



Diffraction Physics at CDF II: diffractive structure function

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Small- x and Diffraction, Fermilab

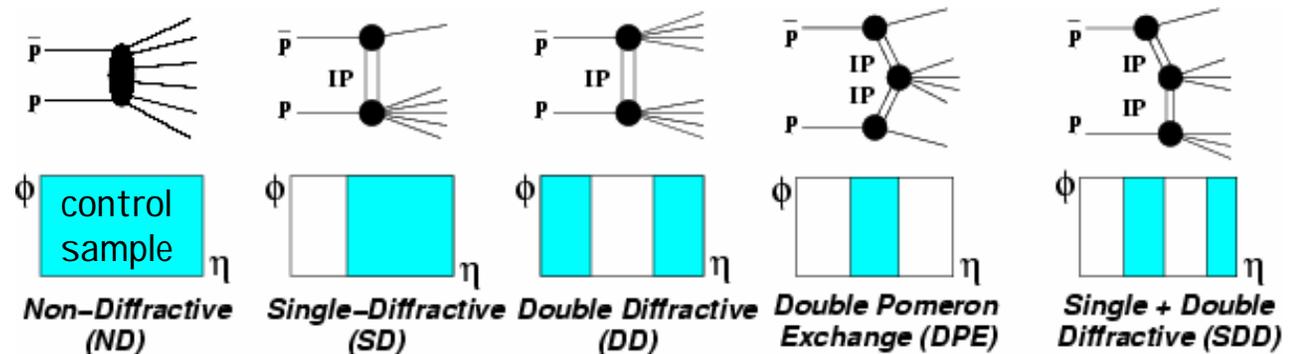
- ✓ Diffraction in Run I
- ✓ New Detectors for Run II
- ✓ Diffractive dijets: Q^2 dependence

Diffraction in Run I

➤ Large rapidity gaps are signatures for diffraction

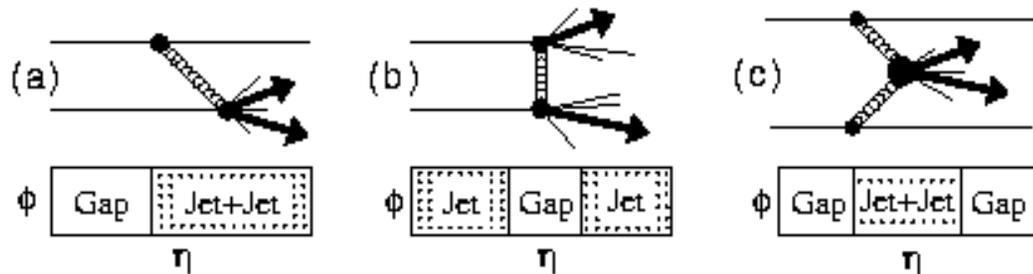
Soft diffraction

- ✓SD
- ✓DD
- ✓DPE
- ✓multi-Gap



Hard diffraction

- ✓SD (W , jet-jet, b -quark, J/ψ)
- ✓SD (w/RP) dijets (630 GeV and 1.8 TeV)
- ✓Forward jets (Jet-Gap-Jet)
- ✓DPE dijets



SD dijets



If you want to know more...

Soft diffraction	SD	PRD 50 (1994) 5535
	DD	PRL 87 (2001) 141802
	DPE	to be submitted to PRL
	multi-gap	PRL 91 (2003) 011802
Hard diffraction	W	PRL 78 (1997) 2698
	b-quark	PRL 84 (2000) 232
	J/ψ	PRL 87 (2001) 241802
	jet-jet	PRL 79 (1997) 2636
	jj w/RP	PRL 84 (2000) 5043, PRL 88 (2002) 151802
	forward jets	PRLs 74 (1995) 855; 80 (1998) 1156; 81 (1998) 5278
	DPE dijets	PRL 85 (2000) 4217

[for a review: hep-ph/0306085](https://arxiv.org/abs/hep-ph/0306085)
...see Goulianos' talk tomorrow !

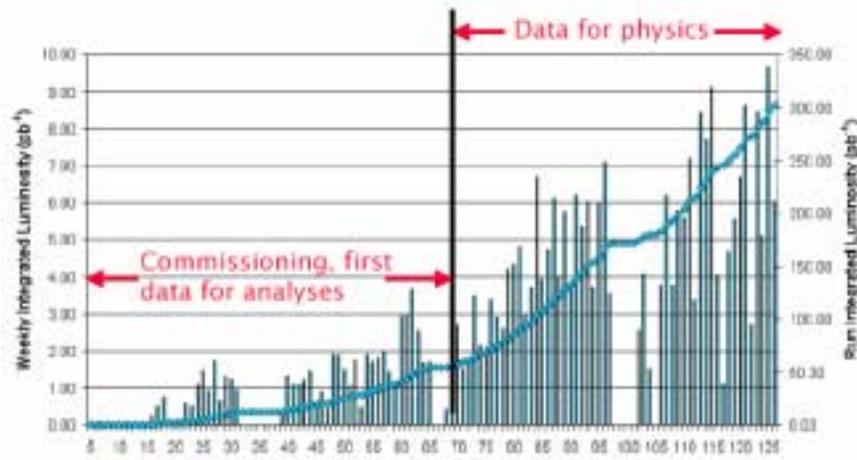


First Goals for Run II

- ✓ Diffractive structure function
⇒ Q^2 and ξ dependence
- ✓ Exclusive production
⇒ dijet, heavy flavor, low-mass



Tevatron Collider



- high (low ?) inst. luminosity ($L \sim 2-3 \times 10^{31} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{sec}^{-1}$)
- multiple interactions

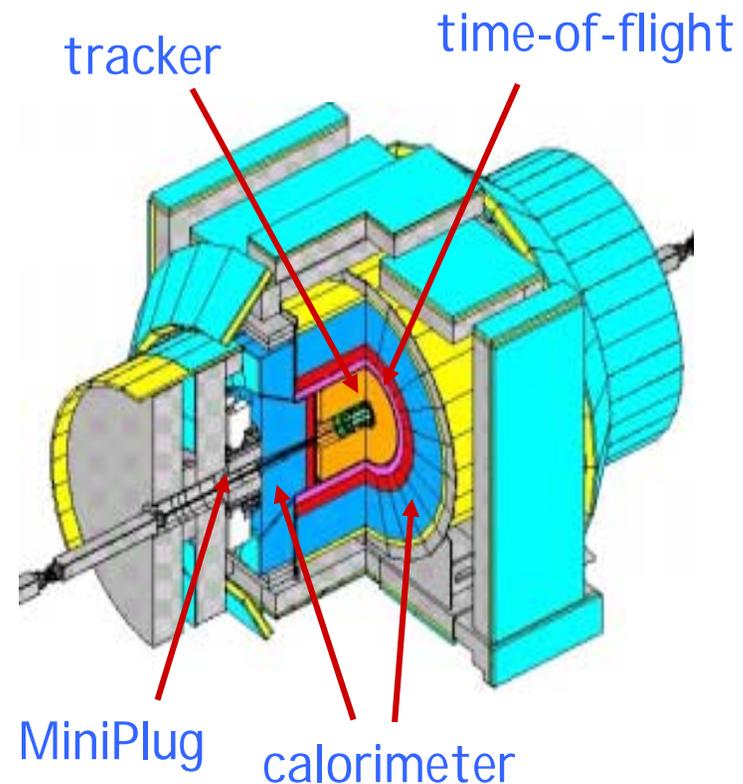
- Tevatron and detector upgrades
 - ✓ C.M. energy 1.96 TeV
 - ✓ 396 nsec bunch spacing





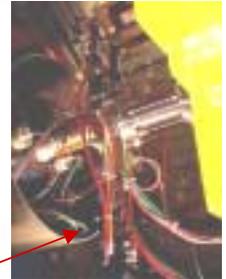
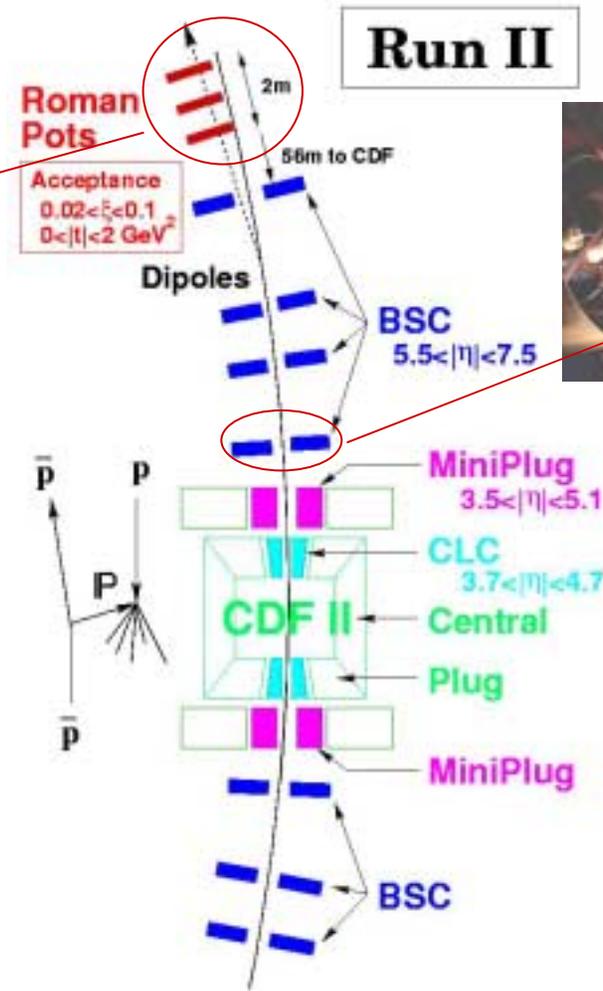
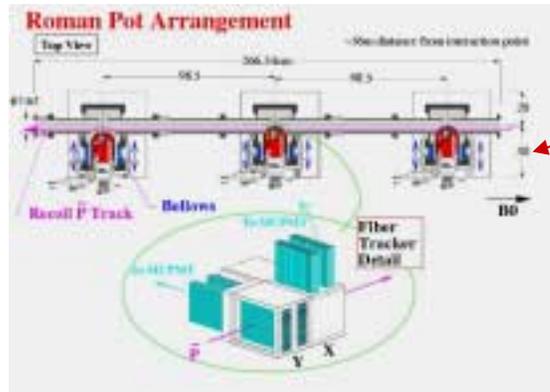
New Detectors for Run II

- Tracking
 - ✓ Silicon
 - ✓ Central Outer Tracker
- Time of Flight
- Expanded Muon Coverage
- Endplug Calorimeter
- **Forward Detectors**
- Trigger
 - ✓ Tracks @ L1
 - ✓ Silicon Tracks @ L2
- DAQ (132 ns)





Forward Detectors

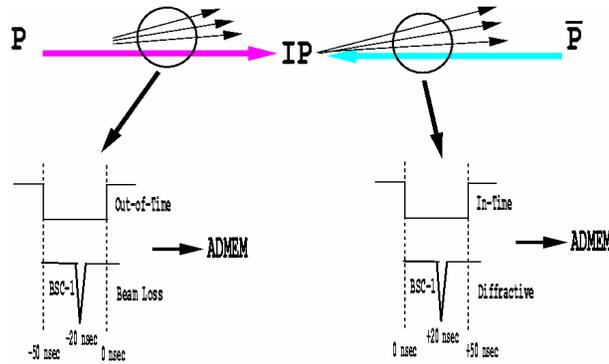


- ✓ Roman Pots Spectrometer
- ✓ Beam Shower Counters
- ✓ MiniPlug Calorimeter

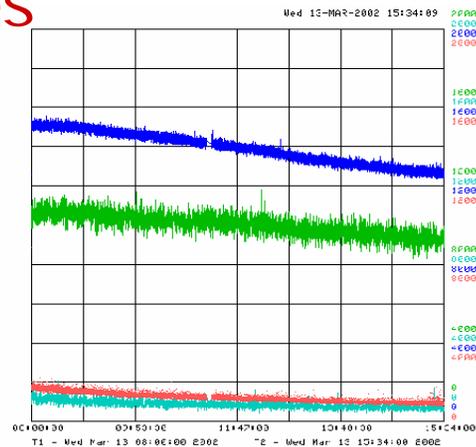
⇒ Larger η coverage for rapidity gaps and jets



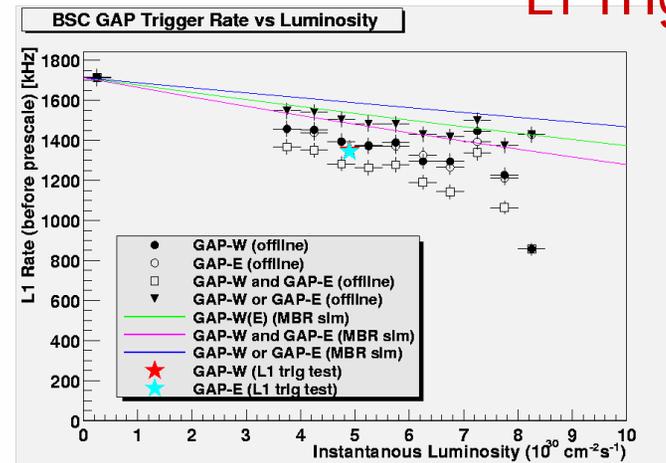
Beam Shower Counters



Beam Losses



L1 Trigger

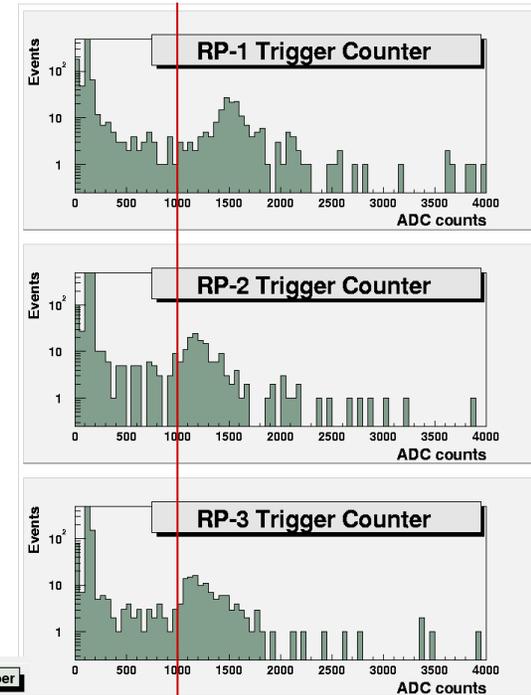
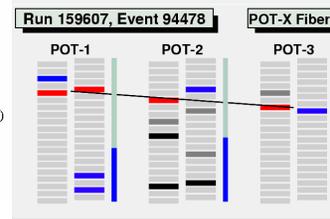
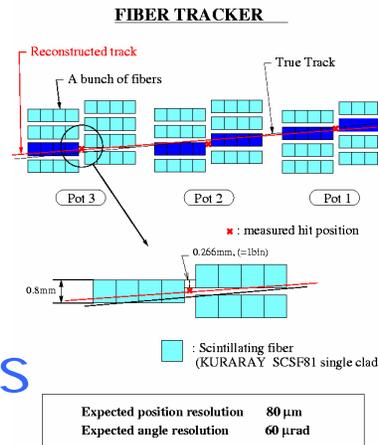
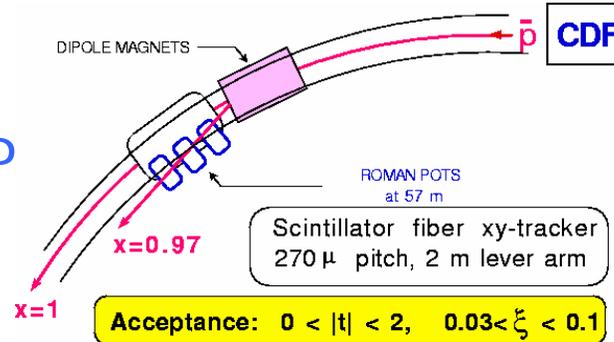
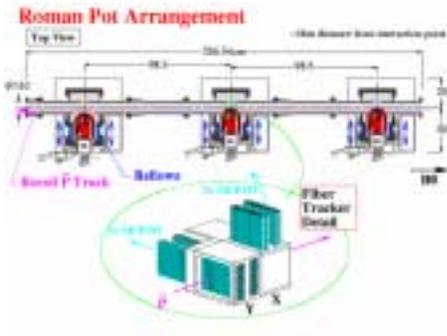




Roman Pot Spectrometer

Fiber Tracker

- 3 stations
- 57 meters from IP



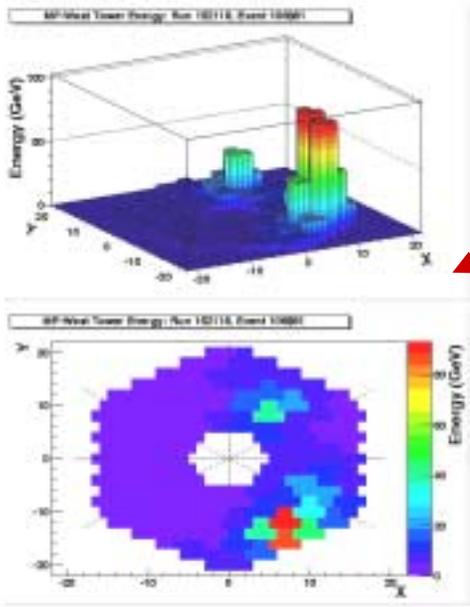
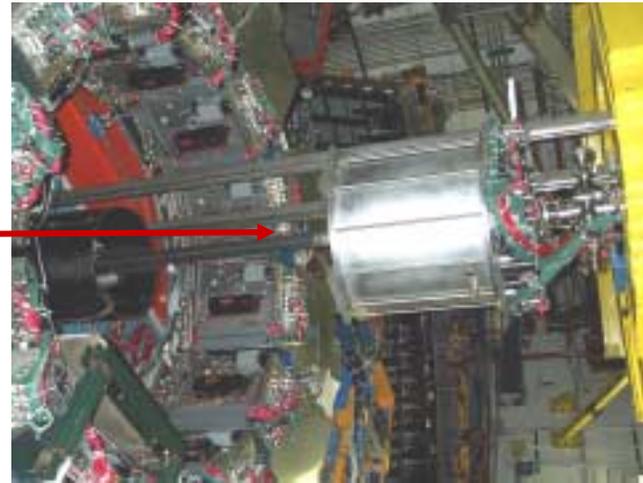
MIPs (>1000 counts)

- 3 trigger counters
- 240 channels



New MiniPlug Calorimeter

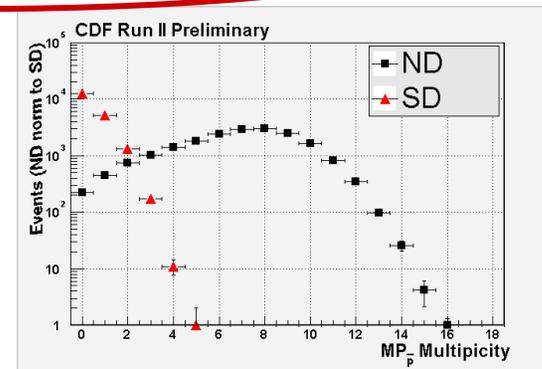
- liquid scintillator + lead
- towerless geometry
- full coverage: $3.5 < |\eta| < 5.1$



Measure:

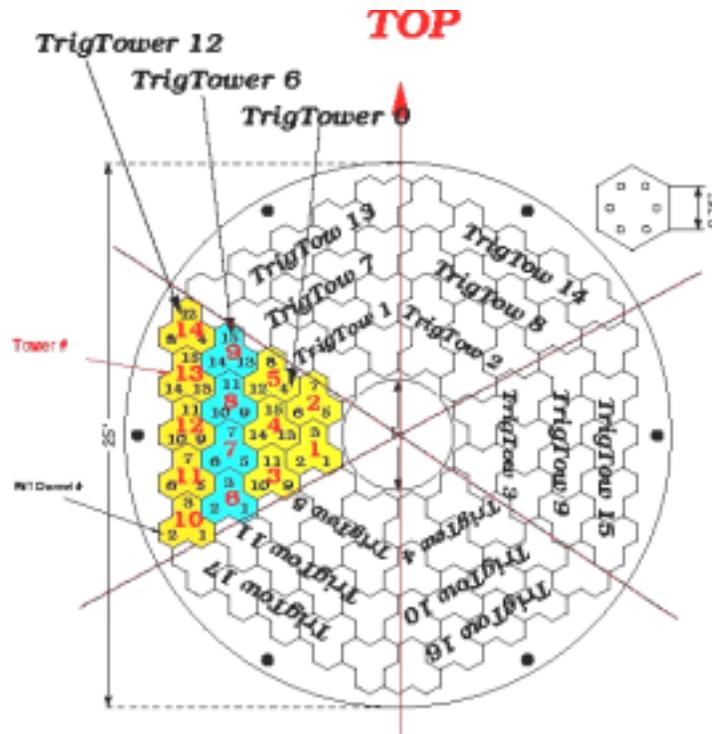
very forward jet energies and position

multiplicity





MiniPlug Design



East MP (viewed from IP)



Path to diffractive results

1) Detectors

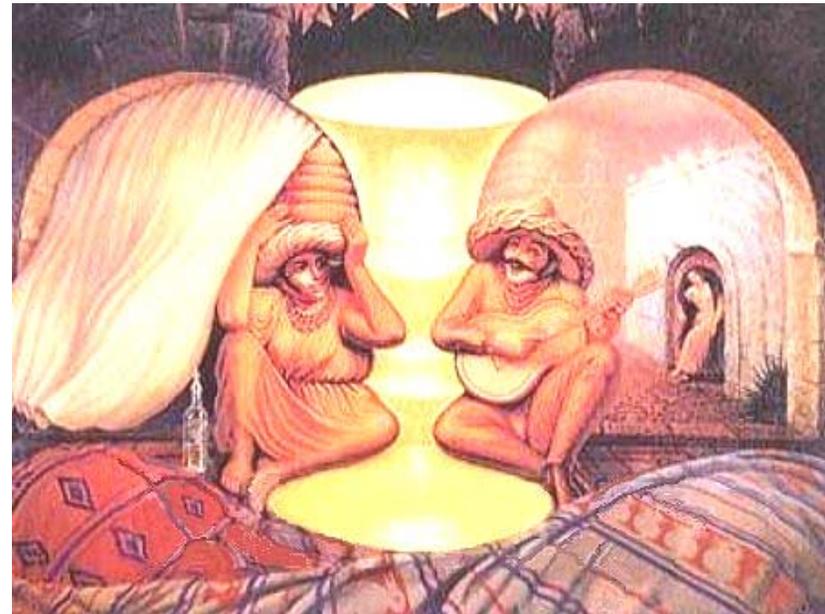
- installed (MP/November 2001)
 - triggers implemented
 - fully instrumented
- ⇒ ready in September 2002

2) Data

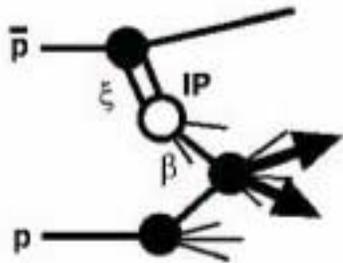
- triggers are prescaled
- more than 100 pb^{-1} collected

3) Results

- what do we find?
(what do you see?)
- ⇒ next



Diffraction Dijets



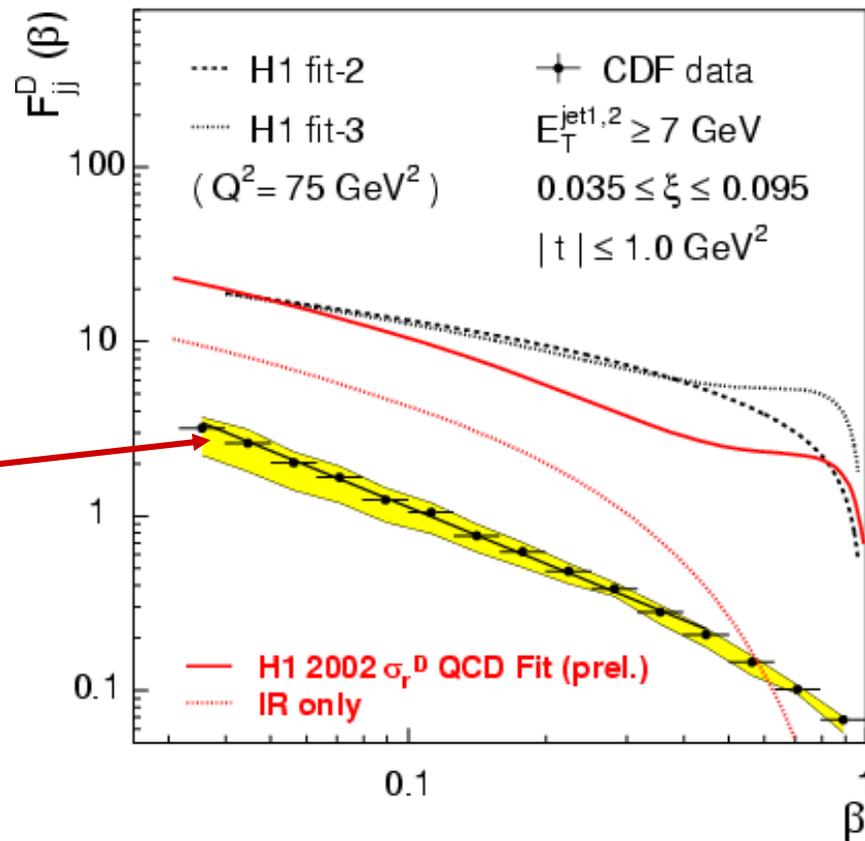
ξ : fraction of anti-proton momentum loss
 β : fraction of pomeron momentum carried by parton

parton $x_{Bj} \equiv \beta \cdot \xi$

$$\frac{\sigma(SD_{jj})}{\sigma(ND_{jj})} = \frac{F_{jj}^D(x)}{F_{jj}(x)} \quad (\text{LO QCD})$$

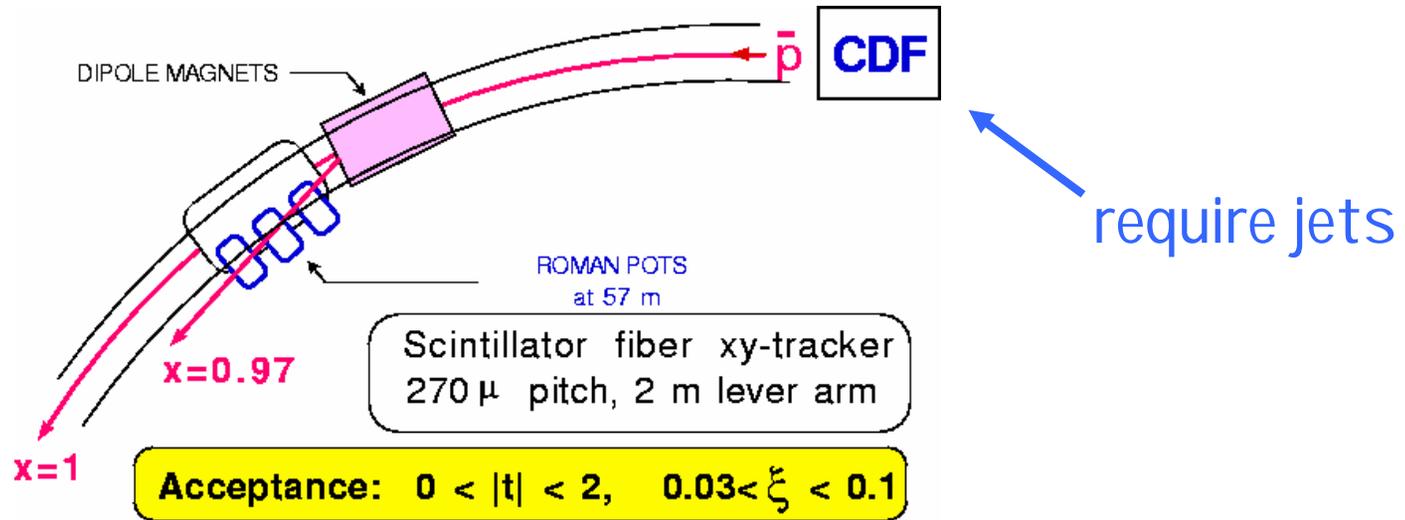
CDF Run I result suppressed by a factor of ~ 10 relative to HERA

\Rightarrow breakdown of QCD factorization (renormalization removes s -dependence)
 K. Goulianos, PLB 358 (1995) 379





Trigger

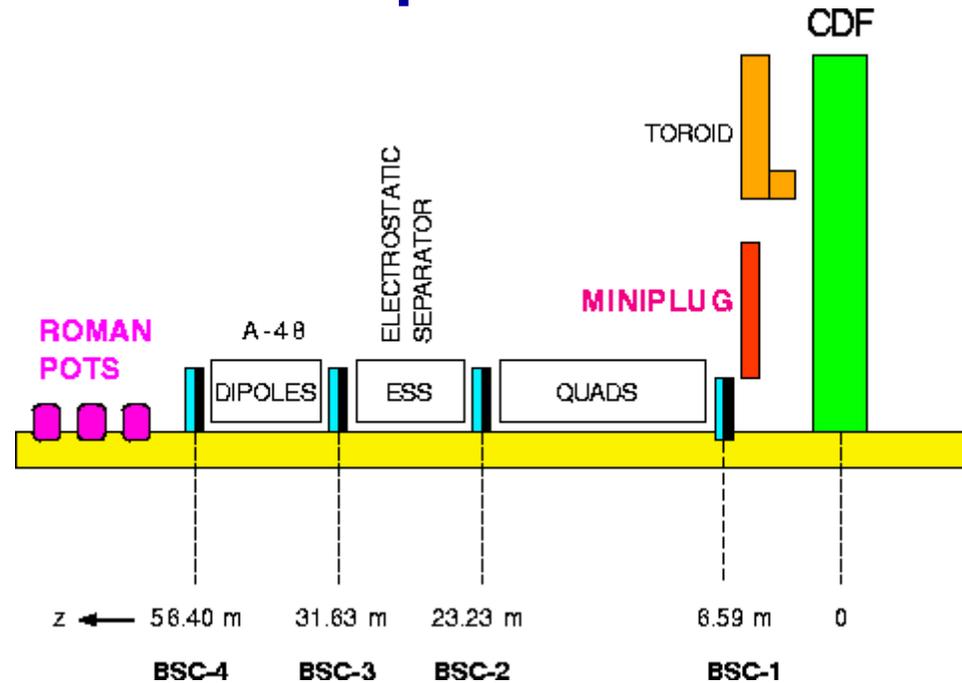


- RP is triggered on leading antiprotons
- Use RP + jet triggers



Event Samples

Dedicated triggers
 ⇒ total rate ~3Hz

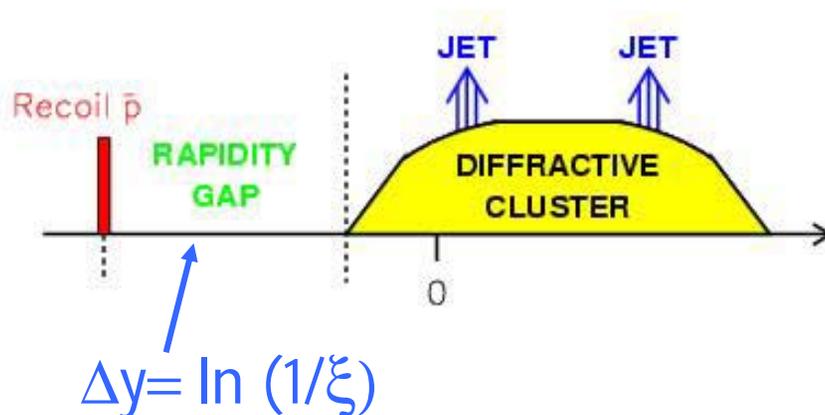


ND (J5)	at least one calorimeter tower with $E_T > 5$ GeV
RP inclusive	three-fold coincidence in RP counters
RP+J5	RP inclusive together with J5



ξ : Momentum Loss Fraction

Measure fractional momentum loss of anti-proton



$$\xi = \frac{M_x^2}{s}$$

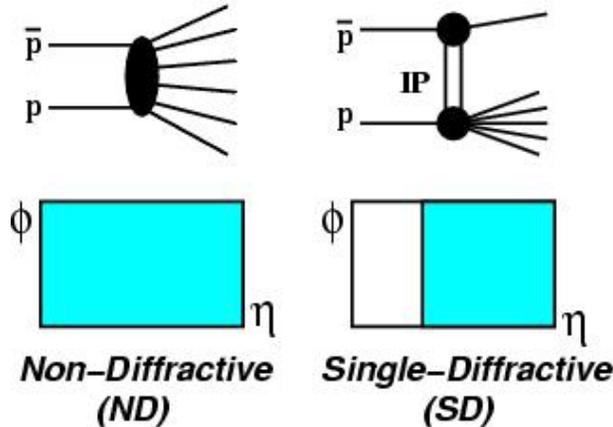
$$\Rightarrow \xi = \frac{\sum E_T e^{-\eta}}{\sqrt{s}}$$

Diffractive events are boosted towards positive η

\Rightarrow small ξ



Single Diffractive Dijets

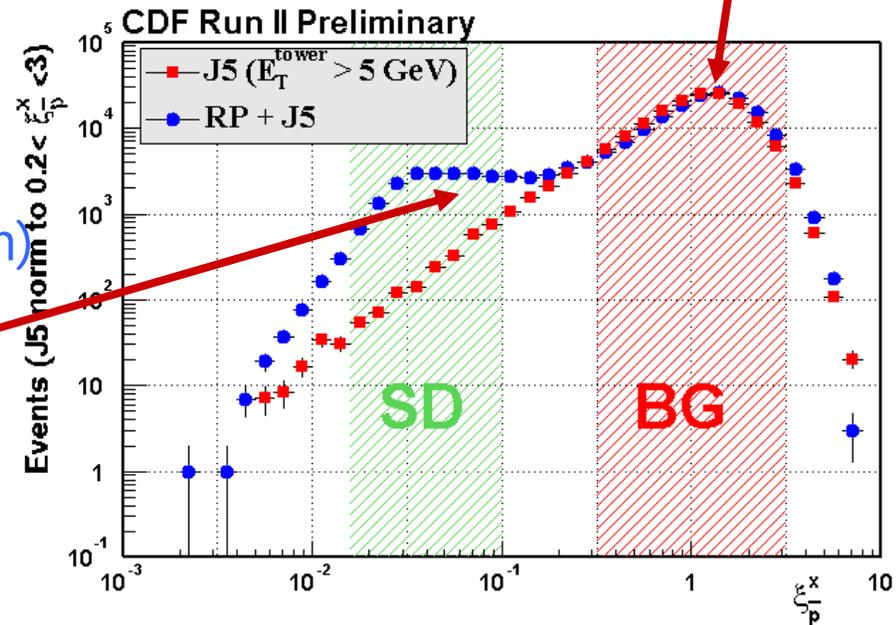


- Compare diffractive events to ND
- Measure diffractive structure function from $R_{SD/ND}$ vs x_{Bj}

Measure ξ (\bar{p} momentum loss fraction) from calorimeter information

Approx. flat at $\xi < 0.1$

$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\xi} \propto \frac{1}{\xi} \rightarrow \frac{d\sigma}{d(\log \xi)} = \text{constant}$$





SD: Event Selection

Data presented from 8 pb⁻¹:

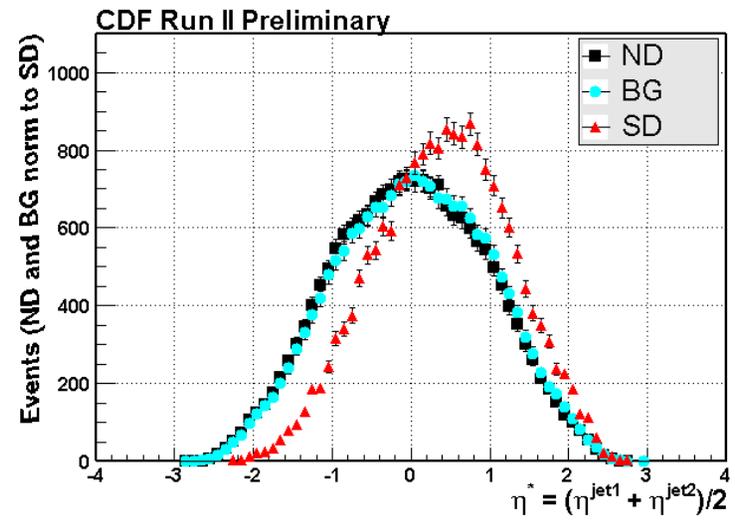
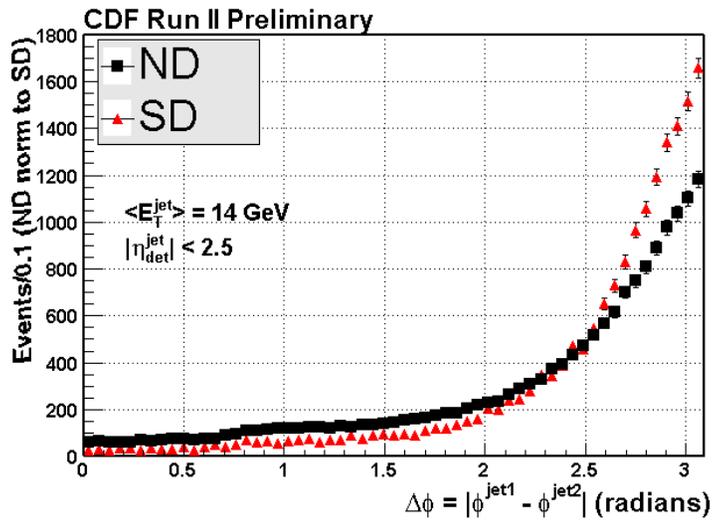
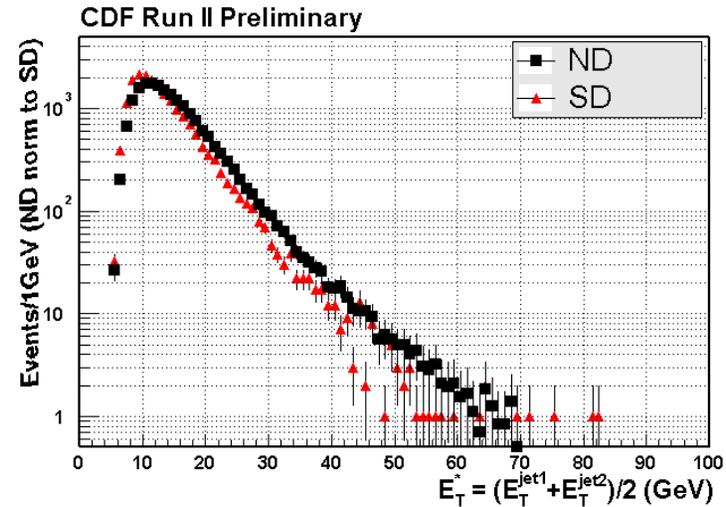
RP+J5	352,359 events
≥ 2 Jets ($E_T > 5$ GeV, $ \eta < 2.5$)	175,292 events
RP offline coincidence	168,153 events
SD ($0.02 < \xi < 0.1$)	15,209 events

- ✓ RP acceptance ~80% (from Run I)
- ✓ negligible (< 1-2%) RP background trigger



Kinematic Properties

Compare ND and SD



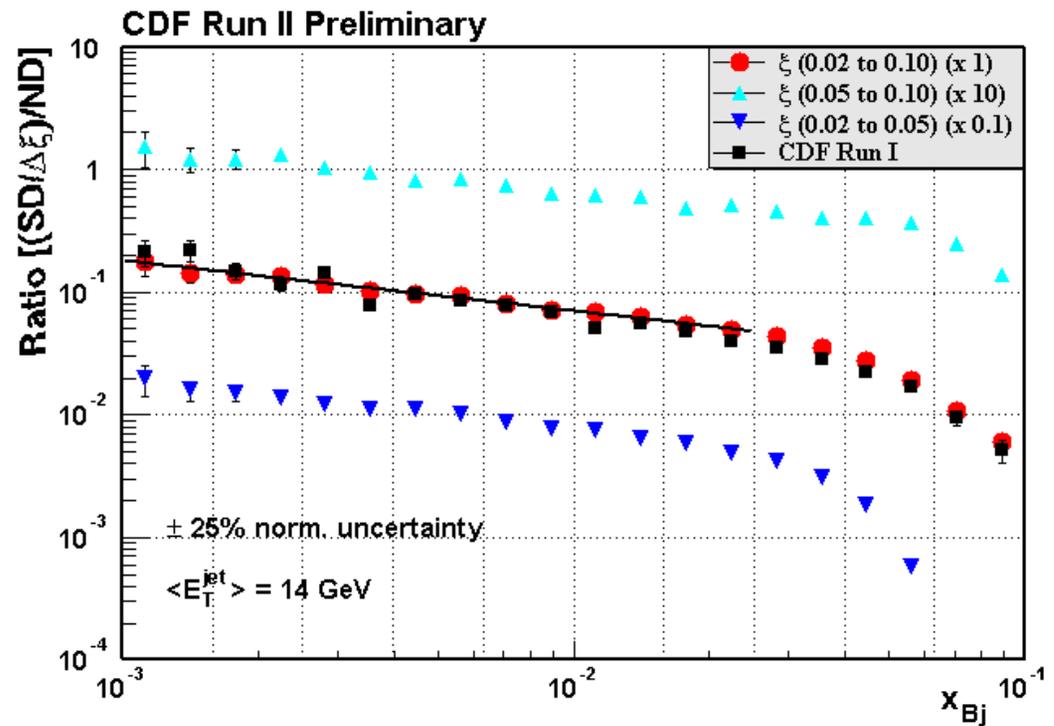


Ratio of SD/ND Events

$$x_{Bj} = \frac{\sum_{\text{jet}} E_T e^{-\eta}}{\sqrt{s}}$$

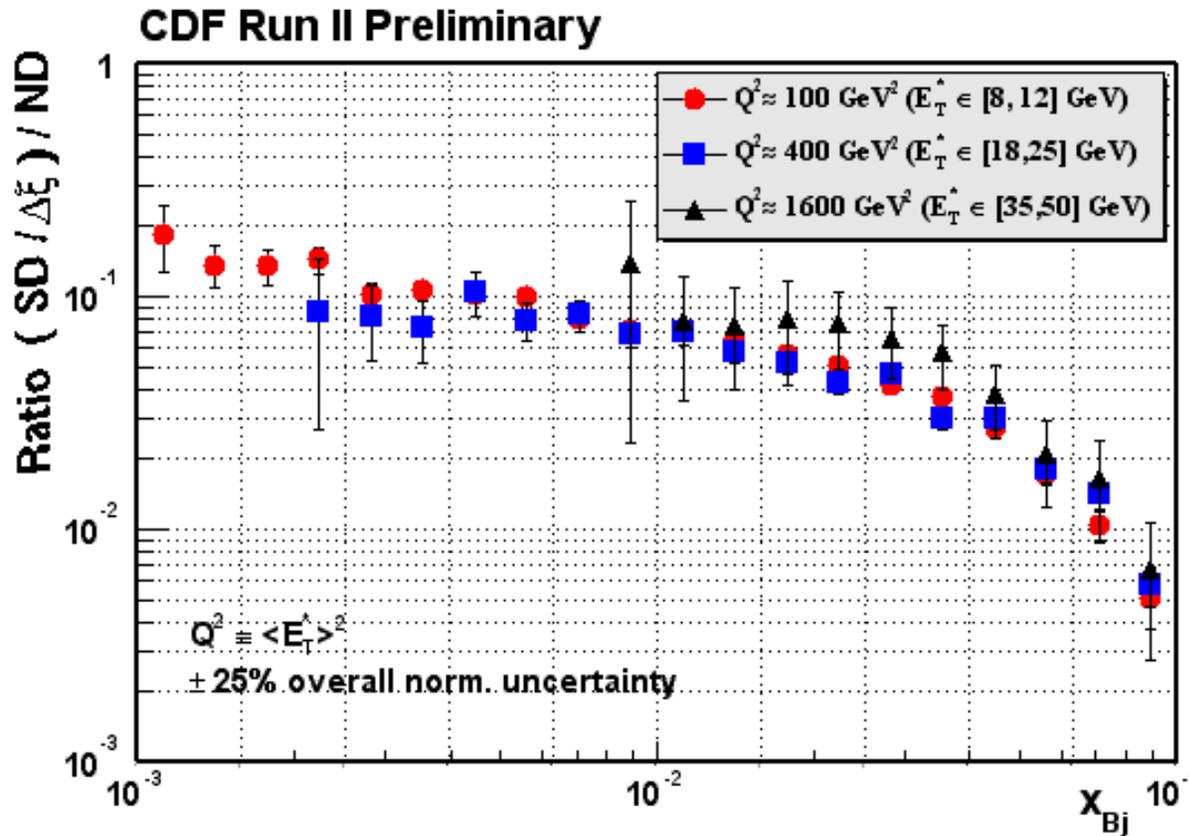
(jet=1,2,3 if $E_T > 5$ GeV)

- slope and normalization agree with Run I result
- work in progress to evaluate ratio at smaller ξ values





Q^2 dependence



$$E_T^* = \frac{E_T^1 + E_T^2}{2}$$

- select energy intervals
- overall norm. only

⇒ no significant Q^2 dependence

Pomeron evolves similarly to proton (?)



Summary

- CDF forward detectors working well
- dedicated diffractive triggers
- re-established Run I measurements
- no significant Q^2 dependence in SD/ND ratio

Run II analyses are well underway !



More CDF Run II results
in the following talks...