



# QCD and Electroweak Measurements with the ATLAS detector

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# Motivation

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## Why Standard Model physics?

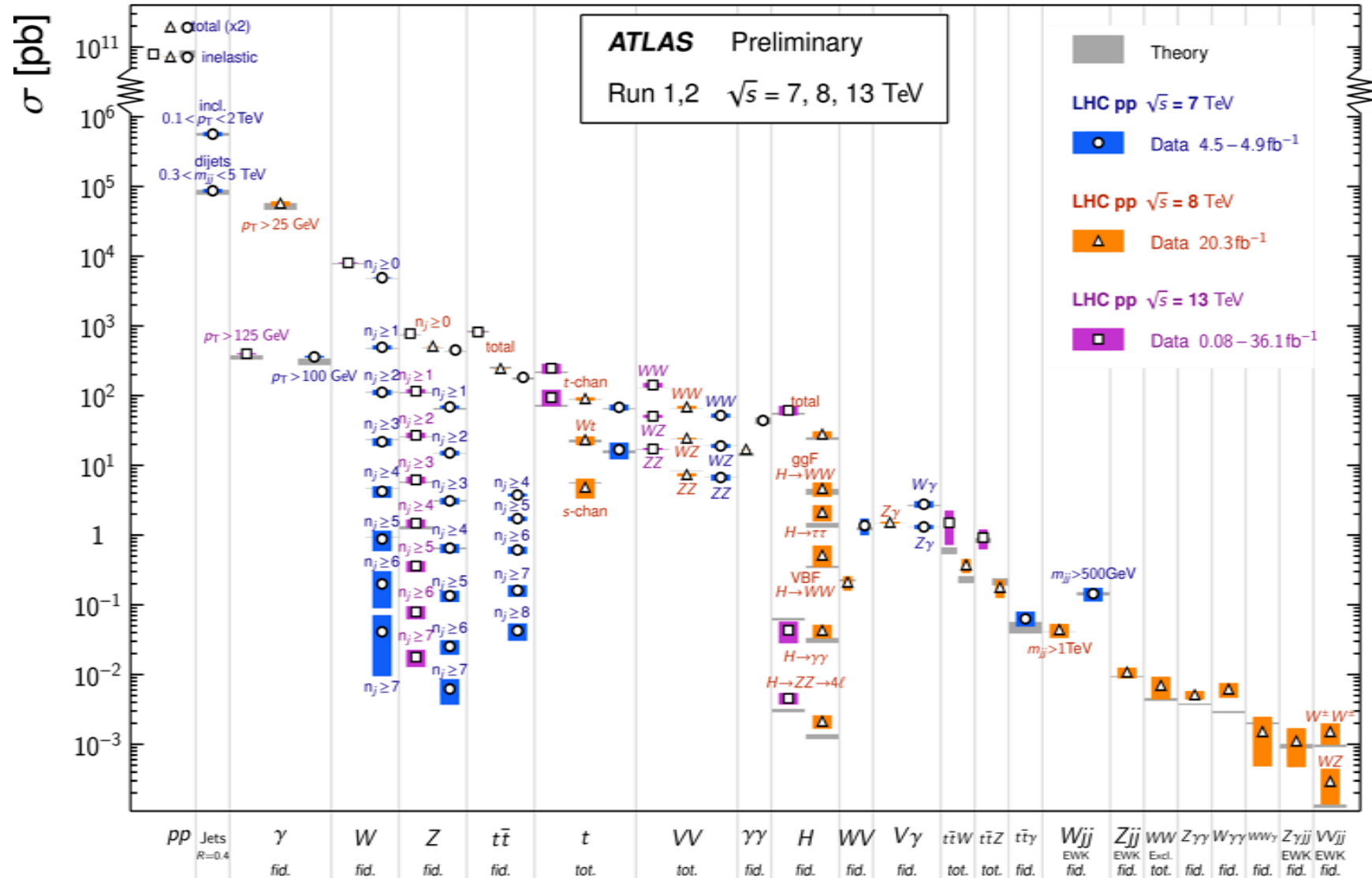
- Test predictions of perturbative QCD
- Understanding of backgrounds to new physics searches
- Precision measurements of observables to test the consistency of the Electroweak Sector

| Physics                         | Probes                                |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Different qcd order predictions | Jets<br>W,Z bosons                    |
| EWK corrections                 | Photons<br>Dibosons                   |
| EWK parameters                  | Top -> yersterday talk by Kevin Black |

# Summary of SM cross section measurement

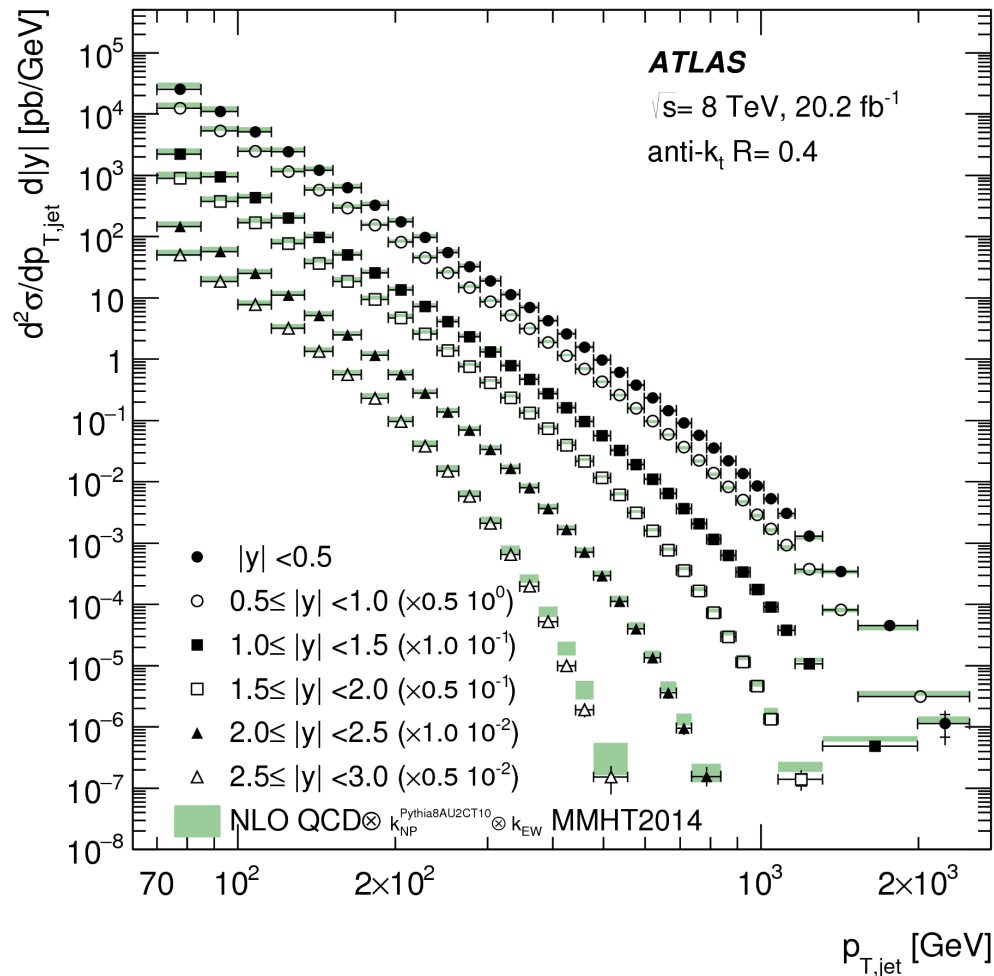
## Standard Model Production Cross Section Measurements

Status: May 2017



# Inclusive jet cross sections

[arxiv:1706.03192](https://arxiv.org/abs/1706.03192)

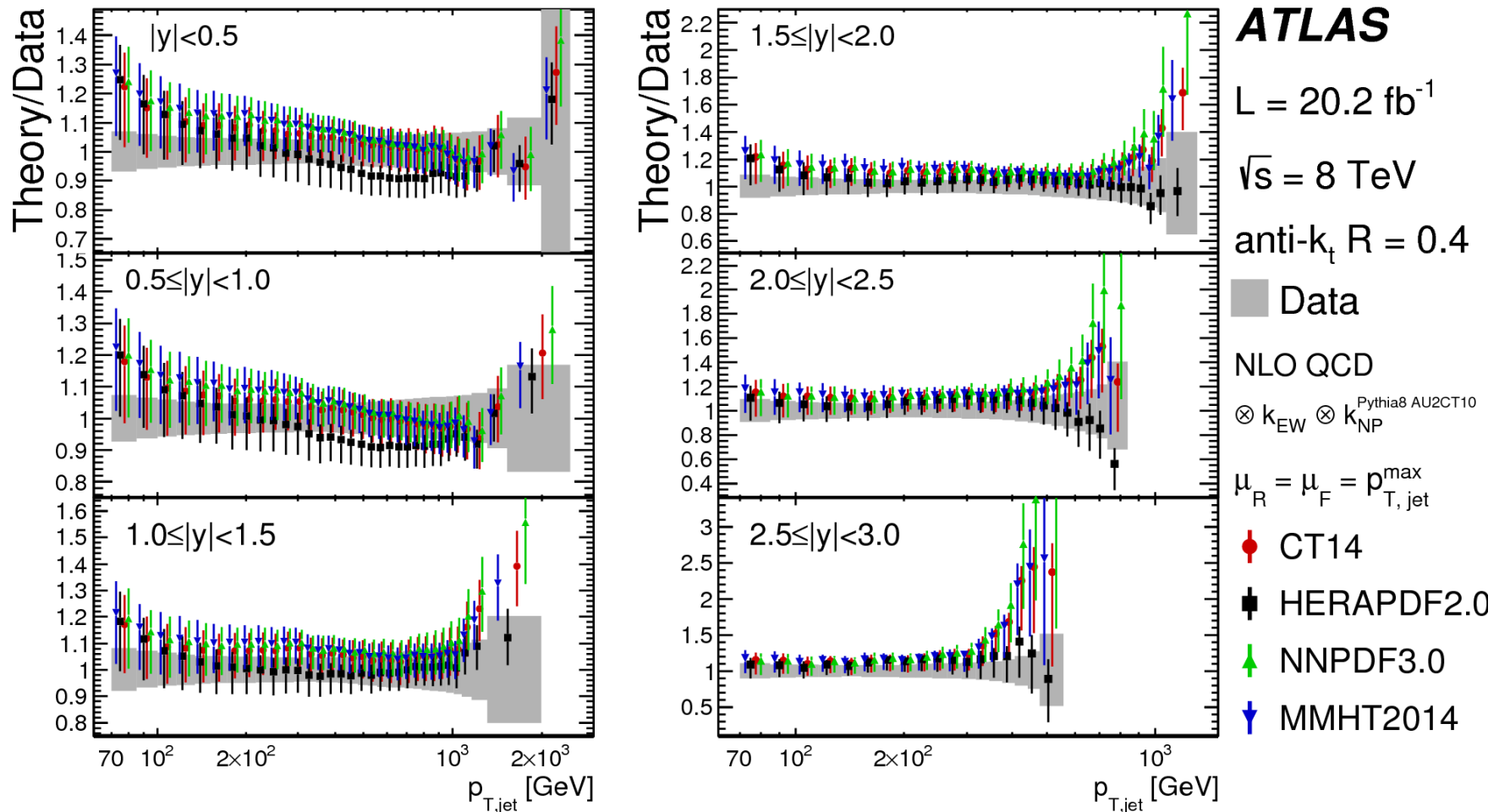


- The anti- $k_t$  jet clustering algorithm:  
 $R=0.4$  and  $R=0.6$
- The dominant systematic uncertainty:  
from the jet energy calibration.
- Significant reduction of the uncertainties  
(compared to previous jet cross-section  
measurements)

- The data are compared to the NLO QCD prediction with the MMHT2014 PDF set corrected for non-perturbative and electroweak effects.
- The theory prediction describes the gross features in the data.

# Inclusive jet cross sections

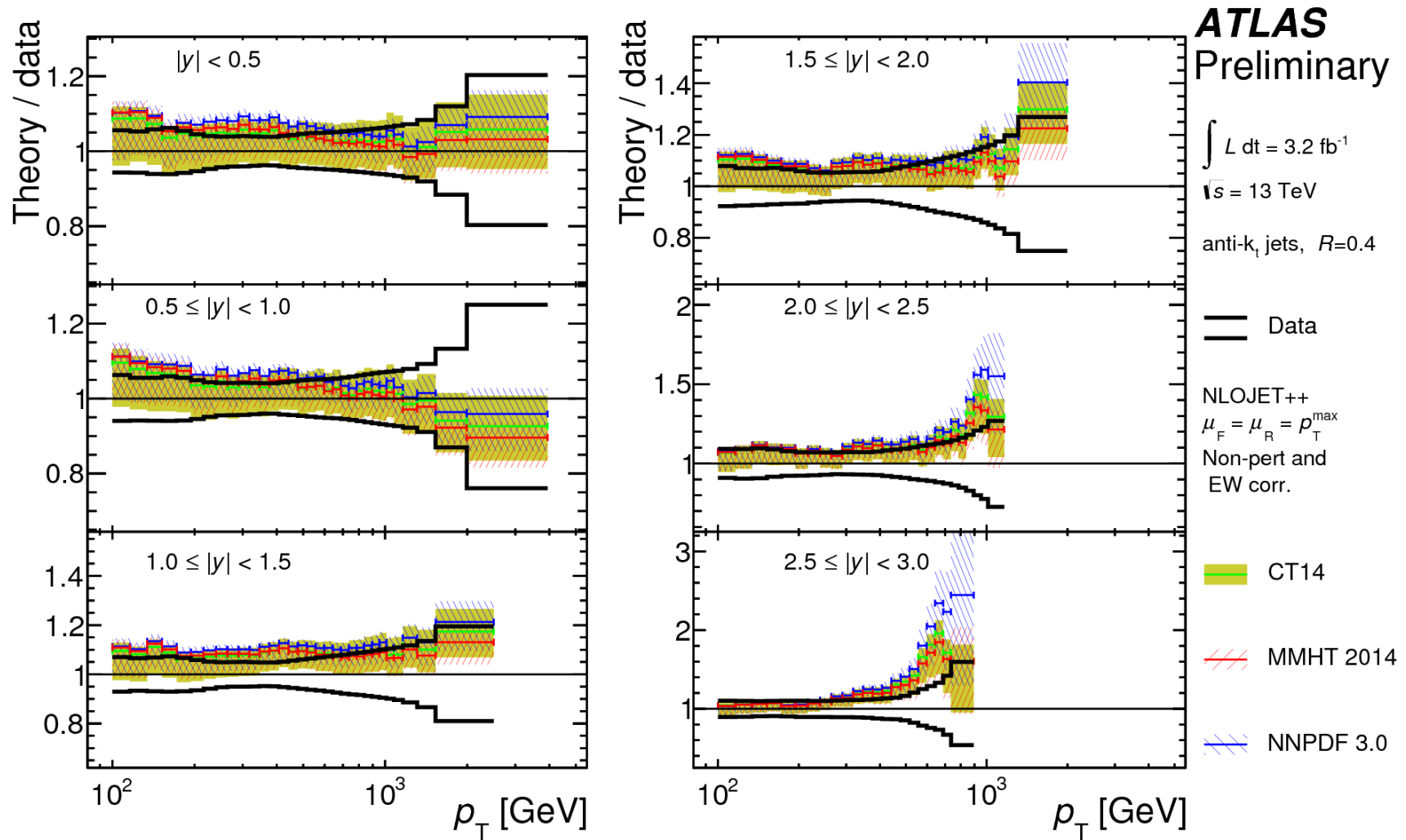
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- low  $p_T$  the level of agreement is very sensitive to non-perturbative effects (10-20%)
- the highest  $p_T$  at central rapidities they are typically up to 10–20%
- similar behavior: CT14, NNPDF3.0 and MMHT2014 PDF sets
- HERAPDF2.0 lower than data ( $300 < p_T < 1000 \text{ GeV}$ )

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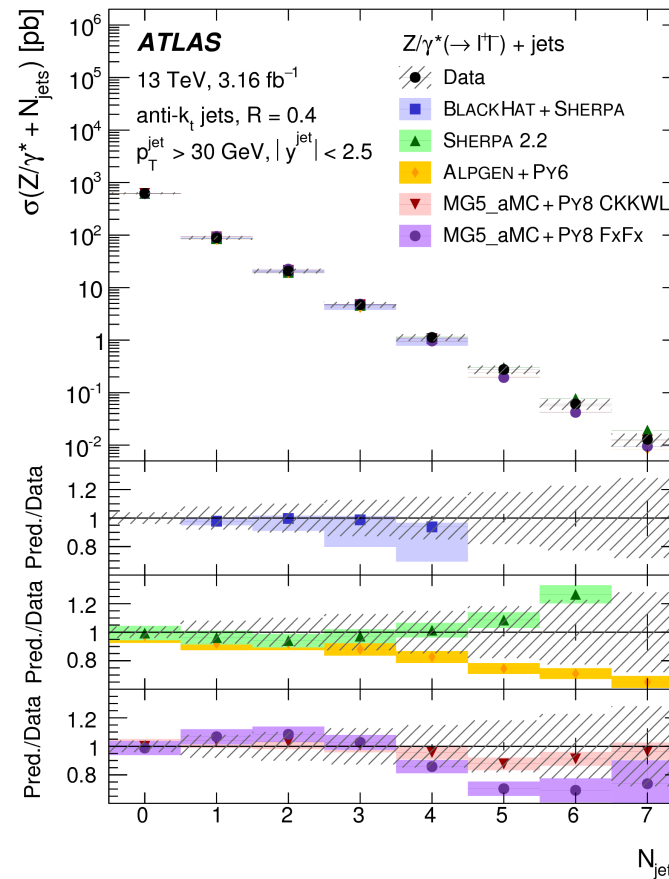
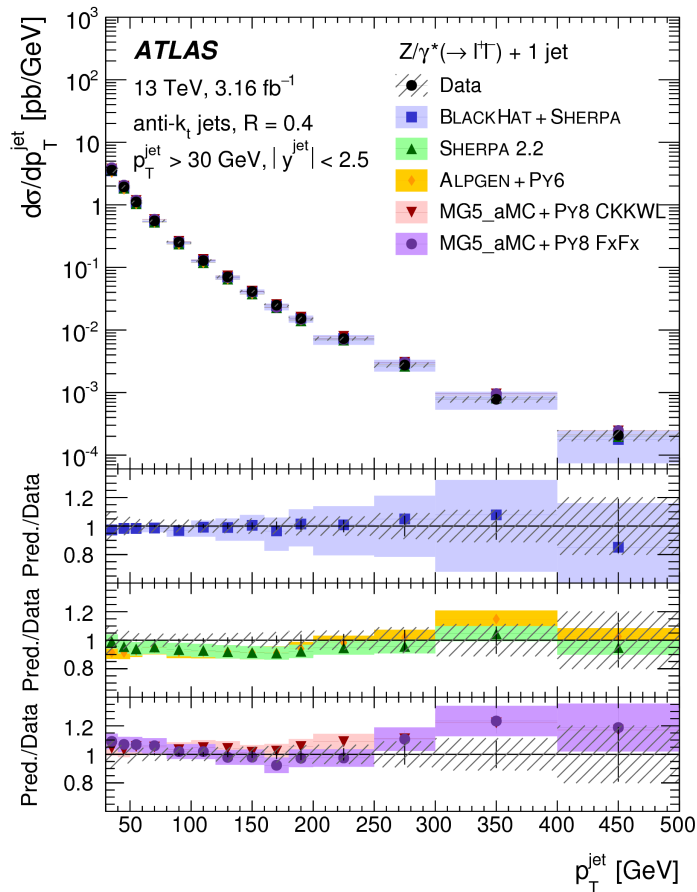
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- The behaviour is similar to previous results

# Measurements of the production cross section of a Z boson + jets

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➤ Leptons:  
 $p_T > 25$  GeV  
 Medium  
 identification  
 $|\eta|_{\text{electrons}} < 2.47$   
 $|\eta|_{\text{muons}} < 2.4$

➤ Jets:  
 $p_T > 30$  GeV  
 $|\eta| < 2.5$

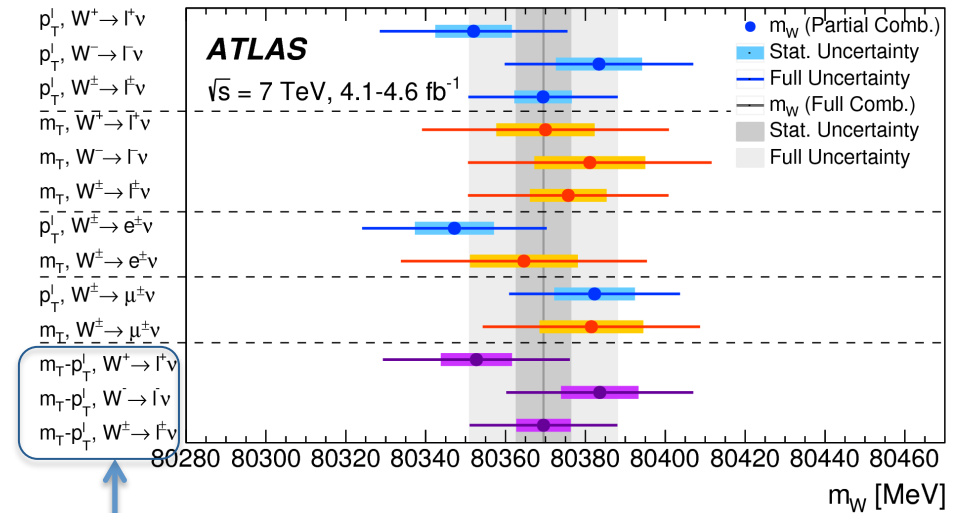
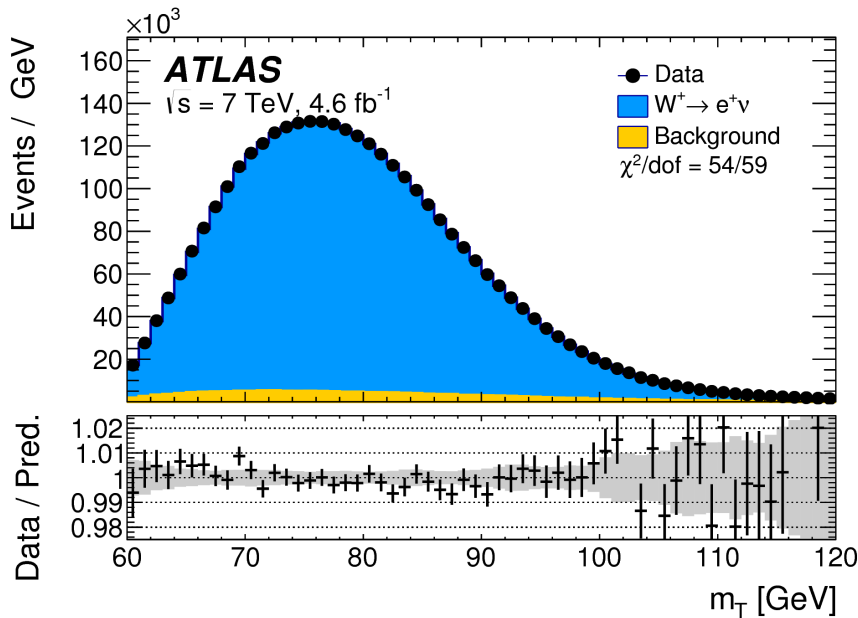
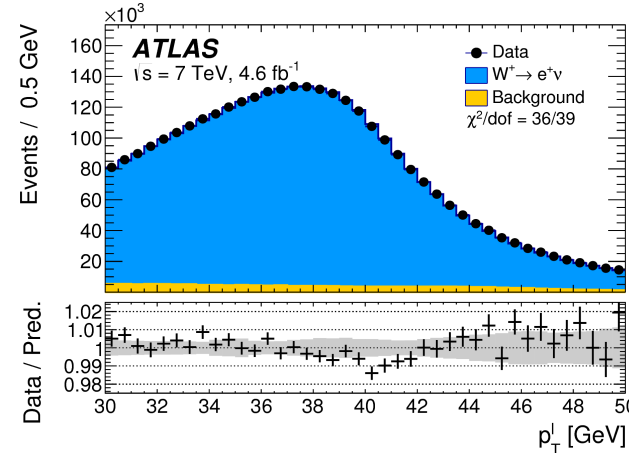
- Agreement with data in range up to  $p_T = 500$  GeV within systematic uncertainties
- Measured cross section as a function of the exclusive jet multiplicity shows disagreement for Sherpa, Alpgen+Py6 and MG5\_aMC+Py8 FxFx in high jet multiplicity region (where jets are produced by the parton shower are non-negligible)

# Measurements of W mass

## Overview of $m_W$ measurements at ATLAS

[arxiv:1701.07240](https://arxiv.org/abs/1701.07240)

- The mass of the W boson is determined from fits to the transverse momentum of the charged lepton and to the transverse mass of the W-boson.
- Detector modeling and physics modeling have to be corrected to achieve a precision of 0.01%, which is required by the global electroweak fit.



$m_W = 80370 \pm 7 \text{ (stat.)} \pm 11 \text{ (exp. syst.)} \pm 14 \text{ (mod. syst.) MeV}$   
 $= 80370 \pm 19 \text{ MeV,}$



# Measurements of W mass

## Overview of systematic uncertainties of the $m_W$ measurements at ATLAS

[arxiv:1701.07240](https://arxiv.org/abs/1701.07240)

- The systematic uncertainties are estimated separately for each source.
- The fit ranges ( $32 < p_T^l < 45$  GeV and  $66 < m_T < 99$  GeV) minimise the total expected measurement uncertainty.
- 4 sources:
  - **electroweak and QCD corrections**
  - **calibration of electrons and muons**
  - **calibration of recoil**
  - **electroweak, top-quark and multijet background estimation**

| Kinematic distribution<br>Decay channel    | $p_T^l$              |                        | $m_T$                |                        |
|--|----------------------|------------------------|----------------------|------------------------|
|  | $W \rightarrow e\nu$ | $W \rightarrow \mu\nu$ | $W \rightarrow e\nu$ | $W \rightarrow \mu\nu$ |
| W-boson charge                             | $W^+$                | $W^-$                  | $W^+$                | $W^-$                  |
| $\delta m_W$ [MeV]                         |                      |                        |                      |                        |
| $W \rightarrow \tau\nu$ (fraction, shape)  | 0.1                  | 0.1                    | 0.1                  | 0.2                    |
| $Z \rightarrow ee$ (fraction, shape)       | 3.3                  | 4.8                    | -                    | -                      |
| $Z \rightarrow \mu\mu$ (fraction, shape)   | -                    | -                      | 3.5                  | 4.5                    |
| $Z \rightarrow \tau\tau$ (fraction, shape) | 0.1                  | 0.1                    | 0.1                  | 0.2                    |
| $WW, WZ, ZZ$ (fraction)                    | 0.1                  | 0.1                    | 0.1                  | 0.4                    |
| Top (fraction)                             | 0.1                  | 0.1                    | 0.1                  | 0.3                    |
| Multijet (fraction)                        | 3.2                  | 3.6                    | 1.8                  | 2.4                    |
| Multijet (shape)                           | 3.8                  | 3.1                    | 1.6                  | 1.5                    |
| Total                                      | 6.0                  | 6.8                    | 4.3                  | 5.3                    |

| Decay channel<br>Kinematic distribution | $W \rightarrow e\nu$ |       | $W \rightarrow \mu\nu$ |       |
|---|----------------------|-------|------------------------|-------|
|   | $p_T^l$              | $m_T$ | $p_T^l$                | $m_T$ |
| $\delta m_W$ [MeV]                      |                      |       |                        |       |
| FSR (real)                              | < 0.1                | < 0.1 | < 0.1                  | < 0.1 |
| Pure weak and IFI corrections           | 3.3                  | 2.5   | 3.5                    | 2.5   |
| FSR (pair production)                   | 3.6                  | 0.8   | 4.4                    | 0.8   |
| Total                                   | 4.9                  | 2.6   | 5.6                    | 2.6   |

| W-boson charge<br>Kinematic distribution               | $W^+$   |       | $W^-$   |       | Combined |       |
|--|---------|-------|---------|-------|----------|-------|
|  | $p_T^l$ | $m_T$ | $p_T^l$ | $m_T$ | $p_T^l$  | $m_T$ |
| $\delta m_W$ [MeV]                                     |         |       |         |       |          |       |
| Fixed-order PDF uncertainty                            | 13.1    | 14.9  | 12.0    | 14.2  | 8.0      | 8.7   |
| AZ tune  | 3.0     | 3.4   | 3.0     | 3.4   | 3.0      | 3.4   |
| Charm-quark mass                                       | 1.2     | 1.5   | 1.2     | 1.5   | 1.2      | 1.5   |
| Parton shower $\mu_F$ with heavy-flavour decorrelation | 5.0     | 6.9   | 5.0     | 6.9   | 5.0      | 6.9   |
| Parton shower PDF uncertainty                          | 3.6     | 4.0   | 2.6     | 2.4   | 1.0      | 1.6   |
| Angular coefficients                                   | 5.8     | 5.3   | 5.8     | 5.3   | 5.8      | 5.3   |
| Total  | 15.9    | 18.1  | 14.8    | 17.2  | 11.6     | 12.9  |

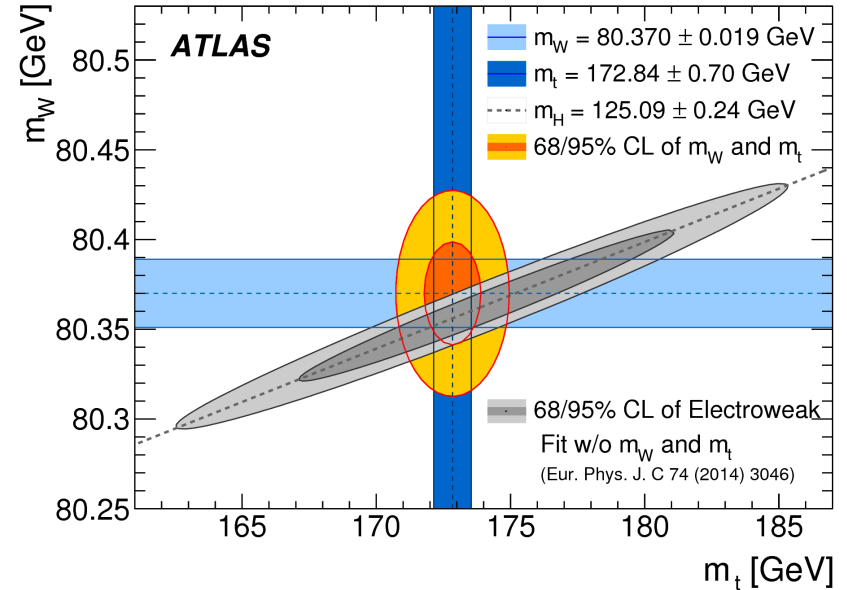
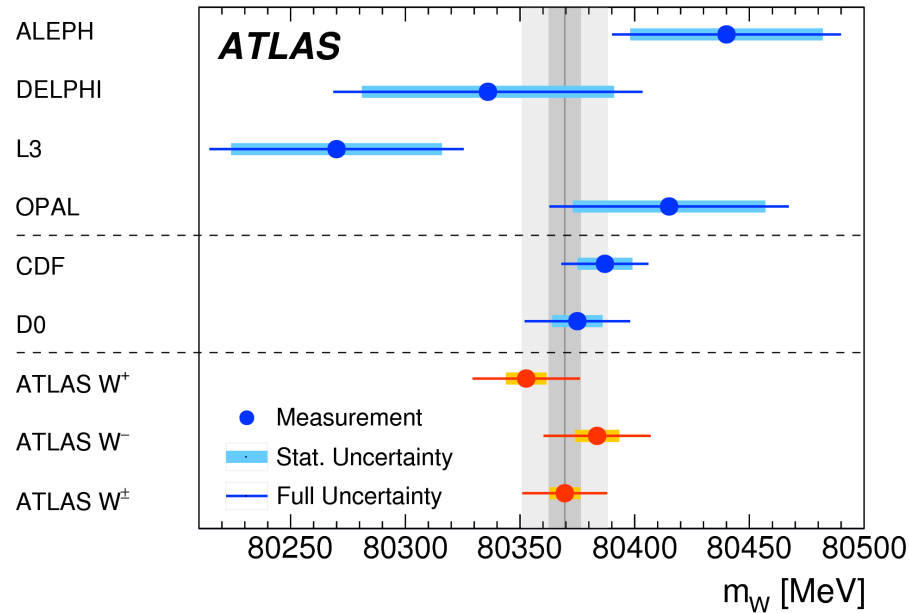
| $ \eta_l $ range<br>Kinematic distribution | [0.0, 0.6] |       | [0.6, 1.2] |       | [1.82, 2.4] |       | Combined |       |
|--|------------|-------|------------|-------|-------------|-------|----------|-------|
|  | $p_T^l$    | $m_T$ | $p_T^l$    | $m_T$ | $p_T^l$     | $m_T$ | $p_T^l$  | $m_T$ |
| $\delta m_W$ [MeV]                         |            |       |            |       |             |       |          |       |
| Energy scale                               | 10.4       | 10.3  | 10.8       | 10.1  | 16.1        | 17.1  | 8.1      | 8.0   |
| Energy resolution                          | 5.0        | 6.0   | 7.3        | 6.7   | 10.4        | 15.5  | 3.5      | 5.5   |
| Energy linearity                           | 2.2        | 4.2   | 5.8        | 8.9   | 8.6         | 10.6  | 3.4      | 5.5   |
| Energy tails                               | 2.3        | 3.3   | 2.3        | 3.3   | 2.3         | 3.3   | 2.3      | 3.3   |
| Reconstruction efficiency                  | 10.5       | 8.8   | 9.9        | 7.8   | 14.5        | 11.0  | 7.2      | 6.0   |
| Identification efficiency                  | 10.4       | 7.7   | 11.7       | 8.8   | 16.7        | 12.1  | 7.3      | 5.6   |
| Trigger and isolation efficiencies         | 0.2        | 0.5   | 0.3        | 0.5   | 2.0         | 2.2   | 0.8      | 0.9   |
| Charge mismeasurement                      | 0.2        | 0.2   | 0.2        | 0.2   | 1.5         | 1.5   | 0.1      | 0.1   |
| Total                                      | 19.0       | 17.5  | 21.1       | 19.4  | 30.7        | 30.5  | 14.2     | 14.3  |

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| $\delta m_W$ [MeV]                                      |         |       |         |       |          |       |
| $\langle \mu \rangle$ scale factor                      | 0.2     | 1.0   | 0.2     | 1.0   | 0.2      | 1.0   |
| $\Sigma \bar{E}_T$ correction                           | 0.9     | 12.2  | 1.1     | 10.2  | 1.0      | 11.2  |
| Residual corrections (statistics)                       | 2.0     | 2.7   | 2.0     | 2.7   | 2.0      | 2.7   |
| Residual corrections (interpolation)                    | 1.4     | 3.1   | 1.4     | 3.1   | 1.4      | 3.1   |
| Residual corrections ( $Z \rightarrow W$ extrapolation) | 0.2     | 5.8   | 0.2     | 4.3   | 0.2      | 5.1   |
| Total   | 2.6     | 14.2  | 2.7     | 11.8  | 2.6      | 13.0  |

# Measurements of W mass

$M_W = 80370 \pm 19 \text{ MeV}$

[arxiv:1701.07240](https://arxiv.org/abs/1701.07240)



- close to current world average and compatible to current best ones.
- consistent with other results and SM electroweak fit

# Z pT measurement

[arxiv:1701.07240](https://arxiv.org/abs/1701.07240)

## General approach of W boson mass measurement:

Precise measurement of the Z boson production and testing the MC event generators there.  
One more important aspect: modeling of the angular coefficients.

The correction procedure is based on the factorisation of the fully differential leptonic Drell-Yan cross-section:

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dp_1 dp_2} = \left[ \frac{d\sigma(m)}{dm} \right] \left[ \frac{d\sigma(y)}{dy} \right] \left[ \frac{d\sigma(p_T, y)}{dp_T dy} \left( \frac{d\sigma(y)}{dy} \right)^{-1} \right] \left[ (1 + \cos^2 \theta) + \sum_{i=0}^7 A_i(p_T, y) P_i(\cos \theta, \phi) \right]$$

Breit-Wigner

Parton Showers

Perturbative QCD

Fixed-order perturbative QCD predictions

where  $A_i$  – angular coefficients ( $A_i$  are the ratios of the helicity cross-sections for  $Z/\gamma^*$  relative to unpolarized productions):

$$\langle \frac{1}{2}(1 - 3\cos^2 \theta) \rangle = \frac{3}{20}(A_0 - \frac{2}{3})$$

$$\langle \sin 2\theta \cos \phi \rangle = \frac{1}{5} A_1$$

$$\langle \sin^2 \theta \cos 2\phi \rangle = \frac{1}{10} A_2$$

$$\langle \sin \theta \cos \phi \rangle = \frac{1}{4} A_3$$

$$\langle \cos \theta \rangle = \frac{1}{4} A_4$$

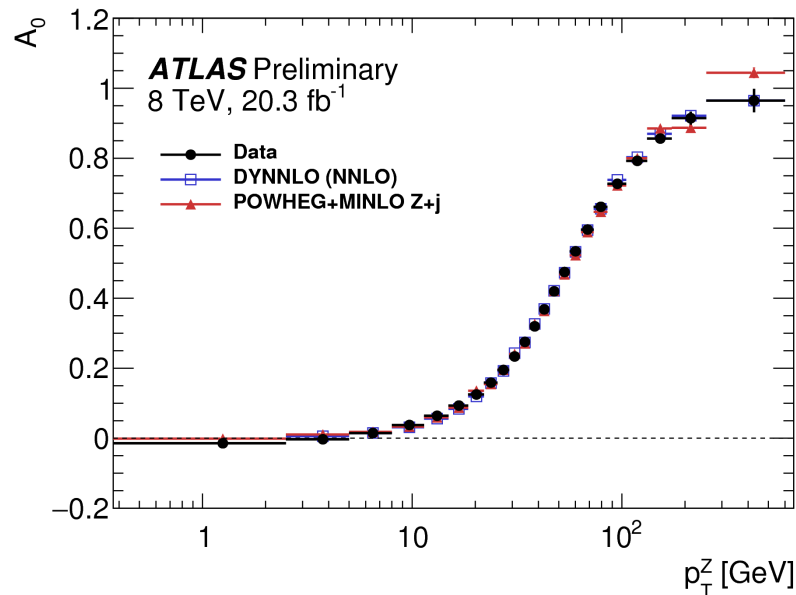
$$\langle \sin^2 \theta \sin 2\phi \rangle = \frac{1}{5} A_5$$

$$\langle \sin 2\theta \sin \phi \rangle = \frac{1}{5} A_6$$

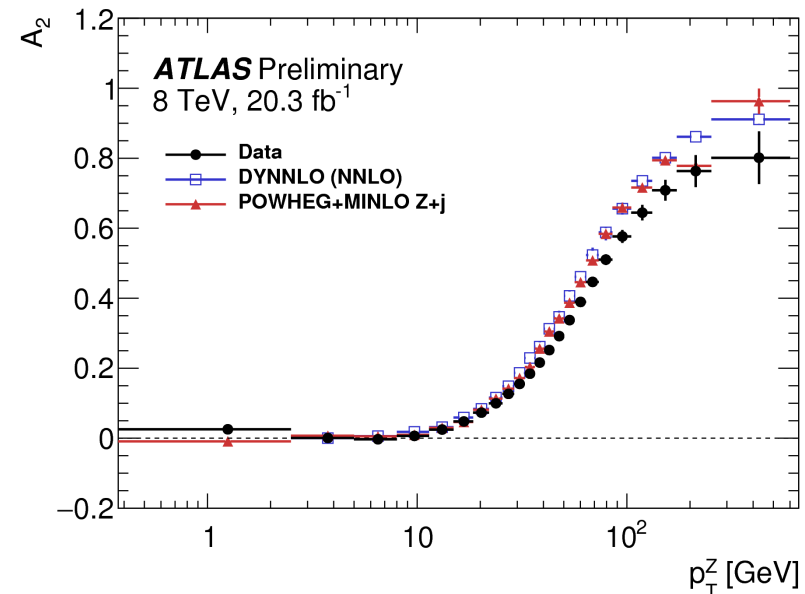
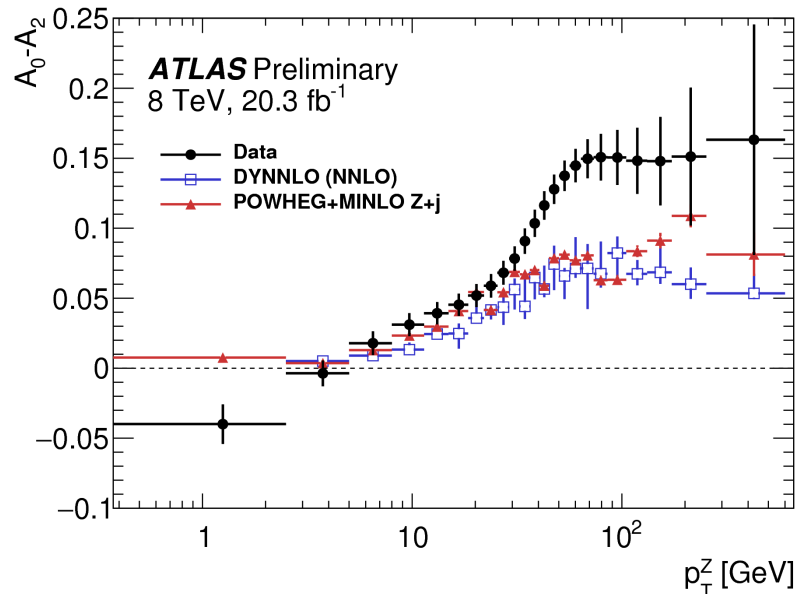
$$\langle \sin \theta \sin \phi \rangle = \frac{1}{4} A_7$$

# Measurement of angular coefficients

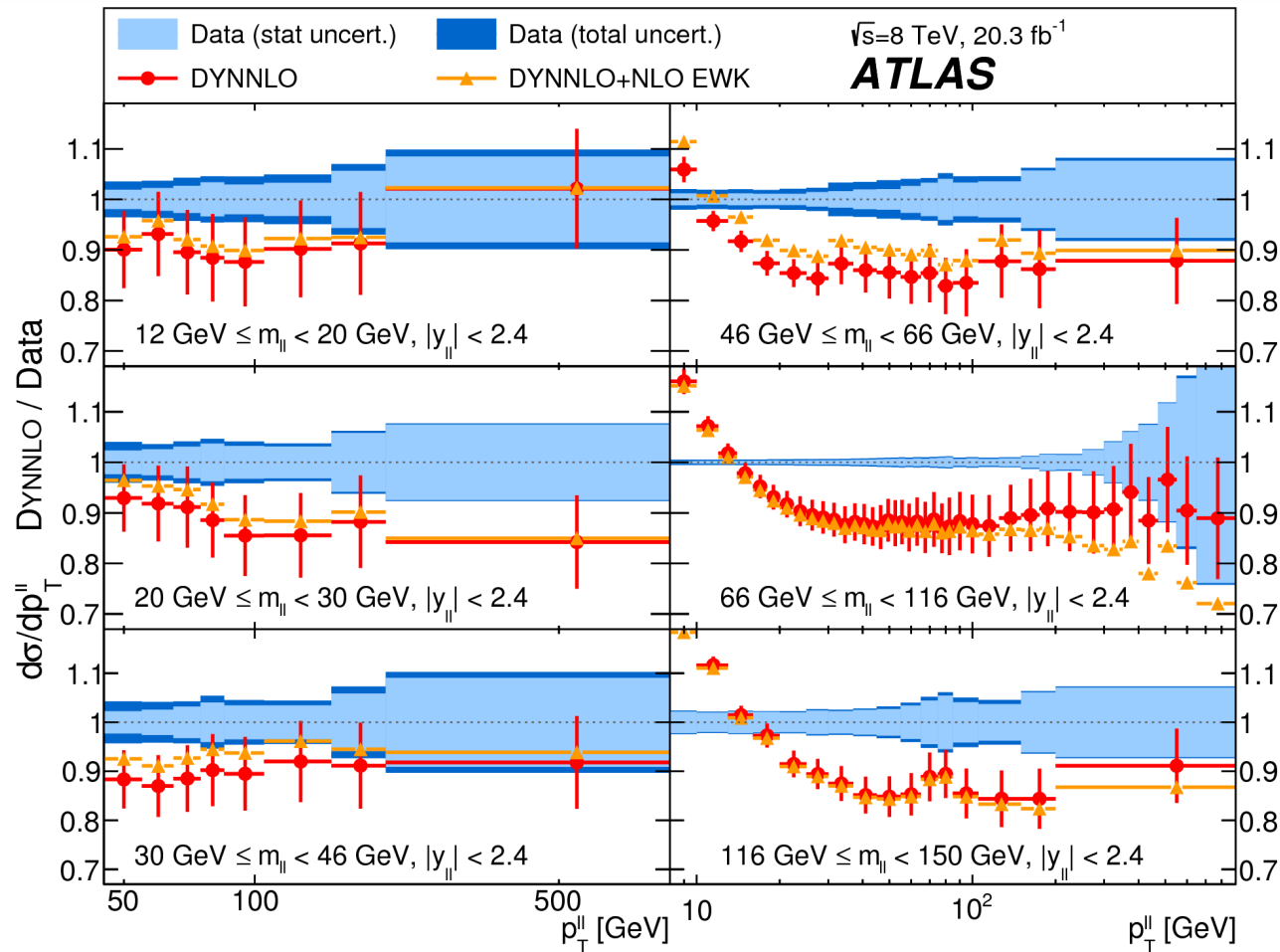
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- $A_0$ - $A_2$  (Lam-Tung) sensitive to higher order corrections (significant deviation from NNLO predictions)



# Precision $p_T$ Z-boson measurement

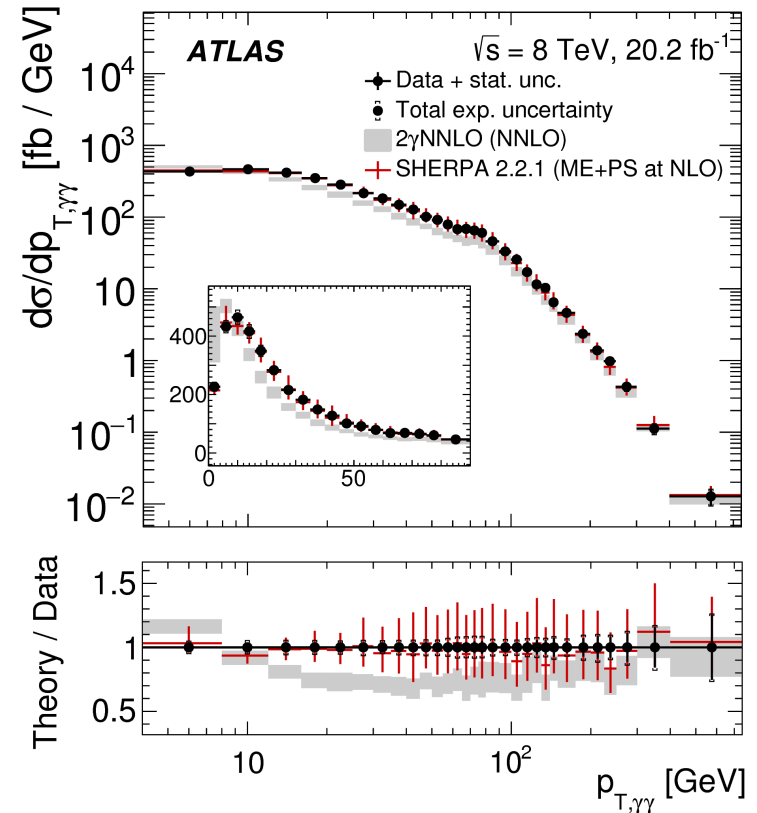
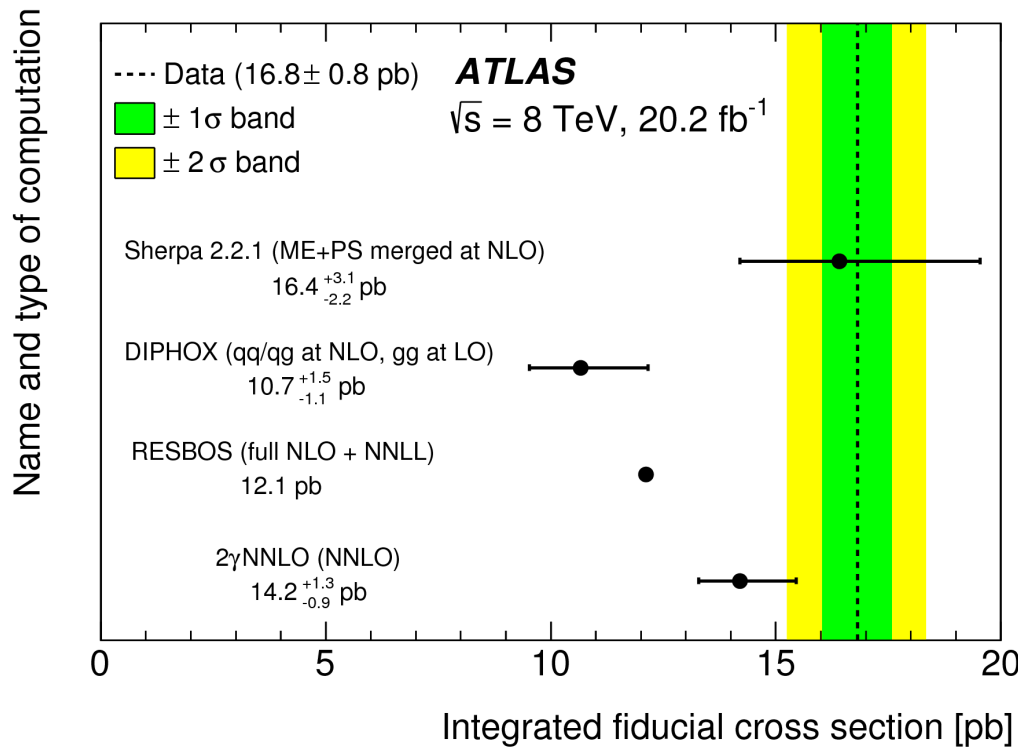


[arxiv:1512.02192](https://arxiv.org/abs/1512.02192)

- predictions are not expected to describe the shape of the data for low values of  $p_T^{\parallel}$  due to effect soft-gluon emissions
- no significant changes due to NLO EWK correction vs the difference between the predictions and the data

# Isolated photon pair production

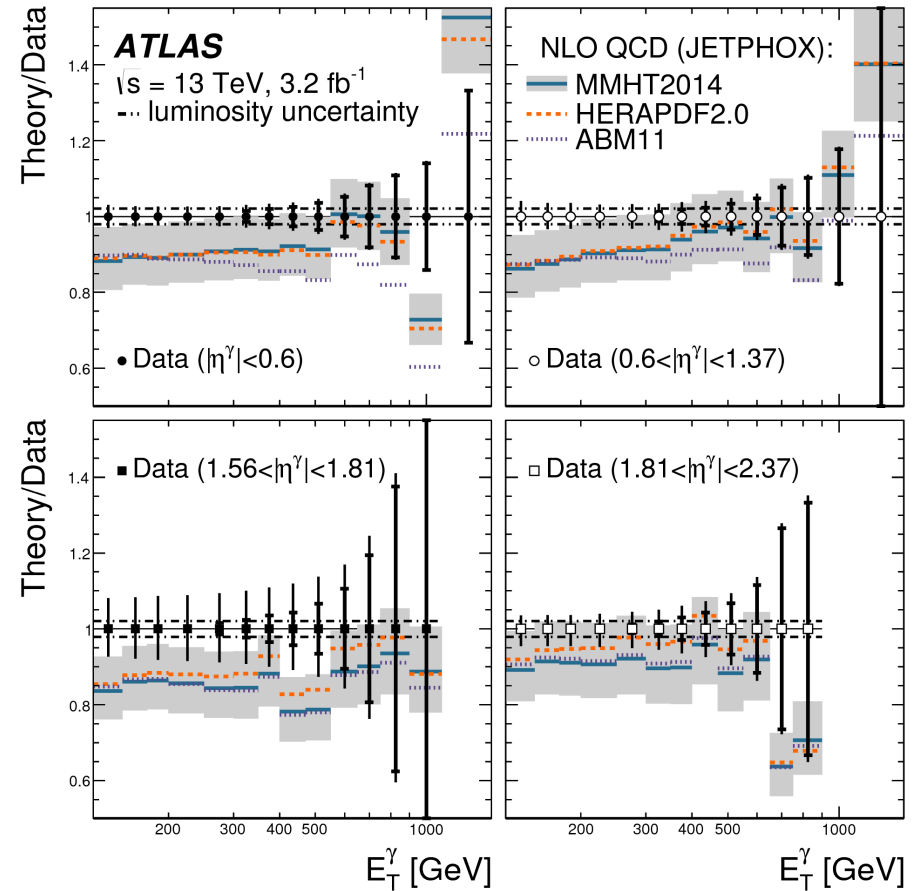
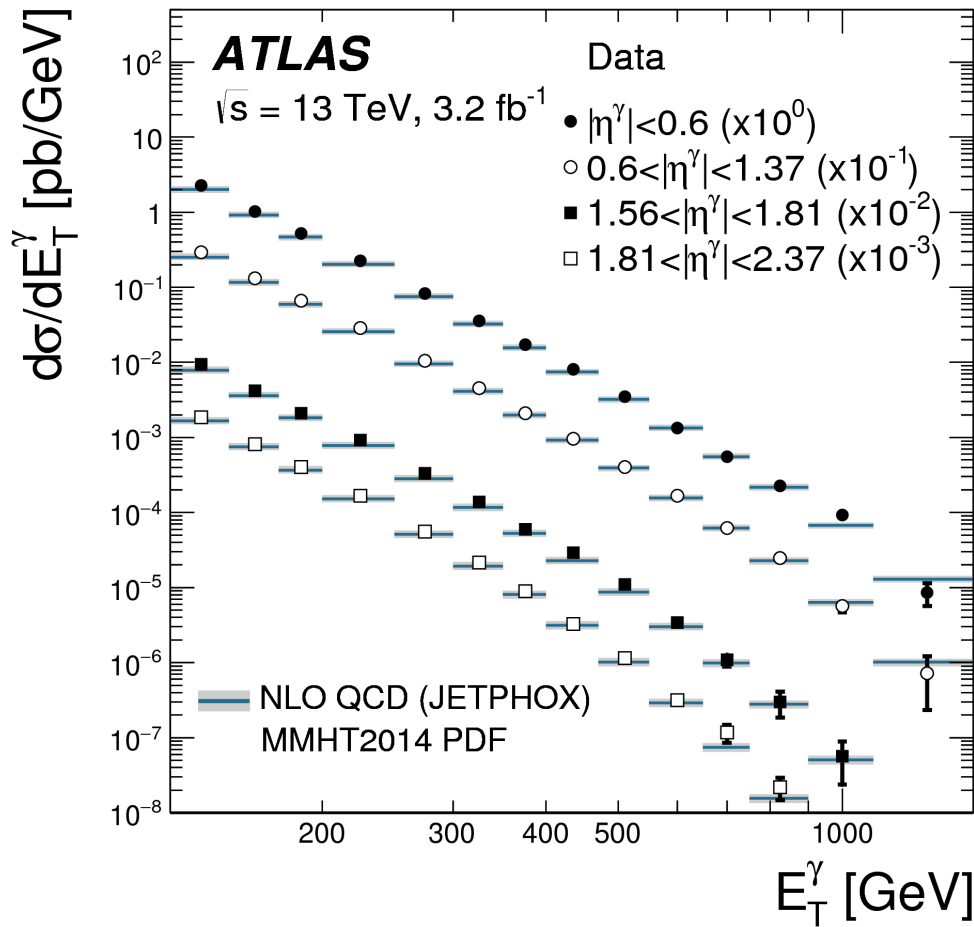
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- The prediction from Diphox (NLO) - 36% lower (>2 standard deviations)
- The prediction from Resbos (NLO + NNLO) -28%
- The prediction from  $2\gamma$ NNLO (NNLO) - 16%
- The prediction from Sherpa 2.2.1 (ME+PS at NLO) is in agreement with the data.

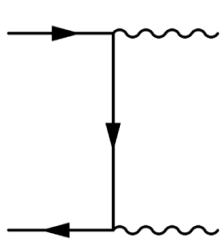
# Inclusive isolated-photon production

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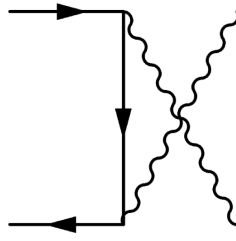


- NLO perturbative QCD and Monte Carlo event-generator predictions provide an adequate description of the data

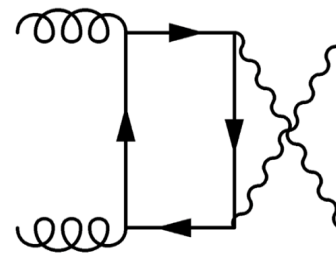
# Dibosons production



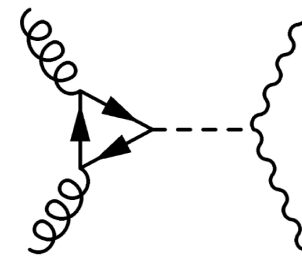
(a) *t*-channel



(b) *u*-channel



(e)

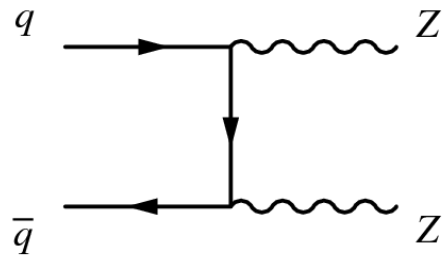


(f)

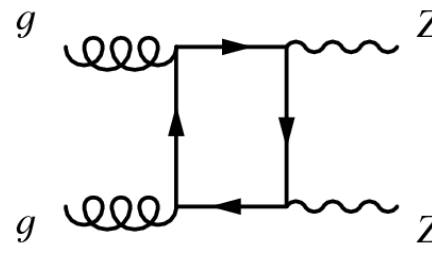
Lowest-order Feynman diagrams for ZZ production:

(a) and (b) - contribute to ZZ production cross-sections

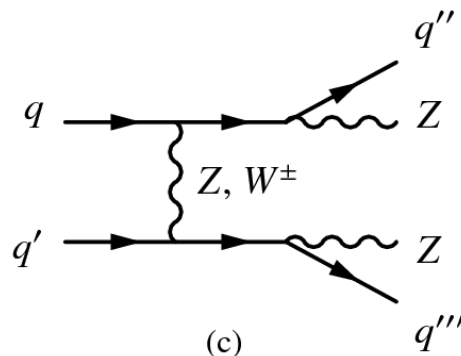
(e) and (f) - one-loop contributions to ZZ production via gluon pairs



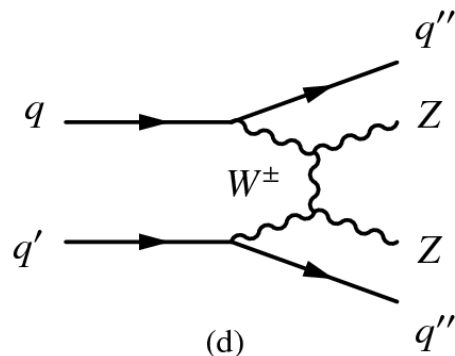
(a)



(b)



(c)



(d)

Leading-order SM Feynman diagrams for ZZ production:

(a) qq-initiated

(b) gg-initiated

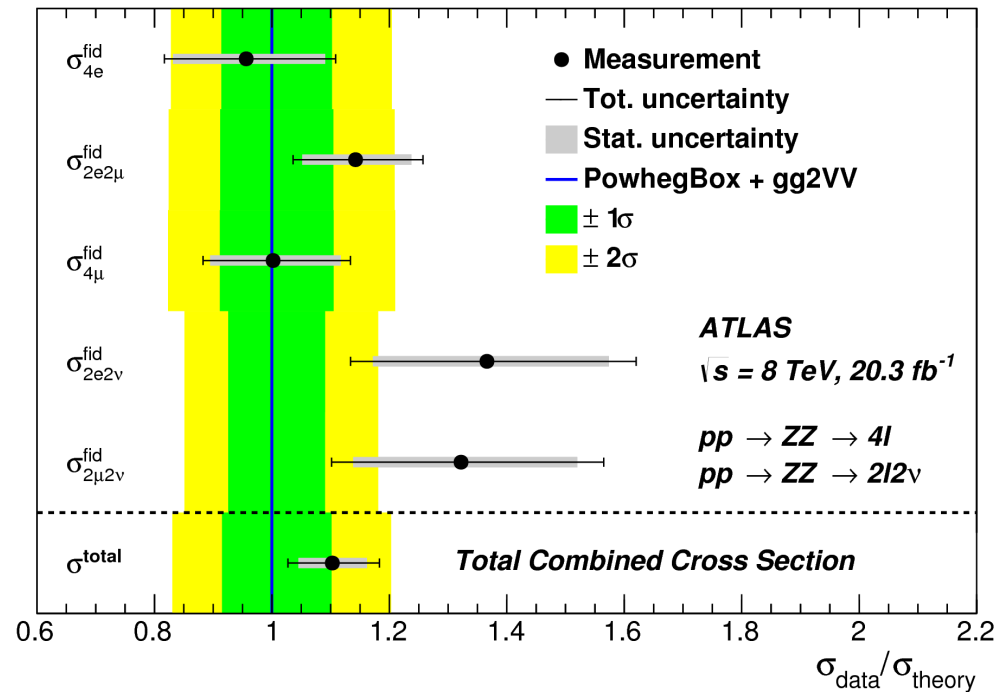
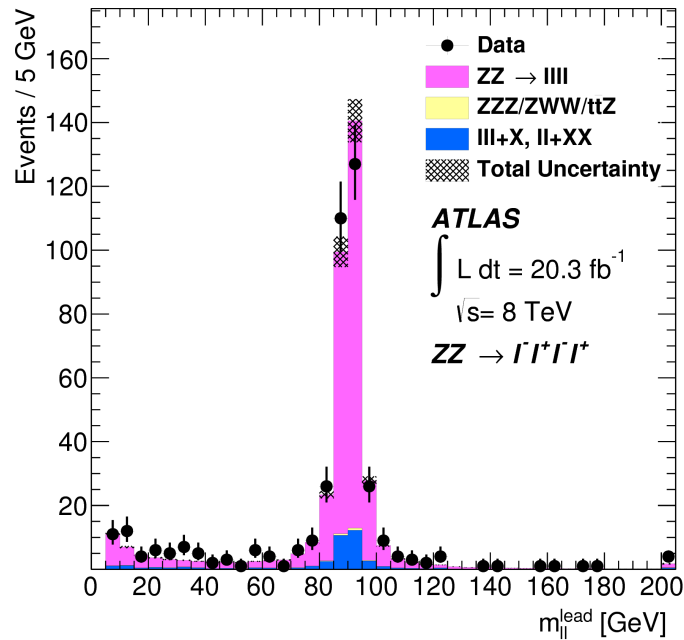
(c) electroweak ZZjj production

(d) electroweak ZZjj production via weak-boson scattering



# Measurement of the ZZ production cross section

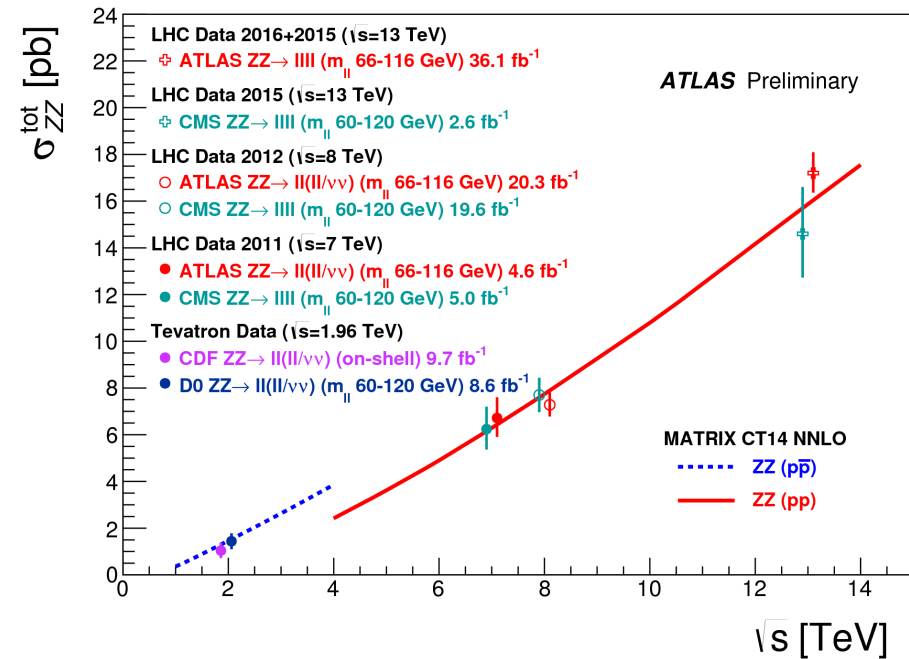
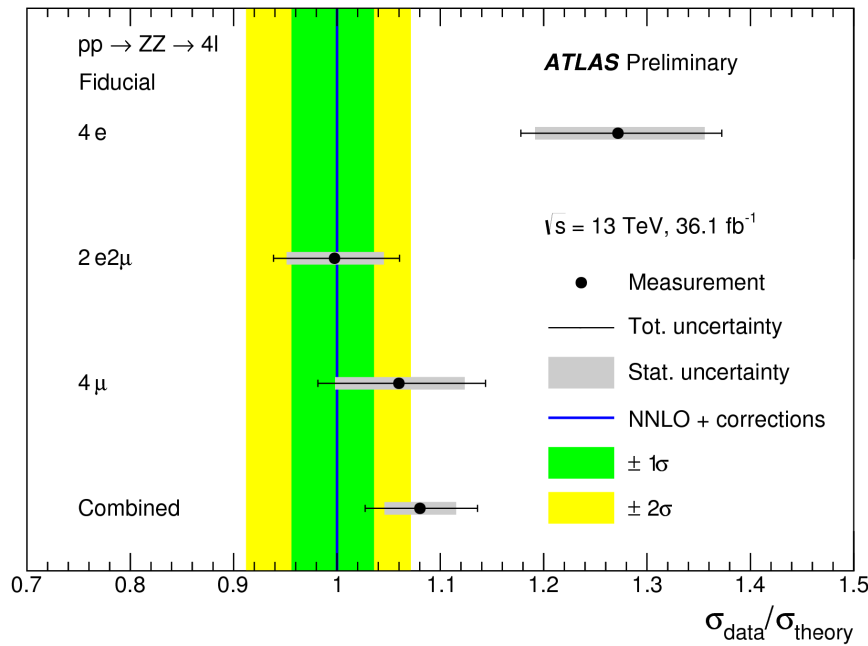
[arXiv:1610.07585](https://arxiv.org/abs/1610.07585)



- The cross section:  $7.3 \pm 0.4(\text{stat.}) \pm 0.3(\text{syst.}) \pm 0.2(\text{lumi})$  pb
- The result is consistent with latest SM predictions (that include high-order QCD effects)

# Measurement of the ZZ production cross section

<https://atlas.web.cern.ch/Atlas/GROUPS/PHYSICS/CONFNOTES/ATLAS-CONF-2017-031/>



- The cross section:  $46.4 \pm 1.5$  (stat.)  $\pm 1.0$  (syst.)  $^{+1.5}_{-1.4}$  (lumi) pb
- The result is consistent with latest SM predictions

# Conclusions

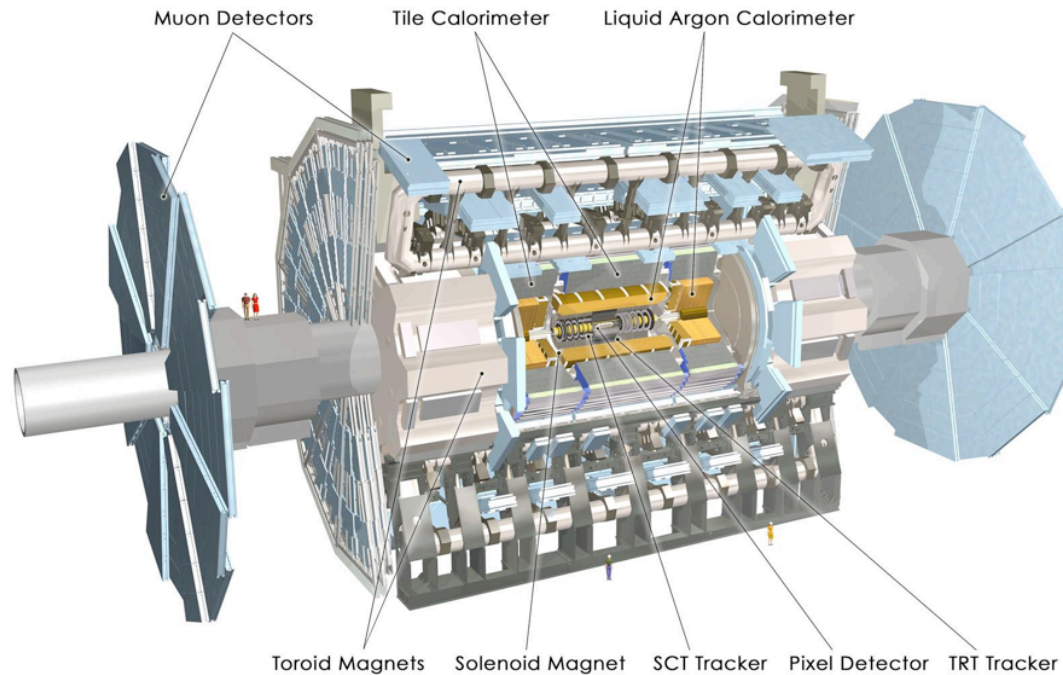
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- A lot of QCD and electroweak measurement were done by ATLAS collaboration.
- Only small part shown today (the latest results)!
- The presented results are consistent with theoretical predictions
- A lot of analysis are ongoing using larger statistic available (@13 TeV )

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# BACKUP

# The ATLAS detector



- Multi-purpose particle detector at the LHC
- High-efficiency particle reconstruction and identification

Recorded data with ATLAS detector:

- 7 TeV – 4.6 fb<sup>-1</sup>
- 8 TeV – 20.2 fb<sup>-1</sup>
- 13 TeV – 36.1 fb<sup>-1</sup>

