





Single-Top + Higgs (Chapter 1)

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Outline

• The idea behind Chapter 1

• Status of Chapter 1

• Plans for Chapter 1

The idea behind Chapter 1

• Using an interesting example... yt



The idea behind Chapter 1

- Exp usually rely on ML to separate Sig/Bk...
- However, in this case can only put limits...



The idea behind Chapter 1

- Could we use some physics to help ML?
- Need to simulate S and B and look at some plots...









Signal :

• $pp \rightarrow H(\rightarrow b\bar{b})t(\rightarrow Wb) + 3j$

On-shell decays

only massless bs



Look at plots with "no cuts" and look for sensible observables...

Then apply some cuts and hope for best...















Plans for Chapter 1

Basics of MC-simulations (matching and merging...)

Application to Ht, why did we fail?

• What is a cut and count exercise (from the exp pov)