

WG6 SUMMARY: HIGH- P_T FLAVOUR PHYSICS

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HighPT Flavor physics : Higgs, Top, New heavy particles

For CKM workshop, new CP phases required for BAU
Extended Higgs/top sector, new particles required

3 theory talks

Higgs and CP violation (in BSM models)
How much room is there for discoveries?
Quantum information with top quarks

11 experimental talks

ATLAS, CMS on Higgs, Top, new particles

Thank you for all the contributions in WG6



Top quark events: both abundant and rare!

Top pairs produced in abundance at the LHC: 115 M events in Run 2 for ATLAS and CMS each

⇒ production via the strong interaction

Single-top production also plentiful: 40 M events per experiment

⇒ production via the electroweak interaction

Many other processes possible!

⇒ associated top-pair production like $ttZ, ttW, ttH, tt+\text{photon}$

⇒ associated single-top production like $\text{top}+\gamma, \text{top}+Z, tWZ, \text{etc}$

⇒ production of four top quarks at the same time:
only 1700 events expected per experiment!



Top

CP Violation in (extended) Higgs sector by Rui Santos

2 types of CPV:

CPV from P-violation

C conserving, CP violating interaction

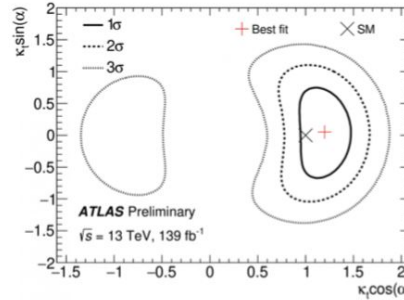
$$\bar{\psi}(a + ib\gamma_5)\psi\phi$$

U, D, L : separately to be checked

but challenging for yb using bbH

CPV from P-violation needs only one Higgs

Direct searches for CP-odd component in Yukawa couplings provide more than EDMs



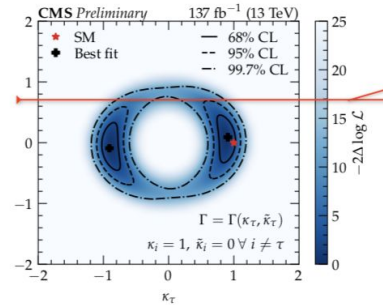
$$\mathcal{L}_{\bar{t}th}^{CPV} = -\frac{y_f}{\sqrt{2}} \bar{t}(\kappa_t + i\tilde{\kappa}_t\gamma_5) t h \quad \begin{aligned} \kappa_t &= \kappa \cos \alpha \\ \tilde{\kappa}_t &= \kappa \sin \alpha \end{aligned}$$

Rates alone already constrained a lot the CP-odd component.

Now, also available in $pp \rightarrow (h \rightarrow \bar{b}b)\bar{t}t$.

R. Santos, CKM2023, SC, 18 Sep 2023

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$$pp \rightarrow h \rightarrow \tau^+\tau^-$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\bar{\tau}th}^{CPV} = -\frac{y_f}{\sqrt{2}} \bar{\tau}(\kappa_\tau + i\tilde{\kappa}_\tau\gamma_5) \tau h$$

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CPV from C-violation

In 2HDM, for gauge and higgs sector P is conserved. If C is also conserved,

$$CZ_\mu C^{-1} = -Z_\mu \quad C(h) = C(H) = 1 \quad C(G_0) = C(A) = -1$$

→ Existence of interaction with odd number of C-odd particles (Z and A) is the sign of CPV

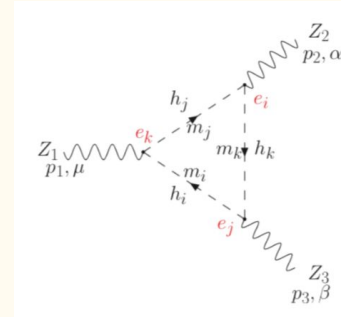
A combination of 3 decays signals CP-violation

$$h_2 H^+ H^-; \quad h_3 H^+ H^-; \quad Zh_2 h_3$$

$$h_2 h_k h_k; \quad h_3 H^+ H^-; \quad Zh_2 h_3; \quad (k = 2, 3) \quad (2 \leftrightarrow 3)$$

$$h_2 h_k h_l; \quad h_3 h_l h_l; \quad Zh_2 h_3; \quad (k, l = 2, 3)$$

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CPV from C-violation needs at least two Higgs.

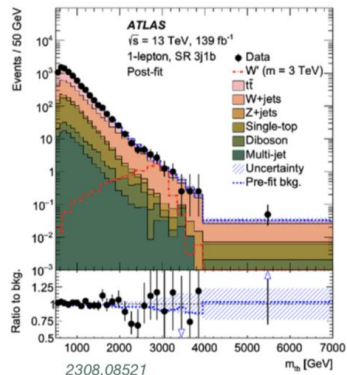
Discovering extra scalars and test their CP-numbers at the LHC is within the reach of many models (C2HDM)

PDF-EFT interplay by Maeve Madigan

In High p_T tail,

Fake new physics \Leftrightarrow PDF effects?

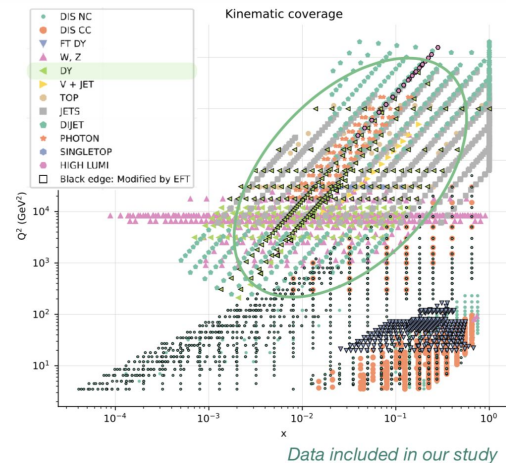
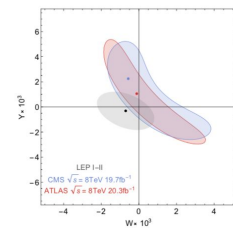
No new physics \Leftrightarrow absorbed by PDF?



Injecting W' signal will modify the PDFs

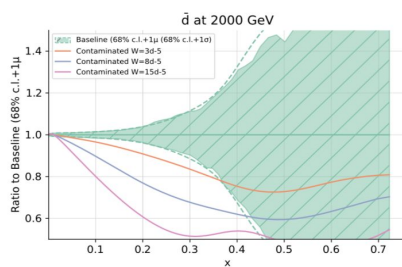
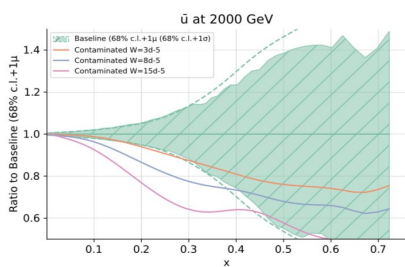
Data overlap

e.g. High-mass Drell-Yan data used to fit the SMEFT 4-fermion operators in *Farina et. al 1609.08157*

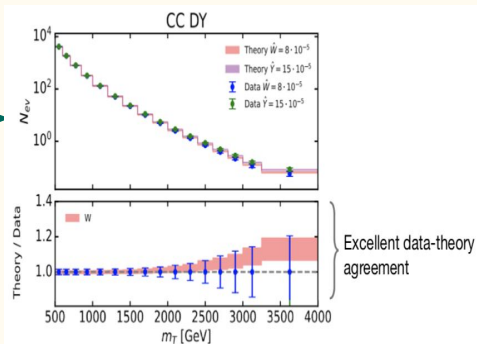


W'-contaminated PDFs

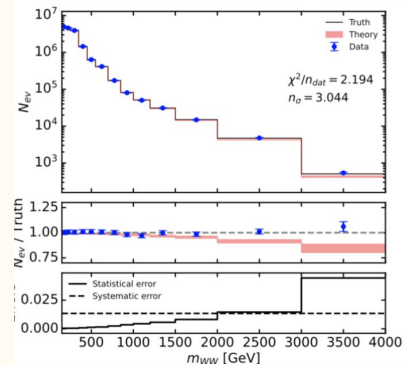
Data: 'true' PDF \otimes SM + W'
Theory: contaminated PDF \otimes SM



The shift in the PDFs compensates the NP effects



causes spurious NP effects



Fewer constraints on the large- x antiquark PDFs allow freedom to shift away from the baseline

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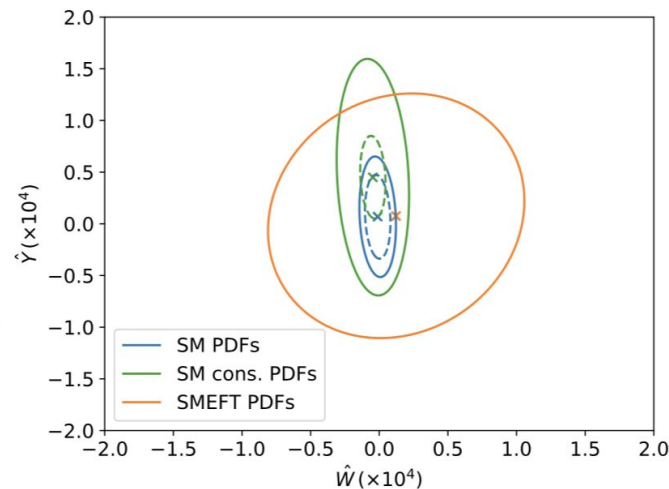
ex) W' signal can fake WW excess etc.

Simultaneous fit of PDFs and SMEFT in high mass DY

Greljo et. al 2104.02723

Including **HL-LHC projections** for NC and CC Drell-Yan:

Neglecting PDF-EFT interplay leads to a significant overestimate of the EFT constraints.



Tools to investigate contaminated PDF fits in other BSM scenarios are publicly available:

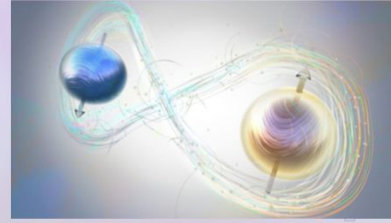
<https://www.pbsp.org.uk/contamination/>

Quantum Information with top quarks by Juan Ramon Munoz de Nova

Top pair \Leftrightarrow 2 qubits

General density matrix (4×4) for 2 qubits \rightarrow 15 parameters B_i^\pm, C_{ij}

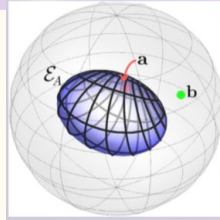
$$\rho = \frac{1 + \sum_i (B_i^+ \sigma^i \otimes 1 + B_i^- 1 \otimes \sigma^i) + \sum_{i,j} C_{ij} \sigma^i \otimes \sigma^j}{4}$$



4 hierarchical concepts for non-classical correlation

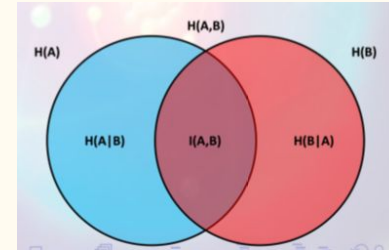
$$I(A,B) = H(A) + H(B) - H(A,B) = H(A) - H(A|B)$$

$$\rho_{\hat{n}} = \frac{\tilde{\rho}_{\hat{n}}}{\text{Tr} \tilde{\rho}_{\hat{n}}} = \frac{1 + \mathbf{B}_{\hat{n}}^+ \cdot \boldsymbol{\sigma}}{2}, \quad \mathbf{B}_{\hat{n}}^+ = \frac{\mathbf{B}^+ + \mathbf{C} \cdot \hat{n}}{1 + \hat{n} \cdot \mathbf{B}^-}$$



$$\rho = \int d\Omega_A d\Omega_B P(\mathbf{n}_A, \mathbf{n}_B) |\mathbf{n}_A \mathbf{n}_B\rangle \langle \mathbf{n}_A \mathbf{n}_B|$$

Separability = Positive P -representation $P(\mathbf{n}_A, \mathbf{n}_B) \geq 0$:



$$D(A,B) \equiv H(B) - H(A,B) + H(A|B) \neq 0$$

CHSH inequality ($\mathbf{a}_j, \mathbf{b}_j$ spin axes of measurements M_A, M_B)

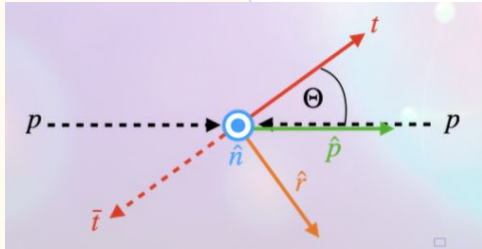
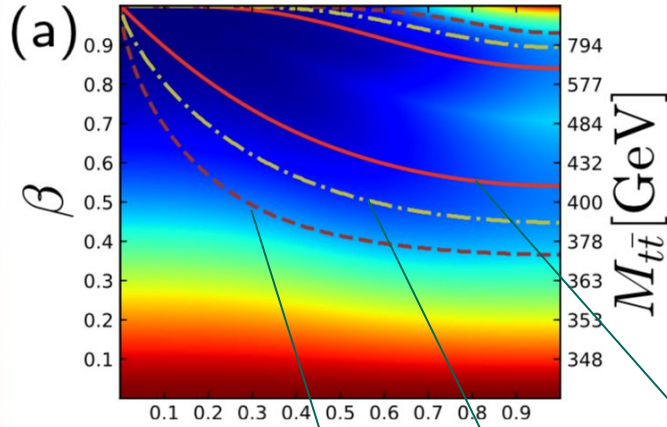
$$|\mathbf{a}_1^T \mathbf{C} (\mathbf{b}_1 - \mathbf{b}_2) + \mathbf{a}_2^T \mathbf{C} (\mathbf{b}_1 + \mathbf{b}_2)| \leq 2$$

Bell Nonlocality \subset *Steering* \subset *Entanglement* \subset *Discord*

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$gg \rightarrow t\bar{t}$

color:Discord

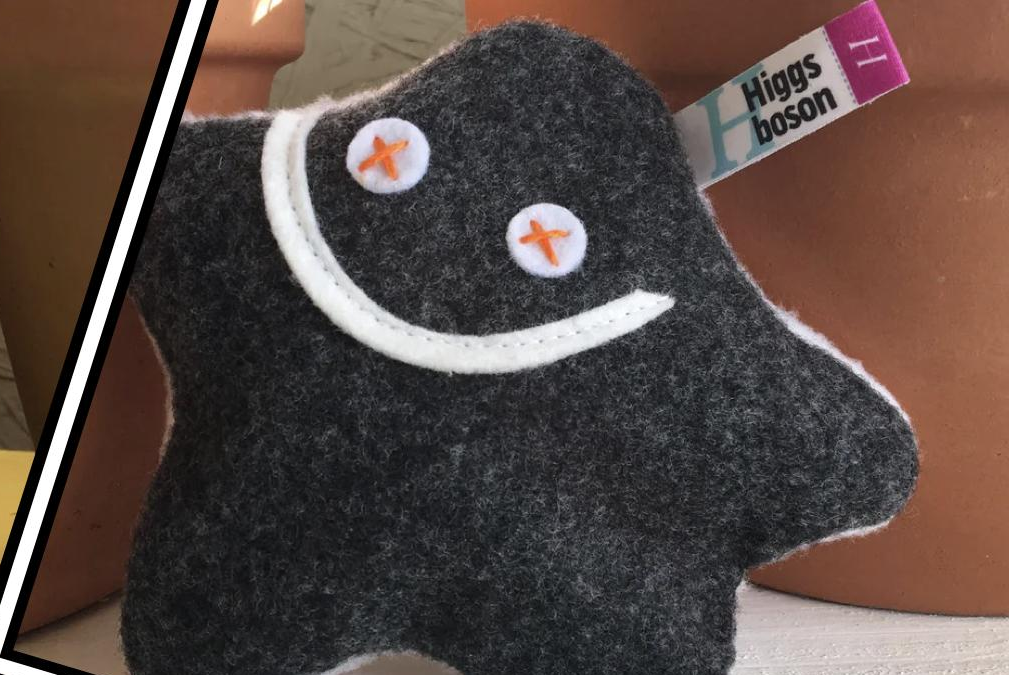


$$\rho(\hat{l}_+, \hat{l}_-) = \frac{1}{\sigma_{\ell\bar{\ell}}} \frac{d\sigma_{\ell\bar{\ell}}}{d\Omega_+ d\Omega_-} = \frac{1 + \mathbf{B}^+ \cdot \hat{l}_+ - \mathbf{B}^- \cdot \hat{l}_- - \hat{l}_+ \cdot \mathbf{C} \cdot \hat{l}_-}{(4\pi)^2}$$

$$\rho(\hat{l}_\pm | \hat{l}_\mp = \mp \hat{n}) = \frac{\rho(\hat{l}_\pm, \hat{l}_\mp = \mp \hat{n})}{\rho(\hat{l}_\mp = \mp \hat{n})} = \frac{1 \pm \mathbf{B}_{\hat{n}}^+ \cdot \hat{l}_\pm}{4\pi}$$

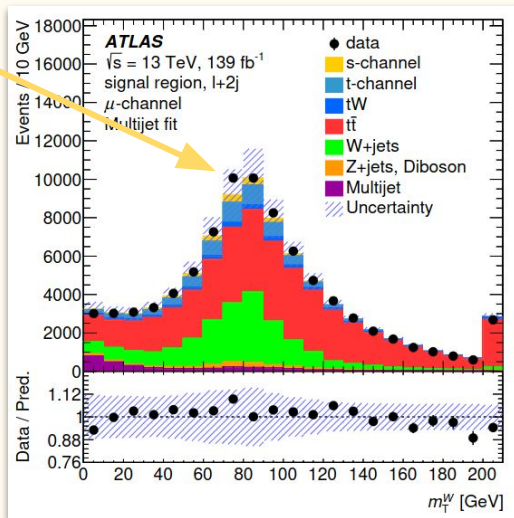
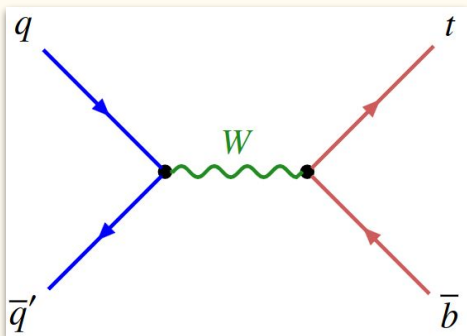
- Actual discord \rightarrow Evaluated from minimization over \hat{n} .
- Measurement of $\mathbf{B}_{\hat{n}}^\pm$ \rightarrow Reconstruction of t, \bar{t} steering ellipsoids.
- Highly-challenging measurements in conventional setups \rightarrow Natural implementation in colliders!

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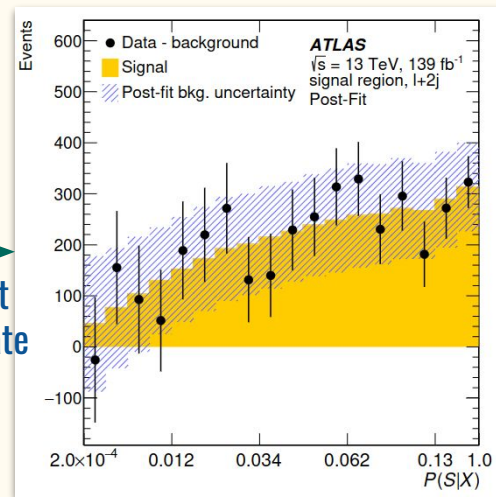


Start with rare candidate: single top in s-channel production

The elusive signal process



Need Matrix-Element discriminant to isolate the signal!

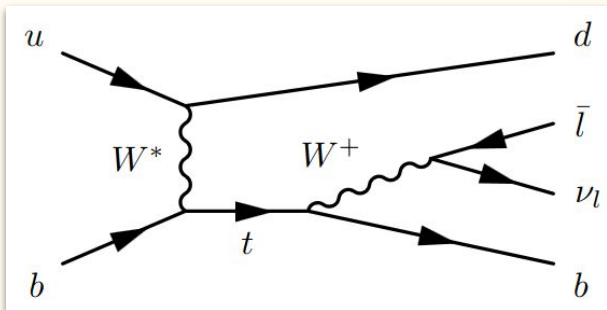


- Only observed at the Tevatron so far (due to the presence of valence anti-quarks)
- Relative uncertainty:
 - $\sim 40\%$, dominated by tt normalisation, jet-related uncertainties and parton-shower uncertainties
- Significance: 3.3 (3.9) standard deviations observed (expected)
- tW process: already observed at Run I, not discussed in detail here

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Bread-and-butter: single top as access to CKM

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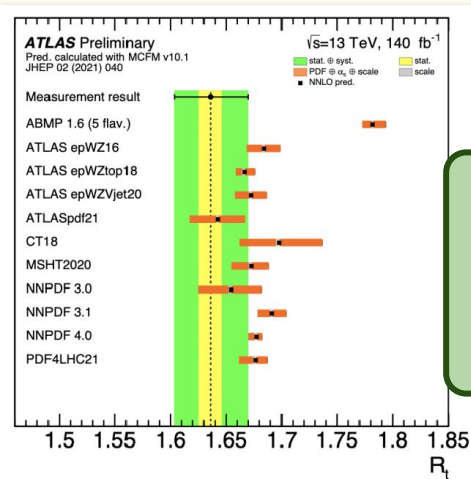
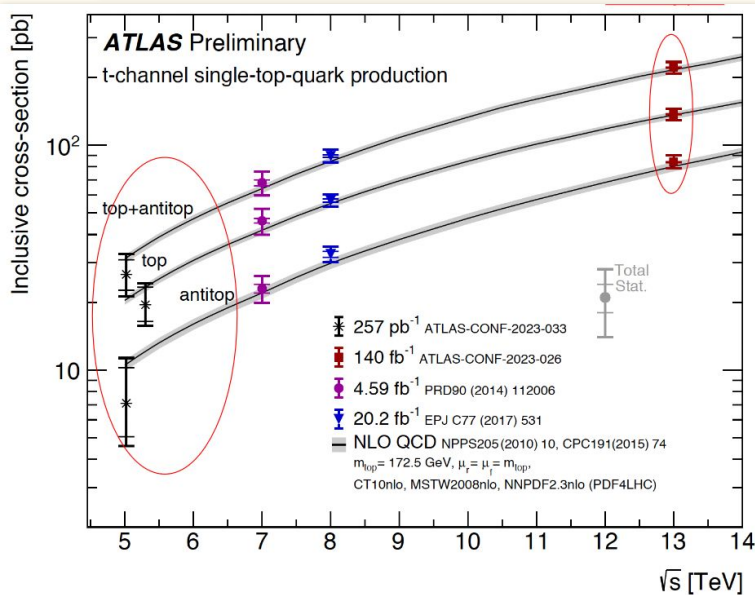


Two new measurements in t-channel:

- 5 TeV channel: probe different part of PDF
- 13 TeV: several improvements allow for 6% precision

Both analyses rely on machine-learning techniques:

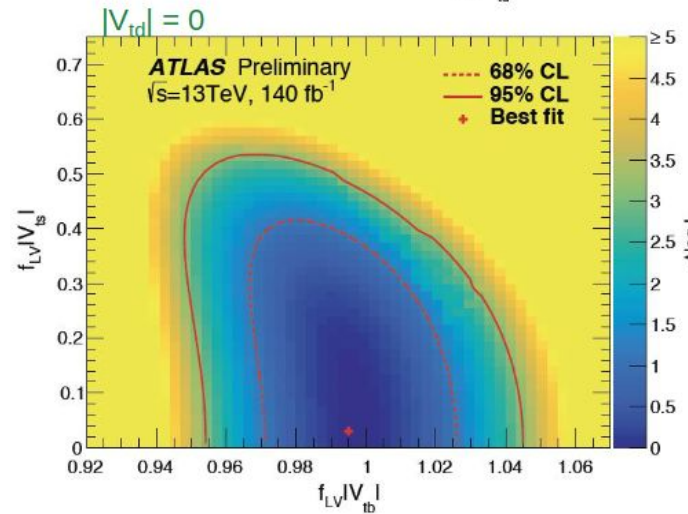
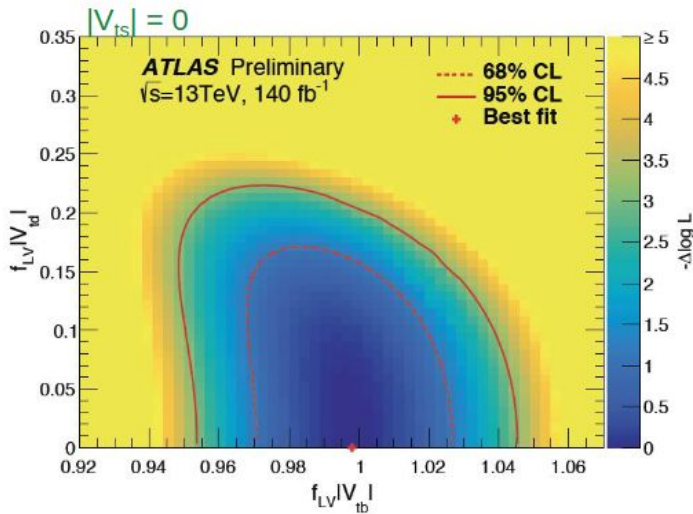
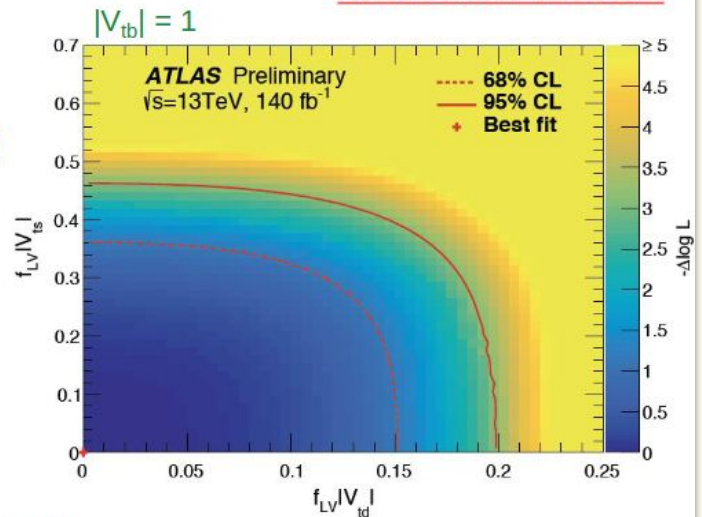
- 5 TeV: strong selection cuts first, then use boosted decision tree
- 13 TeV: less stringent pre-selection, but more powerful classifier to isolate the signal



Measure top-/anti-top cross-section and ratio, compare to predictions with different PDFs

$$\frac{\sigma(tq + \bar{t}q)}{\sigma_{theo}} = f_{LV}^2 |V_{tb}|^2$$

- Determination of V_{tb} :
 $f_{LV} \cdot |V_{tb}| = 1.016 \pm 0.031$ $|V_{tb}| \gg |V_{td}|, |V_{ts}|$, LH coupling
 $|V_{tb}| > 0.95$ (95% CL) assuming $|V_{tb}| \in [0,1]$ and $f_{LV}=1$
- Generalised CKM interpretation:
 $f_{LV} \cdot |V_{tb}| \in [0.955, 1.045]$ at 95%CL
 $f_{LV} \cdot |V_{td}| < 0.22$ and $f_{LV} \cdot |V_{ts}| < 0.54$
- All results in agreement with NNLO calculation

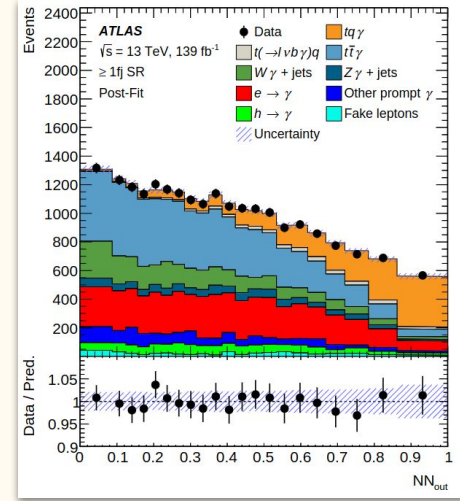
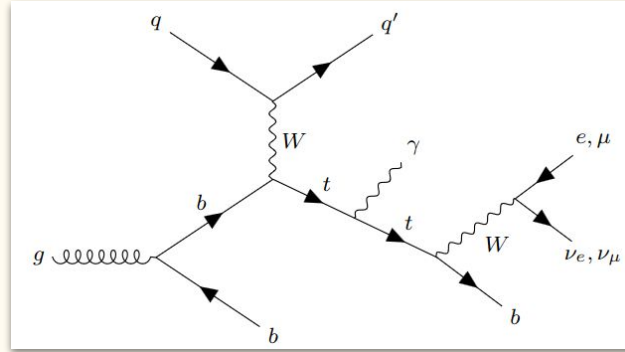


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CKM Interpretation from Single-top t-channel

Era of “Standard model top discoveries”!

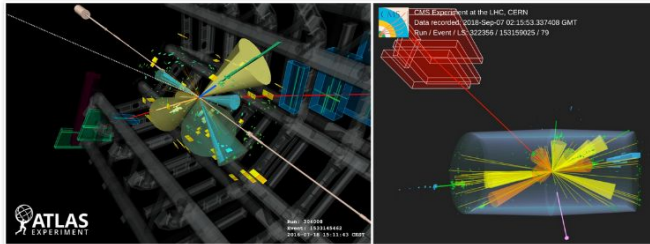
- Single-top + photon process
- Cross-section only about 515 fb
- Neural network allows to isolate signal
- First observation of this process!
 - Paper: [arXiv:2302.01283](https://arxiv.org/abs/2302.01283)



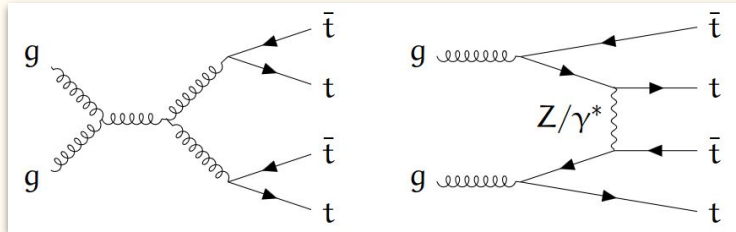
ATLAS and CMS observe simultaneous production of four top quarks

The ATLAS and CMS collaborations have both observed the simultaneous production of four top quarks, a rare phenomenon that could hold the key to physics beyond the Standard Model

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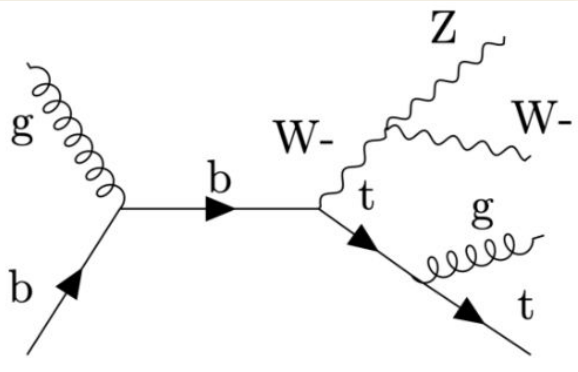
- 4-top production: cross-section only 12 fb
- Expect only 1,700 events in Run 2 per experiment
- Channel with highest precision: multilepton final states
- Observed both by ATLAS and CMS early this year!
 - CMS paper: [arXiv:2305.13439](https://arxiv.org/abs/2305.13439)
 - ATLAS paper: [Eur. Phys. J. C 83 \(2023\) 496](https://arxiv.org/abs/2305.13439)



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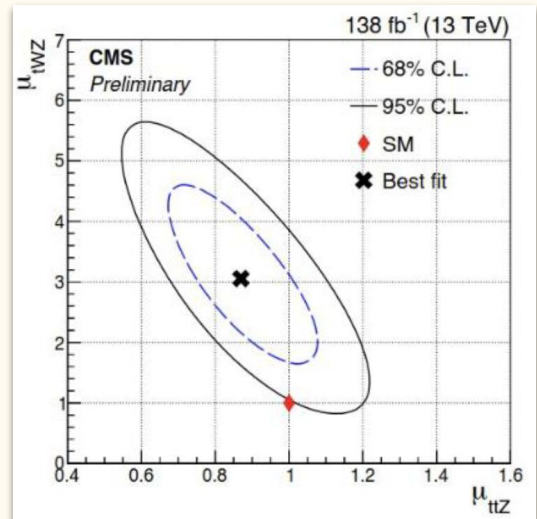
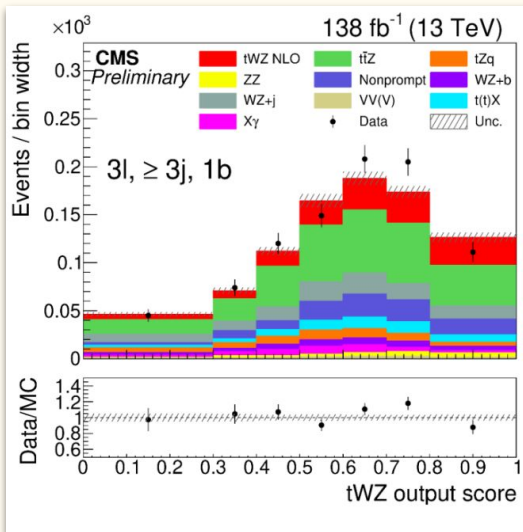
Another “heavy” final state: tWZ production

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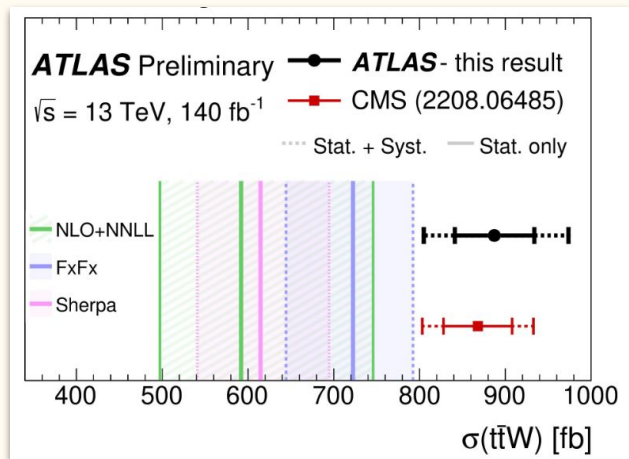


- tWZ is also a rare process: cross-section = 136 fb
- But not as rare as 4-top production!
- Why have we not observed it yet?
 - Large ttZ background (green) compared to the signal (red)
 - Difficult to calculate: interference between tWZ and ttZ at NLO
- Result presented here: focus on final states with 3 or 4 leptons
- Even machine-learning could not clearly separate signal and background

- Expected significance: 1.4 sigma
- Already limited by systematics
- Observed significance: 3.5 sigma
 - Evidence for tWZ, but signal larger than expected
- See large anti-correlation between ttZ and tWZ (right-hand figure)
- ttZ normalisation has large impact on result

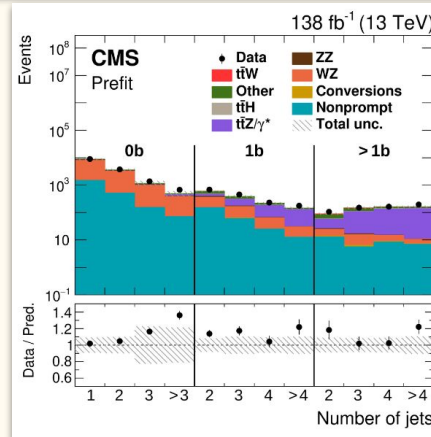
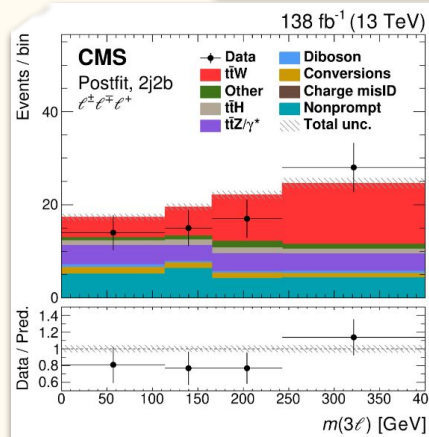
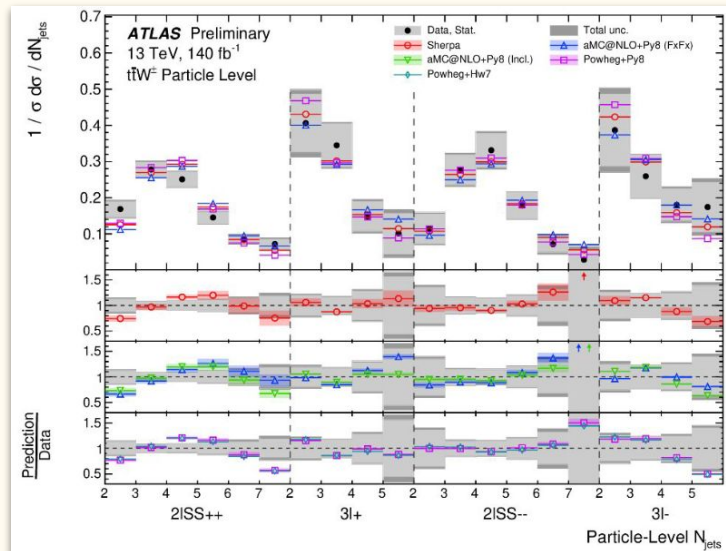


Need better understanding of ttZ & ttW



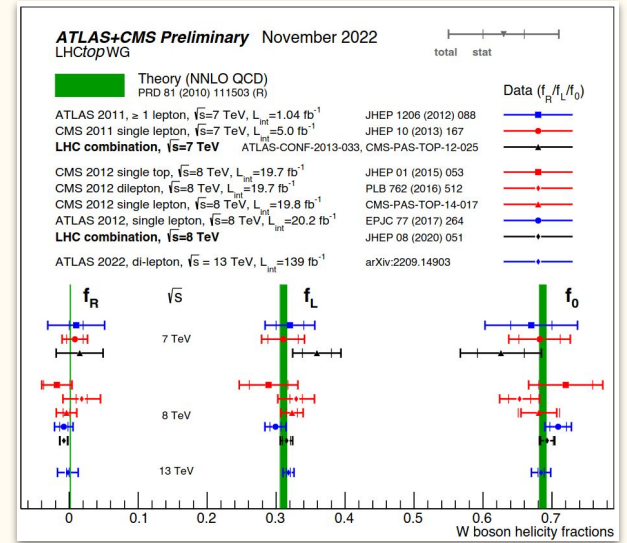
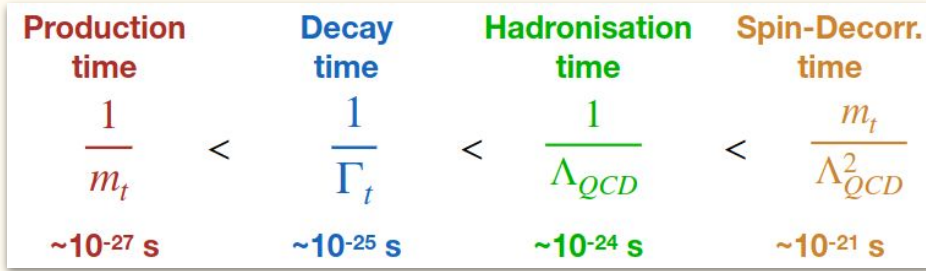
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- Both experiments measure larger cross-section than expected
- Also observed in control region for other measurements (ttH, 4 tops)
- First differential measurements available, but still limited by statistics



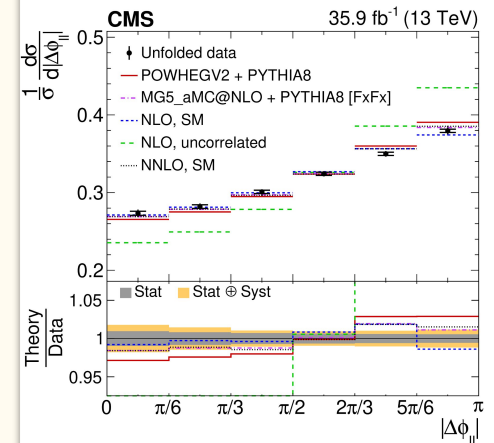
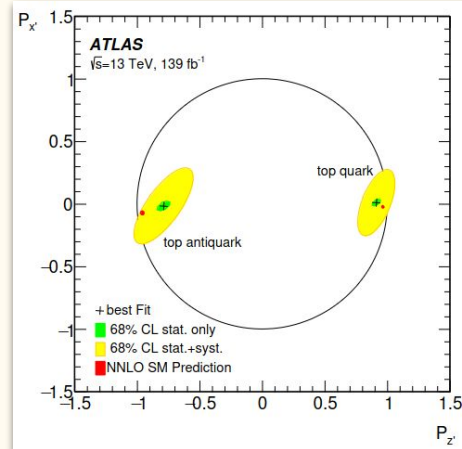
Spin properties

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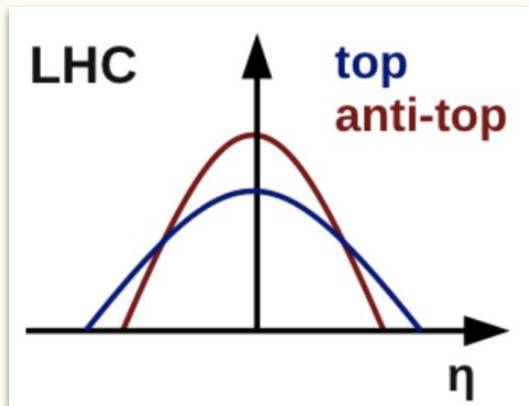


- Can measure W-boson polarisation in top quark decays: very high precision!
- In $t\bar{t}$ events: tops are produced unpolarised, but spins are correlated
- Single top: measure top polarisation

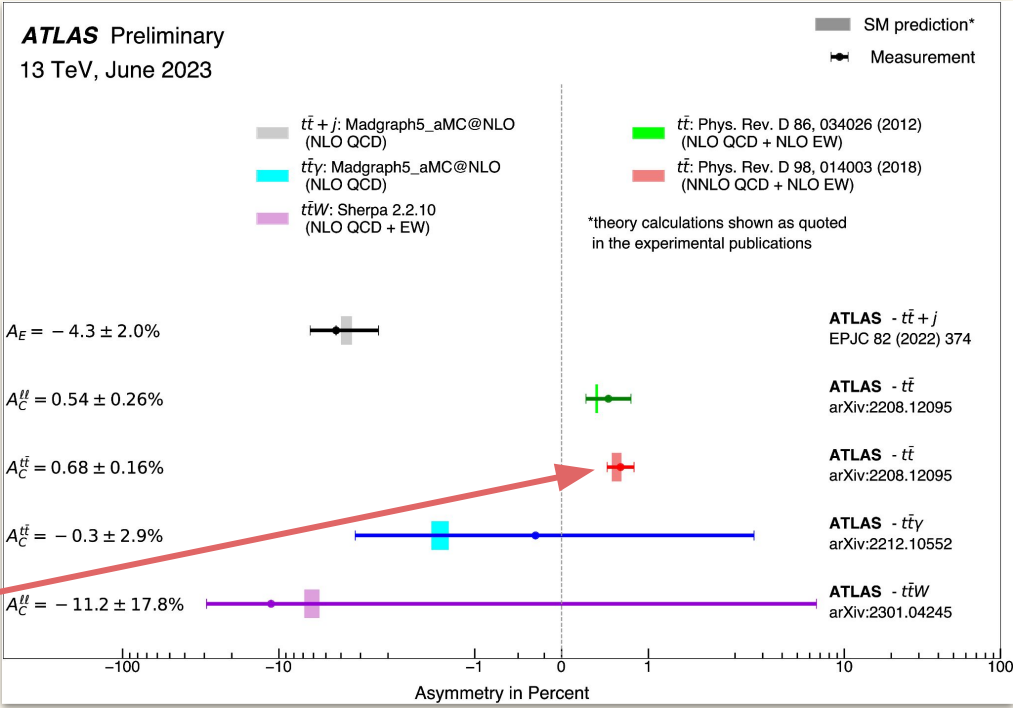
Parameter	Extracted value	(stat.)
t -channel norm.	$+1.045 \pm 0.022$	(± 0.006)
W + jets norm.	$+1.148 \pm 0.027$	(± 0.005)
$t\bar{t}$ norm.	$+1.005 \pm 0.016$	(± 0.004)
$P_{x'}^t$	$+0.01 \pm 0.18$	(± 0.02)
$P_{y'}^t$	-0.02 ± 0.20	(± 0.03)
$P_{z'}^t$	$+0.91 \pm 0.10$	(± 0.02)
$P_{x'}^{\bar{t}}$	-0.029 ± 0.027	(± 0.011)
$P_{y'}^{\bar{t}}$	-0.007 ± 0.051	(± 0.017)
$P_{z'}^{\bar{t}}$	-0.79 ± 0.16	(± 0.03)



Charge and energy asymmetries



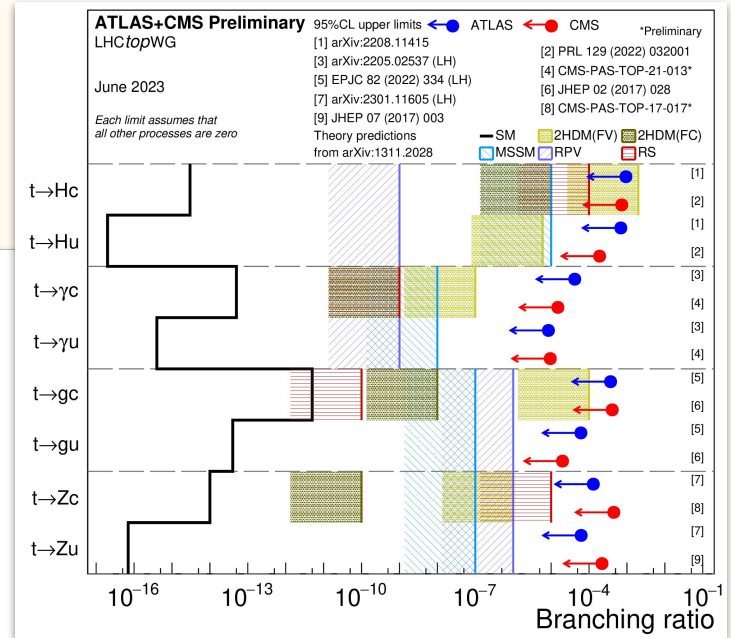
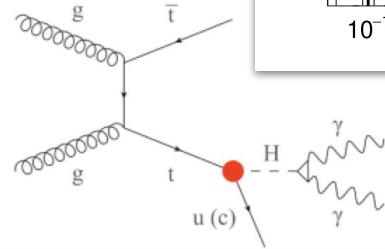
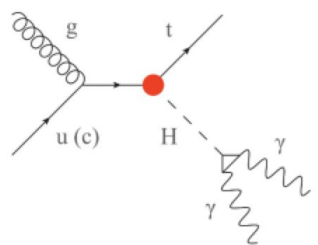
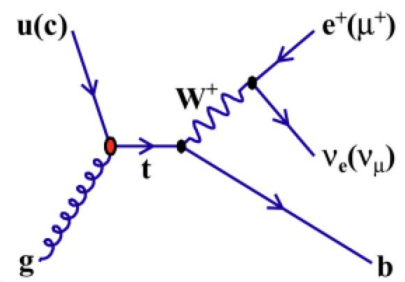
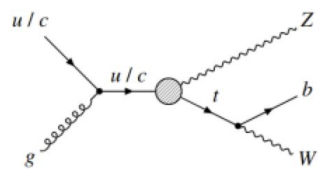
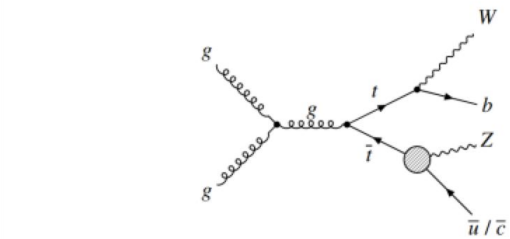
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- gg production dominates at LHC (symmetric)
- at leading order: no charge asymmetry either
- at NLO: small charge asymmetry due to interference of ISR and FSR diagrams as well as interference between box and Born-diagrams
- In $t\bar{t}$ events: significance of 4.7 standard deviations!

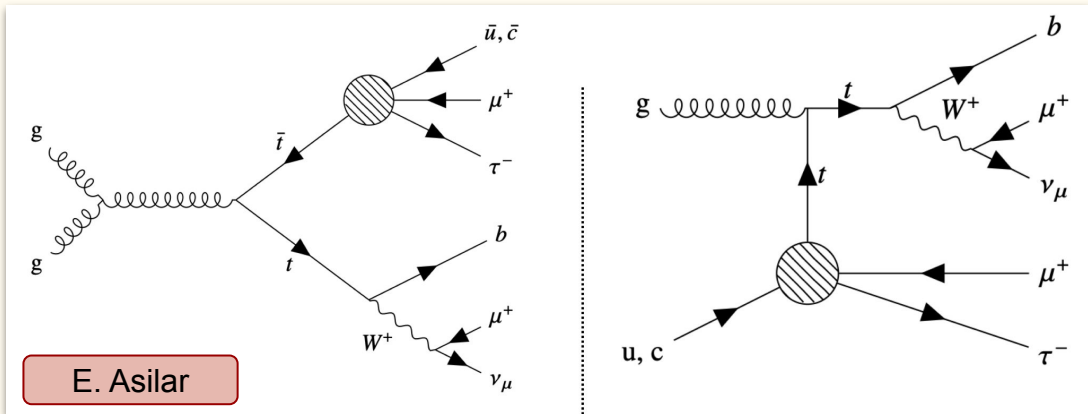
Searches for flavor changing neutral currents

- FCNC in the SM: forbidden at tree-level
 ⇒ Strongly suppressed in loops by GIM mechanism: BR $\sim 10^{-15} - 10^{-12}$
- But: many new physics models allow for FCNCs: MSSM, 2HDM, composite Higgs...
 ⇒ Much larger branching ratios possible: in reach for the LHC!
- In top physics: can occur in many production/decay channels.



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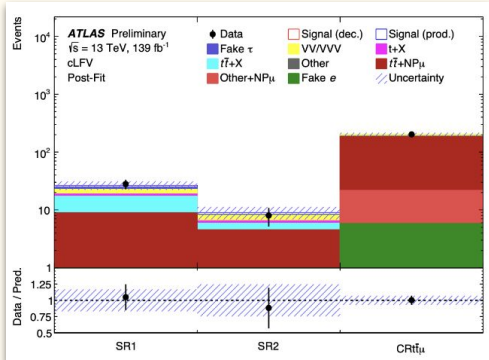
Searches for charged lepton flavor violation (prod and decay)



Operator	Lorentz Structure	
$O_{lq}^{1(ijkl)}$	$(\bar{l}_i \gamma^\mu l_j)(\bar{q}_k \gamma_\mu q_l)$	Vector
$O_{lq}^{3(ijkl)}$	$(\bar{l}_i \gamma^\mu \sigma^I l_j)(\bar{q}_k \gamma_\mu \sigma^I q_l)$	Vector
$O_{eq}^{(ijkl)}$	$(\bar{e}_i \gamma^\mu e_j)(\bar{q}_k \gamma_\mu q_l)$	Vector
$O_{lu}^{(ijkl)}$	$(\bar{l}_i \gamma^\mu l_j)(\bar{u}_k \gamma_\mu u_l)$	Vector
$O_{eu}^{(ijkl)}$	$(\bar{e}_i \gamma^\mu e_j)(\bar{u}_k \gamma_\mu u_l)$	Vector
$\ddagger O_{lequ}^{1(ijkl)}$	$(\bar{l}_i e_j) \varepsilon (\bar{q}_k u_l)$	Scalar
$\ddagger O_{lequ}^{3(ijkl)}$	$(\bar{l}_i \sigma^{\mu\nu} e_j) \varepsilon (\bar{q}_k \sigma_{\mu\nu} u_l)$	Tensor

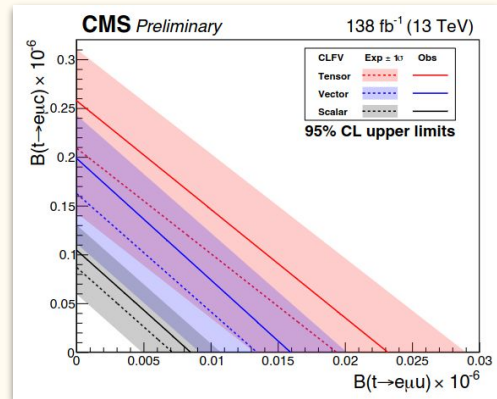
Channel with muons and taus:

Channel with electrons and muons:

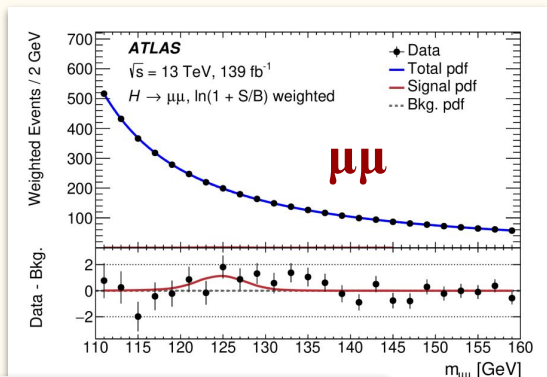


	95% CL upper limits on BR($t \rightarrow \mu \tau q$)	
	Stat. only	All systematics
Expected	8×10^{-7}	10×10^{-7}
Observed	9×10^{-7}	11×10^{-7}

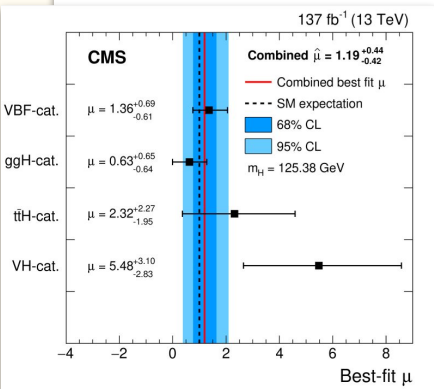
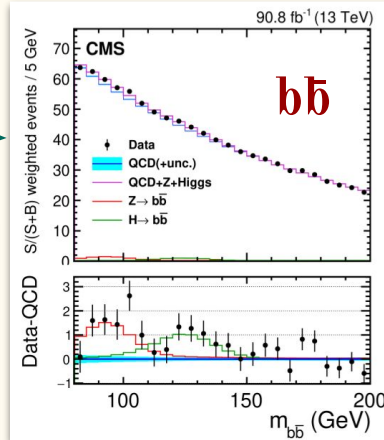
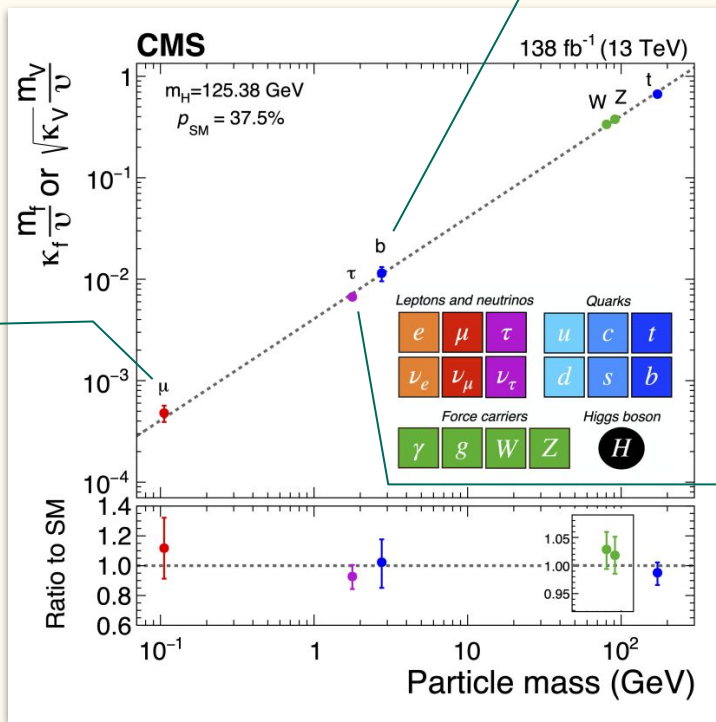
Limit reaches around $O(10^{-6})!$



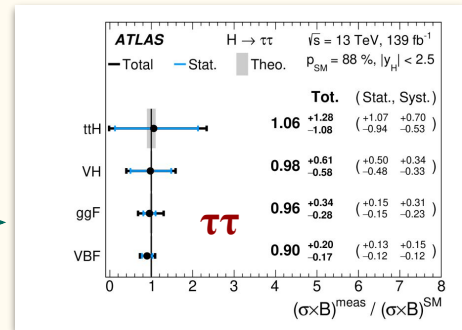
SM Higgs: left no stone unturned



Coupling vs. particle mass



First hint/evidence for $H \rightarrow \mu\mu$!



ATLAS PLB 812 (2021) 135980
CMS JHEP 01 (2021) 148

The portrait of the Higgs boson

ATLAS, Nature 607 (2022) 52
CMS, Nature 607 (2022) 60



$H \rightarrow 3^{\text{rd}}$ generation fully verified!

Talk by J. Cuevas

SM Higgs: challenging corners

Pursuit with both mission possible & mission impossible!

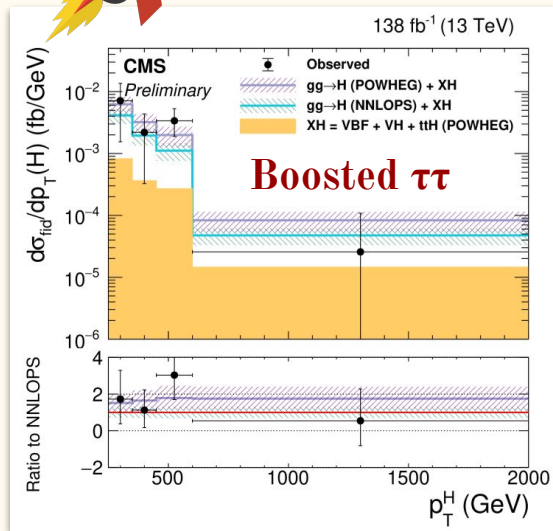


CMS PAS HIG-21-017

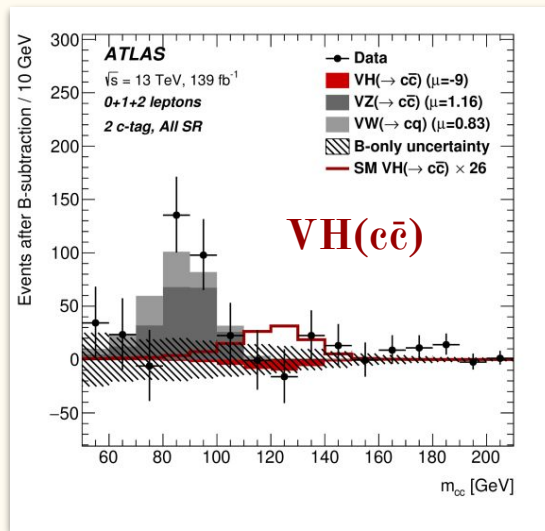
ATLAS EPJC 82 (2022) 717
CMS PRL 131 (2023) 061801, PRL 131 (2023) 041801

ATLAS PLB 801 (2020) 135148
CMS arXiv:2208.00265

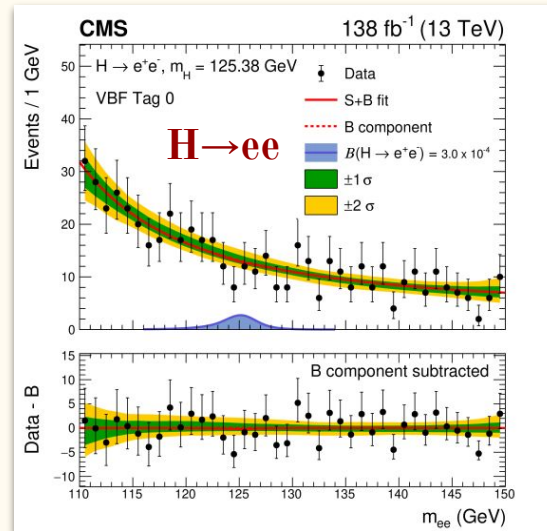
J. Cuevas



CMS boosted $H \rightarrow \tau\tau$:
Look for $p_T(H) > 250$ GeV
3.5 σ (expt. 2.2 σ)



$H \rightarrow c\bar{c}$: via VH production;
upper limit is still 14 or 26
times to the SM prediction.



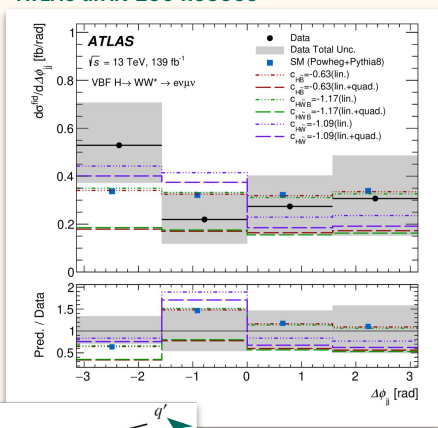
$H \rightarrow ee$: not accessible for SM
but look for BSM effects.
Limit on BF = 3.0-3.6 $\times 10^{-4}$

SM Higgs: much more than rates!

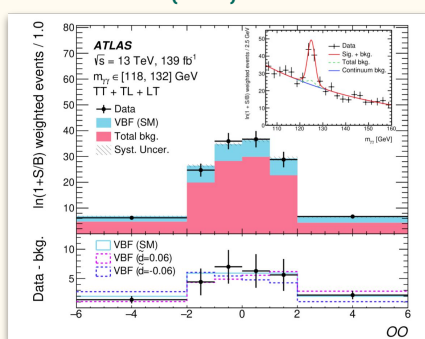
Study CPV effect in Higgs sector \Rightarrow measure CP-sensitive shapes: angles, optimal observables, matrix elements, etc.

M. Llácer

ATLAS arXiv:2304.03053



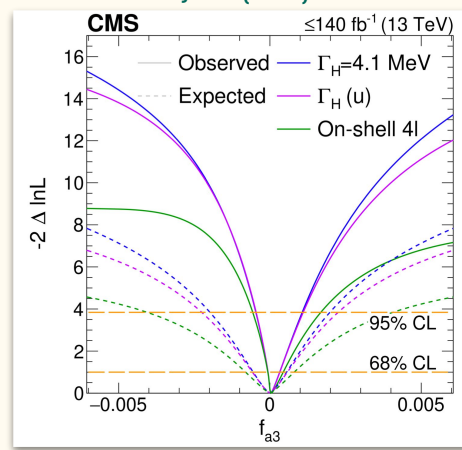
ATLAS PRL 131 (2023) 061802



Matrix element-based optimal observables (OO)

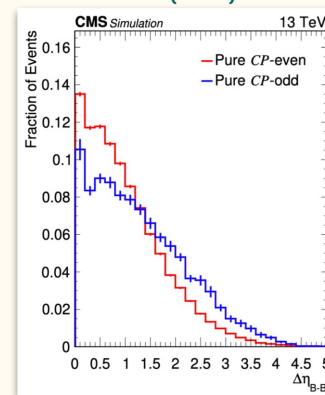
$$OO = \frac{2 \Re(\mathcal{M}_{SM}^* \mathcal{M}_{CP-odd})}{|\mathcal{M}_{SM}|^2}$$

CMS Nature Phys. 18 (2022) 1329



Studies based on matrix elements discriminants, scan over couplings.

CMS JHEP 07 (2023) 092



Use MVA to enhance the discrimination between CP states.

Purely CP-odd fermionic and bosonic Higgs couplings already excluded, but admixtures still possible

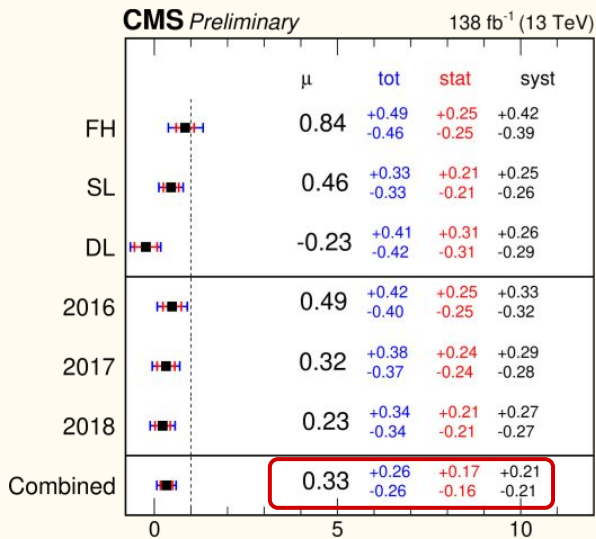
Rare productions & Rare decays

Adding more flavours!
Still need much more data!

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CMS PAS HIG-19-011

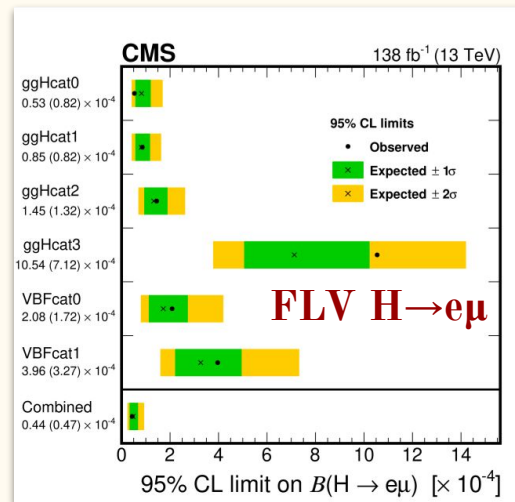
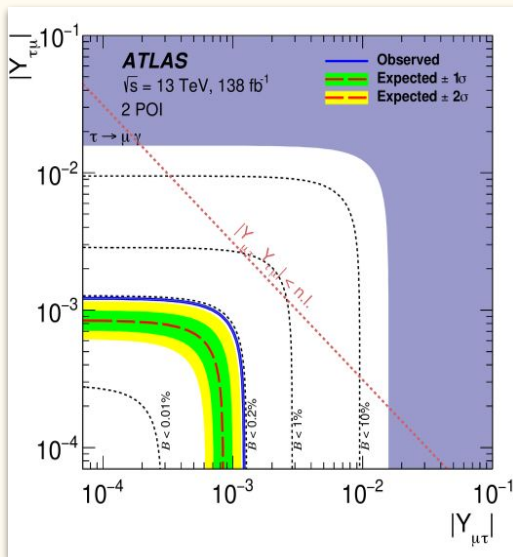
CMS new $t\bar{t}H(bb)$: low signal strength
 $\mu = 0.33 \pm 0.26, 1.3\sigma$ (expt. 4.1σ)



But agree with ATLAS:
 $\mu = 0.35 +0.36/-0.34$

$$\hat{\mu} = \hat{\sigma} / \sigma_{SM}$$

JHEP 06 (2022) 97



Searches for LFV Higgs, no hint so far / agree with SM-only:
 ATLAS $BF(H \rightarrow e\tau) < 0.20\%$, $BF(H \rightarrow \mu\tau) < 0.18\%$, $BF(H \rightarrow e\mu) < 6.2 \times 10^{-5}$,
 CMS $BF(H \rightarrow e\tau) < 0.22\%$, $BF(H \rightarrow \mu\tau) < 0.15\%$, $BF(H \rightarrow e\mu) < 4.4 \times 10^{-5}$.

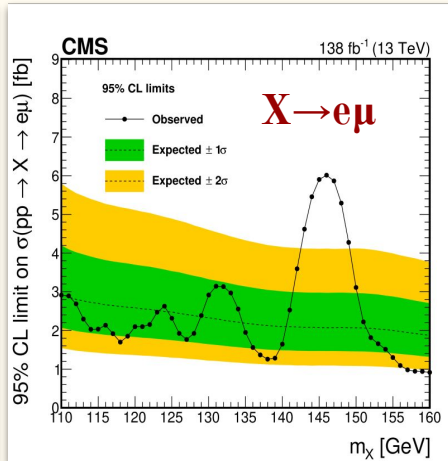
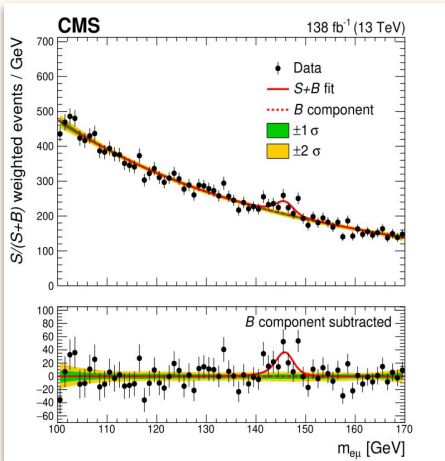
ATLAS, JHEP 07 (2023) 166, PLB 801 (2020) 135148
 CMS, PRD 104 (2021) 032013, arXiv:2305.18106

...but wait!

Extend the mass window?

If go beyond H(125)...

CMS arXiv:2305.18106

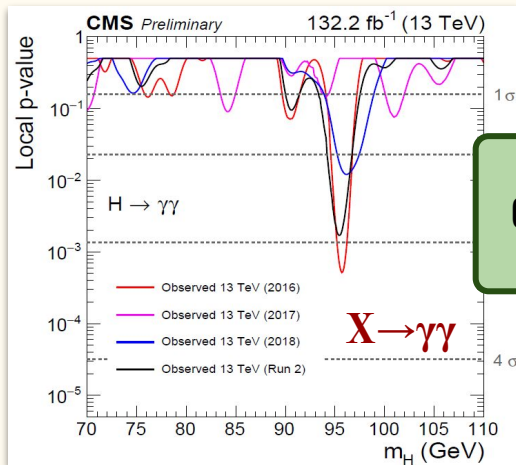


CMS see an excess of $H \rightarrow e\mu$ at 146 GeV,
3.8 σ local (2.8 σ global)

- \rightarrow ATLAS did not scan different masses yet!
- \rightarrow Not the only excess!

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Also low mass diphoton?



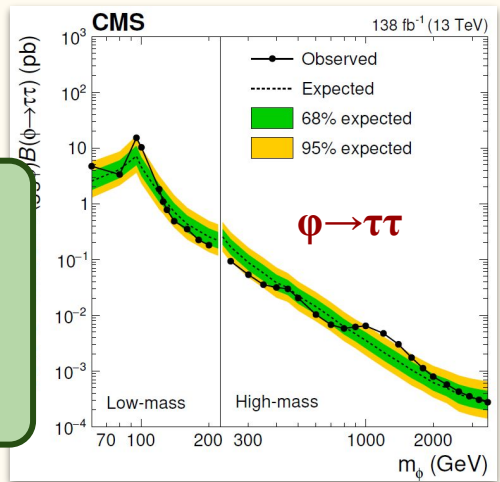
CMS-PAS-HIG-20-002
ATLAS-CONF-2023-035

For $M(\gamma\gamma) = 95.4$ GeV
CMS: 2.8 σ local (1.3 σ global)
ATLAS: 1.7 σ local

CMS JHEP 07(2023)073
ATLAS PRL 125 (2020) 051801

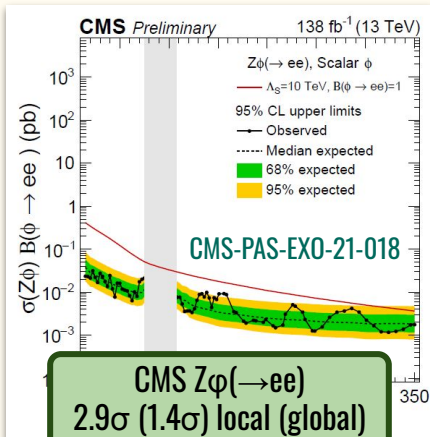
CMS:
3.1 σ (2.7 σ) local (global)
@ 100 GeV
2.8 σ (2.2 σ) local (global)
@ 1.2 TeV
ATLAS: no excess

Di-tau events?

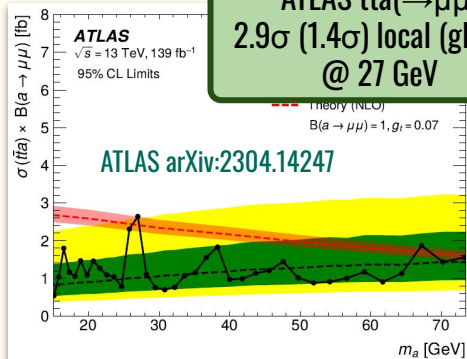


Excess everywhere?

Many searches in extended Higgs sector too!

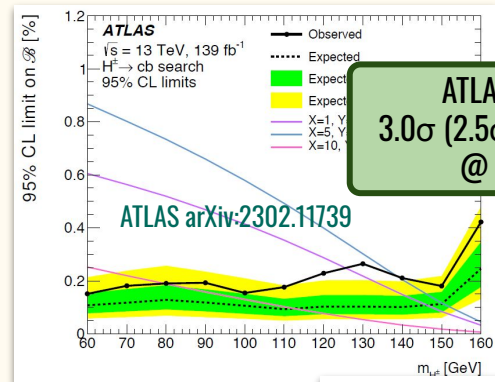
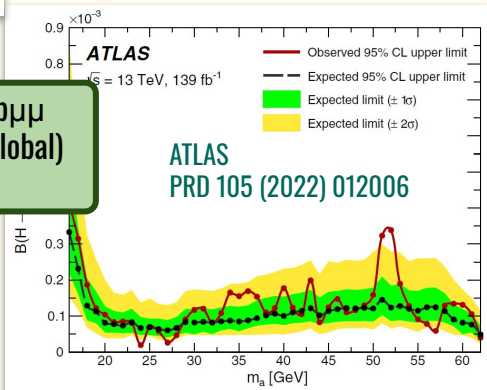


CMS $Z\phi(\rightarrow ee)$
 2.9σ (1.4σ) local (global)
 @ 156 GeV



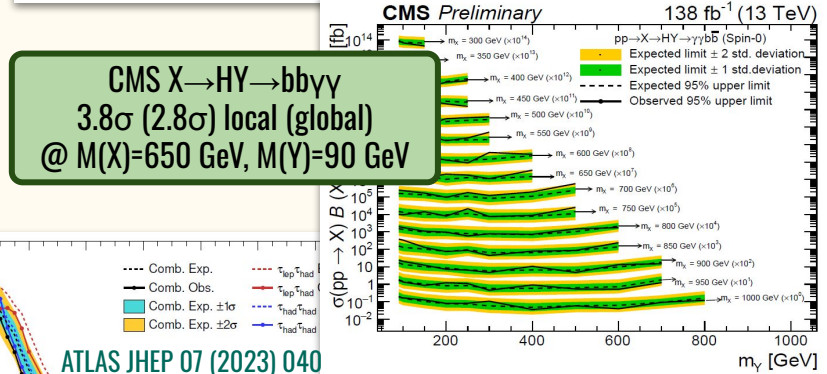
ATLAS $t\bar{t}a(\rightarrow \mu\mu)$
 2.9σ (1.4σ) local (global)
 @ 27 GeV

ATLAS $H \rightarrow aa \rightarrow bb\mu\mu$
 3.3σ (1.7σ) local (global)
 @ 52 GeV

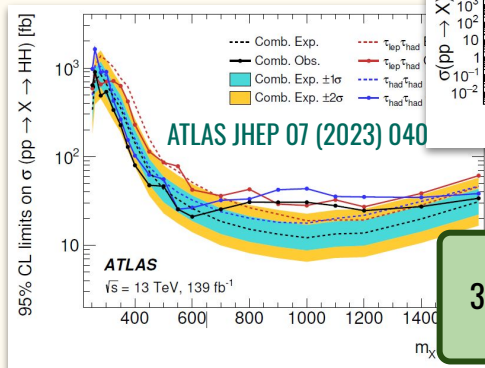


ATLAS $H^{\pm} \rightarrow cb$
 3.0σ (2.5σ) local (global)
 @ 130 GeV

J. Tao



CMS $X \rightarrow HY \rightarrow bbyy$
 3.8σ (2.8σ) local (global)
 @ $M(X)=650 \text{ GeV}, M(Y)=90 \text{ GeV}$

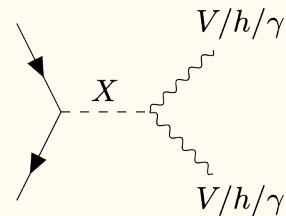


ATLAS $X \rightarrow HH \rightarrow bb\tau\tau$
 3.1σ (2.0σ) local (global)
 @ $M(X)=1 \text{ TeV}$

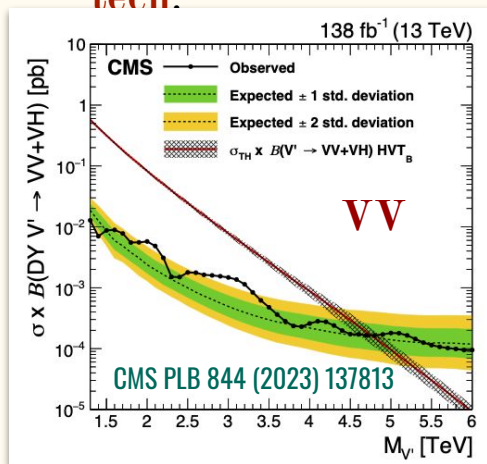
Many (mild) excesses!
 Far too early to claim NP,
 Stay tuned!

Heavy resonances to bosons

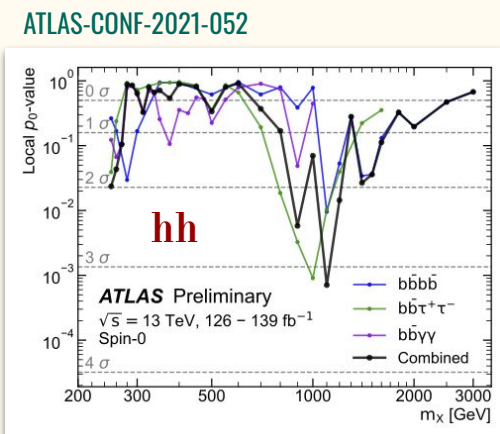
Straightforward prob to NP



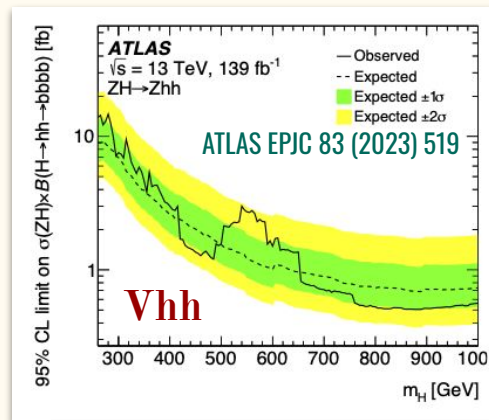
- Look for $VV/Vh/hh$ (or even more bosons!) final state, interpreted with Randall-Sundrum radion / Georgi-Machacek / Heavy vector triplet / RS graviton.
- Including boosted boson reconstruction (a.k.a. jet substructure), with **advanced ML tech.**



CMS VV/Vh → qq̄q̄/q̄q̄bb
 as a generic search
 Mild excess 2.3σ at 2.1/2.9 TeV



ATLAS hh → b̄b̄b̄b̄/b̄b̄ττ/b̄b̄γγ
 Excess in combined analysis:
 3.2σ local (2.1σ global) at 1.1 TeV



ATLAS Vhh → qq̄qq̄/ℓνqq̄qq̄
 Excess in ZH: 2.7σ local (1.4σ global) at 550 GeV
 Excess in AZH:
 Large wid. 3.8σ local (3.0σ global) at H(320)/A(420)
 Narrow wid. 3.6σ local (1.4σ global) at H(300)/A(800)

Also γγ resonance, mentioned earlier!

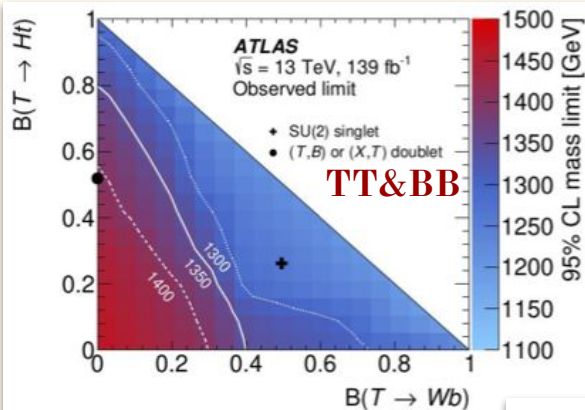
R. Les

Mass limit 4-5 TeV but several excesses exist - wait for further examination!

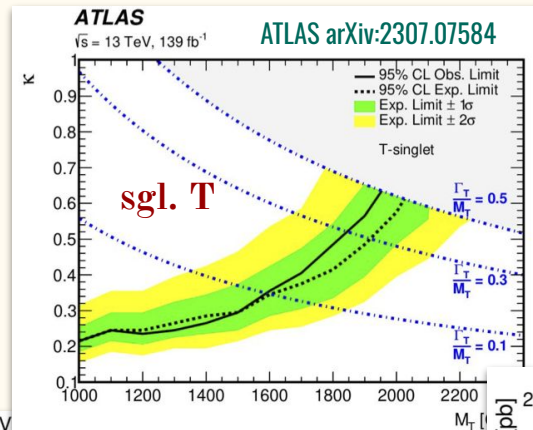
Vector-like quarks

- Mandatory to look for more quarks (T/B/X/Y) too!
- **Pair** (model indep. prod) & **single** (good for heavier) productions.
- Decaying to **qW** or **qZ** or **qH**.

ATLAS arXiv:2212.05263

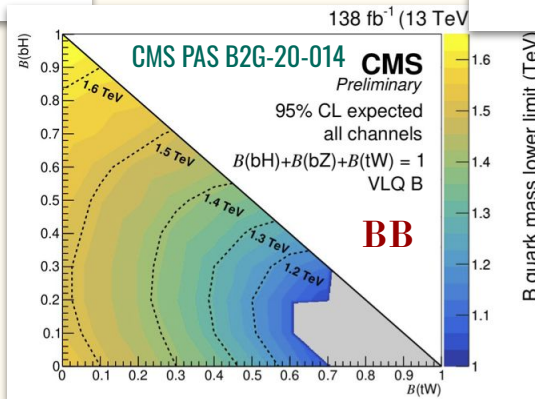


ATLAS TT & BB,
 lepton+jets search
 mass limits
 1.26-1.59 TeV
 (depends on both
 prod. & decay
 model)

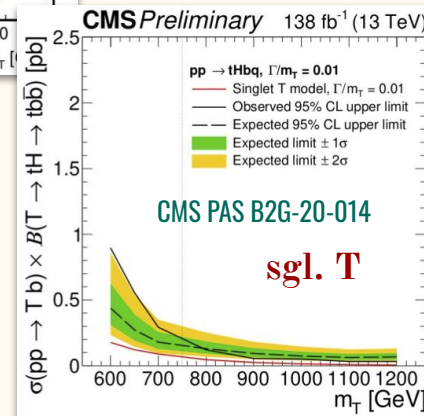


ATLAS single T
 multilepton search,
 Strongest limit
 reaches 1.98 TeV,
 wide width (50%).

CMS BB,
 Hadronic+leptonic
 categories combined;
 Mass limit = 1.54 TeV if
 100% B->bZ



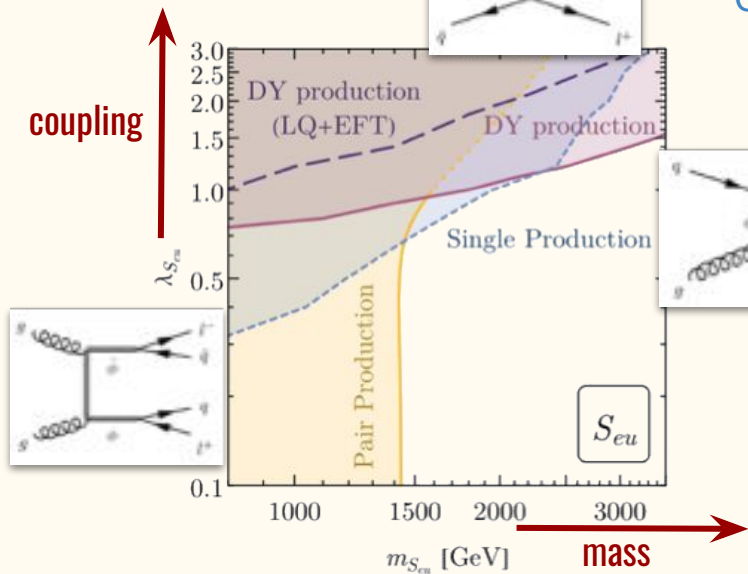
CMS single T→Ht,
 Excess in
 1909.04721 not
 confirmed with larger
 data.



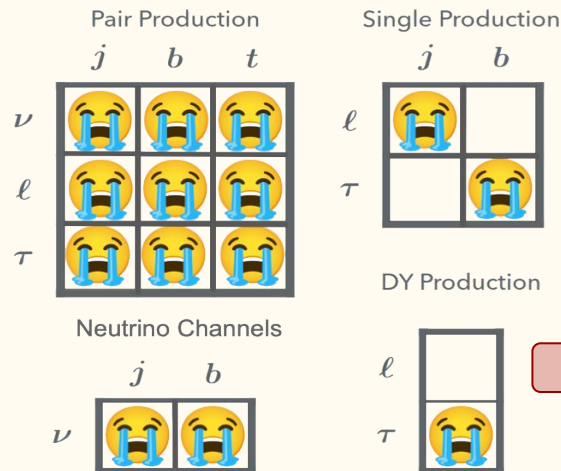
Much stronger Limits!

Leptoquarks

Best scenario depends on coupling and mass.

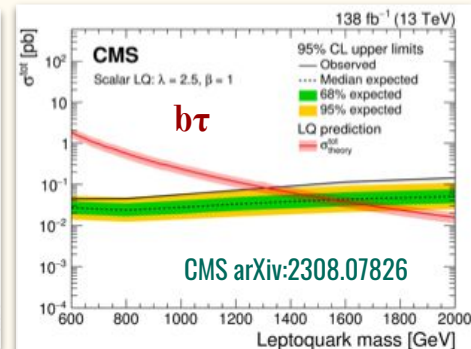
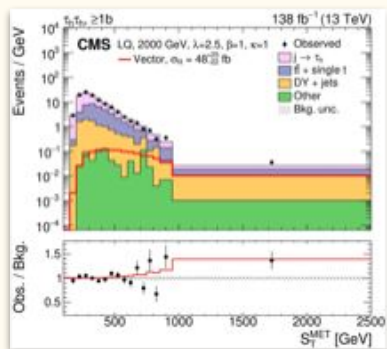


Many combinations within a certain (m, λ) range have been excluded by ATLAS & CMS direct searches



...there is an excess too!

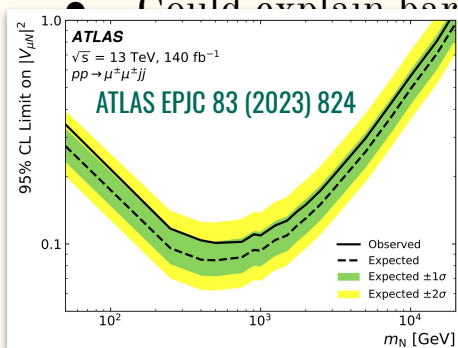
CMS LQ → bτ
2.8σ with $\lambda=2.5, M_{LQ} \sim 2$ TeV
Not seen by ATLAS



- Classification by final state objects;
- Exploit “mixed” final states too!

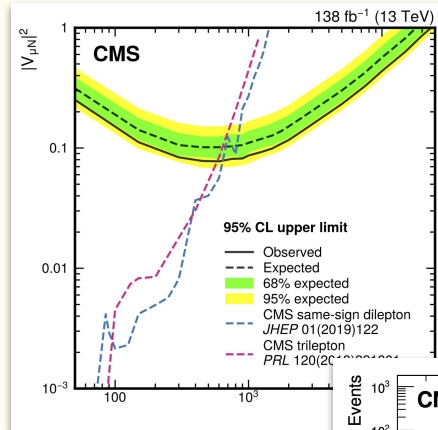
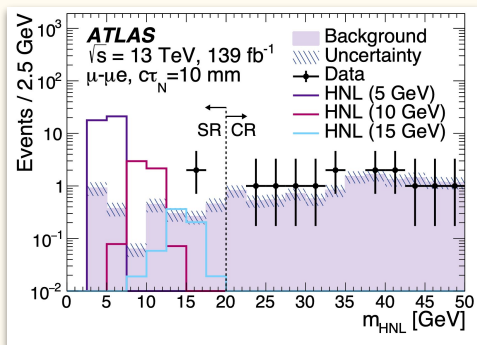
Heavy neutrinos

- Motivated by seesaw mechanism and other BSM, extend SM to include heavy neutrinos.
- Could be **long-lived**; can fix flavours.
- Could explain baryogenesis, DM, $g-2$, ...



Majorana neutrinos in same-sign WW scattering

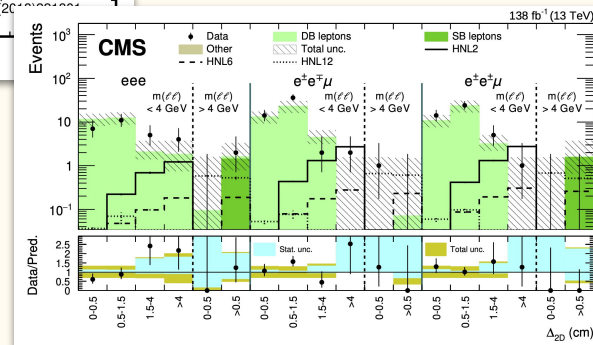
HNLs in W decays with a di-lepton displaced vertex
 ATLAS PRL 131 (2023) 061803



CMS PRL 131 (2023) 011803

Heavy Majorana Neutrinos and the Weinberg Operator through VBF

Long-lived HNL in 3/final state



CMS JHEP 07 (2022) 081

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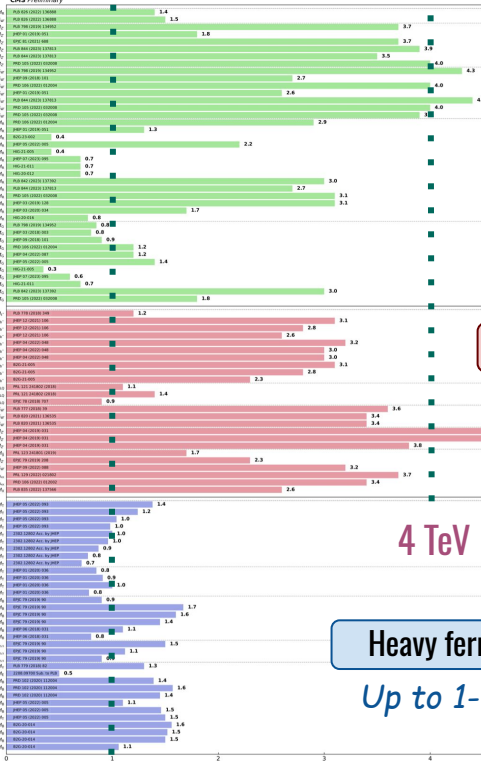
...and many many others!

Many experimental signatures examined:
 VBF, displaced vertices, displaced jet taggers, resolved/boosted jets. etc.
 Still plenty of phase-space to be explored, e.g. 3rd generation, flavour mixing, larger displacement...

Summary of direct searches

Limits depends on model assumptions & analyses.

Overview of CMS B2G Results



August 2023
36 - 139 fb⁻¹ (13 TeV)

Diboson res.
Up to 4-5 TeV

Z'/W/LQ/Q*

4 TeV

Heavy fermions
Up to 1-1.5 TeV

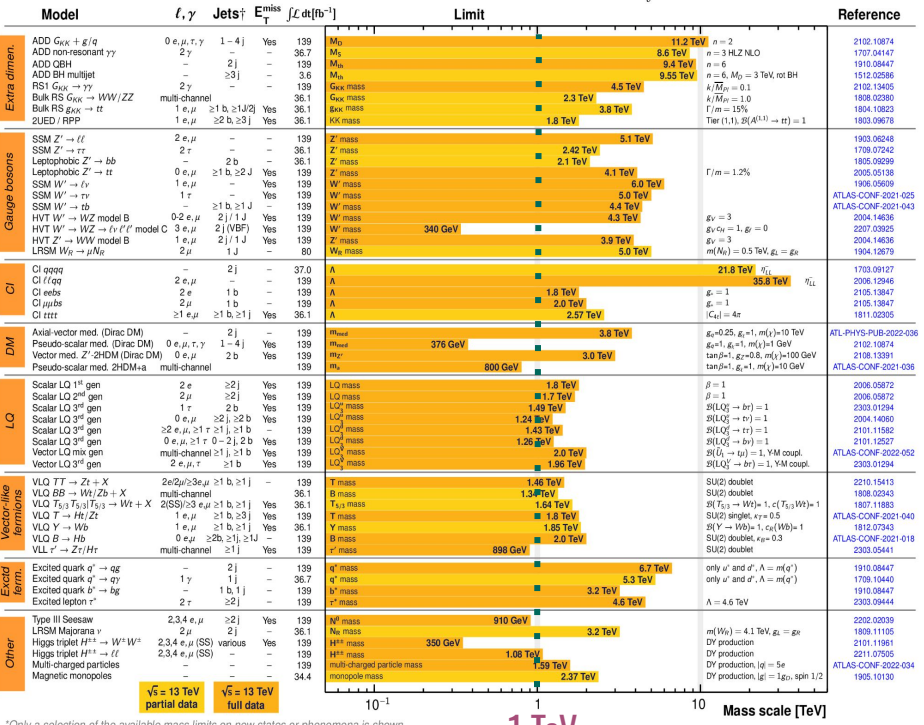
1 TeV

Lower mass limit at 95% CL TeV

ATLAS Heavy Particle Searches* - 95% CL Upper Exclusion Limits

Status: March 2023

ATLAS Preliminary
 $\int \mathcal{L} dt = (36 - 139) \text{ fb}^{-1}$
 $\sqrt{s} = 13 \text{ TeV}$



*Only a selection of the available mass limits on new states or phenomena is shown.

†Small-radius (large-radius) jets are denoted by the letter | (J).

1 TeV

End of Camino



- **High p_T studies do have strong impacts to CKM:**
 - Direct & indirect probe of the BSM.
 - Complementary to low energy measurements – overconstrain the CKM picture!
- **LHC experiments provide numerous inputs to the community:**
 - Top itself plays a key role in flavor physics & Higgs physics!
 - CKM interpretation from single-top t-channel;
 - Precision measurements of top & Higgs as backbone of SM.
 - Indirect probe of NP at very high scale via FCNC and anomalous couplings.
 - Many direct searches of new bosons, new quarks, new leptons...

Interesting excess here and there \Rightarrow to be verified with Run-3 and future HL-LHC runs!

BACKUP SLIDES

