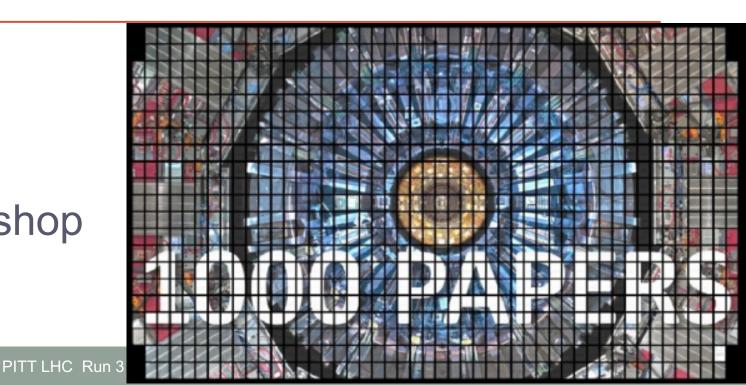
THE CMS RUN 2 PHYSICS LANDSCAPE

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Operation of Large Hadron Collider



Nominal luminosity 1.0 x 10³⁴cm⁻²s⁻¹

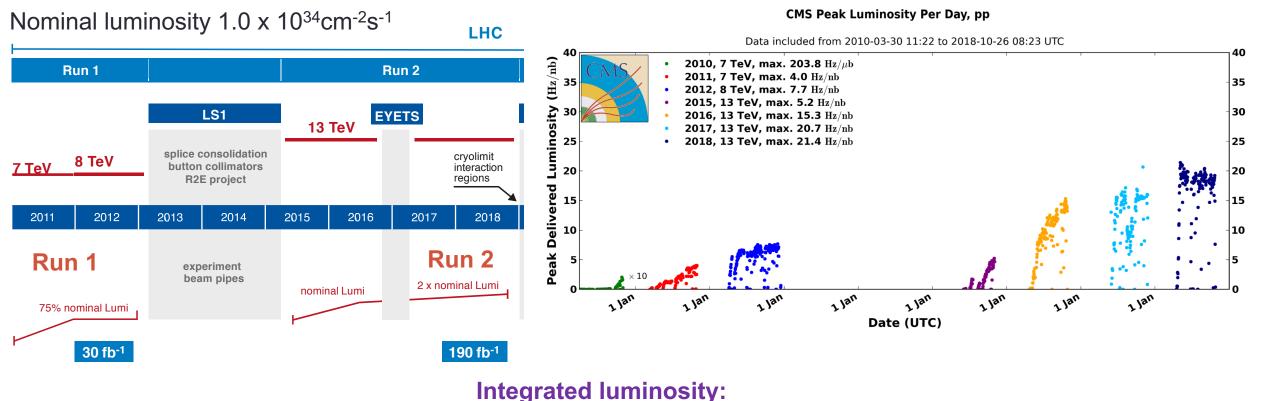


Integrated Luminosity is a measure of the data set size

Instantaneous Luminosity is the measure of rate of collisions ands related to the intensity of the beams

Operation of Large Hadron Collider

Eight years of excellent performance

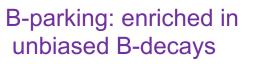


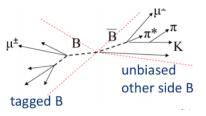
163 fb⁻¹ delivered \rightarrow 150 fb⁻¹ collected \rightarrow 140 fb⁻¹ good for physics

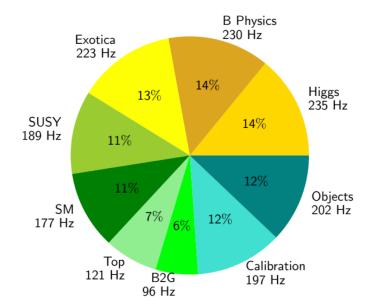


CMS performance for Run 2

- Rich physics program provided by the CMS Run 2 Triggers:
 - standard (vertex, leptons, jets, MET), B-parking (11B events),
 - scouting triggers with event size O(10kB) and avoiding full reco!





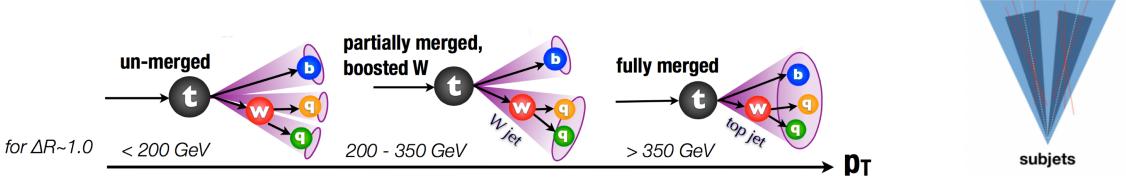


- Extensive modifications to the software & computing system to handle large increases in (and complexity of) data (and simulation) events
- PUPPI algorithm for pileup suppression (will be default in Run 3)



Diverse search strategies

- Enhanced focus on complex topologies and weakly coupled phenomenon
- Higher energy \rightarrow boost
 - Reconstruction of boosted particles can be a challenge \rightarrow may appear as a large radius jet
 - Rule of thumb: $p_T \sim 2M/R$



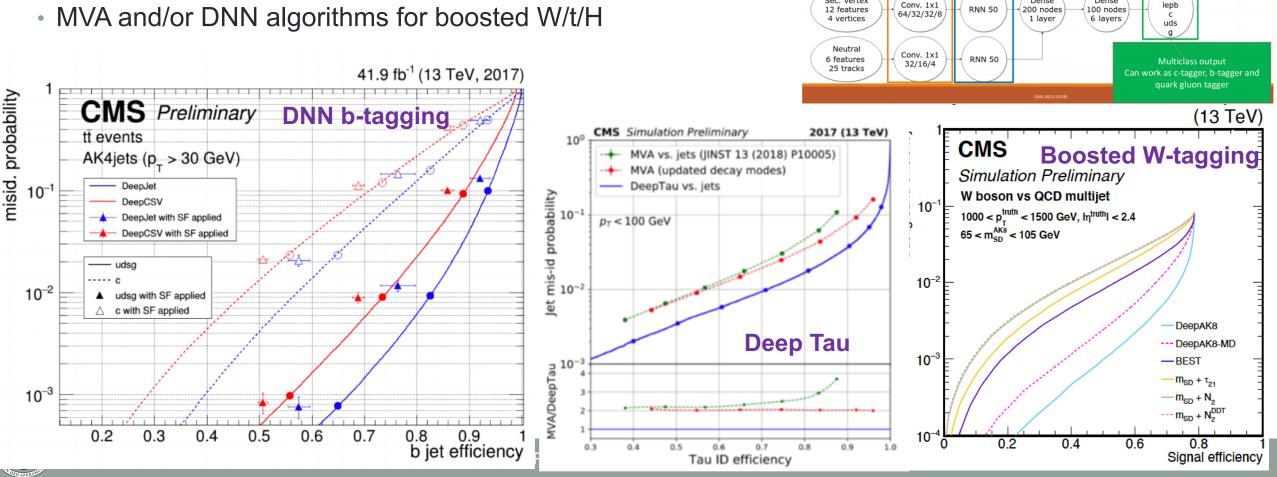
- Jets with large distance parameter (R) pick up all the radiation from original decay
 - · Use "substructure" techniques to analyze constituents of "fat" jets (find subjets)
 - Is it a 1-prong, 2-prong or 3-prong decay ?
 - Many observables/discriminators
- These strategies are now also being implemented in the trigger!
- Incorporate machine learning for Top tagging, W tagging, Higgs tagging, double-b/c tags



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CMS Object performance & improvements for Run 2

- Object reconstruction and identification with Machine learning
 - Existing ID/Reco algorithms are improved and consolidated
 - New avenues explored the era of mathematical representations
- From MVA to DeepNN algorithms: Jet, Tau, b-tags, c-tags
- MVA and/or DNN algorithms for boosted W/t/H



DeepJet

Conv. 1x1

64/32/32/8

RNN 150

RNN (LSTM layers) Builds summary of the information

Dense

Dense

bb

Global features 15 features

Charged tracks

16 features

25 tracks

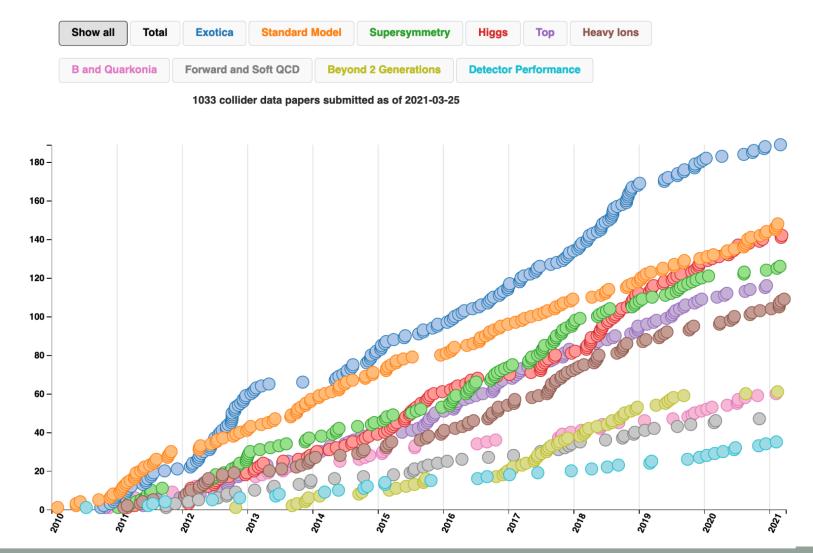
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Publications

• CMS has published 1033 papers on collision data (~100 papers/year)!





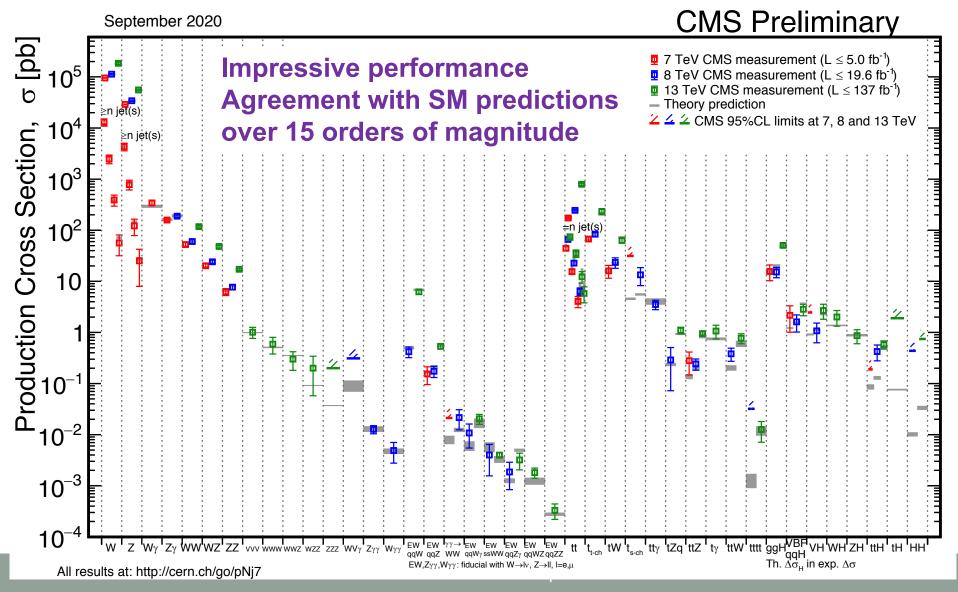
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THE PHYSICS PROGRAM - SELECTIVE HIGHLIGHTS



SM Stairway...precision tests of the Standard Model

• We can probe rare processes and start to perform many differential measurements



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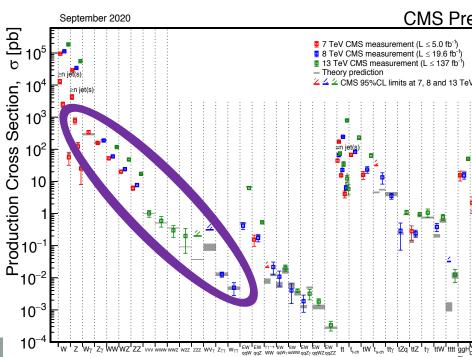
Electroweak Multi-boson measurements

- Studies of vector boson scattering are the ultimate SM measurements to be done at the LHC
- Need to experimentally verify the unitarization of the a TeV CMS measurement (L ≤ 10.6 fb⁻¹).
 TeV CMS measurement (L ≤ 10.6 fb⁻¹).
 TeV CMS measurement (L ≤ 137 fb⁻¹).
 Theory prediction.
 CMS 95%CL limits at 7, 8 and 13 TeV
- With Run 2 data, we finally reached the sensitivity to observe first VBS processes:
 - Electroweak production: WW (including W[±]W[±]),

WZ, ZZ, Wy, Zy, VVV

- Sensitive to anomalous couplings
 - Triple and quartic gauge

$$L_{\rm EFT} = L_{\rm SM} + \sum_{i} \frac{\bar{C}_{i}^{(6)}}{\Lambda^{2}} \mathcal{O}_{i}^{(6)} + \sum_{i} \frac{\bar{C}_{i}^{(8)}}{\Lambda^{4}} \mathcal{O}_{i}^{(8)} + \dots$$

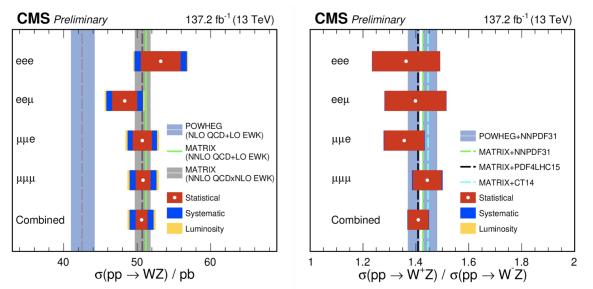


All results at: http://cern.ch/go/pNj



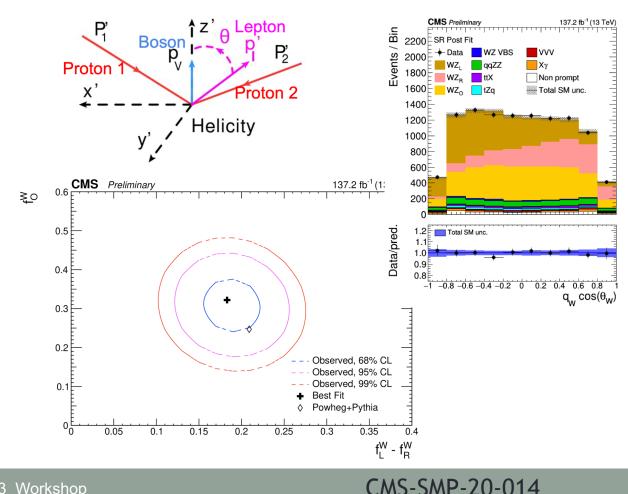
WZ production

- Leptonic final state signatures
- Comprehensive study of WZ production!
 - Inclusive total and differential cross sections
 - Charge asymmetry and polarization
 - Search for anomalous triple gauge couplings



 σ : 50.6 ± 0.8(stat.) ± 1.5(syst.) ± 1.1(lumi.) ± 0.5(theo.)pb Charge Ratio: 1.41 ± 0.04(stat.) ± 0.01(syst.) ± 0.01(lumi.) Polarization of W and Z bosons in WZ production

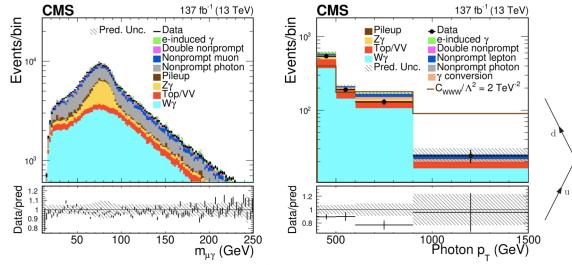
$$\frac{1}{\sigma_{W^{\pm}Z}} \frac{d\sigma_{W^{\pm}Z}}{d\cos\theta_{\ell,W}} = \frac{3}{8} f_{\rm L}[(1 \mp \cos\theta_{\ell,W})^2] + \frac{3}{8} f_{\rm R}[(1 \pm \cos\theta_{\ell,W})^2] + \frac{3}{4} f_0 \sin^2\theta_{\ell,W}$$



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$W\gamma$ production and EFT constraints

- $W\gamma$ is produced through ISR, FSR or aTGC
- Probe of the WW γ Triple Gauge Coupling
- Low-dim EFT operator alter the WW γ TGC



- Signal strength extracted using binned likelihood fit to the mlγ distribution
- Measured x-sec is: σ = 15.58 ± 0.75 pb
- MadGraph5_aMC@NLO and POWHEG:
 - σ = 15.4 ± 0.75 (scale) ± 0.1 (PDF) pb (M)
 - σ = 22.4 ± 3.2 (scale) ± 0.1 (PDF) pb (P)

- New physics results in anomalous contributions to the cross section at high mass scale $\Lambda.$
- Consider an EFT in which dimension-six operators are added to the SM.
- Operators relevant to Wγ:

$$\begin{split} \mathcal{O}_{WWW} &= \mathrm{Tr}[W_{\mu\nu}W^{\nu\rho}W^{\mu}_{\rho}],\\ \mathcal{O}_{B} &= (D_{\mu}\Phi)^{\dagger}B^{\mu\nu}(D_{\nu}\Phi),\\ \mathcal{O}_{W\tilde{W}W} &= \mathrm{Tr}[\tilde{W}_{\mu\nu}W^{\nu\rho}W^{\mu}_{\rho}], \text{and}\\ \mathcal{O}_{\tilde{W}} &= (D_{\mu}\Phi)^{\dagger}\tilde{W}^{\mu\nu}(D_{\nu}\Phi), \end{split}$$

- Limit on operators extracted using Photon \textbf{p}_{T}

Coefficient	Exp. lower	Exp. upper	Obs. lower	Obs. upper
c_{WWW}/Λ^2	-0.85	0.87	-0.90	0.91
c_B/Λ^2	-46	45	-40	41
$c_{\overline{W}WW}/\Lambda^2$	-0.43	0.43	-0.45	0.45
$c_{\overline{W}}/\Lambda^2$	-23	22	-20	20

- Observed limits on c_{WWW}/Λ^2 are factor 1.75 lower than the previous result

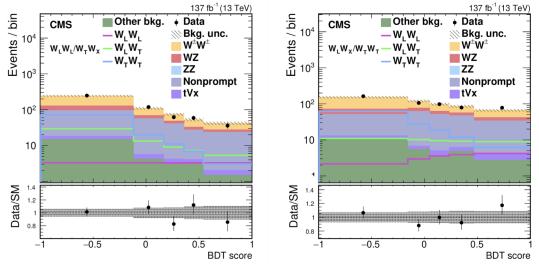


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Polarized same-sign WW in VBS

- First measurement of production cross sections for polarized same-sign WW scattering!
- Longitudinal W polarization cross section sensitive to BSM effects
- Require VBS topology (SS-lep, 2 fwd jets, rapidity gap)
- Separate polarization states for EWK WW production
 - + $W_L W_L$ and $W_T W_X$ (one BDT)
 - W_TW_T and W_LW_X (one BDT) (X is either of two polarization state
 - The W_{L} has smaller p_{T} compared to the W_{T}
- Constrain SM backgrounds from data in fit (WZ, tZq, ZZ)
- EWK production: 2.3 σ (3.1 σ exp)
- 95% CL limit for WLWL production 1.17fb(0.88fb exp)
- Fiducial Cross section from 2D fit of the polarization-separating BDT shapes
 WW center of mass frame parton-parton center of mass frame

Process	$\sigma \mathcal{B}$ (fb)	Theoretical prediction (fb)
$W_L^{\pm}W_L^{\pm}$	$0.32\substack{+0.42 \\ -0.40}$	0.44 ± 0.05
$\mathrm{W}_X^{\pm}\mathrm{W}_\mathrm{T}^{\pm}$	${\overset{-0.40}{3.06}}_{-0.48}^{+0.51}\\ 1.20{\overset{+0.56}{-0.53}}$	3.13 ± 0.35
$\mathrm{W}_{\mathrm{L}}^{\pm}\mathrm{W}_{X}^{\pm}$	$1.20\substack{+0.56\\-0.53}$	1.63 ± 0.18
$W^{ ilde{\pm}}_T W^{ ilde{\pm}}_T$	$2.11\substack{+0.49 \\ -0.47}$	1.94 ± 0.21



Process $\sigma \mathcal{B}$ (fb) Theoretical prediction (fb)

$W^\pm_L W^\pm_L$	$0.24\substack{+0.40\-0.37}$	0.28 ± 0.03
$W_X^{\pm}W_T^{\pm}$	$3.25_{-0.48}^{+0.50}$	3.32 ± 0.37
$W_{\mathrm{L}}^{\pm}W_{X}^{\pm}$	$1.40\substack{+0.60\\-0.57}$	1.71 ± 0.19
$W_T^{\pm}W_T^{\pm}$	$\begin{array}{r} 3.25\substack{+0.50\\-0.48}\\ 1.40\substack{+0.60\\-0.57}\\ 2.03\substack{+0.51\\-0.50}\end{array}$	1.89 ± 0.21

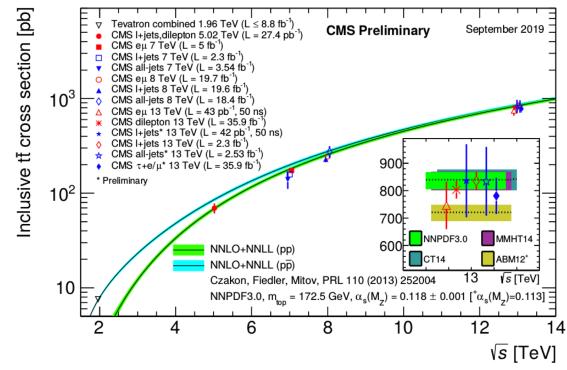
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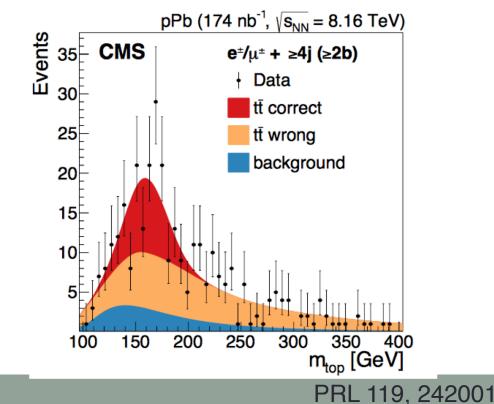


Precision top quark Physics

- LHC is a top quark factory!
- Over ~25 years since its discovery, the top quark is still one of the hottest topics...
- Inclusive cross section well understood; agrees with NNLO predictions



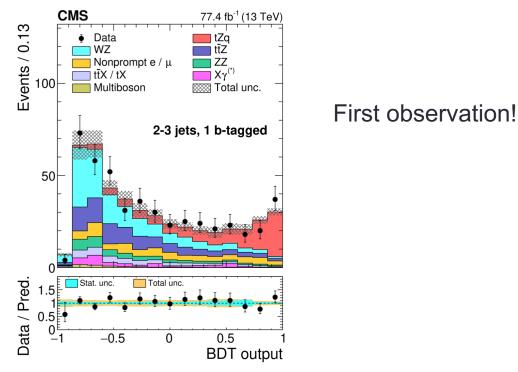
Observation of top quarks in heavy ion collisions



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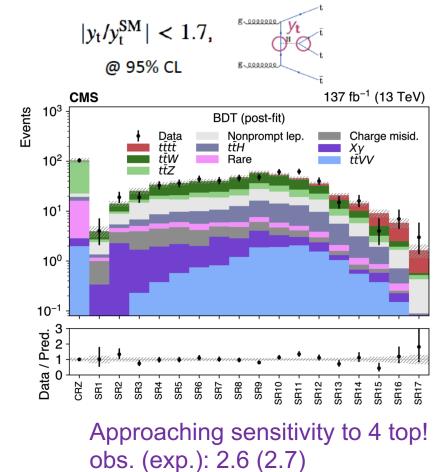
Rare top quark processes

- tZq: sensitive to tZ coupling and WWZ coupling, FCNC
- rare process: σtZq ≈ 1 pb



 $\sigma(pp \rightarrow tZq \rightarrow t\ell^+\ell^-q) = 111 \pm 13 \text{ (stat)} ^{+11}_{-9} \text{ (syst) fb}_{-9}$ 15% precision

- 4 top quarks:
- unobserved very rare process σ tttt \approx 0.01 pb
- Sensitive to top yukawa coupling



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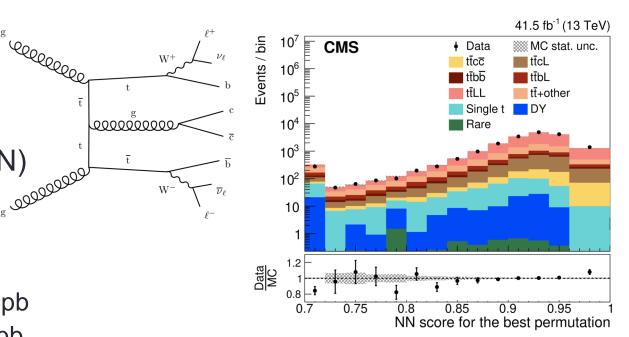
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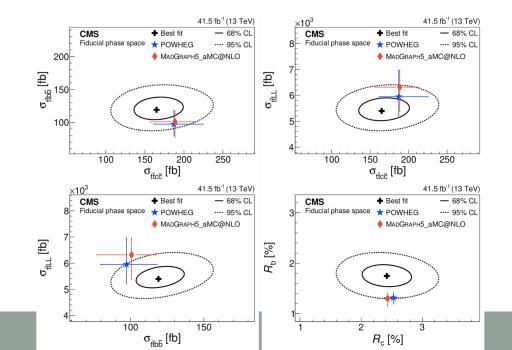
Top pair + charm production

- First measurement of tt+cc production
- Important also for future ttH analysis
- Aided by the new charm-jet identification (DNN)
 - NN trained for the jet-parton assignment

• σ (tt + cc) measured for the first time!

- Fiducial space: 0.152 ± 0.022 (stat) ± 0.019 (syst) pb
- Full phase space: 7.43 ± 1.07 (stat) ± 0.95 (syst) pb
- First measurement of $R_c = (tt + cc)/(tt + jj)$
 - Fiducial space: 2.37± 0.32 (stat) ± 0.25 (syst)%
 - Full phase space: 2.64± 0.36 (stat) ± 0.28 (syst)%
- Fiducial space: full flavor content splitting
- 2D likelihood scans agree within 1-2 σ with the corresponding theoretical predictions;
 σ (ttbb) and R_b slightly above prediction



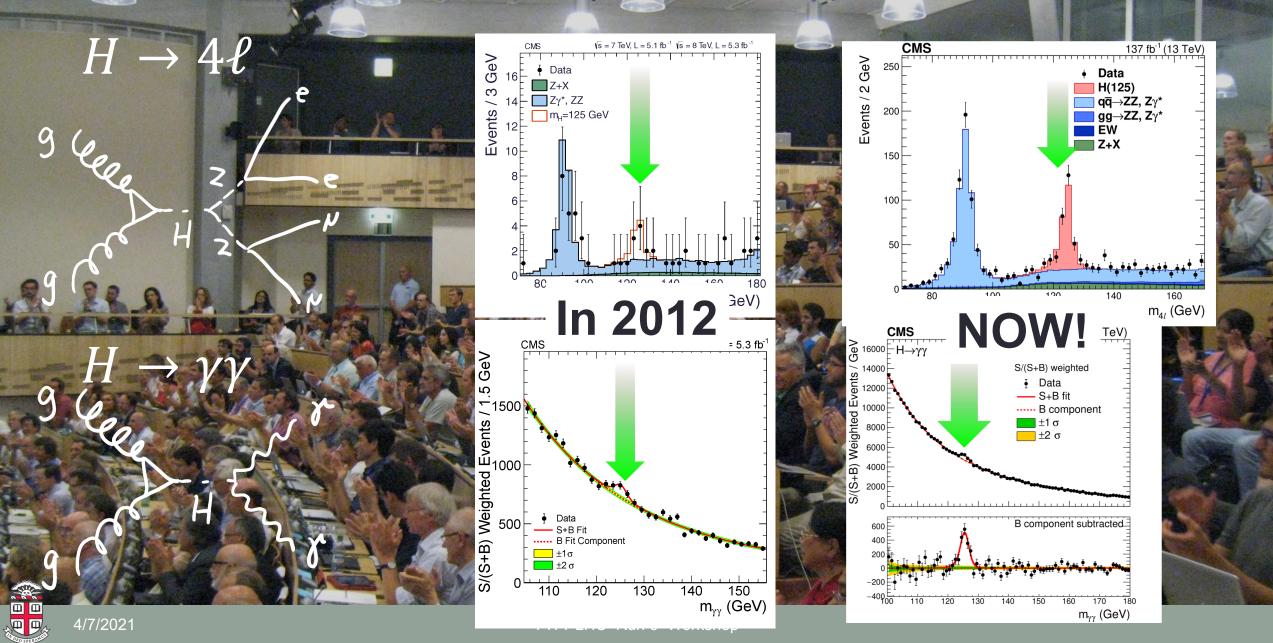




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The Discovery of the Higgs Boson – a crowning achievement



Measurement of Higgs Boson Properties

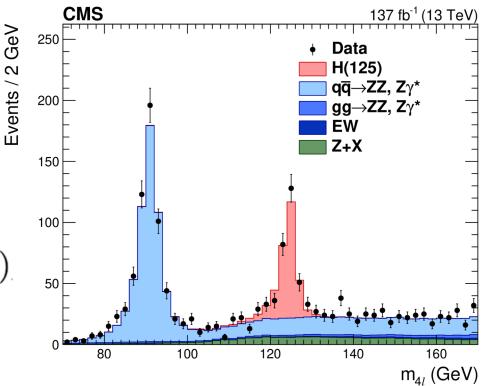
- With the full Run2 dataset, significant progress in the Higgs sector:
 - Firmly established decays of Higgs to $\gamma\gamma$, ZZ, WW,
 - Yukawa coupling measurements: tau-Higgs, bottom-Higgs and top-Higgs
 - Move to precision mass measurement: 125.38 ± 0.14 GeV
 - Precision reaching 0.1%, still dominated by statistical uncertainty

Fiducial and differential cross section measurements comparing data to state-of-the-art calculations

The experimental precision is at the level of the theoretical precision

$$\sigma/\sigma_{SM} = 1.02 \pm 0.04(\text{th}) \pm 0.04(\text{exp}) \pm 0.04(\text{stat})$$

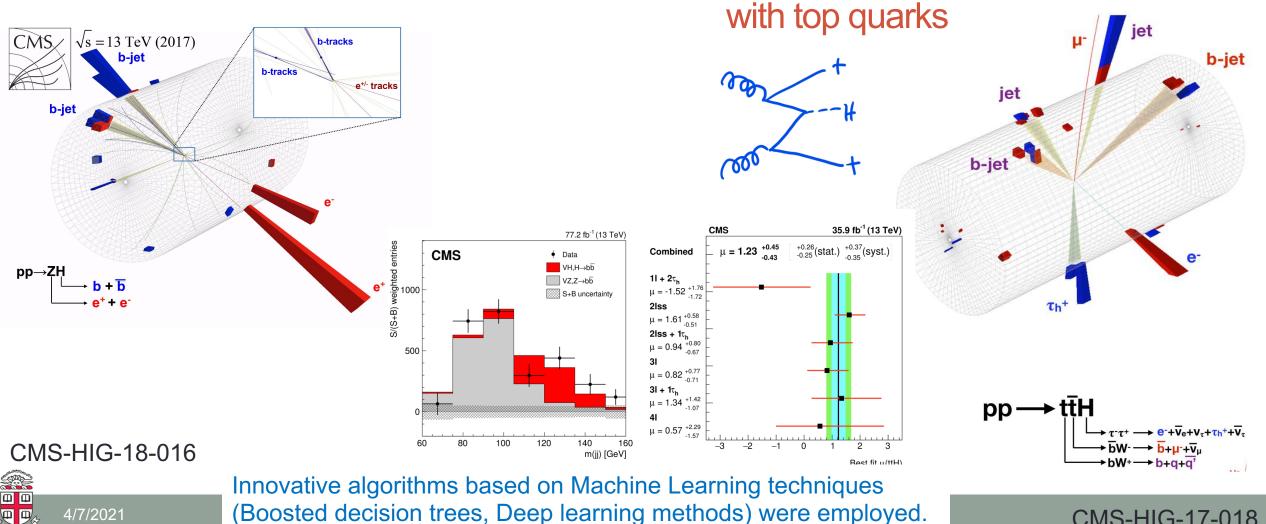
~6.5% measurement!





Observation of Higgs boson coupling to third generation fermions Highlights of 2018:

Higgs boson decays to bb

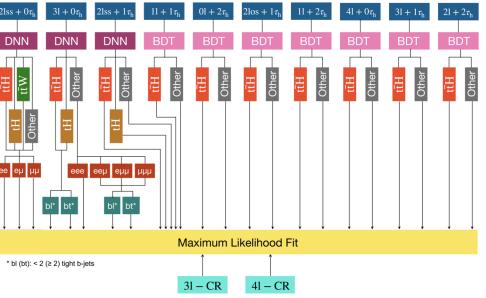


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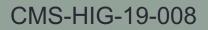
Higgs boson produced together

tt+H multileptons

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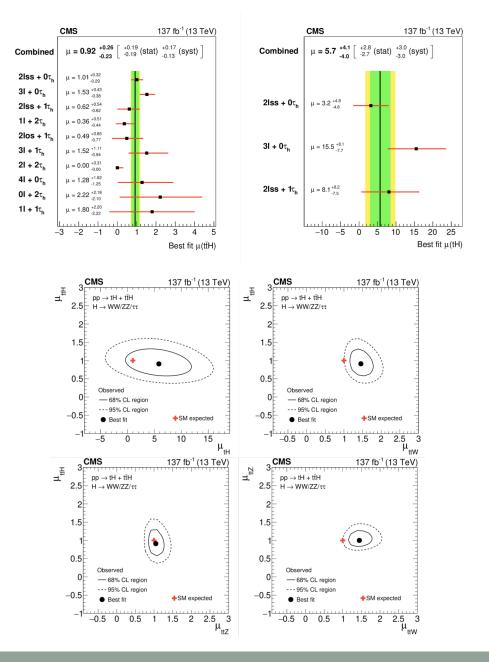






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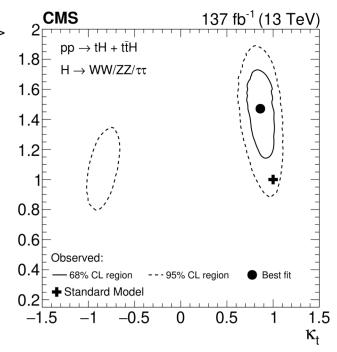


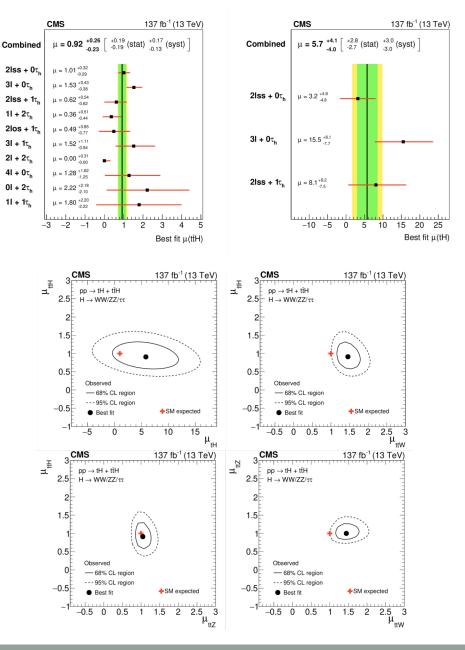
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tt+H multileptons

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- Obtained 2D confidence regions for (κ_t ; κ_V)
- When profiling $y_{\rm V}\!,$ obtain at 95% CL

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-0.9 < y_t < -0.7 or
0.7 < y_t < 1.1 times the SM expectation
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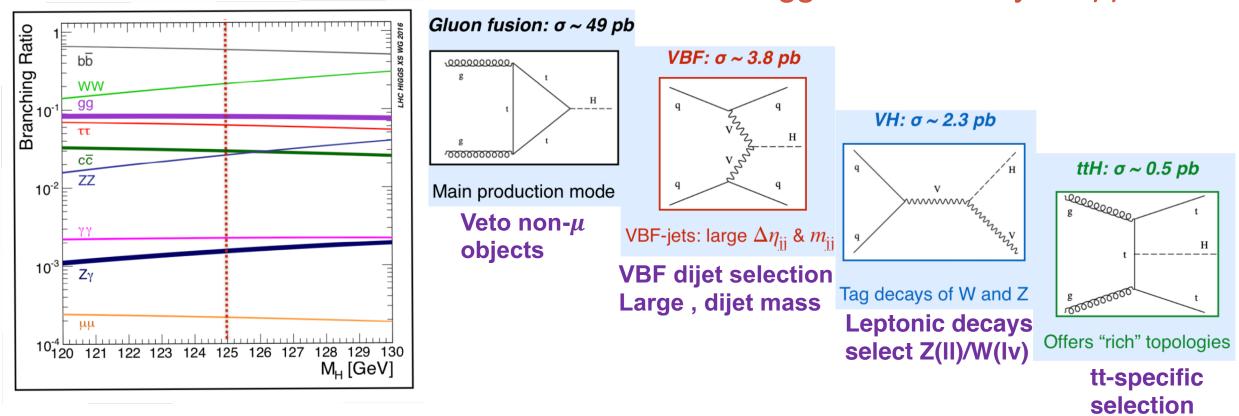






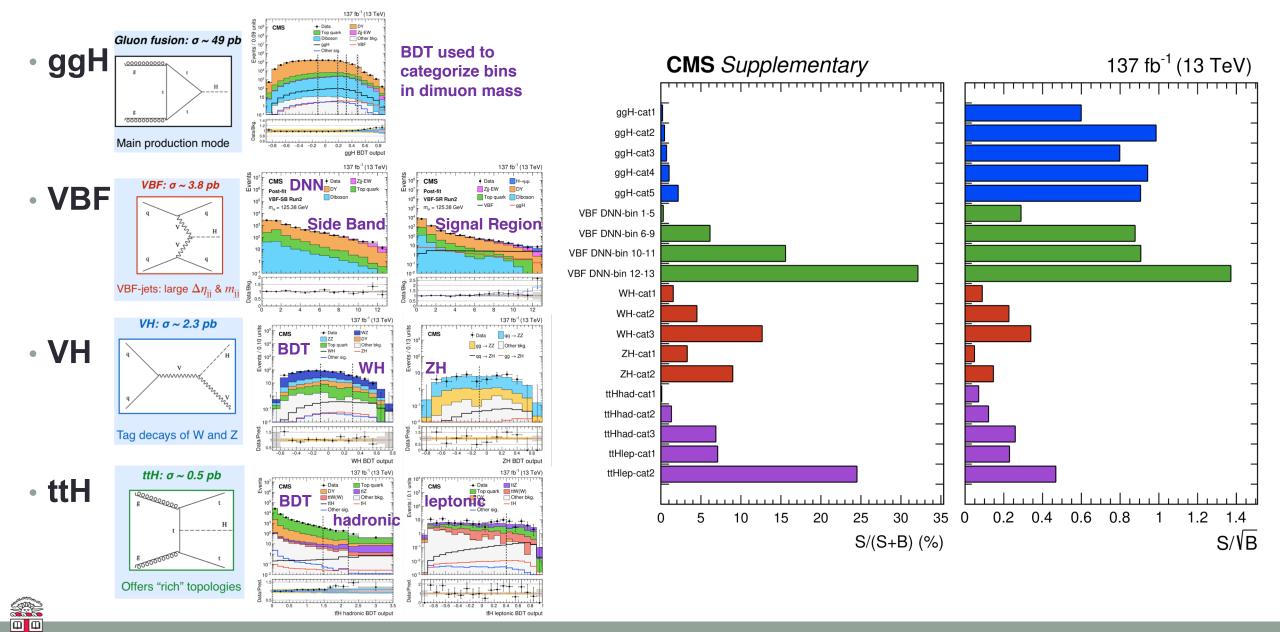
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Evidence of Higgs boson coupling to 2nd generation fermionsHighlights of 2020:Goal: Observe Higgs boson decays to μμ



- Signal extraction by topology of production mode
- Strategy: excellent $m(\mu\mu)$ resolution, characteristic kinematics
- Challenge: rare decay with non-negligible backgrounds

Evidence of Higgs boson coupling to 2nd generation fermions



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Evidence of Higgs boson coupling to 2nd generation fermions Additional point probing the GeV First Evidence: CMS S/(S+B) Weighted Events / Zii-EW DY Post-fit dependence of coupling strength Dibosor VBF category $3.0(2.5)\sigma$ obs(exp) m., = 125.38 GeV on the fermion & boson mass! 35.9-137 fb⁻¹ (13 TeV) Ę • Signal strength: $k_{F} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \text{ or } \sqrt{k_{V}}$ CMS m_H = 125.38 GeV $\mu = 1.19 + 0.40_{-0.39} (\text{stat.}) + 0.15_{-0.14} (\text{syst.})$ p-value = 44% 110 115 125 m_{....} (GeV) 10^{-2} 137 fb⁻¹ (13 TeV) 137 fb⁻¹ (13 TeV) Vector bosons $\Delta \ln(L)$ μ_{VBF,VH} 10^{-3} Combined $\hat{\mu} = 1.19_{-0.42}^{+0.44}$ Best fit CMS CMS 3rd generation fermions 68% CL Combined best fit ₈ ର୍ 3.5 - 95% CL Muons SM $\mu = 1.36^{+0.69}_{-0.61}$ SM expectation VBF-cat SM Higgs boson 10 95% CL 2.5 $\mu = 0.63^{+0.65}_{-0.64}$ ggH-cat m., = 125.38 GeV Ratio to SM $\mu = 2.32^{+2.27}_{-1.95}$ ttH-cat 1.5 $\mu = 5.48^{+3.10}_{-2.83}$ VH-cat 10² 0.5 Particle mass (GeV) -1.5-2 0 2 4 8 -1 -0.5 0 0.5 1.5 2.5 6 Best-fit u

Likelihood scan to fermion or vector boson couplings

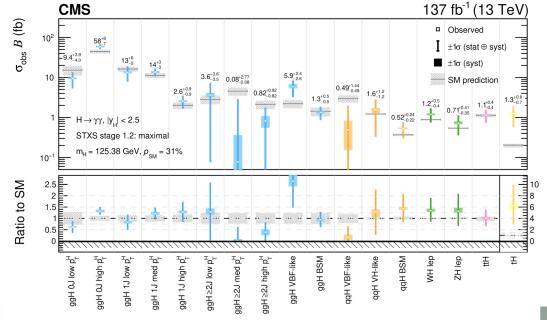
Couplings to fermions \propto mass Couplings to gauge bosons \propto (mass)² Higgs self-couplings \propto M_H²



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Higgs boson properties in $H \rightarrow \gamma \gamma$

- Full Run 2 dataset, ggH, VBF, VH and (t)tH channels
- BDT discriminators for photon ID and diphoton vertex ID
- BDT discriminator for analysis categories: diphoton BDT, dijet BDT for VBF, $\rm VH_{had}$ BDT, DNN for tH vs ttH
- Total Higgs boson signal strength: 1.03^{+0.11}-0.09
- First Simplified template cross section measurement at Stage 1.2
 - Minimizes model-dependent measurement
 - Partition major production processes into different kinematic regions by:
 - matching experimental selections
 - avoiding large theory uncertainties
 - isolating possible BSM deviations
 - Partition performed over $p_{\rm T}{}^{\rm H}$, $m_{\rm jj}$, $p_{\rm T}{}^{\rm Hjj}$, $n_{\rm jet}$, and $p_{\rm T}{}^{\rm V}$





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What are the implications of a light Higgs...

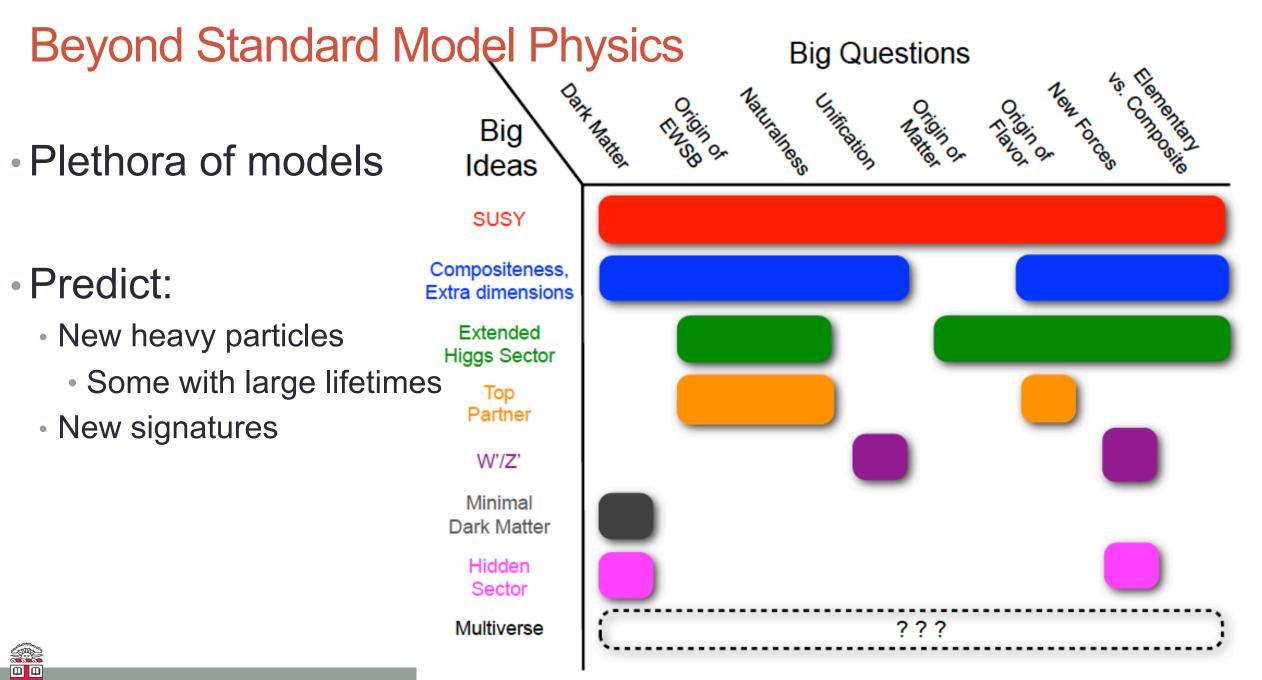
- the world has changed
 - SM-like Higgs boson with $m_H = 125 \text{ GeV}$
- is such a light Higgs boson consistent with naturalness?
 - is m_H stabilized by ~TeV scale new physics or is it fine-tuned ?
- a window to new physics
 - Higgs is a signal to scrutinize for hints of what the physics beyond the SM may be
 - Are there additional Higgs bosons ?
 - Is the Higgs elementary or composite?
 - Are there exotic Higgs decays ?
- what is the shape of the higgs potential?



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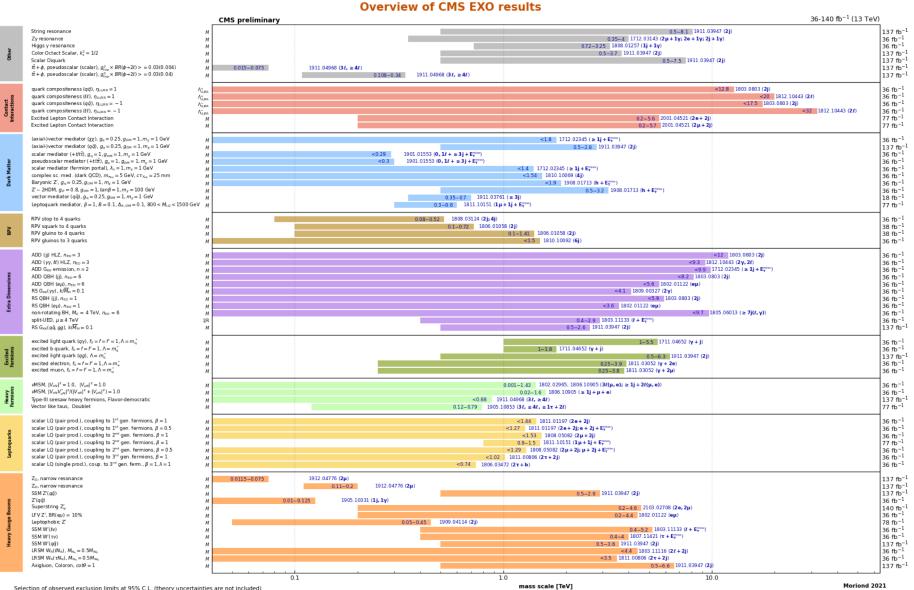
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Current Status of Beyond Standard Model Searches:

- Probe new particles with mass ~ few TeV
- Leaving no stone unturned in the search.
- Going from traditional searches to exploiting new techniques.

 Is BSM hiding in difficult corners of the phasespace?

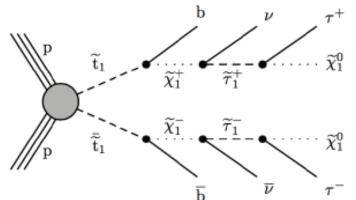
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Diverse search strategies

- Enhanced focus on complex topologies and weakly coupled phenomenon
- Inclusive searches complemented by dedicated searches that target gaps in coverage
- Challenging topologies
 - As mass limits on SUSY particles, particularly colored ones, are pushed up, further extension of the sensitivity requires special reconstruction techniques
 - In particular, decay products in SUSY chains are highly Lorentz-boosted, resulting in the overlapping particles/jets in the final state. Need to use jet substructure techniques, widely used in other massive resonance searches.
 - The results of first searches of this type are now becoming available
- Unconventional analyses
 - Displaced jets, emerging jets, delayed jets etc.
- Longer decay chains

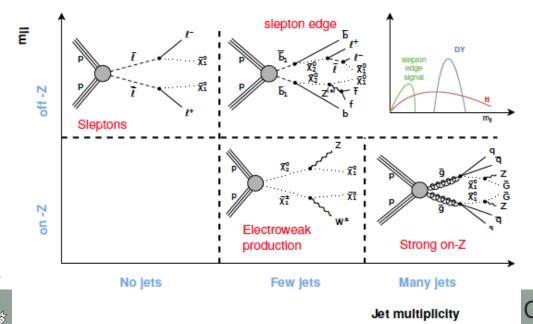
e.g. consider taus in stop decay chains (traditional searches veto taus or don't focus on them

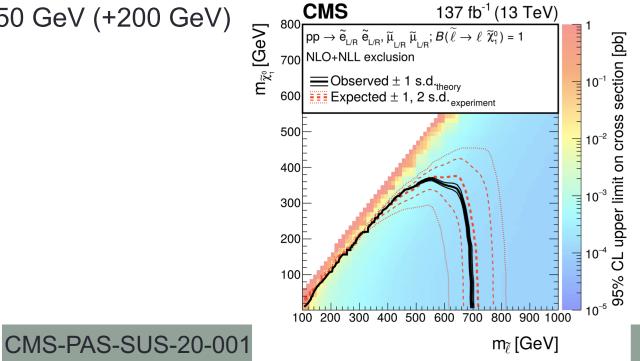




SUSY sleptons (and ewkinos and squarks)

- Probe both electroweak and strong production with dilepton final states
 - Moderate E_{miss}^{T} requirements to target invisible particles. Per-model signal regions
- Backgrounds estimates:
 - Flavor-symmetric (tt, WW, & taus): estimate in opposite-flavor sideband, apply in same-flavor
 - Drell-Yan: model E_{miss}^{T} from γ +jets events (for sleptons, extrapolate from Z peak)
- Neutralino (chargino) masses excluded up to 750 (800) GeV (+100 GeV w.r.t. previous searches)
- Light-flavour (bottom) squark masses excluded up to 1800 (1600) TeV (+300 GeV in bottom)
- Direct slepton production excluded up to 650 GeV (+200 GeV)



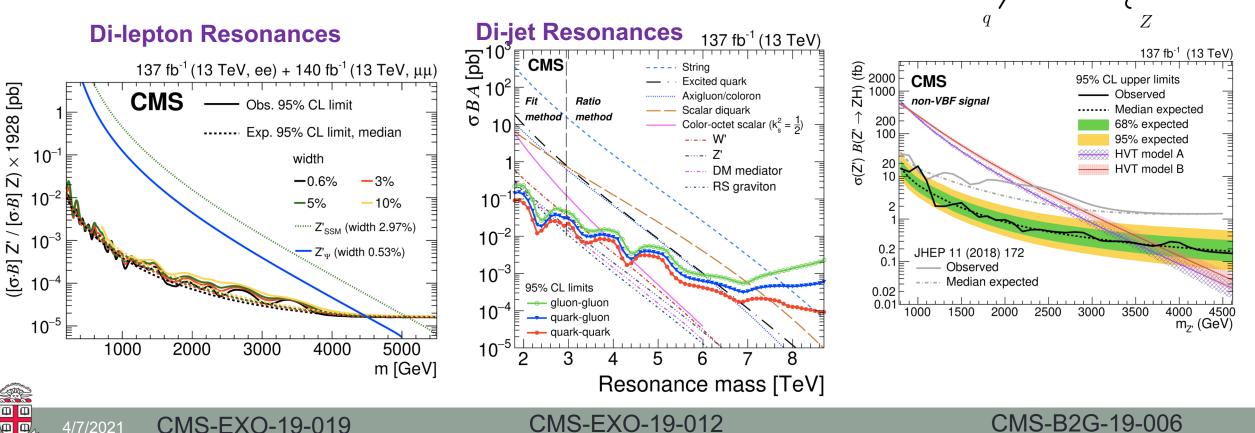


Search for New Particles: bump hunting

- Plethora of new models predicting new heavy resonances.
 - Look for bumps is a powerful search technique

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- model-independent as long as resonance is narrow
- Mass reach dilepton resonances : exclusion up to ~5 TeV
- Mass reach dijet resonances : exclusion 2 -8.5 TeV



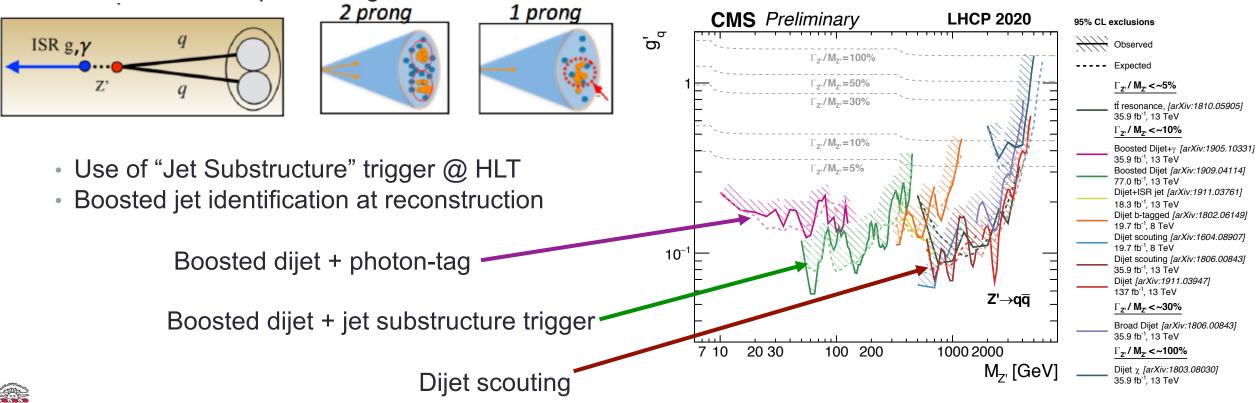
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Dijet "Low Mass" Resonance Searches

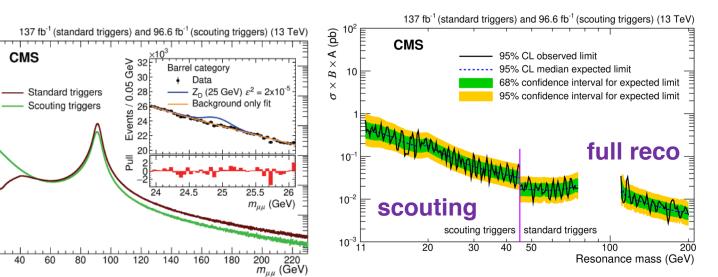
- Large dijet cross section at low mass; study limited by resources to process and store data
- Benefits from
 - Scouting approach for trigger trades-off between trigger rate and event size
 - Reconstruction only at the HLT stage, keeping limited information (HLT objects)
 - needs calibration of HLT against full reconstruction.
 - Inclusion of ISR photon-tag

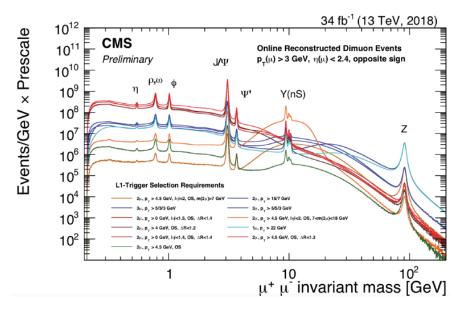


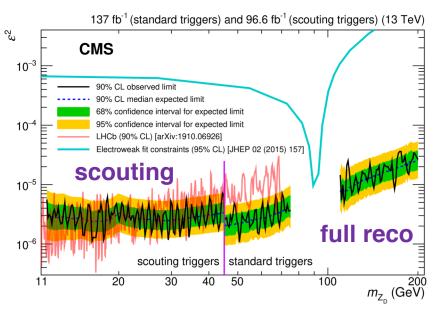


Dimuon Resonances & Dark Photons

- For $m_{uu} > 45$ GeV, use "standard" muon triggers
 - Dimuon HLT trigger thresholds 17, 8 GeV
- For m_{uu} < 45 GeV, use high rate "dimuon data scouting triggers"
 - Record muon triggers with much lower threshold
 - Ave. HLT rate: 5.6 (4.4) kHz in 2017 (2018)
- Dark Photons at the LHC:
 - Couples to SM particles via kinetic mixing parameter c
 - possible decay modes to 2μ final states







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Events / 0.1 GeV

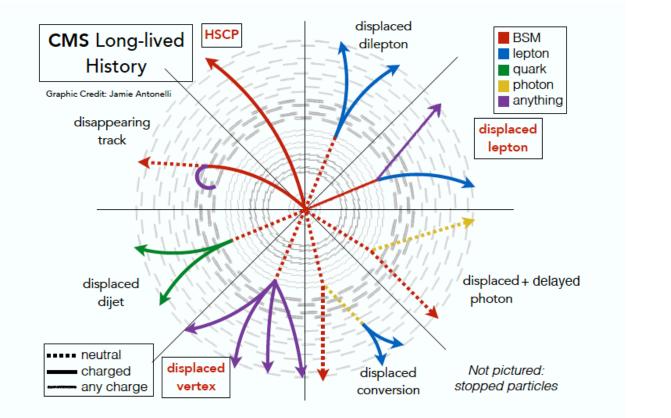
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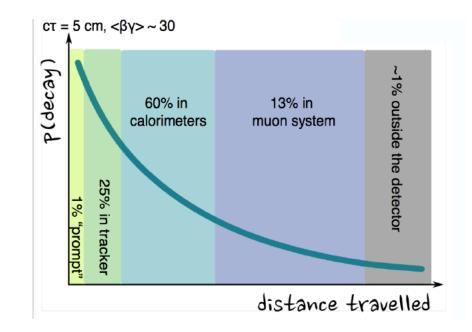
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Long Lived Particles (LLP)

- Unconventional searches:
- Many BSM models have long-lived particles/ displaced vertices.
- Challenging measurements; important to use all sub-detectors



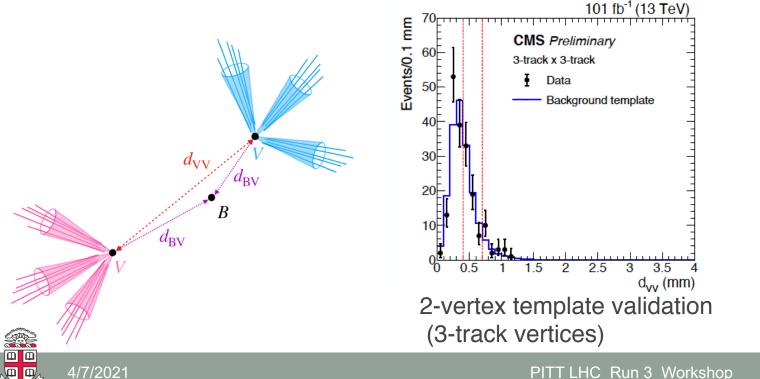


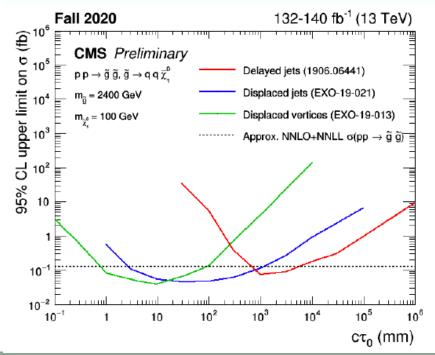


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LLPs decaying to jets with displaced vertices

- Long-lived particles decaying to 2 or 3 quarks (≥5 track vertex)
- Displaced vertex reconstruction benefits from upgraded inner detector & improved pileup rejection techniques
- Scan d_{VV}: data-driven background template from 1-vertex events
- Low-lifetime search complements limits from displaced and delayed jet analyses
- Limits set on long-lived gluino (2.5 TeV), stop (1.5 TeV), & neutralino (1.1 TeV) with mean lifetimes between 0.1 \rightarrow 100 mm







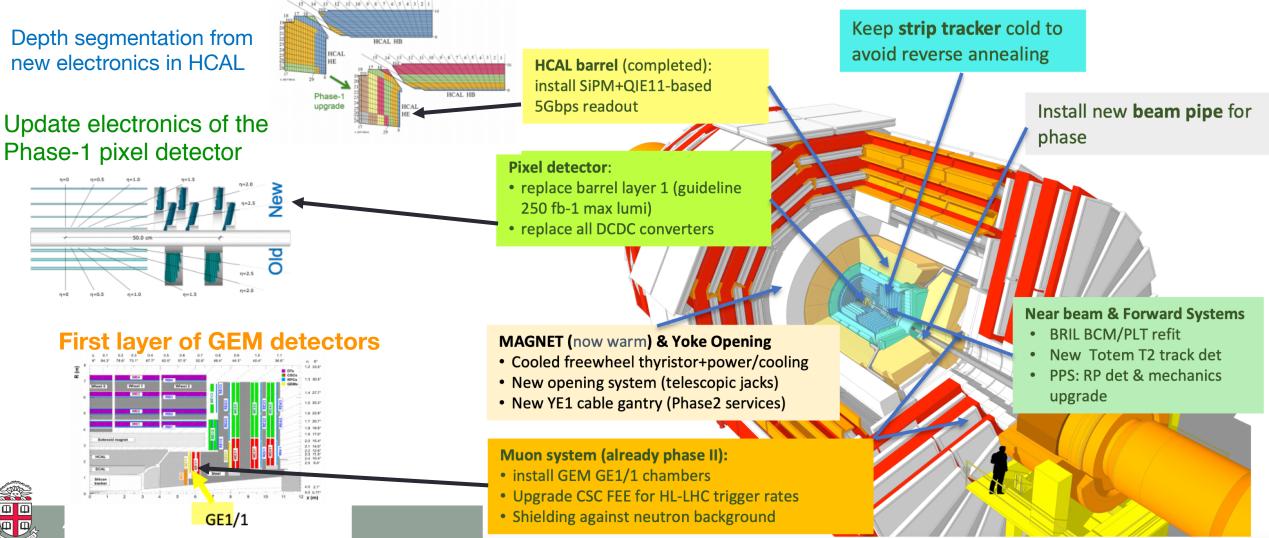
THE NEAR FUTURE: RUN 3

- widened scope from large accumulated statistics
 - Helps with low energy or unusual signatures
 - Helps rare processes with small production cross section
 - More model-independent, not to miss anything
- How to prepare for physics?
 - Pursue novel trigger algorithms
 - Continue benchmark analyses.
 - Develop new analysis strategies



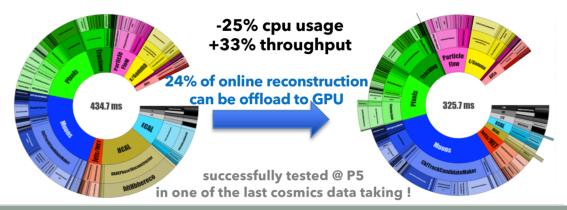
CMS Phase-I upgrades and LS2 Status

- A small delay accumulated during the previous 12 months and the LHC will restart in 2022
- Maintenance, improvement and completing Phase1 upgrade



CMS Run 3 Plans

- Expanding not only just "more of the same"
- Increase of stats for searches and precision measurements
 - Machine learning techniques will continue flooding into the realm of reconstruction and triggering
 - Exploiting new detectors, some designed for Phase 2
- Improve the data taking/triggers
 - Consider extending Scouting and B-Parking data based on their usefulness in Run 2
 - Design new triggers to enlarge the phase space; trigger on anomalous events using ML methods
- Improve analysis \rightarrow embed statistical inference into machine learning algorithms
- Planning to move to heterogeneous architecture in HLT, with mixed CPU/GPU
 - Already achieved 25% reduction of CPU time
 - Opens new possibilities for trigger algorithms leveraging on GPUs





CONCLUSIONS



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- Excellent detector, reconstruction, dedicated techniques, dedicated triggers, and sophisticated models and analysis methods, have enable high quality scientific results and >1000 publications!
- CMS produced a wealth of results in all areas of particle physics demonstrating the power of general-purpose experiments
- They highlight new milestones in particle physics and pave road for future exciting results
- Towards Run 3
- Improvements in all aspects: detector, trigger, data taking, analysis algorithms!

