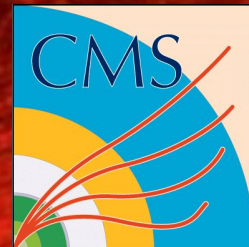


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## Early top quark measurements with Run3 data by the CMS experiment



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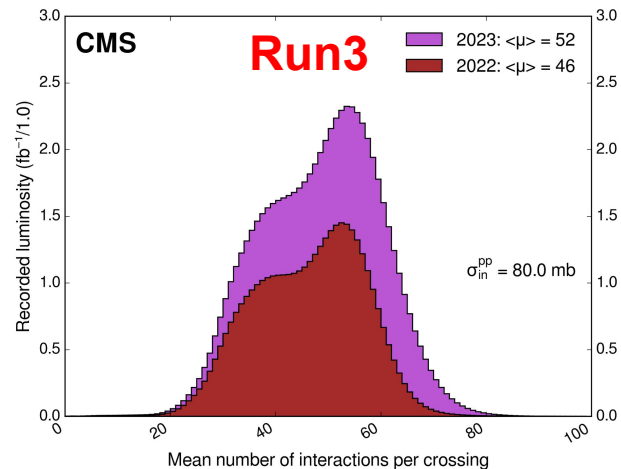
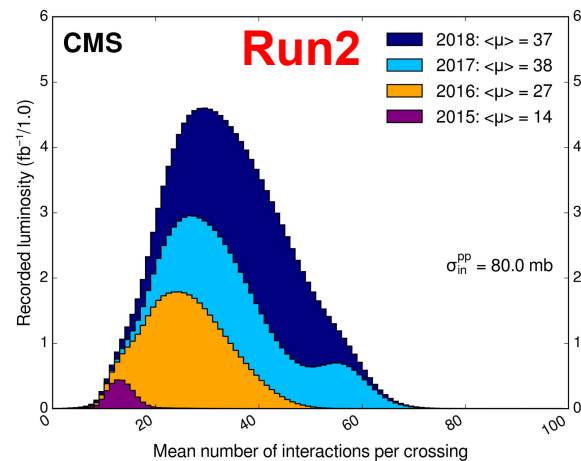
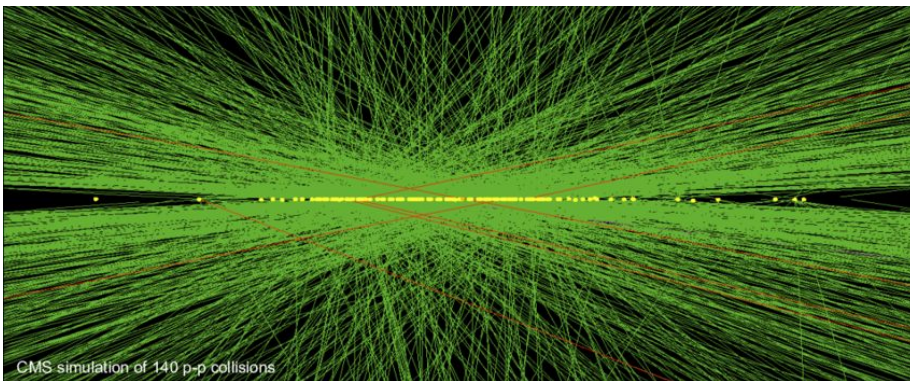
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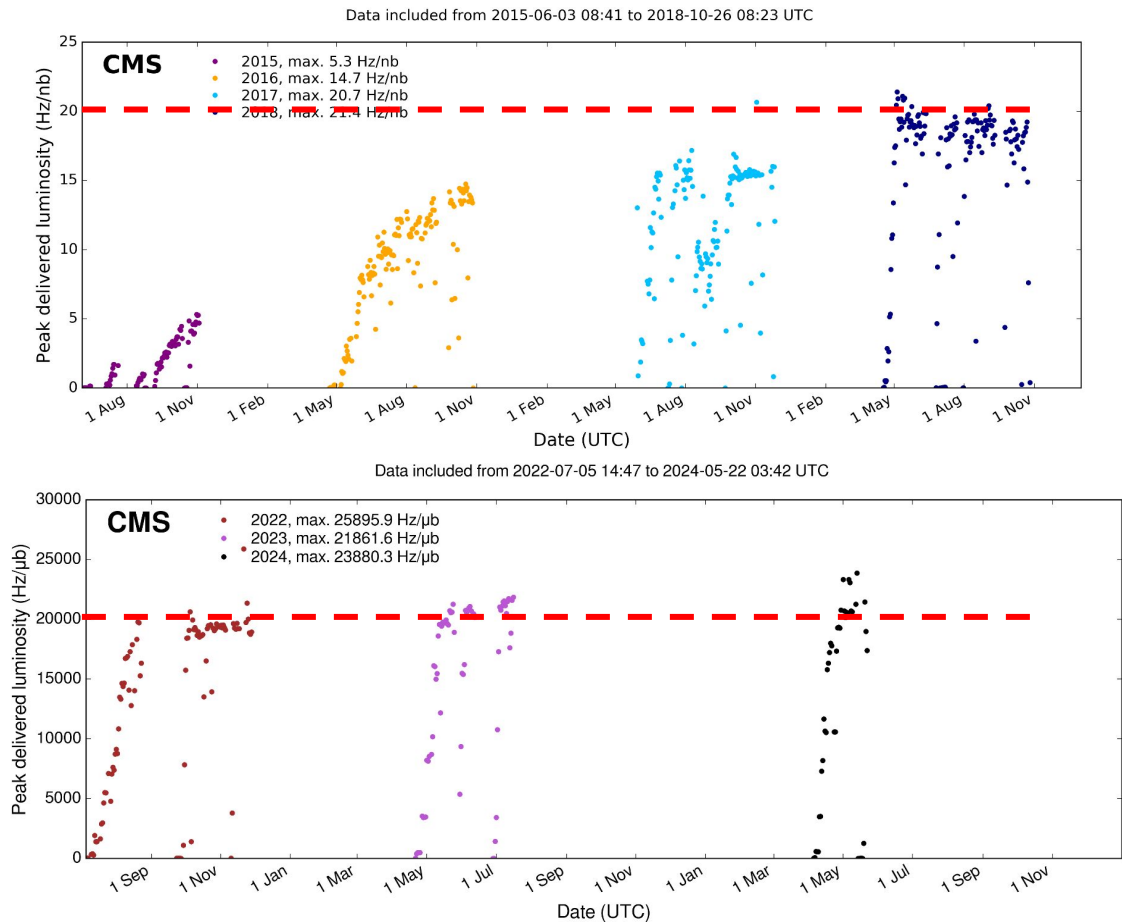
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# LHC Run3 Data

- During Run 3 the LHC is expected to run at higher instantaneous luminosity
  - Achieved by increasing the **number of interactions per bunch crossing**
- **Harder conditions:**
  - **Higher rate of background**
  - **Increased of pile-up**
- Higher rate of **interesting events** but more **challenging** to identify signal events



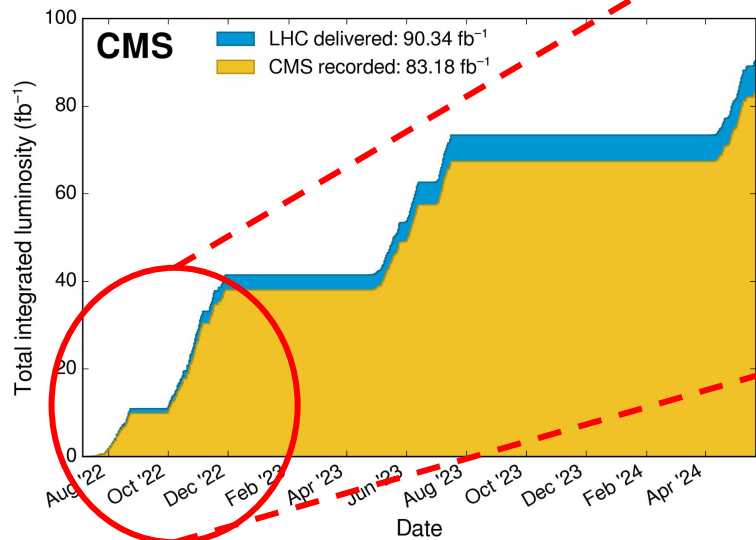
# LHC Run2 v Run3 Instantaneous Luminosity



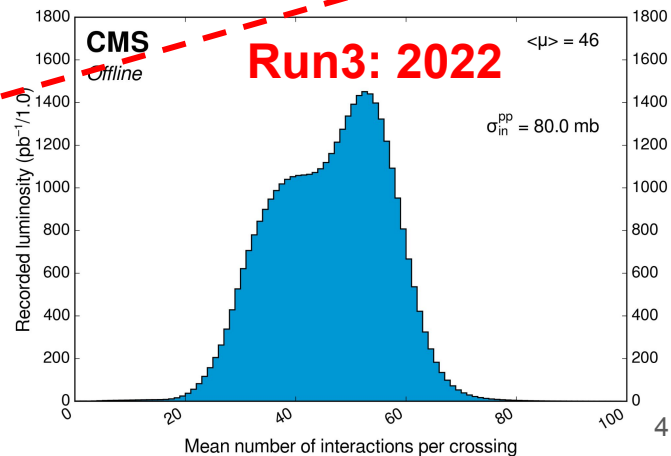
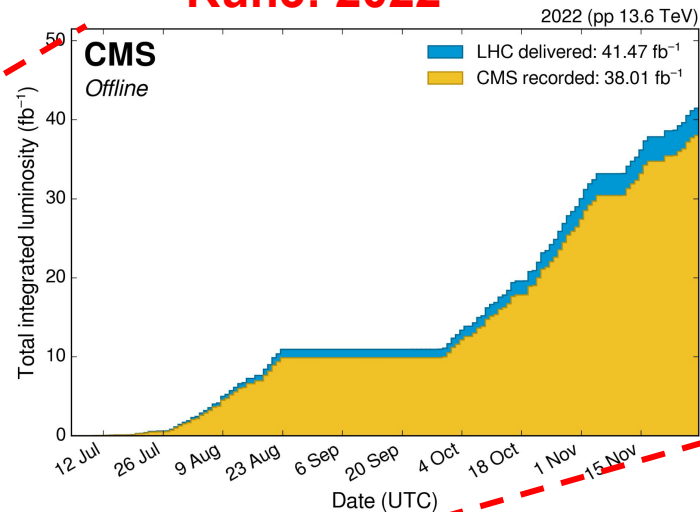
**Run3** data-taking started at the maximum values of inst. luminosity reached at **Run2**

# LHC Run3 Luminosity and Pile-up

## Run3: 2022-2024



## Run3: 2022



# CMS and ATLAS Run3 Publications/Public Notes

## CMS



**ttbar cross section** [JHEP 08 \(2023\) 204](#)

LLPs decaying to final states with a pair of muons [JHEP 05 \(2024\) 047](#)

**tW inclusive and differential cross section**  
[CMS-PAS-TOP-23-008](#)

- $W^+W^-$  inclusive and differential

[CMS-PAS-SMP-24-001](#)

- Inclusive cross section of Z boson production [CMS-PAS-SMP-22-017](#)

- Low-mass LLPs decaying to displaced jets [CMS-PAS-EXO-23-013](#)

- Luminosity measurement in proton- proton collisions in 2022 at CMS

[CMS-PAS-LUM-22-001](#)

- Development of the CMS detector for the CERN LHC Run 3 [JINST 19 P05064](#)

## ATLAS

- The ATLAS detector for the LHC Run-3 **Accepted by JINST**
- $H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$  and  $H \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow 4l$  cross sections [Eur. Phys. J. C 84 \(2024\) 78](#)
- Measurement of tt cross section and tt/Z cross section ratio [Phys. Let. B 848 \(2024\) 138376](#)
- Measurement of ZZ production cross sections in the four-lepton final state **Submitted to PLB**
- Measurement of vector boson production cross sections and their ratios **Accepted by PLB**
- Few more on performance, computing... (full list on back-up)



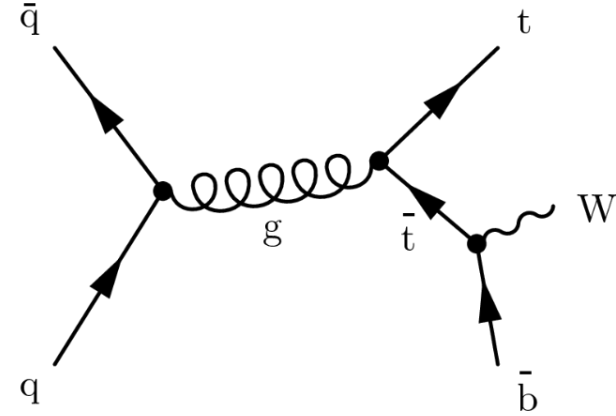
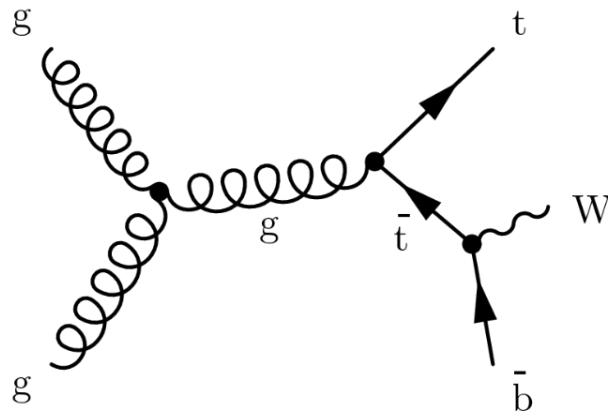
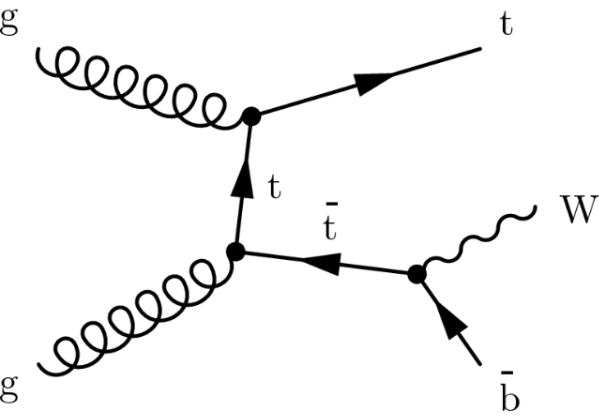
Alicia's talk

# Motivation and Introduction

- Top quarks keep playing a key role on LHC physics
  - The most massive elementary particle
  - Relevant for EWK symmetry breaking
- Top quarks are produced in abundance at the LHC
- Dominant production modes:
  - **Pair ( $t\bar{t}$ ) production** via **QCD interactions**:  $\sim 10$  Hz for 13.6 TeV
  - **Single production** via **EW interactions**:  $\sim 1$  Hz for 13.6 TeV
- **This talk focuses on:**
  - $t\bar{t}$  inclusive cross section [JHEP 08 \(2023\) 204](#)
  - $tW$  inclusive and differential cross section [CMS-PAS-TOP-23-008](#)
  - Extra: WZ analysis on-going

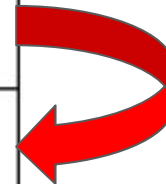


# top-antitop ( $t\bar{t}$ )



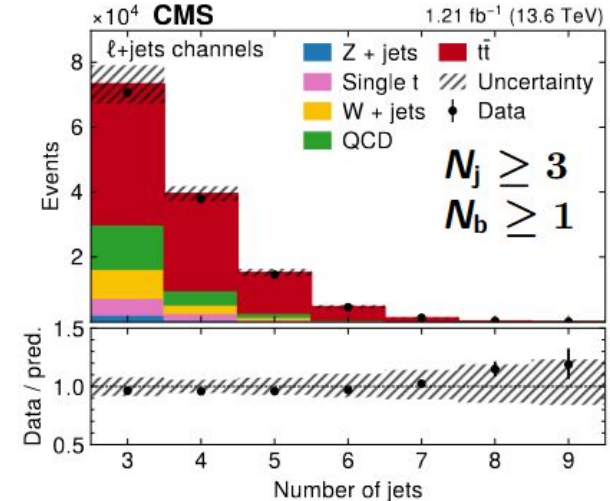
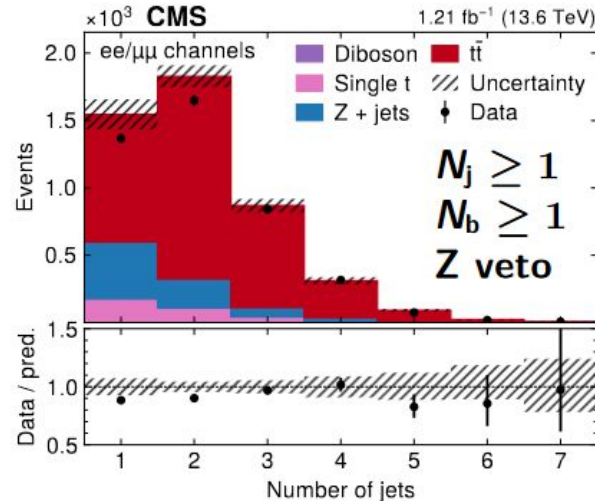
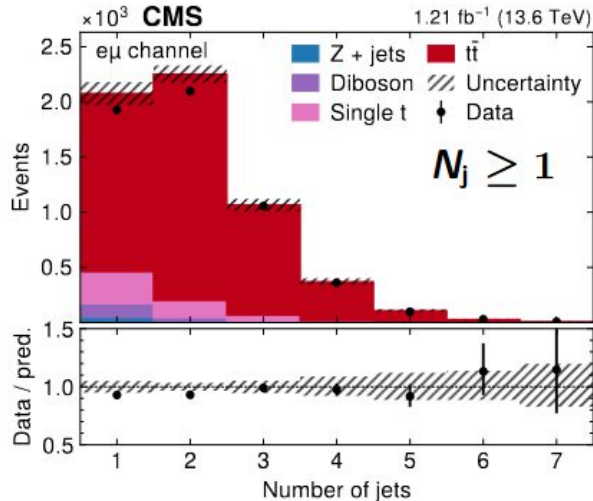
**Reference:** Top++v2.0 program (M.Czakon, A. Mitov, Comput.Phys.Commun. 185 (2014) 2930)

$\sqrt{s}$	$\sigma_{t\bar{t}^-}$ (NNLO + NNLL)
13 TeV	$833.9^{+29.4}_{-36.6}$ pb (4.4%)
13.6 TeV	$923.6^{+32.1}_{-40.4}$ pb (4.4%)



**11% increase**

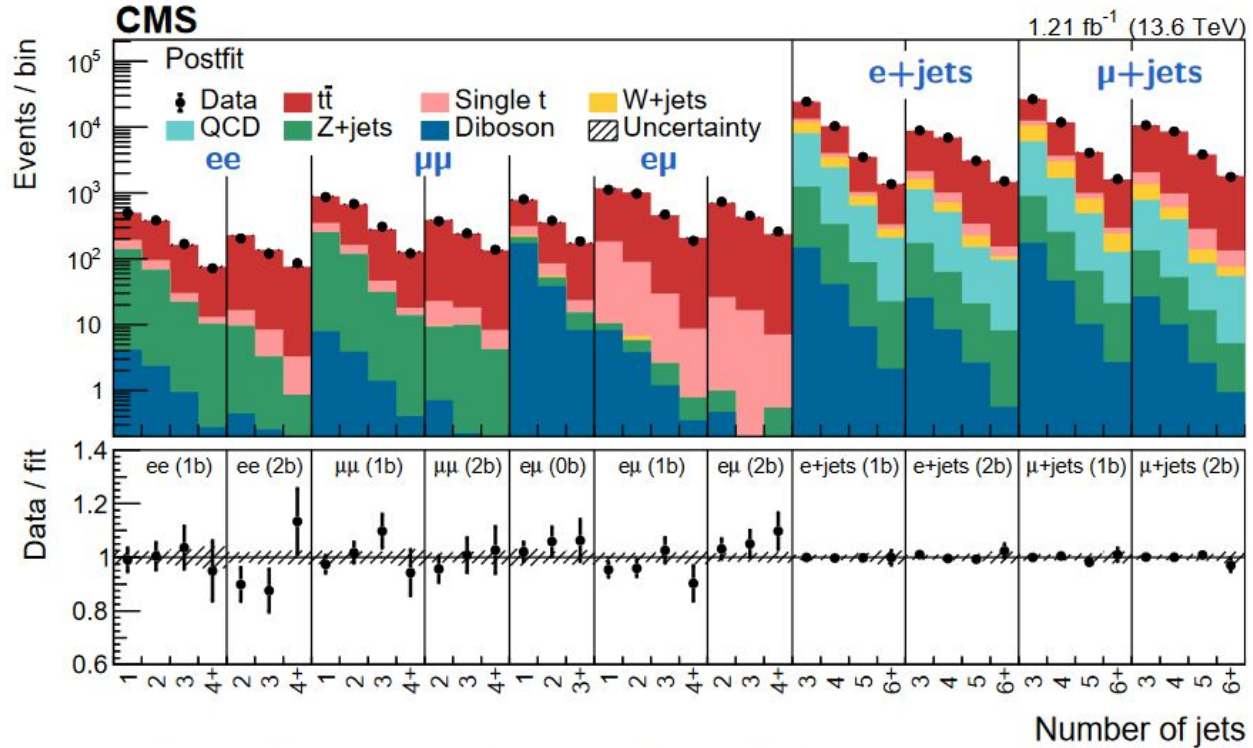
- **Early measurement:** Data from 27 July to 03 August 2022  $\Rightarrow 1.21 \text{ fb}^{-1}$
- **Combined analysis:**
  - Dilepton ( $e\mu$ ,  $ee$ ,  $\mu\mu$ ) and lepton+jets ( $e$ +jets,  $\mu$ +jets) channels
- **Event categories:** lepton number & flavor,  $N_j$ ,  $N_b$  (shown in next slide)



- A **maximum likelihood fit** is performed in **event categories** after Z+jets and QCD normalization **corrections** from side-band regions
- A **cut-and-count analysis** is also performed



Source	Uncertainty (%)
Lepton ID efficiencies	1.6
Trigger efficiency	0.3
JES	0.7
b tagging efficiency	1.1
Pileup reweighting	0.5
ME scale, t $\bar{t}$	0.6
ME scale, backgrounds	0.1
ME/PS matching	0.1
PS scales	0.3
PDF and $\alpha_s$	0.3
Single t background	1.0
Z+jets background	0.3
W+jets background	0.0
Diboson background	0.5
QCD multijet background	0.3
Statistical uncertainty	0.5
Combined uncertainty	2.6
Integrated luminosity	2.3

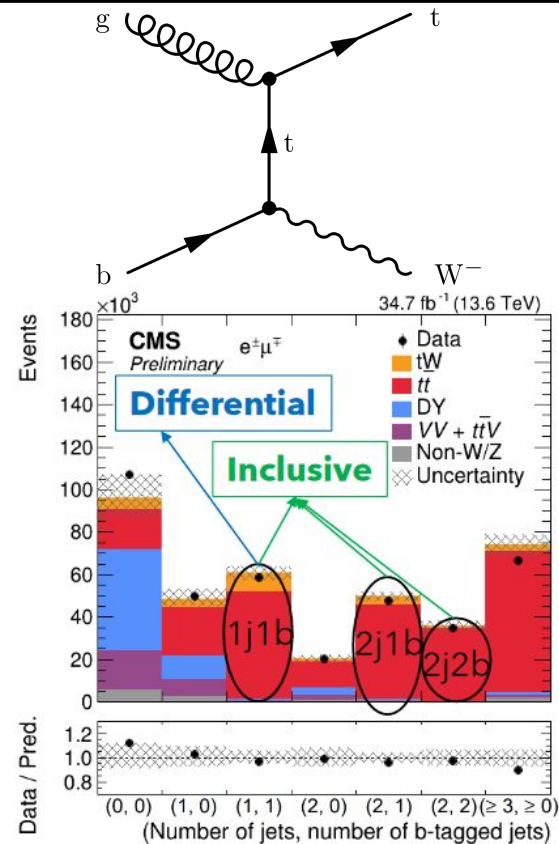


$$\sigma_{t\bar{t}} = 882 \pm 23 \text{ (stat+syst)} \pm 20 \text{ (lumi)} \text{ pb} \quad \sigma_{t\bar{t}}^{\text{C\&C}} = 888 \pm 34 \text{ (stat+syst)} \pm 20 \text{ (lumi)} \text{ pb}$$

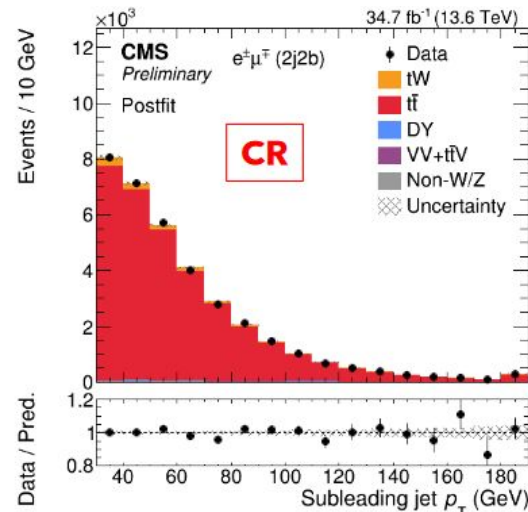
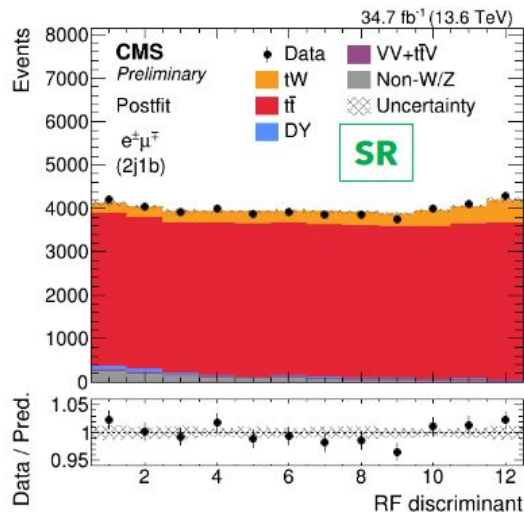
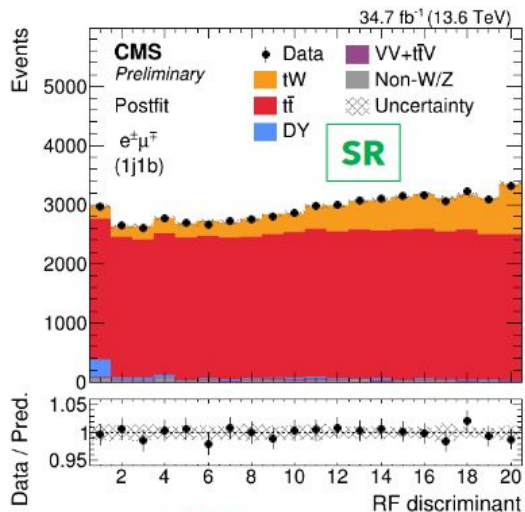
- **Lepton ID efficiencies:** from T&P method from Z+jets events plus extrapolation factor
- **b tagging efficiencies:** free fit parameter, constrained from using N<sub>b</sub> = 0,1,2 categories

First measurement of the tW process at 13.6 TeV using the full 2022 dataset with 34.7 fb<sup>-1</sup>

- Measure the inclusive cross section of tW
- Measure the differential cross sections as a function of several observables
- **Main challenges:**
  - Irreducible **tt** background largely dominates signal contribution
  - **NLO** interference between tW and tt (*DR and DS samples*)
- **Event selection:**
  - $e^{\pm}\mu^{\mp}$ : the two leading leptons must be an electron and a muon of opposite charge (OSOF)
  - Leading lepton  $p_T > 25$  GeV and subleading lepton  $p_T > 20$  GeV
  - All lepton pairs must satisfy  $m(\ell 1, \ell 2) > 20$  GeV



- To discriminate between tW and tt events, two **Random Forest (RF)**, in the **1j1b** and **2j1b** regions are trained using the kinematic properties of the events
- ML fit performed to extract the signal using the two RFs and the subleading jet  $p_T$  (**2j2b**)



**JHEP05 (2021) 278**  $\leftarrow$   $\sigma_{tW}^{SM} = 87.9_{-1.9}^{+2.0}(\text{scale}) \pm 2.4(\text{PDF} + \alpha_S) \text{ pb}$

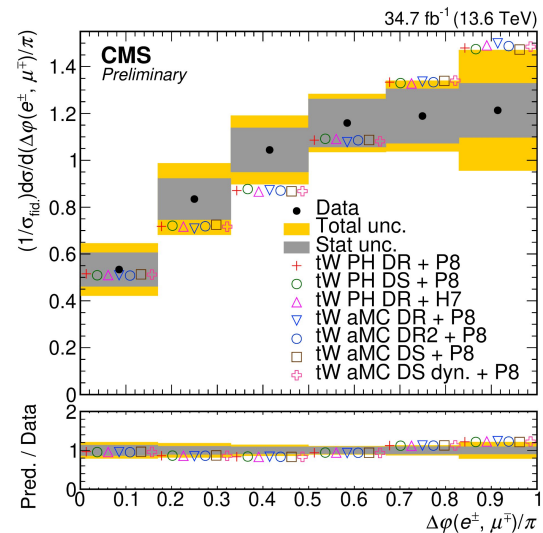
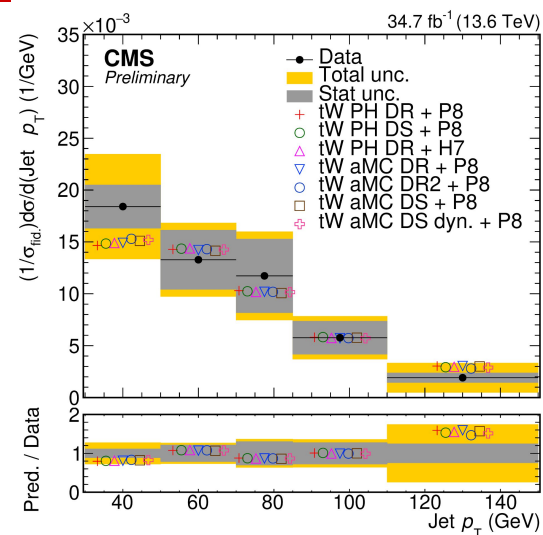
$\sigma_{tW}^{obs} = 84.1 \pm 2.1(\text{stat})_{-10.2}^{+9.8}(\text{syst}) \pm 3.3(\text{lum}) \text{ pb}$

**Main systematic uncertainties:** jet energy scale, b tagging and non-W/Z (misidentified leptons) normalization

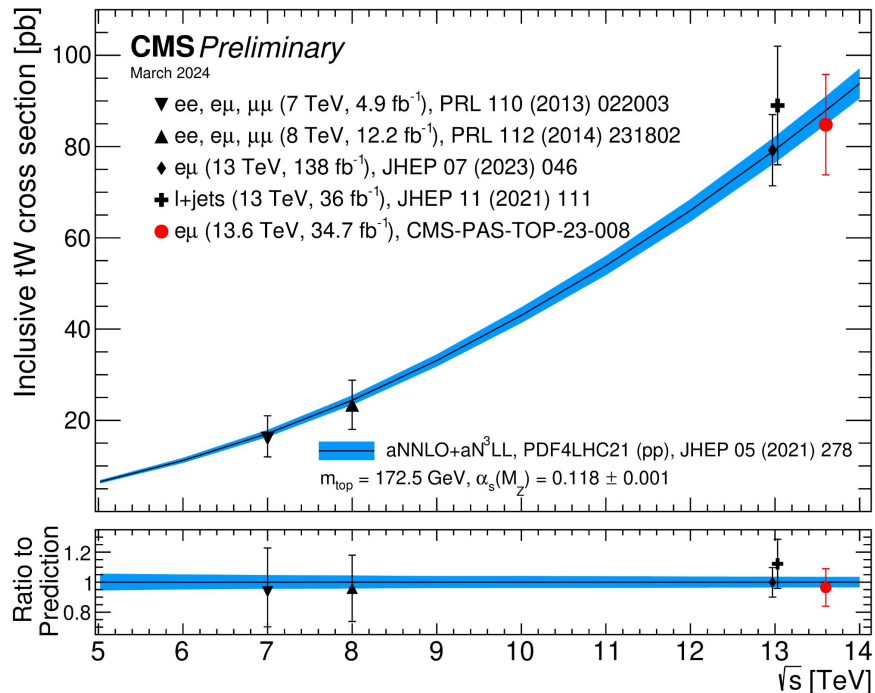
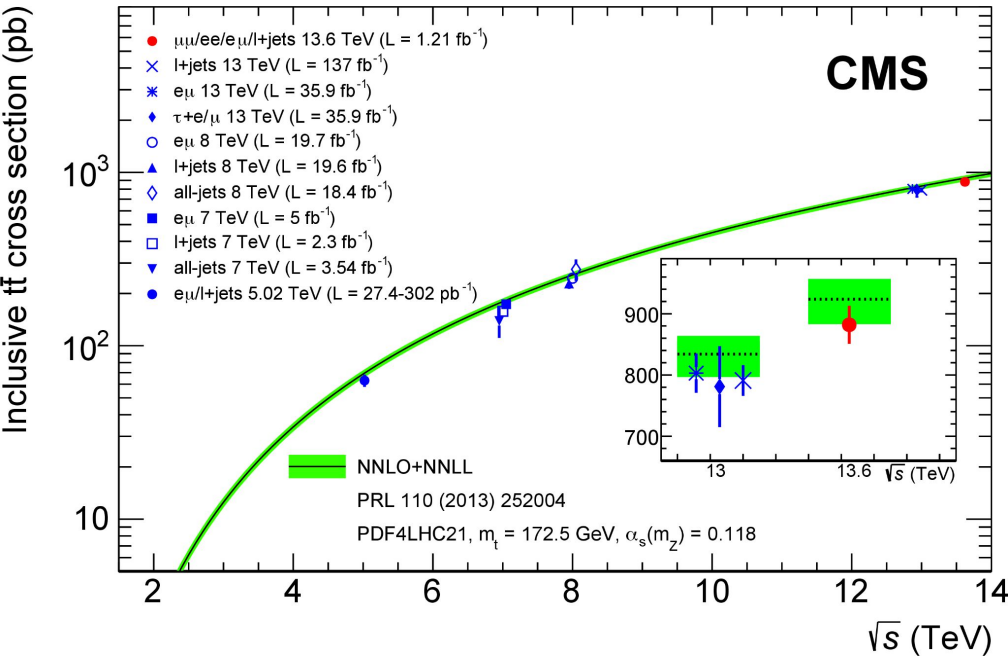
# tW differential cross section at 13.6 TeV

- Measurement performed in the **1j1b** region **vetoing** events with **low energy jets** (loose jets)
- Signal extraction is performed by background subtraction
- Unfolding from detector level to particle level is performed using TUnfold (JINST 7 (2012) T10003)
- **Measure the following 6 observables** (all in back-up):
  - $p_T$  of the leading lepton and of the jet
  - $\Delta\phi(e, \mu)$
  - $p_z(e, \mu, \text{jet})$
  - $m(e, \mu, \text{jet})$
  - $m_T(e, \mu, \text{jet}, p_T^{\text{miss}})$
- Results **normalized** to fiducial cross section
- **Compared unfolded data with predictions:**
  - POWHEG (PH) vs MADGRAPH5\_aMC@NLO (aMC)
  - PYTHIA8 (P8) vs HERWIG7 (H7)
  - Different schemes to treat the tW and tt interference

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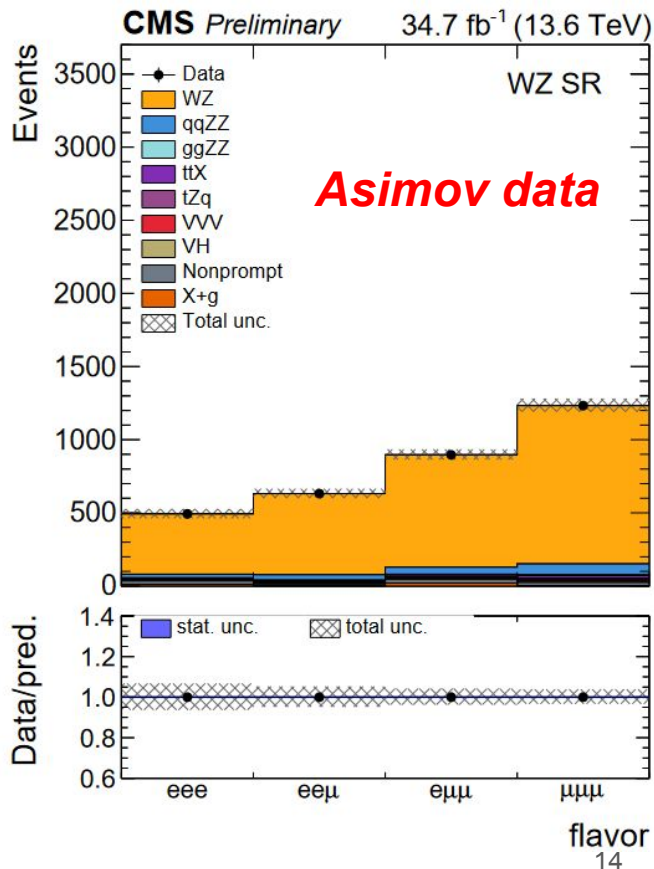
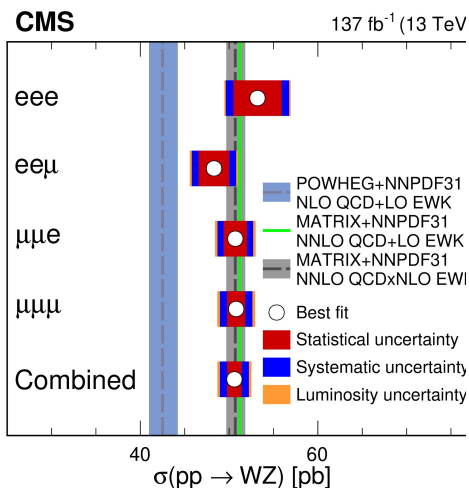
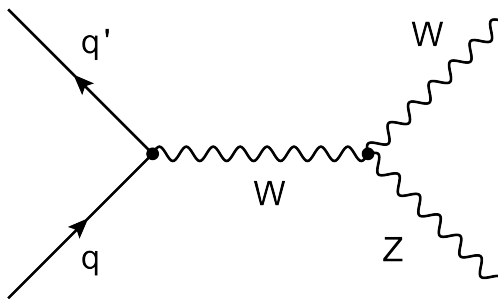
# Results



# On-going: WZ cross section at 13.6 TeV

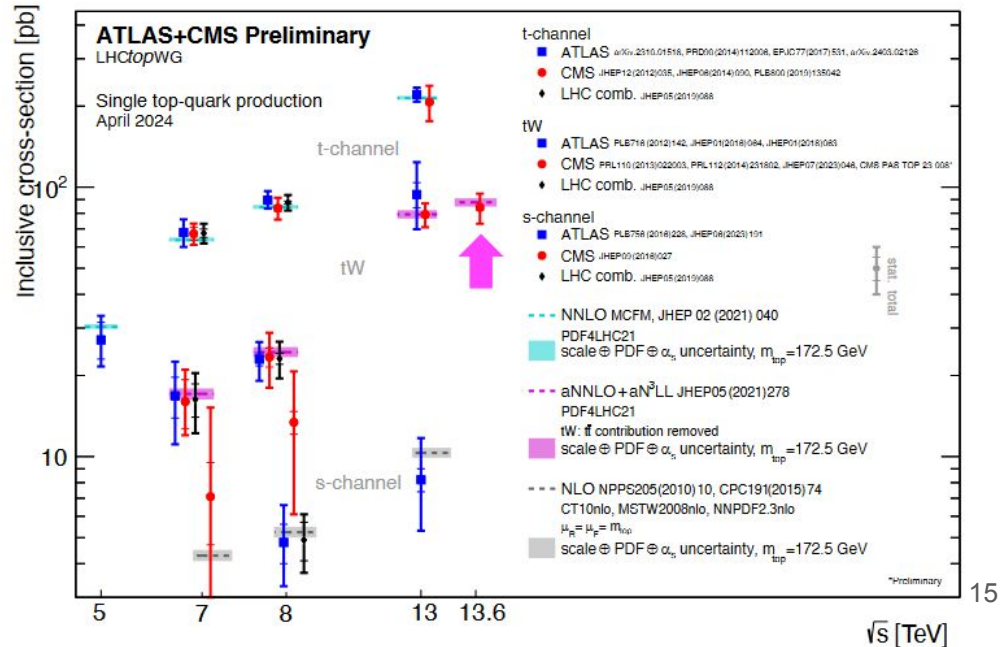
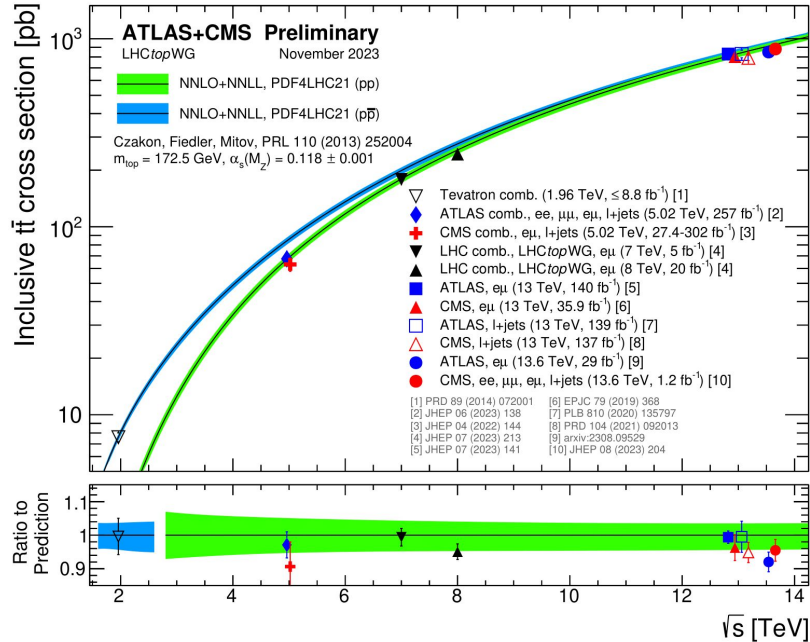


- Working on measuring WZ cross section at 13.6 TeV
- Three-lepton analysis:**
  - eee, eeμ, μμe, μμμ
- Very clean final state**
- Aiming for a similar precision of Run2 ([JHEP 07 \(2022\) 032](#)):
  - ~4% level**
- Compare with high order predictions:
  - POWHEG at NLO in QCD
  - MATRIX at NNLO in QCD



# Summary

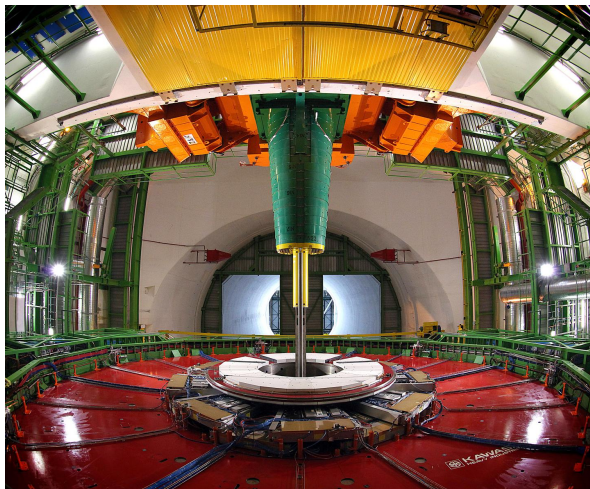
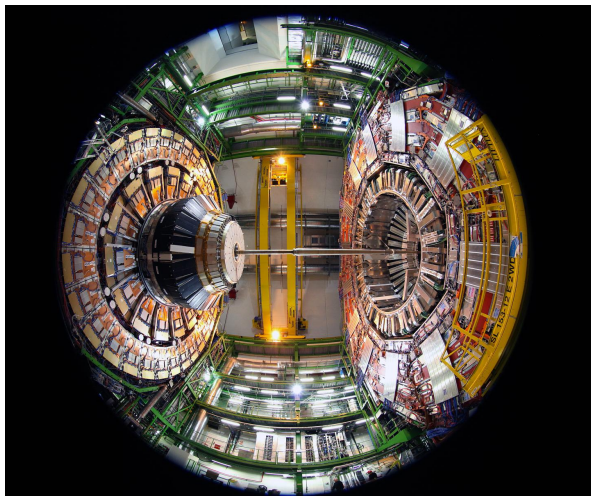
- Successful **Run3** data-taking
- **Precision measurements** performed to keep testing **SM accuracy** and as a window the **new physics**
- **Differential** and **fiducial** measurements are key inputs to improve **MC modeling**



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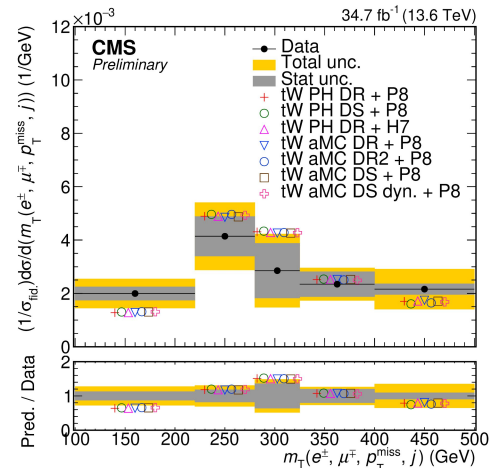
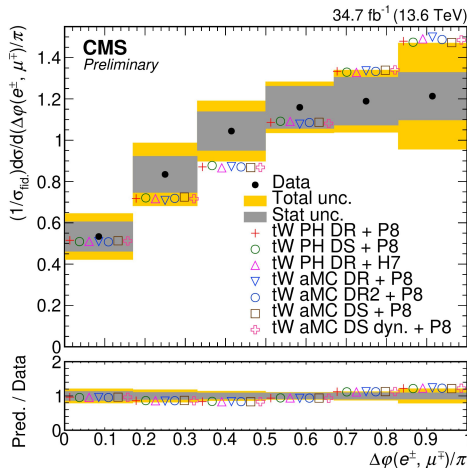
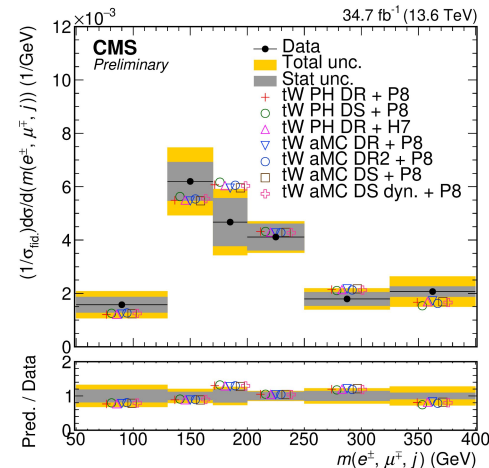
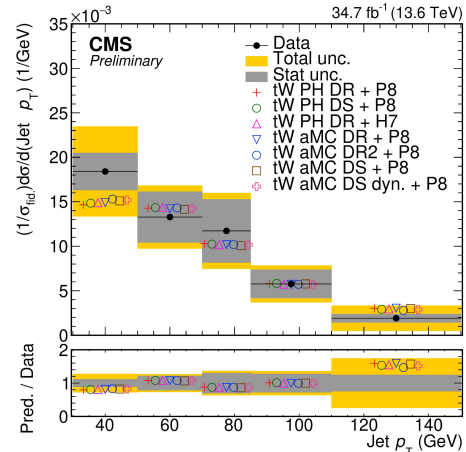
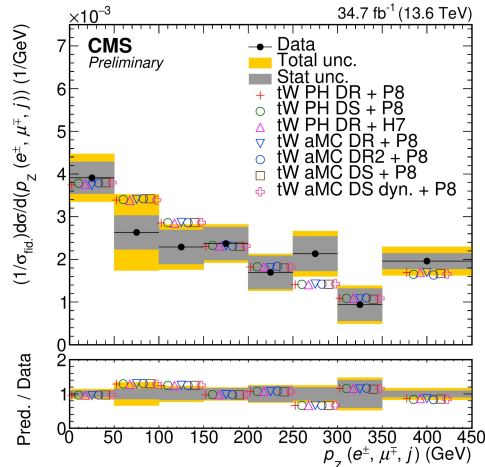
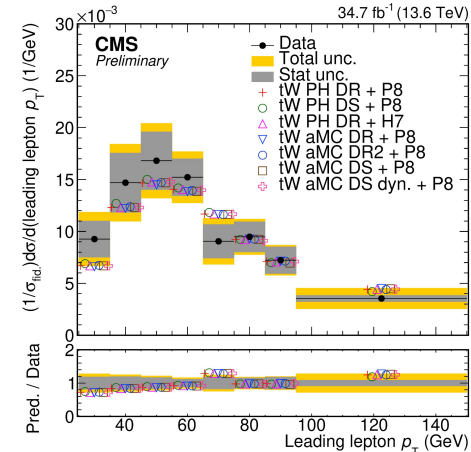




# ATLAS Run 3 Publications

ATLAS Google Project: Total Cost of Ownership <b>NEW</b>	<a href="#">SOFT</a>	Submitted to CSBS	2024-05-22	13.6		<a href="#">Documents</a>   <a href="#">Internal</a>
Run 3 Software and Computing	<a href="#">SOFT</a>	Submitted to EPJC	2024-04-09	13.6		<a href="#">Documents</a>   <a href="#">2404.06335</a> <a href="#">Inspire</a>   <a href="#">Internal</a>
Measurement of vector boson production cross sections and their ratios	<a href="#">STDM</a>	Accepted by PLB	2024-03-19	13.6	29 fb <sup>-1</sup>	<a href="#">Documents</a>   <a href="#">2403.12902</a> <a href="#">Inspire</a>   <a href="#">Briefing</a>   <a href="#">Internal</a>
Performance of the ATLAS Trigger System in 2022	<a href="#">TRIG</a>	Submitted to JINST	2024-01-12	13.6	30 fb <sup>-1</sup>	<a href="#">Documents</a>   <a href="#">2401.06630</a> <a href="#">Inspire</a>   <a href="#">Internal</a>
Measurement of ZZ production cross-sections in the four-lepton final state	<a href="#">STDM</a>	Submitted to PLB	2023-11-16	13.6	29 fb <sup>-1</sup>	<a href="#">Documents</a>   <a href="#">2311.09715</a> <a href="#">Inspire</a>   <a href="#">HepData</a> <a href="#">Internal</a>
Track reconstruction software performance in Run 3	<a href="#">IDTR</a>	<a href="#">Comput Softw Big Sci</a> <a href="#">8, 9 (2024)</a>	2023-08-18	13.6		<a href="#">Documents</a>   <a href="#">2308.09471</a> <a href="#">Inspire</a>   <a href="#">Internal</a>
Measurement of tt cross-section and tt/Z cross-section ratio at sqrt(s) = 13.6 TeV	<a href="#">TOPQ</a>	<a href="#">Phys. Let. B 848</a> <a href="#">(2024) 138376</a>	2023-08-18	13.6	29 fb <sup>-1</sup>	<a href="#">Documents</a>   <a href="#">2308.09529</a> <a href="#">Inspire</a>   <a href="#">HepData</a> <a href="#">Internal</a>
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Fast b-jet identification algorithms in the ATLAS High Level Trigger for LHC Run 3	<a href="#">TRIG</a>	<a href="#">JINST 18 (2023) 001</a> <a href="#">P11006</a>	2023-06-16	13.6	6.3 fb <sup>-1</sup>	<a href="#">Documents</a>   <a href="#">2306.09738</a> <a href="#">Inspire</a>   <a href="#">Internal</a>
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# tW differential cross section at 13.6 TeV



We measure the following observables:

- p<sub>T</sub> of the leading lepton
- p<sub>T</sub> of the jet
- Δφ(e, μ)
- p<sub>z</sub>(e, μ, jet)
- m(e, μ, jet)
- m<sub>T</sub>(e, μ, jet, p<sub>T</sub><sup>miss</sup>)