

The Analysis Description Language ecosystem: Latest developments and physics applications

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Language

The language

Analysis Description Language (ADL) is a declarative, domain specific language (DSL) that describes the **physics logic** of a HEP analysis in a standard and unambiguous way.

- **External DSL:** Custom syntax for physics analysis concepts.
- **Declarative:** Tells what to do but not how to do it.
- **Easy to read & communicate:** Clear, self-describing syntax
- **For everyone:** experimentalists, phenomenologists, students, interested public...

ADL consists of

- a plain text ADL file describing the analysis physics logic.
- a library of self-contained functions encapsulating variables that are non-trivial to express with the ADL syntax (e.g. aplanarity, M_{T2} , machine learning models, ...).

ADL example for a simple new physics analysis

```
# OBJECTS
object selMuons
take muon
select pT(muon) > 20
select abs(eta(muon)) < 2.4

object selEles
take ele
select pT(ele) > 20
select abs(eta(ele)) < 2.5

object selLeps
take union(selEles, selMuons)

object selJets
take jet
select pT(jet) > 30
select abs(eta(jet)) < 2.4
reject dR(jet, selLeps) < 0.4

# EVENT VARIABLES
define HT = sum(pT(selJets))
define MTI = Sqrt( 2*pT(selLeps[0]) *
MET*(1-cos(phi(METLV[0]) -
phi(selLeps[0])) ))

# EVENT SELECTION
region baseline
select size(selJets) >= 2
select HT > 200
select MET / HT <= 1

region signalregion
baseline
select Size(selLeps) == 0
select dphi(METLV[0], jets[0]) > 0.5

region controlregion
baseline
select size(selLeps) == 1
select MTI < 120
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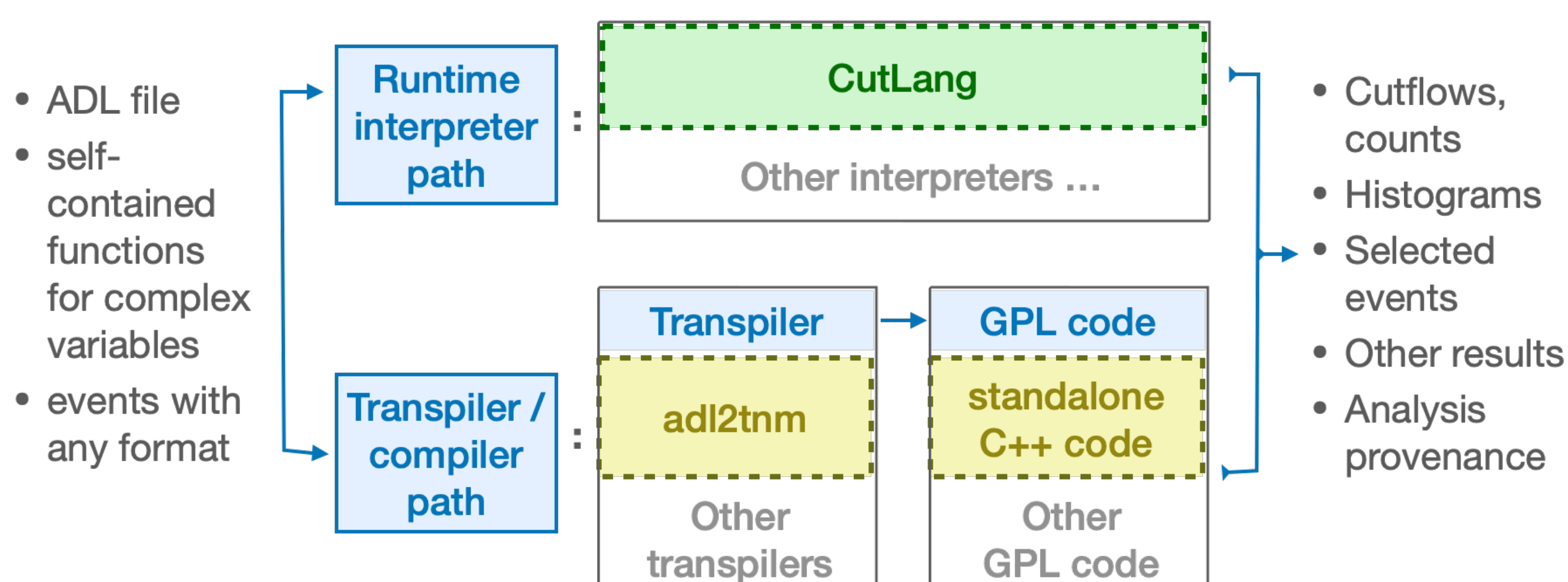
Interpreting

Making ADL executable

ADL is **framework-independent**. Decouples physics information from software / framework details.

- **Multi-purpose use:** Can be translated / integrated into any general purpose language or framework for various tasks.
- **Portability & preservation** of physics content.

Experimental / phenomenology analysis model with ADL



CutLang

Code: <https://github.com/unelg/CutLang>



- **C++ runtime interpreter** for ADL. Based on **ROOT**.
- Formal grammar parsing by **Lex & Yacc**.
- Reads **TTree-like** formats: **NanoAOD**, **Delphes**, **Open Data**, ...
- **Many external functions**, including kinematic variables. ML model interface via **ONNX**.
- Runs in **linux**, **macOS**. Available in **Docker**, **Conda**. **Jupyter kernel** exists (**binder** or **conda**).
- Outputs **cutflows**, **histograms**, **events**, **analysis description**, i.e. **provenance**.

Latest developments

- **Semiautomated interface** with physics data types.
- **Decoupled grammar implementation** from input data types and external functions.
- Automatic generation of **abstract syntax tree (AST)**.
- **adl2flowchart**: Tool to visualize ADL analyses as graphs / flowcharts.

Code: <https://github.com/danielmriley/adl2flowchart>

Physics applications

Multipurpose use

Distinguishing strength of ADL: **Navigating and exploring the multi-analysis landscape.**

Analysis with **ADL**

Many LHC analyses implemented in ADL.

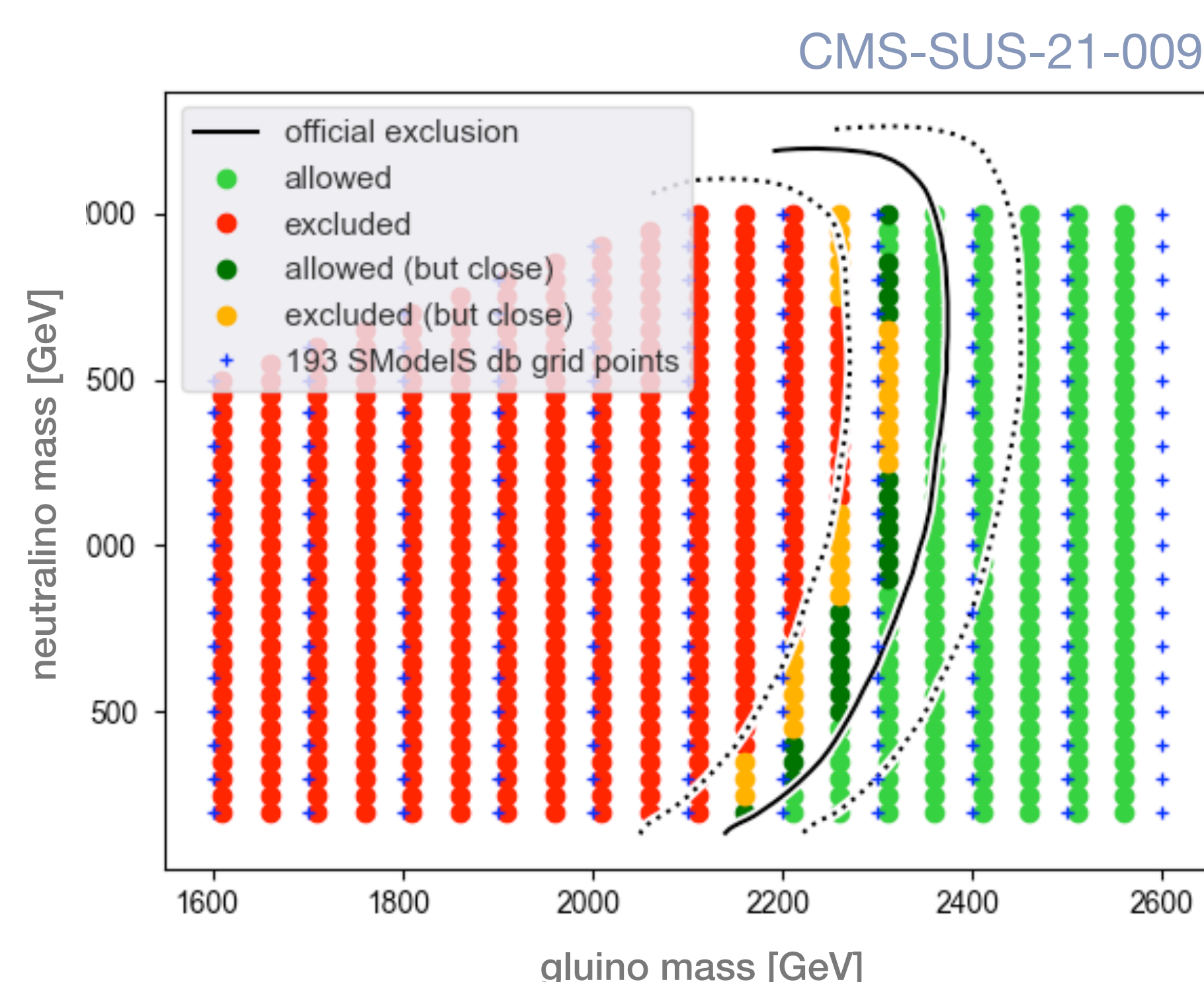
ADL analysis databases are the starting point of diverse applications.

- Design
- Perform
- Visualize
- Preserve
- Reinterpret
- Query
- Compare
- Combine
- Educate

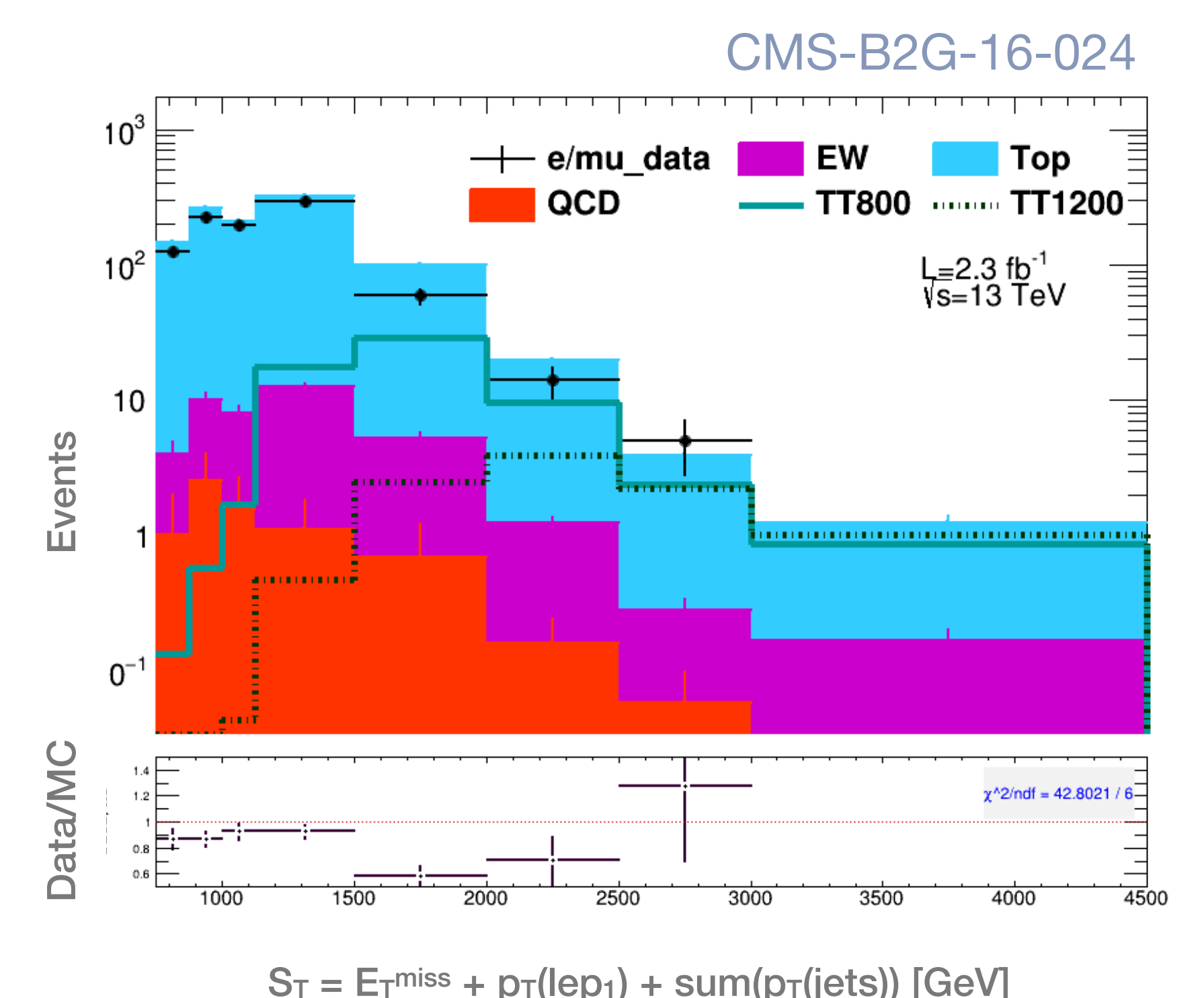
ADL analysis repository: <https://github.com/ADL4HEP>

Reproduction of CMS SUSY search with photon + jets + E_T^{miss} using ADL/CutLang: Limits agree with CMS.

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CMS Run 1 vector-like quark search with boosted W and Higgs bosons with ADL/CutLang on CMS Open Data:



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