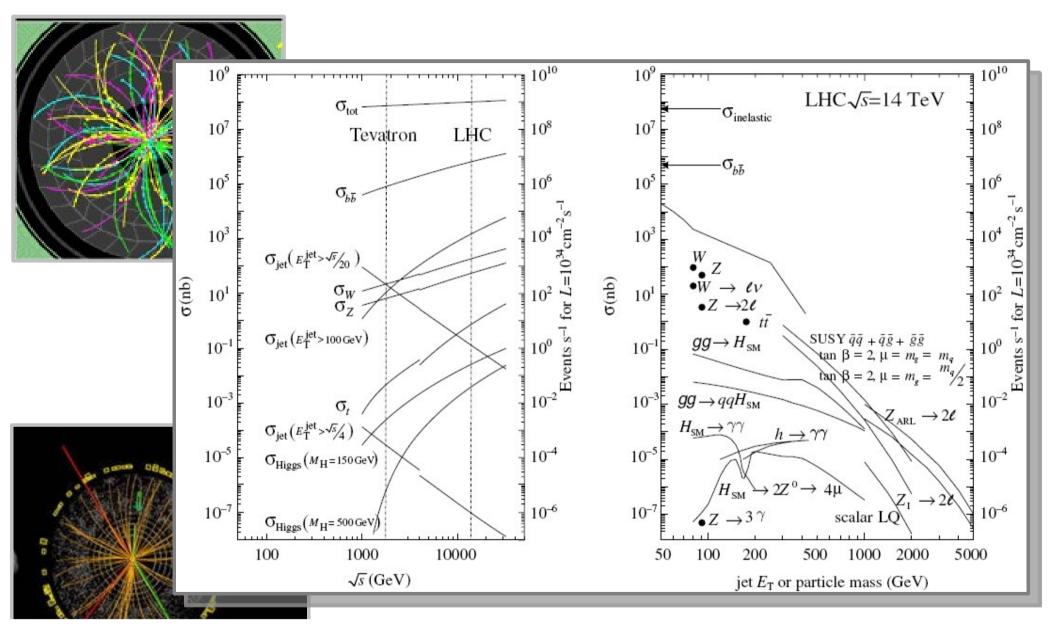


From "Events" to "Signal Events"



7 – 11 orders of magnitude between inelastic and "interesting" - "discovery" physics event rate

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Event Trigger

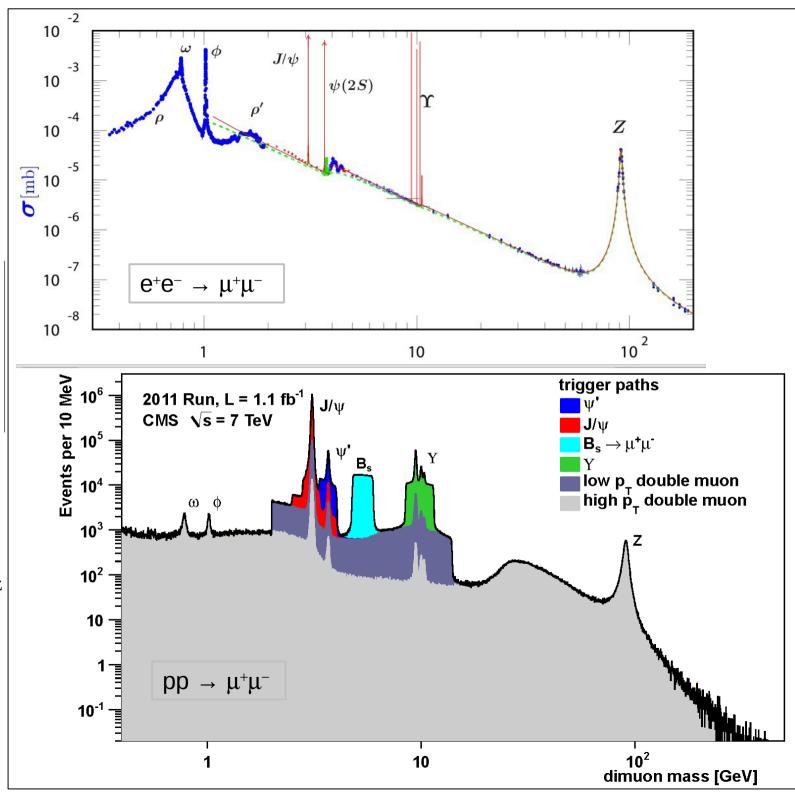
LHC interaction rate compels use of fast online event filter before full data collection and storage

Process	Evt Rate (Hz)
Inelastic	10^9
$bar{b}$	5×10^{6}
$W \to \ell \nu$	150
$t\bar{t}$	10
SUSY	O(0.5)

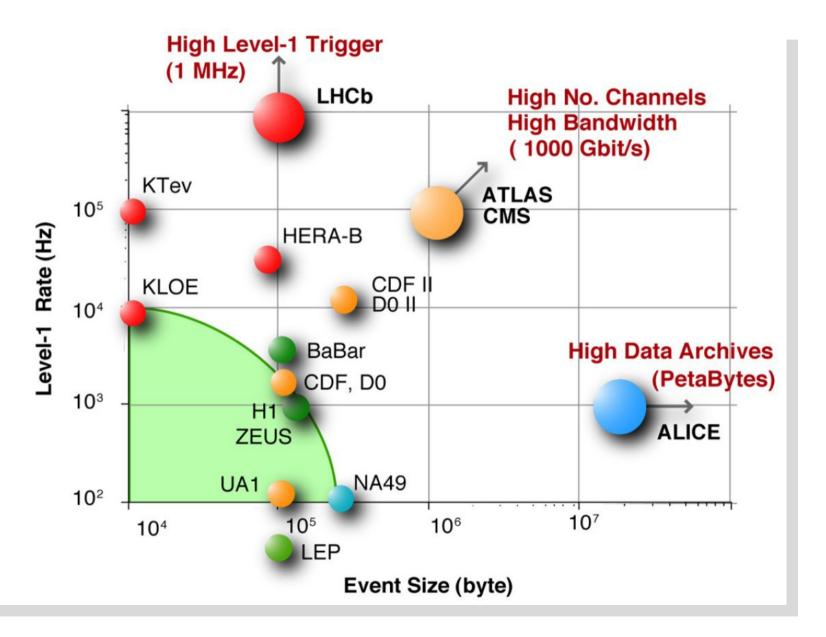
Analyse and save/reject events with fast processing, high rejection factors & high efficiency for physics;

From 40(20)MHz to ~100Hz in stages (HW+SW);

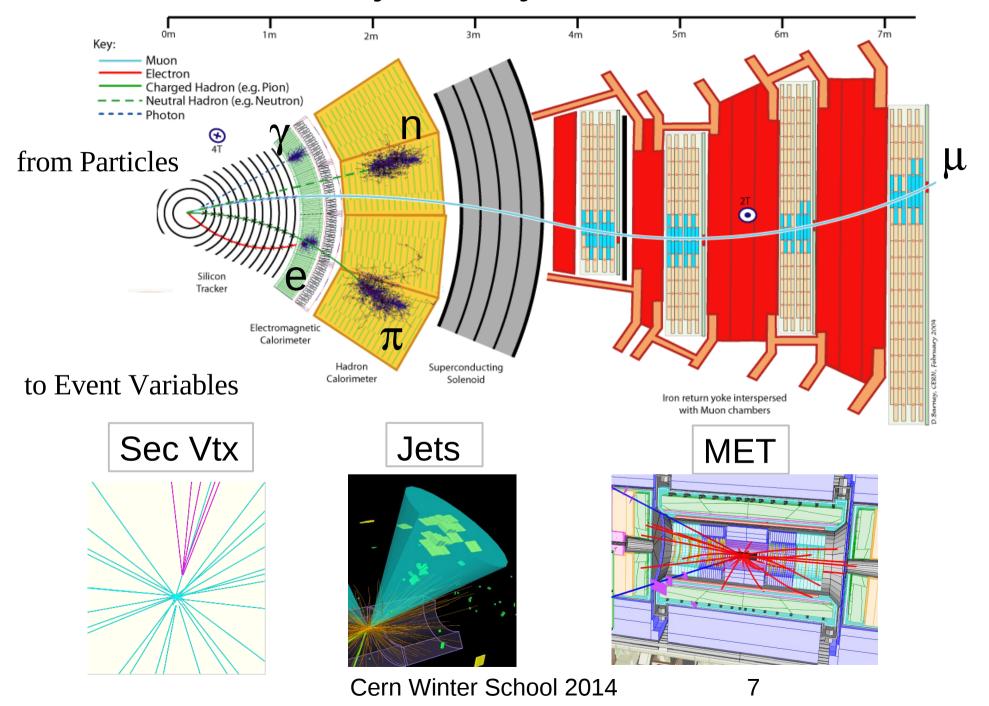
Use redundant trigger (Muon & Calo at L1 + HLT)

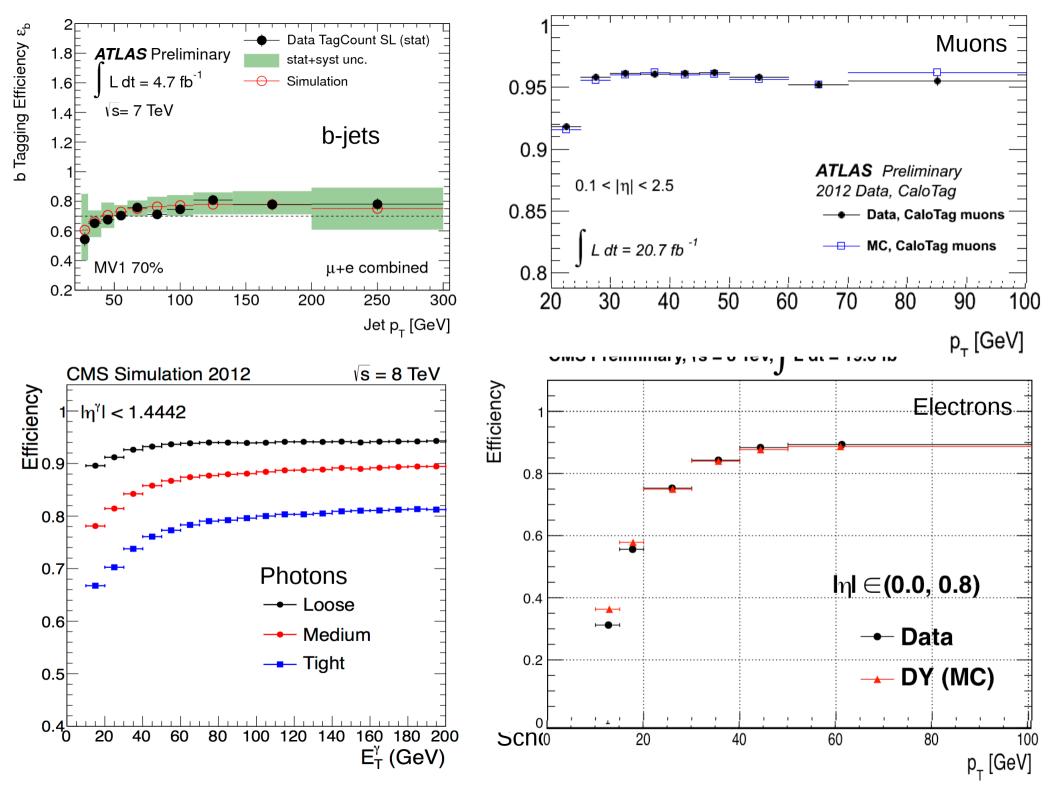


Trigger Rate and Event Size depends on Physics

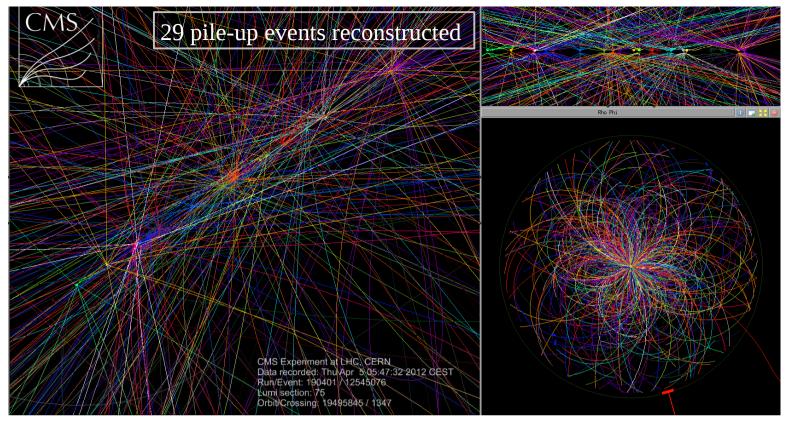


Reconstruction of Physics Objects





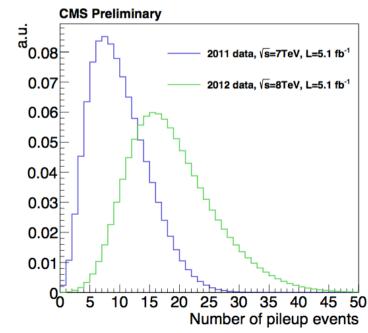
Event Pile-up



High interaction rate (to attain luminosity) and large inelastic cross section make minimum bias event pile-up on "physics event" important and must be dealt with in event reconstruction (jet clustering, MET, ...)

Long bunch spreads events origin along beam axis.

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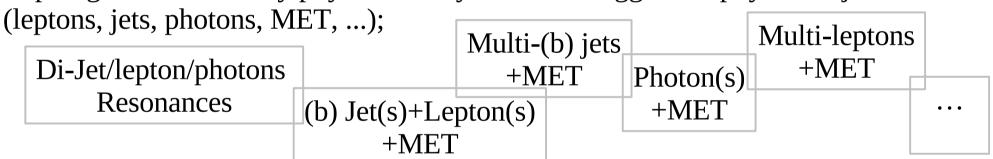


Signal Topologies

Trigger pre-selection & severe hadronic backgrounds make essential the identification of well-defined signal topologies for signal-bkg event discrimination;

Theories & models being tested typically depend on many parameters which often change the way signal event look like in the detectors;

Topologies are driven by physics and by available triggers on physics objects



Studies and searches by signal topologies make LHC results available for re-interpretation for other theories and models than those originally aimed at;

Whenever developing a new theory ask yourself whether the LHC may not have already something to say about it.

LHC result re-interpretation

Results of LHC searches are upper limits (signal strength determinations) for given topology and acceptance x efficiency of selection: these can be re-interpreted for different physics signals once the acceptance x efficiency matrix for the new process

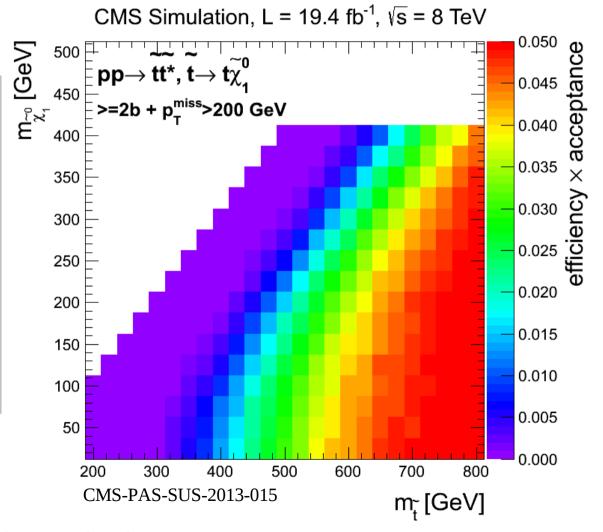
can be determined:

LHC cross section upper limits;

Generation of new process;

Efficiency X acceptance matrix of trigger + selection cuts (validated fast parametric simulation)

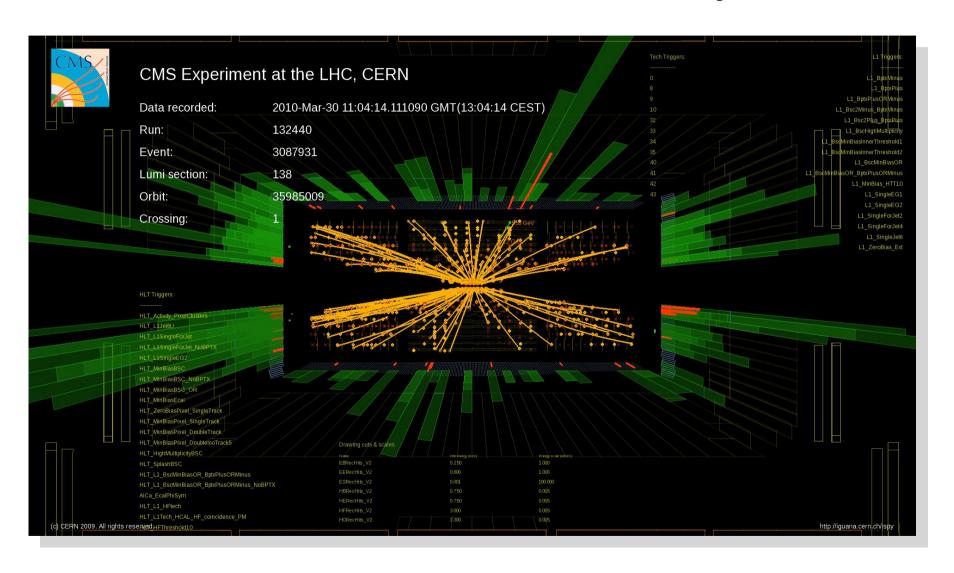
Extraction of upper limits for new process



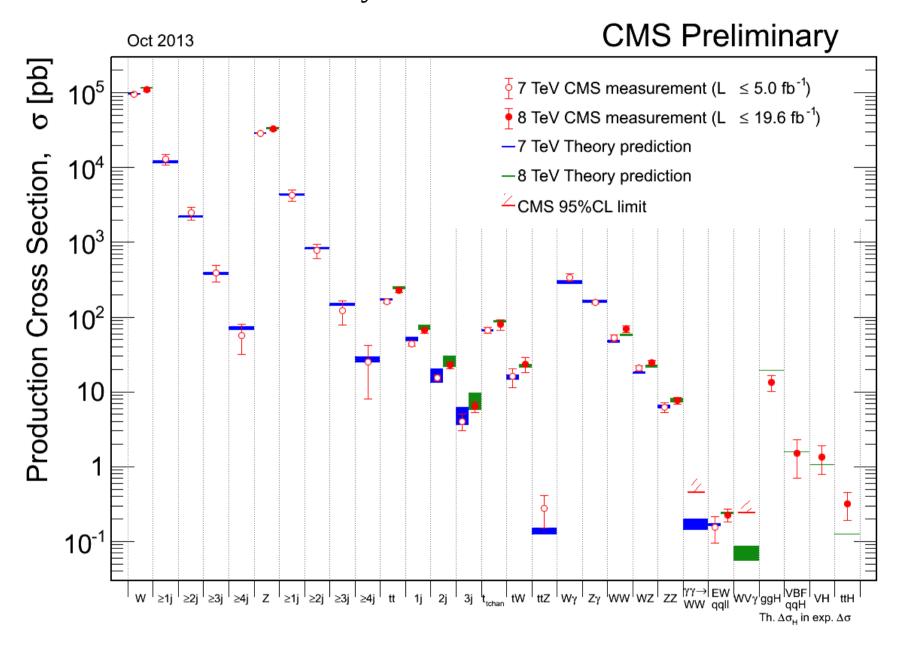
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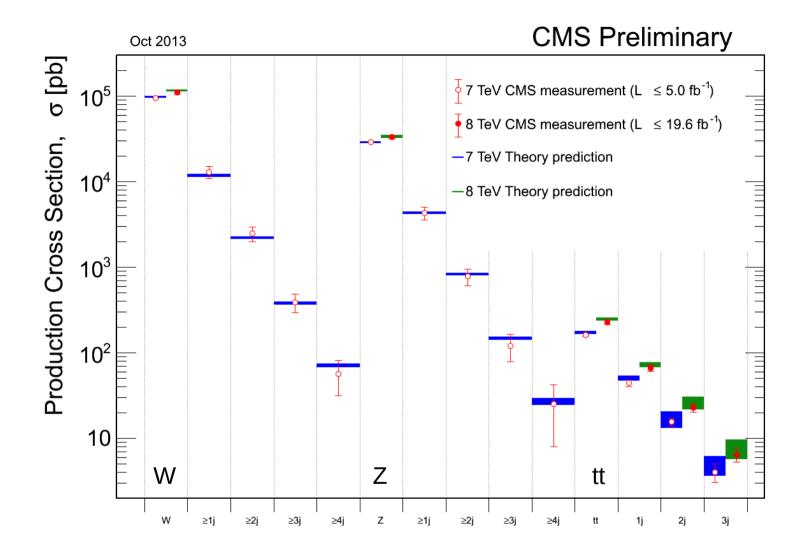
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LHC and the "SM Rediscovery"



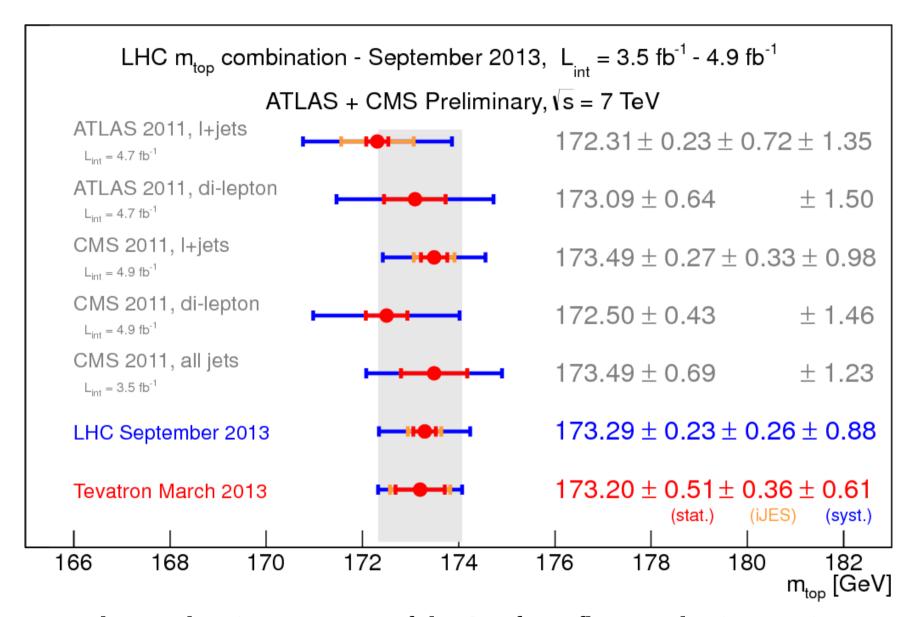
SM Cross Sections: LHC Measurements and Theory Predictions





Beyond proof of accuracy achieved in reconstructing complex hadronic final states, these results are essential for new physics searches, which explore the same topologies

Top Mass Determination

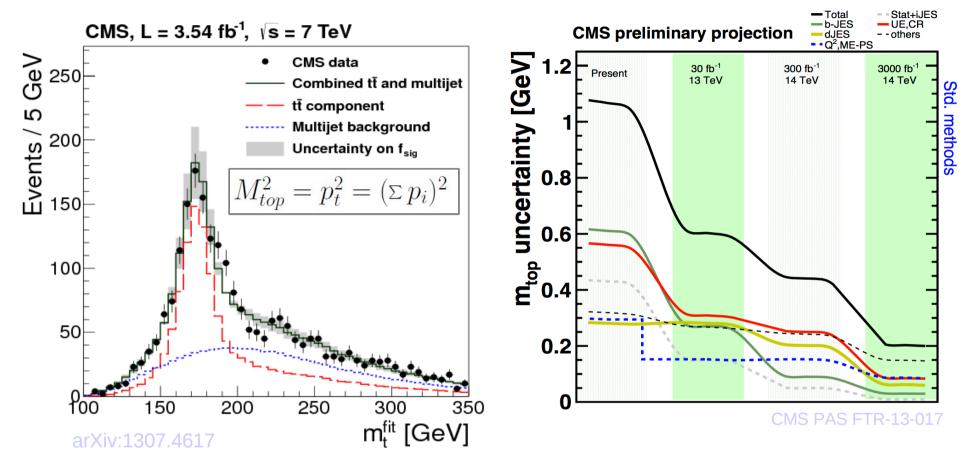


Top quark mass key input to tests of the SM from flavour physics to Higgs sector

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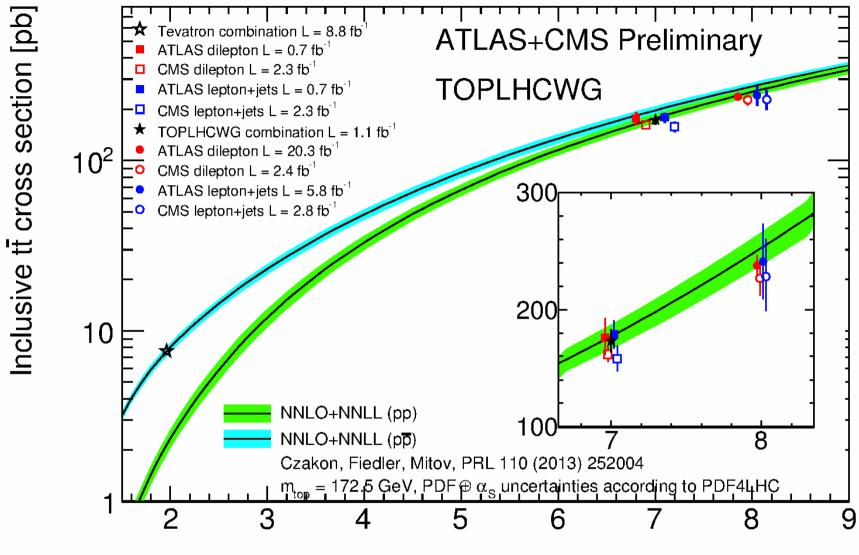
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Top Mass Definition and Expected Accuracy



With syst accuracy falling below 1 GeV, it is relevant to ask ourselves which mass is Measured and which is its relation to the masses appearing in the theory expressions; Fit to invariant mass of jets effectively measures a generator mass (M_{top}^{Pythia}) which is a short-distance mass and can be related to the Msbar mass: theory effort needed to fully profit of progress in M_{top} accuracy from LHC measurements (Hoang & Stewart, NP 185 (2008)).

Top production cross section



Contrary to Tevatron, gg production dominates at LHC. \sqrt{s} [TeV] tt cross section can be used to extract M_{top} in well-defined renormalization scheme and thus with better control of theory uncertainties, stat accuracy not yet competitive Cern Winter School 2014 17

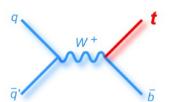


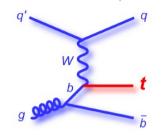
s-channel $\sigma \sim$ 4.6 pb

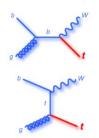
t-channel $\sigma \sim$ 64 pb

Wt-channel $\sigma \sim$ 15.6 pb

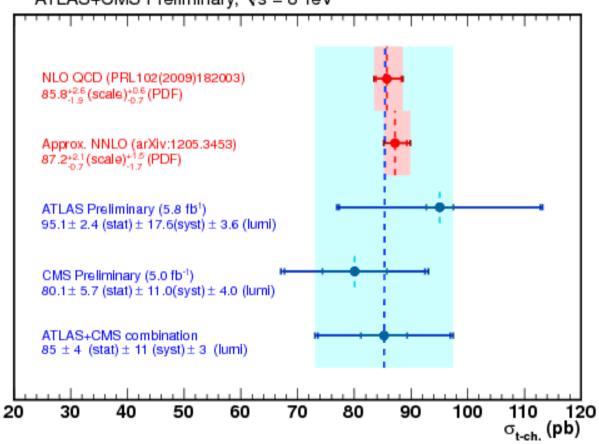
EW production of t quark sensitive to $|V_{tb}|$:



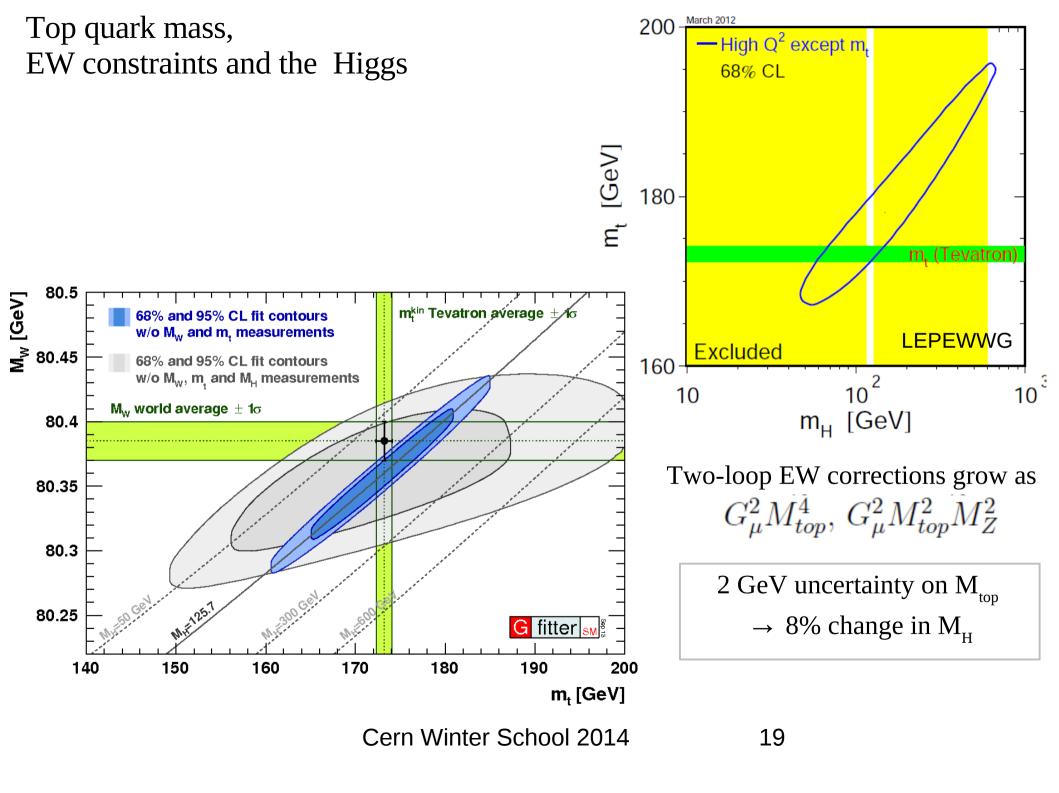


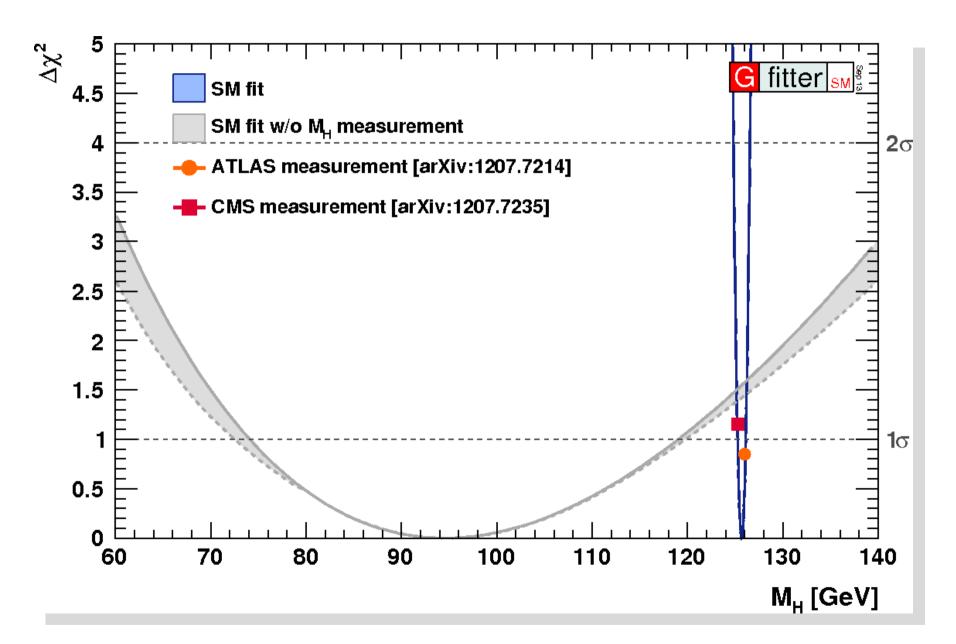




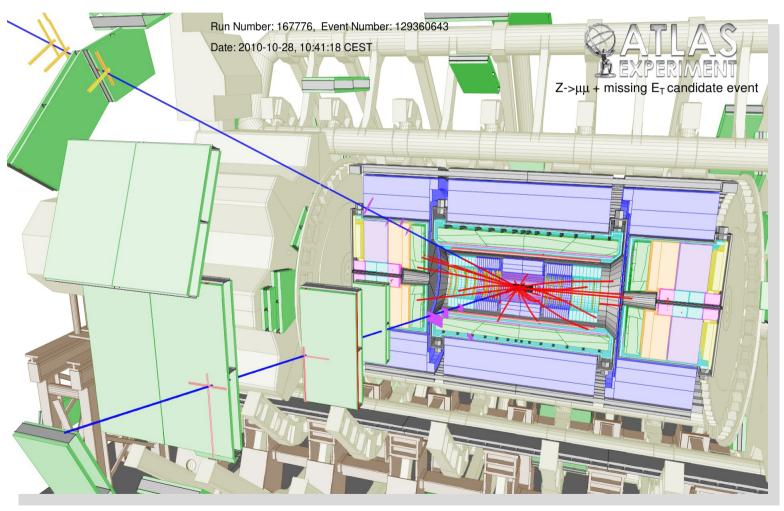


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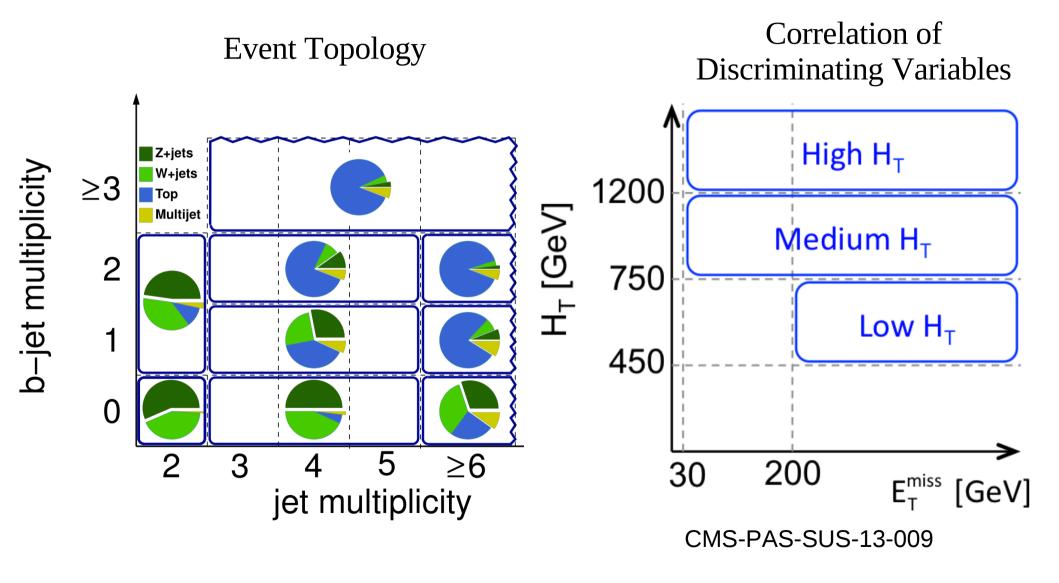




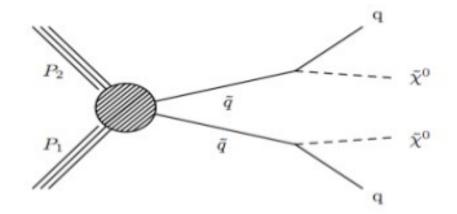
LHC, SUSY and Dark Matter: WIMP Searches

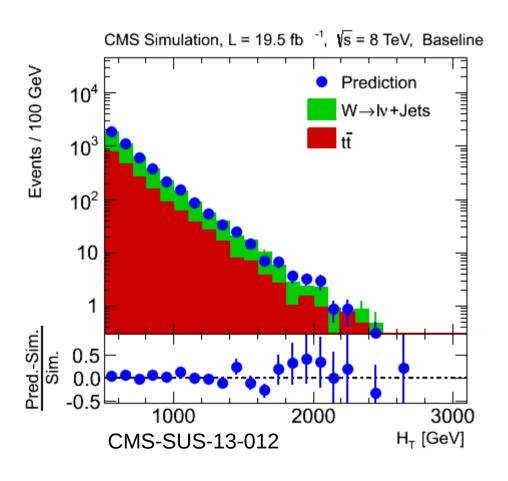


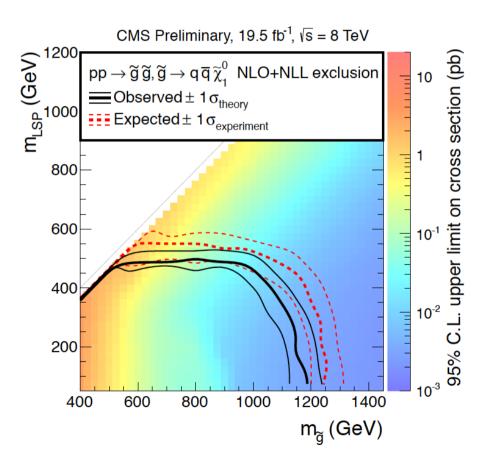
SUSY searches sensitive to WIMPs through decay chains as MET: Broad sensitivity over sparticle mass range but less efficient at small ΔM

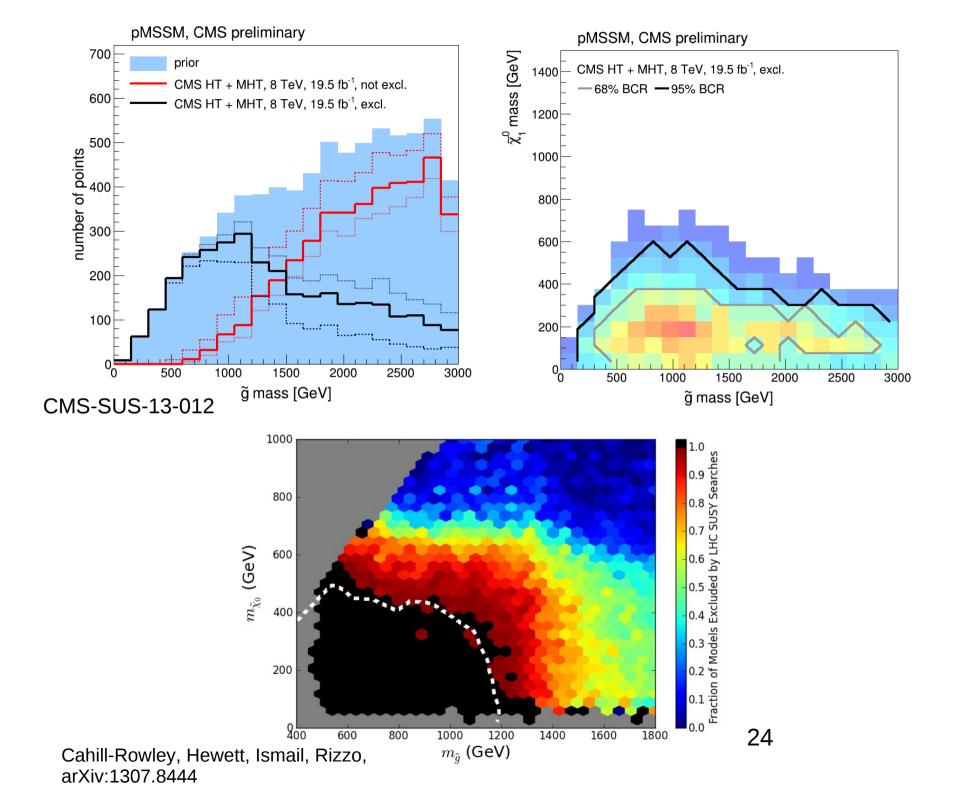


Strongly-interacting SUSY particles

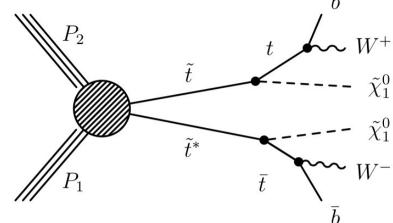


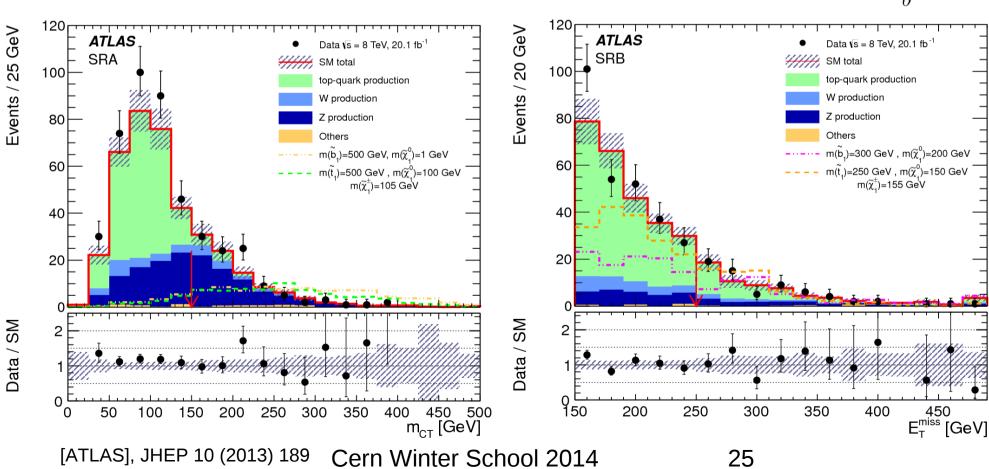


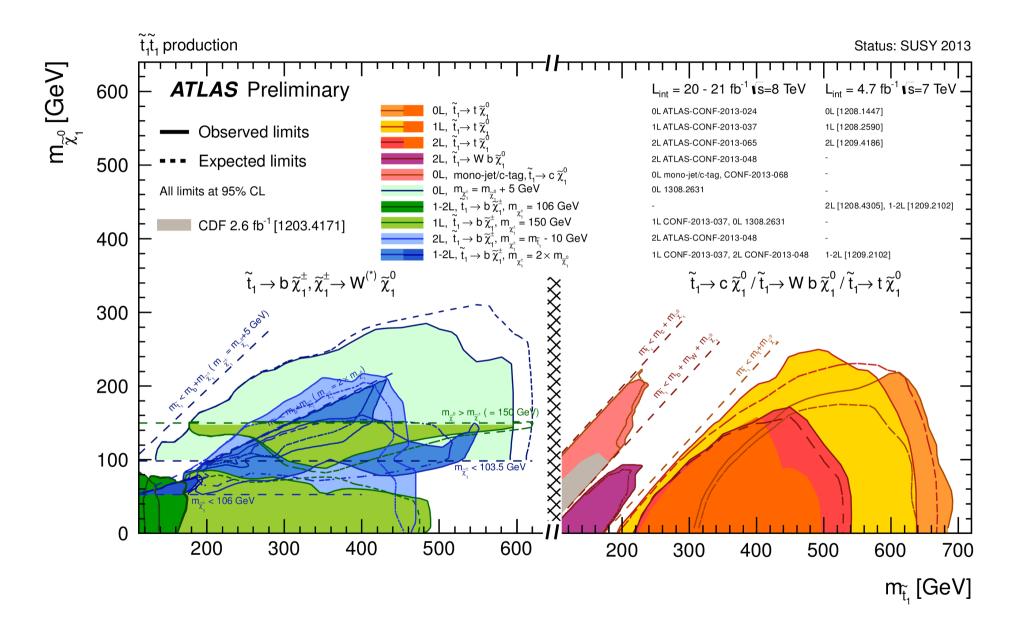




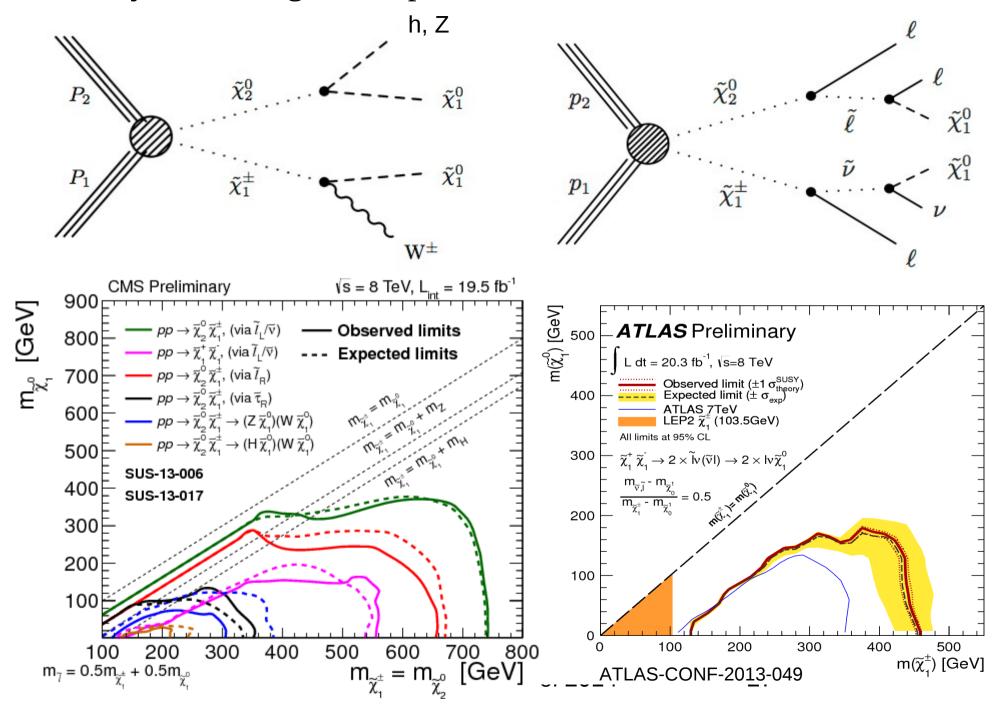
Weakly-interacting SUSY particles Scalar top and bottom





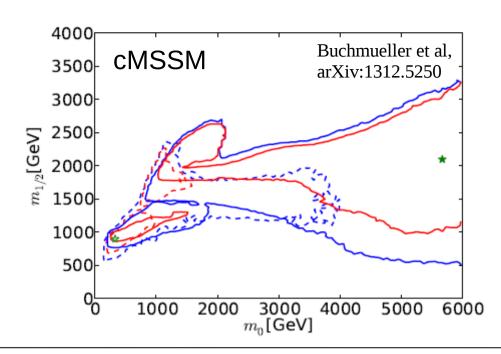


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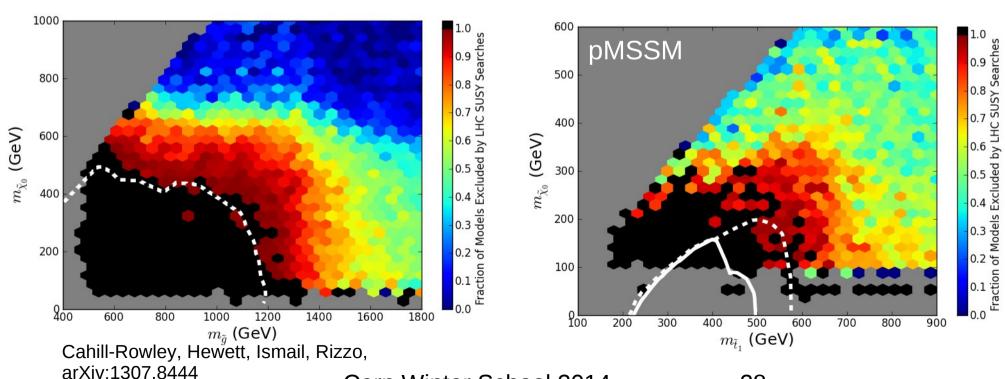


How much of SUSY has been excluded by the LHC 7+8 TeV Data?

constrained vs unconstrained SUSY models:

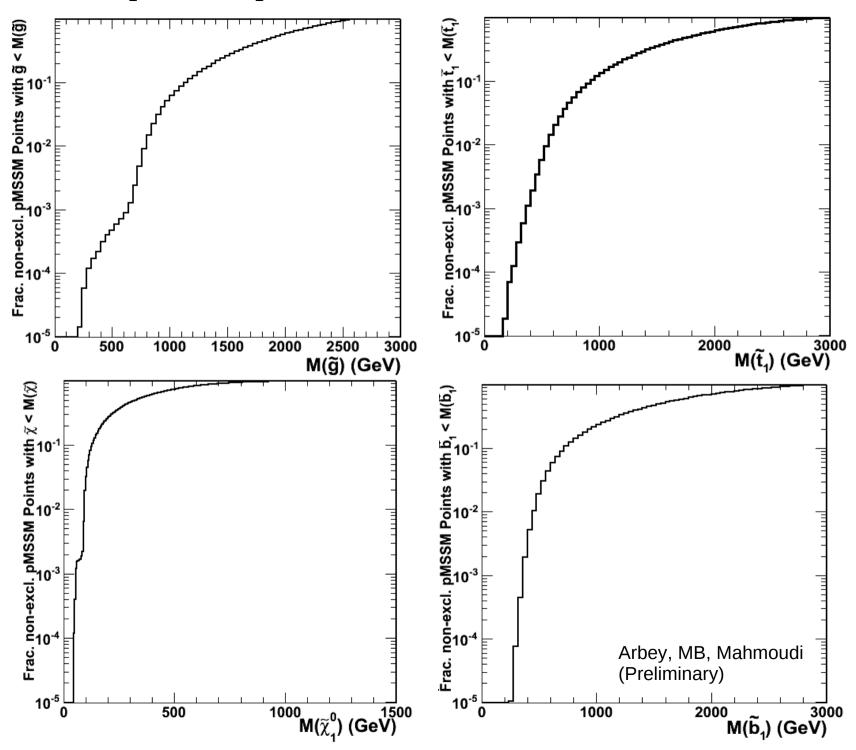


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Non-excluded points in pMSSM scenarios

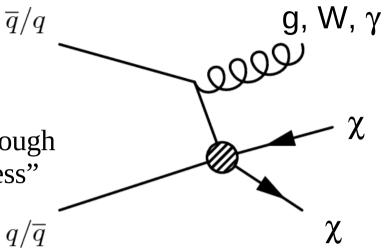


Model-independent WIMP searches:

mono-jet, mono-photon,

mono-W/Z, mono-lepton

LHC collision can search for WIMP production through processes with large MET and one parton as "witness" of interaction;



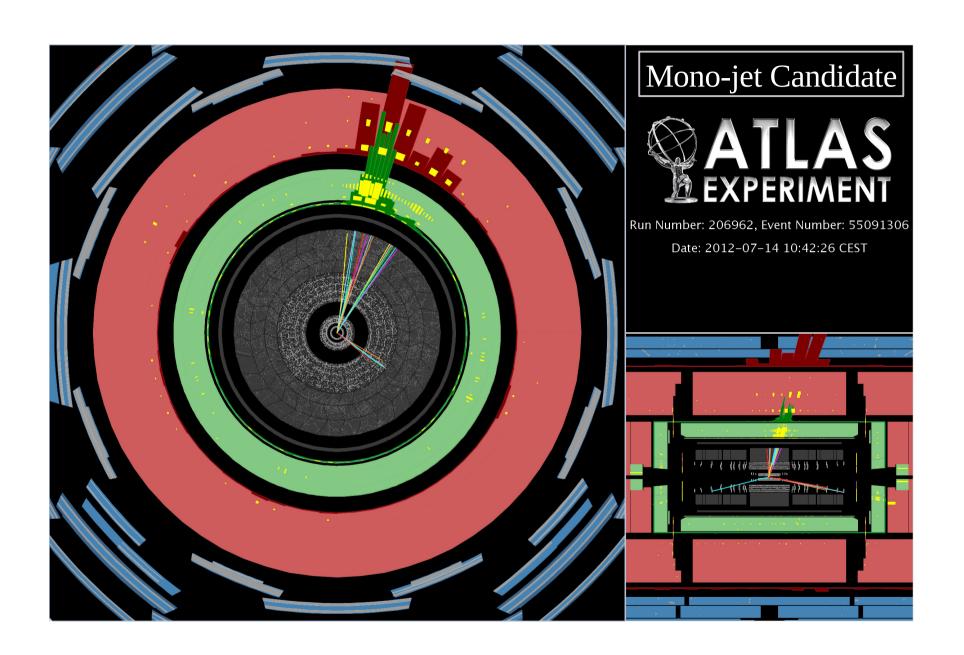
Sensitivity can be estimated using EFT or actual models (SUSY, ...);

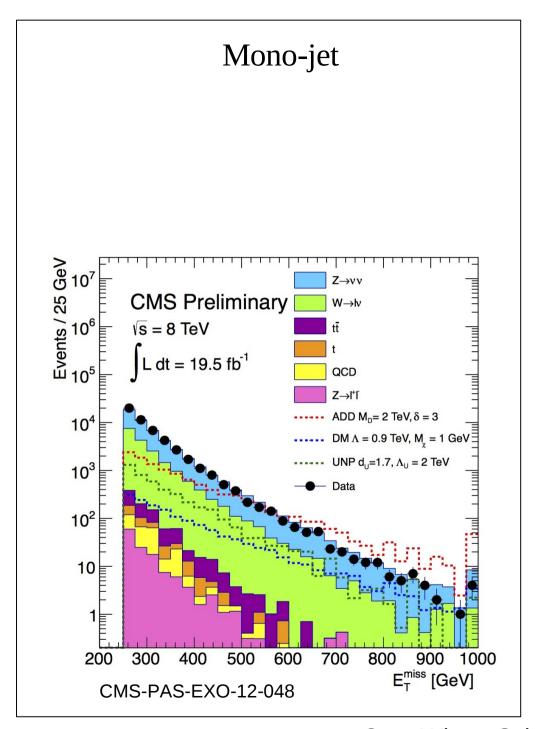
Results can be interpreted as limits on $\Lambda \equiv M/\sqrt{g_\chi g_q}$ related to limits on

WIMP scattering cross section on nucleons $\sigma_{\rm DD} \sim g_\chi^2 \, g_q^2 \, \frac{\mu^2}{M^4}$ to compare

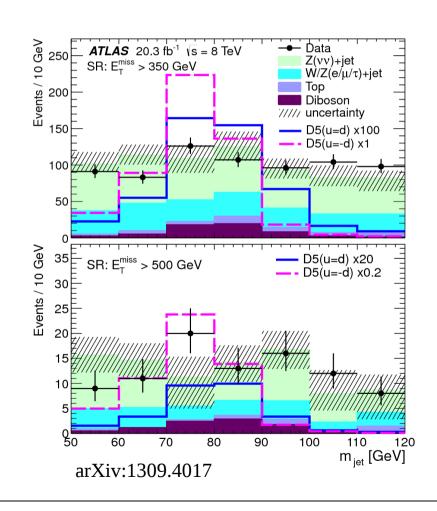
with results of DM direct detection experiments.

Bai, Fox, Harnik, JHEP 1012 (2010) 048 Goodman et al, PRD 82 (2010) 116010 Goodman et al, PLB 695 (2011) 185

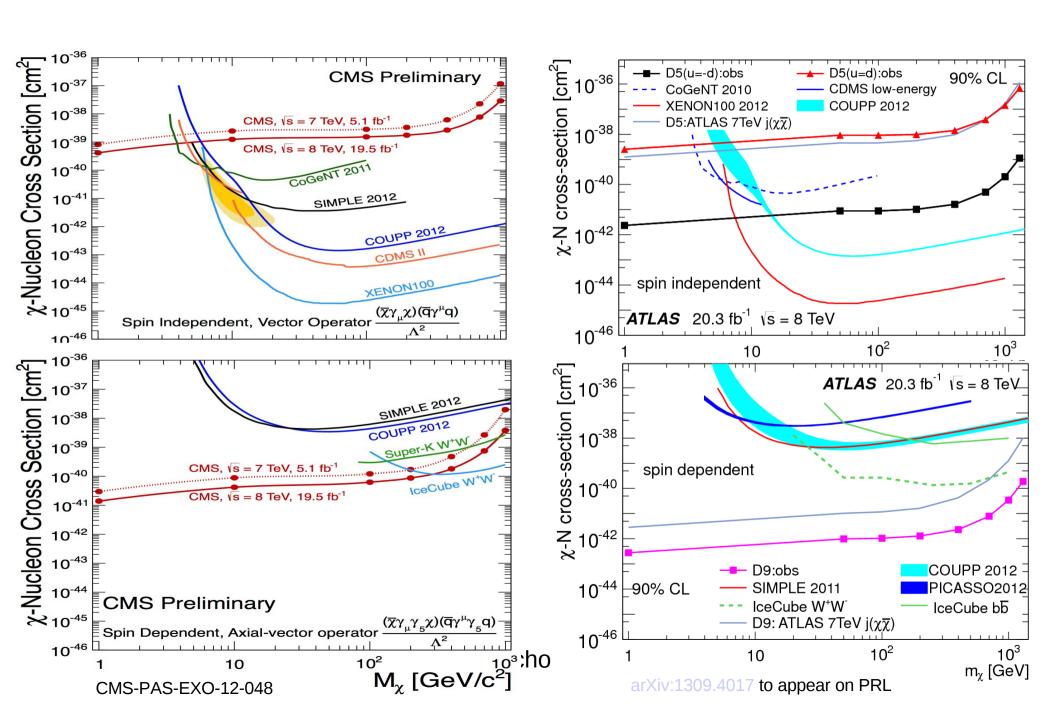




Mono W/Z

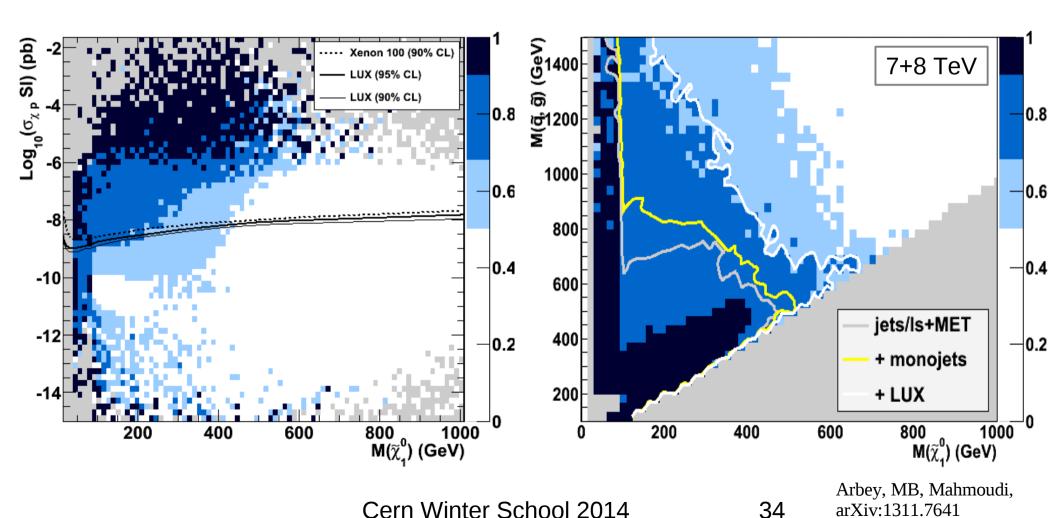


Correlating LHC searches and WIMP DM direct searches

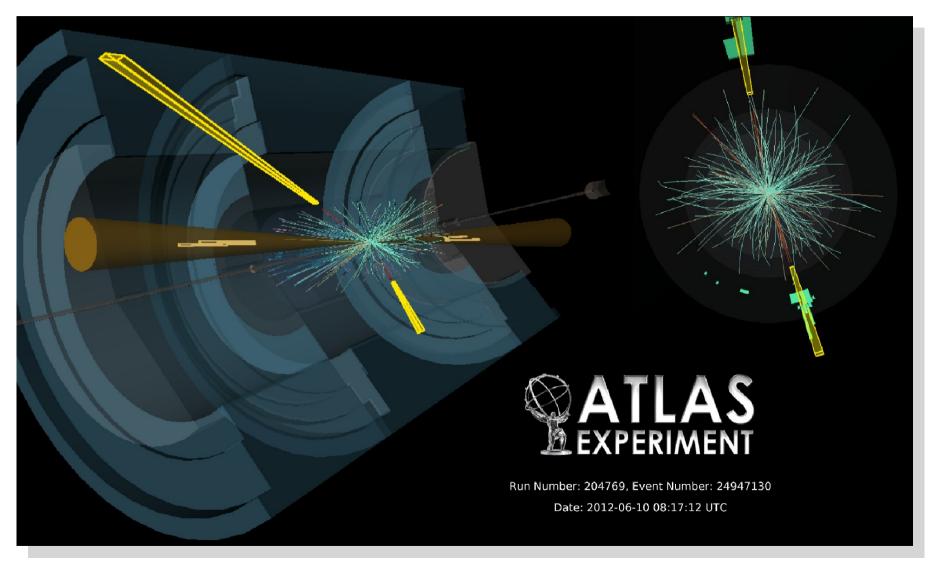


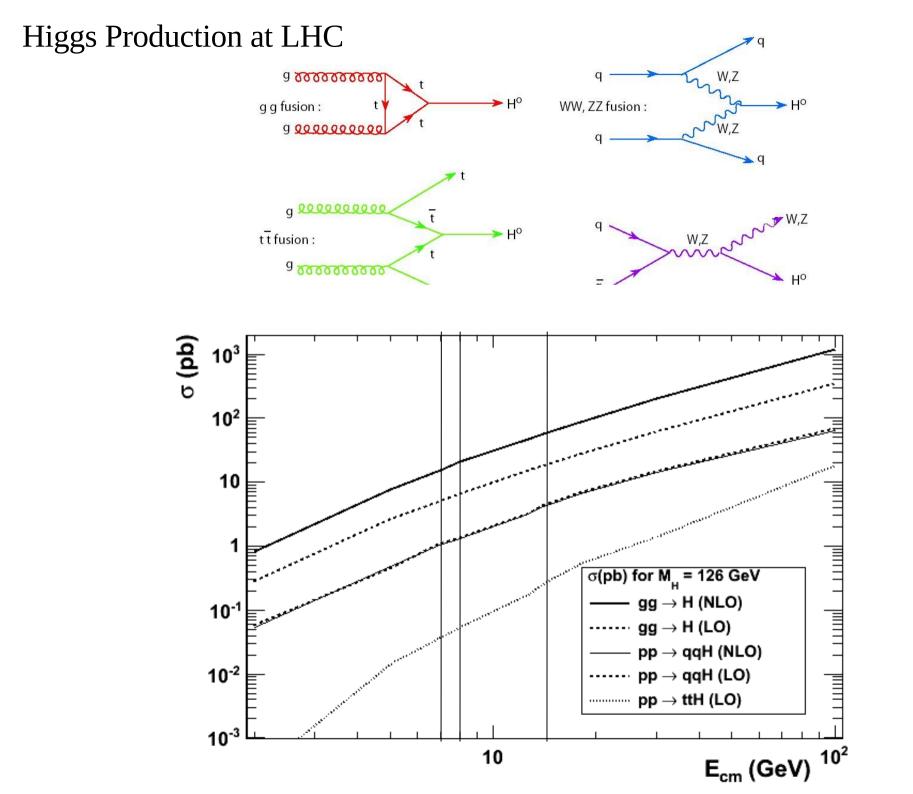
The Case of the MSSM

In a more complex case as a SUSY χ_1^0 WIMP, the results are affected by the availability of multiple propagators and the presence of other particles at small mass splitting, still mono-jets add to the LHC sensitivity, notably in the kinematically difficult small DM region;

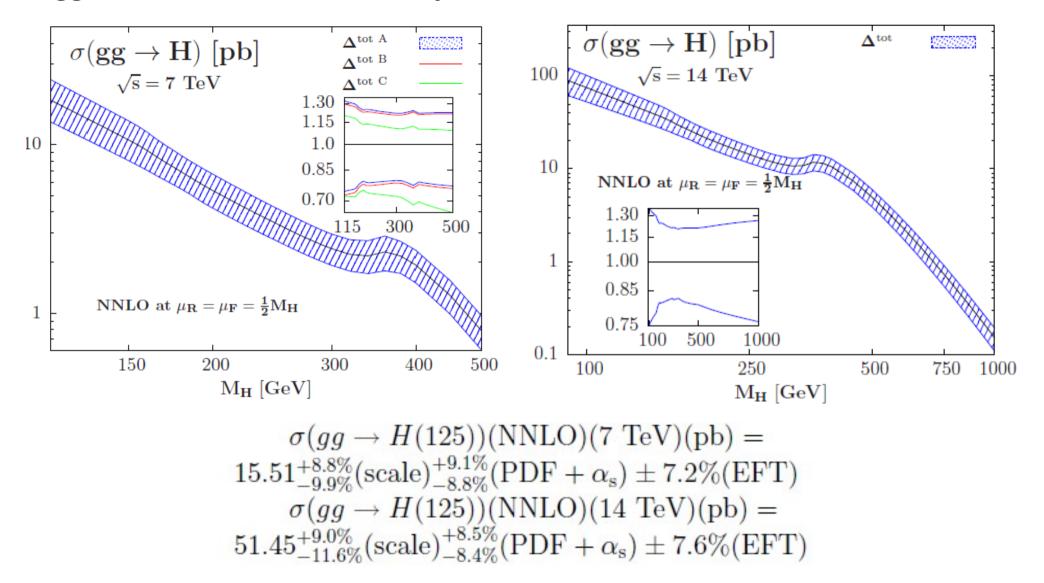


Higgs Physics at LHC

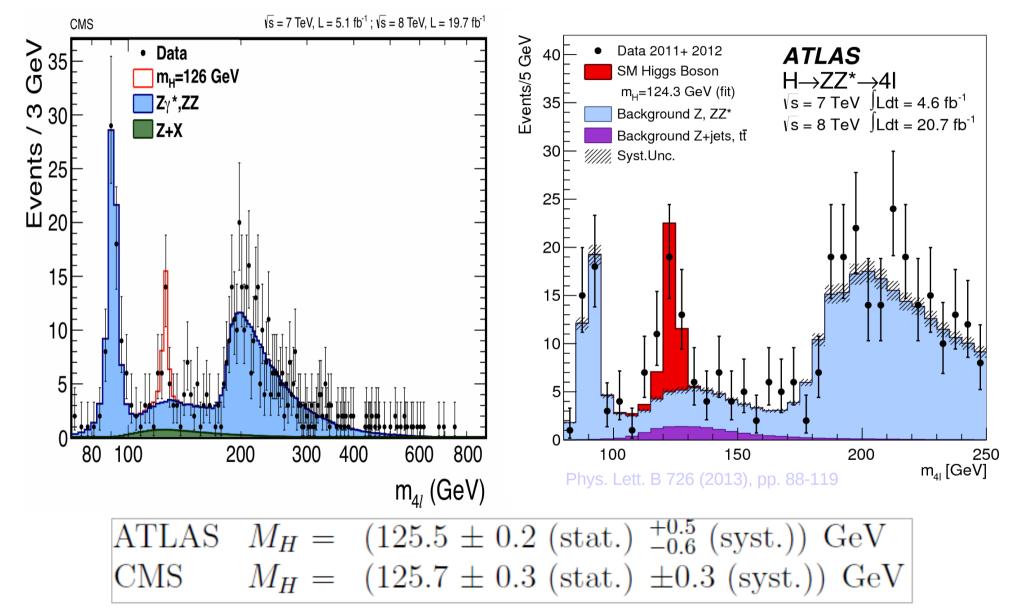




Higgs Production at LHC: Theory Uncertainties



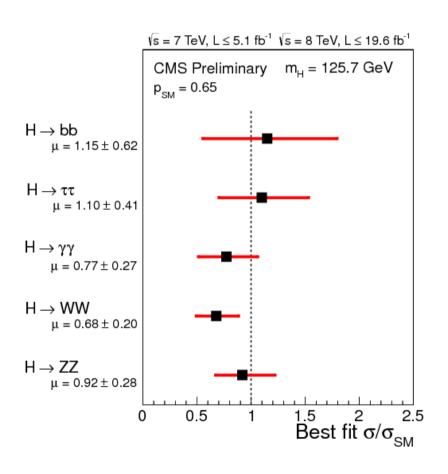
Baglio, Djouadi, JHEP 1103 (2011)

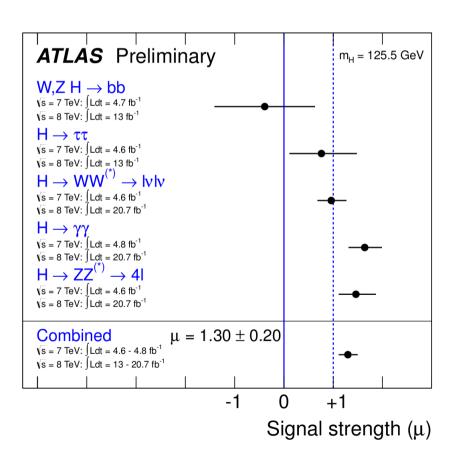


Signal Strengths
$$\mu = \frac{\sigma \times BR}{\sigma \times BR|_{SM}}$$

Experiment measures "signal" rates in given final state defined by analysis criteria;

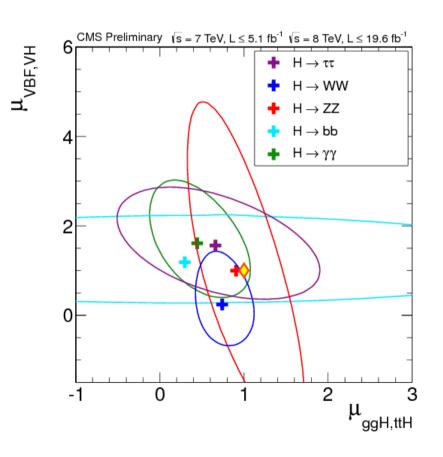
No model independent way to extract Higgs branching fractions (contrary to e⁺e⁻ colliders) Conversion of LHC signal strengths to Higgs couplings requires additional assumptions:

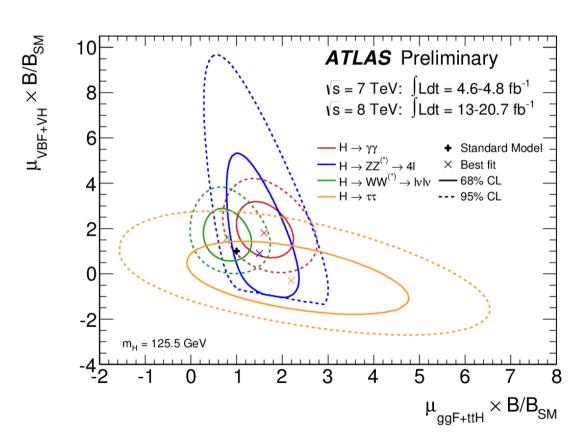




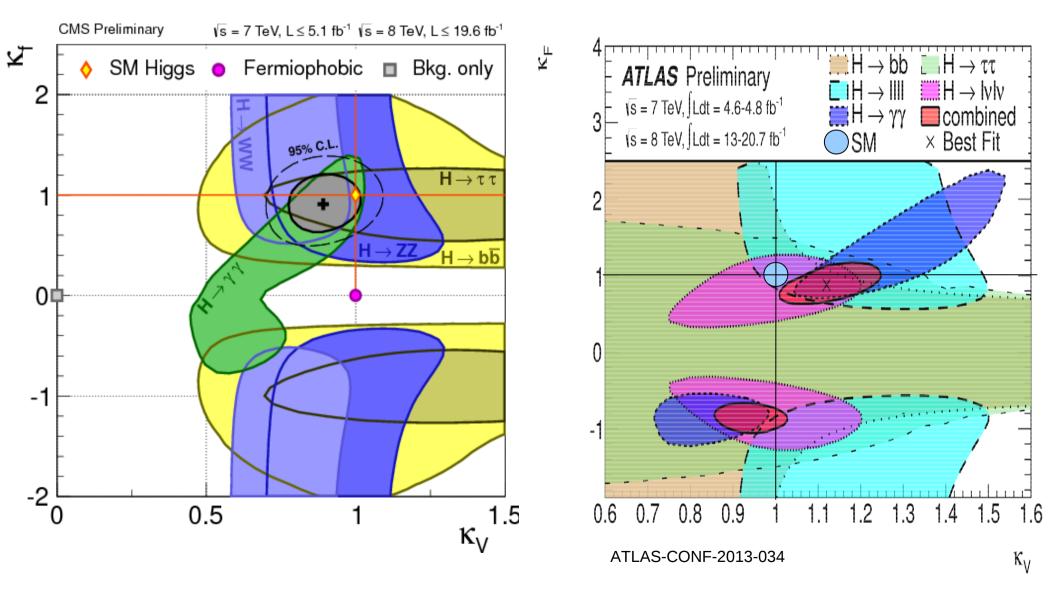
Signal Strengths and Production Process

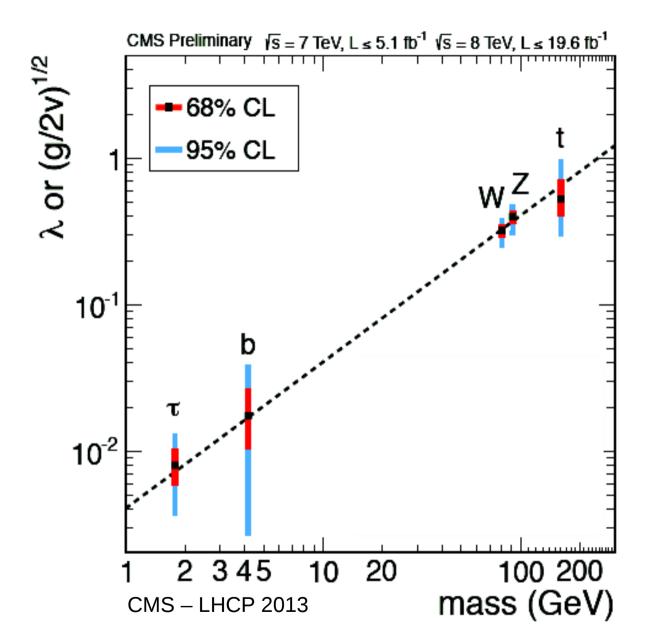
Several production processes at LHC, analysis criteria modify their contribution to signal giving access to Higgs couplings to vector bosons in production;





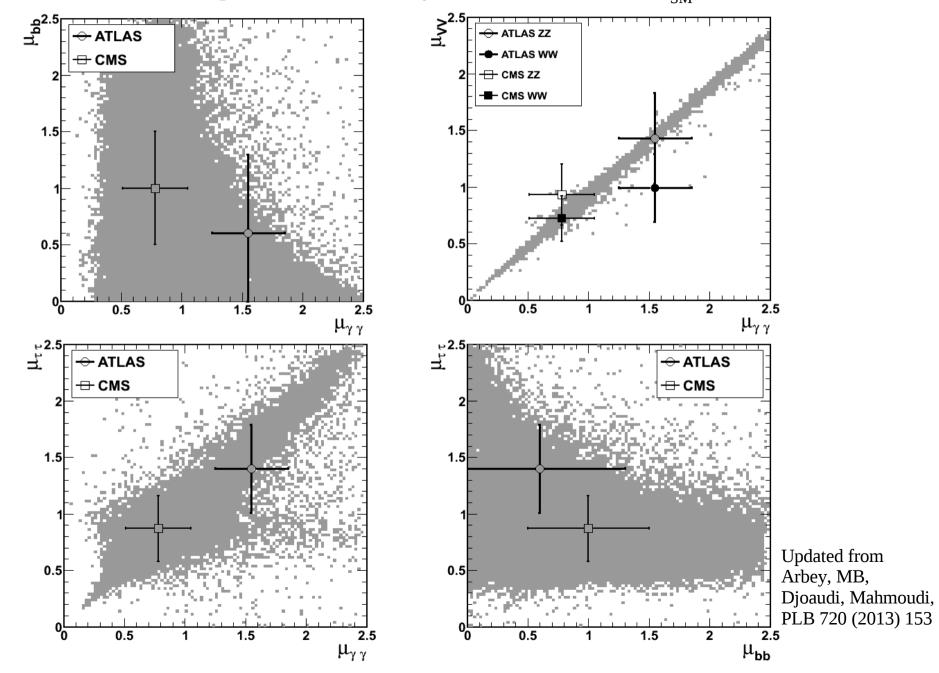
Fermion and Vector couplings



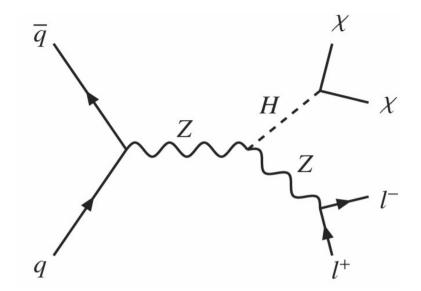


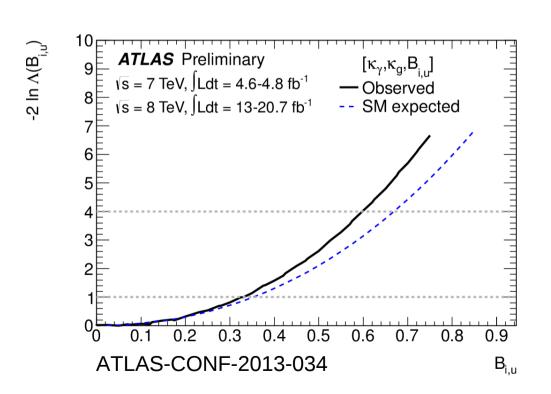
Higgs Signal Strenghts and the MSSM

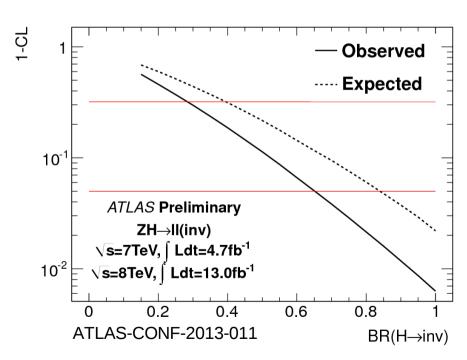
Compare LHC results for signal strengths to predictions of BSM models (here SUSY MSSM from 19-par scans): too early to decide between H⁰_{SM} and h⁰



Invisible Higgs Decays



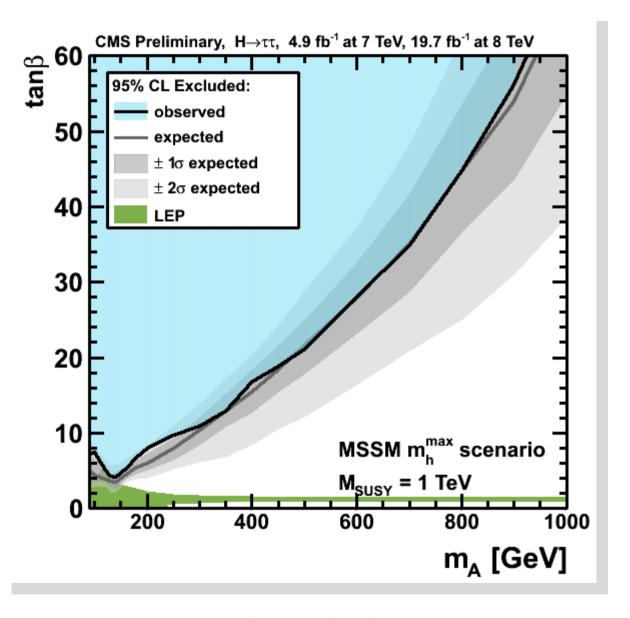


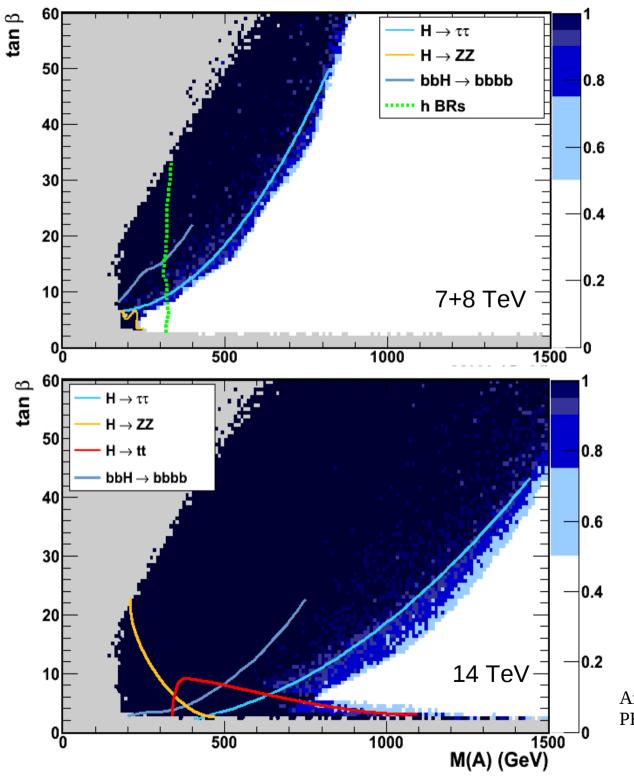


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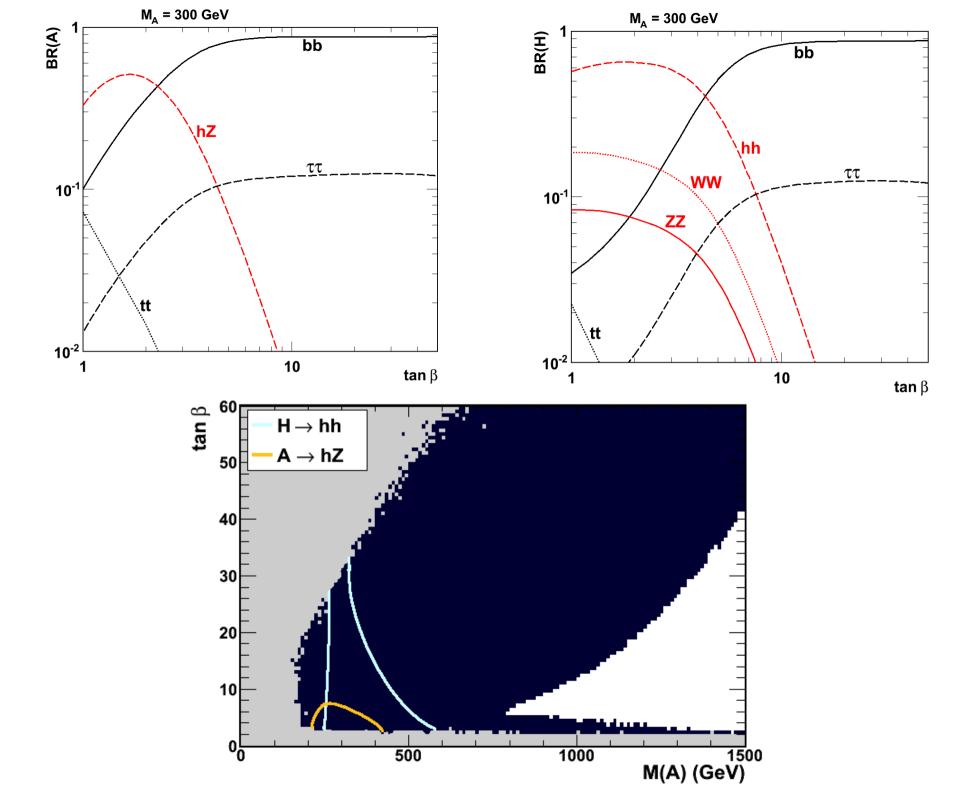
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Beyond minimal Higgs Sector: Heavy Higgs bosons in SUSY and 2HDM models

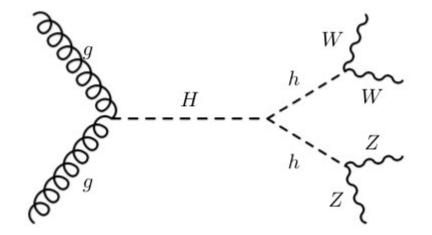


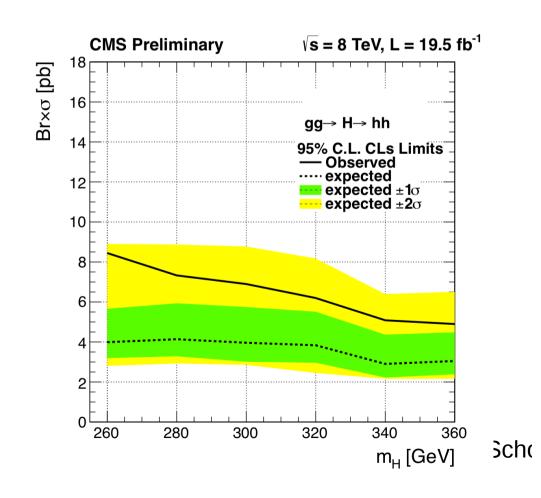


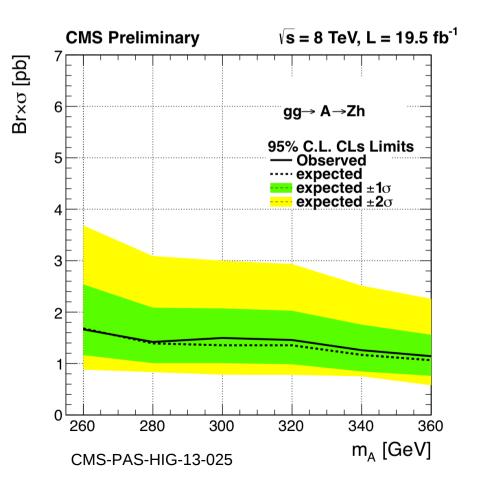
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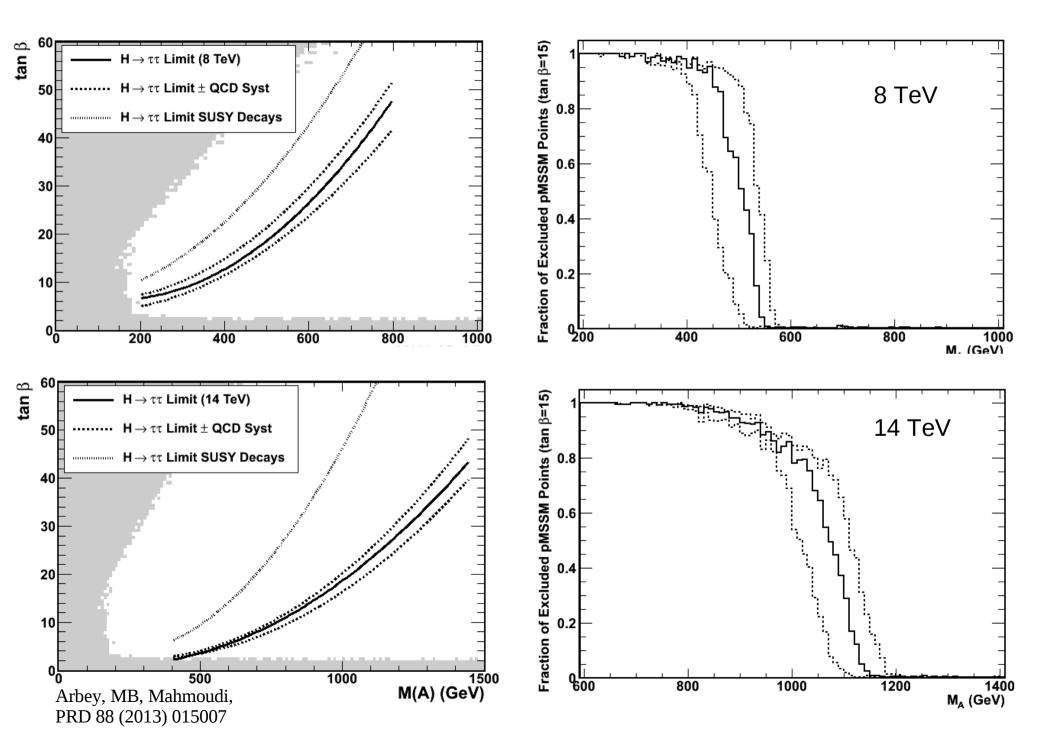
First look at $H \rightarrow hh$ and $A \rightarrow Zh$



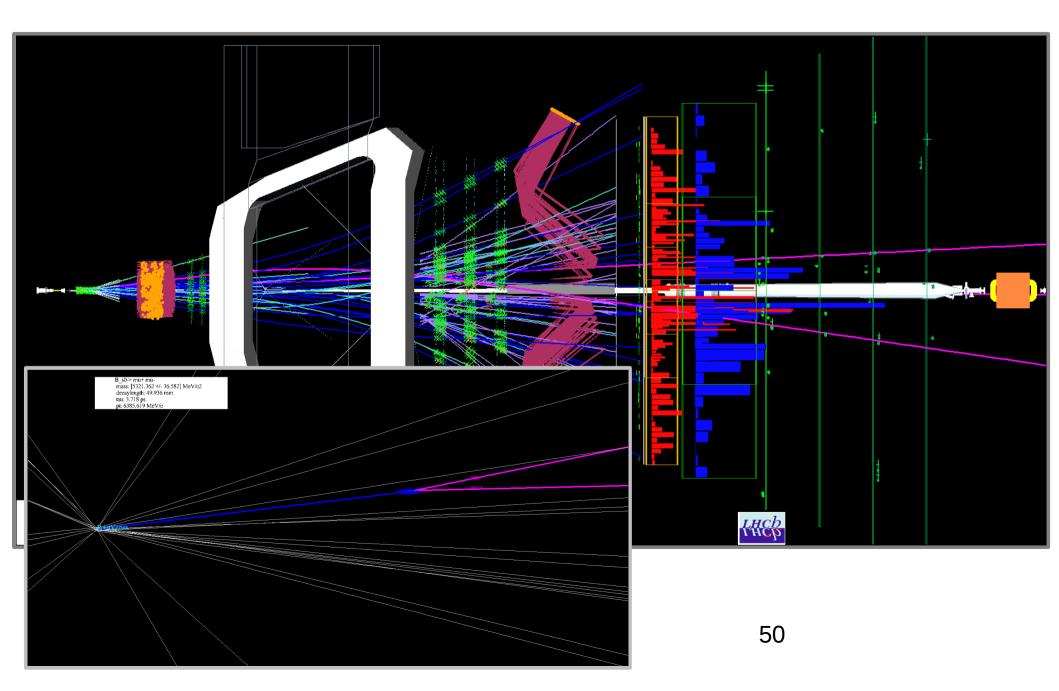


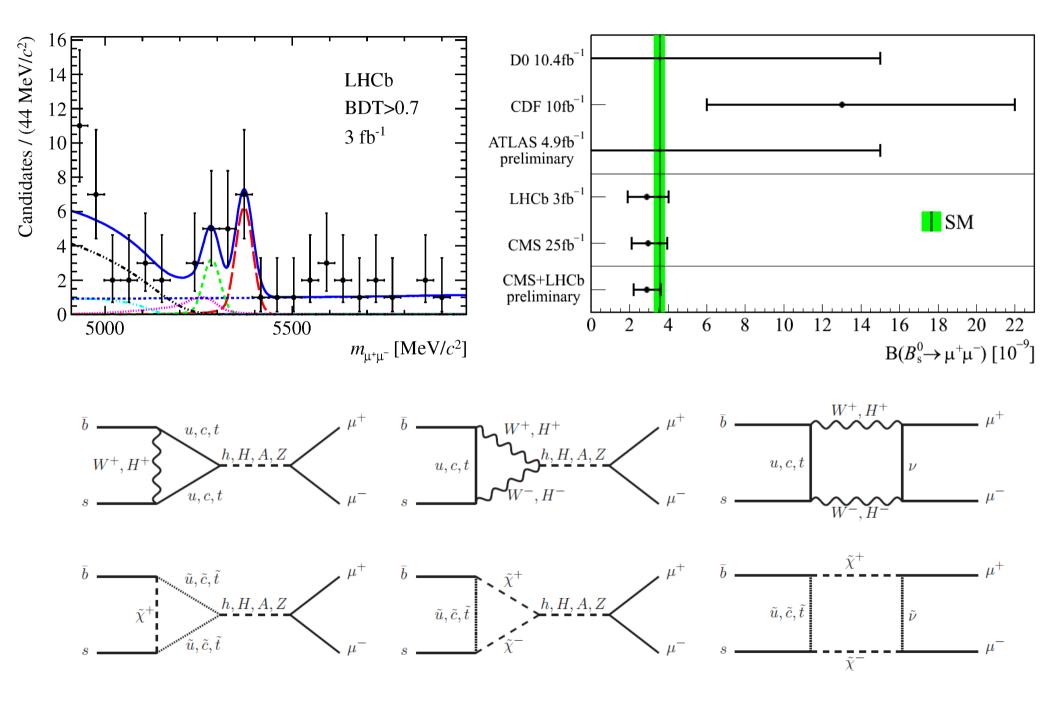


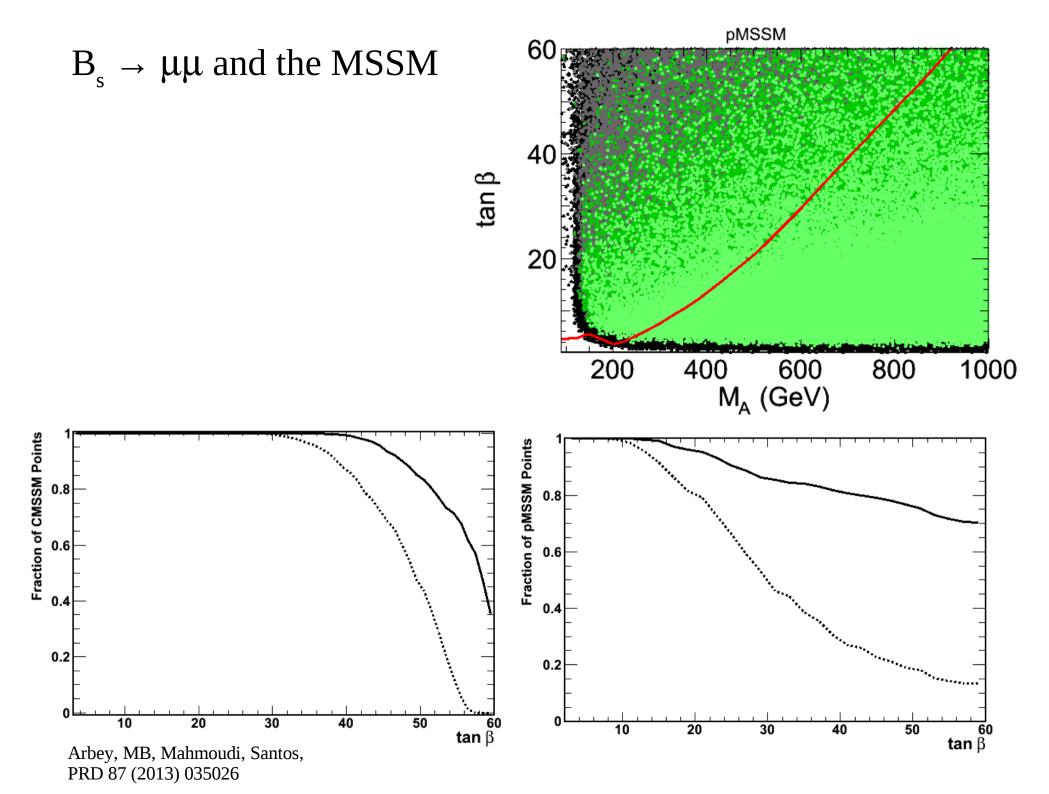
Impact of model & syst uncertainties in LHC limit interpretation



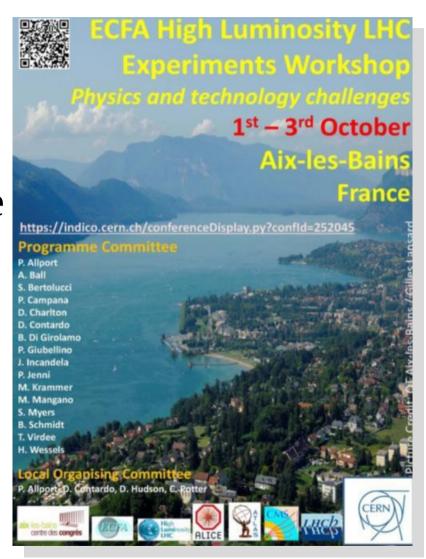
Rare Decays and New Physics







Towards Nominal Energy and the Machine Luminosity Upgrade



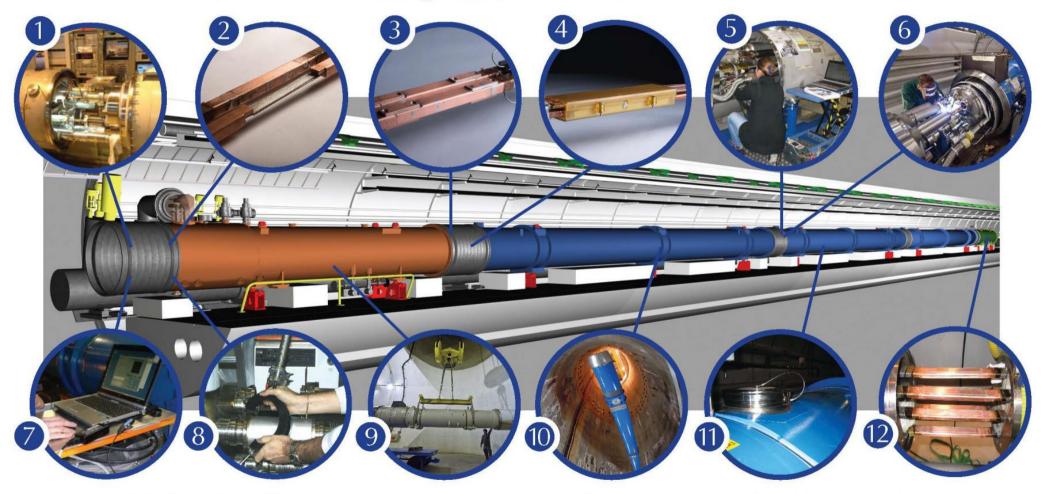


The main 2013-14 LHC consolidations

1695 Openings and final reclosures of the interconnections

Complete reconstruction of 1500 of these splices Consolidation of the 10170 13kA splices, installing 27 000 shunts Installation of 5000 consolidated electrical insulation systems 300 000 electrical resistance measurements

10170 orbital welding of stainless steel lines



18 000 electrical Quality Assurance tests

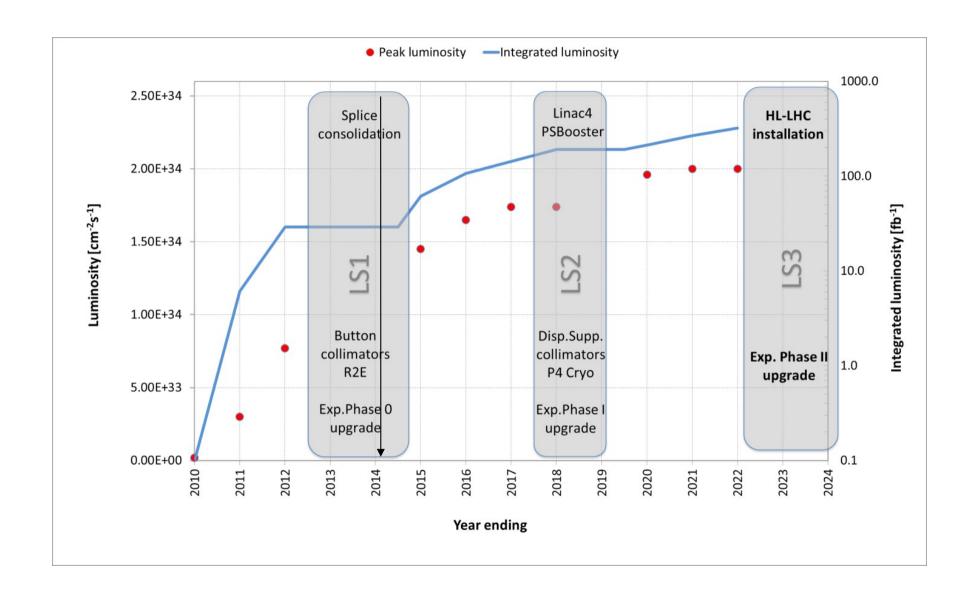
10170 leak tightness tests

4 quadrupole magnets to be replaced

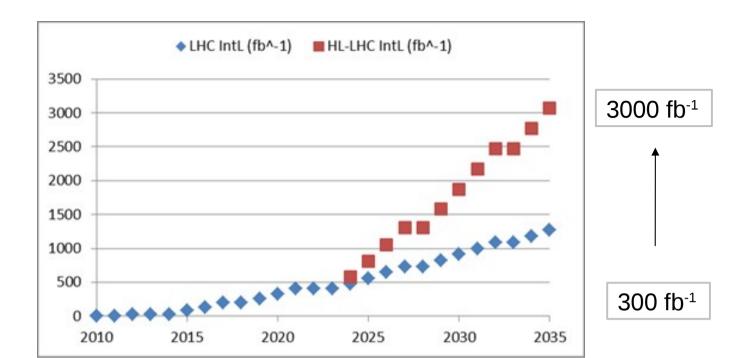
15 dipole magnets to be replaced

Installation of 612 pressure relief devices to bring the total to 1344

Consolidation of the 13 kA circuits in the 16 main electrical feedboxes



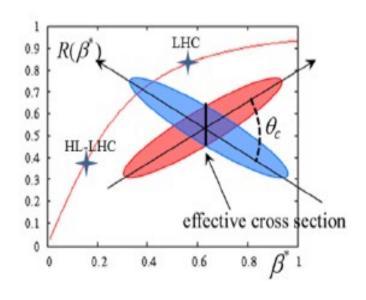


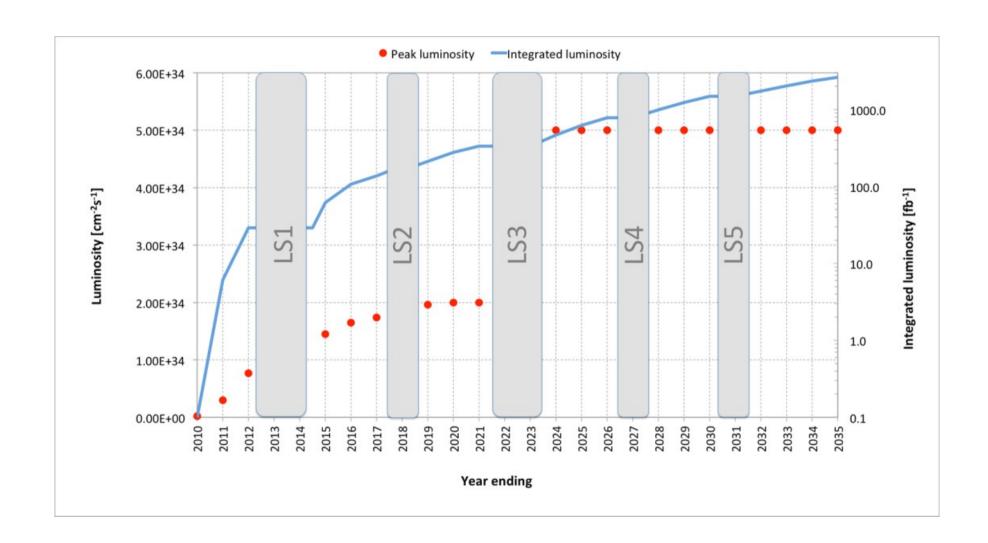


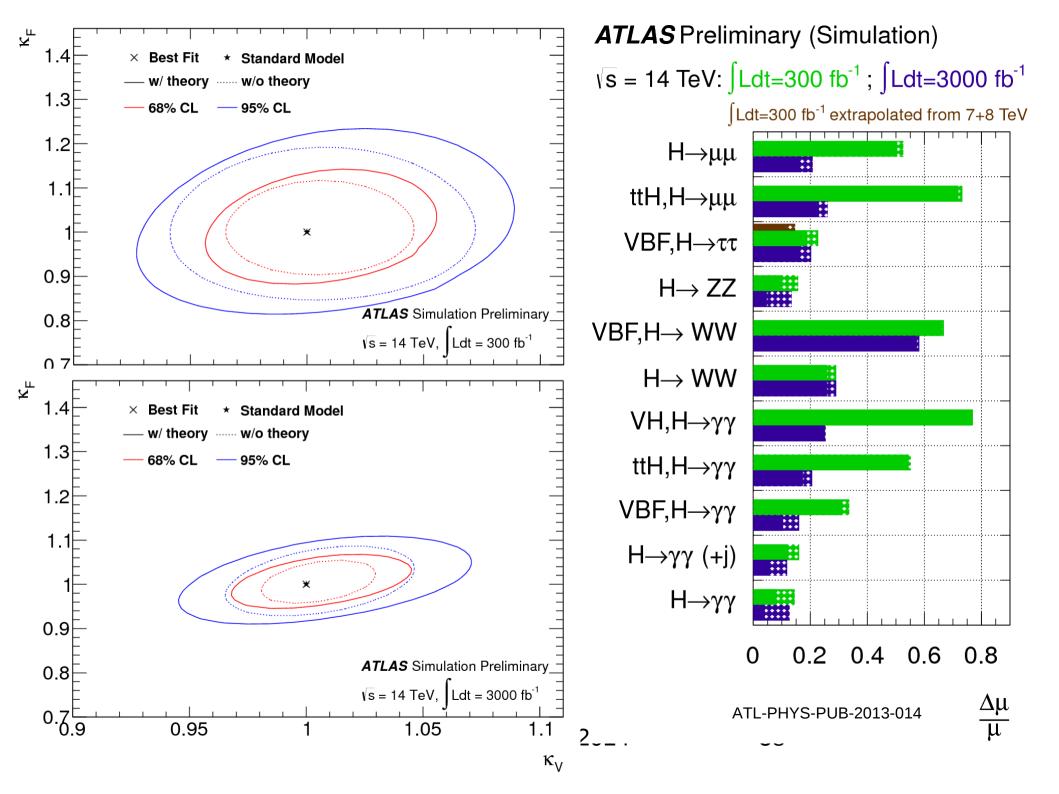
New IR Quads Larger Aperture, Higher B Field for collimation upgrade

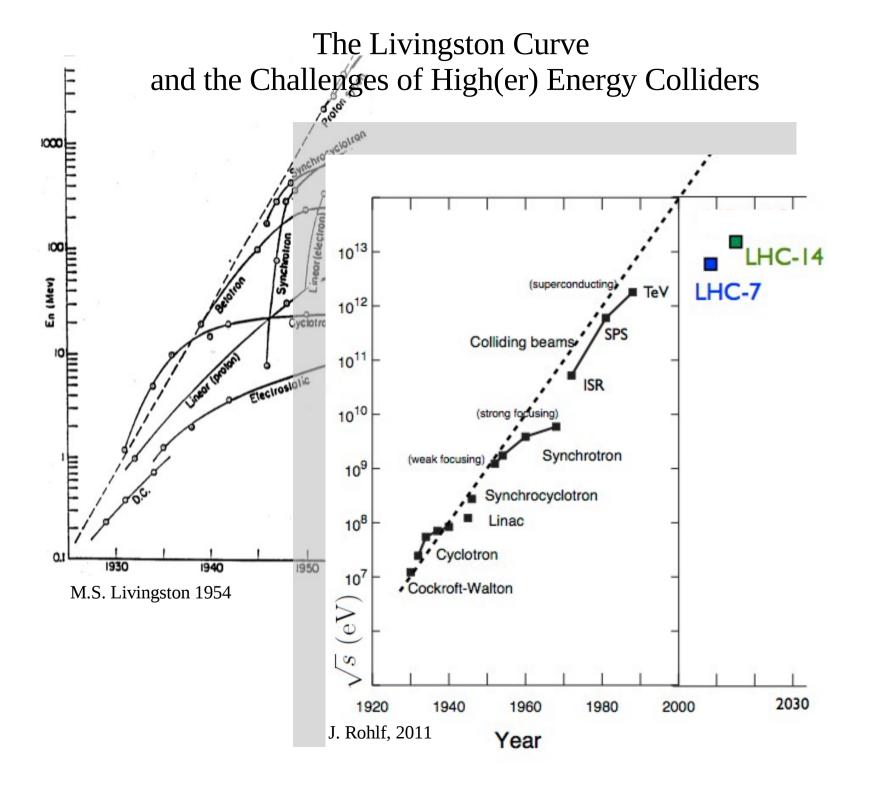
New 11 T Dipoles

Crab crossing



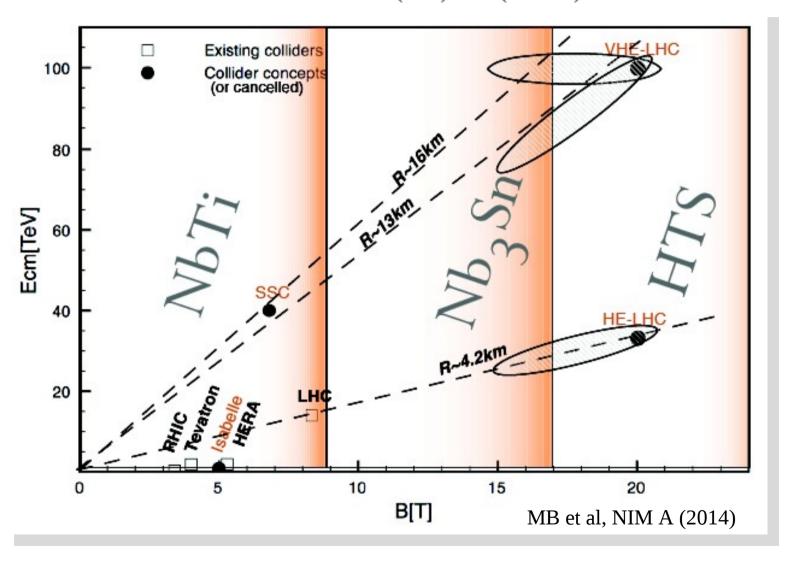




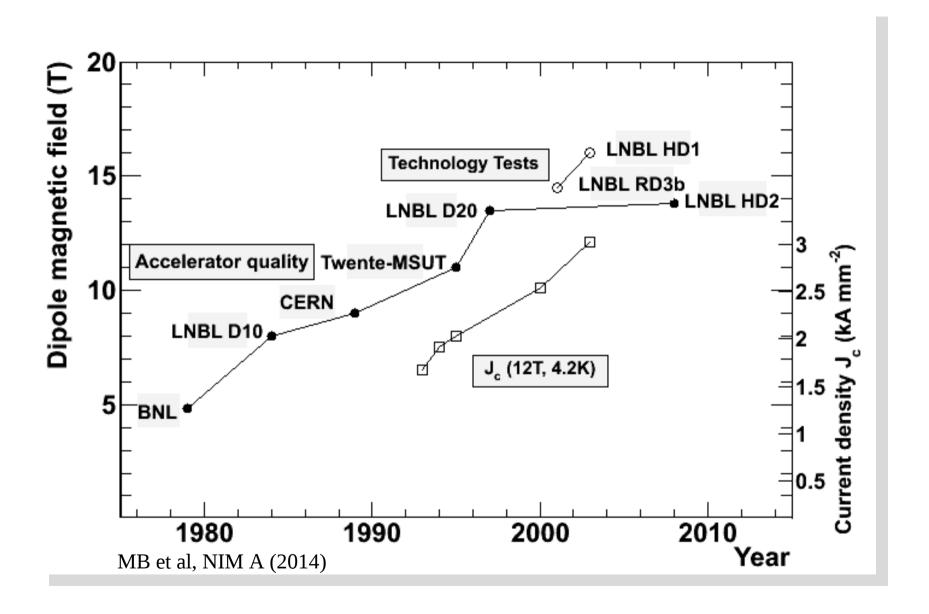


Collider Energy and Dipole Magnetic Field Strength

$$E = 0.3B(T)R(km)$$



Progress with Superconducting Magnetic Field





Start of a 5-year study for a 100 TeV hadron collider in a 80-100 km tunnel

