

Top Quark Properties



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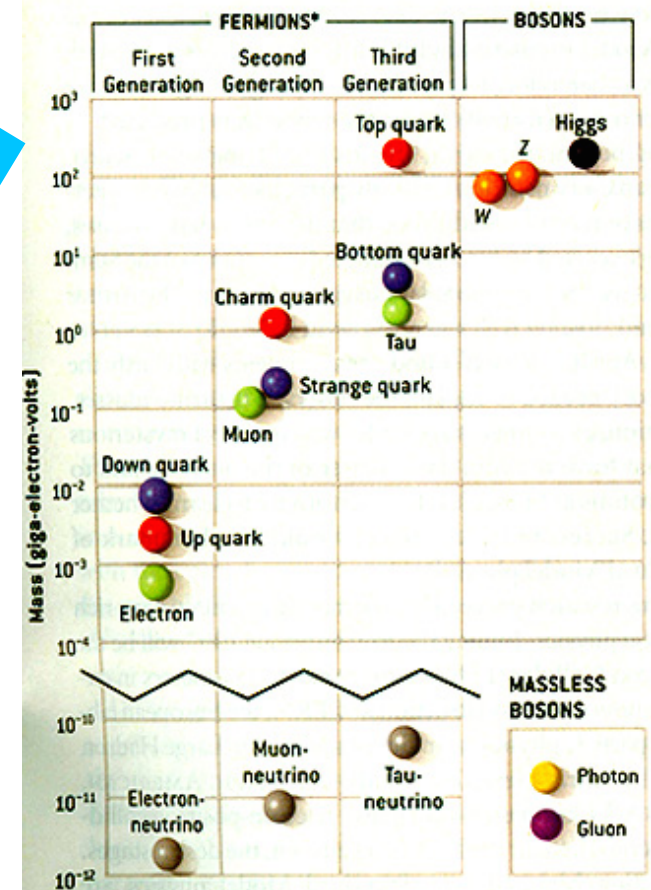
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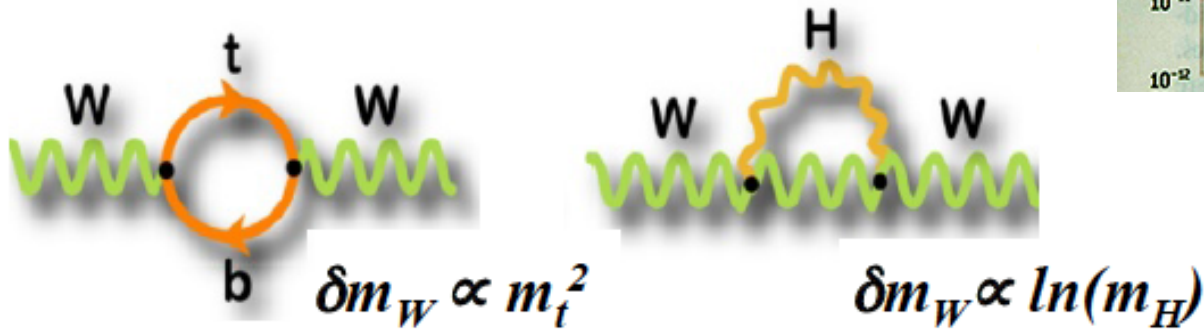
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Why bother about top?

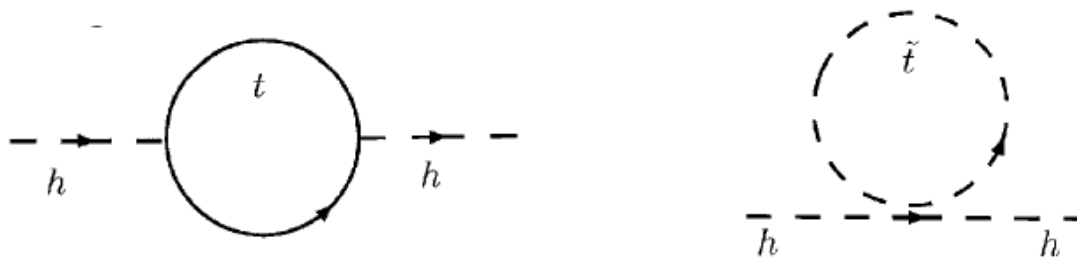
- ❑ Special in many accounts
 - Heaviest among all elementary particles
 - Couples strongly to the Higgs boson
 - Decays much before it can hadronize
 - Spin properties are transferred to decay products



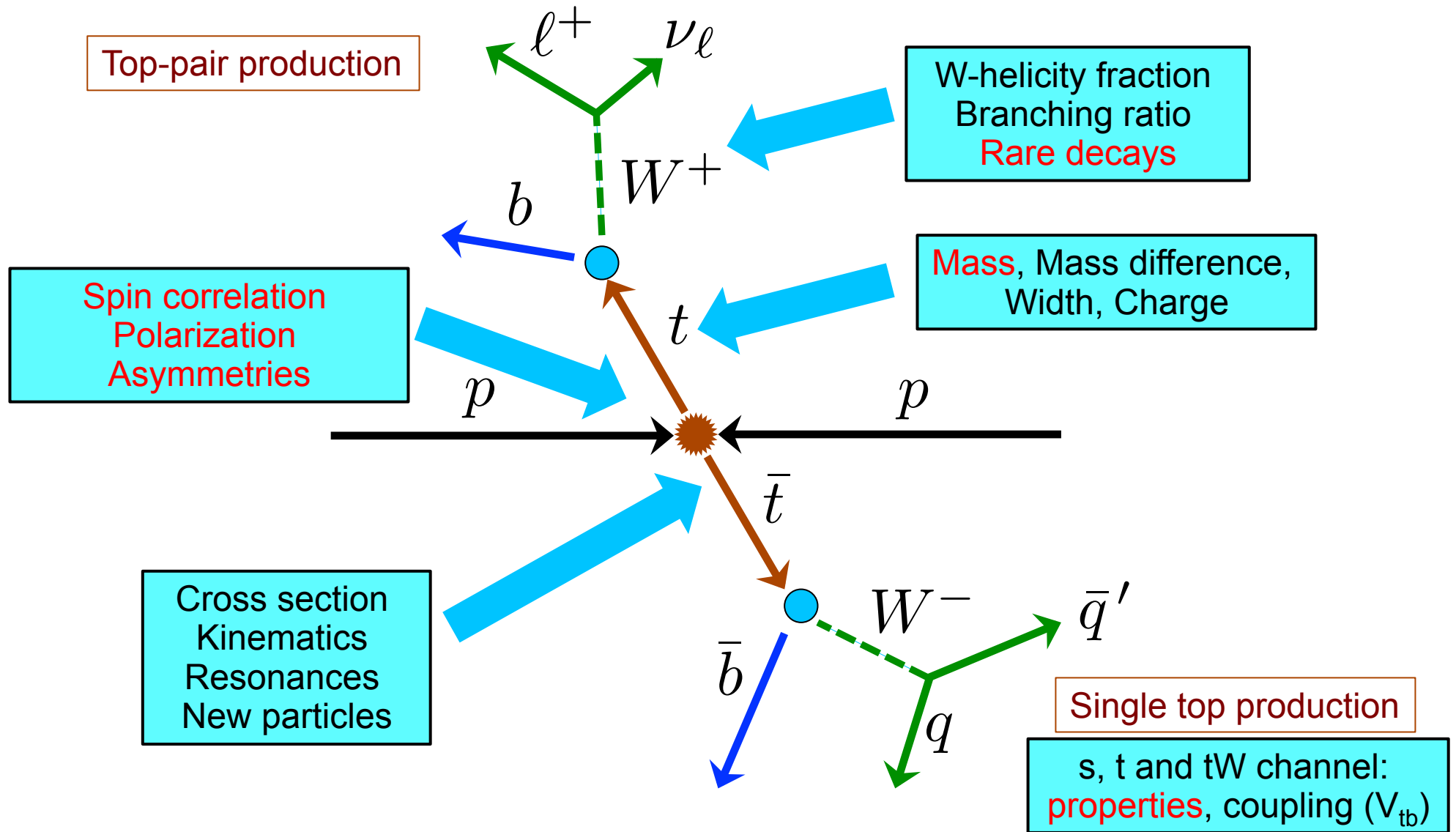
- ❑ An excellent benchmark to check self-consistency of the standard model (SM)



- ❑ Expect to have a good connection with new physics (NP)



Top properties: production and decay



➤ Shall cover the recent results from LHC and Tevatron on the red coloured items

Top-quark mass

□ Top-quark mass is scheme dependent

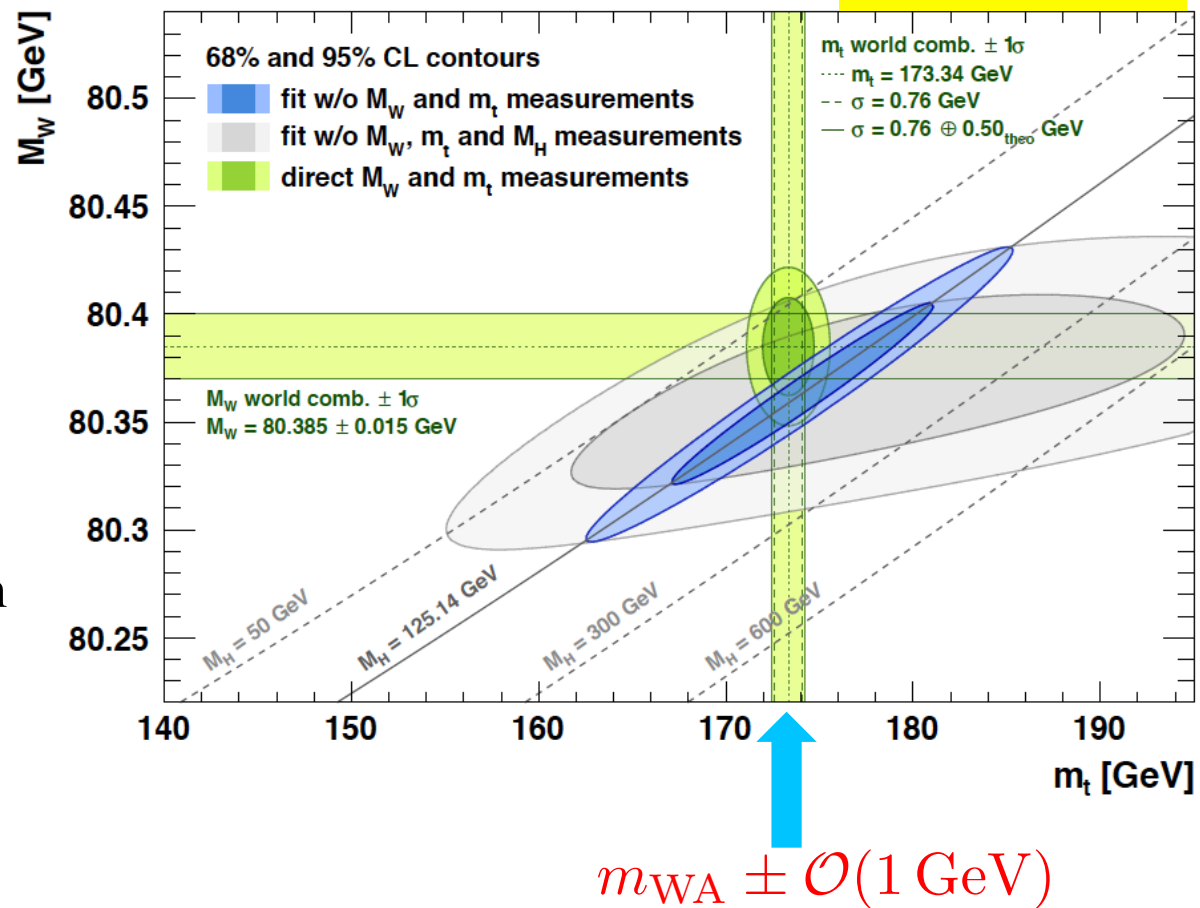
- ‘Pole mass’: view the top as a free particle
- Other schemes, e.g. $\overline{\text{MS}}$ scheme yield different results

□ ‘Direct’ mass measurement

- First reconstruct $m_{\text{top}}(\text{rec})$ and then extract the $m_{\text{top}}(\text{true})$ value
- Experimentally, most precise
- Limitations are flavour-dependent jet energy scale (JSF) uncertainty, hadronization, fragmentations and colour reconnection

□ ‘Alternative’ mass measurement

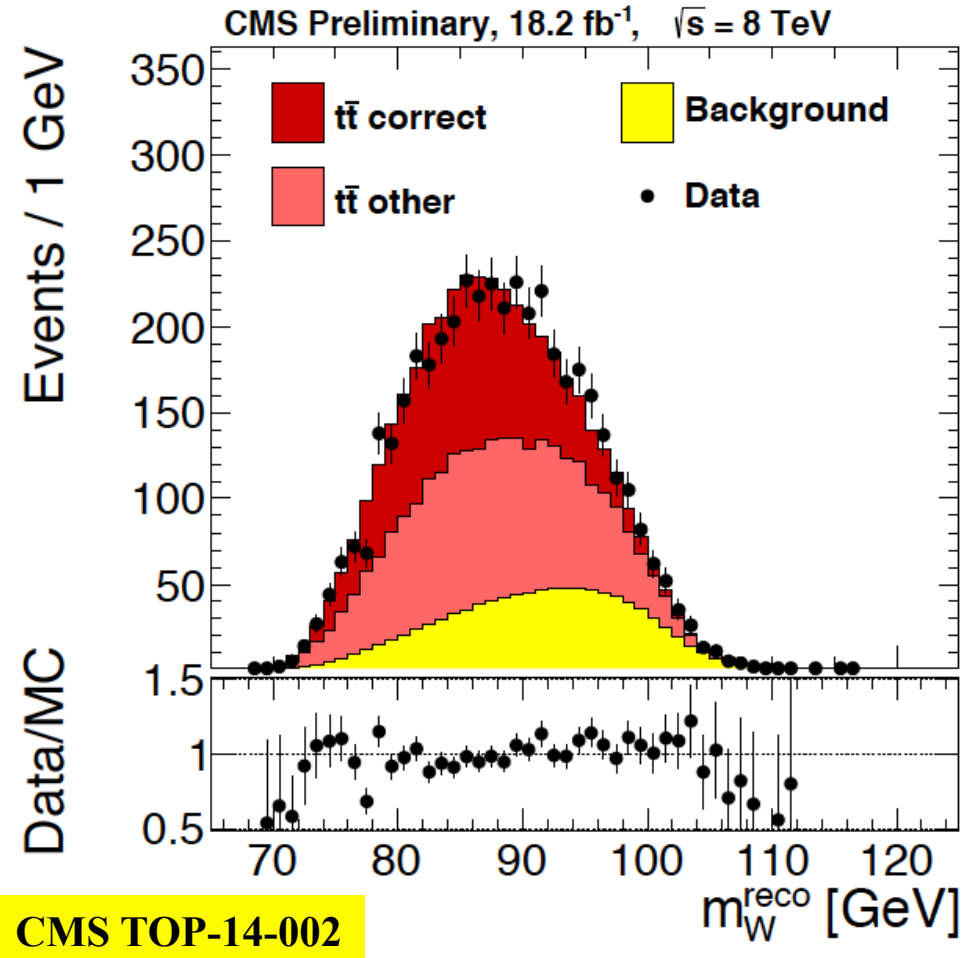
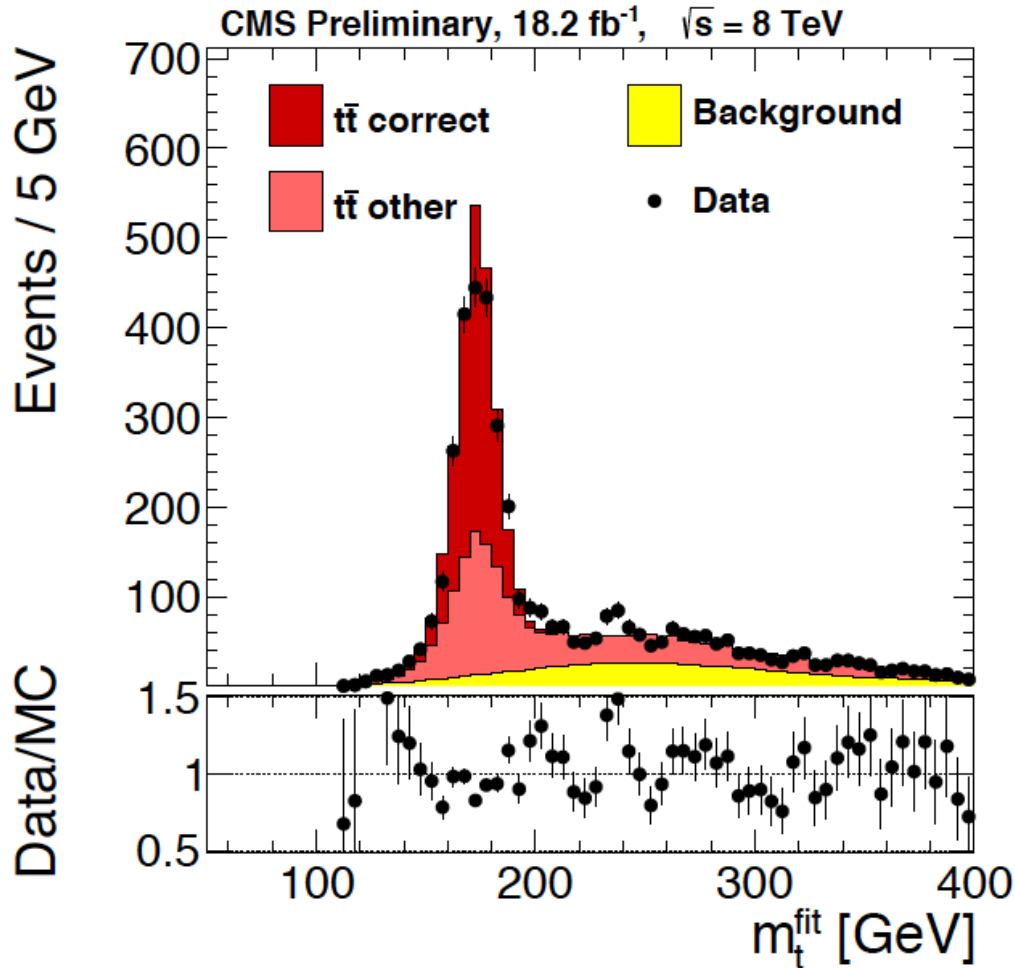
- Complementary experimental and theoretical uncertainties
- Can further pin-down the global error when combined with the ‘direct’ mass results





Results from the all-jets final state

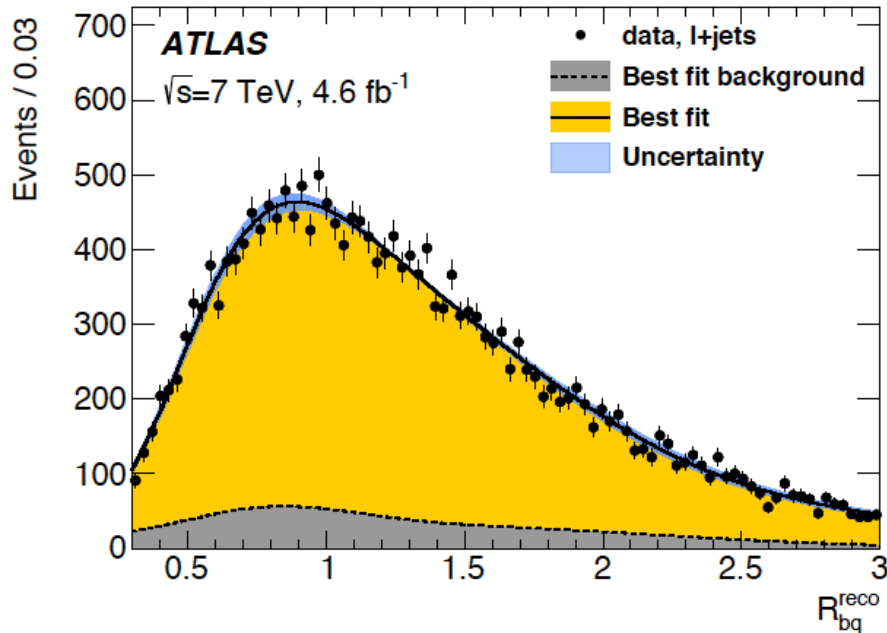
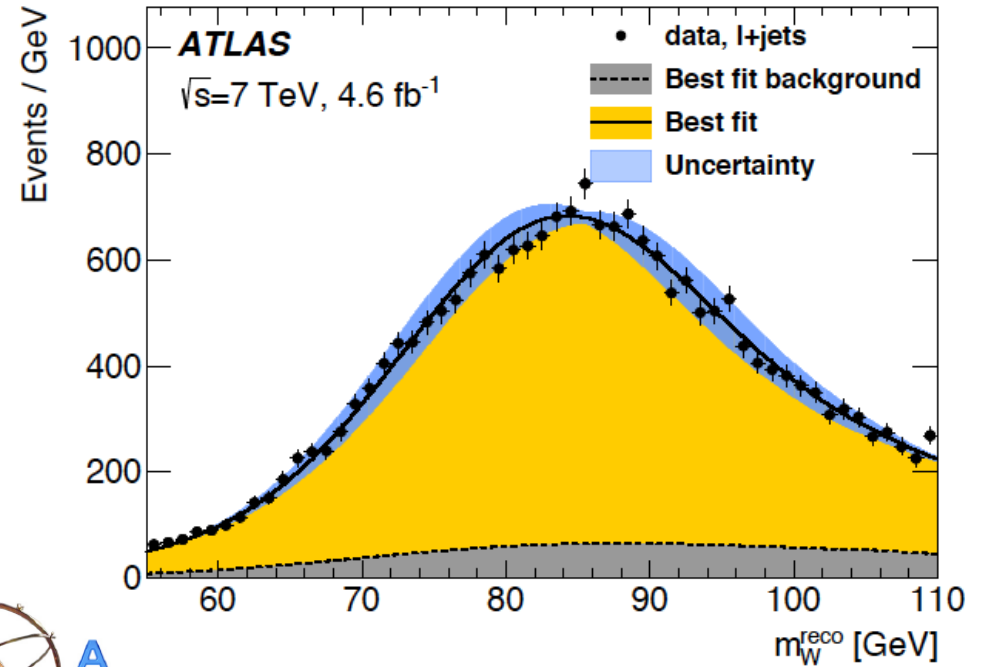
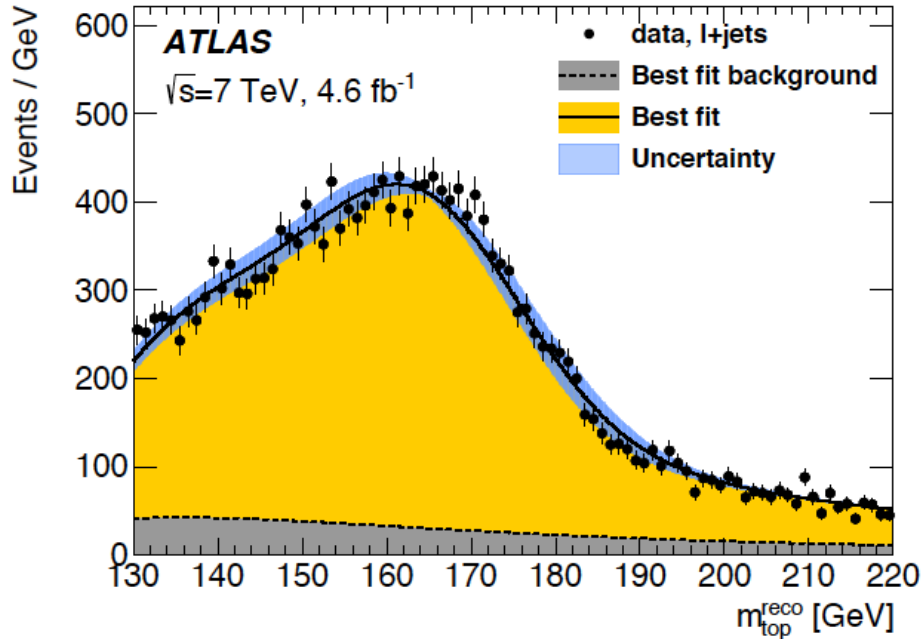
- Two-dimensional likelihood fit to extract m_{top} and light-quark jet energy scale applying the W-mass constraint **CMS TOP-14-002**
- b-jet energy scale checked using Z+b events **CMS JME-13-001**



$$m_{\text{top}} = 172.08 \pm 0.36(\text{stat} + \text{JSF}) \pm 0.83(\text{syst}) \text{ GeV}$$
$$\text{JSF} = 1.007 \pm 0.003(\text{stat}) \pm 0.011(\text{syst})$$

Results from lepton+jets and dilepton channels

- 3D template fit to extract m_{top} , jet energy scale and b-jet energy scale



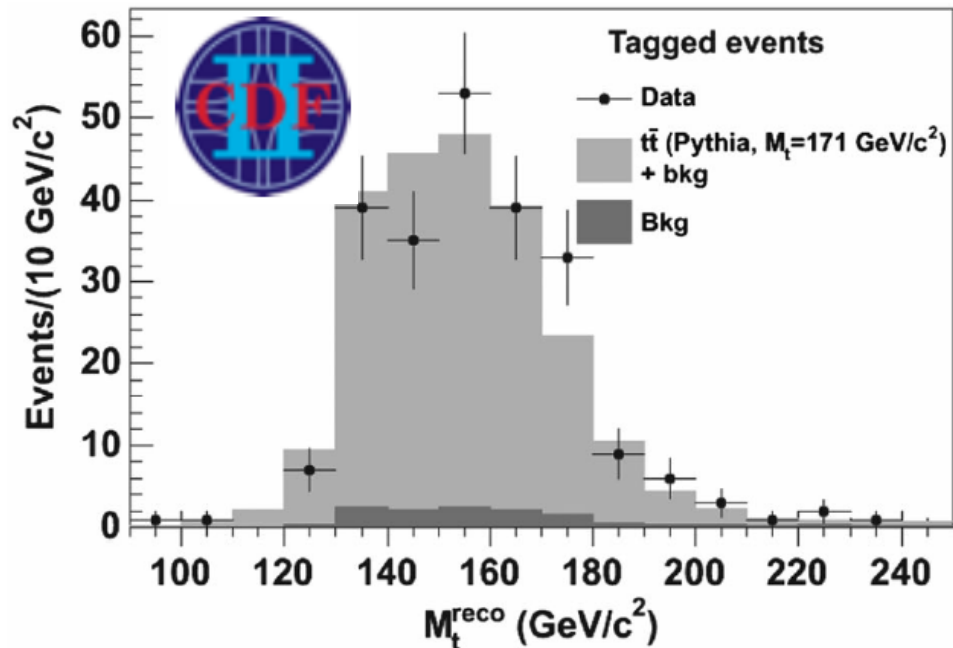
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$$m_{\text{top}} = 172.99 \pm 0.48(\text{stat}) \pm 0.78(\text{syst}) \text{ GeV}$$

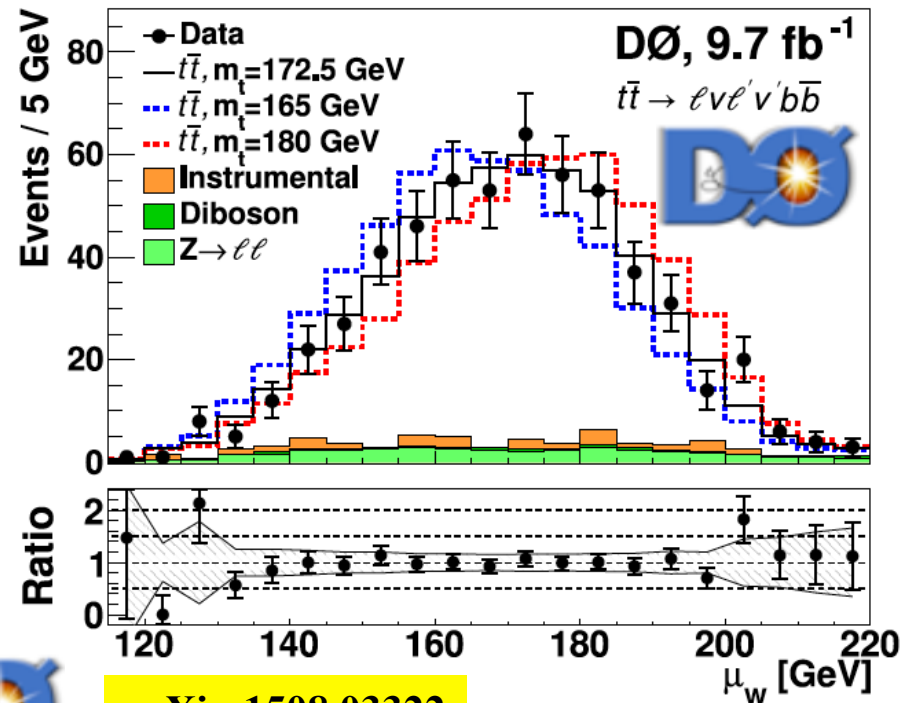
- Will benefit from more statistics at 8 TeV as well as Run II

Dilepton results from Tevatron

- Reconstruct a) $m_{\text{top}}(\text{reco})$: full kinematic info & b) $m_{\text{lb}}(\text{alt})$: less dependence on JSF



- Add multiple kinematic solutions, with weights from expected neutrino spectra



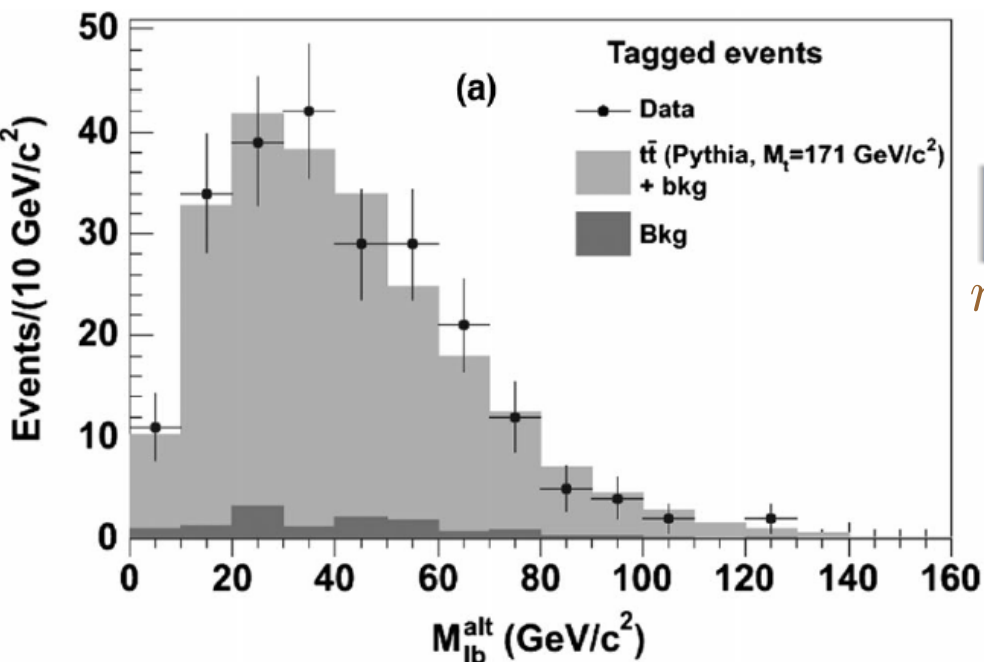
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$$m_{\text{top}} = 173.32 \pm 1.36(\text{stat}) \pm 0.85(\text{syst}) \text{ GeV}$$



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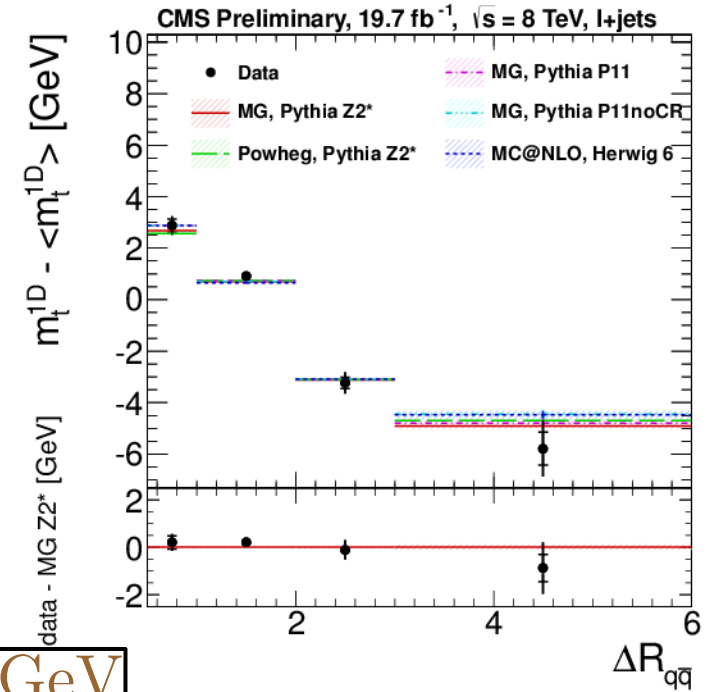
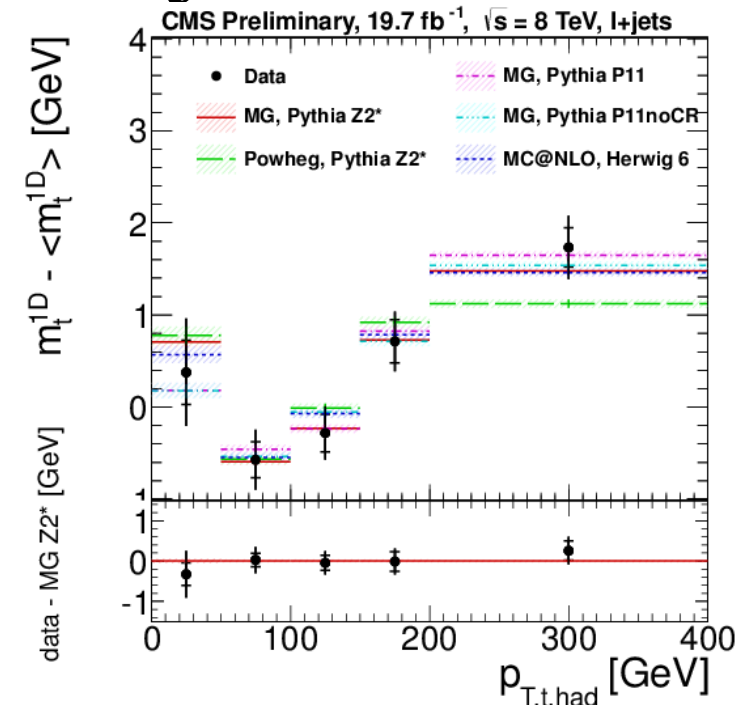
$$m_{\text{top}} = 171.5 \pm 1.9(\text{stat}) \pm 2.5(\text{syst}) \text{ GeV}$$



m_{top} (true) from CMS in lepton+jets channel

- ❑ Determine the kinematic dependence of measurement: pin down (non-)perturbative corrections that would lead to differences
- ❑ Select distributions, in total 14 of them, with sensitivity to
 - Colour reconnection
 - ISR and FSR
 - b-quark kinematics

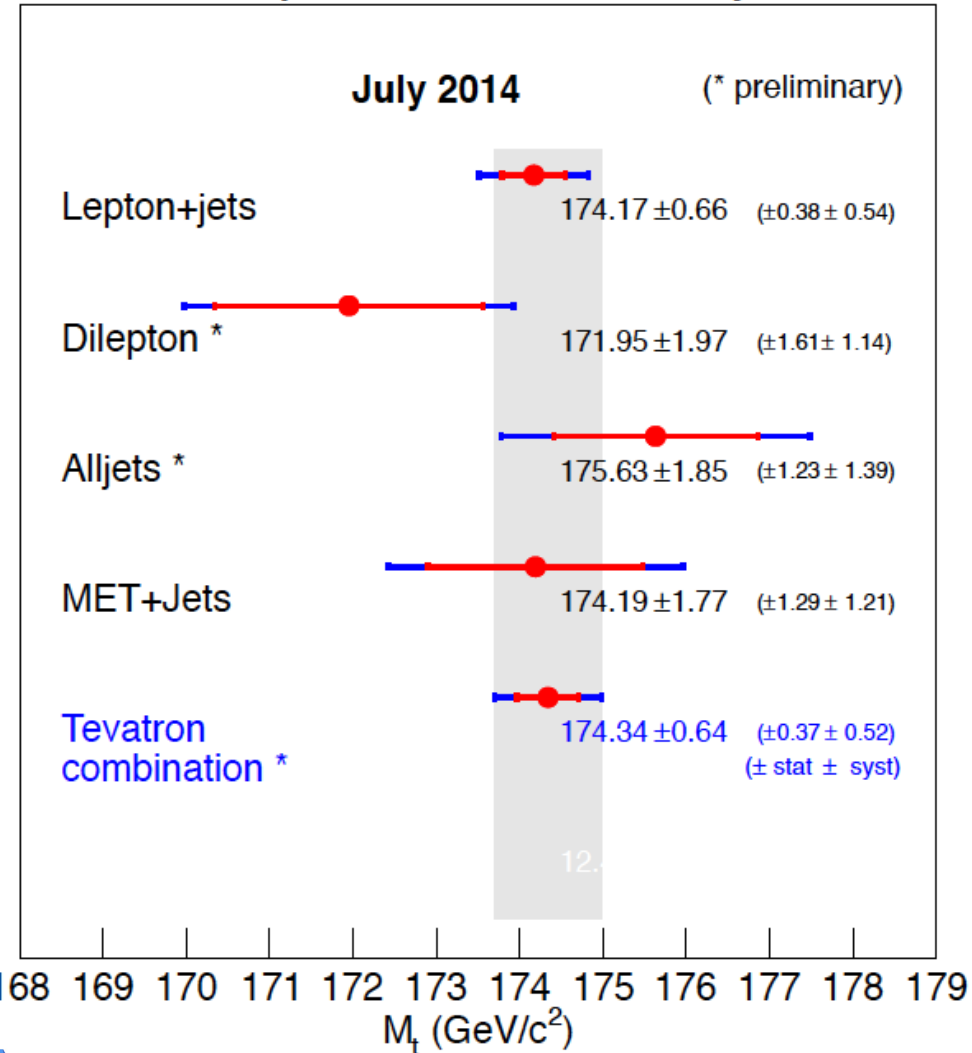
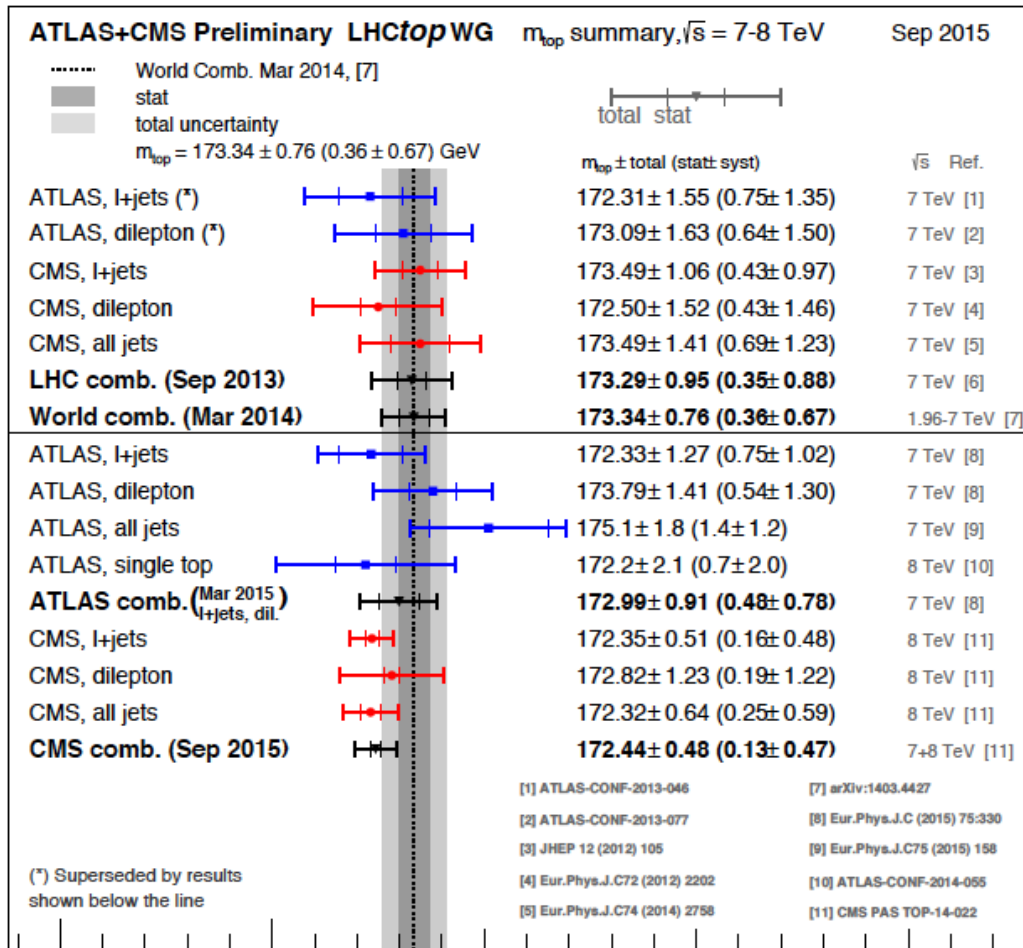
Observable	$m_t^{1D} \chi^2$	JSF χ^2	$m_t^{2D} \chi^2$	Ndf
$\Delta R_{q\bar{q}}$	2.87	3.66	0.83	3
$p_{T,t,\text{had}}$	0.89	12.03	5.76	4
$ \eta_{t,\text{had}} $	5.56	1.22	1.14	3
H_T^4	6.19	9.18	7.54	4
$m_{t\bar{t}}$	2.16	4.69	4.22	5
$p_{T,t\bar{t}}$	1.02	1.22	1.33	4
Jet multiplicity	4.24	0.10	1.16	2
$p_{T,b,\text{had}}$	2.57	5.80	2.17	4
$ \eta_{b,\text{had}} $	1.15	0.08	0.72	2
$\Delta R_{b\bar{b}}$	0.37	1.63	1.77	3
$p_{T,q,\text{had}}^1$	4.04	8.39	1.28	4
$ \eta_{q,\text{had}}^1 $	3.36	3.79	6.27	2
$p_{T,W,\text{had}}$	1.59	8.06	1.60	4
$ \eta_{W,\text{had}} $	1.41	1.09	1.35	3
Total	37.43	60.94	37.15	47



CMS PAS TOP-14-001

$$m_{\text{top}} = 172.04 \pm 0.19(\text{stat} + \text{JSF}) \pm 0.75(\text{syst}) \text{ GeV}$$

Summary from LHC and Tevatron



$$m_{top} = 172.44 \pm 0.48 \text{ GeV}$$



$$m_{top} = 172.99 \pm 0.91 \text{ GeV}$$



$$m_{top} = 174.34 \pm 0.64 \text{ GeV}$$

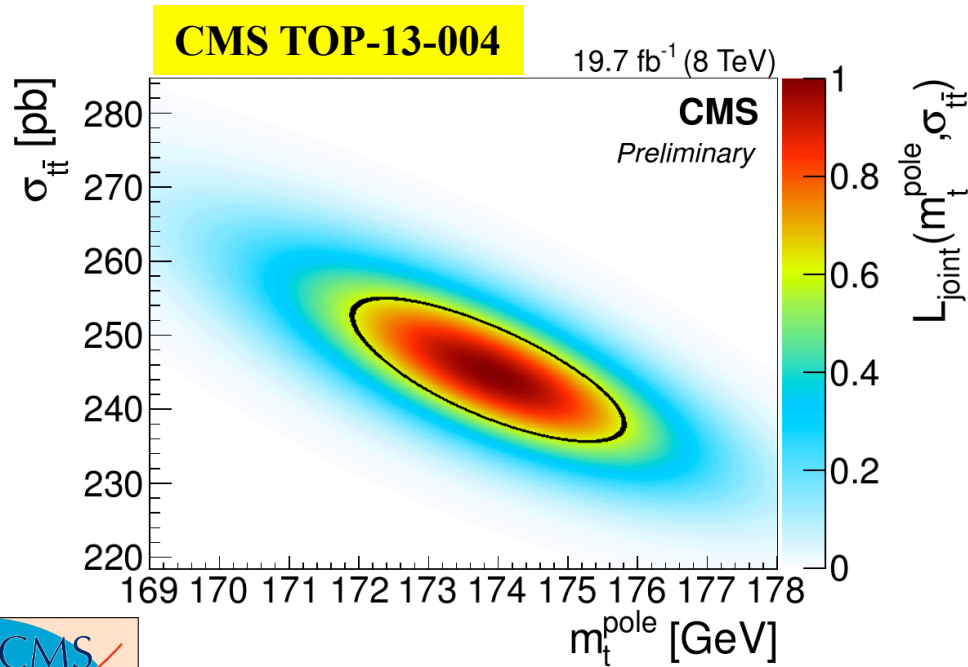
Results on m_{pole} from CMS and ATLAS

- Measure $\sigma_{t\bar{t}}$ (7+8 TeV) using a template fit to b-jet multiplicity, multiplicity and p_T of other jets

$$\sigma_{t\bar{t}} = 174.5 \pm 2.1(\text{stat}) \pm_{4.0}^{4.5}(\text{syst}) \pm 3.8(\text{lumi}) \text{ pb}$$

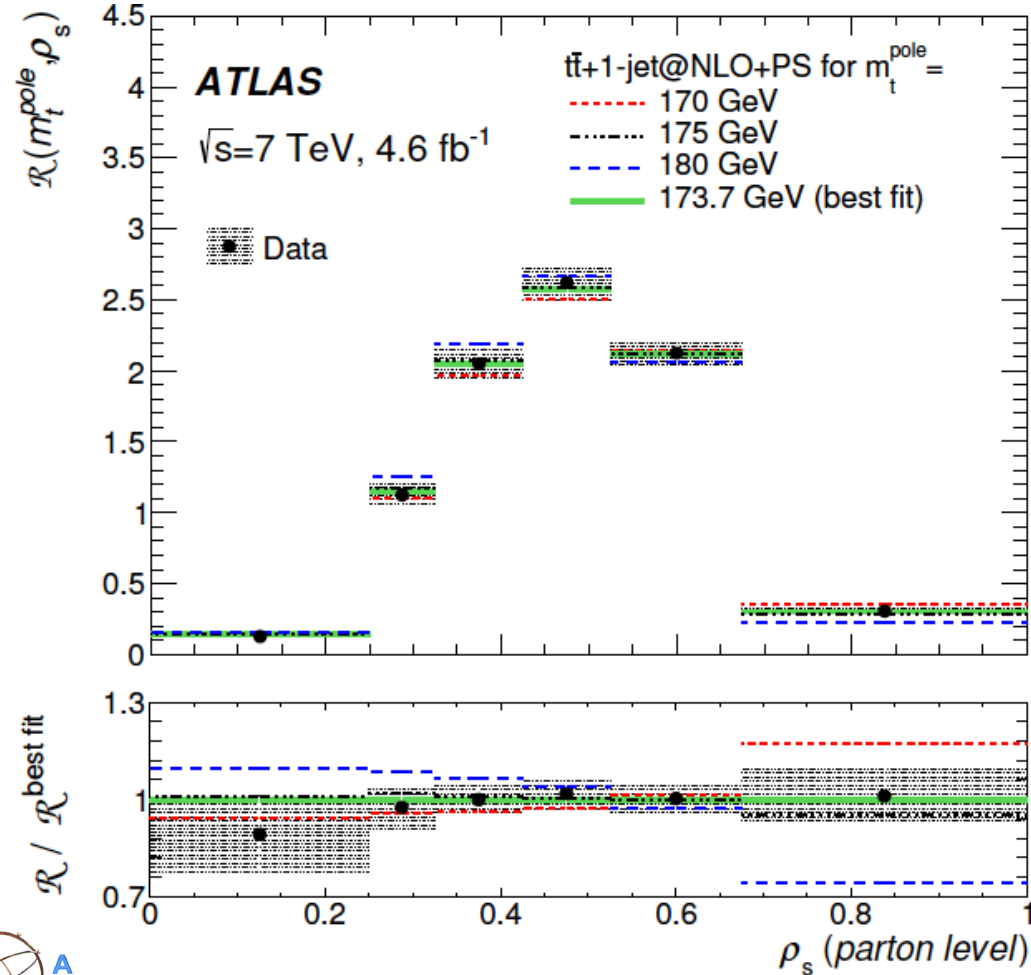
$$\sigma_{t\bar{t}} = 245.6 \pm 1.3(\text{stat}) \pm_{5.5}^{6.6}(\text{syst}) \pm 6.5(\text{lumi}) \text{ pb}$$

- Extract m_{pole} by comparing $\sigma_{t\bar{t}}$ with NNLO (+NNLL) computations



$$m_{\text{pole}} = 173.6_{-1.8}^{+1.7} \text{ GeV}$$

- $t\bar{t}+1\text{-jet}$ distribution (NLO+PS) pole mass via threshold & cone effects

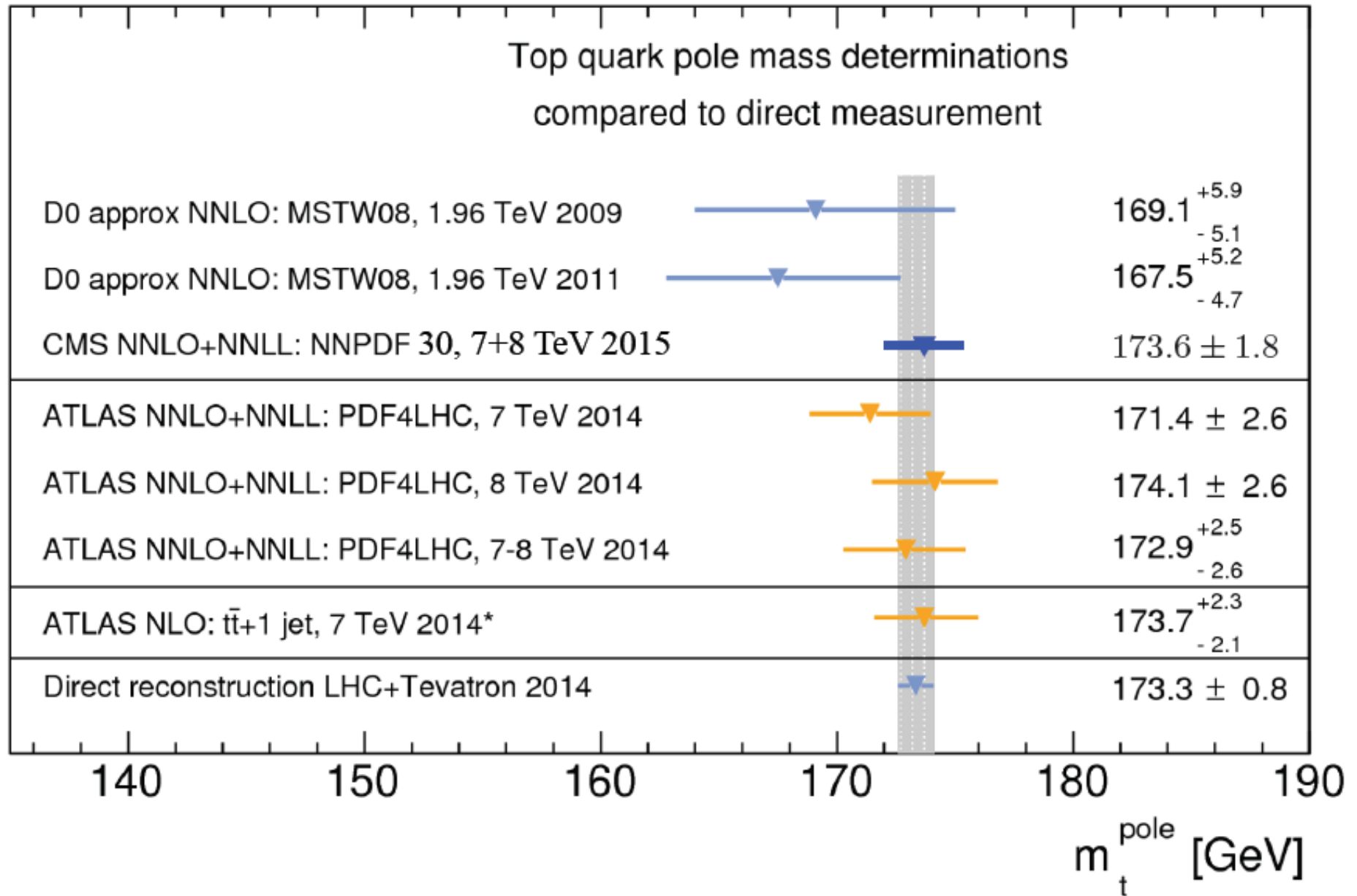


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$$m_{\text{pole}} = 173.7 \pm 1.5(\text{stat}) \pm 1.4(\text{syst})_{-0.5}^{+1.0}(\text{theo}) \text{ GeV}$$

➤ First one is the single most precise m_{pole} measurement

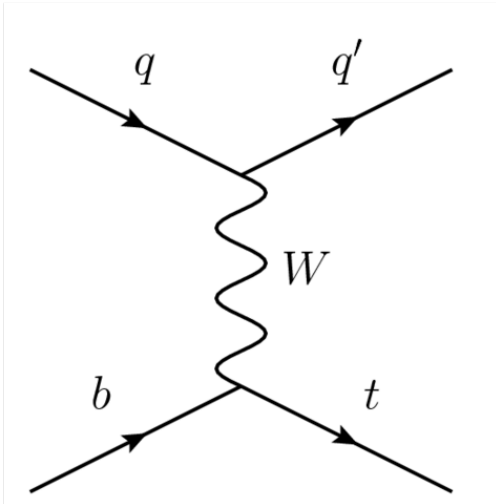
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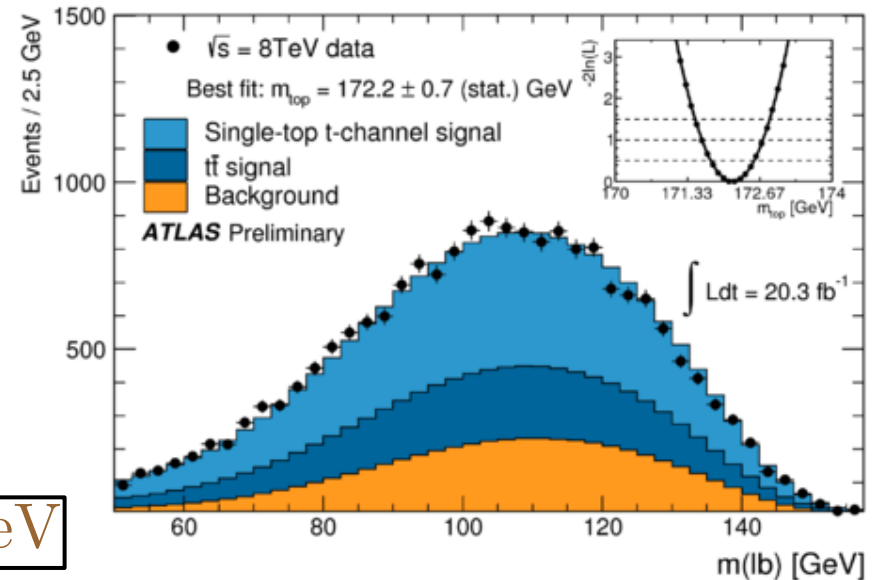
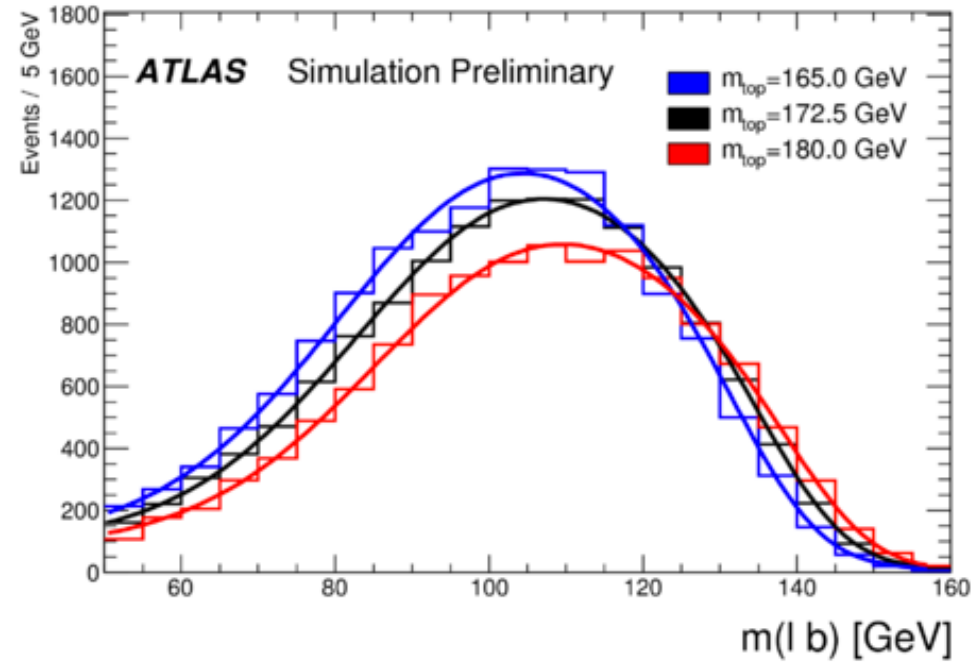
➤ Pole mass measurements are not yet as precise as $m_{\text{top}}(\text{true})$

m_{top} (true) from single top events

- Use events dominated by t-channel single top quark topologies
- Employ a Neural Network to enhance the signal purity



- 1D template fit to the invariant mass of the lepton and b-tagged jet
- JSF is the dominant source of systematic

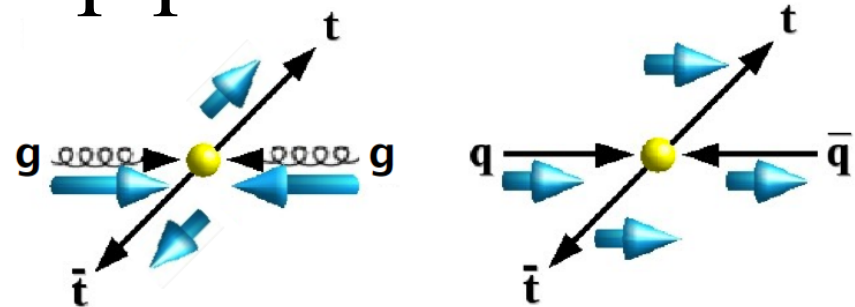


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$$m_{\text{pole}} = 172.2 \pm 0.7(\text{stat}) \pm 2.0(\text{syst}) \text{ GeV}$$

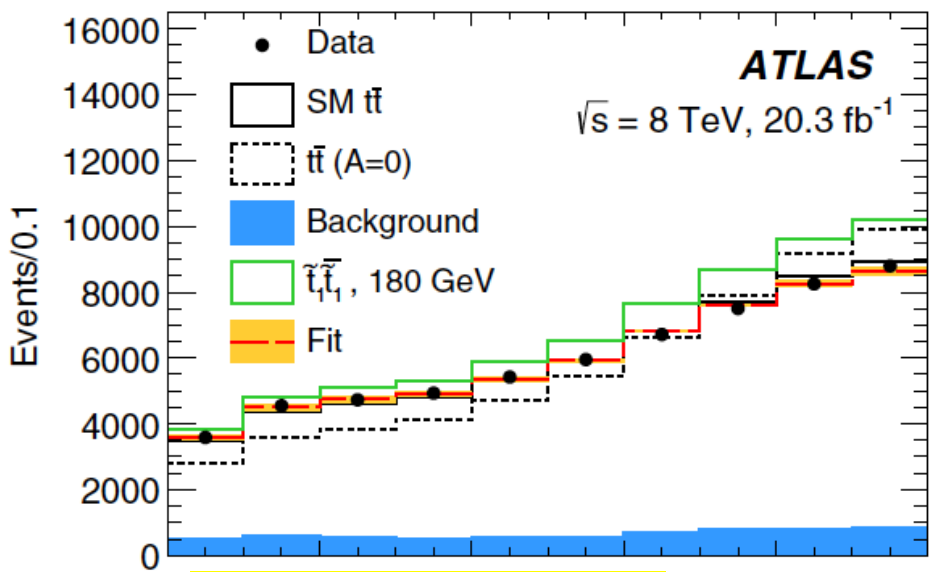
Spin correlation in top pair events

- Top quarks decay before their spins can de-correlate → spin correlation
- Use dilepton channel: access the above via azimuthal angle difference of two leptons in the laboratory frame

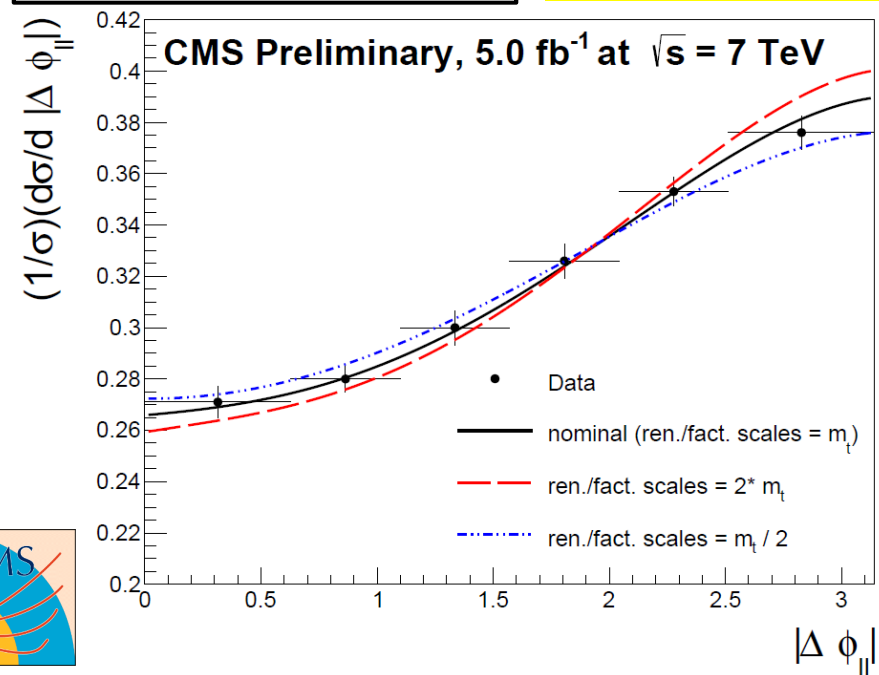
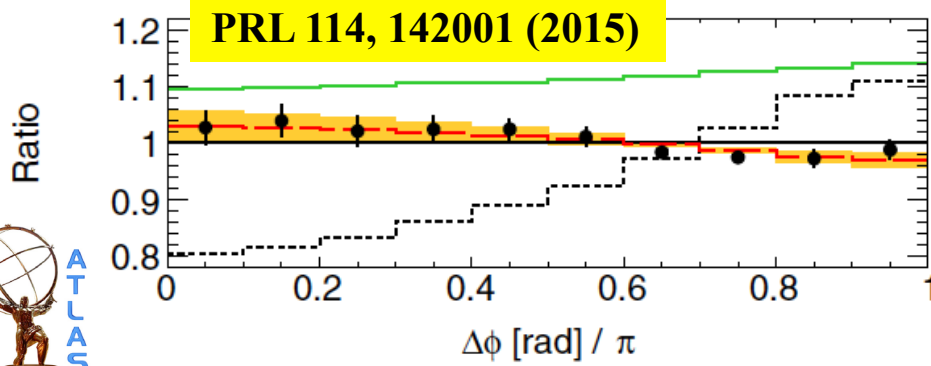


$$f_{SM} = \frac{N_{SM}^{t\bar{t}}}{N_{SM}^{t\bar{t}} + N_{Uncor}^{t\bar{t}}}$$

PRL 112, 182001 (2014)



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$$f_{SM} = 1.02 \pm 0.10(\text{stat}) \pm 0.22(\text{syst})$$

Search for chromomagnetic dipole-moments

$$-0.043 < \text{Re}(\mu) < 0.117 \text{ at } 95\% \text{ CL}$$

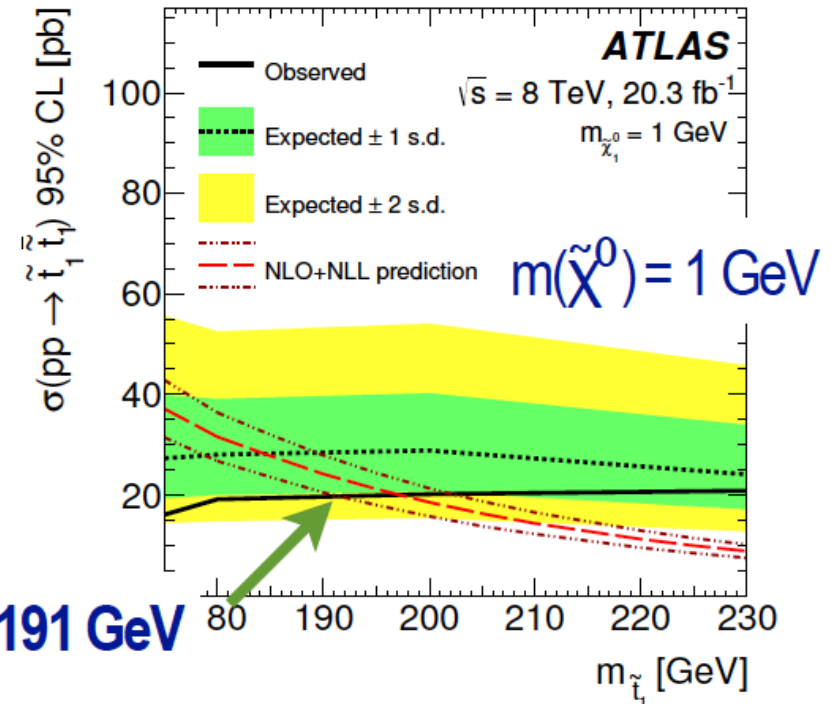
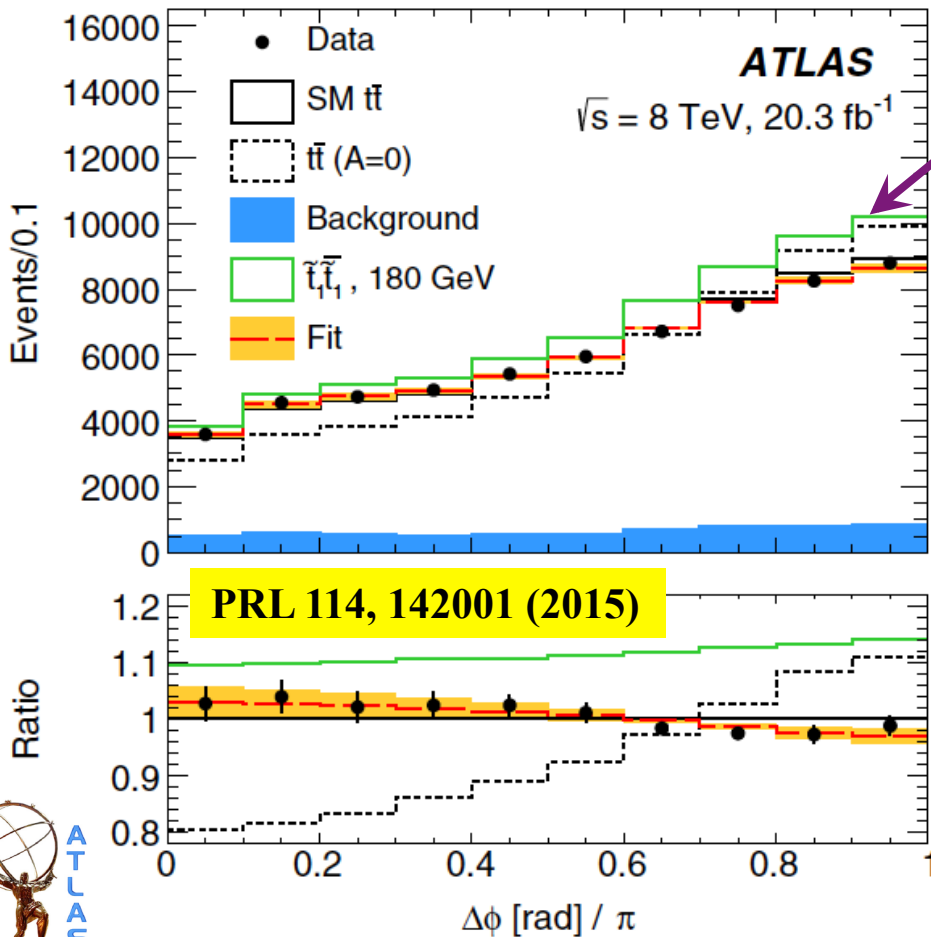
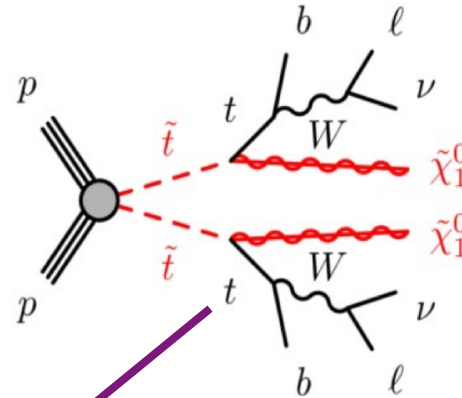


CMS TOP-14-005

$$f_{SM} = 1.20 \pm 0.05(\text{stat}) \pm 0.13(\text{syst})$$

Spin correlation as a NP probe

- Stop pair production → reduced spin correlation and increased top-pair rate



- Exclude top squark masses between m_{top} and 191 GeV at 95% CL

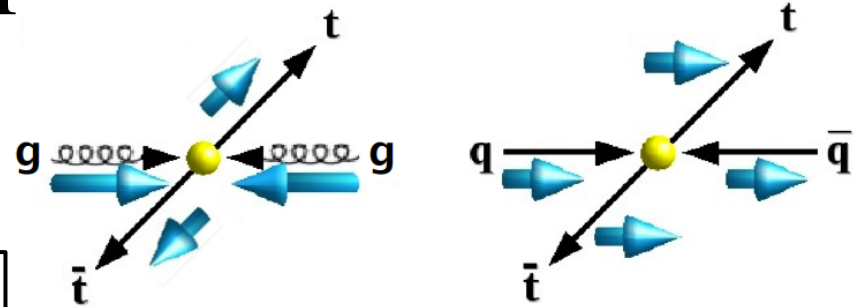


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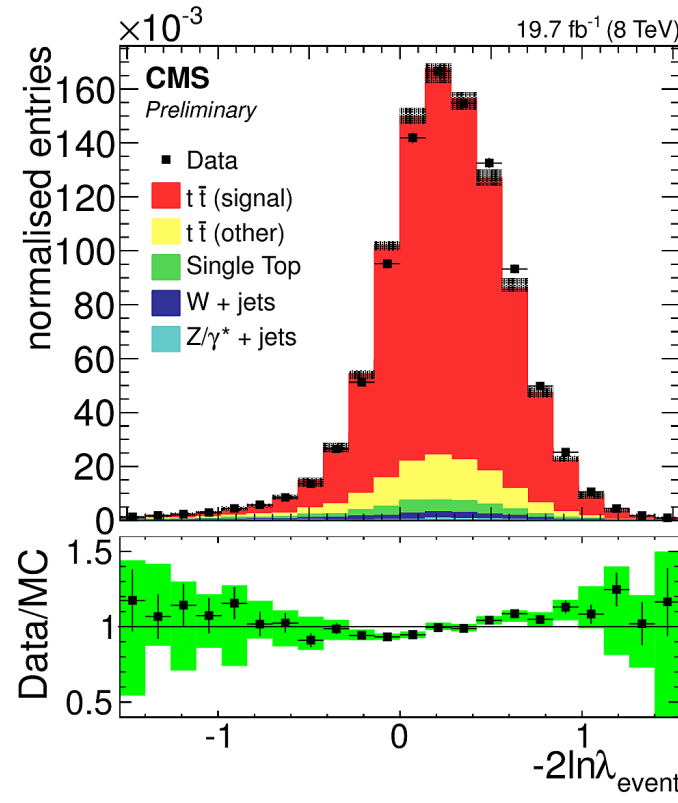
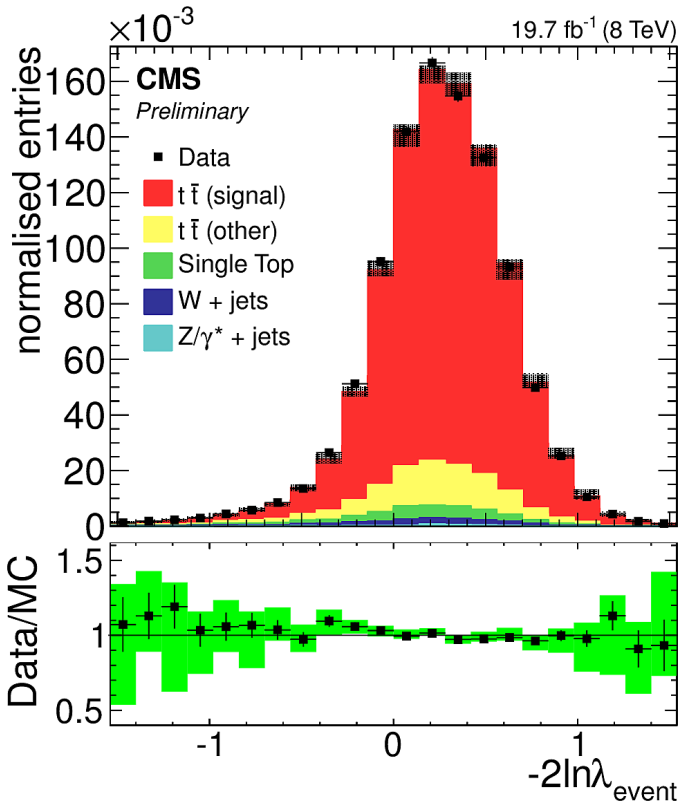


Recent results on spin correlation

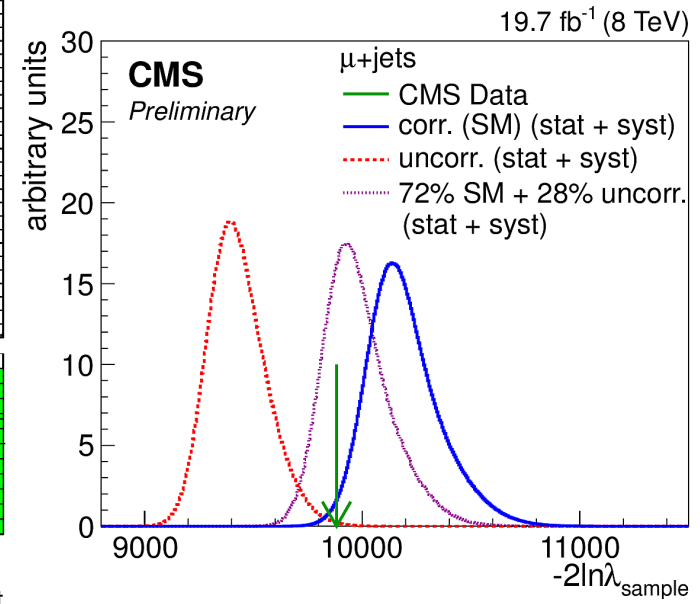
- Use the lepton+jets channel → require full top-pair event reconstruction
- Employ the full matrix element method



$$f_{SM} = \frac{N_{SM}^{t\bar{t}}}{N_{SM}^{t\bar{t}} + N_{Uncor}^{t\bar{t}}}$$



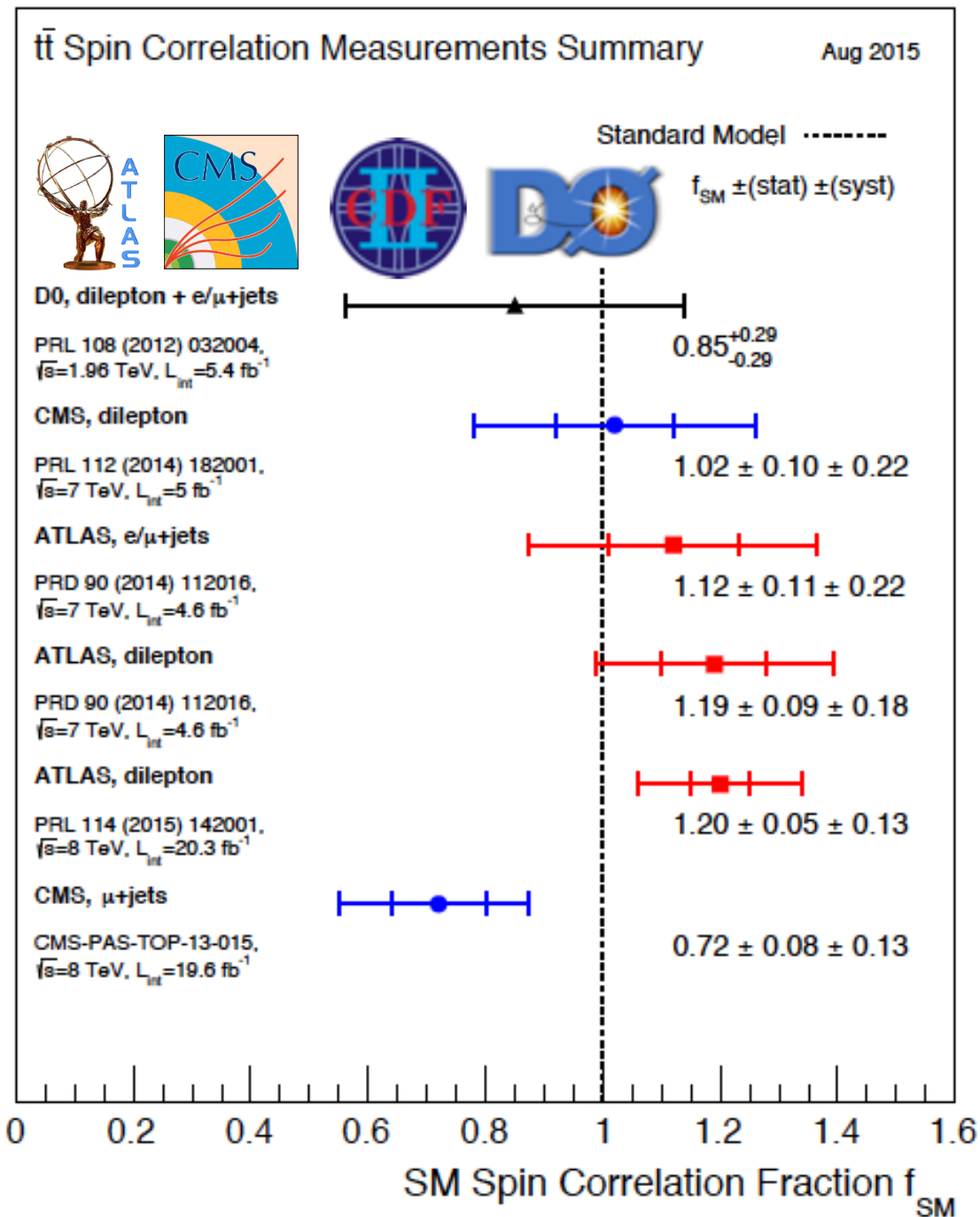
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$$f_{SM} = 0.72 \pm 0.08 \pm 0.13$$

- $CL_s(SM) = 1.3\%$
- $CL_s(uncorr) = 0.2\%$

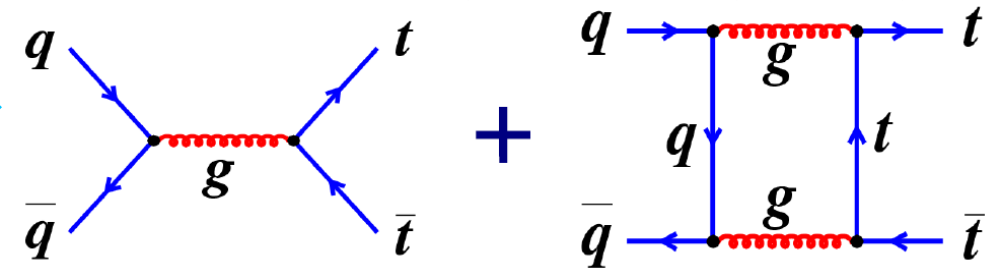
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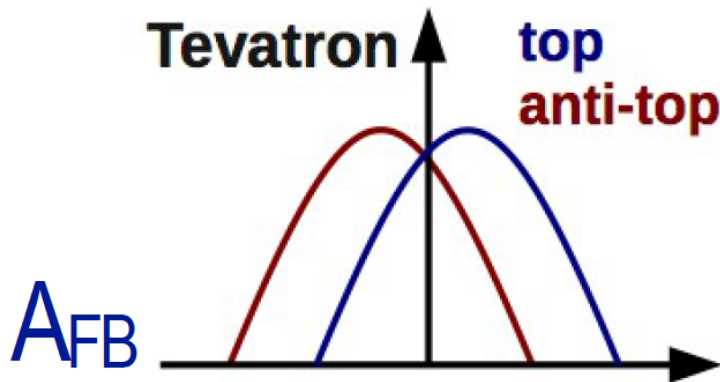
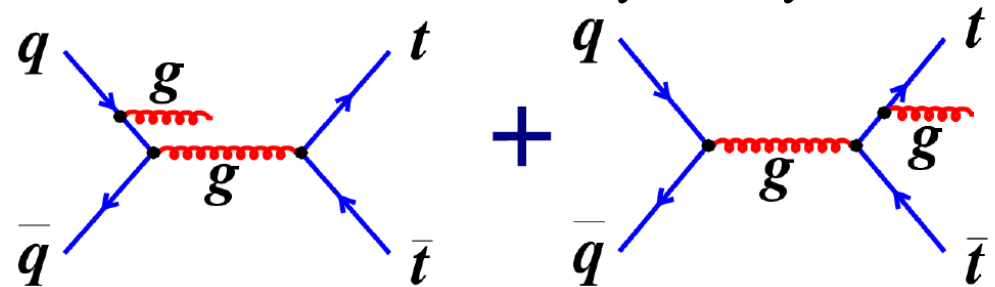
Forward-backward and charge asymmetries

- LO: we don't expect any asymmetry
- NLO: arises due to interference between the qq diagram
- Diluted at LHC owing to large gg fraction coupled with unknown quark direction
- Recent NNLO prediction for Tevatron:
 $A_{FB} = 0.095 \pm 0.007$ PRL 115, 052001 (2015)
- Agrees with latest D0 measurement and just 1.5σ below the CDF value

tree-level and box diagram: +ve asymmetry

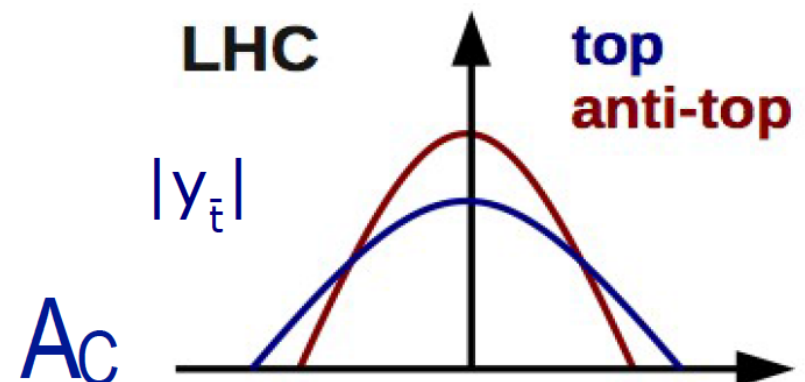


ISR and FSR: -ve asymmetry



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

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



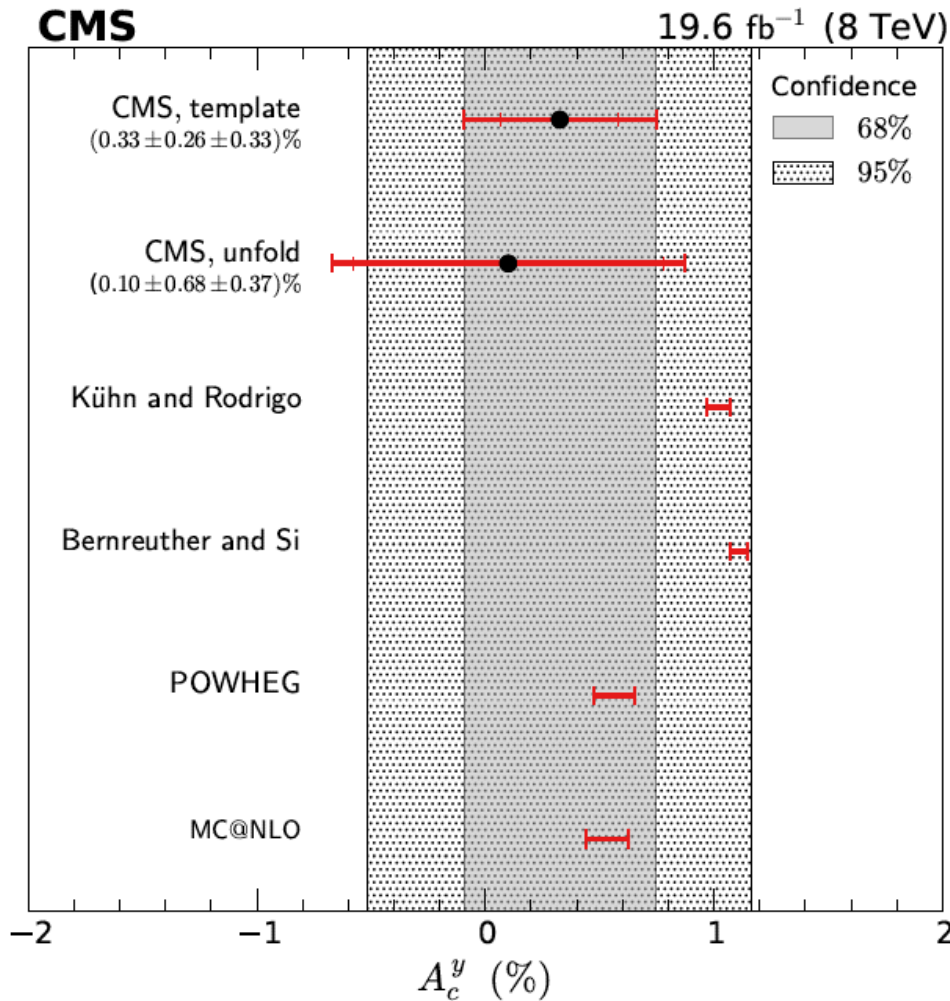
$$A_C = \frac{N(\Delta |y| > 0) - N(\Delta |y| < 0)}{N(\Delta |y| > 0) + N(\Delta |y| < 0)}$$

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

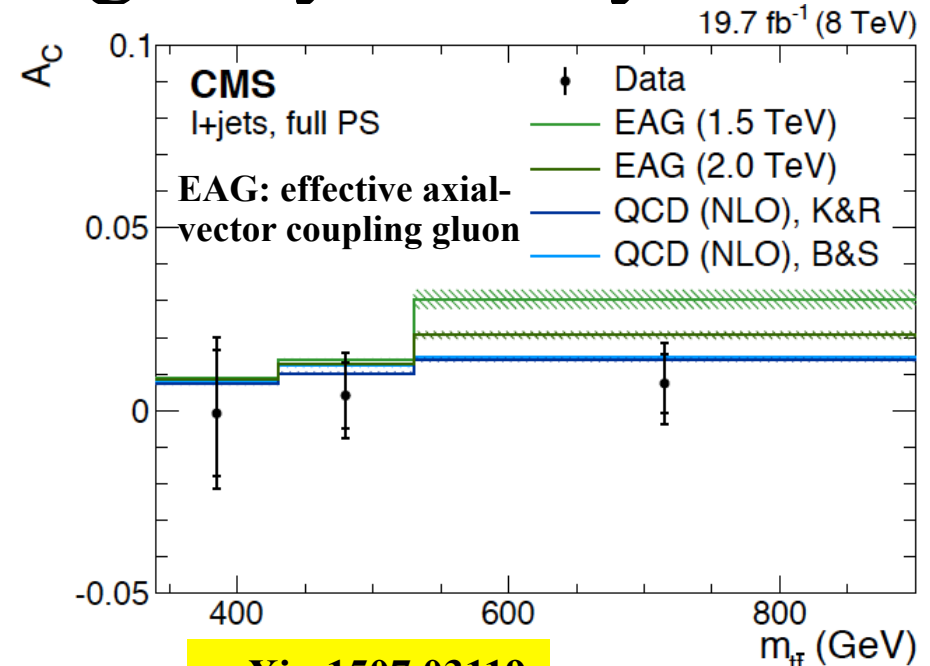


Recent results on charge asymmetry

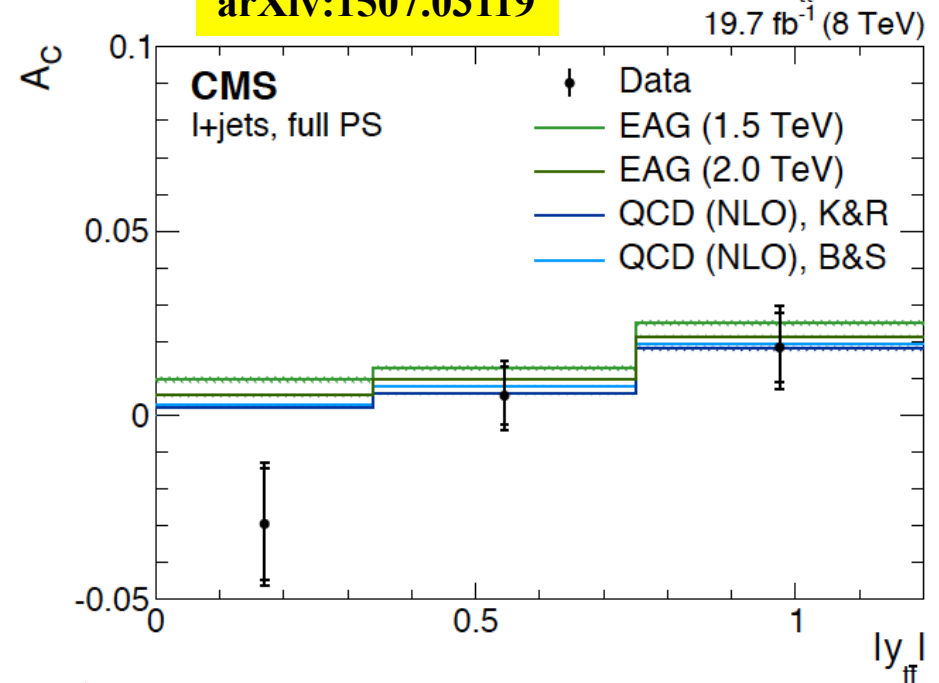
- Differential AC measurement (also in fiducial phase space)
- Template method exploits the shape of $\Delta|\eta|$ distribution as well



$$A_C = 0.33 \pm 0.26 \pm 0.33$$



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➤ Consistent with SM predictions

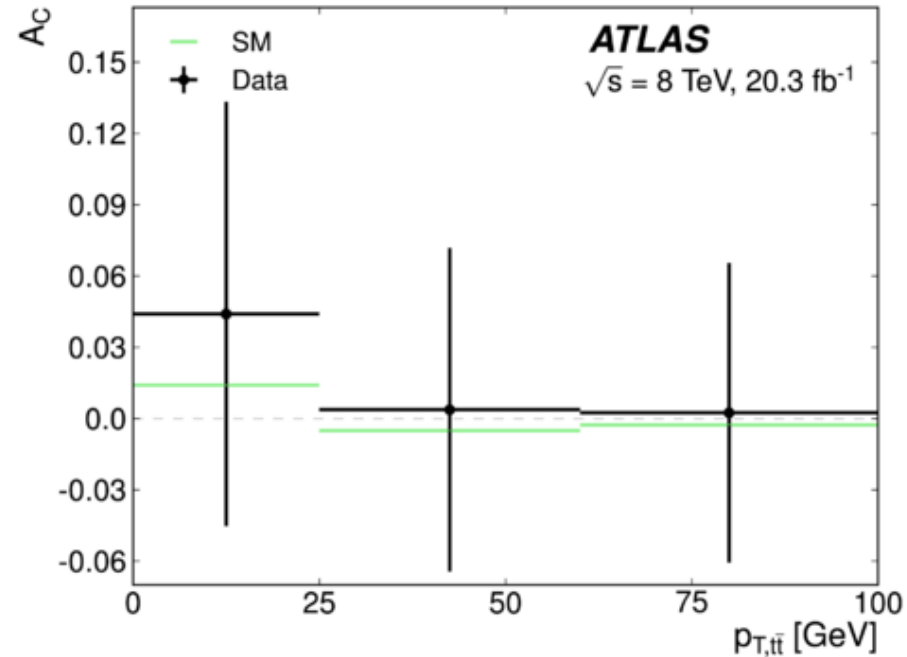
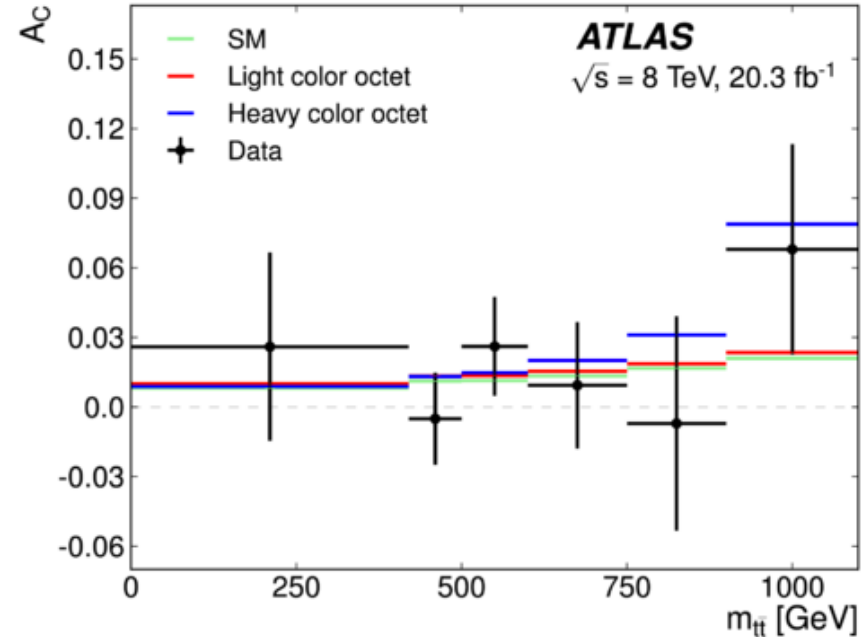
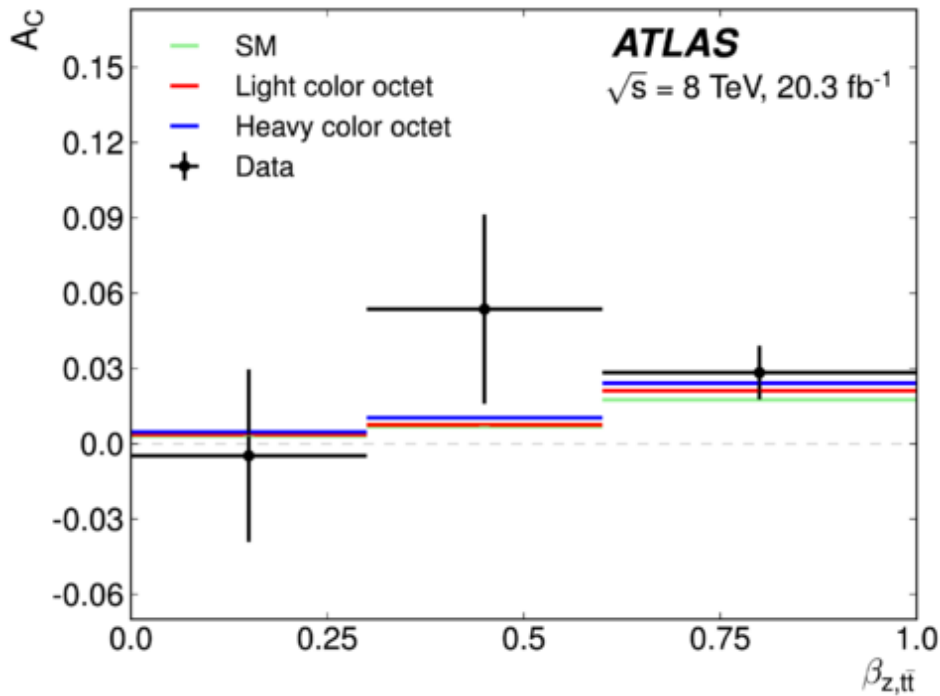


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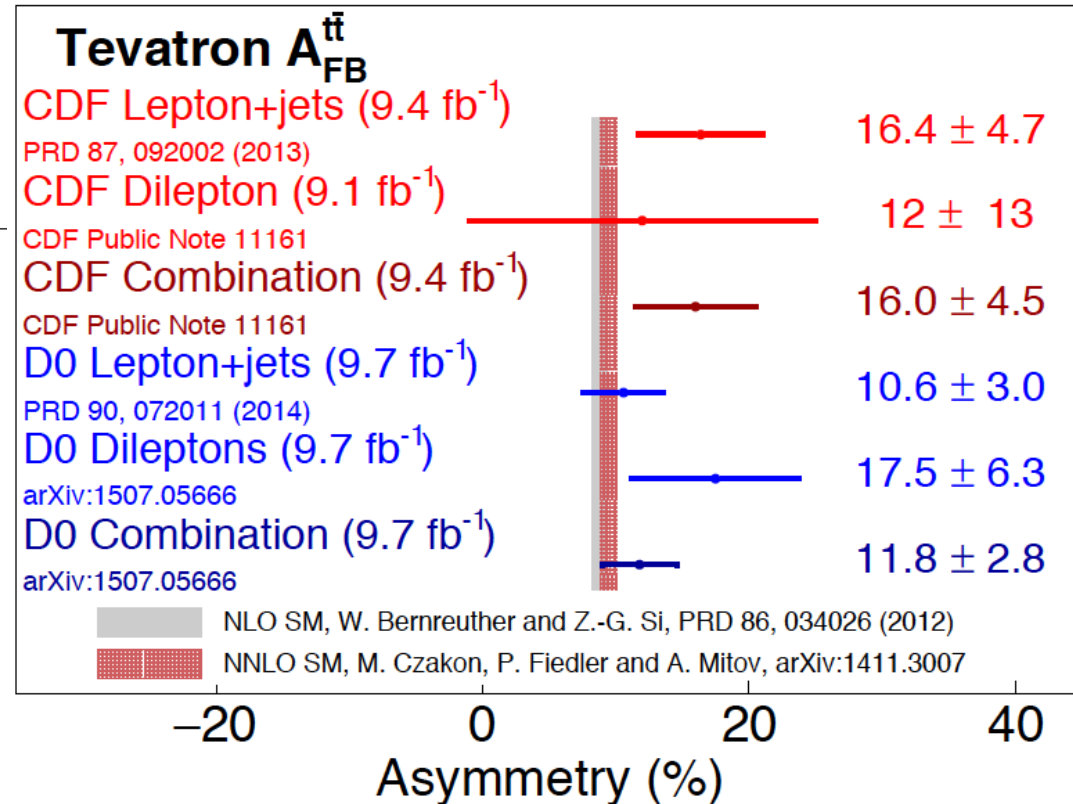
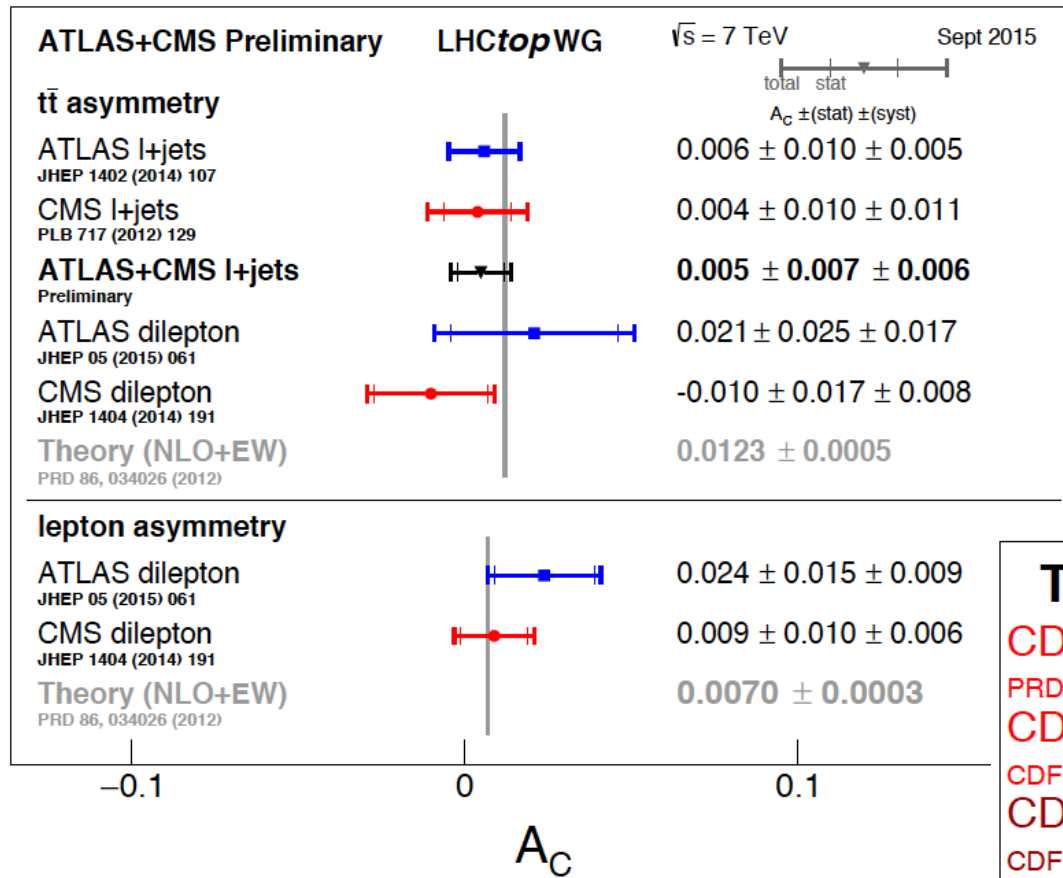
- Inclusive as well as differential measurement in $m_{t\bar{t}}$, $p_{T,t\bar{t}}$ and $|\beta_{t\bar{t}}|$ → enhance NP sensitivity
- Reconstruct of top and anti-top four momenta based on a likelihood fit
- Correction for resolution/acceptance using full Bayesian unfolding

$$A_C = 0.009 \pm 0.005 \text{ (stat.+syst.)}$$

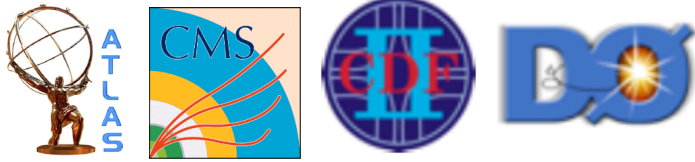


➤ In agreement with SM (~1.1%)

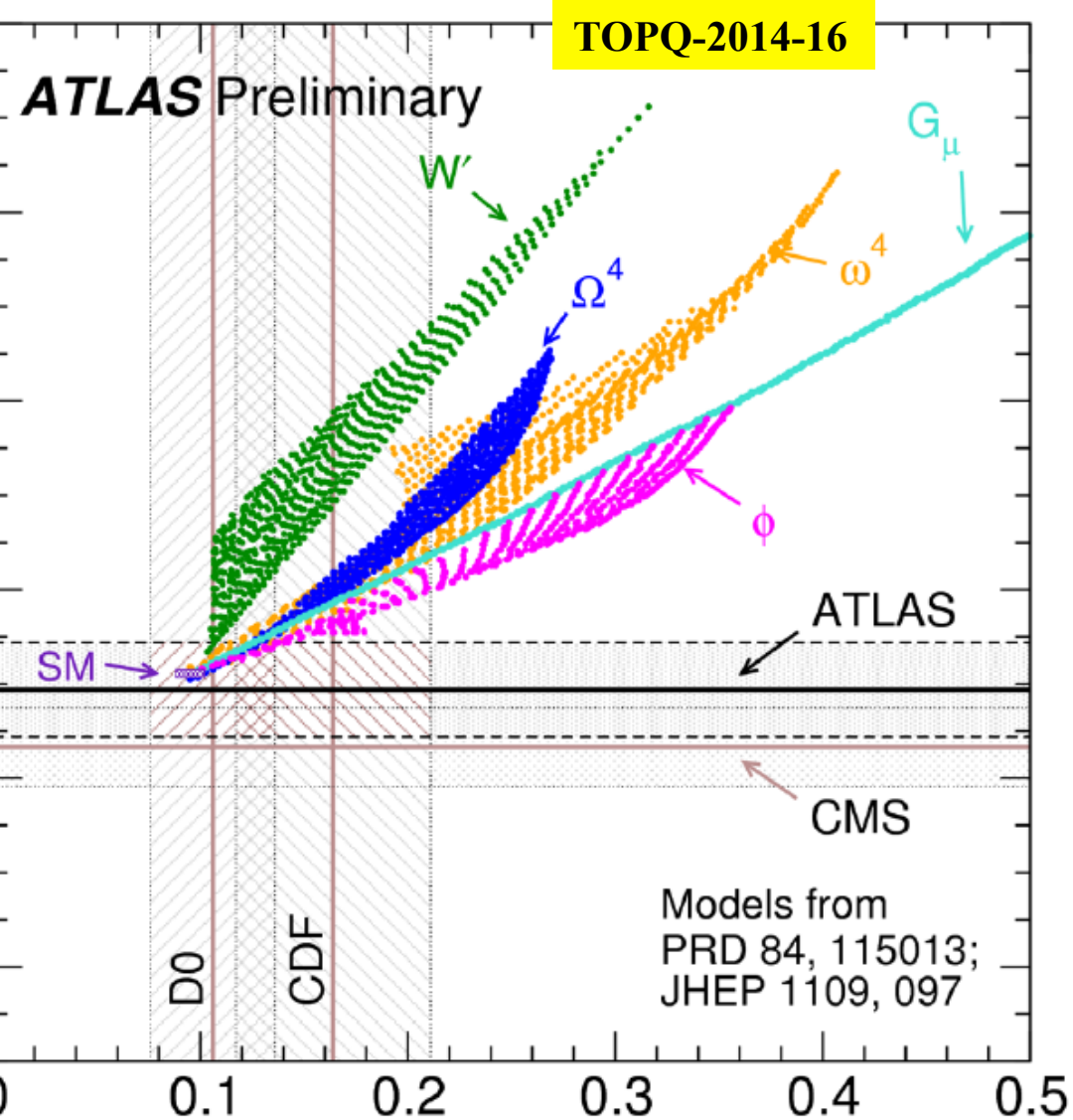
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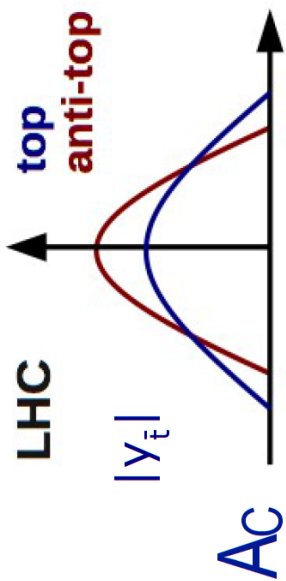
Complementarity between LHC and Tevatron



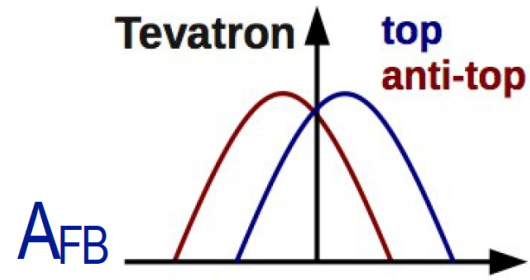
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- Z': Flavor violating Z' exchanged in t-channel in $u\bar{u} \rightarrow t\bar{t}$ and with right-handed $Z'tu$ couplings
- W': W' boson with right-handed couplings exchanged in t-channel in $d\bar{d} \rightarrow t\bar{t}$
- Ω^4 : Color-sextet scalar with right-handed flavor violating tu -couplings and exchanged in u-channel
- ω^4 : Color triplet with flavor violating tu -couplings, right-handed, exchanged in u-channel in $u\bar{u} \rightarrow t\bar{t}$
- G_μ : Axigluon, color octet vector with axial couplings



➤ Combined results from Tevatron and LHC put constraints on varieties of NP models



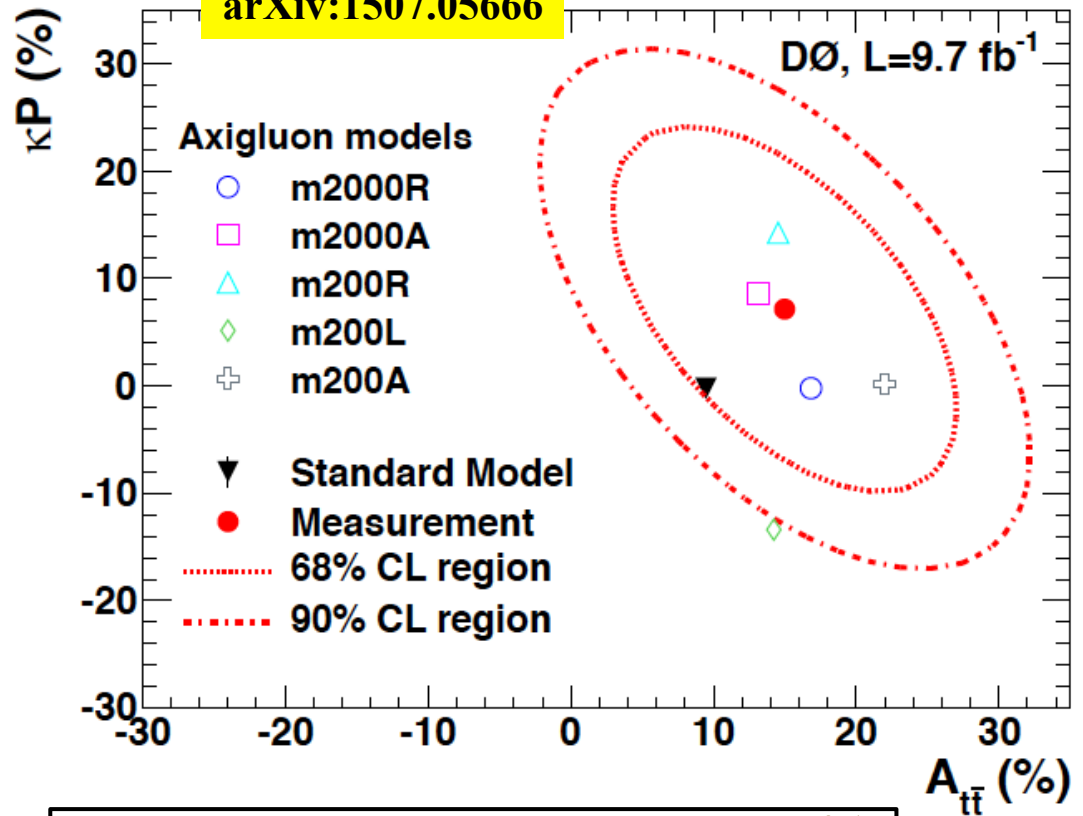
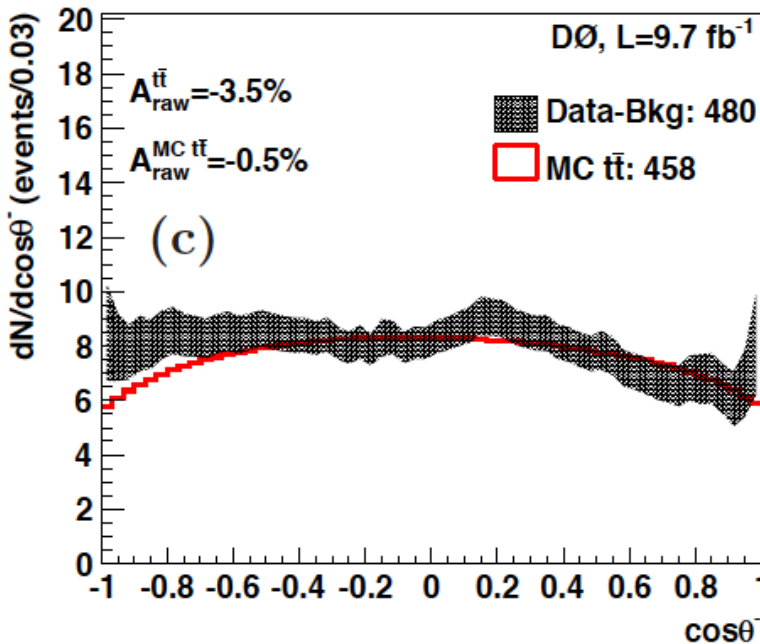
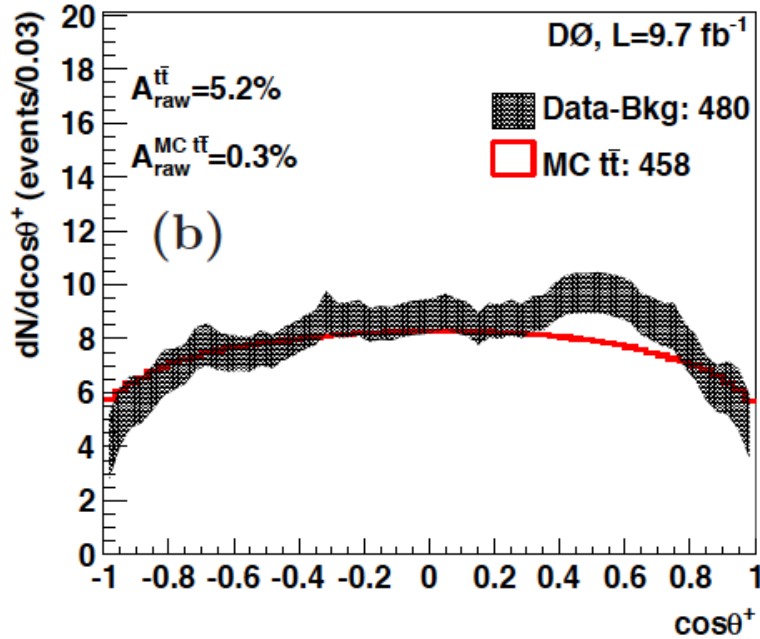
First measurement of polarization @ Tevatron

□ Use lepton angular distributions w.r.t. the quantization axis (here, beam axis)

□ Matrix-element techniques for event kinematics

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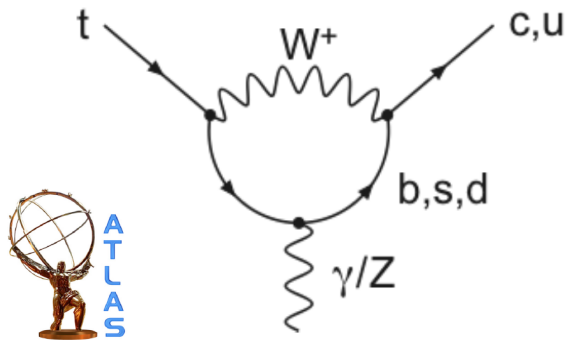
$$\kappa P = \frac{1}{2} (\kappa^+ P^+ - \kappa^- P^-) = A^{\ell^+} - A^{\ell^-}$$



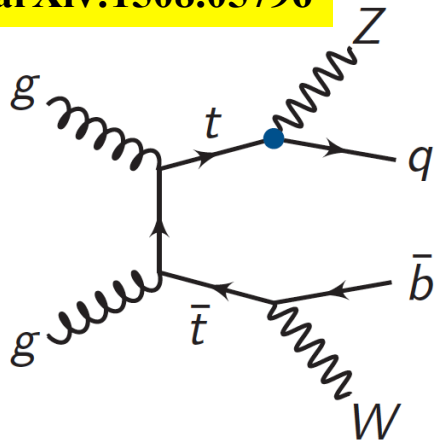
$$P = 11.3 \pm 9.1_{\text{stat}} \pm 1.9_{\text{syst}}\%$$

for $A_{\text{FB}} = 9.5 \pm 0.5\%$

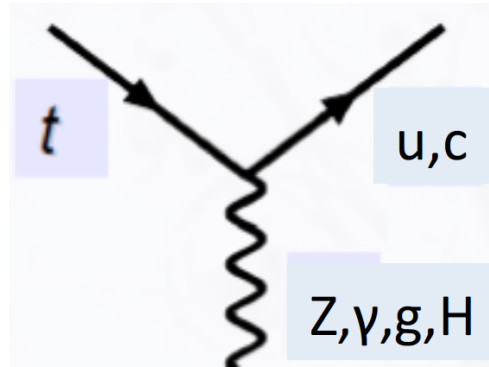
Flavour changing neutral currents



arXiv:1508.05796



- Signal:
 $t \rightarrow qZ (\rightarrow ll)$
- Backgrounds from the control regions

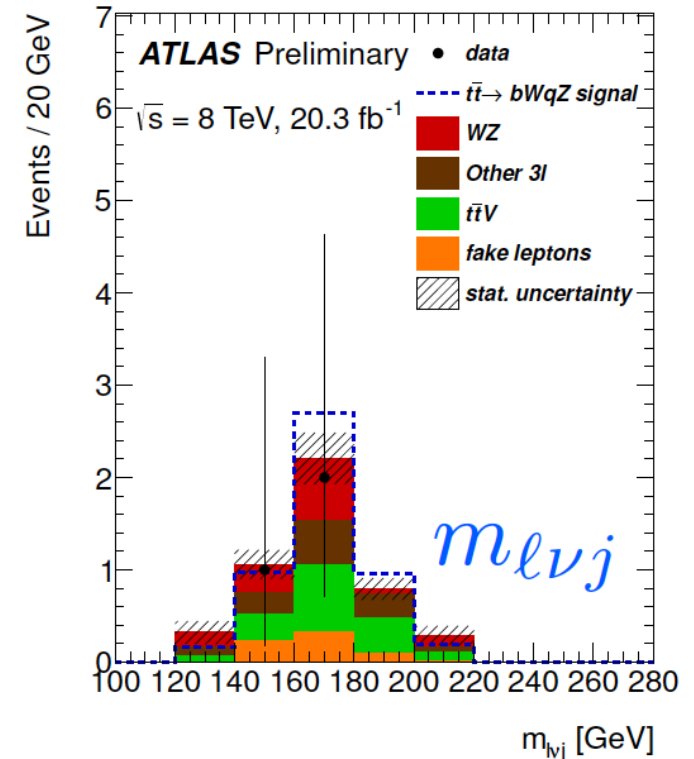
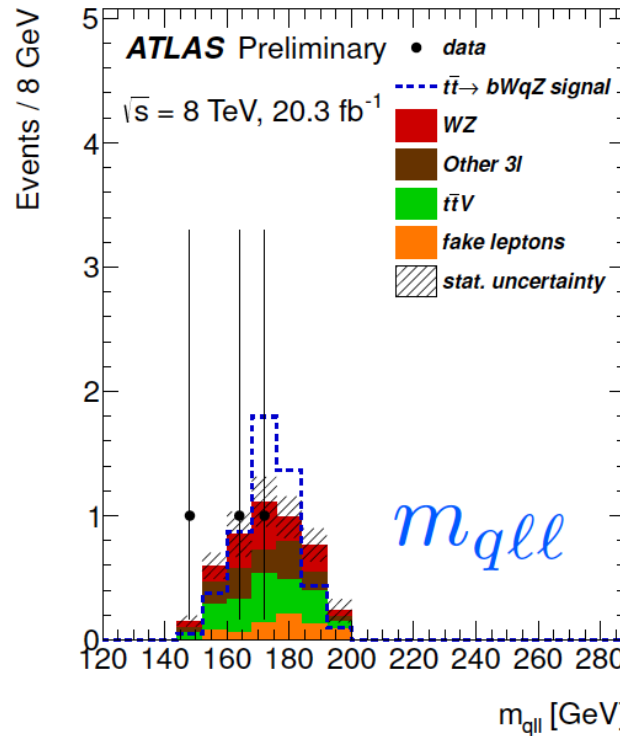


➤ NP could enhance FCNC couplings by many orders of magnitude

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SM: BR $\sim 10^{-12} \dots 10^{-17}$

NP: BR $\sim 10^{-5} \dots 10^{-9}$

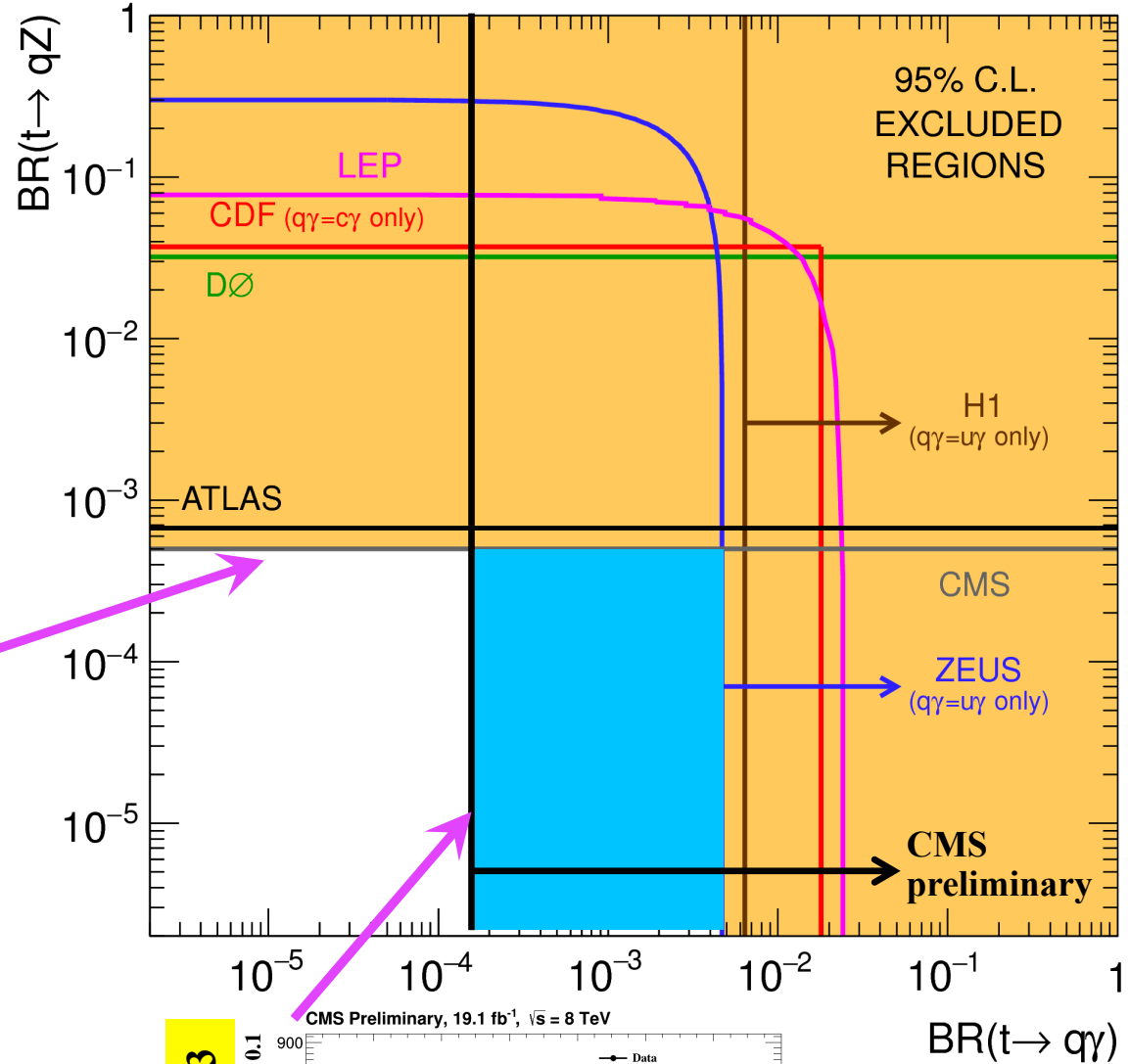
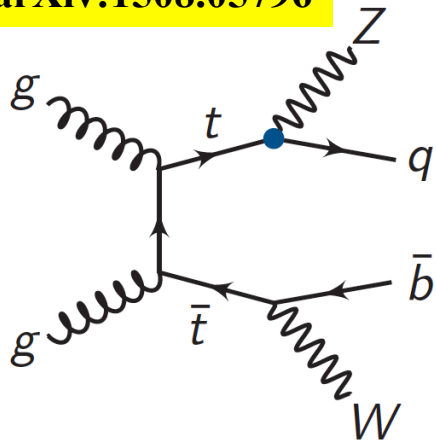


Upper limit on branching ratio: $BR(t \rightarrow Zq) < 0.07\%$ (95%CL)

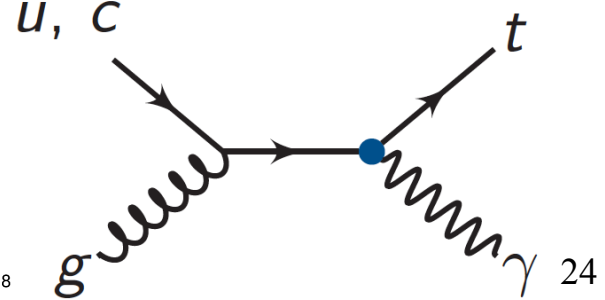
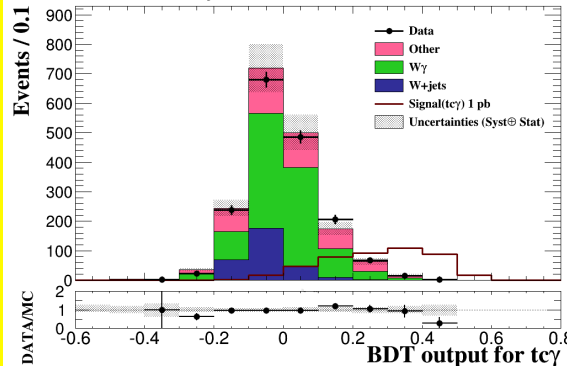
Flavour changing neutral currents – II



arXiv:1508.05796

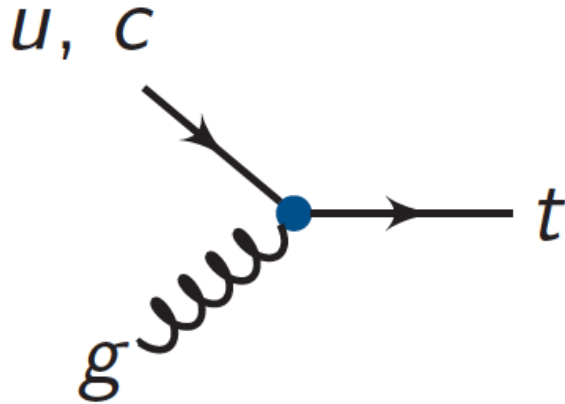


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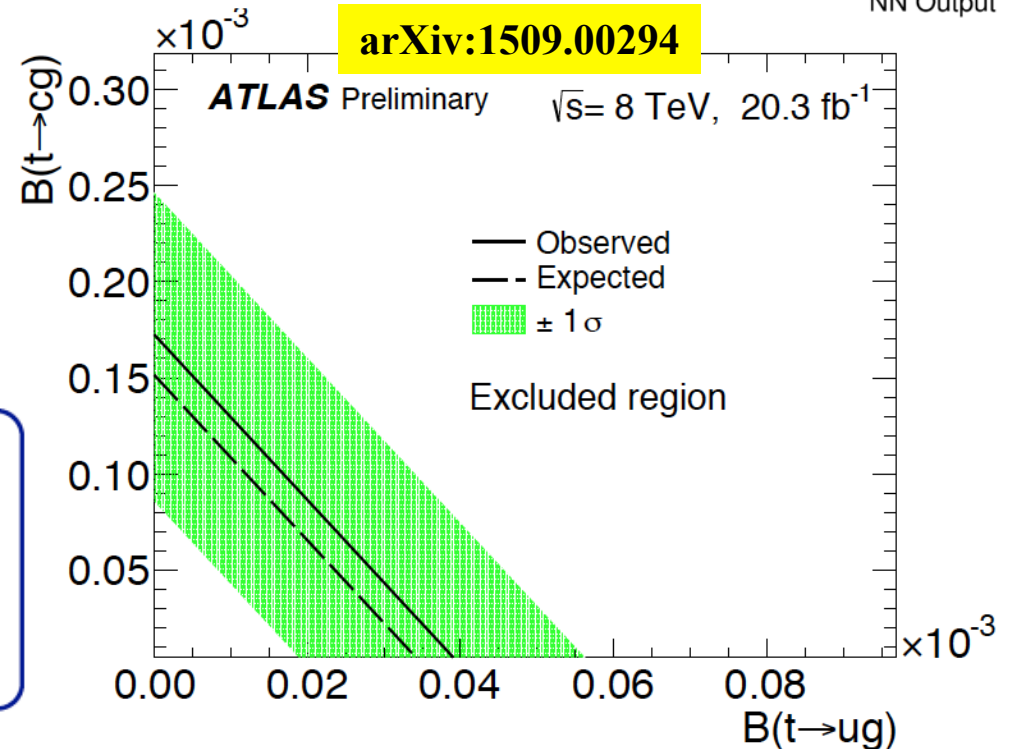
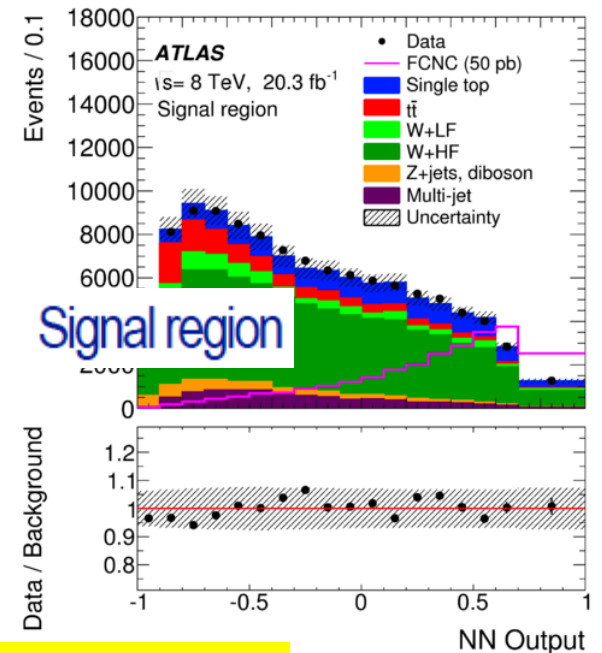
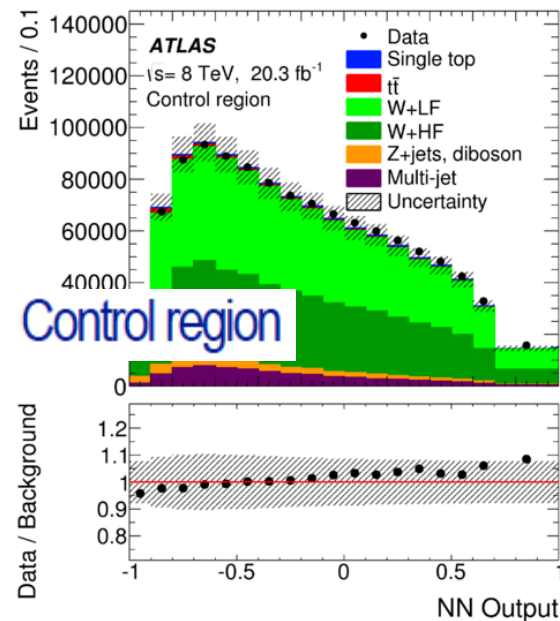


➤ Complementary results from LEP, HERA, Tevatron are now being superseded by the LHC

Flavour changing neutral currents – III

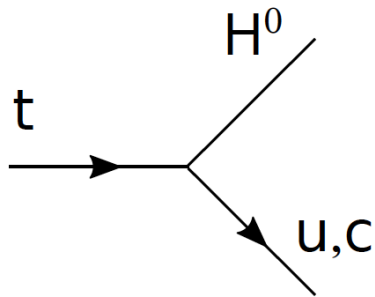


- t-channel single top selection: 1 lepton, 1 b-tagged jet and missing E_T
- Neural network to separate signal from SM backgrounds



Upper limit on branching ratios:
 $BR(t \rightarrow ug) < 4 \cdot 10^{-5} @ 95\% \text{ CL}$
 $BR(t \rightarrow cg) < 17 \cdot 10^{-5} @ 95\% \text{ CL}$

Flavour changing neutral currents – IV

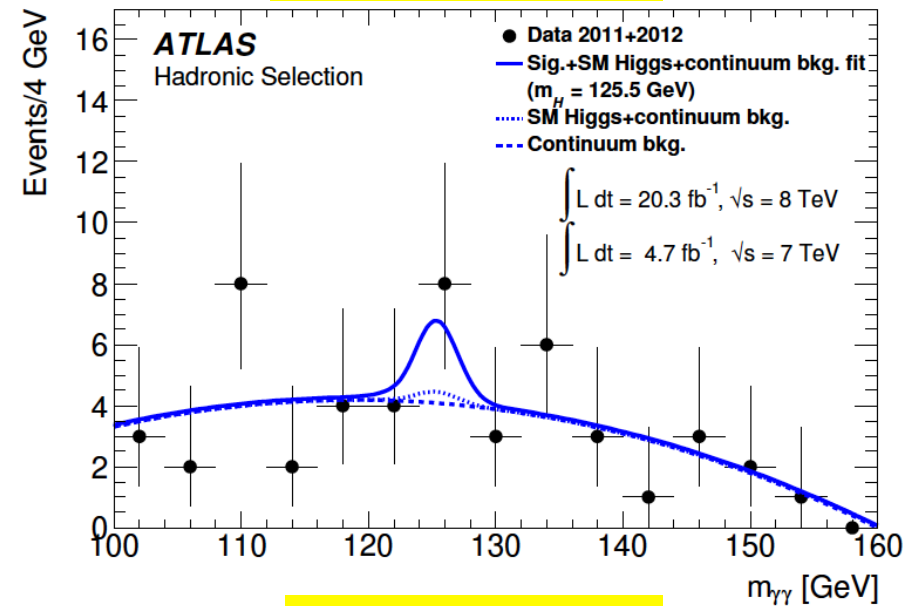


- Look for events with one top decaying bW (hadronic & leptonic) and other top to Hq ($q = u, c$), where H decays to two photons

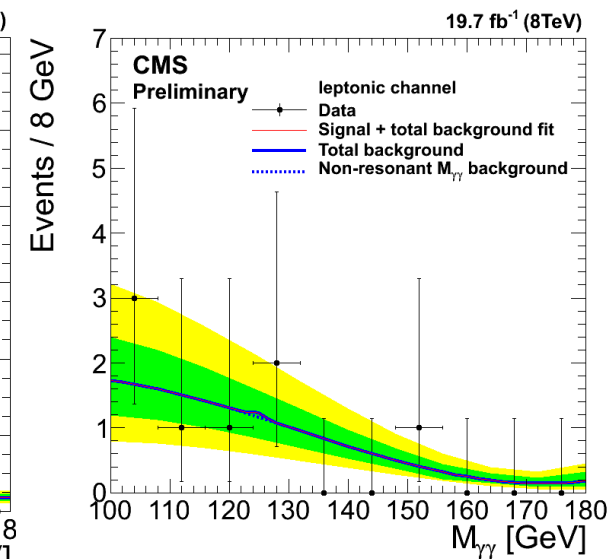
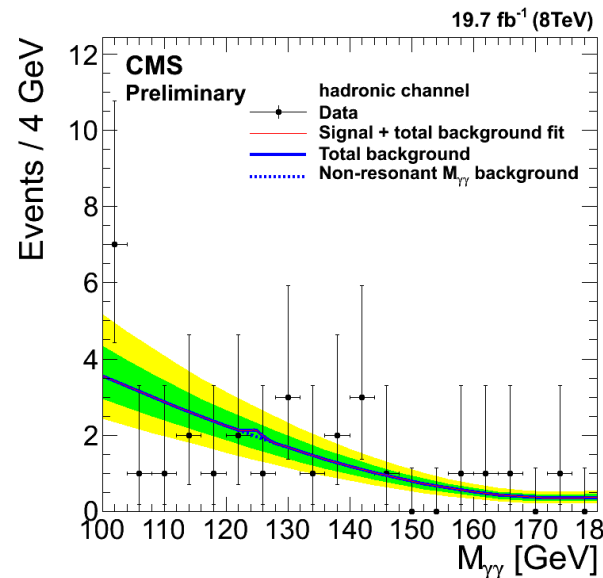


ATLAS upper limits:
 $BR(t \rightarrow qH) < 0.79\%$ obs (0.51% exp)

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CMS TOP-14-019



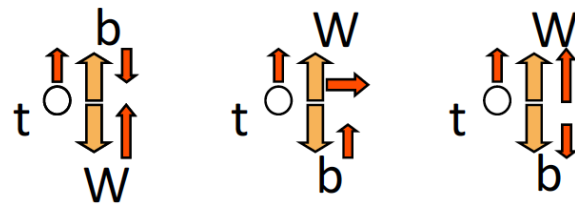
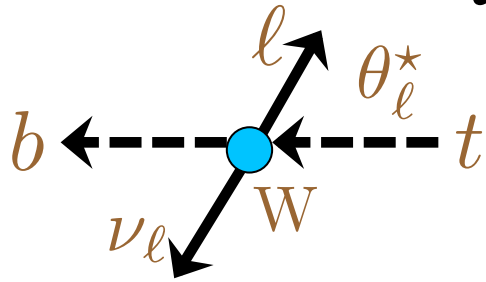
CMS upper limits:
 $BR(t \rightarrow cH) < 0.47\%$ obs (0.71% exp)
 $BR(t \rightarrow uH) < 0.42\%$ obs (0.65% exp)

Summary and Outlook

- ❑ Top physics is indeed ‘top physics’: **it is everywhere (QCD, electroweak and NP)**
 - ✓ Tevatron and LHC data provide complementary information
 - ✓ A detailed picture of the beast(!) has been established
 - ✓ Experiments are finishing up legacy publication (Tevatron & LHC Run1)
- ❑ What do we expect at Run II? **100 fb⁻¹ per experiment by 2018**
 - ✓ 80×10⁶ top-pair and 20×10⁶ single top events (>10 Hz at 10³⁴ cm⁻²s⁻¹)
 - ✓ 80,000 tt+Z and t+Z events, each
- ❑ Statistics → systematics and reach
 - ✓ Beat down systematics using statistics and combining different methods
 - ✓ Ultimate precision also would call for advances in theory (e.g, top mass)
- ❑ Top as a NP probe
 - ✓ Direct and indirect searches
 - ✓ Couplings, FCNC, asymmetries, angular distributions
- **Run II: expect substantial progress in experiment and theory, and stay positive for (un)known unknowns**

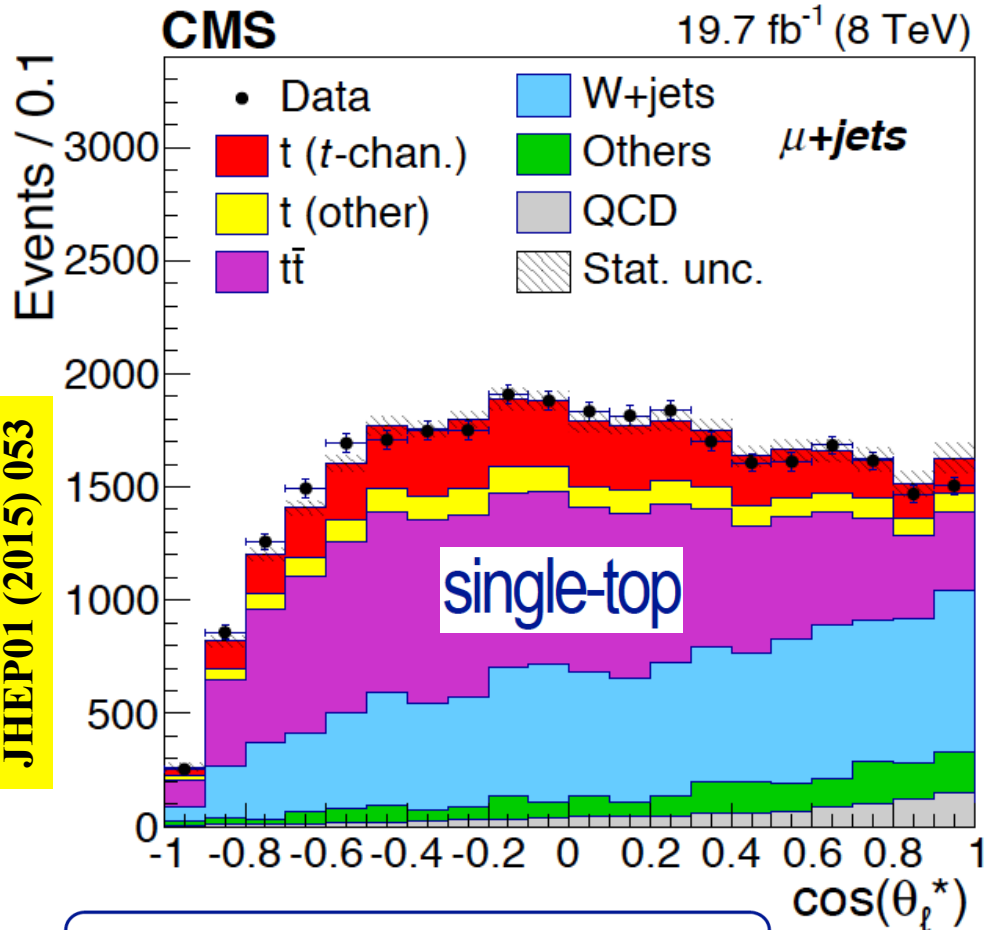
Bonus Materials

W helicity fraction



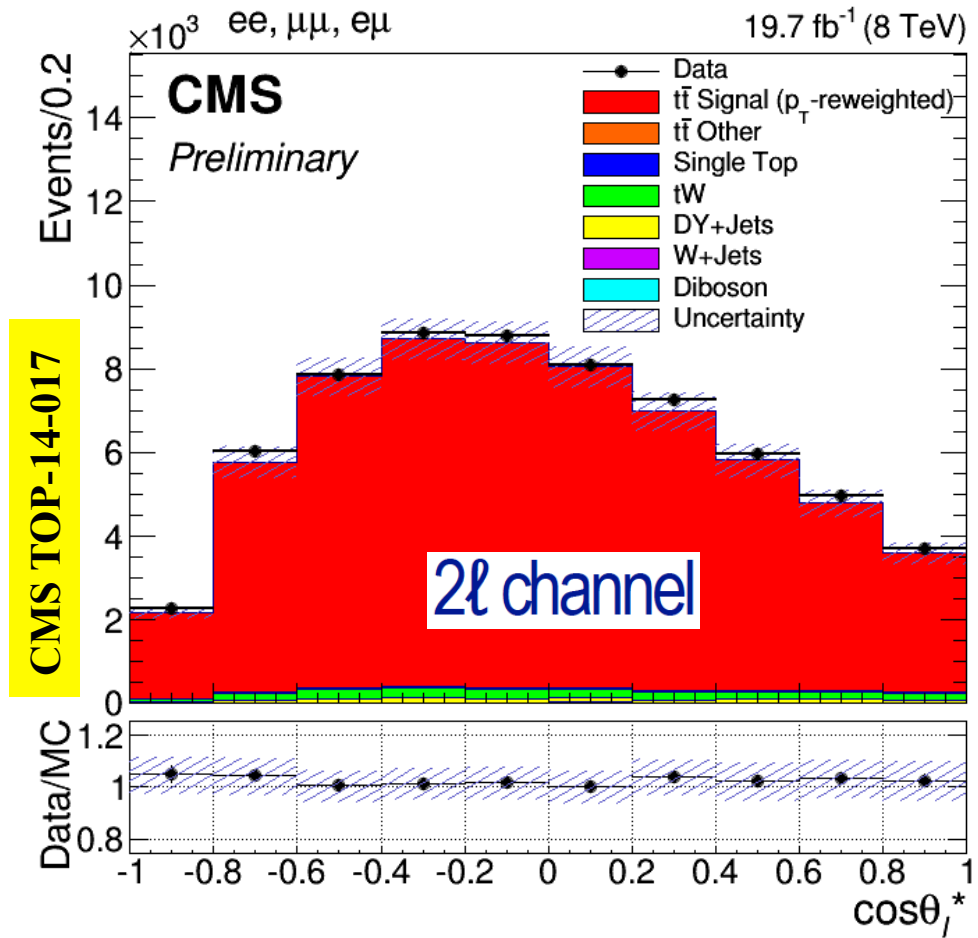
$$F_L + F_R + F_0 = 1$$

$$\frac{1}{\Gamma} \frac{d\Gamma}{d\cos\theta^*} = \frac{3}{8} (1 - \cos\theta^*)^2 F_L + \frac{3}{8} (1 + \cos\theta^*)^2 F_R + \frac{3}{4} (\sin\theta^*)^2 F_0$$



$$F_R = -0.018 \pm 0.019_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.011_{\text{syst}}$$

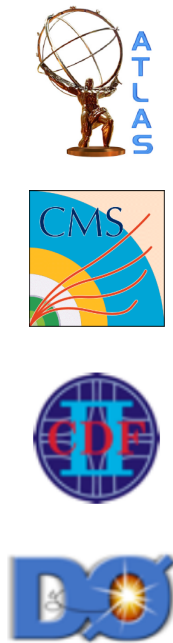
$$F_0 = 0.720 \pm 0.039_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.037_{\text{syst}}$$



$$F_R = 0.018 \pm 0.008_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.026_{\text{syst}}$$

$$F_0 = 0.653 \pm 0.016_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.024_{\text{syst}}$$

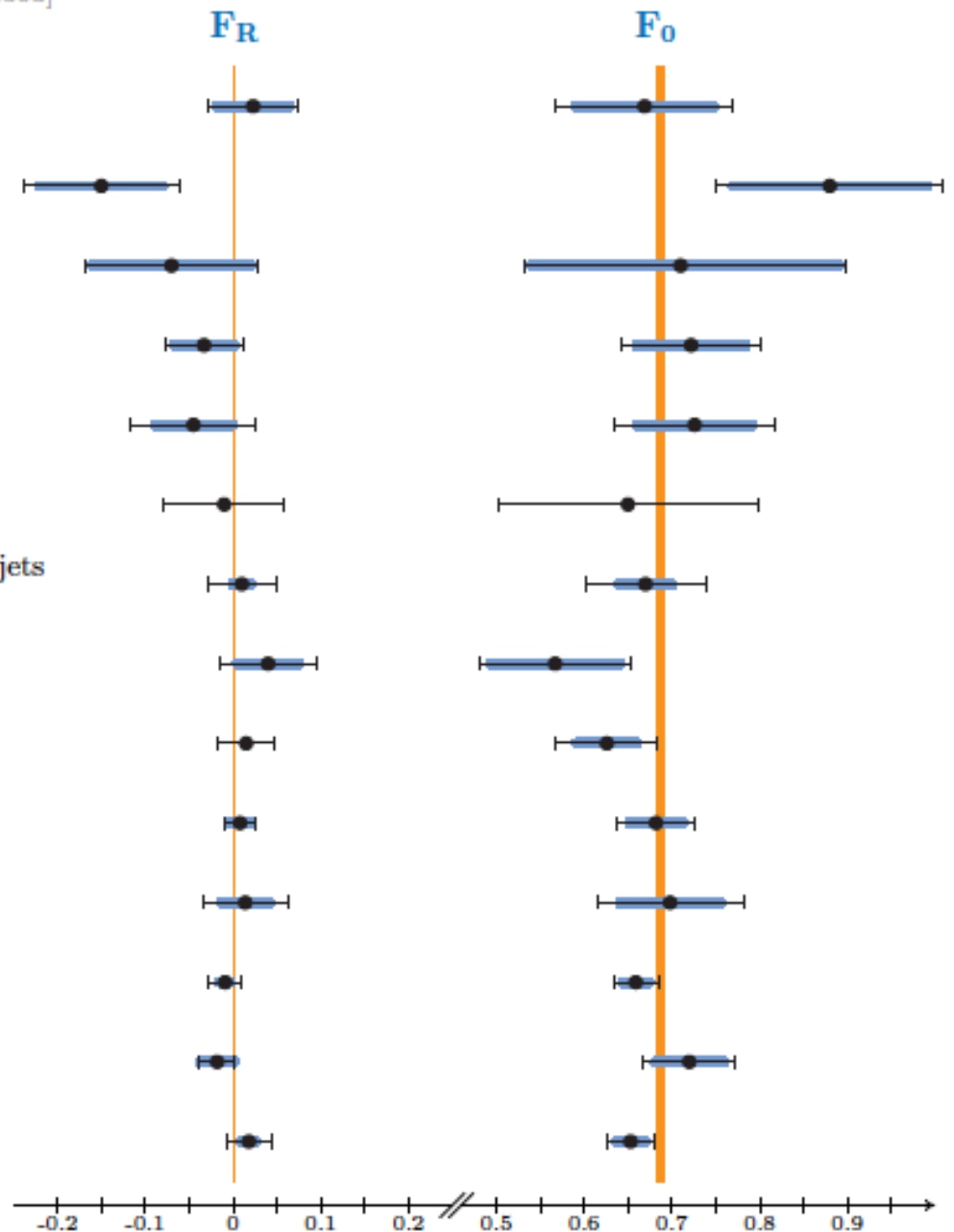
Summary: W helicity fraction



— SM expectations [PRD 81 (2010) 111503]

Uncertainty: ---|--- total, --- stat. only

- **DØ**, 5.4 fb⁻¹, $t\bar{t} \rightarrow \ell(\ell) + \text{jets}$
[PRD 83 (2011) 032009]
- **CDF**, 2.7 fb⁻¹, $t\bar{t} \rightarrow \ell + \text{jets}$
[PRL 105 (2010) 042002]
- **CDF**, 5.1 fb⁻¹, $t\bar{t} \rightarrow \ell\ell + \text{jets}$
[PRB 722 (2013) 48–54]
- **Tevatron combination**
[PRD 85 (2012) 071106]
- **CDF**, 8.7 fb⁻¹, $t\bar{t} \rightarrow \ell + \text{jets}$
[PRD 87 (2013) 031104]
- **ATLAS**, 35 pb⁻¹ (7 TeV), $t\bar{t} \rightarrow \ell + \text{jets}$
[ATLAS CONF-2011-037]
- **ATLAS**, 1.04 fb⁻¹ (7 TeV), $t\bar{t} \rightarrow \ell(\ell) + \text{jets}$
[JHEP 06 (2012) 088]
- **CMS**, 2.2 fb⁻¹ (7 TeV), $t\bar{t} \rightarrow \mu + \text{jets}$
[CMS PAS TOP-11-020]
- **LHC combination**, 7 TeV
[ATLAS CONF-2013-033]
- **CMS**, 5.0 fb⁻¹ (7 TeV), $t\bar{t} \rightarrow \ell + \text{jets}$
[JHEP 10 (2013) 167]
- **CMS**, 4.6 fb⁻¹ (7 TeV), $t\bar{t} \rightarrow \ell\ell + \text{jets}$
[CMS PAS TOP-12-015]
- **CMS**, 19.6 fb⁻¹ (8 TeV), $t\bar{t} \rightarrow \mu + \text{jets}$
[CMS PAS TOP-13-008]
- **CMS**, 19.7 fb⁻¹ (8 TeV), single top
[JHEP 01 (2015) 053]
- **CMS**, 19.7 fb⁻¹ (8 TeV), $t\bar{t} \rightarrow \ell\ell + \text{jets}$
[CMS PAS TOP-14-017]



➤ Combination is on the way

Summary: FCNC top decays



Exp.	\sqrt{s}	$\mathcal{B}(t \rightarrow u\gamma)$	$\mathcal{B}(t \rightarrow c\gamma)$	Reference
CDF	1.96 TeV		$3.2 \cdot 10^{-2}$	PRL 80 (1998) 2525
CMS	8 TeV	$1.6 \cdot 10^{-4}$	$1.8 \cdot 10^{-3}$	CMS TOP-14-003
		$\mathcal{B}(t \rightarrow uZ)$	$\mathcal{B}(t \rightarrow cZ)$	
CDF	1.96 TeV	$3.7 \cdot 10^{-2}$		PRL 101 (2008) 192002
DØ	1.96 TeV	$3.2 \cdot 10^{-2}$		PLB 701 (2011) 313
ATLAS	7 TeV	$7.3 \cdot 10^{-3}$		JHEP 09 (2012) 139
CMS	7 TeV	$5.1 \cdot 10^{-3}$	$1.1 \cdot 10^{-1}$	CMS TOP-12-021
CMS	7+8 TeV	$5 \cdot 10^{-4}$		PRL 112 (2014) 171802
ATLAS	8 TeV	$7 \cdot 10^{-4}$		ATLAS TOPQ-2014-08
		$\mathcal{B}(t \rightarrow ug)$	$\mathcal{B}(t \rightarrow cg)$	
CDF	1.96 TeV	$3.9 \cdot 10^{-4}$	$5.7 \cdot 10^{-3}$	PRL 102 (2009) 151801
DØ	1.96 TeV	$2.0 \cdot 10^{-4}$	$3.9 \cdot 10^{-3}$	PLB 693 (2010) 81
ATLAS	7 TeV	$5.7 \cdot 10^{-5}$	$2.7 \cdot 10^{-4}$	PLB 712 (2012) 351
ATLAS	8 TeV	$3.1 \cdot 10^{-5}$	$1.6 \cdot 10^{-4}$	ATLAS CONF-2013-063
CMS	7 TeV	$3.6 \cdot 10^{-4}$	$3.4 \cdot 10^{-3}$	CMS TOP-14-007
ATLAS	8 TeV	$4 \cdot 10^{-5}$	$1.7 \cdot 10^{-4}$	ATLAS TOPQ-2014-13
		$\mathcal{B}(t \rightarrow uH)$	$\mathcal{B}(t \rightarrow cH)$	
ATLAS	7+8 TeV	$7.9 \cdot 10^{-3}$		JHEP 06 (2014) 008
CMS	8 TeV	—	$5.6 \cdot 10^{-3}$	PRD 90 (2014) 112013
CMS	8 TeV	—	$9.3 \cdot 10^{-3}$	CMS TOP-13-017
CMS	8 TeV	$4.2 \cdot 10^{-3}$	$4.7 \cdot 10^{-3}$	CMS TOP-14-019

➤ Sensitivity getting closer NP scenarios

Theory predictions for FCNC in top sector

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	SM	QS	2HDM	FC 2HDM	MSSM	R SUSY
$t \rightarrow uZ$	8×10^{-17}	1.1×10^{-4}	—	—	2×10^{-6}	3×10^{-5}
$t \rightarrow u\gamma$	3.7×10^{-16}	7.5×10^{-9}	—	—	2×10^{-6}	1×10^{-6}
$t \rightarrow ug$	3.7×10^{-14}	1.5×10^{-7}	—	—	8×10^{-5}	2×10^{-4}
$t \rightarrow uH$	2×10^{-17}	4.1×10^{-5}	5.5×10^{-6}	—	10^{-5}	$\sim 10^{-6}$
$t \rightarrow cZ$	1×10^{-14}	1.1×10^{-4}	$\sim 10^{-7}$	$\sim 10^{-10}$	2×10^{-6}	3×10^{-5}
$t \rightarrow c\gamma$	4.6×10^{-14}	7.5×10^{-9}	$\sim 10^{-6}$	$\sim 10^{-9}$	2×10^{-6}	1×10^{-6}
$t \rightarrow cg$	4.6×10^{-12}	1.5×10^{-7}	$\sim 10^{-4}$	$\sim 10^{-8}$	8×10^{-5}	2×10^{-4}
$t \rightarrow cH$	3×10^{-15}	4.1×10^{-5}	1.5×10^{-3}	$\sim 10^{-5}$	10^{-5}	$\sim 10^{-6}$

Table 1: Branching ratios for top FCN decays in the SM, models with $Q = 2/3$ quark singlets (QS), a general 2HDM, a flavour-conserving (FC) 2HDM, in the MSSM and with R parity violating SUSY.