



# Status of RIVET and CONTUR

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# Setting the scene

*What is RIVET?*

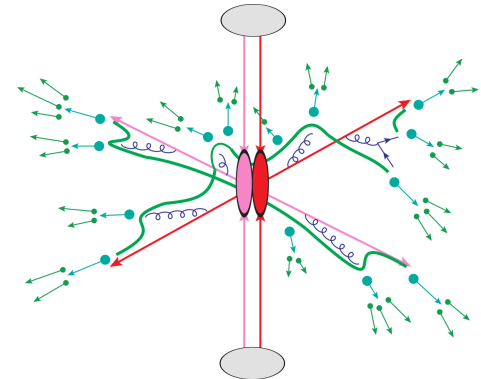


# What is RIVET?

*Robust Independent Validation of Experiment and Theory*

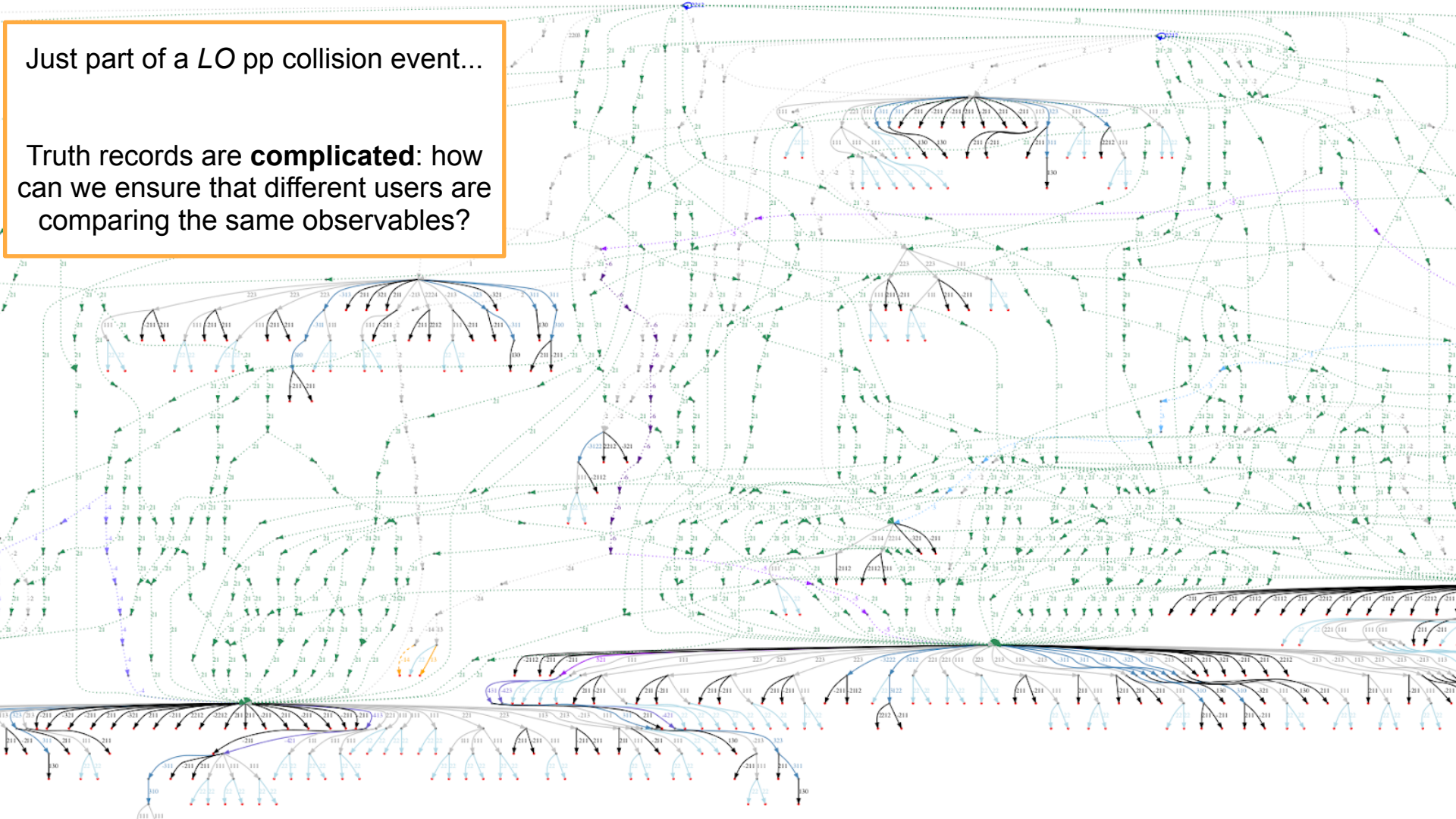


- The “LHC standard” Monte Carlo analysis toolkit
- RIVET can be thought of as a **language** facilitating **communication** between **experimentalists, phenomenologists, theorists...**  
=> As any language, point is to **ensure common definitions**
- **Concretely:** A software project to **preserve the logic of HEP data analyses** and further experiment-pheno-theory collaboration. Contains:
  - An **event loop**
  - Physics object / **observable calculators** (Physically safe!)
  - Fiducial / **generator-independence** emphasis
  - Integration with **HEPData**
  - Transparent **weight-stream handling**
  - **1000+ analyses!**
- RIVET now sits at the **centre of a web of analysis reinterpretation tools**, linking experiment to theory



Just part of a *LO* pp collision event...

Truth records are **complicated**: how can we ensure that different users are comparing the same observables?



# Design Principles

## Lessons learned from HZTool and a decade of LHC

- **Runnable** versions of analysis logic: simple and impactful way to **communicate physics results**. Reproducing a key plot (or not!): powerful way to understand the underlying physics, communicate issues reproducibly, and eventually improve Monte Carlo descriptions

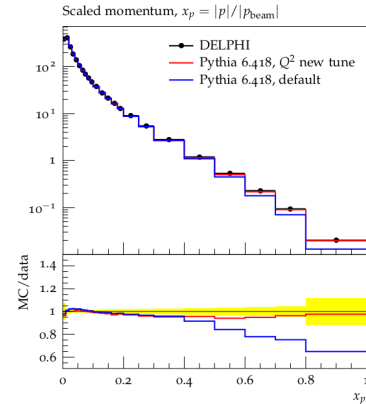
- But there are **many pitfalls**:

- eg, Partons, bosons, etc. direct from the event graph are frequently unphysical / depend on approximations / may not even exist!
- Does adding a new generator mean patching ~all analyses?

⇒ *predict “real” observables, from well-defined final states, which do not depend on event graph or event generator*

- And it needs to be performant:

- **Standardisation**: event format conventions, PDG particle numbering, etc.
- **Scalability**: cache, not repeat, lots of expensive operations e.g. jet finding  
*Important when running 1000+ analysis routines in parallel!*



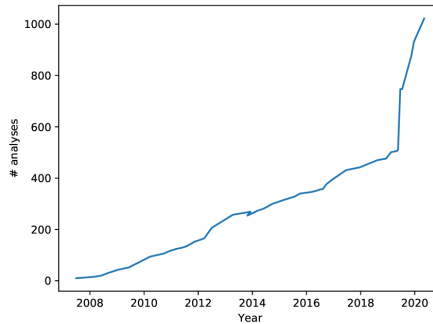
# Status of RIVET

## Where we are now



**Version 3.1.0 crossed the 1000 analysis mark**

A steady flow of analysis submissions, plus the occasional deluge of routines from Herwig devs!



**Official support from the LHC experiments is crucial**

preservation = just part of how we do science; but still some way to go! Coverage monitoring:

**Many “new” features since RIVET v1 (2010):** systematics multiweights, “perfect merging”, heavy ions, detector smearing functions, analysis options

<https://rivet.hepforge.org/rivet-coverage>

Rivet analysis coverage (no searches, no heavy ion)

Rivet analyses exist for 845/4241 papers = 20%. 153 priority analyses required.

Total number of Inspire papers scanned = 7280, at 2020-07-02

Breakdown by identified experiment (in development):

Key	ALICE	ATLAS	CMS	LHCb	Forward	HERA	$e^+e^- (\geq 12 \text{ GeV})$	$e^+e^- (\leq 12 \text{ GeV})$
Rivet wanted (total):	72	111	126	183	43	461	765	647
Rivet REALLY wanted:	17	42	61	9	0	13	1	3
Rivet provided:	14/86 = 16%	135/246 = 55%	77/203 = 38%	13/156 = 7%	8/51 = 16%	9/470 = 2%	166/931 = 18%	344/991 = 35%

Show graph! Show Marked!

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ATLAS: Measurement of the  $t\bar{t}$  production cross-section in the lepton+jets channel at  $\sqrt{s} = 13 \text{ TeV}$  with the ATLAS experiment  
 Inspire ID: 1802524 arXiv ID: 2006.13076 Report IDs: CERN-EP-2020-096  
 Links: Inspire arXiv

ATLAS: Measurements of top-quark pair single- and double-differential cross-sections in the all-hadronic channel in  $pp$  collisions at  $\sqrt{s} = 13 \text{ TeV}$  using the ATLAS detector  
 Inspire ID: 1801434 arXiv ID: 2006.09274 Report IDs: CERN-EP-2020-063  
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Measurements of the Higgs boson inclusive and differential fiducial cross sections in the  $4\ell$  decay channel at  $\sqrt{s} = 13 \text{ TeV}$   
 Inspire ID: 1790439 arXiv ID: 2004.03969 Report IDs: CERN-EP-2020-035  
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ATLAS: Measurement of the Lund Jet plane using charged particles in 13 TeV proton-proton collisions with the ATLAS detector  
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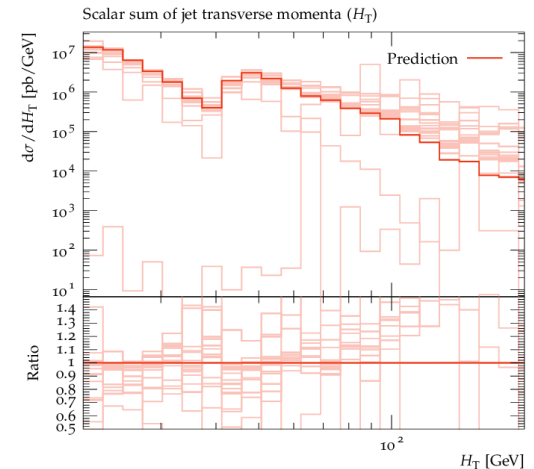
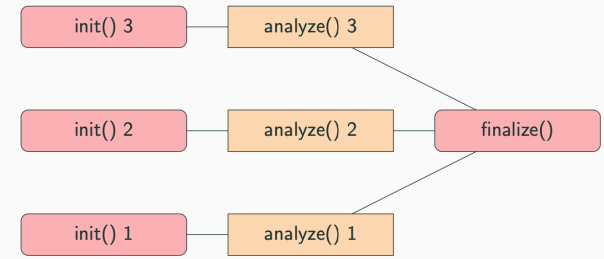
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 Inspire ID: 1772071 arXiv ID: 1912.09866 Report IDs: CERN-EP-2019-210  
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ATLAS: A measurement of soft-drop jet observables in  $pp$  collisions with the ATLAS detector at  $\sqrt{s} = 13 \text{ TeV}$

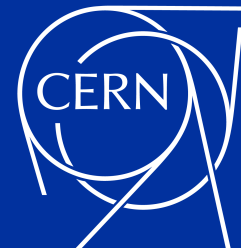
# Example of new Features: *Multiweights and Re-entry*



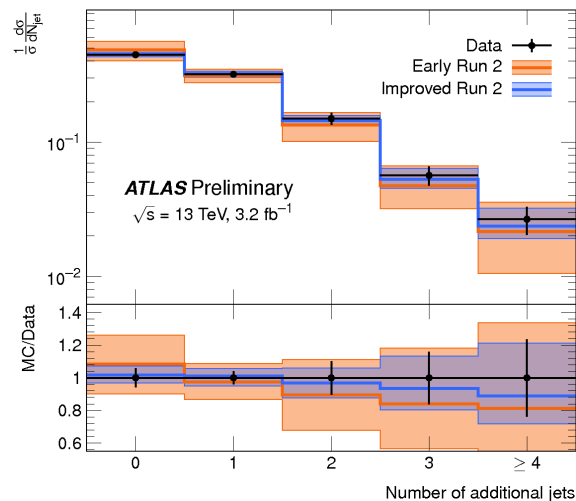
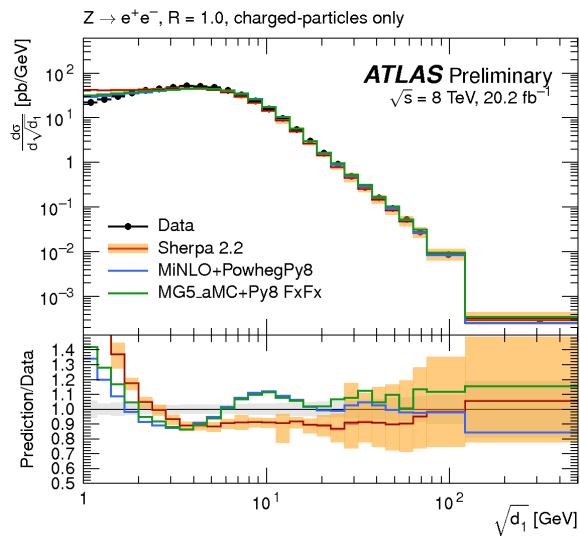
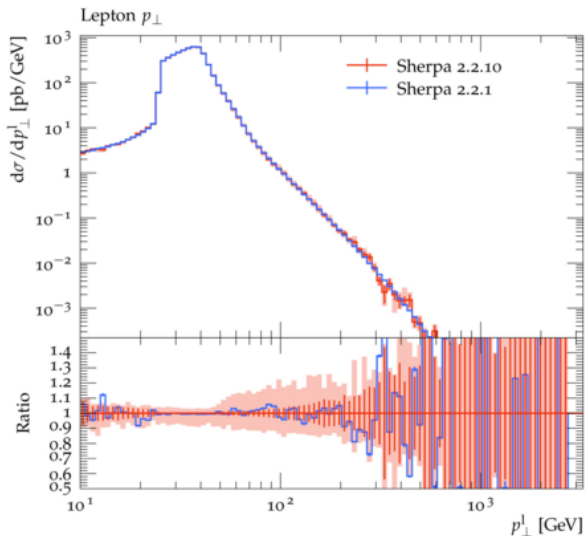
- **Can now re-call finalisation to combine runs:** RAW histogram stage preserves pre-finalize objects
  - $\Rightarrow$  “re-entrant” perfect data-object merging
    - Key for e.g.  $pA/pp$  or  $W/Z$  ratios, + BSM recasting
- **MC weight vectors allow expression of increasingly complex theory uncertainties.** But a burden for analysis chains: have to propagate and correctly combine  $O(200)$  weight streams!
- **RIVET 3: complex automatic handling of weights** ~invisible to users: data objects look like histograms etc. but are secretly multiplexed



# New Features: Multiweights in action



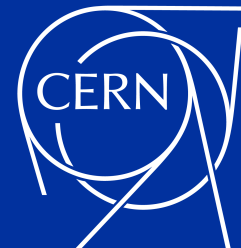
ATLAS MC studies have been a significant driver of this feature  
(thanks to Chris Gutschow)



Weight-naming standardisation underway via MCnet

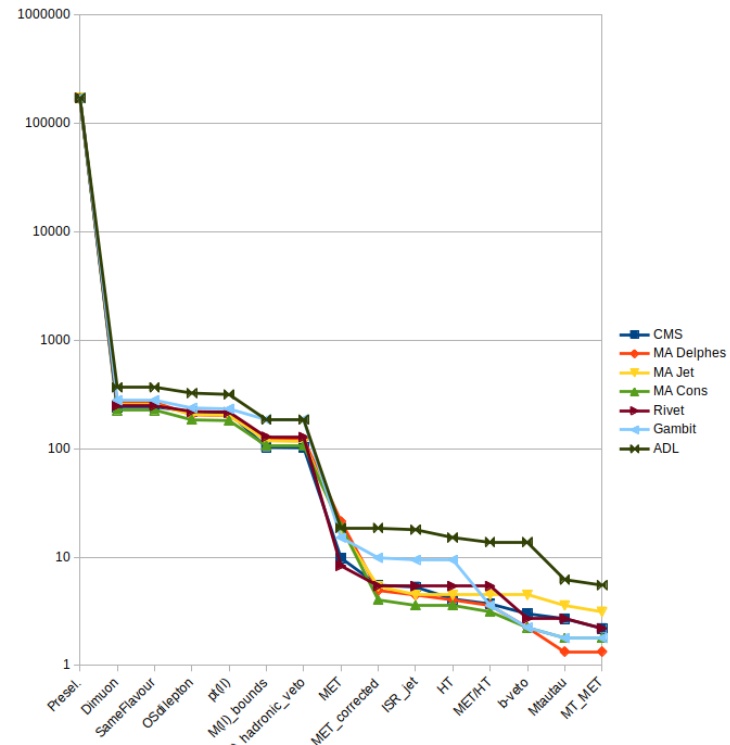


# New Features: *Detector Emulation and Searches*



- **Detector smearing** is built into RIVET's projection system: opens door for **reco-level analyses**
- Similar to Delphes, but more flexible and can be analysis-specific: allows "tuned" jet-substructure smearing, systematic studies, upgrade studies...
- Reco-level RIVET routines: **preserve searches**
  - Phase-space specific detector smearing/efficiency functions
  - Similar mechanisms in other recasting tools.

**Can we do for Searches what we did for Measurements?**



# The Future of RIVET

## *What's on the horizon?*



- **Vision: RIVET as a standard for “truth-level” observables, across collider physics**
- Not just standalone, but as a library in pheno & experiment frameworks, too: **standard MC definitions, seamless systematics handling, etc.**
- At its core: a **physics-oriented** system for physicists to **compare MC predictions to one another and to data, on many simultaneous observables, in myriad ways**  
**We don't know all the use-cases yet! See second half of this talk for one which we had not imagined when we started!**
- **Challenges:**
  - Extension of HepData and other community infrastructure for ever more precise data. Even our compressed data format is struggling with the volume of analyses and data. **Work needed on multiweight-oriented data format and tools**
  - **Improved, modernised visualisation and exploration**
  - **Connections to global fitting tools**
  - **Preserving MVAs: BDT and NN in vanilla C++**

Find a RIVET ten-minute tutorial in the backup slides!

# CONTUR

*Leveraging RIVET to determine BSM  
exclusions at scale*



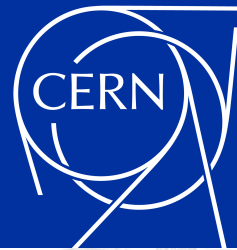
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## Constraints On New Theories Using RIVET



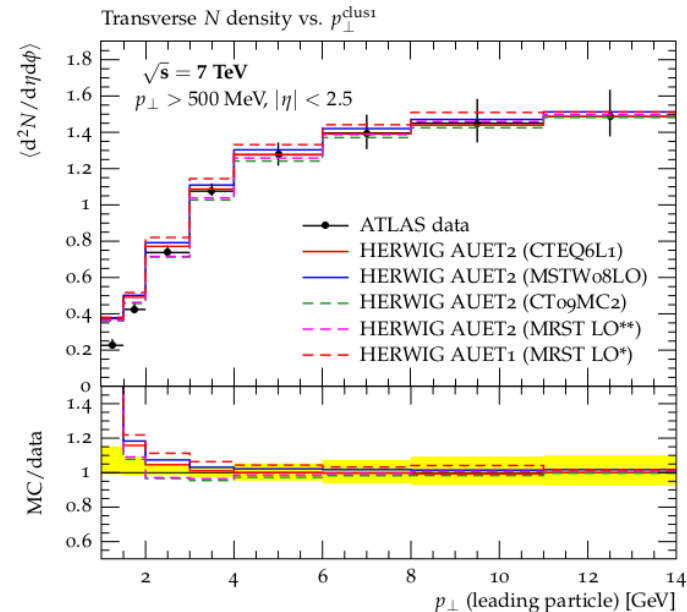
- The LHC search programme often **focuses on most spectacular signatures** of a new model...
- But many models might **already be ruled out** because they would cause **visible distortions in spectra of "standard" processes!**
- Challenge is **figuring out how a new model compares to hundreds of measured distributions...**
- ...and understanding **whether the model is consistent with the measured data within uncertainties**

Does this sound familiar?



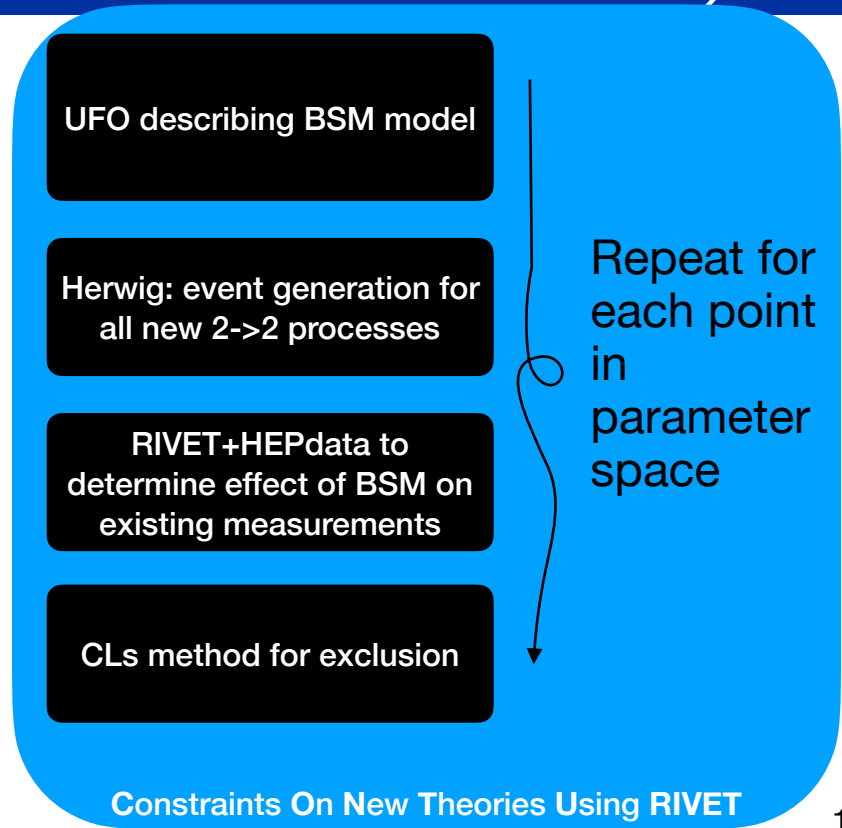
# We have the technology

- We already have the infrastructure to make rapid particle-level Data/MC comparisons.
- We use it all the time: it's called **RIVET!**
  - Originally for MC Generator comparisons of SM predictions, and tuning
  - **Trivial to switch out so we compare to a SM+BSM prediction!**
- We already have 100s of precision measurements from LHC ready to be used in this way...  
**More analyses being added all the time** as part of the ATLAS and CMS approval procedures.

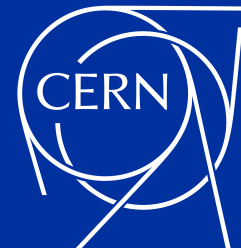


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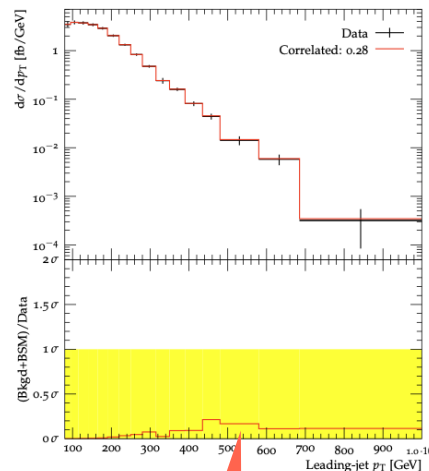
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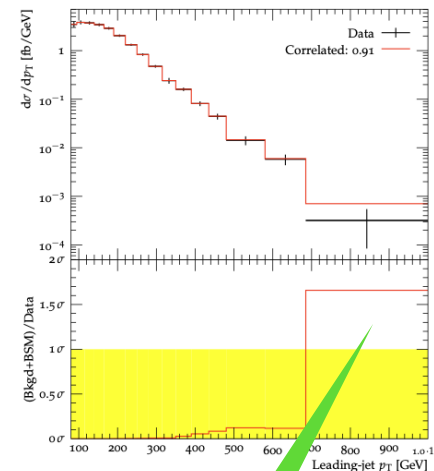
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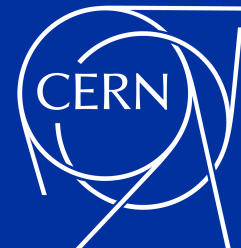
Signal would have small effect wrt uncertainties, can't exclude it (28 % CL)



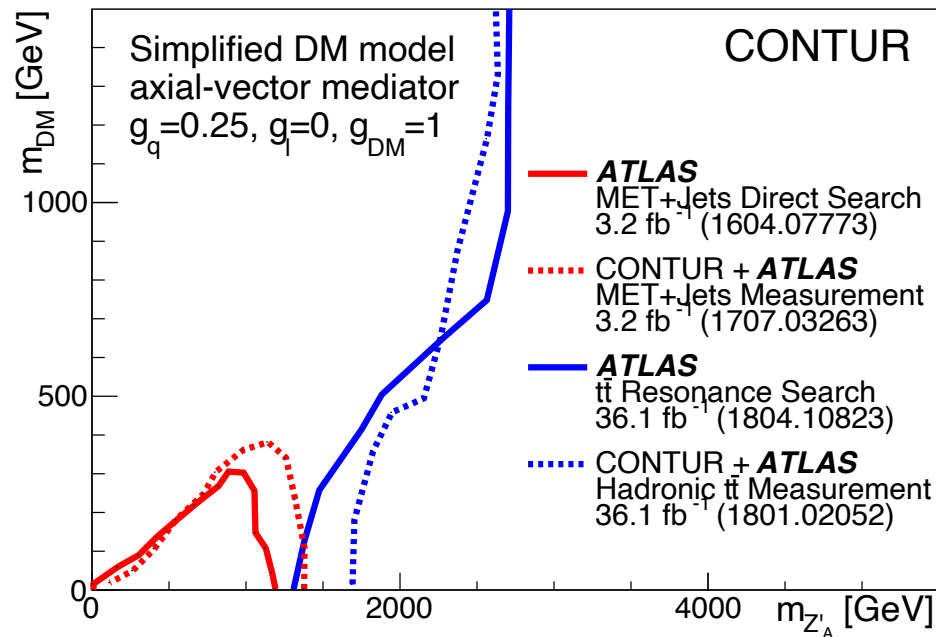
Signal would have large effects above measured uncertainties: can exclude at high confidence level (91 %)



# Do measurements really give comparable exclusions?



- **Bold claim:** For the same final state and luminosity, searches and measurements have roughly the same exclusion power.
- Not surprising: searches and measurements would both use similar calibrations, reco techniques etc...
- A search might use machine-learning or other optimisation to eek out sensitivity to benchmark models (at the cost of model dependence)
  - Can be quite hard to recast search results in terms of other models or other parameter choices.
- A measurement would have the advantage of being performed in a BSM-agnostic way, but typically unfolded to particle-level and has analysis logic preserved. **Hit in sensitivity, but easy to re-use!**





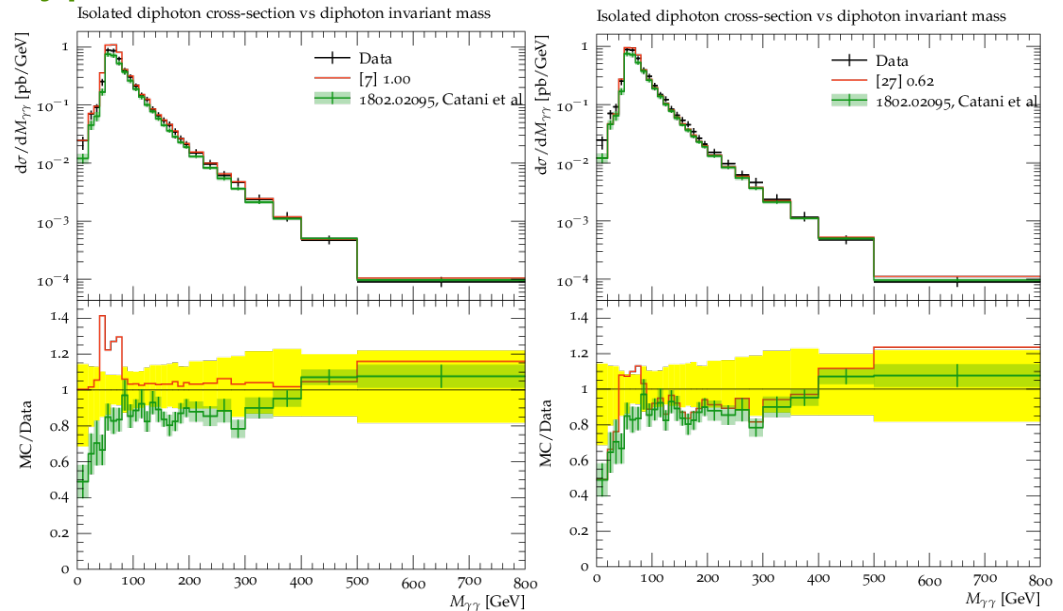
# State of the art MC predictions And correlations



- Absence of unambiguous BSM in LHC measurements to date => make 0th-order assumption that data=SM  
**Can be improved with high-precision SM theory predictions and uncertainties!**

- Correlation between bins can be accounted for** if uncertainty breakdowns on HEPData!  
If not, forced to take only most sensitive bin !

SQRT(S)	13000 GEV	
$m_{4l}$ [GEV]	Measured $d\sigma/dm_{4l}$ [FB GEV-1]	Predicted $d\sigma/dm_{4l}$ (with Sherpa + NLO EW) [FB GEV-1]
7.500000e+01	$1.00341e-01$ - $\pm 2.346437e-02$ syst	$5.182588e-01$ - $\pm 3.545342e-02$ total
1.000000e+02	$1.000000e+02$ - $\pm 3.442822e-02$ stat	
1.000000e+02	$9.334923e-02$ - $\pm 4.205973e-03$ syst	$7.834322e-02$ - $\pm 4.277496e-03$ total
1.200000e+02	$1.200000e+02$ - $\pm 1.800903e-02$ stat	



- Call to action for experimentalists:**  
Please add your uncertainty breakdowns and SM background predictions to your HEPData records

- Call to action for theorists:**  
Please add your rivet-compatible SM calculations on HEPData too!

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ABSTRACT: The large and growing library of measurements from the Large Hadron Collider has significant power to constrain extensions of the Standard Model. We consider constraints on a well-motivated model involving a gauged and spontaneously-broken  $B - L$  symmetry, within the Contur framework. The model contains an extra Higgs boson gauge boson, and right-handed neutrinos with Majorana masses. This new particle content implies a varied phenomenology highly dependent on the parameters of the model, well-suited to a general study of this kind. We find that existing LHC measurements significantly constrain the parameter space of this model. However, many interesting regions remain open, some

## A study of collider signatures for two Higgs doublet models with a Pseudoscalar mediator to Dark Matter

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### Abstract

Two Higgs doublet models with an additional pseudoscalar particle coupling to the Standard Model and to a new stable, neutral particle, provide an attractive and fairly minimal route to solving the problem of Dark Matter. They have been the subject of several searches at the LHC. We study the impact of existing LHC measurements on such models, first in the benchmark regions addressed by searches and then after relaxing some of their assumptions and broadening the parameter ranges considered. In each case we study how the new parameters change the potentially visible signatures at the LHC, and identify which of these signatures should already have had a significant impact on existing measurements. This allows us to set some first constraints on a number of so far unstudied scenarios.

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ABSTRACT: We examine current collider constraints on some simple  $Z'$  models that fit neutral current  $B - L$  anomalies, including constraints coming from measurements of Standard Model (SM) signatures at the LHC. The 'MDM' simplified model is not constrained by the SM measurements but is strongly constrained by a 139 fb<sup>-1</sup> 13 TeV ATLAS di-muon search. Constraints upon the 'MUM' simplified model are much weaker. A combination

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**Abstract.** We examine current Large Hadron Collider constraints on some simple  $Z'$  models that significantly improve on Standard Model fits to  $b \rightarrow s\mu^+\mu^-$  transition data. The models that we consider are the 'third family baryon number minus second family lepton number' ( $B_3 - L_2$ ) model and the 'third family hypercharge' model and variants. The constraints are applied on parameter regions of each model that fit the  $b \rightarrow s\mu^+\mu^-$  transition data and come from high-mass Drell-Yan di-muons and measurements of Standard Model processes. This latter set of observables place particularly strong bounds upon the parameter space of the  $B_3 - L_2$  model when the mass of the  $Z'$  boson is less than 300 GeV.

## New sensitivity of current LHC measurements to vector-like quarks

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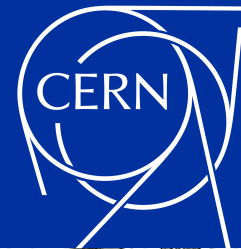
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### Abstract

Quark partners with non-chiral couplings appear in several extensions of the Standard Model. They may have non-trivial generational structure to their couplings, and may be produced either in pairs via the strong and EM interactions, or singly via the new couplings of the model. Their decays often produce heavy

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# CONTUR vs Composite Dark Matter (heavy dark mesons)

A case study

<https://arxiv.org/abs/2105.08494>

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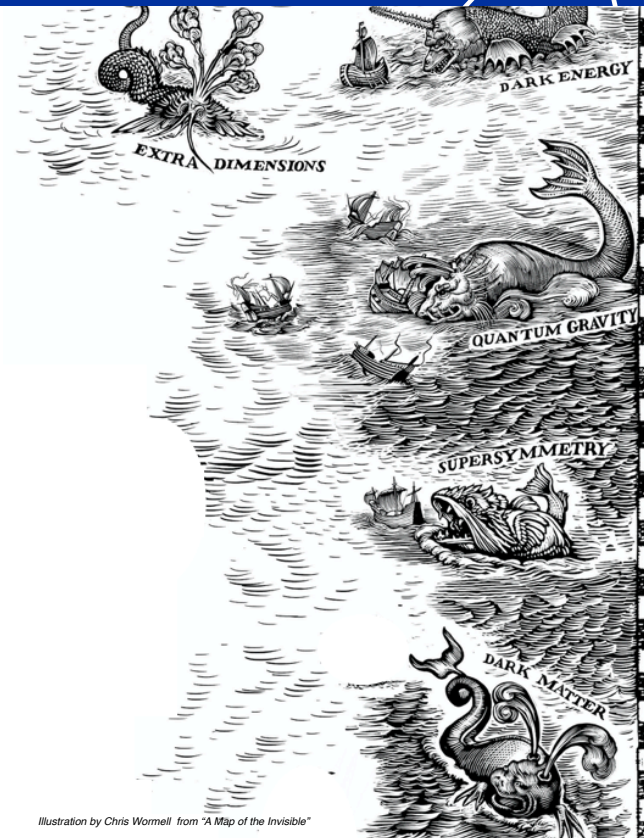
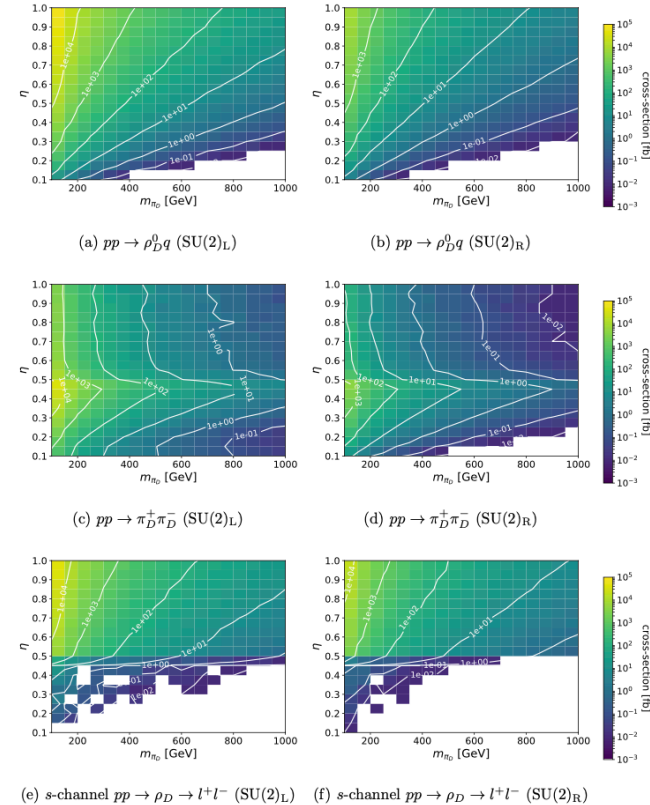


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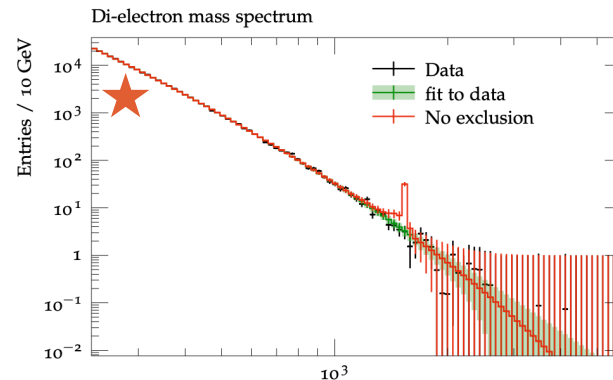
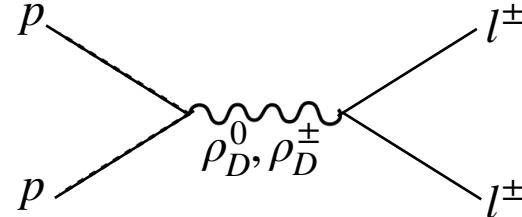
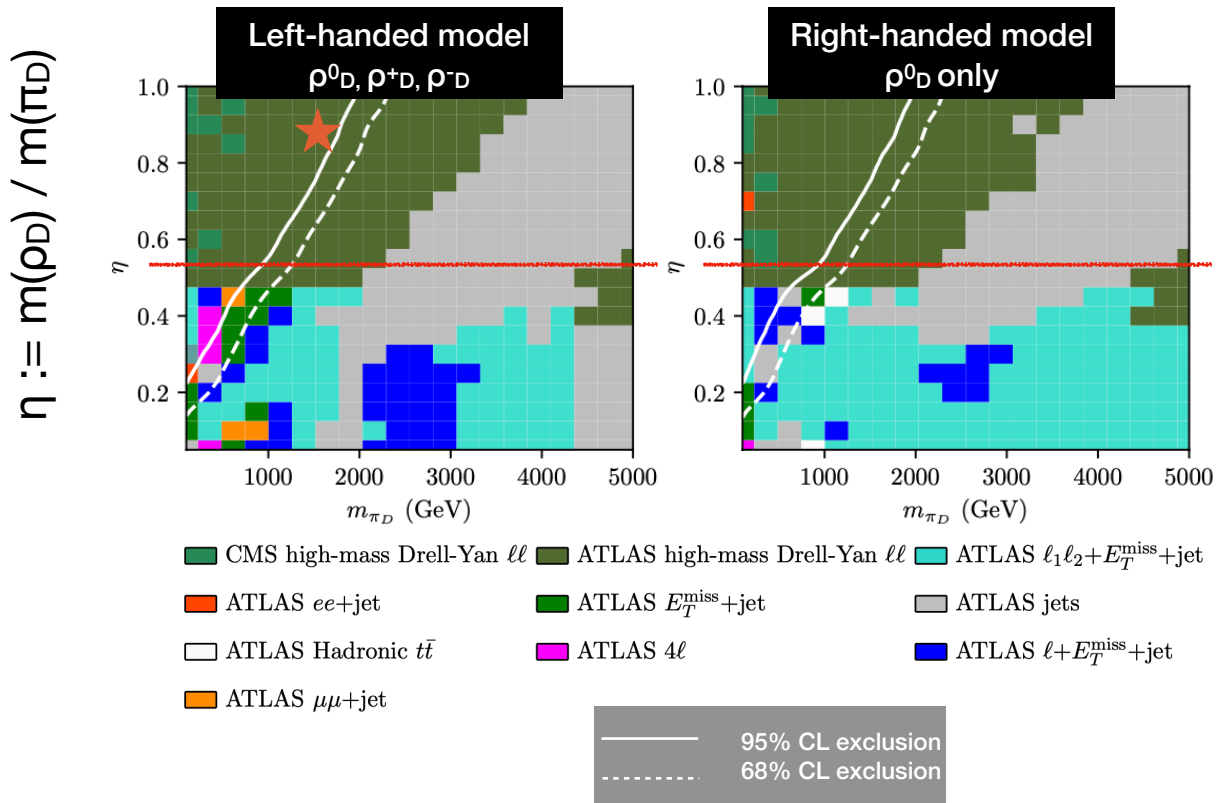
# Dark meson phenomenology at the LHC

arXiv:2105.08494

- What if **dark matter** is a **composite particle** arising from **non-Abelian dynamics**? eg SU(4) which confines at some scale  $\Lambda_{dark}$
- Leads to bound states of mesons and baryons. Simplest case, **dark pions**  $\pi_D$  and **dark rho**  $\rho_D$ , in addition to dark baryons (DM candidates)  $\rightarrow$  **Heavy Dark Mesons** (Kribs et al. arXiv:1809.10183)
- Dark fermions transform under electroweak part of the Standard Model: communication with SM
- There are no direct searches for this model by ATLAS or CMS: instead to **constrain this model using the bank of existing LHC measurements using CONTUR**
- Dynamics of the theory depend a lot on  $\eta = m_{\pi_D}/m_{\rho_D}$



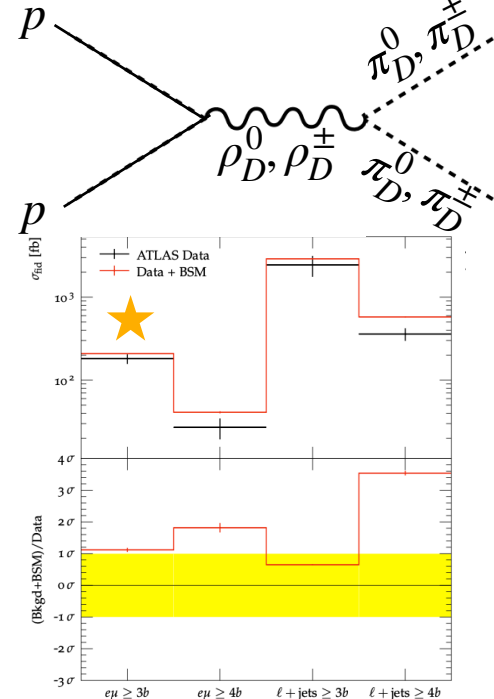
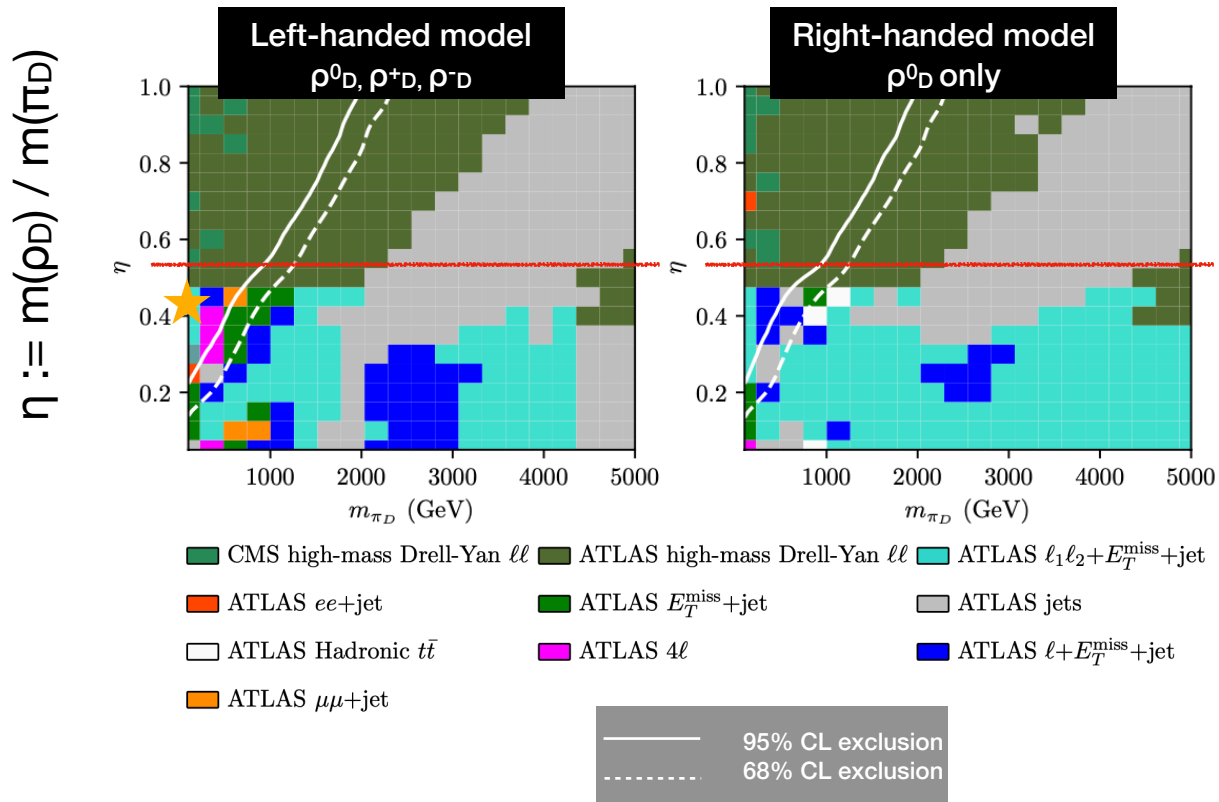
# CONTUR results



Search for high-mass dilepton resonances using 139/fb pp collision data collected at 13 TeV with the ATLAS detector  
<https://arxiv.org/abs/1903.06248>

One of a few detector-level analyses in RIVET thanks to dedicated smearing functions!

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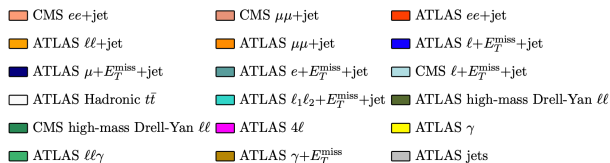
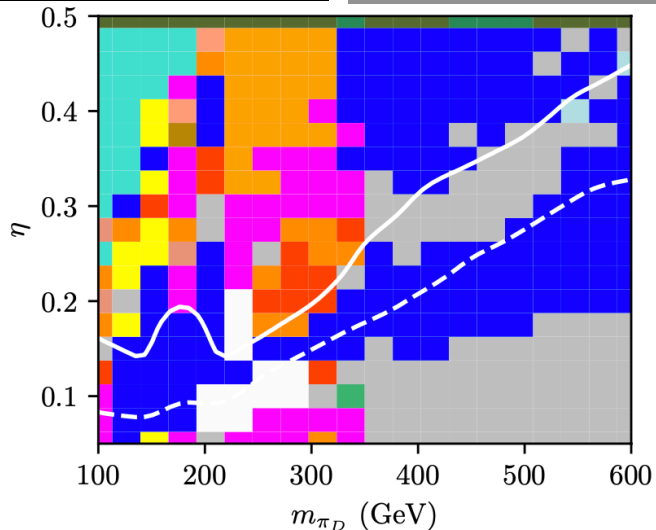
Measurements of fiducial and differential cross-sections of  $t\bar{t}$  production with additional heavy-flavour jets in proton-proton collisions at 13 TeV with the ATLAS detector (36/fb)  
<https://arxiv.org/abs/1811.12113>

$t\bar{t}b\bar{b}$  final state (both dark pions decay to  $t\bar{b}$ )

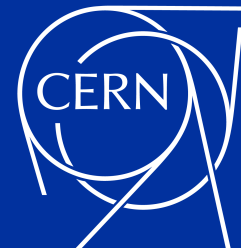
# CONTUR results: zoom on low- $\eta$ region

Left-handed model  
 $\rho^{0D}, \rho^{+D}, \rho^{-D}$

— 95% CL exclusion  
 - - - 68% CL exclusion



- Excluding the most sensitive analysis
  - DY resonant search: *because signal would not cause a “bump” in this region*
- CONTUR still excludes large areas of this region . What measurements contribute?
  - Higgs mass bin, contributions from  $\gamma\gamma$  measurements, as  $\pi_D \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$  becomes important even if decay mode is suppressed
  - Boosted hadronic  $t\bar{t}$  measurements play a role around  $m(\pi_D)$  200 GeV: expected from dominant decay of pions to  $t\bar{b}$ , and the fact they are boosted at that mass
  - Lots of sensitivity from  $t\bar{t}$ -like measurements
  - Further High-mass Drell-Yan measurements, in particular of  $\tau\tau$  + jets, could be helpful in future!

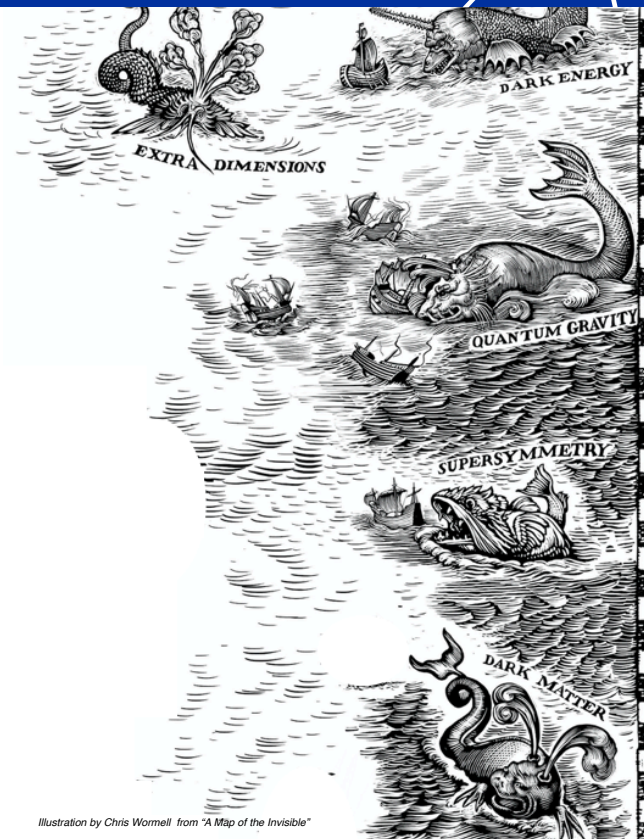


# CONTUR vs Z' Models for $b \rightarrow s\mu^+\mu^-$

Fresh from the arXiv

<https://arxiv.org/abs/2110.13518>

B.C. Allanach, J. M. Butterworth, Tyler Corbett





# Z' models motivated by LFV anomalies

- Models containing a Z' with non-trivial flavour interactions
  - Mass, mixing angle, coupling
- Central values of fits to LHCb results allows one parameter to be expressed in terms of the others, leading to favoured regions in a 2D plane.
- Scan over those regions with CONTUR

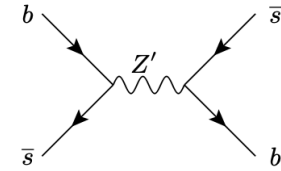
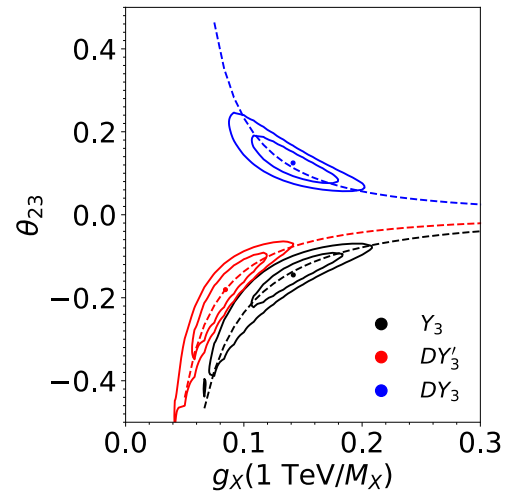
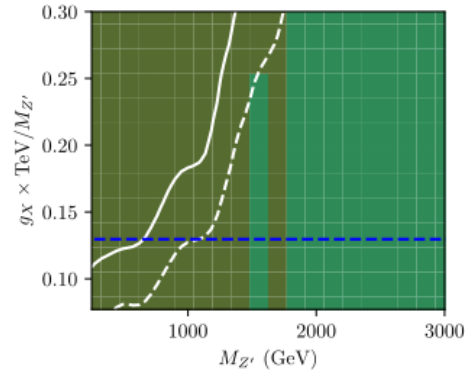


Fig. 2: Tree-level Feynman diagram of a Z'-mediated process which contributes to  $B_s - \bar{B}_s$  mixing.



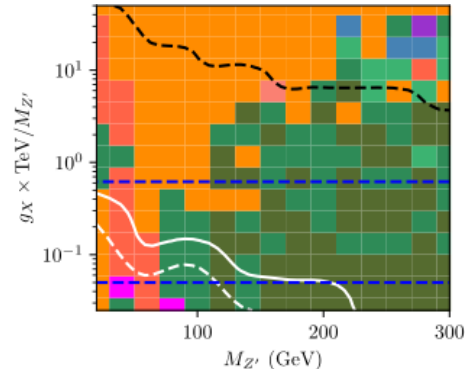
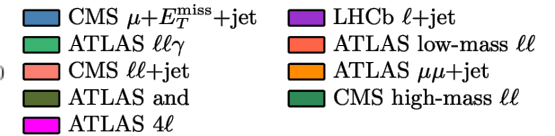
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- Main signature is dimuons
- In the high Z' mass regions, what sensitivity there is comes from the ATLAS dimuon search, which is implemented in RIVET/CONTUR. For TFHM models that's all there is.
- The  $B_3$ - $L_2$  model, the “window” at low mass largely is closed by low mass Drell Yan and Z  $\rightarrow$   $ll$  measurements



## Deformed 3<sup>rd</sup> Family Hypercharge Model (DY3').

Favoured region is below the blue line. Above the white line, 95% exclusion.



## $B_3$ - $L_2$ Model.

Favoured region is between the blue lines. Above the black line, Z' width >30% of mass. Below the white line, 95% exclusion.

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## Testing new physics models with global comparisons to collider measurements: the **Contur** toolkit

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### Abstract

Measurements at particle collider experiments, even if primarily aimed at understanding Standard Model processes, can have a high degree of model independence, and implicitly contain information about potential contributions from physics beyond the Standard Model. The **Contur** package allows users to benefit from the hundreds of measurements preserved in the Rivet library to test new models against the bank of LHC measurements to date. This method has proven to be very effective in several recent publications from the **Contur** team, but ultimately, for this approach to be successful, the authors believe that the **Contur** tool needs to be accessible to the wider high energy physics community. As such, this manual accompanies the first user-facing version: **Contur v2**. It describes the design choices that have been made, as well as detailing pitfalls and common issues to avoid. The authors hope that with the help of this documentation, external groups will be able to run their own **Contur** studies, for example when proposing a new model, or pitching a new search.

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**Tutorials and demos**

15:00 **Tutorial for Contur** 1h In-Person: Amphi Dirac (Online) **Minutes**

Speaker: Louie Dartmoor Corpe (CERN)

Contur\_tutorial\_TO... contur\_tutorial.zip Video Tutorial

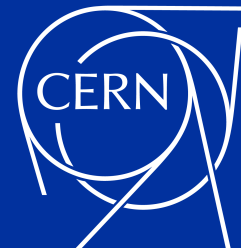
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<https://docs.docker.com/get-docker/>

Then, once you've got the Docker desktop up and running, in advance of the tutorial you will benefit from pulling the CONTUR docker image as follows.  
...  
`docker pull hepstore/contur-herwig:2.1.0-py3`  
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and also download the Zip file attached to the agenda.

25/11/2021, 08:44 Louie Dartmoor Corpe

# What's on the Horizon?

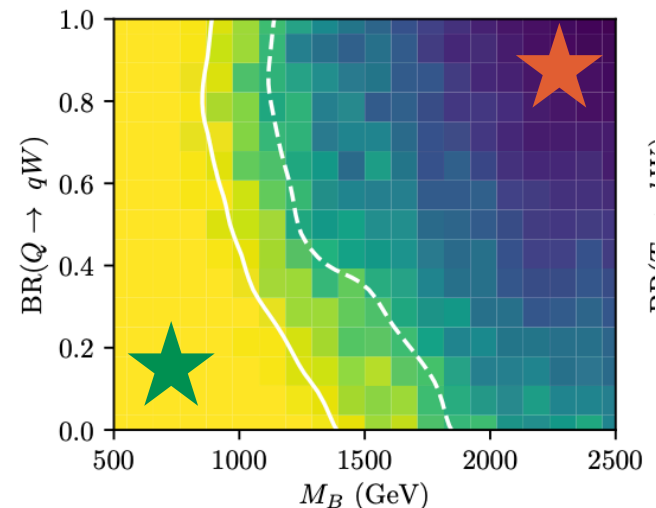
## Machine-learning assisted parameter scanning



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- When running with a rectilinear grid, we spend a lot of compute time to evaluate the CONTUR exclusion on points which are already **quite obviously going to be excluded**, or **obviously going to be not excluded**
- We don't particularly care if something is excluded at 0.1 %CL or 0.3 % CL, and likewise we don't care if something is excluded at 99% CL or 98%CL ...
  - In other words, the only regions we really care about are those in the vicinity of the 68% and 95% CL exclusion surfaces.
- Can we use this fact to save ourselves some compute?
- And if so, does that mean we can do scans in far more dimensions than previously possible ?
  - Given that for models with >3 params, a rectilinear grid is computationally unaffordable, this development could open up CONTUR to much more complex models



We propose to iteratively train a RandomForest classifier to locate the 95 and 65% CL contours, and thereby spend most of our compute budget on regions we are actually interested in!

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- Next CONTUR version will contain the tools for what we call the CONTUR Oracle
- Basic idea: for large datasets only sample small fraction of points at a time, and train classifier to predict exclusion status of the rest.
- For next iteration: prioritise the points where classifier is least confident.
- Stop once predetermined thresholds of accuracy have been met.
- As a result, only need some fraction of full dataset to understand the dynamics of parameter space

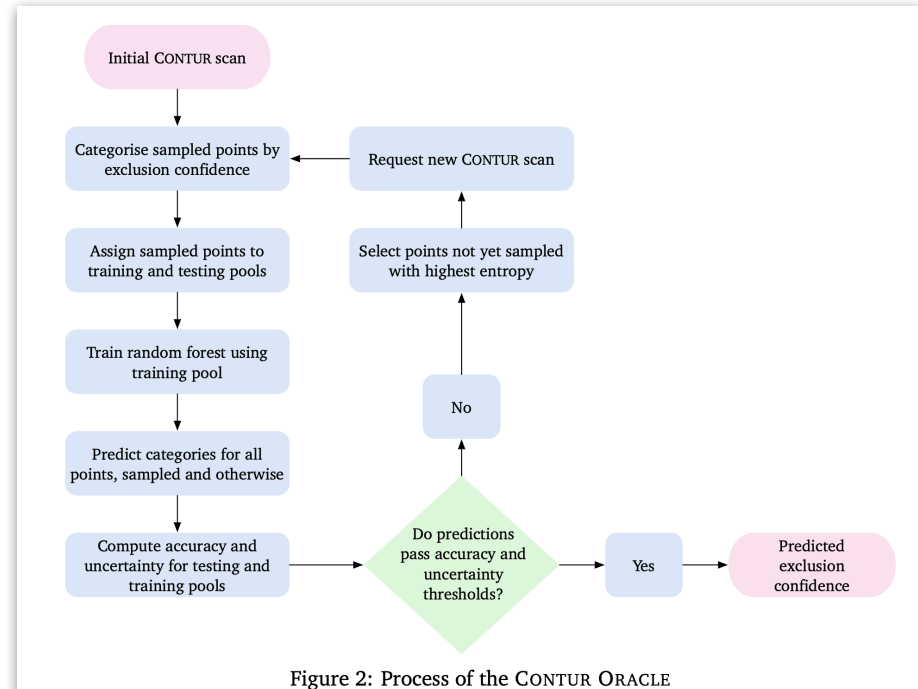
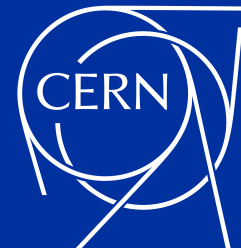


Figure 2: Process of the CONTUR ORACLE

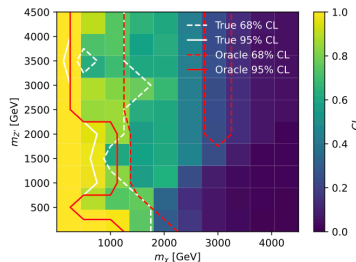
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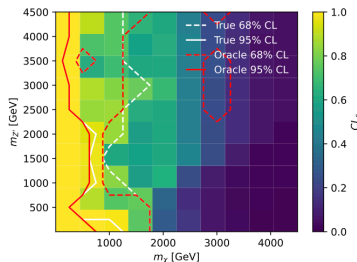


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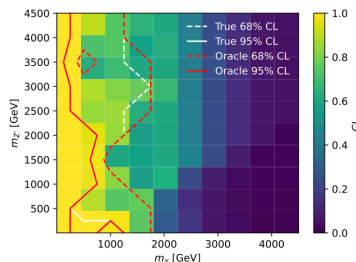
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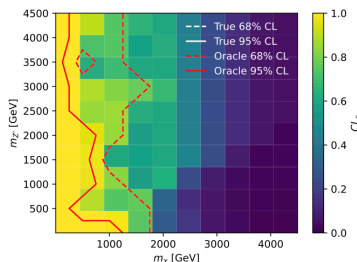
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(b) 3 iterations

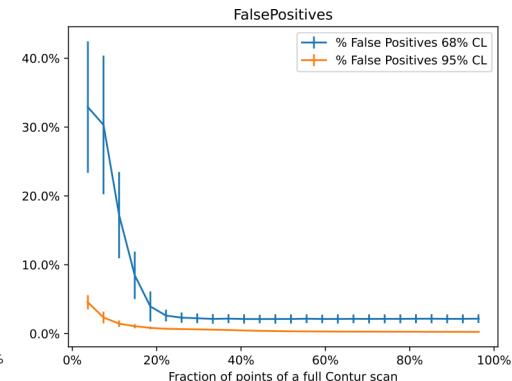
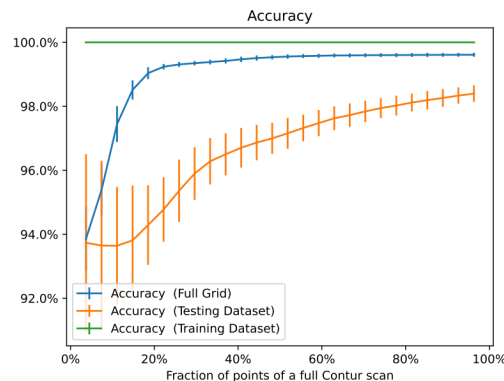


(c) 4 iterations



(d) 5 iterations

- Test performance on large grids (>8000 points) in benchmark DM model (and others). That's nearly 20,000 h of compute to probe full model space!
- Promising performance: for 4-dimensional model, only ~20% of points need to be sampled, for > 95% accuracy and < 5% false positives



Visualisation of convergence of Oracle predictions  
in 2-D slice of 4-D simplified DM model space

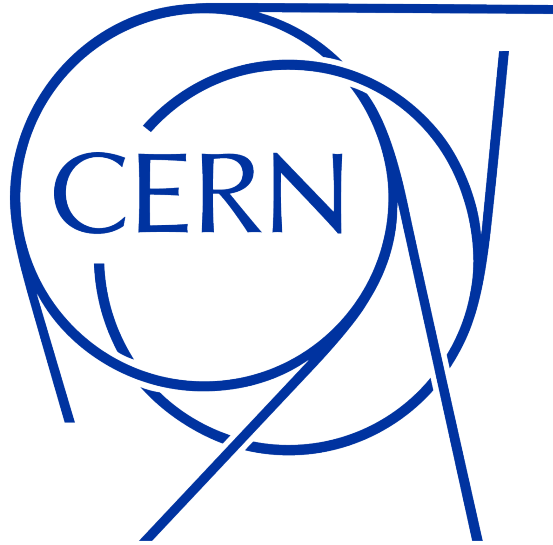
# Summary

- Today I presented a summary of the RIVET toolkit for analysis preservation and data-MC comparison
  - Presented design principles, applications and future developments
- I then highlighted the CONTUR tool, which wraps around RIVET to create a powerful recasting tool, with a decade of LHC results at it's fingertips
  - Showed some of the most recent physics studies, and future prospects
  - CONTUR v2 was a public-facing release:  
you can use it for your own physics studies and phenomenology papers!
- This afternoon: CONTUR tutorial, we hope to see you there!



**Thank you!**

***Questions?***



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**RIVET 10-min tutorial  
(CONTUR tutorial this afternoon 3pm)**

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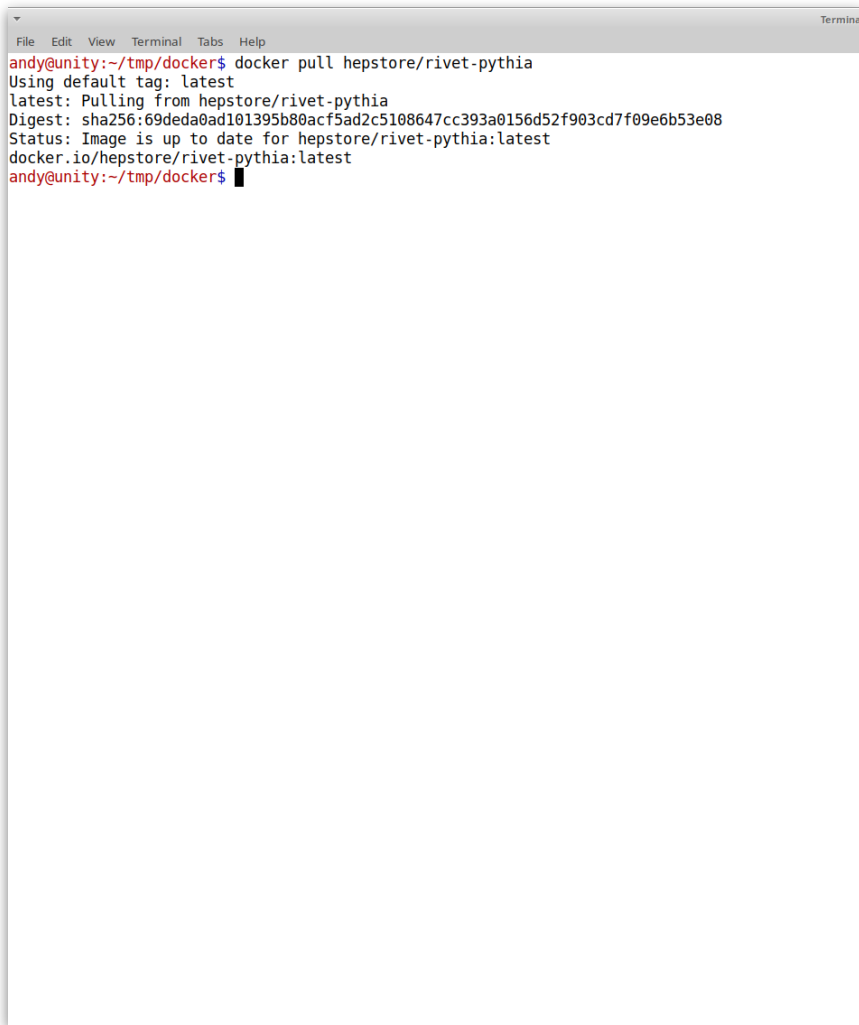
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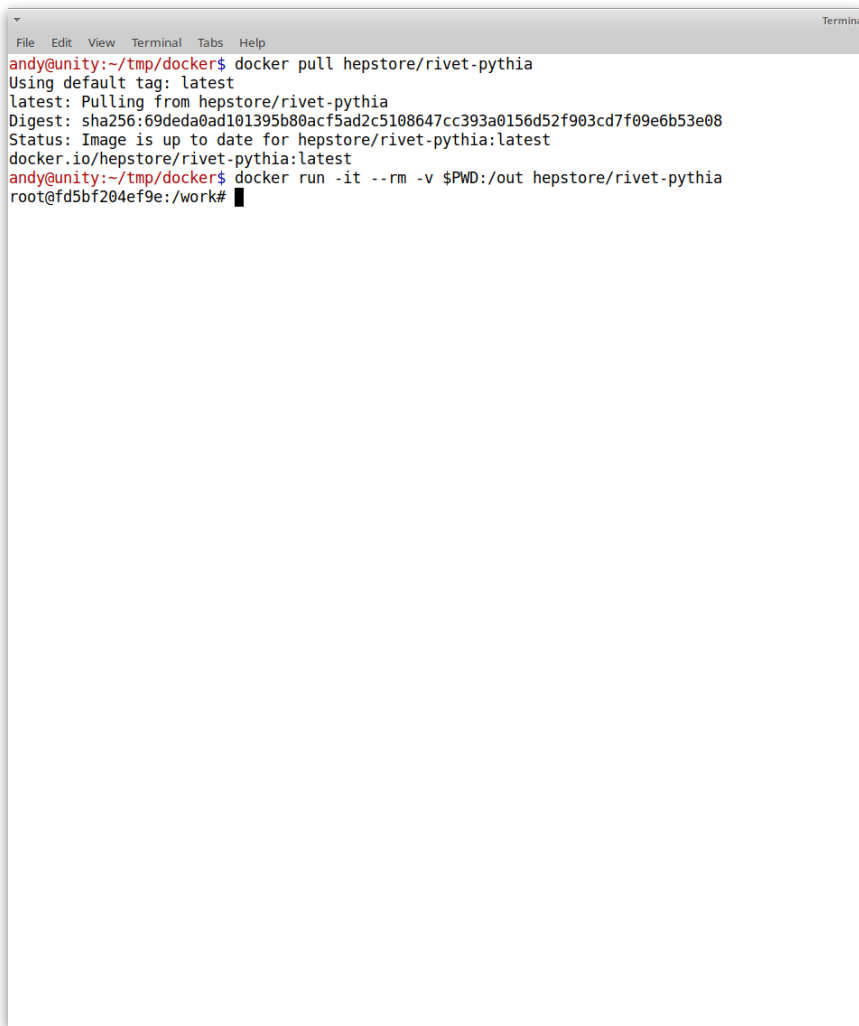
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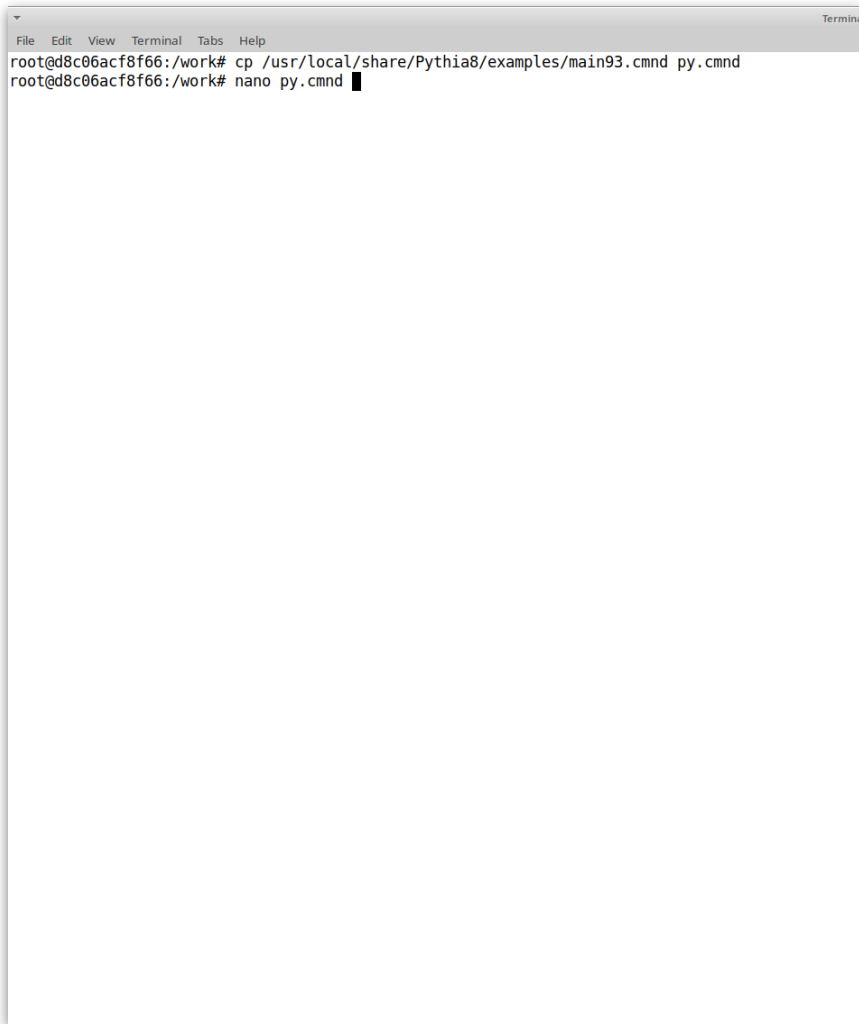
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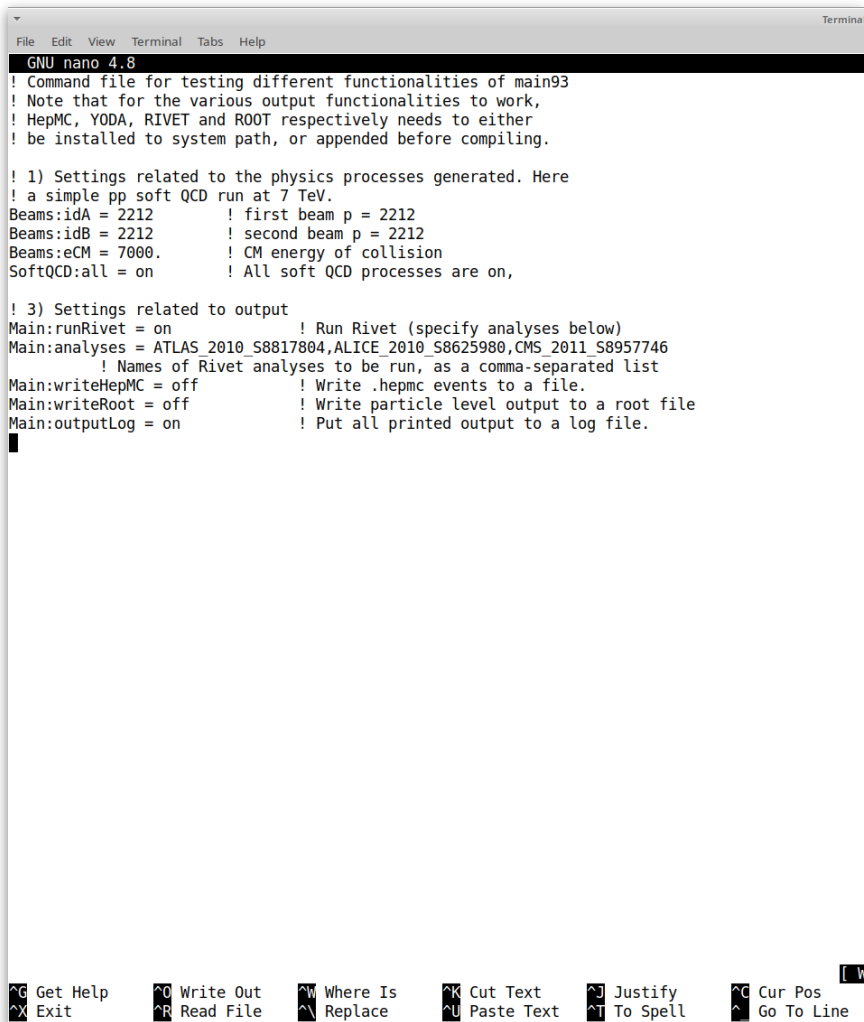
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! Command file for testing different functionalities of main93
! Note that for the various output functionalities to work,
! HepMC, YODA, RIVET and ROOT respectively needs to either
! be installed to system path, or appended before compiling.

! 1) Settings related to the physics processes generated. Here
! a simple pp soft QCD run at 7 TeV.
Beams:idA = 2212      ! first beam p = 2212
Beams:idB = 2212      ! second beam p = 2212
Beams:eCM = 7000.     ! CM energy of collision
SoftQCD:all = on      ! All soft QCD processes are on,

! 3) Settings related to output
Main:runRivet = on    ! Run Rivet (specify analyses below)
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! Names of Rivet analyses to be run, as a comma-separated list
Main:writeHepMC = off ! Write .hepmc events to a file.
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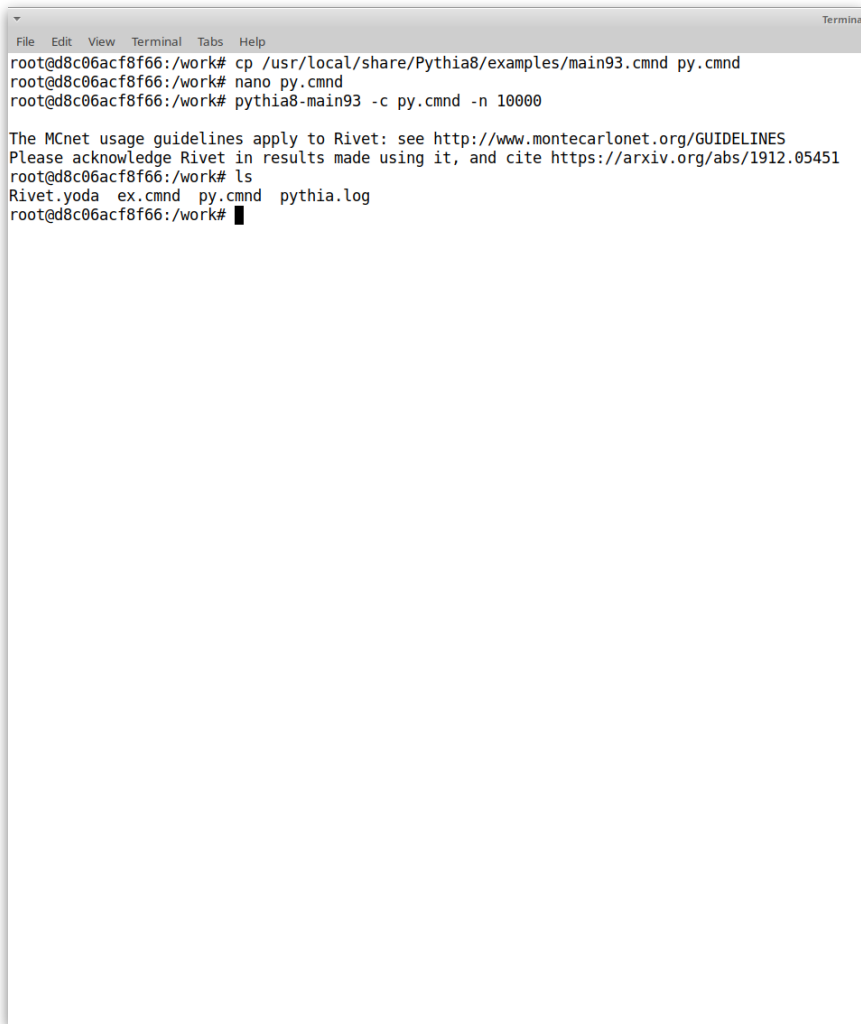
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root@d8c06acf8f66:/work# pythia8-main93 -c py.cmnd -n 10000

The MCnet usage guidelines apply to Rivet: see http://www.montecarlo.net/GUIDELINES
Please acknowledge Rivet in results made using it, and cite https://arxiv.org/abs/1912.05451
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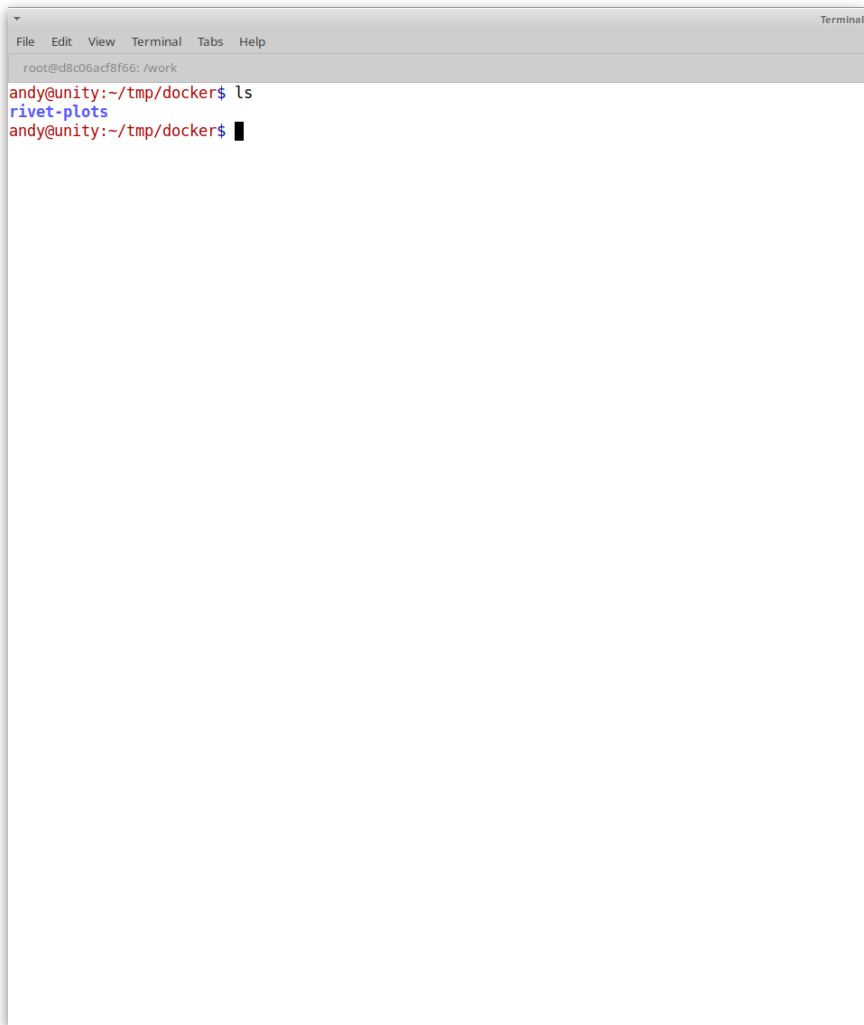
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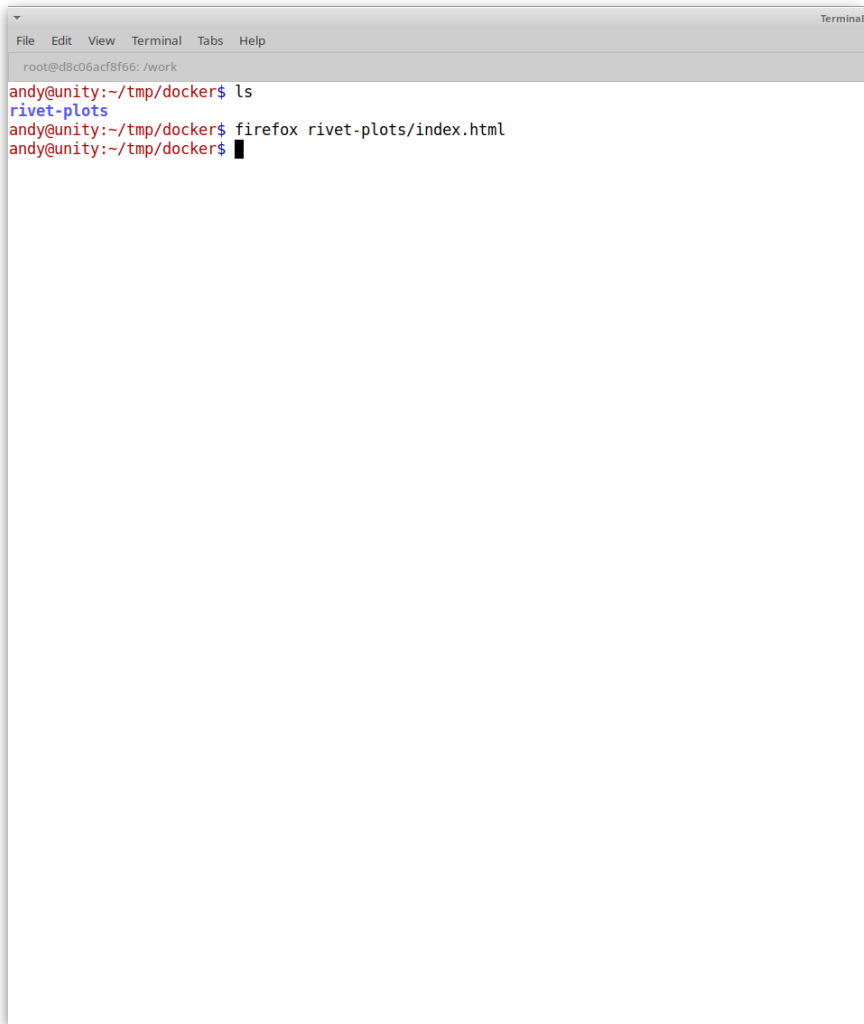
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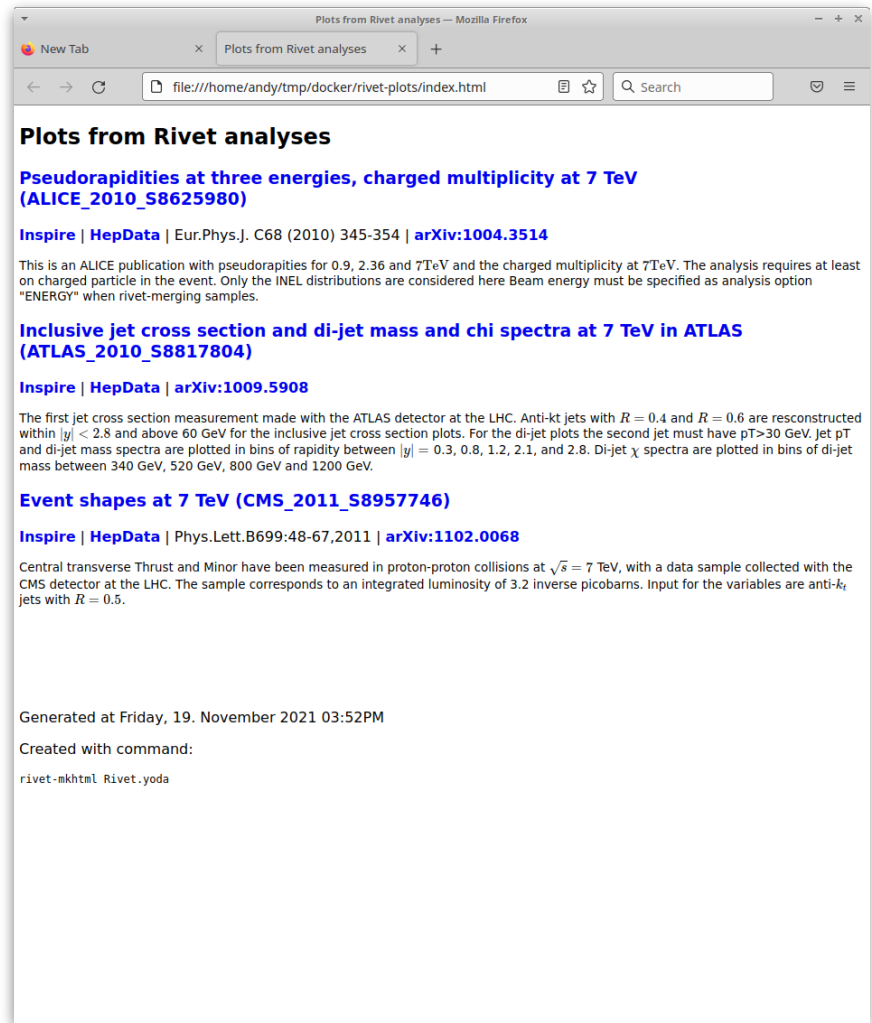
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The screenshot shows a web browser window titled "Plots from Rivet analyses — Mozilla Firefox". The address bar shows the file path: file:///home/andy/tmp/docker/rivet-plots/index.html. The page content includes:

## Plots from Rivet analyses

**Pseudorapidities at three energies, charged multiplicity at 7 TeV (ALICE\_2010\_S8625980)**  
[Inspire](#) | [HepData](#) | Eur.Phys.J. C68 (2010) 345-354 | [arXiv:1004.3514](#)

This is an ALICE publication with pseudorapidities for 0.9, 2.36 and 7TeV and the charged multiplicity at 7TeV. The analysis requires at least one charged particle in the event. Only the INEL distributions are considered here Beam energy must be specified as analysis option "ENERGY" when rivet-merging samples.

**Inclusive jet cross section and di-jet mass and chi spectra at 7 TeV in ATLAS (ATLAS\_2010\_S8817804)**  
[Inspire](#) | [HepData](#) | [arXiv:1009.5908](#)

The first jet cross section measurement made with the ATLAS detector at the LHC. Anti-kt jets with  $R = 0.4$  and  $R = 0.6$  are reconstructed within  $|y| < 2.8$  and above 60 GeV for the inclusive jet cross section plots. For the di-jet plots the second jet must have  $pT > 30$  GeV. jet  $pT$  and di-jet mass spectra are plotted in bins of rapidity between  $|y| = 0.3, 0.8, 1.2, 2.1, \text{ and } 2.8$ . Di-jet  $\chi$  spectra are plotted in bins of di-jet mass between 340 GeV, 520 GeV, 800 GeV and 1200 GeV.

**Event shapes at 7 TeV (CMS\_2011\_S8957746)**  
[Inspire](#) | [HepData](#) | Phys.Lett.B699:48-67,2011 | [arXiv:1102.0068](#)

Central transverse Thrust and Minor have been measured in proton-proton collisions at  $\sqrt{s} = 7$  TeV, with a data sample collected with the CMS detector at the LHC. The sample corresponds to an integrated luminosity of 3.2 inverse picobarns. Input for the variables are anti- $k_r$  jets with  $R = 0.5$ .

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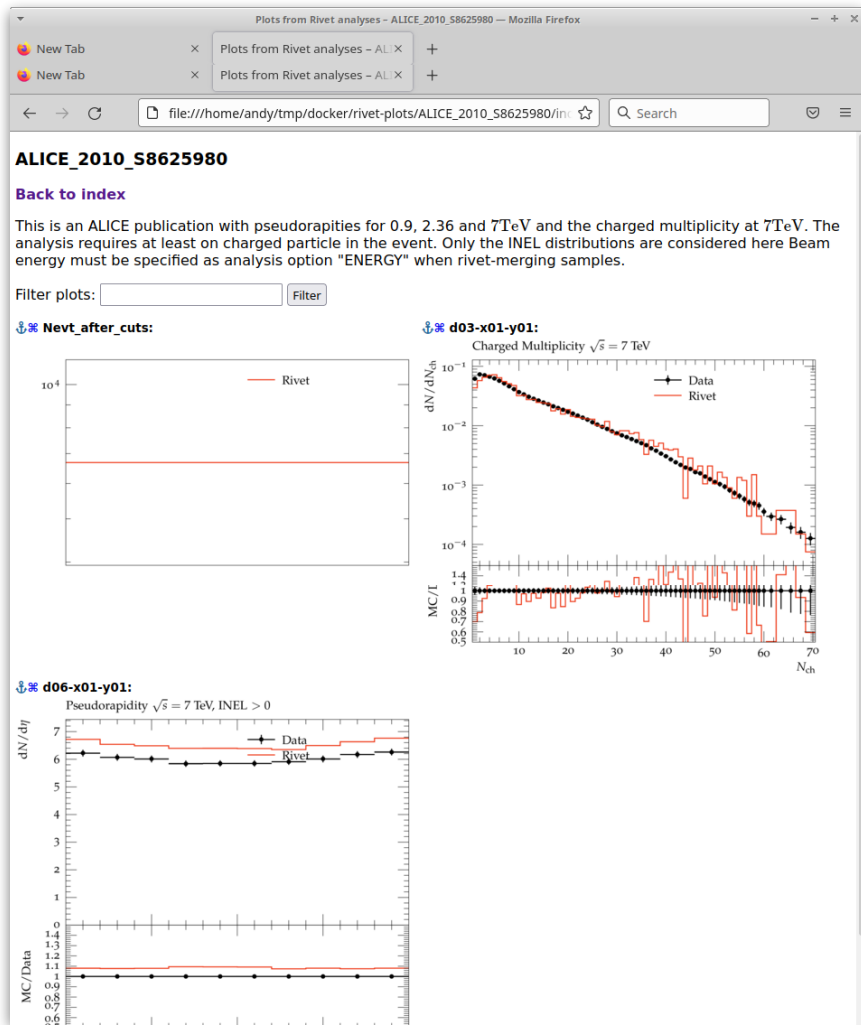
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# Additional Material

# RIVET

*Additional material*

# New Features: Heavy Ion support



- “Adding heavy-ion support” sounds trivial!
  - ... **Actually a stern test, with far-reaching impacts.**
    - HI observables often require centrality calibration curves: we need a 2-pass run. That wasn’t planned.
    - And event/event correlations... centrality-binned!
- Jan 2020 "RIVET for HI" paper: <https://arxiv.org/abs/2001.10737>
  - Huge step towards, involving effort from all sides of the community
  - Now an integral part of core RIVET : not a separate tool
  - Still A work in progress! Improvements possible
  - *Result: Features to allow comparison between heavy ion data and MC*
- *HI MC standards are also in flux: having a common tool enables discussion on common standards*

arXiv:2001.10737v1 [hep-ph] 29 Jan 2020

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### Confronting Experimental Data with Heavy-Ion Models

#### RIVET for Heavy Ions

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(Dated: January 30, 2020)

# RIVET: What's the benefit for experimentalists?

- **Preservation: Store your analysis once, and others will maintain it.**
- **Reproducibility: What happens when your student graduates?**
- **Ensure that your results are used.**
- **Don't leave it to theorists to re-implement your analysis!**
- **"Do upon others...": Generate MC tunes using other people's work!**

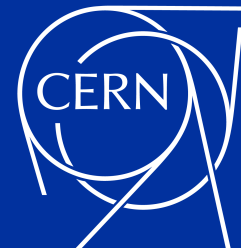
- **Can I be sure that the framework will live on?**

**Yes! Large investment by HEP community and MCEG authors. O(1000) analyses already implemented. Active dev team, open to new improvements: If a feature is needed, we can look into it!**

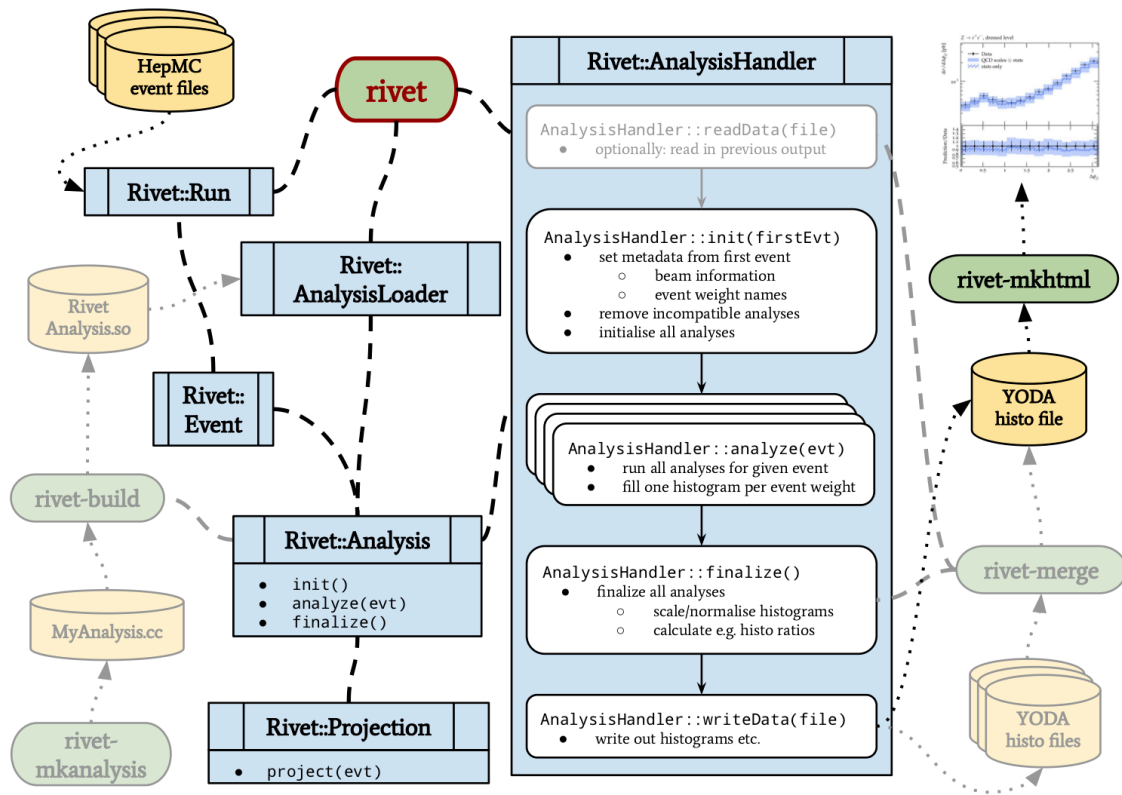
# RIVET: What's the benefit for theorists?

- **A library of validated measurements to test your models against**
  - Does your generator's latest version fix feature X in a spectrum, without breaking feature Y ?
  - Find out in minutes!
- **A common testing ground for different models**
  - Apples to apples comparisons to other generators
- **Boost your model's credentials:**
  - **Use RIVET as a model-development tool**
  - Easy to convince experimentalists to use a new model if you can show that it leads to a clear improvement in data/MC agreement
    - While still agreeing in the rest of the body of experimental data
    - Avoid single-observable models and overfitting

# RIVET workflow



- 2010: RIVET v1 for LHC Run 1
- 2019: RIVET v3.1.0 (arXiv:1912.05451)
- Streamlined set of tools from analysis coding to event processing to plotting (and other applications)
- And a key gateway to connect your analysis to theory (and back again)





# CONTUR

*Additional material*

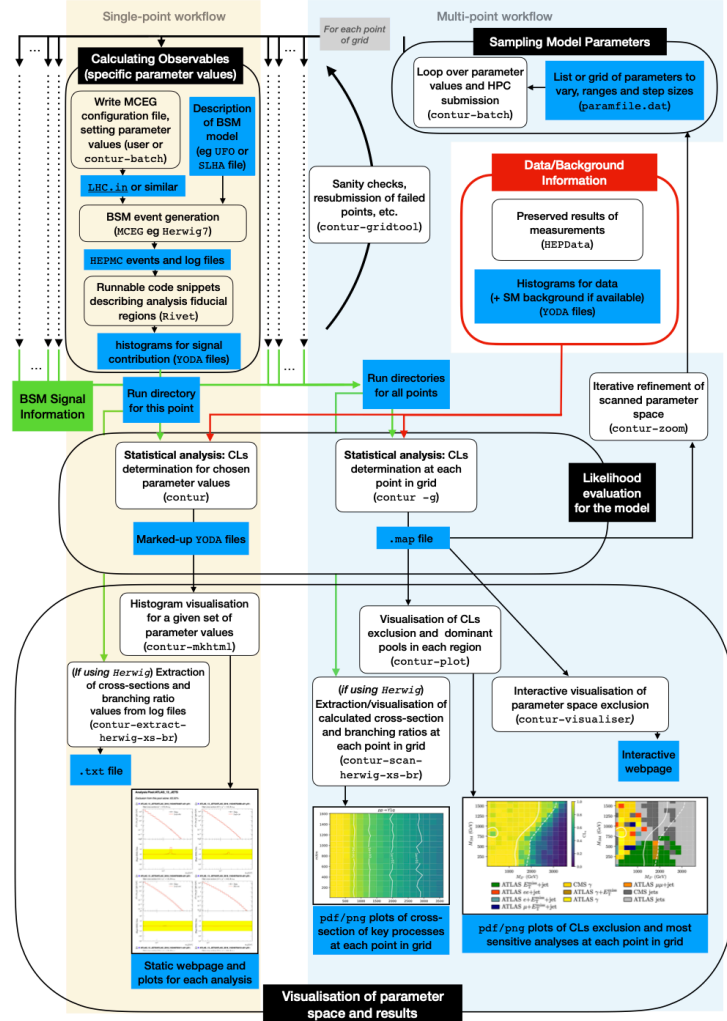


# CONTUR workflow and pools

<i>(Final state)</i> tag	Description of target final state
3L	Three leptons
4L	Four leptons
EEJET	$e^+e^-$ at the $Z$ pole, plus optional jets
EE.GAMMA	$e^+e^-$ plus photon(s)
EMETJET	Electron, missing transverse momentum, plus optional jets (typically $W$ , semi-leptonic $t\bar{t}$ analyses)
EMET.GAMMA	Electron, missing transverse momentum, plus photon
GAMMA	Inclusive (multi)photons
GAMMA.MET	Photon plus missing transverse momentum
HMDY	Dileptons above the $Z$ pole
HMDY.EL	Dileptons above the $Z$ pole, electron channel
HMDY.MU	Dileptons above the $Z$ pole, muon channel
JETS	Inclusive hadronic final states
LLJET	Dileptons (electrons or muons) at the $Z$ pole, plus optional jets
LL.GAMMA	Dilepton (electrons or muons) plus a photon
LMDY	Dileptons below the $Z$ pole
LMETJET	Lepton, missing transverse momentum, plus optional jets (typically $W$ , semi-leptonic $t\bar{t}$ analyses)
METJET	Missing transverse momentum plus jets
MMETJET	Muon, missing transverse momentum, plus optional jets (typically $W$ , semi-leptonic $t\bar{t}$ analyses)
MMET.GAMMA	Muon, missing transverse momentum, plus photon
MMJET	$\mu^+\mu^-$ at the $Z$ pole, plus optional jets
MM.GAMMA	$\mu^+\mu^-$ plus photon(s)
TTHAD	Fully hadronic top events
L1L2MET	Different-flavour dileptons plus missing transverse momentum ( <i>i.e.</i> $WW$ and $t\bar{t}$ measurements)

Table 1: Description of the currently considered *(Final state)* tags used to sort analysis histograms into orthogonal pools.

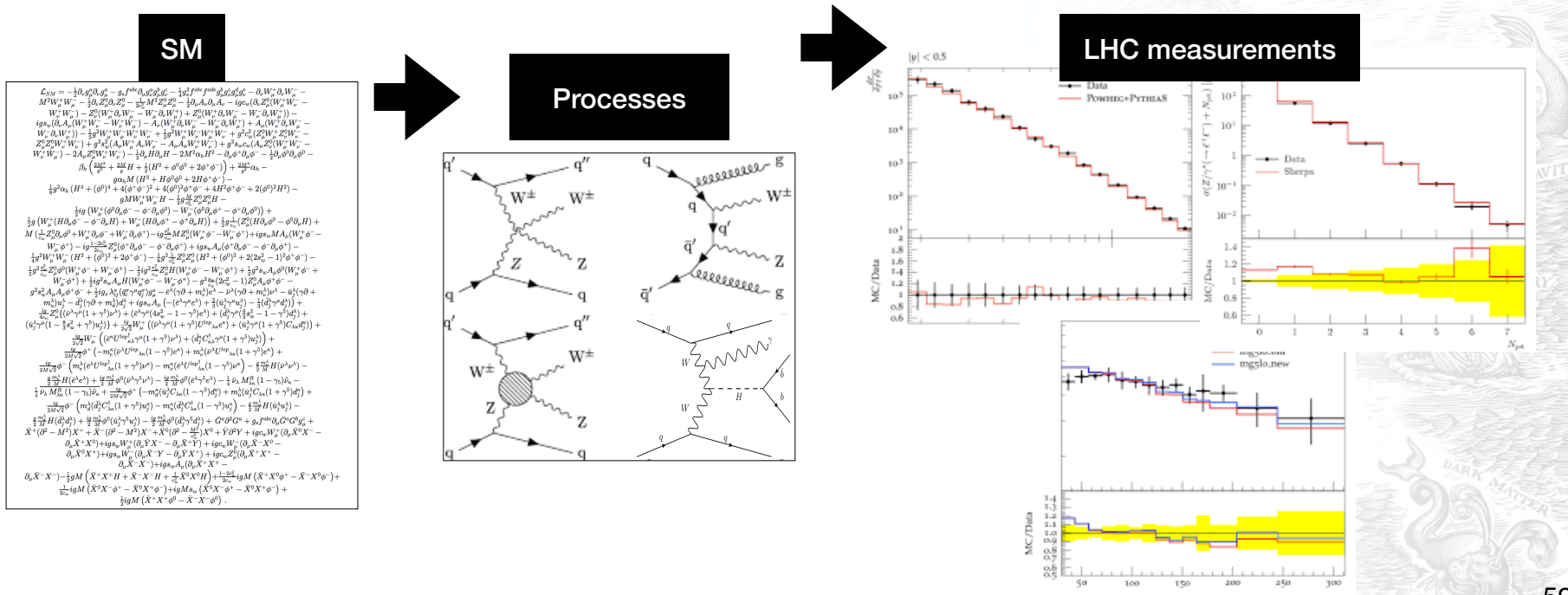
## For ATLAS/CMS, 7/8/13 TeV





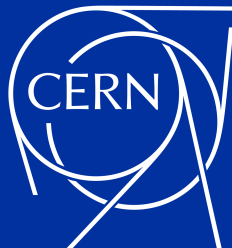
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- Key idea: the SM Lagrangian is very finely balanced. You can't easily add BSM particles without the effect showing up in SM distributions





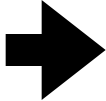
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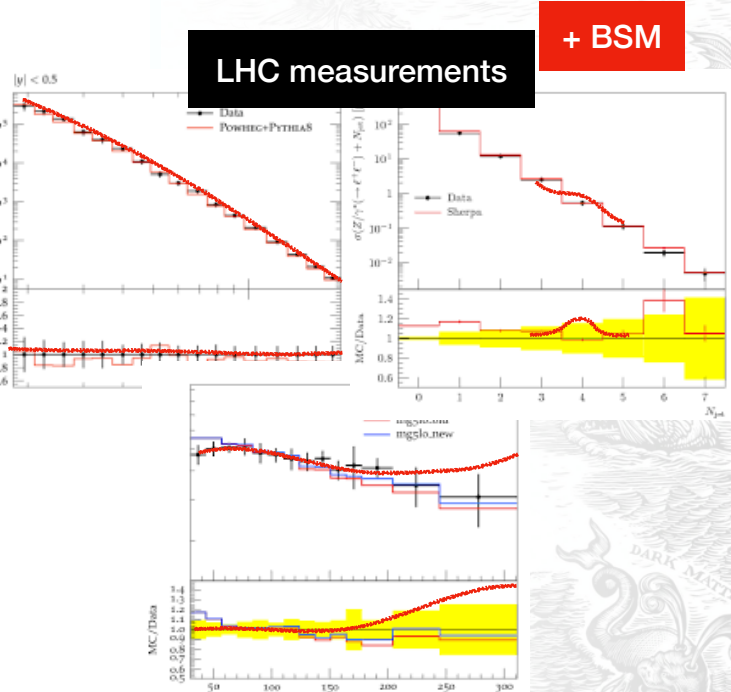
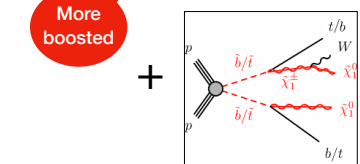
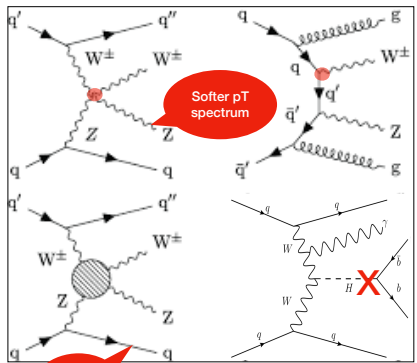
**SM + BSM**

$$L_{SM} = -\frac{1}{2}(\partial_\mu \phi)^2 - \frac{1}{2}m_\phi^2 \phi^2 - \frac{1}{4}g^2 W_\mu^a W_\mu^a - \frac{1}{2}g'^2 B_\mu B_\mu - \bar{\psi}_L i \not{\partial} \psi_L - \bar{\psi}_R i \not{\partial} \psi_R - \bar{\psi}_L \gamma_\mu \not{W}_\mu^a \psi_L - \bar{\psi}_L \gamma_\mu \not{B}_\mu \psi_L - \bar{\psi}_R \gamma_\mu \not{W}_\mu^a \psi_R - \bar{\psi}_R \gamma_\mu \not{B}_\mu \psi_R - \bar{\psi}_L \gamma_\mu \not{W}_\mu^a \psi_R - \bar{\psi}_R \gamma_\mu \not{W}_\mu^a \psi_L - \bar{\psi}_L \gamma_\mu \not{B}_\mu \psi_R - \bar{\psi}_R \gamma_\mu \not{B}_\mu \psi_L - \frac{1}{2}m_W^2 W_\mu^a W_\mu^a - \frac{1}{2}m_Z^2 Z_\mu Z_\mu - \frac{1}{2}m_\gamma^2 A_\mu A_\mu - \frac{1}{2}m_H^2 H H^\dagger - \frac{1}{2}(\partial_\mu H^\dagger - i g_W W_\mu^a H^\dagger - i g_B B_\mu H^\dagger)(\partial_\mu H - i g_W W_\mu^a H - i g_B B_\mu H)$$



**+ BSM**

**Processes**





# CONTUR vs Vector-like Quarks

A case study

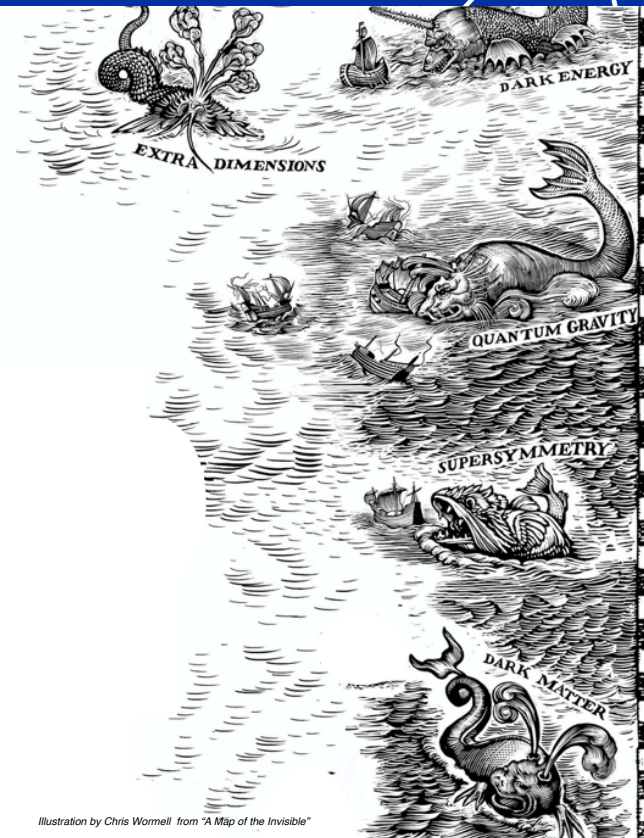


Illustration by Chris Wormell from "A Map of the Invisible"



# VLQs



- Standard VLQ framework from Buchkremer et al (arXiv:1305.4172), comes with UFO file (also used by ATLAS)

- Introduces quark partners:

$$B(-1/3) \quad T(2/3) \quad X(5/3) \quad Y(-4/3)$$

- Couple to SM via usual quark EM/strong couplings, but modified W/Z/H couplings:

- B, T: interact with W, Z or H via modified weak coupling
- X, Y: interact only with W via modified weak coupling. So  $X \rightarrow Wt$ ,  $Y \rightarrow Wb$  due to charge conservation

- Three params:

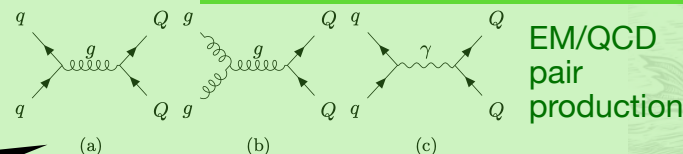
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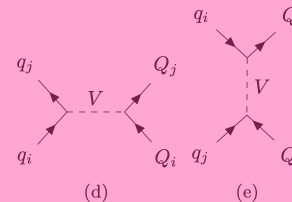
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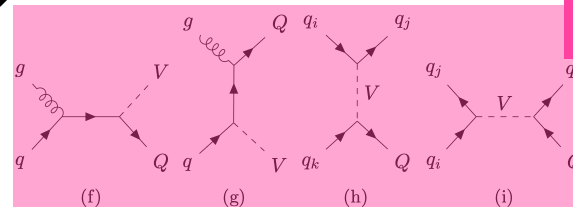
EM/QCD pair production

Weak Pair Production



Weak-force mediated

Weak Single Production





# CONTUR vs Direct searches



Assuming 3rd gen couplings only  
Assuming X/Y are decoupled (v. High mass)

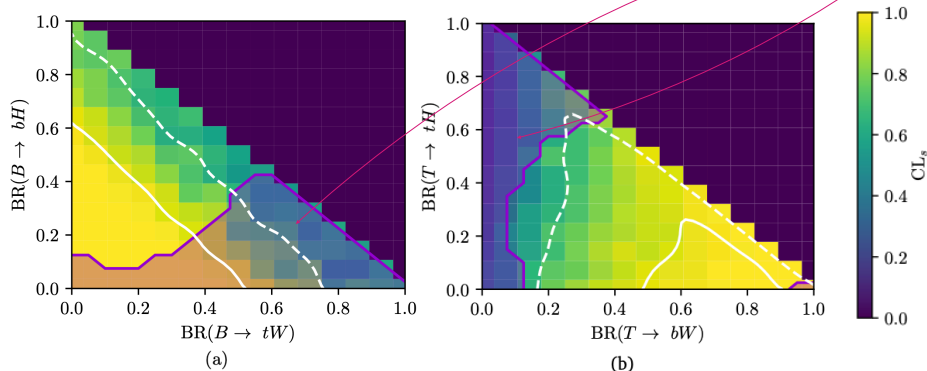
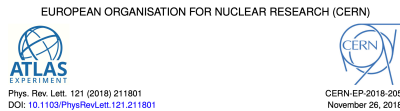


Figure 5: Sensitivity of LHC measurements to (a)  $B$ -production for  $M_B = 1200$  GeV and (b)  $T$ -production for  $M_T = 1350$  GeV. The CONTUR exclusion is shown in the bins in which it is evaluated, graduated from yellow through green to black on a linear scale, with the 95% CL (solid white) and 68% CL (dashed white) exclusion contours superimposed. The mauve region is excluded at 95% CL by the ATLAS combination [16].

95% CL exclusion  
 68% CL exclusion

<https://arxiv.org/pdf/1808.02343.pdf>



Combination of the searches for pair-produced vector-like partners of the third-generation quarks at  $\sqrt{s} = 13$  TeV with the ATLAS detector

Assumes pair-production only!

The ATLAS Collaboration

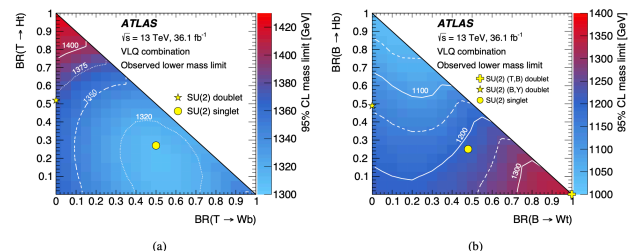


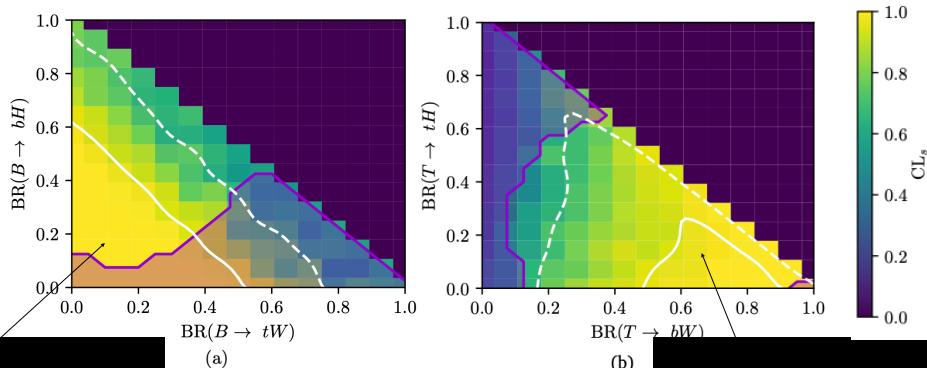
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- VLQ decays may enter phase space of a many measured LHC cross-sections: b-jets, Z/W+jets, dibosons, multipletons...
- Additional CONTUR sensitivity can be explained partly by the fact that we consider other production modes than pair-production!



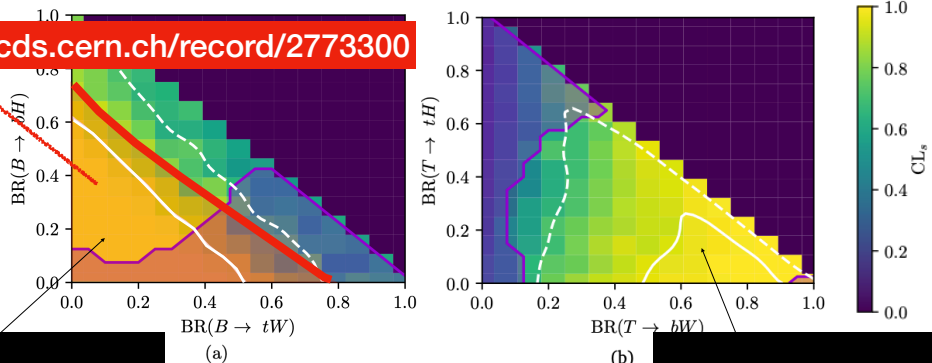


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- Latest **ATLAS VLQ search for Z-channel decays** came out as a CONF note for EPS
- Beats the CONTUR exclusion, but using 139/fb instead of the 3.2/fb Z+jets measurement!
- CONTUR result excluded much of this region a full year before the dedicated search came out

VLQs have been searched for at ATLAS and CMS in Run 1, and more recently with an early Run 2 dataset, focusing mainly on the pair-production mode [12–24]. Constraints on VLQ production have also been recently derived [25] using a range of differential cross-section measurements at the LHC, complementing the direct searches. VLQ pair production, proceeding primarily via the strong interaction

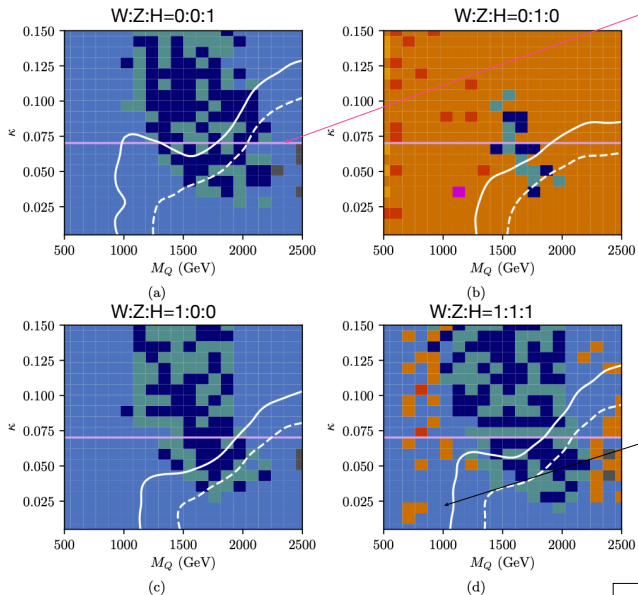
- Highlights the potential role of CONTUR as a scouting tool to determine regions where dedicated searches are needed



# CONTUR to explore new regions



## VLQs coupling to 1st Gen



Bounds from by non-collider constraints:  
Region above is excluded

— 95% CL exclusion  
- - - 68% CL exclusion

Region to left is excluded at 90% CL by CONTUR

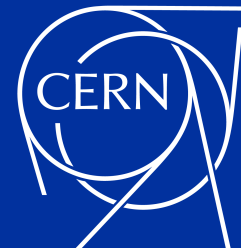
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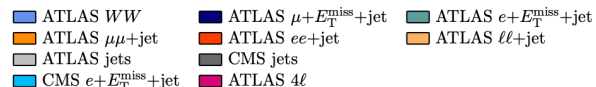
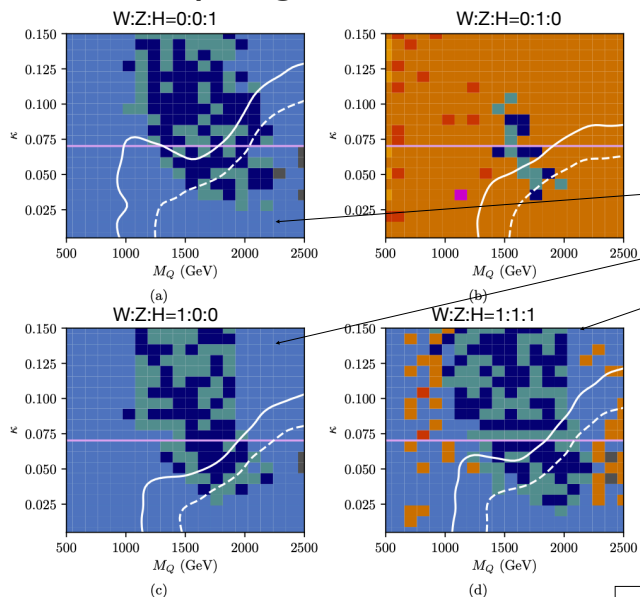
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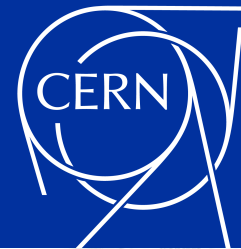
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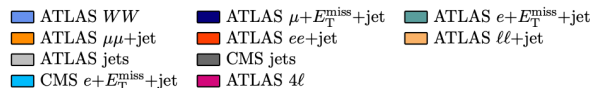
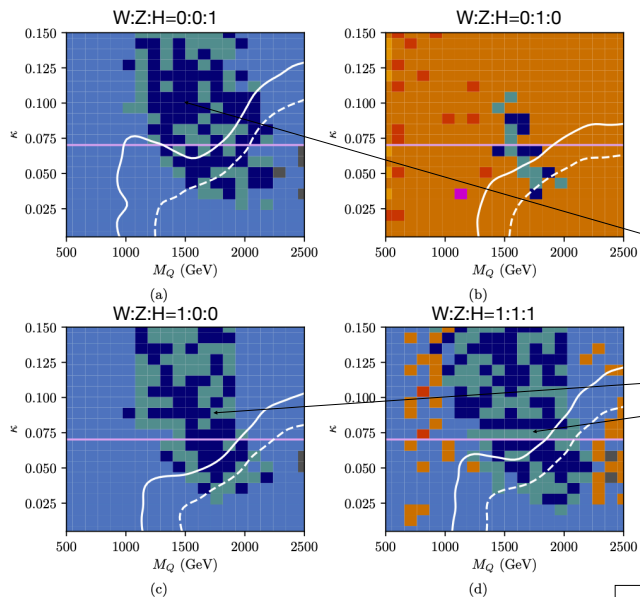
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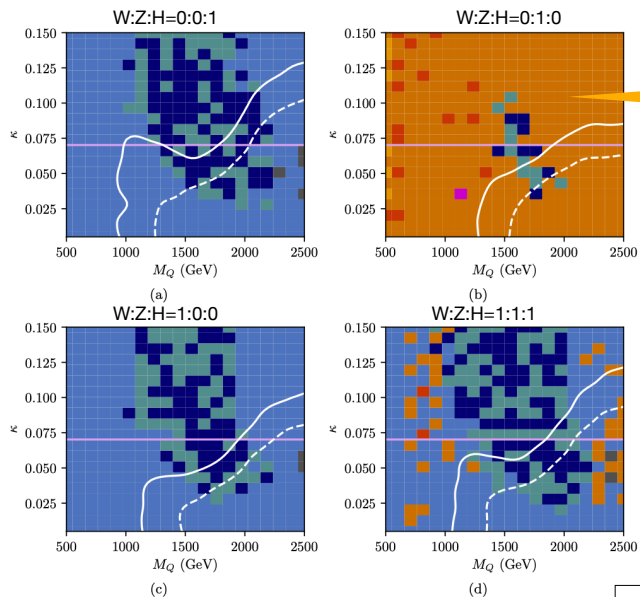
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Corner of phase space where B/T decay via Z is dominated by ll+jet measurements

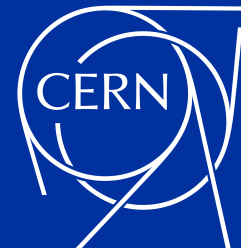
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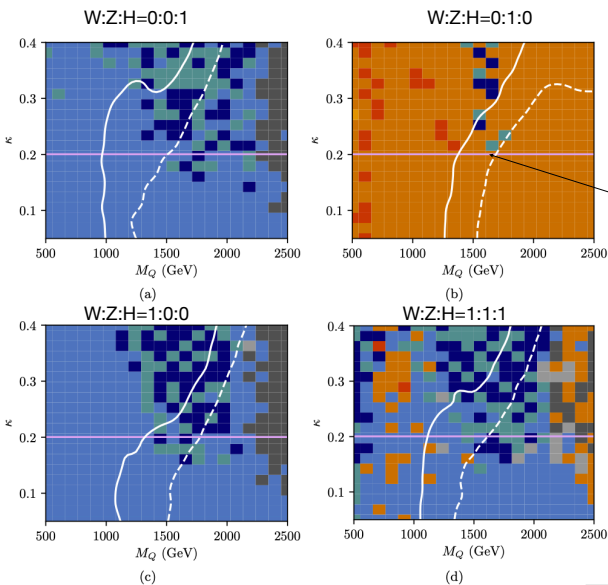
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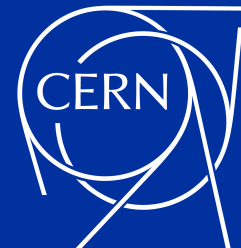
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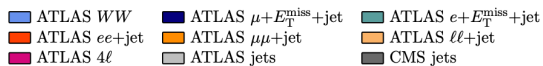
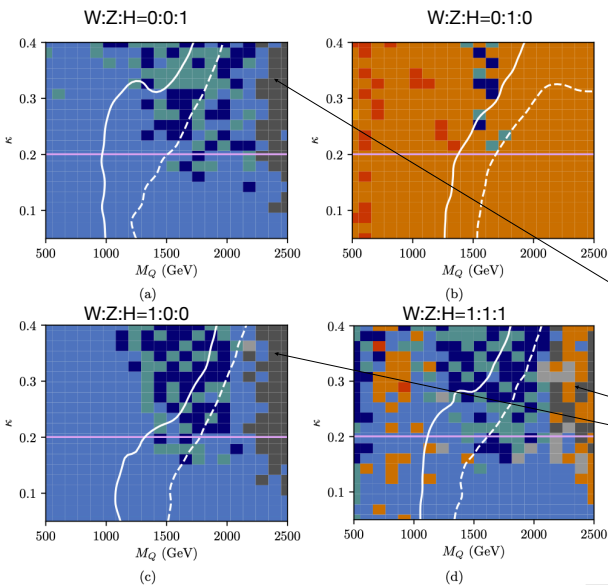
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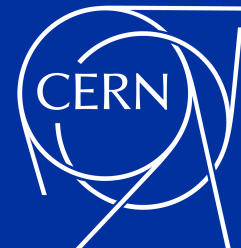
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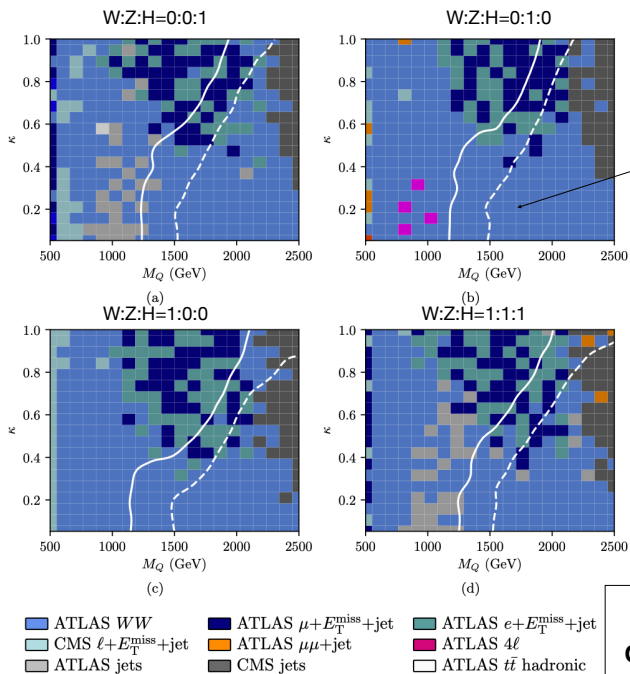
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## VLQs coupling to 3rd Gen



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Biggest difference with lower-generation scans is the WZH=010 case, where Z+jets-like measurements cease to play a leading role: VLQs will decay chiefly to tops, leading to missing-energy signatures

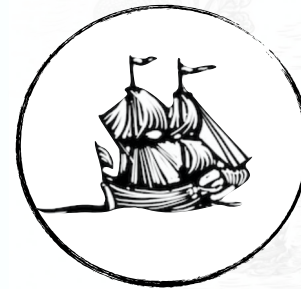
- Also notable is that a lot of the sensitivity in this scan is only possible because of published uncertainty breakdowns in these measurements, which allow correlations to be accounted for
- Exclusion much more modest if error breakdowns would not have been published (see backup)!





# What about the (many) more realistic scenarios?

- During journal review, it has been pointed out to us that the scenario with all 4 extra VLQs is unrealistic — unlikely that new particles would form a quadruplet. Instead, we should consider:
  - Singlets: (B), (T)
  - Doublets: (BT), (XT), (TY)
  - Triplets: (BTX), (BTY)
- Each for 1st, 2nd, 3rd-generation couplings, and 4 benchmark W/H/Z-coupling assumptions
- That's 7 multiplets, each with 3 generation-couplings, each with 4 W/H/Z-couplings, each with 300 points per scan, running 30,000 events at each point...
- Determining the constraints for this many scenarios in short order would normally take months... but can it be done with CONTUR?
- We wanted to use this challenge to put the CONTUR machinery to the test, and demonstrate the flexibility/speed of the method



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# What about VLQ Singlets?

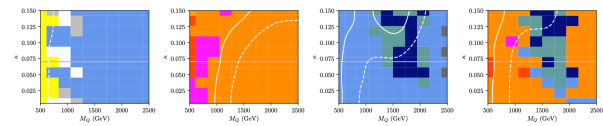


Speed of CONTUR means we can rapidly explore more permutations of this complex model

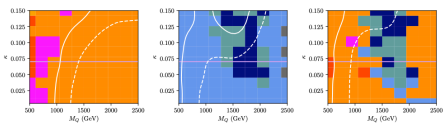
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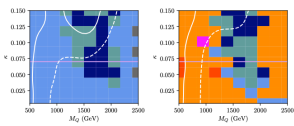
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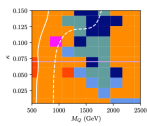
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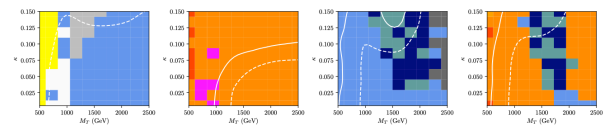
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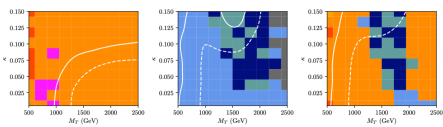
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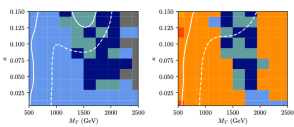
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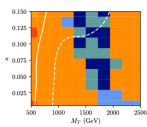
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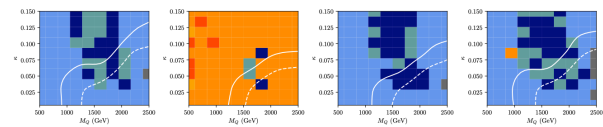
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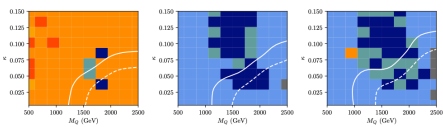
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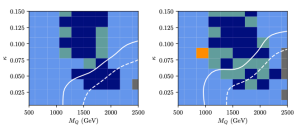
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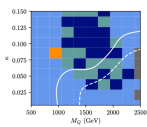
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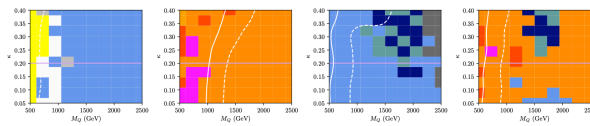
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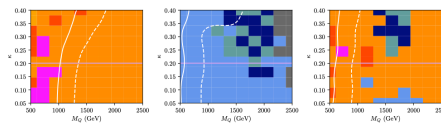
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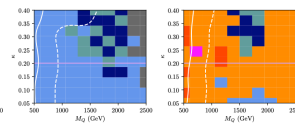
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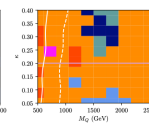
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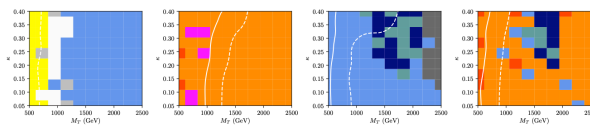
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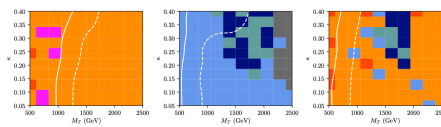
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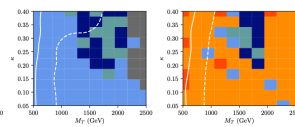
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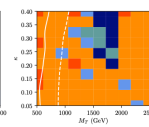
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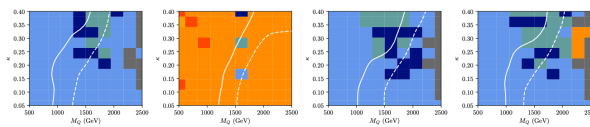
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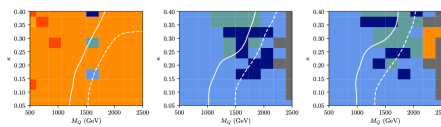
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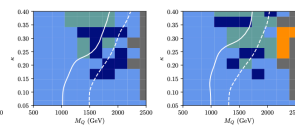
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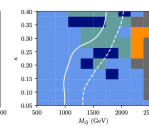
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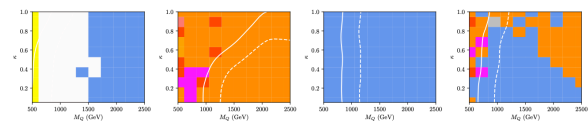
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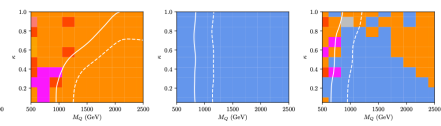
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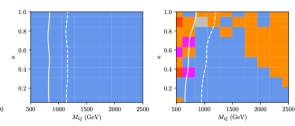
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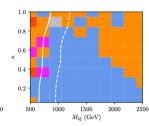
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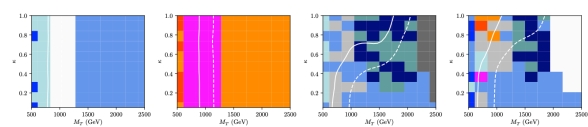
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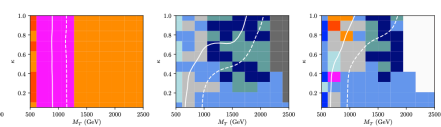
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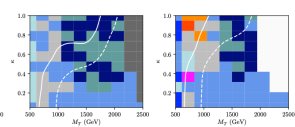
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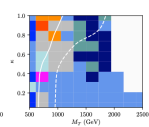
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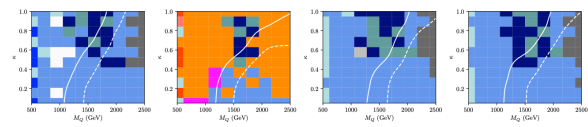
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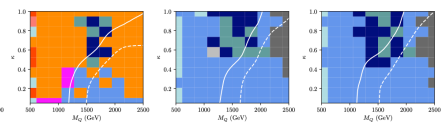
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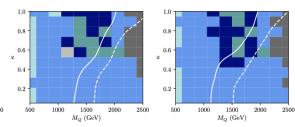
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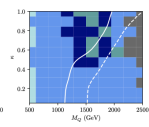
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(j)  $BTXY$  0:1:0



(k)  $BTXY$  1:0:0



(l)  $BTXY$   $\frac{1}{2}:\frac{1}{2}:\frac{1}{4}$

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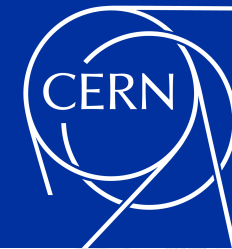
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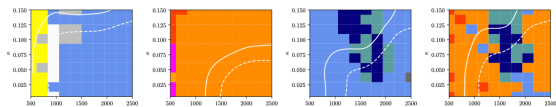


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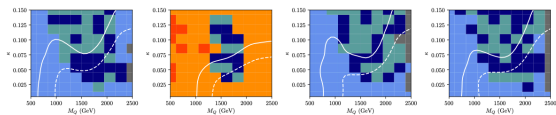


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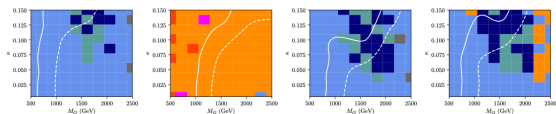
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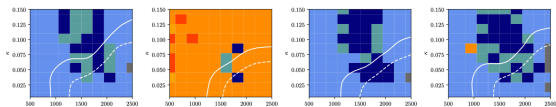
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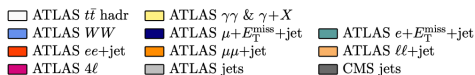
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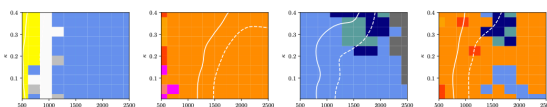
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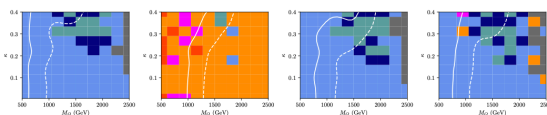
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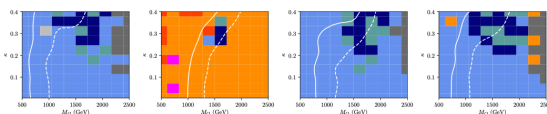
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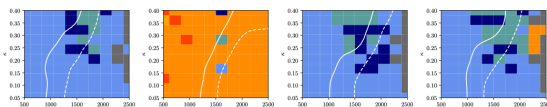
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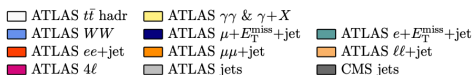
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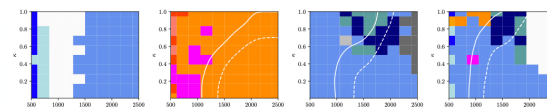
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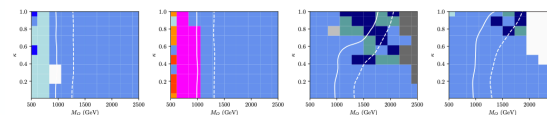
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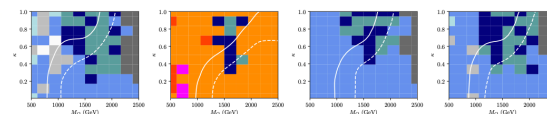
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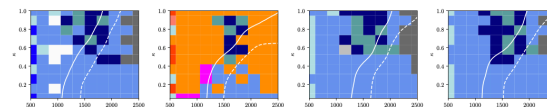
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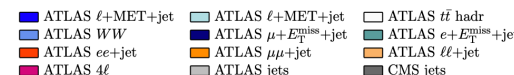
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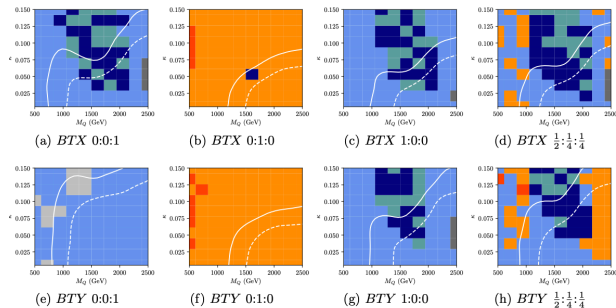


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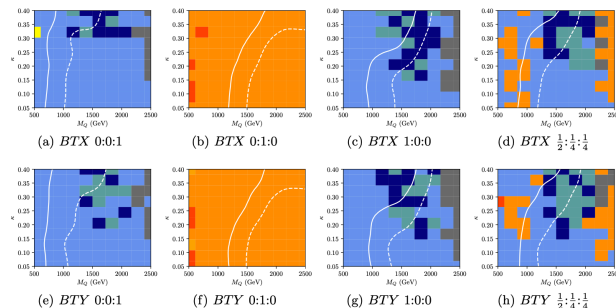


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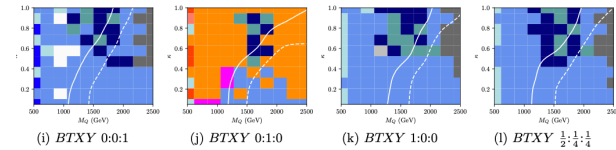
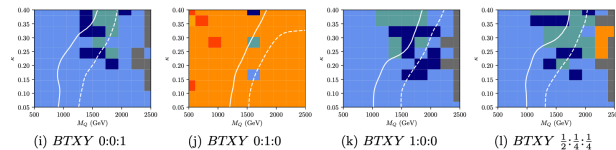
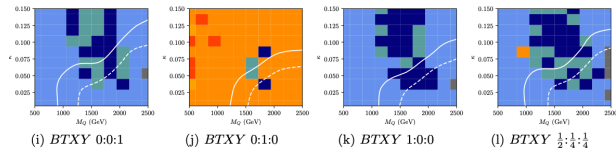
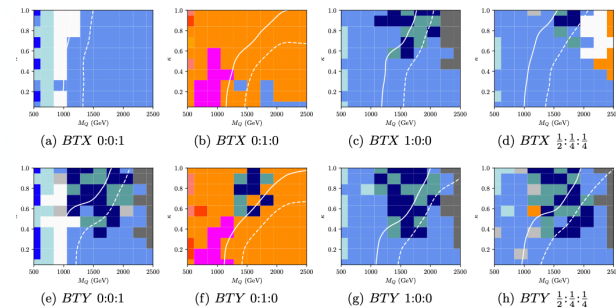
## 1st-Generation



## 2nd-Generation



## 3rd-Generation



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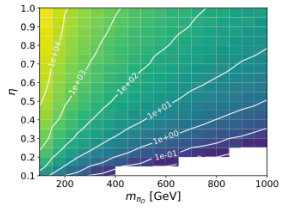
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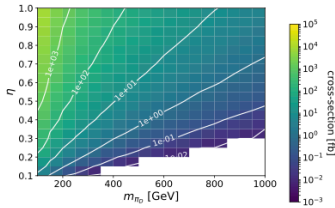
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# Heavy Dark Mesons

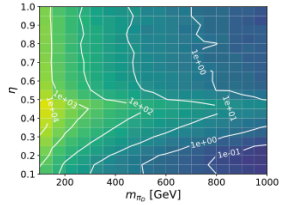
# Dark meson phenomenology at the LHC



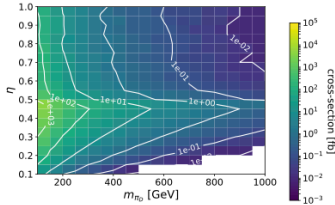
(a)  $pp \rightarrow \rho_D^0 q$  ( $SU(2)_L$ )



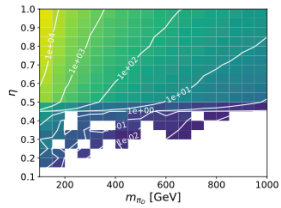
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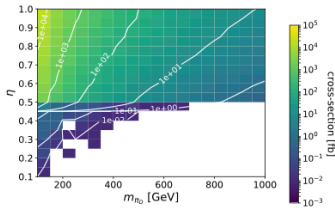
(c)  $pp \rightarrow \pi_D^+ \pi_D^-$  ( $SU(2)_L$ )



(d)  $pp \rightarrow \pi_D^+ \pi_D^-$  ( $SU(2)_R$ )



(e)  $s\text{-channel } pp \rightarrow \rho_D \rightarrow l^+ l^-$  ( $SU(2)_L$ )



(f)  $s\text{-channel } pp \rightarrow \rho_D \rightarrow l^+ l^-$  ( $SU(2)_R$ )

• Define  $\eta = m_{\pi_D} / m_{\rho_D}$

• Above  $\eta > 0.5$ ,  $\rho_D$  can decay to diquark/dilepton pairs, expect this model to be picked up by High-mass Drell-Yan measurements (and the smeared particle-level HDMY search which is in CONTUR)

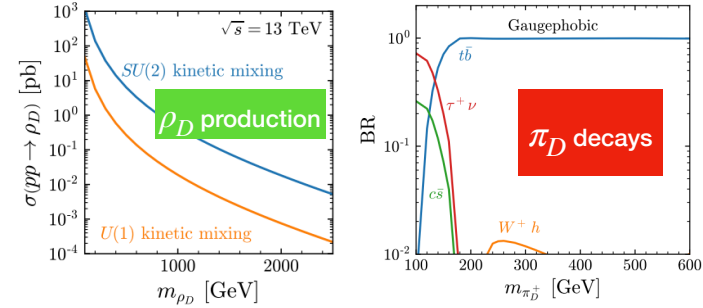
• Below,  $\eta < 0.5$ ,  $\rho_D$  decays almost exclusively to  $\pi_D$

• Chiefly decay to  $\tau\nu$  for  $\pi_D$  below 200 GeV, and  $tb$  above.

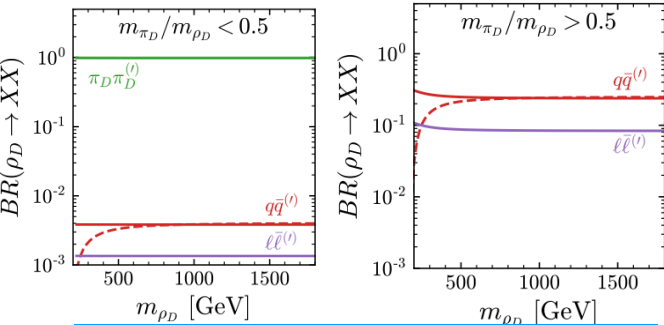
• Missing energy and multiple (b-)jets

• Or take advantage of single-pion production with a W or Z: Missing energy, jets, leptons

# Dark meson phenomenology at the LHC



- Distinguish two cases for Dark Sector:
  - “Left-handed case”: DS gauged under SM  $SU(2)_L$ , mix with SM  $W/Z/\gamma$ . Gives Three  $\rho_D$  with charges 0, +1, -1
  - “Right-handed case”: SM  $U(1) \rightarrow \rho_D$  mixing only with SM  $\gamma$ , only have neutral  $\rho_D$ .

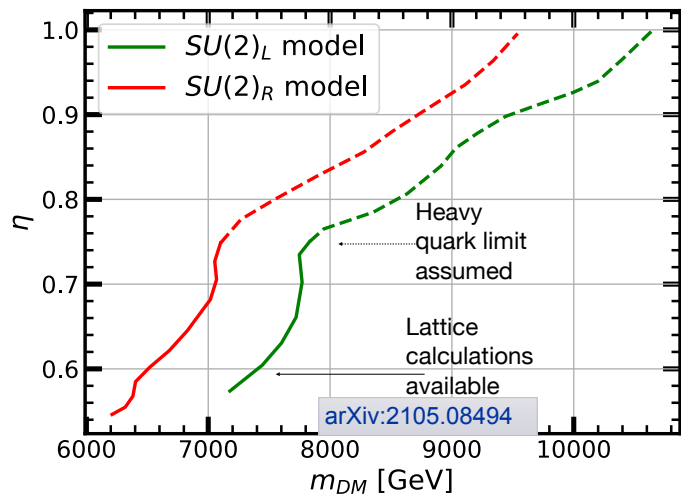


- Phenomenology depends on  $\pi_D/\rho_D$  mass hierarchy
- If  $\rho_D$  cannot decay to  $\pi_D$ , it chiefly decays to leptons:  $Z'$  like resonance signature
- If  $\rho_D$  can decay to  $\pi_D$ , it will almost always do so
- Dark pion decays feature a variety of final states specially featuring

$\rho_D$  decays: depends on mass hierarchy

Kribs et al. arXiv:1809.10183

# Translating results to limits of $m_{DM}$



$\eta$	$amps$	$amv$	$amS0$	$f_f^{DM}$
0.77	0.3477	0.4549	0.9828	0.153
0.70	0.2886	0.4170	0.8831	0.262
0.50	0.2066	0.3783	0.7687	0.338

Appelquist et al (arXiv:1503.04203)

- Follow similar strategy to Appelquist et al (arXiv:1503.04203) to connect collider limits to DM analysis: connect non-DM signatures ( $\mathcal{P}_D$ ) to DM via fundamental SU(4) representation, which fixes mass scales, and lattice calculations

$$m_{DM}(\eta) = \frac{amS0(\eta)}{amps(\eta)} \times m_{\tau_D}(\eta)$$

Lattice dimensionless mass prediction for dark baryon

Lattice dimensionless mass prediction for pseudo-scalar

Appelquist et al (arXiv:1503.04203)

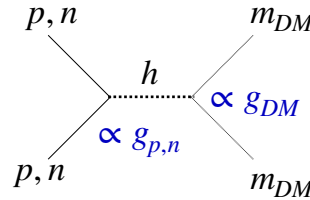
- LHC exclusions together with the lattice results push the dark matter mass limits to multi-TeV mass range. Results interpolated between different  $\eta$  scenarios.



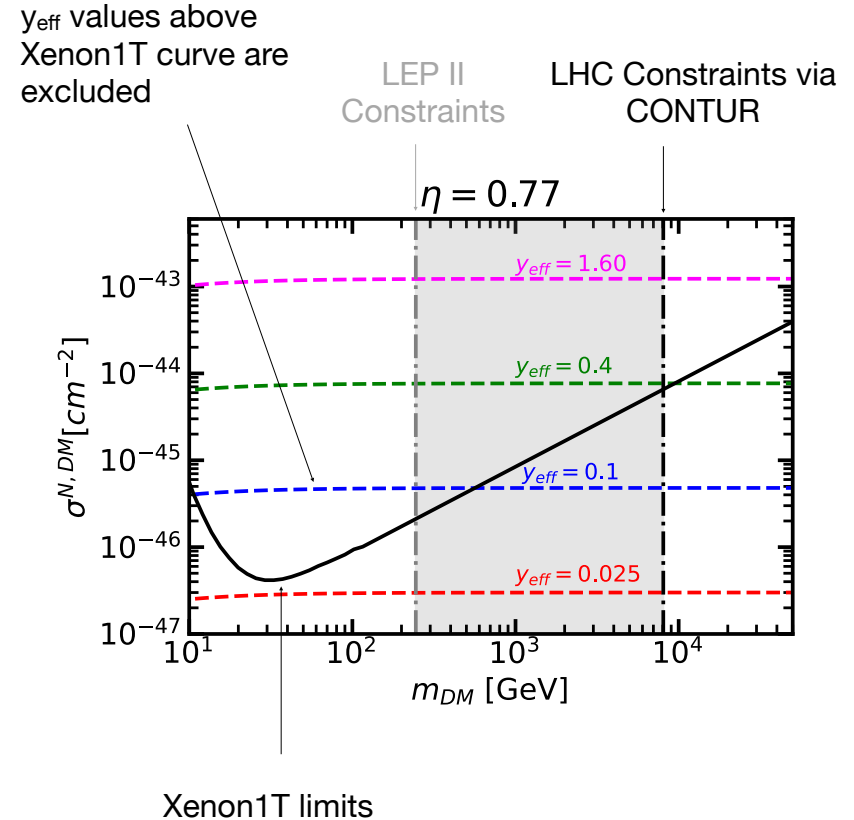
# Combining with Direct Detection results

$$\mathcal{M}_{p,n} = \frac{g_{p,n} g_{DM}}{m_h^2}$$

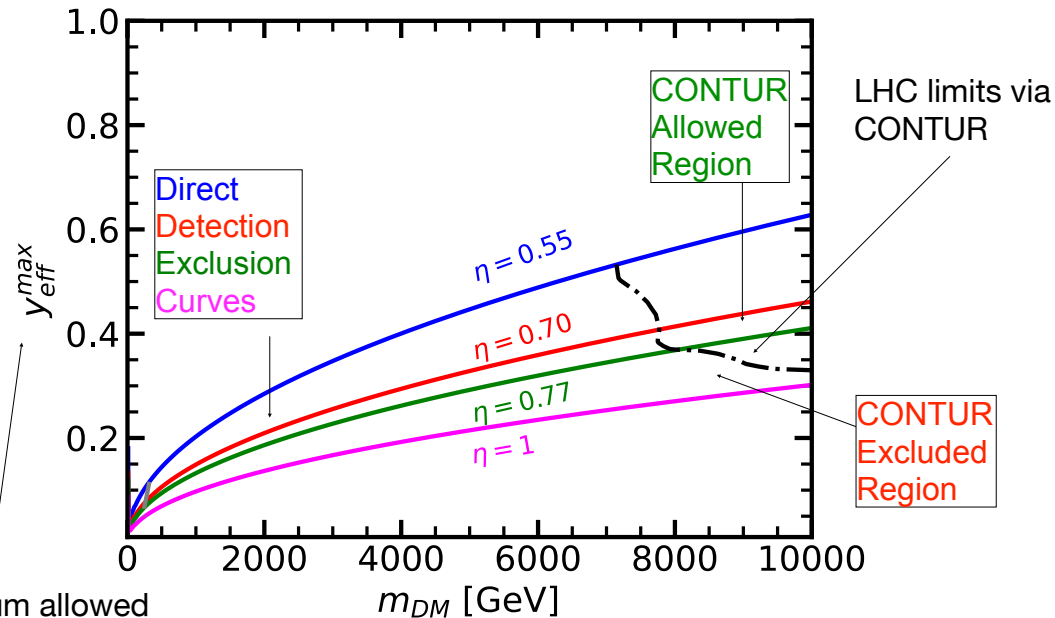
$$g_{DM} \simeq y_{\text{eff}} \times f_f^{DM}$$



- Higgs-mediated DM production cross-section related to effective dark quark - Higgs coupling  $y_{\text{eff}}$ 
  - Using inputs from lattice, eg  $f_f^{DM}$
- LHC CONTUR limits, which are independent can be used to compare to Xenon1T constraints
  - Can then extract maximum allowed  $y_{\text{eff}}$  for each DM mass hypothesis



# Bringing Direct Detection and LHC limits together



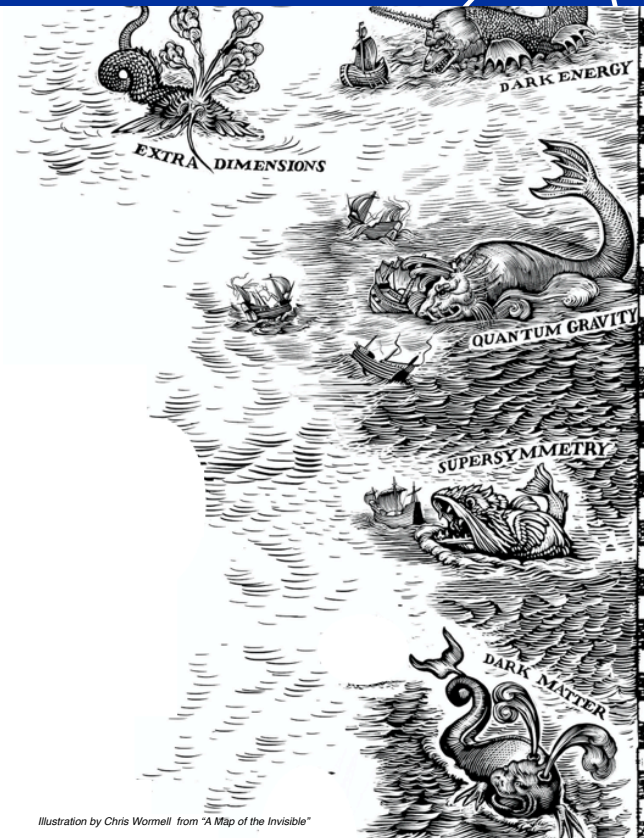
Either require low values of Higgs - dark quark effective Yukawa coupling or require very heavy dark matter

Maximum allowed coupling between dark quarks and Higgs



# CONTUR vs Two-Higgs Doublet Model + pseudo scalar mediator $a$

Another case study





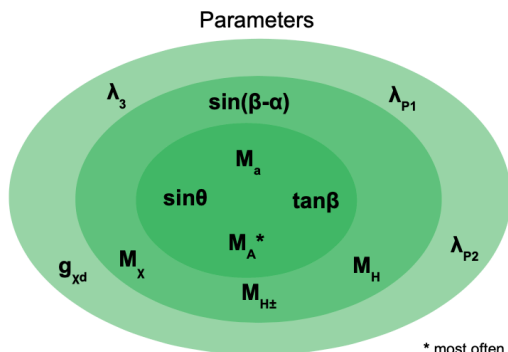
# The 2HDM+a model



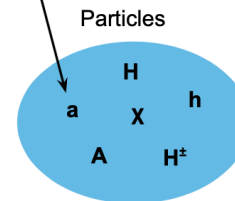
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## Two-Higgs-doublet model with a pseudoscalar mediator

- **pseudoscalar mediator** that couples to DM and SM particles
- **additional second Higgs doublet** ( $\rightarrow$ "2HDM") to avoid strong constrains by Higgs boson couplings
  - ratio of vacuum expectation values:  $\tan\beta$
- mediator-SM coupling through **mixing** of mediator and second Higgs doublet
  - a-A mixing angle:  $\sin\theta$
- simplest theoretically consistent extension of simplified DM models with pseudoscalar mediators



\* most often  $M_{Hz}=M_H=M_A$  is used

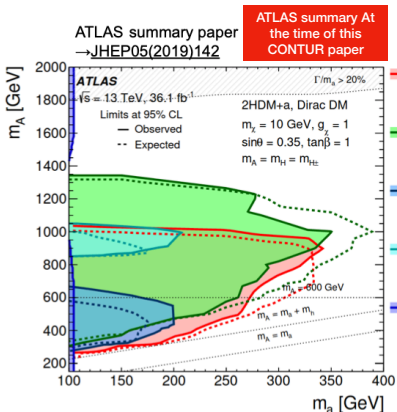




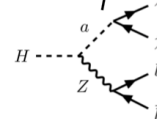
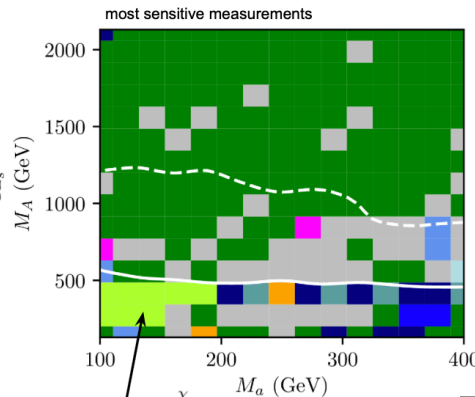
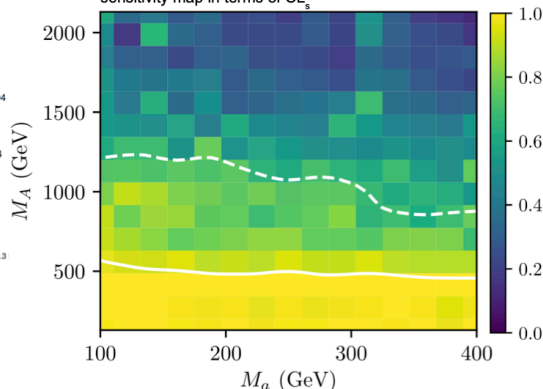
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Results of this paper → 2009.02220  
sensitivity map in terms of  $CL_s$



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exclusion

- orthogonal to ATLAS searches
- from many different contributions

At low  $m_a$ ,  $A \rightarrow t\bar{t}$  and  $H_{\pm} \rightarrow t\bar{b}$  become important, picked up by  $lep + MET + jet$  measurements in CONTUR  
With no equivalent search (at the time)

- ATLAS  $\mu + E_T^{miss} + jet$
- ATLAS  $e + E_T^{miss} + jet$
- ATLAS  $l + E_T^{miss} + jet$
- CMS  $l + E_T^{miss} + jet$
- ATLAS  $WW$
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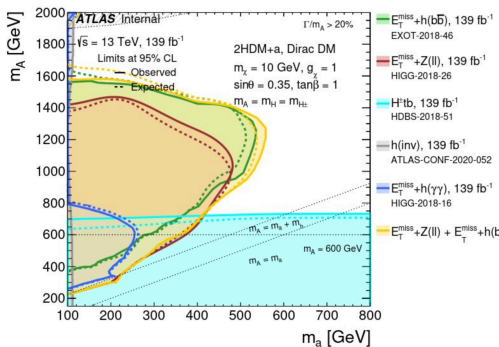
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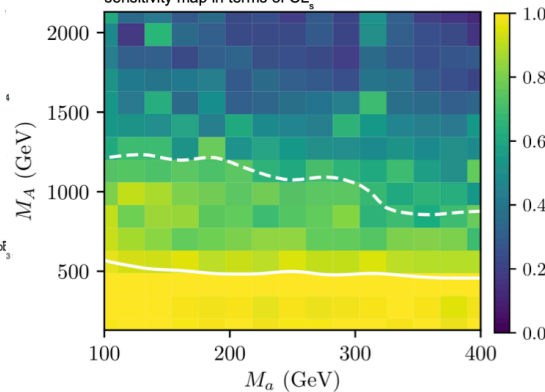
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ATLAS summary paper  
→ JHEP05(2019)142

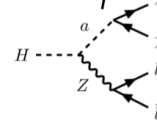
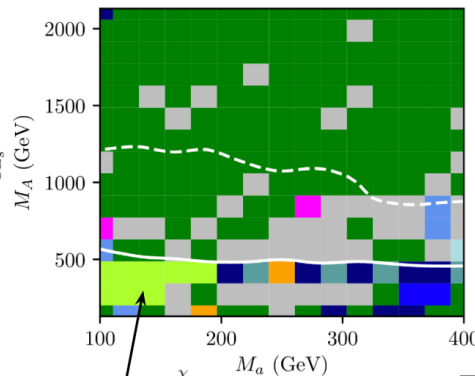
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- from many different contributions

Low- $m_a$  region filled in by dedicated searches, ~1 year later.

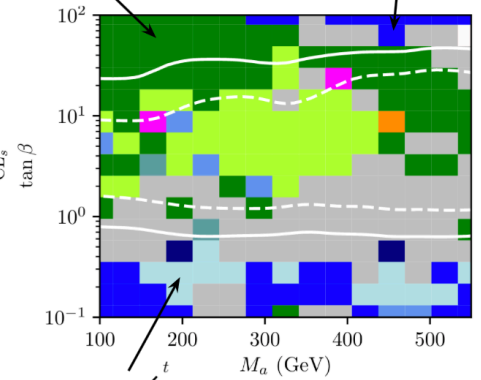
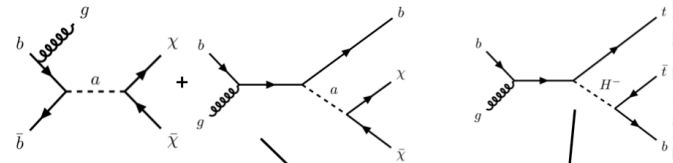
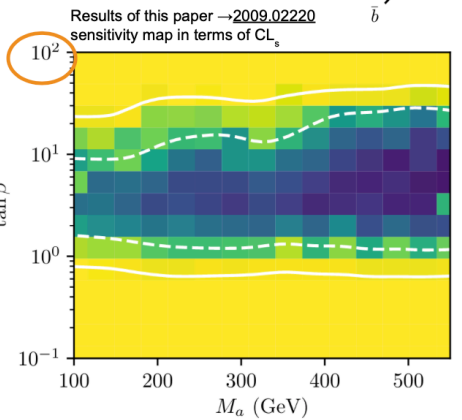
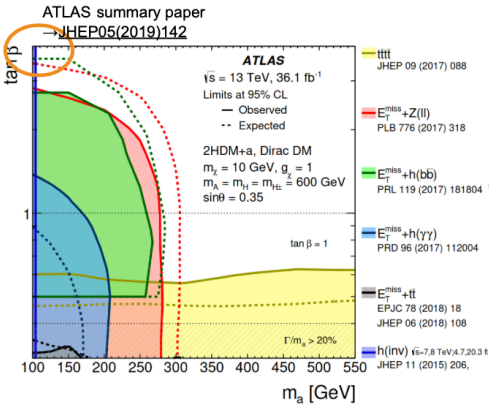
- ATLAS  $\mu + E_T^{\text{miss}} + \text{jet}$
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- CMS  $l + E_T^{\text{miss}} + \text{jet}$
- ATLAS  $W W$
- ATLAS  $\mu\mu + \text{jet}$
- ATLAS  $l\bar{l} + \text{jet}$
- ATLAS jets
- ATLAS  $l\bar{l} + E_T^{\text{miss}}$
- ATLAS  $4l$
- ATLAS  $ll + E_T^{\text{miss}}$



# Benchmark Scenarios (comparison to ATLAS)



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- ATLAS  $\mu + E_T^{\text{miss}} + \text{jet}$
- ATLAS  $e + E_T^{\text{miss}} + \text{jet}$
- ATLAS  $l + E_T^{\text{miss}} + \text{jet}$
- CMS  $l + E_T^{\text{miss}} + \text{jet}$
- ATLAS WW
- ATLAS  $\mu\mu + \text{jet}$
- ATLAS  $ll + \text{jet}$
- ATLAS jets
- ATLAS  $E_T^{\text{miss}} + \text{jet}$
- ATLAS  $4\ell$
- ATLAS  $ll + E_T^{\text{miss}}$
- ATLAS Hadronic  $t\bar{t}$

— 95% CL exclusion  
 - - - 68% CL exclusion

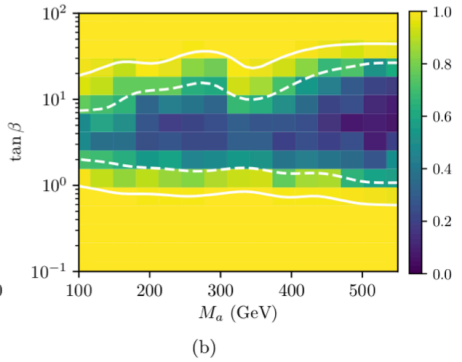
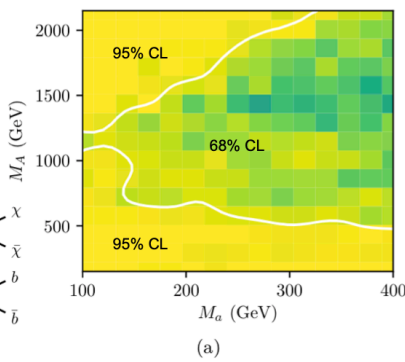
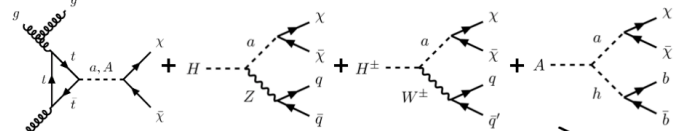


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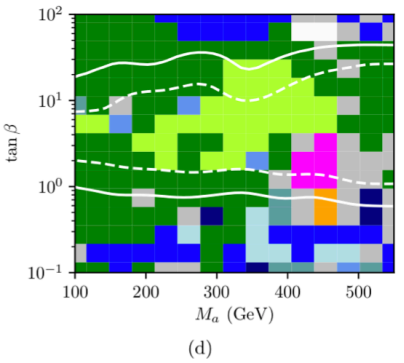
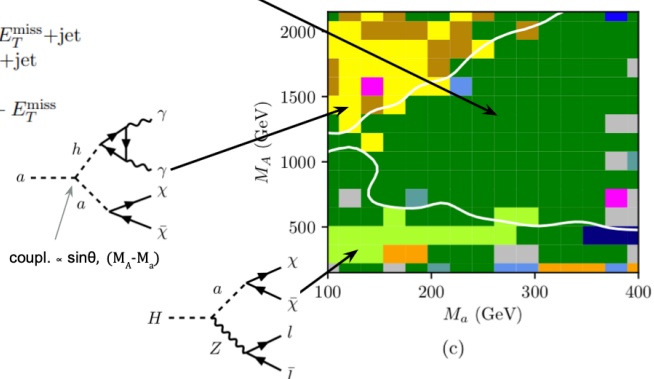


now:

- degenerate masses  $M_{H^\pm} = M_H = M_A = 600\text{GeV}$  again
- change mixing parameter  $\sin\theta = 1/\sqrt{2}$  (maximum mixing)
- a- $\chi$  coupl. **decreased**, a-SM coupl. **increased**
- A- $\chi$  coupl. **increased**, A-SM coupl. **decreased**
- $\sin\theta > 1/\sqrt{2}$ : a $\leftrightarrow$ A switch roles

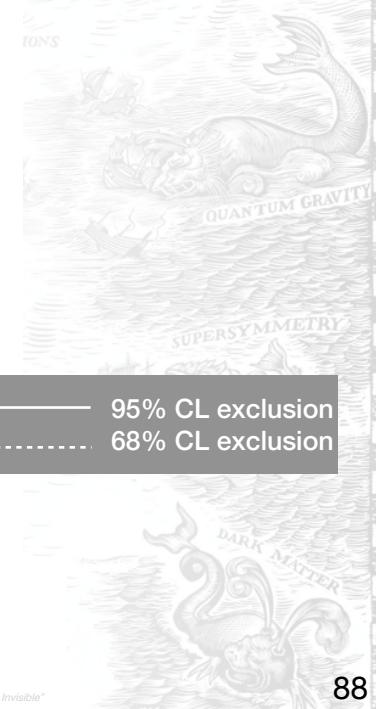


- ATLAS  $\mu + E_T^{\text{miss}} + \text{jet}$
- ATLAS  $l + E_T^{\text{miss}} + \text{jet}$
- ATLAS  $\mu\mu + \text{jet}$
- ATLAS  $4l$
- ATLAS  $\gamma + E_T^{\text{miss}}$
- ATLAS  $l + E_T^{\text{miss}} + \text{jet}$
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- ATLAS  $E_T^{\text{miss}} + \text{jet}$
- ATLAS  $\gamma$
- ATLAS Hadronic  $t\bar{t}$
- ATLAS  $e + E_T^{\text{miss}} + \text{jet}$
- ATLAS  $WW$
- ATLAS  $E_T^{\text{miss}} + \text{jet}$
- ATLAS  $\gamma$



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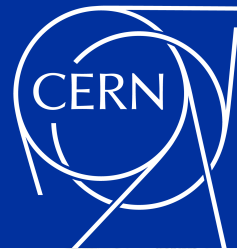
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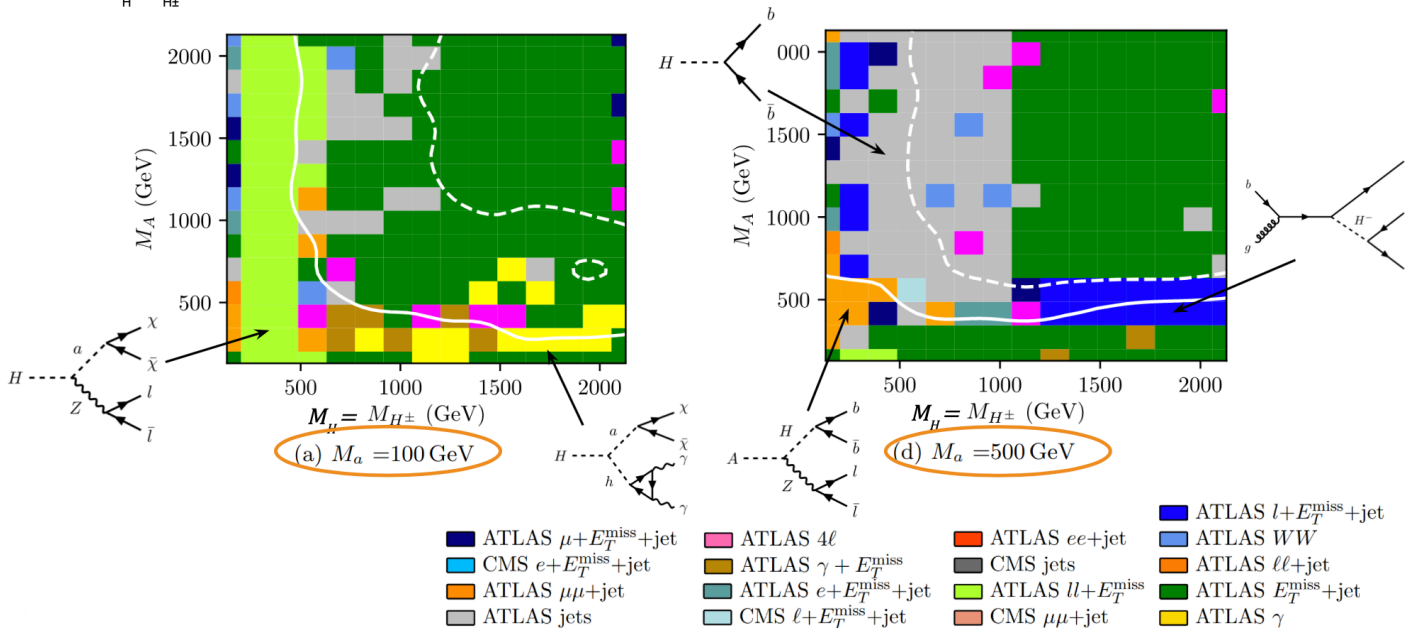


# What about non-degenerate Masses?



now:

- deviate from default parameters by dropping  $M_{H^\pm} = M_H = M_A$
- still need either  $M_H = M_{H^\pm}$  or  $M_A = M_{H^\pm}$  to meet electroweak precision constraints
- choose  $M_H = M_{H^\pm}$



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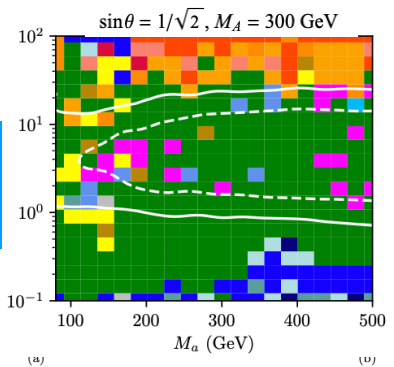


# CONTUR as an analysis prototyping tool



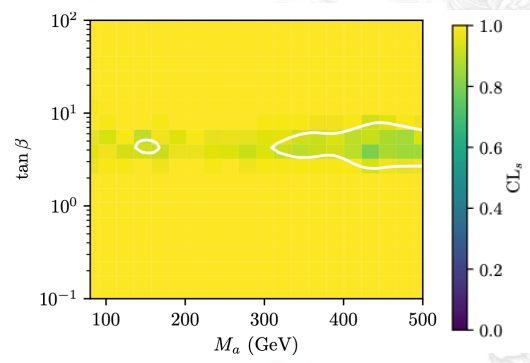
- Since it's easy to add in a RIVET routine to CONTUR, one can test different analysis designs to gauge sensitivity of future results or preliminary data
- For example: I am currently working on 139/fb MET+jets measurement. What does it bring to the table?

Another non-degenerate mass case



ATLAS $\mu + E_T^{\text{miss}} + \text{jet}$	ATLAS $e + E_T^{\text{miss}} + \text{jet}$	ATLAS $l + E_T^{\text{miss}} + \text{jet}$
CMS $e + E_T^{\text{miss}} + \text{jet}$	CMS $l + E_T^{\text{miss}} + \text{jet}$	ATLAS $WW$
ATLAS $\mu\mu + \text{jet}$	ATLAS $ee + \text{jet}$	ATLAS $ll + \text{jet}$
ATLAS jets	ATLAS $E_T^{\text{miss}} + \text{jet}$	ATLAS $4l$
ATLAS $\gamma$	ATLAS $\gamma + E_T^{\text{miss}}$	CMS $ll + \text{jet}$

Add prototype 139/fb MET+jets measurement routine



This measurement will exclude large fraction of plane

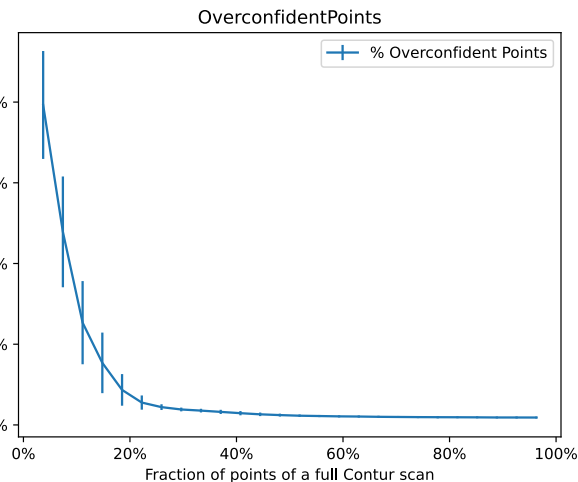
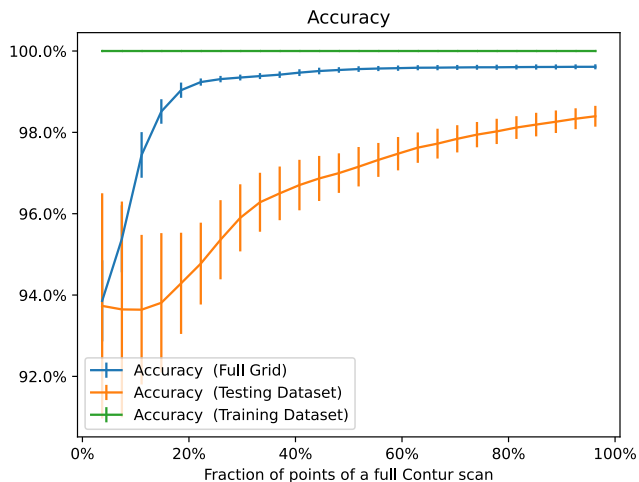
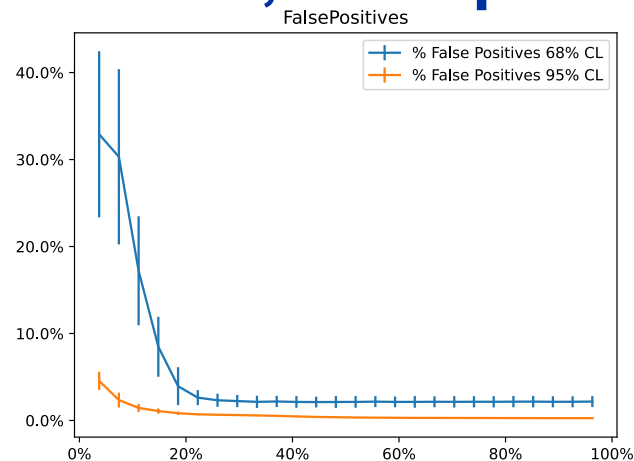
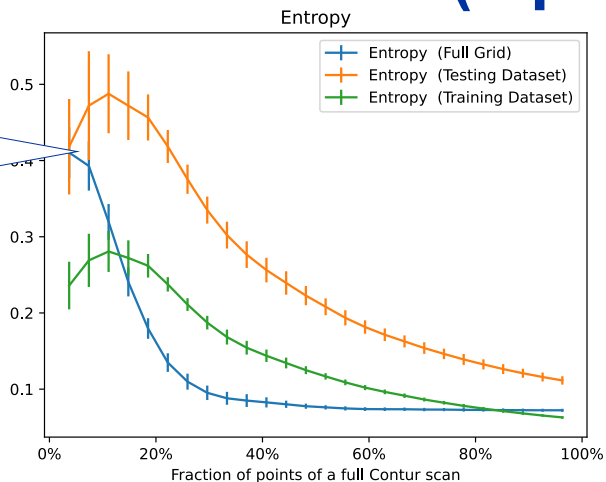
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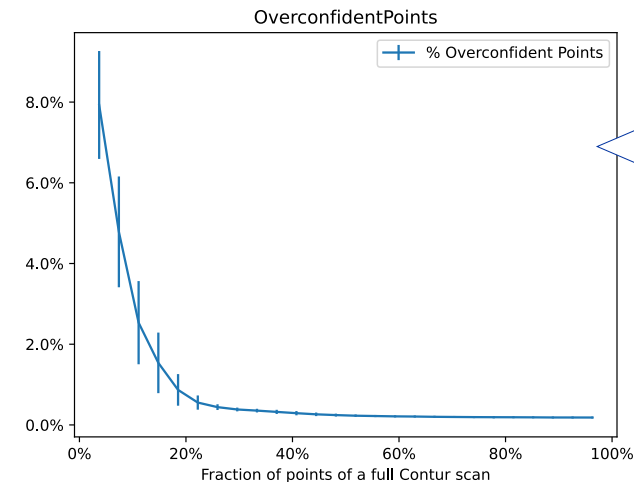
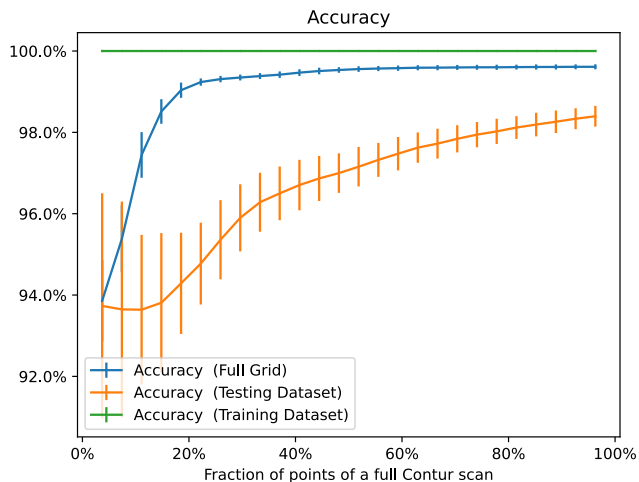
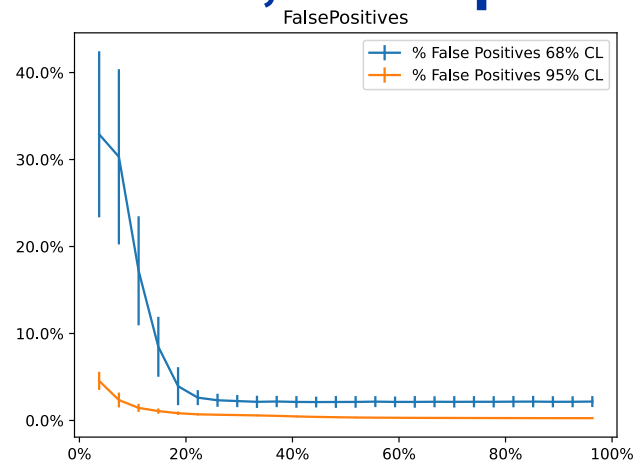
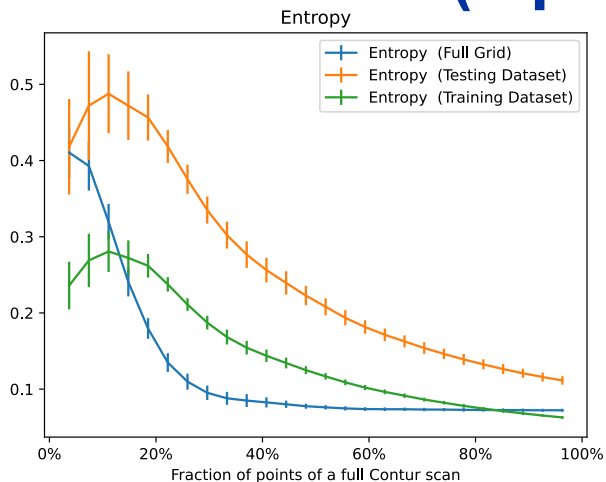
## ***Additional material***

# Simplified DM model (4 parameters, 8100 points)

Entropy has a “bump” (network is confident but wrong on some points), and steadily drops



# Simplified DM model (4 parameters, 8100 points)



Overconfident points defined as those where  $\text{Prob}(95\%) * 0.95 > \text{true CLs value}$ .

Drops very quickly

# 2HDM+a (4 params, ~7500 points)

- tan beta:  
related to ratio of vacuum expectation values  
0.05 to 100.05 in steps of 20 GeV
- mh4:  
mass of the extra Higgses (mostly degenerate)  
1 GeV to 1000 GeV in steps of 100 GeV
- mXd:  
DM mass  
1 GeV to 1000 GeV in steps of 100 GeV
- sinp:  
#umm, not sure what this one represents physically!  
0.01 to 0.91 in steps of 0.1

# 2HDM+a (4 params, ~7500 points)

