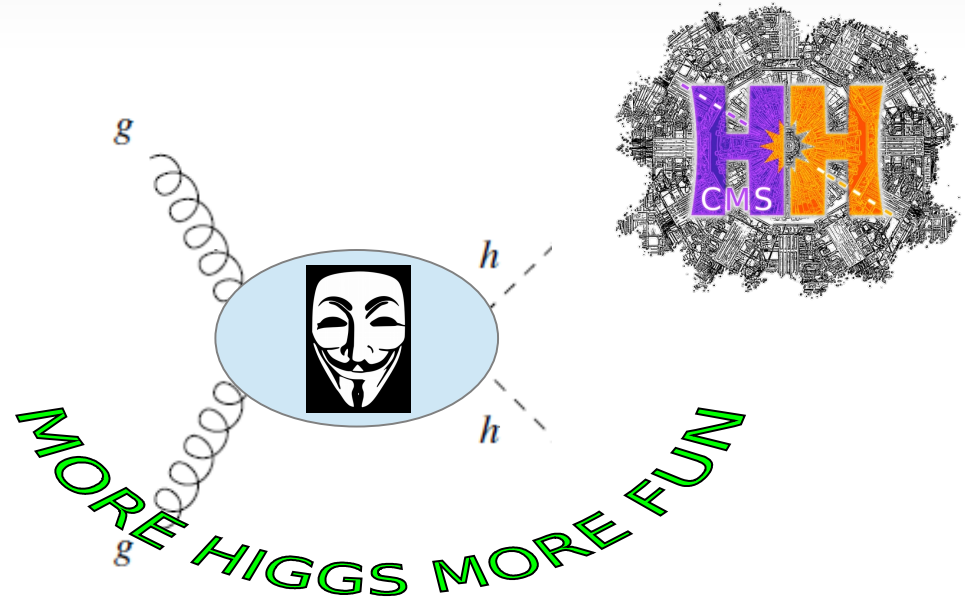


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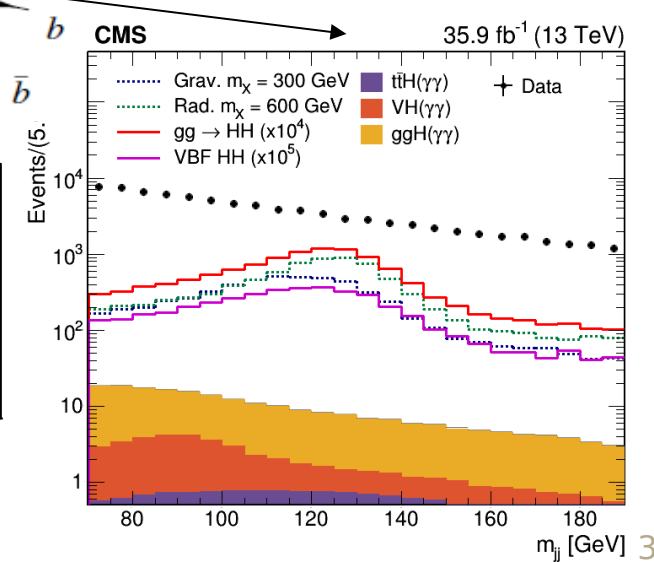
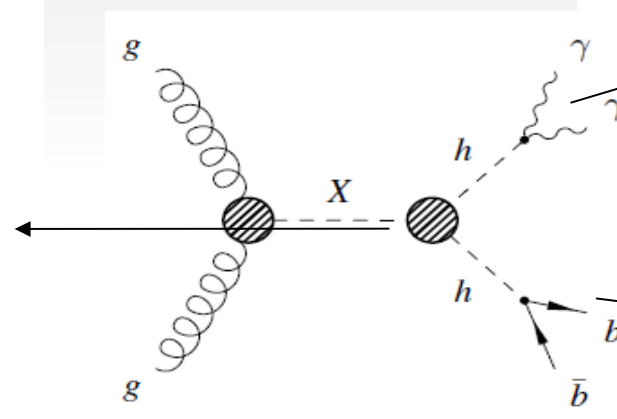
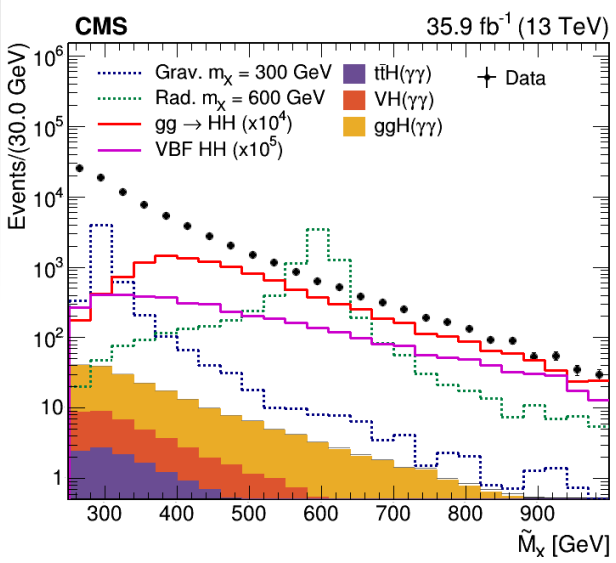
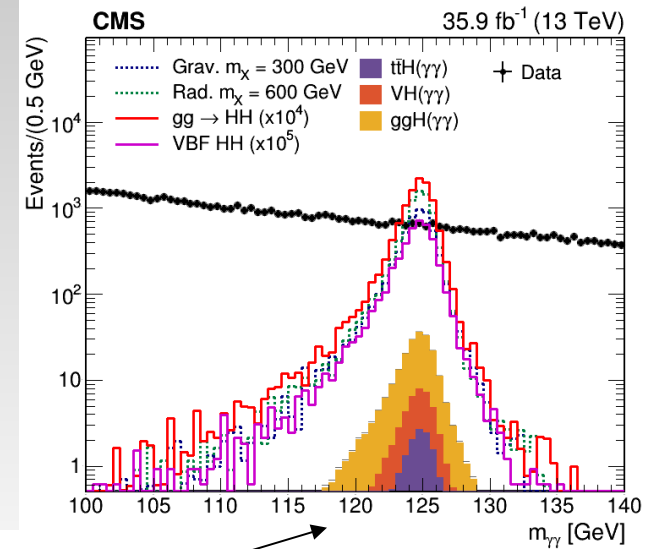
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# Introduction

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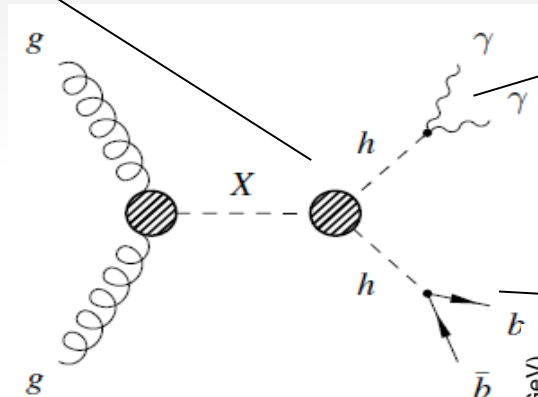
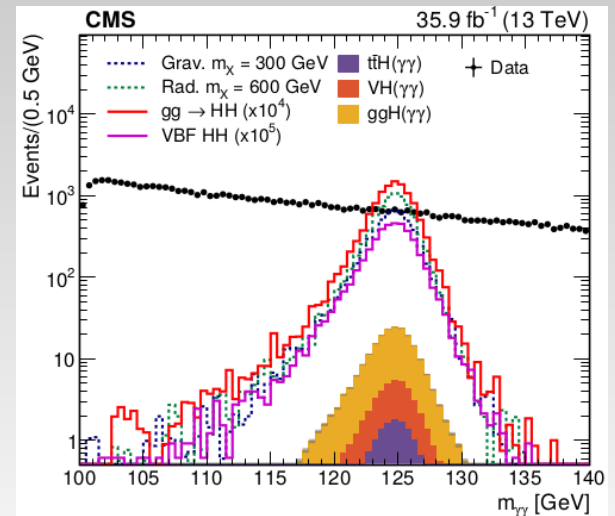
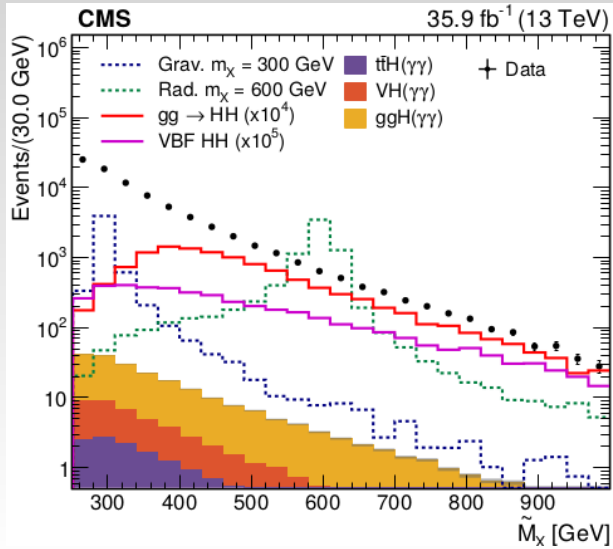
- Fully reconstructible final state.
- Kinematically over-constrained analysis.



## Main backgrounds:

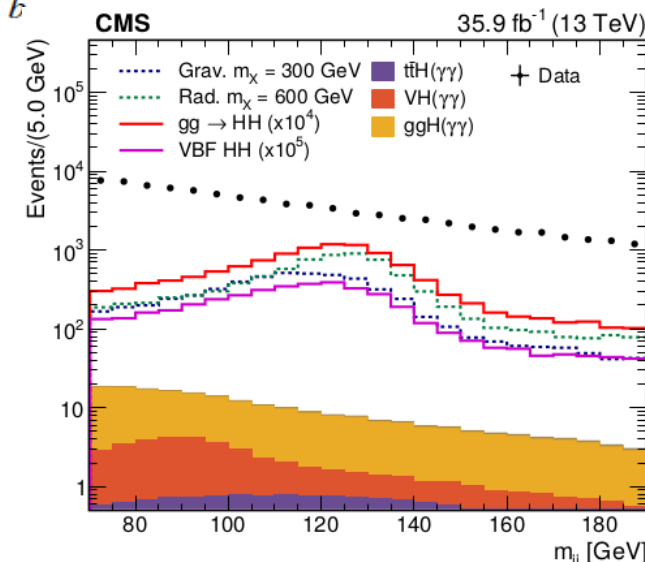
- Non-resonant QCD =  $\gamma\gamma b\bar{b}$  (>80%) +  $\gamma j\bar{b}b + j\bar{b}b$  (<20%).
- Resonant: SM H production – few events but positioned exactly under the diphoton peak.

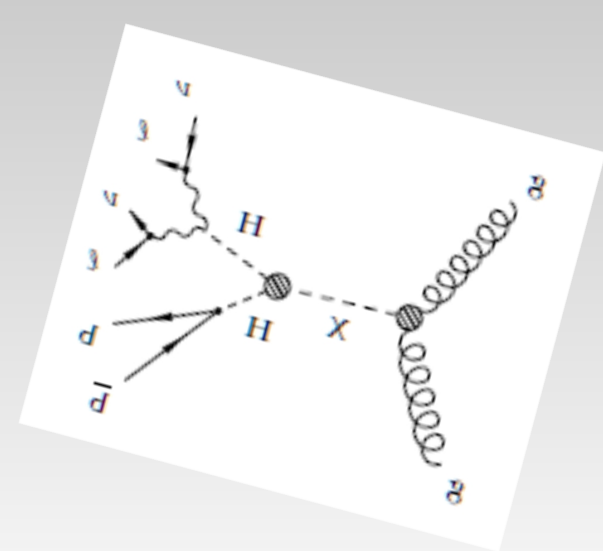
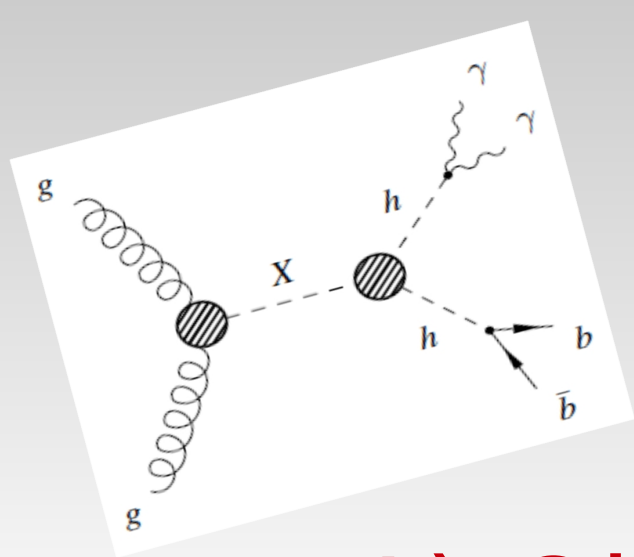
# Introduction



- Use likelihood  $M_{\gamma\gamma} \times M_{bb}$ .
- Categorize in  $M_{\gamma\gamma bb}$  and MVA.

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# 1) Objects selection

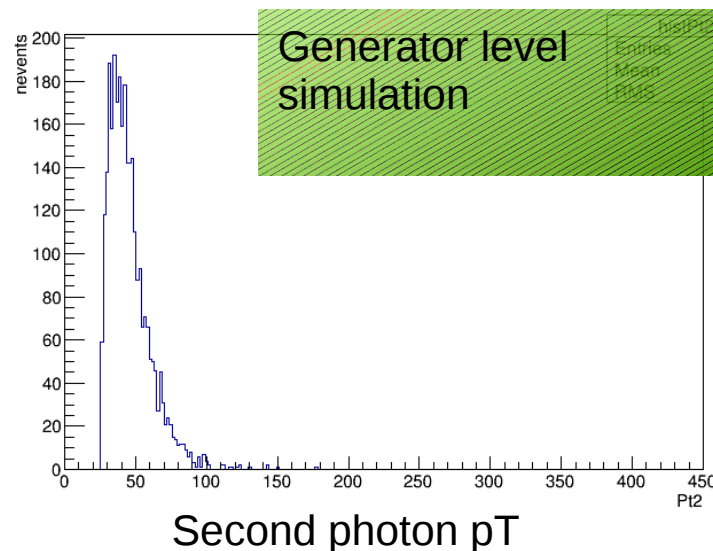
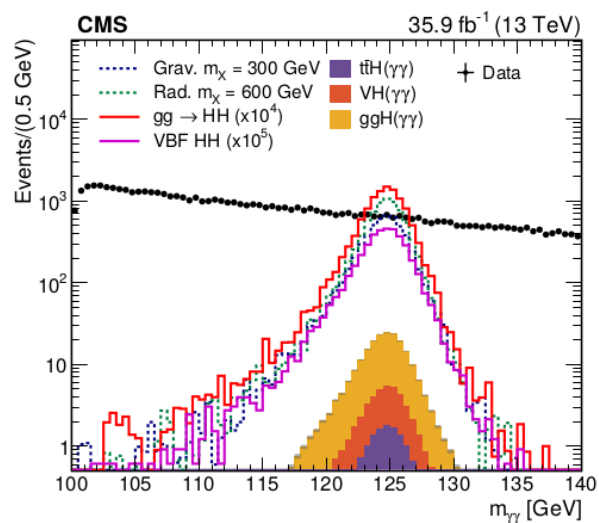
# 1.1) Photons selection

- Fully reconstructible final state.
- Similar to  $H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$  but higher  $p_T$  of the objects.

Table 2: Summary of the baseline selection criteria.

Photons		Jets	
Variable	Selection	Variable	Selection
$p_T^{\gamma 1}$	$> m_{\gamma\gamma}/3$	$p_T$ [GeV]	$> 25$ .
$p_T^{\gamma 2}$	$> m_{\gamma\gamma}/4$	$\Delta R_{\gamma j}$	$> 0.4$
$ \eta $	$< 2.5$	$ \eta $	$< 2.4$

- Photons  $p_T$  selection identical to  $H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$  analysis. Optimized to keep  $M_{\gamma\gamma}$  spectrum smooth.
- It is a bit more stringent than the trigger:  $p_T^{\gamma 1} > 30$  GeV and  $p_T^{\gamma 2} > 18$  GeV. May be interesting to re-optimize in future for low  $M_X$  and  $\kappa_\lambda$  scan. Need to be careful to avoid too much fake photons.
- Photon id optimized using MVA definition. We realized that photon isolation for trailing photon can be worse than for leading one due to  $H \rightarrow b\bar{b}$  presence for low  $M_X$  and  $\kappa_\lambda$ .



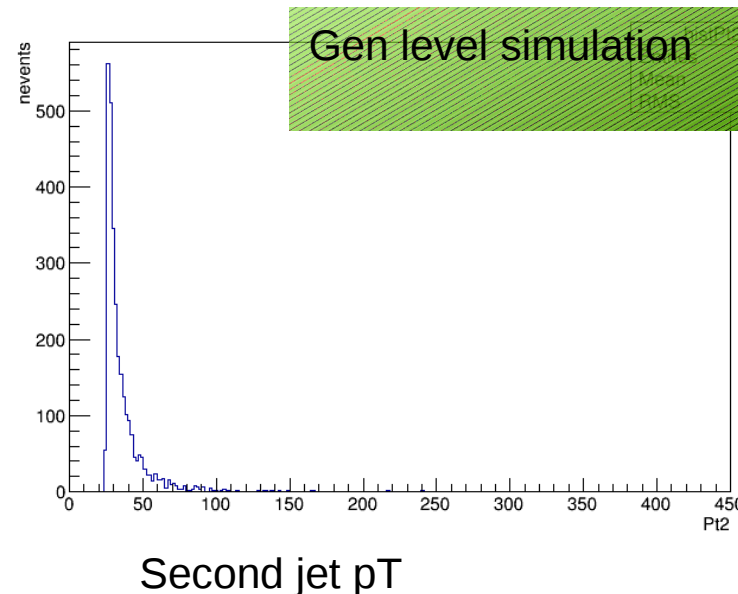
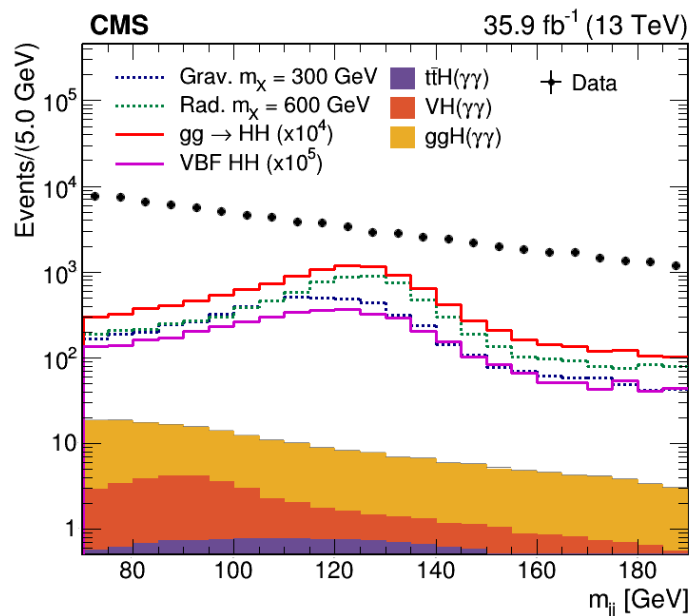
# 1.2) Jets selection

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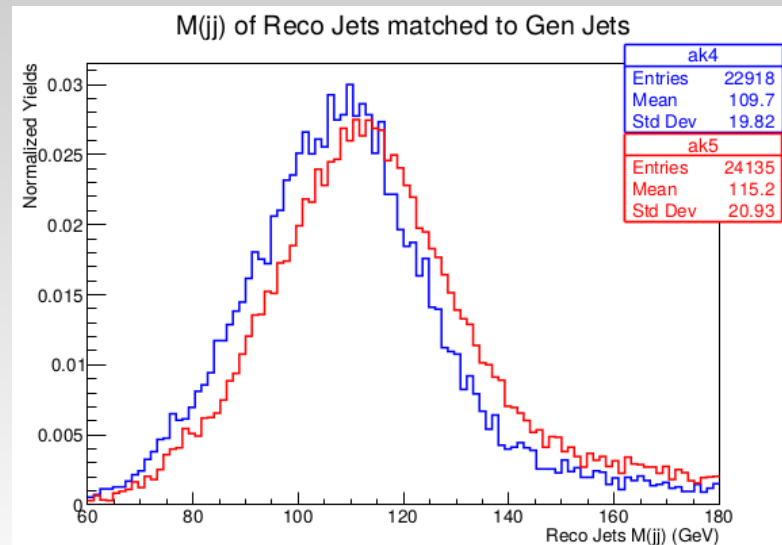
- Fully reconstructible final state.
- Similar to  $H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$  but higher  $p_T$  of the objects.

- Take jets with as low  $p_T$  as possible. B-tagging improves with lower  $p_T$ . Just need to be careful with PU jets. PF-low is particularly efficient there.
- Interesting question of jets pairing – correlated with classification:  
Run II: mva classification  $\rightarrow$  order jets by b-tag and take the first 2.

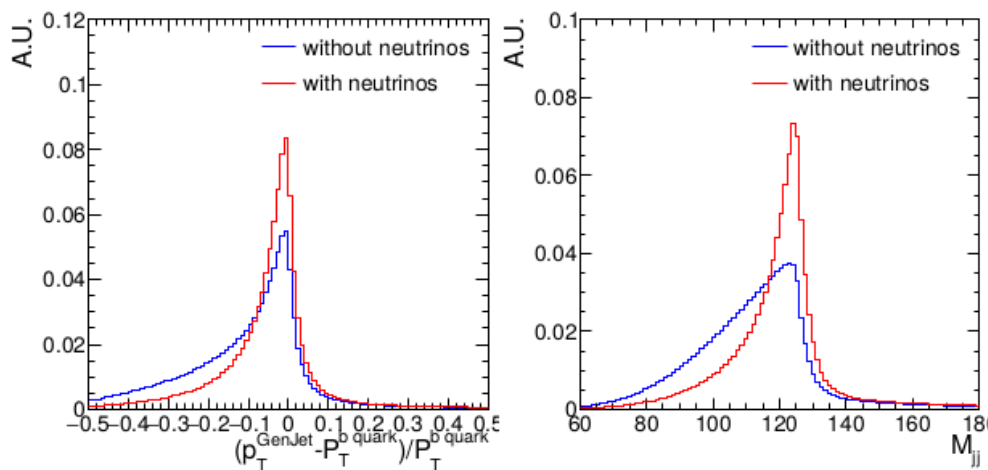


# 1.3) Mbb reconstruction

- Mbb reconstruction negatively affected by moving from AK5 (Run I) to AK4 (Run II).



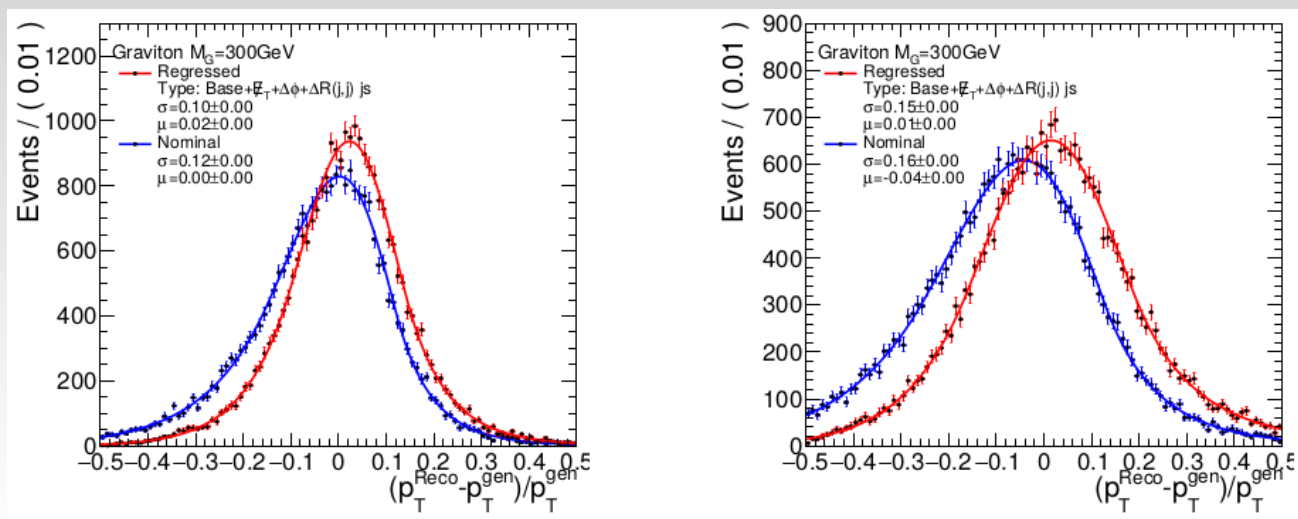
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- After b-jets calibration based on JES correction, b-jets still miss energy due to presence of neutrinos in B mesons decays.



# 1.3) Mbb reconstruction



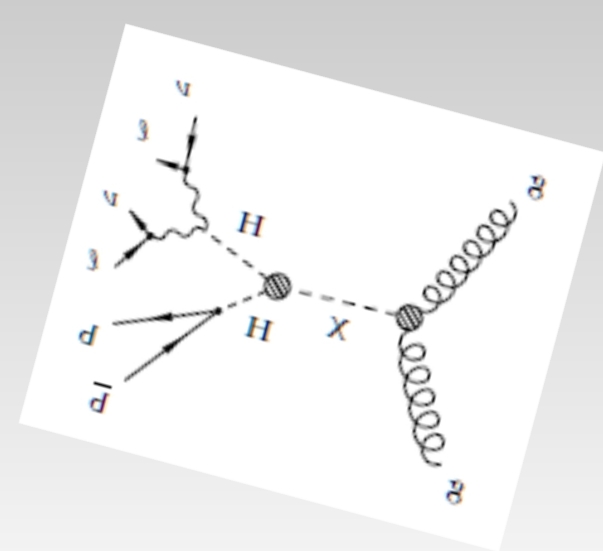
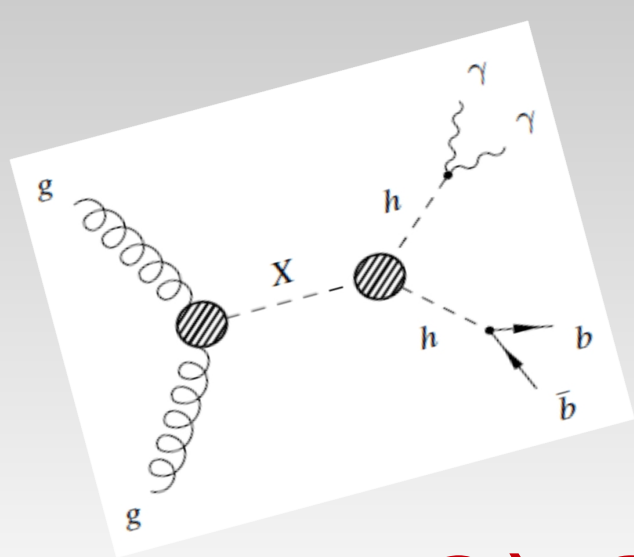
Input variables as in  $H \rightarrow b\bar{b}$  analysis regression:

Jet kinematics:  $\eta, p_T, m_T$   
 JEC, Neutral hadron energy fraction, Photon energy fraction  
 SecVtxdL, SecVtxdeL, SecVtxPt, SecVtxM, SecVtxNtrk  
 Soft Lepton:  $p_T, p_T$  (rel),  $\Delta R$   
 Number of jet constituents,  $p_T$  (Lead Track), Number of vertexes

Additional variables for our analysis:

$E_T^{\text{miss}}, \Delta\Phi(\text{Jet}, E_T^{\text{miss}}), \Delta R(\text{Leading jet}, \text{Trailing jet})$

- Idea “b-jet energy regression”: extra correction based on
  - Track information connected to B-meson decay
  - Jet shape information based on PFlow objects.
  - Global event information: MET, jets correlation.



## 2) Categorisation

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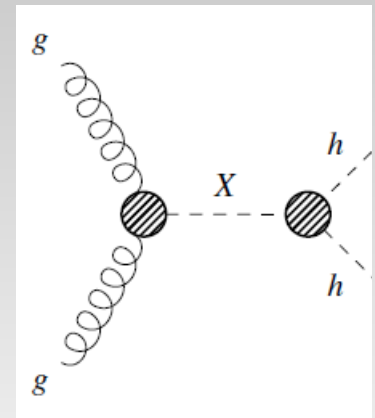
## 2.1) MVA: LHE or LO level

• The HH final state at LO before H decay can be described by 3 relevant degrees of freedom:  $m_{HH}$ ,  $\cos \theta^*$  and  $p_{Z,HH}$ .

–  $m_{HH}$  = sqrt(s-hat) encode the ME properties and interplay between different operators.

–  $\cos \theta^*$  describe the helicity properties of the ME. For non-resonant production is mainly s-wave dominated. For resonant production X depends on X spin.

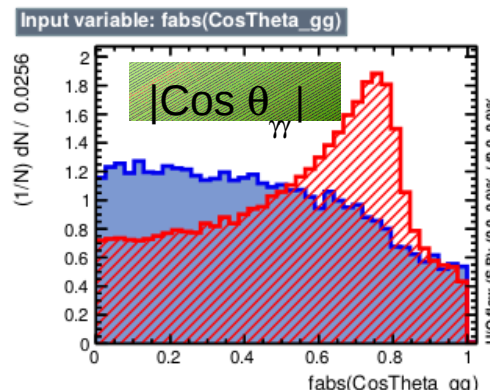
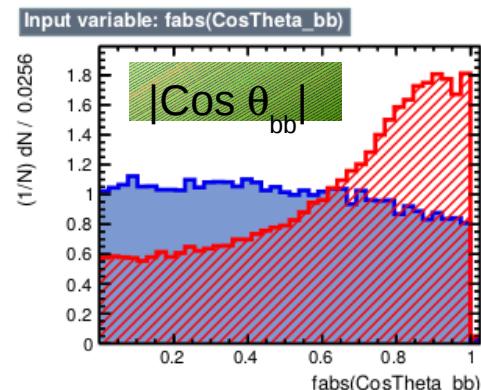
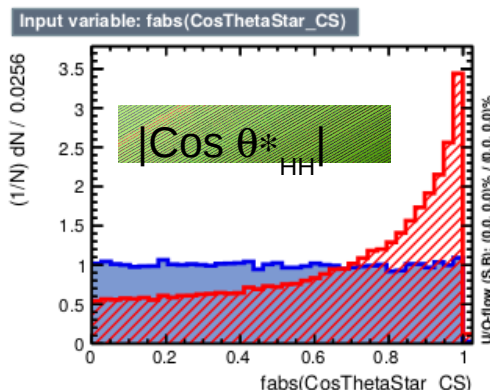
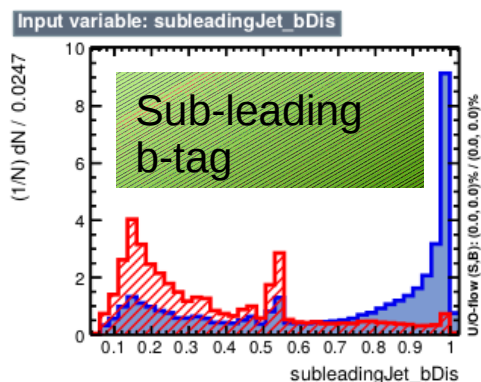
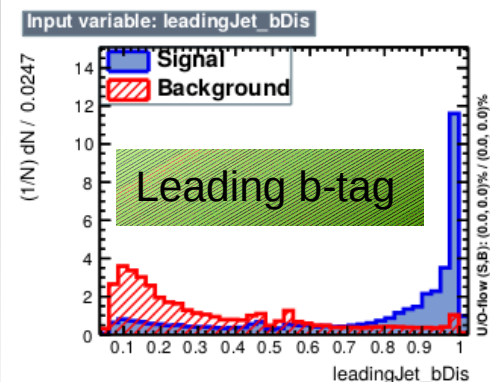
–  $p_{Z,HH}$  is encoded y the PDF properties for  $gg \rightarrow HH$  production. Correlated with  $m_{HH}$  through PDFs.



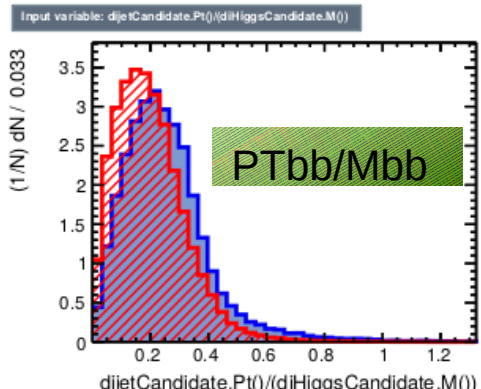
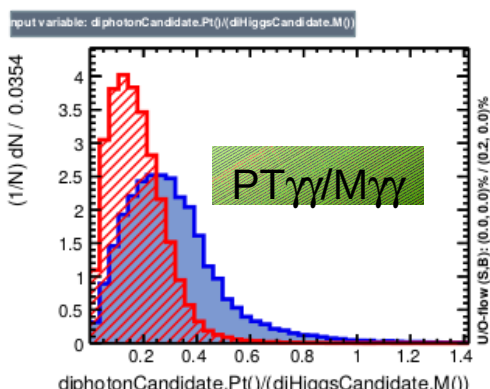
# 2.2) MVA

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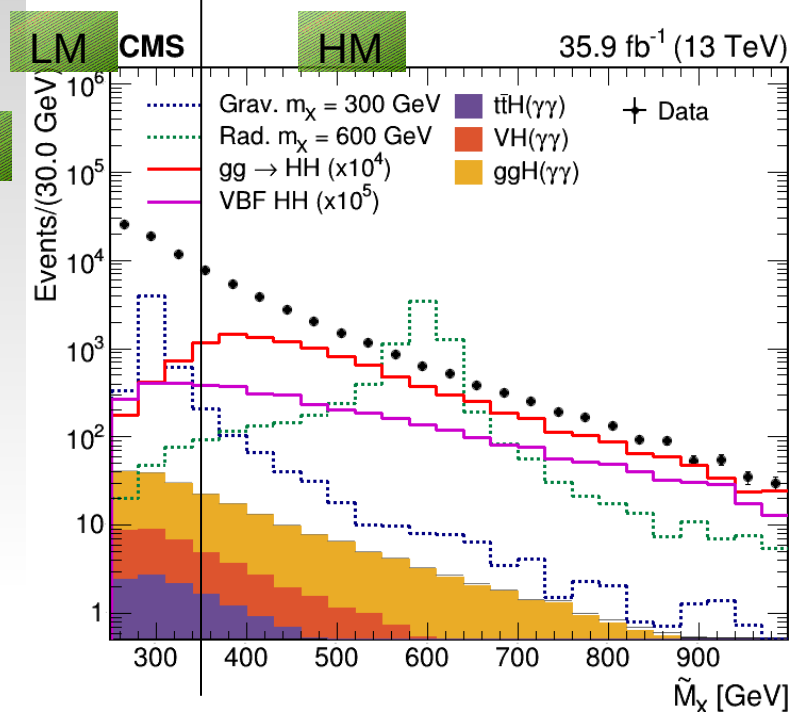
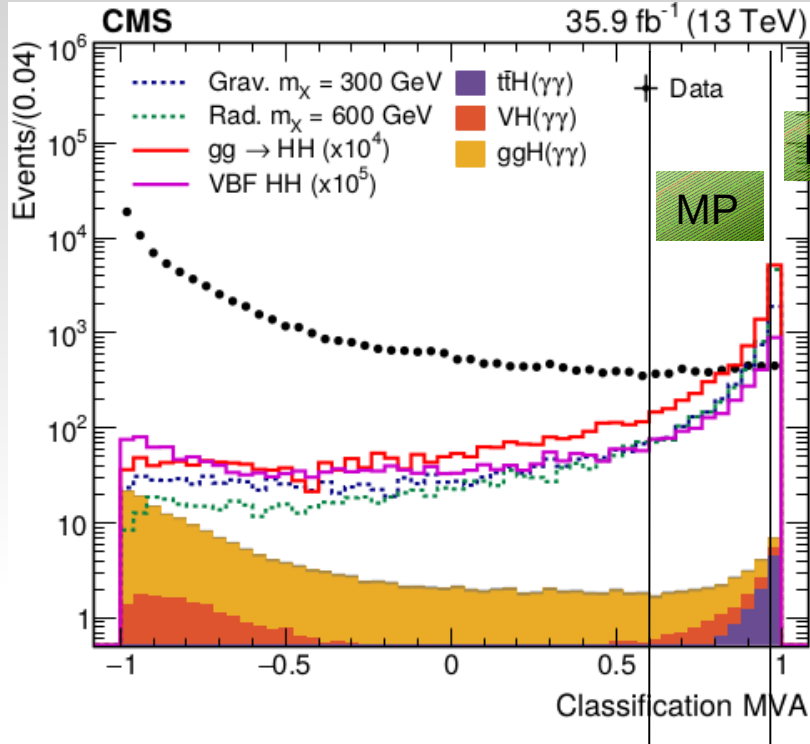
- Weakly correlated variables.
- Jets ordered by btag



Helicity angles

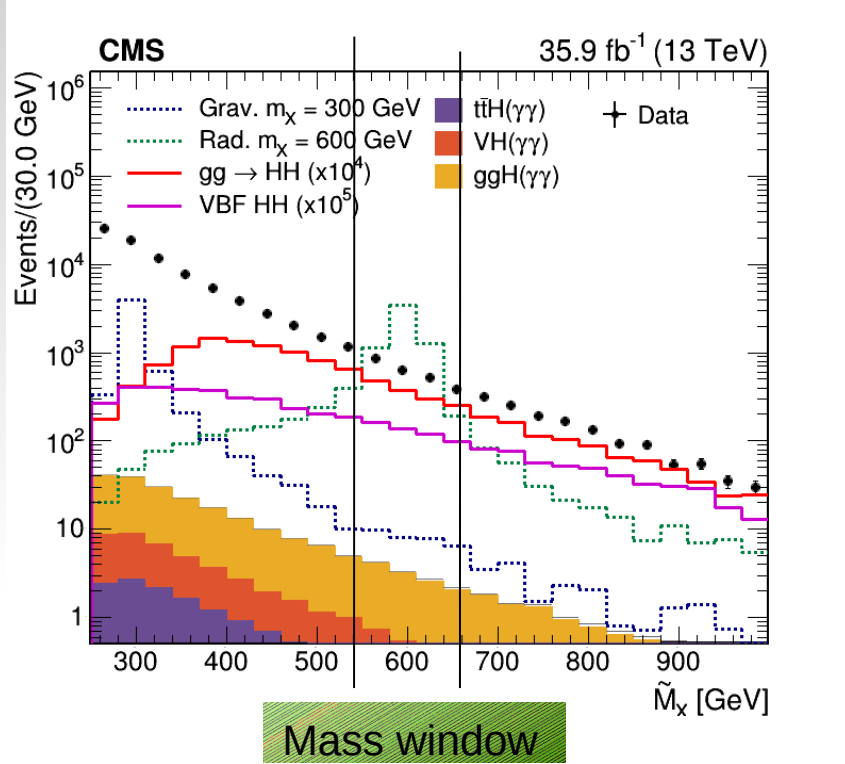
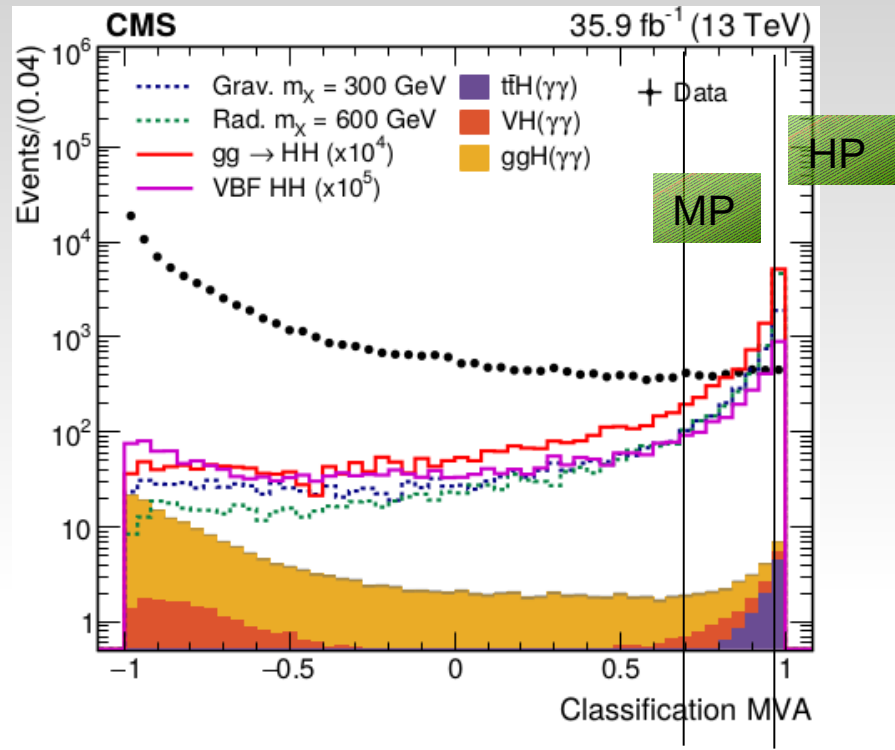


# 2.4) Non-resonant categorisation

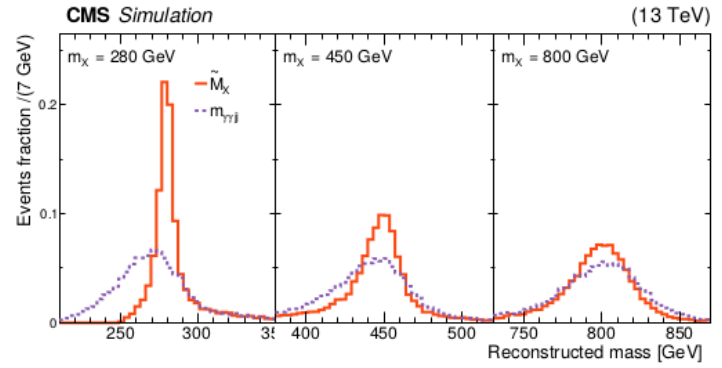


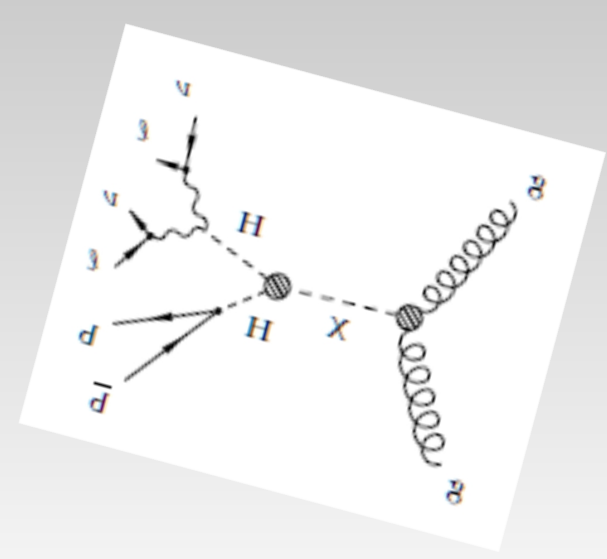
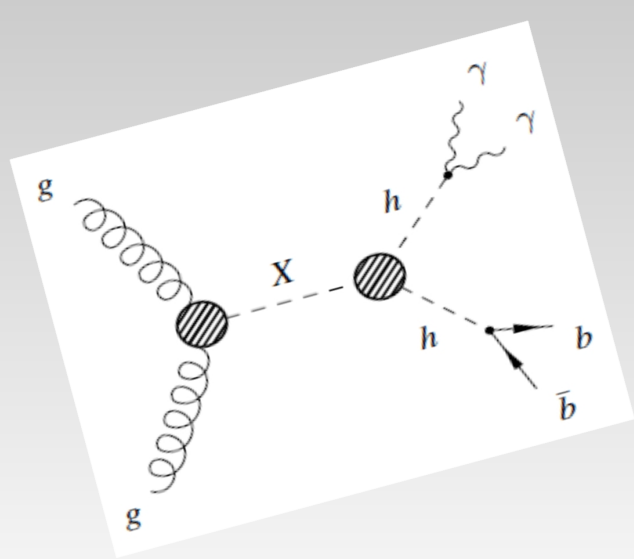
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Resonant	$m_\chi > 600$ GeV	HPC: MVA > 0.5 MPC: 0 < MVA < 0.5	Mass window
	$m_\chi < 600$ GeV	HPC: MVA > 0.96 MPC: 0.7 < MVA < 0.96	Mass window

# 2.5) Resonant categorisation



- Use  $\tilde{M}_X = m_{\gamma\gamma ij} - (m_{ij} - m_H) - (m_{\gamma\gamma} - m_H)$  variable, mainly important for resonant mass.
- For AK4 jets,  $\tilde{M}_{\tilde{t}d\tilde{a}}$ , it appears to have better resolution than  $\tilde{M}_{\gamma\gamma bb}$  or kinematic fit.



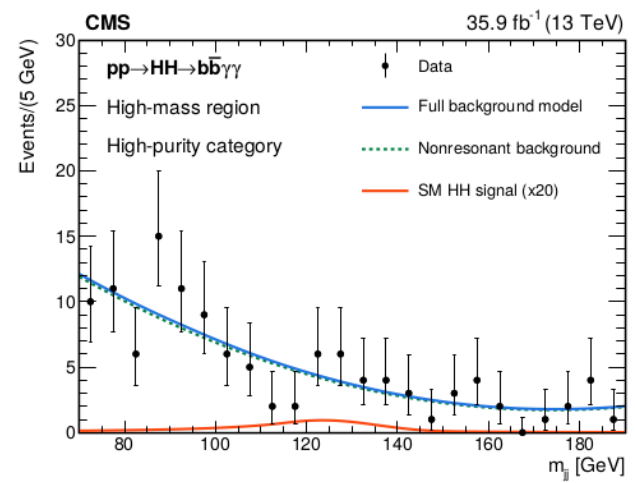
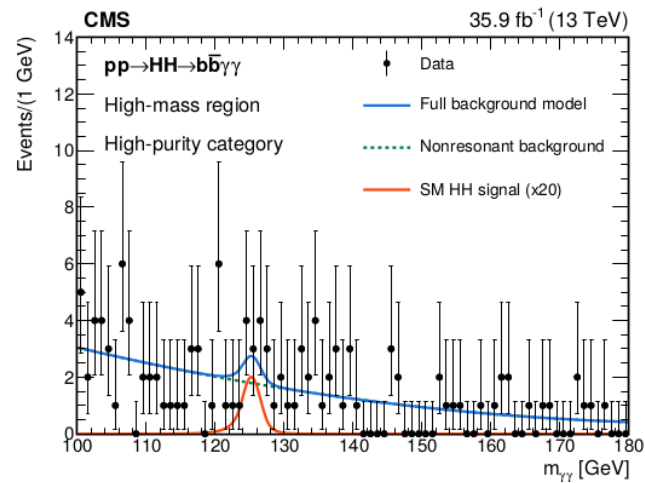
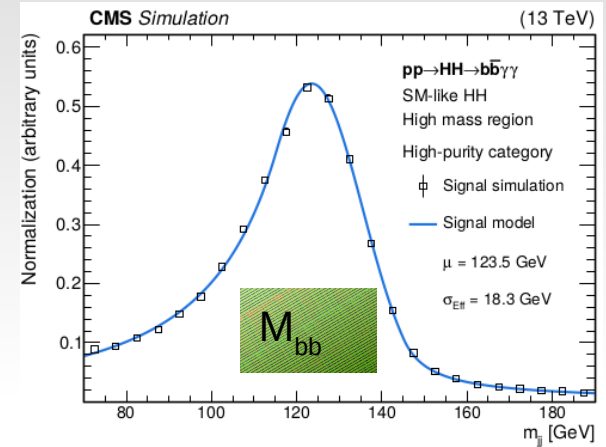
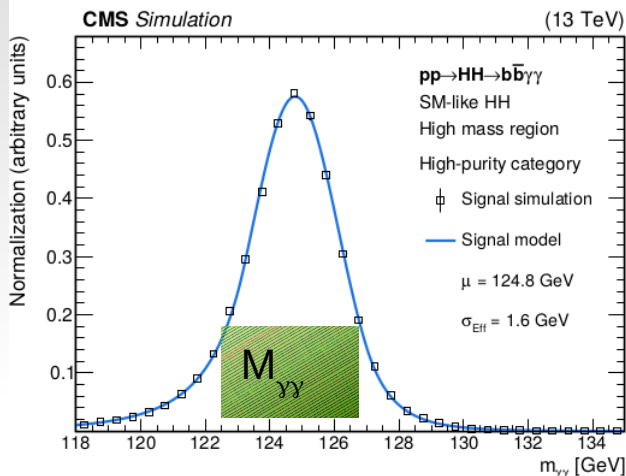


# 3) Results



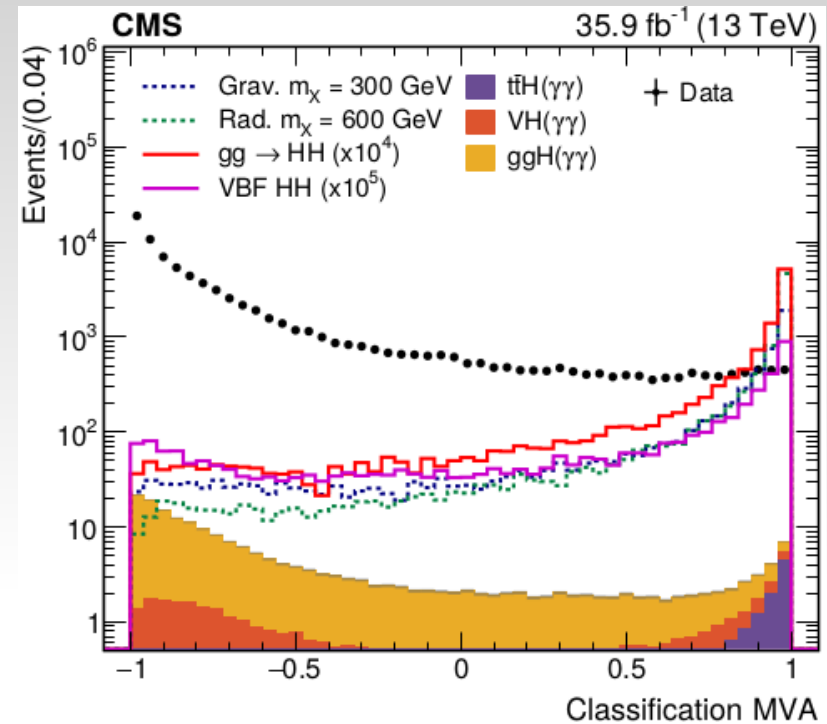
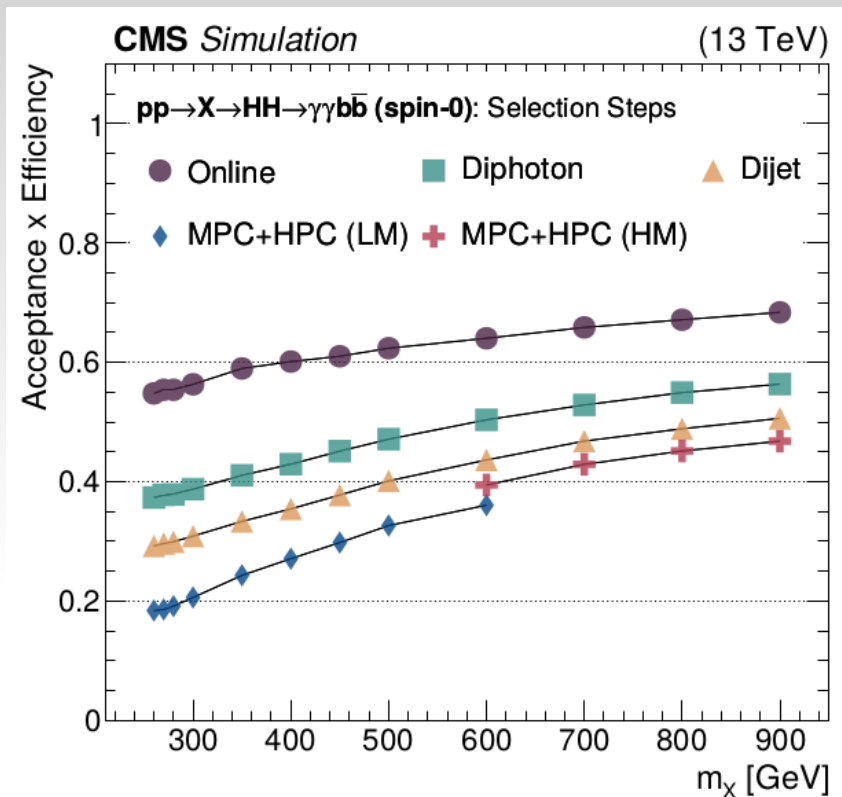
# 3.1) Analysis method

- 2D analysis. It was verified that within stat uncertainties signal and background shapes are uncorrelated.
- 2D improves compared to 1D by  $\sim 10\%$ .





## 3.2) Efficiencies



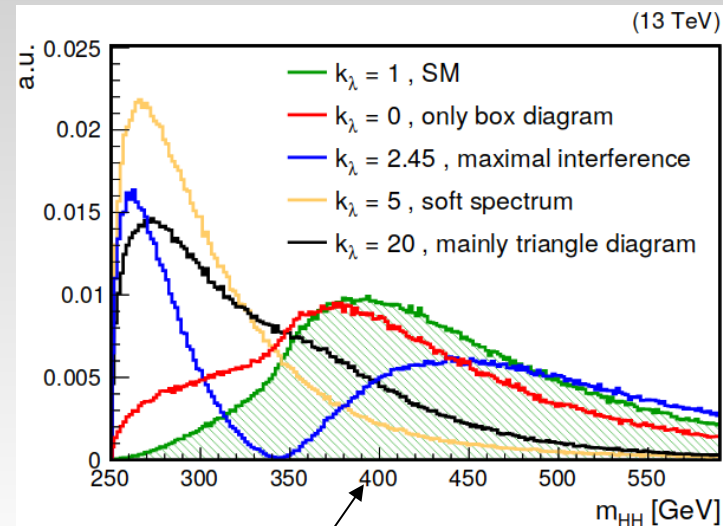
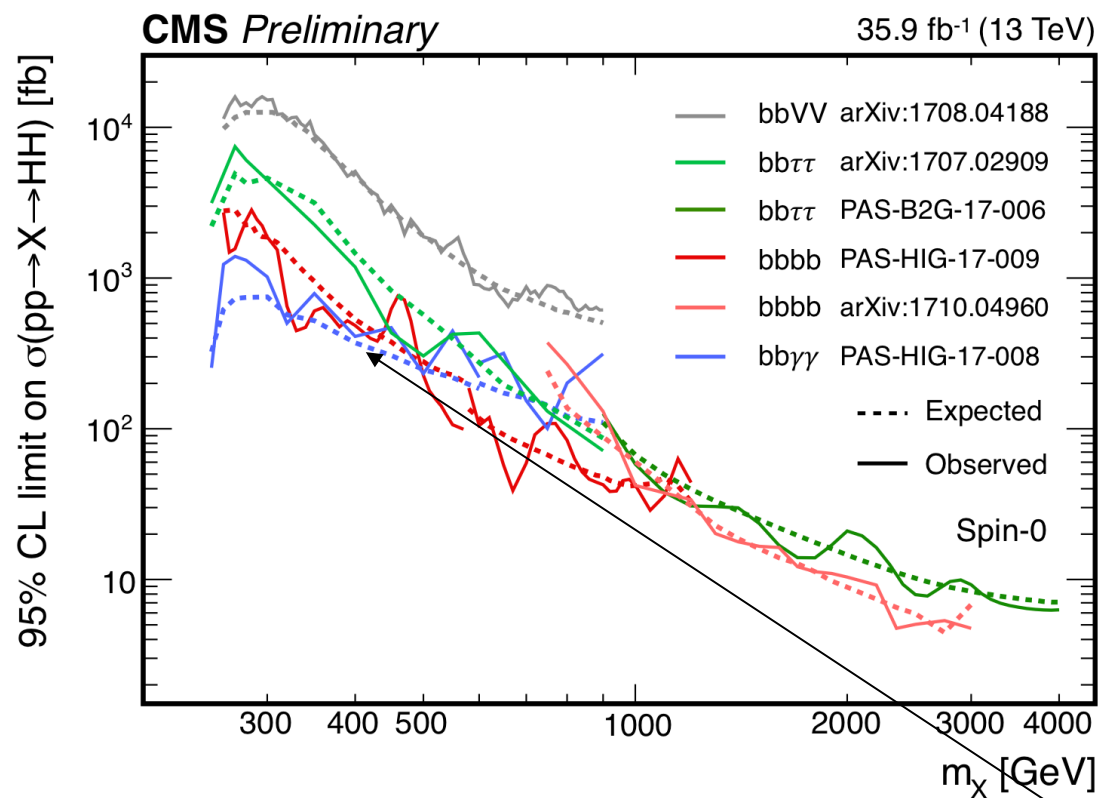
The efficiency times acceptance is 30% (13%) for the SM-like  $ggHH$  (VBF  $HH$ ) signal hypothesis, with 25% (10%) in the high-mass region and 5% (3%) in the low-mass one. The difference between the two production mechanisms mainly comes from the fact that the MVA was trained assuming  $ggHH$  signal.

## 3.3) Systematics

Table 4: Summary of systematic uncertainties.

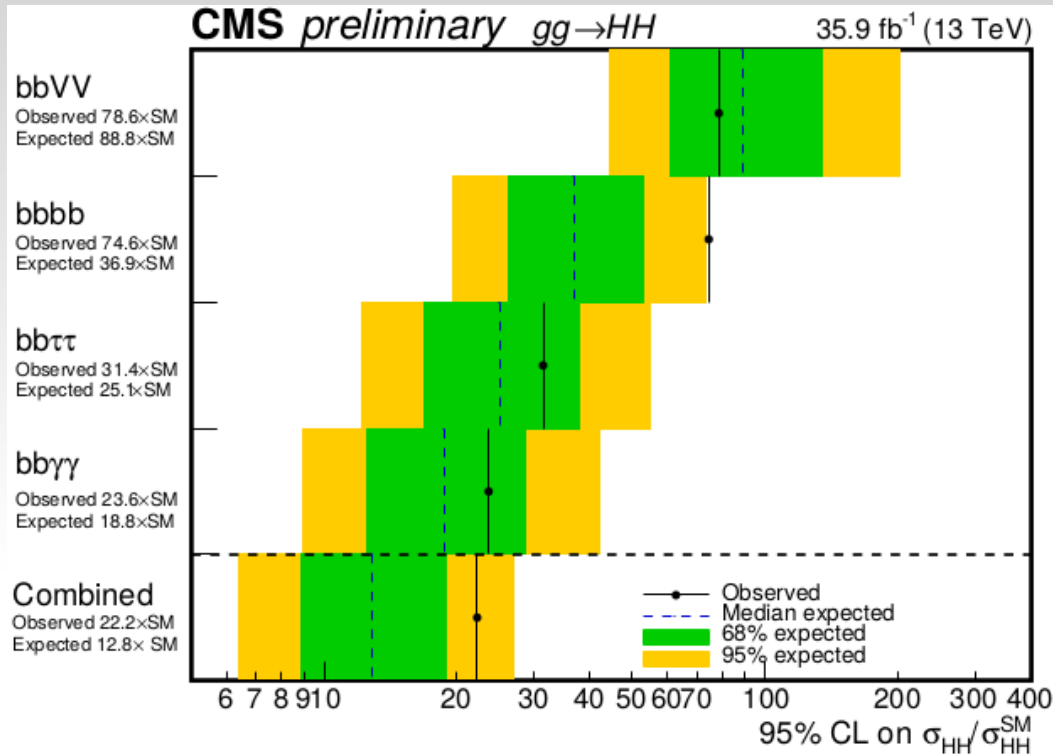
Sources of systematic uncertainties	Type	Value (%)
Integrated luminosity	Normalization	2.5
Photon related uncertainties		
Diphoton selection (with trigger uncertainties and PES)	Normalization	2.0
Photon identification	Normalization	1.0
PES ( $\frac{\Delta m_{\gamma\gamma}}{m_{\gamma\gamma}}$ )	Shape	0.5
PER ( $\frac{\Delta\sigma_{\gamma\gamma}}{\sigma_{\gamma\gamma}}$ )	Shape	5.0
Jet related uncertainties		
Dijet selection (JES+JER)	Normalization	0.5
JES ( $\frac{\Delta m_{ij}}{m_{ij}}$ )	Shape	1.0
JER ( $\frac{\Delta\sigma_{jj}}{\sigma_{jj}}$ )	Shape	5.0
Resonant analysis specific uncertainties		
Mass window selection (JES+JER)	Normalization	3.0
Classification MVA – b tagging (HPC)	Normalization	11–19
Classification MVA – b tagging (MPC)	Normalization	3–9
Nonresonant analysis specific uncertainties		
$\tilde{M}_\chi$ Classification	Normalization	0.5
Classification MVA – b tagging (HPC)	Normalization	10–18
Classification MVA – b tagging (MPC)	Normalization	3–9
Theoretical uncertainties in the SM single-Higgs boson production		
QCD missing orders (ggH, VBF H, VH, ttH)	Normalization	0.4–5.8
PDF and $\alpha_S$ uncertainties (ggH, VBF H, VH, ttH)	Normalization	1.6–3.6
Theoretical uncertainty $b\bar{b}H$	Normalization	20
Theoretical uncertainties in the SM HH boson production		
QCD missing orders	Normalization	4.3–6
PDF and $\alpha_S$ uncertainties	Normalization	3.1
$m_t$ effects	Normalization	5

# 3.4) SM-like “the magic spot”



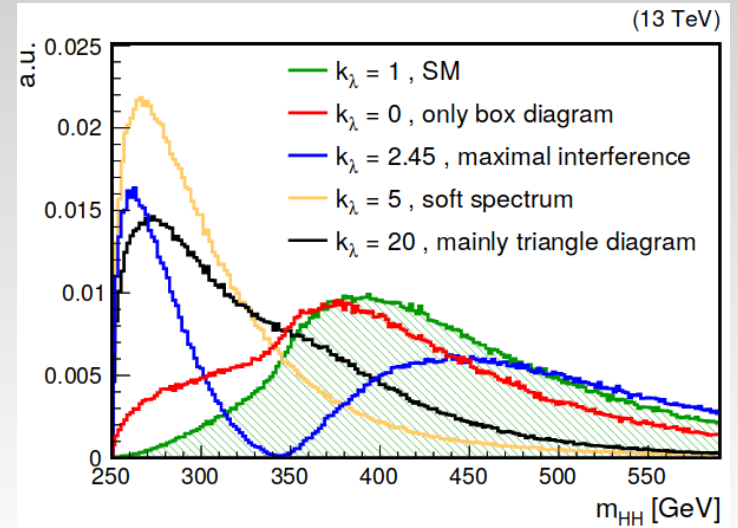
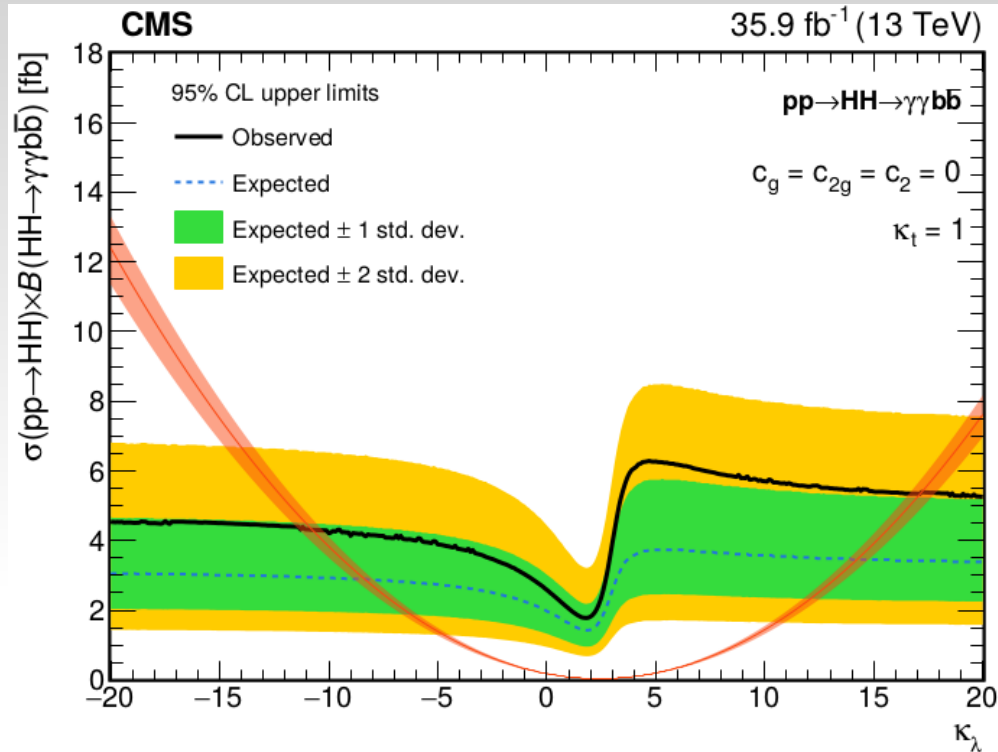
- The peak in SM HH spectrum is at 400 GeV.
- This is the place where are crossing the sensitivities of 2 or best 3 channels.
- The measurement of SM  $HH \rightarrow 2b2g$  at CMS is in fact a large team effort.

## 3.5) SM-like results

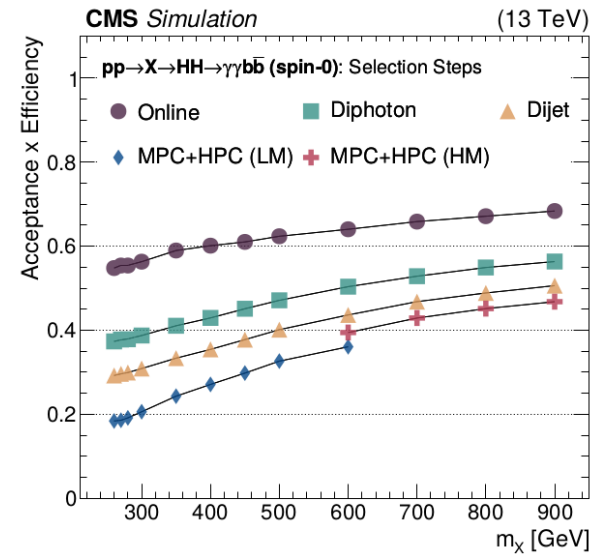


- The  $\gamma\gamma bb$  channel is the most sensitive for SM production.
- We checked that simple add-on of VBF sample (4% of the total cross section) improves the SM-like sensitivity by 1.3%. Need more work to take maximal advantage of VBF.

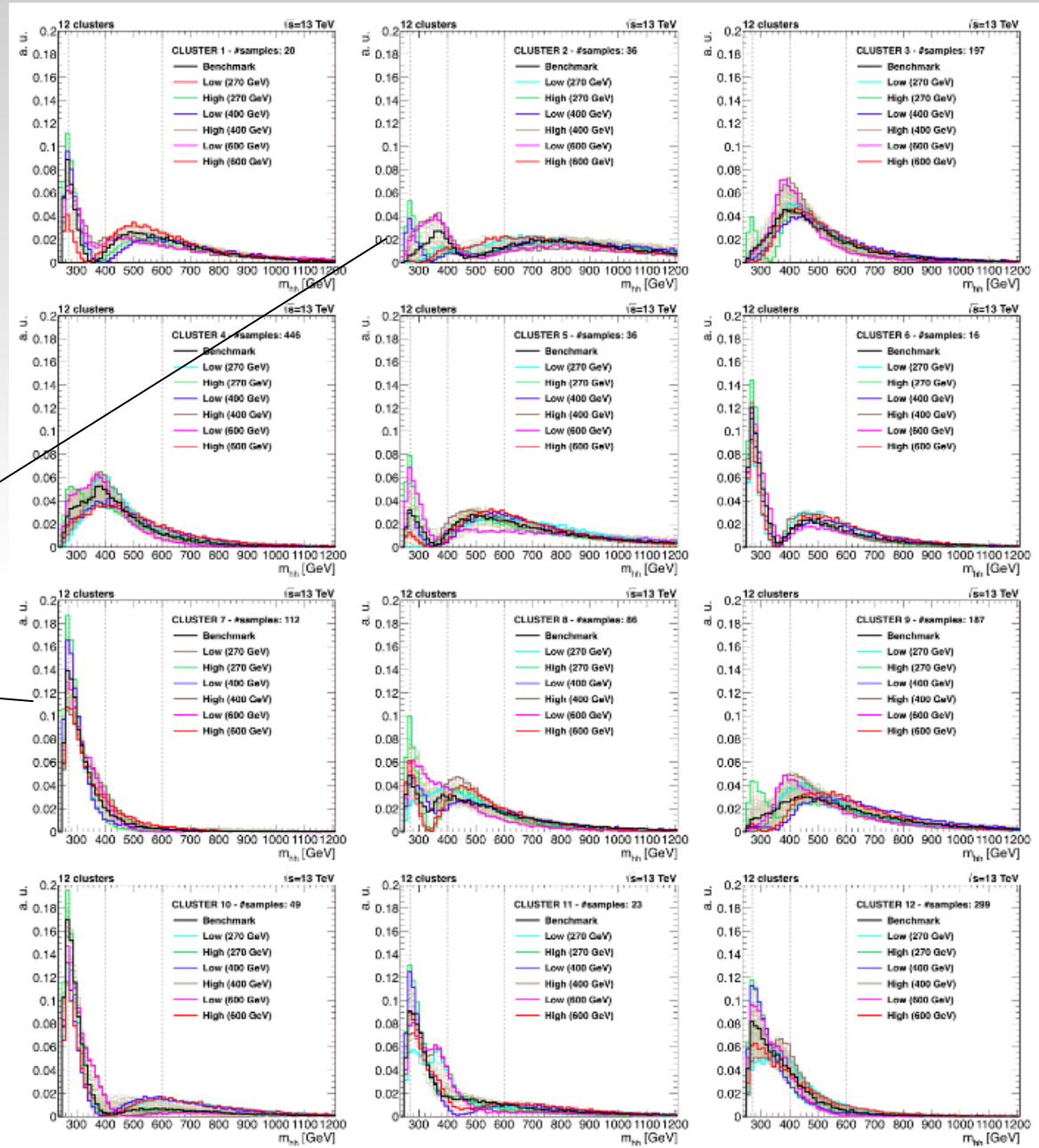
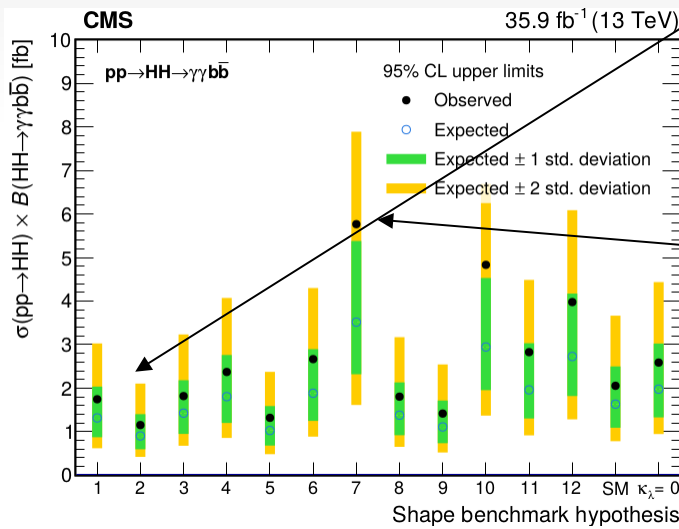
# 3.6) $\kappa_\lambda$ scan



- The sensitivity is the best close to the maximal interference.
- Purely signal efficiency effect (see  $M_x$  efficiency figure).



# 3.7) Benchmark limits



# Conclusions

- This channel is the most sensitive at low  $m_X$  at CMS.
- It is also the most sensitive for SM-non resonant production even if  $\tau\tau b\bar{b}$  is quite close.
- It is the most sensitive for  $k_\lambda$  scan.
- There are interesting ideas how to improve it using more subtle BDT for classification.
- Extremely important for this analysis to keep the  $M_{\gamma\gamma}$  resolution as good as possible.

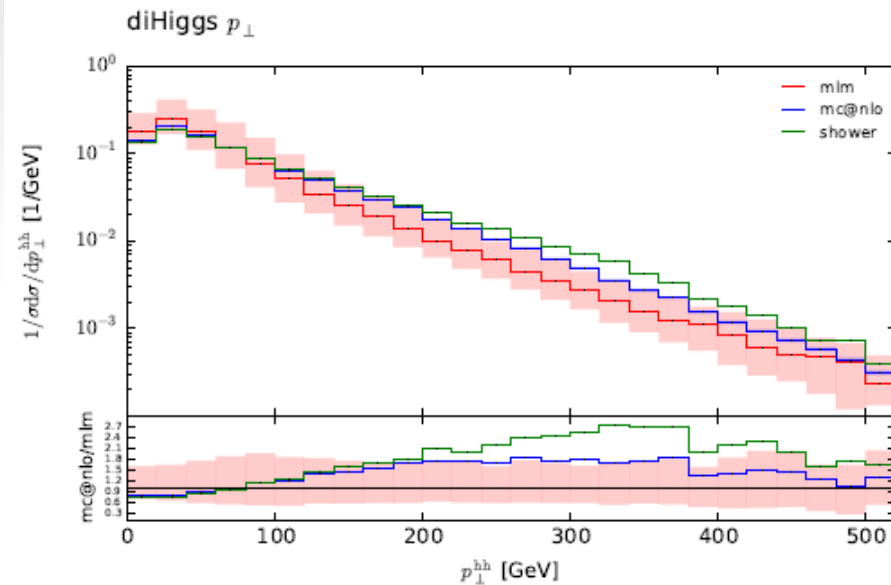
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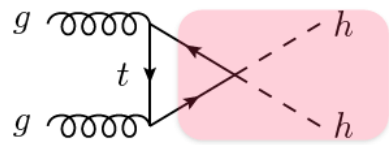




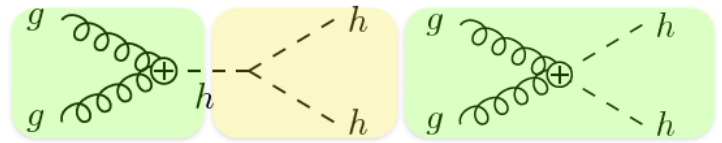
## 2.3) MVA: Additional order effects

- N(...)LO QCD effects:
  - Presence of additional IRS jets:
    - Described by extra variables such as
      - $H_T - H_{T,xy}$ ,  $p_T$ ,  $\eta$  of extra jets.
      - Reduced FSR activity (gap) if x or y have no color charge.
  - Modification of HH kinematics:
    - $p_{T,HH} > 0$ ,  $\Delta\varphi_{HH} \neq \pi$ .
    - Characteristic of color charge of the production mechanism.
- Be careful:
  - Variables description depends on the accuracy of the MC prediction.
  - May be not so different between signal and background since the Initial State color structure may be rather similar.



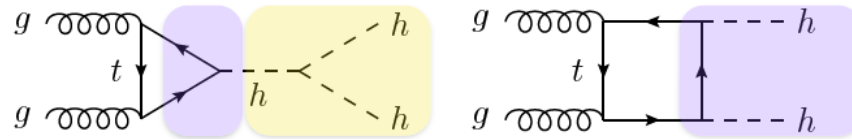


**ttHH non-linear interaction**



**Higgs-gluon contact interactions**

# 4) Exploration of HH phase-space in EFT



**SM diagrams**

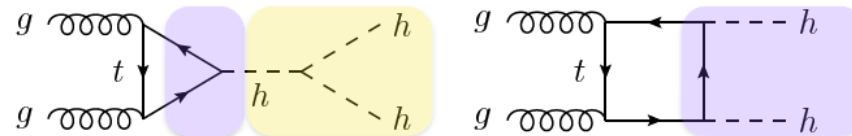
# 4.1) Non-resonant HH production: EFT and BSM

The relevant lagrangian terms of  $gg \rightarrow HH$  production in D=6 EFT

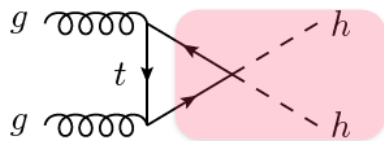
$$\mathcal{L}_{hh} = -\frac{m_h^2}{2v} \left(1 - \frac{3}{2}c_H + c_6\right) h^3 + \frac{\alpha_s c_g}{4\pi} \left(\frac{h}{v} + \frac{h^2}{2v^2}\right) G_{\mu\nu}^a G_a^{\mu\nu} - \left[\frac{m_t}{v} \left(1 - \frac{c_H}{2} + c_t\right) \bar{t}_L t_R h + \text{h.c.}\right] - \left[\frac{m_t}{v^2} \left(\frac{3c_t}{2} - \frac{c_H}{2}\right) \bar{t}_L t_R h^2 + \text{h.c.}\right]$$

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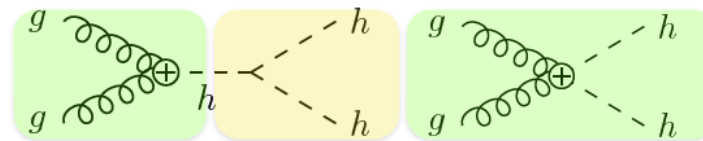
Non SM Yukawa coupling is not considered



SM diagrams



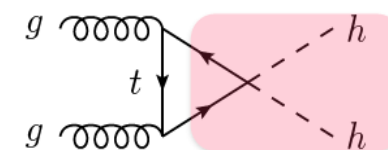
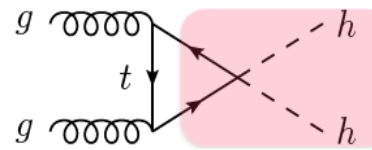
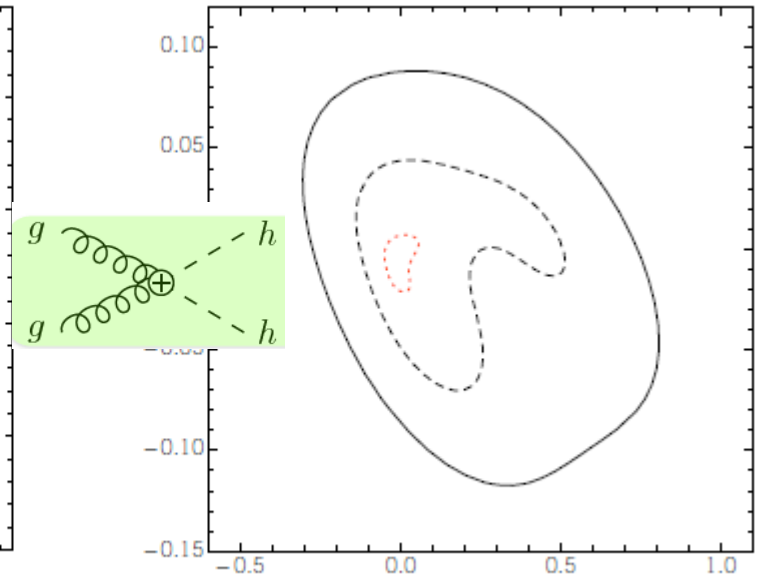
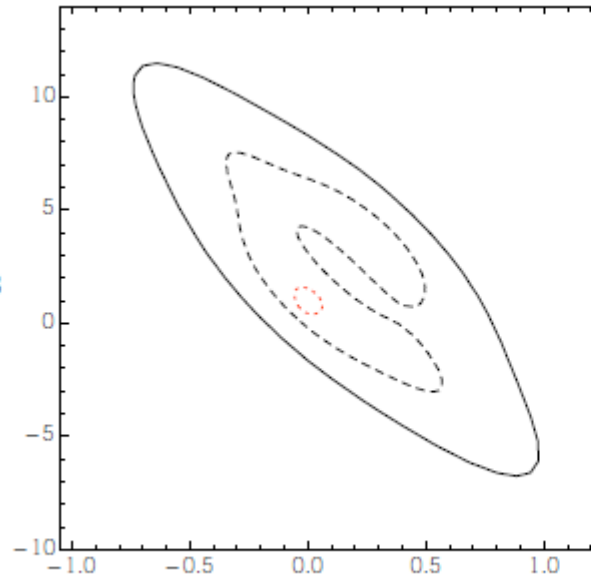
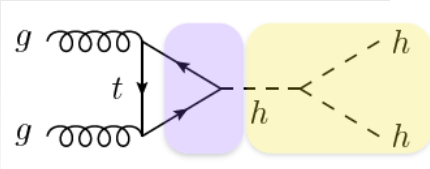
ttHH non-linear interaction



Higgs-gluon contact interactions

- Five D6 operators for HH sector.

# 4.1) Non-resonant HH production: EFT and BSM



	LHC <sub>14</sub>	HL-LHC	FCC <sub>100</sub>
$\sqrt{s}$	14 TeV	14 TeV	100 TeV
Luminosity	$L = 300 \text{ fb}^{-1}$	$L = 3 \text{ ab}^{-1}$	$L = 3 \text{ ab}^{-1}$

arxiv:1502.00539



Idea: set limits in 5-D parameters space and constraint progressively the phase-space with ellipses converging (if no new physics observed) to SM point.

## 4.2) We need: predicted cross section

- Within some approximation (top loop predominant contribution)  
 $k = \text{NNLO} + \text{NNLL}/\text{LO}$  is expected to be similar within 5% to the one of SM.

$$\sigma_{\text{HH}} = \sigma_{\text{HH,NNLO+NNLL}}^{\text{SM}} \cdot R_{\text{HH}}$$

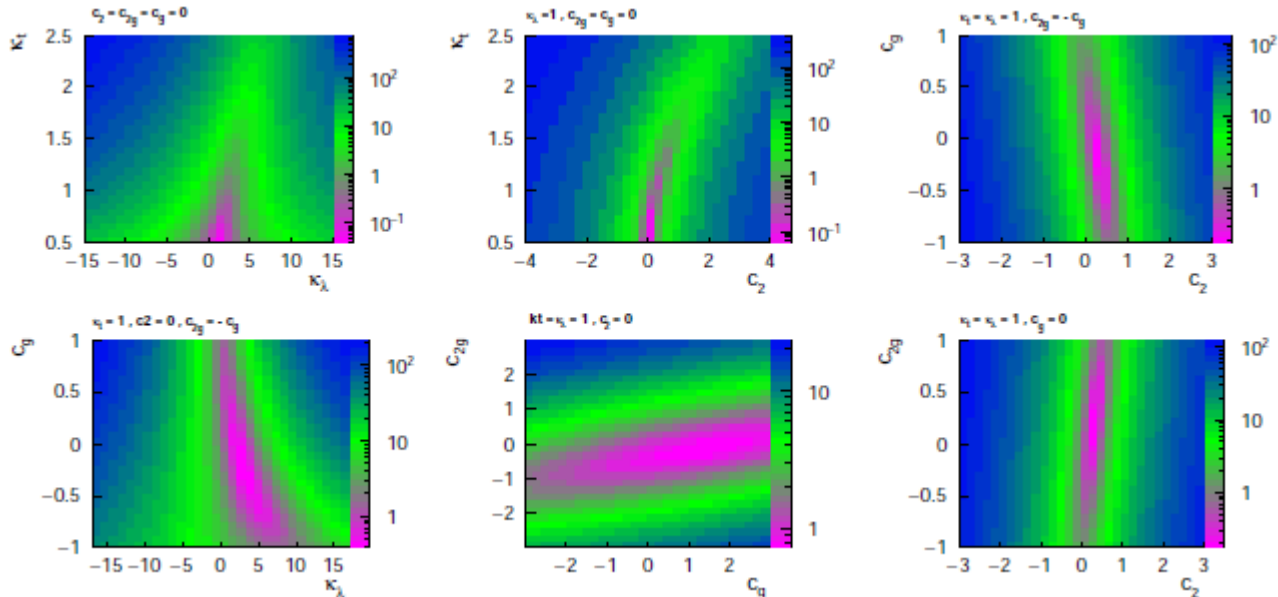
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$$R_{\text{HH}} \equiv \frac{\sigma_{\text{HH}}}{\sigma_{\text{HH}}^{\text{SM}}} \stackrel{\text{LO}}{=} A_1 \kappa_t^4 + A_2 c_2^2 + (A_3 \kappa_t^2 + A_4 c_g^2) \kappa_\lambda^2 + A_5 c_{2g}^2$$

$$+ (A_6 c_2 + A_7 \kappa_t \kappa_\lambda) \kappa_t^2 + (A_8 \kappa_t \kappa_\lambda + A_9 c_g \kappa_\lambda) c_2$$

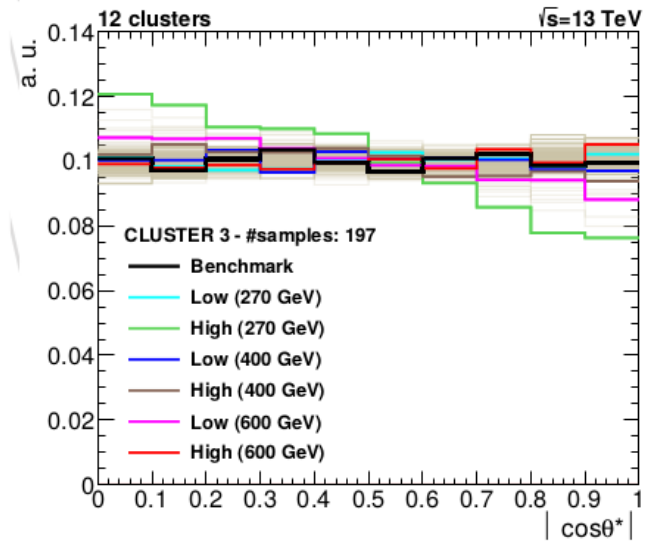
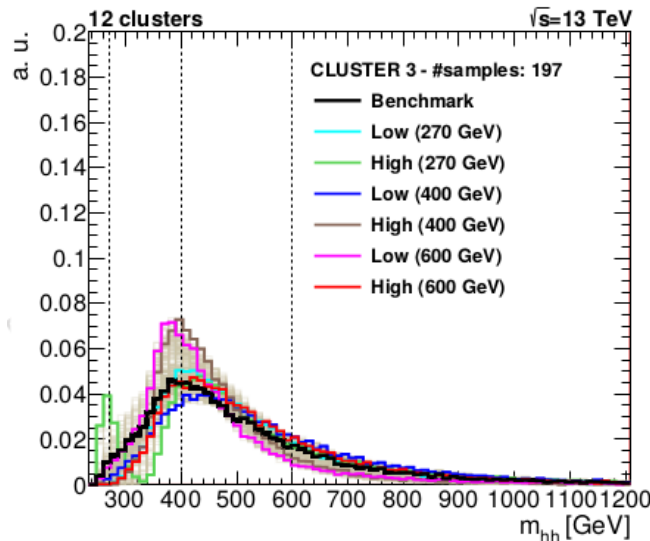
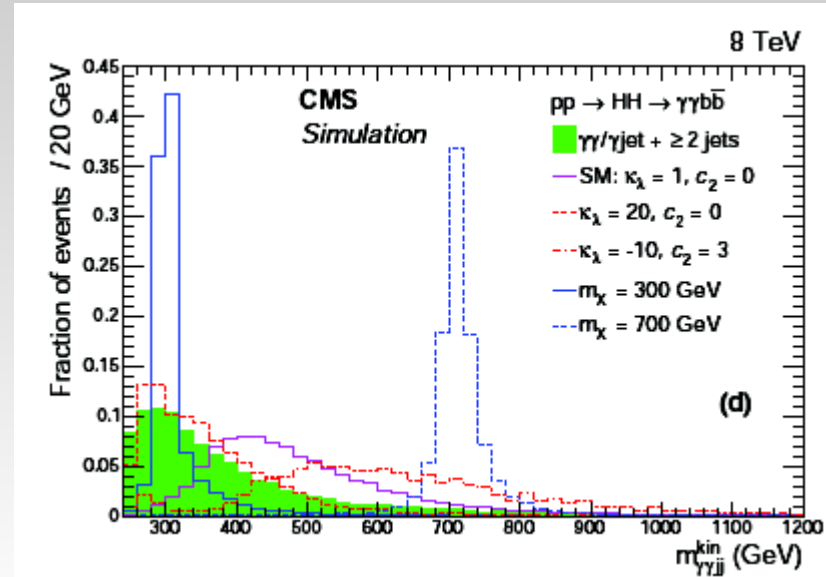
$$+ A_{10} c_2 c_{2g} + (A_{11} c_g \kappa_\lambda + A_{12} c_{2g}) \kappa_t^2$$

$$+ (A_{13} \kappa_\lambda c_g + A_{14} c_{2g}) \kappa_t \kappa_\lambda + A_{15} c_g c_{2g} \kappa_\lambda.$$



## 4.3) We need: kinematics.

- When you change parameters you change interference pattern. So you change  $M_{HH}$  shape. And analyses are very sensitive to  $M_{HH}$  shape. Remember  $\lambda$  scans.
- Also  $\cos \theta^*$  is also interference dependent but mainly dominated by s-wave.



# 4.3) We need: kinematics.

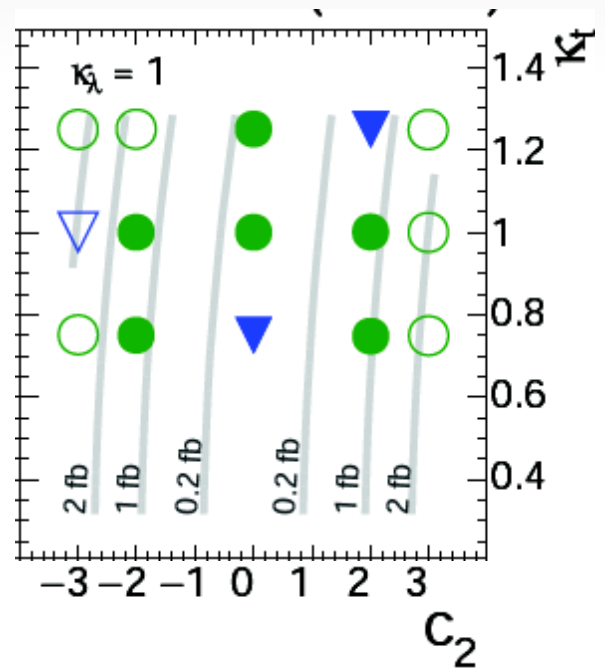
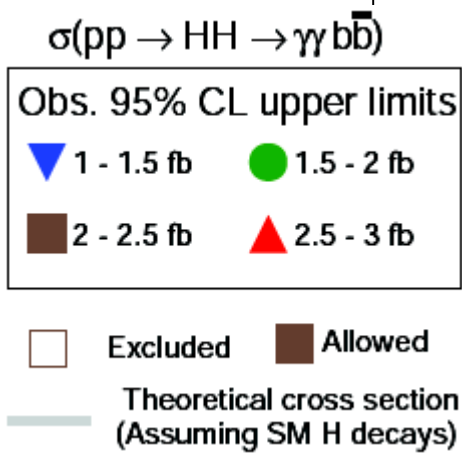
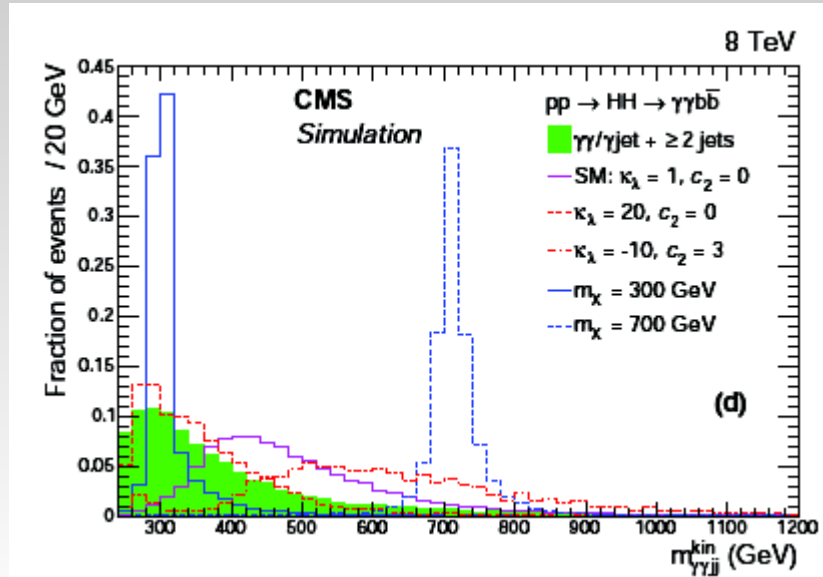
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Remember  $\lambda$  scans...

Pedestrian method:



- Generate a grid of BSM point. Fully Simulate them and put limits.
- Was tried with 3 parameters in  $\gamma\gamma b\bar{b}$  at 8 TeV (128 samples).
- Very computing and time intensive.
- Impossible to refine the grid a posteriori.
- Impossible in 5D.

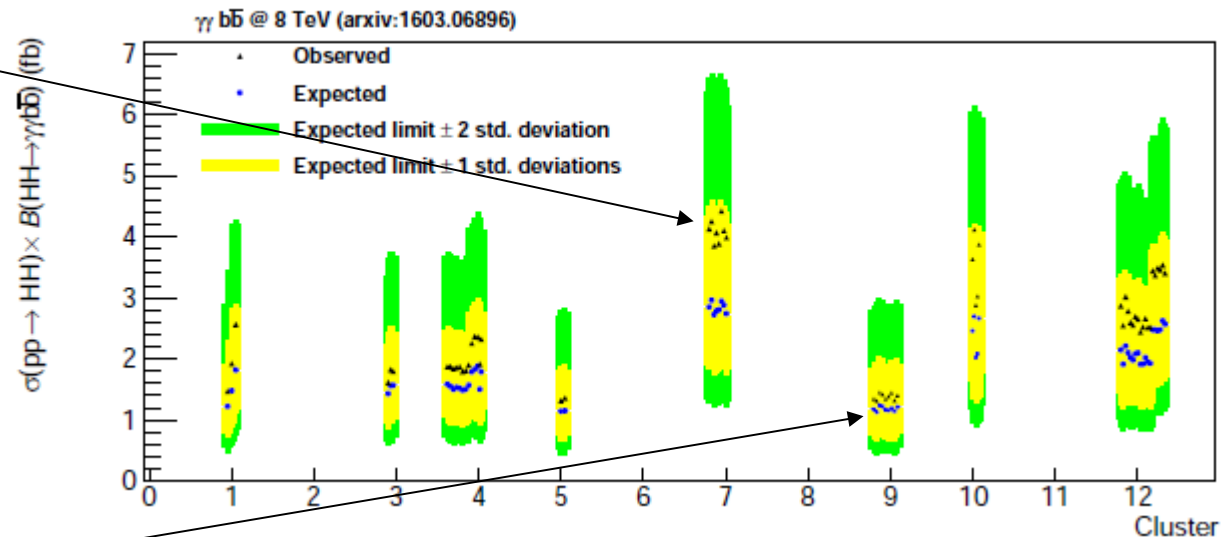
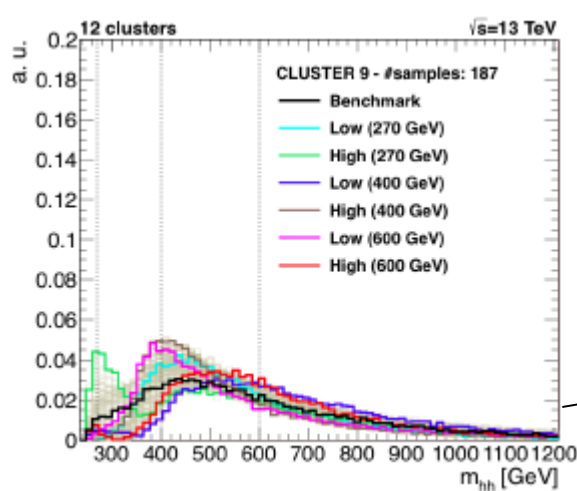
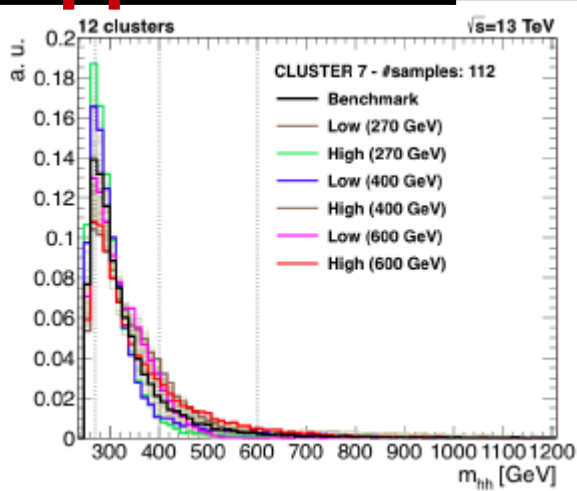


# 4.4) Benchmark approach



Idea: use clustering mathematical method to classify the EFT points per shape:

- Only 12 representatives shapes needed.
- Optimize the analysis for each of those shapes.
- Any EFT kinematics can be obtained by Generator reweighing of those shapes.
- Being smart we can obtain 1500 limits with only 12 generated samples!!!



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# 4.4) Benchmark approach

B.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	SM	$\kappa_\lambda = 0$
$\kappa_\lambda$	7.5	1.0	1.0	-3.5	1.0	2.4	5.0	15.0	1.0	10.0	2.4	15.0	1.0	0.0
$\kappa_t$	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.5	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.5	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0
$c_2$	-1.0	0.5	-1.5	-3.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	-1.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0
$c_g$	0.0	-0.8	0.0	0.0	0.8	0.2	0.2	-1.0	-0.6	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
$c_{gg}$	0.0	0.6	-0.8	0.0	-1.0	-0.2	-0.2	1.0	0.6	0.0	-1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

