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Measurements of Diboson Production and Vector Boson Scattering

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Outline



Diboson Physics

- Cross-Sections & Anomalous couplings

Experimental Considerations

- Datasets, Triggers, Objects, Backgrounds

Measurements

- Cross-Section measurements & comparison to theory
- Anomalous Triple & Quartic Gauge Couplings
- Summaries (>50 ATLAS & CMS publications in this area !)
 - > Few more details on recent results (14 in last 6 months !)

Future Prospects

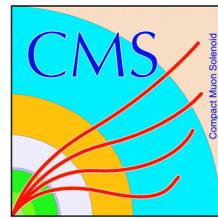
- Upgrades & projected sensitivity



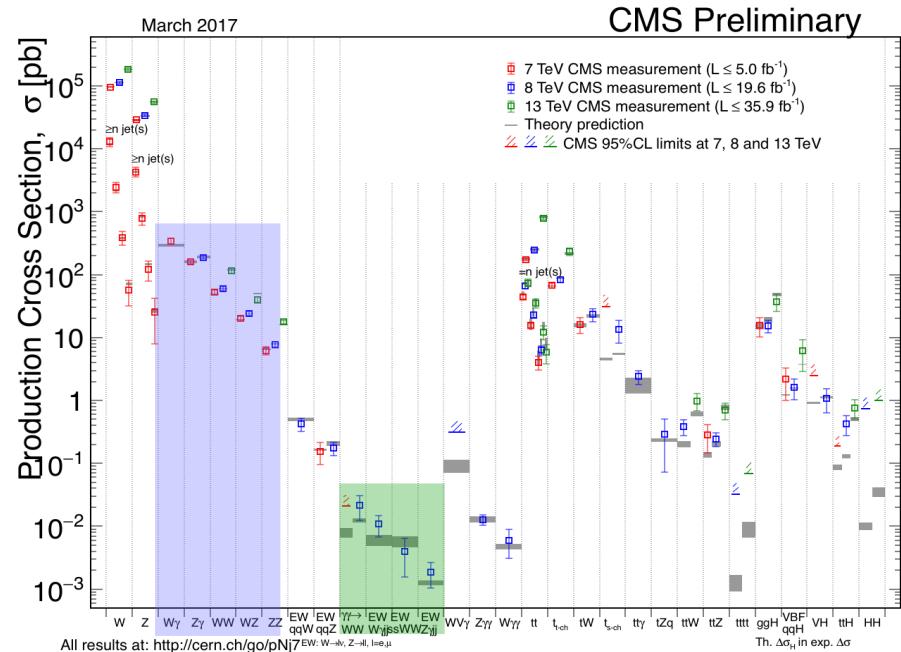
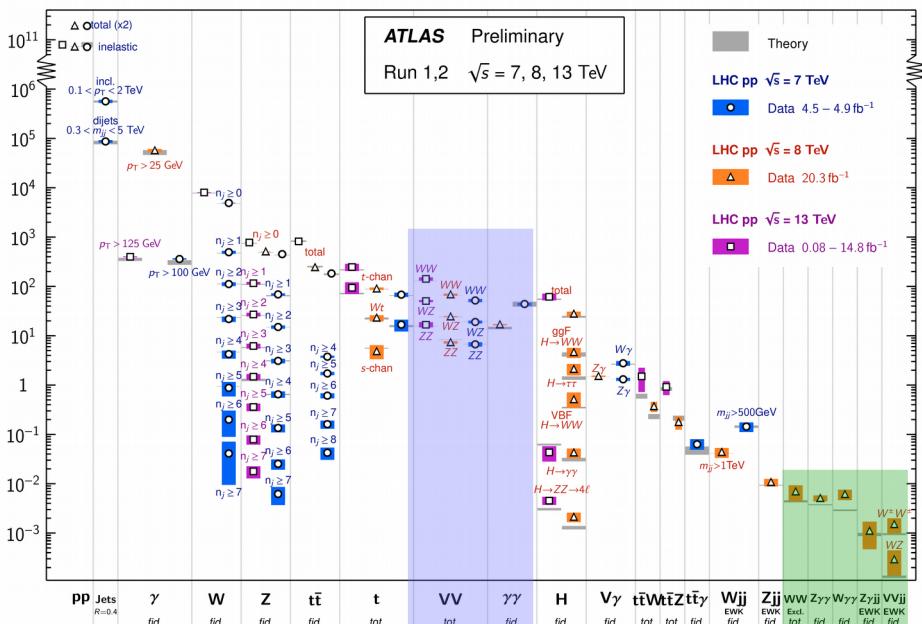
Diboson Physics



Diboson Production and the SM



Standard Model Production Cross Section Measurements



- Total Cross-Section dominated by QCD effects
- Test higher order QCD calculations: (N)NLO
- EWK production enhanced in certain regions
- Test higher order QED, nature of EWSB, gauge structure of the SM and beyond

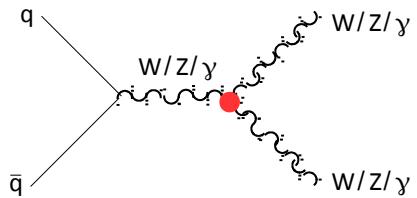


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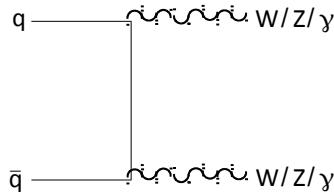
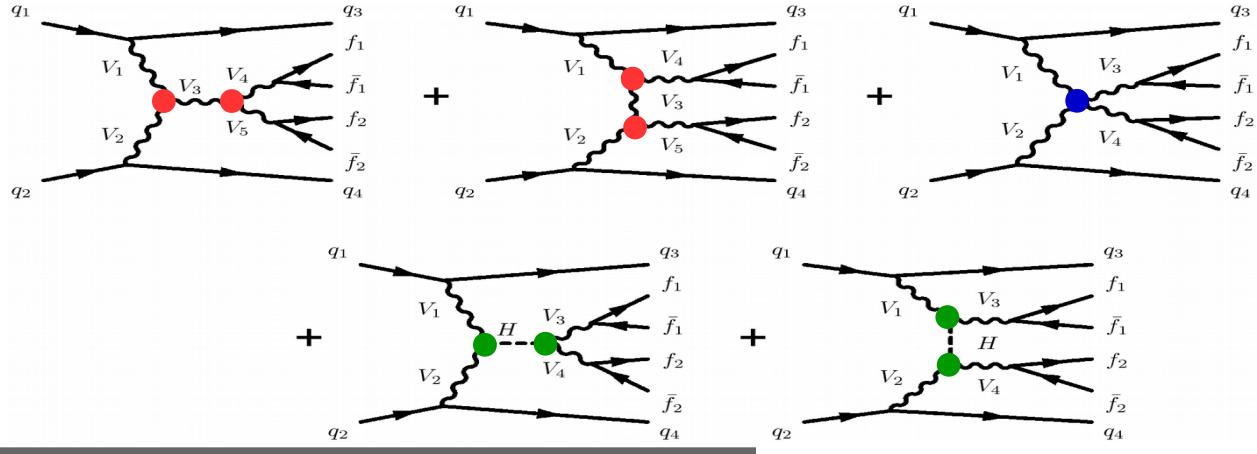
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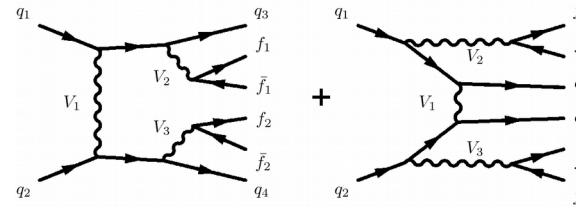
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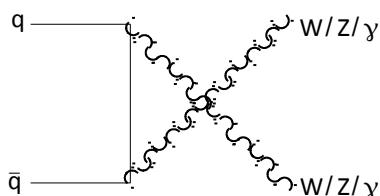
- Triple Gauge Coupling
- Quartic Gauge Coupling
- Higgs Coupling



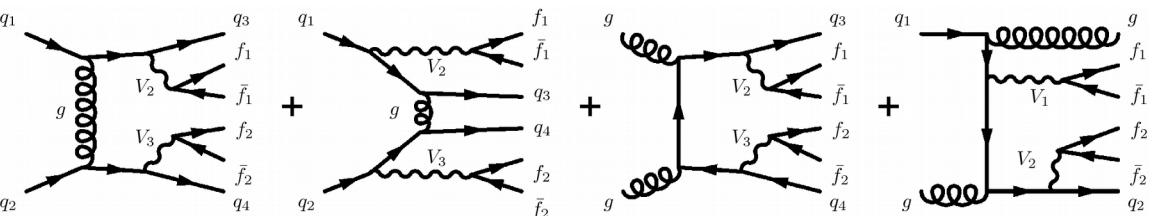
EWK



↑
Interference
↓



QCD





Anomalous Couplings



Only certain multi-gauge-boson couplings are non-zero in the SM

- Tree-Level TGCs: WWZ , $WW\gamma$
- Tree-Level QGCs: $WWWW$, $WW\gamma\gamma$, $WWZZ$, $WWZ\gamma$
- Beyond SM physics can modify these couplings or lead to new ones

Anomalous couplings are probed using Effective Field Theory

- Dimension 6 Operators ==> Triple Gauge Couplings
- Dimension 8 Operators ==> Quartic Gauge Couplings

$$D = 6$$

$$\sum_{i=WWW,W,B,\Phi W,\Phi B} \frac{c_i}{\Lambda^2} \mathcal{O}_i$$

$$D = 8$$

$$\sum_{j=1,2} \frac{f_{S,j}}{\Lambda^4} \mathcal{O}_{S,j} + \sum_{j=0,...,9} \frac{f_{T,j}}{\Lambda^4} \mathcal{O}_{T,j} + \sum_{j=0,...,7} \frac{f_{M,j}}{\Lambda^4} \mathcal{O}_{M,j}$$

Only $D_\mu \phi$

Only Field Strength

$D_\mu \phi +$ Field Strength

- EFT only valid to New Physics Scale (Λ)

> Can use Form Factors to model cut-off: $f \rightarrow f \left(1 + \frac{s}{\Lambda}\right)^{-p}$



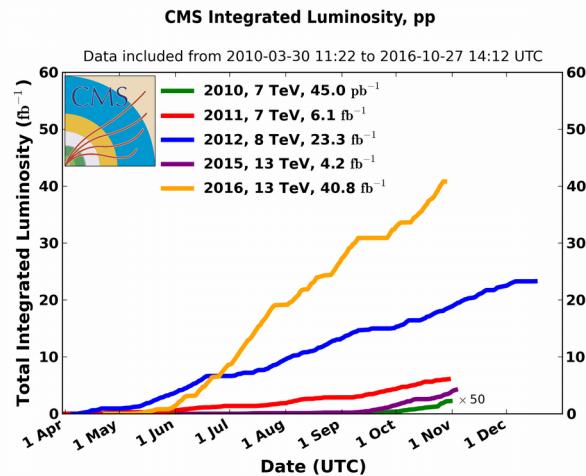
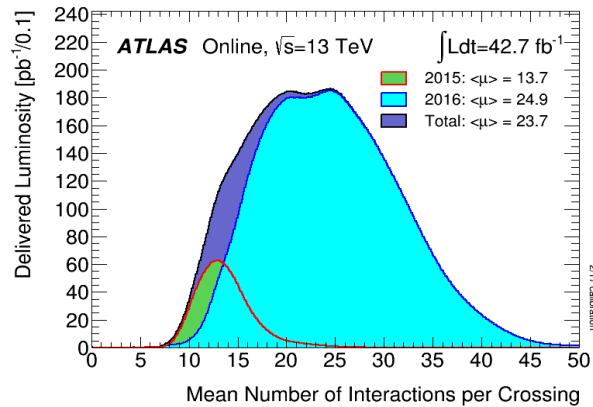
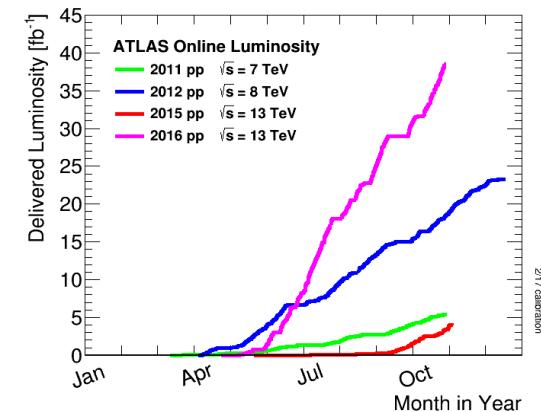
Experimental Considerations



Data Sets



pp Data Taking			ATLAS (fb^{-1})		CMS (fb^{-1})	
Year	\sqrt{s}	BC	Delivered	Recorded	Delivered	Recorded
2010	7 TeV	50 ns	0.048	0.045	0.045	0.041
2011	7 TeV	50 ns	5.5	5.1	6.1	5.6
2012	8 TeV	50 ns	22.8	21.3	23.3	21.8
2015	13 TeV	25 ns	4.2	3.9	4.2	3.8
2016	13 TeV	25 ns	38.5	35.6	40.8	37.8





Diboson Building Blocks



Representative threshold cuts on objects used in diboson analyses

Photons

- $E_T > 15\text{-}25 \text{ GeV}$

Leptons ($W \rightarrow e\nu, \mu\nu$; $Z \rightarrow ee, \mu\mu$)

- Electrons: $p_T > 25 \text{ GeV}$ (lower for dileptons, e.g. $> 17/12 \text{ GeV}$ - CMS)
- Muons: $p_T > 25 \text{ GeV}$ (lower for dileptons, e.g. $> 17/8 \text{ GeV}$ - CMS)
- Taus: generally not reconstructed for these analyses

Jets ($W/Z \rightarrow qq$; other jets in the event)

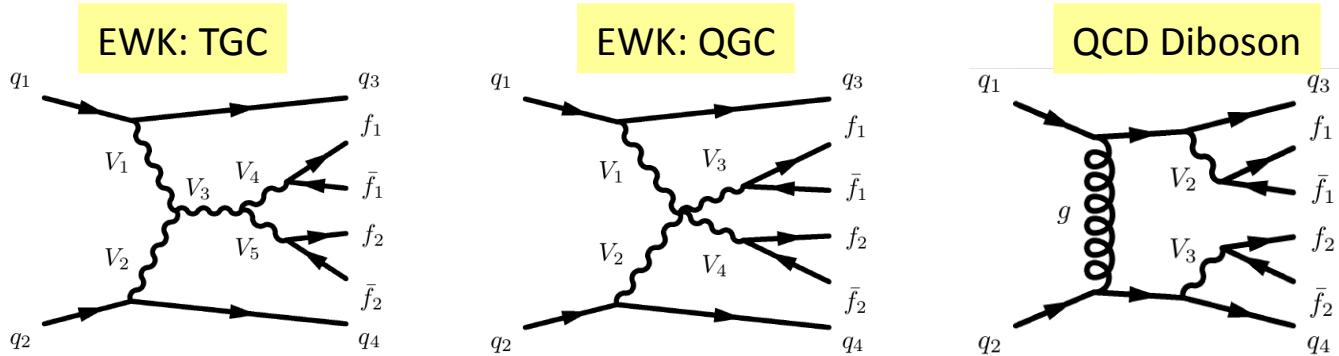
- Forward: $E_T > 30 \text{ GeV}$
- Resolved ($V \rightarrow jj$): $E_T > 25 \text{ GeV}$
- Merged ($V \rightarrow J$): $E_T > 200 \text{ GeV}$

Missing Energy (Neutrinos)

- $E_T^{\text{miss}} > 40\text{-}100 \text{ GeV}$



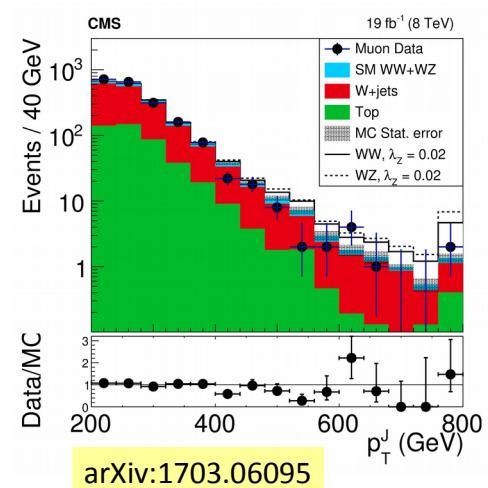
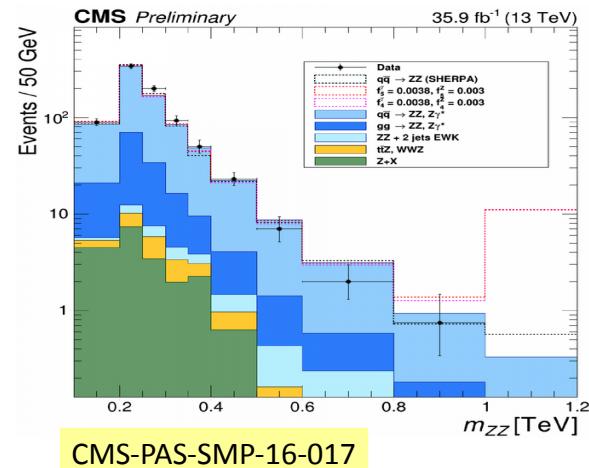
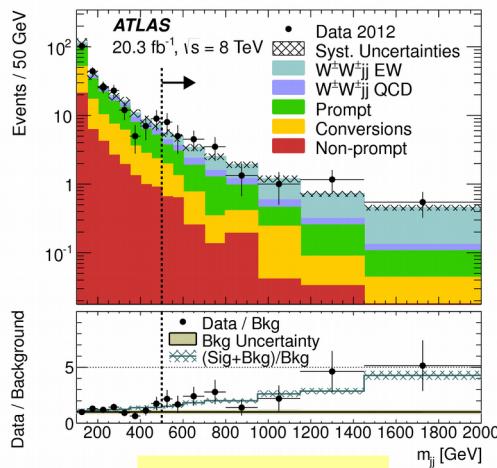
Accessing TGCs & QGCs



Distinguishing characteristics of events with multi-boson vertices

- Forward jets:
high m_{jj} & Δy_{jj} , no color connect.

Anomalous Couplings:
enhanced at high $m(VV)$, $p_T(V) \dots$



arXiv:1611.02428

arXiv:1703.06095



Triggering



Primary triggers used for Diboson analyses: Single Leptons (e/μ)

- $\gamma\gamma$ results use diphoton triggers w/ E_T thresholds: ~35/25 GeV
- Dilepton (ee, μμ, eμ) also used in some analyses
 - > ee: 12/12 GeV, μμ: 17-18/8 GeV

Representative Single-Lepton Trigger Thresholds

- Note the use of increased thresholds & tighter isolation at higher luminosities

Year (vs)	Peak Lumi ($\times 10^{33} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$)	ATLAS		CMS	
		e-Threshold	μ-Threshold	e-Threshold	μ-Threshold
2011 (7 TeV)	3.7	22 GeV	18 GeV	Dilepton	17/8 GeV
2012 (8 TeV)	7.7	24 GeV (Iso) 60 GeV (no Iso)	24 GeV (Iso) 50 GeV (no Iso)	24 GeV (Iso)	27 GeV (Iso)
2015 (13 TeV)	5.0	24 GeV (Iso) 60 GeV (no Iso)	24 GeV (Iso) 50 GeV (no Iso)	27 GeV (Iso)	27 GeV (Iso) 50 GeV (no Iso)
2016 (13 TeV)	13.8	26 GeV (Iso) 60 GeV (no Iso)	26 GeV (Iso) 50 GeV (no Iso)	27 GeV (Iso)	



Backgrounds & Systematics



Recent results give good overview of main diboson issues

- All major backgrounds are estimated using data-based methods
 - > Usually employing background-enhanced Control Regions

Exp	Vs (TeV)	Channel	Reference	Main Bgrds	Main Systs
ATLAS	8	$\gamma\gamma$	arXiv:1704.03839	Fake γ ($j \rightarrow \pi^0/\eta$)	Photon ID efficiency
CMS	13	$ZZ + \text{jets}$			
CMS	13	$ZZ \rightarrow 4\ell$	CMS-PAS-SMP-16-017	$Z + \text{jets}$, $WZ + \text{jets}$	ℓ efficiency, trigger eff
ATLAS	7,8	Wjj	arXiv:1703.04362	$t\bar{t} + Wt$, multijet	Jet related
ATLAS	13	$WW \rightarrow e\nu\mu\nu$	arXiv: 1702.04519	$t\bar{t} + Wt$	Jet related
ATLAS	13	$WZ \rightarrow \ell'v\ell\ell$	ATLAS-CONF-2016-043	Mis-ID leptons	Mis-ID ℓ bgrd, trigger eff
CMS	13	$WW/WZ \rightarrow \ell vqq$	CMS-PAS-SMP-16-012	$W + \text{jets}$	$W + \text{jets}$, V-tag
CMS	8	$WW/WZ \rightarrow \ell vqq$	arXiv:1703.06095	$W + \text{jets}$	$W + \text{jets}$
ATLAS	8	$WW/WZ \rightarrow \ell vqq$	STDM-2015-23	$W + \text{jets}$	Jet related
CMS	8	$W\gamma jj$	arXiv:1612.09256	QCD $W\gamma + \text{jets}$, $W + \text{jets}$	$W + \text{jets}$, mis-ID $j \rightarrow e$
CMS	8	$Z\gamma jj$	arXiv:1702.03025	QCD $Z\gamma + \text{jets}$, $Z + \text{jets}$	QCD norm, Fake photon
ATLAS	8	$Z\gamma jj$	STDM-2015-21	QCD $Z\gamma + \text{jets}$, $Z + \text{jets}$	Jet related
ATLAS	8	$W^\pm(\ell\nu)W^\pm(\ell\nu)jj$	arXiv:1611.02428	$WZjj$	Jet related
CMS	13	$W\gamma\gamma/Z\gamma\gamma$	arXiv:1704.00366	$\text{Jet}/e \rightarrow \gamma$ mis-id	$\text{Jet} \rightarrow \gamma$ mis-ID





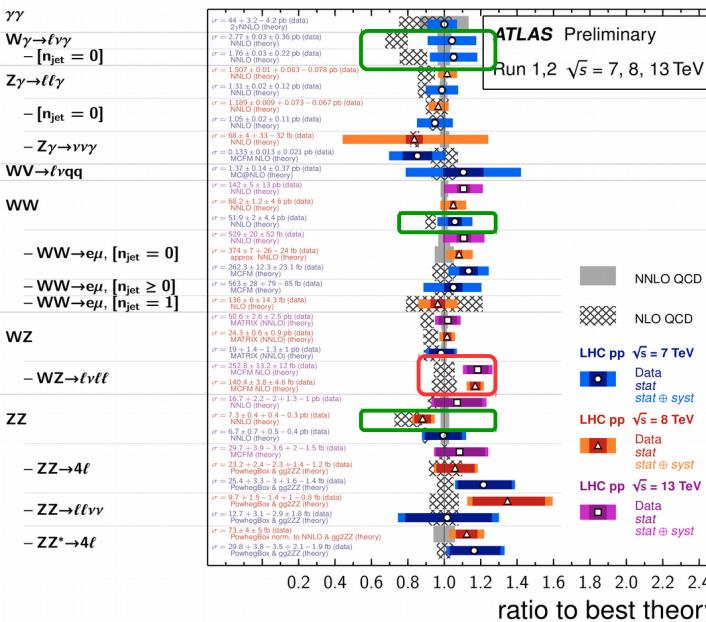
Cross-Section Measurements



Diboson Cross-Sections



Diboson Cross Section Measurements



	$f\mathcal{L} dt$ [fb^{-1}]	Reference
$\gamma\gamma$	4.9	JHEP 01, 086 (2013)
$W\gamma \rightarrow \ell\nu\gamma$	4.6	PRD 87, 112003 (2013)
$Z\gamma \rightarrow \ell\ell\gamma$	4.6	arXiv:1407.1618 [hep-ph]
$-[n_{jet} = 0]$	4.6	PRD 87, 112003 (2013)
$-Z\gamma \rightarrow \nu\nu\gamma$	4.6	PRD 87, 112003 (2013)
$WW \rightarrow \ell\tau qq$	20.3	PRD 87, 112003 (2013)
WW	20.3	PRD 93, 112002 (2016)
$-WW \rightarrow e\mu, [n_{jet} = 0]$	4.6	PRD 87, 112003 (2013)
$-WW \rightarrow e\mu, [n_{jet} \geq 0]$	4.6	PRD 87, 112003 (2013)
$-WW \rightarrow e\mu, [n_{jet} = 1]$	4.6	PRD 87, 112003 (2013)
WZ	4.6	JHEP 01, 049 (2015)
$-WZ \rightarrow \ell\ell\ell\ell$	3.2	arXiv: 1702.04519 [hep-ex]
ZZ	20.3	PLB 763, 114 (2016)
$-ZZ \rightarrow 4\ell$	4.6	PRD 87, 112001 (2013)
$-ZZ \rightarrow \ell\ell\nu\nu$	3.2	arXiv: 1702.04519 [hep-ex]
$-ZZ^* \rightarrow 4\ell$	20.3	JHEP 09 (2016) 029

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CMS measurements
vs. NNLO (NLO) theory

$\gamma\gamma$
 $W\gamma, (\text{NLO th.})$
 $Z\gamma, (\text{NLO th.})$

$WW+WZ$

WW

WW

WW

WZ

WZ

ZZ

7 TeV CMS measurement (stat,stat+sys)
8 TeV CMS measurement (stat,stat+sys)
13 TeV CMS measurement (stat,stat+sys)

$\gamma\gamma$	$1.06 \pm 0.01 \pm 0.12$	5.0 fb^{-1}
$W\gamma, (\text{NLO th.})$	$1.16 \pm 0.03 \pm 0.13$	5.0 fb^{-1}
$Z\gamma, (\text{NLO th.})$	$0.98 \pm 0.01 \pm 0.05$	5.0 fb^{-1}
$Z\gamma, (\text{NLO th.})$	$0.98 \pm 0.01 \pm 0.05$	19.5 fb^{-1}
$WW+WZ$	$1.01 \pm 0.13 \pm 0.14$	4.9 fb^{-1}
WW	$1.07 \pm 0.04 \pm 0.09$	4.9 fb^{-1}
WW	$1.00 \pm 0.02 \pm 0.08$	19.4 fb^{-1}
WW	$0.96 \pm 0.05 \pm 0.08$	2.3 fb^{-1}
WZ	$1.05 \pm 0.07 \pm 0.06$	4.9 fb^{-1}
WZ	$1.02 \pm 0.04 \pm 0.07$	19.6 fb^{-1}
WZ	$0.80 \pm 0.06 \pm 0.07$	2.3 fb^{-1}
ZZ	$0.97 \pm 0.13 \pm 0.07$	4.9 fb^{-1}
ZZ	$0.97 \pm 0.06 \pm 0.08$	19.6 fb^{-1}
ZZ	$1.10 \pm 0.04 \pm 0.05$	35.9 fb^{-1}

All results at:
<http://cern.ch/go/pNj7>

Production Cross Section Ratio: $\sigma_{\text{exp}} / \sigma_{\text{theo}}$

<https://atlas.web.cern.ch/Atlas/GROUPS/PHYSICS/CombinedSummaryPlots/SM/>

<https://twiki.cern.ch/twiki/bin/view/CMSPublic/PhysicsResultsCombined>

~All recent measurements are systematics limited

Generally good agreement between experiment and theory

- NNLO QCD improves agreement substantially in some cases
 - > New NNLO calculations for WZ (arXiv:1604.08576) and VY (arXiv:1504.01330)
- But some features observed in some differential measurements



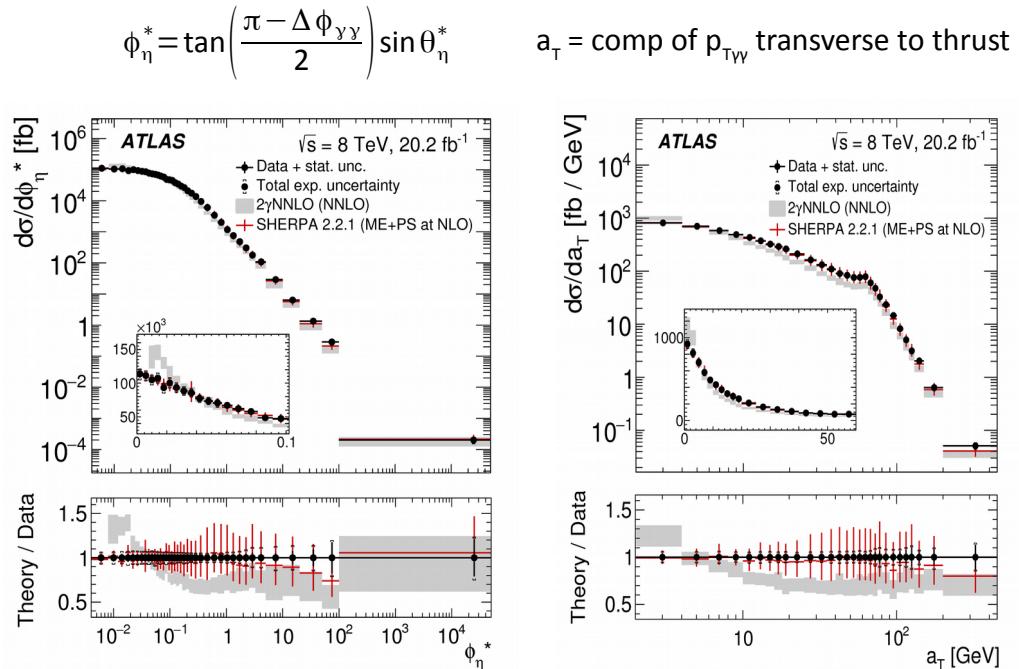
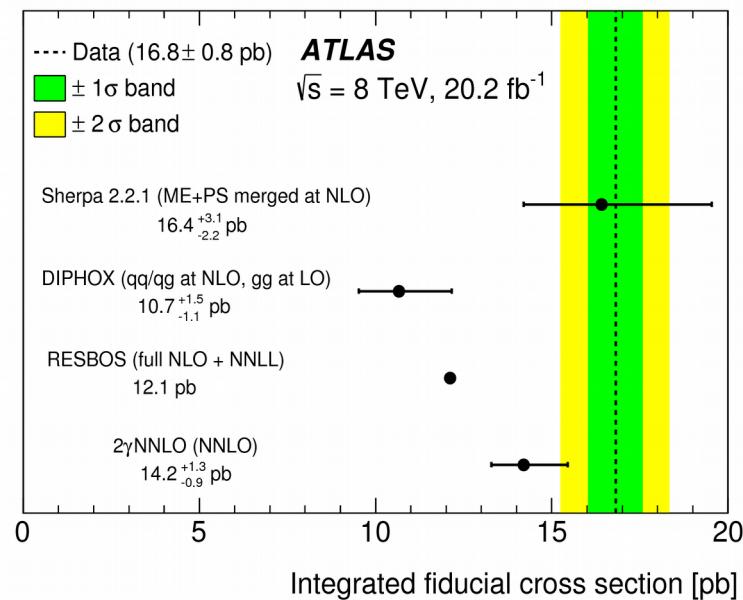
New Results: ATLAS $\gamma\gamma$ (8 TeV)



new

Total and Differential (vs. 6 variables) cross-sections

- Fixed order QCD predictions at NLO and NNLO do not reproduce data well
- Parton-level calc w/ varying jet-mult up to NLO matched to parton shower does a much better job



Precision improved by \sim factor of 2
wrt 7 TeV measurement

(JHEP 01, 086 (2013))

a_T & ϕ^* probe infrared emmission effects



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Dibosons & VBS - SM@LHC: May 2, 2017

arXiv:1704.03839

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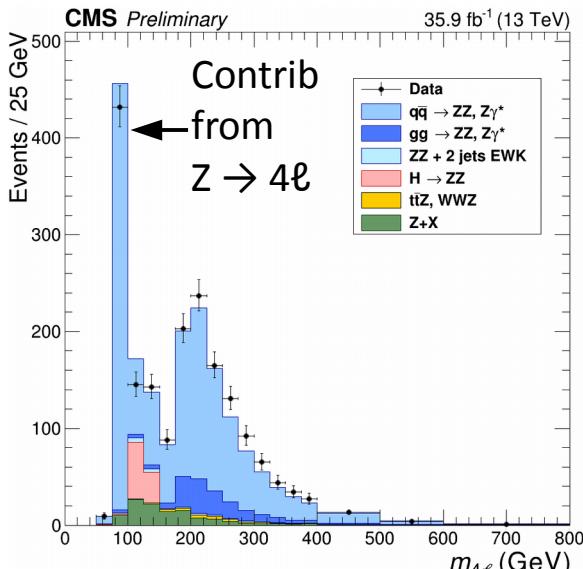
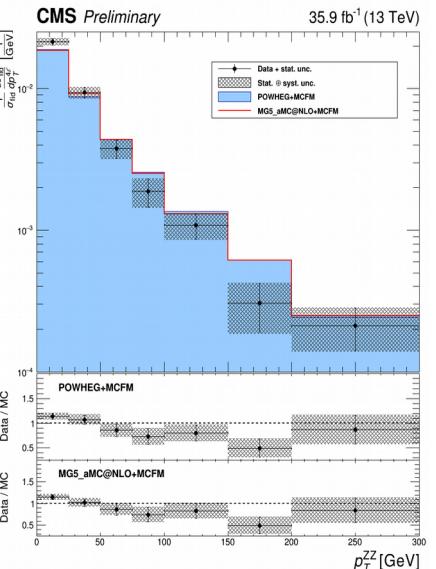
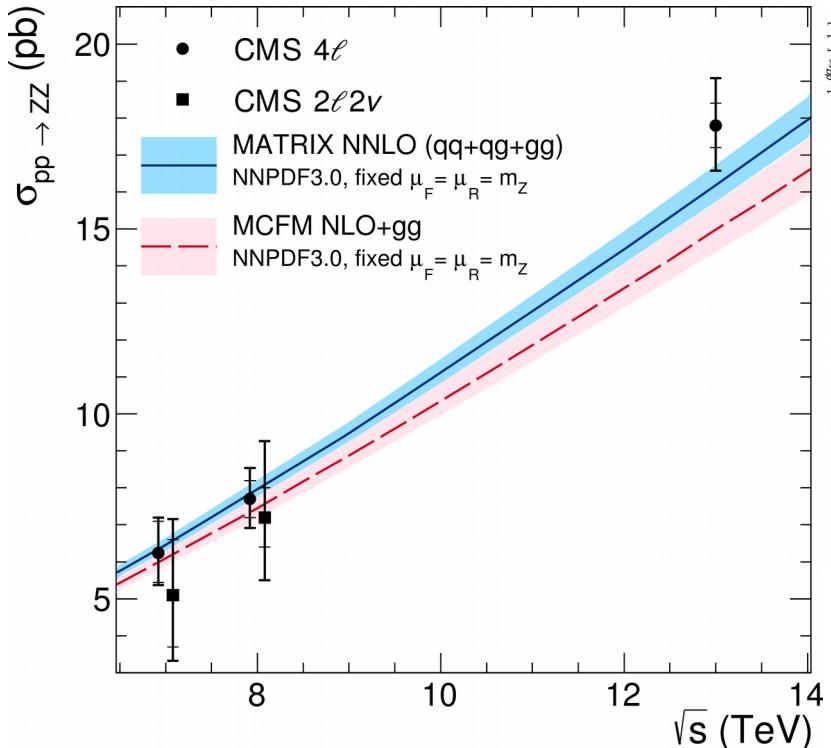


New Results: CMS ZZ (13 TeV)



First diboson result with full 2015-16 dataset (35.9 fb^{-1})

- Good agreement of differential cross-sections with NNLO predictions



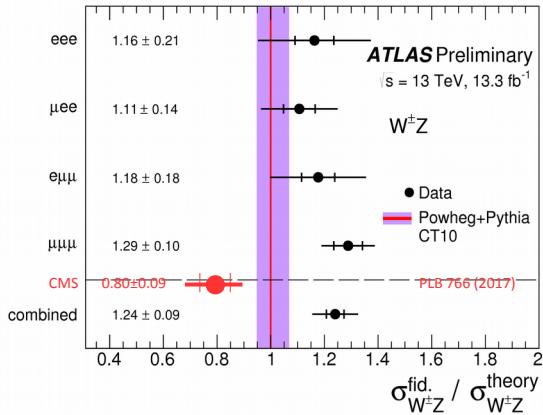
$$BR(Z \rightarrow 4\ell) = 4.74 \pm 0.16 \text{ (stat)}^{+0.18}_{-0.17} \text{ (syst)} \pm 0.08 \text{ (theo)} \pm 0.12 \text{ (lumi)} \times 10^{-6}$$



Recent Results: WW/WZ (13 TeV)

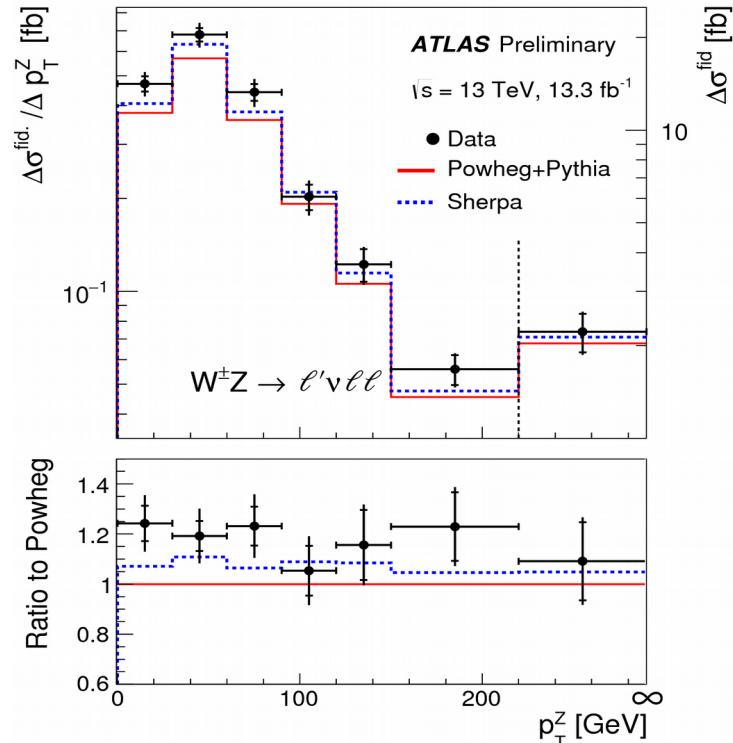


Leptonic W/Z decays: $WZ \rightarrow \ell' \nu \ell \ell$, $WW \rightarrow e \nu \mu \nu$

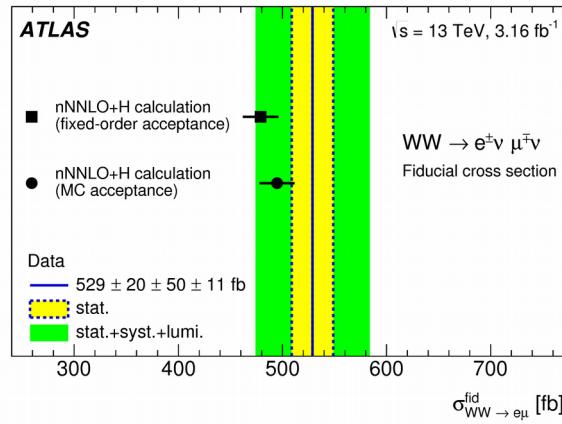


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Possible tension w/
CMS leptonic WZ
measured at 13 TeV



Good agreement w/
nNNLO+H predictions



Good agreement w/pred's
(also in 13 TeV / 8 TeV ratio)

pp → WW sub-process	Order of α_s	$\sigma_{WW}^{\text{tot.}} [\text{pb}]$	A [%]	$\sigma_{WW \rightarrow e\mu}^{\text{fid.}} [\text{fb}]$
$q\bar{q}$ [9,13]	$\mathcal{O}(\alpha_s^2)$	111.1 ± 2.8	16.20 ± 0.13	422 ± 11
gg (non-resonant) [33]	$\mathcal{O}(\alpha_s^3)$	6.82 ± 0.42	28.1 ± 2.7	44.9 ± 7.2
$gg \rightarrow H \rightarrow WW$ [67][30]	$\mathcal{O}(\alpha_s^3)$ tot. / $\mathcal{O}(\alpha_s^3)$ fid.	10.45 ± 0.61	4.5 ± 0.6	11.0 ± 2.1
$q\bar{q} + gg$ (non-resonant) + $gg \rightarrow H \rightarrow WW$	nNNLO+H	128.4 ± 3.5	15.87 ± 0.17	478 ± 17

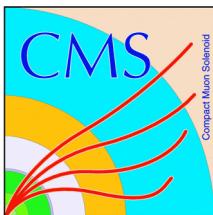
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Gauge Coupling Measurements

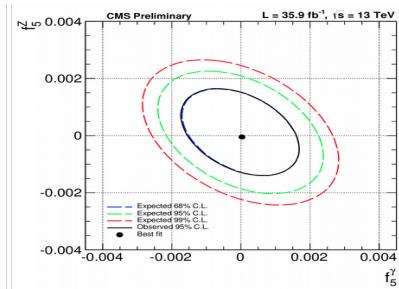
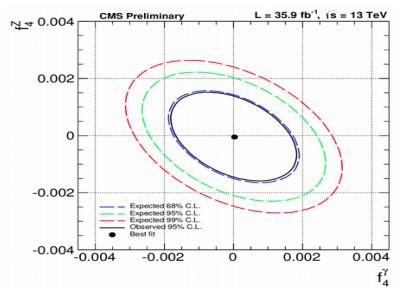
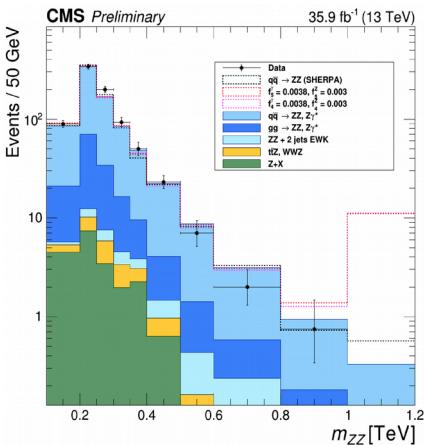


Neutral aTGCs



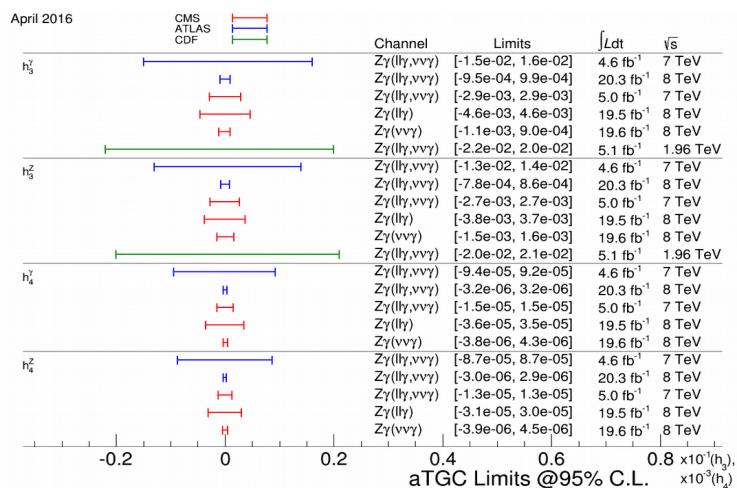
Z $\gamma\gamma$, Z $Z\gamma$, Z ZZ couplings zero at tree level in SM

Fits to shape of m_{zz} distrib
==> limits on aTGCs
Effective Lagrangian formalism
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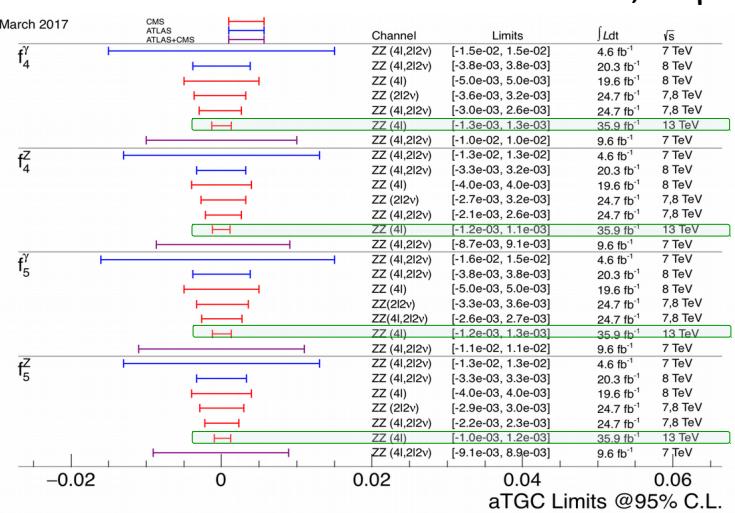


CMS-PAS-SMP-16-017

zzz, zzγ



New CMS 13 TeV
 $ZZ \rightarrow 4\ell$ results
==> significantly
better limits





Charged aTGC: WV → ℓνqq

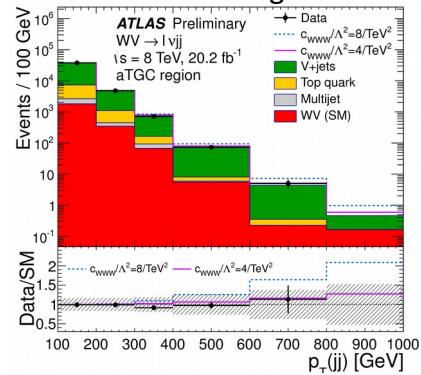


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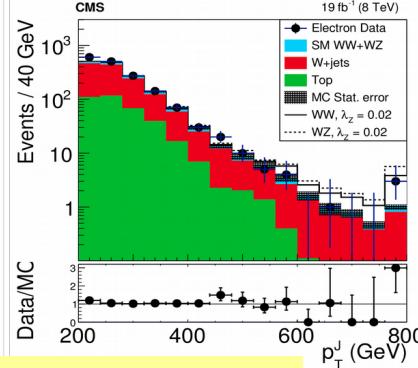
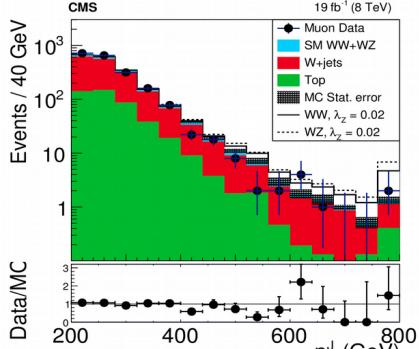
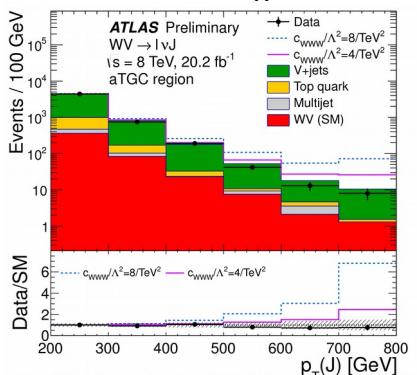
New semi-leptonic WW/WZ analyses use merged jets

- More sensitivity to aTGCs in merged jets despite lower EW cross-section significance

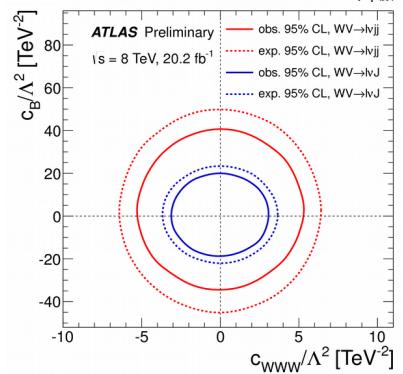
EW Signif:4.5σ



EW Signif:1.3σ



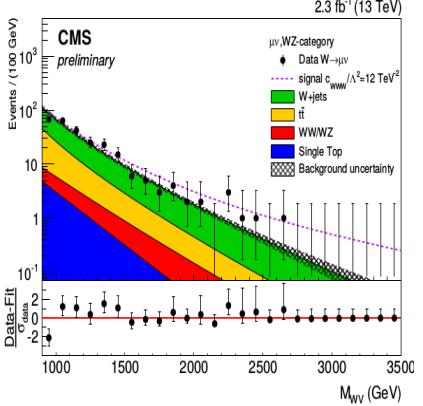
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Δg₁ᶻ Limits				
FF	WV → ℓνjj		WV → ℓνJ	
$\Lambda_{FF} = \infty$	[-0.039, 0.059]	[-0.050, 0.066]	[-0.033, 0.036]	[-0.039, 0.042]
$\Lambda_{FF} = 5\text{TeV}$	[-0.042, 0.0640]	[-0.055, 0.073]	[-0.044, 0.048]	[-0.051, 0.054]

ATLAS-STDM-2015-23

But note: less sens. to Form Factors
in ℓνjj analysis because they probe
Lower energy scale



CMS-PAS-SMP-16-012

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13 TeV result from CMS!

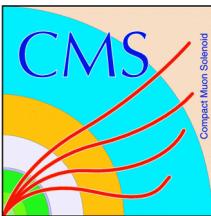


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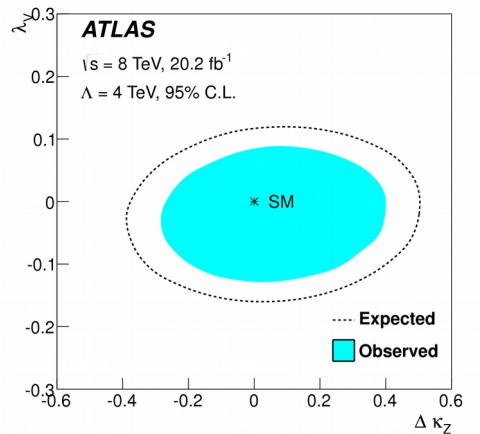
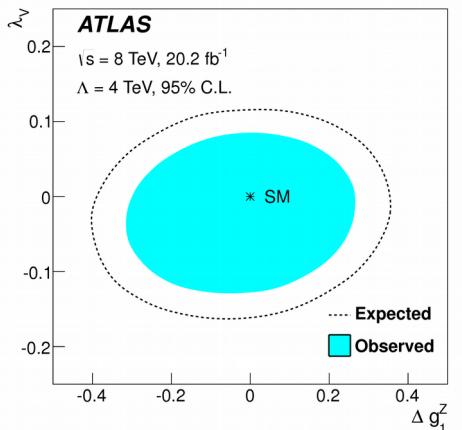
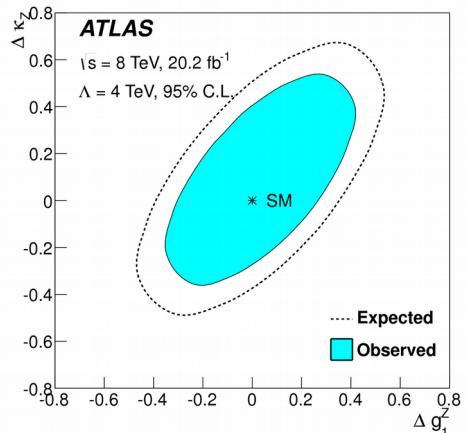
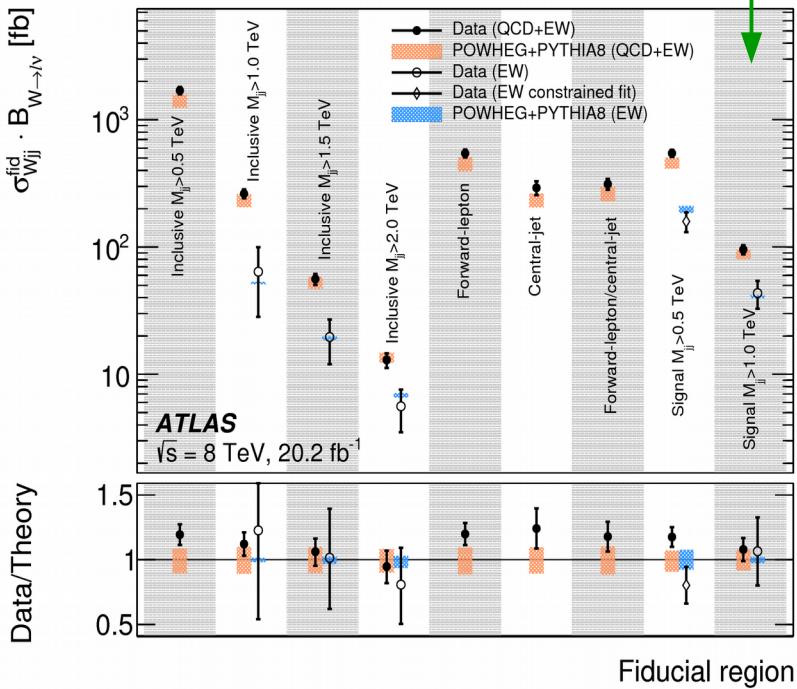
Charged aTGC: Wjj



new

New $W \rightarrow e\nu/\mu\nu + 2$ forward jets in many fiducial regions with varying EW contrib.

- ATGCs probed using $M_{jj} > 1$ TeV Signal Region ($+ p_T^{j1} > 600$ GeV)



λ_V limits competitive with those from WW production

	$\Lambda = 4$ TeV		$\Lambda = \infty$	
	Expected	Observed	Expected	Observed
Δg_1^Z	[-0.39, 0.35]	[-0.32, 0.28]	[-0.16, 0.15]	[-0.13, 0.12]
$\Delta \kappa_Z$	[-0.38, 0.51]	[-0.29, 0.42]	[-0.19, 0.19]	[-0.15, 0.16]
λ_V	[-0.16, 0.12]	[-0.13, 0.090]	[-0.064, 0.054]	[-0.053, 0.042]
$\tilde{\kappa}_Z$	[-1.7, 1.8]	[-1.4, 1.4]	[-0.70, 0.70]	[-0.56, 0.56]
$\tilde{\lambda}_V$	[-0.13, 0.15]	[-0.10, 0.12]	[-0.058, 0.057]	[-0.047, 0.046]

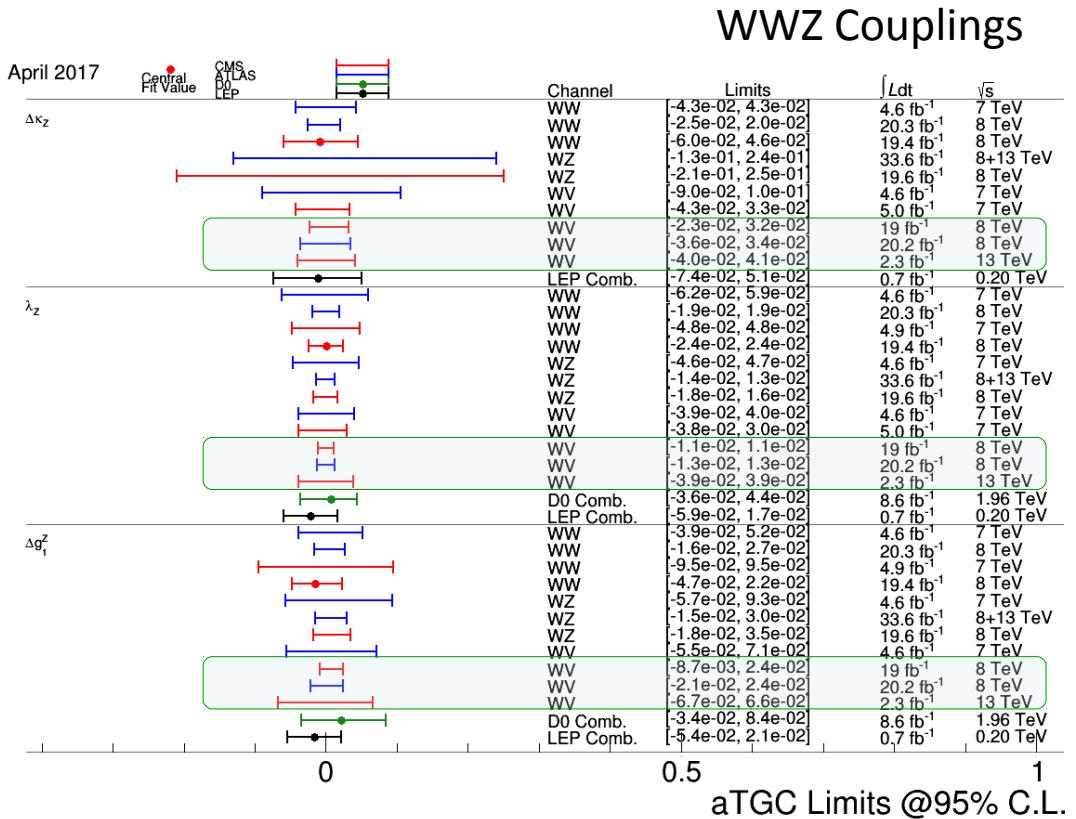
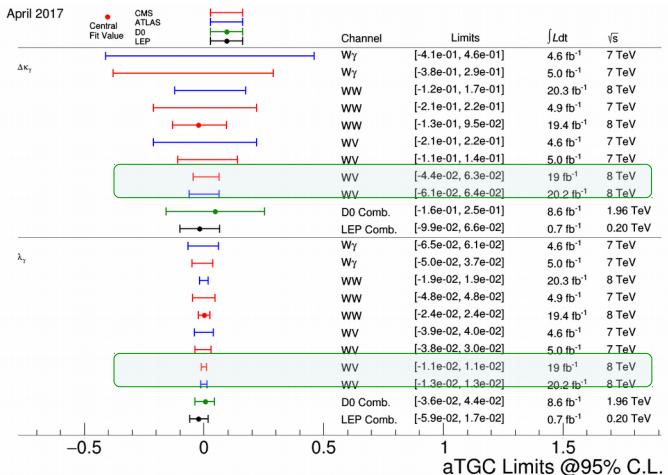


Charged aTGC: Summaries



CMS WV semileptonic 13 TeV results (2.3 fb^{-1}) nearly competitive with 8 TeV (20 fb^{-1})

WWγ Couplings





aQGC: New Diboson Results



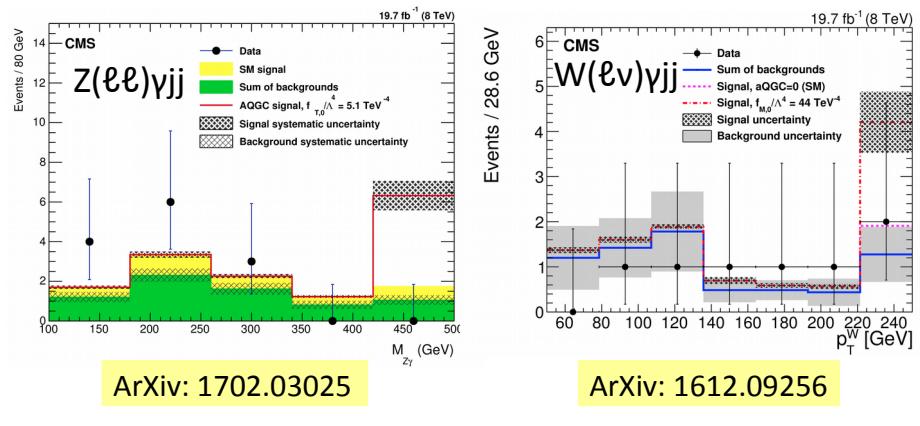
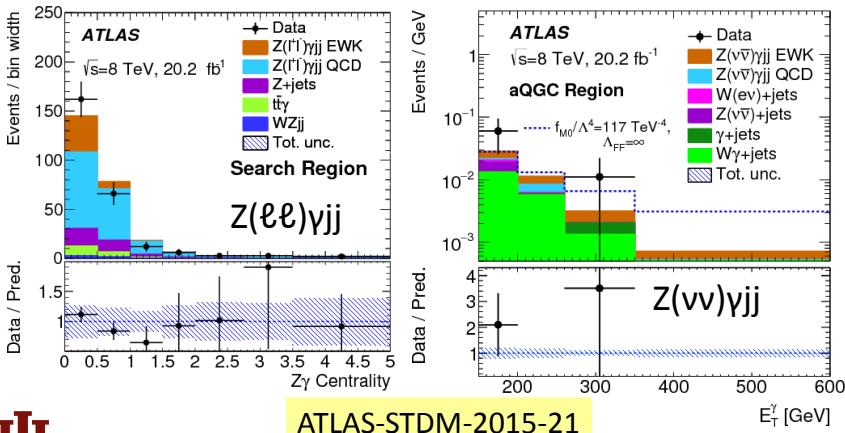
new New $W/\gamma\gamma$ and $W^\pm W^\pm$ results all with EW cross-section significances near or above 3σ

- Note that aQGC fits use more restrictive phase space with higher S/B but lower signal significance

8 TeV	ATLAS		CMS	
Channel	EW Signal Significance	aQGC Extraction	EW Signal Significance	aQGC Extraction
$Z\gamma\gamma$	2.0σ (1.8σ exp) STDM-2015-21	N events in aQGC region	3.0σ (2.0σ exp) arXiv:1702.03025	Fit to $M_{Z\gamma}$ distribution
$W\gamma\gamma$	---	---	2.7σ (1.5σ exp) arXiv:1612.09256	Fit to p_T^W distribution
$W^\pm W^\pm jj$	3.6σ (2.8σ exp) arXiv:1611.02428	N events in aQGC region	1.9σ (2.9σ exp) PRL 114, 051801 (2015)	Fit to m_{ee} distribution

Best $Z\gamma\gamma$ limits from ν channel

- Improved by 10-30% with inclusion of ℓ modes





aQGC: New Triboson Results



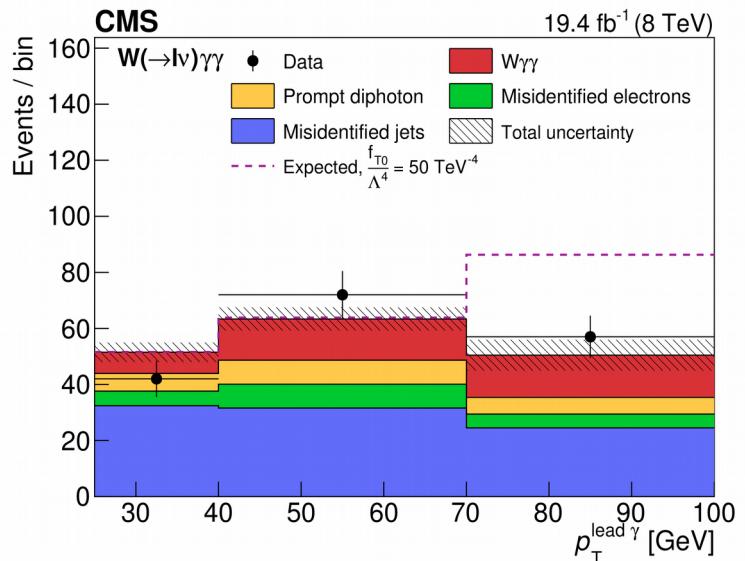
New CMS $W(\ell\nu)\gamma\gamma / Z(\ell\ell)\gamma\gamma$ production measurements at 8 TeV

new

- Signal Significances: 2.6σ (W) / 5.9σ (Z)

Channel	Measured fiducial cross section
$W\gamma\gamma \rightarrow e^\pm\nu\gamma\gamma$	$4.2 \pm 2.0 \text{ (stat)} \pm 1.6 \text{ (syst)} \pm 0.1 \text{ (lumi)} \text{ fb}$
$W\gamma\gamma \rightarrow \mu^\pm\nu\gamma\gamma$	$6.0 \pm 1.8 \text{ (stat)} \pm 2.3 \text{ (syst)} \pm 0.2 \text{ (lumi)} \text{ fb}$
$W\gamma\gamma \rightarrow \ell^\pm\nu\gamma\gamma$	$4.9 \pm 1.4 \text{ (stat)} \pm 1.6 \text{ (syst)} \pm 0.1 \text{ (lumi)} \text{ fb}$
$Z\gamma\gamma \rightarrow e^+e^-\gamma\gamma$	$12.5 \pm 2.1 \text{ (stat)} \pm 2.1 \text{ (syst)} \pm 0.3 \text{ (lumi)} \text{ fb}$
$Z\gamma\gamma \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-\gamma\gamma$	$12.8 \pm 1.8 \text{ (stat)} \pm 1.7 \text{ (syst)} \pm 0.3 \text{ (lumi)} \text{ fb}$
$Z\gamma\gamma \rightarrow \ell^+\ell^-\gamma\gamma$	$12.7 \pm 1.4 \text{ (stat)} \pm 1.8 \text{ (syst)} \pm 0.3 \text{ (lumi)} \text{ fb}$
Channel	Prediction
$W\gamma\gamma \rightarrow \ell^\pm\nu\gamma\gamma$	$4.8 \pm 0.5 \text{ fb}$
$Z\gamma\gamma \rightarrow \ell^+\ell^-\gamma\gamma$	$13.0 \pm 1.5 \text{ fb}$

- Fiducial cross-sections consistent w/ NLO theory
- aQGC limits (esp. f_{T_0}) improved wrt previous 8 TeV results



$W\gamma\gamma$	Expected (TeV^{-4})	Observed (TeV^{-4})
$f_{M,2}/\Lambda^4$	[-549, 531]	[-701, 683]
$f_{M,3}/\Lambda^4$	[-916, 950]	[-1170, 1220]
$f_{T,0}/\Lambda^4$	[-26.5, 27.0]	[-33.5, 34.0]
$f_{T,1}/\Lambda^4$	[-34.5, 34.8]	[-44.3, 44.8]
$f_{T,2}/\Lambda^4$	[-74.6, 73.7]	[-93.8, 93.2]



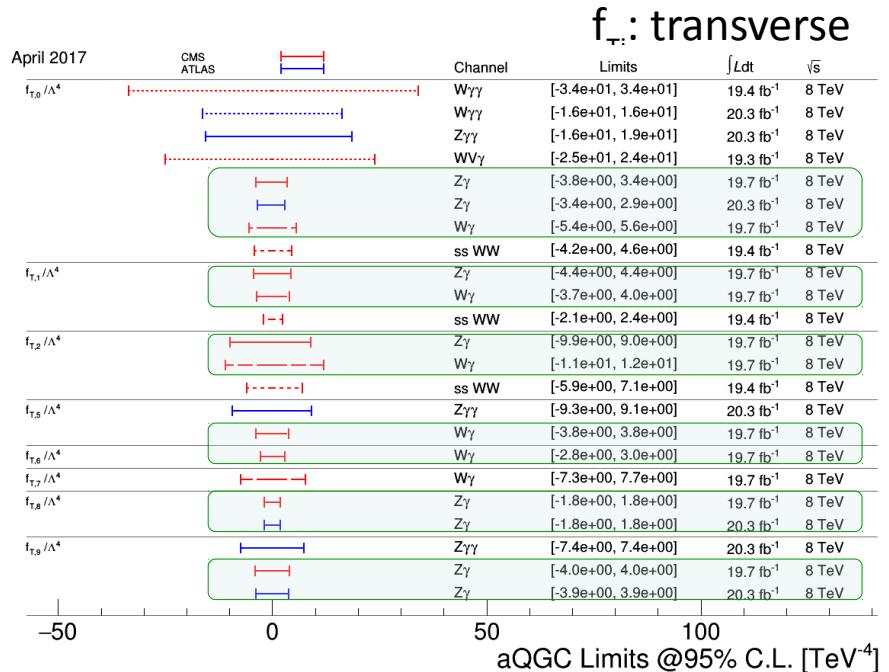
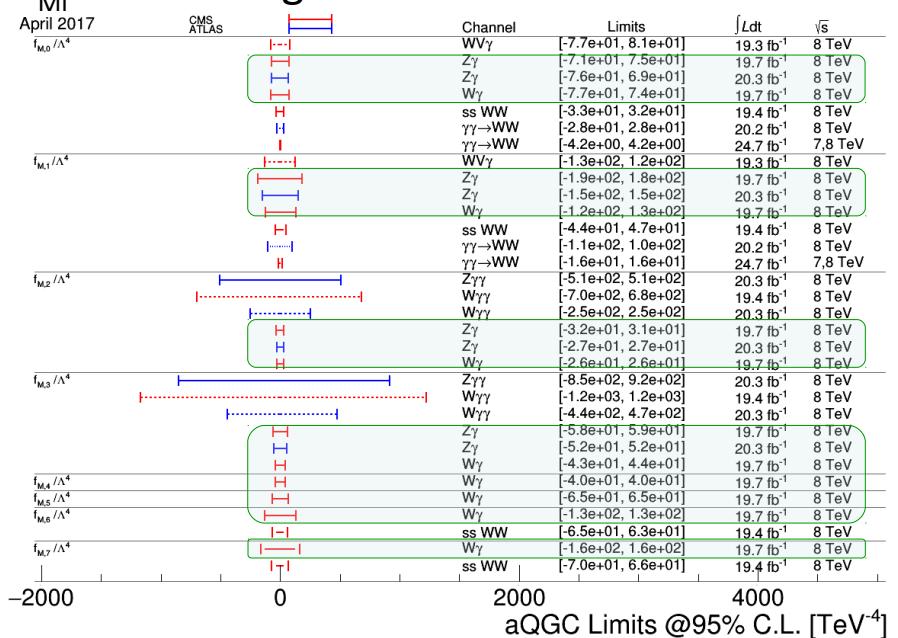
aQGC: Summaries



New 8 TeV W/Z γ jj results ==> significantly improved limits

- Eagerly awaiting first 13 TeV results

f_{Mi} : mixed longitudinal & transverse



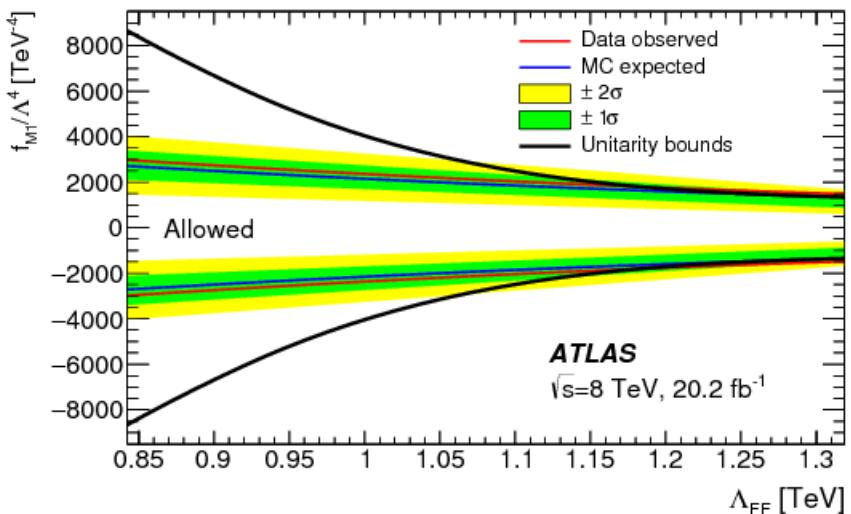
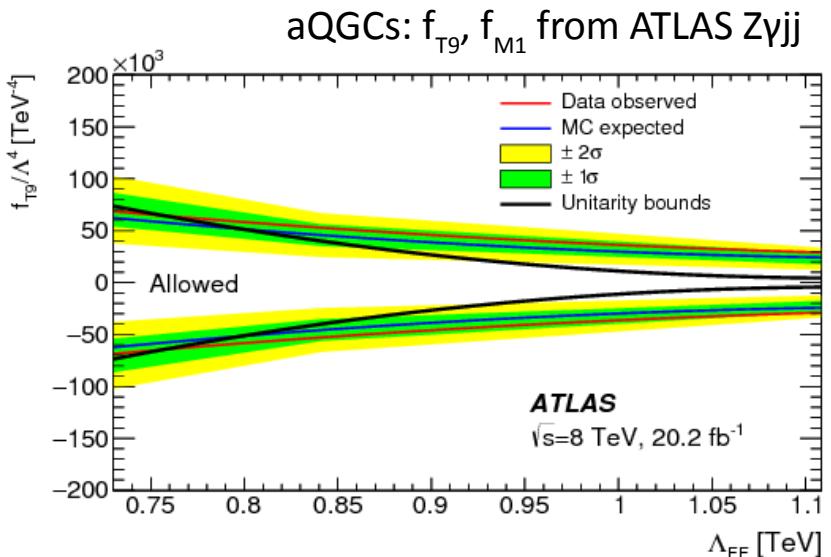


Form Factors



Inclusion of Form Factors dilutes limits

- e.g. aTGC limits from ATLAS 8 TeV $\text{WV} \rightarrow \ell\nu\text{qq}$ increase by up to 10% for $\Lambda_{\text{FF}} = \infty \rightarrow 5 \text{ TeV}$
- However, many limits without FFs fall in the unitary unsafe region (at 8 TeV)

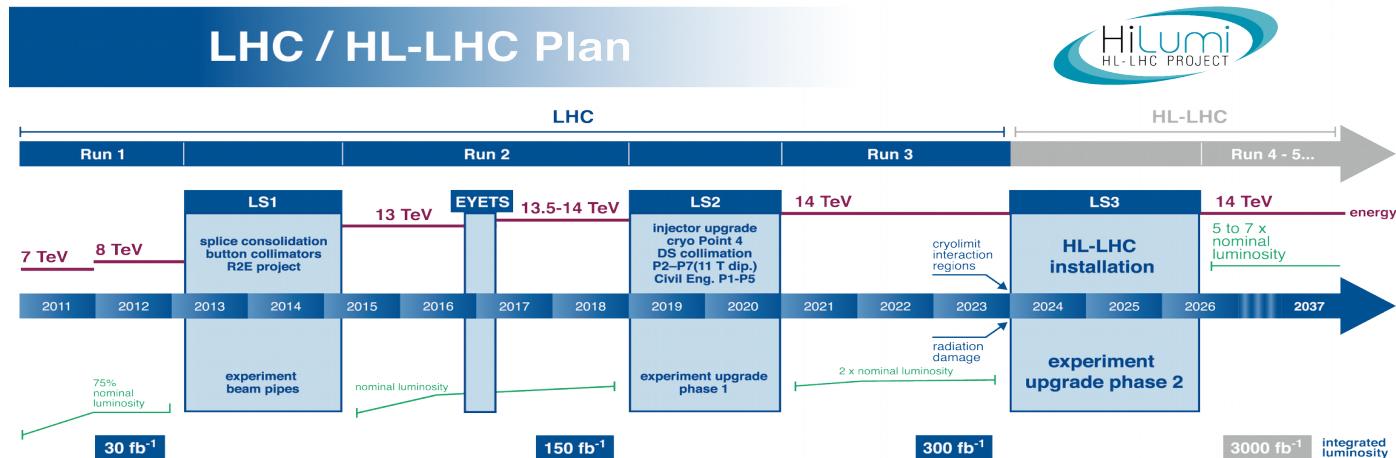
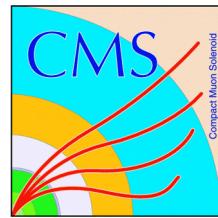




Future Prospects



Upgrade Plans



Drivers of the Upgrades

- Radiation: tracking systems, some muon (ATLAS) & calorimeter (CMS) detectors, electronics
- Event Complexity (pileup): trigger & DAQ systems, electronics

High-Level Goals of the Upgrades (Phase-1 & HL-LHC)

- Maintain performance of object ($e, \mu, \tau, jet, E_t^{\text{miss}}, \dots$) identification/reconstruction at Run-1 levels in the challenging HL-LHC environment
==> very stringent requirements on detectors, electronics, trigger, readout



Diboson Projections



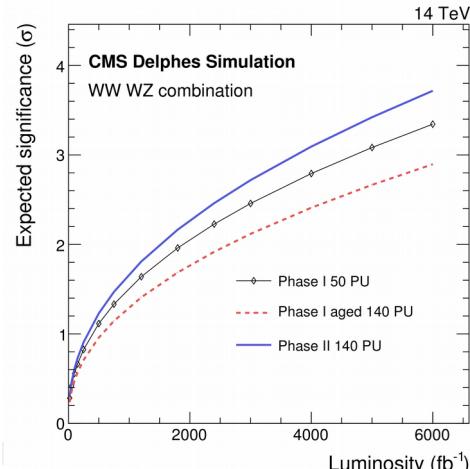
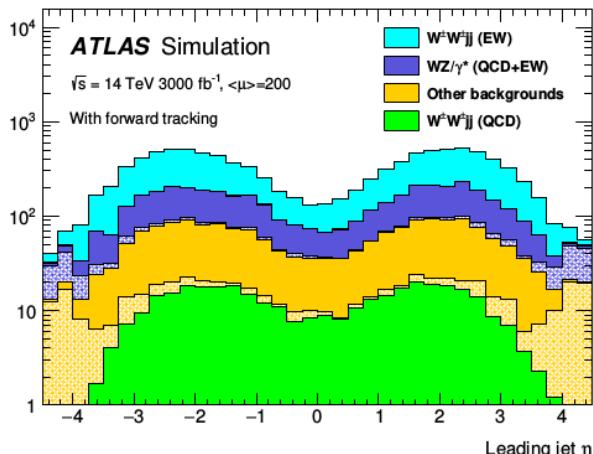
Important Considerations for Diboson/Gauge Coupling Analyses

- Lepton triggering: complete overhaul of trigger systems
- Pileup rejection for forward jets: extend tracking $|\eta| = 2.5 \rightarrow 4.0$

Both ATLAS & CMS have made diboson projections

- Input to HL-LHC detector design/optimization

	ATLAS ($W^\pm W^\pm jj$)	CMS ($W^\pm W^\pm jj$)	CMS (LL $W^\pm W^\pm jj + WZjj$)
\sqrt{s} / Lumi	8 TeV / 20 fb^{-1}	14 TeV / 3000 fb^{-1}	8 TeV / 19 fb^{-1}
$\Delta\sigma/\sigma$	36%	4.5%	66% (1.9 σ) (2.75 σ)
Reference	ArXiv:1611.02428 ATL-TDR-025 (2017)	PRL 114 (2015)	SMP-14-008 (2016)



ATLAS-TDR-025

SMP-14-008



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Conclusion



Diboson measurements provide a very sensitive test of the SM

- Higher order QCD calculations: inclusive & differential cross-sections
- EW symmetry breaking mechanism: TGCs and QGCs

NNLO QCD calculations generally improving agreement with data over NLO

- But some areas where problems still seen

Sensitivity to aTGCs and aQGCs improving significantly

- Use of boosted topologies
- Addition of 13 TeV data

Prospects for diboson physics at HL-LHC are bright !



BACKUP



aTGC Coupling Representations



$$g_1^Z = 1 + c_W \frac{m_Z^2}{2\Lambda^2}$$

$$\kappa_\gamma = 1 + (c_W + c_B) \frac{m_W^2}{2\Lambda^2}$$

$$\kappa_Z = 1 + (c_W - c_B \tan^2 \theta_W) \frac{m_W^2}{2\Lambda^2}$$

$$\lambda_\gamma = \lambda_Z = c_{WWW} \frac{3g^2 m_W^2}{2\Lambda^2}$$

$$g_4^V = g_5^V = 0$$

$$\tilde{\kappa}_\gamma = c_{\tilde{W}} \frac{m_W^2}{2\Lambda^2}$$

$$\tilde{\kappa}_Z = -c_{\tilde{W}} \tan^2 \theta_W \frac{m_W^2}{2\Lambda^2}$$

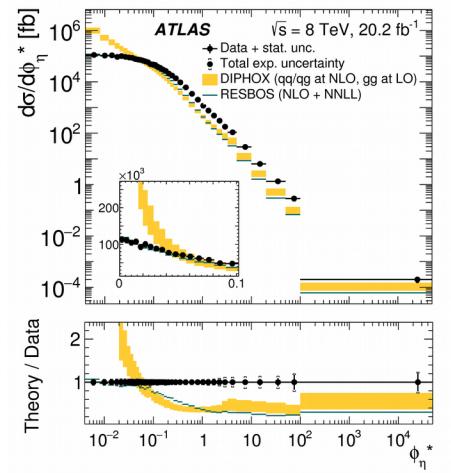
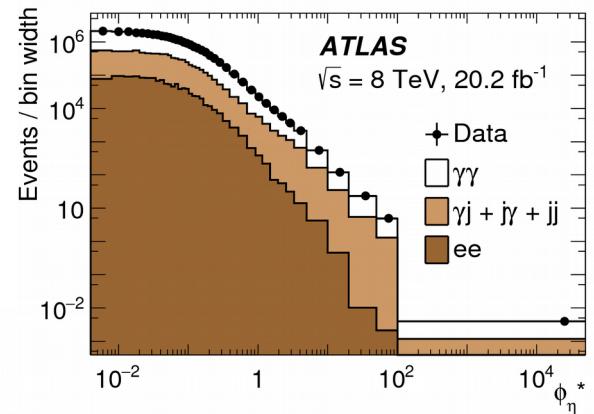
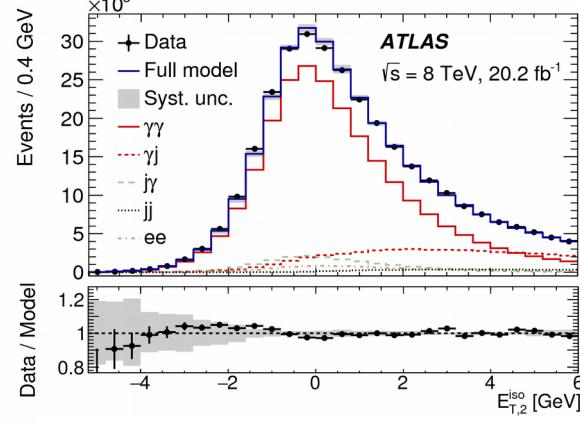
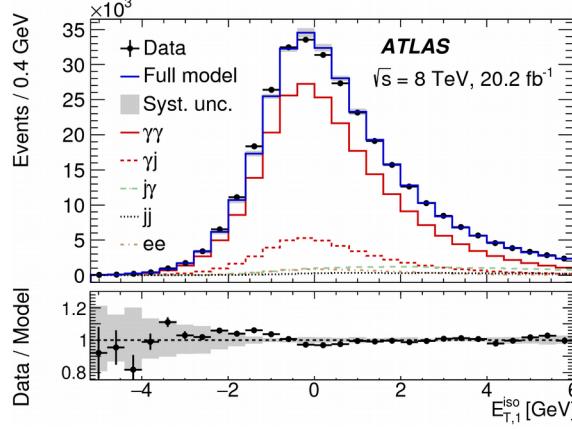
$$\tilde{\lambda}_\gamma = \tilde{\lambda}_Z = c_{\tilde{WWW}} \frac{3g^2 m_W^2}{2\Lambda^2}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta g_1^z &= g_1^z - 1 \\ \Delta \kappa_{\gamma,z} &= \kappa_{\gamma,z} - 1 \\ \Delta g_1^z &= \Delta \kappa_z + \tan^2 \theta_w \Delta \kappa_\gamma\end{aligned}$$

arXiv: 1309.7890

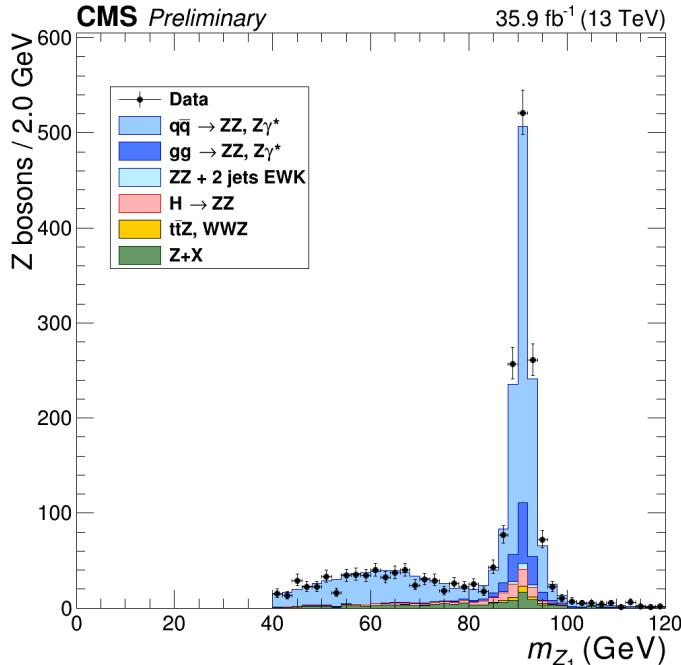
Two methods used to distinguish $\gamma\gamma$ signal from fake- γ bgrd

- 2D fit to isolation of the two γ 's
- matrix method for events that pass/fail isolation requirements
==> consistent results

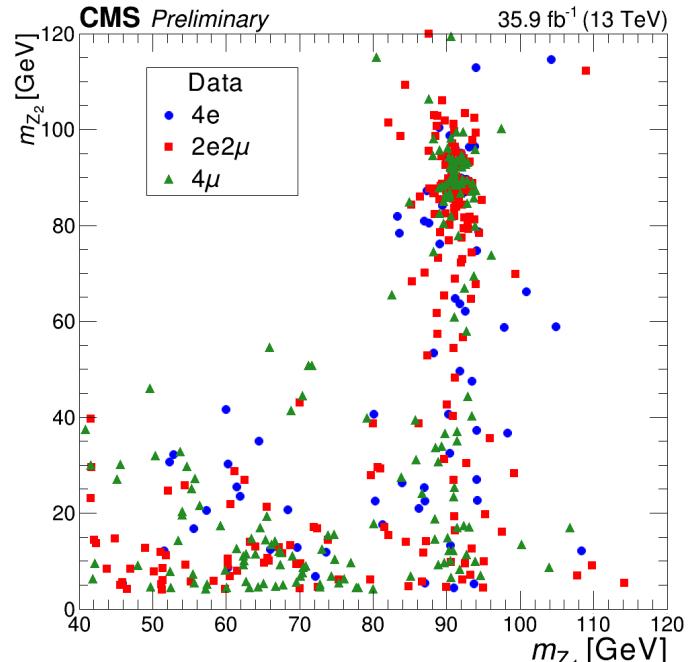


Tiny background levels in this analysis

- mainly for jet → ℓ mis-ID
- measured using a sample of $Z + \ell_{\text{candidate}}$ events in data
 - > with relaxed $\ell_{\text{candidate}}$ ID



Decay channel	Expected $N_{4\ell}$	Background	Total expected	Observed
4μ	$265.5 \pm 1.3 \pm 8.4$	$5.2 \pm 0.8 \pm 1.5$	$270.7 \pm 1.5 \pm 8.6$	290
$2e2\mu$	$425.4 \pm 1.6 \pm 17.5$	$19.0 \pm 1.8 \pm 3.4$	$444.4 \pm 2.4 \pm 18.1$	465
$4e$	$165.3 \pm 1.0 \pm 10.9$	$11.8 \pm 1.5 \pm 2.2$	$177.2 \pm 1.8 \pm 11.4$	175
Total	$856.2 \pm 2.3 \pm 33.3$	$36.0 \pm 2.5 \pm 6.4$	$892.2 \pm 3.4 \pm 34.4$	930



ATLAS WW → eνμν – 13 TeV



Fiducial Cross-Section definition

- mainly for jet → ℓ mis-ID

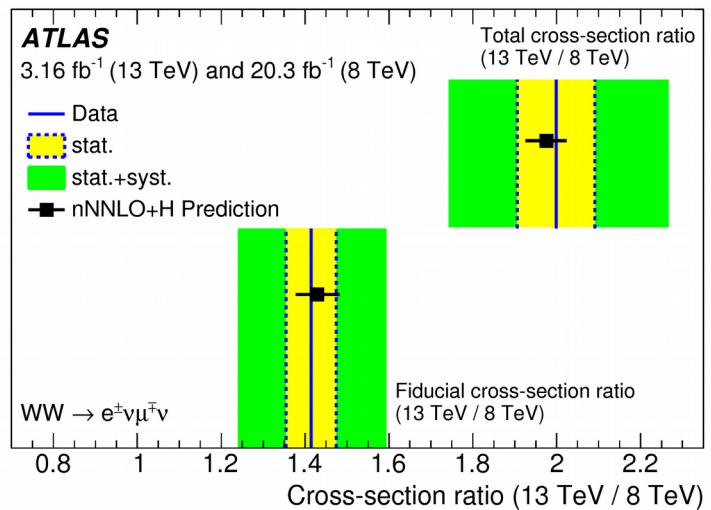
Fiducial selection requirement	Cut value
p_T^ℓ	> 25 GeV
$ \eta_\ell $	< 2.5
$m_{e\mu}$	> 10 GeV
Number of jets with $p_T > 25(30)$ GeV, $ \eta < 2.5(4.5)$	0
$E_{T, \text{Rel}}^{\text{miss}}$	> 15 GeV
E_T^{miss}	> 20 GeV

nNNLO prediction

pp → WW sub-process	Order of α_s	σ_{WW}^{tot} [pb]	A [%]	$\sigma_{WW \rightarrow e\mu}^{\text{fid}}$ [fb]
$q\bar{q}$ [9,13]	$\mathcal{O}(\alpha_s^2)$	111.1 ± 2.8	16.20 ± 0.13	422^{+12}_{-11}
gg (non-resonant) [33]	$\mathcal{O}(\alpha_s^3)$	$6.82^{+0.42}_{-0.55}$	$28.1^{+2.7}_{-2.3}$	44.9 ± 7.2
$gg \rightarrow H \rightarrow WW$ [67][30]	$\mathcal{O}(\alpha_s^5)$ tot. / $\mathcal{O}(\alpha_s^3)$ fid.	$10.45^{+0.61}_{-0.79}$	4.5 ± 0.6	11.0 ± 2.1
$q\bar{q} + gg$ (non-resonant) + $gg \rightarrow H \rightarrow WW$	nNNLO+H	$128.4^{+3.5}_{-3.8}$	$15.87^{+0.17}_{-0.14}$	478 ± 17

- $A = (16.4 \pm 0.9)\%$
also calculated using MC
 - > POWHEG-BOX+PYTHIA for qq and $gg \rightarrow H \rightarrow WW$
 - > SHERPA for non-res gg

13 TeV / 8 TeV x-sect ratio





ATLAS WV → ℓνqq – 8 TeV

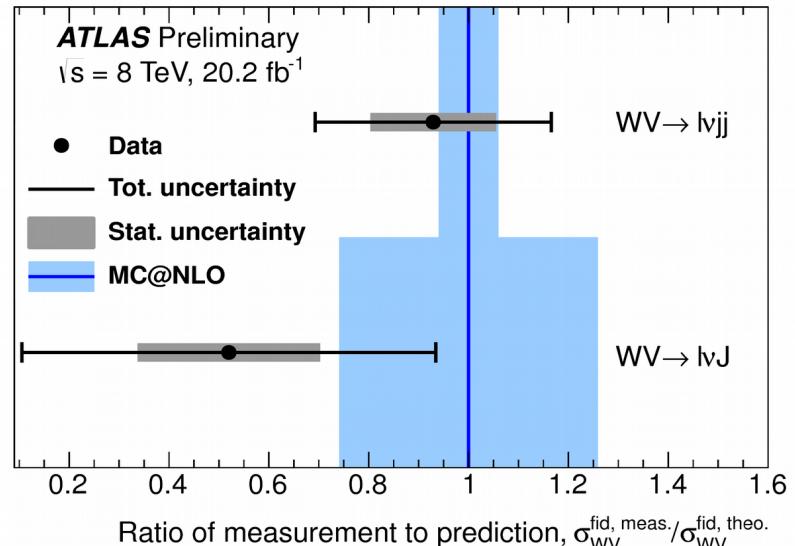
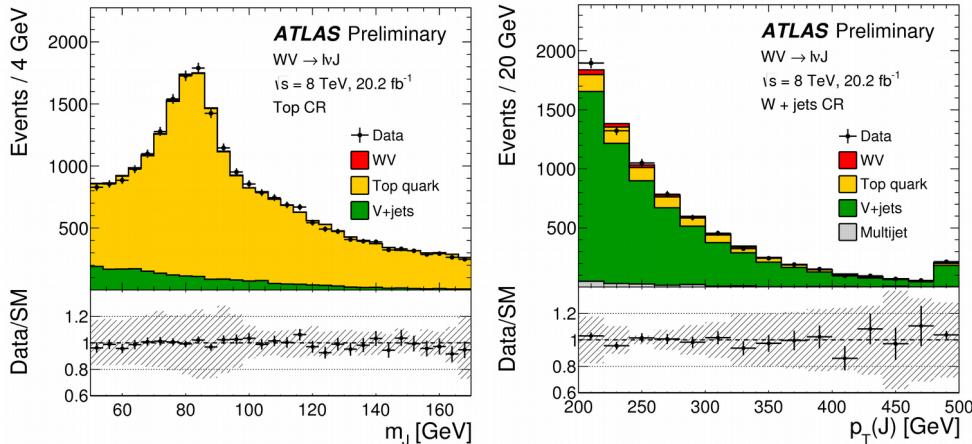
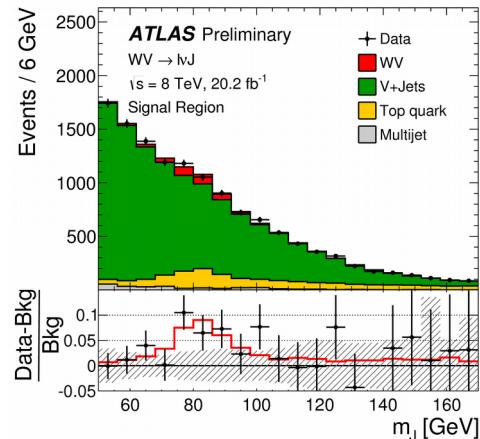
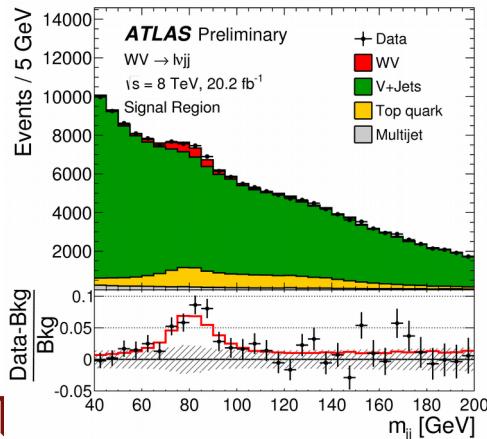


Background Control Regions

- top & V+jets bgrds

Fiducial Cross-Sections

	$WV \rightarrow \ell\nu jj$	$WV \rightarrow \ell\nu J$
Lepton	$N_\ell = 1$ with $p_T > 30$ GeV and $ \eta < 2.47$ $\Delta R(\ell, j) > 0.4$	$\Delta R(\ell, j) > 0.4$
$W \rightarrow \ell\nu$	$p_T(\ell\nu) > 100$ GeV $m_T > 40$ GeV	–
E_T^{miss}	$E_T^{\text{miss}} > 40$ GeV	$E_T^{\text{miss}} > 50$ GeV
Jet	$N_j = 2$ with $p_T > 25$ GeV, $ \eta < 2.5$ $\Delta R(j, e) > 0.2$ $40 < m_{jj} < 200$ GeV $p_T(jj) > 100$ GeV $\Delta\eta(j, j) < 1.5$	$N_j = 1$ with $p_T > 200$ GeV, $ \eta < 2.0$ $\Delta R(J, \ell) > 1.0$ No small-R jets with $p_T > 25$ GeV, $ \eta < 4.5$ $\Delta R(j, J) > 1.0$, $\Delta R(j, e) > 0.2$ $50 < m_j < 170$ GeV
Global	$\Delta\phi(j_1, E_T^{\text{miss}}) > 0.8$	–

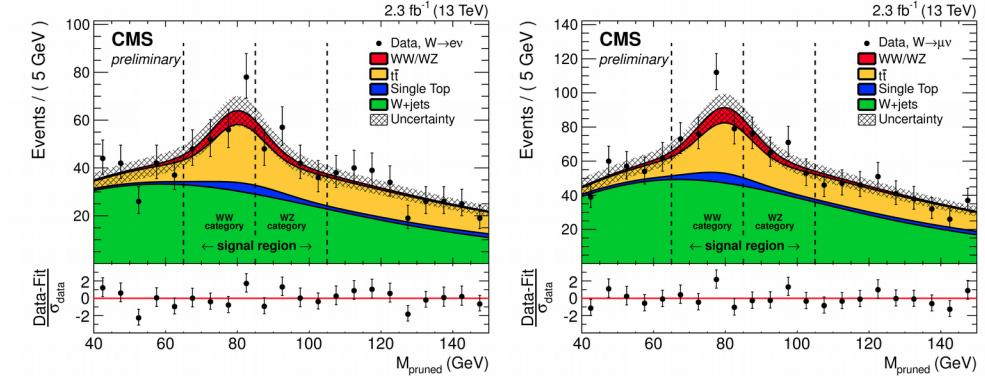
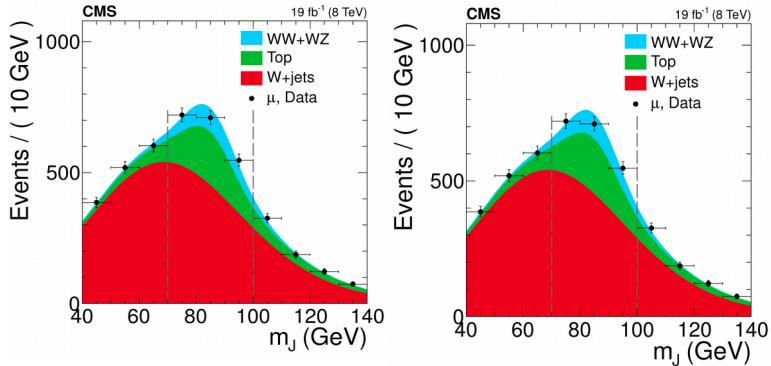




CMS WV → ℓνqq – 8,13 TeV



W+jets, tt, diboson normalizations from fits to m_J distributions



Fits for aTGCs from p_{TJ} (8 TeV) & m_{WV} (13 TeV) distributions

8 TeV

- top & diboson shapes from MC (diboson adjusted for aTGCs)
- W+jets shapes from MC corrected using sideband data transfer func.

13 TeV

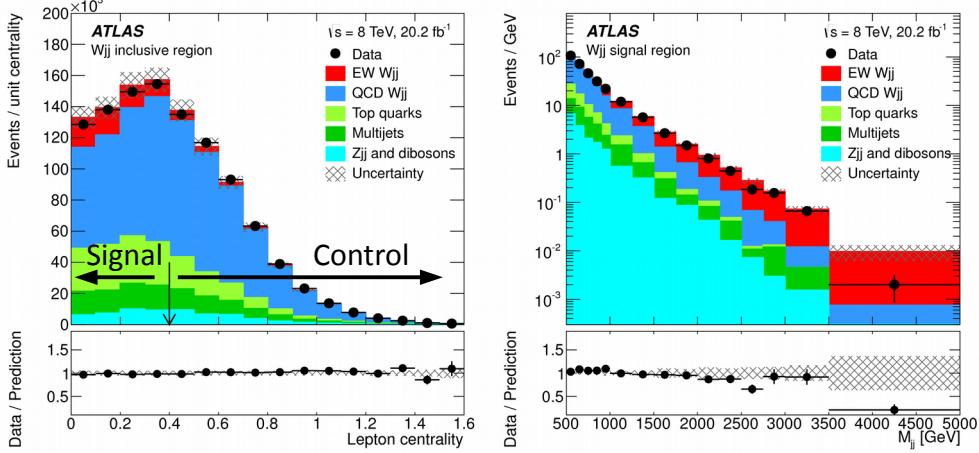
Parameter	Expected Limits	Observed Limits
λ_Z	[−0.014, 0.013]	[−0.011, 0.011]
$\Delta\kappa_\gamma$	[−0.068, 0.082]	[−0.044, 0.063]
Δg_1^Z	[−0.018, 0.028]	[−0.0087, 0.024]

	aTGC	expected limit	observed limit
EFT param.	$\frac{c_{WWW}}{\Lambda^2}$ (TeV ^{−2})	[−8.73, 8.70]	[−9.46, 9.42]
	$\frac{c_W}{\Lambda^2}$ (TeV ^{−2})	[−11.7, 11.1]	[−12.6, 12.0]
	$\frac{c_B}{\Lambda^2}$ (TeV ^{−2})	[−54.9, 53.3]	[−56.1, 55.4]
Vertex param.	λ	[−0.036, 0.036]	[−0.039, 0.039]
	Δg_1^Z	[−0.066, 0.064]	[−0.067, 0.066]
	$\Delta\kappa_Z$	[−0.038, 0.040]	[−0.040, 0.041]

Fiducial Cross-Section measurements for QCD & EW components

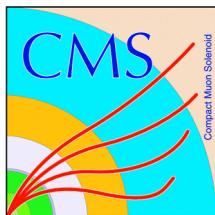
- uses M_{jj} as discriminating distribution
- shape of QCD M_{jj} distrib from control region (high lepton centrality)

Region name	Requirements
Preselection	Lepton $p_T > 25$ GeV Lepton $ \eta < 2.5$ $E_T^{\text{miss}} > 20$ GeV $m_T > 40$ GeV $p_T^{j_1} > 80$ GeV $p_T^{j_2} > 60$ GeV Jet $ y < 4.4$ $M_{jj} > 500$ GeV $\Delta\gamma(j_1, j_2) > 2$ $\Delta R(j, \ell) > 0.3$
Fiducial and differential measurements	
Signal region	$N_{\text{lepton}}^{\text{cen}} = 1, N_{\text{jets}}^{\text{cen}} = 0$
Forward-lepton control region	$N_{\text{lepton}}^{\text{cen}} = 0, N_{\text{jets}}^{\text{cen}} = 0$
Central-jet validation region	$N_{\text{lepton}}^{\text{cen}} = 1, N_{\text{jets}}^{\text{cen}} \geq 1$
Differential measurements only	
Inclusive regions	$M_{jj} > 0.5$ TeV, 1 TeV, 1.5 TeV, or 2 TeV
Forward-lepton/central-jet region	$N_{\text{lepton}}^{\text{cen}} = 0, N_{\text{jets}}^{\text{cen}} \geq 1$
High-mass signal region	$M_{jj} > 1$ TeV, $N_{\text{lepton}}^{\text{cen}} = 1, N_{\text{jets}}^{\text{cen}} = 0$
Anomalous coupling measurements only	
High- q^2 region	$M_{jj} > 1$ TeV, $N_{\text{lepton}}^{\text{cen}} = 1, N_{\text{jets}}^{\text{cen}} = 0, p_T^{j_1} > 600$ GeV

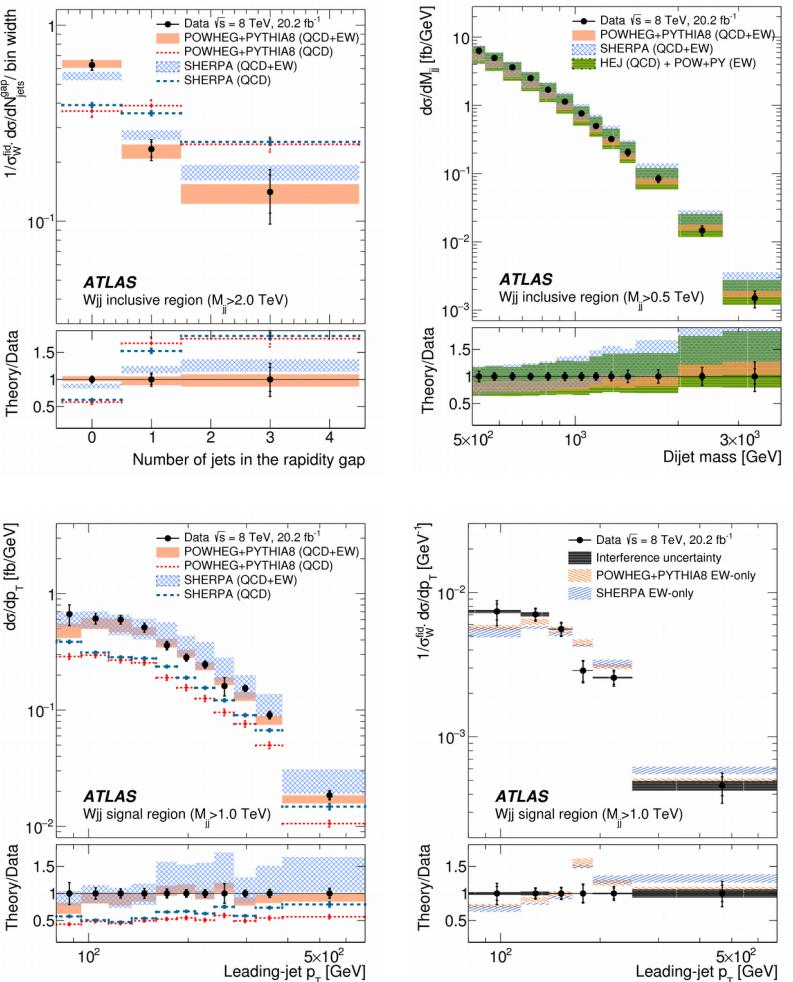
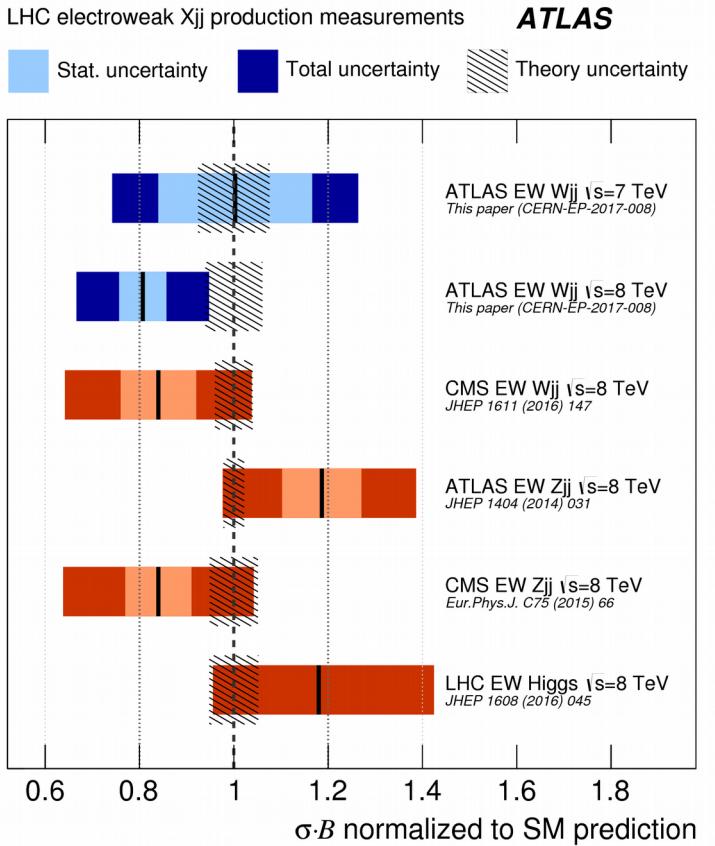




ATLAS Wjj – 7,8 TeV (cont)



Total & Differential Cross-Sections



ATLAS Z($\ell\ell/vv$) γjj – 8 TeV

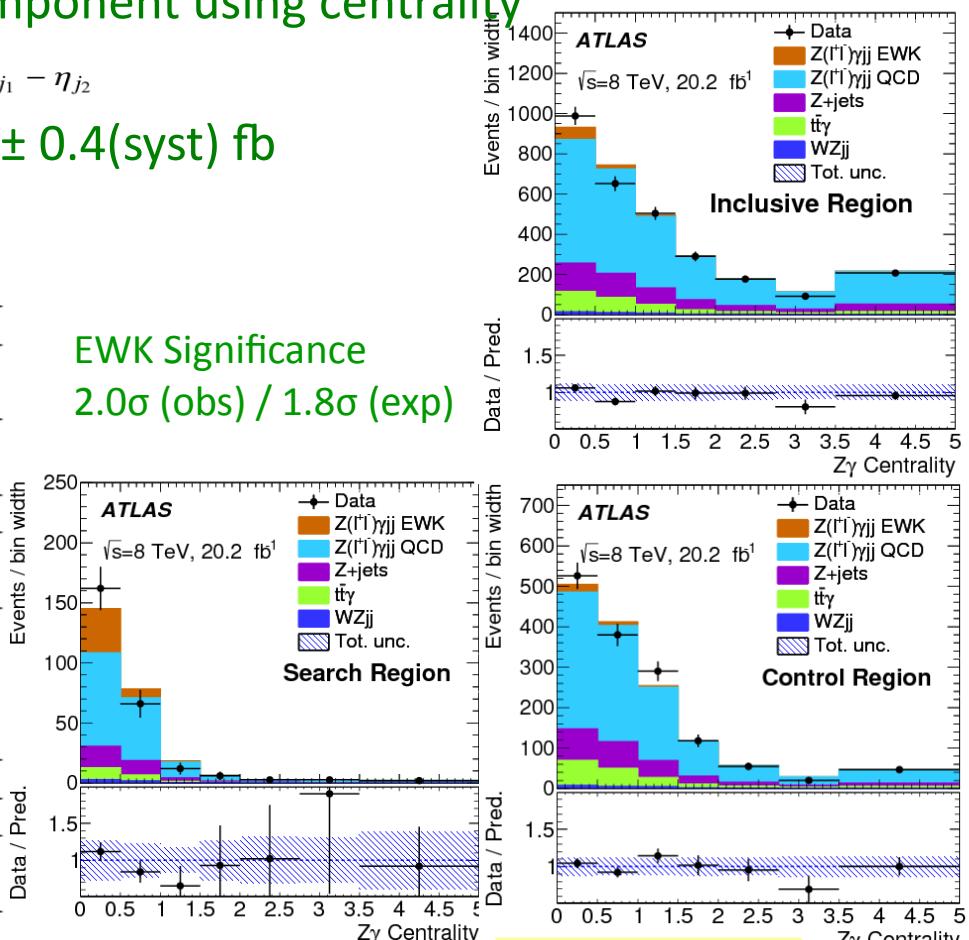


Fiducial Cross-Section measurement in $Z \rightarrow \ell\ell$ channel

- Distinguish EWK from QCD component using centrality
 $\zeta \equiv \left| \frac{\eta - \bar{\eta}_{jj}}{\Delta\eta_{jj}} \right|$ with $\bar{\eta}_{jj} = \frac{\eta_{j1} + \eta_{j2}}{2}$, $\Delta\eta_{jj} = \eta_{j1} - \eta_{j2}$
- $\sigma_{\text{EWK}}(\text{meas}) = 1.1 \pm 0.5(\text{stat}) \pm 0.4(\text{syst}) \text{ fb}$
 $\sigma_{\text{EWK}}(\text{VBFNLO}) = 0.94 \pm 0.09 \text{ fb}$

Objects	Particle- (Parton-) level selection
Leptons	$p_T^\ell > 25 \text{ GeV}$ and $ \eta^\ell < 2.5$ Dressed leptons, OS charge
Photon (kinematics)	$E_T^\gamma > 15 \text{ GeV}$, $ \eta^\gamma < 2.37$ $\Delta R(\ell, \gamma) > 0.4$
Photon (isolation)	$E_T^{\text{iso}} < 0.5 \cdot E_T^\gamma$ (no isolation)
FSR cut	$m_{\ell\ell} + m_{\ell\ell\gamma} > 182 \text{ GeV}$ $m_{\ell\ell} > 40 \text{ GeV}$
Particle jets (Outgoing partons) ($j = \text{jets}$) ($p = \text{outgoing quarks or gluons}$)	At least two jets (outgoing partons) $E_T^{j(p)} > 30 \text{ GeV}$, $ \eta^{j(p)} < 4.5$ $\Delta R(\ell, j(p)) > 0.3$ $\Delta R(\gamma, j(p)) > 0.4$
Control region (CR)	$150 < m_{jj(pp)} < 500 \text{ GeV}$
Search region (SR)	$m_{jj(pp)} > 500 \text{ GeV}$
aQGC region	$m_{jj(pp)} > 500 \text{ GeV}$ $E_T^\gamma > 250 \text{ GeV}$

EWK Significance
 $2.0\sigma (\text{obs}) / 1.8\sigma (\text{exp})$





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Fiducial Cross-Section measurement in $Z \rightarrow \ell\ell$ channel

- Distinguish EWK from QCD component using fit to M_{jj} distrib

$$\sigma_{EW}(\text{meas}) = 1.86^{+0.09}_{-0.75} (\text{stat})^{+0.34}_{-0.26} (\text{syst}) \pm 0.05 (\text{lumi}) \text{ fb}$$

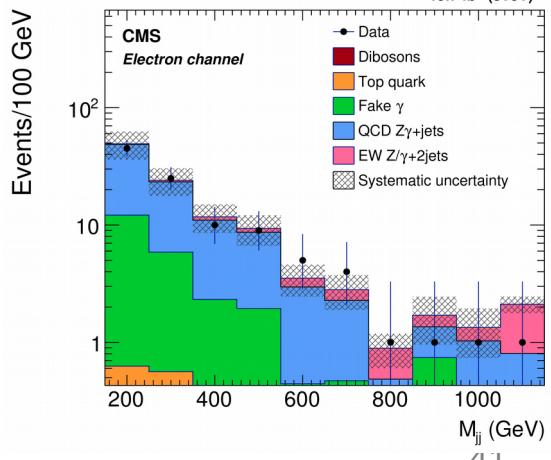
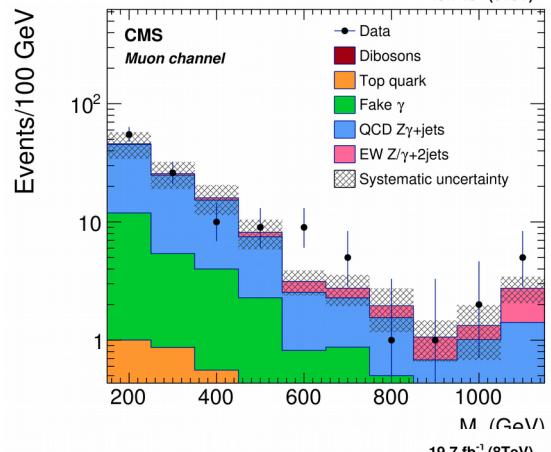
$$\sigma_{EW}(\text{MADGRAPH}) = 1.27 \pm 0.11 (\text{scale}) \pm 0.05 (\text{PDF}) \text{ fb (LO)}$$

Common selection

$p_T^{j1,j2} > 30 \text{ GeV}, \eta^{j1,j2} < 4.7$
$p_T^{\ell1,\ell2} > 20 \text{ GeV}, \eta^{\ell1,\ell2} < 2.4$
$ \eta^\gamma < 1.4442$
$M_{jj} > 150 \text{ GeV}$
$70 < M_{\ell\ell} < 110 \text{ GeV}$

EWK Significance
3.0 σ (obs) / 2.0 σ (exp)

EW signal measurement	Fiducial cross section	aQGC search
$p_T^\gamma > 25 \text{ GeV}$	$p_T^\gamma > 20 \text{ GeV}$	$p_T^\gamma > 60 \text{ GeV}$
$ \Delta\eta_{jj} > 1.6$	$ \Delta\eta_{jj} > 2.5$	$ \Delta\eta_{jj} > 2.5$
$\Delta R_{j\ell} > 0.3, \Delta R_{jj,\gamma j,\gamma\ell} > 0.5$	$\Delta R_{jj,\gamma j,\gamma\ell,j\ell} > 0.4$	$\Delta R_{j\ell} > 0.3, \Delta R_{jj,\gamma j,\gamma\ell} > 0.5$
$ y_{Z\gamma} - (y_{j1} + y_{j2})/2 < 1.2$	$M_{jj} > 400 \text{ GeV}$	$M_{jj} > 400 \text{ GeV}$
$\Delta\phi_{Z\gamma,jj} > 2.0 \text{ radians}$		
$M_{jj} > 400 \text{ GeV}$ with two divided regions		
$400 < M_{jj} < 800 \text{ GeV}$ and $M_{jj} > 800 \text{ GeV}$		





ATLAS

CMS W $\gamma\gamma$ /Z $\gamma\gamma$ – 8 TeV



Fiducial Cross-Section measurement

- Fake photon background (mainly from jets) estimated using 2D distribution of isolation of two photons – tight vs loose selections
 - > templates from MC and data control samples

Definition of the W $\gamma\gamma$ fiducial region

$$\begin{aligned} p_T^\gamma &> 25 \text{ GeV}, |\eta^\gamma| < 2.5 \\ p_T^\ell &> 25 \text{ GeV}, |\eta^\ell| < 2.4 \end{aligned}$$

One candidate lepton and two candidate photons

$$\begin{aligned} m_T &> 40 \text{ GeV} \\ \Delta R(\gamma, \gamma) &> 0.4 \text{ and } \Delta R(\gamma, \ell) > 0.4 \end{aligned}$$

Definition of the Z $\gamma\gamma$ fiducial region

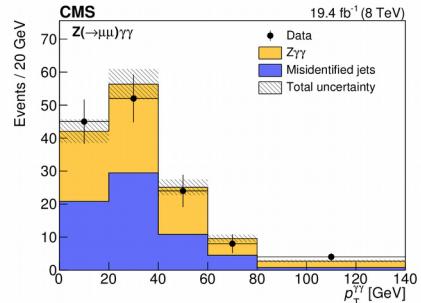
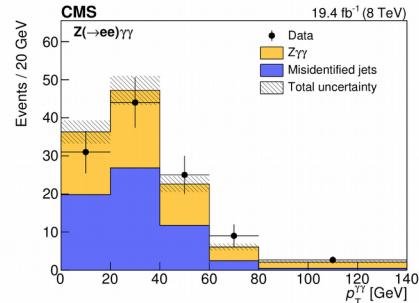
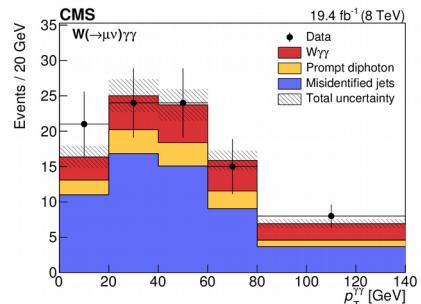
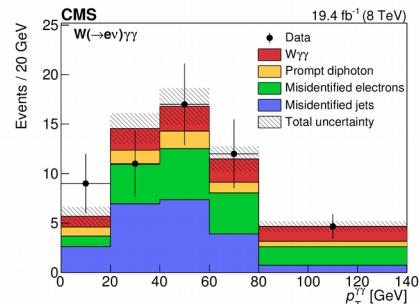
$$\begin{aligned} p_T^\gamma &> 15 \text{ GeV}, |\eta^\gamma| < 2.5 \\ p_T^\ell &> 10 \text{ GeV}, |\eta^\ell| < 2.4 \end{aligned}$$

Two oppositely charged candidate leptons and two candidate photons

$$\text{leading } p_T^\ell > 20 \text{ GeV}$$

$$m_{\ell\ell} > 40 \text{ GeV}$$

$$\Delta R(\gamma, \gamma) > 0.4, \Delta R(\gamma, \ell) > 0.4, \text{ and } \Delta R(\ell, \ell) > 0.4$$



Signal Significances: 2.6σ (W $\gamma\gamma$) / 5.9σ (Z $\gamma\gamma$) using profile likelihood (data & pred bgrd) for each channel and for both/one photon(s) in barrel



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