

# **Out-of-this-World Physics: Probing Quantum Gravity in the Lab**

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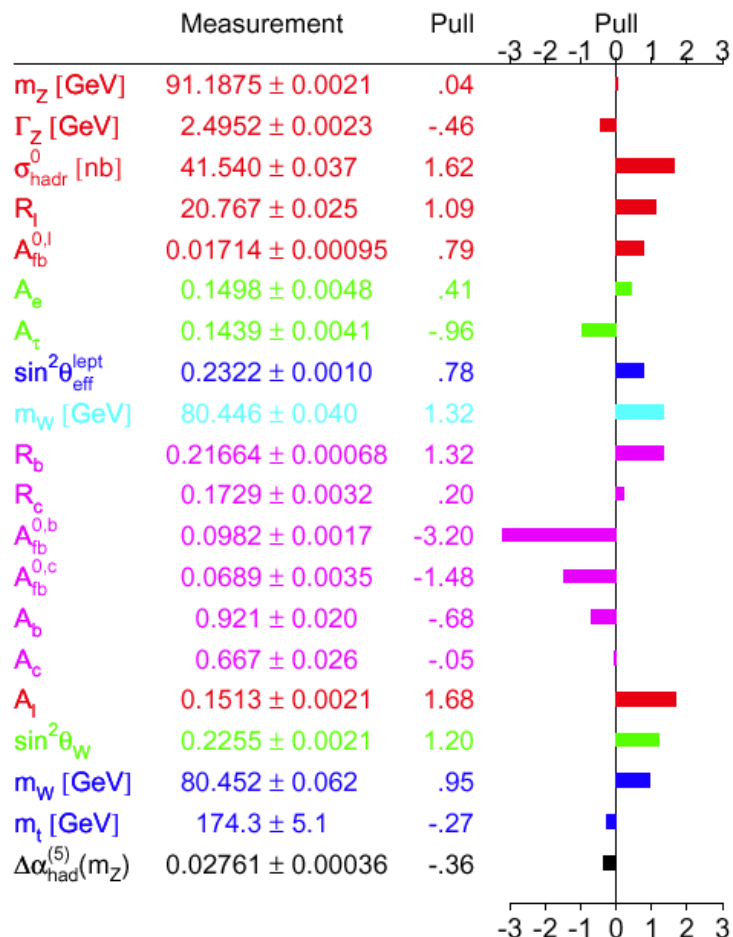
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# Life Within the Standard Model

✚ ...is boringly precise:

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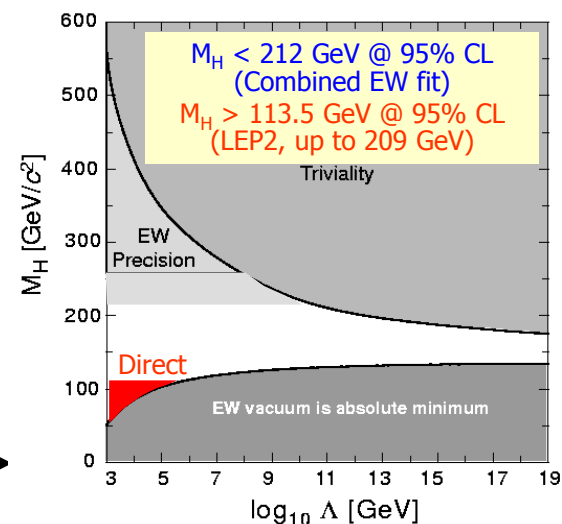
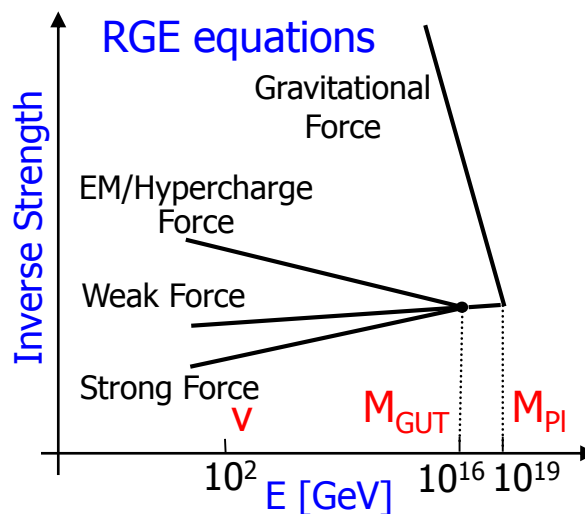
✚ ...but not at all boring:

✚ Standard Model accommodates, but does not explain:

- ✚ EWSB
- ✚ CP-violation
- ✚ Fermion masses

✚ Higgs self-coupling is positive, which leads to a **triviality problem** that bounds  $m_H$  from above

✚ The **natural**  $m_H$  value is  $\Lambda$ , where  $\Lambda$  is the scale of new physics; if SM is the ultimate theory up to GUT scale, an extremely precise  $(\sim (v/m_{\text{GUT}})^2)$  fine-tuning is required

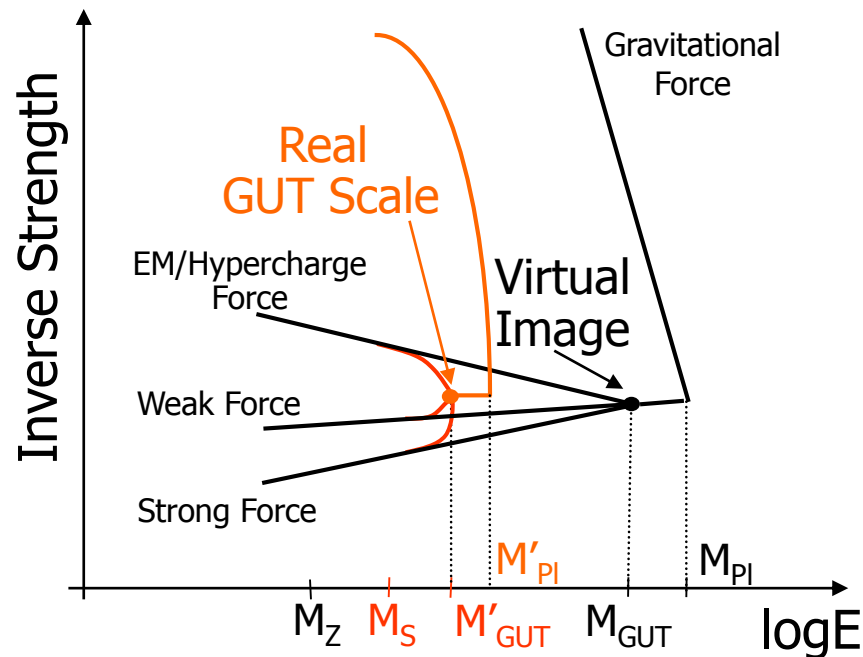




# Life Beyond the Standard Model

- ✚ We have to conclude that the **SM is just an effective theory**, a low-energy approximation of a more complete model that explains things postulated in the SM
- ✚ This **new theory takes over** at a scale  $\Lambda$  comparable to the mass of the Higgs boson, i.e.  $\Lambda \sim 1 \text{ TeV}$
- ✚ Two main **candidates** for such a theory are:
  - ✚ **SUSY** (SUGRA, GMSB, AMSB)
  - ✚ **Strong Dynamics** (TC, ETC, topcolor, top see-saw, ...)
- ✚ But: **what if** there is no other scale, and the SM model is correct up to the Planck scale?
- ✚ **Arkani-Hamed, Dimopoulos, Dvali (ADD) (1998):** what if **fundamental Planck scale is only  $\sim 1 \text{ TeV}$ ?**

- ✚ Gravity is made strong at a TeV scale due to existence of extra spatial dimensions where only gravity propagates
- ✚ SM particles are **confined to a 3D "brane"**
- ✚ **Low energy GUT unification** is also possible with extra dimensions: **Dienes, Dudas, Ghergetta (1998)**



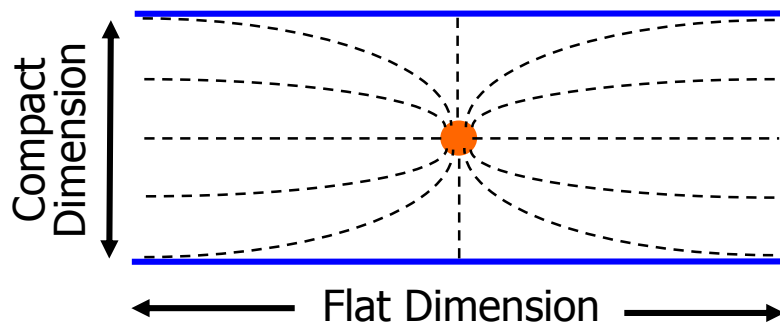


# A Crazy Idea? – But it Could Work!


- What about **Newton's law**?

$$V(r) = \frac{1}{M_{Pl}^2} \frac{m_1 m_2}{r} \rightarrow \frac{1}{(M_{Pl}^{[3+n]})^{n+2}} \frac{m_1 m_2}{r^{n+1}}$$

- Ruled out for flat extra dimensions**, but has not been ruled out for sufficiently small compactified extra dimensions:



$$V(r) \propto \frac{1}{(M_{Pl}^{[3+n]})^{n+2}} \frac{m_1 m_2}{R^n r} \text{ for } r \gg R$$


 **$M_S$  – effective Planck Scale**

- But: how to make **gravity strong**?

$$G'_N = 1/M_S^2 \sim G_F \Rightarrow M_S \sim 1 \text{ TeV}$$

$$M_S^{n+2} \propto M_{Pl}^2 / R^n$$

- More precisely, from Gauss's law:

$$R = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{\pi}M_S} \left( \frac{M_{Pl}}{M_S} \right)^{2/n} \propto \begin{cases} 8 \times 10^{12} m, & n=1 \\ 0.7 \text{ mm}, & n=2 \\ 3 \text{ nm}, & n=3 \\ 6 \times 10^{-12} m, & n=4 \end{cases}$$

- Amazing as it is, but **no one has tested Newton's law to distances less than  $\sim 1\text{mm}$  (as of 1998)**
- Therefore, **large spatial extra dimensions** compactified at a sub-millimeter scale are, in principle, allowed!





# Shakespeare on Compact Dimensions

“...Why bastard? wherefore base?  
When **my dimensions are** as well **compact**,  
My mind as generous, and my shape as true,  
As honest madam's issue?”

*(Edmund, **bastard son to Gloucester**)*

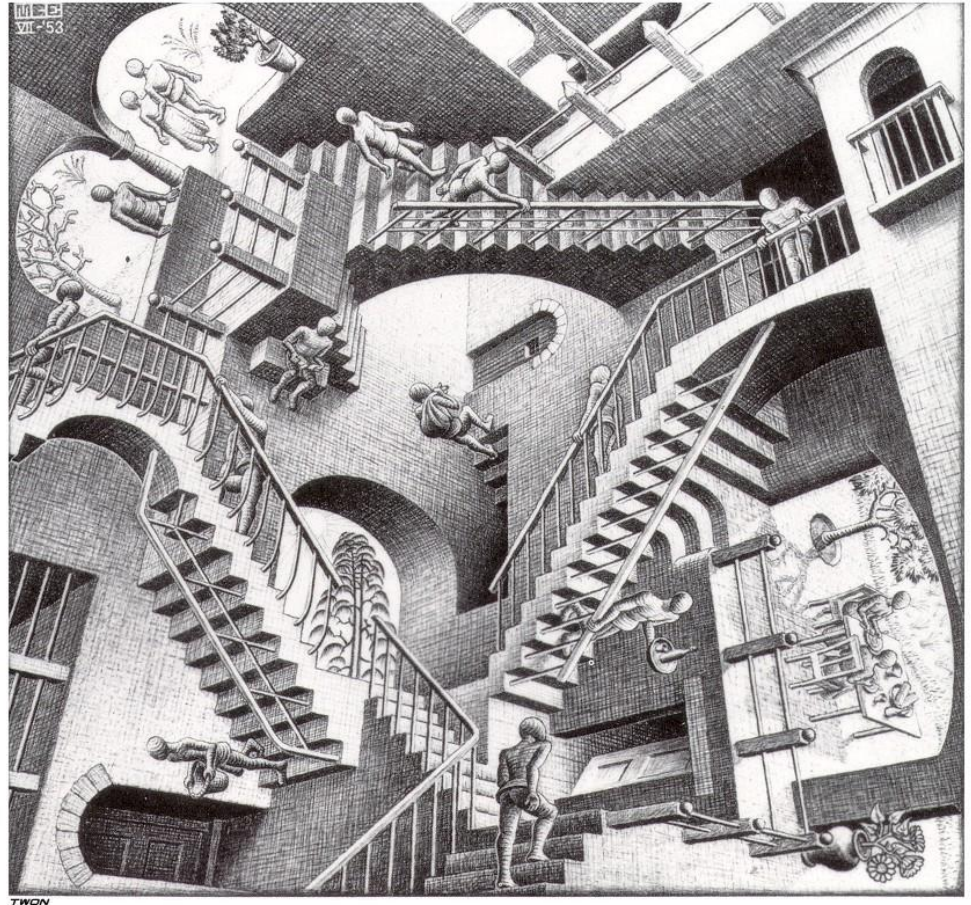
*Shakespeare, King Lear, Act 1, Scene 2*



# Examples of Compactified Spatial Dimensions



M.C. Escher, Möbius Strip II (1963)



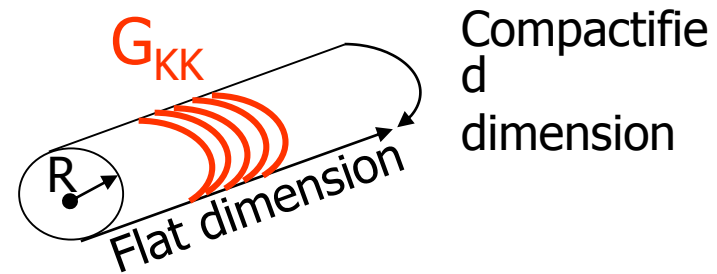
M.C. Escher, Relativity (1953)

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# An Importance of Being Compact

- Compactified dimensions offer a way to **increase tremendously gravitational interaction** due to a large number of the available “winding” modes
- This tower of excitations is known as **Kaluza-Klein modes**, and such gravitons propagating in the compactified extra dimensions are called Kaluza-Klein gravitons,  $G_{KK}$
- From the point of view of a 3+1-dimensional space time, the **Kaluza-Klein graviton modes are massive**, with the mass per excitation more  $\sim 1/R$
- Since the mass per excitation mode is so small (e.g. 400 eV for  $n = 3$ , or 0.2 MeV for  $n = 4$ ), **a very large number of modes can be excited** at high energies



$$\phi(x) = \phi(x + 2\pi R n) \quad n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$$

$$M(G_{KK}) = \sqrt{P_x^2} = 2\pi k/R$$

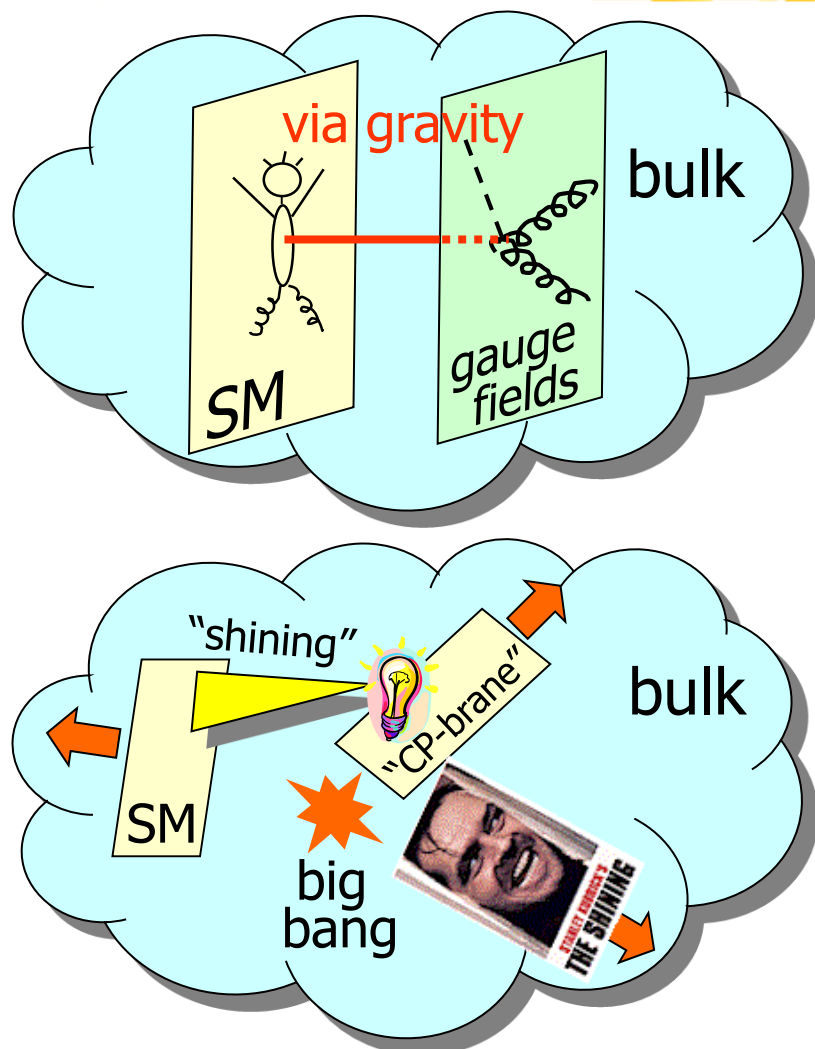
- Each **Kaluza-Klein graviton mode couples with the gravitational strength**
- For a large number of modes, accessible **at high energies**, **gravitational coupling is therefore enhanced** drastically
- Low energy** precision measurements **are not sensitive** to the ADD effects





# Phenomenology of Large Extra Dimensions

- ✚ **New idea**, inspired by the string theory, with direct connection to the observables
  - ✚ Since large extra dimensions **bring the GUT and gravity scales right at the EWSB scale**, they **solve the hierarchy problem**
  - ✚ There are **multiple mechanisms** that **allow gauge fields in the bulk to communicate symmetry breaking** to our brane
- ✚ A new mechanism, **"shining"** is a **powerful way of introducing a small parameter into the theory**, and explain many yet unsolved phenomena, such as CP violation, etc.
- ✚ **New framework**, possibly explaining **neutrino masses, EWSB mechanism, flavor physics**, and other puzzling phenomena
- ✚ **First alternative** to the "established" EWSB candidates **in 25 years!** – What took us so long?
- ✚ A **significant theoretical interest** to the subject ensures rapid development of this field
- ✚ Over **700** theoretical **papers** on this subject over the past 2.5 years – truly a **topic du jour**





# Using the Extra Dimension Paradigm

## ✦ EWSB from extra dimensions:

- ✦ Hall, Kolda, PL **B459**, 213 (1999) (lifted Higgs mass constraints)
- ✦ Antoniadis, Benakli, Quiros, NP **B583**, 35 (2000) (EWSB from strings in ED)
- ✦ Cheng, Dobrescu, Hill, NP **B589**, 249 (2000) (strong dynamics from ED)
- ✦ Mirabelli, Schmaltz, PR **D61**, 113011 (2000) (Yukawa couplings from split left- and right-handed fermions in ED)
- ✦ Barbieri, Hall, Namura, hep-ph/0011311 (radiative EWSB via t-quark in the bulk)

## ✦ Flavor/CP physics from ED:

- ✦ Arkani-Hamed, Hall, Smith, Weiner, PR **D61**, 116003 (2000) (flavor/CP breaking fields on distant branes in ED)
- ✦ Huang, Li, Wei, Yan, hep-ph/0101002 (CP-violating phases from moduli fields in ED)

## ✦ Neutrino masses and oscillations from ED:

- ✦ Arkani-Hamed, Dimopoulos, Dvali, March-Russell, hep-ph/9811448 (light Dirac neutrinos from right-handed neutrinos in the bulk or light Majorana neutrinos from lepton number breaking on distant branes)
- ✦ Dienes, Dudas, Gherghetta, NP **B557**, 25 (1999) (light neutrinos from right-handed neutrinos in ED or ED see-saw mechanism)
- ✦ Lukas, Ramon, Romanino, Ross, PL **B495**, 136 (2000); hep-ph/0011295 (sterile neutrinos from bulk; oscillations into bulk KK states)

## ✦ Many other topics from Higgs to dark matter



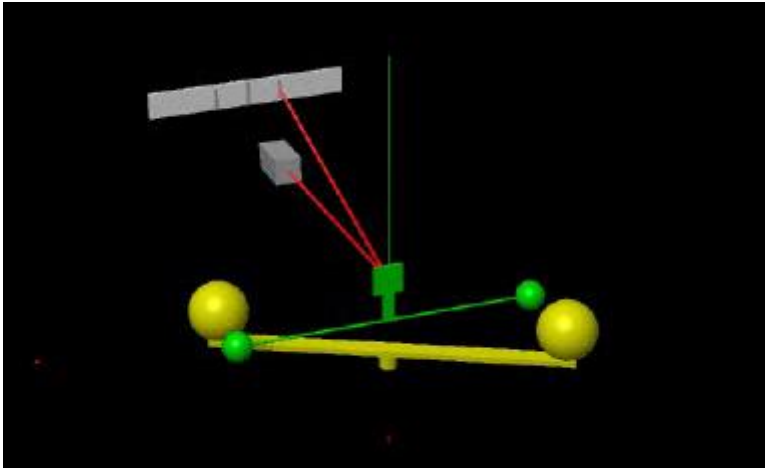
# Cosmological Limits on Large Extra Dimensions

- ✦ Supernova cooling due to the graviton emission
  - ✦ Any new cooling mechanism would decrease the thought-to-be dominant cooling by the neutrino emission
  - ✦ Tightest limits on any additional cooling sources come from the measurement of the SN1987A neutrino flux by the Kamiokande and IMB
  - ✦ Application to the ADD scenario [Cullen and Perelstein, PRL **83**, 268 (1999)]:
    - ✦  $M_S > 30 \text{ TeV}$  ( $n=2$ )
    - ✦  $M_S > 4 \text{ TeV}$  ( $n=3$ )
  - ✦ NLO calculations for  $G_{KK}$  and dilaton emission [Hanhart, Phillips, Reddy, and Savage, nucl-th/0007016]:
    - ✦  $M_S > 25 \text{ TeV}$  ( $n=2$ )
    - ✦  $M_S > 1.7 \text{ TeV}$  ( $n=3$ )
- ✦ Distortion of the cosmic diffuse gamma radiation (CDG) spectrum due to the  $G_{KK} \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$  decays
  - ✦ Best CDG measurement come from the COMPTEL instrument in the 800 KeV - 30 MeV range
  - ✦ Application to the ADD scenario [Hall and Smith, PRD **60**, 085008 (1999)]:
    - ✦  $M_S > 100 \text{ TeV}$  ( $n=2$ )
    - ✦  $M_S > 5 \text{ TeV}$  ( $n=3$ )
- ✦ Caveat: there are many known (and unknown!) uncertainties, so the cosmological bounds are reliable only as an order of magnitude estimate
- ✦ Still,  $n=2$  seems to be excluded



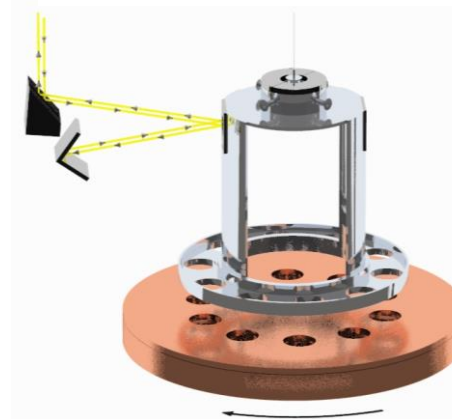
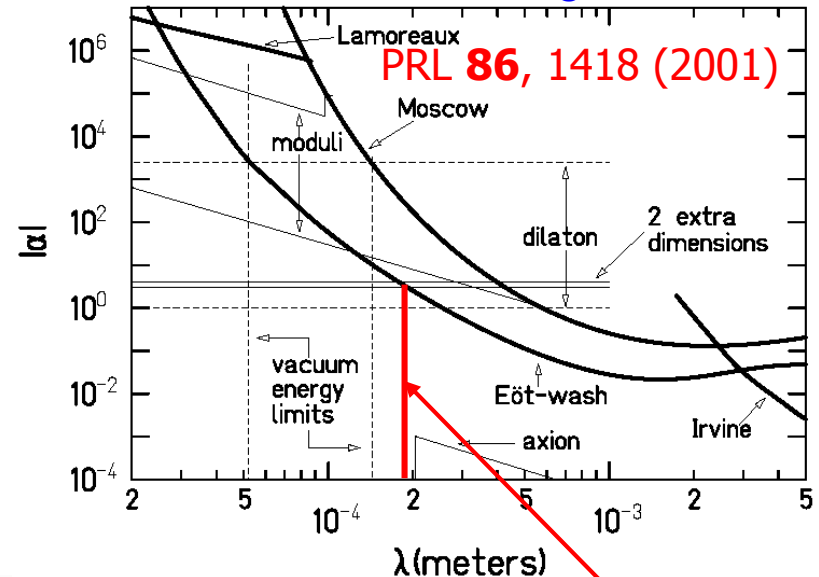
# Current Limits from Gravity Experiments

- 1798: **Cavendish experiment** (torsion balance)



- Mid-1970-ies: a number of Cavendish-type experiments searching for the "fifth forth" via deviations from Newton's law
- Sensitivity vanishes** quickly for distances **less than 1 mm**
- Major **background**: **Van der Waals** and **Casimir** forces
- High-energy colliders are the only means to probe gravity at **shorter (sub-micron)** distances

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The Eöt-Wash results rule out  $n=2$  extra dimensions for  $R > 0.19$  mm (or  $M_S < 1.9$  TeV)



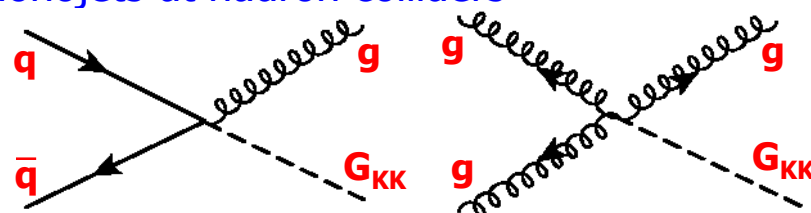


# Collider Signatures for Large Extra Dimensions

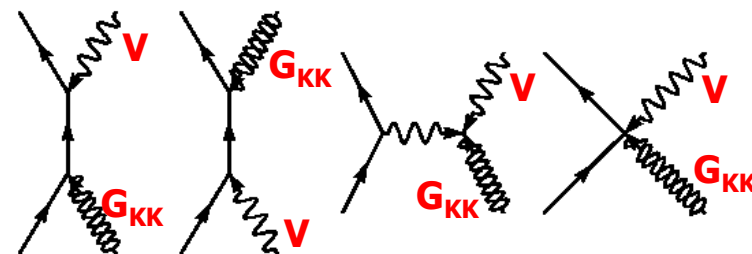
- Kaluza-Klein gravitons couple to the momentum tensor, and therefore contribute to most of the SM processes
- For Feynman rules for  $G_{KK}$  see:
  - Han, Lykken, Zhang, PR **D59**, 105006 (1999)
  - Giudice, Rattazzi, Wells, Nucl. Phys. **B544**, 3 (1999)
- Since graviton can propagate in the bulk, energy and momentum are not conserved in the  $G_{KK}$  emission from the point of view of our 3+1 space-time
- Since the spin 2 graviton in general has a bulk momentum component, its spin from the point of view of our brane can appear as 0, 1, or 2
- Depending on whether the  $G_{KK}$  leaves our world or remains virtual, the collider signatures include single photons/Z/jets with missing  $E_T$  or fermion/vector boson pair production

## Real Graviton Emission

Monojets at hadron colliders

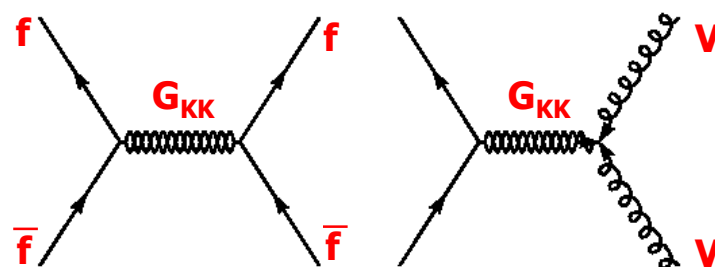


Single VB at hadron or  $e^+e^-$  colliders



## Virtual Graviton Emission

Fermion or VB pairs at hadron or  $e^+e^-$  colliders





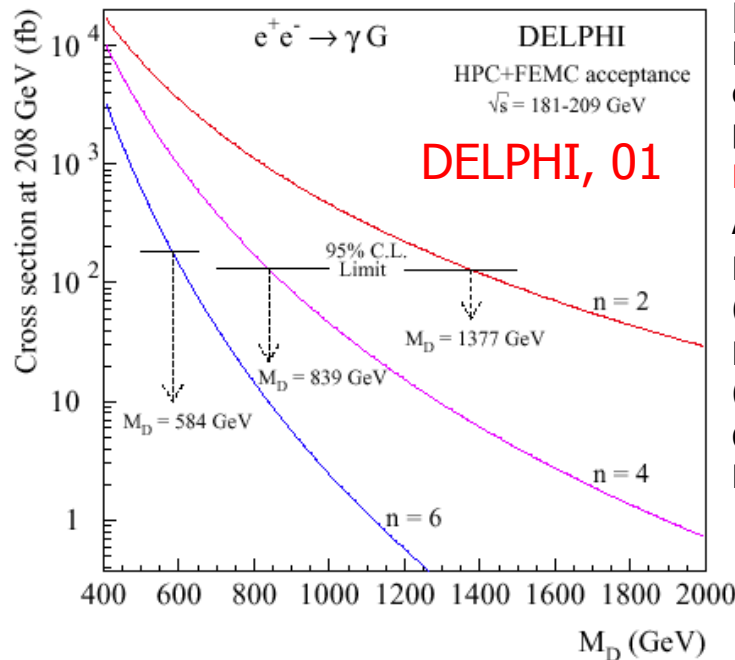
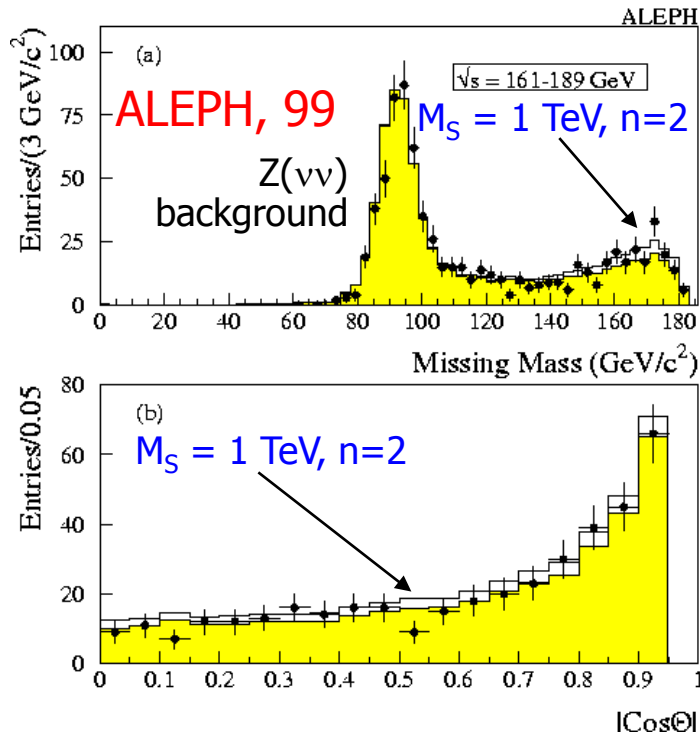
# LEP2 Searches for Direct Graviton Emission - I

$$e^+e^- \rightarrow \gamma G_{KK}$$

- Photon +  $ME_T$  signature
- "Recycling" of the GMSB analyses
- ALEPH (2D-fit), DELPHI, L3 (x), OPAL (event counting)

$$\frac{d^2\sigma}{dx dz} = \frac{\alpha}{32s} \frac{\pi^{\frac{n}{2}}}{\Gamma(\frac{n}{2})} \left( \frac{\sqrt{s}}{M_S} \right)^{n+2} f(x, z), \quad x = \frac{2E_\gamma}{\sqrt{s}}, \quad z = \cos \theta$$

$$f(x, z) = \frac{2(1-x)^{\frac{n}{2}-1}}{x(1-z^2)} \left[ (2-x)^2(1-x+x^2) - 3x^2(1-x)z^2 - x^4z^4 \right]$$



## Theory:

[Giudice, Rattazzi, Wells, Nucl. Phys. **B544**, 3 (1999) and corrected version: hep-ph/9811291]

## Experiment:

ALEPH-CONF-2001-011

DELPHI Eur. Phys. J **C17**, 53 (2000); CONF 452 (2001)

L3: Phys. Lett. **B470**, 268 (1999)

OPAL: CERN-EP-2000-050, Eur. Phys. J. **C18**, 253 (2000)

## Results:

$M_S > 1.3-0.6 \text{ TeV}$   
for  $n=2-6$  (DELPHI)  
ALEPH, L3, OPAL – slightly worse



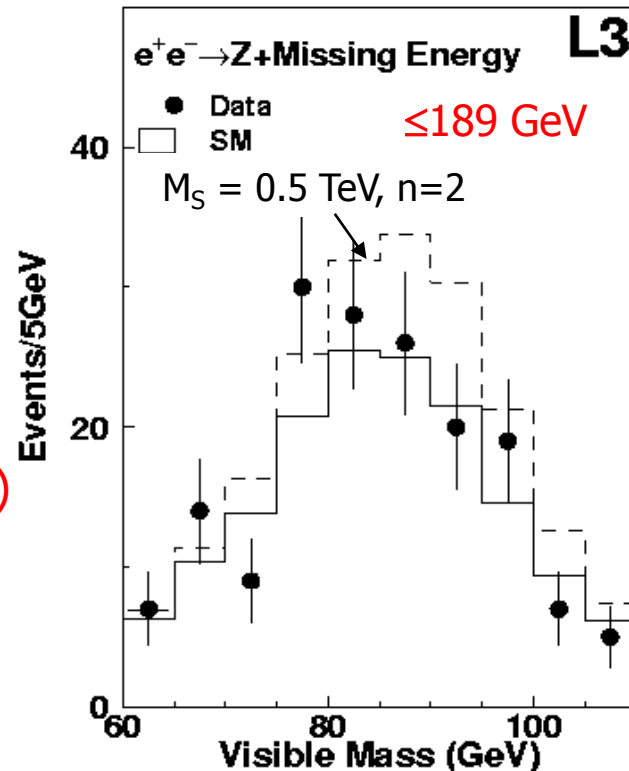
# LEP2 Searches for Direct Graviton Emission - II

$$e^+e^- \rightarrow ZG_{KK}$$

- Z(jj) + ME<sub>T</sub> signature
- "Recycling" of the invisible Higgs analyses
- ALEPH: BR(Z → Z\*(jj)G), 184 GeV
- L3: Z(jj)G<sub>KK</sub>, 189 GeV, increased sensitivity via analysis of the visible mass distribution
- $M_S > 0.35-0.12$  TeV (ALEPH) for n = 2-6
- $M_S > 0.60-0.21$  TeV (L3) for n = 2-6

$$\frac{\Gamma(Z \rightarrow f\bar{f}G)}{\Gamma(Z \rightarrow f\bar{f})} = \frac{1}{4\pi} \frac{1}{3(n+2)} \left( \frac{M_Z}{M_S} \right)^{n+2} I$$

$$I = \frac{\pi^{\frac{n-2}{2}}}{\Gamma(\frac{n}{2})} \int_0^1 dx \int_0^{(1-\sqrt{x})^2} dy \frac{y^{\frac{n-2}{2}} (12x+A)\sqrt{A}}{6(1-x)^2}, \quad A = (1-x-y)^2 - 4xy$$



## Theory:

[Balazs, Dicus, He, Repko, Yuan, Phys. Rev. Lett. **83**, 2112 (1999) – width ratio]  
 [Cheung, Keung, Phys. Rev. **D60**, 112003 (1999) – mass distribution]

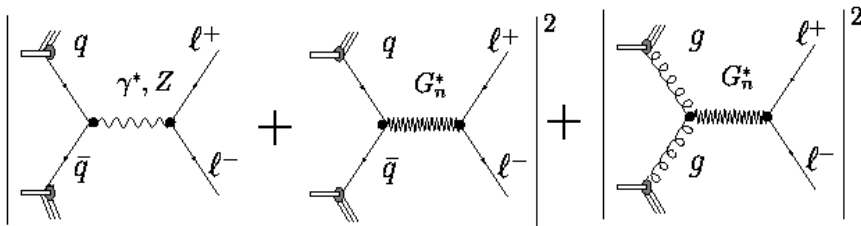
## Experiment:

ALEPH-CONF-99-027  
 L3: Phys. Lett. **B470**, 281 (1999)



# Virtual Graviton Effects

- In the case of **pair production** via virtual graviton, **gravity effects interfere with the SM** (e.g.,  $l^+l^-$  at hadron colliders):



- Therefore, **production cross section has three terms**: SM, interference, and direct gravity effects
- The **sum in KK states is divergent** in the effective theory, so in order to calculate the cross sections, **an explicit cut-off is required**
- An expected value of the **cut-off is  $\approx M_S$** , as this is the scale at which the effective theory breaks down, and the string theory needs to be used to calculate production

- Unfortunately, **a number of similar papers** calculating the virtual graviton effects appeared simultaneously

- Hence, there are **three major conventions** on how to write the **effective Lagrangian**:

- Hewett**, Phys. Rev. Lett. **82**, 4765 (1999)
- Giudice, Rattazzi, Wells**, Nucl. Phys. **B544**, 3 (1999); revised version, hep-ph/9811291
- Han, Lykken, Zhang**, Phys. Rev. **D59**, 105006 (1999); revised version, hep-ph/9811350

- Fortunately (after a lot of discussions and revisions) **all three conventions** turned out to be completely **equivalent** and only the **definitions of  $M_S$  are different**:

$$\frac{d^2\sigma}{d \cos \theta^* dM} = \frac{d^2\sigma_{SM}}{d \cos \theta^* dM} + \frac{a(n)}{M_S^4} f_1(\cos \theta^*, M) + \frac{b(n)}{M_S^8} f_2(\cos \theta^*, M)$$





# Hewett, GRW, and HLZ Formalisms

✚ **Hewett**: neither sign of the interference nor the dependence on the number of extra dimensions is known; therefore the **interference term is**  $\sim \lambda / M_S^4(\text{Hewett})$ , where  $\lambda$  is of order 1; numerically uses  $\lambda = \pm 1$

✚ **GRW**: sign of the interference is fixed, but the dependence on the number of extra dimensions is unknown; therefore the **interference term is**  $\sim 1 / \Lambda_T^4$  (where  $\Lambda_T$  is their notation for  $M_S$ )

✚ **HLZ**: not only the sign of interference is fixed, but the  $n$ -dependence can be calculated in the effective theory; thus the **interference term is**  $\sim \mathcal{F} / M_S^4(\text{HLZ})$ , where  $\mathcal{F}$  reflects the dependence on the number of extra dimensions:

$$\mathcal{F} = \begin{cases} \log\left(\frac{M_S^2}{s}\right), & n = 2 \\ \frac{2}{n-2}, & n > 2 \end{cases}$$

✚ **Correspondence** between the three formalisms:

$$M_S(\text{Hewett})|_{\lambda=\pm 1} \equiv \sqrt[4]{\frac{2}{\pi}} \Lambda_T(\text{GRW})$$

$$\frac{\lambda}{M_S^4(\text{Hewett})} = \frac{\pi}{2} \frac{\mathcal{F}}{M_S^4(\text{HLZ})}$$

$$\frac{1}{\Lambda_T^4(\text{GRW})} = \frac{\mathcal{F}}{M_S^4(\text{HLZ})}$$

✚ **Rule of thumb**:

$$M_S(\text{Hewett})|_{\lambda=\pm 1} \approx M_S(\text{HLZ})|_{n=5}$$

$$\Lambda_T(\text{GRW}) = M_S(\text{HLZ})|_{n=4}$$



# LEP2 Search for Virtual Graviton Effects – $ff/\gamma\gamma$

- LEP2 Collaborations looked at **difermion** and **diboson** production due to the  $G_{KK}$  exchange
- Unfortunately, **different formalisms were used by different collaborations**, and sometimes even within a collaboration, which makes results hard to compare and combine
- Internal inconsistency** could affect some of the **combined limits**

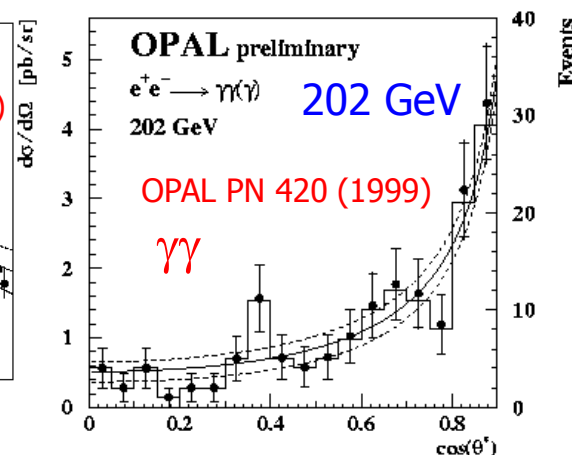
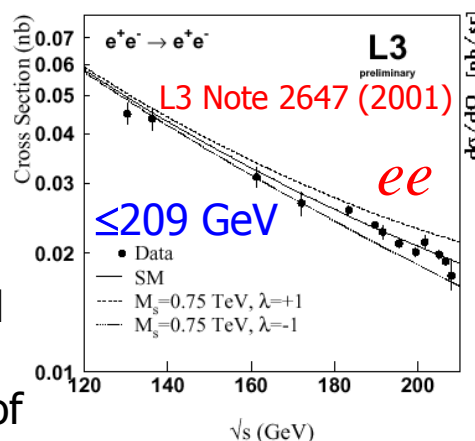
- Most sensitive channels** are:

- Dielectron s- and t-channel production
- Diphoton production

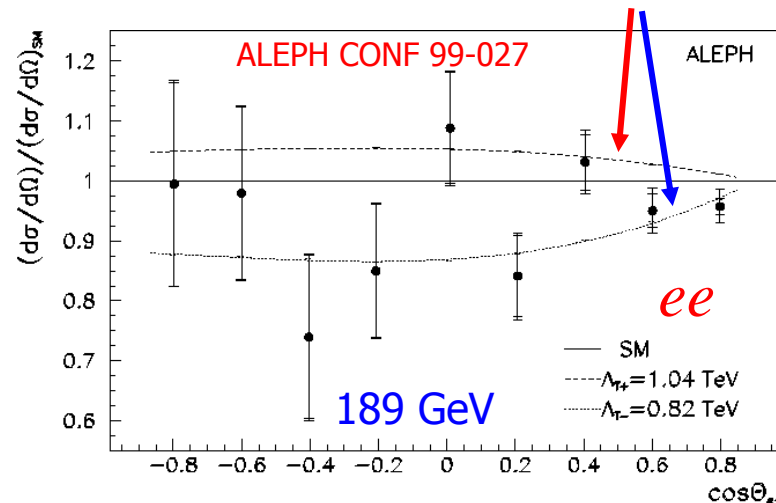
- Limits on  $M_S$ (Hewett)  $\sim$  **0.8-1.2 TeV**

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- DELPHI:** CONF 355, 363, 427, 430 (2000); 464 (2001); PL **B491**, 67 (2000)
- L3:** PL **B464**, 135; **B470**, 281 (1999); Notes 2647, 2648 (2001)
- OPAL:** EPJ **C13**, 553, *ibid.* **C18**, 253 (2000); Notes PN 420 (1999), PN 469, 471 (2001)



**N.B. All LEP Collaborations considered both interference signs**





# LEP2 Searches for Virtual Graviton Effects - VV

## $e^+e^- \rightarrow WW/ZZ$

- Recycle **WW cross section and anomalous ZZ $\gamma$  couplings** analyses
- L3 used angular distributions (WW) and mass variables (ZZ) to set limits
- OPAL used angular distribution (ZZ)

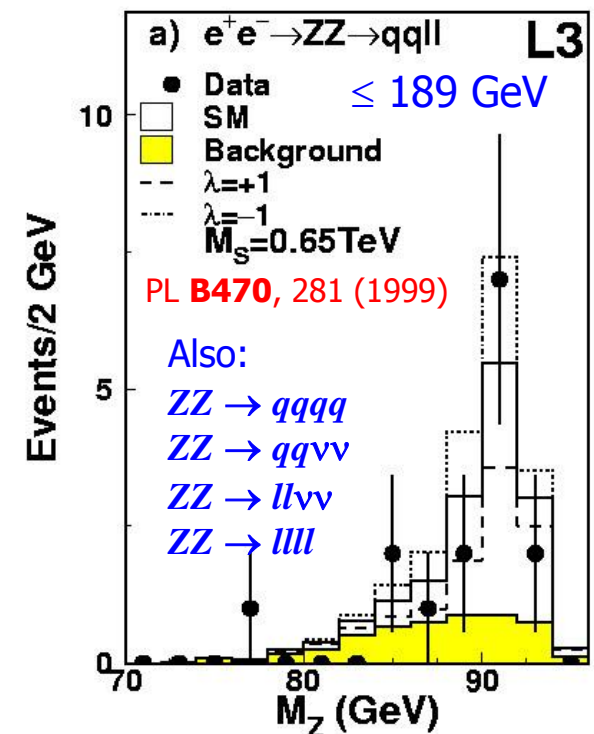
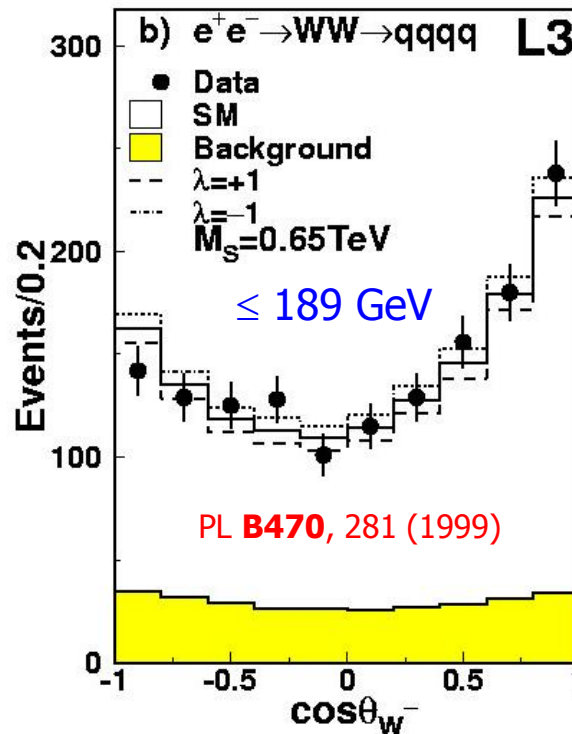
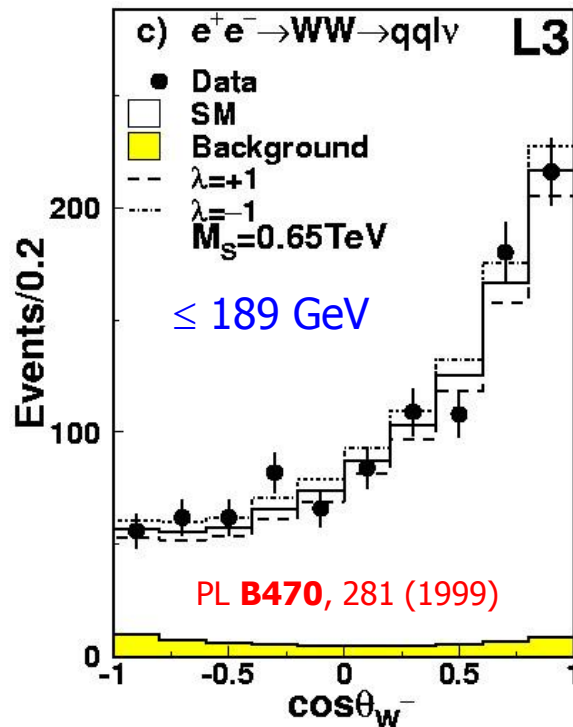
## Theory:

[Agashe, Deshpande, Phys. Lett. **B456**, 60 (1999)]

$$M_S^{AD} \Big|_{\lambda=-1} \equiv M_S^{Hewett} \Big|_{\lambda=+1}$$

AD convention is equivalent to Hewett's with a flipped sign of  $\lambda$

$M_S > 520\text{-}650$  GeV (WW);  $M_S > 1.2$  TeV (ZZ)





# LEP2 Lower 95% CL $M_s$ (Hewett) Limits (TeV)

Experiment	$e^+e^- \rightarrow \gamma G$					$e^+e^- \rightarrow ZG$					Color coding
	n=2	n=3	n=4	n=5	n=6	n=2	n=3	n=4	n=5	n=6	
ALEPH	1.28	0.97	0.78	0.66	0.57	0.35	0.22	0.17	0.14	0.12	$\leq 184$ GeV
DELPHI	1.38	<b>1.02</b>	0.84	<b>0.68</b>	0.58						$\leq 189$ GeV
L3	1.02	0.81	0.67	0.58	0.51	0.60	0.38	0.29	<b>0.24</b>	<b>0.21</b>	$> 200$ GeV
OPAL	1.09	0.86	0.71	0.61	0.53						$\lambda = -1$ $\lambda = +1$ GL

## Virtual Graviton Exchange

Experiment	$e^+e^-$	$\mu^+\mu^-$	$\tau^+\tau^-$	$qq$	$ff$	$\gamma\gamma$	$WW$	$ZZ$	Combined
ALEPH	1.04 0.81	0.65 0.67	0.60 0.62	0.53/0.57 0.49/0.49 (bb)	1.05 0.84	0.81 0.82			0.75/1.00 (<189)
DELPHI		0.59 0.73	0.56 0.65		0.60 0.76	0.70 0.77			0.60/0.76 (ff) (<202)
L3	0.98 1.06	0.56 0.69	0.58 0.54	0.49 0.49	0.84 1.00	0.99 0.84	0.68 0.79	1.2 ? 1.2 ?	1.3/1.2 (<202) ?
OPAL	1.15 1.00	0.62 0.66			0.62 0.66	0.89 0.83		0.63 0.74	1.17/1.03 (<209)



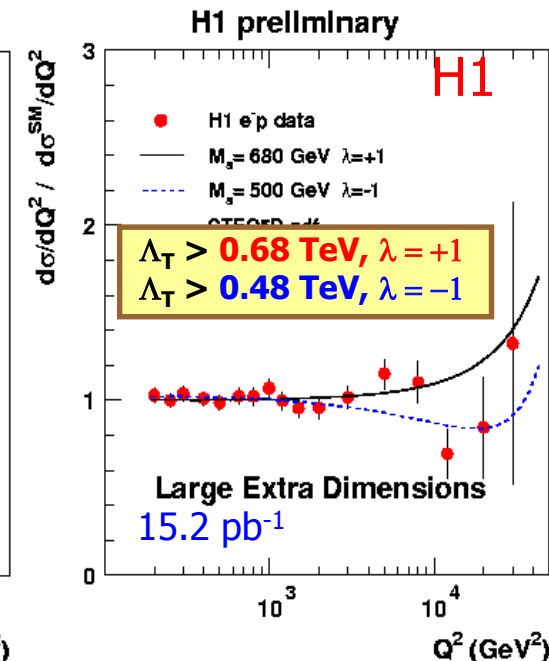
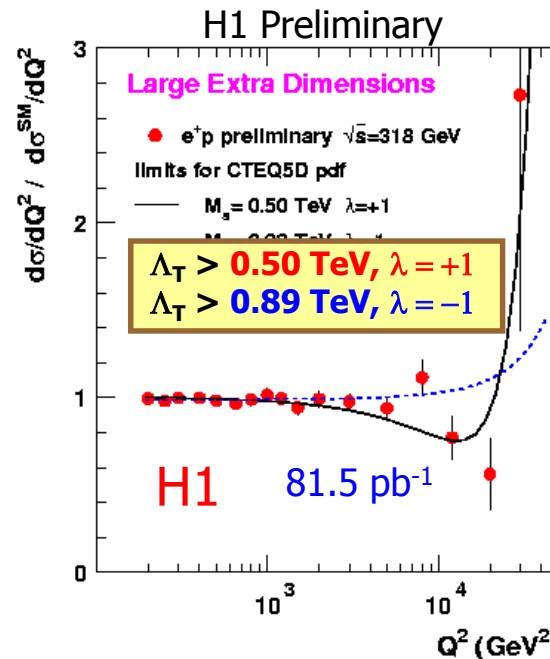
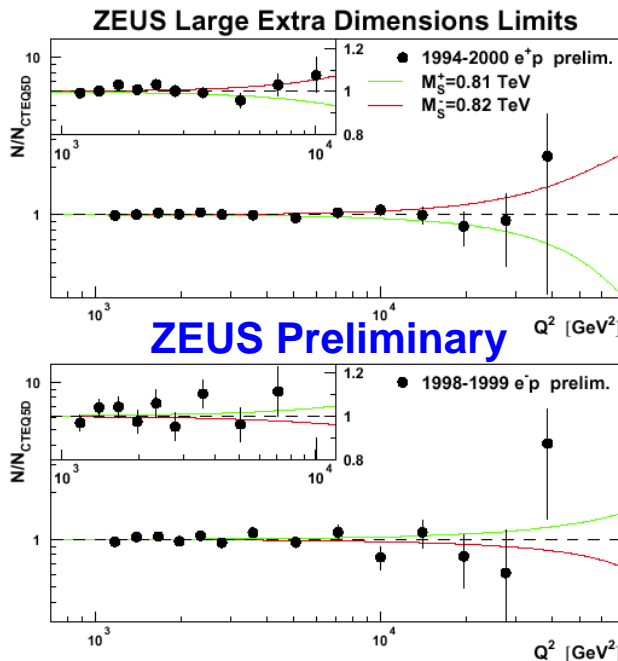


# HERA Search for Virtual Graviton Effects

$e^\pm p \rightarrow e^\pm p$

- $t$ -channel exchange, similar to Bhabha scattering diagrams; based on the GRW formalism (H1, set limits on  $\Lambda_T$ , but call it  $M_S$ ) or Hewett's formalism (ZEUS)
- Usual SM,  $Z/\gamma^*$  interference, and direct  $G_{KK}$  terms
- Analysis method: fit to the  $d\sigma/dQ^2$  distribution
- Current H1 limits:  $\Lambda_T > 0.63/0.93$  TeV ( $M_S > 0.56/0.83$  TeV)
- Current ZEUS limits:  $M_S > 0.81/0.82$  TeV
- Expected sensitivity up to 1 TeV with the ultimate HERA data set

Phys. Lett. **B479**, 358  
(2000) –  $e^+p$ , 35.6 pb $^{-1}$





# Virtual Graviton Exchange at the Tevatron

## Virtual graviton Drell-Yan and diphoton production

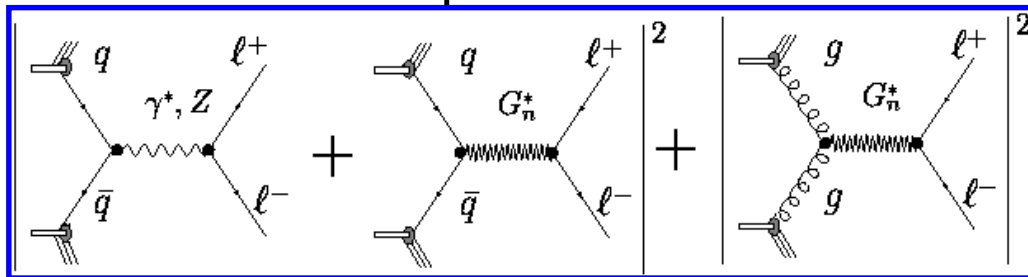
- Mass spectrum has been looked at [Gupta, Mondal, Raychaudhuri, hep-ph/9904234; Cheung, Phys. Rev. **D61**, 015005 (2000), Phys. Lett. **B460**, 383 (1999),...]
- Key improvement [Cheung, GL, PRD **62**, 076003 (2000)]: simultaneous analysis of the mass and angular distributions, as a spin 2 graviton would result in different angular distributions compared to the SM backgrounds; no other cuts!
- There are three terms: SM, interference, and direct graviton contribution
- Use Han/Lykken/Zhang formalism:

NLO corrections accounted for via a constant K-factor

$$\eta = \frac{F}{M_S^4(\text{HLZ})}, \quad z \equiv \cos \theta^*$$

$$F = \begin{cases} \log\left(\frac{M_S^2}{s}\right), & n = 2 \\ \frac{2}{n-2}, & n > 2 \end{cases}$$

Dileptons:



[For cross section formula see PRD **62**, 076003 (2000)]

Diphotons:

$$\frac{d^2\sigma}{dzdM_{\gamma\gamma}} = \sum_q \iint dx_1 dx_2 f_q(x_1) f_q(x_2) \frac{K(1+z^2)}{96\pi M_{\gamma\gamma}^2} \times$$

$$\left[ \frac{2e^4 Q_q^4}{1-z^2} + 2\pi e^2 Q_q^2 \eta M_{\gamma\gamma}^4 + \frac{\pi^2}{2} (1-z^2) \eta^2 M_{\gamma\gamma}^8 \right] +$$

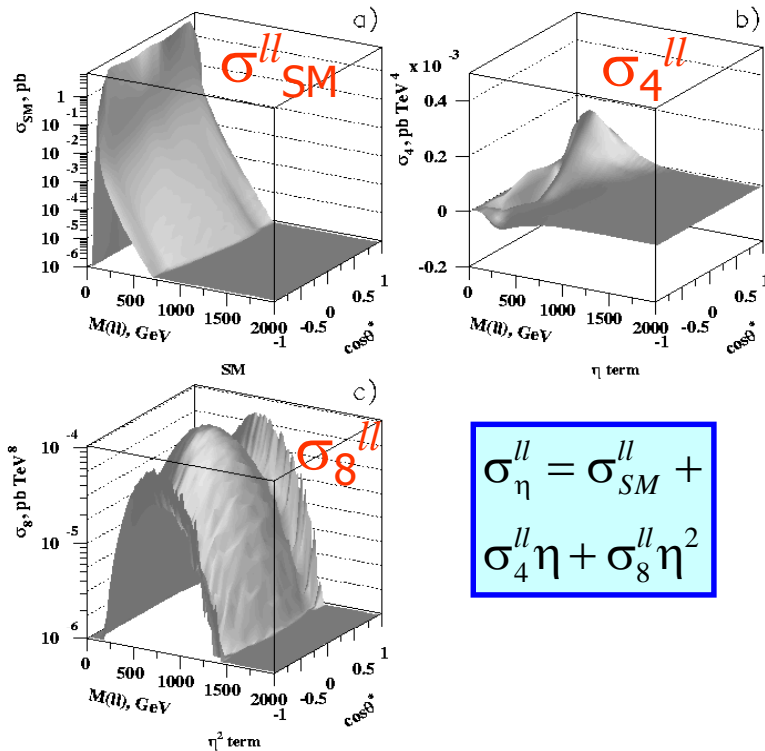
SM      interference term      G<sub>KK</sub> term

$$\iint dx_1 dx_2 f_g(x_1) f_g(x_2) \frac{K(1+6z^2+z^4)}{512M_{\gamma\gamma}^2} \eta^2 M_{\gamma\gamma}^8$$

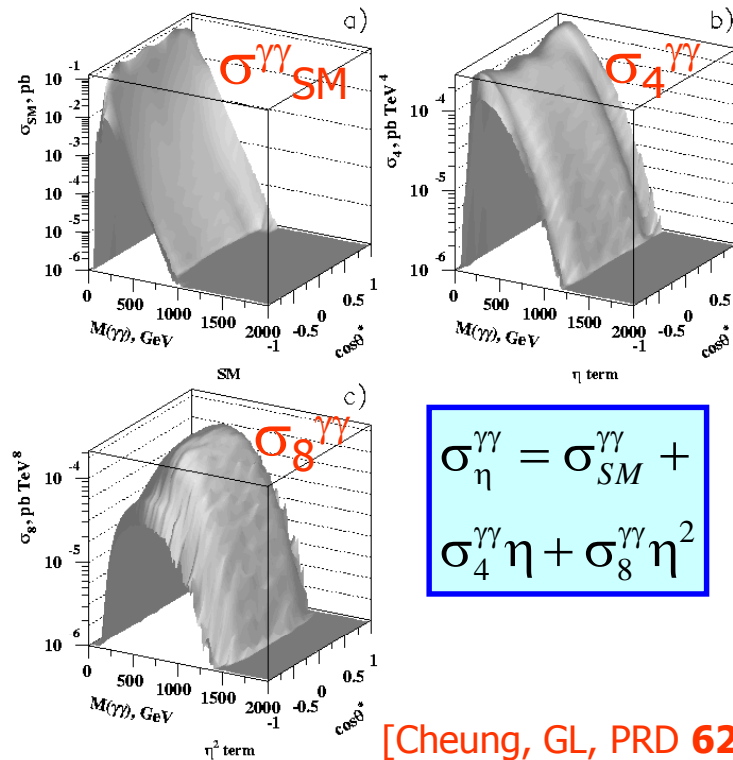
G<sub>KK</sub> term



# Tevatron Searches for Virtual Graviton Effects



$$\sigma_{\eta}^{ll} = \sigma_{SM}^{ll} + \sigma_4^{ll} \eta + \sigma_8^{ll} \eta^2$$



$$\sigma_{\eta}^{\gamma\gamma} = \sigma_{SM}^{\gamma\gamma} + \sigma_4^{\gamma\gamma} \eta + \sigma_8^{\gamma\gamma} \eta^2$$

$$\eta = \frac{F}{M_S^4}$$

$$F = \begin{cases} \log\left(\frac{M_s^2}{s}\right), & n = 2 \\ \frac{2}{n-2}, & n > 2 \end{cases}$$

$$[\eta] = \text{TeV}^{-4}$$

[Cheung, GL, PRD **62**, 076003 (2000)]

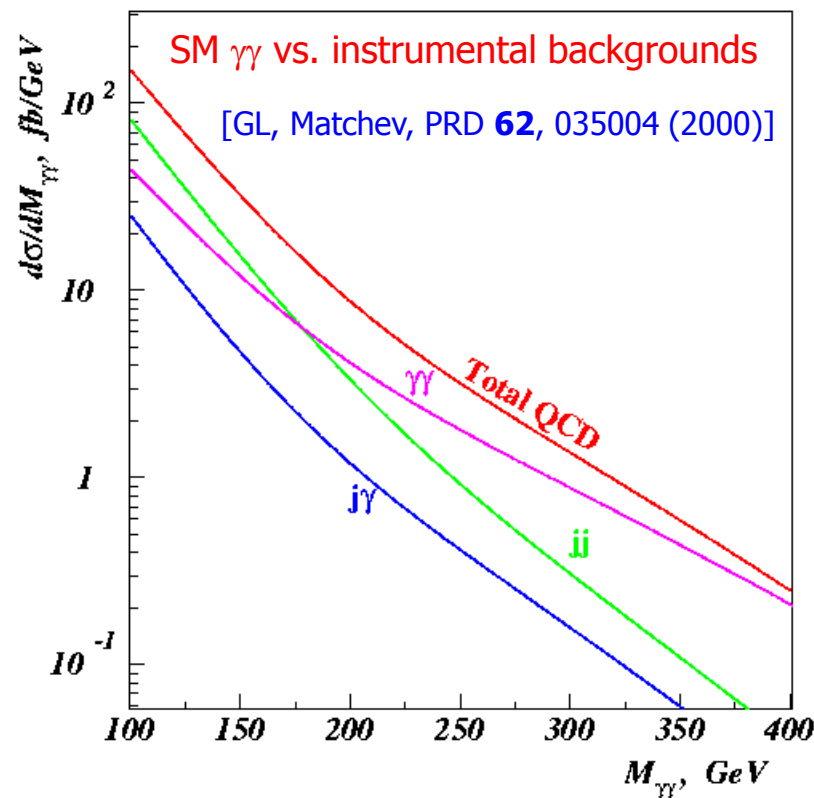
- Use **invariant mass** and **scattering angle** in the c.o.m. frame **to maximize sensitivity**
- Parameterize cross section as a **bilinear form in scale  $\eta$**  (works for any  $n > 2$ )
- Note the **asymmetry** of the interference term,  $\sigma_4$ , for  $ll$  production

- Use **Bayesian fit** to the data (real one or MC one) to get the best estimate of  $\eta$
- Diphoton** channel is considerably **more sensitive** than the **dilepton** one



# DØ Search for Large Extra Dimensions

- First designated search for extra dimensions at hadron colliders
- Based on Cheung/GL method with a few important modifications:
  - DØ detector does not have central magnetic field, so the **sign of  $\cos\theta^*$**  is not measured for dielectrons  $\Rightarrow$  **use  $|\cos\theta^*|$**
  - Dimuon mass resolution** at high masses is **poor**  $\Rightarrow$  **do not use dimuons**
  - Dielectron and diphoton **efficiencies are moderate** ( $\sim 50\%$ ) due to **tracking inefficiency** (electrons) and **conversions & random track overlap** (photons)  $\Rightarrow$  **maximize the DØ discovery potential by combining dielectrons and diphotons** (essentially ignore tracking information), i.e. use di-EM signature!
  - Instrumental background is not** expected to be **important** at high masses  $\Rightarrow$  **open up the ID cuts to maximize the efficiency**



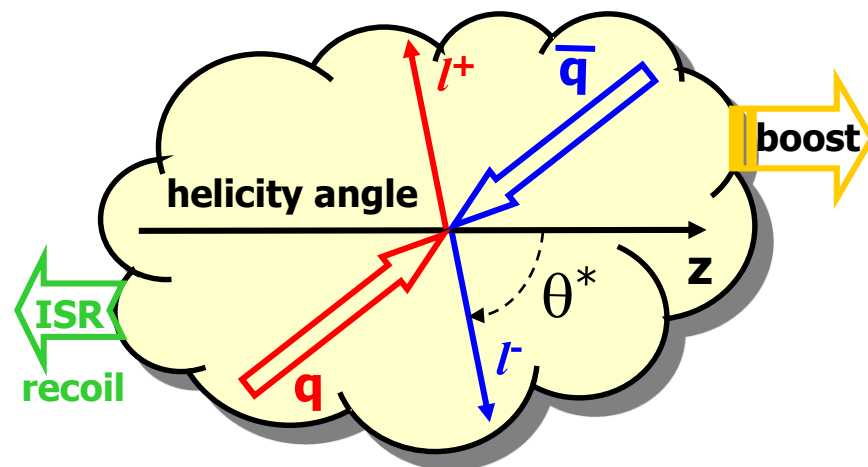
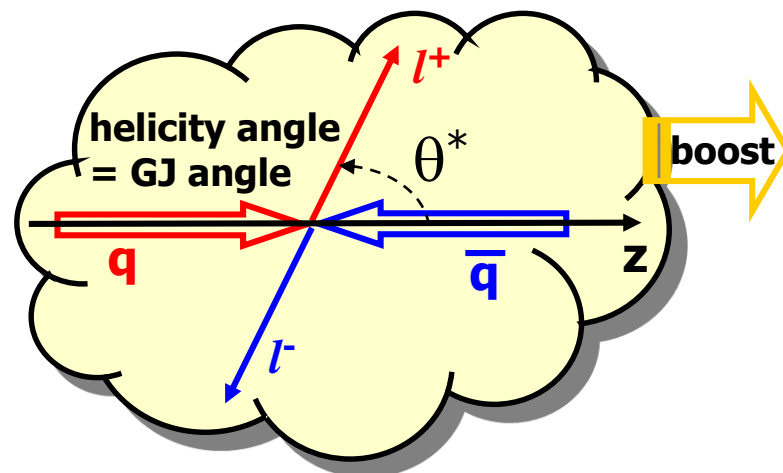
- Use **EM cluster shape information** to pick the hard-scattering vertex, thus improving mass and  $\cos\theta^*$  resolution





# Next-to-Leading Order Corrections

- Angle  $\theta^*$  in the parton level cross sections is defined as the **angle between the incoming parton from p and the  $l^+$** , i.e. in the **Gottfried-Jackson frame**
- In the presence of the **ISR** this frame is **no longer usable**
- We use the **helicity frame** instead, and define  $\theta^*$  as the **angle between the direction of the boost and the parton which follows this direction**, i.e.  $\cos\theta^* \geq 0$
- ISR-induced "**smearing**", i.e. the difference between the  $\cos\theta^*$  in the GJ and helicity frames **is small** ( $\sim 0.05$ )
- The **ISR effect is properly modeled** in the signal MC
- Since **NLO corrections for diphoton and dielectron production cross section are close**, there is no theoretical "overhead" related to adding two channels; we use  $K = 1.3 \pm 0.1$
- There is **no QCD FSR** in the di-EM final states





# Data Selection and Efficiency

- ✚ Use **entire Run I statistics** from full luminosity, low-threshold di-EM triggers,  $\int \mathcal{L} dt = 127 \pm 6 \text{ pb}^{-1}$
- ✚ **Offline cuts** are determined by the availability of background triggers:
  - ✚ Exactly **2 EM clusters** w/  $E_T > 45 \text{ GeV}$ ,  $|\eta| < 1.1$  or  $1.5 < |\eta| < 2.5$  passing **basic ID** criteria:
    - ✚  $\text{EMF} > 0.95$
    - ✚  $\text{ISO} < 0.10$
    - ✚  $\chi^2 < 100$
  - ✚  $\text{ME}_T < 25 \text{ GeV}$
  - ✚ **No other kinematic cuts** in the analysis, as the  $M/\cos\theta^*$  space completely defines the process
- ✚ Resulting data sample contains **1250 events**
- ✚ **Efficiency of the ID cuts** is determined from the **Z-peak** data obtained with the same triggers by lowering the  $E_T(\text{EM})$  cut

Cut	# of events
Starting sample	87,542
Quality cuts	82,947
$\geq 2 \text{ EM}$	82,927
$= 2 \text{ EM}$	82,425
$E_T > 25 \text{ GeV}$	36,409
Acceptance	30,585
EM ID	10,711
$E_T > 45 \text{ GeV}$	1,250

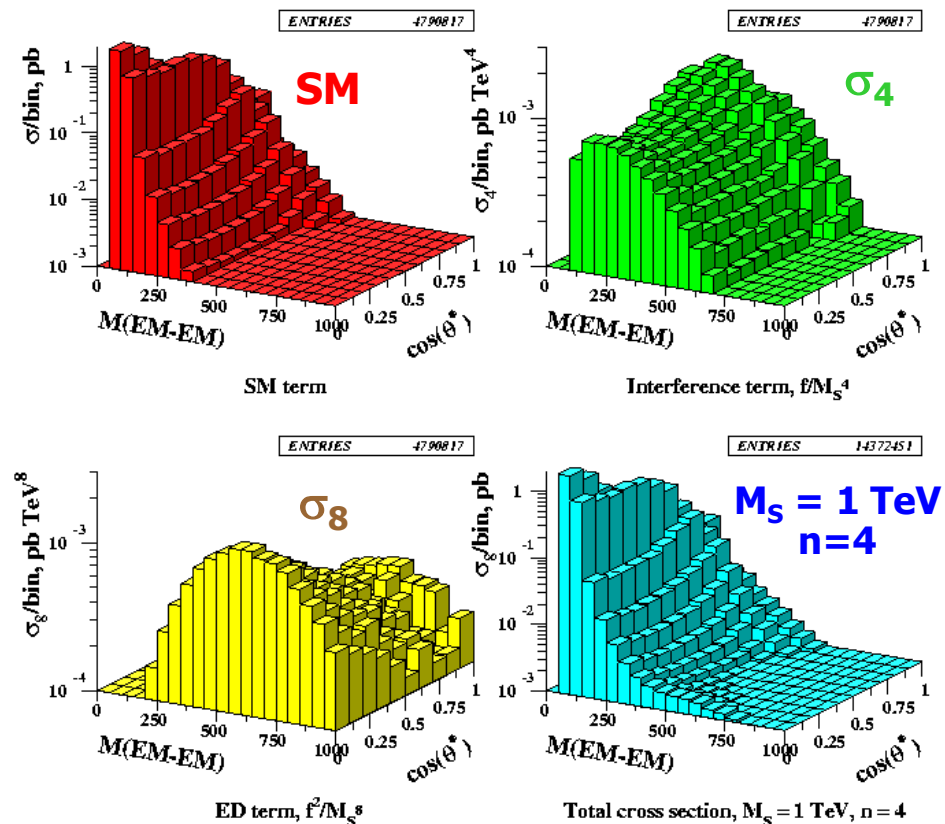
Cut	Efficiency
EM ID	$(87 \pm 2)\%$
$\text{MET} < 25 \text{ GeV}$	$(98 \pm 1)\%$
Event quality	$(99.8 \pm 0.1)\%$
Overall, per event	$(79 \pm 2)\%$



# Signal and SM Background Monte Carlo

- Based on **Cheung/GL LO parton level generator** [PRD **62**, 076003 (2000)] that produces weighted events
- Augmented w/ fast **parametric DØ detector simulation** that properly models:
  - DØ detector **acceptance** and **resolutions**
  - Primary **vertex smearing** and **resolution**
  - Effects of **additional vertices** from multiple interactions in the event
  - Transverse kick** of the di-EM system to account for **ISR effects**
  - Integration over **parton distribution functions** (CTEQ4LO and other modern p.d.f.)
  - K-factor** correction to the cross sections
  - Both **SM** and **gravity** effects

MC Simulation of the ED signatures

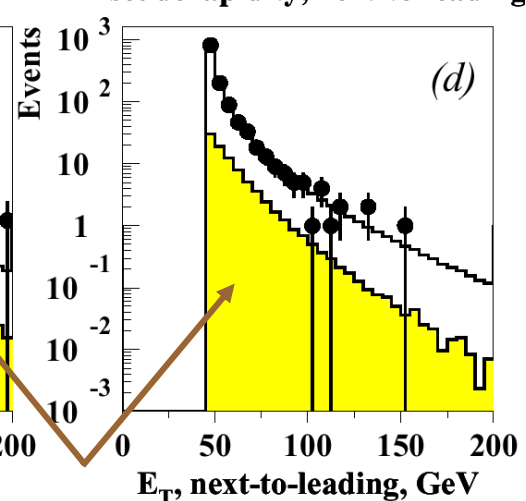
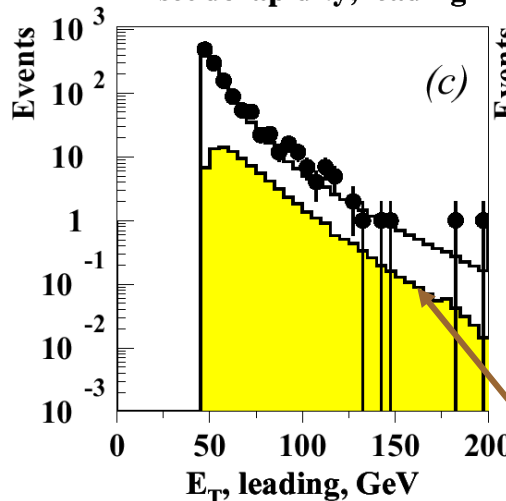
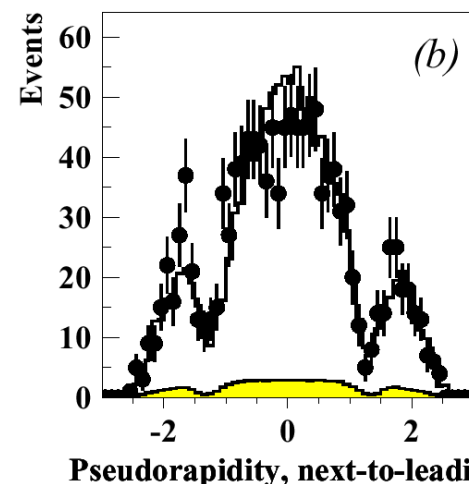
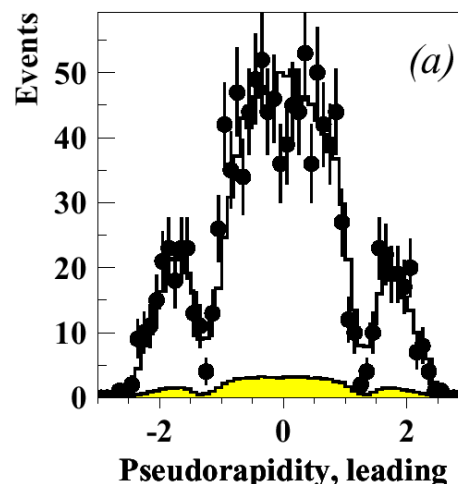




# MC Description of the Data and Systematics

- Kinematic **distributions are well described** with the sum of the SM and instrumental backgrounds
- The following **systematic errors** on the differential cross sections have been identified and taken in the account:

Source	Uncertainty
K-factor	10%
p.d.f. choice	5%
$\int L dt$	4%
Efficiency	3%
Overall	12%



**Instrumental background (25% uncertainty)**



# Summary of the Backgrounds

## SM backgrounds in the MC:

- Drell-Yan

- $\gamma\gamma$  ( $gg \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$  is negligible  $\Rightarrow$  not included)

- Other SM backgrounds are mostly at low masses and are completely negligible:

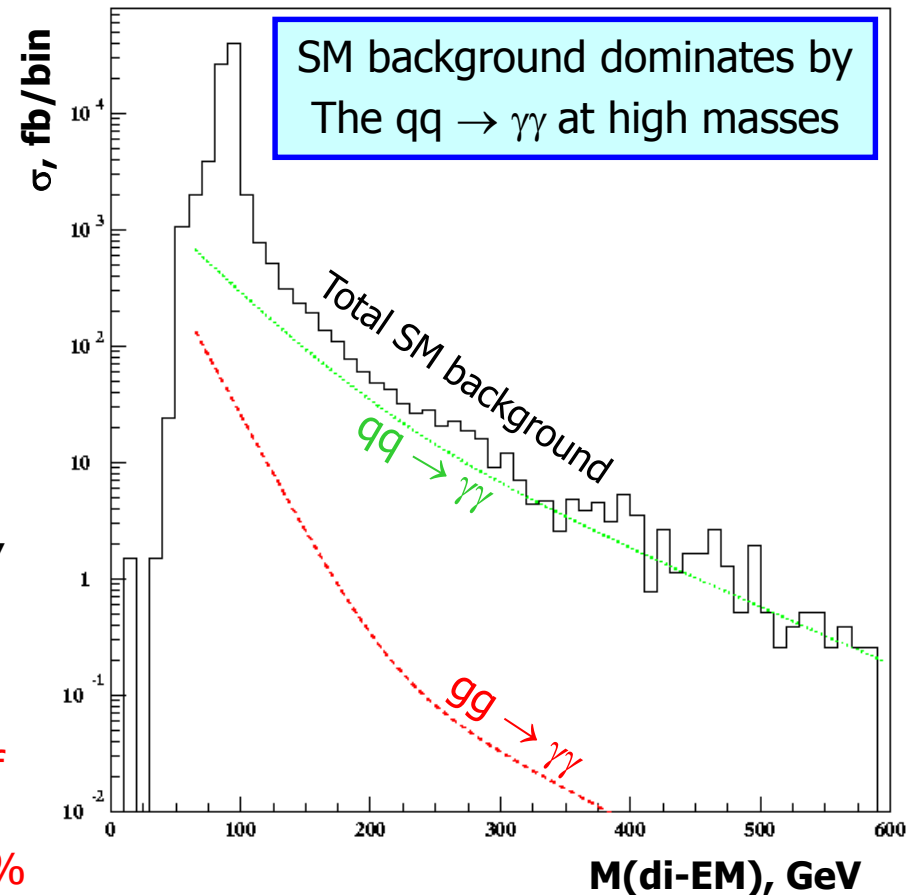
W+j/ $\gamma$	< 0.4%
WW	< 0.1%
top	< 0.1%
$Z \rightarrow \tau\tau$	< 0.1%
$Z+\gamma$	< 0.01%
Other	< 0.01%

- Instrumental background from  $jj/j\gamma \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$  due to jets fragmenting in a leading  $\pi^0$

- Determined w/ the data from a single EM trigger with 40 GeV threshold by applying probability for a jet to fake an EM object of  $(0.18 \pm 0.04)\%$ , independent of  $E_T$  and  $\eta$

- Instrumental background (mostly  $jj$ ) is  $\sim 7\%$

- Conservatively ignore small backgrounds







# Fitting Procedure: Extracting Gravity Effects

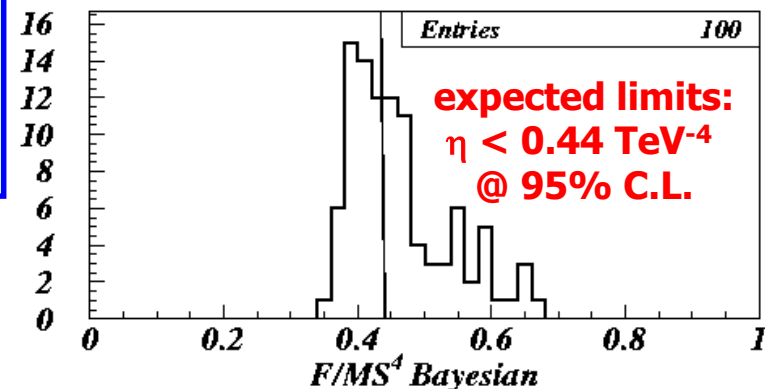
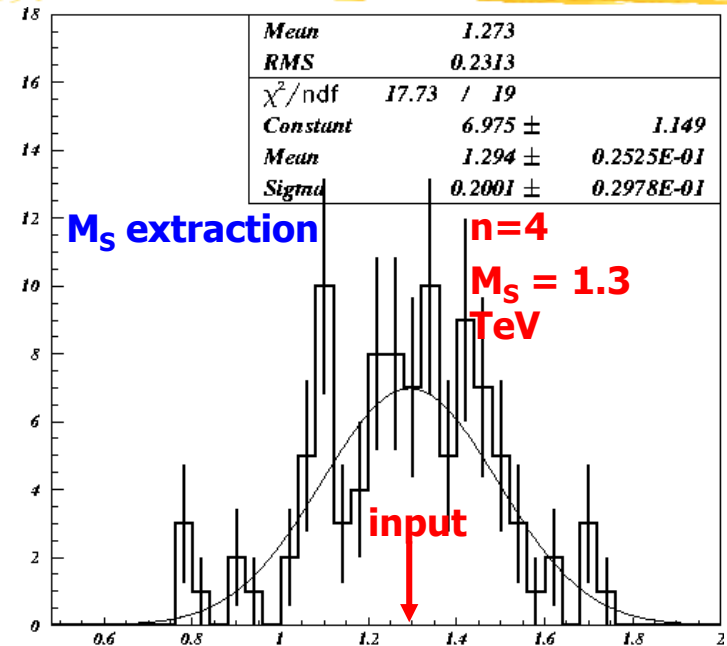
- Bin the data in a  $M \times |\cos\theta^*|$  grid (up to  $40 \times 10$  bins;  $M \in [0, 2 \text{ TeV}]$ ,  $|\cos\theta^*| \in [0, 1]$ )
- Parameterize cross section in each bin as a bilinear form in  $\eta$ :  $\sigma = \sigma_{SM} + \eta\sigma_4 + \eta^2\sigma_8$
- Use Bayesian fit with flat prior (in  $\eta$ ) to extract the best value of  $\eta$  and 95% C.L. intervals:

$$P(N | \eta, B) = \sum_{i,j} \frac{(S_{ij} + B_{ij})^{n_{ij}} e^{-(S_{ij} + B_{ij})}}{n_{ij}!}, \quad S_{ij} = \epsilon \sigma_{ij} \int L dt$$

$$P(\eta | N) = \frac{1}{A} \int db \exp\left(-\frac{(b - b_0)^2}{2\sigma_b^2}\right) \int dS \exp\left(-\frac{(S - S_0)^2}{2\sigma_S^2}\right) P(N | \eta, B)$$

$$\hat{\eta} \Rightarrow \max P(\eta | N); \quad \int_0^{\eta_{95}} d\eta P(\eta | N) = 0.95$$

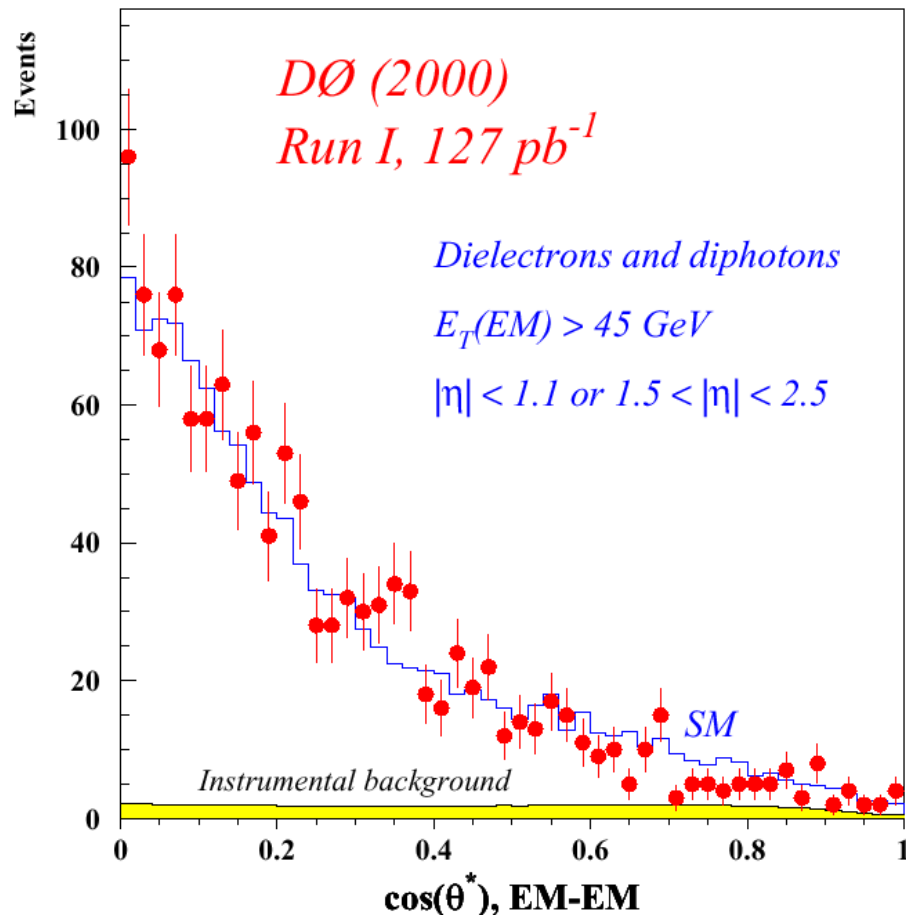
- Also cross-check with a simple maximum likelihood method



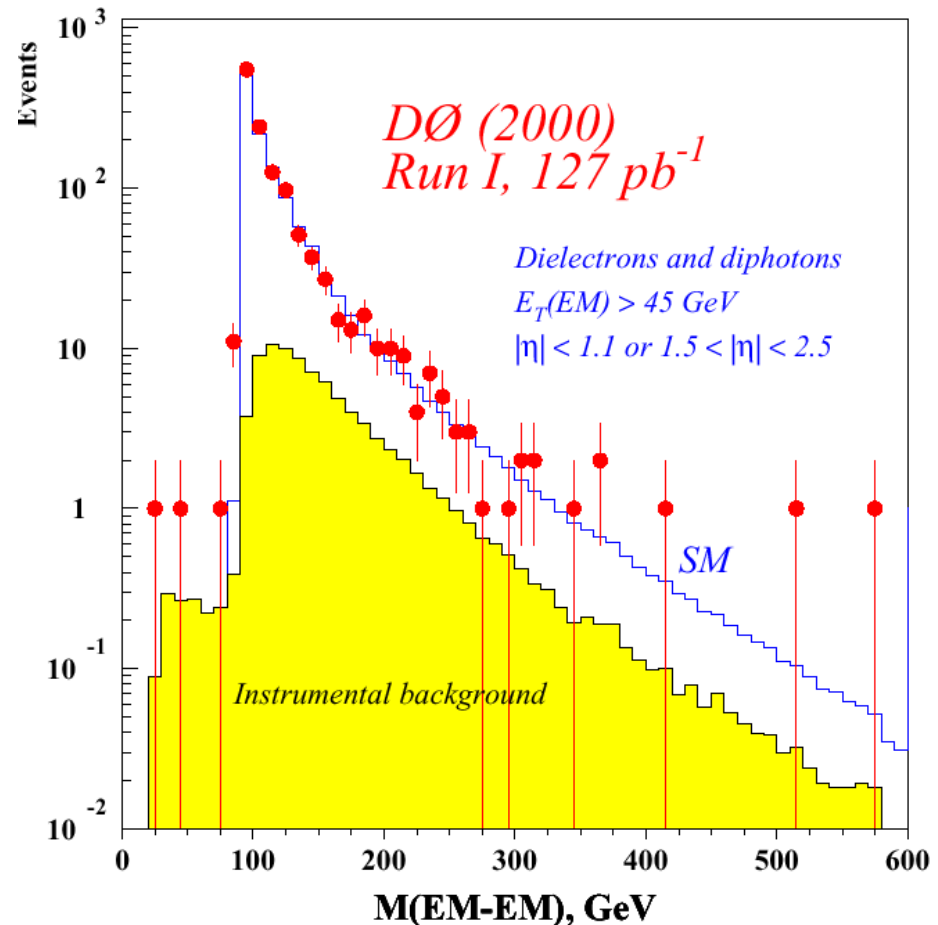


# DØ Results: Mass and Angular Distributions

Comparison of the data with the SM predictions      Comparison of the data with the SM predictions



Data agree well with the SM



Note zero-events bins at high masses!

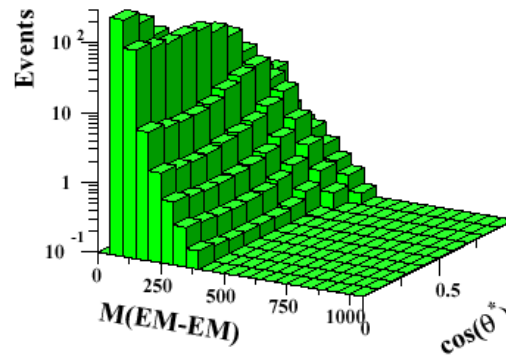


# DØ Results: 2D-Spectra

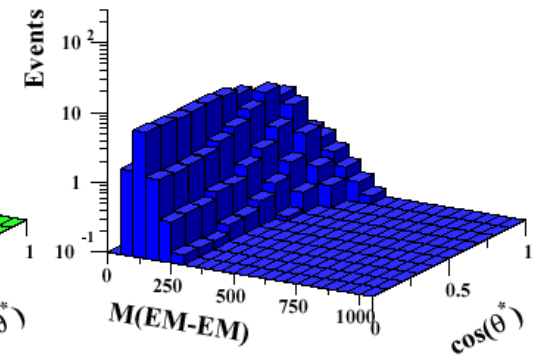
✚ Data are in a **good agreement** with the SM predictions

Mass cut	N	B	p
> 100 GeV	687	682	0.43
> 150 GeV	134	138	0.63
> 200 GeV	53	52.2	0.47
> 250 GeV	18	23.5	0.90
> 300 GeV	10	11.4	0.70
> 350 GeV	5	5.8	0.69
> 400 GeV	3	3.0	0.58
> 450 GeV	2	1.5	0.44
> 500 GeV	2	0.67	0.15
> 550 GeV	1	0.23	0.21
> 600 GeV	0	<0.1	1.00

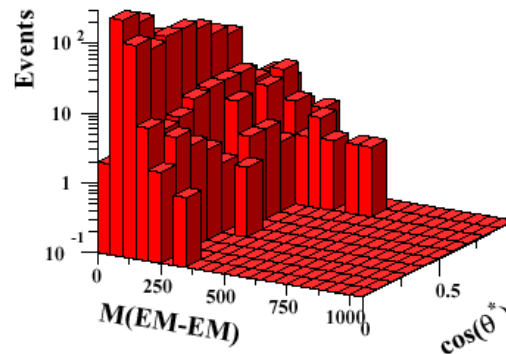
Comparison of the data and the SM predictions



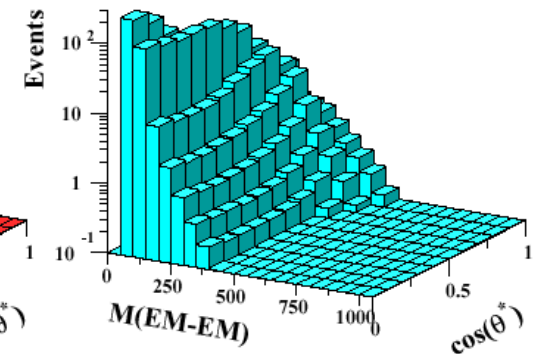
SM  $ee$  and  $\gamma\gamma$  production



QCD jet background



Data

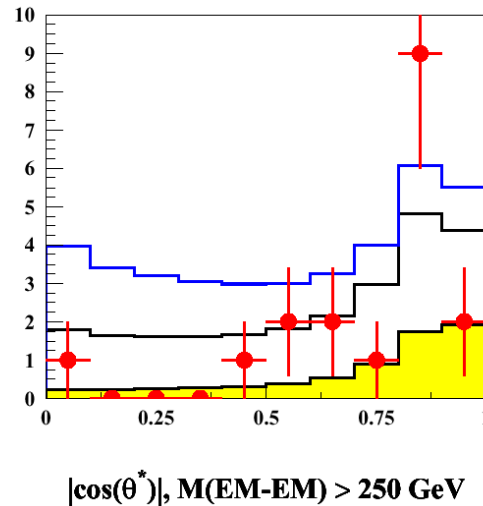
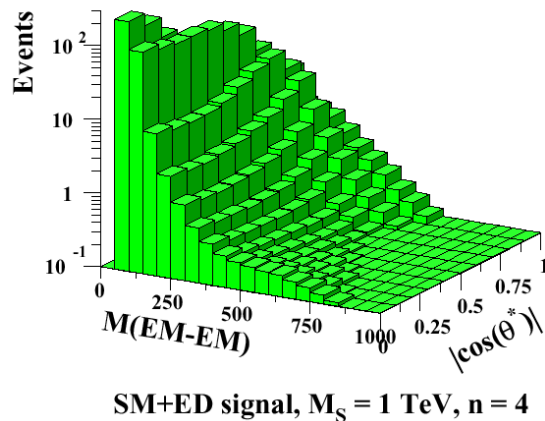
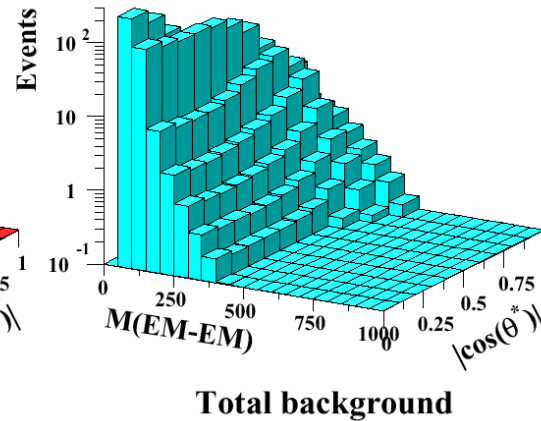
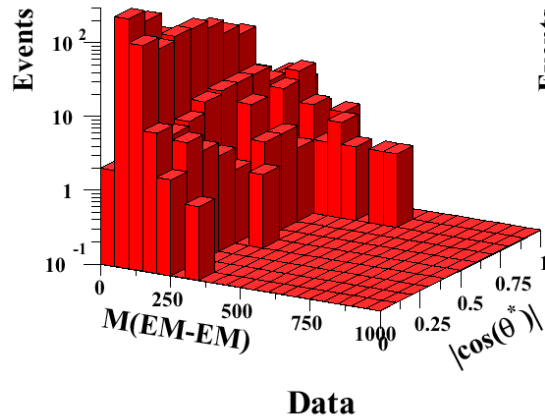


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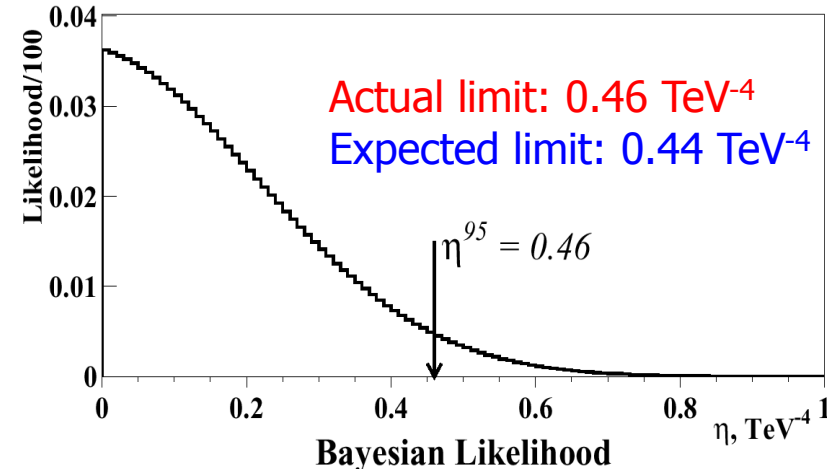


# DØ Results in Dielectron and Diphoton Channels

DØ (2000), Run I, 127 pb<sup>-1</sup>

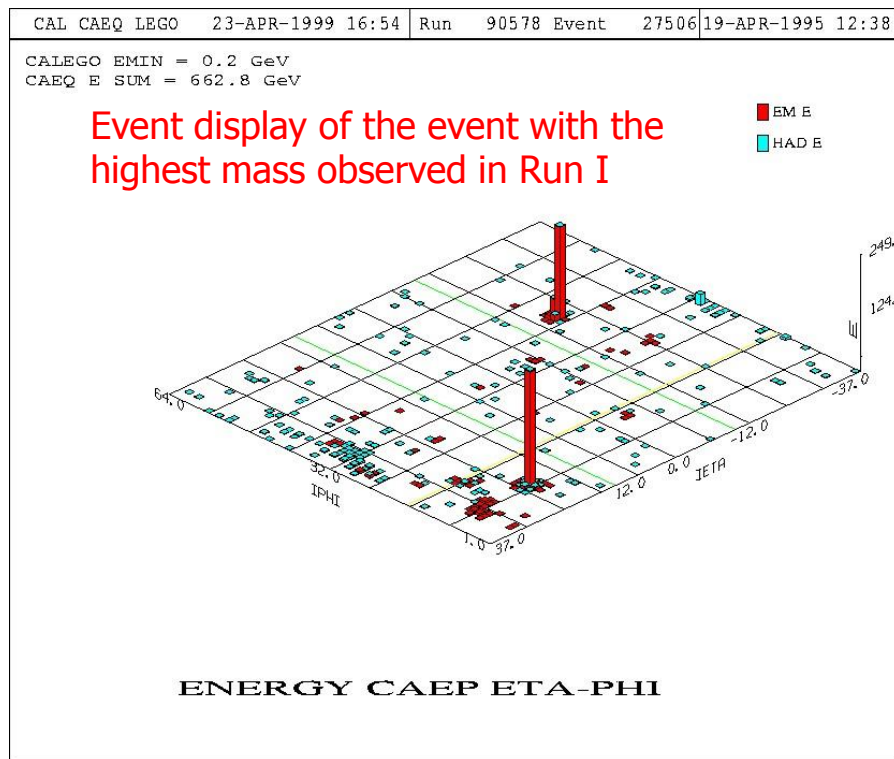
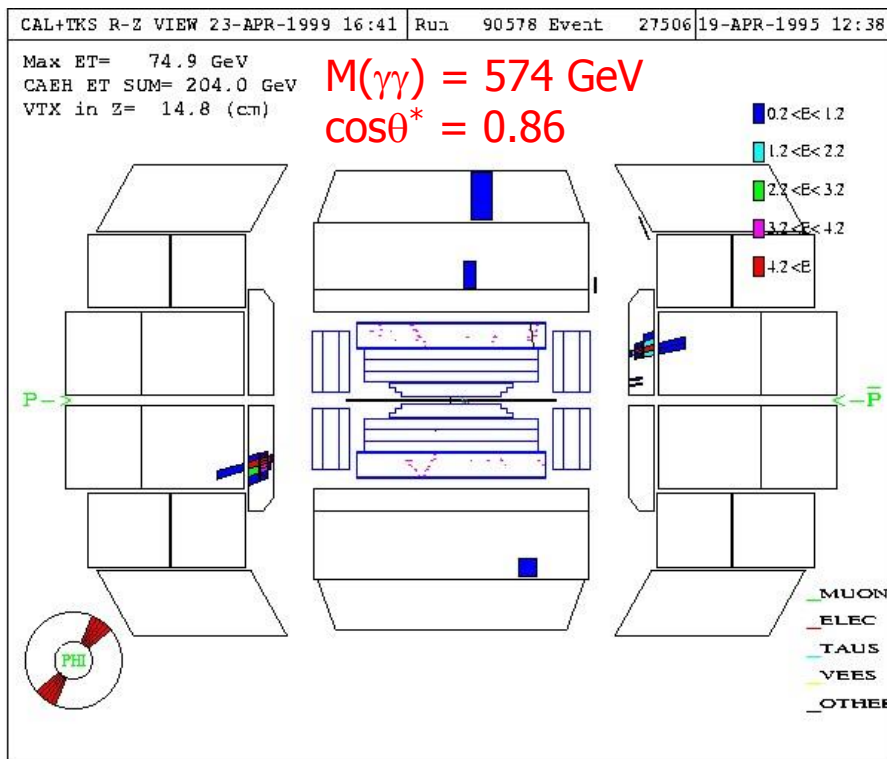


- High-mass, low  $|\cos\theta|$  tail is a characteristic signature of LED
- 2-dimensional method resolves this tail from the high-mass, high  $|\cos\theta|$  tail due to collinear divergencies in the SM diphoton production
- No excess of events is seen at high masses and low scattering angles, where the signal is expected to exhibit itself





# High-Mass Candidate Events



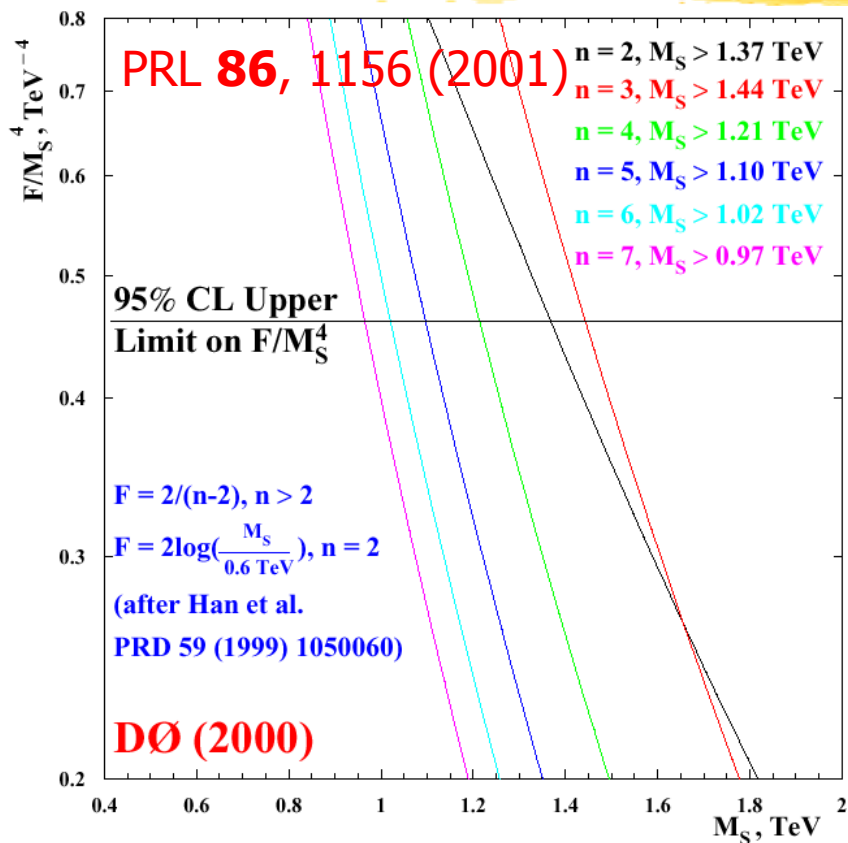
Parameters of the two high-mass candidate events:

Run	Event	Z <sub>vtx</sub>	ME <sub>T</sub>	Type	E <sub>T</sub> <sup>1</sup>	E <sub>T</sub> <sup>2</sup>	η <sub>1</sub>	η <sub>2</sub>	M	cosθ*	N <sub>jet</sub>	P <sub>T</sub> -kick
90578	27506	3.6 cm	15 GeV	γγ	81 GeV	81 GeV	1.98	-1.91	575 GeV	0.86	0	11.7 GeV
84582	11674	-34 cm	15 GeV	ee	134 GeV	132 GeV	0.99	-1.59	520 GeV	0.84	0	18.8 GeV





# DØ Limits on Large Extra Dimensions



	Run II, 2 fb <sup>-1</sup>	Run II, 20 fb <sup>-1</sup>	LHC, 100 fb <sup>-1</sup>
$e^+e^- + \mu^+\mu^-$	1.3-1.9 TeV	1.7-2.7 TeV	6.5-10 TeV
$\gamma\gamma$	1.5-2.4 TeV	2.0-3.4 TeV	7.5-12 TeV
$e^+e^- + \mu^+\mu^- + \gamma\gamma$	1.5-2.5 TeV	2.1-3.5 TeV	7.9-13 TeV

- For  $n > 2$   $M_S$  limits can be obtained directly from  $\eta$  limits
- For  $n = 2$ , use average  $\hat{s}$  for gravity contribution ( $\langle \hat{s} \rangle = 0.36 \text{ TeV}^2$ , [Cheung/GL, PRD **62**, 076003 (2000)])
- Translate limits in the Hewett and GRW frameworks for easy comparison with other experiments:
  - $M_S(\text{Hewett}) > 1.1 \text{ TeV}$  and  $1.0 \text{ TeV}$  ( $\lambda = -1$ )
  - $\Lambda_T(\text{GRW}) > 1.2 \text{ TeV}$
- These limits are similar to the latest preliminary limits from LEP2
- They are complementary to those from LEP2, as they probe different range of energies
- Looking forward for limits from the CDF DY and diphoton analyses ( $M_S \sim 0.9\text{-}1.0 \text{ TeV}$ ), utilizing the same technique
- Sensitivity is limited by statistics; it will double (in terms of  $M_S$ ) in Run IIA (2 fb<sup>-1</sup>) and triple in Run IIB (20 fb<sup>-1</sup>)

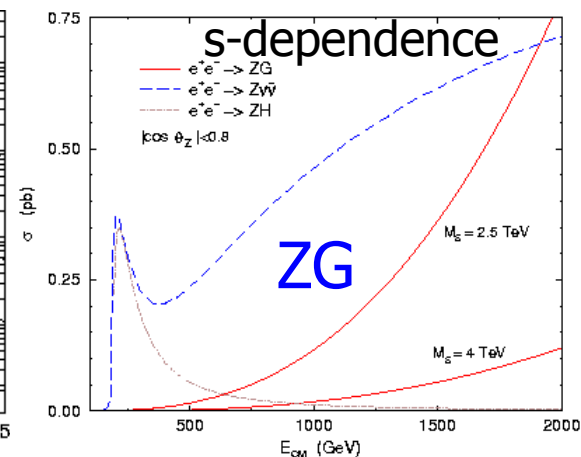
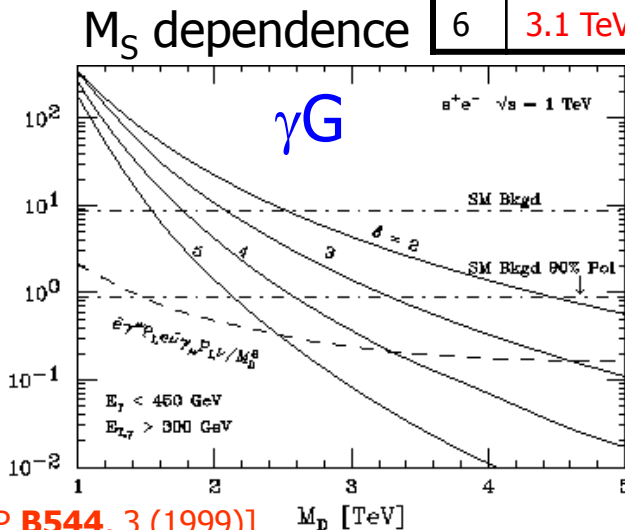
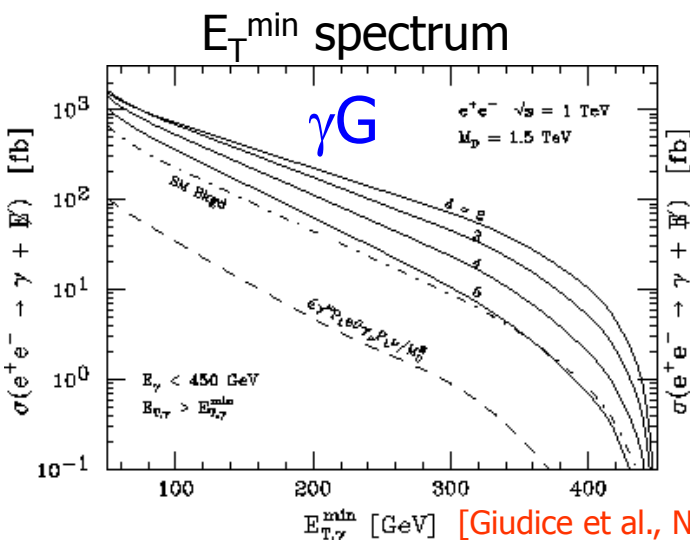


# Real Graviton Emission at the NLC

$e^+e^- \rightarrow \gamma G/ZG$

- Similar to LEP2 Studies
- Polarization helps to reduce SM backgrounds
- Low background gives an edge above LHC
- Giudice, Rattazzi, Wells, NP **B544**, 3 (1999)
- Mirabelli, Perelstein, Peskin, PRL **82**, 2236 (1999)
- Cheung, Keung, PR **D60**, 112003 (1999)
- Many others...

	$M_S$ reach 200 fb <sup>-1</sup> Giudice	$M_S$ reach ? fb <sup>-1</sup> Mirabelli	$M_S$ reach 50 fb <sup>-1</sup> Cheung
n	1 TeV, P = 90%, $\gamma G$		1 TeV, P=0, $\gamma G/ZG$
2	7.7 TeV	5.7 TeV	4.5 TeV 3.2-4.2 TeV
3	X	4.0 TeV	X
4		3.0 TeV	
5		2.4 TeV	
6	3.1 TeV		



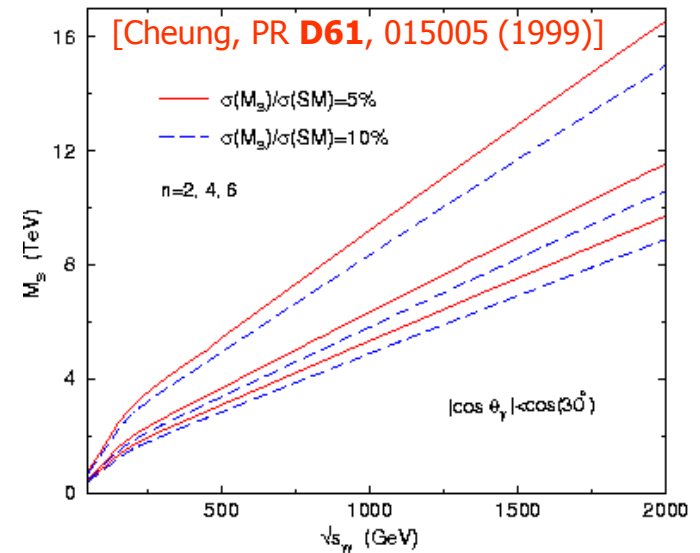
[Cheung et al., PR **D60**, 11203 (1999)]



# Virtual Graviton Effects at the NLC

✚  $e^+e^- \rightarrow \gamma\gamma, ff, WW, ZZ$ , etc.

- ✚ Similar to LEP2 Studies
- ✚ Polarization helps to reduce SM backgrounds
- ✚ Sensitivity comparable to that at the LHC
- ✚ Hewett, Phys. Rev. Lett. **82**, 4765 (1999)
- ✚ Giudice, Rattazzi, Wells, NP **B544**, 3 (1999)
- ✚ Rizzo, Phys. Rev. **D59**, 115010 (1999)
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  - ✚ Many others...



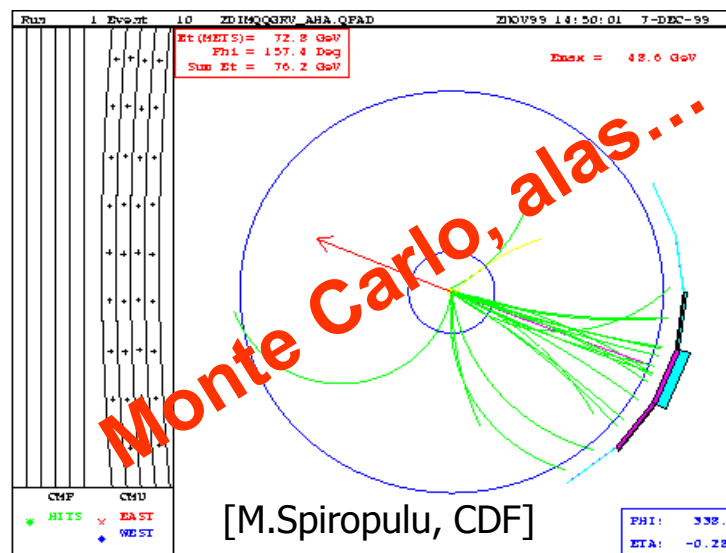
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Luminosity	200 fb <sup>-1</sup>	? fb <sup>-1</sup>	100-500 fb <sup>-1</sup>	10 fb <sup>-1</sup>	200 fb <sup>-1</sup>
$\gamma\gamma$		3.8 TeV		3.5-4.0 TeV	
$ff$	6.0-7.0 TeV		6.0-7.5 TeV		
$\gamma\gamma \rightarrow ff$			3.5-4.5 TeV		
Compton					~ 6 TeV



# Hadron Colliders: Real Graviton Emission

✚  $q\bar{q}/gg \rightarrow q/gG_{KK}$

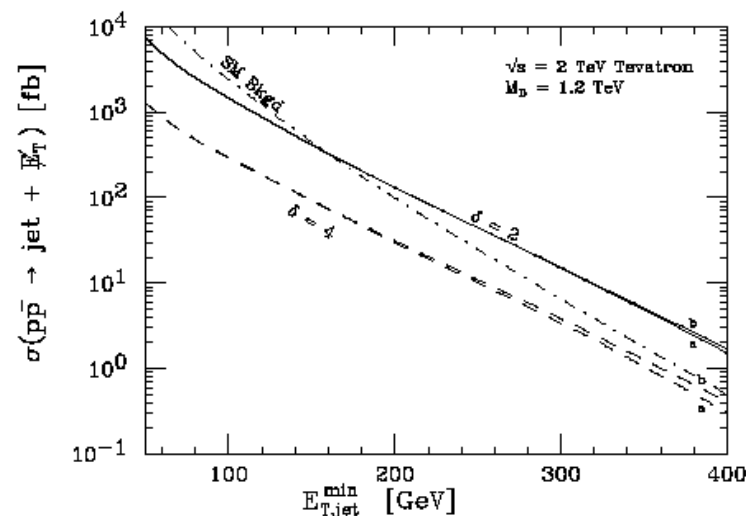
- ✚ jets +  $ME_T$  final state
- ✚  $Z(\nu\nu)$ +jets is irreducible background
- ✚ Important instrumental backgrounds from jet mismeasurement, cosmics, etc.
- ✚ Both CDF and DØ are pursuing this search



## Theory:

[Giudice, Rattazzi, Wells, Nucl. Phys. **B544**, 3 (1999) and corrected version, hep-ph/9811291]

[Mirabelli, Perelstein, Peskin, PRL **82**, 2236 (1999)]



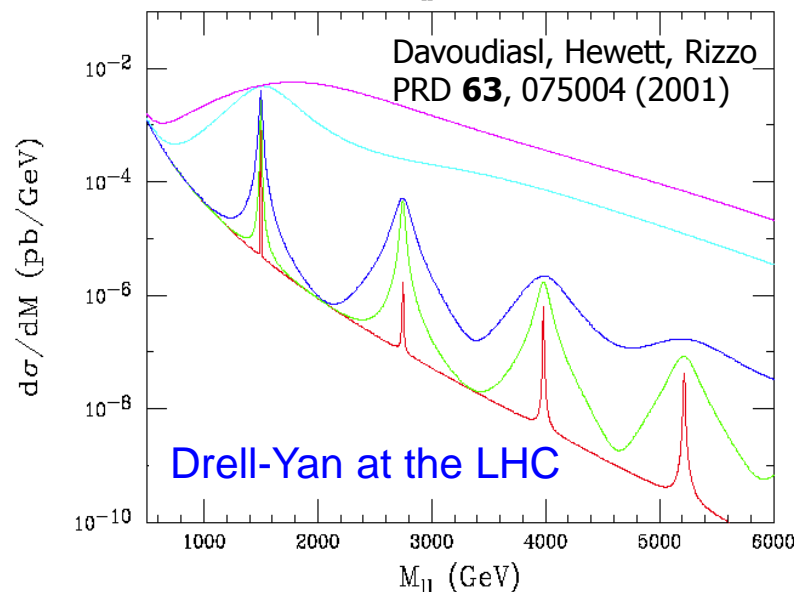
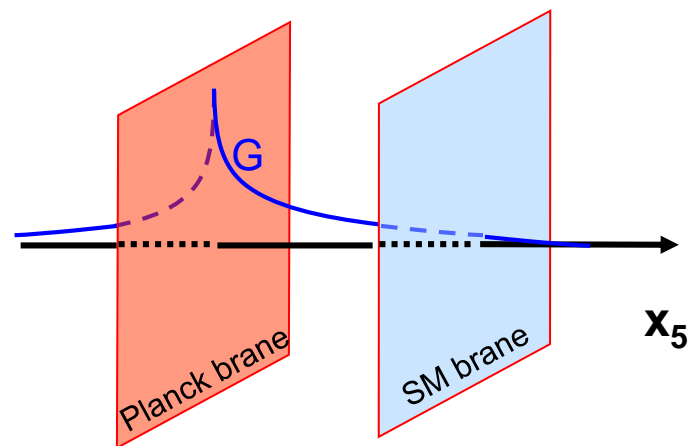
n	$M_S$ reach, Run I	$M_S$ reach, Run II	$M_S$ reach, LHC 100 fb <sup>-1</sup>
2	1100 GeV	1400 GeV	8.5 TeV
3	950 GeV	1150 GeV	6.8 TeV
4	850 GeV	1000 GeV	5.8 TeV
5	700 GeV	900 GeV	5.0 TeV

Note that the sensitivity estimates are optimistic, as they ignore copious instrumental backgrounds.



# New Ripples in Extra Dimensions

- ✚ Randall-Sundrum (RS) scenario [PRL **83**, 3370 (1999); PRL **83**, 4690 (1999)]
  - ✚ Gravity can be localized near a brane due to the non-factorizable geometry of a 5-dimensional space
  - ✚ + brane (RS) – no low energy effects
  - ✚ +- branes (RS) – TeV Kaluza-Klein modes of gauge bosons
  - ✚ ++ branes (Lykken-Randall) – low energy collider phenomenology, similar to ADD with  $n=6$
  - ✚ -+- branes (Gregory-Rubakov-Sibiryakov) – infinite volume extra dimensions, possible cosmological effects
  - ✚ +-+ branes (Kogan et al.) – very light KK state, low energy collider phenomenology







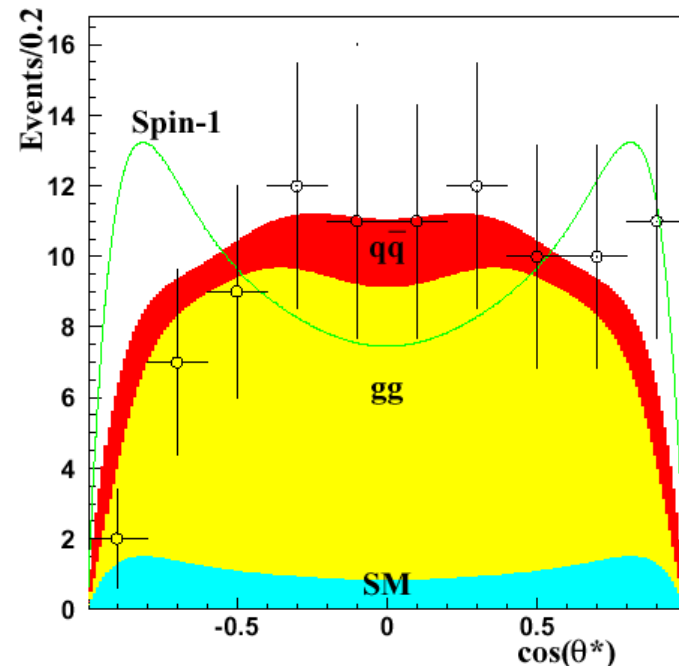
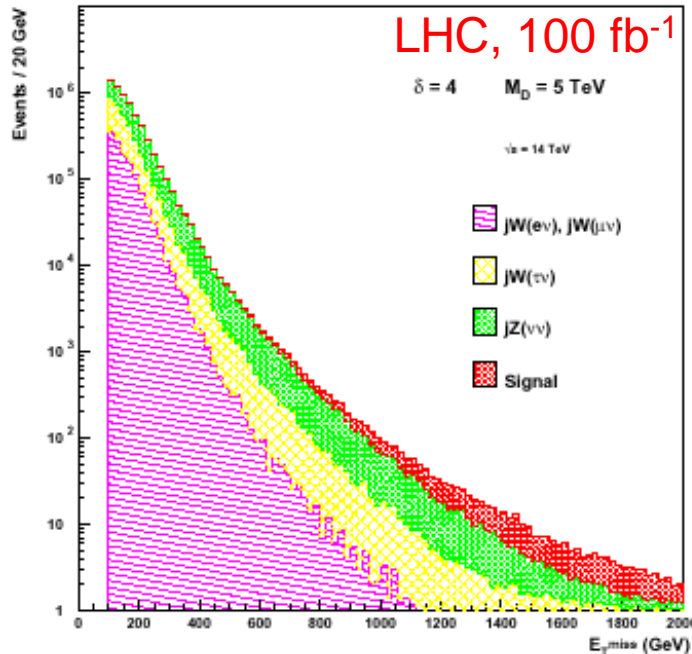
# LHC: Designated Studies

ADD ATLAS studies:  
Vacavant & Hinchliff [ATL-PHYS-2000-016]

- ✚  $M_S > 4\text{--}7.5\text{ TeV}$  ( $n=2$ )
- ✚  $M_S > 4.5\text{--}5.9\text{ TeV}$  ( $n=3$ )
- ✚  $M_S > 5\text{ TeV}$  ( $n=4$ )
- ✚ In agreement with GRW/MPP predictions)
- ✚ Similar sensitivity is achieved w/ monophotons

✚ RS ATLAS studies:  
Allanach/Odagiri/Parker/Webber  
[JHEP 09, 19 (2000)]

- ✚  $G \rightarrow e^+e^-$
- ✚  $M_G > 2\text{ TeV}$





# New Ripples in Extra Dimensions (cont'd)

- Intermediate-size “longitudinal” extra dimensions with  $\sim \text{TeV}^{-1}$  radius

Antoniadis/Benaklis/Quiros

[PL **B460**, 176 (1999)]

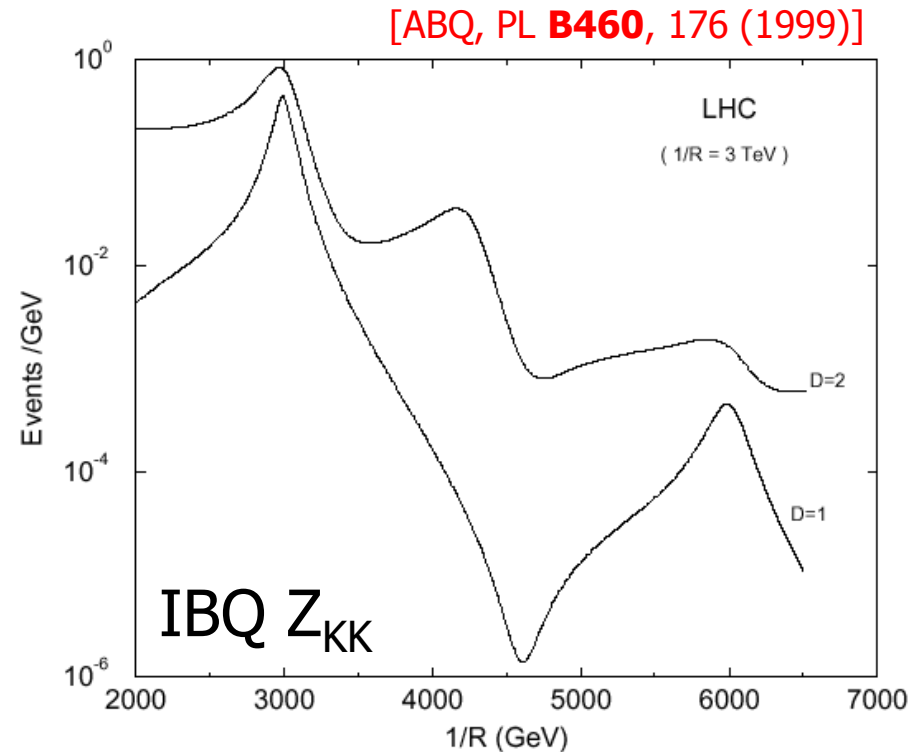
- SM gauge bosons can propagate in these extra dimensions
- Expect  $Z_{KK}$ ,  $W_{KK}$ ,  $g_{KK}$  resonances
- Effects also will be seen in the virtual exchange of the Kaluza-Klein modes of vector bosons at lower energies

- Time-like extra dimensions

Dvali/Gabadadze/Senjanovic

[hep-ph/9910207]

- tachionic  $G_{KK}$ , possible to solve hierarchy problem, cosmological effects





# Stringy Models

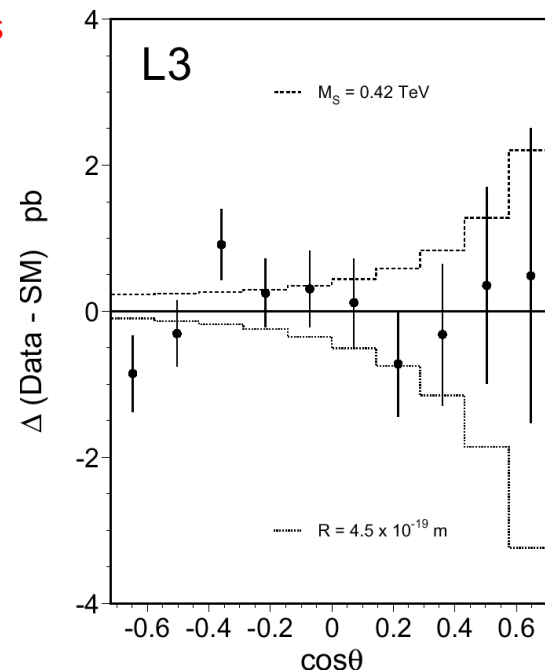
- Recent attempts to **embed the idea of large extra dimensions in string models**:

Shiu/Shrock/Tye [Phys. Lett. B **458**, 274 (1999)]

- Type I string theory on a  $Z_n$  orbifold
- Consider resulting **twisted moduli fields** which sit on the fixed points of the orbifolds and their effects on  $gg \rightarrow gg$  scattering
- These fields **acquire mass  $\sim 1$  TeV** due to SUSY breaking, and their **coupling with the bulk fields is suppressed by the volume factor**
- Since they couple to gravitons, these fields **can produce bulk KK modes** of the latter
- Current **sensitivity** to the string scale,  $M_S$ , from CDF/DØ dijet data is  **$\sim 1$  TeV**

Cullen/Perelstein/Peskin, [Phys. Rev. D **62**, 055012 (2000)]

- Embed QED into **Type IIB string theory** with  $n=6$
- Calculate **corrections to  $e^+e^- \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$  and Bhabha scattering** due to string Regge excitations
- L3 has set limit  **$M_S > 0.57$  TeV @ 95% CL**
- Also calculate  **$e^+e^-, gg \rightarrow \gamma G$  cross section**
- Another observable effect is a **resonance in  $q\bar{q} \rightarrow g^*$  at  $M_S$**





# Black Hole Production

- ✦ Once the **c.m. energy exceeds the compactification scale**,  $M_S$ , a critical energy density is achieved and the black hole is formed
- ✦ **Not to worry** about the Earth being sucked into such a black hole; they should be constantly formed by cosmic rays
- ✦ The temperature of such a black hole is:  

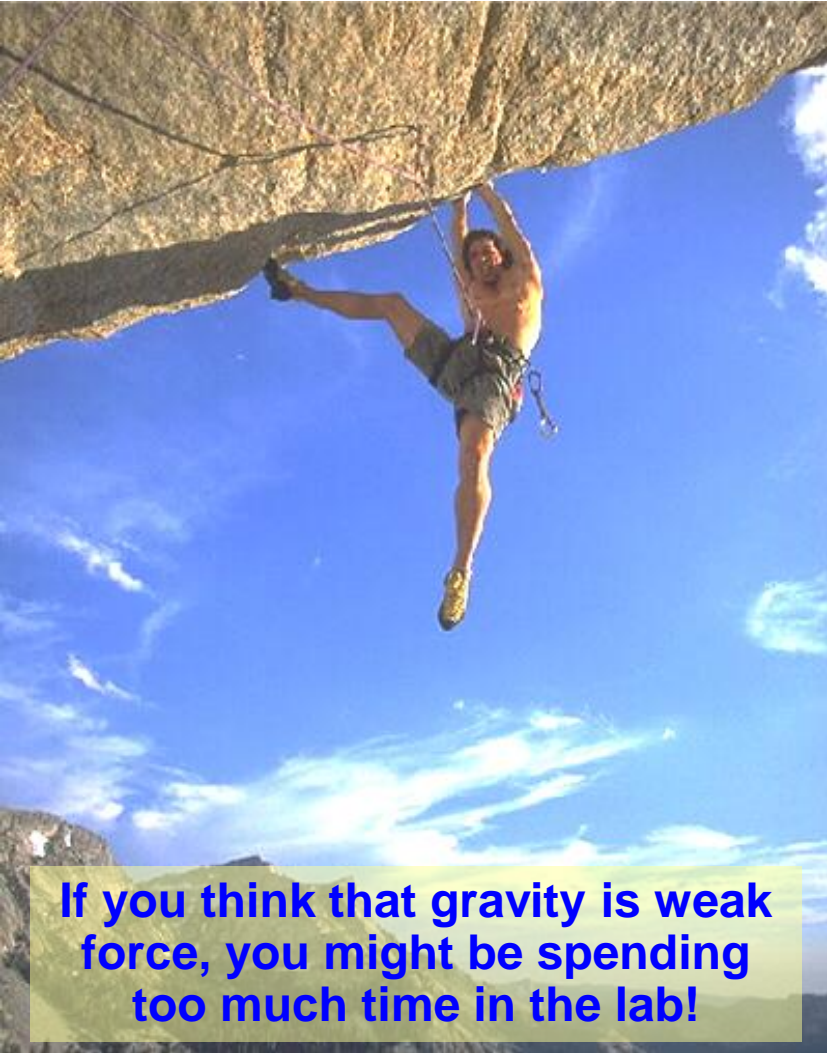
$$T = M_{\text{Pl}}^2/M \rightarrow M_S^2/M \times O(M/M_S) \sim M_S$$
- ✦ For  $M_S \sim T = 1 \text{ TeV}$ , the **black body spectrum peaks at 250 GeV**, and therefore the BH technically evaporates by emitting a single energetic photon – not quite a black body!
- ✦ Moreover, the **lifetime** of such a black hole is only  $\sim 10^{-29} \text{ s}$
- ✦ The **Scwartzchild radius** of such a black hole is  $\sim 1/M_S$ , i.e. it's  $\sim$  **de Broglie wavelength**; it's not clear if one could even consider such an object as a bound state
- ✦ Other possibility is **evaporation in the bulk via  $G_{KK}$** , in which case the signature is a **deficit of high-s events**
  - ✦ At a hadron collider it's **easy to tweak p.d.f.** to account for such a deficit
  - ✦ At a lepton collider **it's hard to establish that the beams have not missed each other** in one of the better established spatial dimensions
  - ✦ **Unlikely due to the s-wave dominance** [Empanan, Horowitz, Mayer, PRL **85**, 499 (2000)]
- ✦ Interesting possibility for a black hole is to have a **color 'hair' that holds it to our brane**; if the color quantum number is conserved, the black hole could be metastable and live seconds or even days before it decays in a large number of hadrons
  - ✦ Look for **events not in time with the accelerator clock with such a distinct signature** (Dvali, GL, Matchev)



# Conclusions

- ✚ “To be able to practice five things everywhere under heaven constitutes perfect virtue... [They are] **gravity, generosity of soul, sincerity, earnestness, and kindness.**”

Confucius, *The Confucian Analects*



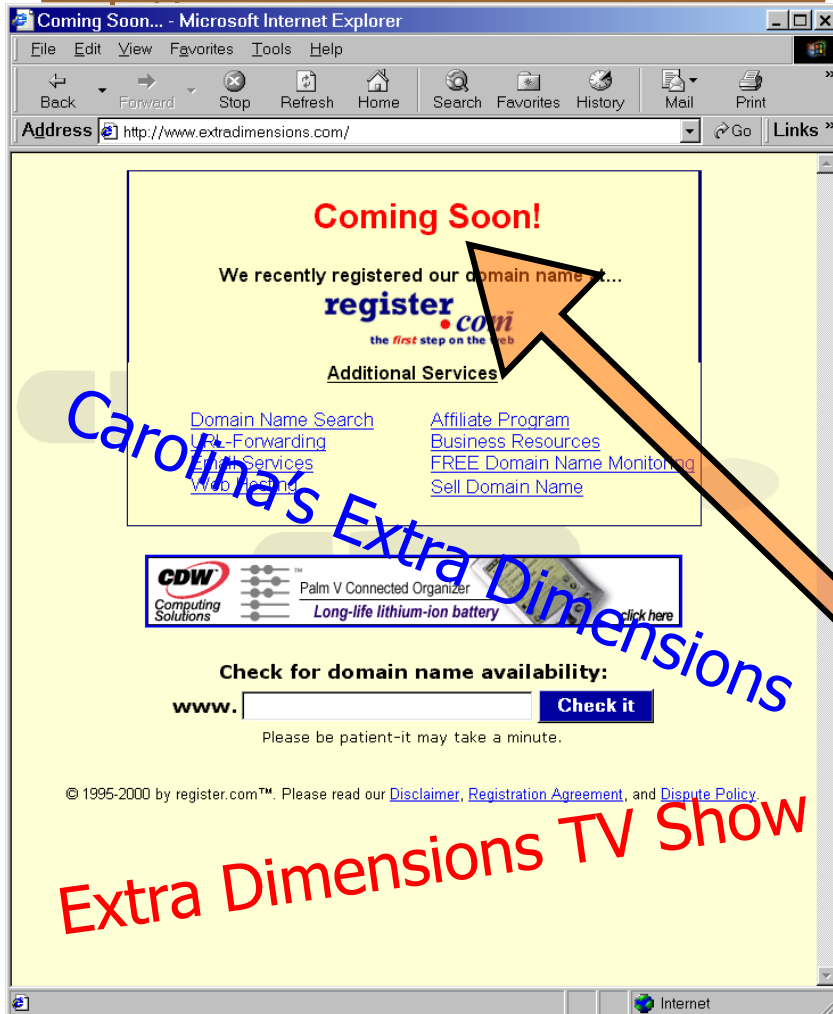
If you think that gravity is weak force, you might be spending too much time in the lab!





# Conclusions: Second Try

<http://www.extradimensions.com>



On 2/15/00 patent 6,025,810 was issued to David Strom for a "hyper-light-speed antenna." The concept is deceptively simple: "The present invention takes a transmission of energy, and instead of sending it through normal time and space, it pokes a small hole into another dimension, thus sending the energy through a place which allows transmission of energy to exceed the speed of light." According to the patent, this portal "allows energy from another dimension to accelerate plant growth." - from the AIP's "What's New", 3/17/00

Stay tuned – next generation of collider experiments has a good chance to solve the mystery of large extra dimensions!