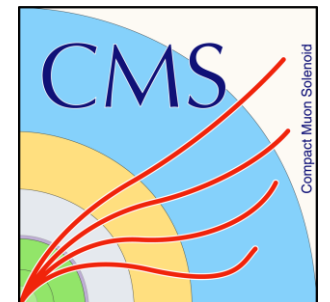


Electroweak measurements with high statistics LHC data

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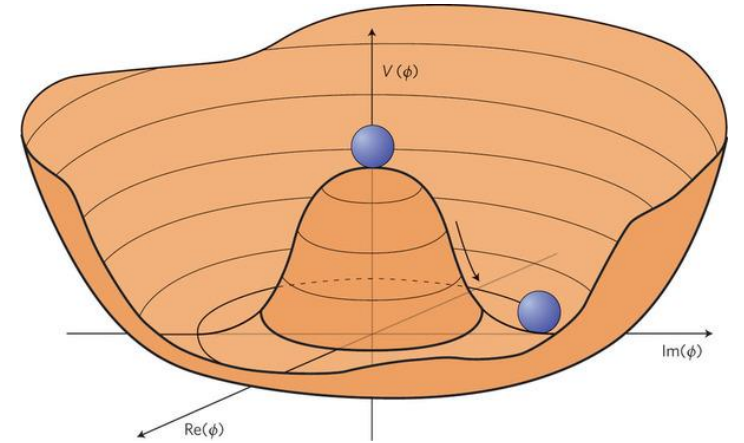


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Electroweak symmetry breaking

- Electroweak symmetry breaking (EWSB) has several phenomenological implications
 - Higgs particle and gauge boson masses (m_W, m_Z)
 - Interactions of gauge bosons ($\bar{\Psi}V_\mu\Psi, VVV, VVVV, VVH$)
 - Fermion masses and Yukawa couplings to Higgs particle
- Measurements of these properties to confirm the validity of the Standard Model (SM) are important to understand the physics at the TeV scale
 - Deviations in any of these properties would require an extension to the SM, in particular the origin of EWSB



$$V(\Phi) = -\mu^2|\Phi| + \lambda|\Phi|^2$$

Vector boson scattering

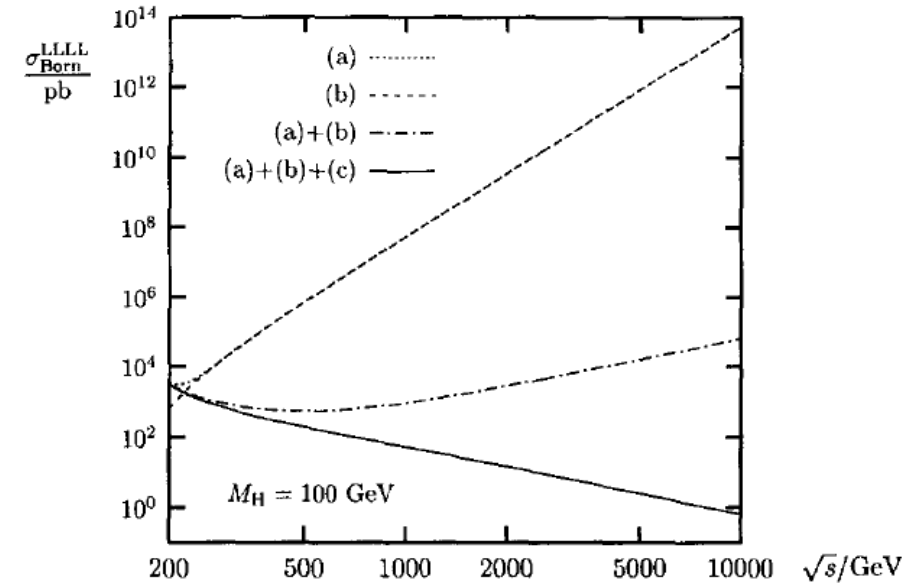
- The EW vector boson scattering (VBS) is an essential tool to probe the origin of EWSB
 - Longitudinally polarized vector boson scattering amplitudes are kept finite by the contribution of the Higgs boson
 - Longitudinal components of W^\pm, Z^0 bosons originate from the components of the Higgs doublet field
- Measurement of the longitudinally polarized VBS is an important program at the LHC
- Effects of physics beyond the SM (BSM) can be incorporated in Effective Field Theory (EFT) framework

$$\mathcal{L}_{SM} \rightarrow \mathcal{L}_{SM} + \underbrace{\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{c_i^{(6)}}{\Lambda^2} O_i^{(6)}}_{\text{diboson production}} + \underbrace{\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{c_i^{(8)}}{\Lambda^2} O_i^{(8)}}_{\text{EW diboson production (VBS)}} + \dots$$

diboson production \longrightarrow

\longleftarrow EW diboson production (VBS)

A. Denner, T. Hahn, Nucl. Phys. B525 (1998) 27-50

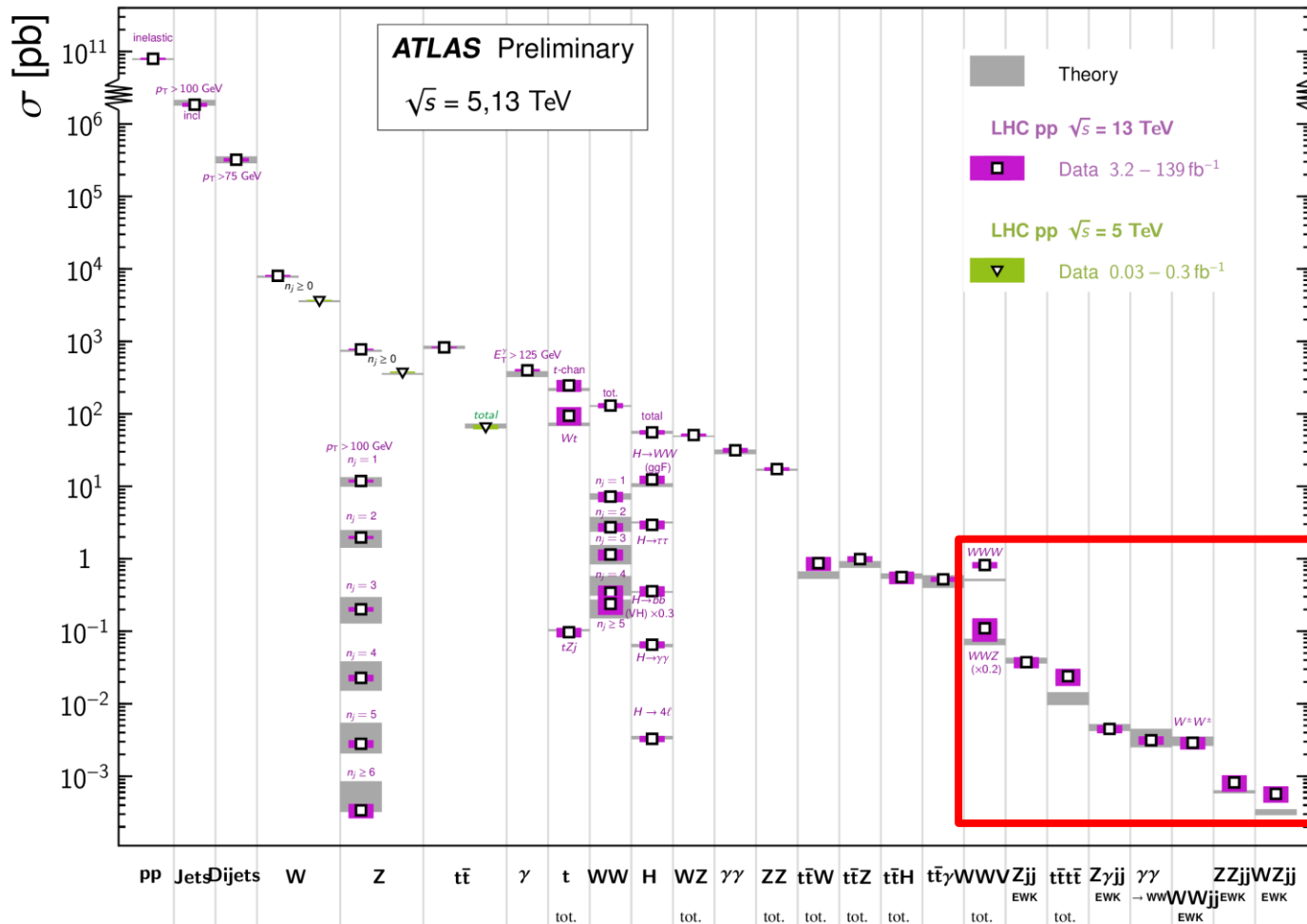


- (a) 3-point gauge couplings
- (b) 4-point gauge couplings
- (c) couplings involving the Higgs

Precise measurements at the LHC

Standard Model Production Cross Section Measurements

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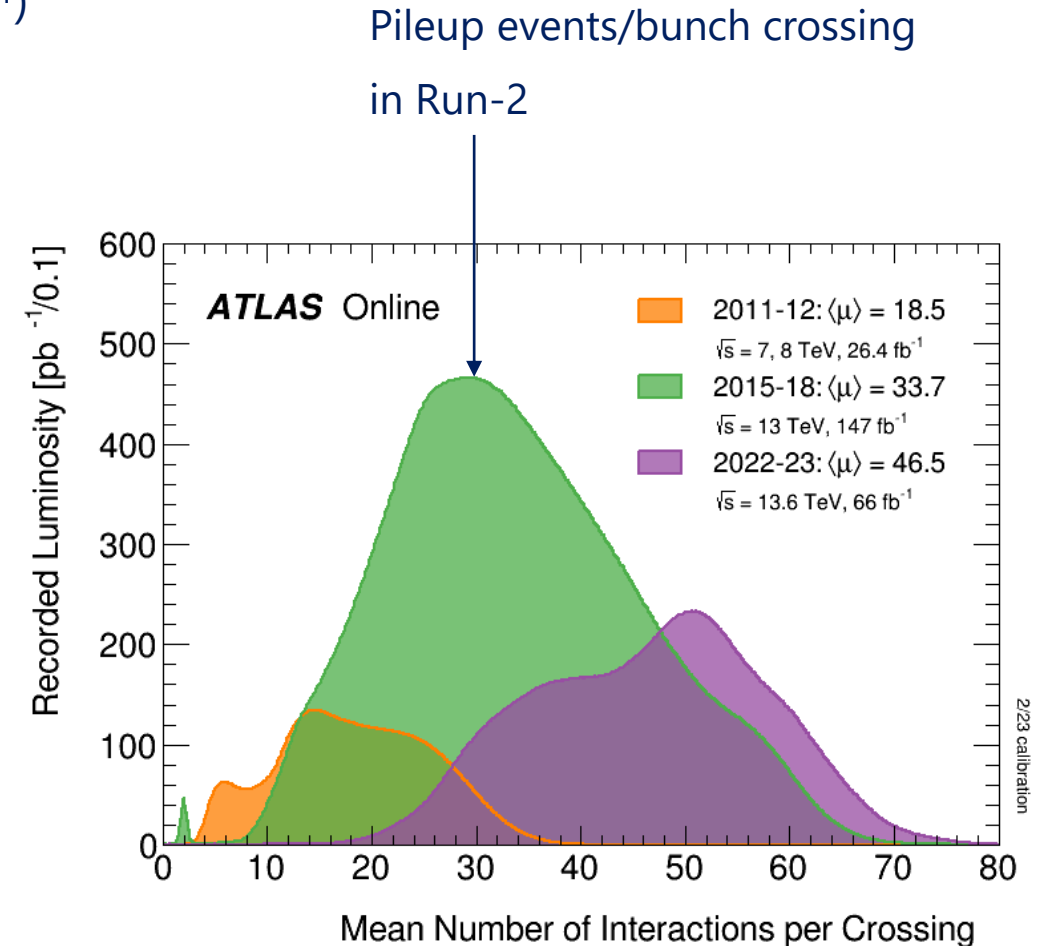
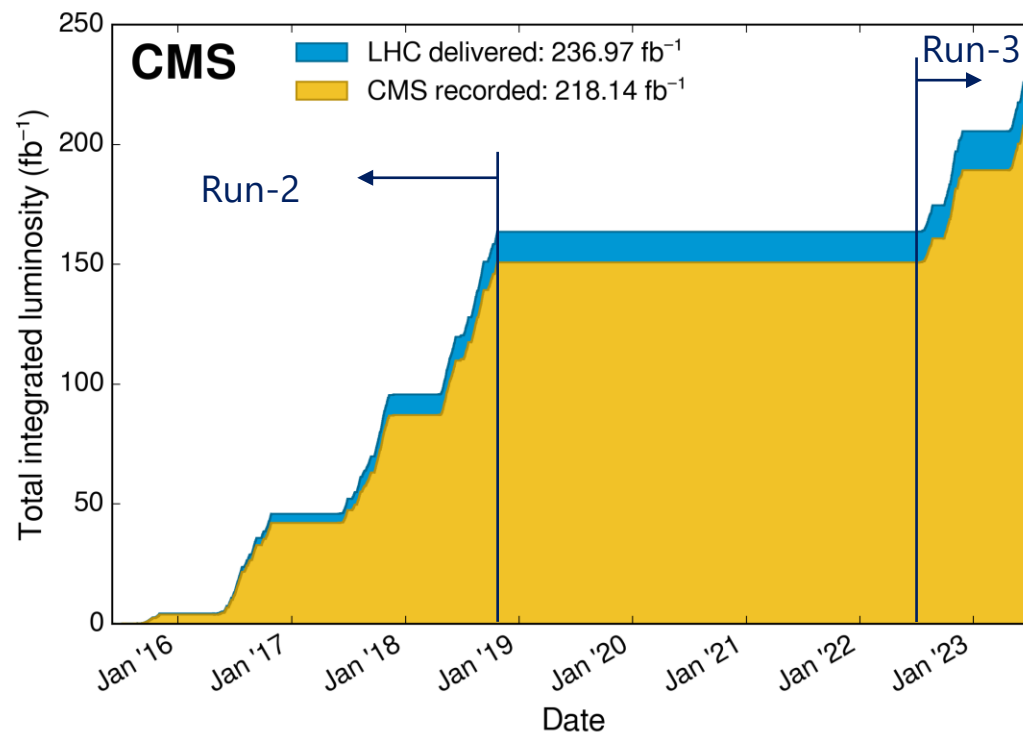
A large number of QCD/EW processes have been measured at the LHC with remarkable agreement with the Standard Model (SM) predictions over many orders of magnitude

- Vector boson scattering (VBS) processes
 - Triboson production
- Sensitive to 3-, 4-point gauge couplings

ATLAS and CMS experiments

Proton-proton collisions at the LHC started since 2010

- Run-1 (2010 – 2012): $\sqrt{s} = 7 \text{ TeV}$ (5 fb^{-1}), $\sqrt{s} = 8 \text{ TeV}$ (25 fb^{-1})
- Run-2 (2015 – 2018): $\sqrt{s} = 13 \text{ TeV}$ (140 fb^{-1})
- Run-3 (2022 –): $\sqrt{s} = 13.6 \text{ TeV}$ (65 fb^{-1})



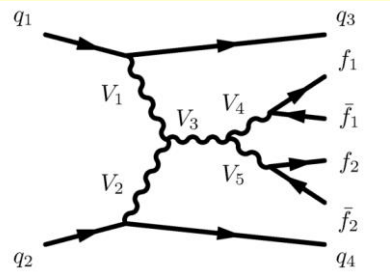
List of VBS results with full Run-2 data

Process	ATLAS	CMS
same-sign $WW+jj$ $ssWW(\rightarrow \tau\nu)+jj$	ATLAS-CONF-2023-023	Phys. Lett. B 812 (2020) 136018 CMS-PAS-SMP-22-008
opposite-sign $WW(2l2\nu)+jj$	ATLAS-CONF-2023-039	Phys. Lett. B 841 (2023) 137495
$ZZ(4l)+jj$ $ZZ(2l2\nu)+jj$	arXiv:2308.12324 Nat. Phys. 19, 237-253 (2023)	Phys. Lett. B 812 (2021) 135992
$W\gamma+jj$		Phys. Rev. D 108 (2023) 032017
$Z(2l)\gamma+jj$ $Z(2\nu)\gamma+jj$	arXiv:2305.19142 JHEP 06 (2023) 082	Phys. Rev. D 104 (2021) 072001
$WV+jj$ semileptonic		Phys. Lett. B 834 (2022) 137438
$WW+WZ$ combination	ATLAS-PHYS-PUB-2023-002	
$\gamma\gamma \rightarrow WW$	Phys. Lett. B 816 (2021) 136190	
$\gamma\gamma \rightarrow VV$ fully hadronic		JHEP 07 (2023) 229

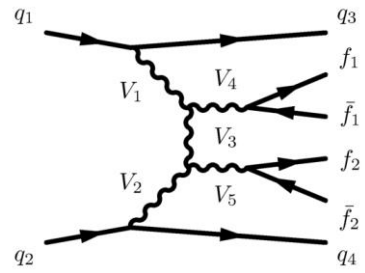
List of triboson results

Process	ATLAS	CMS
$W\gamma\gamma$	arXiv:2308.03041	JHEP 10 (2021) 174
$Z\gamma\gamma$	Eur. Phys. J C 83 (2023) 539	
$WW\gamma$ $WZ\gamma$	arXiv:2305.16994	Phys. Rev. D 90 (2014) 032008
WWW	Phys. Rev. Lett. 129 (2022) 061803	Phys. Rev. Lett. 125 (2020) 151802
VVV (multi-leptons)		

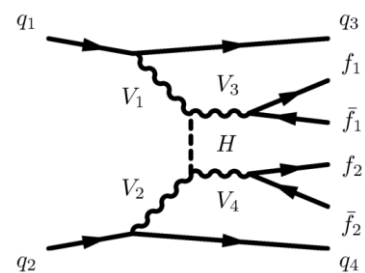
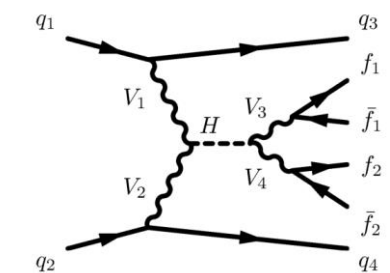
VBS diagrams



Triple gauge couplings (TGC)



Quartic gauge couplings (QGC)

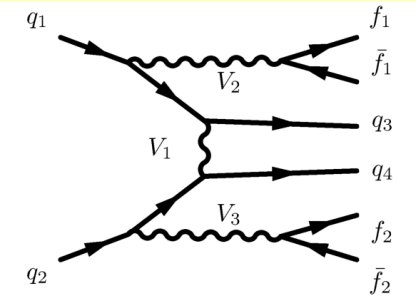
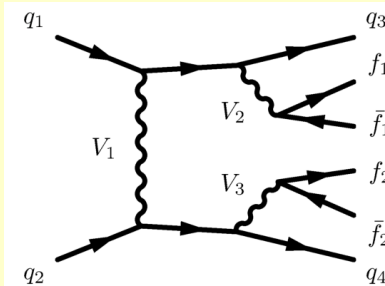


Higgs couplings

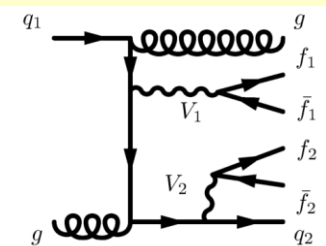
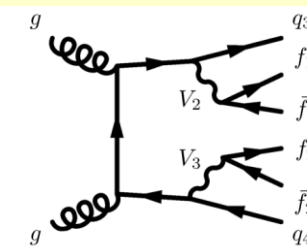
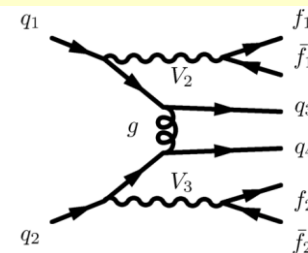
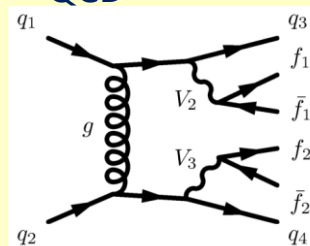
$$pp \rightarrow VV + jj \rightarrow (f\bar{f})(f\bar{f}) + jj$$

Non-VBS diagrams

EW



QCD



VBS diagrams

Final states with the decay products of the bosons and **two forward jets** are used to enhance VBS-type contributions

Same-sign WW production by ATLAS

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- Same-sign $W^\pm W^\pm$ is the most efficient channel to suppress the QCD production of VV initiated by quarks and gluons
- Largest systematics:
 - modelling of QCD correction to EW W^+W^-jj

$$pp \rightarrow W^\pm W^\pm + jj \rightarrow l^\pm l^\pm \nu\nu + jj$$

Event selection

Exactly two signal leptons with $p_T > 27 \text{ GeV}$ and the same electric charge with $|\eta| < 2.5$ for muons and with $|\eta| < 2.47$ excluding $1.37 \leq |\eta| \leq 1.52$ for electrons with $|\eta| < 1.37$ in the ee channel

$m_{\ell\ell'} \geq 20 \text{ GeV}$
 3rd lepton veto
 $|m_{ee} - m_Z| > 15 \text{ GeV}$ in the ee -channel

$E_T^{\text{miss}} \geq 30 \text{ GeV}$

At least two jets
 Leading and subleading jets satisfying $p_T > 65 \text{ GeV}$ and $p_T > 35 \text{ GeV}$, respectively
 b -jet veto for jets with $p_T > 20 \text{ GeV}$ and $|\eta| < 2.5$
 $m_{jj} \geq 500 \text{ GeV}$
 $|\Delta y_{jj}| > 2$

Process	Pre-fit yield	Post-fit yield
$W^\pm W^\pm jj$ EW	235 ± 27	278 ± 30
$W^\pm W^\pm jj$ QCD	24 ± 6	27 ± 7
$W^\pm W^\pm jj$ Int	7.6 ± 0.6	8.1 ± 0.7
$W^\pm Zjj$	98 ± 11	71 ± 8
Non-prompt	56 ± 11	55 ± 11
$V\gamma$	11 ± 4	13 ± 5
Charge misid.	10.1 ± 3.4	11.0 ± 3.5
Other prompt	7.1 ± 2.4	6.7 ± 1.9
Total Expected	448 ± 34	470 ± 40
Data		475

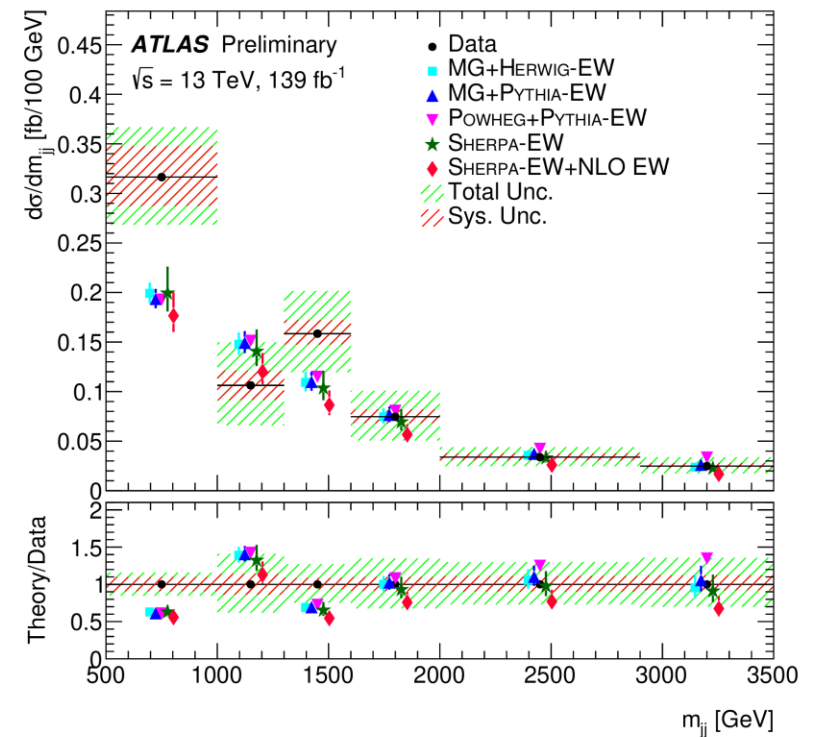
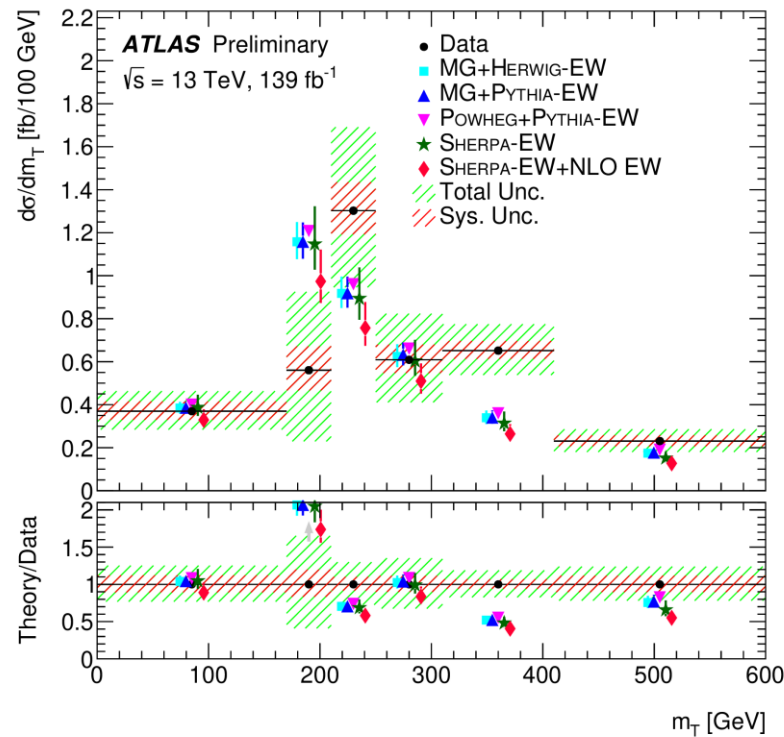
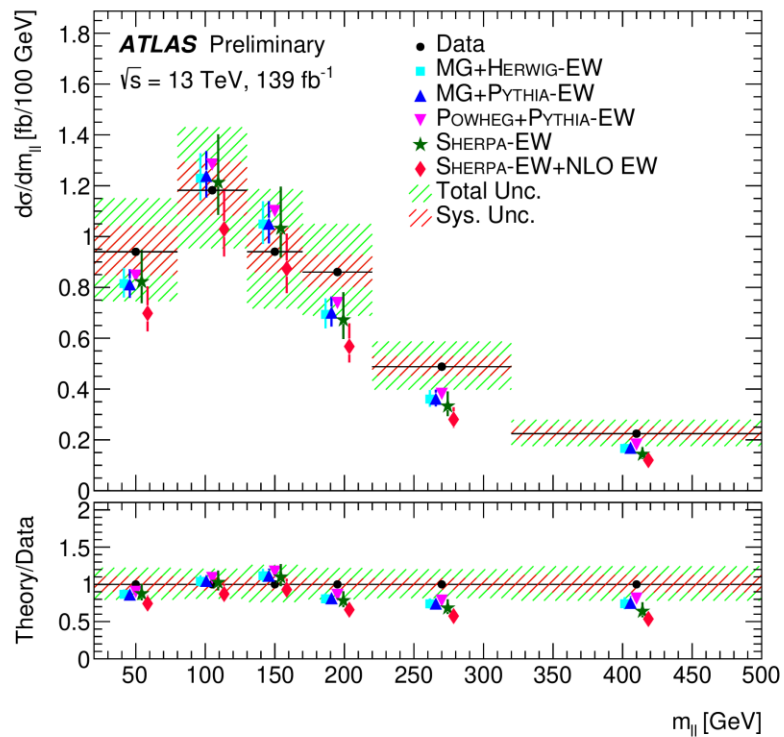
Fiducial cross section

$$\sigma_{\text{fid}}^{\text{EW}} = 2.88 \pm 0.21(\text{stat.}) \pm 0.19(\text{syst.}) \text{ fb}$$

Same-sign WW differential cross sections

- Extracted the differential cross sections vs. $m_{ll}, m_T, m_{jj}, N_{\text{gap jets}}, \xi_{j3}$
- Good agreements with SM predictions in general (MG+Herwig, MG+Pythia, Sherpa (NLO))
 - Some mismodelling in the cross section against m_T
 - Data tend to underestimate the predictions and the NLO calculation gives slightly lower predictions to others

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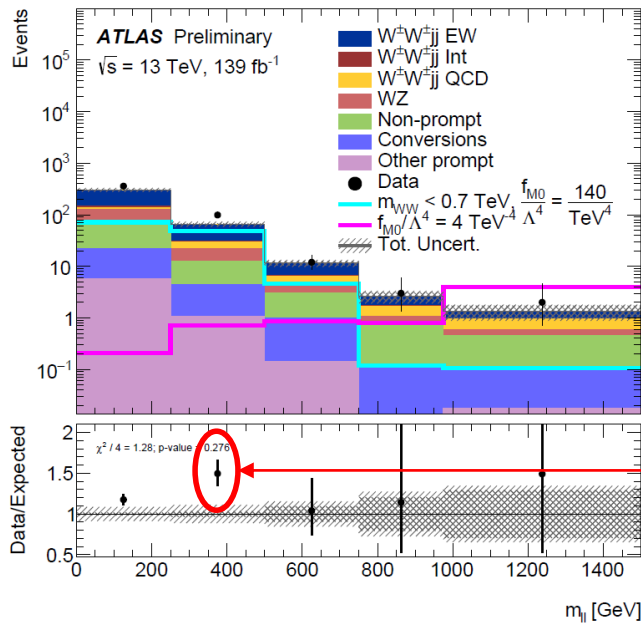


EFT interpretation of the same-sign WW results

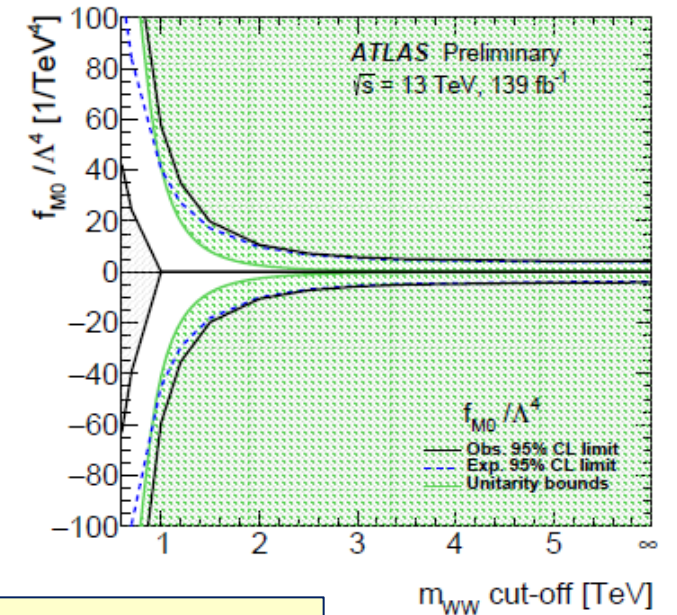
Same-sign WW cross sections are used to constrain the dimension-8 operator coefficients

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{eff}} = \mathcal{L}_{\text{SM}} + \sum_i \frac{f_i^{(6)}}{\Lambda^2} O_i^{(6)} + \sum_j \frac{f_j^{(8)}}{\Lambda^4} O_j^{(8)} + \dots$$

- Dimension-8 operators (Eboli model):
- Scalar terms (only Φ)
 - Tensor terms (only $W^{\mu\nu}$ and $B^{\mu\nu}$)
 - Mixed terms (mix of Φ , $W^{\mu\nu}$ and $B^{\mu\nu}$)



- Fit the m_{ll} distribution with the EFT model with 1 or 2 free parameter(s) at a time
- Limits are extracted by evaluating both the experimental limits and the theoretical unitarity bounds
- Excess of events at $m_{ll} \sim 400$ GeV makes the fit favor $|f_i/\Lambda^2| > 0$

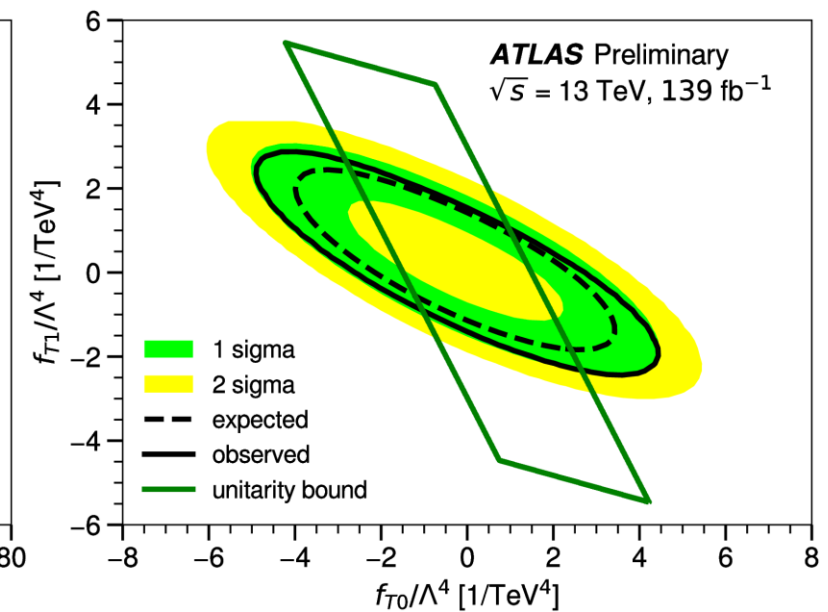
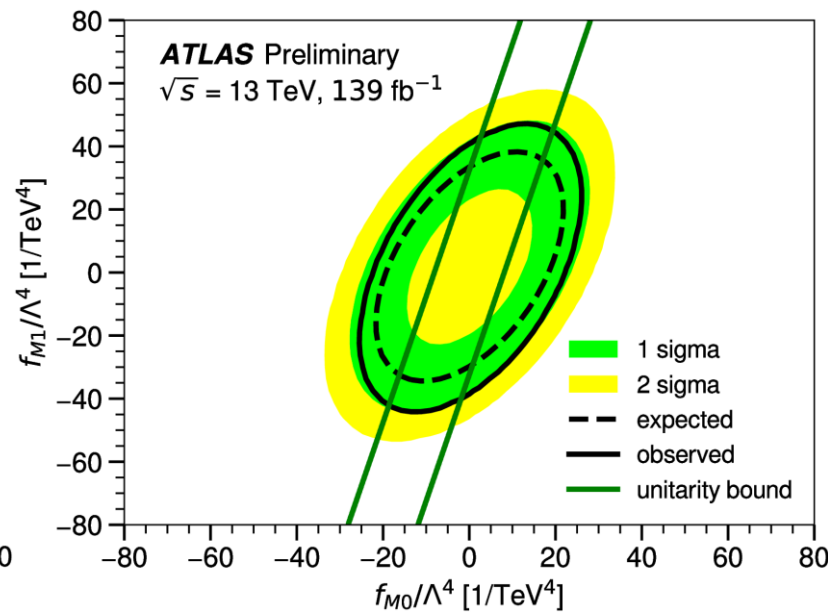
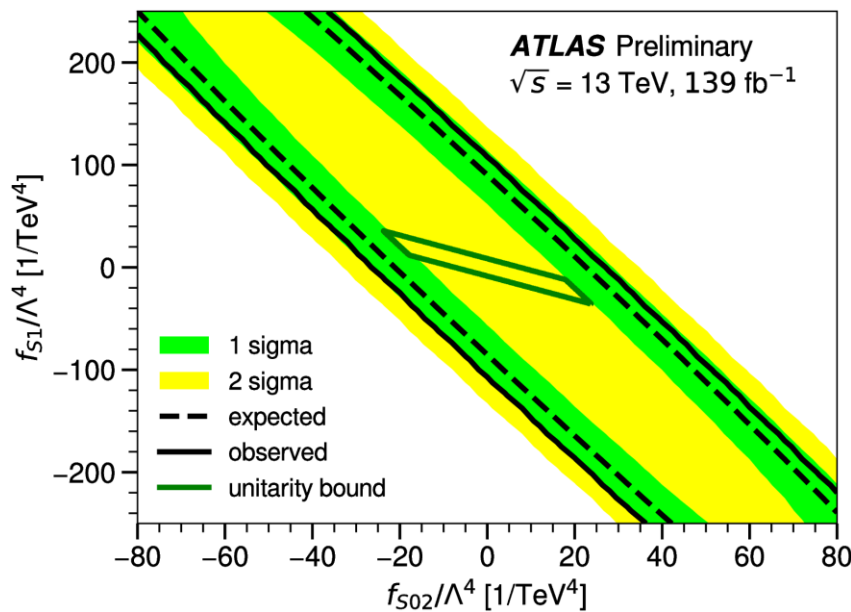


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Limits on the EFT coefficients

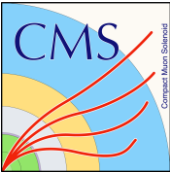
- Limits on the dimension-8 coefficients (f_i/Λ^2) at 95% C.L. are obtained and correlations of pair in the same type are shown (SM value is at the origin)
- The effect of the unitarization are also shown

Cut-off scale: 1.5 TeV



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Same-sign WW measurement by CMS

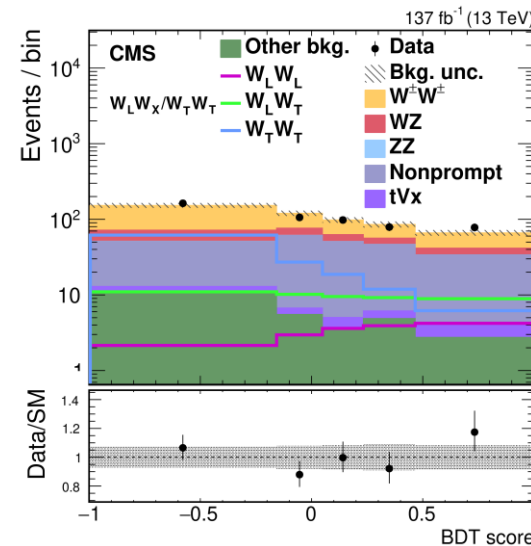
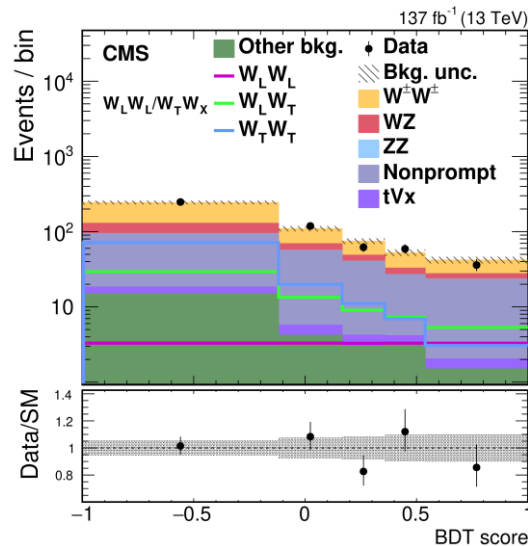
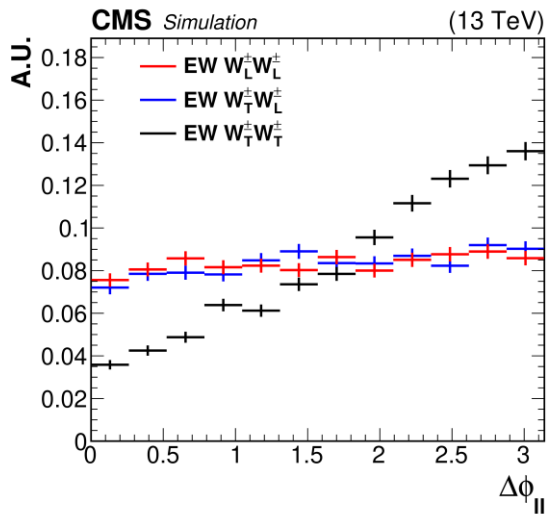


- $W^\pm W^\pm + jj \rightarrow l^\pm l^\pm \nu\nu + jj$ mode
- Use a Boosted Decision Tree (BDT) to separate
 - $W_L W_L$ against $W_T W_X$ or
 - $W_L W_X$ against $W_T W_T$
- Cross sections for each polarization combination are extracted

Variables used in the BDT:

- $m_{jj}, |\Delta\eta_{jj}|, \Delta\phi_{jj}, \Delta\phi_{ll}, p_T^l, p_T^{miss}$
- p_T of the leading/subleading jet or lepton
- $z_{l_1}^*, z_{l_2}^*$: Zeppenfeld variables for the leptons

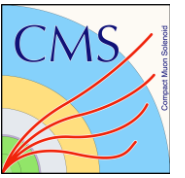
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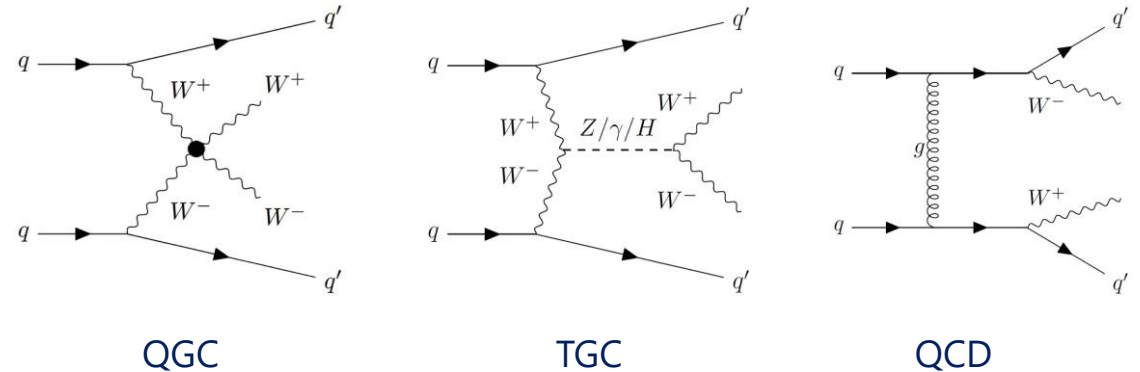
- Cross sections for each polarization combination
- Still large uncertainty for $W_L^\pm W_L^\pm$
- Helicity eigenstates are defined in the WW center-of-mass frame

Process	$\sigma \mathcal{B}$ (fb)	Theoretical prediction (fb)
$W_L^\pm W_L^\pm$	$0.32^{+0.42}_{-0.40}$	0.44 ± 0.05
$W_X^\pm W_T^\pm$	$3.06^{+0.51}_{-0.48}$	3.13 ± 0.35
$W_L^\pm W_X^\pm$	$1.20^{+0.56}_{-0.53}$	1.63 ± 0.18
$W_T^\pm W_T^\pm$	$2.11^{+0.49}_{-0.47}$	1.94 ± 0.21

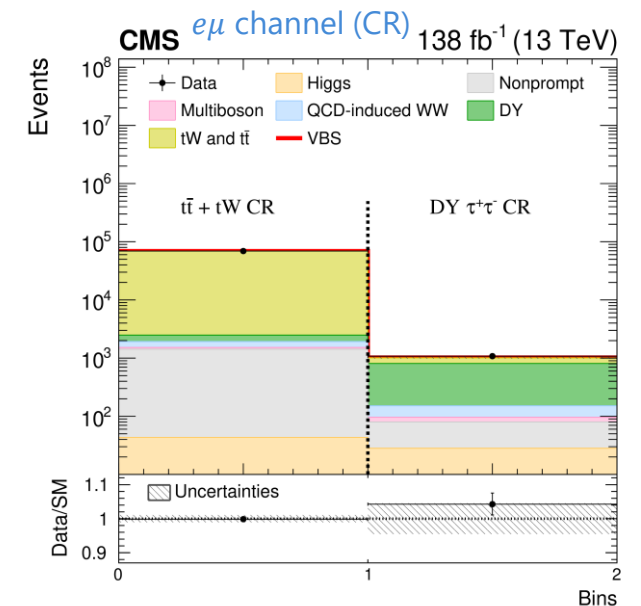
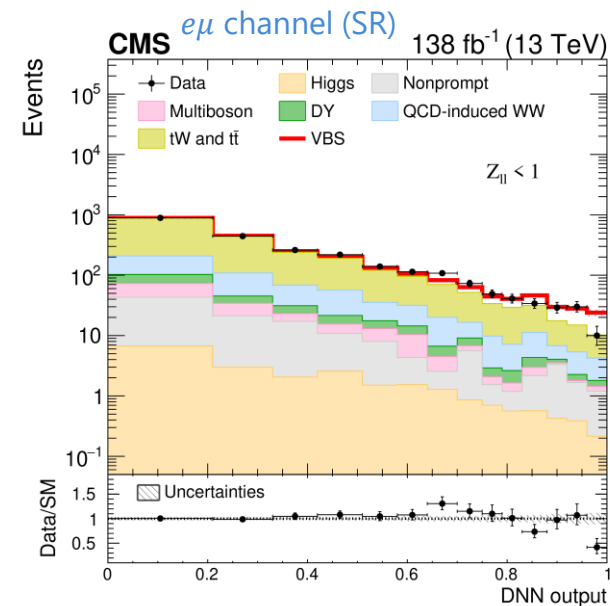
EW W^+W^- production by CMS (1)



Measurement of the opposite-sign W^+W^- events produced by EW interactions is difficult due to the large backgrounds from $t\bar{t}$ and quark/gluon-initiated processes (QCD)



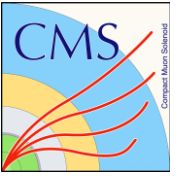
- For the $e\mu$ final state, use a deep neural network (DNN) to extract the VBS signal from the $t\bar{t}$ and QCD-induced backgrounds



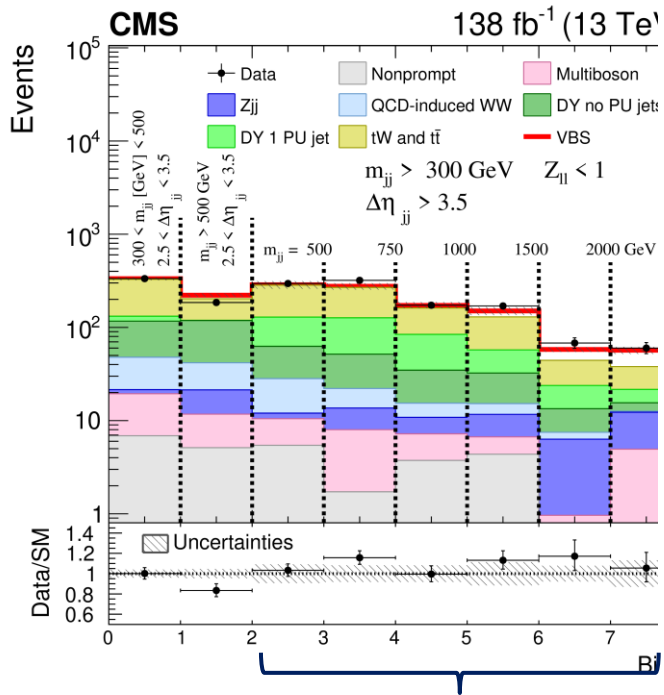
Variable	Description
m_{jj}	Invariant mass of the two tagging jets pair
p_T^{j1}	p_T of the highest p_T jet
$ \Delta\eta_{jj} $	Pseudorapidity separation between the two tagging jets
p_T^{j2}	p_T of the second-highest p_T jet
Z_{ℓ_2}	Zeppenfeld variable of the second-highest p_T lepton
$p_T^{\ell\ell}$	p_T of the lepton pair
$\Delta\phi_{\ell\ell}$	Azimuthal angle between the two leptons
Z_{ℓ_1}	Zeppenfeld variable of the highest p_T lepton
$m_T^{\ell_1}$	Transverse mass of the $(p_T^{\ell_1}, p_T^{\text{miss}})$ system

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EW W^+W^- production by CMS (2)

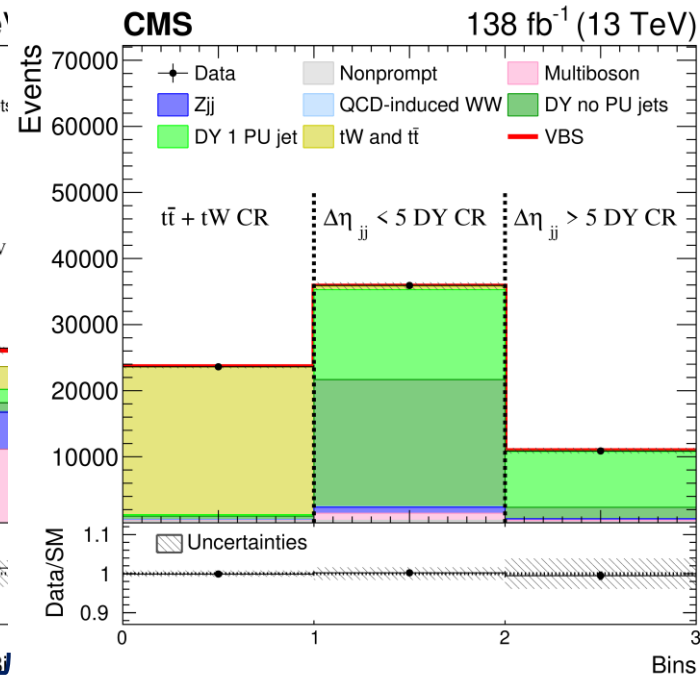


$ee/\mu\mu$ channel (Signal region)



m_{jj} distribution

$ee/\mu\mu$ channel (Control region)



- Discriminating variables:
 - number of events in the 8 signal regions ($ee/\mu\mu$)
 - DNN output ($e\mu$)
- Fit all discriminating variables including the number of events in the control regions (CRs) with $\mu_{EW} = \sigma_{obs}/\sigma_{SM}$ as the parameter

Cross section:

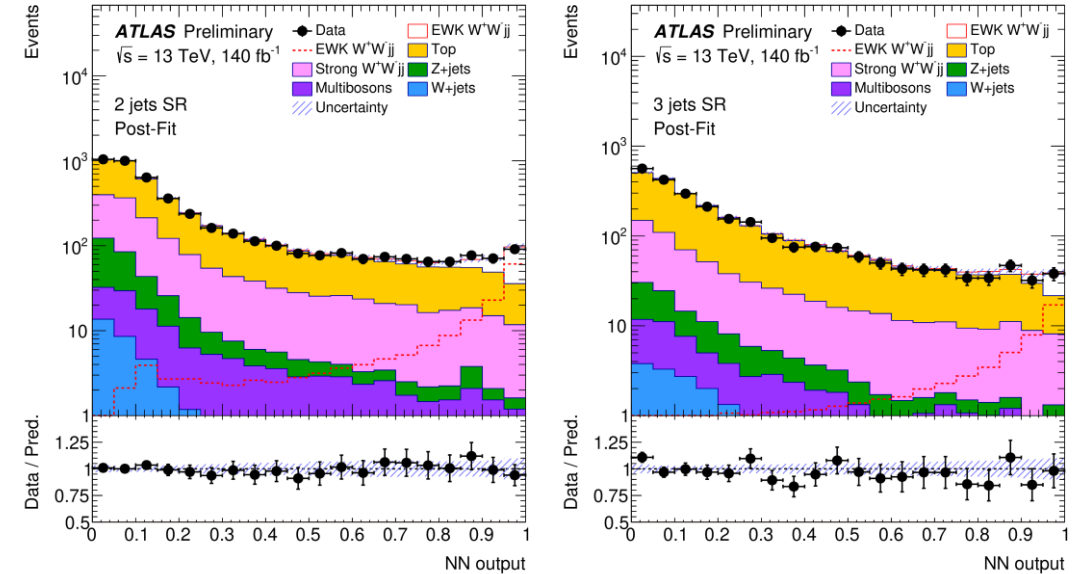
- 99 ± 20 fb (89 ± 5 fb expected)
- 5.6 (5.2) σ observed (expected) significance

EW W^+W^- production by ATLAS

The ATLAS experiment has also conducted the measurement of $pp \rightarrow W^+W^- + jj \rightarrow e\mu + \nu\nu + jj$

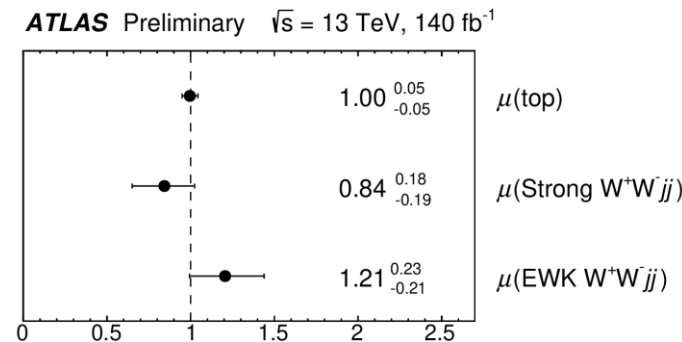
- Use events with 2 or 3 jets
- Neural network is used to extract the signal
 - Background: $t\bar{t}$, QCD-induced W^+W^-

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Process	Event yields	
	$n_{\text{jets}} = 2$	$n_{\text{jets}} = 3$
EWK W^+W^-jj	158 ± 27	54 ± 13
Top quark	2885 ± 214	1851 ± 131
Strong W^+W^-jj	1214 ± 256	514 ± 121
W +jets	37 ± 97	19 ± 48
Z +jets	216 ± 62	65 ± 25
Multiboson	101 ± 5	42 ± 3
SM prediction	4610 ± 77	2546 ± 48
Data	4610	2533

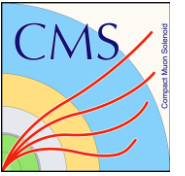
Signal strengths



Combined fit of the NN output in SRs and CRs using signal strength (μ) and the normalization of $t\bar{t}$ and QCD backgrounds as parameters (3 parameters)

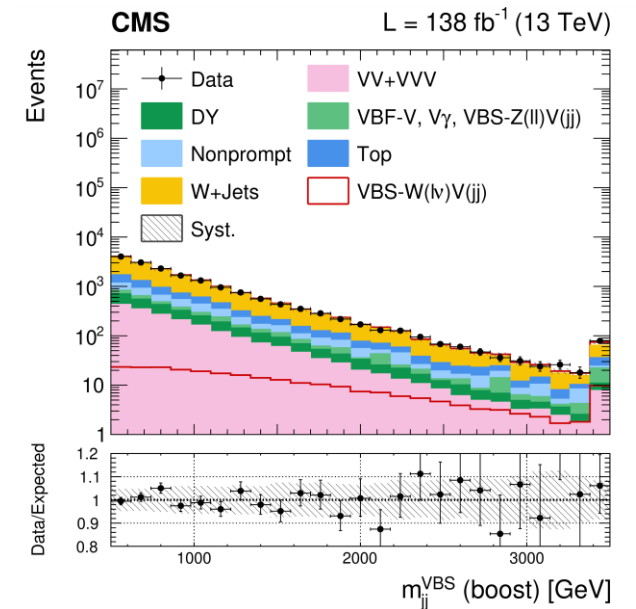
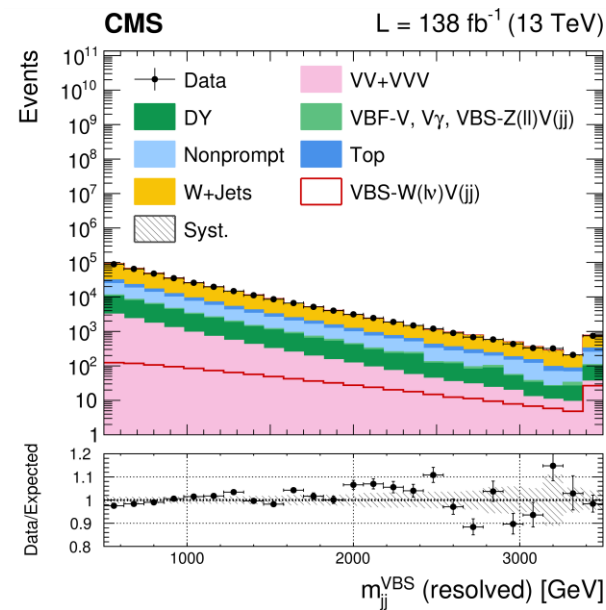
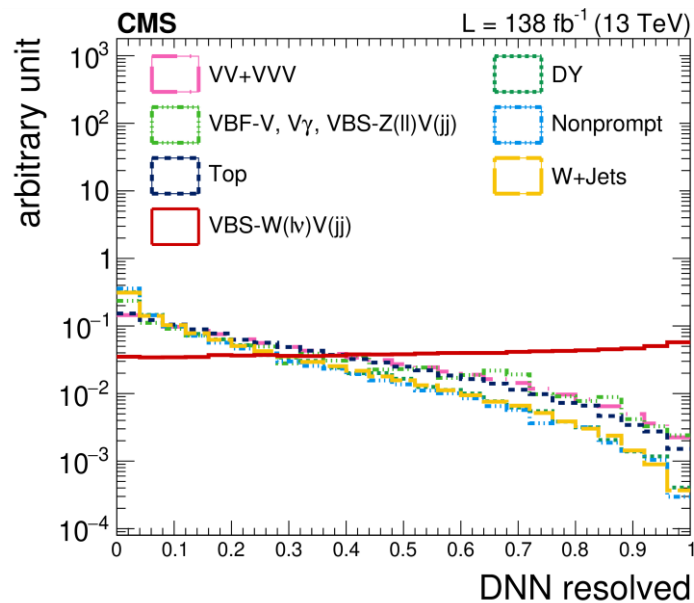
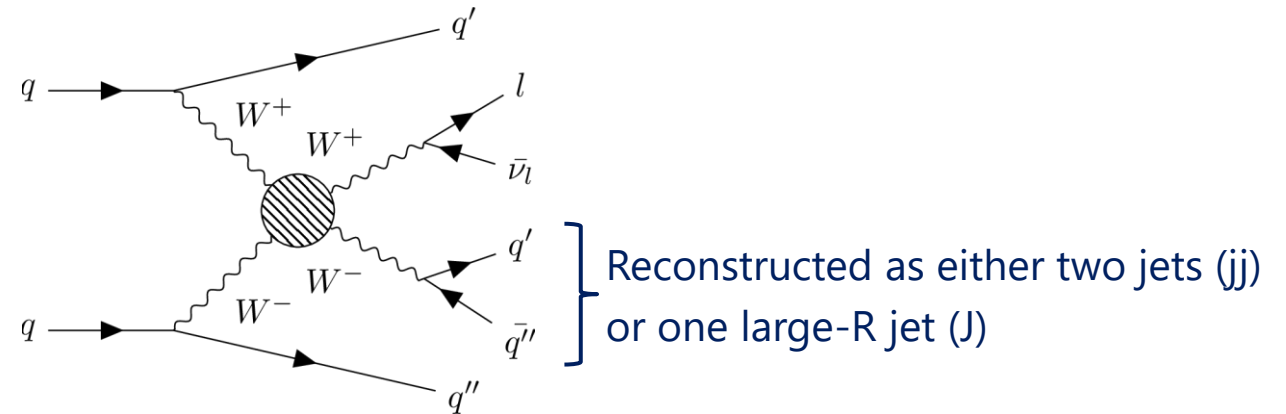
- Significance: 7.1 observed (6.2σ expected)
- $2.65^{+0.52}_{-0.48}$ fb (observed)
- $2.20^{+0.14}_{-0.13}$ fb (Powheg Boxv2)

VBS in semileptonic mode (1)

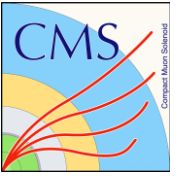


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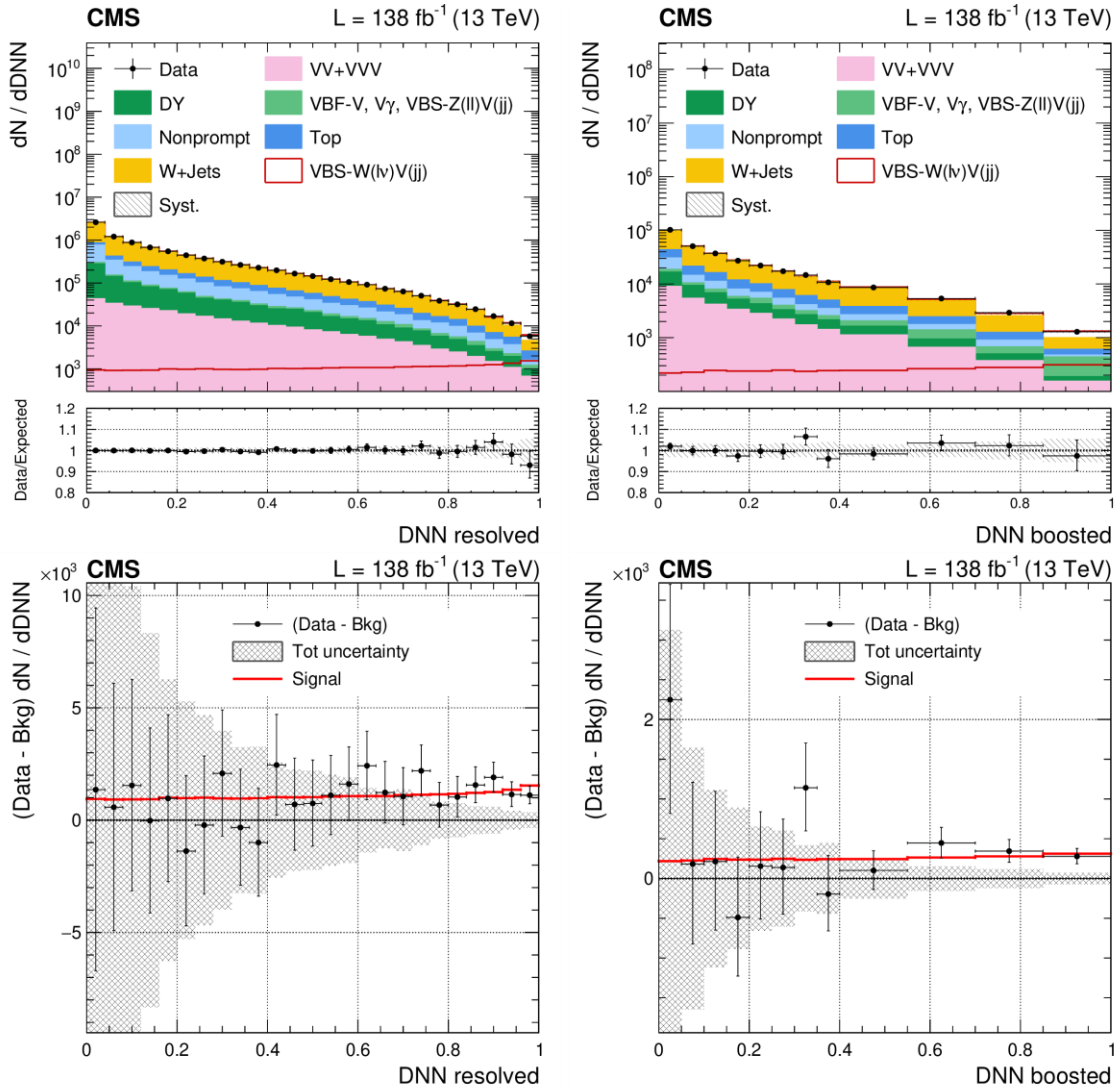
- Semileptonic channels of $W + W/Z$ (CMS)
 - larger branching ratios
 - larger background ($t\bar{t}$, W +jets)
- Use DNN to separate signal from the large background
- First results in the semileptonic mode



VBS in semileptonic mode (2)



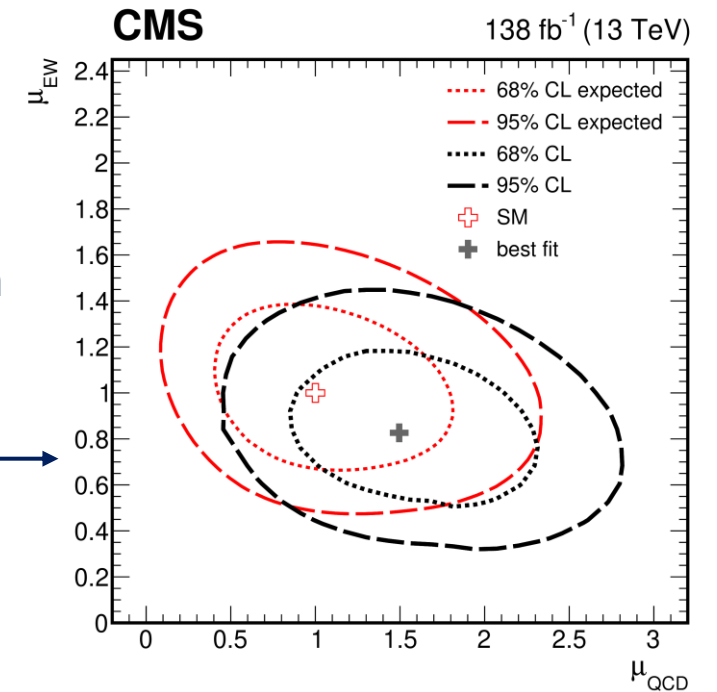
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← EW-only fit ($\mu_{\text{QCD}} = 1$)

- $\mu_{\text{EW}} = \frac{\sigma^{\text{obs}}}{\sigma_{\text{SM}}} = 0.85 \pm 0.12(\text{stat})_{-0.17}^{+0.19} = 0.85_{-0.21}^{+0.23}$
- 4.4σ (observed), 5.1σ (expected)
- $1.90_{-0.46}^{+0.53}$ pb (observed)

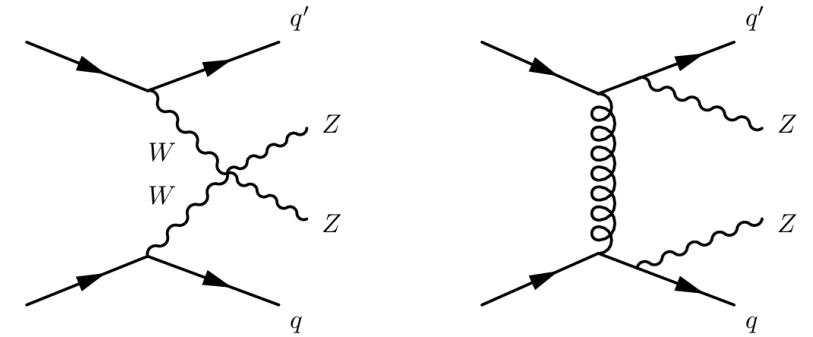
2 parameter fit with μ_{EW} and μ_{QCD} correlation



Differential cross section of $pp \rightarrow ZZ(4l) + jj$

- $pp \rightarrow ZZ + jj$ in the 4 lepton final state by ATLAS
 - Both EW/QCD productions are important to fully understand the production mechanism
- Differential cross sections
 - VBS observables ($m_{4l}, p_{T,4l}, m_{jj}, |\Delta y_{jj}|, p_{T,jj}$)
 - Polarization, charge conjugation and parity observables
 - $\cos \theta_{12}^*, \cos \theta_{34}^*$ (cosine of the negatively-charge lepton in the leading/subleading Z boson frame)
 - $\Delta \phi_{jj} = \phi_f - \phi_b$ (signed azimuthal angle of the two jets)
 - QCD observables ($p_{T,4ljj}, S_{T,4ljj}$)
- Centrality of the four-lepton system ($\xi = \left| \frac{y_{4l} - 0.5(y_{j1} - y_{j2})}{\Delta y_{jj}} \right|$)
 - $\xi < 0.4$ (VBS-enhanced), $\xi > 0.4$ (VBS-suppressed)

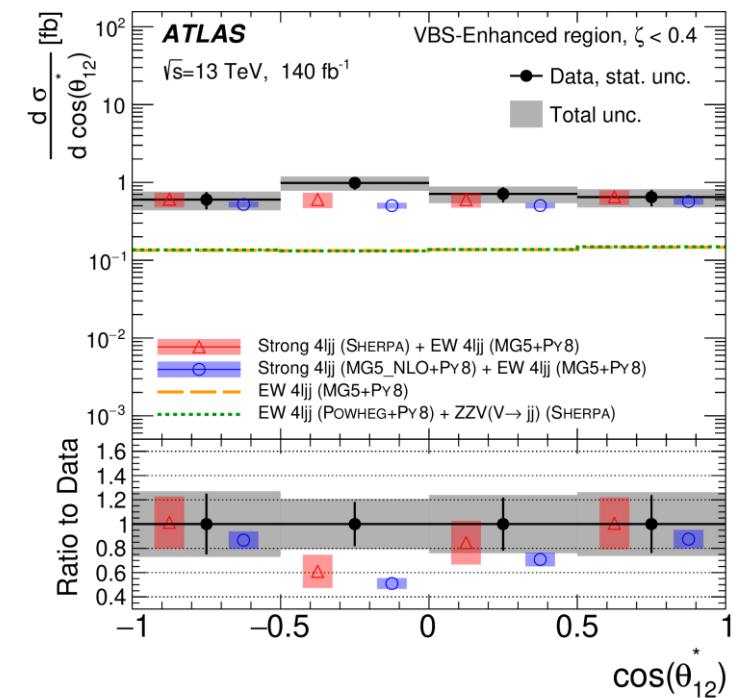
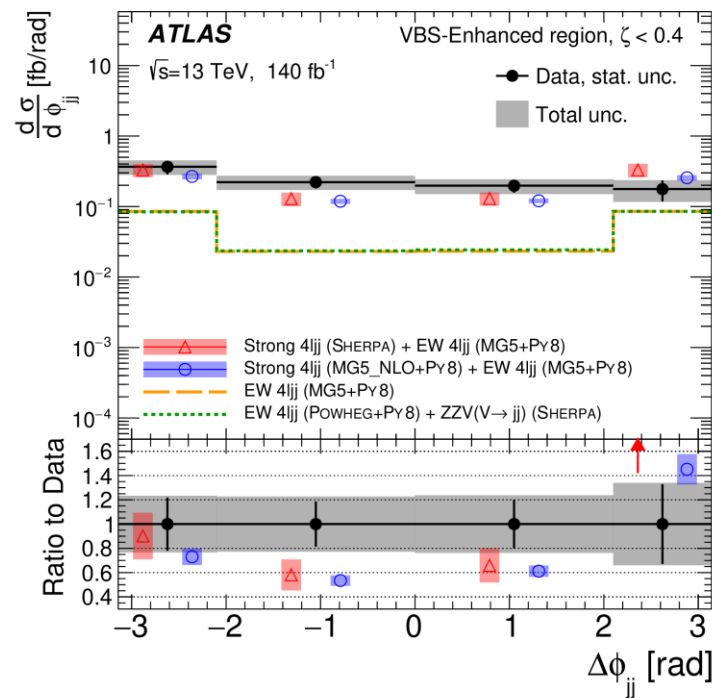
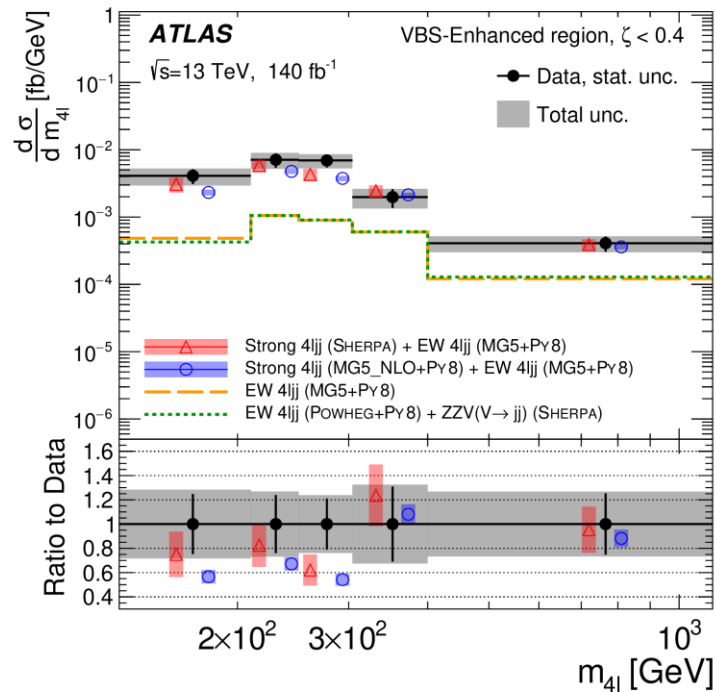
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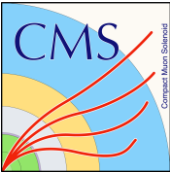
Process	Event yield \pm stat. \pm syst.	
	VBS-enhanced	VBS-suppressed
strong $4ljj$ (SHERPA)	$98.9 \pm 0.5 \pm 25.2$	$45.5 \pm 0.3 \pm 12.9$
EW $4ljj$ (MG5+PY8)	$24.1 \pm 0.1 \pm 1.8$	$2.12 \pm 0.02 \pm 0.14$
Prompt background	$18.8 \pm 0.2 \pm 2.2$	$5.5 \pm 0.1 \pm 0.4$
Non-prompt background	$3.0 \pm 0.6 \pm 3.2$	$1.1 \pm 0.5 \pm 1.2$
Total prediction	$144 \pm 1 \pm 26$	$54 \pm 1 \pm 13$
Data	169	53

$ZZ(4l) + jj$ differential cross section results

- $ZZ(\rightarrow 4l) + jj$ differential cross sections in the VBS-enhanced SR
- Good agreement of cross sections with SHERPA (although larger theoretical uncertainties)
- MG5+Pythia8 underestimates the inclusive $4ljj$ cross section in all distributions
- Limits on dimension-8 coefficients in EFT are also obtained

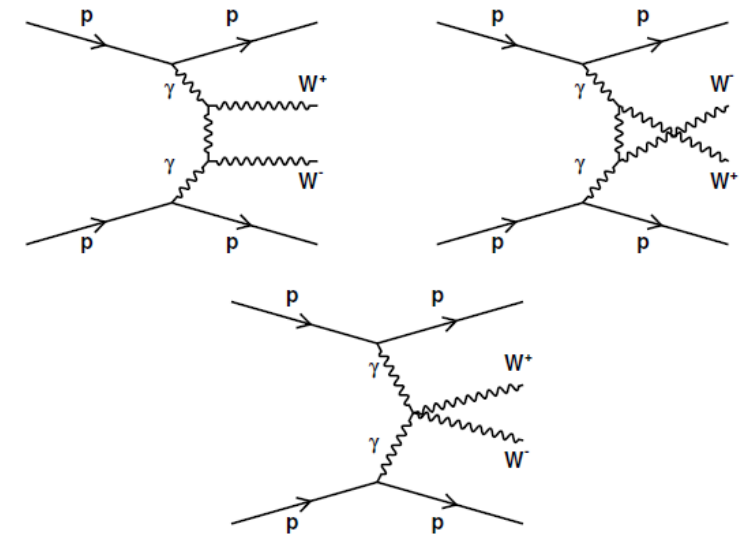


High-mass exclusive $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow VV$ production (1)



CMS+TOTEM, *JHEP* 07 (2023) 229

- Scattering of two photons radiated by the protons at small angles
- Forward proton tag
 - Precision Proton Spectrometer (PPS) located around 200 m from the interaction point. PPS consists of Roman pots
 - Fractional momentum loss: $0.04 < \xi < 0.20$
- Physics process
 - High-mass $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow WW, \gamma\gamma \rightarrow ZZ$
 - Full $pWWp$ or $pZZp$ system can be reconstructed by PPS and the central CMS detector
- Dataset: $\sqrt{s} = 13$ TeV, 100 fb^{-1} (2016—2018)



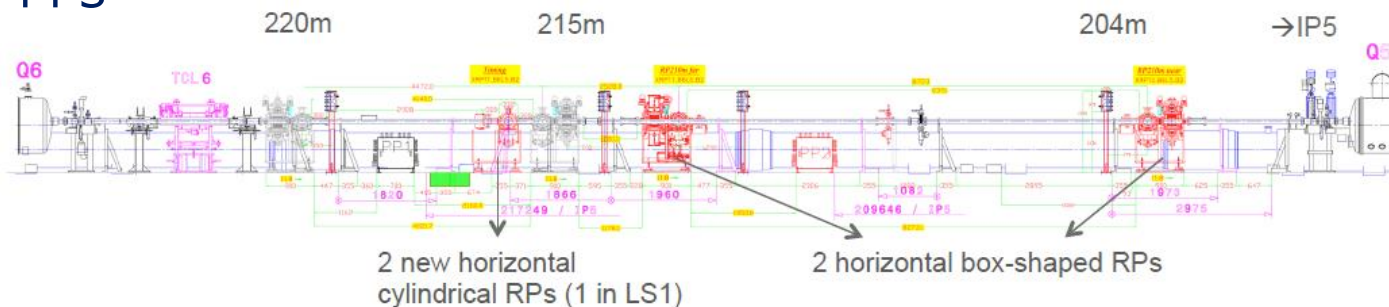
Fractional momentum loss

$$\xi = \frac{p_{\text{nom}} - p}{p_{\text{nom}}}$$



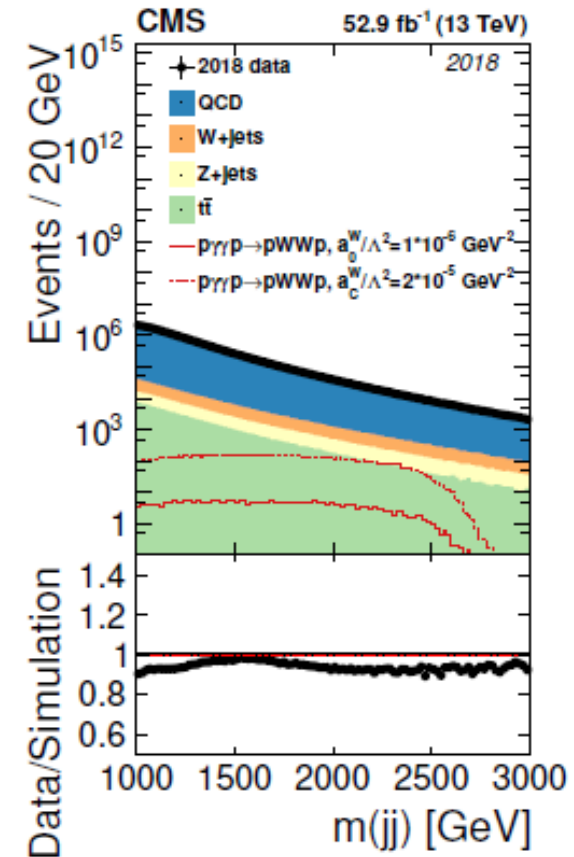
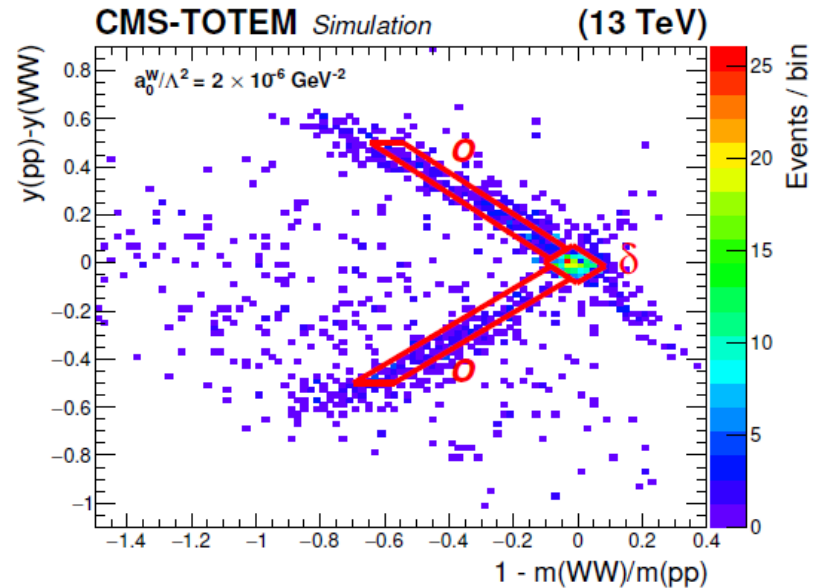
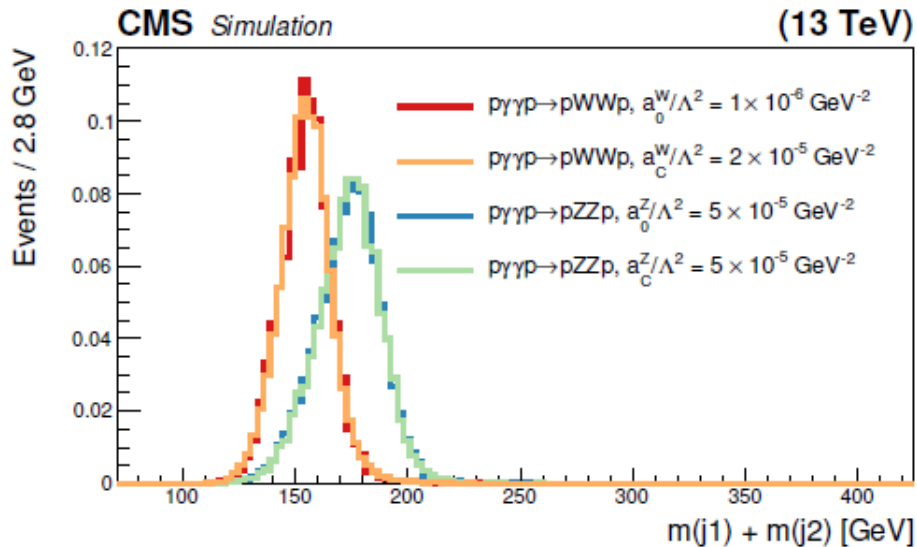
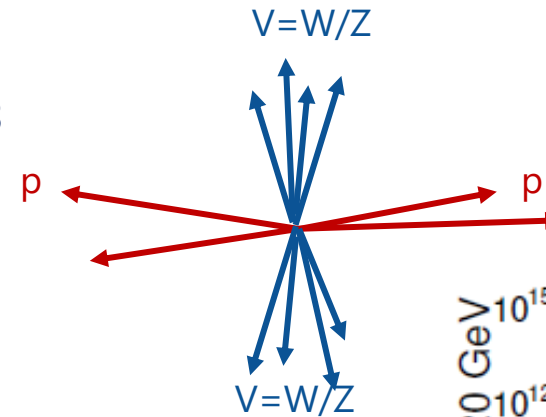
protons with a small loss of momenta

PPS

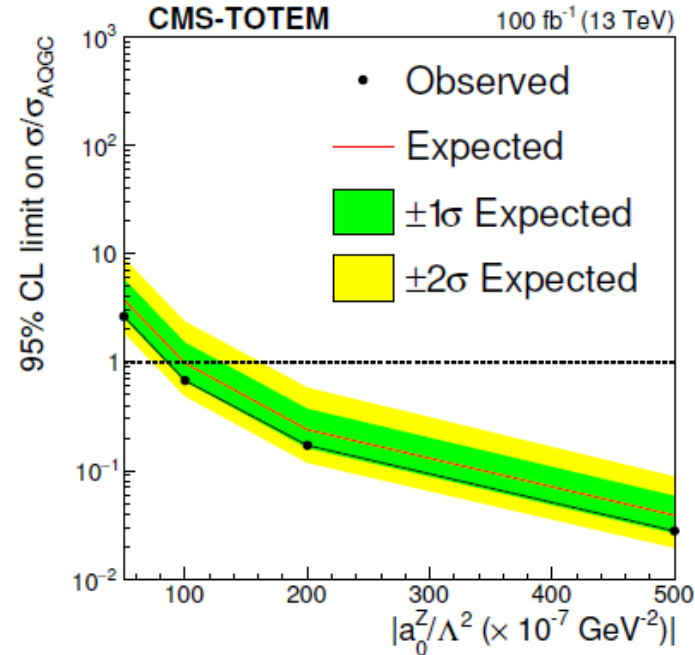
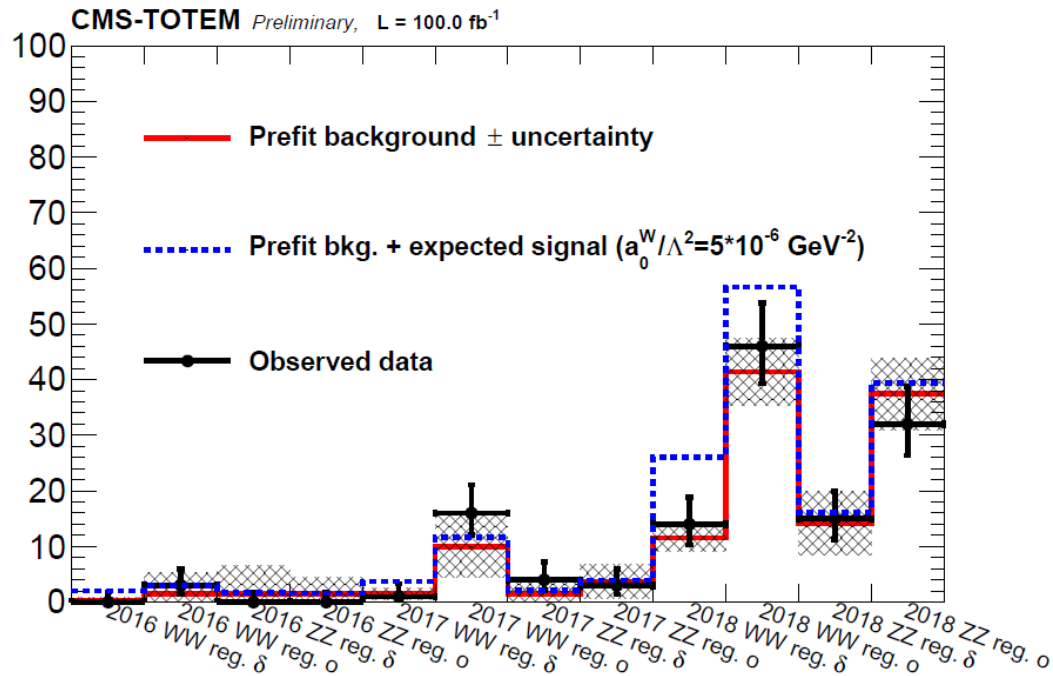
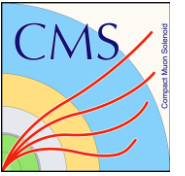


High-mass exclusive $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow VV$ production (2)

- Two highest p_T jets with $p_T > 200$ GeV, $|\eta| < 2.5$, anti- k_t jet ($R = 0.8$)
- $m(jj) > 1126$ GeV, $|\Delta\eta(jj)| < 1.3$, acoplanarity < 0.01 , $p_T(j1)/p_T(j2) < 1.3$
- Subjetstructure to select boosted $Z \rightarrow jj$ and $W \rightarrow jj$
 - Pruned jet mass between 60 and 107 GeV
 - Subjettiness variable: $\tau_{21} < 0.75$
 - \rightarrow 85% signal efficiency, rejects 65% of QCD multijet (simulation)



High-mass exclusive $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow VV$ production (3)



Fiducial cross section

- $0.04 < \xi < 0.20, m(VV) > 1 \text{ TeV}$
- $\sigma(pp \rightarrow pWWp) < 67(53_{-19}^{34}) \text{ fb}$
- $\sigma(pp \rightarrow pZZp) < 43(62_{-20}^{33}) \text{ fb}$

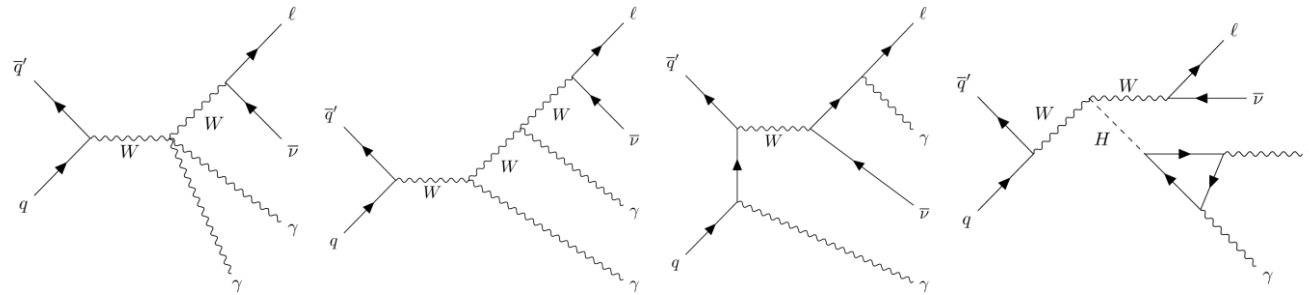
(): expected value and uncertainty

Translating the limits to the dim-8 operator coefficients

Coupling	Observed (expected) 95% CL upper limit No clipping	Observed (expected) 95% CL upper limit Clipping at 1.4 TeV
$ f_{M,0}/\Lambda^4 $	16.2 (14.7) TeV^{-4}	19.5 (19.2) TeV^{-4}
$ f_{M,4}/\Lambda^4 $	90.9 (82.6) TeV^{-4}	110 (108) TeV^{-4}

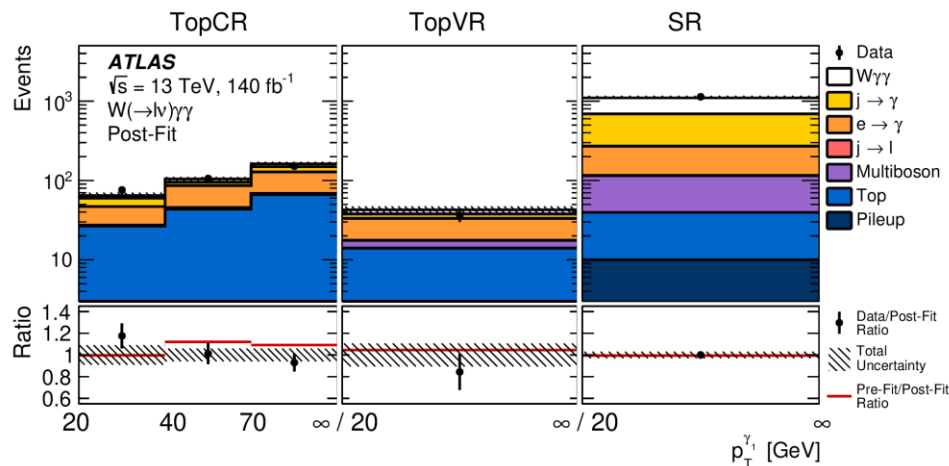
$W\gamma\gamma$ cross section (ATLAS)

- Triple gauge boson production processes are also sensitive to triple- and quartic-gauge boson couplings



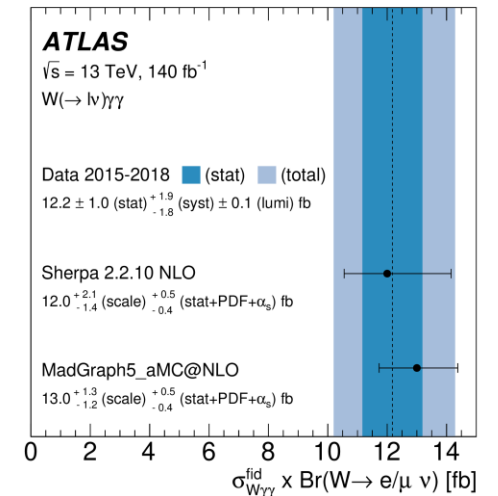
Fiducial region

- At least two photons: $p_T > 20$ GeV, $|\eta| < 2.37$
- Electron or muon: $p_T > 25$ GeV, $|\eta| < 2.47$
- Isolated photons and leptons
- $\Delta R_{\gamma\gamma} > 0.4, \Delta R_{l\gamma} > 0.4$
- B-jet veto for $p_T^{jet} > 20$ GeV, $|\eta| < 2.5$
- $E_T^{miss} > 25$ GeV, $m_T^W > 40$ GeV



- Main backgrounds
 - fake photons from jets
 - irreducible backgrounds ($t\bar{t}\gamma, WH, \dots$)
 - Extract the signal strength (μ) by a simultaneous fit to the SR and TopCR
- $\sigma_{fid} = 12.2 \pm 1.0(stat)_{-1.8}^{+1.9}(syst) \text{ fb } (5.6\sigma)$

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Conclusion

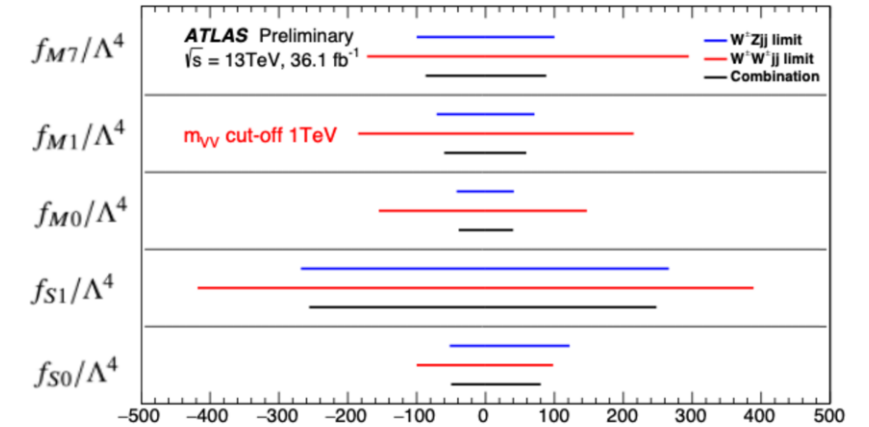
- Precise measurements of the EW VBS can be used as a probe to study the origin of EWSB, especially its longitudinal scattering amplitudes
- ATLAS and CMS experiments have conducted many measurements on EW VBS
 - Cross section measurements (\sim fb) and limits on the dimension-8 coefficients in EFT
 - Same-sign WW production (extraction of polarization)
 - Various other channels ($WZ, Z\gamma, W\gamma, \dots$) and differential measurements
 - Several triboson processes are also becoming available
 - The effort of combining different channels is starting
- We expect more measurements with improved analysis techniques to come

Backup slides

Combined EFT interpretation of $W^\pm Z jj$ and $W^\pm W^\pm jj$



- A single analysis may have good sensitivities for certain EFT coefficients, while other channels may have sensitivities for other coefficients
- We need to combine the results to get the best sensitivities for as wide operators as possible
- In this study, use two datasets of fully leptonic analyses
 - $W^\pm W^\pm + jj \rightarrow l^\pm l^\pm \nu \nu + jj$ ([Phys. Rev. Lett. 123 \(2019\) 161801](#), 36 pb⁻¹)
 - $W^\pm Z + jj \rightarrow l^\pm \nu l^+ l^- + jj$ ([Phys. Lett. B793 \(2019\) 469](#), 36 pb⁻¹)

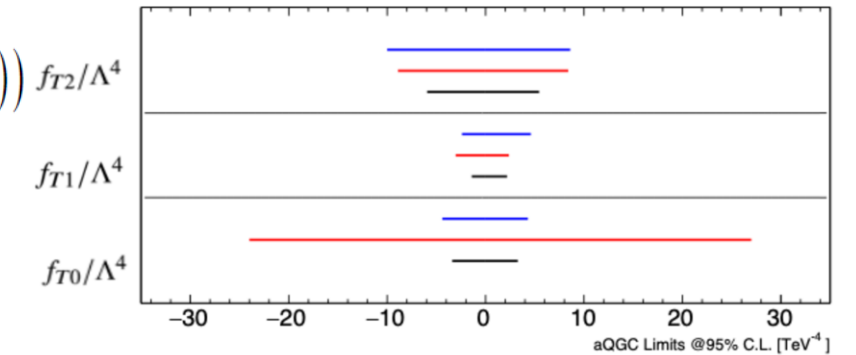


Likelihood for a single measurement: $L_b^{WW} (N_b | \mathbf{c}, \boldsymbol{\theta}^{WW}) = \text{Poisson} (N_b | \mu(\mathbf{c}) S_b(\boldsymbol{\theta}^{WW}) + B_b(\boldsymbol{\theta}^{WW})) f_{T2}/\Lambda^4$

For measurements with multiple bins: $x_b^{\text{pred}} (\mathbf{c}, \boldsymbol{\theta}_{\text{theo syst}}^{W^\pm Z}) = x_b^{\text{SM}} (1 + \Delta_b(\mathbf{c})) \times \prod_{i=1}^{n_{\text{theo syst}}^{W^\pm Z}} (1 + \theta_j u_{b,j})$

$x_b^{\text{meas}} (\boldsymbol{\theta}_{\text{exp syst}}^{W^\pm Z}) = x_b \times \prod_{i=1}^{n_{\text{exp syst}}^{W^\pm Z}} (1 + \theta_j v_{b,j})$

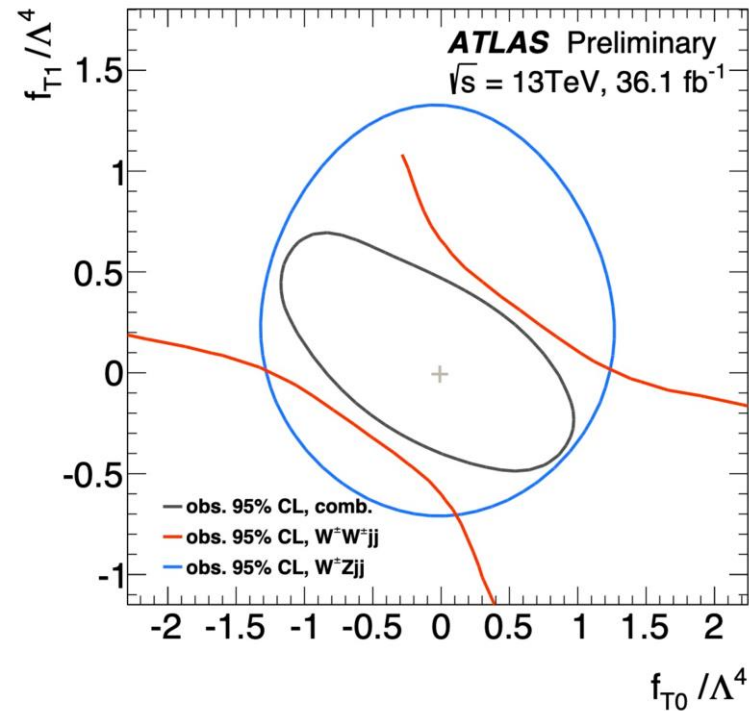
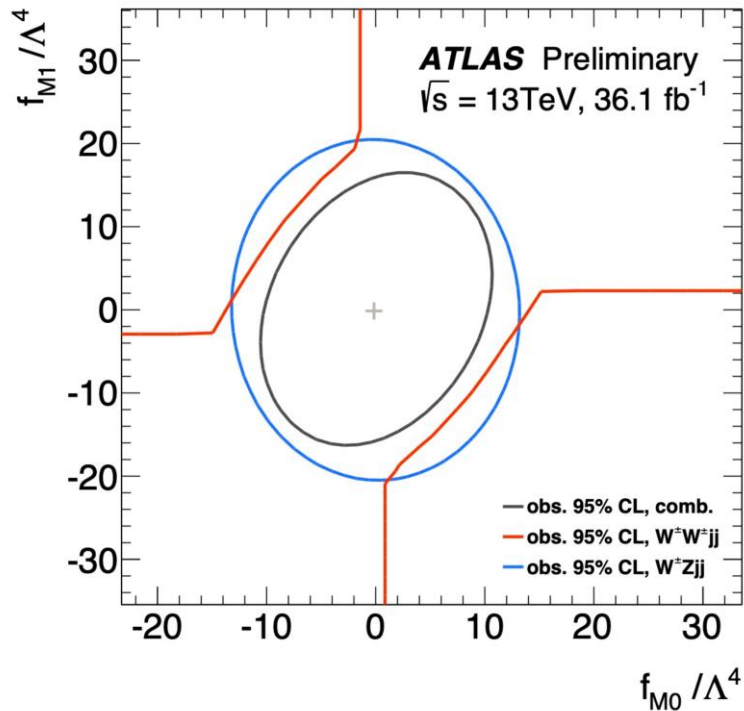
$|A_{\text{SM}} + \sum_i c_i A_i|^2 = |A_{\text{SM}}|^2 + \sum_i c_i 2 \text{Re}(A_{\text{SM}}^* A_i) + \sum_i c_i^2 |A_i|^2 + \sum_{ij, i \neq j} c_i c_j 2 \text{Re}(A_i A_j^*)$ Generate samples for each term with MG5



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Correlation of parameters of the combined fit

- One can study the correlation of the pair of parameters by having two free parameters
- Uncertainty counters of the combination is reduced from each analysis



Variables used for the DNN in semileptonic analysis

Variable	Resolved	Boosted	SHAP ranking	
			Resolved	Boosted
Lepton pseudorapidity	✓	✓	13	12
Lepton transverse momentum	✓	✓	16	10
Zeppenfeld variable for the lepton	✓	✓	2	2
Number of jets with $p_T > 30 \text{ GeV}$	✓	✓	7	3
Leading VBS tag jet p_T	-	✓	-	11
Trailing VBS tag jet p_T	✓	✓	7	6
Pseudorapidity interval $\Delta\eta_{jj}^{\text{VBS}}$ between tag jets	✓	✓	4	4
Quark/gluon discriminator of leading VBS tag jet	✓	✓	9	7
Azimuthal angle distance between VBS tag jets	✓	-	10	-
Invariant mass of the VBS tag jets pair	✓	✓	1	1
p_T of the leading V_{had} jet	✓	-	14	-
p_T of the trailing V_{had} jet	✓	-	12	-
Pseudorapidity difference between V_{had} jets	✓	-	8	-
Quark/gluon discriminator of the leading V_{had} jet	✓	-	3	-
Quark/gluon discriminator of the trailing V_{had} jet	✓	-	5	-
p_T of the AK8 V_{had} jet candidate	-	✓	-	8
Invariant mass of V_{had}	✓	✓	11	5
Zeppenfeld variable for V_{had}	-	✓	-	9
Centrality	-	✓	15	13

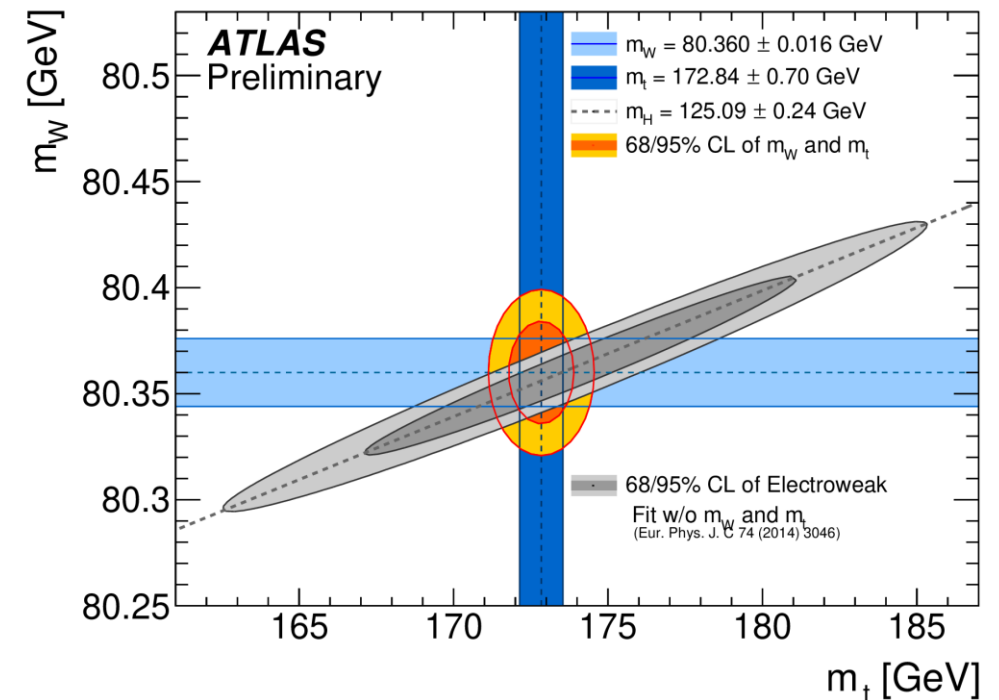
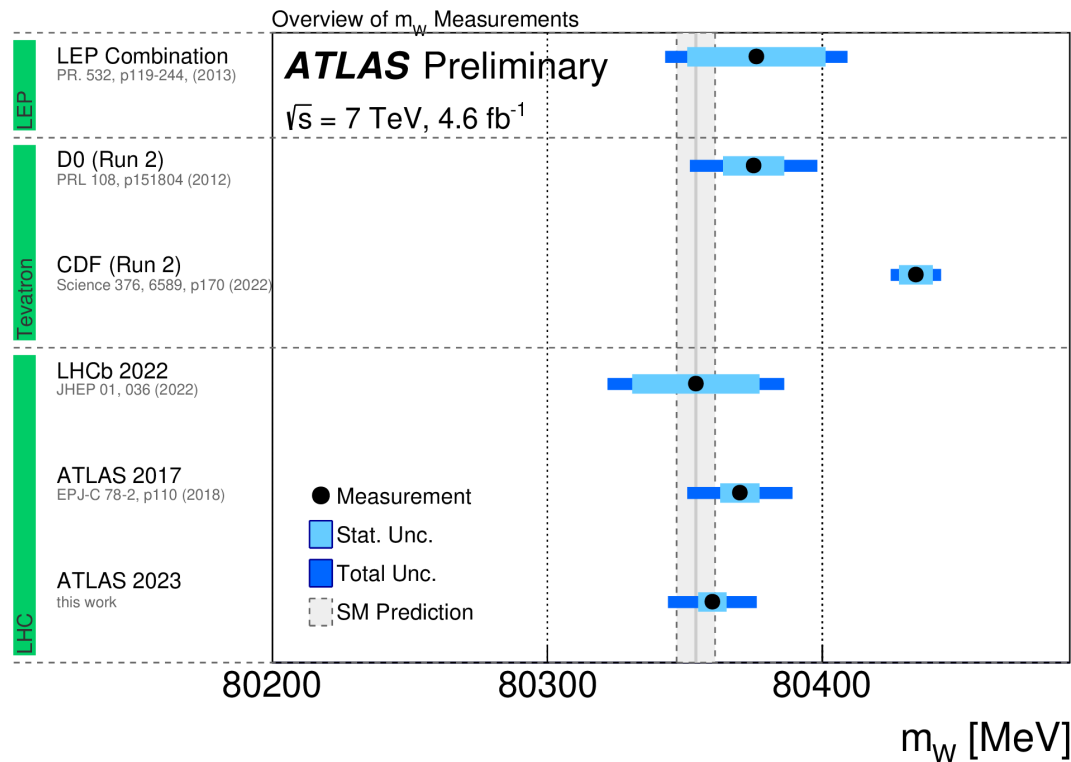
W mass measurement (reanalysis of 2011 data)

- ATLAS reanalyzed the 2011 data at $\sqrt{s} = 7$ TeV using the improved fitting technique based on profile likelihood test statistics

- Template fit to p_T^{ll} and m_T distributions
- m_W lower by 10 MeV and total uncertainty lower by 3 MeV

$$m_W = 80360 \pm 5(\text{stat}) \pm 15(\text{syst}) \text{ MeV}$$

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Polarization states in $W^\pm Z$ production (1)

- Joint polarization states of W^\pm and Z are obtained
- DNN with input variables:
 - $p_T^{l^W}, p_T^{l_1^Z}, p_T^{l_2^Z}, E_T^{\text{miss}}, |y_Z - y_{l^W}|, \Delta\phi(l^W, \nu), \Delta\phi(l_1^Z, l_2^Z), p_T^{WZ}$
- 4 categories based on $|\cos\theta_{l^W}^*|, |\cos\theta_{l^Z}^*|$

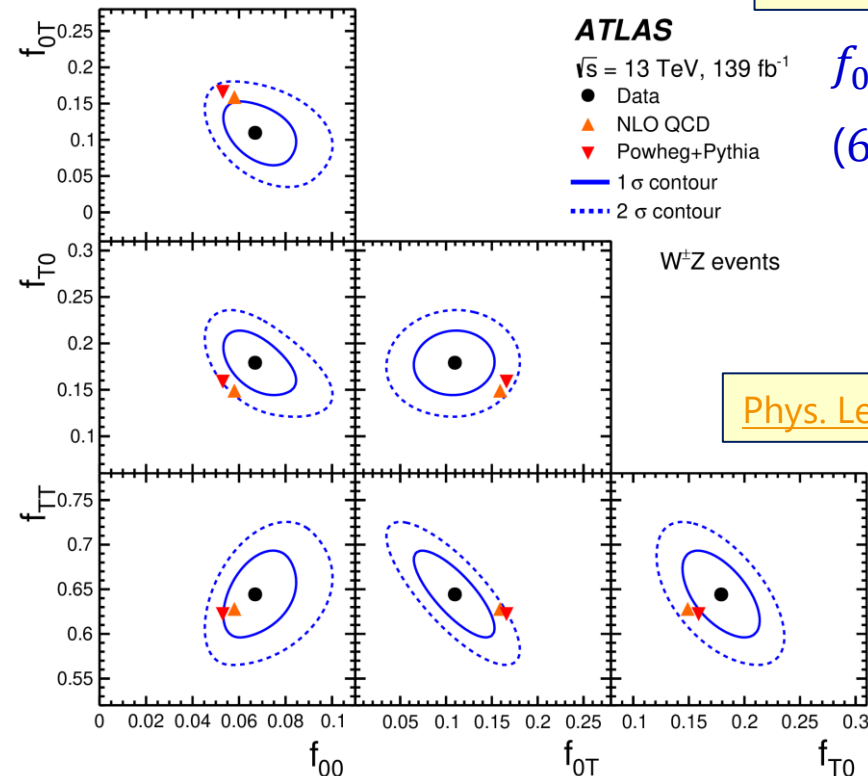
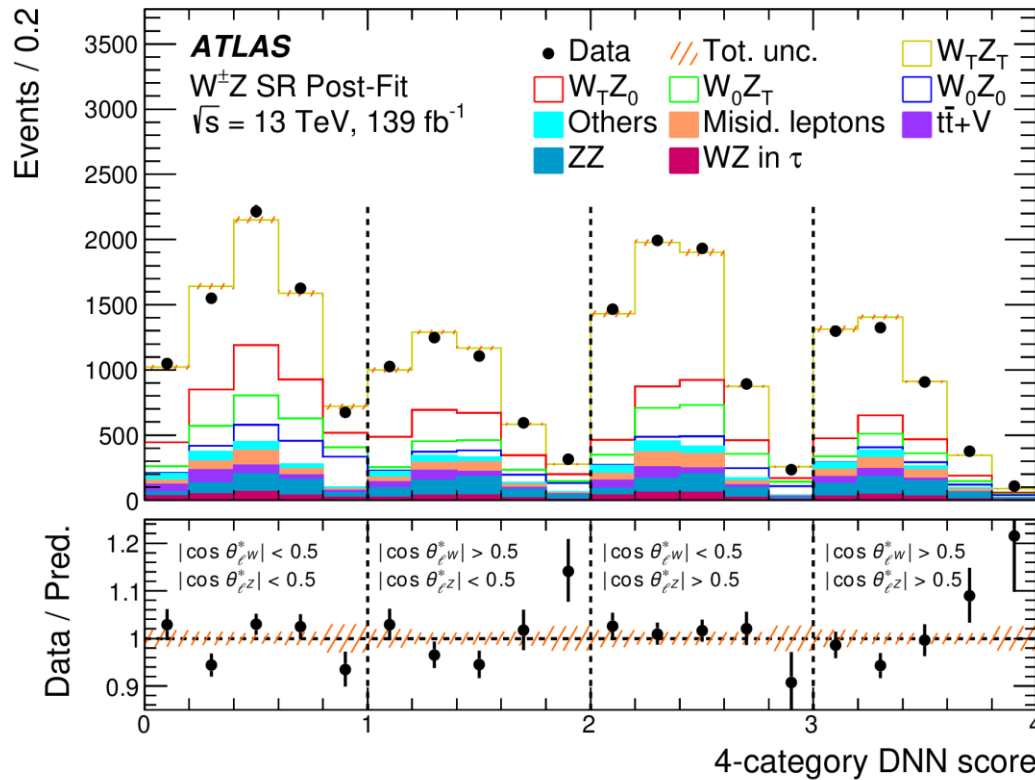
Joint helicity fractions

$$f_{00} = 0.067 \pm 0.010$$

$$f_{0T} = 0.110 \pm 0.029$$

$$f_{T0} = 0.179 \pm 0.023$$

$$f_{TT} = 0.644 \pm 0.032$$



f_{00} is observed at 7.1σ
 (6.2σ expected)

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Polarization states in $W^\pm Z$ production (2)

- Inclusive cross section: $\sigma_{W^\pm Z \rightarrow l^\pm \nu_l l^-} = 64.6 \pm 0.5(\text{stat}) \pm 1.8(\text{syst}) \pm 1.1(\text{lumi}) \text{ fb}$
- Post-fit distributions $q_W \cdot \cos \theta_{lW}^*$ and $\cos \theta_{lZ}^*$
- Differential cross sections: $q_W \cdot \cos \theta_{lW}^*$, $\cos \theta_{lZ}^*$, $|\cos \theta_V|$ and DNN score

