

# LHC Future Challenges: Physics

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# Outline

- LHC experiments
- LHC upgrades
- Upgrades for the LHC experiments
- Selected topics in HL-LHC physics opportunities
- Connections with the CWP process

Note: These slides draw heavily from the ECFA HL-LHC Workshop held in October 2016. Please see

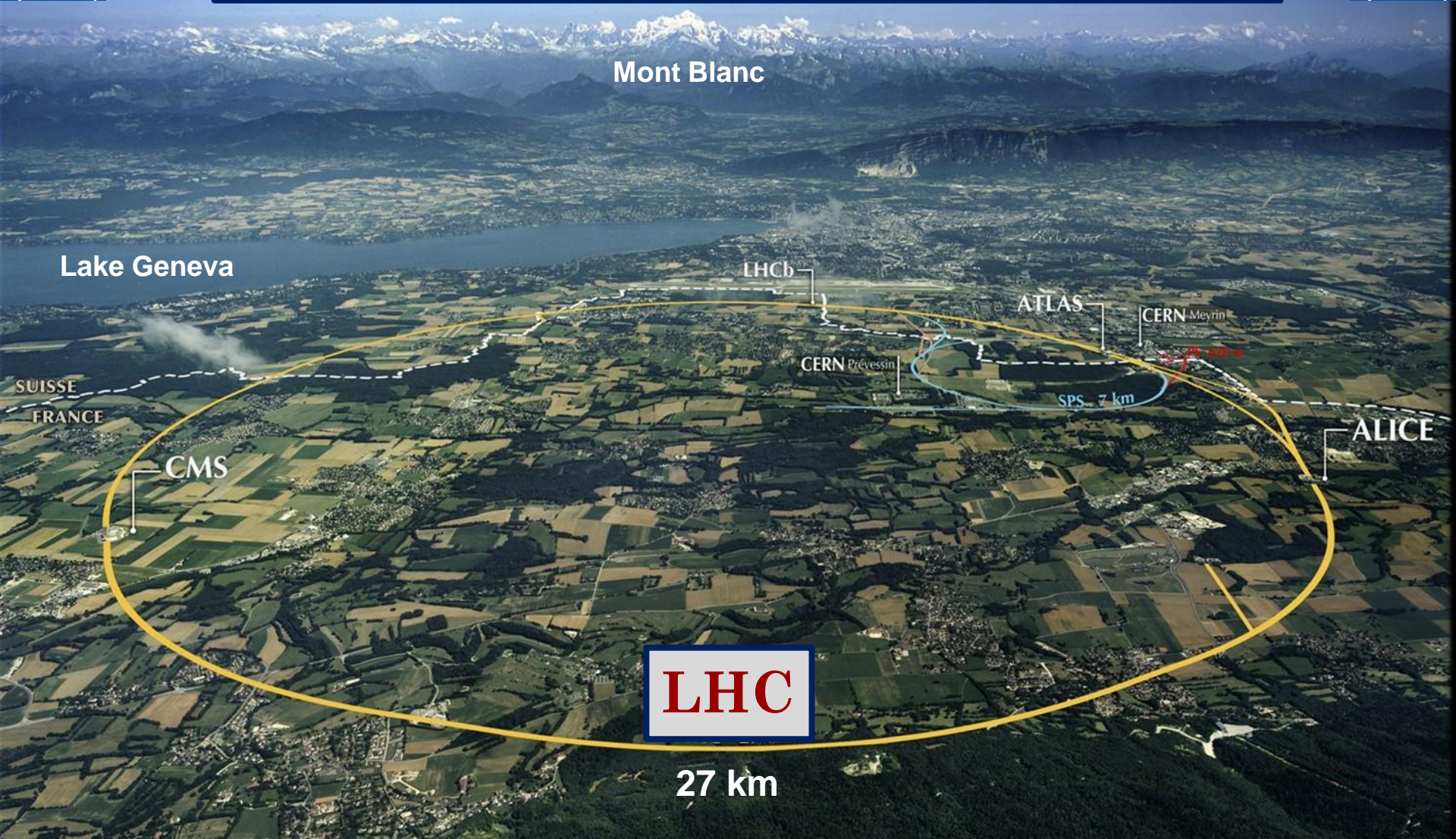
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for the details and much more additional information

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# The Large Hadron Collider

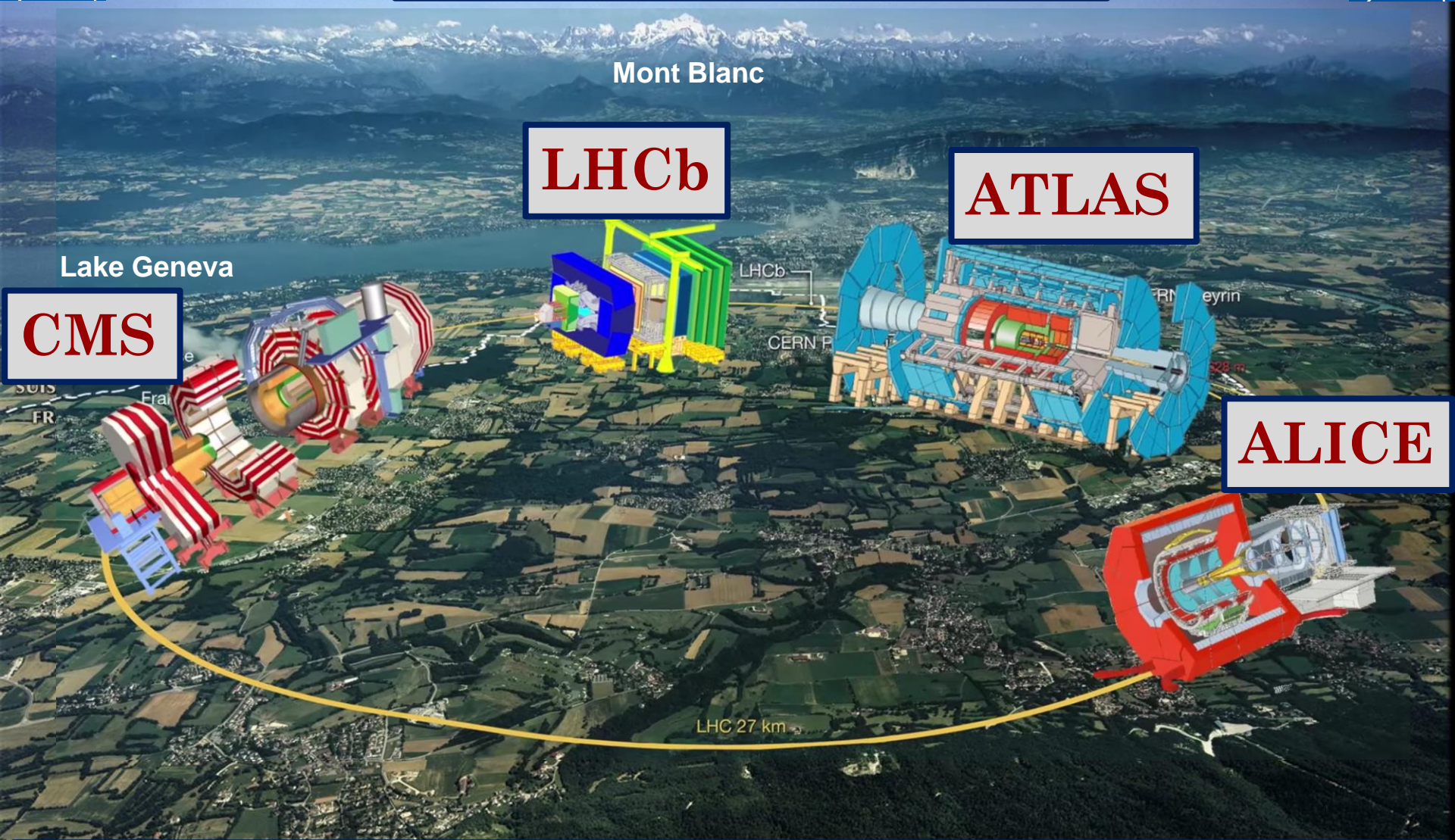


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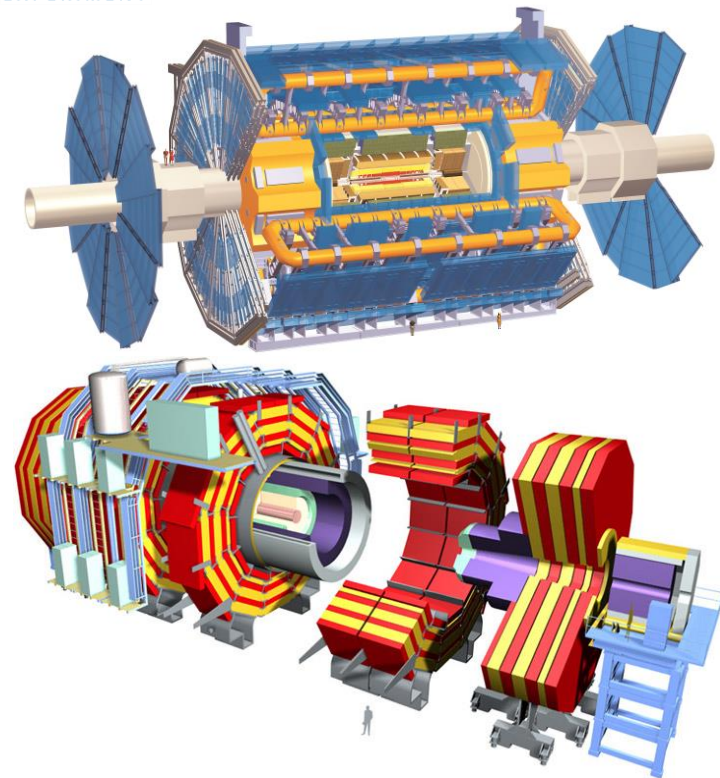
# LHC Experiments



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# ATLAS & CMS Experiments



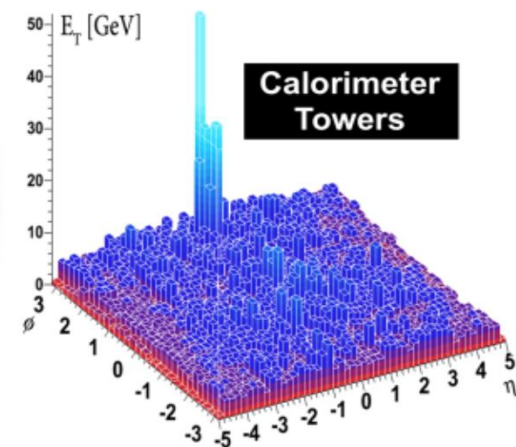
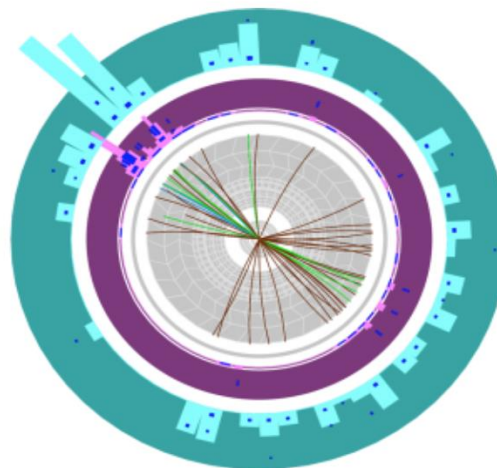
Two “general purpose” detectors that analyze pp and HI collisions at the LHC

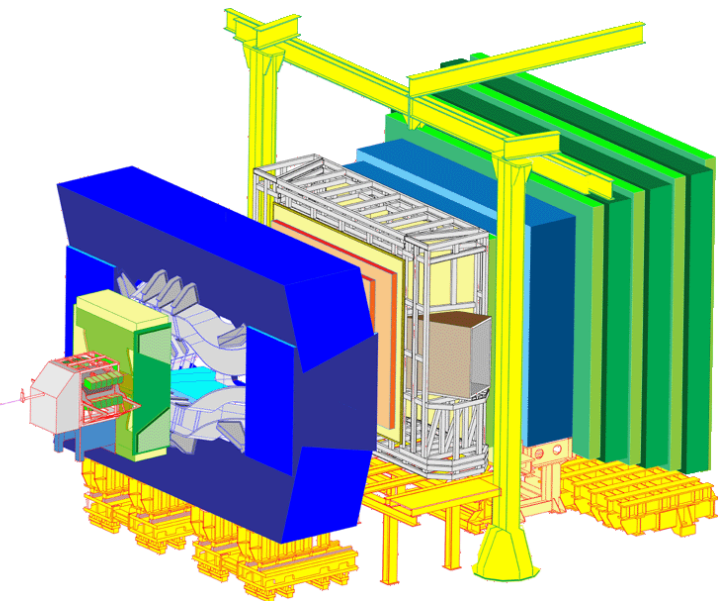
Key physics topics

- Precision SM & Higgs measurements
- Search for new particles/phenomena at TeV scale (more Higgses, SUSY, DM,  $W'$ ,  $Z'$ , ED, FCNC, top partner, ...)
- Strong dynamics of quarks & gluons in hot, dense nuclear matter (QGP)

Selected highlights

- Higgs boson discovery!
- Large fraction of highly asymmetric jet pairs → First direct observation of jet quenching effect





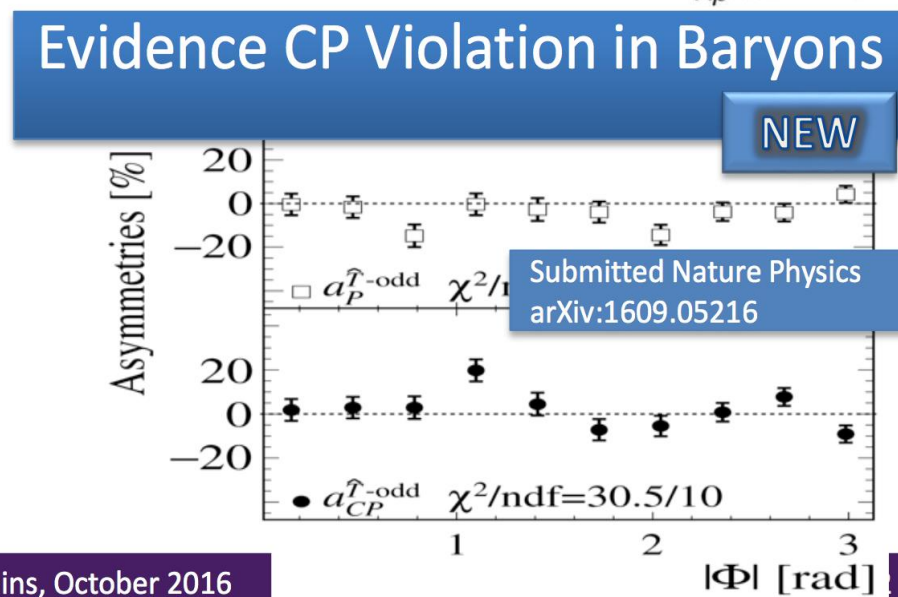
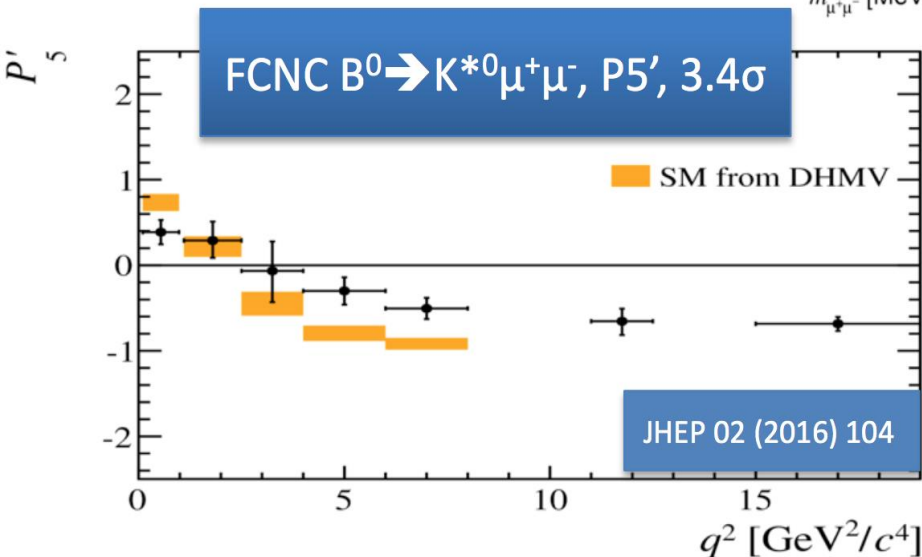
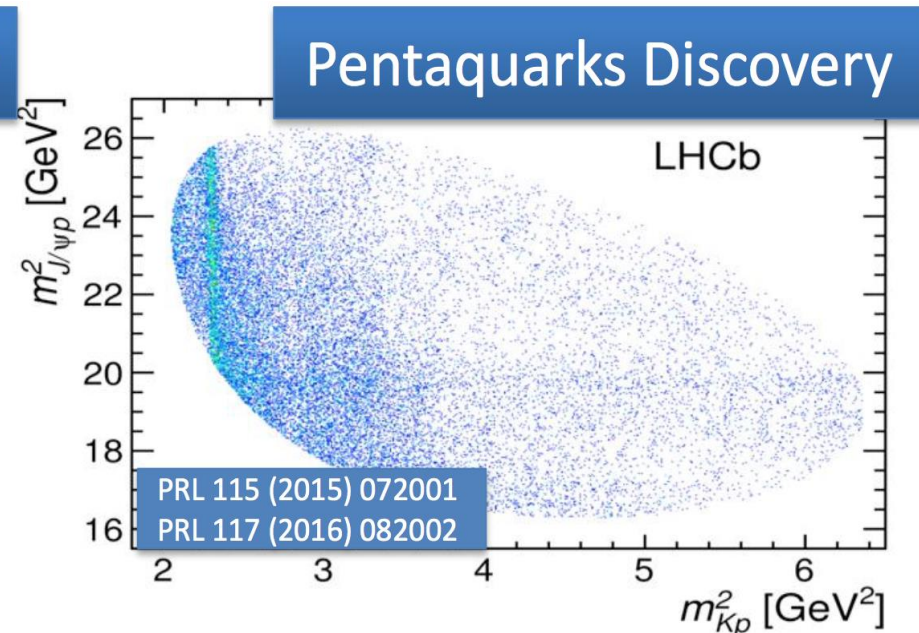
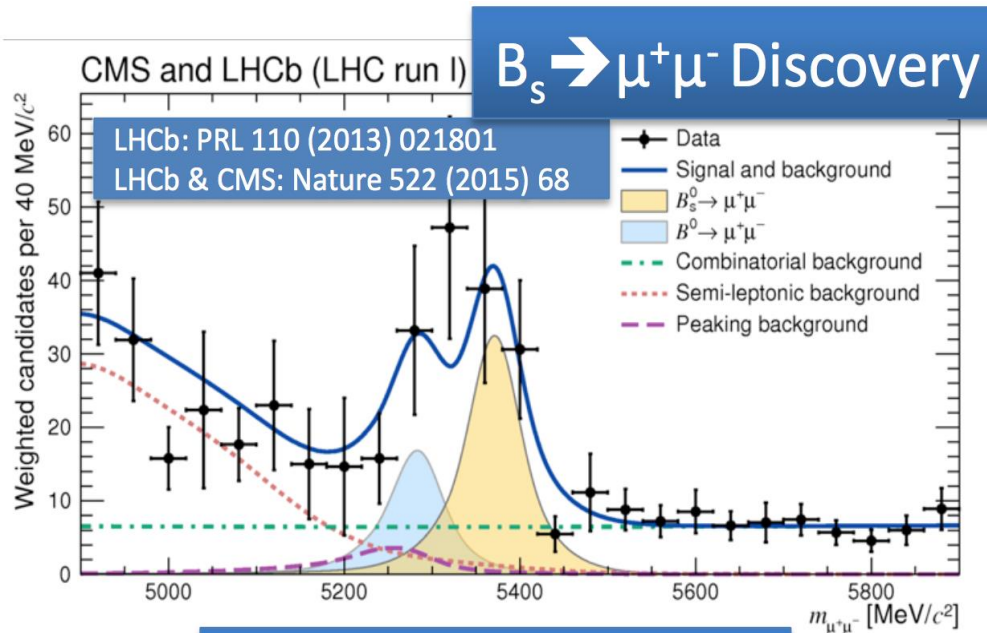
General purpose detector optimized to measure  $b$ -hadron pairs produced in the forward region from pp or HI collisions at the LHC

Core program is to measure parameters of CP violation in an effort to help explain the observed matter/anti-matter asymmetry of the Universe

Some physics topics include

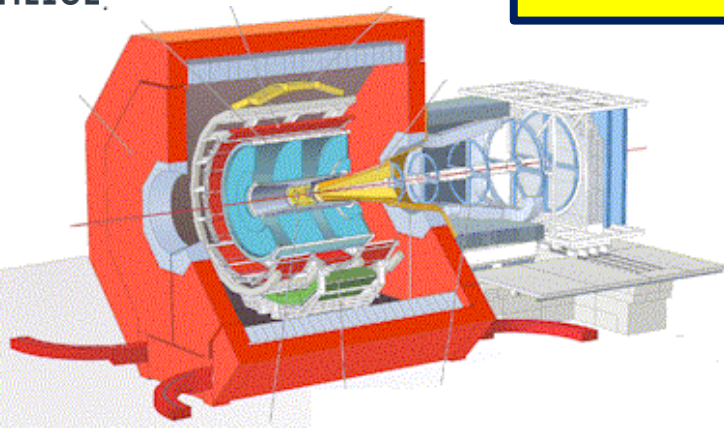
- Measuring  $B_s \rightarrow \mu\mu$  decay
- Angular analysis of muons in  $B_d \rightarrow K^* \mu\mu$  decay (FCNC)
- Measuring CP violating phase in  $B_s \rightarrow J/\Psi \phi$  decay and angle  $\gamma$
- Radiative B decays (FCNC)
- Hadron spectroscopy and search for exotic states

# Some LHCb Highlights





# ALICE Experiment



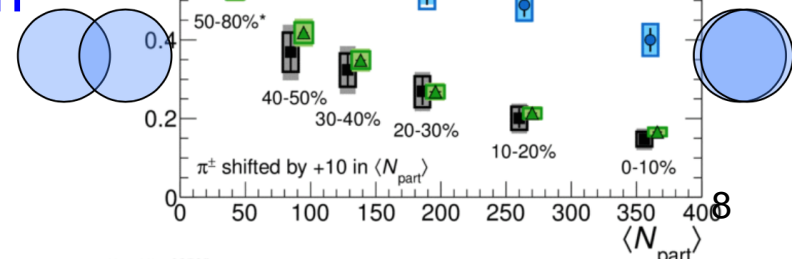
General purpose detector optimized for the high-multiplicity environment of HI collisions at the LHC. Complementary to other LHC experiments due to low- $p_T$  threshold and excellent PID capabilities

Core program is to measure observables that characterize the QCD phase diagram. Comparisons of p-Pb and Pb-Pb data can be used to disentangle cold-matter ISR/FSR effects from those that are intrinsic to the QCD medium

## Selected highlight

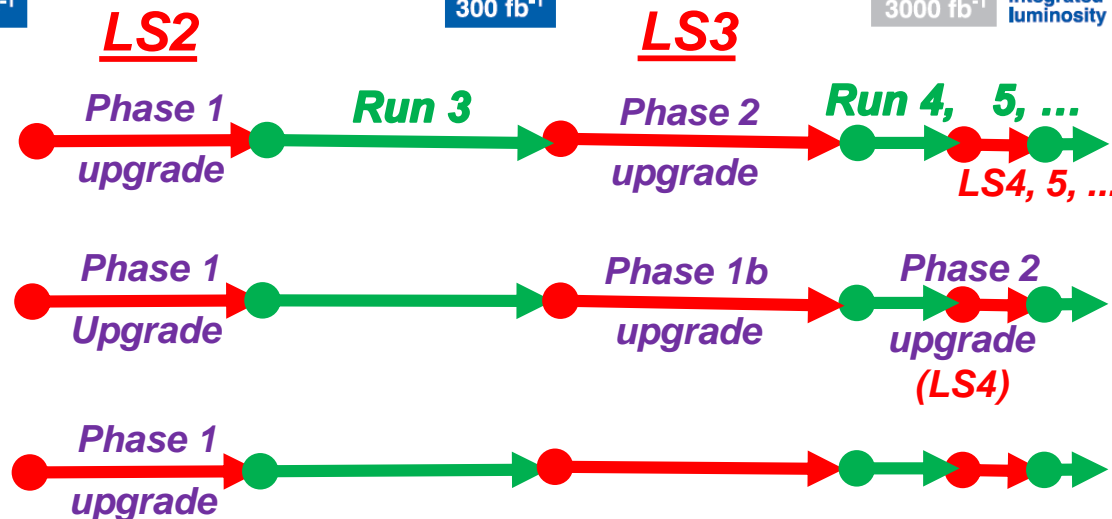
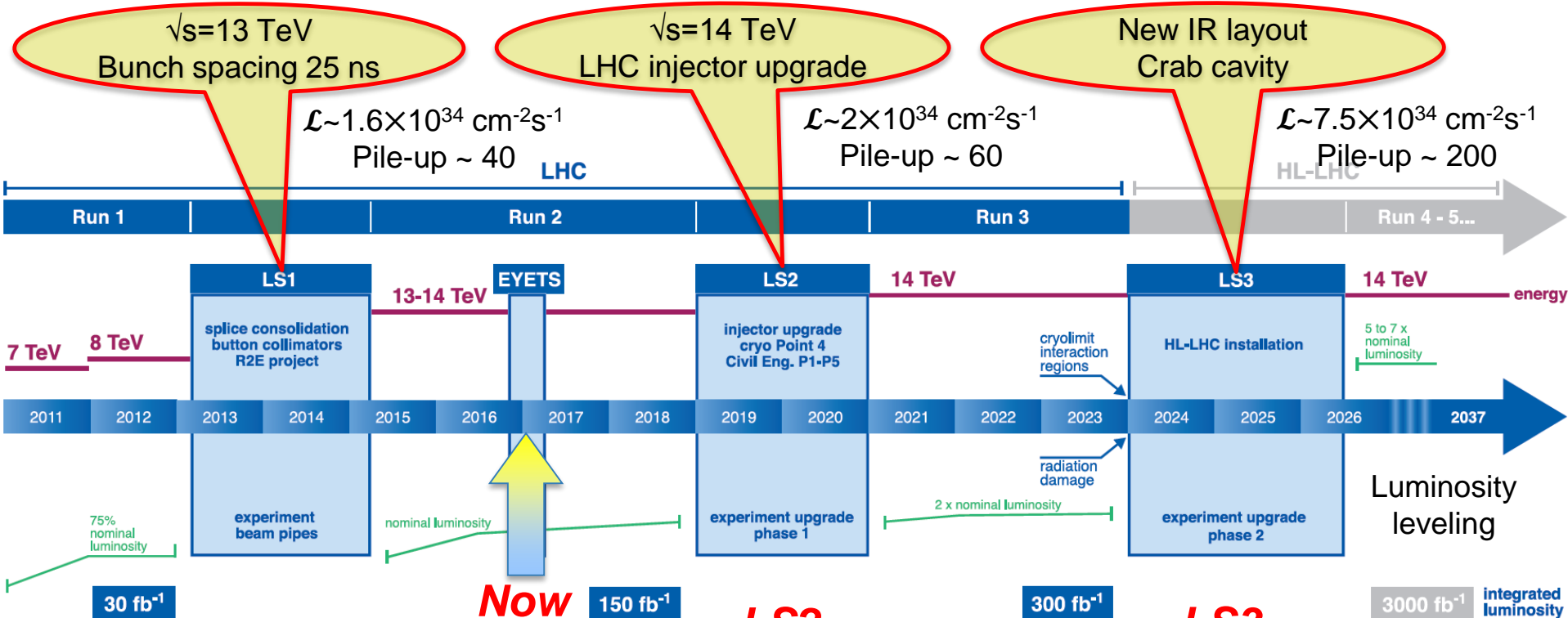
- First indication of mass dependence to energy loss through QCD medium

$$R_{AA}^B (\text{CMS}) > R_{AA}^D (\text{ALICE})$$



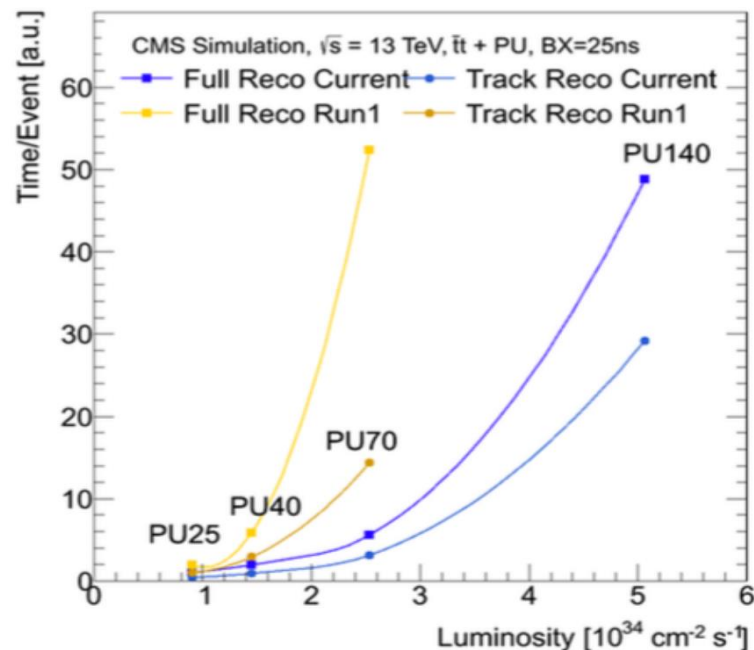
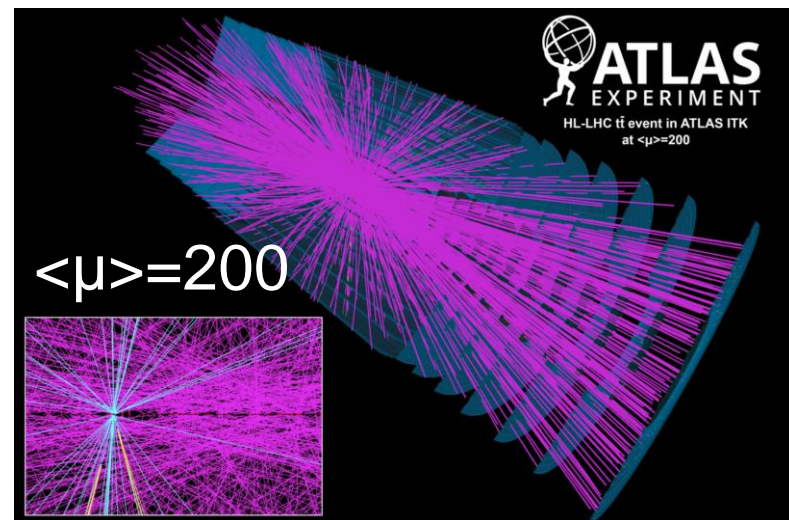


# LHC and Detector Upgrades



# HL-LHC Challenge: Pile-up

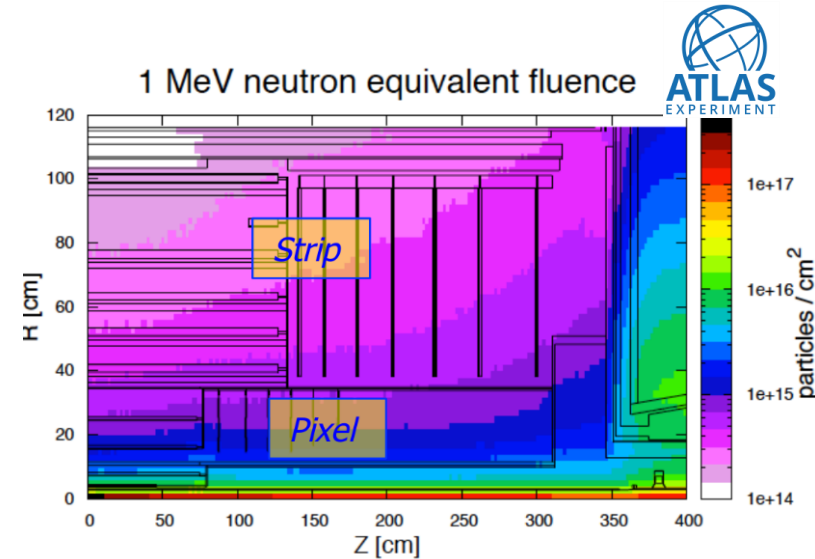
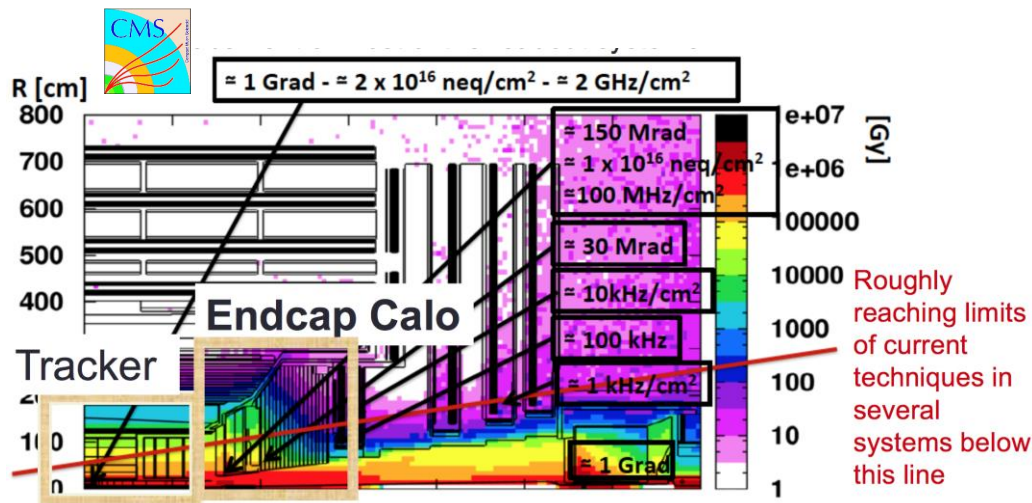
- Problem: Large number of pp interactions per bunch crossing
  - Adds extra energy to calorimeter measurements
  - Increases the amount of data to be read out in each BX
  - Increases combinatorial complexity and rate of fake tracks → computing resources
- Mitigation
  - High granularity detectors and fast electronics to identify PV
  - Precision timing for PV-to-track/cluster association
  - Better algorithms, concurrency





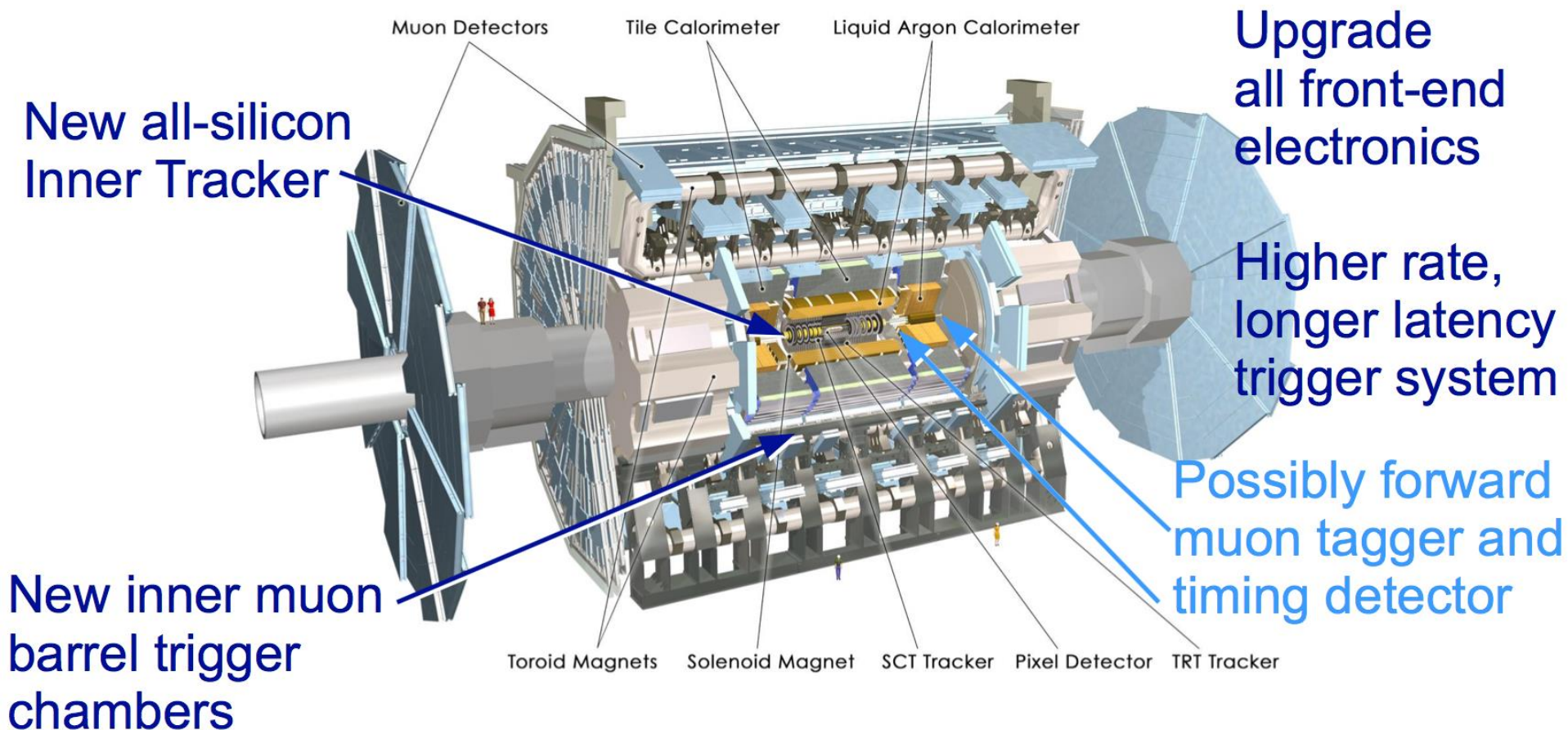
# HL-LHC Challenge: Radiation

- Problem: Radiation damage to detector elements and electronics from high radiation dose during LHC operation
  - Degrades signals from systems
  - Limits lifetime of detectors



→ requires new trackers, endcap calorimeters, forward muon systems and replacement of most of the detector readout systems

# HL-LHC: ATLAS Upgrade





# HL-LHC: CMS Upgrade

## Trigger/HLT/DAQ

- Track information at L1-Trigger
- L1-Trigger: 12.5  $\mu$ s latency - output 750 kHz
- HLT output  $\approx$  7.5 kHz

## Barrel EM calorimeter

- Replace FE/BE electronics
- Lower operating temperature ( $8^{\circ}$ )

## Muon systems

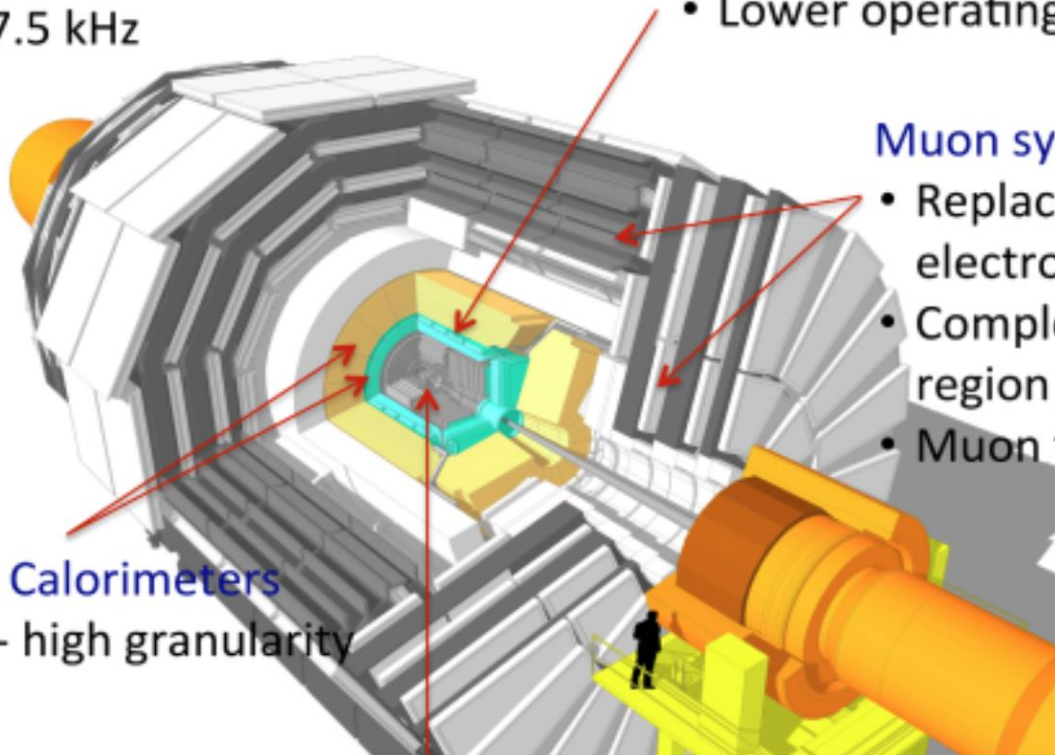
- Replace DT & CSC FE/BE electronics
- Complete RPC coverage in region  $1.5 < \eta < 2.4$
- Muon tagging  $2.4 < \eta < 3$

## Replace Endcap Calorimeters

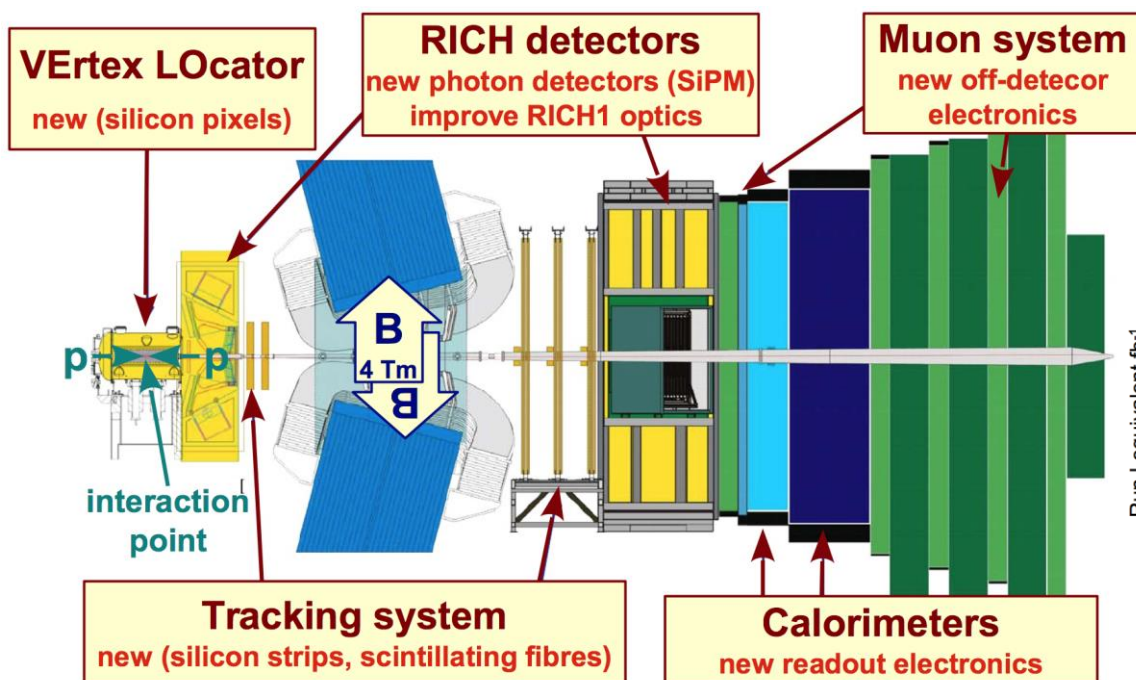
- Rad. tolerant - high granularity
- 3D capability

## Replace Tracker

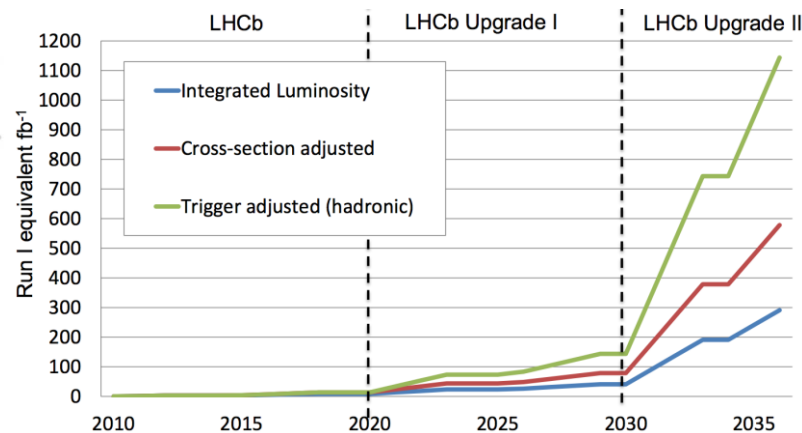
- Rad. tolerant - high granularity - significantly less material
- 40 MHz selective readout ( $P_t \geq 2$  GeV) in Outer Tracker for L1-Trigger
- Extend coverage to  $\eta = 3.8$



- Phase-1 (LS2) upgrade goal to collect  $50 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  @  $2 \times 10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$ 
    - Readout whole detector @ 40 MHz
    - Software-only trigger!
    - Real-time alignment, calibration and reconstruction
- Requires new HLT farm many-core processors (e.g. GPUs, CPU+FPGA hybrids) and new LAN system



## Beyond LS2



Indicative of potential only  
Phase-Ib and II still in discussion phase



# Upgrades most relevant to HI

- Designed to accommodate higher luminosity after LS2
  - Pb-Pb instantaneous luminosity expected to increase x5
- ◆ ALICE (LS2)
  - New inner tracker: precision and efficiency at low  $p_T$
  - New pixel muon tracker: precise tracking and vertexing for  $\mu$
  - New TPC readout chambers, upgraded readout for other detectors and new integrated Online-Offline: x100 faster readout (up to 50 kHz for Pb-Pb)
- ◆ ATLAS
  - Additional pixel layer (LS1), then new tracker (LS3): tracking and b-tag
  - Fast tracking trigger (LS2): high-multiplicity tracking
  - Calorimeter and muon upgrades (LS2): electron,  $\gamma$ , muon triggers
- ◆ CMS
  - Upgrade of trigger and DAQ, L1 calorimeter trigger (LS1): enables L1 rejection at 95%, e.g. (after LS2) from 50 kHz to <3 kHz (HLT input)
  - New pixel tracker (YETS16-17), then new tracker (LS3): tracking and b-tag
  - Extension of forward muon system (LS2): muon acceptance
  - Upgrade forward calorimeter (LS3): forward jets in HI
- ◆ LHCb (LS2)
  - Upgrade includes new vertexing and tracking detectors



# HI Programme at HL-LHC

(Not exhaustive!)

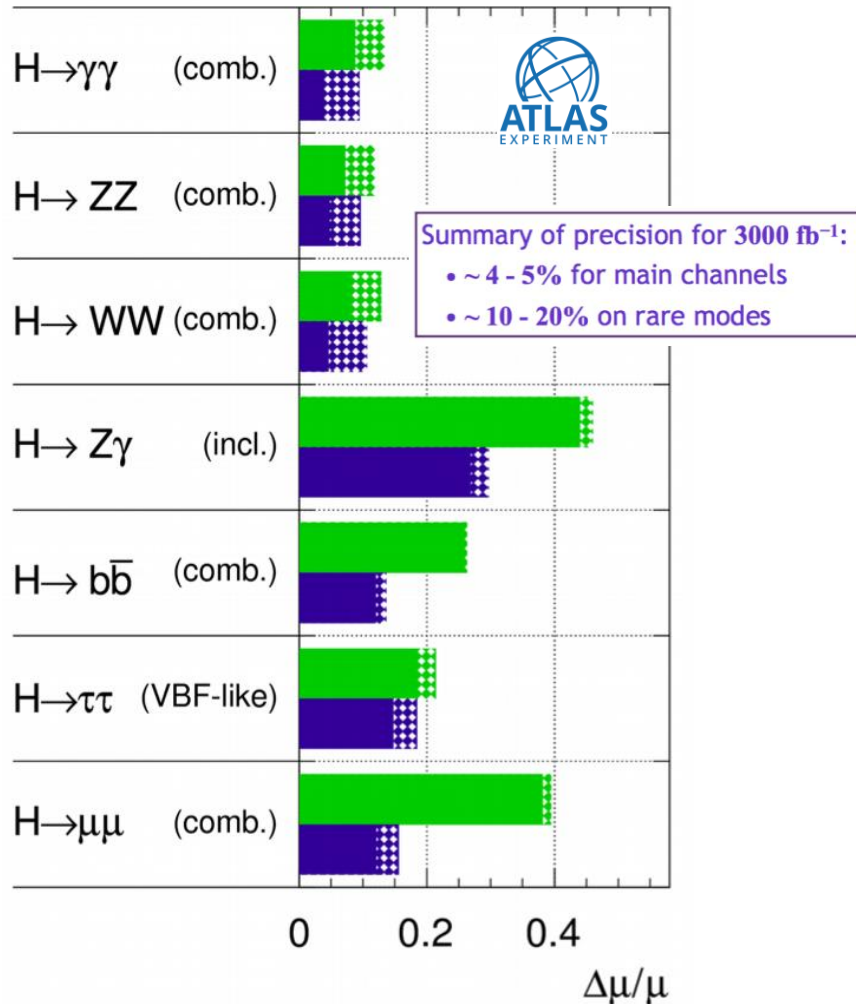
- ◆ **Jets:** characterization of energy loss mechanism both as a testing ground for the multi-particle aspects of QCD and as a probe of the medium density
  - Differential studies of jets, b-jets, di-jets,  $\gamma$ /Z-jet at very high  $p_T$  (focus of **ATLAS** and **CMS**)
  - Flavour-dependent in-medium fragmentation functions (focus of **ALICE**)
- ◆ **Heavy flavour:** characterization of mass dependence of energy loss, HQ in-medium thermalization and hadronization, as a probe of the medium transport properties
  - Production and elliptic flow of several HF hadron species from 0 to high  $p_T$  (**ALL EXPs**)
- ◆ **Quarkonium:** precision study of quarkonium dissociation pattern and regeneration, as probes of deconfinement and of the medium temperature
  - Low- $p_T$  charmonia and elliptic flow (focus of **ALICE**, **LHCb**)
  - Multi-differential studies of  $\Upsilon$  states (focus of **ATLAS** and **CMS**)
- ◆ **Low-mass di-leptons:** thermal radiation  $\gamma$  ( $\rightarrow l^+l^-$ ) to map temperature during system evolution; modification of  $\rho$  meson spectral function as a probe of the chiral symmetry restoration
  - (Very) low- $p_T$  and low-mass di-electrons and di-muons (**ALICE**)



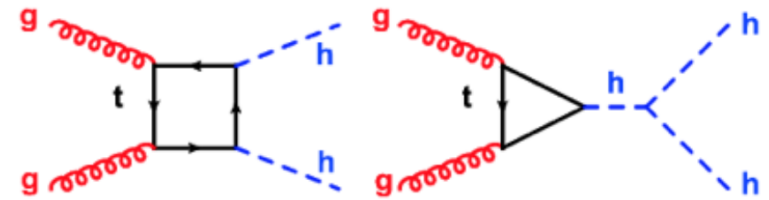
# HL-LHC Higgs Prospects: Couplings

- Signal strength measurements (sensitive to Higgs couplings)

$\sqrt{s} = 14 \text{ TeV}$ :  $\int \mathcal{L} dt = 300 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  ;  $\int \mathcal{L} dt = 3000 \text{ fb}^{-1}$

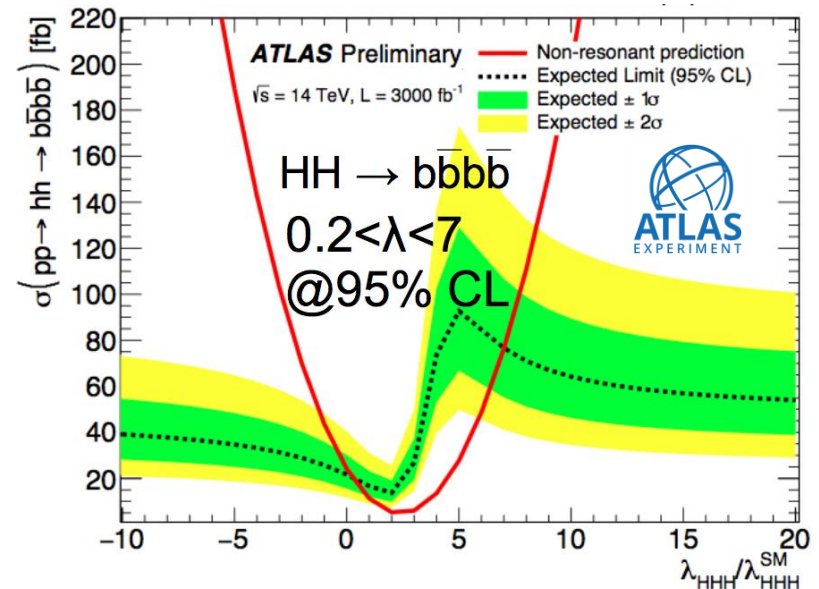


- Higgs pair production (access to H self-coupling) (Not exhaustive!)



- Very low cross section
  - Destructive interference

$$\sigma(pp \rightarrow HH)_{\text{NNLO+NNLL}}^{\text{SM}} = 33.45 \text{ fb (@ 13 TeV)}$$



# HL-LHC Higgs Prospects: Rare Decays

- $H \rightarrow \mu\mu$  - measures coupling to second fermion generation
  - ▶ ATLAS and CMS expect  $>7\sigma$  significance with  $3000 \text{ fb}^{-1}$
  - ▶ coupling measured to 5-10%
- $H \rightarrow Z\gamma$ 
  - ▶ Tests loop structure of decay, compare with  $H \rightarrow ZZ$   $H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$
  - ▶  $\sim 4\sigma$  significance possible with  $3000 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  despite the challenging background

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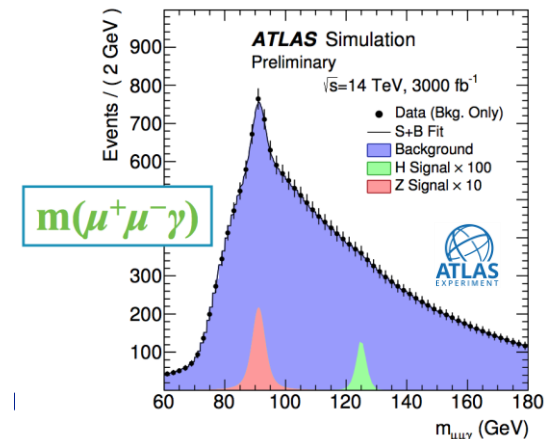
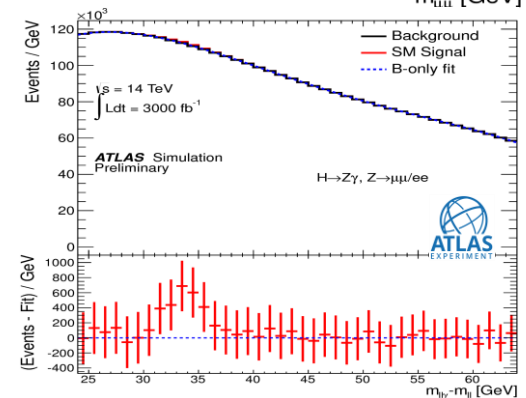
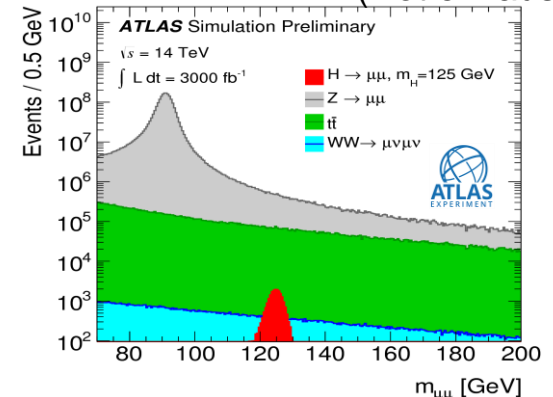
- $H \rightarrow J/\psi \gamma$ 
  - ▶ SM expectation:  $\text{BR}(H \rightarrow J/\psi \gamma) = (2.9 \pm 0.2) \times 10^{-6}$
  - ▶ ATLAS Run 1 limit:  $\text{BR}(H \rightarrow J/\psi \gamma) = 1.5 \times 10^{-3}$

Expected limits at 95% CL (using multivariate analysis):

- $\text{BR}(H \rightarrow J/\psi \gamma): (44^{+19}_{-12}) \times 10^{-6}$
- $\sigma(\text{gg} \rightarrow H) \times \text{BR}(H \rightarrow J/\psi \gamma): (3.1^{+0.9}_{-1.3}) \text{ fb}$

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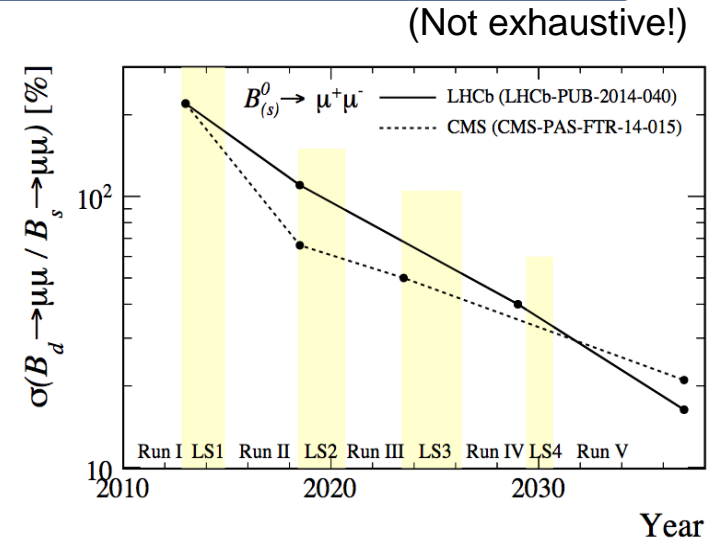
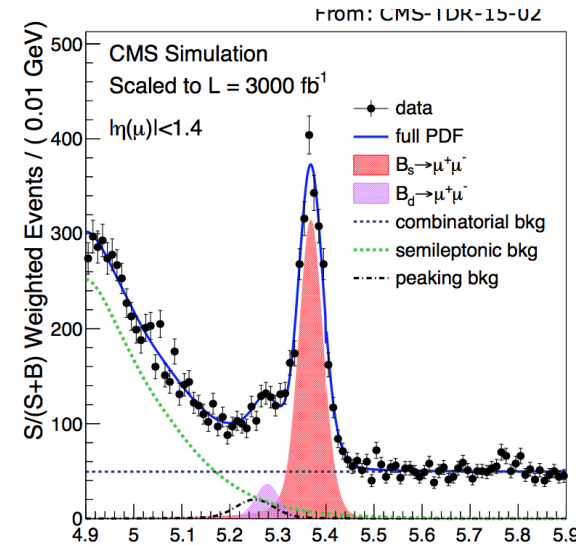
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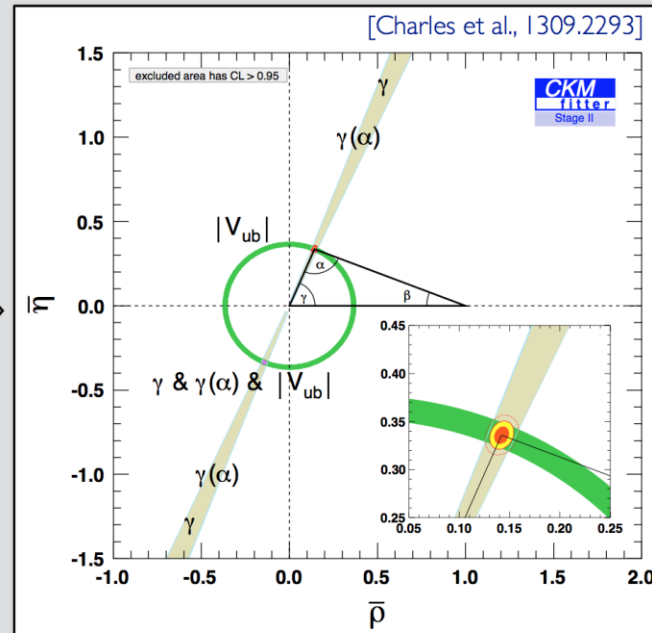
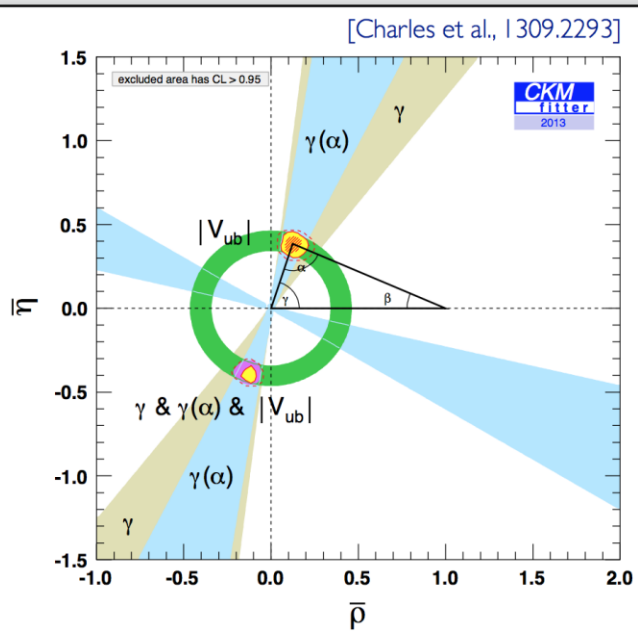
# HL-LHC Prospects: Flavor Physics

- Measuring  $B_s \rightarrow \mu\mu$  decay has already had a large impact on constraining models of NP



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- Further constraints on the CKM parameters

# Connections to CWP / Closing Remarks

- Each of the LHC experiments have a series of ambitious upgrades to match the LHC upgrades
  - The primary motivation for each of the upgrades is to maximize physics performance
  - Design choices are driven mainly by physics considerations
- Some things to consider for the CWP process
  - Develop synergies between LHC experiments as much as possible
  - Each detector is a big camera – exploit developments in the ML arena
  - Include the mix of physics activities in the planning (e.g. luminosity increase vs. energy increase)
  - Visualization is an underdeveloped tool in our field for research, outreach, education and professional training