

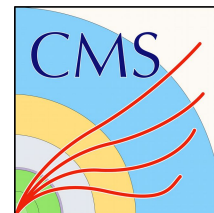
Search for Supersymmetry in Events with two or more Leptons in pp Collisions at 13 TeV at CMS

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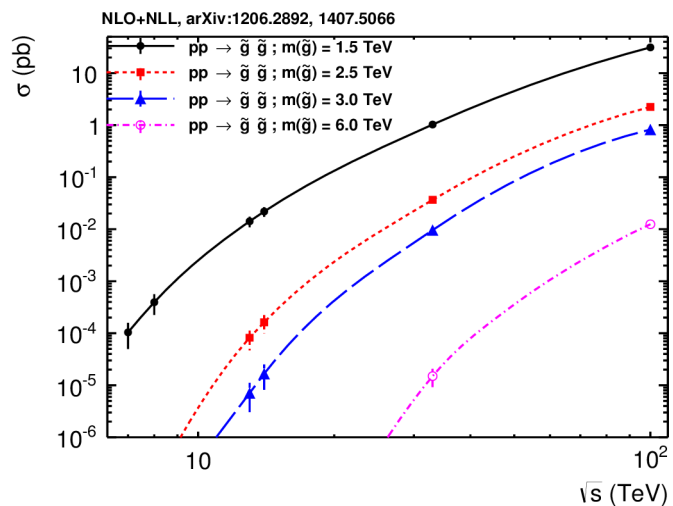


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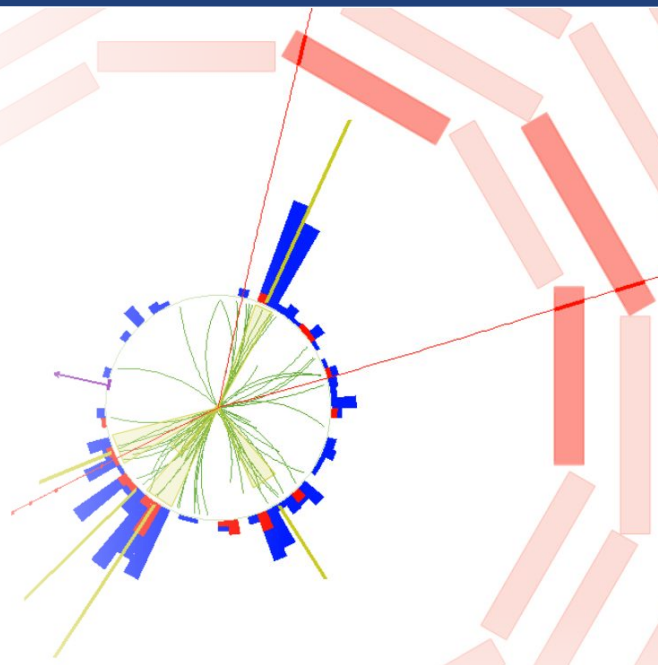


Leptonic SUSY searches at 13 TeV

- Several beyond the SM scenarios predict leptons in final state, including SUSY
- Leptons provide clean signature and allow for robust event reconstruction
- Three CMS SUSY searches for events with **two or more leptons** (electrons or muons)

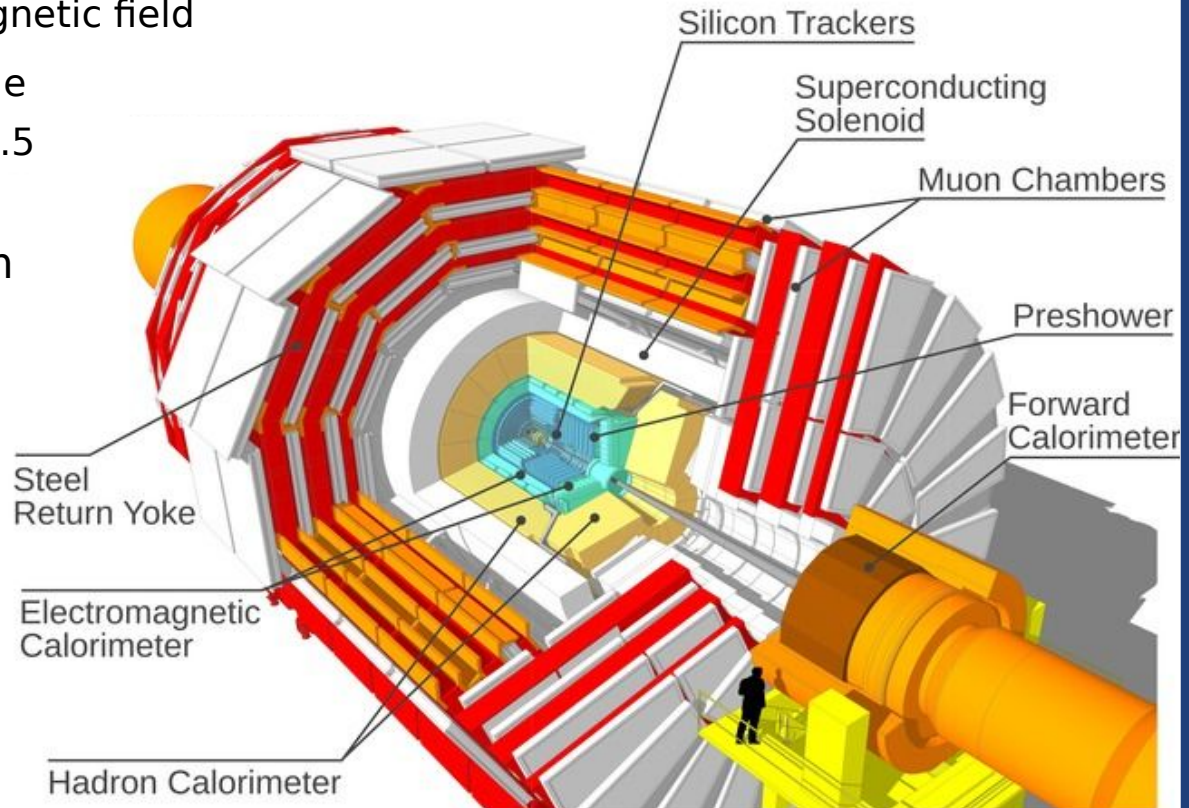


- Early searches with **2.3 fb⁻¹** of pp collisions collected in 2015: focus on models with **strong** squark and gluino production and R-parity conservation
 - Increased cross-sections at **new energy frontier** of 13 TeV
 - Require **jets** and **missing transverse energy** E_{T}^{miss} in final state

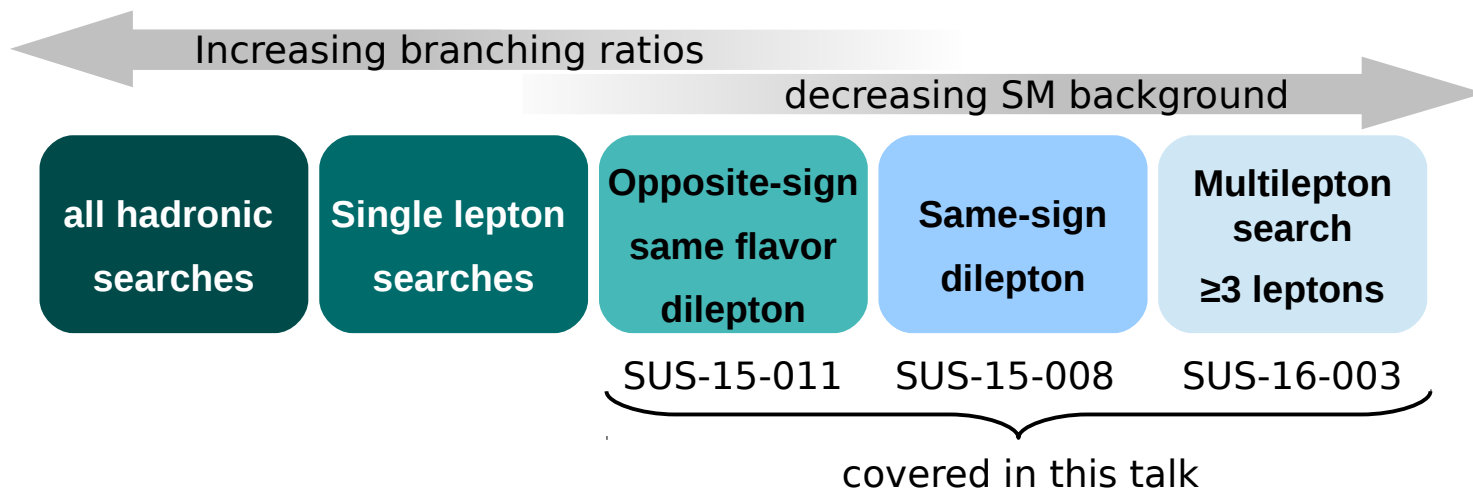


The CMS detector

- Nearly hermetic multi-purpose particle detector consisting of
 - Silicon pixel and strip tracker for vertex and track reconstruction, $|\eta| < 2.4$
 - Scintillating crystal electro-magnetic calorimeter (lead tungsten)
 - Hadronic sampling calorimeter (brass/scintillator), $|\eta| < 5.0$
 - Solenoid for 3.8 T magnetic field
 - Muon detectors outside of the solenoid $|\eta| < 2.5$
- 2-stage trigger system
 - Level-1 trigger: information from calorimeters and muon systems
 - High level trigger rate 1 kHz



SUSY searches at CMS

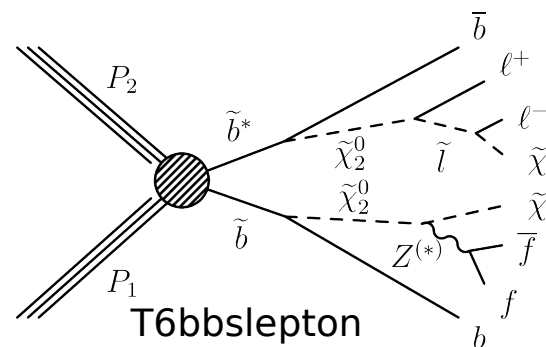
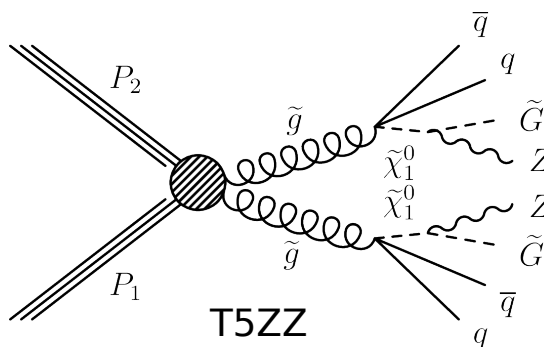


- All three analyses employ dilepton triggers and have similar kinematic acceptances for the leptons and require ≥ 2 jets and E_T^{miss} in final state
 - E_T^{miss} : negative vectorial sum of momenta of all reconstructed particles
 - Hadronic activity $H_T = \sum_{\text{jets}} p_T$, $m_{\ell\ell}$ refers to dilepton invariant mass
- Main goals:
 - Opposite-sign analysis: scrutinize two different $2.6 - 3.0\sigma$ excesses in 8 TeV data from CMS and ATLAS
 - Same-sign and multilepton analysis: improve sensitivity for various models in uncharted territory

Opposite-sign same-flavor dilepton search

Opposite-sign
same flavor
dilepton

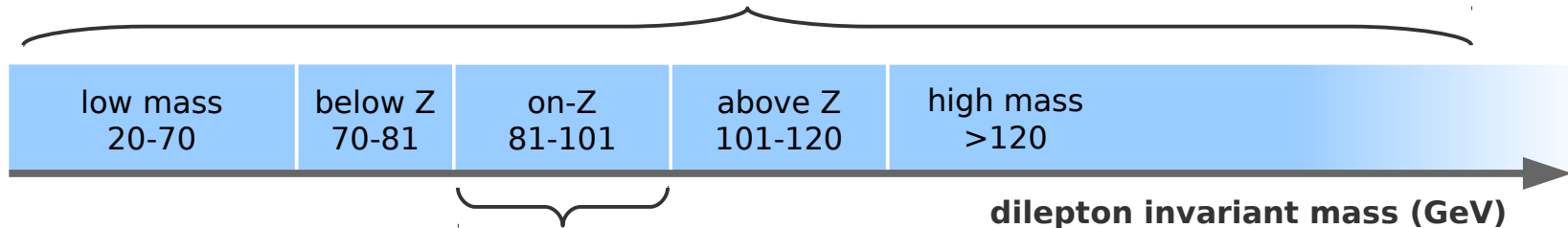
- Two sub-searches targeting different models
 - both selecting two loosely isolated opposite-sign, same-flavor (ossf) leptons with $p_T > 20$ GeV
- On-Z search (dilepton $m_{\ell\ell}$ compatible with Z mass):
 - targets T5ZZ GBSM model → scrutinize 3.0σ excess quoted by ATLAS in 8 TeV
 - New: signal regions with higher granularity in N_{jets} and E_T^{miss} , plus ATLAS-like region
- Edge search (inclusive in dilepton $m_{\ell\ell}$):
 - search for edge in dilepton $m_{\ell\ell}$ spectrum, sensitive to T6bbslepton model → scrutinize 2.6σ excess found by CMS in 8 TeV
 - Signal regions (SR) kept as in 8 TeV, plus exclusive SR in b-jet multiplicity (N_{bjet})
 - Additional SR filling gaps in $m_{\ell\ell}$ spectrum of 8 TeV search



Search strategy

- Cut and count analysis in various search regions
 - **Edge search (off-Z):** binning in forward and central detector region, dilepton $m_{\ell\ell}$, and b-jet multiplicity
 → 20 exclusive SR and 10 inclusive ones for comparison with 8 TeV

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- **On-z search:** binning in number jets (N_{jet})
 - SRA: $N_{\text{jet}} = 2-3$ and $H_T > 400$ GeV
 - SRB $N_{\text{jet}} > 3$
 - ATLAS-like SR: $H_T + p_T^{l_1} + p_T^{l_2} > 600$ GeV | $E_T^{\text{miss}} > 225$ GeV | $\Delta\phi_{E_T^{\text{miss}}, j_1, j_2} > 0.4$

} further binning in b-jet multiplicity and E_T^{miss}
 → 16 exclusive signal regions
- Signal regions require 2 or more jets and $E_T^{\text{miss}} > 100$ GeV, inclusive in N_{bjet}
- Control regions for data driven background estimation
 - Drell-Yan enriched: ≥ 2 jets, $E_T^{\text{miss}} < 50$ GeV
 - $t\bar{t}b\bar{b}$ enriched: 2 jets, $100 < E_T^{\text{miss}} < 150$ GeV

Background estimation

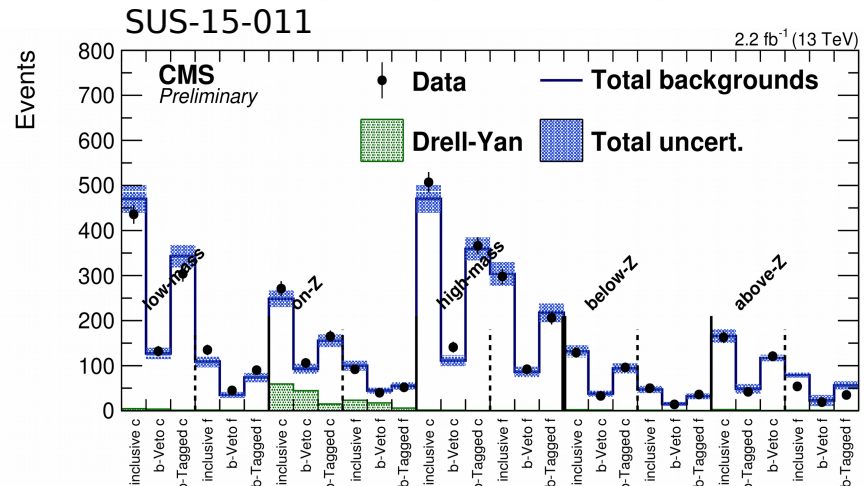
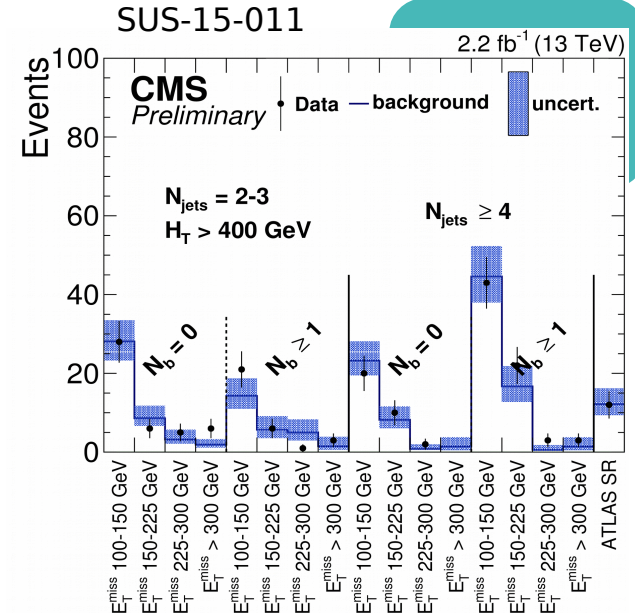
- Flavor symmetric background, produce $(e^{\pm}\mu^{\mp})$ as often as $(\mu^+\mu^-, e^+e^-)$
 - dominant: $t\bar{t}$ with genuine E_T^{miss}
minor contributions: $WW, Z/\gamma^*(\rightarrow \tau\tau), tW$
 - estimated with opposite flavor control sample, corrections for different selection efficiencies

- Flavor correlated lepton production
 - mostly Drell-Yan with instrumental E_T^{miss}
(minor contributions: $ZZ, WZ, t\bar{t}Z$)
 - Assumption: instrumental E_T^{miss} from limited detector resolution for hadronic recoil against $Z \rightarrow$ measure E_T^{miss} shape with $\gamma + \text{jets}$ control sample (E_T^{miss} template technique)

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Background estimation and results

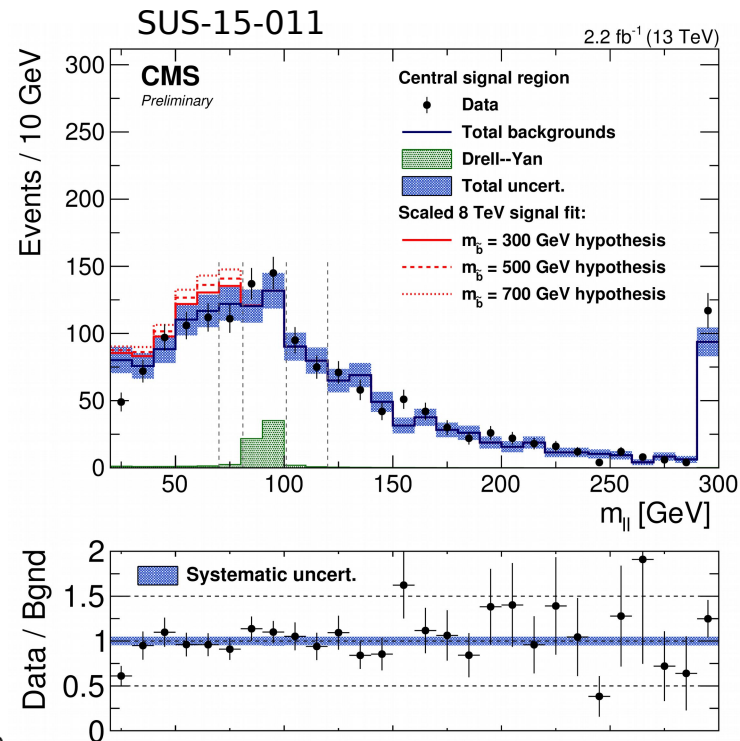
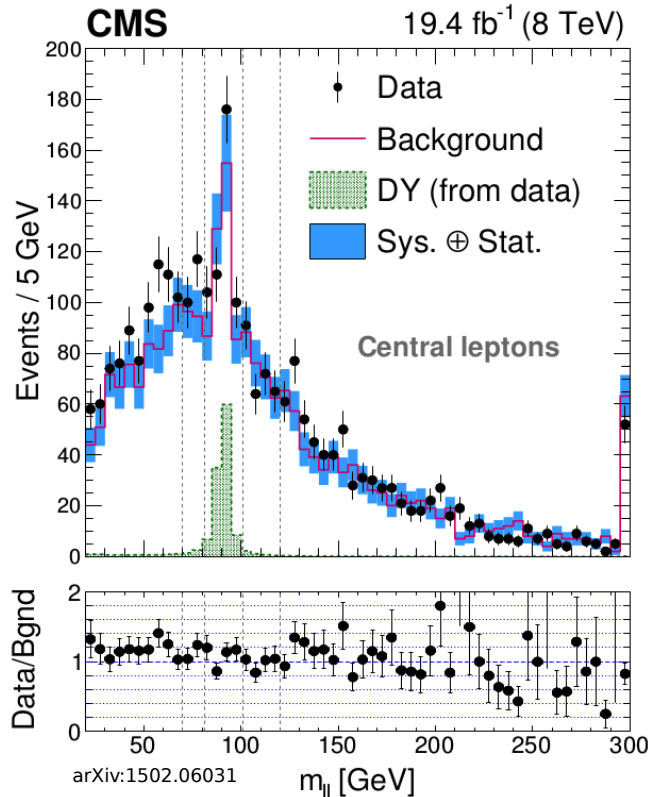
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 - Assumption: instrumental E_T^{miss} from limited detector resolution for hadronic recoil against $Z \rightarrow \text{measured}$ E_T^{miss} shape with $\gamma + \text{jets}$ control sample (E_T^{miss} template technique)
- No significant deviation between data and predictions



Edge search - invariant mass spectrum

- 13 TeV data does not confirm the 2.6σ excess found by CMS in 8 TeV
- Good agreement in $m_{\ell\ell}$ shape for both inclusive b-jet region and >0 b-jet regions and as well for both forward and central detector regions regions

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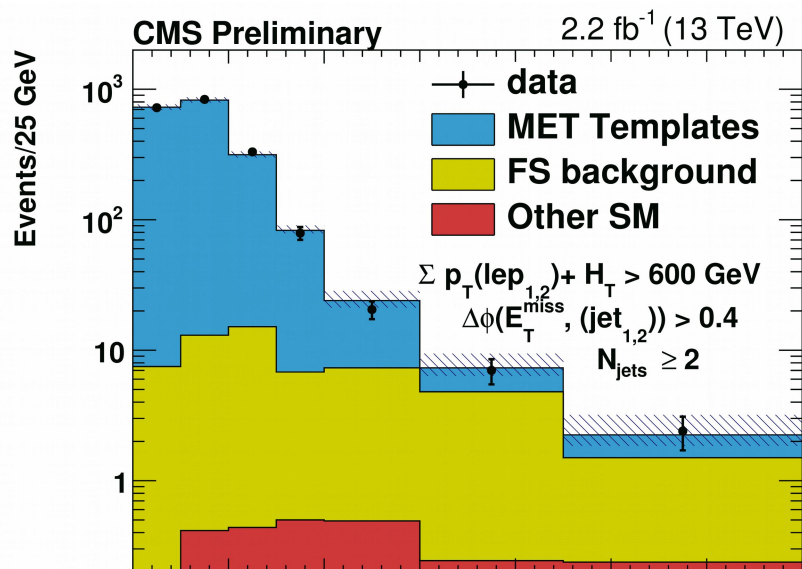
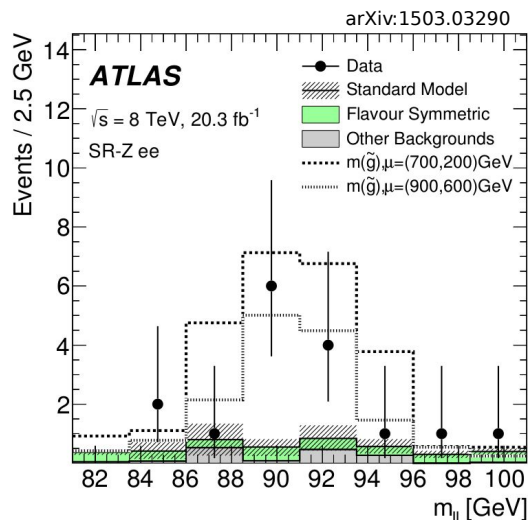
CMS 13 TeV

On-Z search: ATLAS-like signal region

- CMS data disfavors signal hypothesis in ATLAS-like signal region
- Very good agreement between background prediction and data found

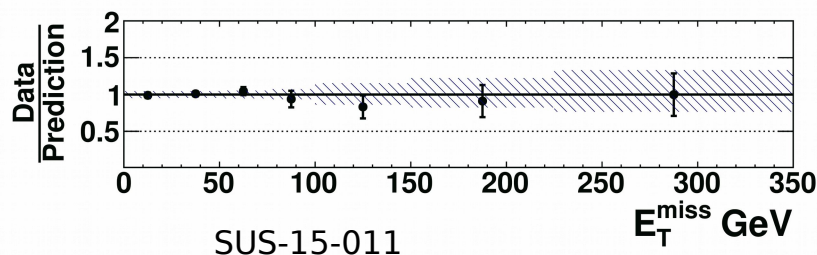
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ATLAS 8 TeV



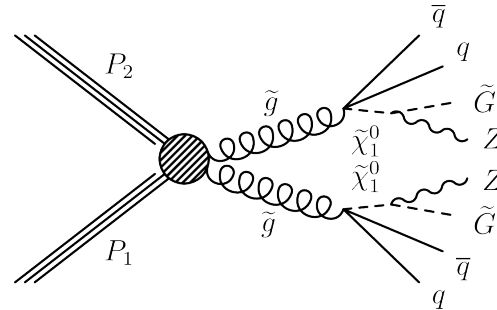
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- ATLAS reports another 2.2σ excess in a similar region with 13 TeV data



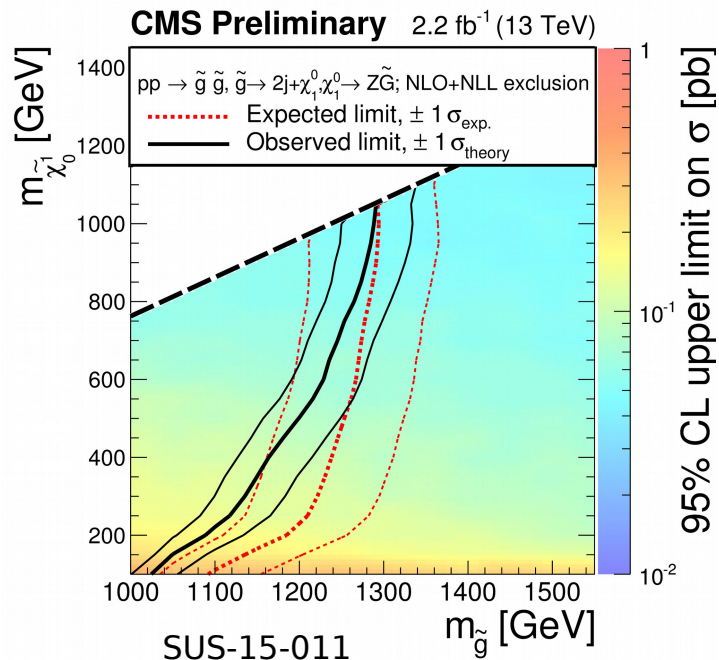
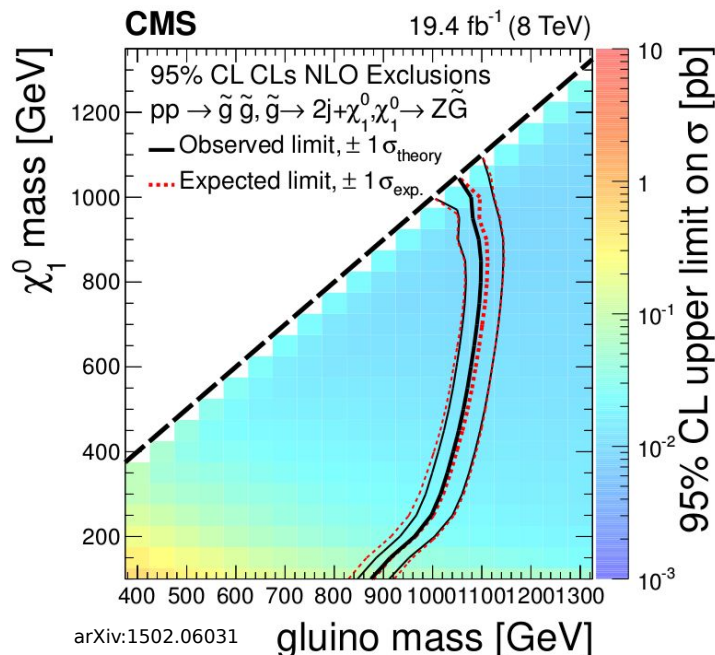
Interpretation

- Absence of excess \rightarrow set limits on T5ZZ model for massless gravitino
- Asymptotic limits with the LHC-type CL_s method
- on-Z signal regions (most sensitive: SRB)



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CMS 8 TeV



CMS 13 TeV

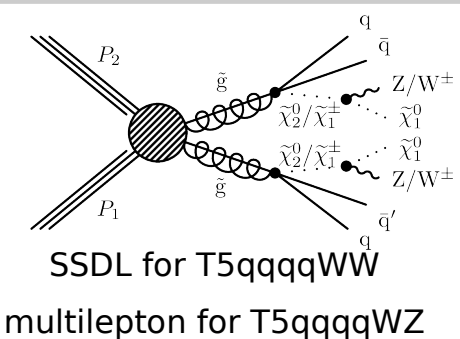
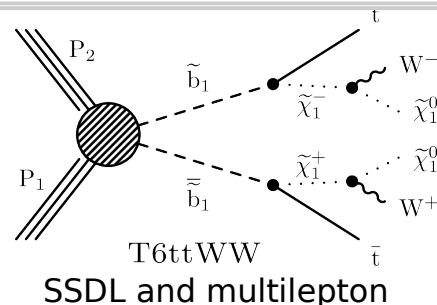
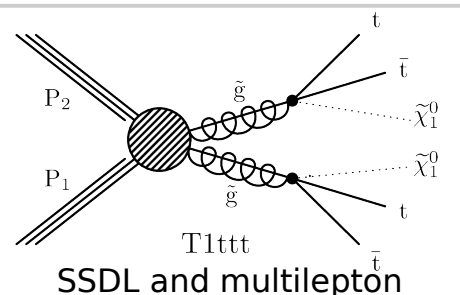
- Limits improved by up to 200 GeV for heavy gluinos

Same-sign dilepton and multi-leptons

- Searches for two leptons of the same charge (SSDL) and three or more leptons (multilepton)
- Similar search strategies and data driven estimation techniques for main backgrounds
- Main differences:
 - Background abundance: multi-lepton has very low SM background but also lower signal branching fraction for leptonic final state → smaller signal region granularity than SSDL analysis
 - Background composition: different dominant backgrounds depending on SR
 - SSDL vetos events were dilepton invariant mass is within 15 GeV of m_Z , multi-lepton has dedicated on-Z signal regions
→ some simplified models are only targeted by one of the two searches

Same-sign
dilepton search

Multilepton
search
 ≥ 3 leptons



Search strategies

- Two inclusive analyses → search for SUSY in tails of kinematic distributions
- Both employ a dedicated isolation technique developed for improved lepton selection efficiency in boosted topologies (“multi-isolation”)
- Individual signal region optimization for best signal/background separation

SSDL

Same-sign
dilepton search

- s/b enhancement by distinguishing lepton p_T high $p_T > 25$ GeV (H) and low $10 < p_T < 25$ GeV (L)
 - 3 SRs depending on p_T of the 2 leptons (HH, HL, and LL)
- Further binning in H_T , E_T^{miss} , N_{jet} , N_{bjet} , and $M_T^{\text{min}*}$ → **66 exclusive SR**
- Reject events with $m_{\ell\ell}$ between 76 and 106 GeV and < 12 GeV

$$* M_T^{\text{min}} = \min [M_T(\ell_1, E_T^{\text{miss}}), M_T(\ell_2, E_T^{\text{miss}})]$$

Multilepton

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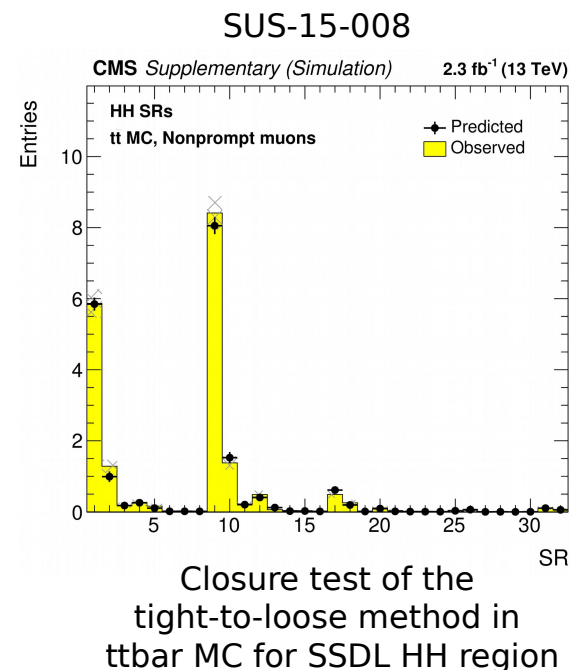
- Pre-selection:
 - ≥3 well identified and isolated leptons
 - $m_{\ell\ell} > 12$ GeV
 - ≥ 2 jets
 - $E_T^{\text{miss}} > 50$ GeV
- Divide signal events in on- and off-Z according to dilepton $m_{\ell\ell}$
- Binning in number of b-jets, E_T^{miss} and H_T
 - **2 times 15 exclusive SRs**

Non-prompt lepton background

- Prompt leptons: from W, Z, or slepton decays
- Isolation cuts reject non-prompt leptons
 - e.g. heavy flavor decays, misidentified hadrons, photon conversions or muons from light mesons
 - Reducible background from residual non-prompt contribution
- Dominant background in signal regions in the HL part of SSDL and off-Z for multileptons
- Fully data-driven estimation
 - Measure probability for non-prompt lepton which passes loose selection to also pass tight selection (“fake-rate”) in QCD enriched control region
 - Reweight yield in control region with fake-rate dependent factor. Control region identical to SR, except that at least one lepton fails tight selection

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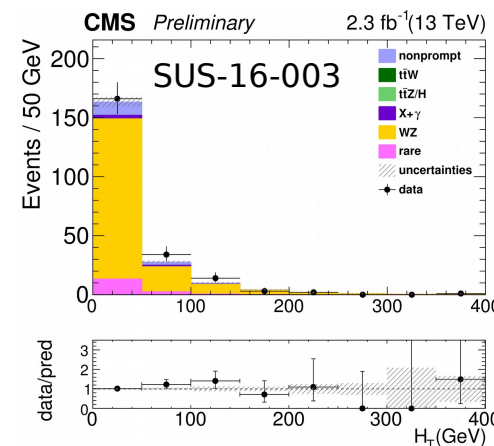


Other backgrounds

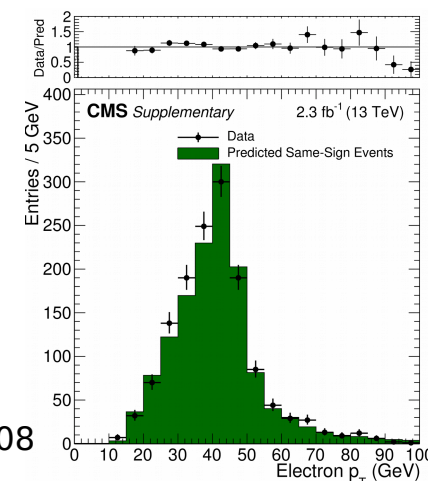
- WZ diboson production:
 - important in regions without b-tags and in multilepton on-Z regions
 - Semi data-driven: normalize yields in control region
- Rare standard model processes (e.g. ttW, ttZ..)
 - Dominant background in tail regions
 - Estimated from simulation with appropriate experimental and theoretical uncertainties
- Charge-flip background:
 - Small background in same-sign analysis arising from charge mis-measurements
 - Measure probability in $Z \rightarrow e^+e^-$ events: $10^{-5} - 10^{-3}$
→ reweight yield of opposite-sign lepton pair events
 - Found to be negligible for muons

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Results

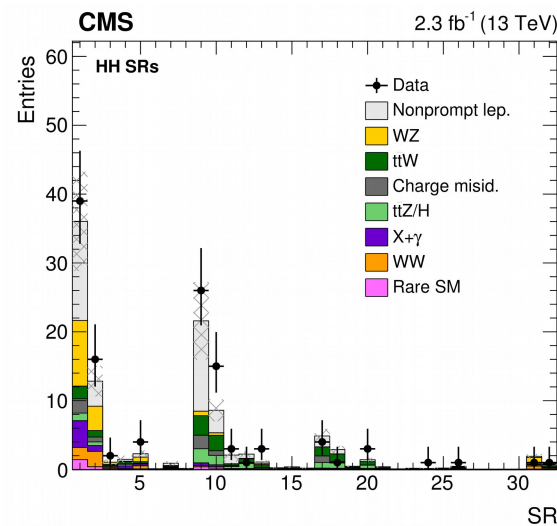
- Good agreement between prediction and data found in all 66 signal regions of the same-sign dilepton search
- Largest deviations: local significance of 2.2σ in HL SR8 and 1.8σ in HH SR10
 - Both SRs: $N_{\text{bjet}}=1$, $M_T < 120$ GeV, $N_{\text{jets}}=[2;4]$, $E_T^{\text{miss}}=[50;200]$, $H_T=[300;1125]$

Same-sign dilepton search

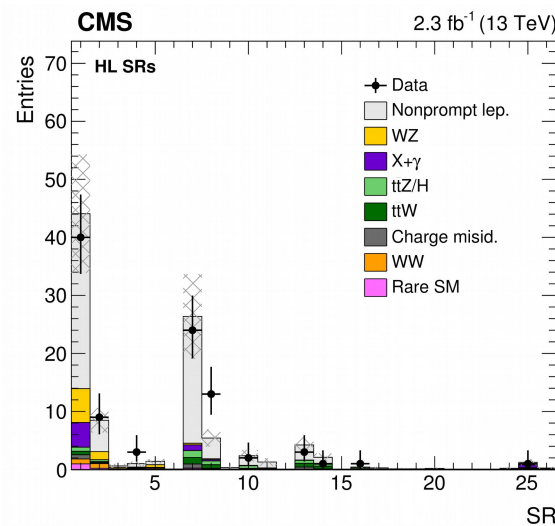
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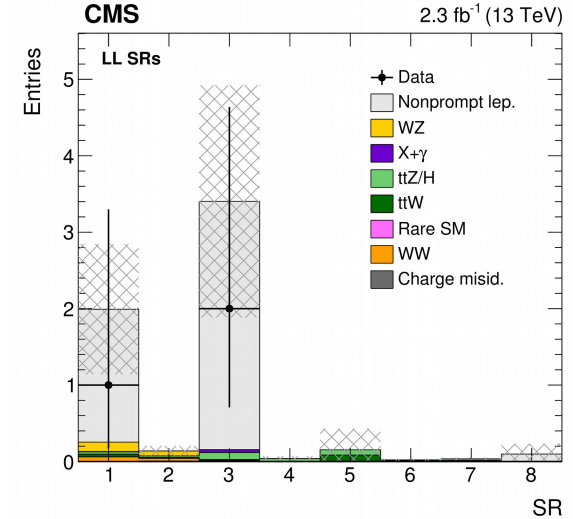
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Signal regions
in the HH p_T region



Signal regions
in the HL p_T region

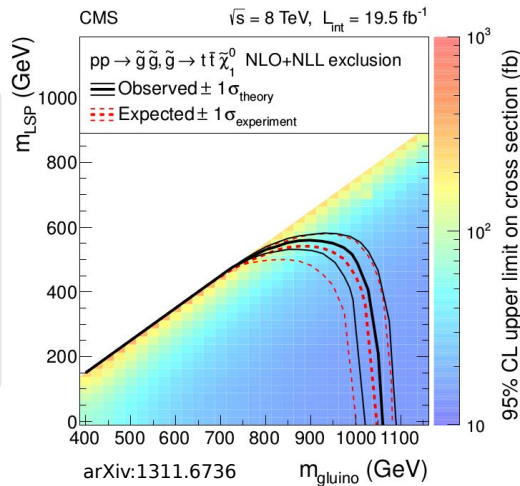


Signal regions
in the LL p_T region

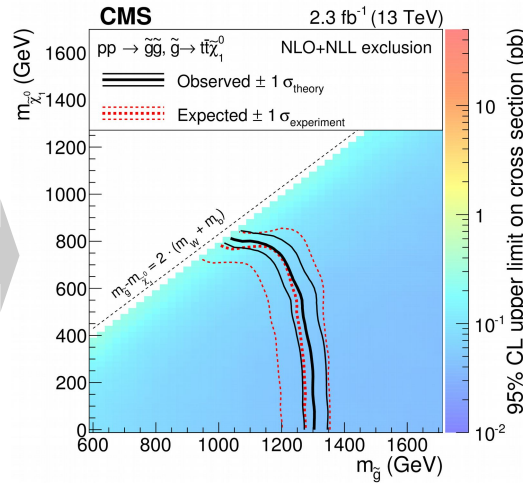
- For detailed signal region definition see back-up

Interpretations

CMS 8 TeV

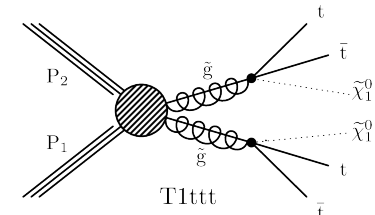


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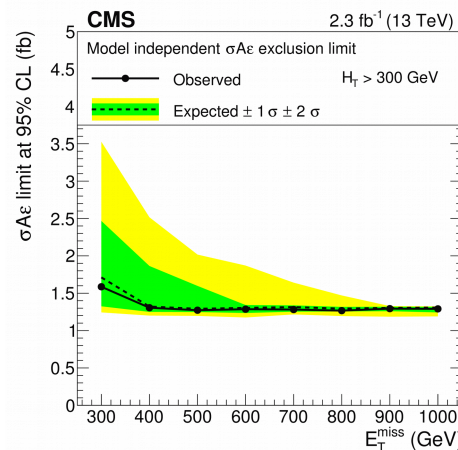


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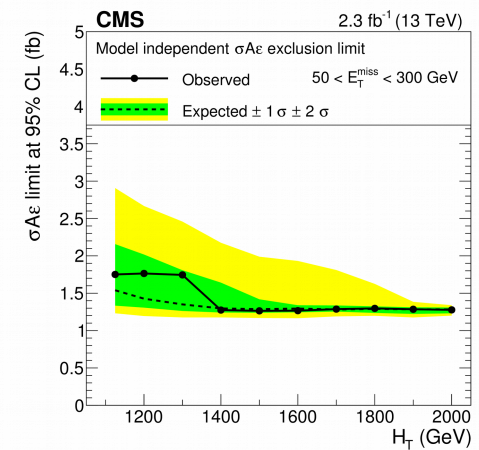
Same-sign dilepton search



- Same-sign analysis pushes limit for gluino mass in T1tttt model about $\approx 200 \text{ GeV}$ beyond 8 TeV result
- Model independent exclusion limits for production of same-sign dilepton pair set as function of E_T^{miss} and H_T
 $\rightarrow \sigma \cdot A \cdot \epsilon < 1.7 \text{ fb}$ in H_T and E_T^{miss} tails



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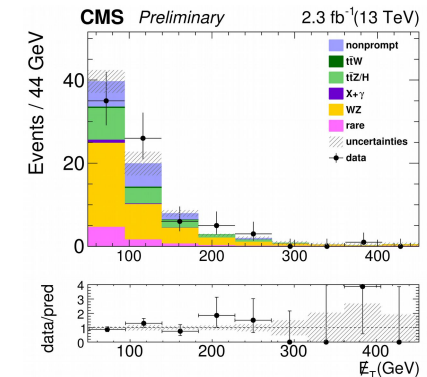
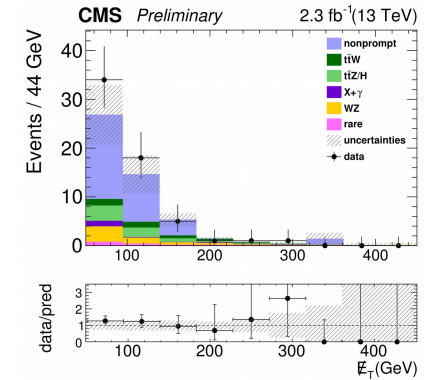
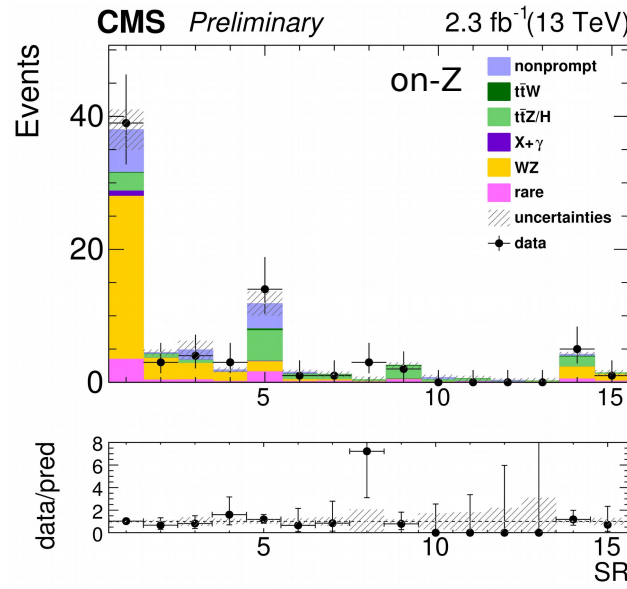
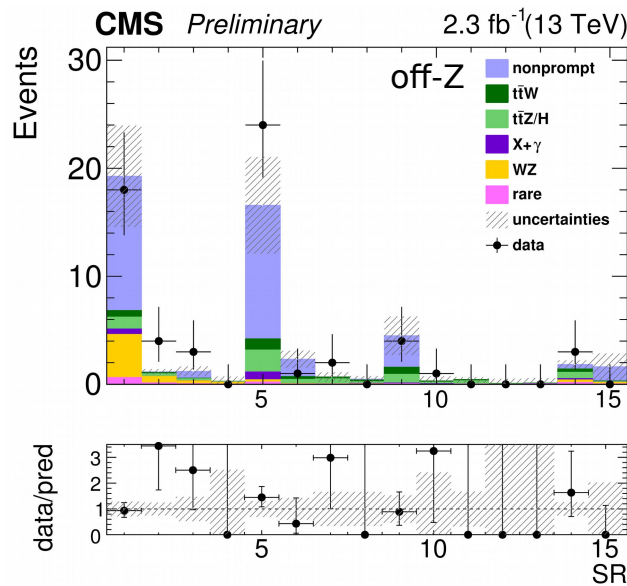
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Results

- Also multilepton analysis observes no significant deviation from the expected SM background yields
- Right plots: inclusive baseline yields

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Multilepton
search
 ≥ 3 leptons

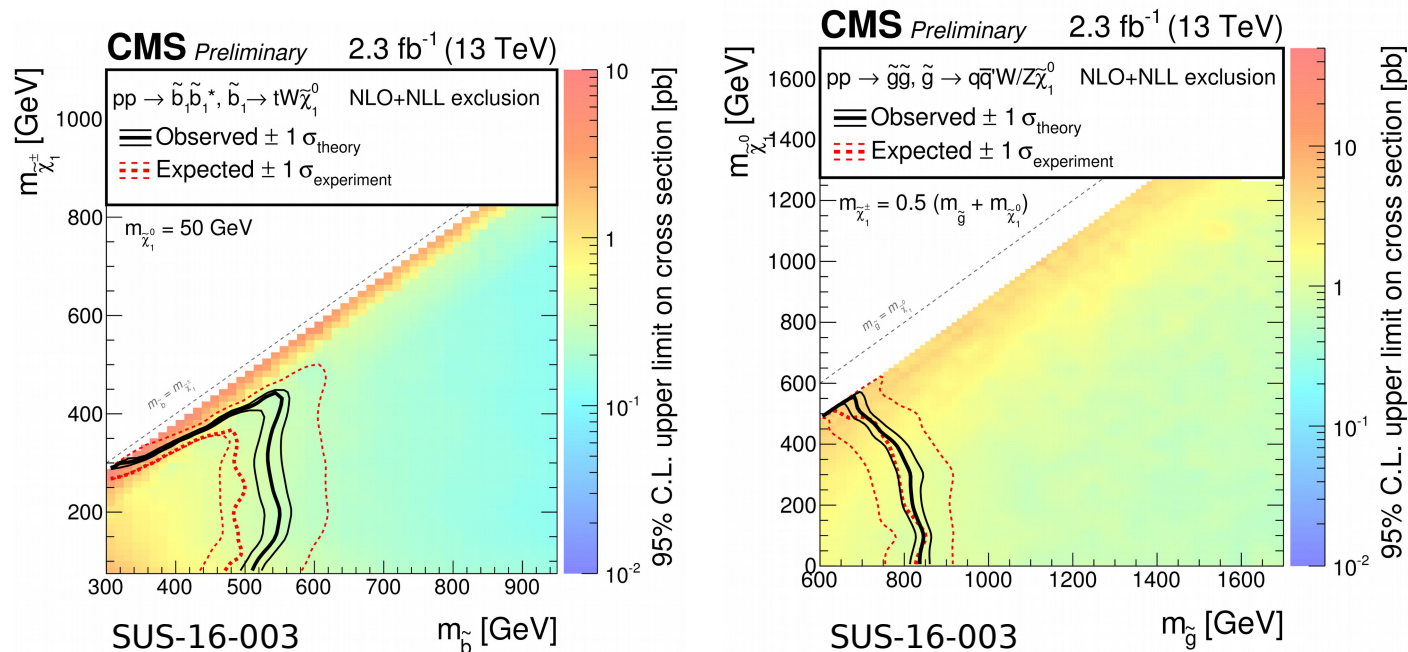


N_{jets}	N_{bjets}	$E_{\text{T}}^{\text{miss}}$ (GeV)	$60 \text{ GeV} \leq H_{\text{T}} < 400 \text{ GeV}$	$400 \text{ GeV} \leq H_{\text{T}} < 600 \text{ GeV}$	$H_{\text{T}} \geq 600 \text{ GeV}$
≥ 2	0	50 – 150	SR1	SR3	SR14
		150 – 300	SR2	SR4	
	1	50 – 150	SR5	SR7	
		150 – 300	SR6	SR8	
	2	50 – 150	SR9	SR11	
		150 – 300	SR10	SR12	
	≥ 3	50 – 300	SR13		
	inclusive	≥ 300	SR15		

Interpretation

- T1tttt: limit on gluino mass improved by ≈ 100 GeV w.r.t. 8 TeV
- Set limits on sbottom and chargino mass in T6ttWW model (off-Z regions sensitive)
 - exclude $m_{\text{sbottom}} < 475$ GeV for $m_{\text{chargino}} = 200$ GeV
 - 8 TeV result (19.5 fb^{-1}) not yet reached with 2.3 fb^{-1} at 13 TeV
- On-Z regions sensitive on T5qqqqWZ model
 - Exclude gluino masses up to 825 GeV, and neutralino masses up to 550 GeV

Multilepton
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Summary

- **Three searches for SUSY** exploring final states with **two or more leptons** have been performed at CMS with 2.3 fb^{-1} of pp collision data at 13 TeV
- Several advancements **improved** the **sensitivity** of the searches w.r.t. run 1, e.g. signal region optimization and improved lepton reconstruction and isolation techniques
- **No significant excess** of data over the expected SM background has been found
 - New results of the opposite-sign same-flavor search **disfavor the signal hypothesis** in two different search regions where CMS and ATLAS reported excesses of 2.6 and 3.0σ in 8 TeV data
 - The same-sign dilepton and the multilepton searches **pushed exclusion limits** on sparticle masses in various simplified models beyond the 8 TeV limits and added additional interpretations, including model independent limits on SS dilepton pair production
- We have to look behind the next corner!

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All public CMS SUSY results here → [link](#)

Back-up

OSSF - measurement of $R_{SF/OF}$

- **Method 1)** measure $R_{SF/OF}$ in CR which is enriched in flavor symmetric background
 - $N_{jet} = 2, 100 < E_t^{miss} < 150 \text{ GeV}, m_{||} < 70 \text{ GeV}, m_{||} > 110 \text{ GeV}$
 - Measure yields N_{OF} and $N_{SF} \rightarrow R_{SF/OF} = N_{SF}/N_{OF}$
 - Validate extrapolation to signal region with $t\bar{t}b\bar{b}$ MC
- **Method 2)** determine $R_{SF/OF}$ from factorized efficiencies
 - Ratio of lepton ID and reco efficiencies $r_{\mu/e} = \sqrt{N_{\mu^+\mu^-}/N_{e^+e^-}}$ from DY control region ($N_{jet} > 1, E_T^{miss} < 50 \text{ GeV}, 60 < m_{||} < 120 \text{ GeV}$)
 - Ratio of trigger efficiencies: $R_T = \sqrt{\epsilon_{\mu^+\mu^-}^T \epsilon_{e^+e^-}^T} / \epsilon_{e^\pm\mu^\mp}^T \rightarrow R_{SF/OF} = \frac{1}{2}(r_{\mu/e} + r_{\mu/e}^{-1}) \cdot R_T$

	Central		Forward	
	Data	MC	Data	MC
$\frac{1}{2} (r_{\mu/e} + r_{\mu/e}^{-1})$	1.008 ± 0.013	1.008 ± 0.012	1.022 ± 0.042	1.026 ± 0.046
R_T	1.003 ± 0.072	1.027 ± 0.067	1.061 ± 0.090	1.029 ± 0.071
	$R_{SF/OF}$			
from factorization	1.011 ± 0.074	1.035 ± 0.068	1.084 ± 0.103	1.057 ± 0.087
direct measurement	1.055 ± 0.061	1.050 ± 0.013	1.107 ± 0.134	1.079 ± 0.021
weighted average	1.037 ± 0.047	1.049 ± 0.013	1.097 ± 0.068	1.079 ± 0.020

OSSF - E_T^{miss} template technique

- Determine **shape** of E_T^{miss} spectrum of DY background from $\gamma + \text{jets}$ control sample
- Reweight to match Z and photon p_T in simulation for each SR
- **Normalize** obtained E_T^{miss} distribution in Z+jets CR ($E_T^{\text{miss}} < 50 \text{ GeV}$)
- Uncertainty: statistical power of $\gamma + \text{jets}$ events in SR (10-50%) including statistical uncertainty on normalization (4-10%)

Signal region	SRA; b-veto	SRA; ≥ 1 b-tag	SRB; b-veto	SRB; ≥ 1 b-tag	ATLAS Signal Region
Uncertainty	4 %	10 %	3 %	6 %	3 %

- MC closure: use $\gamma + \text{jets}$ to predict Z+jets and take discrepancy as uncertainty for respective SR

$E_T^{\text{miss}} [\text{GeV}]$	0 - 50	50 - 100	100 - 150	150 - 225	225 - 300	≥ 300
SRA, b-veto	1 %	4 %	4 %	5 %	15 %	35 %
SRA, with b-tags	1 %	3 %	5 %	10 %	30 %	40 %
SRB, b-veto	1 %	2 %	4 %	10 %	20 %	25 %
SRB, with b-tags	2 %	3 %	10 %	10 %	50 %	50 %
ATLAS Signal Region	2 %	2 %	10 %	10 %	10 %	–

OSSF - result tables (onZ search)

Table 4: Results for the on-Z search, binned in all the variables.

N_{jets}/H_T	N_{b-jets}	E_T^{miss}	predicted	observed
SRA 2- 3 jets <i>and</i> $H_T > 400$	== 0	100-150	$28.2^{+5.4}_{-4.8}$	28
		150-225	$8.7^{+3.2}_{-1.9}$	6
		225-300	$3.3^{+2.5}_{-1.0}$	5
		> 300	$1.9^{+1.4}_{-0.7}$	6
	≥ 1	100-150	$14.2^{+4.4}_{-3.3}$	21
		150-225	$5.8^{+3.4}_{-2.1}$	6
		225-300	$5.0^{+3.3}_{-2.0}$	1
		> 300	$1.6^{+2.4}_{-0.9}$	3
SRB ≥ 4 jets	== 0	100-150	$23.1^{+4.9}_{-3.7}$	20
		150-225	$8.2^{+3.4}_{-2.1}$	10
		225-300	$0.8^{+1.2}_{-0.2}$	2
		> 300	$1.5^{+2.4}_{-0.9}$	0
	≥ 1	100-150	$44.6^{+7.7}_{-6.6}$	43
		150-225	$16.7^{+5.1}_{-3.9}$	22
		225-300	$0.6^{+1.2}_{-0.3}$	3
		> 300	$1.4^{+2.4}_{-0.9}$	3
ATLAS - SR:				
$H_T + p_T^{l_1} + p_T^{l_2} > 600$ GeV	$E_T^{miss} > 225$ GeV	$\Delta\phi_{E_T^{miss}, j_1, j_2} > 0.4$	$12.0^{+4.0}_{-2.8}$	12

OSSF - result tables (edge search)

	$m_{\ell\ell}$ range [GeV]	$N_{\text{b-jets}} \geq 0$		$N_{\text{b-jets}} = 0$		$N_{\text{b-jets}} \geq 1$	
		pred. total (DY)	obs.	pred. total (DY)	obs.	pred. total (DY)	obs.
<i>central</i>	20 - 70	470.9 ± 29.9 (4.6 ± 1.3)	437	126.7 ± 12.3 (3.4 ± 1.0)	132	344.2 ± 23.9 (1.2 ± 0.3)	305
	70 - 81	132.2 ± 12.6 (2.6 ± 0.7)	129	38.2 ± 6.2 (2.0 ± 0.6)	33	93.9 ± 10.4 (0.7 ± 0.2)	96
	81 - 101	247.9 ± 17.8 (59.3 ± 7.8)	271	93.1 ± 10.5 (44.4 ± 7.6)	106	154.8 ± 13.4 (14.9 ± 2.1)	165
	101 - 120	164.7 ± 14.5 (2.0 ± 0.6)	163	48.1 ± 7.0 (1.5 ± 0.5)	42	116.6 ± 11.8 (0.5 ± 0.1)	121
	> 120	467.8 ± 29.9 (1.5 ± 0.4)	507	109.9 ± 11.4 (1.1 ± 0.3)	141	357.9 ± 24.6 (0.4 ± 0.1)	366
<i>forward</i>	20 - 70	107.6 ± 11.9 (1.5 ± 0.4)	135	34.7 ± 6.0 (1.1 ± 0.3)	45	72.9 ± 9.4 (0.4 ± 0.1)	90
	70 - 81	46.6 ± 7.1 (1.2 ± 0.3)	50	15.0 ± 3.7 (0.9 ± 0.3)	14	31.7 ± 5.7 (0.3 ± 0.1)	36
	81 - 101	98.9 ± 10.1 (23.1 ± 3.0)	92	44.4 ± 5.9 (17.3 ± 2.7)	40	54.5 ± 7.5 (5.8 ± 1.2)	52
	101 - 120	76.7 ± 9.6 (0.9 ± 0.3)	54	22.3 ± 4.7 (0.7 ± 0.2)	19	54.3 ± 7.8 (0.2 ± 0.1)	35
	> 120	299.4 ± 25.0 (0.7 ± 0.2)	298	84.9 ± 10.3 (0.5 ± 0.2)	92	214.5 ± 19.4 (0.2 ± 0.1)	206

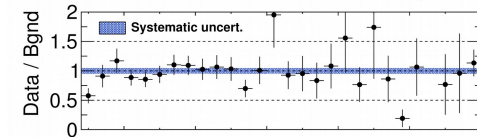
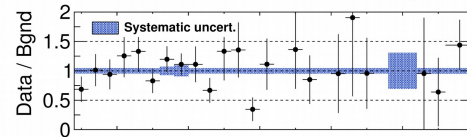
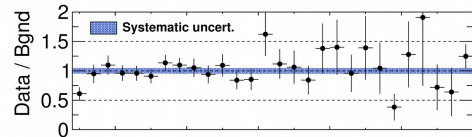
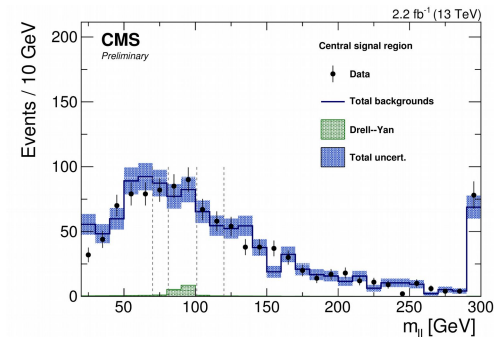
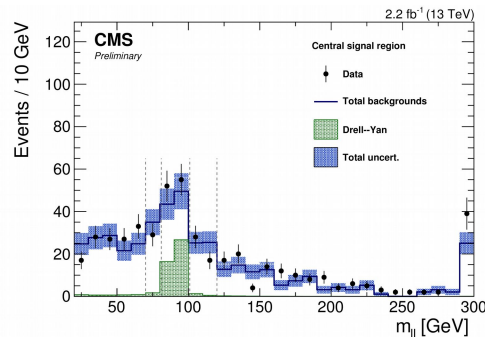
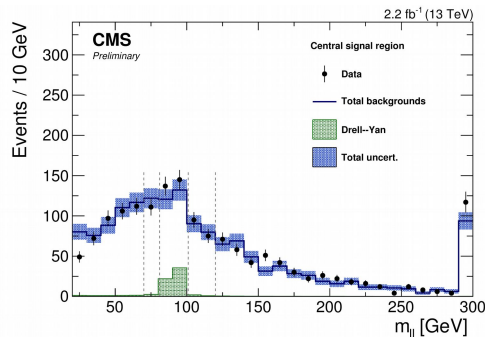
OSSF - invariant mass spectrum by regions

N_{bjets} inclusive

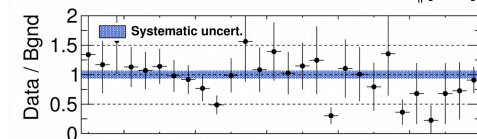
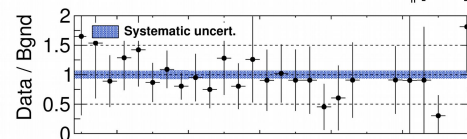
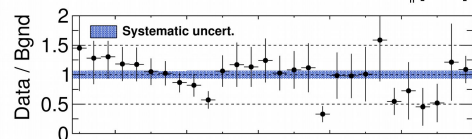
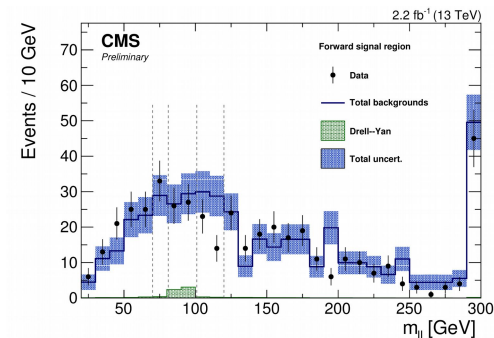
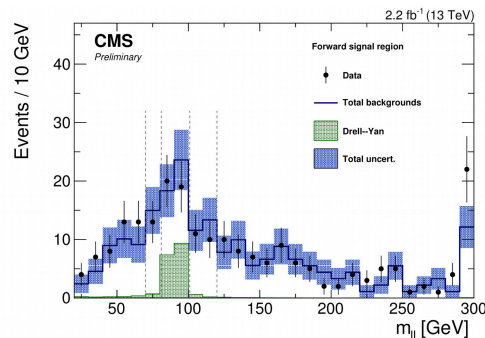
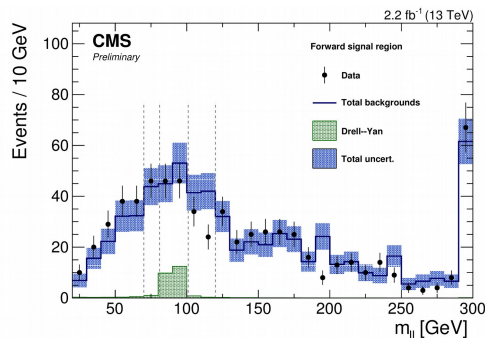
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$N_{\text{bjets}} > 0$

central



forward

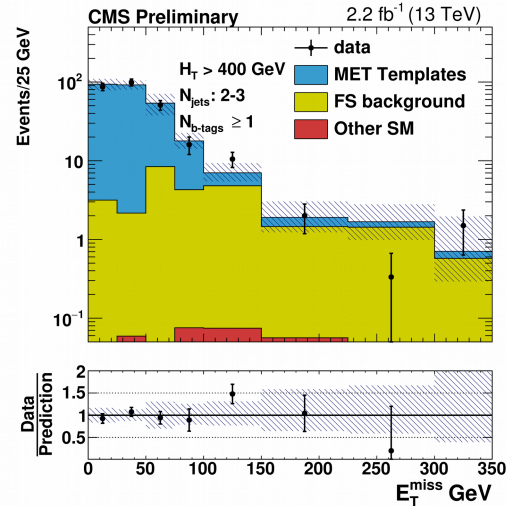
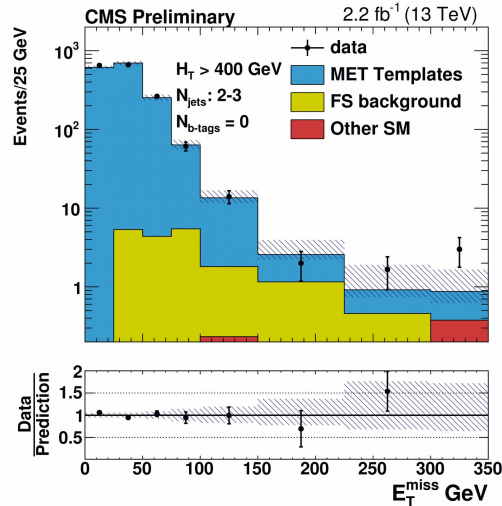


OSSF - on-Z signal regions

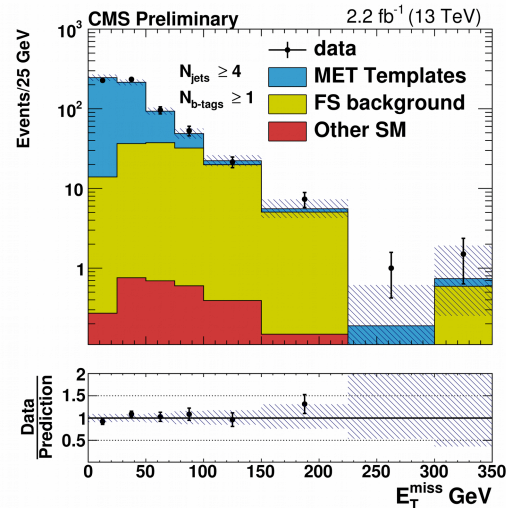
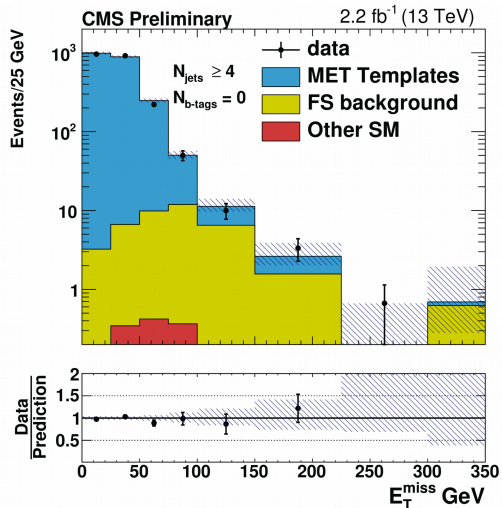
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$$N_{\text{bjets}} > 0$$

SRA



SRB



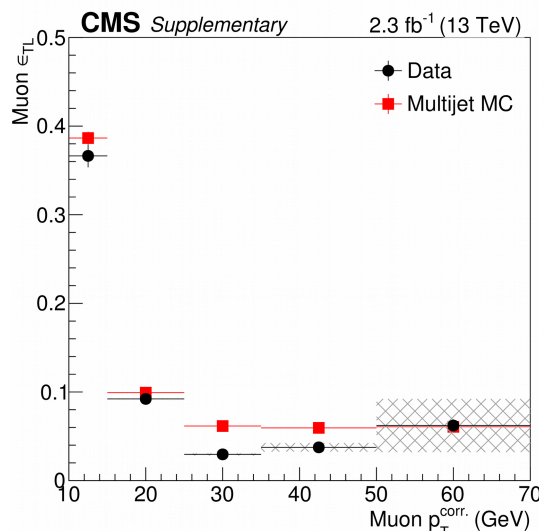
OSSF - Systematic uncertainties

Source of uncertainty	Uncertainty [%]
Luminosity	4.6%
PDF	$\sim 10\%$
Pileup	$\sim 5\%$
b-tag modeling	2- 5%
Lepton Reconstruction and Isolation	3%
Trigger modeling	5%
Jet energy scale	2-5%
ISR modeling	1%
Statistical uncertainty	5-20%
Total uncertainty	$\sim 13\text{-}24\%$

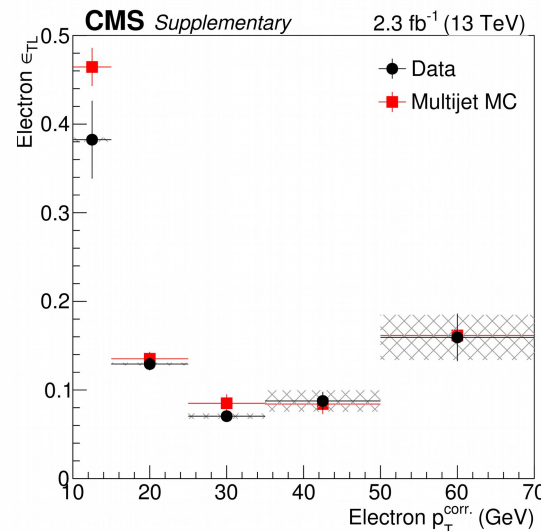
SSDL - tight-to-loose method

- Measure **tight-to-loose ratio** in non-prompt enriched control region
 - == 1 lepton passing loose selection
 - 1 recoiling jet with $p_T > 40$ GeV, $\Delta R(jet, lep) > 1.0$
 - $E_T^{miss} < 20$ GeV, $M_T < 20$ GeV
- Ensure trigger selection is looser than loose selection
- Subtract prompt contamination** by measuring MC yield in EKW control region ($E_T^{miss} > 20$ GeV, $70 < M_T < 120$ GeV)

muons

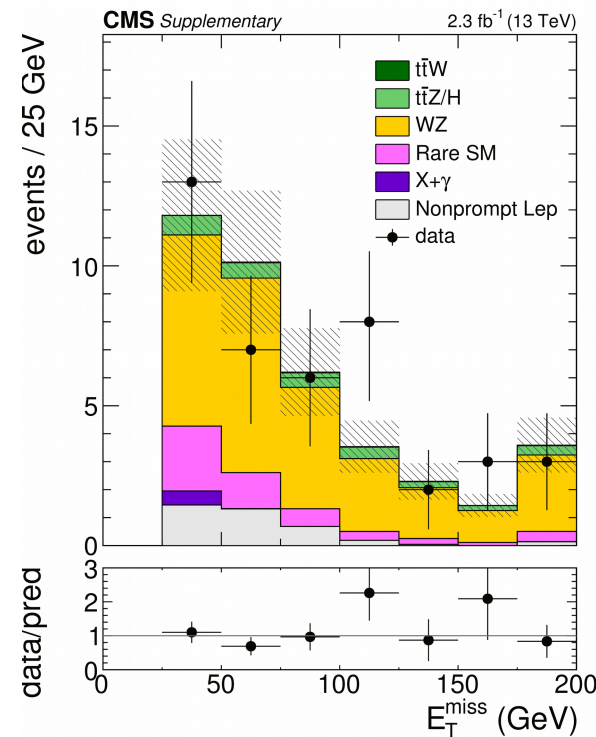
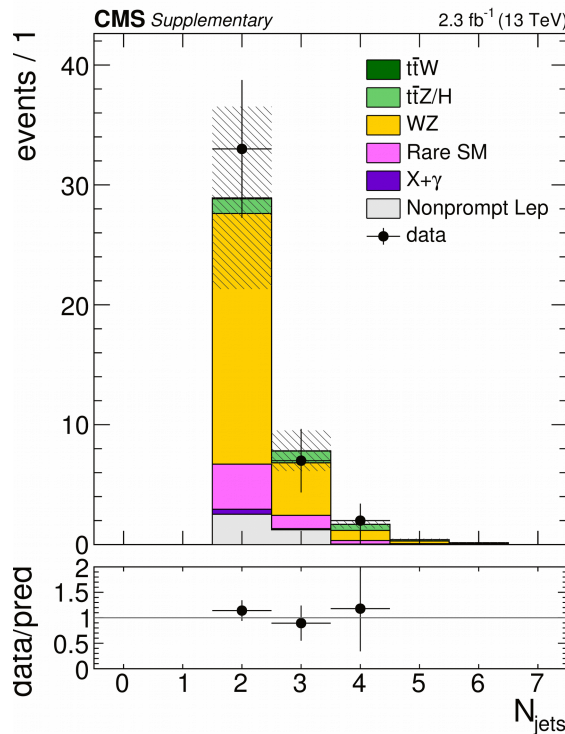


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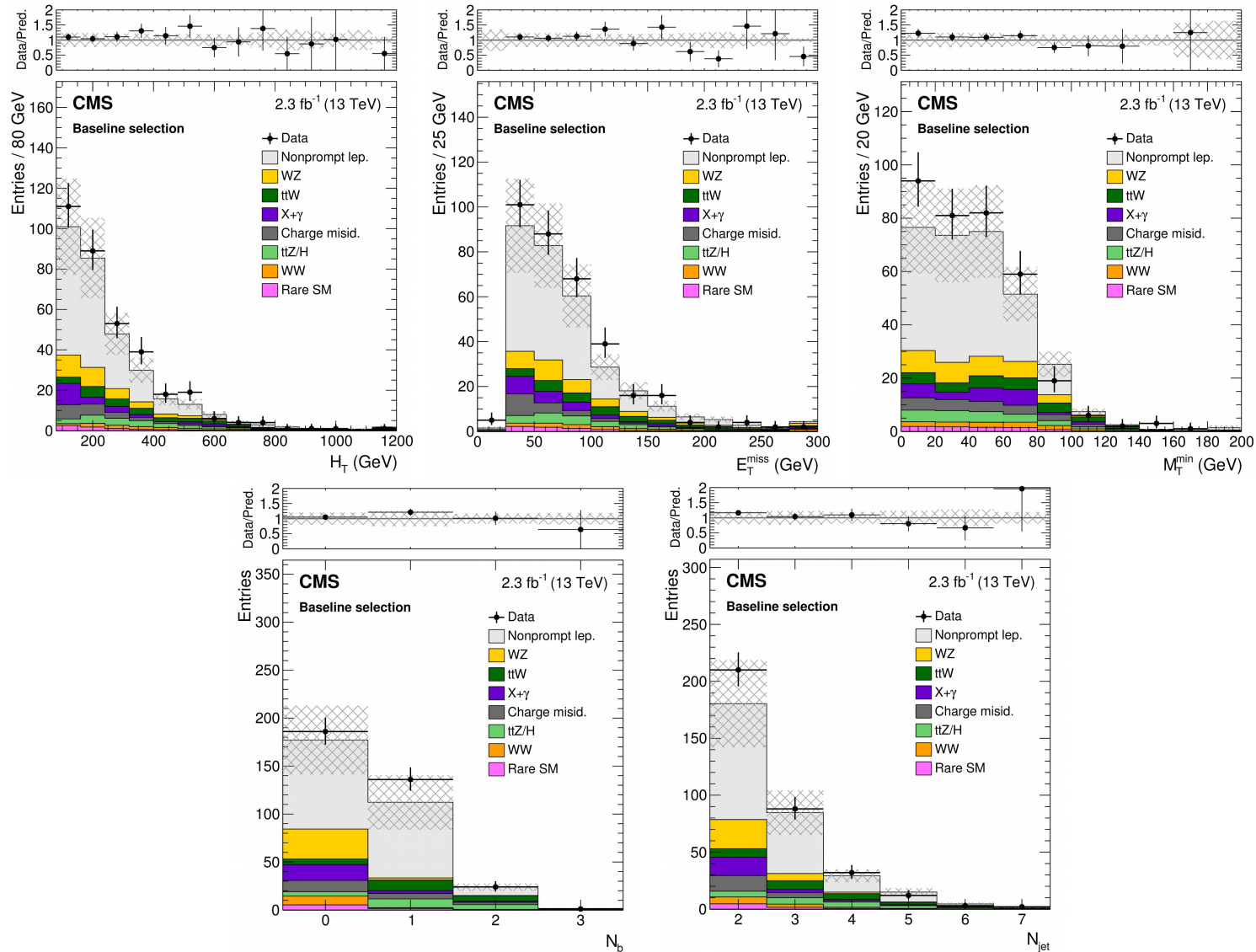


SSDL - WZ control region

- WZ control region (70% purity)
 - Lepton $p_T > 25/20/10$ GeV for p_T ordered leptons, 3rd lepton forms ossf pair with other lepton such that invariant mass is within 15 GeV around m_Z
 - $H_T > 80$ GeV, $2 \leq N_{\text{jet}} \leq 4$, $N_{\text{bjet}} = 0$, $E_T^{\text{miss}} > 30$ GeV
- Measured scale factor $1.22 \pm 0.35 \rightarrow$ compatible with 1



SSDL - baseline region



SSDL - signal regions

2 SS high p_T leptons (HH)

1 high p_T and 1 low p_T lepton (HL)

N_b	M_T^{\min} (GeV)	E_T^{miss} (GeV)	N_{jet}	$H_T < 300$ GeV	$H_T \in [300, 1125]$ GeV	$H_T > 1125$ GeV
0	< 120	50 – 200	2-4	SR1	SR2	SR32
			≥ 5	SR3	SR4	
		> 200 ^(*)	2-4		SR5	
			≥ 5		SR6	
	> 120	50 – 200	2-4		SR7	
			≥ 5	SR8		
> 200 ^(*)	2-4					
	≥ 5					
1	< 120	50 – 200	2-4	SR9	SR10	
			≥ 5	SR11	SR12	
		> 200 ^(*)	2-4		SR13	
			≥ 5		SR14	
	> 120	50 – 200	2-4		SR15	
			≥ 5	SR16		
		> 200 ^(*)	2-4			
			≥ 5			
2	< 120	50 – 200	2-4	SR17	SR18	
			≥ 5	SR19	SR20	
		> 200 ^(*)	2-4		SR21	
			≥ 5		SR22	
	> 120	50 – 200	2-4		SR23	
			≥ 5	SR24		
> 200 ^(*)	2-4					
	≥ 5					
≥ 3	< 120	50 – 200	≥ 2	SR25	SR26	
		> 200 ^(*)	≥ 2	SR27	SR28	
	> 120	> 50 ^(*)	≥ 2	SR29	SR30	
Inclusive	Inclusive	> 300	≥ 2	—	SR31	

N_b	M_T^{min} (GeV)	E_T^{miss} (GeV)	N_{jet}	$H_T < 300$ GeV	$H_T \in [300, 1125]$ GeV	$H_T > 1125$ GeV	
0	< 120	50 – 200	2-4	SR1	SR2	SR26	
			≥ 5		SR4		
		> 200 ^(*)	2-4	SR3	SR5		
			≥ 5		SR6		
1	< 120	50 – 200	2-4	SR7	SR8		
			≥ 5		SR10		
		> 200 ^(*)	2-4	SR9	SR11		
			≥ 5		SR12		
2	< 120	50 – 200	2-4	SR13	SR14		
			≥ 5		SR16		
		> 200 ^(*)	2-4	SR15	SR17		
			≥ 5		SR18		
≥ 3	< 120	50 – 200	≥ 2	SR19	SR20		
		> 200 ^(*)	≥ 2	SR21	SR22		
Inclusive	> 120	> 50 ^(*)	≥ 2	SR23	SR24		
Inclusive	Inclusive	> 300	≥ 2	—	SR25		

N_b	M_T^{\min} (GeV)	H_T (GeV)	$E_T^{\text{miss}} \in [50, 200]$ GeV	$E_T^{\text{miss}} > 200$ GeV
0	< 120	> 300	SR1	SR2
1			SR3	SR4
2			SR5	SR6
≥ 3			SR7	
Inclusive	> 120		SR8	

2 SS low p_T leptons (LL)

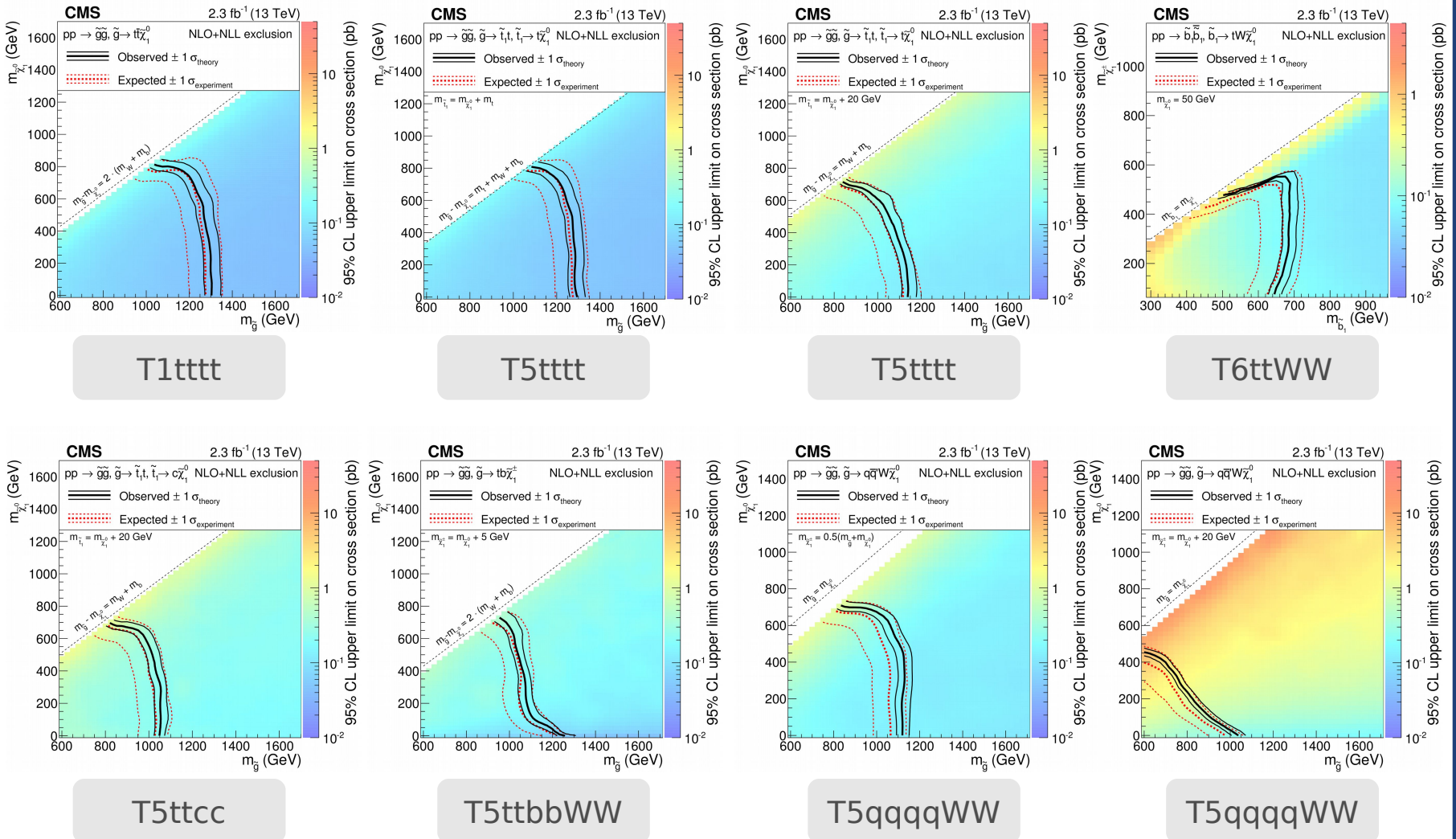
SSDL - results

Region	HH event yields		HL event yields		LL event yields	
	Expected SM	Observed	Expected SM	Observed	Expected SM	Observed
SR1	36.0 ± 7.0	39	44.1 ± 10.9	40	1.99 ± 0.94	1
SR2	12.8 ± 2.1	16	8.5 ± 2.1	9	0.14 ± 0.07	0
SR3	1.05 ± 0.36	2	0.61 ± 0.36	0	3.4 ± 1.5	2
SR4	1.49 ± 0.52	0	1.01 ± 0.38	3	0.04 ± 0.03	0
SR5	2.29 ± 0.49	4	1.40 ± 0.37	0	0.15 ± 0.28	0
SR6	0.11 ± 0.04	0	0.08 ± 0.04	0	0.02 ± 0.01	0
SR7	0.91 ± 0.31	0	26.4 ± 7.6	24	0.03 ± 0.01	0
SR8	0.16 ± 0.06	0	5.4 ± 1.5	13	0.10 ± 0.10	0
SR9	21.6 ± 5.2	26	0.34 ± 0.20	0		
SR10	8.6 ± 1.4	15	2.37 ± 0.99	2		
SR11	2.10 ± 0.92	3	1.29 ± 0.65	0		
SR12	2.24 ± 0.40	1	0.05 ± 0.04	0		
SR13	1.09 ± 0.21	3	4.2 ± 1.3	3		
SR14	0.25 ± 0.11	0	2.11 ± 0.69	1		
SR15	0.37 ± 0.12	0	0.06 ± 0.03	0		
SR16	0.19 ± 0.08	0	0.42 ± 0.09	1		
SR17	4.9 ± 1.0	4	0.29 ± 0.15	0		
SR18	2.90 ± 0.47	1	0.10 ± 0.08	0		
SR19	0.47 ± 0.09	0	0.11 ± 0.06	0		
SR20	1.43 ± 0.25	3	0.18 ± 0.17	0		
SR21	0.40 ± 0.10	0	0.001 ± 0.001	0		
SR22	0.08 ± 0.04	0	0.04 ± 0.04	0		
SR23	0.17 ± 0.06	0	0.03 ± 0.03	0		
SR24	0.14 ± 0.04	1	0.21 ± 0.17	0		
SR25	0.21 ± 0.06	0	1.25 ± 0.53	1		
SR26	0.46 ± 0.12	1	0.25 ± 0.12	0		
SR27	0.005 ± 0.016	0				
SR28	0.03 ± 0.02	0				
SR29	0.02 ± 0.01	0				
SR30	0.02 ± 0.01	0				
SR31	1.91 ± 0.32	1				
SR32	0.85 ± 0.18	1				

SSDL - Systematic uncertainties

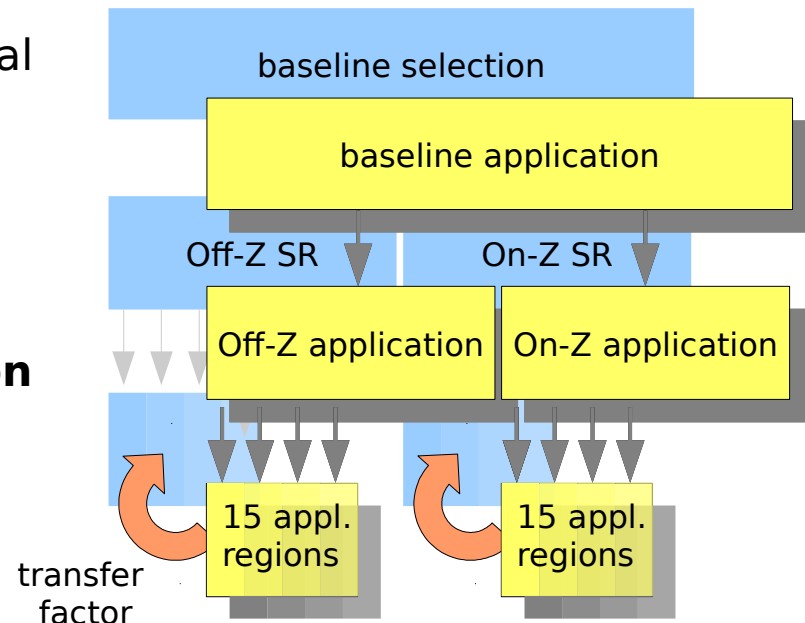
Source	Typical uncertainty (%)
Lepton selection	2
Trigger efficiency	4
Jet energy scale	2–10
b tagging	5
Pileup	1–5
Integrated luminosity	2.7
Scale variations ($t\bar{t}Z$ and $t\bar{t}W$)	11–13
Parton distribution functions ($t\bar{t}W$ and $t\bar{t}Z$)	4
$W^\pm W^\pm$ normalization	30
Other backgrounds	50
Monte Carlo statistical precision	1–30
Nonprompt leptons	30–36
Charge misidentification	26
WZ normalization	30

SSDL - Interpretations



Multileptons: non-prompt lepton background estimation

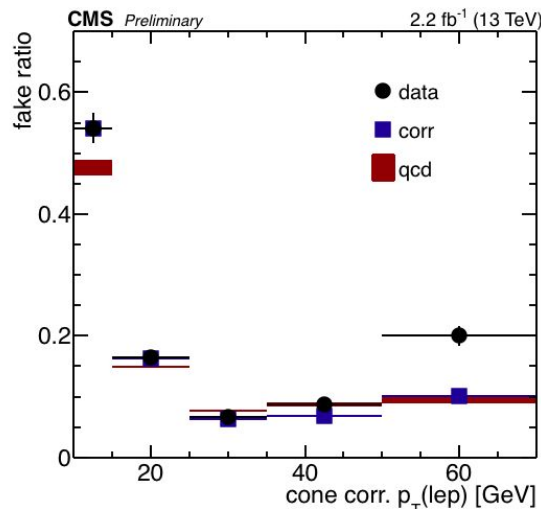
- Define application region for each signal region
→ at **least one** lepton passing the **loose** but failing the tight selection
- Events in application region need to satisfy **same cuts and categorization** as for signal regions
- Weight each event in the application region with a **transfer factor**
 - 1 fakeable lepton: $f / (1 - f)$
 - 2 fakeable leptons: $-f_i f_j / ((1 - f_i)(1 - f_j))$
 - 3 fakeable leptons: product of all $f / (1 - f)$
- Application region dominated by events with 1 loose lepton and 2 tight leptons



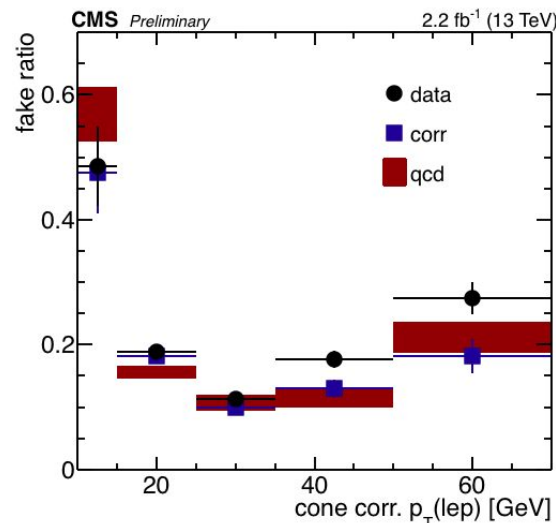
Multileptons: non-prompt lepton background estimation

- Measure **tight-to-loose ratio** in fake enriched control region
 - == 1 lepton passing loose selection
 - 1 recoiling jet with $p_T > 40$ GeV, $\Delta R(jet, lep) > 1.0$
 - $E_T^{miss} < 20$ GeV, $M_T < 20$ GeV
- Ensure trigger selection is looser than loose selection
- Subtract prompt contamination** by measuring MC yield in EKW control region ($E_T^{miss} > 20$ GeV, $70 < M_T < 120$ GeV)

muons

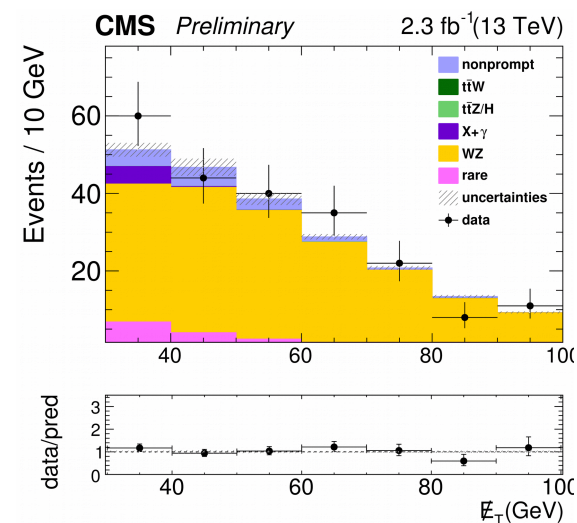
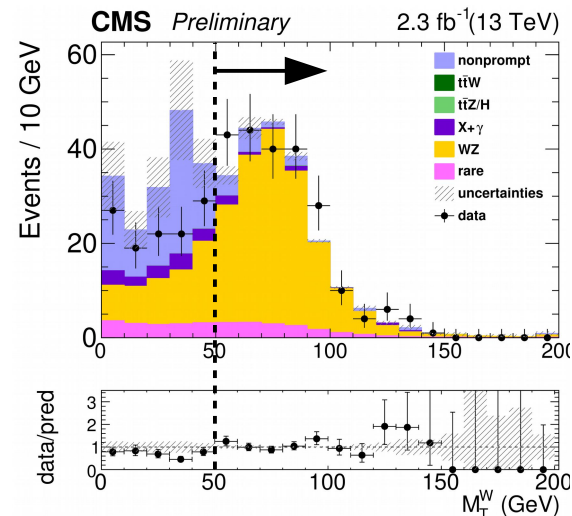


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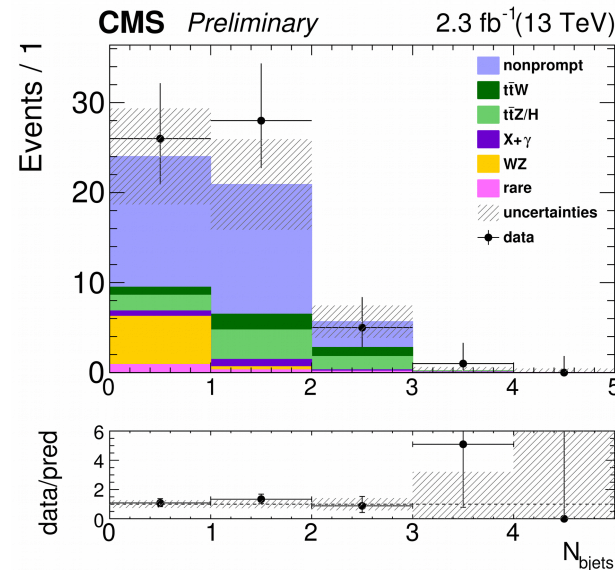
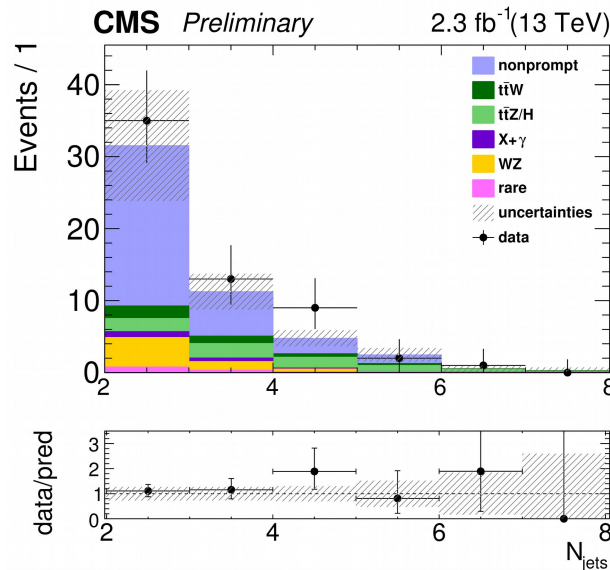
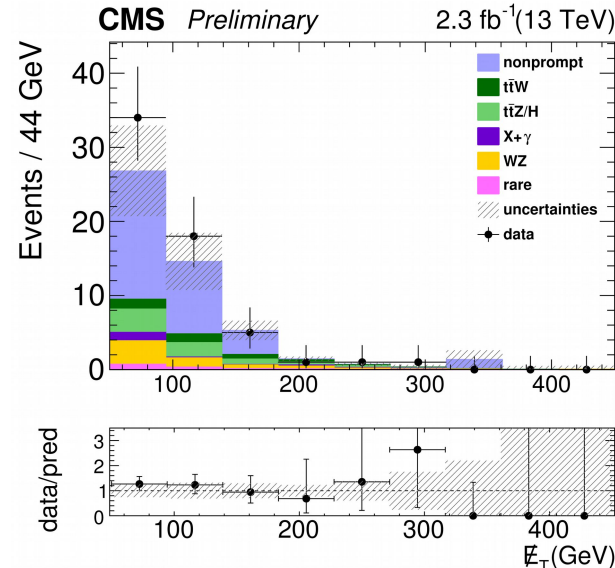
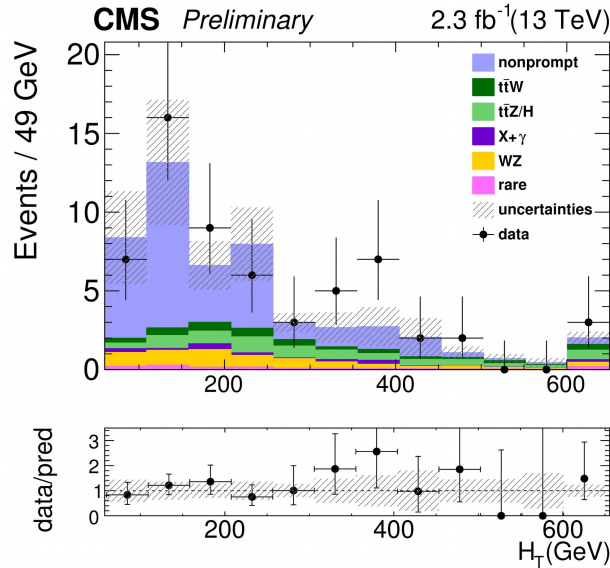


Multileptons - WZ control region

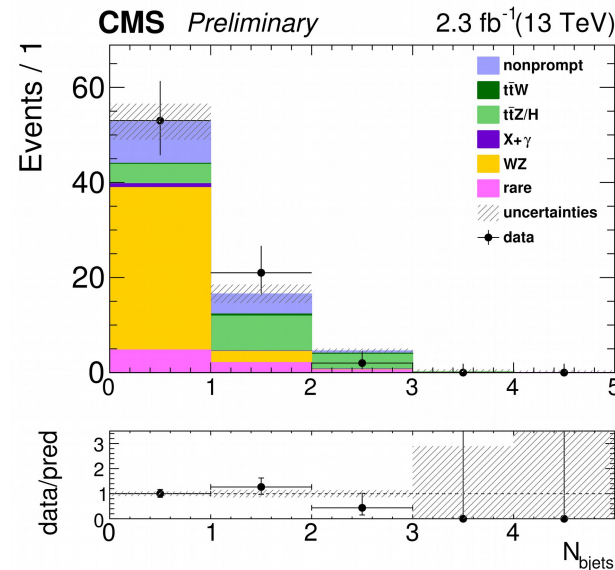
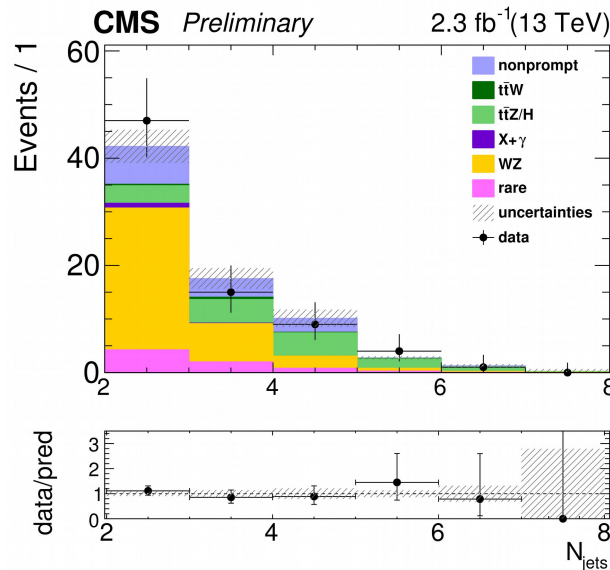
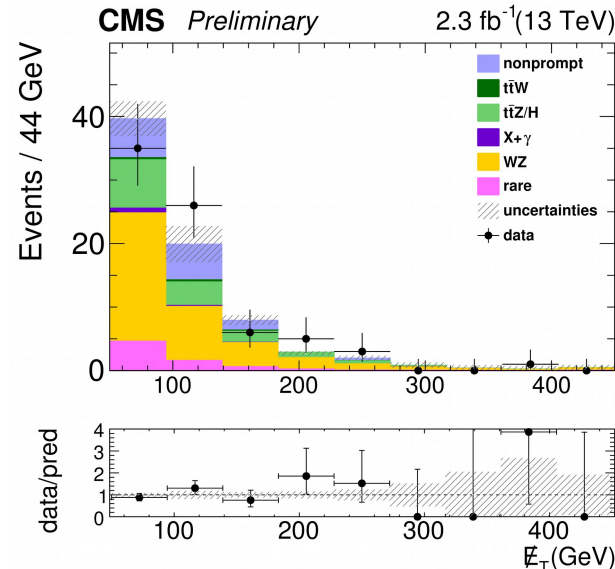
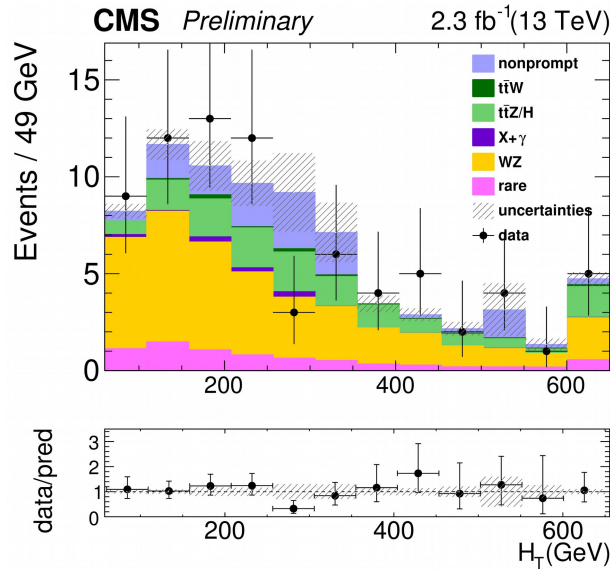
- Measure scale factor in WZ enriched control region with **84% purity**
 - 3 tight leptons, nominal ID, ISO, and p_T
 - $N_{\text{jets}} < 2$ Orthogonality to SR
 - $N_{\text{b-jets}} = 0$
 - $30 \leq E_T^{\text{miss}} \leq 100$ GeV Prevent signal contamination
 - At least on On-Z ossf pair
 - $M_T^{\text{3rd lep}} > 50$ GeV Suppress DY
- Scale factor measured with 2.3 fb^{-1} : **1.08 ± 0.15** → compatible with 1
- From uncertainty: assign **15% flat uncertainty** for WZ normalization
- b-tag SF and JES uncertainty considered
- Theoretical **uncertainty for extrapolation** to higher b-jet multiplicities are added.
Conservative estimate from $Z \rightarrow 2$ lepton study: 10% (20%) for SR below (above) $H_T = 400$ GeV, 30% SR13



Multileptons - SR inclusive distributions (off-Z regions)



Multileptons - SR inclusive distributions (on-Z regions)



Multileptons - yields (off-Z regions)

- Expected and observed yields in 2.3 fb^{-1} for the off-Z signal regions
- Yields for two different T1tttt mass points are given for comparison

b-tags	H_T (GeV)	E_T^{miss} (GeV)	Expected	Observed	T1tttt ($m_{\tilde{g}}=1000 \text{ GeV}, m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0}=600 \text{ GeV}$)	T1tttt ($m_{\tilde{g}}=1150 \text{ GeV}, m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0}=100 \text{ GeV}$)	SR
0 b-tags	60-400	50-150	$19.26^{+4.81}_{-4.80}$	18	0.23 ± 0.06	0.00 ± 0.00	SR1
		150-300	$1.16^{+0.31}_{-0.20}$	4	0.14 ± 0.04	0.04 ± 0.01	SR2
	400-600	50-150	$1.20^{+0.47}_{-0.40}$	3	0.05 ± 0.02	0.00 ± 0.00	SR3
		150-300	$0.29^{+0.44}_{-0.09}$	0	0.06 ± 0.02	0.04 ± 0.01	SR4
1 b-tags	60-400	50-150	16.57 ± 4.52	24	0.92 ± 0.20	0.03 ± 0.01	SR5
		150-300	$2.32^{+0.80}_{-0.76}$	1	0.65 ± 0.14	0.07 ± 0.02	SR6
	400-600	50-150	$0.67^{+0.45}_{-0.09}$	2	0.25 ± 0.06	0.04 ± 0.01	SR7
		150-300	$0.48^{+0.29}_{-0.07}$	0	0.33 ± 0.08	0.09 ± 0.02	SR8
2 b-tags	60-400	50-150	$4.49^{+1.81}_{-1.79}$	4	1.12 ± 0.24	0.04 ± 0.01	SR9
		150-300	$0.31^{+0.44}_{-0.09}$	1	0.86 ± 0.18	0.08 ± 0.02	SR10
	400-600	50-150	$0.40^{+0.27}_{-0.26}$	0	0.42 ± 0.10	0.05 ± 0.02	SR11
		150-300	$0.08^{+0.43}_{-0.08}$	0	0.58 ± 0.13	0.13 ± 0.03	SR12
60-600	≥ 3 b-tags	50-300	$0.13^{+0.43}_{-0.09}$	0	2.26 ± 0.47	0.21 ± 0.05	SR13
> 600	inclusive	50-300	$1.84^{+0.44}_{-0.37}$	3	1.49 ± 0.31	1.47 ± 0.30	SR14
inclusive	inclusive	≥ 300	$1.62^{+1.22}_{-1.19}$	0	1.95 ± 0.40	3.04 ± 0.61	SR15

Multileptons - yields (on-Z regions)

- Expected and observed yields in 2.3 fb^{-1} for the on-Z signal regions
- Yields for two different T5qqqqWZ mass points are given for comparison

b-tags	H_T (GeV)	E_T^{miss} (GeV)	Expected	Observed	T5qqqqWZ ($m_{\tilde{g}}=1000 \text{ GeV}, m_{\tilde{\chi}^\pm}=600 \text{ GeV}$)	T5qqqqWZ ($m_{\tilde{g}}=1150 \text{ GeV}, m_{\tilde{\chi}^\pm}=100 \text{ GeV}$)	SR
0 b-tags	60-400	50-150	38.01 ± 5.92	39	0.00 ± 0.00	6.85 ± 0.81	SR1
		150-300	$4.48^{+0.84}_{-0.75}$	3	0.82 ± 0.36	4.08 ± 0.62	SR2
	400-600	50-150	$4.88^{+1.49}_{-1.47}$	4	0.38 ± 0.19	0.86 ± 0.29	SR3
		150-300	$1.88^{+0.47}_{-0.39}$	3	0.21 ± 0.13	1.29 ± 0.36	SR4
1 b-tags	60-400	50-150	$11.84^{+2.28}_{-2.26}$	14	-	0.55 ± 0.21	SR5
		150-300	$1.53^{+0.42}_{-0.34}$	1	0.16 ± 0.16	0.49 ± 0.19	SR6
	400-600	50-150	$1.18^{+0.49}_{-0.23}$	1	0.02 ± 0.02	-	SR7
		150-300	$0.42^{+0.44}_{-0.10}$	3	0.16 ± 0.16	0.29 ± 0.15	SR8
2 b-tags	60-400	50-150	$2.55^{+0.67}_{-0.51}$	2	-	0.18 ± 0.13	SR9
		150-300	$0.72^{+0.76}_{-0.28}$	0	-	0.00 ± 0.00	SR10
	400-600	50-150	$0.55^{+0.45}_{-0.13}$	0	0.00 ± 0.00	-	SR11
		150-300	$0.31^{+0.51}_{-0.17}$	0	-	-	SR12
60-600	≥ 3 b-tags	50-300	$0.21^{+0.44}_{-0.13}$	0	-	-	SR13
> 600	inclusive	50-300	$4.22^{+0.68}_{-0.63}$	5	3.48 ± 0.65	1.01 ± 0.29	SR14
inclusive	inclusive	≥ 300	$1.41^{+0.50}_{-0.25}$	1	4.85 ± 0.81	2.37 ± 0.44	SR15

Multileptons - Systematic uncertainties

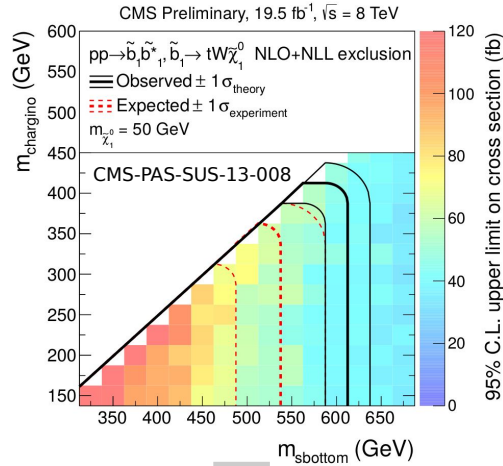
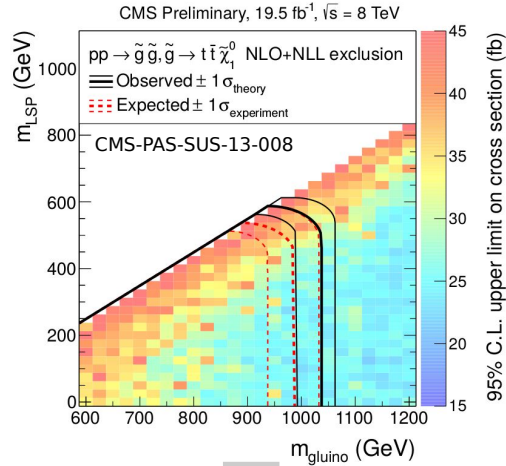
- Experimental and theoretical uncertainties

source	magnitude	effect on yield	induces SR migration
luminosity	4.6%	4.6% *	–
jet ES	2 – 8%	1 – 20% *	✓
b-tag efficiency	5 – 10%	1 – 20% *	–
pileup	5%	3% *	–
lepton efficiencies	2%	2% *	–
HLT efficiencies	3%	3% *	–
HLT lepton effic.	3 – 10%	3 – 10% FastSim signals	–
HLT FastSim	5%	5% FastSim signals	–
FO CR stat.	1 – 100%	1 – 100% (fake bkg. only)	–
FR extrapolation	30%	30% (fake bkg. only)	–
EWK subtraction in FR	100% (ewk. SF)	1 – 5% (fake bkg. only)	–
WZ CR stat. and norm.	15%	15 % (WZ only)	–
MonteCarlo stat.	1 – 100%	1 – 100% *	–
QCD scales	$\times 0.5 / \times 2$	11 – 13%(σ) / 3 – 18%(\mathcal{A}) ($t\bar{t}W, t\bar{t}Z, t\bar{t}H$)	–
PDFs	–	2–3% ($t\bar{t}W, t\bar{t}Z, t\bar{t}H$)	–
other bkg.	50%	50% (rare processes, tribosons, etc.)	–

* $t\bar{t}W, t\bar{t}Z, t\bar{t}H$, rare processes and signals only

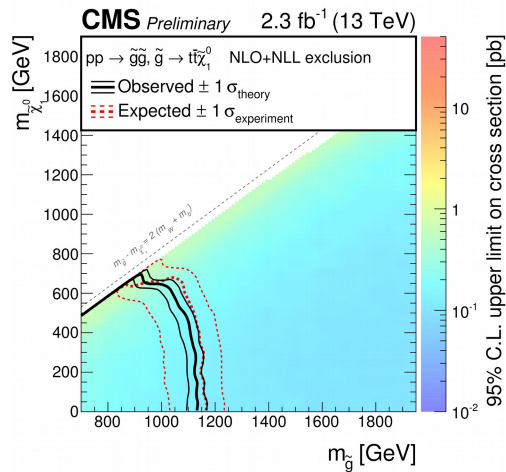
Multileptons - interpretations

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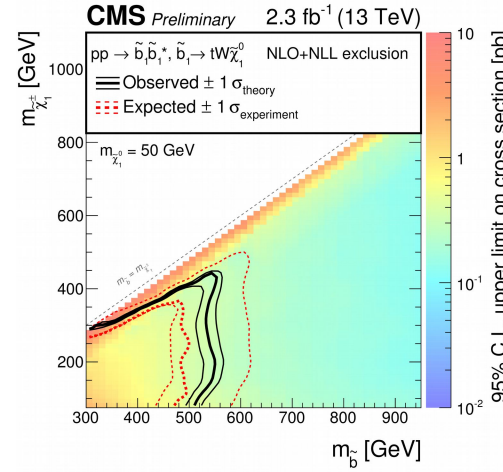


No 8 TeV
multilepton
interpretation

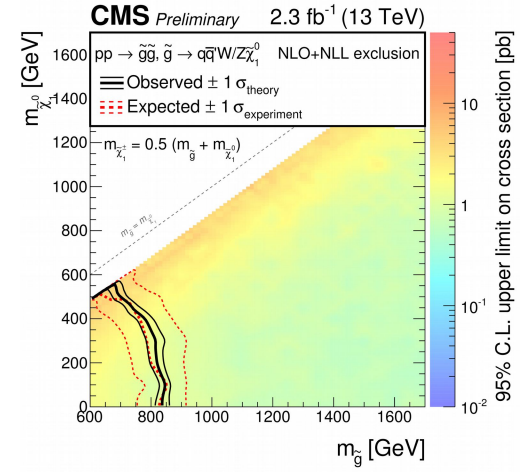
CMS 13 TeV



T1tttt



T6ttWW



T5qqqqWZ