# Welcome

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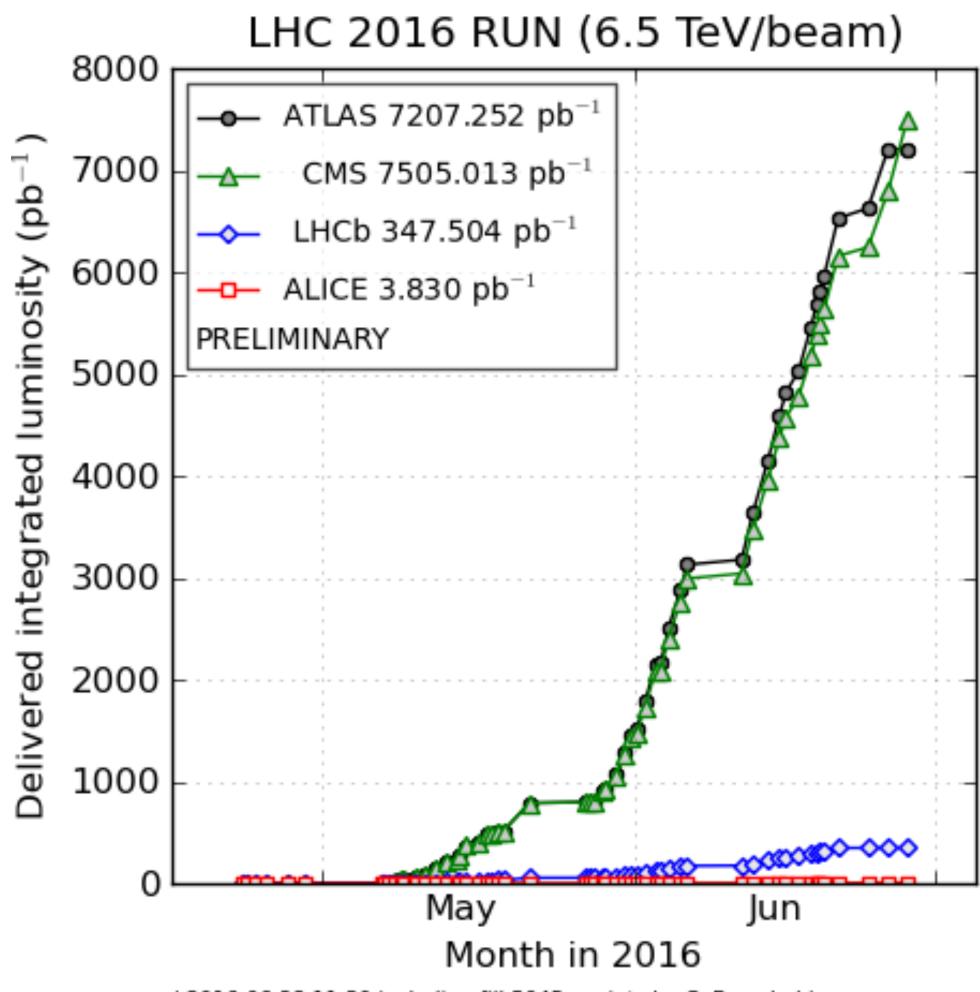


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# LHC in production mode

- $\sqrt{s} = 13 \text{ TeV}$ 
  - 2015 year of pilot run yielded
    ~4 fb<sup>-1</sup> for ATLAS and CMS
  - 2016 production run
    - nominal peak luminosity of 10<sup>34</sup> cm<sup>-2</sup> s<sup>-1</sup> has been surpassed
    - record fills of >35 h



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# Particle Physics $\Leftrightarrow$ Astroparticle Physics

- Physics •
- People •
- Tools
  - large installations, long lead times
- an interested public community
  - have to help politicians in their engagement for science

# Importance of a common Strategy

# European Strategy for Particle Physics and updates





2013

~2019



# ...and its implementation

- Full exploitation of LHC
  - HL-LHC was approved in Council in June 2016
  - neutrino programme
    - European neutrino platform at CERN
    - Agreements with US
  - ILC considered in Japan

...and onto the road for APPEC