



BSM @HL-LHC

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The High Luminosity LHC upgrade



This talk will cover a small selection of highlights of BSM searches, from ATLAS and CMS

HL-LHC project approved:

- ▶ data taking to start on around 2026
- ▶ 3000 fb⁻¹ of data
- ▶ $\sqrt{s} = 14$ TeV
- ▶ $L = 7.5 \times 10^{34}$ cm⁻² s⁻¹
- ▶ up to 200 interactions/bunch-crossing

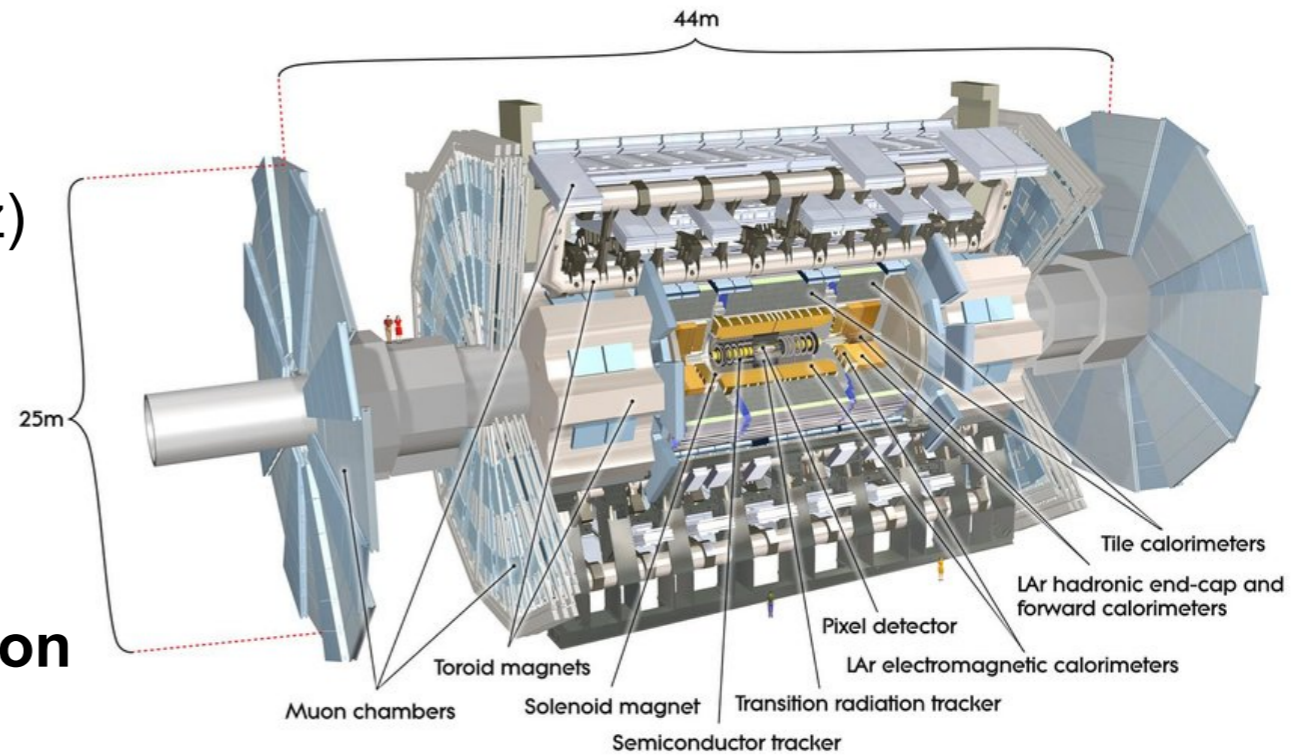


A lot of data for EW and QCD precision measurements, Higgs boson properties, flavour physics, BSM searches!

Detectors Upgrade

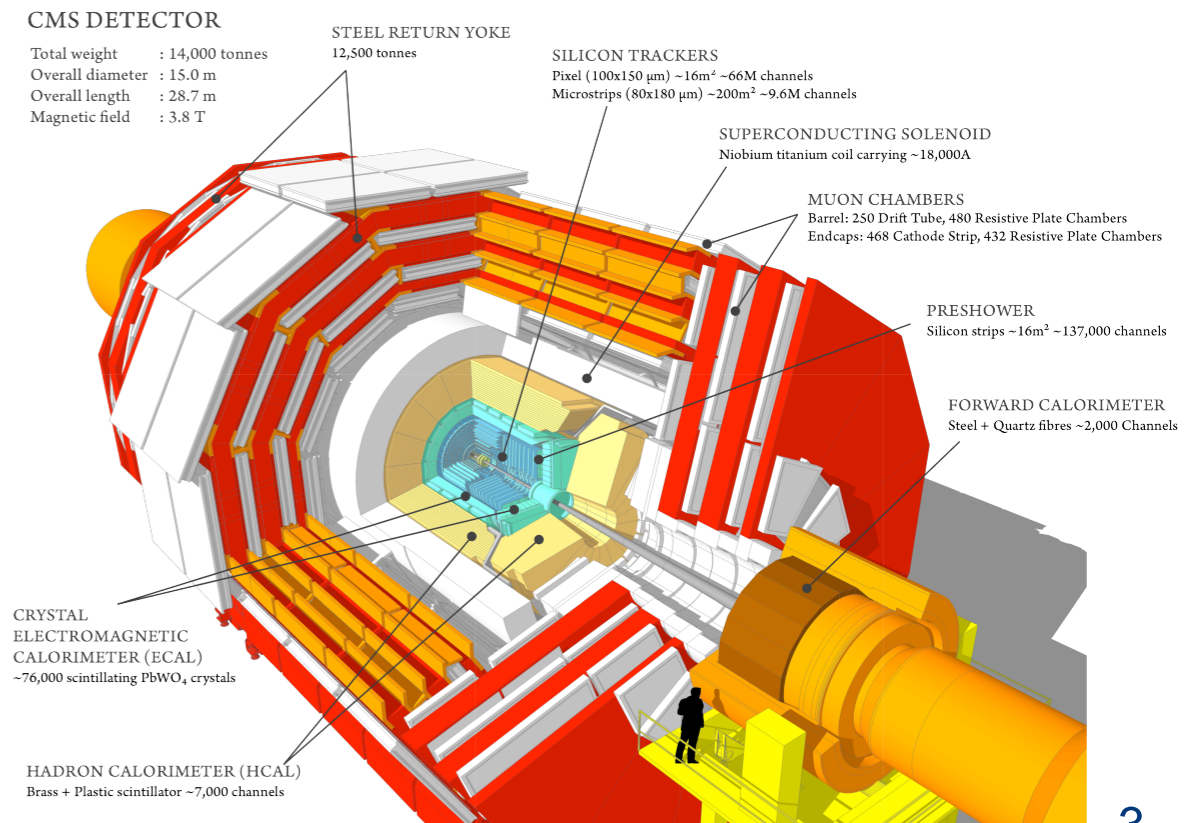
ATLAS upgrades include

- ▶ DAQ and trigger systems (L1 and HLT - 10 kHz)
- ▶ New **Inner Tracker** up to $|\eta| < 4$
- ▶ **Electronics upgrade** for LAr and Tile calorimeters, muon system
- ▶ New **muon chamber** in the **inner endcap region**
- ▶ **High granularity timing detector** in endcap



CMS upgrades include

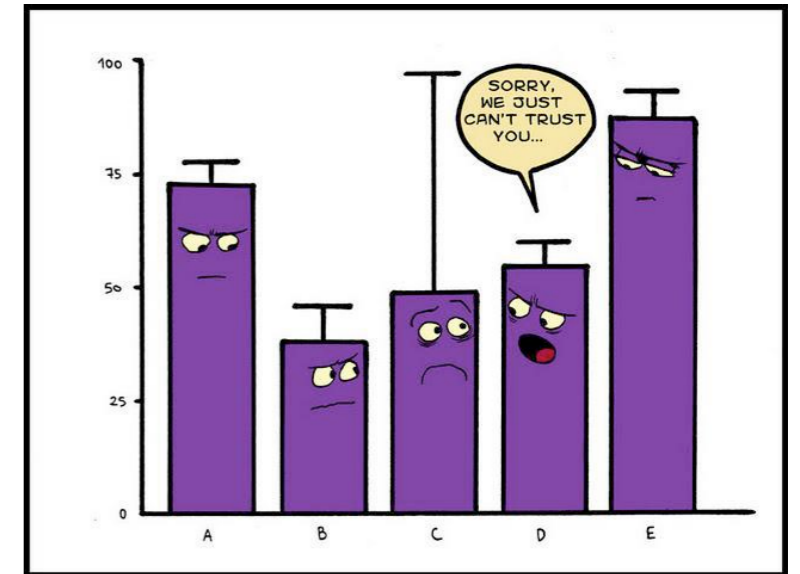
- ▶ DAQ and trigger systems (L1 and HLT - 7.5 kHz)
- ▶ New **Inner Tracker** up to $|\eta| < 4$
- ▶ Improved **muon system coverage**
- ▶ Precise **MIP timing layer** in barrel and endcap
- ▶ **High granularity endcap calorimeter**



New openings

Large data sample benefits lower statistical uncertainties

- ▶ Lower experimental systematic uncertainties (calibrations performed on larger dataset, Z counting for luminosity)
- ▶ Lower uncertainties on background (& signals) prediction (high statistic control samples allows more precise constraints)

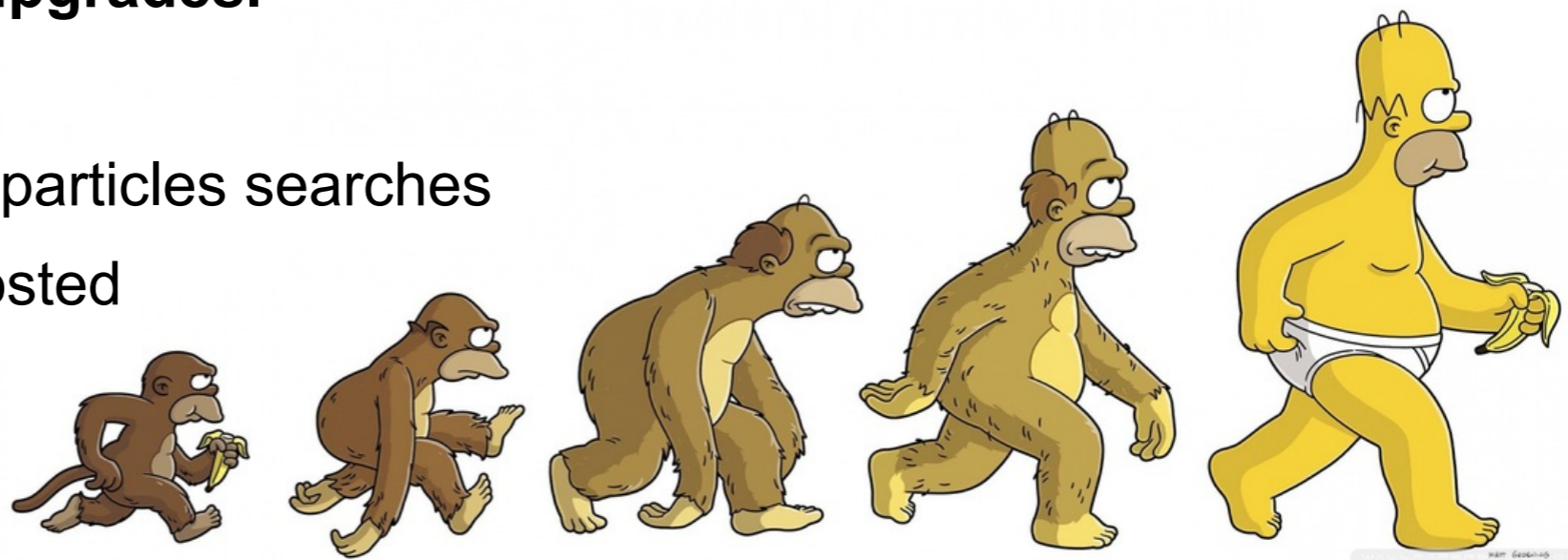


Exploit full **potential of detector upgrades.**

New tools for searches:

- * timing information for long lived particles searches
- * sensitivity to forward events boosted by extended tracking
- * new trigger strategies

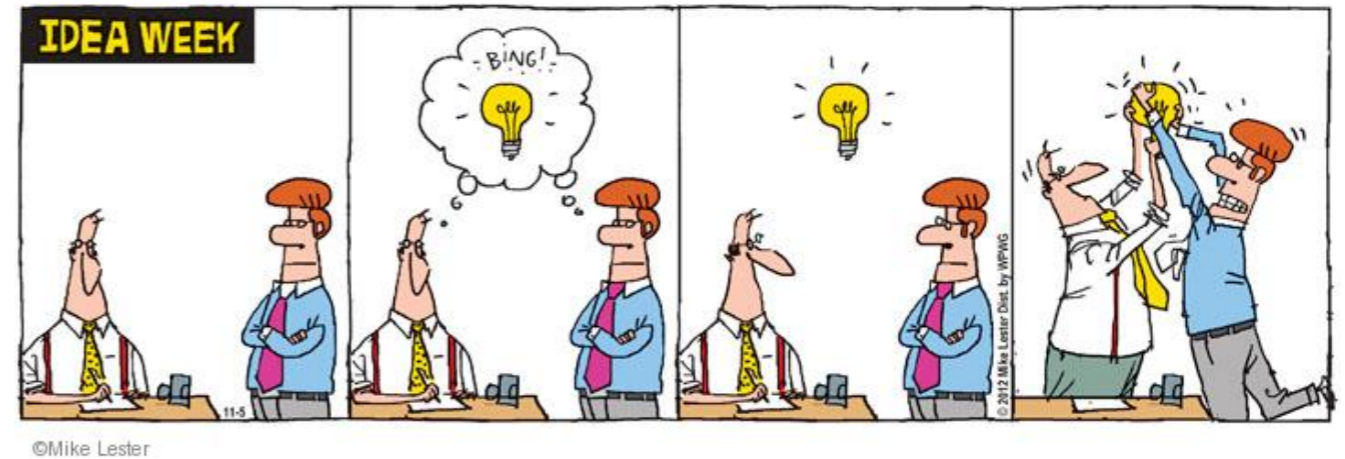
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Common effort

Experimental collaborations
(ALICE, ATLAS, CMS, LHCb)
and theorists involved in:

- * BSM Yellow Report: [arXiv:1812.07831](https://arxiv.org/abs/1812.07831)
- * Input to [European strategy](#)



Three main approaches:

- * Full simulation in the upgraded detectors
- * Analysis with parameterised detector performance
 - ▶ CMS: DELPHES with up-to-date phase-2 detector performance
 - ▶ ATLAS: Particle-level analysis with energy smearing
- * Projections using Run-2 signal and background samples scaled at 14 TeV

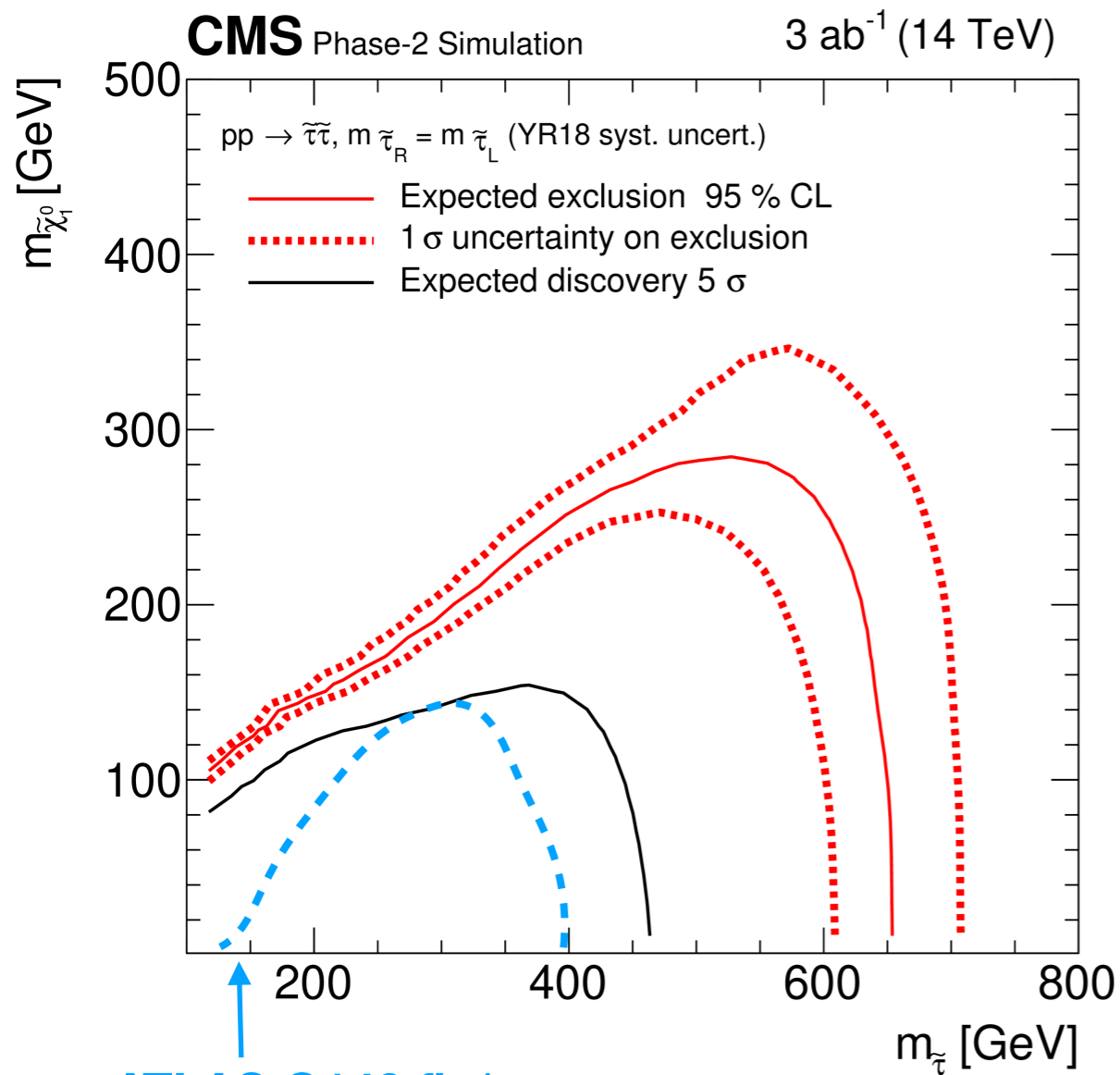
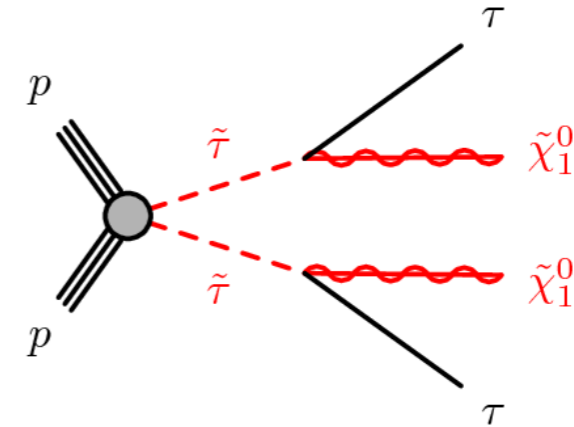
Treatment of uncertainties:

- * Harmonised treatment of detector and theory uncertainties evolution
 - ▶ halved detector and theory/modelling uncertainties
 - ▶ neglected MC statistic uncertainties
 - ▶ statistical uncertainty decreased by $1/\sqrt{L}$
 - ▶ uncertainty on luminosity 1%
 - ▶ experimental systematics preserved or reduced by a agreed factors

SUSY: staus search

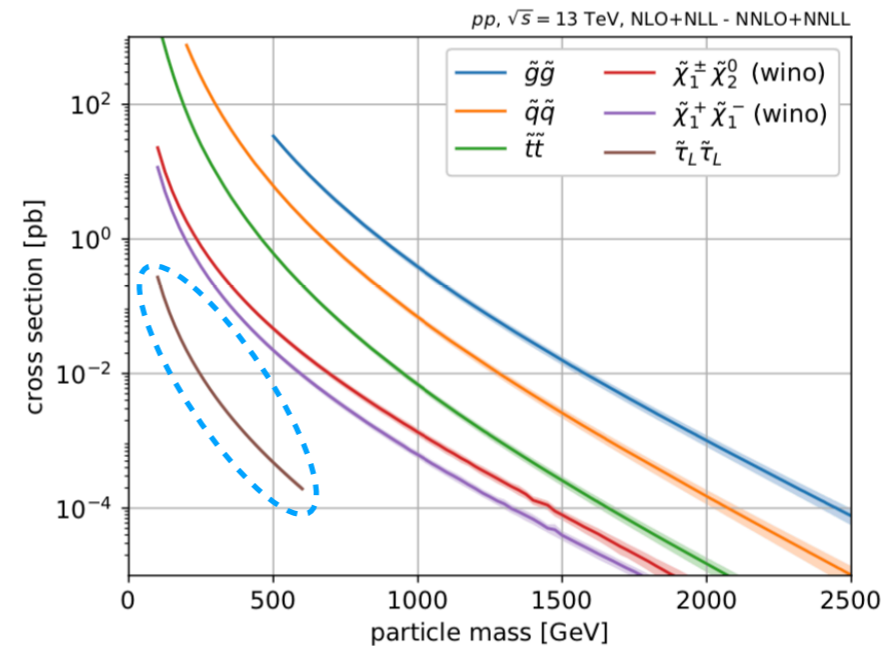
Direct staus production

Di-tau final state with missing transverse momentum



ATLAS @140 fb⁻¹
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Only just getting sensitivity @ Run-2!
 Limited by production cross-section
 (<1 fb⁻¹ for m(stau) > 400 GeV @ 14 TeV)



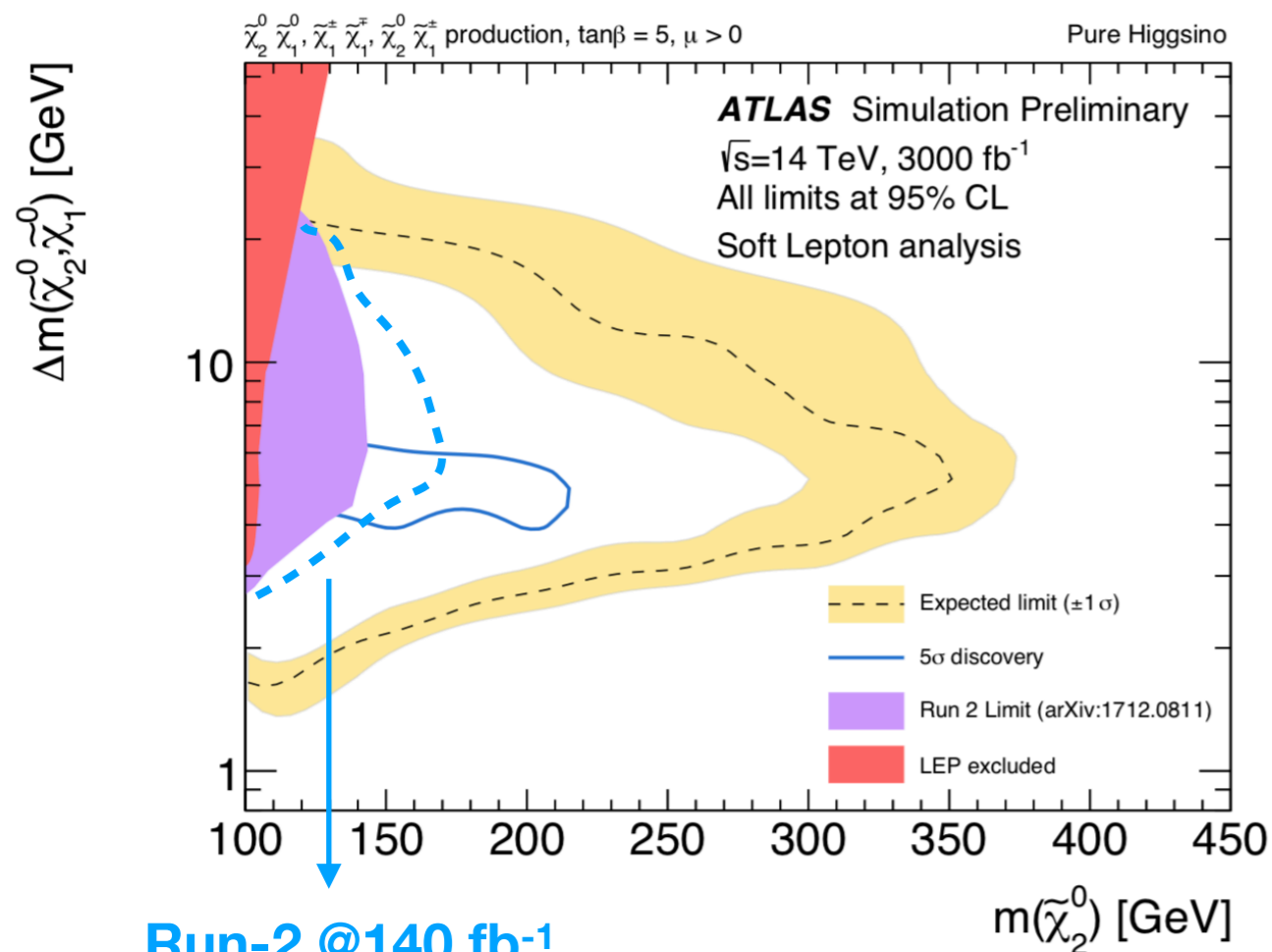
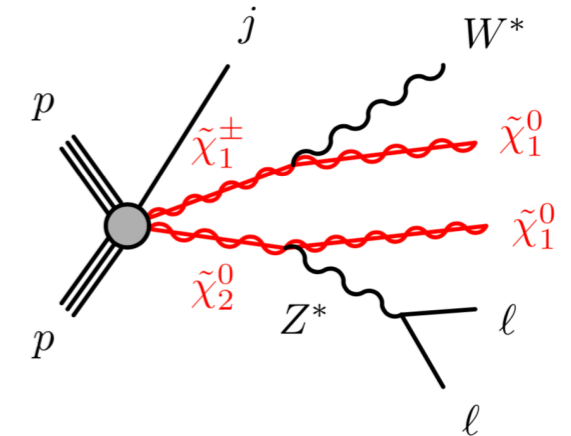
► **Exploit full HL-LHC dataset.**

SUSY: compressed signatures

Higgsino-like LSP (naturalness motivated)

Lightest chargino and second neutrino close in mass.
Soft objects in the final state ISR-based selection

challenging topology



Run-2 @140 fb⁻¹
[ATLAS-CONF-2019-014](#)

ISR jet + E_T^{miss} + soft leptons

- challenging lepton ID
- triggers upgrades to maintain low lepton thresholds

Large gain expected wrt to **NEW** full Run-2 results (W(qq))

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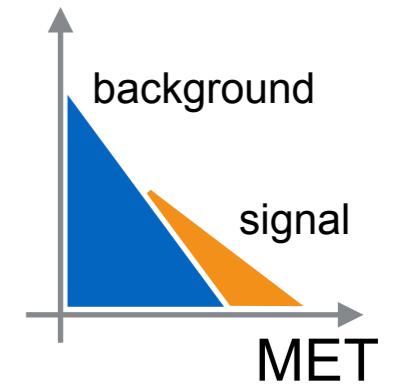
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Dark Matter Searches: mono-X

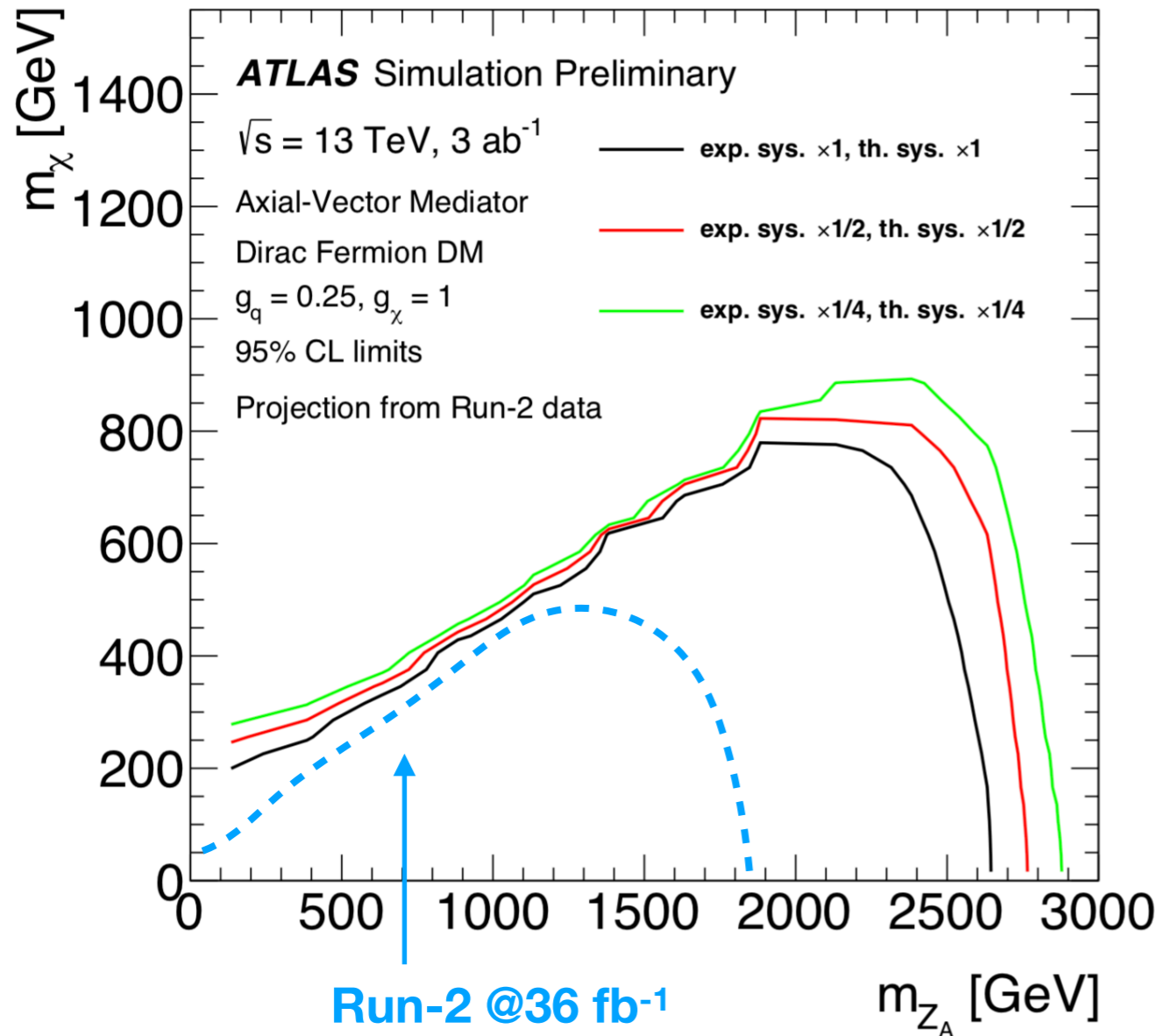
- ✓ **invisible** DM particles escaping the detector
- ✓ **visible** particles from production / ISR



Look for MET tail excess



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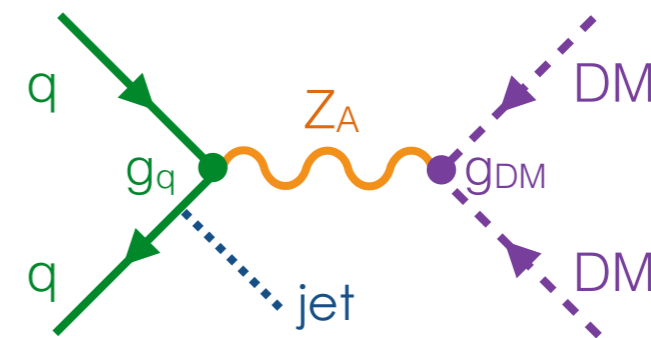


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Simplified models with few parameters:

- * mono-jet domain



Systematics dominated

→ signal, Z/W+jet th. unc.

→ jet/MET exp. unc.

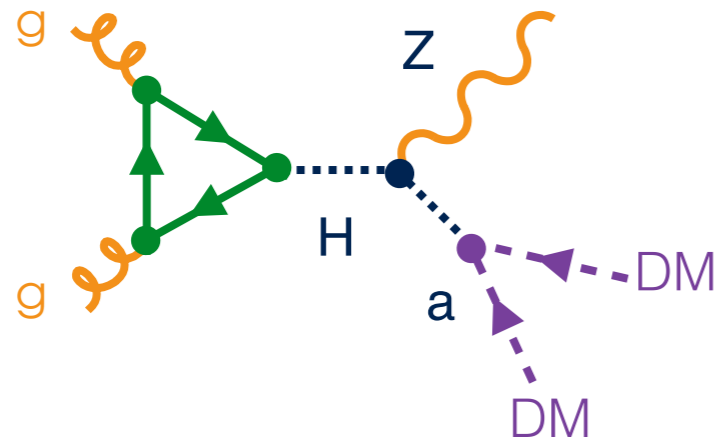
Dark Matter Searches: mono-X (II)

More refined models (e.g. 2HDM+a) probed by:

* mono-H/Z/ γ , HF+MET, VBF+MET...

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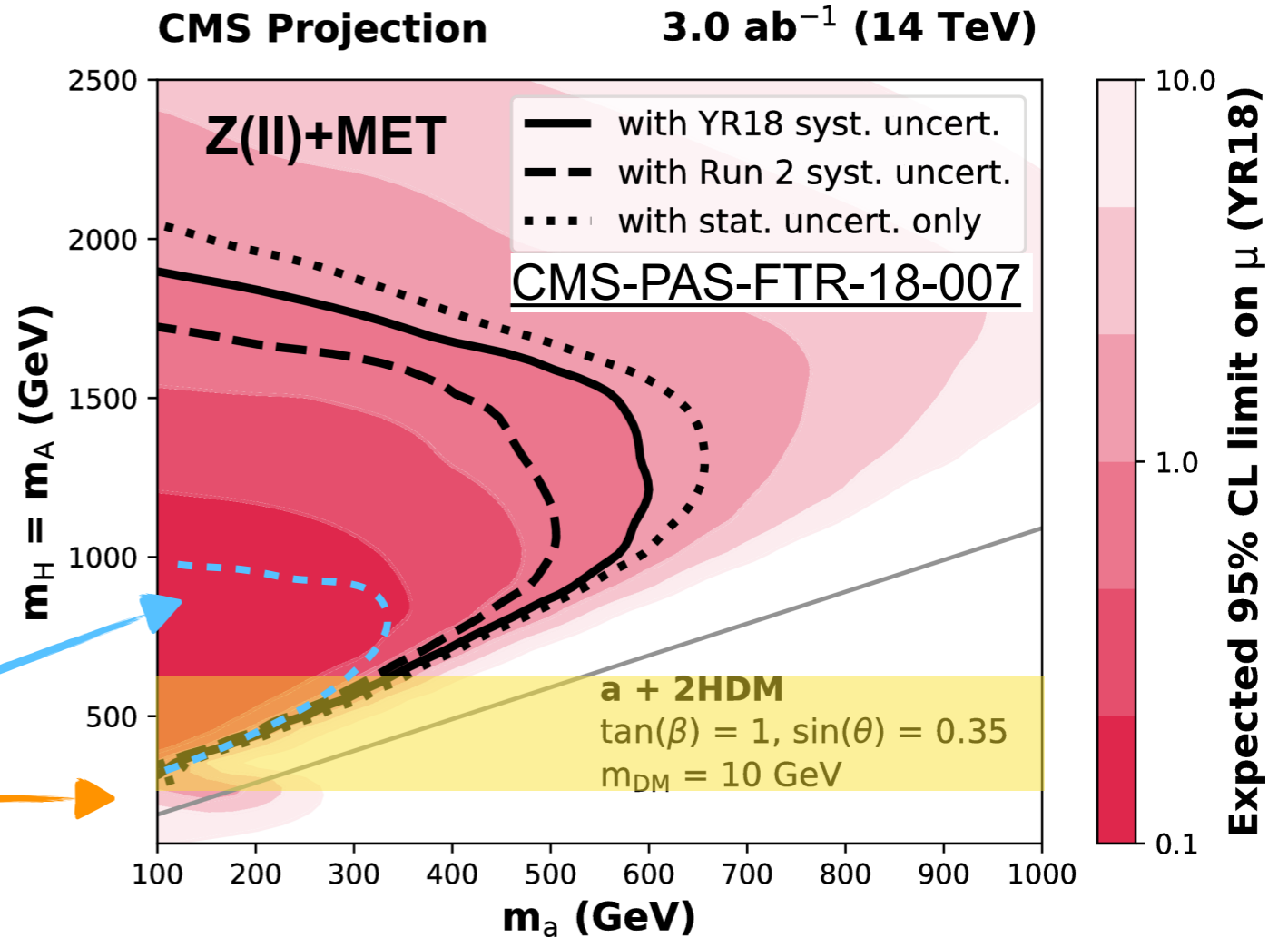
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Run-2 @36 fb⁻¹ [arXiv:1903.01400](#)

constraints from 4t decays

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VBF+MET key-channel for h (inv) search



large sensitivity increase expected
by tracker extension $|\eta| < 4$

BR~5-10% could be reached by reducing syst impacts by a factor 2 (CMS-PAS-FTR-18-016)

Resonance searches

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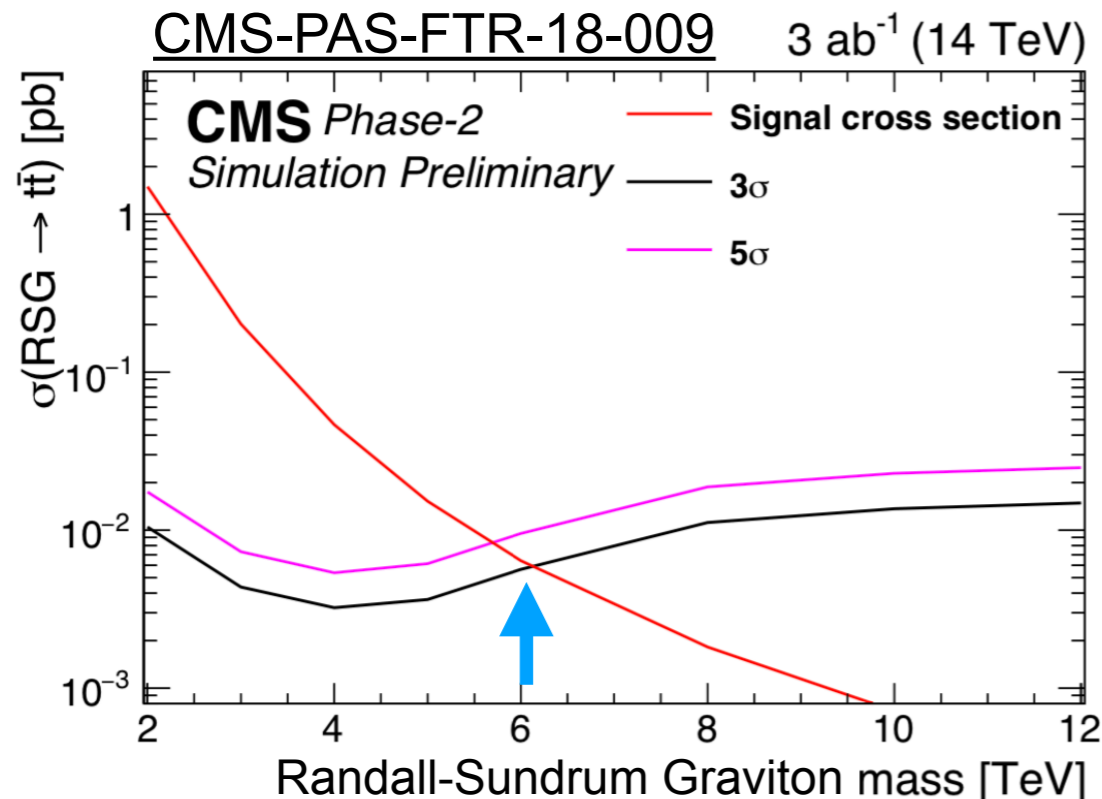
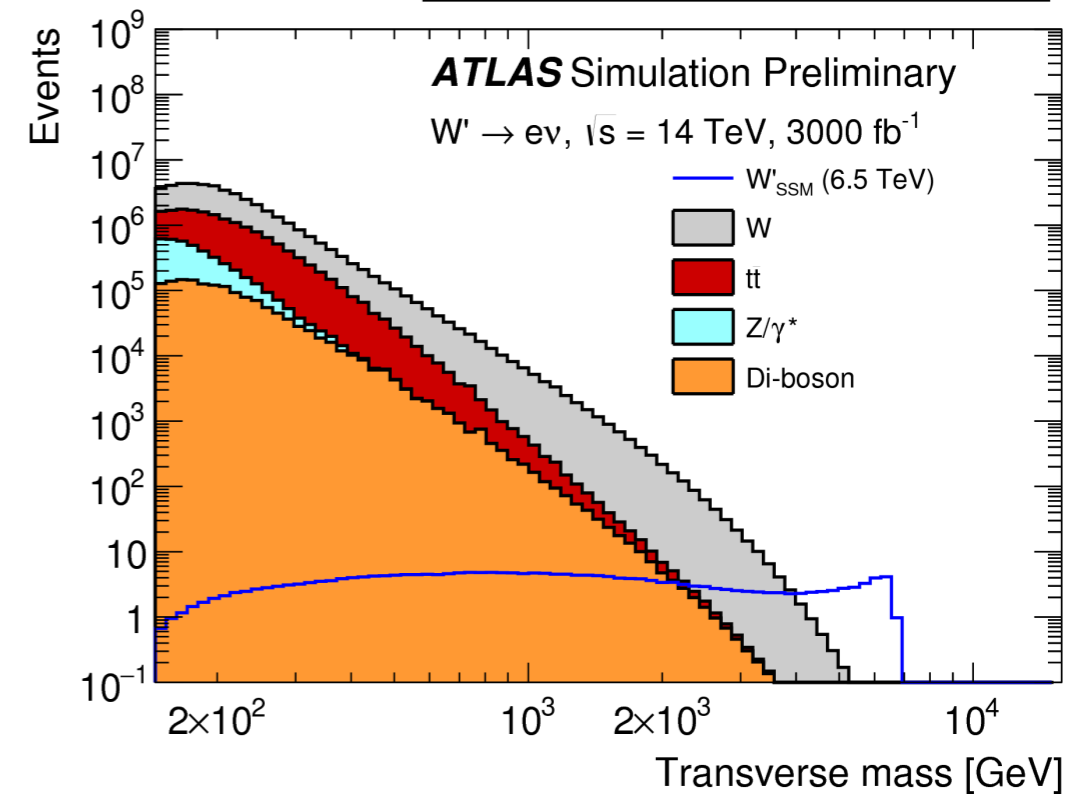
Clear gains from increased lumi and energy

Expansion of the current resonance search program, across a vast variety of channels (tt,tb,lv,ll...)

- ▶ excellent performance of high pT objects
- ▶ high mass sensitivity is dominated by statistics

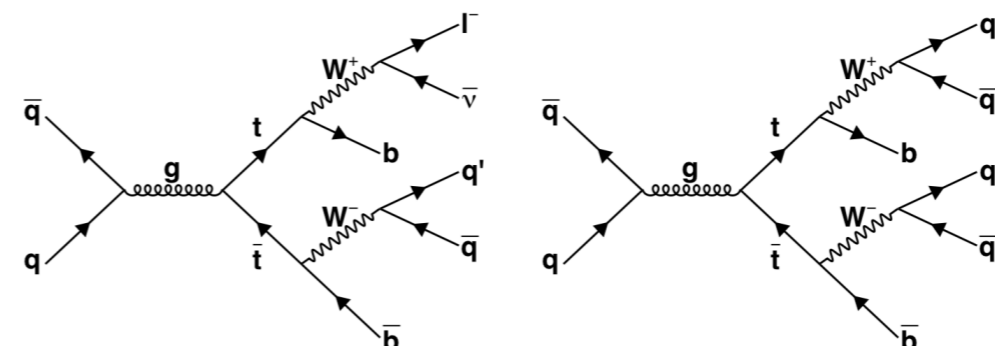
Reach **6-8 TeV mass** sensitivity in Z'-W' scenarios decaying in leptons:

➔ 1-2.5 TeV better than Run-2!

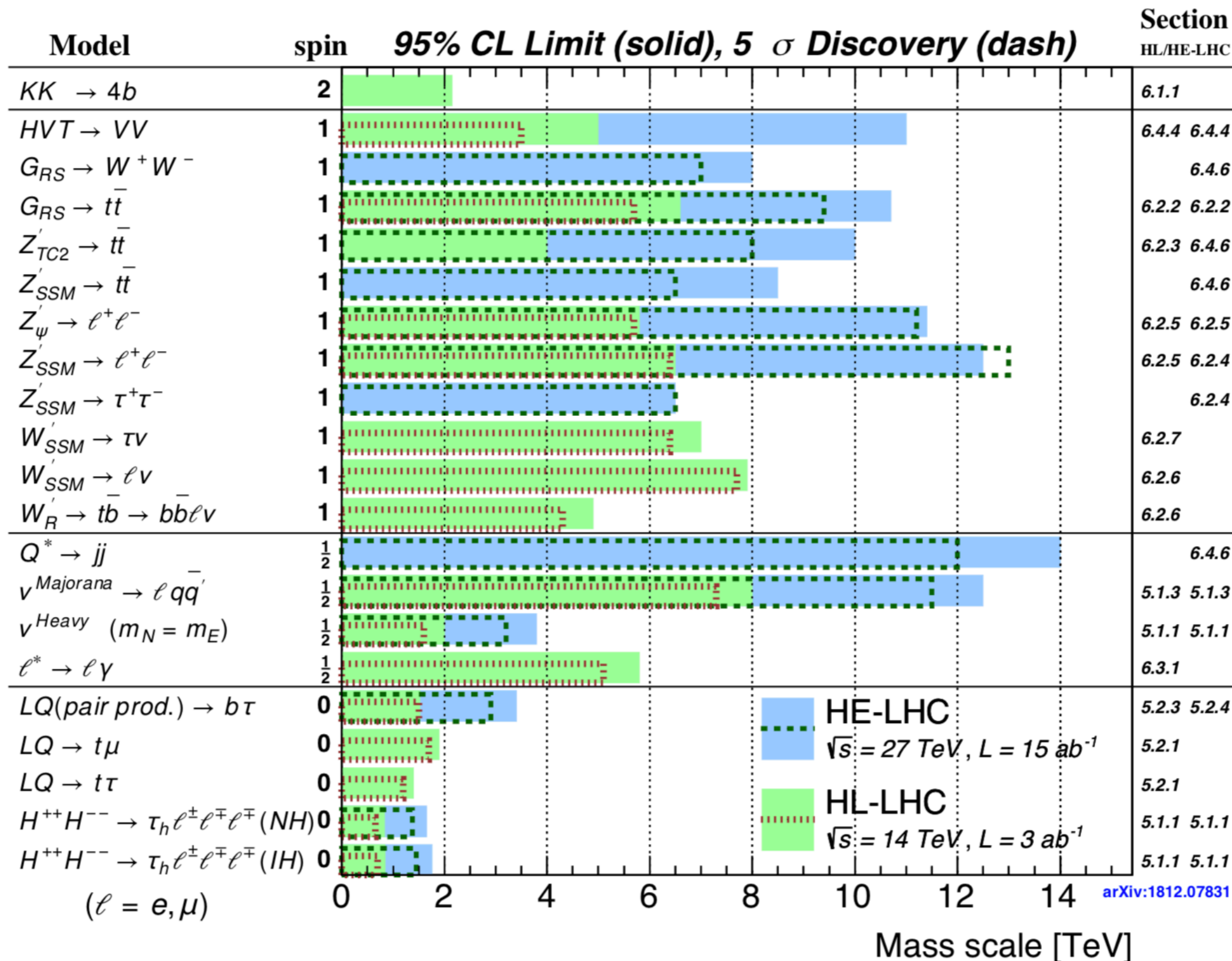


Hadronic decays dominated by top final states

- ▶ good b-tagging efficiency
- ▶ low mis-ID probability in high pileup regimes
- ➔ Phase-2 high granularity detector
- ➔ New trigger and DAQ capabilities



Exotics searches reach



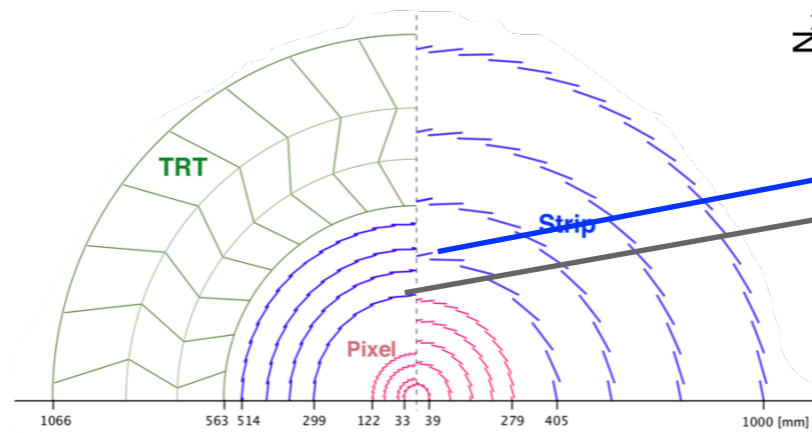
Long Lived particles (ITk)

- ▶ Many LLP searches are statistically limited!
- ▶ Background-zero searches sensitivity $\propto \mathcal{L}$
- ▶ Gain by exploiting new detector technologies

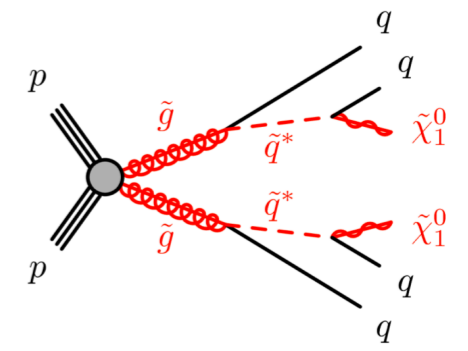
ITk detector

Higher reco efficiency:

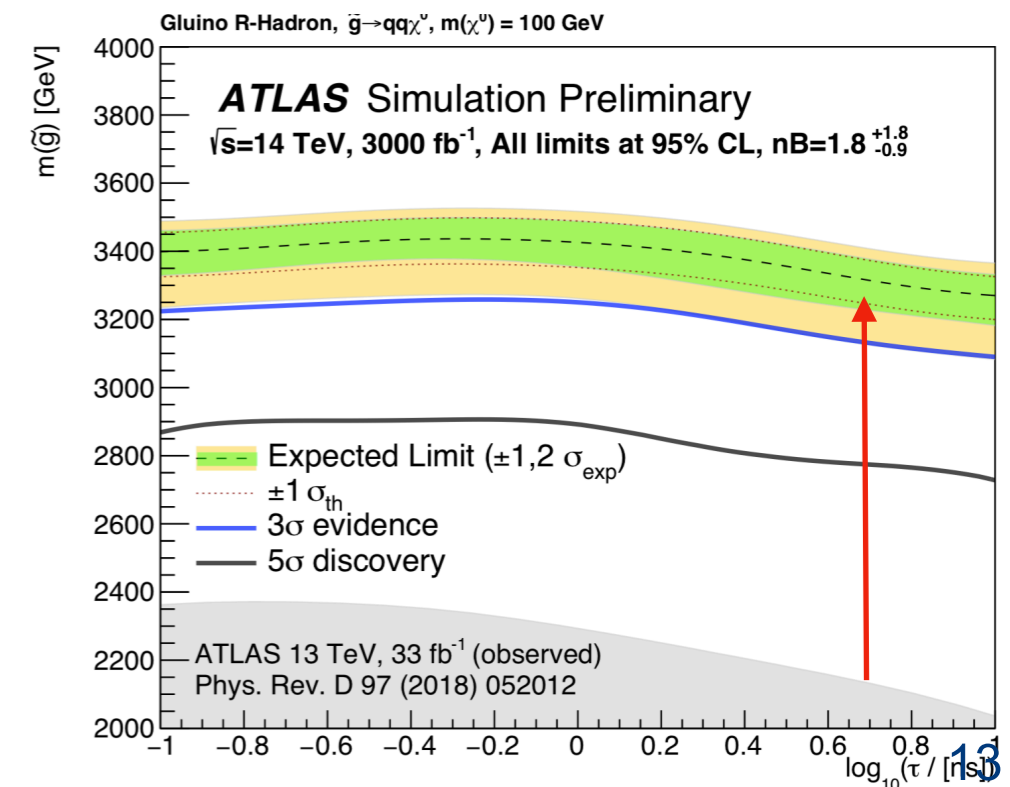
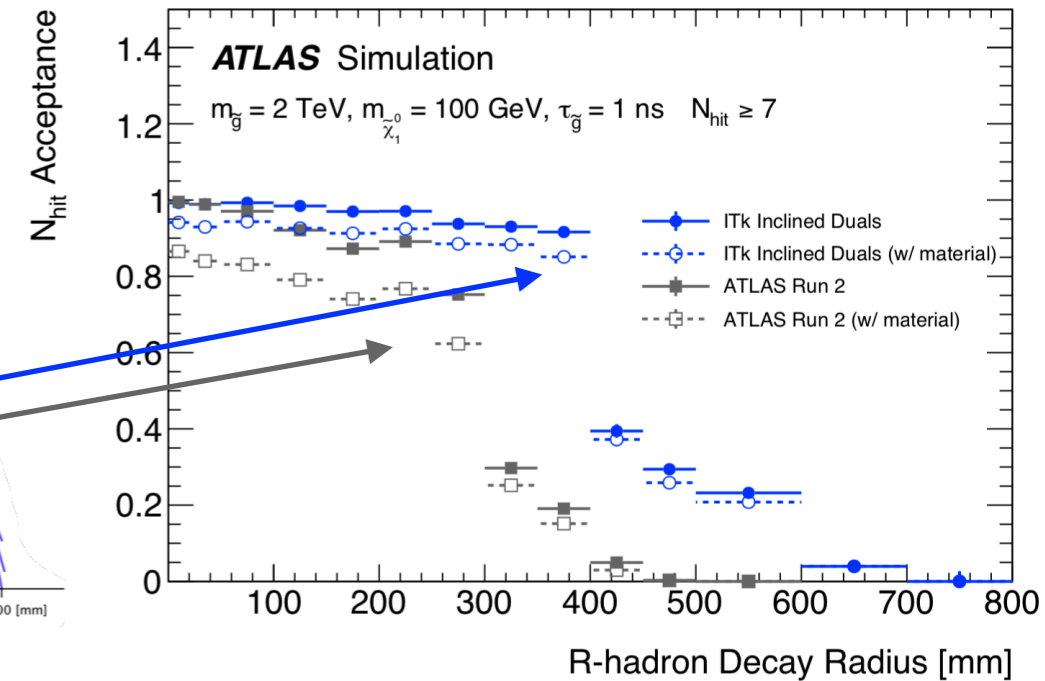
- * improved geometry
- * larger silicon volume
- * lower material budget



- * More hits-on-track with higher resolution;
- * Minimum number of hits after decay to ensure efficient reconstruction and background rejection
- * **Tracker-based triggers** could further help to increase sensitivity



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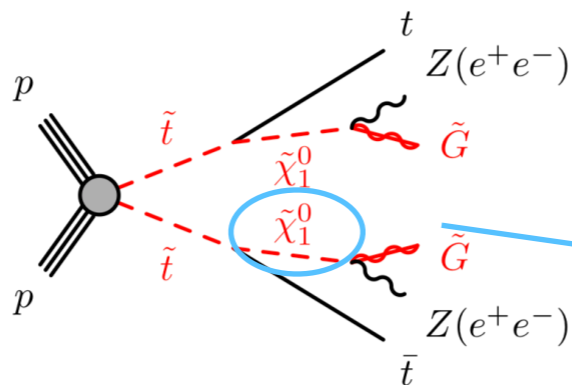
Long Lived particles (MTD)

MIP timing detector (MTD)

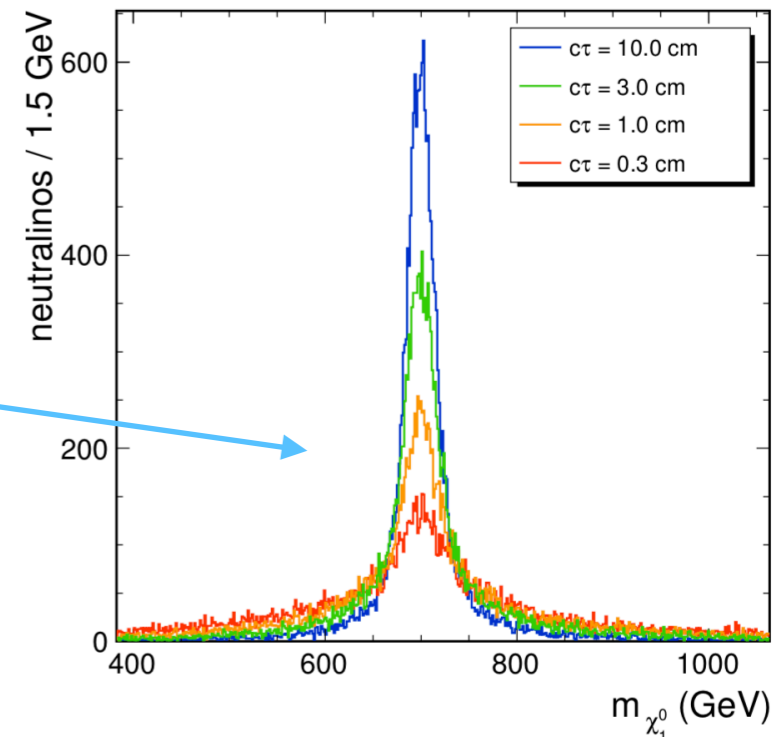
- * assigns timing for each vertex (ISR jet)
- * measures TOF of LLPs
 - ▶ LLP mass measurement.

Precision timing helps to reject

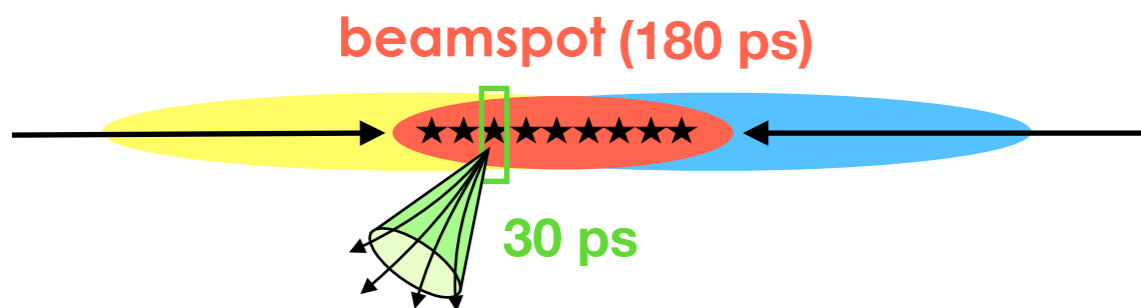
- spurious secondary vertices
- pile-up tracks



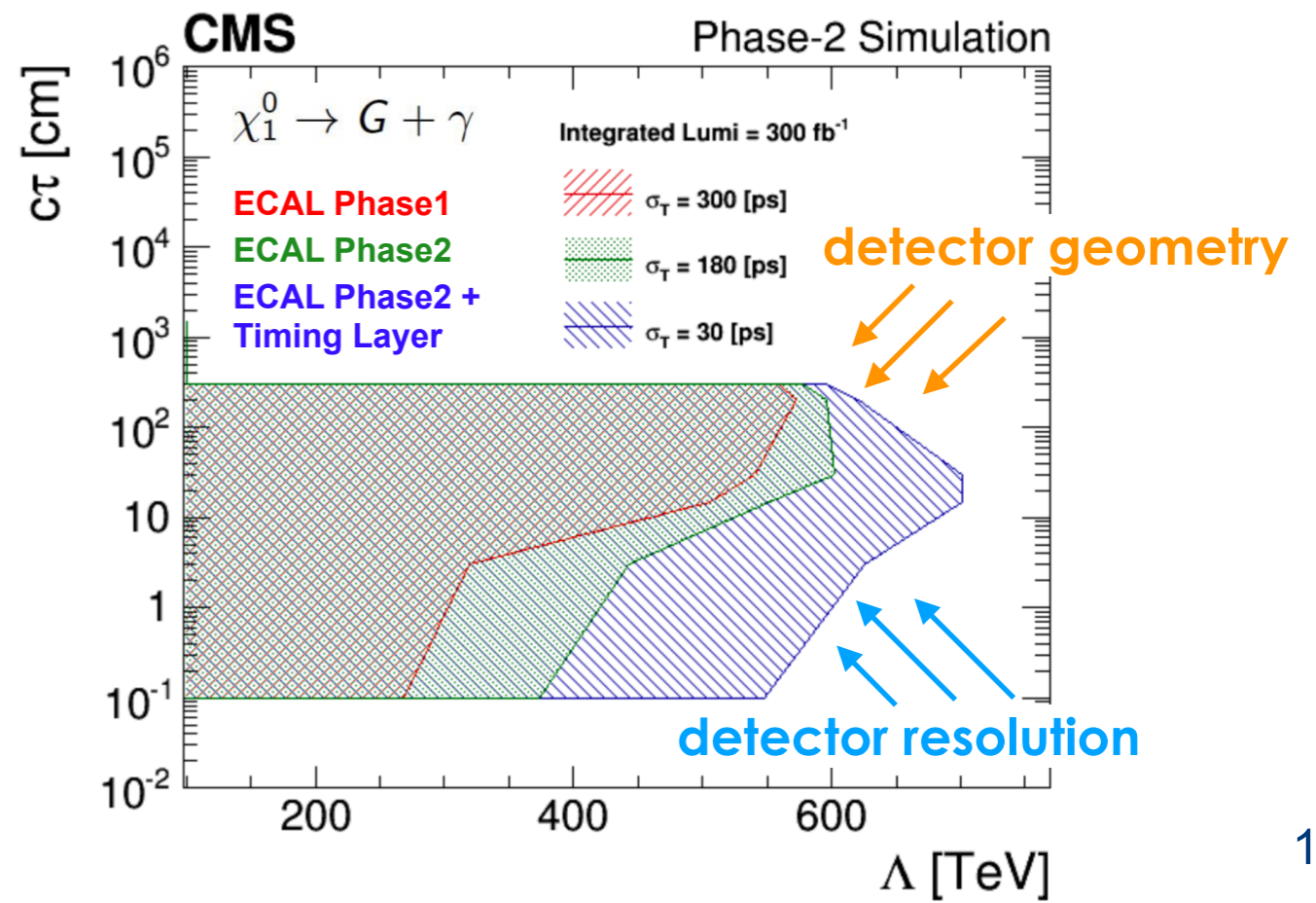
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- * W/o Timing detector: time resolution dominated by uncertainty from beamspot (~180 ps)



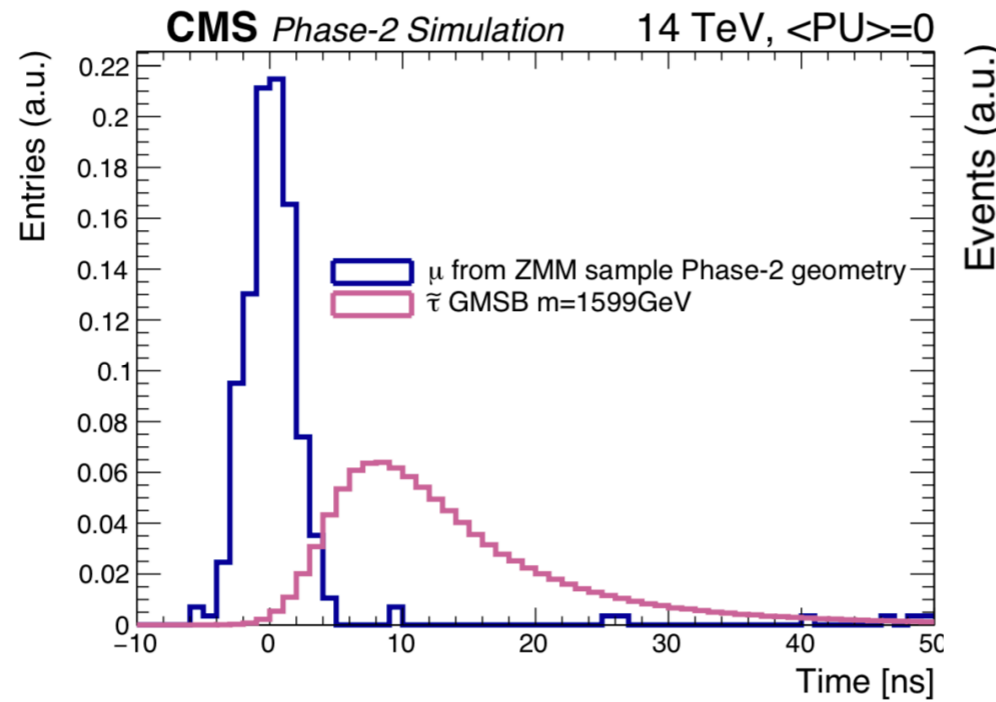
- * W/ Timing detector: time resolution lowered at 30 ps



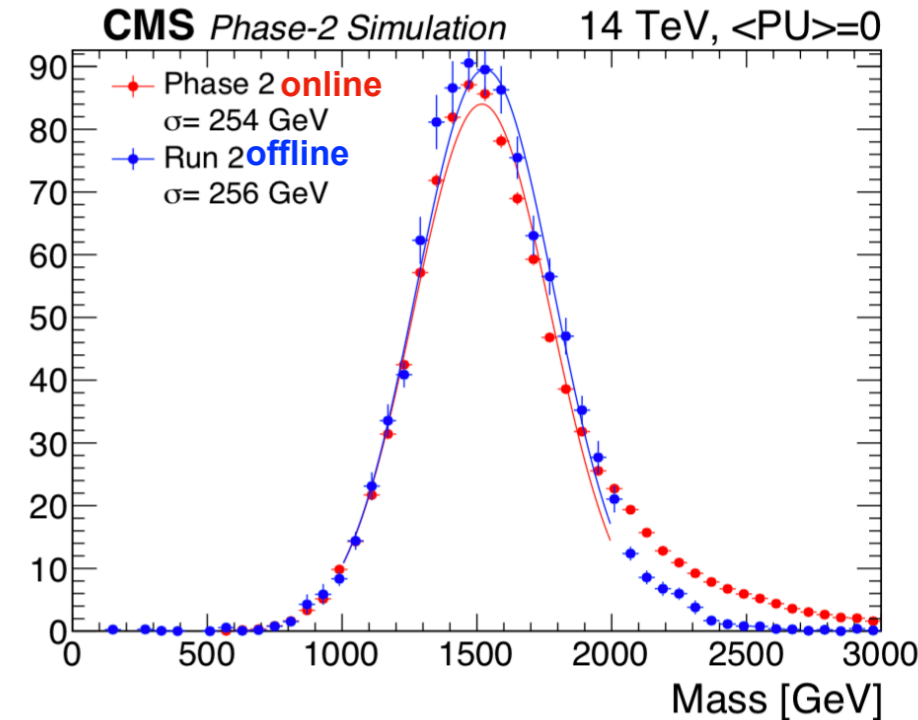
Long Lived particles (RPCs)

TOF measurements:
heavy stable charged particles similar to muons, but slower.

Use TOF to discriminate!
 (factor of 25 better time resolutions w/ new CMS link boards)

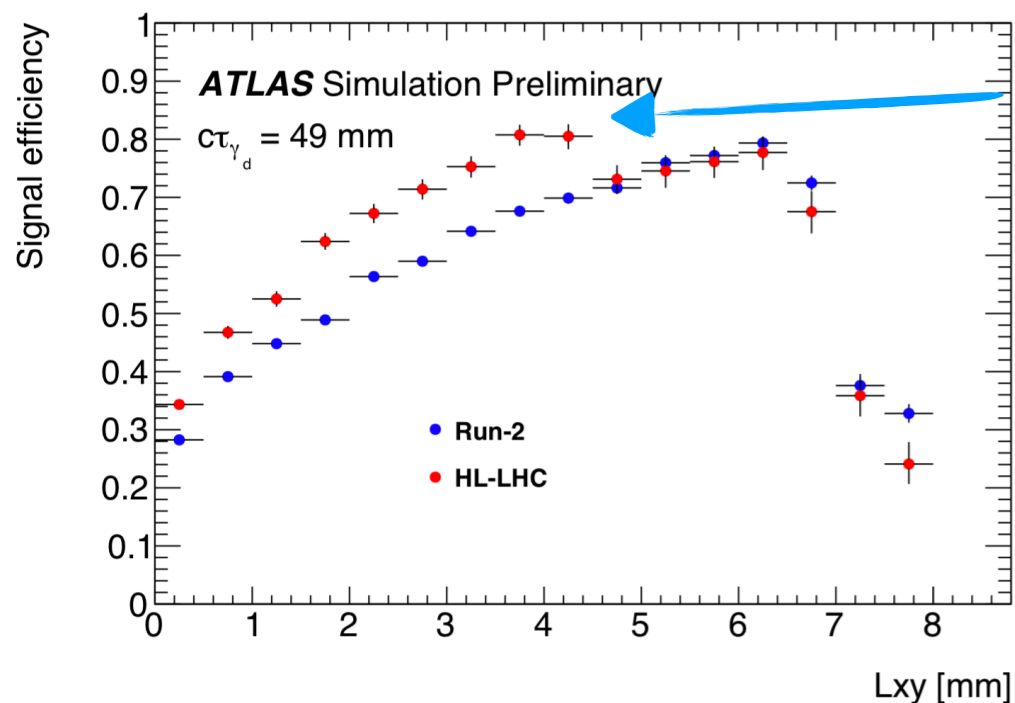


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Dark-photons are light, decay products boosted: displaced collimated jets of muons at HL-LHC

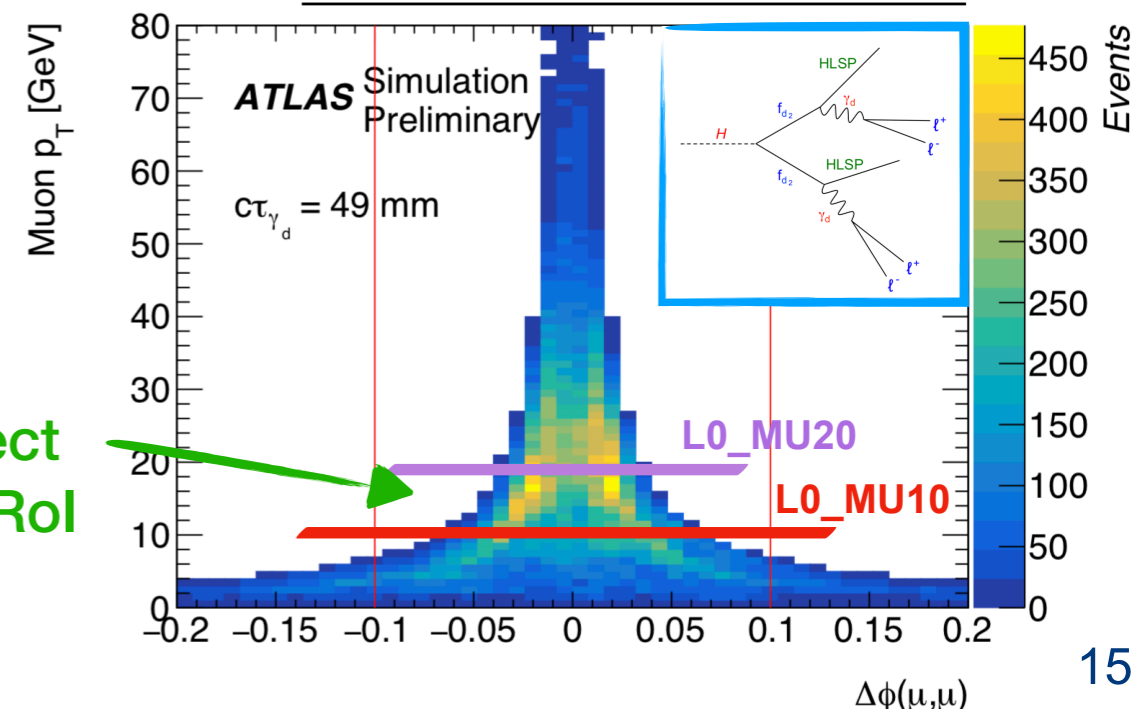
➔ Special L0 triggers designed, using features of upgrade



Additional inner RPC layer

Dedicated algorithm to select multi- μ in single RoI ($\Delta\epsilon \sim 10\%$)

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Summary

CMS public projected results
ATLAS public projected results

much larger dataset
(e.g. *staus production*)

reduce exp & theo. uncertainties
(e.g. *monojet*)

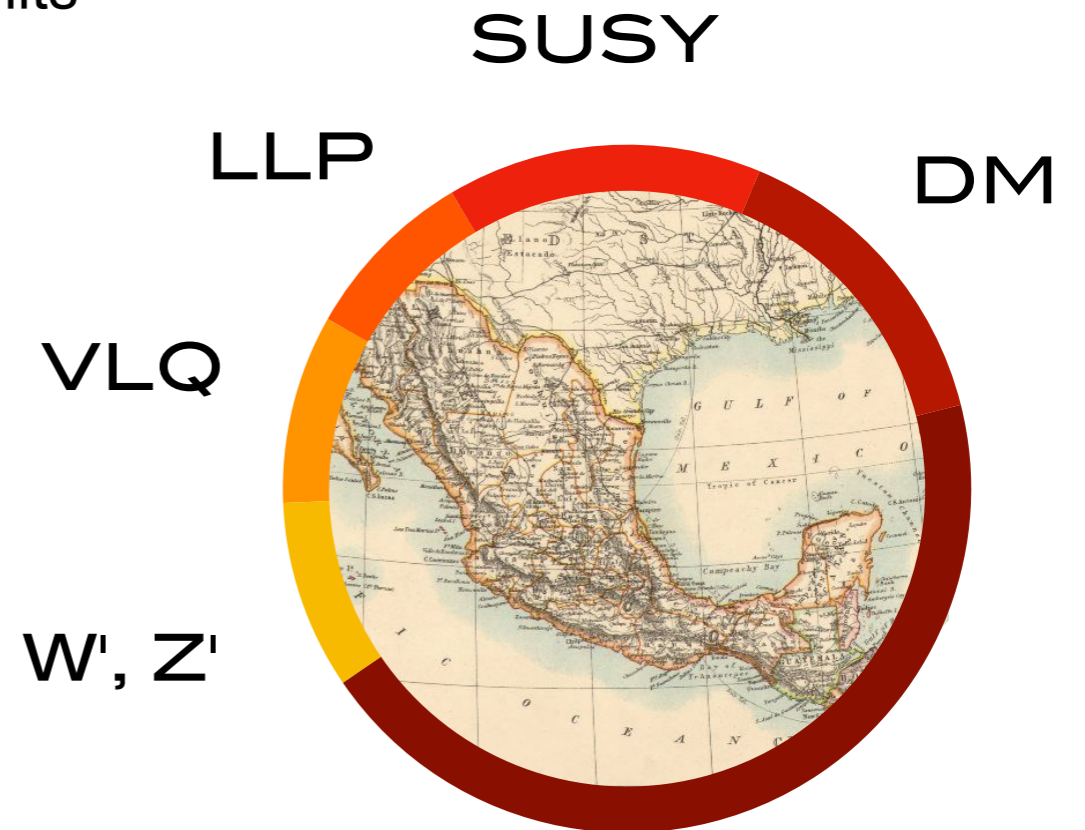
higher centre-of-mass energy of the collisions
(e.g. *resonance searches*)

upgraded detectors and DAQ systems
(e.g. *LLP searches*)

- ▶ 20-50% better in most SUSY scenarios
- ▶ up to 6-8 TeV high mass resonance exclusion limits
- ▶ DM searches reach extended by more than 50%
- ▶ even larger gains in more exotic searches!

NEW IDEAS in the next years will allow to probe new physics scenarios or corner cases:

- 💡 new trigger strategies?
- 💡 deep learning at low and high level physics?
- 💡 **THINK OUTSIDE THE BOX!**



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Even if Run-2 will not bring to a new discovery...



HL-LHC

Run-2

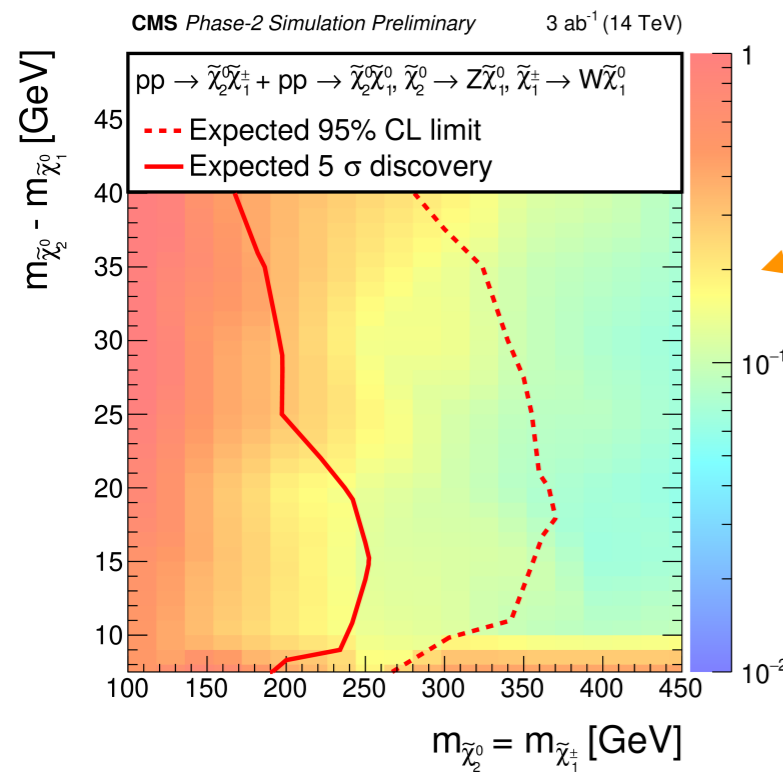
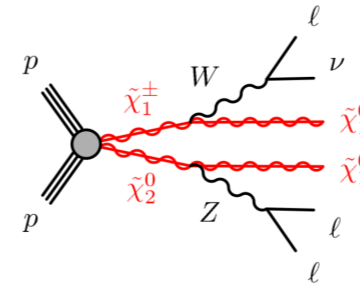
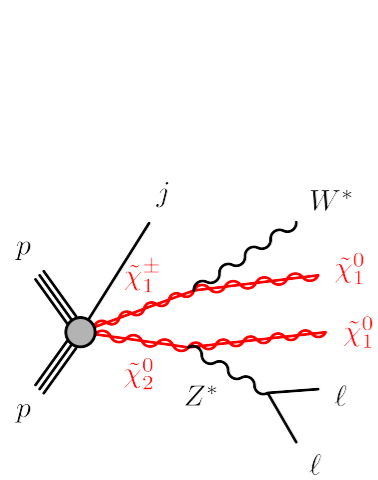
New Physics

...HL-LHC will get us a new perspective!

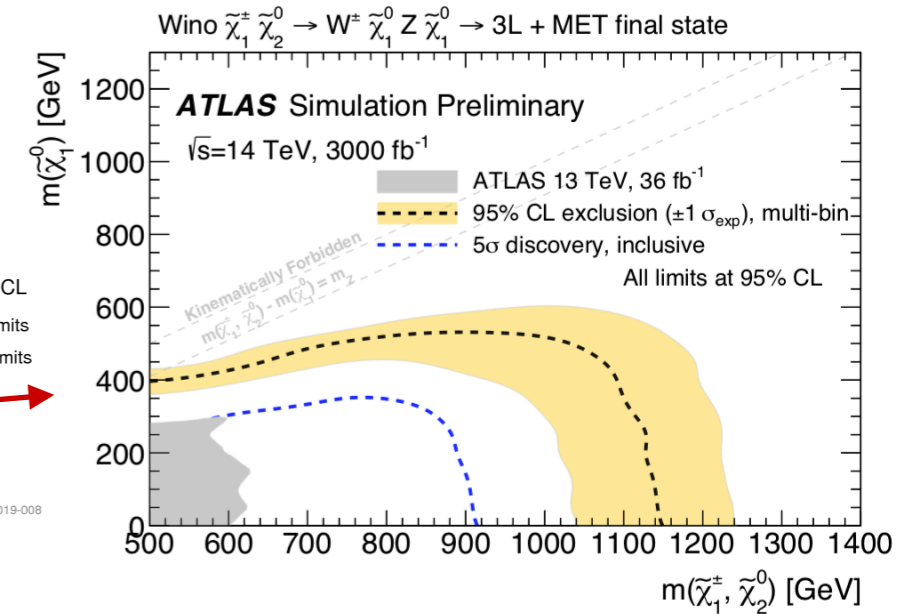
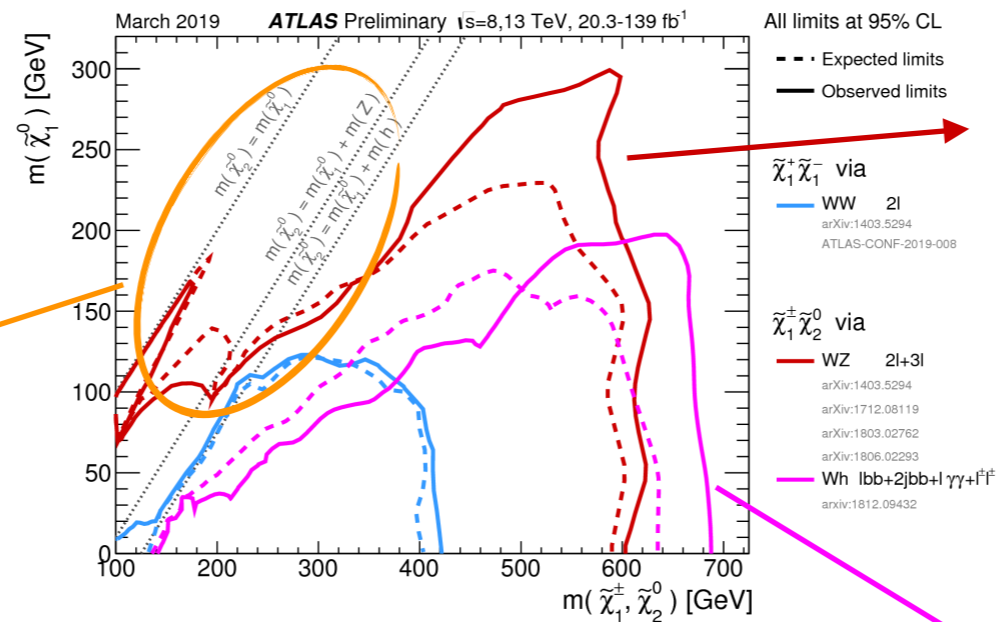
A stylized desert landscape illustration. The scene is dominated by warm orange and yellow tones. In the upper right, a large, bright white sun is partially obscured by a thin, dark crescent moon. The background features several jagged, silhouetted mountain peaks. The middle ground shows rolling hills and more jagged rock formations. The foreground is filled with various cacti, including tall saguaros and smaller cholla cacti, all rendered in dark orange and brown silhouettes. The overall style is flat and graphic, typical of a digital illustration or a poster.

BACK UP

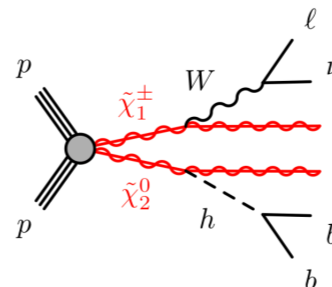
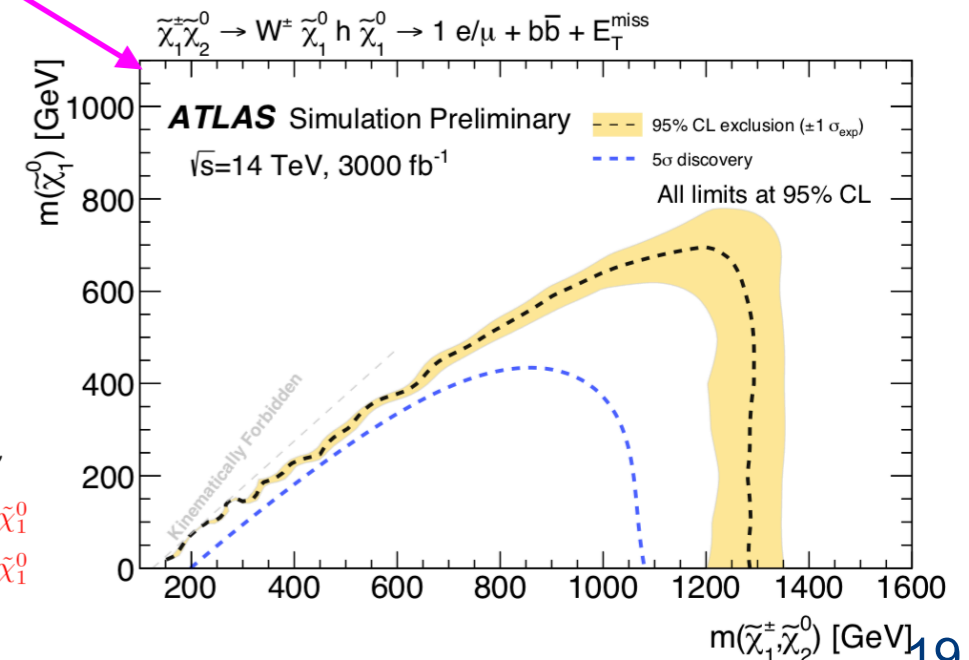
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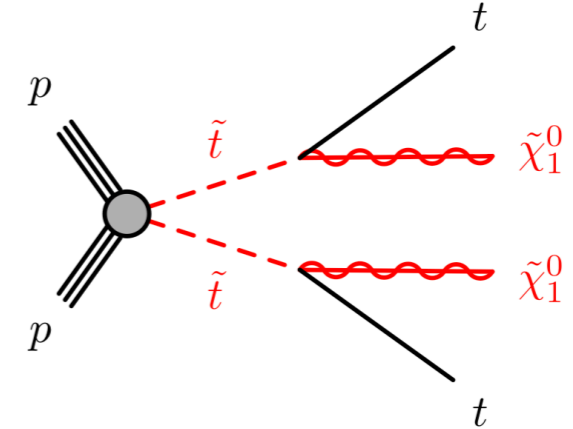
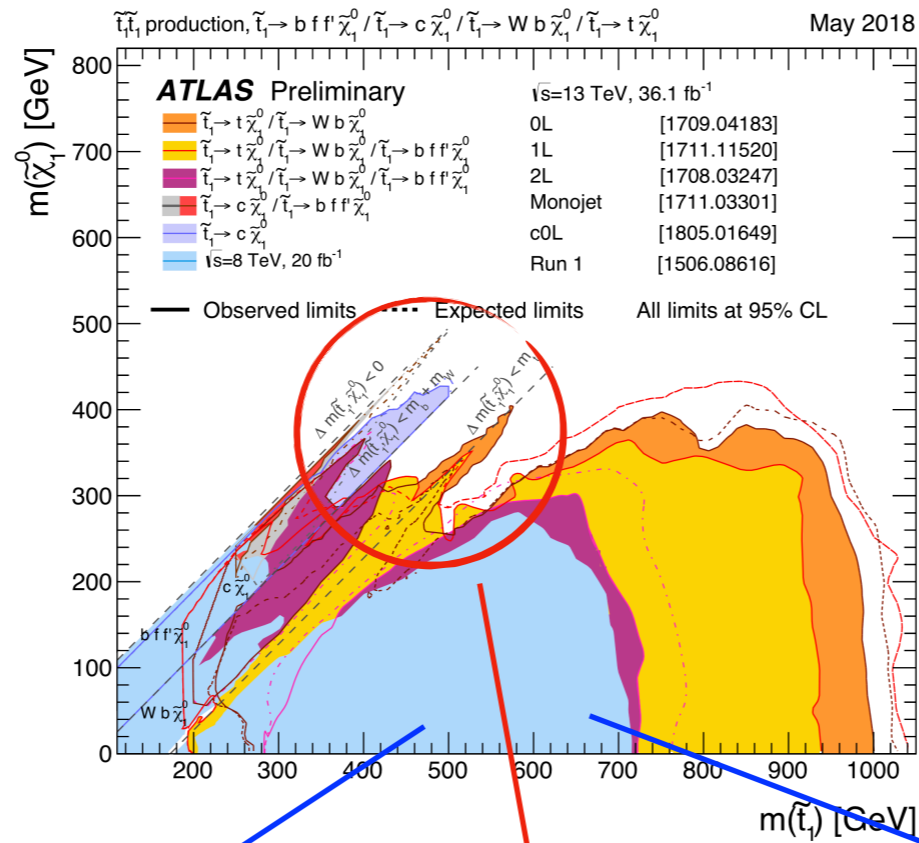
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SUSY: Stop searches

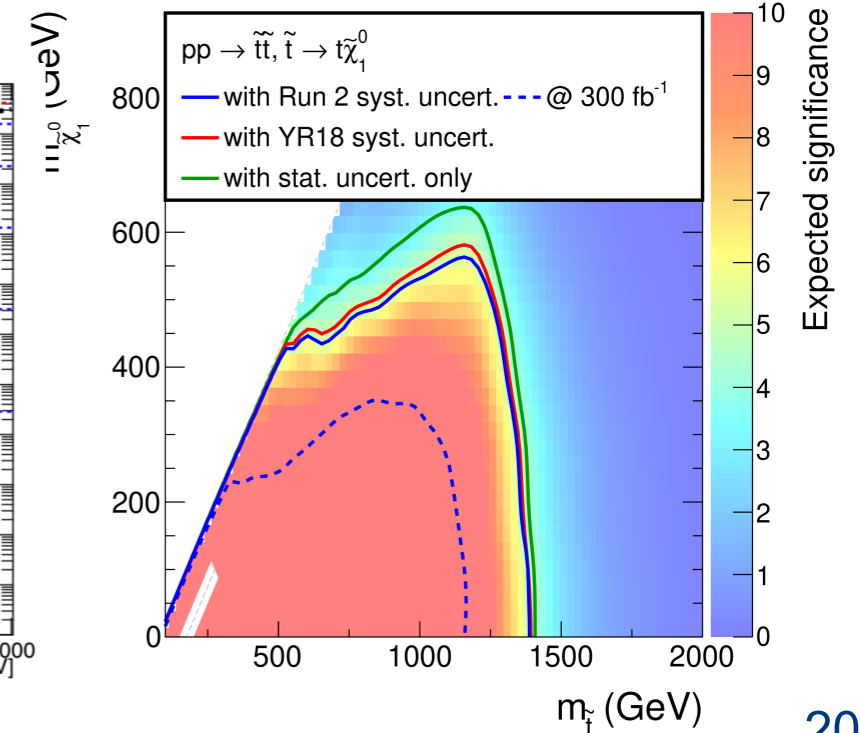
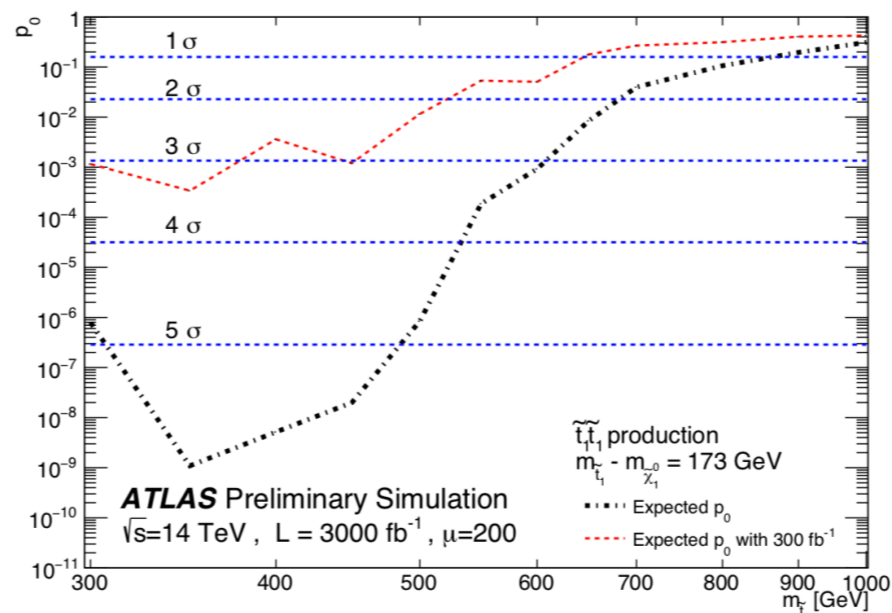
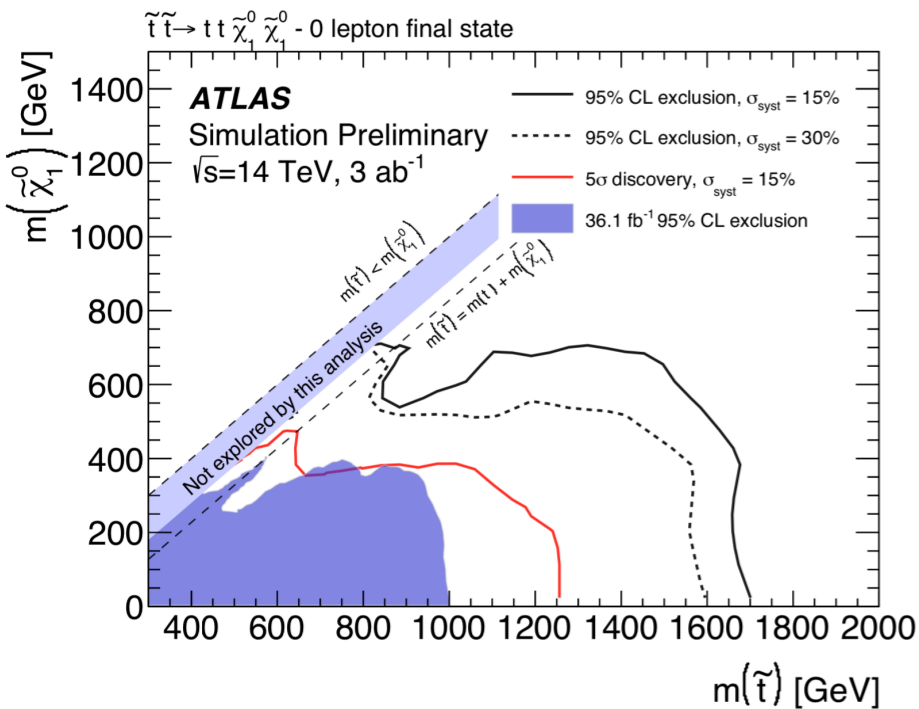


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CMS Phase-2 Projection 3 ab⁻¹ (14 TeV)



Timing detector

General feature:

a high granularity segmented timing detector surrounding the tracker.

CMS: MIP timing detector (MTD) will cover $|\eta| < 3$ Barrel

► with LYSO+SiPM, endcap with LGAD

ATLAS: LGAD-based technology (low-gain avalanche diode) covering $2.4 < |\eta| < 4$

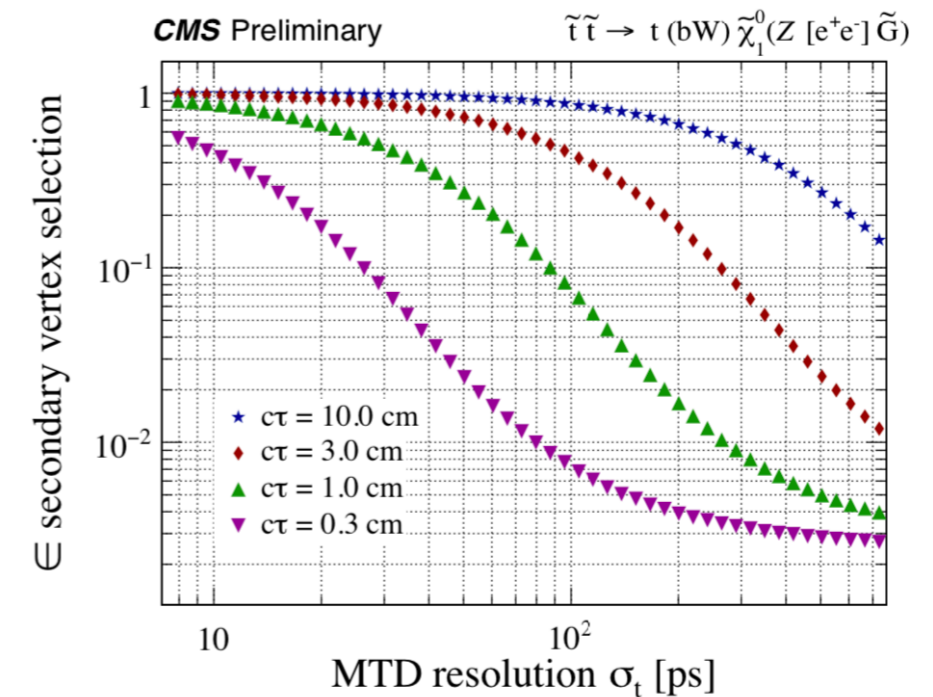
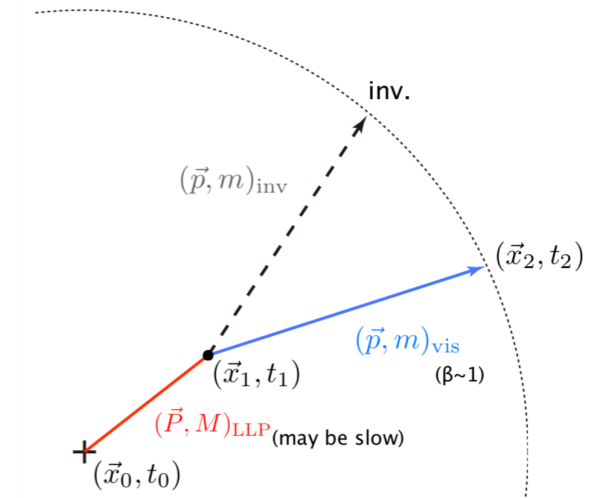
Primary motivation:

- * resolving the timing of the primary vertices;
- * stronger classification for e.g. jet-to-vertex classification.

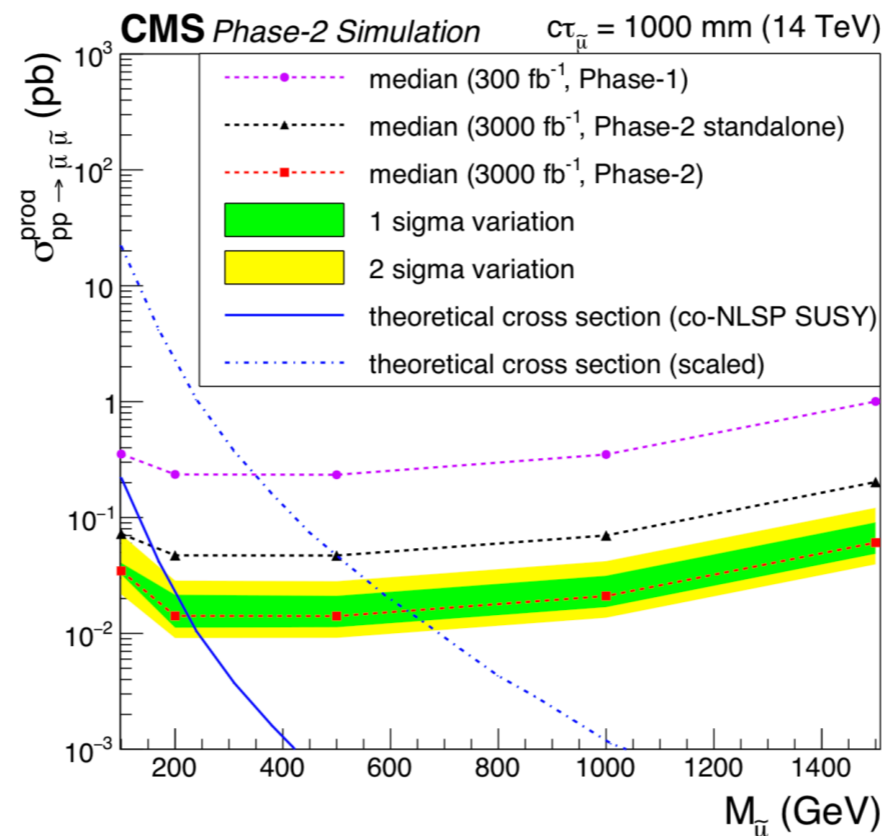
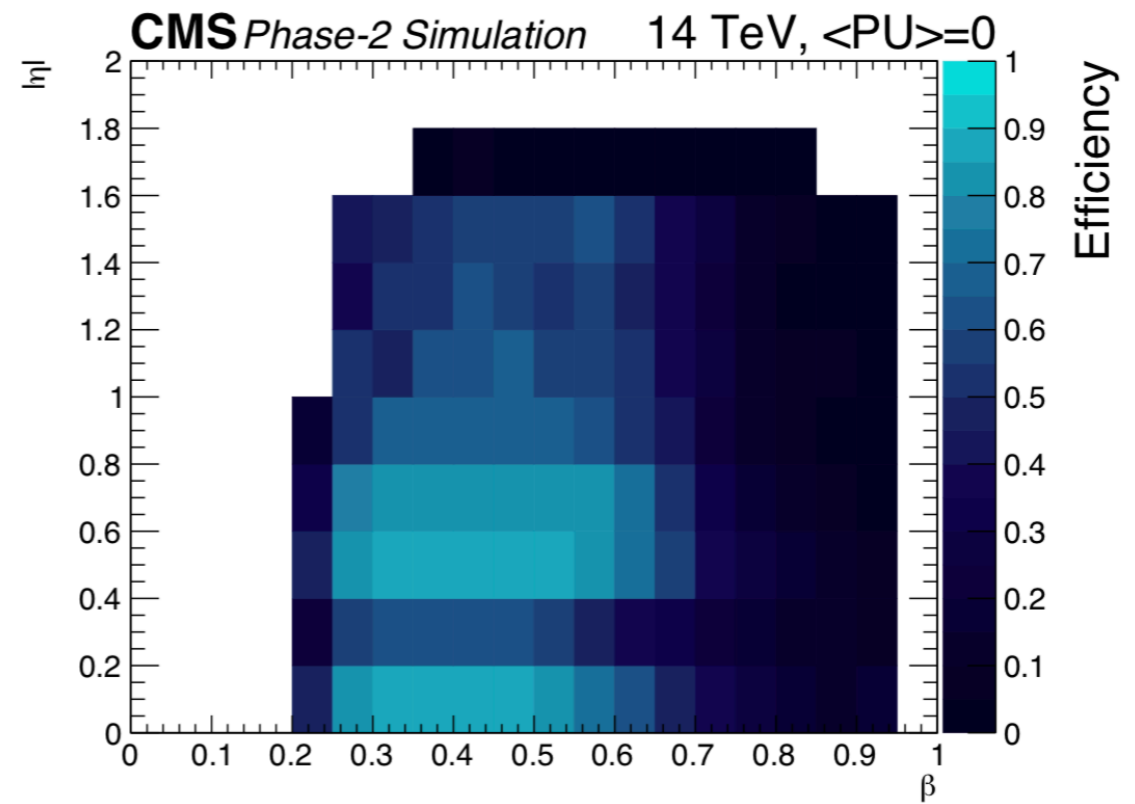
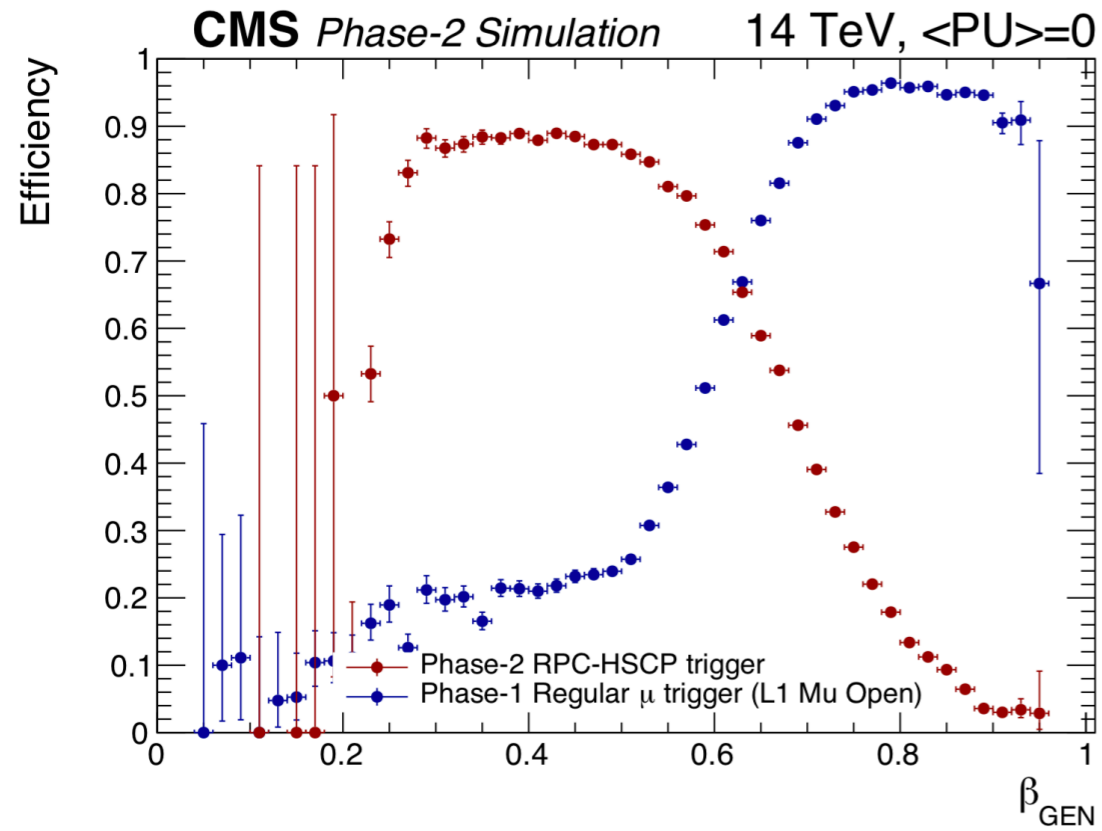
Timing detectors would open more kinematic handles for LLP searches.

$$E_V^P = \gamma_P \left(E_V^{LAB} - \vec{P}_V^{LAB} \cdot \vec{\beta}_V^{LAB} \right) = \frac{m_P^2 - m_I^2 + m_V^2}{2m_P}$$

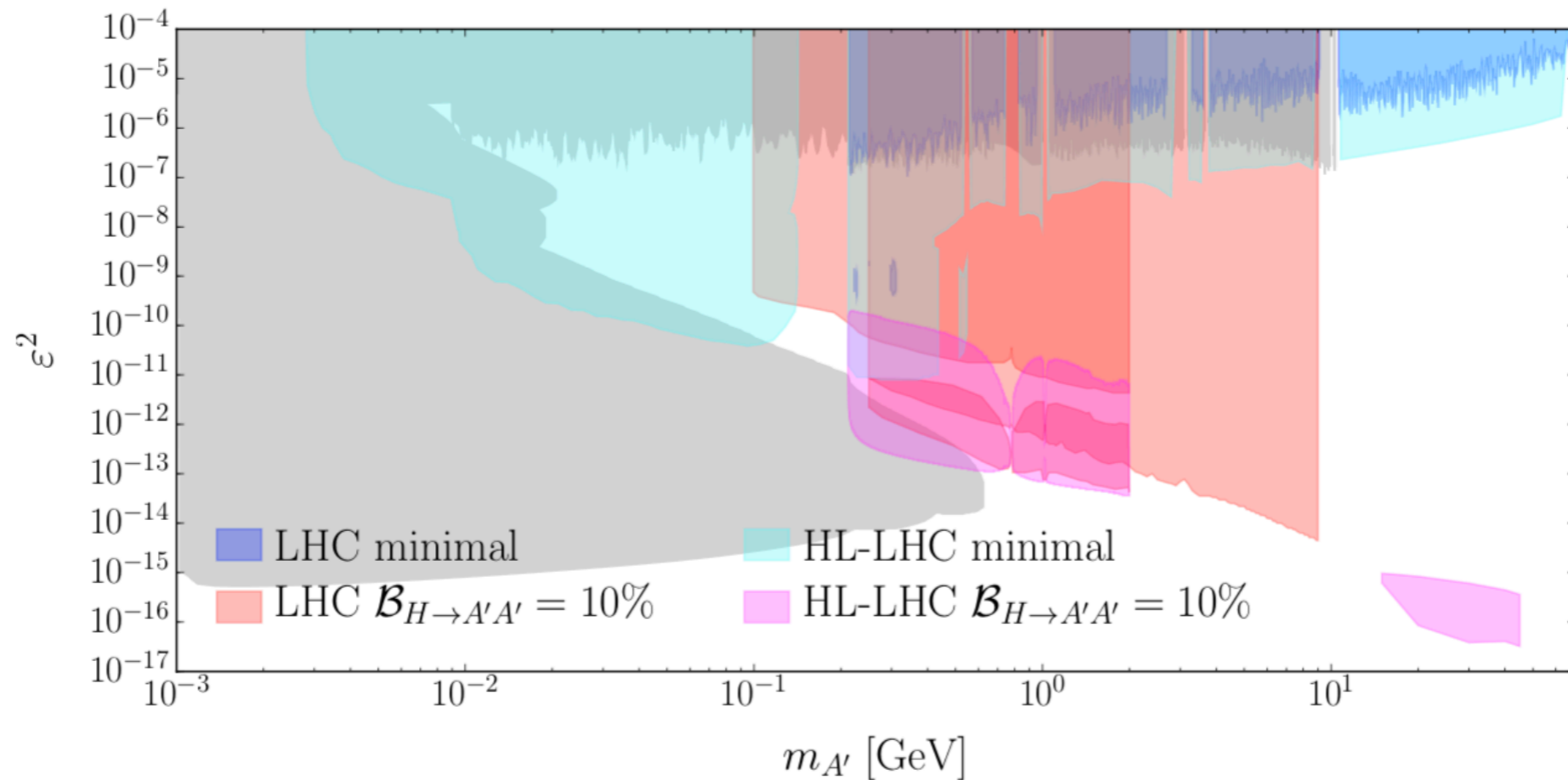
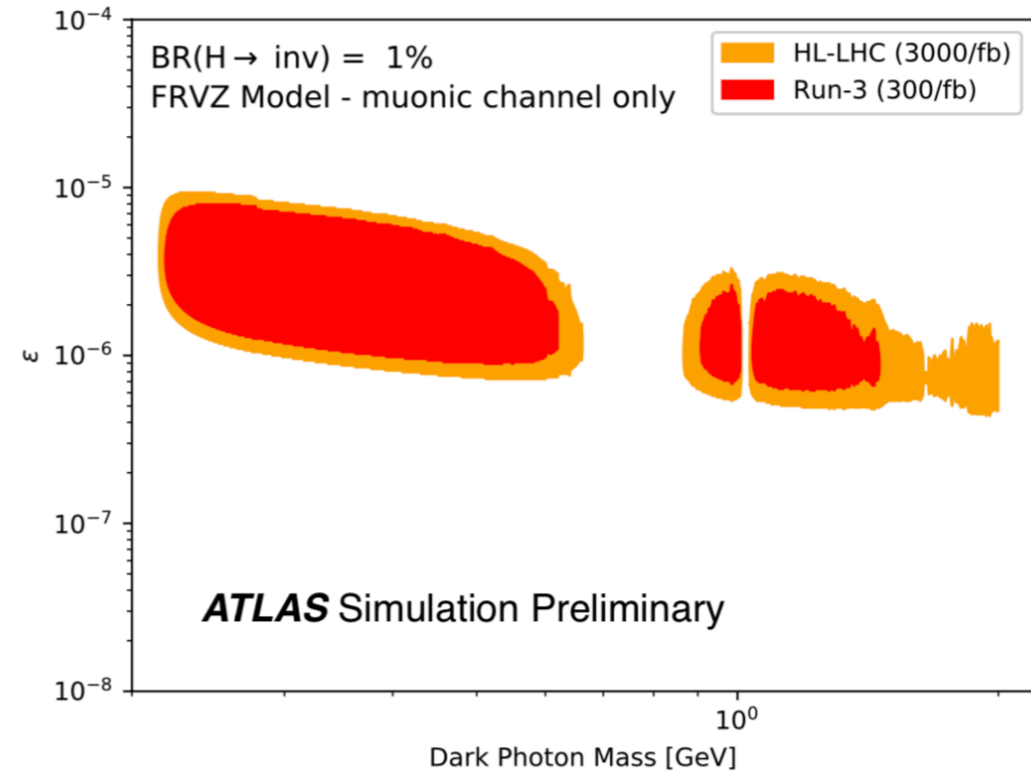
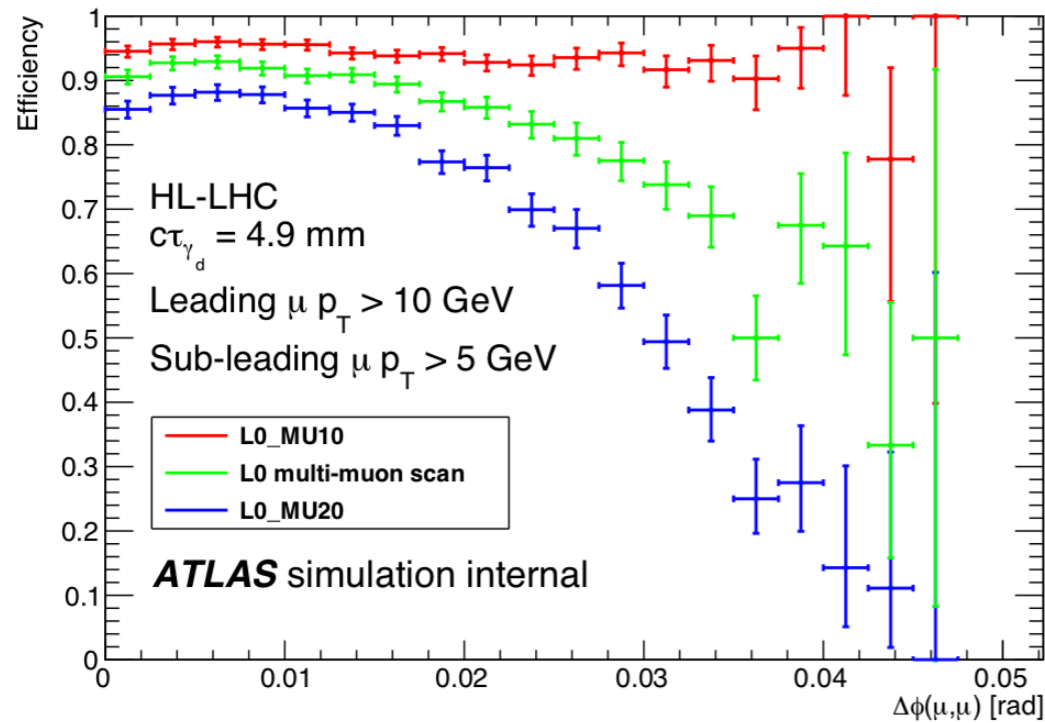
$$m_P = E_V^P + \sqrt{E_V^{P2} + m_I^2 - m_V^2}$$



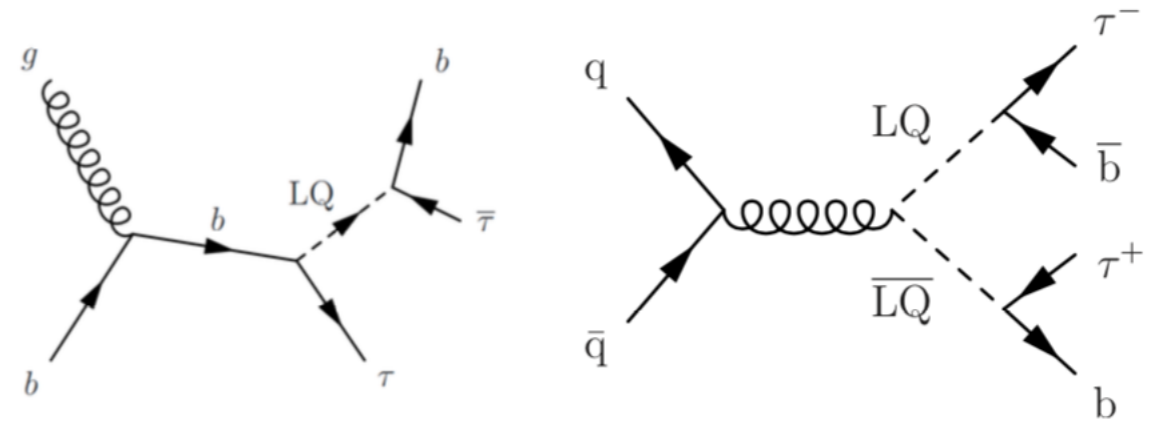
* $\epsilon \sim 90\%$ for $\beta > 0.25$
 (in Run-2 $\epsilon \sim 20\%$ for $\beta < 0.5$)



Dark Photons



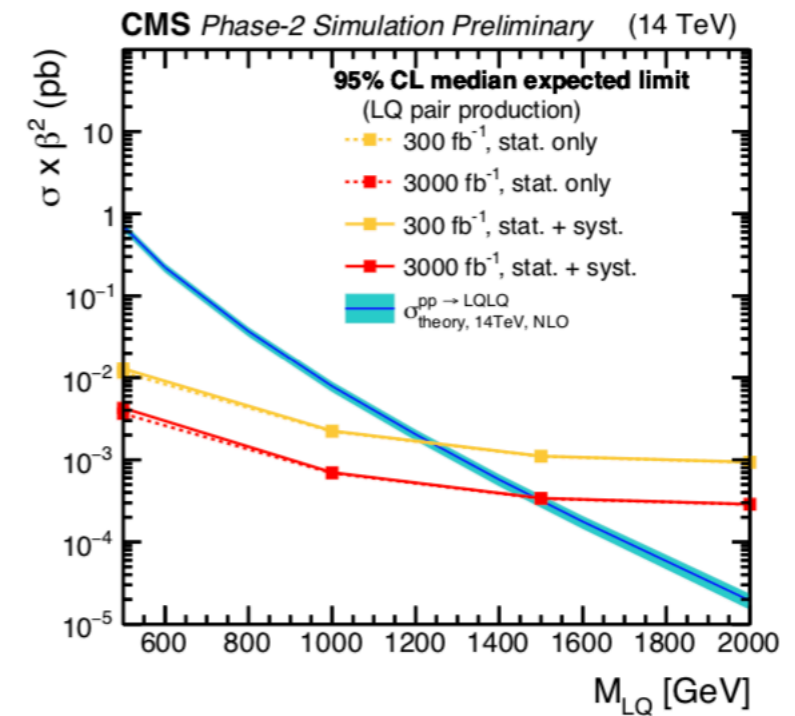
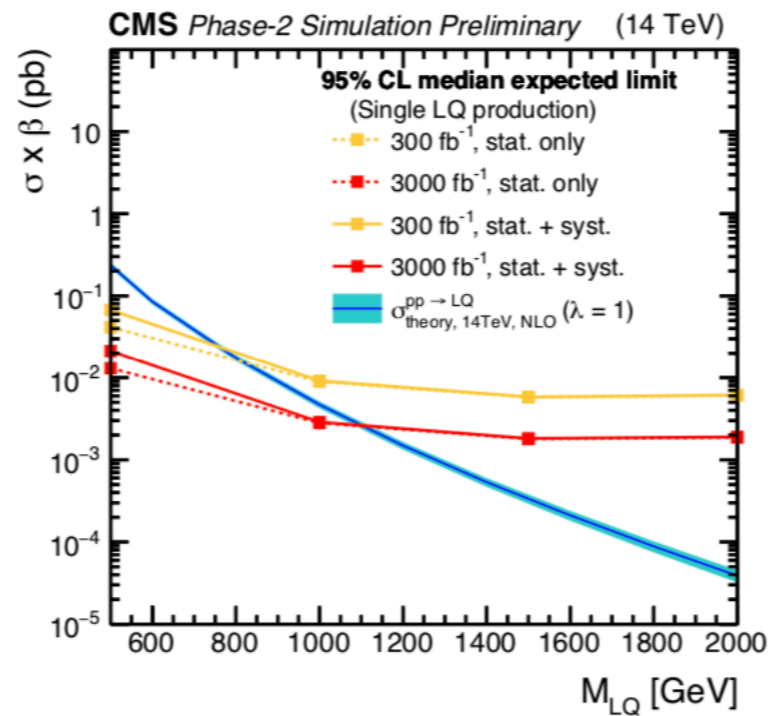
LeptoQuark searches



$LQ \rightarrow \tau b$

discovery up to 1.5 TeV
with pair production
(stats dominated)

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$LQ \rightarrow \tau \mu$

>500 GeV
gain wrt 36 fb⁻¹

$LQ \rightarrow \tau t$

~400 GeV gain
wrt 36 fb⁻¹

CMS-PAS-FTR-18-008

