

# ***Experimental Particle Physics at the LHC: Beyond the Standard Model***

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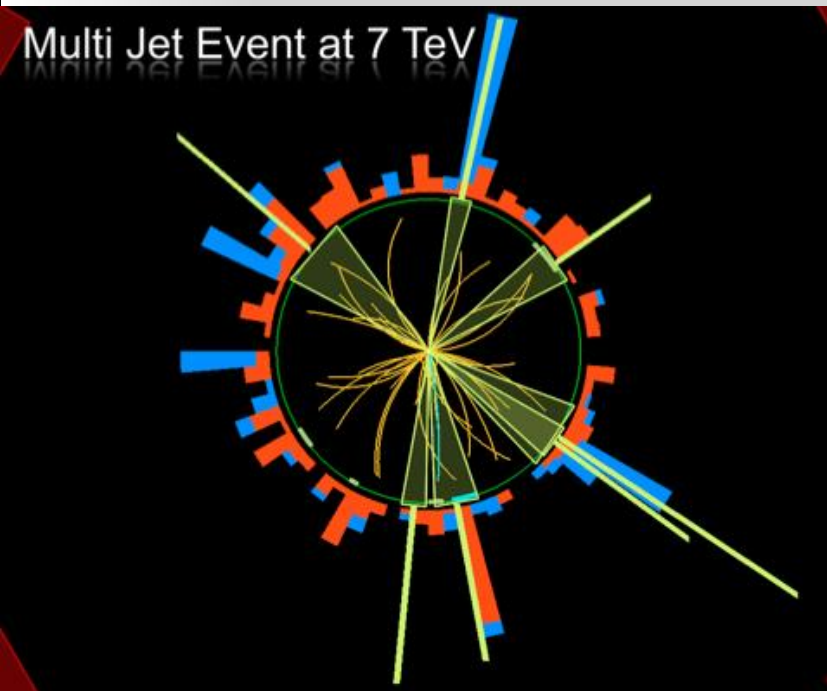




# Lecture Plan

Overview of the 4 lectures in the next days

- **Lecture 1:** Introduction to Experimental Particle Physics at the LHC
- **Lecture 2:** Measurements and test of the Standard Model
- **Lecture 3:** The Higgs Boson
- **Lecture 4:** Searches beyond the Standard Model at the LHC



# Outline Lecture IV

- Search for Physics Beyond the Standard Model
- Search for Exotica
- Search for Supersymmetry
- The dark matter connection
- Summary

# Physics case for new High Energy Machines

Understand the mechanism Electroweak Symmetry Breaking

Discover physics beyond the Standard Model

## Reminder: The Standard Model

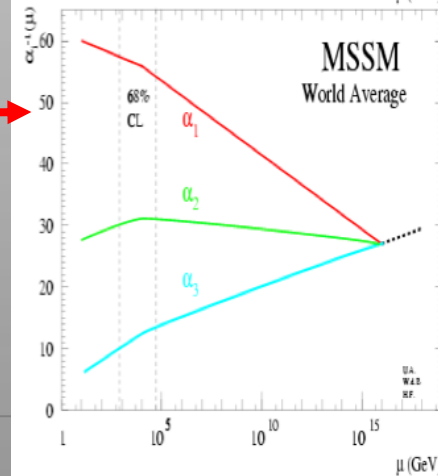
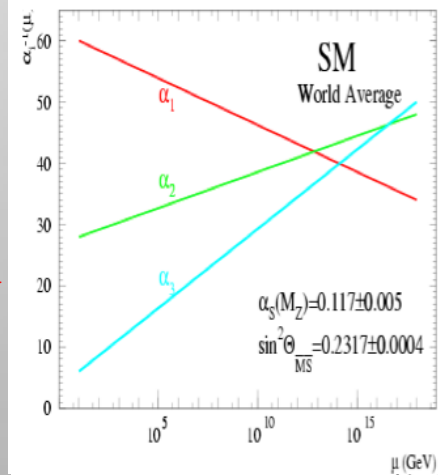
- tells us **how** but not **why**
  - 3 flavour families? Mass spectra? Hierarchy?
- needs fine tuning of parameters to level of  $10^{-30}$  !
- has no connection with gravity
- no unification of the forces at high energy

## Most popular extensions since 2000

- Supersymmetry
- Extra space dimensions

Many other ideas: More symmetry and gauge bosons, L-R symmetry, quark & lepton substructure, Little Higgs models, Technicolor, Hidden Valleys, 4<sup>th</sup> generation...

Higgsless models somewhat disfavoured these days

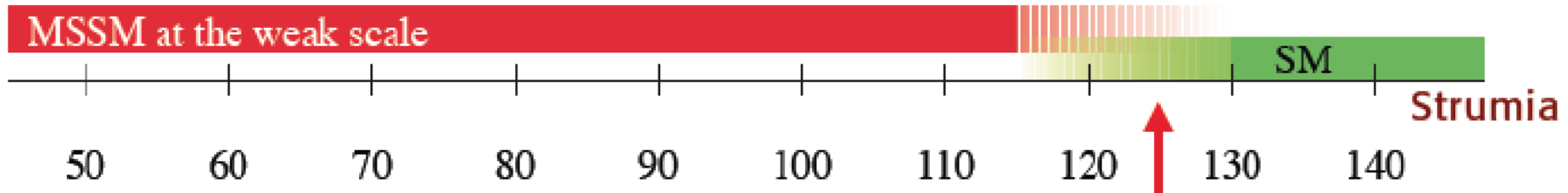




# A Higgs...

A malicious choice!

$$m_H = 125.6 \pm 0.4 \text{ GeV}$$



The Higgs:  
so simple yet so unnatural

Guido Altarelli

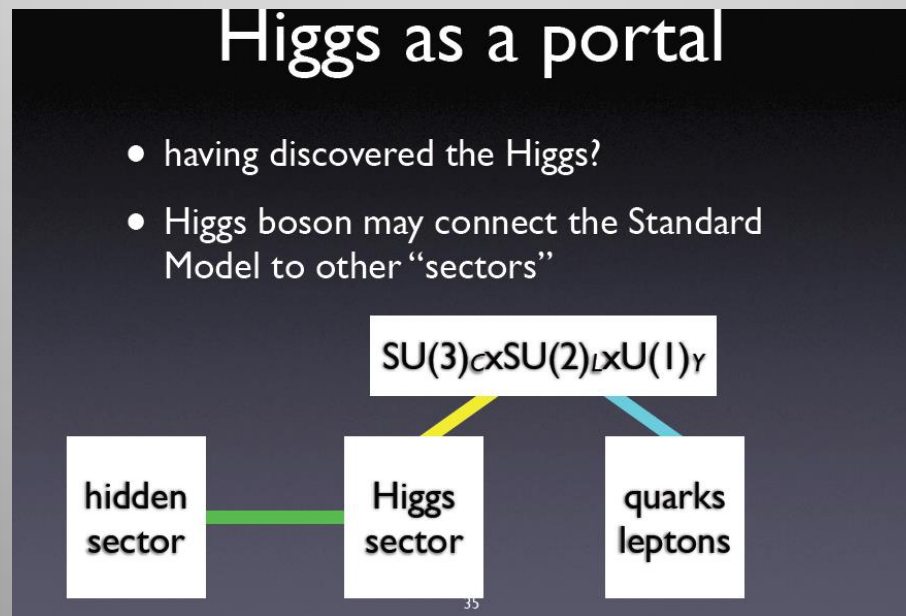
Stockholm Nobel Symposium  
May 2013

We do not understand why the mass of the Higgs is 125 GeV  
It most likely tells us something on what is Beyond the Standard Model

# So, what is Next?

The work is not over yet: Many questions still remain unanswered:

- Is it **THE** Standard Model Higgs boson or a messenger of New Physics ?
- How can we explain a **Higgs mass**  $\sim 126$  GeV? What stabilizes the mass?
- What explains the **mass pattern** of the particles that we observe?
- What is **Dark Matter** and **Dark energy**? Supersymmetry at higher masses??
- Where is the **antimatter** in the Universe? How did it disappear??

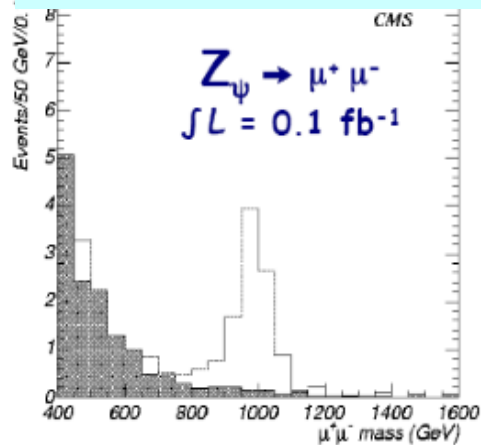


Need for precision measurements with  $\sim 100x$  the present statistics  
**LHC upgrade ! Experiment upgrades!! (Other machines?)**

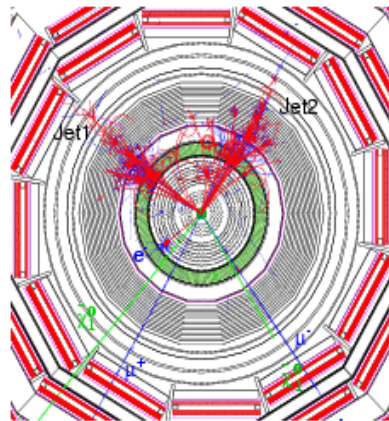


# New Physics?

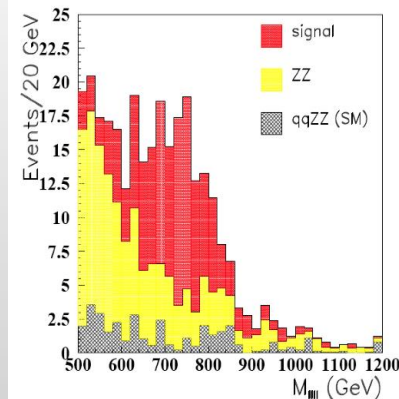
## New Gauge Bosons?



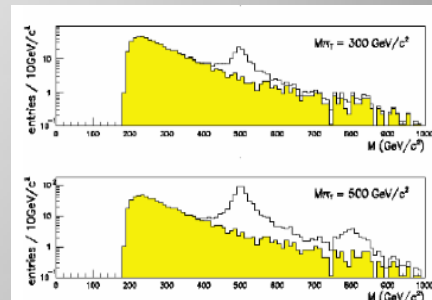
## Supersymmetry



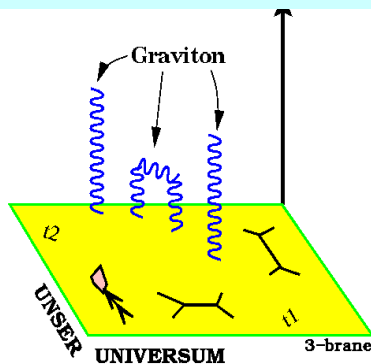
## ZZ/WW resonances?



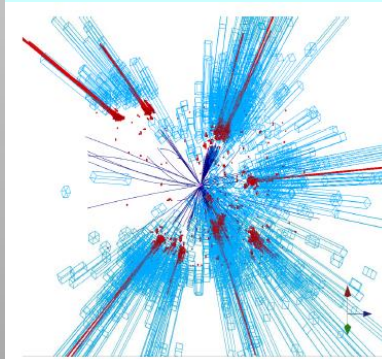
## Technicolor?



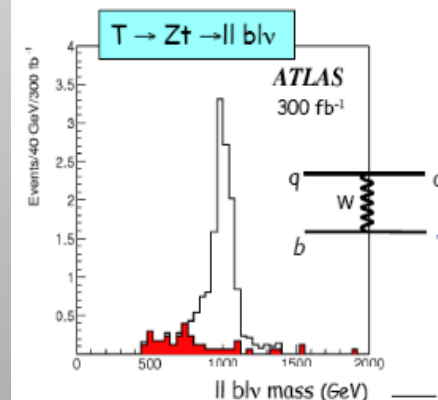
## Extra Dimensions?



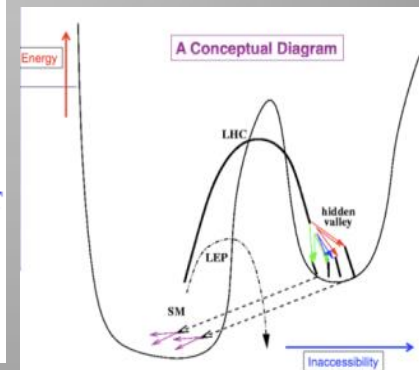
## Black Holes???



## Little Higgs?



## Hidden Valleys?



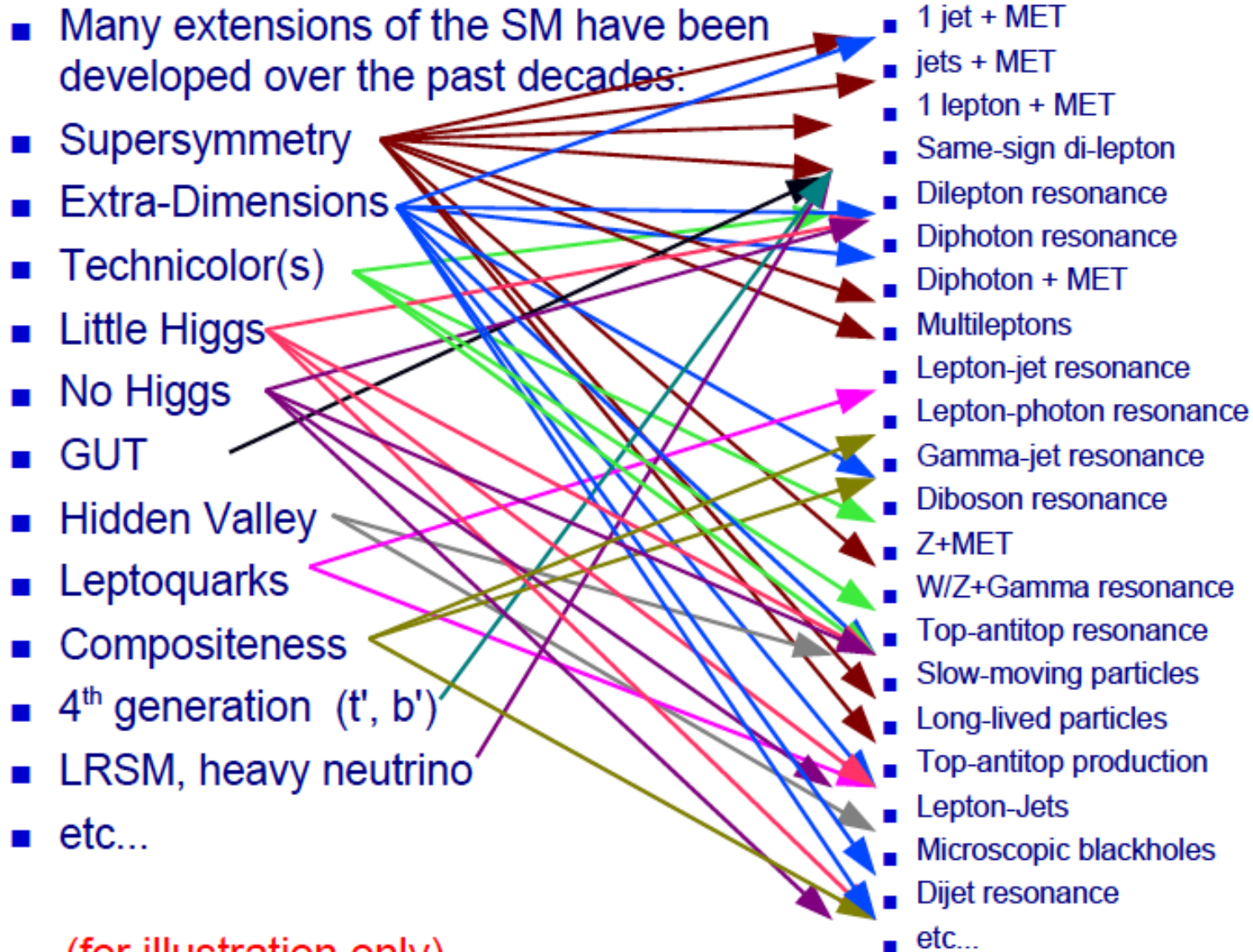
What stabilizes the Higgs Mass? Many ideas, not all viable any more  
A large variety of possible signals. We have to be ready for that

# Exotica

- Search for physics beyond the Standard Model.
- Looking for something weird and unexpected in the data.
- Wide range of possibilities with relative little guidance. Many models and possible phenomena.
- Unlike for Higgs or Supersymmetry
  - No Exotica hunter's guide to show you the way
  - No SUSY map of parameter space to show you the incremental progress with each search
- Instead a wide variety of searches used. Will give examples of that to show the spectrum



# Beyond the SM Signatures



(for illustration only)

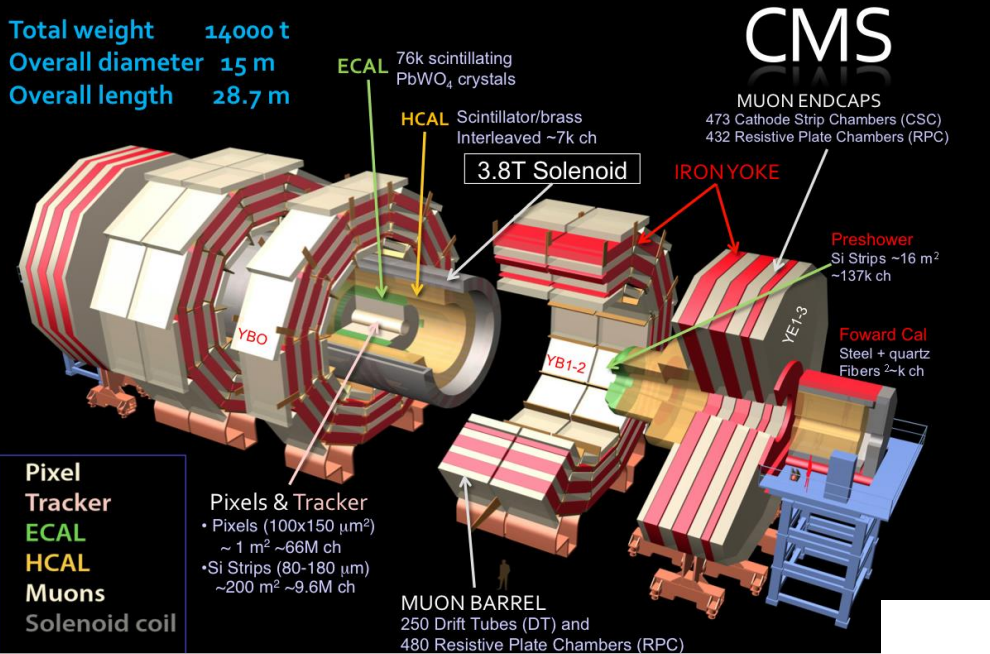
# LHC BSM<sup>(\*)</sup> Hunting Detectors

(\*) Beyond the Standard Model

## The CMS Experiment

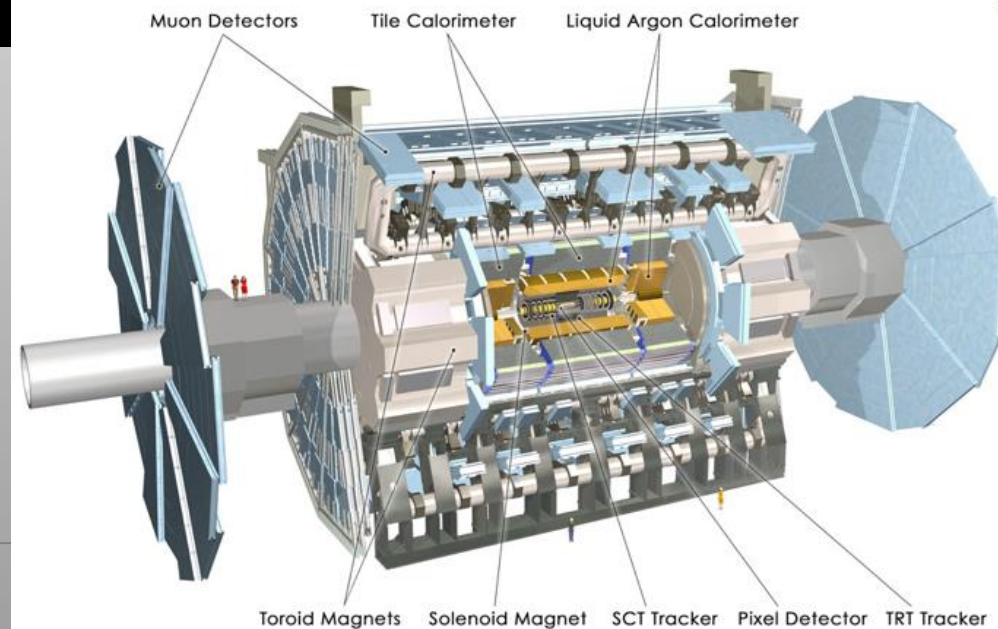
Examples from these experiments

Total weight 14000 t  
Overall diameter 15 m  
Overall length 28.7 m



## The ATLAS Experiment

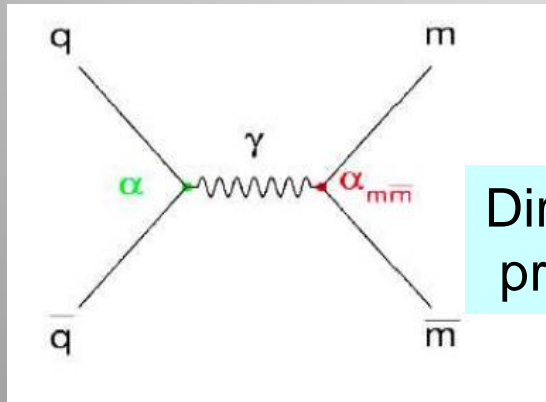
Also LHCb via eg  $B_s \rightarrow \mu\mu$   
and other precision flavor tests



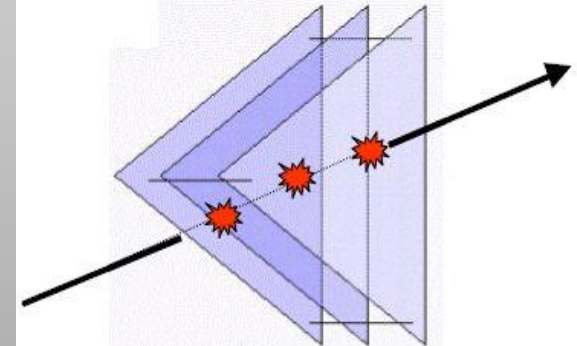
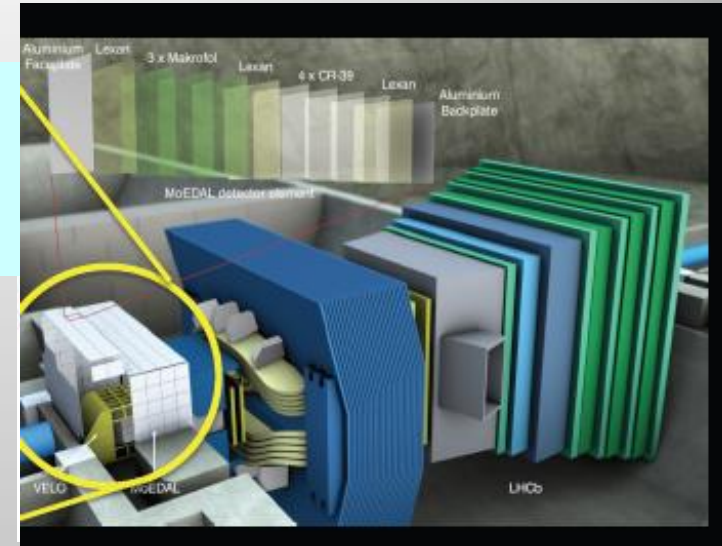
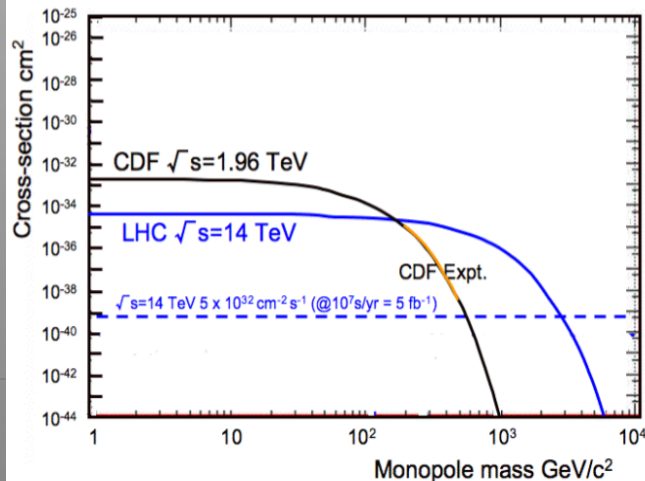


# MoEDAL: Monopole and Exotics Detector at the LHC

Heavy particles which carry “magnetic charge”  
Could eg explain why particles have “integer electric charge”



Direct Monopole production



Remove the sheets after some running time and inspect for ‘holes’

Monopoles also a topic in CMS/ATLAS

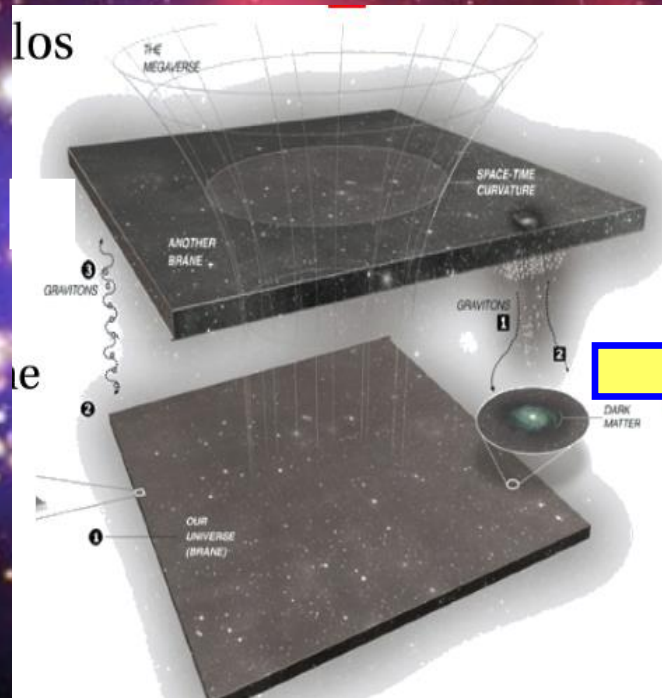
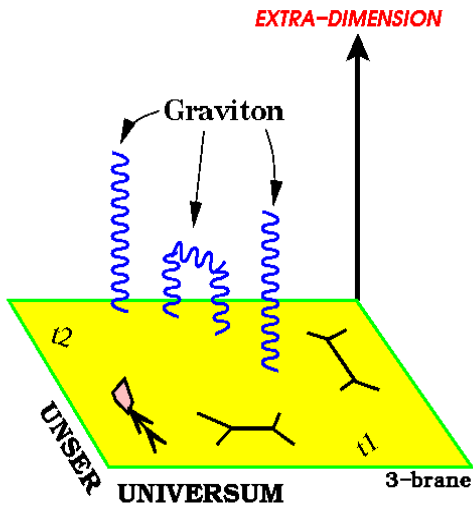
# Extra Space Dimensions

Problem:

$$m_{EW} = \frac{1}{(G_F \cdot \sqrt{2})^{\frac{1}{2}}} = 246 \text{ GeV}$$



$$M_{Pl} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{G_N}} = 1.2 \cdot 10^{19} \text{ GeV}$$



The Gravity force becomes strong!



# Search for Large Extra Dimensions

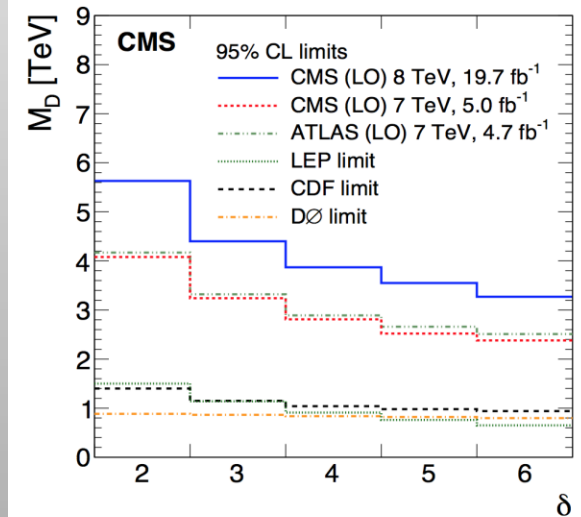
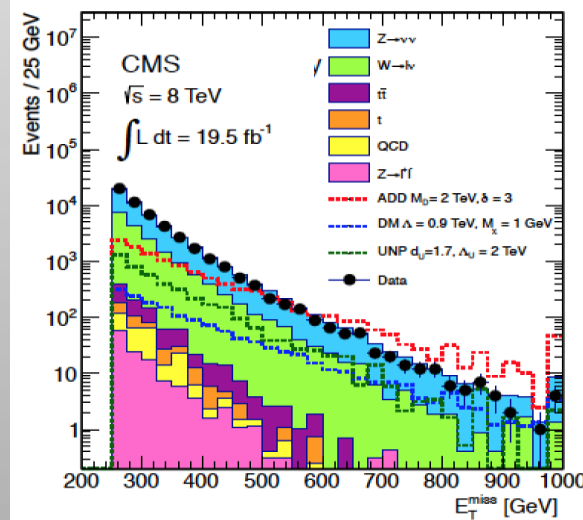
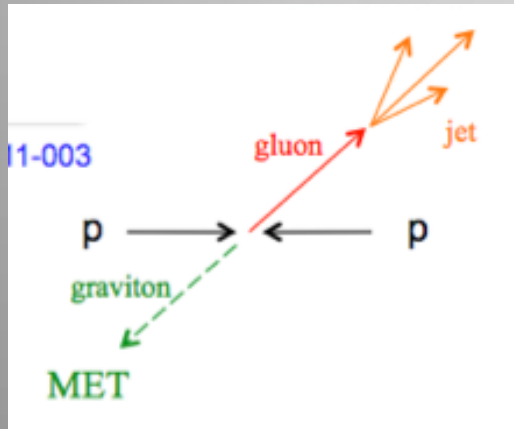
Mono-jet final state + Missing  $E_T$  (ADD)

$p_T \text{ jet} > 110 \text{ GeV}$   
 $\text{MET} > 200 \text{ GeV}$

Limits on  $M_D$   
 between  
 3 and 4 TeV

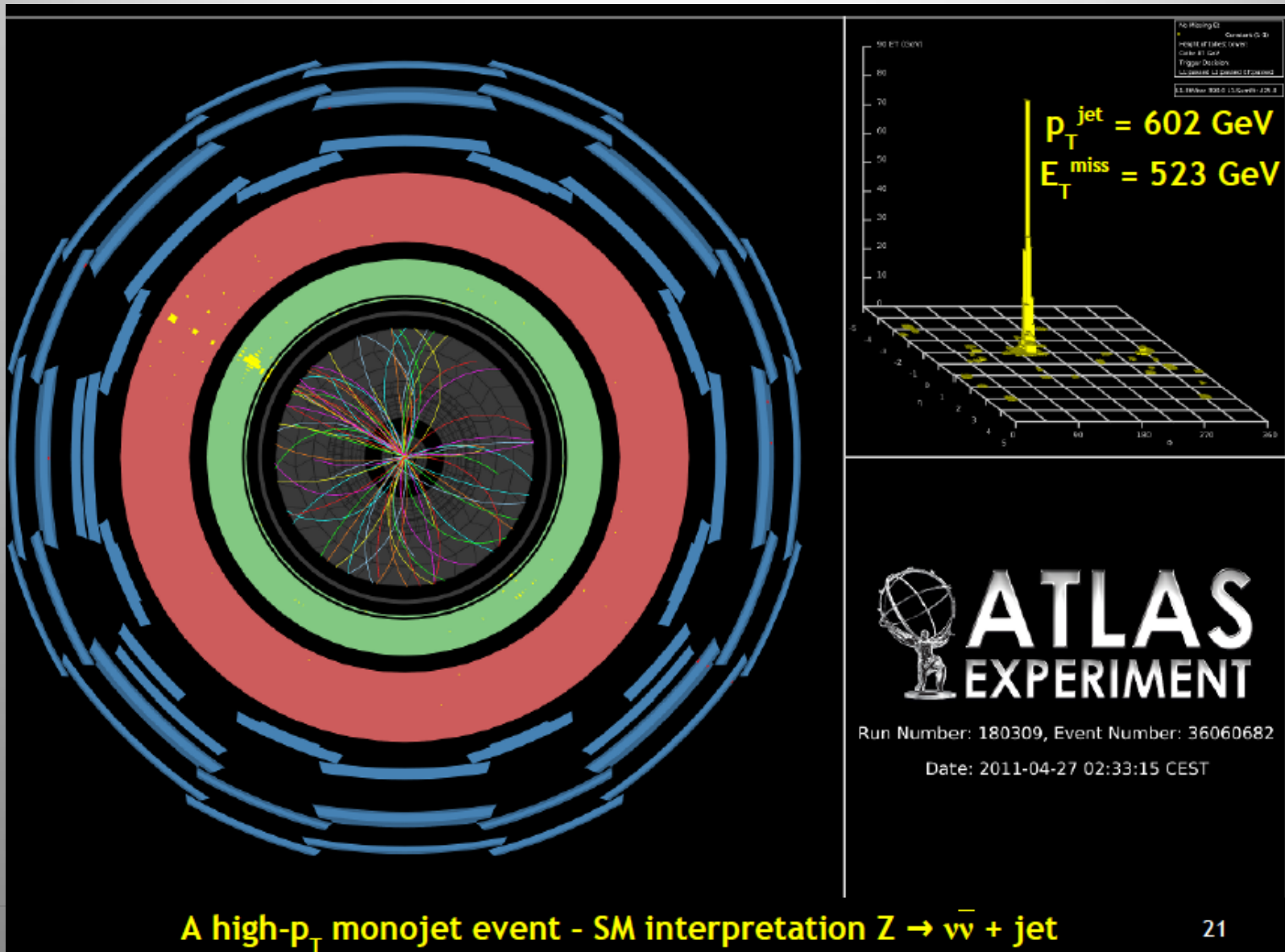
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Lower limit on the Planck Scale  
 versus number of extra dimensions



$M_D$ (ADD) at LO 95% CL limits	$\sqrt{s}$ [TeV]	Lumi [fb <sup>-1</sup> ]	$\delta=3$ Exp.	$\delta=3$ Obs.	$\delta=6$ Exp.	$\delta=6$ Obs.
CMS Monojet	8	19.5	3.94	3.96	2.95	2.94

# A High $p_T$ Mono-jet event



# Quantum Black Holes

- Schwarzschild radius

Landsberg, Dimopoulos, Giddings, Thomas, Rizzo

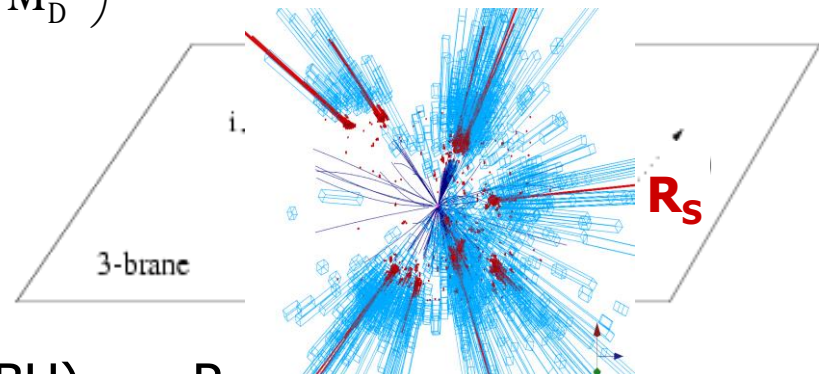
4-dim.,  $M_{\text{gravity}} = M_{\text{Planck}}$  :  $R_s \sim \frac{2}{M_{\text{Pl}}^2} \frac{M_{\text{BH}}}{c^2}$

$$R_s \rightarrow \ll 10^{-35} \text{ m}$$

4 + n-dim.,  $M_{\text{gravity}} = M_D \sim \text{TeV}$  :  $R_s \sim \frac{1}{M_D} \left( \frac{M_{\text{BH}}}{M_D} \right)^{\frac{1}{n+1}}$

$$R_s \rightarrow \sim 10^{-19} \text{ m}$$

Since  $M_D$  is low, tiny black holes of  $M_{\text{BH}} \sim \text{TeV}$  can be produced if partons  $ij$  with  $\sqrt{s_{ij}} = M_{\text{BH}}$  pass at a distance smaller than  $R_s$



- Large partonic cross-section :  $\sigma (ij \rightarrow \text{BH}) \sim \pi R_s$

- $\sigma (pp \rightarrow \text{BH})$  is in the range of 1 nb – 1 fb

Evaporates in  $10^{-27}$  sec

e.g. For  $M_D \sim 1 \text{ TeV}$  and  $n=3$ , produce 1 event/second at the LHC

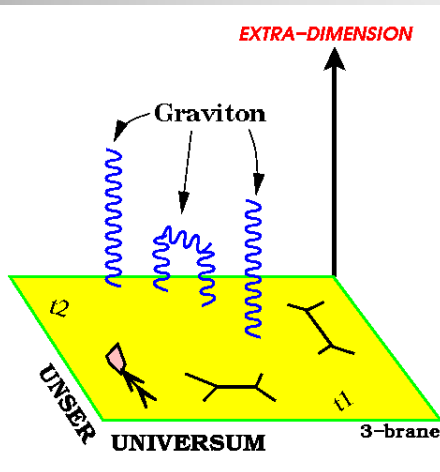
- Black holes decay immediately by Hawking radiation (democratic evaporation)

- large multiplicity
- small missing E
- jets/leptons  $\sim 5$

expected signature (quite spectacular ...)



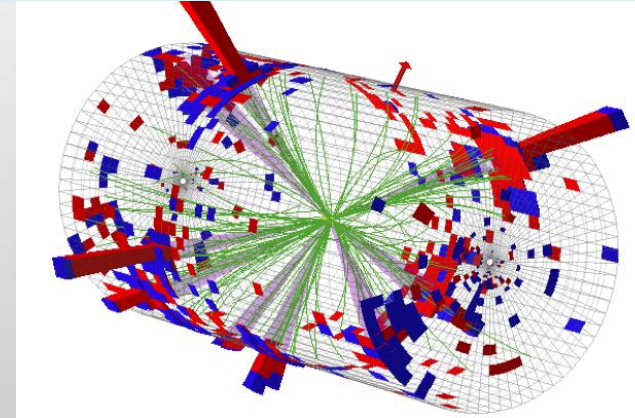
# Search for Micro Black Holes



Nice events, eg a 10 jet event

Extra Dimensions!

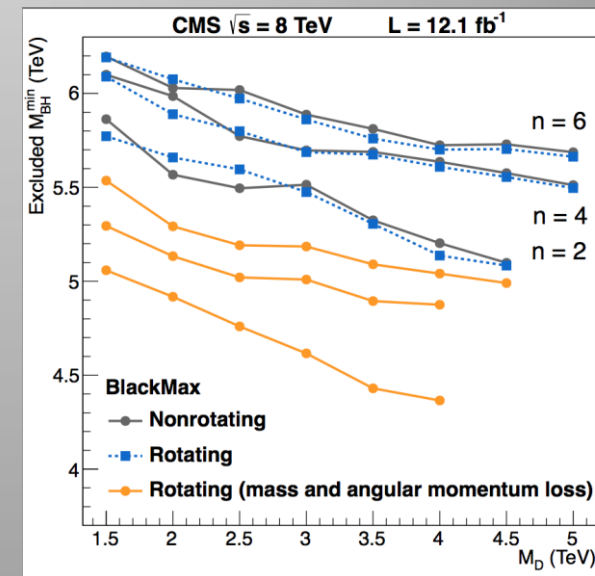
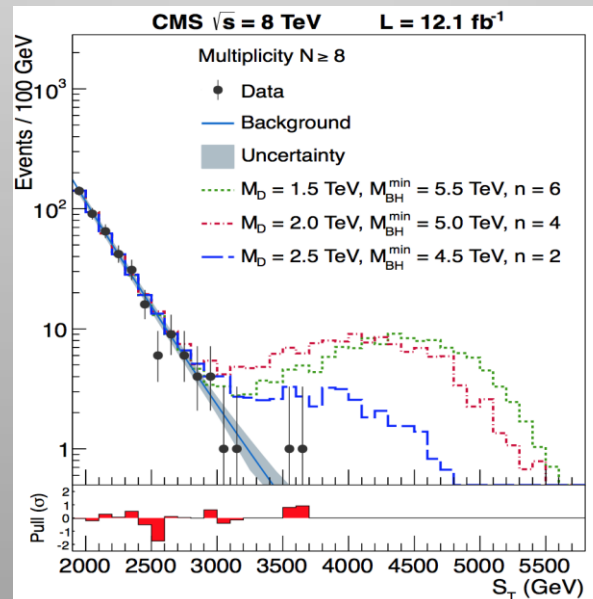
Planck scale  
a few TeV?



arXiv:1202.6396

Look for the decay products  
of an evaporating black hole

- Define  $S_T$  to be the scalar sum of all high  $p_T$  objects found in the event
- Look for deviations at high  $S_T$



Black hole masses excluded in range below  $\sim 5$  TeV depending on assumptions

# **Search for High Mass Resonances**

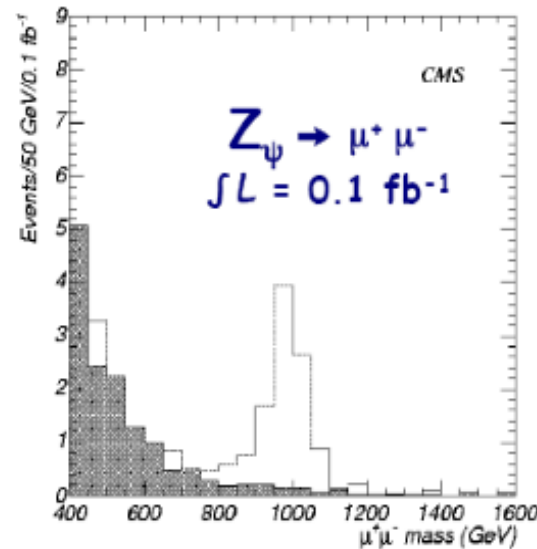
# E.g. Di-lepton Resonance

Plot the di-lepton invariant mass

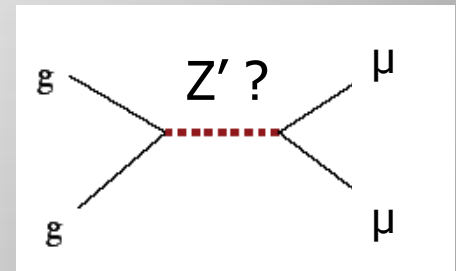
A peak!!

A new particle!!

A discovery!!



Example  
 $pp \rightarrow \mu\mu + X$



Example : The Di-lepton channel

Z'  
(New gauge bosons)

A<sub>H</sub>, Z<sub>H</sub>  
(Little Higgs)

G<sup>(1)</sup>  
(Randall-Sundrum)

γ<sup>(1)</sup>/Z<sup>(1)</sup>  
(TeV<sup>-1</sup> Extra Dimensions)

G<sup>(KK)</sup>  
(ADD)

...



# 2011: Z' Boson to ee or $\mu\mu$ ?

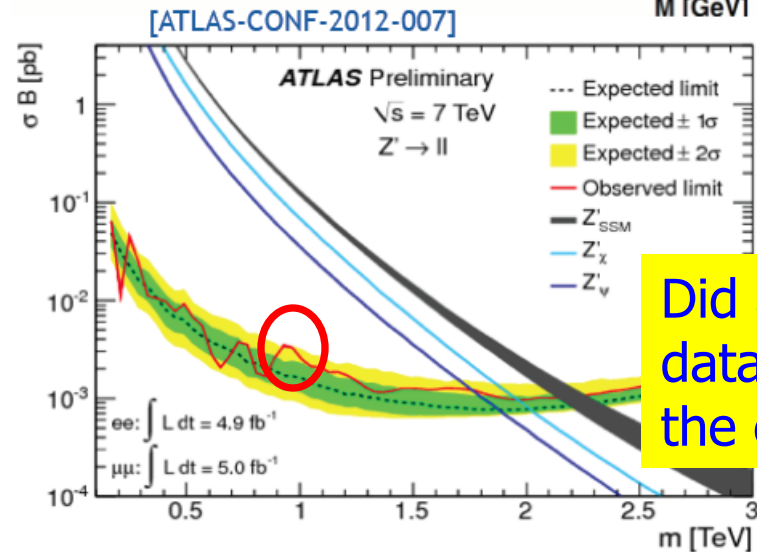
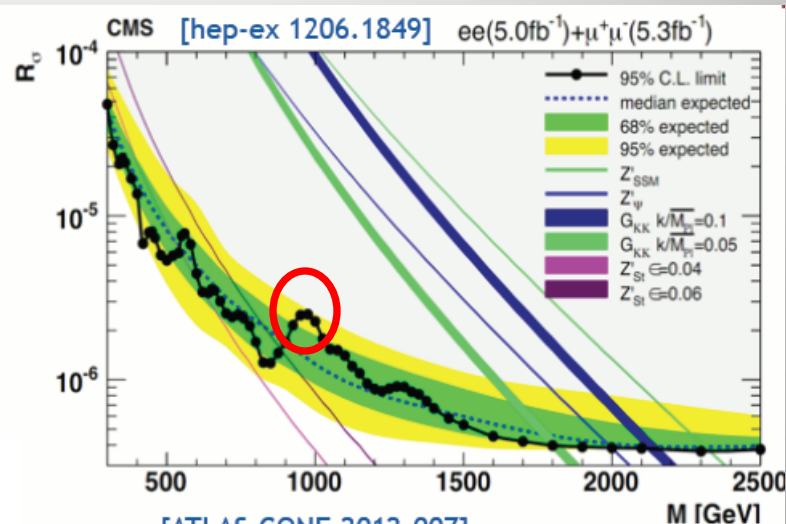
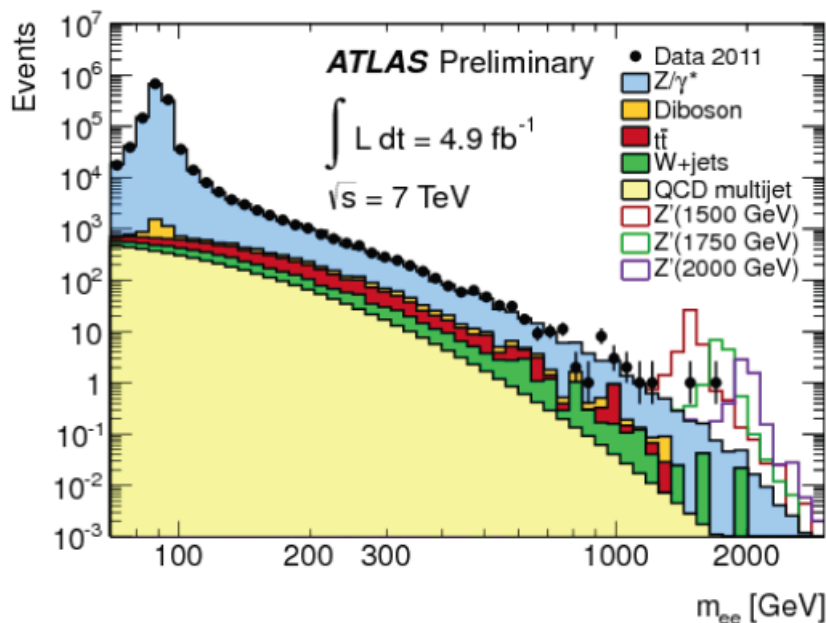
$$SU(3)_C \times SU(2)_L \times U(1)_Y$$

Extension of the symmetry?  
New Gauge bosons?

Mid 2012

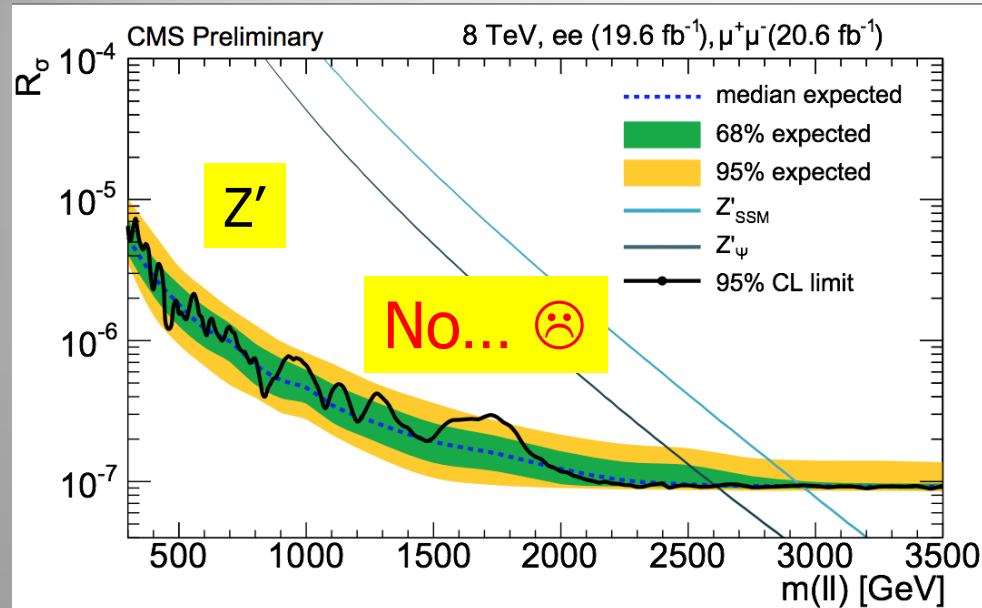
- Many new models have Z-like narrow resonances decaying to dileptons
- Interesting features in dilepton spectra
  - around  $2\sigma$  each for CMS & ATLAS in  $e+\mu$
  - similar in scale to 2011 Higgs excess

*Worth watching in 2012's 8 TeV data...*

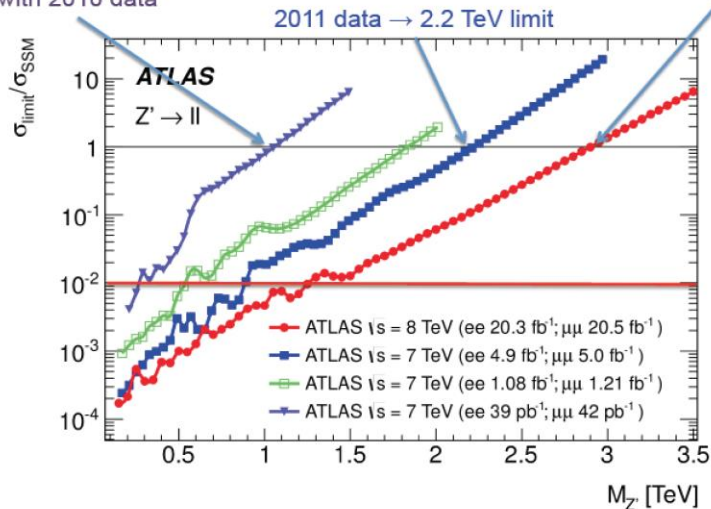


Did additional data confirm the excess??

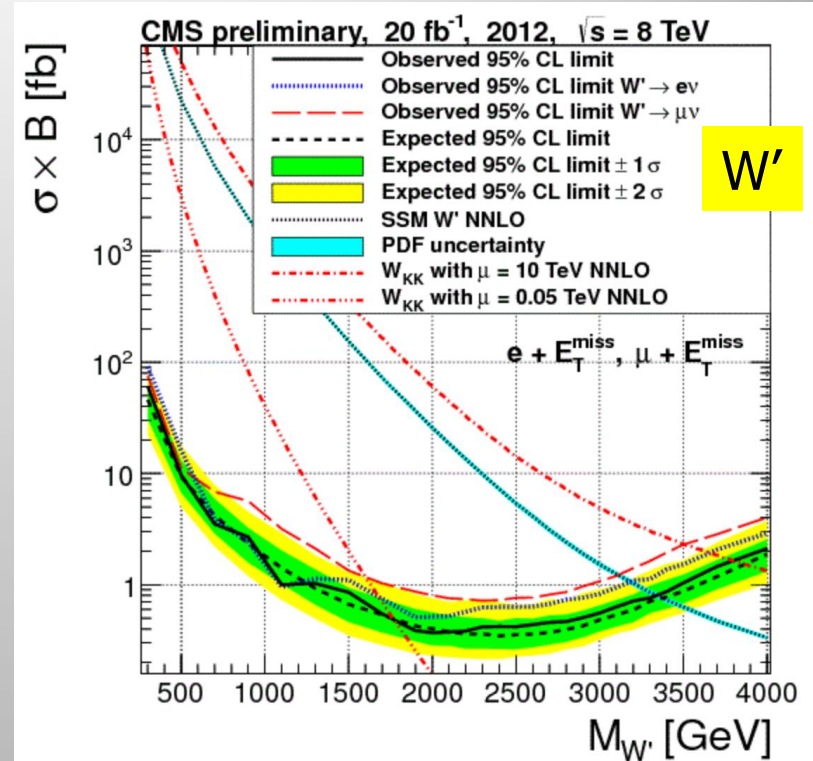
# New Gauge Bosons: $Z'$ , $W'$



Tevatron limits (approx. 1 TeV) reached with 2010 data



Fast increase in limits (1 TeV  $\rightarrow$  3 TeV) in short period of time



$W'$ ,  $Z'$  Limits are now around 3 TeV

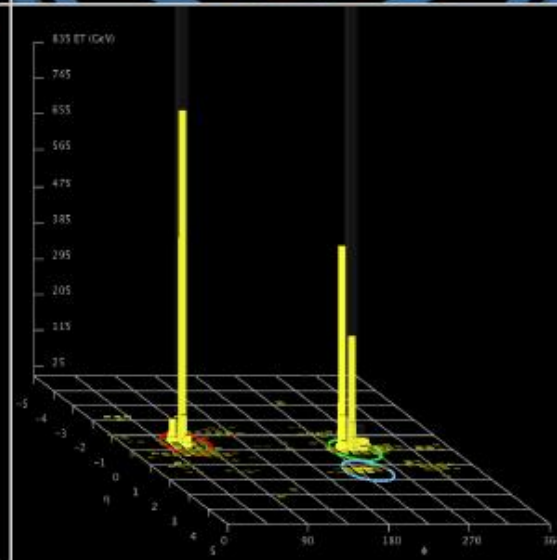
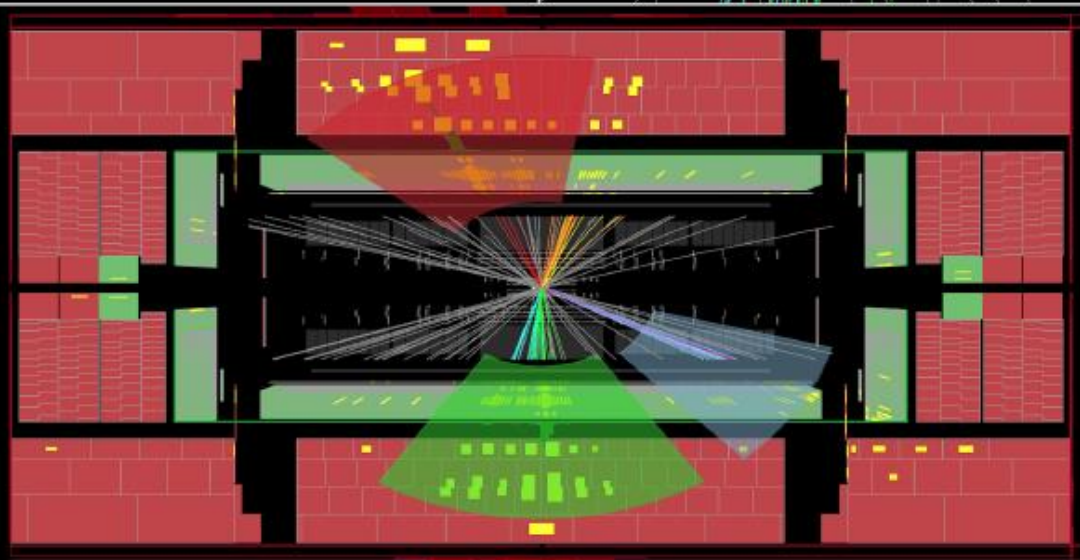
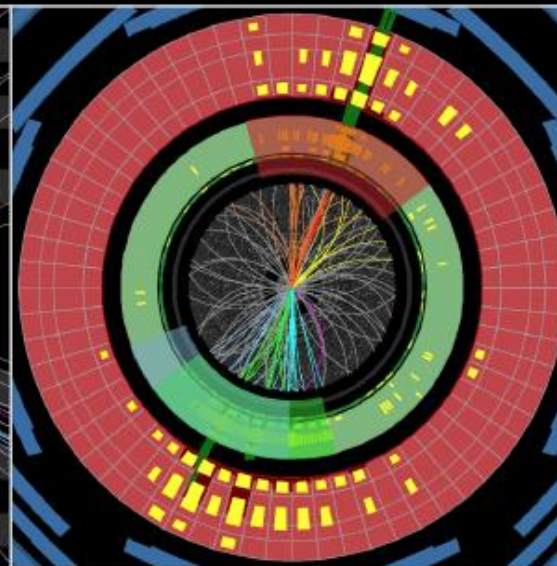
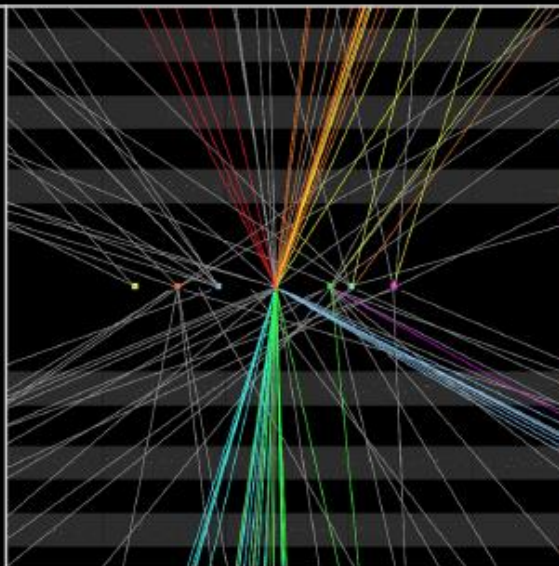
# Di-jet Resonances



**ATLAS**  
EXPERIMENT

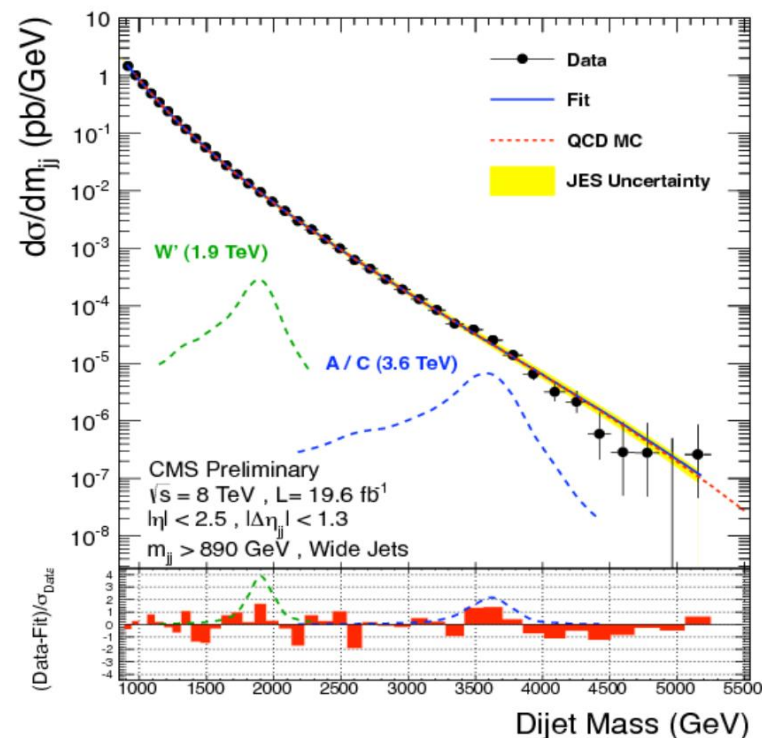
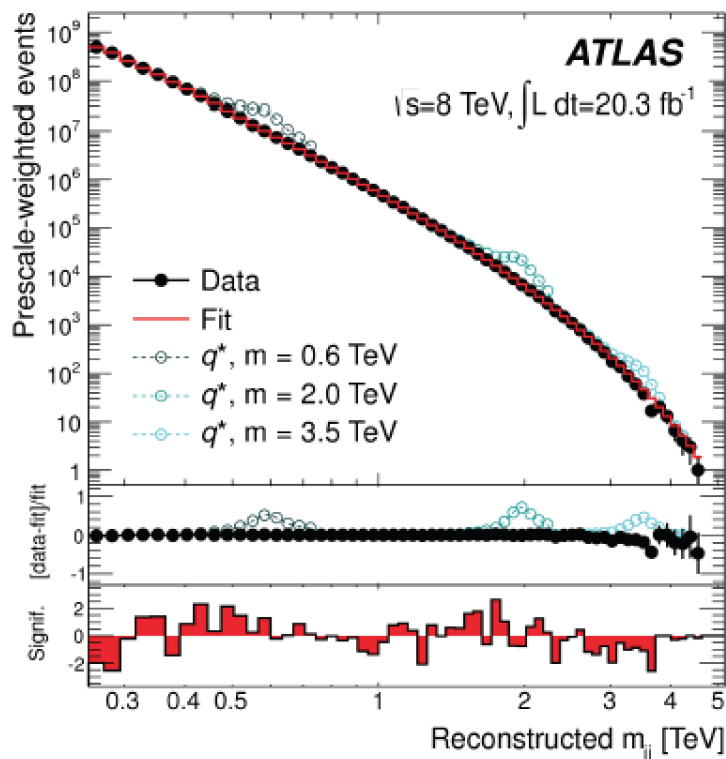
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# Di-jet Searches



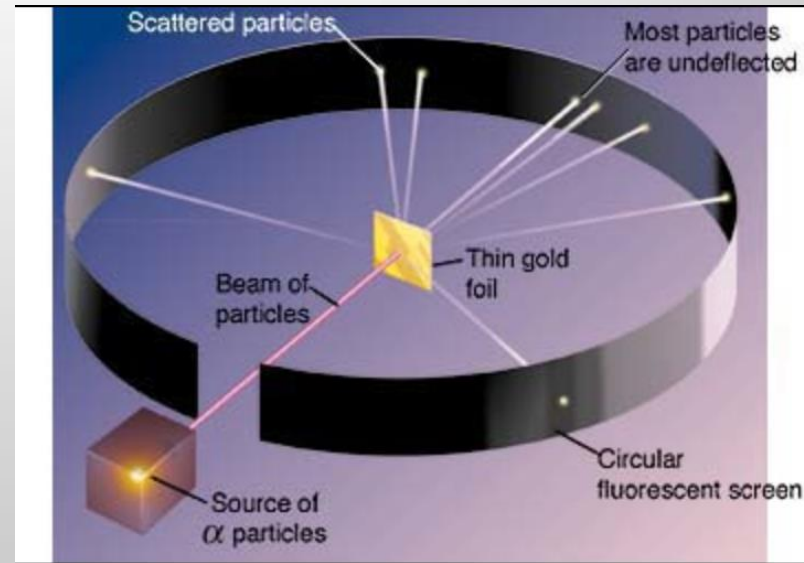
- Search for dijet resonance in smoothly falling mass spectrum
  - leading jet mass  $m_{jj} > 0.9\text{-}1 \text{ TeV}$  from trigger and other constraints
  - Background estimated from smooth functional fit

CMS-EXO-12-059  
 arXiv:1407.1376

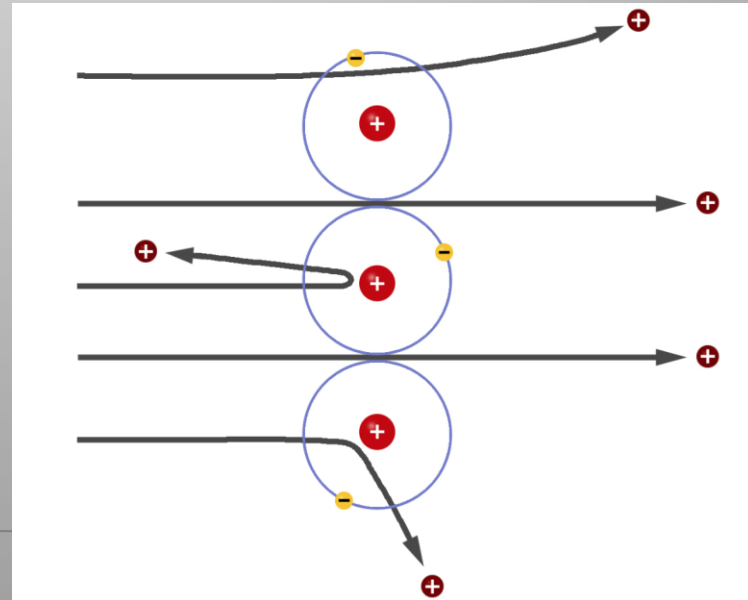
$$\frac{d\sigma}{dm_{jj}} = \frac{P_0(1-x)^{P_1}}{x^{P_2+P_3} \ln(x)}$$

Model and Final State	95% CL Limits [TeV]	
	Expected	Observed
$q^* \rightarrow qq$	3.99	4.09
$s8 \rightarrow gg$	2.83	2.72
$W' \rightarrow q\bar{q}'$	2.51	2.45
Leptophobic $W^* \rightarrow q\bar{q}'$	1.93	1.75
Leptophilic $W^* \rightarrow q\bar{q}'$	1.67	1.66
QBH black holes ( $q$ and $g$ decays only)	5.82	5.82
BLACKMAX black holes (all decays)	5.75	5.75

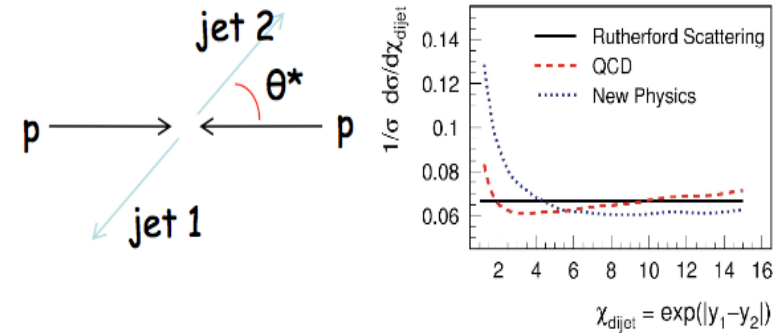
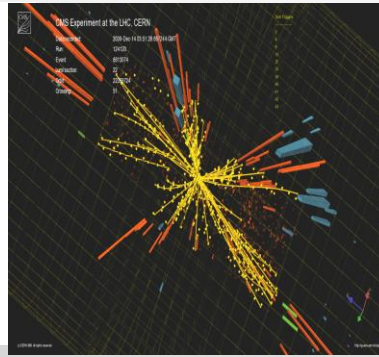
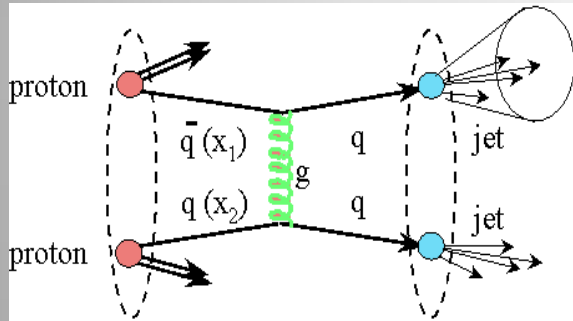
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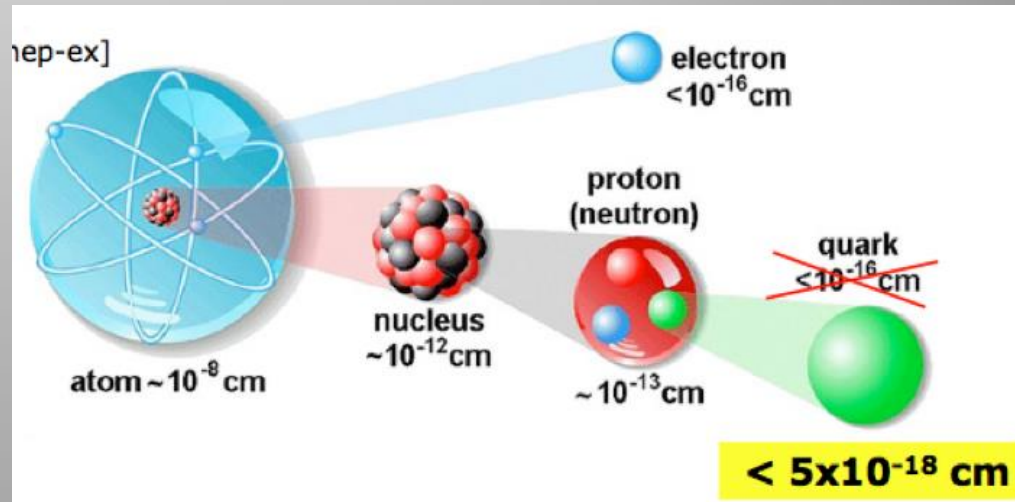
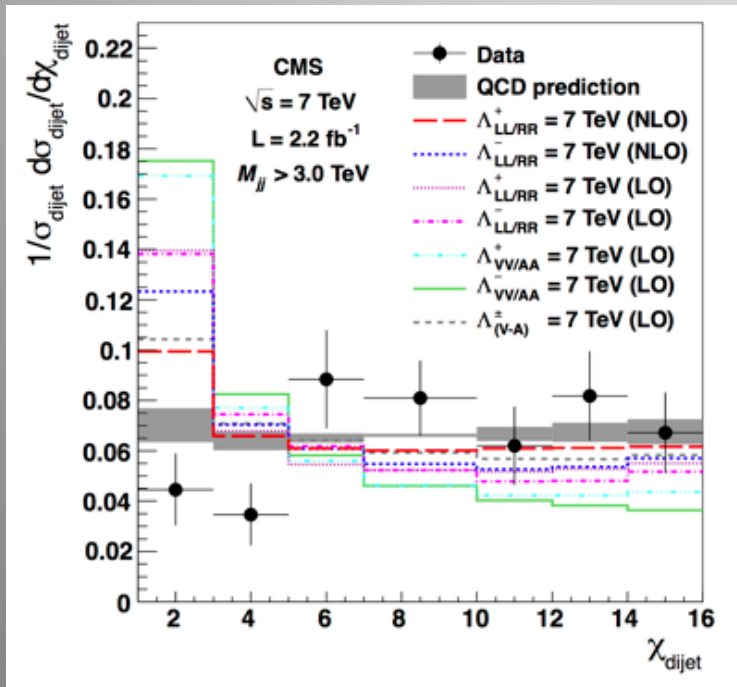
Rutherford experiment:  
Unexpected backscattering  
of  $\alpha$ -particles:  
Evidence for the structure  
of atoms !! (1911)



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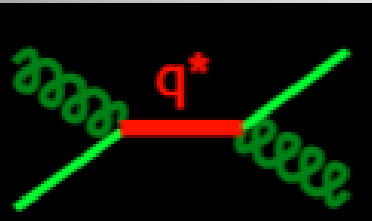
Measurement of the production angle of the jet with respect to the beam  
 -> High Energy Rutherford Experiment



Quarks remain elementary particles after these first results

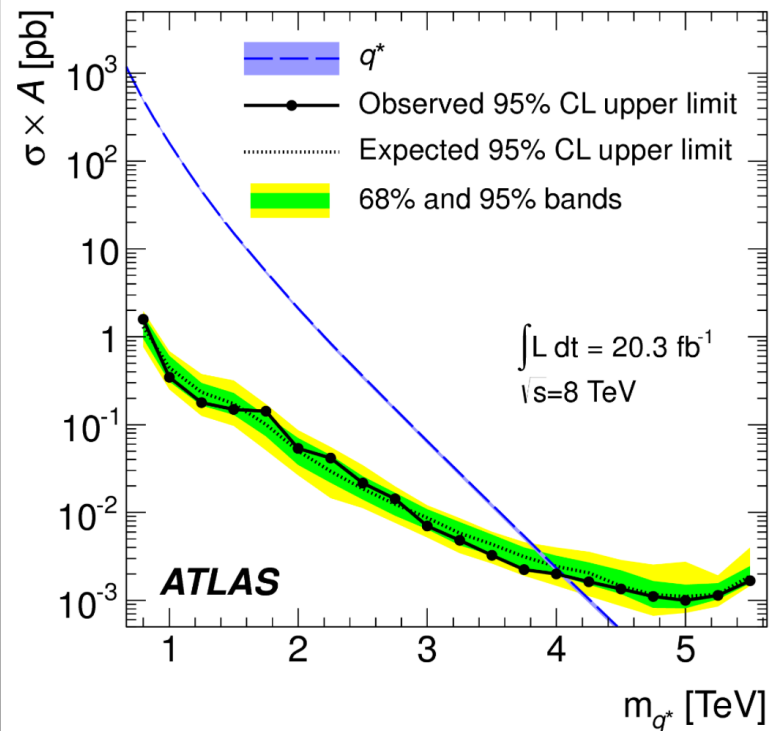
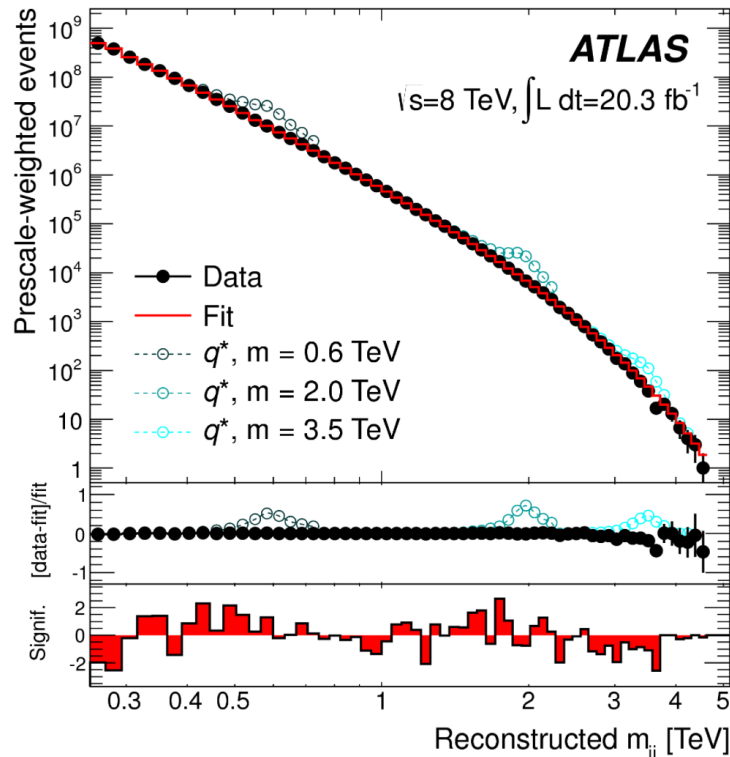
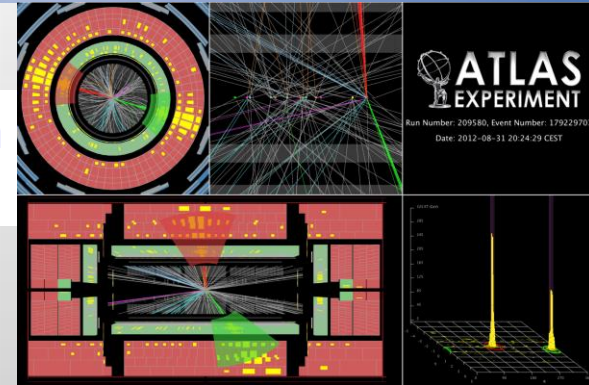


# Excited Quark in Dijet Search



invariant mass of 4.69 TeV, and jets with  
a jet- $p_T$  of 2.29 TeV and 2.19 TeV

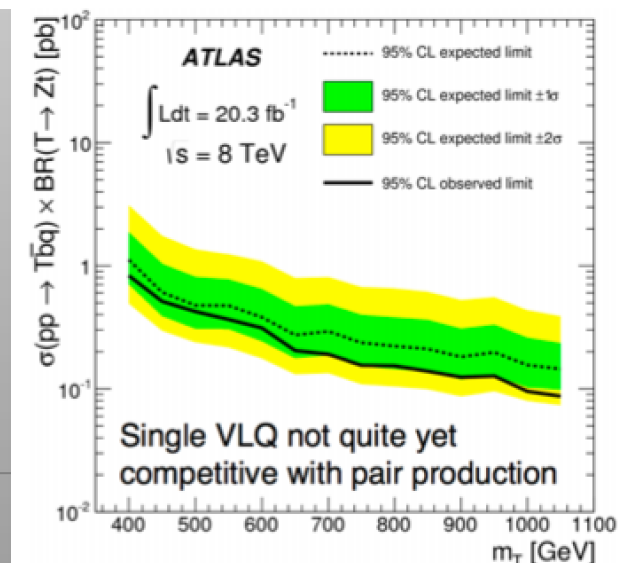
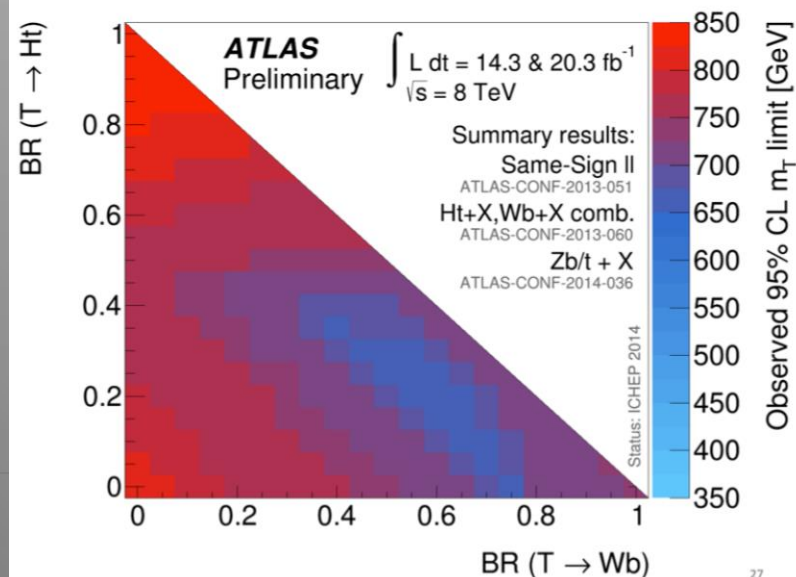
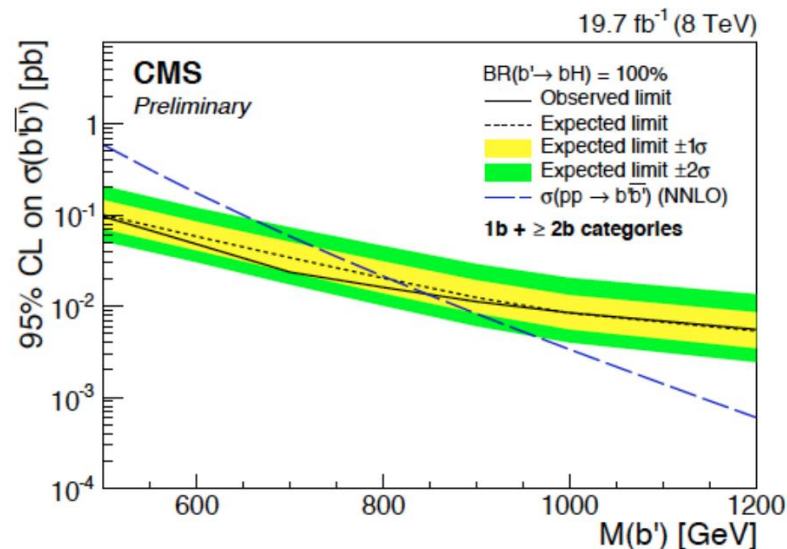
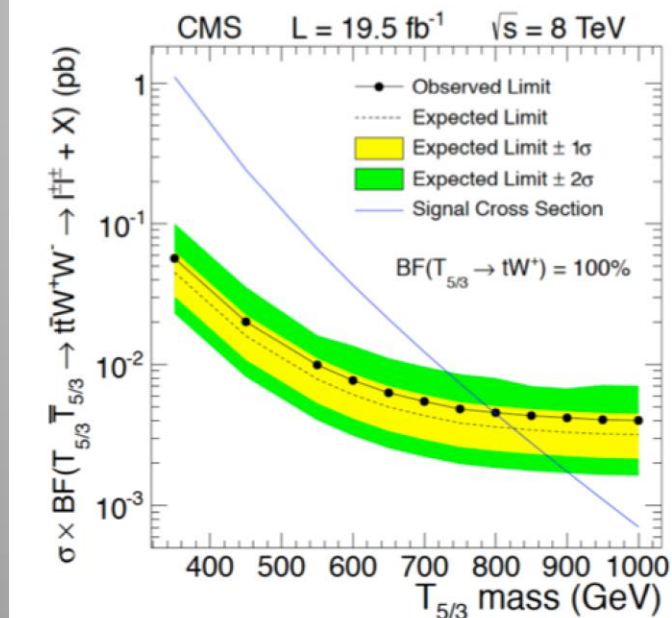
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Limit on the mass of excited quarks  $> 4.09$  TeV at 95% CL

# Exotica Searches: Top/Bottom Partners

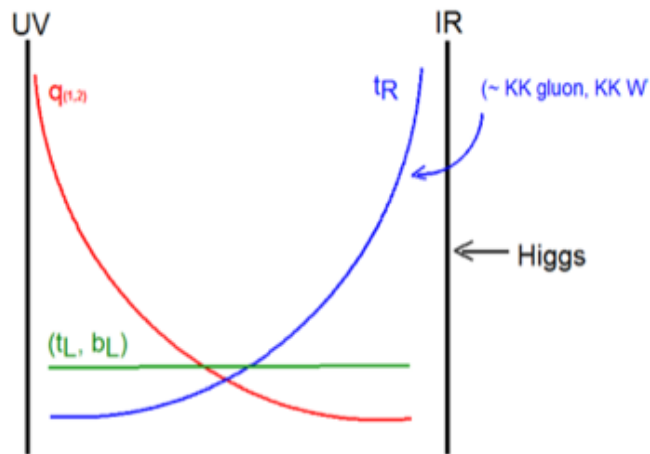
VLQs: Relevant eg in composite Higgs models



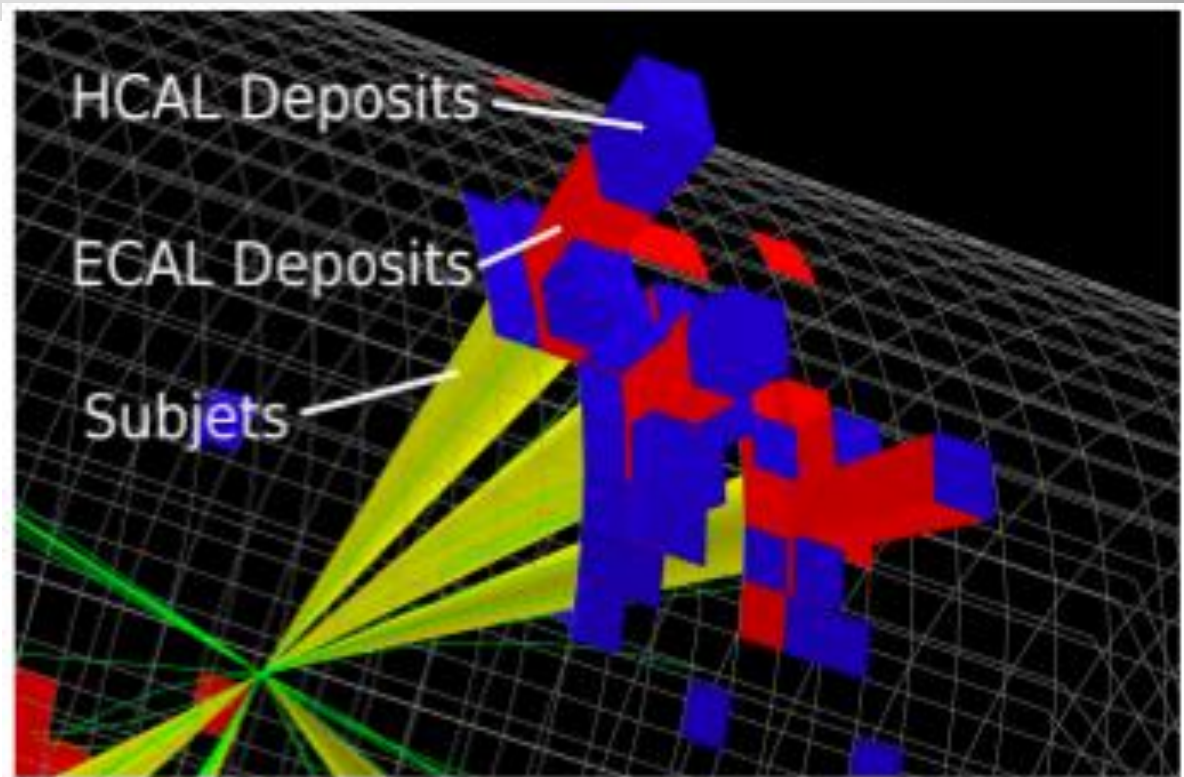
# TeV Resonances into Top Quark Pairs

Recent developments in models: **a prominent role of top production**  
-light SM fermions live near Planck brane, heavy (top) near TeV brane  
-decay of Randall Sundrum gravitons into top pairs!!

- Eg  $RS \rightarrow t \bar{t}$

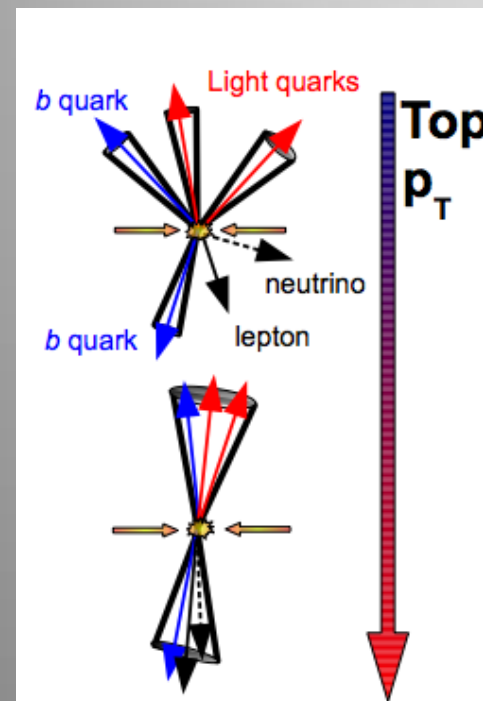
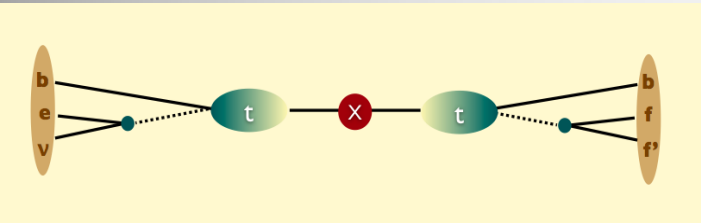


$\Rightarrow$  High  $P_T$  tops

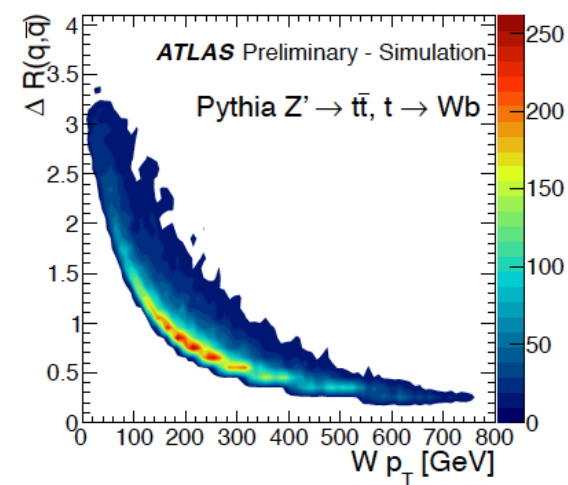
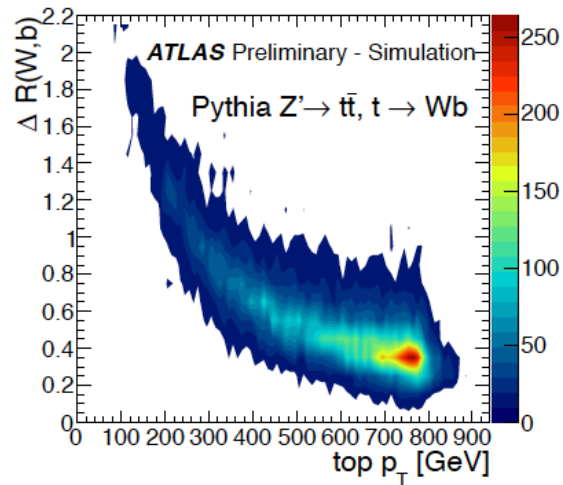


Methods are prepared to tackle the early data

# New Physics with Boosted Objects



ATLAS-CONF-2012-065



**W,Z and top decays from heavy, typically multi-TeV objects are of special interest at the LHC**

- $\Delta R \sim 2m/p_T$ : decay product merge at large  $p_T$
- New techniques developed – and discussed in this series of topical Workshops- for leptonic and hadronic decays of W,Z, top...  
Eg.: Jet substructure, grooming: mass drop filtering, trimming, pruning...

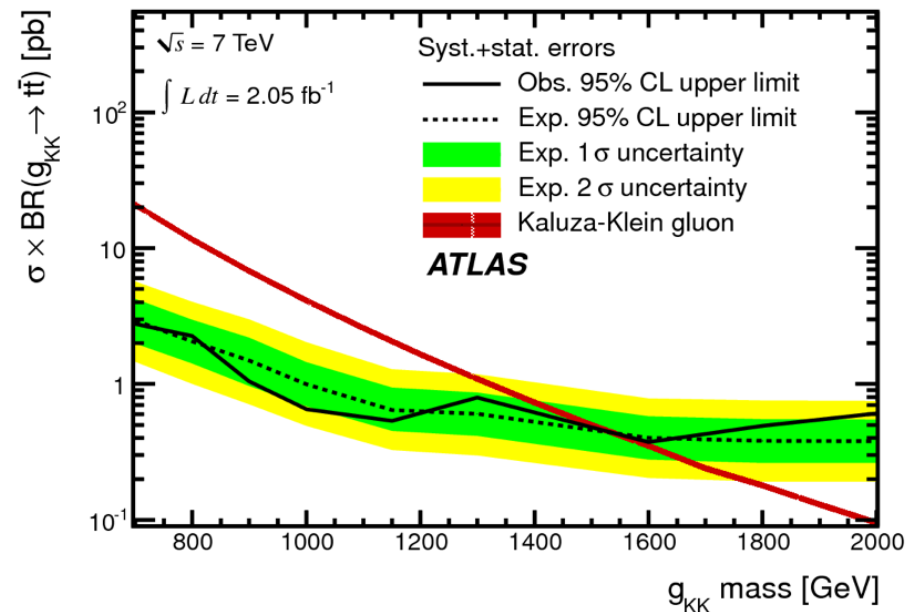
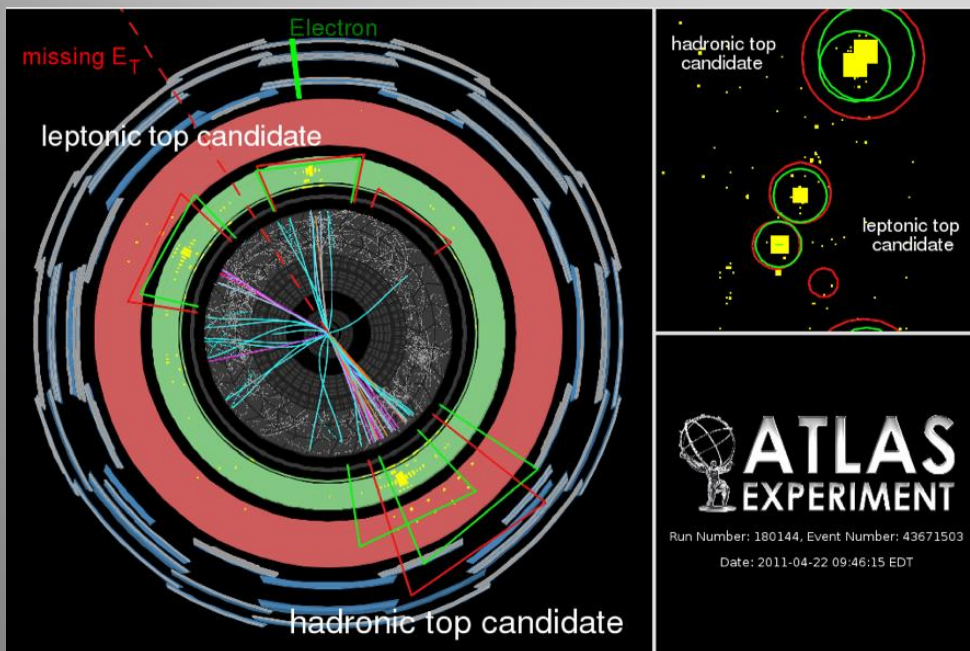


# Top Resonance Study

arXiv:1207.2409

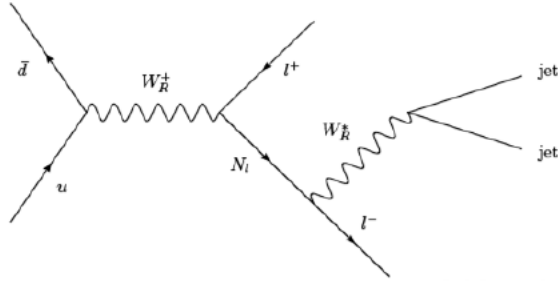
- Boosted objects are reconstructed as one fat jet  $R=1.0$ ,  $p_T > 250$  GeV. Analyse the jet substructure
- Modified isolation for the leptonic decay side

$$pp \rightarrow t\bar{t} \rightarrow b\bar{b}q\bar{q}'\ell\nu_\ell$$



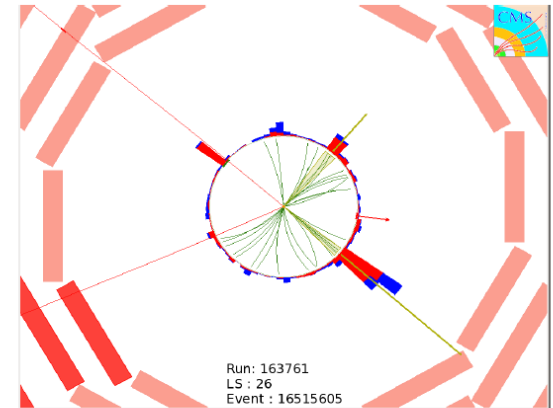
# Search for Heavy Neutrinos and $W_R$

## Left-right symmetric extension of the Standard Model

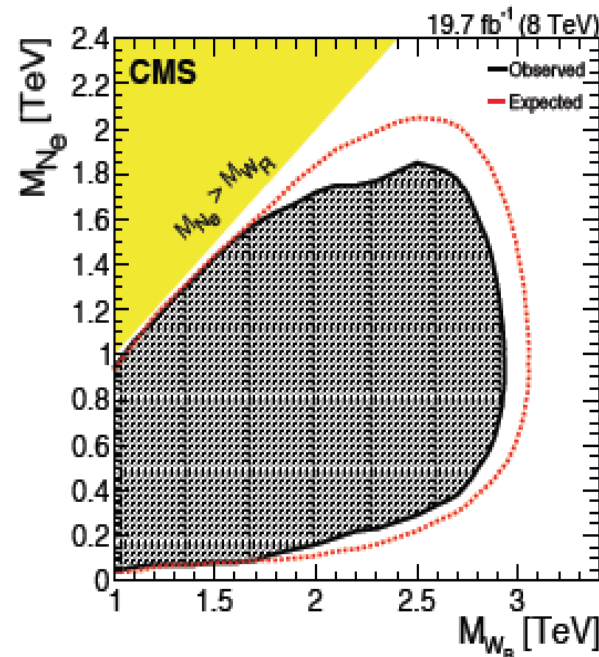
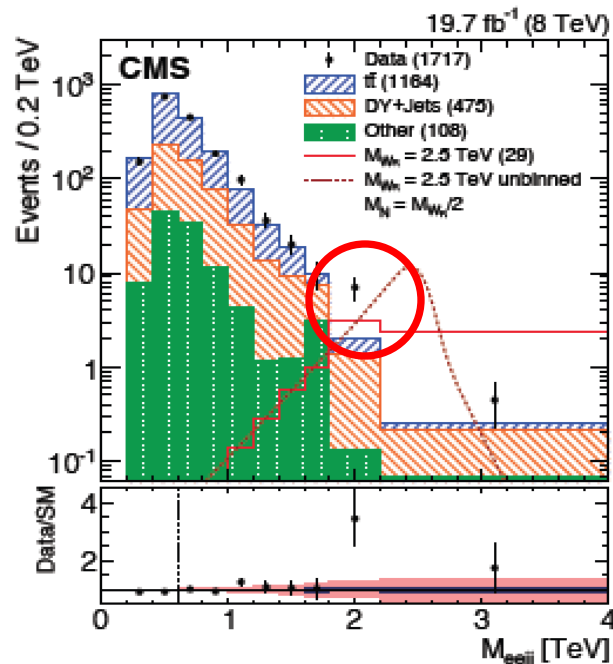


arXiv:1407.3683

Select events with  
2 leptons and 2 jets



Muon channel: Event with  $M_{\mu\mu} = 331$  GeV,  $M_{\mu\mu jj} = 881$  GeV



Large exclusion range  
in mass of the  $W_R$  and  
heavy neutrino

Observe a 2.8 sigma  
excess in the electron  
channel around 2 TeV  
 $W_R$  mass

**Real Exotic Objects!**

# Searches for Unusual Particles

- Heavy stable charged particles with **unit charge** traversing the detector
- Heavy stable charged particles with **multiple charge** traversing the detectors
- Heavy stable charge particles with **fractional charge** traversing the detector
- Heavy new particles **decaying** in the detector
- Heavy new particles **stuck** in the material in or before the detector



# Search for Monopoles

arXiv:1207.6411

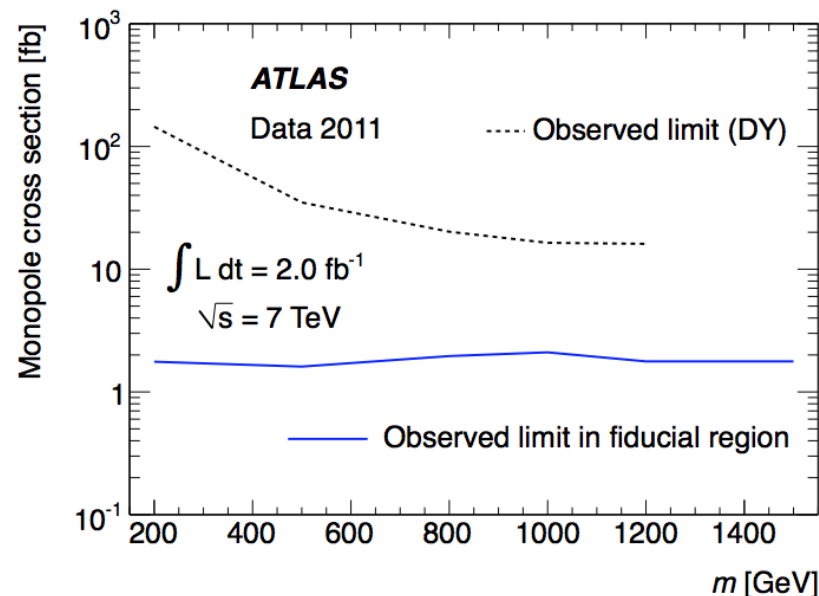
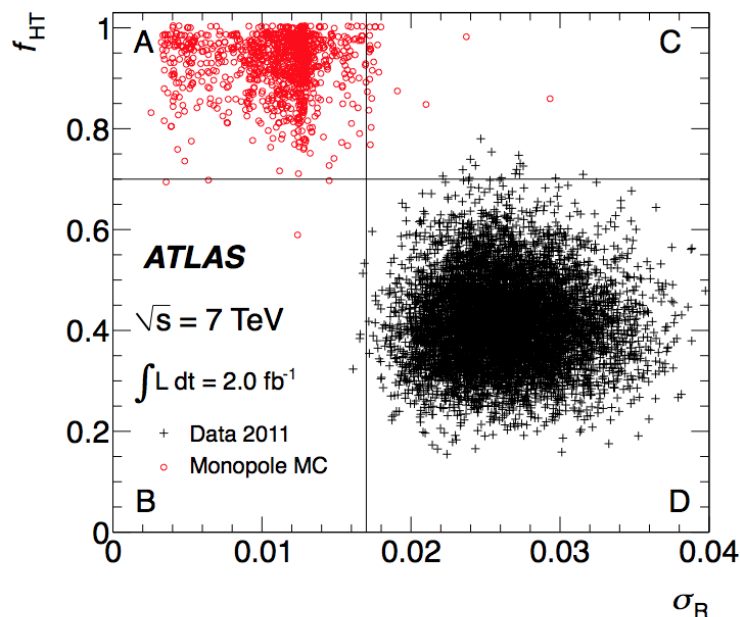
- Magnetic charge  $g$  yields strong coupling  $\alpha_m$  and very high ionisation

$$\frac{ge}{\hbar c} = \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow \frac{g}{e} = \frac{1}{2\alpha_e} \approx 68.5$$

$$\alpha_m = \frac{(g\beta)^2}{\hbar c} = \frac{1}{4\alpha_e}\beta^2$$

- Look for high ionisation in Transition Radiation Tracker and high hit fraction ( $f_{HT}$ ) and also deposition in the Liquid Argon Electromagnetic Calorimeter
- Pair-produced (Drell-Yan) production

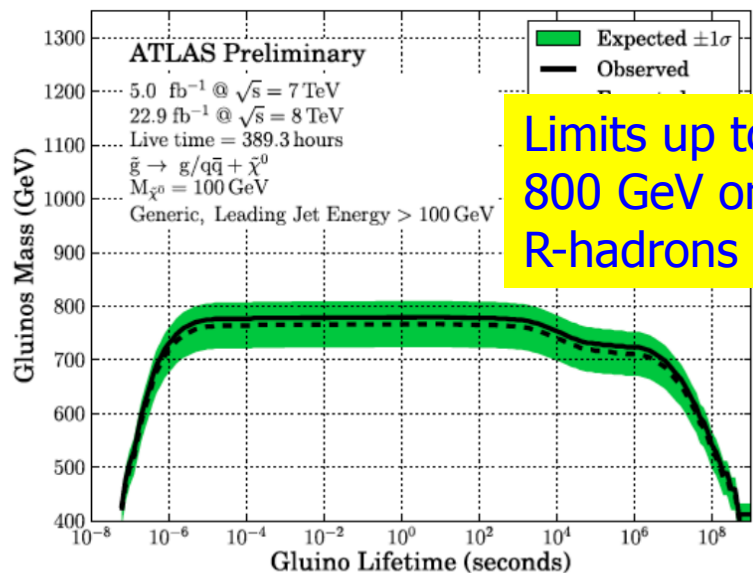
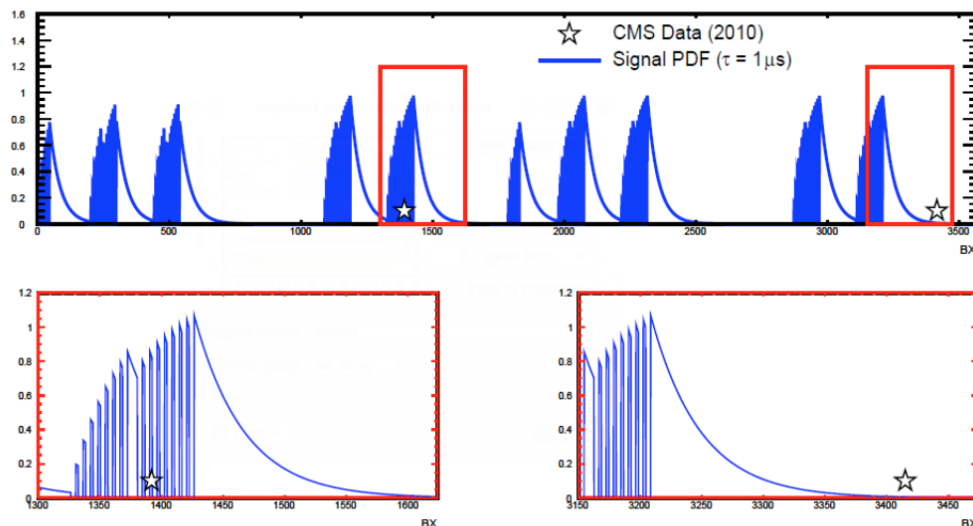
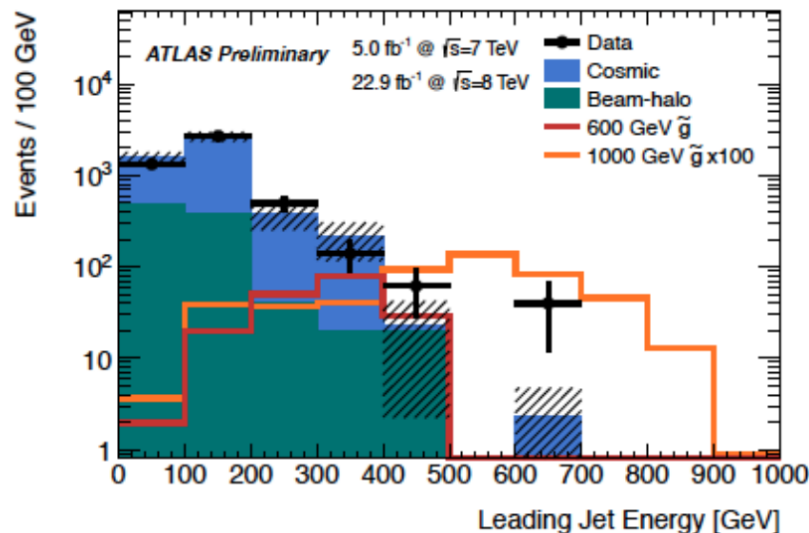
*Cross Section limits set for  $m(M) = 0.2\text{--}1.2\text{ TeV}$*



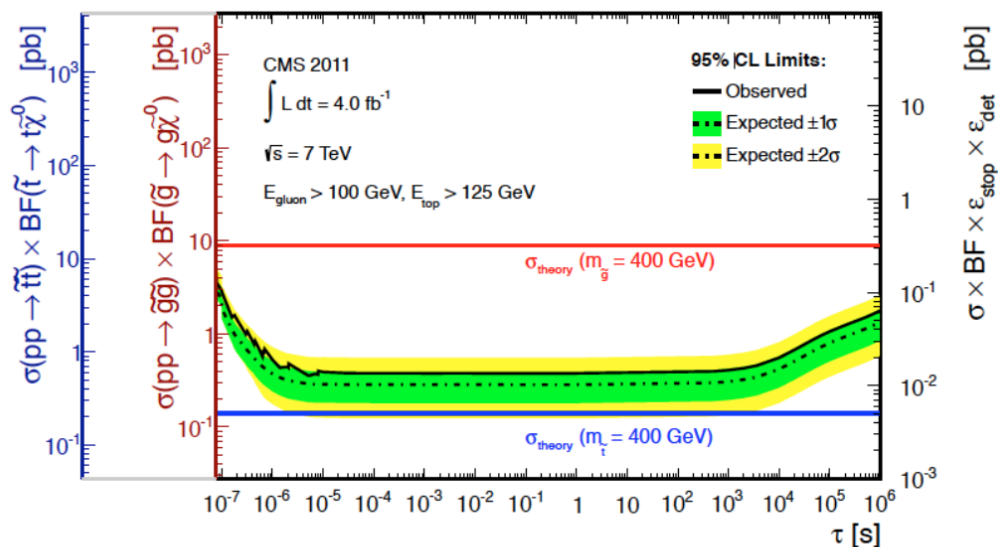
# Stopped Gluinos

Data taken in between accelerator fills!!

Example: fill with 140 bunches



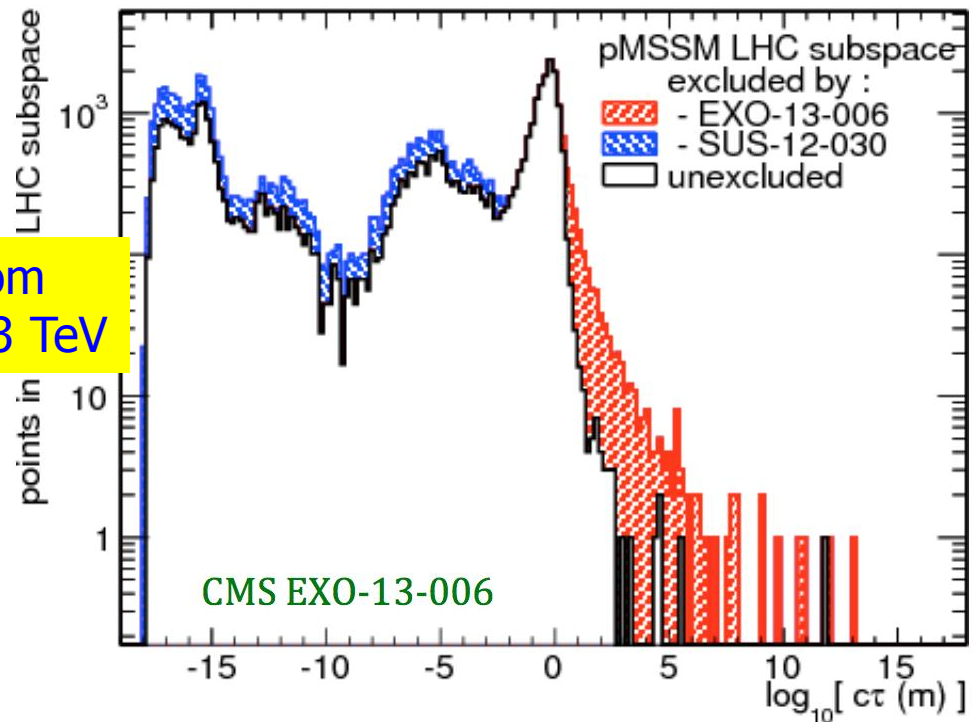
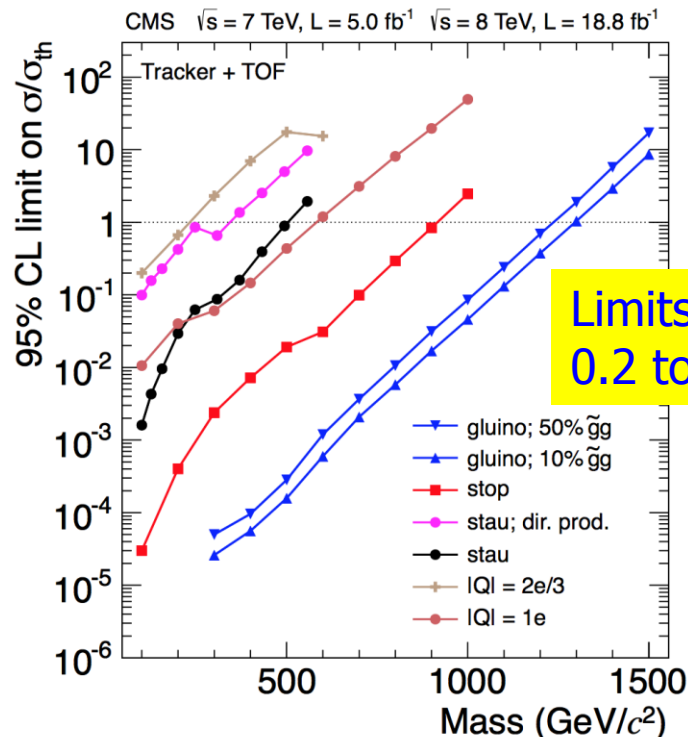
Limits up to  
800 GeV on  
R-hadrons



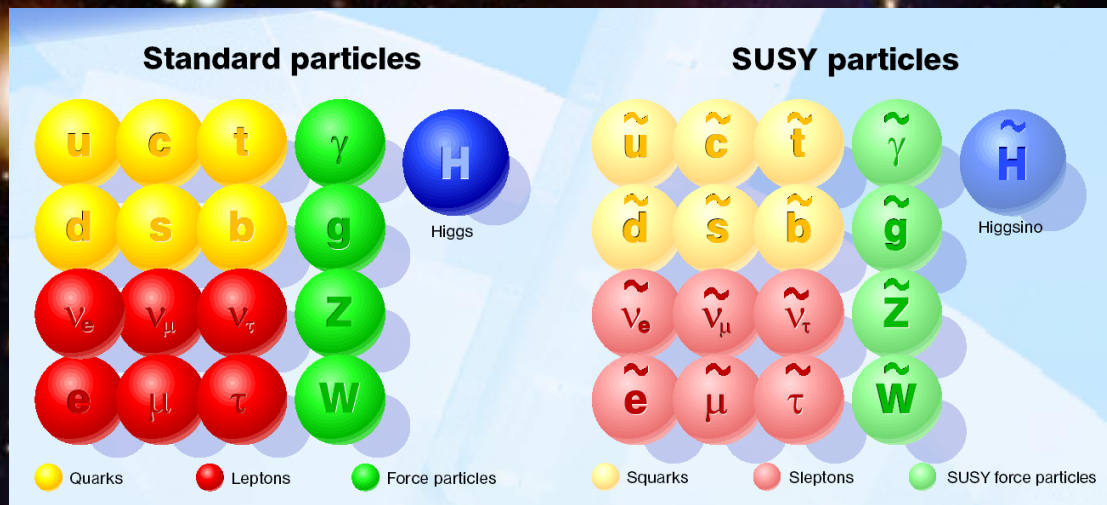
# Heavy Stable Charged Particles

- HSCPs in SUSY, e. g. when lightest chargino is almost mass degenerate with lightest neutralino (frequent scenario in pMSSM)
- Usage of  $dE/dx$  and/or time-of-flight to discriminate against background
- Re-Interpretation of HSCP searches in pMSSM models  $\rightarrow$  Increase the fraction of excluded pMSSM models

CMS Preliminary -  $\sqrt{s} = 8 \text{ TeV}$  -  $L = 18.8 \text{ fb}^{-1}$

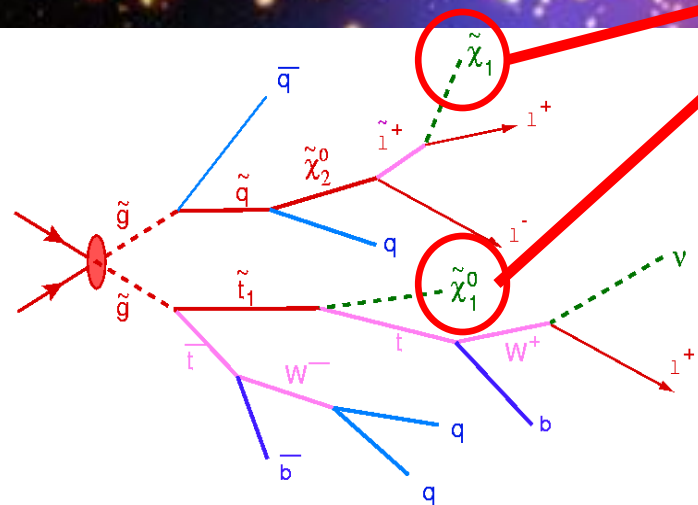


# Supersymmetry: a new symmetry in Nature?



Candidate particles for Dark Matter  
 $\Rightarrow$  Produce Dark Matter in the lab

"One day all these trees will  
 be SUSY phenomenology papers"



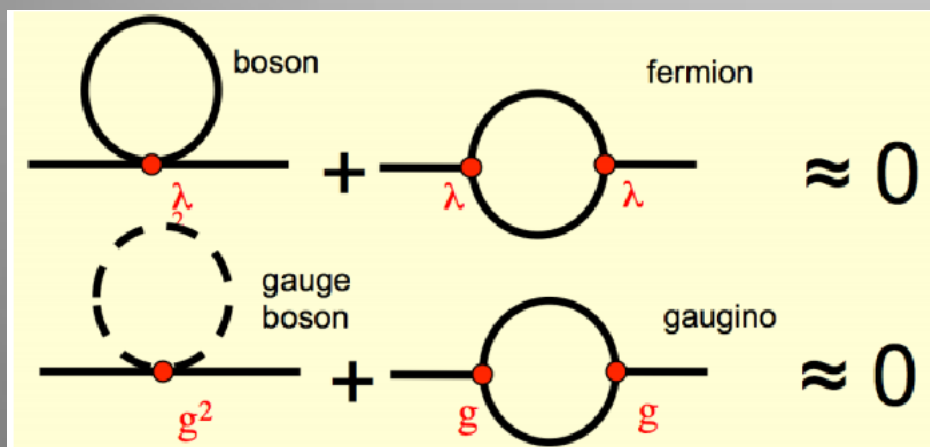
SUSY particle production at the LHC



# Why weak-scale SUSY ?

- stabilises the EW scale:  $|m_F - m_B| < O(1 \text{ TeV})$
- predicts a light Higgs  $m_h < 130 \text{ GeV}$
- predicts gauge unification
- accommodates heavy top quark
- dark matter candidate: neutralino, sneutrino, gravitino, ...
- consistent with EW precision tests (discussed yesterday)

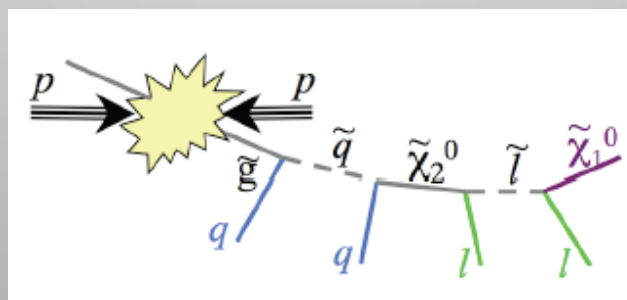
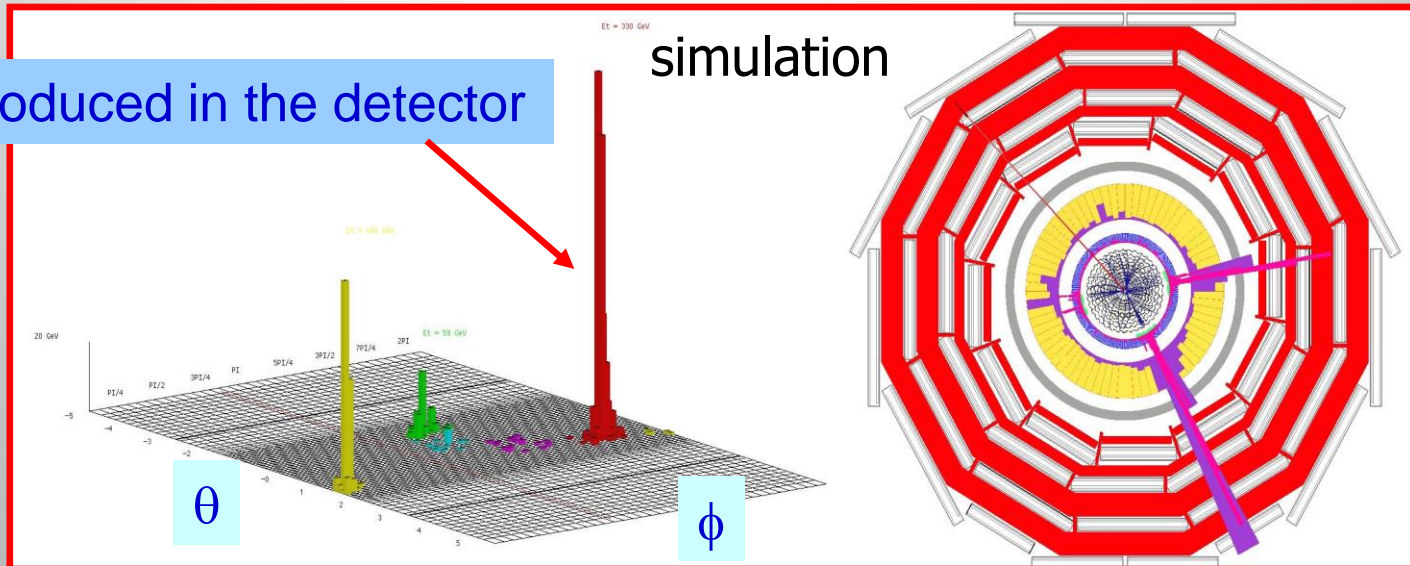
**Discovering SUSY – A revolution in particle physics!!**



Fermion and boson loops cancel,  
provided mass  $\leq \text{TeV}$ .

# Detecting Supersymmetric Particles

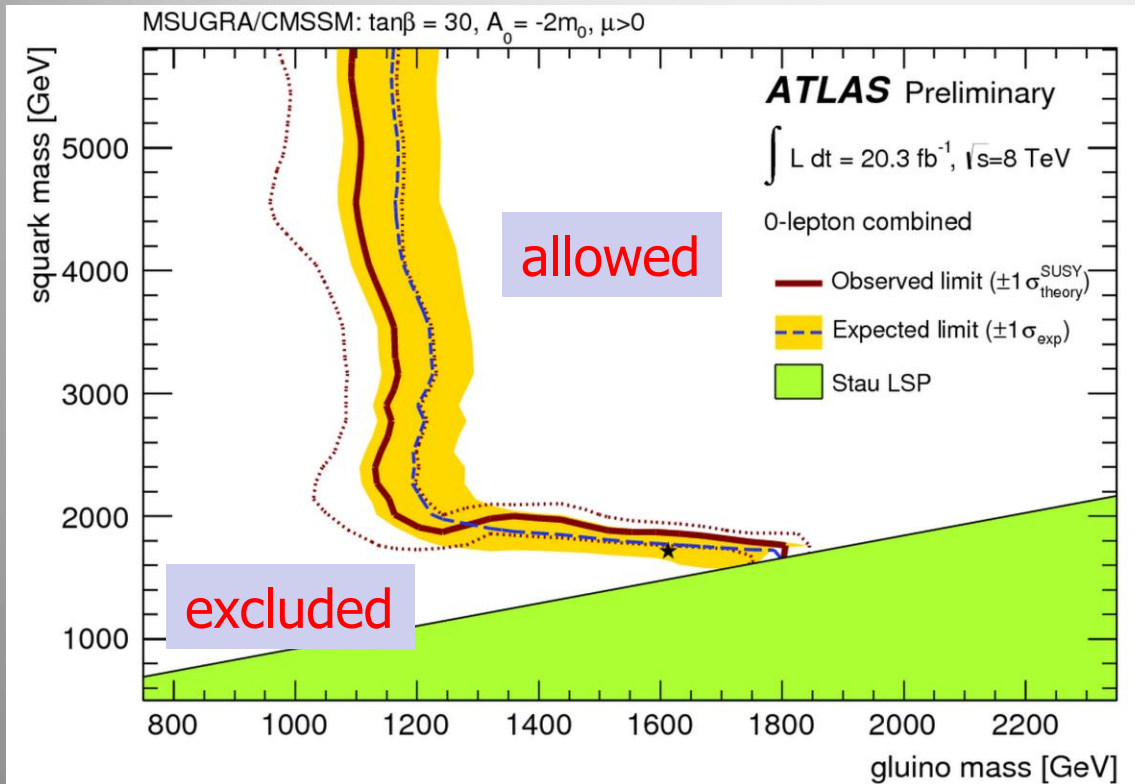
Energy produced in the detector



Supersymmetric particles decay and produce a cascade of jets, leptons and missing transverse energy (MET) due to escaping 'dark matter' particle candidates

➔ Very prominent signatures in CMS and ATLAS

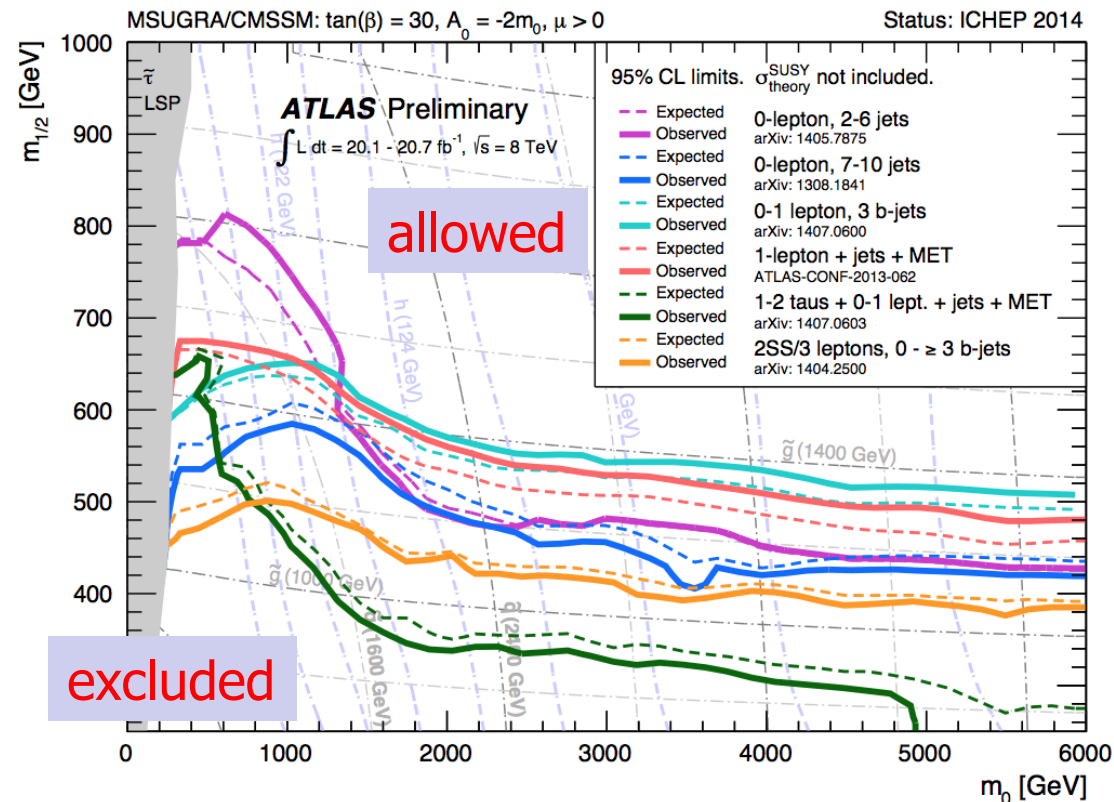
# SUSY Searches: No signal yet to date...



- So far **NO** clear signal of **supersymmetric particles** has been found
- We can exclude regions where the new particles could exist.
- Searches will continue for the **higher energy in 2015**

Plenty of searches ongoing: with jets, leptons, photons, W/Z, top, Higgs, with and without large missing transverse energy  
Also special searches for contrived model regions

# Constrained MSSM: Various Studies



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- $m_{1/2}$ : universal gaugino mass at GUT scale

- $m_0$ : universal scalar mass at GUT scale

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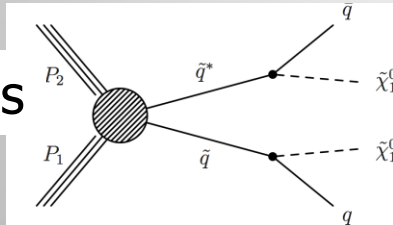
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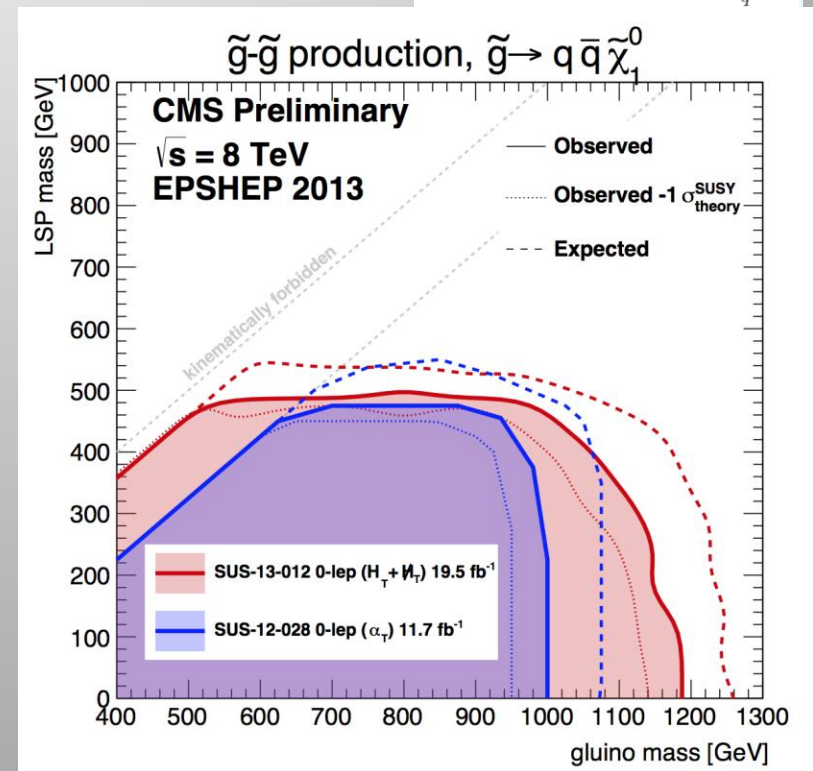
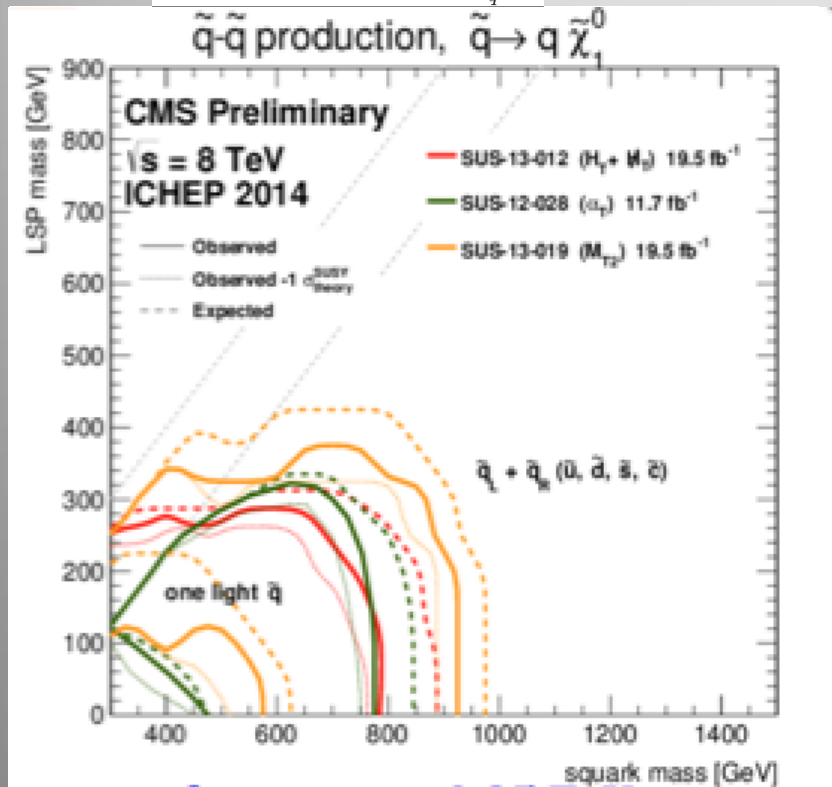
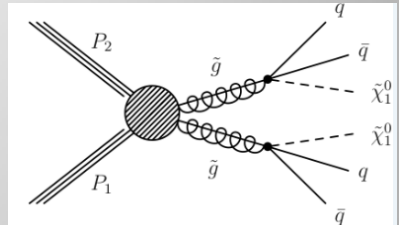
# Limits on Squarks and Gluinos

Results depend on the topologies studies, assumed mass of the LSP etc.

Examples

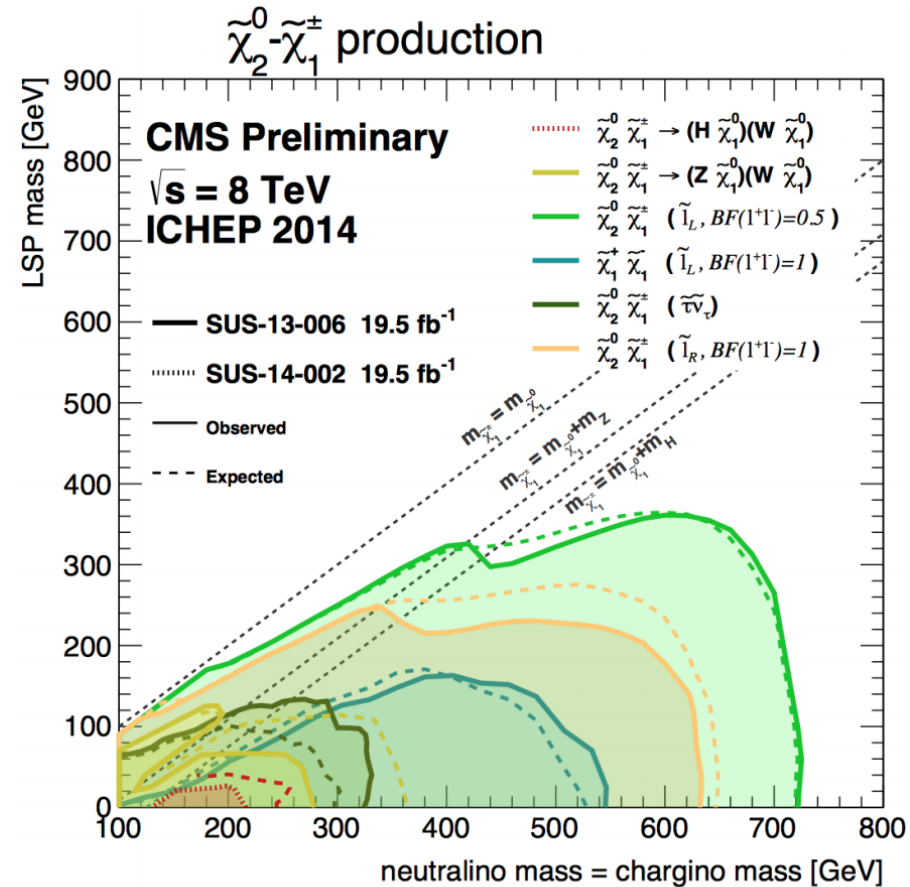
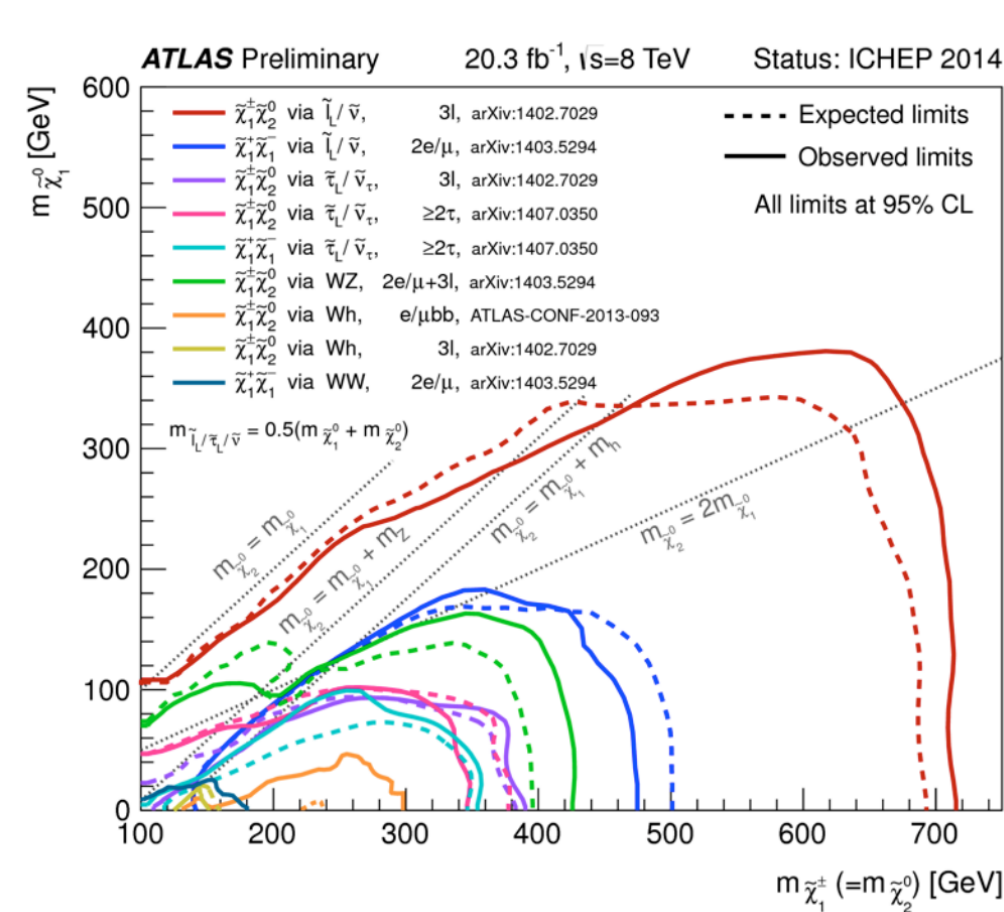


Popular presentation of data:  
Simplified ModelS (SMS)



Combined limits typically  $> 1\text{-}1.5 \text{ TeV}$  on sparticle masses

# Electroweakino Searches



**Remark:** Model dependent interpretation  $\rightarrow$  optimistic SMS limits

# What is really needed from SUSY?

End 2011: Revision!

N. Arkani-Ahmed  
CERN Nov 2011

Papucci, Ruderman,  
Weiler arXiv:1110.6926

LHC data end 2011  
Stops > 200-300 GeV  
Gluino > 600-800 GeV

Moving away from  
constrained SUSY models  
to 'natural' models

Natural SUSY survived  
LHC so far, but we  
are getting close to  
push it to its limits!

Compulsory Natural SUSY

1500  $\xrightarrow{\quad}$   $\tilde{g}$

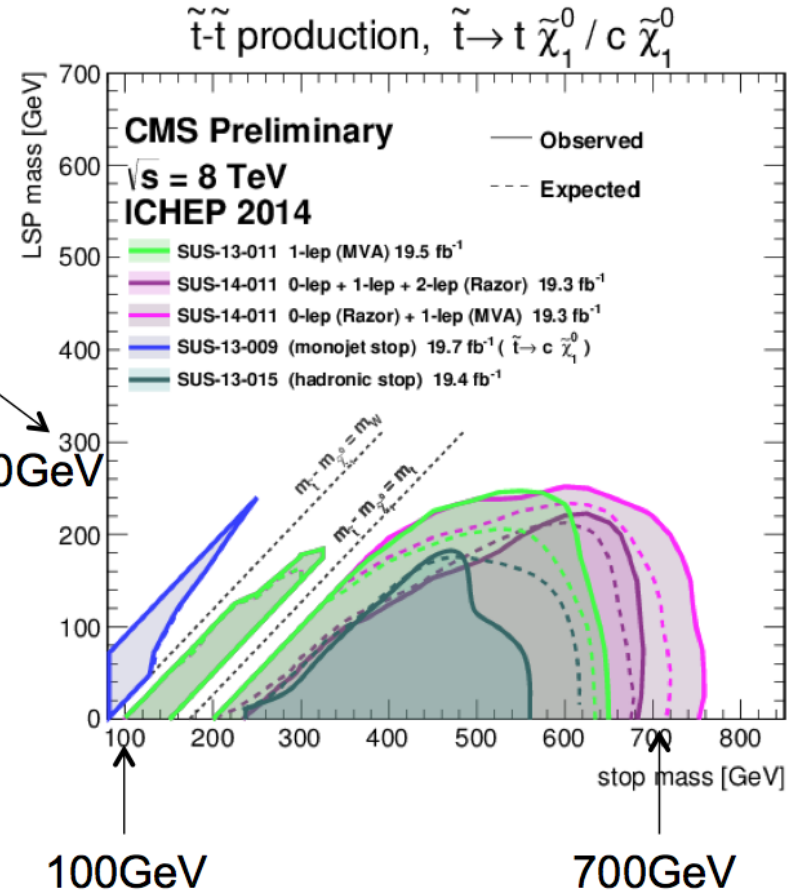
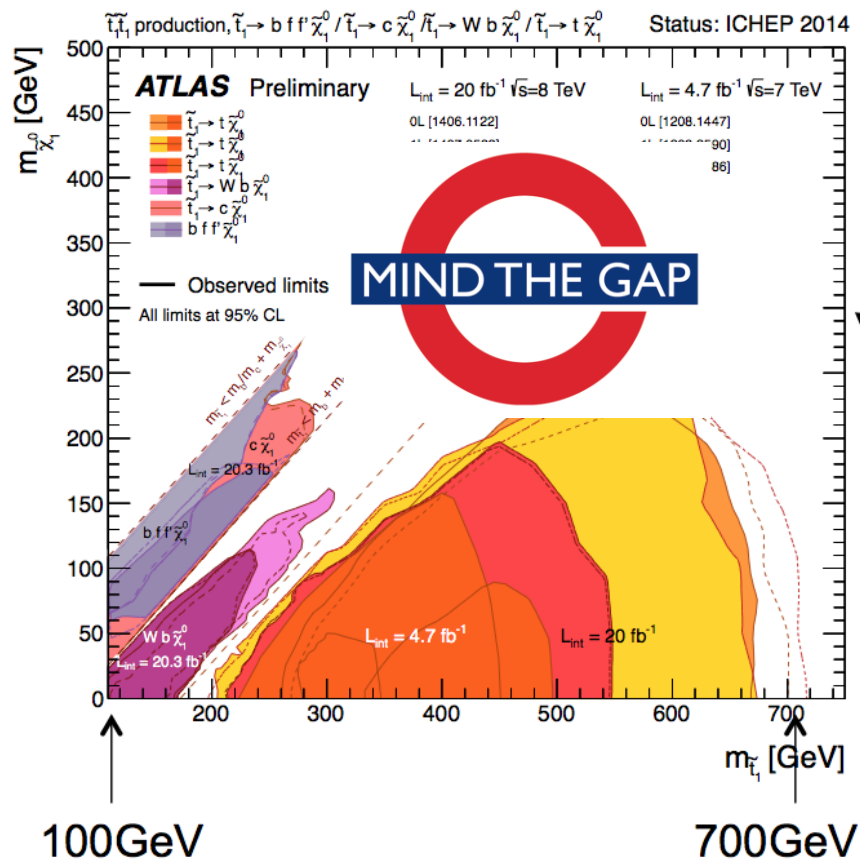
400  $\xrightarrow{\quad}$   $\tilde{t}_{L,R}, \tilde{b}_L$

120  $\xrightarrow{\quad}$   $h$

Unavoidable tunings:  $\left(\frac{400}{m_{\tilde{t}}}\right)^2, \left(\frac{4m_{\tilde{t}}}{M_{\tilde{g}}}\right)^2$

# Natural SUSY?

## Low mass stops?



Searches for stop quarks are pushing limits now to 700 GeV

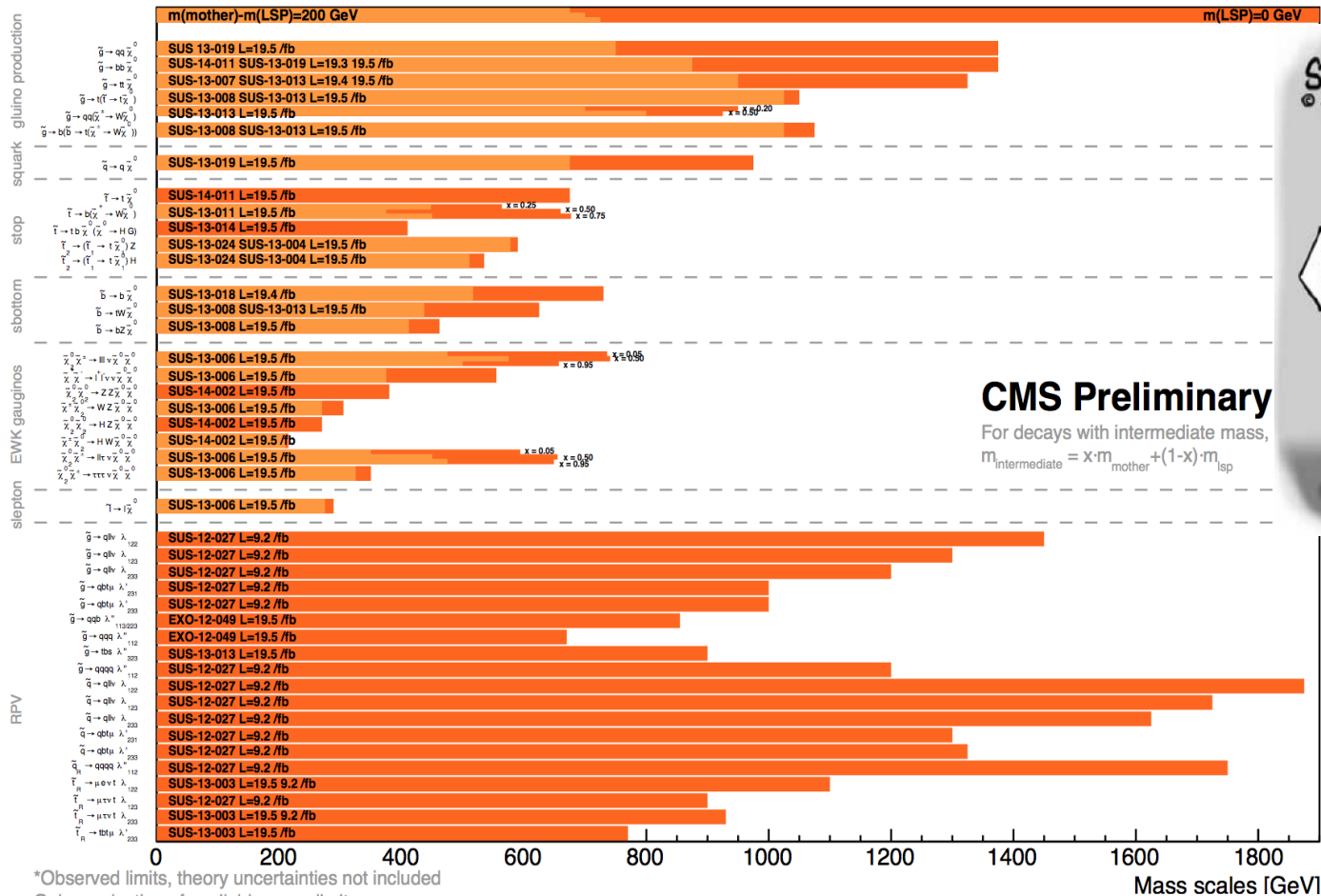


# Summary of SUSY Searches

In short: no sign of SUSY with the data collected so far

## Summary of CMS SUSY Results\* in SMS framework

ICHEP 2014



## CMS Preliminary

For decays with intermediate mass,  
 $m_{\text{intermediate}} = x \cdot m_{\text{mother}} + (1-x) \cdot m_{\text{LSP}}$



<https://twiki.cern.ch/twiki/bin/view/CMSPublic/PhysicsResultsSUS>

Work ongoing on eg compressed spectra, extended incl. searches, Scharm...

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## ATLAS SUSY Searches\* - 95% CL Lower Limits

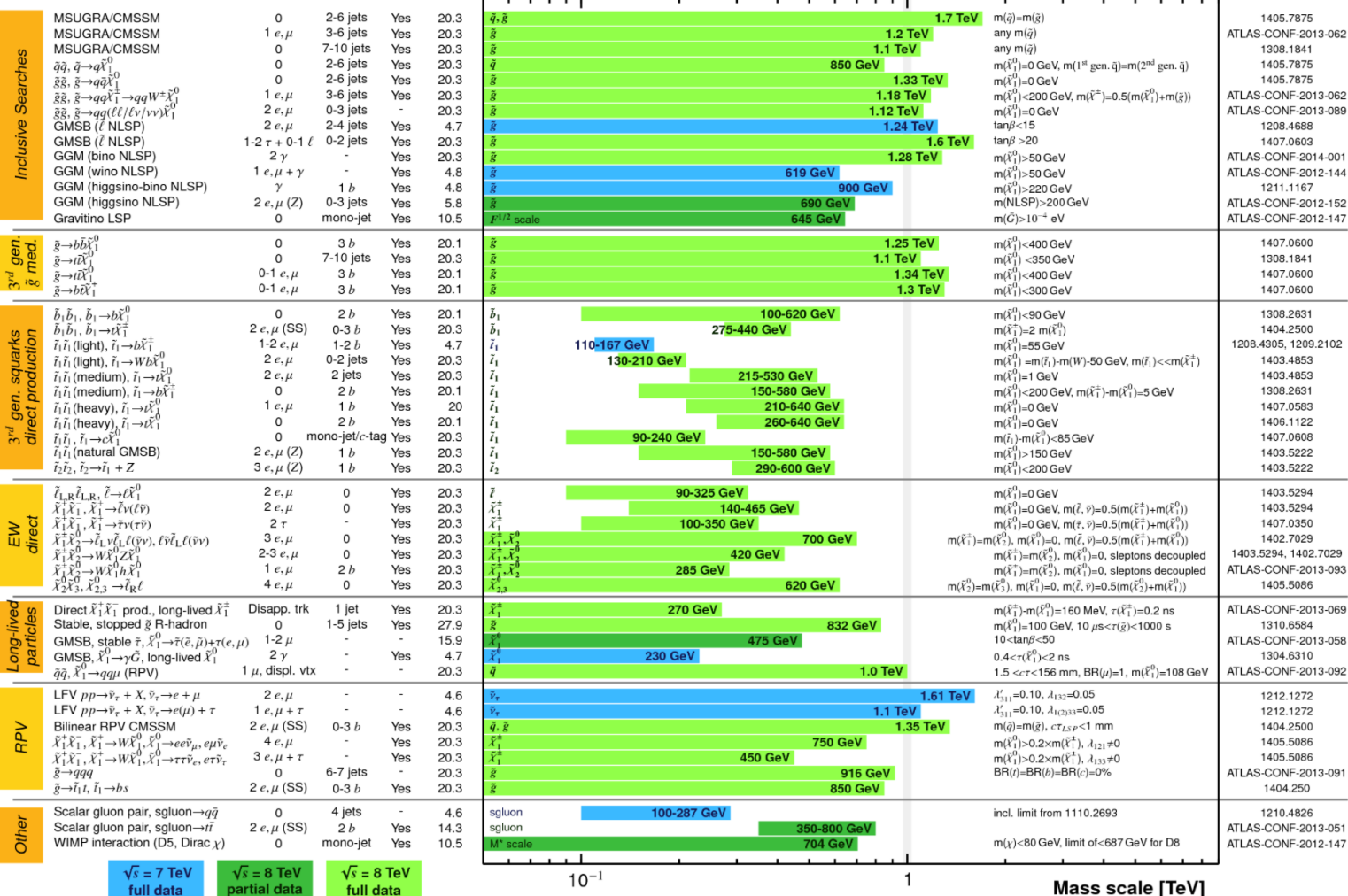
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ATLAS Preliminary

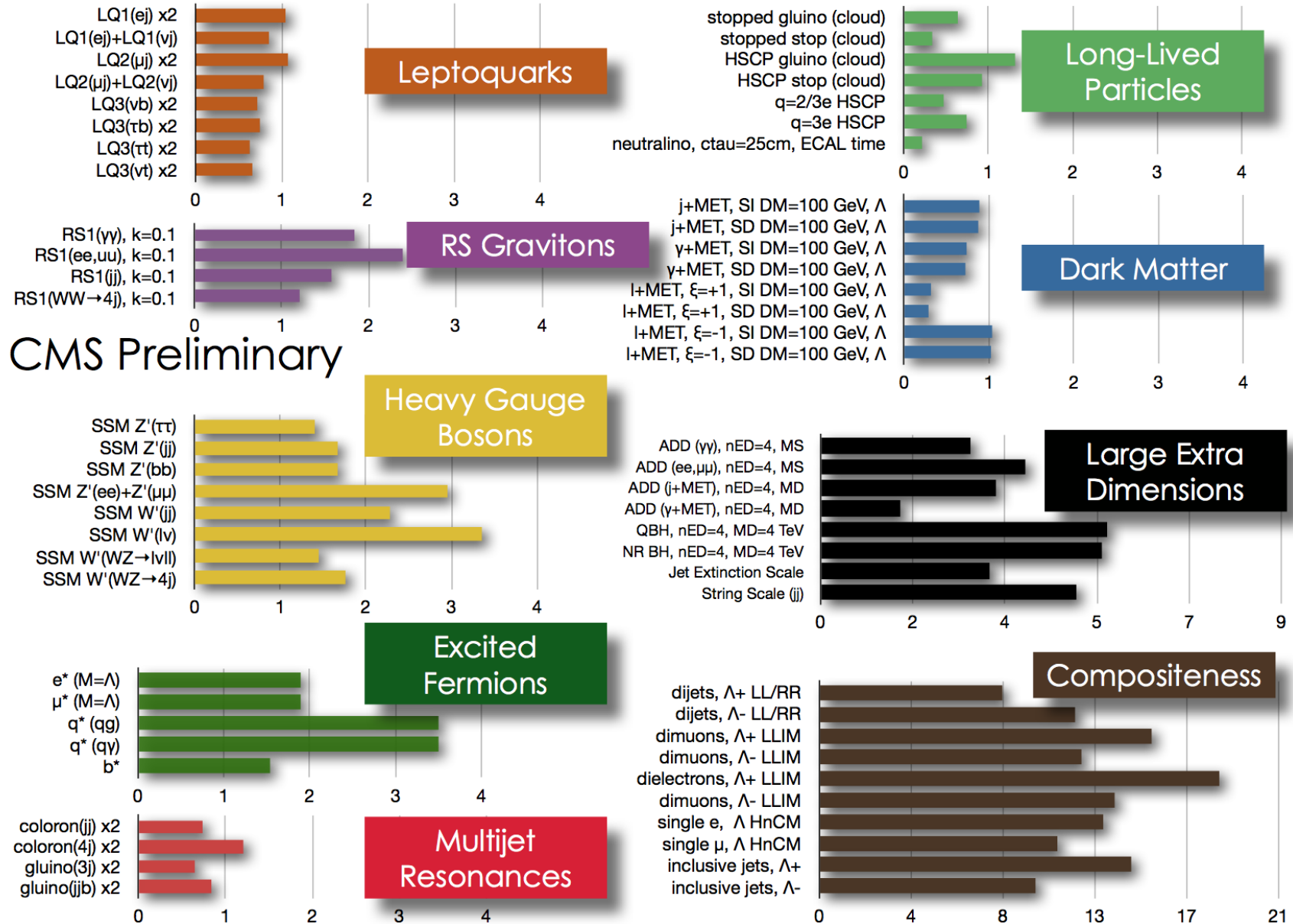
$\sqrt{s} = 7, 8 \text{ TeV}$

Reference

Model  $e, \mu, \tau, \gamma$  Jets  $E_T^{\text{miss}}$   $\int \mathcal{L} d\mathcal{L} [\text{fb}^{-1}]$  Mass limit

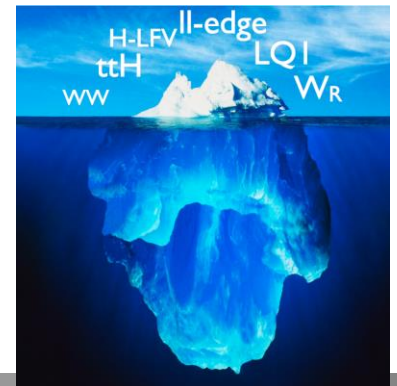


# Summary of Exotica Searches



# Searches at the LHC

- LHC searches for NP right now: **Nothing significant found at present!**
- However most discoveries start with a hint i.e. less than 3 sigma (standard deviations), or evidence with more than 3 sigma before they become an observation or discovery (more than 5 sigma, like the Higgs)
- Any 2-3 sigma effects are of interest to follow up with additional data or check with other channels. They will either grow with luminosity (possible real signal) or get less significant (statistical fluctuation). **But no excitement yet...**
- **Some examples →**

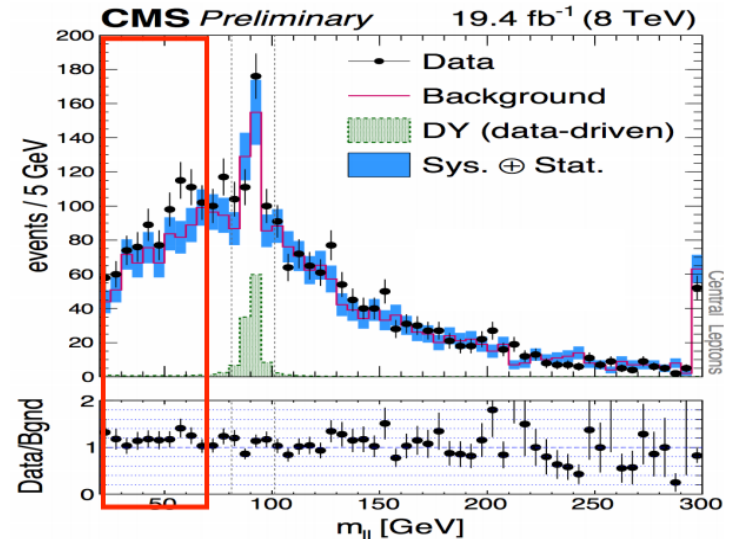




# More Searches to Watch...

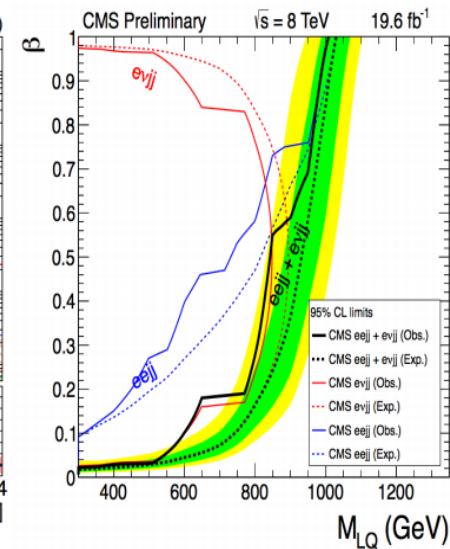
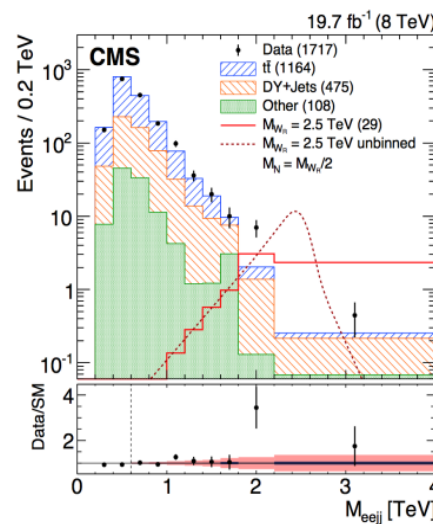
## The di-lepton edge analysis (SUS-12-019)

- There is an excess ( $2.6 \sigma$ ) visible on the low di-lepton invariant mass
- Any plausible hypothesis of new physics is not corroborated by evidence in other channels.

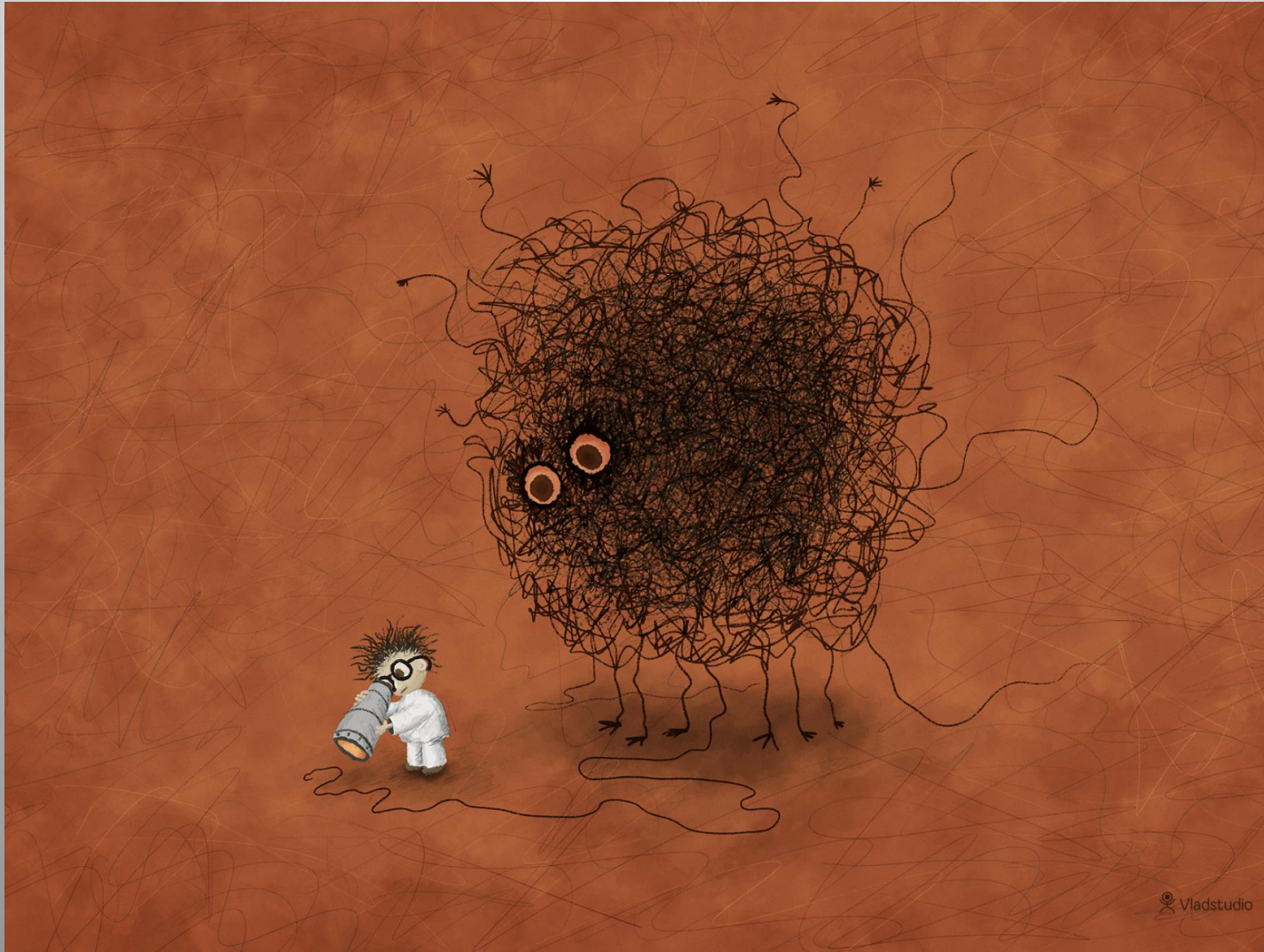


## The “electron excess”:

- There is an excess ( $2.8 \sigma$  @ 2.1 TeV) visible on the  $eejj$  invariant mass in the search for  $W_R$  (but not in  $\mu\mu jj$  !)
- A similar excess is observed in both  $eejj$  and  $evjj$  channel in **leptoquarks searches**
- The correlation between the two is minimal but has generated a lot of literature:
  - <http://arxiv.org/pdf/1407.4466v1.pdf>
  - <http://arxiv.org/pdf/1407.5384v1.pdf>
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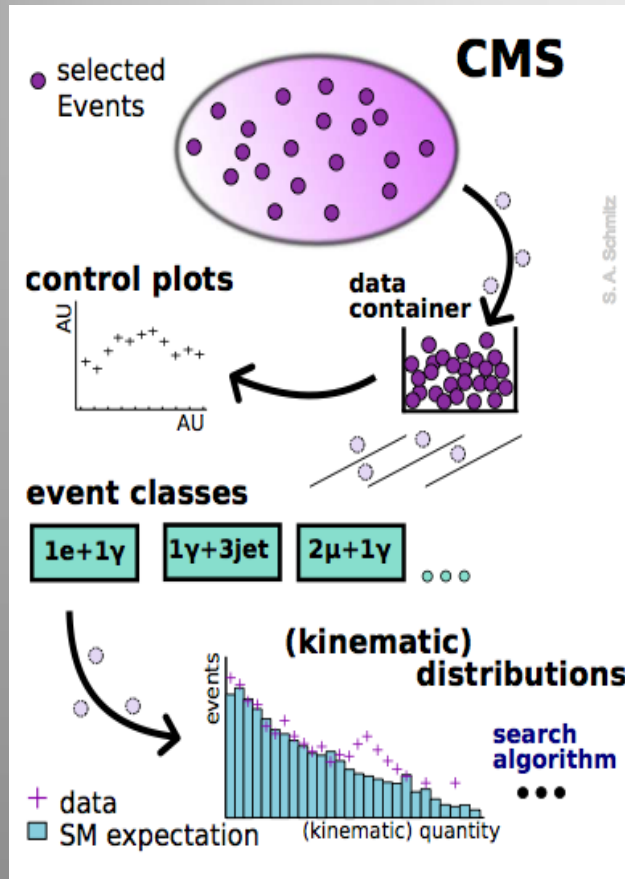


# Are we looking at the right place?



# A Global View!

CMS-EXO-10-021



Probability distribution as expected  
for  $35 \text{ pb}^{-1}$  for CMS  
→muons, electrons, photons, (b)jets, MET

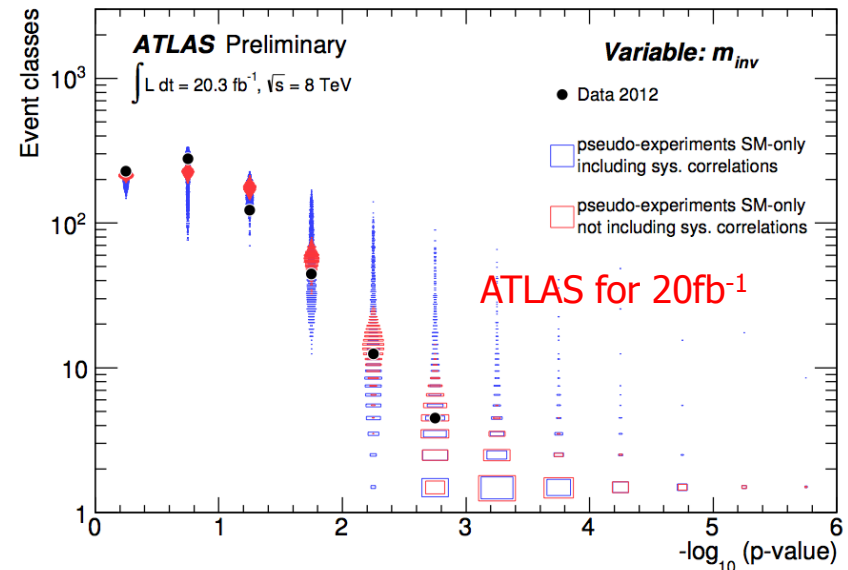
## Model independent search

- Divide events into exclusive classes
- Study deviations from SM predictions in a statistical way

### Distributions in each class

- $\sum p_T$  - Most general
- $M_{inv}^{(T)}$  - Good for resonances
- MET - Escaping particles

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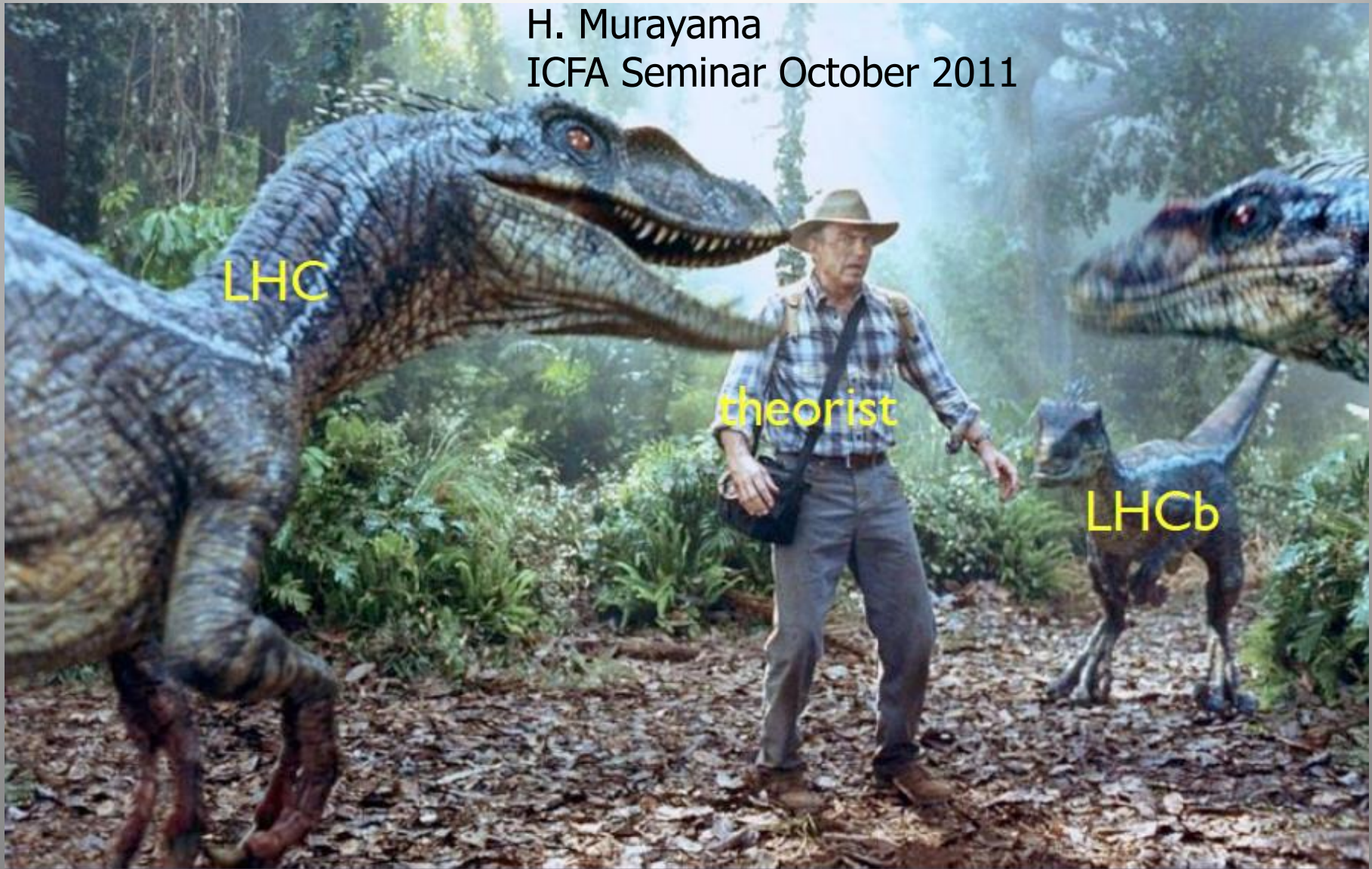




# How does it feel to be a (BSM) Theorist?

H. Murayama

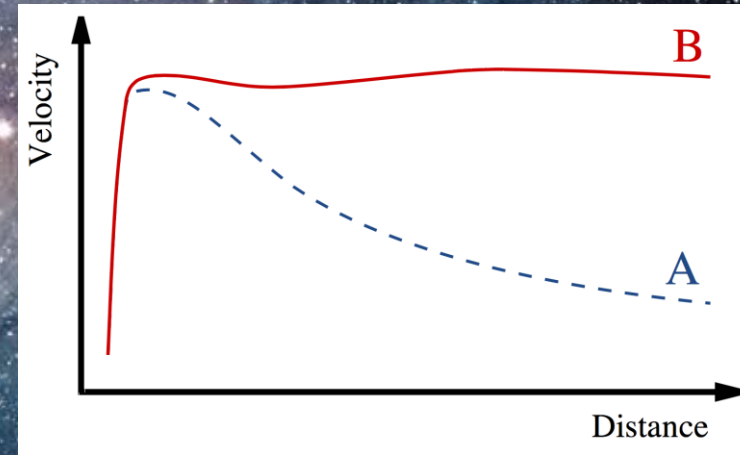
ICFA Seminar October 2011





# Dark Matter: The Next Challenge !?!

Astronomers found that most of the matter in the Universe must be invisible Dark Matter



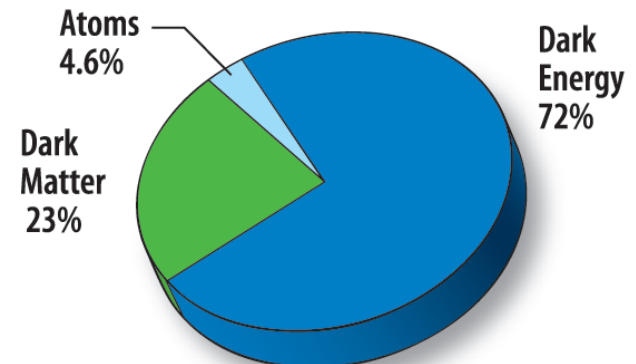
**'Supersymmetric' particles ?**



F. Zwicky 1898-1974

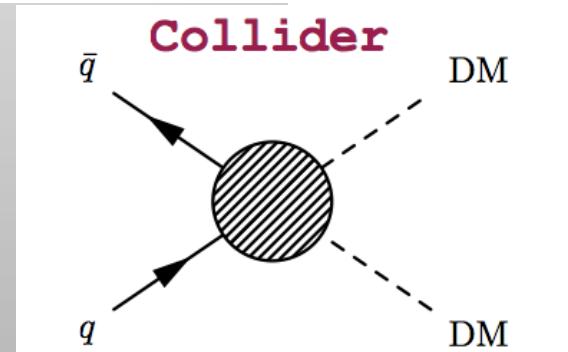
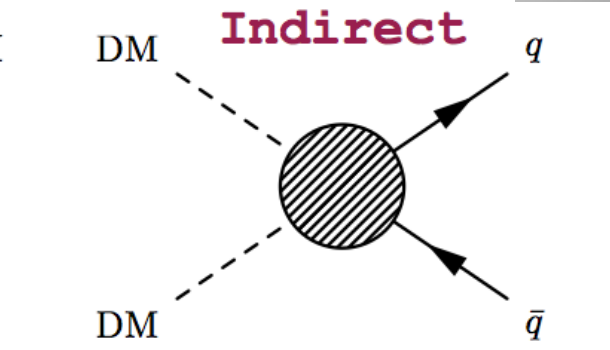
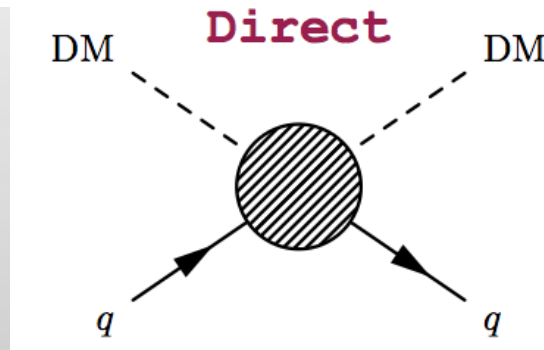
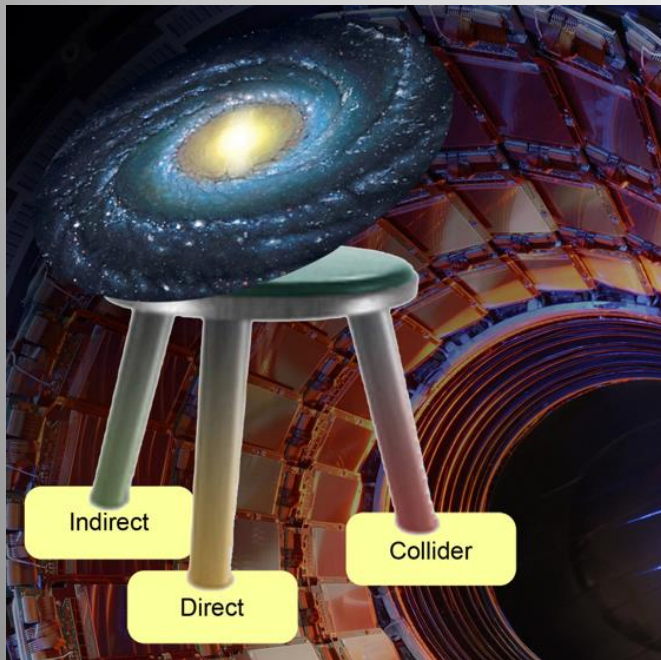


Vera Rubin ~ 1970

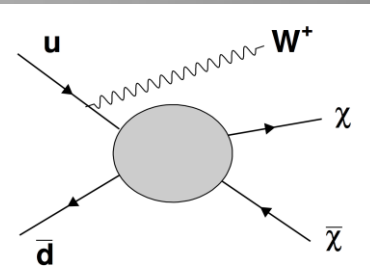
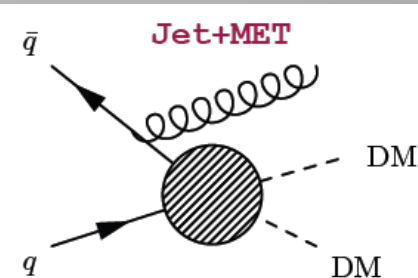
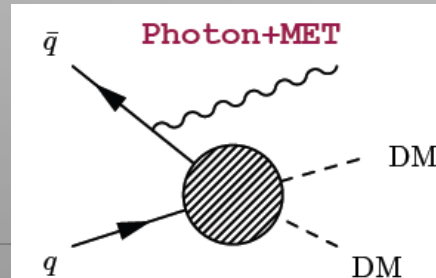


# The Generic Dark Matter Connection

Searches for mono-jets and mono-photons can be used to search for Dark Matter (DM)



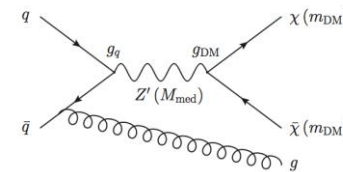
Use effective theory or better simplified models to relate measurements to Dark Matter studies



# Mono-object Searches in CMS

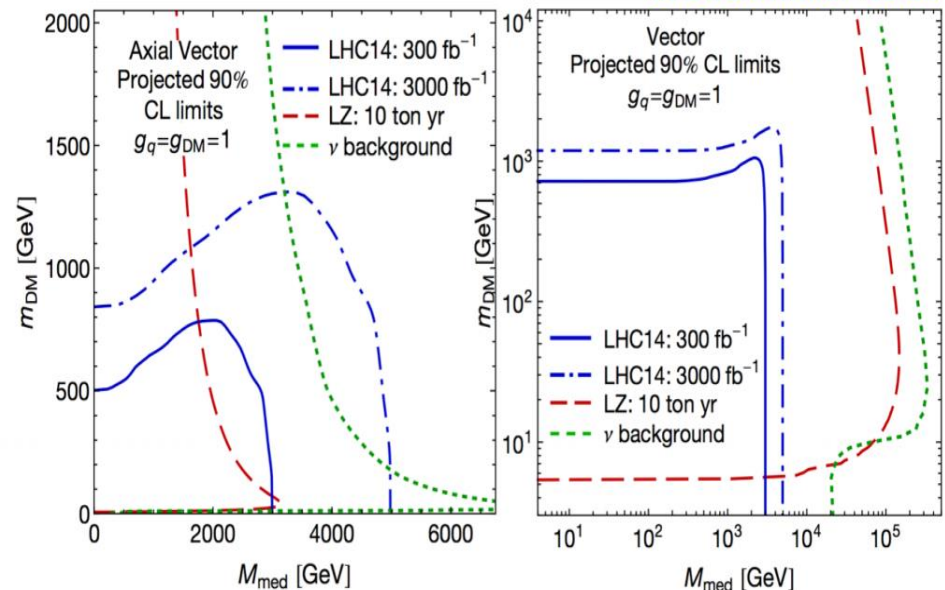
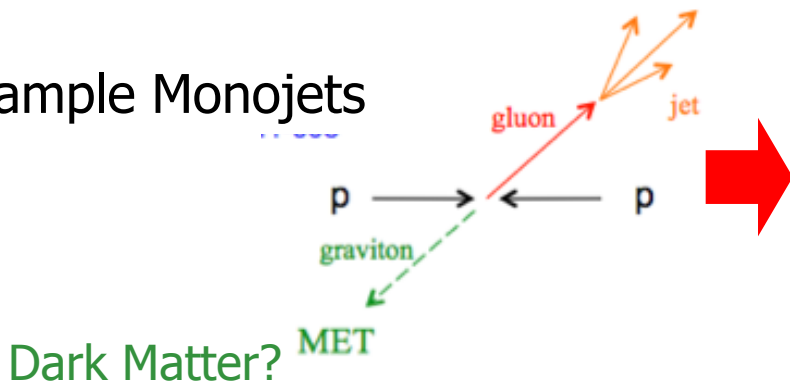
- **Mono-jets:** Generally the most powerful
- **Mono-photons:** First used for dark matter Searches
- **Mono-Ws:** Distinguish dark matter couplings to u- and d-type of quarks
- **Mono-Zs:** Clean signature
- **Mono-Tops:** Couplings to tops
- **Mono-Higgs:** Higgs-portals
- **Higgs Decays?**

Effective Field Theories for DM interpretation are under scrutiny!  
Alternatives such as SMS proposed



arXiv:1407.8257  
arXiv:1411.0535

Example Monojets

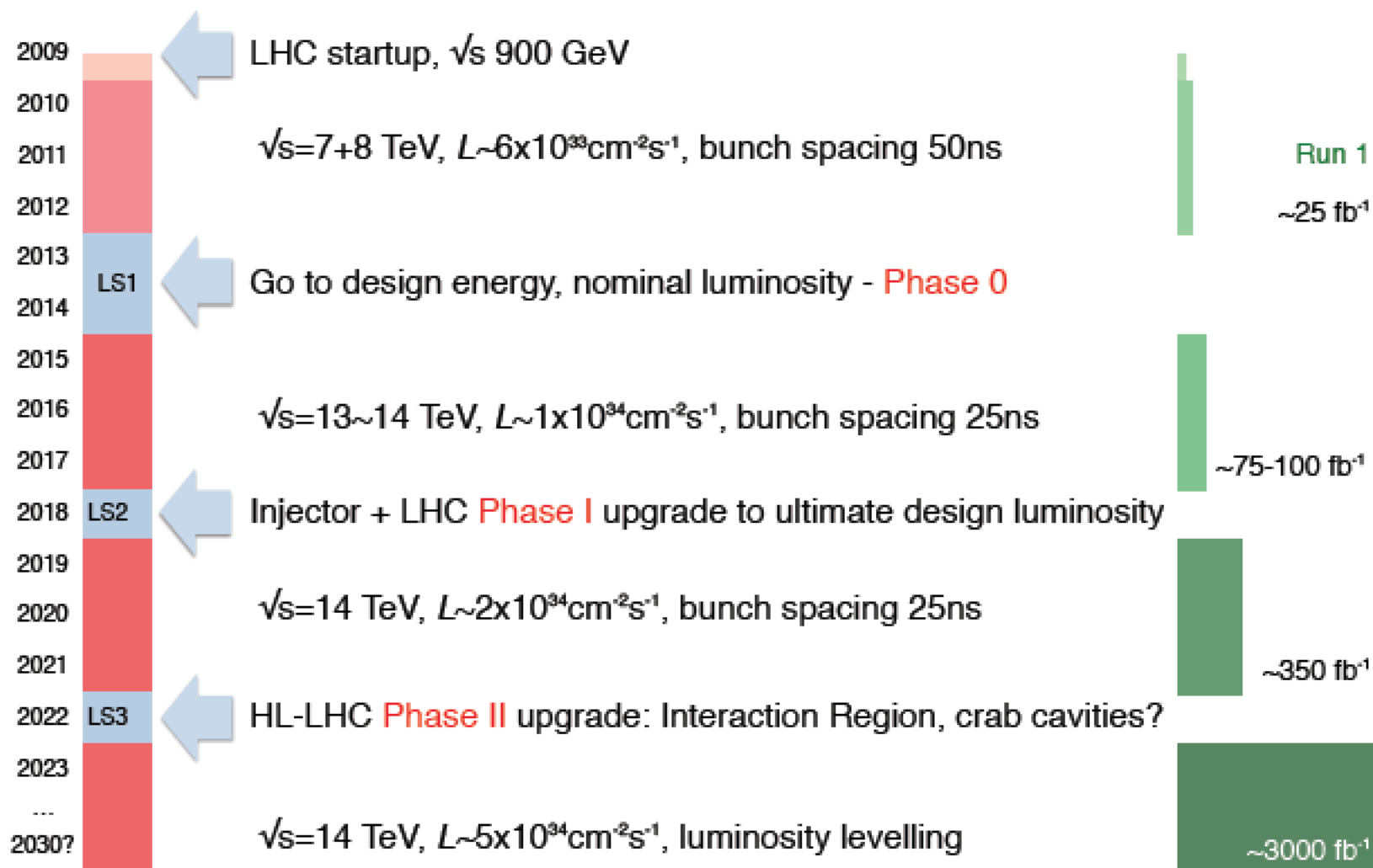


# **The LHC in 2015 and Beyond...**



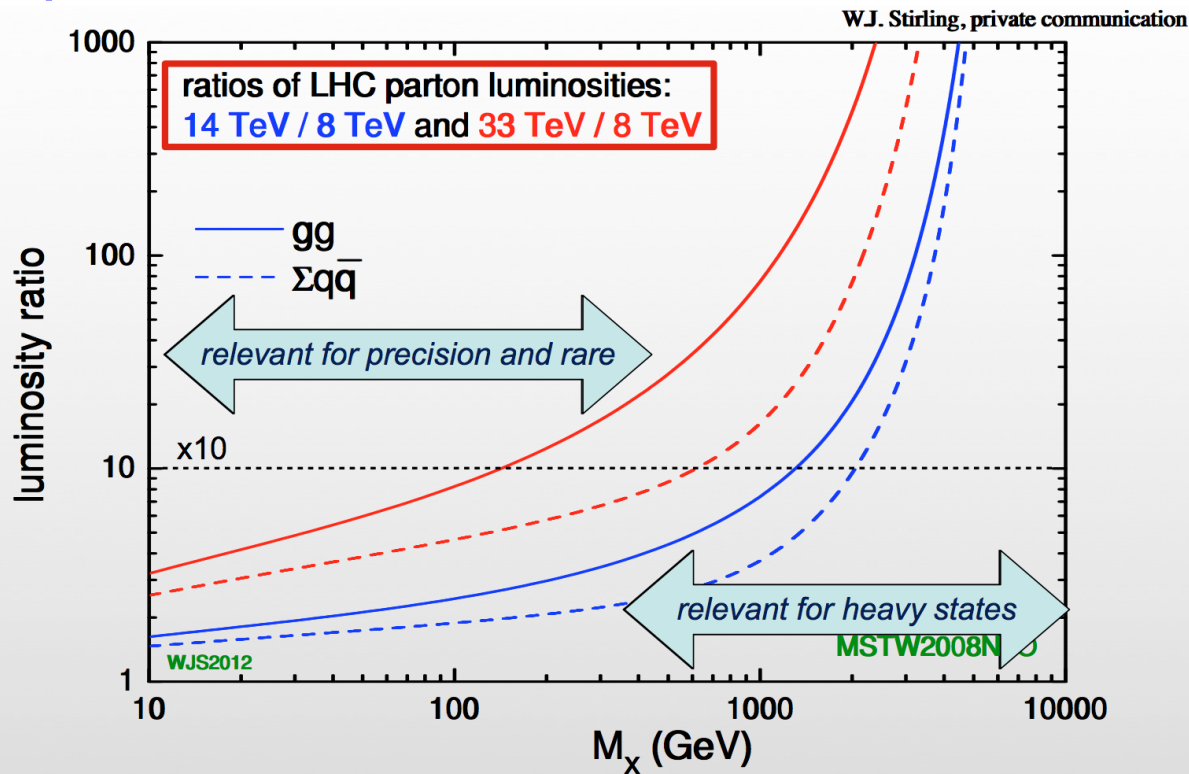
# The LHC Schedule

## LHC roadmap to achieve full potential



# Physics Program: Key Topics

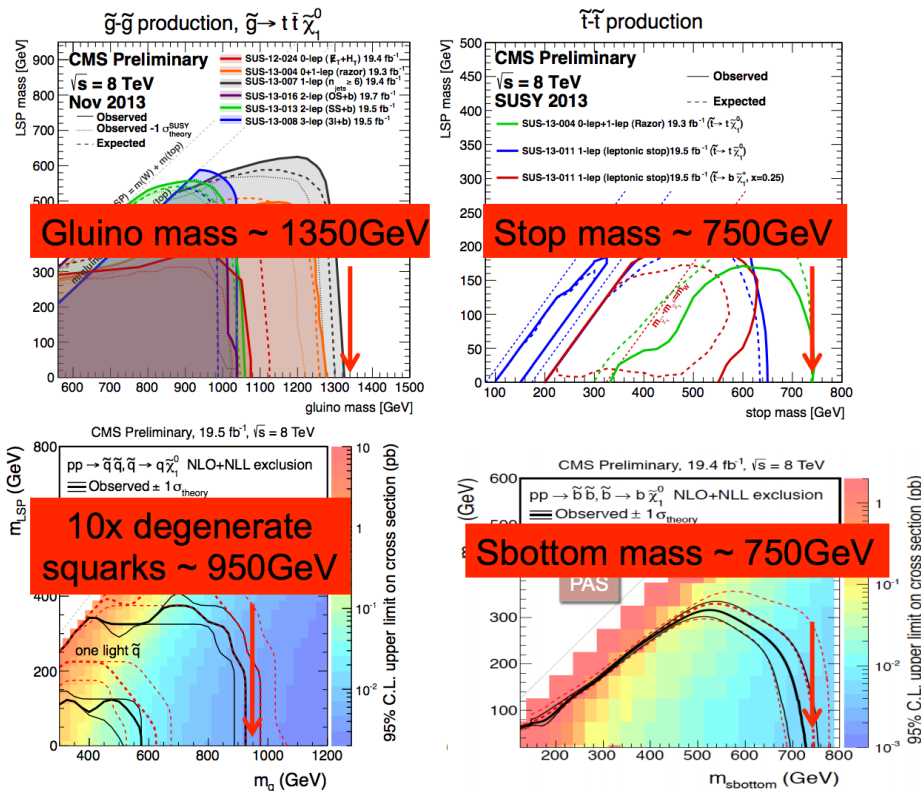
- Properties of the new Higgs boson, precise determination of its characteristics
- High mass reach for new particles and interactions
- Precision measurements
- Rare process



# SUSY Prospects @ 2015/2016

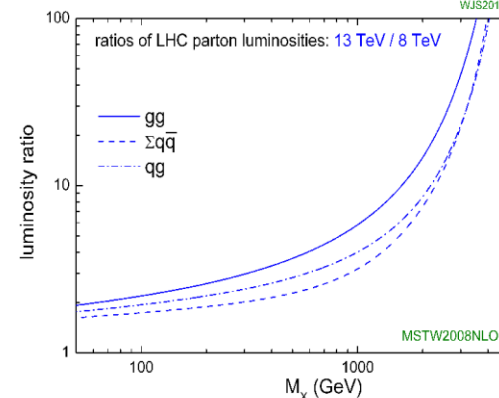
Expect  $\sim 10\text{-}20 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  in 2015 &  $40 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  in 2016 (present guestimates)

Now 2014



2015-2016

## Cross Section Scaling 8 $\rightarrow$ 13 TeV



Xsection Ratios 13/8 TeV

1350GeV gluino: x30  
950GeV squark: x20  
750GeV squark: x9  
350GeV  $X^+X^0$ : x3  
top pairs: x4

**$\sim 1/\text{fb}$  of 13TeV data surpasses our best gluino limits.**  
 **$\sim 3/\text{fb}$  of 13TeV data surpasses our sbottom and stop limits.**  
**There will be no relevant SM measurements at 13TeV by the time we have already stepped well into new territory!!!**

0.5-1  $\text{fb}^{-1}$  would be enough for first analyses entering new territory  
We expect that have such a sample by Summer 2015!!

# Summary: The Searches are on!

- The LHC has entered a new territory. The ATLAS and CMS experiments are heavily engaged in searches for new physics. The most popular example is SUSY, but many other New Physics model searches are covered.
- No sign of new physics yet in the first  $20 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  at 8 TeV with the analyses reported in this lecture.. This starts to cut into the 'preferred regions' for a large number of models, like SUSY
- More exotic channels are now being covered: monopoles, fractional or multiple charged particles, long lived particles...  
Still many unexplored channels left to explore
- The LHC did its part so far with a great run in 2012. Collected about  $20 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  @ 8 TeV by end of 2012
- In 2015 the energy will be 13/14 TeV, excellent
- And maybe one day soon:

