

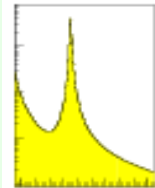
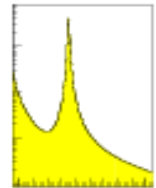
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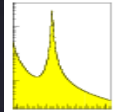
# Overview of Drell-Yan Measurements in CMS and of Their Relevance to PDFs

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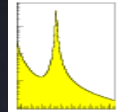


- ❑ Precision measurements at LHC and PDFs
- ❑ Setting the stage – a touch of theory
- ❑ Overview of Drell-Yan (DY) measurements in CMS:
  - Recent results from 8 TeV
  - Results from 13 TeV
- ❑ Relevance for improved PDF determinations
- ❑ Outlook

# Introduction I

- **Examples of precision measurements at LHC:**
  - **Effective electroweak (EW) mixing angle  $\sin^2\theta_{\text{lept}}^{\text{eff}}$  from the forward-backward asymmetry  $A_{\text{FB}}$  of lepton pairs  $e^+e^-$  or  $\mu^+\mu^-$  in Drell-Yan events close to the Z pole  $\Rightarrow$  provides an indirect measurement of the mass  $M_W$  by using EW radiative corrections to connect to the on-shell relation  $\sin^2\theta_W = 1 - M_W^2/M_Z^2$**
  - **A  $\pm 0.00030$  measurement of  $\sin^2\theta_{\text{lept}}^{\text{eff}}$  corresponds to a  $\pm 15$  MeV indirect measurement of  $M_W$ ; given that LHC is a Z factory, PDF uncertainties are the limiting factor**
  - **Direct  $M_W$  measurements**
  - **Top mass**

# Introduction II



- ❑ **PDFs play a crucial role both in discoveries (Higgs), searches for new phenomena, and precision physics**
- ❑ **Precision measurements @ LHC will require PDFs approaching percent level uncertainties**
- ❑ **This will require combining DIS, fixed target DY, Tevatron @ LHC inputs**
  - **Larger datasets coupled with precise theory predictions**
    - ❖ EW gauge bosons, Drell-Yan
    - ❖ Inclusive jets
    - ❖ Top pairs
  - **Statistical uncertainties often well below 1%  $\Rightarrow$  control of correlated systematics?**

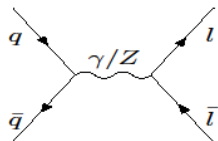
# Setting the Stage



# A Touch of Theory

## Fermion-pair Production

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parton cross section

$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} = |\gamma_s + Z_s + \text{New Physics ?!}|^2$$

$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} = \frac{\alpha^2}{4s} [A_0(1 + \cos^2 \theta) + A_1 \cos \theta]$$

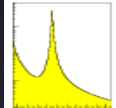
$$A_0 = Q_q^2 Q_l^2 + 2Q_q Q_l v_q v_l \Re \chi(s) + (v_q^2 + a_q^2)(v_l^2 + a_l^2) |\chi(s)|^2$$

$$A_1 = 4Q_q Q_l a_q a_l \Re \chi(s) + 8v_q a_q v_l a_l |\chi(s)|^2$$

$$\sigma = \frac{4\pi\alpha^2}{3s} A_0 \quad A_{FB} = \frac{3A_1}{8A_0}$$

$$\chi(s) = \frac{s}{(s - M_Z^2) + i s \frac{\Gamma_Z}{M_Z}} \quad v_f = \frac{1}{2s_W c_W} (T_f^3 - 2s_W^2 Q_f) \quad a_f = \frac{1}{2s_W c_W} T_f^3$$

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## Fermion-pair Production

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parton distribution functions (p.d.f.):  $pp \rightarrow l_1 l_2$

$$\frac{d^2\sigma}{dM_{ll} dy} [pp \rightarrow l_1 l_2] = \sum_{ij} \frac{1}{1 + \delta_{ij}} (f_{i/p}(x_1) f_{j/p}(x_2) + (i \leftrightarrow j)) \hat{\sigma}$$

$\hat{\sigma}$  - the cross section for the partonic subprocess  $ij \rightarrow l_1 l_2$

$x_1 = \sqrt{\tau} e^y$ ,  $x_2 = \sqrt{\tau} e^{-y}$ ,  $M_{ll} = \sqrt{\tau s} = \sqrt{\hat{s}}$  - mass

$y$  - rapidity of the lepton pair

$$\sigma_{F\pm B}(y, M) = [\int_0^1 \pm \int_{-1}^0] \sigma_{ll} d(\cos \theta^*)$$

$$A_{FB}(y, M) = \frac{\sigma_{F-B}(y, M)}{\sigma_{F+B}(y, M)}$$

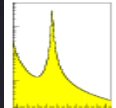
the probability to find a parton  $i$  with momentum fraction  $x_i$  in the (anti)proton is  $f_{i/p(\bar{p})}(x_i)$

for a ( $x_1 \geq x_2$ ) pair we have 4 combinations  $u\bar{u}, d\bar{d}, \bar{u}u, \bar{d}d$

y	0	2	4
M = 91.2 GeV			
x <sub>1</sub>	0.0065	0.0481	0.3557
x <sub>2</sub>	0.0065	0.0009	0.0001
M = 200 GeV			
x <sub>1</sub>	0.0143	0.1056	0.7800
x <sub>2</sub>	0.0143	0.0019	0.0003
M = 1000 GeV			
x <sub>1</sub>	0.0714	0.5278	-
x <sub>2</sub>	0.0714	0.0097	-



# A Touch of Theory



$$A_{FB}^0(M_Z^2) = \frac{3}{4} A_q \cdot A_l$$

$$A_q = \frac{2(1 - 4|Q_q| \sin^2 \theta_{eff})}{1 + (1 - 4|Q_q| \sin^2 \theta_{eff})^2}$$

$$A_l = \frac{2(1 - 4 \sin^2 \theta_{eff})}{1 + (1 - 4 \sin^2 \theta_{eff})^2}$$

for  $\sin^2 \theta_{eff}^{lep}(M_Z^2) = 0.232$

$$A_{FB} = 0.0716 \quad (up - q)$$

$$A_{FB} = 0.1005 \quad (down - q)$$

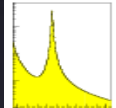
$$\frac{\delta A_{FB}}{\delta \sin^2 \theta_{eff}^{lep}(M_Z^2)} = -4.2 \quad (up - q)$$

$$\frac{\delta A_{FB}}{\delta \sin^2 \theta_{eff}^{lep}(M_Z^2)} = -5.6 \quad (down - q)$$

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Table 9: Statistical precision which can be obtained on  $\sin^2 \theta_{eff}^{lep}(M_Z^2)$  from measurements of  $A_{FB}$  in  $Z \rightarrow ee$  from one LHC experiment with  $100 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ . Results are given for different jet rejection factors  $\rho$  for the forward calorimetry  $2.5 < |\eta| < 4.9$ .

Cuts	$\rho$	$A_{FB}$ (%)	$\Delta A_{FB}$ (%)	$\Delta \sin^2 \theta_{eff}^{lep}(M_Z^2)$
$ \eta  < 2.5$ both $e^\pm$	-	0.774	0.020	$6.6 \times 10^{-4}$
$ \eta  < 2.5$ both $e^\pm$				
$ y(e^+e^-)  > 1.0$	-	1.66	0.030	$4.0 \times 10^{-4}$
$ \eta  < 2.5$ one $e^\pm$	$10^4$	2.02	0.017	$1.4 \times 10^{-4}$
$ \eta  < 4.9$ the other $e^\pm$	$10^2$	1.98	0.018	$1.4 \times 10^{-4}$
	$10^1$	1.68	0.021	$1.7 \times 10^{-4}$
$ \eta  < 2.5$ one $e^\pm$	$10^4$	3.04	0.022	$1.35 \times 10^{-4}$
$ \eta  < 4.9$ the other $e^\pm$	$10^2$	2.94	0.023	$1.41 \times 10^{-4}$
$ y(e^+e^-)  > 1.0$	$10^1$	2.31	0.030	$1.83 \times 10^{-4}$



The most important systematic contribution is that coming from the uncertainties in the pdf's. A study using several "modern" pdf's (MRST, CTEQ3 and CTEQ4) gave agreement between the resulting values of  $A_{FB}$  within the 1% statistical errors of the study ( $5 \times 10^5$  events were generated for each pdf set). This uncertainty must be reduced by a factor of 10 if it is to be smaller than the expected statistical precision on  $A_{FB}$  shown in Table 9. It remains to be seen whether (a) the differences arising from the various pdf's will shrink with increased statistical sensitivity of the study and (b) whether the current pdf's actually describe the measured data sufficiently well (since the pdf's are fitted to common data, variations are not necessarily indicative of the actual uncertainties). New measurements from the Tevatron (and ultimately the LHC itself) will improve the understanding of the pdf's, but it is unclear at this stage whether this will be sufficient. It may be possible to fit simultaneously  $\sin^2 \theta_{\text{eff}}^{\text{lept}}(M_Z^2)$  and the pdf's, or alternatively, it may be necessary to reverse the strategy and use the measurement of  $A_{FB}$  combined with existing measurements of  $\sin^2 \theta_{\text{eff}}^{\text{lept}}(M_Z^2)$  to constrain the pdf's.

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# Drell-Yan Parton Kinematics & Flavor Composition

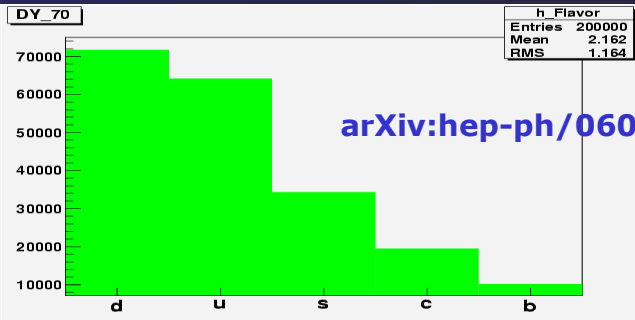
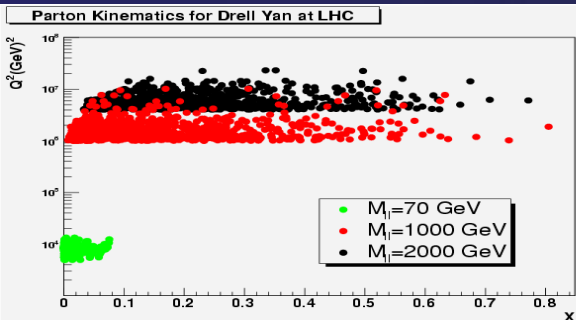
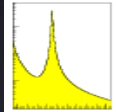
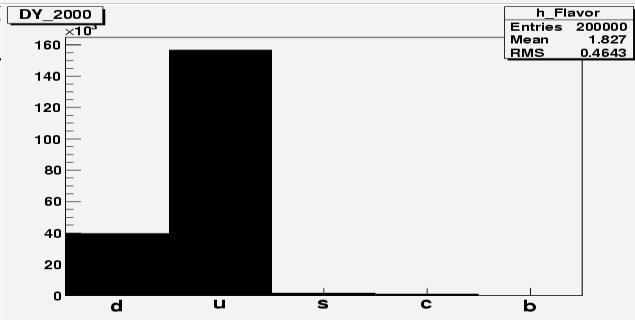
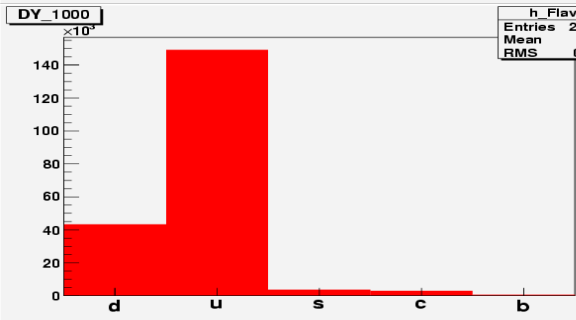


Table 1:  $x_1$  and  $x_2$  for different masses and rapidities.

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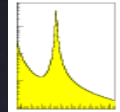


Different X ranges probed for different masses; quite low X @ Z => HERA input can be important (HERALHC workshop)

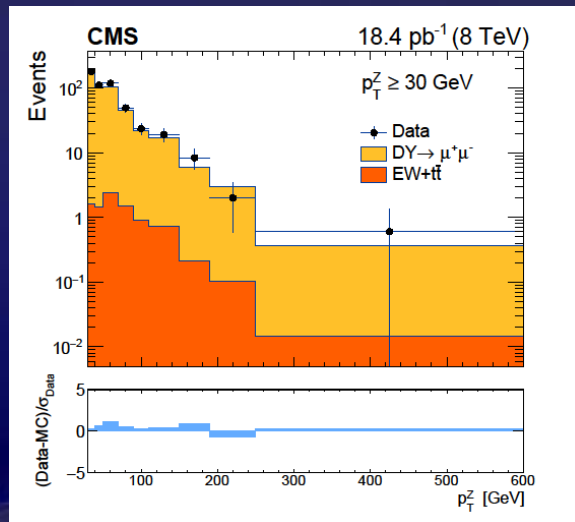
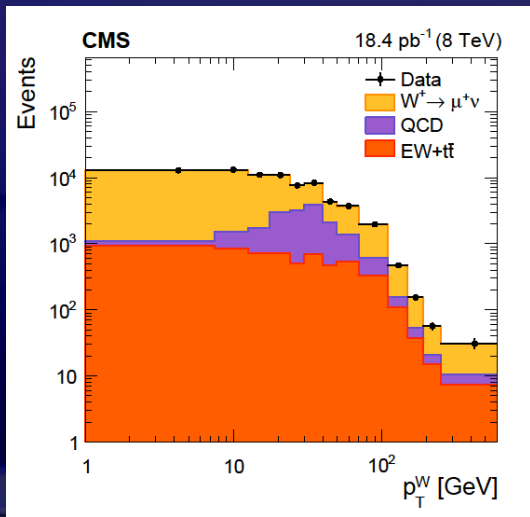
Measuring PDFs is precision physics; at the start we will be constrained by PDFs; actually they are known quite well for DY@LHC

# CMS Measurements at 8 TeV

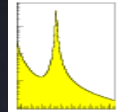
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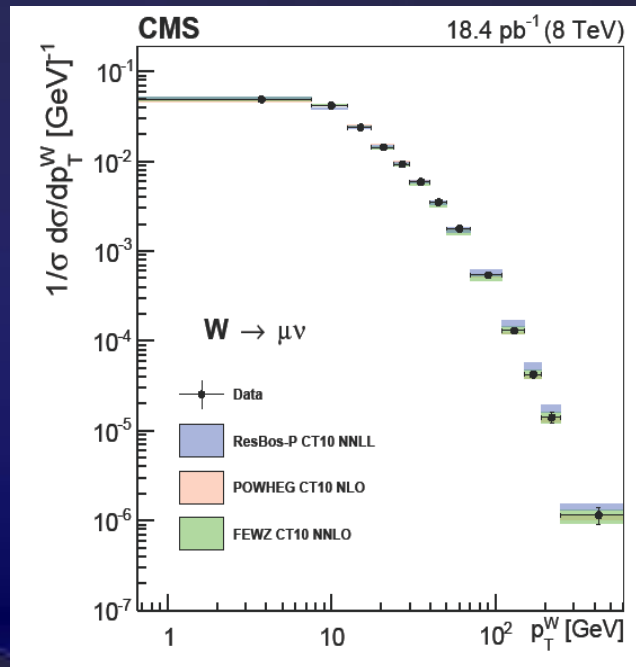
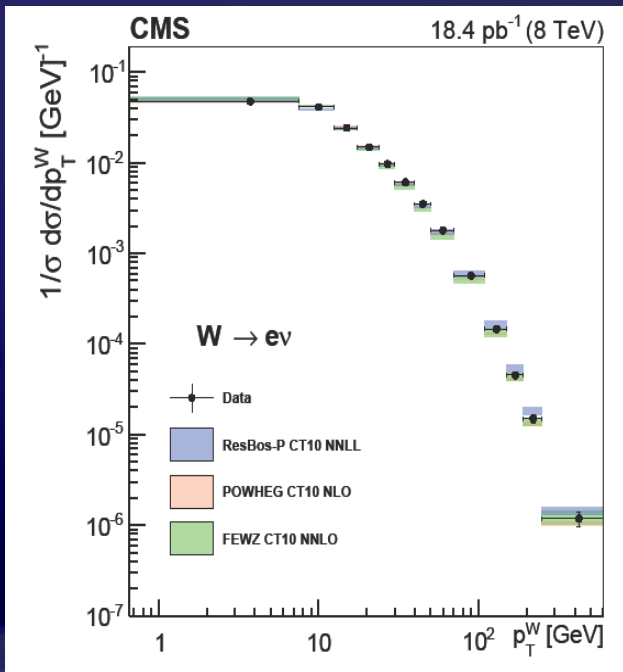
- ❑ Measured @ 8 TeV using special low lumi data  $18.4 \text{ pb}^{-1}$
- ❑  $Z \rightarrow \mu\mu$ ,  $W \rightarrow e\nu$  or  $W \rightarrow \mu\nu$
- ❑ Data compared to QCD@NNLO
- ❑ JHEP (2017) 2017:96



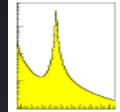
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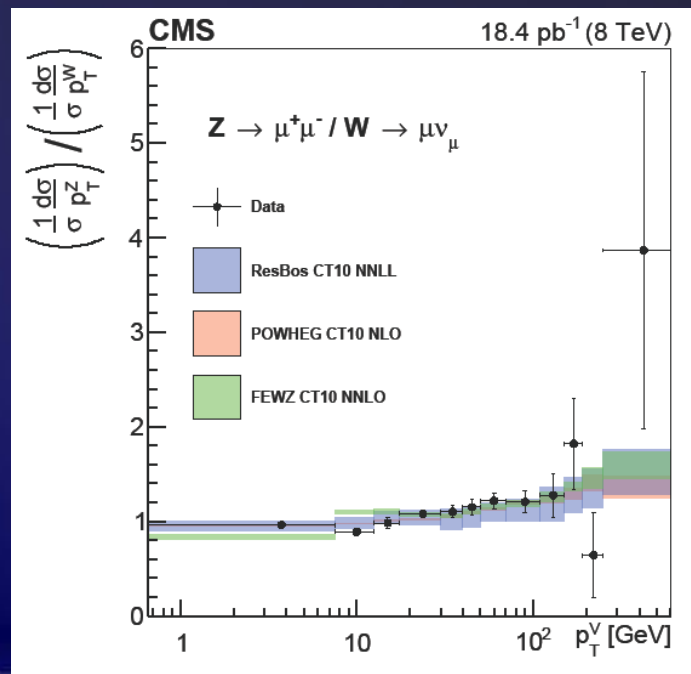
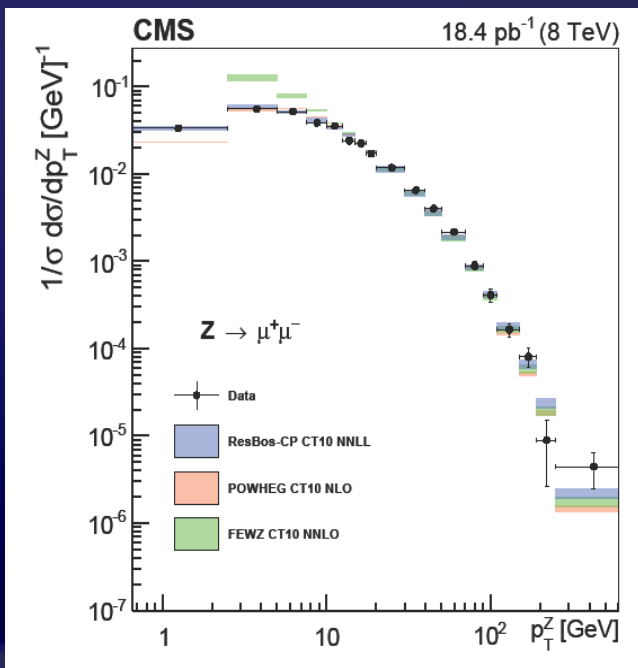
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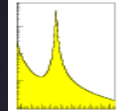
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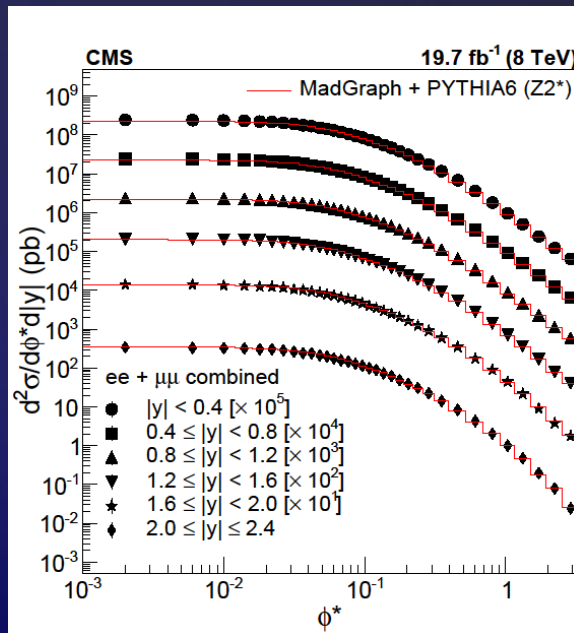
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# Differential Z Cross Section in $\phi^*$ and $y$

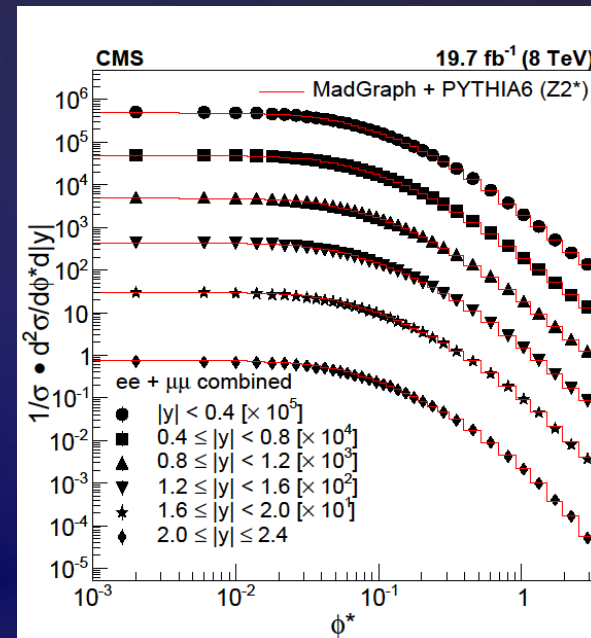


- 19.7 fb<sup>-1</sup> of 8 TeV data
- alternative to the  $p_T$  measurement, more precise
- JHEP (2018) 2018:172

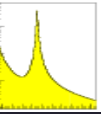


$$\phi^* = \tanh((\eta^- - \eta^+)/2) \sim q_T/m_{\parallel}$$

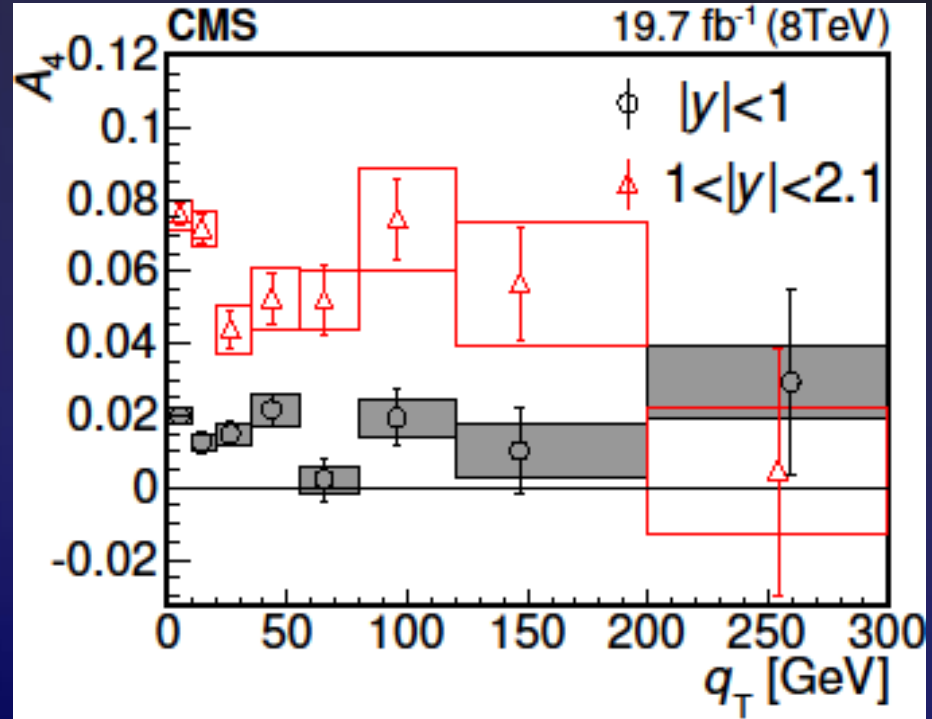
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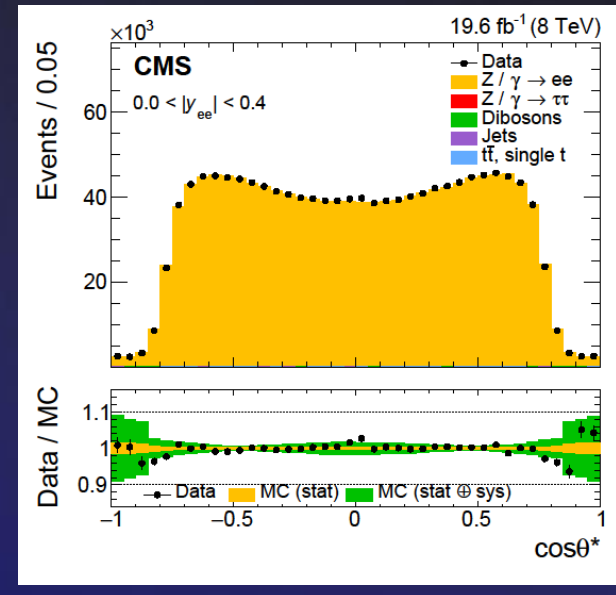
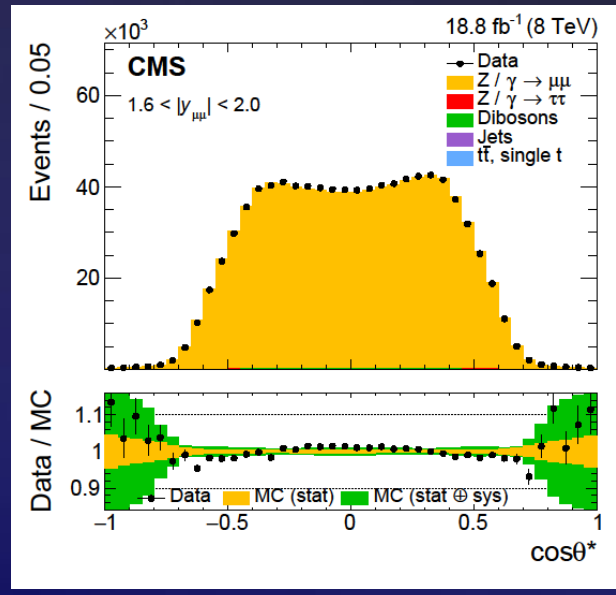
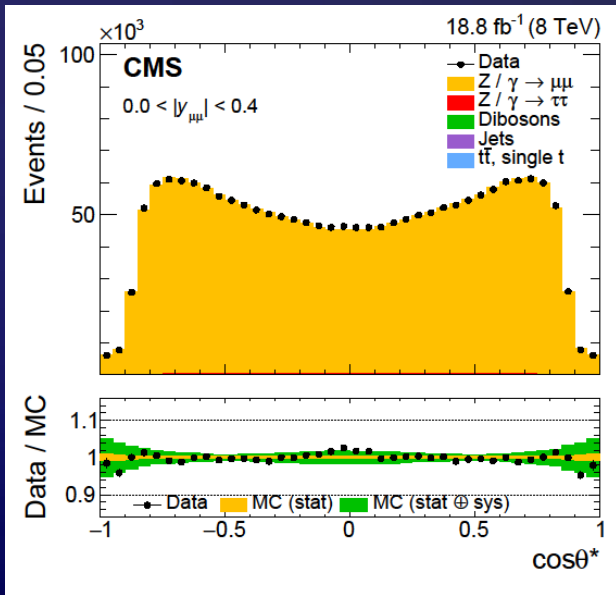
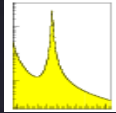
# $A_{FB}$ & Angular Coefficients @ 8 TeV



- ❑ 19.7 fb<sup>-1</sup> of 8 TeV data
- ❑ Angular coefficients  $A_0$  to  $A_4$  measured as function of the Z boson  $y$  and  $p_T$
- ❑  $A_4$  related to  $A_{FB}$
- ❑ Phys. Lett. B 750 (2015) 154



# $A_{FB}$ & Weak Mixing Angle @ 8 TeV

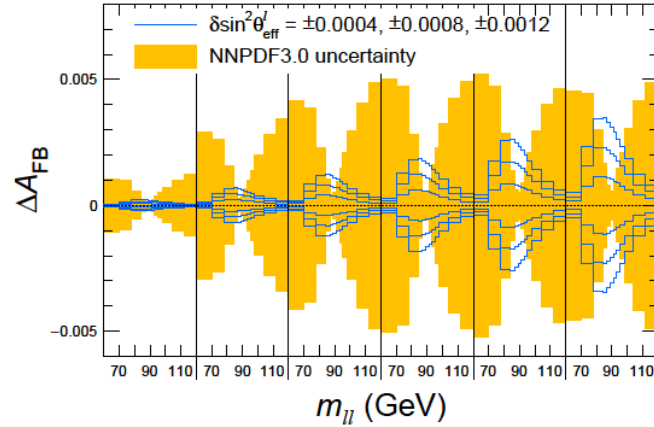
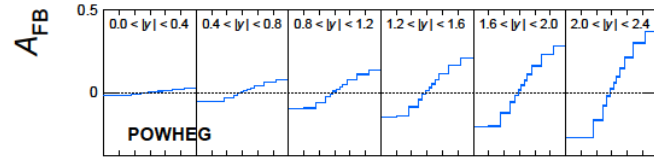
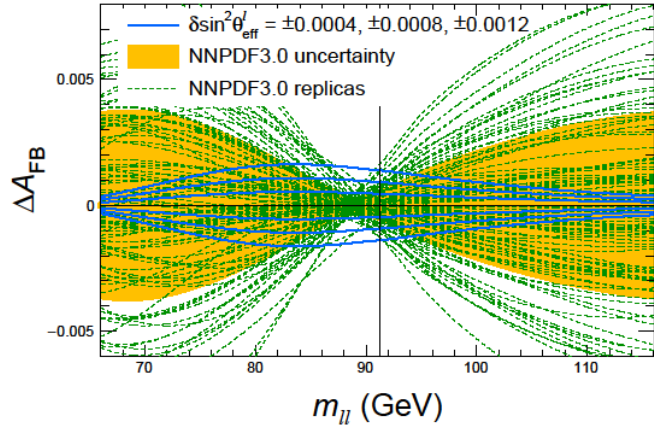
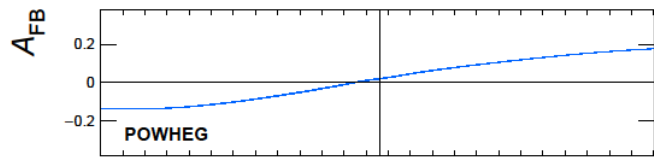
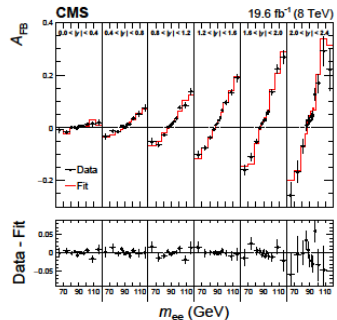
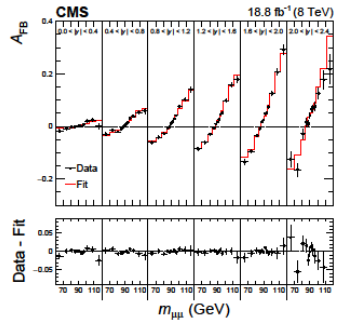
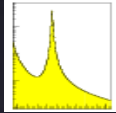


- ❑ **19.6 fb<sup>-1</sup> of 8 TeV data**
- ❑ **Acceptance for e<sup>+</sup>e<sup>-</sup> or μ<sup>+</sup>μ<sup>-</sup> in different y bins**
- ❑ **EPJC 78 (2018) 701**





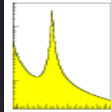
# $A_{FB}$ & Weak Mixing Angle @ 8 TeV



- ❑ 6 rapidity bins 0-2.4 and 12 mass bins 60-120 GeV
- ❑  $A_{FB}$  has different dependence on mass and  $\sin^2\theta_{\text{lept}}^{\text{eff}}$
- ❑ EPJC 78 (2018) 701



# $A_{FB}$ & Weak Mixing Angle @ 8 TeV



Channel	Statistical uncertainty
Muons	0.00044
Electrons	0.00060
Combined	0.00036

Channel	Not constraining PDFs	Constraining PDFs
Muons	$0.23125 \pm 0.00054$	$0.23125 \pm 0.00032$
Electrons	$0.23054 \pm 0.00064$	$0.23056 \pm 0.00045$
Combined	$0.23102 \pm 0.00057$	$0.23101 \pm 0.00030$

□  $A_{FB}$  off peak are used to constrain the NNPDF replicas by  $\chi^2$  reweighting

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LEP + SLD

LEP + SLD:  $A_{FB}^{0,b}$

SLD:  $A_l$

CDF  $ee+\mu\mu$  9.4  $fb^{-1}$

D0  $ee$  9.7  $fb^{-1}$

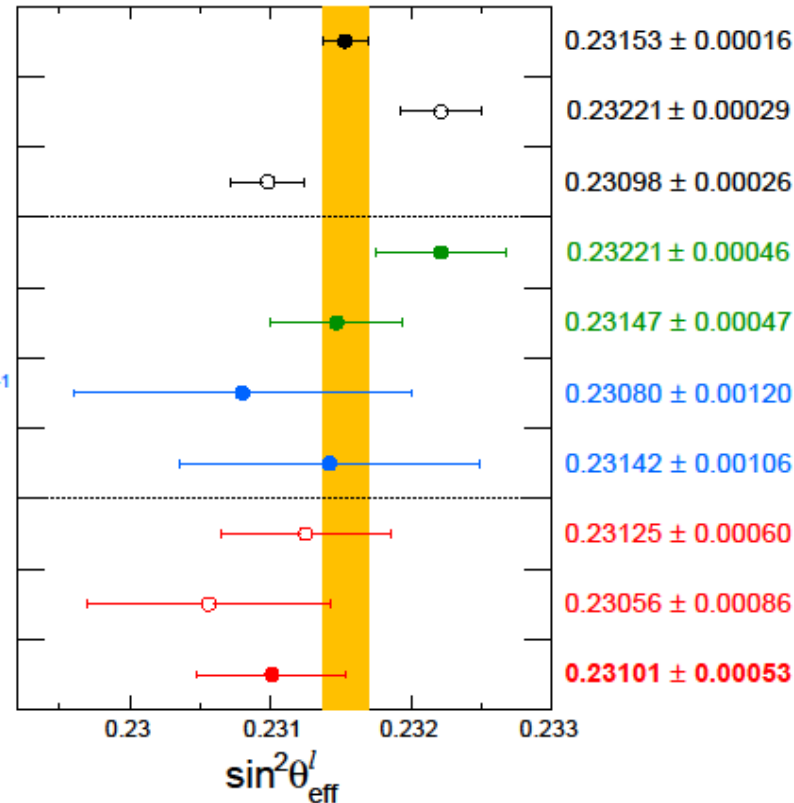
ATLAS  $ee+\mu\mu$  4.8  $fb^{-1}$

LHCb  $\mu\mu$  3  $fb^{-1}$

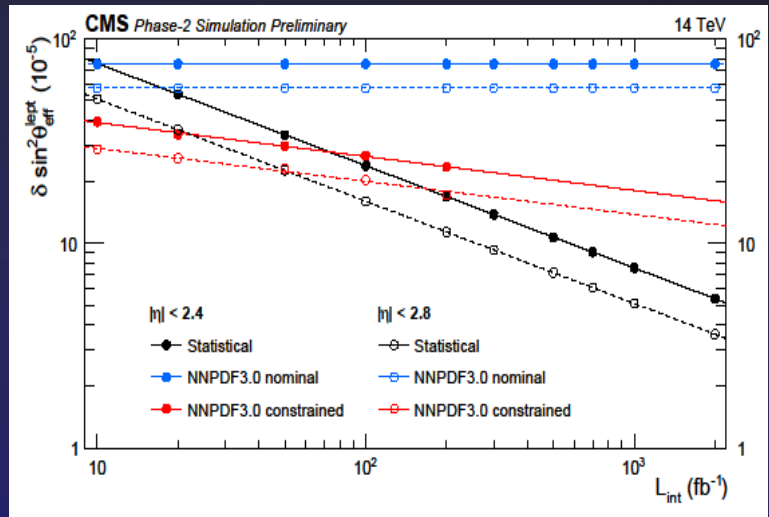
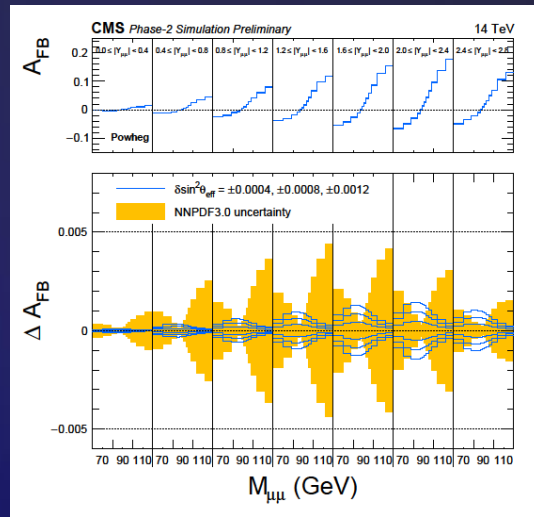
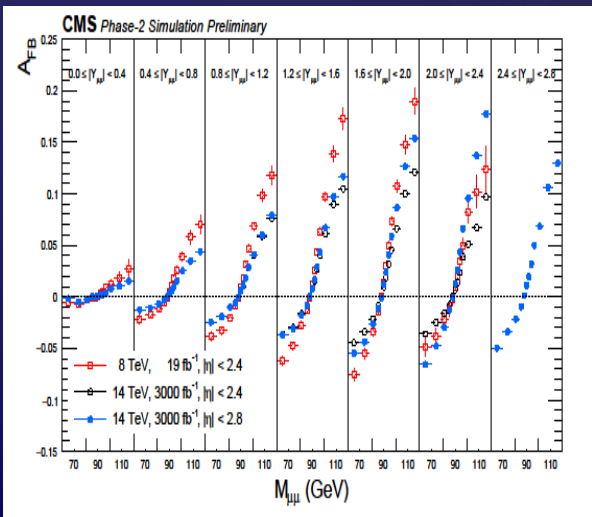
CMS  $\mu\mu$  18.8  $fb^{-1}$

CMS  $ee$  19.6  $fb^{-1}$

CMS  $ee+\mu\mu$



# $A_{FB}$ & Weak Mixing Angle @ HL-LHC



- ❑ **Projections for HL-LHC: constraining PDFs looks promising and will improve with more data**
- ❑ **CMS-PAS-FTR-17-001**

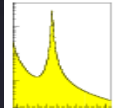
# CMS Measurements at 13 TeV

# Inclusive W/Z Production @ 13 TeV

- ❑ **43 pb<sup>-1</sup> @ 13 TeV**
- ❑ **Inclusive cross sections and ratios in good agreement with QCD@NNLO**

**CMS-PAS-SMP-15-004**

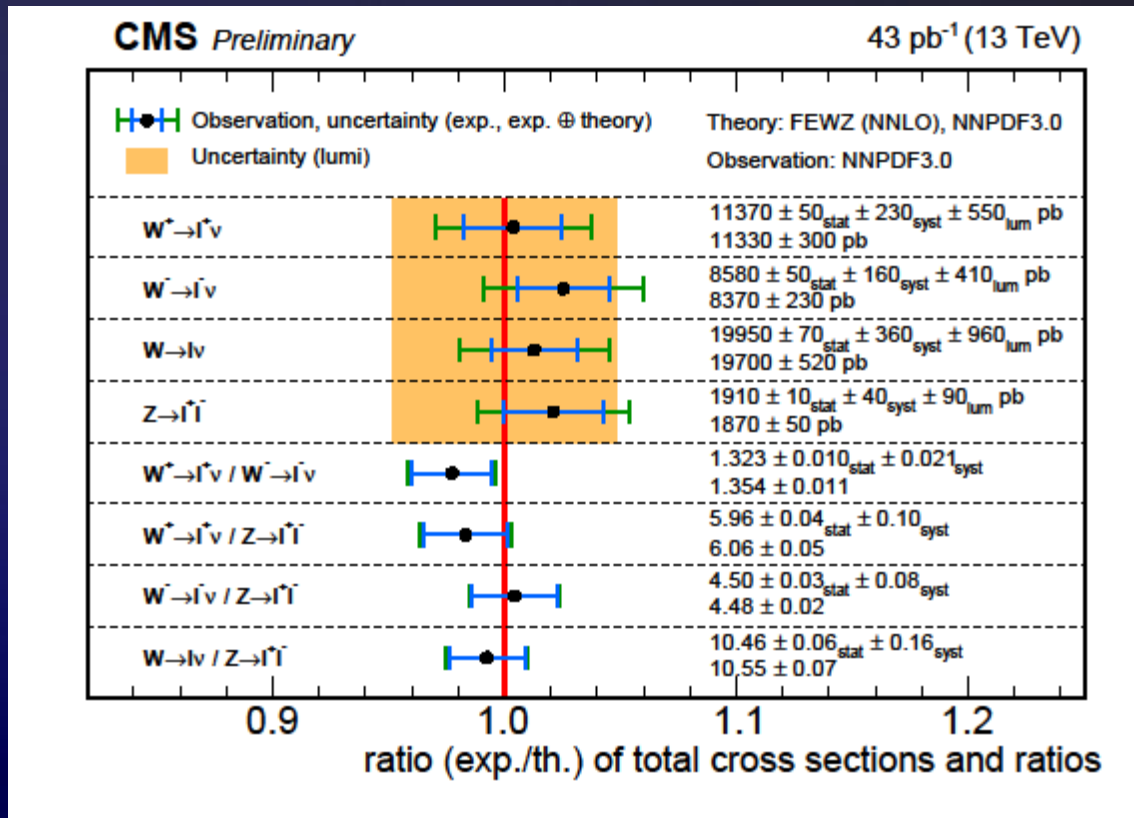
Channel	$\sigma \times \mathcal{B}$ [pb] (total)	NNLO [pb]
W <sup>+</sup>	e <sup>+</sup> ν	11390 ± 90 (stat) ± 340 (syst) ± 550 (lumi)
	μ <sup>+</sup> ν	11350 ± 60 (stat) ± 320 (syst) ± 550 (lumi)
	ℓ <sup>+</sup> ν	11370 ± 50 (stat) ± 230 (syst) ± 550 (lumi)
		11330 <sup>+320</sup> <sub>-270</sub>
W <sup>-</sup>	e <sup>-</sup> ν	8680 ± 80 (stat) ± 250 (syst) ± 420 (lumi)
	μ <sup>-</sup> ν	8510 ± 60 (stat) ± 210 (syst) ± 410 (lumi)
	ℓ <sup>-</sup> ν	8580 ± 50 (stat) ± 160 (syst) ± 410 (lumi)
		8370 <sup>+240</sup> <sub>-210</sub>
W	eν	20070 ± 120 (stat) ± 570 (syst) ± 960 (lumi)
	μν	19870 ± 80 (stat) ± 460 (syst) ± 950 (lumi)
	ℓν	19950 ± 70 (stat) ± 360 (syst) ± 960 (lumi)
		19700 <sup>+560</sup> <sub>-470</sub>
Z	e <sup>+</sup> e <sup>-</sup>	1920 ± 20 (stat) ± 60 (syst) ± 90 (lumi)
	μ <sup>+</sup> μ <sup>-</sup>	1900 ± 10 (stat) ± 50 (syst) ± 90 (lumi)
	ℓ <sup>+</sup> ℓ <sup>-</sup>	1910 ± 10 (stat) ± 40 (syst) ± 90 (lumi)
		1870 <sup>+50</sup> <sub>-40</sub>
Quantity	Ratio (total)	NNLO
R <sub>W<sup>+</sup>/W<sup>-</sup></sub>	e	1.313 ± 0.016 (stat) ± 0.028 (syst)
	μ	1.334 ± 0.011 (stat) ± 0.031 (syst)
	ℓ	1.323 ± 0.010 (stat) ± 0.021 (syst)
		1.354 <sup>+0.011</sup> <sub>-0.012</sub>
R <sub>W<sup>+</sup>/Z</sub>	e	5.94 ± 0.07 (stat) ± 0.16 (syst)
	μ	5.98 ± 0.05 (stat) ± 0.14 (syst)
	ℓ	5.96 ± 0.04 (stat) ± 0.10 (syst)
		6.06 <sup>+0.04</sup> <sub>-0.05</sub>
R <sub>W<sup>-</sup>/Z</sub>	e	4.52 ± 0.06 (stat) ± 0.12 (syst)
	μ	4.49 ± 0.04 (stat) ± 0.10 (syst)
	ℓ	4.50 ± 0.03 (stat) ± 0.08 (syst)
		4.48 <sup>+0.03</sup> <sub>-0.02</sub>
R <sub>W/Z</sub>	e	10.46 ± 0.11 (stat) ± 0.26 (syst)
	μ	10.47 ± 0.08 (stat) ± 0.20 (syst)
	ℓ	10.46 ± 0.06 (stat) ± 0.16 (syst)
		10.55 <sup>+0.07</sup> <sub>-0.06</sub>

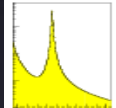


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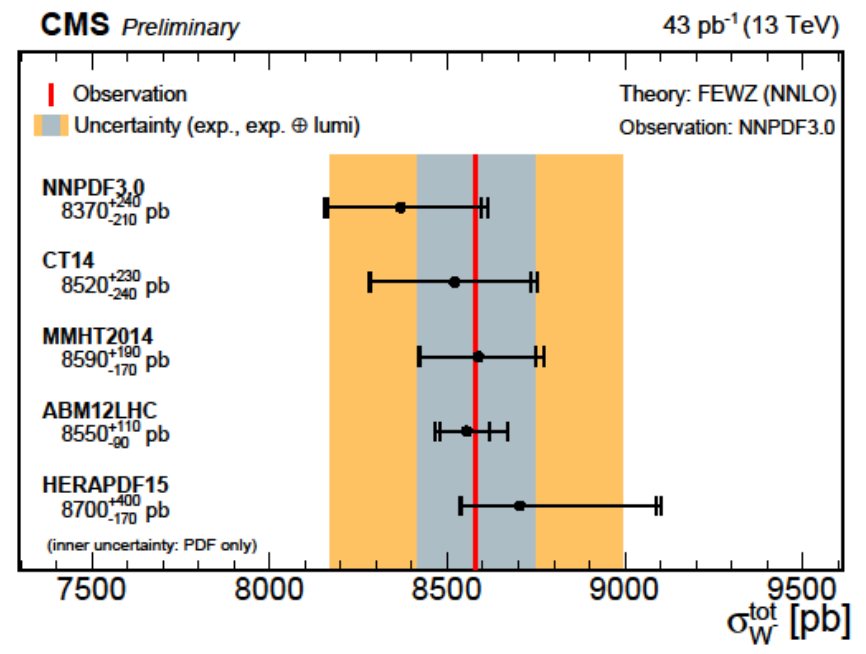
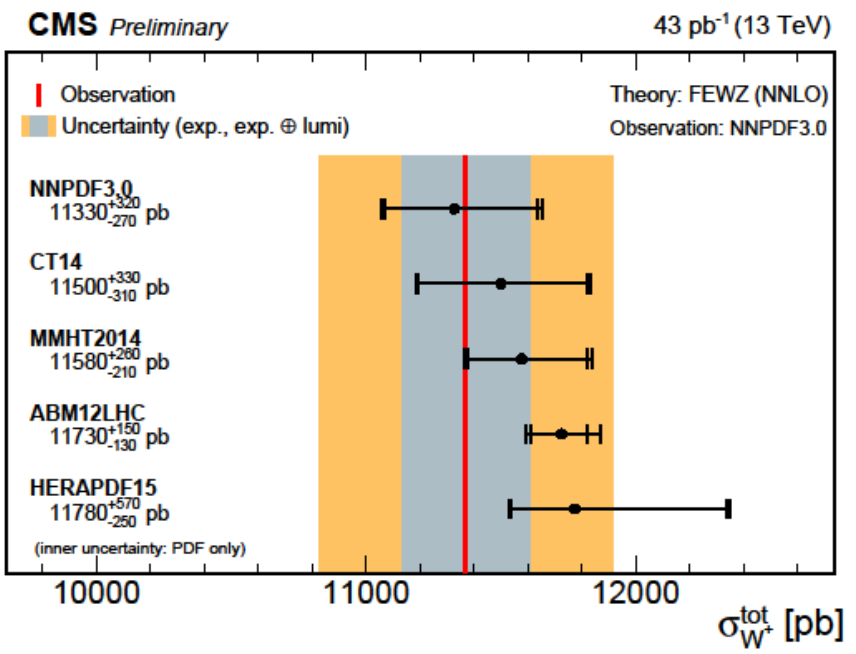
Inclusive cross sections & Ratios sensitive to PDFs

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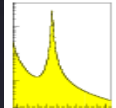




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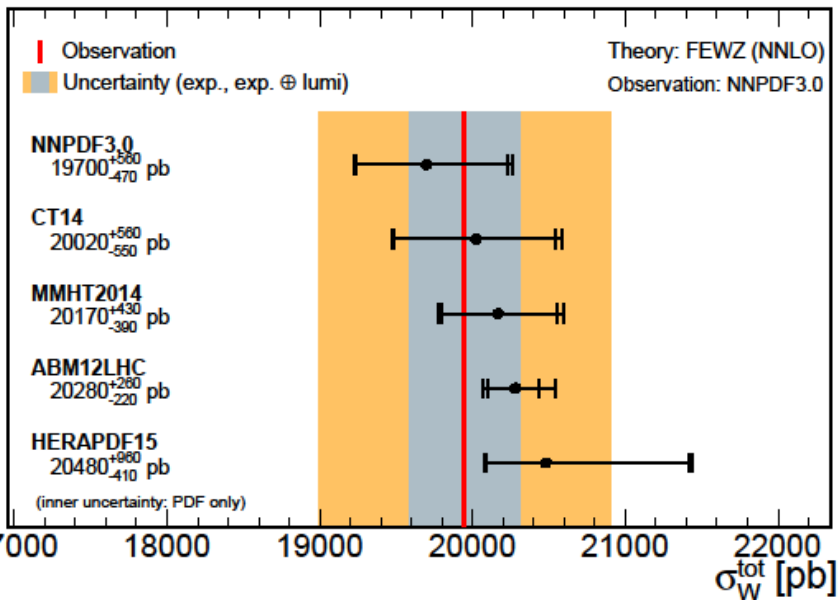
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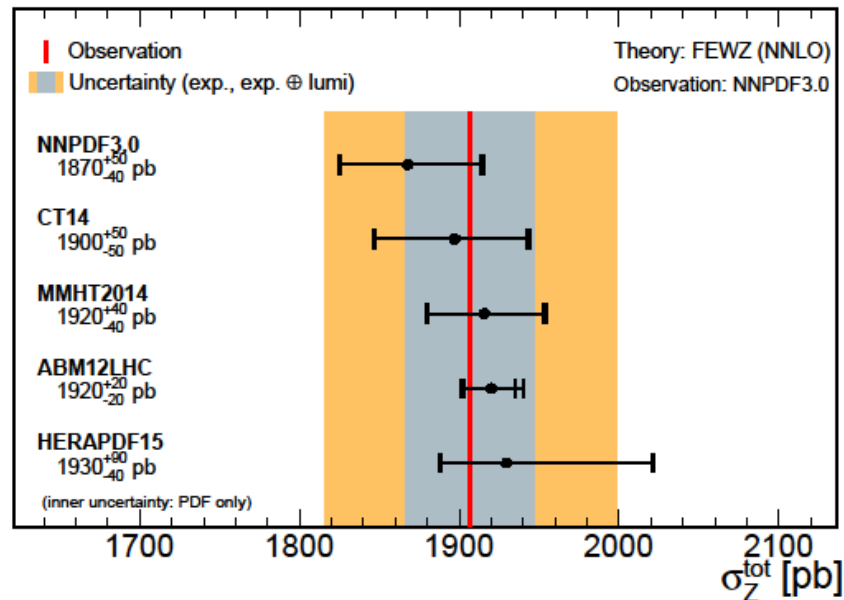
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43 pb<sup>-1</sup> (13 TeV)



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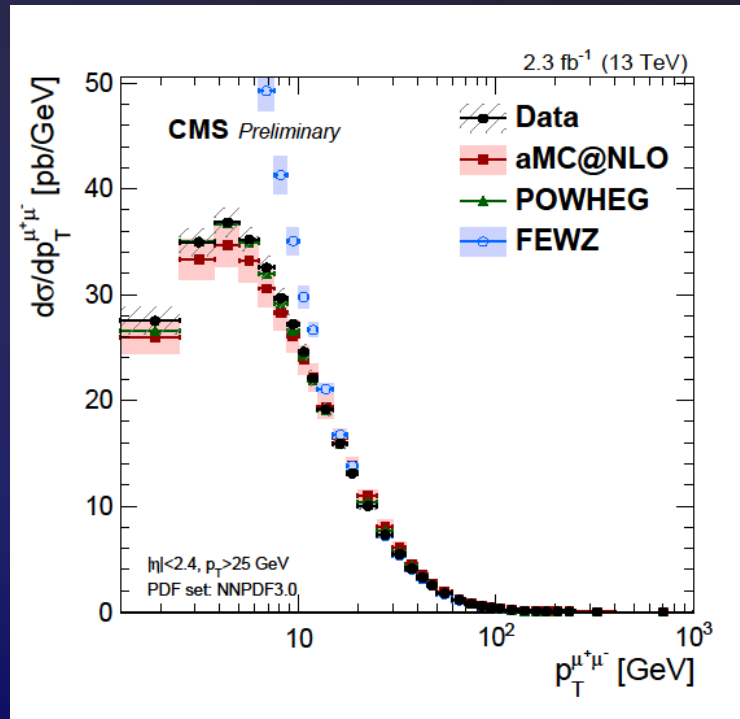
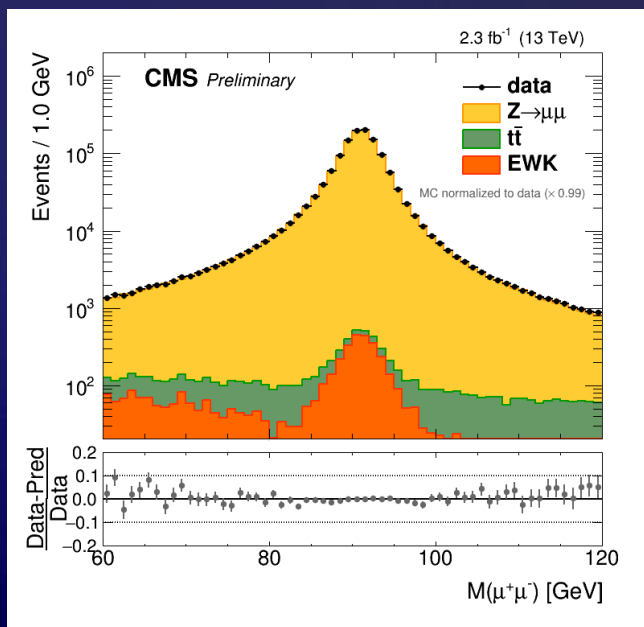
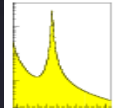
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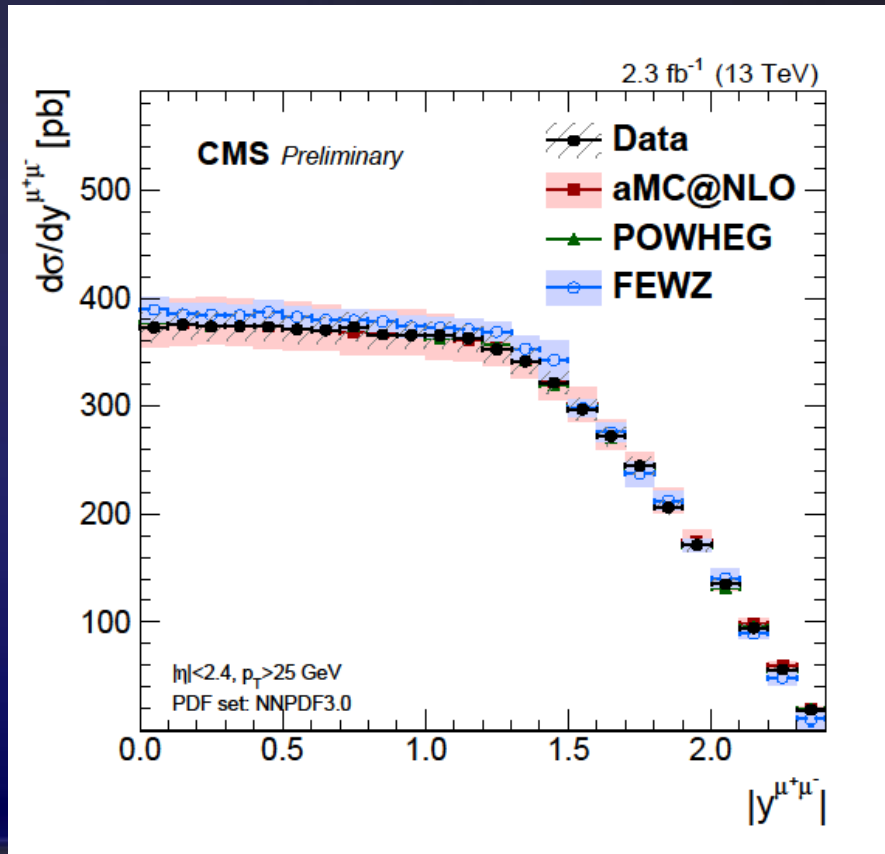
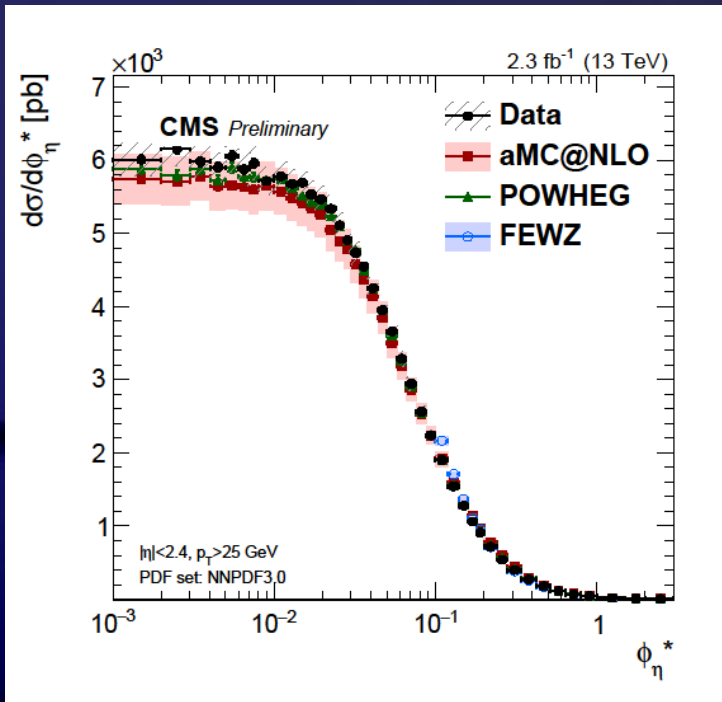
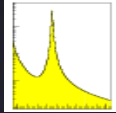


# Z Production @ 13 TeV



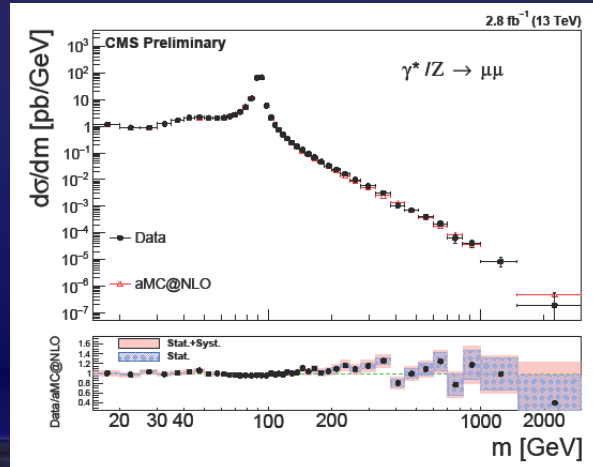
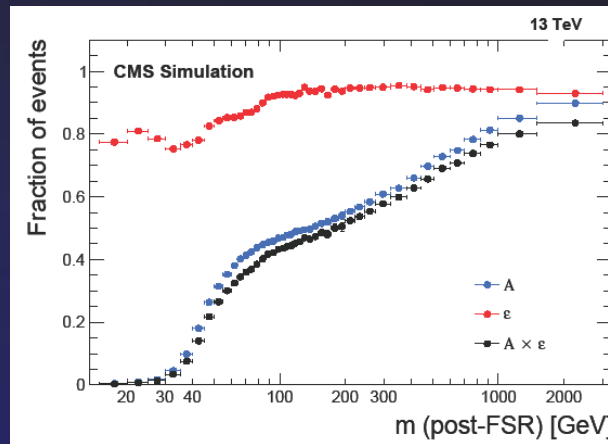
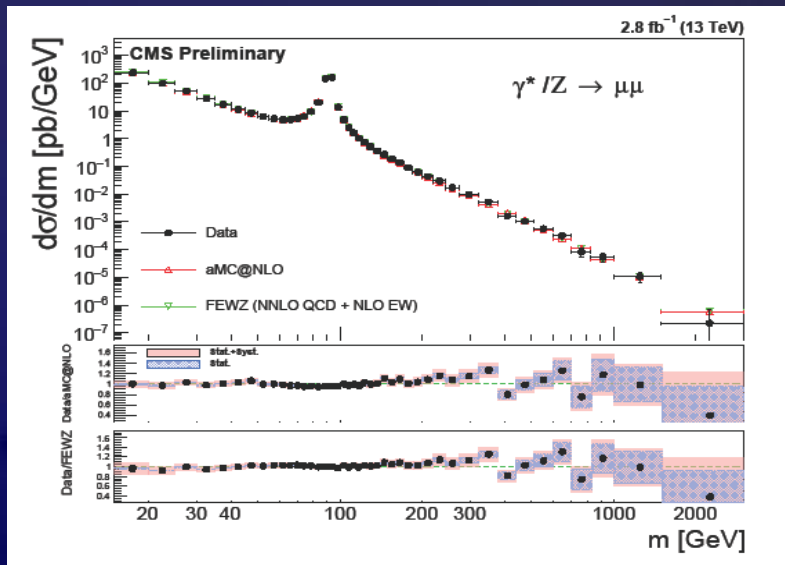
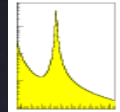
- ❑ **2.3 fb<sup>-1</sup> @ 13 TeV:  $y$ ,  $p_T$  and  $\phi^*$  distributions**
- ❑ **CMS-PAS-SMP-15-011**

# Z Production @ 13 TeV



□ CMS-PAS-SMP-15-011

# DY @ 13 TeV

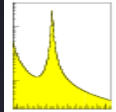


- ❑ Spectra @ 7, 8 & 13 TeV
- ❑ M from 15-3000 GeV with 2015 data:  $2.8 \text{ fb}^{-1}$
- ❑ CMS-PAS-SMP-16-009

# Relevance for Improved PDF Determinations

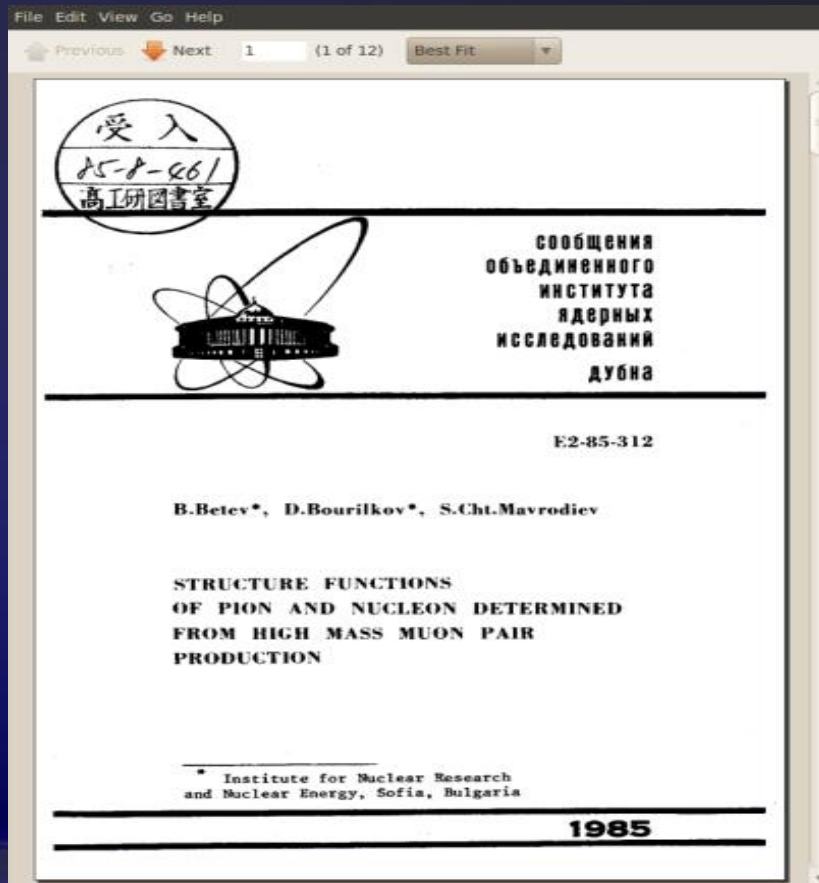


# PDFs from DY @ Fixed Target Experiments



The double differential DY spectra in  $(M, y)$  or  $(M, x_f)$  have long been a staple of PDF extractions from data together with DIS

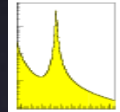
One example: PDFs from fixed target p-Platinum and  $\pi$ -Tungsten Drell-Yan experiments below and above the  $\Upsilon$  resonances ( $\gamma^*$  exchange)



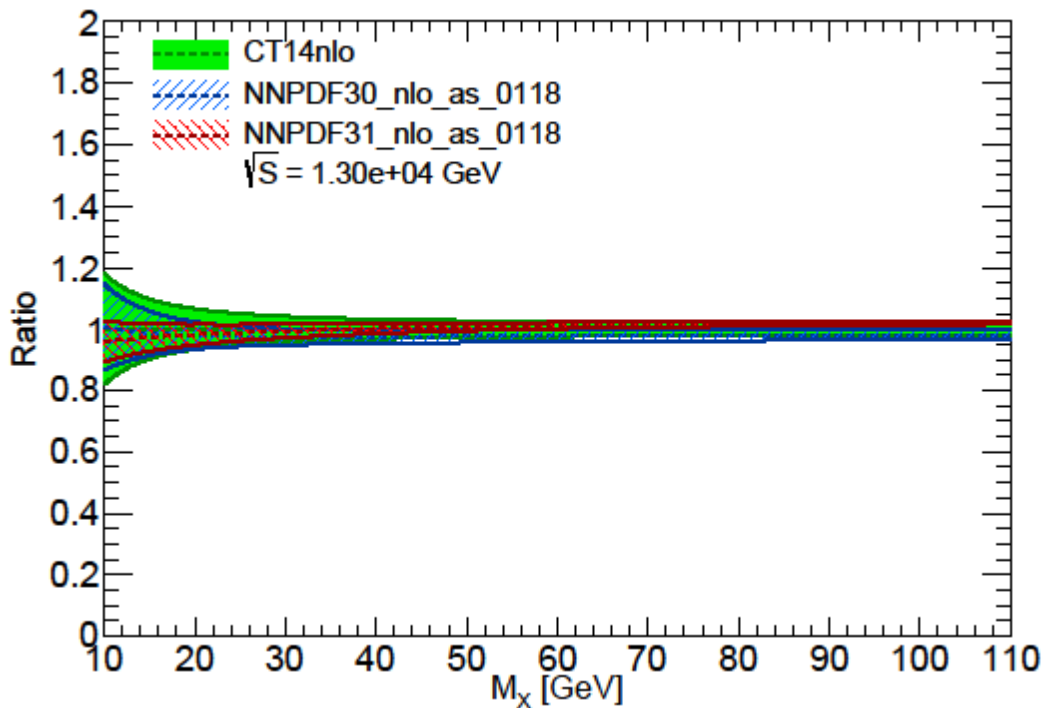
# Modern PDFs

- ❑ **PDFs play a central role: determined from collider (ep, ppbar & pp) and fixed target DIS & DY data (can be at low momentum transfers: non-perturbative & higher twist effects, and/or nuclear effects)**
- ❑ **PDF4LHC recommendations (arXiv:1510.03865) based on modern NLO and NNLO PDF sets:**
  - **CT14, MMHT2014, NNPDF30**
  - **Individual PDFs for SM measurements**
  - **PDF4LHC15\_mc for BSM searches**
- ❑ **Individual PDF uncertainties are getting smaller, even at the mass edges**

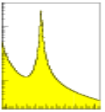
# Parton Luminosity @ Z & Low Mass



Quark-Antiquark, luminosity



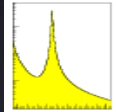
PDF uncertainties much smaller, below 10-20% even at masses  $\sim 10$  GeV  
 NNPDF31 shows the smallest uncertainties and predicts higher cross sections for most of the mass range 10 to 110 GeV



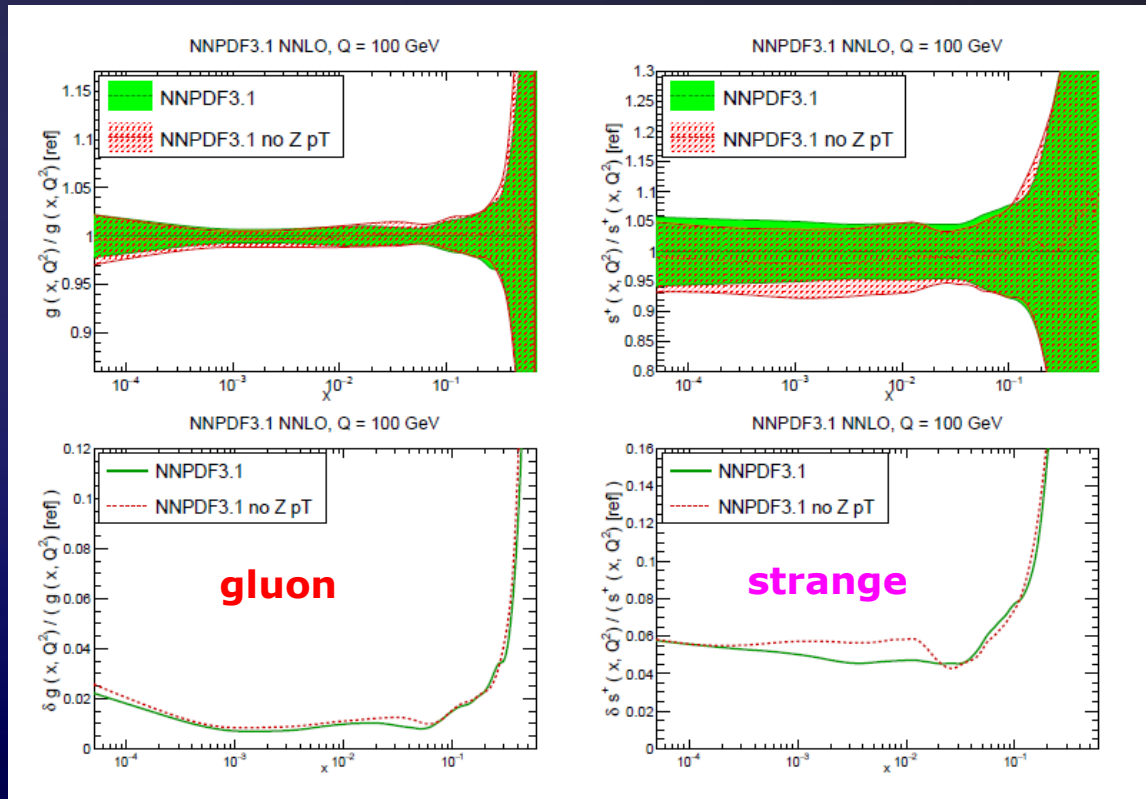
- ❑ **NNPDF31 uses LHC data from Run I @ 2.76, 7 and 8 TeV**
- ❑ **Inclusion of Run II data in PDF fits**
- ❑ **NNPDF31: EW corrections (and photon induced processes) not included in fits  $\Rightarrow$  eliminates points**
- ❑ **Fitting the LHC data requires NNLO theory**
- ❑ **Tension between LHC and nuclear targets data (DIS, DY – deuterium: SLAC, BCDMS, NMC, E886, heavy nuclei:  $\nu$  data, E605). Precise determination of SM parameters  $\Rightarrow$  may be advantageous to use PDF sets produced excluding all nuclear data**



# Example: Relevance of $Z p_T$

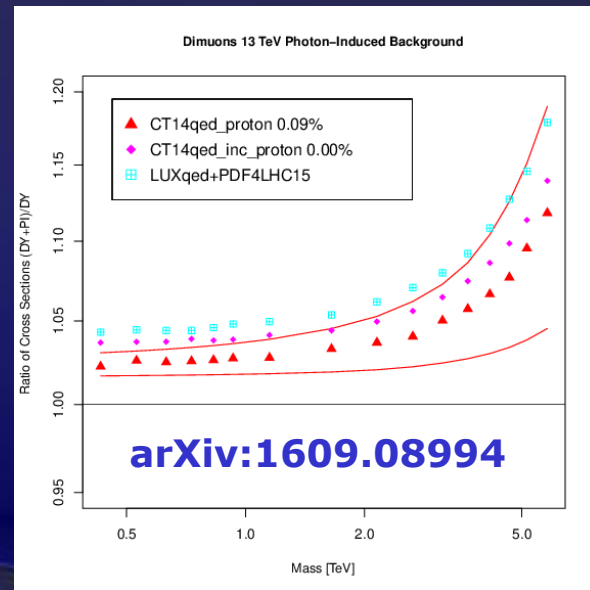
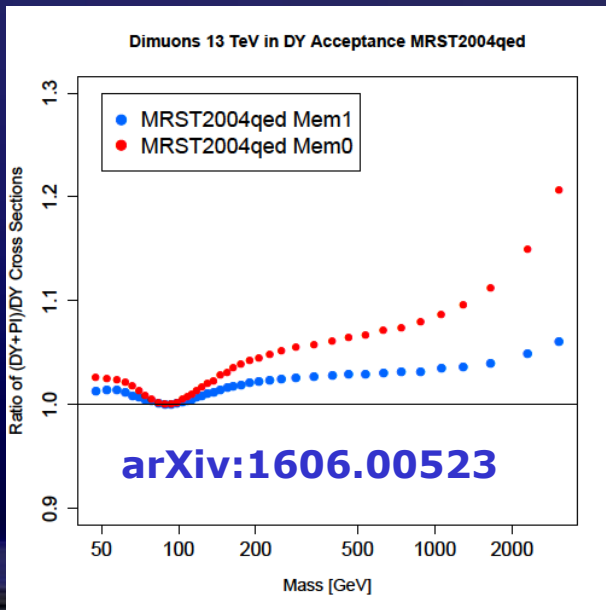


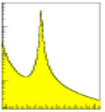
- The impact of  $Z p_T$  data @ 8 TeV from ATLAS & CMS: improves the precision of  $g$  &  $s$  PDFs
- Overall  $g$  weight reduced by new  $t\bar{t}$  differential cross sections
- arXiv:1706.00428



# Loose Ends

- ❑ E.g. the NNPDF31 fit uses NO EW corrections; kinematic cuts applied to exclude bins: EW corrections < experimental errors
- ❑ Photon induced corrections will become important in the push to the percent level, especially if moving away from the Z pole





- ❑ **The Drell-Yan process provides a W/Z factory at the LHC and helps to test the SM to the highest momentum transfers**
- ❑ **Improved measurements and theory predictions key to refining the PDFs  $\Rightarrow$  for precision measurements and for searches, where DY is often the main irreducible background**
- ❑ **CMS has a rich and varied program of DY measurements: results at 8 and 13 TeV presented, many 13 TeV analyses in the works**
- ❑ **Only a handful used in PDF fits so far  $\Rightarrow$  more are available, and the expected new results will help to improve the proton PDFs and reduce further their uncertainties**