

Studies of $t\bar{t}+X$ at CMS

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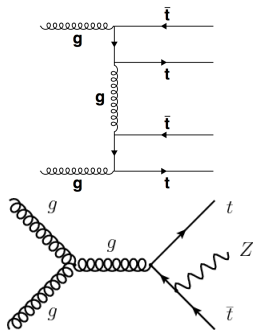
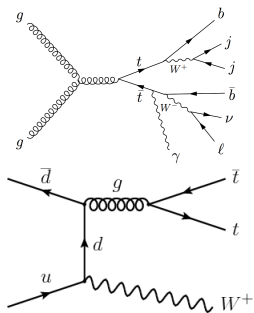


Overview

- Introduction and experimental status of $t\bar{t}\bar{t}$, $t\bar{t}b\bar{b}$, $t\bar{t}\gamma$, $t\bar{t}W$ and $t\bar{t}Z$ processes.
- Search for standard model four top-quark production at 13 TeV (2.3 fb^{-1}), Submitted to PLB (1702.06164) + (NEW) SUSY $SS 2\ell$ (1704.07323)
- Measurement of $ttb\bar{b}$ production at 13 TeV (2.3 fb^{-1}), to be submitted to PLB (CMS-TOP-16-010)
- Measurement of the $tt\gamma$ production cross section at 8 TeV (19.7 fb^{-1}) (CMS-PAS-TOP-14-008)
- (NEW) Measurement of the top pair-production in association with a W or Z boson in pp collisions at 13 TeV (35.9 fb^{-1}) (CMS-PAS-TOP-17-005)



Introduction

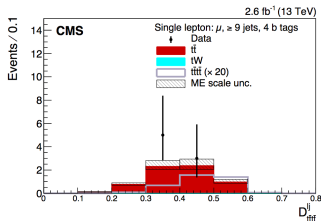
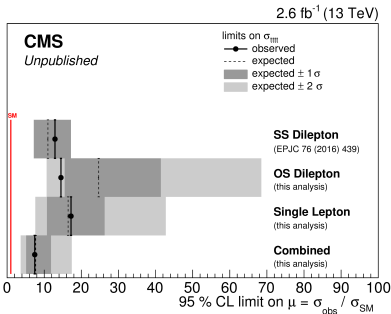


- The observed yields and measured cross-sections could be altered by new physics, the main background for $t\bar{t}H$ and for BSM processes
- Strength of the electromagnetic coupling of top quark and γ and top quark and Z boson can be probed
- The $t\bar{t}t\bar{t}$ measurement provide a useful test of analytical higher order calculation of QCD



Search for $t\bar{t}\bar{t}\bar{t}$

- Selection: 1 or 2 leptons, high hadron activity
- The discrimination power is provided by number of top and b quarks, event activity and topology
- Highest systematics uncertainty comes from variation of QCD scale choice at ME
- No deviation from background-only is expected and observed the limits on cross-section are set

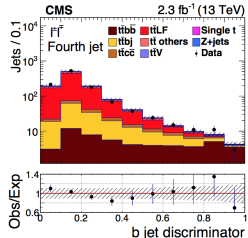
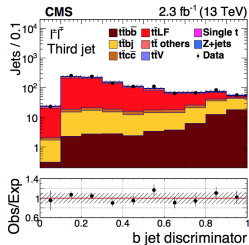
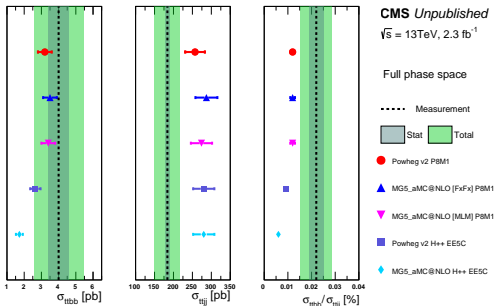


- **NEW!** SUSY same charge 2ℓ (1704.07323) with 35.9 / fb
- Observed (Expected) limit is $4.6 (2.9^{+1.4}_{-0.9}) \times \sigma_{t\bar{t}\bar{t}\bar{t}}^{\text{SM}}$
- With new data still a place to improve! Stay tuned!



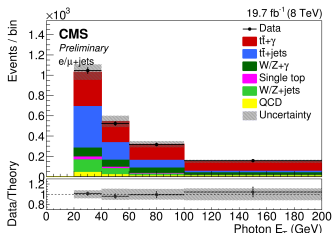
New! $t\bar{t}bb$ / $t\bar{t}jj$ ratio measurement

- Selection: exactly 2 OS leptons, at least 4 jets (at least 2 b jet)
- The leading and sub-leading in the b-tag discriminator value jet corresponds to the b jet from top in 85% cases
- The b tagging discriminator for 3rd and 4th jets are used to separate $t\bar{t}bb$ from other processes and for the fit
- Main uncertainties: JES & JER, b tagging, the choice of MC generator and scale in parton shower



$t\bar{t}\gamma$ cross section measurement

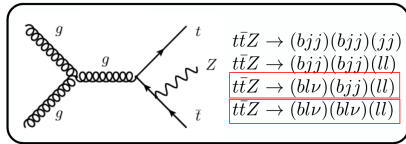
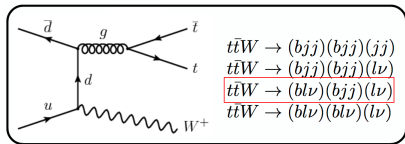
- Measure $t\bar{t}\gamma$ cross-section relative to the $t\bar{t}$ cross section
- Selection: exactly 1 lepton, at least 3 jets (1 b jet) and 1 photon
- Two categories of background:
 - Top events with fake photon ($t\bar{t}$)
 - Non-top events with real photon ($W\gamma, Z\gamma$)
- Measure the **top quark purity** after top quark and photon selection using a fit in an invariant mass of three jets with highest p_T (M3)
- Measure the **photon purity** using a fit to the photon charged hadron isolation, separates real photon events from other backgrounds (data-driven approach)
- Apply likelihood fit to the **top quark purity, photon purity and number of top quark events** simultaneously to extract number of $t\bar{t}\gamma$ events



Category	R	$\sigma_{t\bar{t}+\gamma}^{\text{fid}}$ (fb)	$\sigma_{t\bar{t}+\gamma} \times \mathcal{B}$ (fb)
e +jets	$(5.7 \pm 1.8) \times 10^{-4}$	139 ± 45	582 ± 187
μ +jets	$(4.7 \pm 1.3) \times 10^{-4}$	115 ± 32	453 ± 124
Combination	$(5.2 \pm 1.1) \times 10^{-4}$	127 ± 27	515 ± 108
Theory	-	-	$592 \pm 71(\text{scale}) \pm 30(\text{PDF})$



New! $t\bar{t}V$: strategy and event selection



$t\bar{t}W$, SS2 l

- 2 same-sign leptons
- $p_T > 40, 25(27)\text{GeV}$
- veto 3rd lepton
- at least 2 jets, 1 b-tag jet
- BDT analysis
- To maximise significance the number of jets and b-tagged jets are used to form signal regions

$t\bar{t}Z$, 3 l

- 3 leptons
- $p_T > 40, 20, 10\text{ GeV}$
- at least 2 jets
- $|m_{\ell\ell} - M_Z| < 10\text{ GeV}$
- C&C analysis

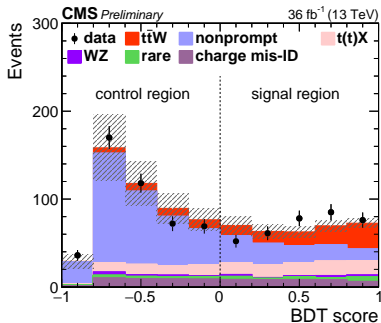
$t\bar{t}Z$, 4 l

- 3 leptons
- $p_T > 40, 10, 10, 10\text{ GeV}$
- Sum of charges = 0
- at least 2 jets
- $|m_{\ell\ell} - M_Z| < 20\text{ GeV}$
- C&C analysis



$t\bar{t}W$: $t\bar{t}W$ in $SS\ 2\ell$

- For $t\bar{t}W$ in same-sign dilepton channel BDT analysis was developed
- BDT input:
 - Number of jets; number of medium b-tagged jets; the sum of p_T of the jets
 - Leading and trailing lepton p_T , transverse invariant mass of both leptons
 - Leading and subleading jet p_T , missing transverse energy
 - ΔR between the trailing lepton and the nearest selected jet



Event selection

- BDT > 0
- Further split in number of jets, b-tag jets
- Split in $++$ and $--$

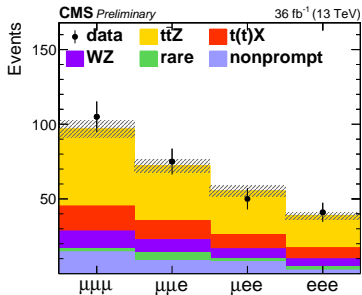
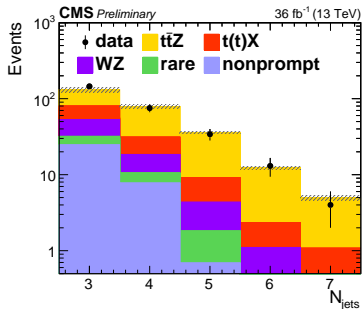
Backgrounds

- misidentified leptons, $t\bar{t}$
- $t\bar{t}Z$ and $t\bar{t}H$



$t\bar{t}V$: $t\bar{t}Z$ in 3ℓ and 4ℓ

3ℓ channel in enriched $t\bar{t}Z$ region: ≥ 3 jets, ≥ 1 b jet



Main backgrounds:

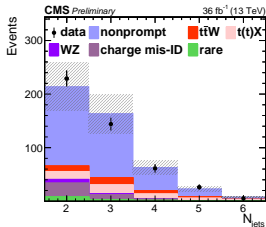
- nonprompt, WZ and $t(t)X$ (tZq , tWZ , $t\bar{t}H$) is relevant for 3ℓ
- ZZ for 4ℓ



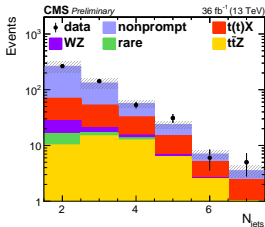
$t\bar{t}V$: nonprompt lepton background

- Nonprompt background are expected to occur mostly in $t\bar{t}$ and Drell-Yan production: an additional nonprompt lepton from the semi-leptonic decays of a b-hadron, or additional jets misidentified as lepton
- The probability of loosely identified lepton to pass the full set of identification/isolation requirements is calculated in respective enriched region and validated in Monte-Carlo simulation and data:
 - $2l$: $\text{BDT} < 0$
 - $3l$: absence of an SFOC lepton pair or off-Z

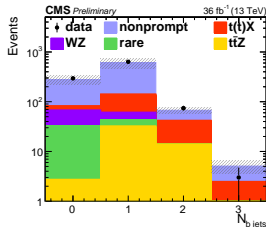
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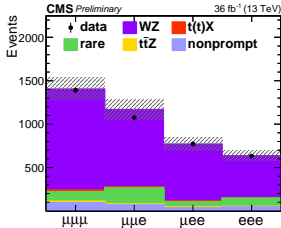
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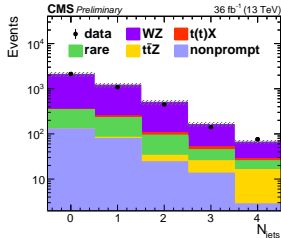
ttV: WZ and ZZ background

- MC is used for estimation, validate WZ and ZZ in enriched control region:
 - 3 leptons(4 leptons), 2 of the form an (2)SFOC pair close to Z peak mass
 - in 3ℓ the cut that excludes b-tag jets is used

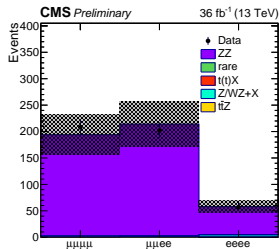
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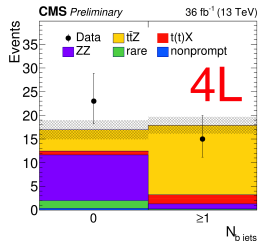
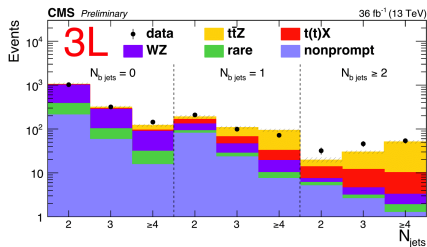
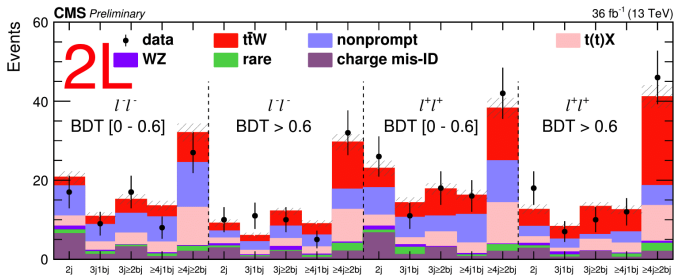
ttV: systematic uncertainties

Source	Uncertainty range	Impact on ttW cross-section	Impact on ttZ cross-section
Luminosity	2.5%	4%	3%
Jet Energy Scale/Resolution	2-5%	3%	3%
Trigger	2-4%	4-5%	5%
B tagging	1-5%	2-5%	4-5%
PU modeling	1%	1%	1%
Lepton ID, efficiency	2-7%	3%	6-7%
μ_R/μ_F scale choice	1%	<1%	1%
PDF choice	1%	<1%	1%
Nonprompt background	30%	4%	< 2%
WZ cross section	10-20%	<1%	2%
ZZ cross section	20%	-	1%
Charge misidentification	20%	3%	-
Rare SM background	50%	2%	2%
ttX background	10-15%	4%	3%
Stat. unc. for nonprompt	5-50%	4%	2%
Stat. unc. rare SM processes	20-100%	1%	< 1%
Total systematic	-	14%	12%

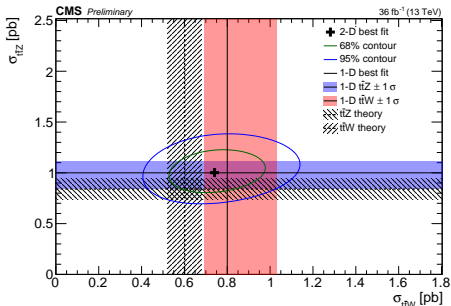
- Uncertainties on the lepton reconstruction, b tagging and trigger efficiency have the greatest effect both on the $t\bar{t}W$ and $t\bar{t}Z$ cross-section measurement.
- The uncertainty on nonprompt background gives a significant contribution to the systematic uncertainty of $t\bar{t}W$ cross section measurement.
- The systematic uncertainty for $t\bar{t}W$ and $t\bar{t}Z$ becomes dominant!



$t\bar{t}V$ results



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Channel	Expected significance	Observed significance
2 lss analysis $t\bar{t}W^-$	2.4	2.3
2 lss analysis $t\bar{t}W^+$	4.3	5.9
2 lss analysis ($t\bar{t}W$)	4.6	5.5
3 l analysis ($t\bar{t}Z$)	8.4	8.7
4 l analysis ($t\bar{t}Z$)	4.8	4.6
3 l and 4 l combined ($t\bar{t}Z$)	9.5	9.9

Measured signal strength:

- $t\bar{t}W$: $1.28^{+0.19}_{-0.18}$ (stat.) $^{+0.20}_{-0.18}$ (sys.) $^{+0.13}_{-0.12}$ (theo.)
- $t\bar{t}Z$: $1.18^{+0.11}_{-0.10}$ (stat.) $^{+0.14}_{-0.12}$ (sys.) $^{+0.11}_{-0.12}$ (theo.)

Measured cross sections:

- $t\bar{t}W^+$: $0.58^{+0.09}_{-0.09}$ (stat.) $^{+0.09}_{-0.08}$ (sys.) pb
- $t\bar{t}W^-$: $0.19^{+0.07}_{-0.07}$ (stat.) $^{+0.06}_{-0.06}$ (sys.) pb
- $t\bar{t}W$: $0.80^{+0.12}_{-0.11}$ (stat.) $^{+0.13}_{-0.12}$ (sys.) pb
- $t\bar{t}Z$: $1.00^{+0.09}_{-0.08}$ (stat.) $^{+0.12}_{-0.10}$ (sys.) pb

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⇒ **First time** $t\bar{t}V$ reaches $> 5\sigma$ at 13 TeV

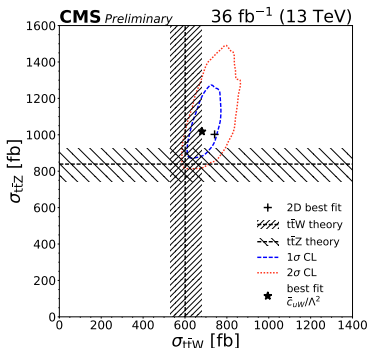


$t\bar{t}V$: EFT interpretations

EFT Lagrangian:

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{eff}} = \mathcal{L}_{\text{SM}} + \frac{1}{\Lambda} \sum_i c_i \mathcal{O}_i + \frac{1}{\Lambda^2} \sum_j c_j \mathcal{O}_j + \dots$$

- $\mathcal{M} = \mathcal{M}_0 + \sum c_j \mathcal{M}_j$, consider one operator at a time
- Do not consider all NP couplings to the first two generations, as well operators which caused significant cross section scaling for $t\bar{t}$, inclusive Higgs, WW or WZ
- Considered NP effects on $t\bar{t}H$ as well as $t\bar{t}W$ and $t\bar{t}Z$
- Construct a profile likelihood test statistic $q(c_j)$, maximize to find the asymptotic best-fit c_j



Wilson coefficient	Best fit [TeV ⁻²]	1 σ CL [TeV ⁻²]	2 σ CL [TeV ⁻²]
$ \bar{c}_{uB}/\Lambda^2 $	3.2	[0.0, 4.4]	[0.0, 5.4]
$ \bar{c}_u/\Lambda^2 + 18.7\text{TeV}^{-2} $	18.9	[5.2, 26.6]	[0.0, 32.6]
\bar{c}_{uW}/Λ^2	3.0	[-4.1, -1.5] and [1.2, 4.1]	[-5.1, 5.0]
\bar{c}_{Hu}/Λ^2	-9.4	[-10.3, -8.1] and [0.1, 2.1]	[-11.1, -6.6] and [-1.4, 3.0]



Conclusions

- Both results for $t\bar{t}\bar{t}$ and $t\bar{t}\gamma$ are statistical limited, with new data will be improved!
- Measurement of $t\bar{t} + V$ cross-section is done at 13 TeV with statistical uncertainty $O(15\%)$ and systematic uncertainty $O(15\%)$
- Next step is to measure differential cross-section for $t\bar{t}Z$ and the tZ coupling
- We are excited to have more data already in 2017-2018!

