QCD and Its Success

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useful references

- The CTEQ Pedagogical Page <u>http://www.physics.smu.edu/~olness/cteqpp/</u>
- CTEQ Summer School <u>http://www.phys.psu.edu/~cteq/</u>

Perturbative QCD:

from basic principles to current applications

I : Basic Ideas – Qualitative Descriptions

- What is Quantum Chromodynamics (QCD)?
- Why do we believe in Quarks and Gluons? Long-distance phys. – the Quark Model Short-distance phys. – the Parton Picture
- How can a Strong-interaction theory, QCD, give rise to the simple Parton Picture?
 The importance of scaling and factorization:
 Renormalization and Assymptotic Freedom;
 Infra-red Safety and Factorization Thms.
- Precision Tests of PQCD in e^+e^- Interactions

II : Quantitative case study – Deep Inelastic Scattering at NLO

- LO and NLO calculations
- The origin of *collinear singularities*
- The separation of long- and short- distances
- How does *Factorization* form the foundation of the QCD-Parton-Model?

III : General Formalism of PQCD

- From NLO to Higher Orders
- Universal Parton Dist. & QCD evolution
- How are Hard X-sect's actually calculated?
- Scale- & Scheme-dependencies
- Renormalization vs. Factorization a headto-head comparison and correspondence

IV : Survey of Hard Scattering Processes

- Q-Qbar annihilation and Drell-Yan processes: lepton-pair, W- and Z- production
- g-Q scattering and Dir. Photon Prod.
- g-g scattering and Jet Production
- Two-scale hard-scattering processes
- A 2-scale process: Heavy Quark Production

V : Global QCD Analysis

- Overview of Physical Processes and Expts.
- Overview of NLO QCD Theory Input
- Global QCD Analysis
- Parton Distribution Functions

Open Questions and Challenges

Basic Elements of Quantum Chromodynamics

-Non-abelian Gauge Field Theory with SU(3) color Gauge Symmetry

Fields: Quarks ψ_{flavor}^{color} and Gluon $G^{color}(A \cdot T, g)$. Basic Lagrangian:

$$\mathcal{L} = \bar{\psi}(i \ \partial - g \ A \cdot t - m)\psi - \frac{1}{4}G(A \cdot T, g) \cdot G(A \cdot T, g)$$

- g: gauge Coupling Strength
- m_i: quark masses
- t & T: color SU(3) matrices in the fundamental and adjoint representations.

Group factors: $C_F = \frac{4}{3}$; $T_F = \frac{1}{2}$; $C_A = 3$

Interaction Vertices:

Why do we believe Hadrons are made of Quarks?

- Strong Interaction at *long-distance* scale -Hadron Spectroscope \Rightarrow the *Quark Model*

Quantum #'s of Mesons given by: L=0,1,2 $SU(3)_{flv}$ Octets (nonets) of q-qbar bound states. Addition of Charm Q.N. \Rightarrow SU(4)– see plots (PDG)

Combining of $SU(3)_{flavor} \& SU(2)_{spin} \Rightarrow SU(6)$ Quantum #'s of Baryons given by: L=0,1,2 $SU(3)_{flv}$ Octets & decuplets of q-q-q bound states.

- see plots (PDG)

These are the Constituent Quarks

However:

Quarks have not been found in nature.

Interaction is very (infinitely?) strong at longdistances.

QCD at Low Energy (long-distance) Scales -- Confinement, Bound-states => the Quark Model

Mesons





Baryons

Why is Hadron Interactions at High Energies described by the QCD Parton Picture?

- Strong Interaction at short -distance scale – Hard Scattering Probes \Rightarrow the Parton Model

Evidences for the existence of Partons:

"direct": Most Hard Sc. events contain visible

"jets" ⇒ fragments of underlying partons? Are they point-like? "Rutherford expts"

- * (Bjorken) Scaling in DIS;
- * annihilation into hadrons;
- * Hadron-hadron scattering,

Properties of Partons:

2-Jet angular distributions in e^+e^- , DIS, DY proc. are the same as for scattering into leptons \Rightarrow underlying partons are fermionic

- Expts. : EM & Weak Isospin couplings of partons = those of leptons \Rightarrow "Current Quarks"
- 3-jet events and their detailed properties prove the existence, and spin of gluons

 \Rightarrow QCD-parton Model complete.

Big Question

An elementary particle event $-e^+e^- \longrightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$

Two-jet Events: Quark – anti-quark Pair Production

Typical $e^+ e^-$ event with hadron final states:

Parton process underlying 2-jet events

Measuring the Spin of the Quark Parton

Use the angular distribution of 2-jet events

Experimental result (ALEPH):

3 Jet Events and the Gluon Parton

A typical 3-jet event (\sim 10% prob.):

Parton process underlying 3-jet events

Measuring the Spin of the Gluon

Use the angular distributions of 3-jet events

Experimental result from SLD:

Question:

How could the *simple parton picture* possibly hold in a strongly interacting gauge field theory such as Quantum Chromodynamics?

Answers:

1. Asymptotic Freedom:

A strongly interacting theory at long-distance can become weakly interacting at shortdistance.

2. Infra-red Safety:

There are classes of "infra-red safe" quantities which are independent of long-distance physics, hence are calculable in PQCD.

3. Factorization:

There are an even wider class of physical quantities which can be *factorized* into longdistance pieces (not calculable, but *universal*) and short-distance pieces (process-dependent, but infra-red safe, hence *calculable*).

"Bottom Line"

PQCD does not give all the answers; but it does cover quite a lot of ground!

QCD and Its Success

Rutherford Scattering

Rutherford taught us the most important lesson: use a scattering process to learn about the structure of matter

H. Geiger and E. Marsden observed that α -particles were sometimes scattered through very large angles.

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Rutherford interpreted these results as due to the coulomb scattering of the α -particles with the atomic nucleus:

$$\sigma(\theta) = \frac{z^2 Z^2 e^4}{16E^2} \frac{1}{\sin^4 \frac{1}{2}\theta}$$

Rutherford Scattering

In a subsequent paper Geiger/Marsden precisely verified Rutherford theory

Developments...

-Quantum mechanics rapidly developed in the years 1924-27

-The nucleus composition remained a mistery (e.g. N_7^{14}) till...

Main information concerning geometric detailes of nuclear structure (mirror nuclei, fast neutron capture, binding energies etc) could be summed up in: $R=r_0 \times A^{1/3} \text{ fm} \quad \text{with } r_0=1.45 \text{ fm}$ $\rho_m=0.08 \text{ nucl/fm}^3 \quad \text{and} \quad \rho_c=(Z/A) \times 0.08 \text{ (prot. charges)/fm}^3$

The nucleus form factor

Stimulated by accelerators technology advances and fully muture QED various theoreticians (Rose (48), Elton(50)) started to calculate cross sections for <u>elastic electron-Nucleus scattering</u>

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$$\sigma_{M}(\theta) = \left(\frac{Ze^{2}}{2E}\right)^{2} \frac{\cos^{2}\frac{1}{2}\theta}{\sin^{4}\frac{1}{2}\theta} \quad \text{Mott}$$

$$\sigma_{s}(\theta) = \left(\frac{Ze^{2}}{2E}\right)^{2} \frac{\cos^{2}\frac{1}{2}\theta}{\sin^{4}\frac{1}{2}\theta} \int_{\substack{\text{nuclear}\\\text{volume}}} \rho(r)e^{iq\cdot r}d\tau \Big|^{2}$$

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$$F = \frac{4\pi}{q} \int_{0}^{\infty} \rho(r)\sin(qr)rdr$$
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The SLAC-MIT Experiment

Under the leadership of Taylor, Friedman, Kendall

~ 1969

1990 Nobel Prize

First SLAC-MIT results

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Deep-inelastic scattering (DIS)

Scaling behavior

Deep inelastic scattering (DIS) and structure Fs

Kinematic variables

$$\nu = \frac{P \cdot q}{\sqrt{P \cdot P}} = E_1 - E_2$$
$$x = \frac{-q^2}{2P \cdot q} = \frac{Q^2}{2M\nu}$$

 $Q^2 = 2E_1E_2(1-\cos\theta)$

$$\frac{d^2\sigma}{d\Omega \ dE'} (E,E',\theta) = \sigma_{\rm M} \left[W_2(\nu,q^2) + 2W_1 (\nu,q^2) \tan^2(\theta/2) \right]$$

$$2MW_1 (v, q^2) = F_1 (\omega)$$

 $vW_2 (v, q^2) = F_2 (\omega)$

Bjorken scaling (1969) (Predicted prior to data)

Quantum Chromodynamics

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Interaction Vertices:

Why does QCD play such a crucial role in High Energy Phenomenology?

- The parton picture language provides the foundation on which all modern particle theories are formulated, and all experimental results are interpreted.
- The validity of the parton picture is based empirically on an overwhelming amount of experimental evidence collected in the last 30-40 years, and theoretically on the Factorization Theorems of PQCD.

How could the *simple* (almost non-interacting) *parton picture* **possibly hold in** QCD — a strongly interacting quantum gauge field theory? Answer: 3 unique features of QCD:

- 1. Asymptotic Freedom:
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- 2. Infra-red Safety:
 - There are classes of *infra-red safe* quantities which are independent of long-distance physics, hence are calculable in PQCD.
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Key concepts: Ultra-violet divergences, bare Green fns, renormalization, RGE, anomalous dimensions, renormalized G.Fs

Universal (running) coupling:

$$\alpha_s(Q) = \frac{g^2}{4\pi} = \frac{b}{\ln(Q/\Lambda)}(1+\ldots)$$

The importance of Scales -- Renormalization and Factorization

What to do with the long-distance physics associated with colinear/soft singularities in PQCD?

lst strategy: Identify physical observables which are insensitive to the singularities! (Infra-red-safe (IRS) quantities)

Infra-Red-Safe observables:

Total hadronic Cross-section $\sigma_{tot}^{\prime}/\sigma_{\mu+\mu-}^{\prime}$

Sterman-Weinberg jet cross-sections and their modern variations (*Jade-, Durham-, ... algorithms*); Jet shape observables: Thrust, ... ; energy-energy correlation ;

Essential feature of a general IRS physical quantity:

the observable must be such that it is insensitive to whether n or n+1 particles contributed -if the n+1 particles has n-particle kinematics

Figure 40.6: World data on the total cross section of $e^+e^- \rightarrow hadrons$ and the ratio $R(s) = \sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow hadrons, s)/\sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-, s)$. $\sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow hadrons, s)$ is the experimental cross section corrected for initial state radiation and electron-positron vertex loops, $\sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-, s) = 4\pi\alpha^2(s)/3s$. Data errors are total below 2 GeV and statistical above 2 GeV. The curves are an educative guide: the broken one (green) is a naive quark-parton model prediction and the solid one (red) is 3-loop pQCD prediction (see "Quantum Chromodynamics" section of this *Review*, Eq. (9.12) or, for more details, K. G. Chetyrkin *et al.*, Nucl. Phys. B586, 56 (2000) (Erratum *ibid*. B634, 413 (2002)). Breit-Wigner parameterizations of J/ψ , $\psi(2S)$, and T(nS), n = 1, 2, 3, 4 are also shown. The full list of references to the original data and the details of the *R* ratio extraction from them can be found in [arXiv:hep-ph/0312114]. Corresponding computer-readable data files are available at http://pdg.ihep.su/xssct/contents.html. (Courtesy of the COMPAS(Protvino) and HEPDATA(Durham) Groups, August 2005. Corrections by P. Janot (CERN) and M. Schmitt (Northwestern U.)) See full-color version on color pages at end of book.

Example: One particle inclusive cross-section

QCD and DIS

"Renormalization" and "Factorization"

	UV renormalization		Collinear/soft factorization	
A:	Bare Green Func.	$G_0(lpha_0,m_0,)$	Partonic X-sect	F_a
B:	Ren. constants	$Z_i(\mu)$	Pert. parton dist.	$f^b_a(\mu)$
C:	Ren. Green Fun.	$G_R = G_0/Z$	Hard X-sect	$\widehat{F} = F / f$
D:	Anomalous dim.	$\gamma = \frac{\mu}{Z} \frac{d}{d\mu} Z$	Splitting fun.	$P = \frac{\mu}{f} \frac{d}{d\mu} f$
E:	Phys. para. $lpha,m$	$lpha_0 Z_i \dots$	Had. parton dist. f_A	resummed
F:	Phys sc. amp.	$lpha(\mu)G_R(m,\mu)$	Hadronic S.F.'s F_A	$f_A(\mu) imes \widehat{F}(\mu)$

Some common features:

- A : divergent; but, independent of "scheme" and scale μ ;
- B : divergent; scale and scheme dependent; universal; absorbs all ultra-violet/soft/collinear divergences;
- C & D : finite; scheme-dependent; D controls the μ dependence of E & F;
- E : physical parameters to be obtained from experiment;
- F : Theoretical "prediction"; μ -indep. to all orders, but μ -dep. at finite order n; $\mu \frac{d}{d\mu} \sim \mathcal{O}(\alpha^{n+1})$
- Note: "Renormalization" is factorization (of UV divergences); "factorization" is renormalization (of soft/collinear div.)

Lepton-hadron Sc.

Hadron Collider Physics

Deep Inelastic Scattering (DIS) in Lepton-Hadron Collisions

Probing the Parton Structure of the Nucleon with Leptons

Deep Inelastic Scattering in Lepton-Hadron Collisions —Probing the Parton Structure of the Nucleon with Leptons

- Basic Formalism (indep. of strong dynamics and parton picture)
- Experimental Development
 - Fixed target experiments
 - HERA experiments
- Parton Model and QCD
 - Parton Picture of Feynman-Bjorken
 - Asymptotic freedom, factorization and QCD
- Phenomenology
 - QCD parameters
 - Parton distribution functions
 - Other interesting topics

Basic Formalism (leading order in EW coupling)

Lepton-hadron scattering process

 $\ell_1(\ell_1) + N(P) \longrightarrow \ell_2(\ell_2) + X(P_X)$

Effective fermion-boson electroweak interaction Lagrangian:

(B = g, W, Z)

Basic Formalism: Scattering Amplitudes

Basic Formalism: Cross section

Cross section

(amplitude)² phase space / flux

$$d\sigma = \frac{G_1 G_2}{2\Delta(s, m_{\ell_1}^2, M^2)} \ 4\pi Q^2 L_{\nu}^{\mu} W_{\mu}^{\nu} d\Gamma$$

$$G_i = g_{B_i}^2 / (Q^2 + M_{B_i}^2)$$

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Lepton tensor (known):

$$L^{\mu}{}_{\nu} = \frac{1}{Q^2} \overline{\sum_{\text{spin}}} \langle \ell_1 | j^{\dagger}_{\nu} | \ell_2 \rangle \langle \ell_2 | j^{\mu} | \ell_1 \rangle$$

Hadron tensor (unknown):

$$W^{\mu}{}_{\nu} = \frac{1}{4\pi} \sum_{\text{spin}} (2\pi)^4 \delta^4 (P + q - P_X) \langle P | J^{\mu} | P_X \rangle \langle P_X | J^{\dagger}_{\nu} | P \rangle$$

Object of study:

- * Parton structure of the nucleon;
- * QCD dynamics at the confinement scale

Expansion of W^{μ}_{ν} in terms of <u>independent</u> components

$$W^{\mu}{}_{\nu} = -g^{\mu}{}_{\nu}W_{1} + \frac{P^{\mu}P_{\nu}}{M^{2}}W_{2} - i\frac{\epsilon^{Pq\mu}{}_{\nu}}{2M^{2}}W_{3} + \frac{q^{\mu}q_{\nu}}{M^{2}}W_{4} + \frac{P^{\mu}q_{\nu} + q^{\mu}P_{\nu}}{2M^{2}}W_{5} + \frac{P^{\mu}q_{\nu} - q^{\mu}P_{\nu}}{2M^{2}}W_{6}$$

Cross section in terms of the structure functions $\frac{d\sigma}{dE_2 d\cos\theta} = \frac{2E_2^2}{\pi M} \frac{G_1 G_2}{n_\ell} \left\{ g_{+\ell}^2 \left[2W_1 \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2} + W_2 \cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2} \right] \pm g_{-\ell}^2 \left[\frac{E_1 + E_2}{M} W_3 \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2} \right] \right\}$

Charged Current (CC) processes (neutrino beams): W-exchange (diagonal); left-handed coupling only;

Neutral Current (NC) processes (e,μ scat.)---low energy: (fixed tgt): γ-exchange (diagonal); vector coupling only; ...

Neutral Current (NC) processes (e, μ scat.)---high energy (hera): γ & Z exchanges: G₁², G₁G₂, G₂² terms;

Basic Formalism: Scaling structure functions

 n_{ℓ} is the number of polarization states of the incoming lepton.

The highest energy (anti-) neutrino DIS experiment

The NuTeV experiment at FNAL

- Isoscalar v-Fe F₂
- **NuTeV** F₂ is compared with CCFR and CDHSW results
 - the line is a fit to NuTeV data
- All systematic uncertainties are included
- All data sets agree for *x*<0.4.
- At *x*>0.4 **NuTeV** agrees with **CDHSW**
- At *x*>0.4 **NuTeV** is systematically above **CCFR**

 $F_2(x, Q^2)$

The HERA Collider

The first and only ep collider in the world

Equivalent to fixed target experiment with 50 TeV e^{\pm}

The Collider Experiments

H1 Detector

Complete 4π detector with

Tracking Si-µVTX **Central drift chamber**

Liquid Ar calorimeter → îE=E = 12%=[™] E[GeV](e:m:) $\hat{I} = E = 50\% = E[GeV]$ (had) **Rear Pb-scintillator calorimeter** → î E=E = 7:5%=[∽] E[GeV](e:m:)

NC and CC incl. Processes measured at HERA NC: $e^{\pm} + p \rightarrow e^{\pm} + X$, CC: $e^{\pm} + p \rightarrow \overline{v}_{e}(v_{e}) + X$

Measurement of $F_{2}^{\gamma}(x,Q^{2})$ $\mathbf{F}_{2}^{em}+\mathbf{c}_{i}(\mathbf{x})$ ZEUS 96/97 x=6.3E-05 x=0.000102 H1 96/97 🔺 H1 94/97 x = 0.00016NMC, BCDMS, E665 14 x=0.000253 **ZEUS NLO QCD Fit** (prel. 2001) =0.0004• For $Q^2 \ll M_7^2 \rightarrow xF_3$ negligible; H1 NLO QCD Fit =0.0005 12 • F_1 only important at high y; $c_1(x) = 0.6(i(x) - 0.4)$ • Both F_1 and $xF_3 \sim$ calculable in 10 QCD Correct for higher order QED radiation • Extract $F_2(x,Q^2)$ from measurement of dxdQ²

These are difficult measurements: ⁰¹ ¹⁰ ^{10²} ^{10³} ^{10⁴} nevertheless precision level has reached: errors of 2-3%

 $\begin{array}{c} 10 \\ Q^2 (\text{GeV}^2) \end{array}$

Physical Interpretations of DIS Structure Function measurements

- The Parton Model (Feynman-Bjorken)
- Theoretical basis of the parton picture and the QCD improved parton model

High energy (Bjorken) limit: (large Q² and v, for a fixed x value)

QCD and DIS

Parton Model results on Structure Functions

$$F_{\lambda}(x,Q^2) \sim \int_0^1 \frac{d\xi}{\xi} \sum_a f_A^a(\xi) \ \widehat{F}_{\lambda}^a(x/\xi,Q^2) + \mathcal{O}(\frac{m}{Q}).$$

where $\hat{F}_{\lambda}^{a}(z,Q^{2})$ is the "partonic structure function" for DIS on the parton target a.

The Feynman diagram contributing to this elementary quantity and the result of a straightforward calculation are (for electro-magnetic coupling case):

⇒ the simple scaling parton model results:

 $\begin{array}{rcl} F_T(x,Q^2) &=& \sum_a \ Q_a^2 \ f_A^a \left(x \right) & (\text{Bj.} \Leftrightarrow \text{Feynman}) \\ F_L(x,Q^2) &=& 0 & (\text{Callan} \Leftrightarrow \text{Gross}) \end{array}$

Structure functions: Quark Parton Model

Quark parton model (QPM) NC SFs for proton target:

$$[F_2^{\gamma}, F_2^{\gamma Z}, F_2^{Z}] = x \sum_{q} [e_q^2, 2e_q v_q, v_q^2 + a_q^2] \{q + \overline{q}\}$$

$$[xF_{3}^{\gamma Z}, xF_{3}^{Z}] = 2x \sum_{q} [e_{q}a_{q}, v_{q}a_{q}] \{q - \overline{q}\} = 2x \sum_{q=u,d} [e_{q}a_{q}, v_{q}a_{q}]q_{v}$$

QPM CC SFs for proton targets:

$$xF_{2,W_{+}}^{CC} = x\{\overline{u} + \overline{c} + d + s\}, \qquad xF_{3,W_{+}}^{CC} = x\{d + s - (\overline{u} + \overline{c})\}$$
$$xF_{2,W_{-}}^{CC} = x\{u + c + (\overline{d} + \overline{s})\}, \qquad xF_{3,W_{-}}^{CC} = x\{u + c - (\overline{d} + \overline{s})\}$$

For neutron targets, invoke (flavor) isospin symmetry:

 $u \Leftrightarrow d \text{ and } \overline{u} \Leftrightarrow \overline{d}$

continued

Consequences on CC Cross sections (parton model level):

These qualitative features were verified in early (bubble chamber) high energy neutrino scattering experiments. Gargamelle (CERN)

Refined measurements reveal QCD corrections to the approximate naïve parton model results. These are embodies in all modern "QCD fits" and "global analyses".

F₂: "Scaling violation" — Q-dependence inherent in QCD

ZEUS

QCD evolution

Evolution performed in terms of (1/2/3) non-singlet, singlet and gluon densities:

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \ln \mu_F^2} q_{NS}^{\pm} = P_{NS}^{\pm} \otimes q_{NS}^{\pm}$$
$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \ln \mu_F^2} \left\{ \begin{matrix} \Sigma \\ g \end{matrix} \right\} = \left\{ \begin{matrix} P_{qq} & P_{qg} \\ P_{gq} & P_{gg} \end{matrix} \right\} \otimes \left\{ \begin{matrix} \Sigma \\ g \end{matrix} \right\} = P \otimes q$$
Where
$$P(x) = a_s P^{(0)}(x) + a_s^2 \left[P^{(1)}(x) - \beta_0 \ln \frac{\mu_F^2}{\mu_R^2} P^{(0)}(x) \right] \quad \text{with} \quad a_s = \frac{\alpha_s(\mu_R^2)}{4\pi}$$
$$\frac{da_s}{d \ln \mu_R^2} = \beta(a_s) = \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} a_s^{l+2} \beta_l \cong a_s^2 \beta_0 + a_s^3 \beta_1 \quad \text{where} \quad \beta_0 = 11 - \frac{2}{3} N_F$$
$$\text{and} \quad \beta_1 = 102 - \frac{38}{3} N_F$$

Parton Distribution Functions (PDF): most significant physical results derived from DIS (with help from other hard scattering processes)

Forward Jet Measurement

- Forward jets probe high-x at lower Q^2 (= -q²) than central jets
 - Q² evolution given by DGLAP
 - Essential to distinguish PDF and possible new physics at higher Q²
- Also, extend the sensitivity to lower x

Parton Distributions: one example

QCD in Hadron Collisions

Jets

Inclusive Jet Production

 Nowhere is the increase in center-of-mass energy more appreciated

CDF Run 2 Preliminary

CDF: k_T jet cross section results

 $d_i = (P_{T_i})^2$

CDF Jet Energy Scale: from Run-1 to Run-2

physics effects to obtain "true" jet energy

Jet Fragmentation

