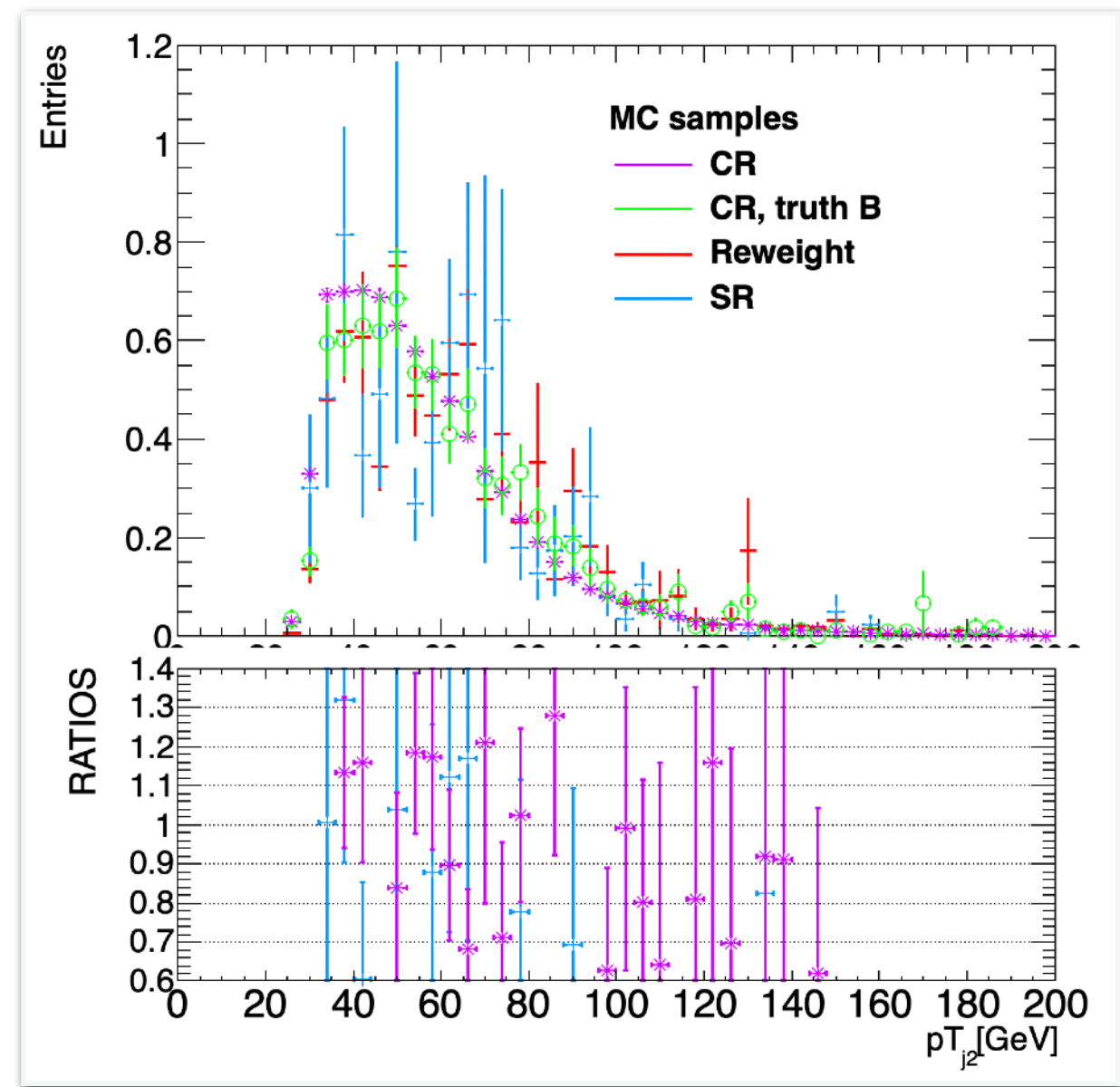
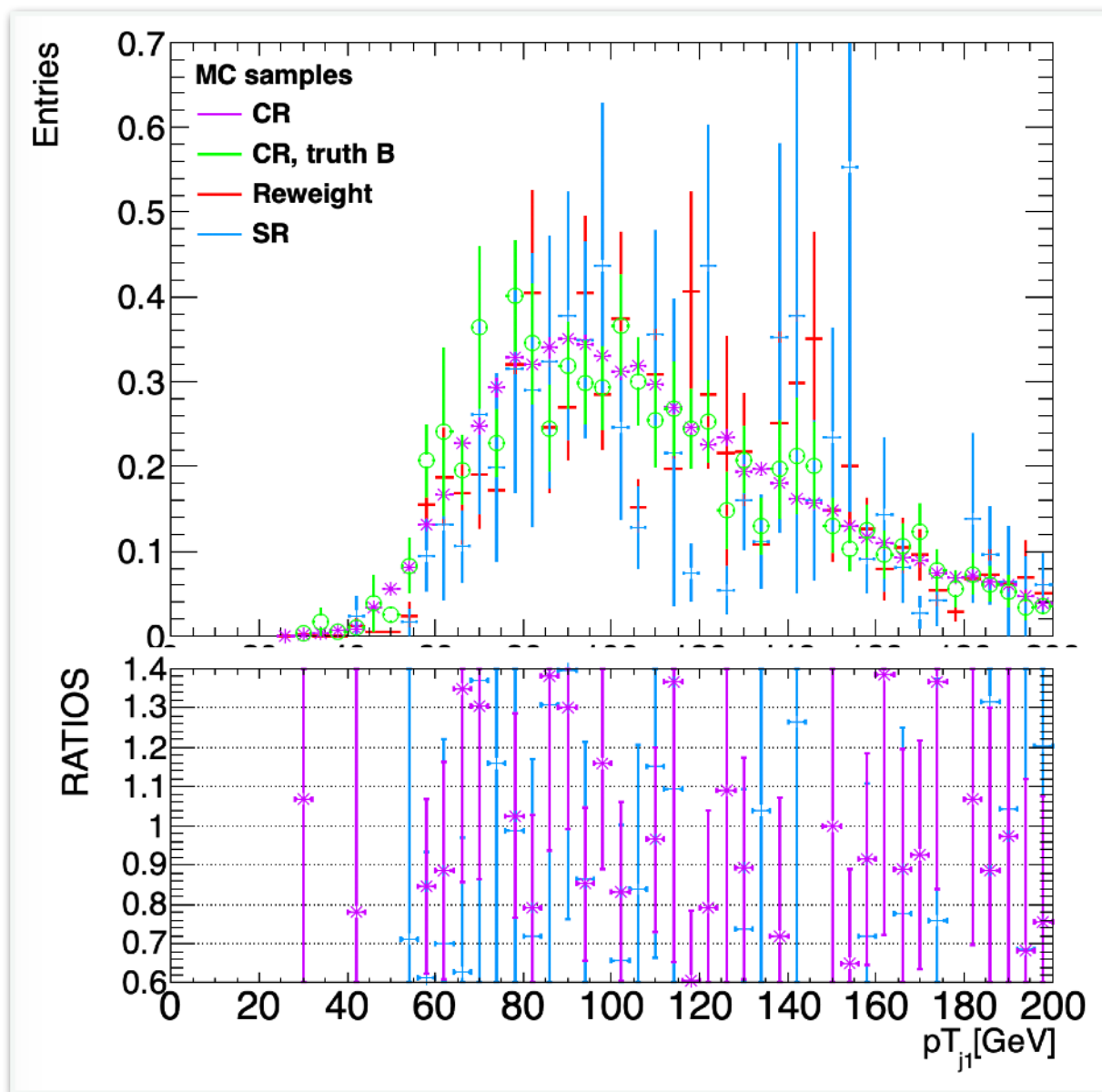


# Closure test, pT distributions-SR4



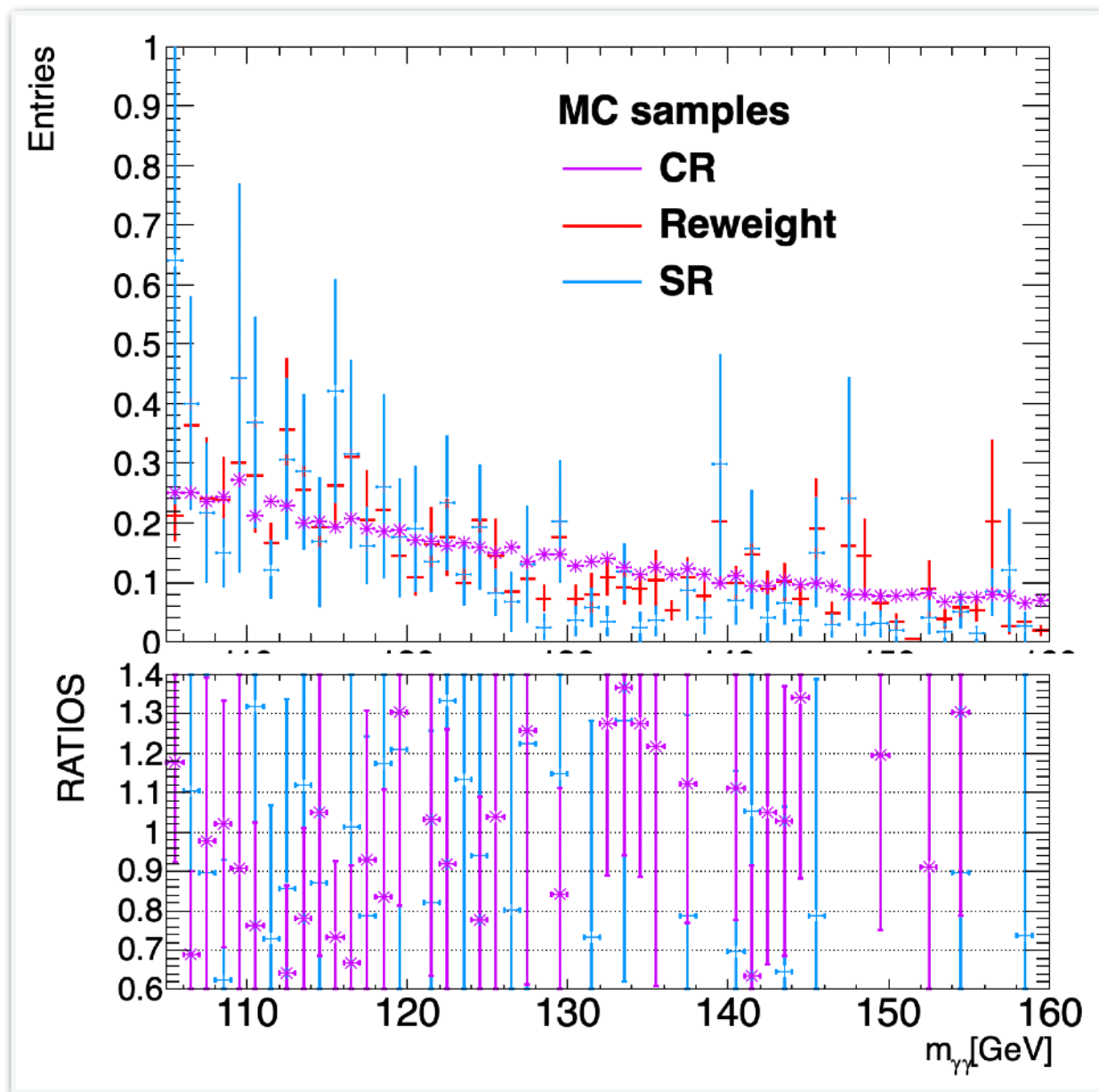
# Closure test, $p_T$ distributions-SR4

Why is the reweighed distribution not smooth?



Because the b-jets distribution itself is not smooth

# Closure test, mass spectra-SR4



|          | Stat  | MC Yield | (sum weight) <sup>2</sup> /<br>(sum weight <sup>2</sup> ) |
|----------|-------|----------|-----------------------------------------------------------|
| SR       | 228   | 7.8      | 86.1                                                      |
| Reweight | 51683 | 7.7      | 265.1                                                     |
| CR       | 51683 | 1730.6   | 20639.3                                                   |

- ◆ In the reweighted case, the statistical amount is enlarged by  $\sim 226$  wrt SR
- ◆ Effective statistics Reweight/SR  $\sim 3$
- ◆ Effective statistics CR/Reweight  $\sim 78$

# Closure test, mass spectra-SR4

