

# Exclusive Dilepton ( $e^+e^-$ , $\mu^+\mu^-$ , $J/\Psi$ , $\Psi'$ , $Y$ ) and Diphoton Production at CDF II

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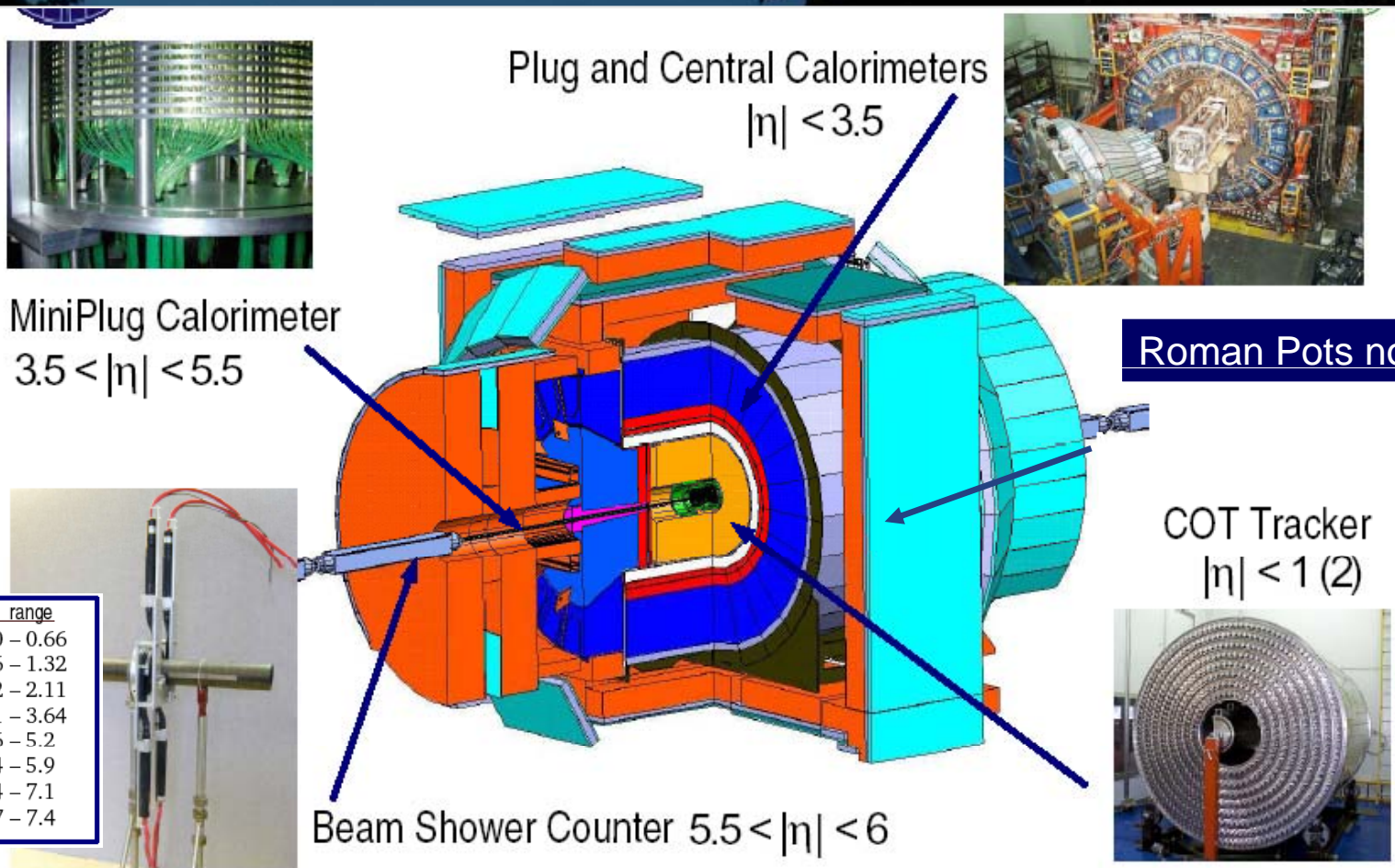
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# CDF Detector + Performance



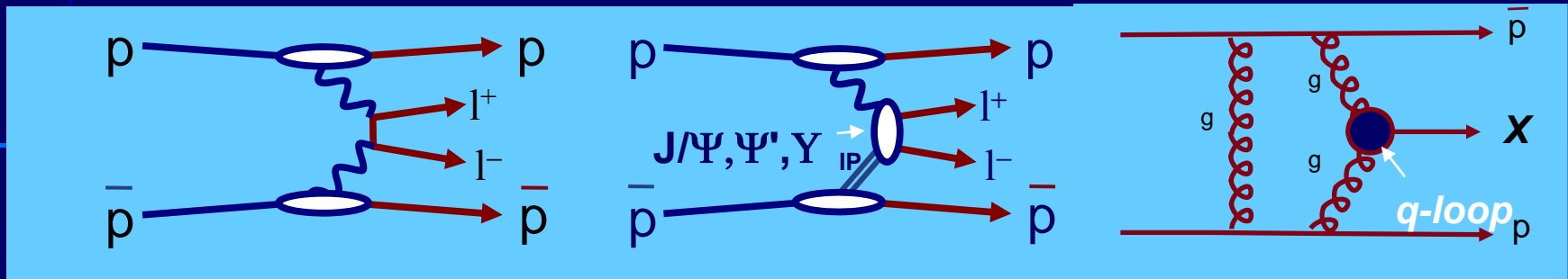
Luminosity delivered  $3.7 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  about  $3 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  of data to tape

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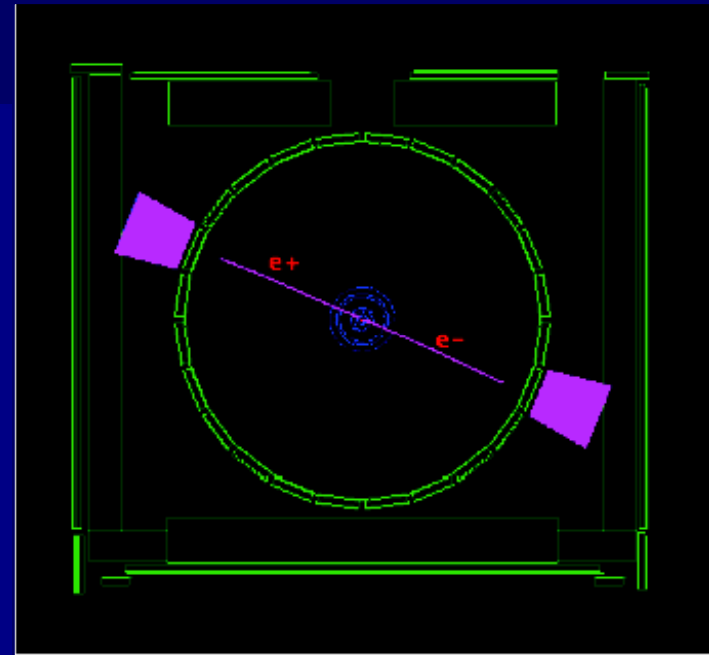
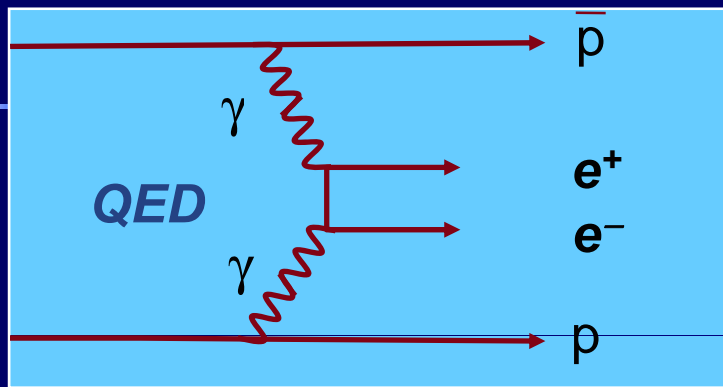
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# Motivation: for Exclusive Studies



- **Motivations to study exclusive lepton pair production:**
  - Potential to improve luminosity measurements at LHC since the cross section is known to better than  $\sim 5\%$
  - Can be used as a control sample for exclusive processes whose cross-sections are not well predicted ( $\gamma$ ,  $\chi_{\chi}$ , Higgs, ...)
  - For example, a place to search for  $\chi_c$  and the odderon
  - Can be used to calibrate forward proton spectrometers (FP420) at LHC (important in the search for new physics & Higgs in exclusive channel)
- **Main motivation to study exclusive  $pp \rightarrow p + \gamma\gamma + p$** 
  - This process is a “standard candle” for exclusive Higgs production

# Exclusive $e^+e^-$ Production (1)



- *Central state produced via QED  $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow e^+e^-$*
- *Protons do not dissociate*
- *Only  $e^+e^-$  are produced  $\rightarrow$  nothing else*
- *Process has never been observed before in hadron-hadron collisions*

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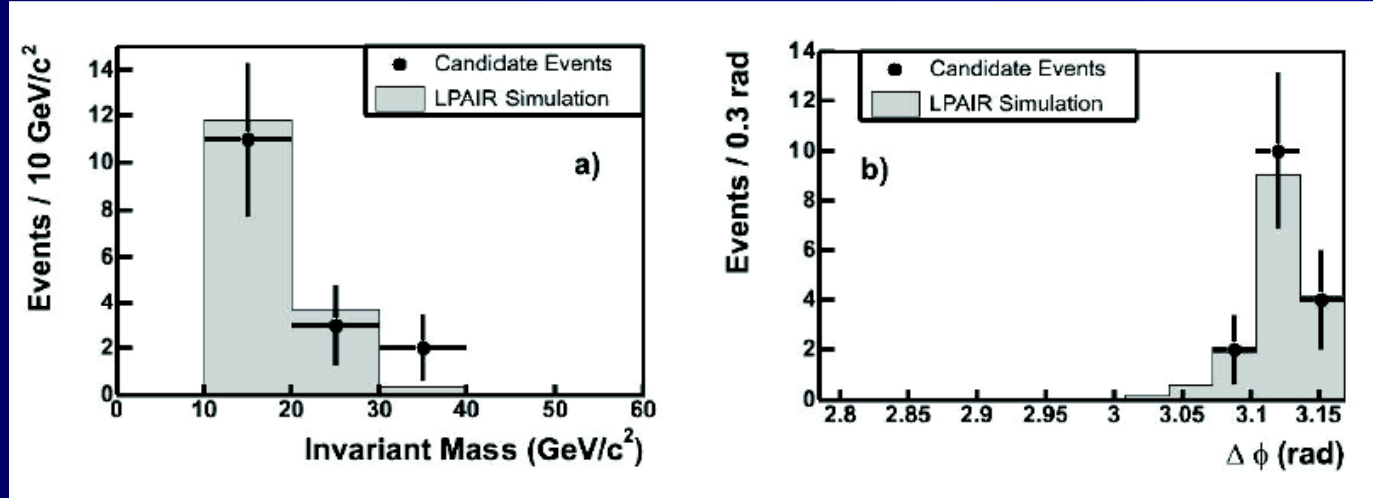
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# Exclusive $e^+e^-$ Production (2)

- **Integrated luminosity**  $\rightarrow 532 \pm 32 \text{ pb}^{-1}$
- **DIFF\_DIPHOTON Trigger:**
  - 2 EM clusters with  $E_T > 4 \text{ GeV}$  plus a veto on BSC 1 (E+W)
- **Exclusive  $e^+e^-$  events are selected by:**
  - Reconstructing the  $e^+e^-$
  - Requiring that there is no other activity in  $|\eta| < 7.4$
  - Photons have  $E_T > 5 \text{ GeV}$  and  $|h| < 2$
  - 16  $e^+e^-$  candidates selected
- **Backgrounds  $1.9 \pm 0.3$  events:**
  - dijet fake ( 0.0 +0.1 -0.0)
  - cosmic ( negligible)
  - inclusive distribution (0.3+/-0.1)
  - dissociation ( $1.6 \pm 0.3$ ) (these are also  $gg \rightarrow e^+e^-$  where one (or both) proton(s) dissociate)

# Exclusive $e^+e^-$ Production (3)

- **Kinematics of 16 event candidate sample match the predictions of the LPAIR signal MC (J.Vermaseren. Nucl. Phys., B229 347-371, 1983 )-  $e^+e^-$  are collinear in  $\phi$  and have matching  $E_T$**



- **Cross-section for  $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow e^+e^-$  LPAIR theory:**

$$\sigma = 1.71 \pm 0.01 \text{ nb}$$

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# Exclusive $e^+e^-$ Production (4)

$$\sigma_{MEASURED} = 1.6^{+0.5}_{-0.3} \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.3 \text{ (sys) pb}$$

- **Agrees with LPAIR theory:**  
 $\sigma_{LPAIR} = 1.71 \pm 0.01 \text{ pb}$
- **Probability of 1.9  $\rightarrow \geq 16 = 1.3 \times 10^{-9}$  - corresponds to  $5.5\sigma$  "observation"**
- **This is the first observation of exclusive two-photon produced  $e^+e^-$  interactions in hadron-hadron collisions**
- **The LHC can rely on measuring such processes for luminosity measurement, etc.**

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## Observation of Exclusive Electron-Positron Production in Hadron-Hadron Collisions

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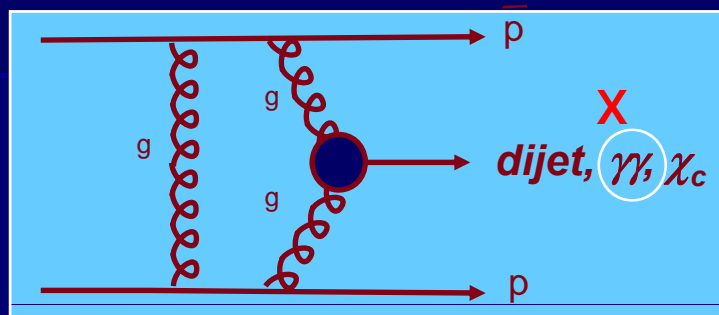
*We have many more candidates in new data with dedicated 2-EM shower trigger*

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# Exclusive $\gamma\gamma$ Study (1)



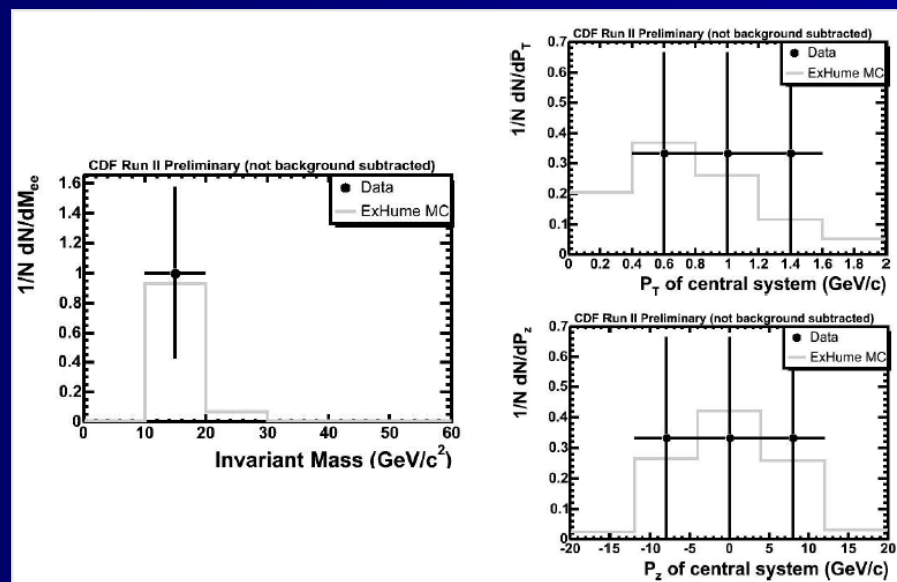
where  $X$  has  $J^{PC} = 0^{++}$

- **Exclusive  $\gamma\gamma$  events:**
  - selected in the same way as  $e^+e^-$  (except tracking)
- **Selected in the same way as  $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow e^+e^-$  (except tracks)**  
agreement of  $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow e^+e^-$  cross section gives confidence in analysis methodology

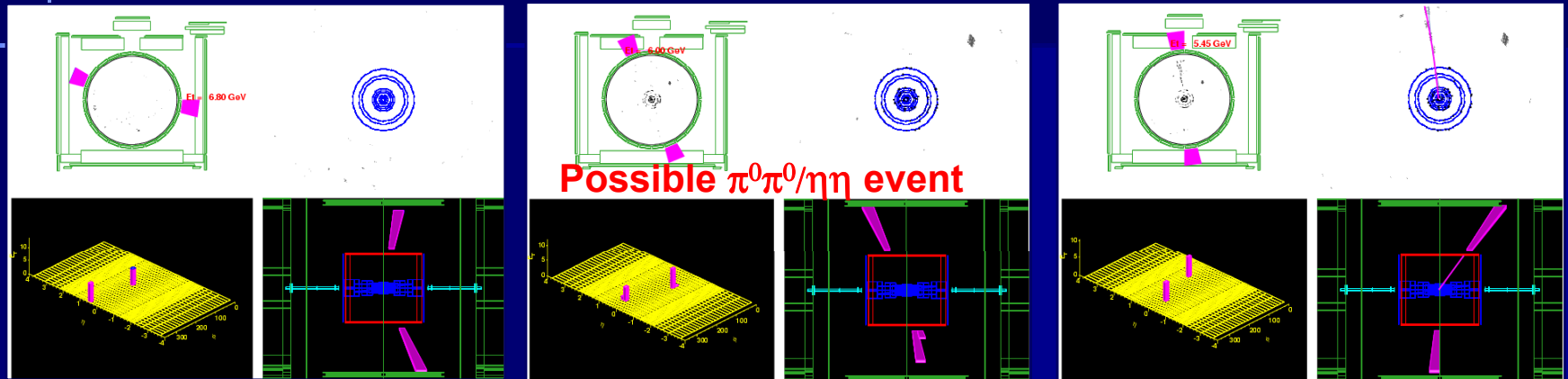


# Exclusive $\gamma\gamma$ Study (2)

- 3 candidate events are found in 532 pb<sup>-1</sup> of Run II data.
- Background  $0.09 \pm 0.04$  events (dominated by misid. of excl.)
- Good agreement on kinematics with ExHume MC (Monk & Pilkington. hep-ph/0502077)
- $0.8^{+1.6}_{-0.5}$  events predicted from ExHuME MC -2 candidates are almost certainly  $\gamma\gamma$  but the  $\pi^0\pi^0/\eta\eta$  hypotheses cannot be excluded



# Exclusive $\gamma\gamma$ Candidates (1)



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## Search for Exclusive $\gamma\gamma$ Production in Hadron-Hadron Collisions

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*We have found >10 more candidates in new data with new di-EM shower trig.*

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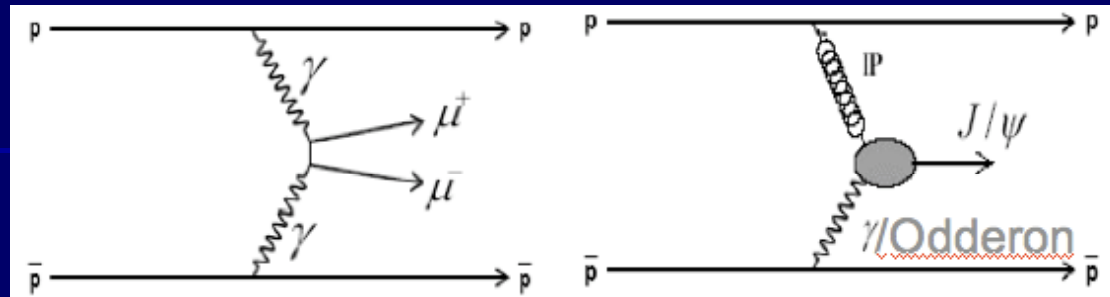
# Exclusive $\gamma\gamma$ Candidates (2)

- *The upper limit of the cross-section  $pp \rightarrow p \gamma\gamma p$  is set at 410 fb with 95% confidence level ( taking into account the background + its uncertainty, signal selection efficiency, &  $L_{int}$ )*
- *If 2 of the 3 candidates are  $\gamma\gamma$  events we obtain a cross section:*

$$\sigma(\text{excl}) = \sigma_{\gamma\gamma} \approx 16 \text{ fb}$$

**Durham Group Khoze, Martin, Ryskin & Stirling  
hep-ph/0507040 Eur.Phys.J C38 (2005) 475 :  
38 fb with factor  $\sim 3$  uncertainty**

# Exclusive $\mu^+\mu^-$ Production (1)

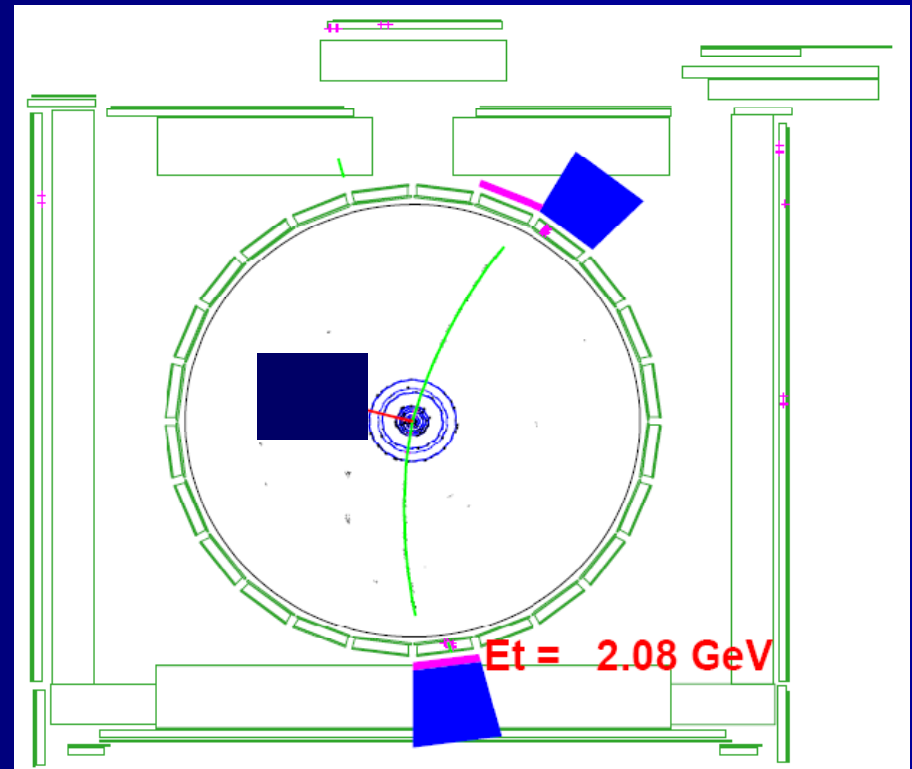
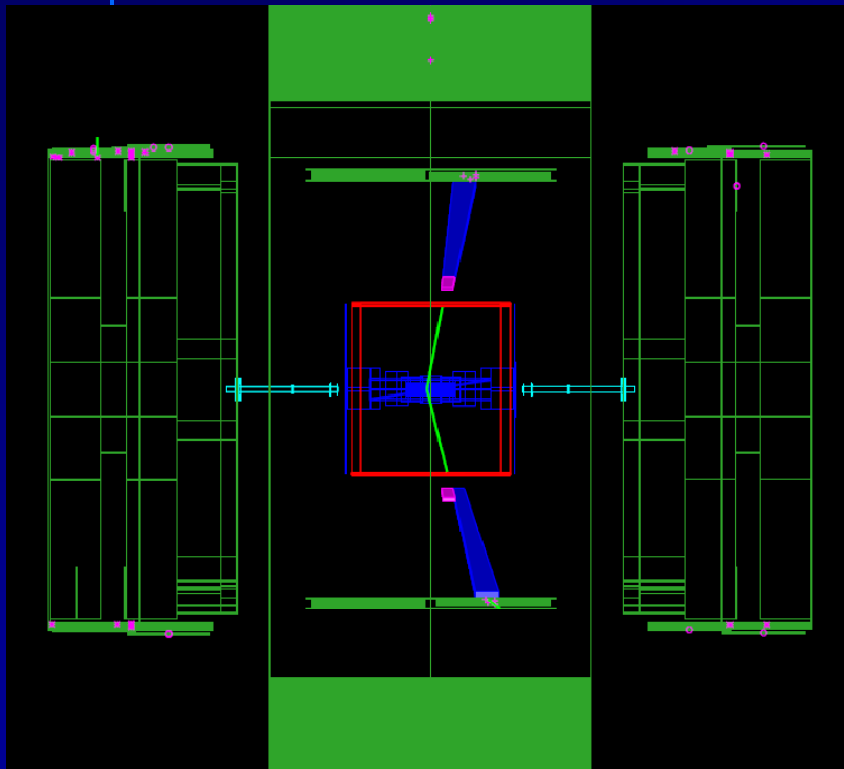


- **Trigger (DIFF\_CHIC\_CMU1.5\_PT1.5\_TRK):**
  - BSC Gap, east & west
  - muon + track ( $p_t > 1.3$ ;  $|\eta| < 1.2$ )
  - $2.7 < M(\text{muon} + \text{track}) < 4.0 \text{ GeV}c^2$
- No other activity in the events (to an  $|\eta|$  of 7.4)
- The existing sample corresponds to a luminosity  $1.48 \text{ fb}^{-1}$
- Also higher mass muons have just been stripped, (trigs with  $p_t(\mu) > 4 \text{ GeV}$ , 2 muons, no Df requirement).
- Should be very efficient for dimuons, with  $M > \sim 9 \text{ GeV}$ , covering the Upsilon region and above.

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# Exclusive $\mu^+\mu^-$ Production (2)

*Example exclusive  $\mu^+\mu^-$  event:  
Run 199559, Event 13120174*



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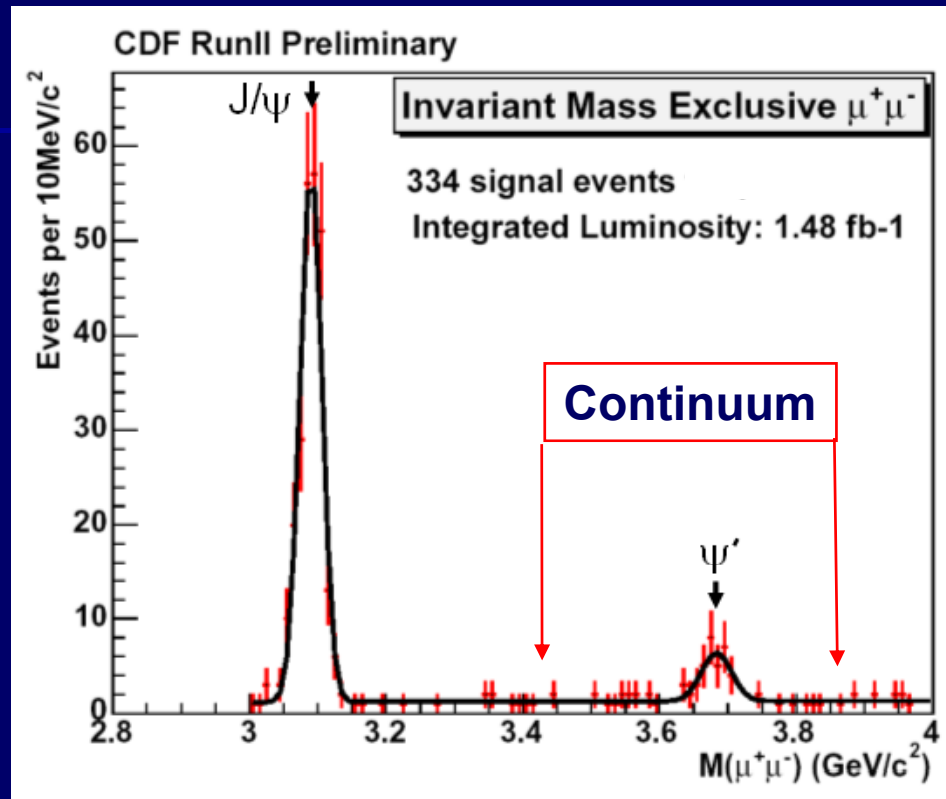
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# Exclusive $\mu^+\mu^-$ Production (3)

- ***Integrated luminosity – 1.48 fb<sup>-1</sup>***
- ***Offline cuts***
  - *Loose quality cuts*
  - *$P_T(\mu) > 1.4 \text{ GeV}/c$  &  $|\eta(\mu)| < 0.6$*
  - *Cosmic ray cuts (abs (delta\_TOF) < 3 ns)*
  - *Exclusivity cuts (same as for the  $e^+e^-$  paper)*
- ***Analysis of cuts is underway***
  - *Acceptance*
  - *Efficiency*
  - *Effective luminosity*
- ***STARLIGHT Monte Carlo simulation employed (S. Klein & J. Nystrand)***

# Exclusive $\mu^+\mu^-$ Candidates (1)



*Many candidate events (334) have been found (CDF-II Preliminary)*

*We expect to increase the number of candidates after review of the cuts*

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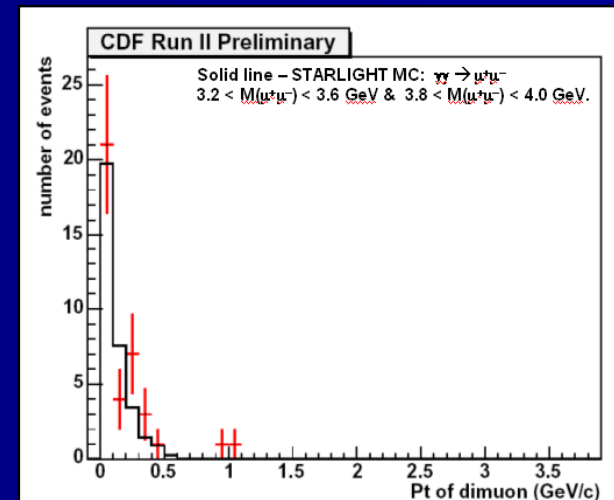
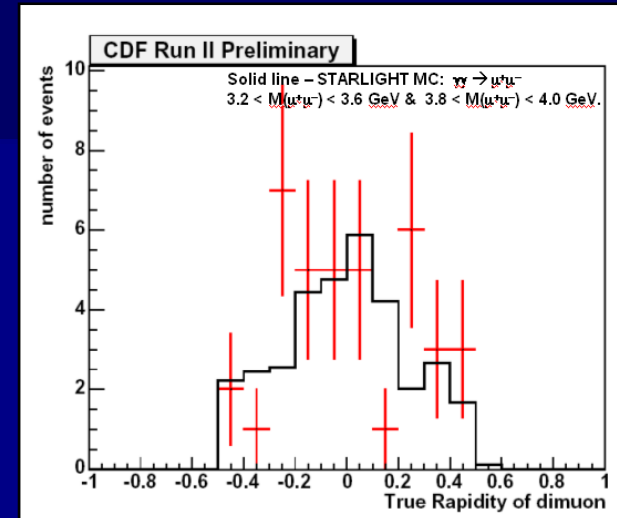
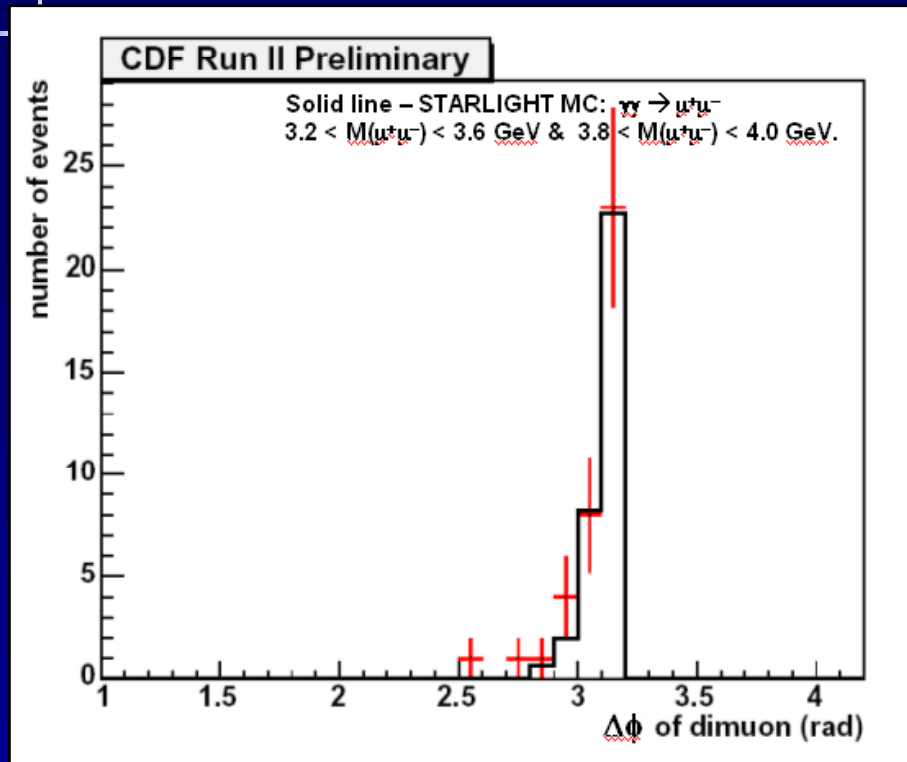
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# Exclusive $\mu^+\mu^-$ Candidates (2)

The  $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$  continuum

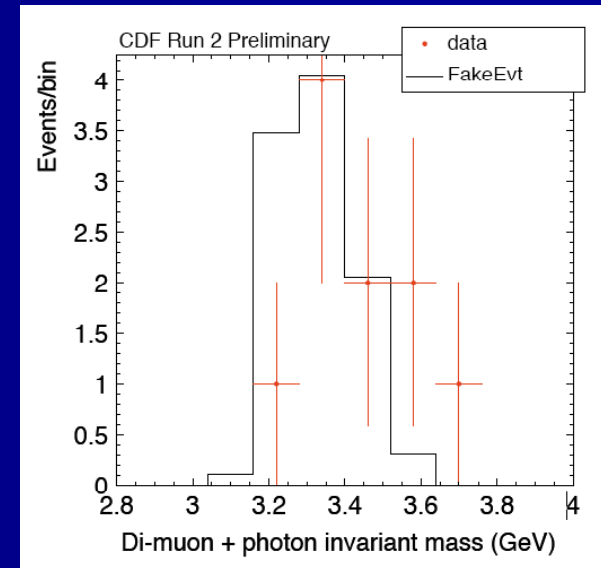
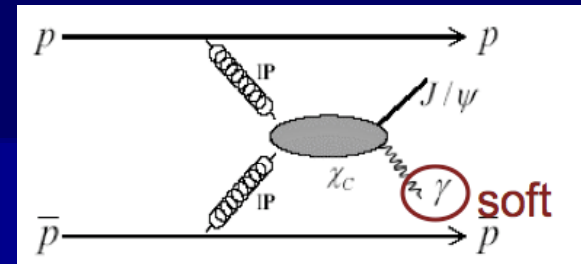


- *Good agreement on kinematics with STARLIGHT MC (Klein & Nystrand)*



# Exclusive $\chi_c$ Production Background

- Similar selection as  $\mu^+\mu^-$  search with additional single isolated EM shower req.
- 10 candidates in  $93 \text{ pb}^{-1}$  of data
- Many more candidates with new trigger
- New ChicMC (James Stirling)
- ExAnalysis in the doldrums after Angela Wyatt left for industry
- It is just now being actively worked on...watch this space
- Problem is - understanding low energy photon background
- Many more events with new trigger



helicity   $\chi_c$    $J/\psi$    $\mu^+\mu^-$   
 polarization  acceptance  
  $\text{Exp}(100 \sin^2 \theta)$

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# Exclusive $\mu^+\mu^-$ Candidates (High Mass) (1)

- *Find Exclusive events using*
  - *Number of associated tracks = 0*
  - *Kinematics:  $\Delta\phi \approx 180^\circ$ ,  $\Delta p_T \approx 0$ , (or  $\Sigma P_T \approx 0$ )*
- *Trigger: 2 central muons with  $p_T > 4$  GeV/c*
- *$L = 890/\text{pb}^{-1} \sim 2.3$  M events.*
- *Remove cosmic rays (timing + colinearity)*
- *Require on beam-line. Count additional (associated) tracks ( $n_{\text{ass}}$ ) within 5 cm of  $\mu^+\mu^-$  vertex.*
- *Cleanliness, backgrounds & acceptances being studied.*
- *Number of events “reasonable” for QED process & Lumi.*

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# Exclusive $\mu^+\mu^-$ Candidates (High Mass) (2)

Invariant Mass - Upsilon Region

$$\Delta\phi > \pi/3, p(\mu^+\mu^-) < 70\%$$

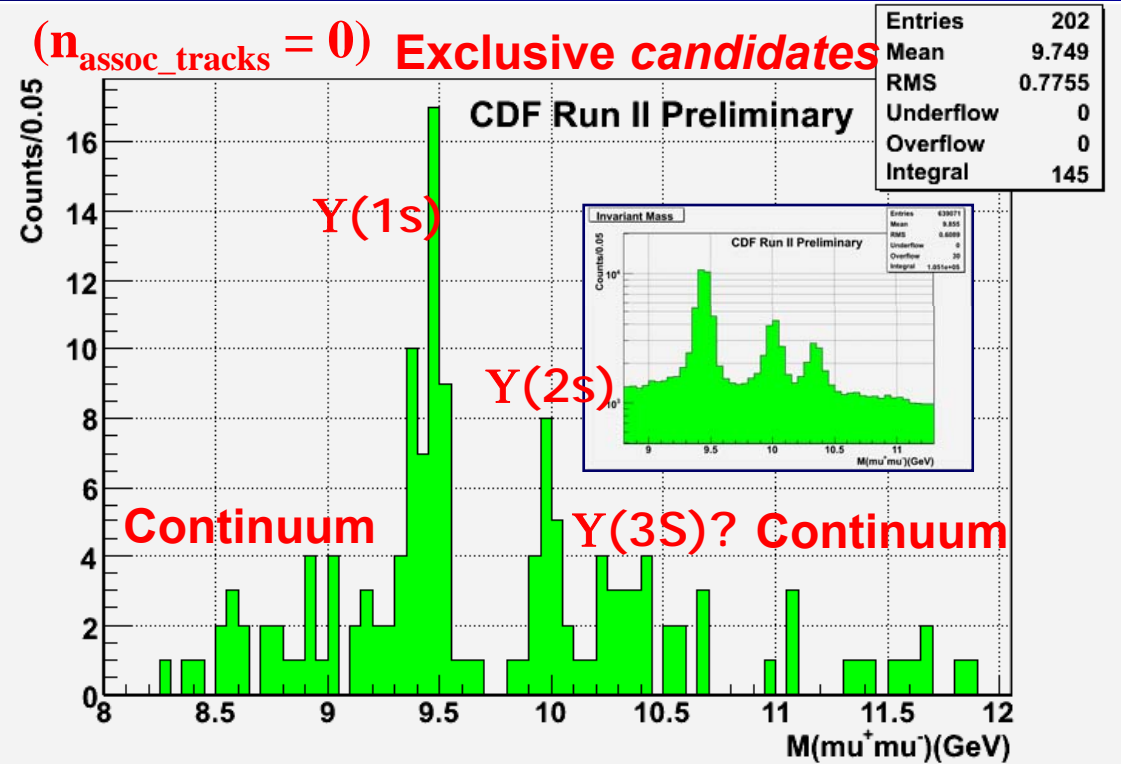
Branching ratios for  $\mu^+\mu^-$  channels:

Y(1s)[ 9.46 GeV] : 2.5%

Y(2s)[10.02 GeV] : 1.3%

Y(3s)[10.36 GeV] : 1.8%

Clearly visible peaks  
Y(1s) and Y(2s),  
perhaps Y(3S) too.  
+ continuum



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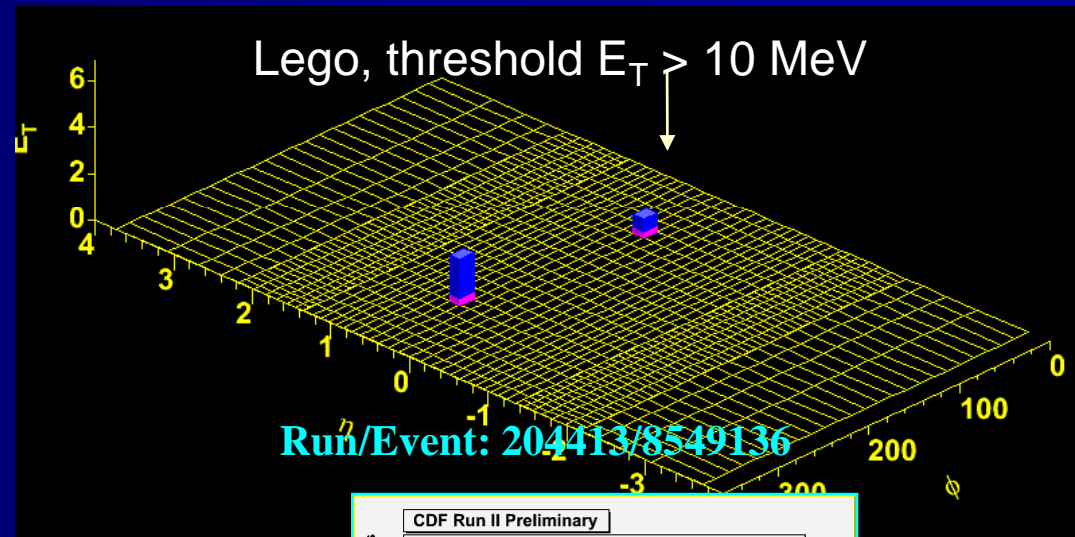
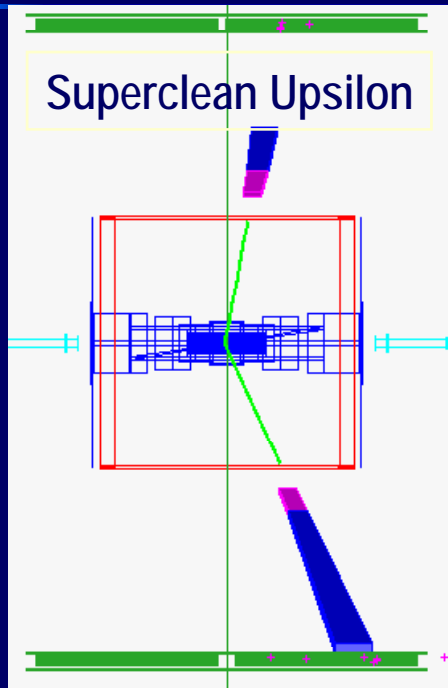
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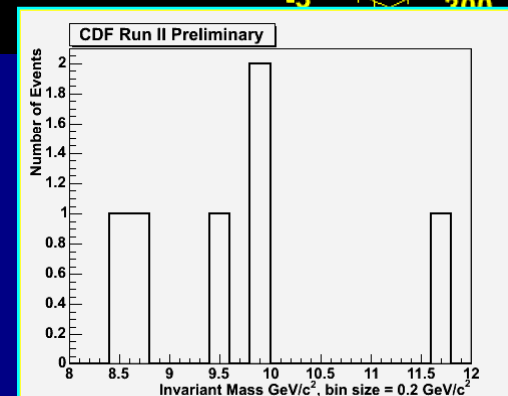
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# Exclusive $\mu^+\mu^-$ Candidates (High Mass) (3)

Now apply “super clean” exclusivity cuts as in low mass  $l$ -pair mass i.e. no pile-up, and only  $\mu$ -pairs detected



145 events in 8 – 12 GeV region  
→ 6 events + 4  $M(\mu^+\mu^-) > 12$  GeV.  
(Most of reduction is killing pile-up)



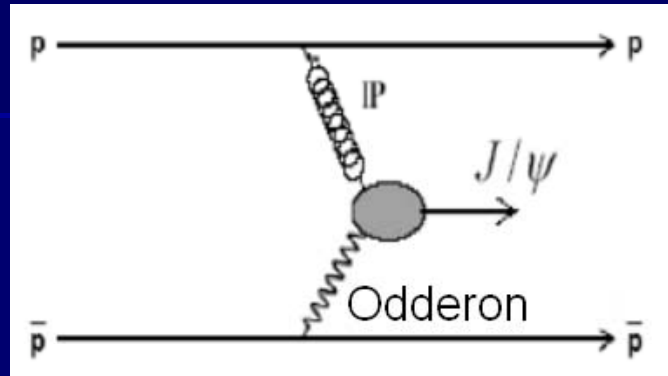
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# Exclusive Di-leptons – a Good Place to Search for the Odderon



- *In perturbative QCD the lowest order prototype of the pomeron is the color neutral system of two gluons.*
- *The odderon is the C-odd partner of the pomeron - the hard odderon skeleton consists of three gluons in a color neutral state.*
- *Global fits of the available hh and hh-bar data seem to establish that HE scattering dominated by exchange of the C = P = +1 Pomeron.*
- *If the Odderon exists it would contribute to the exclusive J/ψ and ψ' signal and be part of our signal*
- *The Odderon would contribute to J/ψ, ψ', Y peaks unlike the χ<sub>c</sub> background*

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# Conclusion

- *The paper on the observation of exclusive  $p\text{-}p \rightarrow p + e^+e^- + p$  production has been published in PRL (March 2007)*
  - *Studies continue with new low  $E_T$  di-photon trigger*
- *The study of exclusive  $p\text{-}p \rightarrow p + \gamma\gamma + p$  production was published in PRL (December 2007)*
  - *Studies are continuing with a new low  $E_T$  di-photon trigger ( $E_T > 3\text{GeV}$ )*
- *The study of  $p\text{-}p \rightarrow p + \mu^+\mu^- + p, J/\psi, J/\psi', Y$ , is underway*
- *Implications for the LHC*
  - *Use of  $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^- / e^+e^-$  as a luminosity monitor*
  - *Study of  $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^- g\text{-}p \rightarrow Y \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$  as a calibration for FP420 is underway*
  - *Exclusive study of  $p\text{-}p \rightarrow J/\psi, \psi', \dots \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$  is a good place to search for the odderon*
  - *The process  $p\text{-}p \rightarrow \gamma\gamma/\chi_c$  is a standard candle for the exclusive Higgs*
  - *We are understanding how to use the LHC as a  $\gamma\gamma, \gamma\text{-}p$  ( $\gamma\text{-}IP$ ) &  $IP\text{-}IP$  collider*

# Extra Slides

# Tevatron Performance



$p\bar{p}$  collisions @  $\sqrt{s} = 1.96 \text{ TeV}$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{inst}} = 20 \text{ to } 160 \times 10^{30} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$$

$$\overline{\Delta t}_{\text{bunch}} = 580 \text{ ns} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{radius} = 1 \text{ km} \\ 36 \text{ bunches} \end{array}$$

$$\sigma_{\text{inel}} = 60 \text{ mb}$$

$$\overline{n} = \sigma_{\text{inel}} \mathcal{L}_{\text{inst}} \overline{\Delta t}_{\text{bunch}}$$

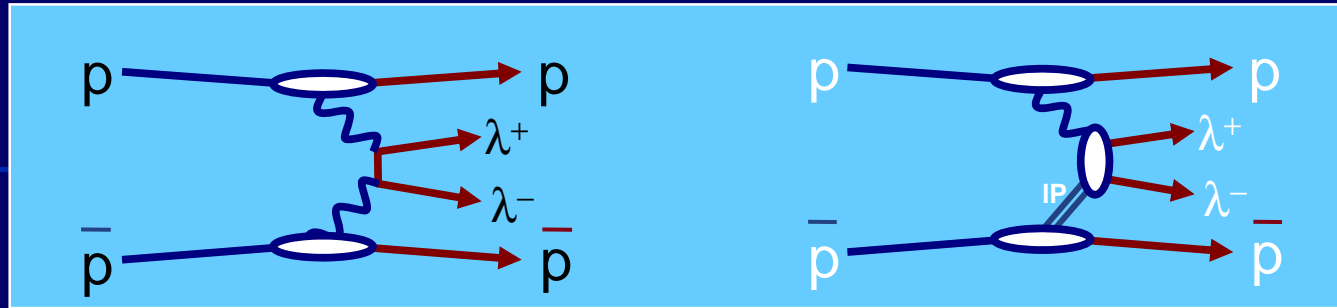
$\sim 1 \text{ to } 6 \text{ interactions per crossing}$

very important when searching for exclusive states without proton taggers

Collider Run II – anticipated  $6 \rightarrow 7 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  by end FY09  
with 2010 running  $7 \rightarrow 9 \text{ fb}^{-1}$



# Motivation: for Exclusive Studies (1)



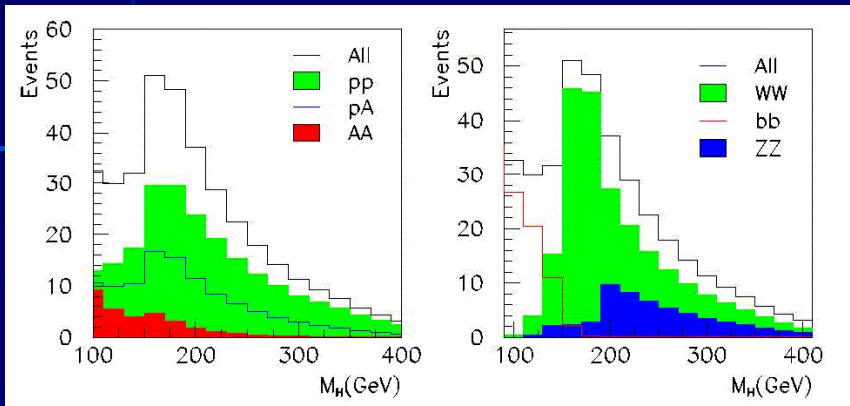
- We are looking at *exclusive* channels to study:
  - LHC as a  $\gamma\gamma$  collider - exclusive production models for new and SM physics
  - Measurement of luminosity at the LHC &
  - Calibration of forward detectors (FP420) using  $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow l^+l^-$
  - LHC as a  $\gamma p$  collider higher energy reach & luminosity yield than for  $\text{@@}$  case
  - Experimental techniques to select exclusive events at the LHC
- *Advantages:* reconstruct mass of central state (*if protons tagged*)

## Related measurements:

In pp Collisions:  
D. Antreasyan et al., CERN-EP/80-82 (1980).  
In ep Collisions:

In Heavy Ion Collisions:  
A. Belkacem et al., Phys. Rev. A 56, 2806 (1997);  
C. Vane et al., Phys. Rev. A 50, 2313 (1997);  
R. Baur et al., Phys. Lett. B 332, 471 (1994);  
J. Adams et al., Phys. Rev. C 70, 031902 (2004).

# Motivation: for Exclusive Studies (2)

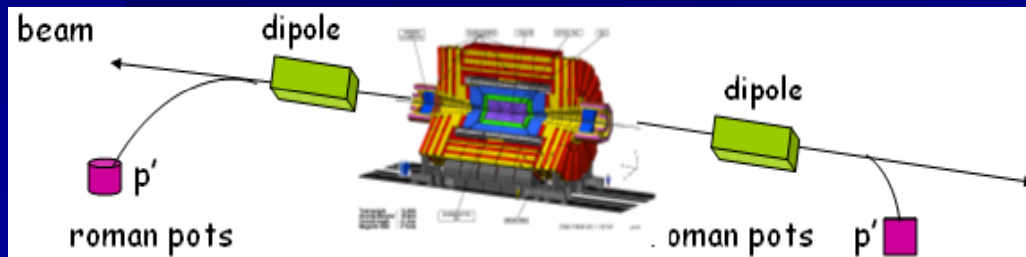


$\gamma\gamma \rightarrow tt$   
 $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow H$

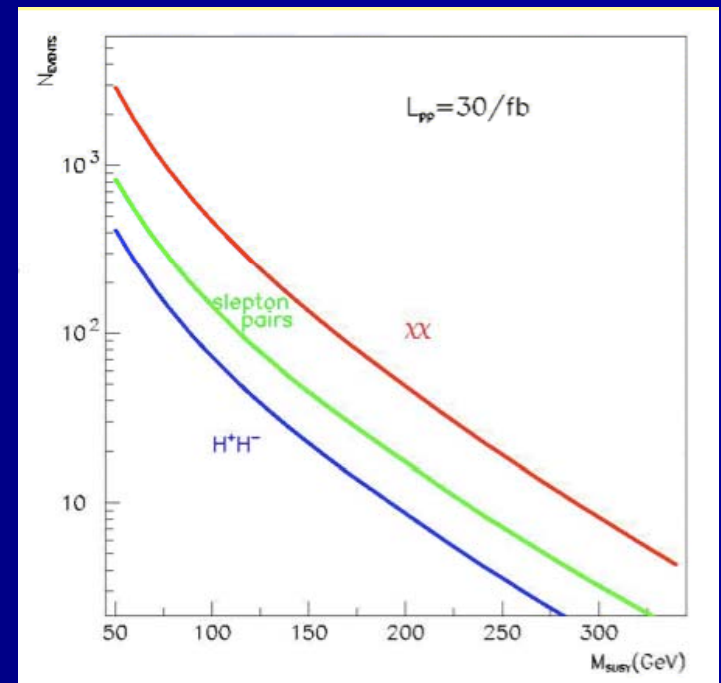
$\gamma\gamma \rightarrow \chi\chi$   
 $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow S+S$

Number of Higgs events for single tags and assuming integrated luminosity of 30, 0.3 and 0.03 fb<sup>-1</sup> for pp, pAr and ArAr collisions, respectively.

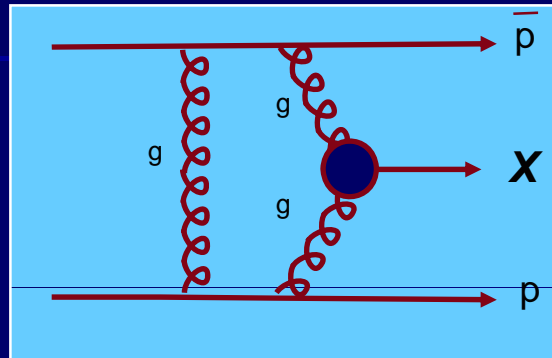
~1% of pp luminosity



Reconstruct central state using FP420



# Motivation: for Exclusive Studies (3)



where  $X$  has  $J^{PC} = 0^{++}$

- *Two significant advantages over inclusive case:*
  - *mass of  $X$  can be determined from outgoing protons*
  - *'measures' the quantum numbers of  $X$*
- *Exclusive channels we are looking at involve photons:*
  - *$\forall \gamma\gamma$  - very 'clean' signature, but low cross section*
- *This channel is a Standard Candle for exclusive DPE Higgs prod.*  
*(Calculations of V.Khoze et al., show that pomeron-pomeron cross-sections for Higgs production are a few times larger than for the  $\gamma\gamma$  case)*

# Central Exclusive 2-Photon Production

Cleanest test of p+H+p theory

MGA et al. (2001) hep-ex/0511057

Khoze, Martin and Ryskin, hep-ph/0111078, Eur.Phys.J. C23: 311 (2002)

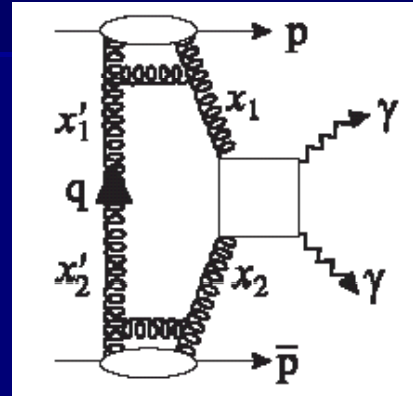
KMR+Stirling hep-ph/0409037

QCD diagram identical to pHp

$N(\gamma) \sim 10-200$

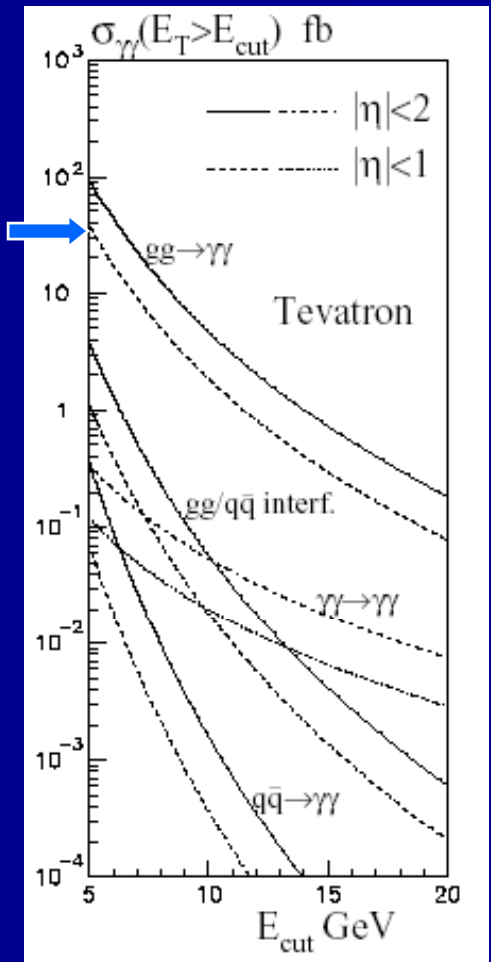
$x_1, x_2 \sin^2 \theta$

top  $\square$  u(rarity)



38 fb

Tevatron



$\sigma_{\gamma\gamma} \sim 10^{-1} \text{ fb} \sim 5 \text{ GeV} \times 10^{-1}$

Claim factor  $\sim 4$  uncertainty

$\gamma \square \gamma \& \bar{q} \square \gamma \text{ multistep}$

# Exclusive $e^+e^-$ Study Results

- Jet Fakes:  $0.0^{+0.1}_{-0.0}$  events
  - Cosmics: negligible
  - Inclusive (QCD) events:  $0.3 \pm 0.1$  events
  - Dissociation events:  $1.6 \pm 0.3$  events
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- Electron ID:  $(26 \pm 3) \%$
  - Cosmic Rejection:  $(93 \pm 3) \%$
  - Final State Radiation:  $(79 \pm 5) \%$
  - Exclusive Cuts:  $8.6 \%$

$\sigma_{measured} = 1.6(stat) \pm 0.3(sys) pb$  corresponds to  $5.5\sigma$  observation"

LPAIR theory:  $\sigma_{LPAIR} = 1.71 \pm 0.01 pb$

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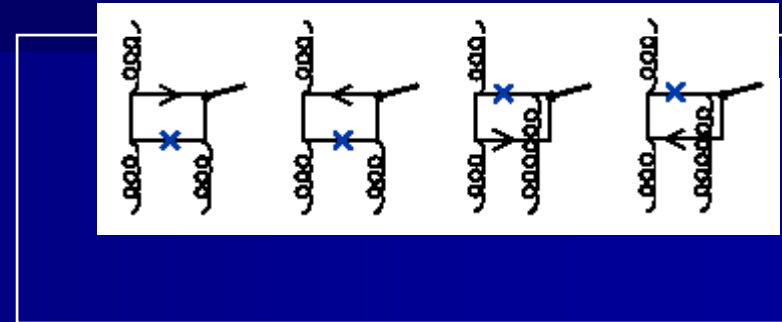
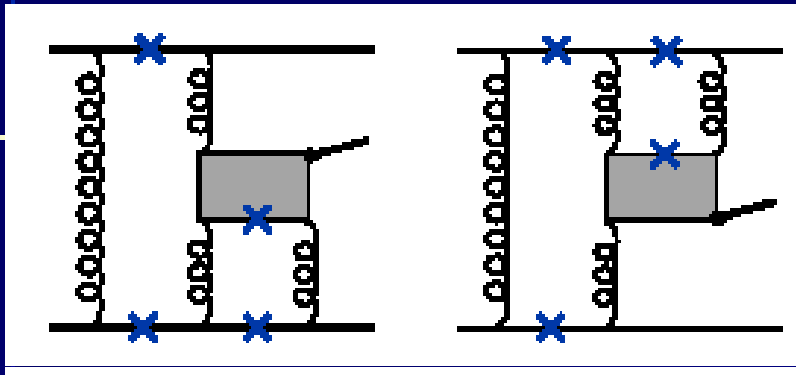
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# The Odderon



- *The color neutral gluon systems, exchanged at high energy scattering processes, can be classified wrt their C parity. The most important one is C-even system with quantum numbers of vacuum i.e. the pomeron.*
- *In perturbative QCD the lowest order prototype of the pomeron is the color neutral system of two gluons.*
- *The odderon is the C-odd partner of the pomeron - the hard odderon skeleton consists of three gluons in a color neutral state.*
- *One would naively expect a suppression by a power of the coupling constant  $s$  for the additional gluon). It is not clear, however, why the contribution of the odderon is so small that it has not been definitely observed by any experiment.*