# **Experimental Diffraction from HERA to** the LHC

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- Forward Physics projects at the LHC
- Diffractive Parton Densities
- Absorption and Gap Survival
- Unintegrated gluon density
- Closing in on Central **Exclusive Production**



## List of Experimental Talks

Review of Inclusive Diffraction at HERA Review of Diffractive Dijets at HERA Review of Leading Baryons at HERA Review of HERA Vector Meson and DVCS Data

Exclusive Di-lepton and Di-photon Production at CDF-II Diffractive and Exclusive Dijets and W/Z at CDF

Forward Physics at the LHC Forward Physics with CMS Diffractive and Forward Physics with Totem Update on the AFP Project in ATLAS The ALFA Detector: Status and Physics Programme CASTOR Calorimeter: Physics and Status Diffractive Physics in ALICE Exclusive Dilepton Production at CMS Single Diffractive W Production at CMS Marta Ruspa Alice Valkarova Bill Schmidke Pierre Marage

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Short & limited summary ... apologies for the many omissions
Focus on developments in last year and open points



# LHC Forward Instrumentation



Impressive array of forward physics projects, providing high rapidity tracking / calorimetry and proton spectroscopy ...

... the best instrumented forward beam-lines ever!

## LHC Proton Spectrometry



#### Pots up to 220m

TOTEM pots at 150m and 220m fully in place for 2009

FP220 proposed for installation in ATLAS >2009.

#### Pots at 420m

FP420 for ATLAS or CMS (installation >2009 if approved)



### Proton Acceptance @ CMS / Totem

#### 150m + 220m Pots

 $0.02 < \xi < 0.2$  at  $\beta^* = 0.5m$  (high lumi optics)

Reaches lower  $\xi$  at  $\beta^* = 90$  or 1540 m (lower lumi)





0.002 < ξ < 0.02 (high lumi optics)

Higgs / O<sup>+</sup> Resonance Acceptance



Higgs Mass resolution ~ 2-4 GeV over wide m<sub>H</sub> range (Bussey)

## Example Strategy: CMS + Totem + FP420

Totem (tracking + pots) and CMS are highly complementary ... greater than the sum of their parts ...

essential to continue working together ...

"Prospects for diffractive and forward physics at the LHC" CERN/LHCC 2006-039/G-124, CMS Note 2007/002, TOTEM Note 06-5, Dec 2006

Low lumi: Large rapidity gap selection possible Proton tagging optional ... Soft diffraction,  $\sigma_{tot}$ ,  $\sigma_{el}$  ... ... Some Hard diffraction / DPDFs ... Understanding pile-up ... yy physics Pile-up ruins rapidity gap selection High lumi: Proton tagging essential (220 & 420 m) ... Diffractive Higgs and other exotica ... More hard diffraction / DPDFs  $\dots \gamma \gamma$  physics

# Overcoming pile-up with Timing



Proton spectrometer design incorporating precise (few ps) timing measurements, from which z position of vertex can be reconstructed to a few mm.

→Correlating leading protons with hard interaction in central detector in presence of (many) soft interactions

## Diffraction at ALICE



• (Uniquely?) capable of triggering on and detecting central tracks at very low pt.

• Together with 1<sup>st</sup> level `gap' trigger using scintilators and silicon, sensitive to `soft' and low  $p_t$  diffractive processes ... e.g.  $\gamma$ +odderon  $\rightarrow J/\Psi$  searches

## Diffraction at the LHC





Opportunity to study Single and Double Diffraction with and without hard scales (jet, heavy flavours, W, Z). → Depend on DPDFs from HERA → Also on gap survival factors! 'Central Exclusive Production'

- DPDFs for backgd
- Unintegrated
- gluon  $\rightarrow J/\Psi / Y$
- Gap survival models

(KKMR, GLM ...)

... lots of possible input from HERA!

### **Inclusive ep Diffraction**



Senisitive to Difffractive Parton Densities (<u>DPDFs</u>) and t dependences

(See also <u>Fracture Functions</u>) (Ceccopieri, Trentadue)

ZEUS and H1 both published highest precision measurements of 3 (or 4)-fold differential cross sections in past 2-3 years:  $\sigma_r^D(x_{IP}, \beta, Q^2)$ 

Work in HERA-LHC framework on level of agreement between collaborations and between different selection methods

## Selection Methods

#### Direct measurement of scattered proton in ZEUS LPS or H1 (V)FPS



Limited by statistics (at HERA-I) and proton tagging systematics `Large Rapidity Gap' method (empty detectors) adjacent to outgoing (untagged) proton



Limited by systematics associated with missing proton

The 2 methods have very different systematics! Also `Mx method' via decomposition of diffractive mass distn

## Comparison of ZEUS v H1 Proton Tagged Data



The cleanest possible comparison in principle....

... good agreement within (large) normalisation uncertainties (~ 10% for each experiment)

Also very good agreement on low mass proton diss'n e.g. from LRG / FPS

### Comparison of ZEUS LRG v Mx Data



Good agreement again (except at high  $x_{IP}$ , where measured observables are differently defined)



Very good agreement through most of phase space ...

### Diffractive Parton Densities from $\sigma_r^{D}$

•  $\sigma_r^D$  gives quark density to ~5%, gluon to ~15% at low z, increasing rapidly as  $z \rightarrow 1$ .

- Well tested in DIS final states (jets / charm)
- ... but high z very important!
  - Background to CEP!
  - `Direct' IP (eg MRW)
- Including jet and charm data much improves high z



<u>Next steps:</u> Similar ZEUS fit : More data comparisons and joint (`global'?) fit



... not soft IP  $\rightarrow$  <u>multi-IP exchange / absorption in the game!</u>

## What is a soft pomeron anyway?



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H1 PRELIMINARY

The `soft' pomeron in photoproduction at HERA is not as soft as we expected from pp

From  $\gamma p \rightarrow \rho p$ (ZEUS  $\phi$  similar)

(Marage)

There is NO universal IP even in soft physics!

H1 
$$\alpha_{IP}(t) = [1.093 \pm 0.008] + [0.116 \pm 0.049]t$$
  
ZEUS  $\alpha_{IP}(t) = [1.096 \pm 0.021] + [0.125 \pm 0.038]t$   
`Soft'  $\alpha_{IP}(t) = [1.085] + [0.25]t$ 

Can be explained by different absorptive corrections?





- Neither collaboration sees difference between resolved and direct regions, in contrast to theoretical expectations!



? Rescattering probability  $\alpha$  Photon Size r  $\alpha$  1/E<sub>T</sub>?

Understanding H1-ZEUS discrepancies is a success for the workshop, but probably tells us more about the high energy photon than it does about the LHC!

### Absorptive Corrections in Leading Neutrons



- Precise leading baryon data!

- LN yield decreases as Q<sup>2</sup> decreases, can be interpreted semi-quantitatively as absorptive effect. (Kaidalov et al)

Vector Mesons and DVCS at HERA Wealth of data (33 H1 + ZEUS papers, many more theory)

Tests many pictures of γ(\*) p scattering ...
most commonly, scaterring colour dipoles from the proton



- Unique transverse / longitudinal  $\gamma^*$  separation
- Unique sensitivity to `soft  $\rightarrow$  hard' transition
- t measurements  $\rightarrow$  transverse picture of proton
- Proton vertex factorisation tests e.g. from PD / EL

- Constraints on generalised gluon density (best with heavy VM)

### Heavy VMs $\rightarrow$ Generalised Gluon Density



... but maybe Tevatron / LHC?

### Heavy VM Photoproduction at Tevatron

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... potential to add further statistics ...

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(Pinfold)

# Similarly In CMS study of exclusives at low luminosity... Final samples (100 pb<sup>-1</sup>)

 In MC, several hundred two-photon and Upsilon events pass the final selection in the dimuon channel

709  $\pm$  27 (stat) elastic events 223  $\pm$  15 (stat)  $\pm$  42 (model) singly inelastic events

636  $\pm$  25 (stat)  $\pm$  121 (model) singly inelastic events, no ZDC/Castor

- Electron sample a factor of ~10 smaller due to higher trigger threshold, efficiency for low E<sub>T</sub> electron reconstruction
  - No sensitivity to Upsilon region

67  $\pm$  8 (stat) elastic events 31  $\pm$  6 (stat)  $\pm$  6 (model) singly inelastic events

82  $\pm$  9 (stat)  $\pm$  15 (model) singly inelastic events, no ZDC/Castor





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## Exclusive Dijet Production at the Tevatron?

"DPE" dijets, plot  $R_{jj}=M_{jj}/M_{x}$ 



 $R_{jj} \rightarrow 1$  for exclusive (complicated by hadronis<sup>n</sup>, higher order QCD ...)





Many comparisons with varying MC modelling and DPDFs ... ...hard to get rid of signal! Fit with free normalisation of inclusive, exclusive models to quantify exclusive part ...

# CDF Exclusive Dijet Cross Section

- ExHuME model based on KMR calculation ...
- 4.5% gap survival prob
- "Uncertainty factor 2.5"
- Expressed in terms of  $M_{jj}$ ,

signal extends into possible Higgs discovery mass region!

# **CDF Exclusive Di-photons**



2/3 candidates with bkgrd 0.09 +/- 0.04

KMR predicts 0.8 events (big uncty.)







Some experimental successes of Workshop Understanding the dynamics of diffraction in detail ...

- H1 v ZEUS  $F_2^{D}$  in much better agreement  $\rightarrow$  DPDFs
- Dijet  $\gamma p \rightarrow$  some understanding of S<sup>2</sup> for photons
- Connections between ep and pp via HERA-Tevatron
- New studies of  $\gamma IP$  (and  $\gamma \gamma$  and  $\gamma p$  ...)
- Theory / expt input to LHC detector development
- New diffractive LHC programmes (e.g. ALICE)

... which tests (non-trivial) ingredients of LHC predictions

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