

LHC Measurements in Global SFitter Analyses

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Modern LHC physics

Classic motivation

- dark matter
- baryogenesis
- Higgs mechanism
- ~~mass and coupling measurements~~

LHC strengths

- fundamental Lagrangians
 - huge high-precision data set
 - first-principle precision simulations
- (Effective) Lagrangian of the LHC

Role of SMEFT

- start from reliable basis
 - provide precision theory
 - broaden hypotheses piece by piece
- Define all-LHC analysis



Higgs-gauge analysis

Old story: likelihood over model space [1812.07587]

- Higgs-gauge operators

$$\mathcal{O}_{GG} = \phi^\dagger \phi G_{\mu\nu}^a G^{a\mu\nu} \quad \mathcal{O}_{WW} = \phi^\dagger \hat{W}_{\mu\nu} \hat{W}^{\mu\nu} \phi \quad \mathcal{O}_{BB} = \dots$$

$$\mathcal{O}_{BW} = \phi^\dagger \hat{B}_{\mu\nu} \hat{W}^{\mu\nu} \phi \quad \mathcal{O}_W = (D_\mu \phi)^\dagger \hat{W}^{\mu\nu} (D_\nu \phi) \quad \mathcal{O}_B = \dots$$

$$\mathcal{O}_{\phi,1} = (D_\mu \phi)^\dagger \phi \phi^\dagger (D^\mu \phi) \quad \mathcal{O}_{\phi,2} = \frac{1}{2} \partial^\mu (\phi^\dagger \phi) \partial_\mu (\phi^\dagger \phi) \quad \mathcal{O}_{\phi,3} = \frac{1}{3} (\phi^\dagger \phi)^3$$

- Yukawa structure $f_{\tau,b,t}$
- one more operator for TGV

$$\mathcal{O}_{WWW} = \text{Tr} \left(\hat{W}_{\mu\nu} \hat{W}^{\nu\rho} \hat{W}_\rho^\mu \right)$$

- gauge-fermion operators [qqVH vertex]

$$\mathcal{O}_{\phi L}^{(1)} = \phi^\dagger \overleftrightarrow{D}_\mu \phi (\bar{L}_i \gamma^\mu L_i) \quad \mathcal{O}_{\phi e}^{(1)} = \phi^\dagger \overleftrightarrow{D}_\mu \phi (\bar{e}_{R,i} \gamma^\mu e_{R,i}) \quad \mathcal{O}_{\phi L}^{(3)} = \phi^\dagger \overleftrightarrow{D}_\mu^a \phi (\bar{L}_i \gamma^\mu \sigma_a L_i)$$

$$\mathcal{O}_{\phi Q}^{(1)} = \dots \quad \mathcal{O}_{\phi d}^{(1)} = \dots \quad \mathcal{O}_{\phi Q}^{(3)} = \dots$$

$$\mathcal{O}_{\phi ud}^{(1)} = \tilde{\phi}^\dagger \overleftrightarrow{D}_\mu \phi (\bar{u}_{R,i} \gamma^\mu d_{R,i}) \quad \mathcal{O}_{\phi u}^{(1)} = \dots \quad \mathcal{O}_{LLLL} = (\bar{L}_1 \gamma_\mu L_2) (\bar{L}_2 \gamma^\mu L_1)$$

- ubiquitous triple-gluon coupling

$$\mathcal{O}_G = g_s f_{abc} G_{a\nu}^\rho G_{b\lambda}^\nu G_{c\rho}^\lambda$$

→ Confronted with Higgs, di-boson, exotics measurements



My favorite results



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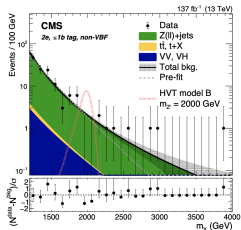
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Search for a heavy vector resonance decaying to a Z boson
and a Higgs boson in proton-proton collisions at
 $\sqrt{s} = 13 \text{ TeV}$

The CMS Collaboration

Abstract

A search is presented for a heavy vector resonance decaying into a Z boson and the standard model Higgs boson, where the Z boson is identified through its leptonic decays to electrons, muons, or neutrinos, and the Higgs boson is identified through its hadronic decays. The search is performed in a Lorentz-boosted regime and is based on data collected from 2016 to 2018 at the CERN LHC, corresponding to an integrated luminosity of 137 fb^{-1} . Upper limits are derived on the production of a narrow heavy resonance Z' , and a mass below 3.5 and 3.7 TeV is excluded at 95% confidence level in models where the heavy vector boson couples predominantly to fermions and to bosons, respectively. These are the most stringent limits placed on the Heavy Vector Triplet Z' model to date. If the heavy vector boson couples exclusively to standard model bosons, upper limits on the product of the cross section and branching fraction are set between 23 and 0.3 fb for a Z' mass between 0.8 and 4.6 TeV, respectively. This is the first limit set on a heavy vector boson coupling exclusively to standard model bosons in its production and decay.



ATLAS CONF Note

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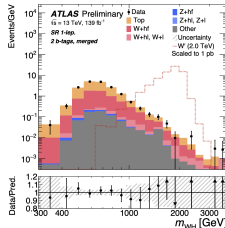
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Search for heavy resonances decaying into a W boson and
a Higgs boson in final states with leptons and
 b -jets in 139 fb^{-1} of pp collisions at $\sqrt{s} = 13 \text{ TeV}$
with the ATLAS detector

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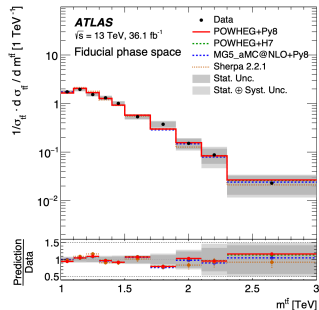


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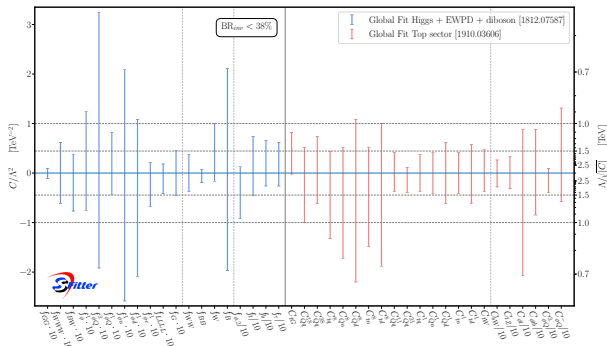
Theory uncertainty: consistently NLO [1910.03606]

- production channels $t\bar{t}$, $t\bar{t}V$, tj , tV , decays
- unfolded m_{tt} , $p_{T,t}$ exciting
- highly correlated 4-fermion sector
- flat directions circular, not obvious

→ Many technical and physics questions



Single link \mathcal{O}_{tG} [Sanz etal, Maltoni etal, Rojo etal, Ubiali etal, HEPfit...]



Matching

How to interpret for models [2108.01094]

- usual vector triplet benchmark

$$\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}_{\text{SM}} - \frac{1}{4} \tilde{V}^{\mu\nu A} \tilde{V}_{\mu\nu}^A - \frac{\tilde{g}_M}{2} \tilde{V}^{\mu\nu A} \tilde{W}_{\mu\nu}^A + \frac{\tilde{m}_V^2}{2} \tilde{V}^{\mu A} \tilde{V}_\mu^A$$

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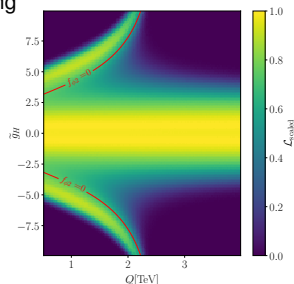
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Impact

- SMEFT consistency only relevant when matching
 - new matching scale uncertainty [Dawson & Homiller]
 - higher-order effect though errors [DUH!]
 - EFT uncertainty part of matching
 - SMEFTed limits weaker than full model
- **Whatever...**





Statistics

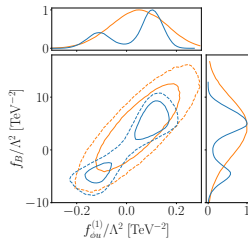
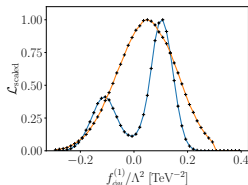
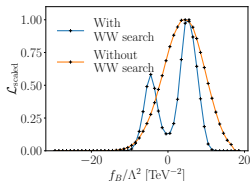
Bayesian marginalization vs profiling [2208.08454]

- exclusive likelihood universal starting point
- systematics — statistics — theory correlations crucial
- physics parameters
- nuisance parameters

→ 1D and 2D physics results for plots?

Physics case

- add WH/ZH fat-jet and WW resonance searches



→ Understood volume effects in tails



Future plans

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→ **Playing with $t\bar{t}$ likelihood...** [2006.13076]

Category	Reproduced $\frac{\Delta\sigma_{t\bar{t}}}{\sigma_{t\bar{t}}} [\%]$	Paper $\frac{\Delta\sigma_{t\bar{t}}}{\sigma_{t\bar{t}}} [\%]$	Uncertainty	Reproduced $\frac{\Delta\sigma_{t\bar{t}}}{\sigma_{t\bar{t}}} [\%]$	Paper $\frac{\Delta\sigma_{t\bar{t}}}{\sigma_{t\bar{t}}} [\%]$
Shower/Hadronization:	2.9	2.9	$t\bar{t}Z$ parton shower:	3.1	3.1
Scale variations:	2.0	2.0	$t\bar{t}WZ$ modeling:	2.9	2.9
Reweightings:	1.1	1.1	b-tagging:	2.9	2.9
hdamp:	1.0	1.1	WZ/ZZ + jets modeling:	2.7	2.8
PDF:	1.5	1.5	$t\bar{t}q$ modeling:	2.6	2.6
MC background modeling:	1.7	2.0	Lepton:	2.3	2.3
Multijet background:	0.7	0.6	Luminosity:	2.2	2.2
Jet reconstruction:	2.5	2.6	Jets + E_T^{miss} :	2.1	2.1
Lumi:	1.7	1.7	Fake leptons:	2.1	2.1
Flavour tagging:	1.3	1.3	$t\bar{t}Z$ ISR:	1.7	1.6
MET + pileup:	0.3	0.3	$t\bar{t}Z\mu_F$ and μ_r scales:	0.9	0.9
Muon reconstruction:	0.4	0.5	Other backgrounds:	0.8	0.7
Electron reconstruction:	0.3	0.6	Pile-up:	0.7	0.7
Simulation stat. uncertainty:	0.6	0.7	$t\bar{t}Z$ PDF:	0.2	0.2
Data stat:	0.05	0.05	Stat:	5.2	5.2



Outlook

SFitter SMEFT analyses

- show that **global LHC analyses are possible**
 - result predictable
error bars (mildly) interesting
 - interesting theory questions
interesting pheno questions
interesting statistics questions
 - pre-digested data too boring
more exciting data painfully extracted
1-year paper frequency due to analysis implementation
- **Need more likelihoods!** [Thank you Sabine, Tomas, Lukas, see Humperto's talk]



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Accounting for lost information [MadMiner: Brehmer, Kling, Espejo, Cranmer]

- $Z \rightarrow \nu\nu$ losing longitudinal momenta
- $H \rightarrow b\bar{b}$ detector resolution
- backgrounds with different final state
- needed likelihood ratio at detector level

→ **ML-magic...**



Analysis benchmarking

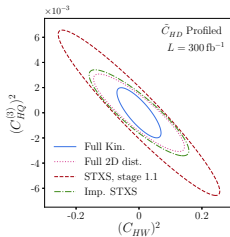
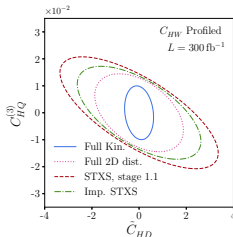
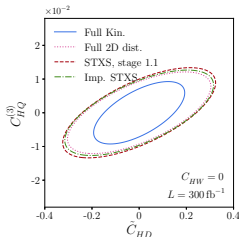
Information geometry for benchmarking [Brehmer, Dawson, Homiller, Kling, TP]

- find best analysis for VH [wf vs vertex structure vs 4-point]

$$\tilde{\mathcal{O}}_{HD} = (\phi^\dagger \phi) \square (\phi^\dagger \phi) - \frac{1}{4} (\phi^\dagger D^\mu \phi)^* (\phi^\dagger D_\mu \phi)$$

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- including detector and backgrounds
- favorite 2D-observables $p_{T,W} - m_{T,\text{tot}}$ vs STXSs vs full kinematics



→ Kinematics means modern simulation tools

