# Is there a chance to identify $\mathrm{HHZ} \rightarrow 10$ jets ? 

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## The context

- Since long, we have been asked to look for triple Higgs couplings in the case of $\mathrm{H} \rightarrow \mathrm{WW}$
- It means that a HHZ event is a 10 fermion event !
- My first argument against such a study was a generator concern : there is no 10 fermion generator !
- This is not a valid argument


## Combinatorics

- A second argument relies on combi.
- With 10 jets, there are 4725 ways to form 5 bijets !!!
- Yes, but 10jets is only $15 \%$ of Z4W
- So, one should explore also the cases with 1 lepton and 8 jets, and also 2 leptons +6 or 8 jets


## Let's try !



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\begin{aligned}
\mathrm{ECMS} & =500 \mathrm{GeV} \\
\mathrm{MH} & =170 \mathrm{GeV}
\end{aligned}
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## Both H into WW




## All hadronic !




## Particles, and jets (Durham)




## Differences, but not so big !




## Go to simul. \& algo.

- HHqq (in order to get the Z width)
- With Whizard, at Ecms = 500
- MH = $170 \mathrm{Gev}(\operatorname{Br}(H \rightarrow W W) \max )$
- No ISR, no beamstrahlung
- Thus, this is mainly a test of the jet algorithm


## Usable topologies and their Br.

| Topologies | Z into | $\mathrm{Br}($ any Z$)$ | Br (had. Z) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 10 jets | qqbar | $15 \%$ | $21.4 \%$ |
| 8 jets | $\nu \nu$ | $4.3 \%$ | 0 |
| 8 jets 1 lept. | qqbar | $28 \%$ | $40.2 \%$ |
| 8 jets 2 lept. | llbar | $2 \%$ | 0 |
| 6 jets 2 lept. | qqbar | $20 \%$ | $28.4 \%$ |

Sum

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69 \% \quad 90 \%
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## Algorithm (1)

- Count the number of leptons, and make a partition according to that. (Should be improved)(taus difficult)
- Clusterize in 10, 8 or 6 jets accord.
- Replace the lepton by a W
- Make all bijets (45 if njet = 10)
- Keep only bijets with mass between 70 and 100 GeV (to be tuned)
- Do the combinatorial study


## Results (1)

- Lepton number OK in

95\% for pure hadronic events 68\% when 1 lepton ( $83 \%$ if taus are ignored) $62 \%$ for events with 2 leptons ( $85 \%$ if taus are ignored)

- Taus have to be studied carefully


## Results (2)

- One find 1 (or more) possible comb. of 5 bijets making 5 bosons in $48 \%$ of the cases, ind. of lepton number.
- Overall, we find the correct assign. in 47\% of hadronic events
29\% of 1-lepton events
$25 \%$ of 2-lepton events
- Thus, an overall efficiency of $29 \%$.


## TO DO list

- Algorithm optimisation
- Use other jet algorithms (Cambridge)
- Check that at same level of simul, the background is harmless (already done for HZ events)
- Add ISR and beamstrahlung
- Go to real simulations

