



# Higgs Decay to Light Jets

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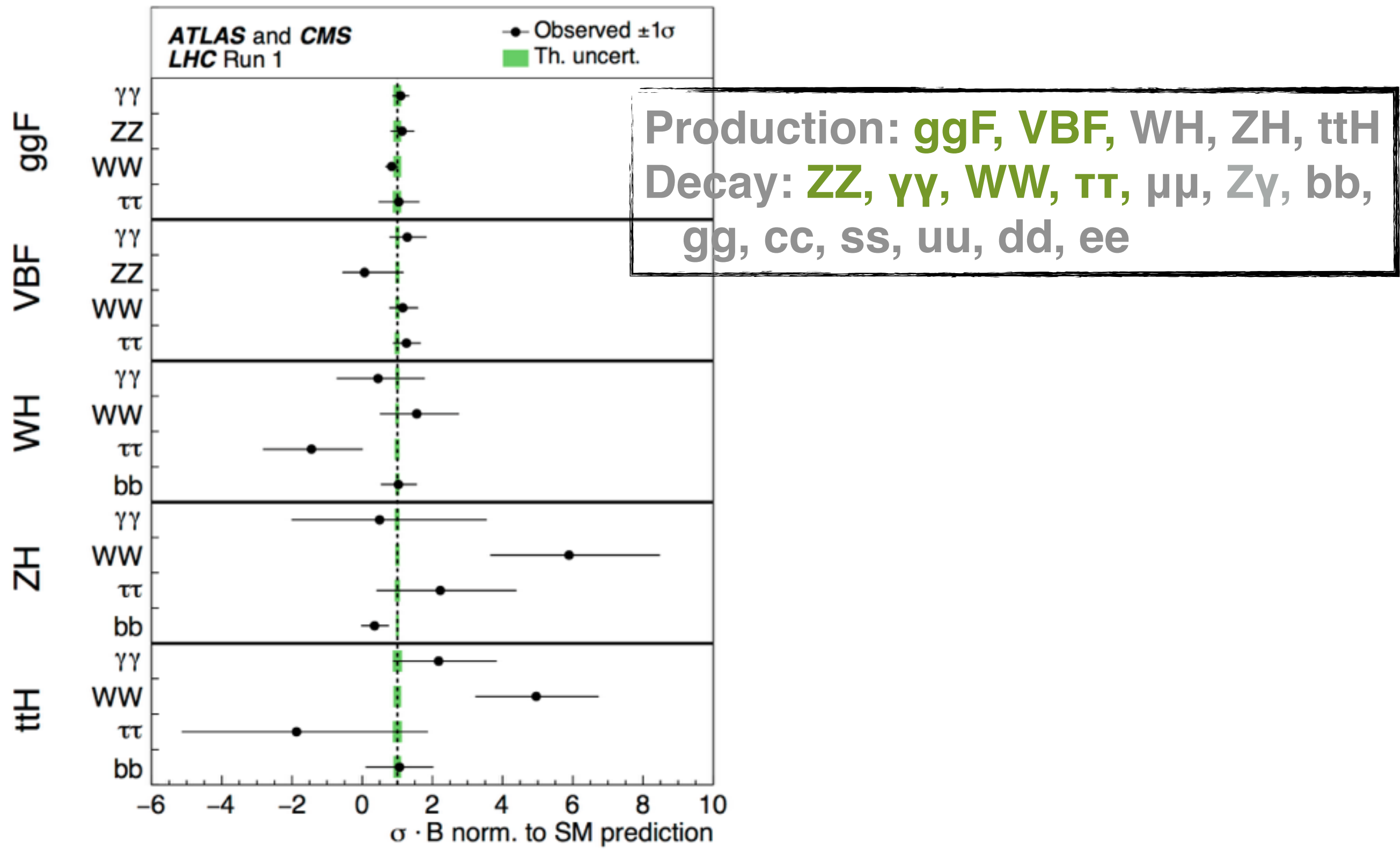
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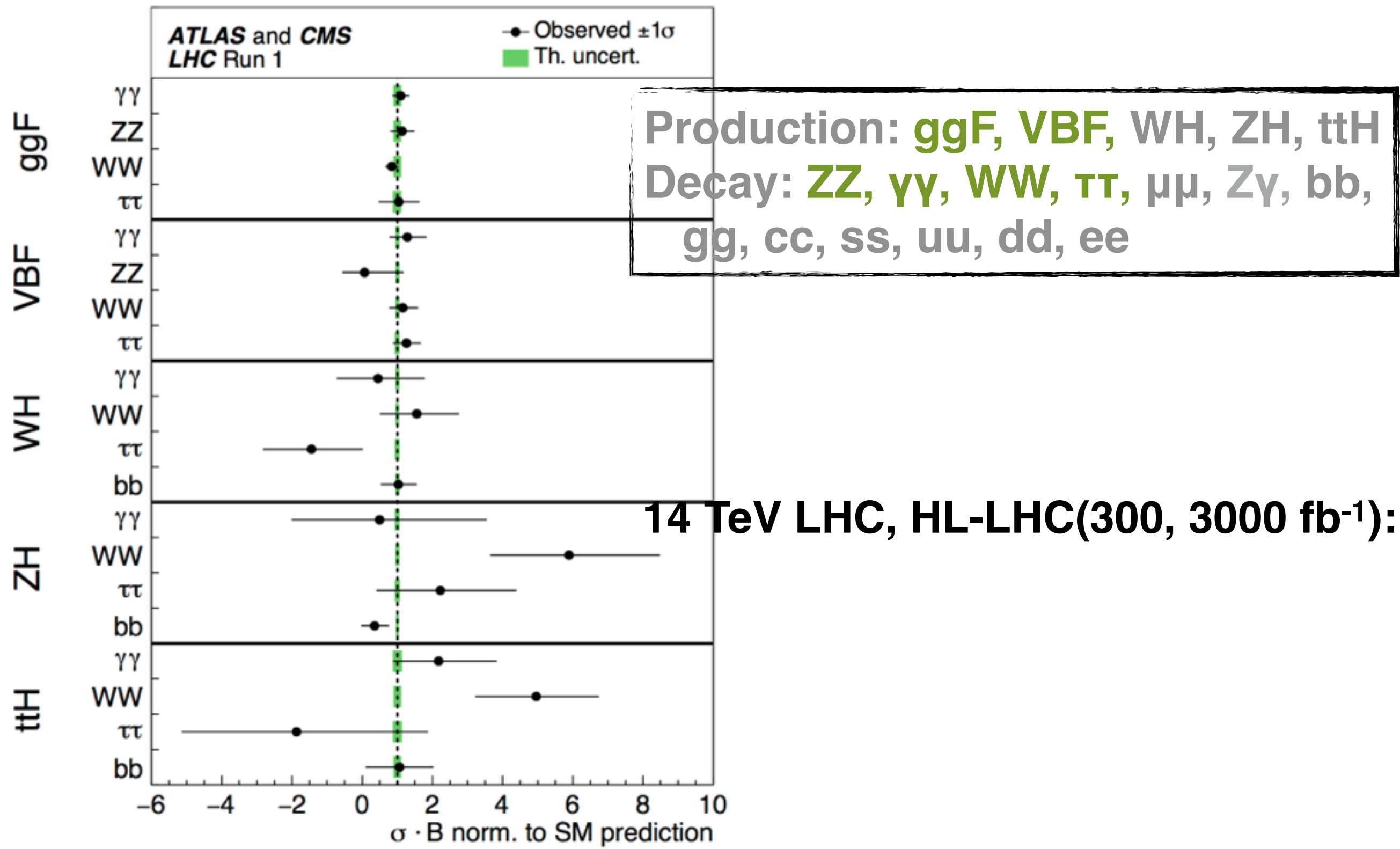
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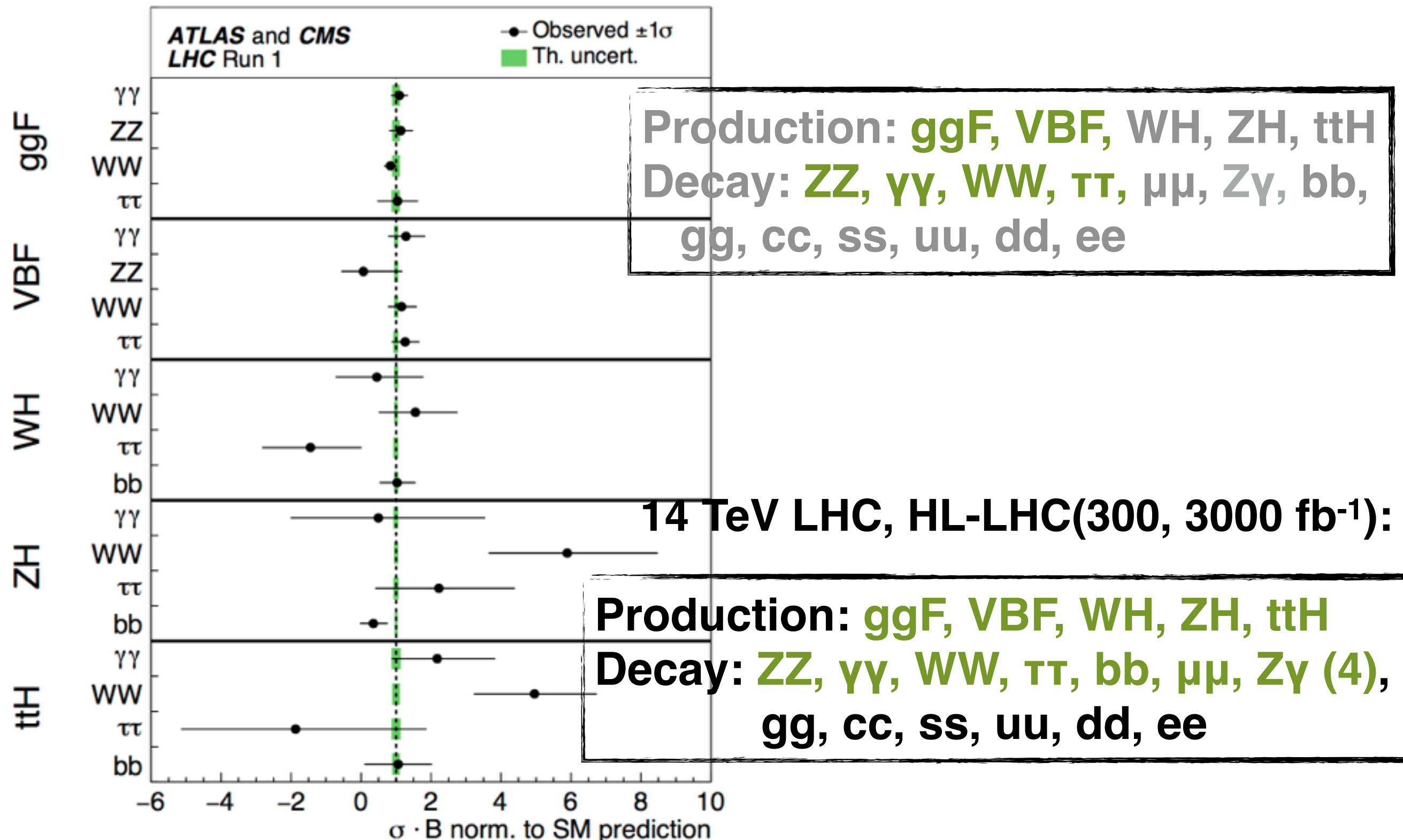
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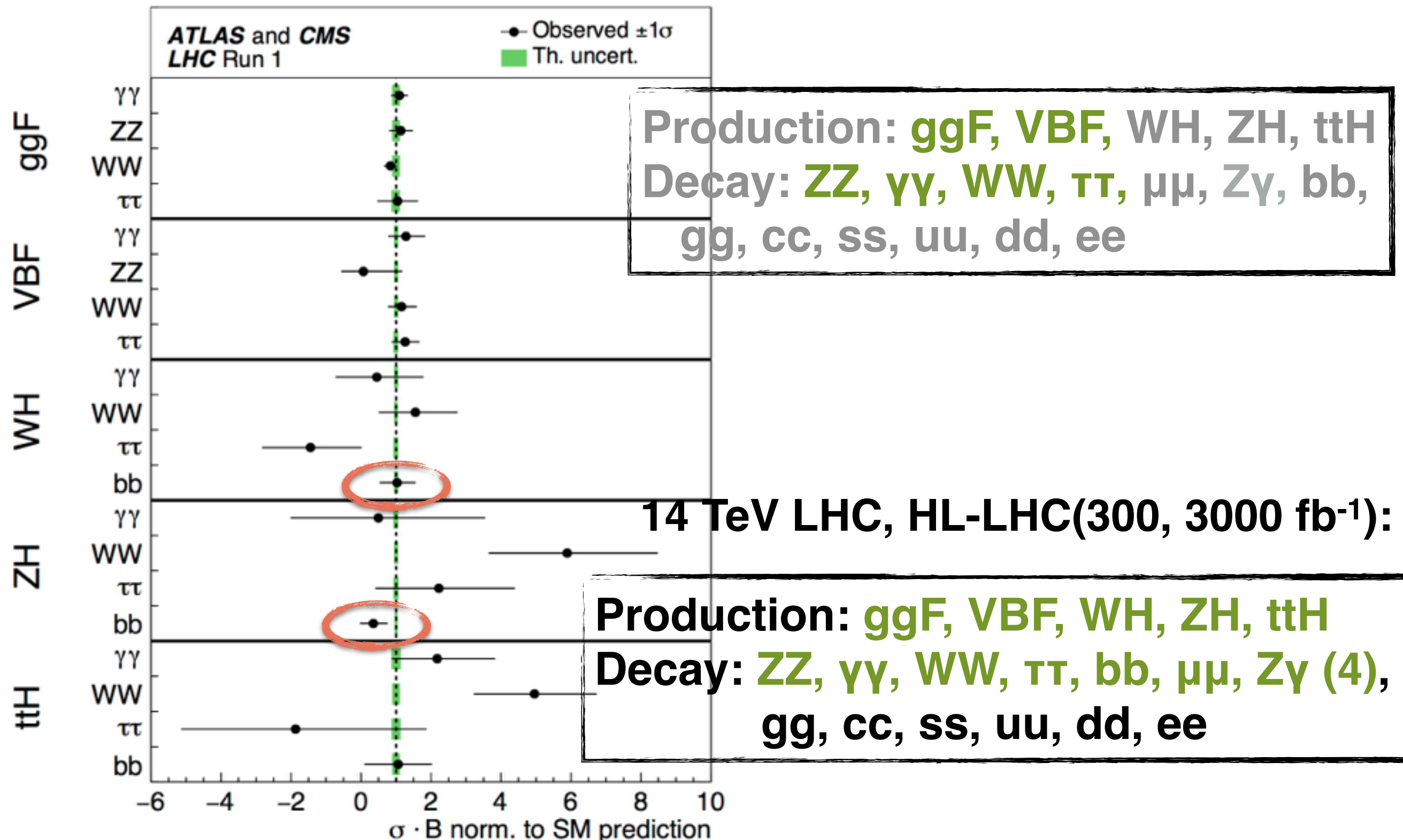
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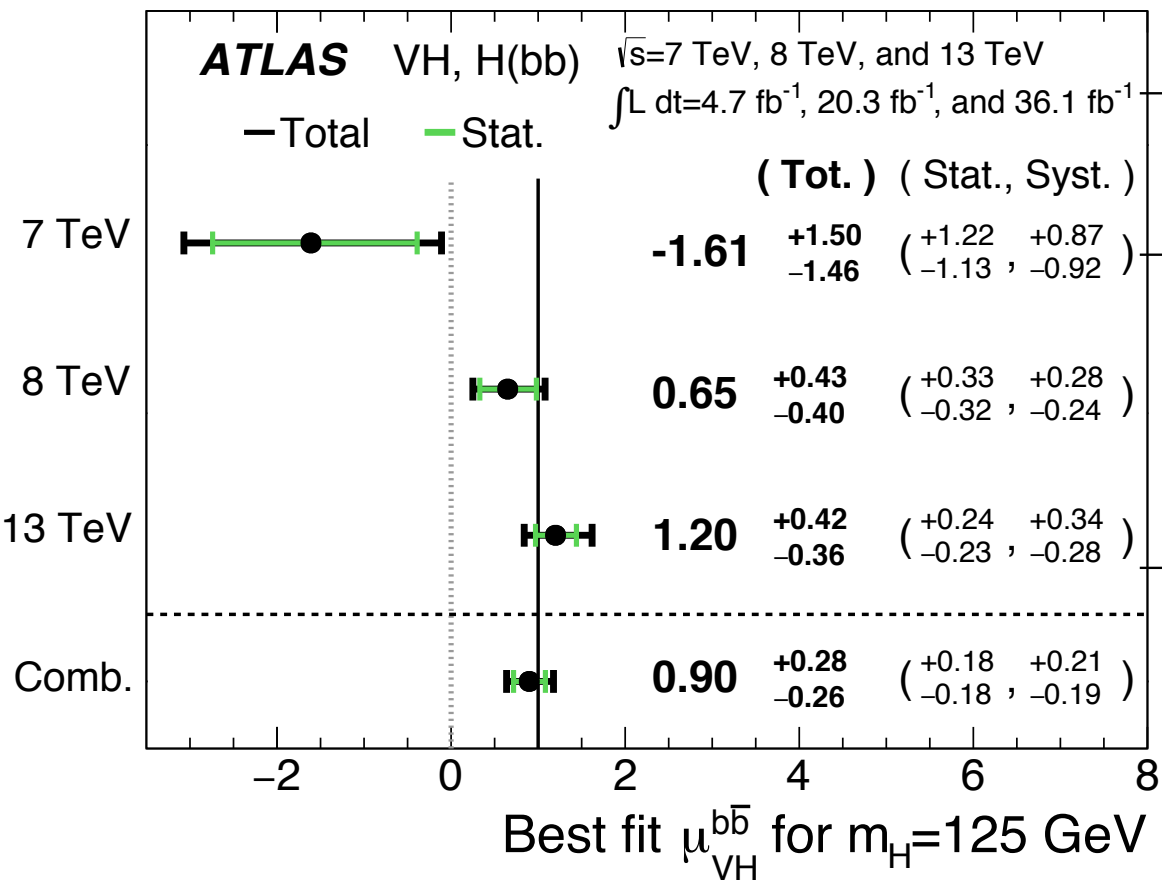
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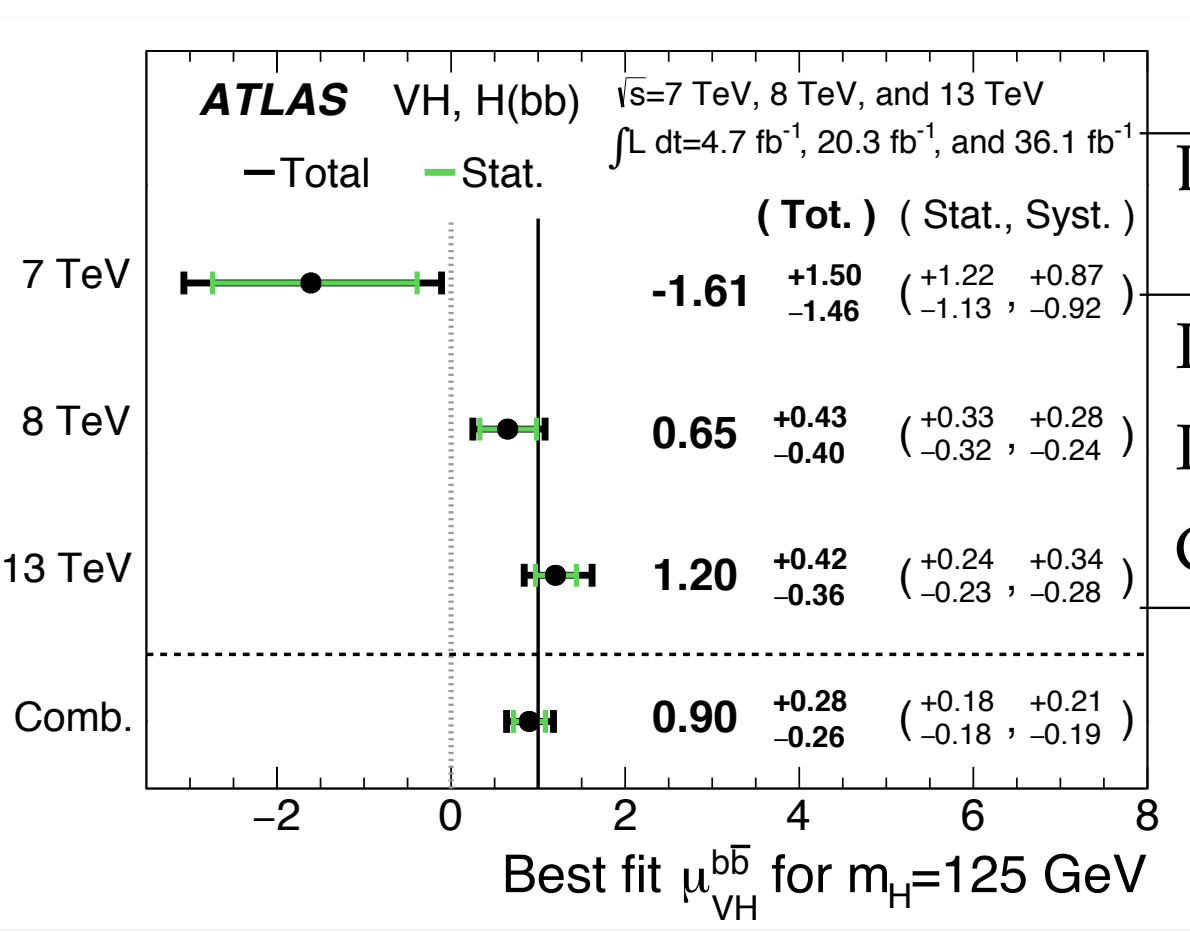
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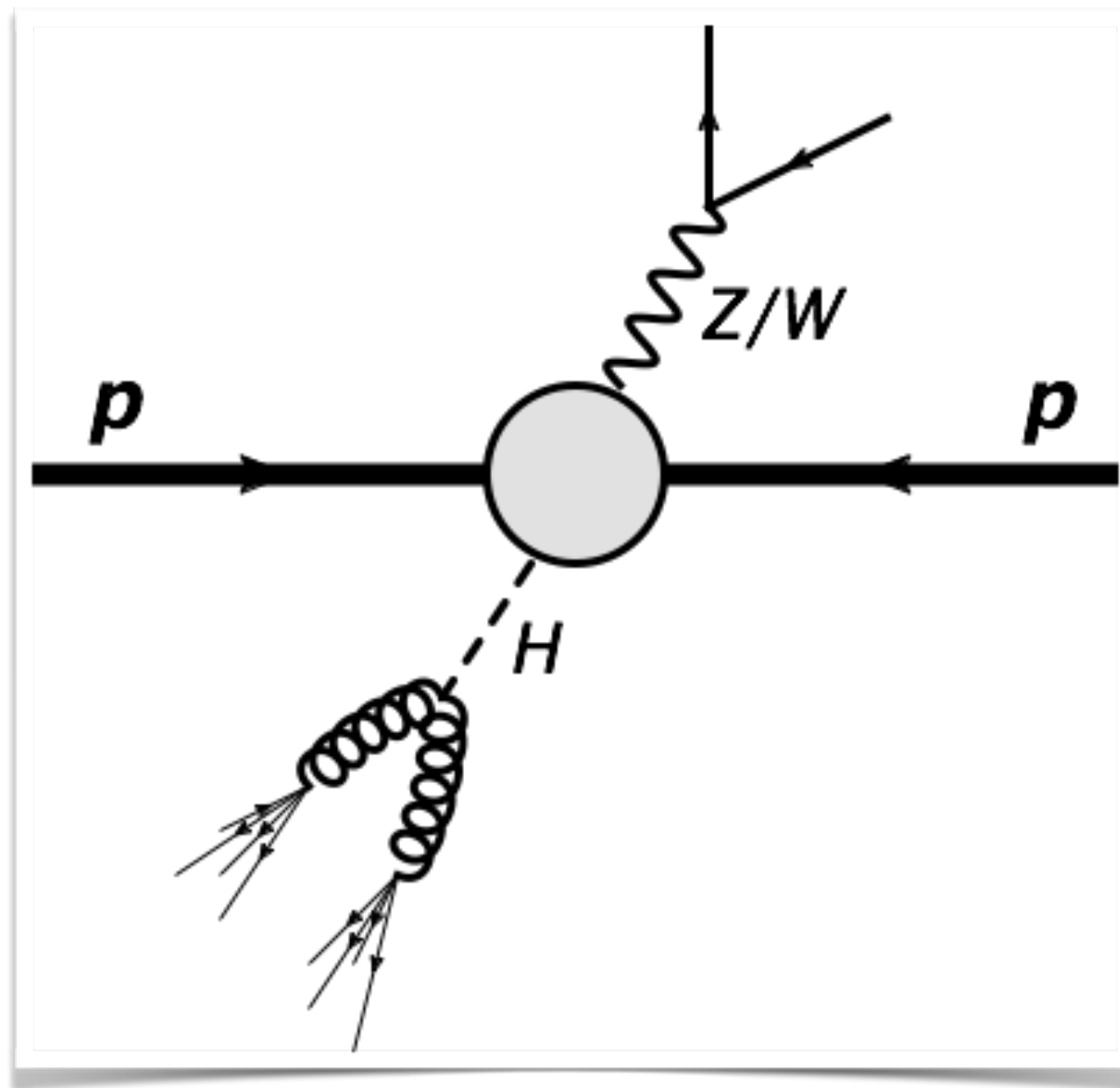
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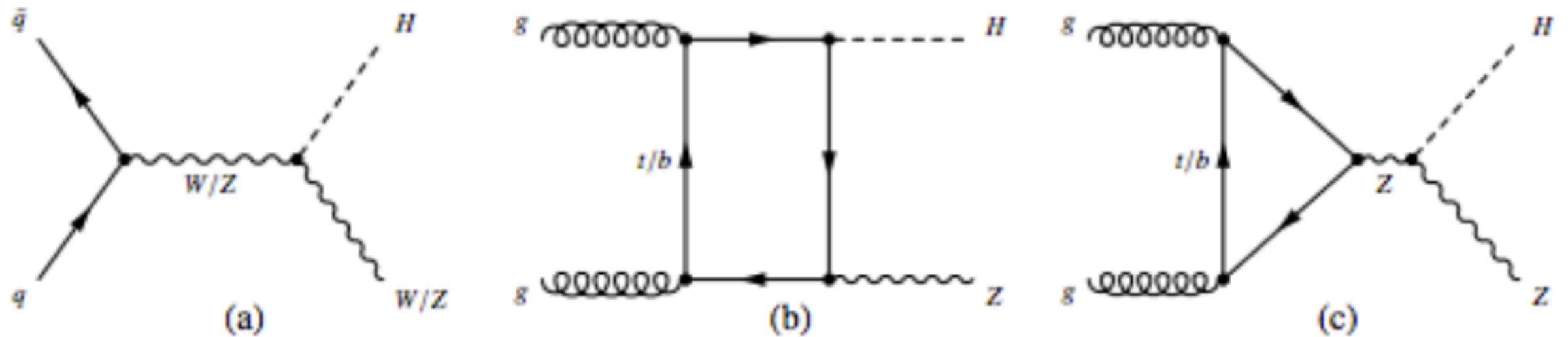
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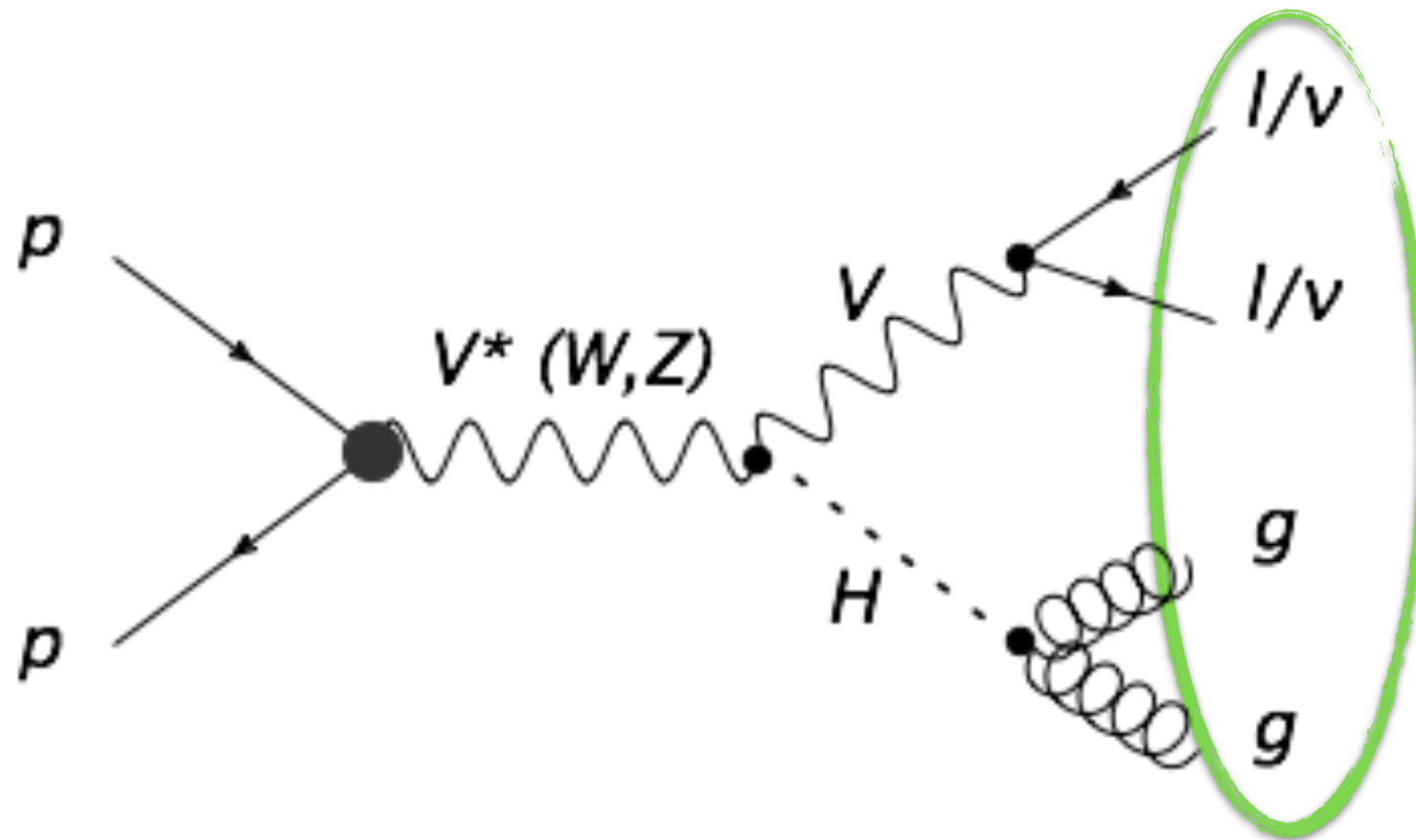
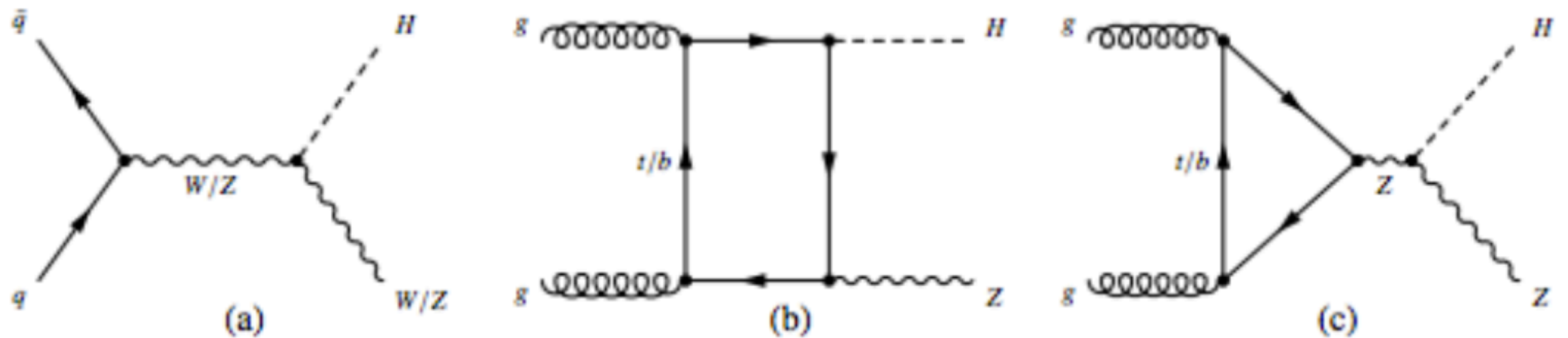
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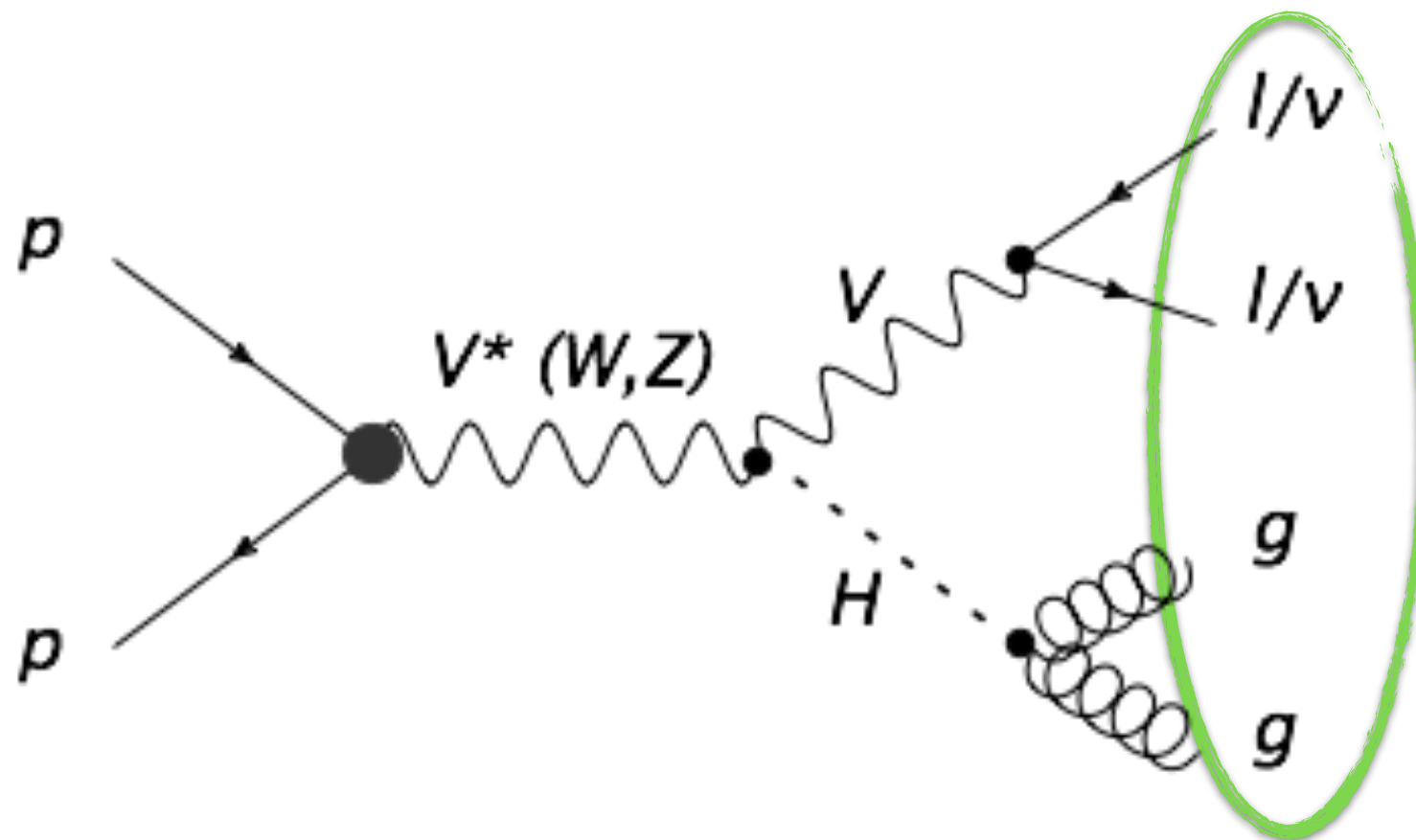
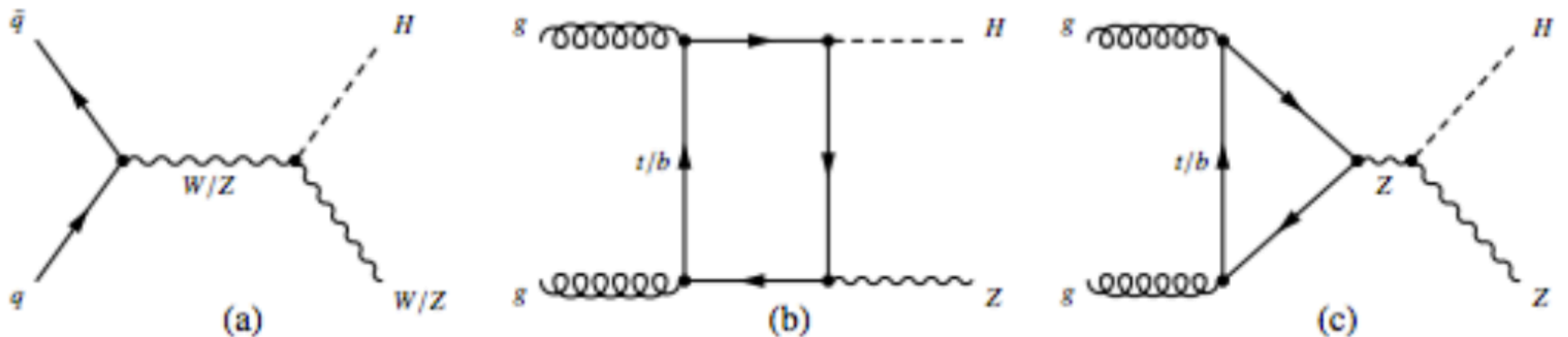
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3 Channels:

2 leptons, 2 jets

1 lepton + MET, 2 jets

MET, 2 jets



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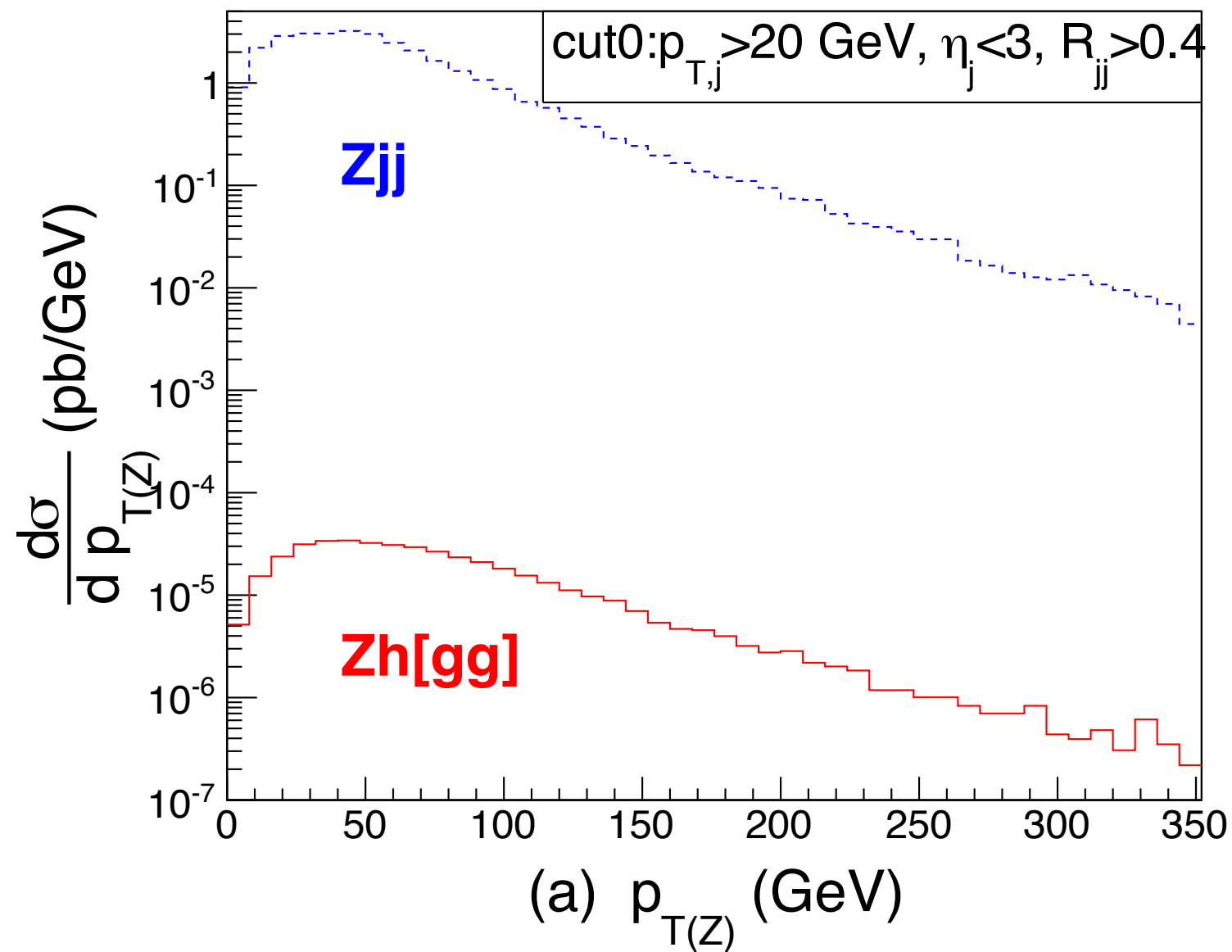
## Background Process

$\sigma$ (fb)	cuts Eq. (2.3)
$q\bar{q} \rightarrow Zh \rightarrow \ell^+ \ell^- gg$	3.5
$gg \rightarrow Zh \rightarrow \ell^+ \ell^- gg$	0.71
$q\bar{q} \rightarrow Zjj \rightarrow \ell^+ \ell^- jj$	$2.5 \times 10^5$
$q\bar{q} \rightarrow Wh \rightarrow \ell\nu gg$	20
$q\bar{q} \rightarrow Wjj \rightarrow \ell\nu jj$	$2.5 \times 10^6$
$pp \rightarrow t\bar{t} \rightarrow \ell\nu jj b\bar{b}$	$1.1 \times 10^5$
$q\bar{q} \rightarrow Zh \rightarrow \nu\nu gg$	11
$gg \rightarrow Zh \rightarrow \nu\nu gg$	2.1
$q\bar{q} \rightarrow Zjj \rightarrow \nu\nu jj$	$7.4 \times 10^5$

$$\text{cut0 : } \mathbf{p_{T(j)}} > \mathbf{20GeV}, \quad |\eta_j| < \mathbf{3}, \quad \mathbf{R_{jj}} > \mathbf{0.4} \quad (2.3)$$

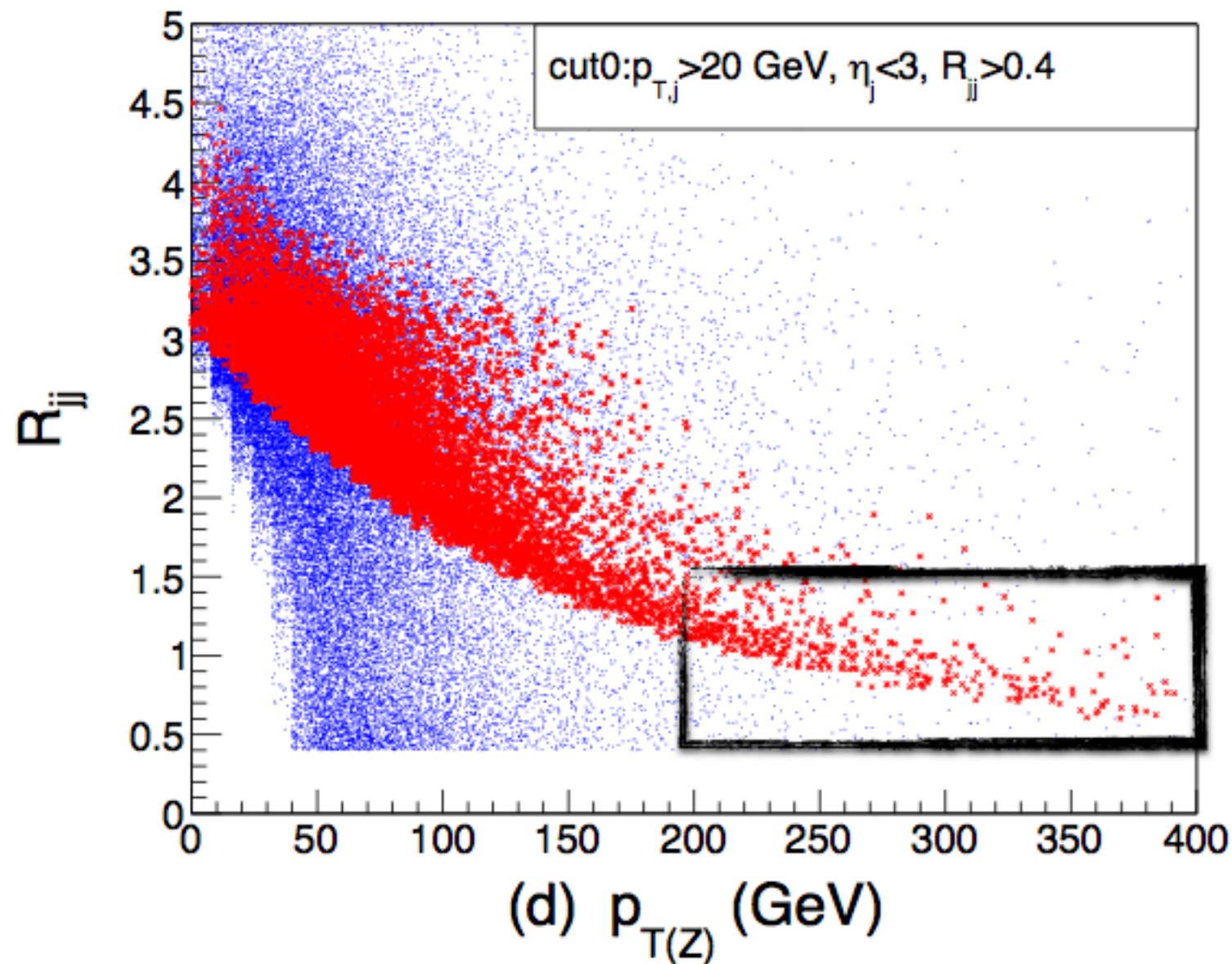
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$$R_{jj} \approx \frac{1}{\sqrt{z(1-z)}} \frac{m_h}{p_{T(h)}};$$

$$p_{T(j,\ell)} > 30 \text{ GeV}, \quad |\eta_{j,\ell}| < 2.5$$

$$p_{T(\ell\ell, \ell\nu, \nu\nu)} > 200 \text{ GeV}, \quad R_{jj} < 1.4$$



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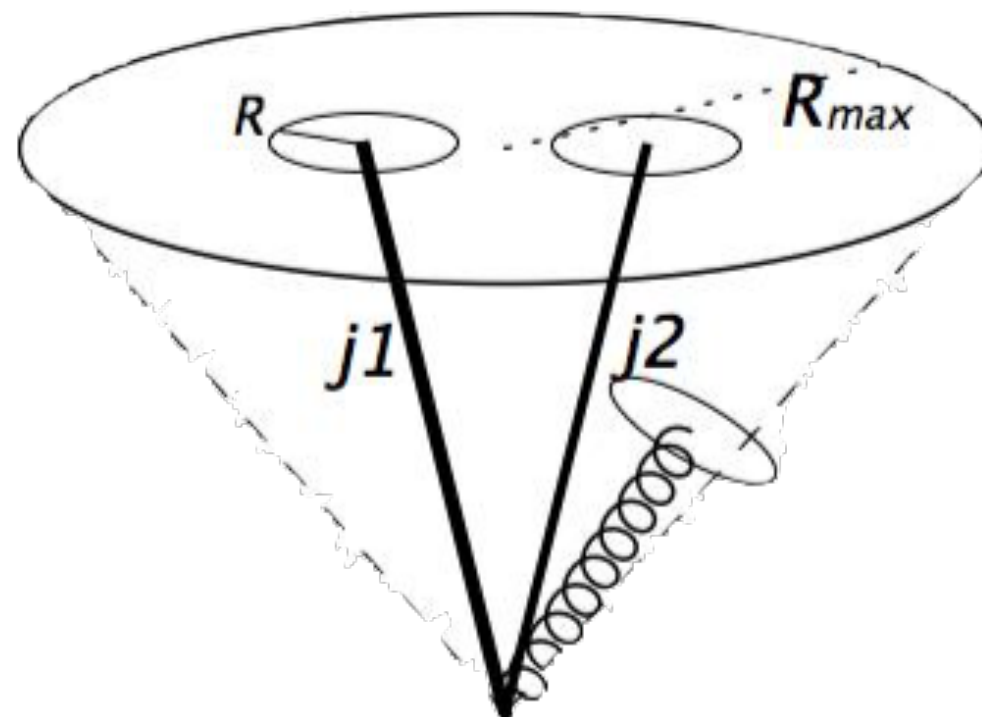
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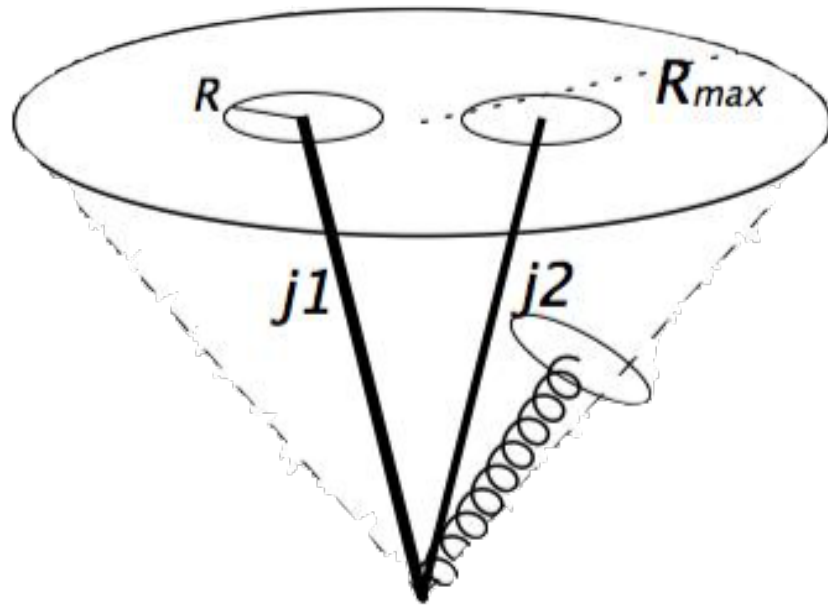
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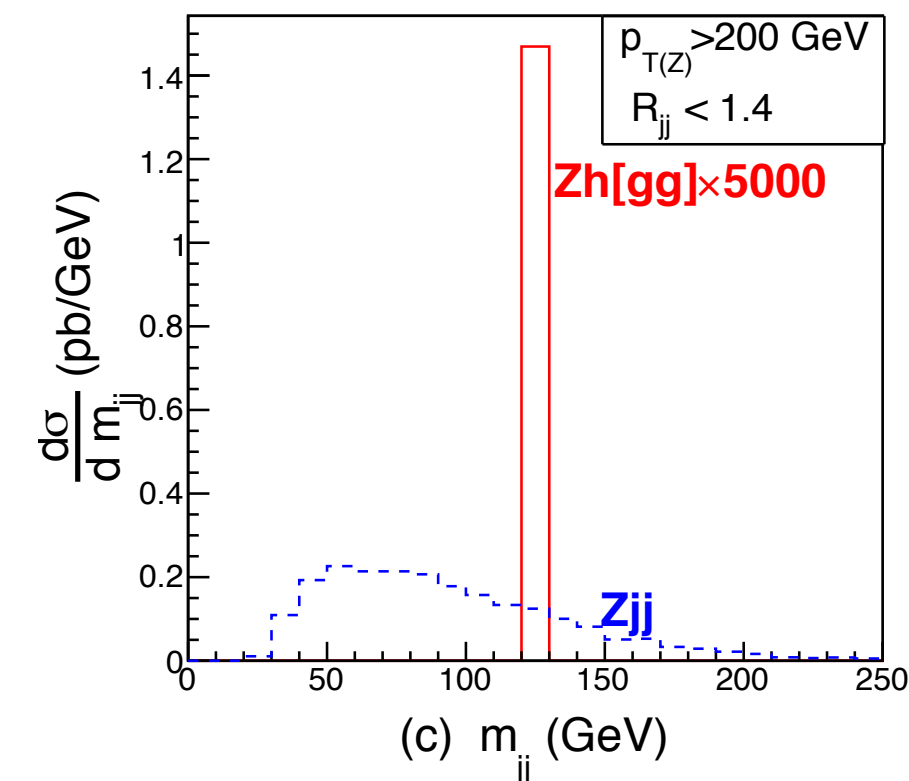


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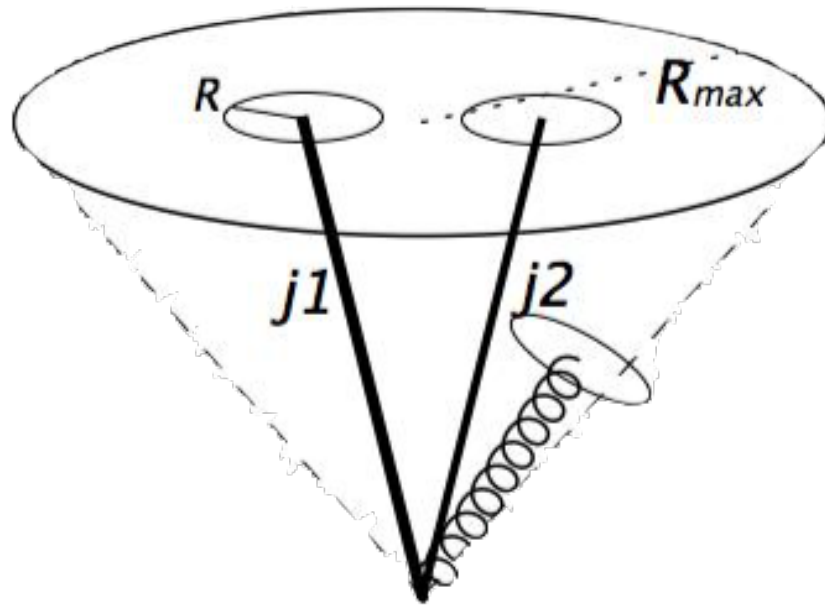
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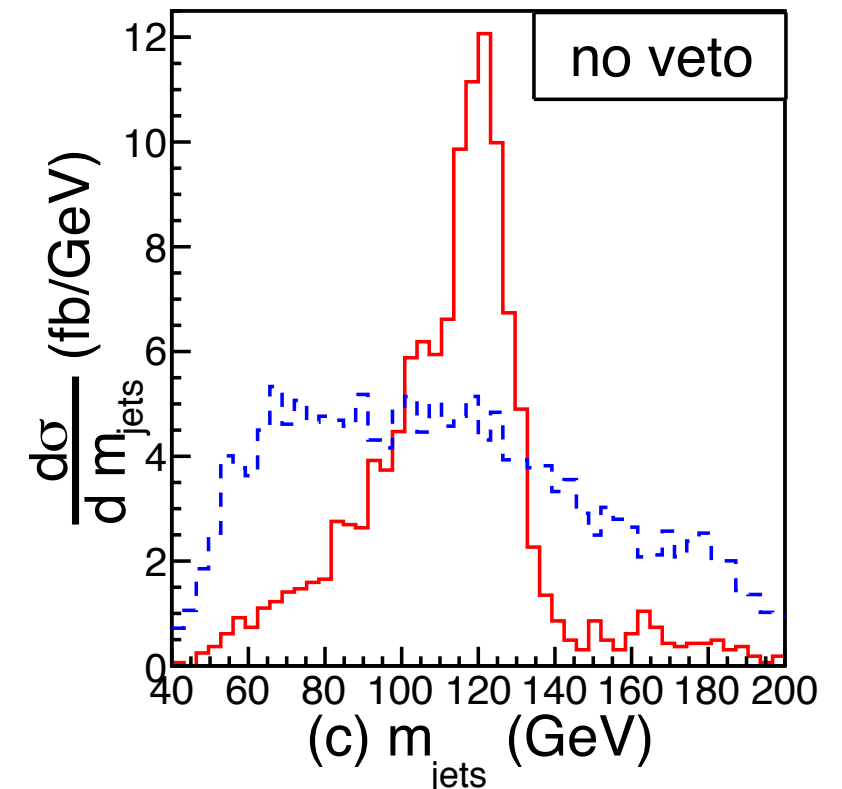
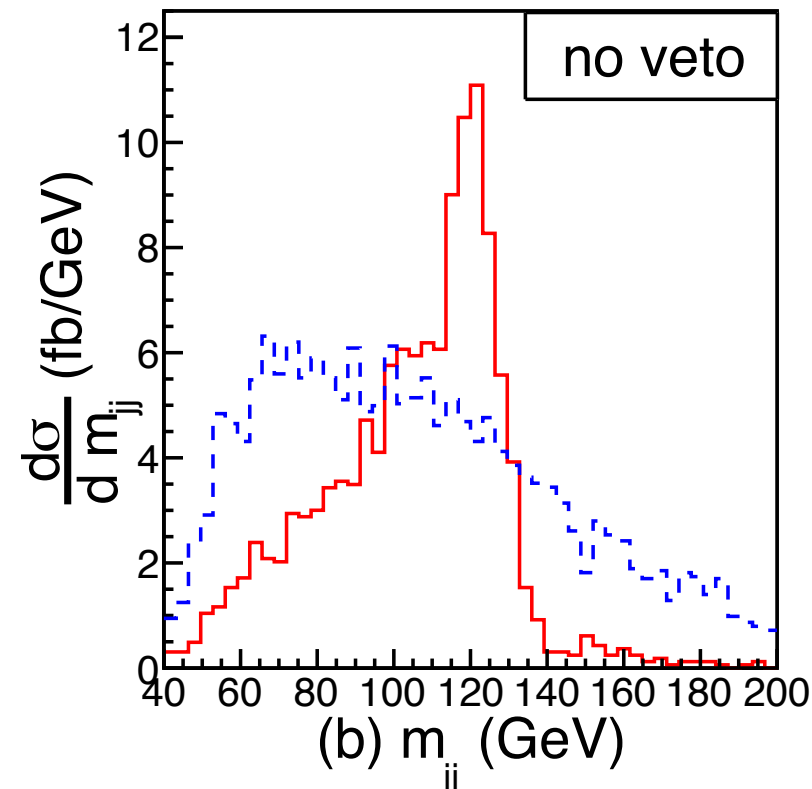
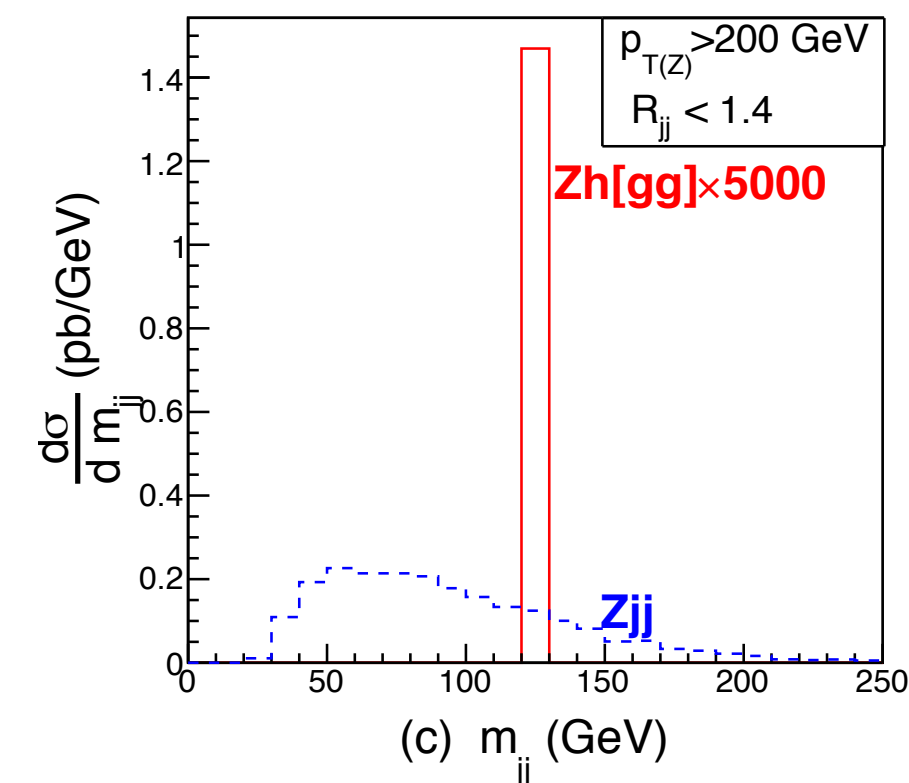


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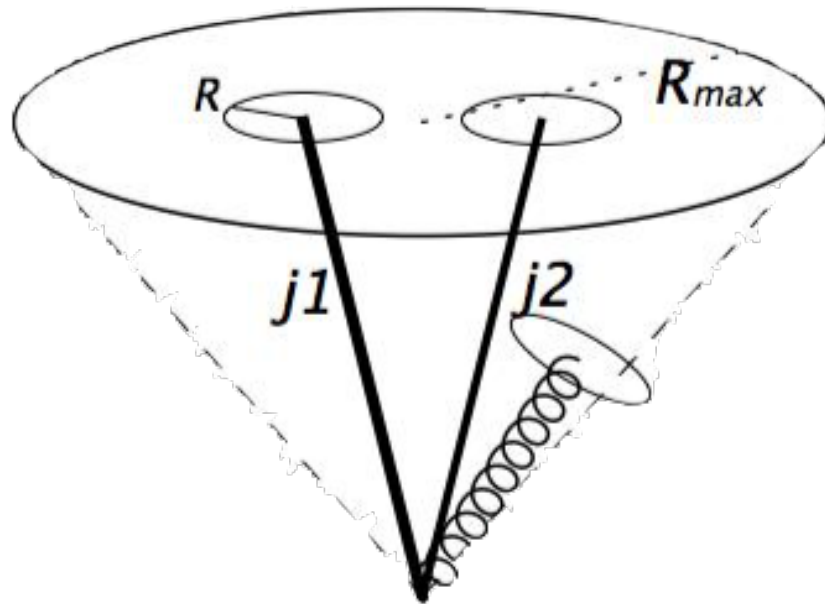


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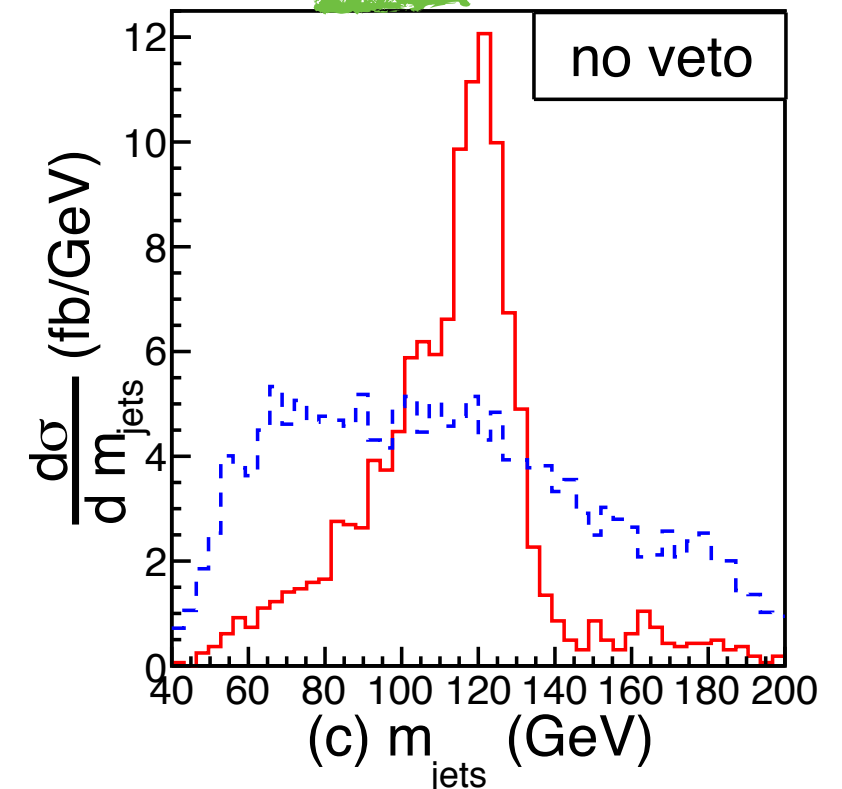
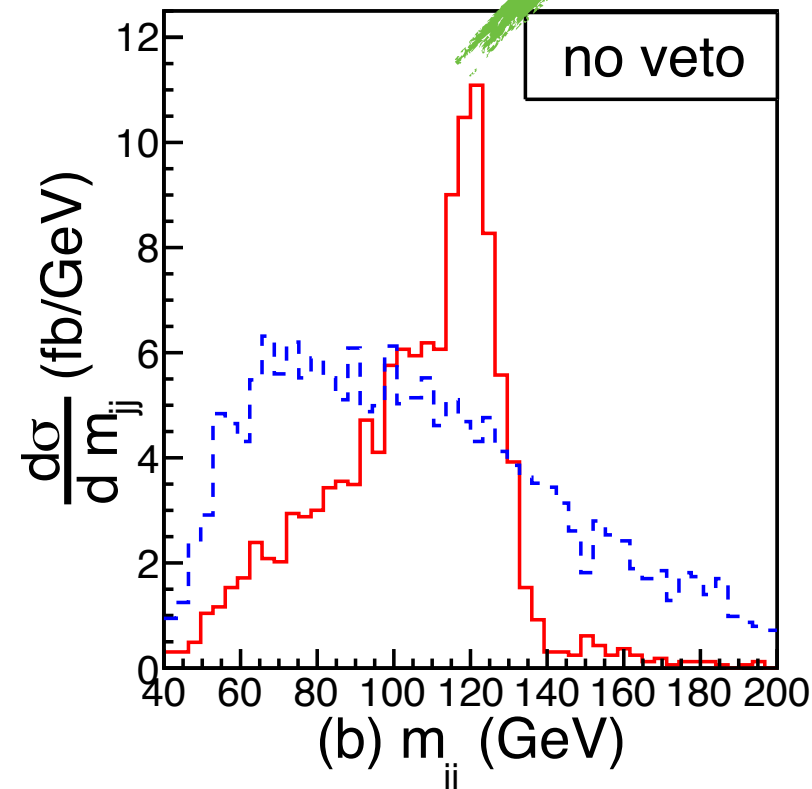
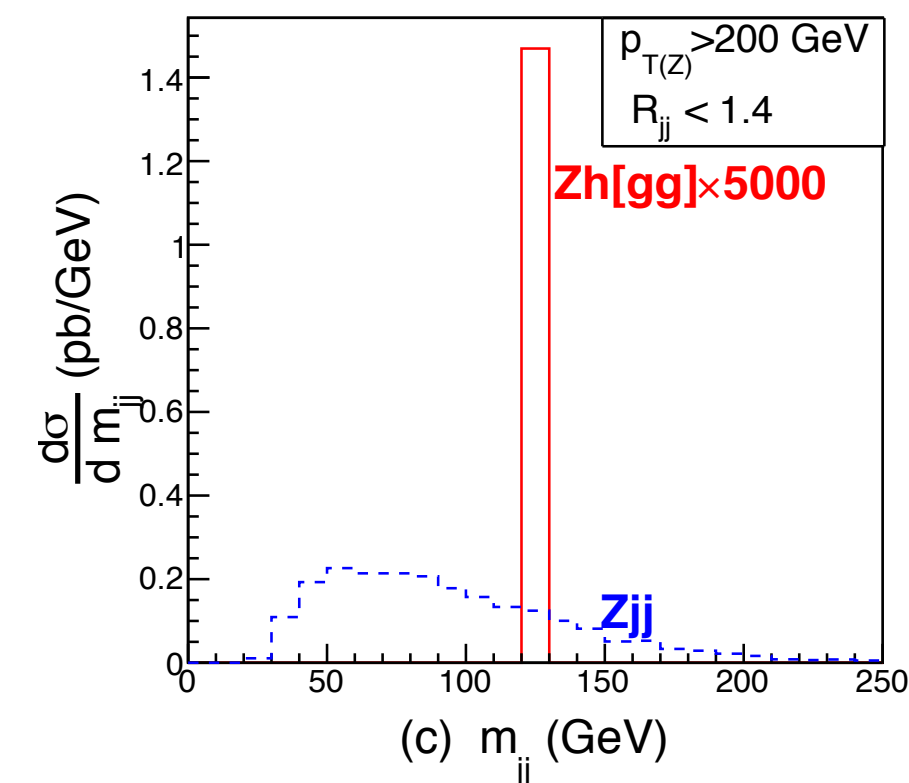


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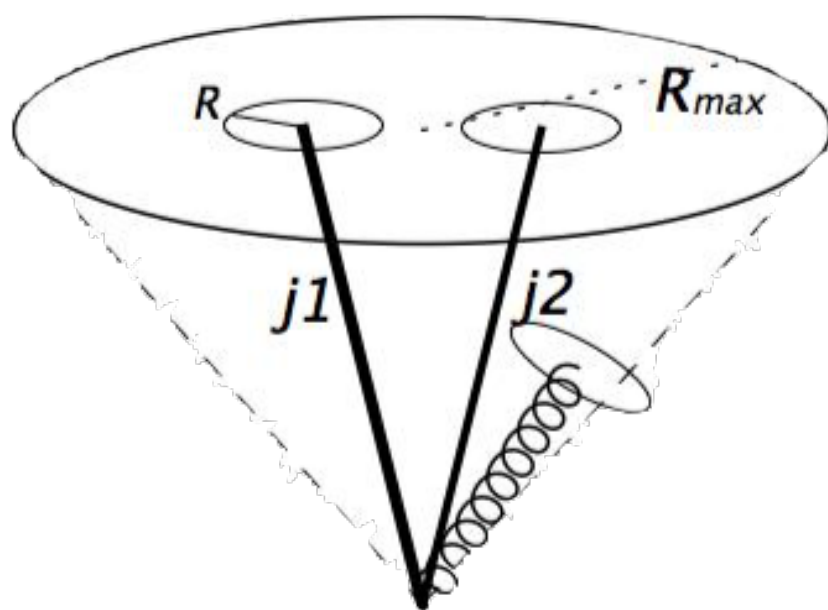


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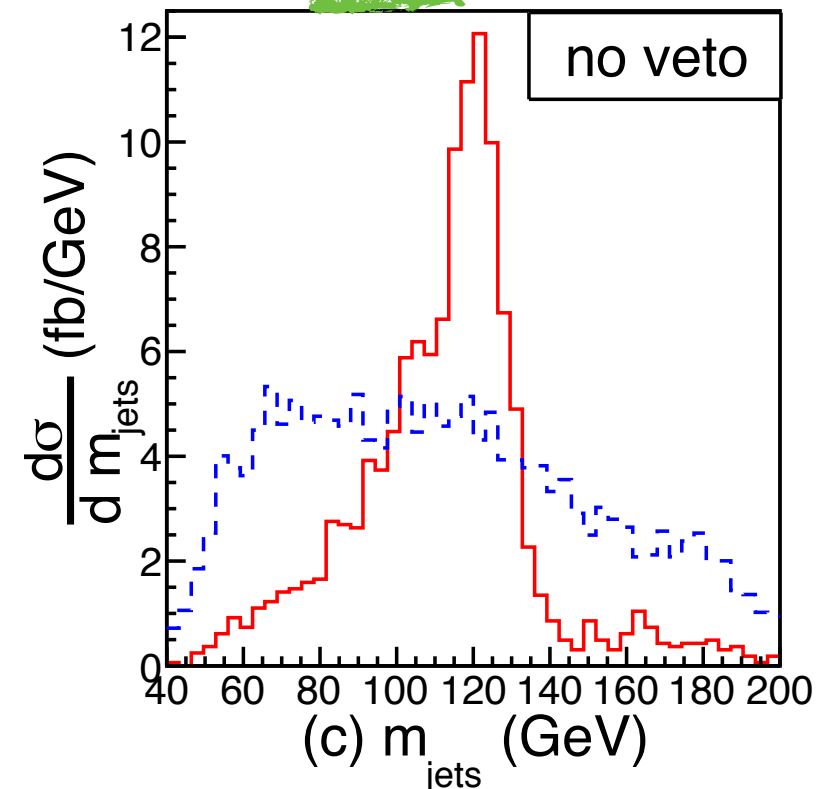
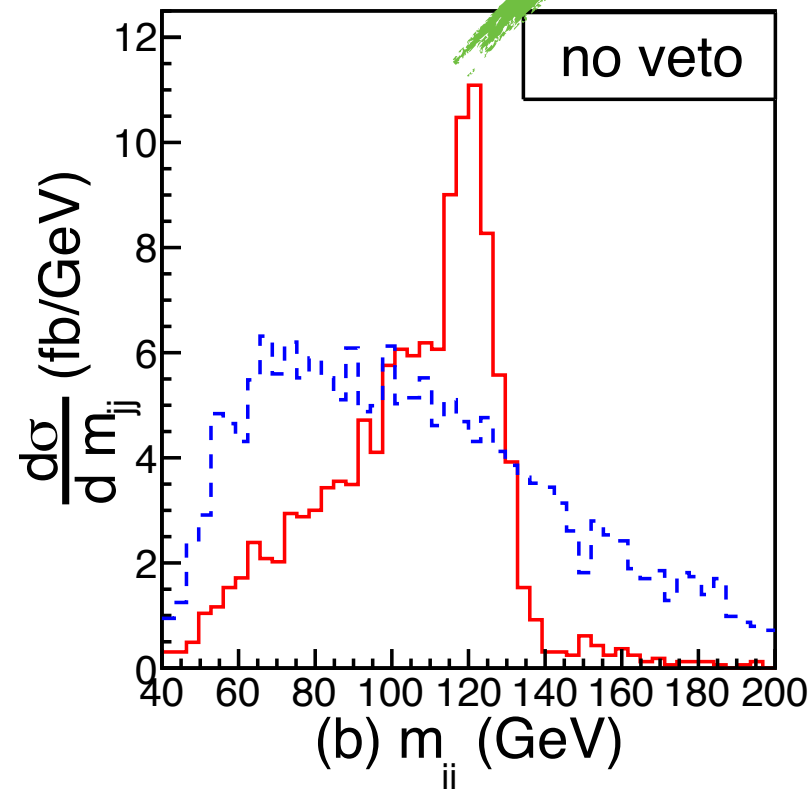
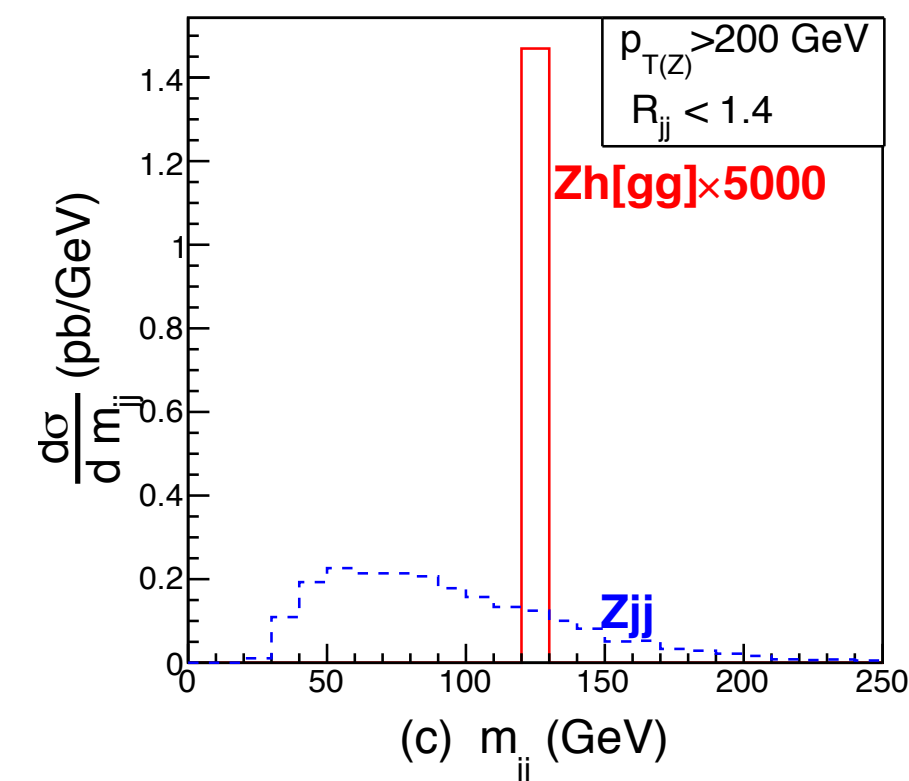
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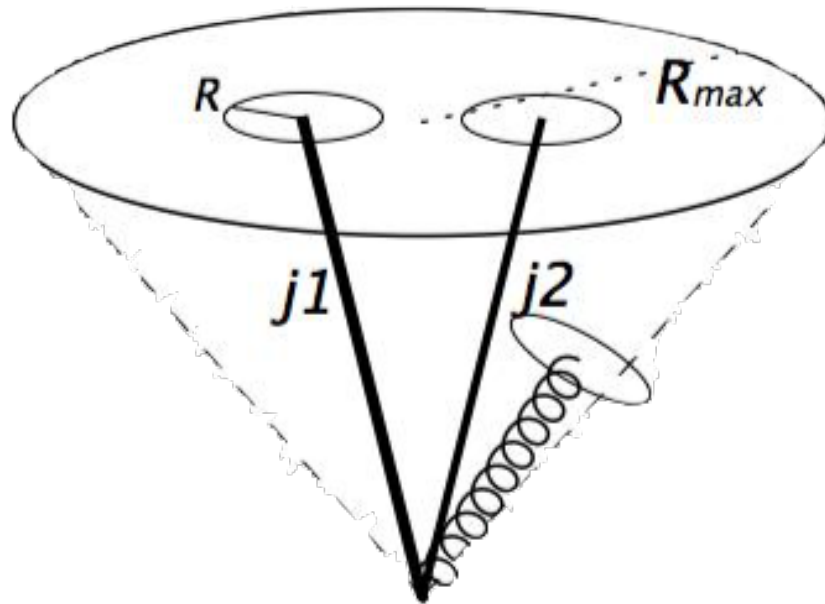
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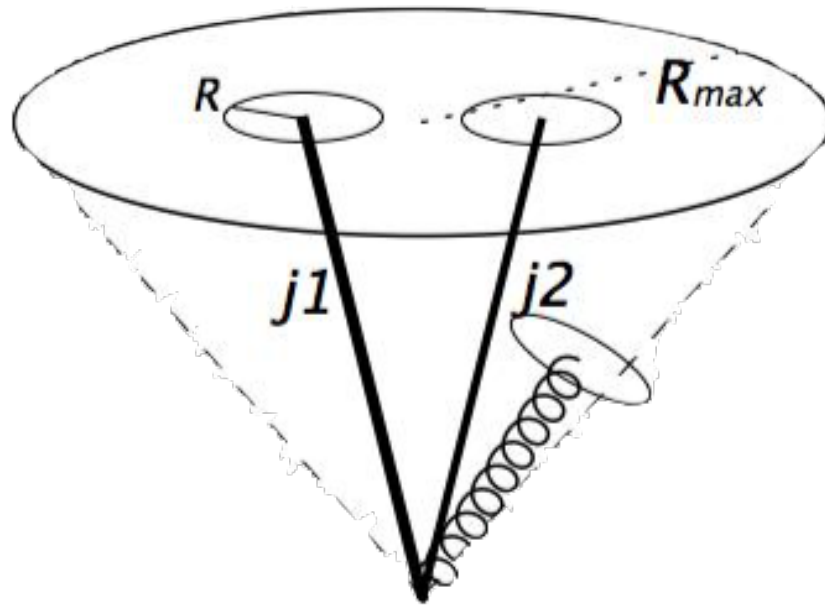
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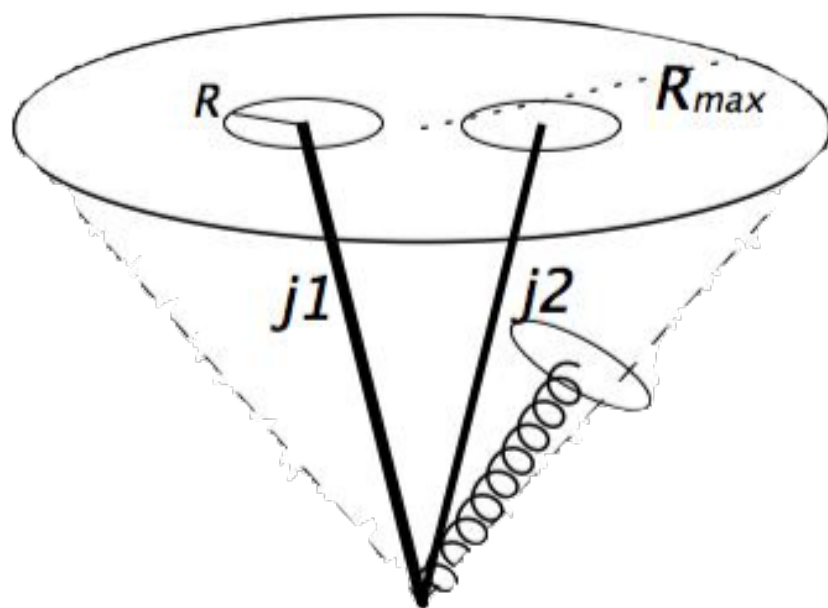
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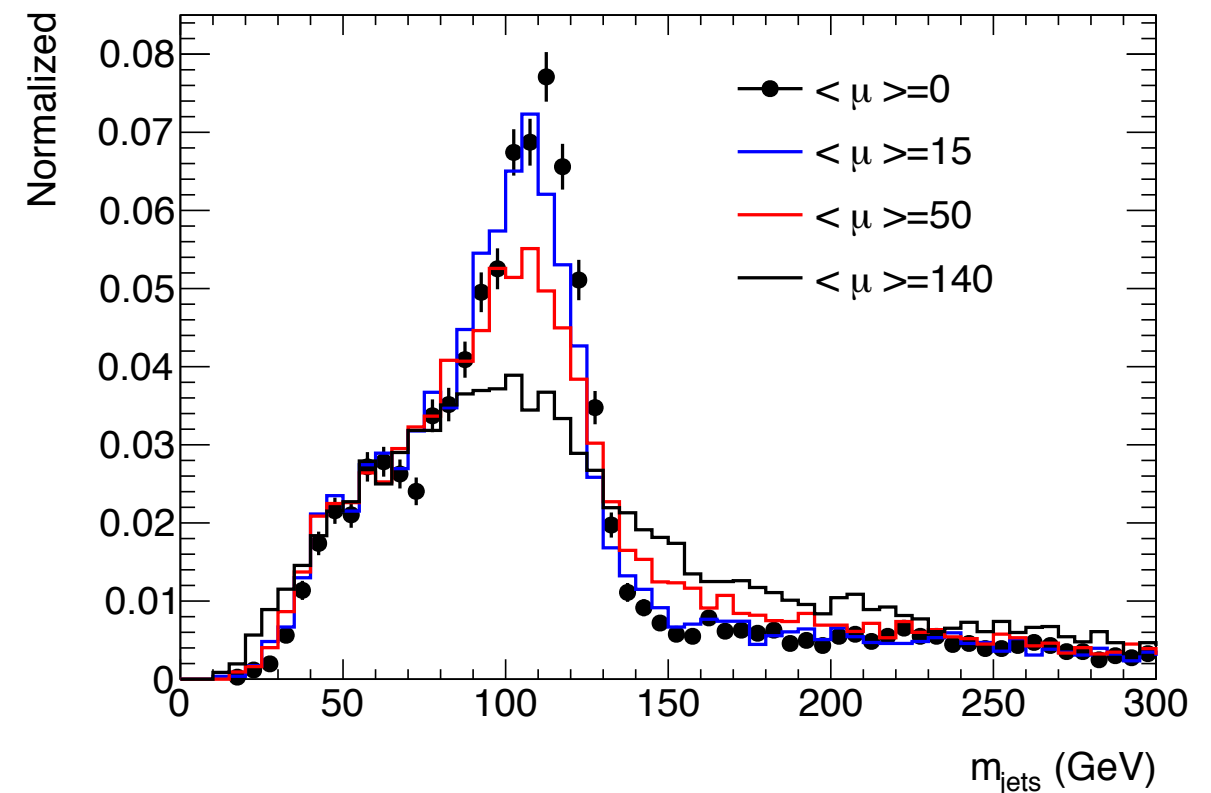
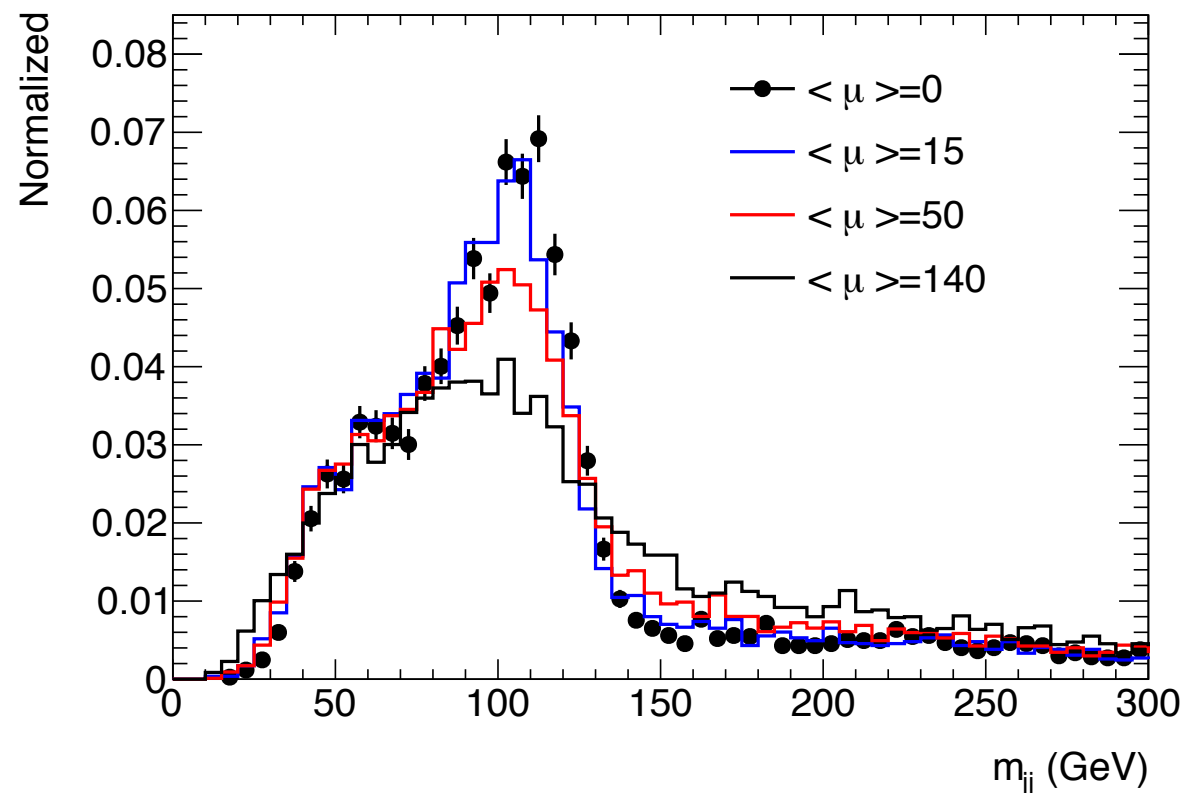
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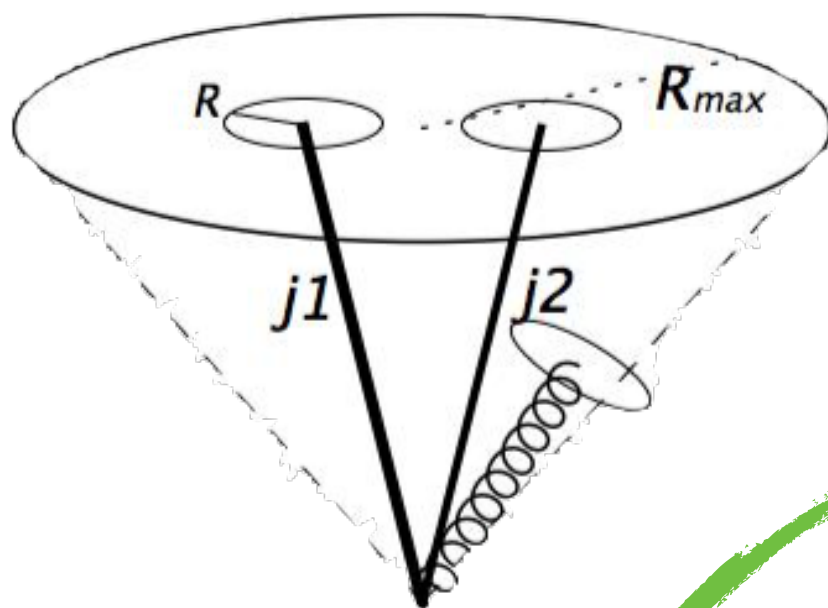


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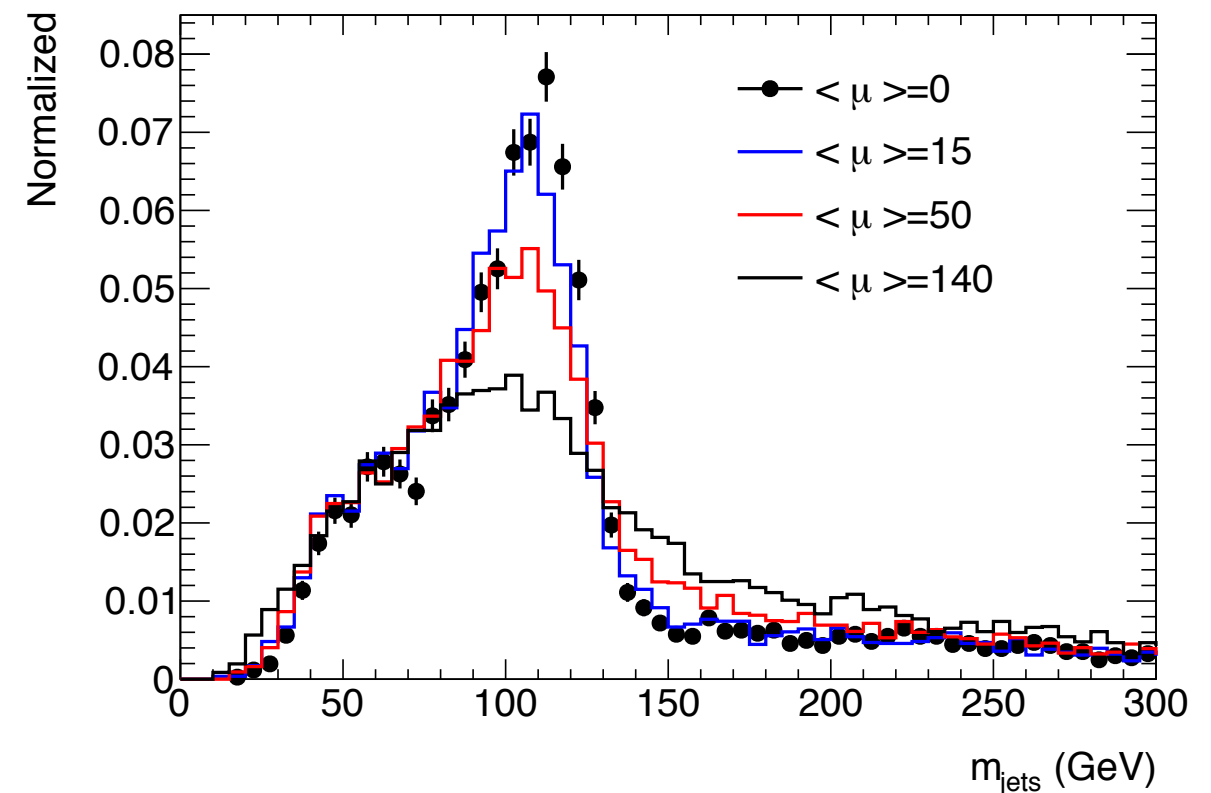
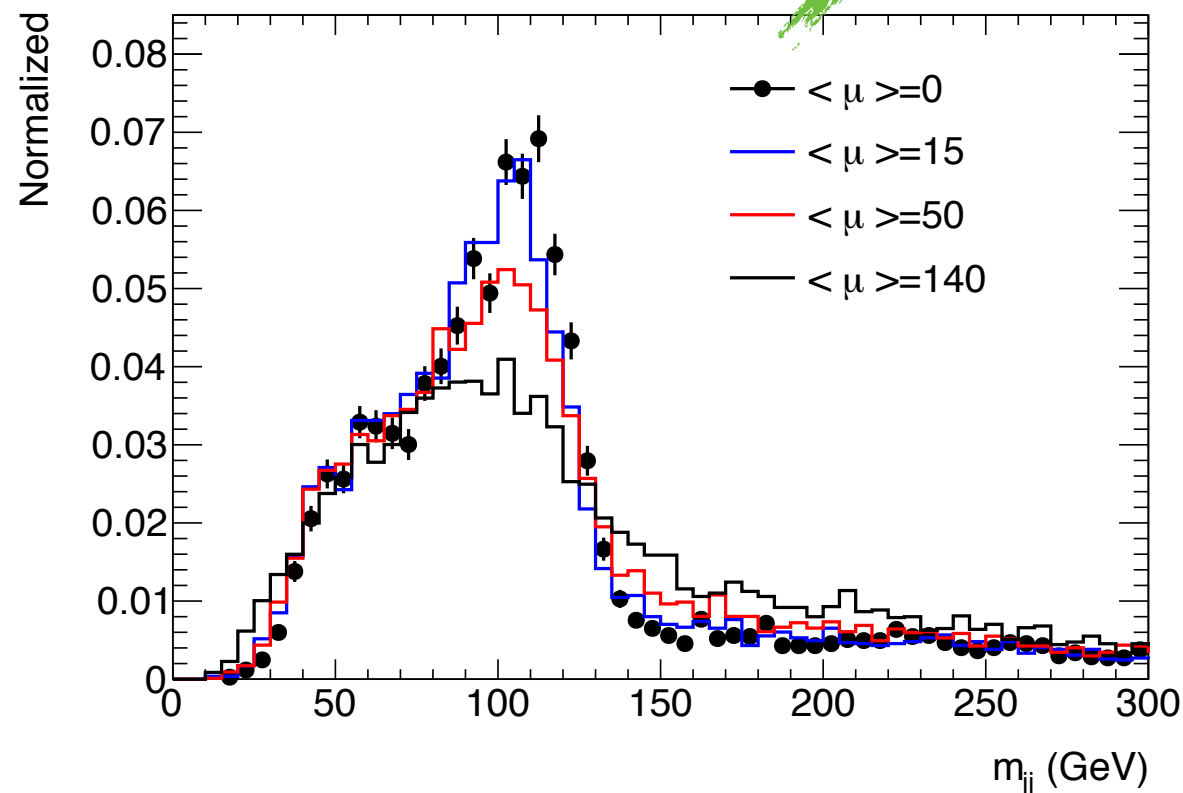


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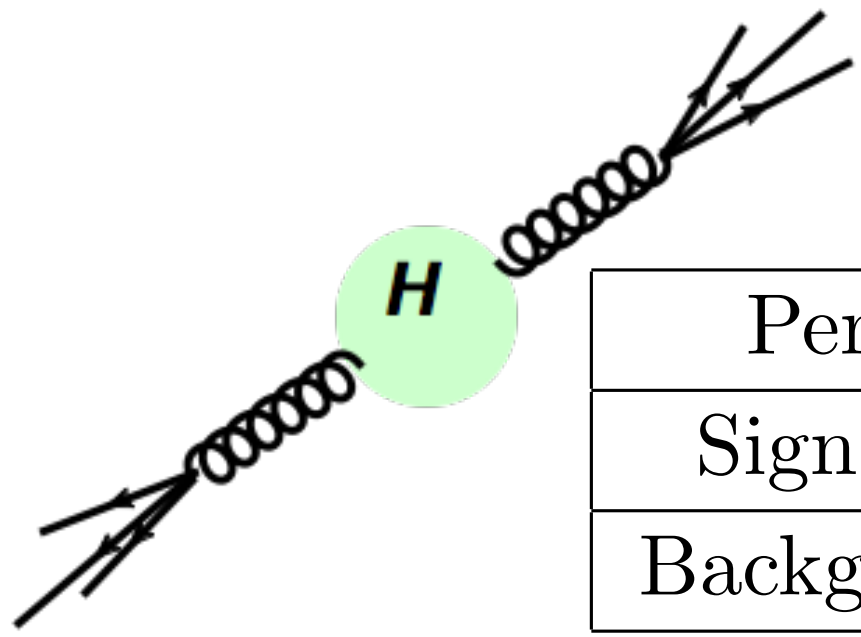
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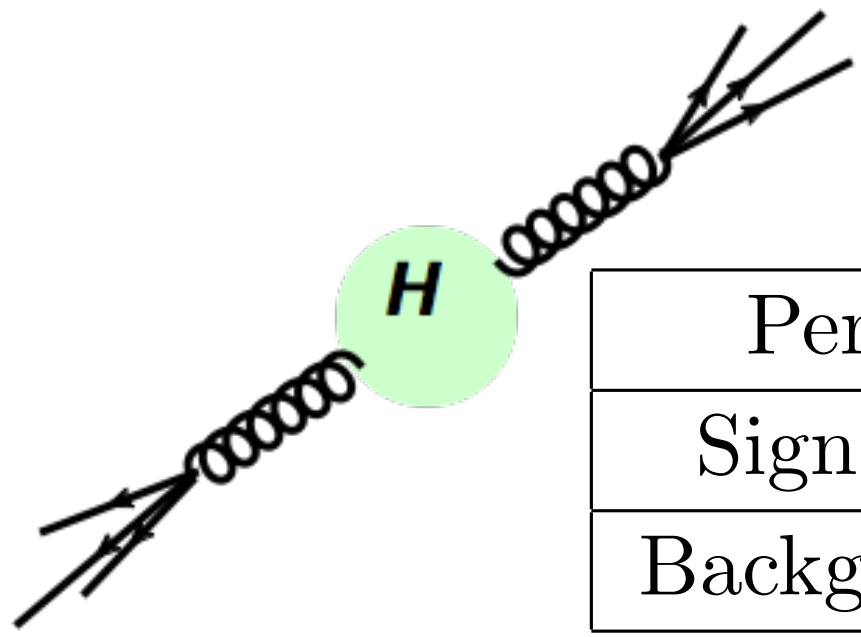
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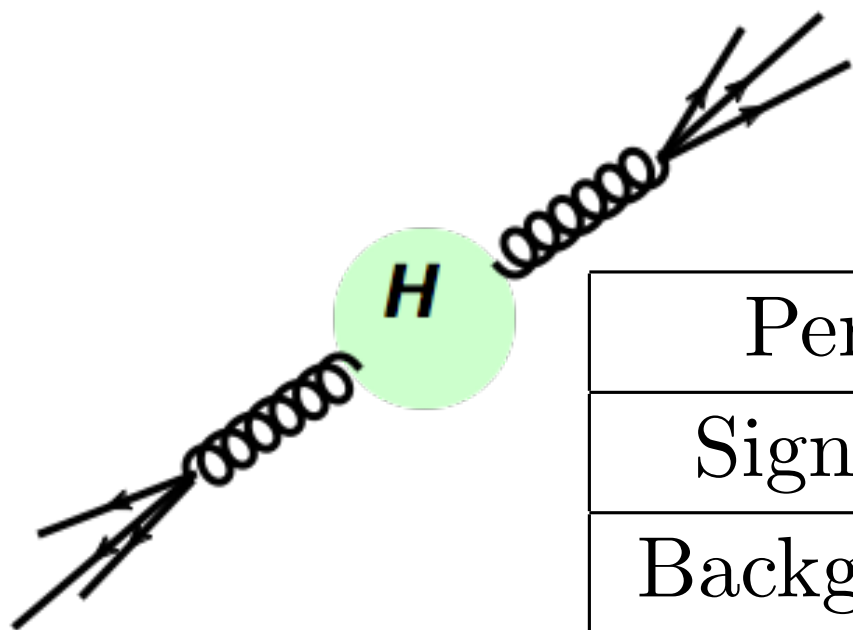
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q-tagger	q	g	S	B	$S/\sqrt{B} - 1$
A	20%	5%	90%	77%	+3%
B	40%	10%	81%	56%	+8%
C	50%	15%	72%	45%	+8%
D	60%	25%	56%	32%	-1%
E	80%	50%	25%	12%	-26%





Thanks!

- Alone in  $pp \rightarrow VH$ ,  $H \rightarrow jj$  channel, we expect  $\sim 1$  sigma significance with 3000 fb<sup>-1</sup> data (HL-LHC)



Thanks!