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STABLE BEAMS declared

ATLAS at the dawn of Run2

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Detector
Operation

Trigger

Computing
& Software

Data
Preparation

Physics



LHC Timeline

very eventful period

Start LHC commissioning with beam

Scrubbing for 50 ns operation

	Apr							May							June										
Wk	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
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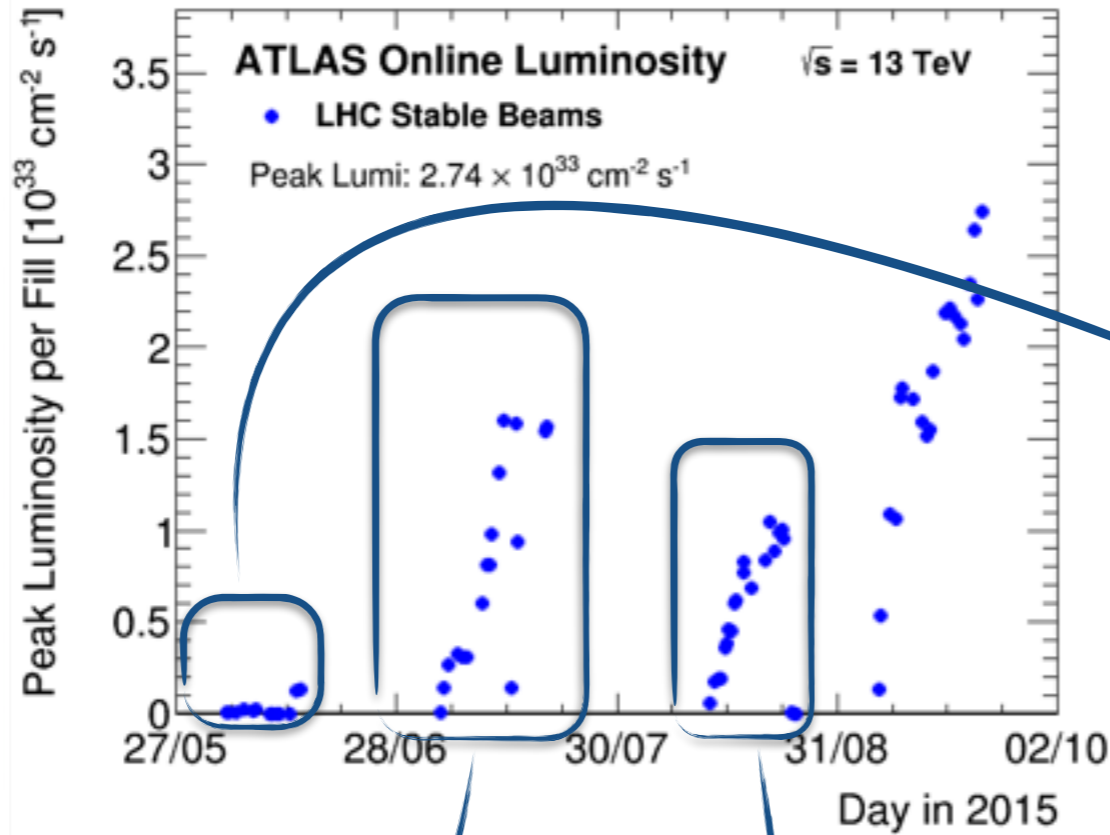


LHC Timeline

Start LHC commissioning with beam

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Scrubbing for 50 ns operation

June

Wk	23	24	25	26
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Scrubbing for 25 ns operation

July

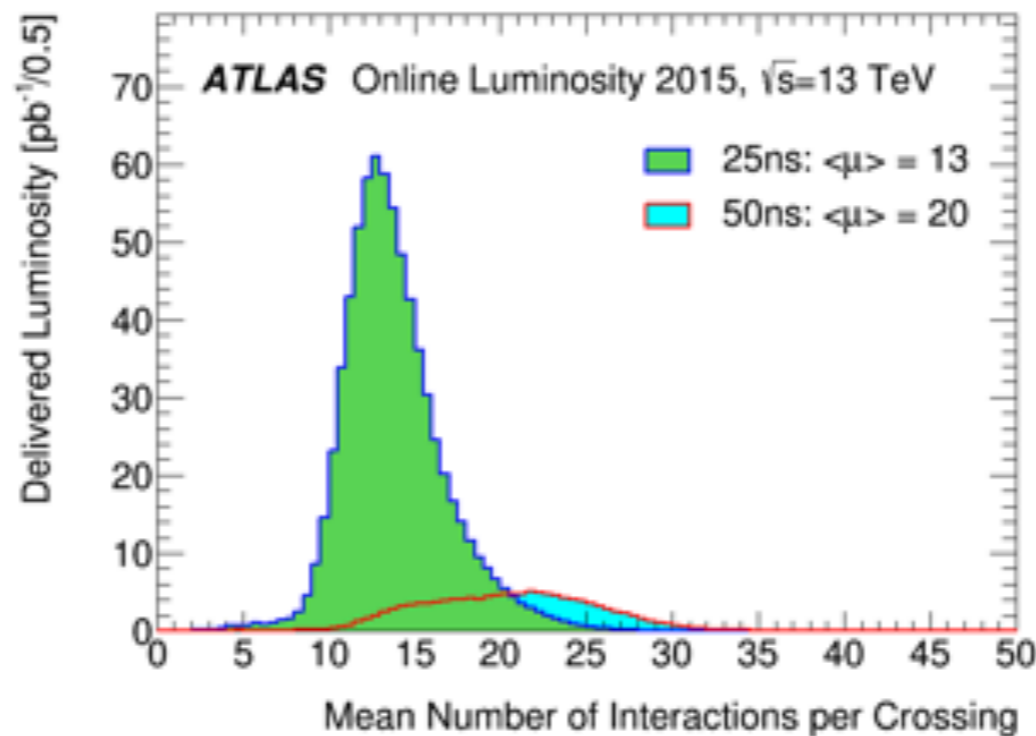
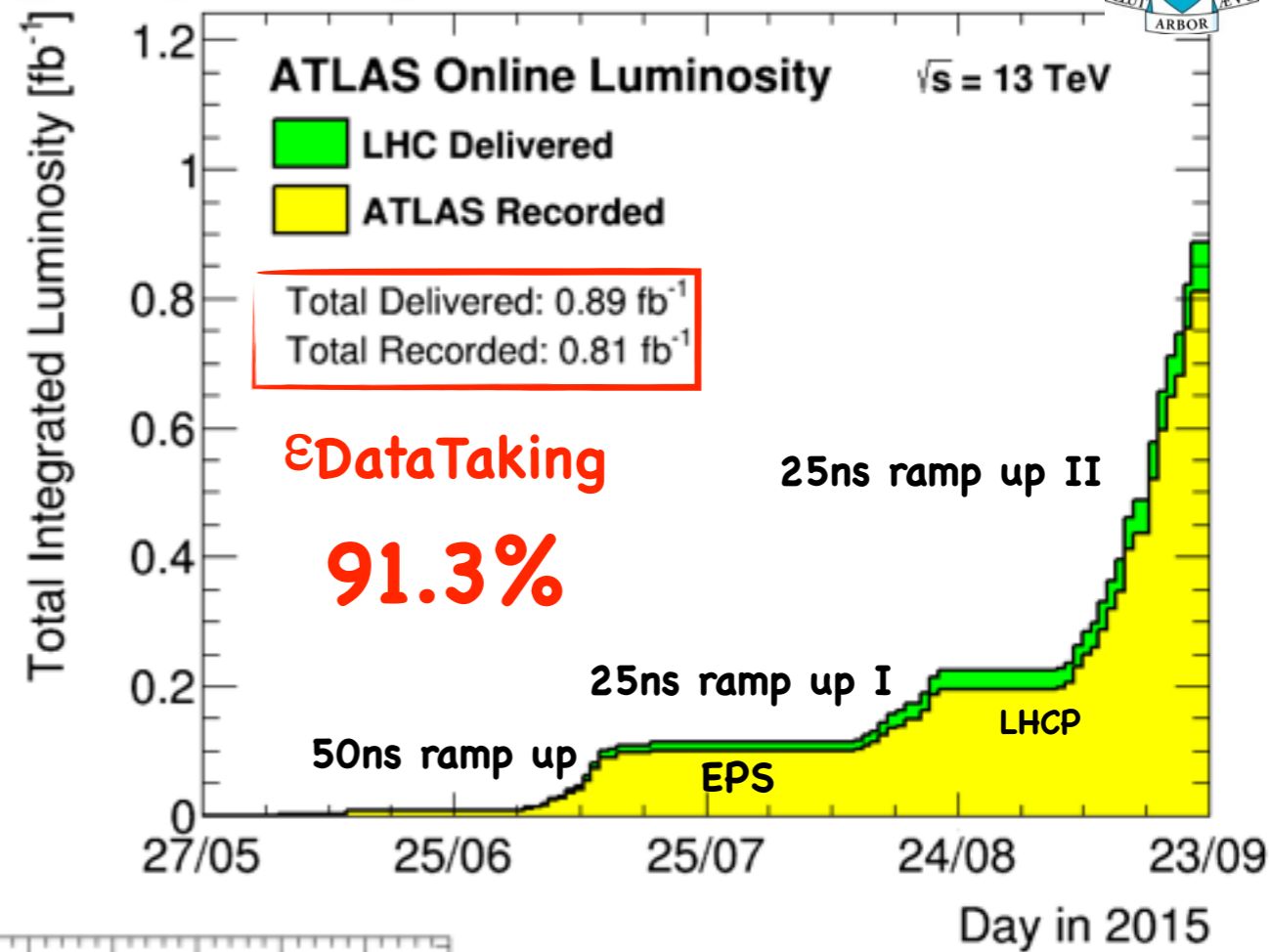
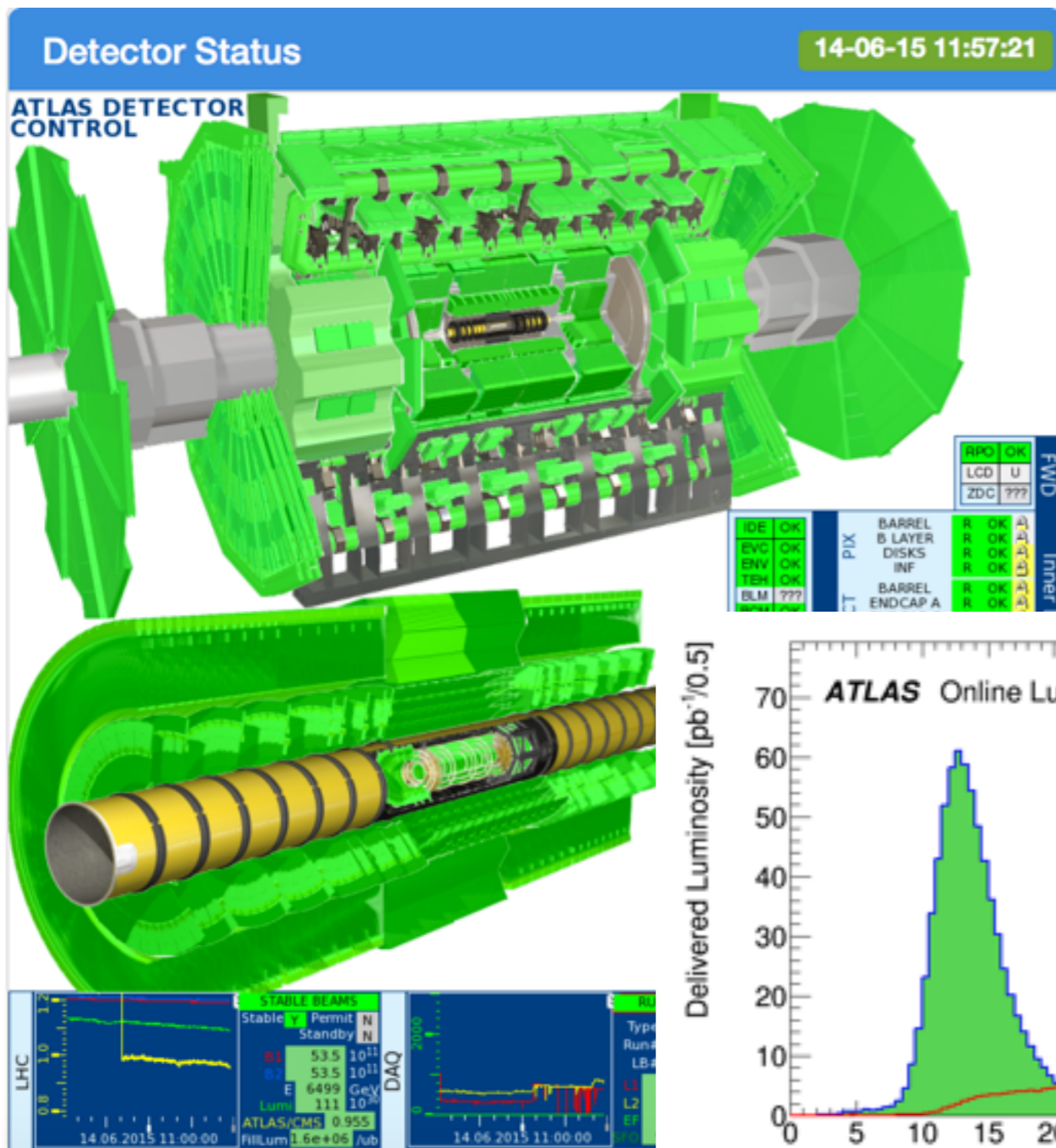
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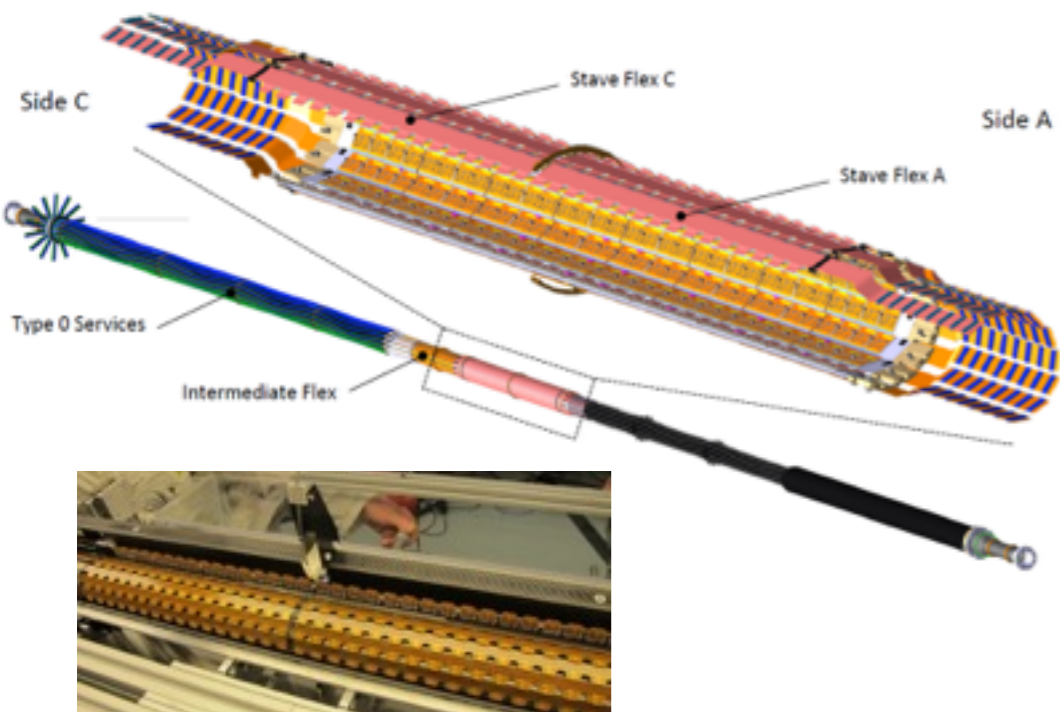


ATLAS Status



- μ values still similar to Run1 values
- EPS and LHCP datasets ~ 100 pb⁻¹ each
- early lumi systematics from LHCf run ... **9%**

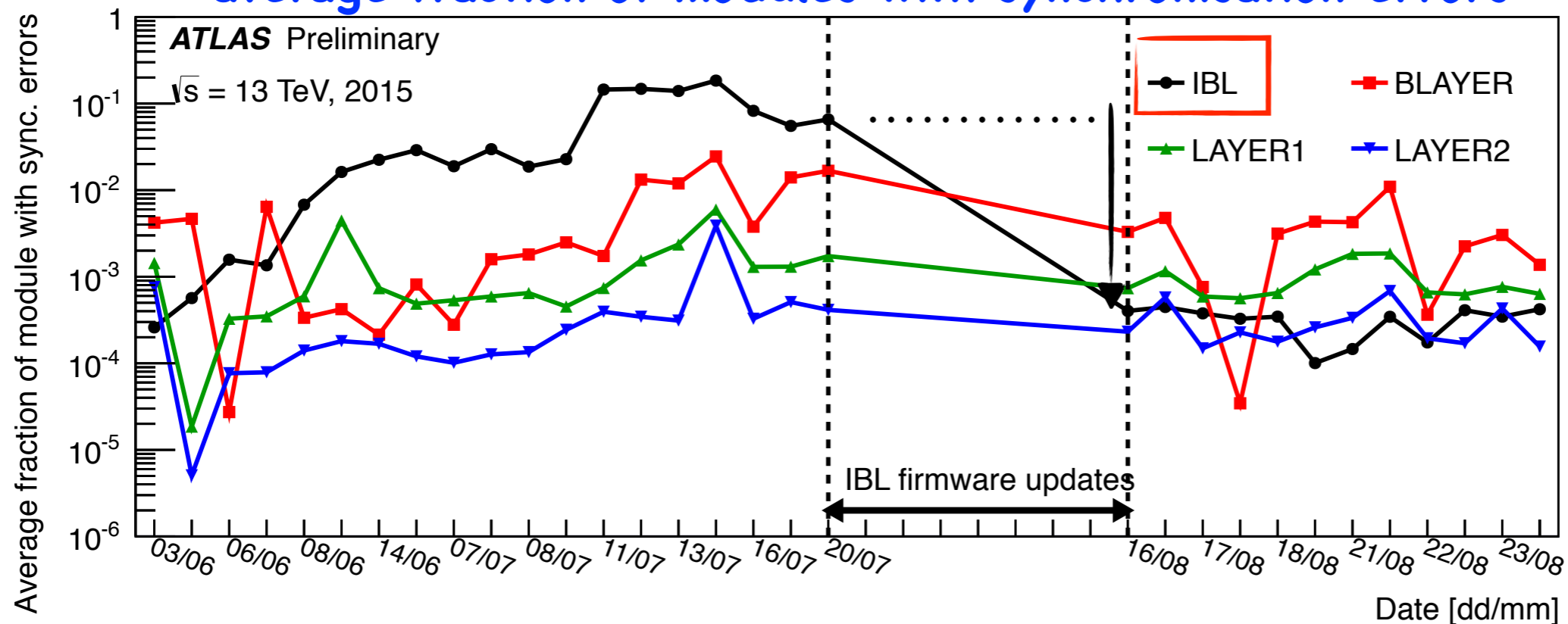
Inner Detector



- Pixel/IBL operational since Week1
- **IBL significantly improves the performance** of the Pixel
- operational stability thanks to firmware upgrades and mainly before 25 ns runs (3 order of magnitude less errors)

IBL = the 4th and innermost Pixel layer installed in LS1

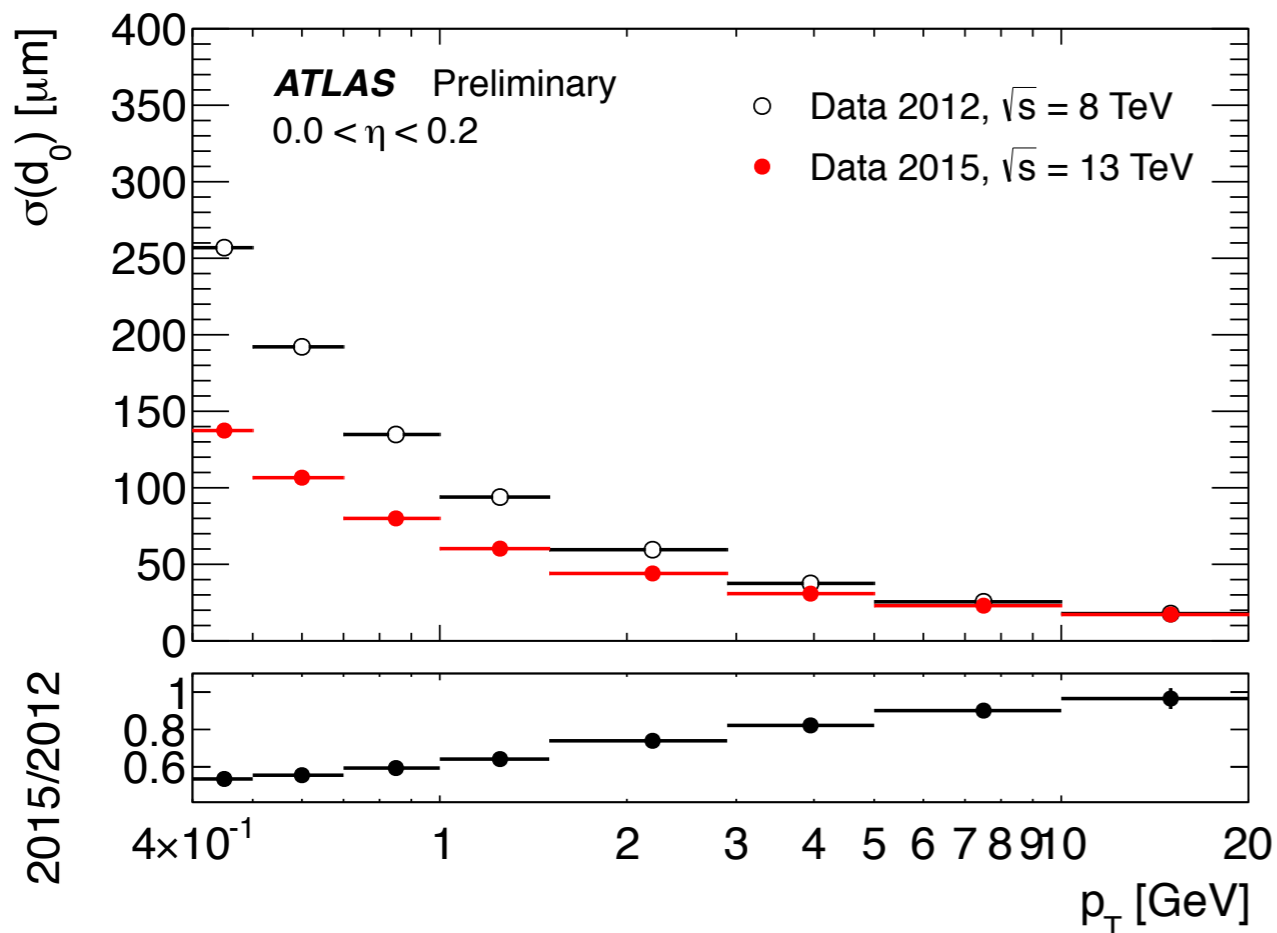
average fraction of modules with synchronisation errors



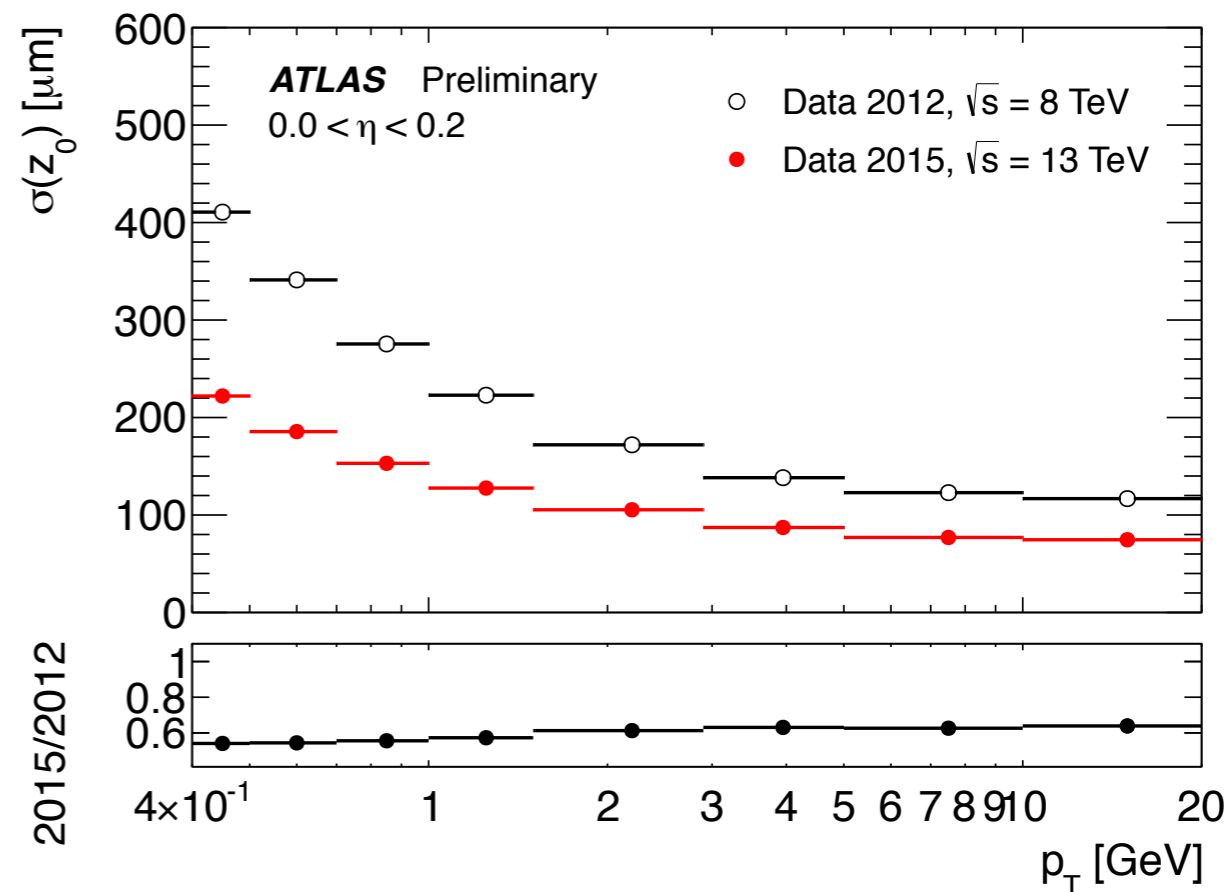
SCT and **TRT** are operating smoothly and are preparing for high μ runs



Tracking

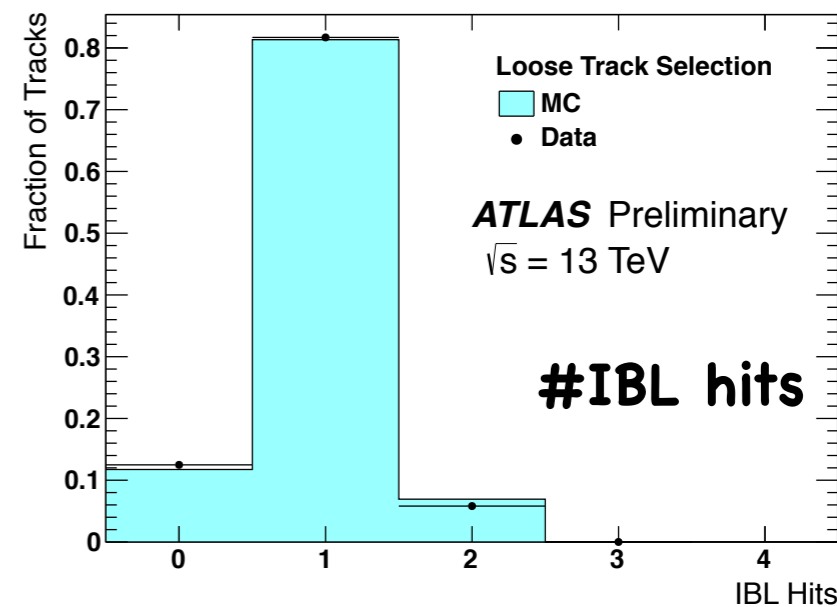


transverse impact parameter resolution
in 2015 (+IBL) and 2012



longitudinal impact parameter resolution
in 2015 (+IBL) and 2012

- large gain in resolution through IBL
- generally good agreement between data and MC





Calorimetry

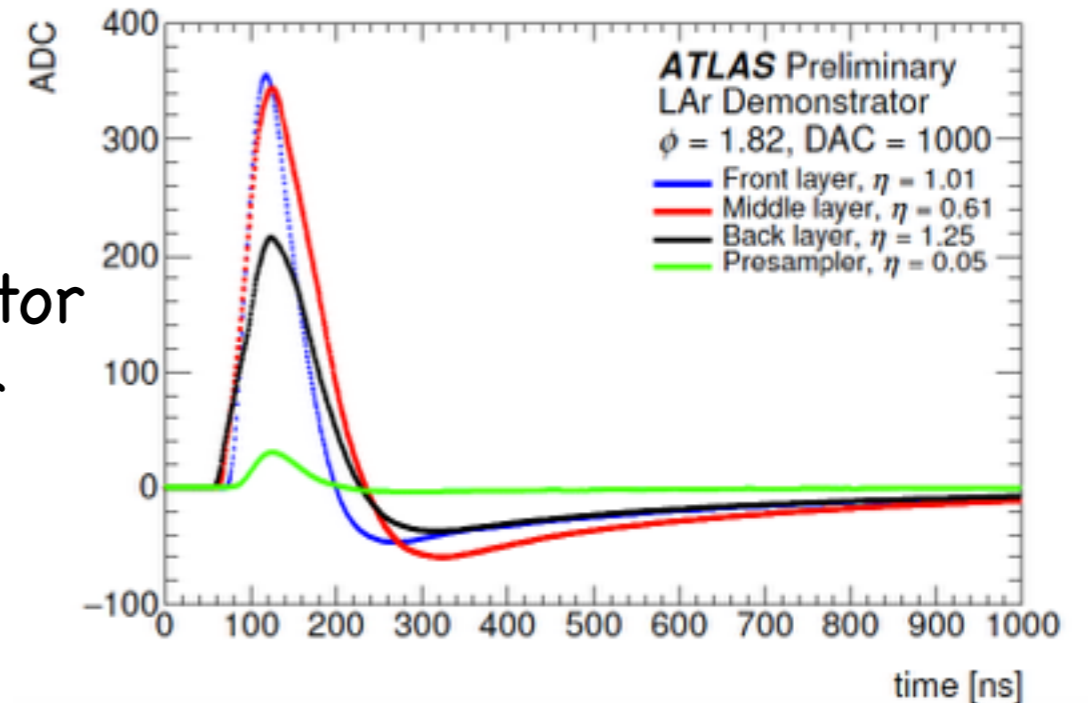
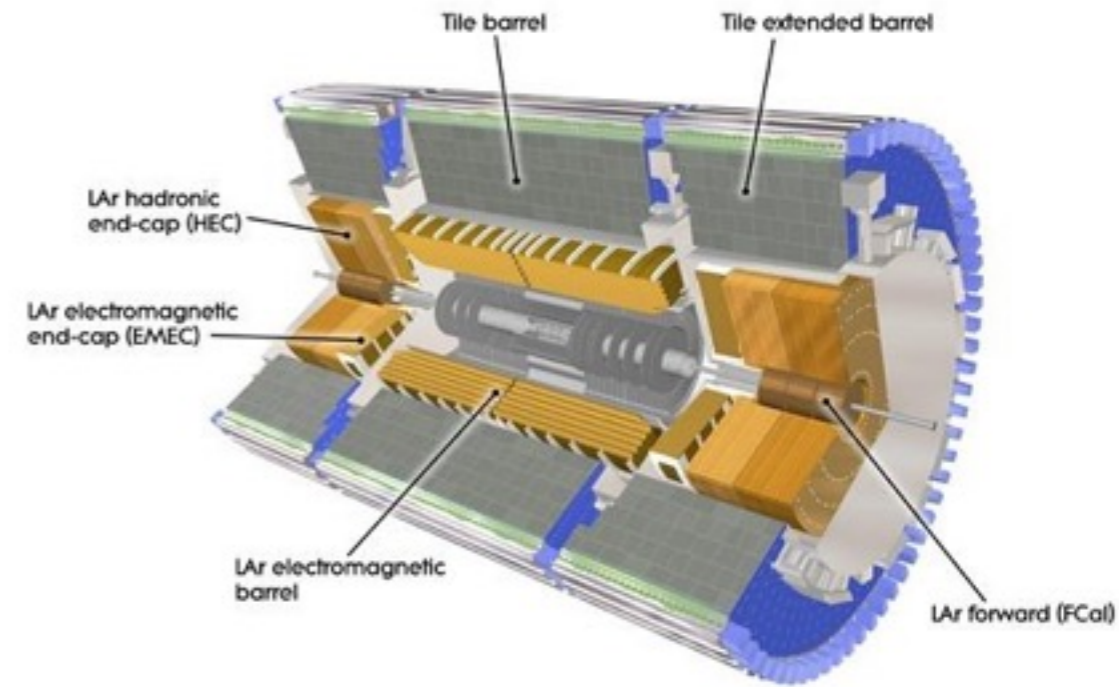
- very smooth operations for 50 and 25ns

- **LAr:**

- noise burst flagging running @ HLT level (very energetic with high Q factor over a few μs , looked up in a 100ms sliding window)
- LAr Phase-I trigger upgrade demonstrator boards ($1.767 < \phi < 2.160$, $|\eta| < 1.4$, super cells record data) installed

- **Tile:**

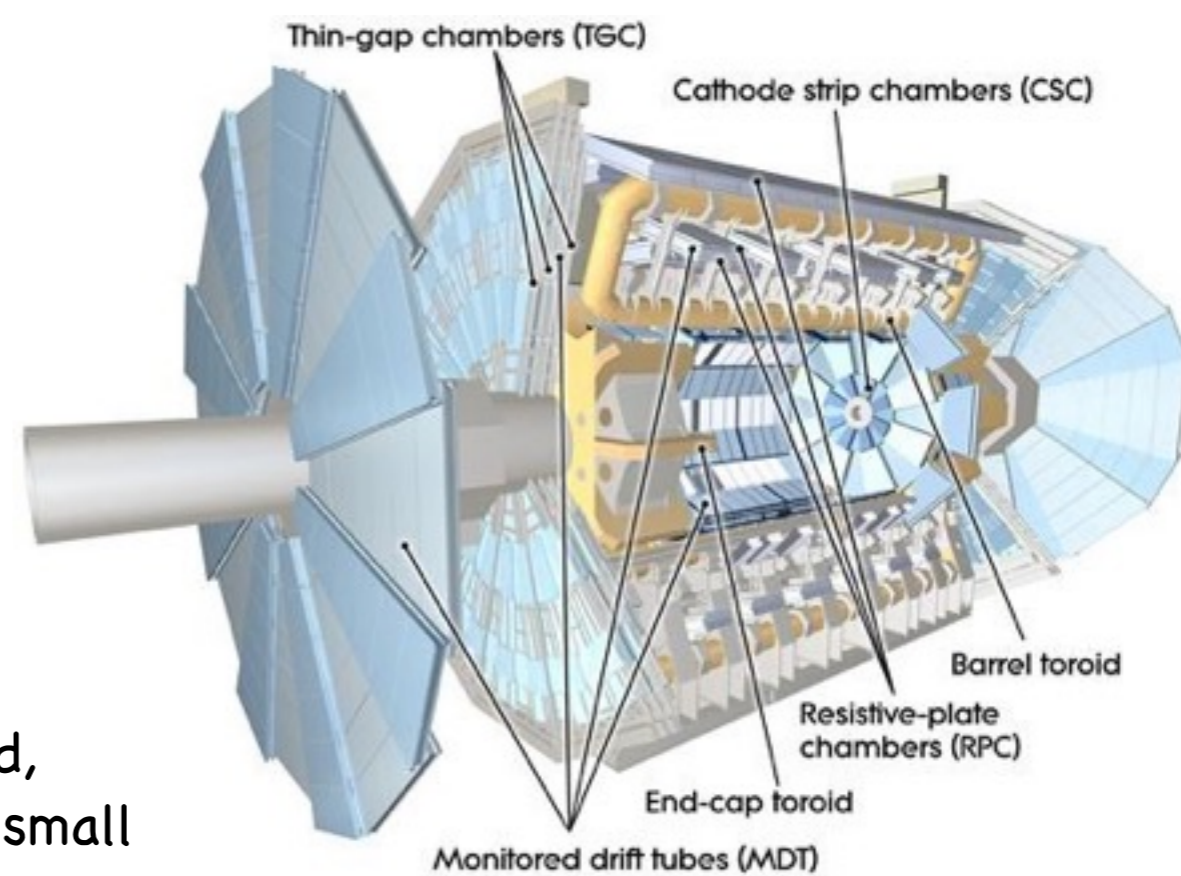
- no LVPS trips (unlike in Run1), 2 dead modules
- Using all calibration systems to preserve the scale
- new MBTS counters were inter-calibrated based on the minimum bias current measurements from Tile



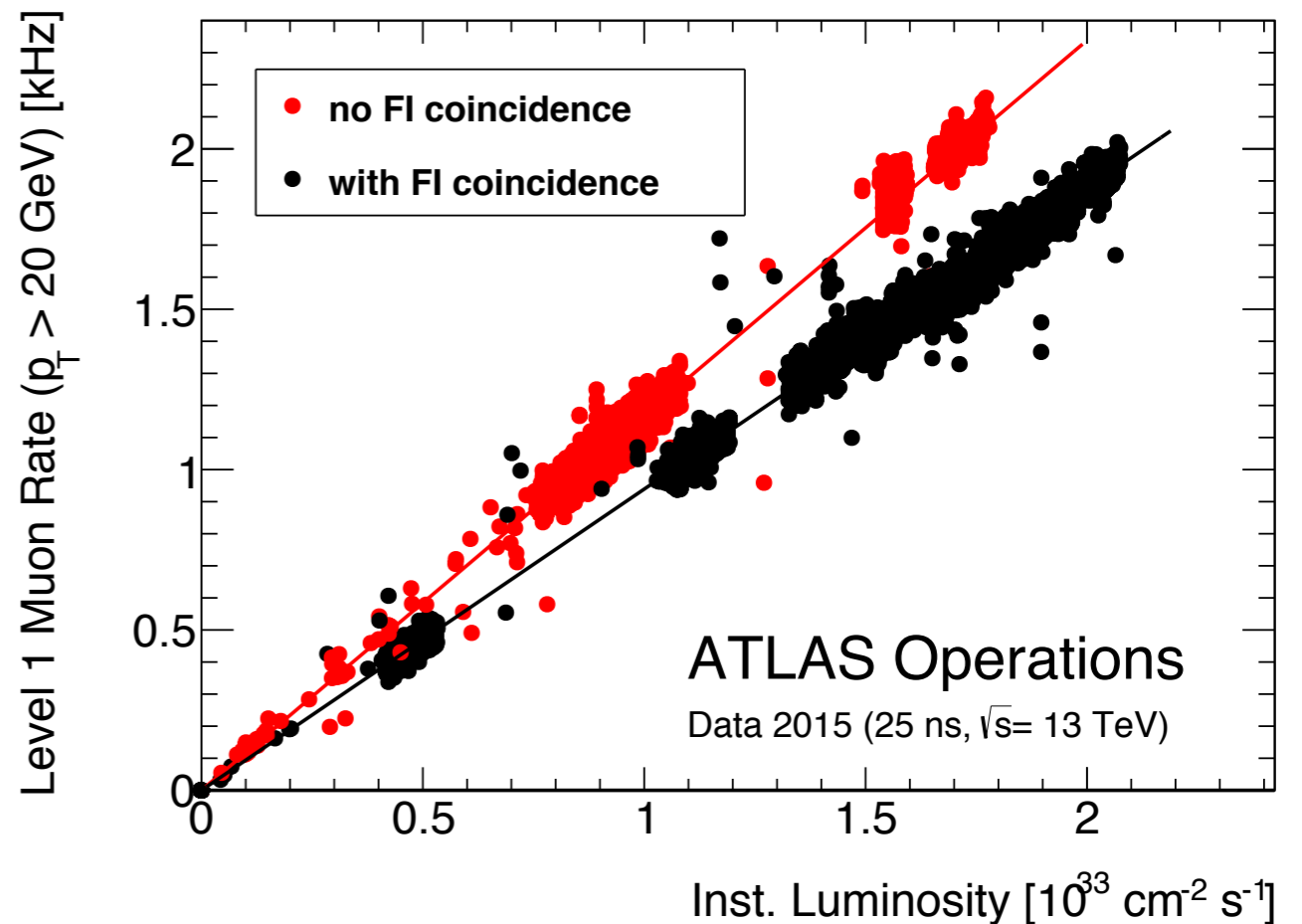
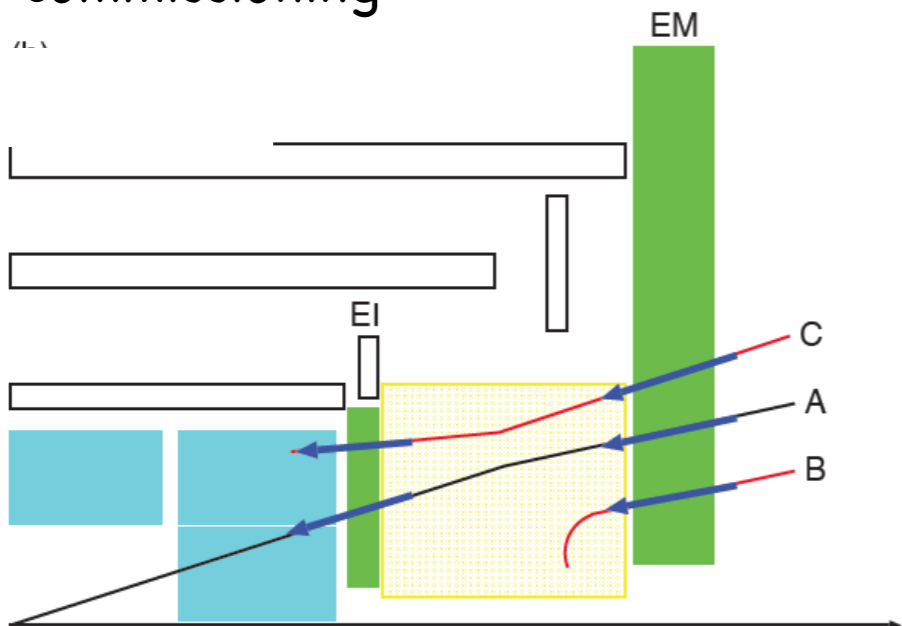


Muons

- alignment performed with toroid magnet off
 - 30M muon tracks collected (target resolution of **10% @ 1 TeV**)
 - initial alignment from July available
- overall performance of the muon systems is very good, operational teams are focusing on troubleshooting of small issues
- **TGC** deployed the inner coincidence (reduction of muon trigger rates in the ECs.)

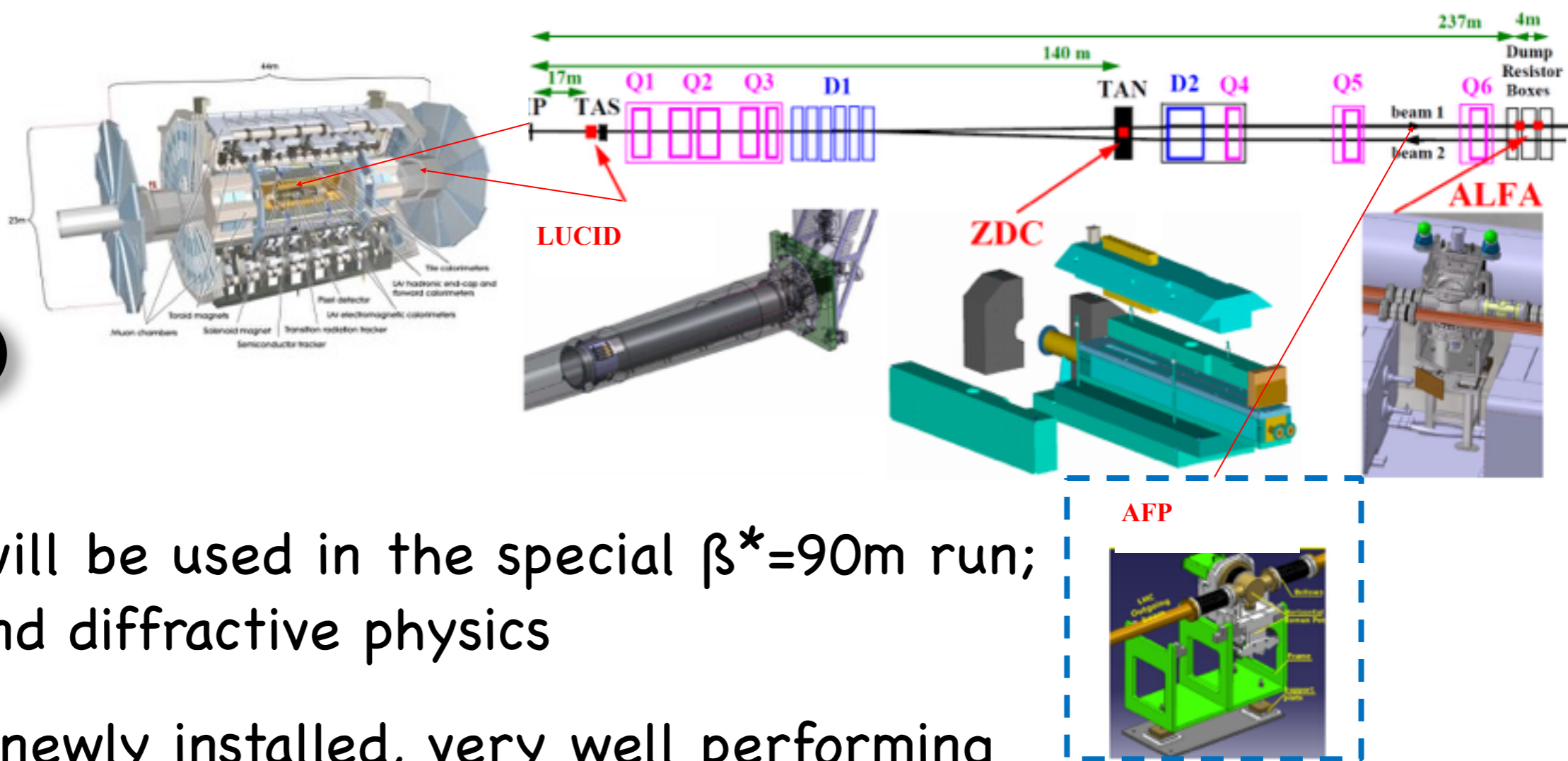


- additional Tile-muon coincidence under commissioning





FWD

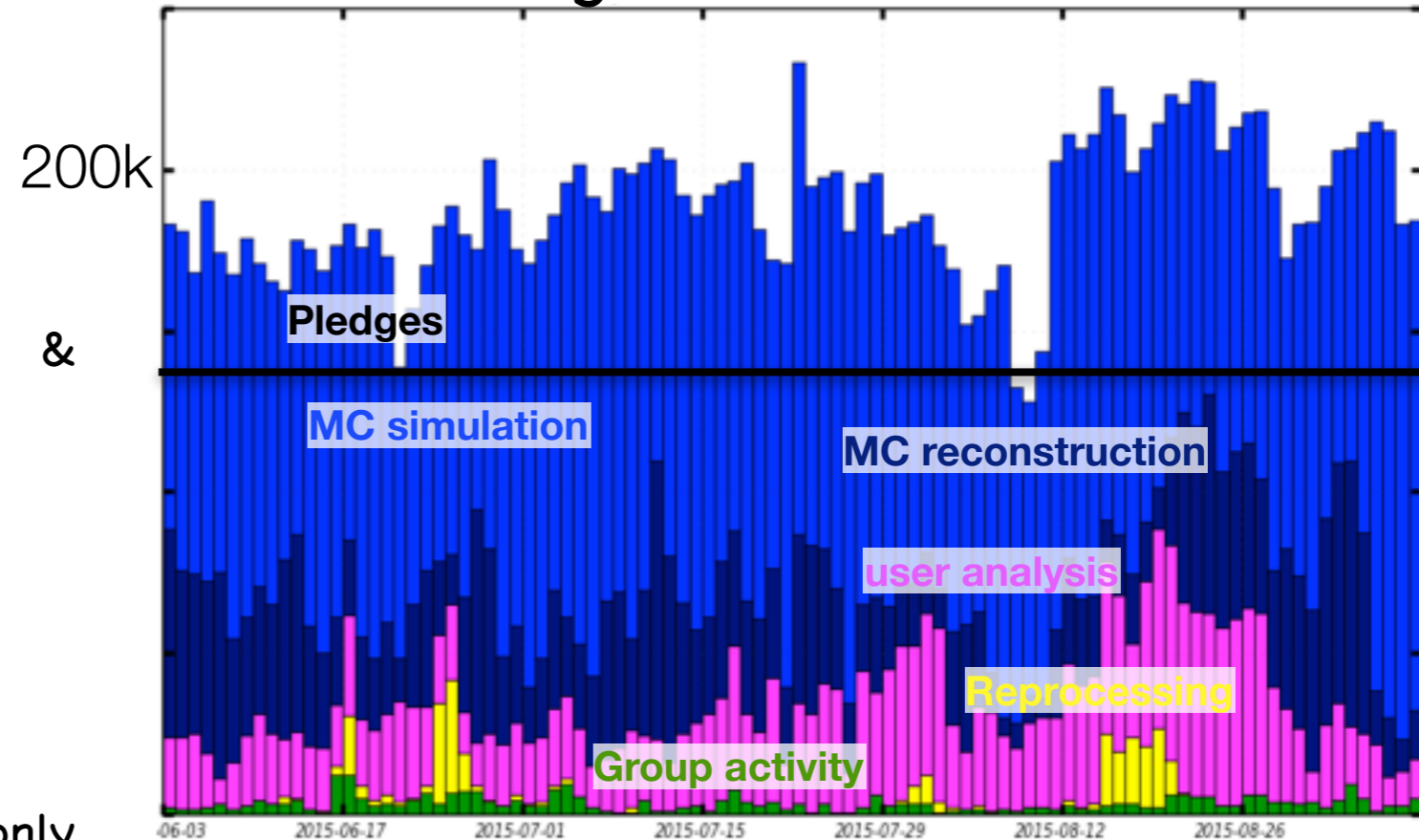


- ALFA - will be used in the special $\beta^*=90\text{m}$ run; elastic and diffractive physics
- LUCID - newly installed, very well performing and providing online and offline luminosity for ATLAS
- ZDC - test beam (SPS) showed need for refurbishment of EM modules; will take part in the next LHC Heavy Ion run (installation during TS3) - centrality measurement
- AFP - Roman Pot installation approved by LMC on August 26th. Aiming to install infrastructures and possibly two stations in the Year End Technical Stop 2015/2016, soft QCD, hard diffraction



Computing

Running jobs last 3 months



● Grid utilisation at full

● MC simulation:

- 2.8B simulated events produced
- 5B events reconstructed for 50 ns & 25 ns conditions

- No issue with data transfer and data processing
- parts of 2015 data have been reprocessed twice
- Major software update for summer 2016 only.

● New analysis model: group data format DxAOD made using a train model

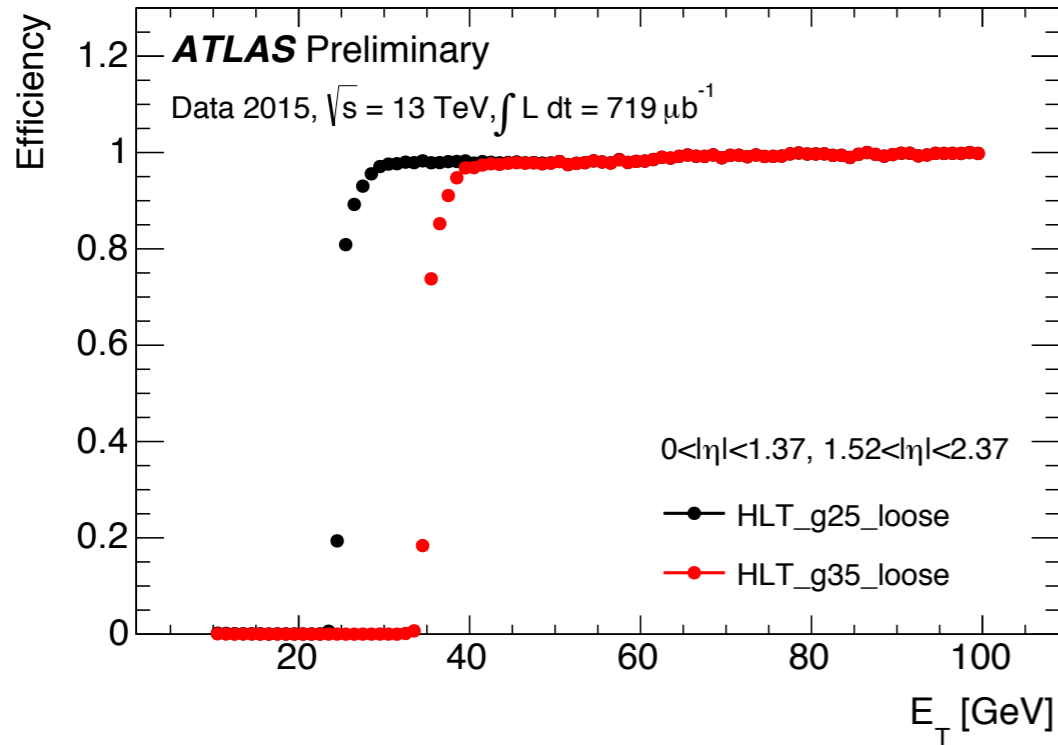
- Production of 83 DxAOD species on the grid via 17 trains
- Within 24h after data reconstruction at Tier-0

● Successful and popular

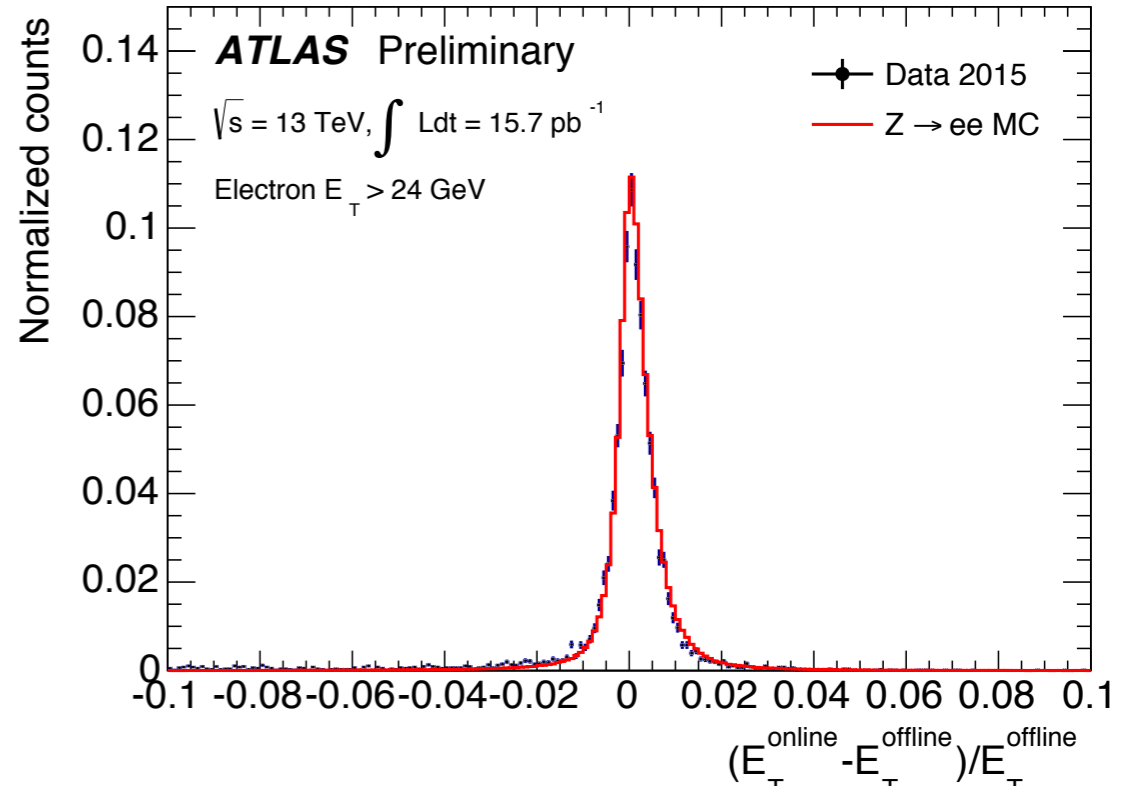




Trigger Performance

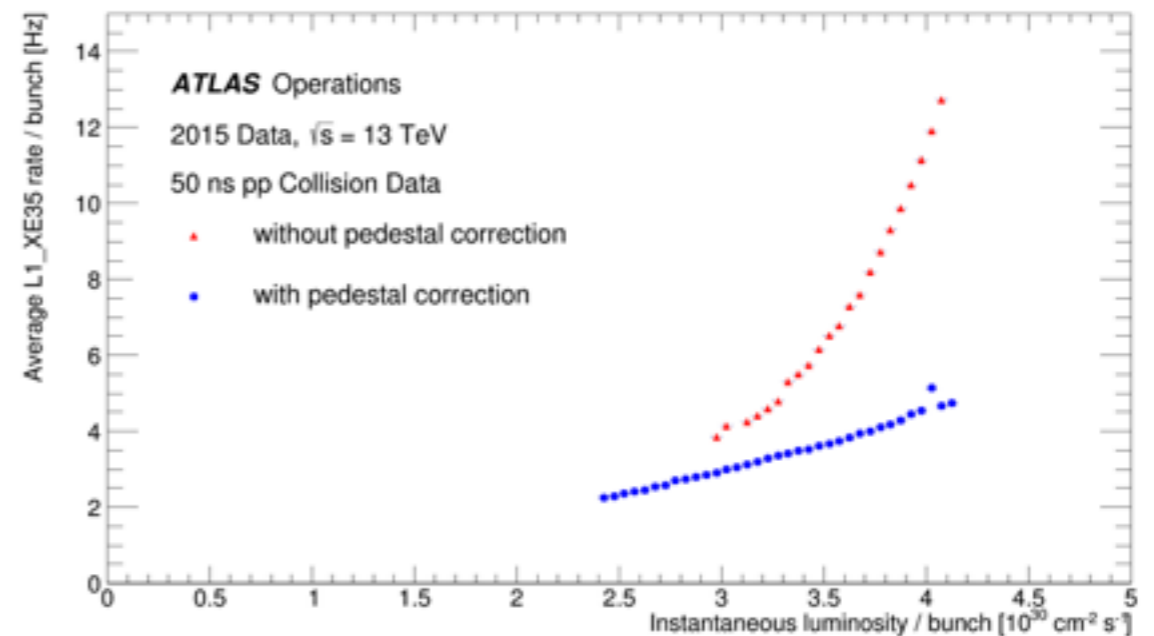


$\epsilon_{\text{Single-}\gamma\text{-trig}}$ with $E_T > 25/35$ GeV
measured with L1_EM7



online-offline resolution for HLT $E_T > 24$ GeV
trigger, medium ID applied

- L1 trigger menu ~ 500 items, HLT ~ 2000 items
- pedestal correction minimising pile up effects and linearising trigger rate for the L1Calo MET > 35 GeV trigger shows dramatic improvement for the rate





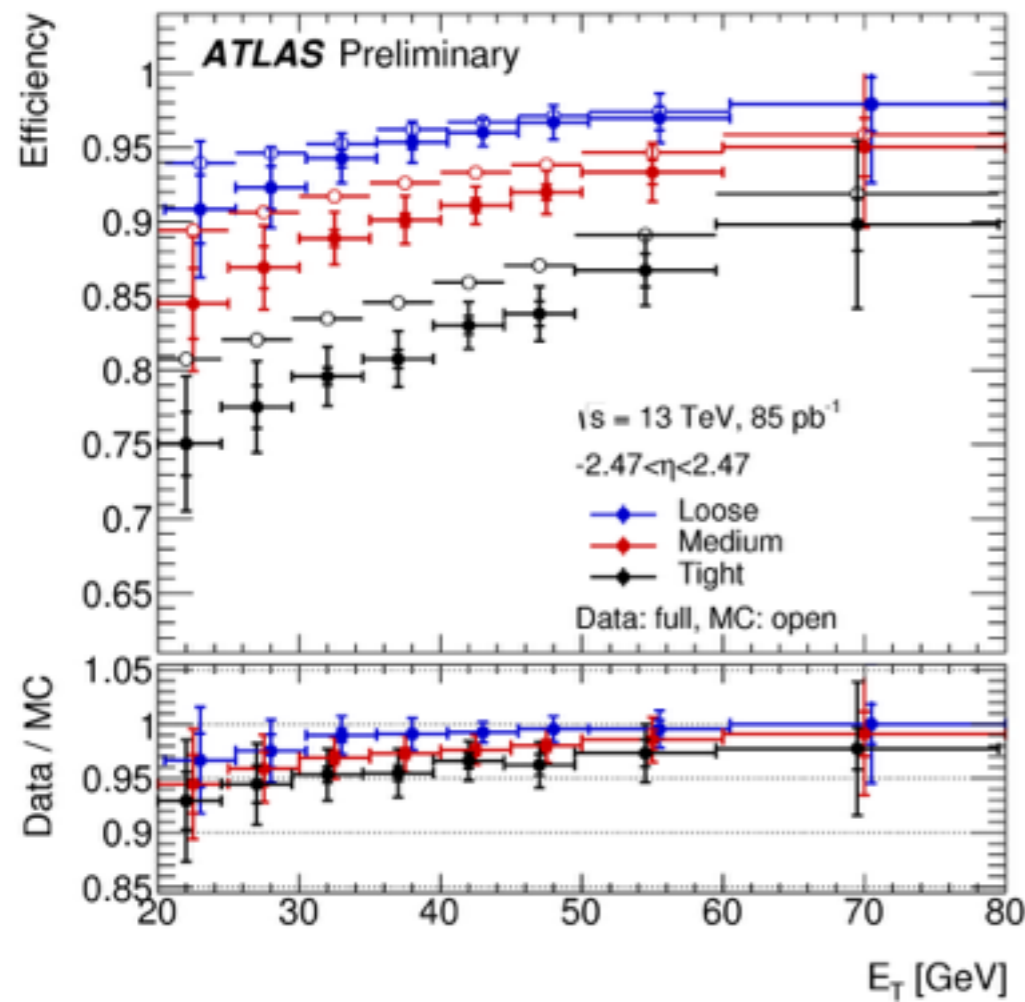
Object performance



- Prepared so-called 'pre-recommendations' for physics object calibrations based on MC and Run-1 data. These pre-recommendations, verified with early 13 TeV data, were used in initial physics analyses presented at EPS-HEP in July.
- Since then, data driven recommendations were determined for electron and muon identification efficiencies and calibrations, as well as jet calibrations (in-situ corrections). The calibrations of the other physics objects are ongoing

Electrons and Photons

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Electron
identification
(likelihood)
efficiency

Data/MC

- Data/MC disagreement in Electron ID is due to (known) GEANT mis-modelling of shower shapes
- quite flat as a function of in-time pile up
- scale factors from data applied to MC

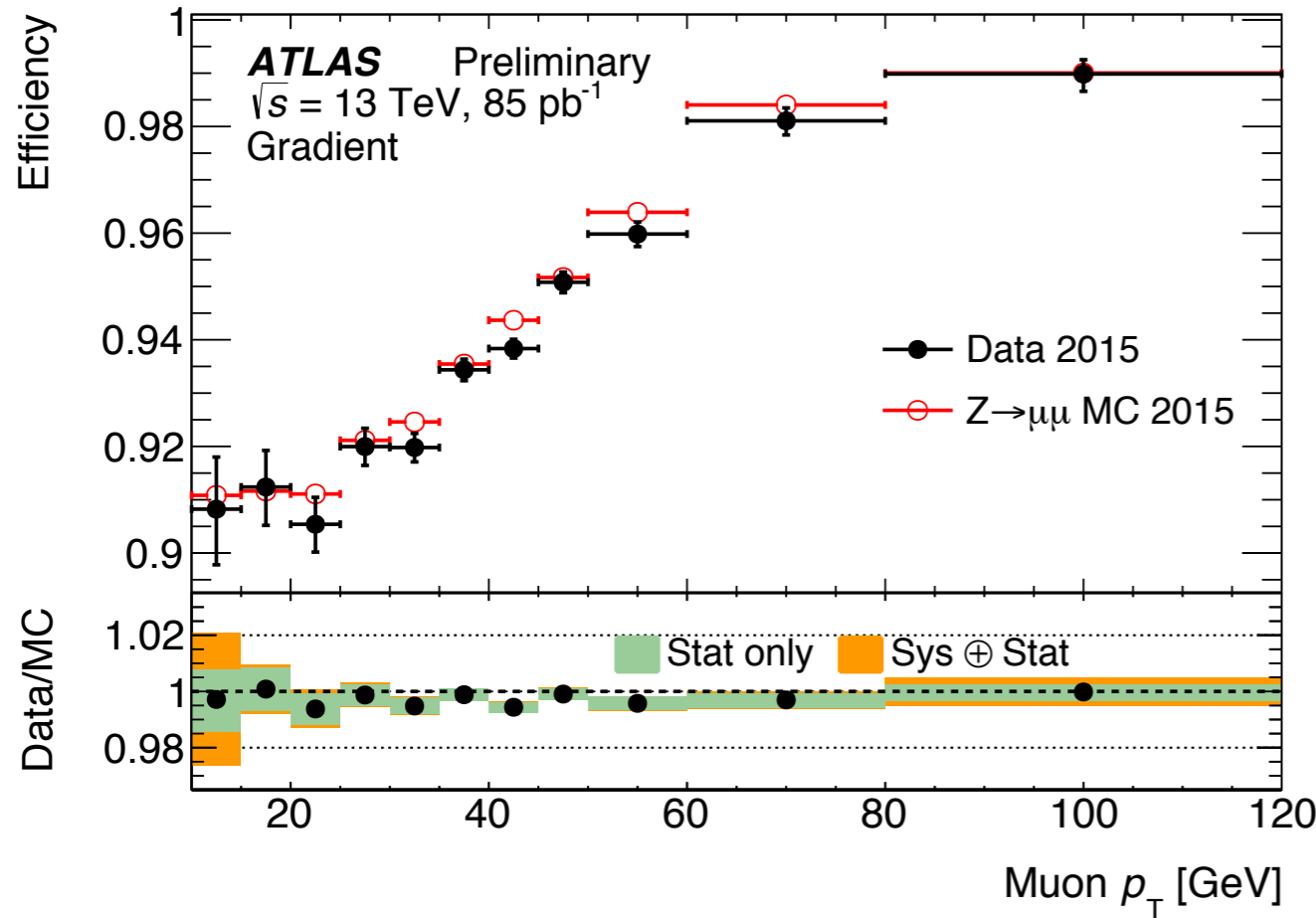


Muon reconstruction

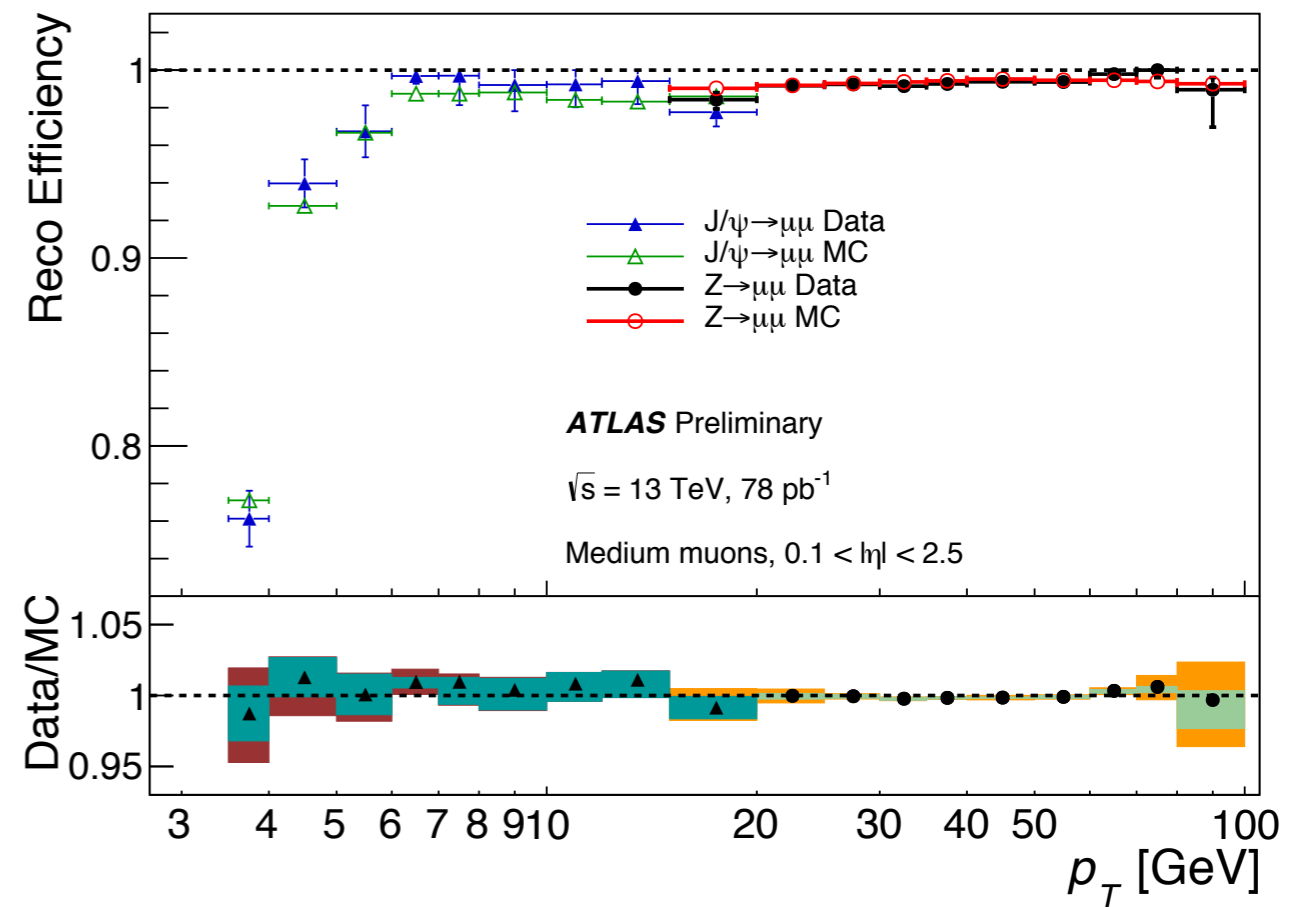


- based on 50 ns data (85 pb^{-1})
- improved acceptance ($1.0 < |\eta| < 1.4$) and reconstruction algorithm

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Efficiencies of the combined track-based and calorimeter-based **isolation** for the Gradient working point



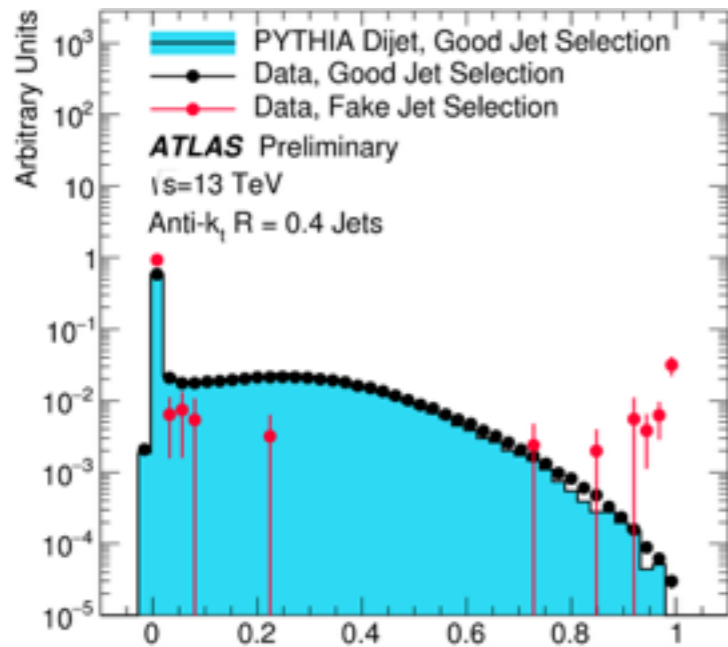
excellent **data/MC agreement** for reconstruction efficiency, but large

δ_{stat}

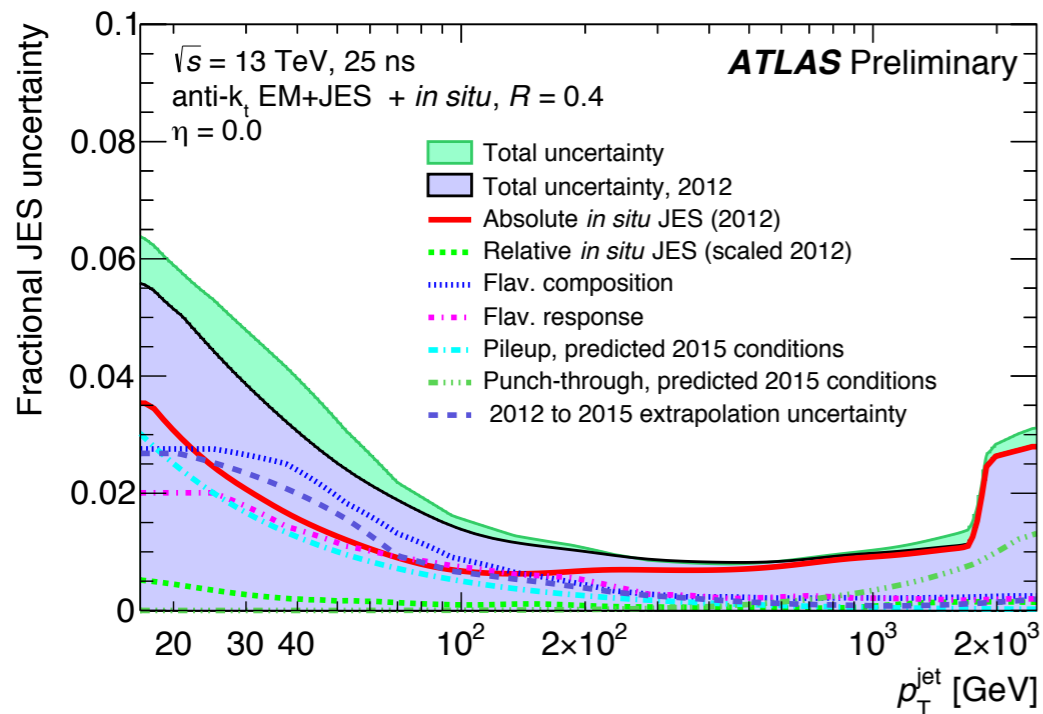


Jets

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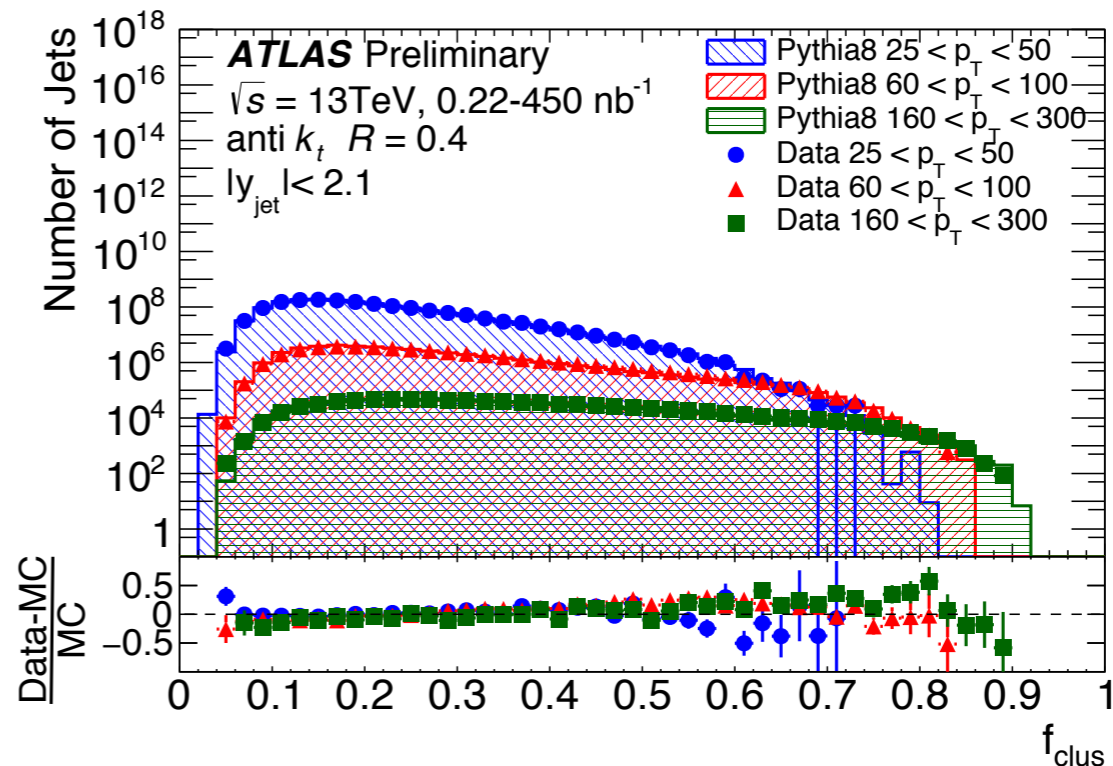
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25ns JES uncertainties

- jet cleaning defined – selection of good jets based on calorimeter criteria (beam background, noise, cosmics)
- JES and JER preliminary recommendations (based on simulations) delivered for early analyses, AntiKt4TopoEM, validated on data
- good shape agreement in data/MC → validated inputs to more sophisticated methods (GSC, substructure...)

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leading cluster energy fraction

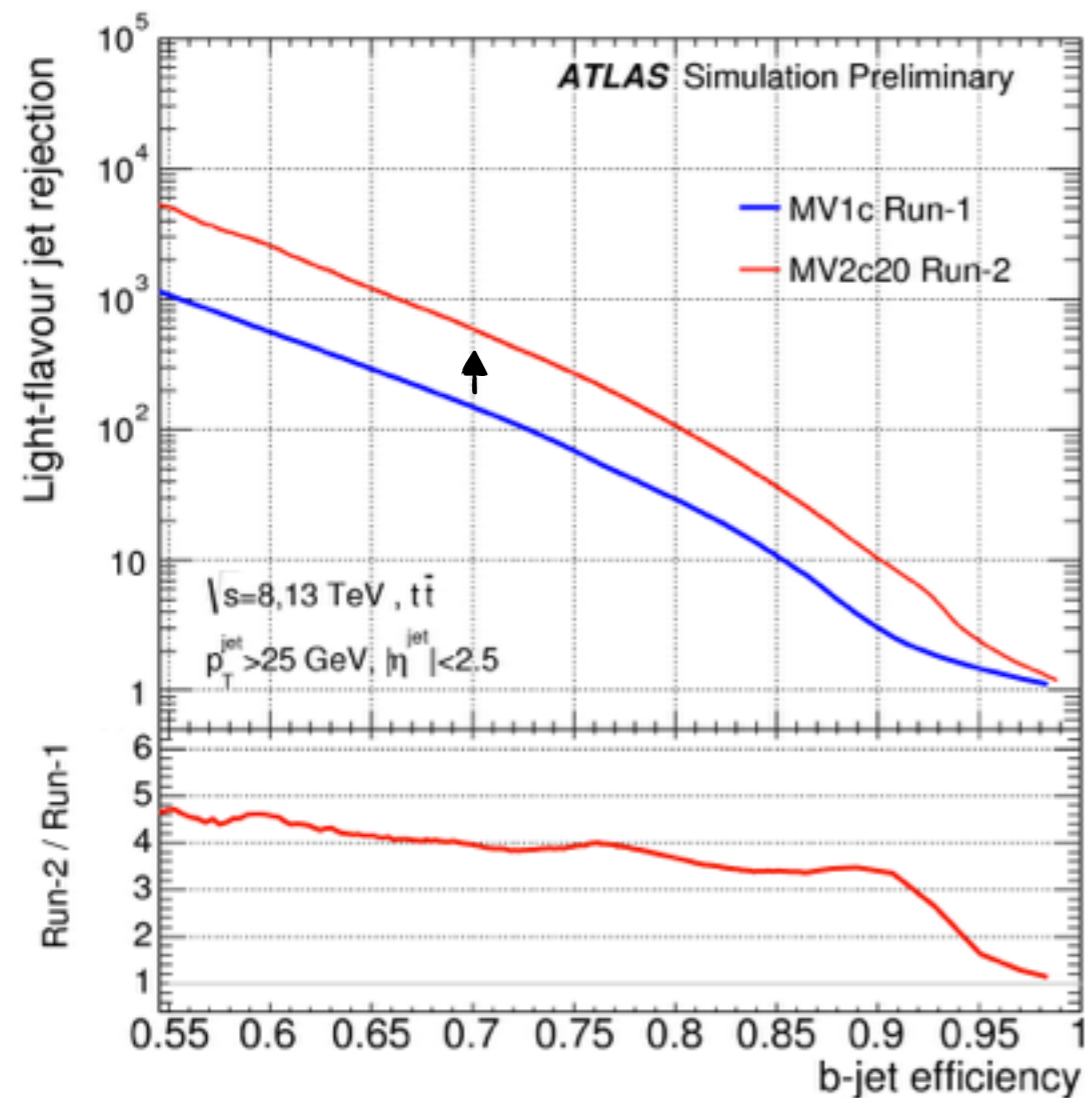


Flavour Tagging

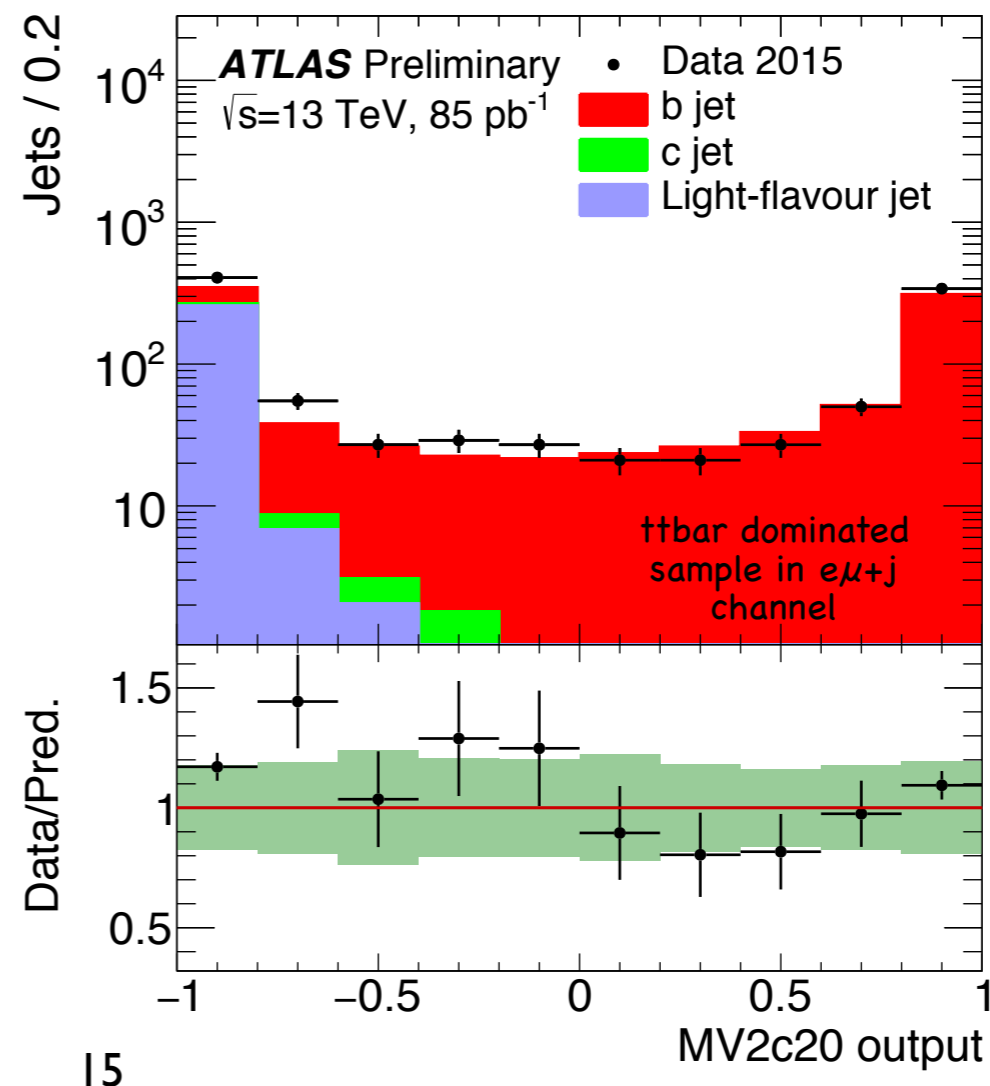


- Several enhancements between Run-1 and 2 will impact flavour tagging
 - Improved tracking (including IBL) and flavour tagging algorithms
- Significant improvement predicted in both light-flavour (factor $\sim 4!$) and c-jet rejection (~ 1.6)

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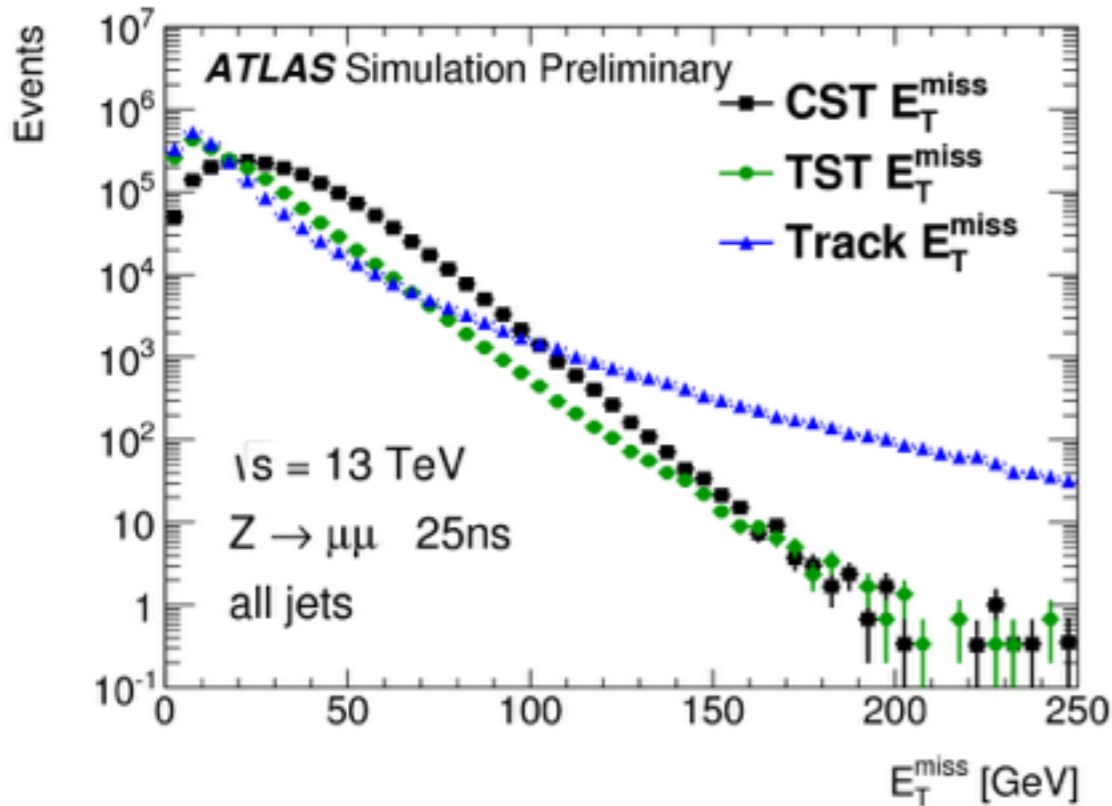


- Flavour tagging MVA output shows good data-MC agreement

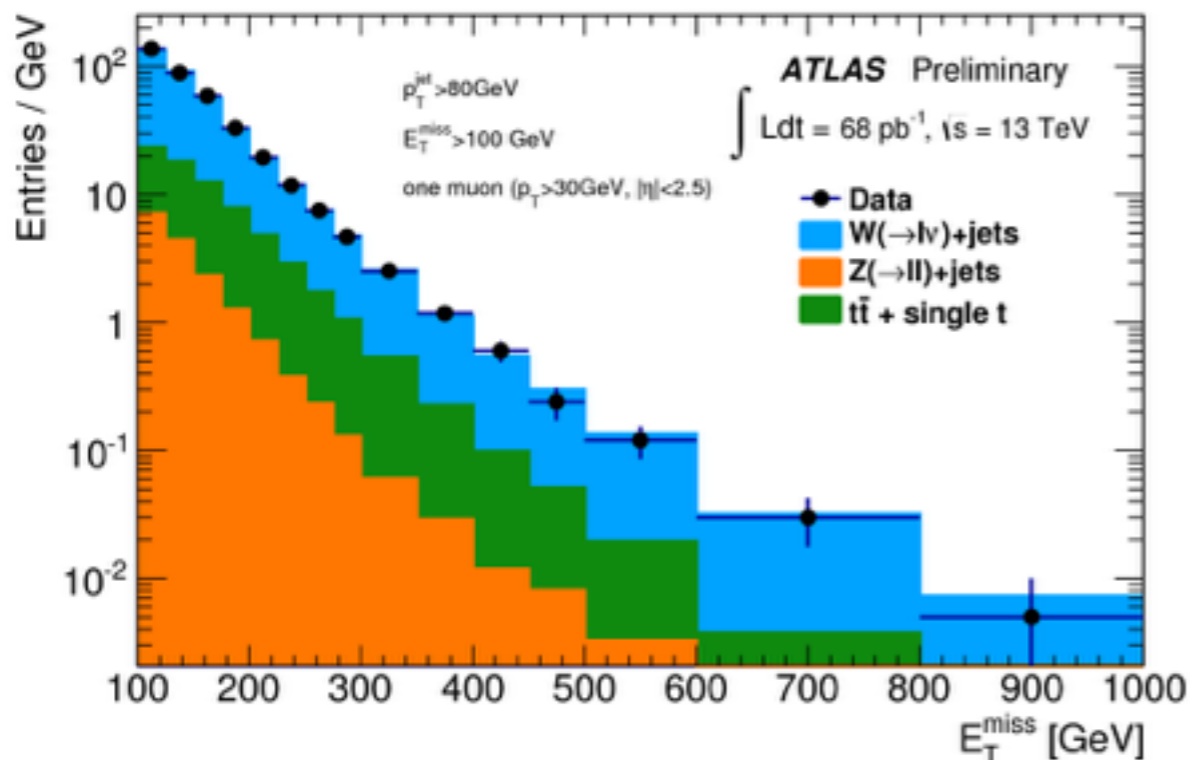
- Full data-based calibration underway



Missing E_T



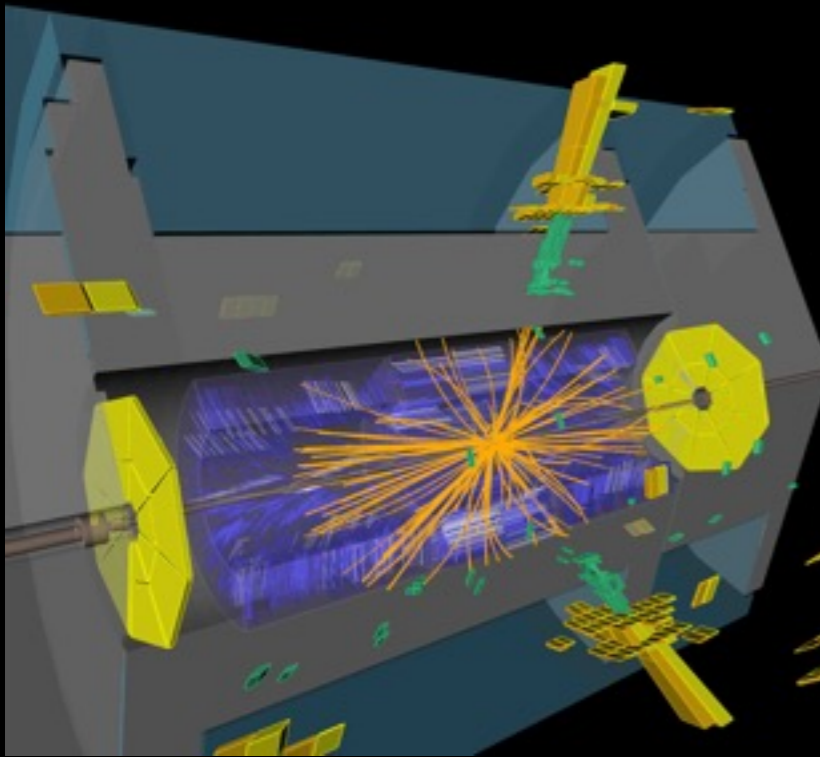
performance plot from mono-jet search



- new techniques developed during LS1, use tracking information
- TST (track soft term), Track MET
- reduces pile up sensitivity
- systematics derived from MC, will be updated soon
- validated against data in [ATL-PHYS-PUB-2015-027](#)

Physics – Measurements and Searches

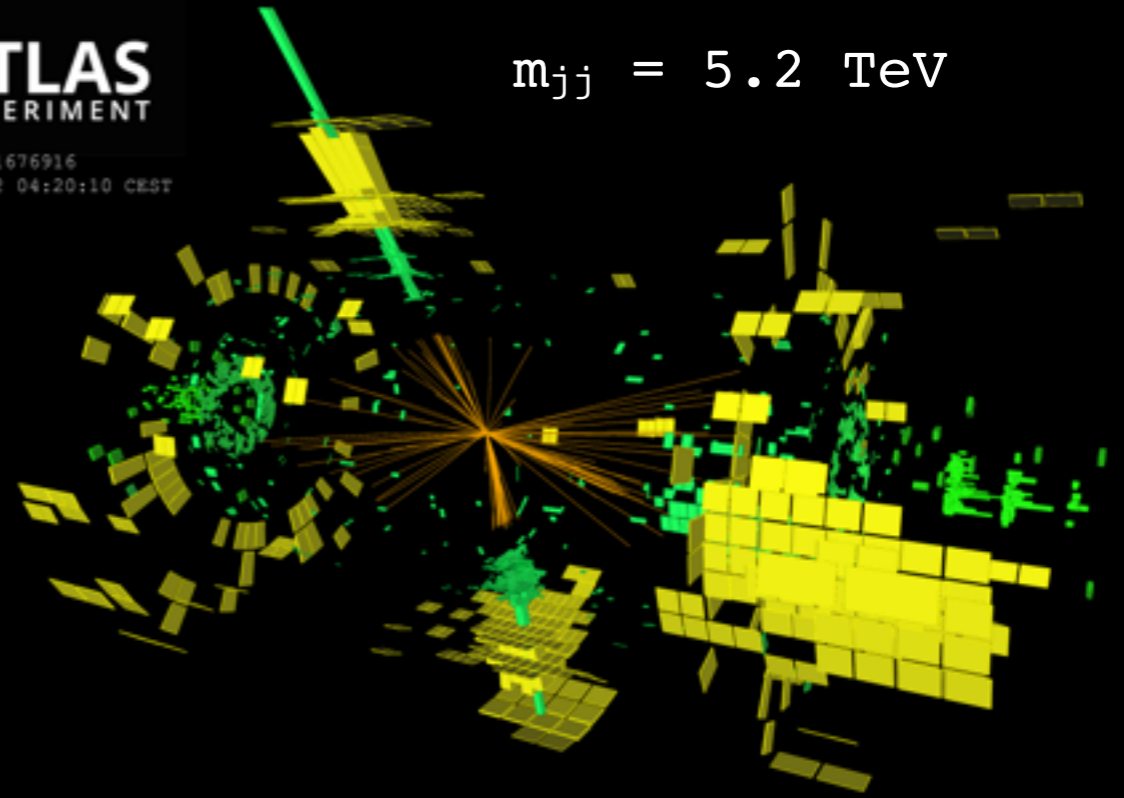
First Stable Beams at 13 TeV



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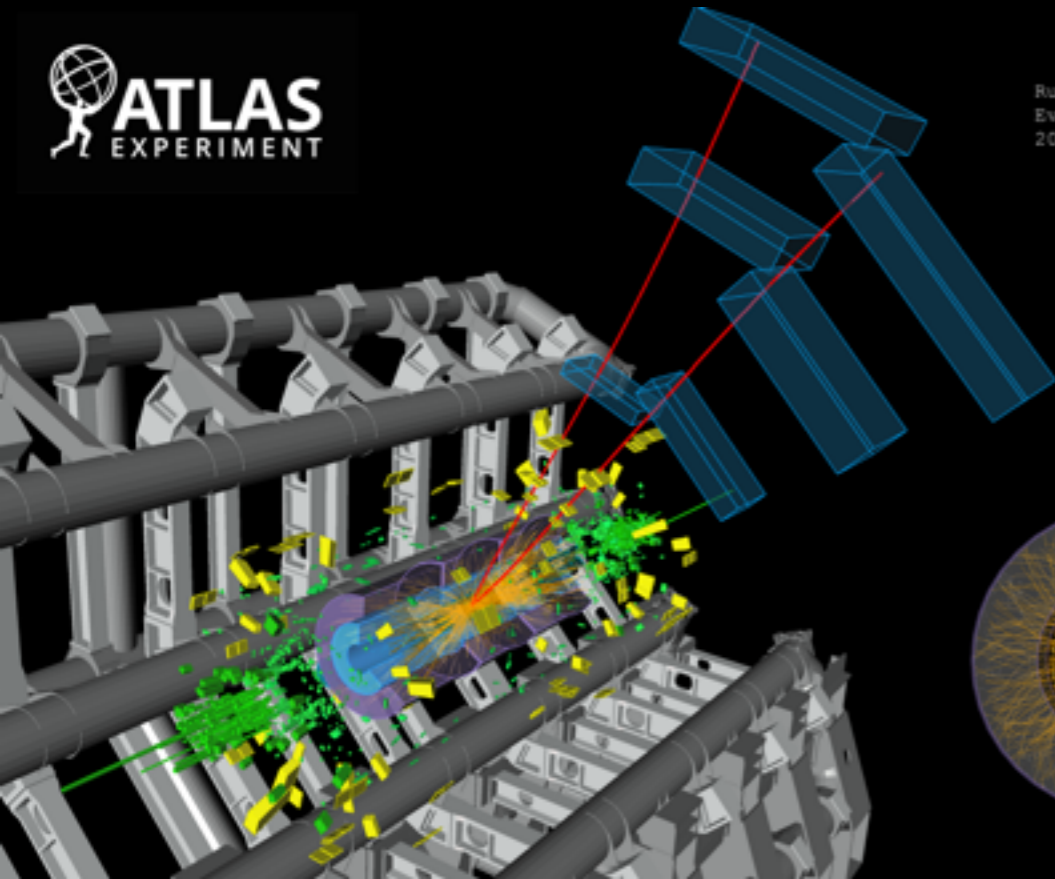
$m_{jj} = 5.2 \text{ TeV}$



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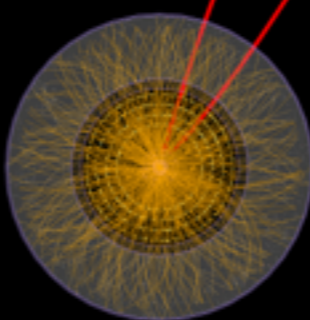
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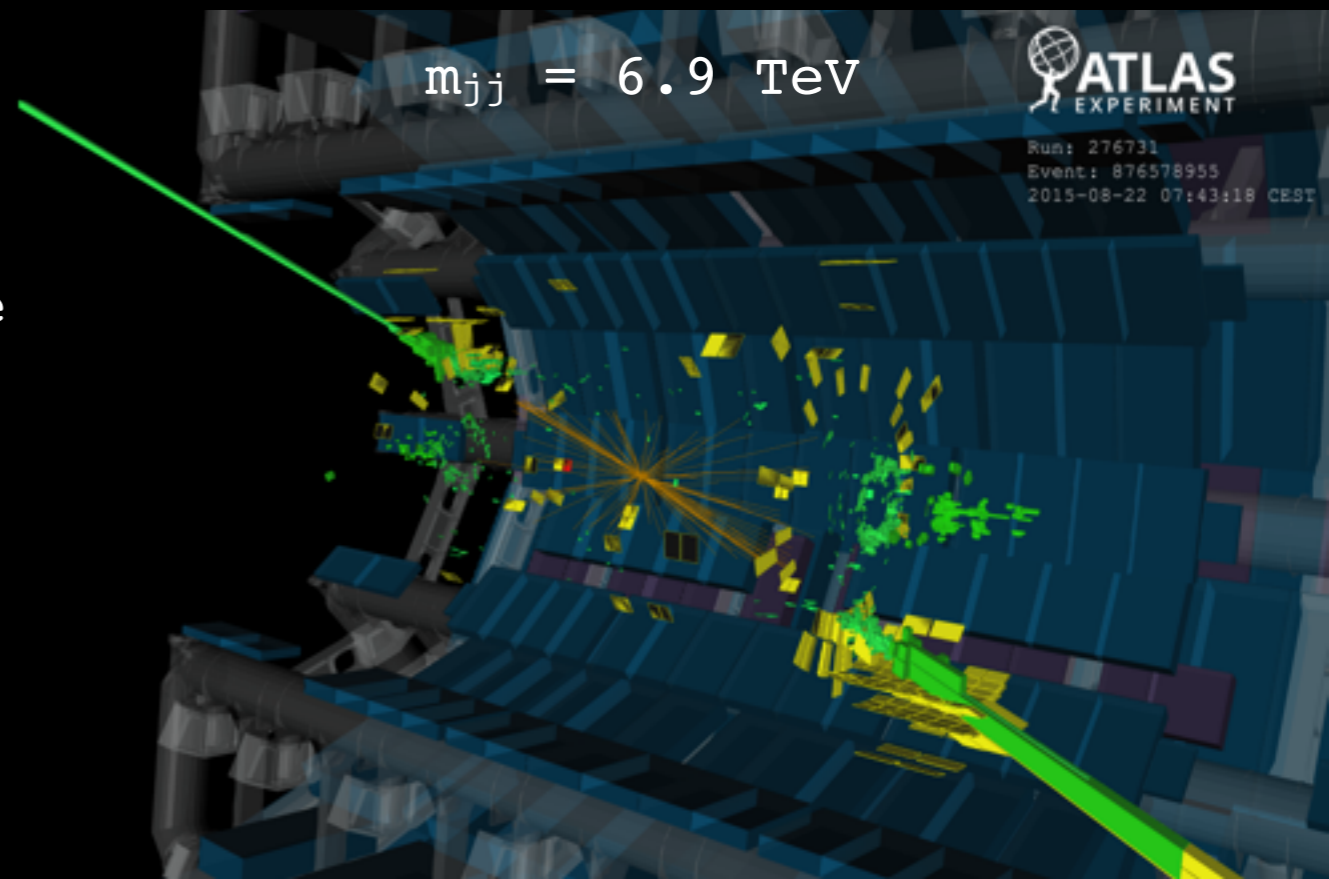
J/ψ
candidate



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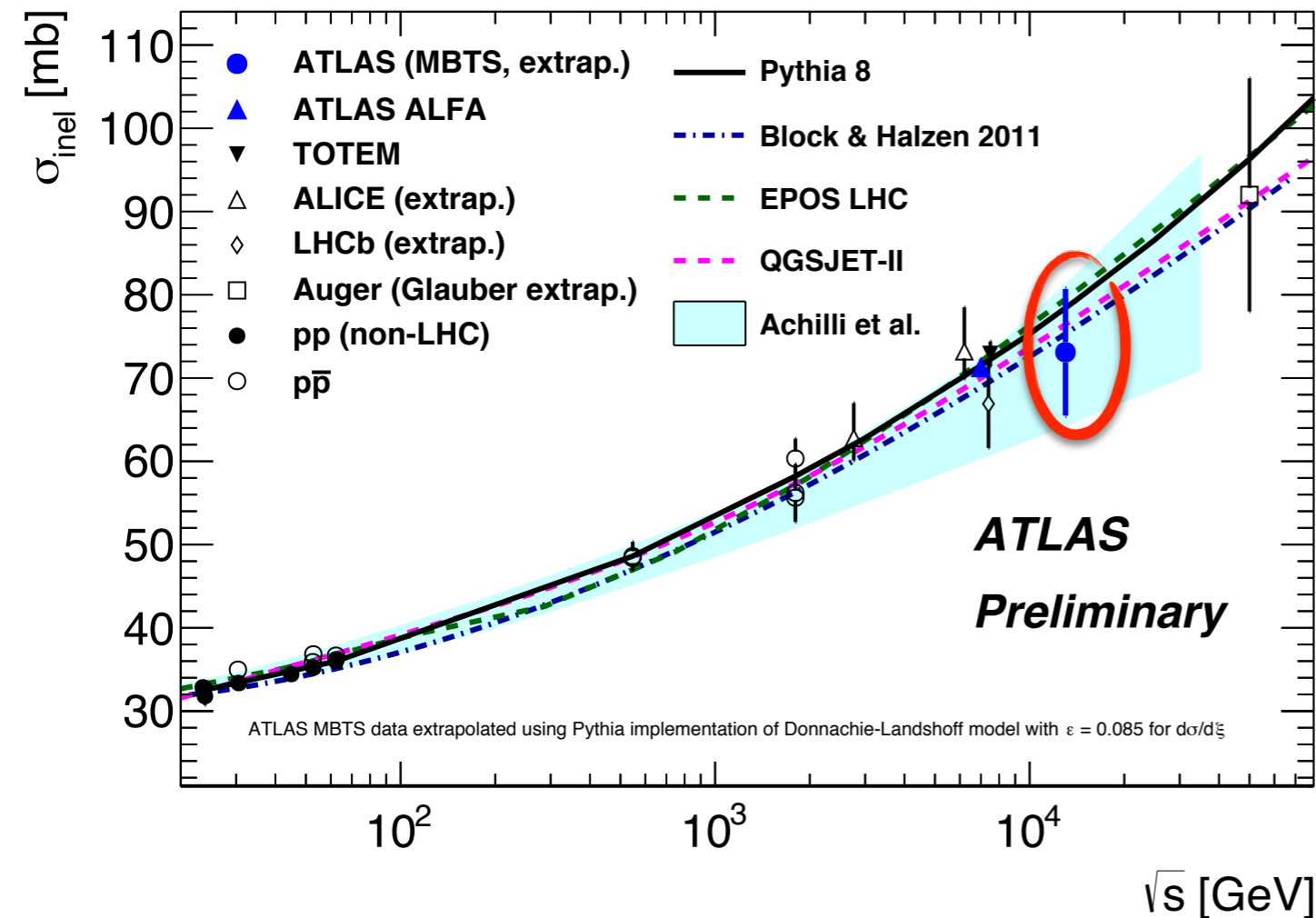


Inelastic pp Cross Section



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- MBTS triggers (counting experiment, highly efficient) runs taken in June
- fiducial volume: $2.08 < |\eta| < 3.86 \leftrightarrow M_X > 13 \text{ GeV} \rightarrow$ extrapolation
- $\sigma_{\text{inel}} = \sigma_{\text{SingleDiff}} + \sigma_{\text{DoubleDiss}} + \sigma_{\text{CentralDiff}} + \sigma_{\text{NonDiff}}$



constraints on diffractive dissociative component through single sided event vs inclusive selection (25-30% depending on model)

$$\sigma_{\text{fid}} = 65.2$$

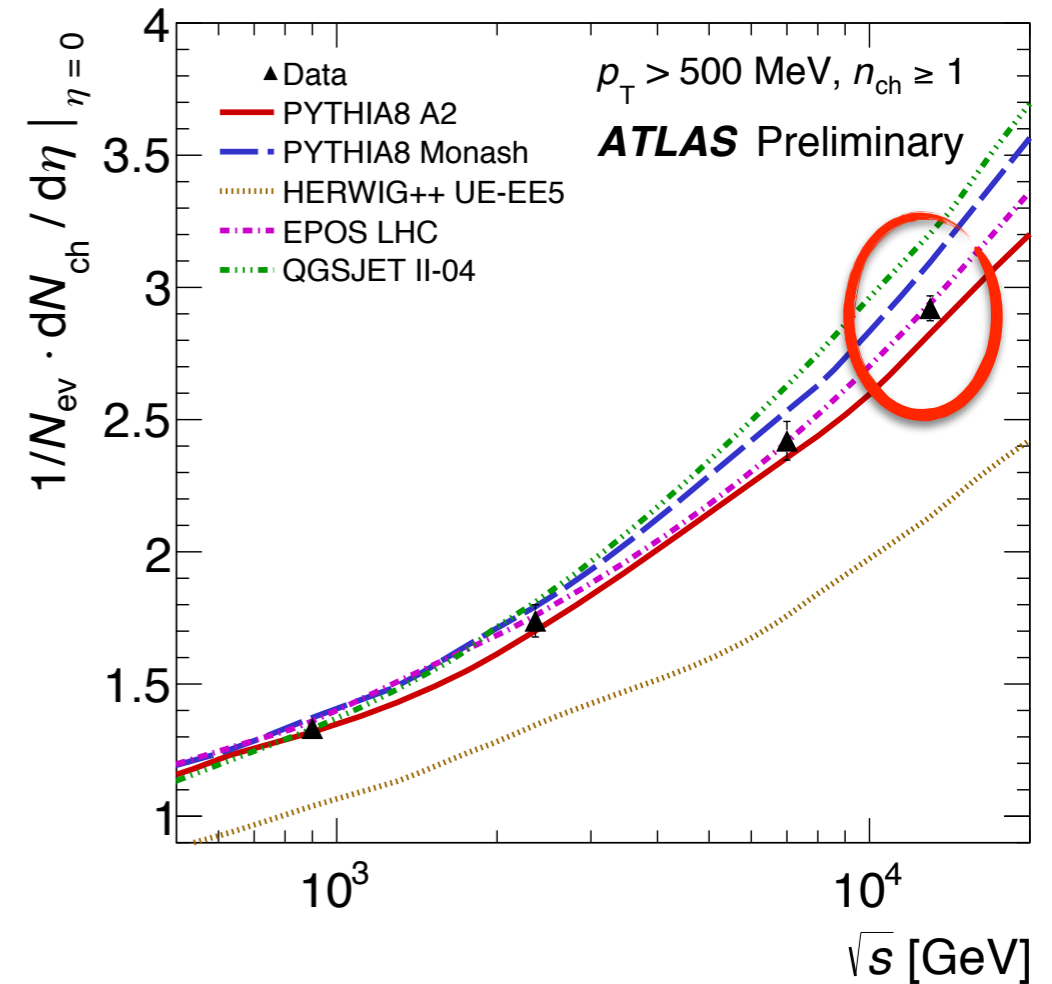
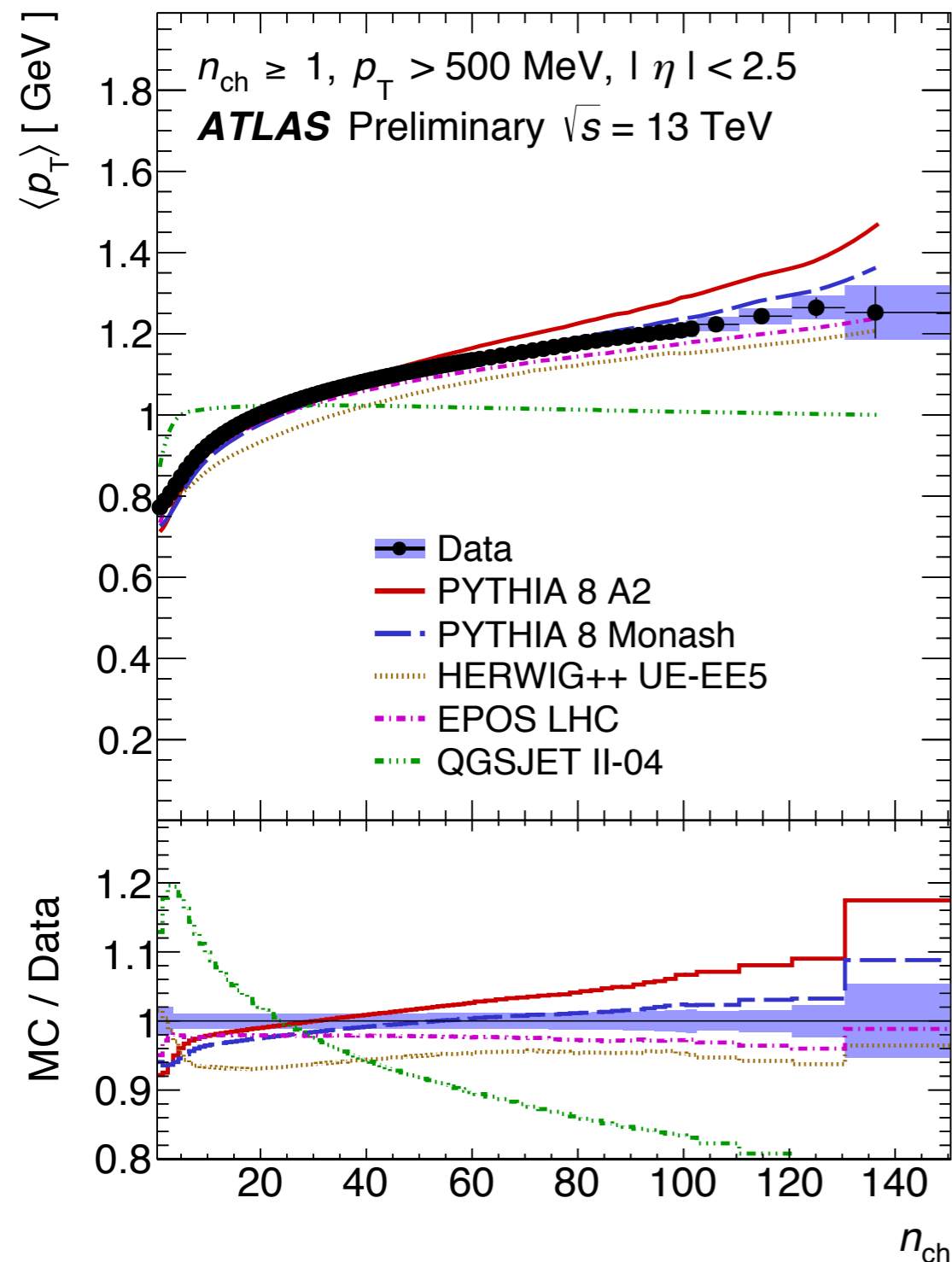
$$\pm 0.8 \text{ (exp.)} \pm 5.9 \text{ (lum.) mb}$$

$$\sigma_{\text{tot}} = 73.1 \pm 0.9 \text{ (exp.)}$$

$$\pm 6.6 \text{ (lum.)} \pm 3.8 \text{ (extr.) mb}$$



Charged Particle spectra and UE



- measurement of unfolded spectra of charge particle multiplicity, also differentially in η and p_T
- comparison to model prediction
- allowed to validate the tune (Pythia A2) used for the pileup modelling in the 13 TeV MC that was derived from Run-1 data
- 'leading track underlying event' analysis ([ATL-PHYS-PUB-2015-019](#)) has allowed to validate the underlying event tune (Pythia A14) used in the simulation of hard scattering processes, also derived from Run-1 data



The Ridge

Observation of long-range elliptic anisotropies in pp collisions

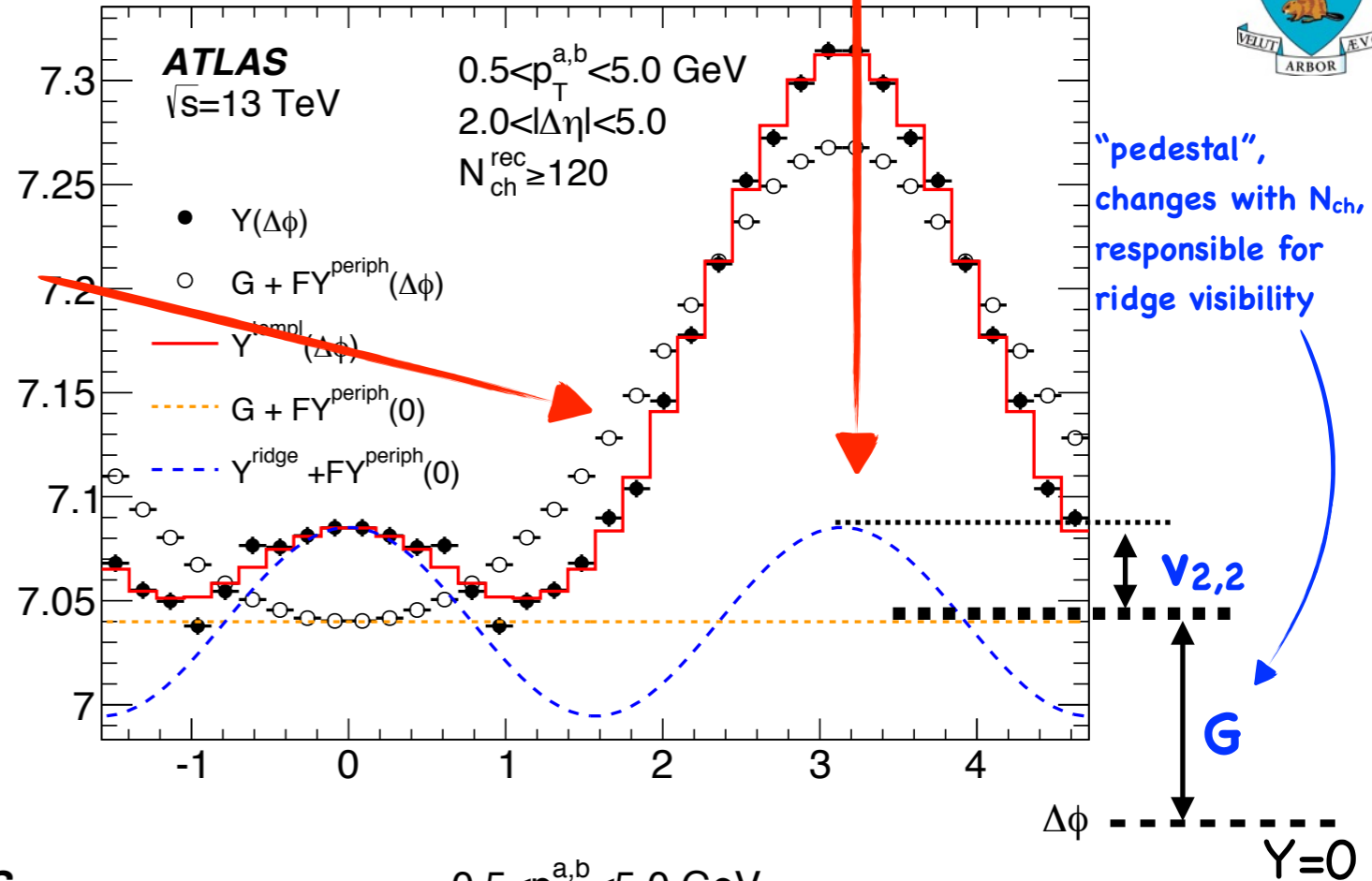


[arXiv:1509.04776](https://arxiv.org/abs/1509.04776)

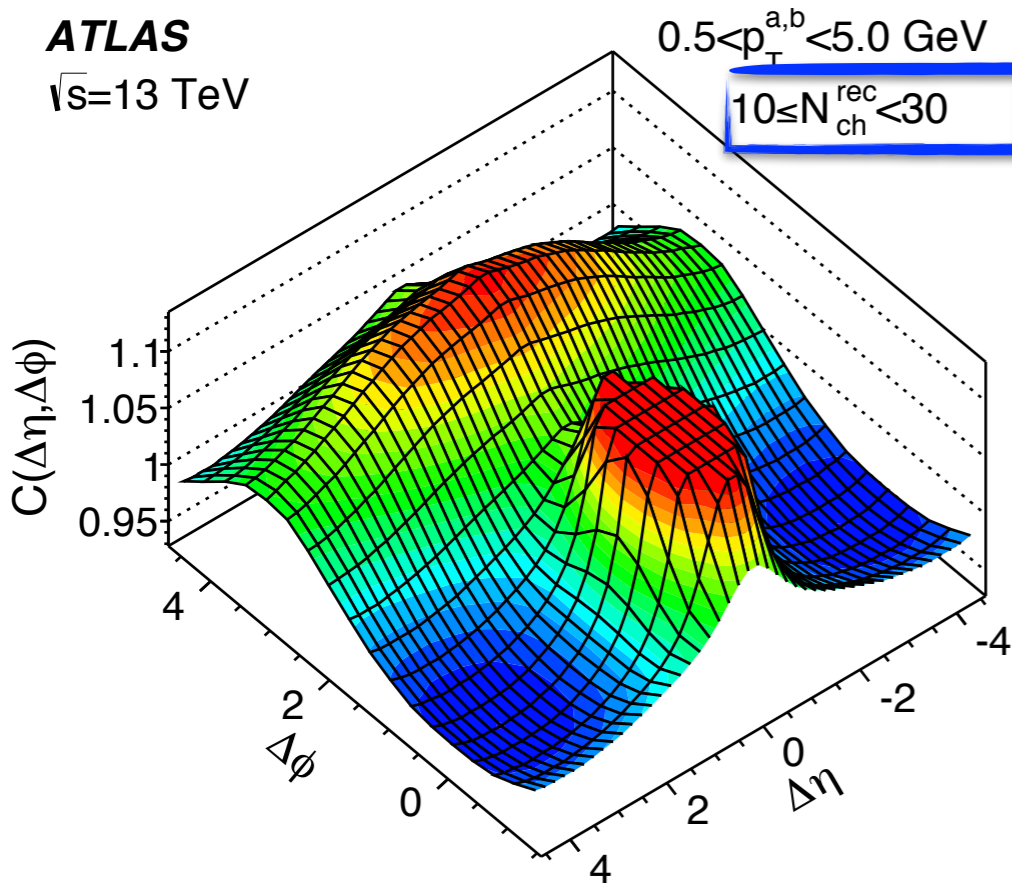
low N_{ch} template
($\sim \sin(\Delta\Phi)$)

- first ATLAS Run2 paper!
- long range correlations at high $\Delta\eta$ and $\Delta\Phi=0$ measured at two \sqrt{s} points - 2.76 TeV (Run1 - 4pb) and 13 TeV (Run2 - 14nb)
- at large N_{ch} , quantifiable through Y^{ridge}

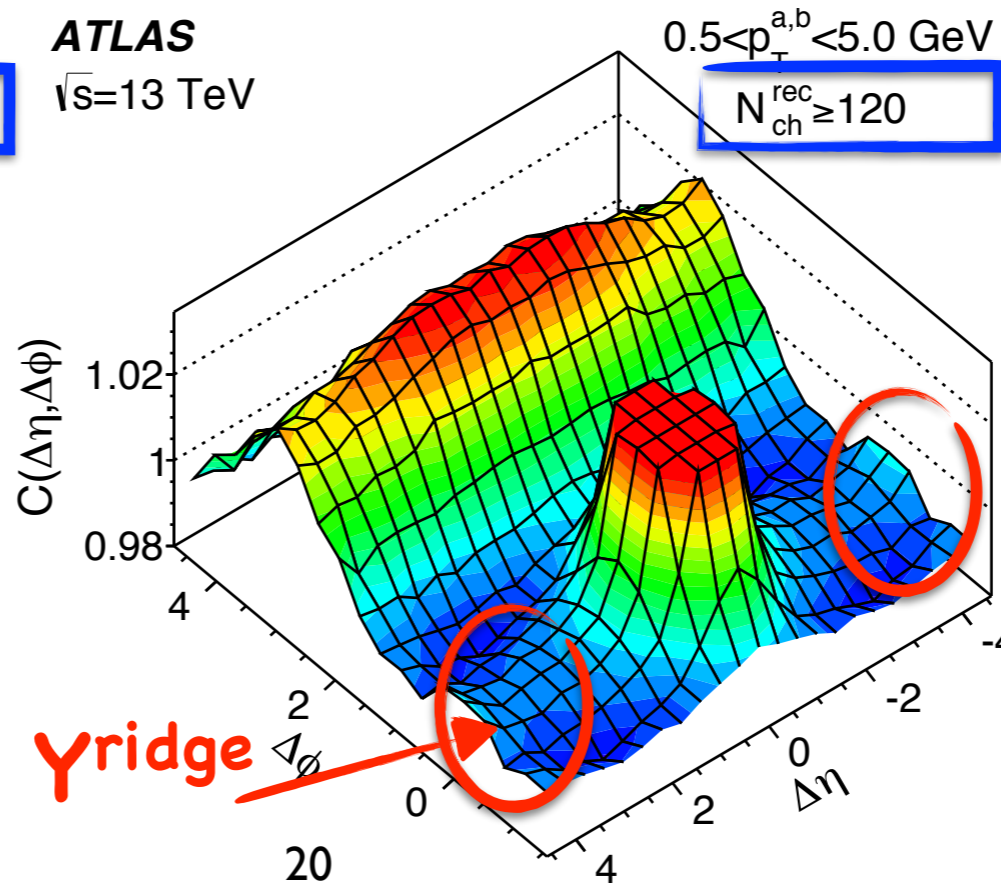
fit ridge modulation $G(1+v_{2,2}\cos(2\Delta\Phi))$



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 $\sqrt{s}=13$ TeV



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 $\sqrt{s}=13$ TeV



- ridge modulation factorises (shows global modulation of per-event single particle distributions)

- \sim independent of \sqrt{s} and N_{ch} , only of p_T

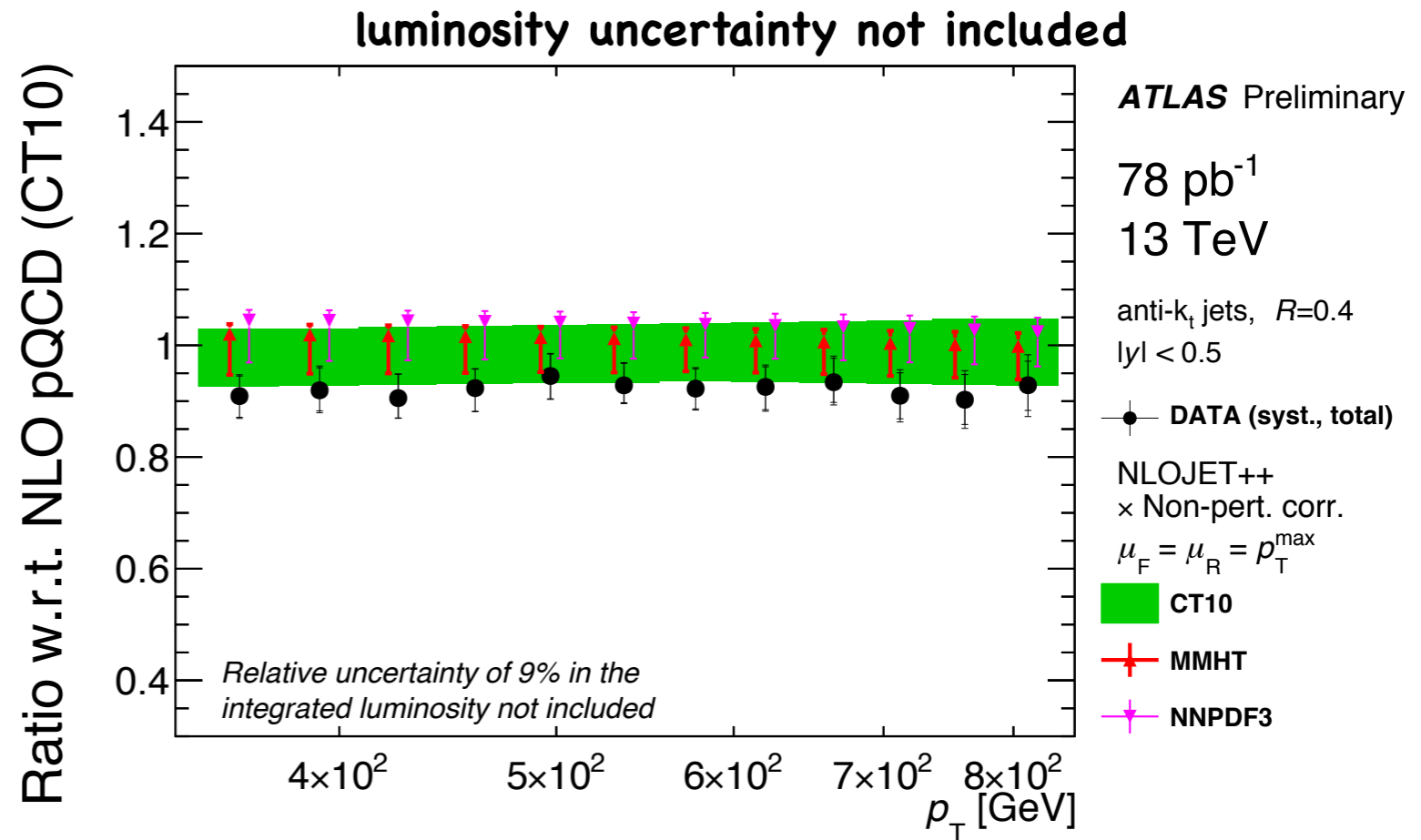
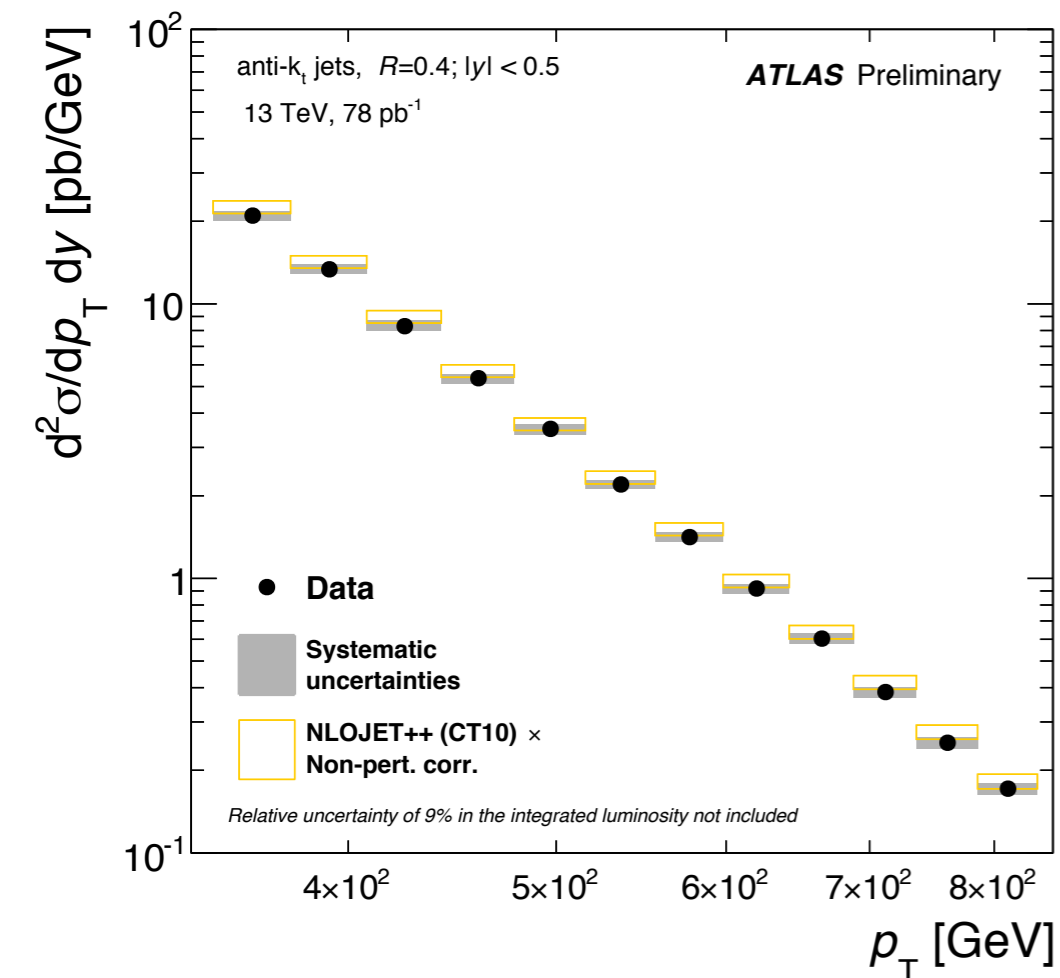


Inclusive jet measurement



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- lowest p_T unrescaled trigger ($346 < p_T < 838$ GeV) in central region $|y| < 0.5$
- cross section compared to fixed order NLO (NLOJET++) with several PDFs – CT10, NNPDF3, MMHT



good agreement with pQCD calculation

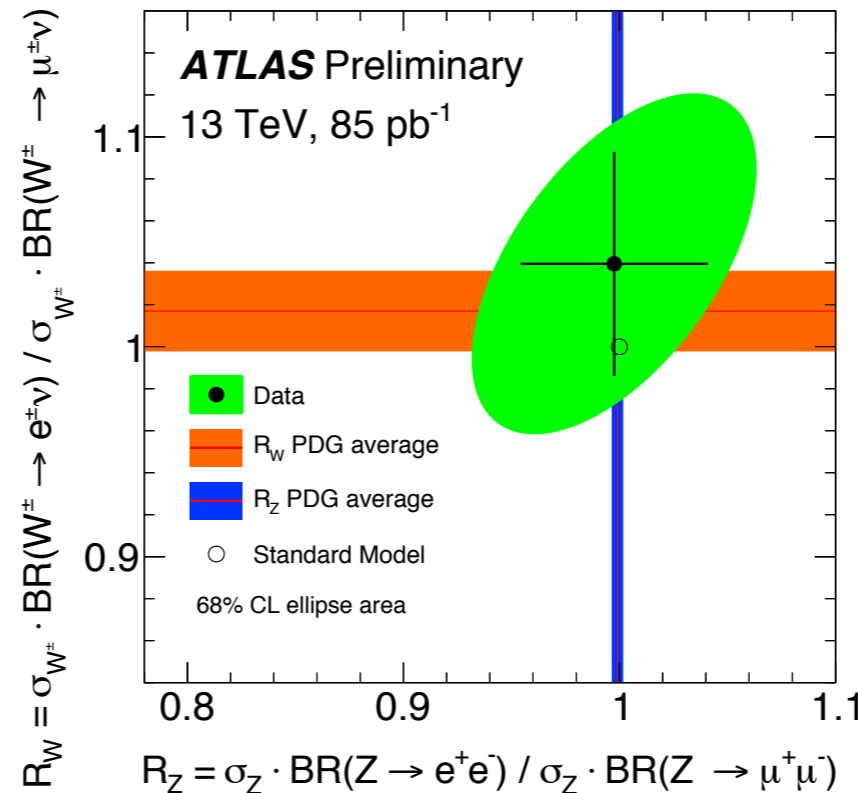
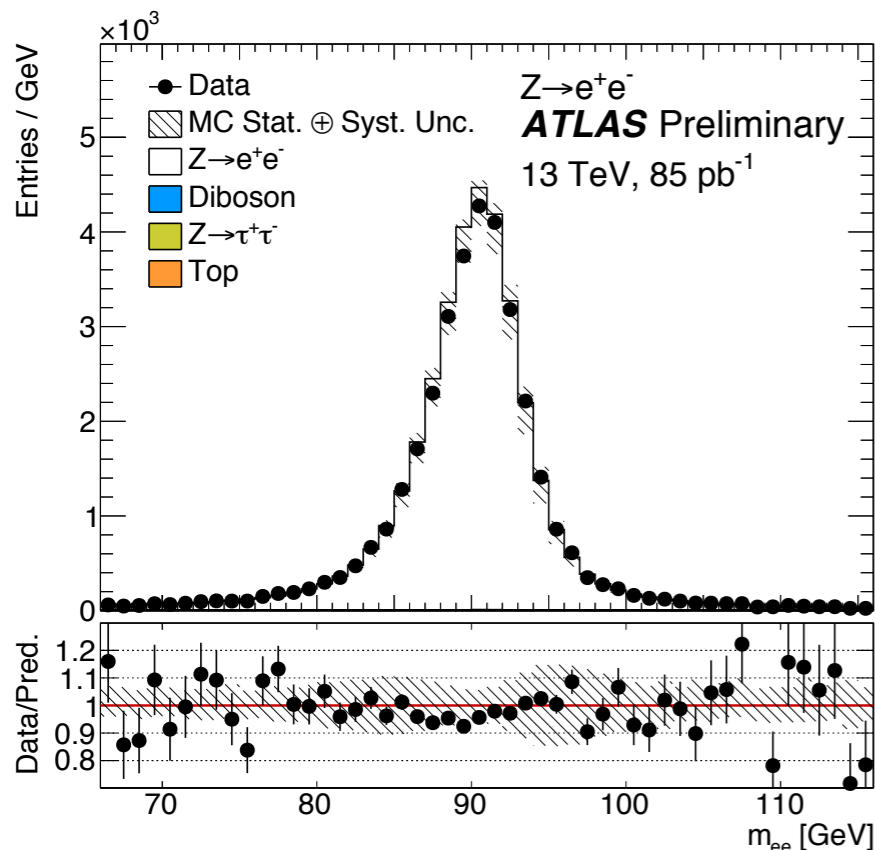
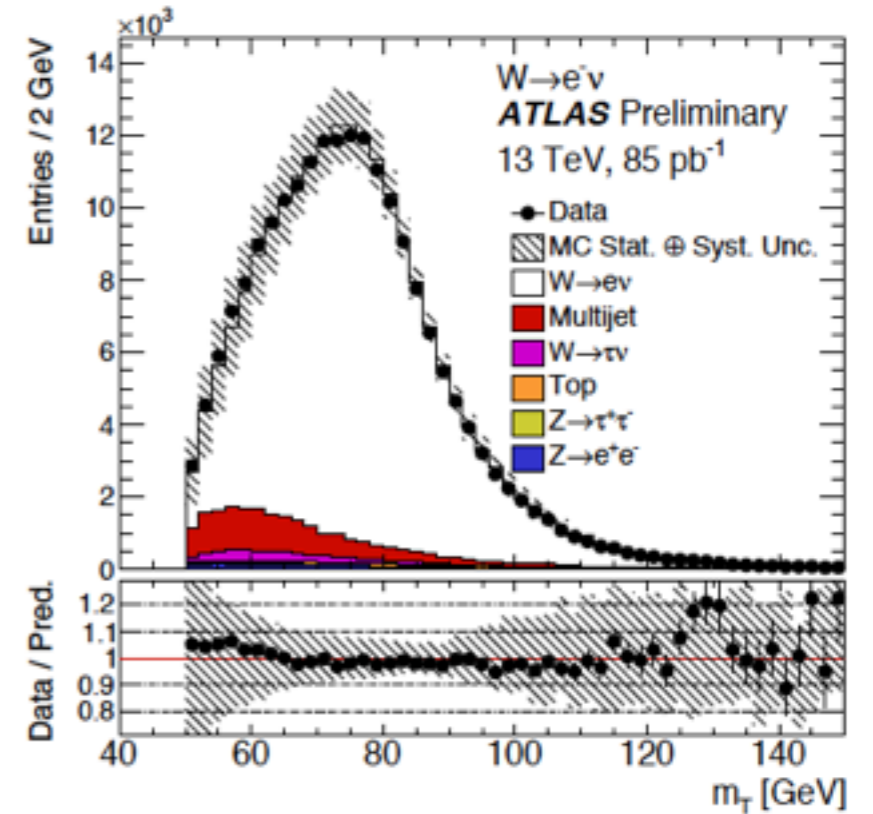


W/Z Boson Cross Sections



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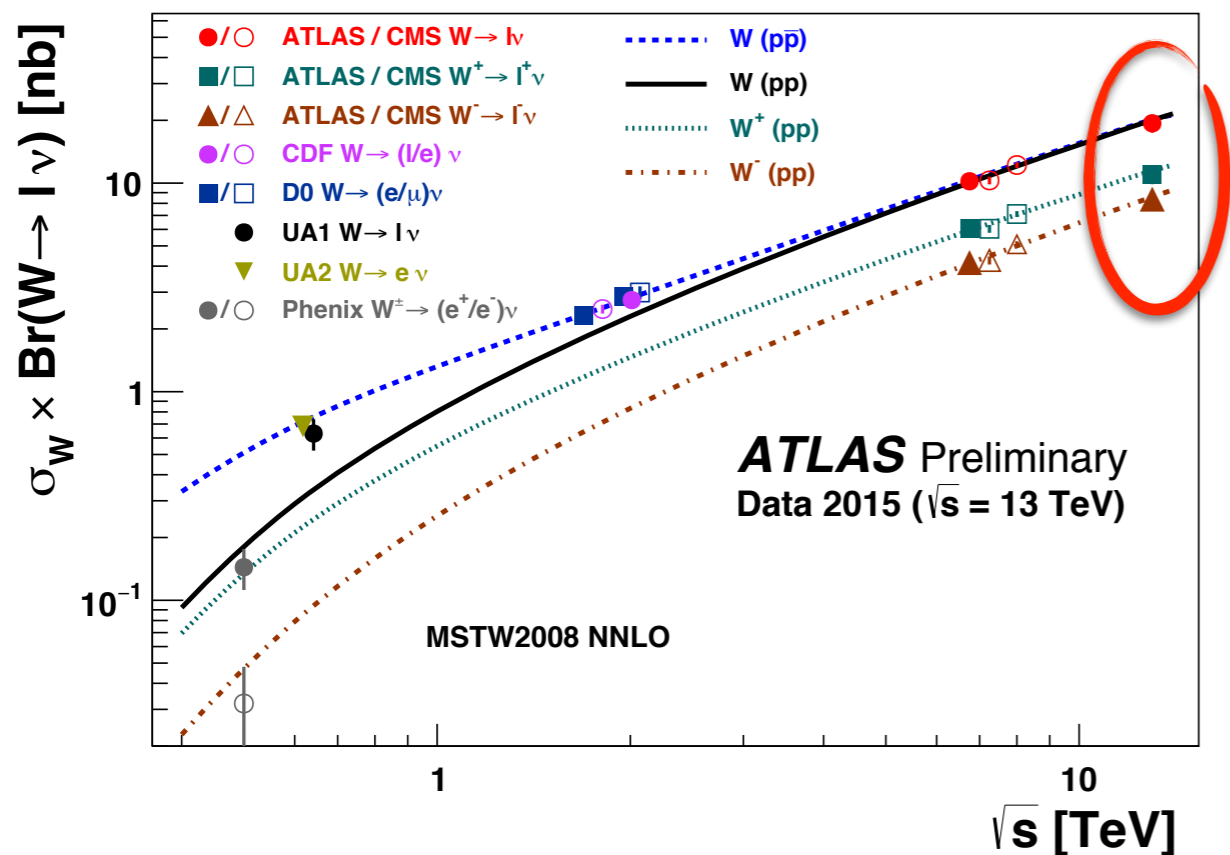
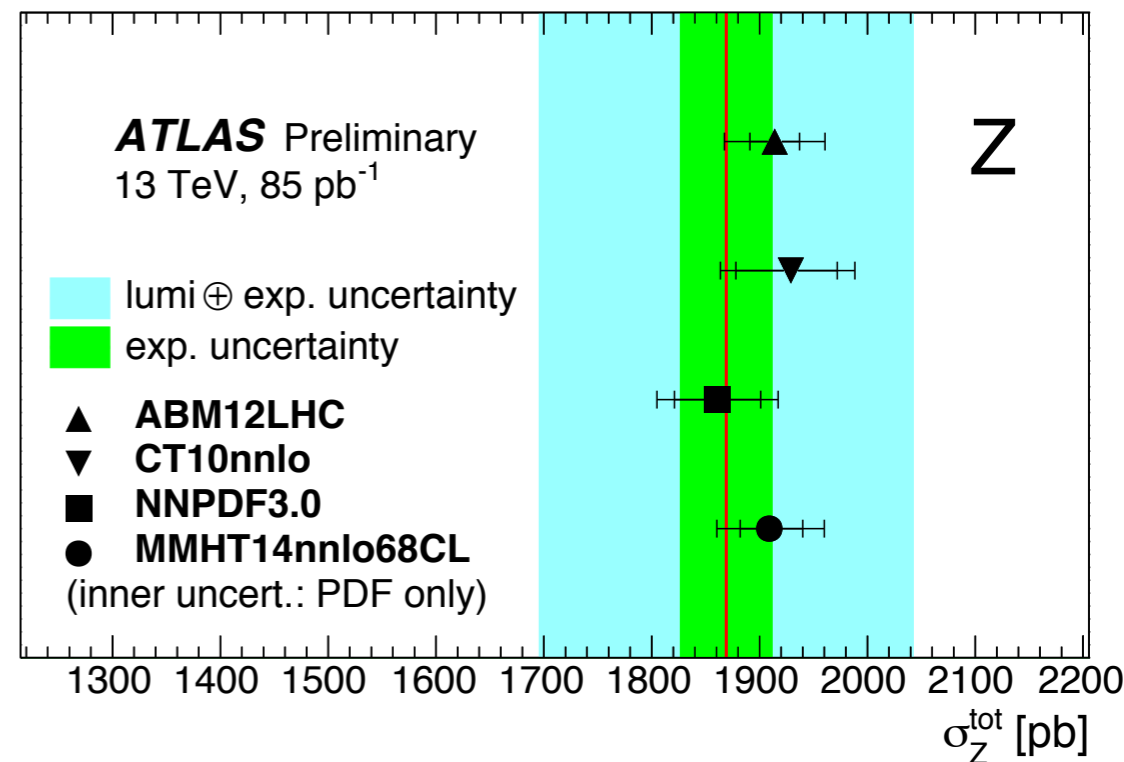
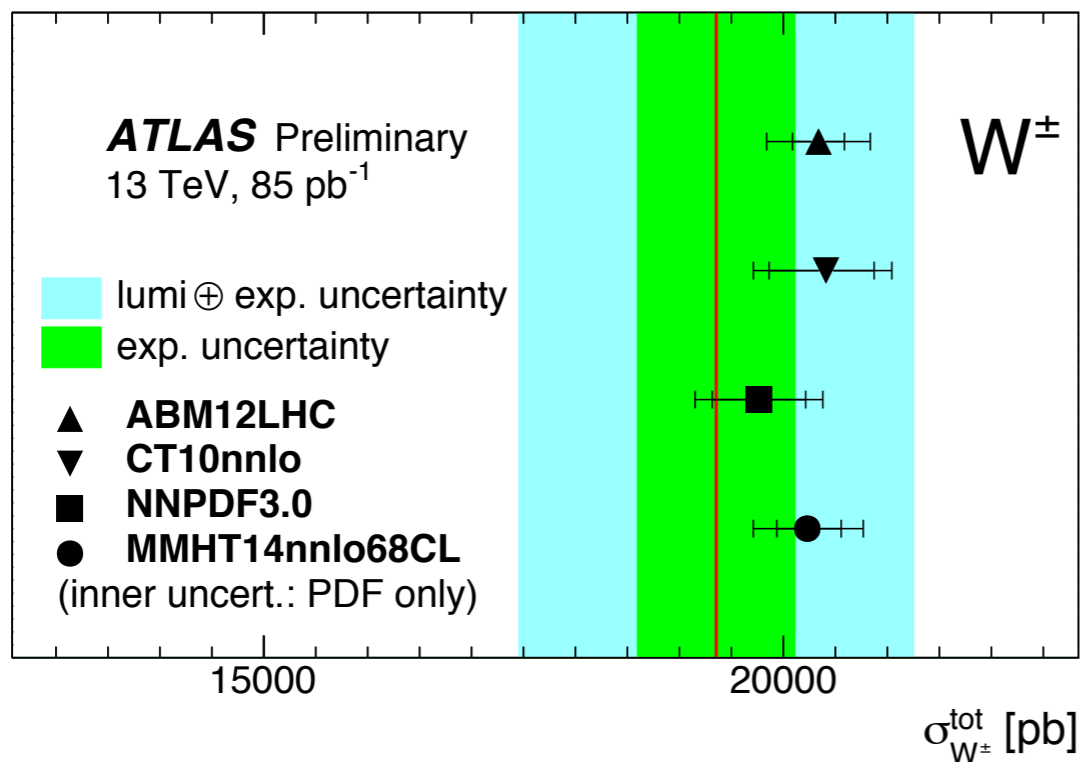
- 50 ns run, $L = 85\text{pb}^{-1}$
- single lepton triggers with $p_T > 24$ (20) GeV for e (μ) \rightarrow final selection $p_T^{\text{lep}} > 25$ GeV
- W: MET > 25 GeV, $m_T > 50$ GeV ~ 1 M evts
- Z: $66 < m_{ll} < 116$ GeV $\sim 80\text{K}$ evts



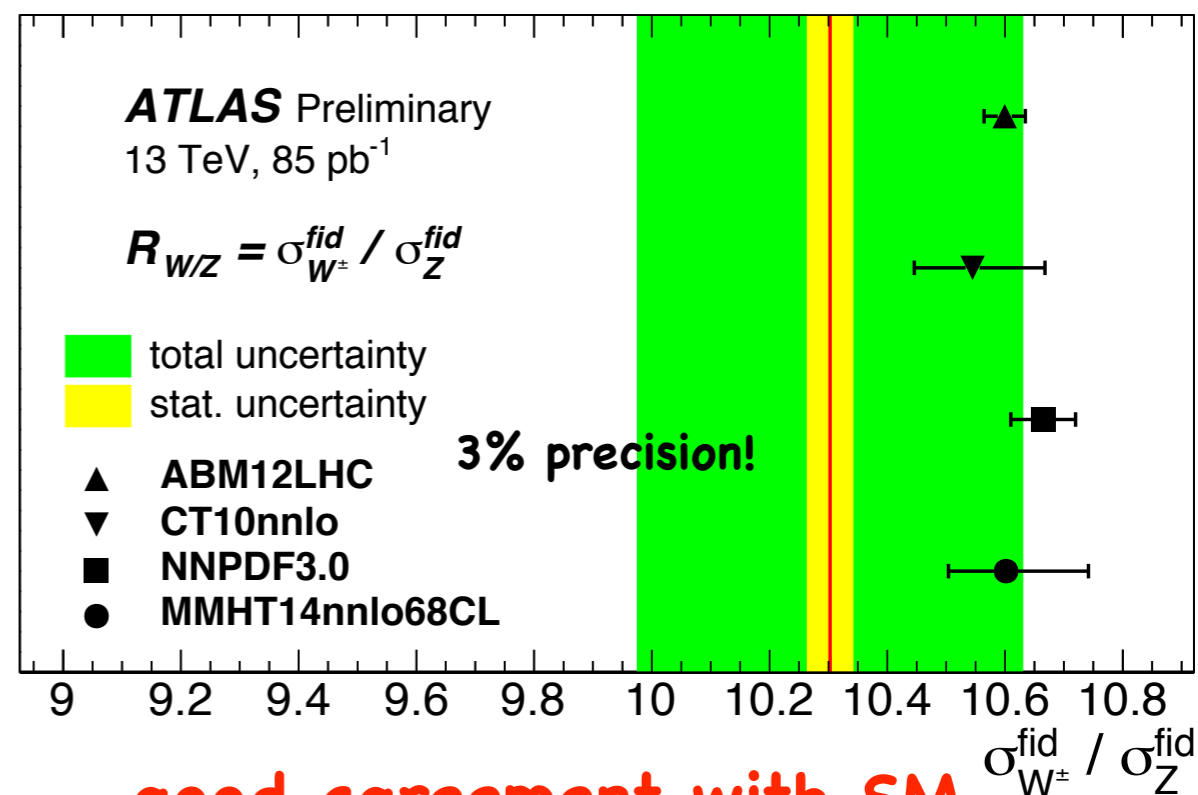
- dominant systematics:
 - luminosity
 - lepton efficiencies
 - backgrounds
 - JES



W/Z Boson Cross Sections



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Z+j XS measured in [ATLAS-CONF-2015-041](#)

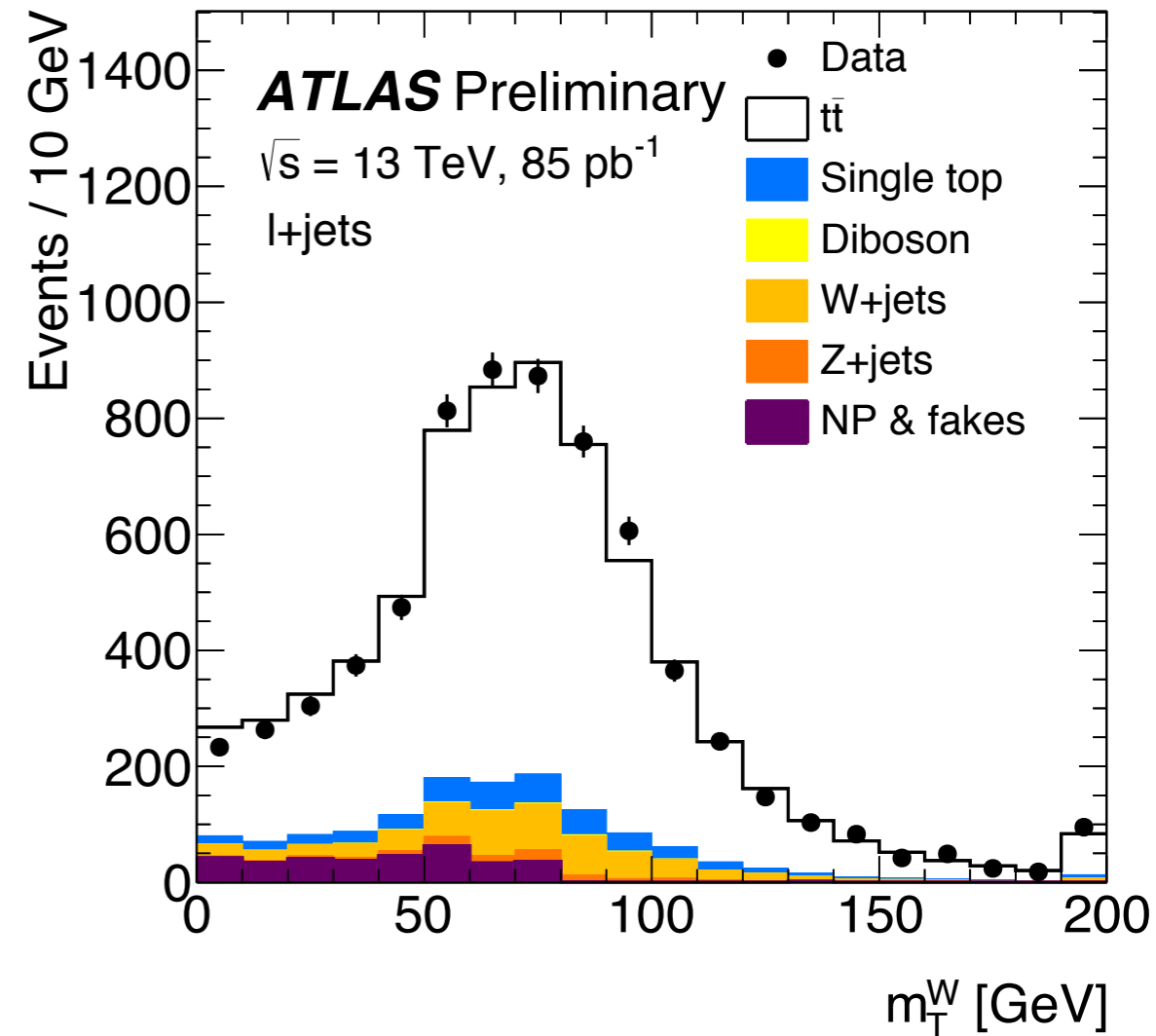
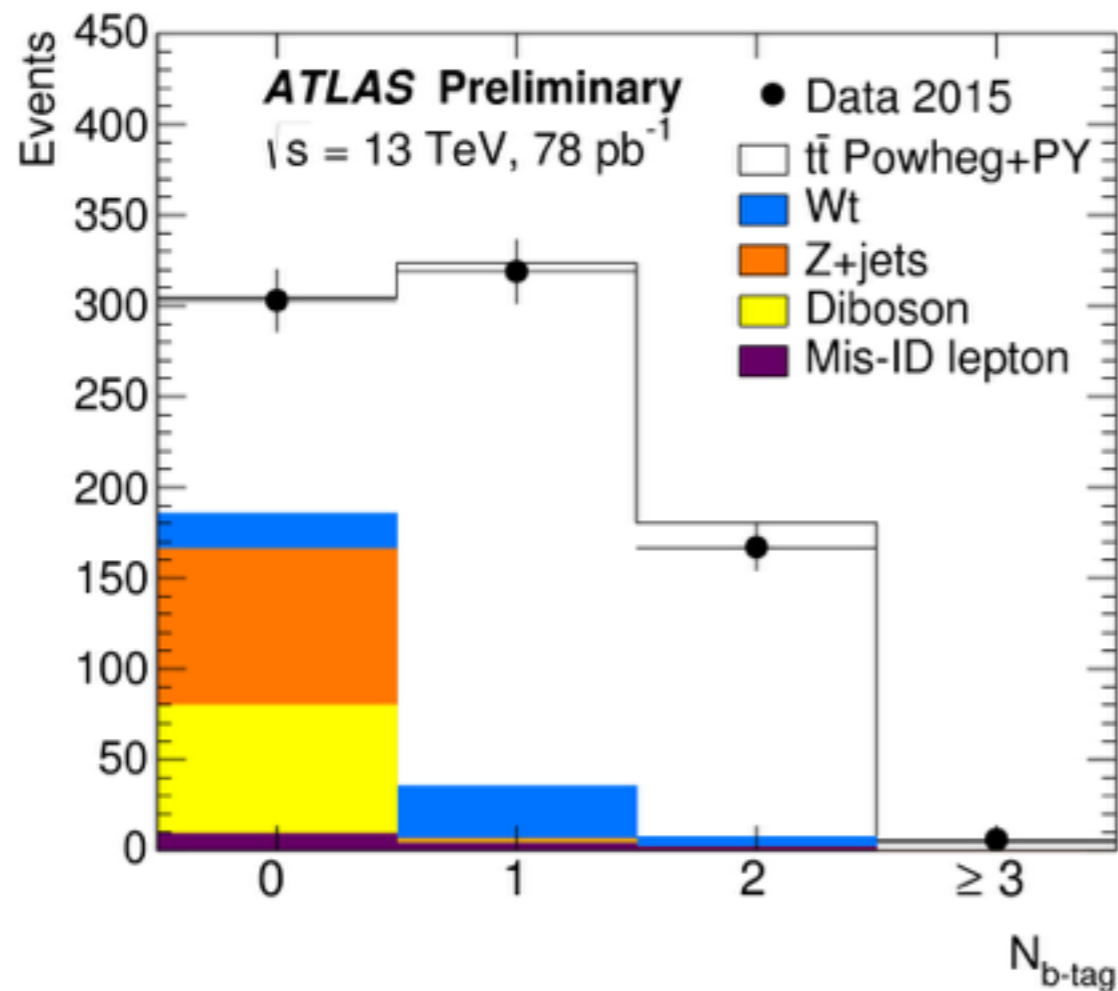


top cross section



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- single lepton triggers > 25 GeV
- exactly 2 leptons with opposite charge
- $60 < m_{ll} < 81$ GeV \parallel $m_{ll} > 101$ GeV; MET > 30 GeV
- exactly one or two b-Tagged jets (MV2c20 70%)



pure in top

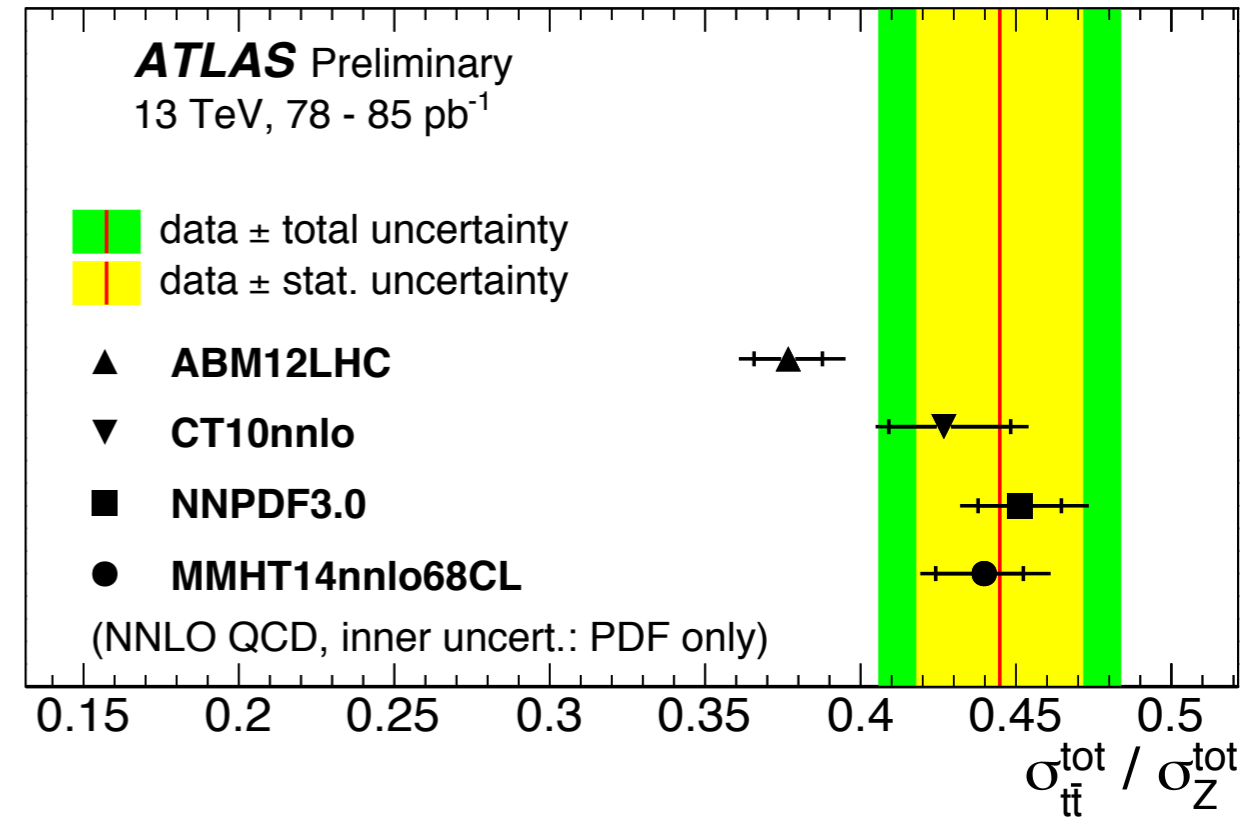
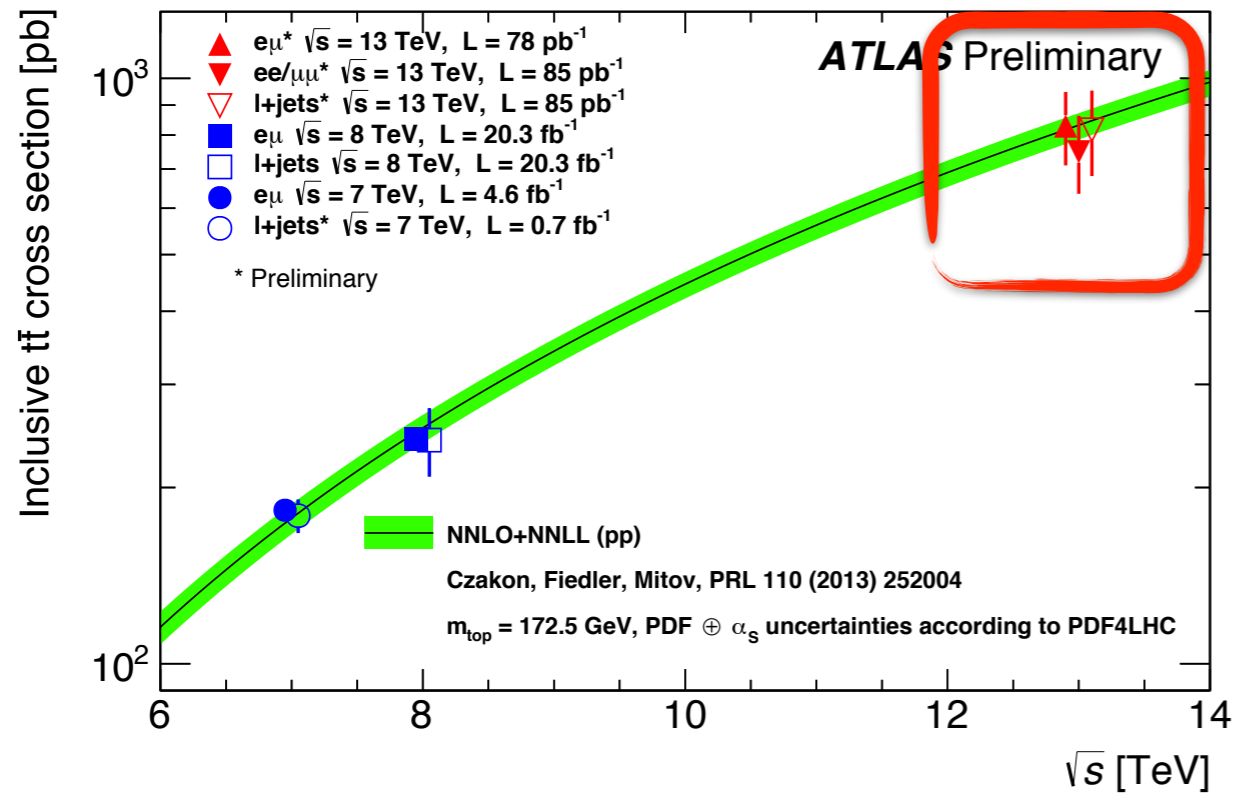
good agreement with SM backgrounds



top cross section



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agreement within uncertainties

$$\sigma_{tt} = 829 \pm 50 \text{ (stat)} \pm 56 \text{ (syst)} \pm 83 \text{ (lumi)} \text{ pb.}$$

$$R_{tt/z} = 0.445 \pm 0.027 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.028 \text{ (syst)} = 0.445 \pm 0.039$$

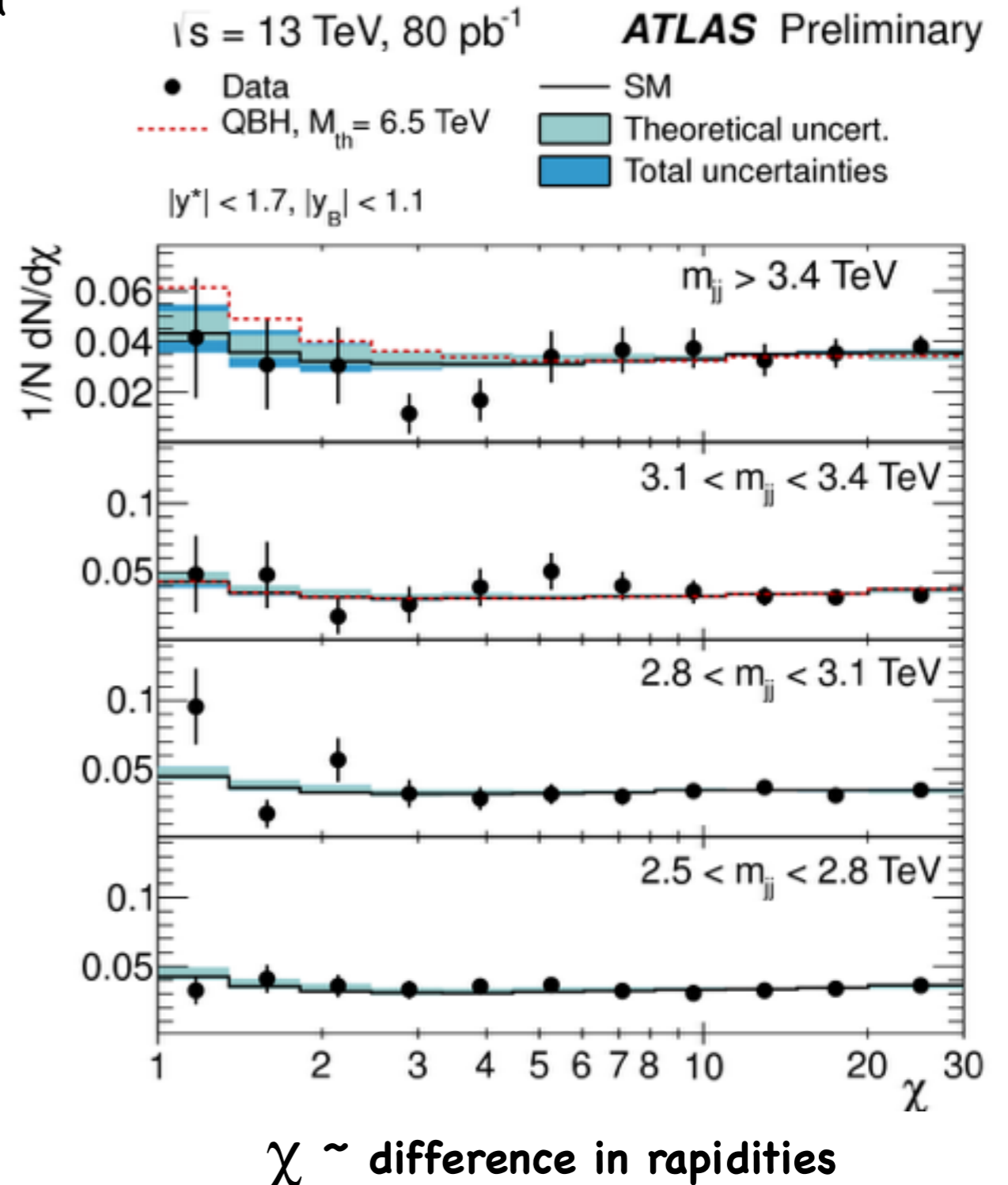
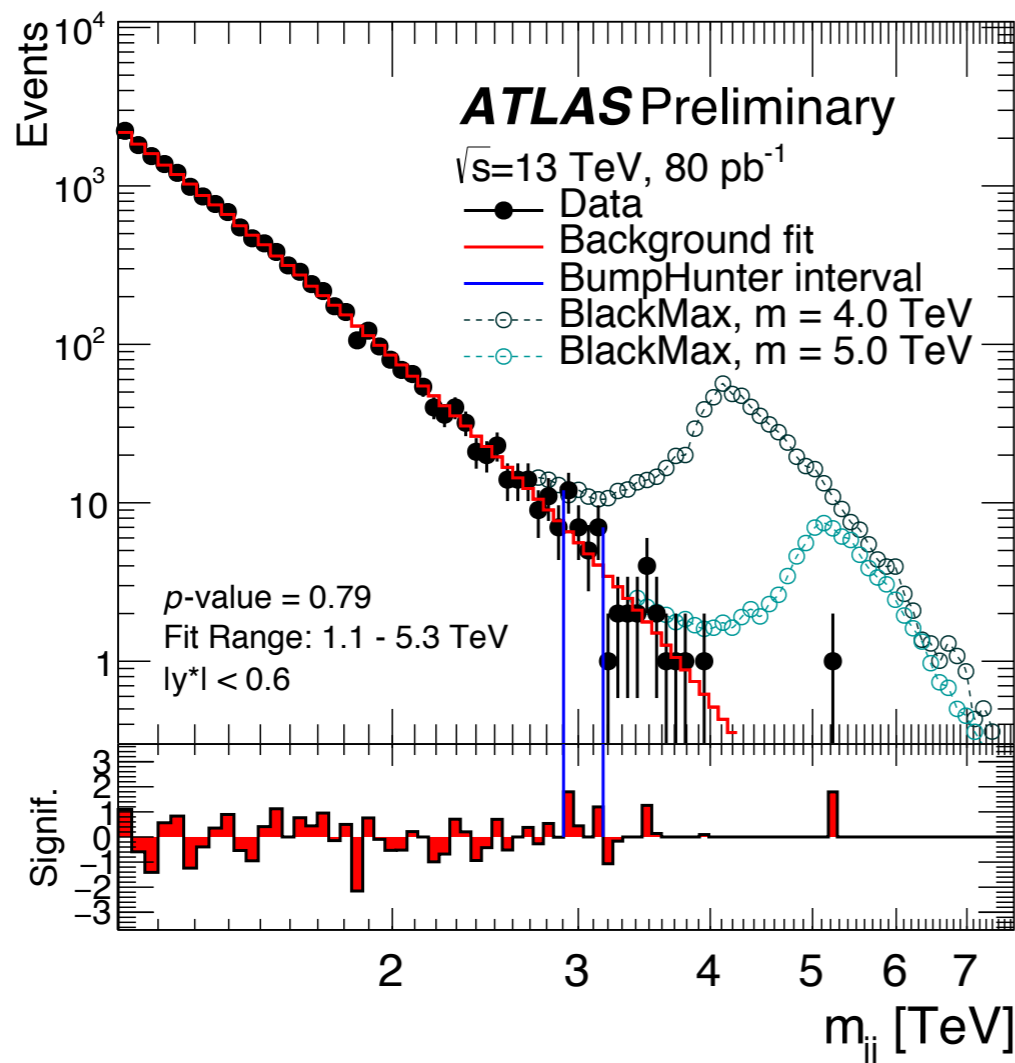


Dijet searches



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- High- p_T searches do not use July data due to a trigger problem
- central production, highest p_T (> 360 GeV)
- di-jet invariant mass spectrum (> 1.1 TeV)
- Quantum Black Holes models



no significant deviations observed, limit extended to 6.5 TeV (+1TeV wrt Run1)



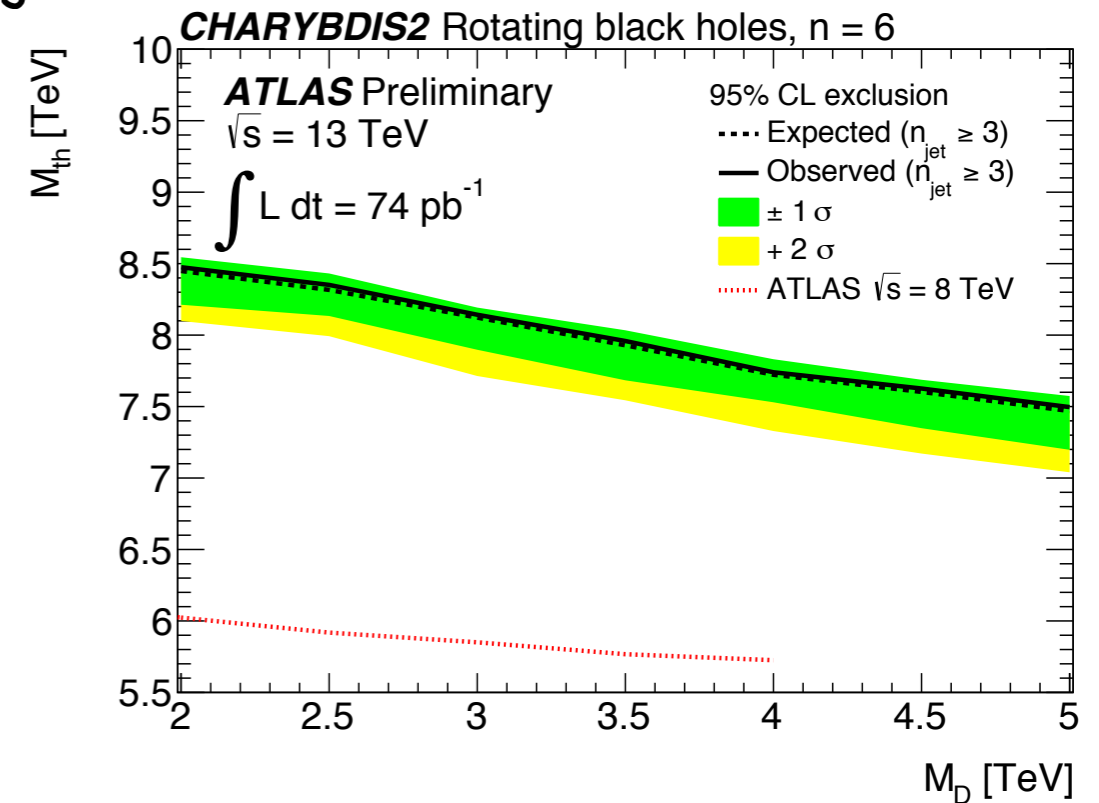
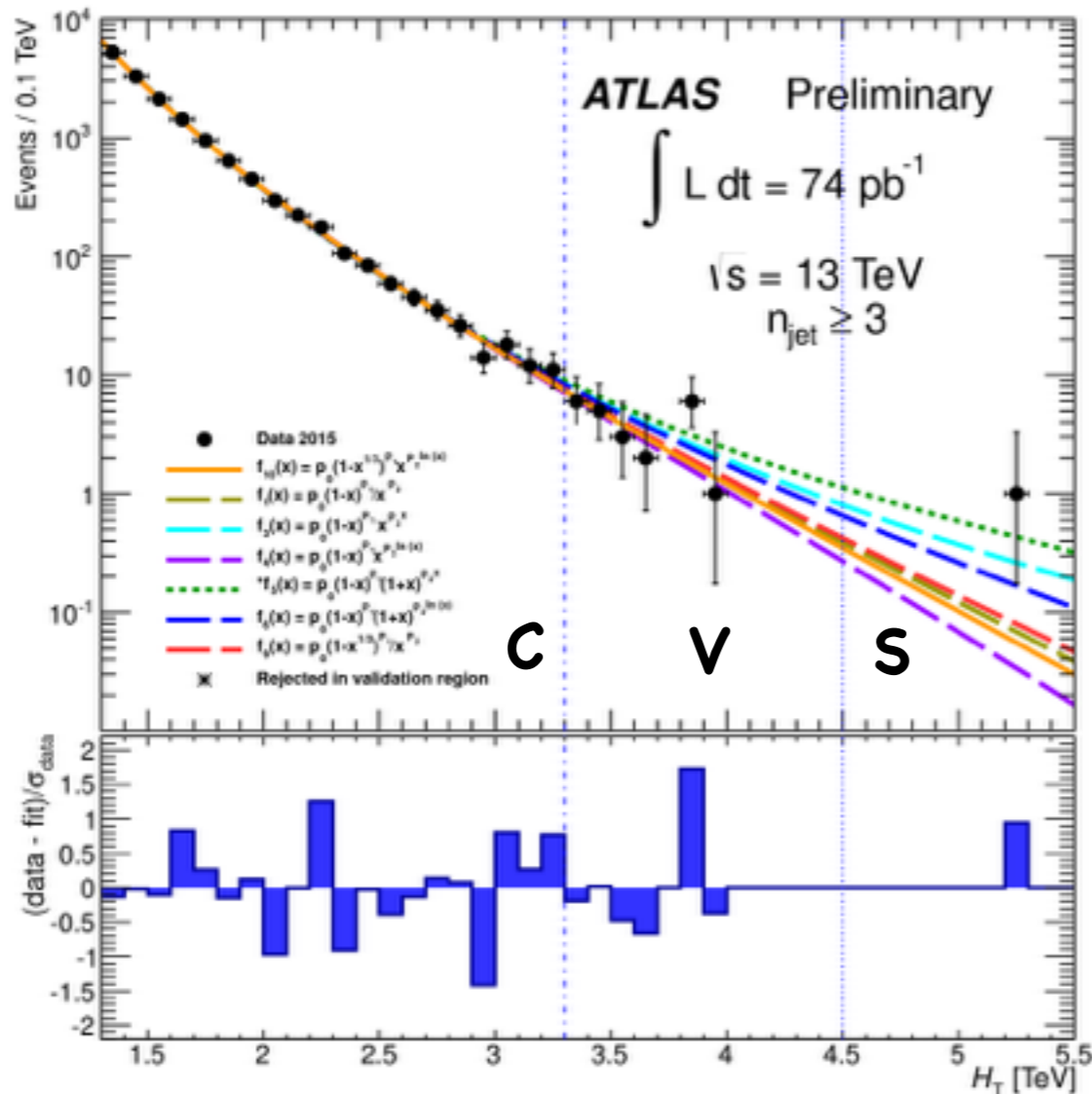
Multijet searches



[ATLAS-CONF-2015-043](#)

- at least 3 jets, $H_T > 1$ TeV
- Control (fitted) \rightarrow Validation \rightarrow Signal region
- models with additional space-time dimensions

Lepton+jet searches - [ATLAS-CONF-2015-046](#) - show also consistency with SM



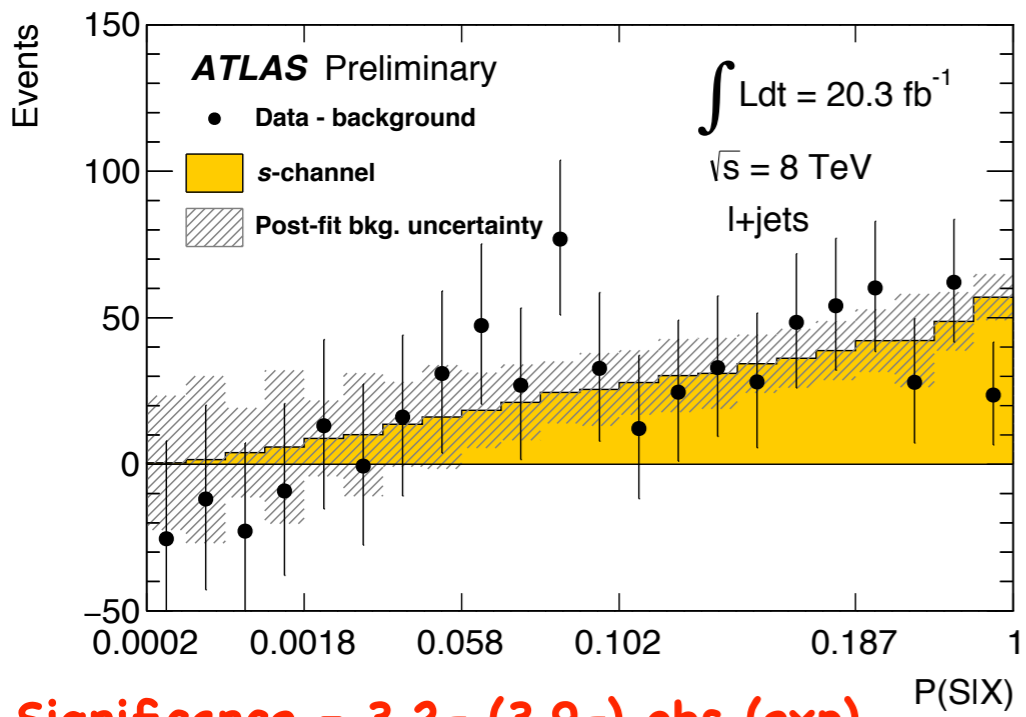
Limits are significantly extended wrt Run1, yet no evidence for deviations from SM was observed



Brief selection of latest Run1 Highlights

[ATLAS-CONF-2015-047](#)

- 8 TeV analysis (20.3 fb^{-1}), single lepton triggers
- single top s-channel production, leptonic W decays, Matrix element method



Significance = 3.2σ (3.9σ) obs (exp)

$\sigma = 4.8^{+2.5}_{-2.2} \text{ pb}$

[arXiv:1508.06608](#)

- SUSY Run1 summary on phenomenological MSSM (19 parameteres)
- 22 ATLAS searches considered (Inclusive, 3rd generation of squarks, EW produced,...)

- Run1 ATLAS+CMS coupling combinations
- $H \rightarrow ZZ, WW, \gamma\gamma, \tau\tau, bb$ & $\mu\mu$

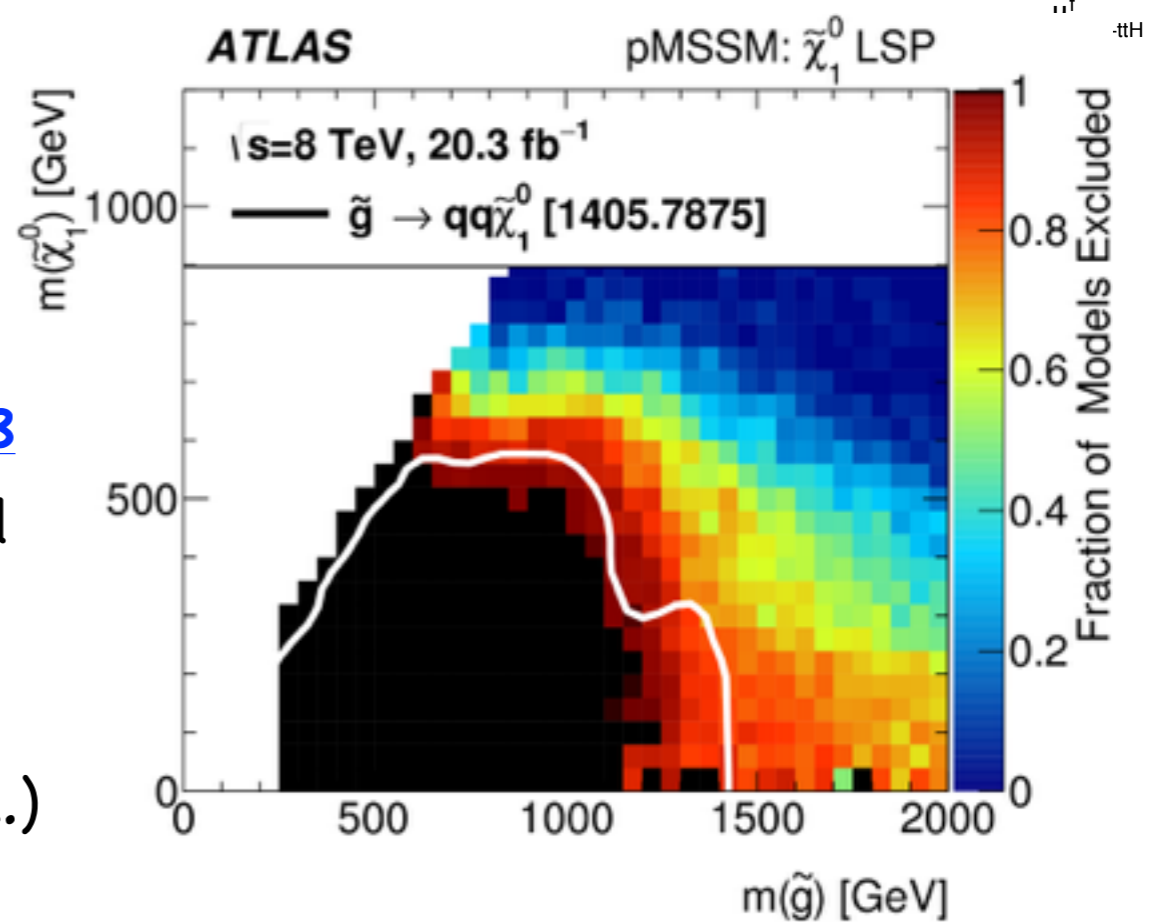
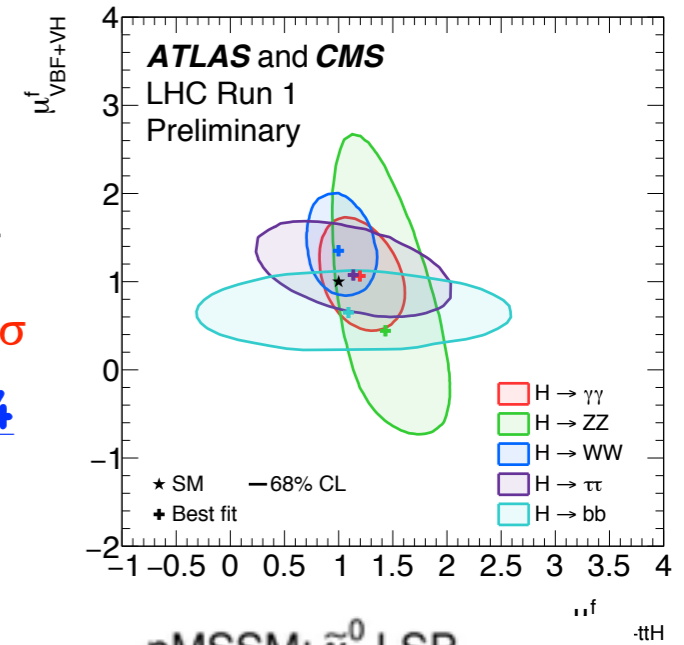
$\mu = 1.09^{+0.11}_{-0.10}$

Significance (VBF) = 5.4σ

Significance ($H \rightarrow \tau\tau$) = 5.5σ

[ATLAS-CONF-2015-044](#)

[CMS-PAS-HIG-15-002](#)

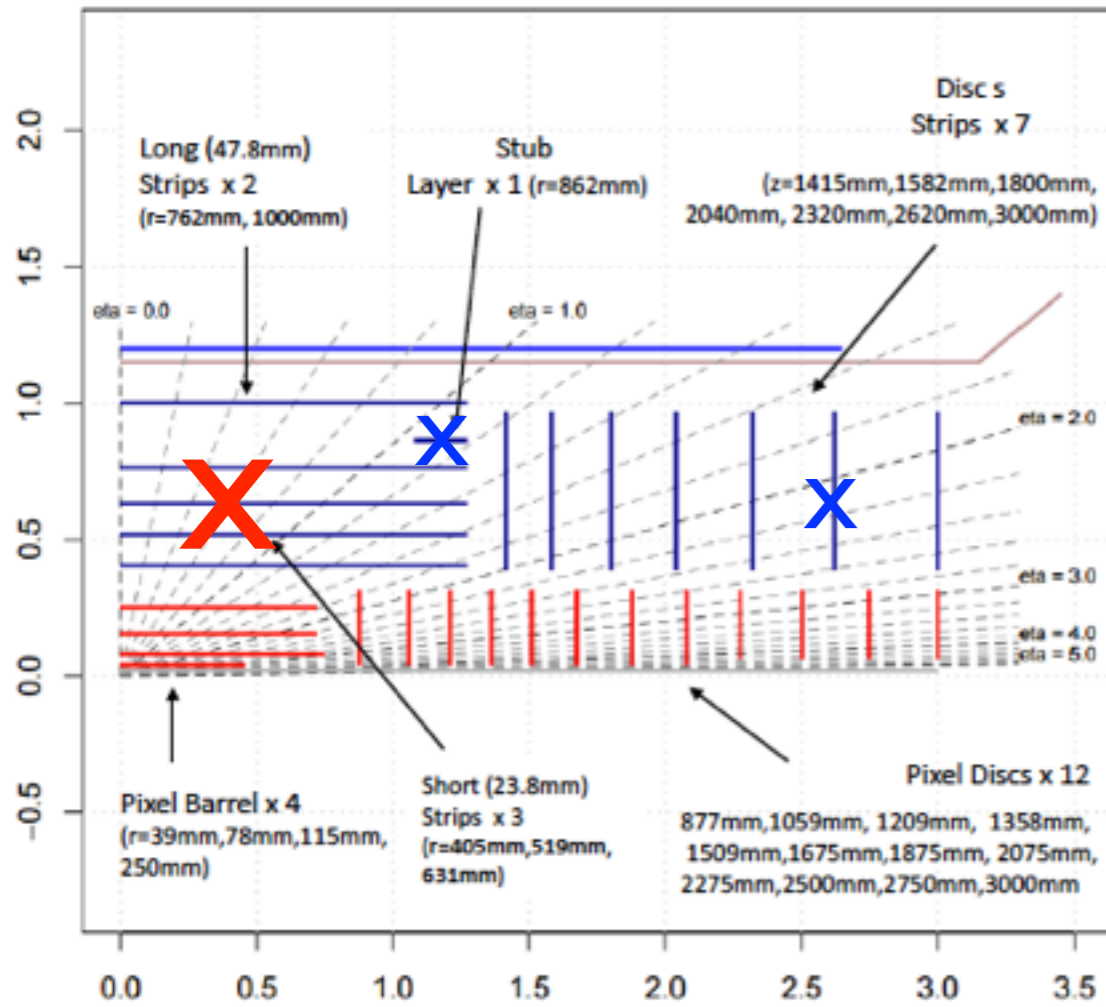




Into the future...



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● 3 Scoping Scenarios for $\mu=200$ and $L=3ab$:

● **275MCHF - "Reference"**

● ITk up to $|\eta| = 4.0$, sFCAL, timing detectors...

● **235MCHF - "Middle"**

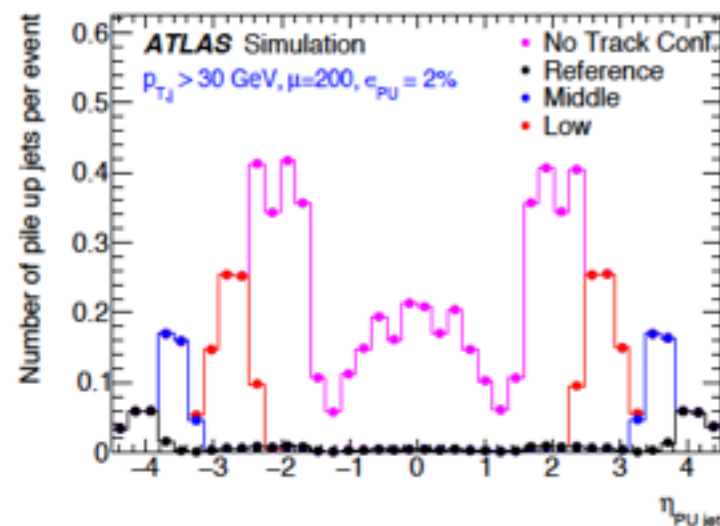
● ITk up to $|\eta| = 3.2$, central region degradation

● **200MCHF - "Low"**

● ITk up to $|\eta| = 2.7$, significant central region degradation

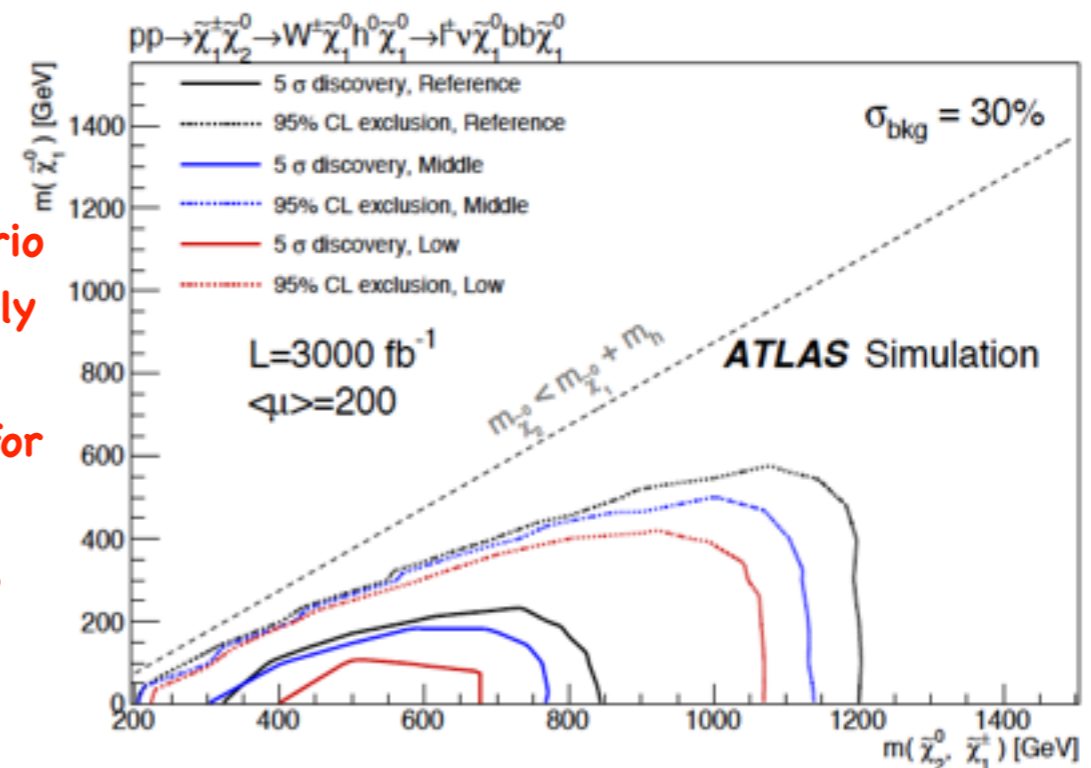
HWW VBF, ~100% degradation from Ref->Low

Scoping Scenario	without theo. unc.		with theo. unc.	
	$\Delta\mu/\mu$	Z_0 -value (σ)	$\Delta\mu/\mu$	Z_0 -value (σ)
Reference	0.14	8.0	0.20	5.7
Middle	0.20	5.4	0.25	4.4
Low	0.30	3.5	0.39	2.7



distribution of pile up jets (> 30 GeV) and effect of PU mitigation in the tracker range

Low scenario dramatically reduces potential for SUSY searches





Summary



- **Huge thanks to the LHC** team for the good start and rapidly increasing luminosity!
- **ATLAS has restarted successfully**
 - Detector is in good shape and running quite smoothly
 - recorded now 0.8 fb^{-1} with a data-taking efficiency of 91%
- Detailed performance studies ongoing, demonstrating already a **good understanding of the 2015 data**
- Exploring the landscape of **physics at 13 TeV** with measurements of inclusive, jet, W, Z and top production processes
- **Sensitivity** to beyond-the-SM physics starts to **extend beyond Run-1**
- Eagerly awaiting more data in 2015!

Full list of 13 TeV results
can be found [here](#)



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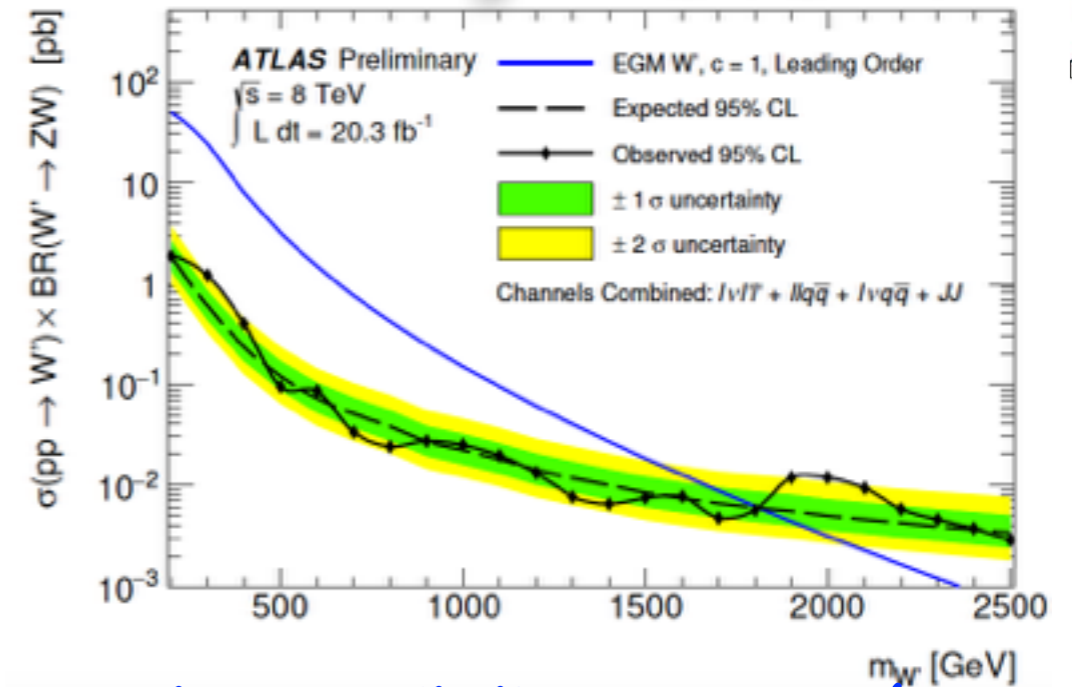


Run1 Searches for new heavy bosons

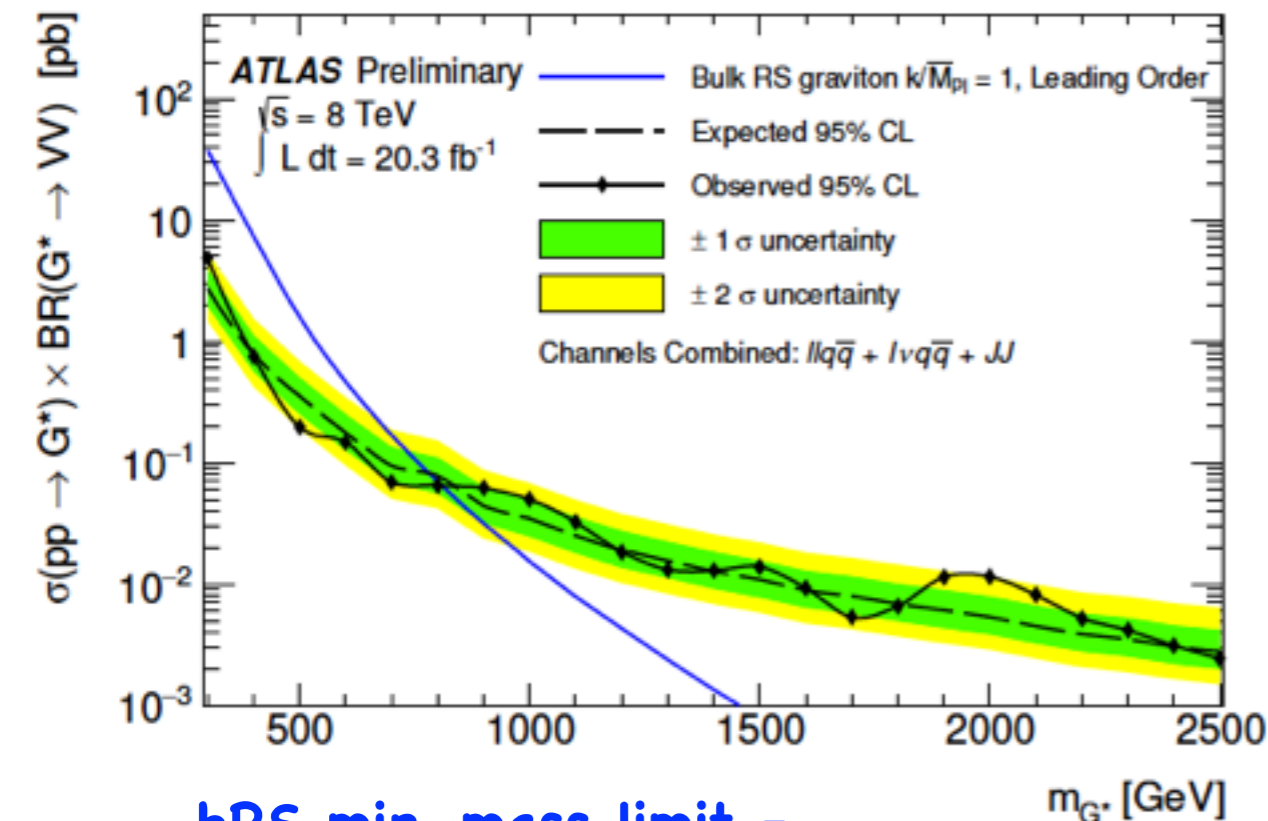


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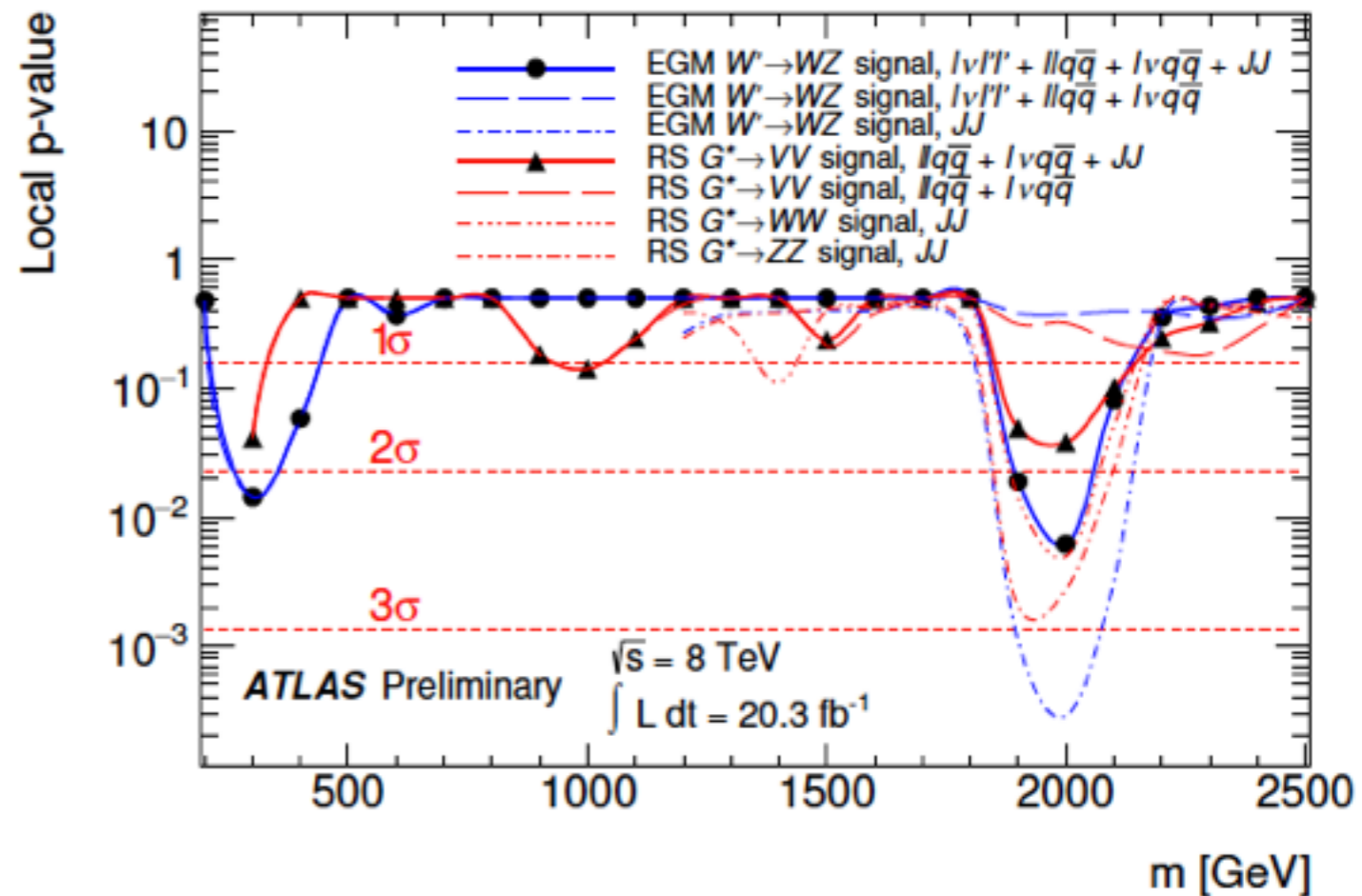
- $lv'l'$, $llqq$, $lvqq$ and JJ final states
 - J ... CA R=1.2 jets \rightarrow groomed (mass drop)
- Extended Gauge Model (EGM, W')
- bulk-Randall-Sundrum (RS, G^*)



EGW min. mass limit = 1.81 TeV (exp = obs)



bRS min. mass limit =
790 (810) GeV exp (obs)





ATLAS Status



ATLAS pp run: June-August 2015										
Inner Tracker			Calorimeters		Muon Spectrometer				Magnets	
Pixel	SCT	TRT	LAr	Tile	MDT	RPC	CSC	TGC	Solenoid	Toroid
98.5	99.7	100	99.1	100	100	99.3	100	100	100	99.6

Luminosity weighted relative detector uptime (in percent) and good quality data delivery during the stable beams in pp collisions at 13 TeV between June-August 2015, corresponding to 173 pb⁻¹ recorded luminosity.

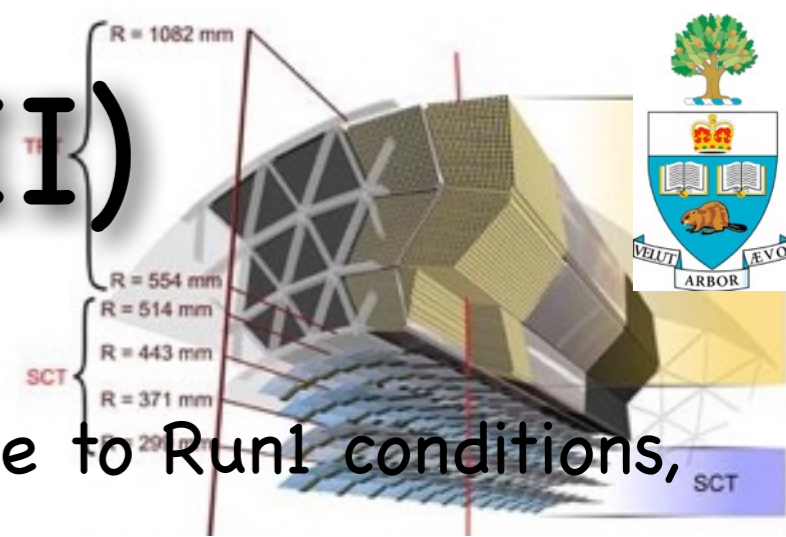
period	date	bunch spacing	μ_{Max}	L_{peak} [10 ³² cm ⁻² s ⁻¹]	$L_{recorded}$ [pb ⁻¹]	L_{total} [pb ⁻¹]
A	3.6.-14.6.	50ns	27.6	1.4	7.9	7.9
B	9.6.-13.6.	2000ns	0.3	4.5x10 ⁻³	0.0145	7.9
C	4.7.-20.7.	50ns	27.4	16.0	101	109
D	12.8.-23.8.	25ns	29.4	10.5	105	214

EPS dataset

LHCP dataset



Inner Detector (II)

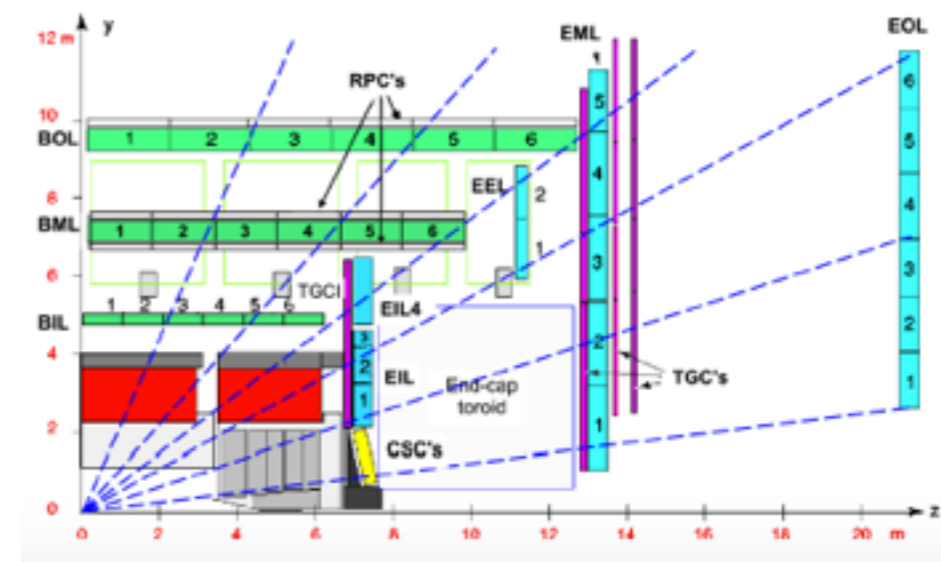
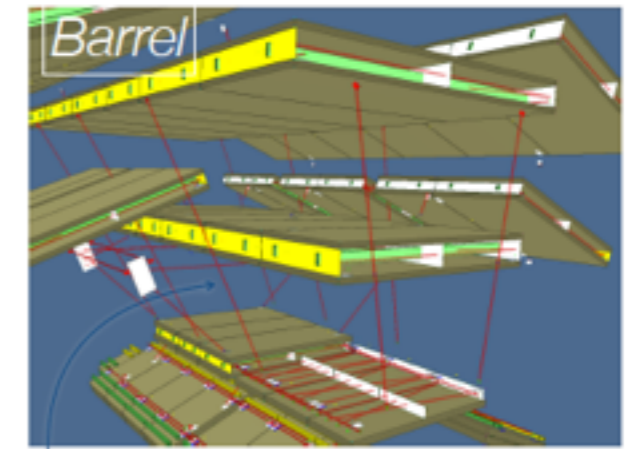
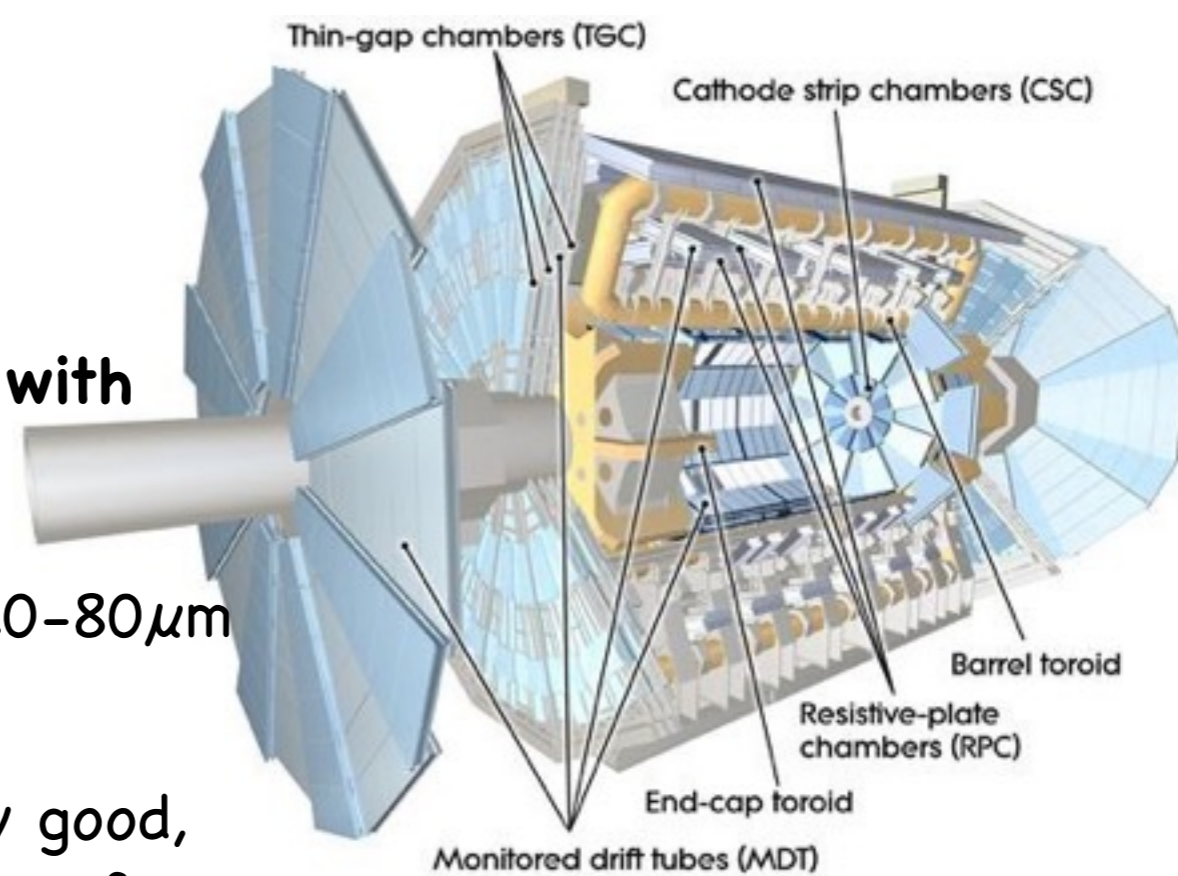


- **SCT** - Noise, gain and operating voltage comparable to Run1 conditions, Excellent data taking efficiency
 - SCT vetoing signals from "previous" BX causes inefficiencies during 25 ns running (negligible effect on the data)
- **TRT** operates smoothly and provides high DQ, preparing HW and SW tools to run with high μ and 25ns
 - HV Protection system against overshoot at the beam dump implemented.
 - No discharges in the detector since
 - Significant ROD repair effort and ROD FW upgrade made. (10% spares, able to operate @ 100kHz)
 - due to leaks in exit pipes (50-70l/day, no new ones in Run2), Ar is used in parts of the detector instead of Xe, Kr is under testing



Muons

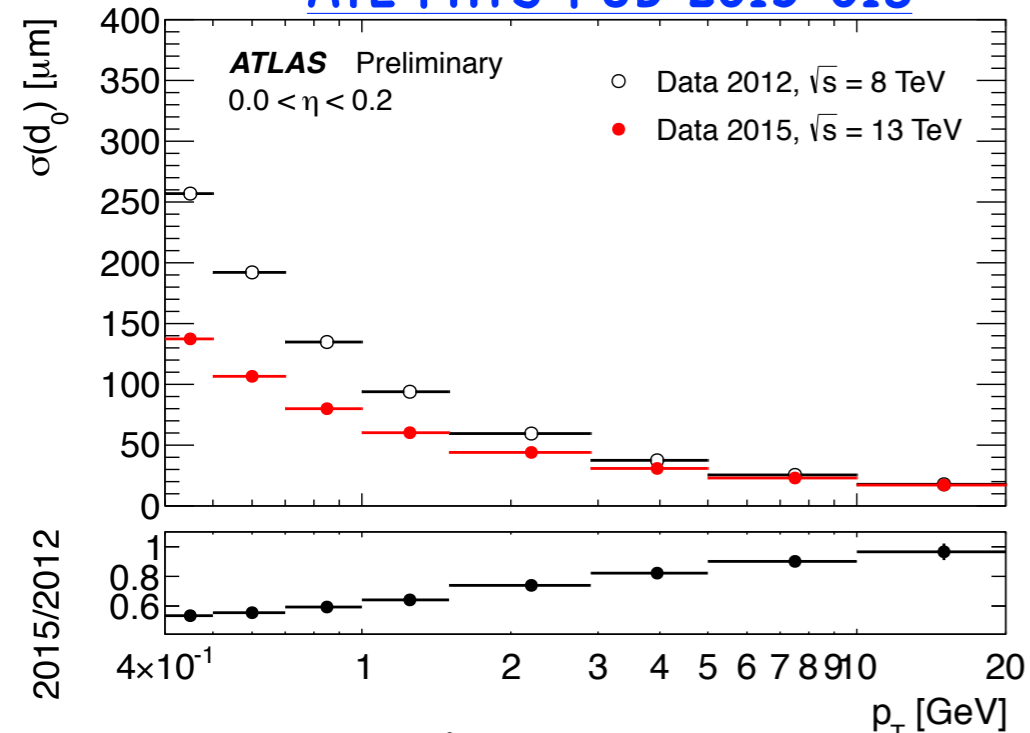
- alignment performed in July and August runs with toroid magnet off
 - resolution of **10% @ 1 TeV** needs resolution 20–80 μm (10^{-6} scale!), $\sim 30\text{M}$ muon tracks \sim collected
- overall performance of the muon systems is very good, operational teams are focusing on troubleshooting of small issues
- **CSC** – two planes OFF, 5 reduced HV
- **MDT** – noise burst study ongoing (origin in one chamber)
- **RPC** – new chambers installed in LS1 and equipped with electronics in LS1; still need some development and commissioning work
- **TGC** are ready to deploy the inner coincidence (reduction of muon trigger rates in the ECs.); timing verified (scan), Tile-muon coincidence under commissioning





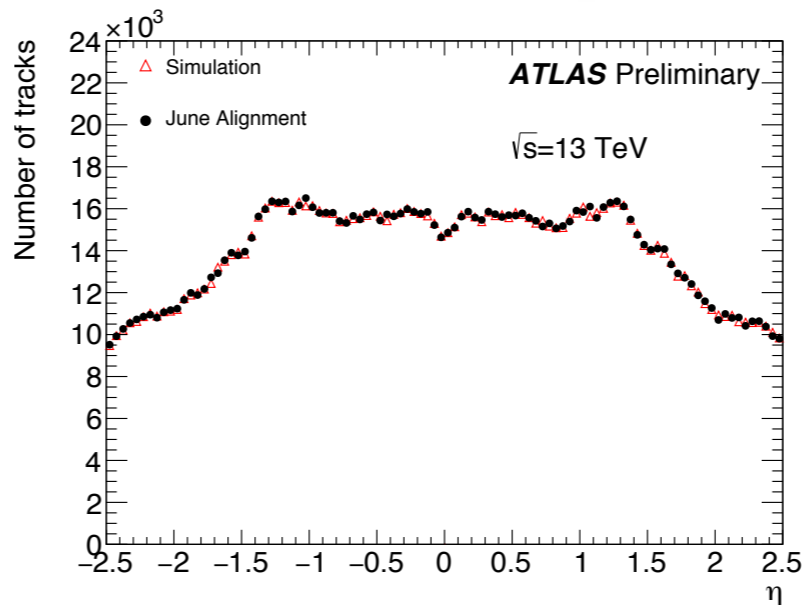
Tracking

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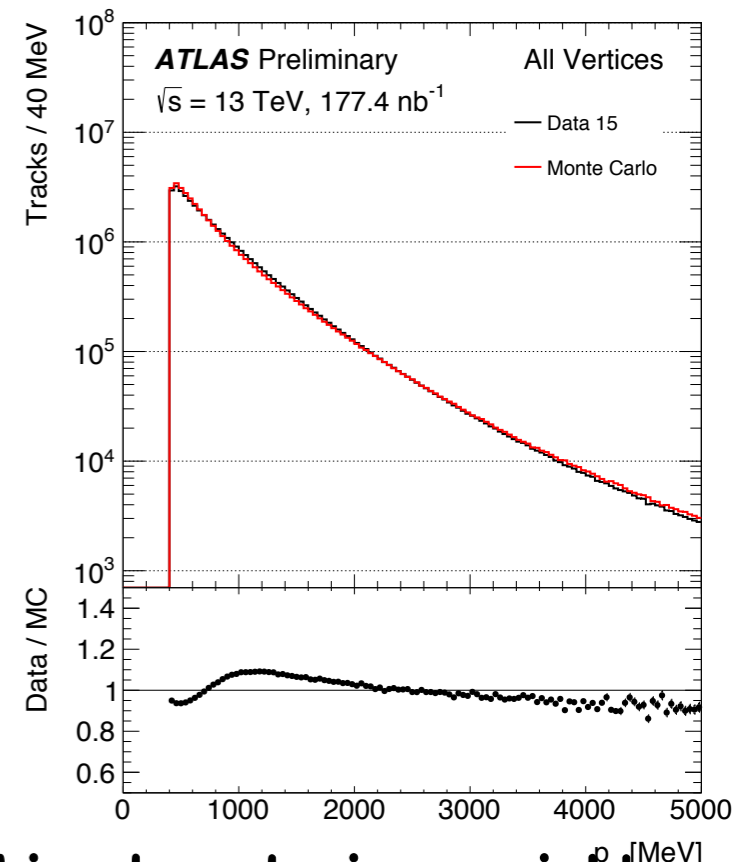
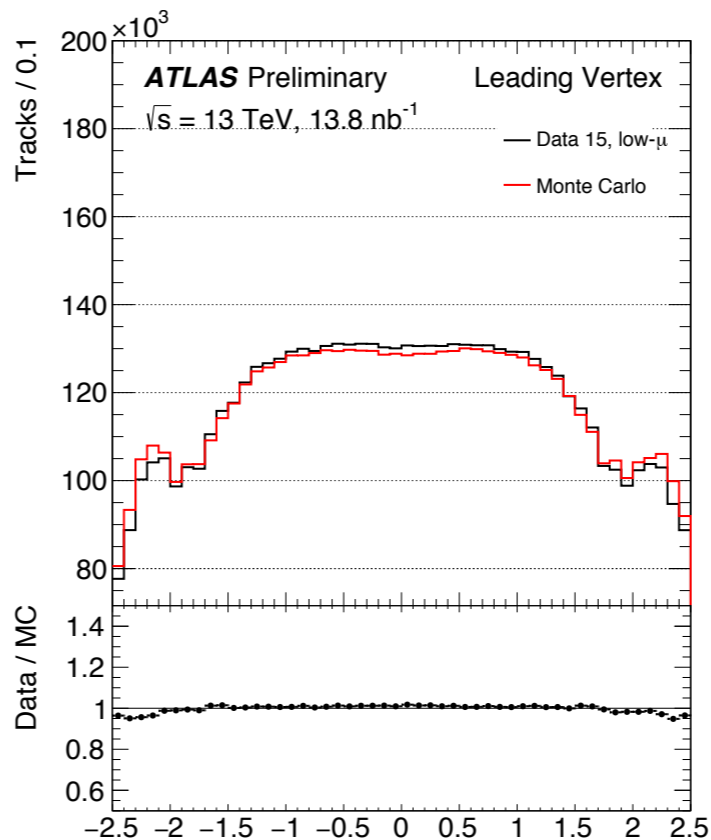
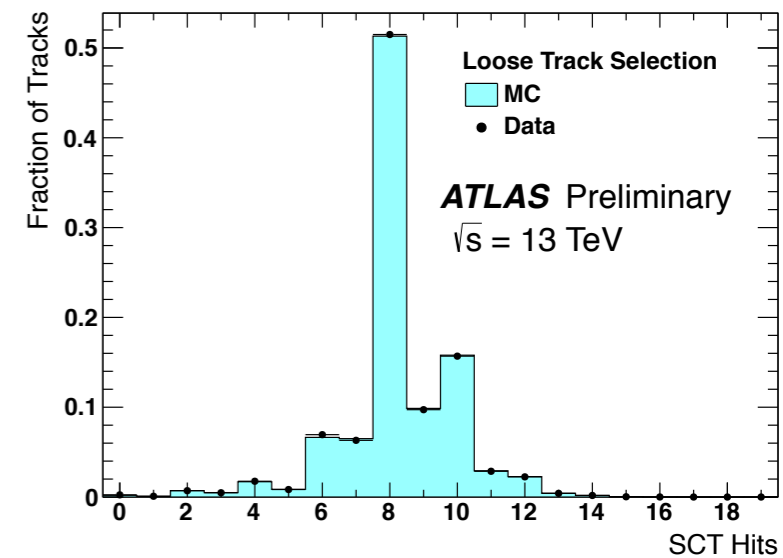


transverse impact parameter
in 2015 (+IBL) and 2012

- huge gain through IBL
- generally good agreement between data and MC



very well modelled alignment & #IBL hits



very well modelled combined vertexing variables

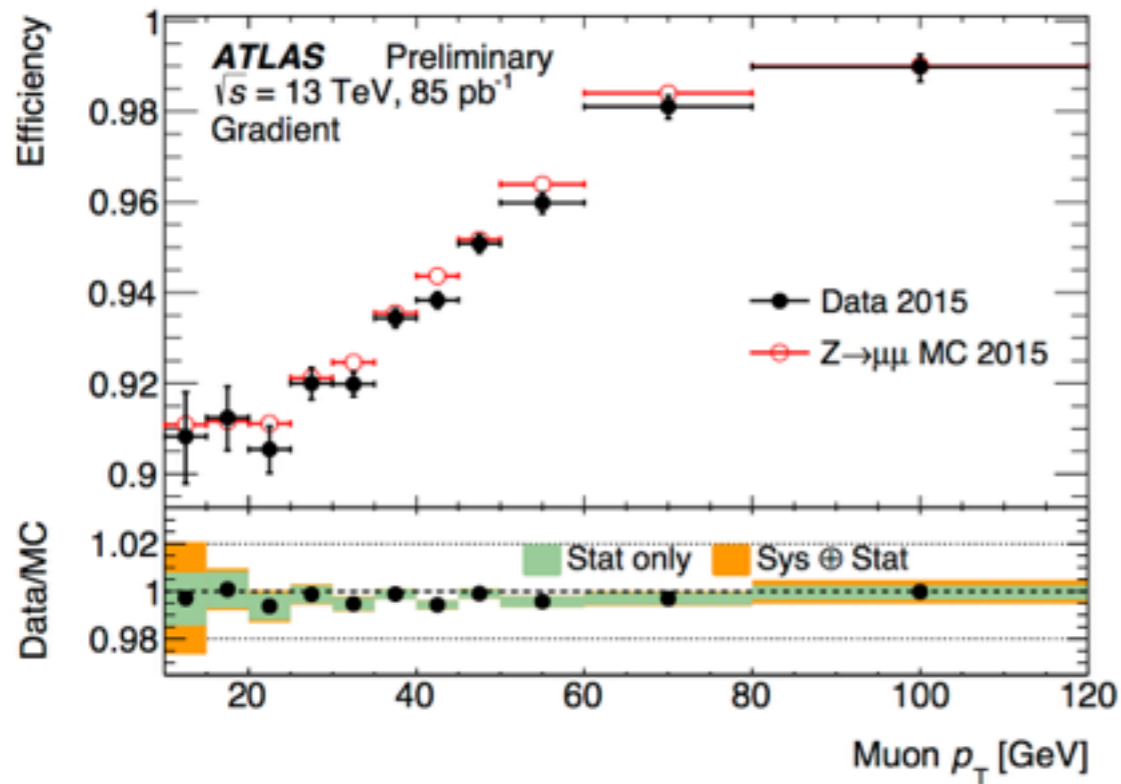


Muon reconstruction

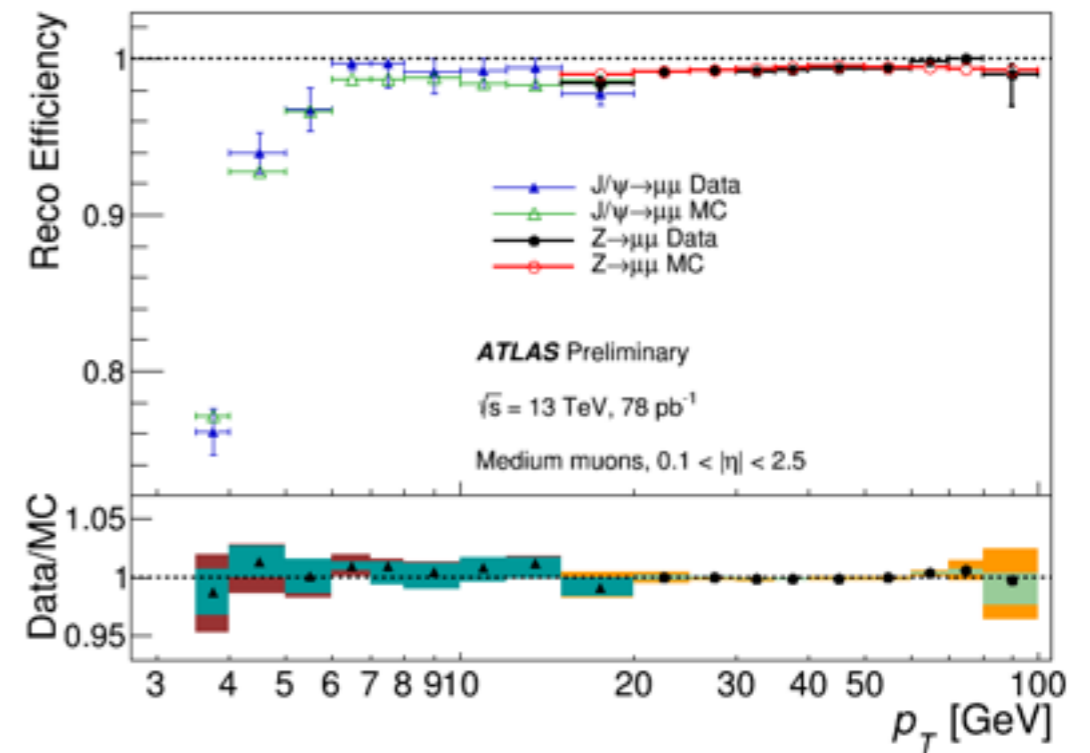


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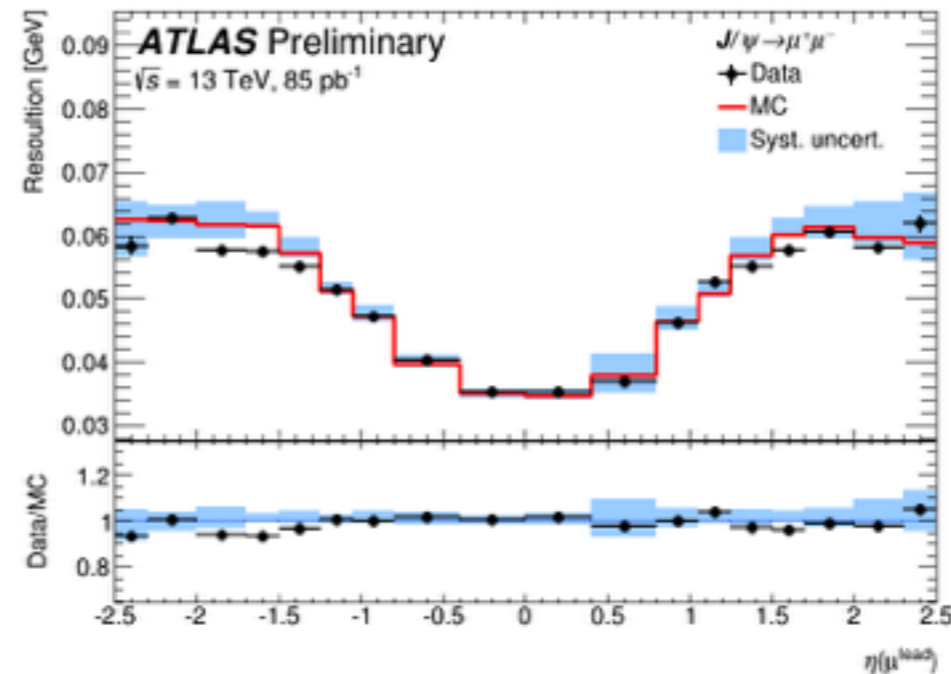
- based on 50 ns data (85 pb^{-1})
- improved acceptance ($1.0 < |\eta| < 1.4$) and reco algorithm



Efficiencies of the combined track-based and calorimeter-based isolation for the Gradient working point



excellent agreement, but large δ_{stat}



mass resolution:

J/ψ :
 35-60
 MeV

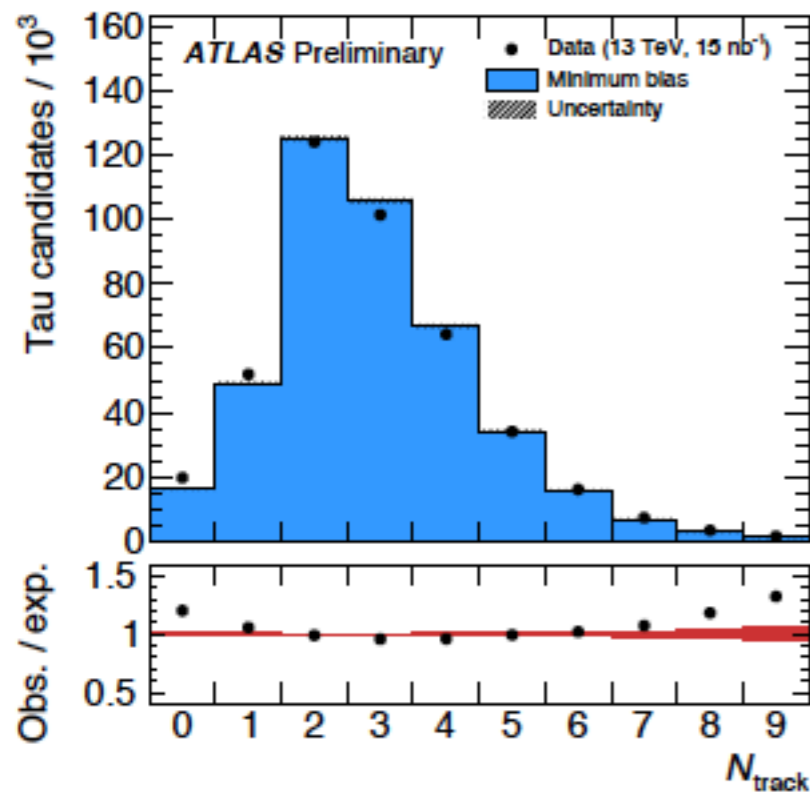
Z : 1.5-2.0
 GeV



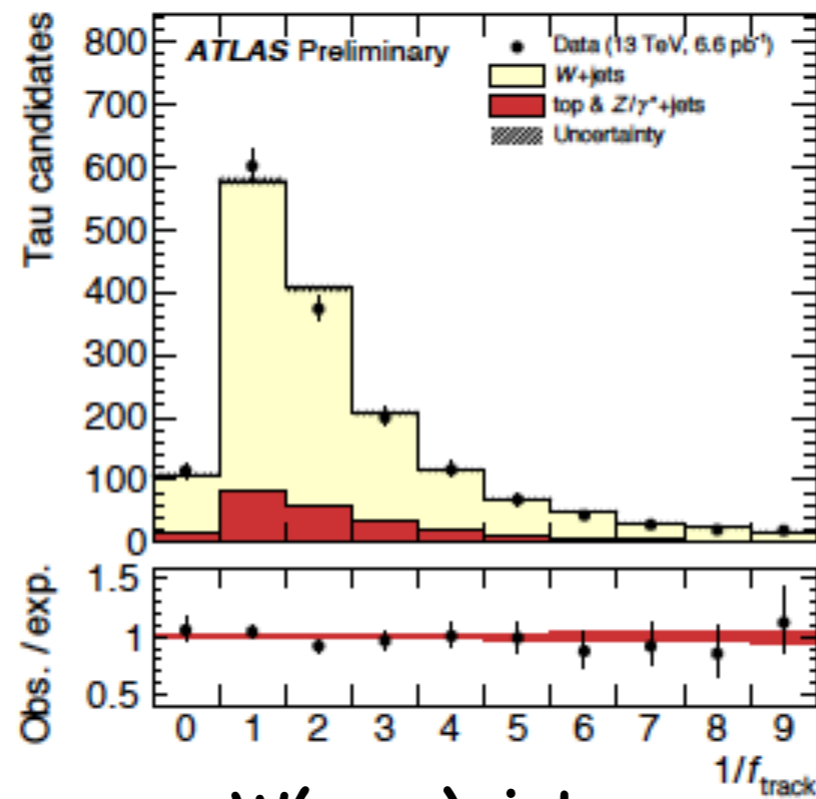
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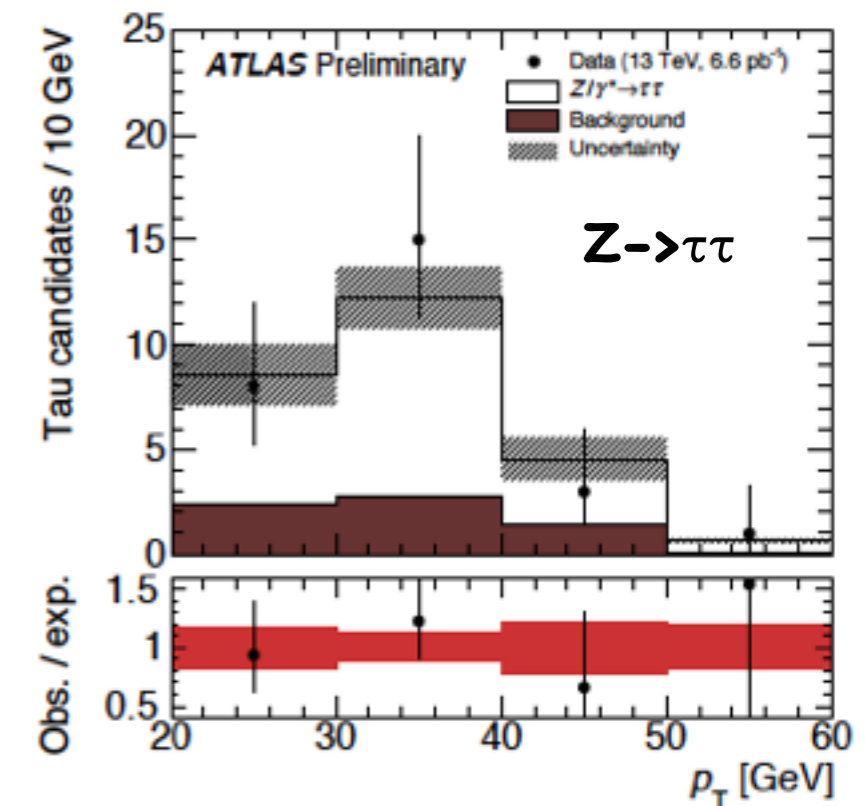
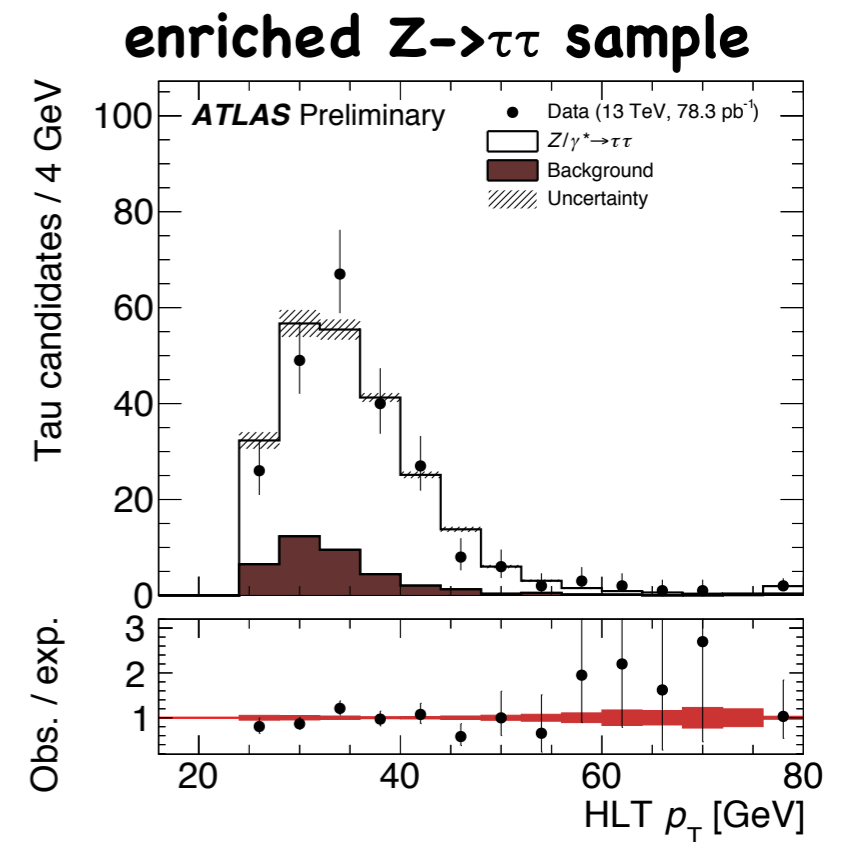
- identification based on BDT
- data samples: low μ runs (MBTS trigger) and high μ (e, μ and τ triggers)



minimum bias



$W(-\rightarrow\mu\nu)+\text{jets}$



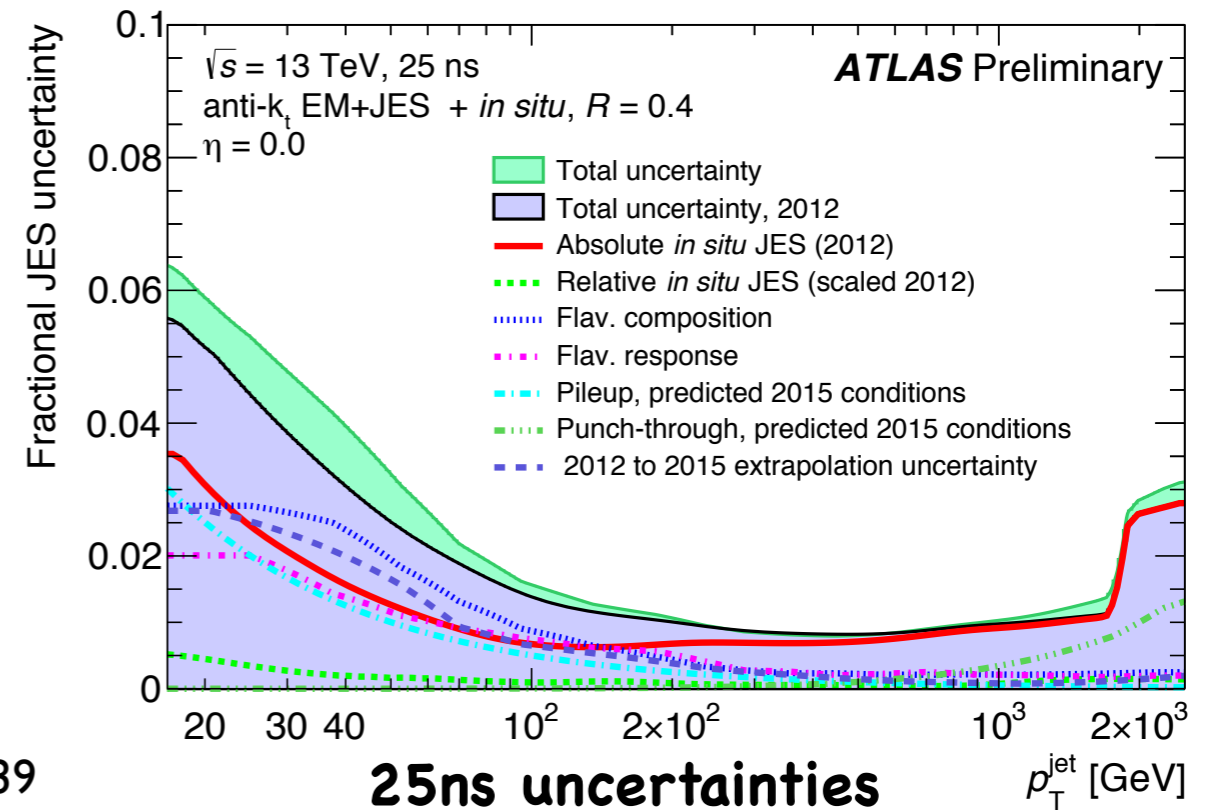
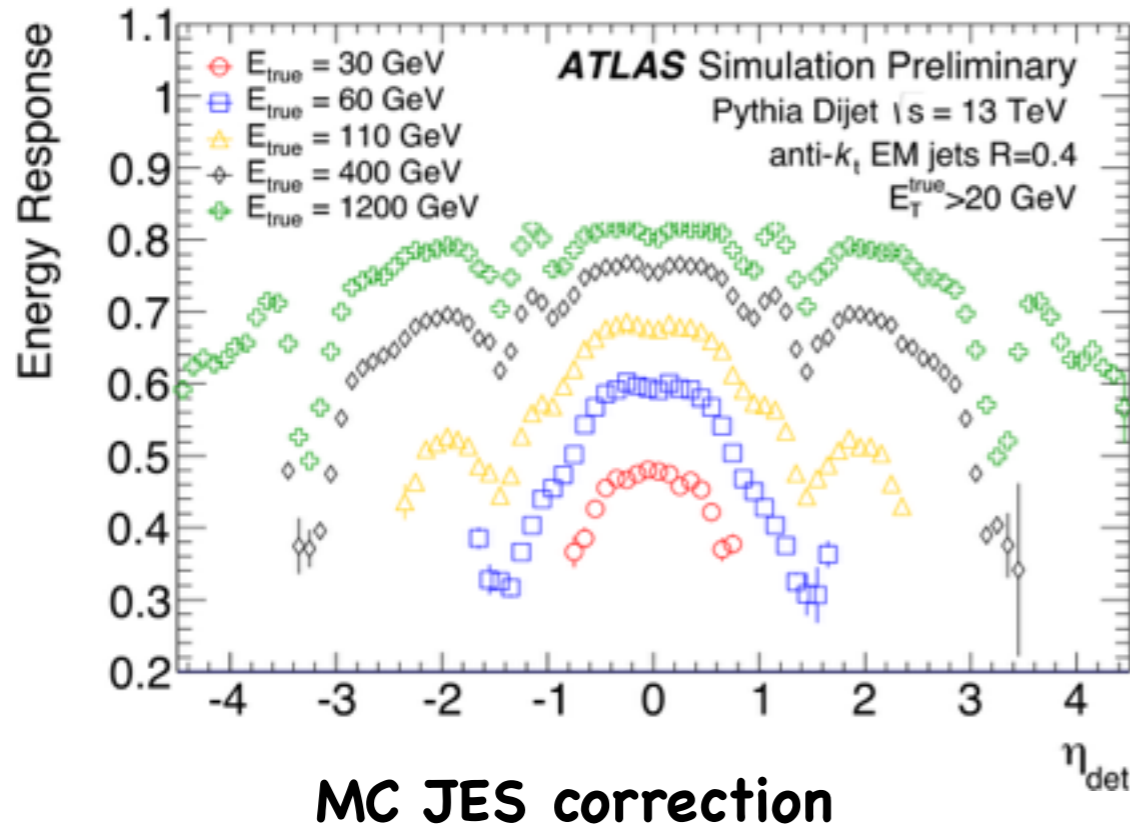
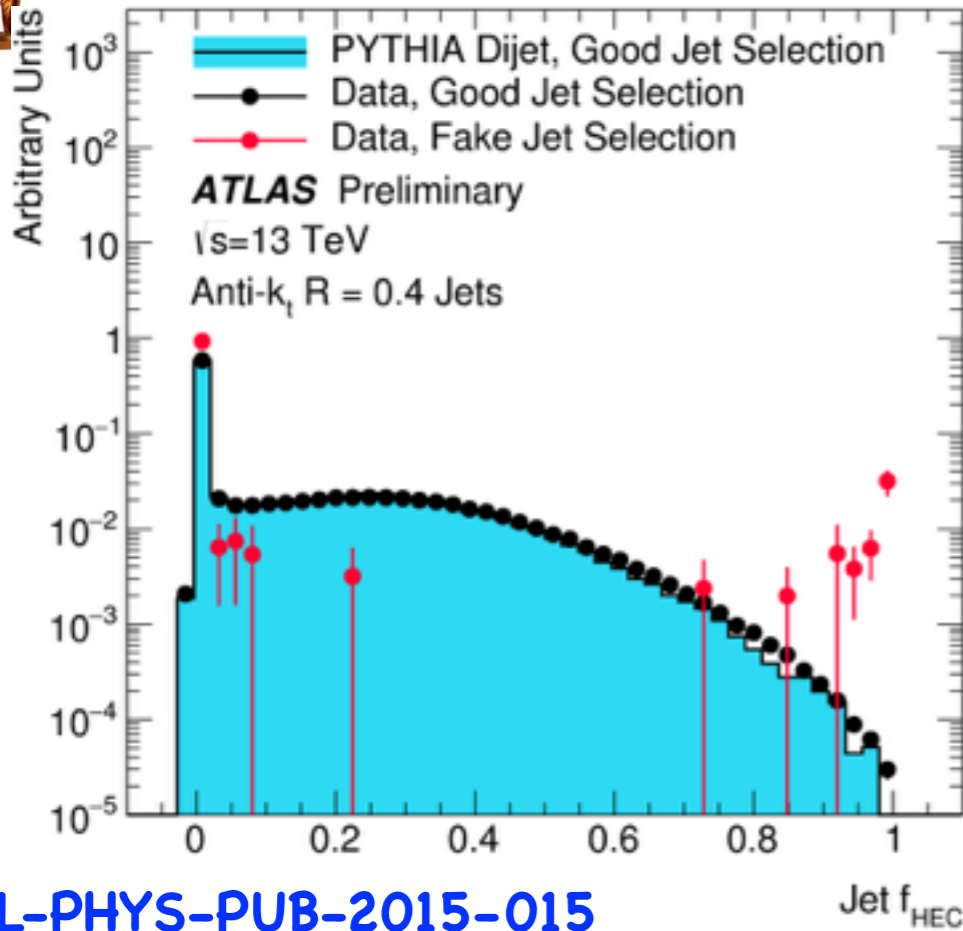
good modelling by MC and understanding of the detector



Jets (I)

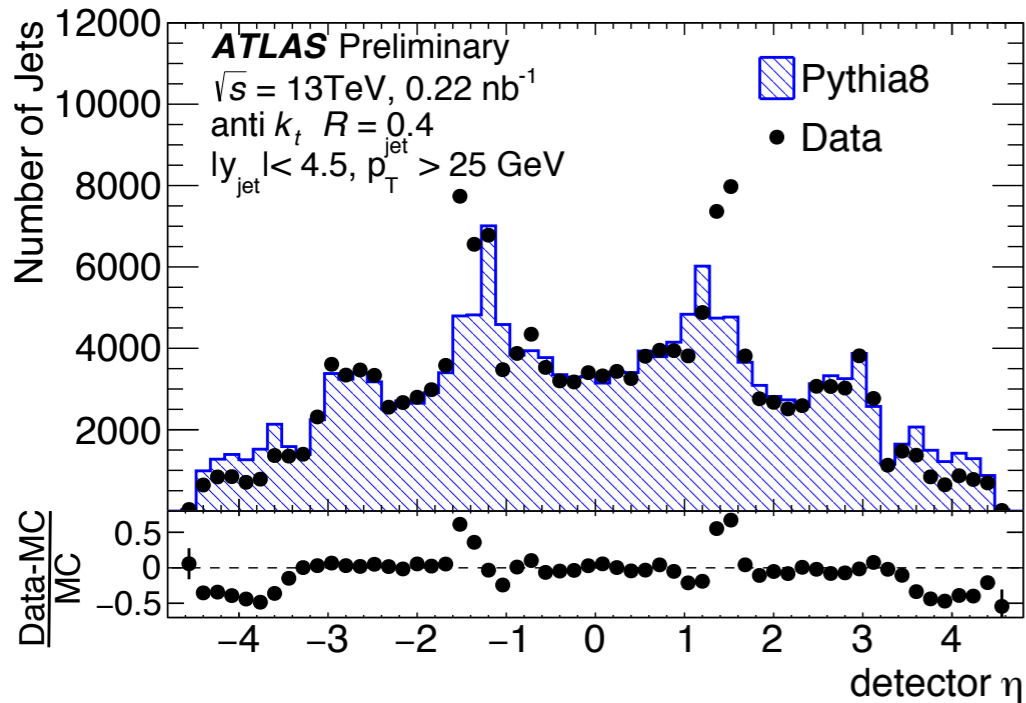


- jet cleaning - selection of good jets based on calorimeter criteria (beam background, noise, cosmics)
- criteria for analyses defined
- JES and JER preliminary recommendations (based on simulations) delivered for early analyses, AntiKt4TopoEM

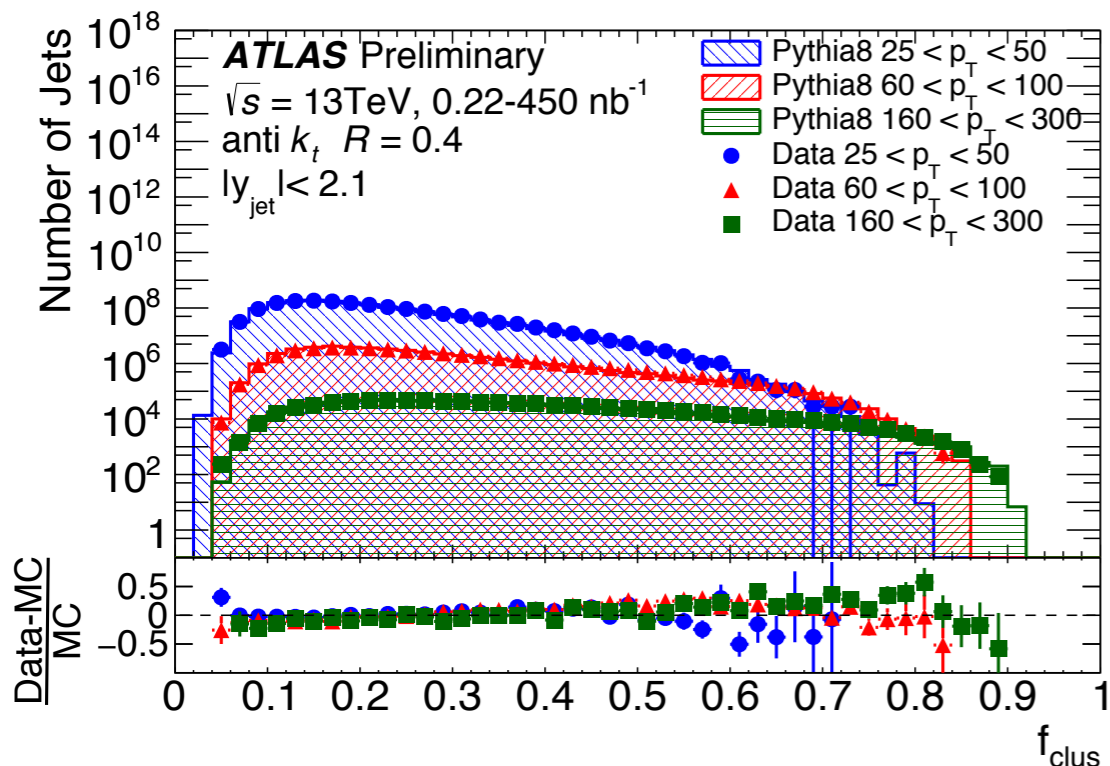




Jets (II)

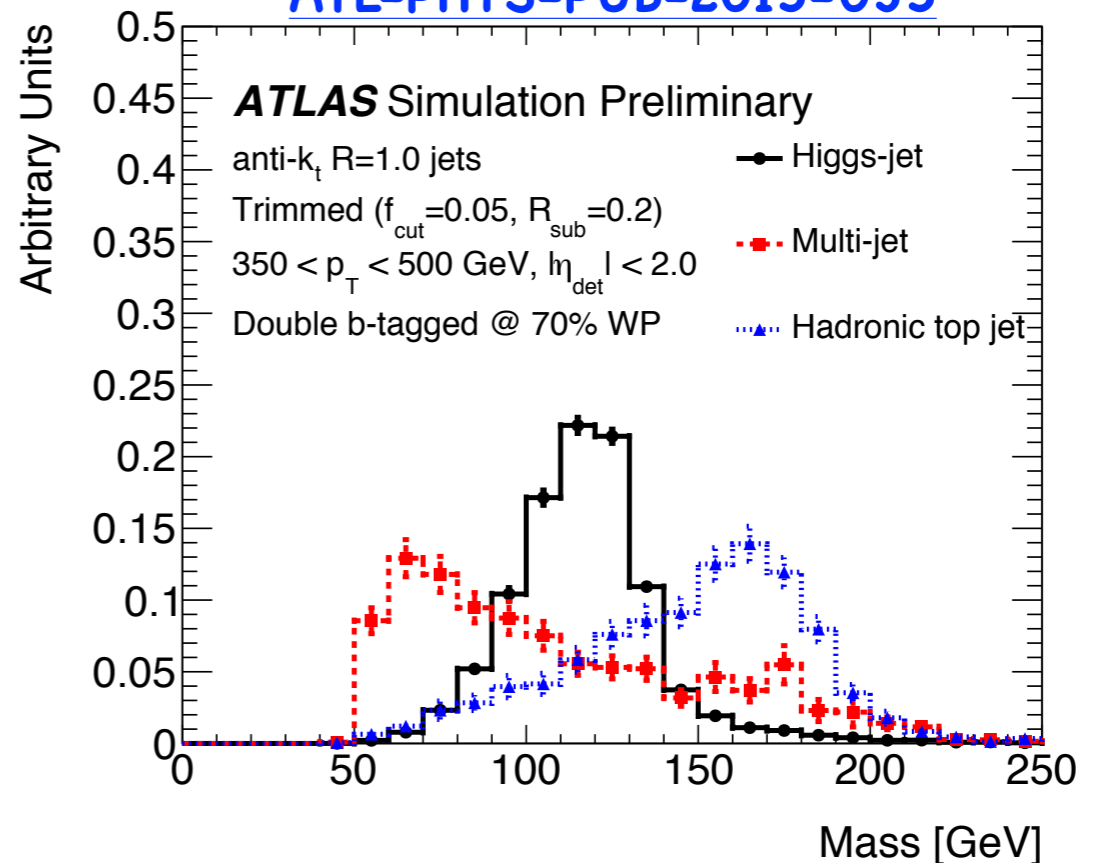


- preliminarily calibrated jets
- MC normalized to data
- good shape agreement \rightarrow validated inputs to more sophisticated methods (GSC, substructure...)



leading cluster energy fraction

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Higgs(\rightarrow bb) Tagger, large R jets



The Ridge

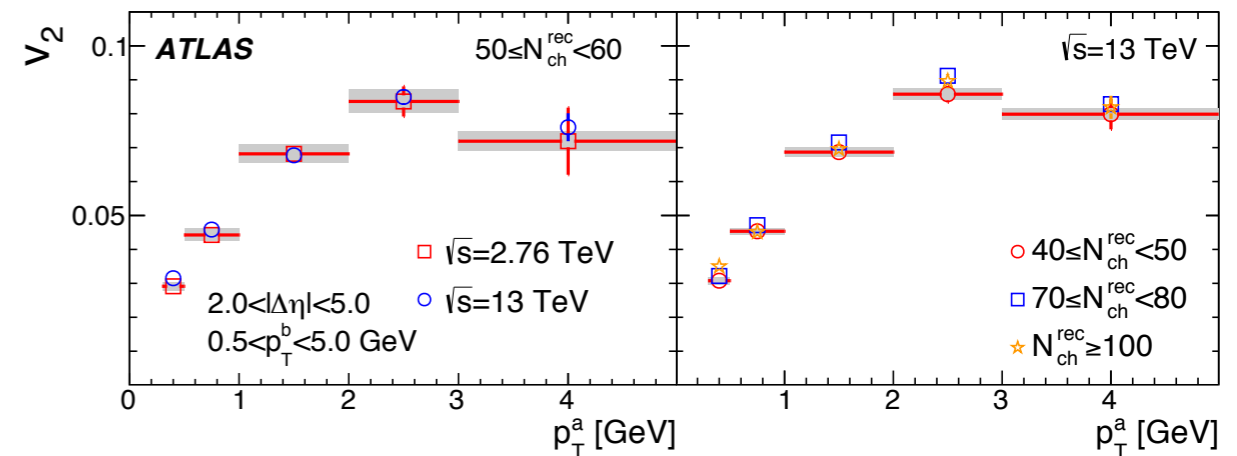
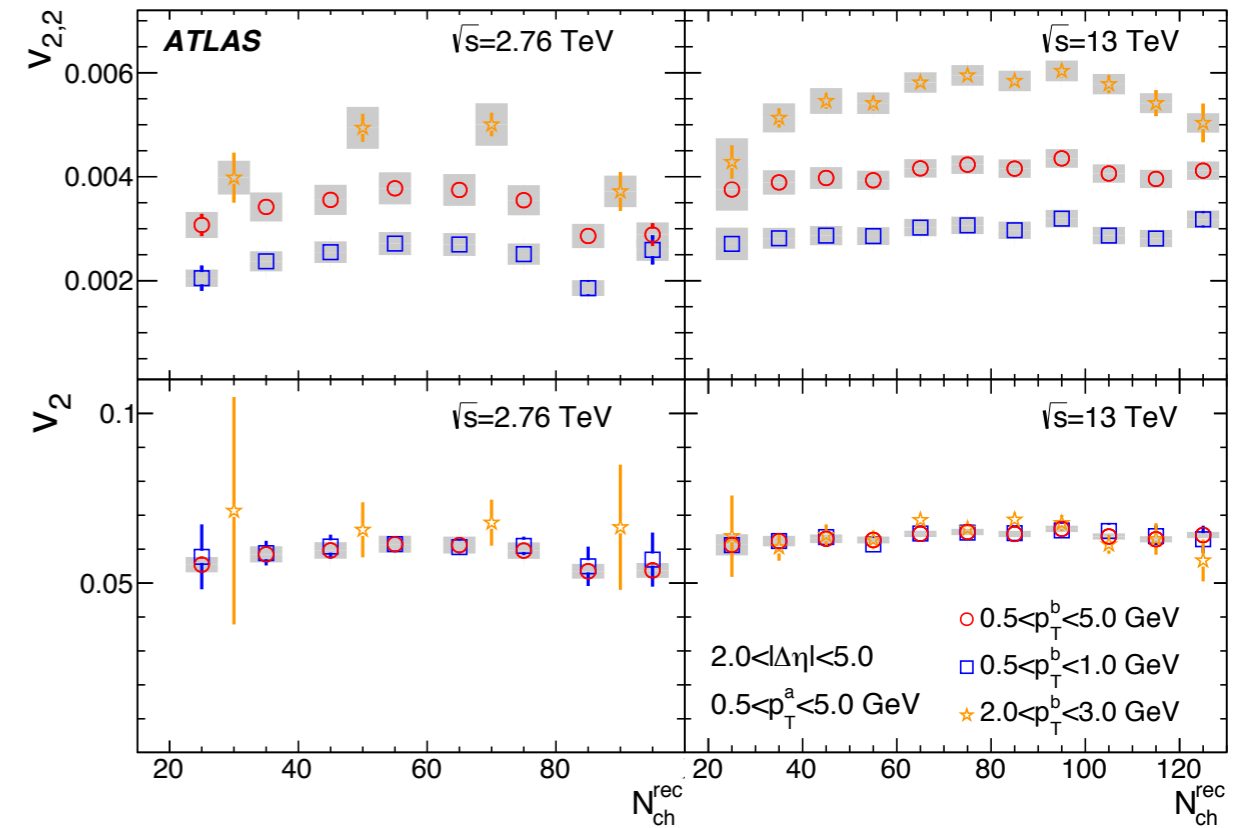
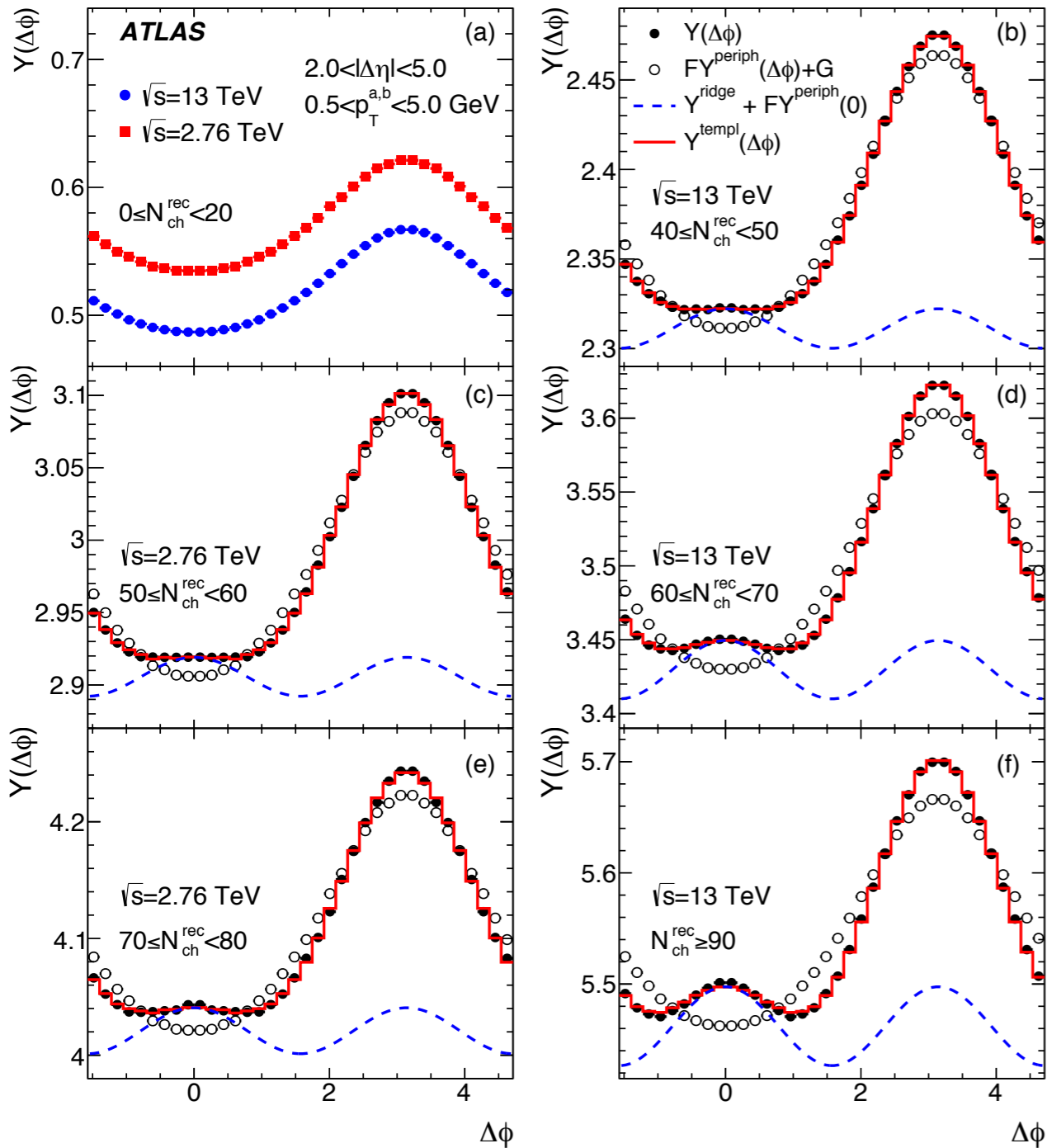
Observation of long-range elliptic anisotropies in pp collisions



$$Y^{\text{templ}}(\Delta\phi) = F Y^{\text{periph}}(\Delta\phi) + Y^{\text{ridge}}(\Delta\phi),$$

$$Y^{\text{ridge}}(\Delta\phi) = G (1 + 2v_{2,2} \cos(2\Delta\phi)),$$

$$v_2(p_{T1}) = v_{2,2}(p_{T1}, p_{T2}) / \sqrt{v_{2,2}(p_{T2}, p_{T2})},$$

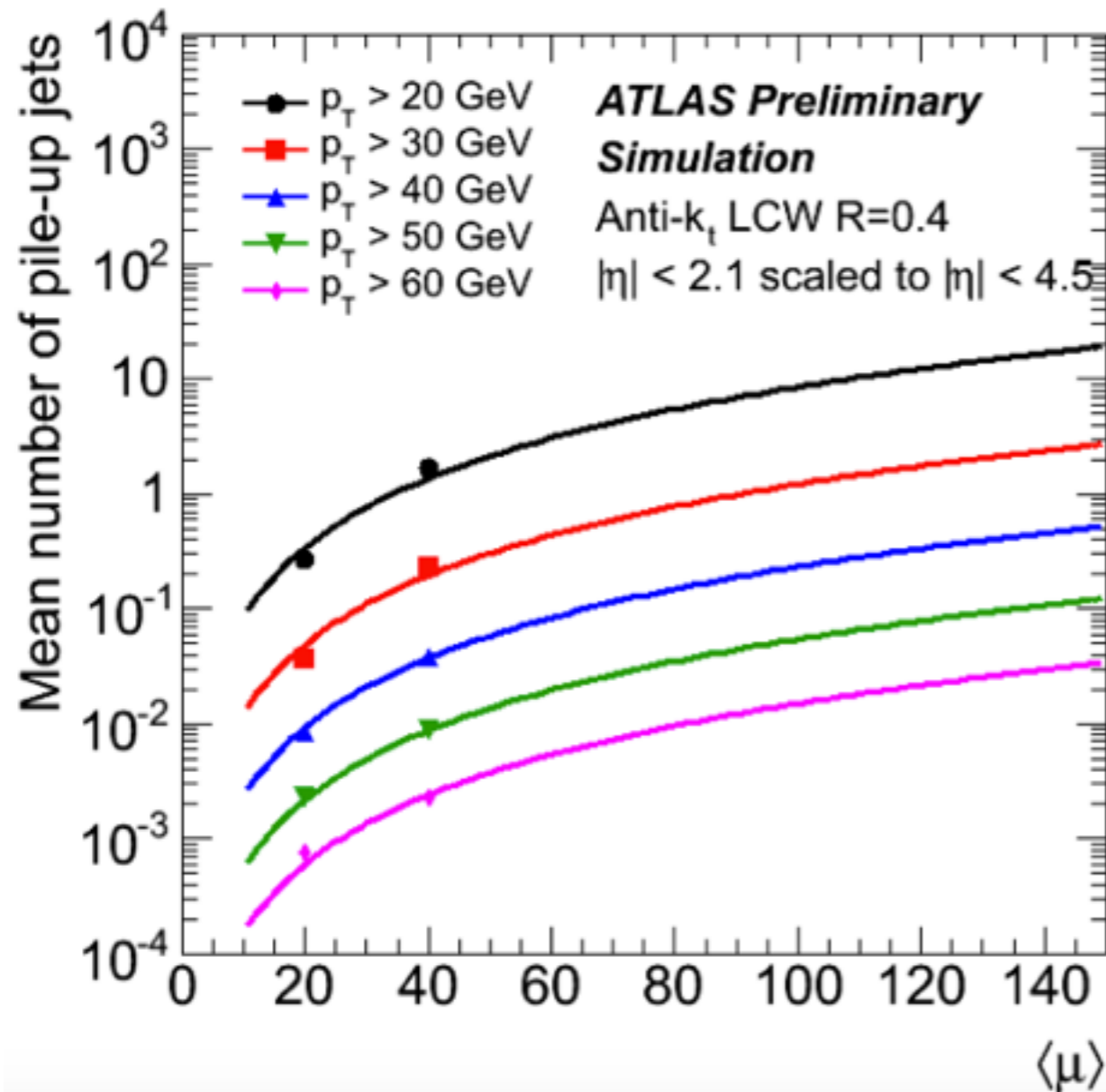




Pile up jets in Run1 vs HL-LHC



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- pile up jet multiplicity in Run1 and HL-LHC conditions:

- $\langle \mu \rangle = 20$ for $p_{Tj} > 30$ GeV ... $\langle n_j^{PU} \rangle \sim 0.04$

- $\langle \mu \rangle = 200$ for $p_T > 30$ GeV ... $\langle n_j^{PU} \rangle \sim 7.4$

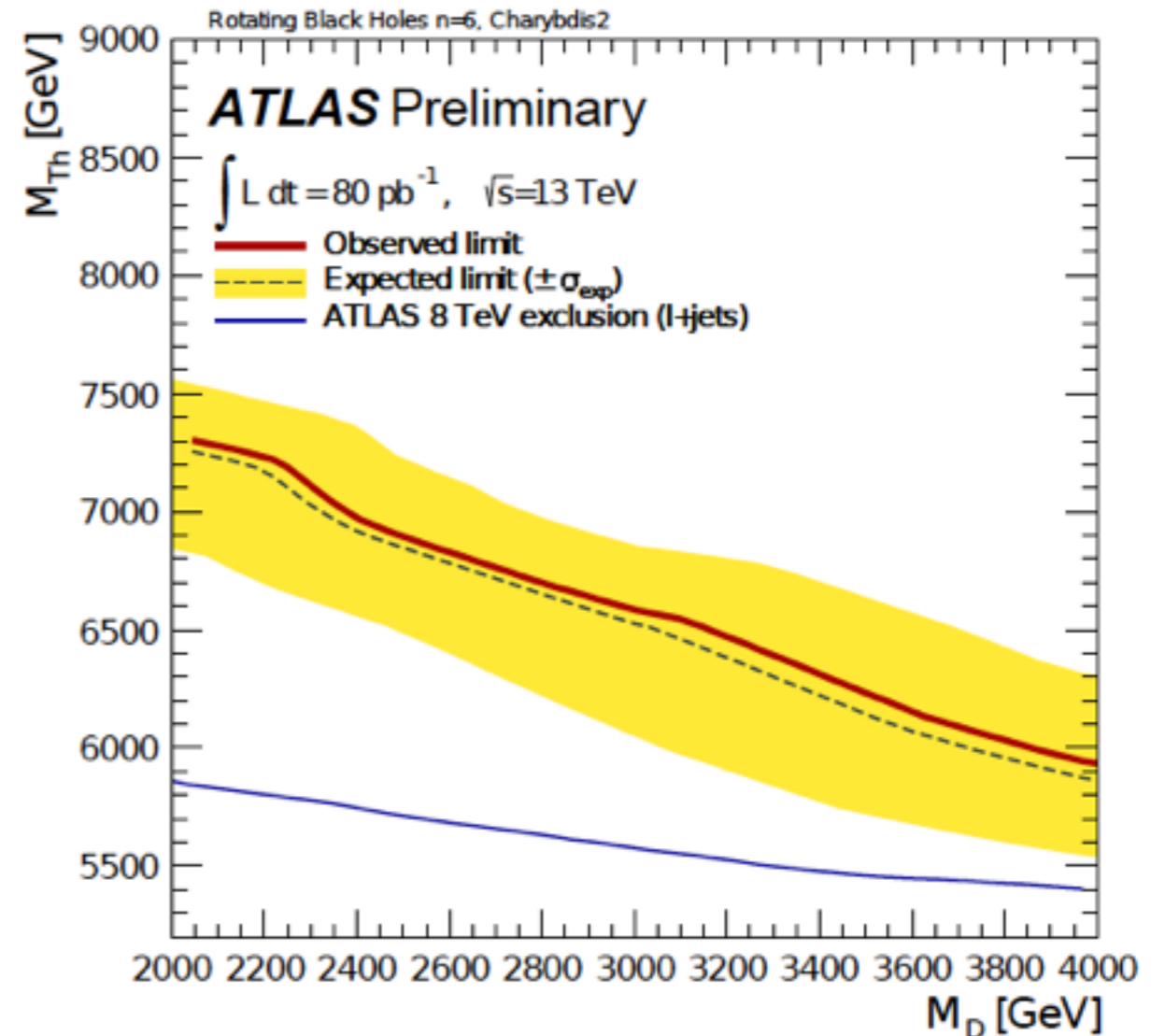
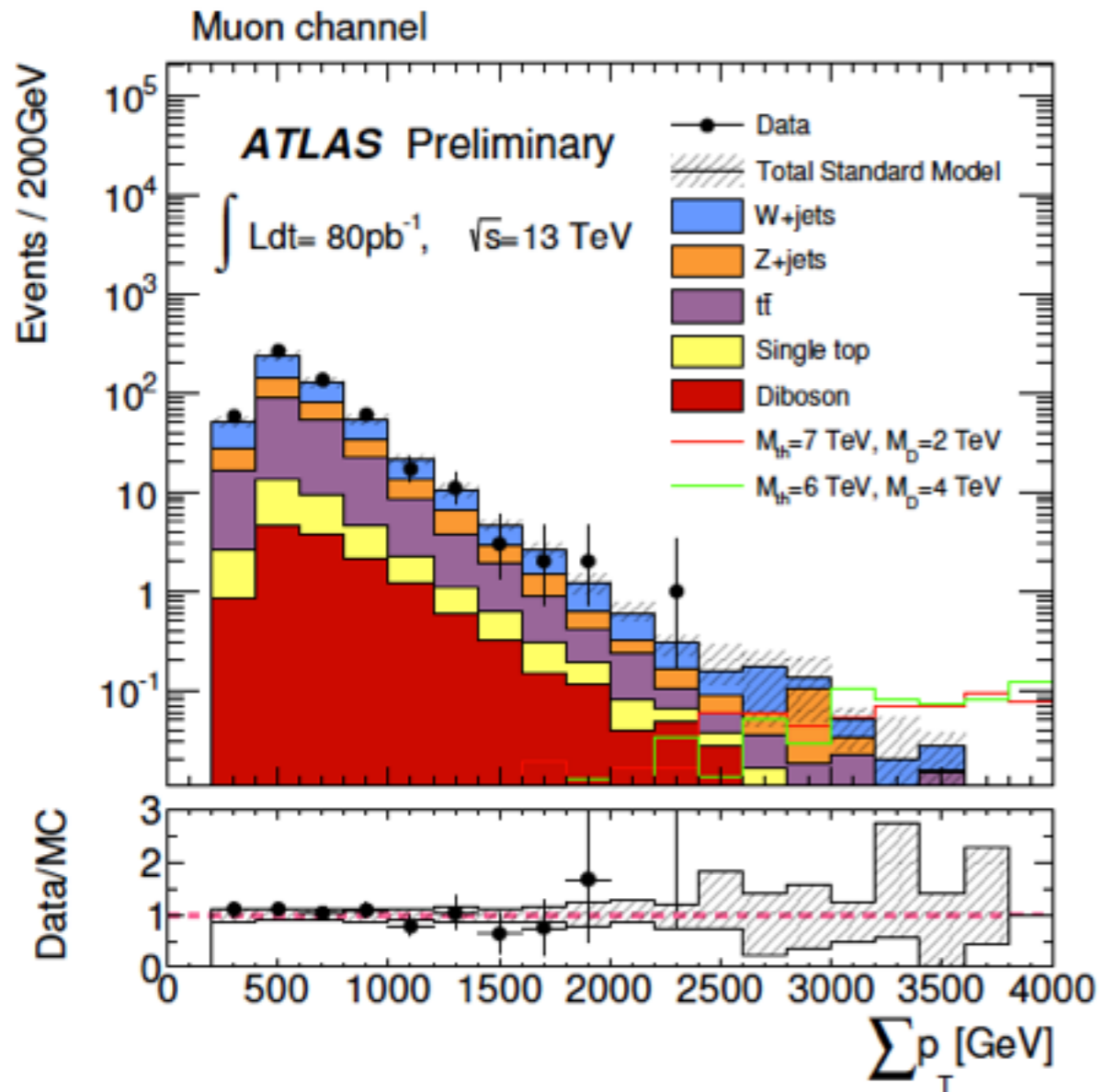


Lepton+jet searches



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- single lepton trigger $p_T > 50$ GeV
- SRs: $p_{Tl} > 100$ GeV + additional l/j with $p_T > 100$ GeV, $\Sigma p_T > 2$ TeV/3TeV
- bkg: W+j, Z+j, ttbar -> CRs



no evidence for deviations from SM was observed