

Differential distributions in HH production beyond LO



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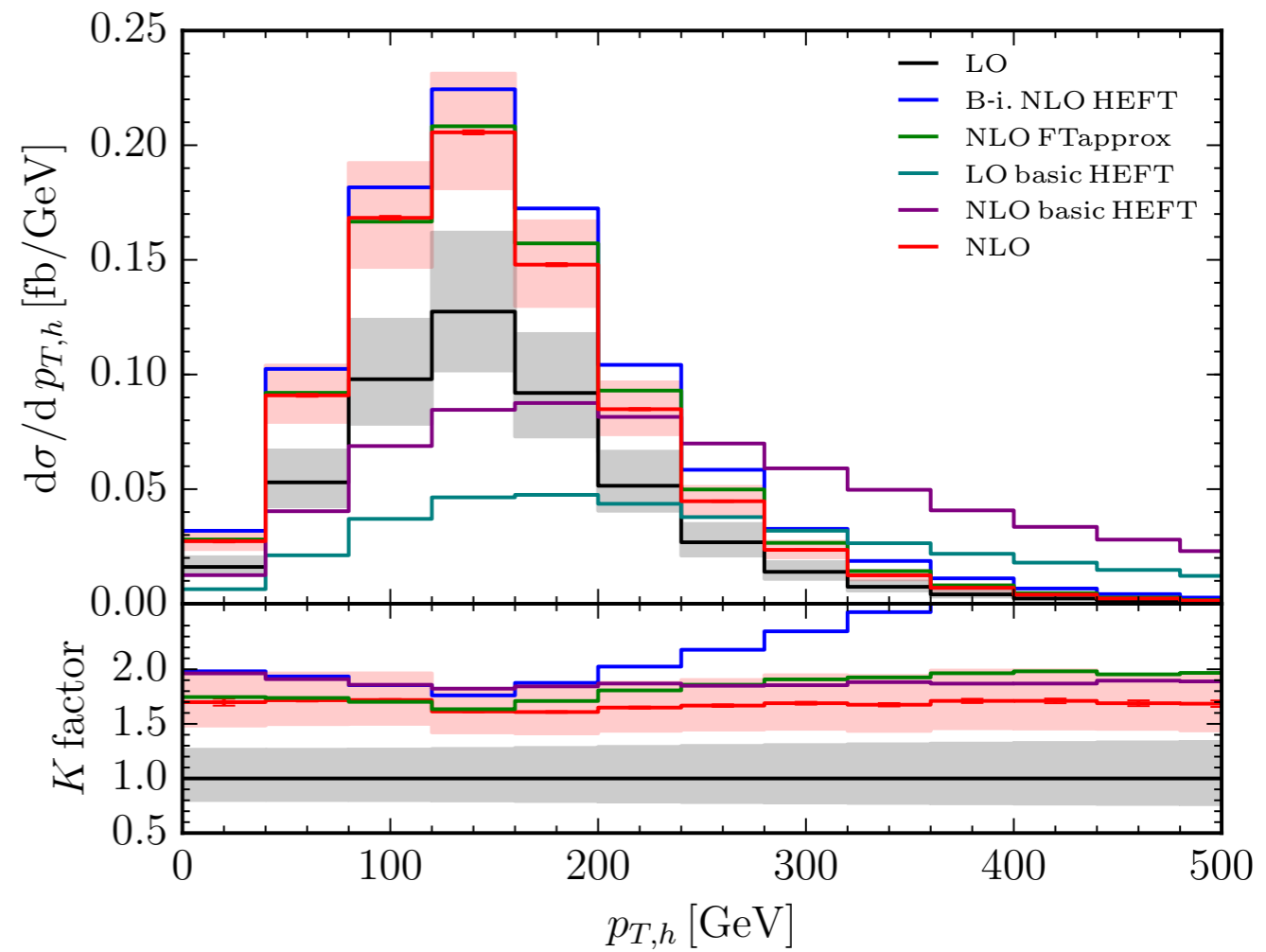
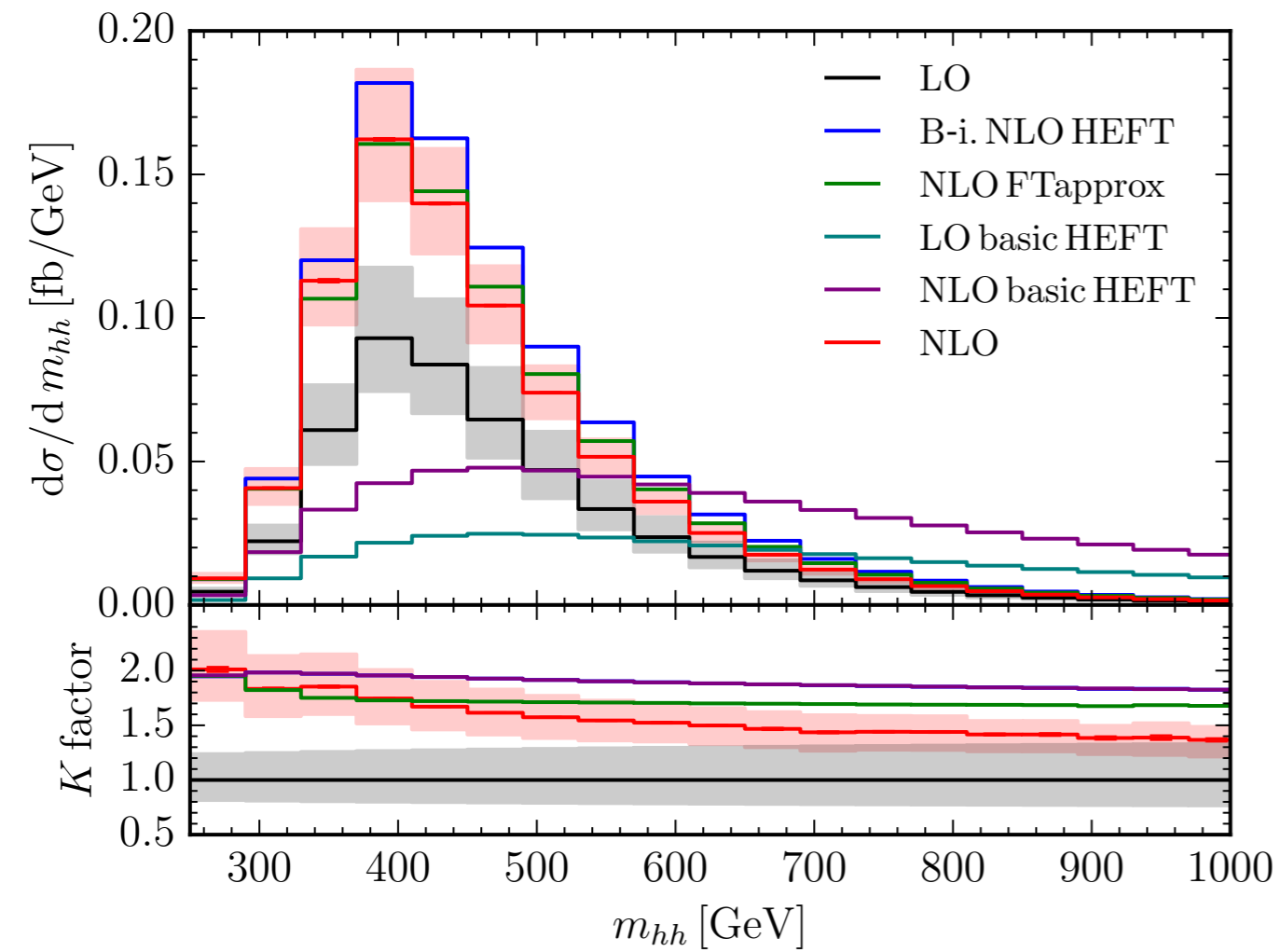
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Overview

- NLO distributions
 - improved statistics
 - ➔ smaller bin sizes possible
- improving approximated results
- combining full NLO with NNLO HEFT and parton shower

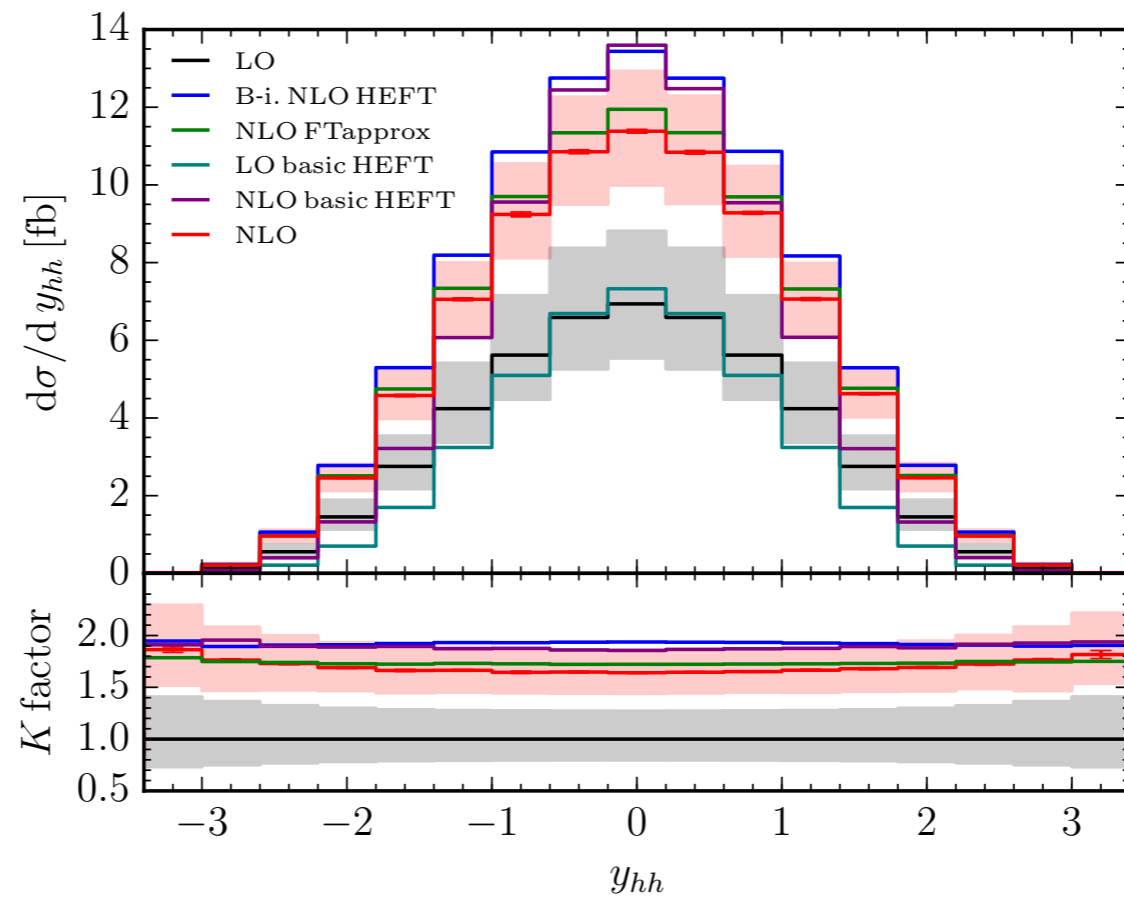
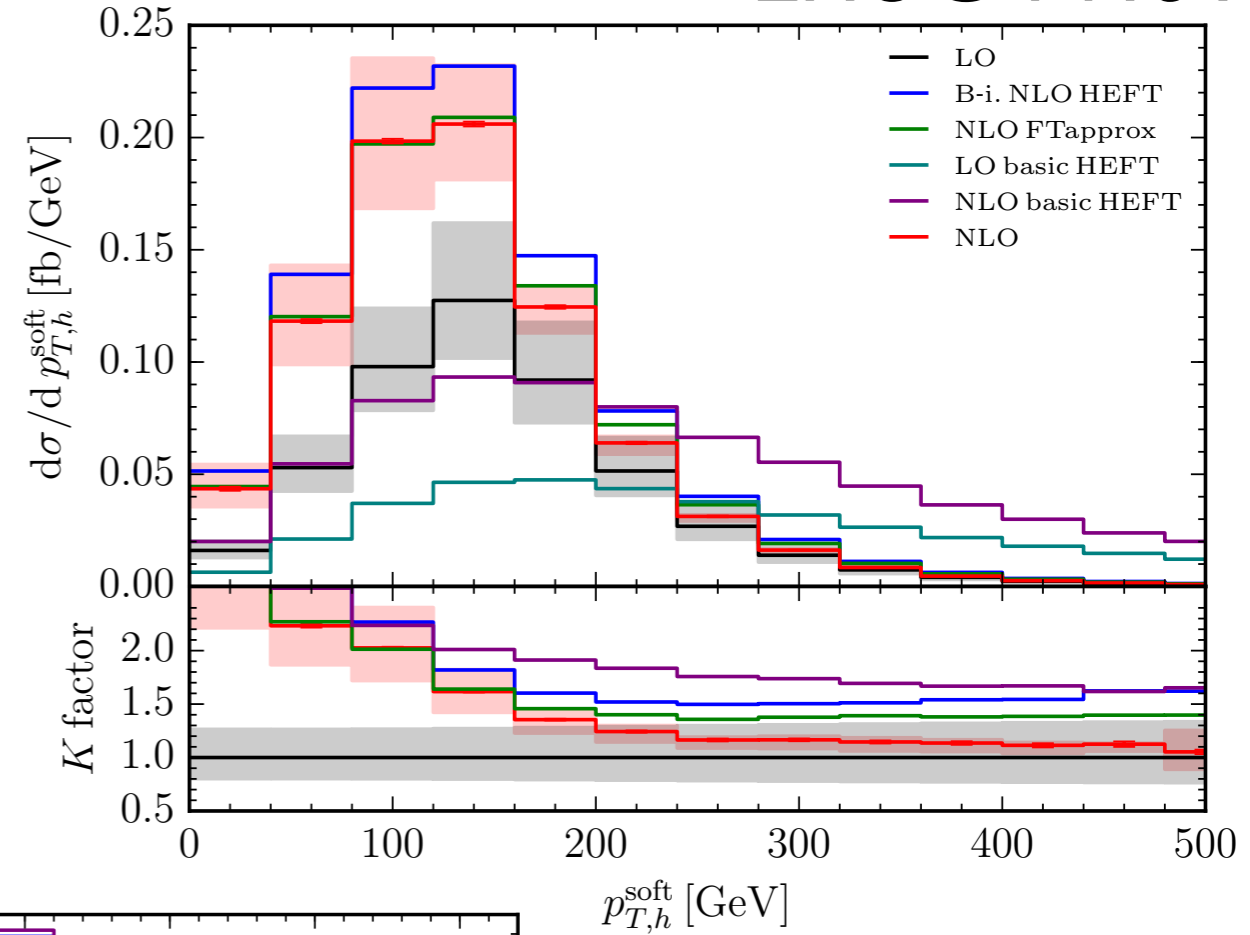
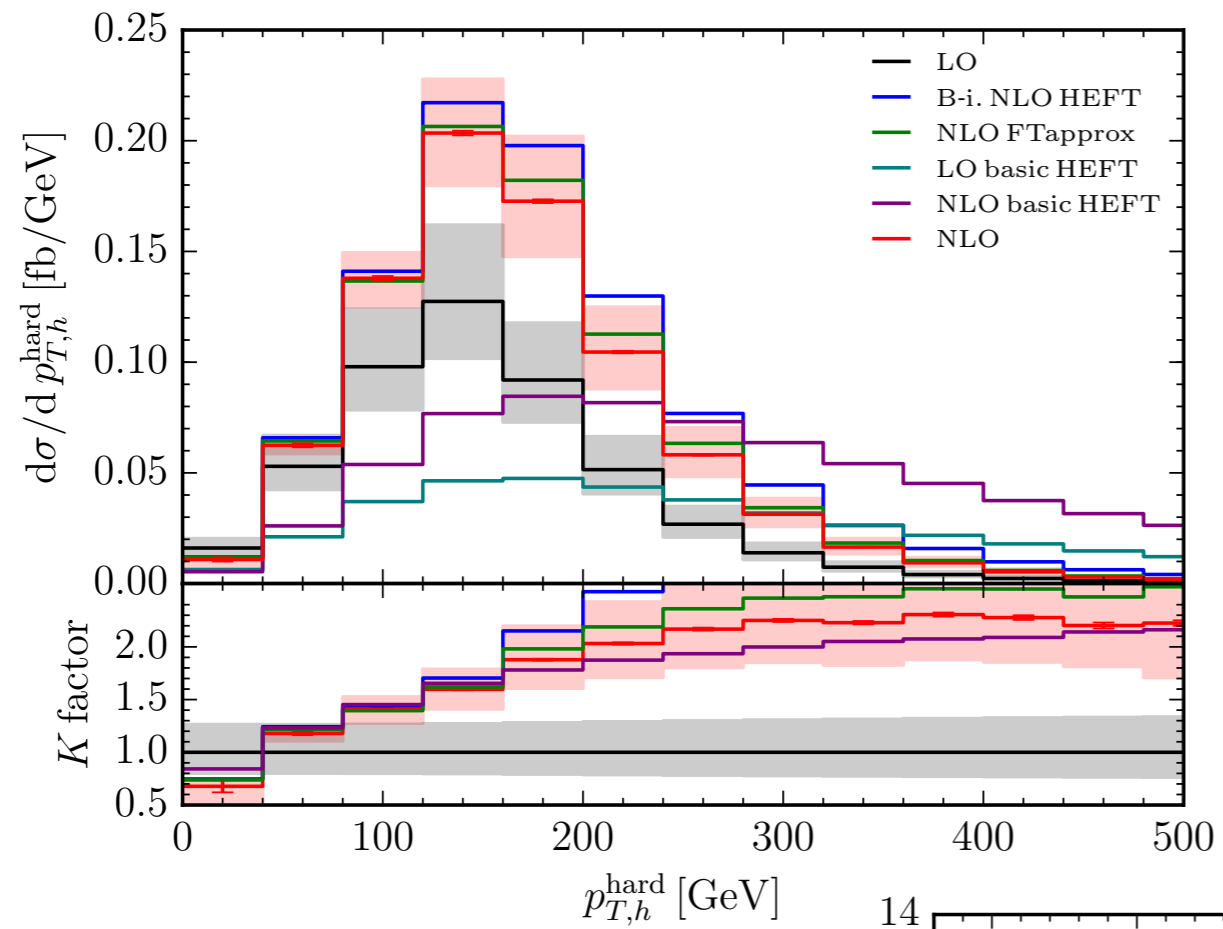
NLO — differential distributions

LHC@14TeV



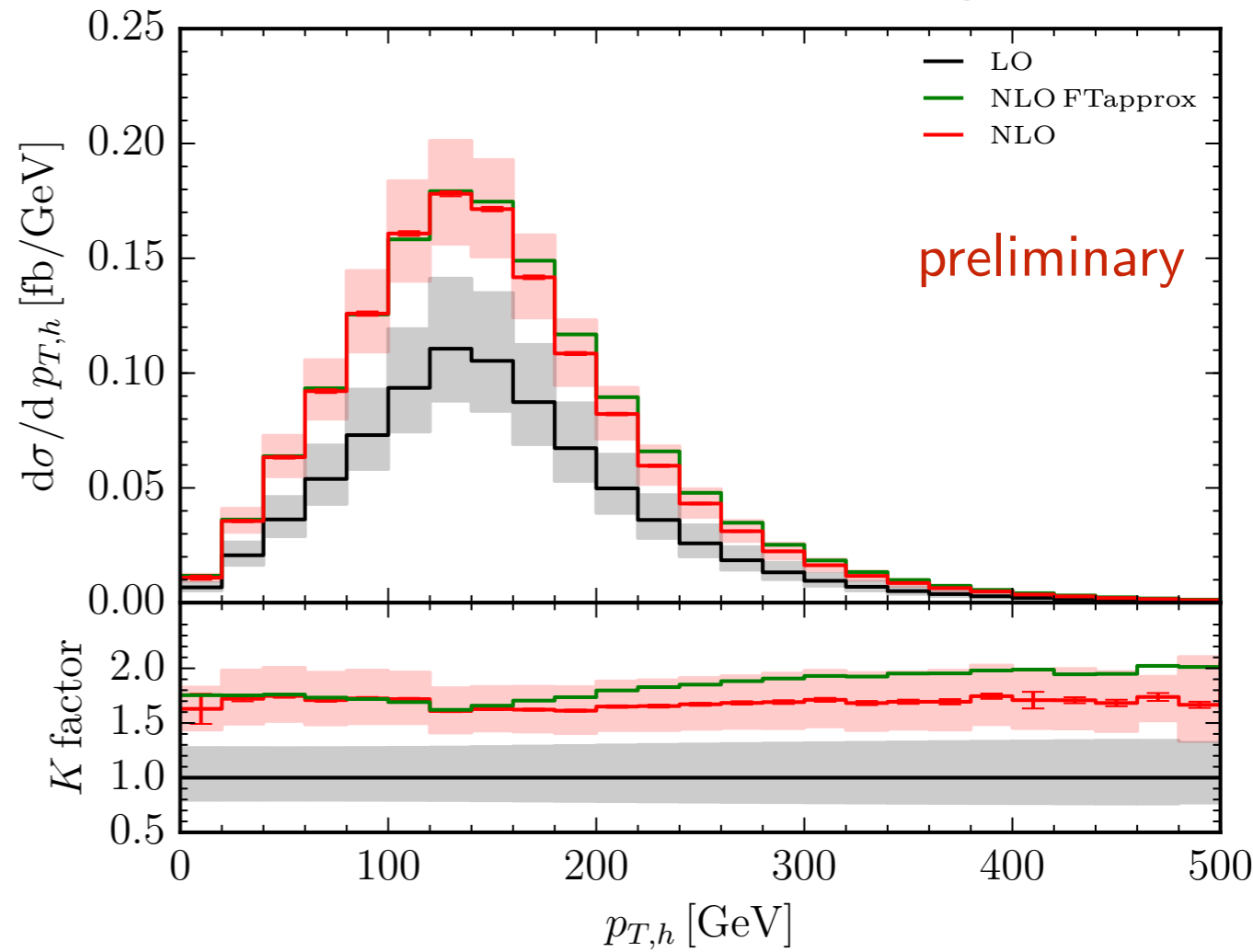
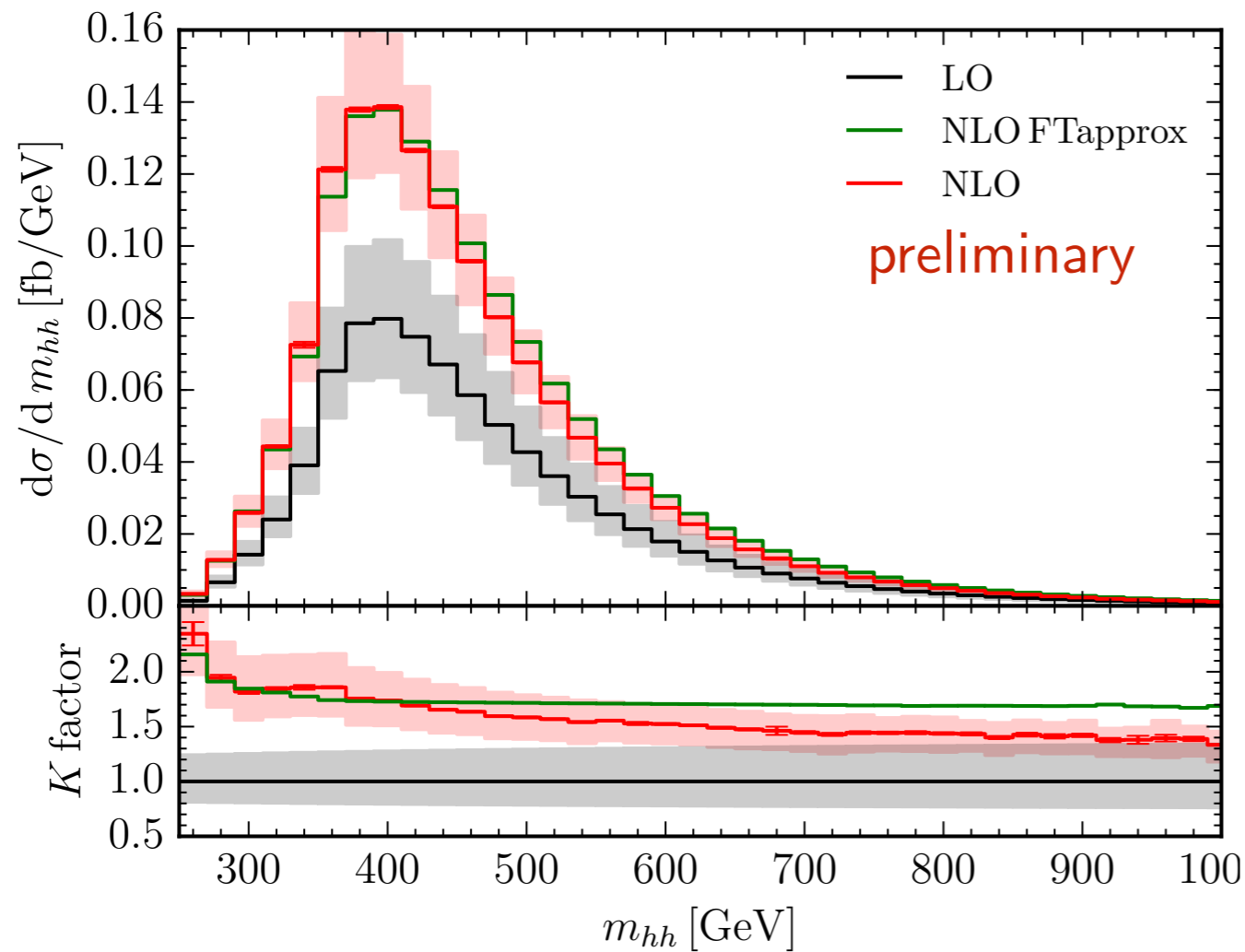
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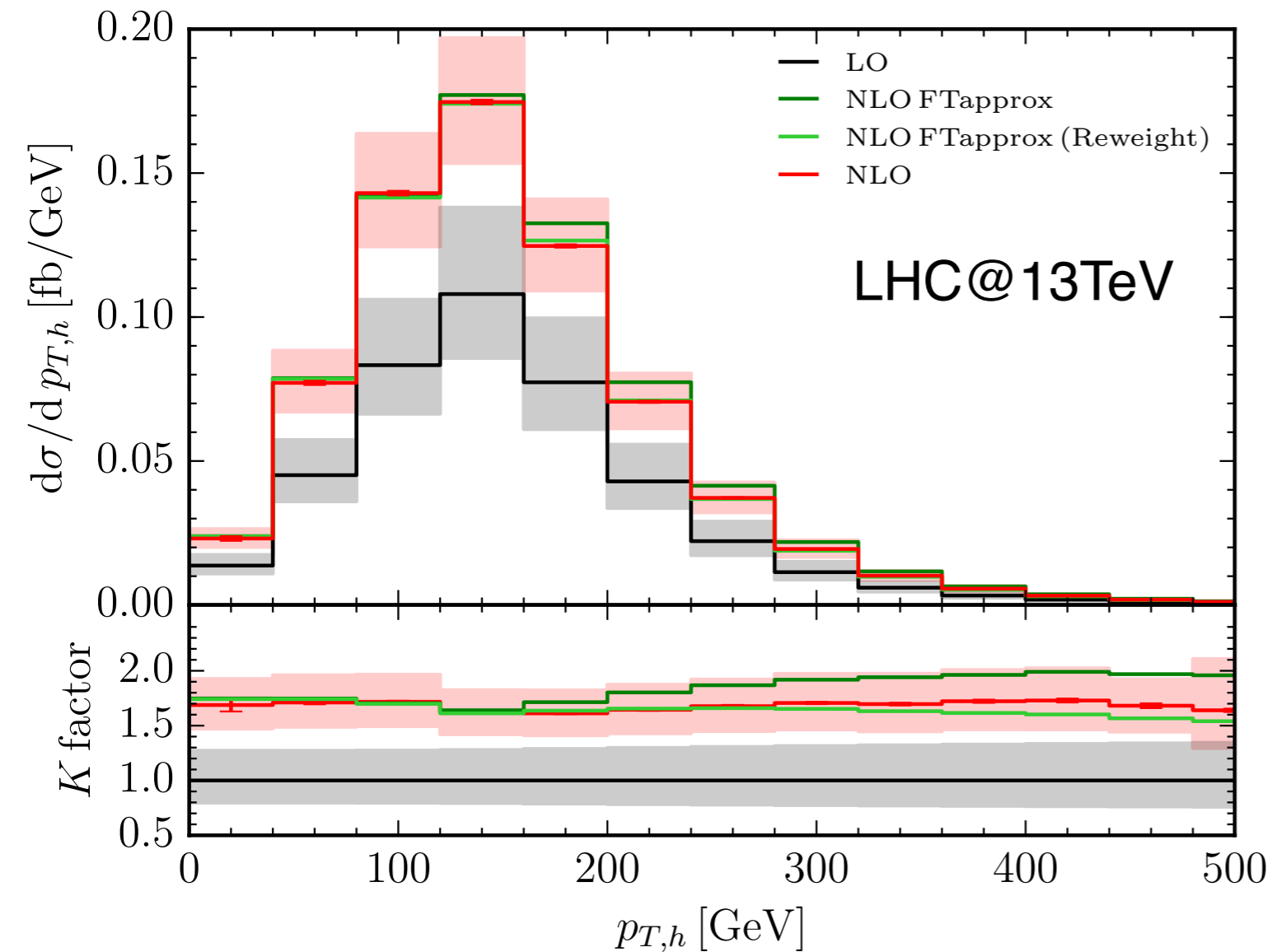
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statistics increased by factor of ~ 2 since October meeting

Reweighting FTapprox



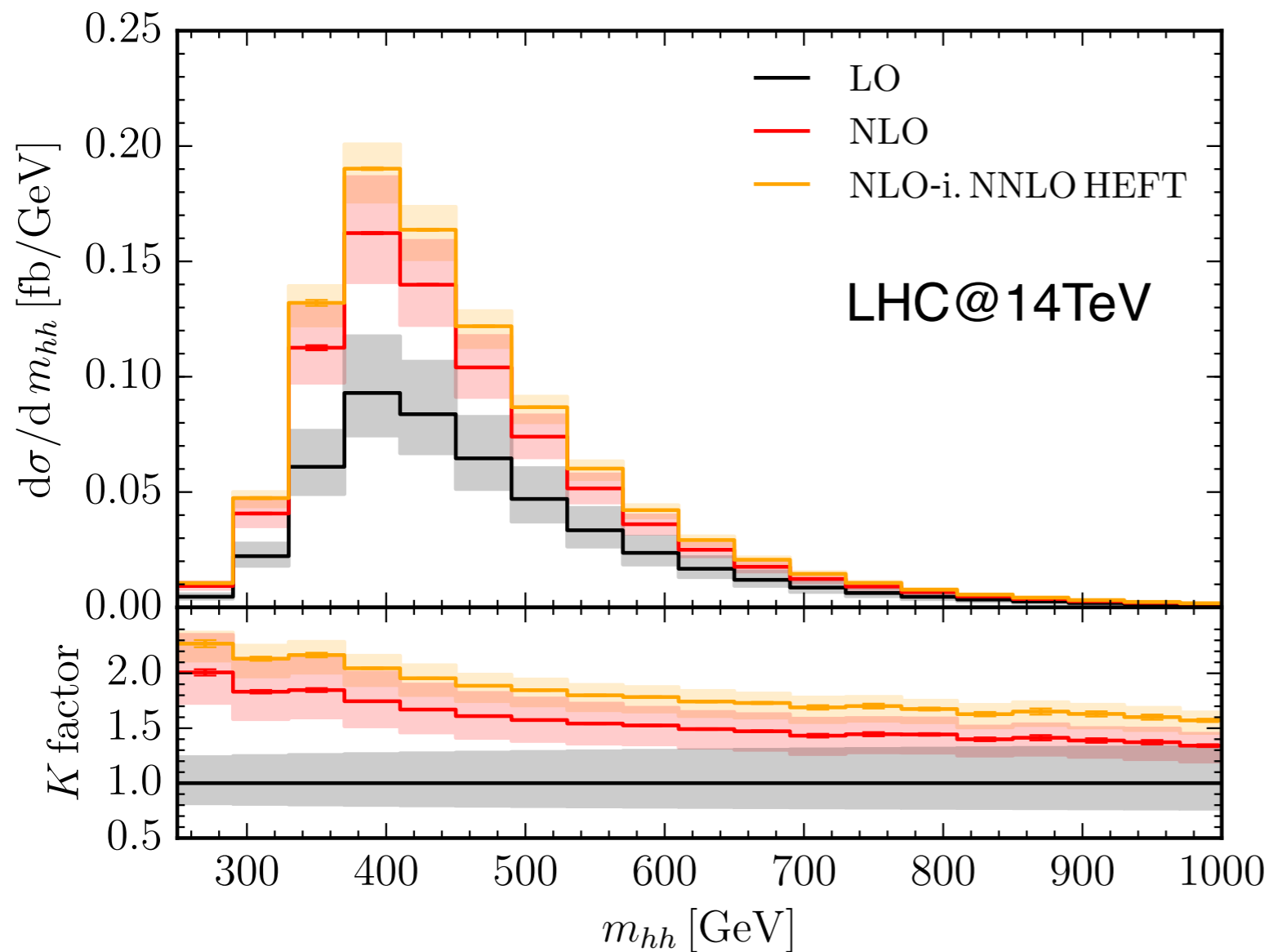
FTapprox Reweight:

$$d\sigma \approx d\sigma_{LO} + d\sigma'_{NLO}$$

$$d\sigma'_{NLO}(X) = d\sigma_{NLO}^{\text{FTap.}}(X) \cdot \underbrace{\frac{d\sigma_{NLO}^{\text{full}}(m_{hh})}{d\sigma_{NLO}^{\text{FTap.}}(m_{hh})}}_{K_{m_t}}$$

→ FTapprox results can be improved by reweighting with $K_{m_t}(m_{hh})$

NLO-improved HEFT



first attempt to combine

- Full NLO

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- NNLO HEFT

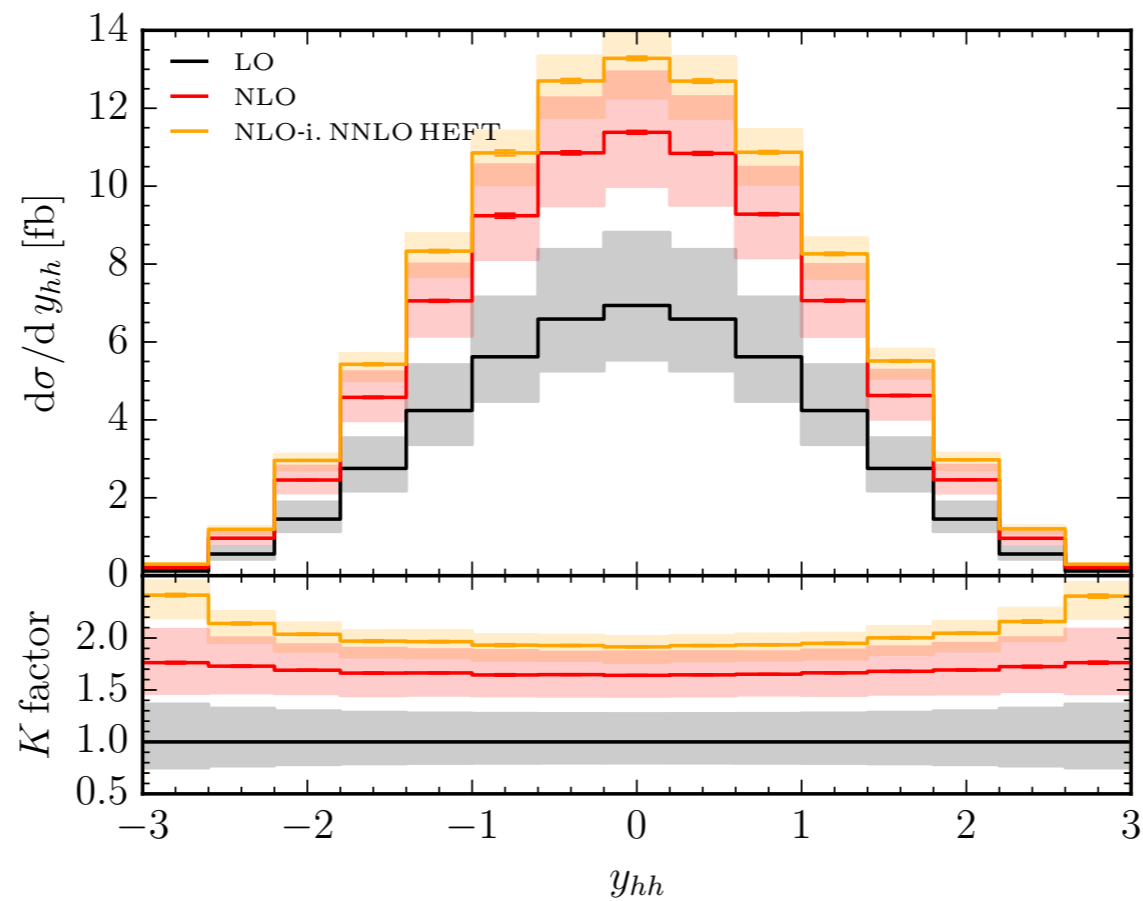
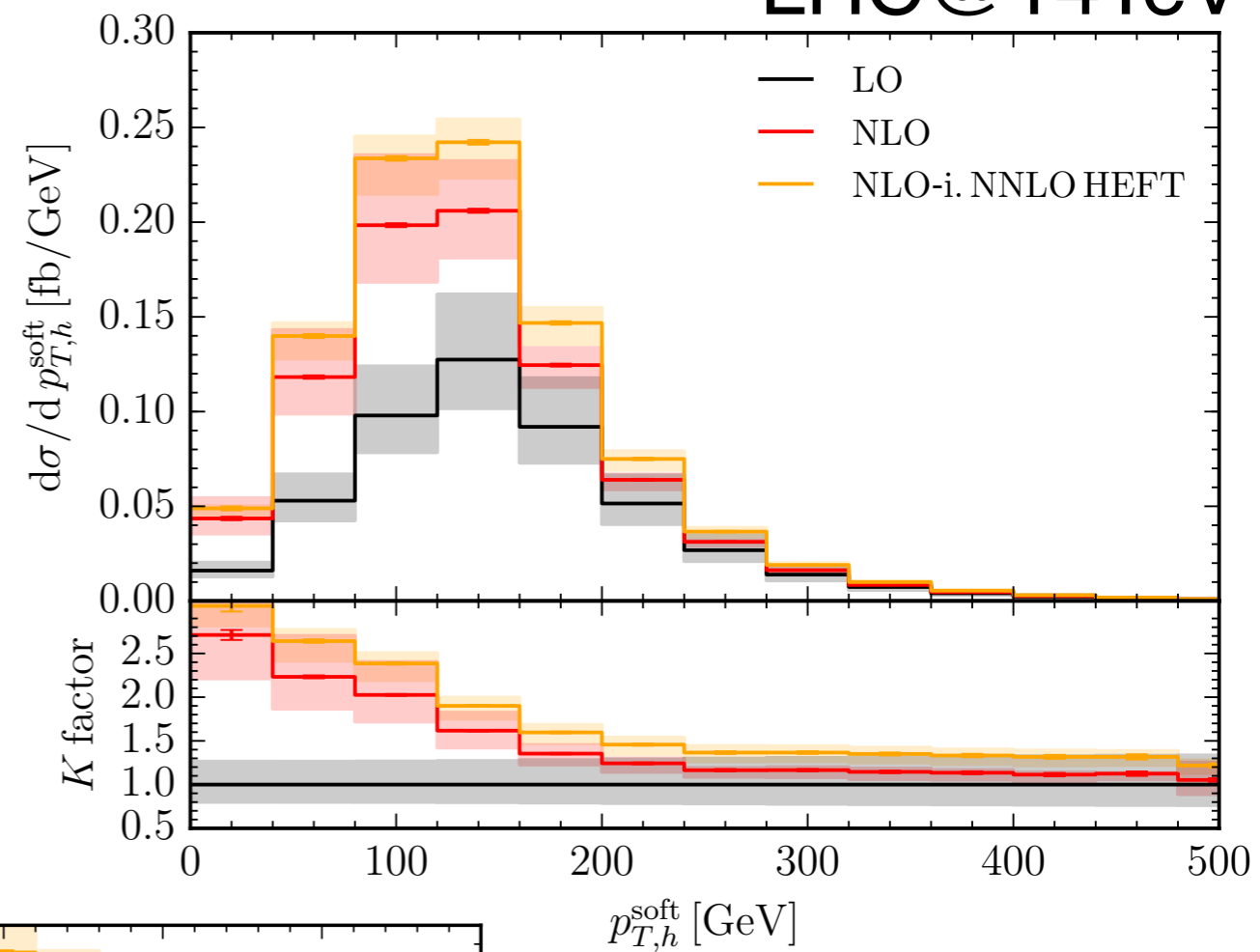
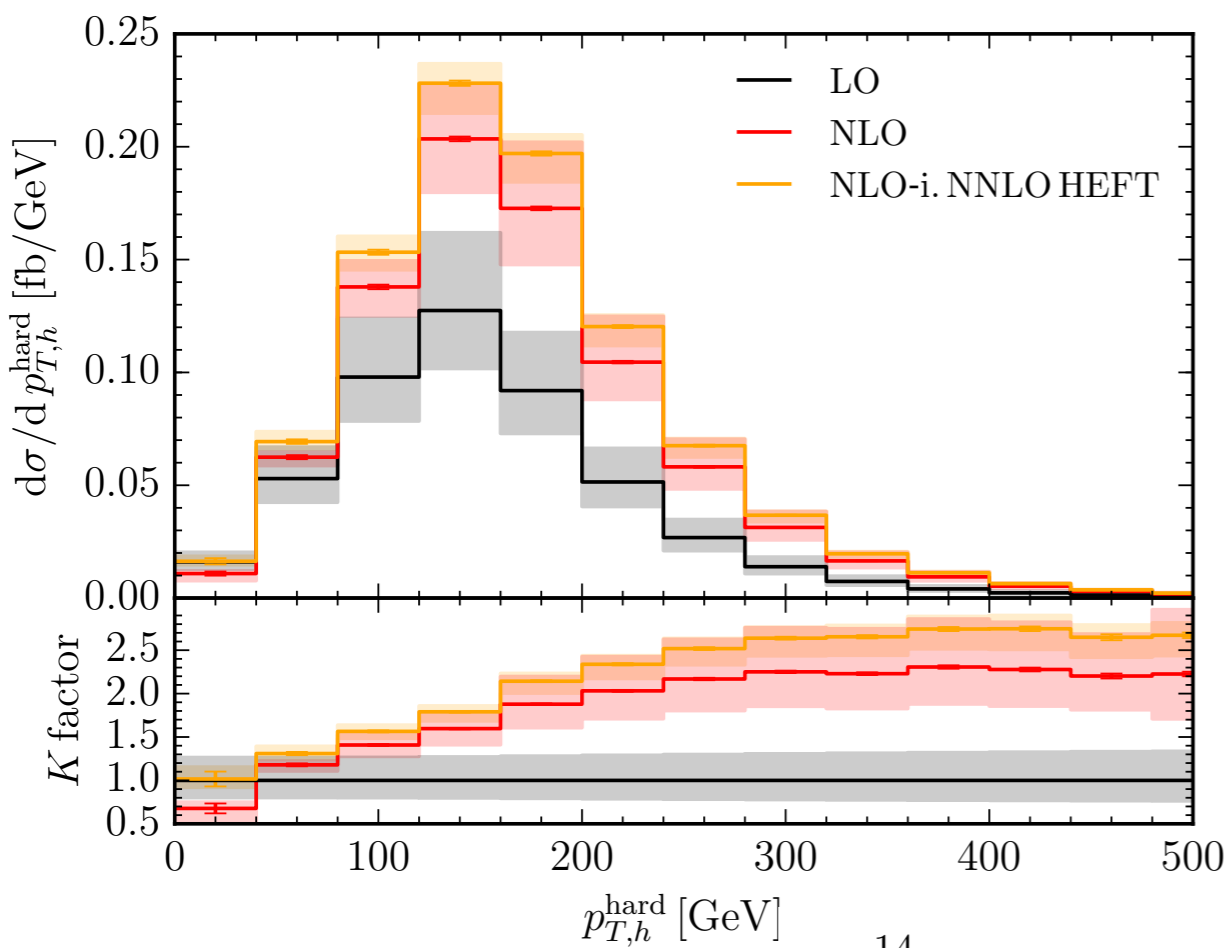
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Differential rescaling of σ_{NLO} by $K_{\text{NNLO}}^{\text{HEFT}}$

$$\frac{d\sigma_{\text{approx}}}{dm_{hh}} = \frac{d\sigma_{\text{NLO}}^{\text{full}}}{dm_{hh}} \cdot \frac{d\sigma_{\text{NNLO}}^{\text{HEFT}}/dm_{hh}}{d\sigma_{\text{NLO}}^{\text{HEFT}}/dm_{hh}}$$

NLO-improved HEFT

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Work in Progress / Outlook

constructing **grid** for virtual amplitude

allows for:

status:

- work in progress
- reliable predictions for majority of phase space, but
 - large deviations
 - underestimated error estimatesin some PS regions
- requires more testing

- improved combination of full NLO + NNLO HEFT

(with Grazzini, Kallweit, Mazzitelli, Lindert)

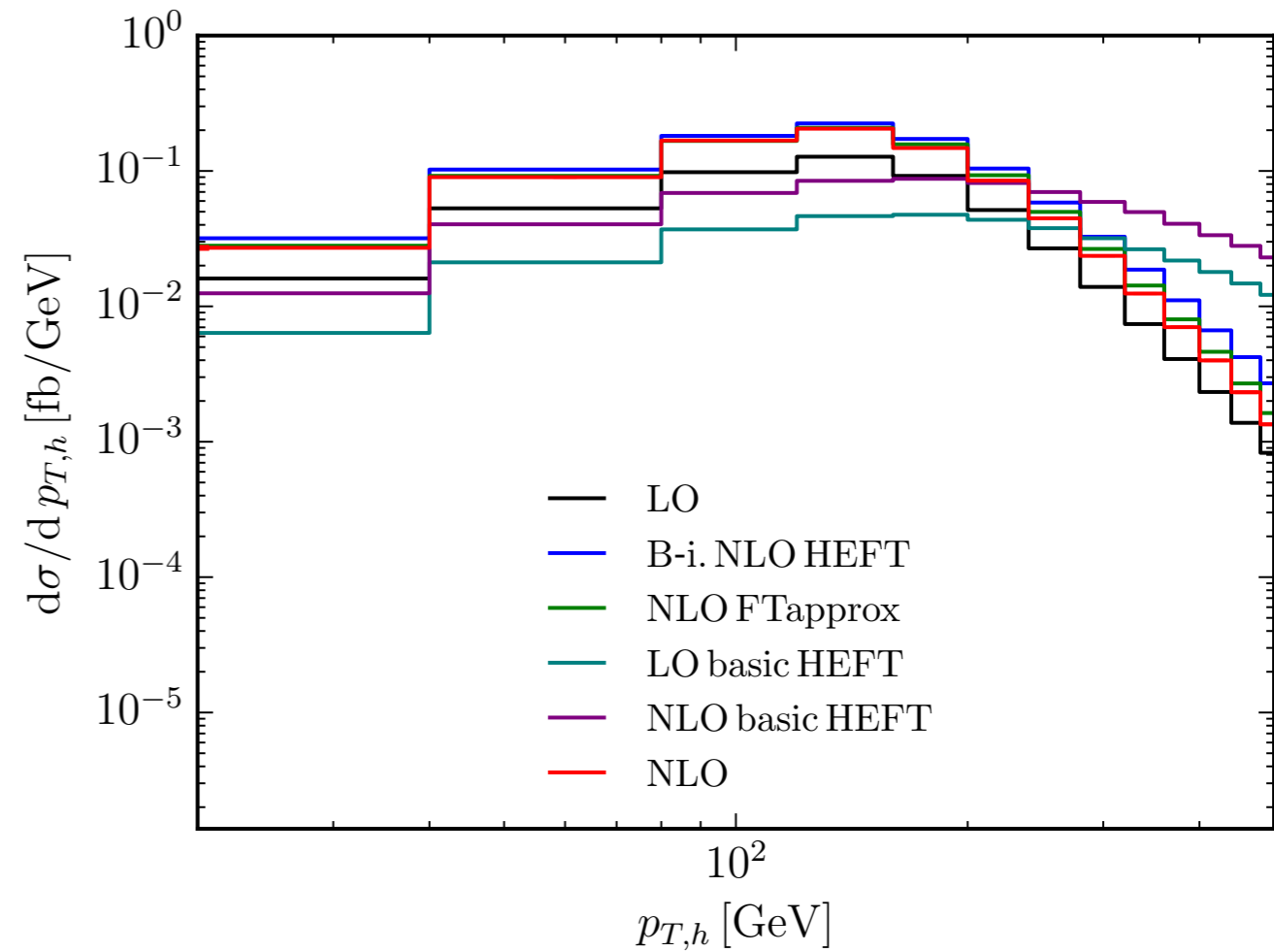
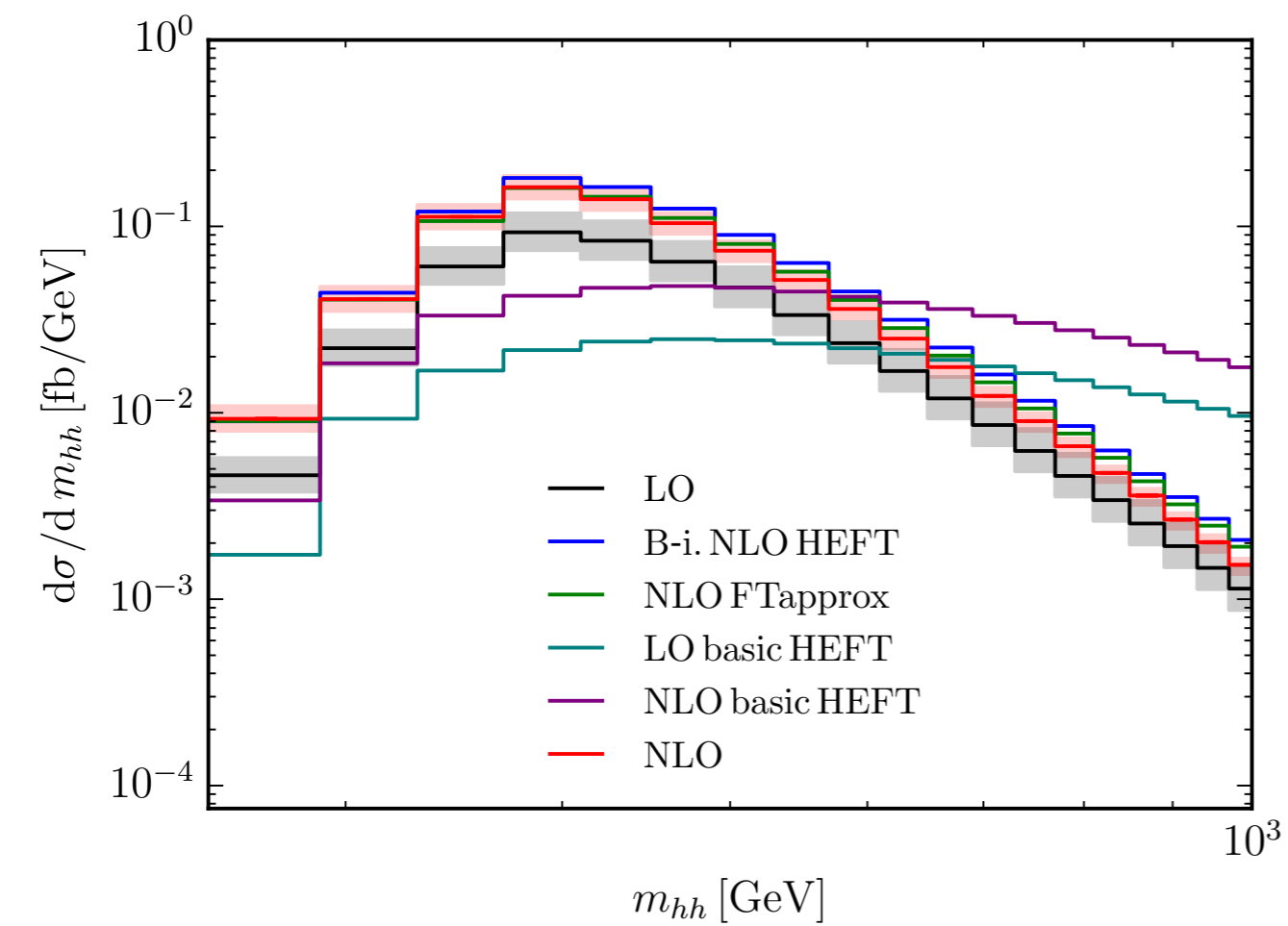
- full NLO + parton shower

- POWHEG (with Luisoni)
- MG5_aMC@NLO (with Vryonidou)
- Sherpa (with Höche, Kuttimalai)
- Herwig (with Papaefstathiou, Plätzer)

Thank you for your attention!

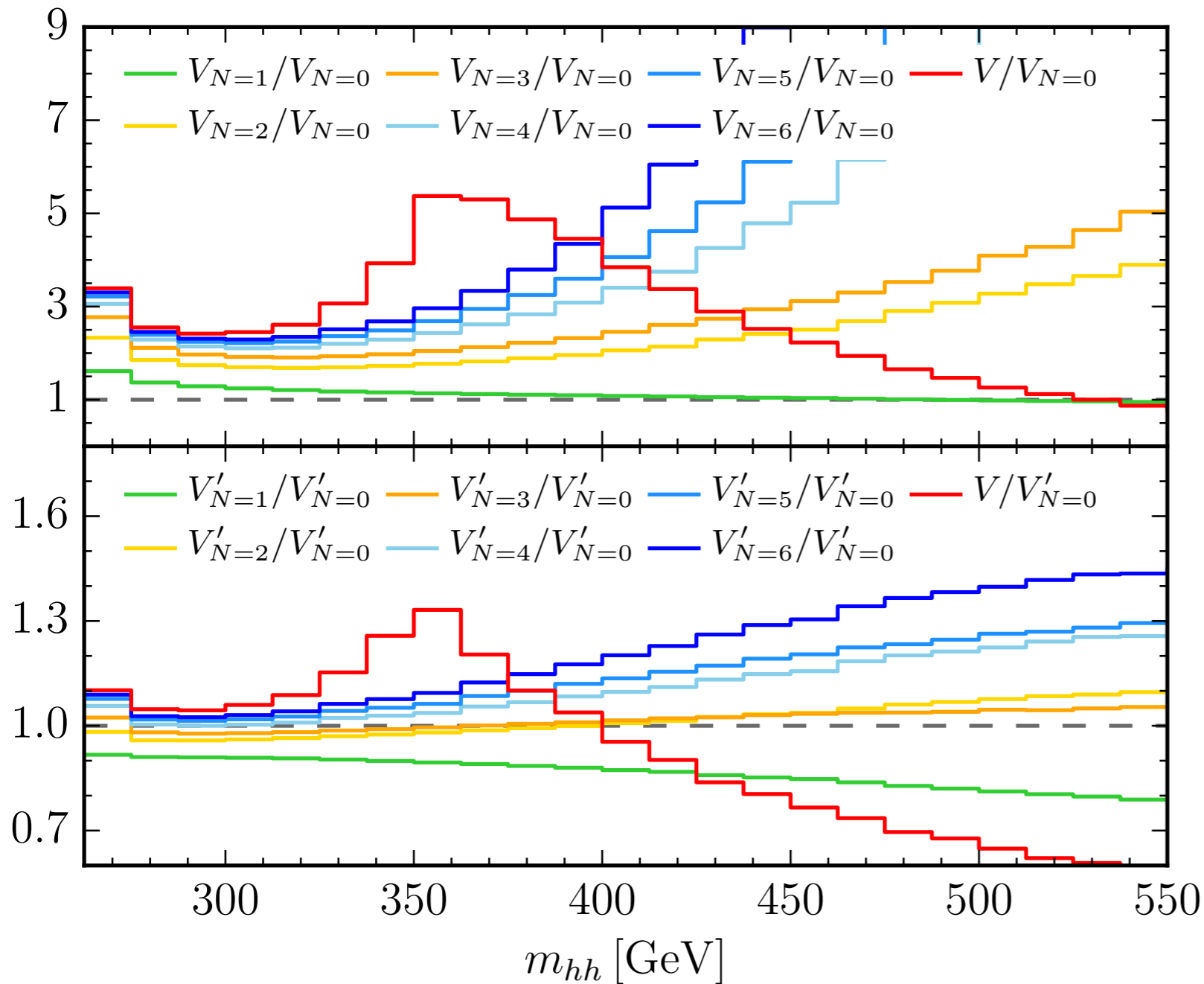
Backup

scaling behavior



Results - Amplitude

comparison to HEFT and expansion in $1/m_t$



$$V_N = (d\hat{\sigma}_{\text{exp},N}^{\text{virt}} + d\hat{\sigma}_{\text{exp},N}^{\text{LO}}(\epsilon) \otimes I) \frac{d\hat{\sigma}^{\text{LO}}(\epsilon)}{d\hat{\sigma}_{\text{exp},N}^{\text{LO}}(\epsilon)}$$

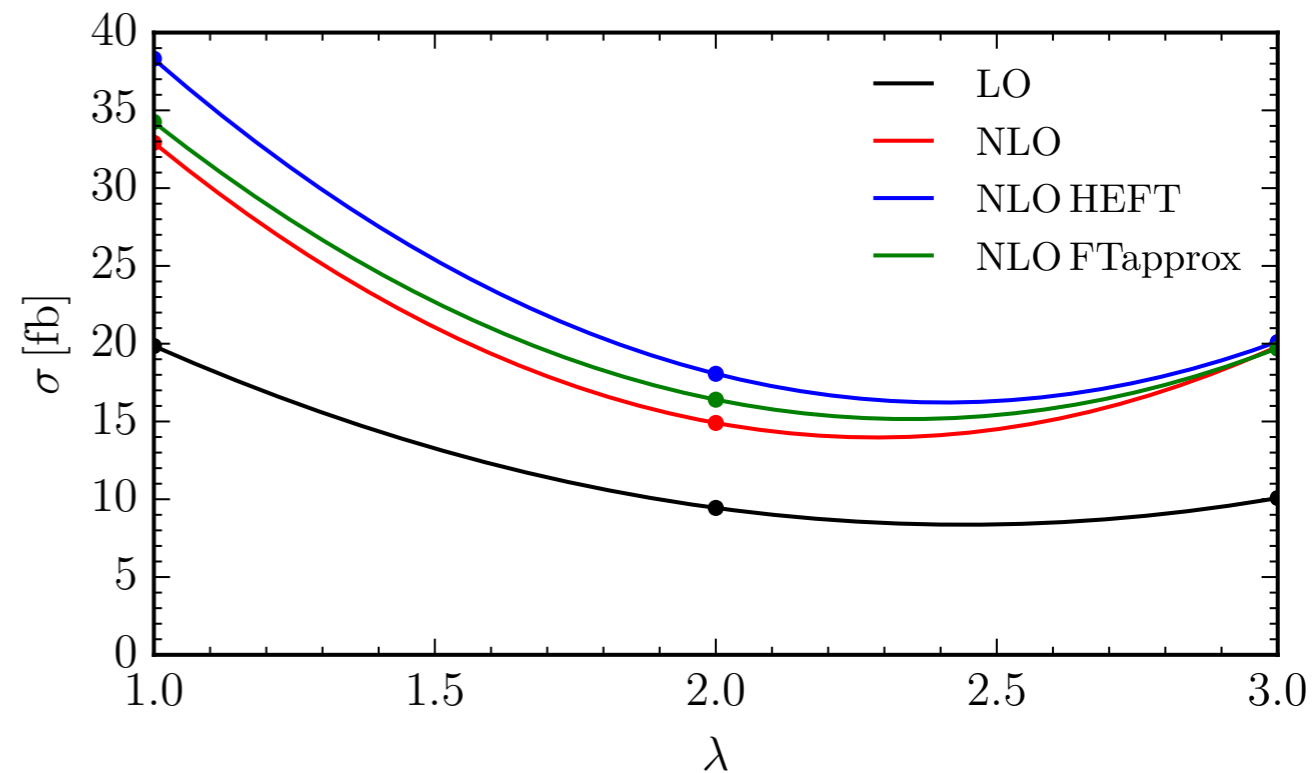
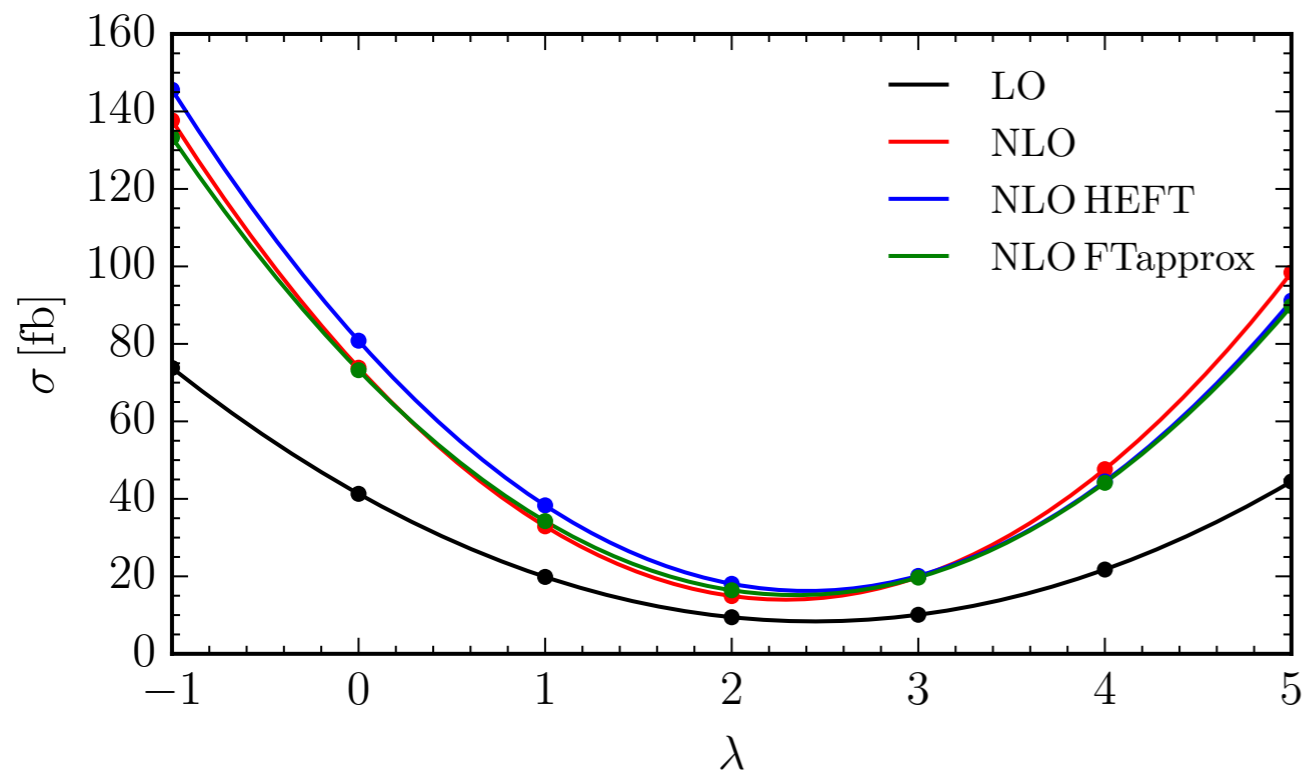
$$d\hat{\sigma}_{\text{exp},N} = \sum_{\rho=0}^N d\hat{\sigma}^{(\rho)} \left(\frac{\Lambda}{m_t} \right)^{2\rho}$$

$$\Lambda \in \left\{ \sqrt{\hat{s}}, \sqrt{\hat{t}}, \sqrt{\hat{u}}, m_h \right\}$$

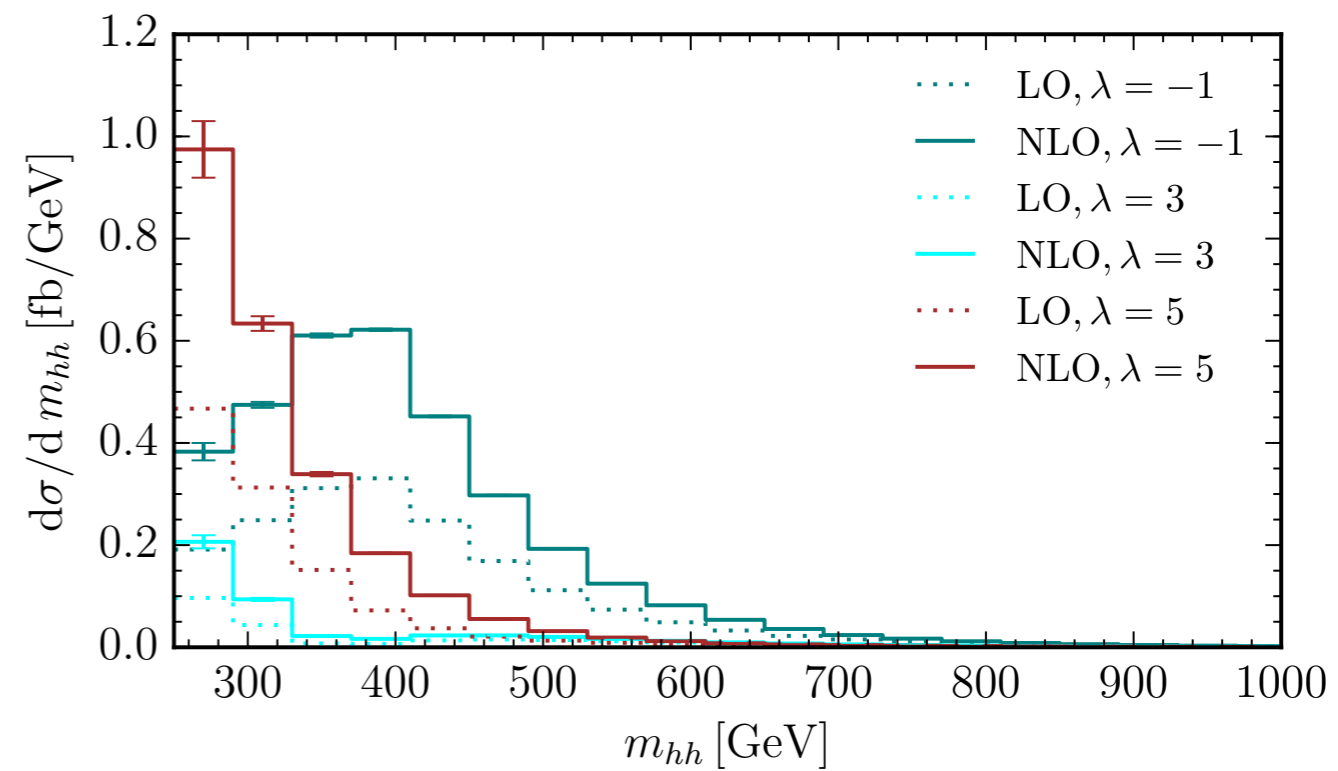
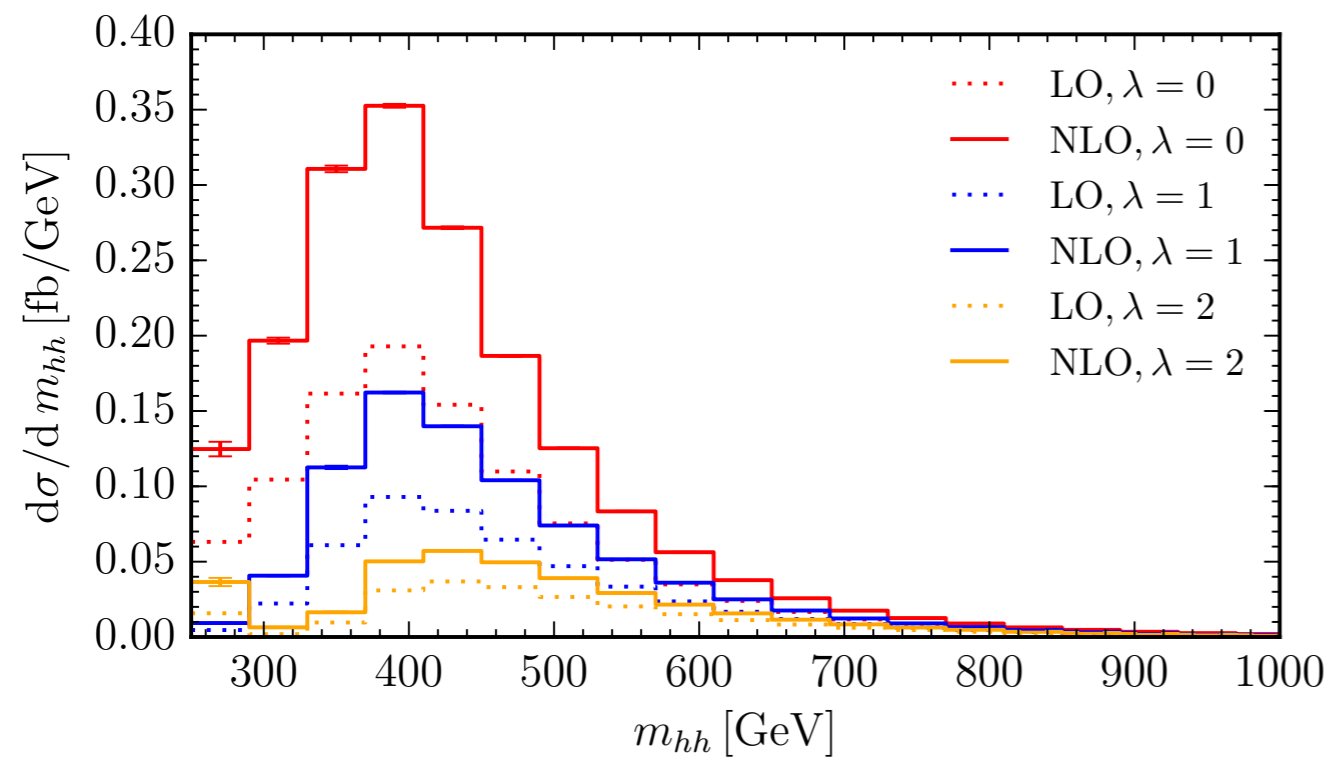
$$V'_N = V_N \cdot \frac{B}{B_N}$$

$V_{N \geq 4}$: thanks to J. Hoff

modified Higgs self-interactions



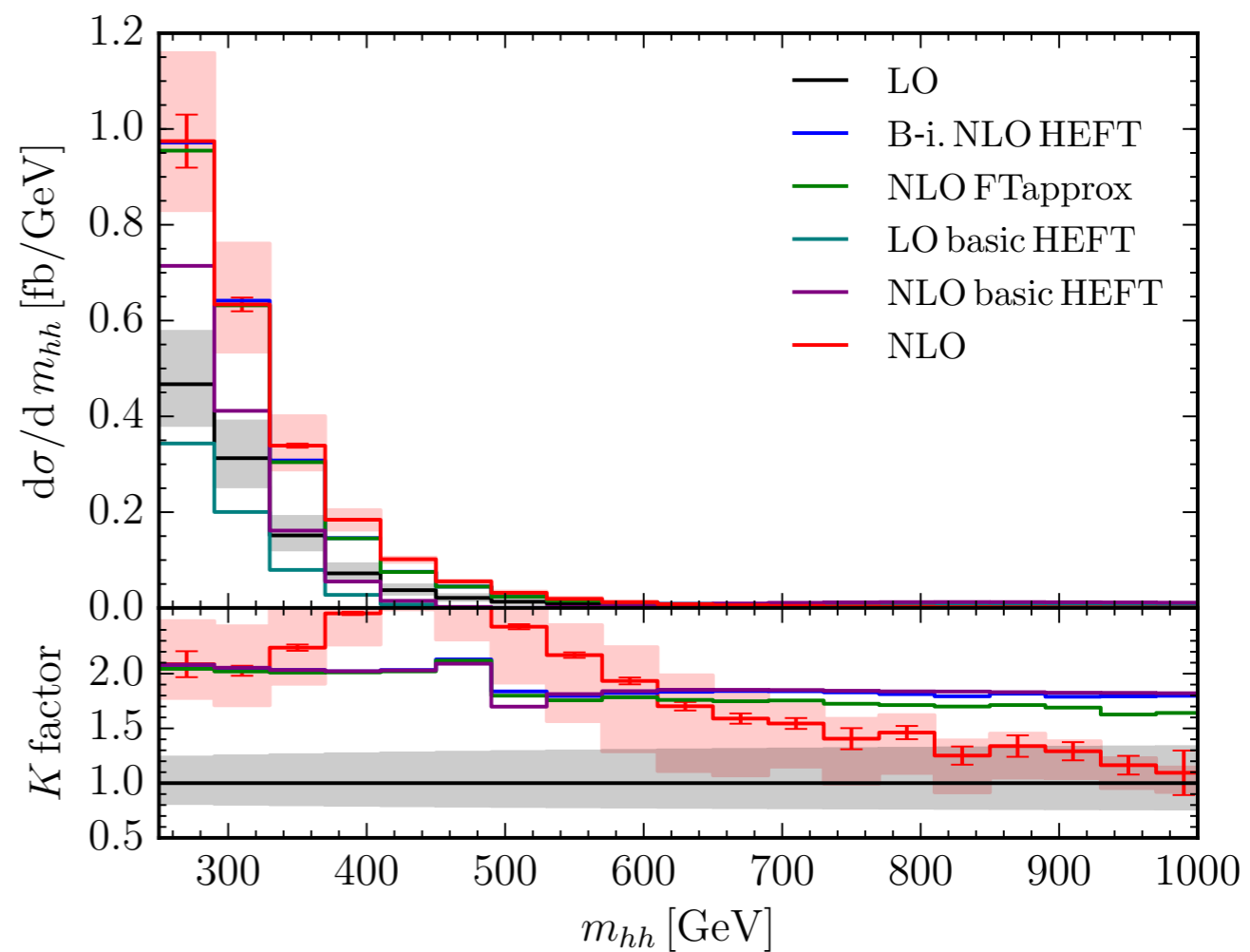
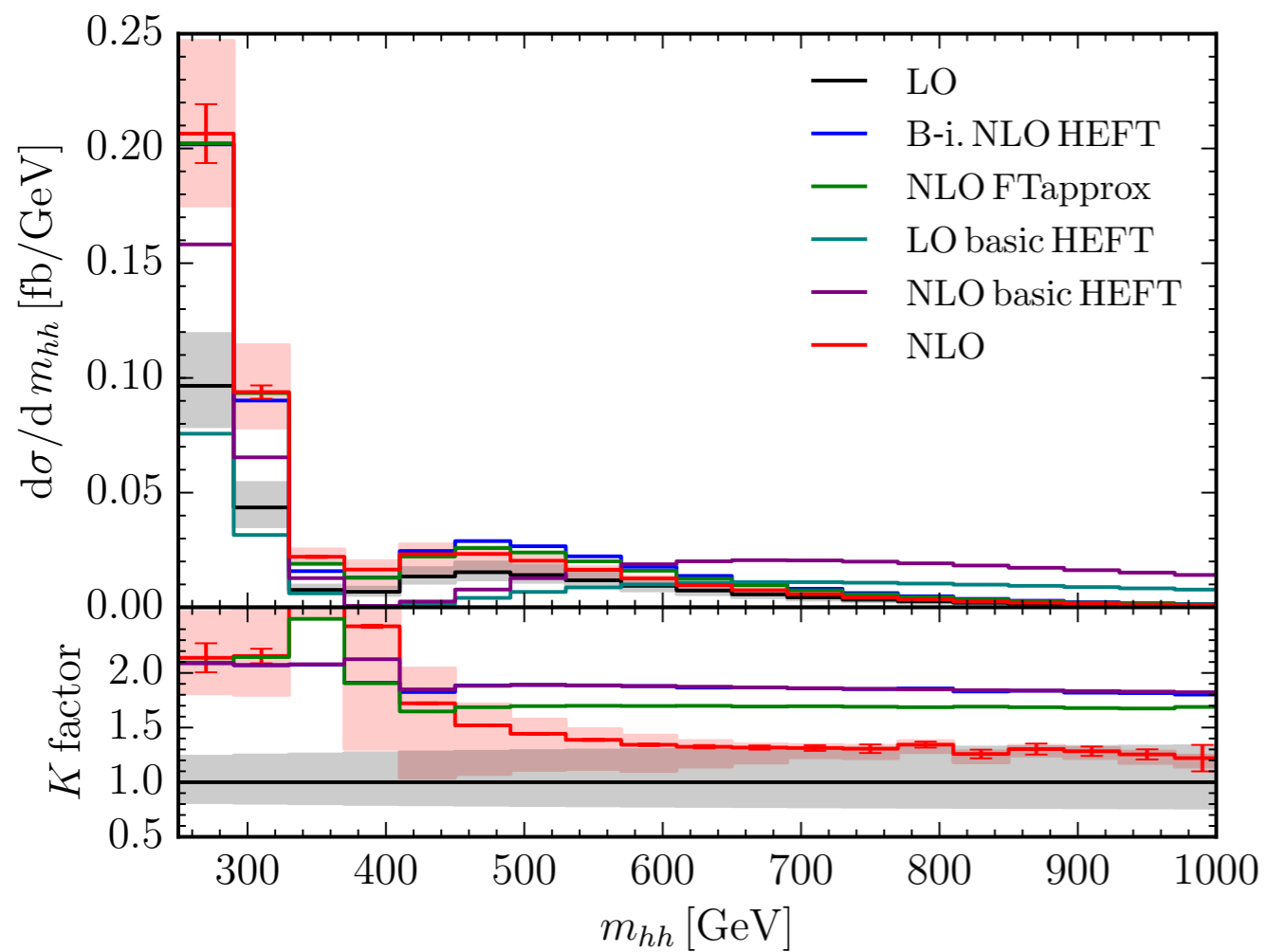
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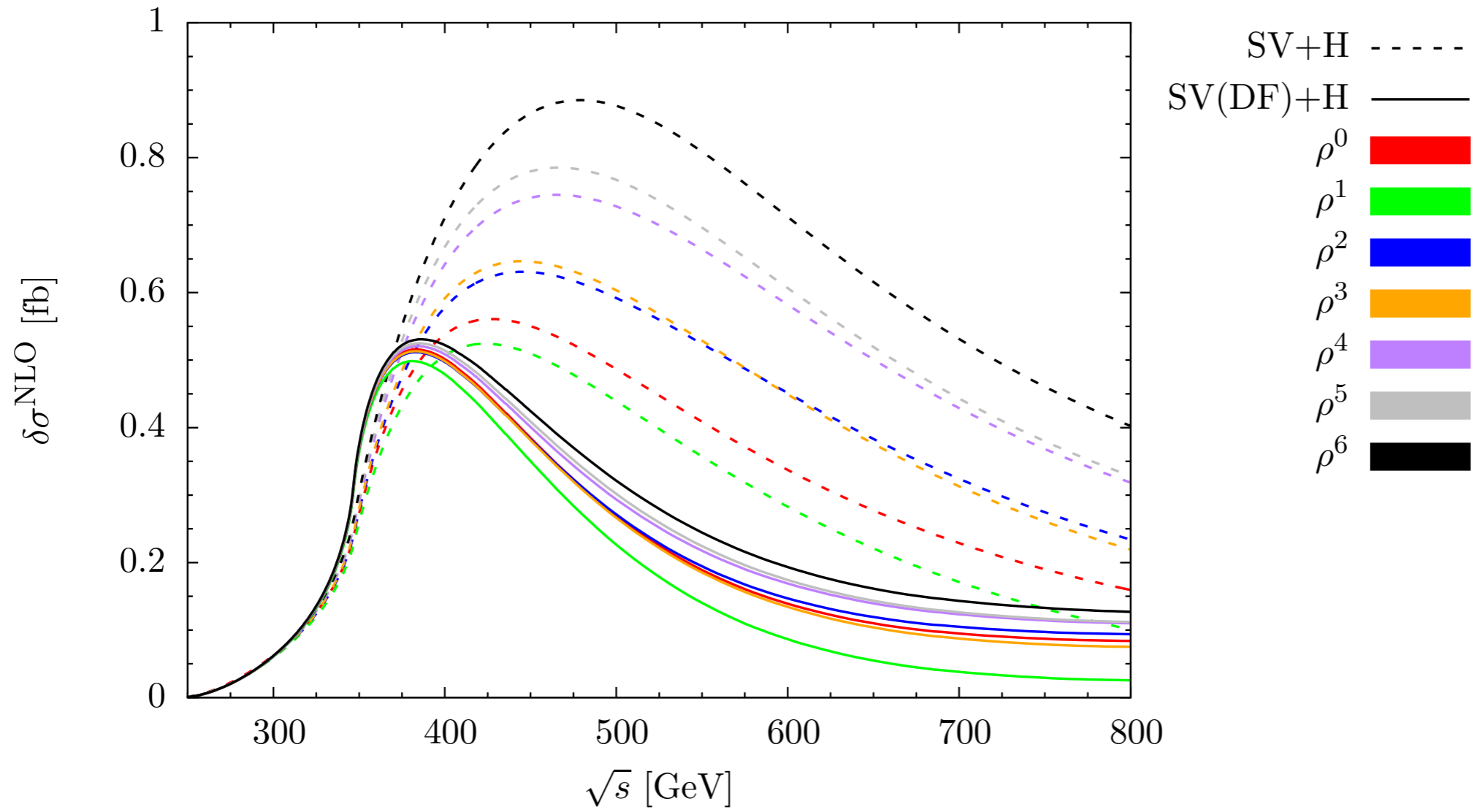


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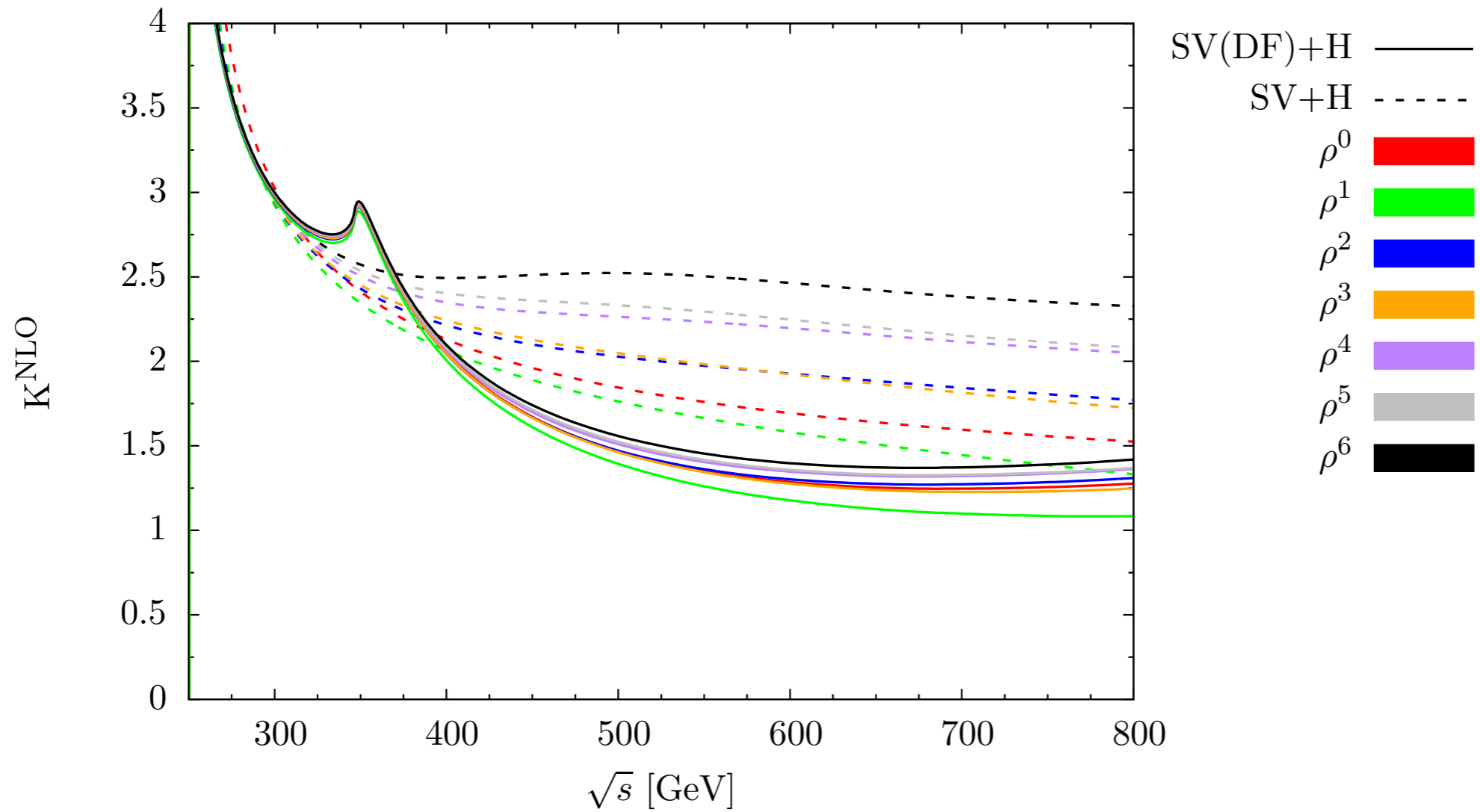
14 TeV, $\lambda = 3$

14 TeV, $\lambda = 5$



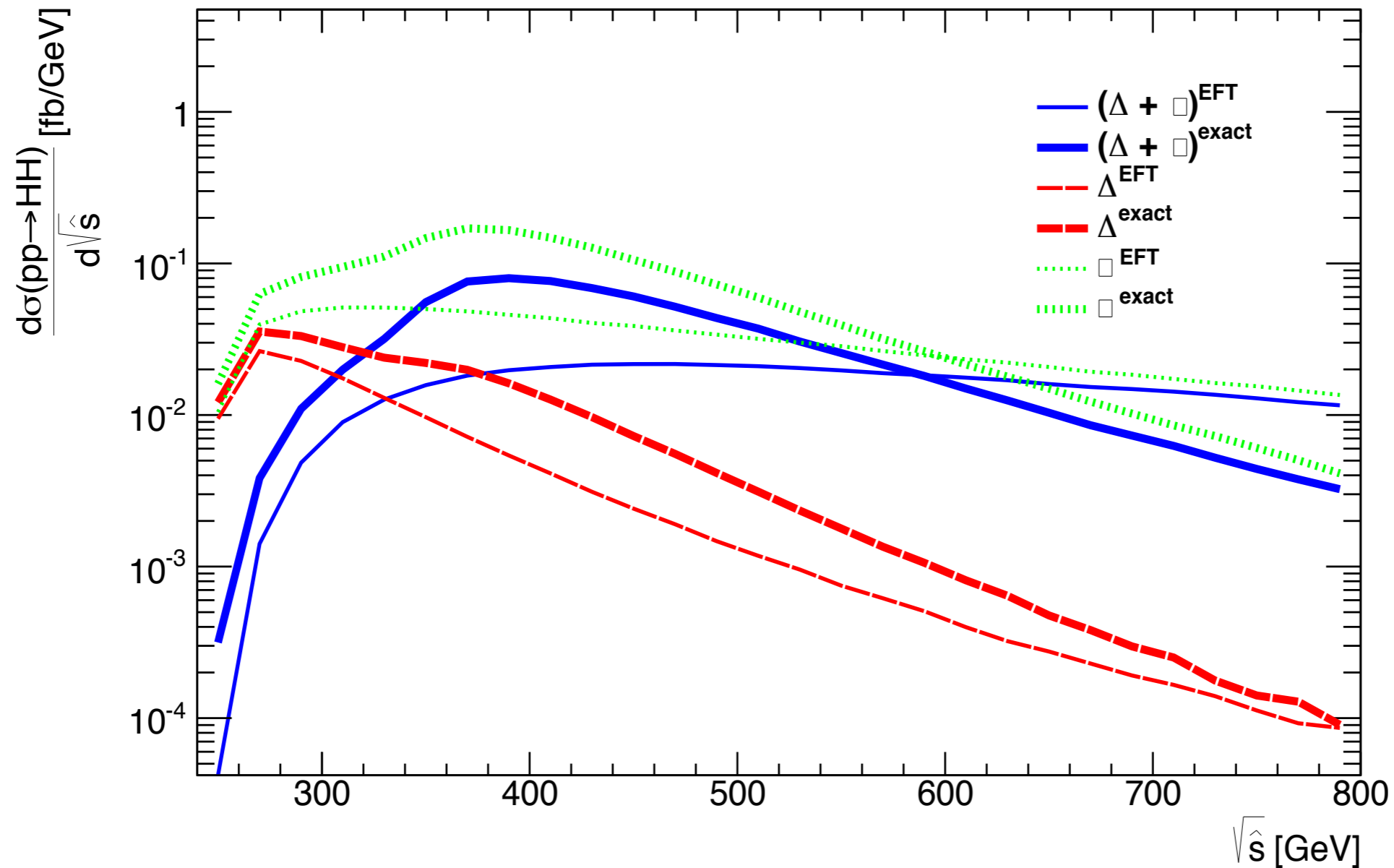


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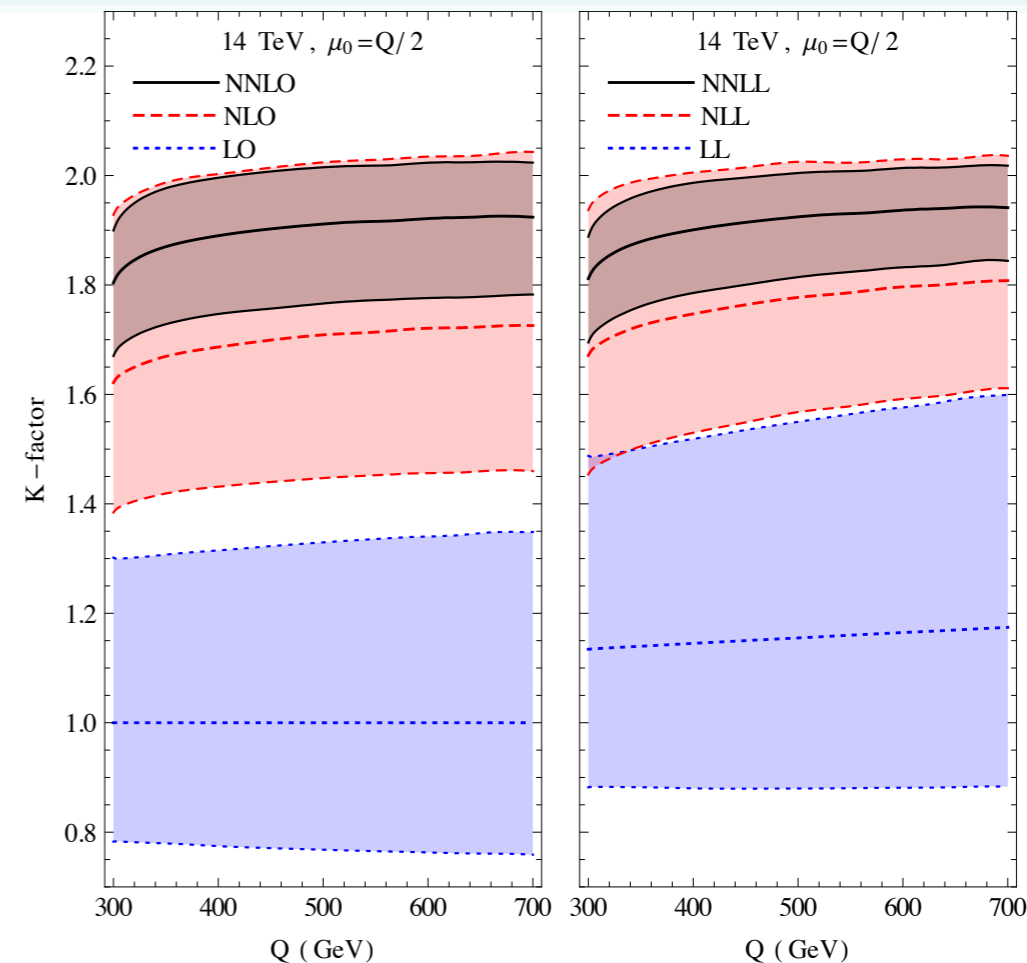
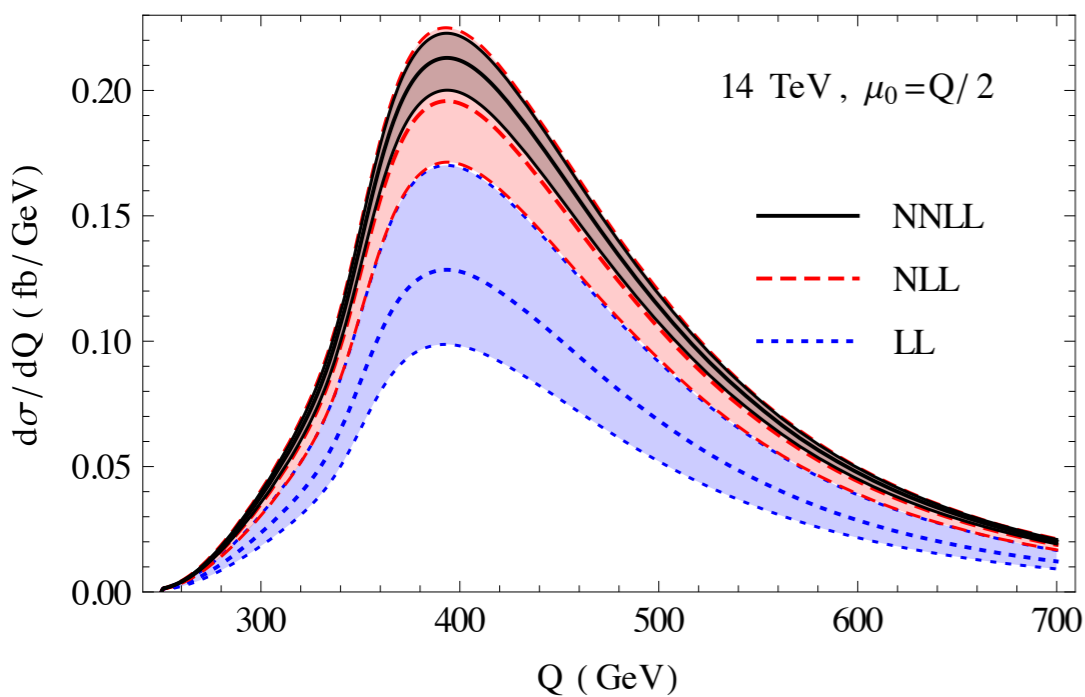
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Differential Cross Section



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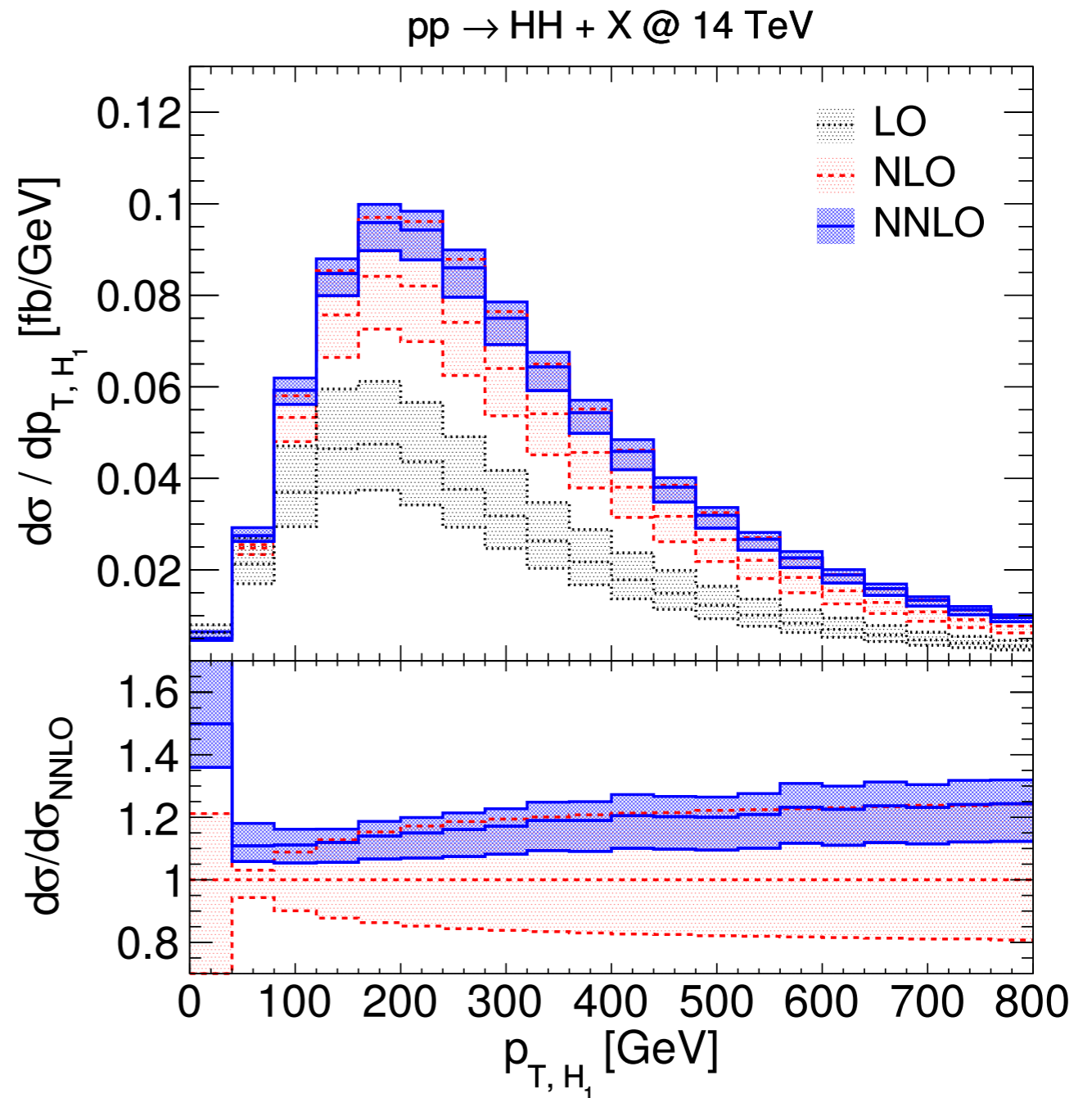
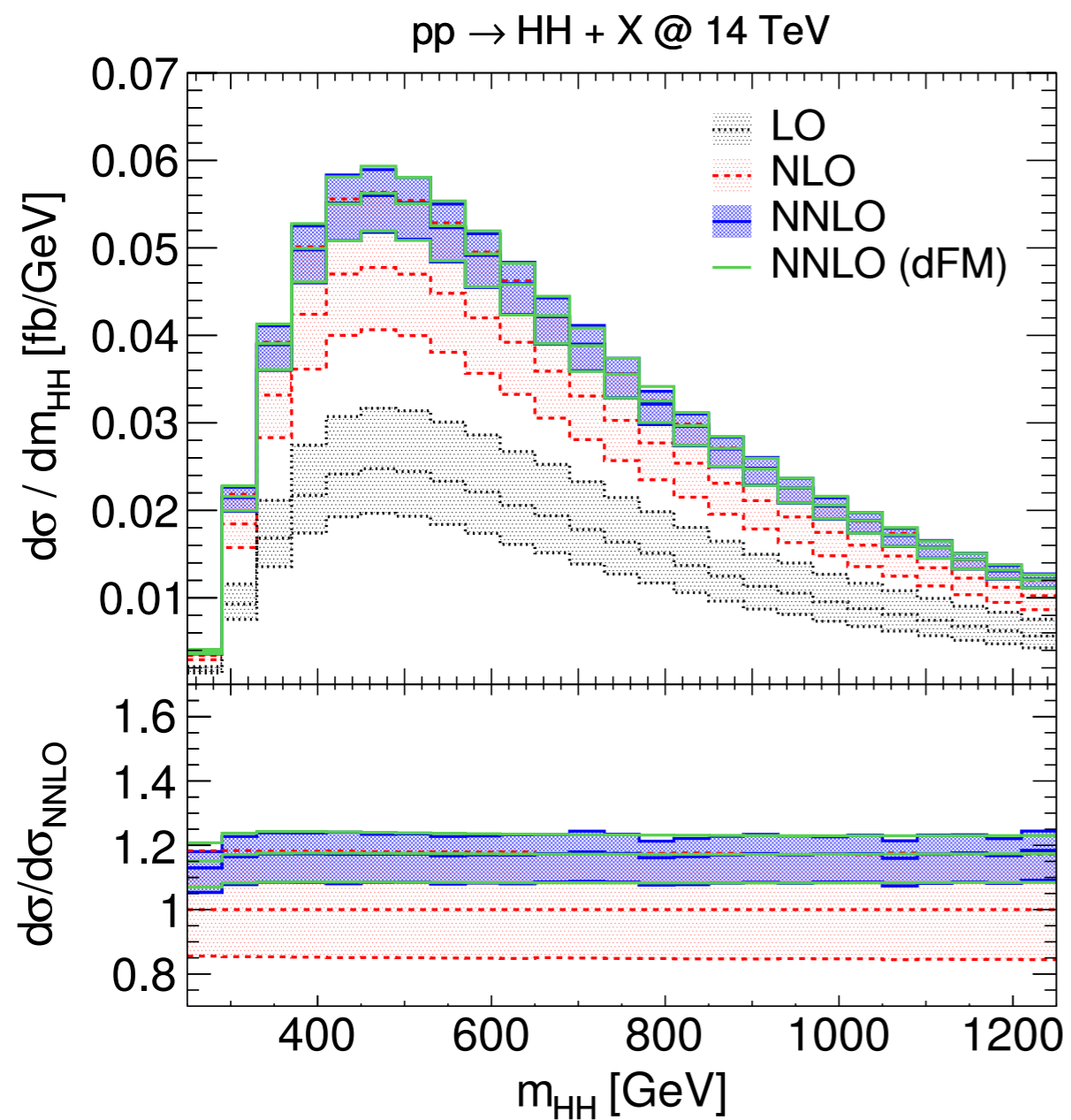
NNLO and NNLL results



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$\mu_0 = Q$	NNLO (fb)	scale unc. (%)	NNLL (fb)	scale unc. (%)	PDF unc. (%)	PDF+ α_S unc. (%)
8 TeV	9.92	+9.3 – 10	10.8	+5.4 – 5.9	+5.6 – 6.0	+9.3 – 9.2
13 TeV	34.3	+8.3 – 8.9	36.8	+5.1 – 6.0	+4.0 – 4.3	+7.7 – 7.5
14 TeV	40.9	+8.2 – 8.8	43.7	+5.1 – 6.0	+3.8 – 4.0	+7.5 – 7.3
33 TeV	247	+7.1 – 7.4	259	+5.0 – 6.1	+2.2 – 2.8	+6.1 – 6.1
100 TeV	1660	+6.8 – 7.1	1723	+5.2 – 6.1	+2.1 – 3.0	+5.7 – 5.8
$\mu_0 = Q/2$	NNLO (fb)	scale unc. (%)	NNLL (fb)	scale unc. (%)	PDF unc. (%)	PDF+ α_S unc. (%)
8 TeV	10.8	+5.7 – 8.5	11.0	+4.0 – 5.6	+5.8 – 6.1	+9.6 – 9.3
13 TeV	37.2	+5.5 – 7.6	37.4	+4.2 – 5.8	+4.1 – 4.3	+7.8 – 7.6
14 TeV	44.2	+5.5 – 7.6	44.5	+4.2 – 5.9	+3.9 – 4.1	+7.6 – 7.4
33 TeV	264	+5.3 – 6.6	265	+4.6 – 6.1	+2.4 – 2.7	+6.3 – 6.1
100 TeV	1760	+5.3 – 6.7	1762	+4.9 – 6.4	+2.2 – 3.1	+6.2 – 7.0

NNLO HEFT



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