



Top Physics

- a review of the results from the LHC
and Tevatron experiments

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The top quark is special:

- Most **massive** elementary particle known to date. Special role in many theories beyond the Standard Model.
- **Short-lived**, so decays before hadronizing. Possible to study the properties of a bare quark.

$\sim 2.3 \text{ MeV}$ $\sim 4.8 \text{ MeV}$ $\sim 95 \text{ MeV}$ $\sim 1.3 \text{ GeV}$

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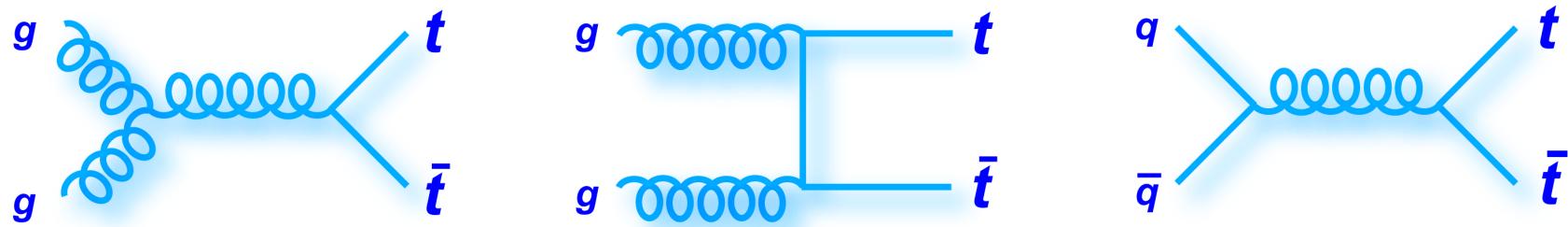
$\sim 4.2 \text{ GeV}$

$\sim 173 \text{ GeV}$

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- Precision tests of perturbative QCD.
- Possible window to new physics.
- Main background in many BSM searches.

- Top pair production (through strong interaction):

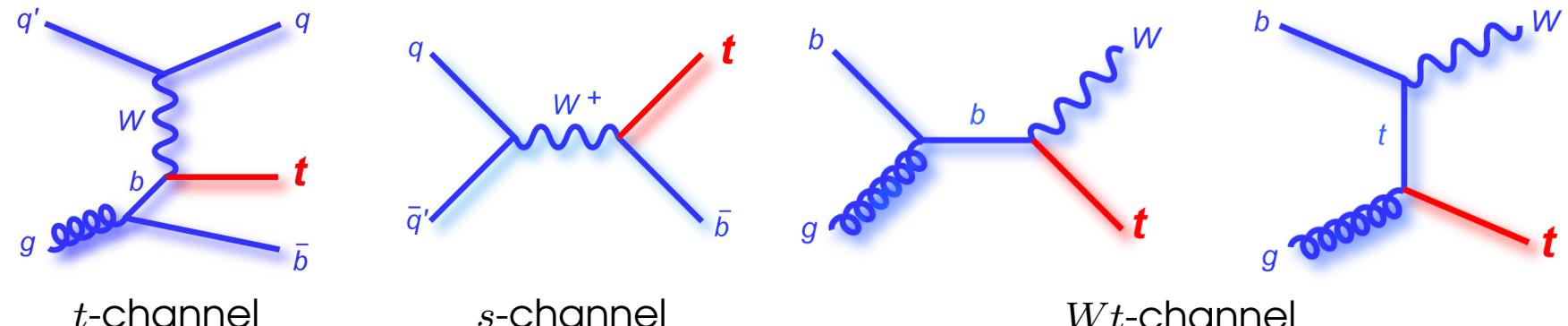


~ 85% at LHC

~ 85% at Tevatron

~ 7 pb @ Tevatron, ~ 170 pb @ LHC 7TeV.

- Single top production (through electroweak interaction):



t -channel

2 pb @ Tevatron

65 pb @ LHC 7TeV

s -channel

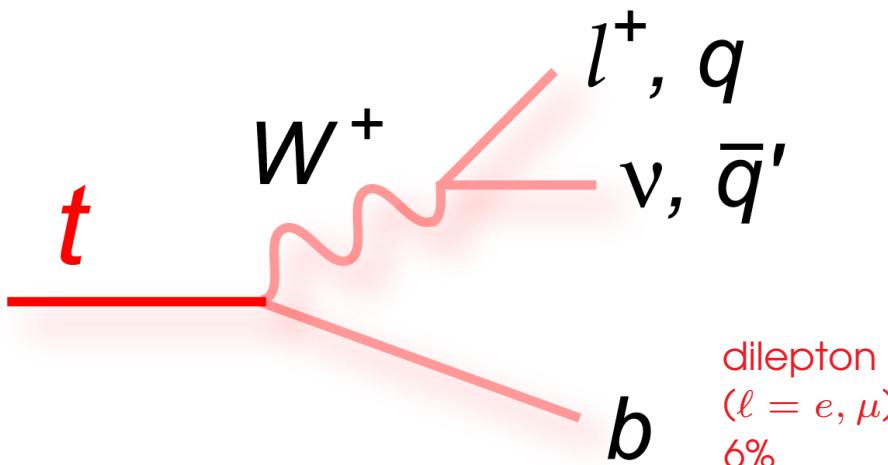
1 pb @ Tevatron

5 pb @ LHC 7TeV

Wt -channel

0.3 pb @ Tevatron

16 pb @ LHC 7TeV



- The top quark decays almost exclusively to a W boson and a b quark.
- The W boson in turn decays hadronically ($\text{BR} \approx 70\%$) or leptonically ($\text{BR} \approx 30\%$).

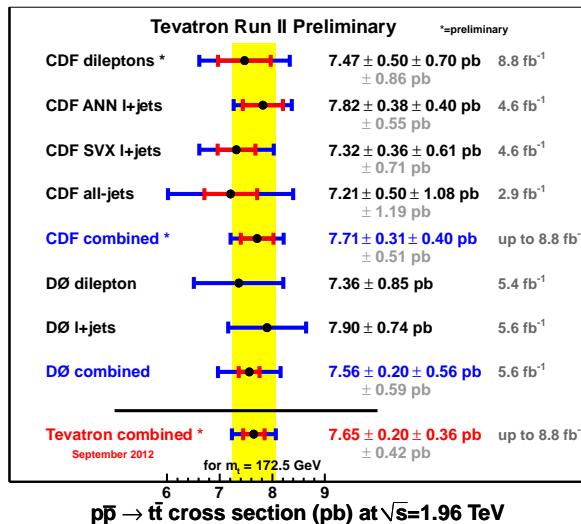
Top Pair Decay Channels

$\bar{c}s$	electron+jets	muon+jets	tau+jets	all-hadronic	alljets 46%
$\bar{u}d$					
$\bar{\tau}$	$e\tau$	$\mu\tau$	$\tau\tau$	tau+jets	
$\bar{\mu}$	$e\mu$	$\mu\tau$	$\mu\tau$	muon+jets	lepton+jets ($\ell = e, \mu$) 34%
\bar{e}	$e\tau$	$e\mu$	$e\tau$	electron+jets	
W decay	e^+	μ^+	τ^+	$u\bar{d}$	$c\bar{s}$

- Alljets:** Largest BR but also large backgrounds.
- Lepton+jets:** Large BR and manageable backgrounds.
- Dilepton:** Small BR and small backgrounds.

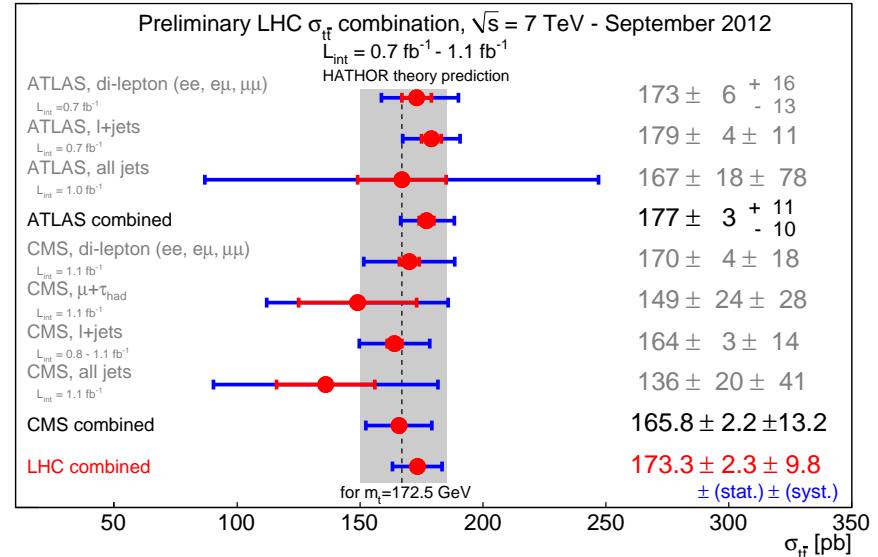
Top Pair Production Cross Section

1.96 TeV results:



Total uncertainty (Tevatron comb.): 5.4%

7 TeV results:



CMS $\ell\ell$: $161.9 \pm 2.5(\text{stat})^{+5.1}_{-5.0}(\text{syst}) \pm 3.6(\text{lumi})$ pb

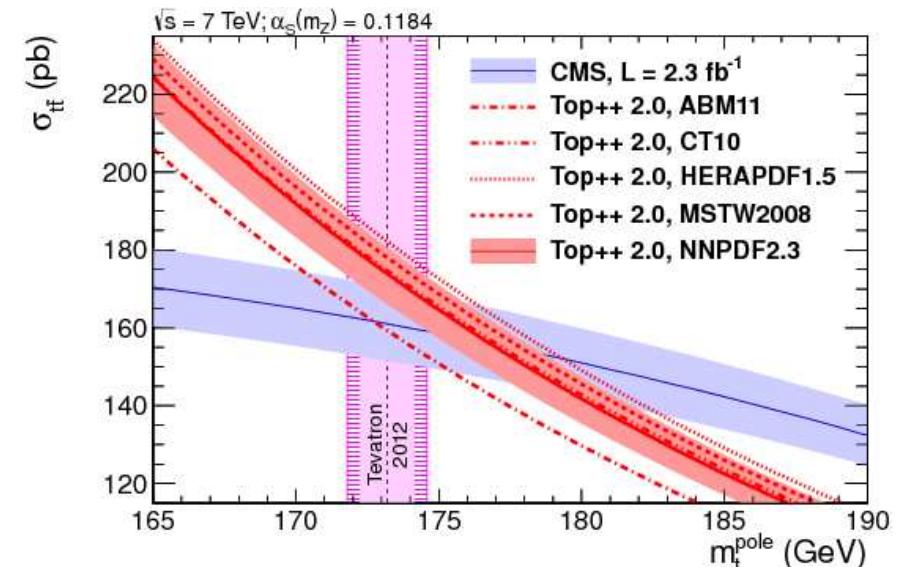
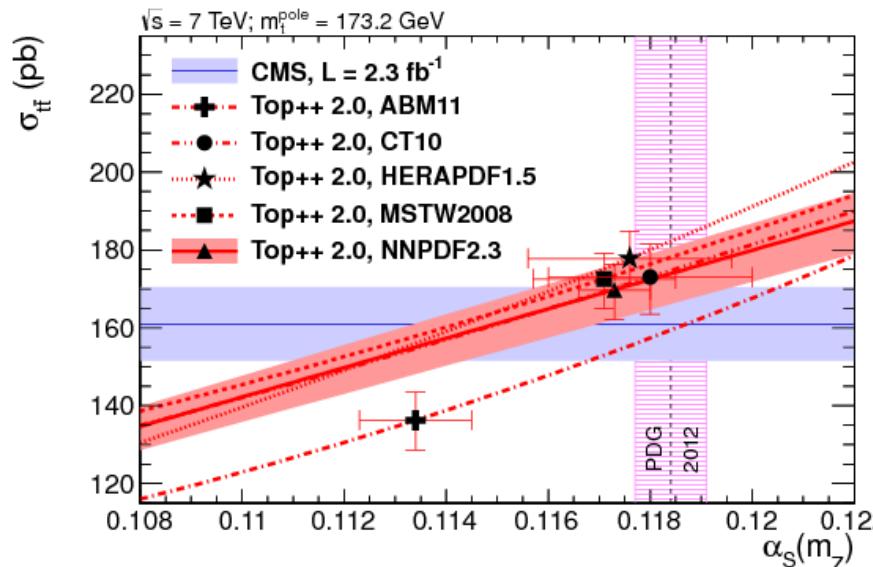
Total uncertainty (CMS $\ell\ell$): 4.2%

- Cross sections consistent both with theory and across channels(*) .
- Systematics limited.
- Generator modeling uncertainties dominating.
- Power to constrain theory.

(*) $\sigma_{t\bar{t}}$ now available at full NNLO (Czakon, Fiedler, Mitov arXiv:1303.6254)

Strong Coupling Constant and Top Quark Pole Mass

- Cross section dependence on α_s and m_t^{pole} is used to constrain the strong coupling constant and/or the top quark pole mass.
- Pole mass determination complementary to direct top mass measurements (different systematics and theoretically well defined).



CMS: $m_t^{\text{pole}} = 176.7^{+3.8}_{-3.4} \text{ GeV}$ (NNLO, arXiv:1303.6254)

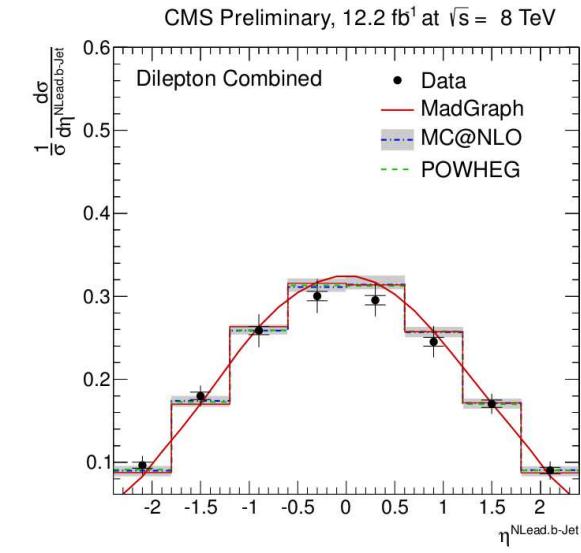
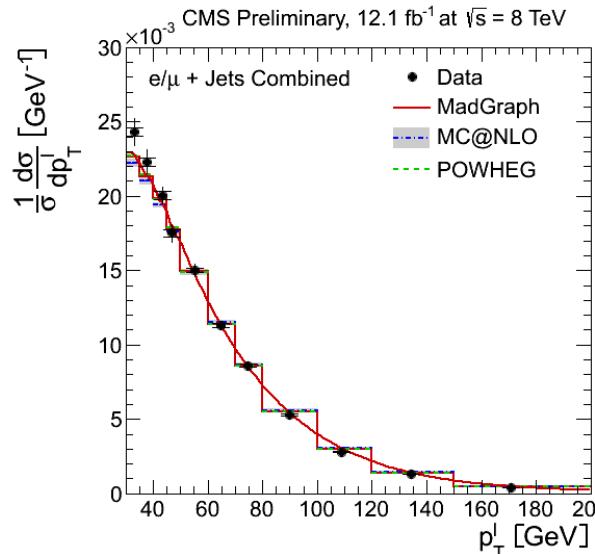
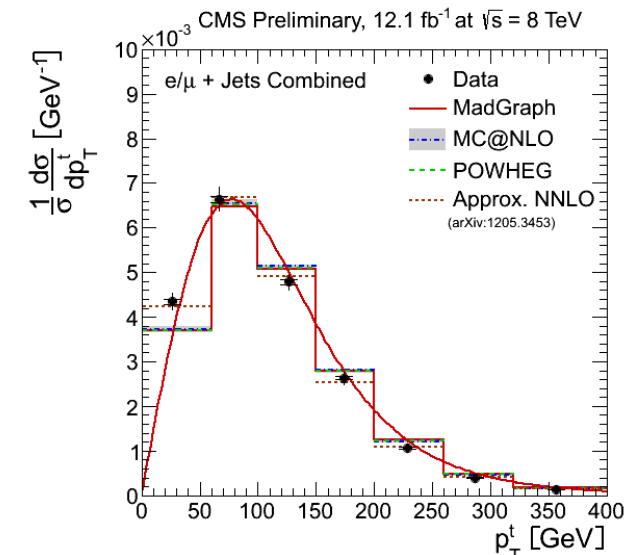
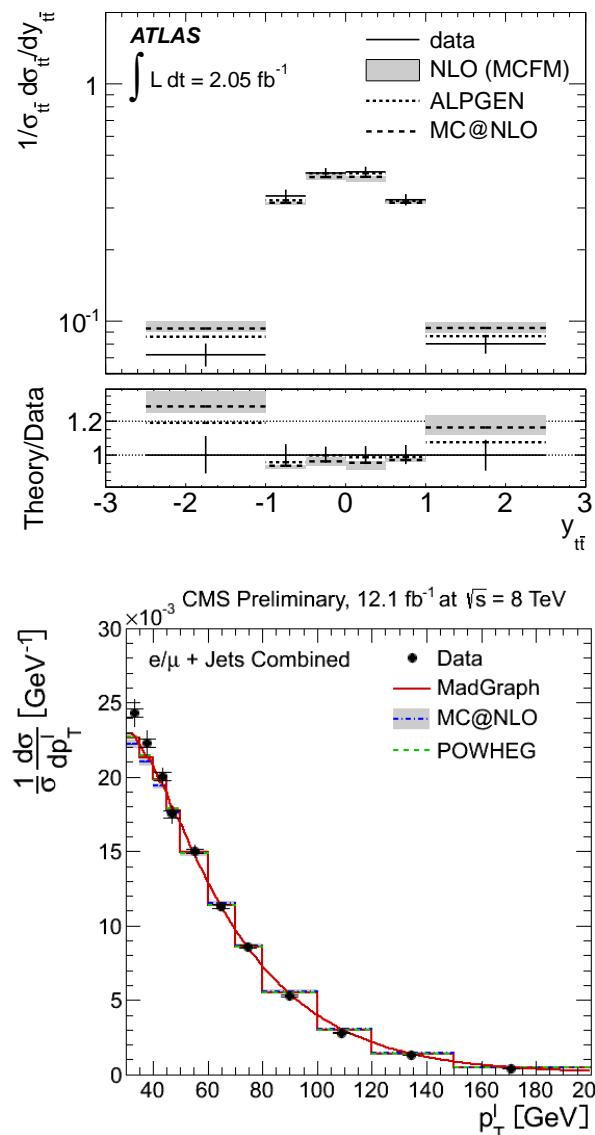


CMS: $\alpha_s(m_Z) = 0.1151^{+0.0033}_{-0.0032}$ (if m_t^{pole} fixed to measured top quark mass)
arXiv:1307.1907 (hep-ex)

D0: $m_t^{\text{pole}} = 167.5^{+5.4}_{-4.9} \text{ GeV}$ (approximate NNLO, Phys. Rev. D 80 (2009) 054009)

ATLAS: $m_t^{\text{pole}} = 166.4^{+7.8}_{-7.3} \text{ GeV}$ (approximate NNLO, Phys. Rev. D 80 (2009) 054009)
Phys. Lett. B 703, 422 (2011), ATLAS-CONF-2011-054

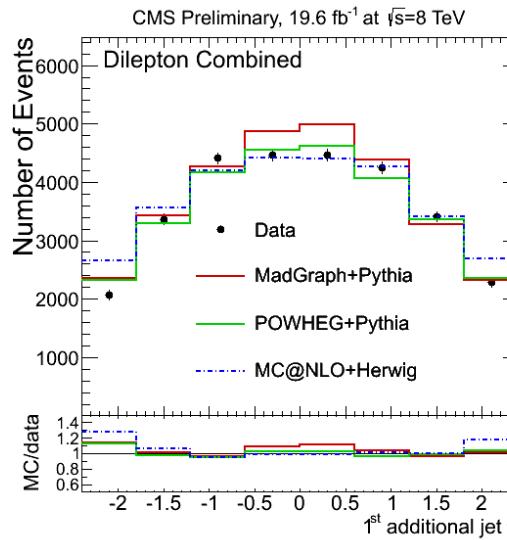
- Enough data to make a large set of differential cross-section measurements.
- Vs. kinematics of
 - $t\bar{t}$ system
 - top quark
 - decay products
- Good agreement with generators tested.
- Most bins are systematics limited.



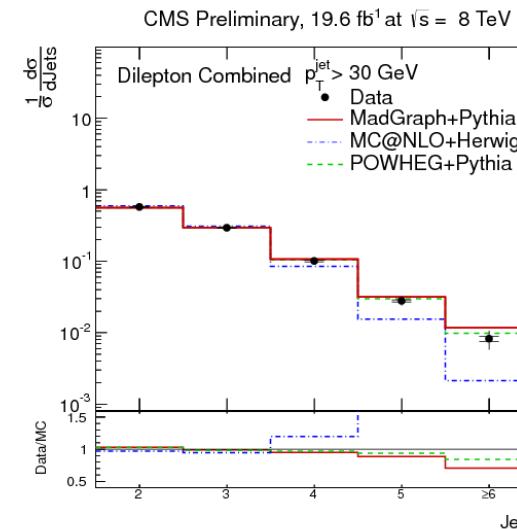
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Top Pair Production in Association with Jets

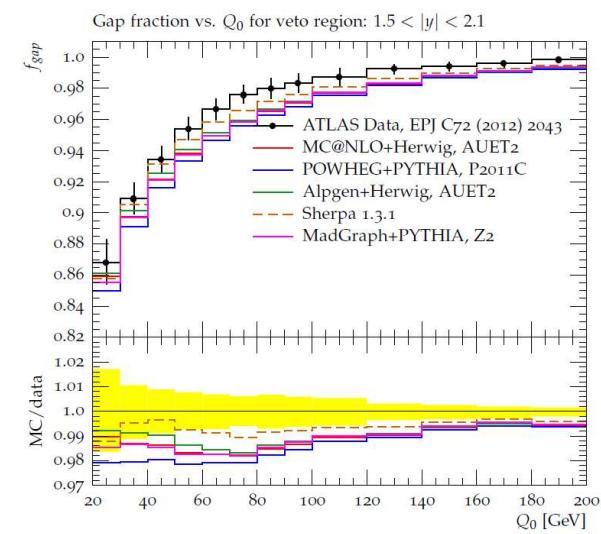
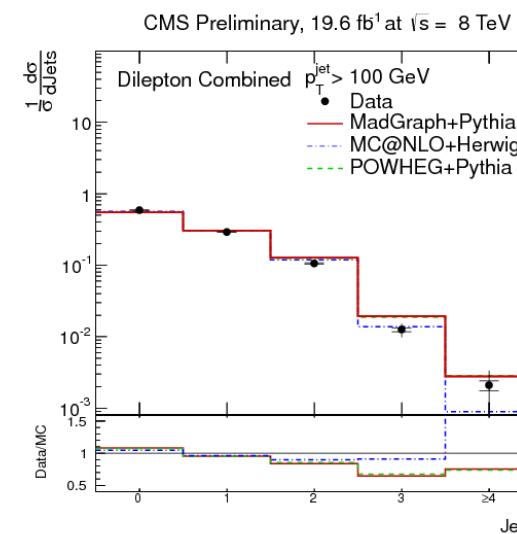
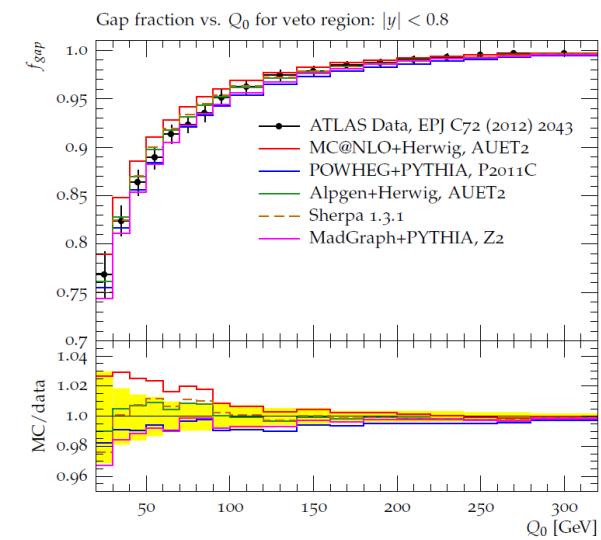
- Study additional jets to test QCD and MC generators.
 - Extensive list of quantities probed.
- ISR/FSR variations reduced.



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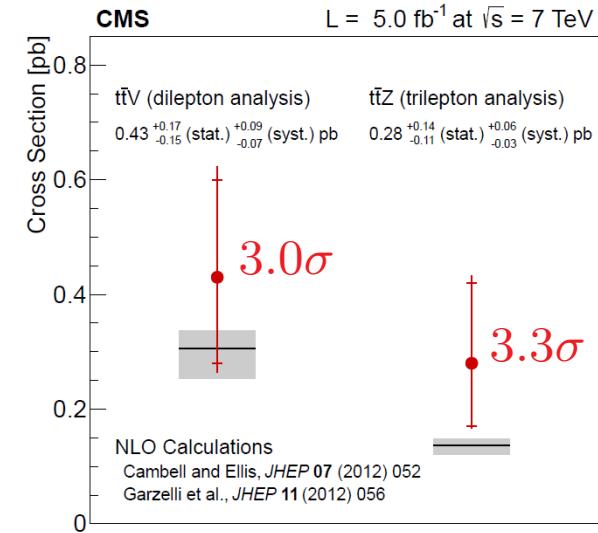
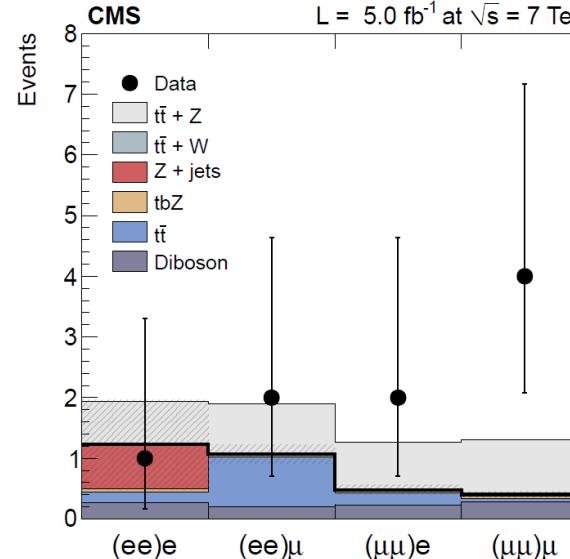
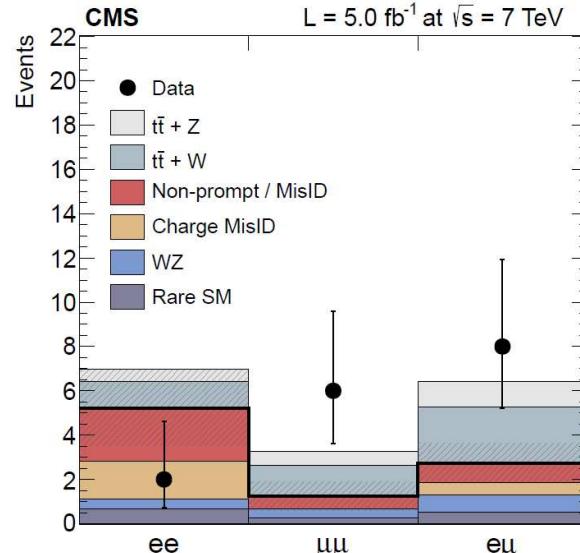
Top Pair Production in Association with Z, W and γ

Dilepton analysis $t\bar{t}V$ ($V = W, Z$)

Trilepton analysis $t\bar{t}Z$

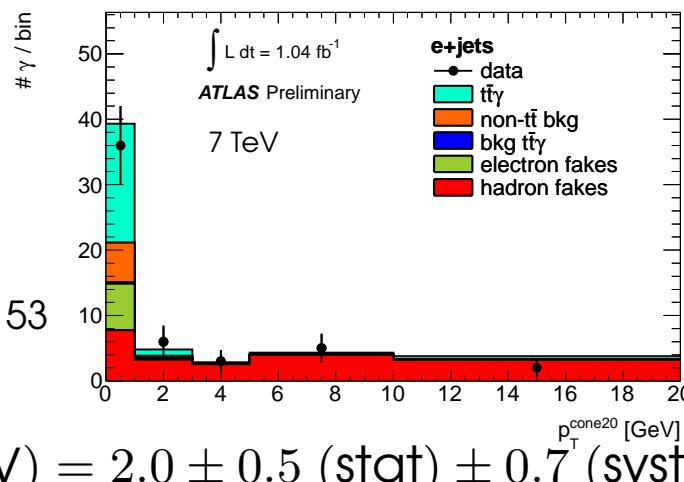
Phys. Rev. Lett. 110 (2013) 172002

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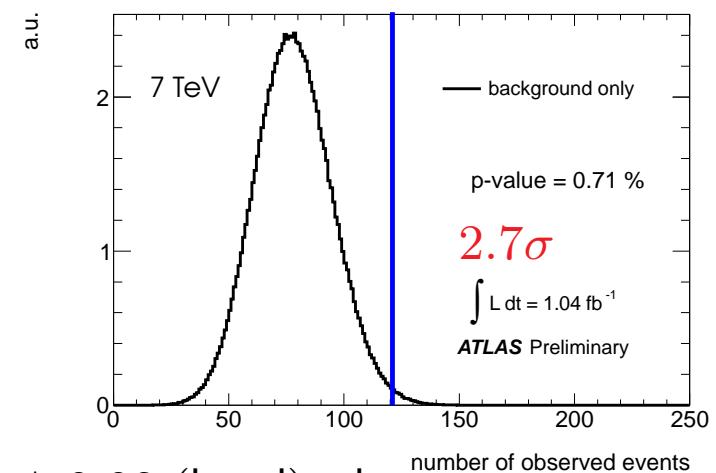
$t\bar{t}\gamma$

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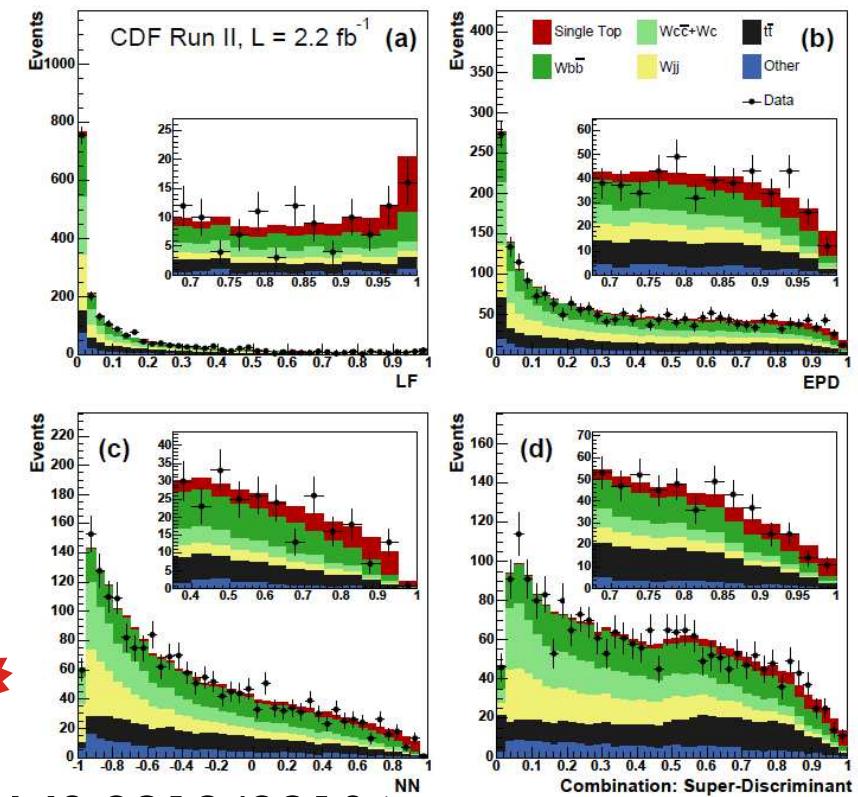
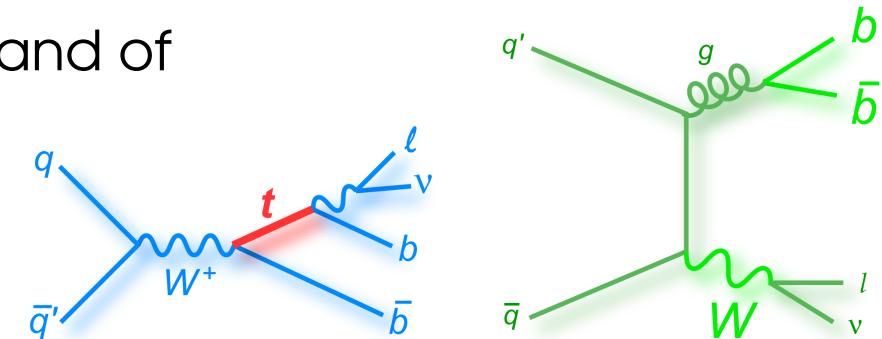
$$\sigma_{t\bar{t}\gamma}(p_T^\gamma > 8 \text{ GeV}) = 2.0 \pm 0.5 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.7 \text{ (syst)} \pm 0.08 \text{ (lumi)} \text{ pb}$$

SM prediction = $2.1 \pm 0.4 \text{ pb}$ (LO + LO \rightarrow NLO k -factor)



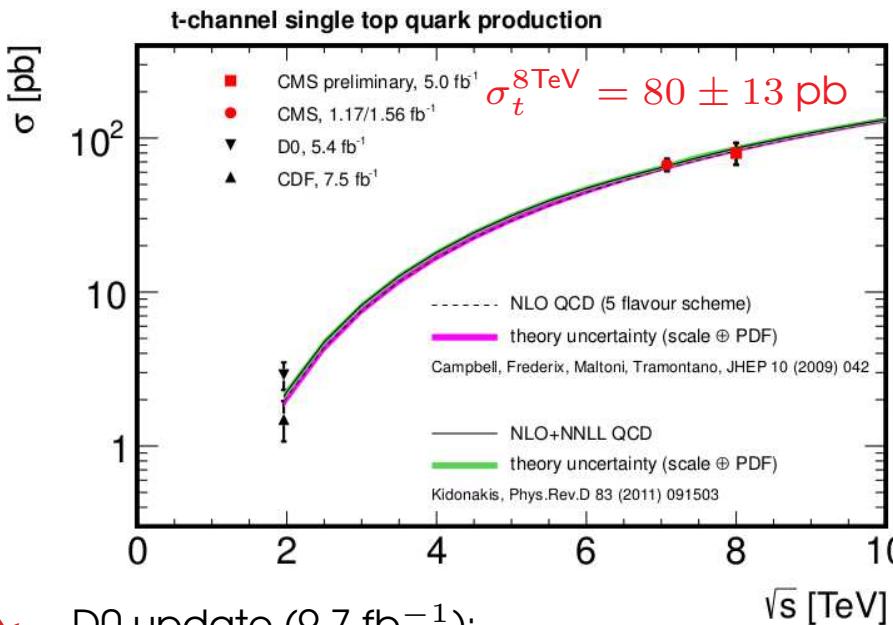
Single Top Production

- Direct probe of Wtb coupling and of V_{tb} in CKM matrix.
- Challenging, mainly due to the background from $W + \text{jets}$.
- Need MVA techniques.
- $s + t$ -channel production observed at CDF and D0 in 2009.
- t -channel observed both at Tevatron and LHC.
- Evidence for s -channel production at D0. NEW
- Observation of Wt -channel production at CMS. NEW

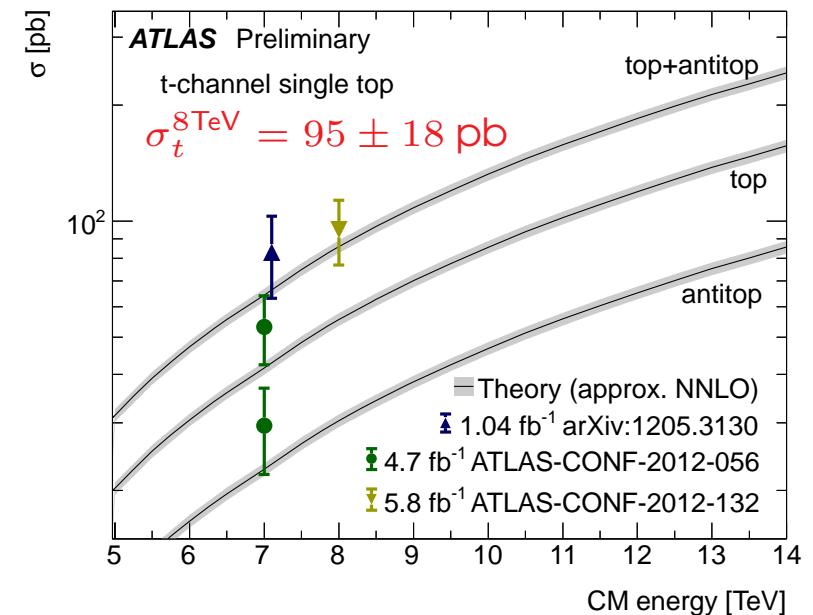


(Evidence by both ATLAS and CMS 2012/2013.)

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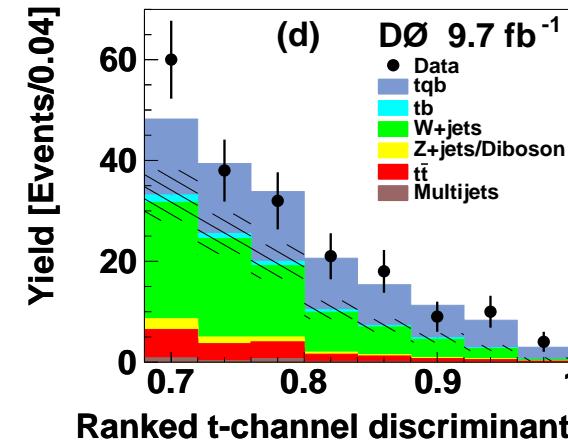


ATLAS-CONF-2012-056, ATLAS-CONF-2012-132

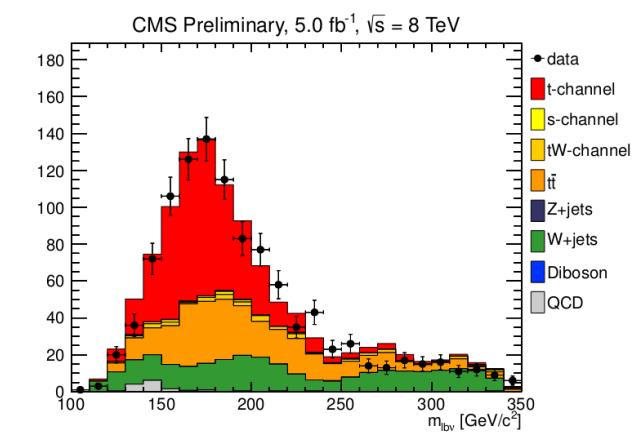
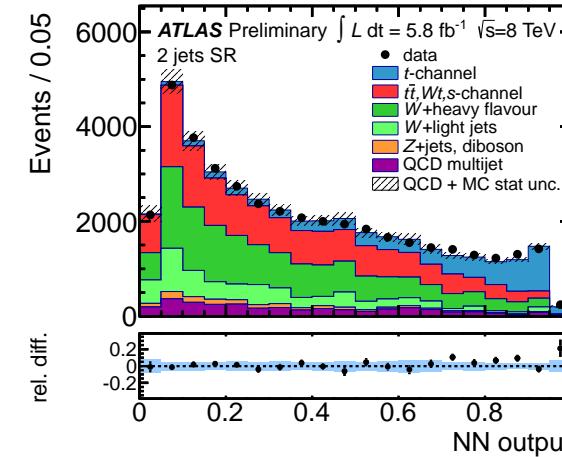


D0 update (9.7 fb^{-1}):

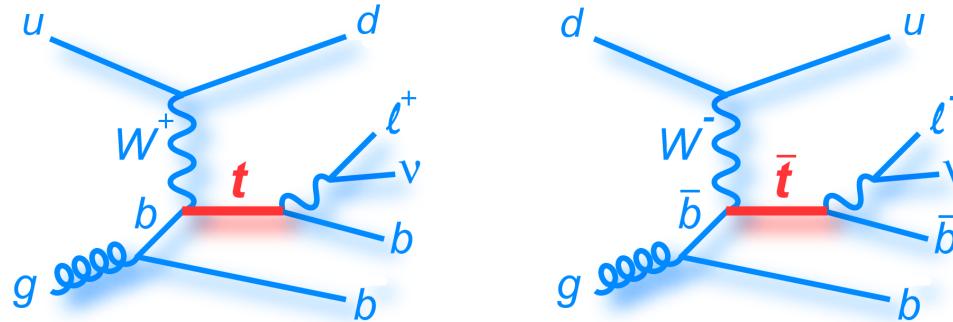
$$\sigma_t = 3.07^{+0.54}_{-0.49} \text{ pb}$$



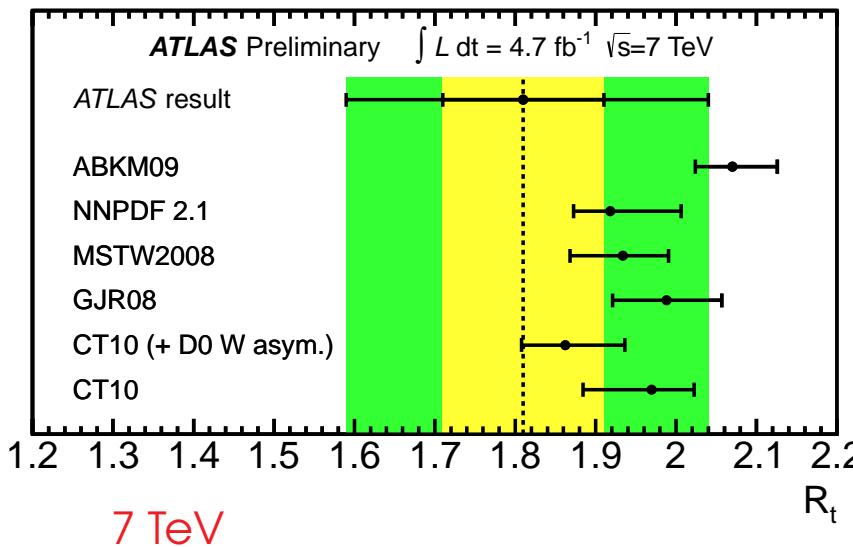
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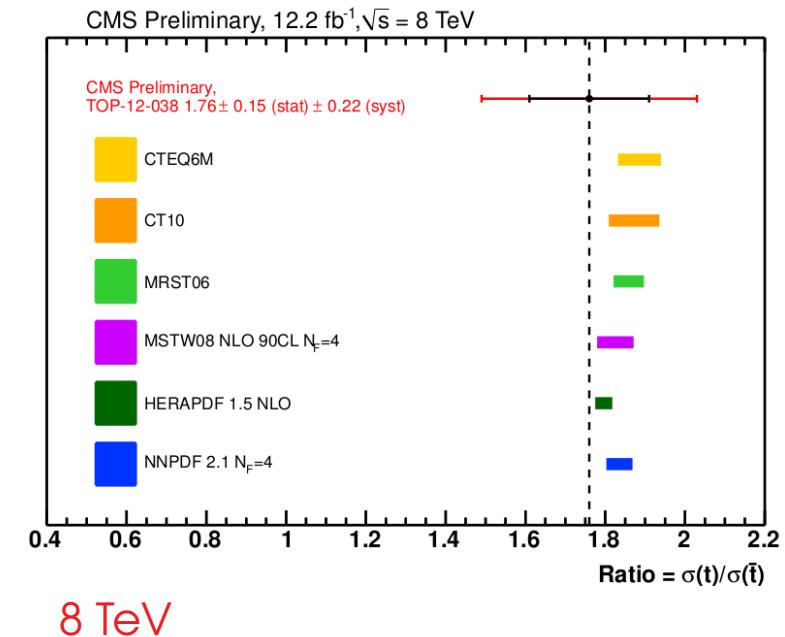
- Ratio $R_t = \sigma_t / \sigma_{\bar{t}}$ is sensitive to u/d content of proton.



ATLAS-CONF-2012-056
CMS-PAS-TOP-12-038



$$R_t = 1.81 \pm 0.1(\text{stat}) \pm 0.21(\text{syst})$$



$$R_t = 1.76 \pm 0.14(\text{stat}) \pm 0.21(\text{syst})$$

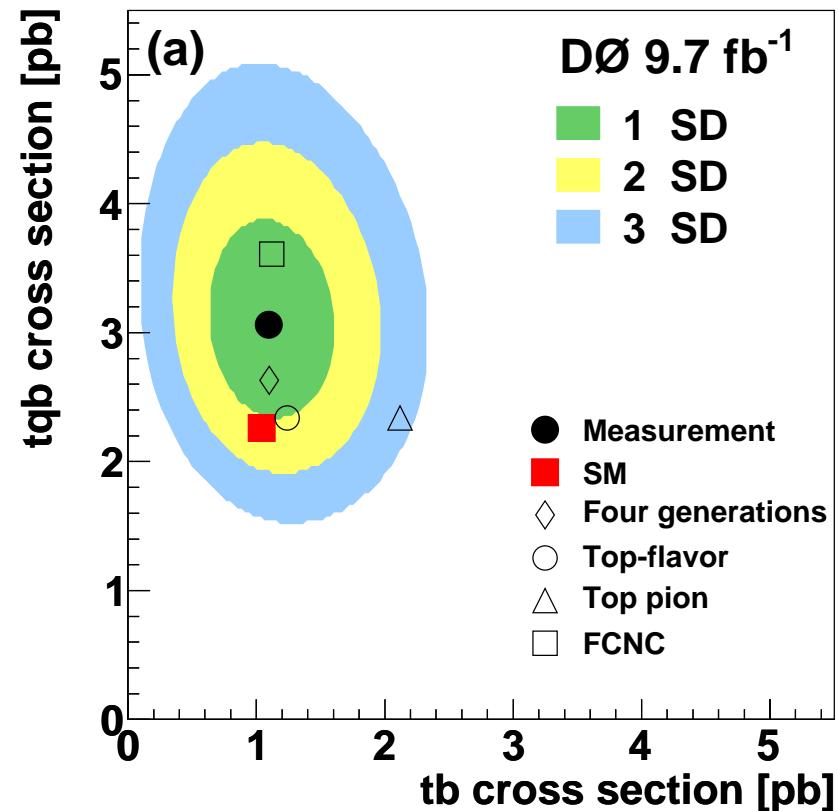
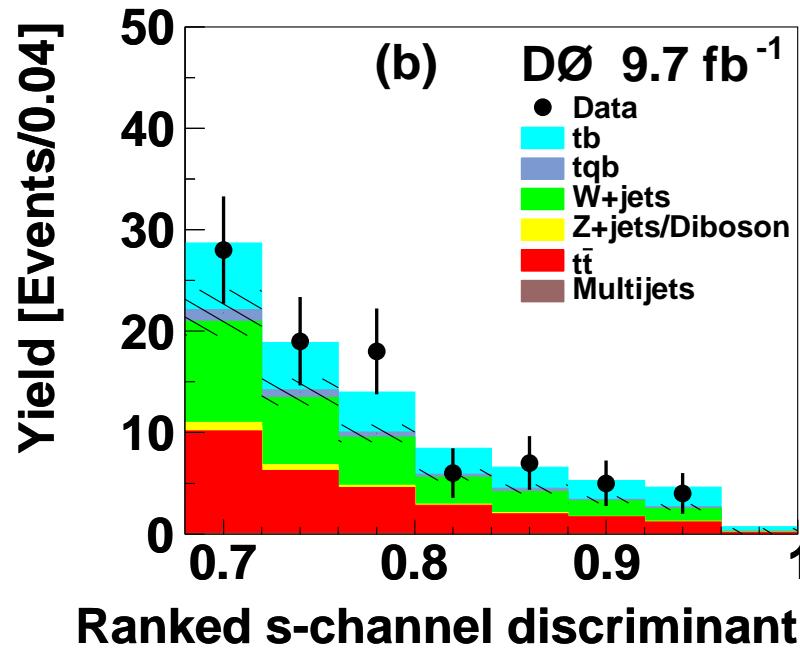
- Both measurements agree with SM prediction.

- First evidence of s -channel production by D0.



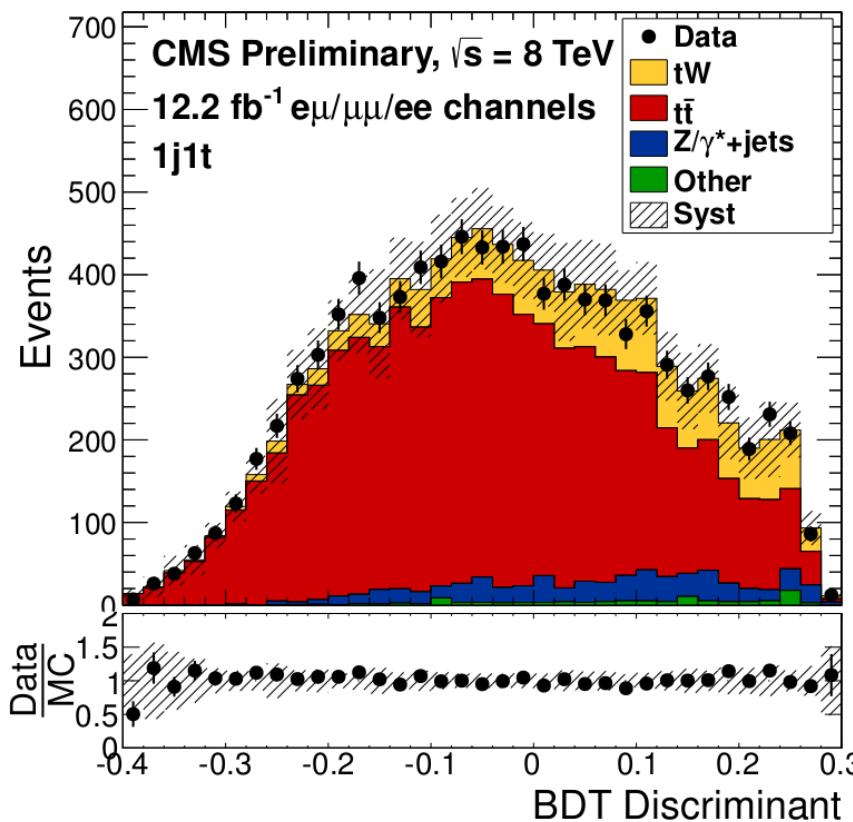
$$\sigma(p\bar{p} \rightarrow tb + X) = 1.10^{+0.33}_{-0.31} \text{ pb}$$

→ 3.7σ significance.

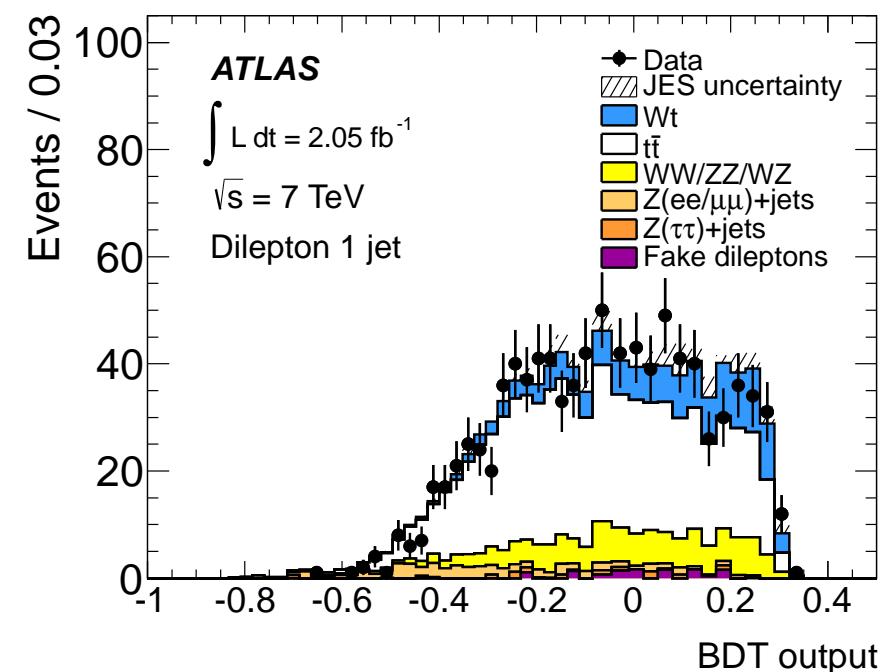


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- First observation of Wt production by CMS.



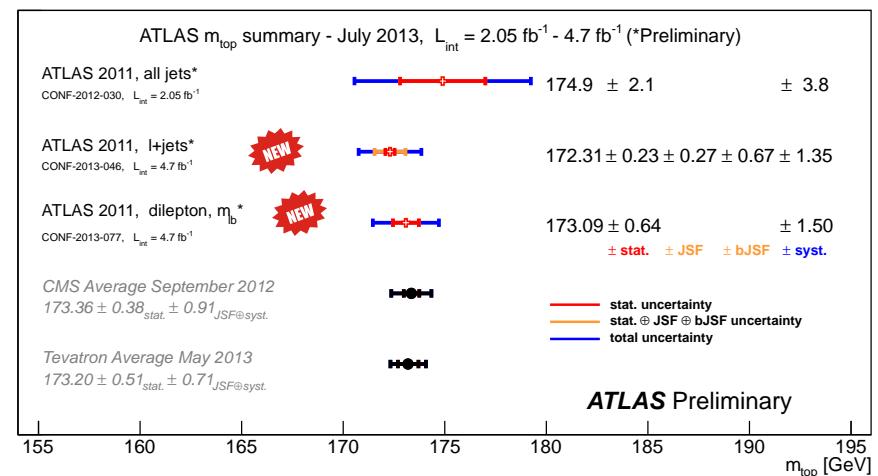
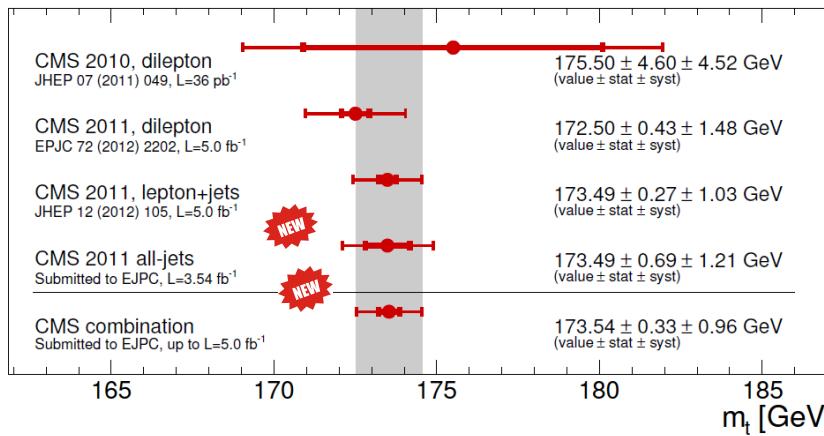
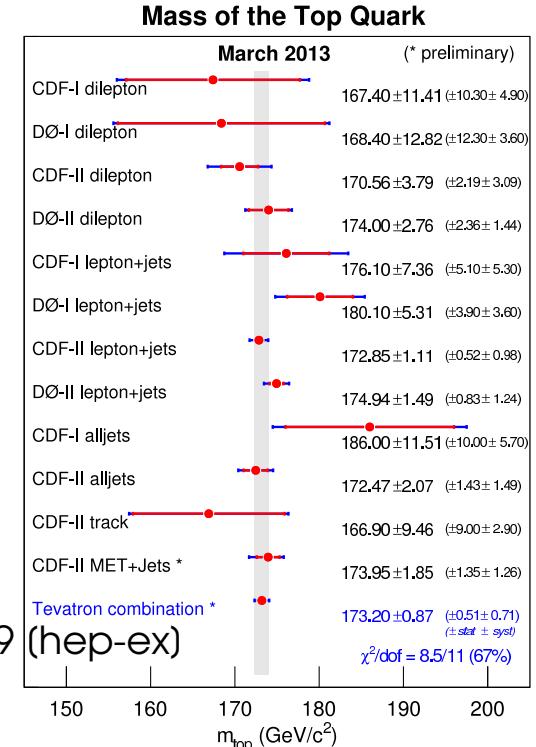
- Evidence by ATLAS.

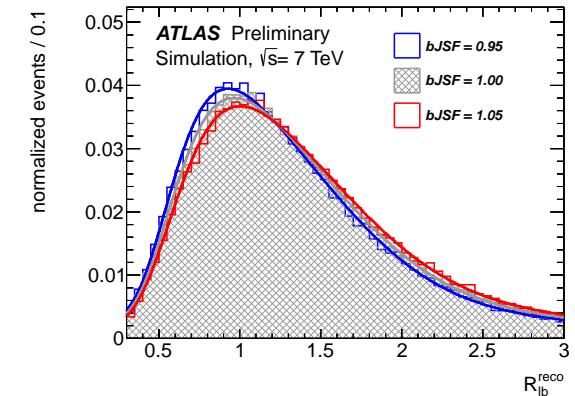
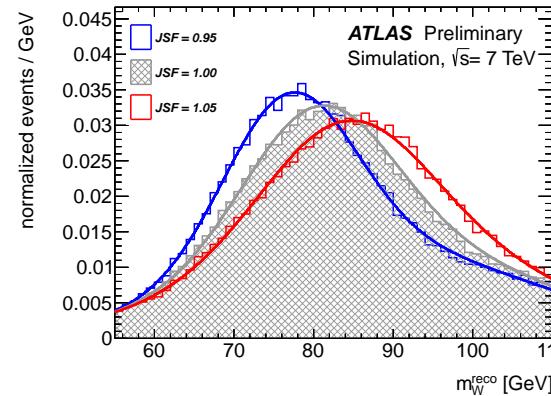
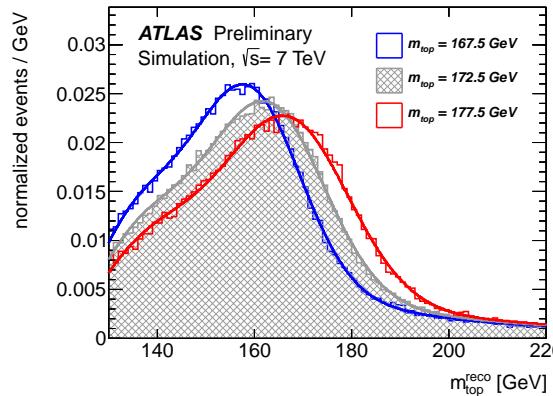


- Tevatron still provides the best mass measurement, with an uncertainty of 0.5%.
 - Best single LHC measurement (from CMS) reaches 0.6%.
 - Updated LHC mass combination in progress.
- Harmonise systematic treatment e.g. generator modeling.

arXiv:1305.3929

(hep-ex)





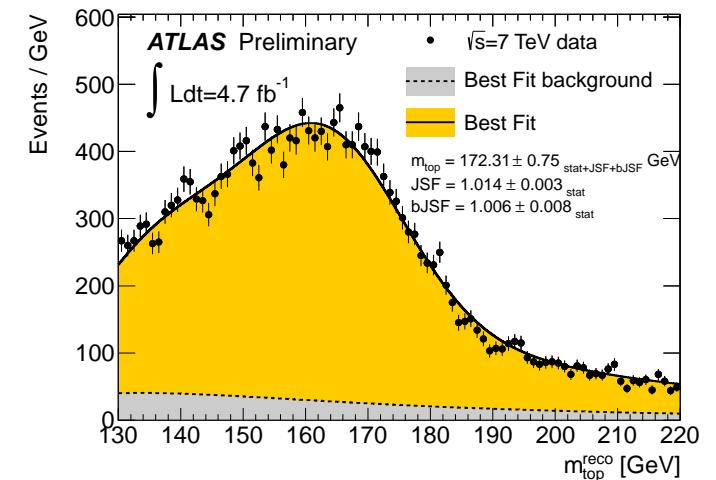
- 3D fit to $m_{\text{top}}^{\text{reco}}$, m_W^{reco} and $R_{\text{lb}}^{\text{reco}}$.

$$R_{\text{lb}}^{\text{reco},1b} = \frac{p_T^{b\text{tag}}}{(p_T^{W_{\text{jet}1}} + p_T^{W_{\text{jet}2}})/2}$$

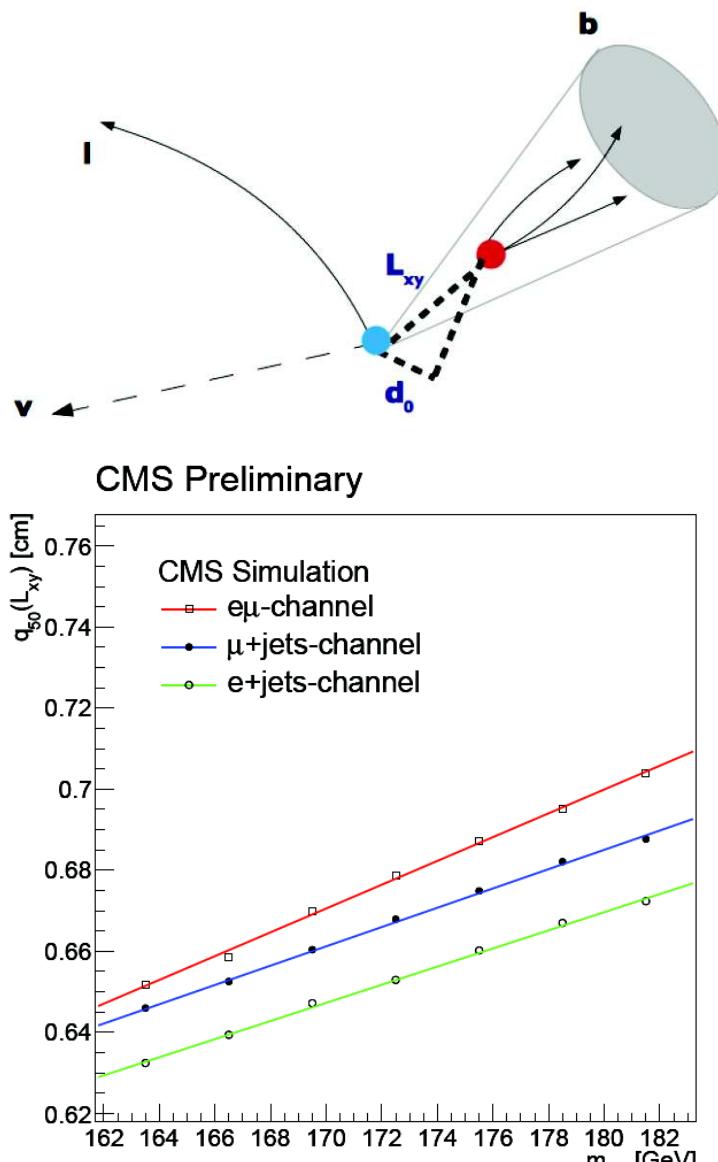
$$R_{\text{lb}}^{\text{reco},2b} = \frac{p_T^{b\text{had}} + p_T^{b\text{lep}}}{p_T^{W_{\text{jet}1}} + p_T^{W_{\text{jet}2}}}$$

- In-situ calibration of JES and bJES.
- Systematic uncertainties reduced by 40% w.r.t. previous measurement.

$m_{\text{top}} = 172.31 \pm 0.23(\text{stat}) \pm 0.27(\text{JSF}) \pm 0.67(\text{bJSF}) \pm 1.35(\text{syst}) \text{ GeV}$



New Lifetime-Based Measurement by CMS

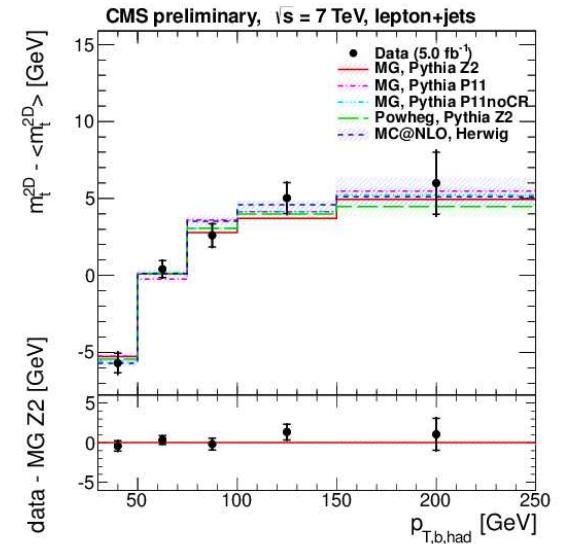
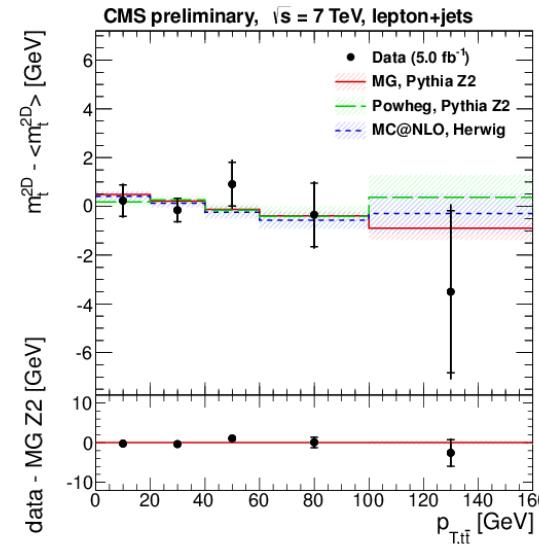
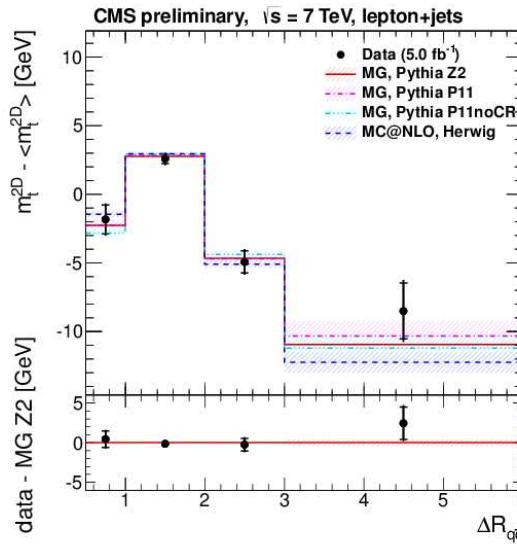


- Lifetime-based technique, using $L_{xy} = \gamma_b \beta_B \tau_B \approx 0.4 \cdot \frac{m_t}{m_B} \beta_B \tau_B$.
- First used at CDF.
Phys. Rev. D75, 071102 (2007)
- Linear mass dependence,
 $\Delta L_{xy}/\text{GeV} = 25 - 30 \mu\text{m}$
- Complementary systematics to traditional measurements,
e.g. minimal dependence on jet energy scale.
- In each event, select secondary vertex with largest L_{xy} .
- Median, \widehat{L}_{xy} , is used to extract m_{top} .

$$m_{\text{top}} = 173.5 \pm 1.5(\text{stat}) \pm 1.3(\text{syst}) \pm 2.6(p_T(t)) \text{ GeV}$$



- Differential mass measurements, to probe e.g. color reconnections and initial/final state radiation.



CMS-PAS-TOP-12-029

Top-antitop mass difference, to test CPT theorem:

$$\Delta m_t = -272 \pm 196(\text{stat}) \pm 122(\text{syst}) \text{ MeV}$$

CMS-PAS-TOP-12-031

Top Forward-Backward and Charge Asymmetries

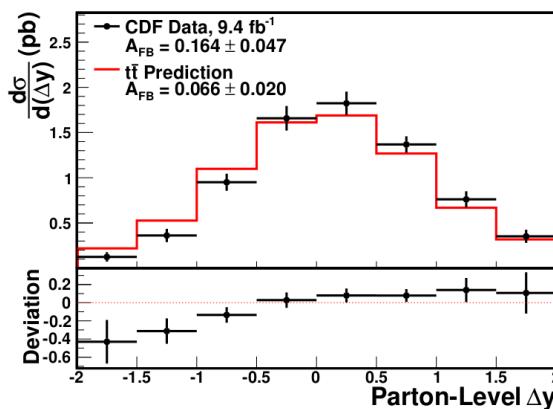
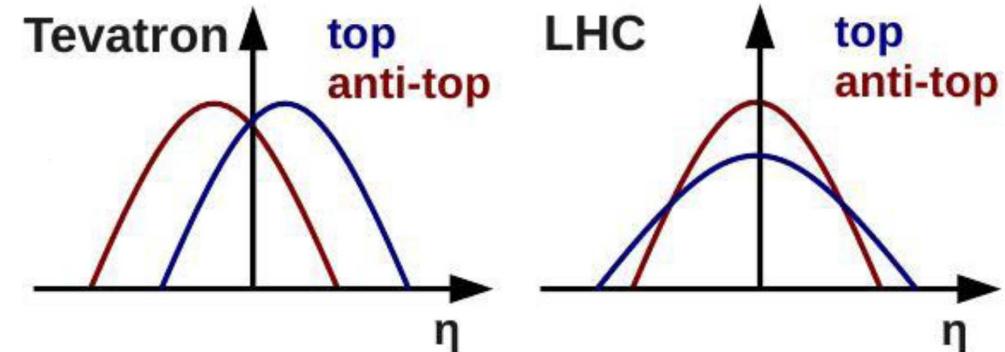
- New physics in top sector can alter angular distributions.
- Study forward-backward and charge asymmetries.

$$A_{FB}^{t\bar{t}} = \frac{N(\Delta y > 0) - N(\Delta y < 0)}{N(\Delta y > 0) + N(\Delta y < 0)}$$

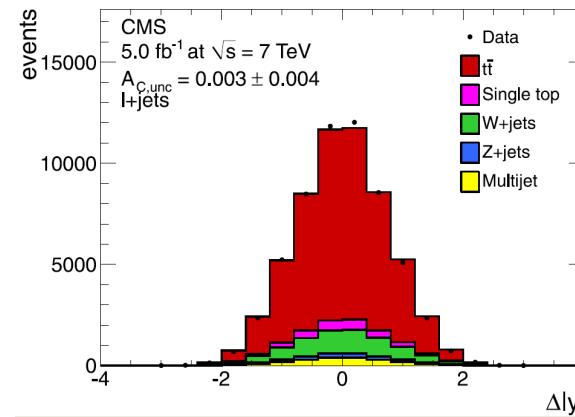
with $\Delta y = y_t - y_{\bar{t}}$

$$A_C^{t\bar{t}} = \frac{N(\Delta|y| > 0) - N(\Delta|y| < 0)}{N(\Delta|y| > 0) + N(\Delta|y| < 0)}$$

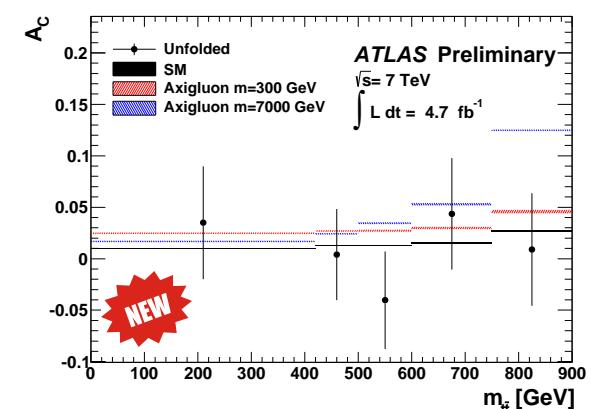
with $\Delta|y| = |y_t| - |y_{\bar{t}}|$



Phys. Rev. D 87 092002 (2013)



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- Tevatron $A_{FB}^{t\bar{t}}$ measurements in tension with SM at $\sim 2.5\sigma$.
- LHC $A_C^{t\bar{t}}$ measurements consistent with SM.

Lepton Forward-Backward Asymmetry

- $A_{FB}^{t\bar{t}}$ measurement requires full reconstruction of $t\bar{t}$ system.
- Alternative method based on y of lepton from leptonic W decay.

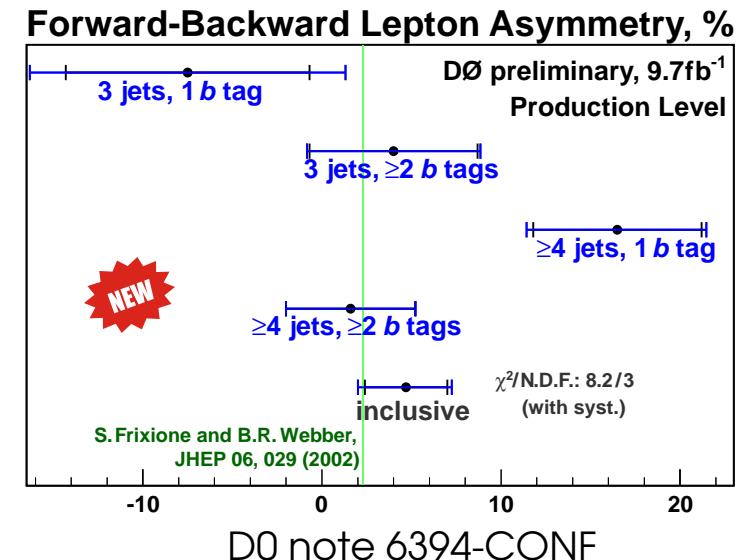
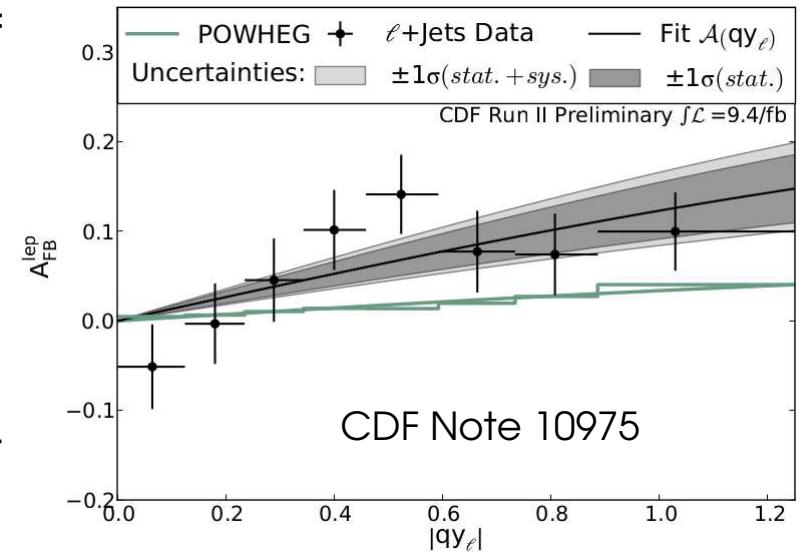
$$A_{FB}^{\ell} = \frac{N(q_{\ell}y_{\ell} > 0) - N(q_{\ell}y_{\ell} < 0)}{N(q_{\ell}y_{\ell} > 0) + N(q_{\ell}y_{\ell} < 0)}$$

- $A_{FB}^{\ell} \approx 0.5 \cdot A_{FB}^{t\bar{t}}$ if no t polarization.
- Can also use events with jets out of acceptance (3-jet bin).

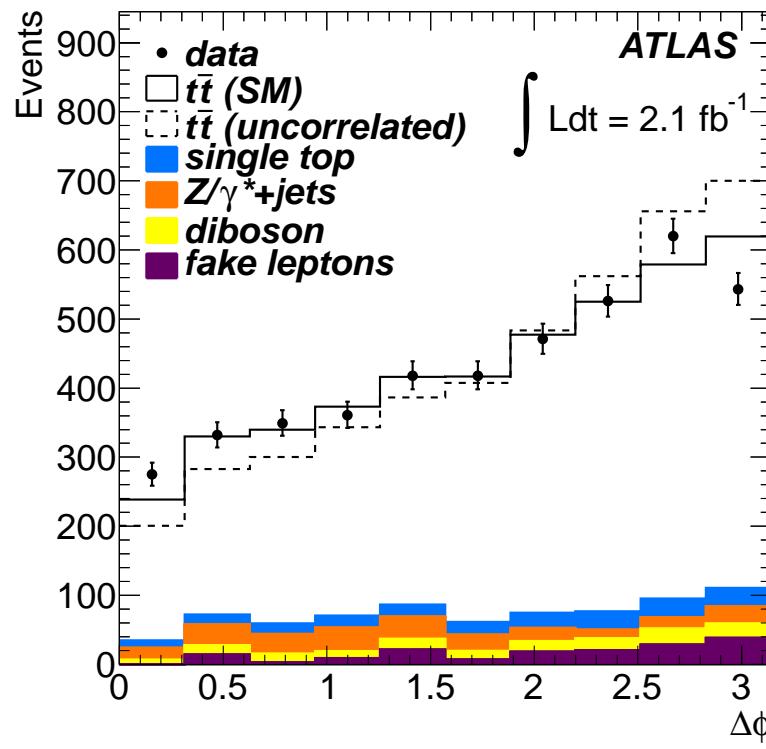
CDF: $A_{FB}^{\ell} = 0.094^{+0.032}_{-0.029}$

D0: $A_{FB}^{\ell} = 0.047 \pm 0.023(\text{stat})^{+0.011}_{-0.014}(\text{syst})$

- CDF result approximately 2σ above SM prediction.
- D0 measurement consistent with SM (and CDF) within errors.



- Spins of top and anti-top are correlated in SM.
- Short top quark lifetime ($\sim 5 \times 10^{-25}$ s) means spin information is carried on to decay products.



- Measure fraction of SM-like events, f^{SM} , using template fit to $\Delta\phi(\ell\ell)$ distribution.

- $f^{SM} = 0 \rightarrow$ no correlations.
- $f^{SM} = 1 \rightarrow$ correlations (SM).

ATLAS: $f^{SM} = 1.30 \pm 0.14^{+0.27}_{-0.22} \rightarrow 5.1\sigma$
 Phys. Rev. Lett. 108, 212001 (2012)

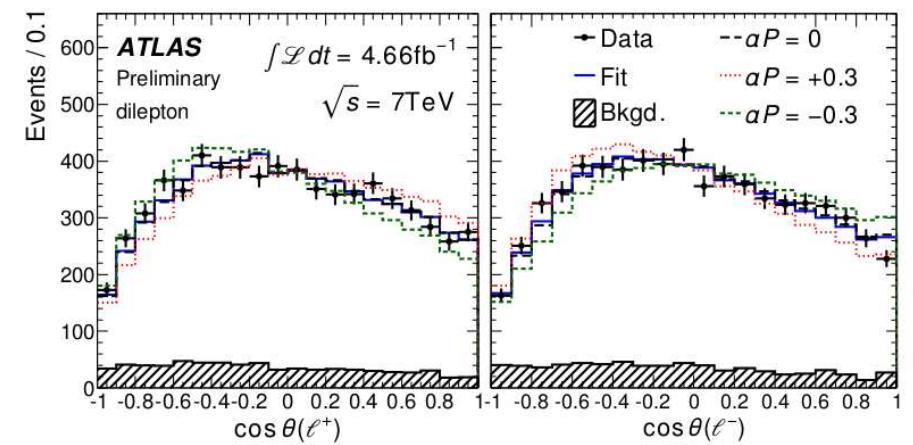
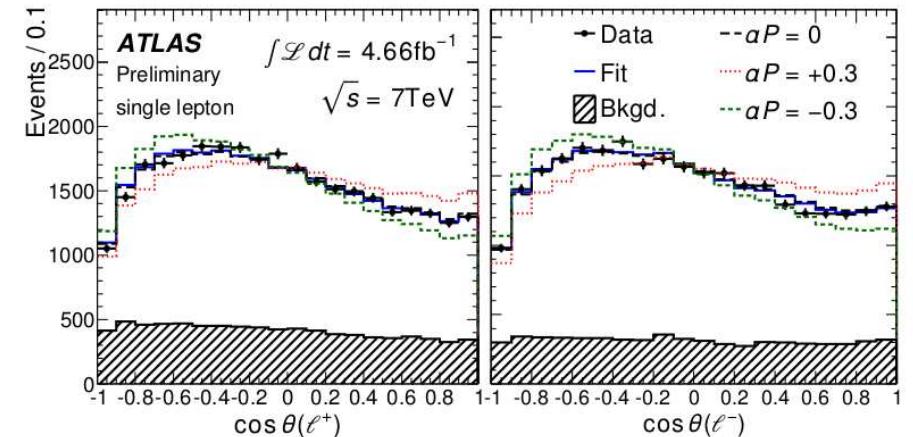
CMS: $f^{SM} = 0.74 \pm 0.08(\text{stat}) \pm 0.24(\text{syst})$
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D0: $f^{SM} = 0.85 \pm 0.29 \rightarrow 3.1\sigma$
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- Top quarks in $t\bar{t}$ events have negligible polarization in SM.
- Can occur in BSM scenarios (e.g. models with large FB asymmetry).
- Polar angle of decay product i distributed as:

$$W(\cos \theta_i) = \frac{1}{2}(1 + \alpha_i P \cos \theta_i)$$

 P = degree of polarization,
 α_i = spin-analyzing power.
- At tree level, charged leptons and down-type quarks from W-boson decays have $\alpha_i = 1$.
- Fit $\cos \theta_\ell$ distributions for e and μ to extract $\alpha_\ell P$.



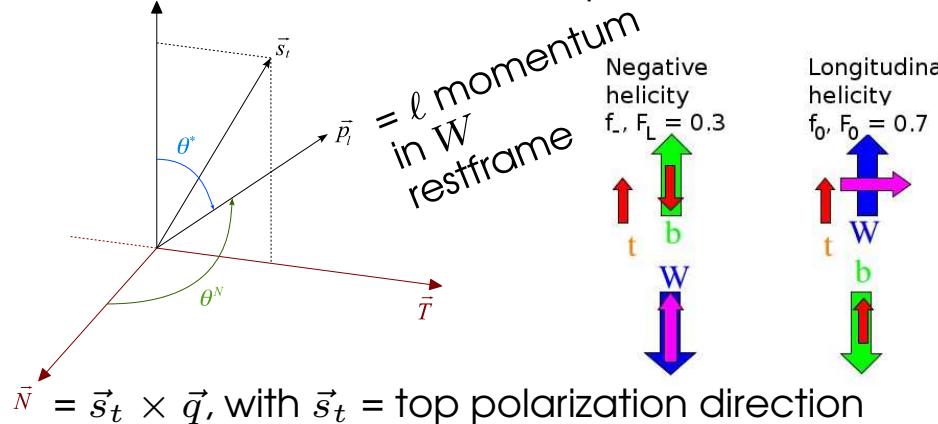
$$\alpha_l P_{\text{CPC}} = -0.035 \pm 0.014 \pm 0.037$$

$$\alpha_l P_{\text{CPV}} = 0.020 \pm 0.016^{+0.013}_{-0.017}$$

W Helicity Fractions in Top Quark Decays

- Probes ($V-A$) structure of Wtb vertex.

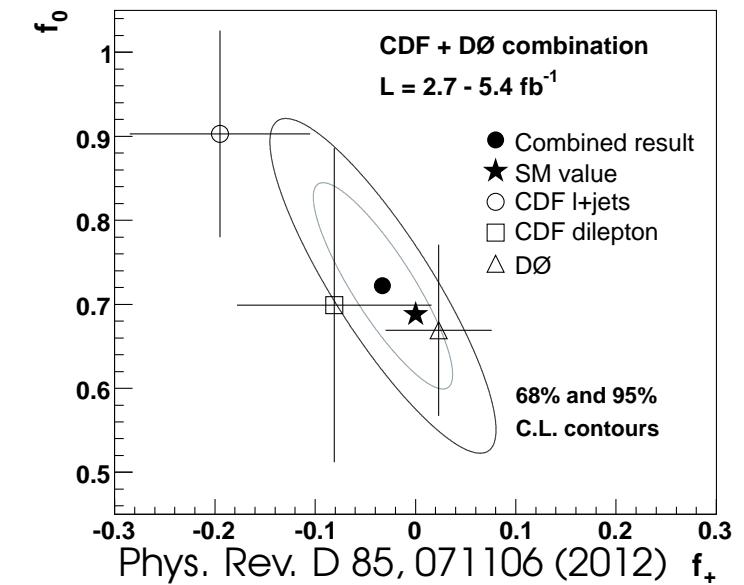
$\vec{q} = W$ momentum in top restframe



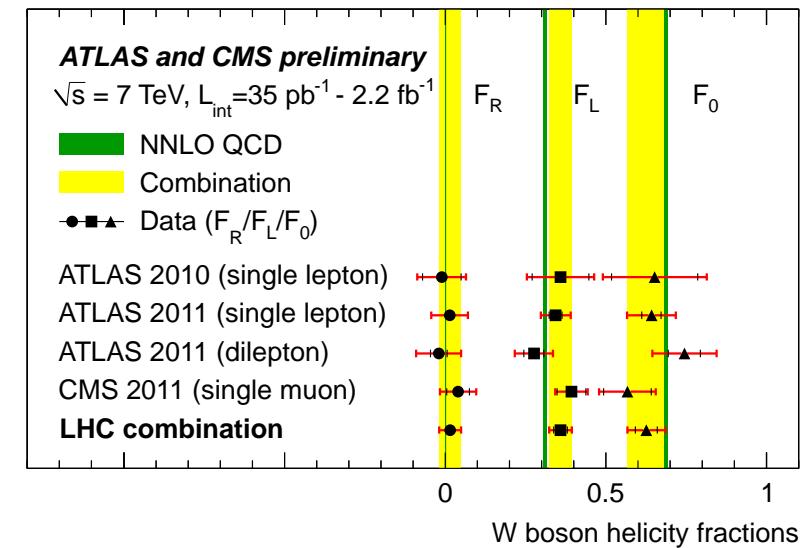
$\vec{N} = \vec{s}_t \times \vec{q}$, with \vec{s}_t = top polarization direction

- Extract helicity fractions from:
 - θ^* in $t\bar{t}$ events (unpolarized).
 - e.g. θ^N in single top events (polarized).
- Not yet in LHC combination:
 - latest single lepton and dilepton measurements (CMS-TOP-11-020, CMS-PAS-TOP-12-015).

NEW
 - first measurement in single top t -channel (CMS-PAS-TOP-12-020).



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Anomalous Couplings and CP Violation

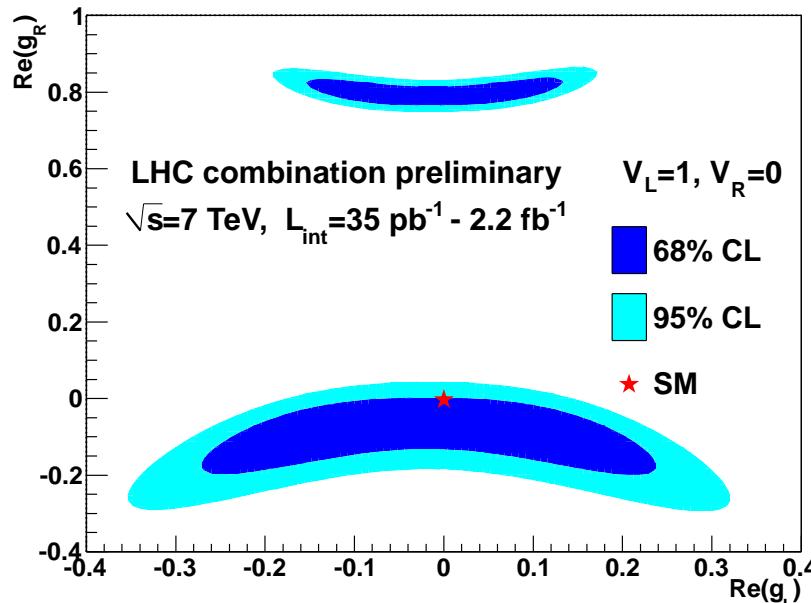
Effective lagrangian for Wtb vertex:

$$\mathcal{L}_{Wtb} = -\frac{g}{\sqrt{2}} \bar{b} \gamma^\mu (\textcolor{teal}{V}_L P_L + \textcolor{red}{V}_R P_R) t W_\mu^- - \frac{g}{\sqrt{2}} \bar{b} \frac{i\sigma^{\mu\nu} q_\nu}{M_W} (\textcolor{red}{g}_L P_L + \textcolor{red}{g}_R P_R) t W_\mu^- + \text{h.c.}$$

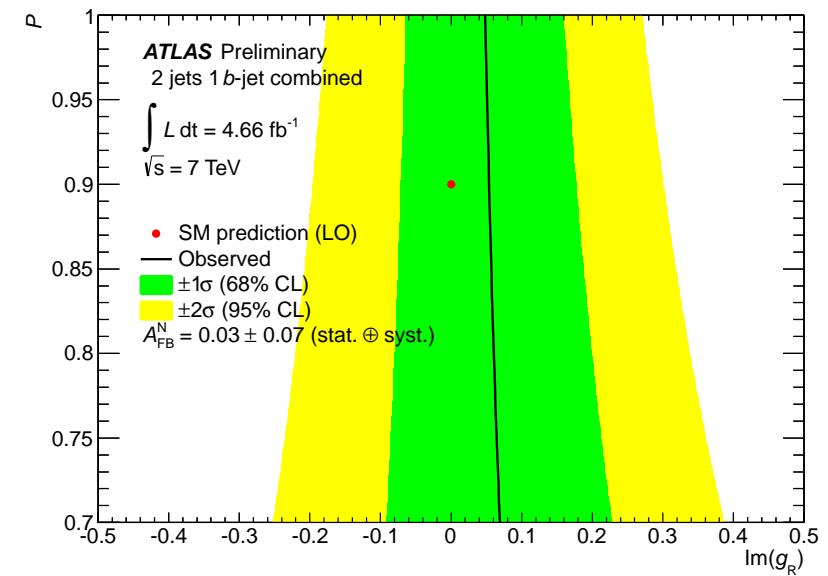
V_R, g_L, g_R anomalous couplings

- Interpret F_R, F_L, F_0 in terms of anomalous couplings.
- Assume $V_L = 1, V_R = 0$. Derive limits on g_L and g_R .
- CP violation if $Im(g_R) \neq 0$.
- A_{FB}^N in single top t -channel (top $\sim 90\%$ polarized).

$$A_{FB}^N = \frac{N(\cos \theta^N > 0) - N(\cos \theta^N < 0)}{N(\cos \theta^N > 0) + N(\cos \theta^N < 0)}$$



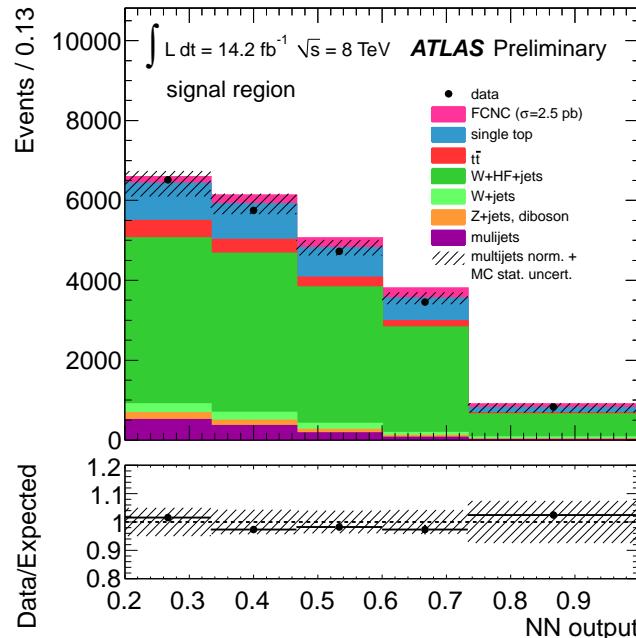
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Flavour Changing Neutral Currents

- $qg \rightarrow t \rightarrow Wb \rightarrow \ell\nu b$ ($q = u, c$)



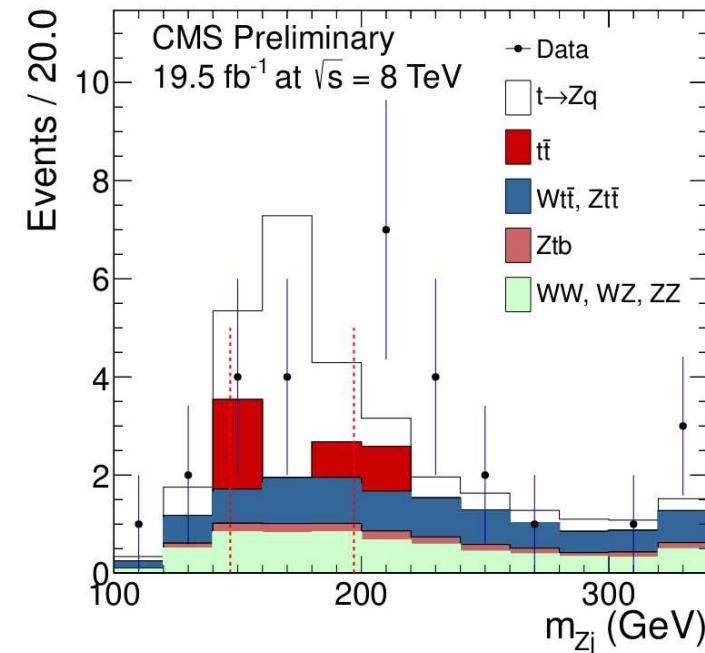
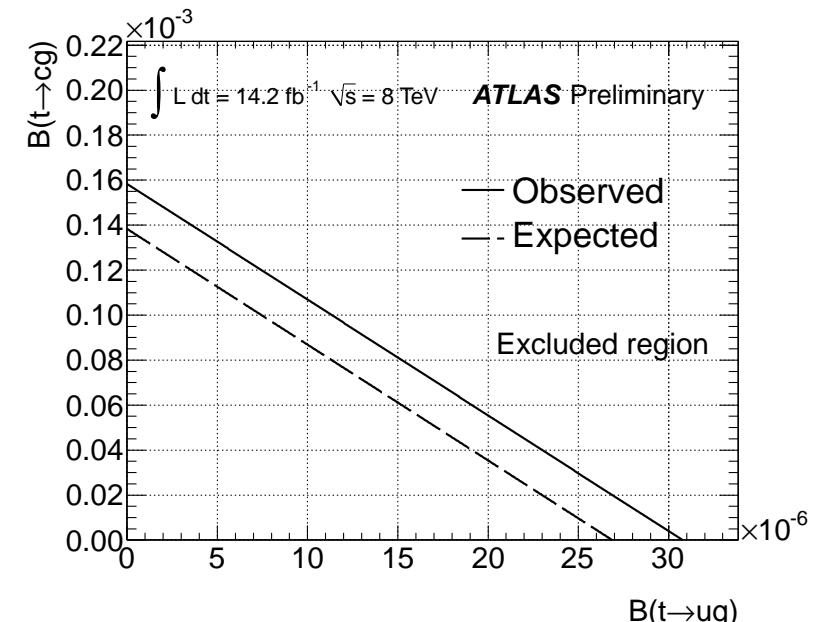
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- $t\bar{t} \rightarrow Wb + Zq \rightarrow \ell\nu b + \ell\ell q$

ATLAS: $BR(t \rightarrow Zq) < 0.73\% @ 95\% \text{ C.L. (7 TeV)}$
CMS: $BR(t \rightarrow Zq) < 0.07\% @ 95\% \text{ C.L. (8 TeV)}$

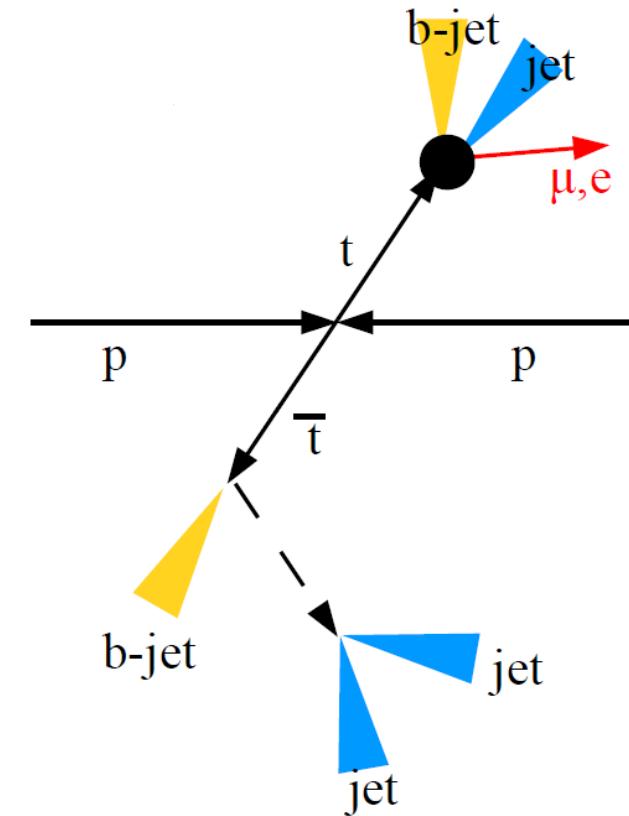
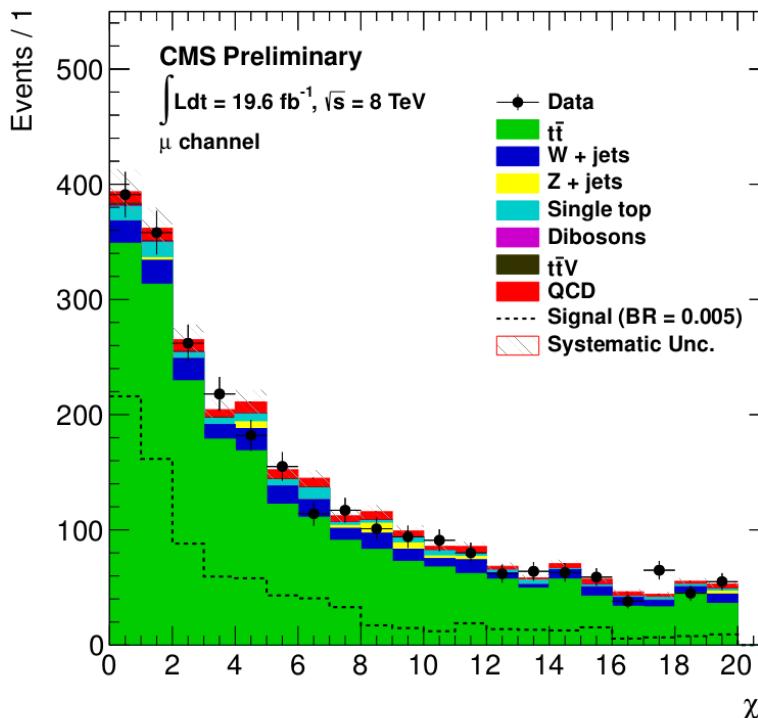
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Baryon Number Violating Decays

- Baryon number violation possible in several BSM scenarios.
- Search for $t\bar{t}$ events in which one top decays through $t \rightarrow \bar{b}\bar{c}\mu^+$ or $t \rightarrow \bar{b}\bar{u}e^+$.



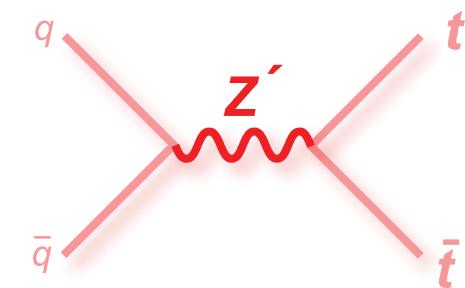
- No significant excess over expected background.

$$BR(t \rightarrow \bar{b}\bar{c}\mu^+) < 0.0016 @ 95\% \text{ C.L.}$$

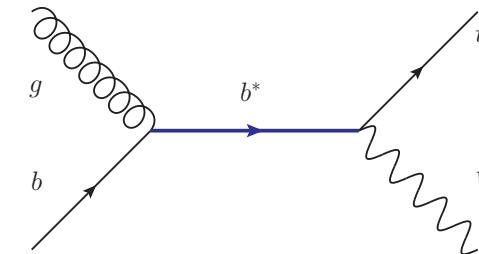
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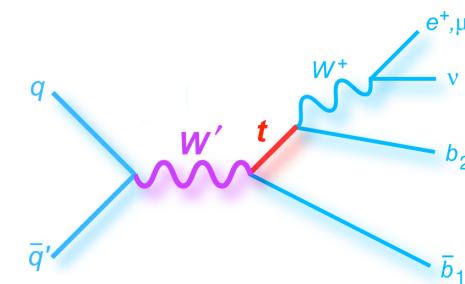
- Resonances in $m_{t\bar{t}}$ (e.g. Z' or KK gluon).
Mass limits $\mathcal{O}(2 \text{ TeV})$.
More details in plenary talk by Fabienne Ledroit



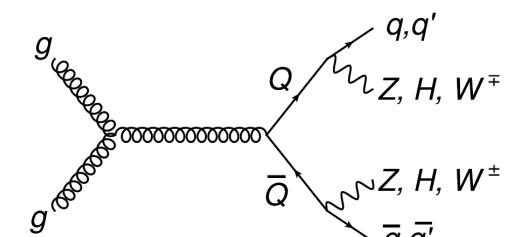
- Excited states (t^* , b^*).
Mass limits $\mathcal{O}(800 \text{ GeV})$.



- Heavy vector bosons (W').
Mass limits $\mathcal{O}(1\text{-}2 \text{ TeV})$.
More details in plenary talk by Fabienne Ledroit



- Vector-like quarks ($T \rightarrow Zt$, $T \rightarrow Wb$, $T \rightarrow Ht$, $B \rightarrow Zb$).
Mass limits $\mathcal{O}(700 \text{ GeV})$.
More details in plenary talk by Freya Blekman
- And many more...



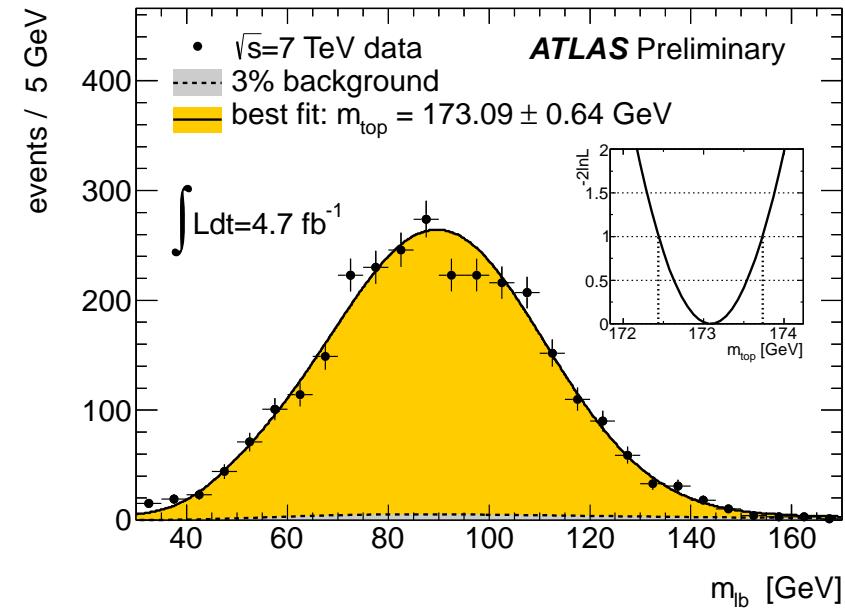
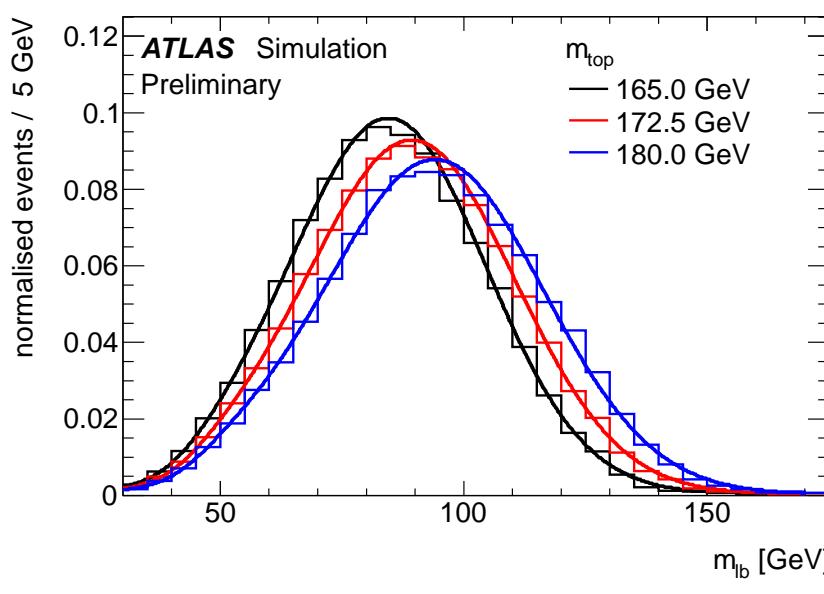
- Very rich top physics program at LHC and Tevatron experiments.
- Most analyses are systematics limited.
- **Top production**
 - Pair production cross section with $\mathcal{O}(4\text{-}6\%)$ uncertainty.
 - Single top t -channel cross section with $\mathcal{O}(20\%)$ uncertainty.
 - s - and Wt -channel production observed at 3.7σ and 6σ level.
 - Associated production ($t\bar{t}V, t\bar{t}\gamma, t\bar{t}j$), differential cross section.
- **Top properties**
 - Top mass uncertainty is currently 0.5% (0.87 GeV).
 - Polarization, asymmetry and coupling measurements all consistent with SM (some tension in FB asymmetry).
 - Spin correlations observed.
 - Limits on FCNC and baryon number violation decays.
- **Searches**
 - Wide range of searches for new phenomena.

See Also - Parallel Session Talks

- Differential cross sections for top-pair and single-top production, KIDONAKIS, Nikolaos
- Search for Single-Top Production in ep Collisions at HERA, ANTONELLI, Stefano
- Top quark mass measurements at and above threshold in e+e- collisions at Linear Colliders, ROLOFF, Philipp
- A precise determination of top quark electroweak couplings at the ILC operating at 500 GeV, POESCHL, Roman
- Measurement of the single top quark production cross section in pp collisions with the ATLAS detector, KRASZNAHORKAY, Attila
- Measurement of differential cross sections in top pair production in pp collisions with the ATLAS detector, GARBERSON, Ford
- Measurement of intrinsic top quark properties (top mass, charge, top and W polarisation, and search for FCNC in top decays) with the ATLAS detector, MASETTI, Lucia
- Top quark pair properties (spin correlations, charge asymmetry and complex final states) with the ATLAS detector, MIJOVIC, Liza
- $t\bar{t} b\bar{b}$ production at NLO accuracy matched with parton shower, TROCSANYI, Zoltan Laszlo
- Measurement of the charge asymmetry in top quark pair production at the Tevatron, DEMINA, Regina
- Inclusive and differential top quark production at the Tevatron, SORIN, Maria Veronica
- Single top quark production cross section at the Tevatron, GARCIA-BELLIDO ALVAREZ DE MIRANDA, Aran
- Measurement of the top quark mass at the Tevatron, PETERS, Reinhild
- Top quark properties studies at the Tevatron, LEONE, Sandra
- Measurement of the inclusive top quark pair cross section in pp collisions at 7 and 8 TeV with the CMS detector, MAES, Michael
- Measurement of differential cross sections in top pair production in pp collisions with the CMS detector, SYMONDS, Philip Hugh
- Measurements of the production properties of top quark pairs in pp collisions (includes charge asymmetry and spin correlations) with the CMS detector, DORLAND, Tyler Mc Millan
- Measurement of the properties of top quarks in decays (top quark and W polarization, top quark charge and couplings) with the CMS detector, SENGHI SOARES, Mara
- CMS Measurements of the Top Quark Mass, STADIE, Hartmut
- New approaches in determining the mass of the top quark: alternative techniques and differential measurements, BLYWEERT, Stijn
- Measurement of t-channel single top quark production in pp collisions with the CMS detector, IORIO, Alberto Orso Maria
- Measurement of single top production in the tW-channel in pp collisions and search for FCNC with the CMS detector, BENELLI, Gabriele
- Top Decays with Flavor Changing Neutral Higgs Interactions at the LHC, KAO, Chung
- Probing for the $t \rightarrow ch$ decay at the LHC, HOU, George Wei-Shu
- Four-loop on-shell integrals: MSbar – on-shell relation and g-2, MARQUARD, Peter
- NNLO top quark pair production, FIEDLER, Paul
- NLO merging in $t\bar{t}$ +jets, SCHOENHERR, Marek
- Top-quark Pair Production in a Running Mass Scheme, DOWLING, Matthew
- Measurement of the inclusive top quark pair cross section in pp collisions at 7 and 8 TeV with the ATLAS detector, HENRICH, Anna
- Top quark mass measurements in ATLAS, COMPOSTELLA, Gabriele
- TOPLHCWG: combinations of top measurements at the LHC, CRISTINZIANI, Markus

- *Search for ttbar resonances below 1 TeV in the semileptonic final state*, BROCHET, Sebastien
- *Search for Top Quark Flavour-changing Neutral-current Decays at 8 TeV*, CHAO, Yuan
- *Single top cross section measurements in the t-channel at CMS*, IORIO, Alberto
- *Measurement of differential top-quark-pair production cross sections in the lepton+jets channel with CMS*, LANGE, Joern
- *First measurement of single top production in the tW-channel in pp collisions*, BENELLI, Gabriele
- *Measurement of differential top-quark pair production cross sections in the dilepton final state at 8 TeV*, DORLAND, Tyler
- *A search of new charged heavy gauge W' bosons with the ATLAS detector at the LHC.*, GEOFFREY, Gilles
- *Measurement of jets in ttbar events with ATLAS.*, GRAHN, Karl-Johan
- *Probing QCD with top-quark pairs at CMS*, LIPKA, Katarina
- *Measurement of ttbar production with additional jet activity*, MARTIN, Maria

- Select events with exactly 2 charged leptons (e, μ), E_T^{miss} and exactly 2 b -tagged jets.
- Background $< 3\%$.
- Template method with $m_{\ell b}$ as estimator for m_{top} .



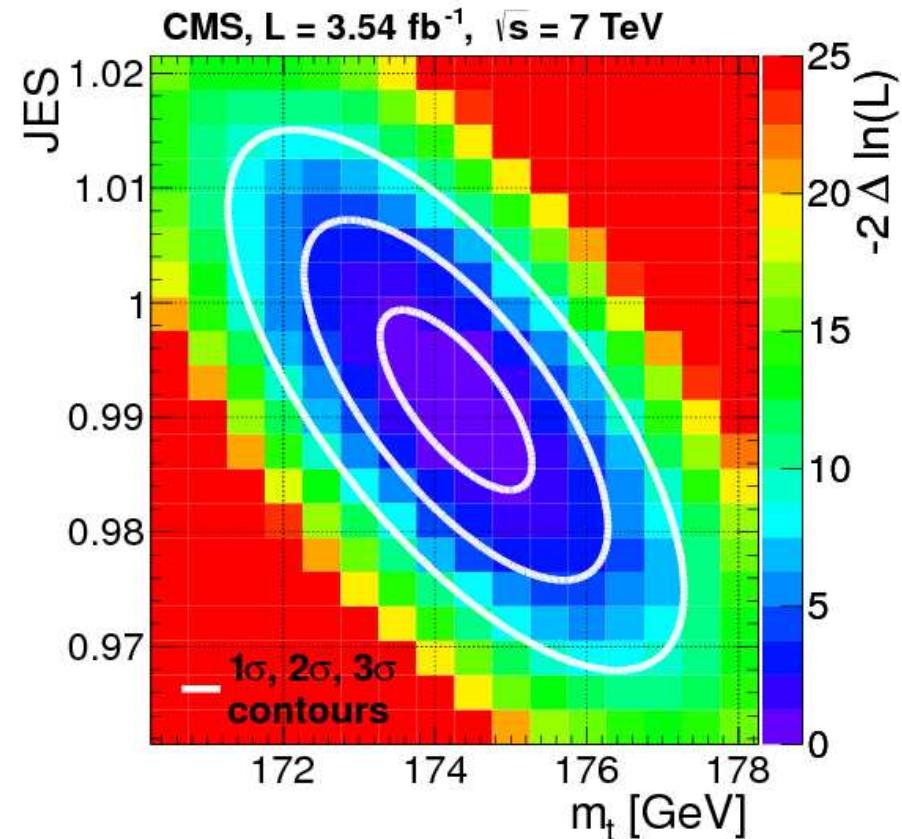
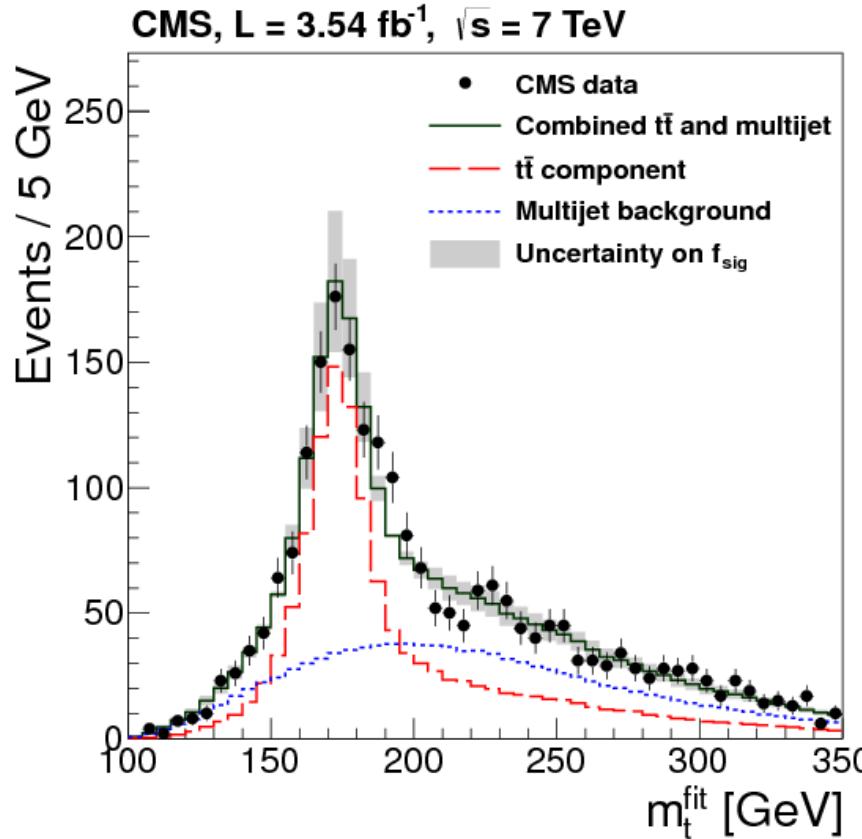
$$m_{\text{top}} = 173.09 \pm 0.64(\text{stat}) \pm 1.50(\text{syst}) \text{ GeV}$$

Dominant uncertainties: JES and bJES



New Top Mass Measurement in Alljets Channel by CMS

- Select events with exactly 6 jets (at least two b -tagged).
- Kinematic fit: 2×2 untagged jets ($m_{jj} = 80.4$ GeV). Combine with two b -jets ($m_{jjb} = m_{j j \bar{b}}$).



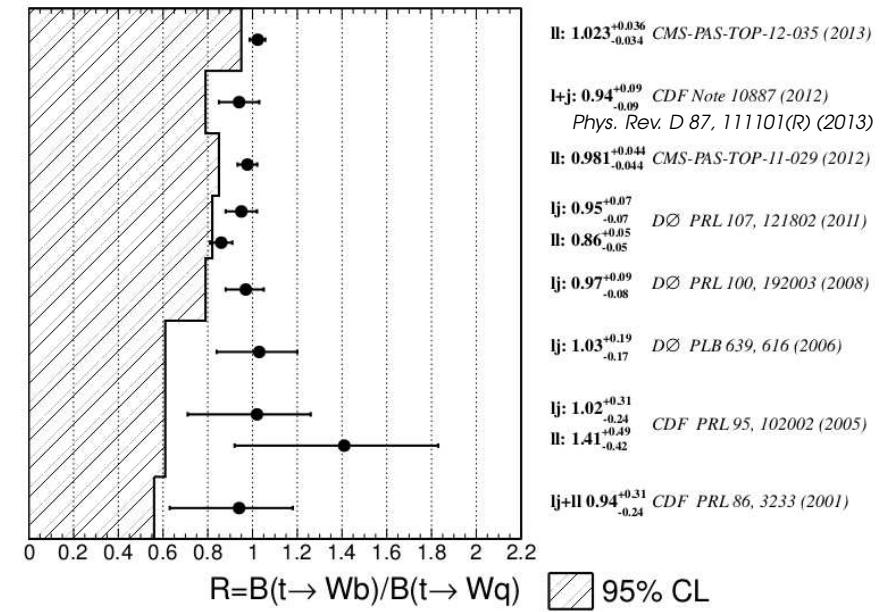
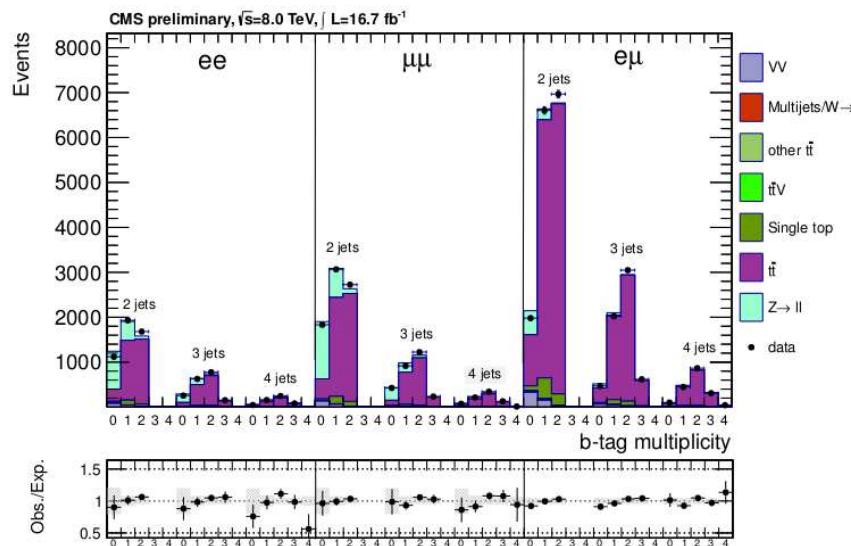
$$m_{\text{top}} = 173.54 \pm 0.33(\text{stat}) \pm 0.96(\text{syst}) \text{ GeV}$$

NEW

Dominant uncertainties: JES and bJES

Branching Ratio $BR(t \rightarrow Wb)/BR(t \rightarrow Wq)$

- Branching ratio $t \rightarrow Wb$ is ≈ 1 in SM.
- Measure $R = BR(t \rightarrow Wb)/BR(t \rightarrow Wq)$ by fitting number of b -jets in $t\bar{t}$ events.

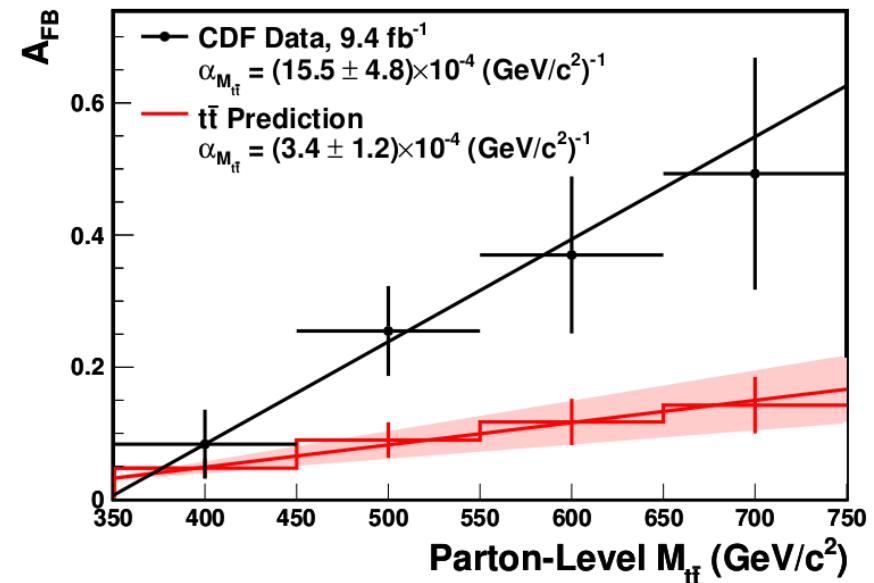
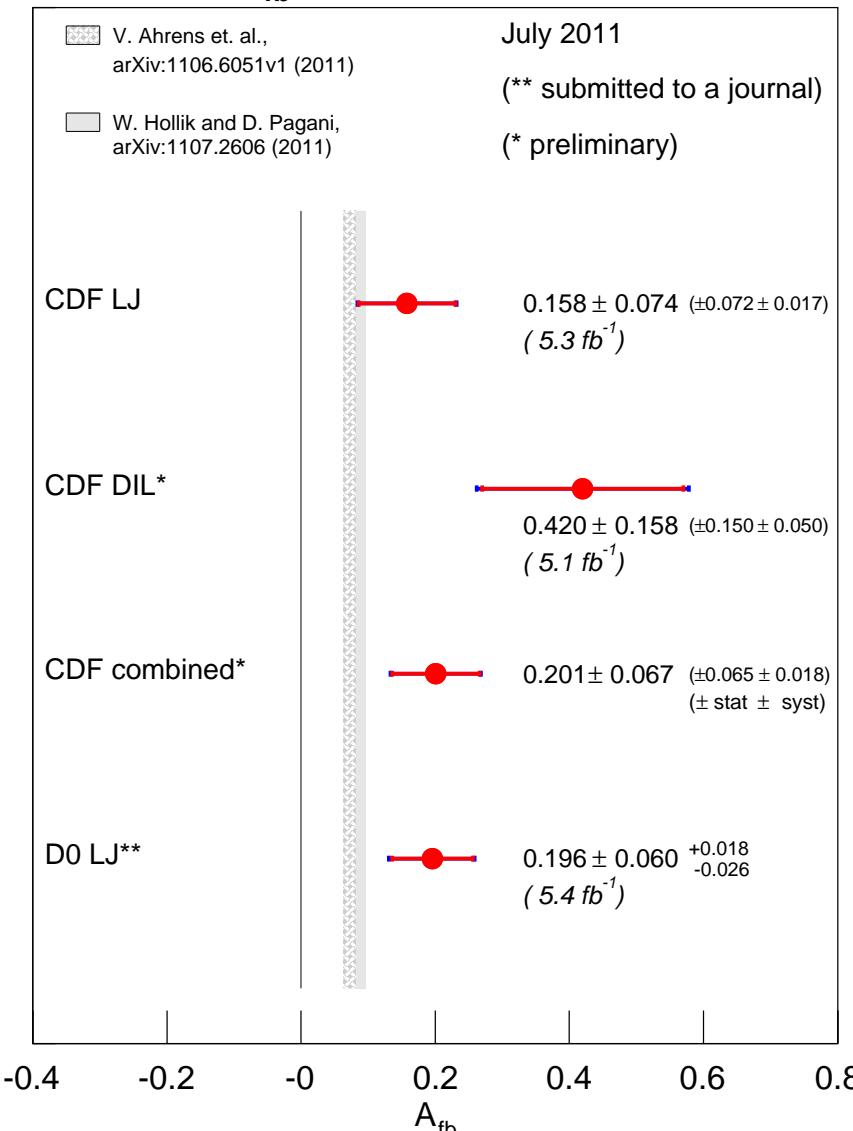


- Extract $|V_{tb}|$ by assuming a unitary, three-generation CKM matrix.
- Complementary to single top measurements.

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Top Forward-Backward Asymmetry at the Tevatron

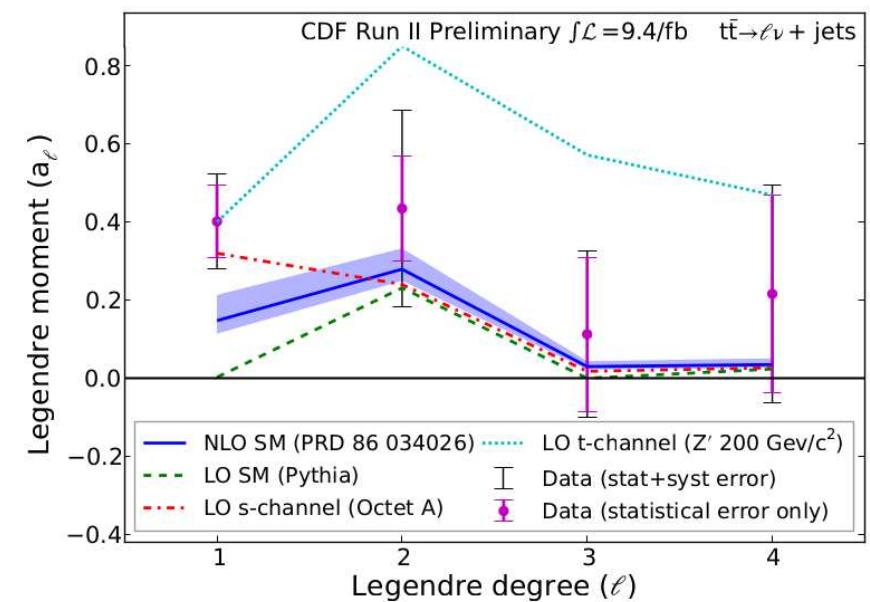
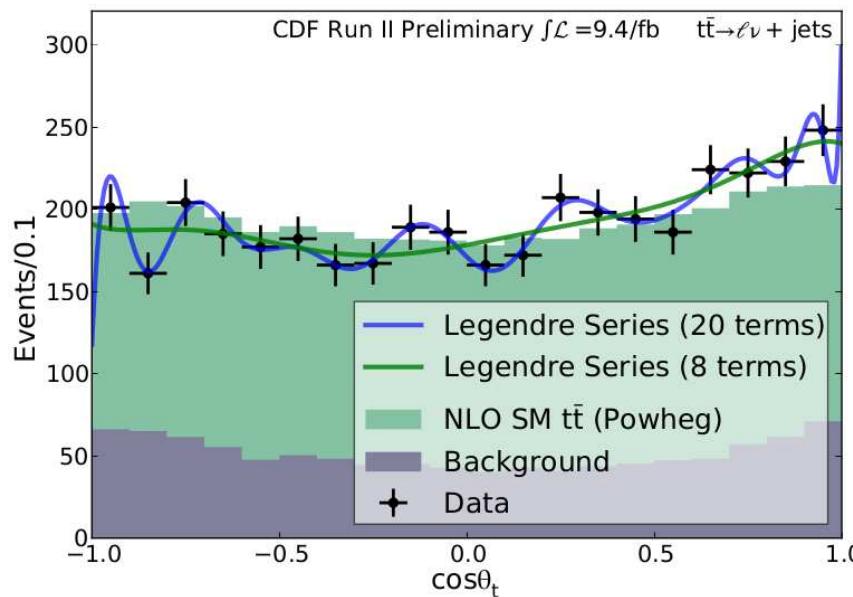
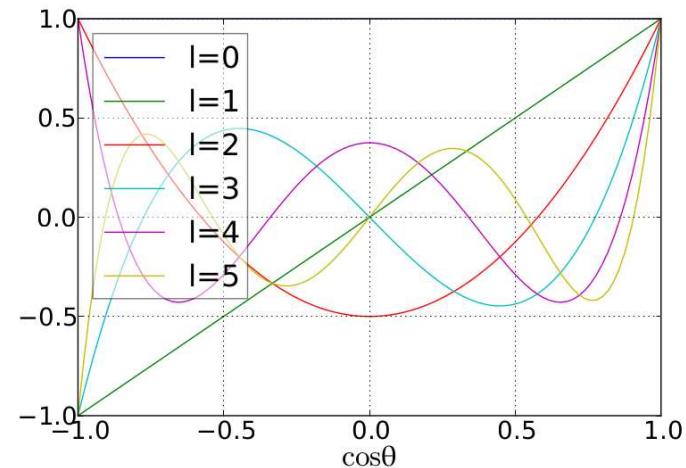
A_{fb} of the Top Quark



- Updated measurement from CDF in $\ell + \text{jets}$.
- Measured A_{FB} deviate most from SM at large $M_{t\bar{t}}$.

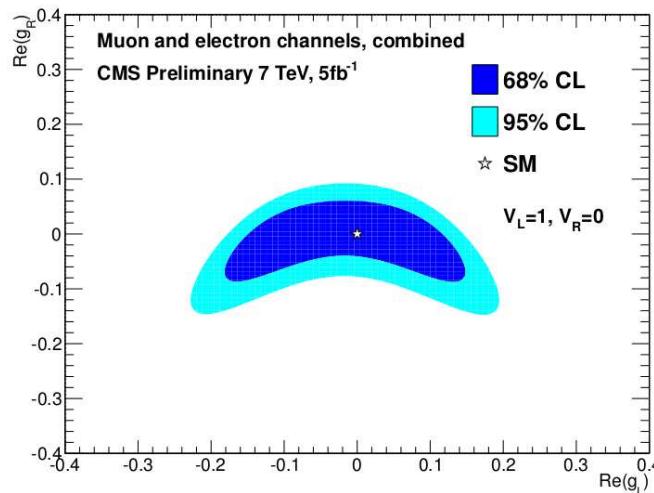
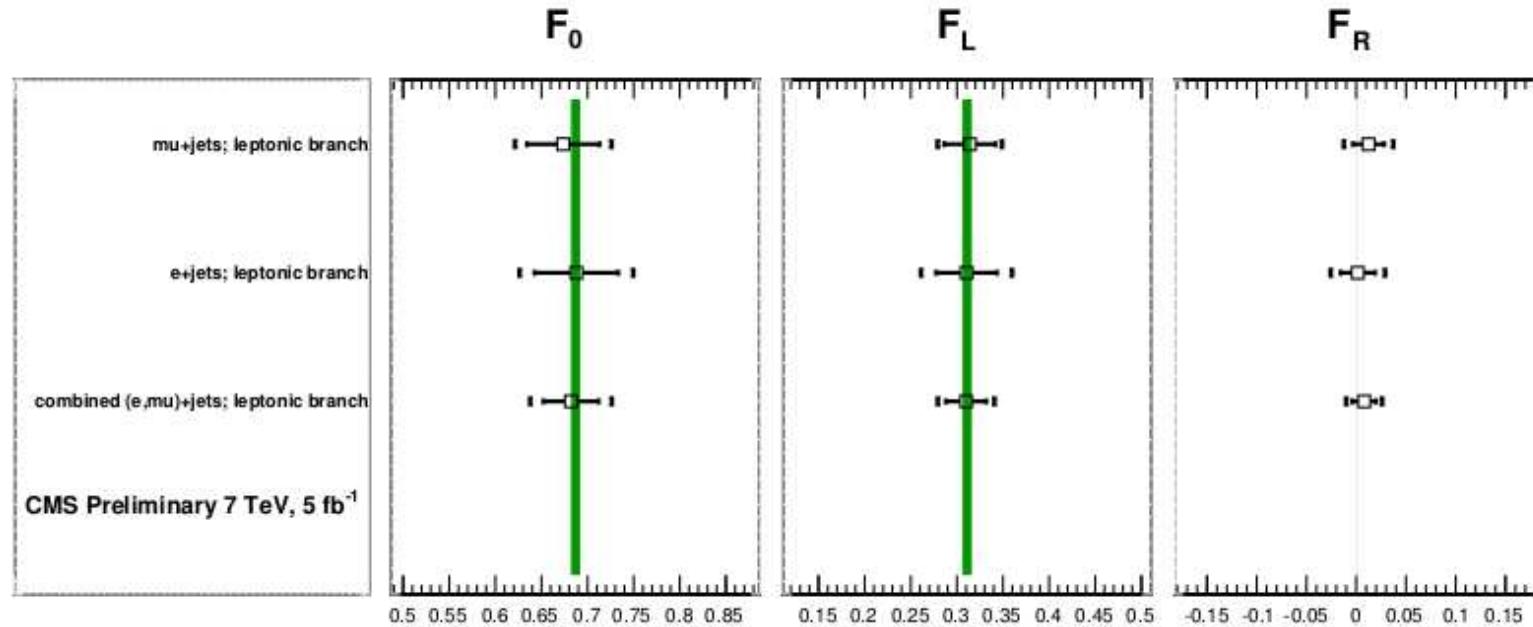
CDF Note 10975

- Fit $\cos \theta_t$ distribution with Legendre polynomials.
- Discrepancy with SM prediction only for the linear term (consistent with s -channel new physics).



CDF Note 10974

W Helicity Fractions in Single Lepton Events from CMS



$$F_0 = 0.682 \pm 0.030(\text{stat}) \pm 0.033(\text{syst})$$

$$F_L = 0.310 \pm 0.022(\text{stat}) \pm 0.022(\text{syst})$$

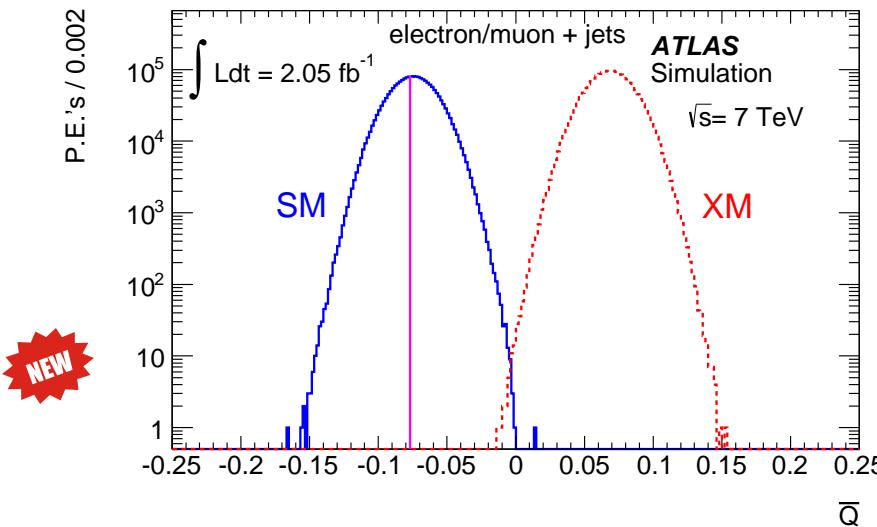
$$F_R = 0.008 \pm 0.012(\text{stat}) \pm 0.014(\text{syst})$$



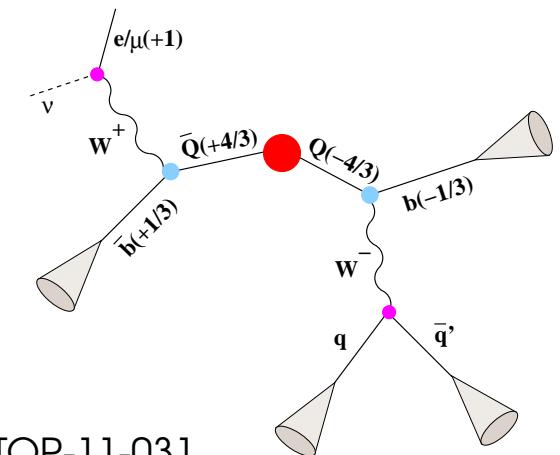
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- Ambiguity when pairing W boson to b jet.
- Exotic models with $|q| = 4e/3$ instead of $|q| = 2e/3$ exist.

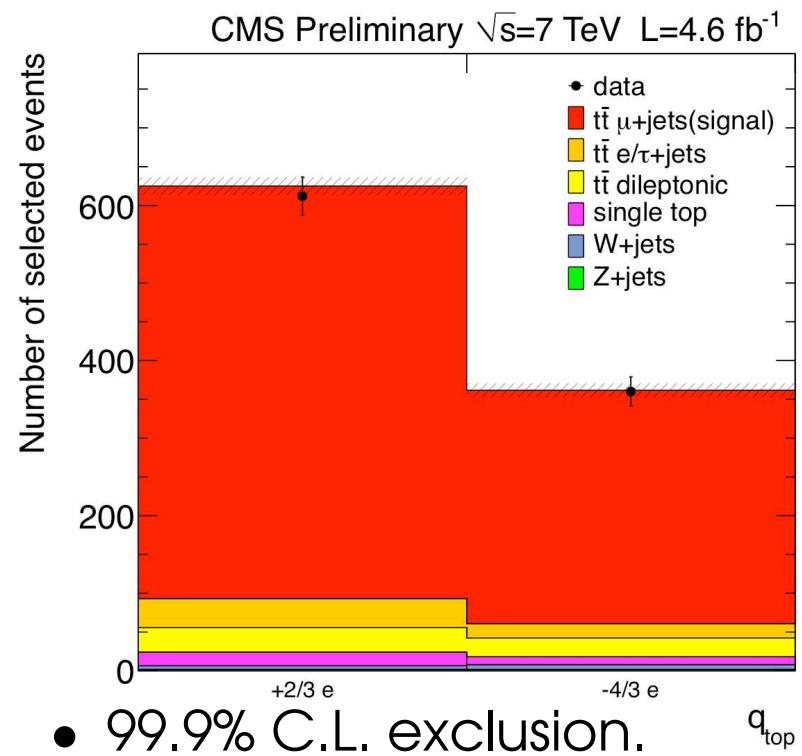
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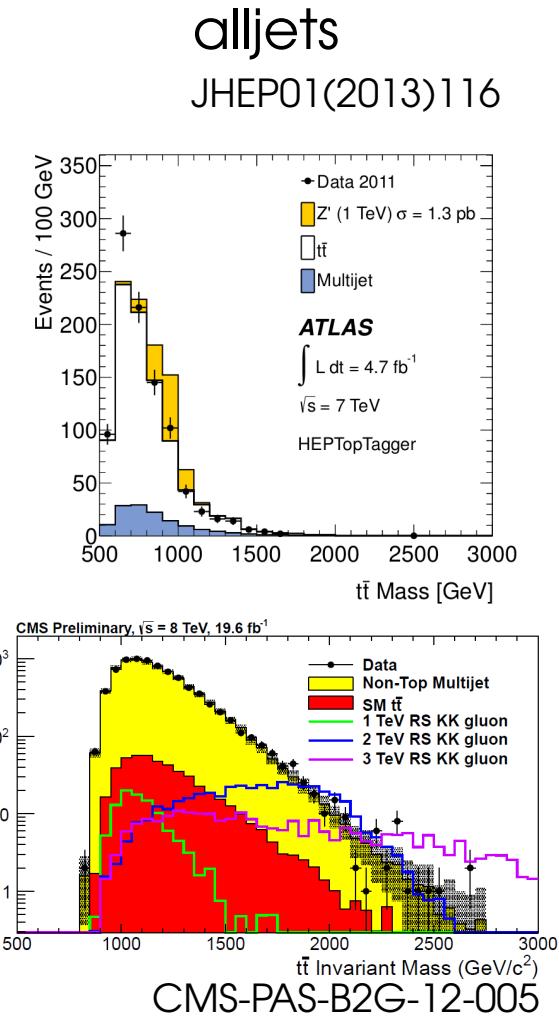
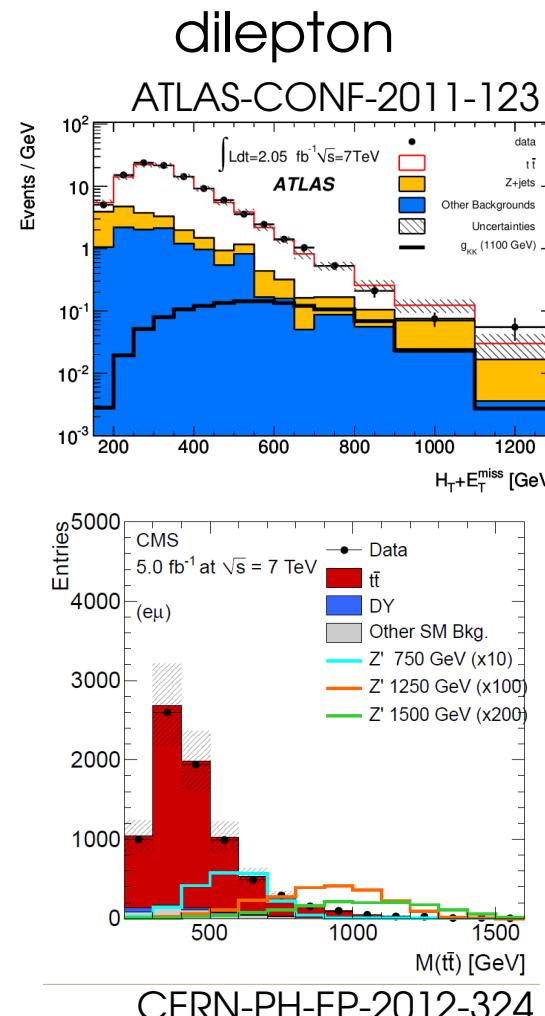
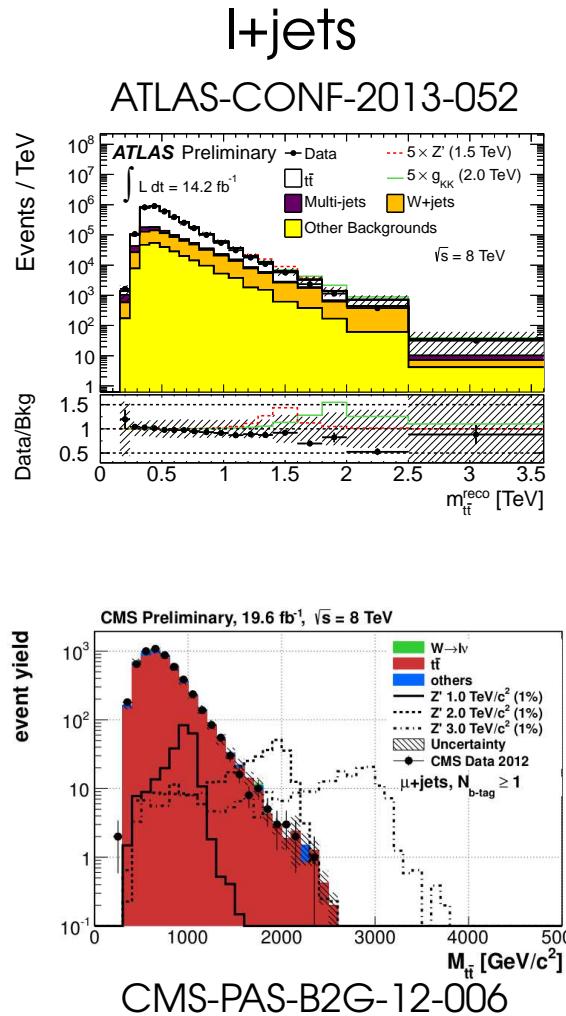
- $q_{\text{top}} = 0.64 \pm 0.02(\text{stat}) \pm 0.08(\text{syst.})$
- Exotic model excluded at $> 8\sigma$.



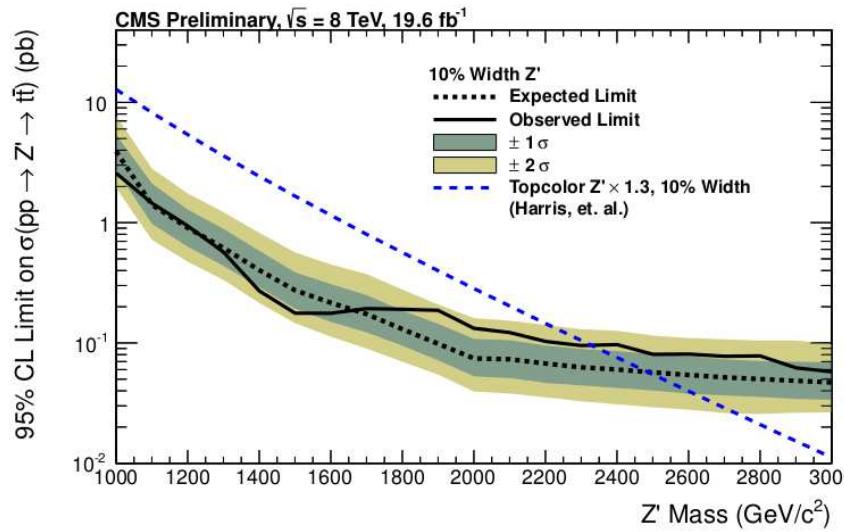
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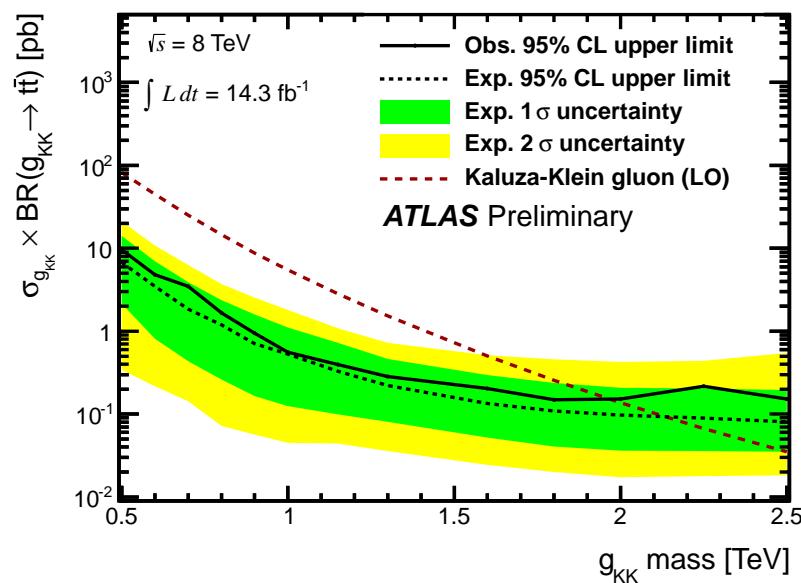
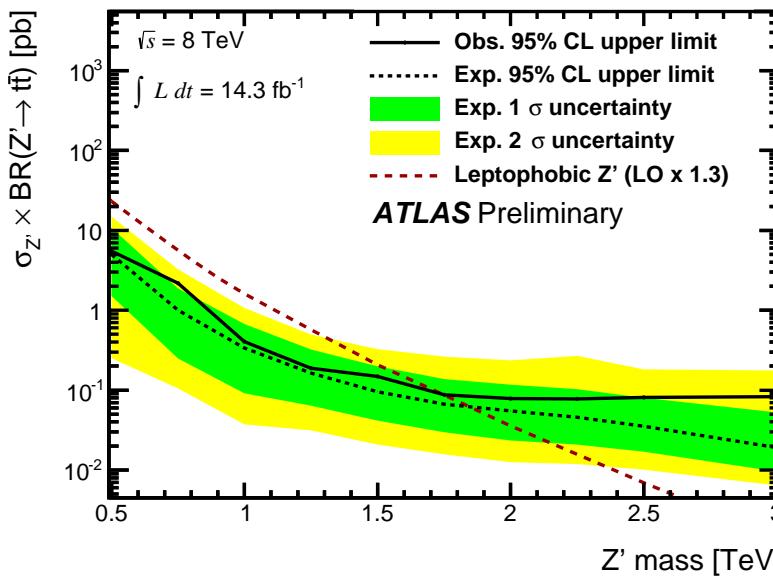
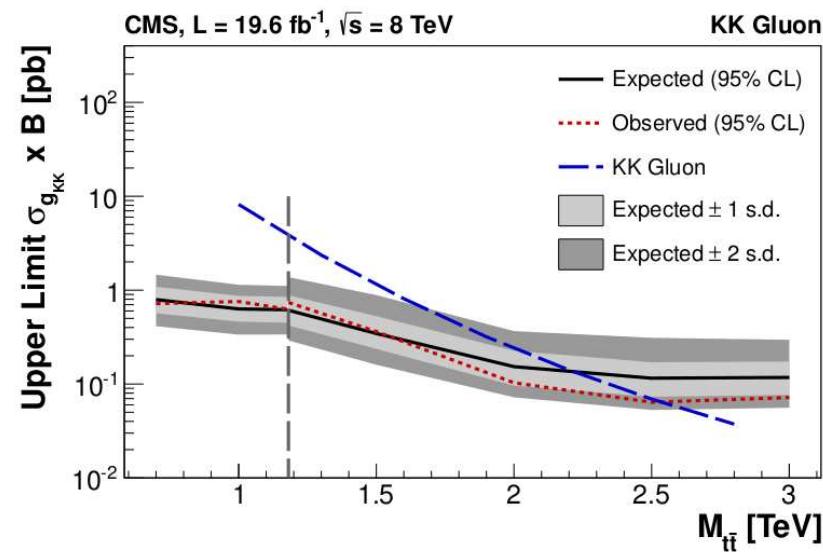
- Top pair production can be enhanced by new particles decaying into $t\bar{t}$ pairs (e.g. Z' or KK gluon).
- Search for narrow and broad resonances in $t\bar{t}$ invariant mass.



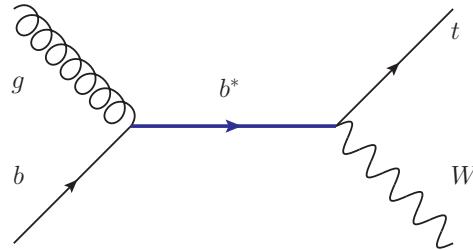
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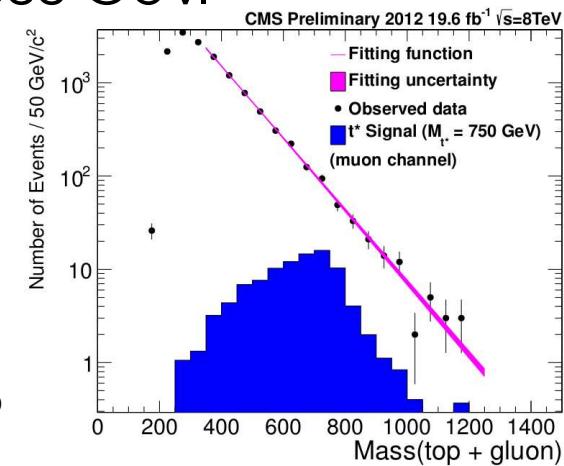
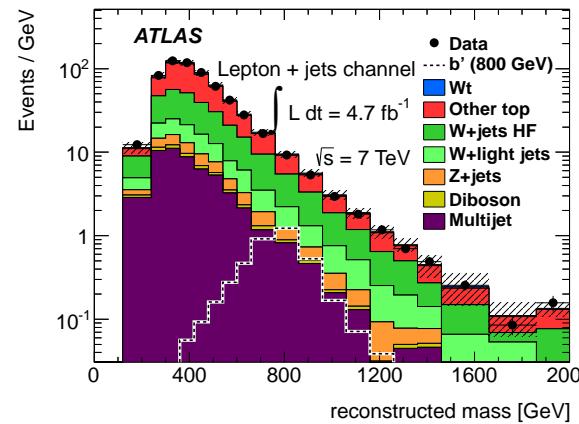


- Excited states (t^* , b^*). Mass limits around 800 GeV.

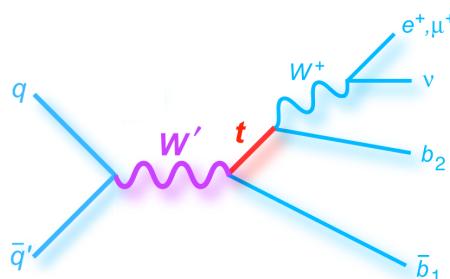


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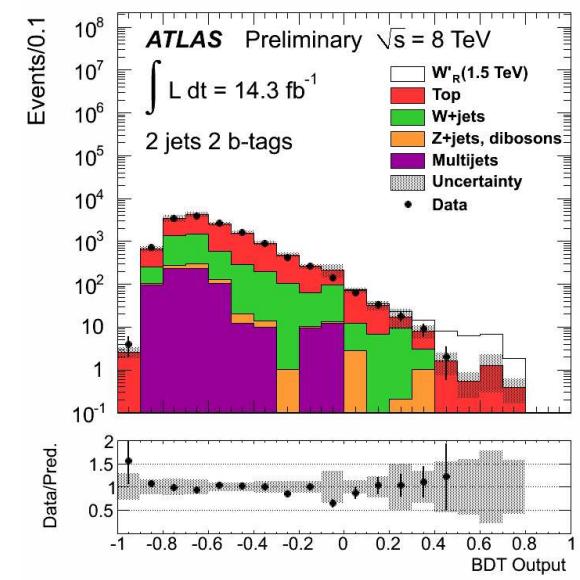
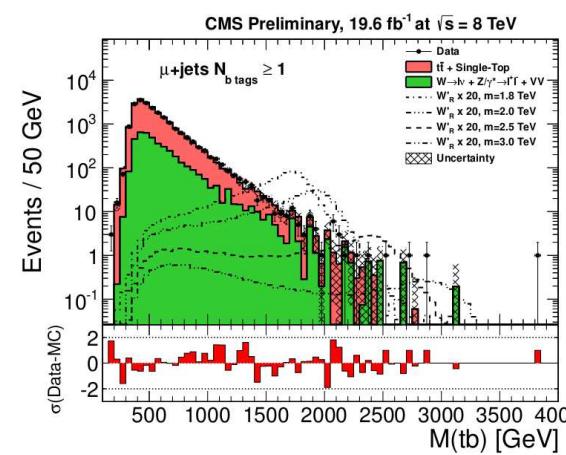


- Heavy vector bosons (W'). Mass limits $\mathcal{O}(1\text{-}2 \text{ TeV})$.



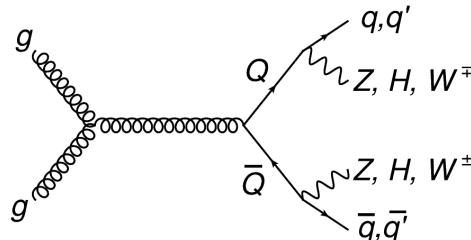
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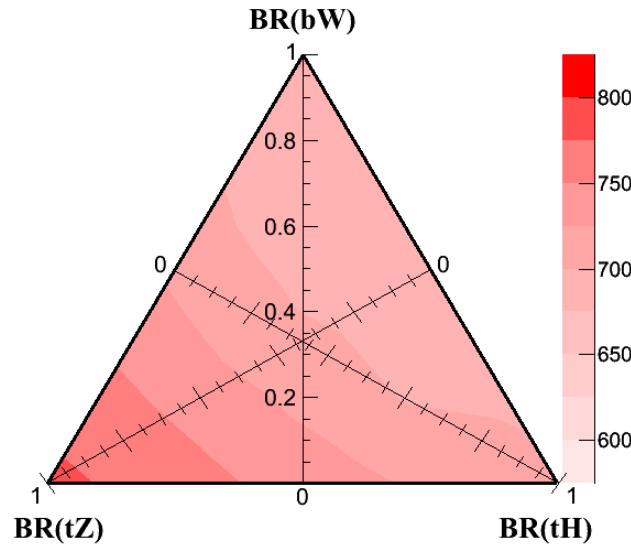
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- Vector-like quarks. Mass limits $\mathcal{O}(700 \text{ GeV})$.
 $(T \rightarrow Zt, T \rightarrow Wb, T \rightarrow Ht, B \rightarrow Zb)$

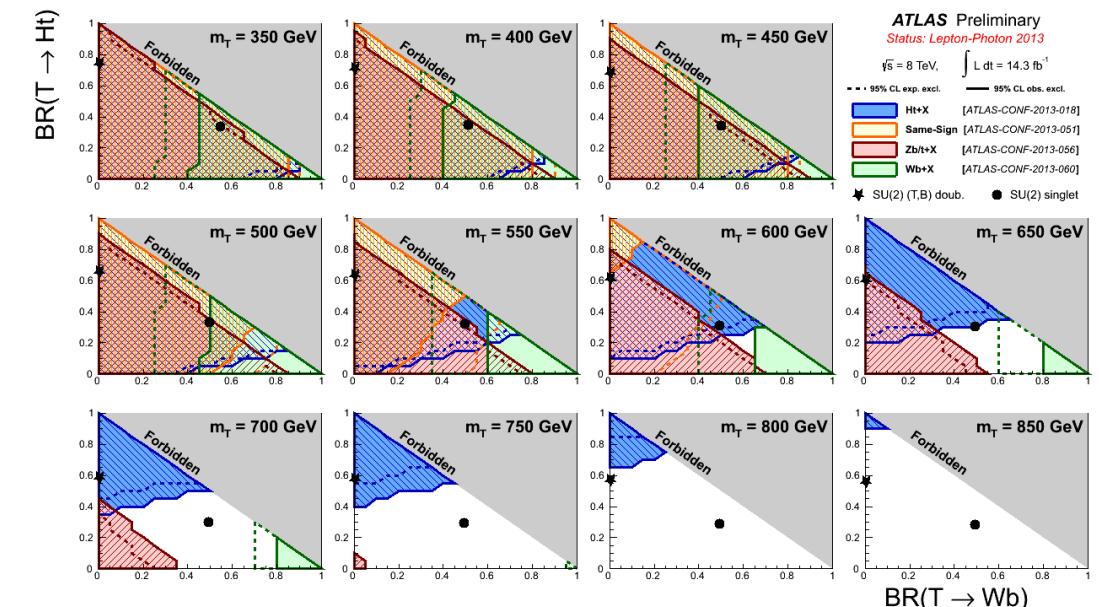
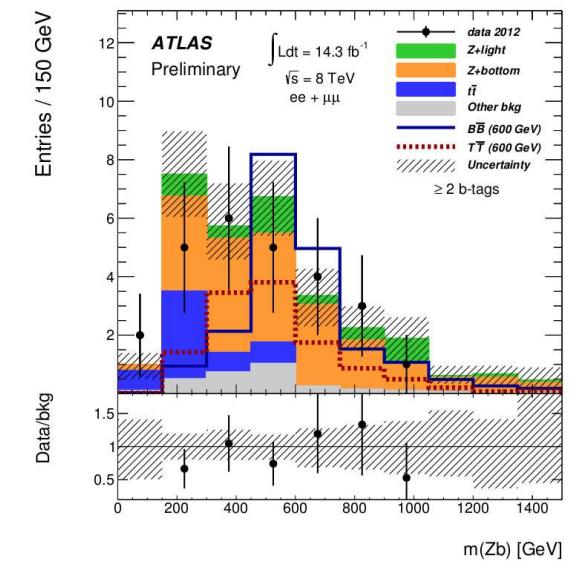
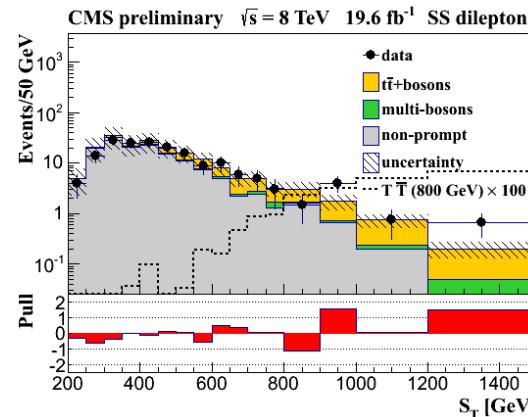


CMS-PAS-B2G-12-015

CMS preliminary $\sqrt{s} = 8 \text{ TeV}$ 19.6 fb^{-1}



- And many more...



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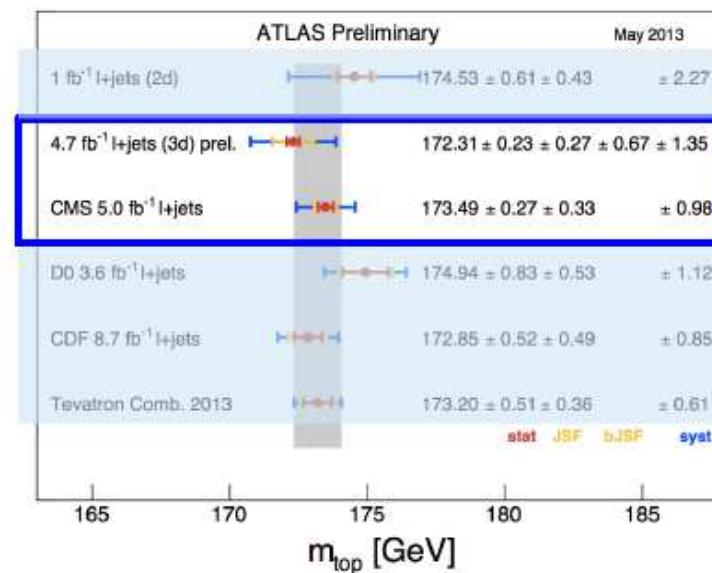
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Summary table of public 2011 LHC m_{top} measurements in the lepton+jets channel, likely to drive the next LHC combination



Systematics categorized according to the first LHC combination
CMS measurement from:
[JHEP \(2012\) 2012:105](https://arxiv.org/abs/1207.105)

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Statistical sensitivity

- extra statistical uncertainties on m_{top} introduced by the simultaneous JSF/bJSF fits
- Scale with luminosity, uncorrelated between experiments
- Similar sensitivity to JSF from the in-situ m_w fits (0.27 vs 0.33 GeV)
- ATLAS has larger JES stat component (iJES) due to the increased dimensionality of the fit (extra 0.67 GeV)

Similar statistical sensitivity to m_{top} (corresponds to a 1d fit)

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Reduced bJES uncertainty thanks to 3rd dimension in the fit

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Different residual JES uncertainties,
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More pronounced p_T dependence of
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softer jet p_T requirements

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MC generator and hadronization (Pythia/Herwig) uncertainties:

Not dominant uncertainties for ATLAS 3d analysis but could be large depending on the analysis

Within CMS:

- the MC generator systematics are found to be small (but are not documented for all the current public results)
- Hadronization systematics are meant to be covered by the JES uncertainty

Harmonized treatment is under discussion in the TOP-LHC-WG for the next LHC combination

Need to evaluate possible double counting effects between the hadronization and JES systematics

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