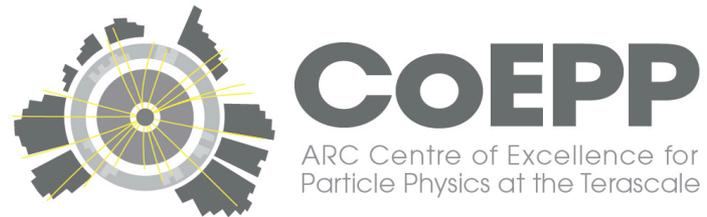


Search Analyses at the LHC

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CoEPP summer school, February 20th, 2017



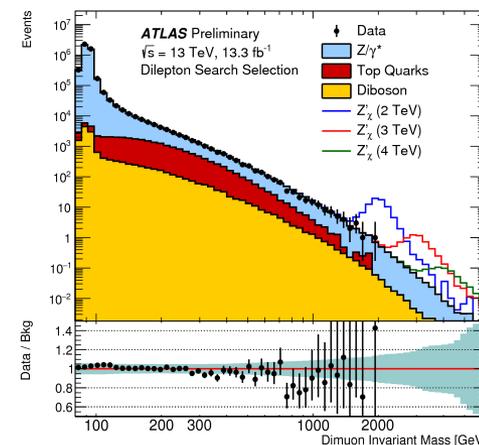
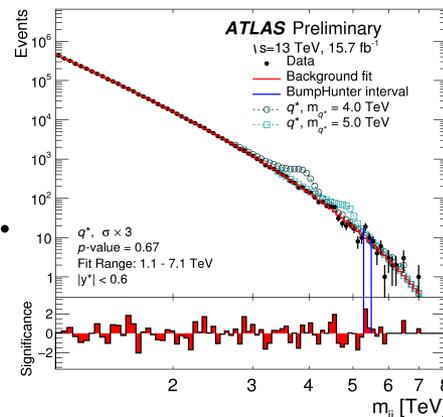
- A attempt to find a result that is inconsistent with the Standard Model (SM) picture of particle physics, with a significant level of precision
- That could be:
 - Evidence of a new particle(s) that is(are) not present in the SM
 - Evidence of an anomalous distribution that hints at a new interaction/mechanism
 - Measurement of a SM property (branching fraction, coupling etc) that is in disagreement with the SM
 - Anything else?
- A question I’d like you to ponder is

How would we “know” if we have seen such a signal?

What is a “search for new physics”

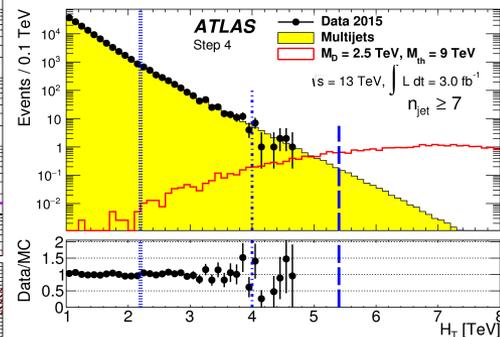
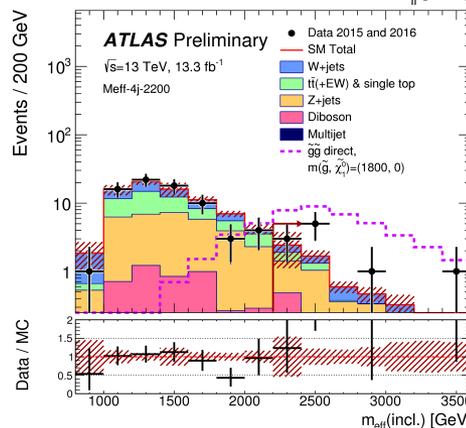
new particle(s):

Expect a resonance in some distribution of final state objects.
Can use it to measure mass of NP



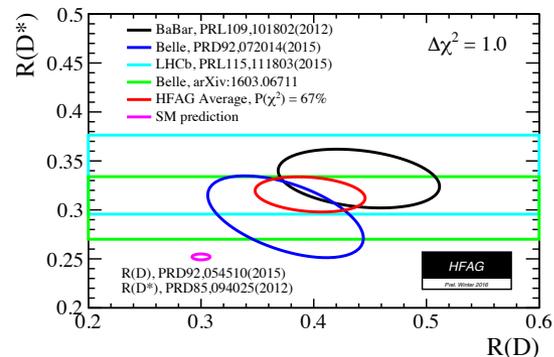
anomalous distribution:

Some inclusive distribution that has a different shape between signal and background (but doesn't have to be a peak)



SM property:

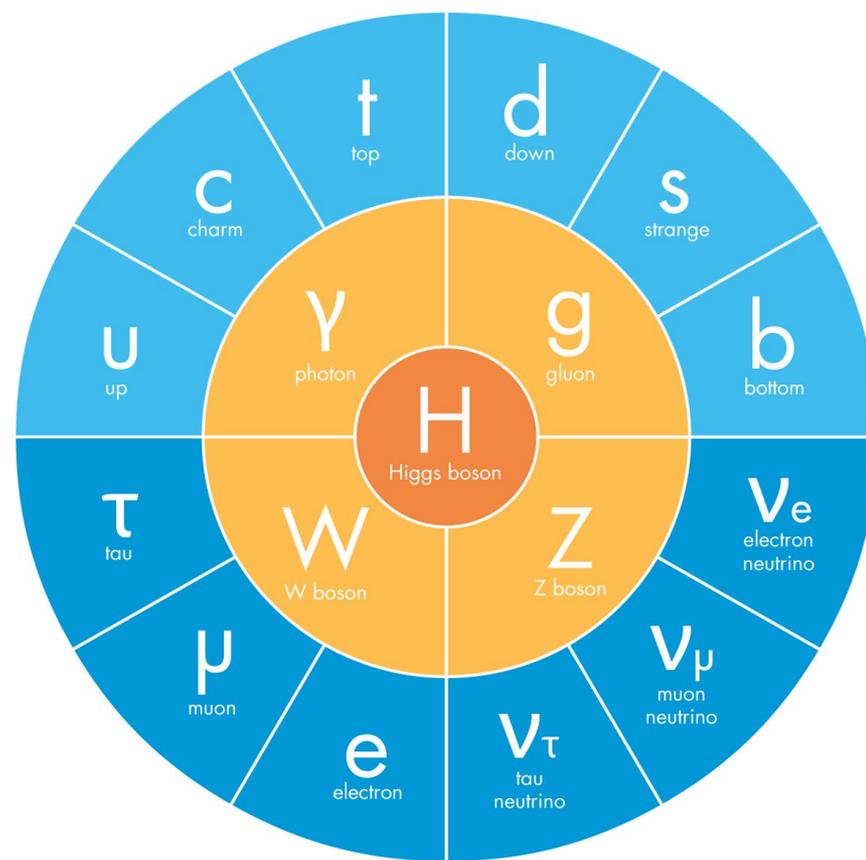
Accurate measure of branching fraction, property etc



- The standard model is standing up to intense scrutiny
- A variety of precision measurements show excellent agreement with calculations at several collision energies
- Almost all searches we perform have some amount of model dependence i.e. you search for a specific signal topology
- **But.....**
- **We DO NOT KNOW what new physics will look like (...and we want to cast a wide net)**

THE STANDARD MODEL

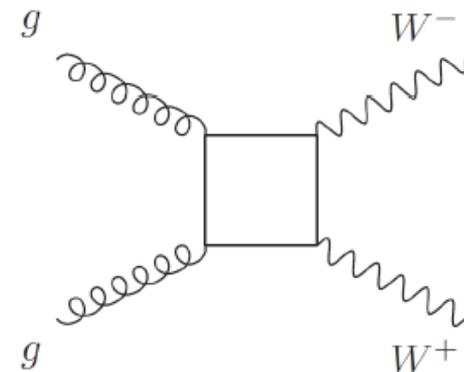
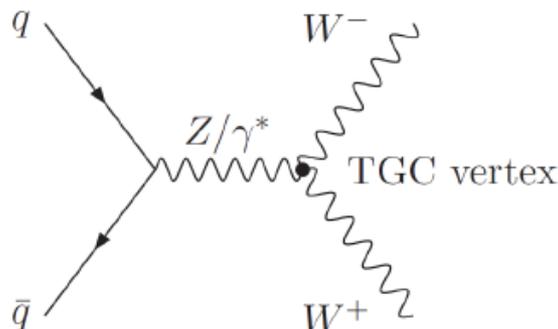
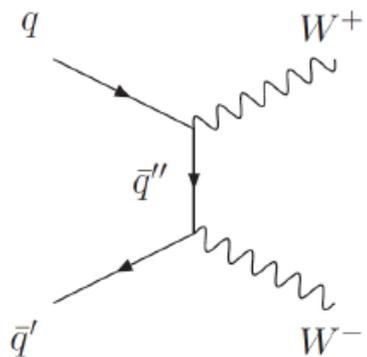
FERMIONS (matter) | BOSONS (force carriers)
● Quarks ● Leptons | ● Gauge bosons ● Higgs boson



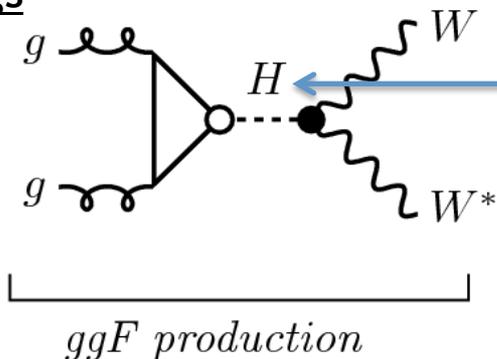
- Any new physics will either be produced in conjunction with/or decay to Standard Model particles - ***these are what we measure***
 - Whether performing a search or not we measure Standard Model objects
 - To search for something new there has to be a difference, or differences, between the new physics and the Standard Model
 - Exploiting the differences as efficiently as possible is what makes one analysis better than another
- **We DO NOT KNOW what new physics will look like!!!**
 - The searches we perform are based on our prejudices and we interpret them in only a specific number of signal scenarios
- The *partitioning* of many analyses within ATLAS/CMS is *largely arbitrary* and often not based on physics principles
 - Example “X” $\rightarrow W^+W^- \rightarrow l^+ \nu \ l^- \bar{\nu} \Rightarrow$ is it SM/Exotics/Higgs/SUSY?

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Standard Model



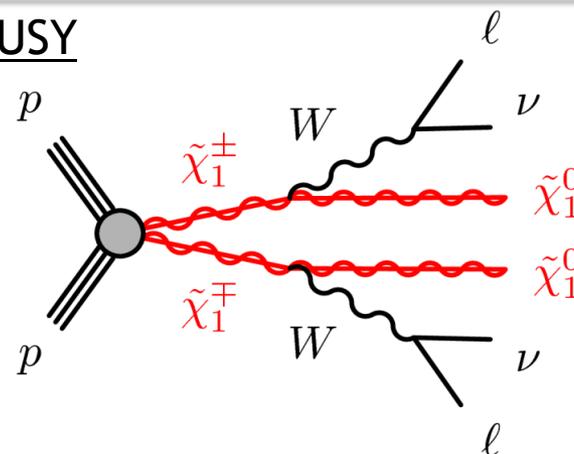
Higgs



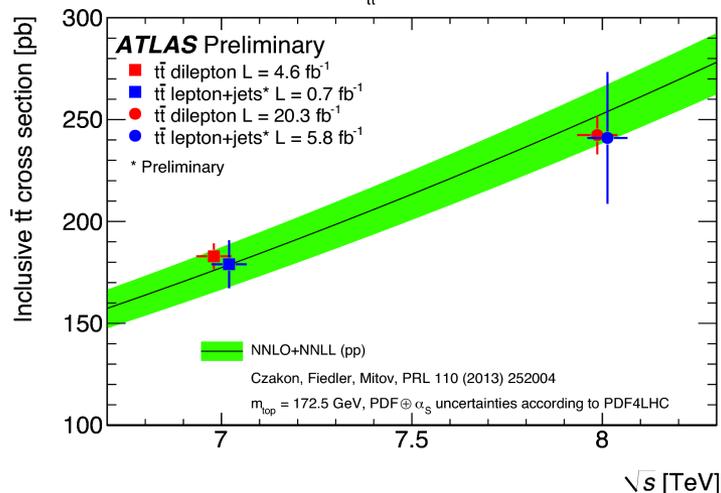
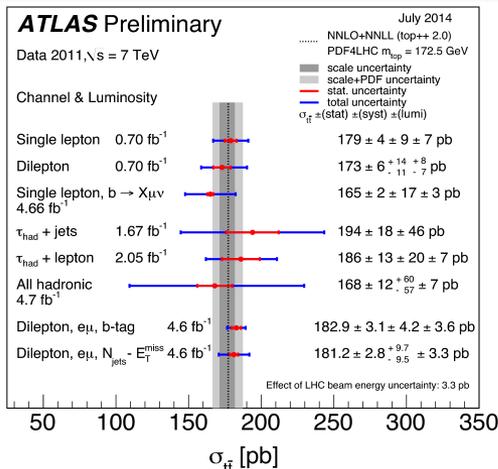
EXOTICS

Swap
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“X” - a
new
particle

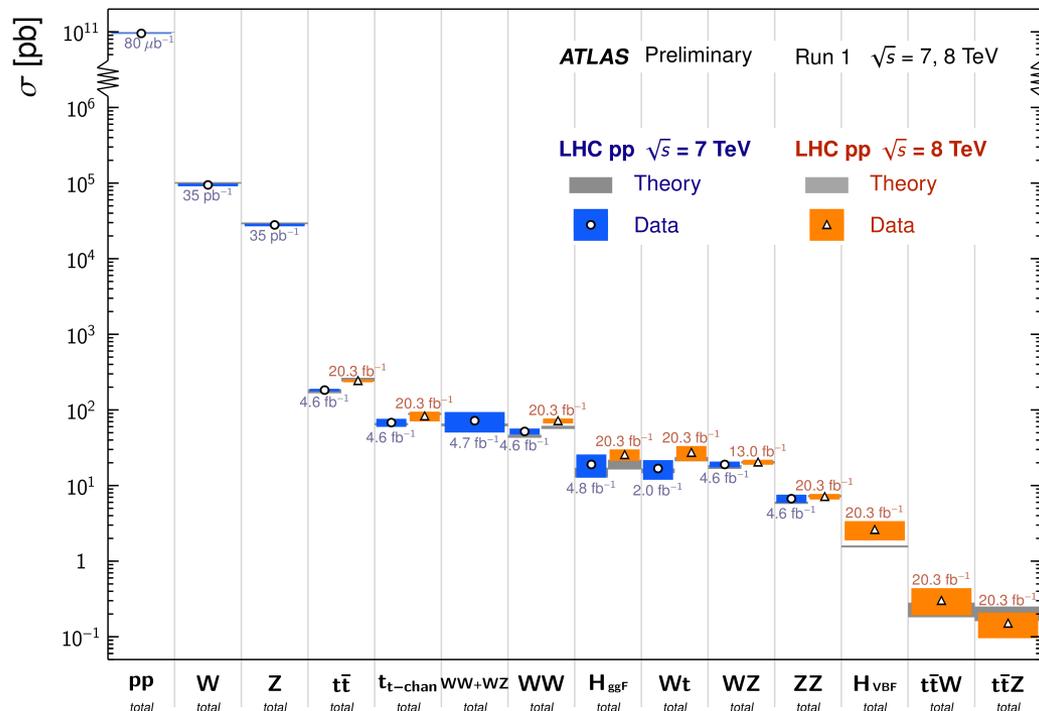
SUSY



Precision measurements of boson, ttbar, single top and di-boson cross sections



Standard Model Total Production Cross Section Measurements Status: July 2014



Crucial to demonstrate detector performance and measure Standard Model to great accuracy

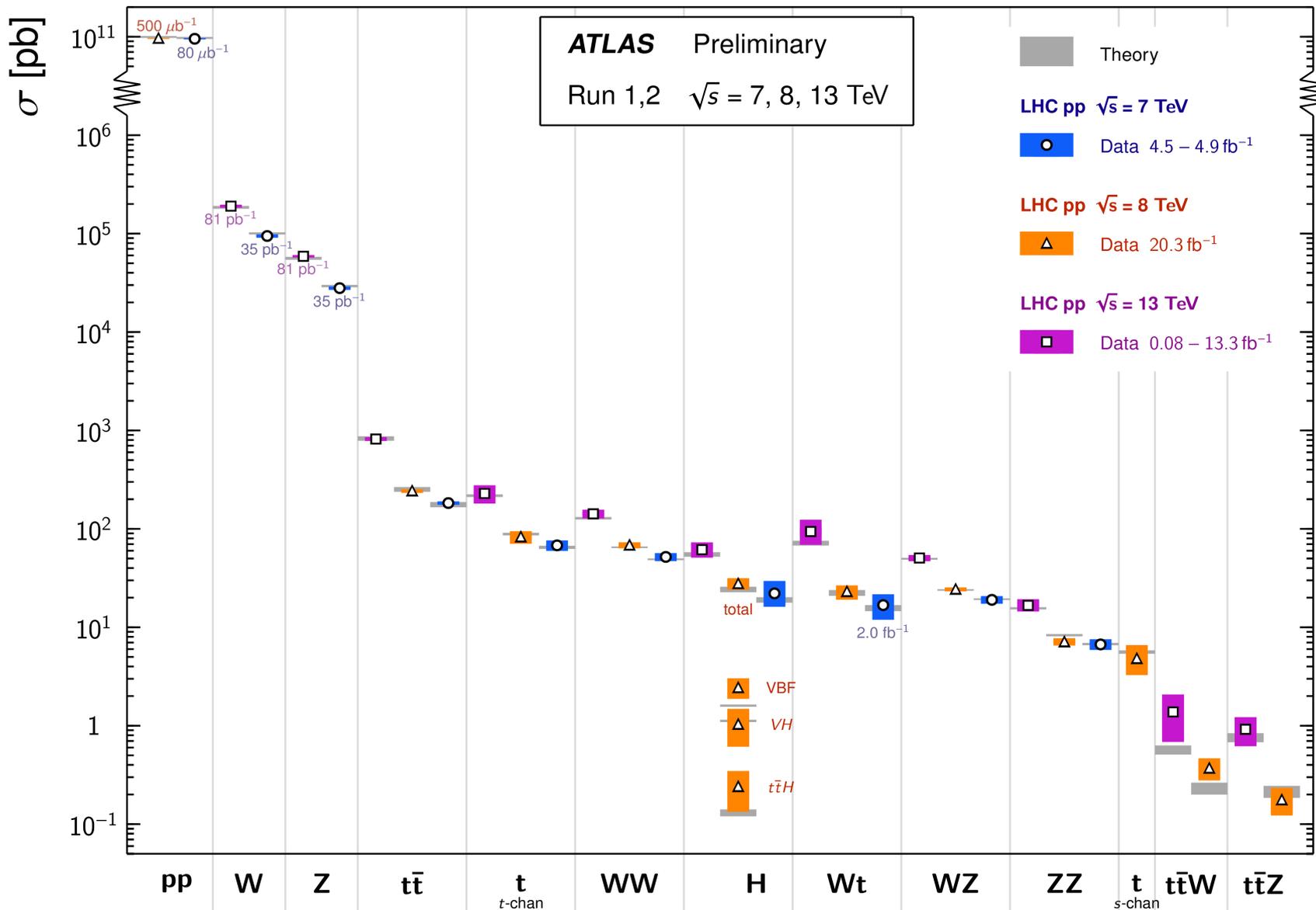
....keep increasing the energy....

2011 -> 2012 -> 2015+

7 TeV -> 8TeV -> **13TeV**

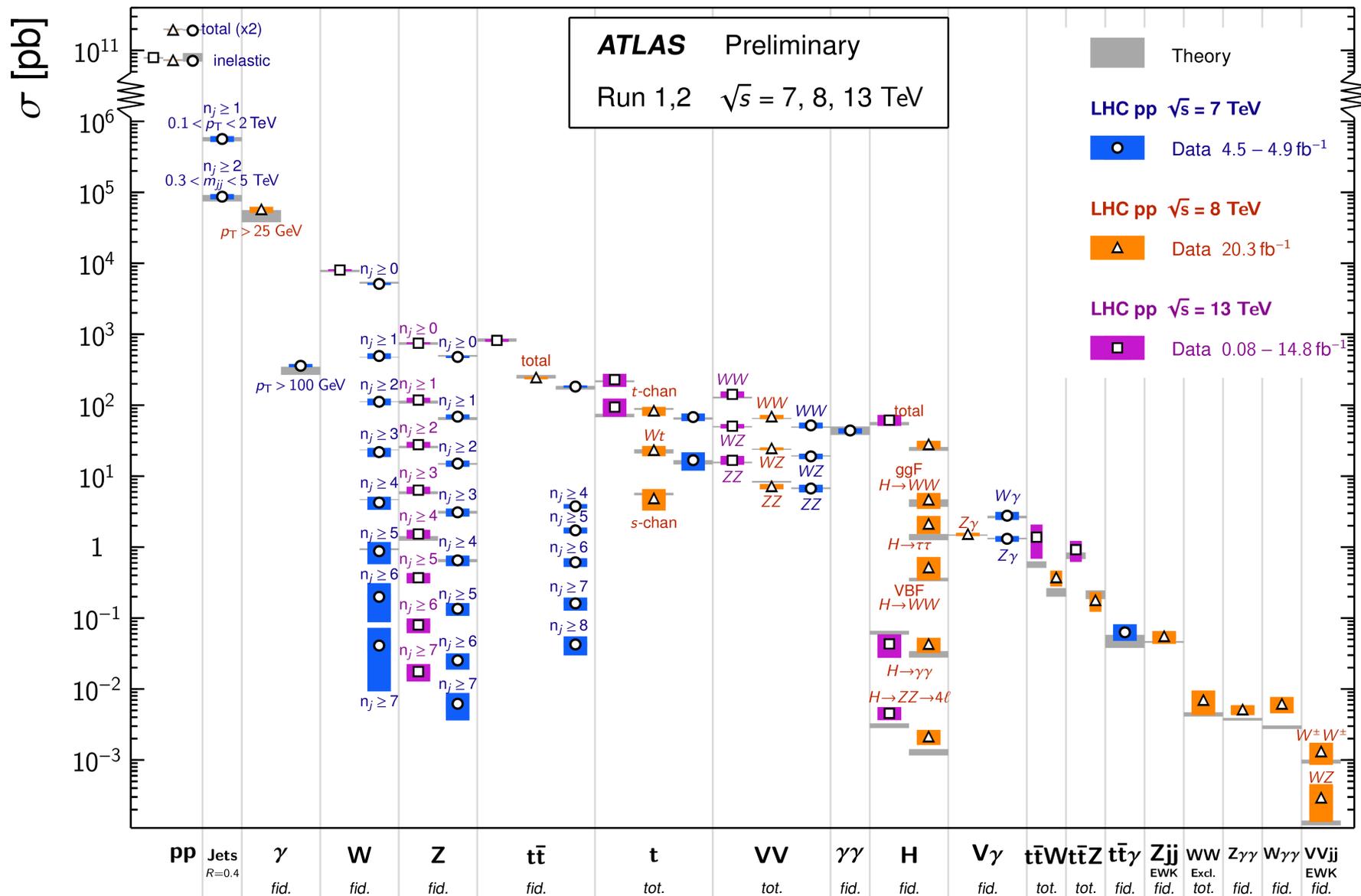
Standard Model Total Production Cross Section Measurements

Status: August 2016



Standard Model Production Cross Section Measurements

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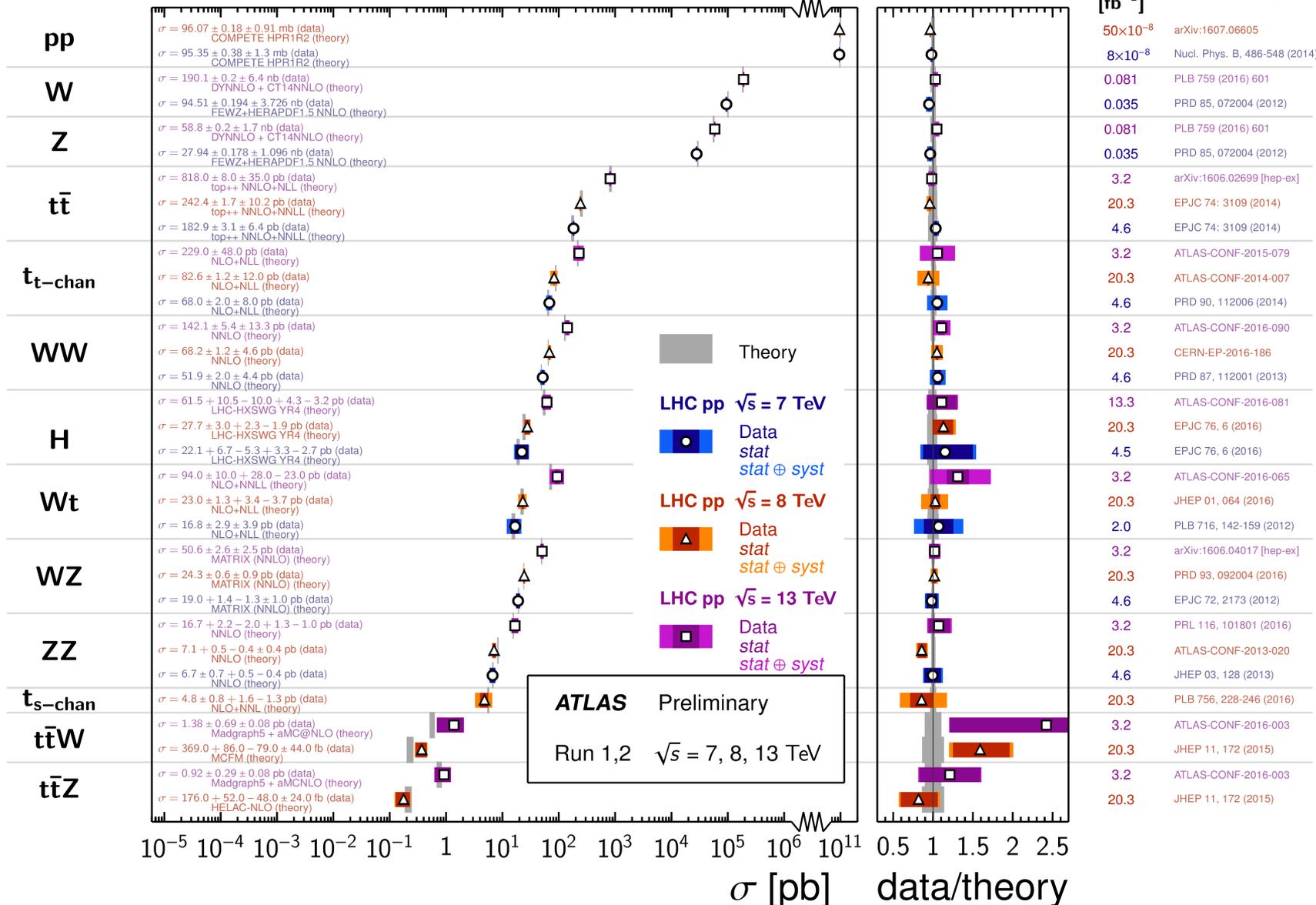


Standard Model Total Production Cross Section Measurements

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$\int \mathcal{L} dt$
[fb⁻¹]

Reference



ATLAS Preliminary
Run 1,2 $\sqrt{s} = 7, 8, 13$ TeV

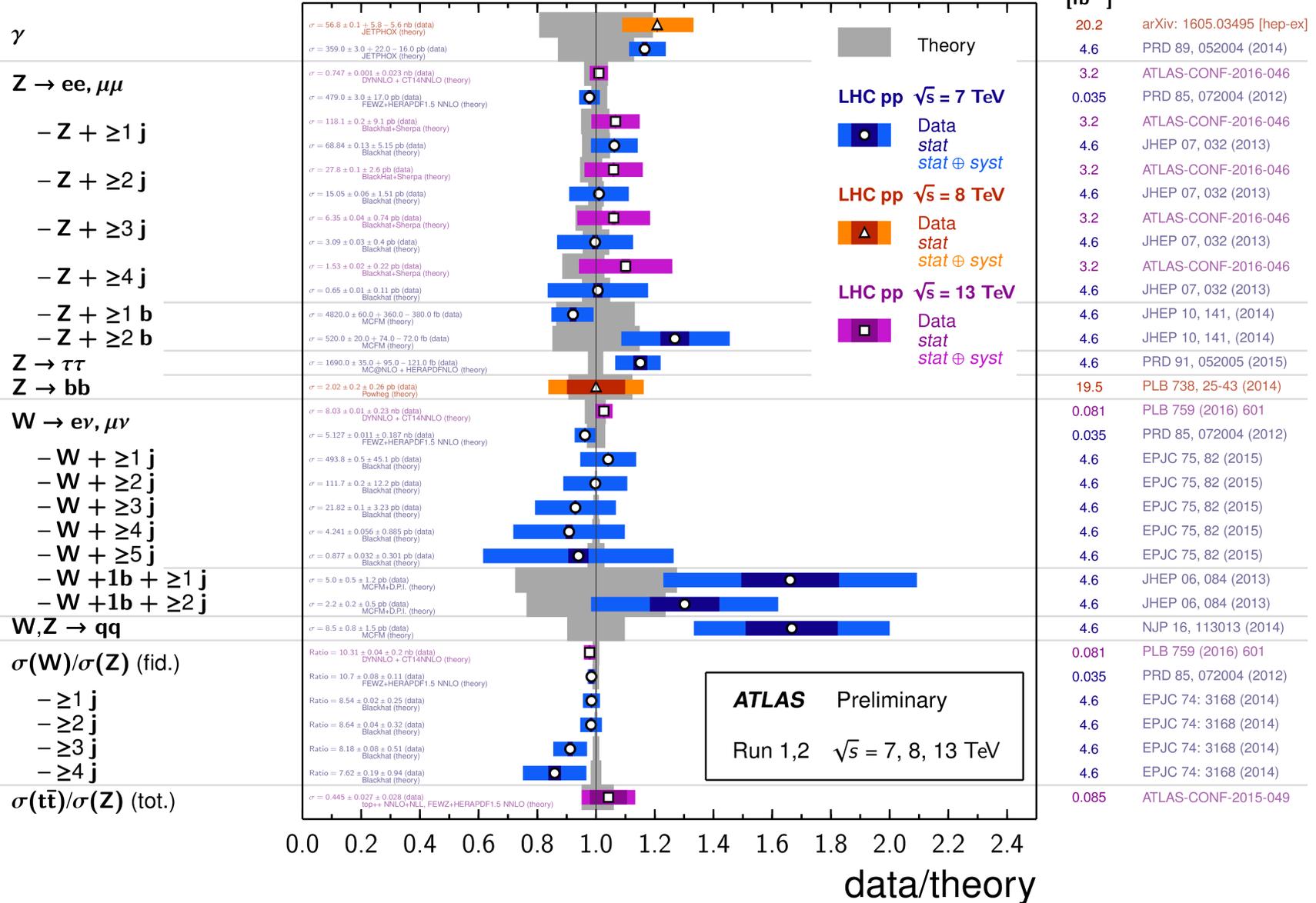
Understanding the Standard Model Backgrounds

Vector Boson + X fid. Cross Section Measurements

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[fb⁻¹]

Reference



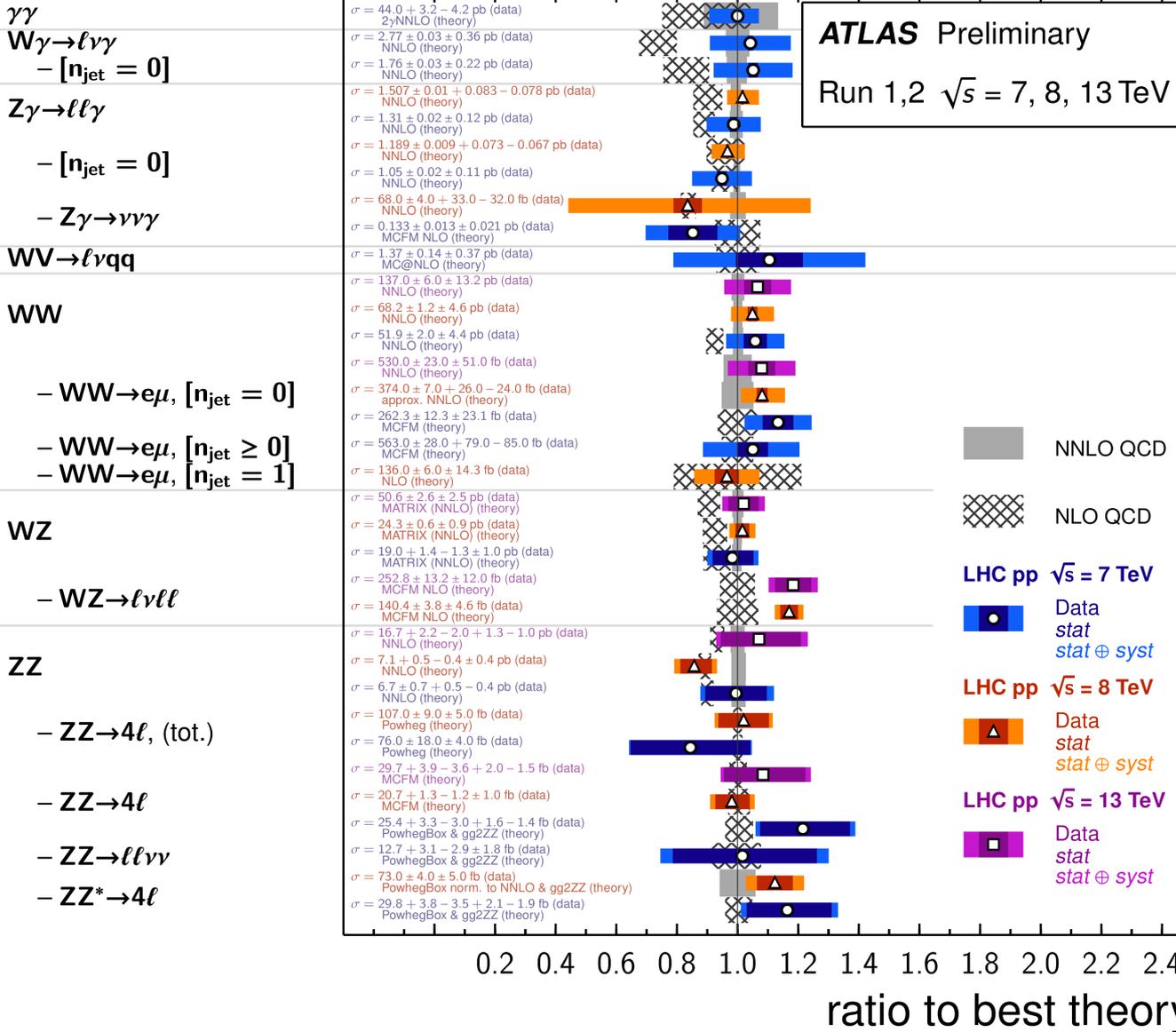
Understanding the Standard Model Backgrounds

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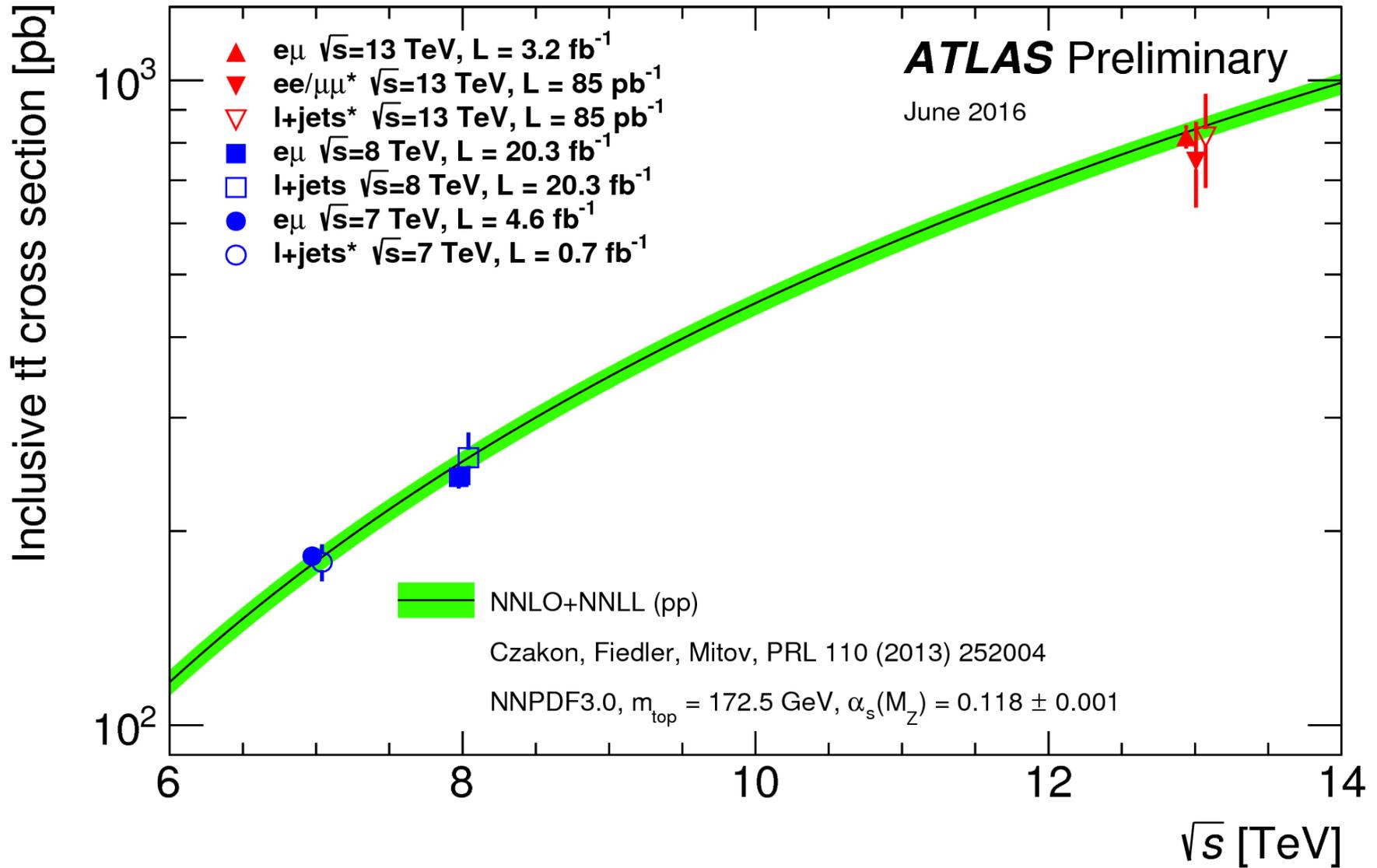
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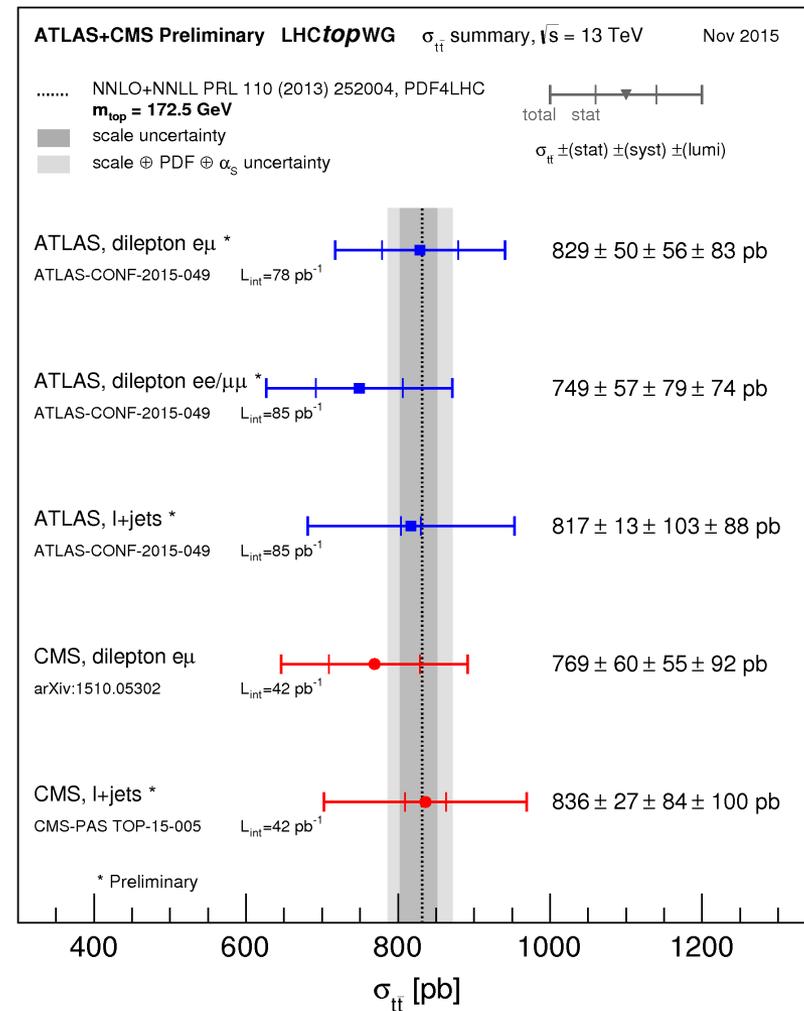
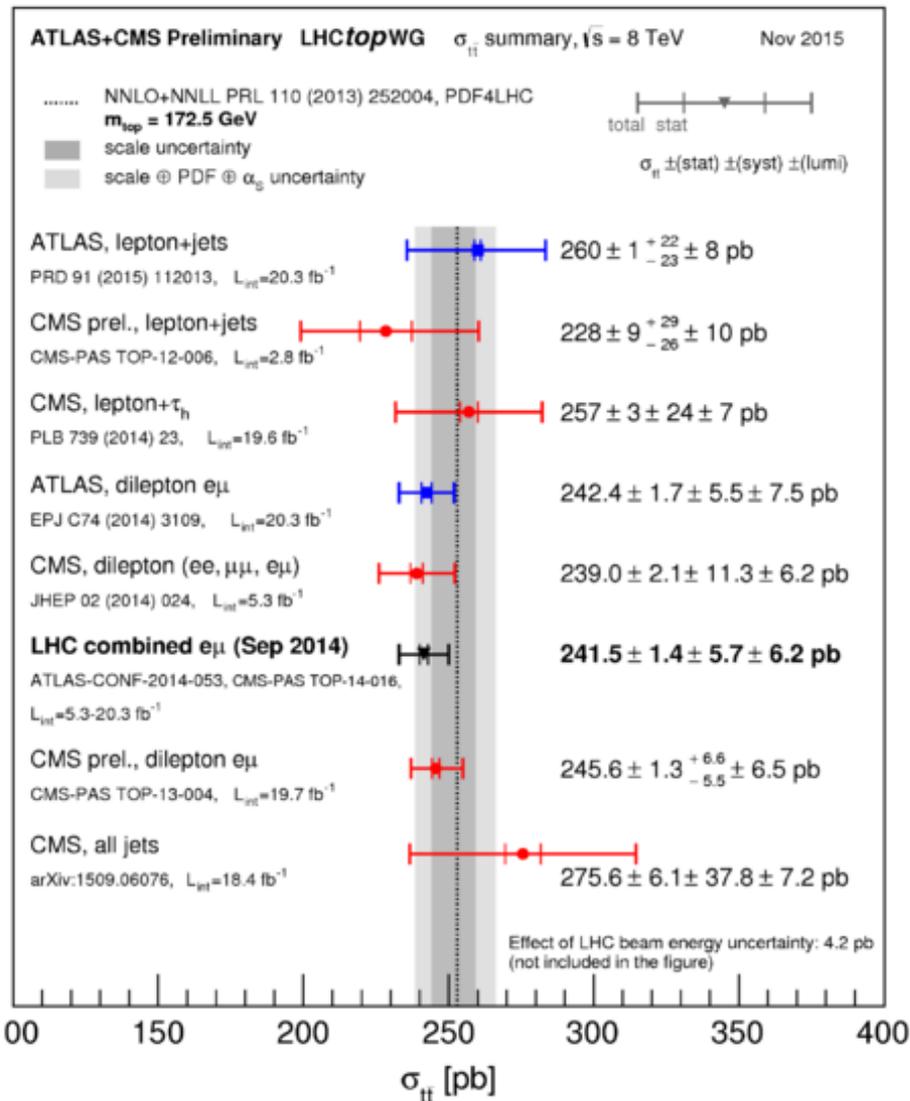
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[fb⁻¹]

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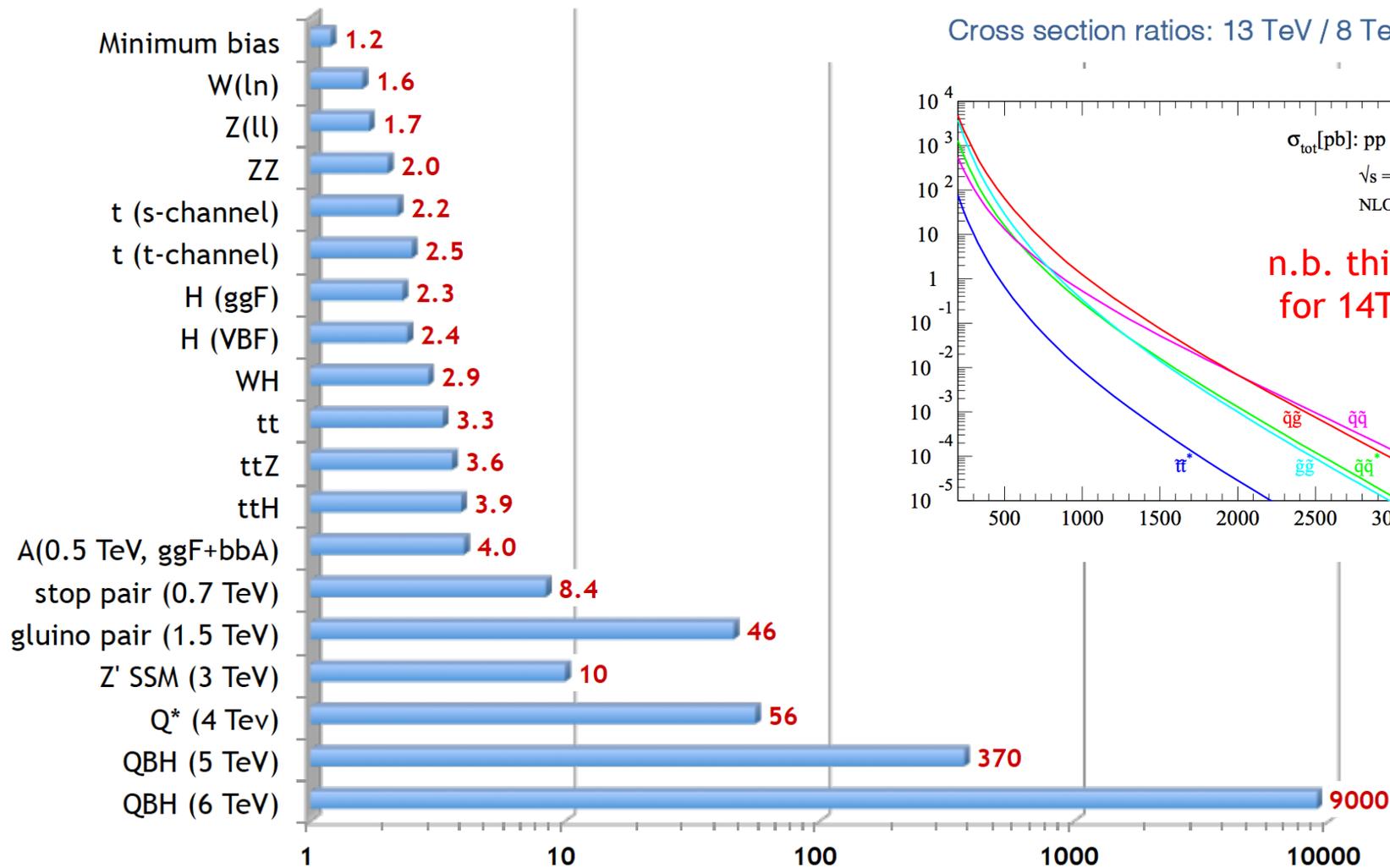
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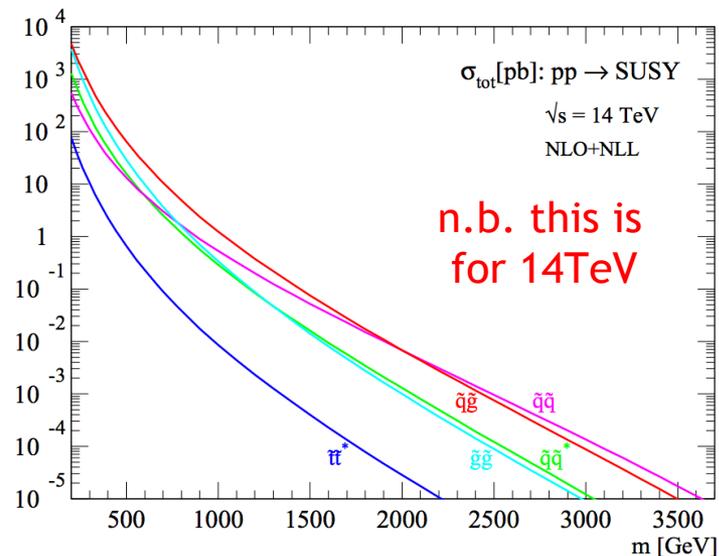


Hugely increased potential for discovery of heavy particles at 13 TeV

But life may also become harder for states lighter than tt

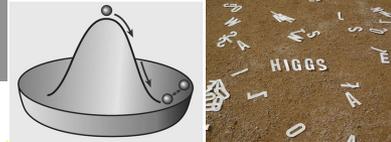


Cross section ratios: 13 TeV / 8 TeV



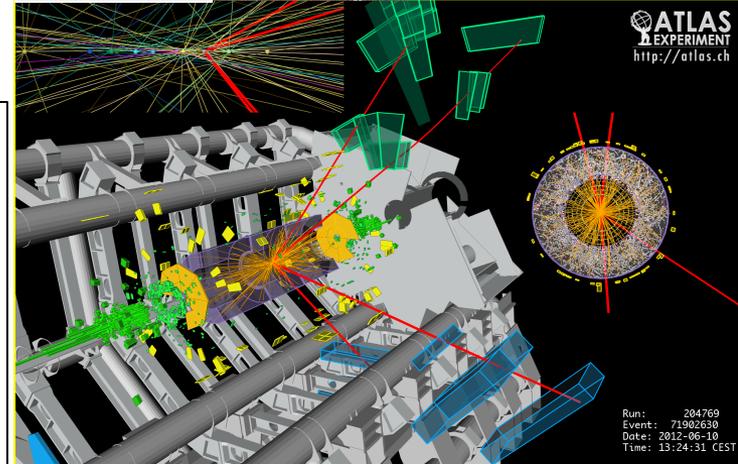
HIGGS Physics and Searches

- We've discovered the Higgs - can't search for it anymore
- If you're working on Higgs physics you are either:
 - a) Making as precise a measurement as possible of the Standard Model (both **production**: $t\bar{t}H$, VH and **decay**: $H \rightarrow WW$, $H \rightarrow \tau\tau$, $H \rightarrow \mu\mu$, $H \rightarrow Z\gamma$ etc)
 - b) Searching for BSM Higgs
 - $H^\pm \rightarrow \tau^\pm \nu$ or $H^\pm \rightarrow tb$ (charged Higgs)
 - $H \rightarrow \tau e$ or $\tau\mu$ (Lepton Flavour Violation)
 - $H/h/A \rightarrow f \bar{f}$ (where f is 'fermion')
 - $H/h/A \rightarrow B \bar{B}$ (where B is 'boson')
- For the most part there's overlap with the exotics program here



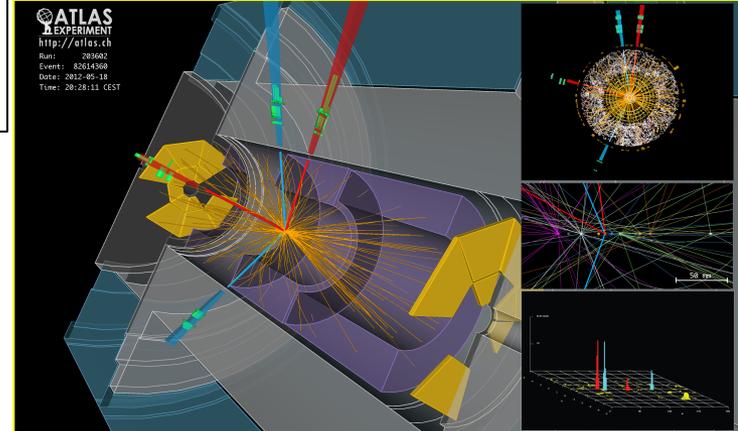
Run 1 highlights!!

Higgs Boson discovered!

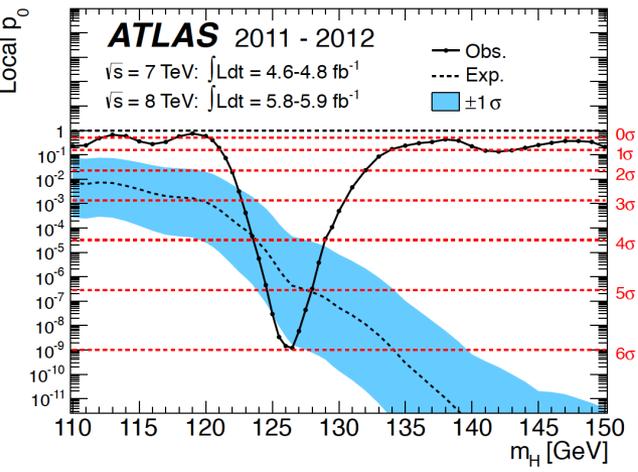
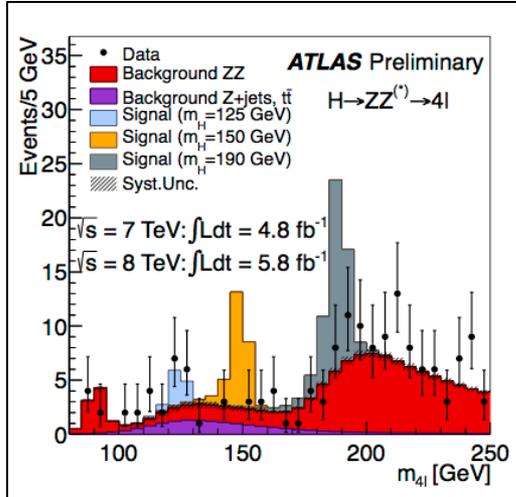
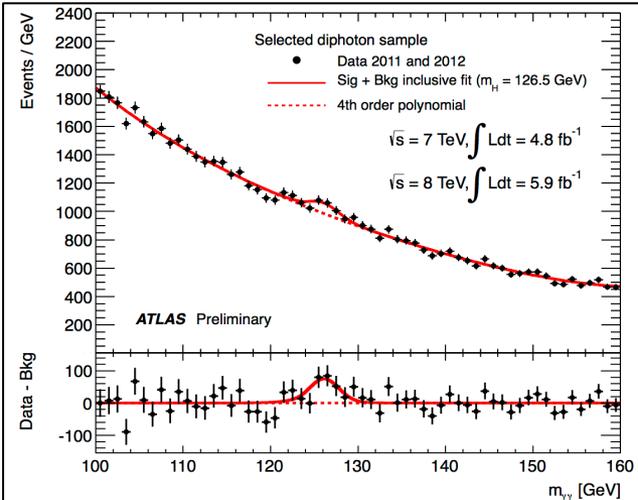


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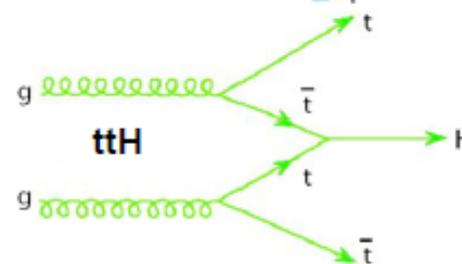
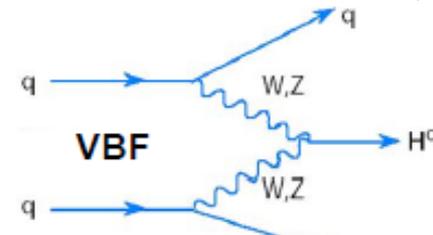
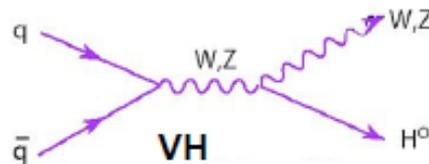
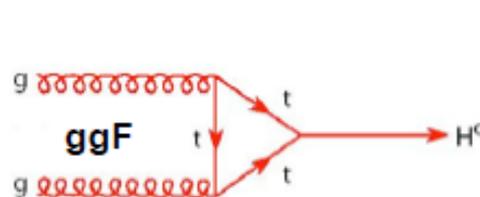
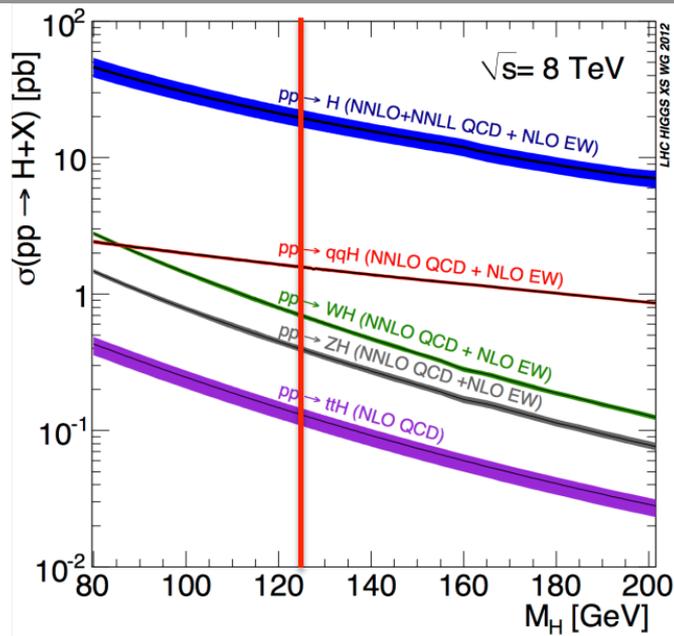
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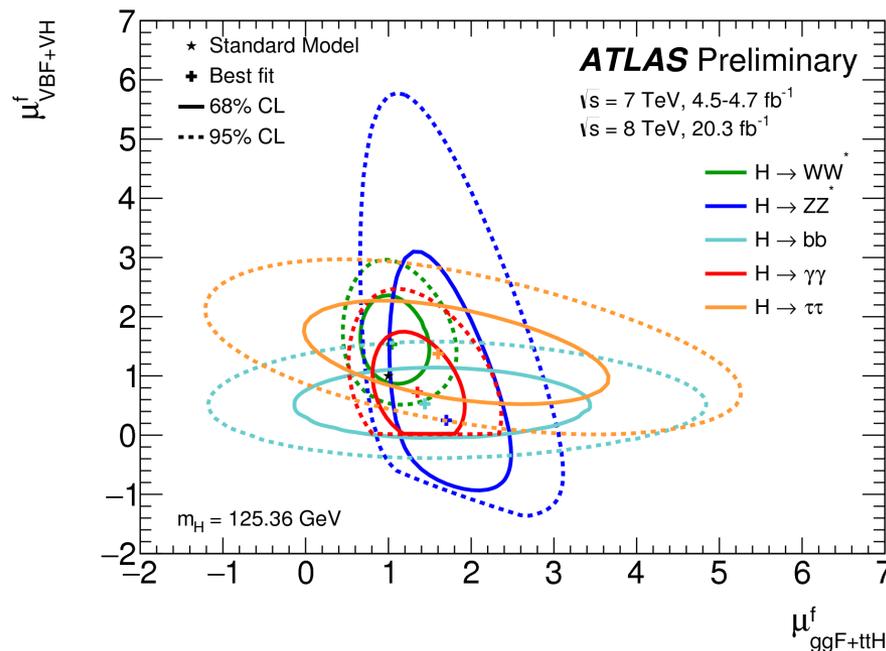
Francois Englert and Peter Higgs shared the 2013 Nobel Prize for the discovery

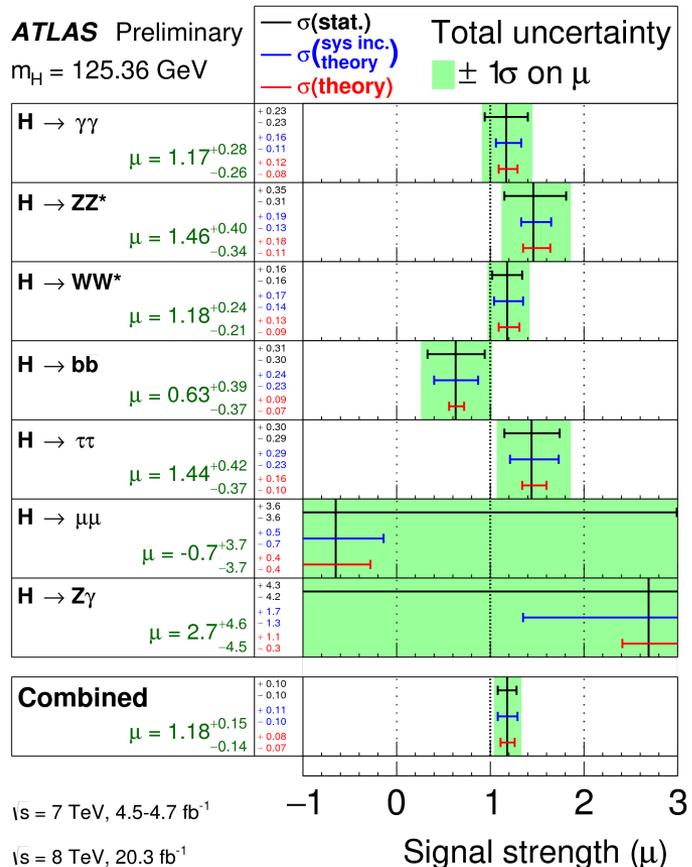


The Higgs Boson - Production modes



- gluon-gluon fusion (ggF) dominant
- Several measurements of vector-boson fusion (VBF)
- Data not yet very sensitive to VH and ttH
- Combine VBF and VH (both scale with V-H coupling)
- Combine ggF and ttH (both scale with t-H coupling)





Analysis	Signal		$\int \mathcal{L} dt$ (fb ⁻¹)		
	Categorisation or final states	Strength	Significance [σ]	7 TeV	8 TeV
$H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ [12]		1.17 ± 0.27	5.2 (4.6)	4.5	20.3
$t\bar{t}H$: leptonic, hadronic			✓	✓	✓
VH : one-lepton, dilepton, E_T^{miss} , hadronic			✓	✓	✓
VBF: tight, loose			✓	✓	✓
ggF: 4 p_{T_i} categories			✓	✓	✓
$H \rightarrow ZZ^* \rightarrow 4\ell$ [13]		$1.44^{+0.40}_{-0.33}$	8.1 (6.2)	4.5	20.3
VBF			✓	✓	✓
VH : hadronic, leptonic			✓	✓	✓
ggF			✓	✓	✓
$H \rightarrow WW^*$ [14, 15]		$1.16^{+0.24}_{-0.21}$	6.5 (5.9)	4.5	20.3
ggF: (0-jet, 1-jet) \otimes ($ee + \mu\mu, e\mu$)			✓	✓	✓
ggF: ≥ 2 -jet and $e\mu$			✓	✓	✓
VBF: ≥ 2 -jet \otimes ($ee + \mu\mu, e\mu$)			✓	✓	✓
VH : opposite-charge dilepton, three-lepton, four-lepton			✓	✓	✓
VH : same-charge dilepton			✓	✓	✓
$H \rightarrow \tau\tau$ [17]		$1.43^{+0.43}_{-0.37}$	4.5 (3.4)	4.5	20.3
Boosted: $\tau_{\text{lep}}\tau_{\text{lep}}, \tau_{\text{lep}}\tau_{\text{had}}, \tau_{\text{had}}\tau_{\text{had}}$			✓	✓	✓
VBF: $\tau_{\text{lep}}\tau_{\text{lep}}, \tau_{\text{lep}}\tau_{\text{had}}, \tau_{\text{had}}\tau_{\text{had}}$			✓	✓	✓
$VH \rightarrow Vb\bar{b}$ [18]		0.52 ± 0.40	1.4 (2.6)	4.7	20.3
0ℓ ($ZH \rightarrow \nu\nu b\bar{b}$): $N_{\text{jet}} = 2, 3, N_{\text{btag}} = 1, 2, p_T^V > \text{and} < 120$ GeV			✓	✓	✓
1ℓ ($WH \rightarrow \ell\nu b\bar{b}$): $N_{\text{jet}} = 2, 3, N_{\text{btag}} = 1, 2, p_T^V > \text{and} < 120$ GeV			✓	✓	✓
2ℓ ($ZH \rightarrow \ell\ell b\bar{b}$): $N_{\text{jet}} = 2, 3, N_{\text{btag}} = 1, 2, p_T^V > \text{and} < 120$ GeV			✓	✓	✓

The Higgs Boson is no longer a discovery - it is a precision measurement!

The Higgs Boson – ATLAS + CMS combined



Combined Measurement of the Higgs Boson Mass in pp Collisions at $\sqrt{s} = 7$ and 8 TeV with the ATLAS and CMS Experiments

G. Aad *et al.**

(ATLAS Collaboration)[†]

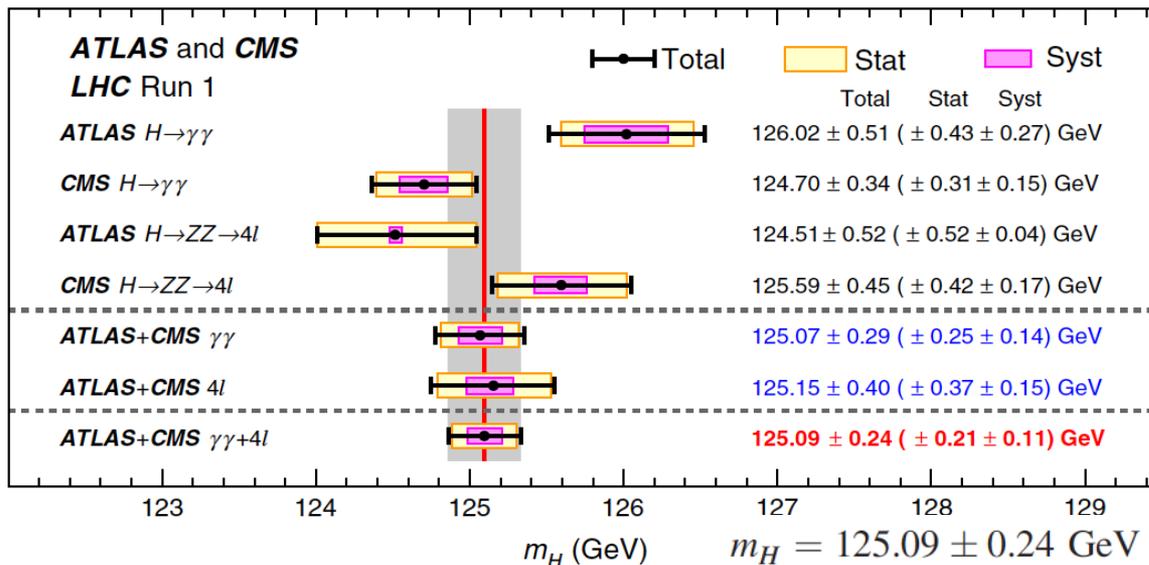
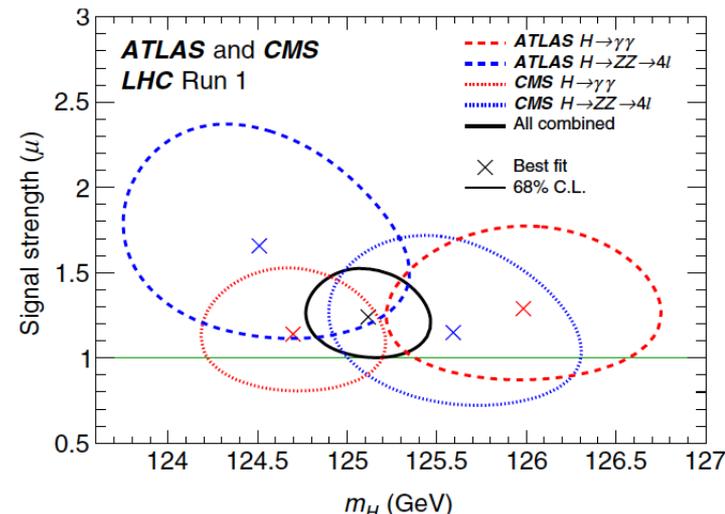
(CMS Collaboration)[‡]

(Received 25 March 2015; published 14 May 2015)

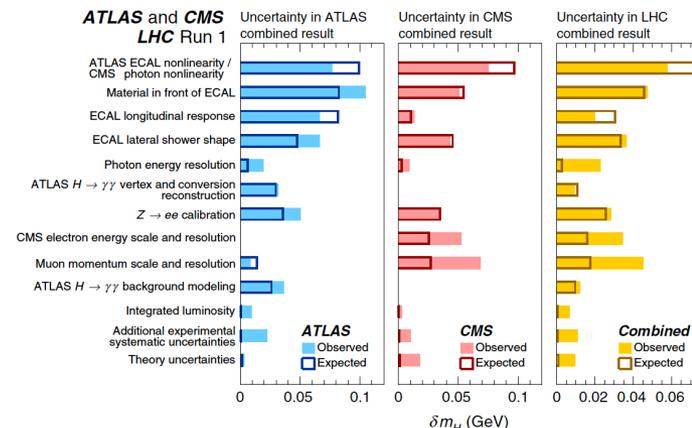
A measurement of the Higgs boson mass is presented based on the combined data samples of the ATLAS and CMS experiments at the CERN LHC in the $H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ and $H \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow 4\ell$ decay channels. The results are obtained from a simultaneous fit to the reconstructed invariant mass peaks in the two channels and for the two experiments. The measured masses from the individual channels and the two experiments are found to be consistent among themselves. The combined measured mass of the Higgs boson is $m_H = 125.09 \pm 0.21$ (stat) ± 0.11 (syst) GeV.

...only 5,154 authors!

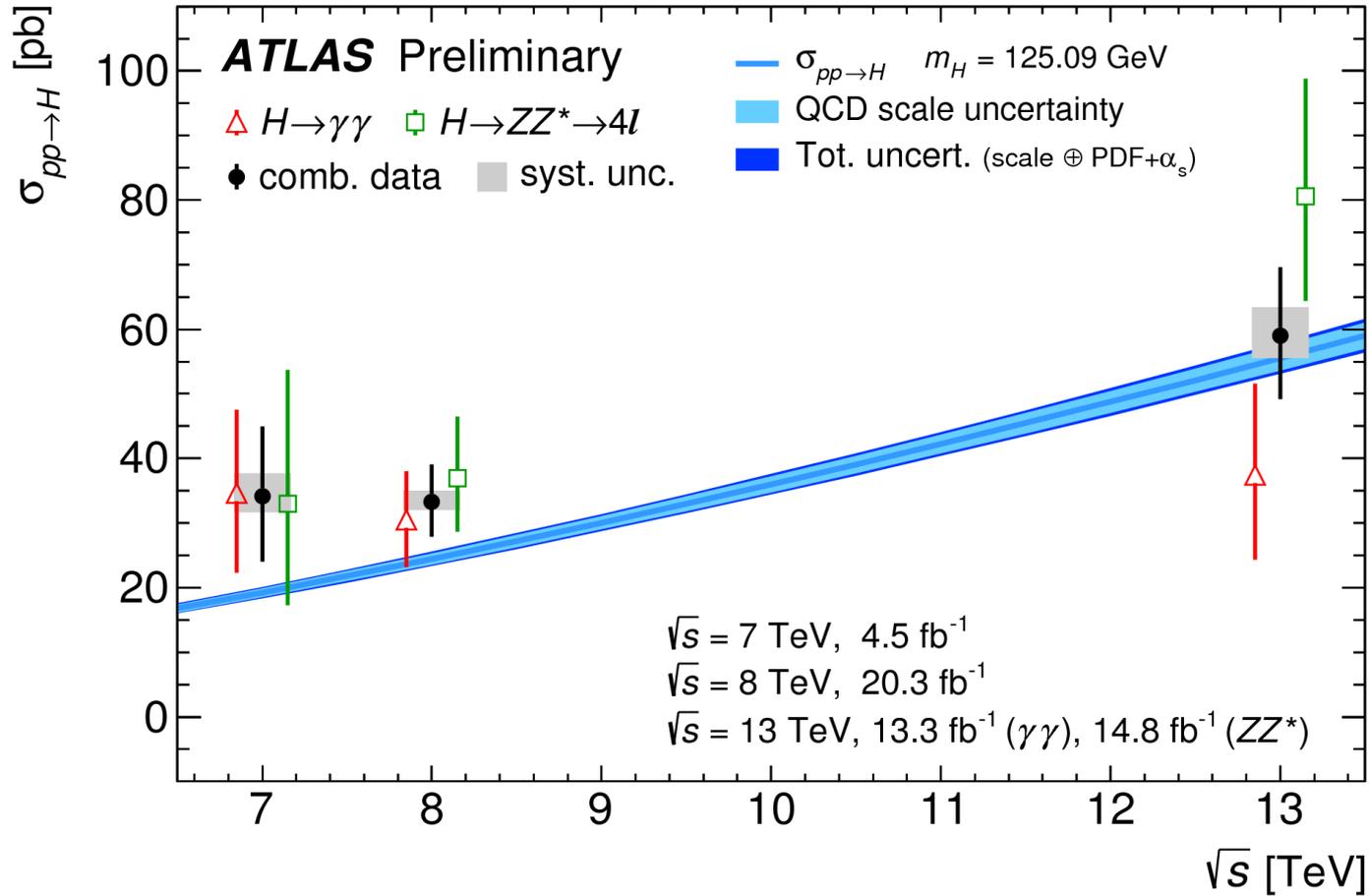
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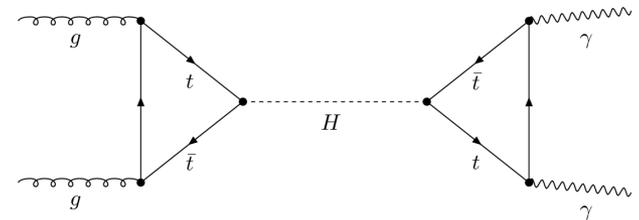
$$= 125.09 \pm 0.21 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.11 \text{ (syst) GeV}$$



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Higgs combination looks in good agreement with expectation at 13 TeV.....bad news if you wanted to see effects of something showing up in loops

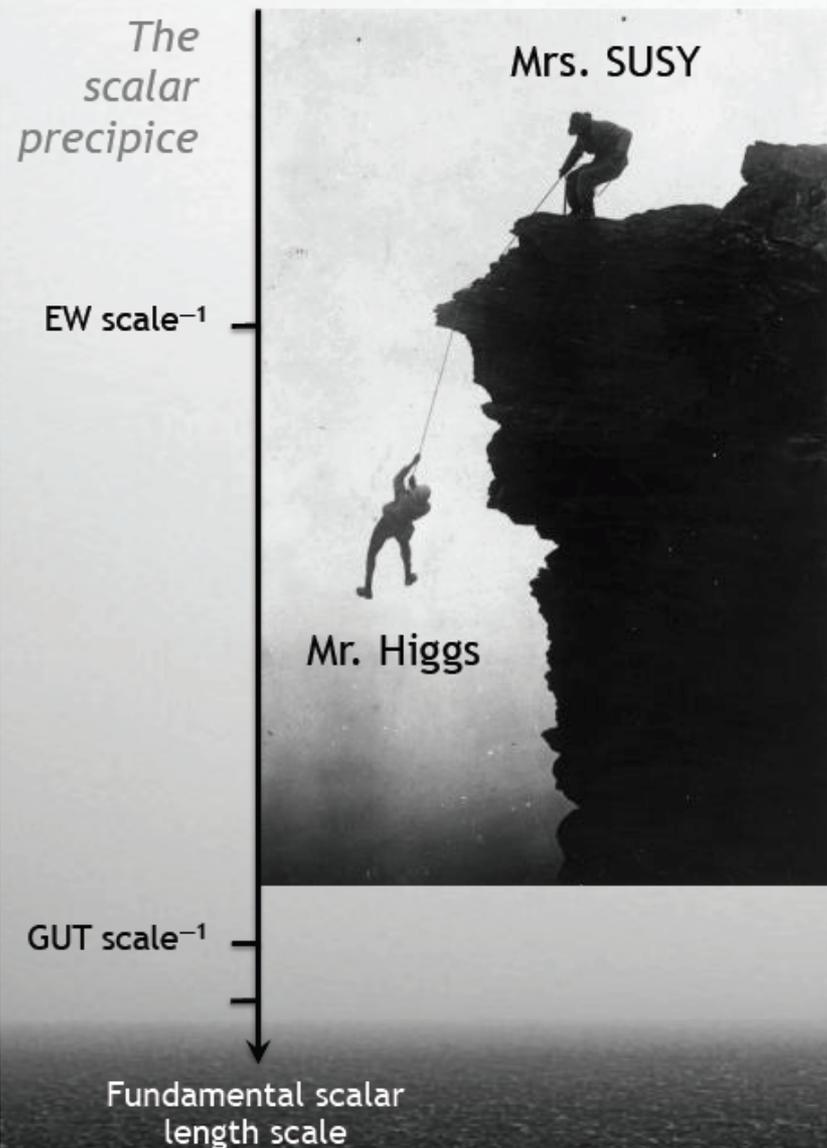


SUPERSYMMETRY

MAKE SUSY

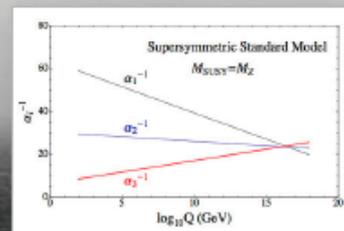


GREAT AGAIN



If weak-scale SUSY existed, it could ...

- Moderate the hierarchy problem by cancelling quadratic divergence of SM scalar
- Equalise the number of fermionic and bosonic degrees of freedom, render existence of scalar particles natural
- Realise grand unification of the gauge couplings
- Provide a suitable dark matter candidate



slide by Andreas Hoecker

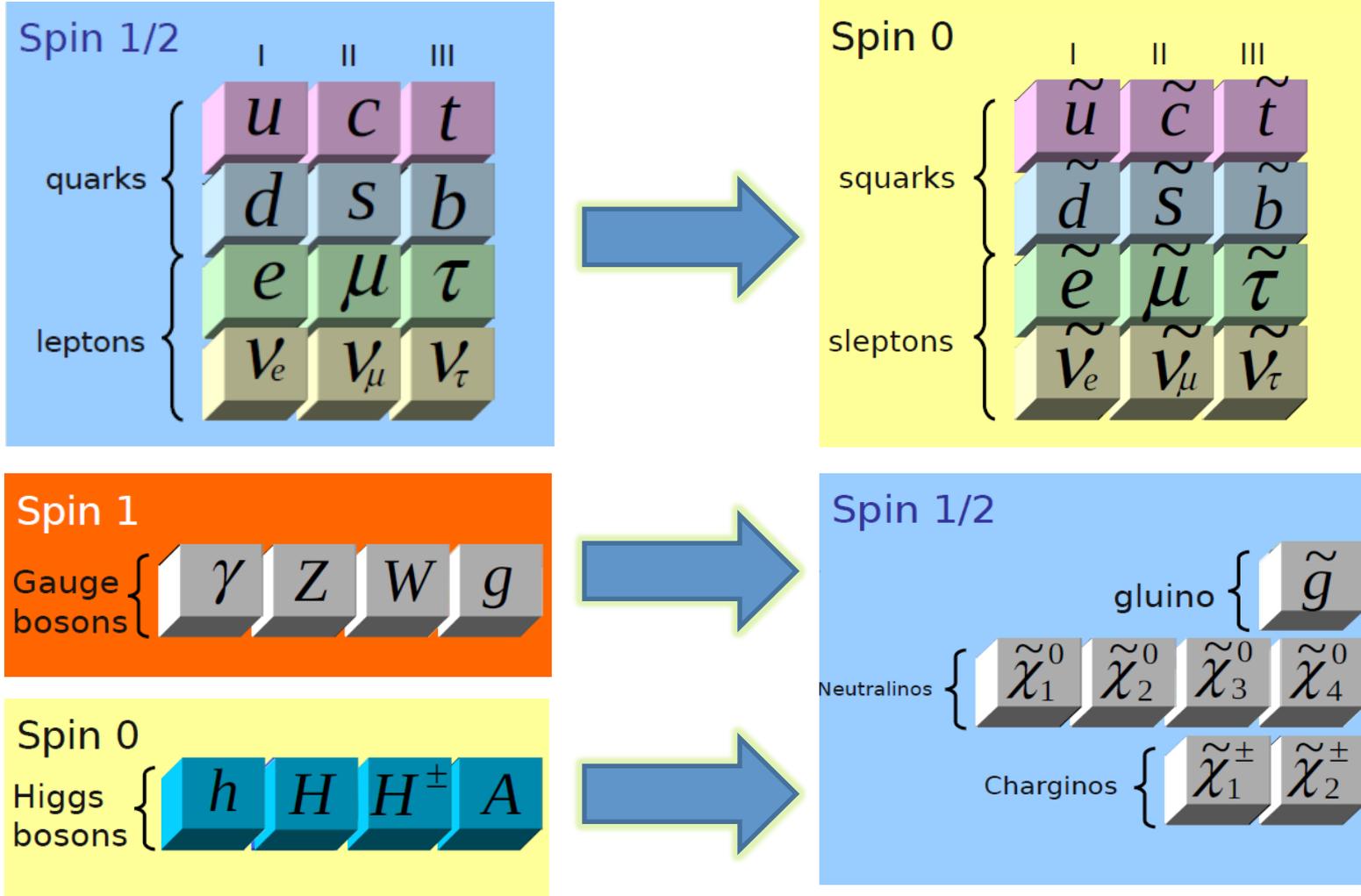


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Standard Model



SUSY



Laughter



Slaughter



Franz Anthony Winner of 'Collision 2015'

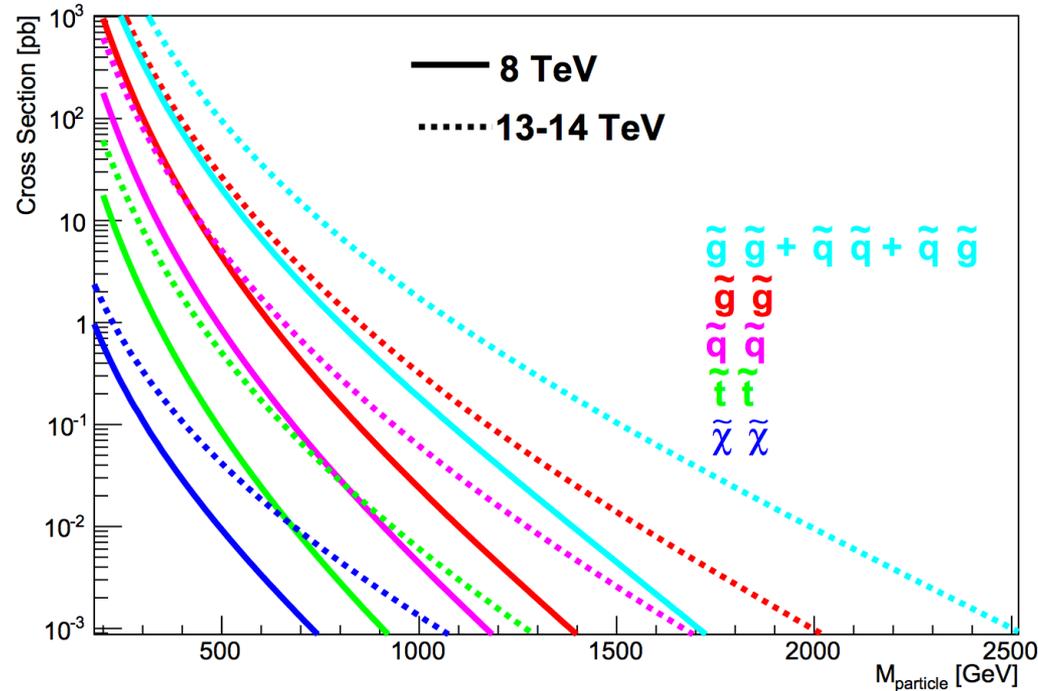
SUSY ~duplicates spectrum of particle states wrt. Standard Model

Sparticle decays produce SM objects:
(b/c-)jets, leptons, τ , γ , invisible
(MET), ...

Cancellation of the top loop
correction to the Higgs mass
requires (relatively) light susy...
perhaps particularly third
generation squarks

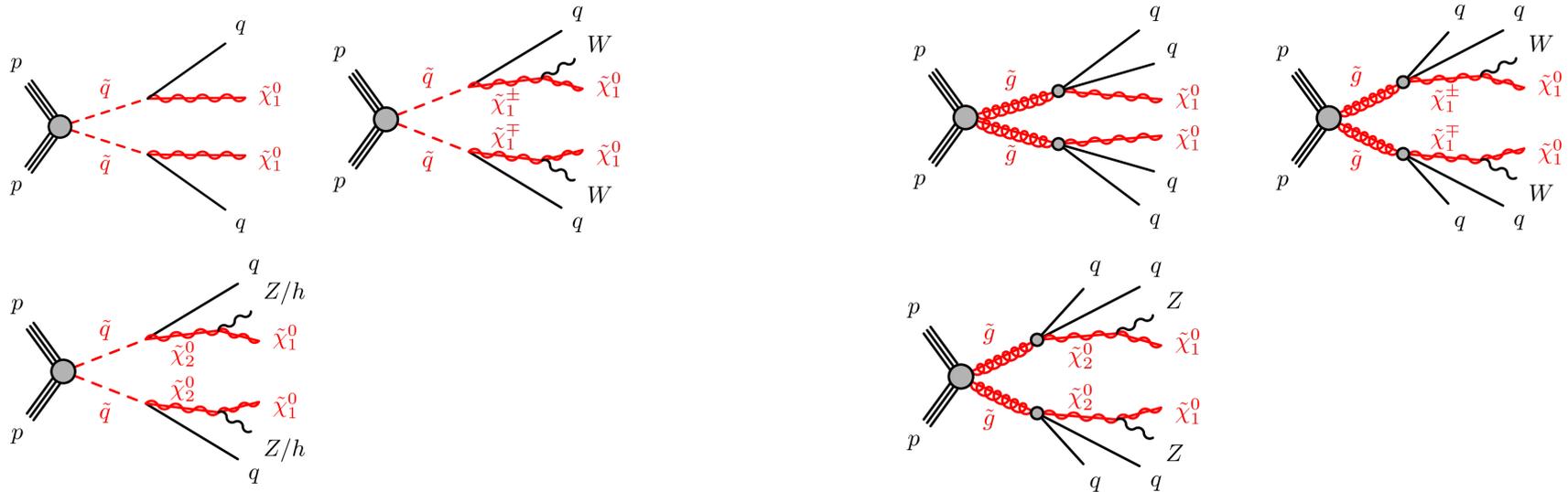
But, direct production cross
section is relatively small compared
to light squark and gluino

Dedicated searches required

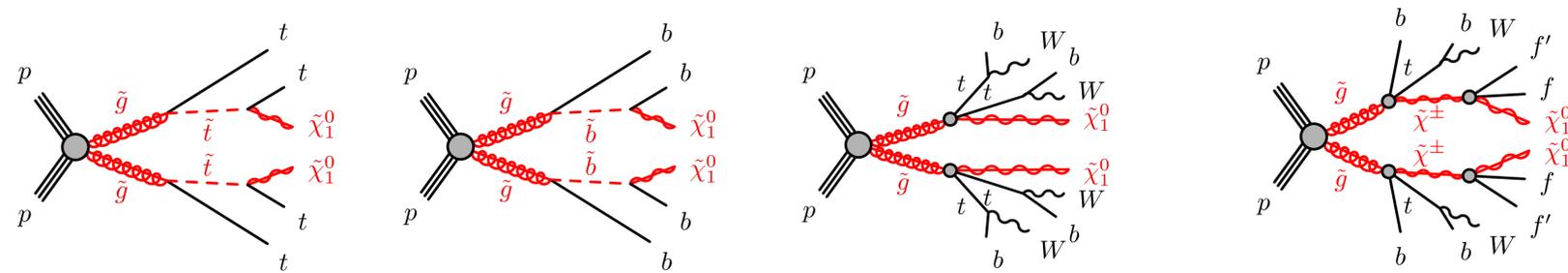


The early focus of Run2 is on strong production with squarks/ gluinos

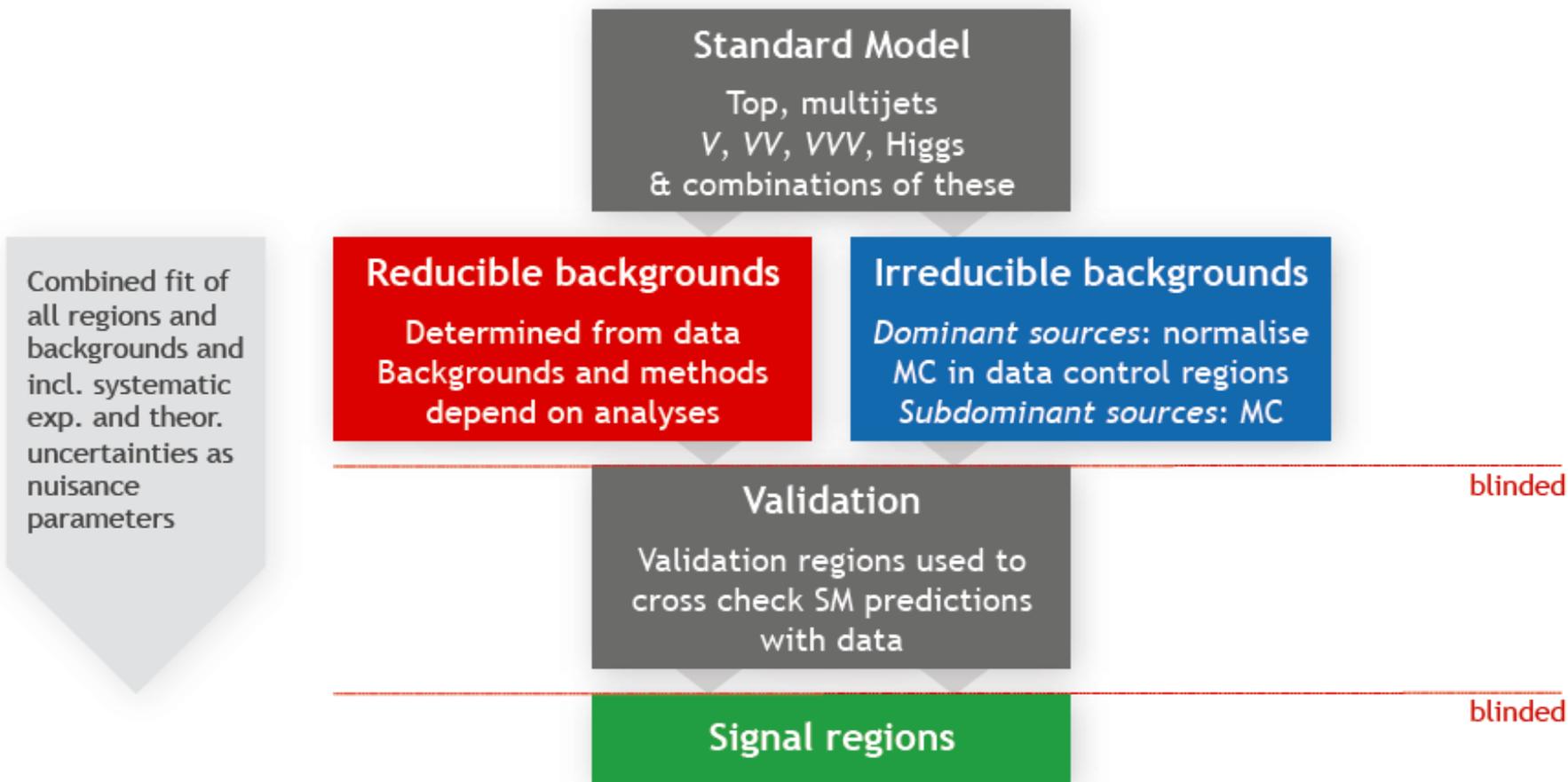
Squark and Gluino mediated light jets



Glauino mediated third generation

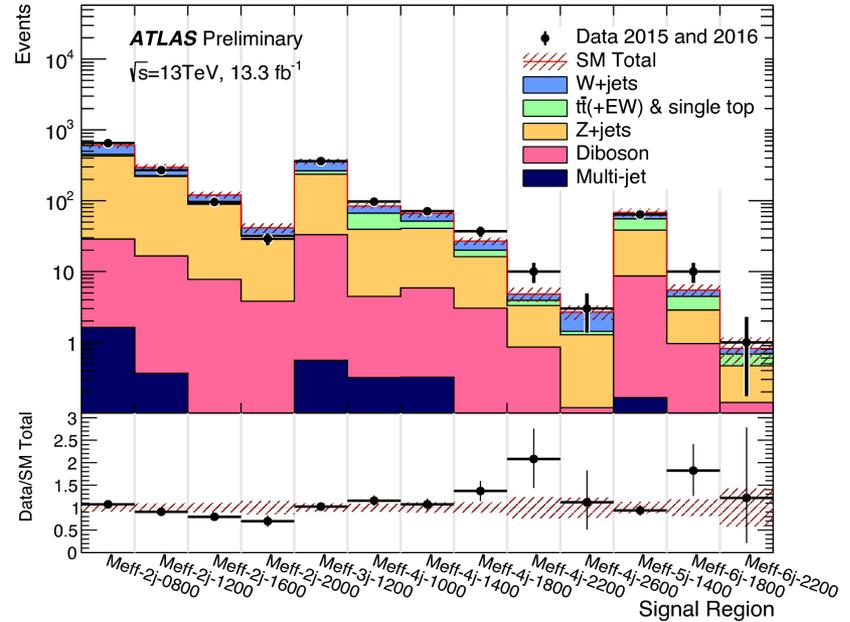
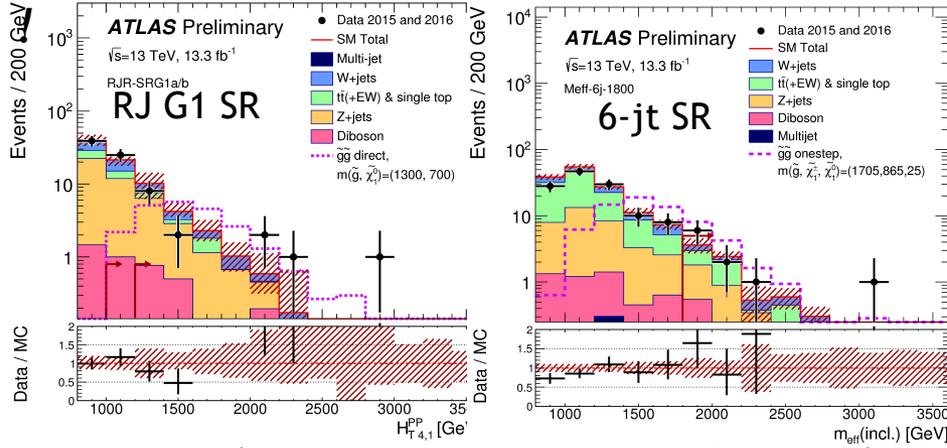


SUSY searches rely primarily on the understanding of the SM backgrounds

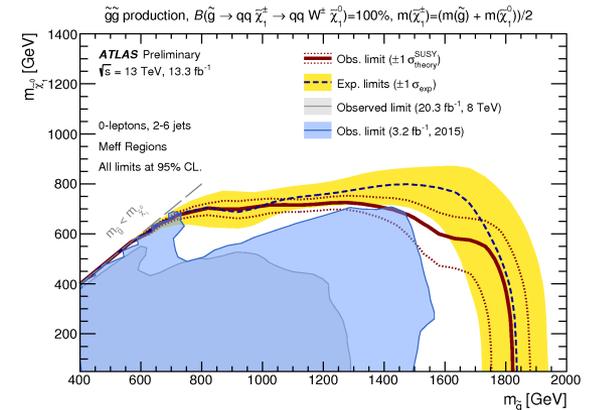
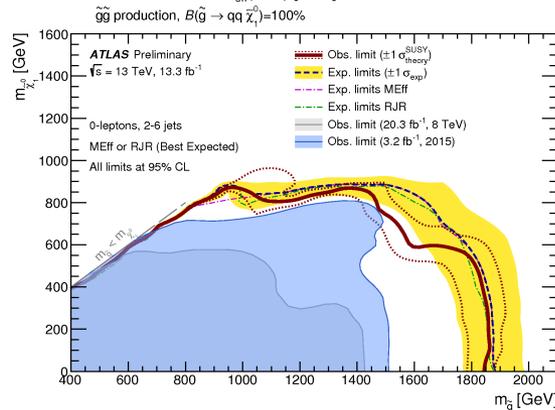
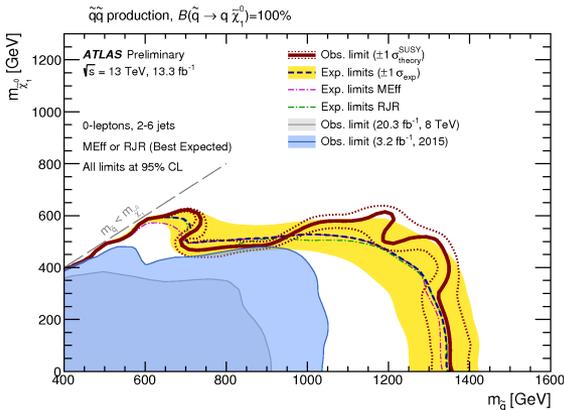


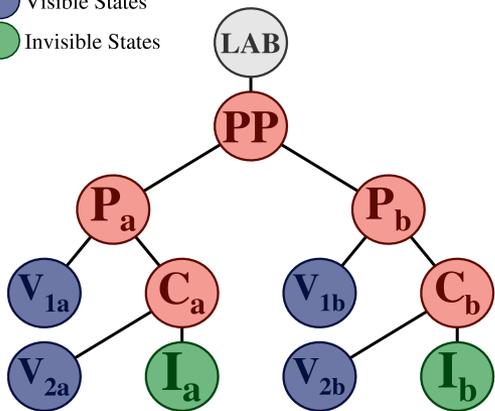
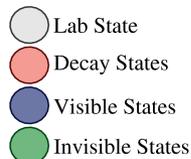
Squark and Gluino mediated light jets.
The workhorse of the SUSY group - if you predict an excess in many/most channels you often have to reconcile it with the results here.

No excess observed so far in 2015/2016



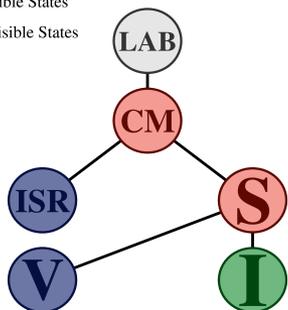
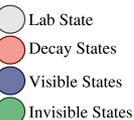
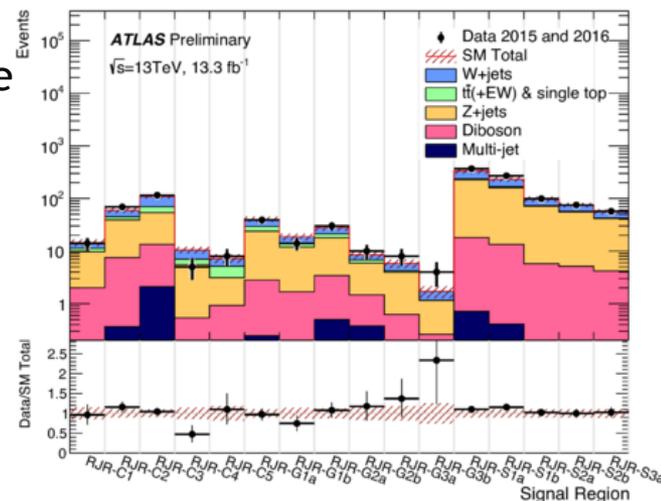
Always caveats! Be careful making blanket interpretations of any SUSY search





Application to open final states

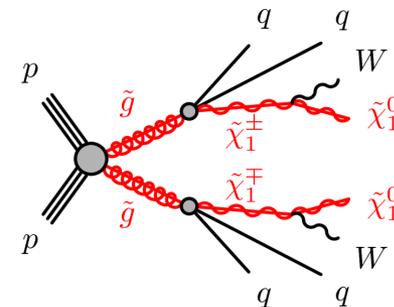
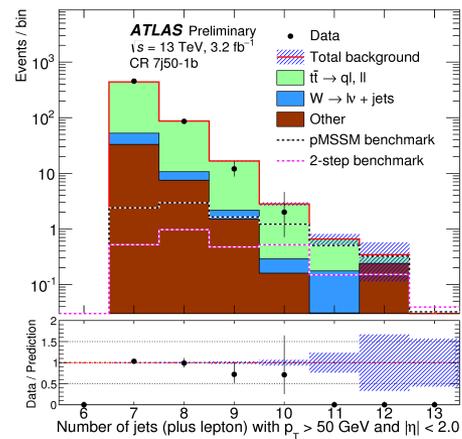
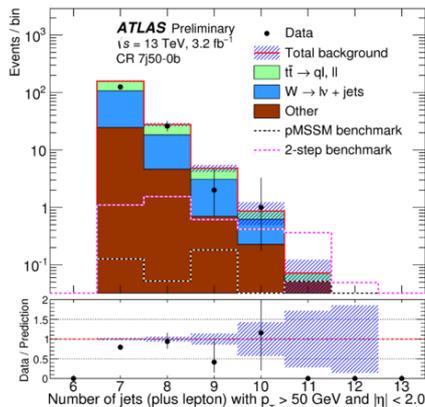
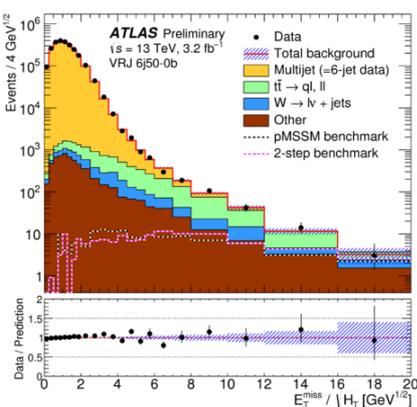
- Apply a *decay tree* to decompose information event-by-event
- Partition the MET using a series of *jigsaw rules*
- Extract a basis of variables sensitive to mass scales, but also properties of particles (decay angles, ratios of scales etc)
- Construct signal regions sensitive



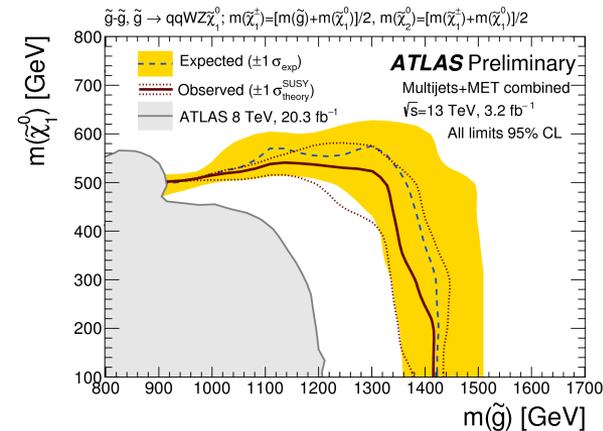
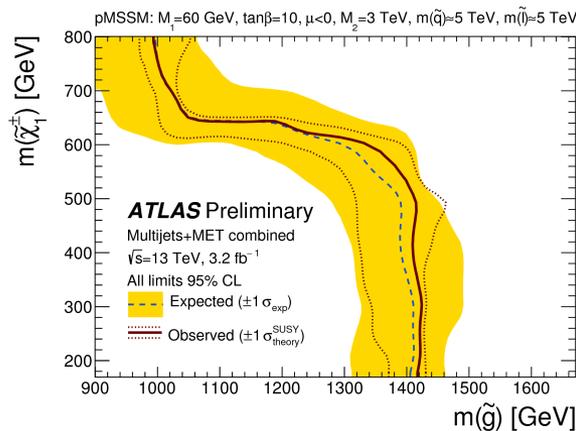
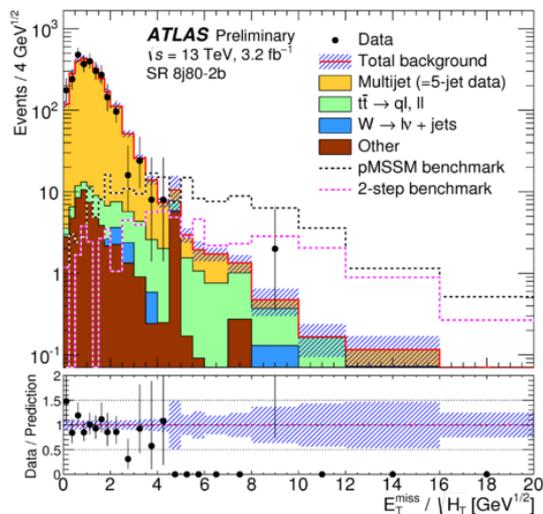
Application to compressed scenarios (25 GeV < Δm < 200 GeV)

- Leverage large pT ISR system, simple additional complementary variables
- Apply a dedicated decay tree to categorize jets as ISR-like or not
- Improved sensitivity for light squark, stop and gluino pair-production

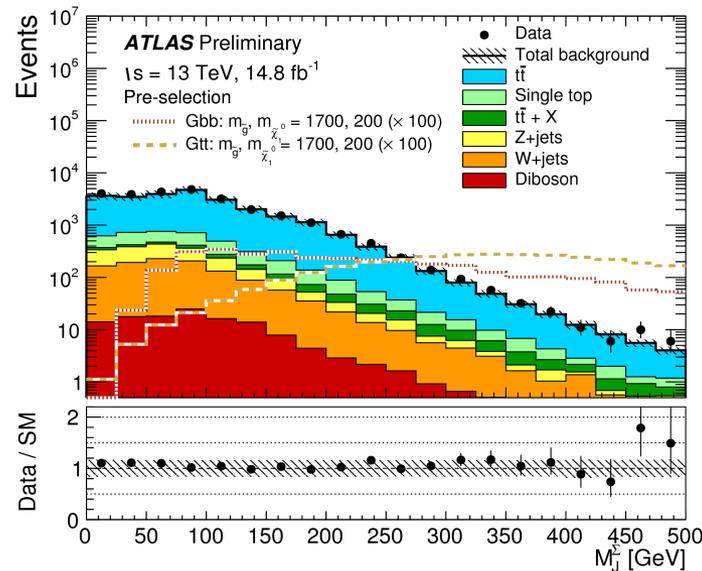
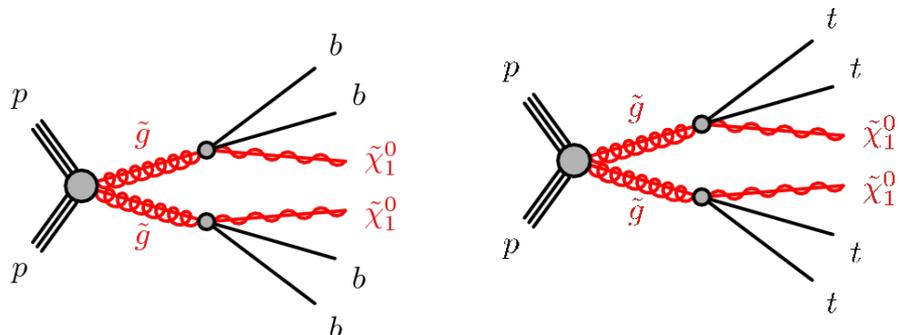
Squark and Gluino mediated light jets: 7-10 jets and 0 leptons



As we increase the number of steps in the decay chain we increase the number of objects



Search for gluino production in 8 signal regions with multiple b-jets aiming at decays with b and top quarks



Signal categories

- 0L and 1L (specific for multi-top signals)
- Number of jets, b-jets and MET

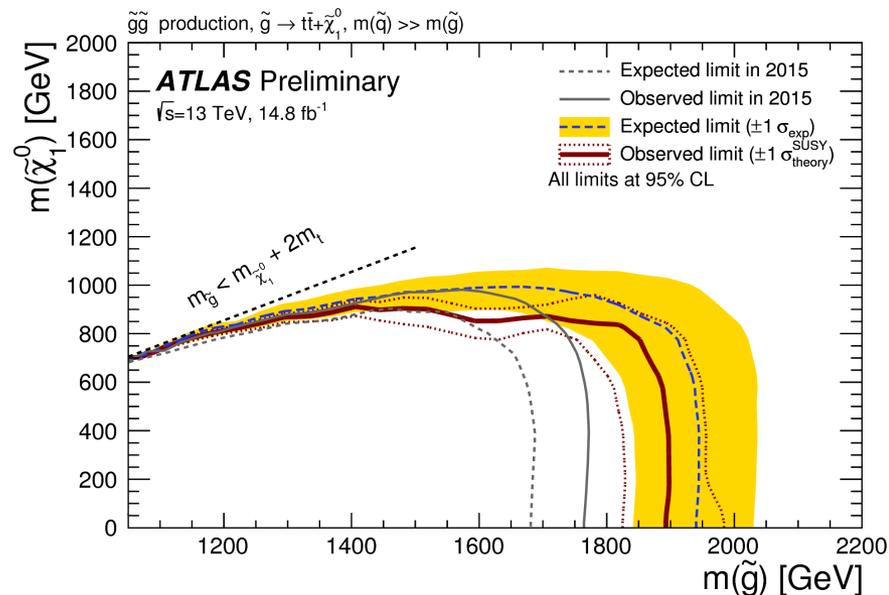
Improvements to the analysis

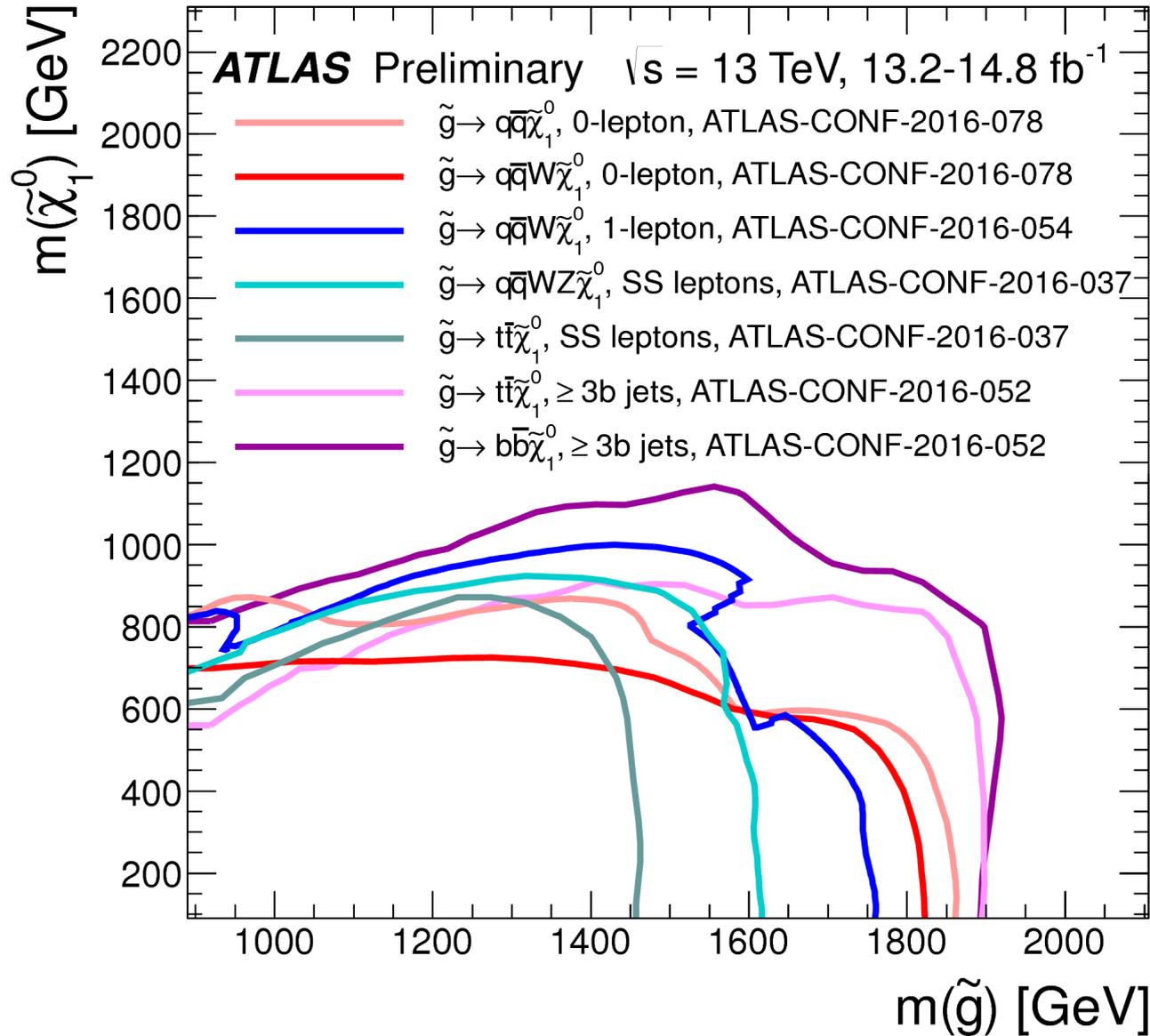
Use of boosted tops, New selection cuts

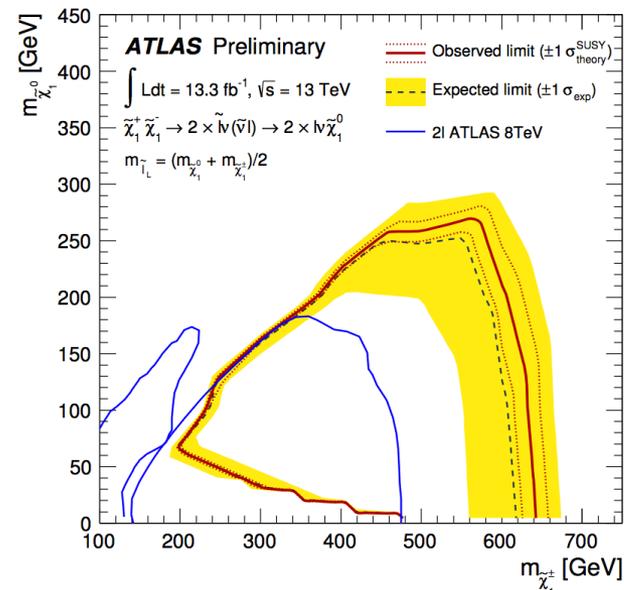
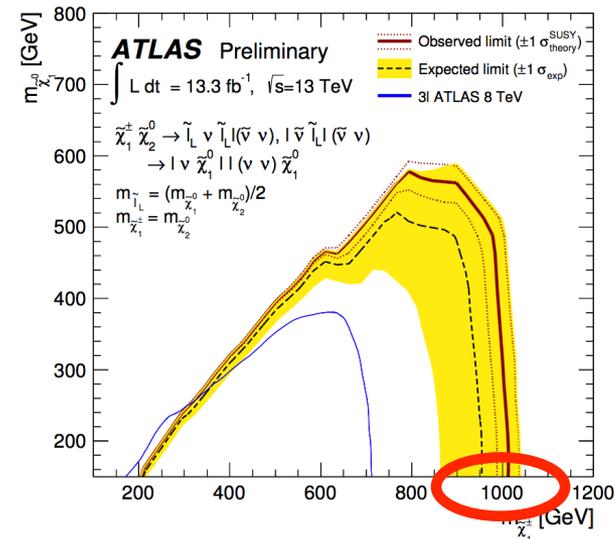
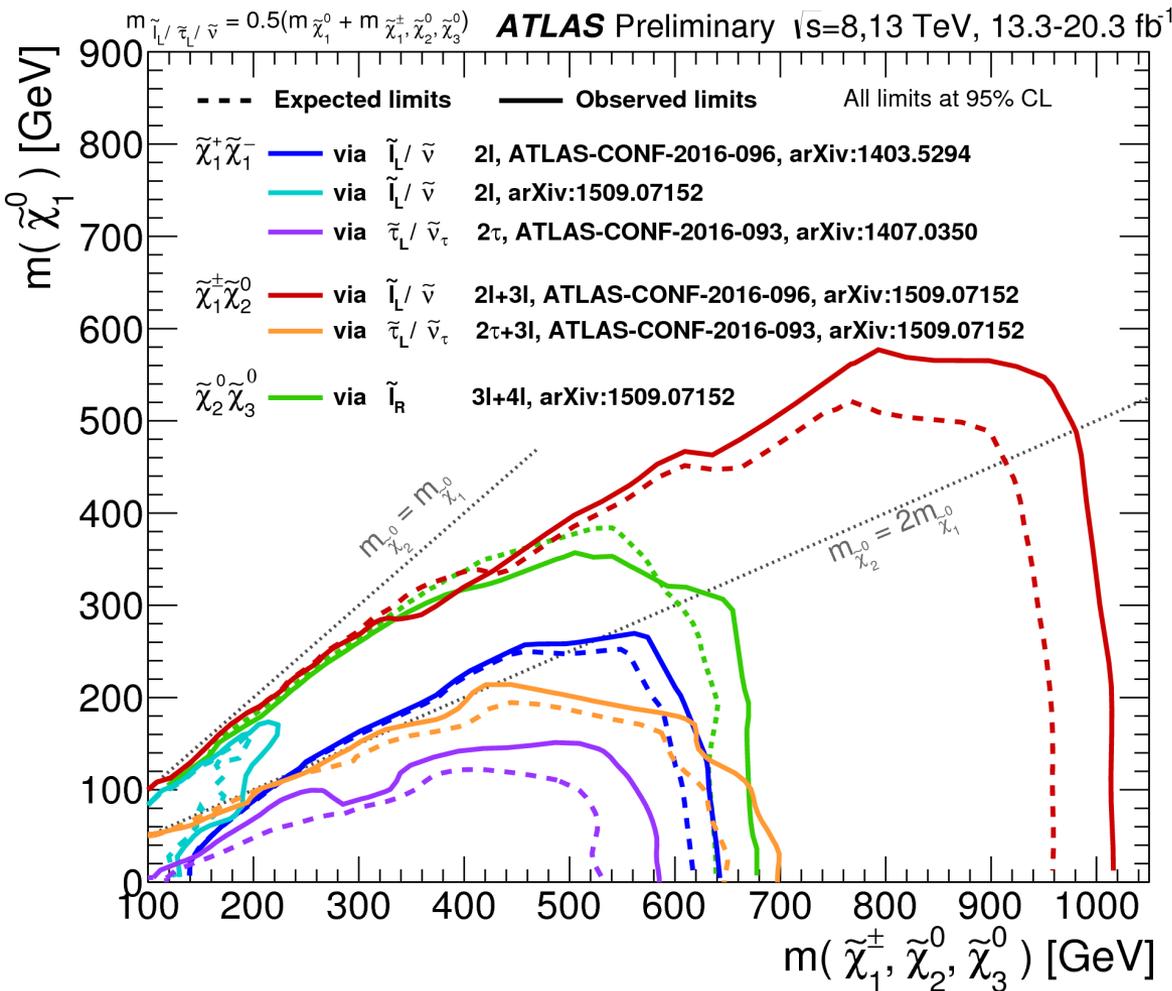
Backgrounds

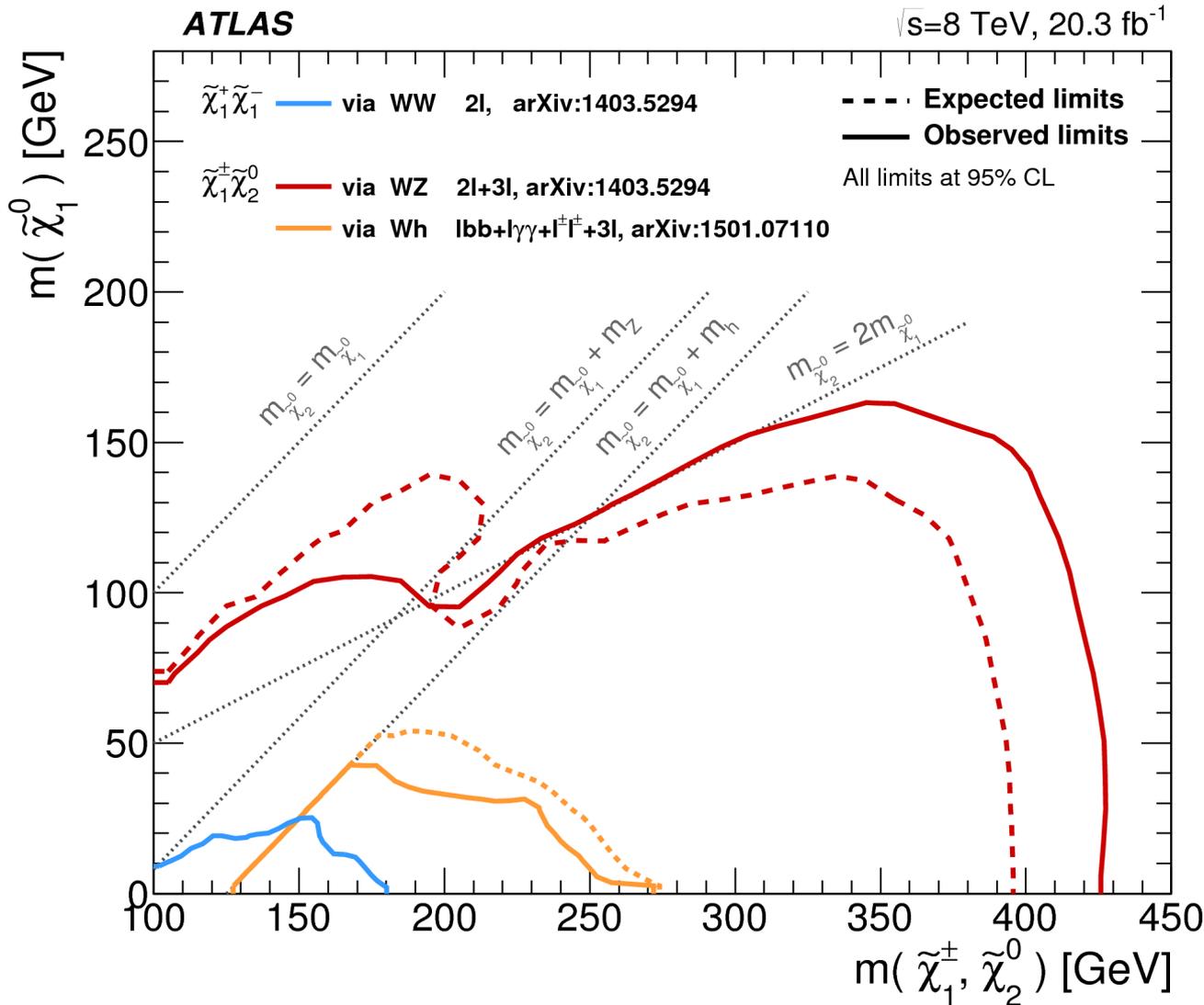
Top background (dominant) from CRs (in MET)

Other backgrounds from MC





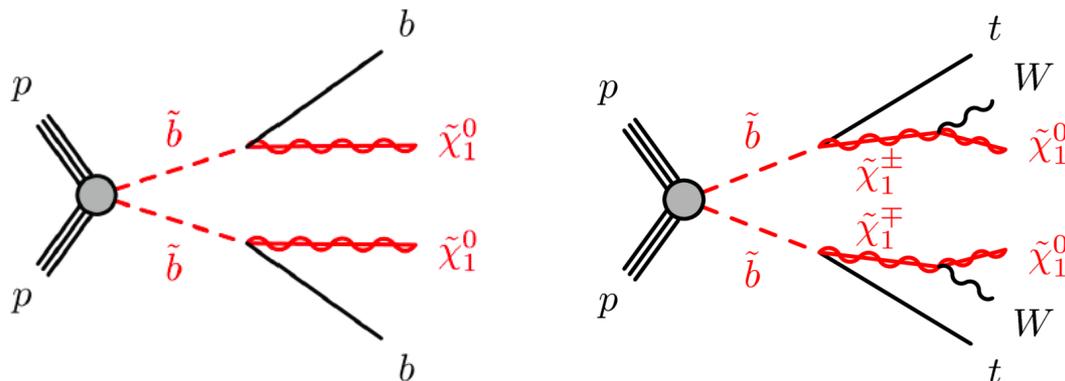




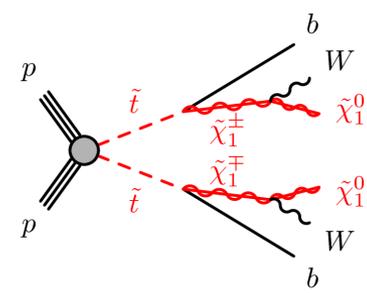
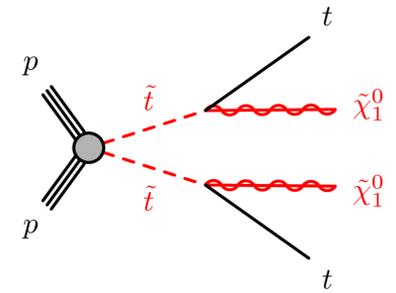
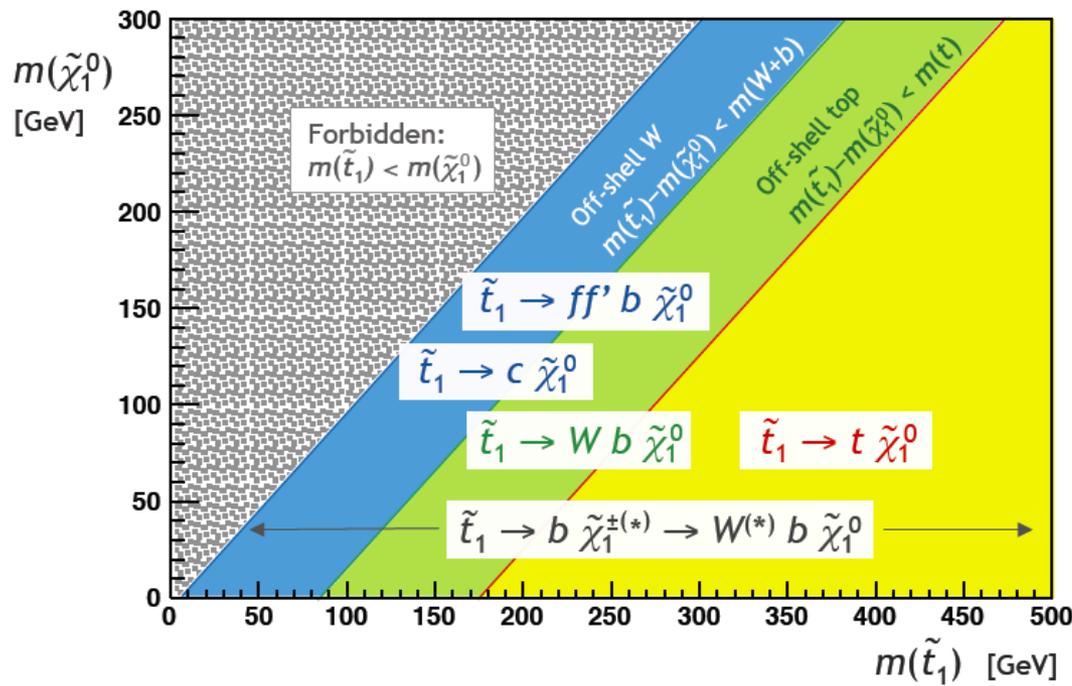
Currently being updated by the Adelaide group.

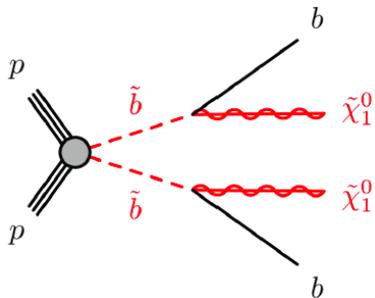
Stay tuned for more news in the coming weeks when we unblind the data!

scalar
bottom
searches



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$$m_{CT}^2(v_1, v_2) = [E_T(v_1) + E_T(v_2)]^2 - [p_T(v_1) - p_T(v_2)]^2$$

$$H_{T,3} = \sum_{i=4}^n (p_T^{\text{jet}})_i$$

0 lepton + 2 b-jets + MET

Primary signature for direct sbottom production

Direct Stop sensitivity for small $\Delta m(\tilde{\chi}^\pm, \tilde{\chi}^0)$

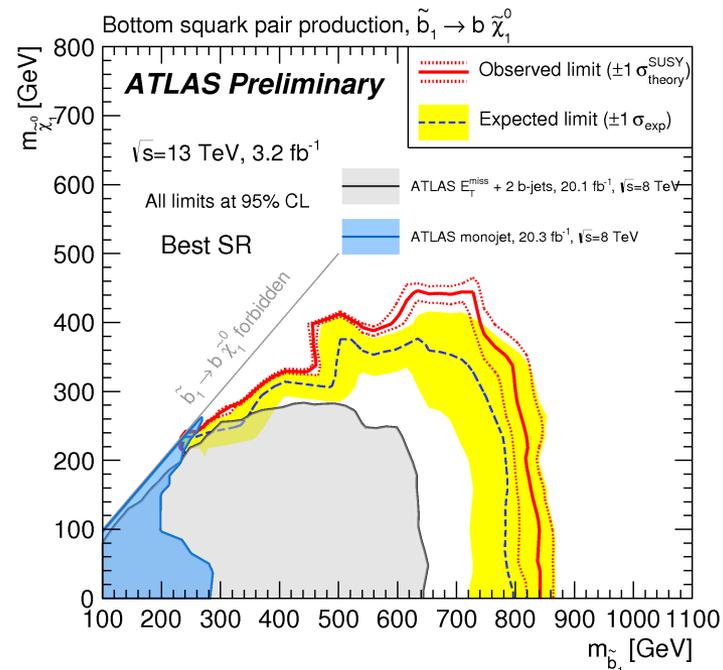
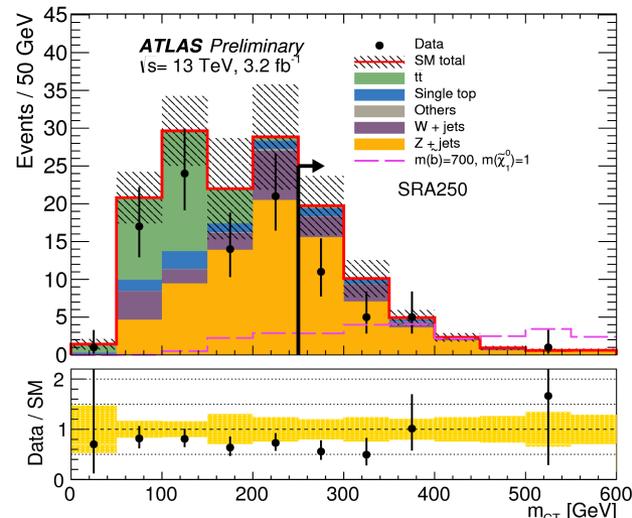
in $\tilde{t}_1 \rightarrow b\tilde{\chi}^\pm$

Analysis method:

- Trigger: E_T^{miss}
- Selection: E_T^{miss} , 2-b-jets, lepton veto
- Large $\Delta m(b_1, \chi_1^0)$: large m_{CT} , $m_{bb} > 200\text{GeV}$, 3rd jet veto
- Small $\Delta m(b_1, \chi_1^0)$: require an anti-b-tagged ISR jet, large $H_{T,3}$ and E_T^{miss}
- Main backgrounds: Z(vv)+bjets, W+bjets, tt

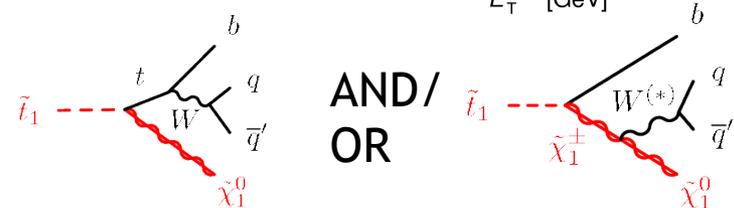
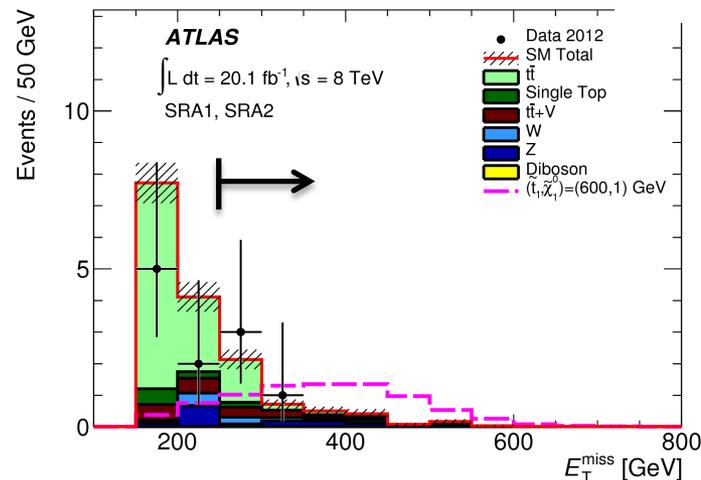
from Z(ll)+bjets
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from single lep or
e/μ control region

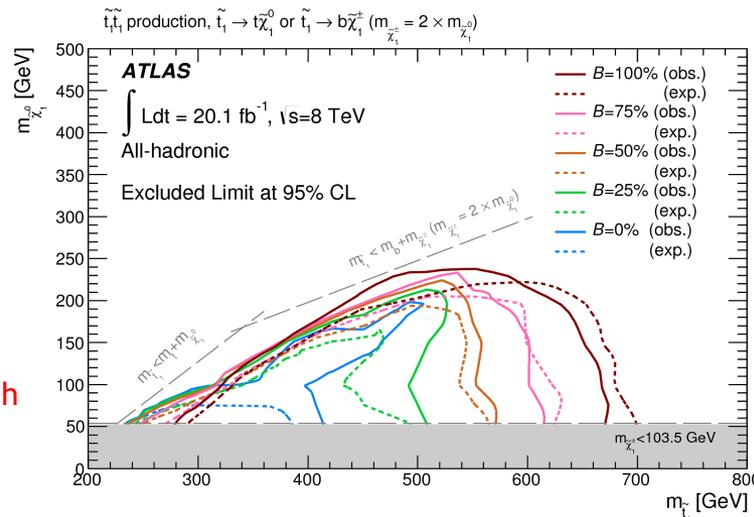
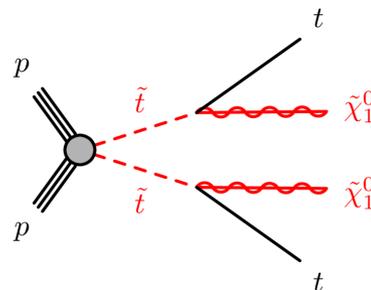


Trigger	E_T^{miss}
N_{lep}	0
b-tagged jets	≥ 2
E_T^{miss}	$> 150 \text{ GeV}$
$ \Delta\phi(\text{jet}, \mathbf{p}_T^{\text{miss}}) $	$> \pi/5$
$ \Delta\phi(\mathbf{p}_T^{\text{miss}}, \mathbf{p}_T^{\text{miss, track}}) $	$< \pi/3$
$m_T^{b, \text{min}}$	$> 175 \text{ GeV}$

	SRA1	SRA2	SRA3	SRA4
anti- k_t $R = 0.4$ jets	$\geq 6, p_T > 80, 80, 35, 35, 35, 35 \text{ GeV}$			
$m_{b_{ij}}^0$	$< 225 \text{ GeV}$		[50, 250] GeV	
$m_{b_{ij}}^1$	$< 250 \text{ GeV}$		[50, 400] GeV	
$\min[m_T(\text{jet}^i, \mathbf{p}_T^{\text{miss}})]$	-		$> 50 \text{ GeV}$	
τ veto	yes			
E_T^{miss}	$> 150 \text{ GeV}$	$> 250 \text{ GeV}$	$> 300 \text{ GeV}$	$> 350 \text{ GeV}$



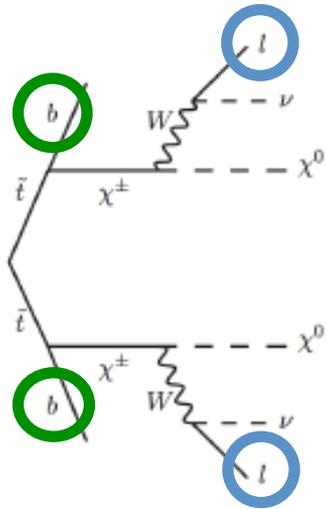
One example of selection showing fully resolved signal regions



Challenging fully hadronic search exploiting large MET regime, sensitive to t+LSP decays

Main Backgrounds

- Semileptonic tt with one missing (or hadronic tau) lepton: normalise with 1-lepton control region (CR) in data
- $Z(\nu\nu)+j$ normalise with $Z(\text{ll})$ CR
- $tt + W/Z$ taken from MC



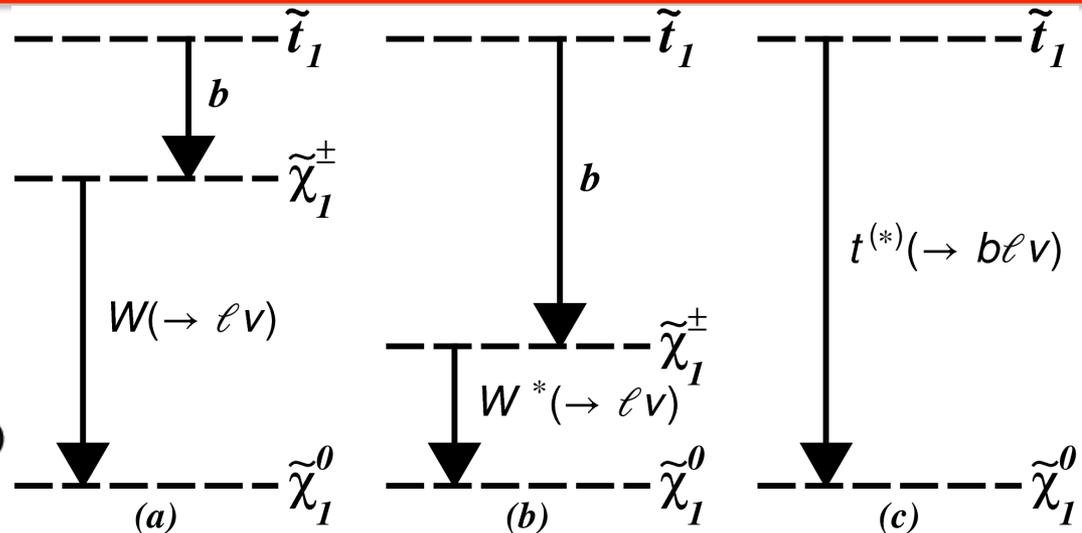
- For pair-produced particles with identical decay chains the variable

$$m_{T2}^2(p_T^\alpha, p_T^\beta, p_T^{\text{miss}}) = \min_{\mathbf{q}_T^{(1)} + \mathbf{q}_T^{(2)} = \mathbf{p}_T^{\text{miss}}} \left[\max \left(M_T^2(\mathbf{p}_T^\alpha, \mathbf{q}_T^{(1)}; m_\alpha, m_\chi), M_T^2(\mathbf{p}_T^\beta, \mathbf{q}_T^{(2)}; m_\beta, m_\chi) \right) \right]$$

is bounded from above by the parent mass.

$m_{T2}(l_1, l_2, E_T^{\text{Miss}})$ bounded by W mass for WW, Wt, $t\bar{t}$

$m_{T2}(b_1, b_2, l_1 + l_2 + E_T^{\text{Miss}})$ bounded by top mass for $t\bar{t}$

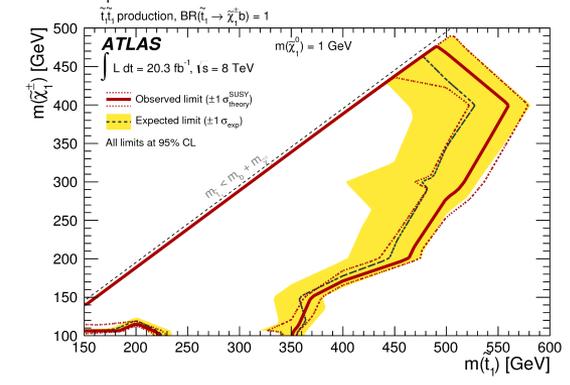
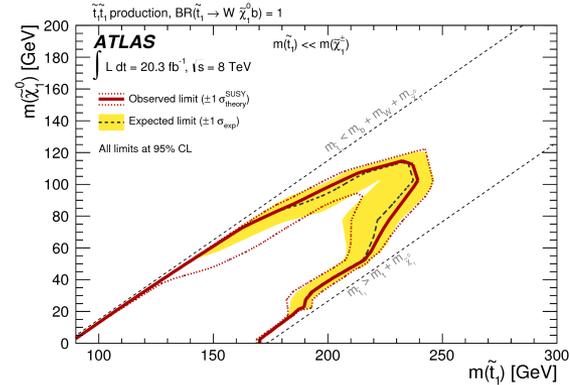
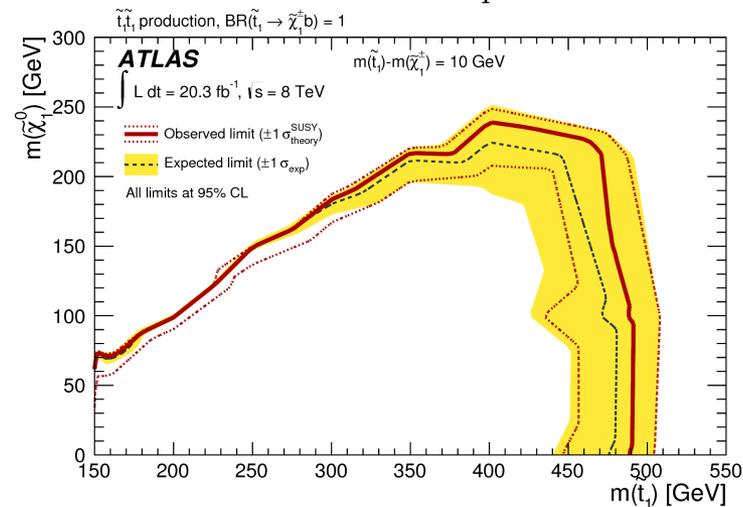
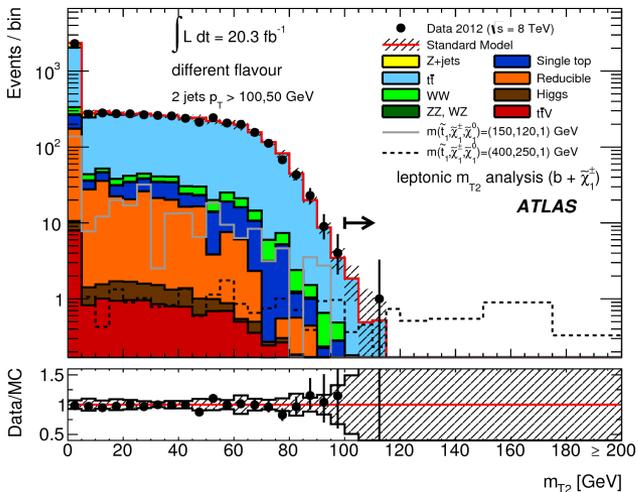
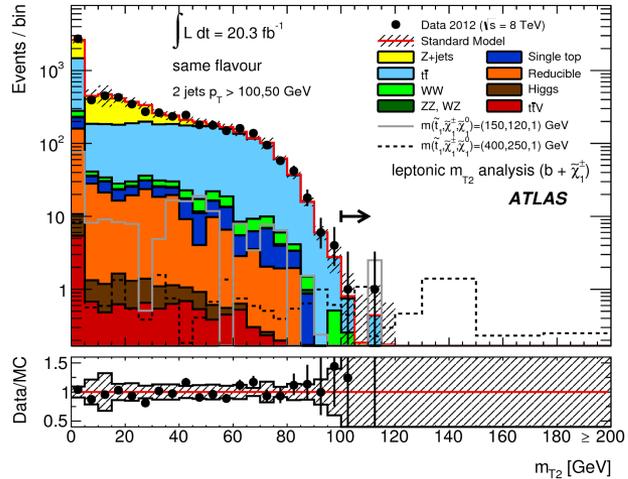
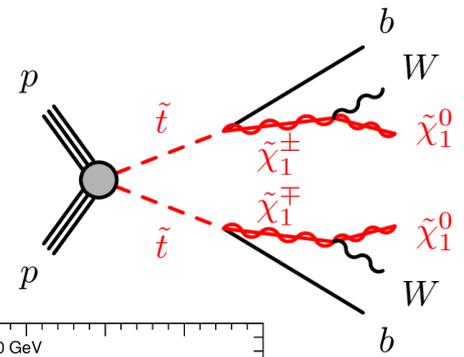


- Asks for large $m_{T2}(l_1, l_2, E_T^{\text{Miss}})$
- Four signal regions, one without jets: sensitive also to small $m(\tilde{t}) - m(\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm)$

- Asks for 2 b-jets and large $m_{T2}(b_1, b_2, l_1 + l_2 + E_T^{\text{Miss}})$

2 leptons (+jets) + MET

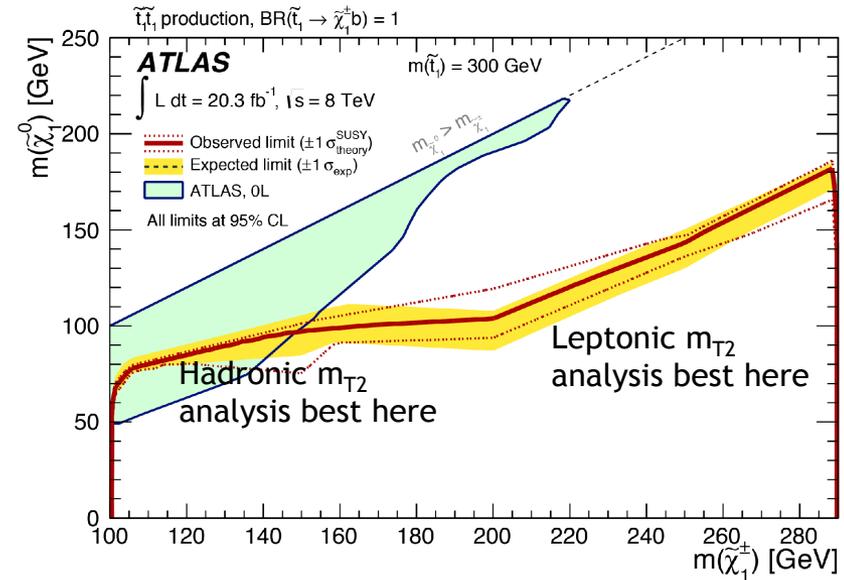
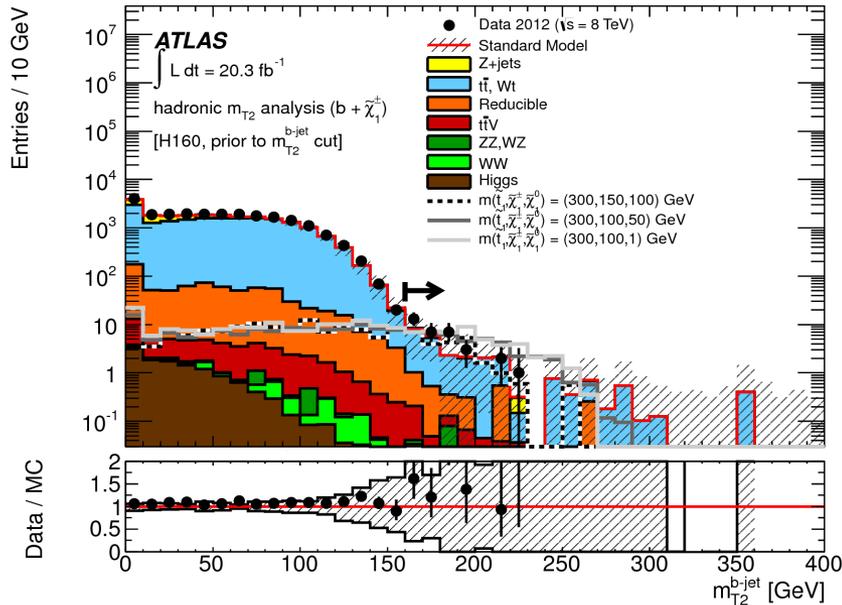
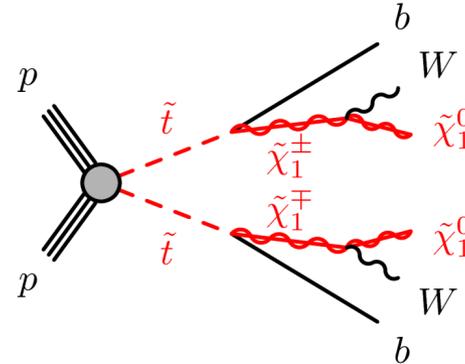
Analysis mainly targets $\tilde{t}_1 \rightarrow b\tilde{\chi}^\pm$
 Complements $bb + E_T^{\text{miss}}$ analysis for large $\Delta m(\tilde{\chi}^\pm, \tilde{\chi}^0)$

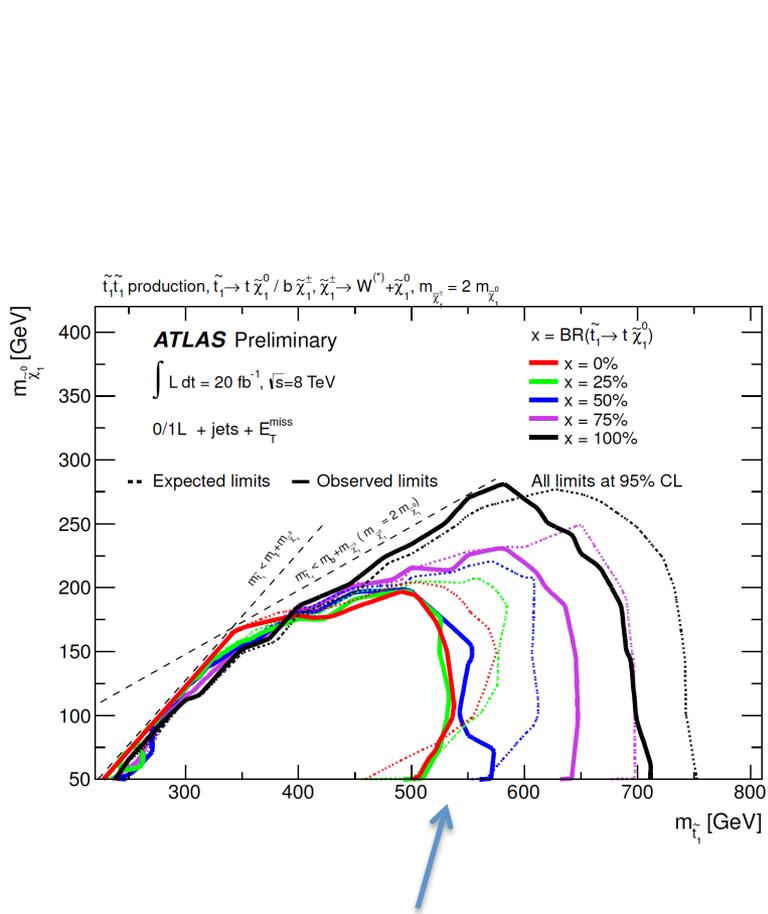


Limits placed in various kinematic scenarios

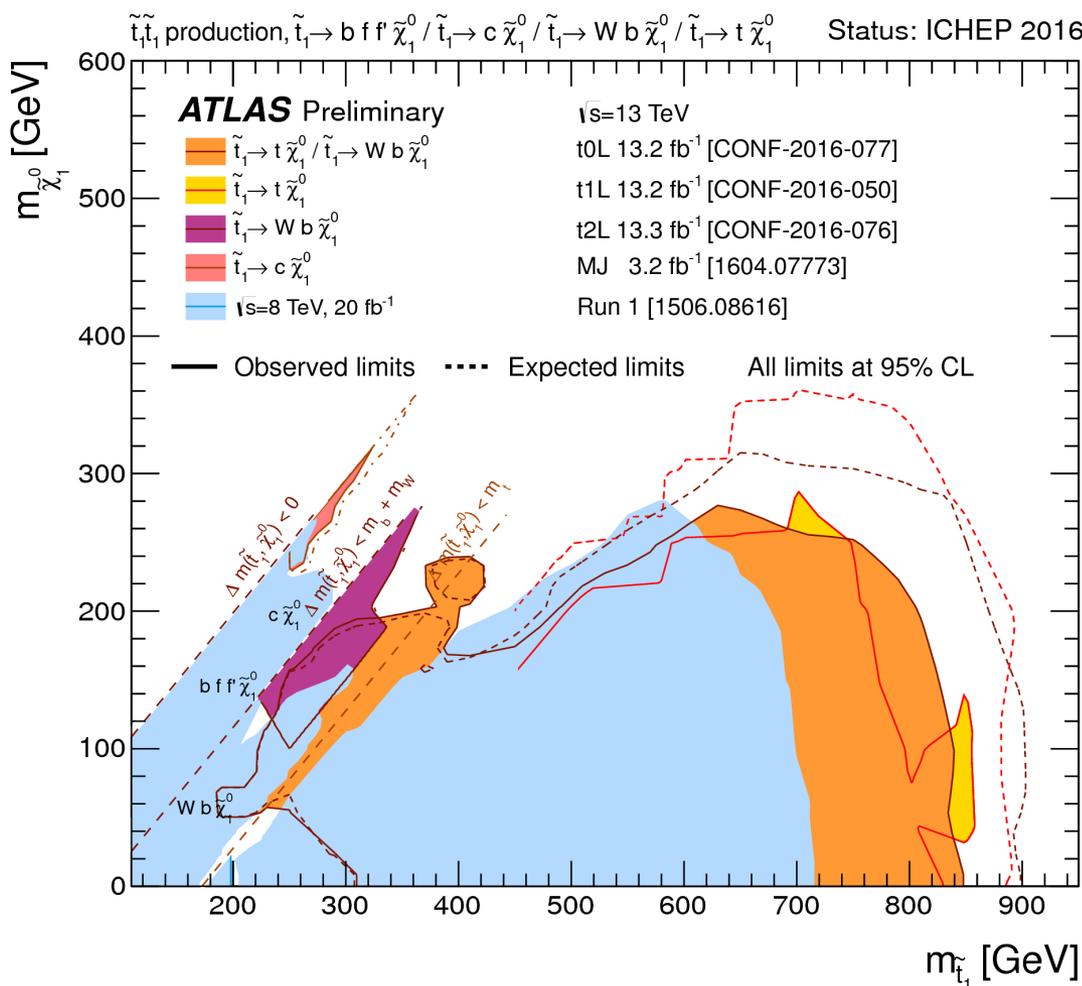
Selections:

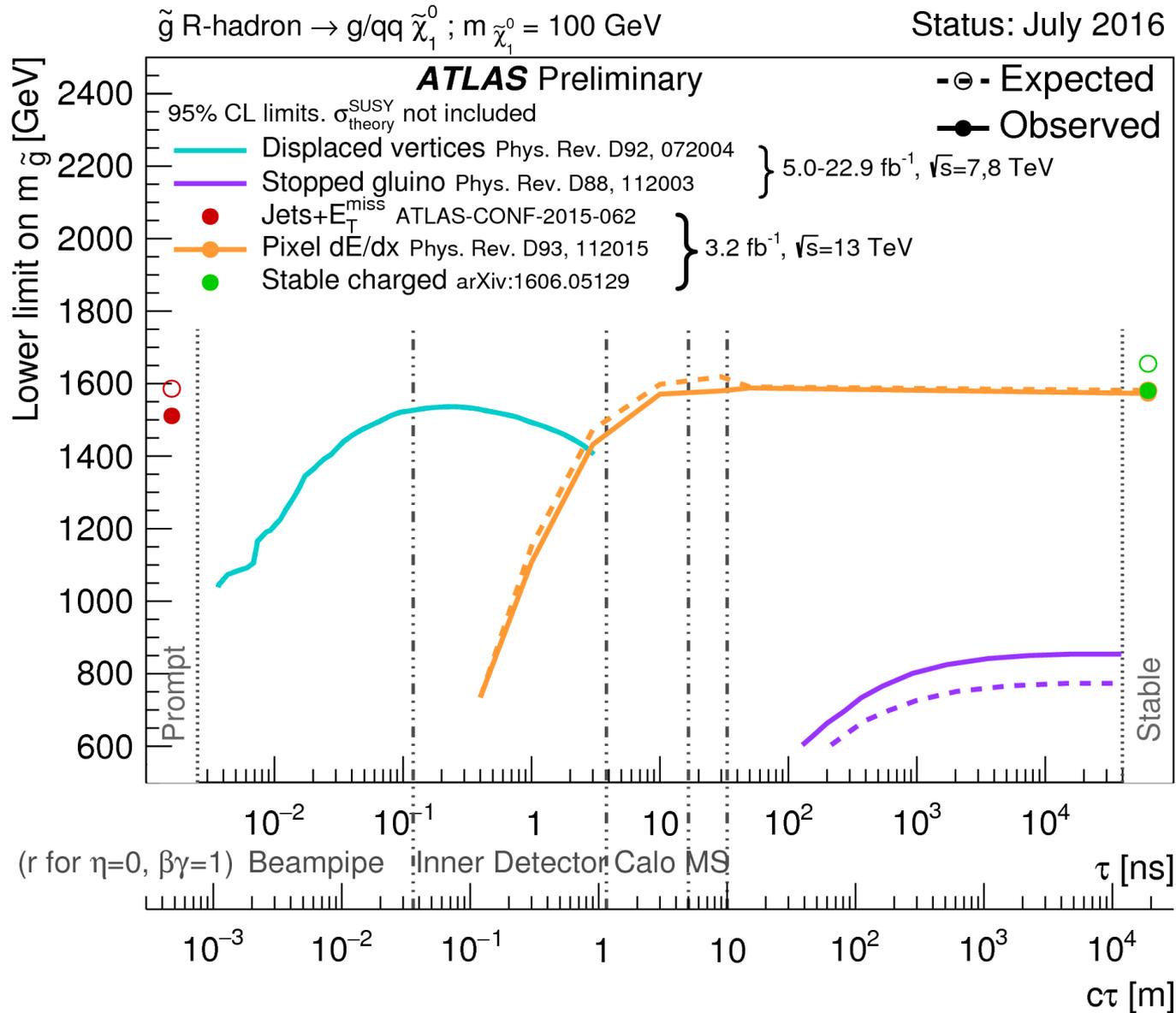
- 2leptons and 2 b-jets
- Leading lepton $p_T < 60$ GeV
- $m_{T2}(\text{ll}, E_T^{\text{miss}}) < 90$ GeV
- $m_{T2}(\text{bb}, \text{l}_1 + \text{l}_2 + E_T^{\text{miss}}) > 160$ GeV
- Main backgrounds (single top and top pairs) normalized in dedicated 1b control region





Simply altering the stop branching fractions alter the limits severely





ATLAS SUSY Searches* - 95% CL Lower Limits

Status: August 2016

ATLAS Preliminary

$\sqrt{s} = 7, 8, 13 \text{ TeV}$

Model	e, μ, τ, γ	Jets	E_T^{miss}	$\int \mathcal{L} d\mathcal{L} (\text{fb}^{-1})$	Mass limit	$\sqrt{s} = 7, 8 \text{ TeV}$	$\sqrt{s} = 13 \text{ TeV}$	Reference		
Inclusive Searches	MSUGRA/CMSSM	0-3 e, μ, τ	1-2 τ	2-10 jets/3 b	Yes	20.3	\tilde{g}, \tilde{g}	1.85 TeV	$m(\tilde{g})=m(\tilde{t})$	1507.05525
	$\tilde{g}\tilde{g}, \tilde{g}\tilde{g} \rightarrow \tilde{g}\tilde{g}$	0	2-6 jets	Yes	13.3	\tilde{g}	1.35 TeV	$m(\tilde{g}) < 200 \text{ GeV}, m(\tilde{1}^{\text{st}} \text{ gen. } \tilde{q}) = 2m(\tilde{g})$	ATLAS-CONF-2016-078	
	$\tilde{g}\tilde{g}, \tilde{g}\tilde{g} \rightarrow \tilde{g}\tilde{g}$ (compressed)	mono-jet	1-3 jets	Yes	3.2	\tilde{g}	608 GeV	$m(\tilde{g}) + m(\tilde{1}^{\text{st}} \text{ gen. } \tilde{q}) < 5 \text{ GeV}$	1604.07773	
	$\tilde{g}\tilde{g}, \tilde{g}\tilde{g} \rightarrow \tilde{g}\tilde{g}$	0	2-6 jets	Yes	13.3	\tilde{g}	1.80 TeV	$m(\tilde{g}) = 0 \text{ GeV}$	ATLAS-CONF-2016-078	
	$\tilde{g}\tilde{g}, \tilde{g}\tilde{g} \rightarrow \tilde{g}\tilde{g}$	0	2-6 jets	Yes	13.3	\tilde{g}	1.83 TeV	$m(\tilde{g}) < 400 \text{ GeV}, m(\tilde{g}^2) = 0.5(m(\tilde{g}_1^2) + m(\tilde{g}_2^2))$	ATLAS-CONF-2016-078	
	$\tilde{g}\tilde{g}, \tilde{g}\tilde{g} \rightarrow \tilde{g}\tilde{g}$	3 e, μ	4 jets	-	13.2	\tilde{g}	1.7 TeV	$m(\tilde{g}) < 400 \text{ GeV}$	ATLAS-CONF-2016-037	
	$\tilde{g}\tilde{g}, \tilde{g}\tilde{g} \rightarrow \tilde{g}\tilde{g}$	2 e, μ (SS)	0-3 jets	Yes	13.2	\tilde{g}	1.6 TeV	$m(\tilde{g}) < 500 \text{ GeV}$	ATLAS-CONF-2016-037	
	GMSB (\tilde{t} NLSP)	1-2 $\tau + 0-1 \ell$	0-2 jets	Yes	3.2	\tilde{g}	2.0 TeV	$c\tau(\text{NLSP}) < 0.1 \text{ mm}$	1607.05979	
	GGM (bino NLSP)	2 γ	-	Yes	3.2	\tilde{g}	1.65 TeV	$m(\tilde{g}) < 950 \text{ GeV}, c\tau(\text{NLSP}) < 0.1 \text{ mm}, \mu < 0$	1606.09150	
	GGM (higgsino-bino NLSP)	γ	1 b	Yes	20.3	\tilde{g}	1.37 TeV	$m(\tilde{g}) < 890 \text{ GeV}, c\tau(\text{NLSP}) < 0.1 \text{ mm}, \mu > 0$	1507.05493	
GGM (higgsino-bino NLSP)	γ	2 jets	Yes	13.3	\tilde{g}	1.8 TeV	$m(\text{NLSP}) < 430 \text{ GeV}$	ATLAS-CONF-2016-095		
GGM (higgsino NLSP)	2 e, μ (Z)	2 jets	Yes	20.3	\tilde{g}	900 GeV	$m(\text{NLSP}) < 430 \text{ GeV}$	1503.03290		
Gravitino LSP	0	mono-jet	Yes	20.3	\tilde{g}	805 GeV	$m(\tilde{g}) > 1.3 \times 10^{-4} \text{ eV}, m(\tilde{g}) - m(\tilde{g}) = 1.5 \text{ TeV}$	1502.01518		
1 st gen. \tilde{g} med.	$\tilde{g}\tilde{g}, \tilde{g}\tilde{g} \rightarrow \tilde{g}\tilde{g}$	0	3 b	Yes	14.8	\tilde{g}	1.89 TeV	$m(\tilde{g}) = 0 \text{ GeV}$	ATLAS-CONF-2016-052	
	$\tilde{g}\tilde{g}, \tilde{g}\tilde{g} \rightarrow \tilde{g}\tilde{g}$	0-1 e, μ	3 b	Yes	14.8	\tilde{g}	1.89 TeV	$m(\tilde{g}) = 0 \text{ GeV}$	ATLAS-CONF-2016-052	
	$\tilde{g}\tilde{g}, \tilde{g}\tilde{g} \rightarrow \tilde{g}\tilde{g}$	0-1 e, μ	3 b	Yes	20.1	\tilde{g}	1.37 TeV	$m(\tilde{g}) < 300 \text{ GeV}$	1407.0600	
3 rd gen. squarks direct production	$\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1, \tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1 \rightarrow \tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1$	0	2 b	Yes	3.2	\tilde{t}_1	840 GeV	$m(\tilde{t}_1) < 100 \text{ GeV}$	1606.08772	
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	$\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1, \tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1 \rightarrow \tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1$	0-2 e, μ	1-2 b	Yes	4.7/13.3	\tilde{t}_1	17-170 GeV	$m(\tilde{t}_1) = 2m(\tilde{t}_1), m(\tilde{t}_1^2) = 55 \text{ GeV}$	1209.2102, ATLAS-CONF-2016-077	
	$\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1, \tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1 \rightarrow \tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1$ or $\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1$	0-2 e, μ	0-2 jets/1-2 b	Yes	4.7/13.3	\tilde{t}_1	90-198 GeV	$m(\tilde{t}_1) = 1 \text{ GeV}$	1508.03618, ATLAS-CONF-2016-077	
	$\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1, \tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1 \rightarrow \tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1$	0	mono-jet	Yes	3.2	\tilde{t}_1	90-323 GeV	$m(\tilde{t}_1) - m(\tilde{t}_1^2) = 5 \text{ GeV}$	1604.07773	
	$\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1$ (natural GMSB)	2 e, μ (Z)	1 b	Yes	20.3	\tilde{t}_1	150-600 GeV	$m(\tilde{t}_1) > 150 \text{ GeV}$	1403.5222	
	$\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1, \tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1 \rightarrow \tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1 + Z$	3 e, μ (Z)	1 b	Yes	13.3	\tilde{t}_1	290-700 GeV	$m(\tilde{t}_1) < 300 \text{ GeV}$	ATLAS-CONF-2016-038	
$\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1, \tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1 \rightarrow \tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1 + h$	1 e, μ	0 jets + 2 b	Yes	20.3	\tilde{t}_1	320-620 GeV	$m(\tilde{t}_1) = 0 \text{ GeV}$	1506.08816		
EW direct	$\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1, \tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1 \rightarrow \tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1$	2 e, μ	0	Yes	20.3	\tilde{t}_1	90-335 GeV	$m(\tilde{t}_1) = 0 \text{ GeV}$	1403.5294	
	$\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1, \tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1 \rightarrow \tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1$	2 e, μ	0	Yes	13.3	\tilde{t}_1	640 GeV	$m(\tilde{t}_1) = 0 \text{ GeV}, m(\tilde{t}_1, \tilde{t}_1) = 0.5(m(\tilde{t}_1^2) + m(\tilde{t}_2^2))$	ATLAS-CONF-2016-095	
	$\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1, \tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1 \rightarrow \tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1$	2 τ	-	Yes	14.8	\tilde{t}_1	580 GeV	$m(\tilde{t}_1) = 0 \text{ GeV}, m(\tilde{t}_1, \tilde{t}_1) = 0.5(m(\tilde{t}_1^2) + m(\tilde{t}_2^2))$	ATLAS-CONF-2016-095	
	$\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1, \tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1 \rightarrow \tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1$	3 e, μ	0	Yes	13.3	\tilde{t}_1, \tilde{t}_2	1.0 TeV	$m(\tilde{t}_1) = 0 \text{ GeV}, m(\tilde{t}_1, \tilde{t}_1) = 0.5(m(\tilde{t}_1^2) + m(\tilde{t}_2^2))$	ATLAS-CONF-2016-095	
	$\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1, \tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1 \rightarrow \tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1$	2-3 e, μ	0-2 jets	Yes	20.3	\tilde{t}_1, \tilde{t}_2	425 GeV	$m(\tilde{t}_1) = 0 \text{ GeV}, m(\tilde{t}_1, \tilde{t}_1) = 0.5(m(\tilde{t}_1^2) + m(\tilde{t}_2^2))$	1403.5294, 1402.7029	
	$\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1, \tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1 \rightarrow \tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1$	e, μ, γ	0-2 b	Yes	20.3	\tilde{t}_1, \tilde{t}_2	270 GeV	$m(\tilde{t}_1) = 0 \text{ GeV}, m(\tilde{t}_1, \tilde{t}_1) = 0.5(m(\tilde{t}_1^2) + m(\tilde{t}_2^2))$	1501.07110	
	$\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1, \tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1 \rightarrow \tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1$	4 e, μ	0	Yes	20.3	\tilde{t}_1, \tilde{t}_2	635 GeV	$m(\tilde{t}_1) = 0 \text{ GeV}, m(\tilde{t}_1, \tilde{t}_1) = 0.5(m(\tilde{t}_1^2) + m(\tilde{t}_2^2))$	1405.5086	
	GGM (wino NLSP) weak prod.	1 $e, \mu + \gamma$	-	Yes	20.3	\tilde{W}	115-370 GeV	$c\tau < 1 \text{ mm}$	1507.05493	
	GGM (bino NLSP) weak prod.	2 γ	-	Yes	20.3	\tilde{W}	590 GeV	$c\tau < 1 \text{ mm}$	1507.05493	
	Long-lived particles	Direct $\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1, \tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1$ prod., long-lived \tilde{t}_1^+	Disapp. trk	1 jet	Yes	20.3	\tilde{t}_1^+	270 GeV	$m(\tilde{t}_1^+) + m(\tilde{t}_1^+) = 160 \text{ MeV}, \tau(\tilde{t}_1^+) = 0.2 \text{ ns}$	1310.3675
Direct $\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1, \tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1$ prod., long-lived \tilde{t}_1^+		dE/dx trk	-	Yes	18.4	\tilde{t}_1^+	495 GeV	$m(\tilde{t}_1^+) + m(\tilde{t}_1^+) = 160 \text{ MeV}, \tau(\tilde{t}_1^+) < 15 \text{ ns}$	1506.05332	
Stable, stopped \tilde{g} R-hadron		0	1-5 jets	Yes	27.9	\tilde{g}	800 GeV	$m(\tilde{g}) = 100 \text{ GeV}, 10 \mu\text{s} < \tau(\tilde{g}) < 1000 \mu\text{s}$	1310.6584	
Stable \tilde{g} R-hadron		trk	-	-	3.2	\tilde{g}	1.58 TeV	$m(\tilde{g}) = 100 \text{ GeV}, 10 \mu\text{s} < \tau(\tilde{g}) < 1000 \mu\text{s}$	1606.05129	
Metastable \tilde{g} R-hadron		dE/dx trk	-	-	3.2	\tilde{g}	1.57 TeV	$m(\tilde{g}) = 100 \text{ GeV}, \tau > 10 \text{ ns}$	1604.04520	
GMSB, stable $\tilde{t}_1, \tilde{t}_1^+ \rightarrow \tilde{t}_1, \tilde{t}_1^+ + \tau(e, \mu)$		1-2 μ	-	-	19.1	\tilde{t}_1^+	537 GeV	$10 < \tau(\tilde{t}_1^+) < 50$	1411.6795	
GMSB, $\tilde{t}_1^+ \rightarrow \tilde{t}_1^+ + \tau$, long-lived \tilde{t}_1^+		2 γ	-	Yes	20.3	\tilde{t}_1^+	440 GeV	$1 < \tau(\tilde{t}_1^+) < 3 \text{ ns}$, SPSS model	1409.5542	
$\tilde{g}\tilde{g}, \tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1 \rightarrow \nu\nu/\mu\mu/\mu\nu$		displ. $\nu\nu/\mu\mu/\mu\nu$	-	-	20.3	\tilde{t}_1^+	1.0 TeV	$7 < c\tau(\tilde{t}_1^+) < 740 \text{ mm}, m(\tilde{t}_1^+) = 1.3 \text{ TeV}$	1504.05162	
GGM $\tilde{g}\tilde{g}, \tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1 \rightarrow 2\tilde{g}$		displ. vtx + jets	-	-	20.3	\tilde{t}_1^+	1.0 TeV	$6 < c\tau(\tilde{t}_1^+) < 480 \text{ mm}, m(\tilde{t}_1^+) = 1.1 \text{ TeV}$	1504.05162	
RPV		LFV $\mu\mu \rightarrow \nu\tau + X, \nu\tau \rightarrow \mu\mu/\tau\tau/\mu\tau$	$\nu\mu, \nu\tau, \mu\tau$	-	-	3.2	$\tilde{\nu}_\tau$	1.9 TeV	$A_{111} = 0.11, A_{122}/A_{133}/A_{222} = 0.07$	1607.08079
	Bitinear RPV CMSSM	2 e, μ (SS)	0-3 b	Yes	20.3	\tilde{g}, \tilde{g}	1.45 TeV	$m(\tilde{g}) = 0 \text{ GeV}, c\tau_{\tilde{g}, \tilde{g}} < 1 \text{ mm}$	1404.2500	
	$\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1, \tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1 \rightarrow \tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1$	4 e, μ	-	Yes	13.3	\tilde{t}_1^+	1.14 TeV	$m(\tilde{t}_1^+) < 400 \text{ GeV}, A_{122} \neq 0 (\tilde{t}_1 = 1, 2)$	ATLAS-CONF-2016-075	
	$\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1, \tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1 \rightarrow \tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1$	3 $e, \mu + \tau$	-	Yes	20.3	\tilde{t}_1^+	450 GeV	$m(\tilde{t}_1^+) = 0.2 m(\tilde{t}_1^+), A_{122} \neq 0$	1405.5086	
	$\tilde{g}\tilde{g}, \tilde{g}\tilde{g} \rightarrow \tilde{g}\tilde{g}$	0	4-5 large-R jets	-	14.8	\tilde{g}	1.08 TeV	$BR(\tilde{g} \rightarrow \tilde{g}R) = BR(\tilde{g} \rightarrow \tilde{g}B) = 0\%$	ATLAS-CONF-2016-057	
	$\tilde{g}\tilde{g}, \tilde{g}\tilde{g} \rightarrow \tilde{g}\tilde{g}$	0	4-5 large-R jets	-	14.8	\tilde{g}	1.55 TeV	$m(\tilde{g}) = 800 \text{ GeV}$	ATLAS-CONF-2016-057	
	$\tilde{g}\tilde{g}, \tilde{g}\tilde{g} \rightarrow \tilde{g}\tilde{g}$	1 e, μ	8-10 jets/0-4 b	-	14.8	\tilde{g}	1.75 TeV	$m(\tilde{g}) = 700 \text{ GeV}$	ATLAS-CONF-2016-094	
	$\tilde{g}\tilde{g}, \tilde{g}\tilde{g} \rightarrow \tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1, \tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1 \rightarrow h\tilde{t}_1$	1 e, μ	8-10 jets/0-4 b	-	14.8	\tilde{g}	1.4 TeV	$825 \text{ GeV} < m(\tilde{t}_1) < 850 \text{ GeV}$	ATLAS-CONF-2016-094	
$\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1, \tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1 \rightarrow \tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1$	0	2 jets + 2 b	-	15.4	\tilde{t}_1	410 GeV	$BR(\tilde{t}_1 \rightarrow \tilde{t}_1 \mu) > 20\%$	ATLAS-CONF-2016-022, ATLAS-CONF-2016-084		
$\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1, \tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1 \rightarrow \tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1$	2 e, μ	2 b	-	20.3	\tilde{t}_1	0.4-1.0 TeV	-	ATLAS-CONF-2015-015		
Other	Scalar charm, $\tilde{c} \rightarrow c\tilde{c}^0$	0	2 c	Yes	20.3	\tilde{c}	510 GeV	$m(\tilde{c}) < 200 \text{ GeV}$	1501.01325	

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10⁻¹ 1 Mass scale [TeV]

EXOTICA

- What makes something “Exotic”?
- If \neq SUSY .and. \neq HIGGS .then. EXOTICA!
- More generally SUSY tends to have large missing momentum and Exotics doesn’t necessarily (although R-Parity Violation and Long-lived SUSY mess with this paradigm)
- Also, Exotics is the place where non-SM resonance searches are performed (although they overlap with BSM Higgs)
- Take ≥ 2 SM objects, plot the invariant mass and look for a bump - Easy 😊 (Maybe 😊)
- For the sake of time I won’t survey the huge number of searches performed in these groups

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$\int \mathcal{L} dt = (4.7 - 20.3) \text{ fb}^{-1}$

$\sqrt{s} = 7, 8 \text{ TeV}$

Model	ℓ, γ	Jets	E_T^{miss}	$\int \mathcal{L} dt [\text{fb}^{-1}]$	Limit	Reference
Extra dimensions	ADD $G_{KK} + g/q$	$\geq 1 j$	Yes	20.3	M_D 5.25 TeV	$n = 2$ 1502.01518
	ADD non-resonant $\ell\ell$	$2e, \mu$	-	20.3	M_S 4.7 TeV	$n = 3 \text{ HLZ}$ 1407.2410
	ADD QBH $\rightarrow \ell q$	$1e, \mu$ 1j	-	20.3	M_{th} 5.2 TeV	$n = 6$ 1311.2006
	ADD QBH	$2j$	-	20.3	M_{th} 5.82 TeV	$n = 6$ 1407.1376
	ADD BH high N_{rjk}	2μ (SS)	-	20.3	M_{th} 4.7 TeV	$n = 6, M_D = 3 \text{ TeV, non-rot BH}$ 1308.4075
	ADD BH high Σp_T	$\geq 1e, \mu$ $\geq 2j$	-	20.3	M_{th} 5.8 TeV	$n = 6, M_D = 3 \text{ TeV, non-rot BH}$ 1405.4254
	ADD BH high multijet	$\geq 2j$	-	20.3	M_{th} 5.8 TeV	$n = 6, M_D = 3 \text{ TeV, non-rot BH}$ 1503.08988
	RS1 $G_{KK} \rightarrow \ell\ell$	$2e, \mu$	-	20.3	$G_{KK} \text{ mass}$ 2.68 TeV	$k/M_{\text{Pl}} = 0.1$ 1405.4123
	RS1 $G_{KK} \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$	2γ	-	20.3	$G_{KK} \text{ mass}$ 2.66 TeV	$k/M_{\text{Pl}} = 0.1$ 1504.05511
	Bulk RS $G_{KK} \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow qq\ell\ell$	$2e, \mu$ 2j/1J	-	20.3	$G_{KK} \text{ mass}$ 740 GeV	$k/M_{\text{Pl}} = 1.0$ 1409.6190
	Bulk RS $G_{KK} \rightarrow WW \rightarrow qq\ell\ell$	$1e, \mu$ 2j/1J	Yes	20.3	$W' \text{ mass}$ 760 GeV	$k/M_{\text{Pl}} = 1.0$ 1503.04677
	Bulk RS $G_{KK} \rightarrow HH \rightarrow b\bar{b}b\bar{b}$	$4b$	-	19.5	$G_{KK} \text{ mass}$ 500-720 GeV	$k/M_{\text{Pl}} = 1.0$ 1506.00285
	Bulk RS $g_{KK} \rightarrow t\bar{t}$	$1e, \mu$ $\geq 1b, \geq 1J/2j$	Yes	20.3	$g_{KK} \text{ mass}$ 2.2 TeV	$BR = 0.925$ 1505.07018
	2UED / RPP	$2e, \mu$ (SS) $\geq 1b, \geq 1j$	Yes	20.3	$KK \text{ mass}$ 960 GeV	1504.04605
Gauge bosons	SSM $Z' \rightarrow \ell\ell$	$2e, \mu$	-	20.3	$Z' \text{ mass}$ 2.9 TeV	1405.4123
	SSM $Z' \rightarrow \tau\tau$	2τ	-	19.5	$Z' \text{ mass}$ 2.02 TeV	1502.07177
	SSM $W' \rightarrow \ell\nu$	$1e, \mu$	Yes	20.3	$W' \text{ mass}$ 3.24 TeV	1407.7494
	EGM $W' \rightarrow WZ \rightarrow \ell\nu\ell'\ell'$	$3e, \mu$	Yes	20.3	$W' \text{ mass}$ 1.52 TeV	1406.4456
	EGM $W' \rightarrow WZ \rightarrow qq\ell\ell$	$2e, \mu$ 2j/1J	-	20.3	$W' \text{ mass}$ 1.59 TeV	1409.6190
	EGM $W' \rightarrow WZ \rightarrow qq\ell\ell$	$2j$	-	20.3	$W' \text{ mass}$ 1.3-1.5 TeV	1506.00962
	HVT $W' \rightarrow WH \rightarrow \ell\nu b\bar{b}$	$1e, \mu$ 2b	Yes	20.3	$W' \text{ mass}$ 1.47 TeV	$g_V = 1$ 1503.08089
	LRSM $W'_R \rightarrow t\bar{b}$	$1e, \mu$ 2b, 0-1j	Yes	20.3	$W'_R \text{ mass}$ 1.92 TeV	1410.4103
LRSM $W'_R \rightarrow t\bar{b}$	$0e, \mu$ $\geq 1b, 1J$	-	20.3	$W'_R \text{ mass}$ 1.76 TeV	1408.0886	
CI	CI $qqqq$	$2j$	-	17.3	Λ 12.0 TeV	$\eta_{LL} = -1$ 1504.00357
	CI $qq\ell\ell$	$2e, \mu$	-	20.3	Λ 21.6 TeV	$\eta_{LL} = -1$ 1407.2410
	CI $uutt$	$2e, \mu$ (SS) $\geq 1b, \geq 1j$	Yes	20.3	Λ 4.3 TeV	$ C_{LL} = 1$ 1504.04605
DM	EFT D5 operator (Dirac)	$0e, \mu$ $\geq 1j$	Yes	20.3	M_* 974 GeV	at 90% CL for $m(\chi) < 100 \text{ GeV}$ 1502.01518
	EFT D9 operator (Dirac)	$0e, \mu$ 1J, $\leq 1j$	Yes	20.3	M_* 2.4 TeV	at 90% CL for $m(\chi) < 100 \text{ GeV}$ 1309.4017
LQ	Scalar LQ 1 st gen	$2e$ $\geq 2j$	-	20.3	LQ mass 1.05 TeV	$\beta = 1$ Preliminary
	Scalar LQ 2 nd gen	2μ $\geq 2j$	-	20.3	LQ mass 1.0 TeV	$\beta = 1$ Preliminary
	Scalar LQ 3 rd gen	$1e, \mu$ $\geq 1b, \geq 3j$	Yes	20.3	LQ mass 640 GeV	$\beta = 0$ Preliminary
Heavy quarks	VLQ $TT \rightarrow Ht + X$	$1e, \mu$ $\geq 2b, \geq 3j$	Yes	20.3	T mass 855 GeV	T in (T,B) doublet 1505.04306
	VLQ $YY \rightarrow Wb + X$	$1e, \mu$ $\geq 1b, \geq 3j$	Yes	20.3	Y mass 770 GeV	Y in (B,Y) doublet 1505.04306
	VLQ $BB \rightarrow Hb + X$	$1e, \mu$ $\geq 2b, \geq 3j$	Yes	20.3	B mass 735 GeV	isospin singlet 1505.04306
	VLQ $BB \rightarrow Zb + X$	$2\geq 3e, \mu$ $\geq 2\geq 1b$	-	20.3	B mass 755 GeV	B in (B,Y) doublet 1409.5500
	$T_{5/3} \rightarrow Wt$	$1e, \mu$ $\geq 1b, \geq 5j$	Yes	20.3	$T_{5/3} \text{ mass}$ 840 GeV	1503.05425
Excited fermions	Excited quark $q^* \rightarrow q\gamma$	1γ 1j	-	20.3	$q^* \text{ mass}$ 3.5 TeV	only u^* and d^* , $\Lambda = m(q^*)$ 1309.3230
	Excited quark $q^* \rightarrow qg$	$2j$	-	20.3	$q^* \text{ mass}$ 4.09 TeV	only u^* and d^* , $\Lambda = m(q^*)$ 1407.1376
	Excited quark $b^* \rightarrow Wt$	1 or 2 e, μ 1b, 2j or 1j	Yes	4.7	$b^* \text{ mass}$ 870 GeV	left-handed coupling 1301.1583
	Excited lepton $\ell^* \rightarrow \ell\gamma$	$2e, \mu, 1\gamma$	-	13.0	$\ell^* \text{ mass}$ 2.2 TeV	$\Lambda = 2.2 \text{ TeV}$ 1308.1364
	Excited lepton $\nu^* \rightarrow \ell W, \nu Z$	$3e, \mu, \tau$	-	20.3	$\nu^* \text{ mass}$ 1.6 TeV	$\Lambda = 1.6 \text{ TeV}$ 1411.2921
Other	LSTC $a_T \rightarrow W\gamma$	$1e, \mu, 1\gamma$	-	Yes	$a_T \text{ mass}$ 960 GeV	1407.8150
	LRSM Majorana ν	$2e, \mu$ 2j	-	20.3	$N^0 \text{ mass}$ 2.0 TeV	$m(W_R) = 2.4 \text{ TeV, no mixing}$ 1506.06020
	Higgs triplet $H^{\pm\pm} \rightarrow \ell\ell$	$2e, \mu$ (SS)	-	20.3	$H^{\pm\pm} \text{ mass}$ 551 GeV	DY production, $BR(H^{\pm\pm} \rightarrow \ell\ell)=1$ 1412.0237
	Higgs triplet $H^{\pm\pm} \rightarrow \ell\tau$	$3e, \mu, \tau$	-	20.3	$H^{\pm\pm} \text{ mass}$ 400 GeV	DY production, $BR(H^{\pm\pm} \rightarrow \ell\tau)=1$ 1411.2921
	Monotop (non-res prod)	$1e, \mu$ 1b	Yes	20.3	spin-1 invisible particle mass 657 GeV	$a_{\text{non-res}} = 0.2$ 1410.5404
	Multi-charged particles	-	-	20.3	multi-charged particle mass 785 GeV	DY production, $ q = 5e$ 1504.04188
	Magnetic monopoles	-	-	7.0	monopole mass 1.34 TeV	DY production, $ g = 1g_D, \text{spin } 1/2$ Preliminary

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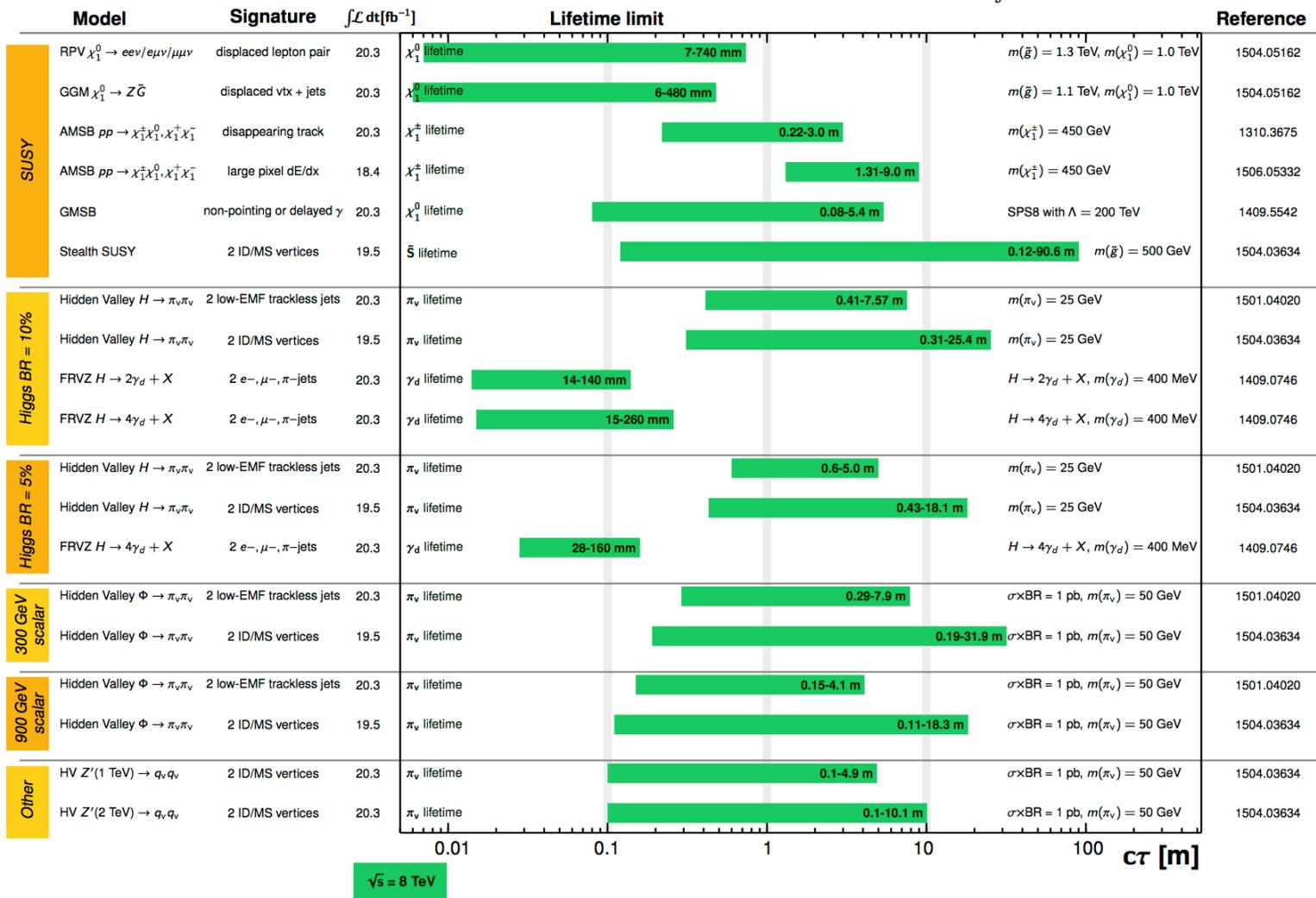
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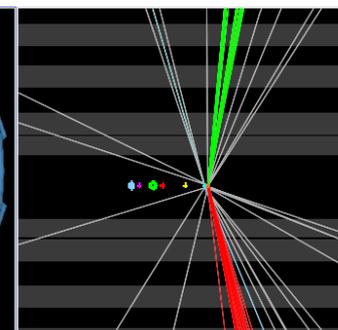
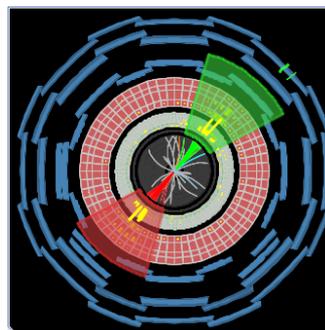
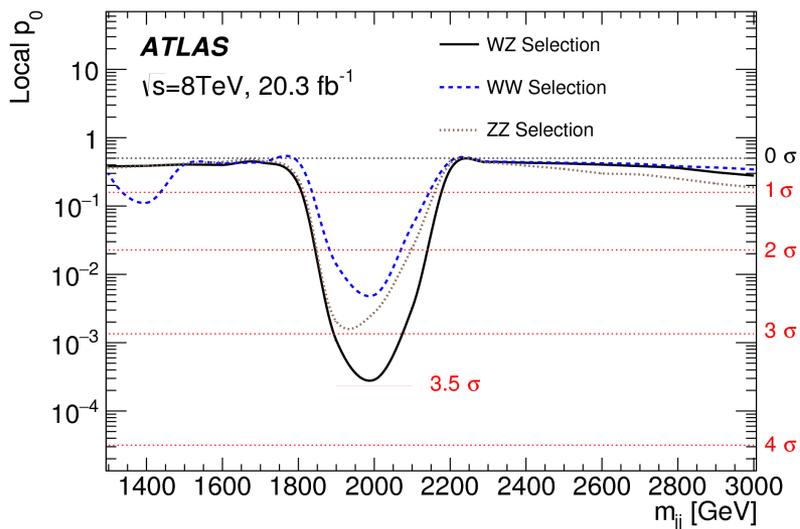
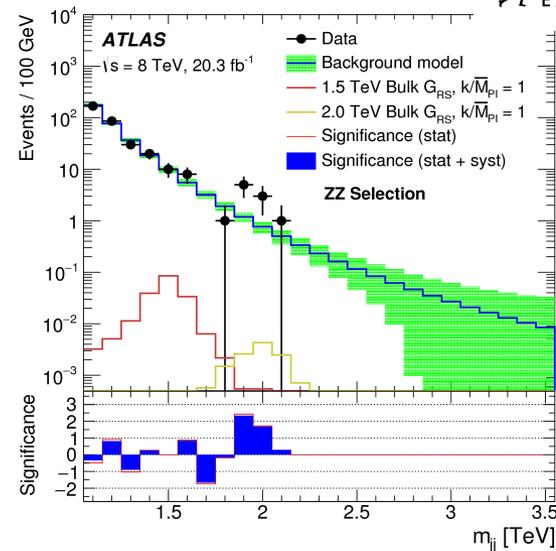
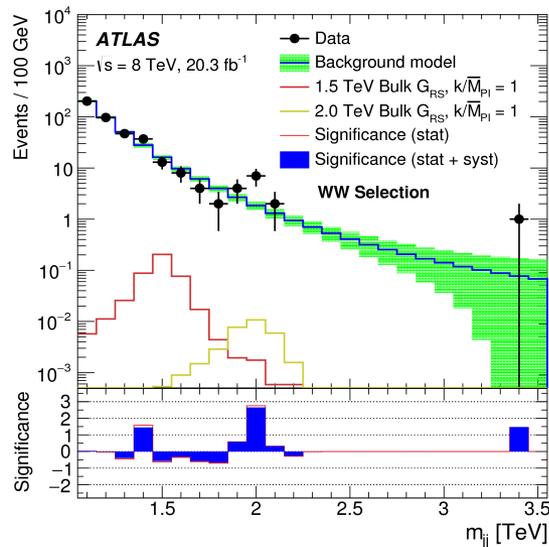
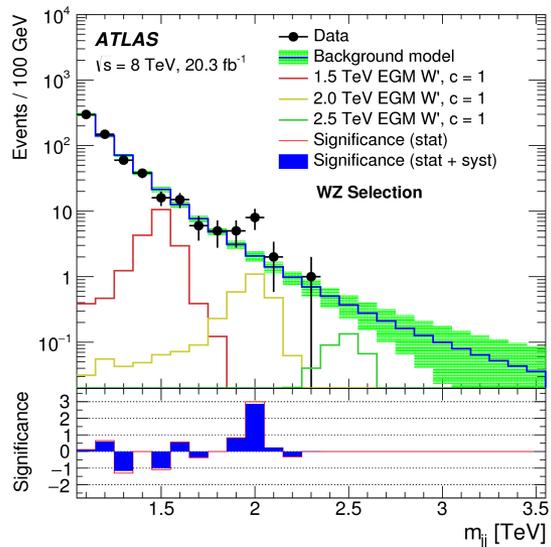
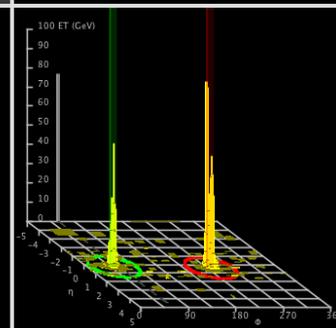
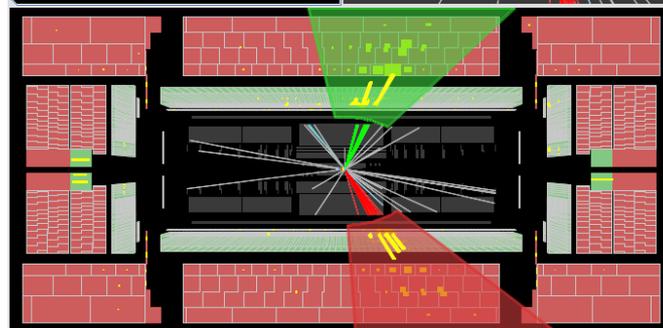
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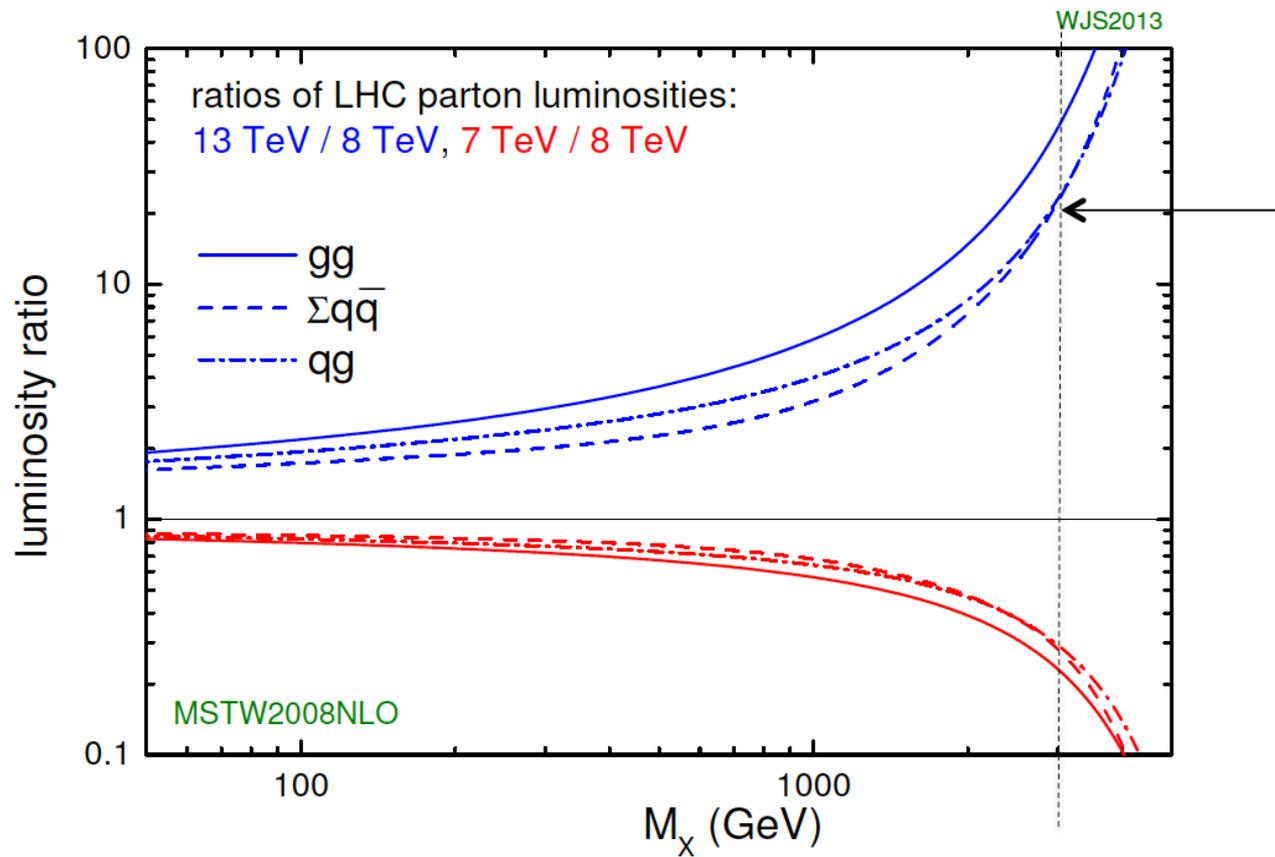
$$\sqrt{s} = 8 \text{ TeV}$$



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Exotics: Run1 - diboson resonances with boson-tagged jets



Ratio of 13 TeV / 8 TeV

Cross sections:

- Z' at 3 TeV: **20**
- q^* at 4 TeV: **56**
- QBH at 5 TeV: **370**
- QBH at 6 TeV: **9000**

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$$\int \mathcal{L} dt = (3.2 - 20.3) \text{ fb}^{-1}$$

$$\sqrt{s} = 8, 13 \text{ TeV}$$

Model	ℓ, γ	Jets [†]	E_{τ}^{miss}	$\int \mathcal{L} dt [\text{fb}^{-1}]$	Limit	Reference
Extra dimensions	ADD $G_{KK} + g/q$	-	$\geq 1j$	Yes	M_D 6.58 TeV	$n=2$ 1604.07773
	ADD non-resonant $\ell\ell$	$2 e, \mu$	-	-	M_S 4.7 TeV	$n=3 \text{ HLZ}$ 1407.2410
	ADD QBH $\rightarrow \ell q$	$1 e, \mu$	$1j$	-	M_{BH} 5.2 TeV	$n=6$ 1311.2006
	ADD QBH	-	$2j$	-	M_{BH} 8.7 TeV	$n=6$ ATLAS-CONF-2016-069
	ADD BH high $\sum p_T$	$\geq 1 e, \mu$	$\geq 2j$	-	M_{BH} 8.2 TeV	$n=6, M_D = 3 \text{ TeV, rot BH}$ 1606.02265
	ADD BH multijet	-	$\geq 3j$	-	M_{BH} 9.55 TeV	$n=6, M_D = 3 \text{ TeV, rot BH}$ 1512.02586
	RS1 $G_{KK} \rightarrow \ell\ell$	$2 e, \mu$	-	-	$G_{KK} \text{ mass}$ 2.68 TeV	$k/\overline{M}_{Pl} = 0.1$ 1405.4123
	RS1 $G_{KK} \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$	2γ	-	-	$G_{KK} \text{ mass}$ 3.2 TeV	$k/\overline{M}_{Pl} = 0.1$ 1606.03833
	Bulk RS $G_{KK} \rightarrow WW \rightarrow qq\ell\nu$	$1 e, \mu$	$1J$	Yes	$G_{KK} \text{ mass}$ 1.24 TeV	$k/\overline{M}_{Pl} = 1.0$ ATLAS-CONF-2016-062
	Bulk RS $G_{KK} \rightarrow HH \rightarrow bbbb$	-	$4b$	-	$G_{KK} \text{ mass}$ 360-860 GeV	$k/\overline{M}_{Pl} = 1.0$ ATLAS-CONF-2016-049
Bulk RS $g_{KK} \rightarrow tt$	$1 e, \mu$	$\geq 1b, \geq 1J/2j$	Yes	$g_{KK} \text{ mass}$ 2.2 TeV	$BR = 0.925$ 1505.07018	
2UED / RPP	$1 e, \mu$	$\geq 2b, \geq 4j$	Yes	$KK \text{ mass}$ 1.46 TeV	Tier (1,1), $BR(A^{(1,1)} \rightarrow tt) = 1$ ATLAS-CONF-2016-013	
Gauge bosons	SSM $Z' \rightarrow \ell\ell$	$2 e, \mu$	-	-	$Z' \text{ mass}$ 4.05 TeV	$g_V = 1$ ATLAS-CONF-2016-045
	SSM $Z' \rightarrow \tau\tau$	2τ	-	-	$Z' \text{ mass}$ 2.02 TeV	1502.07177
	Leptophobic $Z' \rightarrow bb$	-	$2b$	-	$Z' \text{ mass}$ 1.5 TeV	1603.08791
	SSM $W' \rightarrow \ell\nu$	$1 e, \mu$	-	Yes	$W' \text{ mass}$ 4.74 TeV	ATLAS-CONF-2016-061
	HVT $W' \rightarrow WZ \rightarrow qq\nu\nu$ model A	$0 e, \mu$	$1J$	Yes	$W' \text{ mass}$ 2.4 TeV	ATLAS-CONF-2016-082
	HVT $W' \rightarrow WZ \rightarrow qqgq$ model B	-	$2J$	-	$W' \text{ mass}$ 3.0 TeV	ATLAS-CONF-2016-055
	HVT $V' \rightarrow WH/ZH$ model B	multi-channel	-	-	$W' \text{ mass}$ 2.31 TeV	1607.05621
	LRSM $W'_R \rightarrow tb$	$1 e, \mu$	$2b, 0-1j$	Yes	$W' \text{ mass}$ 1.92 TeV	1410.4103
LRSM $W'_R \rightarrow tb$	$0 e, \mu$	$\geq 1b, 1J$	-	$W' \text{ mass}$ 1.76 TeV	1408.0886	
CI	CI $qqqq$	-	$2j$	-	Λ 19.9 TeV $\eta_{LL} = -1$	ATLAS-CONF-2016-069
	CI $\ell\ell qq$	$2 e, \mu$	-	-	Λ 25.2 TeV $\eta_{LL} = -1$	1607.03669
	CI $uutt$	$2(SS) \geq 3 e, \mu \geq 1b, \geq 1j$	Yes	Yes	Λ 4.9 TeV $ C_{RR} = 1$	1504.04605
DM	Axial-vector mediator (Dirac DM)	$0 e, \mu$	$\geq 1j$	Yes	m_A 1.0 TeV	$g_a=0.25, g_v=1.0, m(\chi) < 250 \text{ GeV}$ 1604.07773
	Axial-vector mediator (Dirac DM)	$0 e, \mu, 1 \gamma$	$1j$	Yes	m_A 710 GeV	$g_a=0.25, g_v=1.0, m(\chi) < 150 \text{ GeV}$ 1604.01306
	$ZZ_{\chi\chi}$ EFT (Dirac DM)	$0 e, \mu$	$1J, \leq 1j$	Yes	M_χ 550 GeV	$m(\chi) < 150 \text{ GeV}$ ATLAS-CONF-2015-080
LQ	Scalar LQ 1 st gen	$2 e$	$\geq 2j$	-	LQ mass 1.1 TeV	$\beta = 1$ 1605.06035
	Scalar LQ 2 nd gen	2μ	$\geq 2j$	-	LQ mass 1.05 TeV	$\beta = 1$ 1605.06035
	Scalar LQ 3 rd gen	$1 e, \mu$	$\geq 1b, \geq 3j$	Yes	LQ mass 640 GeV	$\beta = 0$ 1508.04735
Heavy quarks	VLQ $TT \rightarrow Ht + X$	$1 e, \mu$	$\geq 2b, \geq 3j$	Yes	T mass 855 GeV	T in (T,B) doublet 1505.04306
	VLQ $YY \rightarrow Wb + X$	$1 e, \mu$	$\geq 1b, \geq 3j$	Yes	Y mass 770 GeV	Y in (B,Y) doublet 1505.04306
	VLQ $BB \rightarrow Hb + X$	$1 e, \mu$	$\geq 2b, \geq 3j$	Yes	B mass 735 GeV	isospin singlet 1505.04306
	VLQ $BB \rightarrow Zb + X$	$2/\geq 3 e, \mu$	$\geq 2/\geq 1b$	-	B mass 755 GeV	B in (B,Y) doublet 1409.5500
	VLQ $QQ \rightarrow WqWq$	$1 e, \mu$	$\geq 4j$	Yes	Q mass 690 GeV	1509.04261
	VLQ $T_{5/3} T_{5/3} \rightarrow WtWt$	$2(SS) \geq 3 e, \mu \geq 1b, \geq 1j$	Yes	Yes	$T_{5/3} \text{ mass}$ 990 GeV	ATLAS-CONF-2016-032
Excited fermions	Excited quark $q^* \rightarrow q\gamma$	1γ	$1j$	-	$q^* \text{ mass}$ 4.4 TeV	only u^* and d^* , $\Lambda = m(q^*)$ 1512.05910
	Excited quark $q^* \rightarrow qg$	-	$2j$	-	$q^* \text{ mass}$ 5.6 TeV	only u^* and d^* , $\Lambda = m(q^*)$ ATLAS-CONF-2016-069
	Excited quark $b^* \rightarrow bg$	-	$1b, 1j$	-	$b^* \text{ mass}$ 2.3 TeV	ATLAS-CONF-2016-060
	Excited quark $b^* \rightarrow Wt$	$1 \text{ or } 2 e, \mu$	$1b, 2-0j$	Yes	$b^* \text{ mass}$ 1.5 TeV	$f_g = f_L = f_R = 1$ 1510.02664
	Excited lepton ℓ^*	$3 e, \mu$	-	-	$\ell^* \text{ mass}$ 3.0 TeV	$\Lambda = 3.0 \text{ TeV}$ 1411.2921
	Excited lepton ν^*	$3 e, \mu, \tau$	-	-	$\nu^* \text{ mass}$ 1.6 TeV	$\Lambda = 1.6 \text{ TeV}$ 1411.2921
Other	LSTC $a_T \rightarrow W\gamma$	$1 e, \mu, 1 \gamma$	-	Yes	$a_T \text{ mass}$ 960 GeV	1407.8150
	LRSM Majorana ν	$2 e, \mu$	$2j$	-	$N^0 \text{ mass}$ 2.0 TeV	1506.06020
	Higgs triplet $H^{\pm\pm} \rightarrow ee$	$2 e (SS)$	-	-	$H^{\pm\pm} \text{ mass}$ 570 GeV	DY production, $BR(H^{\pm\pm} \rightarrow ee)=1$ ATLAS-CONF-2016-051
	Higgs triplet $H^{\pm\pm} \rightarrow \ell\tau$	$3 e, \mu, \tau$	-	-	$H^{\pm\pm} \text{ mass}$ 400 GeV	DY production, $BR(H^{\pm\pm} \rightarrow \ell\tau)=1$ 1411.2921
	Monotop (non-res prod)	$1 e, \mu$	$1b$	Yes	spin-1 invisible particle mass 657 GeV	$a_{\text{non-res}} = 0.2$ 1410.5404
	Multi-charged particles	-	-	-	multi-charged particle mass 785 GeV	DY production, $ q = 5e$ 1504.04188
	Magnetic monopoles	-	-	-	monopole mass 1.34 TeV	DY production, $ g = 1g_D, \text{spin } 1/2$ 1509.08059

$$\sqrt{s} = 8 \text{ TeV}$$

$$\sqrt{s} = 13 \text{ TeV}$$

10⁻¹ 1 10 Mass scale [TeV]

*Only a selection of the available mass limits on new states or phenomena is shown. Lower bounds are specified only when explicitly not excluded.

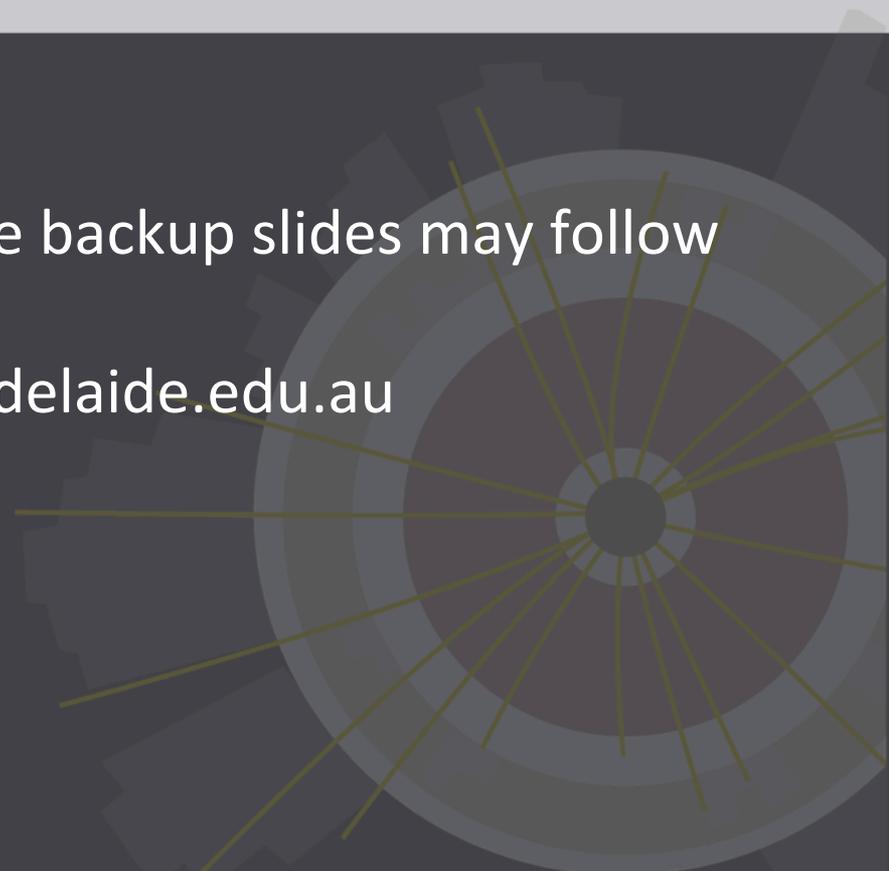
†Small-radius (large-radius) jets are denoted by the letter j (J).

CONCLUSION/SUMMARY

- Remember that the LHC design energy was/is 14TeV!
- So we are just getting started!! We'll be taking data for the next 10-20 years (depending on other machines)
- A search is successful if it improves the previous constraints on some new physics model....or, of course, if it leads to a discovery.
- It is **very unlikely** that we will discover what we search for.
- But we **may** discover a significant deviation from the SM expectation
 - That's when the real fun (and hard work) begins!

Thanks! Some backup slides may follow

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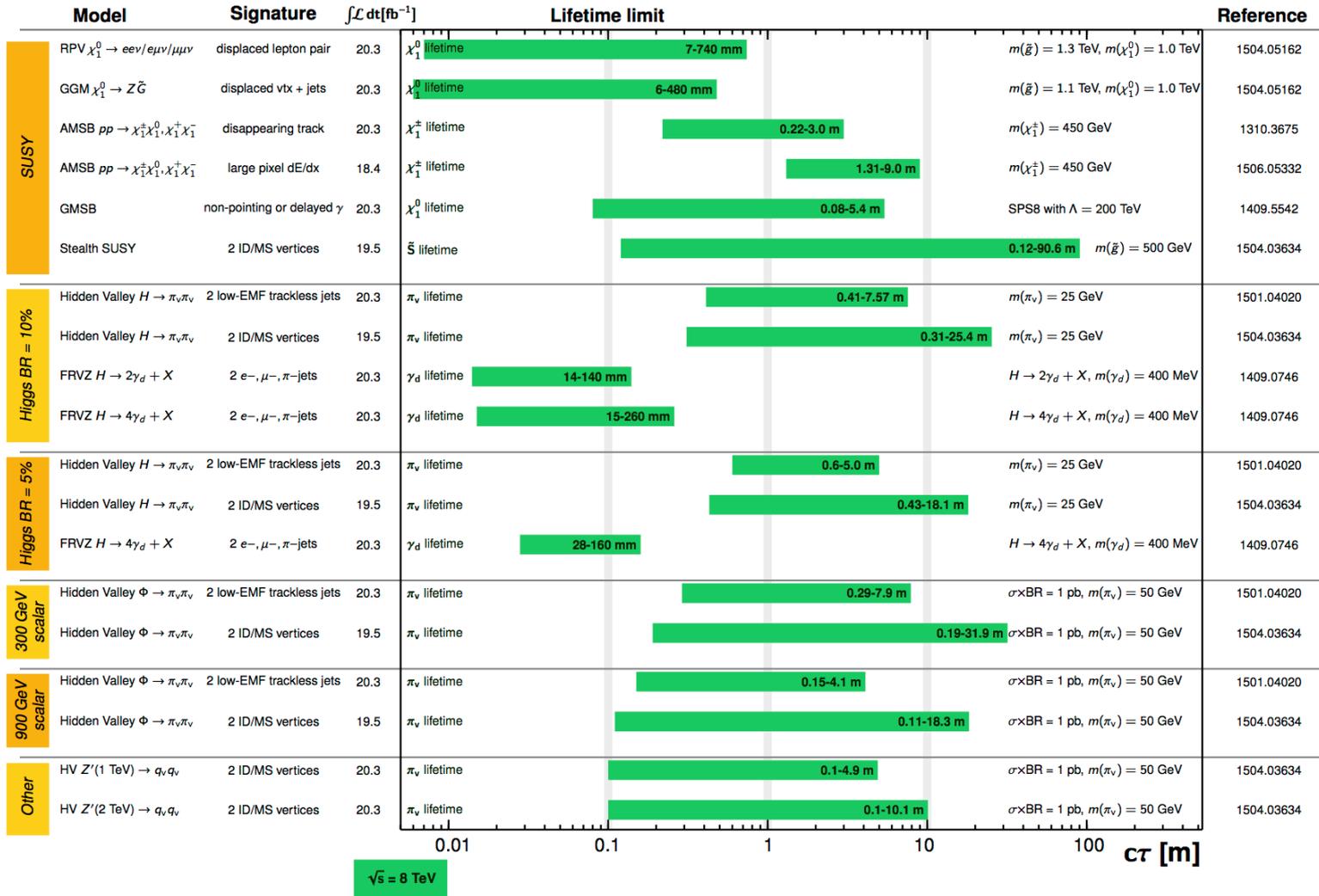
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ATLAS Long-lived Particle Searches* - 95% CL Exclusion

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Variable definitions

- ▶ Missing transverse momentum (or energy):

$$E_T^{\text{miss}} = \sqrt{(E_x^{\text{miss}})^2 + (E_y^{\text{miss}})^2}$$

where $E_{x(y)}^{\text{miss}} = -\sum E_{x(y)}$ summed over all calibrated $e, \gamma, \mu, \tau, \text{jets} \dots$

- ▶ Scalar transverse-energy sum:

$$H_T = \sum_{\text{jets}, \ell} p_T$$

- ▶ Effective mass:

$$m_{\text{eff}}^{(\text{incl})} = \sum_{\text{jets}, \ell} p_T + E_T^{\text{miss}}$$

- ▶ Transverse mass (1ℓ):

$$m_T = \sqrt{2p_T^\ell E_T^{\text{miss}} (1 - \cos[\Delta\phi(\vec{\ell}, E_T^{\text{miss}})])}$$

- ▶ Contranverse mass (measures the masses of pair-prod. semi-invisibly decaying heavy particles, e.g. $\tilde{b} \rightarrow b\chi^0$):

$$m_{\text{CT}}^2(v_1, v_2) = [E_T(v_1) + E_T(v_2)]^2 - [\mathbf{p}_T(v_1) - \mathbf{p}_T(v_2)]^2$$