

New particle searches at LHC (non-SUSY)

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A Comprehensive review of BSM searches at LHC Many Physics Reports about BSM Run 2 physics @LHC submitted: state-of-the-art of a broad set of physics results and techniques in many areas of LHC BSM physics. <u>Two examples:</u>



Dark Matter @ Colliders: wide range of phase space explored w/ complementary signatures Experimental overview of BSM searches - Livia Soffi - LFC24



Search for X to HH/G to HH: different analyses techniques optimized in dedicated final states

BSM searches since summer 2024

Reference	Торіс	Experiment	Model	φ 300 e
HDBS-2021-07	$H \rightarrow aa \rightarrow bb \tau \tau$	ATLAS		-
HDBS-2020-11 and HDBS-2024-45	$H^{\pm} \rightarrow cs$ and $H^{+} \rightarrow Wh$	→ Wh ATLAS		•
HDBS-2023-19	Combination of charged Higgs searches	ATLAS		
HDBS-2021-08	$A \rightarrow \tau \tau$	ATLAS 뽁		•
EXOT-2022-13	$t\bar{t}A \rightarrow t\bar{t}t\bar{t}$	ATLAS	Extended Higgs Sector	
HIG-24-002	$H \to ZZ \to 4l$	CMS		
HIG-22-004	$A \to Zh(\tau\tau)$	CMS		
SUS-24-001	$\phi \rightarrow bb$	CMS		
HIG-20-012	$A \to I H \to 40$			
HIG-22-013	$A \rightarrow \iota \iota$	CMS 📮		
EXOT-2018-55	Prompt Lepton-Jets	ATLAS		•
EXOT-2022-04	Long Lived Particles in the hadronic calorim.	ATLAS		
HDBS-2021-09	$H \rightarrow Za \rightarrow llj$	ATLAS 🚅	Dark Sector	•
SUS-23-004	mono-t	CMS		
SUS-23-012	mono-h(au au)	CMS		
SUS-23-018	$H \to Za \to ll\chi\chi$	CMS		
SUS-24-004	pMSSM	CMS		
SUS-23-003	Compressed Supersymmetry	CMS		
ATLAS-CONF-2024-011	Run3 displaced leptons	ATLAS	Supersymmetry	
SUS-23-002	Supersymmetry w/ charged leptons and missing	CMS		
ATLAS-CONF-2024-008	Vector Like Leptons (VLL) 4321 model (tau	ATLAS		
EXOT-2021-31	VLL (1st and 2nd gen)	ATLAS 뽁		
EXOT-2021-02	Combination of VLQ	ATLAS		
EXOT-2022-43	VLQ Wb (0L)	ATLAS 뽁	Heavy Fermions	
TOPQ-2019-31	t-HNL	ATLAS 뽁		•
EXO-23-015	$\text{VLL} \rightarrow \tau a(\gamma \gamma)$	CMS		
B2G-22-005	$t^* ightarrow tg$	CMS		
EXO-23-010	ll + b - jets, non - resonant	CMS	EFT	-
EXOT-2022-33	Low mass dijet + ISR gamma	ATLAS		
EXOT-2020-26	Dark Higgs via Z'	ATLAS		
HDBS-2021-13	S into four leptons	ATLAS 🚅	New Mediators	
EXO-24-007	Low mass dijet+ISR	CMS		
EXO-22-006	EXO-22-006 $Z' \rightarrow \mu \mu + b - jets, resonant$			
EXO-22-013	t-channel scalar and vector leptoquark	CMS	Leptoquarks	

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Tools

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Model Strategies

Signatures



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Model

• Extended Higgs Sector(2HDM) • Supersymmetry (see I. Vivarelli's <u>talk</u>) • Heavy fermions

Signatures





<u>Two Higgs doublet model (2HDM): H[‡], A, H, h</u>

Search for $t \to H^{\pm}b$ with $H^{\pm} \to cs$

Least stringent at ~80 GeV about 2.3%, as signal mass closest to W-boson

 $H^{\pm} \rightarrow cb$ moderate excess around 130 GeV from ATLAS, with global significance of 2.5 σ [link]



Dedicated flavour-tagging scheme: simultaneous tagging of b- and c-jets.



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Limits worsen as the acceptance decreases

<u>Two Higgs doublet model (2HDM): H⁺, A, H, h</u>

 $\sigma(gg \rightarrow A) \times B(A \rightarrow \tau \tau) [pb]$

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Search for a light CP-odd scalar resonance with a mass of 20 GeV to 90 GeV

Motivated by anomalies such as muon g-2 discrepancy.

Fully leptonic final states ($e+\mu$) from π decays to bypass trigger limitations for low energy T

Excellent understanding of low-energy electrons (and muons)



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<u>Backup</u>

<u>Two Higgs doublet model (2HDM): H[±], A, H, h</u> Search for bosons of an extended Higgs sector in b quark final states



	Semi Leptonic (SL)		Fully Hadronic (FH)	
125		700		1800





<u>Two Higgs doublet model (2HDM): H⁺, A, H, h</u> Search for $X \to YH \to 4b$ → bōbō) [fb] - HY ↓ → X)B(X ←

Probes mass ranges: mX=400–1600 GeV and mY=60–1400 GeV

Model-independent approach with two-dimensional fit in reconstructed masses and data-driven background model with different b-tagging criteria

Largest excess for mX=700 GeV and mY=400 GeV, with a **local significance of 4.1 standard deviations**, reduced to 2.8

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+ interesting excesses in bbgg final state in Run 2:







<u>Two Higgs doublet model (2HDM): H⁺, A, H, h</u>

Search for $A \to Zh(h \to \tau \tau)$

Dedicated mass estimator corrects for missing momentum from neutrinos while constraining h mass to 125 GeV: best mass resolution of 5-7%





Category w/ b-jets designed to bbF production mode



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Two Higgs doublet model (2HDM): H^{\pm} , A, H, h Search for $A \rightarrow t\bar{t}$

Probes masses in the range of **365–1000 GeV** and relative **widths of 0.5–25%**. Constraints placed on coupling strength to top quarks.

Excess observed near the tt production threshold (> 5 σ)

Bound State Evidence: consistent with a tt bound state, predicted by nonrelativistic QCD, with a σ of 7.1 pb ± 11%.



Highlights the importance of modeling tt bound states in searches for heavy bosons.

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<u>Two Higgs doublet model (2HDM): H⁺, A, H, h</u> Search for $t\bar{t}A/H ightarrow t\bar{t}t\bar{t}$

Data-driven technique applied to improve modelling of the **tt+jets bkg in** regime with high (b-)jet multiplicities

H/*A* production in **association with a tt pair**, much less susceptible to interference effects with the SM 4top production g OOOOOOOOO H/A

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Exactly one lepton (electron or muon) or two leptons with opposite electric charge (1L/2LOS)



The search in the 1L/2LOS final states combined with that in the multilepton final states (+19%) New particle searches at LHC (non-SUSY)



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<u>Two Higgs doublet model (2HDM+a): H‡A, H, h,a</u>

2HDM+a: extension of the Standard Model that includes two Higgs doublets and an additional pseudoscalar particle (a)



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Search for dark matter with bquarks and lepton pairs



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<u>Heavy Fermions</u>





<u>Vector Like Leptons</u>







1st-2nd gen

prization: flavor, # leptons, missing energy



Stringent mass exclusion limits (**up to 1270 GeV**) in doublet and singlet scenarios





<u>Heavy Neutral Leptons at LHC</u>



Unique top-quark decay channels, enhancing sensitivity to specific HNL scenarios while utilizing advanced b-tagging

same-flavor leptons







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Identifying one of the top quarks through its decay according to the SM, while **utilizing the decay of the** other top quark to search for HNLs.

techniques.



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Pair production of excited top (t*)





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Strategies

- Identifying merged objects
- Accessing low energies





particles decay



<u>Exotic decays of the SM Higgs boson</u> Search for decays of the Higgs boson into a pair of pseudoscalar particles decaying into $bb\tau\tau$



B categories sensitive at low-mass

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<u>Search for low-mass resonances into</u>



hadrons + ISR photon

Photon from initial state radiation, which is used as a trigger to circumvent limitations on the maximum data recording rate.



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<u>hadrons + ISR</u>





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• Di-objects searches Long-lived particles Innovative usage of the detector

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Zd mass between 15 and 300 GeV, and the S mass between either 30 and 115 GeV or 130 and 800 GeV



 $\langle m_{\ell\ell} \rangle$ [GeV]

Extends previous searches, **covering a broader mass range** w/ upper limits ($\sigma \cdot B$) from: 0.14 fb to 3.1 fb for mS<115 GeV 0.05 fb to 0.60 fb for mS>130 GeV

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Less conventional dilepton searches beyond inclusiveness in number of jets



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Complementary **result at high mass** (up to 2 TeV) already published



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Non-resonant dilepton + b-jets

Lepton flavor universality tested by comparing dimuon and dielectron mass vs # b-jets.



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Searches for Long Lived Particles: Decays in Partas Tracker, Calorimeters and Muon Detectors



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Standalone muon pair Muons reconstructed only in the muon detectors [link]



<u>Searches for Long Lived Particles: Decays in Partas</u> Tracker, Calorimeters and Muon Detectors Search for displaced leptons in 13 TeV and 13.6 TeV





95% CL exclusion contours for longlived selectrons (smuons and staus,







Searches for Long Lived Particles: Decays in Partas Tracker, Calorimeters and Muon Detectors Search for neutral long-lived particles that decay into



== additional object to trigger the event + access low-mass/boost regions (enhance sensitivity)

CalRatio: LLPs that decay after the electromagnetic calorimeter have very low electromagnetic component



Searches for Long Lived Particles: Decays in Tracker, Calorimeters and Muon Detectors

Vector Like Leptons via LLP decays in the muon system







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• Dedicated data streams Ad-hoc triggers for LLPs at Run 3



<u>Scouting opportunities at Run 2 & 3</u>







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<u>Scouting opportunities at Run 3</u>

Scouting Run 3: more elaborated objects, tau leptons reconstruction from all info stored in scouting dataset

dynamical tau cone definition vs p_T



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first time in Scouting data





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<u>Innovative trigger strategies at Run 3</u>

Run 3 physics program expands the scope of searches for BSM with addition of dedicated LLP triggers







Run 3 provides a powerful platform to explore new physics through combination of higher energy, increased luminosity, and improved experimental techniques







HL-LHC will significantly increase physics reachs: gains from **high luminosity** and new detector capabilities

Next years will provide massive amount of new knowledge and we are expecting to exceed expectations!

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m_u (GeV)

timing detectors

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2024: the newly formed BSM LHC WG



https://lpcc.web.cern.ch/content/lhc-bsm-wg

- will extend the existing work of the LHC DM and LLP **WGs** to other BSM scenarios, under a common structure, together with the other LHC experiments + members of the Theory community
- consolidated and broad overview of **BSM LHC** physics program and of current state of the art and **plans** from LHC experiments



Thank you for listening!



ATLAS Leptoquark summary

ATLAS Leptoquark searches - 95% CL exclusion

Status: July 2024



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ATLAS Preliminary

 $\sqrt{s} = 13 \text{ TeV}.139 \text{ fb}^{-1}$

ATLAS Dark Matter summary





ATLAS SUSY summary



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CMS Heavy Resonances summary

Overview of CMS B2G Results

CMS Preliminary

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