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Search for lepton flavour violation with the CMS detector

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The experimental observation of neutrino oscillations proves that neutrinos have mass and Lepton Flavour is not conserved in the neutral sector. This implies that Lepton Flavour non-conservation occurs also in the charged sector through neutrino loops, which, however, are extremely suppressed, well beyond the foresee-able experimental reach. On the other hand, several Beyond the Standard Model scenarios predict charged LFV processes, such as tau->3mu, to have branching fractions at the level of $10^{-10} - 10^{-10}$, which can be achieved by the current experiment in the near or medium term. We present the search for the LFV tau->3mu decay using tau leptons from B and D mesons, as well as from W bosons, based on the 2016 CMS pp dataset, corresponding to an integrated luminosity of 33.1/fb.

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