

# High Luminosity yellow report: what does HL-LHC physics look like?

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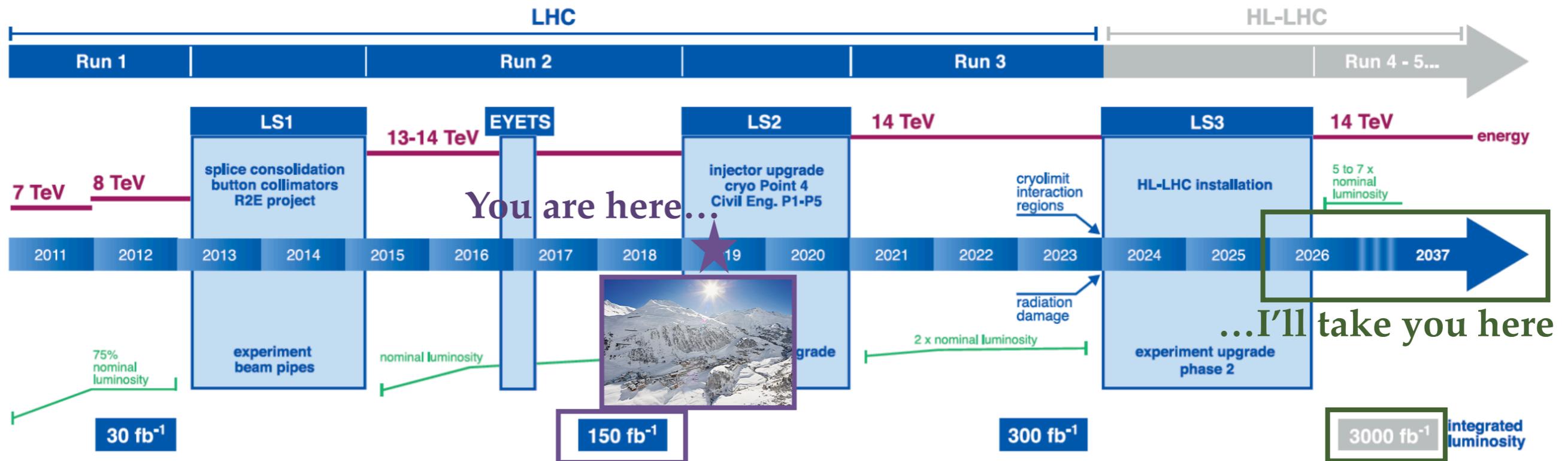
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# The High Luminosity LHC Upgrade

## LHC / HL-LHC Plan

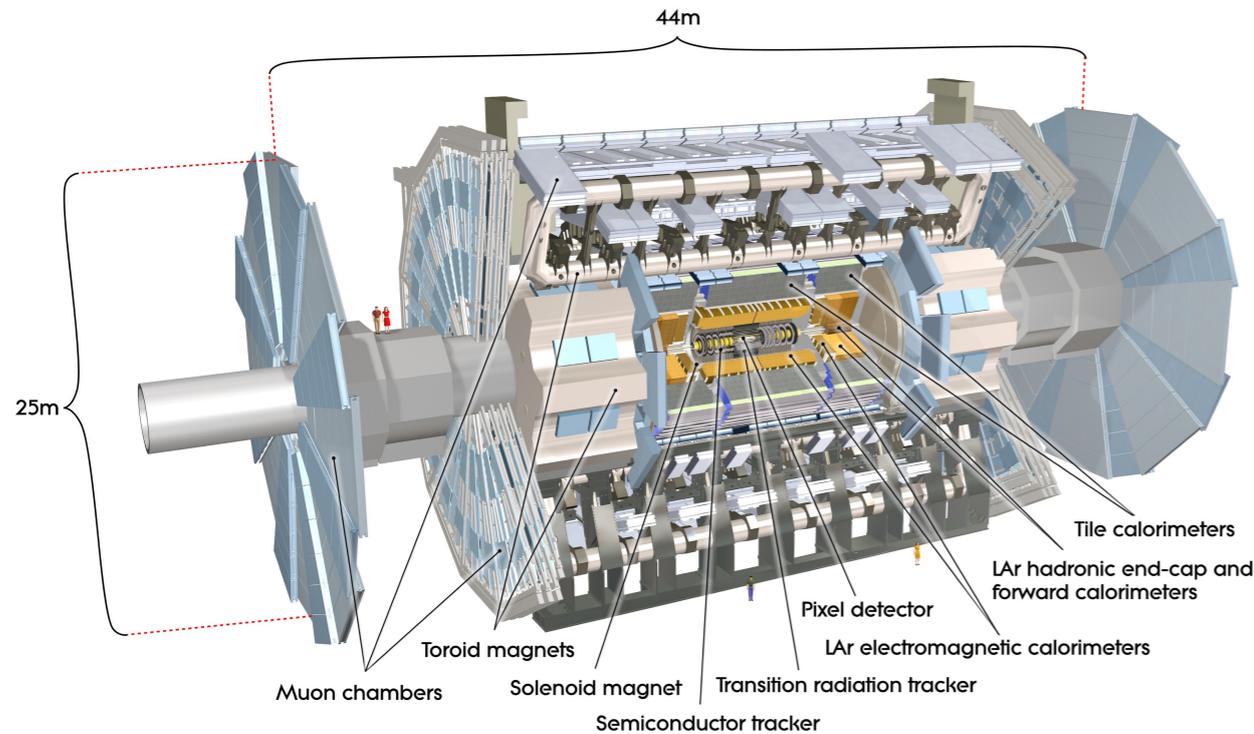


## HL-LHC project approved

- 3000 fb<sup>-1</sup> of data at a centre of mass energy of 14 TeV
- A lot of data for EW and QCD precision measurements, Higgs boson properties, flavour physics, BSM searches

# Detectors Upgrade

## ATLAS



### ATLAS upgrades include

- DAQ and trigger systems (L1 and HLT - 10 kHz)
- Extended **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

### CMS upgrades include

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

### CMS DETECTOR

Total weight : 14,000 tonnes  
 Overall diameter : 15.0 m  
 Overall length : 28.7 m  
 Magnetic field : 3.8 T

STEEL RETURN YOKE  
 12,500 tonnes

SILICON TRACKERS  
 Pixel (100x150  $\mu\text{m}$ ) ~16m<sup>2</sup> ~66M channels  
 Microstrips (80x180  $\mu\text{m}$ ) ~200m<sup>2</sup> ~9.6M channels

SUPERCONDUCTING SOLENOID  
 Niobium titanium coil carrying ~18,000A

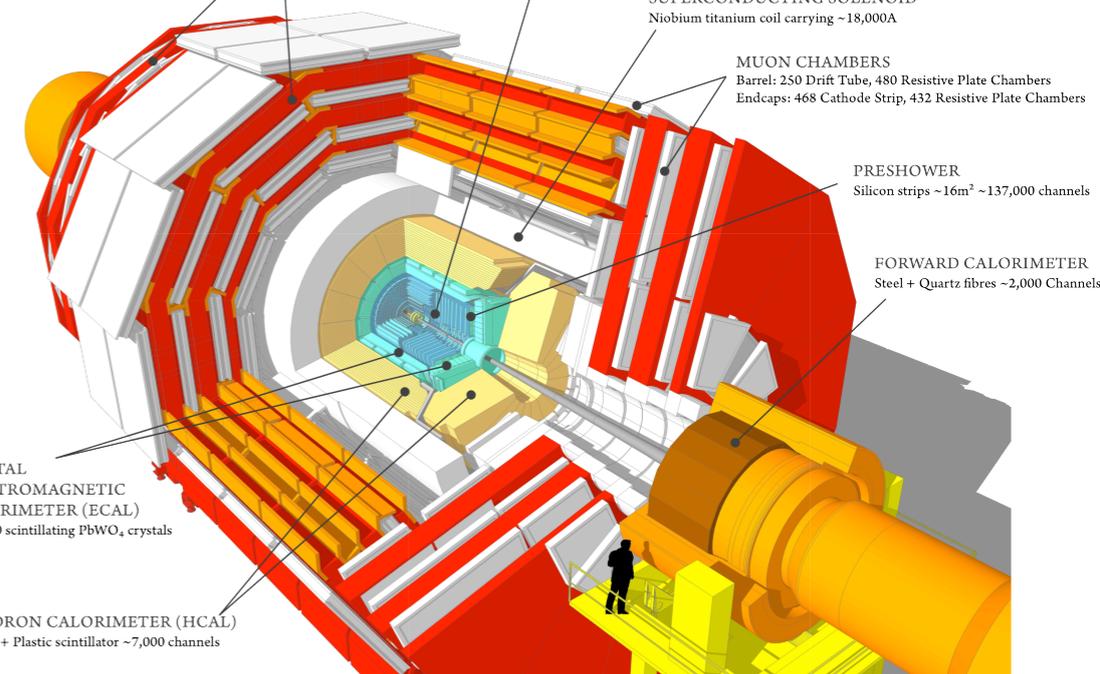
MUON CHAMBERS  
 Barrel: 250 Drift Tube, 480 Resistive Plate Chambers  
 Endcaps: 468 Cathode Strip, 432 Resistive Plate Chambers

PRESHOWER  
 Silicon strips ~16m<sup>2</sup> ~137,000 channels

FORWARD CALORIMETER  
 Steel + Quartz fibres ~2,000 Channels

CRYSTAL ELECTROMAGNETIC CALORIMETER (ECAL)  
 ~76,000 scintillating PbWO<sub>4</sub> crystals

HADRON CALORIMETER (HCAL)  
 Brass + Plastic scintillator ~7,000 channels

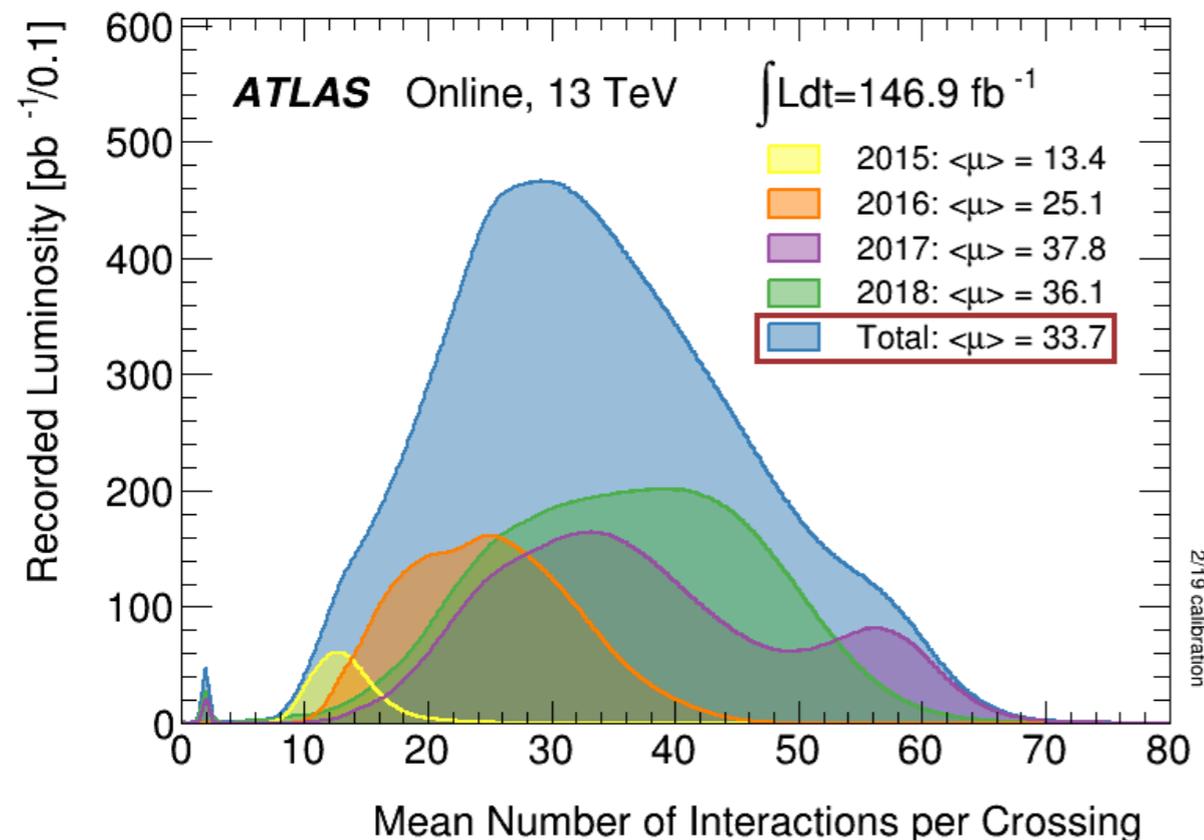


# The High Luminosity LHC Challenges

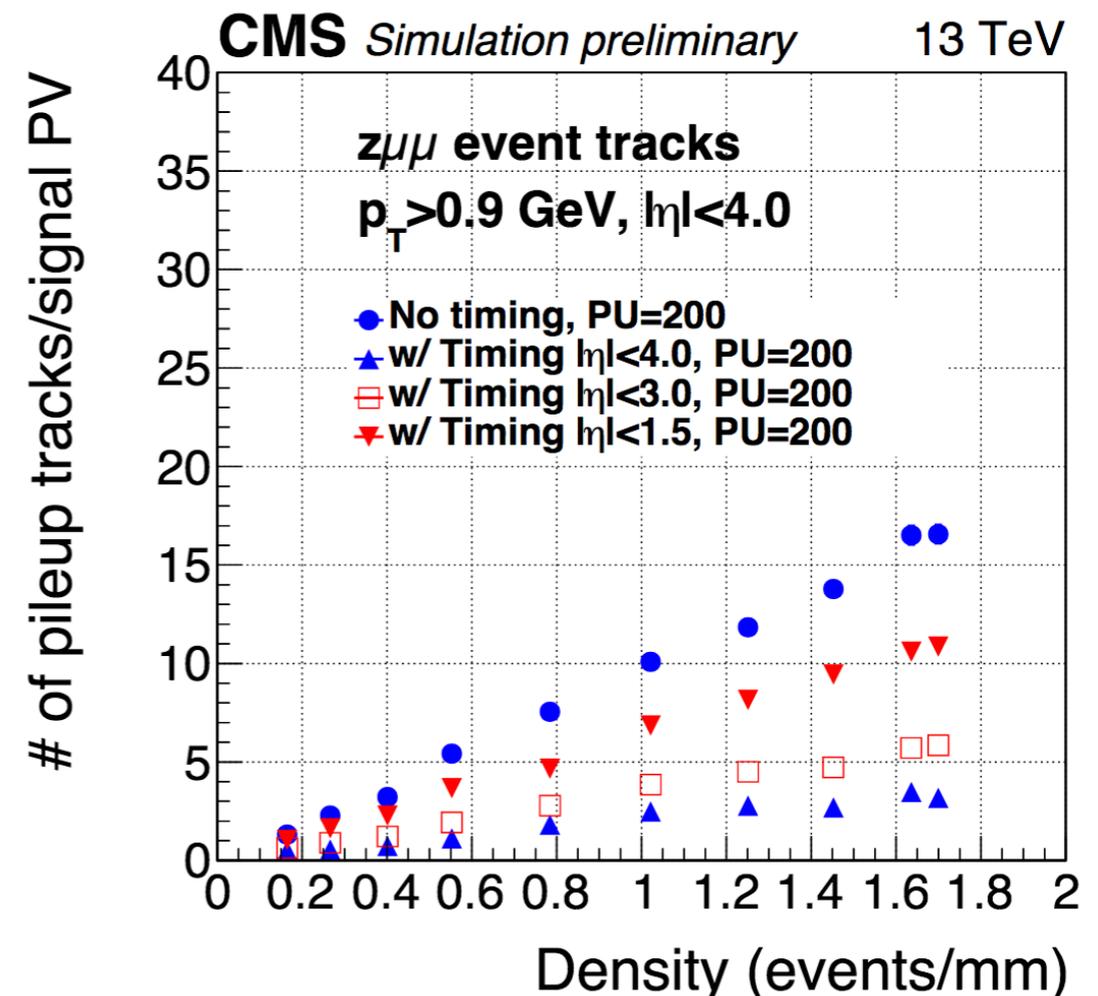
Great opportunities and great challenges

- Peak instantaneous luminosity for **HL-LHC** up to  $7.5 \times 10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$   
Up to **200 p-p interactions** per bunch crossing!
- Difficult experimental conditions for trigger, particle reconstruction, performance, ...

## LHC p-p interactions



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# Physics Opportunities

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**Upgraded detectors** open up new possibilities, e.g.

- exploit timing information for long lived particles searches
- sensitivity to forward events boosted by extended tracking

**Large data sample** benefits

- Lower statistical uncertainties
- Lower experimental systematic uncertainties (calibrations performed on larger dataset)
- Lower uncertainties on background prediction (high statistic control samples allows more precise constraints)

Exploit full **potential** of **upgraded detectors** and **large data sample**

- Collaboration of theorists and experimentalists (ALICE, ATLAS, CMS, LHCb) to **assess reach and precision**, identify new **opportunities**, explore **new directions**
- **Year-long workshop in 2017-2018**
- Input to European strategy [link](#)

# Physics Program Overview

Five working groups focusing on different sectors of physics at hadron colliders

- **WG1: Standard Model** [arXiv:1902.04070](https://arxiv.org/abs/1902.04070)
  - Precision measurements (Weinberg angle, W and top masses, ...)
  - Rare signatures (four tops, FCNC top decays, ...)
- **WG2: Higgs** [arXiv:1902.00134](https://arxiv.org/abs/1902.00134)
  - Properties: couplings and self coupling, precision mass and width measurements, ...
  - BSM Higgs searches, invisible decays
- **WG3: Beyond the Standard Model** [arXiv:1812.07831](https://arxiv.org/abs/1812.07831)
  - Prompt and long-lived particles signatures
  - Supersymmetry, dark matter, resonant searches, ...
- **WG4: Flavour** [arXiv:1812.07638](https://arxiv.org/abs/1812.07638)
  - CKM observables
  - bottom, charm and strange probes for new Physics, LFV with taus
  - B anomalies studies
- **WG5: QCD matter at high density** [arXiv:1812.06772](https://arxiv.org/abs/1812.06772)
  - both heavy ions and proton beams

(highlights)  
covered today  
(ATLAS and CMS)

Not covered today

# Higgs Boson Properties

arXiv:1902.00134

“The determination of Higgs boson properties [...] is the primary target of the HL-LHC Physics program”

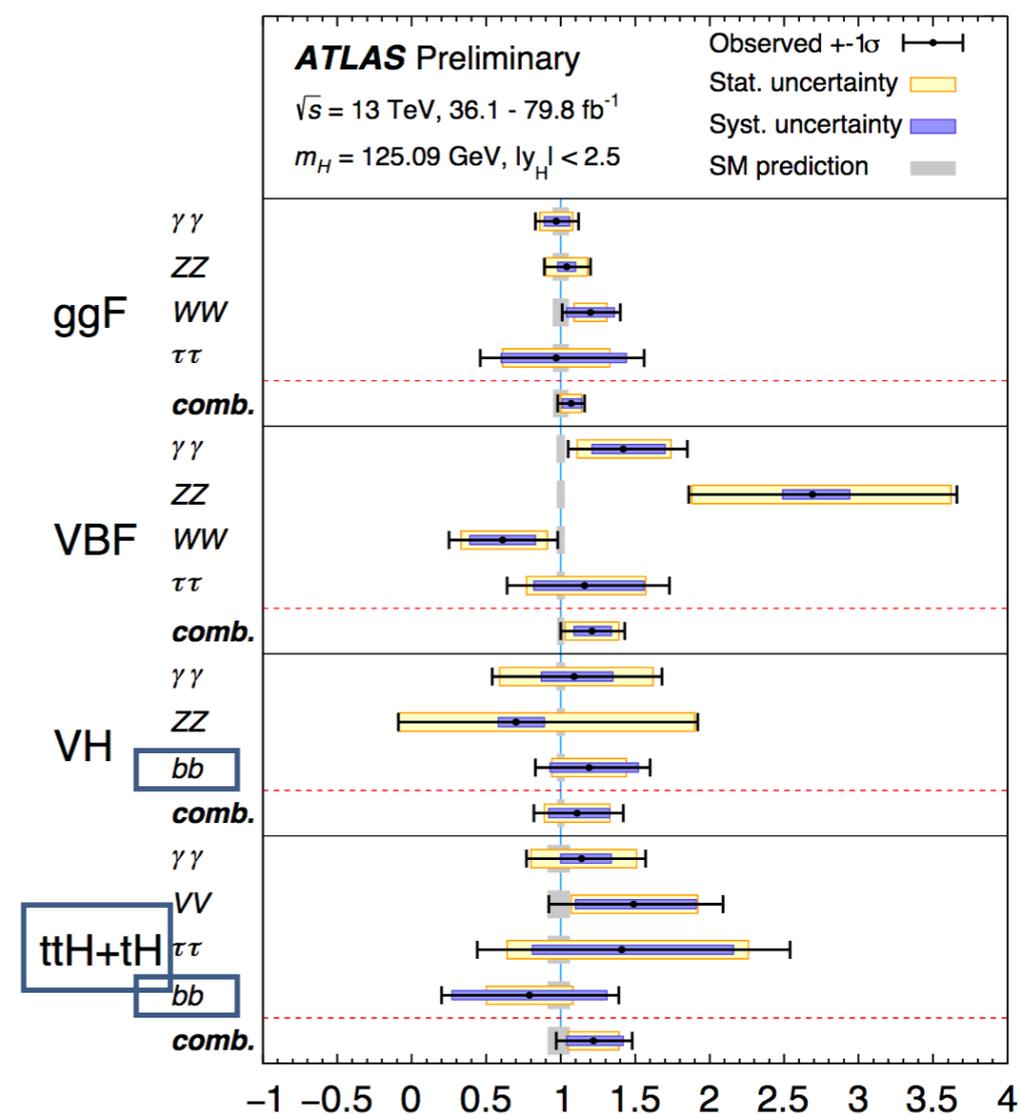
from the HL-LHC input to the European Strategy “The Physics potential of HL-LHC” ([link to document](#))

Projections assumptions

- Theory uncertainties reduced by a factor two
  - Improved HL-LHC PDF set
- Current analysis techniques (space for improvement!)

Main goals

1. Access yet unobserved couplings
2. Precise measurement of couplings, width and mass
3. Higgs self couplings
4. Invisible decays
5. BSM Higgs



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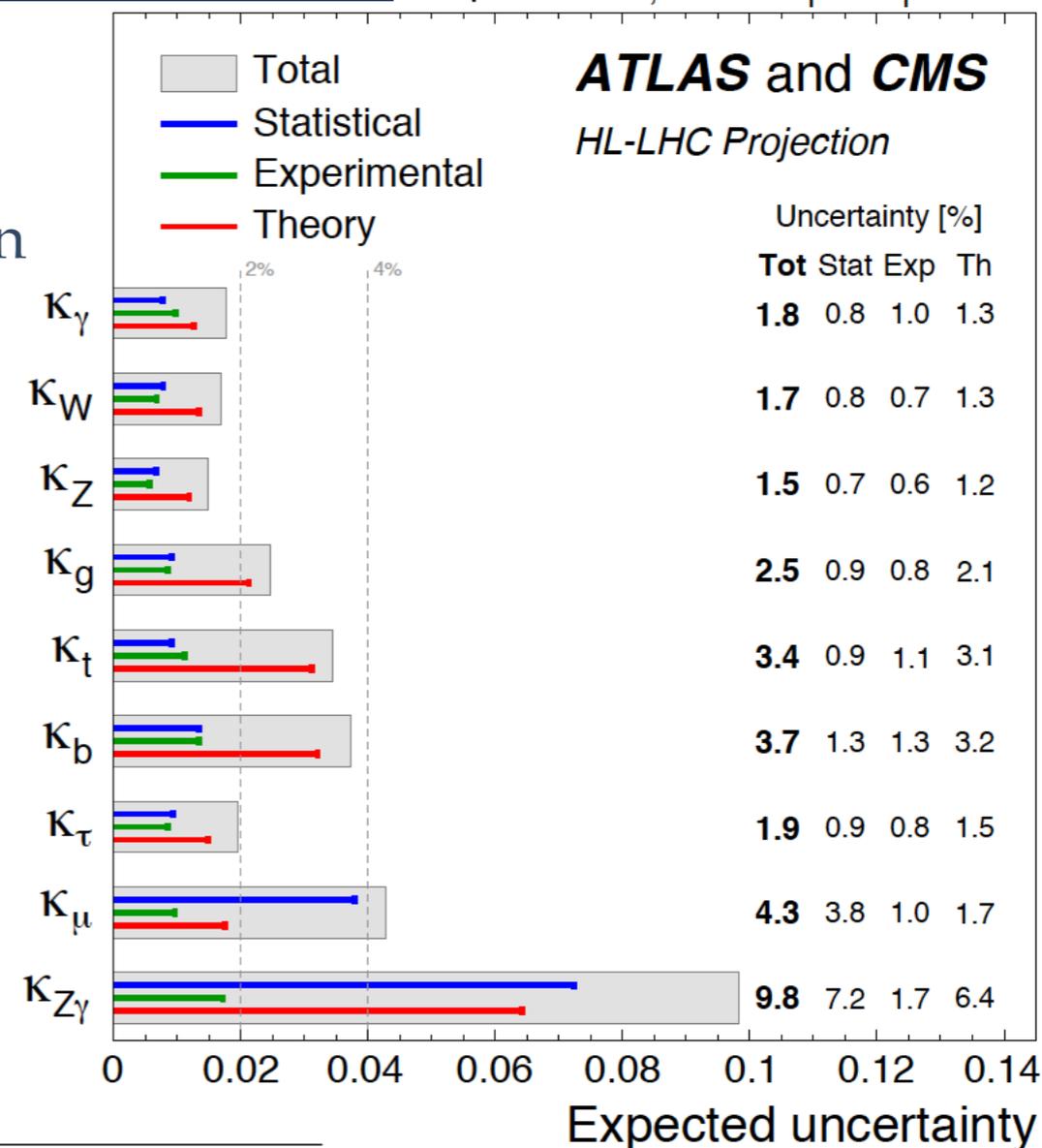
$\sigma \times B$  normalized to SM value

# Higgs Boson Couplings and Mass

arXiv:1902.00134

$\sqrt{s} = 14 \text{ TeV}$ , 3000 fb<sup>-1</sup> per experiment

- precise measure of  $H \rightarrow \mu\mu$
- potential to observe  $H \rightarrow Z\gamma$
- Measurement of couplings  $k_i$  with 1-10% precision
  - dominated by theory uncertainties except for rare decays
- Percent-level constraints on  $k_i$  ratios
  - probes for new Physics in loops (e.g.  $k_\gamma/k_Z$  in  $gg \rightarrow H$  loop)
- Current mass precision  $\sim 200 \text{ MeV}$ 
  - expected improvement up to a factor 7



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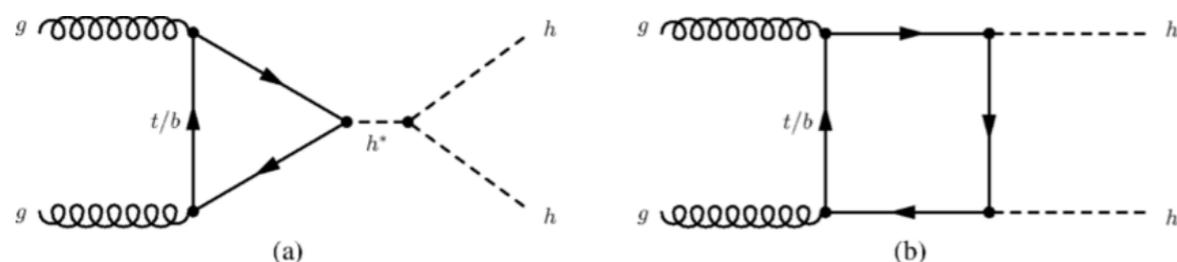
	$\Delta_{\text{tot}}$ (MeV)	$\Delta_{\text{stat}}$ (MeV)	$\Delta_{\text{syst}}$ (MeV)
Current Detector	52	39	35
$\mu$ momentum resolution improvement by 30% or similar	47	30	37
$\mu$ momentum resolution/scale improvement of 30% / 50%	38	30	24
$\mu$ momentum resolution/scale improvement 30% / 80%	33	30	14

# Higgs Boson Self-Coupling

Self-coupling  $\lambda$  from analysis of HH mass spectrum shape and cross section measurement

- Channel combinations @ HL-LHC provides  $\sim 3\sigma$  per experiment
  - $4\sigma$  when combining ATLAS and CMS results assuming SM
  - remember: current analysis techniques!

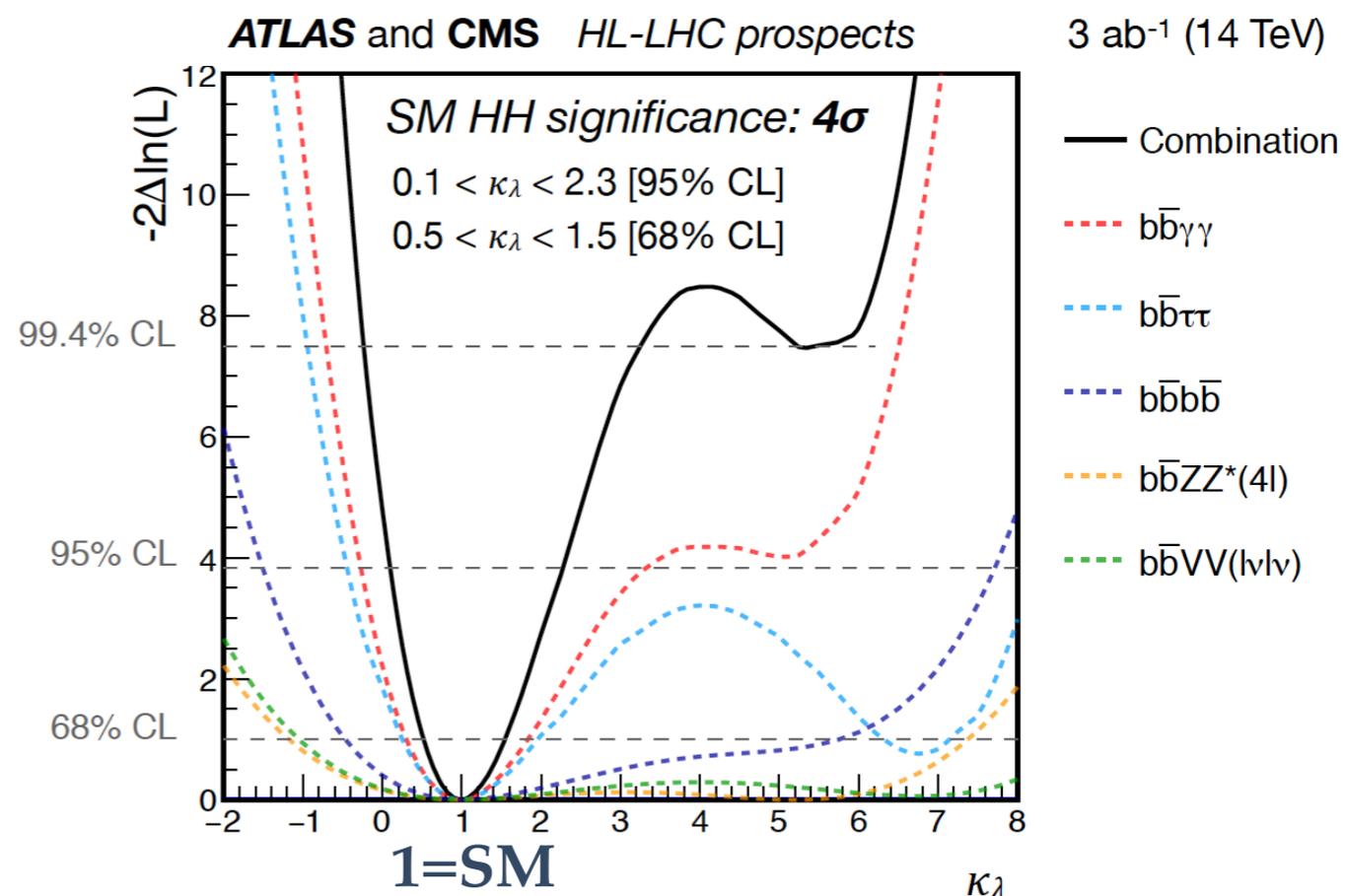
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Channel	Significance		95% CL limit on $\sigma_{HH}/\sigma_{HH}^{SM}$	
	Stat. + syst.	Stat. only	Stat. + syst.	Stat. only
bbbb	0.95	1.2	2.1	1.6
bb $\tau\tau$	1.4	1.6	1.4	1.3
bbWW( $l\nu l\nu$ )	0.56	0.59	3.5	3.3
bb $\gamma\gamma$	1.8	1.8	1.1	1.1
bbZZ( $llll$ )	0.37	0.37	6.6	6.5
Combination	2.6	2.8	0.77	0.71

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## Exclusion limits

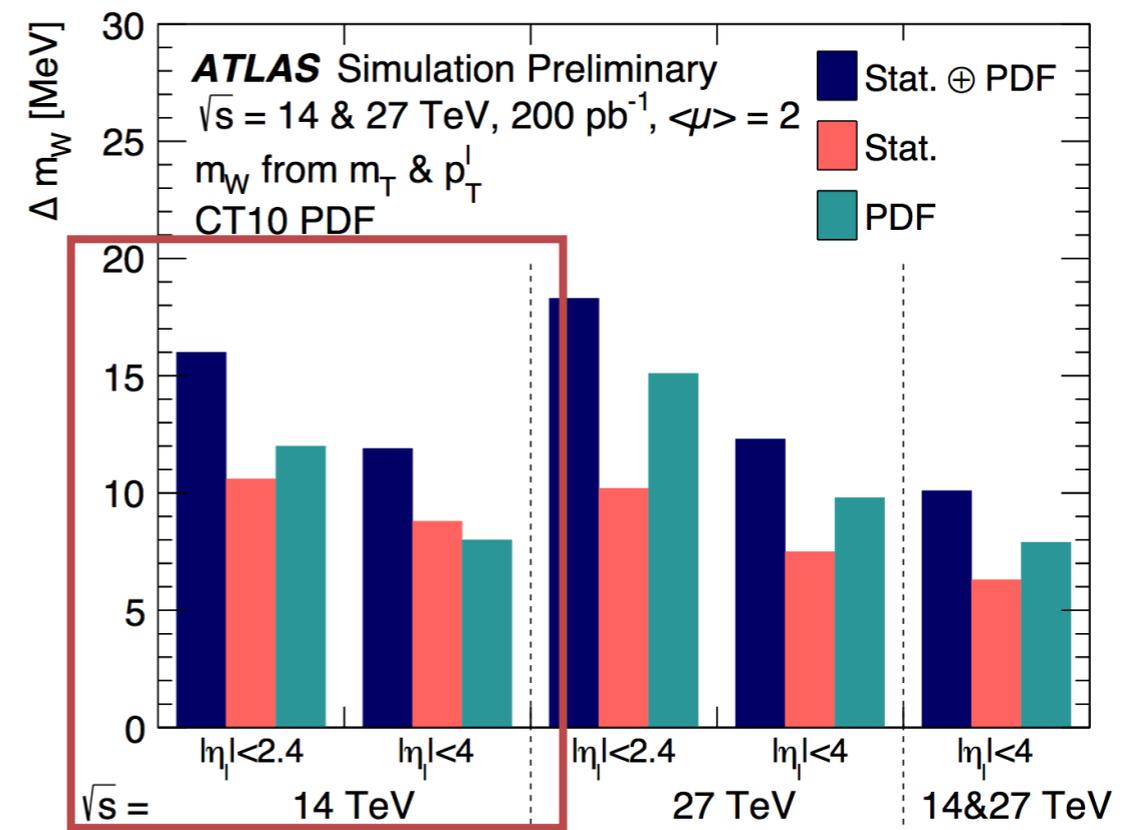
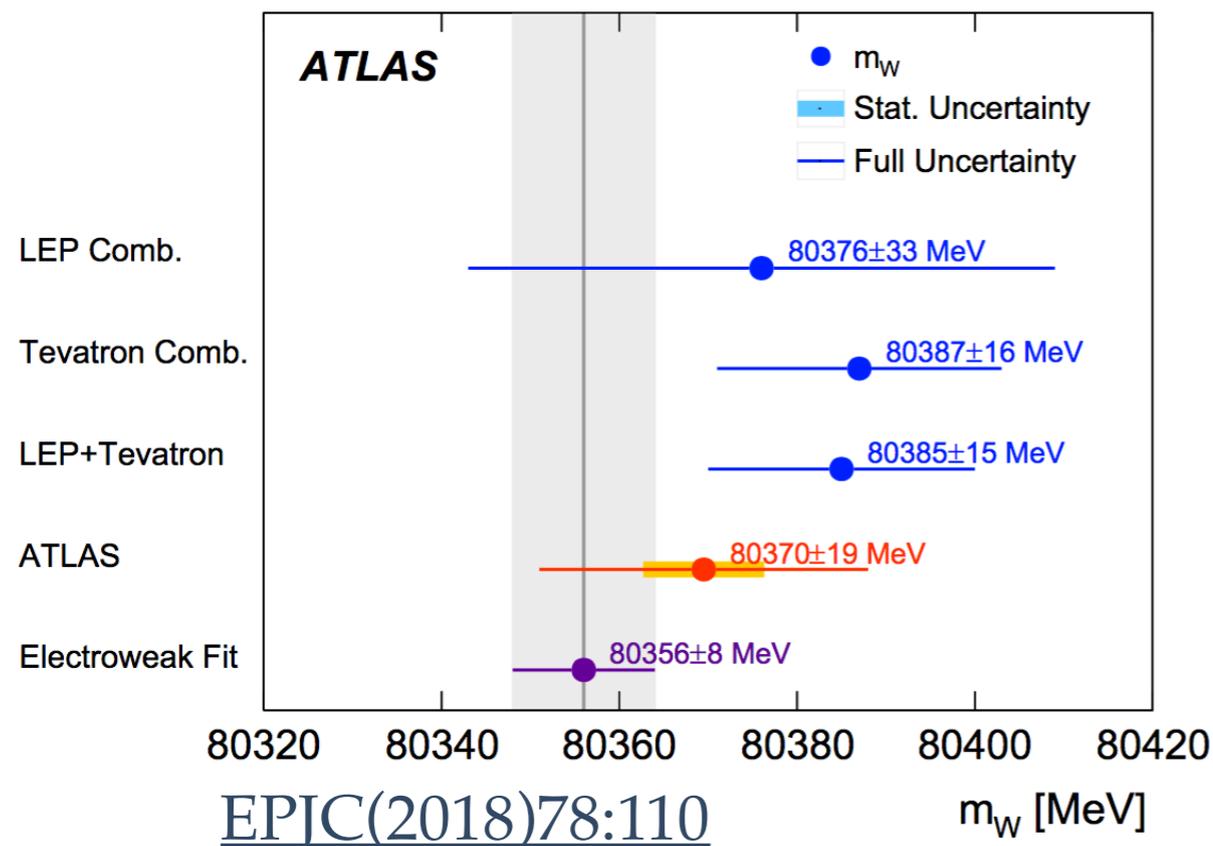


# Precision EW measurements: W mass

W mass measured from transverse mass in leptonic decays (electron or muon)

- Systematically limited
- Dedicated low pile-up runs ( $5 \times 10^{32} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$ , cfr  $5 \times 10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$ ) to keep experimental systematic uncertainties to the level of statistical uncertainties
- Precise understanding of W boson recoil
- More efficient event selection thanks to forward tracking

[arXiv:1902.04070](https://arxiv.org/abs/1902.04070)

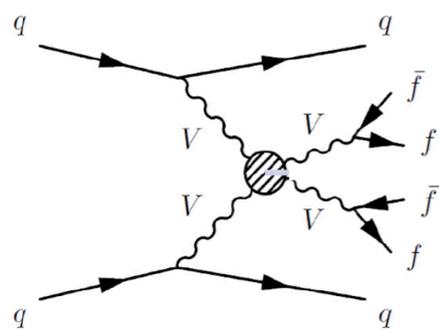


Use of HL-LHC PDF to further reduce uncertainty down to  $< 10 \text{ MeV}$

# VBS Processes

VBS important test of EW symmetry breaking mechanism **current results in Dieter Zeppenfeld talk**

- Improved by higher statistics and instrumentation in forward region
  - e.g. WW VBS: forward tracking allows better WZ/ZZ/ttbar suppression (leptons identification) and pile-up suppression



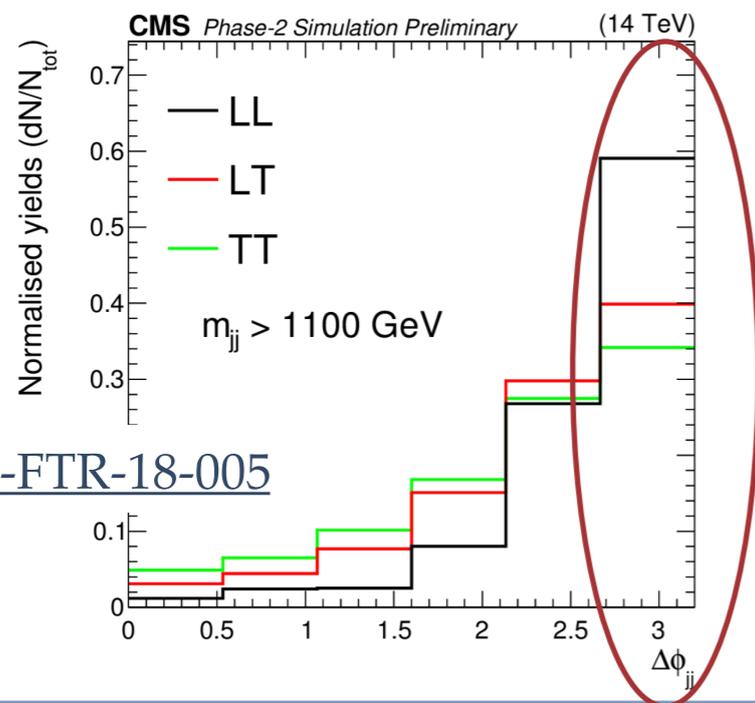
**observed**

Process	$W^\pm W^\pm$	$WZ$	$WV$	$ZZ$
Final state	$l^\pm l^\pm jj$	$3lj$	$ljjj$	$4lj$
Precision	6%	6%	6.5%	10–40%
Significance	$> 5\sigma$	$> 5\sigma$	$> 5\sigma$	$> 5\sigma$

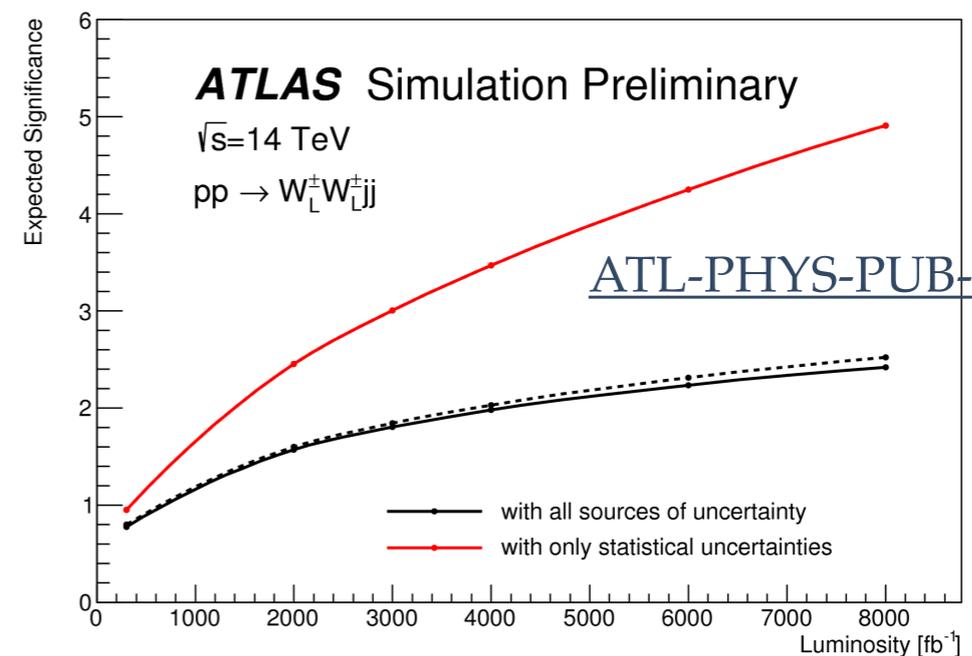
Potential for measuring WW longitudinal polarization

[arXiv:1902.04070](https://arxiv.org/abs/1902.04070)

- Still not known if Higgs boson preserves unitarity of longitudinal scattering amplitude for all energies



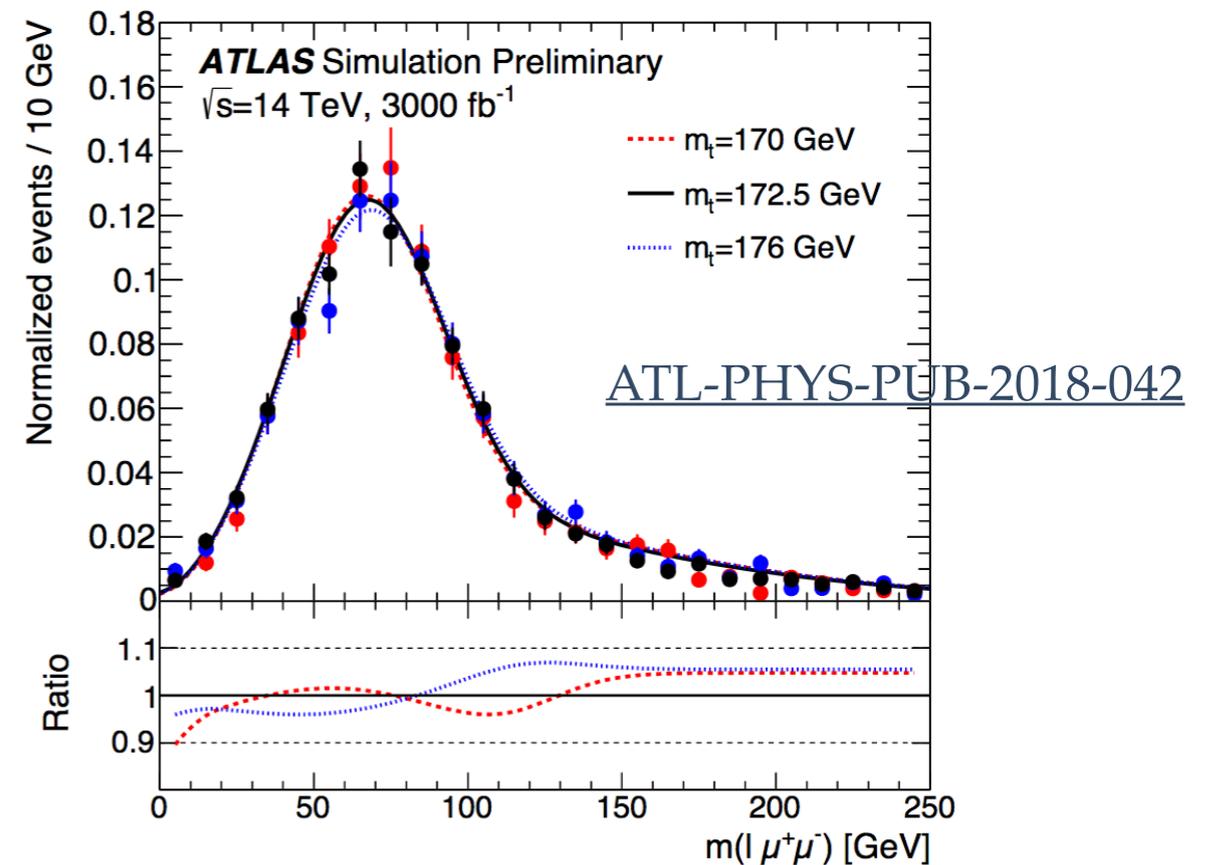
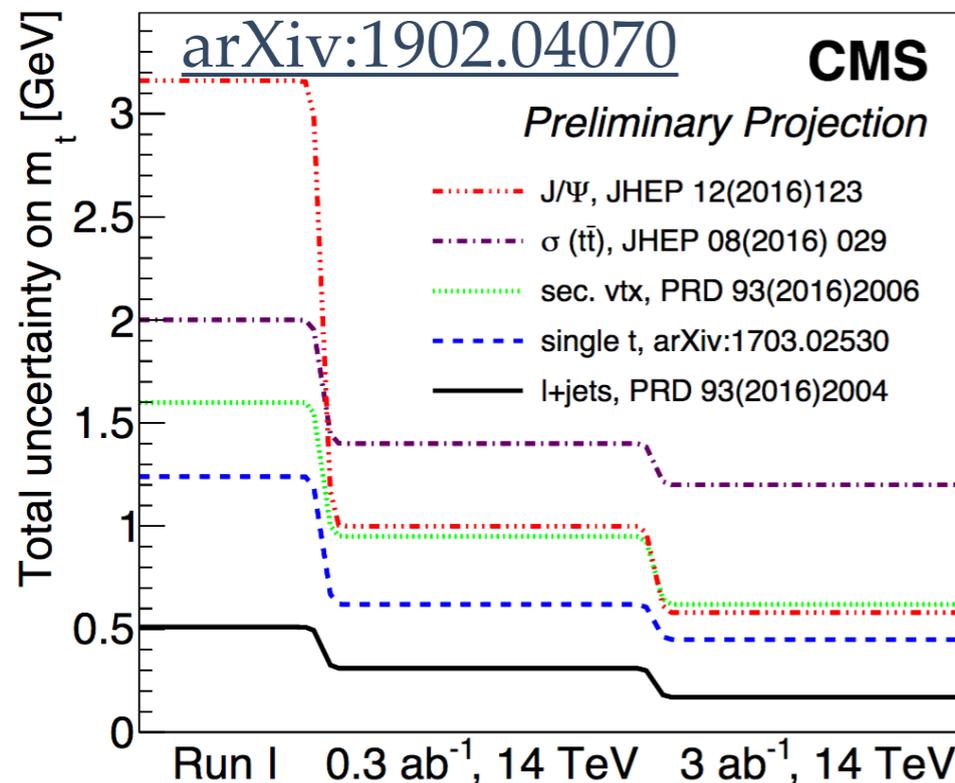
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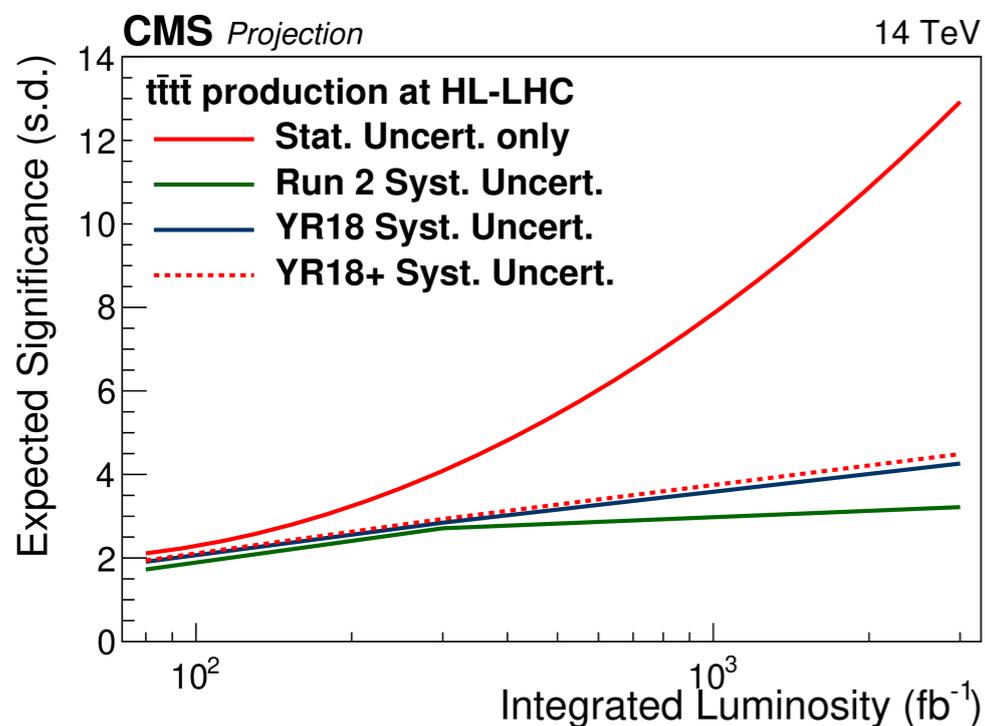
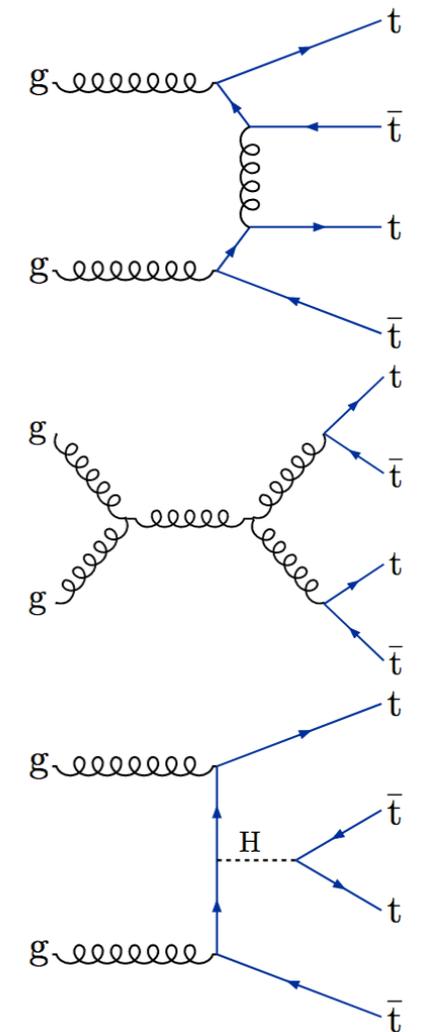
# Top Quark Mass

- Current most precise mass measurement **direct**
  - $\sigma$  500 MeV, to be reduced to 200 MeV @ HL-LHC
  - Measured top mass is value of top mass parameter in MC distribution best fitting
    - Sensitive to theoretical modelling uncertainties
- @HL-LHC more support measurements with competitive precision
  - e.g. B decaying into  $J/\psi \rightarrow \mu\mu$  events
    - $m(\ell\mu\mu)$  sensitive to top mass ( $\ell$  from W decay)
    - no reliance on jets



# 4-Tops Production

- Rare process sensitive to BSM Physics (e.g. dark matter mediator with Yukawa-like coupling)
- Background from other rare processes (VV, VVV, ttV, ttH) and events with mis-identified ("fake") leptons [arXiv:1811.02305](https://arxiv.org/abs/1811.02305) [EPJC\(2018\)78:140](https://doi.org/10.1051/epjc/201878140)
- Current sensitivity  $1\sigma$  with events with two or three leptons
  - Upper limit on cross section 2 times SM value with 50% uncertainty
- Expected uncertainty @HL-LHC 20-30%

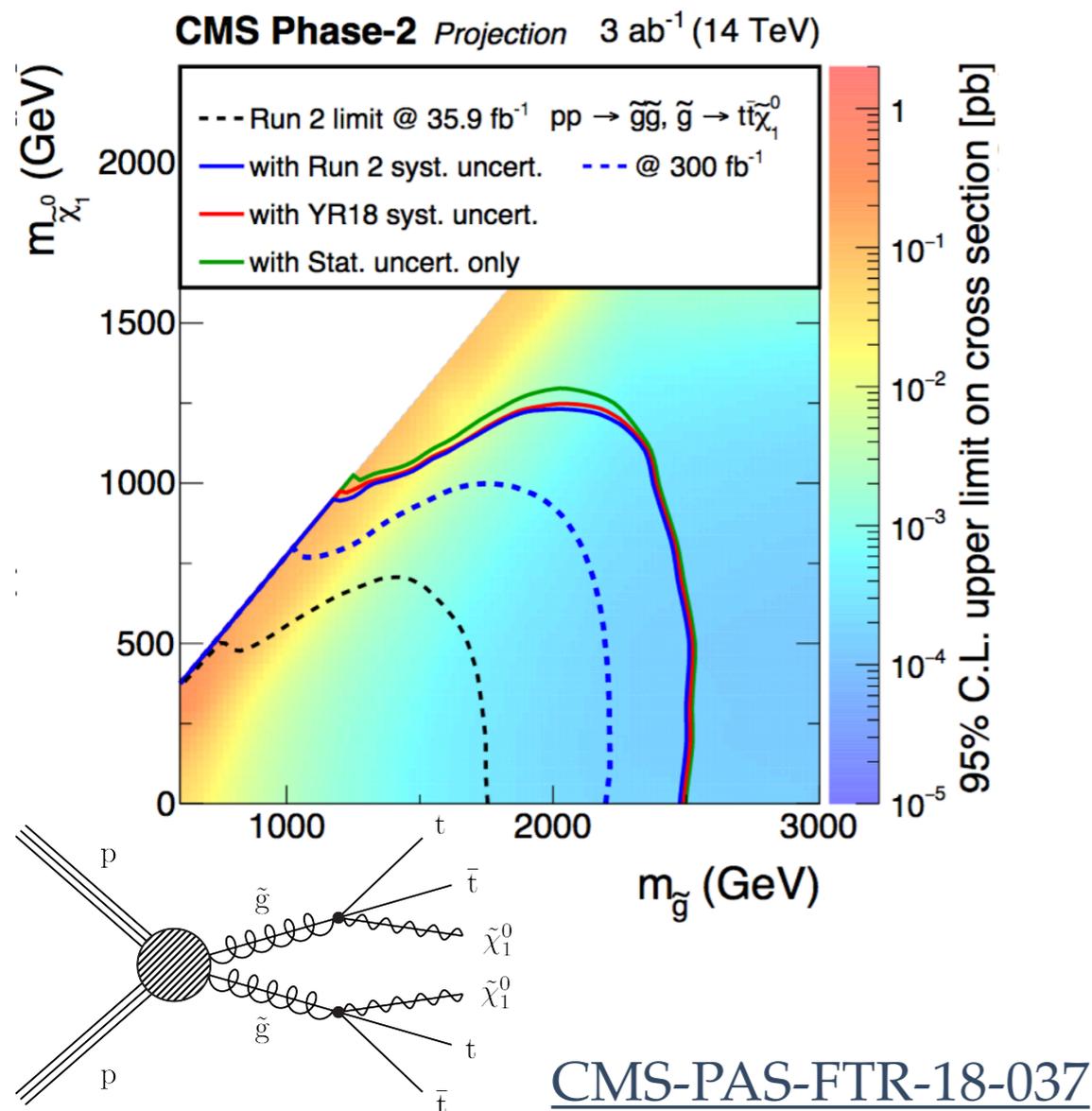


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Int. Luminosity	$\sqrt{s}$	Stat. only (%)	Run 2 (%)	YR18 (%)	YR18+ (%)
300 fb <sup>-1</sup>	14 TeV	+30 -28	+43 -39	+36 -34	+36 -33
3 ab <sup>-1</sup>	14 TeV	±9	+28 -24	+20 -19	±18
3 ab <sup>-1</sup>	27 TeV	±2	+15 -12	+9 -8	+8 -7
15 ab <sup>-1</sup>	27 TeV	±1			

# Strongly-produced SUSY



Results based on current analysis techniques

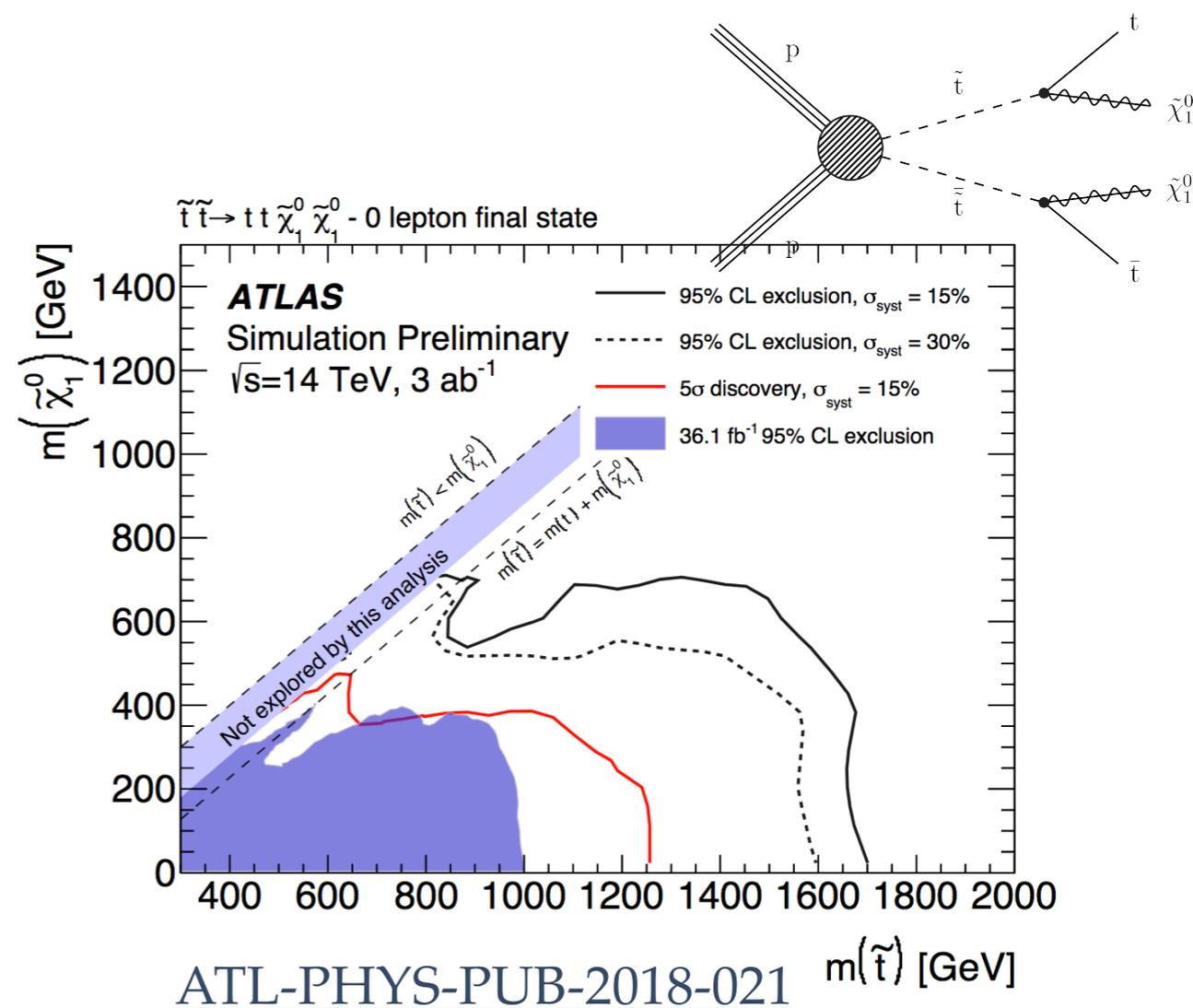
- $S/B @ 14 \text{ TeV} > S/B @ 13 \text{ TeV}$
- Bigger dataset allows for stricter selection criteria
- Generally reduced systematic uncertainties

Gluino-Mediated stop production with *Razor variables*

- centre of mass of the sparticle-sparticle production

Direct stop pair production analysis

- re-clustered (“fat”) jets for high mass splitting
- ISR-based selection for compressed scenario

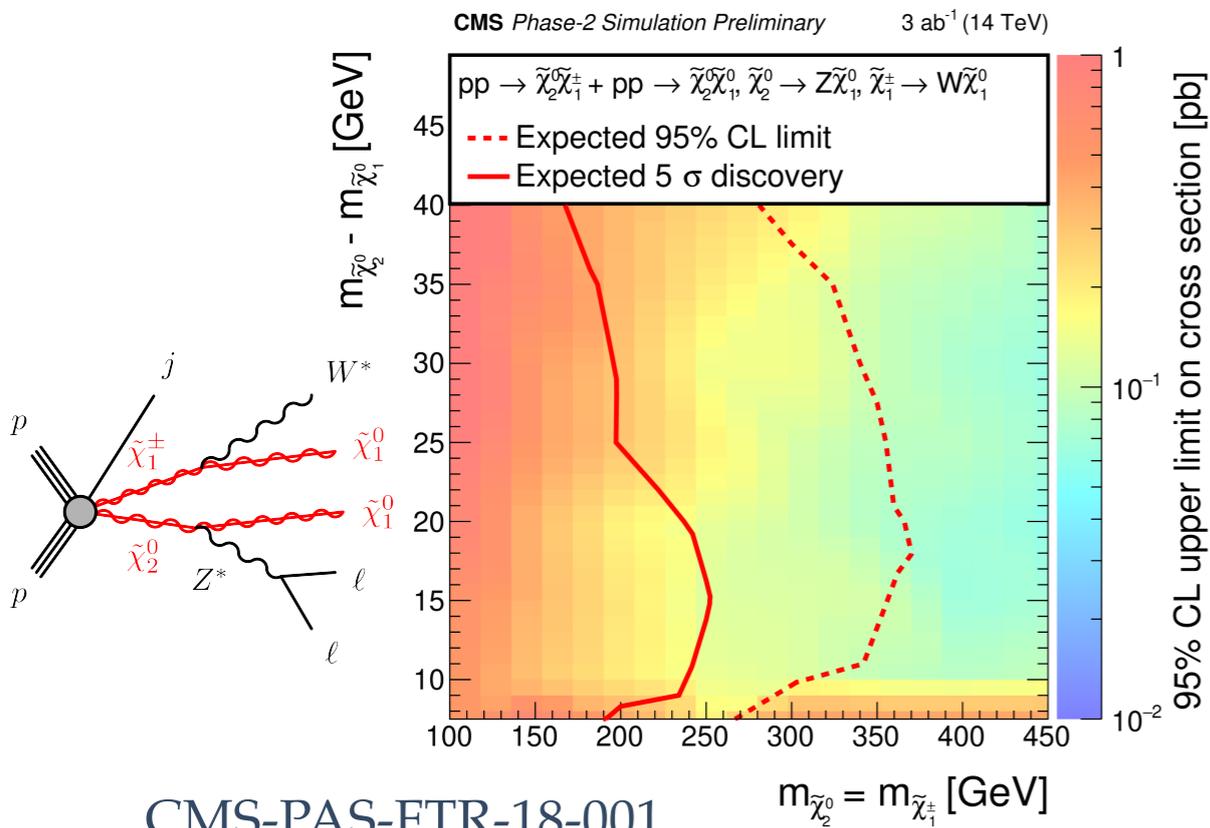
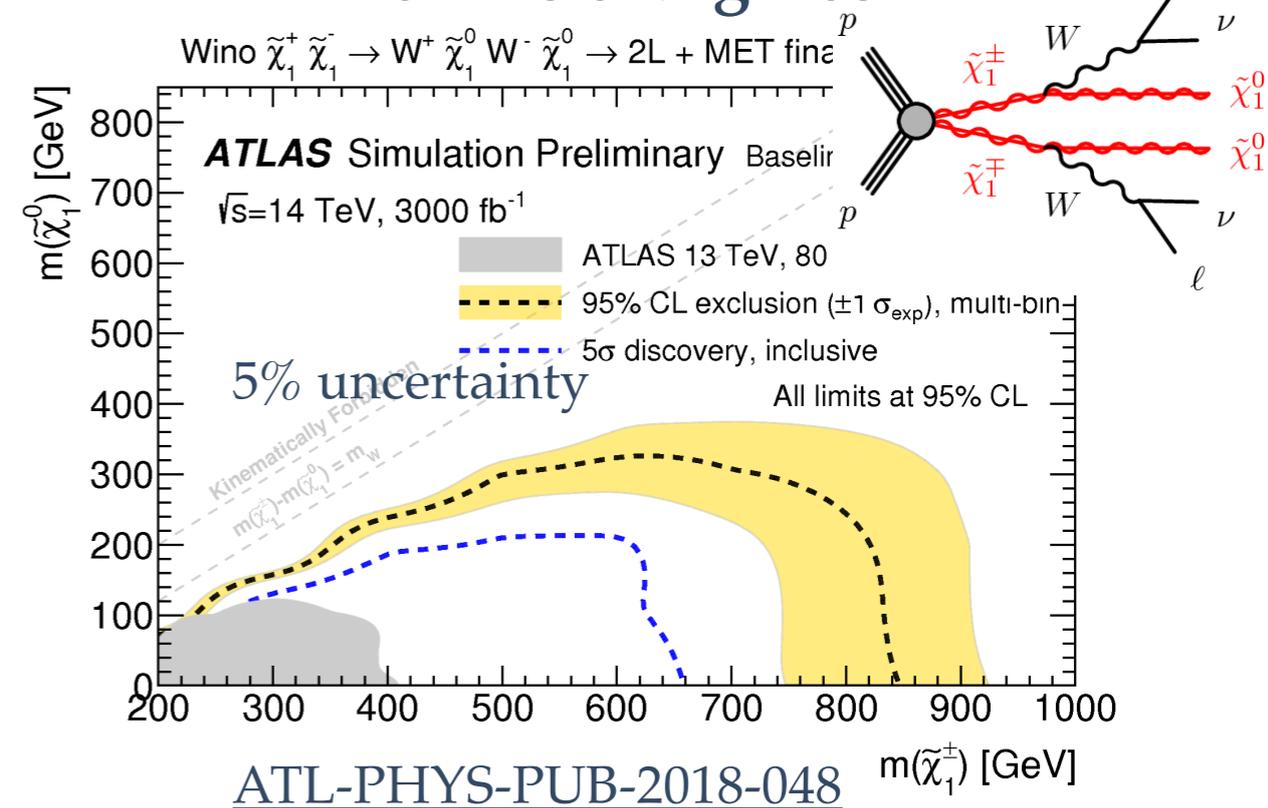
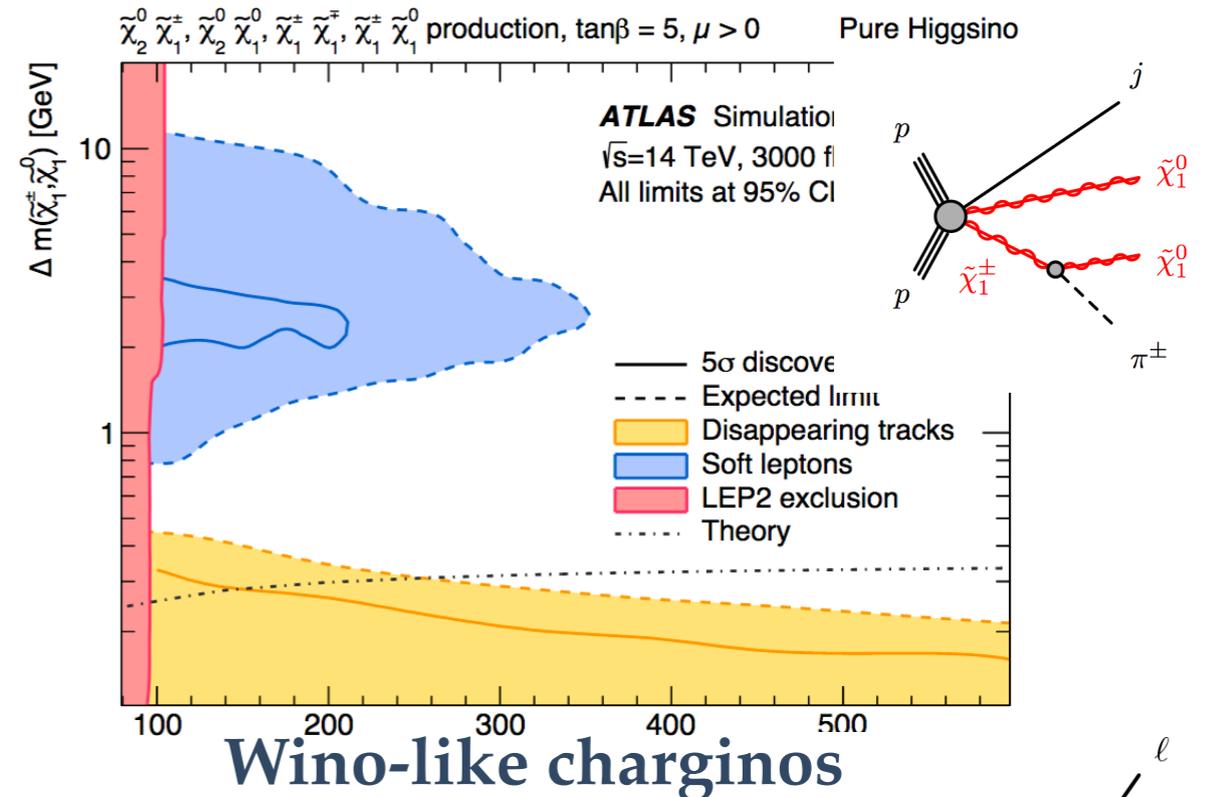


# SUSY EW production

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## Higgsino-like LSP (naturalness motivated)

- Lightest chargino and second neutrino close in mass with LSP
  - soft objects in the final state
  - ISR-based selection
- Relies on upgrades to triggers at L1 and HLT to maintain low lepton thresholds (3-5 GeV)
- “Disappearing tracks” for even lower mass splitting



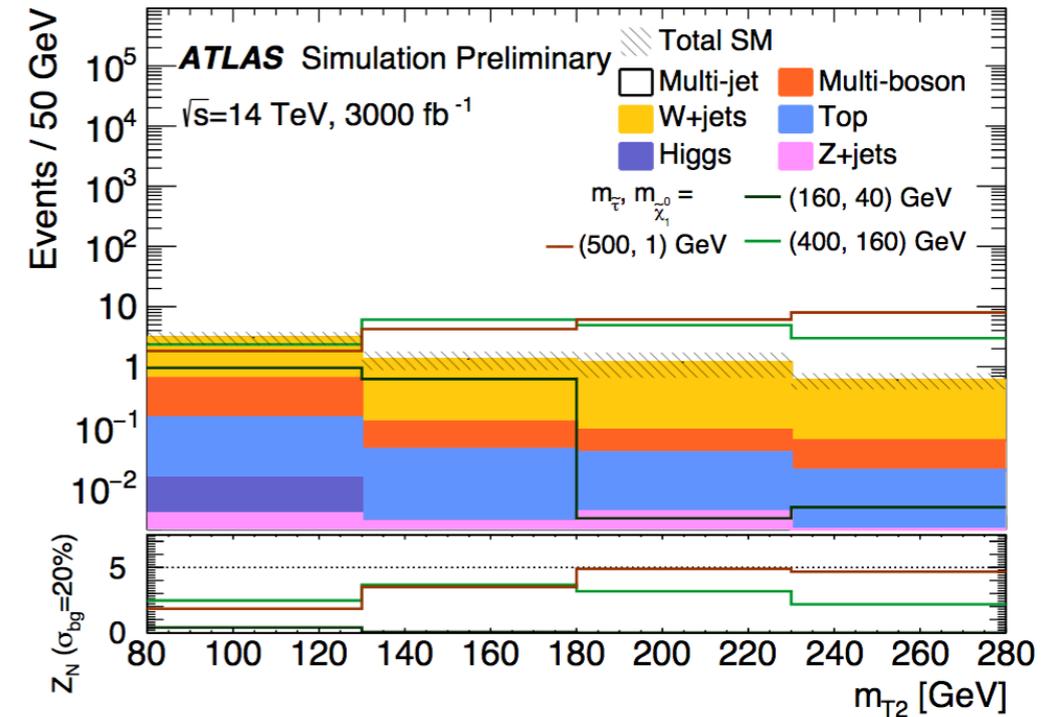
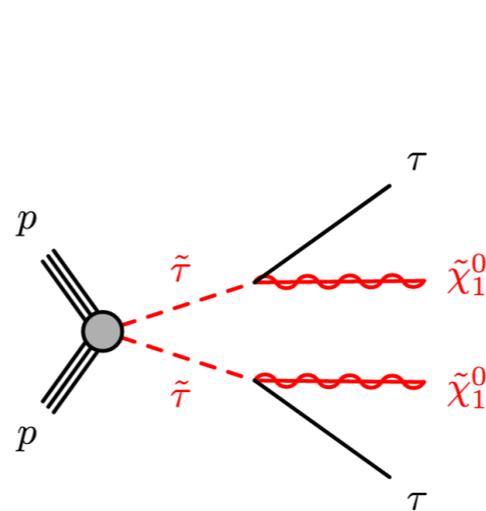
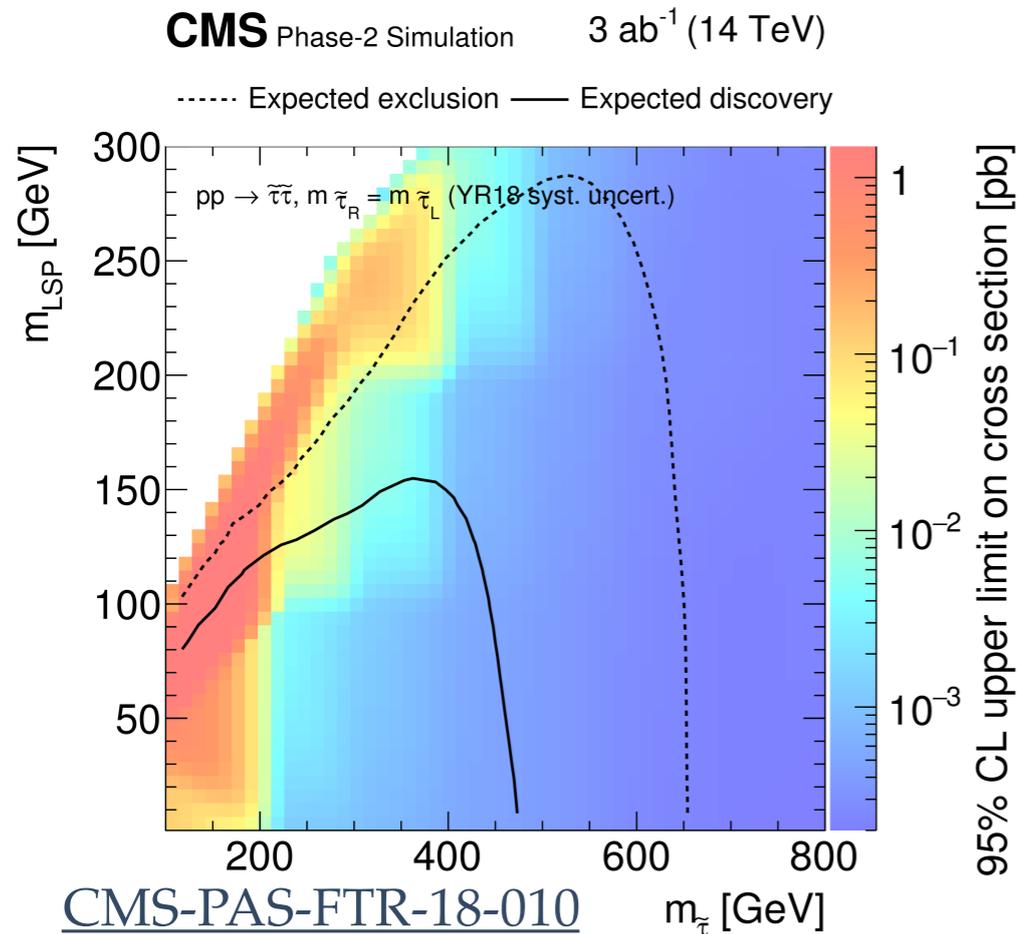
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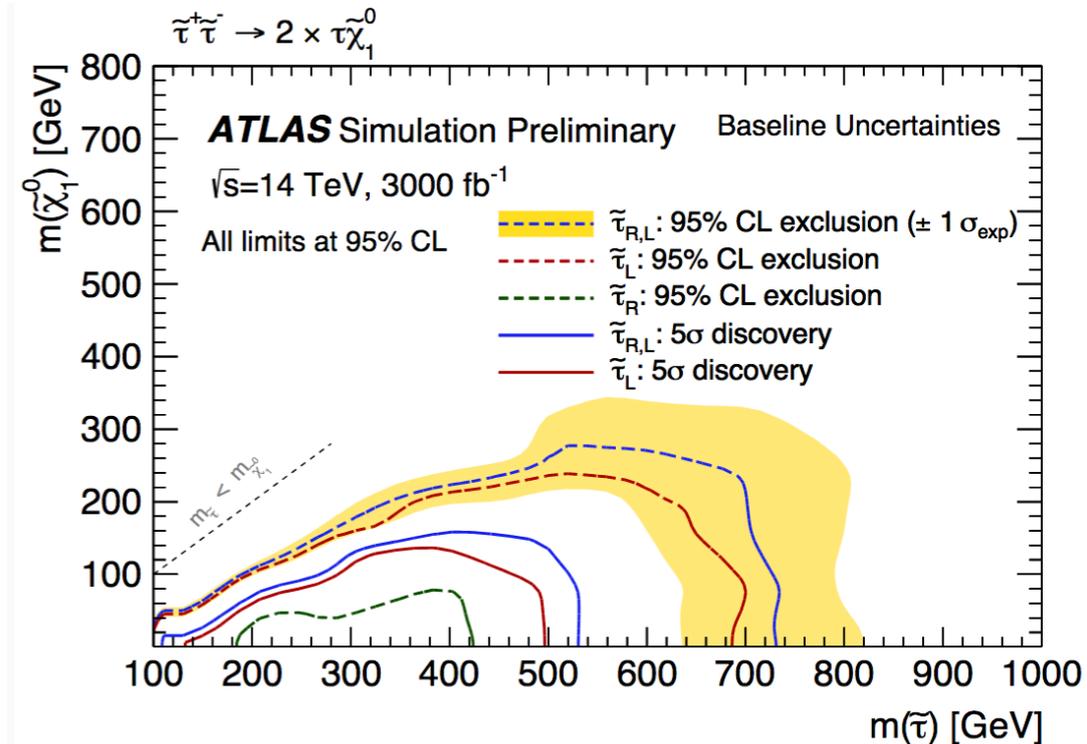
# Stau Searches

## Stau as lightest slepton (large $\tan\beta$ )

- signatures with at least one hadronically decaying tau
- Currently no sensitivity
- Small cross section ( $<1 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  for  $m(\text{stau}) > 400 \text{ GeV}$  @ 14 TeV)
  - Large size of sample @HL-LHC important
  - Sensitivity to right-handed tau limited by cross section



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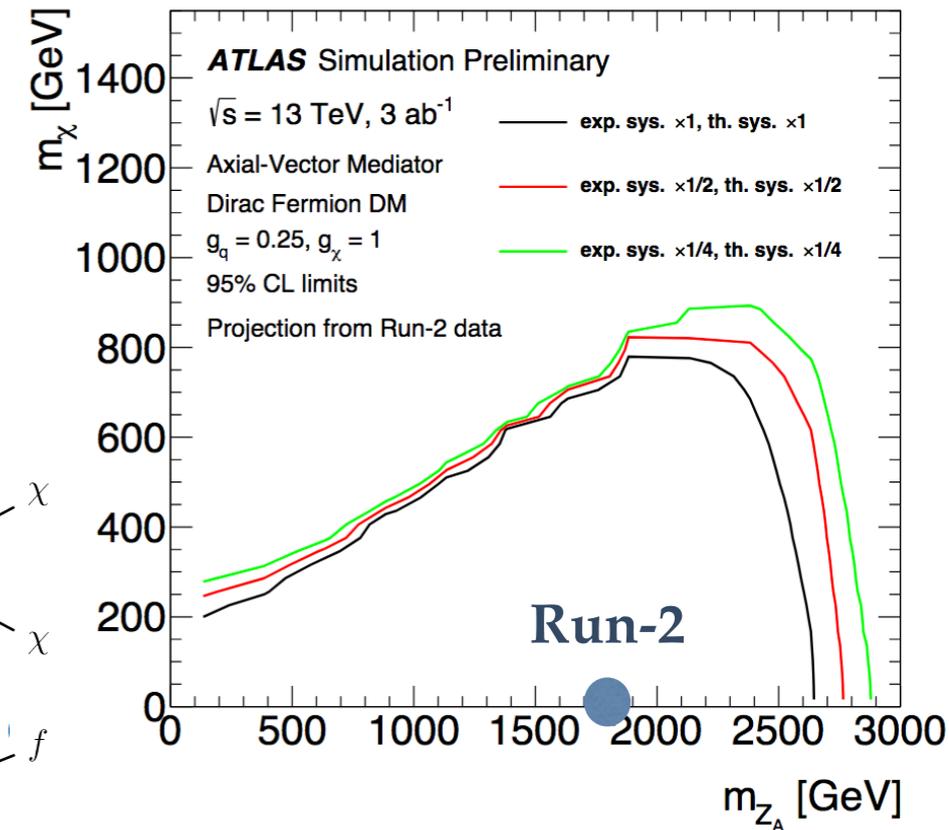
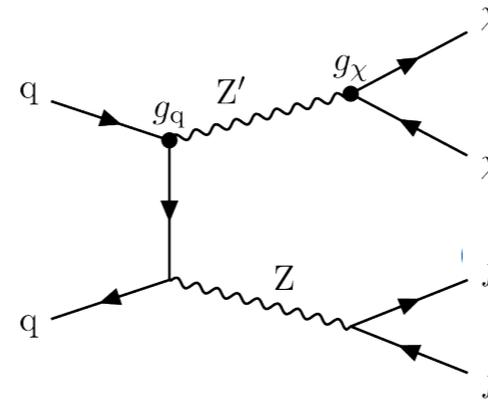
# Dark Matter Searches

current status in Ren-jie Wang talk

## Dark matter pair recoiling against visible object - *mono-X* search

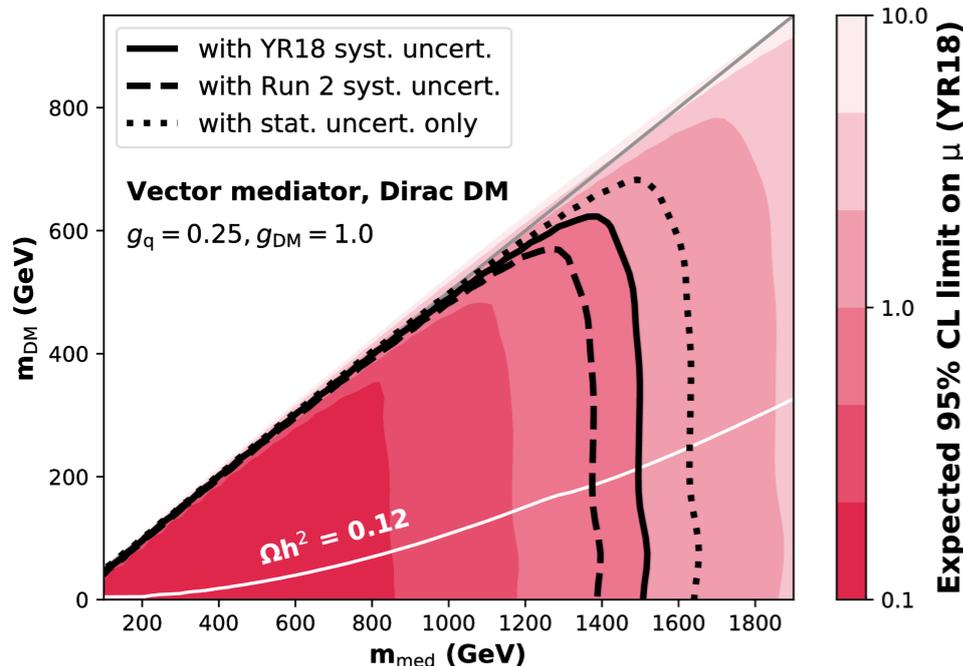
- Various models: EFT or simplified models, (axial-)vector or (pseudo-)scalar mediators, complete theories
- Flagship search: mono-jet
- One energetic jet and missing transverse momentum back-to-back
- Sensitive to systematic uncertainties on main background: Z and W bosons production

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**CMS Projection 3.0 ab<sup>-1</sup> (14 TeV)**



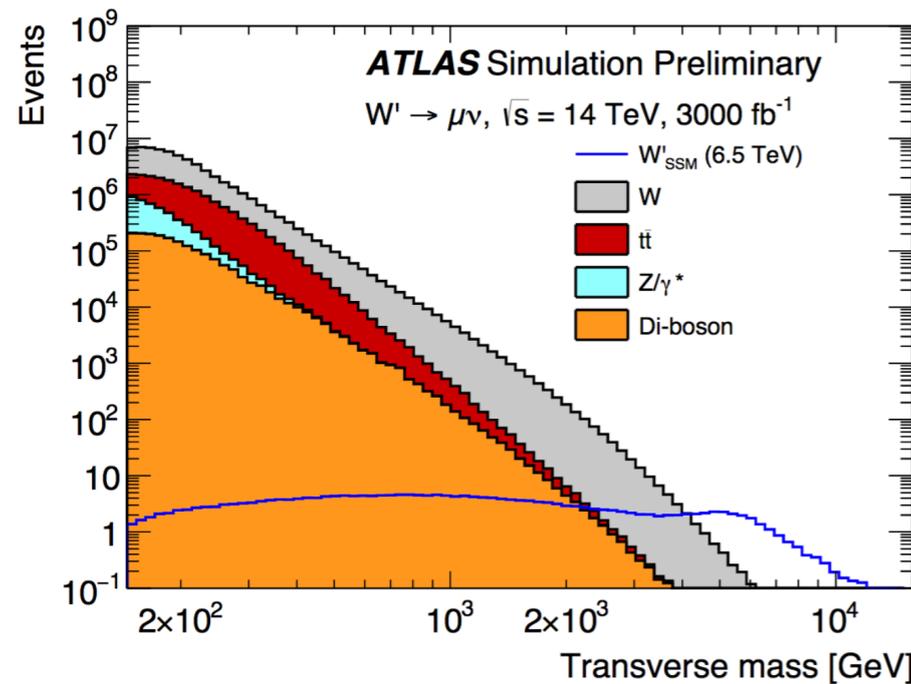
Source	Effect [%]	
	$E_T^{\text{miss}} > 250 \text{ GeV}$	$E_T^{\text{miss}} > 1000 \text{ GeV}$
<i>Experimental</i>		
Jet and $E_T^{\text{miss}}$ energy scales/resolutions	0.5	5.3
$b$ -tagging efficiency	0.9	0.5
soft contributions to $E_T^{\text{miss}}$	0.4	1.7
lepton identification, reconstruction, $E/p$ scale/resolution	0.2 – 1.7	0.3 – 2.3
<i>Theoretical</i>		
W/Z parton shower modelling, PDF	0.8	0.7
W/Z QCD and EW corrections	0.4	2
$t$ -quark parton shower modelling, ISR/FSR, MC generator choice	0.3	~ 0
diboson MC generator choice, NLO cross-section	0.2	0.8

# Resonance Searches

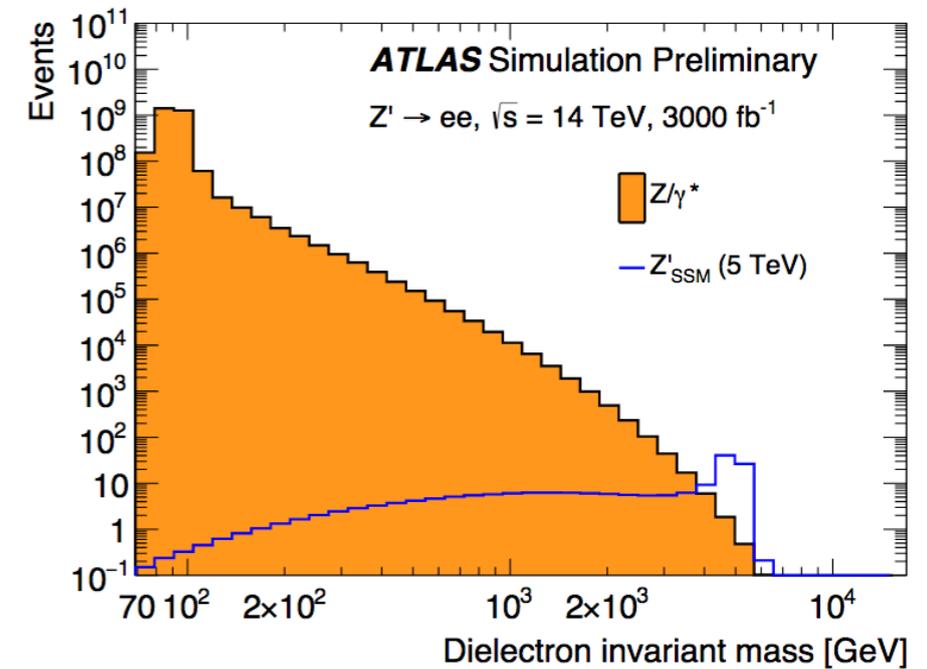
Huge expansion on the current resonant searches program

- Reach in the 6-8 TeV range for  $Z'$ - $W'$ 
  - 1 -2.5 TeV improvement!
- Requires good performance in energy and mass resolution

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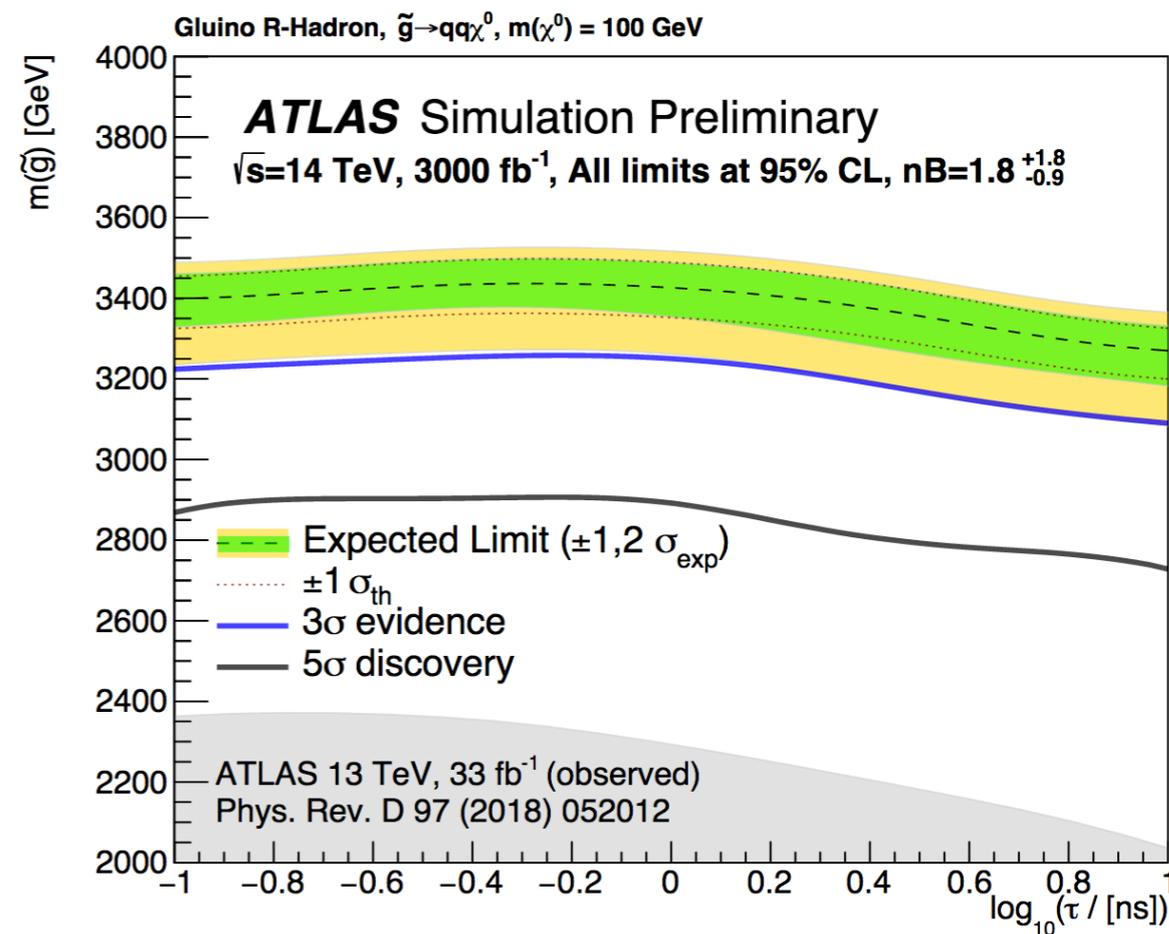
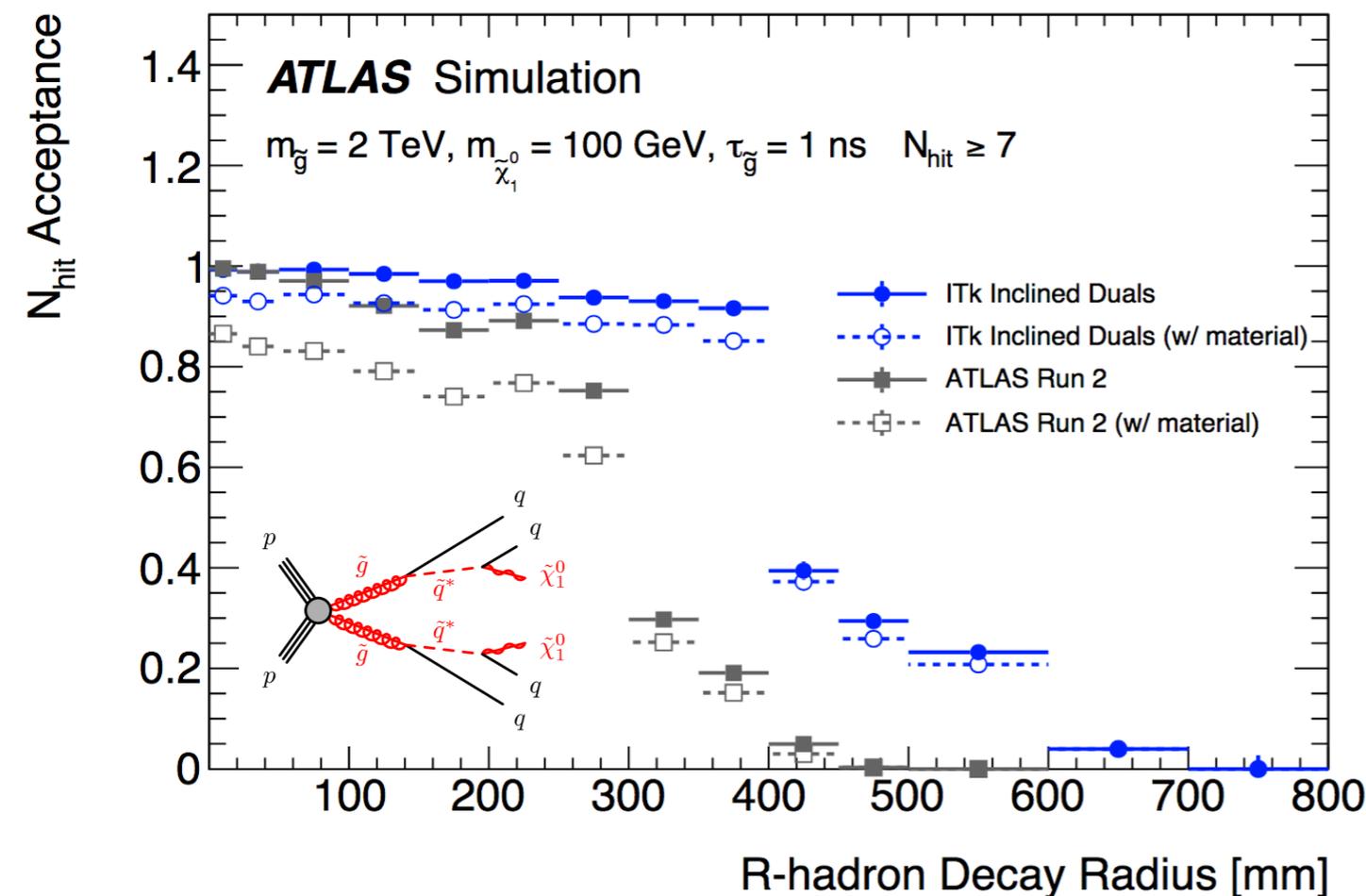
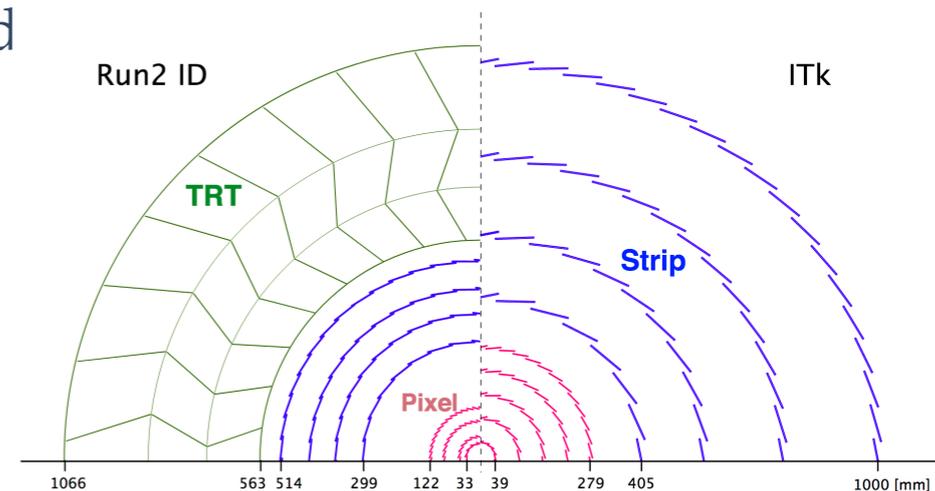
Decay	Exclusion [TeV]	Discovery [TeV]
$W'_{SSM} \rightarrow e\nu$	7.6	7.5
$W'_{SSM} \rightarrow \mu\nu$	7.3	7.1
$W'_{SSM} \rightarrow \ell\nu$	7.9	7.7

Decay	$\sqrt{s} = 13$ TeV		$\sqrt{s} = 14$ TeV	
	Exclusion	Discovery	Exclusion	Discovery
$Z'_{SSM} \rightarrow ee$	6.0 TeV	5.9 TeV	6.4 TeV	6.3 TeV
$Z'_{SSM} \rightarrow \mu\mu$	5.5 TeV	5.4 TeV	5.8 TeV	5.7 TeV
$Z'_{SSM} \rightarrow \ell\ell$	6.1 TeV	6.1 TeV	6.5 TeV	6.4 TeV
$Z'_{\psi} \rightarrow ee$	5.3 TeV	5.3 TeV	5.7 TeV	5.6 TeV
$Z'_{\psi} \rightarrow \mu\mu$	4.9 TeV	4.6 TeV	5.2 TeV	5.0 TeV
$Z'_{\psi} \rightarrow \ell\ell$	5.4 TeV	5.4 TeV	5.8 TeV	5.7 TeV

# Long Lived Particles

Signatures with displaced vertices will benefit from upgraded tracker (more hits-on-track with better resolution)

- Case study R-hadrons: long-lived gluinos decaying in the tracker to multiple charged particles
- Minimum number of hits after decay to ensure efficient reconstruction and background rejection



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# Summary

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HL-LHC opens up new possibilities in terms of

- Precision SM measurements
  - Higgs couplings and self couplings, more precise electro-weak measurements
- Detection and more precise measurement of rare processes
  - 4-tops production, multi-boson scattering and production
- Extension of the BSM search program
  - Pushing the boundaries of the current sensitivity and accessing untested processes (e.g. stau)

Ambitious program can be realised thanks to

- Upgraded detectors and data acquisition systems
- Bigger size of the dataset collected
- Reduced experimental uncertainties
- Reduced theoretical uncertainties
- Higher centre-of-mass energy of the collisions

Challenging experimental conditions means a fun time ahead!

# Back-Up Slides

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# Physics Results Projections

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- **Object reconstruction performance** assessed through **detailed simulation**
- **Extrapolation** of existing results through current statistical framework
- **Scale factors** to take into account performance of **upgraded detectors** and change in **cross section**
- Consider **current analyses techniques** (space for improvement)
- **Fast simulation** for the upgraded **CMS detector** performance (Delphes)
- **Particle-level** analysis with energy **smearing**, efficiencies and fake rates applied to generator level quantities to mimic upgraded **ATLAS detector**

“YR18” uncertainties

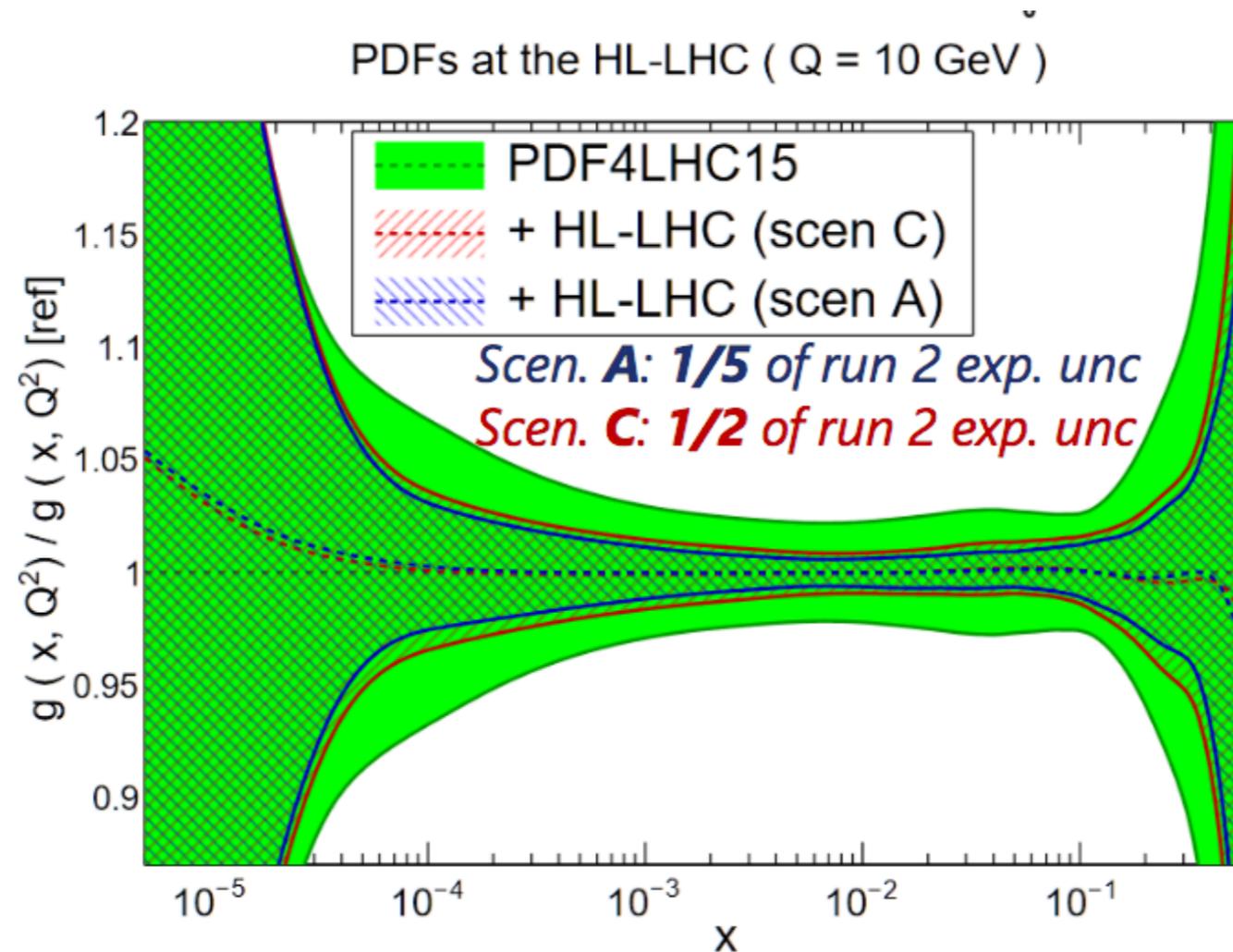
- Lower statistical uncertainties (scaled by  $1/\sqrt{L}$ )
- Detector related uncertainties unchanged or revised according to simulation
- Halved theoretical uncertainties (higher order calculations and reduced PDF uncertainties)
- Uncertainties on methods left unchanged
- Uncertainty on luminosity 1%

Compared with current level of uncertainty “Run-2 Uncertainty”

# HL-LHC PDF Set

New generation of precision PDF sets including HL-LHC data

- Exploit improved experimental precision
- Profit from enhanced forward acceptance

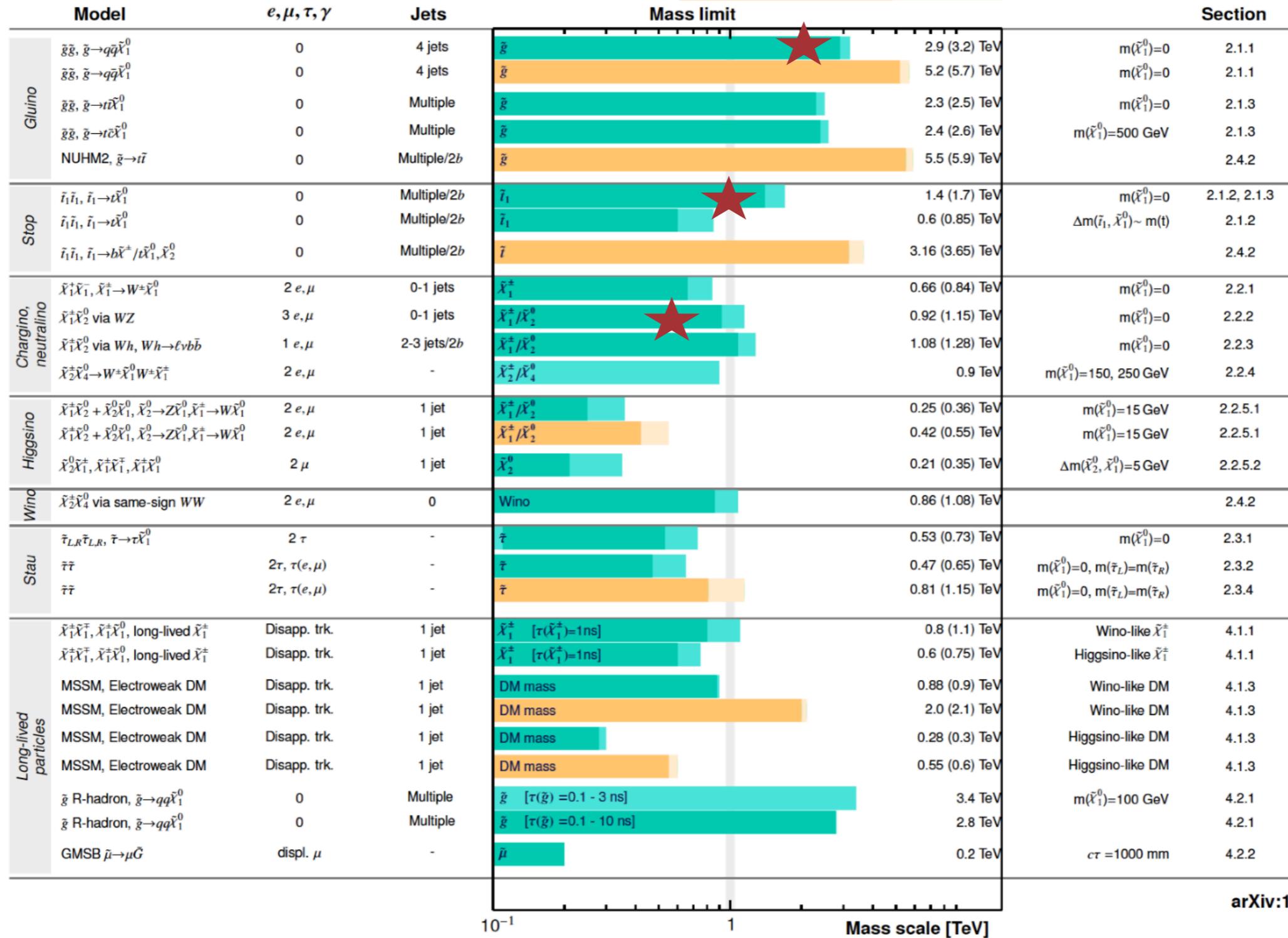


# SUSY Searches Reach

## HL/HE-LHC SUSY Searches

HL-LHC,  $\int \mathcal{L} dt = 3\text{ab}^{-1}$ : 5 $\sigma$  discovery (95% CL exclusion)  
 HE-LHC,  $\int \mathcal{L} dt = 15\text{ab}^{-1}$ : 5 $\sigma$  discovery (95% CL exclusion)

Simulation Preliminary  
 $\sqrt{s} = 14, 27\text{ TeV}$



★ current exclusion limit

arXiv:1812.07831

# Exotics Searches Reach

