

EXOTIC SEARCHES AT CMS

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EXOTICA IN CMS

- 2012 data
 - 5 preliminary results
- 2011 data
 - 40 submitted
- A number of searches with 2011 data available as preliminary result

Preliminary Results - 2012 Run

Analysis	Approved Plots	CDS Entry	Luminosity
Search for dijet resonances	EXO12016	PAS EXO12016	4/fb
Search for black holes	EXO12009	PAS EXO12009	4/fb
Search for dilepton resonances	EXO12015	PAS EXO12015	4/fb
Search for W with lepton+MET	EXO12010	PAS EXO12010	4/fb
Search for a heavy neutrino and right-handed W	EXO12017	PAS EXO12017	4/fb

Preliminary Results - 2011 Run

Analysis	Approved Plots	CDS Entry	Luminosity
Search for Jet Exclusion in the Inclusive Jet pT Spectrum new	EXO11088	PAS EXO11088	5/fb
Search for Multijet Resonances in the 8-jet Final State new	EXO11075	PAS EXO11075	5/fb
Search for Unparticles in Z+MET new	EXO11043	PAS EXO11043	5/fb
Search for 8-jet Resonances new	EXO11008	PAS EXO11008	5/fb
Search for ρ WZ/WWZ/ZZ-Resonances in the WZ-tagged Dijet Mass Spectrum new	EXO11095	PAS EXO11095	5/fb
Search for Long-Lived Particles using Displaced Photons new	EXO11036	PAS EXO11036	5/fb
Search for multi-charged Heavy Stable Charged Particles new	EXO11090	PAS EXO11090	5/fb
Search for \tilde{g} to $s\bar{s}$ new	EXO11086	PAS EXO11086	5/fb
Search for ADD Extra-dimensions in Dileptons	EXO12013	PAS EXO12013	5/fb
Search for high-mass resonances decaying to \tilde{g} in the lepton-jets channel	EXO11080	PAS EXO11080	5/fb
Search for narrow resonances decaying to Z(3Z)00	EXO11102	PAS EXO11102	5/fb
Search for Evidence of Contact Interactions in Dimuon Mass Spectrum	EXO11009	PAS EXO11009	5/fb
Search for exotic resonances decaying into V+Z using final states with a jet and a lepton pair	EXO11081	PAS EXO11081	5/fb
Search for Dijet Resonances in the Dijet Delta Eta Ratio	EXO11026	PAS EXO11026	2.2/fb
Search for Randall-Sundrum Gravitons Decaying into a Jet plus Missing ET	EXO11061	PAS EXO11061	4.3/fb
Search for Z' to $b\bar{b}$ in high-mass $(\mu\mu)$ channel	EXO11082	PAS EXO11082	4.3/fb
Search for New Physics in the Paired Dijet Mass Spectrum	EXO11016	PAS EXO11016	2.2/fb

Journal Publications - 2010 Run

in HEP

Analysis	ArXiv Entry	Luminosity	Publication Status
Search for Three-Jet Resonances in pp Collisions at $\sqrt{s} = 7$ TeV	1107.3084 (hep-ex)	36fb	10.1103/PhysRevLett.107.101801
A Search for excited leptons in pp Collisions at $\sqrt{s} = 7$ TeV	1107.1773 (hep-ex)	36fb	10.1016/j.physletb.2011.09.021
Search for New Physics with a Mono-Jet and Missing Transverse Energy in pp Collisions at $\sqrt{s} = 7$ TeV	1106.4775 (hep-ex)	36fb	10.1103/PhysRevLett.107.201804
Search for Light Resonances Decaying into Pairs of Muons as a Signal of New Physics	1106.2375 (hep-ex)	36fb	10.1007/JHEP07(2011)098
Search for Same-Sign Top-Quark Pair Production at $\sqrt{s} = 7$ TeV and Limits on Flavour Changing Neutral Currents in the Top Sector	1106.2142 (hep-ex)	36fb	10.1007/JHEP08(2011)005
Search for First Generation Scalar Leptoquarks in the $\nu\mu$ channel in pp collisions at $\sqrt{s} = 7$ TeV	1105.5237 (hep-ex)	36fb	10.1016/j.physletb.2011.07.069
Search for Large Extra Dimensions in the Diphoton Final State at the Large Hadron Collider	1103.4279 (hep-ex)	36fb	10.1007/JHEP05(2011)085
Search for Resonances in the Dilepton Mass Distribution in pp collisions at $\sqrt{s} = 7$ TeV	1103.0981 (hep-ex)	40fb	10.1007/JHEP05(2011)080
Search for a W' boson decaying to a muon and a neutrino in pp collisions at $\sqrt{s} = 7$ TeV	1103.0030 (hep-ex)	36fb	10.1016/j.physletb.2011.05.048
Search for a Heavy Bottom-like Quark in pp Collisions at $\sqrt{s} = 7$ TeV	1102.4746 (hep-ex)	34fb	10.1016/j.physletb.2011.05.074

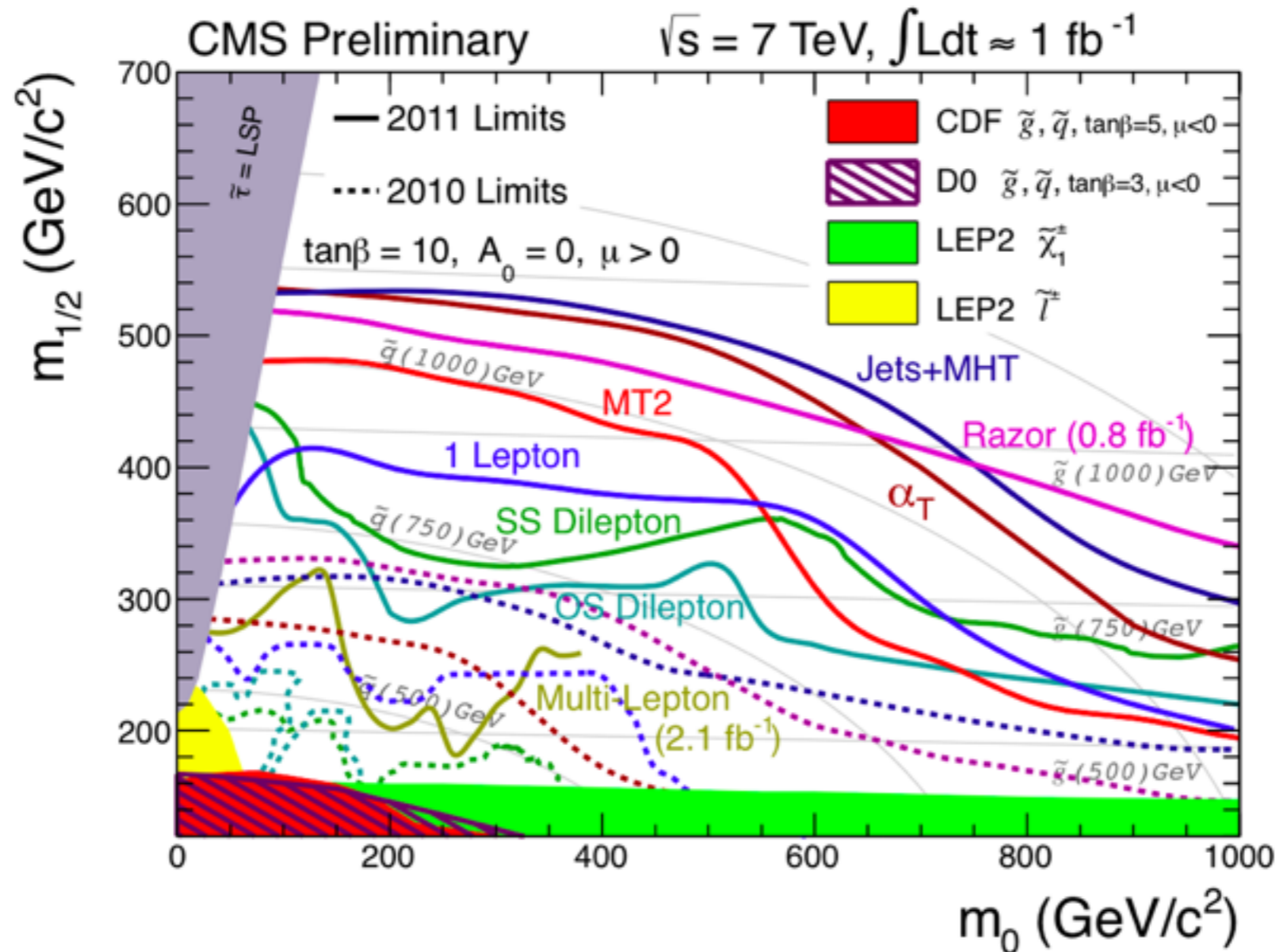
Journal Publications - 2011 Run

Analysis	ArXiv Entry	Luminosity	Publication Status
Search in leptonic channels for heavy resonances decaying to long-lived neutral particles new	arXiv:1211.2472	5/fb	submitted to JHEP
Search for new light bosons from Higgs boson decays using multi-muon events new	arXiv:1210.7619	5/fb	submitted to PLB
Search for Third-Generation Leptoquarks and Scalar Bottom Quarks new	arXiv:1210.5627	5/fb	submitted to JHEP
Search for third generation leptoquarks in $\tau\nu+b$ new	arXiv:1210.5629	5/fb	submitted to PRL
Search for New Physics in Highly Boosted Z0 Decays to Dimuon new	arXiv:1210.0867	5/fb	submitted to PLB
Search for pair produced fourth-generation up-type quarks in pp collisions at 7 TeV with a lepton in the final state new	arXiv:1209.0471	5/fb	10.1016/j.physletb.2012.10.038
Search for a heavy neutrino and right-handed W new	arXiv:1210.2402	5/fb	submitted to PRL
Search for fractionally charged particles new	arXiv:1210.2311	5/fb	submitted to PRL
Search for Excited Leptons new	arXiv:1210.2422	5/fb	submitted to PLB
Search for narrow resonances and quantum black holes in inclusive and b-tagged dijet mass spectra new	arXiv:1210.2387	5/fb	submitted to JHEP
Search for Type III seesaw from pp collisions at 7 TeV new	arXiv:1210.1797	5/fb	submitted to PLB
Search for a narrow, spin-2 resonance decaying to a pair of Z bosons in the $q\bar{q} \rightarrow b\bar{b}$ final state new	arXiv:1209.3807	5/fb	submitted to PLB
Inclusive search for quarks of a sequential fourth generation	arXiv:1209.1082	5/fb	submitted to PRD
Search for Three-Jet Resonances	arXiv:1208.2931	5/fb	10.1016/j.physletb.2012.10.048
Search for $W \rightarrow t\bar{b}$ in lepton + jets	arXiv:1208.0956	5/fb	submitted to PLB
Search for 1st or 2nd generation LQ	arXiv:1207.5406	5/fb	10.1103/PhysRevD.86.052013
Search for Heavy Majorana Neutrinos with same sign dileptons	arXiv:1207.6079	5/fb	10.1016/j.physletb.2012.09.012
Search for new physics with long-lived particles decaying to photons and missing energy	arXiv:1207.0627	2.1/fb	submitted to JHEP
Search for Stopped HSCPs	arXiv:1207.0106	5/fb	10.1007/JHEP08(2012)026
Search for Dark Matter and Large Extra Dimensions in Monojet Events	arXiv:1206.5663	5/fb	10.1007/JHEP09(2012)094
Search for W' decaying into t and d quarks	arXiv:1206.3921	5/fb	10.1016/j.physletb.2012.09.048
Search for Resonances to Dileptons	arXiv:1206.1849	5/fb	10.1016/j.physletb.2012.06.051
Search for resonances decaying into ditau	arXiv:1206.1725	5/fb	10.1016/j.physletb.2012.07.062
Search for Search for W' (or techni-rho) to WZ	arXiv:1206.0433	5/fb	10.1103/PhysRevLett.109.141801
Search for HSCPs	arXiv:1205.0272	5/fb	10.1016/j.physletb.2012.06.023
Search for Anomalous Production of Multilepton Events and R-Parity-Violating Supersymmetry	arXiv:1204.5341	5/fb	10.1007/JHEP06(2012)169
Search for W' to lepton+MET	arXiv:1204.4764	5/fb	10.1007/JHEP08(2012)023
Search for Z' to $t\bar{t}$ (boosted tops)	arXiv:1204.2488	5/fb	10.1007/JHEP09(2012)029
Search for \tilde{t} to bW (dilepton channel)	arXiv:1203.5410	5/fb	10.1016/j.physletb.2012.07.059
Search for Heavy Bottom-like Quarks	arXiv:1204.1088	5/fb	10.1007/JHEP05(2012)123
Search for Dark Matter and Large Extra Dimensions in the γ +MET Final States	arXiv:1204.0621	5/fb	10.1103/PhysRevLett.108.261803
Search for Quark Compositeness in Dijet Angular Distributions	arXiv:1202.5635	2.2/fb	10.1007/JHEP05(2012)055
Search for Black Holes	arXiv:1202.6396	4.7/fb	10.1007/JHEP04(2012)061
Search for Large Extra Dimensions in Dilepton and Dimuon Events	arXiv:1202.3827	2.2/fb	10.1016/j.physletb.2012.03.029
Search for signatures of extra dimensions in the diphoton mass spectrum at the Large Hadron Collider	arXiv:1112.0886	2.2/fb	10.1103/PhysRevLett.108.111801
Search for a Vector-like Quark with Charge 2/3 in $t + Z$ Events from pp Collisions at $\sqrt{s} = 7$ TeV	arXiv:1109.4985	1.1/fb	10.1103/PhysRevLett.107.271802
Search for Resonances in the Dijet Mass Spectrum from 7 TeV pp Collisions at CMS	arXiv:1107.4771	1/fb	10.1016/j.physletb.2011.09.015

A VERY PRODUCTIVE 2012

- 40 results produced by CMS on 2011 data so far
 - with 2-3 exceptions all using full 2011 data set of 5 fb⁻¹
- Comprehensive review requires a few hours
- Focus mostly on most recent results
 - Few preliminaries with full 2012 data
 - New results using full 2012 dataset to be presented at Moriond
- Complete list of results
 - CMS: <https://twiki.cern.ch/twiki/bin/view/CMSPublic/PhysicsResultsEXO>

SUSY OR EXOTICA?



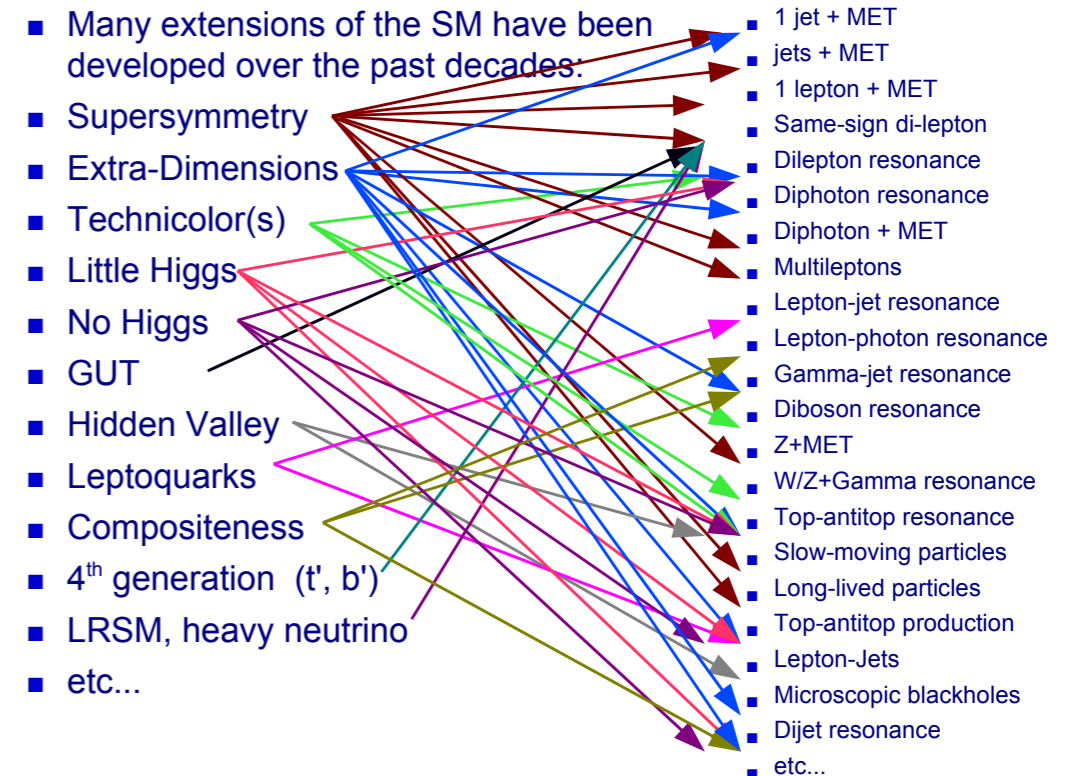
- SUSY results reported almost always in $(m_0, m_{1/2})$ plane
 - Relation between mass of supersymmetric particles
- Large missing transverse energy usually the primary signature
- In exotica we look for particles and resonances that are not necessarily needed or predicted in supersymmetry

SIGNATURE- OR TOPIC-BASED?

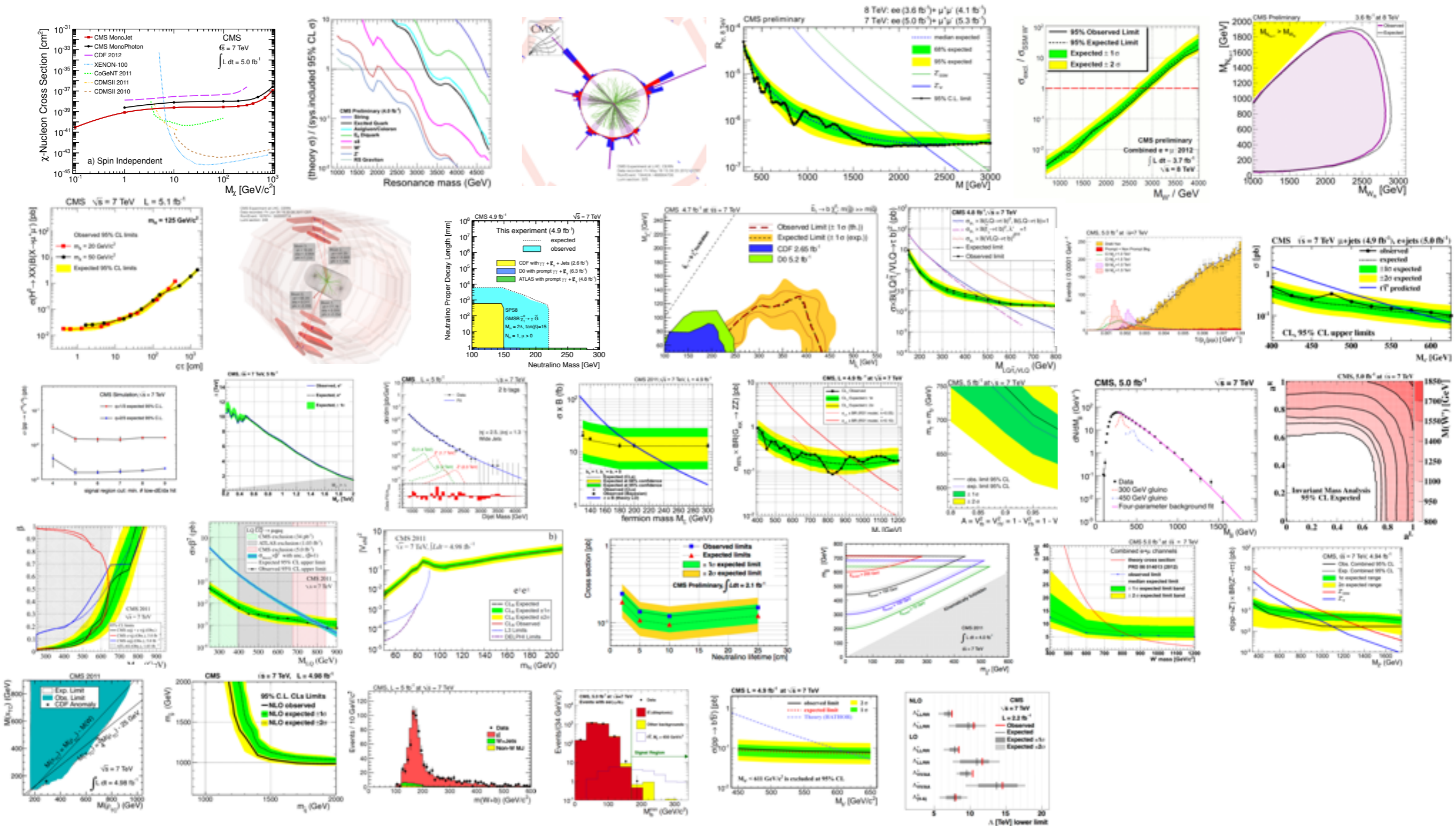
- Same final state often probing very different models or topics
 - 2 leptons, 2jets + MET, lepton+jet+MET

- Topological presentation requires jumping between very different models

- I will follow mostly a topic-based approach
 - easier to combine constraints on model from different topologies
 - Same final state is not simple re-interpretation
 - ▶ often optimization redone to deal with different acceptance for very different models
 - ▶ different analysis strategy and signal extraction methods

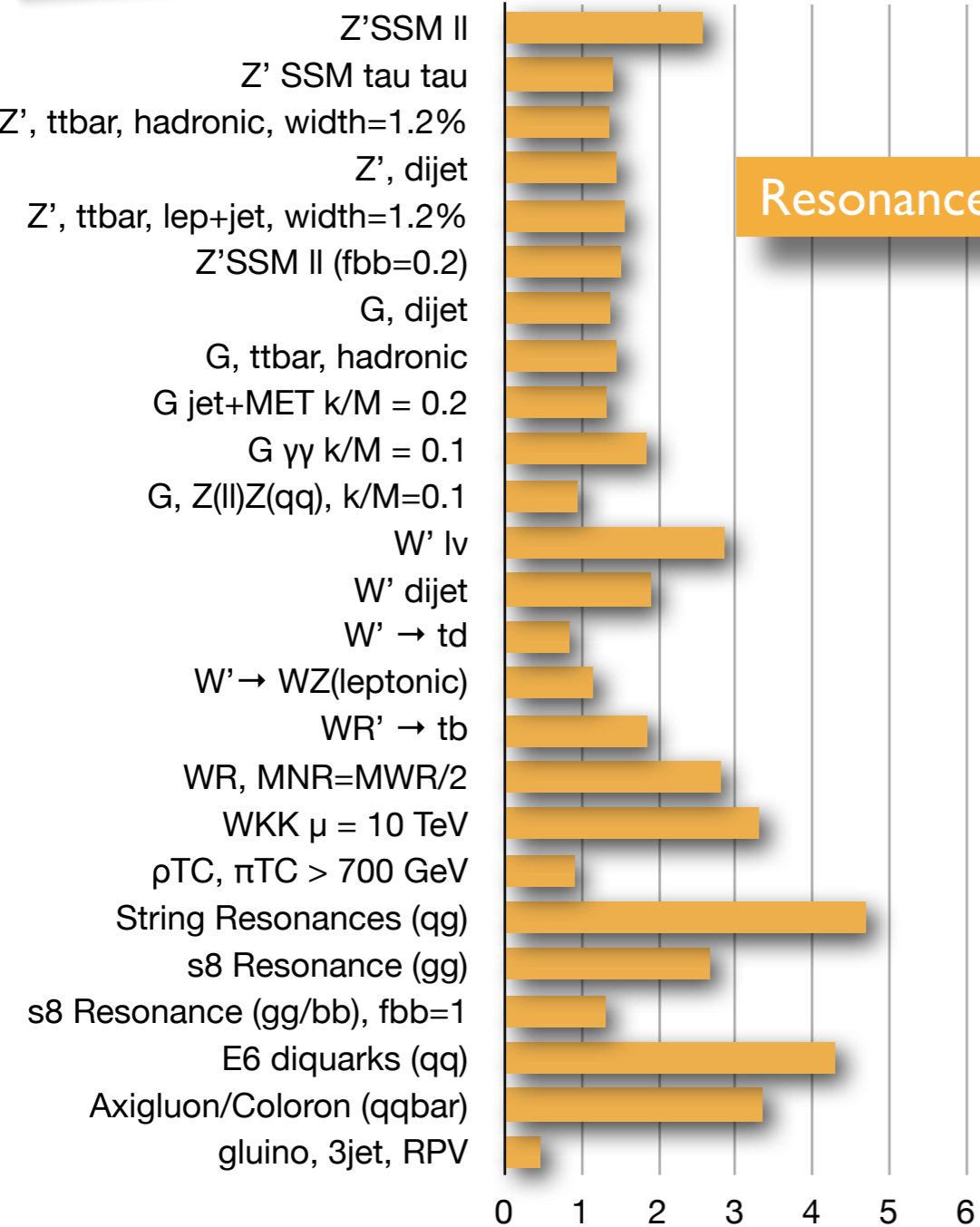


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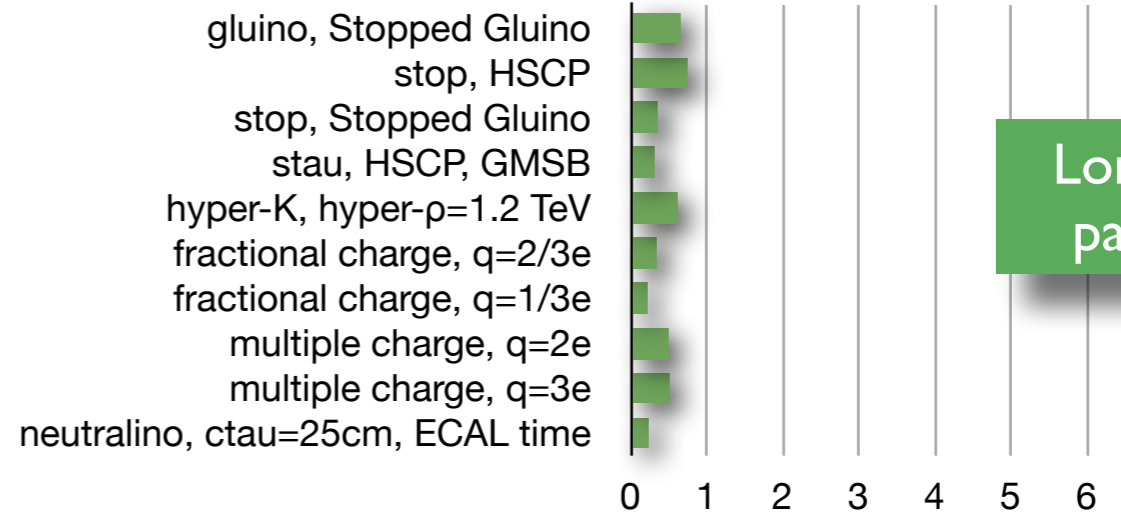


AN ATTEMPT AT SUMMERY!

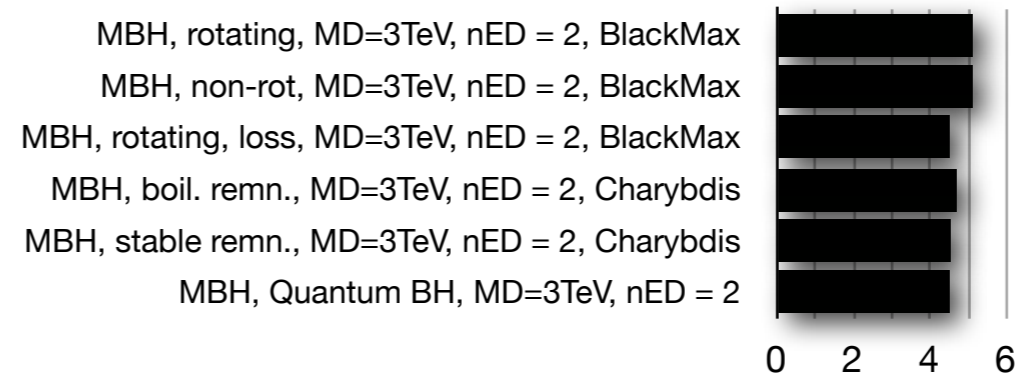
Resonances



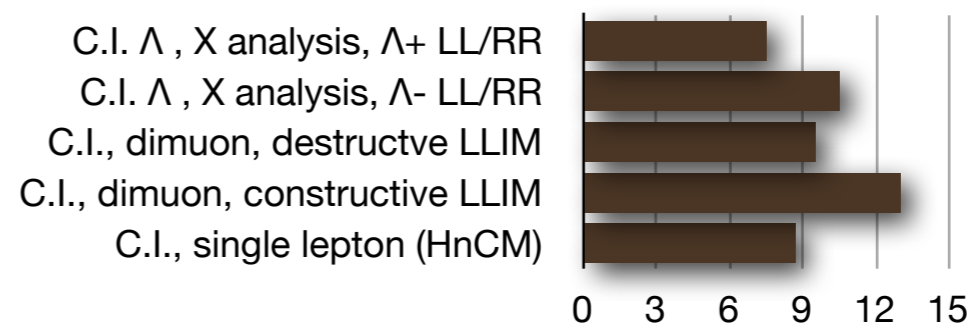
Long Lived particles



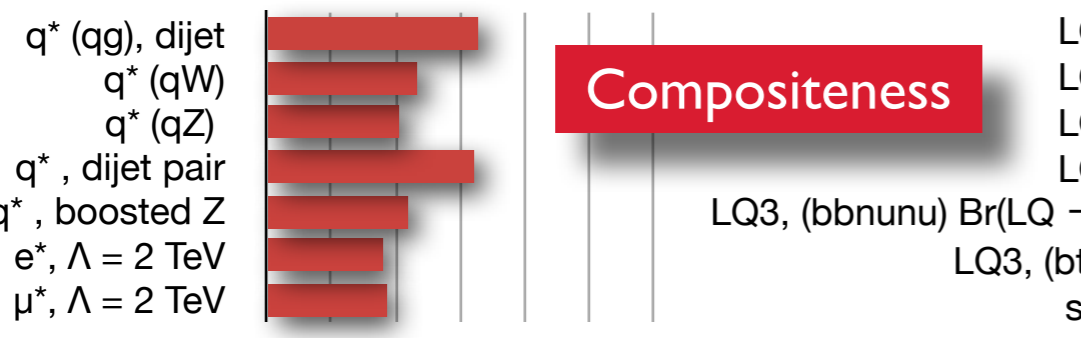
Black Holes



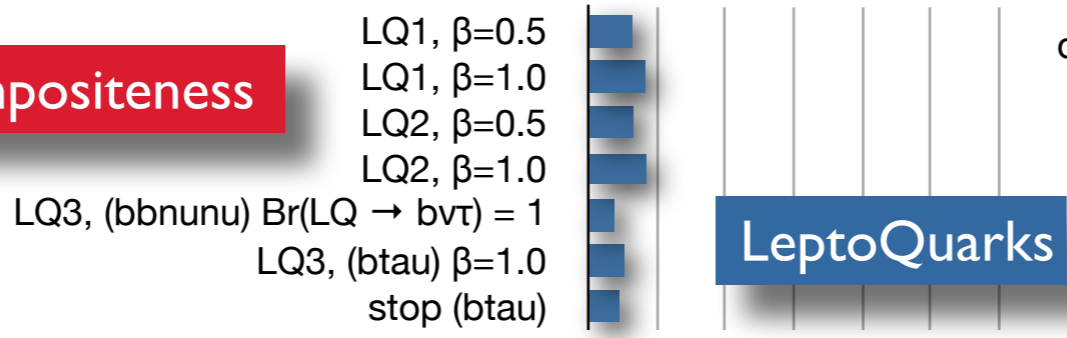
Contact Interaction



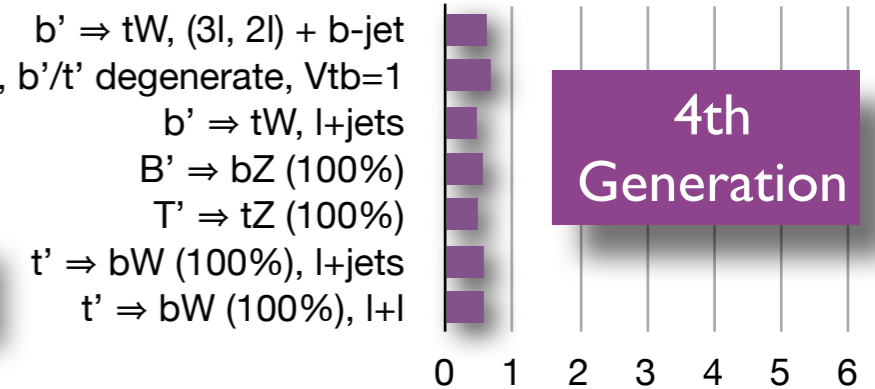
Compositeness



LeptoQuarks

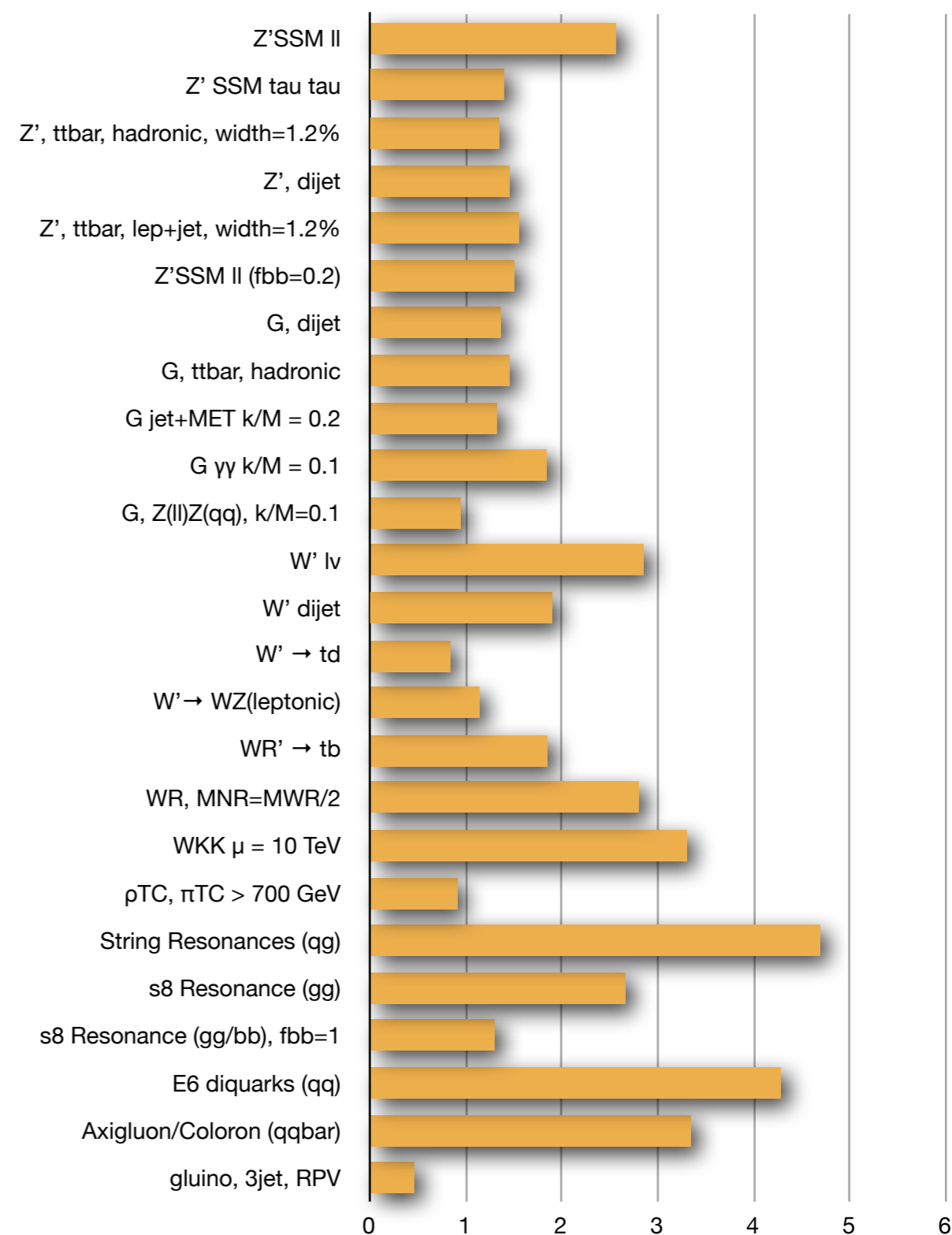


4th Generation



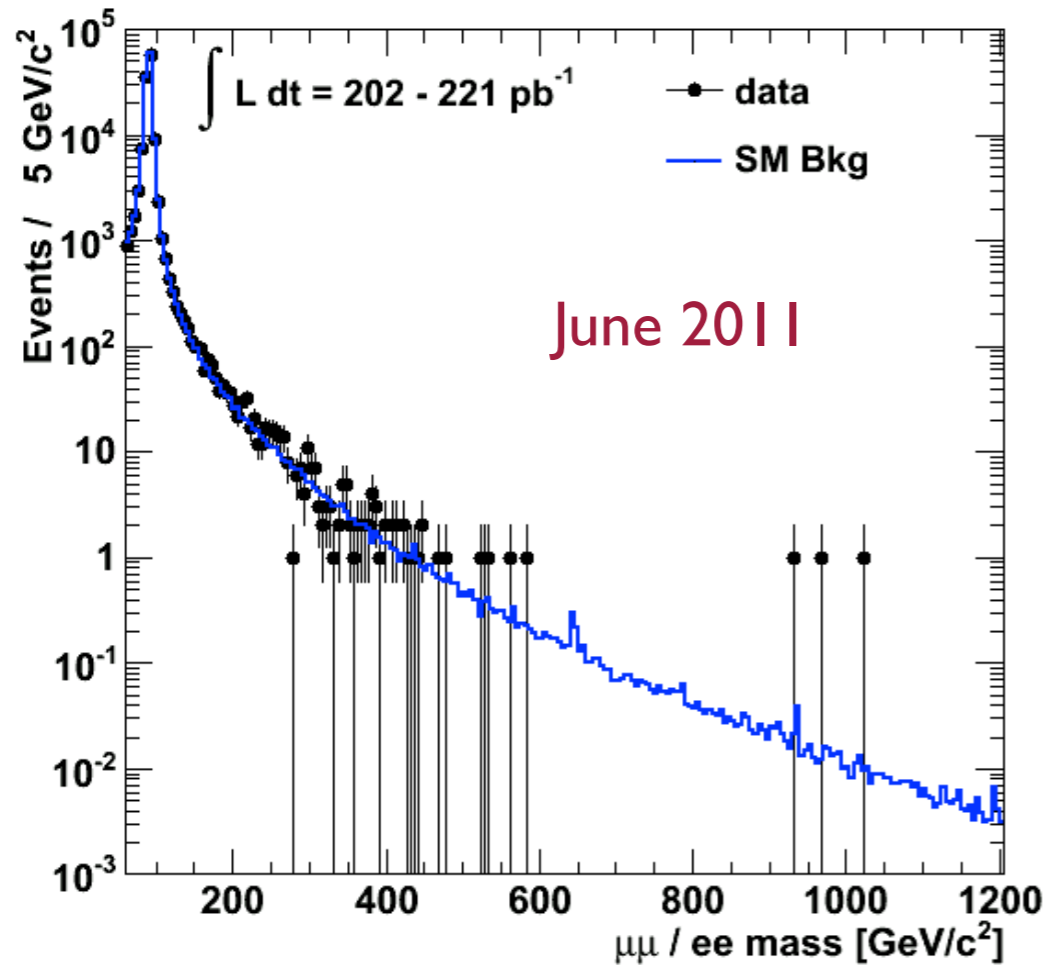
RESONANCES

- Comprehensive list of signatures
 - di-leptons
 - ▶ e,mu,tau
 - ▶ lepton+MET
 - di-bosons (W/Z)
 - ▶ 3l+MET
 - ▶ 2l+2j
 - 2-photon
- Backgrounds
 - relatively clean with good S/B
 - mostly tails of SM processes
- Experimental challenges
 - detector resolution can be a key player
 - 1.3% - 2.4% for electrons and 7% for muons at 1 TeV mass
 - extra care for energy/momentum reconstruction above 1 TeV

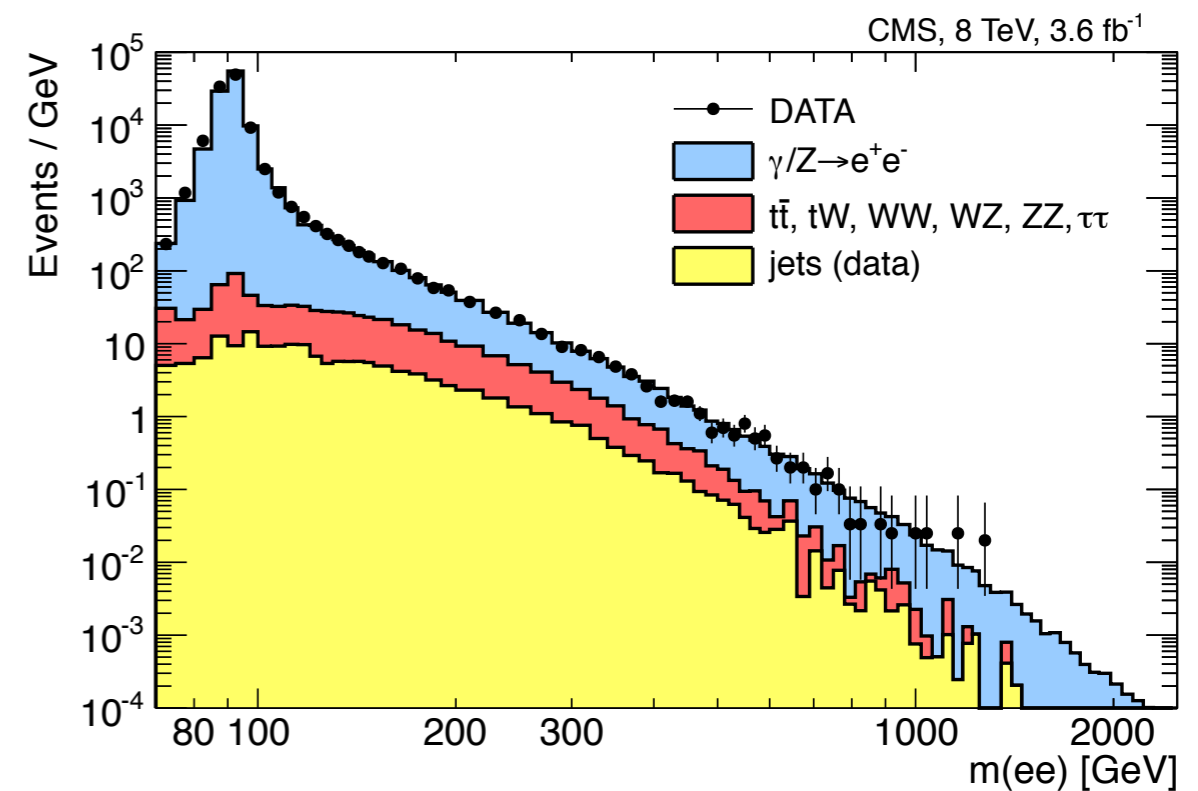
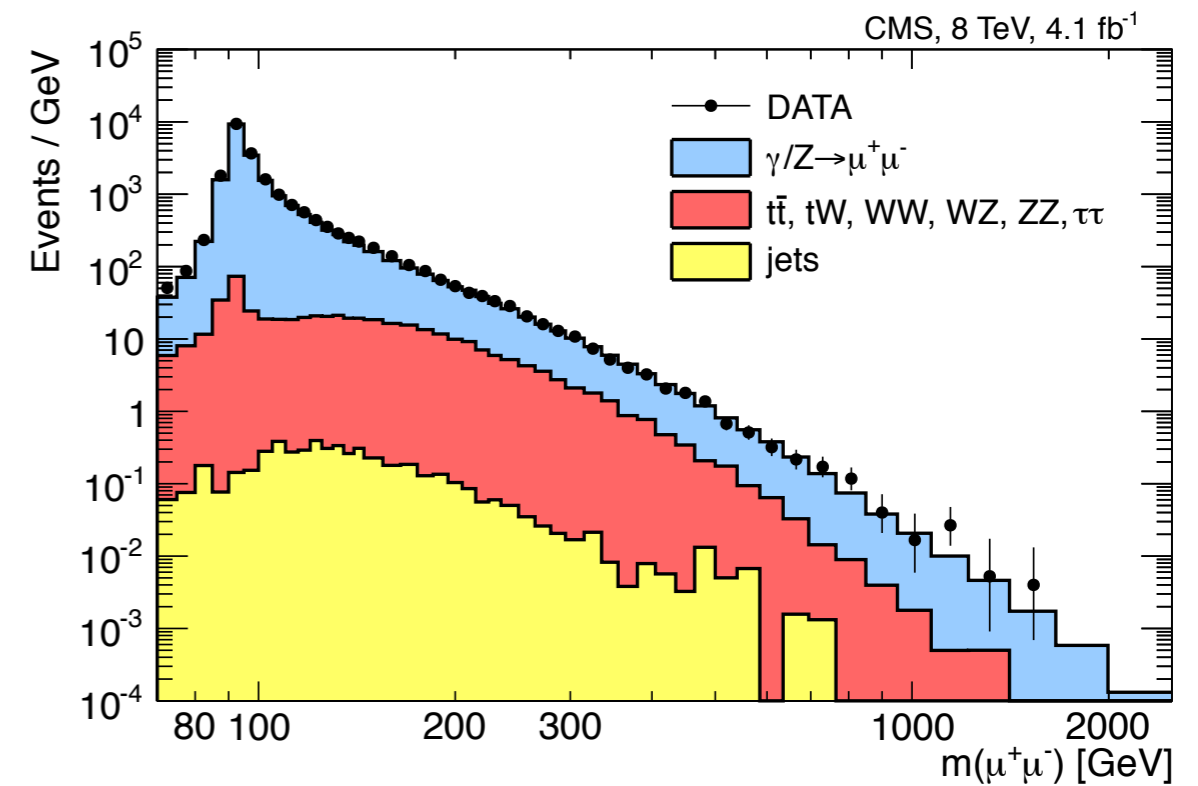


DI-LEPTON

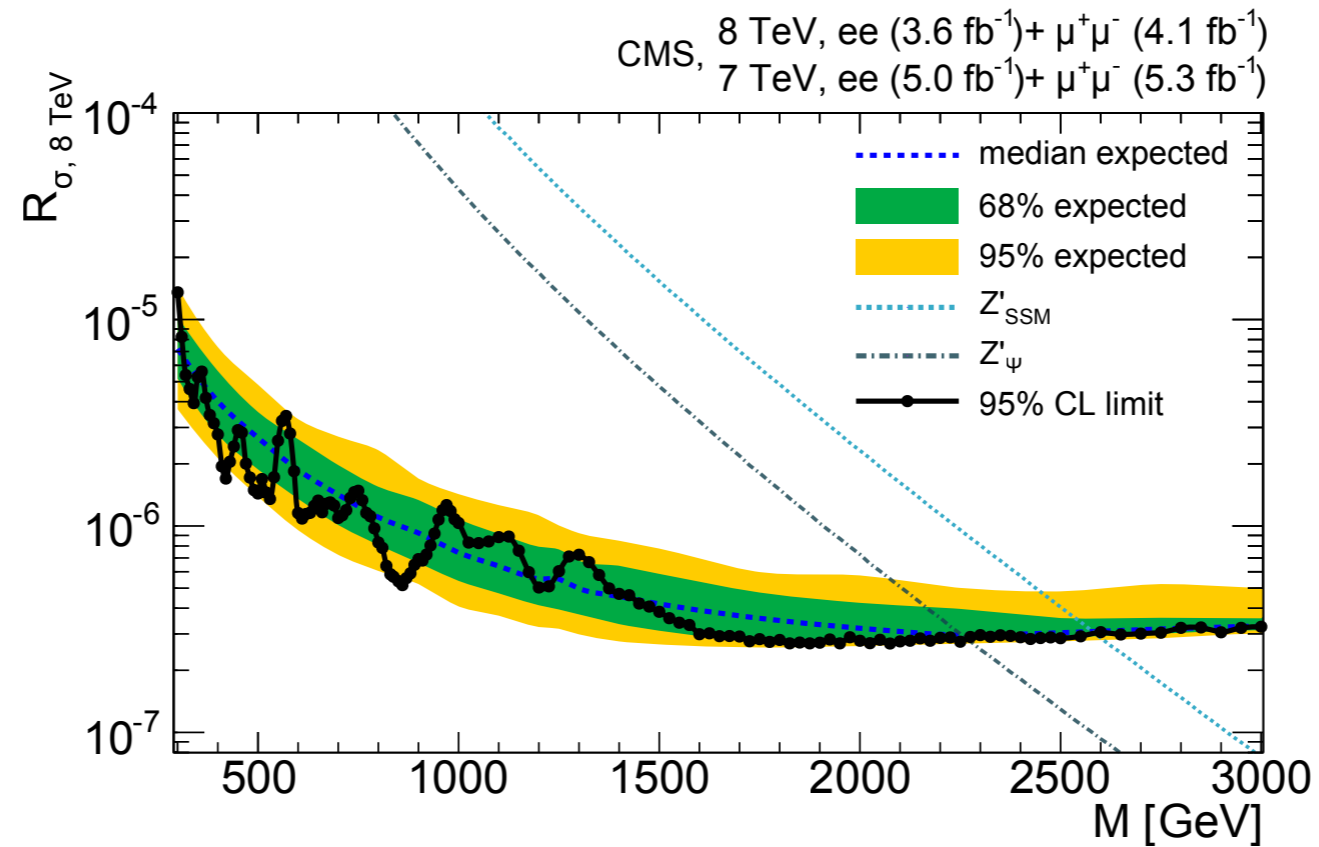
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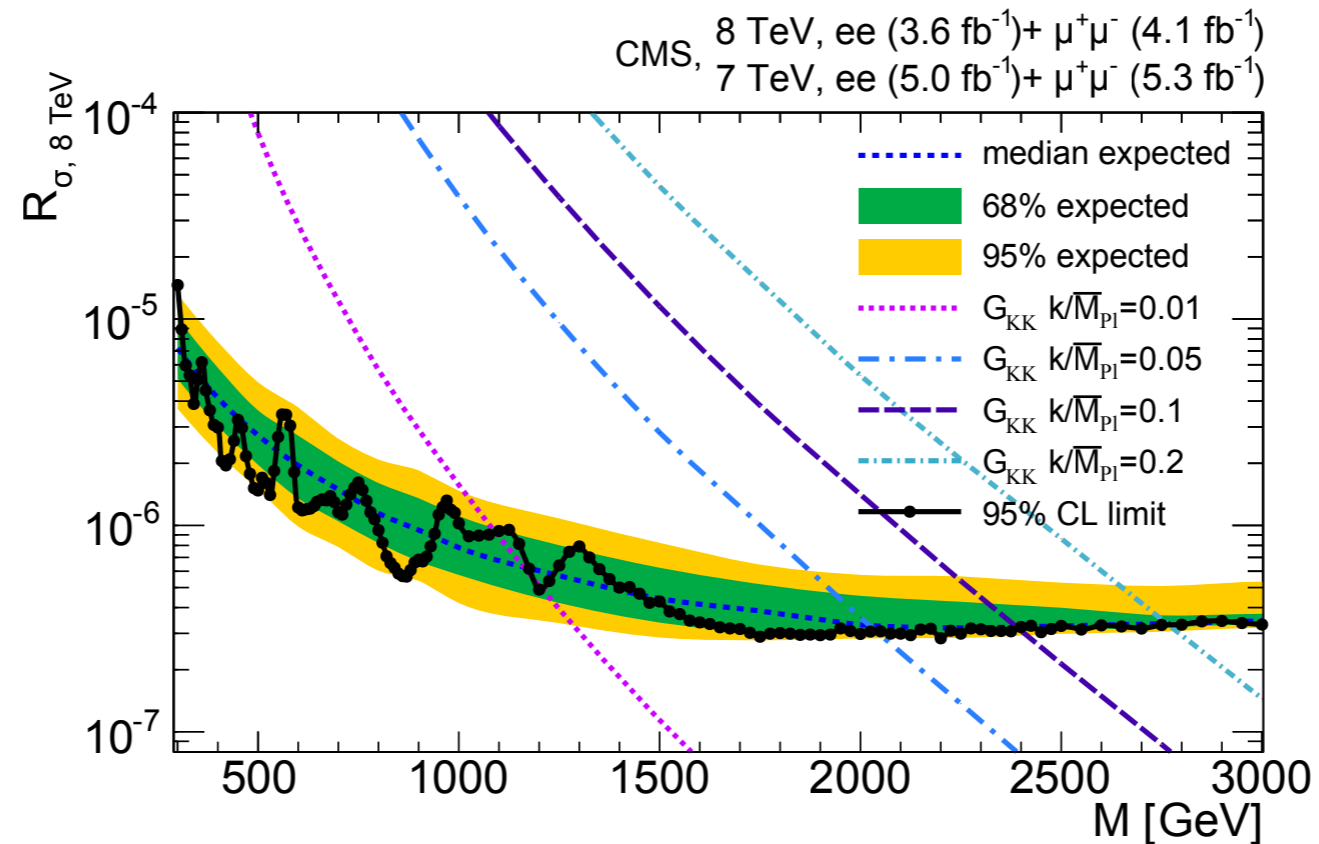
- High hopes at start of 8 TeV run
 - enhanced cross section
- Now only a nice Drell-Yan tail and no peak
- Next stop summer of 2015
 - cross section increase of $> \times 3$ above 1 TeV



DI-LEPTON EXCLUSION LIMITS



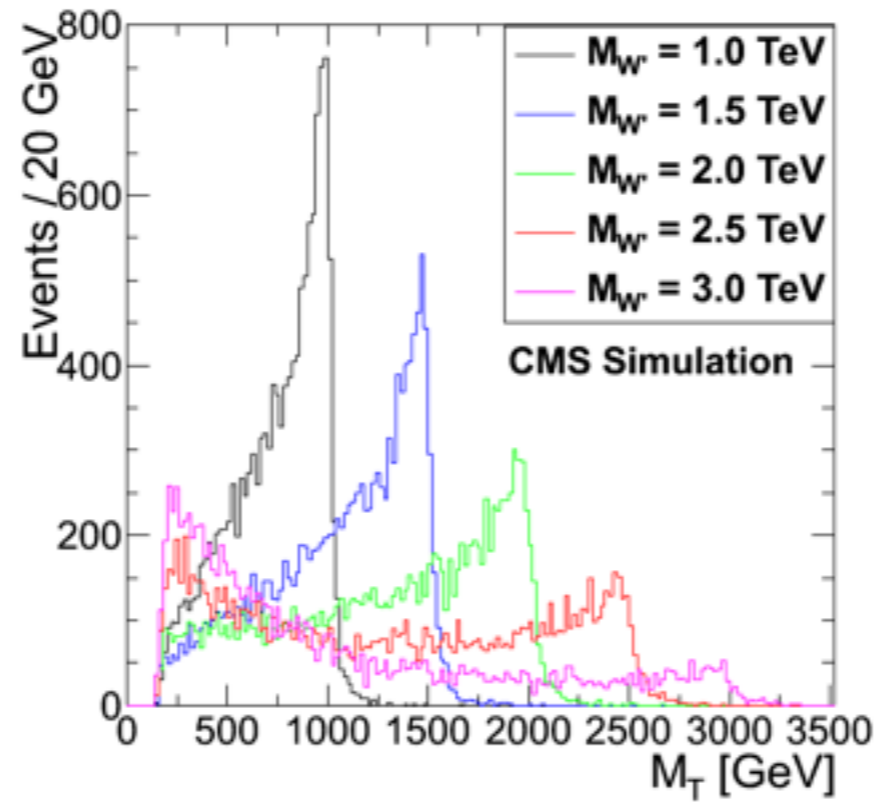
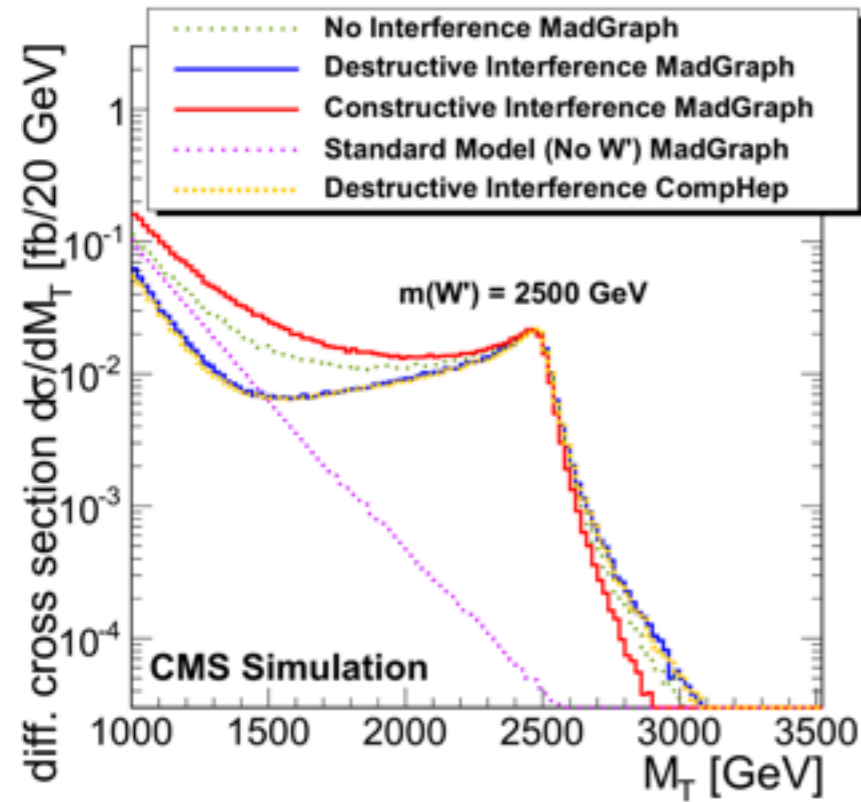
spin 1



spin 2

LEPTON+MET

EXO-12-010



CMS Experiment at LHC, CERN
 Data recorded: Mon Oct 10 09:01:24 2011 CEST
 Run/Event: 178162 / 61531040
 Lumi section: 42
 Orbit/Crossing: 1100210 / 2601

Electron 0, pt: 738.5 GeV

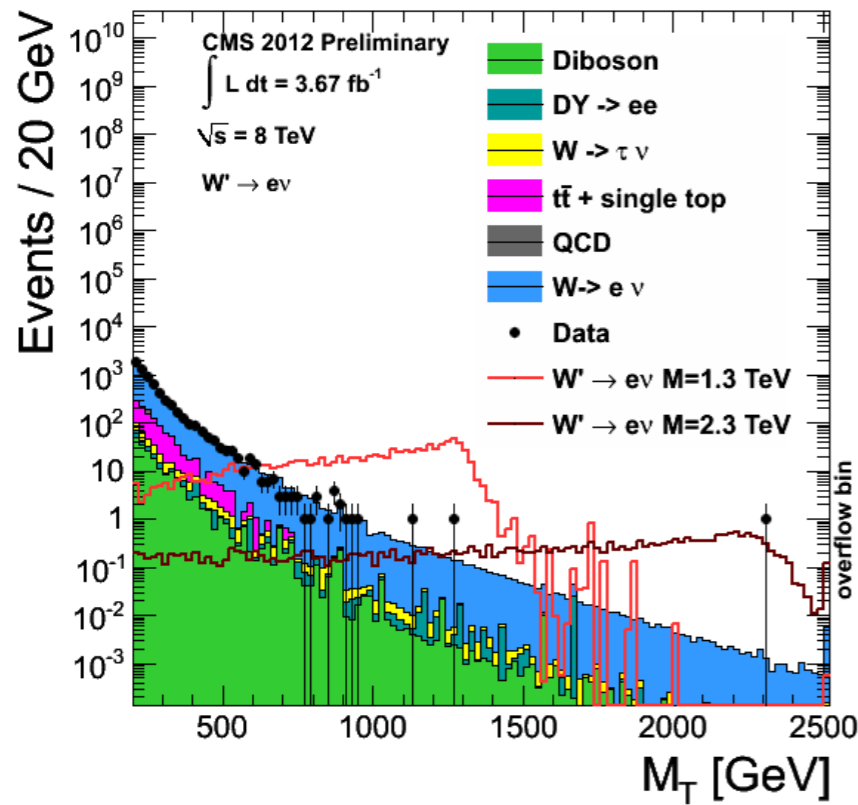
pfMet 0, pt: 760.1 GeV

- Look for heavy W-like Jacobian peak in transverse

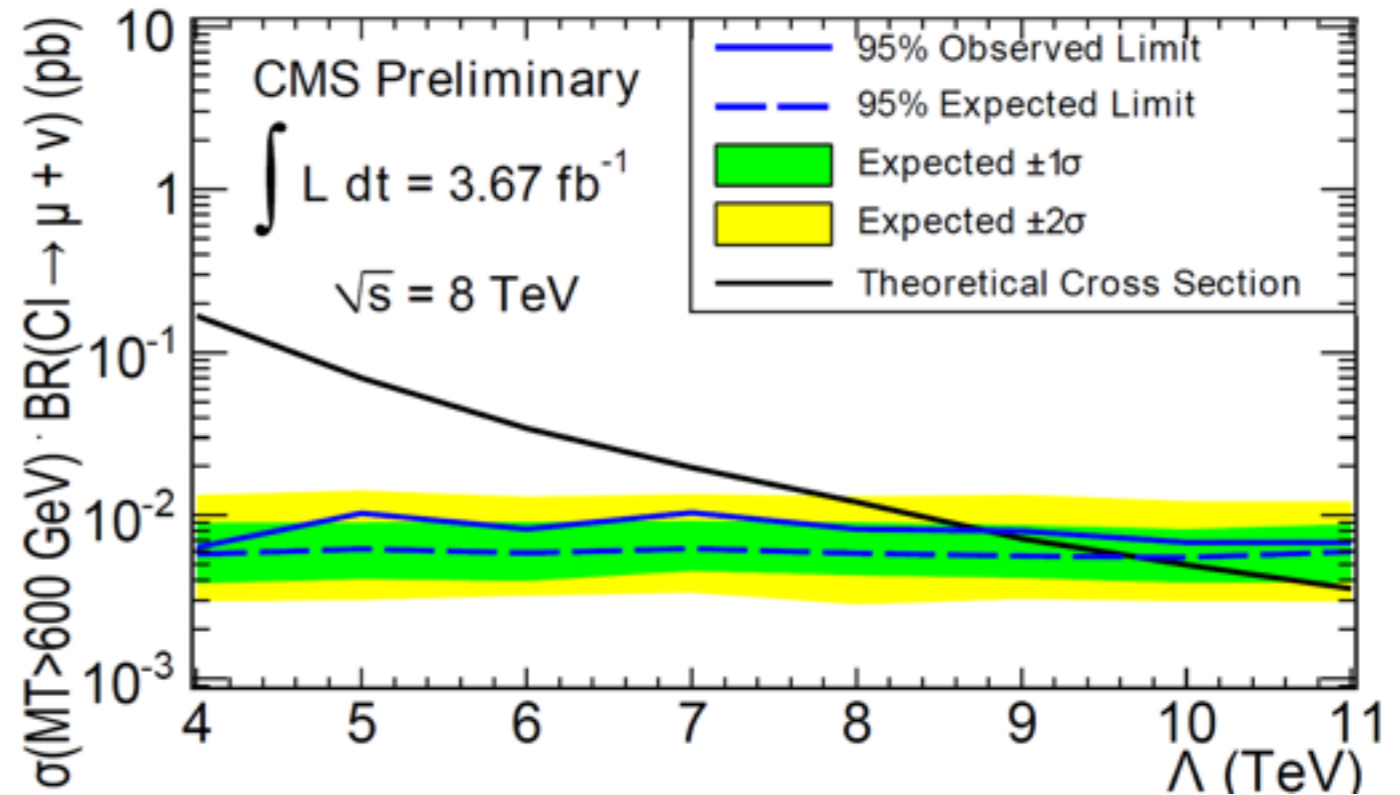
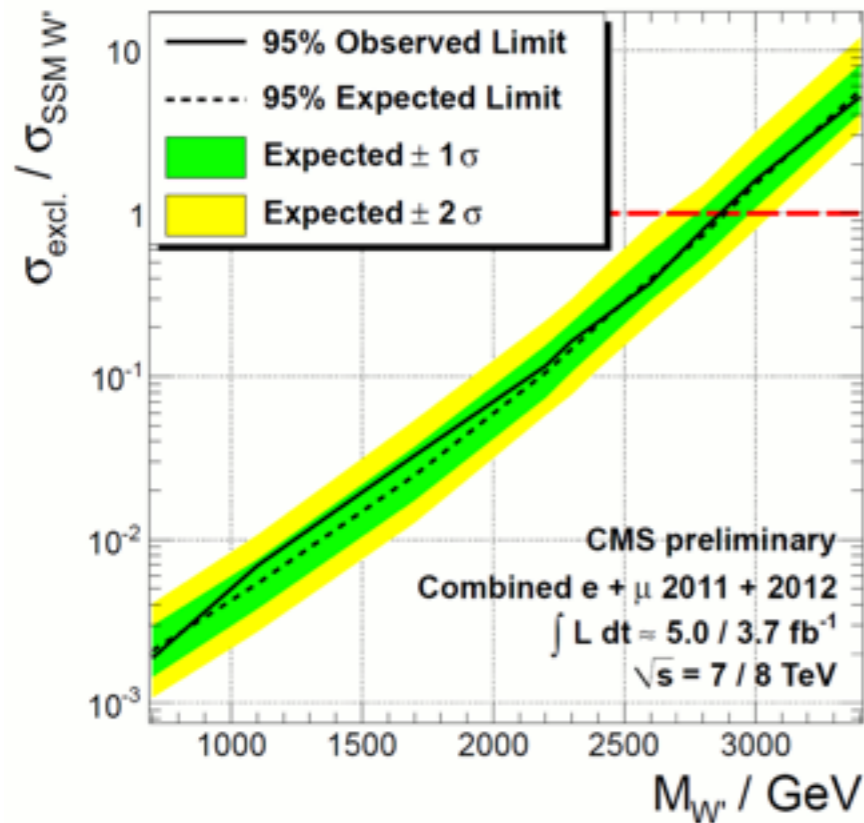
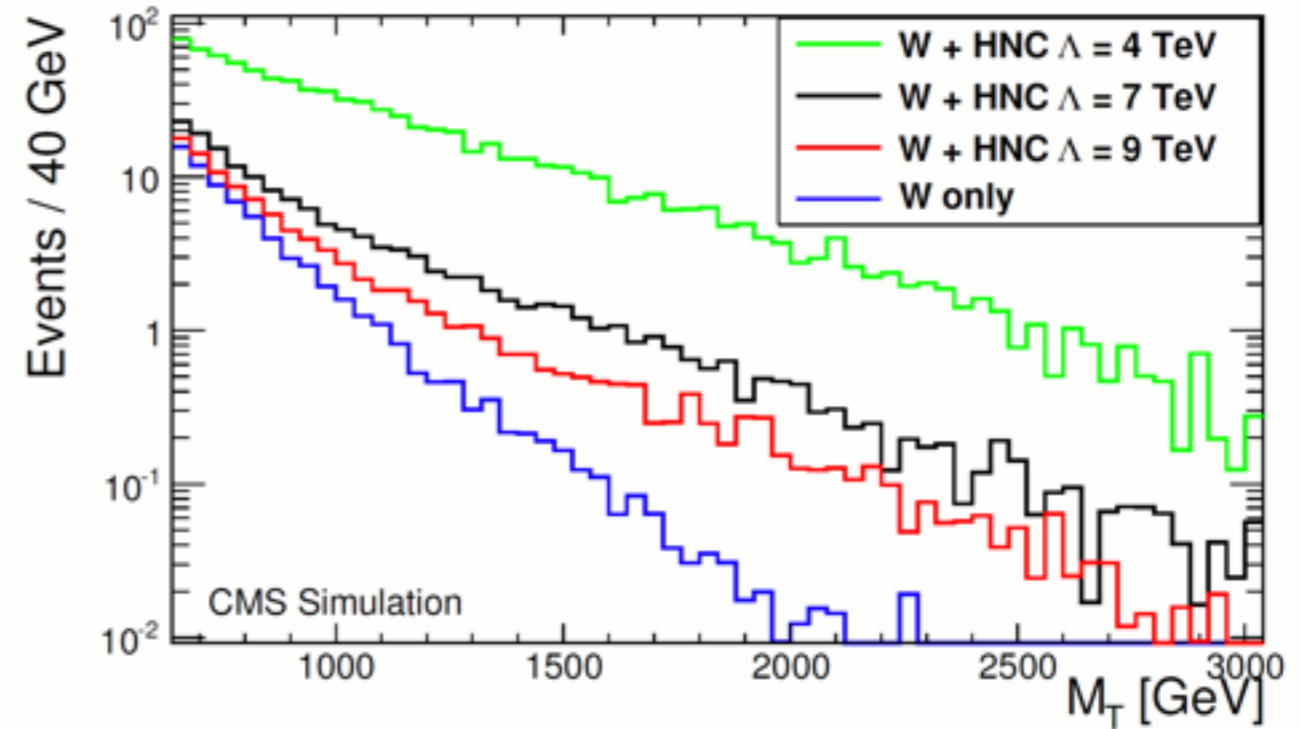
$$m_T = \sqrt{2p_T \cancel{E}_T (1 - \cos\Delta\phi_{\ell, \cancel{E}_T})}$$

- Dominant background: W production in Standard Model
- Now also take into account interference with SM

$W' \rightarrow l\nu$ EXCLUSION LIMITS



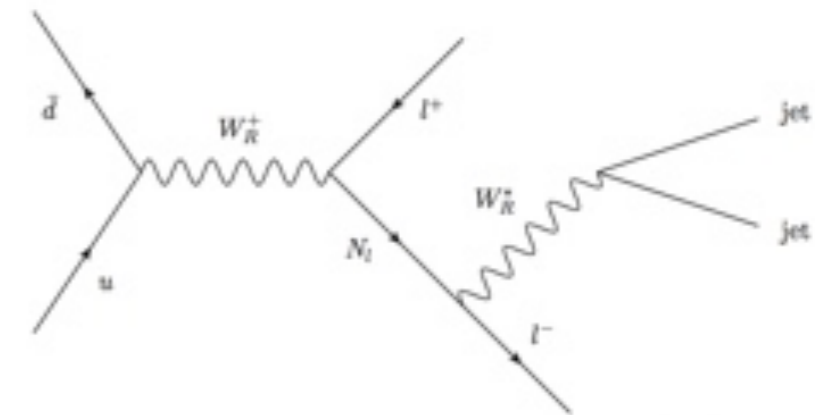
Contact Interaction Interpretation



HEAVY NEUTRINO AND L-R SYMMETRY

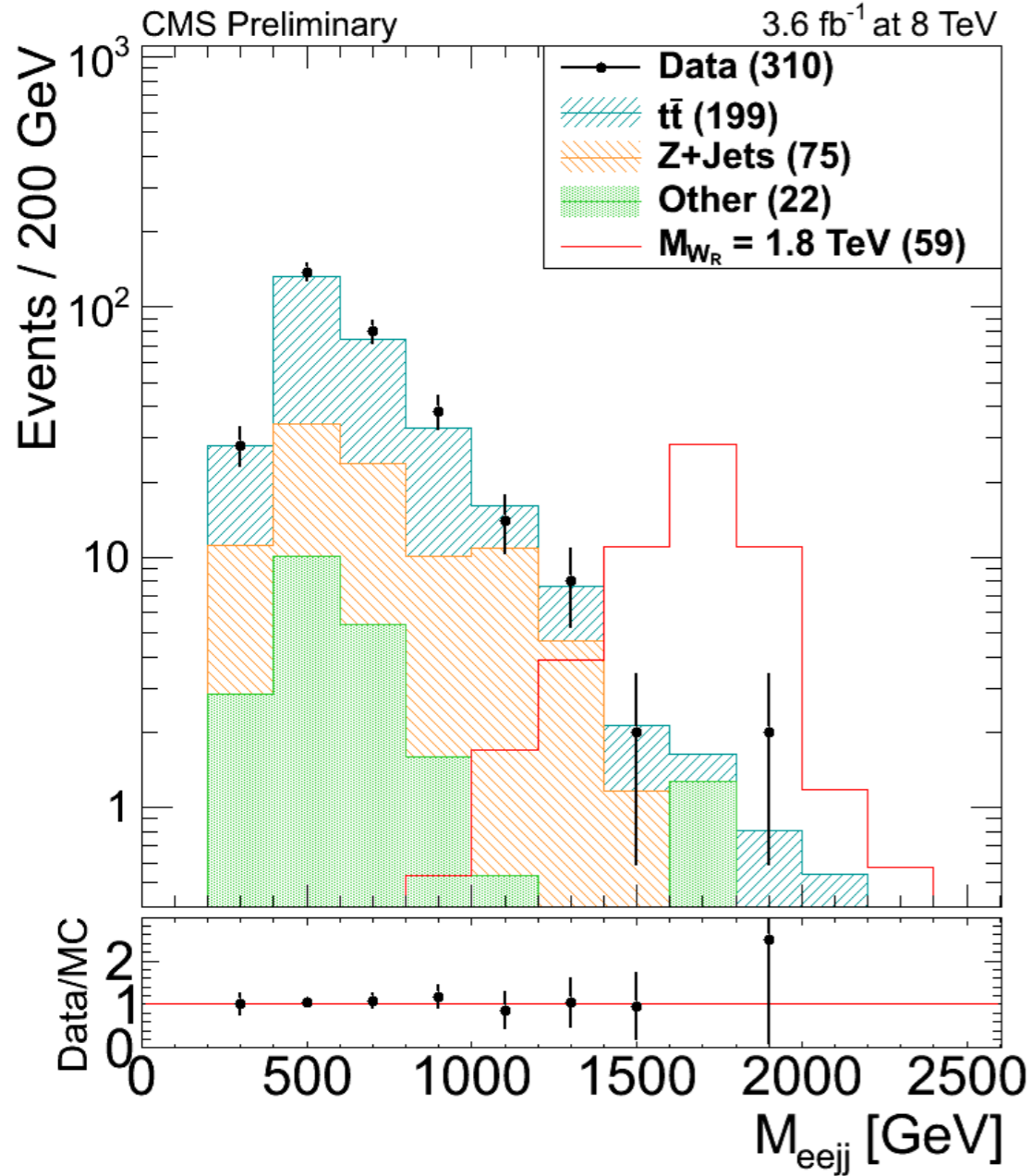
	Standard Model	Left-Right-Symmetric Extension (LRSM)
Gauge group	$SU(2)_L \times U(1)_Y$	$SU(2)_L \times SU(2)_R \times U(1)_{B-L}$
Fermions	LH doublets: $Q_L = (u^i, d^i)_L, L_L = (l^i, \nu^i)_L$ RH singlets: $Q_R = u^i, d^i, L_R = l^i$	LH doublets: $Q_L = (u^i, d^i)_L, L_L = (l^i, \nu^i)_L$ RH doublets: $Q_R = (u^i, d^i)_R, L_R = (l^i, N^i)_R$
Neutrinos	ν^i_R do not exist ν^i_L are massless & pure chiral	N^i_R are heavy partners to the ν^i_L N^i_R Majorana in the Minimal LRSM
Gauge bosons	W^\pm_L, Z^0, γ	$W^\pm_L, W^\pm_R, Z^0, Z', \gamma$

- Parity violation built-in for the Standard Model
 - Parity violation in LRSM via symmetry breaking at intermediate mass scale
- Neutrino oscillations require massive neutrinos
 - but neutrinos mass forbidden in SM
 - “See saw” mechanism in LRSM can explain small mass of neutrinos via heavy partners

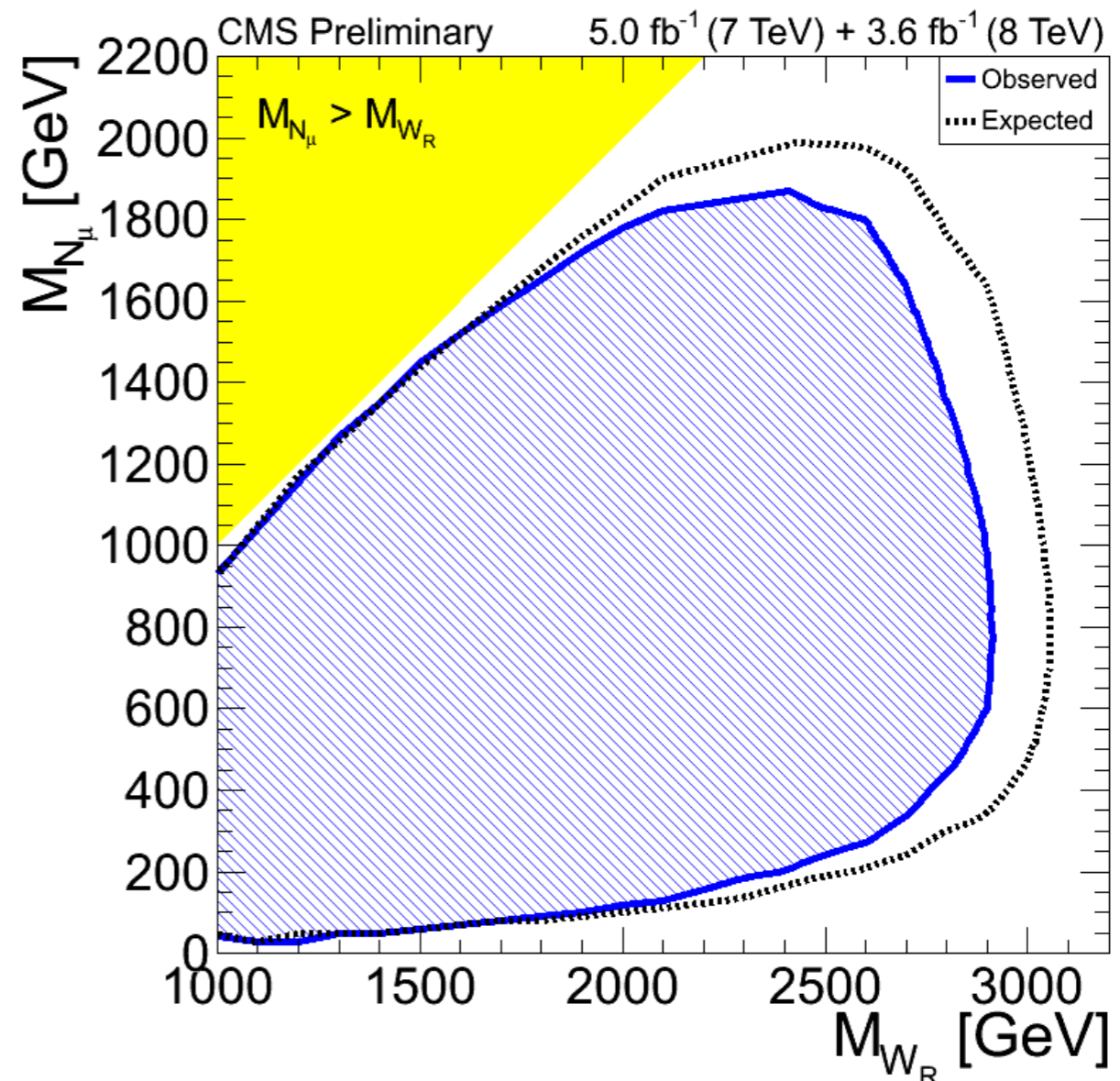
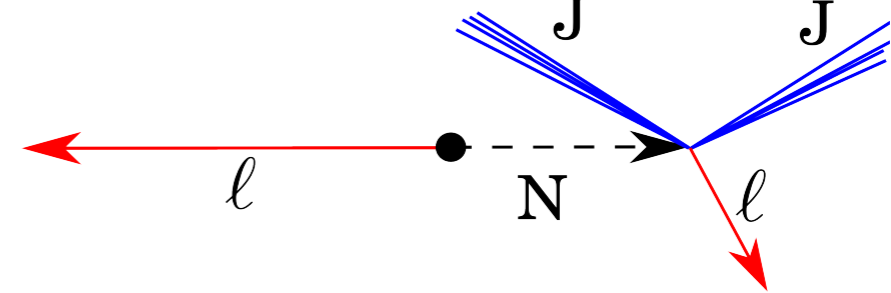


HEAVY NEUTRINO AND W_R

EXO-12-017



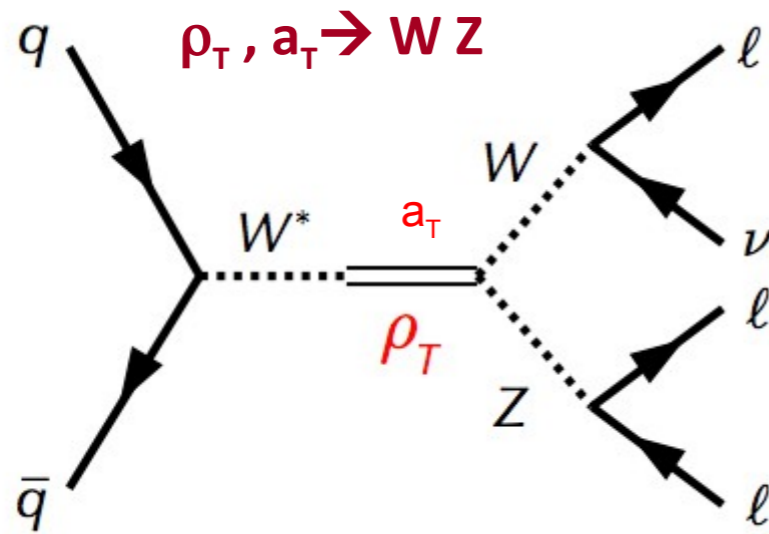
$$W_R \rightarrow \mu_1 N_\mu \rightarrow \mu_1 \mu_2 W_R^* \rightarrow \mu_1 \mu_2 jj$$



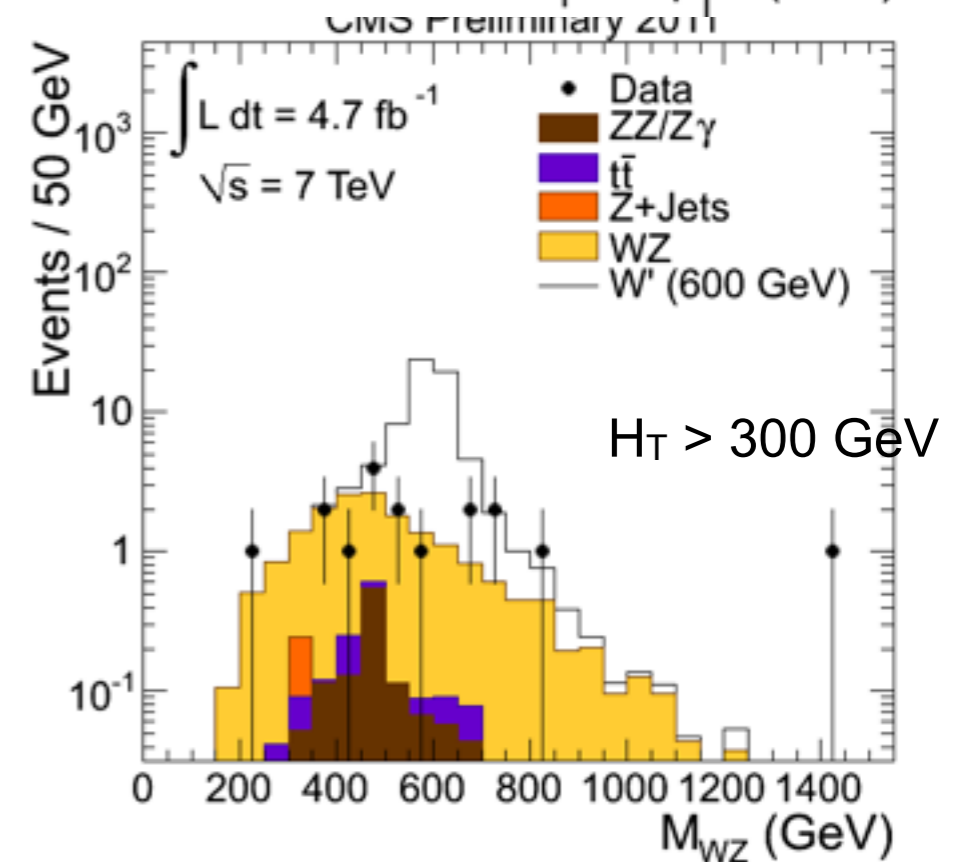
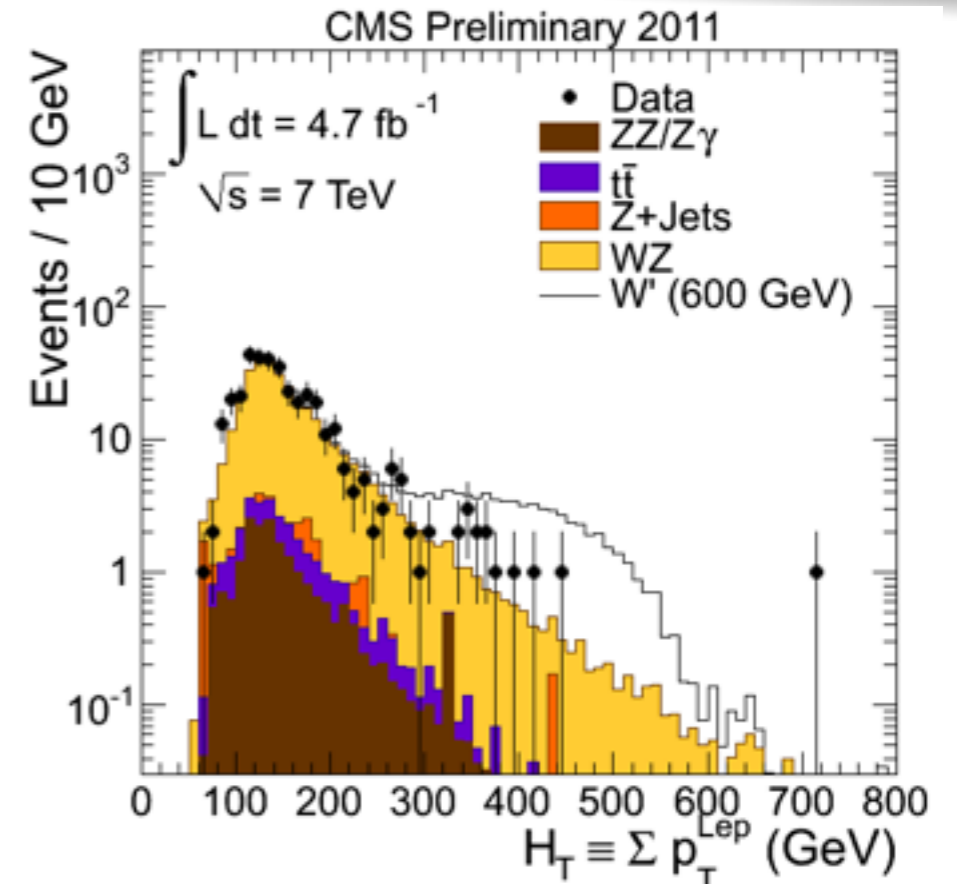
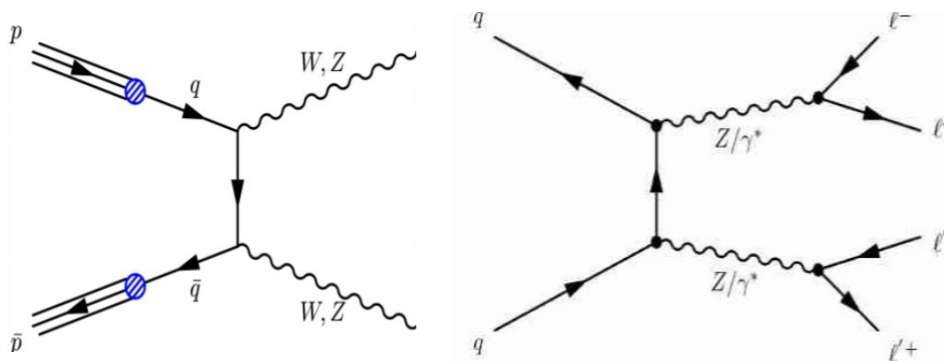
- Mass limits approaching 3 TeV
 – Most stringent limits today!

WZ RESONANCES

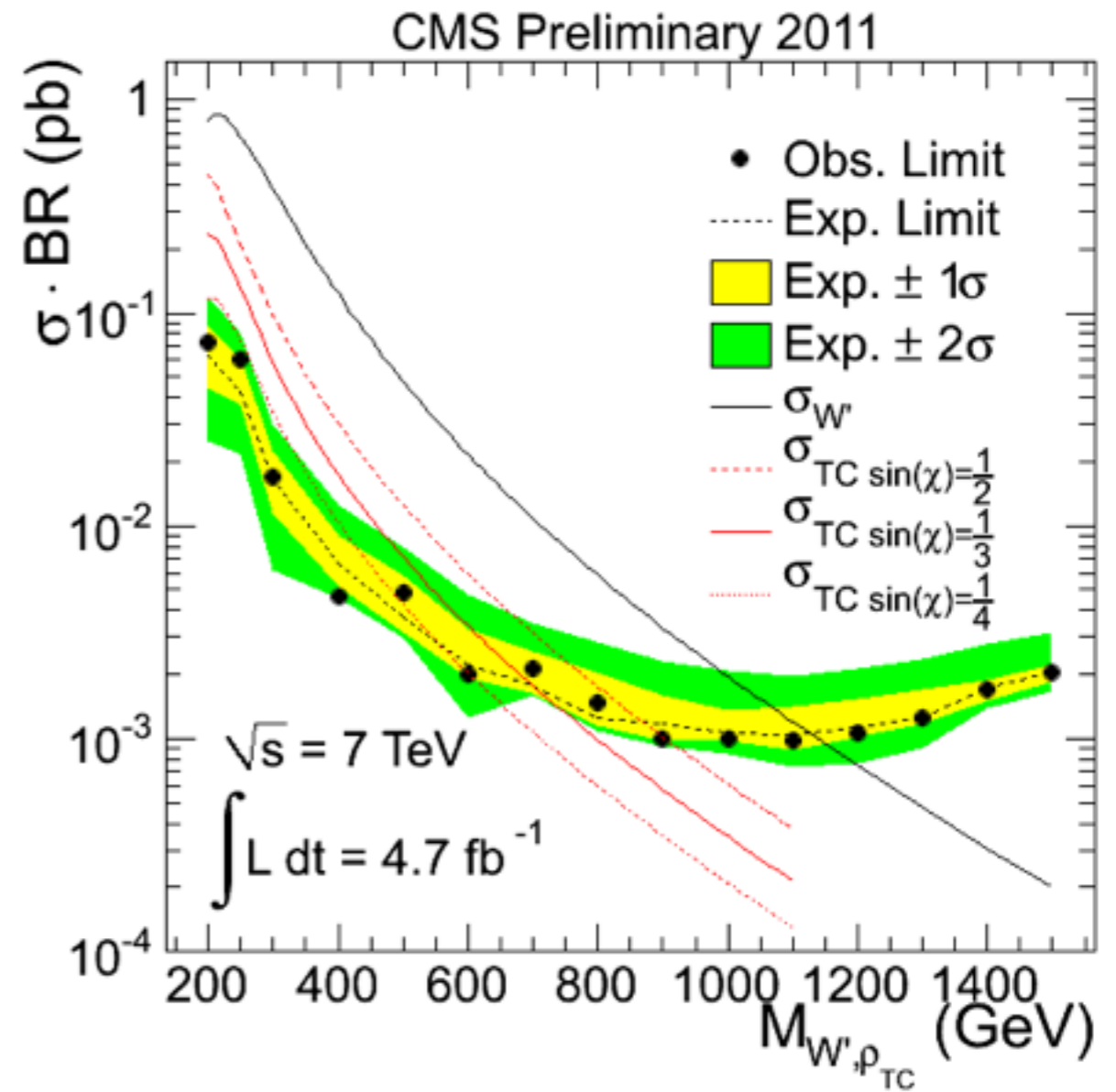
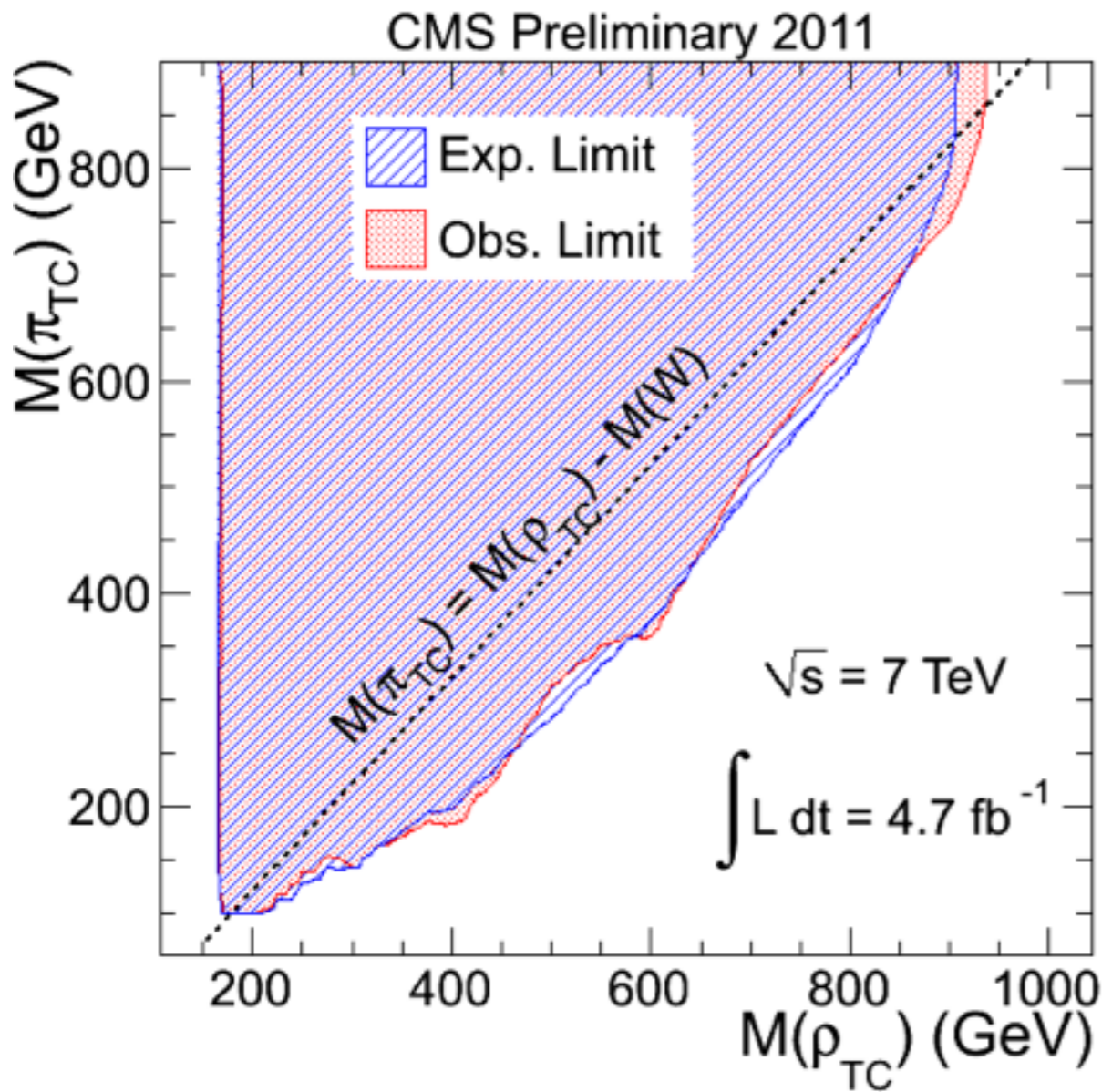
EXO-11-041



- Sensitive to sequential SM and techni-hadrons
- 3 leptons + missing energy
 - Sum of lepton P_T
 - WZ invariant mass with W mass constraint
- Scalar sum of transverse momenta a key discriminator to reject SM background

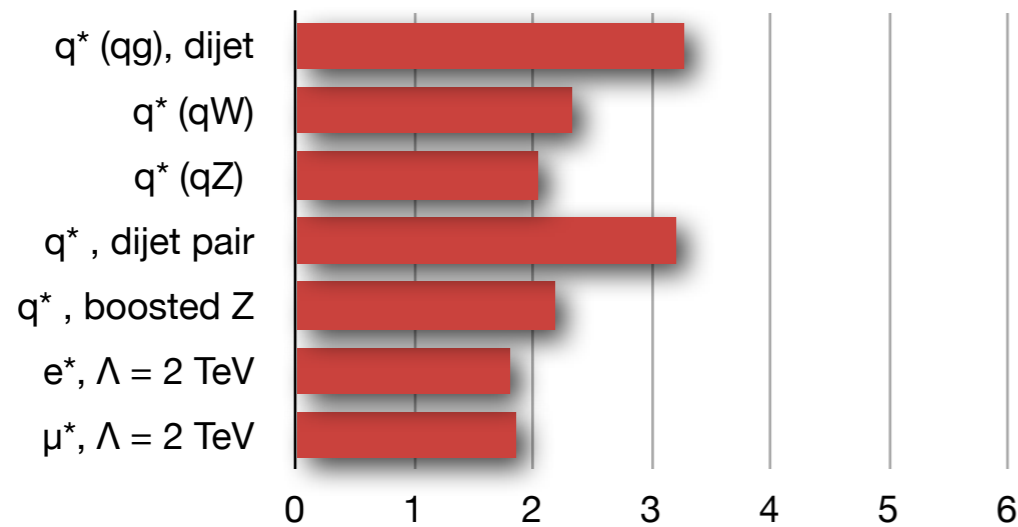


WZ EXCLUSION LIMITS

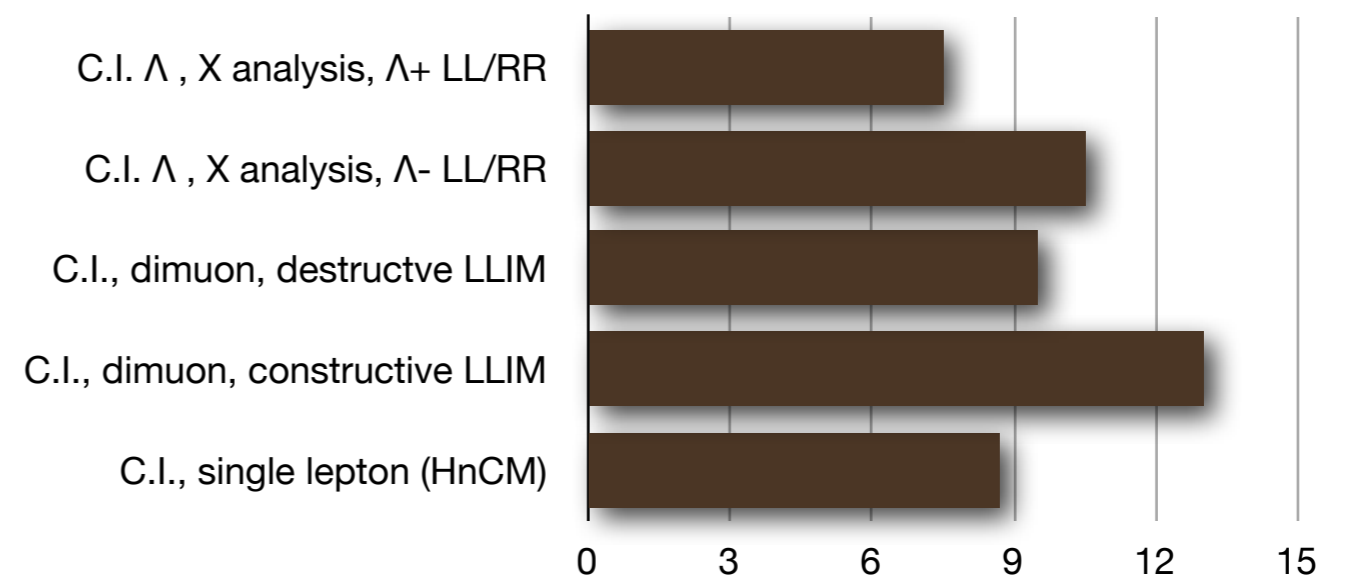
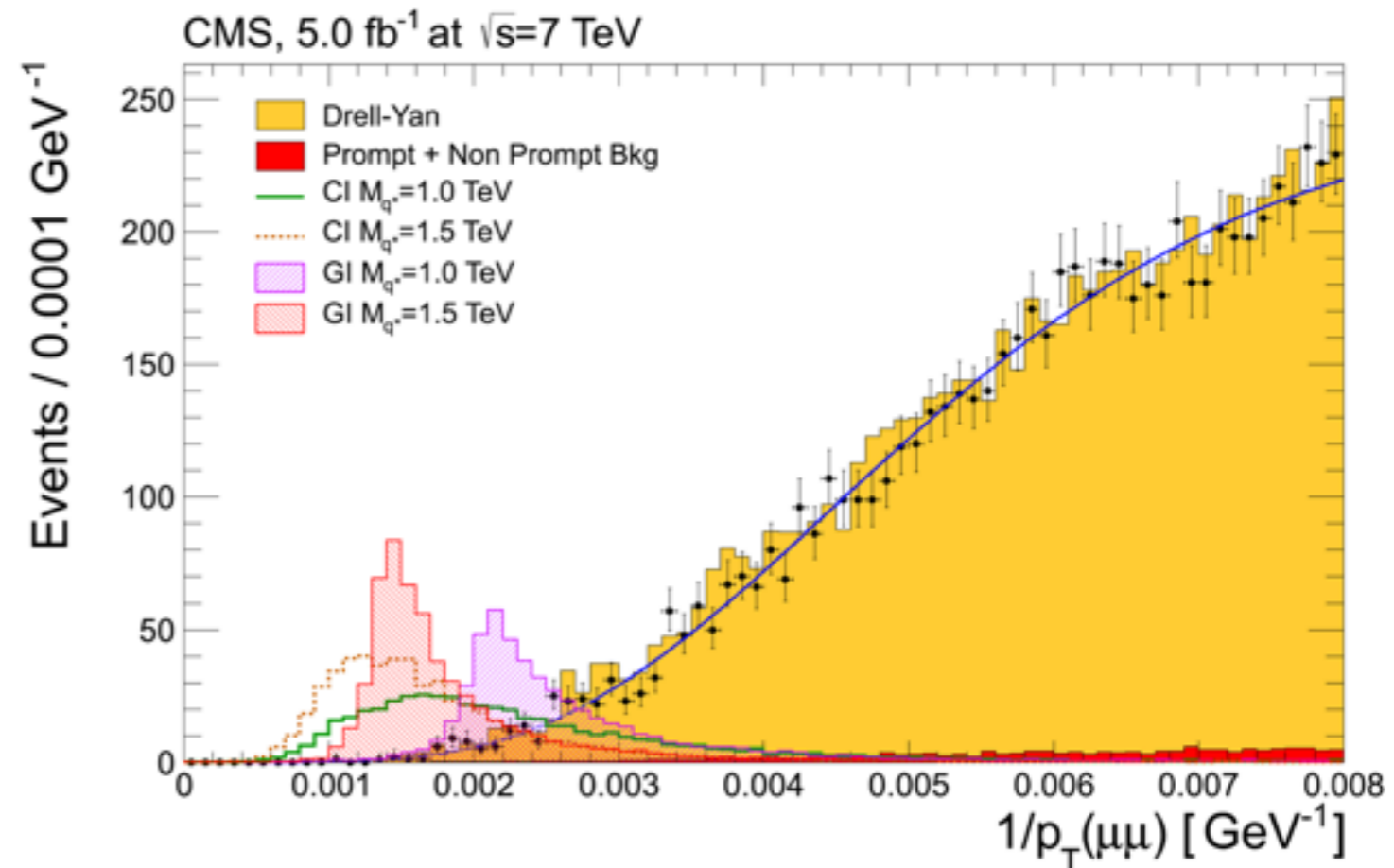


COMPOSITENESS AND CONTACT INTERACTION

EXO-11-025

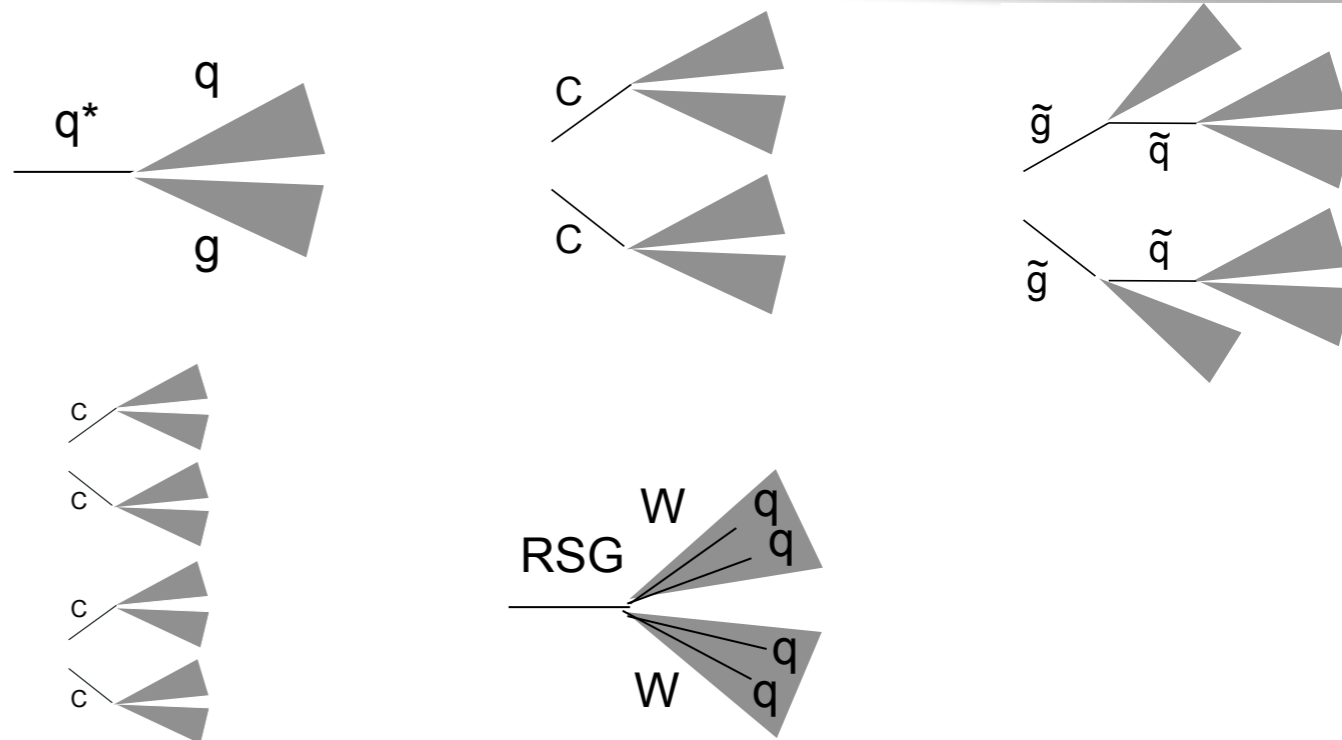


- Excited quarks and leptons
- Both leptonic and hadronic states
 - lepton + photon ($l^* \rightarrow l + \text{gam}$)
 - 2-jet ($q^* \rightarrow q \text{ glu}$)
 - boosted Z spectrum in $q^* \rightarrow q Z$
- Contact interaction
 - di-jet angular analysis
 - re-interpretation of di-lepton
 - re-interpretation of W'



HADRONIC RESONANCES

- Extremely rich and productive hadronic program
- Variety of signatures and models explored
 - standard jets
 - b-jets
 - fat jets
 - jet substructure for W/Z tag

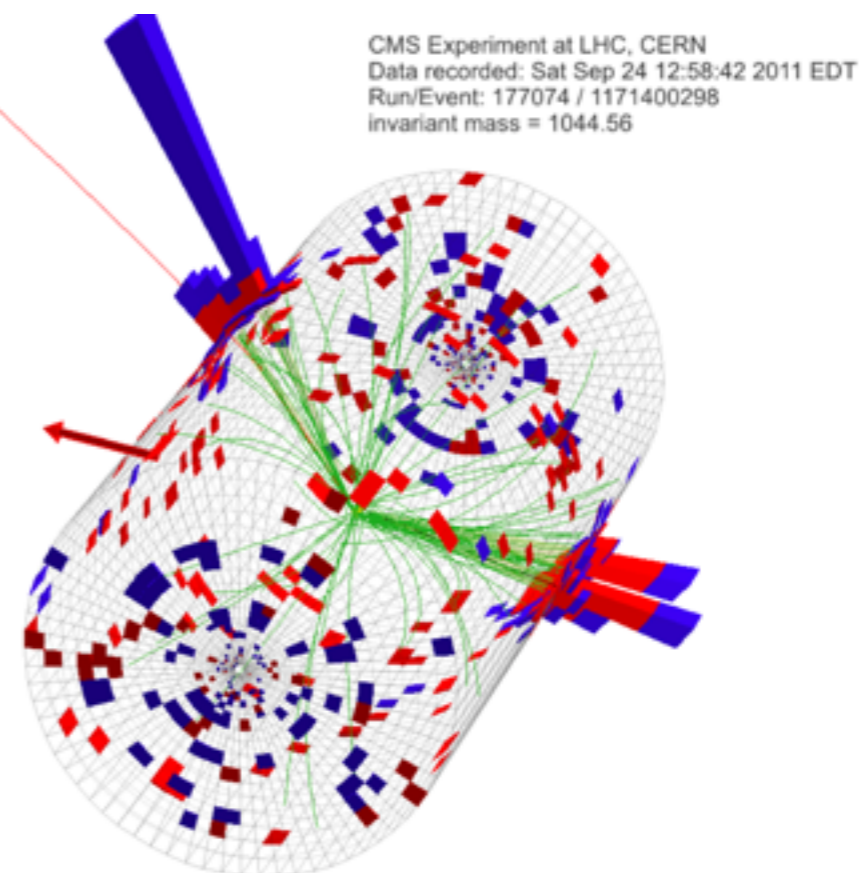


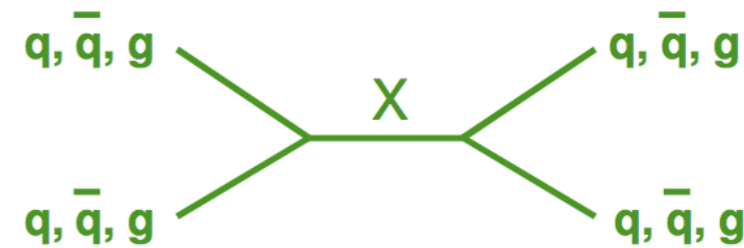
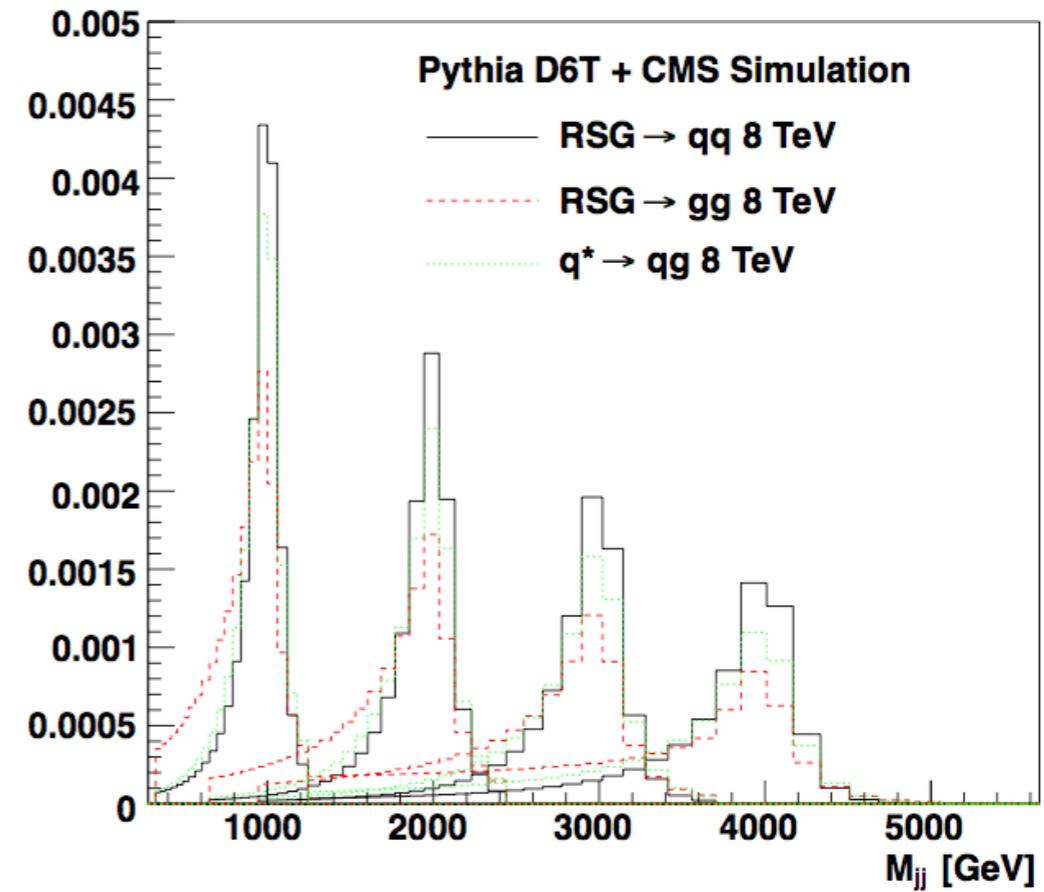
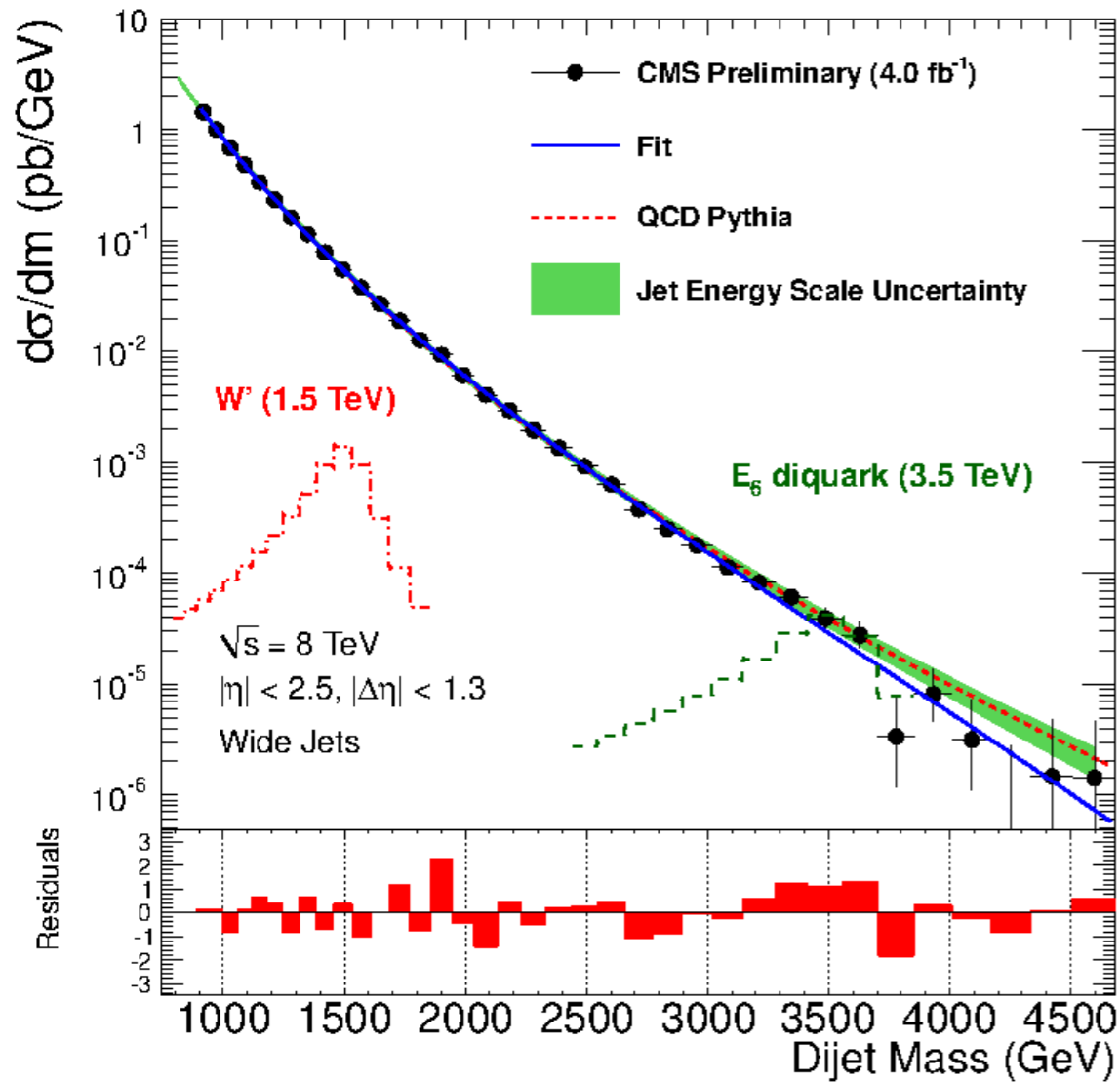
- String resonances, S (qq, qg, gg)
- Scalar diquarks, D (qq)
- Excited quarks, q^* (qg, qW, qZ)
- Axigluons, A (qq)
- Color-octet colorons, C (qq, qqqq)
- Color-octet scalar, S8 (gg, bb)
- W' bosons (qq, WZ)
- Z' bosons (qq, bb, tt)
- RPV SUSY gluinos (qqqqqq)
- RS gravitons (qq, gg, WW, ZZ)

Hadronic inspired

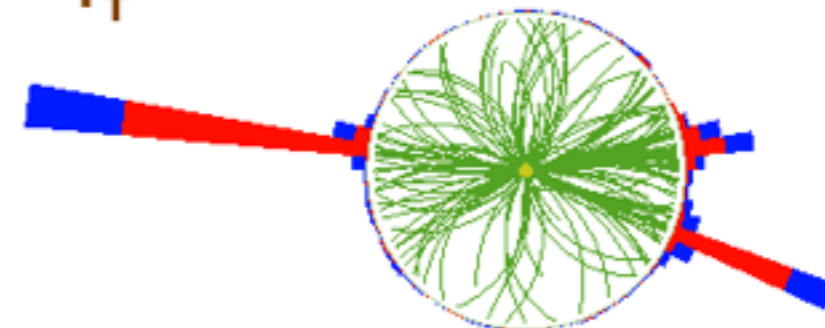
EWK inspired

Gravitation inspired





Jet 1 $p_T = 1.414$ TeV

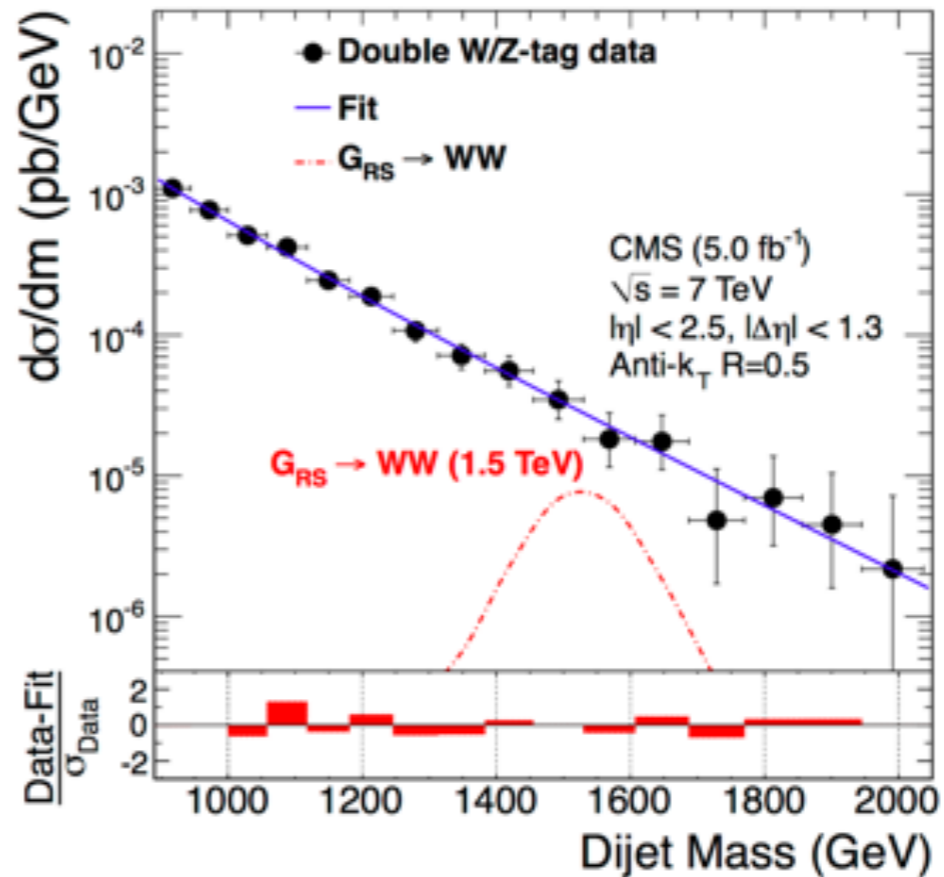
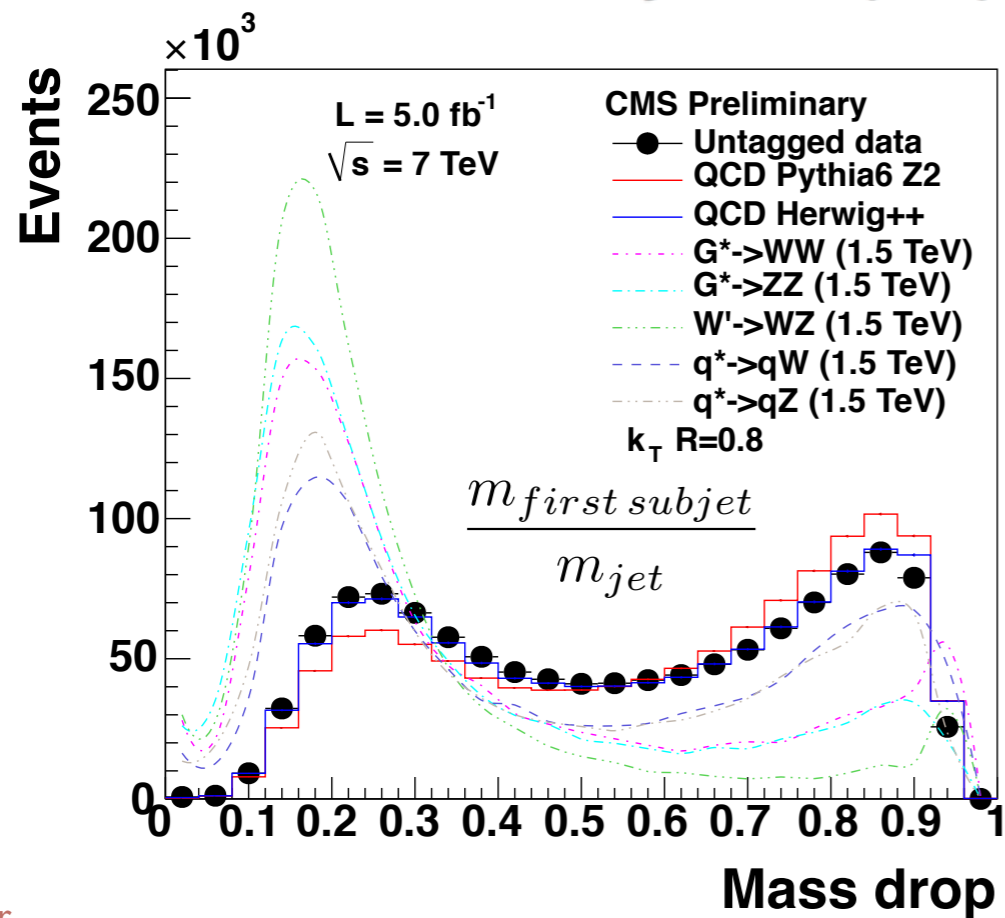
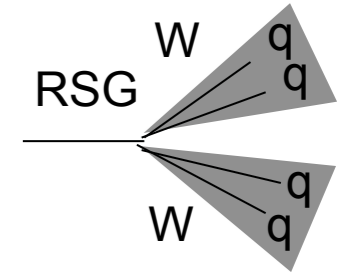
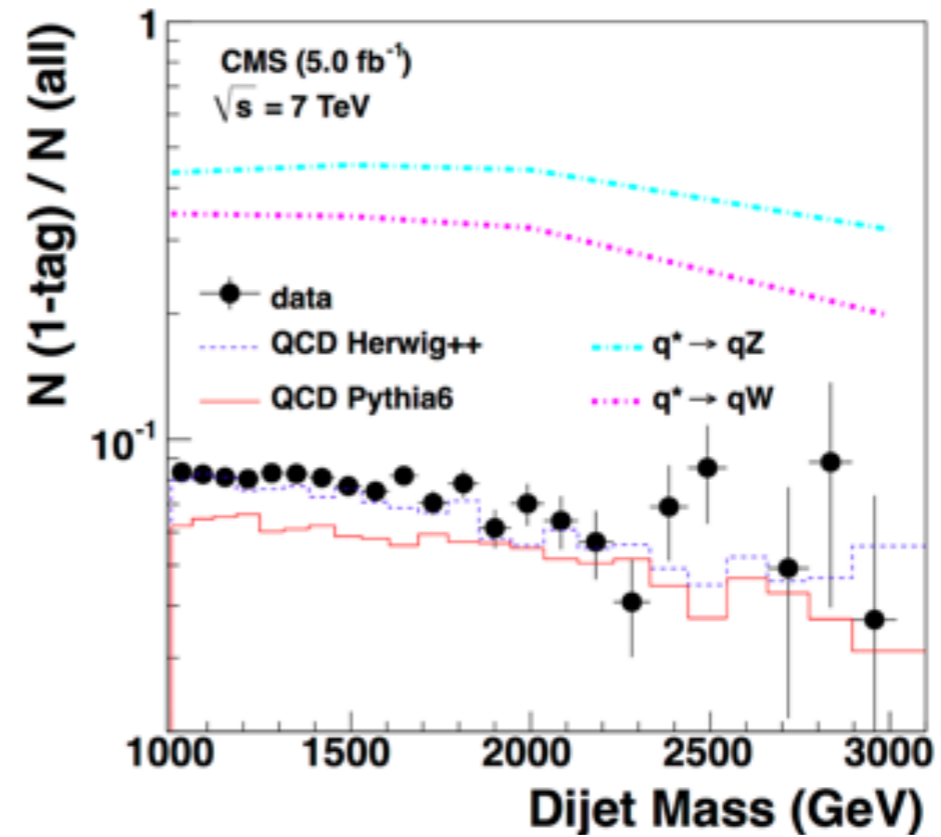
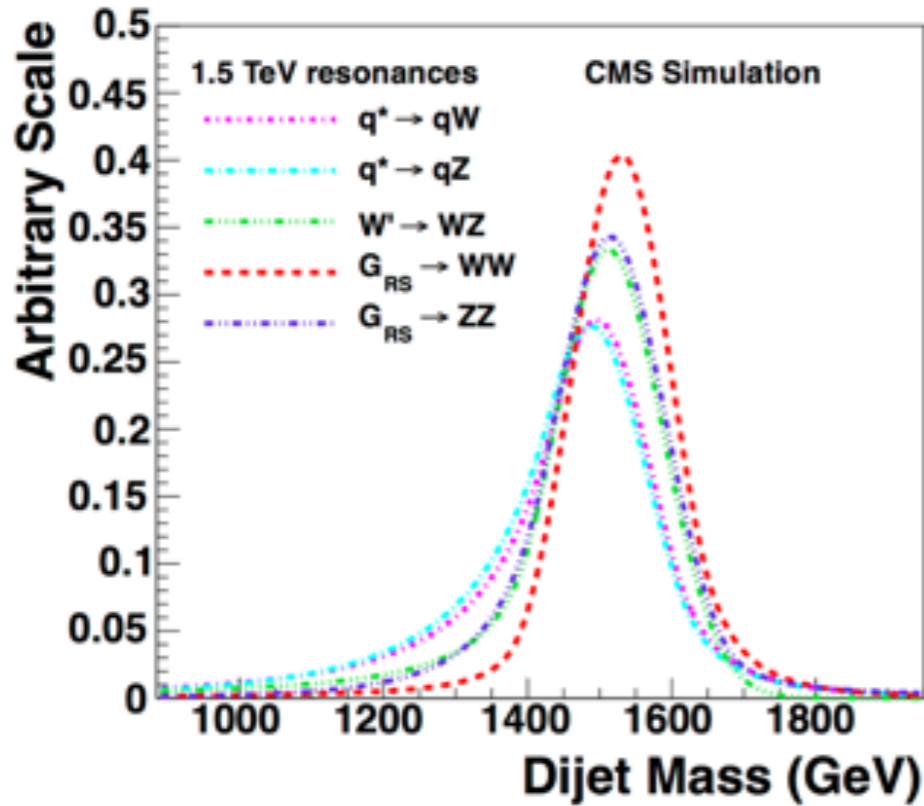


Jet 2 $p_T = 1.389$ TeV

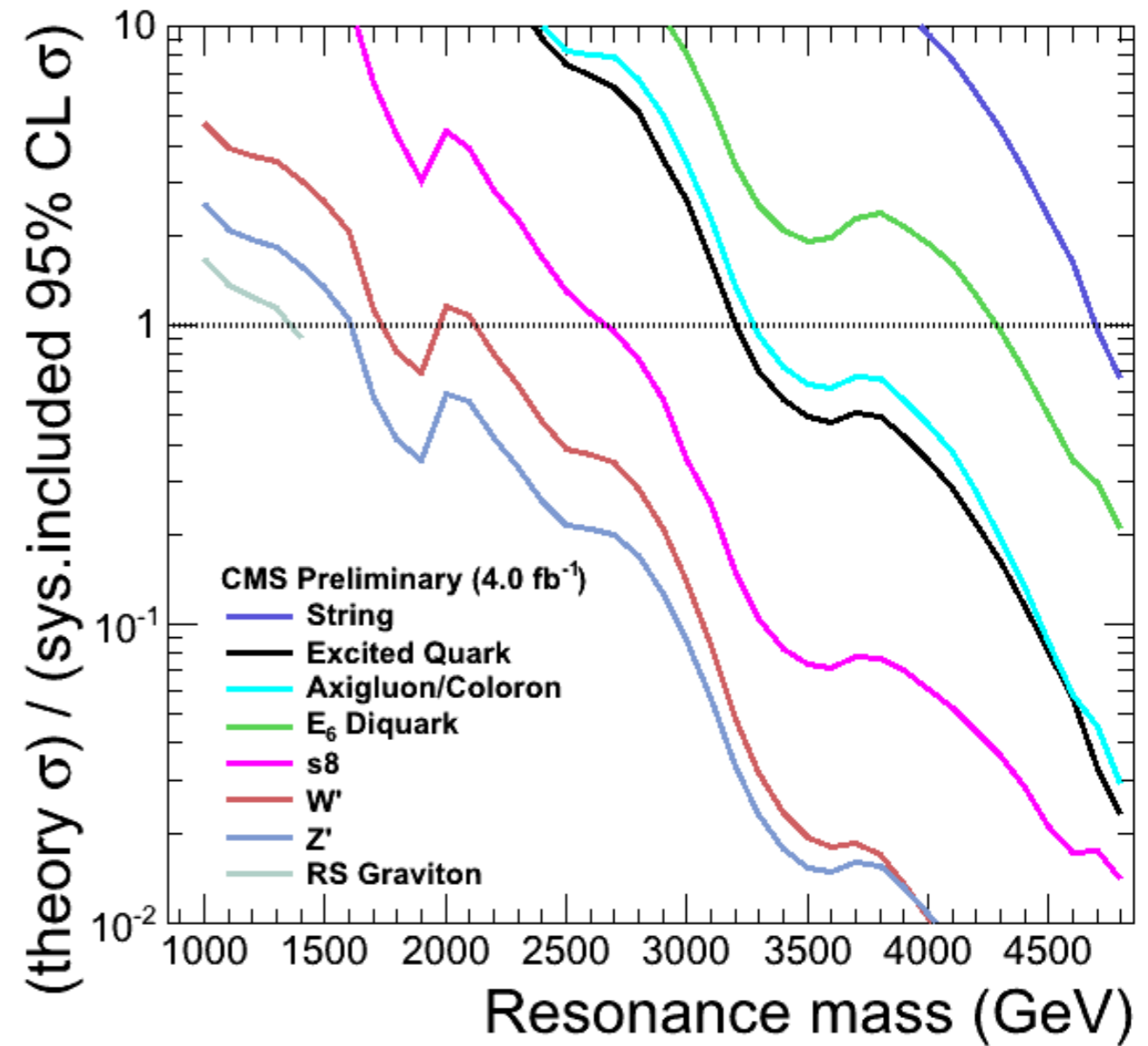
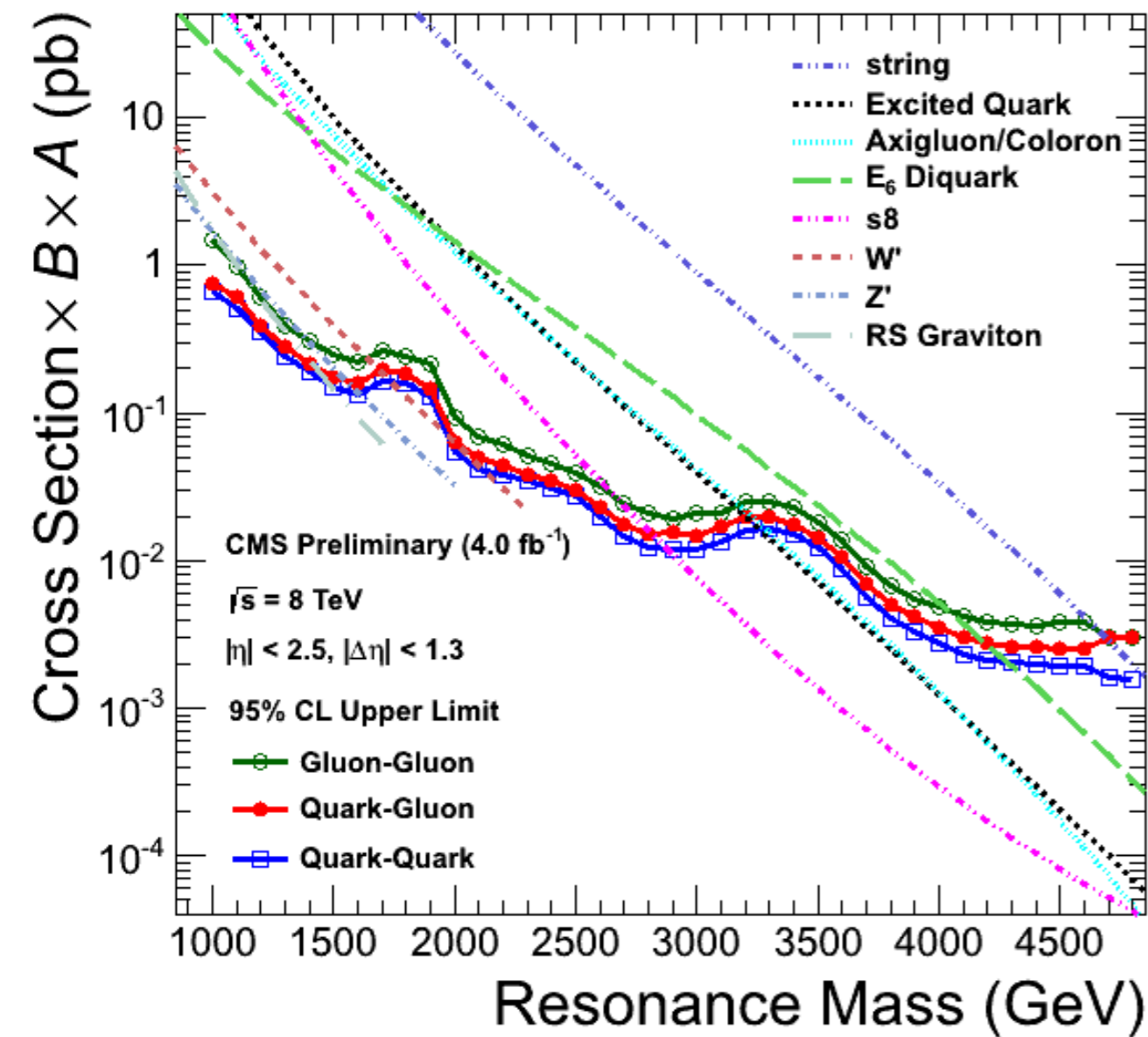
- Resonances predicted in numerous models
 - larger branching fraction compared to dileptons
 - much higher background from QCD
- Wide jets to recover radiation
 - divide event in 2 hemispheres

W/Z TAGGED DI-JET

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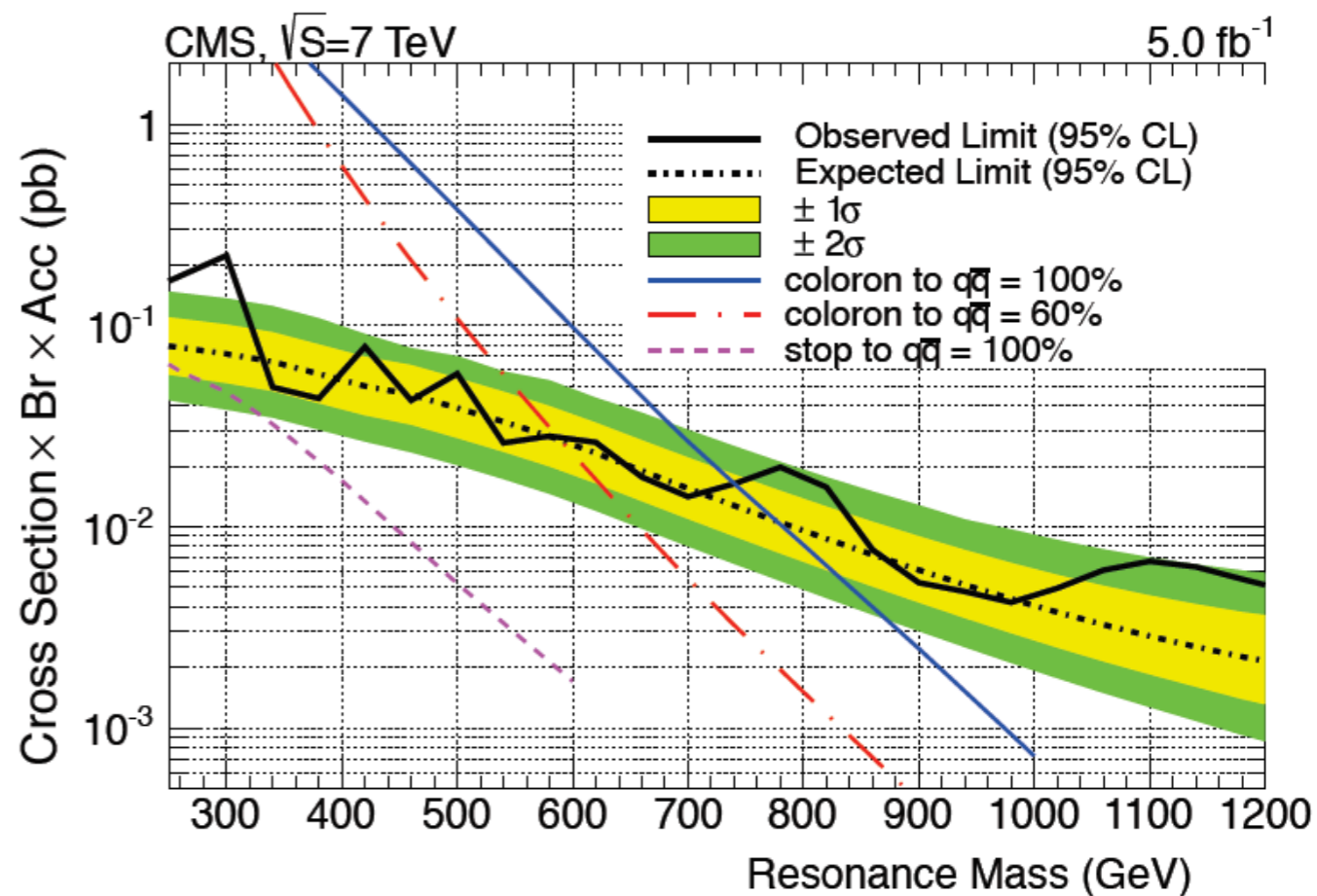
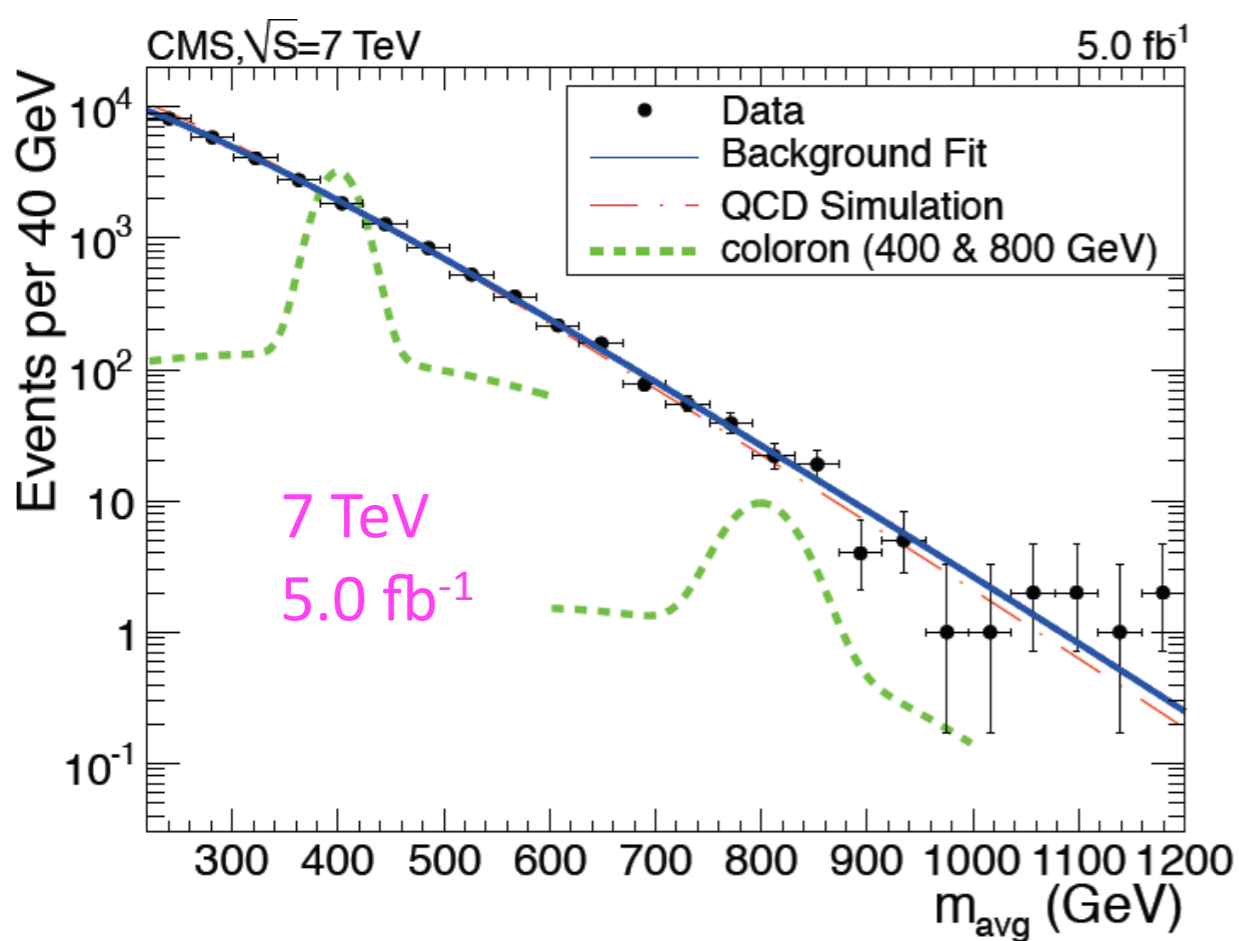
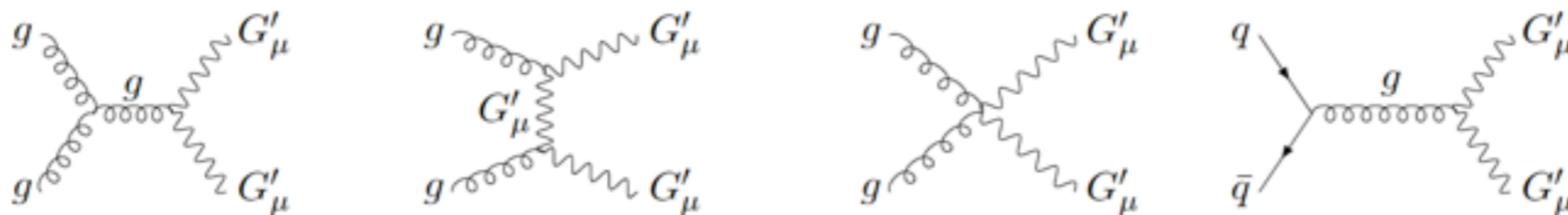
DI-JET EXCLUSION LIMITS



- Now excluding resonances below 2.5 TeV for variety of models

DI-JET PAIR

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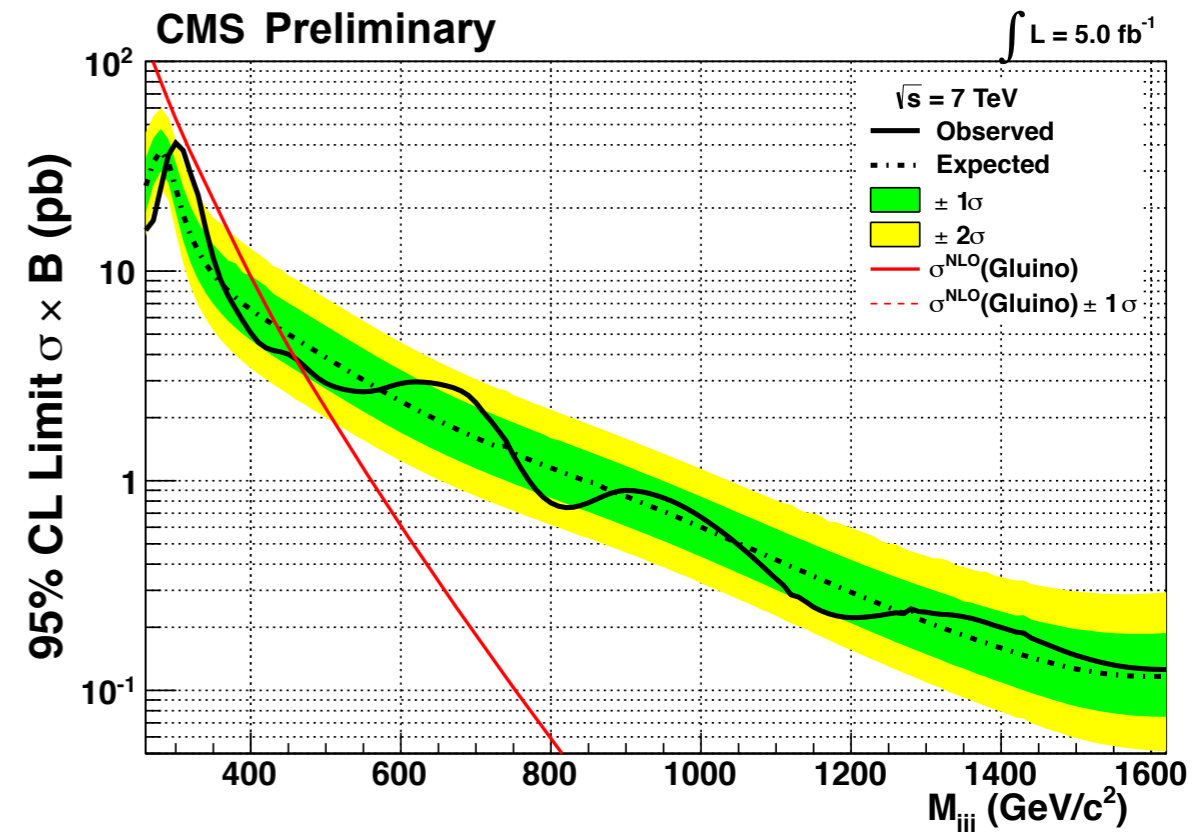
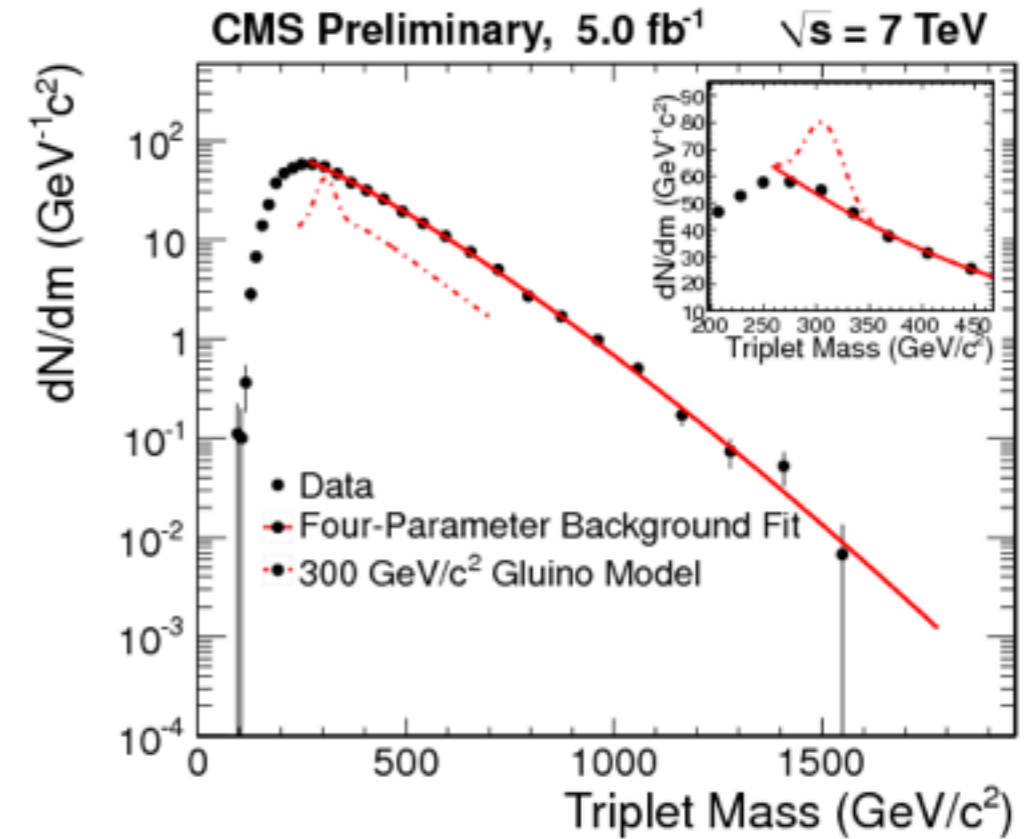
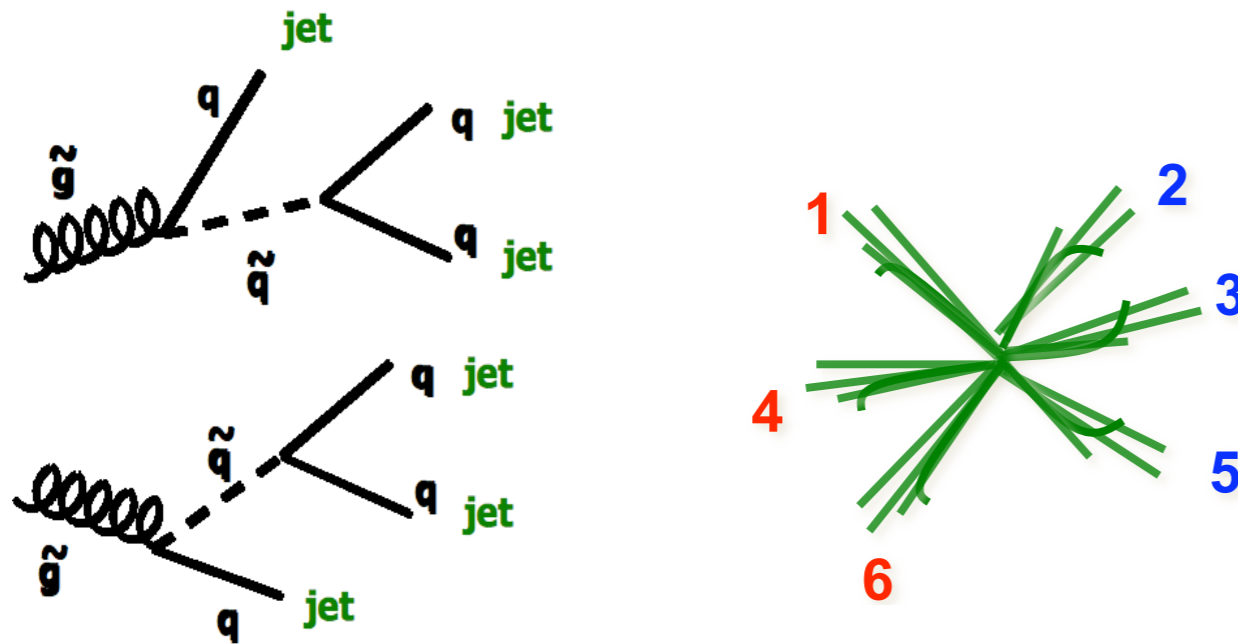
- Events with at least 4 jets and $p_t > 150$ GeV
- Sensitive to colorons at low mass

TRI-JET RESONANCE

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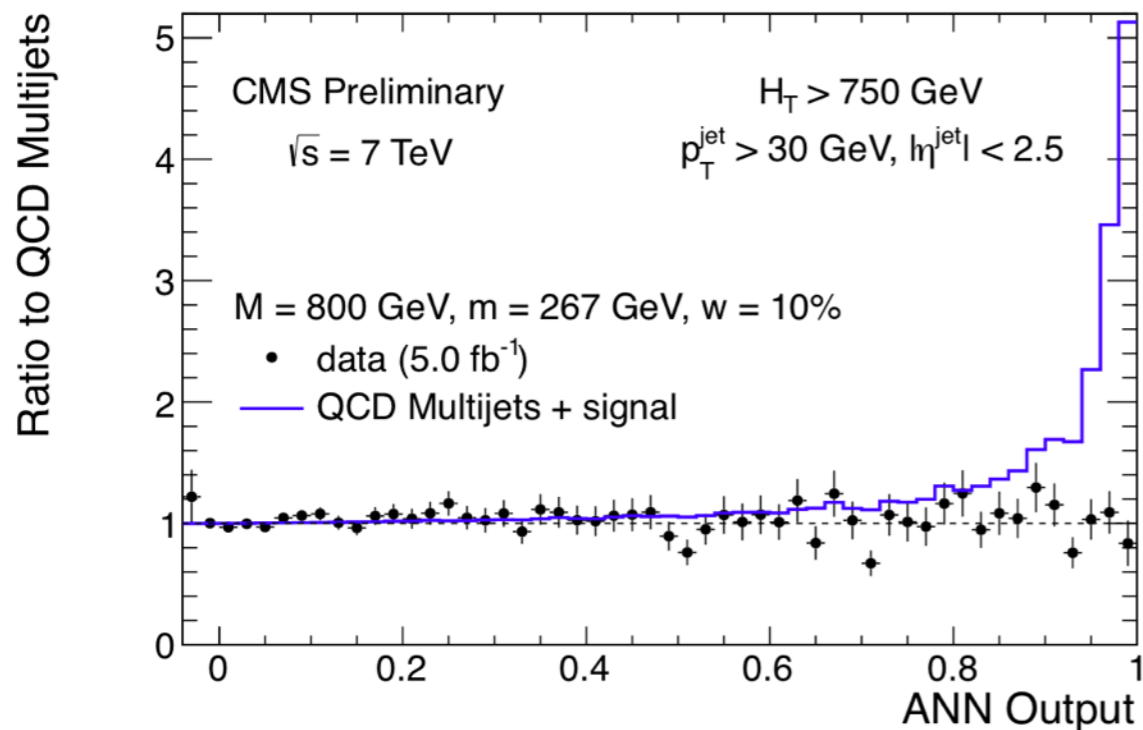
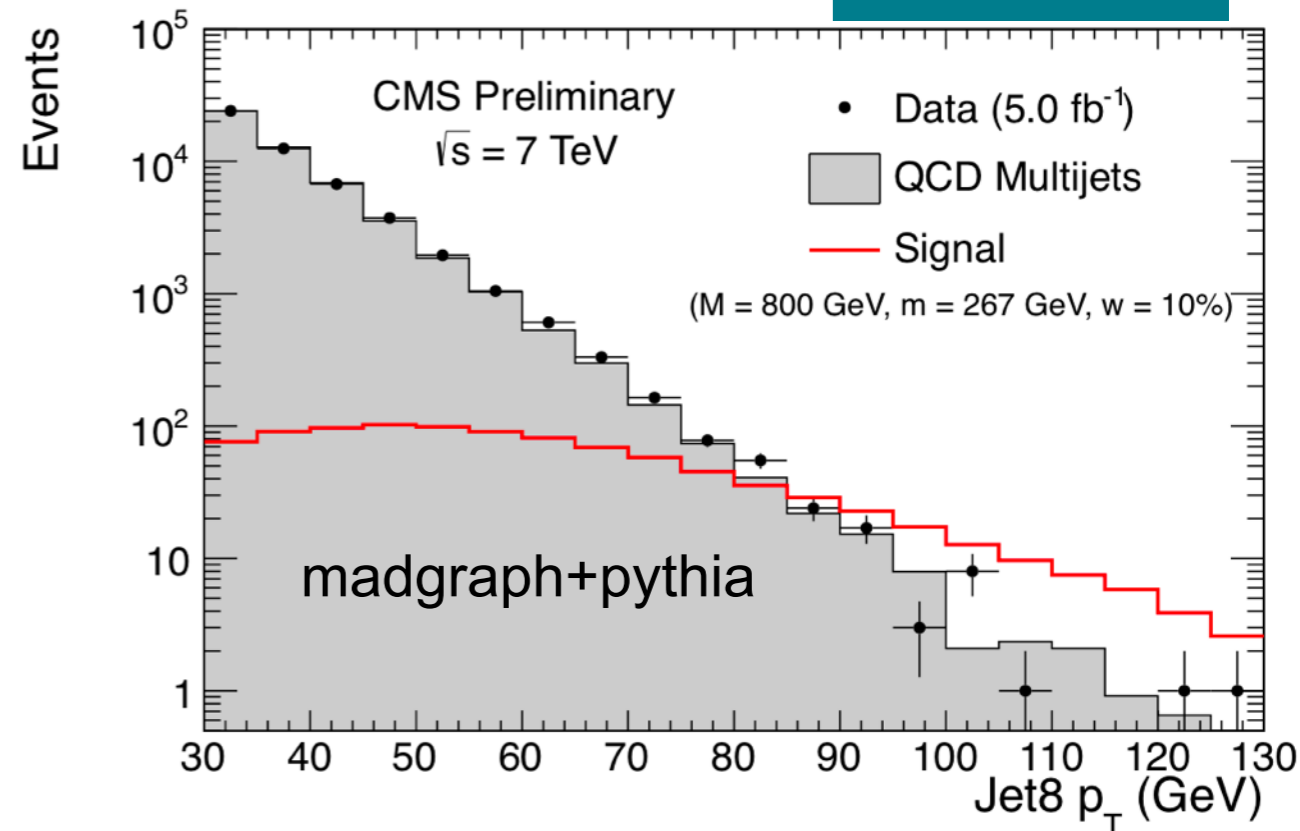
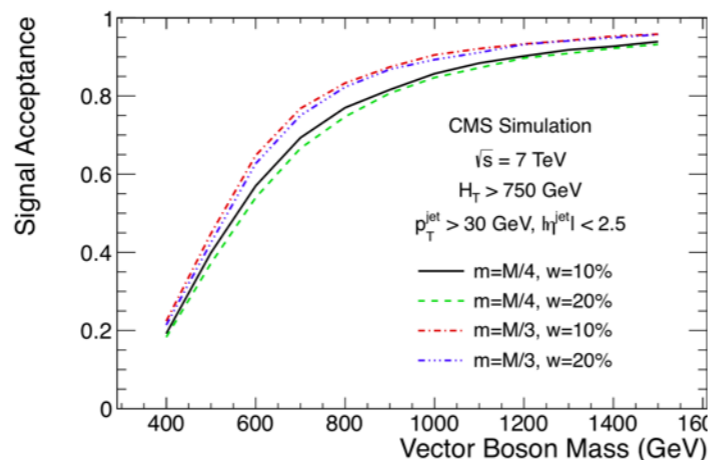
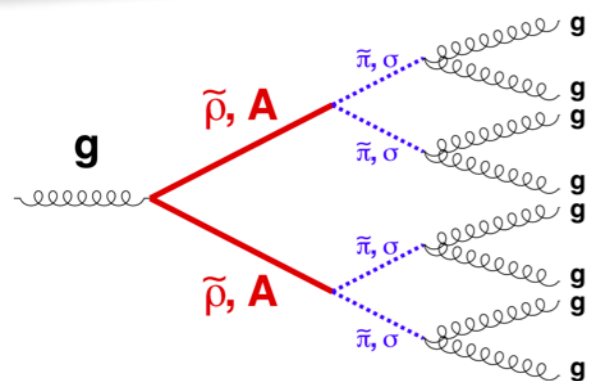
- 6 jets in several theoretical models
 - $Q = g = \text{SU}(3)_C$ Adjoint Majorana Fermion
 - R-Parity violating (No Missing ET)
- Modeled as R-parity violating gluino (negligible intrinsic width)

$$pp \rightarrow QQ \rightarrow 3j + 3j$$



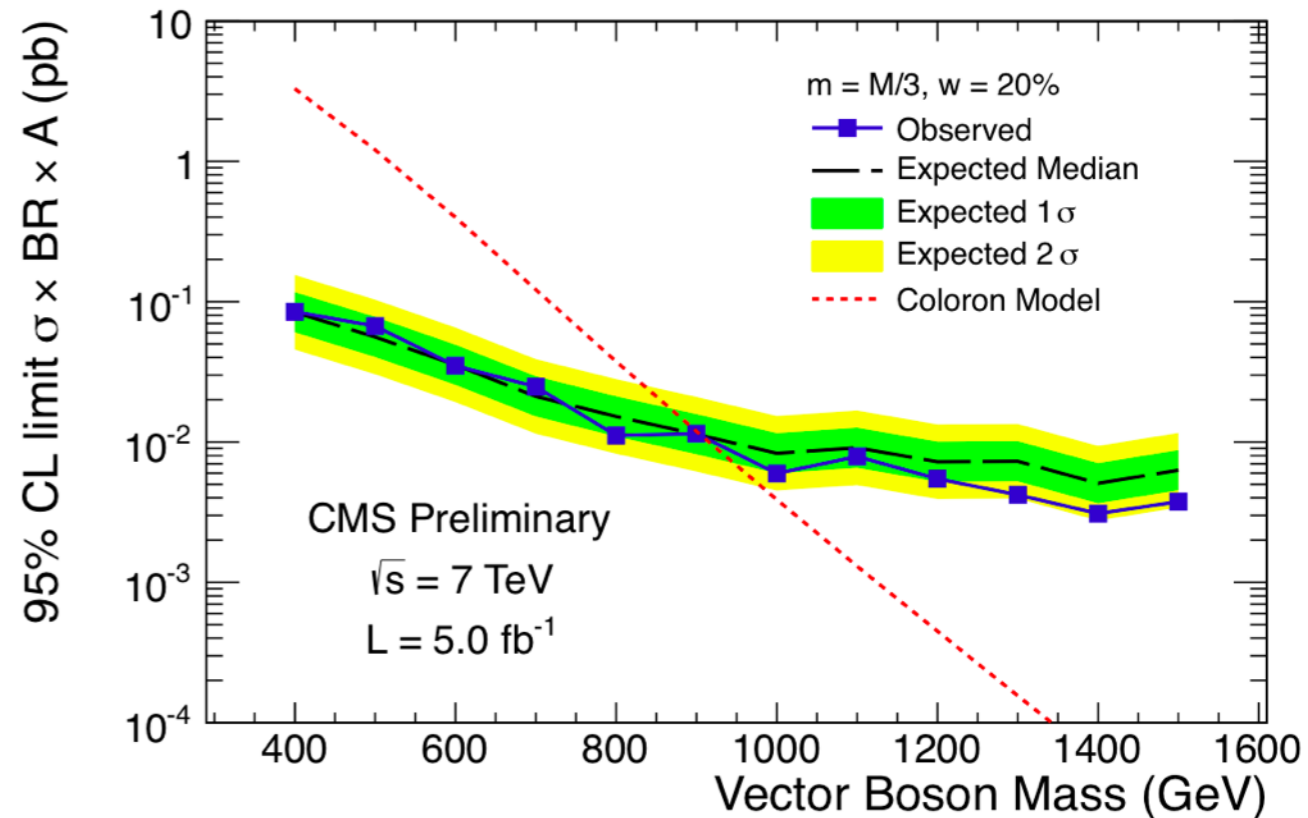
QUAD-JET RESONANCE

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- Multivariate analysis for max. QCD rejection

- p_T of 1st, 4th, 7th, and 8 jets
- H_T
- 8-jet invariant mass

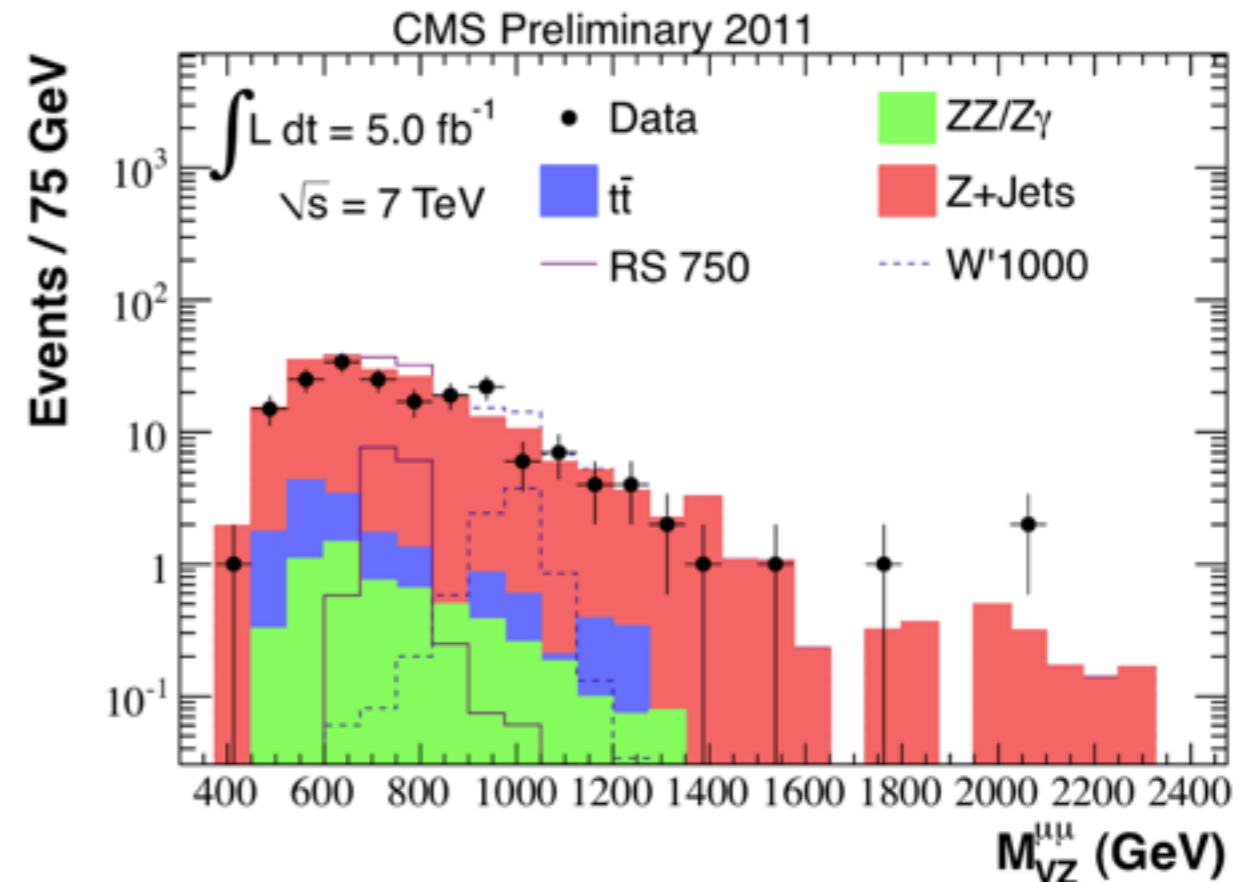
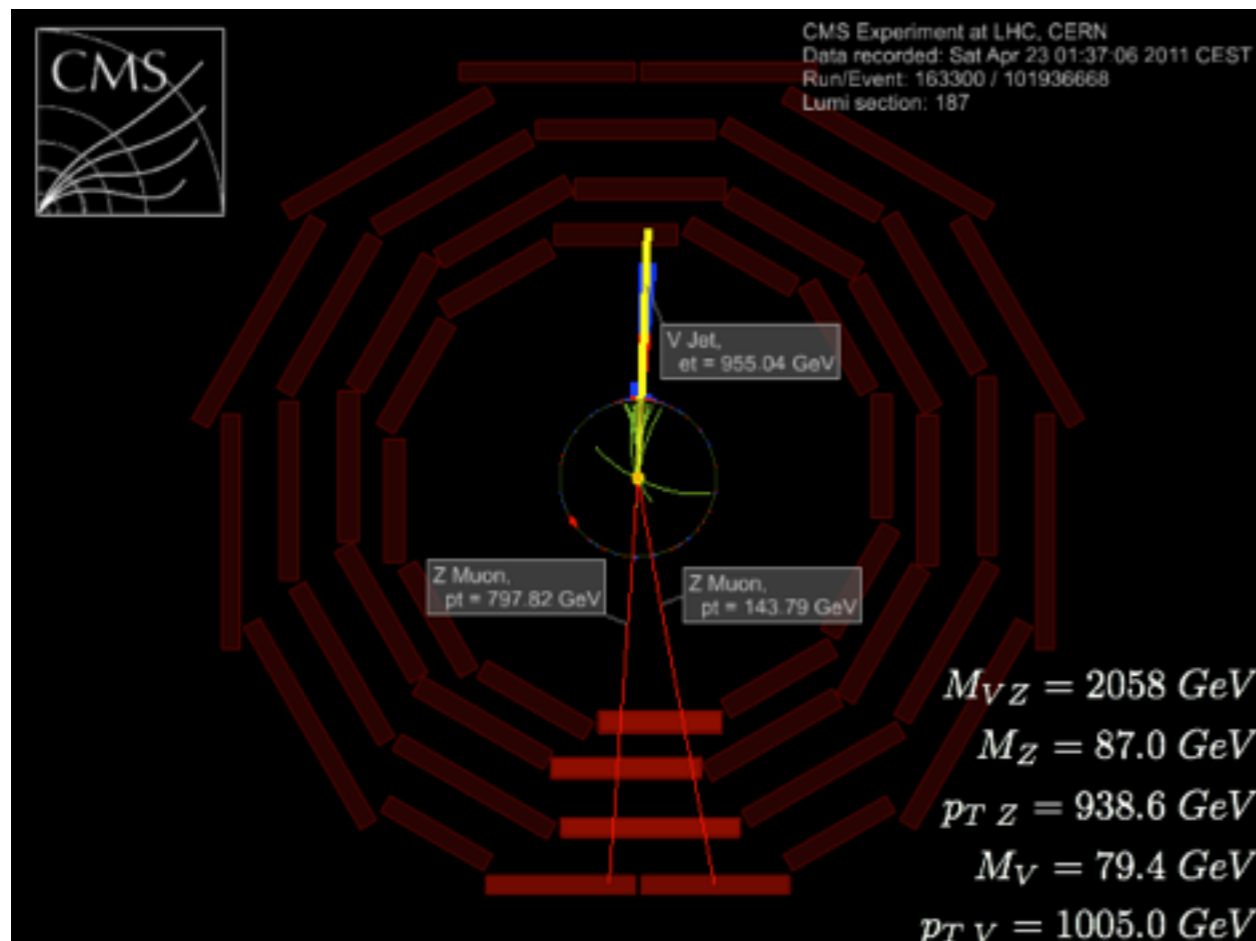
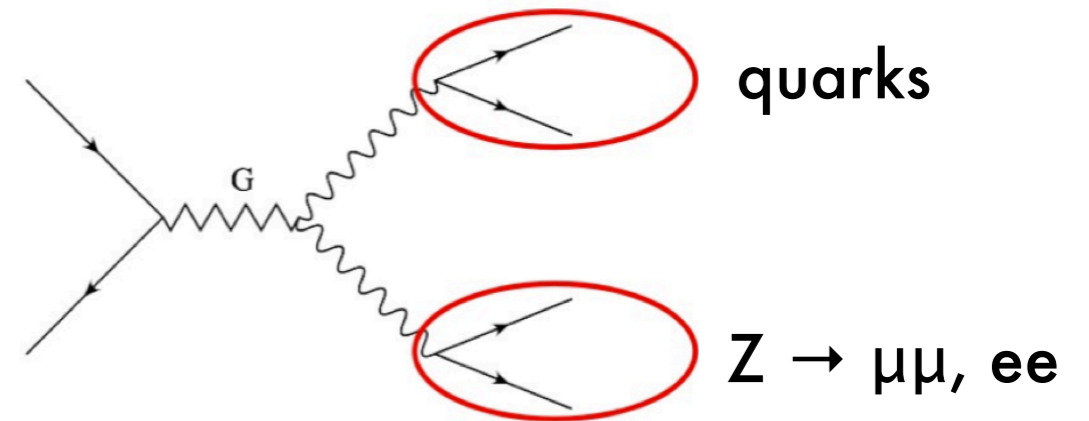


WZ AND ZZ RESONANCES

EXO-12-014

$$pp \rightarrow G^* \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow qq\bar{q}l^+l^-$$

$$pp \rightarrow W' \rightarrow WZ \rightarrow qq\bar{q}l^+l^-$$

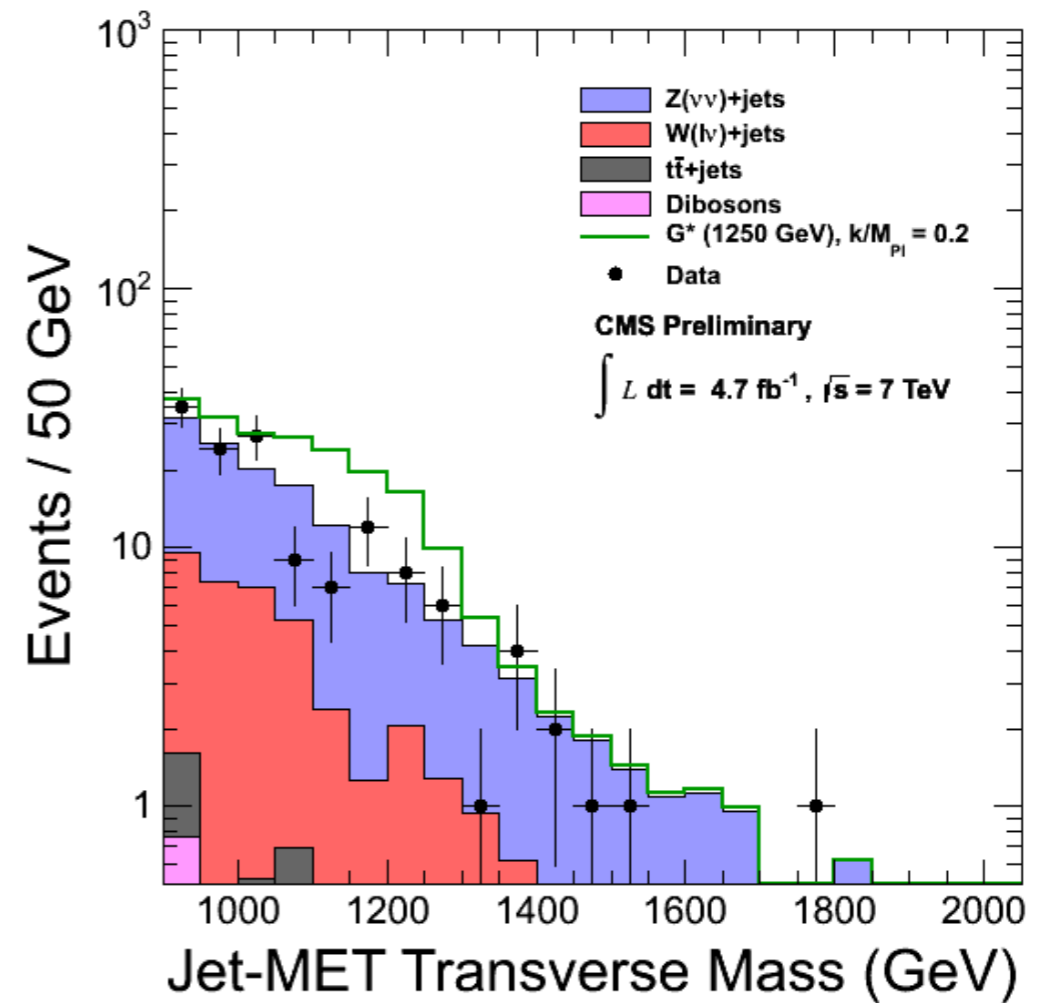
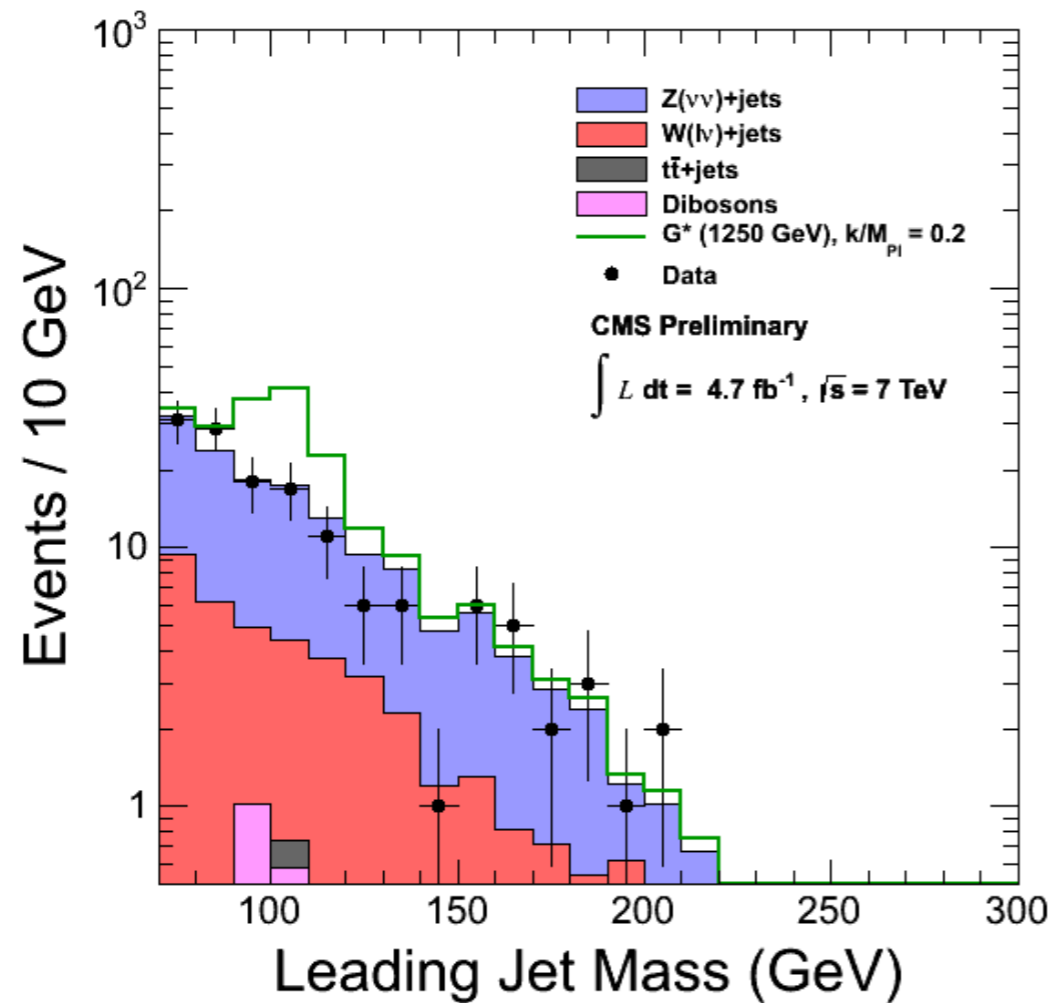
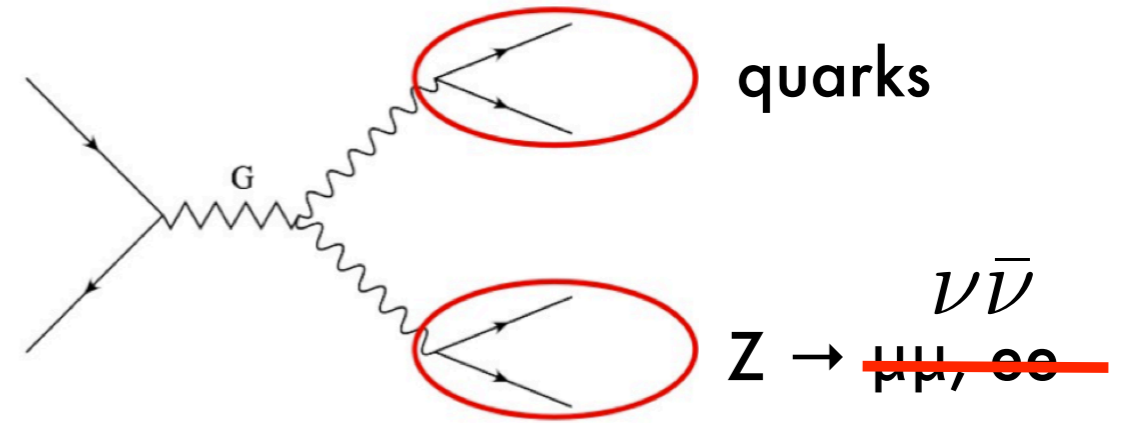


- For very heavy resonances hadronic W and Z merge in one fat jet
– jet energy resolution

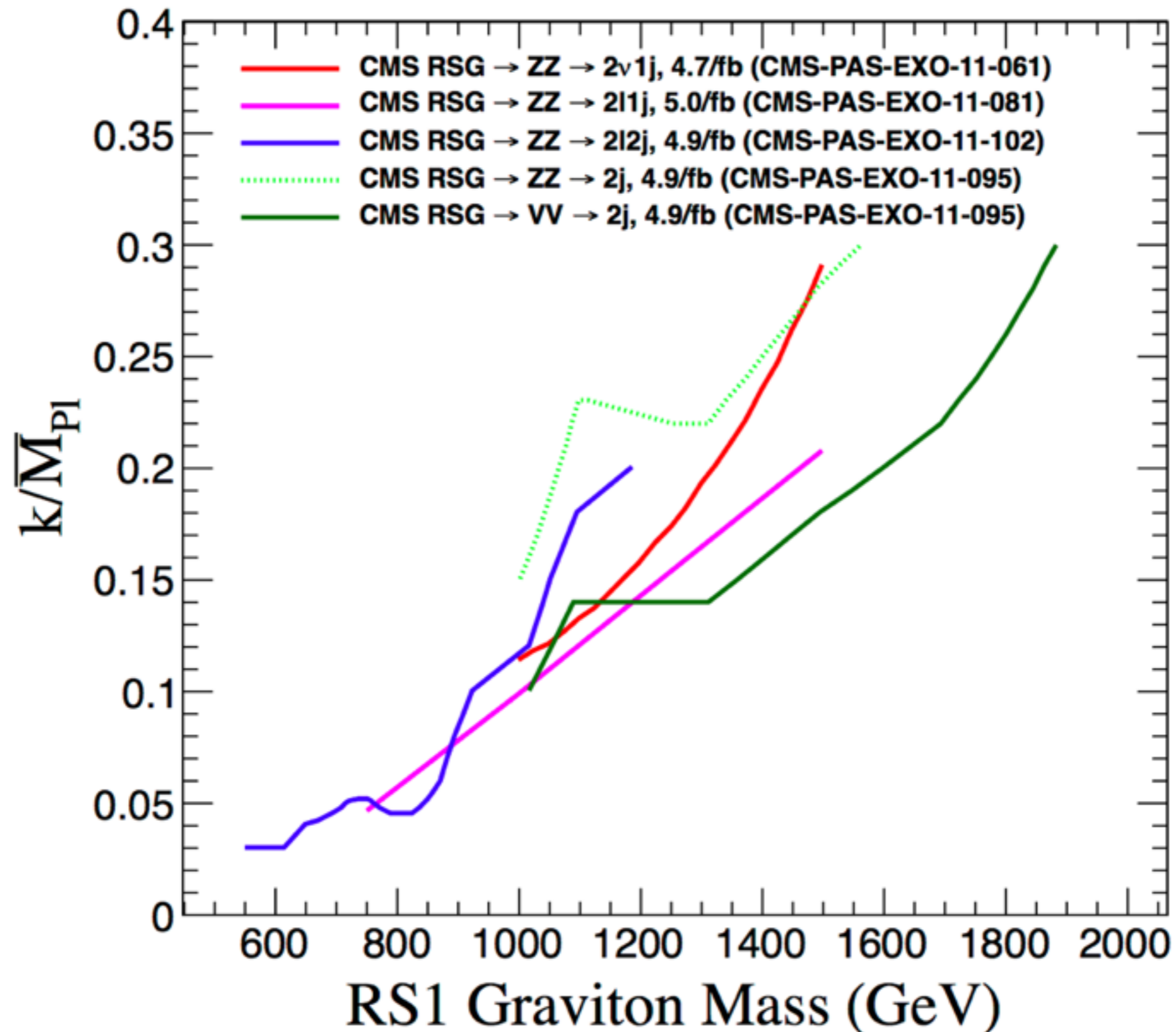
ZZ RESONANCE

EXO-12-014

$$pp \rightarrow G^* \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow q\bar{q} \nu\bar{\nu}$$



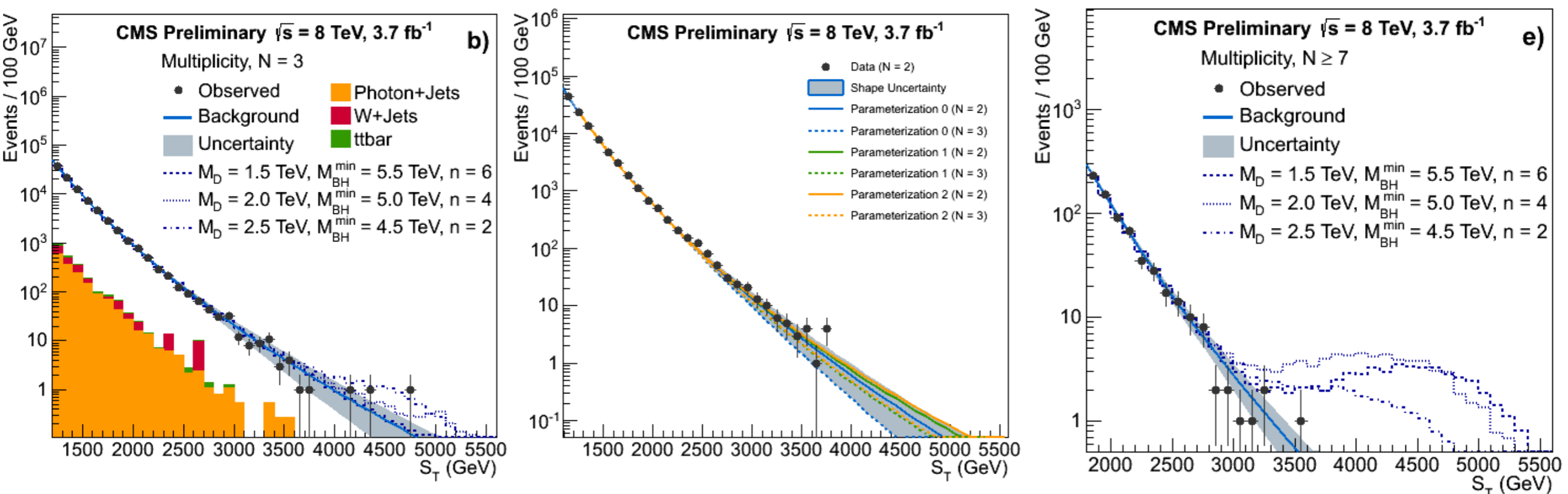
CONSTRAINTS ON GRAVITONS



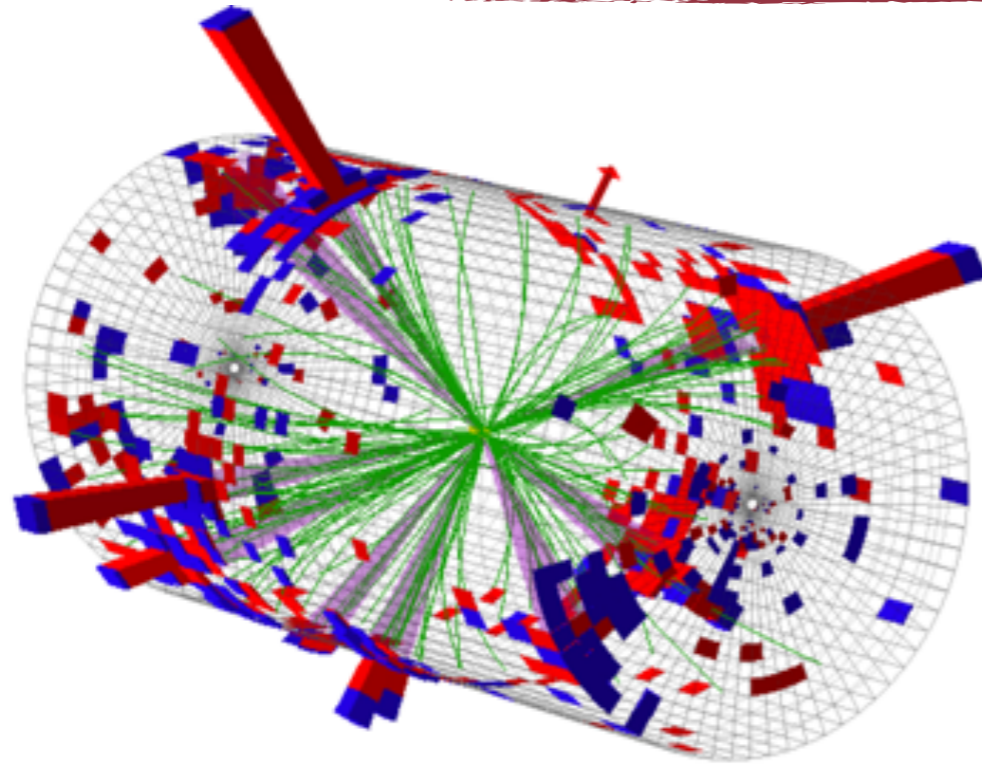
MICROSCOPIC BLACK HOLES

EXO-12-009

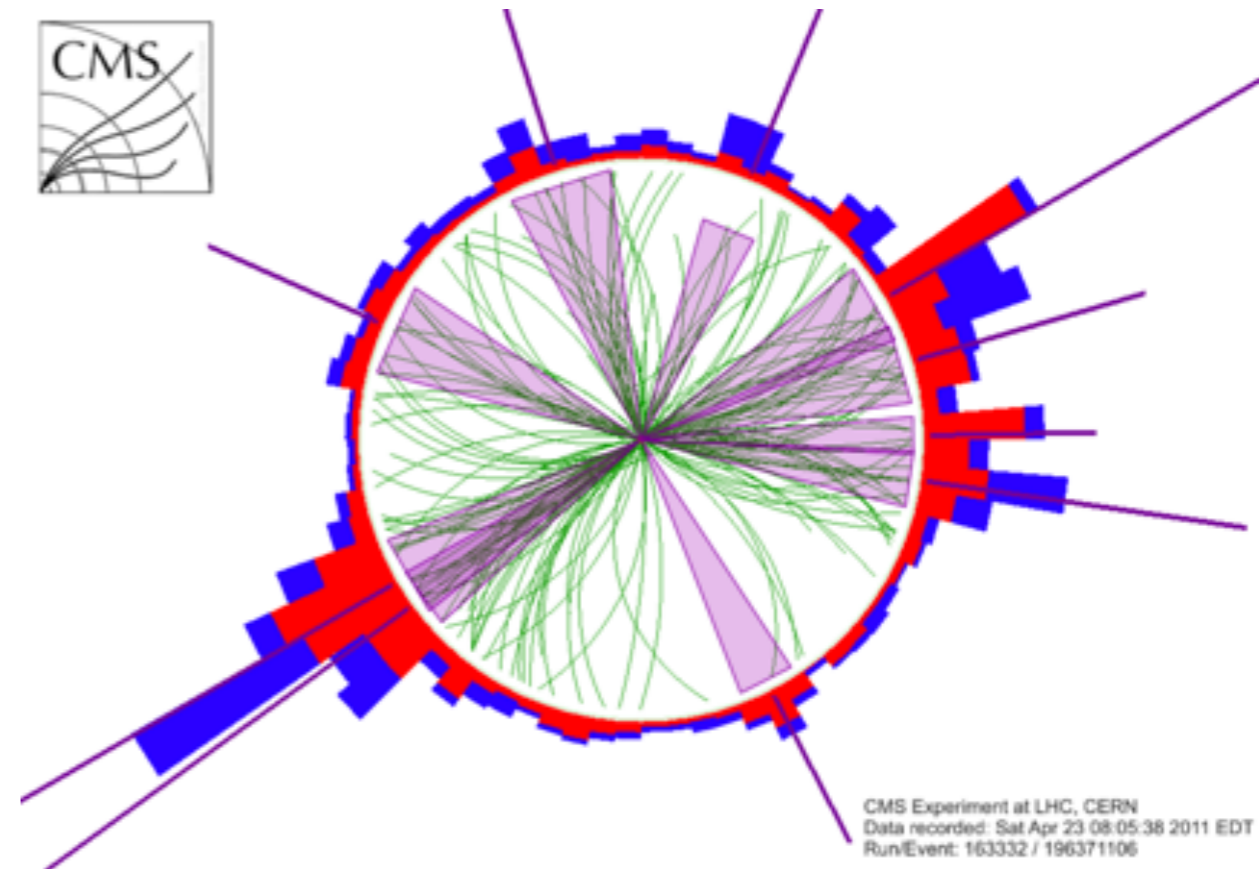
- Analysis strategy: events with large transverse energy, multiple high-energy jets, leptons, and photons
- Main Standard Model background: QCD multijet production
- Discrimination variable: visible transverse energy
 - scalar sum of ET for identified physics objects and MET
- Estimate background shape from low multiplicity events



MULTIJET EVENT AS BLACK HOLE CANDIDATE

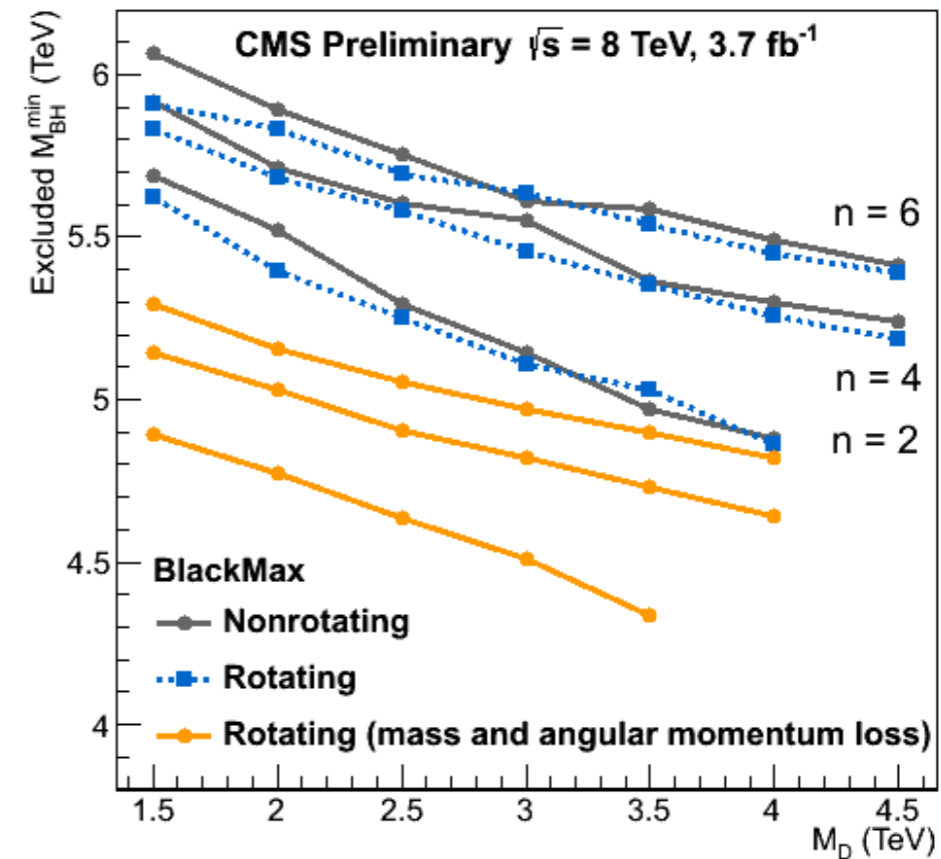
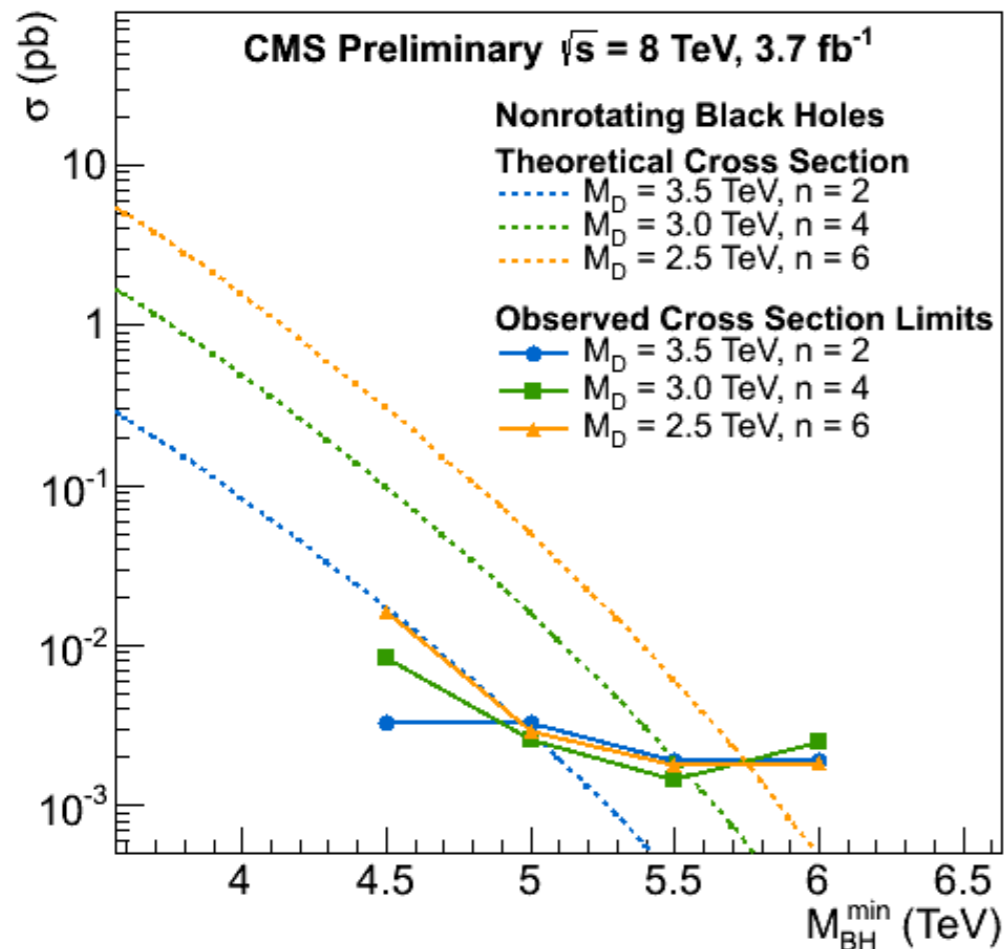


CMS Experiment at LHC, CERN
Data recorded: Mon May 23 21:48:26 2011 EDT
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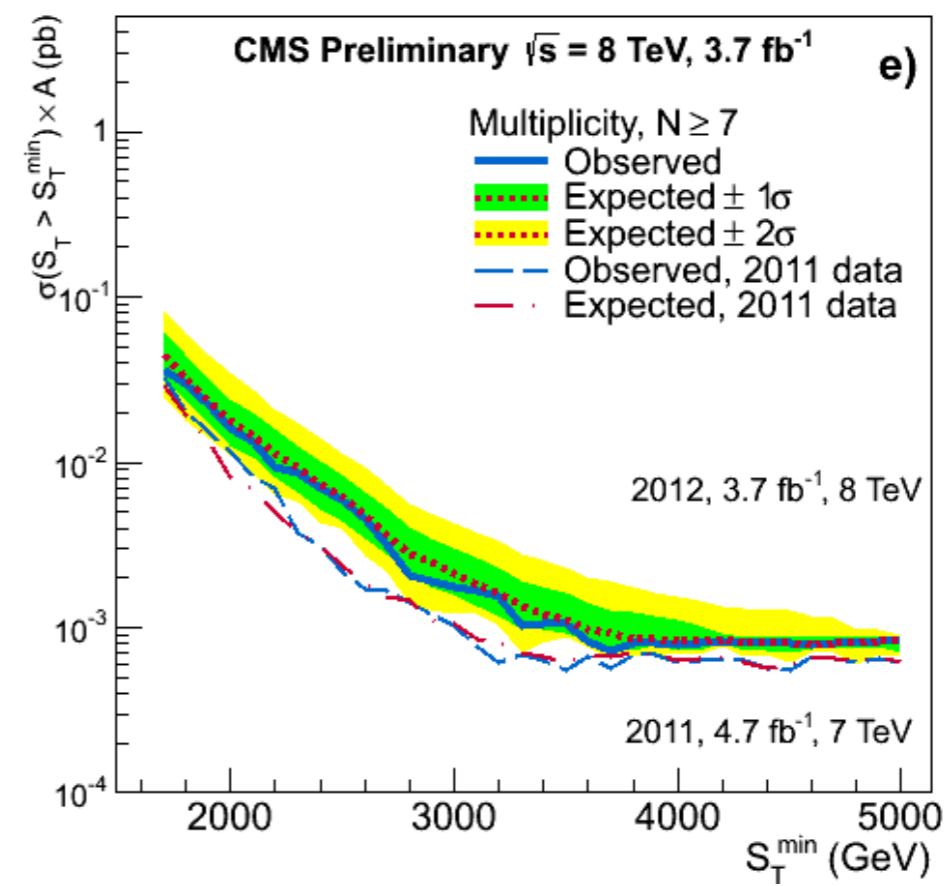


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LIMITS ON BLACK HOLES

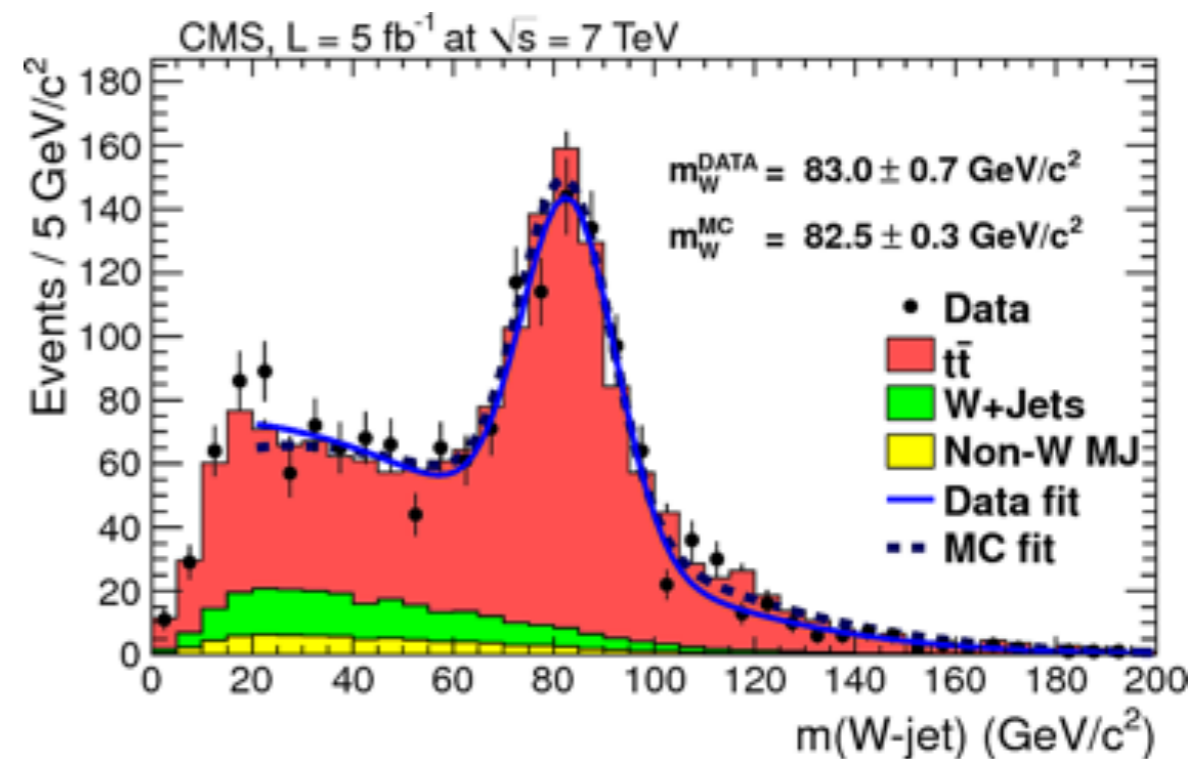
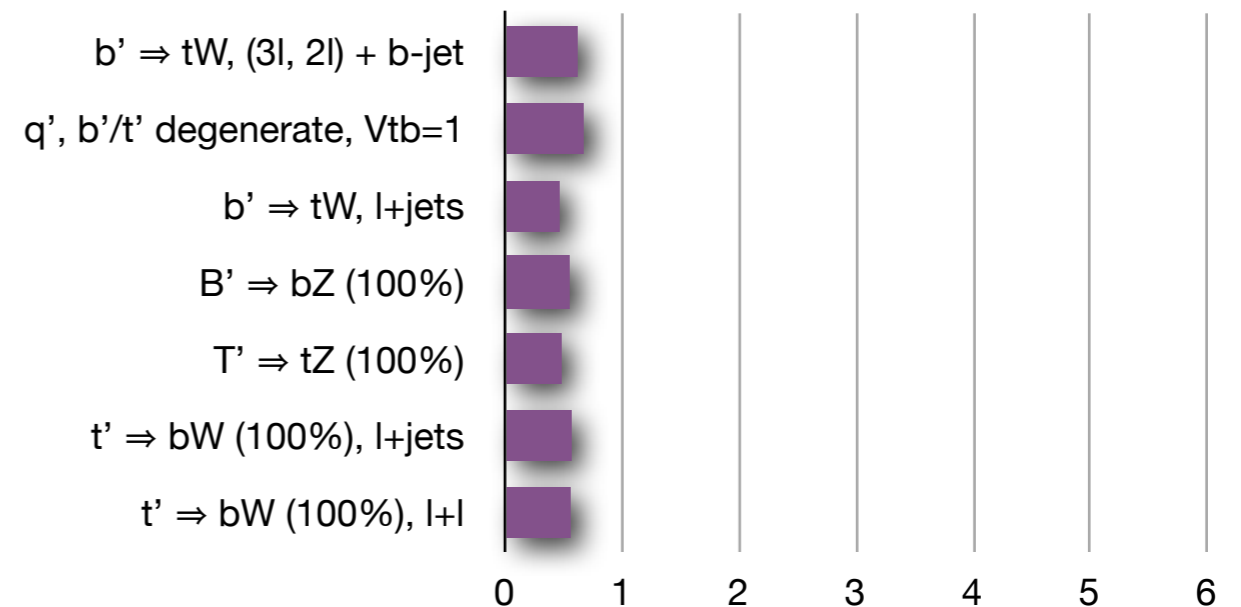


- Significant increase in signal cross section at 8 TeV
 - no signal yet unfortunately
- Model-independent limits useful to constrain new theoretical models

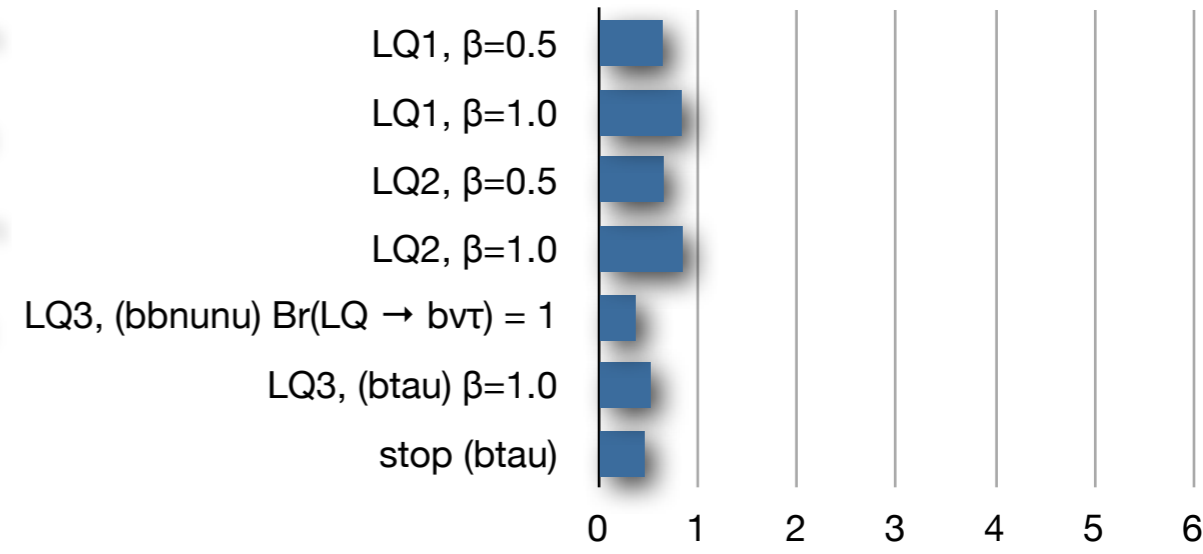
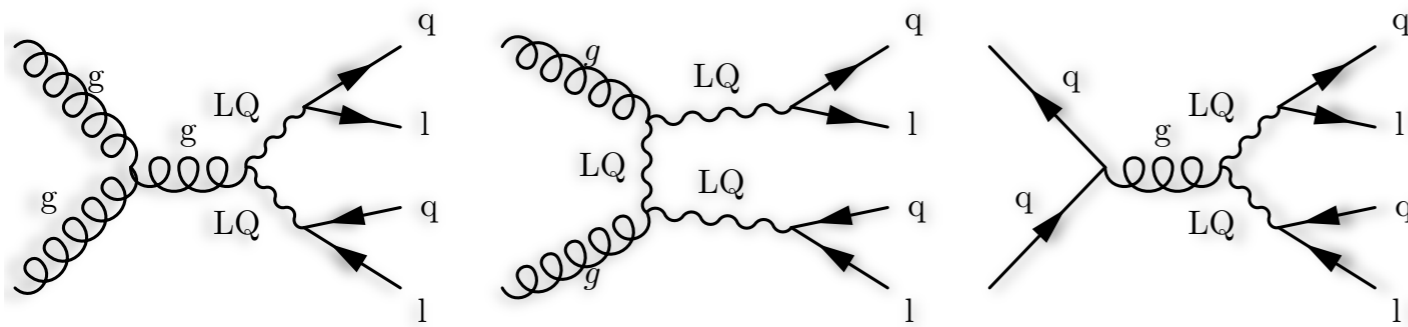


4TH GENERATION AND TTBAR

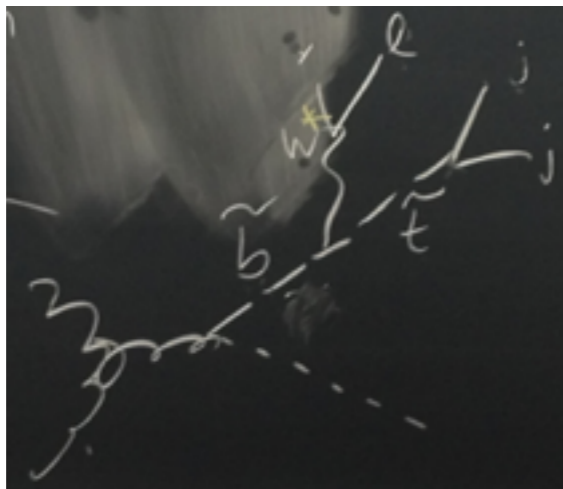
- Extremely rich program with at least one top in final state
- Several searches for 4th generation heavy quarks
 - leptons
 - lepton+jets
 - all hadronic
- ttbar resonances across the spectrum
 - all hadronic boosted top technique at high mass
 - lepton + jets
 - close interaction with top group to coordinate low ($\sqrt{s} < 1$ TeV) and high mass analyses
- Search for exotic $q=5/3$ top partners ongoing



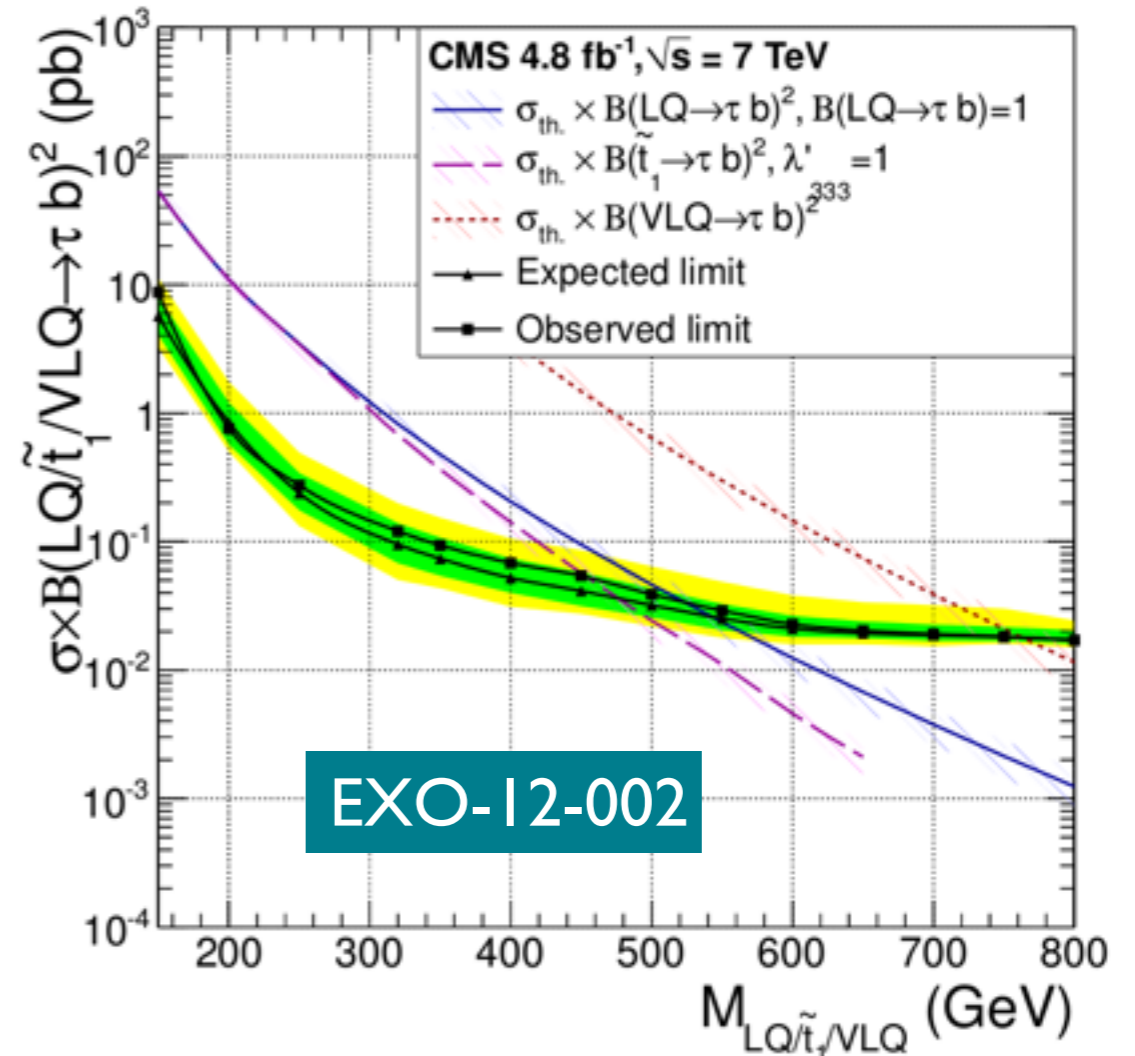
LEPTON + JETS



- Lepton and jets used usually for leptoquark searches
 - now also first 3rd generation searches
- Same final state sensitive also to RPV SUSY

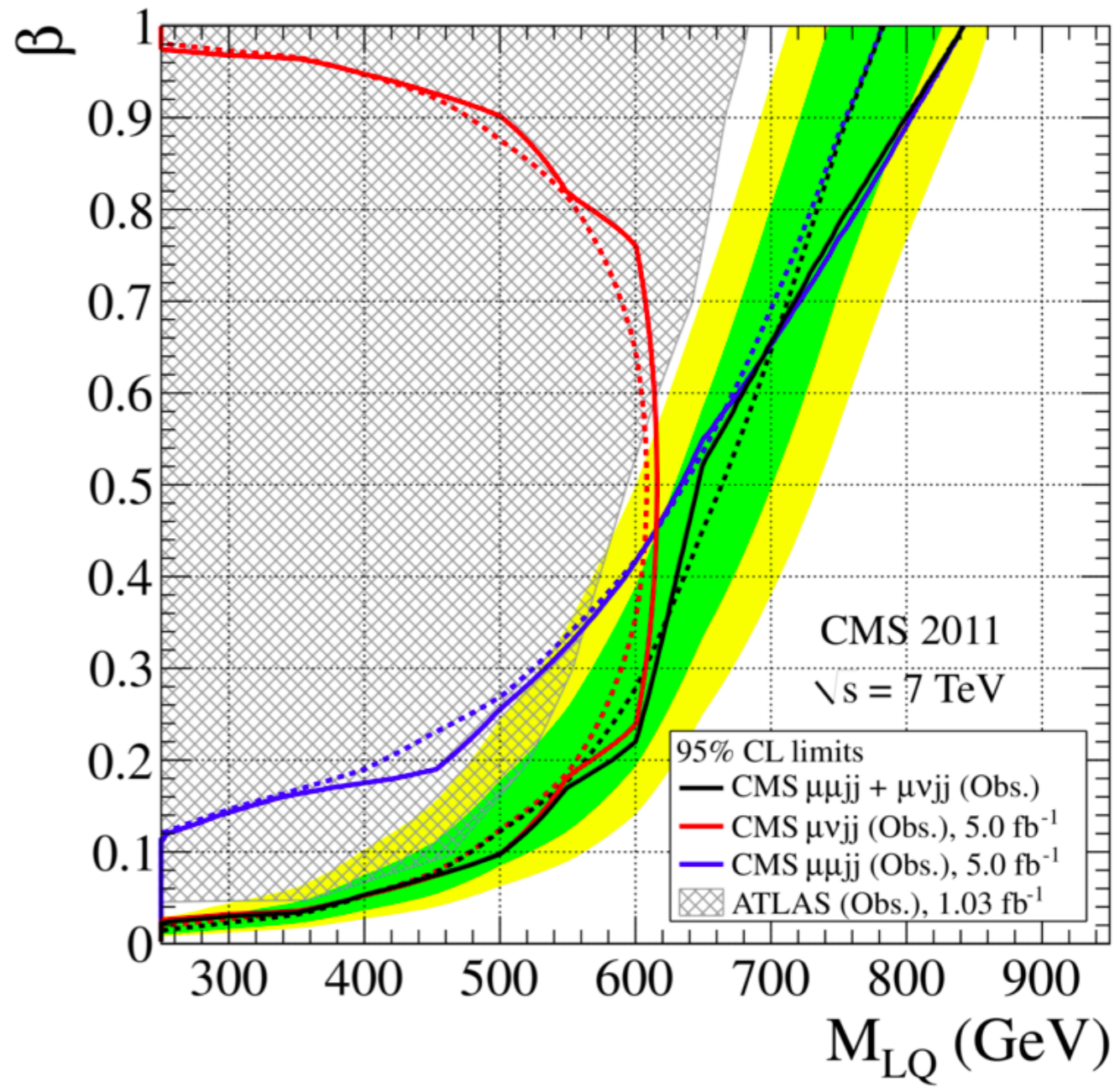
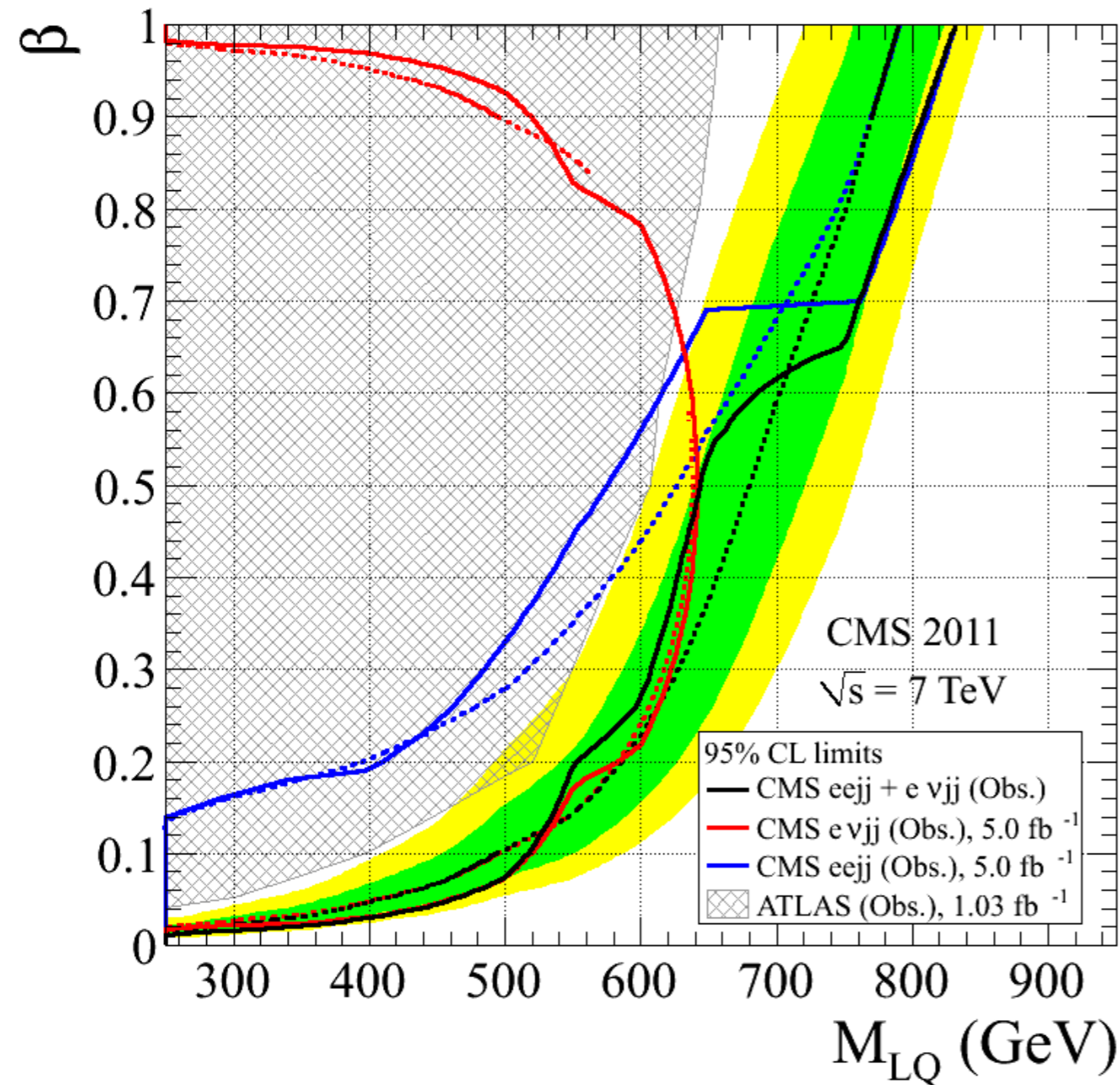


- Extending program to single LQ production and top+tau final states



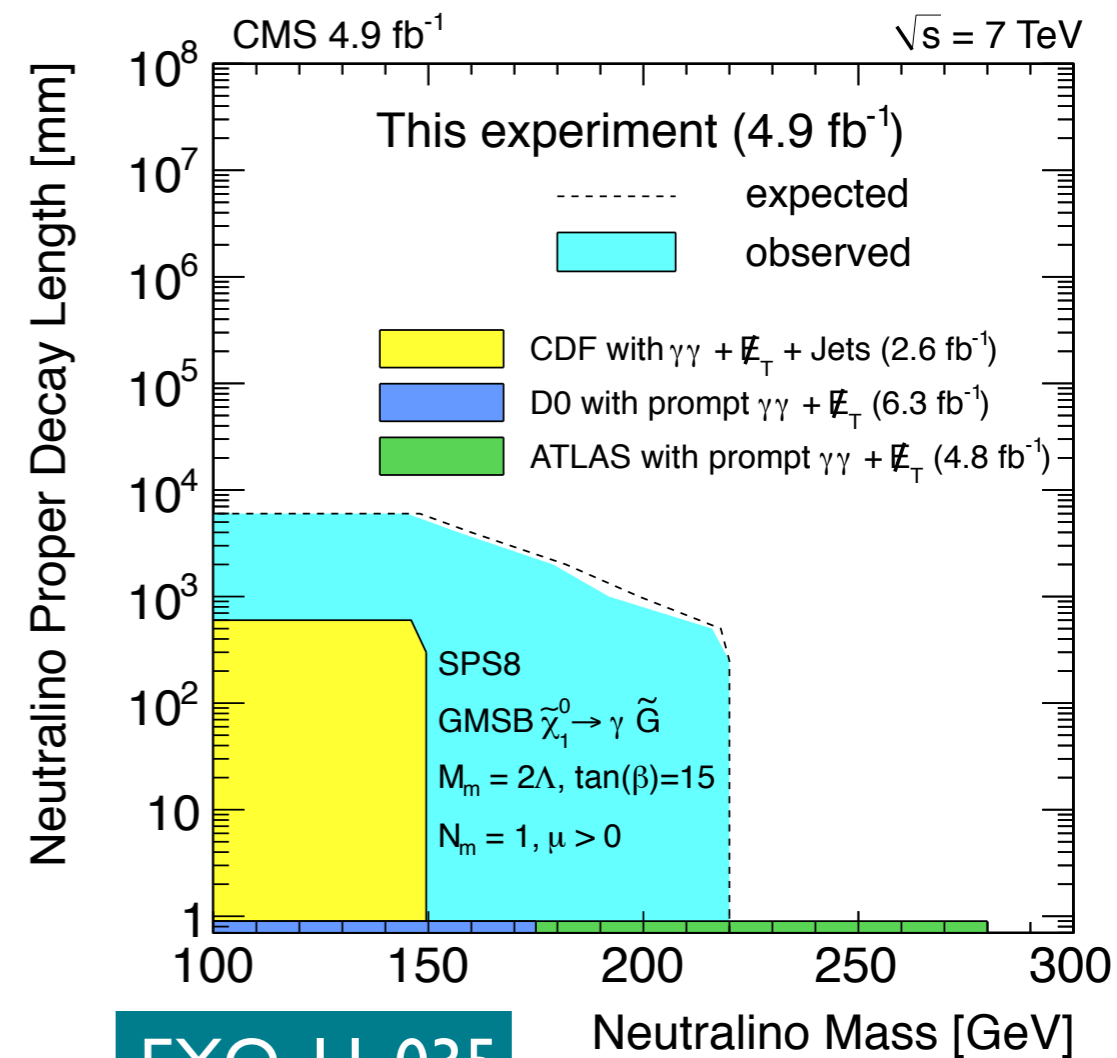
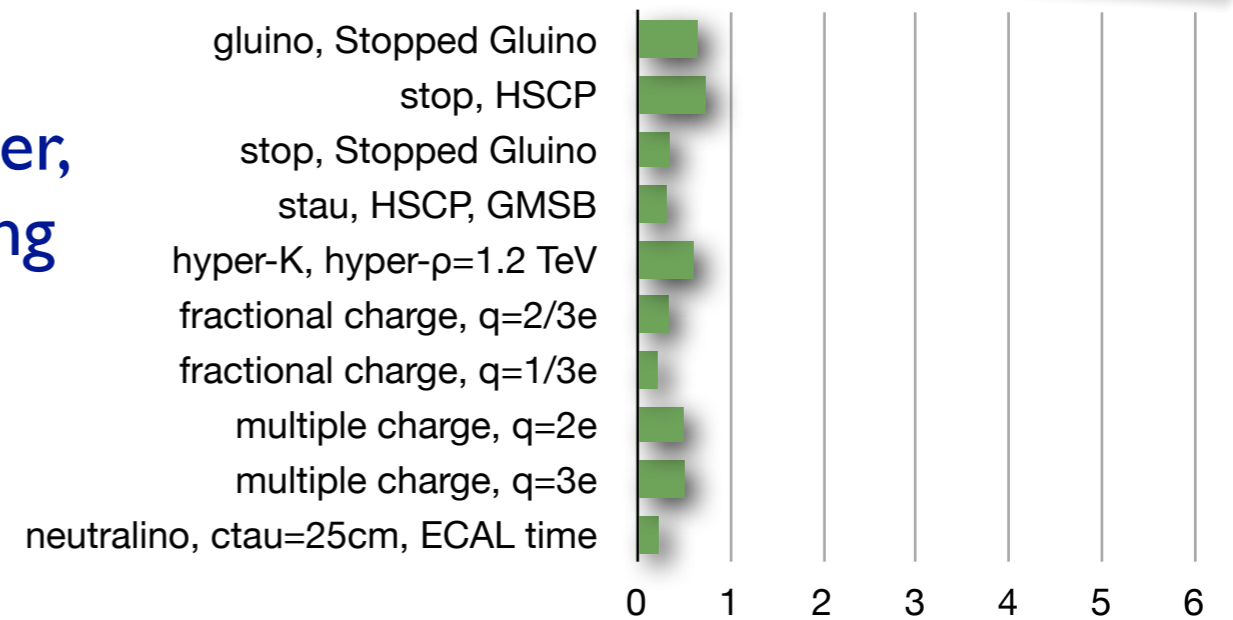
LEPTOQUARKS

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LONG-LIVED PARTICLES

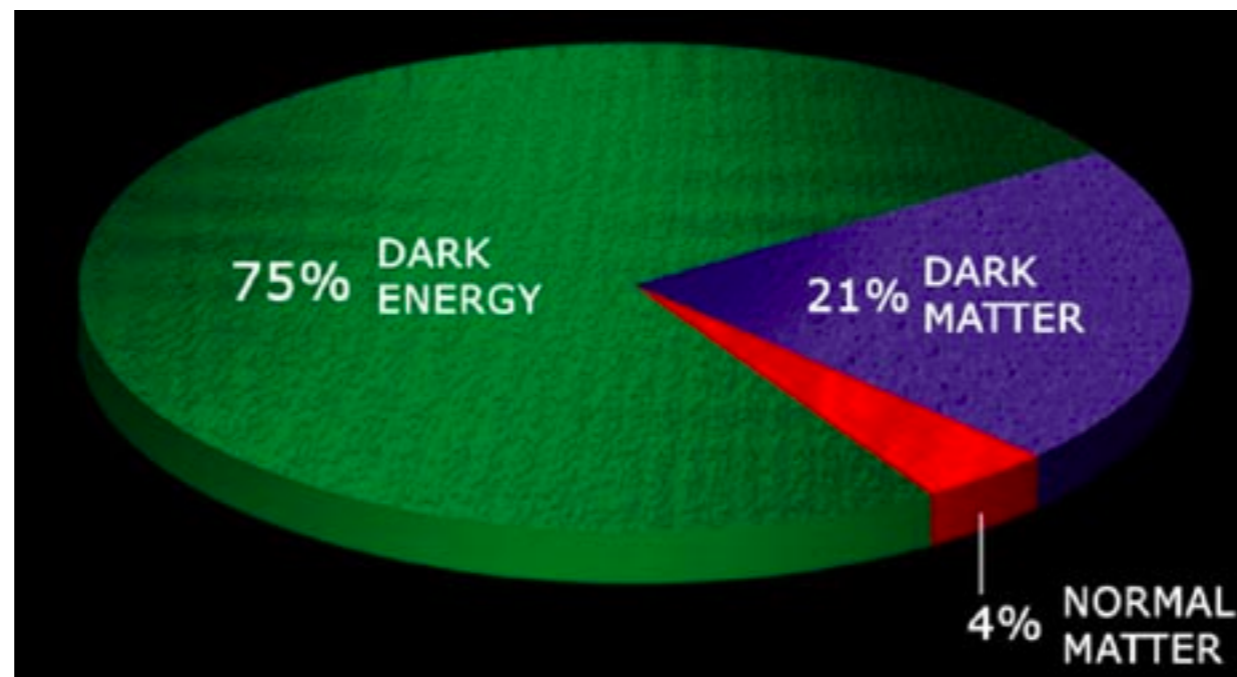
- Most exotic part of exotica
 - requires dedicated reconstruction, trigger, and detailed detector level understanding unlike other searches
- Heavy stable charge particles
 - slow muon-like objects
 - ▶ dE/dx , TOF, proper reco
 - also $q > 1$
- Stopped gluino
 - dedicated data taking conditions and understanding of beam conditions
- Fractionally charged particles
 - dE/dx in tracker
- Displaced leptons and vertices
- Displaced photons
 - first analysis using time measurement in ECAL



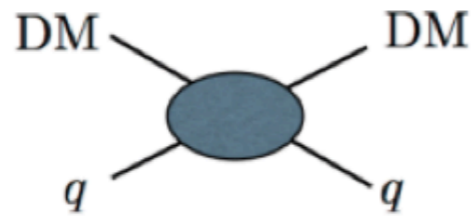
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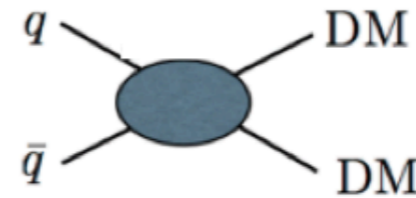
DARK MATTER



DARK MATTER QUEST

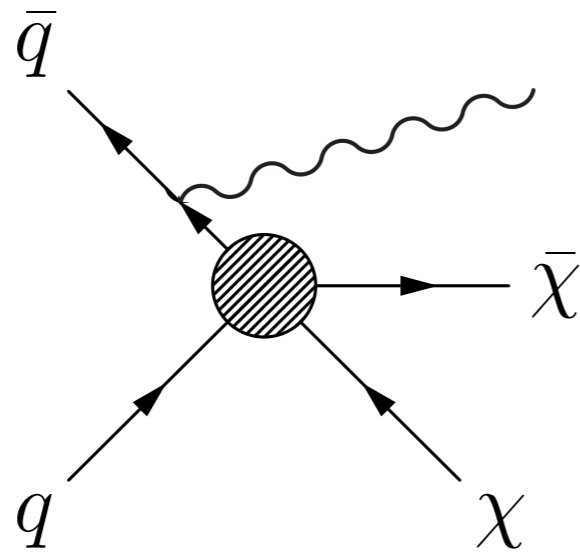


Direct Detection (t-channel)

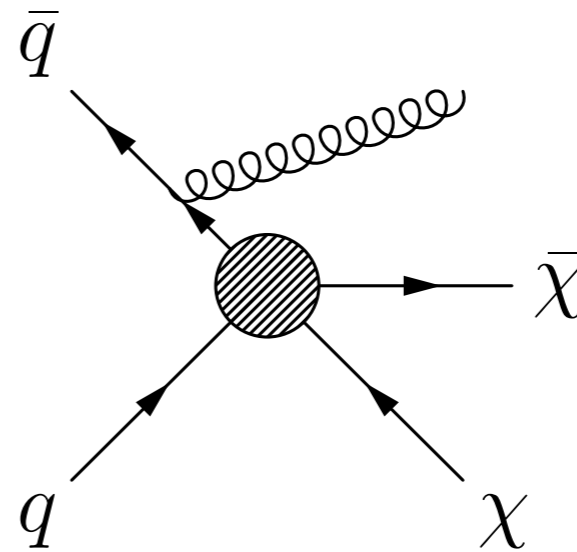


Collider Searches (s-channel)

- Pair production of Dark Matter candidates at colliders accompanied by Initial State Radiation of gluon or photon
 - More sensitive in low mass region than direct detection



Monophoton + MET



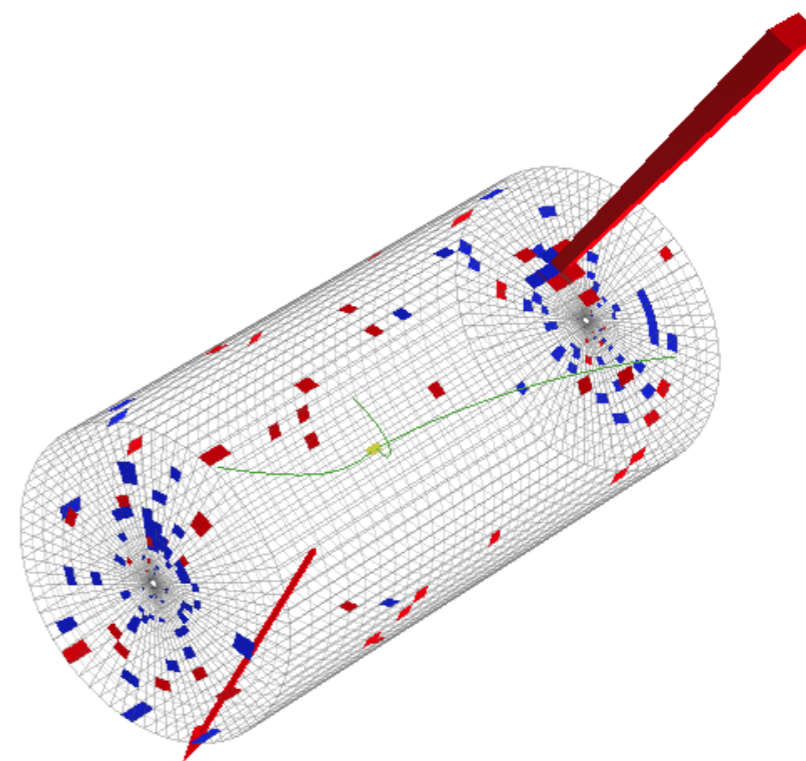
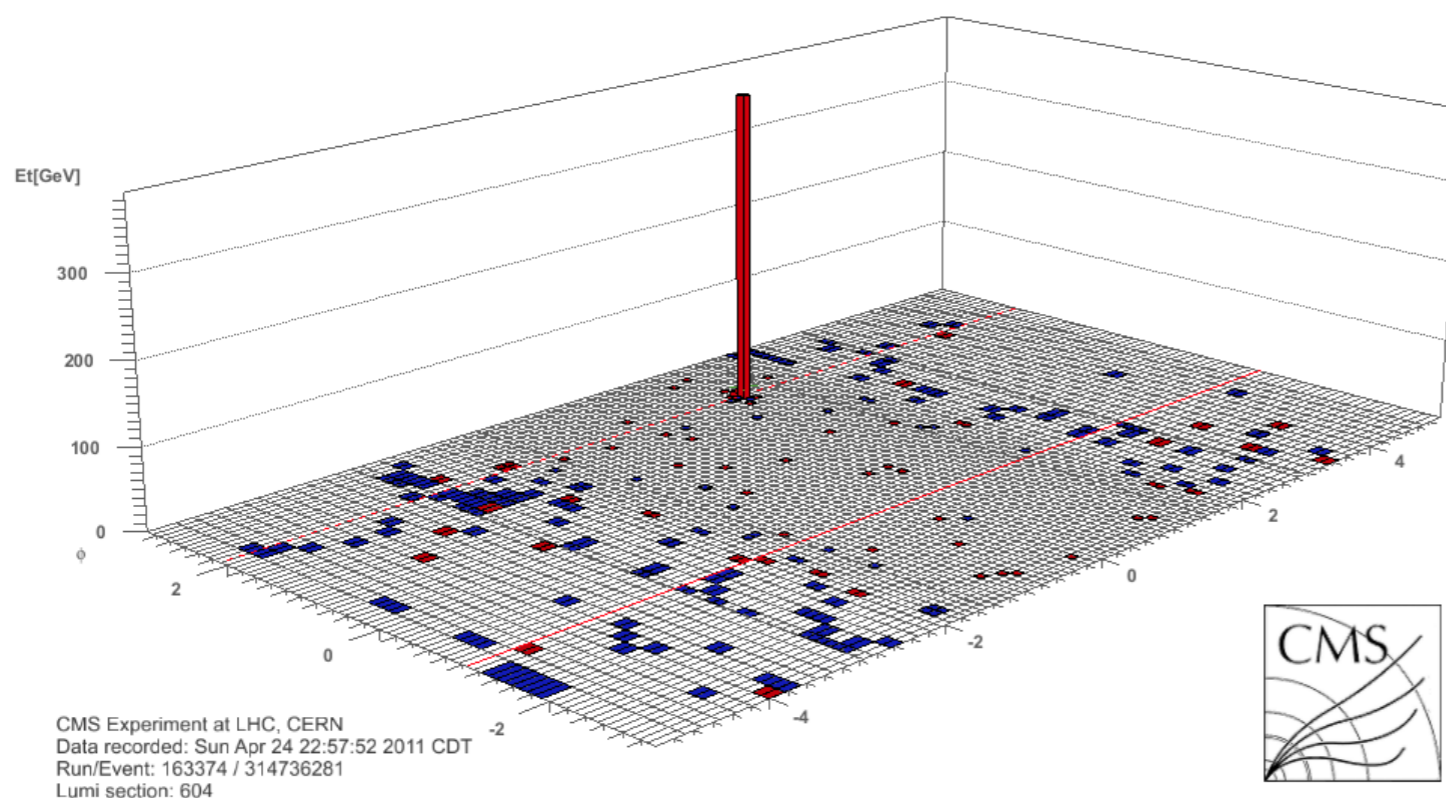
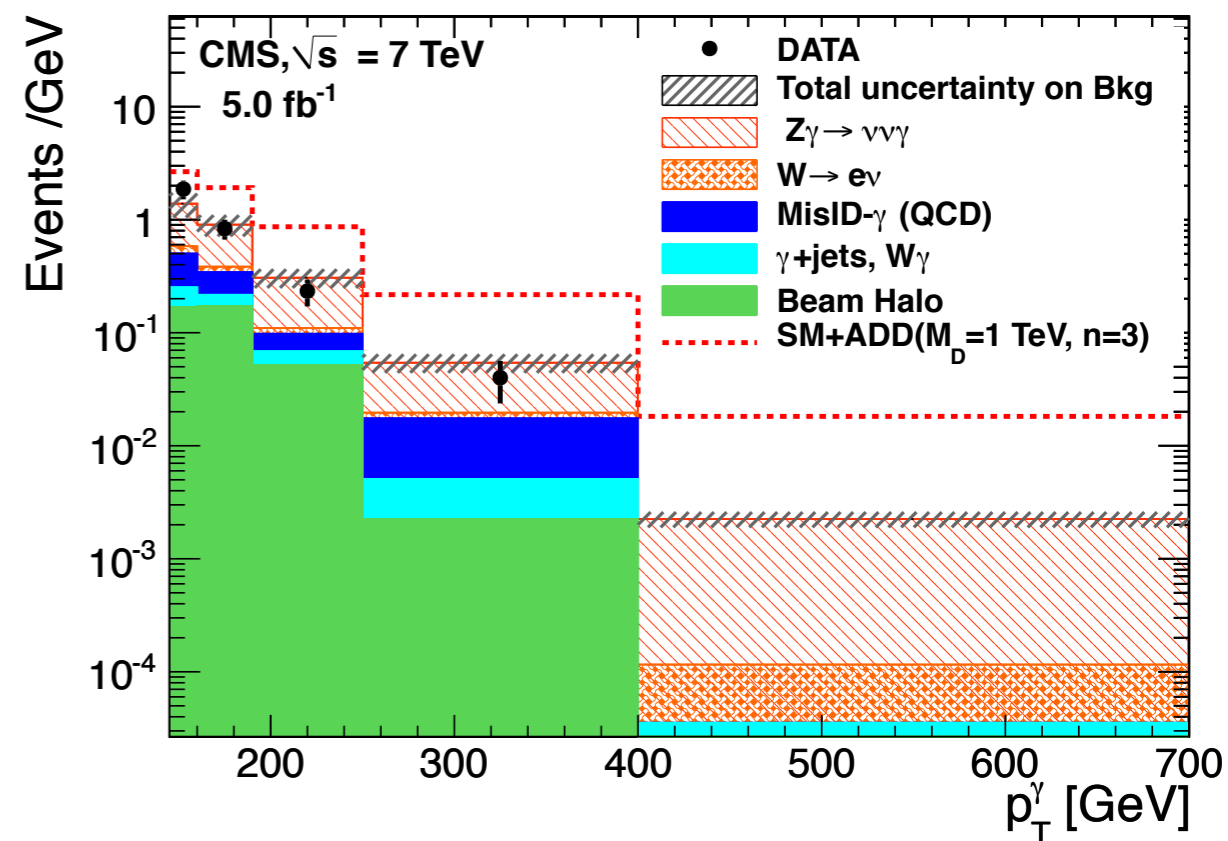
Monojet + MET

- Search for just one photon or jet and large missing transverse energy

MONO-PHOTON + MET

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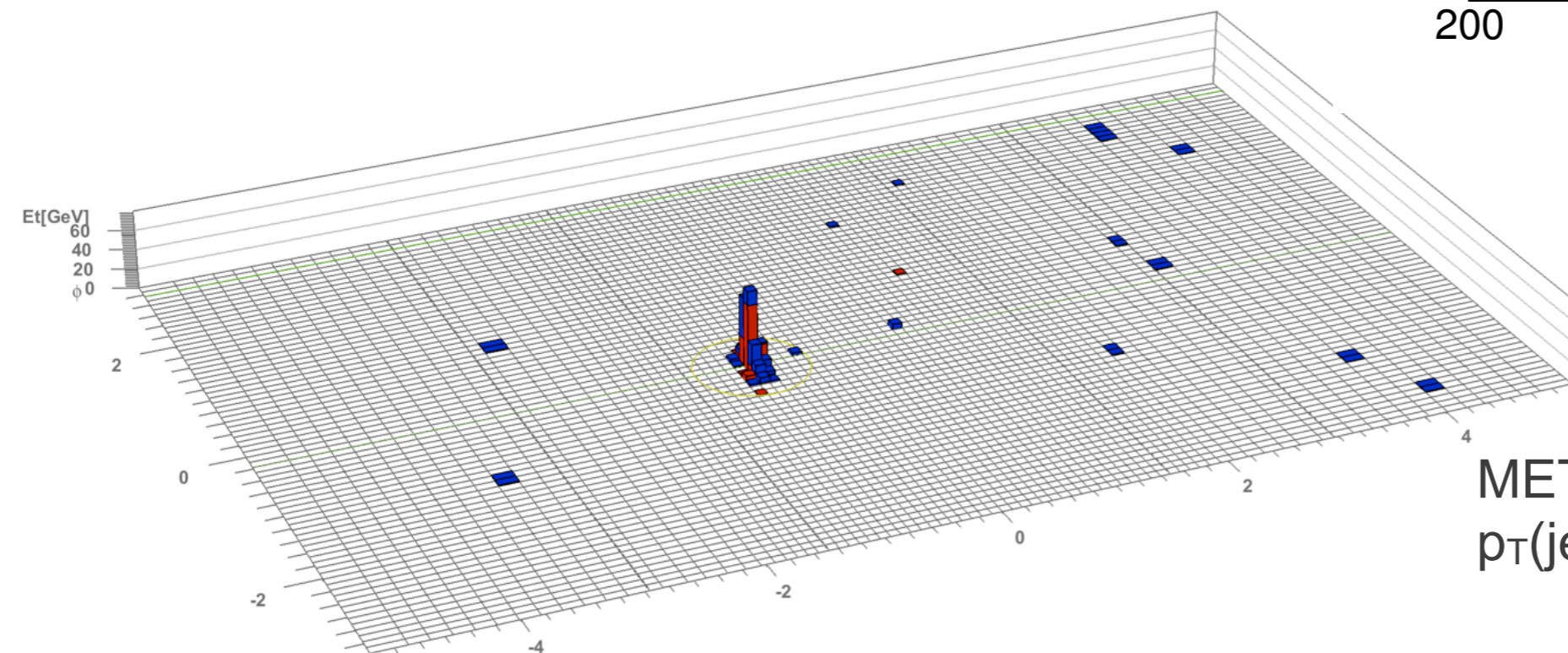
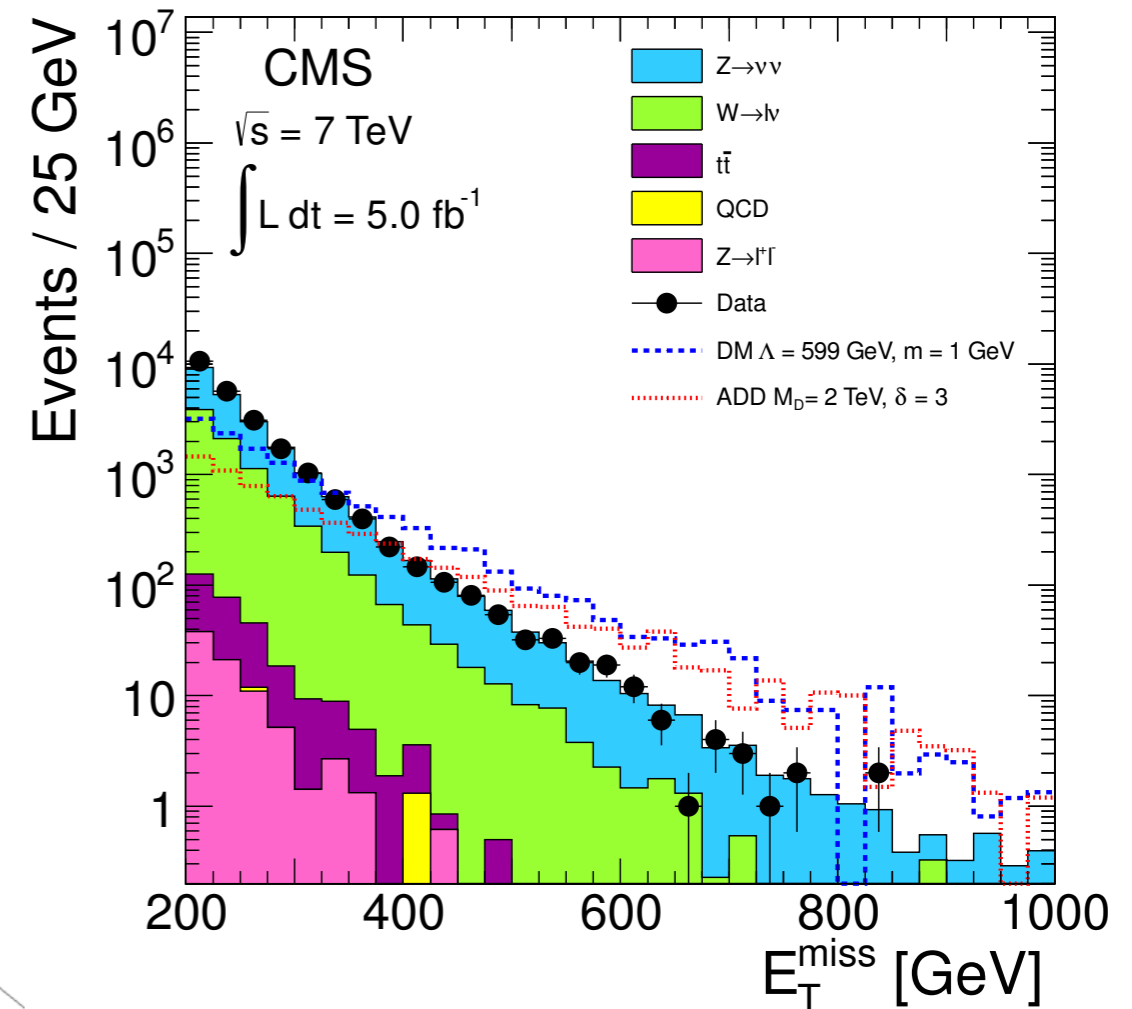
- Experimentally challenging
 - 1 photon, MET and no other activity
 - excellent estimate of non-beam background with ECAL time measurement
- Look for excess in photon p_T spectrum



MONO-JET + MET

EXO-11-059

- Higher cross section than monophoton
 - main background from invisible Z decays in Z +jets measured with data driven method
- Require one high p_T jet and possibly a second jet
 - recover radiation
 - reject events with close-by leptons



MET = 359 GeV
 $p_T(\text{jet1}) = 331 \text{ GeV}$

DARK MATTER LIMITS

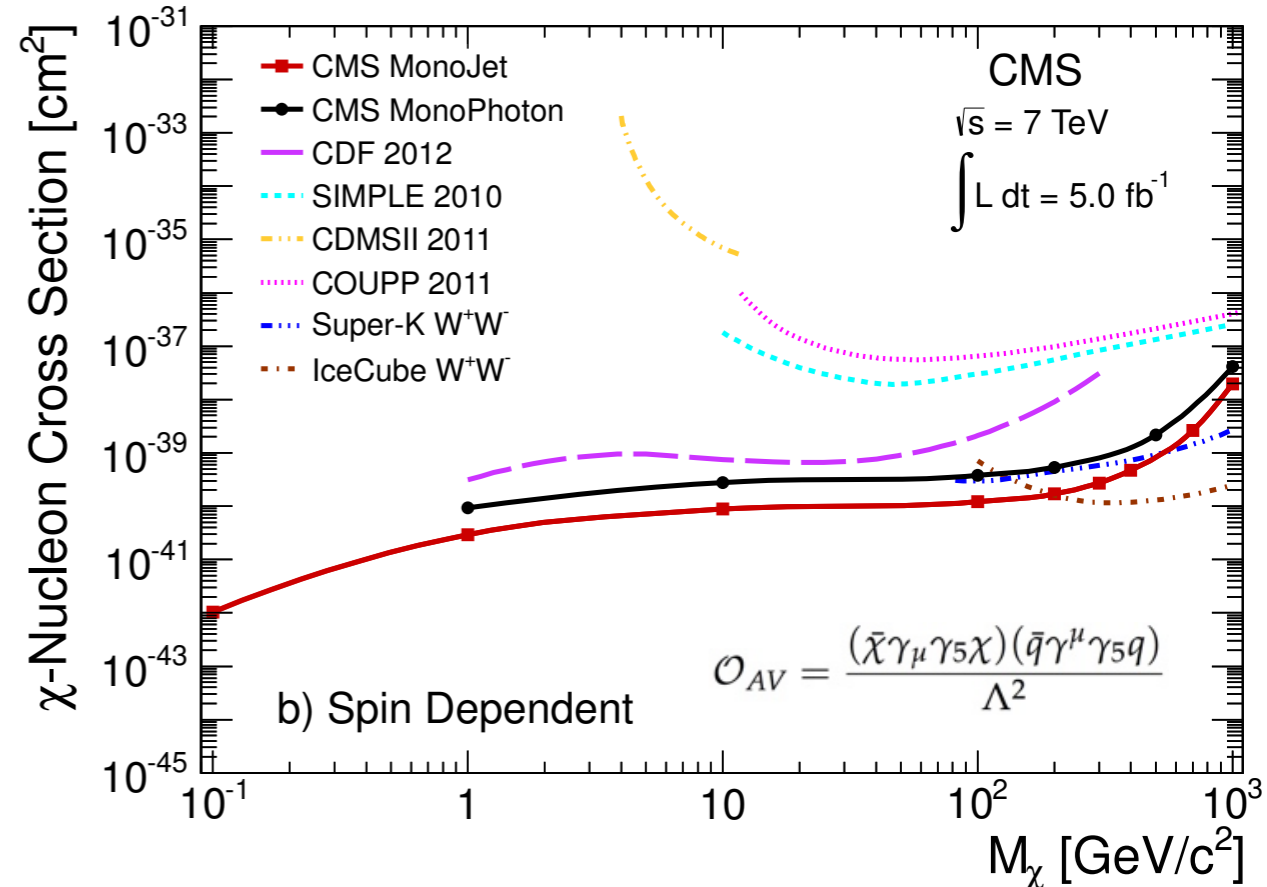
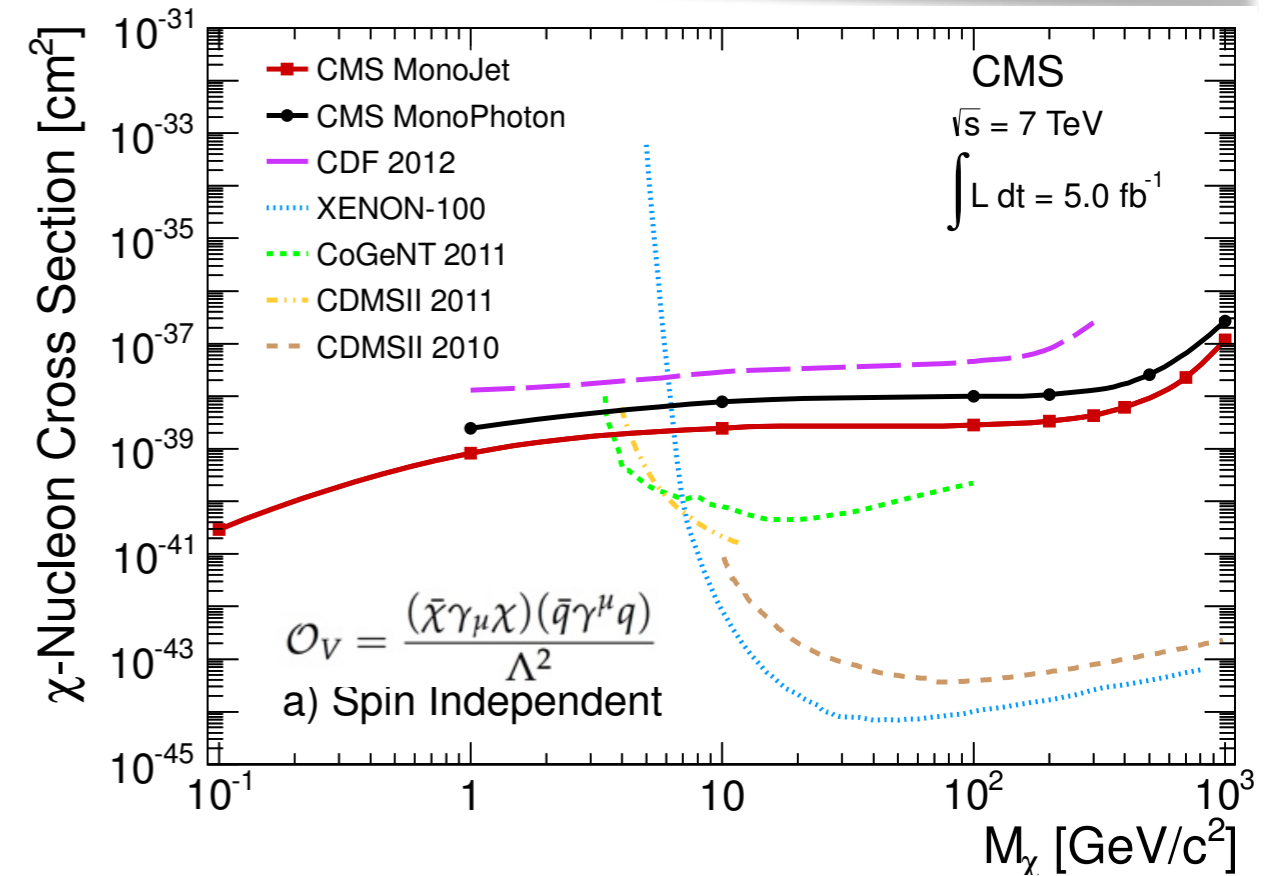
- Pair production modeled as contact interaction

- Spin-independent

$$\mathcal{O}_V = \frac{(\bar{\chi}\gamma_\mu\chi)(\bar{q}\gamma^\mu q)}{\Lambda^2}$$

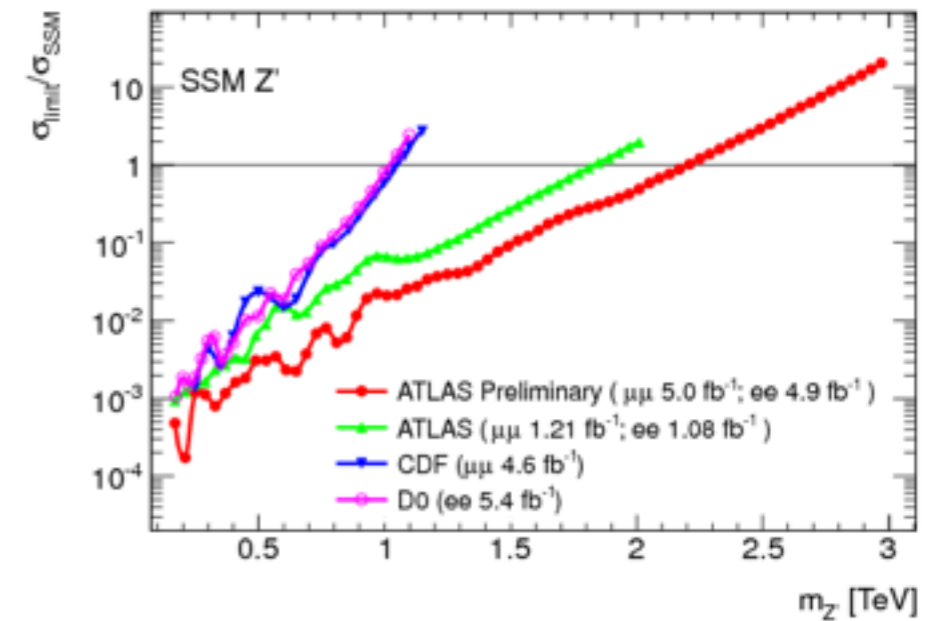
- Spin-dependent

$$\mathcal{O}_{AV} = \frac{(\bar{\chi}\gamma_\mu\gamma_5\chi)(\bar{q}\gamma^\mu\gamma_5q)}{\Lambda^2}$$

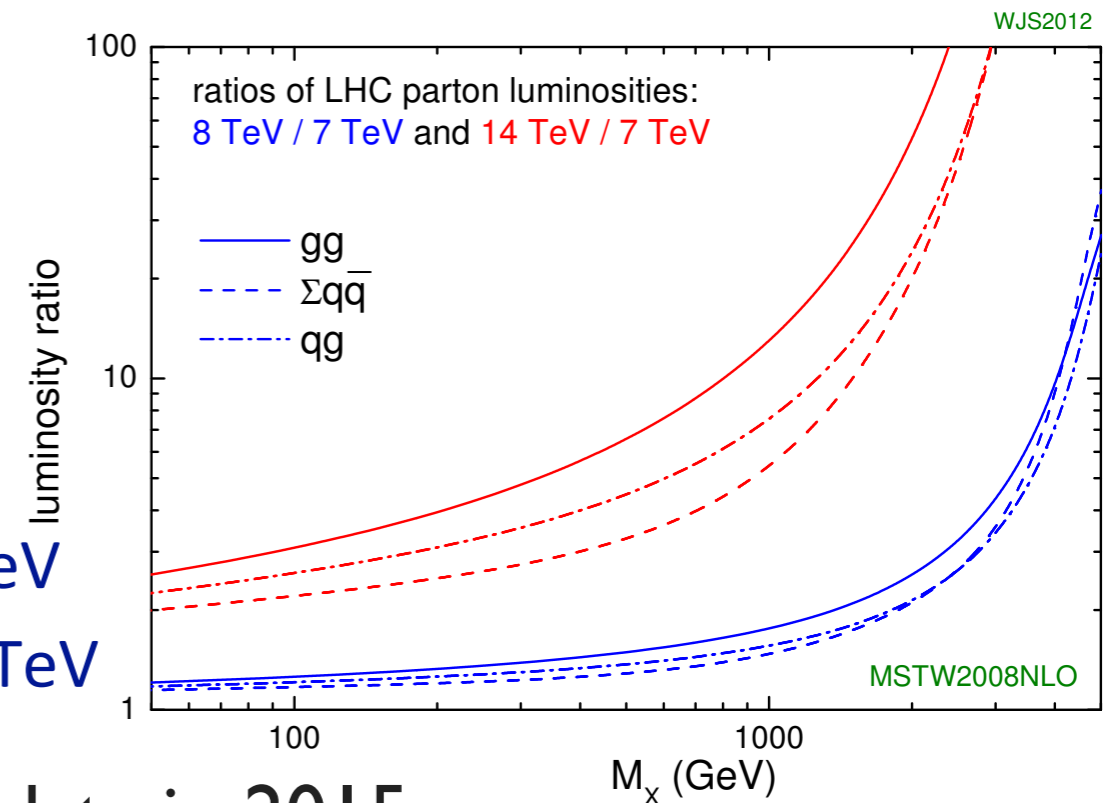


OUTLOOK AND PROSPECTS

- Heavy resonances excluded past 2 TeV
- 4th generation excluded up to ~ 0.5 TeV
- Increase of $\times 35$ in data from 2010 to Summer 2011 improved exclusion limits sometime less than 20%
 - Increase in luminosity not a game changer in search



- Higher center-of-mass energy opens new doors
- Higher beam energy increases cross section by $\times 2-3$
 - 1 TeV resonance: $\times 1.5$ @ 8 TeV and $\times 2$ @ 9 TeV
 - 2 TeV resonance: $\times 2.1$ @ 8 TeV and $\times 3.6$ @ 9 TeV



- Exotic scenarios can be probed with little data in 2015