

Summary of WG3

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Electroweak physics

- Higgs physics
- Gauge boson production and vector boson scattering
- Photon induced processes
- Kaon physics
- Top quark physics
- Rare processes



Beyond Standard Model physics

- Dark matter
- Searches for new physics
- Specific Models with New Physics
- Effective Field Theories

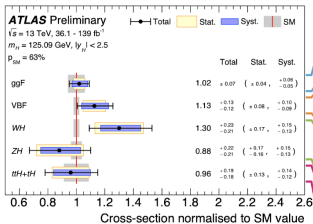
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Production-mode cross-sections

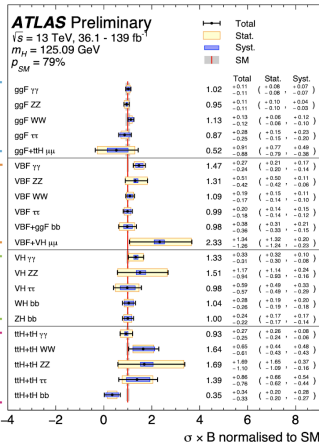
Production mode cross-sections measured to O(10-20%) precision

(ggF competitive with theo. unc.)



(assuming Standard Model decays)

Run 2 data set also gives more "differential information"



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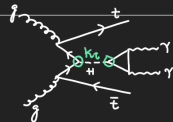
CP Measurement

- Analysis targets tH and $t\bar{t}H$ production modes.
- The CP-odd contribution introduces a second coupling to the top quark, which modifies the $H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ decay rate.

top Yukawa coupling parameter

CP mixing angle

$$\mathcal{L} = -\frac{m_t}{v} \left\{ \bar{\psi}_t \kappa_t [\cos(\alpha) + i \sin(\alpha) \gamma_5] \psi_t \right\} H$$



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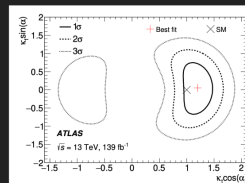
- Without prior constraints on κ_t , $|\alpha| > 43^\circ (63^\circ \text{ expected})$ is excluded at 95% CL.
- $\alpha = 90^\circ$ excluded at 3.9σ .
- Systematic uncertainties negligible.

"Lep" region

- Targets leptonic final state
- ≥ 1 isolated lepton

"Had" region

- Targets hadronic final state
- ≥ 2 additional jets and no leptons



arXiv:2004.04545

slide from talk by Sagar Addepalli

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λ_{HHH} = trilinear Higgs coupling

ATLAS: observed: $-1.0 \leq \kappa_\lambda \leq 6.6$, expected: $-1.2 \leq \kappa_\lambda \leq 7.2$

→ talk by Jana Schaarschmidt

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⇒ Constraints on additional scalars

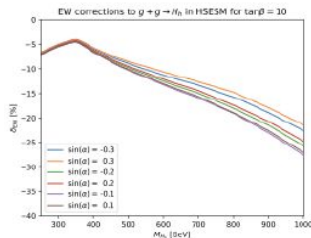
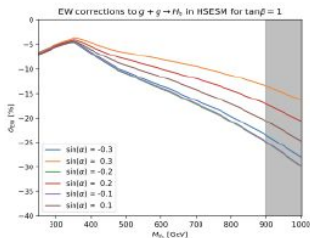
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- Contributions that are sensitive to the sign of $\sin\alpha$ are $\tan\beta$ -suppressed \iff true for all 4 processes!
- Corrections of -25% even in the fully perturbative regime!

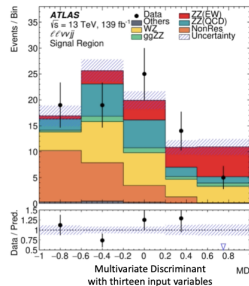
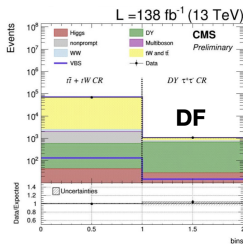
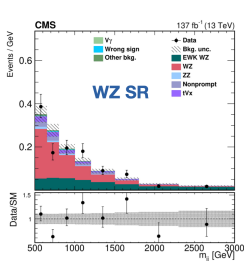
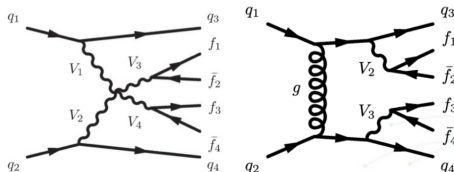
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- ILC: Sensitivity study:
Higgs coupling to strange quarks: $\kappa_s < 6.74$
→ Matthew Basso's talk

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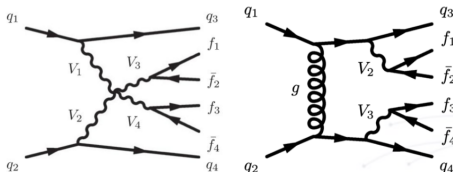


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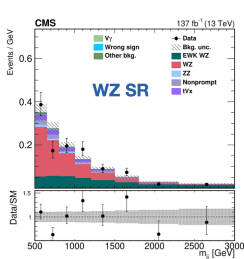
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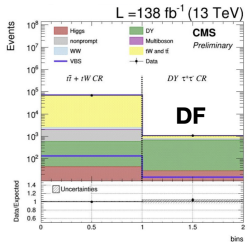
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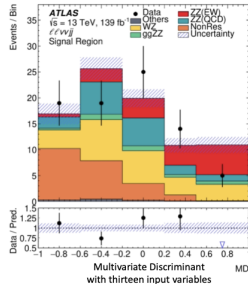
- see also the results by CMS-Totem Precision Proton Spectrometer
→ Enrico Robutti's talk



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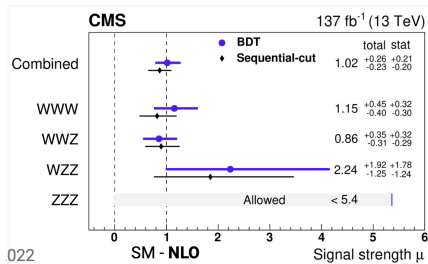
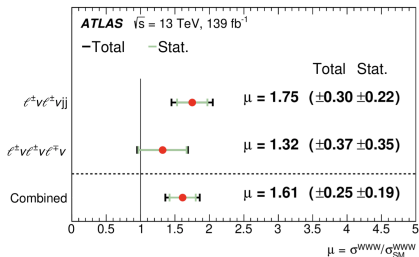


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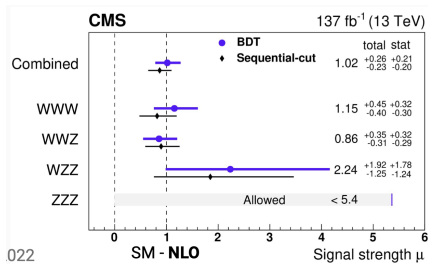
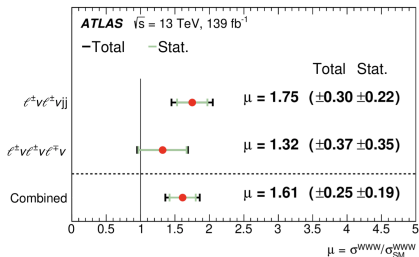


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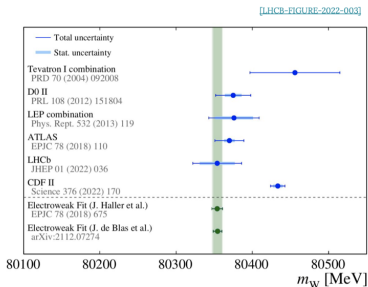
For further results, e.g. $V\gamma$ production

→ talk by Santiago Folgueras, CMS

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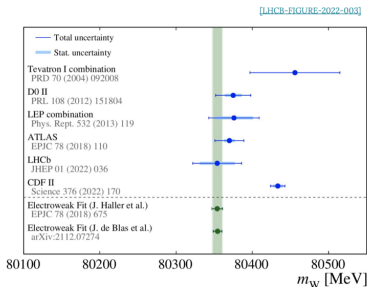
[JHEP 01 (2022) 036], [LHCb-2022-003]

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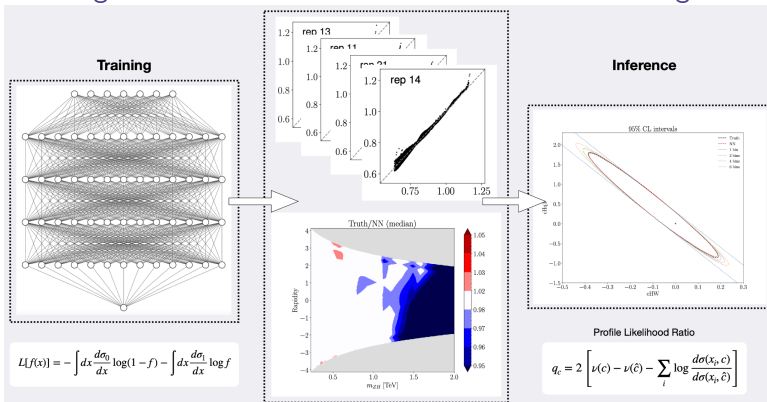
- Third-order predictions for Z and W^\pm q_T spectra at the LHC
- Johannes Michel's talk

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→ Linda Carpenter's talk

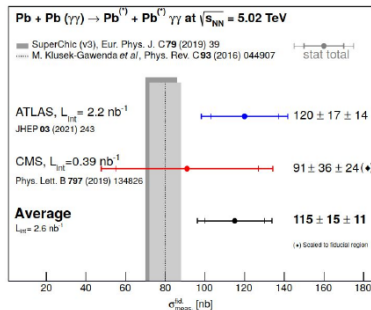
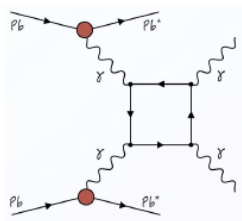
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 see also talk by Iwona Grabowska-Bold, ATLAS

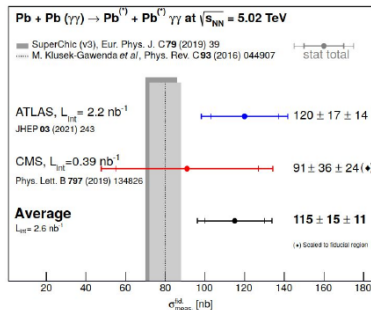
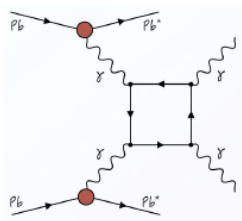
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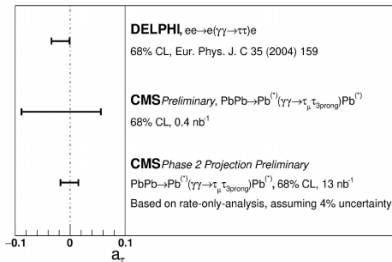
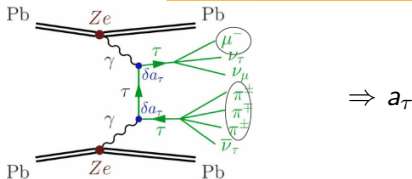
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\Rightarrow Constraints on ALP mass

$5 \text{ GeV} \leq m_a \leq 90 \text{ GeV}$ (CMS)

$6 \text{ GeV} \leq m_a \leq 100 \text{ GeV}$ (ATLAS)

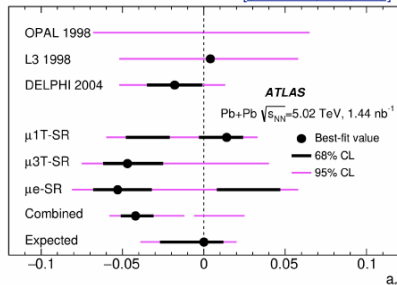
Anomalous magnetic moment of the tauon a_τ



First limits by CMS

→ Georgios Krintiras' talk

[arXiv:2204.13478]



First final measurement:

$$a_\tau \in (-0.058, -0.012) \cup (-0.006, 0.025)$$

→ Iwona Grabowska-Bold's talk

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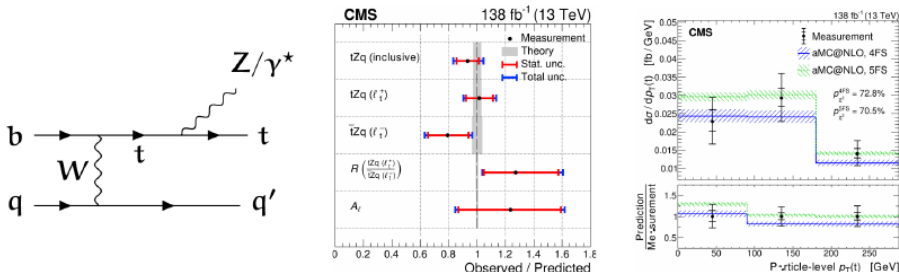
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Two further studies:

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interplay of (non)-photon-initiated diagrams and multi-parton interactions
 \rightarrow Lucian Harland-Lang's talk
- ★ **Extension of general-mass heavy quark scheme to charged current DIS at (N)NNLO**
 ν DIS scale uncertainties reduced to $\sim 1 - 3 \%$
 \rightarrow Tim Hobbs' talk

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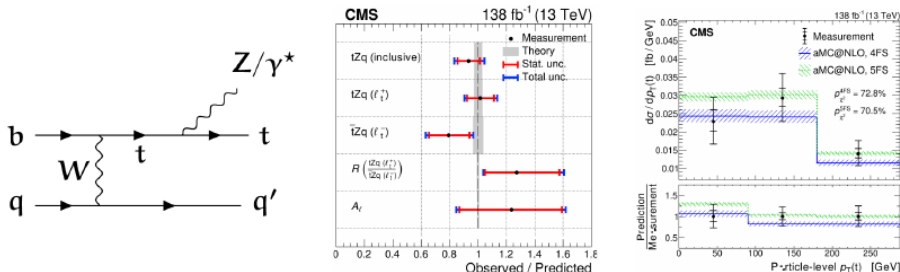


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Further CMS top quark measurements:

Top quark production in pp , pPb , $PbPb$

→ Luis F. Alcerro's talk

Top quark energy asymmetry

- Select **boosted** $t\bar{t} + j$ events in the semi-leptonic decay channel
- measure energy asymmetry for **the first time**

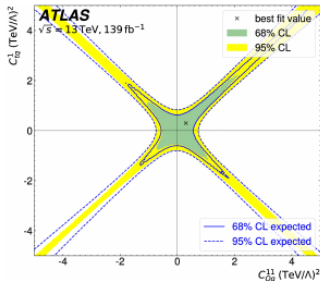
$$A_E(\theta_j) \equiv \frac{\sigma^{\text{opt}}(\theta_j | \Delta E > 0) - \sigma^{\text{opt}}(\theta_j | \Delta E < 0)}{\sigma^{\text{opt}}(\theta_j | \Delta E > 0) + \sigma^{\text{opt}}(\theta_j | \Delta E < 0)}$$

- $\Delta E = E_t - E_{\bar{t}}$
- θ_j the jet scattering angle w.r.t the beam axis

$$\sigma^{\text{opt}}(\theta_j) = \sigma(\theta_j | y_{t\bar{t}j} > 0) + \sigma(\pi - \theta_j | y_{t\bar{t}j} < 0)$$

- Set EFT limits on this asymmetry measurement

2D constraints

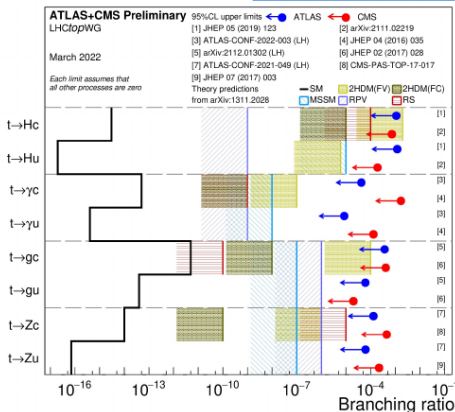


- A_E probes new directions in the parameter space of Wilson coefficients, complementing other observables the rapidity asymmetry

→ Shayma Wahdan's talk

Flavour changing neutral currents & off-shell effects

- FCNC constraints from top quark production:



→ Marcos Miralles' talk

→ Hideki Okawa's talk

- W decays in off-shell $t\bar{t}$ production at NLO+PS → tool bb41
 → Tomáš Ježo's talk

Precision Kaon Physics

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→ also Marco Mirra's talk

- The 2016-2017-2018 NA62 combined result for $K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \nu \bar{\nu}$ has been presented
 - 20 events found

$$BR(K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \nu \bar{\nu}) = (10.6_{-3.4}^{+4.0} \bigg|_{stat} \pm 0.9_{syst}) \times 10^{-11} (68\% CL)$$

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Preliminary: $BR(K^\pm \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^0 \mu^\pm \nu) = (3.4 \pm 0.2) \times 10^{-6}$

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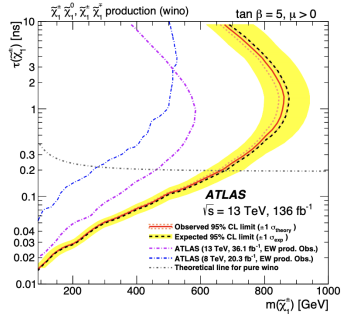
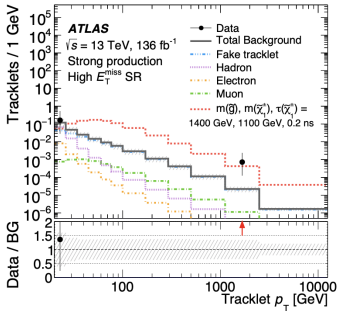
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New ideas for 'old' dark matter scenarios

Missing track search for compressed electroweakinos:

After selection: look for an excess of candidate events in the p_T distribution of pixel tracklets

→ (Left-plot) No excess observed in the SRs: (Right-plot) place exclusion limits at 95% CL



• Electroweak production: LL $\tilde{\chi}^\pm$ (0.2 ns life-time) are excluded up to 660 GeV

→ Pure wino LSP model; mass-splitting between the charged and neutral wino of 160 MeV

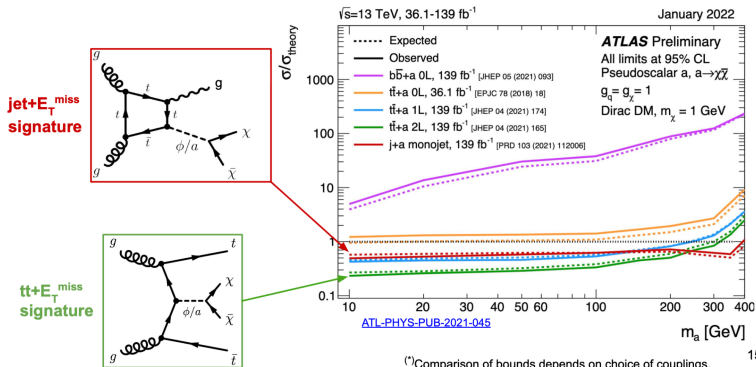
→ Results can be interpreted also using other SUSY-EW simplified models, e.g. pure-higgsino

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More exotic Dark Matter: Top-philic scalar

$X + E_T^{\text{miss}}$ Bounds on New Spin-0 Mediators

Tightest bounds^(*) on simplified spin-0 mediator model come from searches in the $t\bar{t} + E_T^{\text{miss}}$ and $\text{jet} + E_T^{\text{miss}}$ (PRD 103, 112006 (2021)) final states.



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- Are there new dark constituents of the proton?

If yes, dark pdf sets needed

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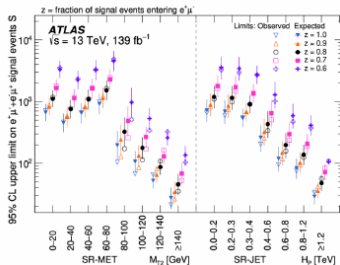
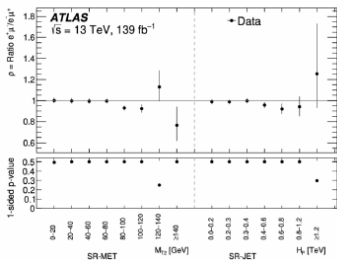
New type of searches

Example: e/μ charge flavour conspiracy → Will Fawcett's talk

$$\rho = \frac{\sigma(pp \rightarrow e^+ \mu^- + X)}{\sigma(pp \rightarrow e^- \mu^+ + X)} = 1 \text{ in SM, } \rho < 1 \text{ at LHC experiment due to pp collision biasing fakes.}$$

$\rho > 1$ possible for BSM. \Rightarrow Look for $\rho > 1$.

- ρ measured in data, consistent with the SM of $\rho = 1$
- Able to set model independent limits on the number of $e\mu$ events that could be in the signal regions



- No background estimate needed for data self-consistency test

Conclusion

- A variety of topics covering all sorts of aspects of WG3
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