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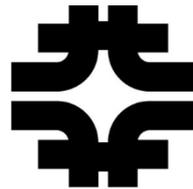
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(*) Review of Exotica results presented at Moriond
No Higgs or SUSY discussed here

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Outline

- Summary of searches carried out with 2011 data
 - Including a list of signatures on which CMS is working on
- First priority
 - Examine as many final states and topologies as possible
 - Discover “something” new (it doesn’t really matter what it is)
- Obvious questions to ask
 - What else is there? What are we forgetting?
- Goal: give an idea of analyses under consideration
 - Details discussed in parallel sessions (when time allows)
 - Links given to public analysis notes



“Tell me that you have found no sign of
New Physics again, I dare you.
I double dare you. Tell me
one more goddamn time!”

Well, allow me to retort



- Huge amount of data, very large number of analyses
- No smoking gun yet, but
 - Small excesses here & there. Keep an eye on them!
- Planning for this year
 - Expand our discovery potential

CMS: 25 New Results

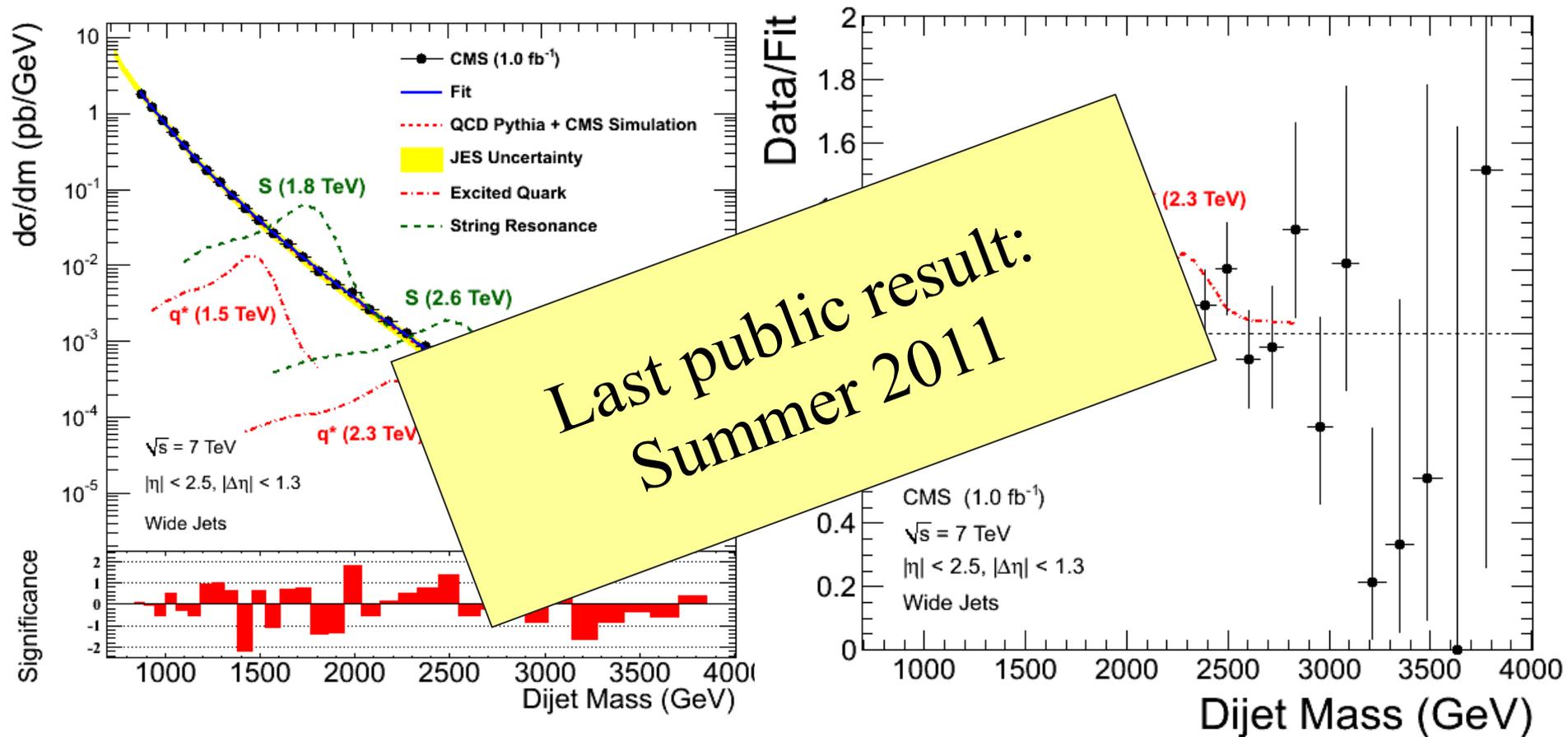
- Resonances (Z' -like and extra dimensions)
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Resonances (aka: Z' -like) and Extra Dimensions

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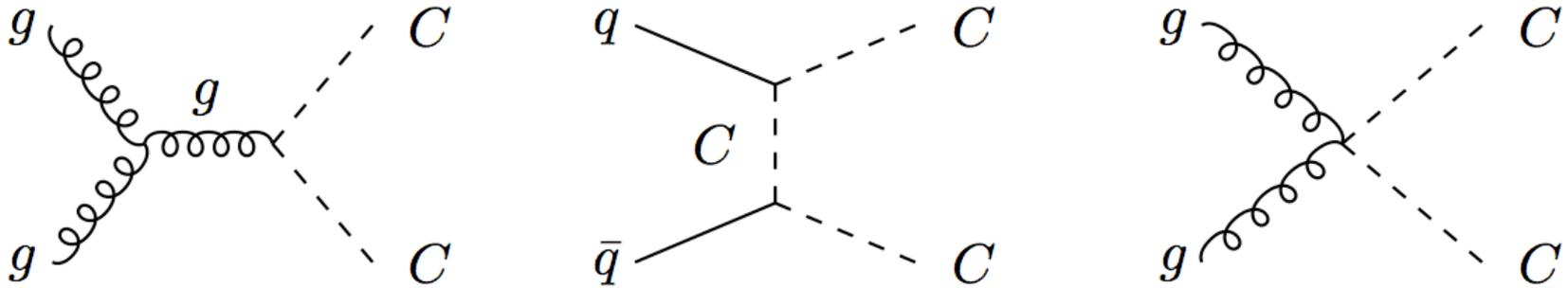
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Resonances: dijets



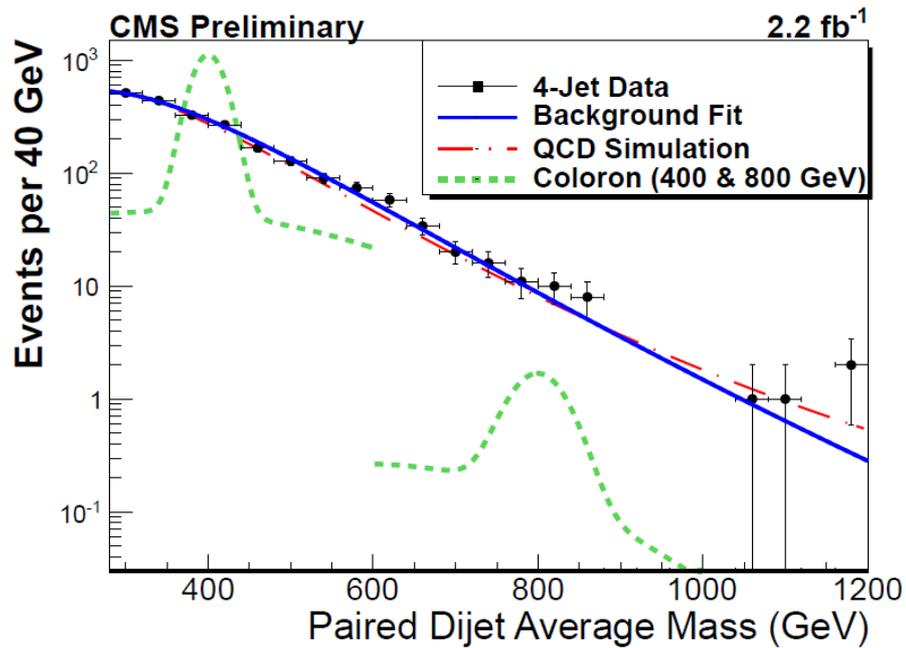
[10.1016/j.PhysLetB.2011.09.015](https://arxiv.org/abs/10.1016/j.PhysLetB.2011.09.015)
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Pairs of dijet resonances

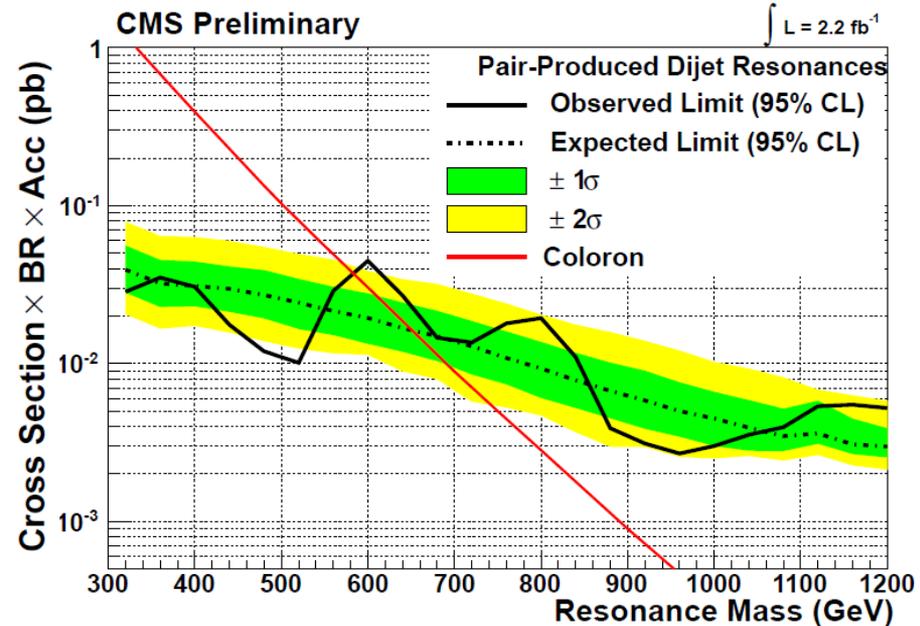
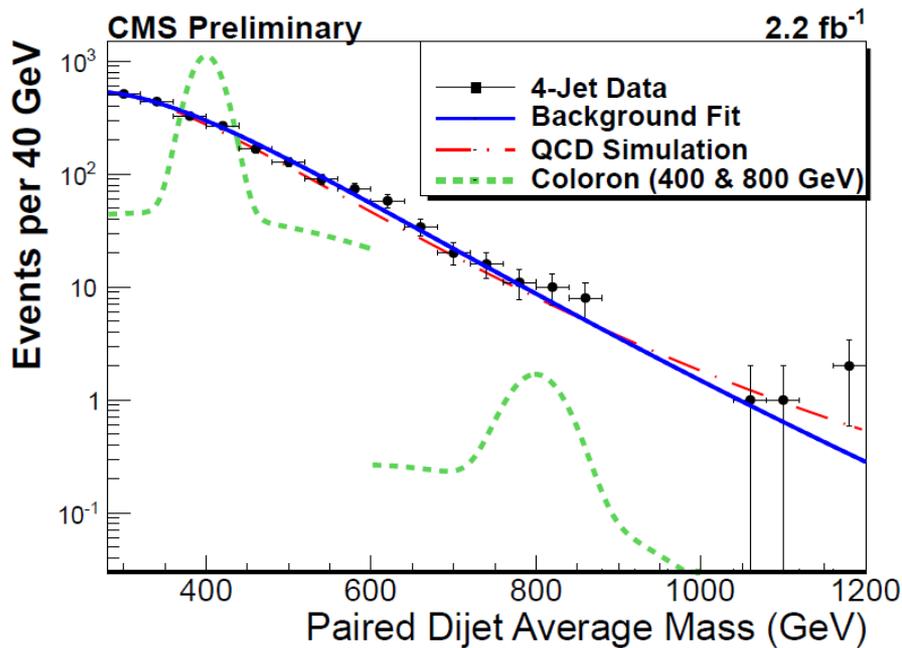


- Looking for narrow colored resonances
- Produced strongly in pairs
- Each one decaying into dijets (with same mass)

Pairs of dijet resonances #2



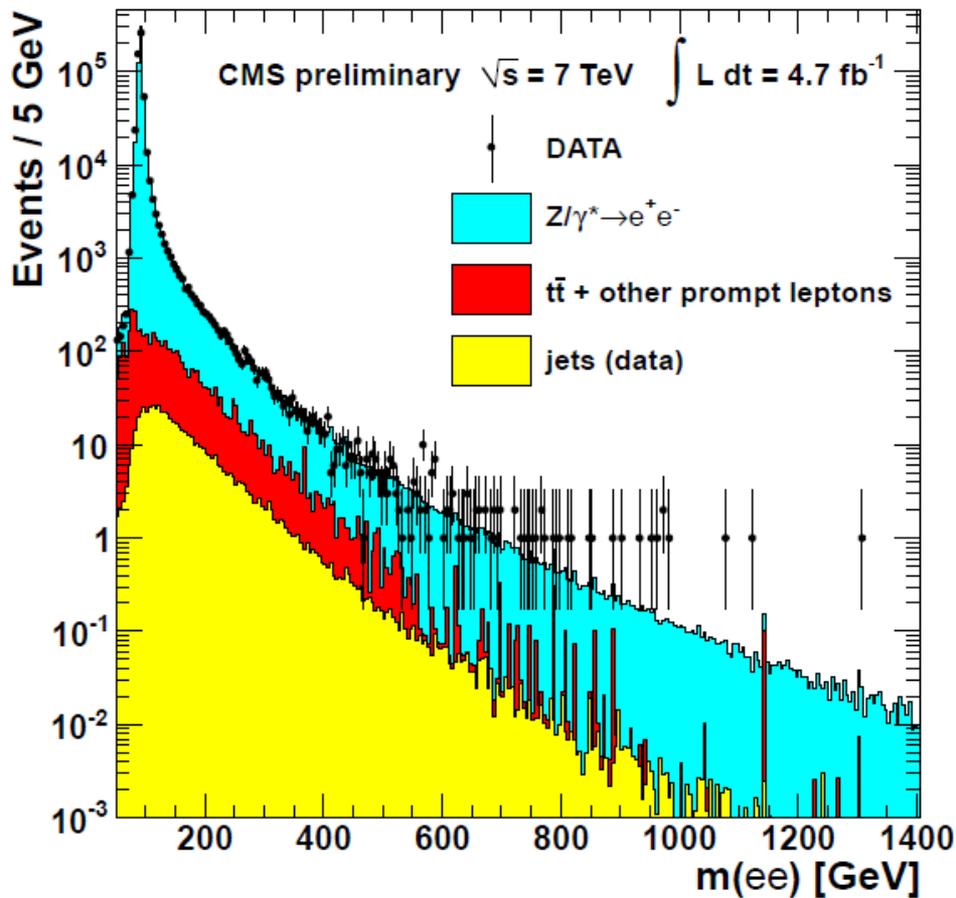
Pairs of dijet resonances #2



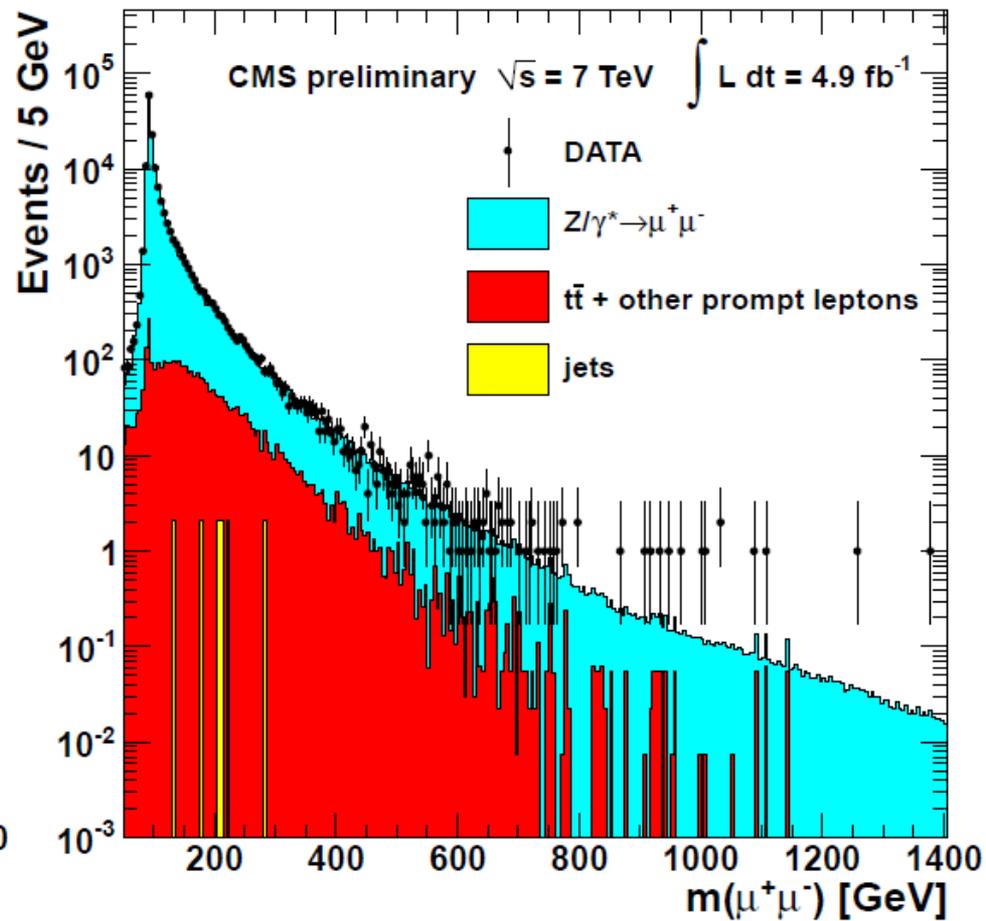
- Maximum local significance values $\sim 2\sigma$ (w/o LEE)
- Something to keep an eye on in 2012
- Color masses excluded: 320-580 GeV

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Resonances: dielectrons, dimuons

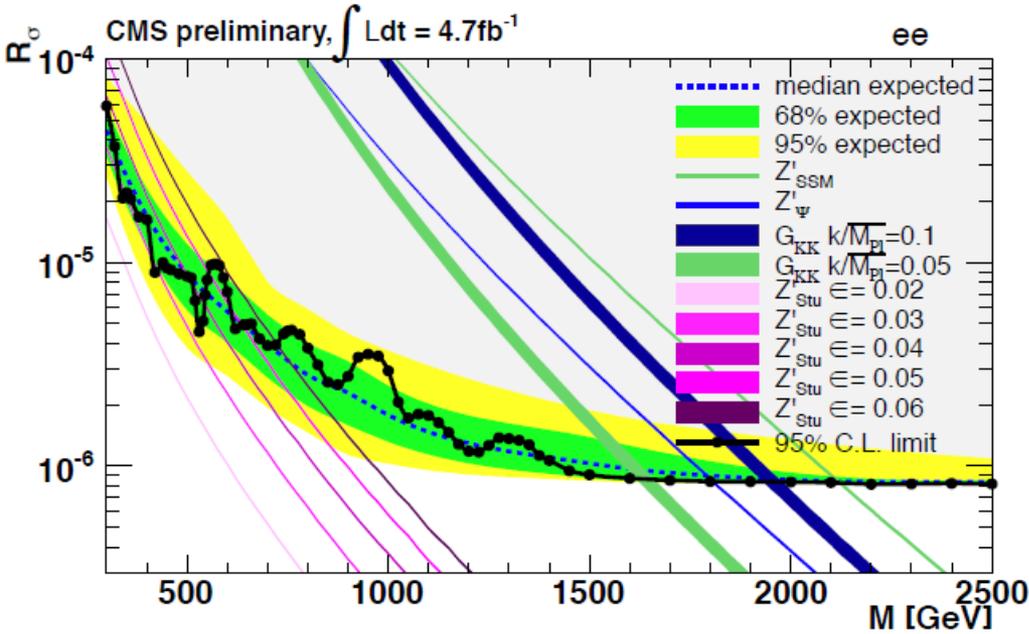


ee



$\mu\mu$

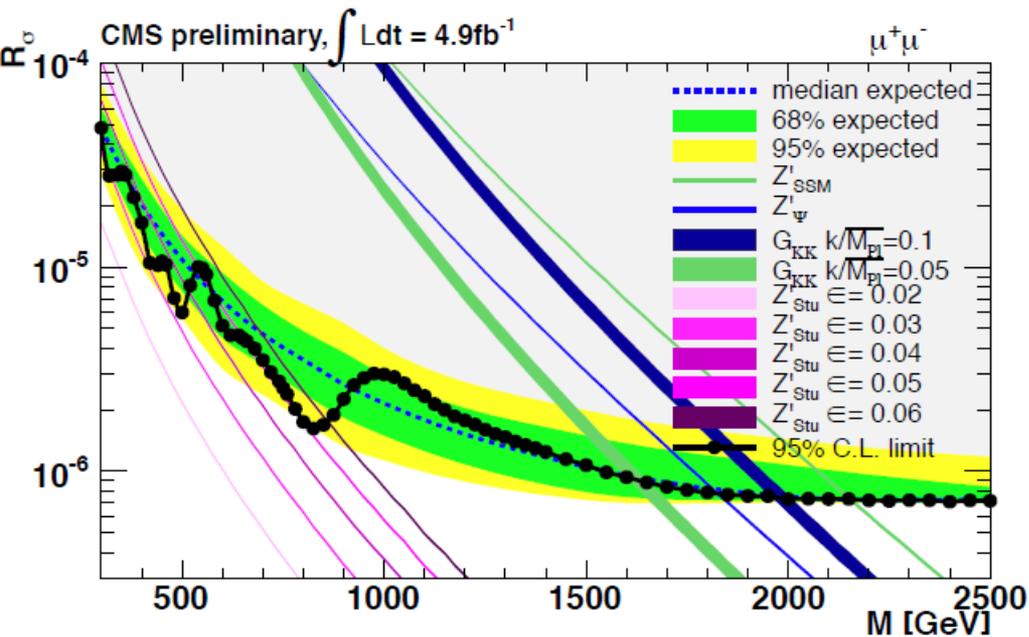
Limits with dimuons, dielectrons



Maximum local significance value

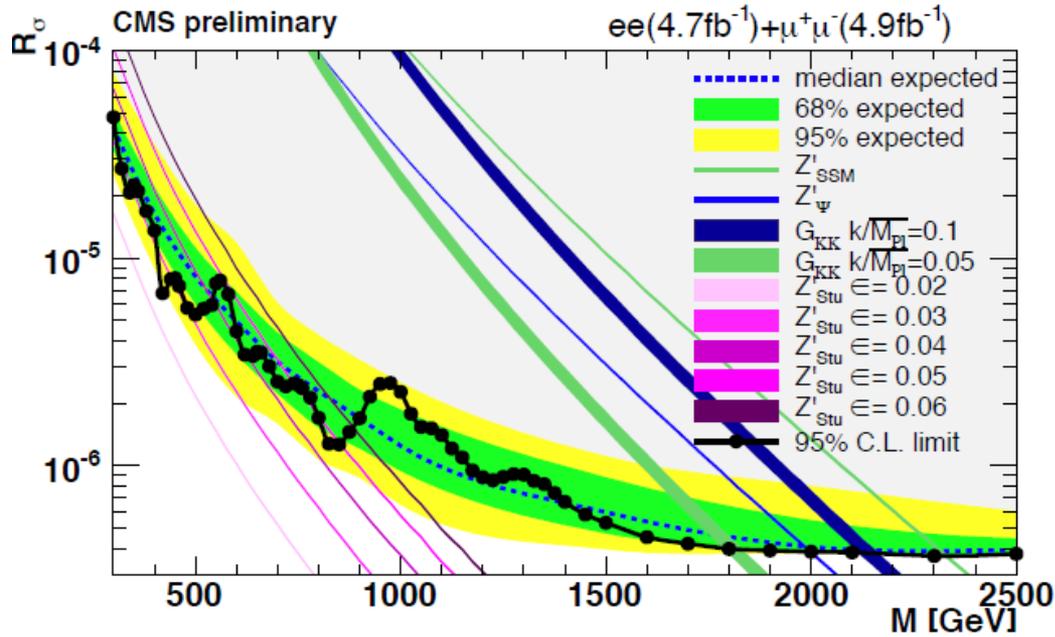
- 2.4σ (before LEE)
- 0.3σ (after LEE)

ee

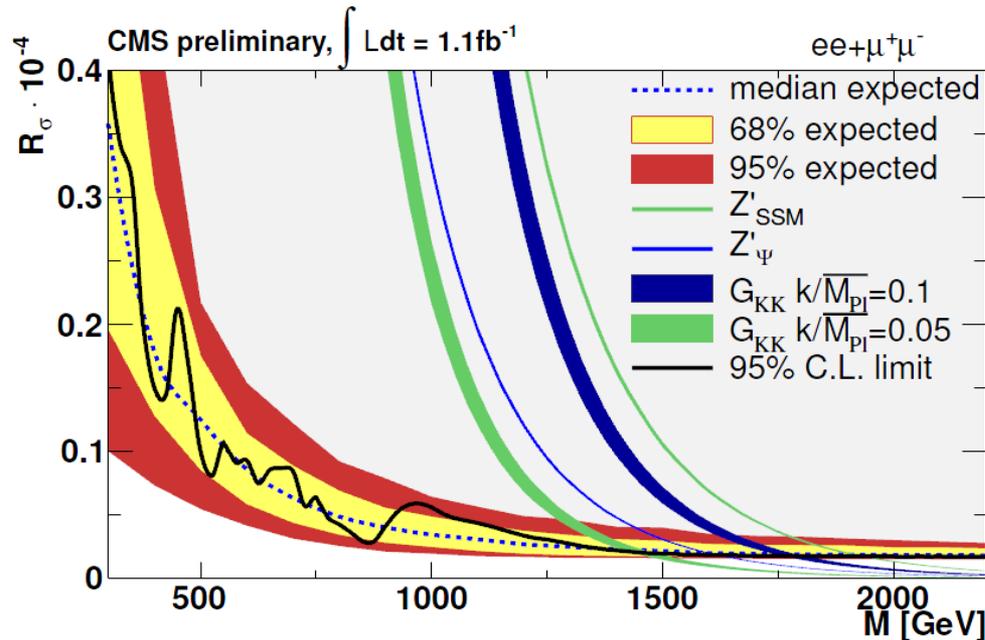


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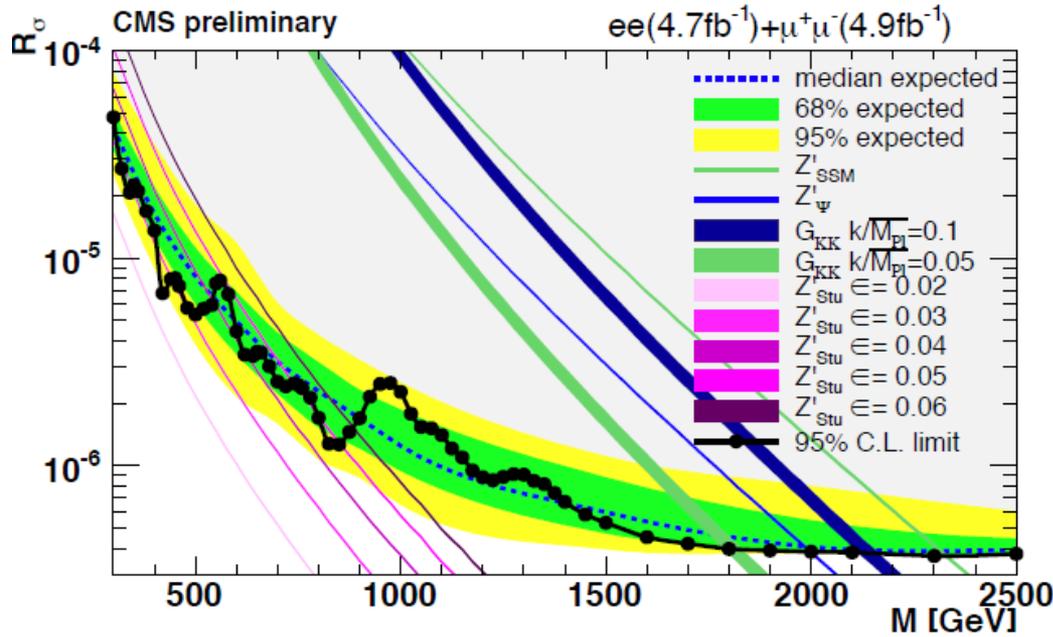


$ee + \mu\mu : 5 \text{ fb}^{-1}$
Winter 2012



$ee + \mu\mu : 1 \text{ fb}^{-1}$
Summer 2011

Limits with dimuons, dielectrons



$Z'_{SSM}: 2320 \text{ GeV}$

$Z'_{\psi}: 2000 \text{ GeV}$

$KK: 1810 \text{ GeV} \left(\frac{k}{M} = 0.05\right)$

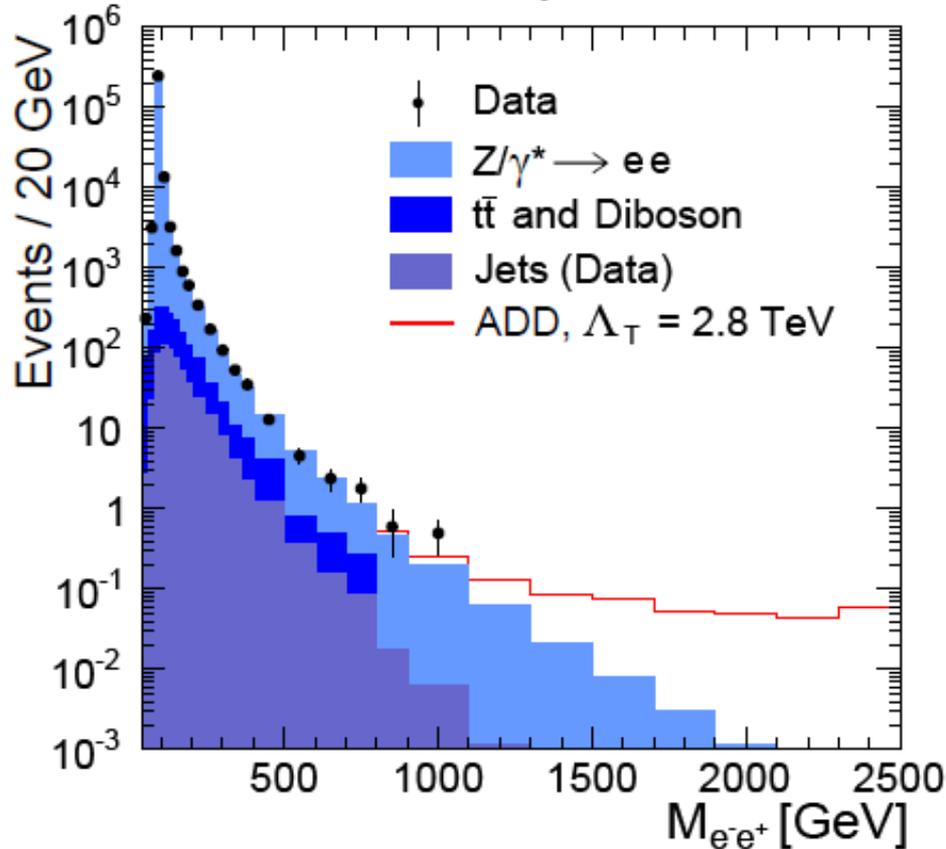
$KK: 2135 \text{ GeV} \left(\frac{k}{M} = 0.1\right)$

- Also something to keep an eye on in 2012
- Strictest limits in the world

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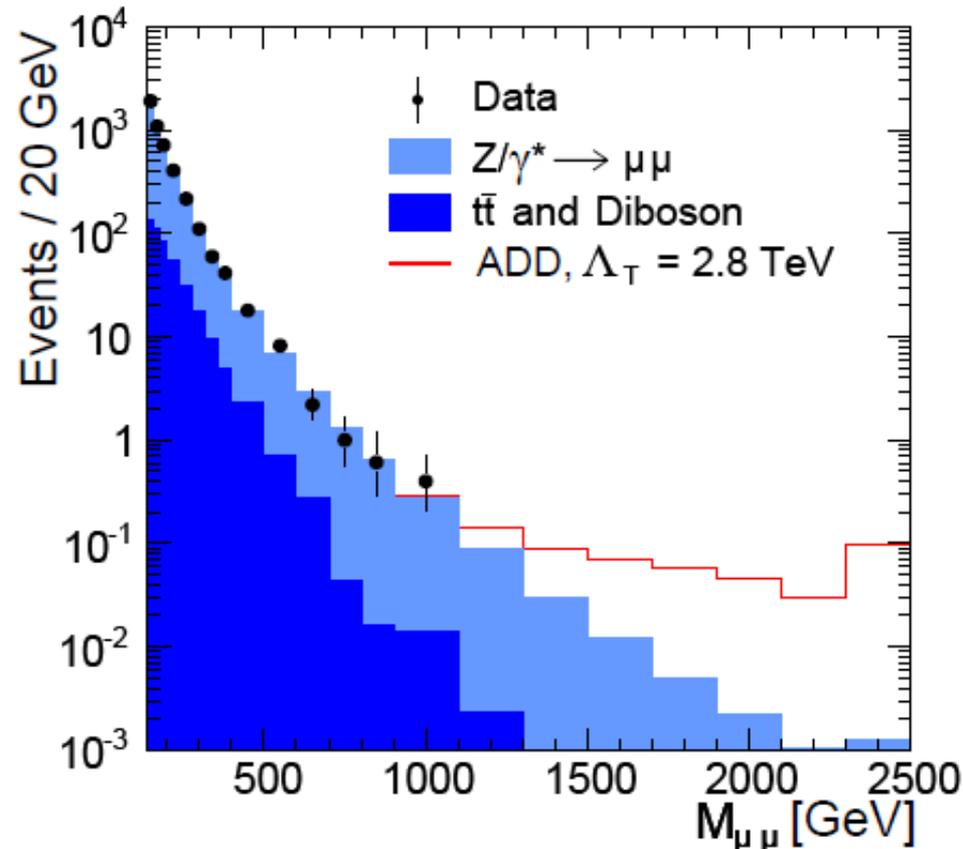
Extra dimensions in dileptons

CMS Preliminary $\sqrt{s} = 7$ TeV, $\mathcal{L} = 2.1 \text{ fb}^{-1}$



ee

CMS Preliminary $\sqrt{s} = 7$ TeV, $\mathcal{L} = 2.3 \text{ fb}^{-1}$



$\mu\mu$

Limits with dimuons, dielectrons

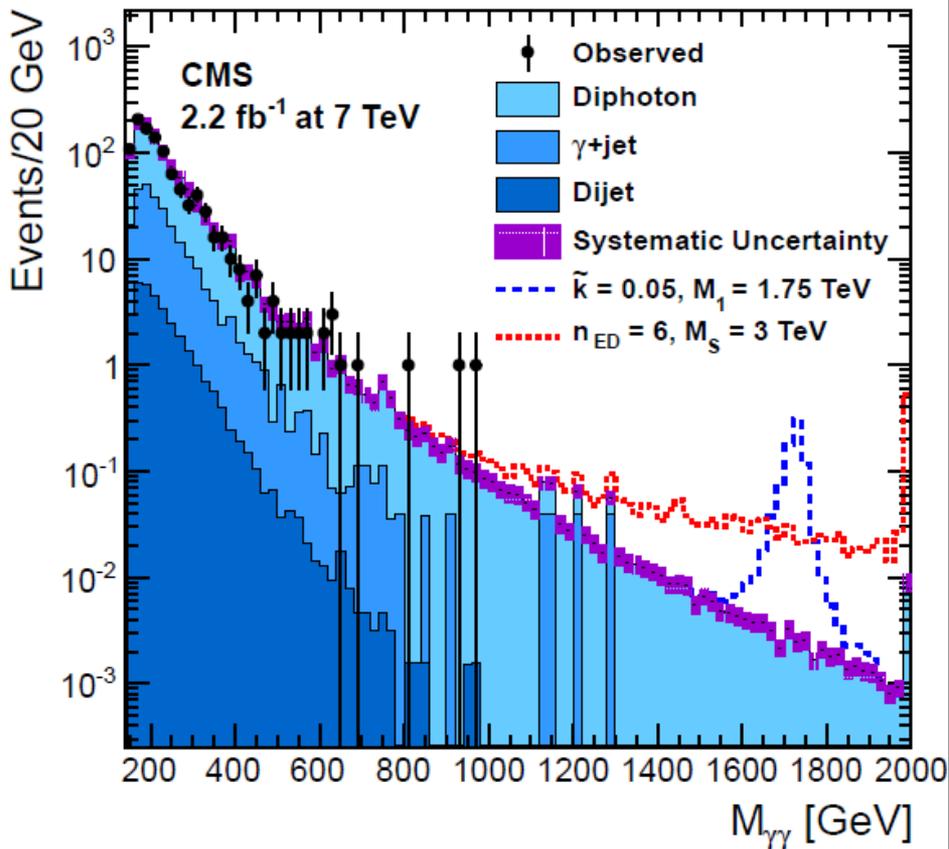
ADD K-factor	Λ_T [TeV] (GRW)	M_s [TeV] (HLZ)					
		$n=2$	$n=3$	$n=4$	$n=5$	$n=6$	$n=7$
$\mu\mu, \sigma_{n,\mu\mu} < 1.2 \text{ fb (1.8 fb expected) at 95\% CL}$							
1.0	2.8	3.0	3.4	2.8	2.5	2.3	2.2
1.3	3.0	3.2	3.5	3.0	2.7	2.4	2.3
$ee, \sigma_{n,ee} < 1.6 \text{ fb (2.3 fb expected) at 95\% CL}$							
1.0	2.8	2.9	3.3	2.8	2.5	2.3	2.2
1.3	2.9	3.1	3.4	2.9	2.5	2.4	2.2
$\mu\mu \text{ and } ee, \sigma_{n,\mu\mu+ee} < 1.4 \text{ fb (2.2 fb expected) at 95\% CL}$							
1.0	3.1	3.7	3.7	3.1	2.8	2.5	2.4
1.3	3.2	3.8	3.8	3.2	2.9	2.7	2.5

Exclusion limits for GRW and
HLZ models for several
parameters (2.2-3.8 TeV)

[arXiv:1202.3827](https://arxiv.org/abs/1202.3827)

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Resonances: diphotons



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Exclusion limits on RS gravitons
(860-1880 GeV) and several
ADD models (2.3-3.8 TeV)

Effective Planck scale (TeV) in ADD

K factor	GRW	Hewett		HLZ					
		pos.	neg.	$n_{ED} = 2$	$n_{ED} = 3$	$n_{ED} = 4$	$n_{ED} = 5$	$n_{ED} = 6$	$n_{ED} = 7$
1.0	2.94	2.63	2.28	3.29	3.50	2.94	2.66	2.47	2.34
1.6	3.18	2.84	2.41	3.68	3.79	3.18	2.88	2.68	2.53

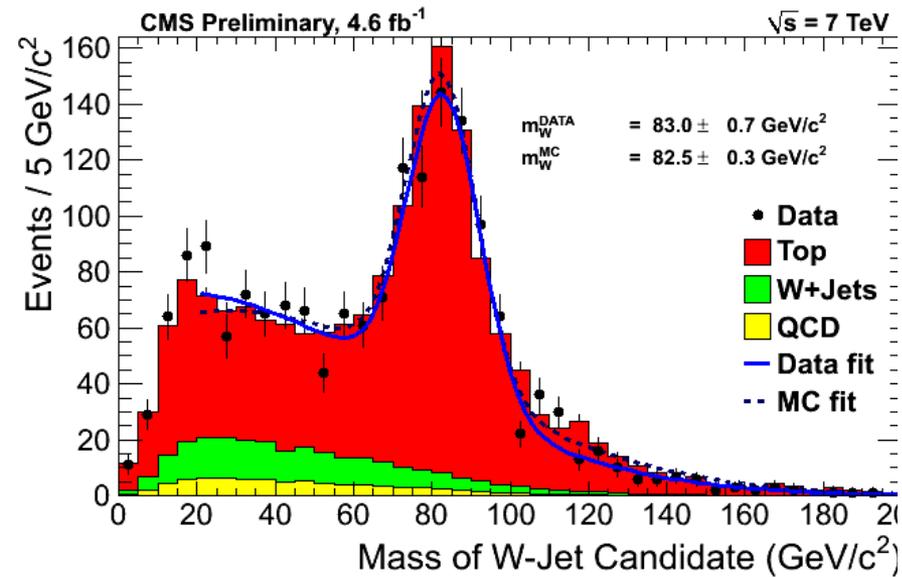
RS gravitons:
Mass (TeV)

\tilde{k}	0.01	0.02	0.03	0.04	0.05	0.06	0.07	0.08	0.09	0.10	0.11
M_1 [TeV]	0.86	1.13	1.27	1.39	1.50	1.59	1.67	1.74	1.80	1.84	1.88

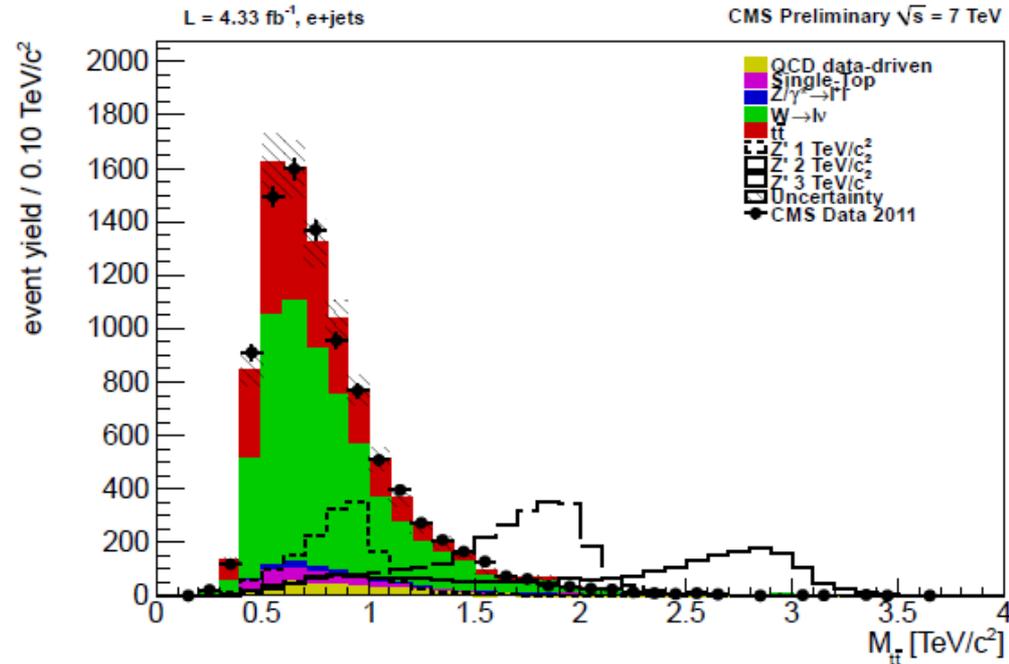
Resonances: $t\bar{t}$

Boosted all-hadronic final state

Electron + jets



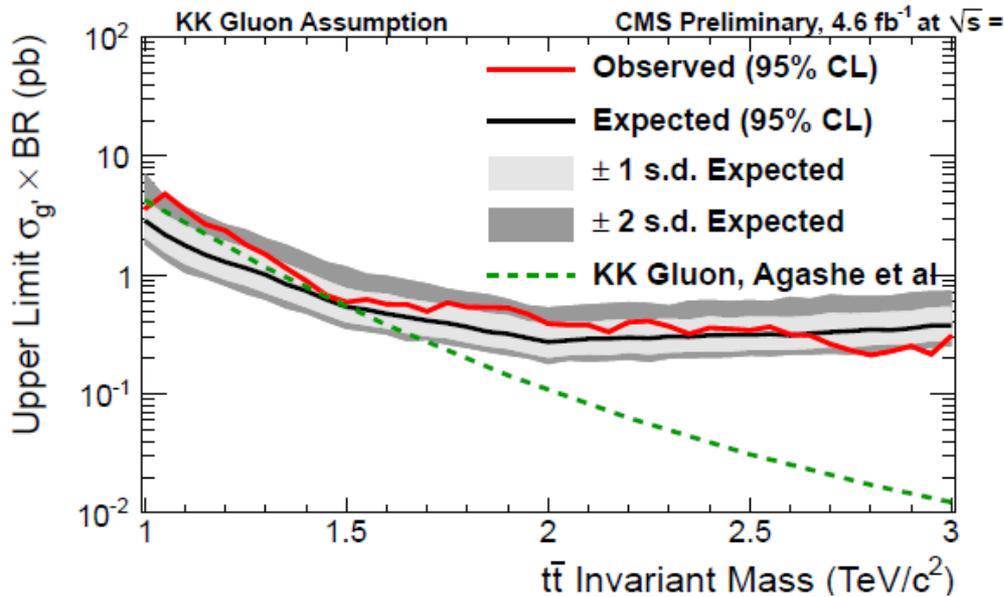
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Limits with $t\bar{t}$

Boosted all-hadronic final state



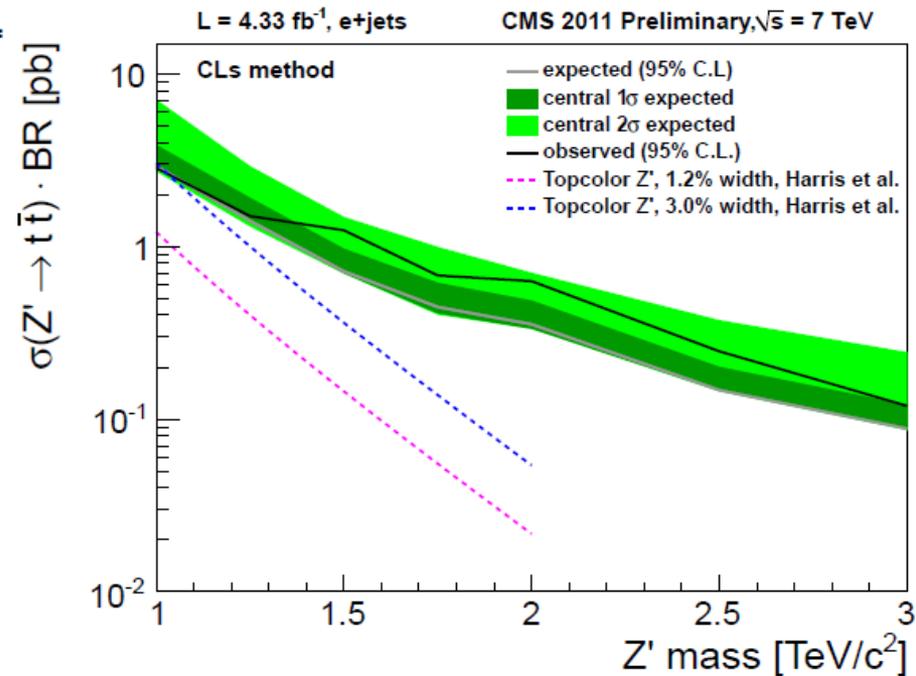
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Z'_{SSM} : 1.3 – 1.5 TeV (width=1.2%)

Z'_{SSM} : 1.0 – 2.0 TeV (width=10%)

KK: 1.4-1.5 TeV

Electron + jets



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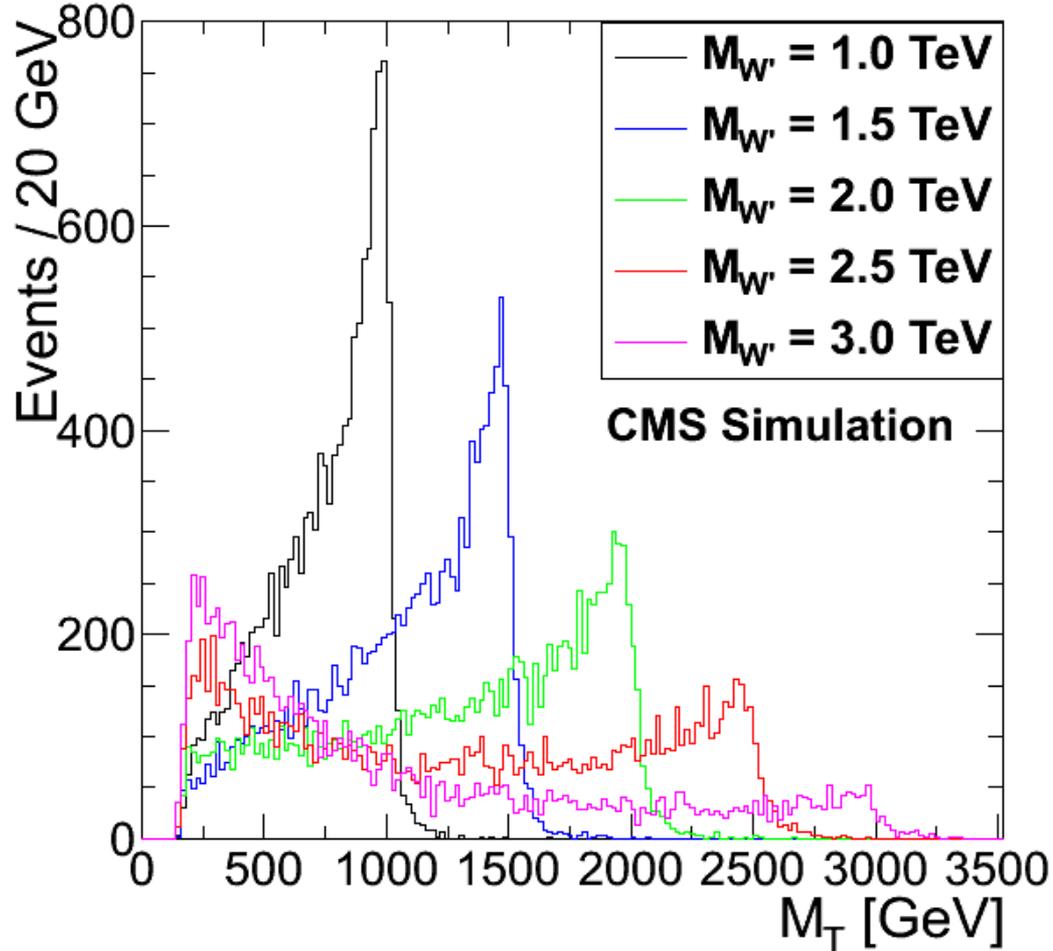
Exclusion limits on SSM, KK and topcolor models

“Non-Resonances” (aka: W' -like)

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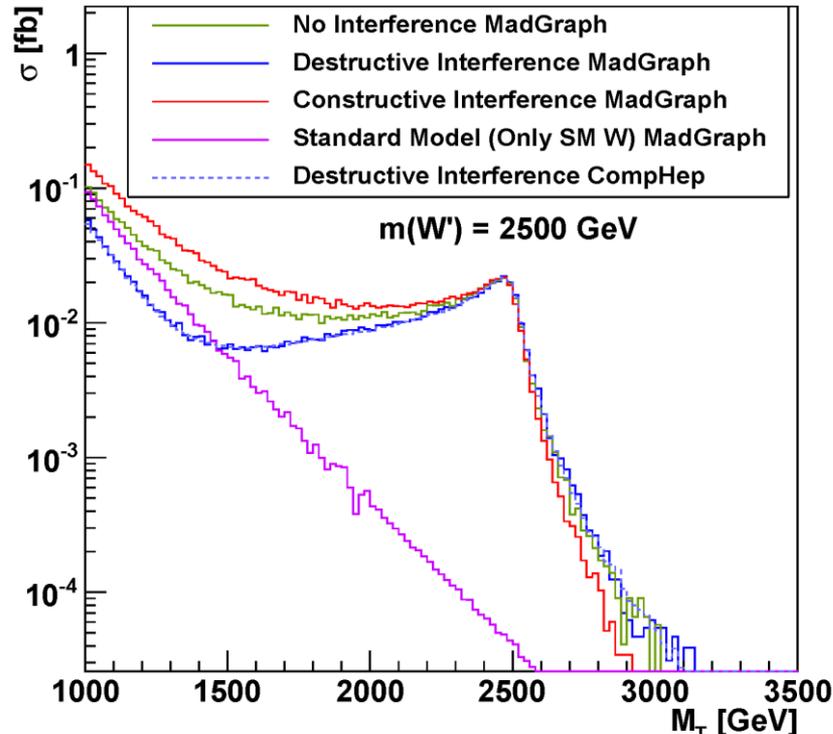
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$$W' \rightarrow \ell \nu \quad (\ell = e, \mu)$$



W' : mainly off-peak production for higher masses at 7 TeV

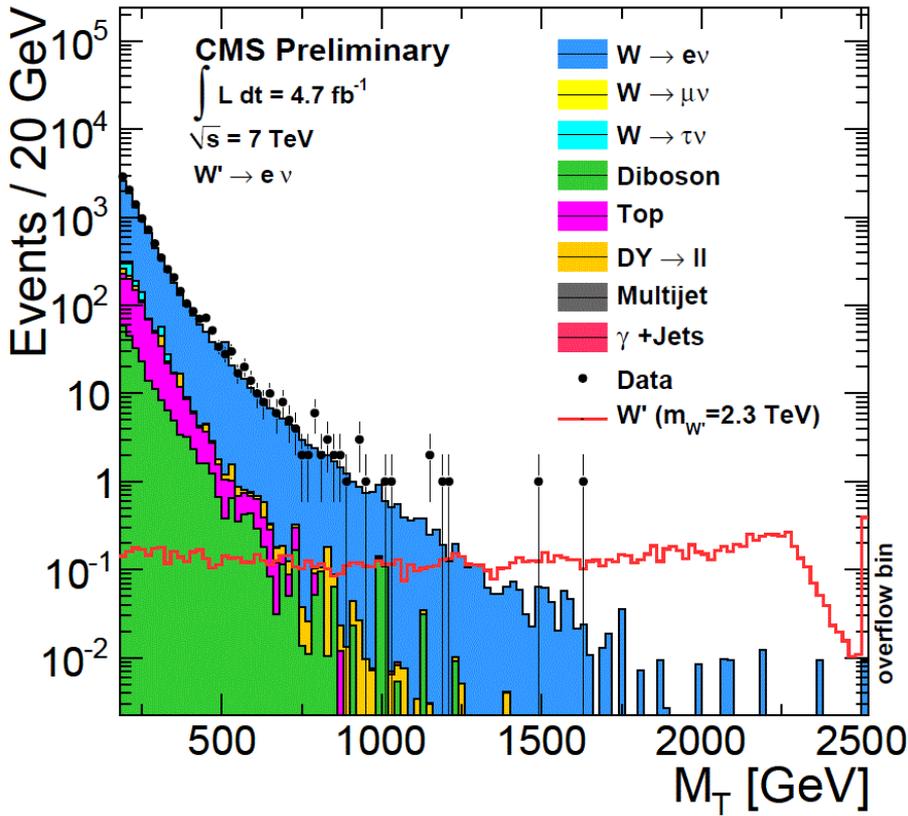
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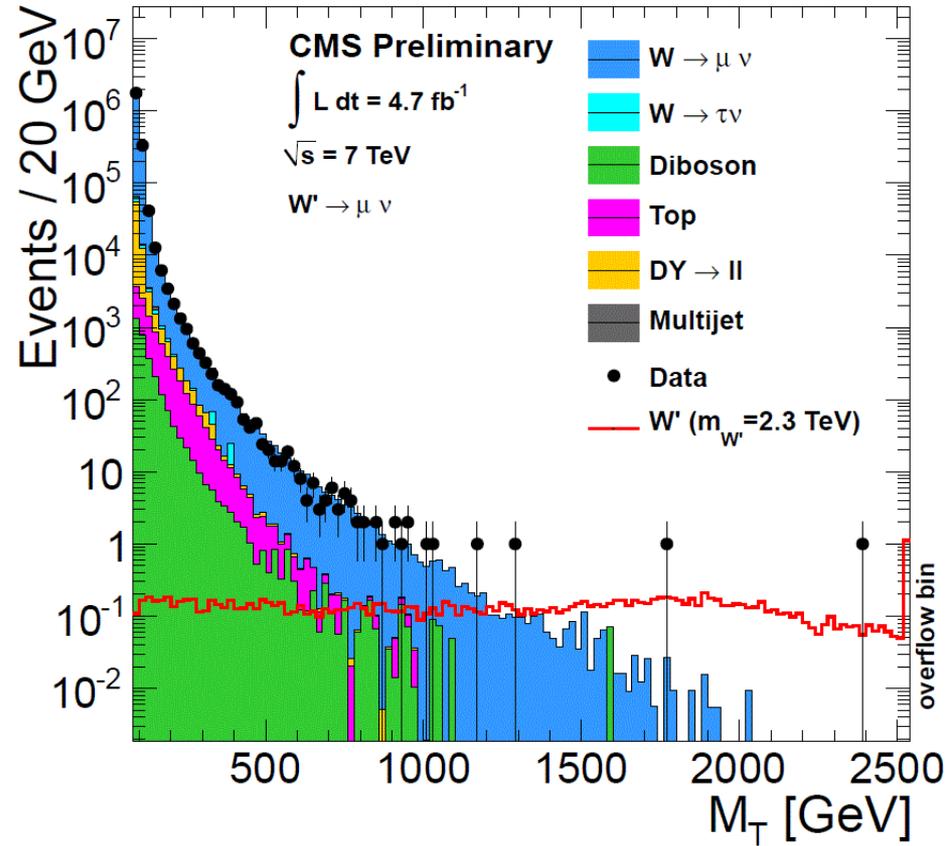
$$M_T = \sqrt{2 \cdot (p_T^\mu \cdot c) \cdot E_T^{\text{miss}} \cdot (1 - \cos \Delta\phi_{\mu, \nu})}$$

- $W - W'$ interference considered for first time in leptonic decays
- Can potentially detect interference term even for very high masses

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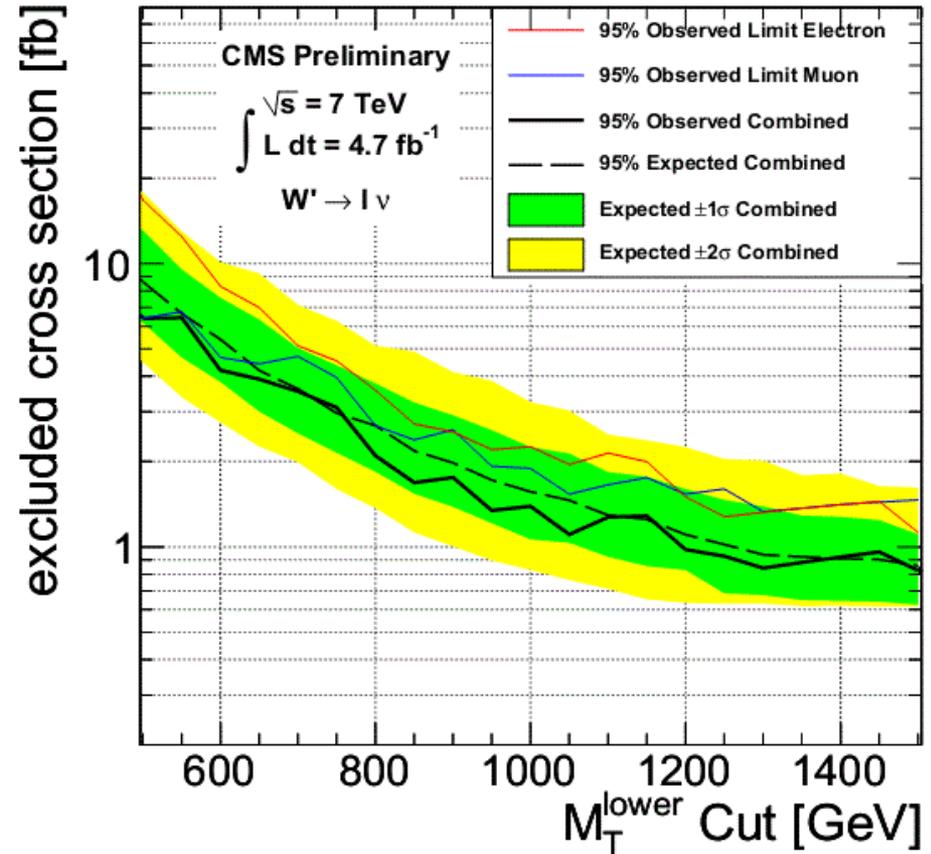
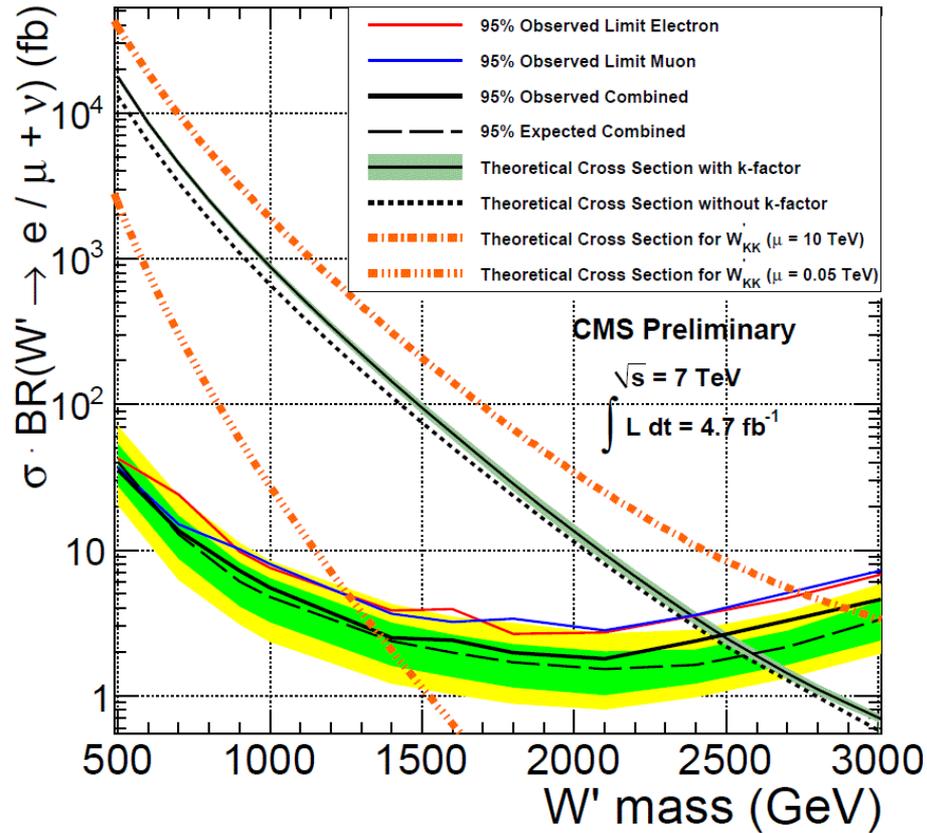
$e + MET$



$\mu + MET$

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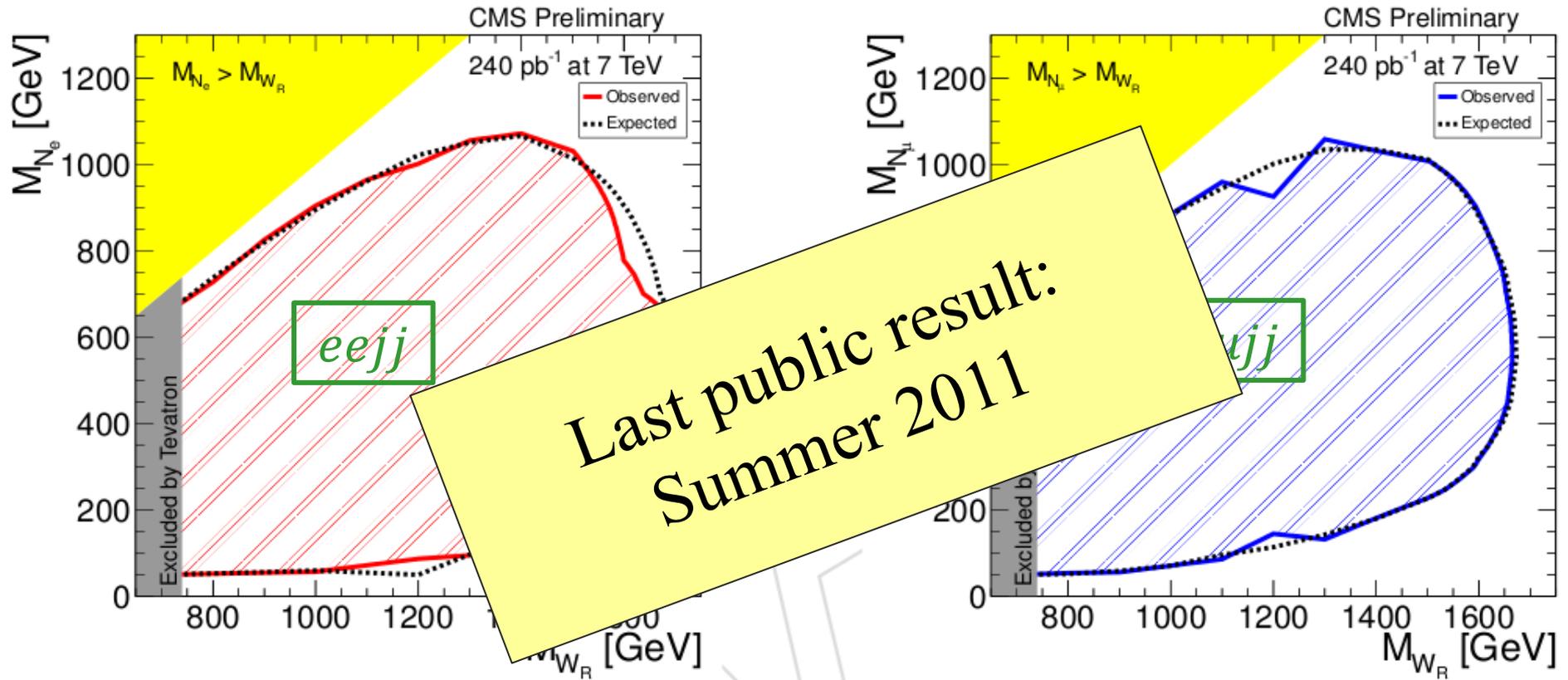
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Strictest limits in SSM model:
 No interference: 2.5 TeV
 Destructive: 2.43 TeV
 Constructive: 2.63 TeV

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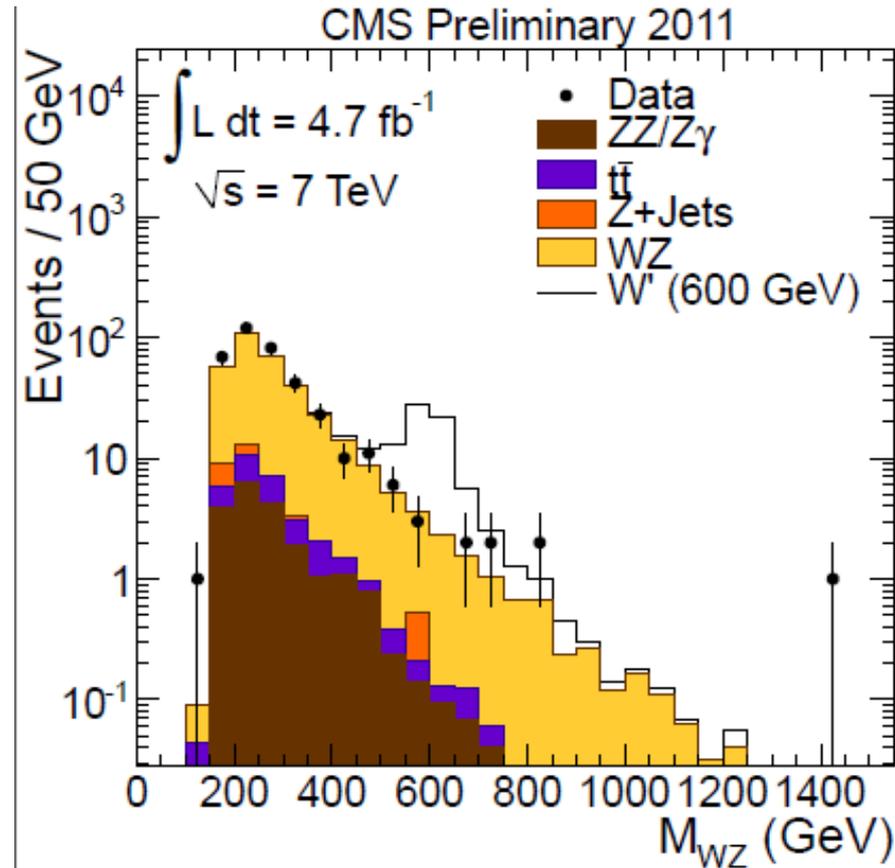
$$W' \rightarrow \ell N_\ell, N_\ell \rightarrow qq'\ell'$$



W'_{SSM} : extends to 1.7 TeV

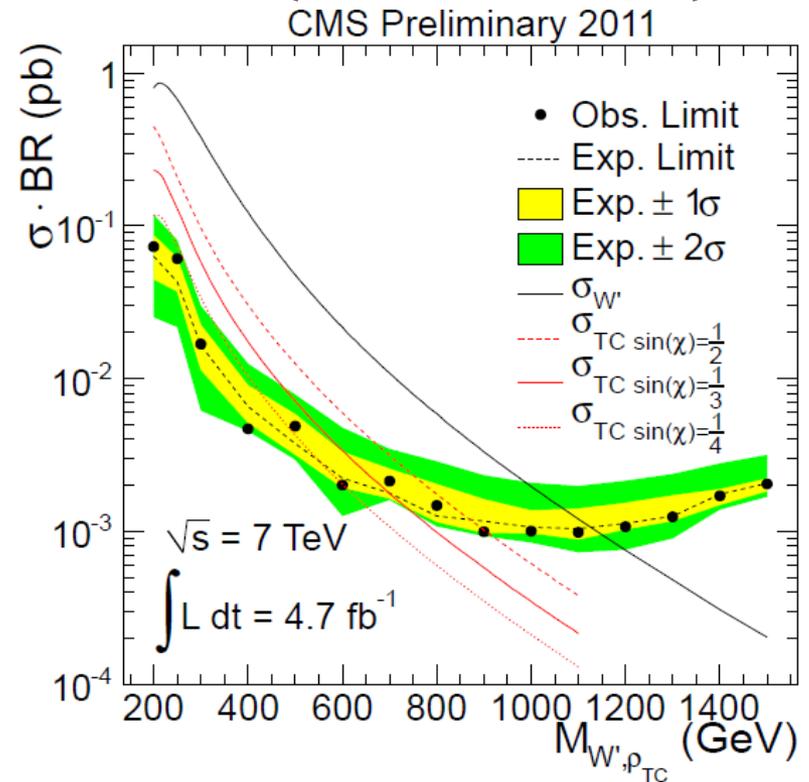
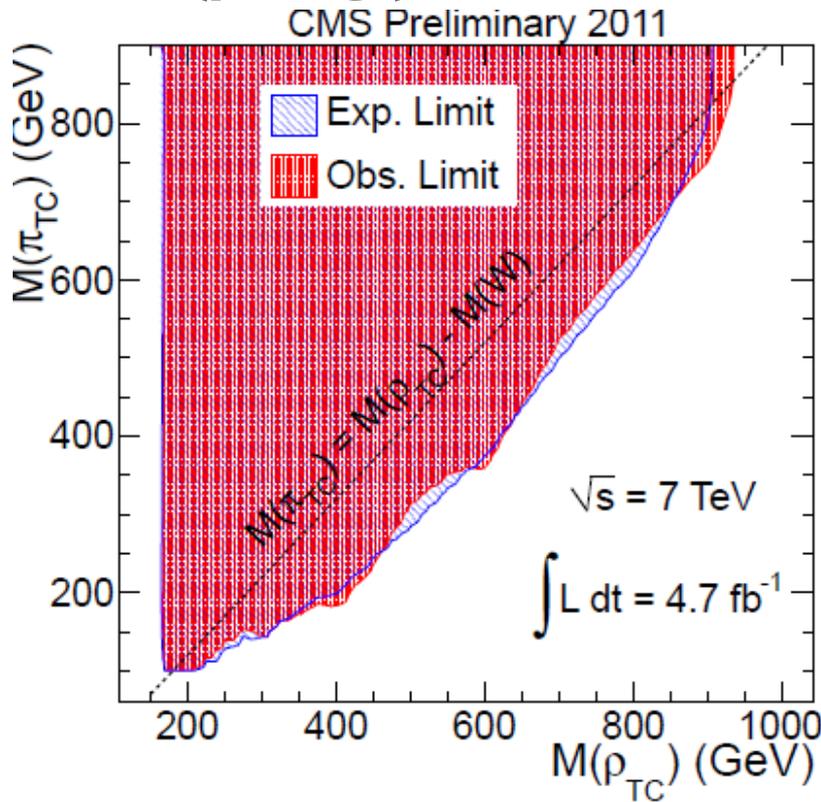
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$$W'(\rho_{TC}) \rightarrow WZ \rightarrow 3\ell\nu \quad (\ell = e, \mu)$$



- Technicolor interpretation
- Complementary to previous channels (e.g. fermiophobic models)
- First search after TeVatron

$$W'(\rho_{TC}) \rightarrow WZ \rightarrow 3\ell\nu \quad (\ell = e, \mu)$$



$W'_{SSM}: 1141 \text{ GeV}$

EXO-11-041

$169 < M(\rho_{TC}) < 680 \text{ GeV}$ ($M_{\pi_{TC}} = \frac{3}{4} M_{\rho_{TC}} - 25 \text{ GeV}$)

$180 < M(\rho_{TC}) < 935 \text{ GeV}$ ($M_{\rho_{TC}} < M_{\pi_{TC}} + M_W$)

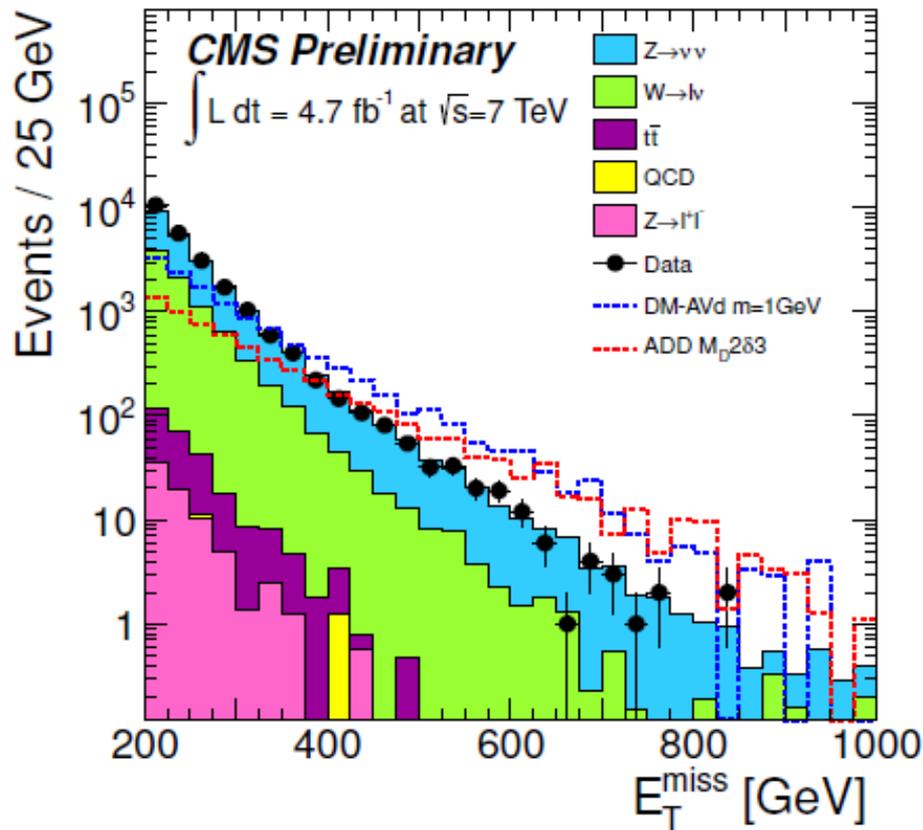
Excluding Technicolor interpretation [$M(\rho_{TC})=290 \text{ GeV}$, $M_{\pi_{TC}}=160 \text{ GeV}$] of “CDF bump”

(More) Large Extra Dimensions

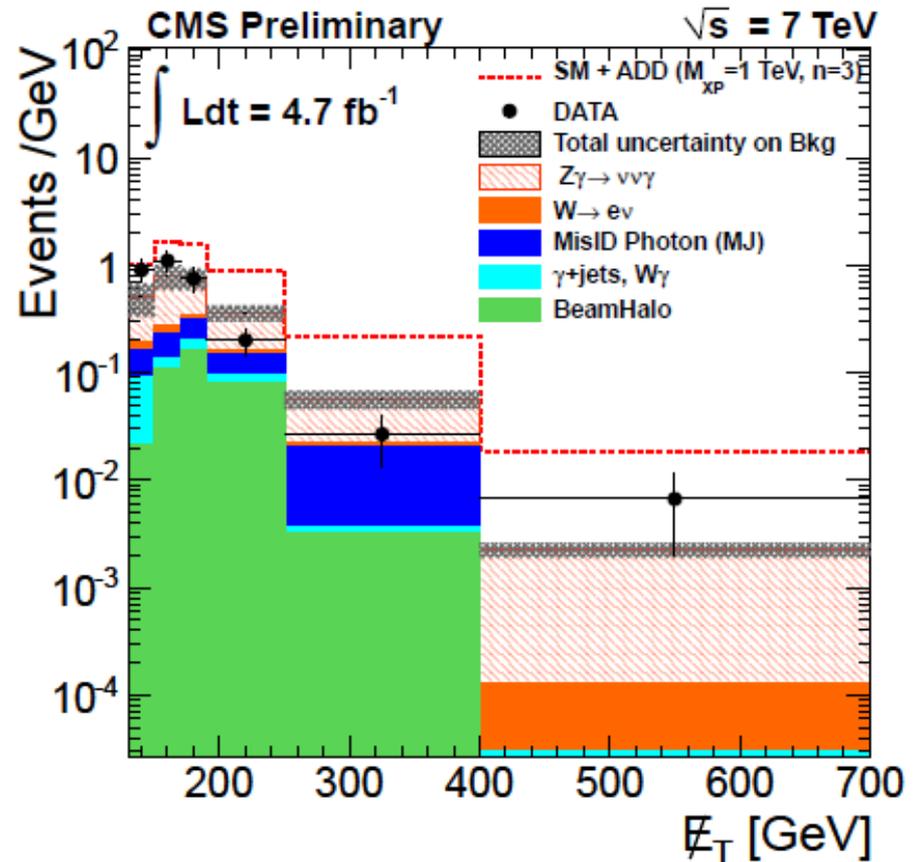
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(Mono)Jet + ME_T , γ + ME_T

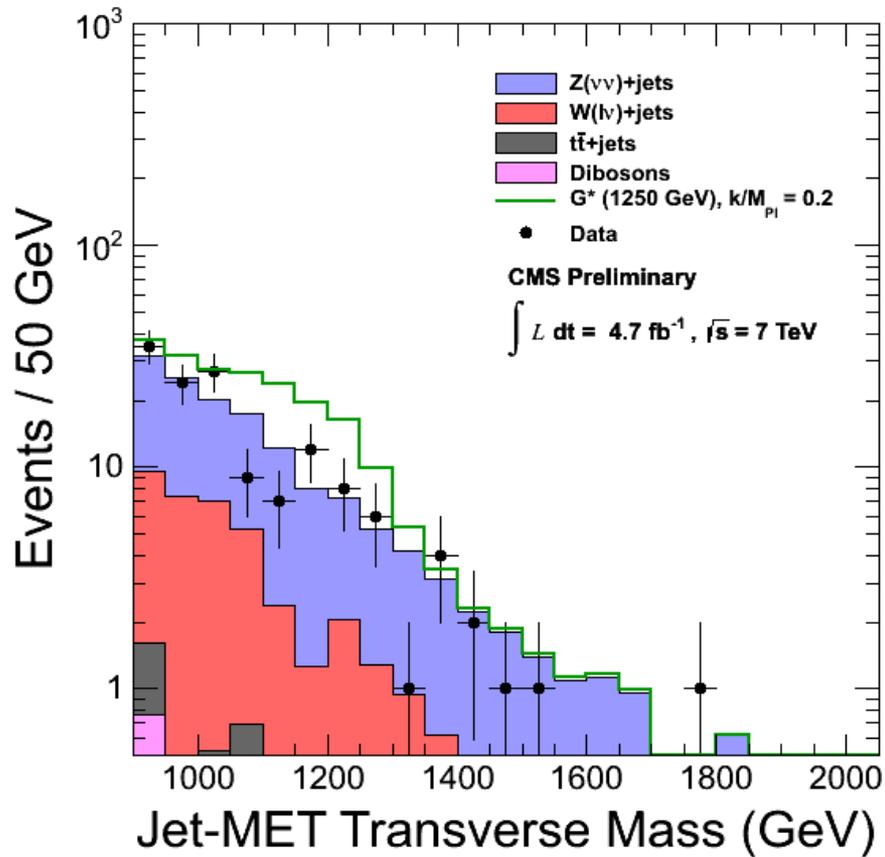


Jet + MET



γ + MET

(Mono)Jet + $M E_T$ #2

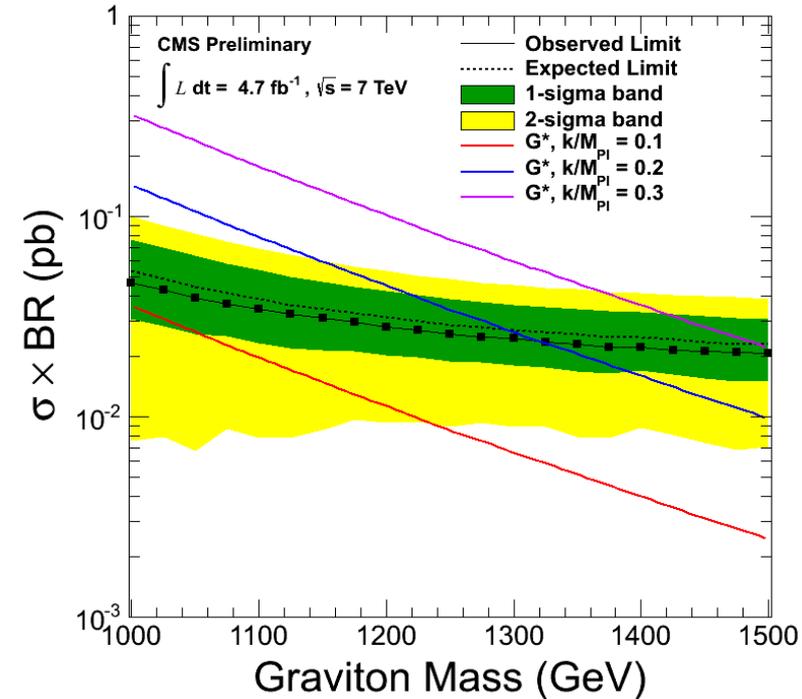


Jet + MET

Limits with (mono)jet/ γ + ME_T

δ	LO		NLO	
	Exp. Limit	Obs. Limit	Exp. Limit	Obs. Limit
2	3.76	4.00	4.16	4.44
3	3.04	3.18	3.29	3.46
4	2.68	2.78	2.83	2.94
5	2.42	2.52	2.56	2.66
6	2.27	2.37	2.39	2.49

M_{DM} [GeV]	90% CL Limits		95% CL Limits	
	σ [fb]	Λ [GeV]	σ [fb]	Λ [GeV]
1	16.8 (16.4)	549 (553)	21.3 (19.5)	518 (529)
10	16.8 (16.4)	549 (552)	21.3 (19.5)	517 (529)
100	16.8 (16.3)	546 (550)	21.2 (19.4)	515 (526)
200	16.8 (16.4)	527 (530)	21.3 (19.5)	497 (508)
500	16.1 (15.6)	425 (428)	20.3 (18.6)	401 (410)
1000	16.6 (16.1)	235 (237)	20.9 (19.2)	222 (227)



Exclusions limits:

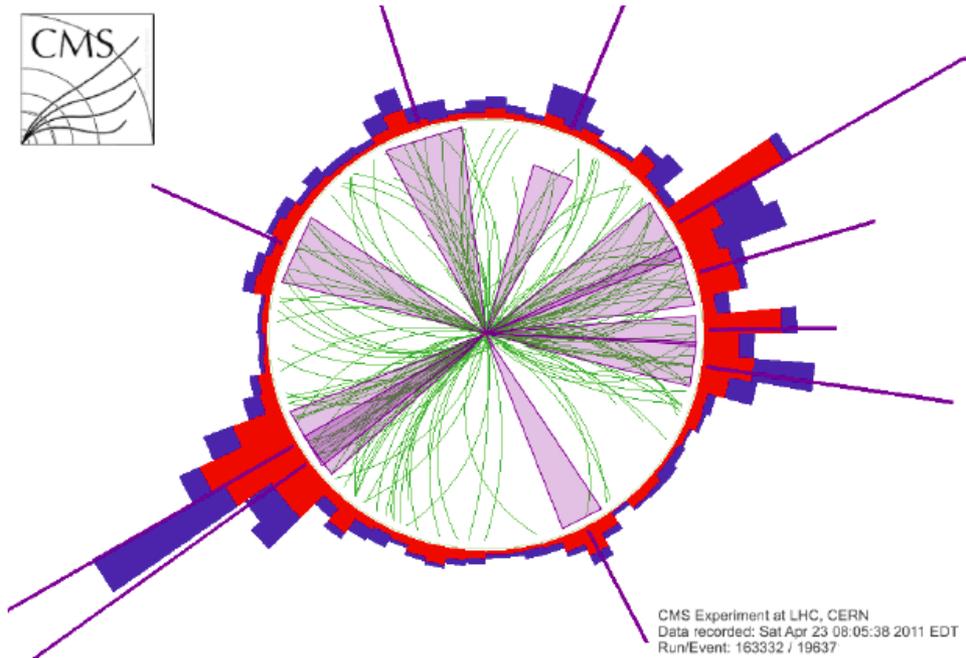
- Graviton mass ($\frac{k}{M} = 0.3$): 1000-1500 GeV
- Extra dimension models: 2.3-4.4 TeV
- Dark matter models (several parameters)

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Black Holes

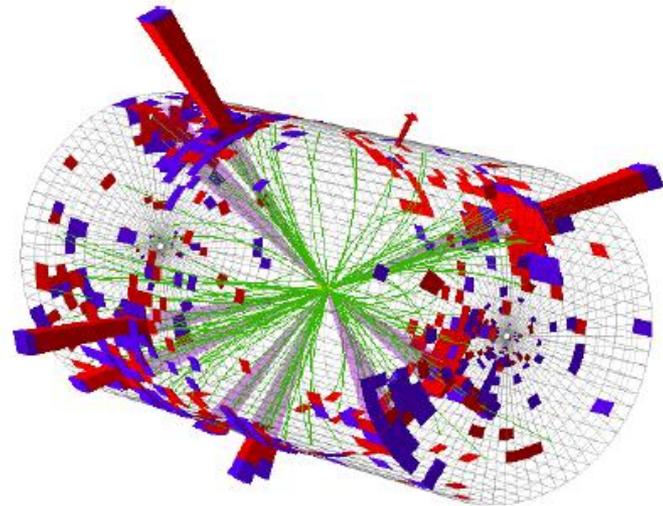


$N = 10, S_T = 1.1 \text{ TeV}$

CMS Experiment at LHC, CERN
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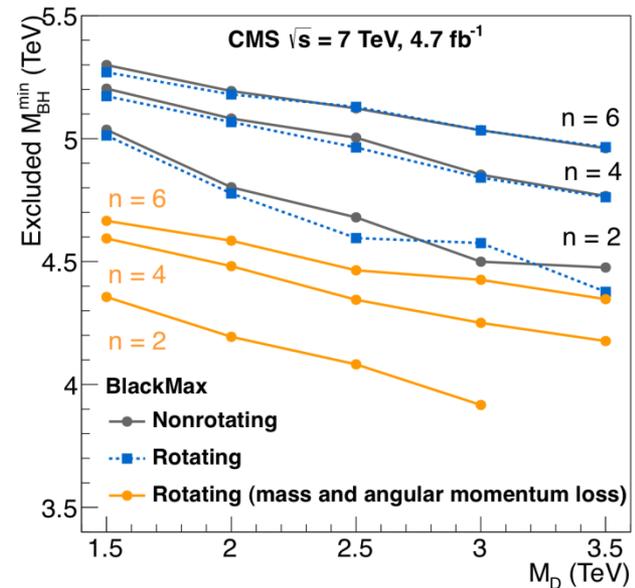
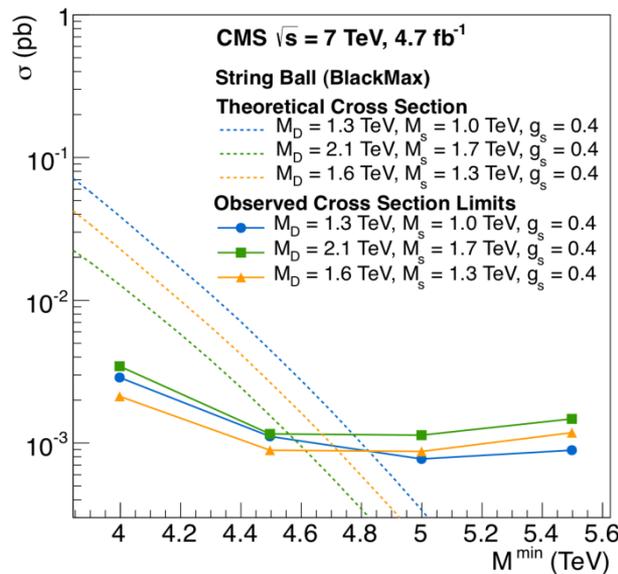
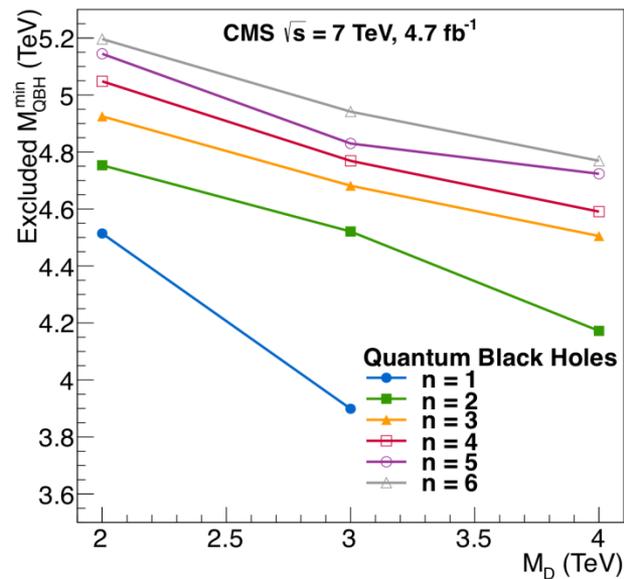


$N = 9, S_T = 2.5 \text{ TeV}$



CMS Experiment at LHC, CERN
Data recorded: Mon May 23 21:46:26 2011 EDT
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Lumi section: 290
Orbit/Crossing: 73256663 / 3161

Limits on Black Holes



Quantum Black Holes: 3.8 – 5.2 TeV

String Balls: 4.6 – 4.8 TeV

[arXiv:1202.6396](https://arxiv.org/abs/1202.6396)
 Submitted to JHEP
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Exclusions limits on (quantum) black holes,
 string balls and several other models

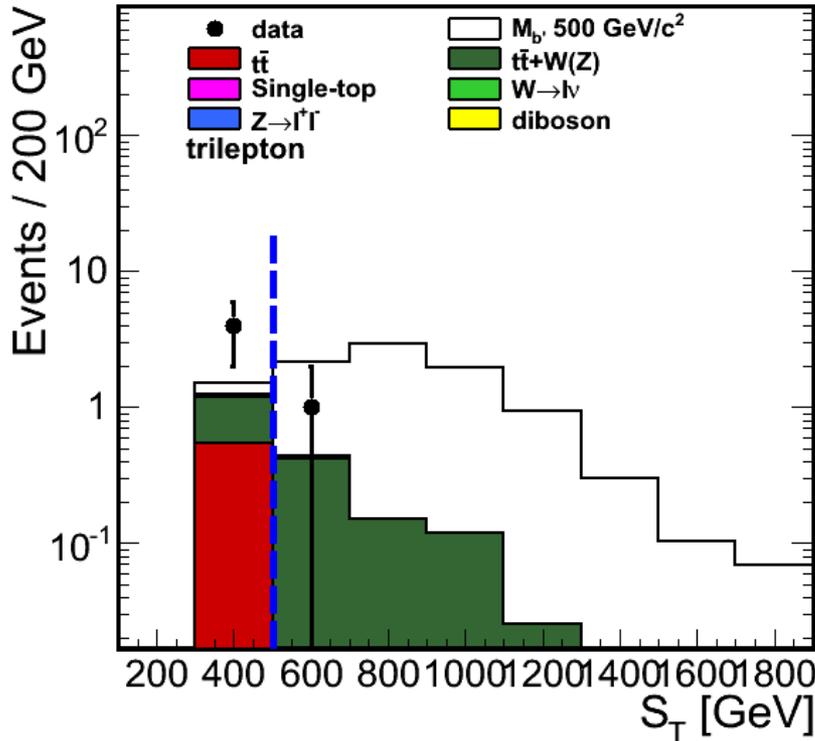
Fourth Generation

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Heavy new bottom-like quark

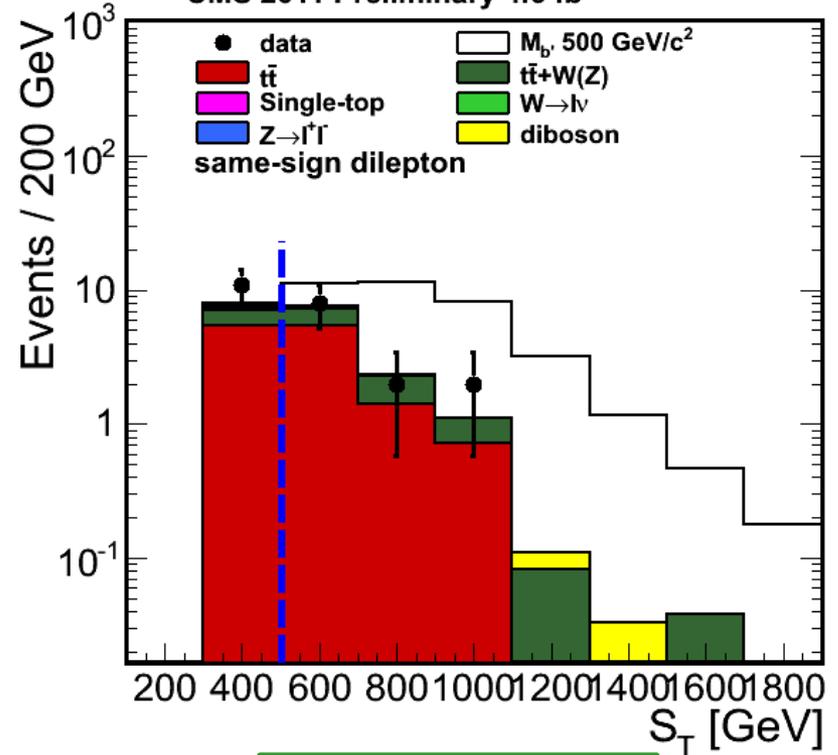
CMS 2011 Preliminary 4.6 fb⁻¹



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$$\sum p_T(\text{jets}) + \sum p_T(\text{leptons}) + \cancel{E}_T$$

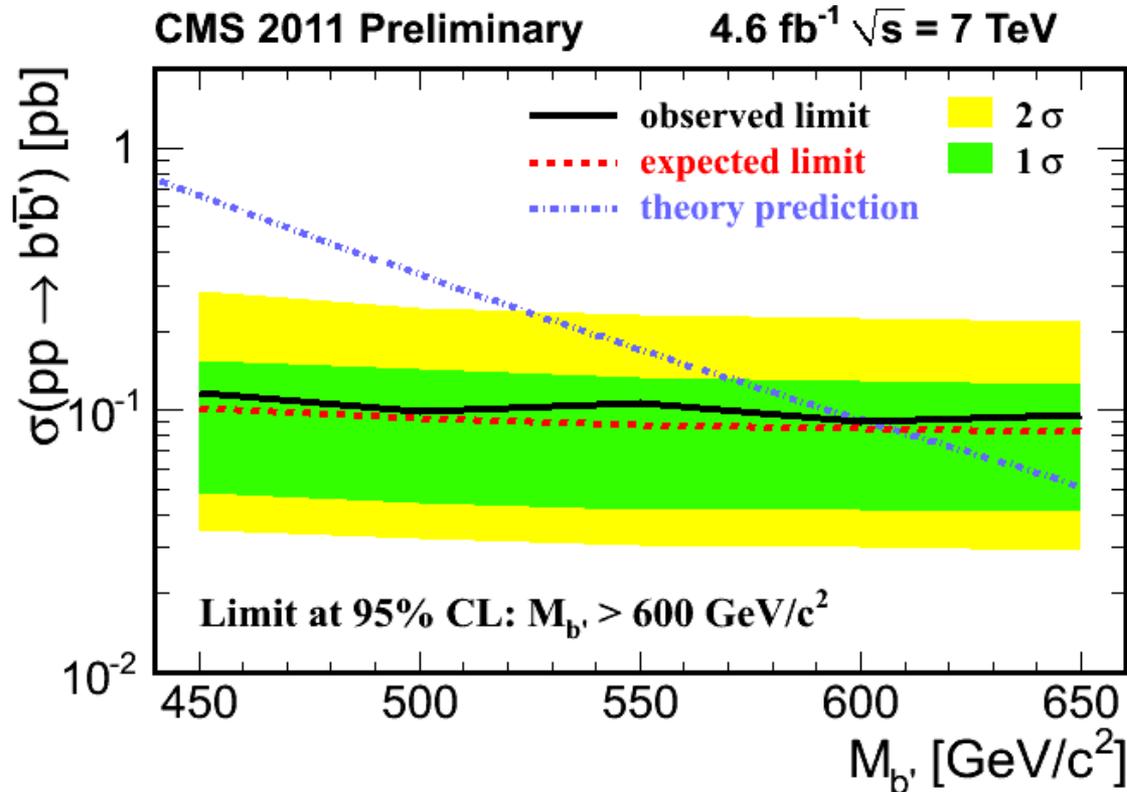
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Same-sign $\ell\ell$

$$b'\bar{b}' \rightarrow tW^- \bar{t}W^+ \rightarrow bW^+ W^- \bar{b}W^- \bar{W}^+$$

Heavy new bottom-like quark



$M_{b'}$: 600 GeV

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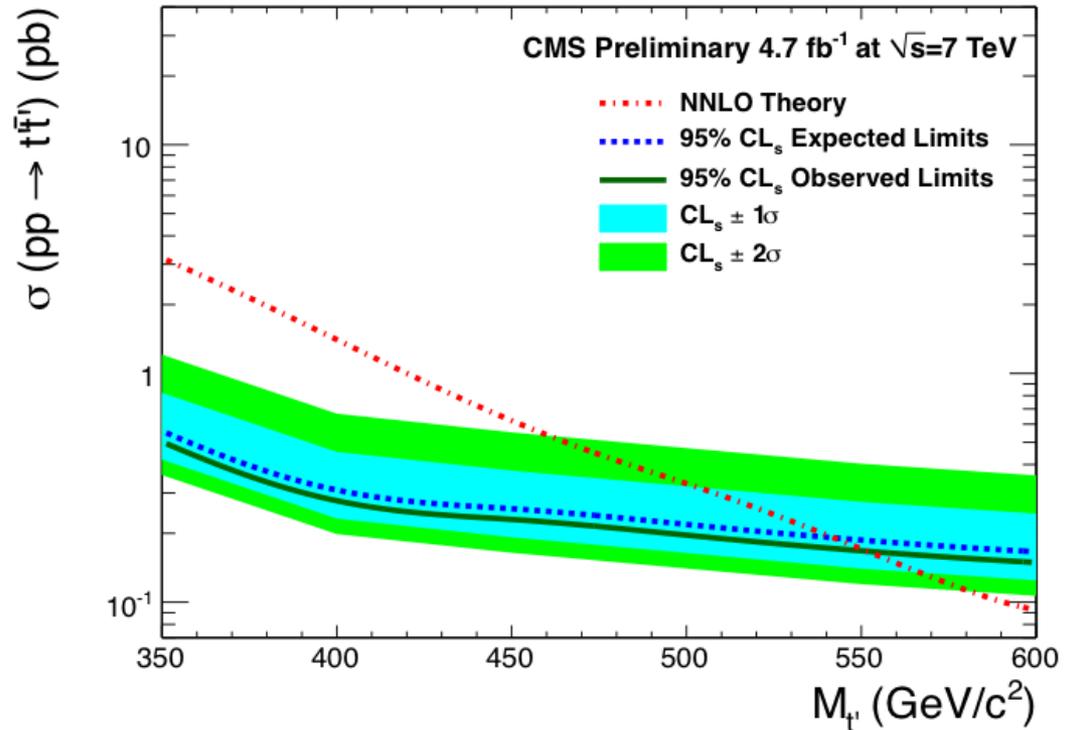
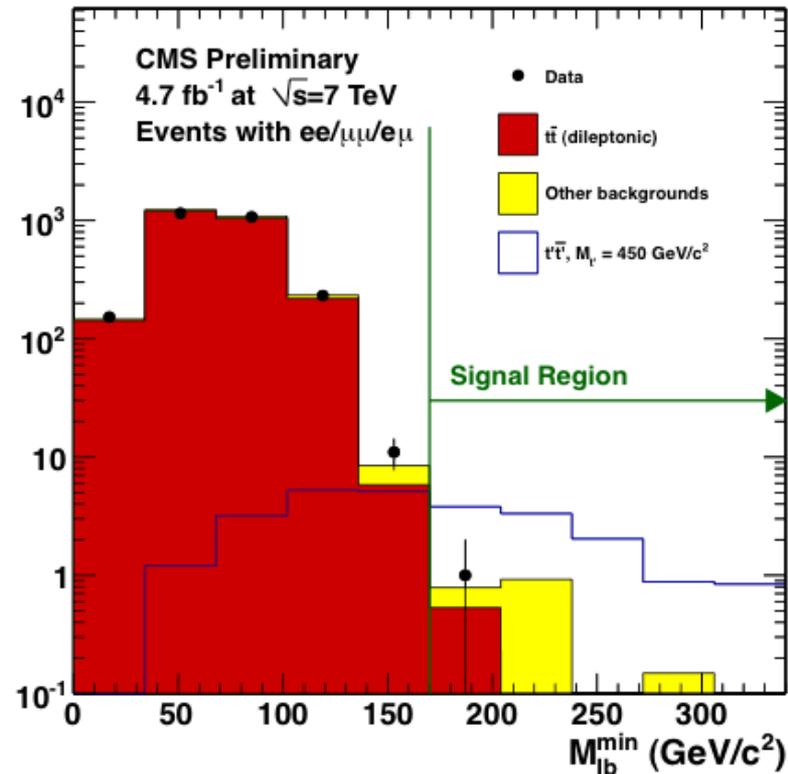
Significant improvement over
Summer 2011 result (495 → 600 GeV)

Heavy new top-like quark

- Two analyses assuming heavy top decays exclusively to b -quark and a W
 - Fully leptonic
 - Lepton + jets
- Third analysis assuming heavy top decays to (SM) top and a Z

Heavy new top-like quark #1

$$t'\bar{t}' \rightarrow bW^+ \bar{b}W^- \rightarrow \bar{b}l^+ \nu \bar{b}l^- \bar{\nu}$$

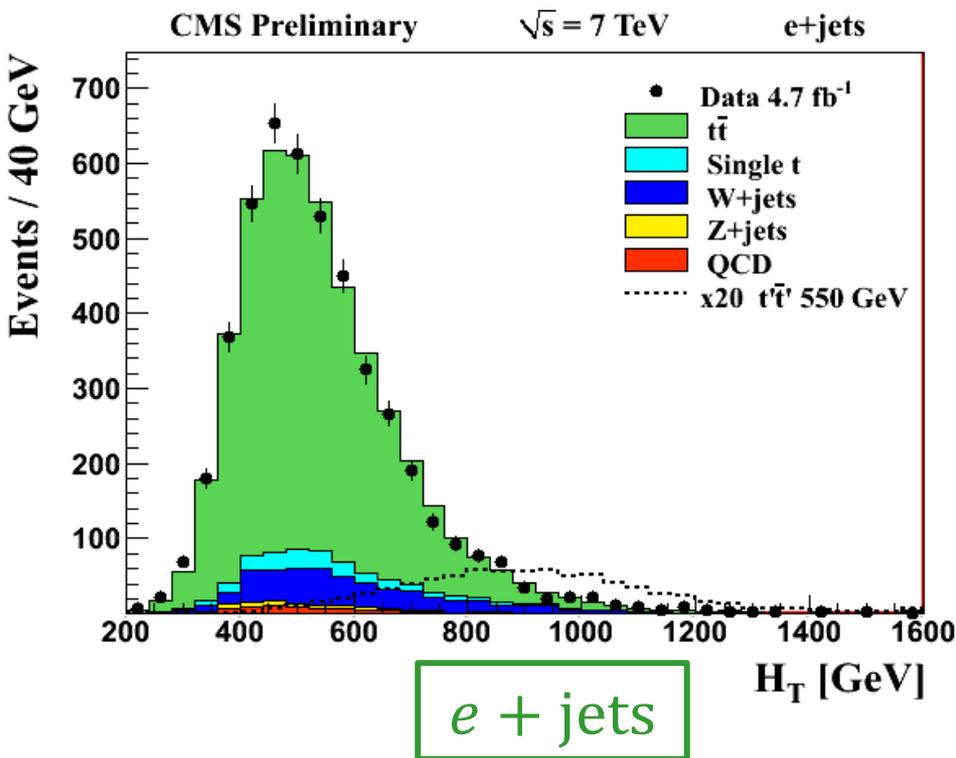


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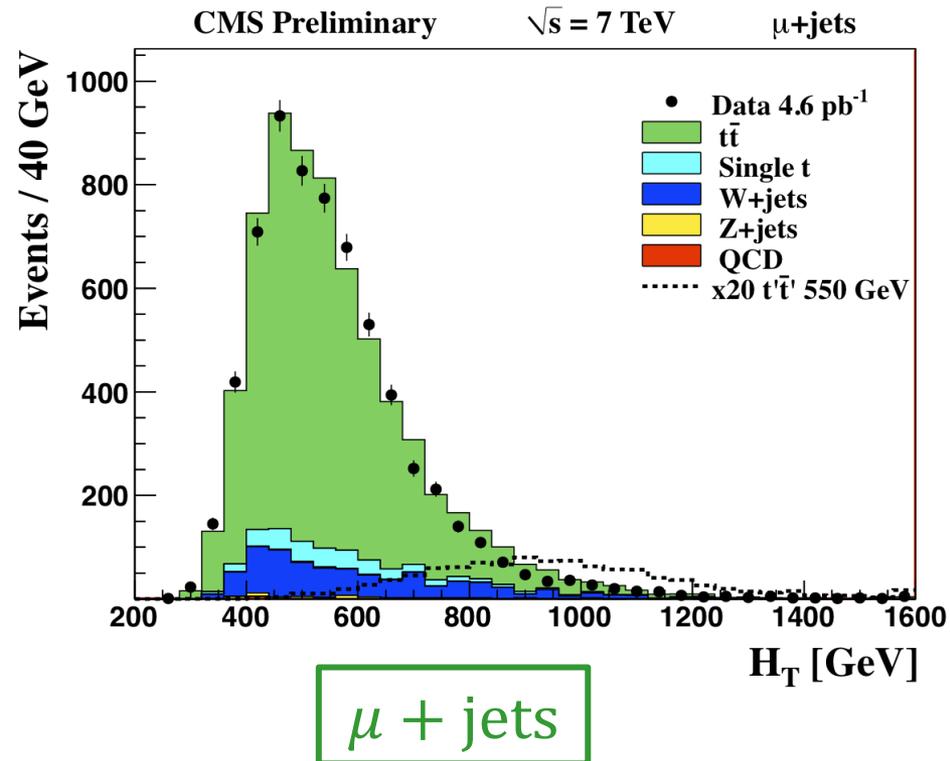
$M_{t'}: 552$ GeV

Heavy new top-like quark #2

$$t'\bar{t}' \rightarrow WbW\bar{b} \rightarrow \ell\nu b q \bar{q}\bar{b}$$

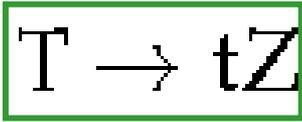


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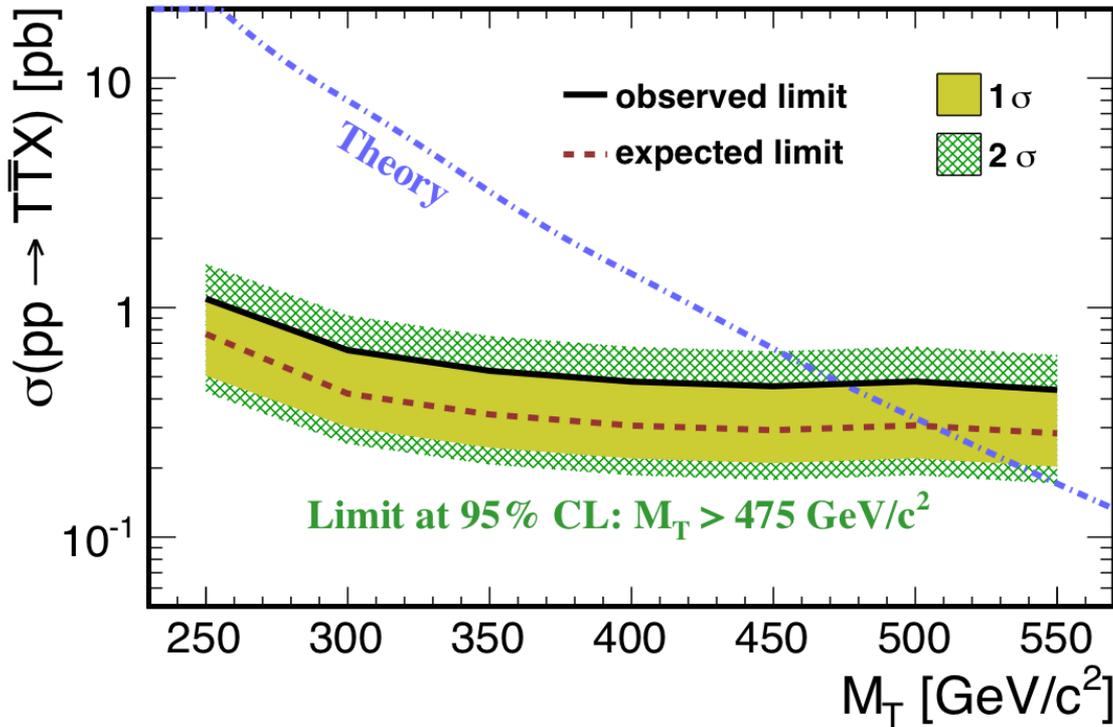


$M_{t'}: 560 \text{ GeV}$

Heavy new top-like quark #3



CMS 1.14 fb⁻¹ $\sqrt{s} = 7$ TeV



$M_{t'}$: 475 GeV

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Weird Things

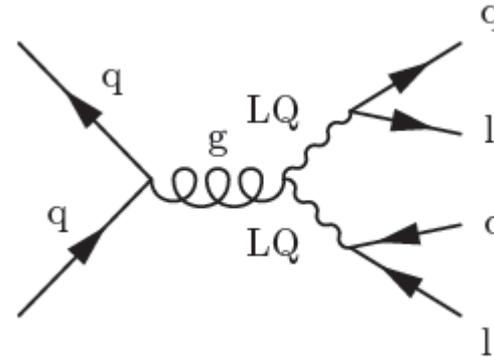
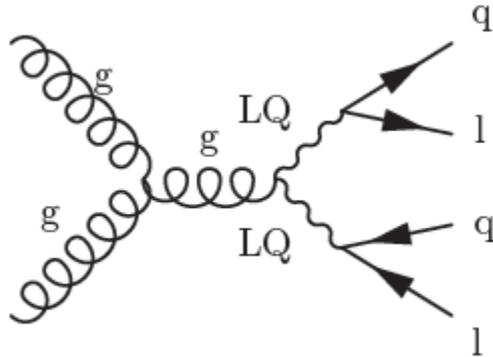
CMS: 25 New Results

- Resonances (Z' -like and extra dimensions)
 - dijet, ee , $\mu\mu$, $\gamma\gamma$, $t\bar{t}$, $t\bar{t}$ (boosted)
- W'
 - $e + \nu$, $\mu + \nu$, qq' , ℓN_ℓ (aka: right-handed W), WZ
- More extra dimensions:
 - mono-jet, mono-photon, black holes
- Fourth generation
 - Heavy bottom-like and top-like quarks
- “Weird” stuff: leptoquarks & long-lived particles

Leptoquarks

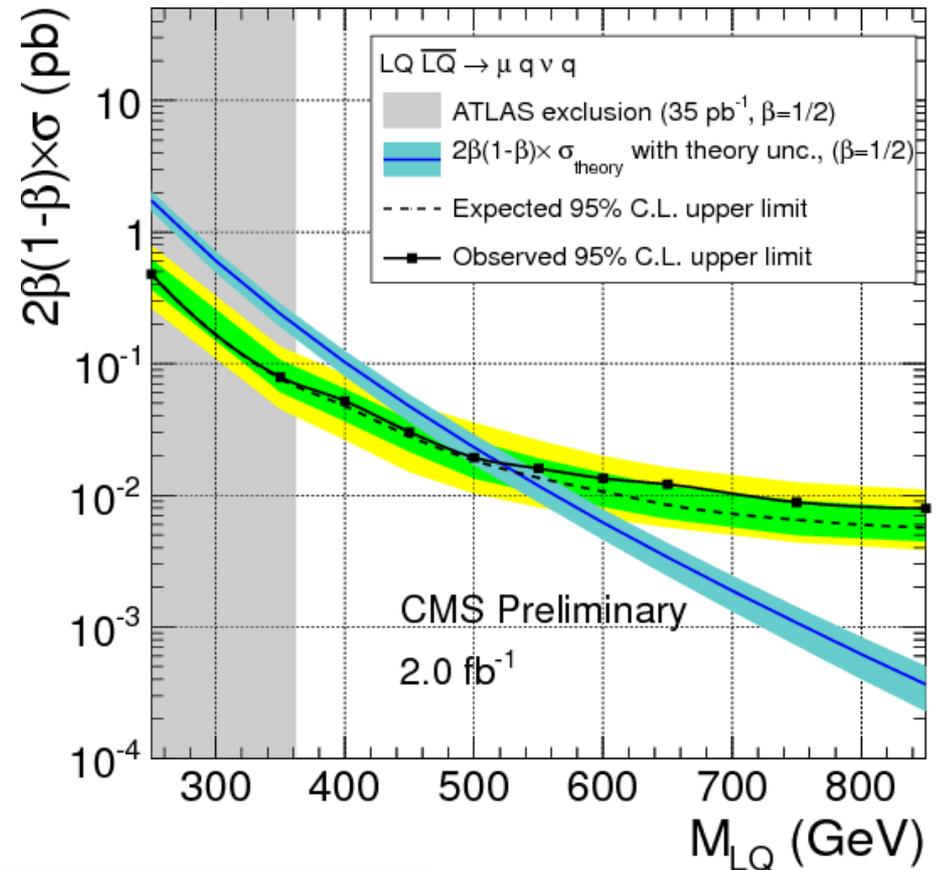
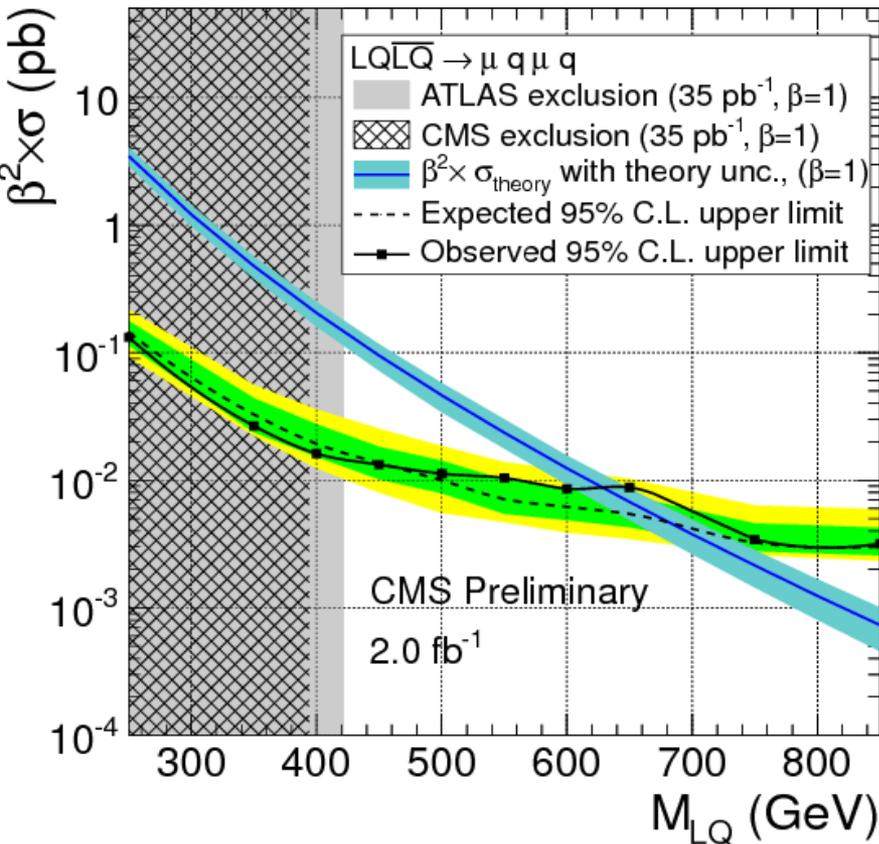
Supporting theory

- Hypothetical particles that carry both lepton & baryon #
- Have both color and electric charge
- Couple to quarks & leptons: **unlike anything else!**
- Predicted in GUT models, would explain why (# of leptons) = (# of quarks)



Second Generation Leptoquarks

Considering both $\mu\mu jj$ and $\mu\nu jj$



$$\beta \equiv \text{BR}(LQ \rightarrow \ell q), 1 - \beta \equiv \text{BR}(LQ \rightarrow \nu q)$$

LQ2: 632 GeV (if $\beta=1$)

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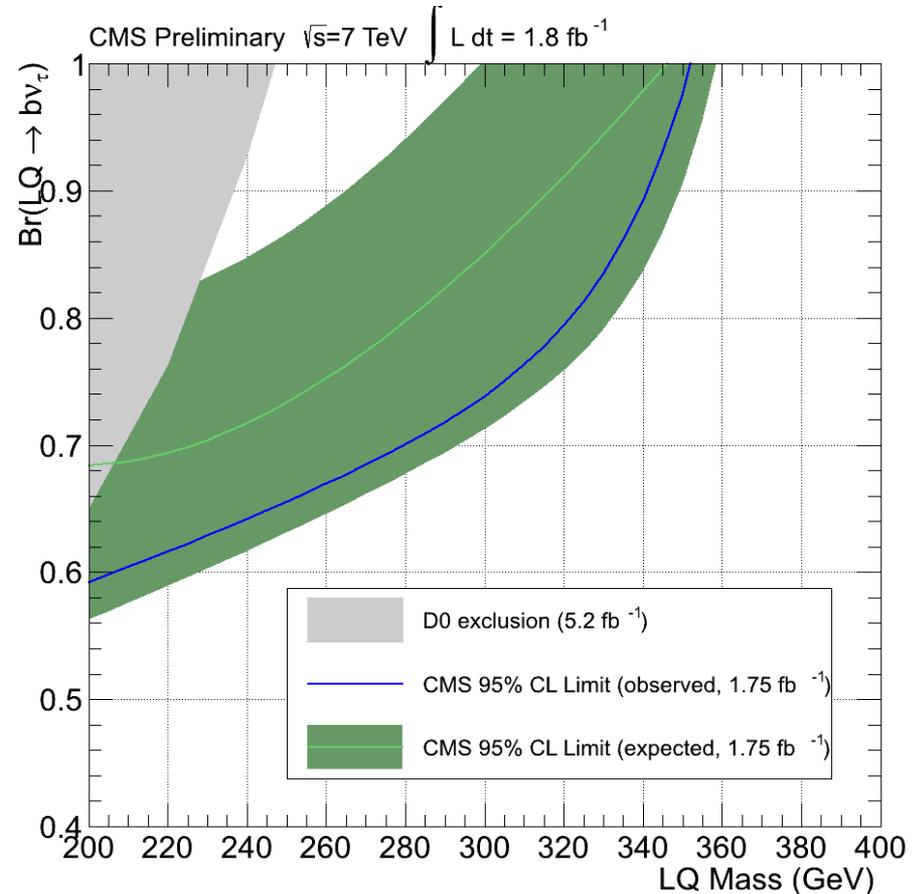
Third Generation Leptoquarks

Considering $\nu_\tau \nu_\tau bb$

$$R \equiv \frac{M_T^R}{M_R}$$

$$M_R \equiv \sqrt{(E_{j_1} + E_{j_2})^2 - (\vec{p}_z^{j_1} + \vec{p}_z^{j_2})^2}$$

$$M_T^R \equiv \sqrt{\frac{E_T(\vec{p}_T^{j_1} + \vec{p}_T^{j_2}) - \vec{E}_T \cdot (\vec{p}_T^{j_1} + \vec{p}_T^{j_2})}{2}}$$



LQ3: 350 GeV (if $\beta=1$)

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Long-lived particles

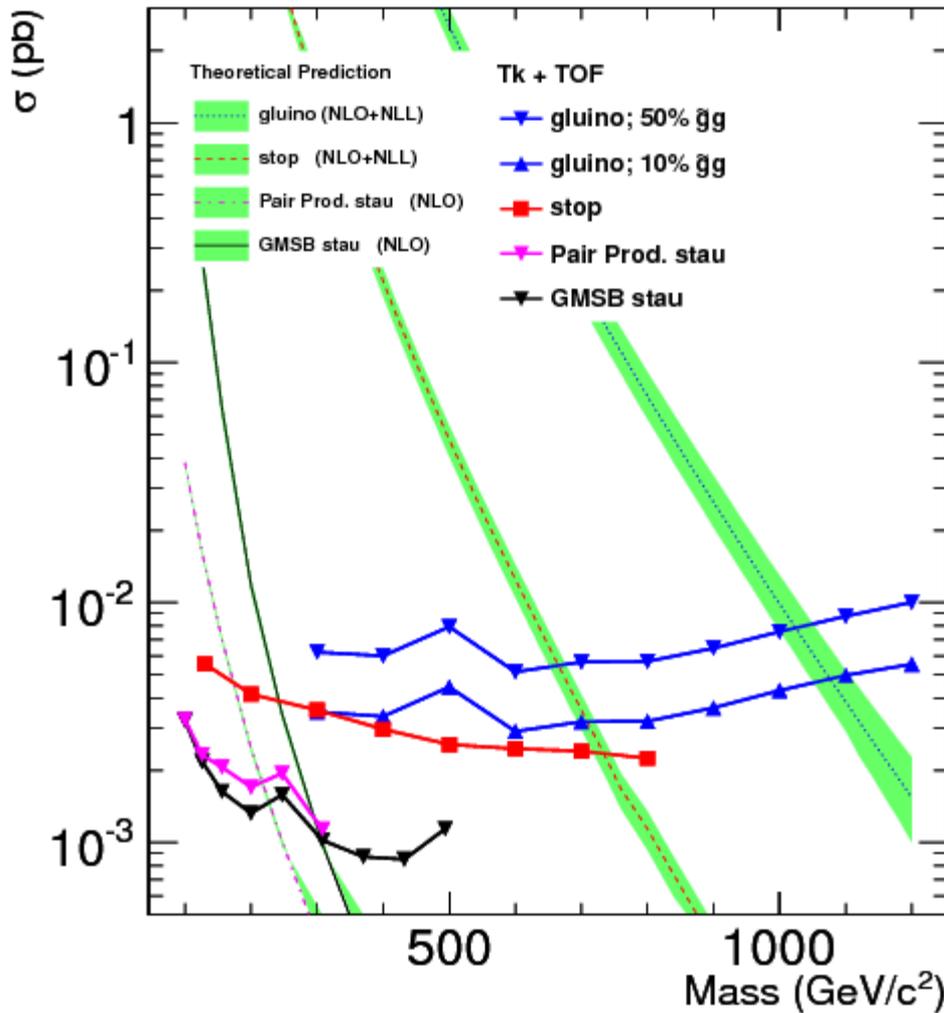
Experimental considerations

- Massive charged long-lived particles leaving highly ionizing tracks in the tracker (and muon): identified by dE/dx (TOF)
- Massive neutral long-lived particles: non-prompt decay to displaced leptons, photons, jets, etc..
- Long-lived, strongly interacting, slow ($\beta < 0.4$) particles stopping in the detector and decaying out-of-time
 - Complicated LHC beam structure with gaps sequence allows for a large coverage of particles lifetimes
 - Identified as jets

Complementary analyses: jet-analyses sensitive to slow particles, dE/dx & displaced photons: need higher β

Heavy Stable Charged Particles

CMS Preliminary $\sqrt{s} = 7 \text{ TeV}$ 4.7 fb^{-1}

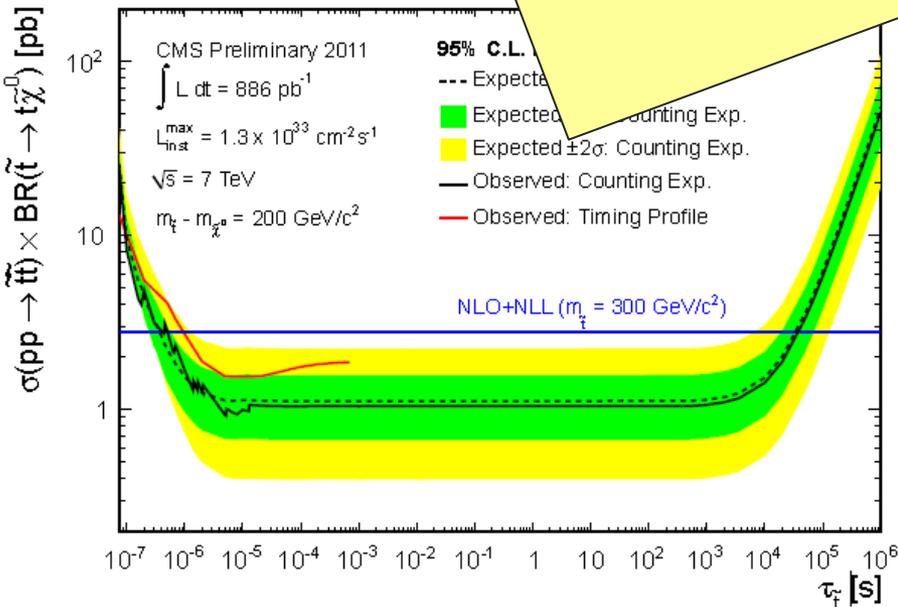
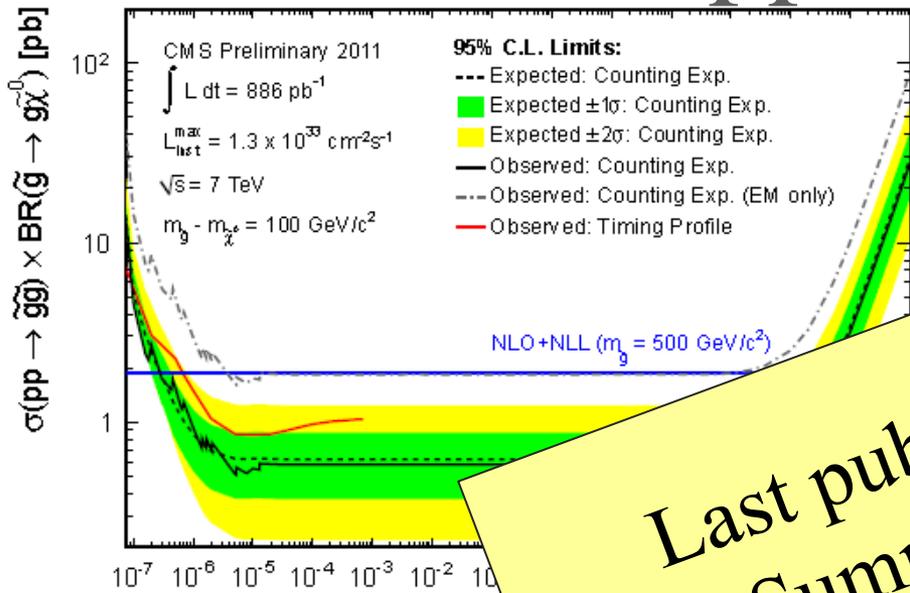


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gluino: 1091 GeV
stop: 734 GeV
stau: 306 GeV

“dE/dx” analysis: exclusion limits on
gluinos, stops and staus

Stopped HSCPs



Designed and commissioned
 specifically requiring a jet in
 an empty beam

Last public result:
 Summer 2011

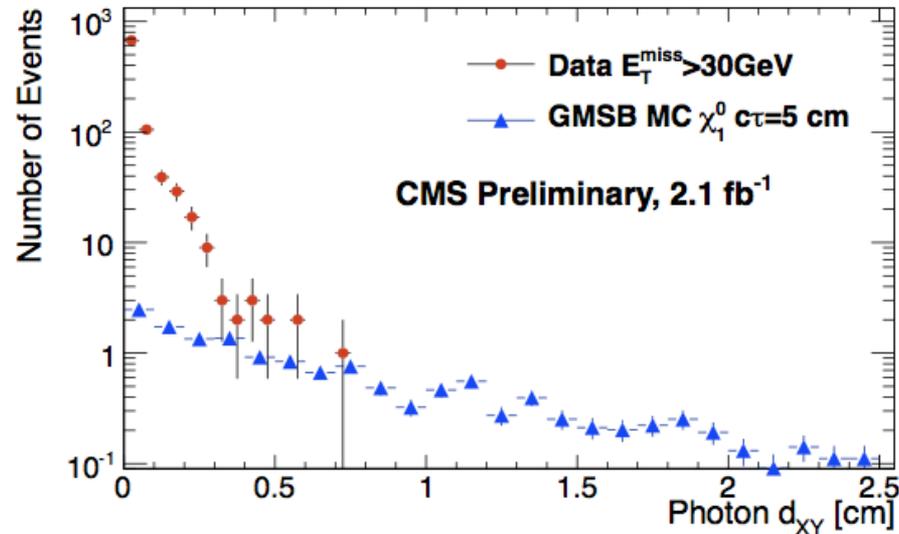
gluino: 601 GeV

stop: 337 GeV

Lifetimes: 10 orders of magnitude

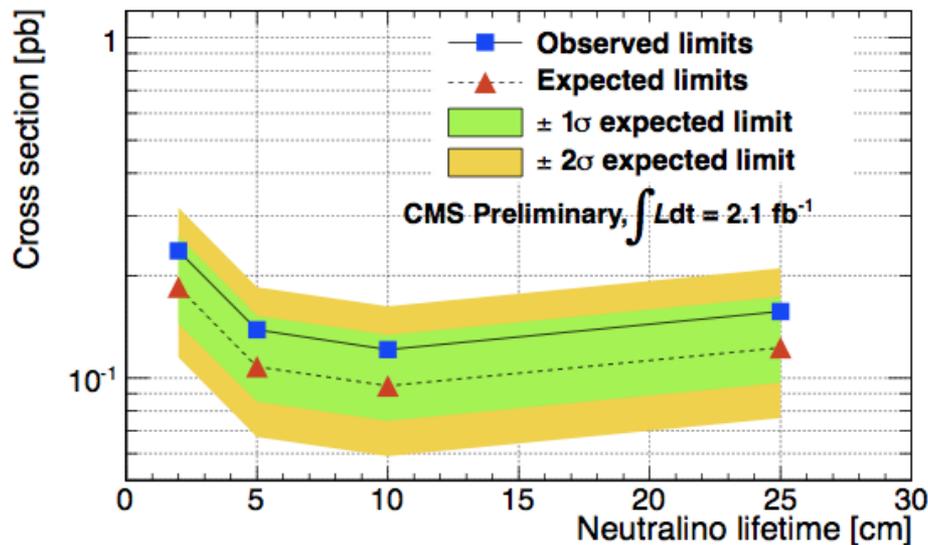
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Long-lived particles to Photons/MET



Searching for neutralino
decaying to gravitino & photon

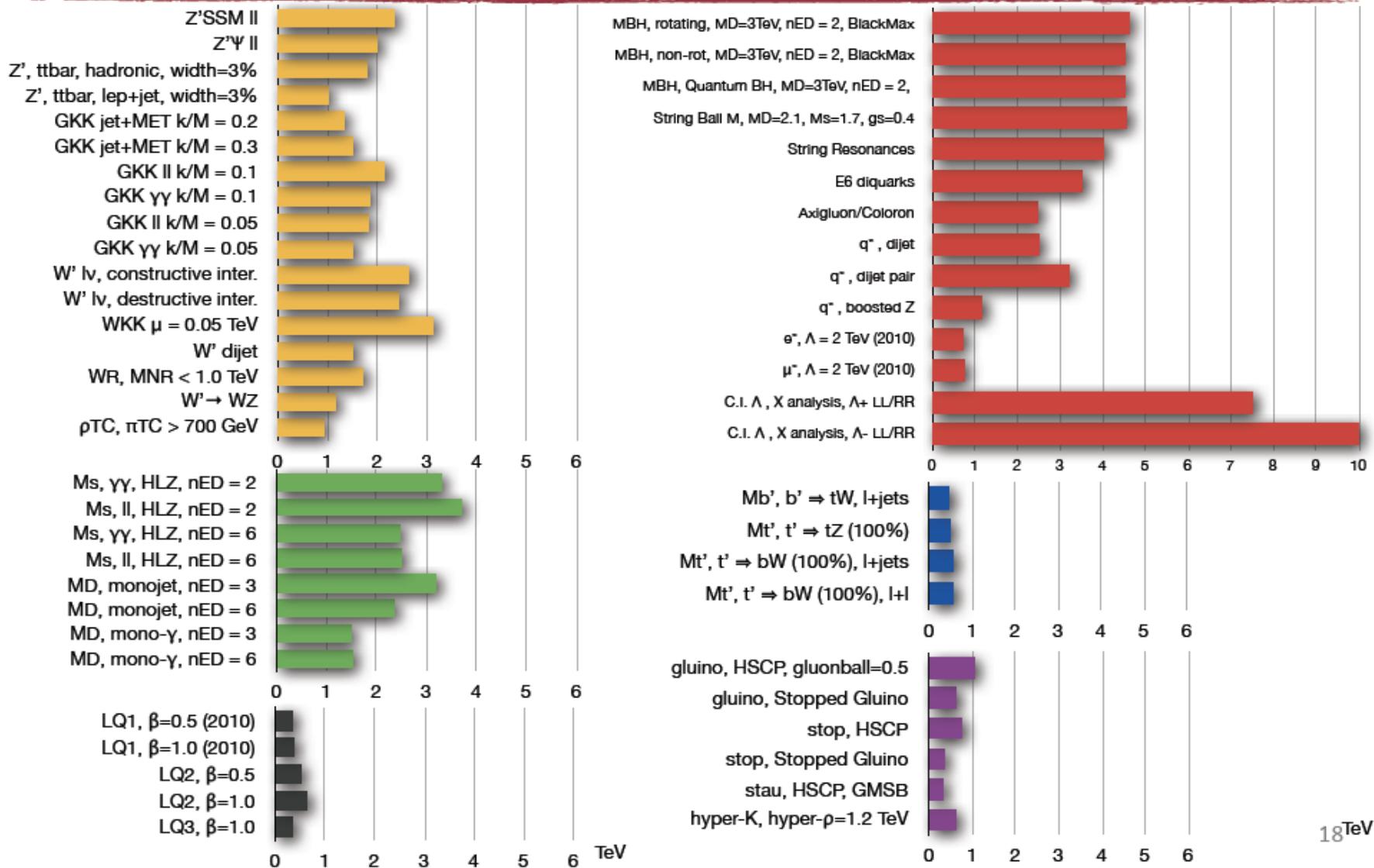
Impact parameter of vertex from
photon conversions



Cross-section exclusion limit
for neutralino lifetimes: 2-25 cm

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The Grand Summary



18 TeV

Changes in 2012

- Higher collision energy
 - The higher the mass (of the new particle), the larger the gain

“New Physics is too heavy for $\sqrt{s}=7$ TeV”

8-to-7 TeV: “Parton luminosity ratios”

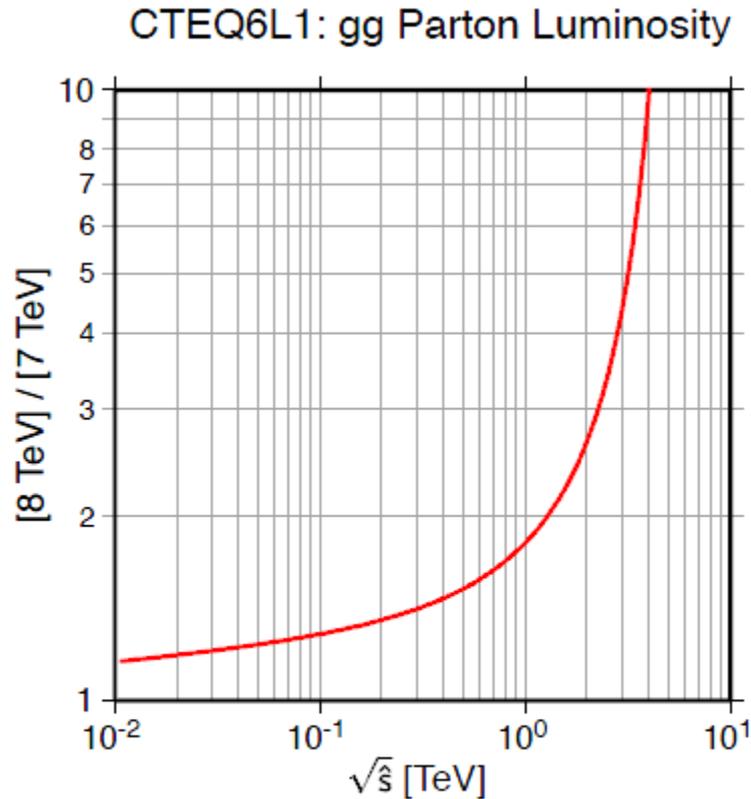


Figure 8: Ratio of parton luminosity for gg interactions in pp collisions at $\sqrt{s} = 8$ TeV to luminosity at 7 TeV (logarithmic scale).

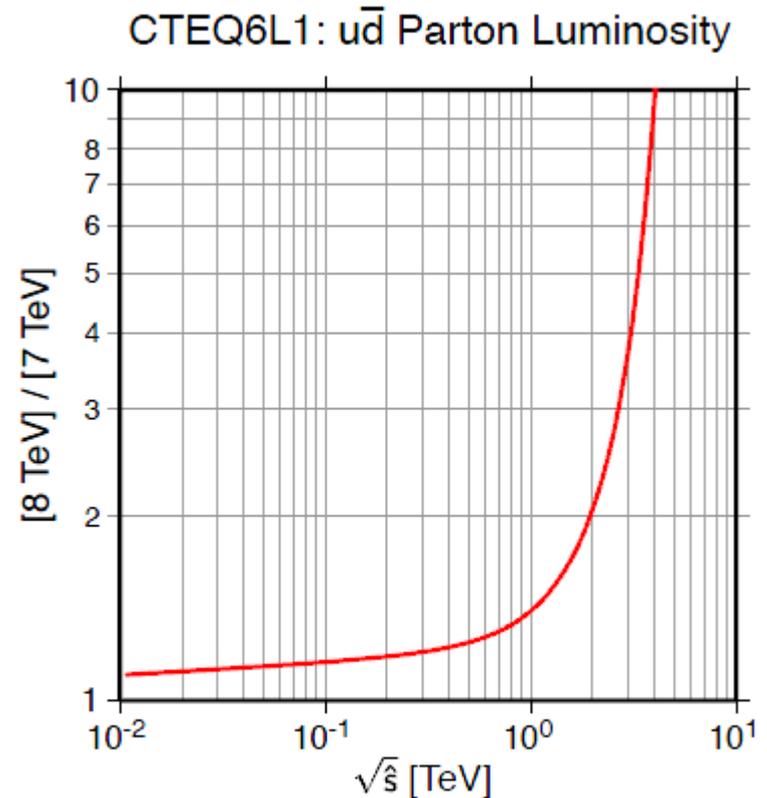


Figure 12: Ratio of parton luminosity for $u\bar{d}$ interactions in pp collisions at $\sqrt{s} = 8$ TeV to luminosity at 7 TeV (logarithmic scale).

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“Are we looking in the right place?”

- Adequate coverage of “unusual topologies”?
 - e.g. “hidden valleys” type of physics
- Long-lived particles: highlight crucial role of trigger
- If New Physics is contained in collected datasets, there is nowhere to hide. But remember:
 - Only 0.001% of all LHC bunch crossings are recorded
 - The trigger has no “undo” button.

Trigger ideas for 2012

- “Data parking”
 - Store twice as many events as the prompt reconstruction capacity allows ($\sim 350 \text{ Hz} \times 2$)
 - Go back (during shutdown) and reconstruct “bonus” dataset
 - A lot of work (and thought) to decide what goes into doubling of recorded events
- Exploit high-CPU & bandwidth capacity of High Level Trigger
 - Create kinematic distributions of interest in real time: early warning system
 - Offline analysis: sees $\sim 400 \text{ Hz}$
 - Online analysis: sees \sim tens of kHz

Summary

Epilogue

- CMS has made public 25 new Exotica results from the analysis of the 2011 data. Very impressive exclusion limits, small deviations in a few channels to keep an eye on
- A lot of work ahead of us in 2012: higher collision energy, three times as much integrated luminosity
- We should not forget: 99.999% of all LHC bunch crossings never get a chance to show up in your favorite analysis. Let's make sure New Physics is in the remaining 0.001%.

Backup

CMS

Total weight 14000 t
Overall diameter 15 m
Overall length 21.6 m

ECAL 76k scintillating PbWO₄ crystals

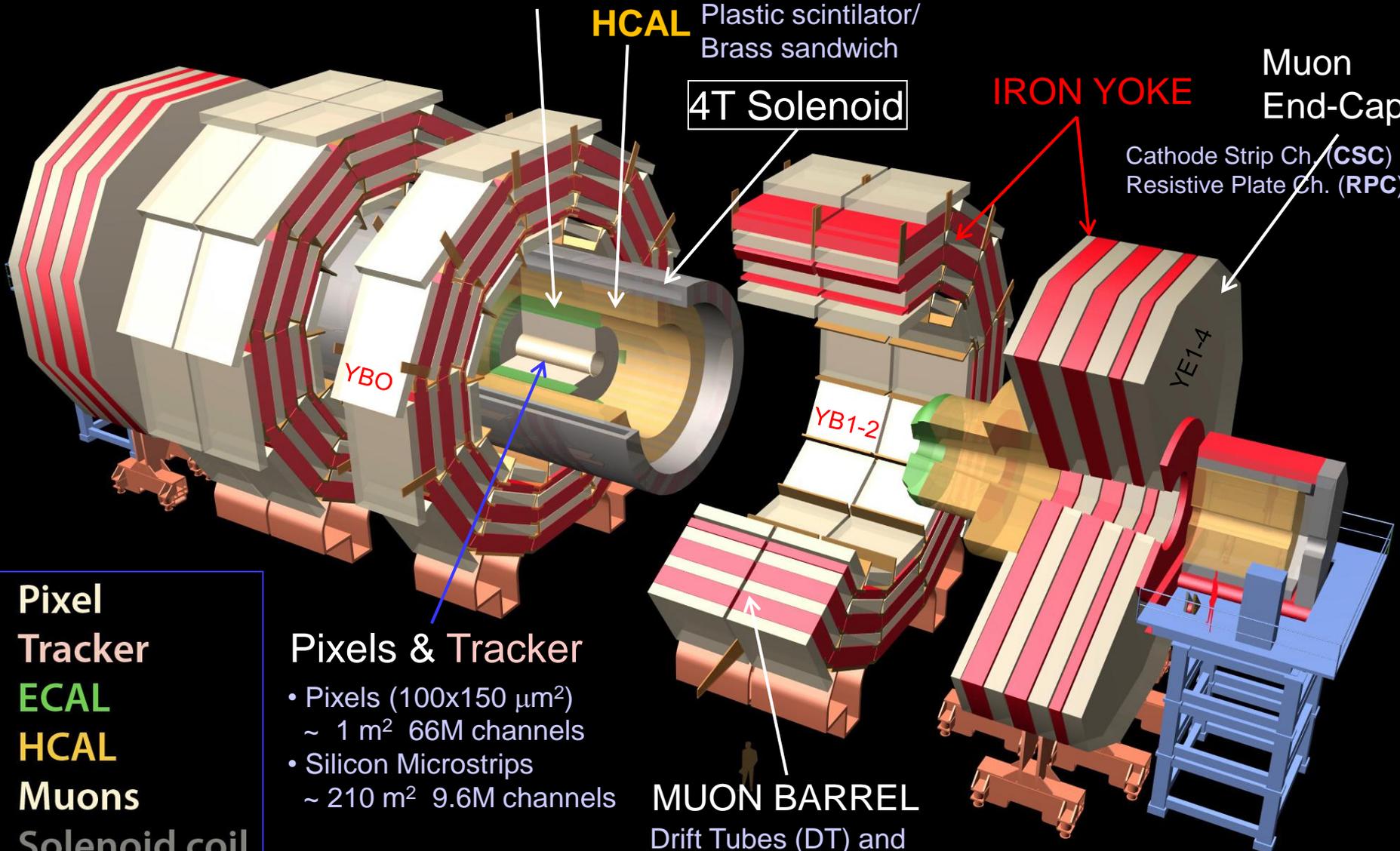
HCAL Plastic scintillator/ Brass sandwich

4T Solenoid

IRON YOKE

Muon End-Caps

Cathode Strip Ch. (CSC)
Resistive Plate Ch. (RPC)



Pixels & Tracker

- Pixels (100x150 μm²)
~ 1 m² 66M channels
- Silicon Microstrips
~ 210 m² 9.6M channels

MUON BARREL

Drift Tubes (DT) and Resistive Plate Chambers (RPC)

Pixel Tracker
ECAL
HCAL
Muons
Solenoid coil