

QCD and Electroweak physics at Upgrade II

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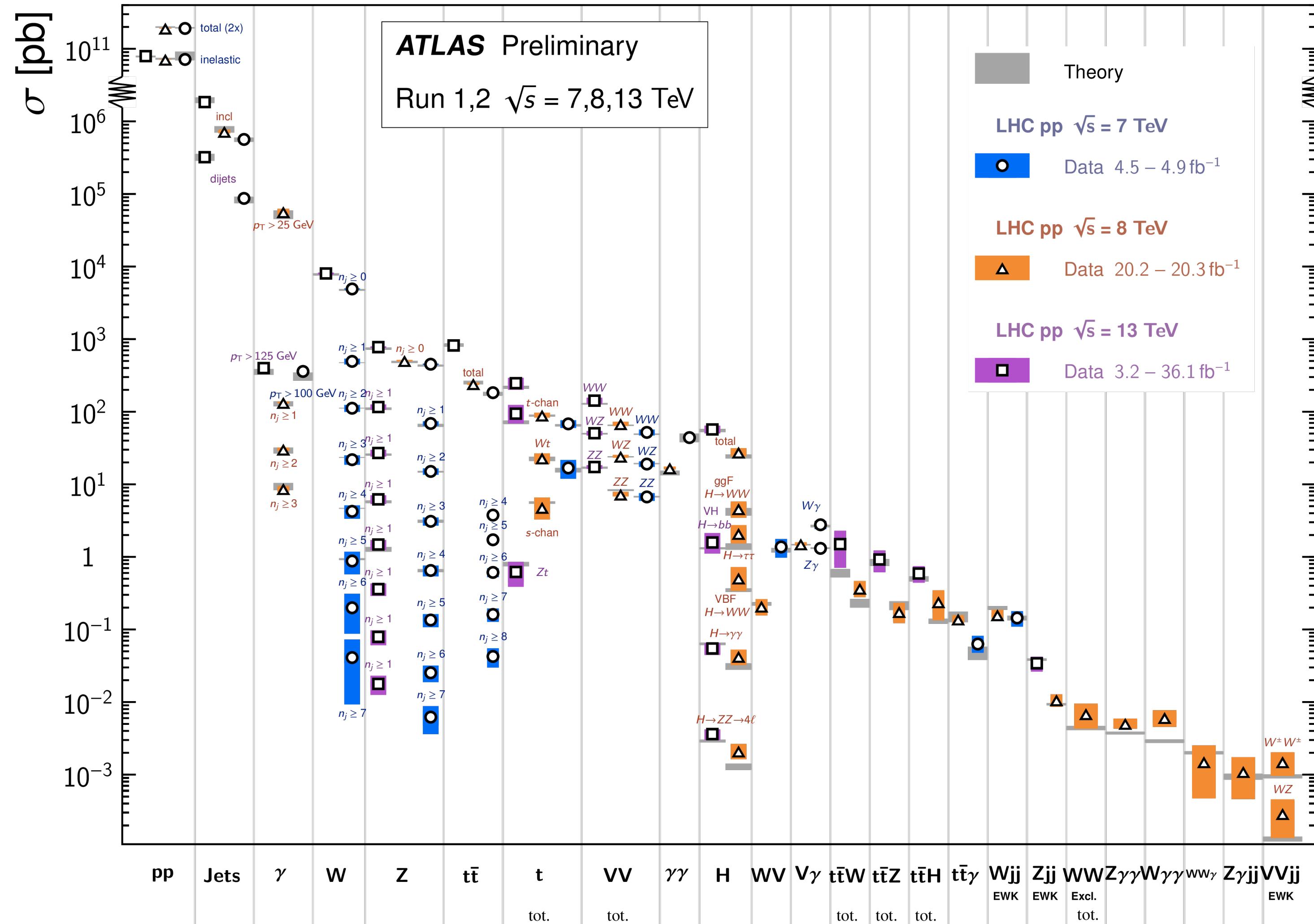
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The success of the SM

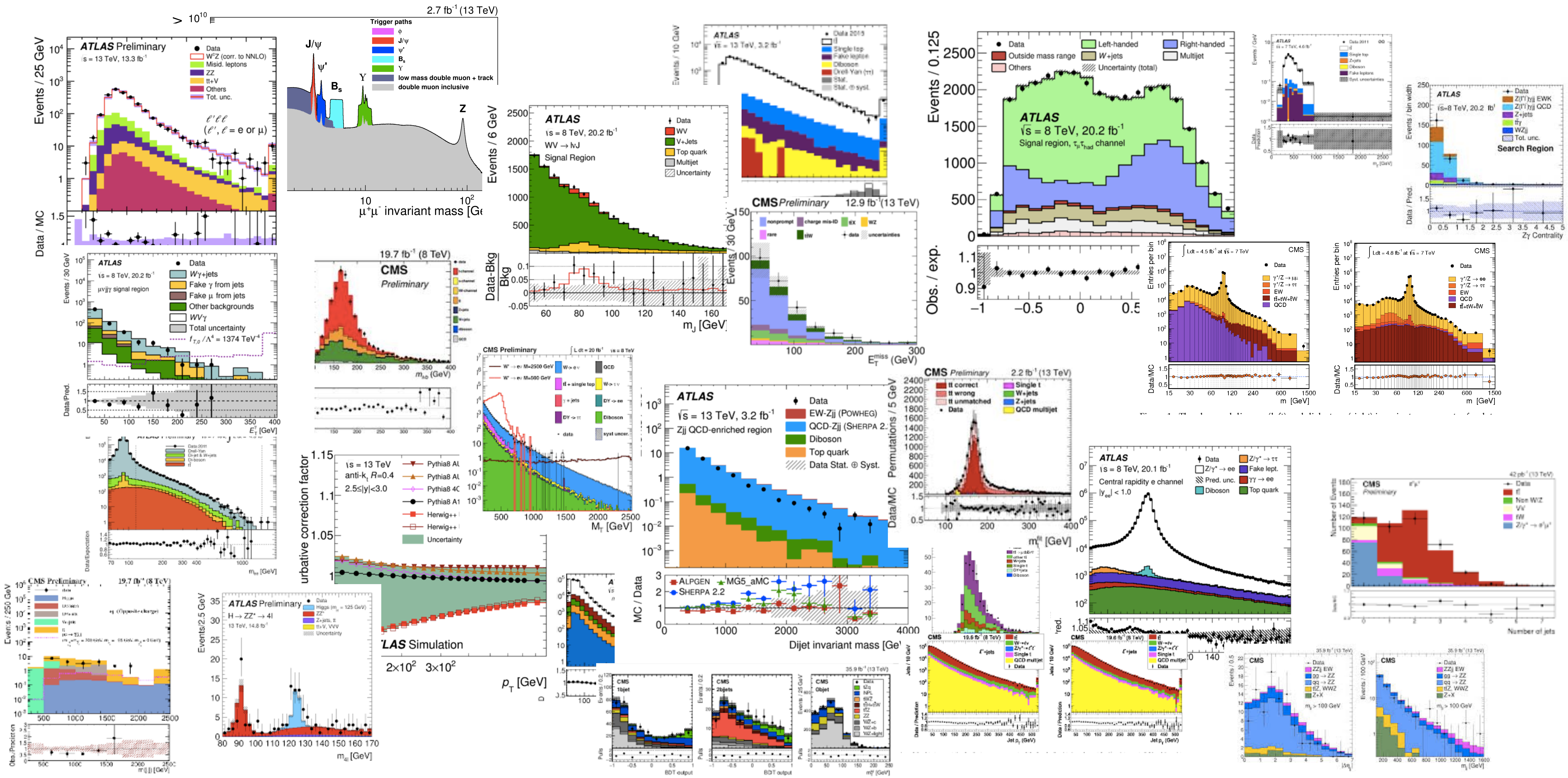
Standard Model Production Cross Section Measurements

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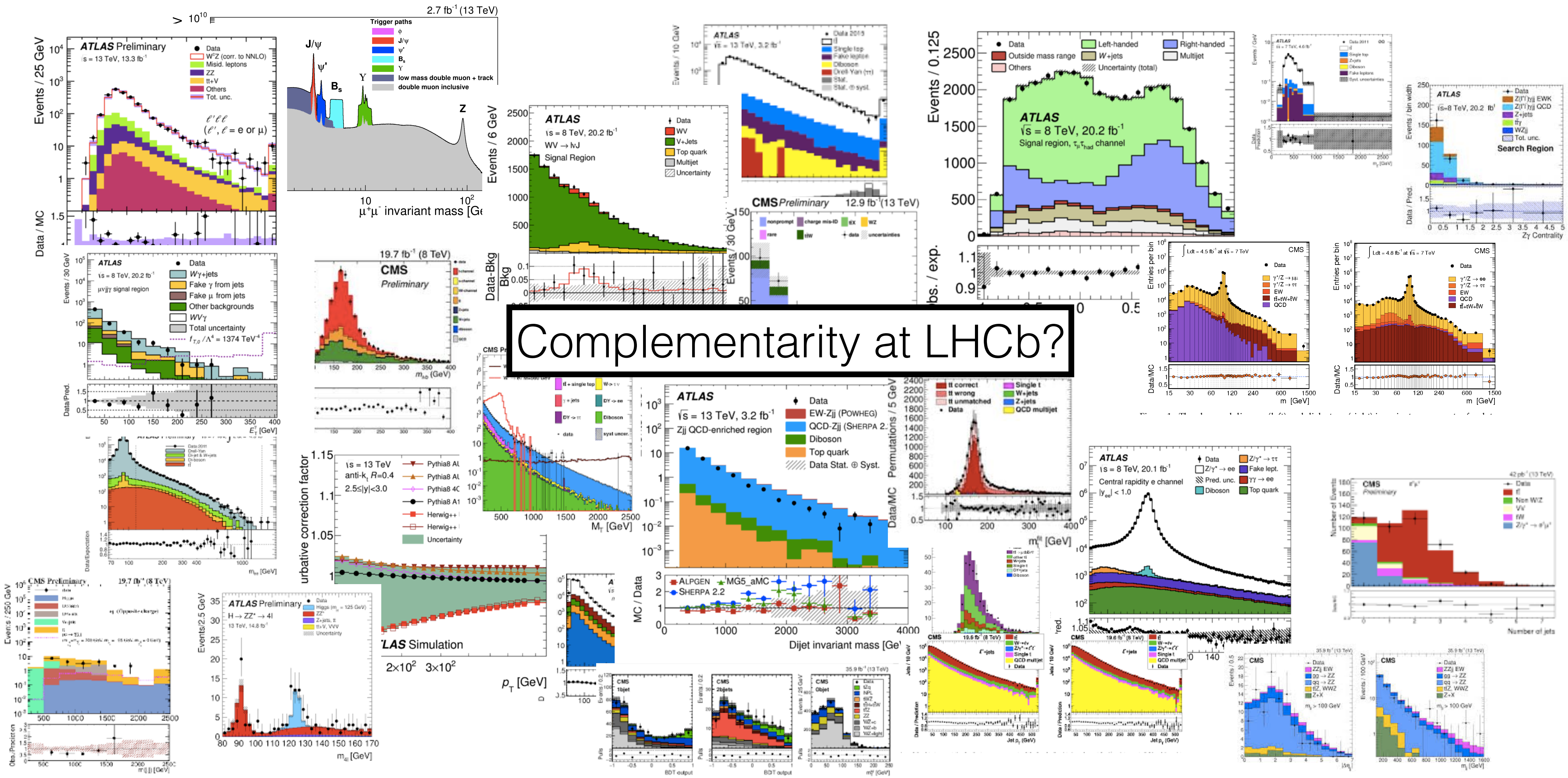


Overall extremely good experiment-theory agreement

Differential SM measurements

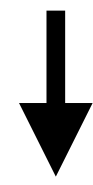


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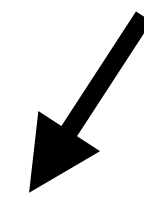
SM physics at HL-LHC/LHCb Upgrade II

Precision EW/QCD

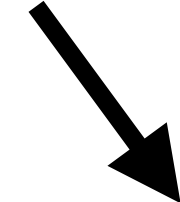


V+jets

HF / top



differential measurements



charge asymmetries

Rare processes



VBS

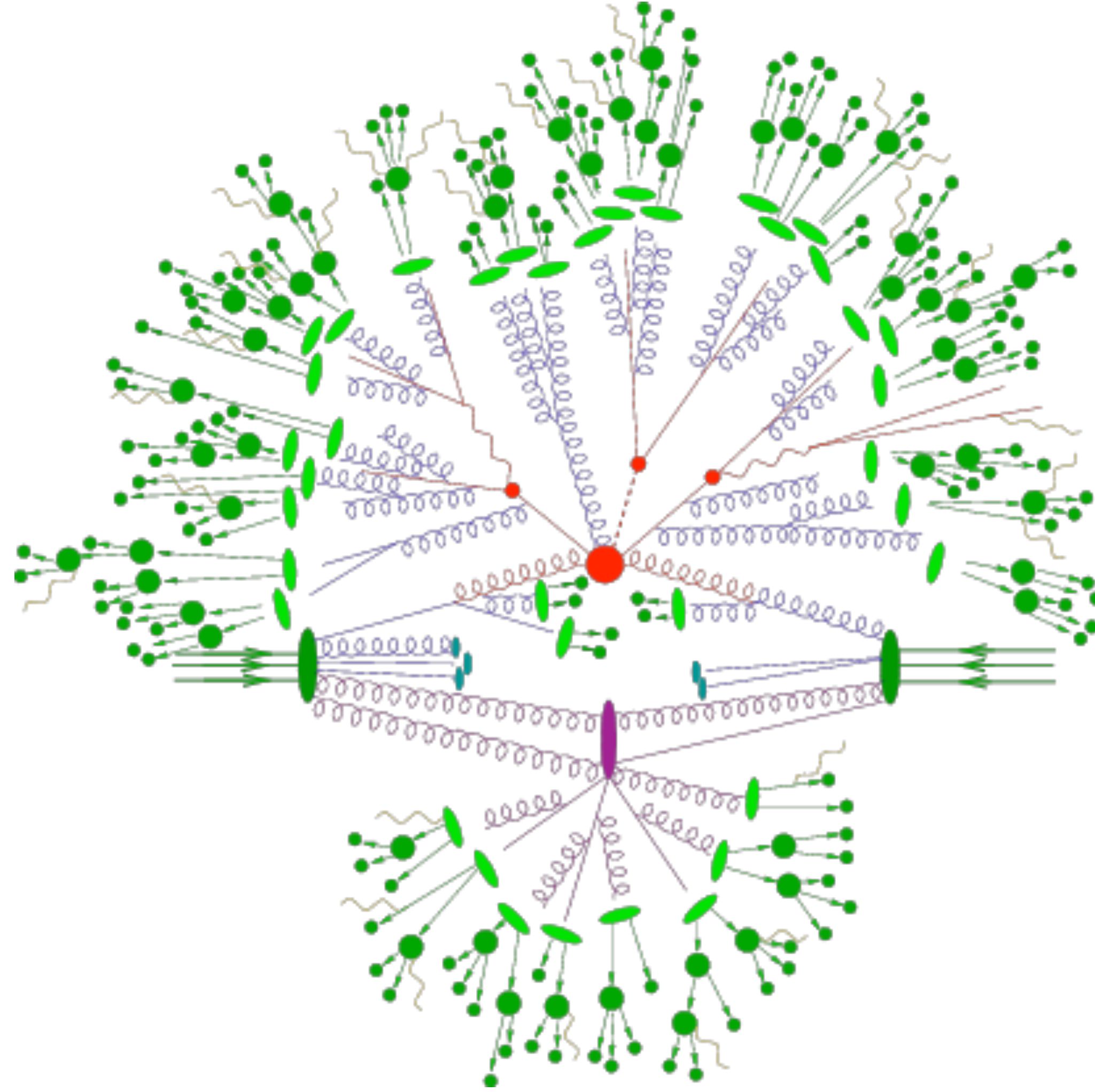
Precision at the LHC

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathcal{L}_{SM} = & -\frac{1}{2}\partial_\nu g_\mu^a \partial_\nu g_\mu^a - g_s f^{abc} \partial_\mu g_\nu^a g_\mu^b g_\nu^c - \frac{1}{4}g_s^2 f^{abc} f^{ade} g_\mu^b g_\nu^c g_\mu^d g_\nu^e - \partial_\nu W_\mu^+ \partial_\nu W_\mu^- - \\
& M^2 W_\mu^+ W_\mu^- - \frac{1}{2}\partial_\nu Z_\mu^0 \partial_\nu Z_\mu^0 - \frac{1}{2c_w^2} M^2 Z_\mu^0 Z_\mu^0 - \frac{1}{2}\partial_\mu A_\nu \partial_\mu A_\nu - igc_w (\partial_\nu Z_\mu^0 (W_\mu^+ W_\nu^- - \\
& W_\nu^+ W_\mu^-) - Z_\nu^0 (W_\mu^+ \partial_\nu W_\mu^- - W_\mu^- \partial_\nu W_\mu^+) + Z_\mu^0 (W_\nu^+ \partial_\nu W_\mu^- - W_\nu^- \partial_\nu W_\mu^+)) - \\
& ig s_w (\partial_\nu A_\mu (W_\mu^+ W_\nu^- - W_\nu^+ W_\mu^-) - A_\nu (W_\mu^+ \partial_\nu W_\mu^- - W_\mu^- \partial_\nu W_\mu^+) + A_\mu (W_\nu^+ \partial_\nu W_\mu^- - \\
& W_\nu^- \partial_\nu W_\mu^+)) - \frac{1}{2}g^2 W_\mu^+ W_\mu^- W_\nu^+ W_\nu^- + \frac{1}{2}g^2 W_\mu^+ W_\nu^- W_\mu^+ W_\nu^- + g^2 c_w^2 (Z_\mu^0 W_\mu^+ Z_\nu^0 W_\nu^- - \\
& Z_\mu^0 Z_\nu^0 W_\mu^+ W_\nu^-) + g^2 s_w^2 (A_\mu W_\mu^+ A_\nu W_\nu^- - A_\mu A_\nu W_\mu^+ W_\nu^-) + g^2 s_w c_w (A_\mu Z_\nu^0 (W_\mu^+ W_\nu^- - \\
& W_\nu^+ W_\mu^-) - 2A_\mu Z_\mu^0 W_\nu^+ W_\nu^-) - \frac{1}{2}\partial_\mu H \partial_\mu H - 2M^2 \alpha_h H^2 - \partial_\mu \phi^+ \partial_\mu \phi^- - \frac{1}{2}\partial_\mu \phi^0 \partial_\mu \phi^0 - \\
& \beta_h \left(\frac{2M^2}{g^2} + \frac{2M}{g} H + \frac{1}{2}(H^2 + \phi^0 \phi^0 + 2\phi^+ \phi^-) \right) + \frac{2M^4}{g^4} \alpha_h - \\
& g\alpha_h M (H^3 + H\phi^0 \phi^0 + 2H\phi^+ \phi^-) - \\
& \frac{1}{8}g^2 \alpha_h (H^4 + (\phi^0)^4 + 4(\phi^+ \phi^-)^2 + 4(\phi^0)^2 \phi^+ \phi^- + 4H^2 \phi^+ \phi^- + 2(\phi^0)^2 H^2) - \\
& gM W_\mu^+ W_\mu^- H - \frac{1}{2}g \frac{M}{c_w^2} Z_\mu^0 Z_\mu^0 H - \\
& \frac{1}{2}ig (W_\mu^+ (\phi^0 \partial_\mu \phi^- - \phi^- \partial_\mu \phi^0) - W_\mu^- (\phi^0 \partial_\mu \phi^+ - \phi^+ \partial_\mu \phi^0)) + \\
& \frac{1}{2}g (W_\mu^+ (H \partial_\mu \phi^- - \phi^- \partial_\mu H) + W_\mu^- (H \partial_\mu \phi^+ - \phi^+ \partial_\mu H)) + \frac{1}{2}g \frac{1}{c_w} (Z_\mu^0 (H \partial_\mu \phi^0 - \phi^0 \partial_\mu H) + \\
& M (\frac{1}{c_w} Z_\mu^0 \partial_\mu \phi^0 + W_\mu^+ \partial_\mu \phi^- + W_\mu^- \partial_\mu \phi^+) - ig \frac{s_w^2}{c_w} M Z_\mu^0 (W_\mu^+ \phi^- - W_\mu^- \phi^+) + ig s_w M A_\mu (W_\mu^+ \phi^- - \\
& W_\mu^- \phi^+) - ig \frac{1-2c_w^2}{2c_w} Z_\mu^0 (\phi^+ \partial_\mu \phi^- - \phi^- \partial_\mu \phi^+) + ig s_w A_\mu (\phi^+ \partial_\mu \phi^- - \phi^- \partial_\mu \phi^+) - \\
& \frac{1}{4}g^2 W_\mu^+ W_\mu^- (H^2 + (\phi^0)^2 + 2\phi^+ \phi^-) - \frac{1}{8}g^2 \frac{1}{c_w} Z_\mu^0 Z_\mu^0 (H^2 + (\phi^0)^2 + 2(2s_w^2 - 1)^2 \phi^+ \phi^-) - \\
& \frac{1}{2}g^2 \frac{s_w^2}{c_w} Z_\mu^0 \phi^0 (W_\mu^+ \phi^- + W_\mu^- \phi^+) - \frac{1}{2}ig^2 \frac{s_w^2}{c_w} Z_\mu^0 H (W_\mu^+ \phi^- - W_\mu^- \phi^+) + \frac{1}{2}g^2 s_w A_\mu \phi^0 (W_\mu^+ \phi^- + \\
& W_\mu^- \phi^+) + \frac{1}{2}ig^2 s_w A_\mu H (W_\mu^+ \phi^- - W_\mu^- \phi^+) - g^2 \frac{s_w}{c_w} (2c_w^2 - 1) Z_\mu^0 A_\mu \phi^+ \phi^- - \\
& g^2 s_w^2 A_\mu A_\nu \phi^+ \phi^- + \frac{1}{2}ig_s \lambda_{ij}^a (\bar{q}_i^\sigma \gamma^\mu q_j^\sigma) g_\mu^a - \bar{e}^\lambda (\gamma \partial + m_e^\lambda) e^\lambda - \bar{\nu}^\lambda (\gamma \partial + m_\nu^\lambda) \nu^\lambda - \bar{u}_j^\lambda (\gamma \partial + \\
& m_u^\lambda) u_j^\lambda - \bar{d}_j^\lambda (\gamma \partial + m_d^\lambda) d_j^\lambda + ig s_w A_\mu (-\bar{e}^\lambda \gamma^\mu e^\lambda + \frac{2}{3}(\bar{u}_j^\lambda \gamma^\mu u_j^\lambda) - \frac{1}{3}(\bar{d}_j^\lambda \gamma^\mu d_j^\lambda)) + \\
& \frac{ig}{4c_w} Z_\mu^0 \{ (\bar{\nu}^\lambda \gamma^\mu (1 + \gamma^5) \nu^\lambda) + (\bar{e}^\lambda \gamma^\mu (4s_w^2 - 1 - \gamma^5) e^\lambda) + (\bar{d}_j^\lambda \gamma^\mu (\frac{4}{3}s_w^2 - 1 - \gamma^5) d_j^\lambda) + \\
& (\bar{u}_j^\lambda \gamma^\mu (1 - \frac{8}{3}s_w^2 + \gamma^5) u_j^\lambda) \} + \frac{ig}{2\sqrt{2}} W_\mu^+ ((\bar{\nu}^\lambda \gamma^\mu (1 + \gamma^5) U^{lep}{}_{\lambda\kappa} e^\kappa) + (\bar{u}_j^\lambda \gamma^\mu (1 + \gamma^5) C_{\lambda\kappa} d_j^\kappa)) + \\
& \frac{ig}{2\sqrt{2}} W_\mu^- ((\bar{e}^\kappa U^{lep}{}_{\kappa\lambda} \gamma^\mu (1 + \gamma^5) \nu^\lambda) + (\bar{d}_j^\kappa C_{\kappa\lambda}^\dagger \gamma^\mu (1 + \gamma^5) u_j^\lambda)) + \\
& \frac{ig}{2M\sqrt{2}} \phi^+ (-m_e^\kappa (\bar{\nu}^\lambda U^{lep}{}_{\lambda\kappa} (1 - \gamma^5) e^\kappa) + m_\nu^\lambda (\bar{\nu}^\lambda U^{lep}{}_{\lambda\kappa} (1 + \gamma^5) e^\kappa) + \\
& \frac{ig}{2M\sqrt{2}} \phi^- (m_e^\lambda (\bar{e}^\lambda U^{lep}{}_{\lambda\kappa}^\dagger (1 + \gamma^5) \nu^\kappa) - m_\nu^\kappa (\bar{e}^\lambda U^{lep}{}_{\lambda\kappa}^\dagger (1 - \gamma^5) \nu^\kappa) - \frac{g}{2} \frac{m_\lambda^2}{M} H (\bar{\nu}^\lambda \nu^\lambda) - \\
& \frac{g}{2} \frac{m_\lambda^2}{M} H (\bar{e}^\lambda e^\lambda) + \frac{ig}{2} \frac{m_\lambda^2}{M} \phi^0 (\bar{\nu}^\lambda \gamma^5 \nu^\lambda) - \frac{ig}{2} \frac{m_\lambda^2}{M} \phi^0 (\bar{e}^\lambda \gamma^5 e^\lambda) - \frac{1}{4} \bar{\nu}_\lambda M_{\lambda\kappa}^R (1 - \gamma_5) \bar{\nu}_\kappa - \\
& \frac{1}{4} \bar{\nu}_\lambda M_{\lambda\kappa}^R (1 - \gamma_5) \bar{\nu}_\kappa + \frac{ig}{2M\sqrt{2}} \phi^+ (-m_d^\kappa (\bar{u}_j^\lambda C_{\lambda\kappa} (1 - \gamma^5) d_j^\kappa) + m_u^\lambda (\bar{u}_j^\lambda C_{\lambda\kappa} (1 + \gamma^5) d_j^\kappa) + \\
& \frac{ig}{2M\sqrt{2}} \phi^- (m_d^\lambda (\bar{d}_j^\lambda C_{\lambda\kappa}^\dagger (1 + \gamma^5) u_j^\kappa) - m_u^\kappa (\bar{d}_j^\lambda C_{\lambda\kappa}^\dagger (1 - \gamma^5) u_j^\kappa) - \frac{g}{2} \frac{m_\lambda^2}{M} H (\bar{u}_j^\lambda u_j^\lambda) - \\
& \frac{g}{2} \frac{m_\lambda^2}{M} H (\bar{d}_j^\lambda d_j^\lambda) + \frac{ig}{2} \frac{m_\lambda^2}{M} \phi^0 (\bar{u}_j^\lambda \gamma^5 u_j^\lambda) - \frac{ig}{2} \frac{m_\lambda^2}{M} \phi^0 (\bar{d}_j^\lambda \gamma^5 d_j^\lambda) + \bar{G}^a \partial^2 G^a + g_s f^{abc} \partial_\mu \bar{G}^a G^b g_\mu^c + \\
& \bar{X}^+ (\partial^2 - M^2) X^+ + \bar{X}^- (\partial^2 - M^2) X^- + \bar{X}^0 (\partial^2 - \frac{M^2}{c_w^2}) X^0 + \bar{Y} \partial^2 Y + igc_w W_\mu^+ (\partial_\mu \bar{X}^0 X^- - \\
& \partial_\mu \bar{X}^+ X^0) + ig s_w W_\mu^+ (\partial_\mu \bar{Y} X^- - \partial_\mu \bar{X}^+ Y) + igc_w W_\mu^- (\partial_\mu \bar{X}^- X^0 - \\
& \partial_\mu \bar{X}^0 X^+) + ig s_w W_\mu^- (\partial_\mu \bar{X}^- Y - \partial_\mu \bar{Y} X^+) + igc_w Z_\mu^0 (\partial_\mu \bar{X}^+ X^- - \\
& \partial_\mu \bar{X}^- X^+) + ig s_w A_\mu (\partial_\mu \bar{X}^+ X^- - \\
& \partial_\mu \bar{X}^- X^+) - \frac{1}{2}gM (\bar{X}^+ X^+ H + \bar{X}^- X^- H + \frac{1}{c_w} \bar{X}^0 X^0 H) + \frac{1-2c_w^2}{2c_w} igM (\bar{X}^+ X^0 \phi^+ - \bar{X}^- X^0 \phi^-) + \\
& \frac{1}{2c_w} igM (\bar{X}^0 X^- \phi^+ - \bar{X}^0 X^+ \phi^-) + igM s_w (\bar{X}^0 X^- \phi^+ - \bar{X}^0 X^+ \phi^-) + \\
& \frac{1}{2}igM (\bar{X}^+ X^+ \phi^0 - \bar{X}^- X^- \phi^0) .
\end{aligned}$$

A diagram illustrating the relationship between the squared magnitude of the amplitude $|\mathcal{M}|^2$ and the cross-section σ . A curved arrow on the left points towards the symbol $|\mathcal{M}|^2$, and another curved arrow on the right points from $|\mathcal{M}|^2$ towards the Greek letter σ .

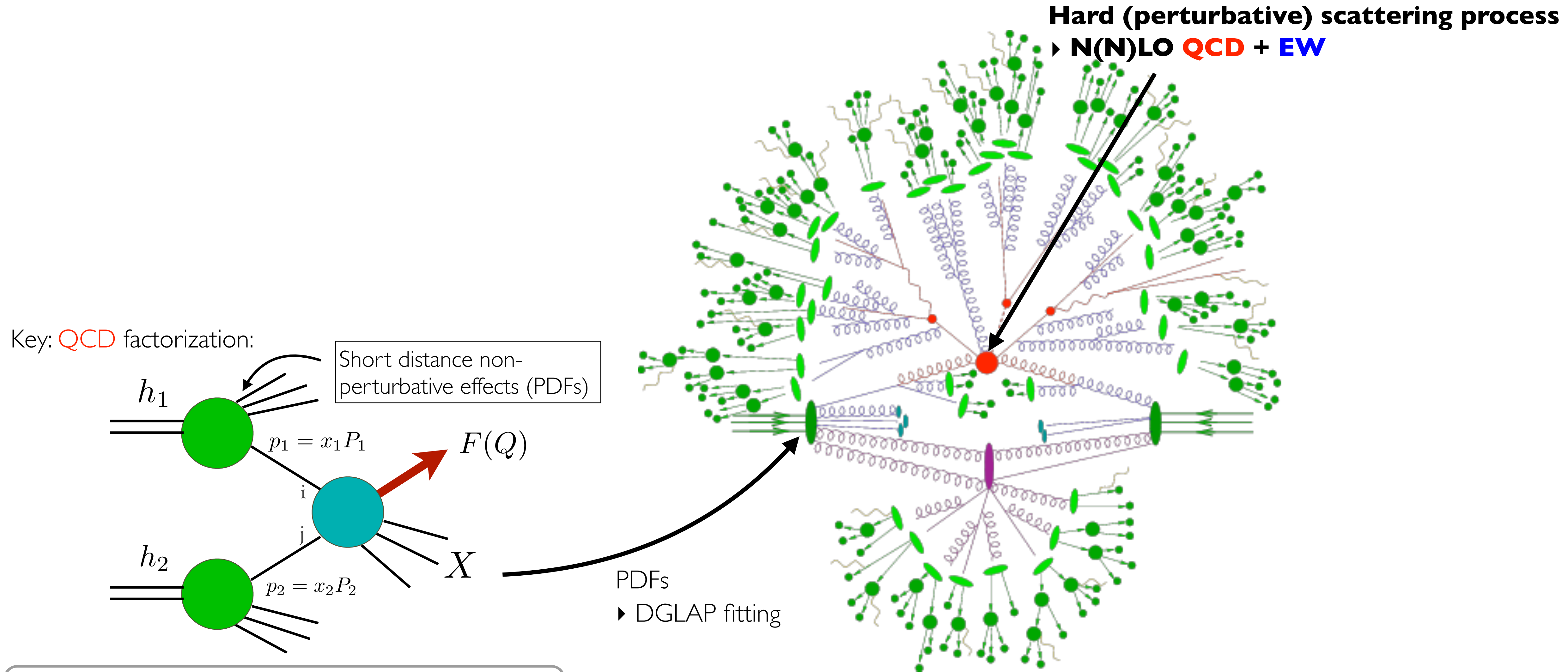
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 & - M^2 W_\mu^+ W_\mu^- - \frac{1}{2}\partial_\nu Z_\mu^0 \partial_\nu Z_\mu^0 - \frac{1}{2c_w^2} M^2 Z_\mu^0 Z_\mu^0 - \frac{1}{2}\partial_\mu A_\nu \partial_\mu A_\nu - igc_w (\partial_\nu Z_\mu^0 (W_\mu^+ W_\nu^- - \\
 & W_\nu^+ W_\mu^-) - Z_\nu^0 (W_\mu^+ \partial_\nu W_\mu^- - W_\mu^- \partial_\nu W_\mu^+) + Z_\mu^0 (W_\nu^+ \partial_\mu W_\nu^- - W_\nu^- \partial_\mu W_\nu^+)) - \\
 & ig s_w (\partial_\nu A_\mu (W_\mu^+ W_\nu^- - W_\nu^+ W_\mu^-) - A_\nu (W_\mu^+ \partial_\nu W_\mu^- - W_\mu^- \partial_\nu W_\mu^+) + A_\mu (W_\nu^+ \partial_\nu W_\mu^- - \\
 & W_\nu^- \partial_\nu W_\mu^+)) - \frac{1}{2}g^2 W_\mu^+ W_\mu^- W_\nu^+ W_\nu^- + \frac{1}{2}g^2 W_\mu^+ W_\nu^- W_\mu^+ W_\nu^- + g^2 c_w^2 (Z_\mu^0 W_\mu^+ Z_\nu^0 W_\nu^- - \\
 & Z_\mu^0 Z_\nu^0 W_\mu^+ W_\nu^-) + g^2 s_w^2 (A_\mu W_\mu^+ A_\nu W_\nu^- - A_\mu A_\nu W_\mu^+ W_\nu^-) + g^2 s_w c_w (A_\mu Z_\nu^0 (W_\mu^+ W_\nu^- - \\
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 & g\alpha_h M (H^3 + H\phi^0 \phi^0 + 2H\phi^+ \phi^-) - \\
 & \frac{1}{8}g^2 \alpha_h (H^4 + (\phi^0)^4 + 4(\phi^+ \phi^-)^2 + 4(\phi^0)^2 \phi^+ \phi^- + 4H^2 \phi^+ \phi^- + 2(\phi^0)^2 H^2) - \\
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 & \frac{1}{2}ig (W_\mu^+ (\phi^0 \partial_\mu \phi^- - \phi^- \partial_\mu \phi^0) - W_\mu^- (\phi^0 \partial_\mu \phi^+ - \phi^+ \partial_\mu \phi^0)) + \\
 & \frac{1}{2}g (W_\mu^+ (H \partial_\mu \phi^- - \phi^- \partial_\mu H) + W_\mu^- (H \partial_\mu \phi^+ - \phi^+ \partial_\mu H)) + \frac{1}{2}g \frac{1}{c_w} (Z_\mu^0 (H \partial_\mu \phi^0 - \phi^0 \partial_\mu H) + \\
 & M (\frac{1}{c_w} Z_\mu^0 \partial_\mu \phi^0 + W_\mu^+ \partial_\mu \phi^- + W_\mu^- \partial_\mu \phi^+)) - ig \frac{s_w^2}{c_w} M Z_\mu^0 (W_\mu^+ \phi^- - W_\mu^- \phi^+) + ig s_w M A_\mu (W_\mu^+ \phi^- - \\
 & W_\mu^- \phi^+) - ig \frac{1-2c_w^2}{2c_w} Z_\mu^0 (\phi^+ \partial_\mu \phi^- - \phi^- \partial_\mu \phi^+) + ig s_w A_\mu (\phi^+ \partial_\mu \phi^- - \phi^- \partial_\mu \phi^+) - \\
 & \frac{1}{4}g^2 W_\mu^+ W_\mu^- (H^2 + (\phi^0)^2 + 2\phi^+ \phi^-) - \frac{1}{8}g^2 \frac{1}{c_w^2} Z_\mu^0 Z_\mu^0 (H^2 + (\phi^0)^2 + 2(2s_w^2 - 1)^2 \phi^+ \phi^-) - \\
 & \frac{1}{2}g^2 \frac{s_w^2}{c_w} Z_\mu^0 \phi^0 (W_\mu^+ \phi^- + W_\mu^- \phi^+) - \frac{1}{2}ig^2 \frac{s_w^2}{c_w} Z_\mu^0 H (W_\mu^+ \phi^- - W_\mu^- \phi^+) + \frac{1}{2}g^2 s_w A_\mu \phi^0 (W_\mu^+ \phi^- + \\
 & W_\mu^- \phi^+) + \frac{1}{2}ig^2 s_w A_\mu H (W_\mu^+ \phi^- - W_\mu^- \phi^+) - g^2 \frac{s_w}{c_w} (2c_w^2 - 1) Z_\mu^0 A_\mu \phi^+ \phi^- - \\
 & g^2 s_w^2 A_\mu A_\nu \phi^+ \phi^- + \frac{1}{2}ig_s \lambda_{ij}^a (\bar{q}_i^\alpha \gamma^\mu q_j^\alpha) g_\mu^a - \bar{e}^\lambda (\gamma \partial + m_e^\lambda) e^\lambda - \bar{\nu}^\lambda (\gamma \partial + m_\nu^\lambda) \nu^\lambda - \bar{u}_j^\lambda (\gamma \partial + \\
 & m_u^\lambda) u_j^\lambda - \bar{d}_j^\lambda (\gamma \partial + m_d^\lambda) d_j^\lambda + ig s_w A_\mu (-\bar{e}^\lambda \gamma^\mu e^\lambda) + \frac{2}{3}(\bar{u}_j^\lambda \gamma^\mu u_j^\lambda) - \frac{1}{3}(\bar{d}_j^\lambda \gamma^\mu d_j^\lambda) + \\
 & \frac{ig}{4c_w} Z_\mu^0 \{ (\bar{\nu}^\lambda \gamma^\mu (1 + \gamma^5) \nu^\lambda) + (\bar{e}^\lambda \gamma^\mu (4s_w^2 - 1 - \gamma^5) e^\lambda) + (\bar{d}_j^\lambda \gamma^\mu (\frac{4}{3}s_w^2 - 1 - \gamma^5) d_j^\lambda) + \\
 & (\bar{u}_j^\lambda \gamma^\mu (1 - \frac{8}{3}s_w^2 + \gamma^5) u_j^\lambda) \} + \frac{ig}{2\sqrt{2}} W_\mu^+ ((\bar{\nu}^\lambda \gamma^\mu (1 + \gamma^5) U^{lep}{}_{\lambda\kappa} e^\kappa) + (\bar{u}_j^\lambda \gamma^\mu (1 + \gamma^5) C_{\lambda\kappa} d_j^\kappa)) + \\
 & \frac{ig}{2\sqrt{2}} W_\mu^- ((\bar{e}^\kappa U^{lep}{}_{\kappa\lambda} \gamma^\mu (1 + \gamma^5) \nu^\lambda) + (\bar{d}_j^\kappa C_{\kappa\lambda}^\dagger \gamma^\mu (1 + \gamma^5) u_j^\lambda)) + \\
 & \frac{ig}{2M\sqrt{2}} \phi^+ (-m_e^\kappa (\bar{\nu}^\lambda U^{lep}{}_{\lambda\kappa} (1 - \gamma^5) e^\kappa) + m_\nu^\lambda (\bar{\nu}^\lambda U^{lep}{}_{\lambda\kappa} (1 + \gamma^5) e^\kappa) + \\
 & \frac{ig}{2M\sqrt{2}} \phi^- (m_e^\lambda (\bar{e}^\lambda U^{lep}{}_{\lambda\kappa}^\dagger (1 + \gamma^5) \nu^\kappa) - m_\nu^\kappa (\bar{e}^\lambda U^{lep}{}_{\lambda\kappa}^\dagger (1 - \gamma^5) \nu^\kappa) - \frac{g}{2} \frac{m_\lambda^\lambda}{M} H (\bar{\nu}^\lambda \nu^\lambda) - \\
 & \frac{g}{2} \frac{m_\lambda^\lambda}{M} H (\bar{e}^\lambda e^\lambda) + \frac{ig}{2} \frac{m_\lambda^\lambda}{M} \phi^0 (\bar{\nu}^\lambda \gamma^5 \nu^\lambda) - \frac{ig}{2} \frac{m_\lambda^\lambda}{M} \phi^0 (\bar{e}^\lambda \gamma^5 e^\lambda) - \frac{1}{4} \bar{\nu}_\lambda M_{\lambda\kappa}^R (1 - \gamma_5) \bar{\nu}_\kappa - \\
 & \frac{1}{4} \bar{\nu}_\lambda M_{\lambda\kappa}^R (1 - \gamma_5) \bar{\nu}_\kappa + \frac{ig}{2M\sqrt{2}} \phi^+ (-m_d^\kappa (\bar{u}_j^\lambda C_{\lambda\kappa} (1 - \gamma^5) d_j^\kappa) + m_u^\lambda (\bar{u}_j^\lambda C_{\lambda\kappa} (1 + \gamma^5) d_j^\kappa) + \\
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 & \frac{g}{2} \frac{m_\lambda^\lambda}{M} H (\bar{d}_j^\lambda d_j^\lambda) + \frac{ig}{2} \frac{m_\lambda^\lambda}{M} \phi^0 (\bar{u}_j^\lambda \gamma^5 u_j^\lambda) - \frac{ig}{2} \frac{m_\lambda^\lambda}{M} \phi^0 (\bar{d}_j^\lambda \gamma^5 d_j^\lambda) + \bar{G}^a \partial^2 G^a + g_s f^{abc} \partial_\mu \bar{G}^a G^b g_\mu^c + \\
 & \bar{X}^+ (\partial^2 - M^2) X^+ + \bar{X}^- (\partial^2 - M^2) X^- + \bar{X}^0 (\partial^2 - \frac{M^2}{c_w^2}) X^0 + \bar{Y} \partial^2 Y + igc_w W_\mu^+ (\partial_\mu \bar{X}^0 X^- - \\
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 & \frac{1}{2}igM (\bar{X}^+ X^+ \phi^0 - \bar{X}^- X^- \phi^0) .
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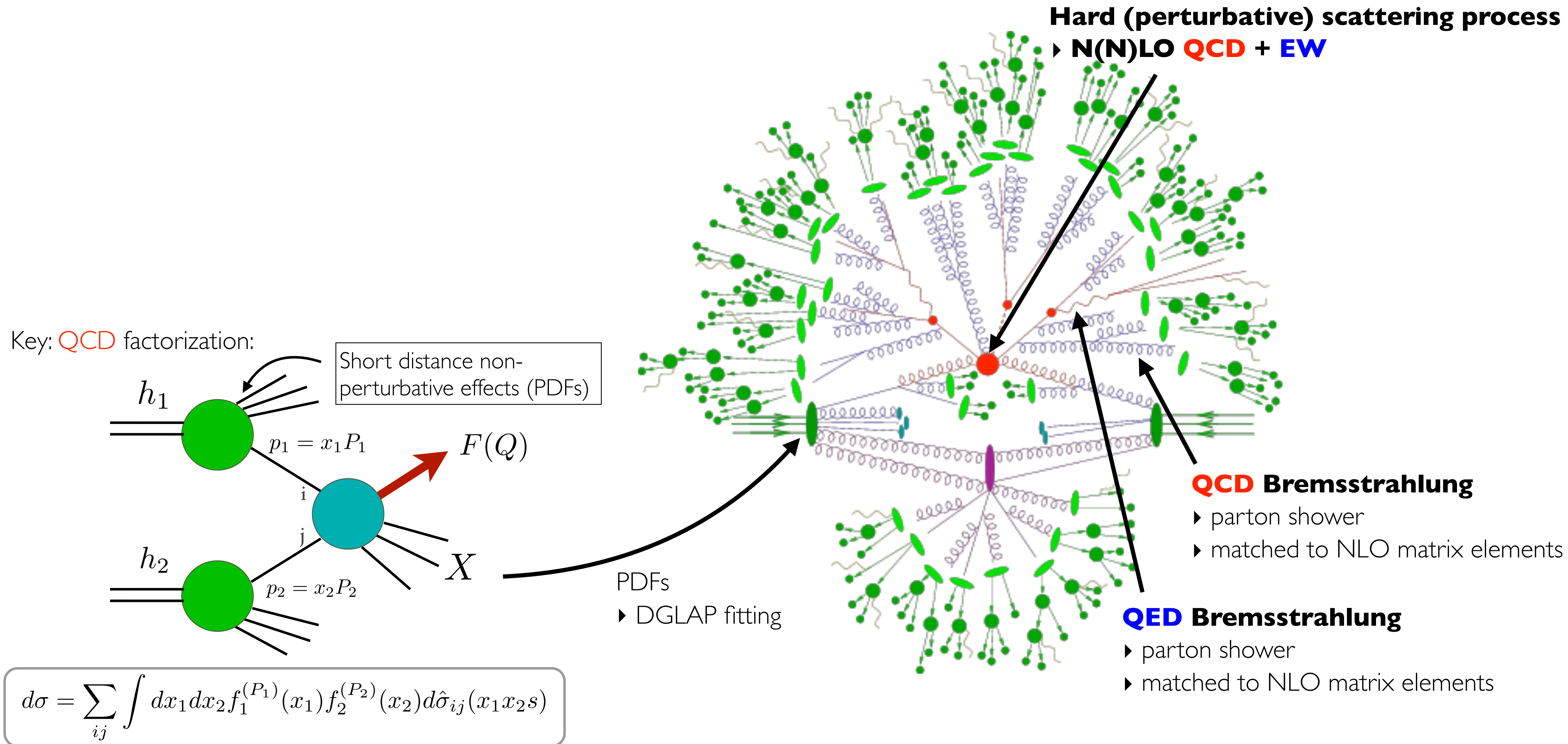
$$\curvearrowright |\mathcal{M}|^2 \curvearrowleft \sigma$$

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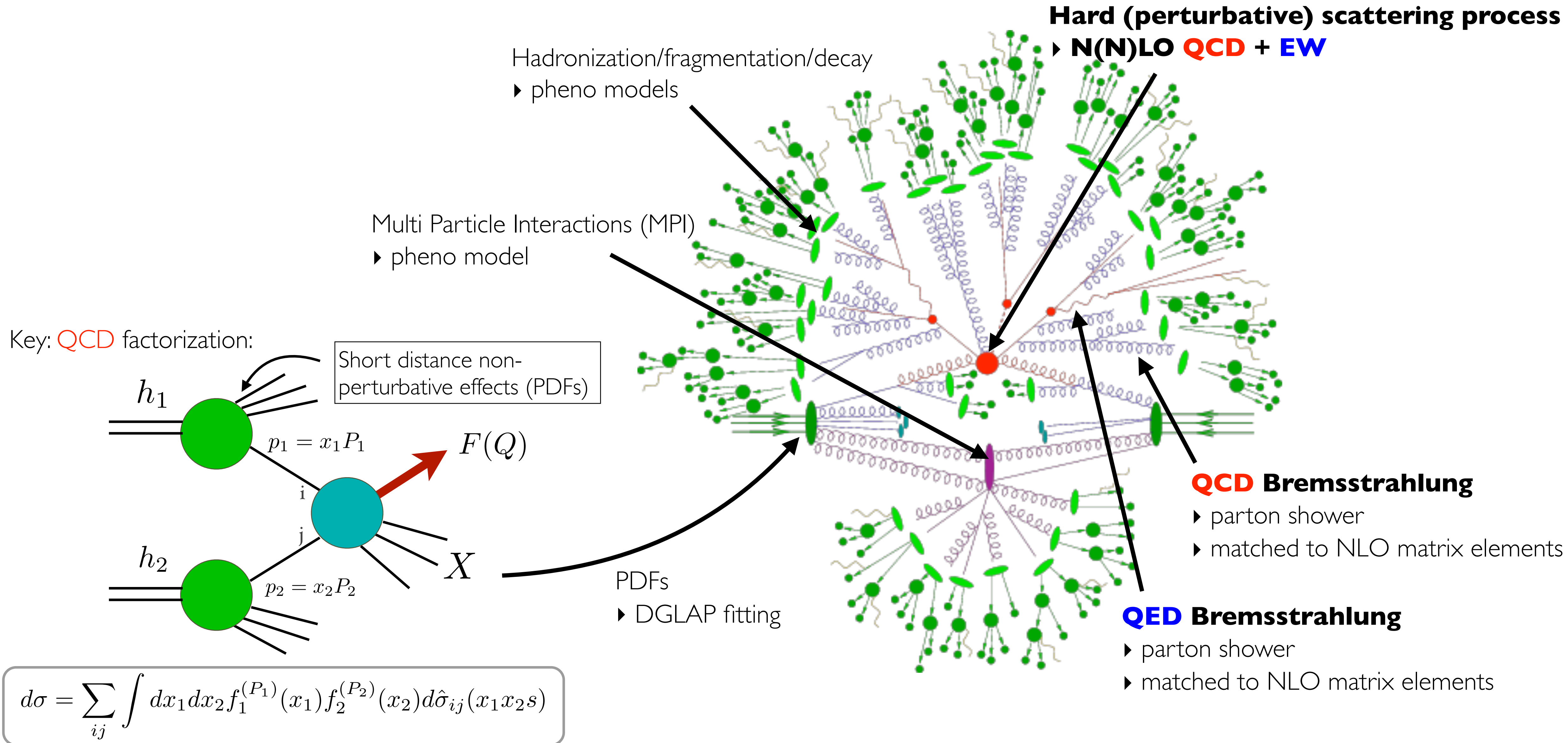


$$d\sigma = \sum_{ij} \int dx_1 dx_2 f_1^{(P_1)}(x_1) f_2^{(P_2)}(x_2) d\hat{\sigma}_{ij}(x_1 x_2 s)$$

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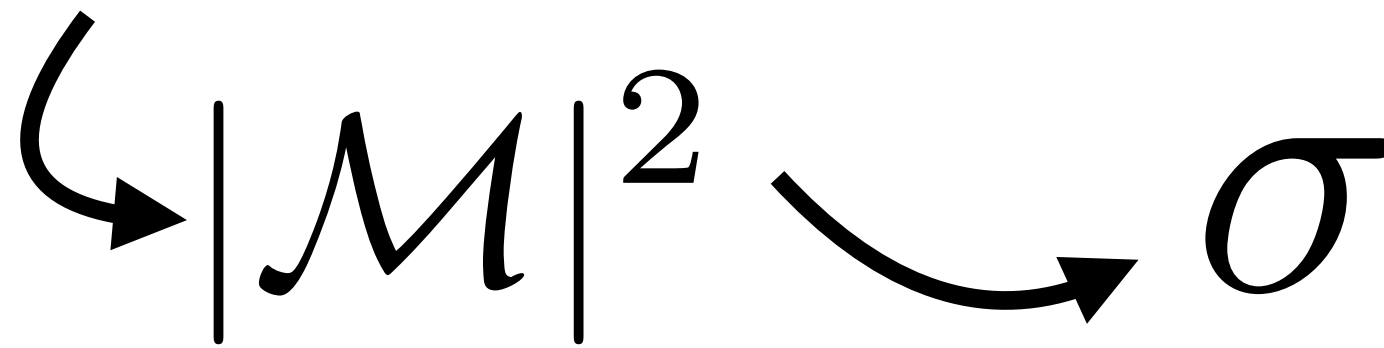
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$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}_{SM} = & -\frac{1}{2}\partial_\nu g_\mu^a \partial_\nu g_\mu^a - g_s f^{abc} \partial_\mu g_\nu^a g_\mu^b g_\nu^c - \frac{1}{4}g_s^2 f^{abc} f^{ade} g_\mu^b g_\nu^c g_\mu^d g_\nu^e - \partial_\nu W_\mu^+ \partial_\nu W_\mu^- \\ & - M^2 W_\mu^+ W_\mu^- - \frac{1}{2}\partial_\nu Z_\mu^0 \partial_\nu Z_\mu^0 - \frac{1}{2\alpha_h} M^2 Z_\mu^0 Z_\mu^0 - \frac{1}{2}\partial_\mu A_\nu \partial_\mu A_\nu - ig_{c_w} (\partial_\nu W_\mu^+ W_\nu^- - \\ & W_\mu^+ \partial_\nu W_\nu^-) - Z_\mu^0 (W_\mu^+ \partial_\nu W_\nu^- - W_\nu^- \partial_\mu W_\mu^+) + Z_\mu^0 (W_\mu^+ \partial_\nu W_\nu^- - W_\nu^- \partial_\mu W_\mu^+) - \\ & ig_{s_w} (\partial_\nu A_\mu (W_\mu^+ W_\nu^- - W_\nu^- W_\mu^+) - A_\nu (W_\mu^+ \partial_\nu W_\nu^- - W_\nu^- \partial_\mu W_\mu^+) + A_\nu (W_\mu^+ \partial_\nu W_\nu^- - \\ & W_\nu^- \partial_\mu W_\mu^+)) - \frac{1}{2}g^2 W_\mu^+ W_\nu^+ W_\nu^- + \frac{1}{2}g^2 W_\mu^+ W_\nu^- W_\nu^+ + g^2 c_w^2 (Z_\mu^0 W_\mu^+ Z_\nu^0 W_\nu^- - \\ & Z_\nu^0 Z_\mu^0 W_\mu^+ W_\nu^-) + g^2 s_w^2 (A_\mu W_\mu^+ A_\nu W_\nu^- - A_\nu A_\mu W_\mu^+ W_\nu^-) + g^2 s_w c_w (A_\mu Z_\nu^0 (W_\mu^+ W_\nu^- - \\ & W_\nu^- W_\mu^+) - 2A_\nu Z_\mu^0 W_\mu^+ W_\nu^-) - \frac{1}{2}\partial_\mu H \partial_\mu H - 2M^2 \alpha_h H^2 - \partial_\mu \phi^+ \partial_\mu \phi^- - \frac{1}{2}\partial_\nu \phi^0 \partial_\nu \phi^0 - \\ & \beta_h \left(\frac{2M^2}{g^2} + \frac{2M}{g} H + \frac{1}{2}(H^2 + \phi^0 \phi^0 + 2\phi^+ \phi^-) \right) + \frac{2M^4}{g^2} \alpha_h - \\ & \frac{g\alpha_h M}{2} (H^3 + H\phi^0 \phi^0 + 2H\phi^+ \phi^-) - \\ & \frac{1}{8}g^2 \alpha_h (H^4 + (\phi^0)^4 + 4(\phi^+ \phi^-)^2 + 4(\phi^0)^2 \phi^+ \phi^- + 4H^2 \phi^+ \phi^- + 2(\phi^0)^2 H^2) - \\ & g M W_\mu^+ W_\mu^- H - \frac{1}{2}g \frac{M}{c_w} Z_\mu^0 Z_\mu^0 H - \\ & \frac{1}{2}ig (W_\mu^+ (\phi^0 \partial_\mu \phi^- - \phi^- \partial_\mu \phi^0) - W_\mu^- (\phi^0 \partial_\mu \phi^+ - \phi^+ \partial_\mu \phi^0)) + \\ & \frac{1}{2}g (W_\mu^+ (H \partial_\mu \phi^- - \phi^- \partial_\mu H) + W_\mu^- (H \partial_\mu \phi^+ - \phi^+ \partial_\mu H)) + \frac{1}{2}g \frac{M}{c_w} (Z_\mu^0 (H \partial_\mu \phi^0 - 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e^2 (\gamma^\theta + m_\nu^2) e^\lambda - \bar{\nu}^\lambda (\gamma^\theta + m_\nu^2) \nu^\lambda - \bar{u}_j^\lambda (\gamma^\theta + \\ & m_u^2) u_j^\lambda - \bar{d}_j^\lambda (\gamma^\theta + m_d^2) d_j^\lambda + ig s_w A_\mu (-e^2 \gamma^\mu e^\lambda + \frac{2}{3}(\bar{u}_j^\lambda \gamma^\mu u_j^\lambda) - \frac{1}{3}(\bar{d}_j^\lambda \gamma^\mu d_j^\lambda)) + \\ & \frac{ig}{4c_w} Z_\mu^0 (\bar{\nu}^\lambda \gamma^\mu (1 + \gamma^5) \nu^\lambda) + (e^2 \gamma^\mu (4s_w^2 - 1 - \gamma^5) e^\lambda) + (\bar{d}_j^\lambda \gamma^\mu (\frac{2}{3}s_w^2 - 1 - \gamma^5) d_j^\lambda) + \\ & (\bar{u}_j^\lambda \gamma^\mu (1 - \frac{2}{3}s_w^2 + \gamma^5) u_j^\lambda)) + \frac{ig}{2\sqrt{2}} W_\mu^+ ((\bar{\nu}^\lambda \gamma^\mu (1 + \gamma^5) U^{lep}{}_{\lambda e} e^\lambda) + (\bar{u}_j^\lambda \gamma^\mu (1 + \gamma^5) C_{\lambda e} d_j^\lambda)) + \\ & \frac{ig}{2\sqrt{2}} W_\mu^- ((e^c U^{lep}{}_{\kappa\lambda} \gamma^\mu (1 + \gamma^5) \nu^\lambda) + (\bar{d}_j^\lambda C_{\kappa\lambda}^+ \gamma^\mu (1 + \gamma^5) u_j^\lambda)) + \\ & \frac{ig}{2M\sqrt{2}} \phi^+ (-m_\nu^2 (\bar{\nu}^\lambda U^{lep}{}_{\lambda e} (1 - 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\frac{1}{2}igM (\bar{X}^+ X^+ H + \bar{X}^- X^- H + \frac{1}{c_w} \bar{X}^0 X^0 H) + \frac{1-2c_w^2}{2c_w} igM (\bar{X}^+ X^0 \phi^+ - \bar{X}^- X^0 \phi^-) + \\ & \frac{1}{2c_w} igM (\bar{X}^0 X^- \phi^+ - \bar{X}^0 X^+ \phi^-) + igM s_w (\bar{X}^0 X^- \phi^+ - \bar{X}^0 X^+ \phi^-) + \\ & \frac{1}{2}igM (\bar{X}^+ X^+ \phi^0 - \bar{X}^- X^- \phi^0) . \end{aligned}$$



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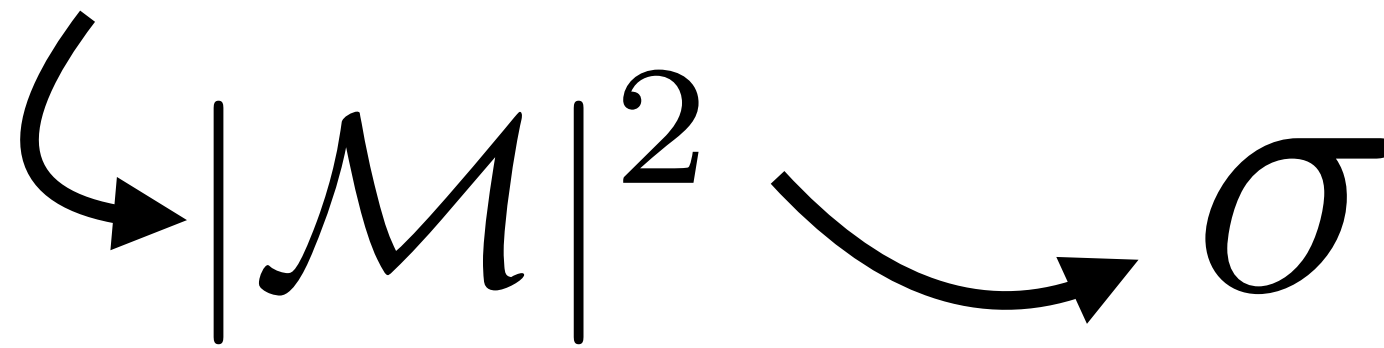
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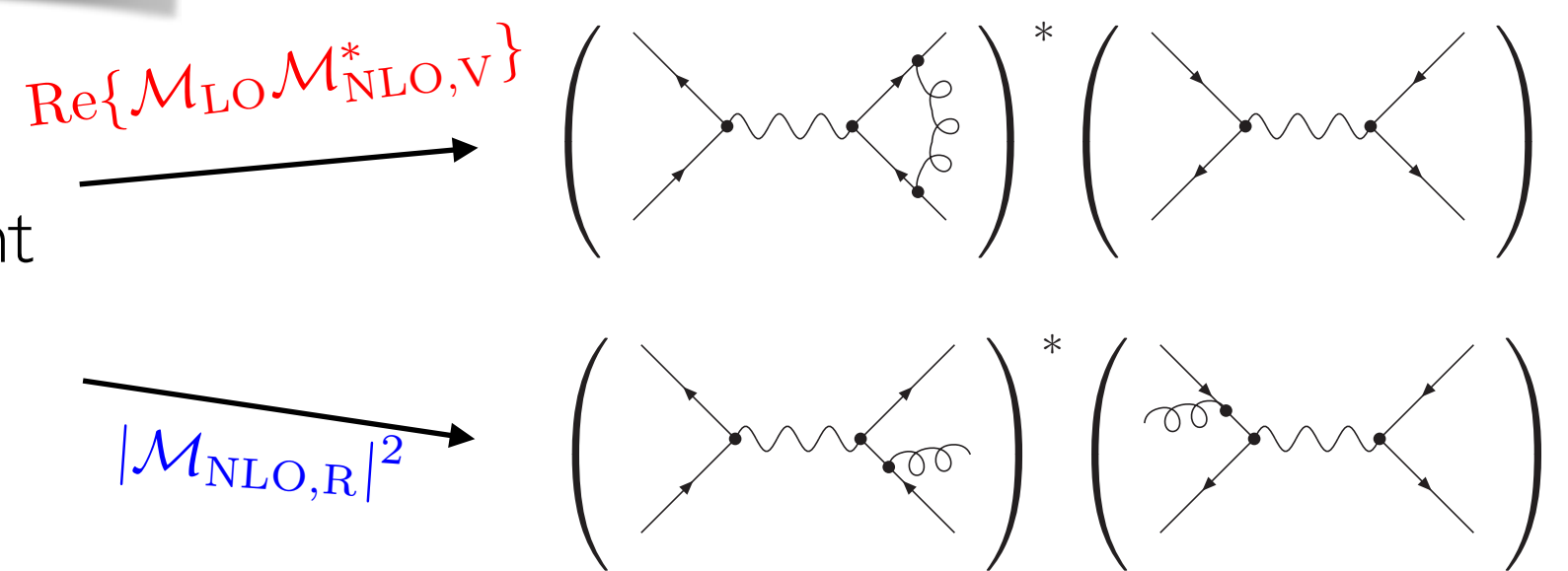
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Z_\nu^0 W_\mu^+ Z_\mu^0 W_\nu^-) + g^2 s_w^2 (A_\mu W_\nu^+ A_\nu W_\mu^- - A_\mu A_\nu W_\nu^+ W_\mu^-) + g^2 s_w c_w (A_\mu Z_\nu^0 (W_\nu^+ W_\mu^- \\ & - W_\mu^+ W_\nu^-) - 2A_\nu Z_\mu^0 W_\nu^+ W_\mu^-) - \frac{1}{2}\partial_\mu H \partial_\nu H - 2M^2 \alpha_h H^2 - \partial_\mu \phi^+ \partial_\nu \phi^- - \frac{1}{2}\partial_\mu \phi^0 \partial_\nu \phi^0 \\ & - \beta_h \left(\frac{2M^2}{g^2} + \frac{2M}{g} H + \frac{1}{2}(H^2 + \phi^0 \phi^0 + 2\phi^+ \phi^-) \right) + \frac{2M^4}{g^2} \alpha_h - \\ & \frac{1}{8}g^2 \alpha_h (H^4 + (\phi^0)^4 + 4(\phi^+ \phi^-)^2 + 4(\phi^0)^2 \phi^+ \phi^- + 4H^2 \phi^+ \phi^- + 2(\phi^0)^2 H^2) - \\ & \frac{1}{2}ig (W_\mu^+ (H \partial_\nu \phi^- - \phi^- \partial_\nu H) - W_\mu^- (H \partial_\nu \phi^+ - \phi^+ \partial_\nu H)) + \frac{1}{2}g \frac{2M}{c_w} (Z_\mu^0 (H \partial_\nu \phi^0 - \phi^0 \partial_\nu H) + \\ & M (\frac{1}{c_w} Z_\mu^0 \partial_\nu \phi^0 + W_\mu^+ \partial_\nu \phi^- + W_\mu^- \partial_\nu \phi^+) - ig \frac{2M}{c_w} M Z_\mu^0 (W_\mu^+ \phi^- - 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$$\text{NLO} = \text{B} + \text{V} + \text{R}$$



$\mathcal{M}_{\text{NLO,V}}$ virtual one-loop matrix element
 $\mathcal{M}_{\text{NLO,R}}$ real tree-level matrix element



- UV renormalisation \Rightarrow reduction of μ_R dependence
- soft/collinear cancellations+PDF renormalisation \Rightarrow reduction of μ_F dependence

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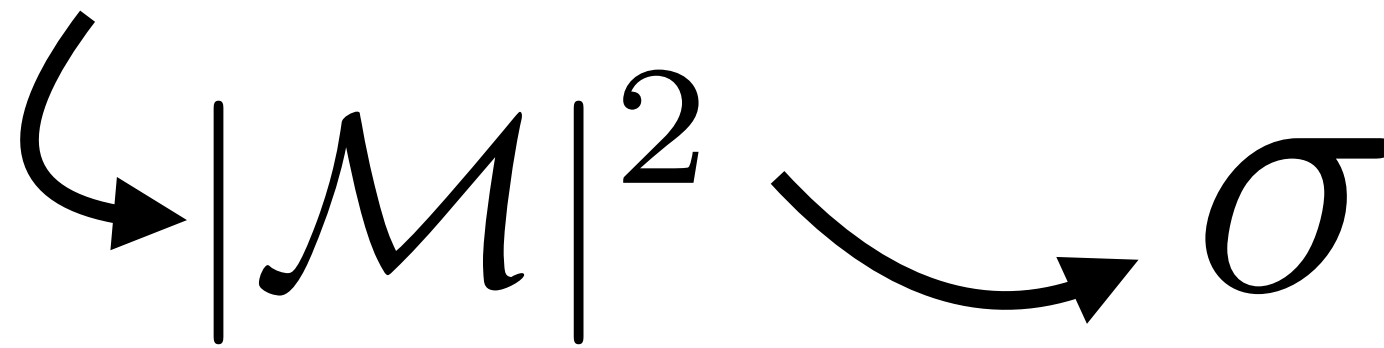
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\\ & Z_\nu^0 Z_\mu^0 W_\nu^+ W_\nu^-) + g^2 s_w^2 (A_\mu W_\nu^+ A_\nu W_\nu^- - A_\mu A_\nu W_\nu^+ W_\nu^-) + g^2 s_w c_w (A_\mu Z_\nu^0 (W_\mu^+ W_\nu^- - \\ & W_\nu^+ W_\mu^-) - 2A_\mu Z_\nu^0 W_\nu^+ W_\nu^-) - \frac{1}{2}\partial_\mu H \partial_\nu H - 2M^2 \alpha_h H^2 - \partial_\mu \phi^+ \partial_\nu \phi^- - \frac{1}{2}\partial_\mu \phi^0 \partial_\nu \phi^0 - \\ & \beta_h \left(\frac{2M^2}{g^2} + \frac{2\lambda}{g} H + \frac{1}{2}(H^2 + \phi^0 \phi^0 + 2\phi^+ \phi^-) \right) + \frac{2M^4}{g^2} \alpha_h - \\ & \frac{g\alpha_h M}{2} (H^2 + H\phi^0 \phi^0 + 2H\phi^+ \phi^-) - \\ & \frac{1}{8}g^2 \alpha_h (H^4 + (\phi^0)^4 + 4(\phi^+ \phi^-)^2 + 4(\phi^0)^2 \phi^+ \phi^- + 4H^2 \phi^+ \phi^- + 2(\phi^0)^2 H^2) - \\ & g M W_\mu^+ W_\mu^- H - \frac{1}{2}g \frac{M^2}{c_w} Z_\mu^0 Z_\mu^0 H - \\ & \frac{1}{2}ig (W_\mu^+ (\partial^\mu \partial_\nu \phi^- - \phi^- \partial_\nu \phi^\mu) - W_\nu^- (\partial^\nu \partial_\mu \phi^+ - \phi^+ \partial_\mu \phi^\nu)) + \\ & \frac{1}{2}g (W_\mu^+ (H\partial_\mu \phi^- - 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W_\mu^- \phi^+) - g^2 s_w (2c_w^2 - 1) Z_\mu^0 A_\mu \phi^+ \phi^- - \\ & g^2 s_w^2 A_\mu A_\nu \phi^+ \phi^- + \frac{1}{2}ig_s \lambda_{\bar{q}q} (\bar{q}^c \gamma^\mu q^c) g_\mu^\rho - e^2 (\gamma^\mu + m_\ell^2) e^\lambda - \bar{\nu}^\lambda (\gamma^\mu + m_\nu^2) \nu^\lambda - \bar{u}_j^\lambda (\gamma^\mu + \\ & m_u^2) u_j^\lambda - \bar{d}_j^\lambda (\gamma^\mu + m_d^2) d_j^\lambda + ig_s A_\mu (-e^2 \gamma^\mu e^\lambda + \frac{2}{3}(\bar{u}_j^\lambda \gamma^\mu u_j^\lambda) - \frac{1}{3}(\bar{d}_j^\lambda \gamma^\mu d_j^\lambda)) + \\ & \frac{ig}{4c_w} Z_\mu^0 (\bar{\nu}^\lambda \gamma^\mu (1 + \gamma^5) \nu^\lambda) + (e^2 \gamma^\mu (4s_w^2 - 1 - \gamma^5) e^\lambda) + (\bar{d}_j^\lambda \gamma^\mu (\frac{2}{3}s_w^2 - 1 - \gamma^5) d_j^\lambda) + \\ & (\bar{u}_j^\lambda \gamma^\mu (1 - \frac{2}{3}s_w^2 + \gamma^5) u_j^\lambda)) + \frac{ig}{2\sqrt{2}} W_\mu^+ (\bar{\nu}^\lambda \gamma^\mu (1 + \gamma^5) U^{lep} \nu_\lambda e^\mu) + (\bar{u}_j^\lambda \gamma^\mu (1 + \gamma^5) C_{\lambda c} d_j^\lambda) + \\ & \frac{ig}{2\sqrt{2}} W_\mu^- ((e^2 U^{lep} \nu_\lambda \gamma^\mu (1 + \gamma^5) \nu^\lambda) + (\bar{d}_j^\lambda C_{\lambda c} \gamma^\mu (1 + \gamma^5) u_j^\lambda)) + \\ & \frac{ig}{2M\sqrt{2}} \phi^+ (-m_\ell^2 (\bar{\nu}^\lambda U^{lep} \nu_\lambda (1 - \gamma^5) e^\mu) + m_\nu^2 (\bar{\nu}^\lambda U^{lep} \nu_\lambda (1 + \gamma^5) e^\mu) + \\ & \frac{ig}{2M\sqrt{2}} \phi^- (m_\ell^2 (e^\lambda U^{lep} \nu_\lambda (1 + \gamma^5) \nu^\lambda) - m_\nu^2 (e^\lambda U^{lep} \nu_\lambda (1 - \gamma^5) \nu^\lambda) - \frac{g}{2} \frac{m_\nu^2}{M} H (\bar{\nu}^\lambda \nu^\lambda) - \\ & \frac{g}{2} \frac{m_\nu^2}{M} H (e^\lambda e^\lambda) + \frac{ig}{2} \frac{m_\nu^2}{M} \phi^0 (\bar{\nu}^\lambda \gamma^5 \nu^\lambda) - \frac{ig}{2} \frac{m_\nu^2}{M} \phi^0 (e^\lambda \gamma^5 e^\lambda) - \frac{1}{4} \bar{\nu}_\lambda M_{\lambda c}^R (1 - \gamma_5) \nu_\lambda - \\ & \frac{1}{4} \bar{\nu}_\lambda M_{\lambda c}^R (1 - \gamma_5) \nu_\lambda + \frac{ig}{2M\sqrt{2}} \phi^+ (-m_\ell^2 (\bar{u}_j^\lambda C_{\lambda c} (1 - \gamma^5) d_j^\lambda) + m_\nu^2 (\bar{u}_j^\lambda C_{\lambda c} (1 + \gamma^5) d_j^\lambda) + \\ & \frac{ig}{2M\sqrt{2}} \phi^- (m_\ell^2 (\bar{d}_j^\lambda C_{\lambda c}^+ (1 + \gamma^5) u_j^\lambda) - m_\nu^2 (\bar{d}_j^\lambda C_{\lambda c}^+ (1 - \gamma^5) u_j^\lambda) - \frac{g}{2} \frac{m_\nu^2}{M} H (\bar{u}_j^\lambda u_j^\lambda) - \\ & \frac{g}{2} \frac{m_\nu^2}{M} H (\bar{d}_j^\lambda d_j^\lambda) + \frac{ig}{2} \frac{m_\nu^2}{M} \phi^0 (\bar{u}_j^\lambda \gamma^5 u_j^\lambda) - \frac{ig}{2} \frac{m_\nu^2}{M} \phi^0 (\bar{d}_j^\lambda \gamma^5 d_j^\lambda) + \bar{C}^0 \partial^2 C^0 + g_s f^{abc} \partial_\mu \bar{C}^0 G^b G^c + \\ & \bar{X}^+ (\partial^2 - M^2) X^+ + \bar{X}^- (\partial^2 - M^2) X^- + \bar{X}^0 (\partial^2 - \frac{M^2}{c_w^2}) X^0 + \bar{Y} \partial^2 Y + ig_{cw} W_\mu^+ (\partial_\mu \bar{X}^0 X^- - \\ & \partial_\mu \bar{X}^+ X^0) + ig_{sw} W_\mu^+ (\partial_\mu \bar{Y} X^- - \partial_\mu \bar{X}^+ Y) + ig_{cw} W_\mu^- (\partial_\mu \bar{X}^- X^0 - \\ & \partial_\mu \bar{X}^0 X^+) + ig_{sw} W_\mu^- (\partial_\mu \bar{X}^- Y - \partial_\mu \bar{Y} X^+) + ig_{cw} Z_\mu^0 (\partial_\mu \bar{X}^+ X^- - \\ & \partial_\mu \bar{X}^- X^0) + ig_{sw} A_\mu (\partial_\mu \bar{X}^+ X^- - \\ & \partial_\mu \bar{X}^- X^0) - \frac{1}{2}gM (\bar{X}^+ X^+ H + \bar{X}^- X^- H + \frac{1}{c_w} \bar{X}^0 X^0 H) + \frac{1-2c_w^2}{2c_w} igM (\bar{X}^+ X^0 \phi^+ - \bar{X}^- X^0 \phi^-) + \\ & \frac{1}{2c_w} igM (\bar{X}^0 X^- \phi^+ - \bar{X}^0 X^+ \phi^-) + igM s_w (\bar{X}^0 X^- \phi^+ - \bar{X}^0 X^+ \phi^-) + \\ & \frac{1}{2}igM (\bar{X}^+ X^+ \phi^0 - \bar{X}^- X^- \phi^0) . \end{aligned}$$

$$d\hat{\sigma}_{\text{NNLO}} = \frac{1}{2s} \int d\Phi_n [|\mathcal{M}_{\text{LO}}|^2 + 2\text{Re}\{\mathcal{M}_{\text{LO}} \mathcal{M}_{\text{NLO},V}^*\} + 2\text{Re}\{\mathcal{M}_{\text{LO}} \mathcal{M}_{\text{NNLO},V}^*\}]$$

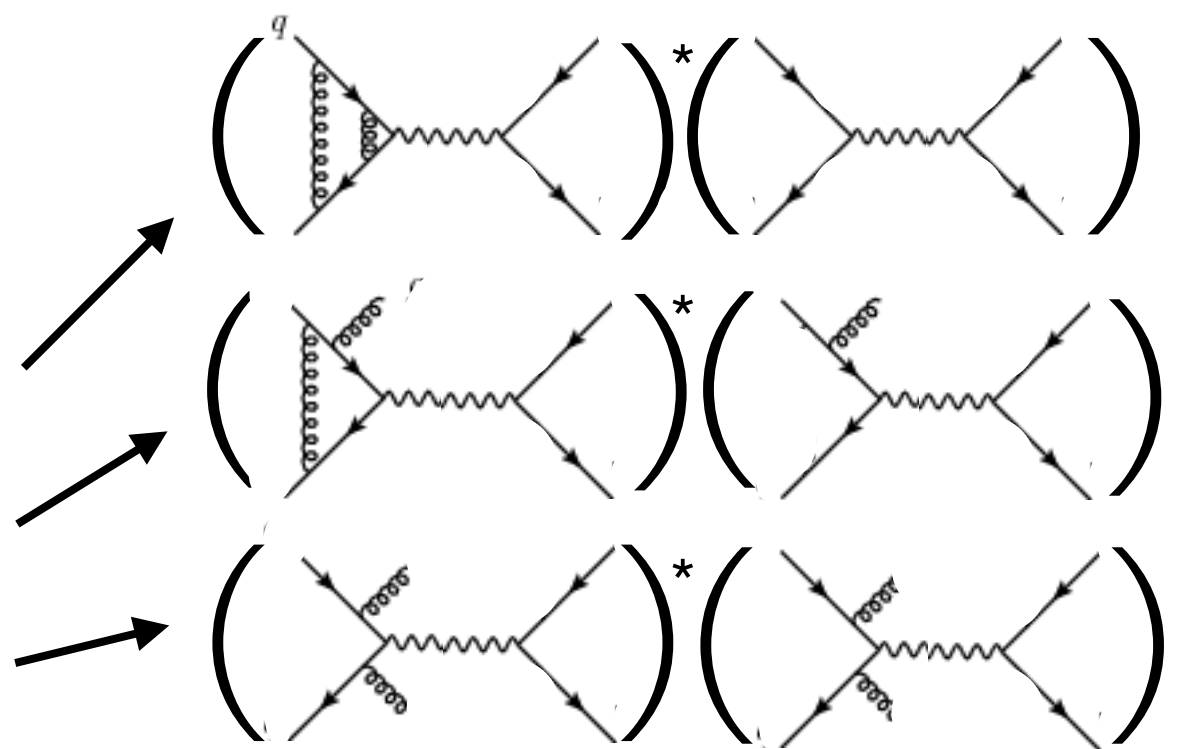
$$+ \frac{1}{2s} \int d\Phi_{n+1} [|\mathcal{M}_{\text{NLO},R}|^2 + 2\text{Re}\{\mathcal{M}_{\text{NLO},R} \mathcal{M}_{\text{NNLO},RV}^*\}] + \frac{1}{2s} \int d\Phi_{n+2} |\mathcal{M}_{\text{NNLO},RR}|^2$$

$$\text{NNLO} = \text{B} + \text{V} + \text{V}^2 + \dots$$

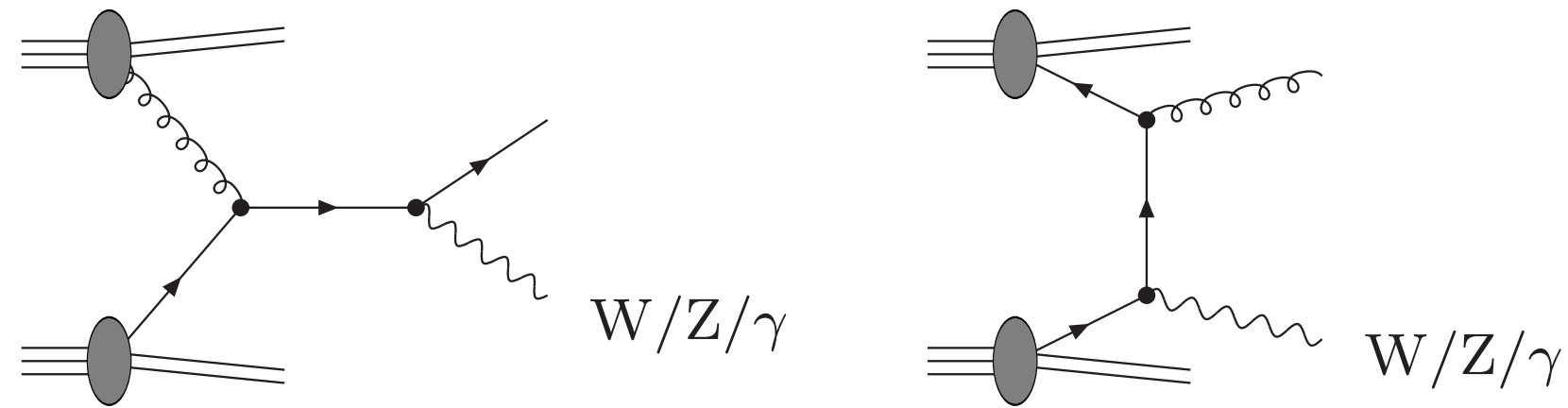
$$+ \text{R} + \text{RV} + \text{RR}$$



- $\int d\Phi_{n(+1)}$ n, n+1, n+2 particle phase space
- $\Delta_{\text{NLO}} \propto \alpha$
 - $\mathcal{M}_{\text{NLO},V}$ virtual one-loop matrix element
 - $\mathcal{M}_{\text{NLO},R}$ real tree-level matrix element
- $\Delta_{\text{NNLO}} \propto \alpha^2$
 - $\mathcal{M}_{\text{NNLO},V}$ double-virtual two-loop matrix element
 - $\mathcal{M}_{\text{NNLO},RV}$ real-virtual one-loop matrix element
 - $\mathcal{M}_{\text{NNLO},RR}$ double-real tree-level matrix element

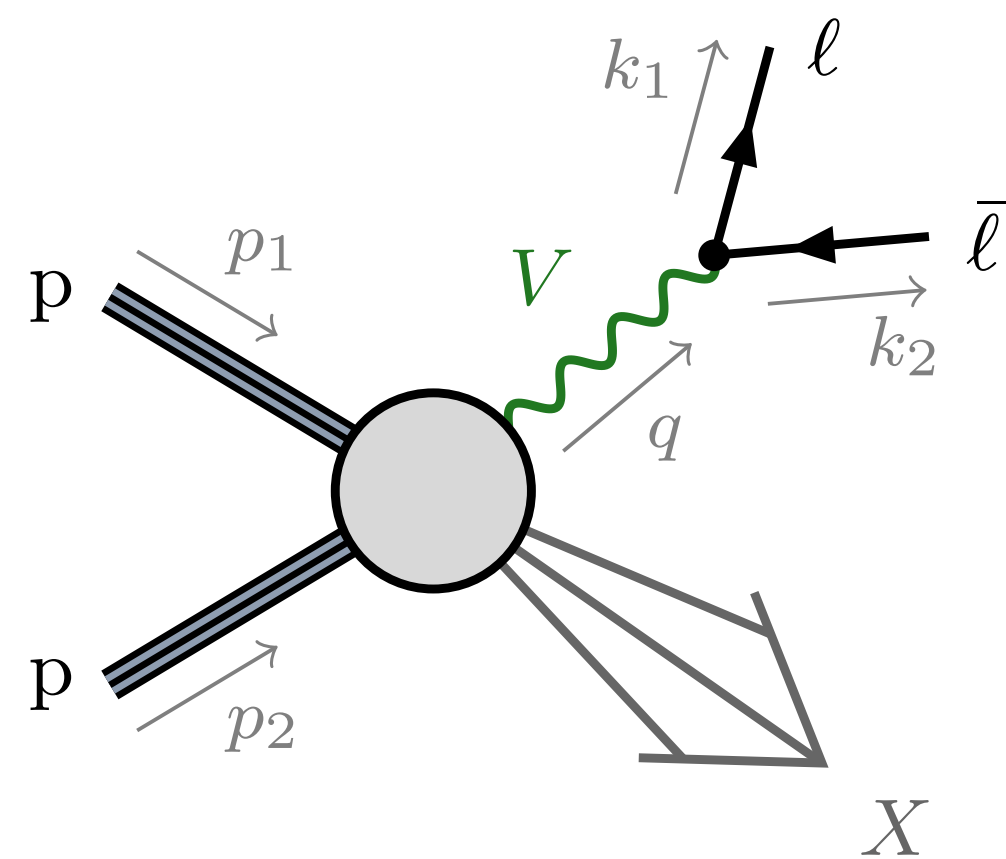


V+jets



- very important standard-candle (very clean and large x-sections)
- crucial background in many BSM searches
- allows for M_W and $\sin^2\theta^{\text{eff}}$ measurements

How to retain full differential information on the leptons in measurements?



lepton kinematics in the Z/γ^* (lepton-pair) rest frame:

$$k_{1,2}^\mu = \frac{\sqrt{q^2}}{2} (1, \pm \sin\theta \cos\phi, \pm \sin\theta \sin\phi, \pm \cos\theta)^T$$

Decomposition in terms of spherical harmonics:

$$Y_{lm}(\theta, \phi), \quad l = 0, 1, 2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d\sigma}{d^4q \, d\cos\theta \, d\phi} = \frac{3}{16\pi} \frac{d\sigma^{\text{unpol.}}}{d^4q} \left\{ \right. & (1 + \cos^2\theta) + \frac{1}{2} A_0 (1 - 3\cos^2\theta) \\ & + A_1 \sin(2\theta) \cos\phi + \frac{1}{2} A_2 \sin^2\theta \cos(2\phi) \\ & + A_3 \sin\theta \cos\phi + A_4 \cos\theta + A_5 \sin^2\theta \sin(2\phi) \\ & \left. + A_6 \sin(2\theta) \sin\phi + A_7 \sin\theta \sin\phi \right\}, \end{aligned}$$

dominant angular coefficients: $A_{0,\dots,4}$

parity even: $A_{0,1,2}$

parity odd: $A_{3,4}$

\rightsquigarrow probed by γ^* & Z exchange

\rightsquigarrow sensitive to $\sin^2\theta_w$, $A_4 \leftrightarrow A_{\text{FB}}$

V+jets

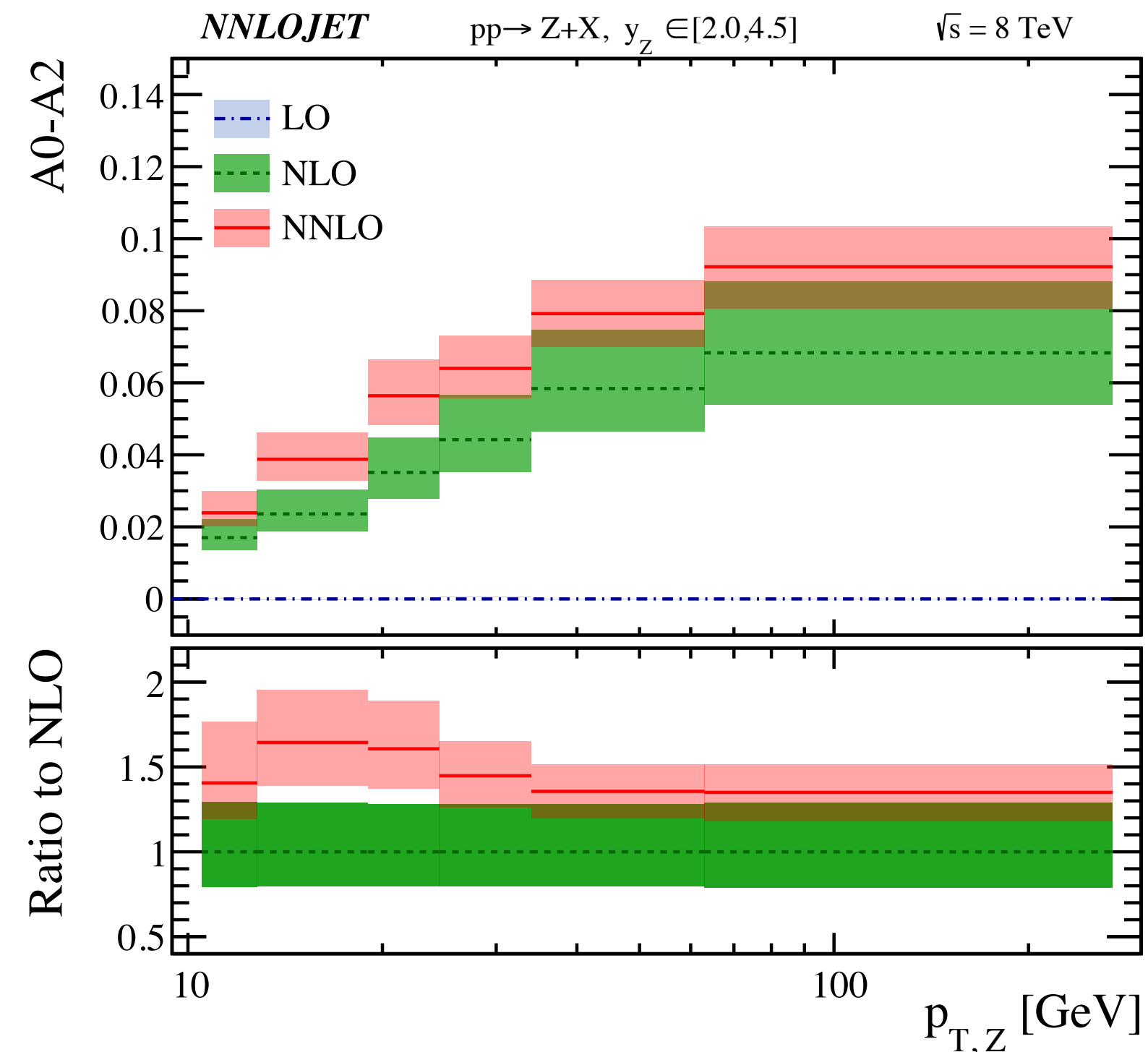
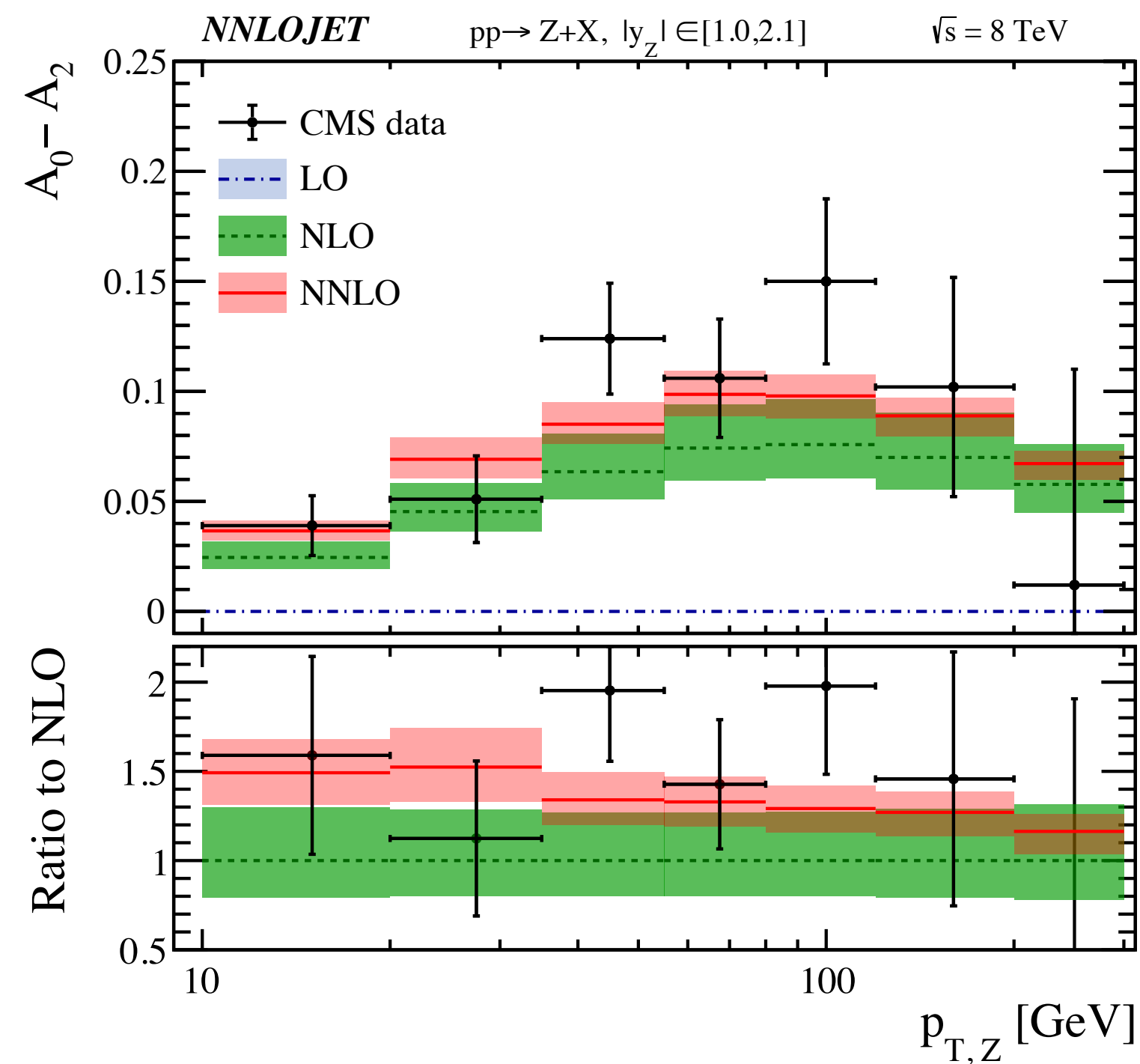
Lam-Tung relation:

$$A_0 - A_2 = 0$$

- ✓ @ $\mathcal{O}(\alpha_s^0)$ spin- $\frac{1}{2}$ nature of quarks \leftrightarrow Callan-Gross ($F_2 = 2xF_1$)
- ✓ @ $\mathcal{O}(\alpha_s^1)$ vector coupling of spin-1 gluon
- ✗ @ $\mathcal{O}(\alpha_s^2)$ \rightsquigarrow DY @ NNLO only **LO** prediction in $(A_0 - A_2)$!

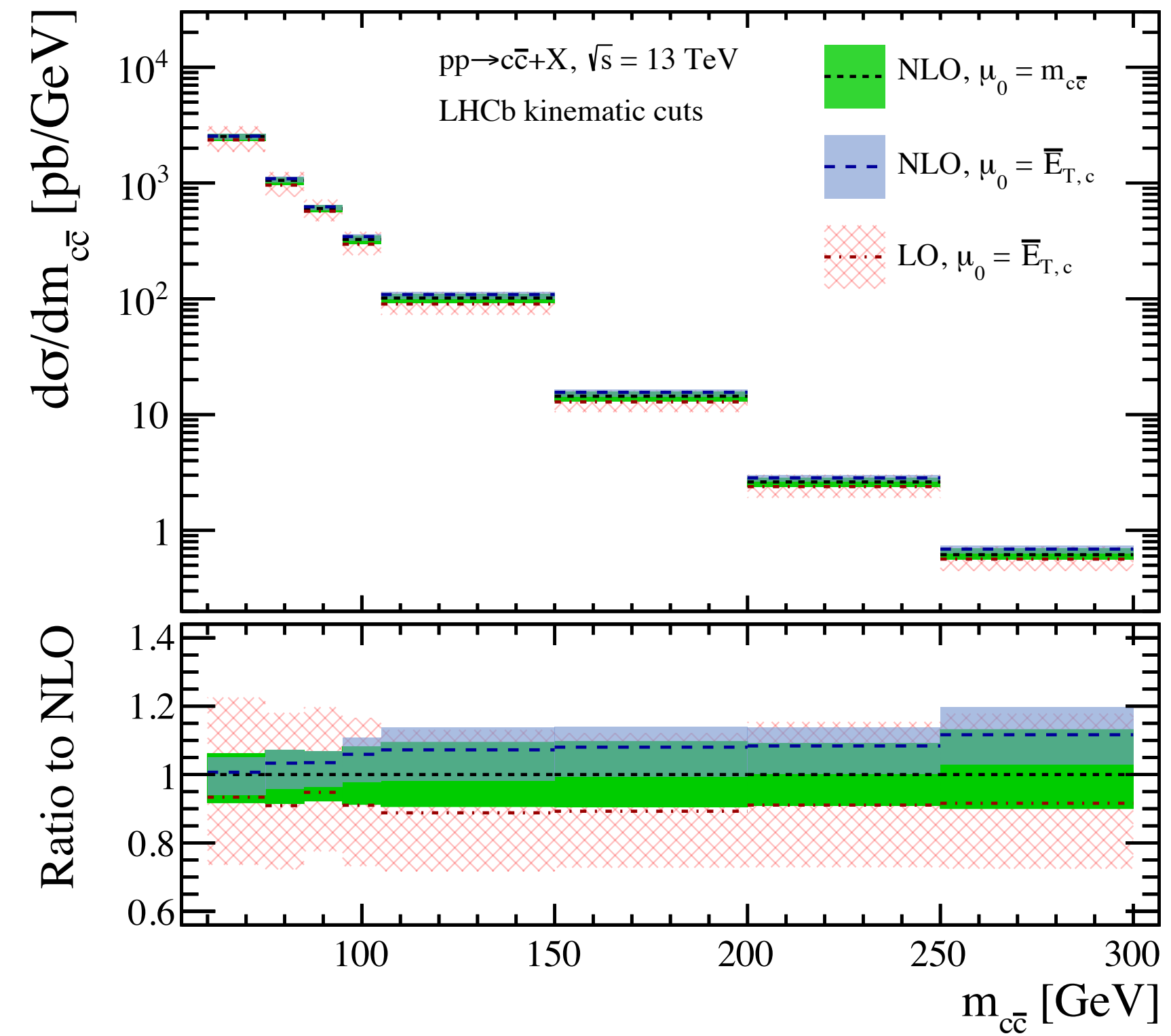
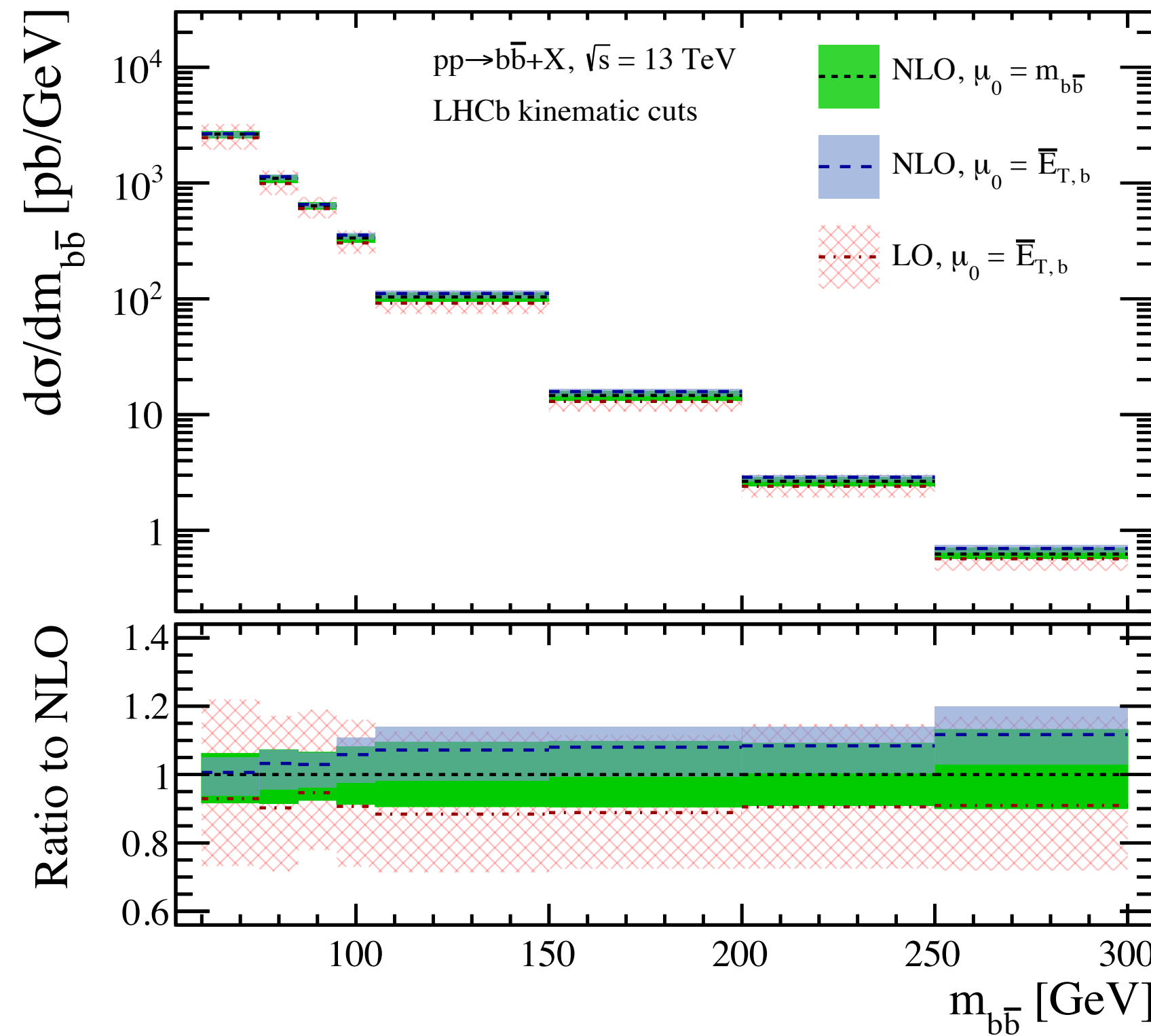
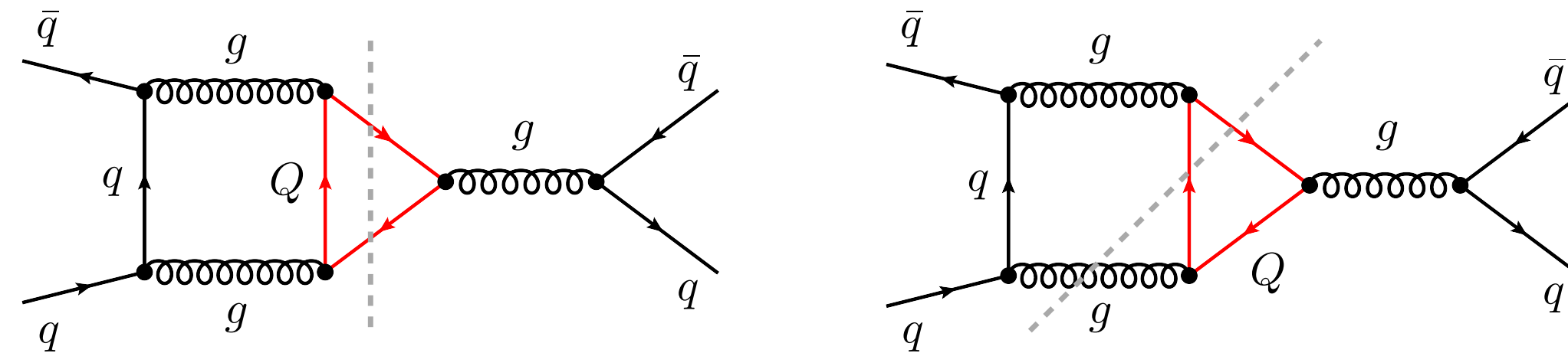
➔ V+jet @ NNLO yields $\mathcal{O}(\alpha_s^3)$, i.e. $(A_0 - A_2)$ at NLO

[Gauld, Gehrmann-De Ridder, Gehrmann, Glover, Huss, 1708.00008]



HF hadroproduction

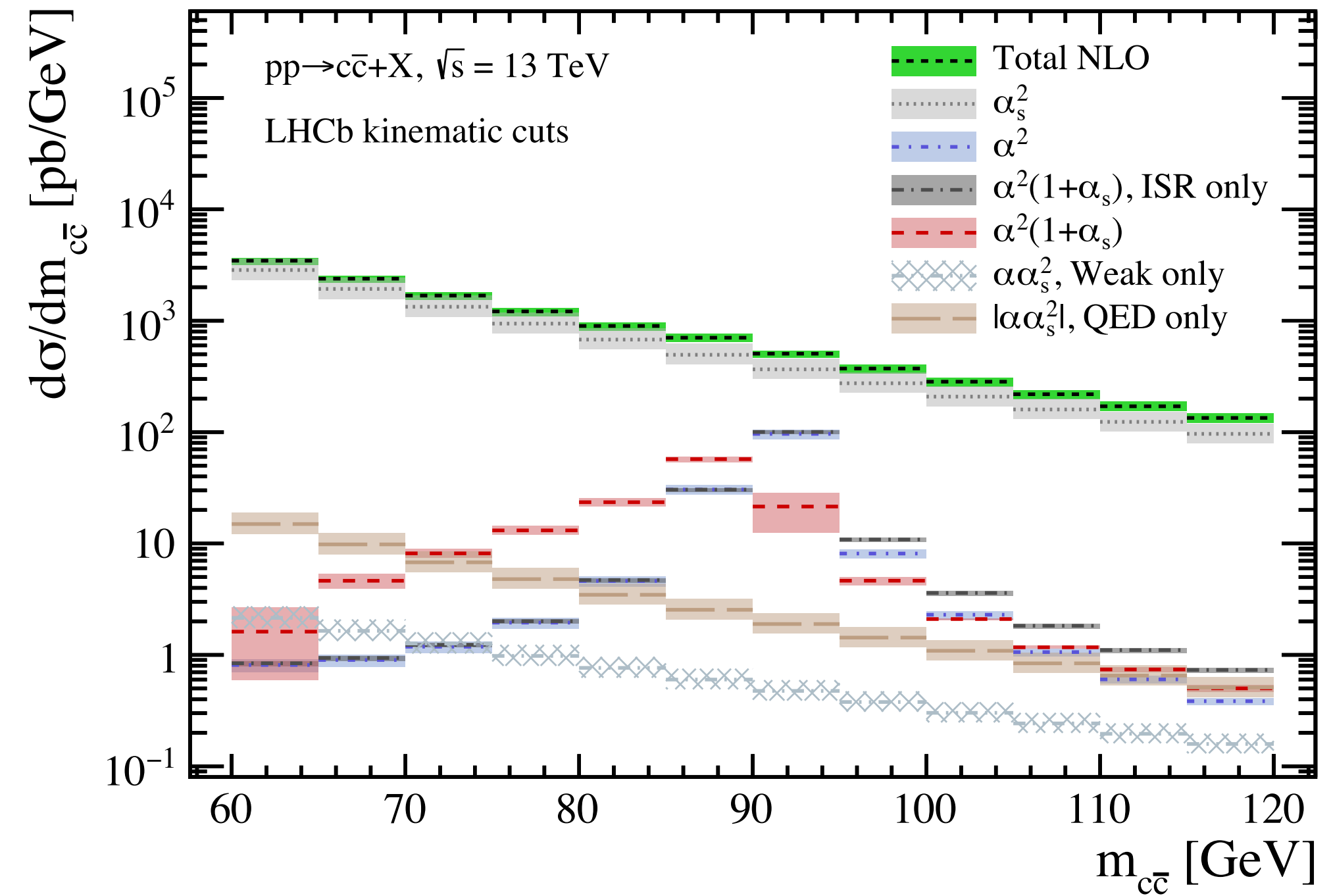
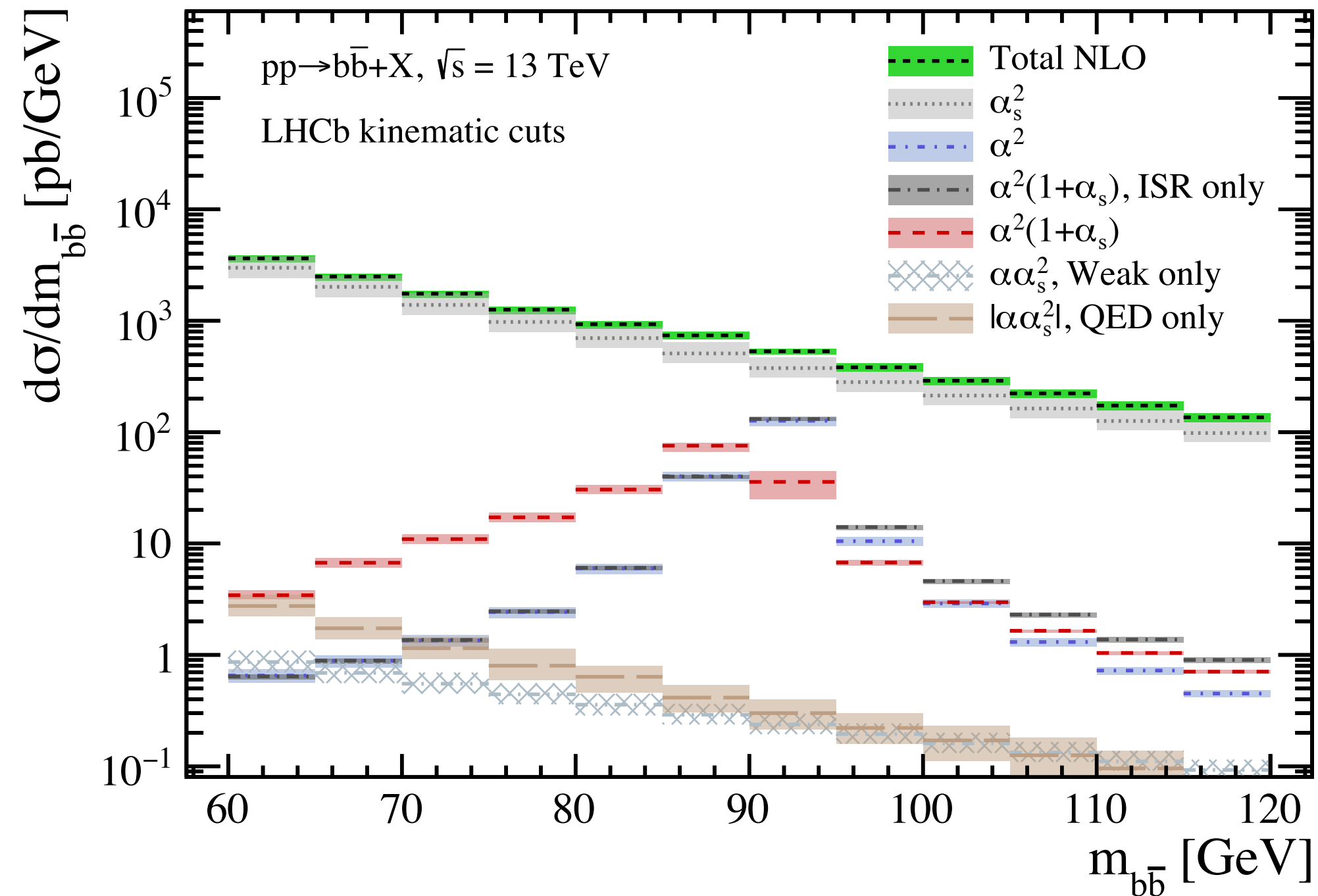
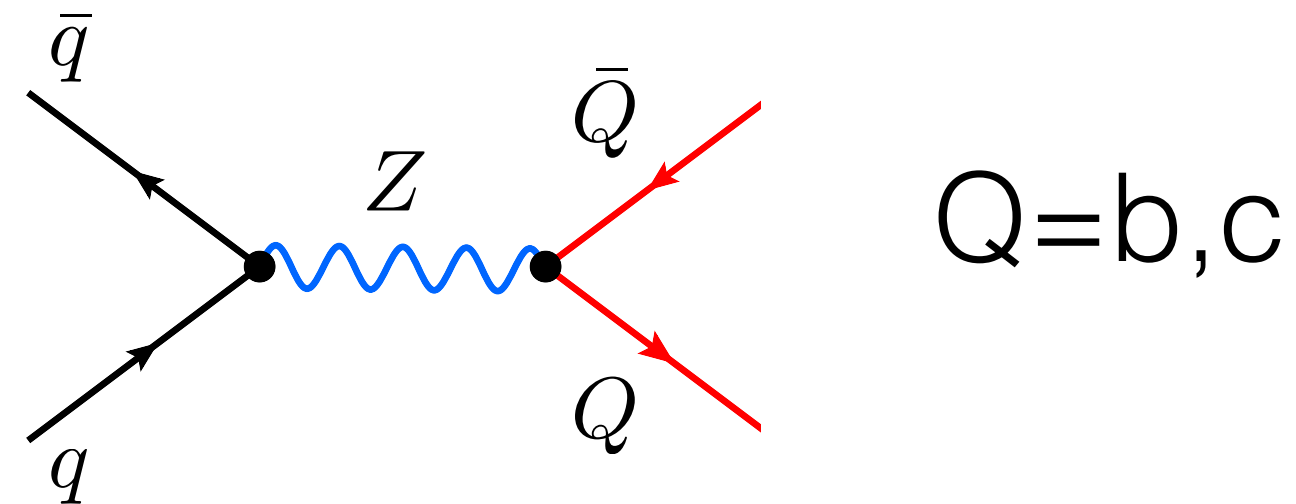
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Dominant uncertainty = Scale variation +/- 10%

HF hadroproduction

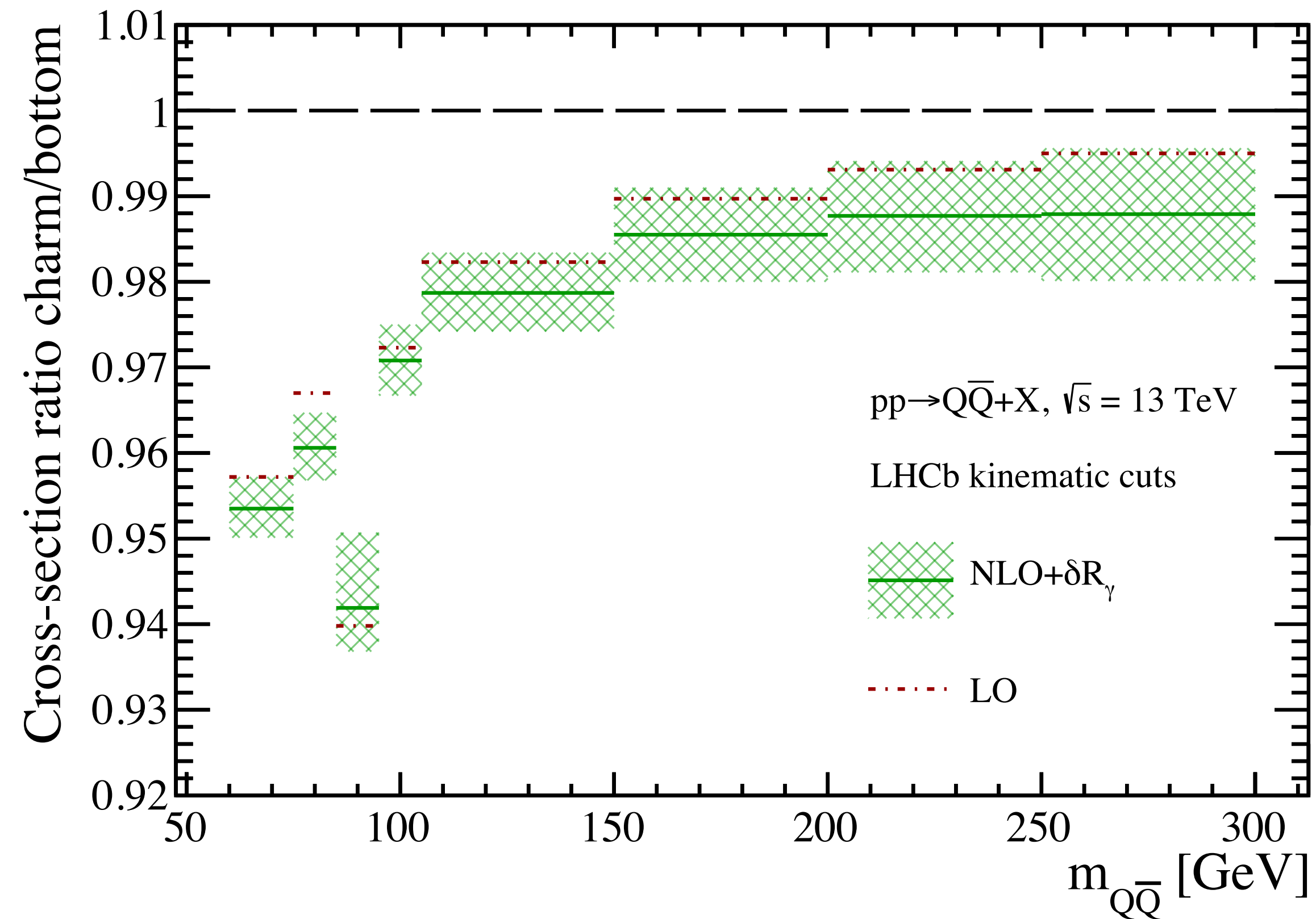
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- QCD always dominant
- EW and QCD-EW contributions typically (1-10)%
- Proper treatment of FSR corrections important

HF hadroproduction: ratio

[Gauld, Haisch, Pecjak, 1901.0757]



Continuum

- Mass effects ($m_b = 4.75$ GeV, $m_c = 1.5$ GeV)
- QED effects ($Q_c=2/3$, $Q_b=1/3$)

Z-boson Resonance

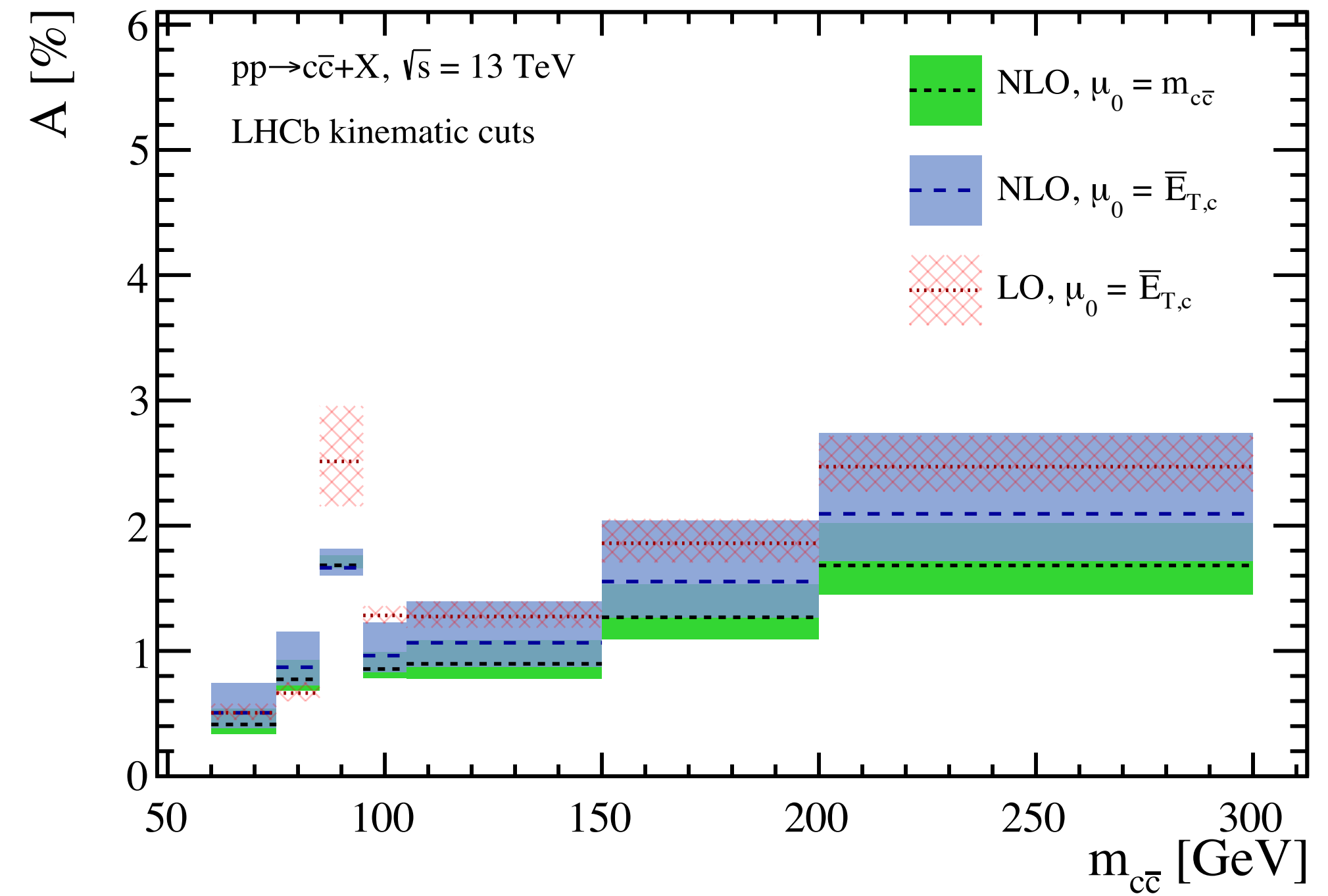
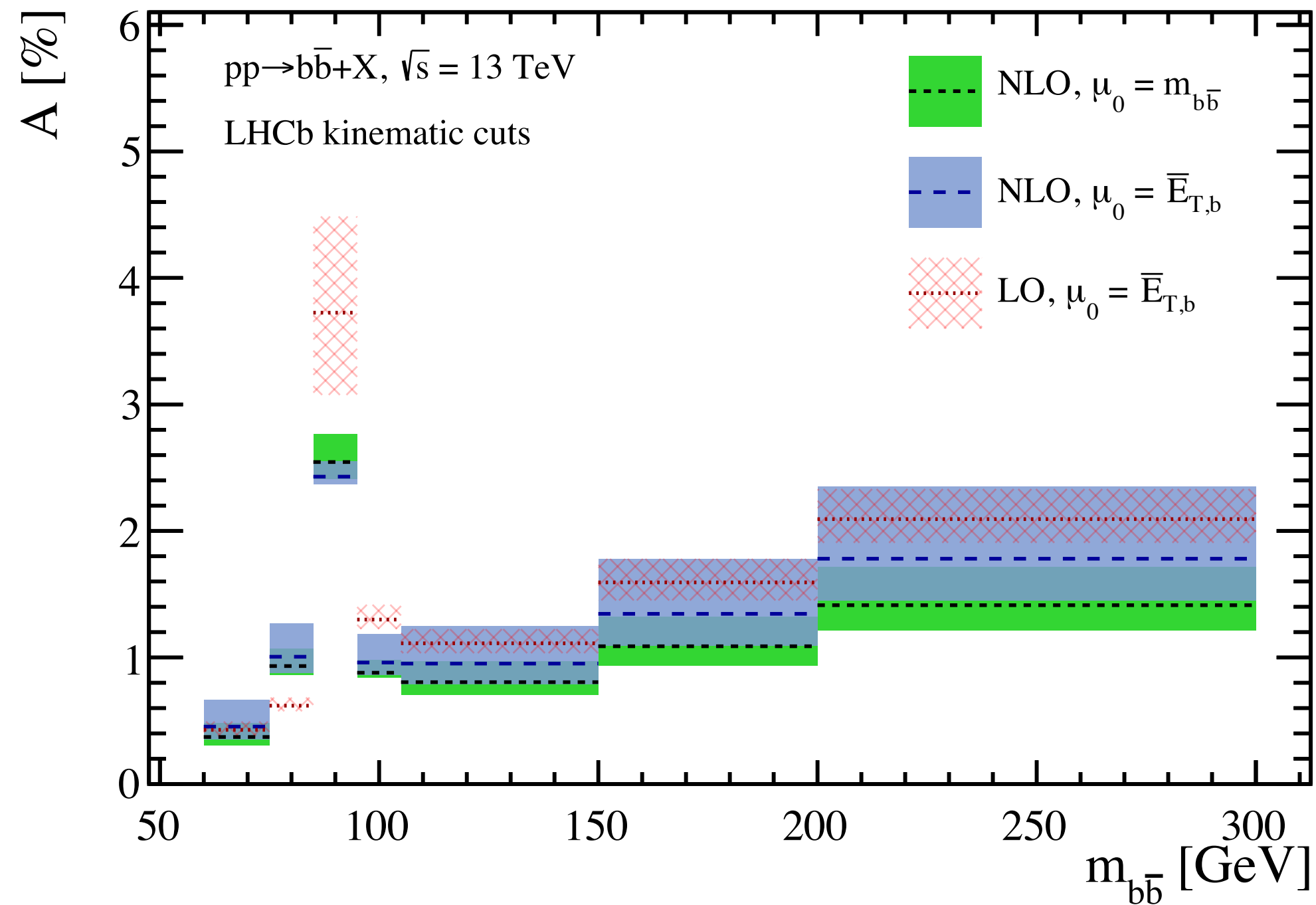
- Weak effects (Z_{bb} vs Z_{cc} couplings)

HF hadroproduction: asymmetry

[Gauld, Haisch, Pecjak, 1901.0757]

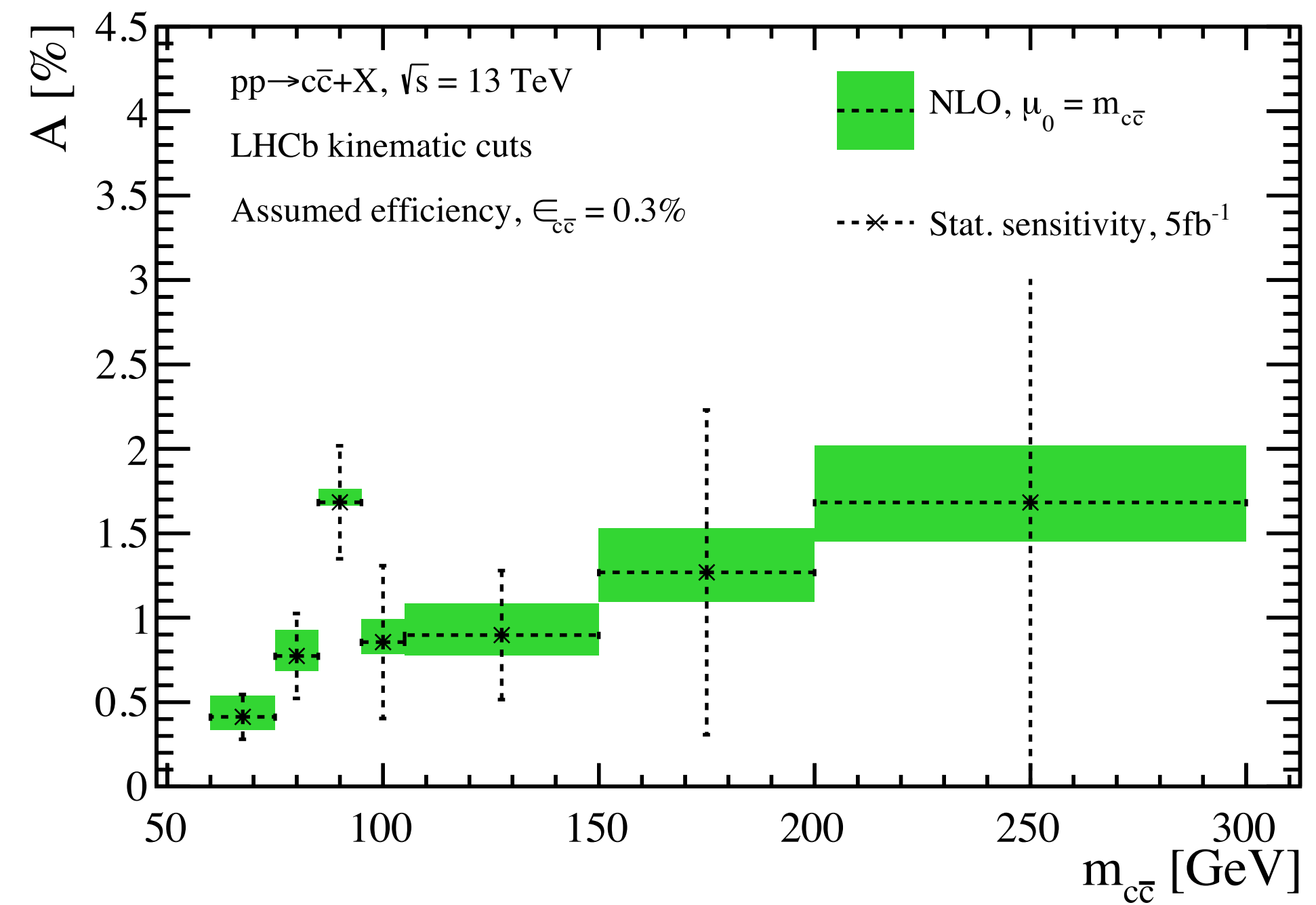
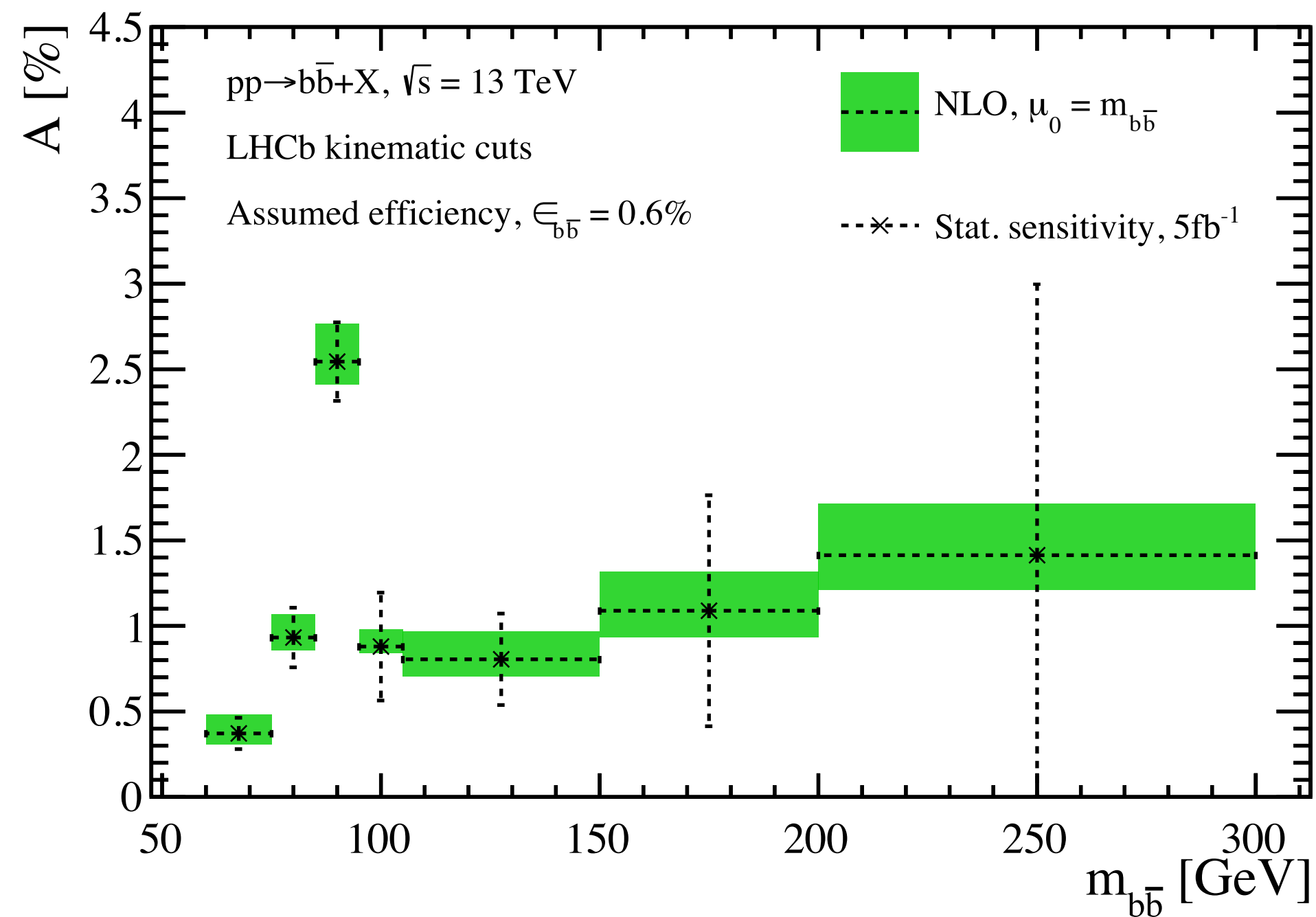
$$\frac{dA}{dm_{Q\bar{Q}}} = \left(\frac{d\sigma_S}{dm_{Q\bar{Q}}} \right)^{-1} \left(\frac{d\sigma_A}{dm_{Q\bar{Q}}} \Big|_{\Delta y > 0} - \frac{d\sigma_A}{dm_{Q\bar{Q}}} \Big|_{\Delta y < 0} \right)$$

$$\Delta y = y_Q - y_{\bar{Q}}$$



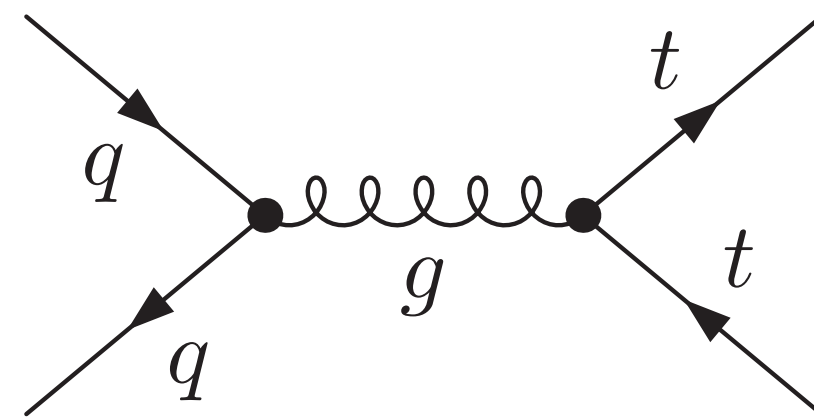
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- ➔ Sensitivity on Z_{bb} and Z_{cc} couplings!
- ➔ Could this even compete with $A_{\text{FB, LEP}}^b$ (long-lasting 3σ deviation)?
- ➔ Percent level precision required....
- ➔ This requires NNLO QCD and good control of exp. systematics.
- ➔ Feasible!

Top quark production in the forward region



- Only partial reconstruction of decay products possible
- Complementary information to ATLAS and CMS

[HL/HE Report '19]

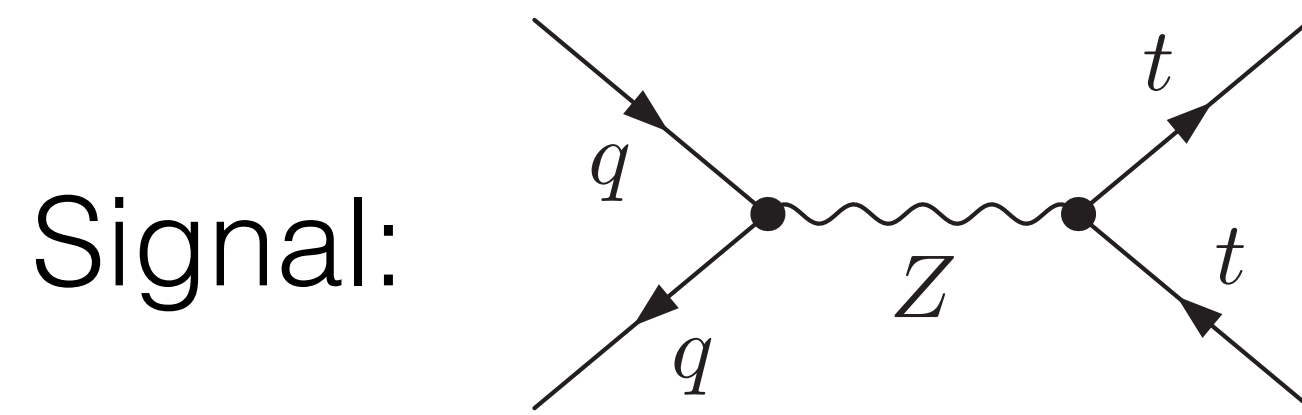
Final state	300 fb^{-1}	$\langle x \rangle$
lb	830k	0.295
$lb\bar{b}$	130k	0.368
μeb	12k	0.348
$\mu eb\bar{b}$	1.5k	0.415

➡ measurements at sub-percent level feasible

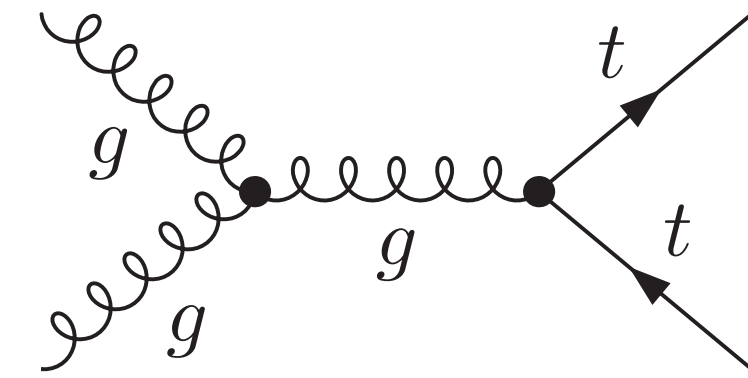
➡ measurements at percent level feasible

➡ Significant constraints on gluon PDF in forward region possible

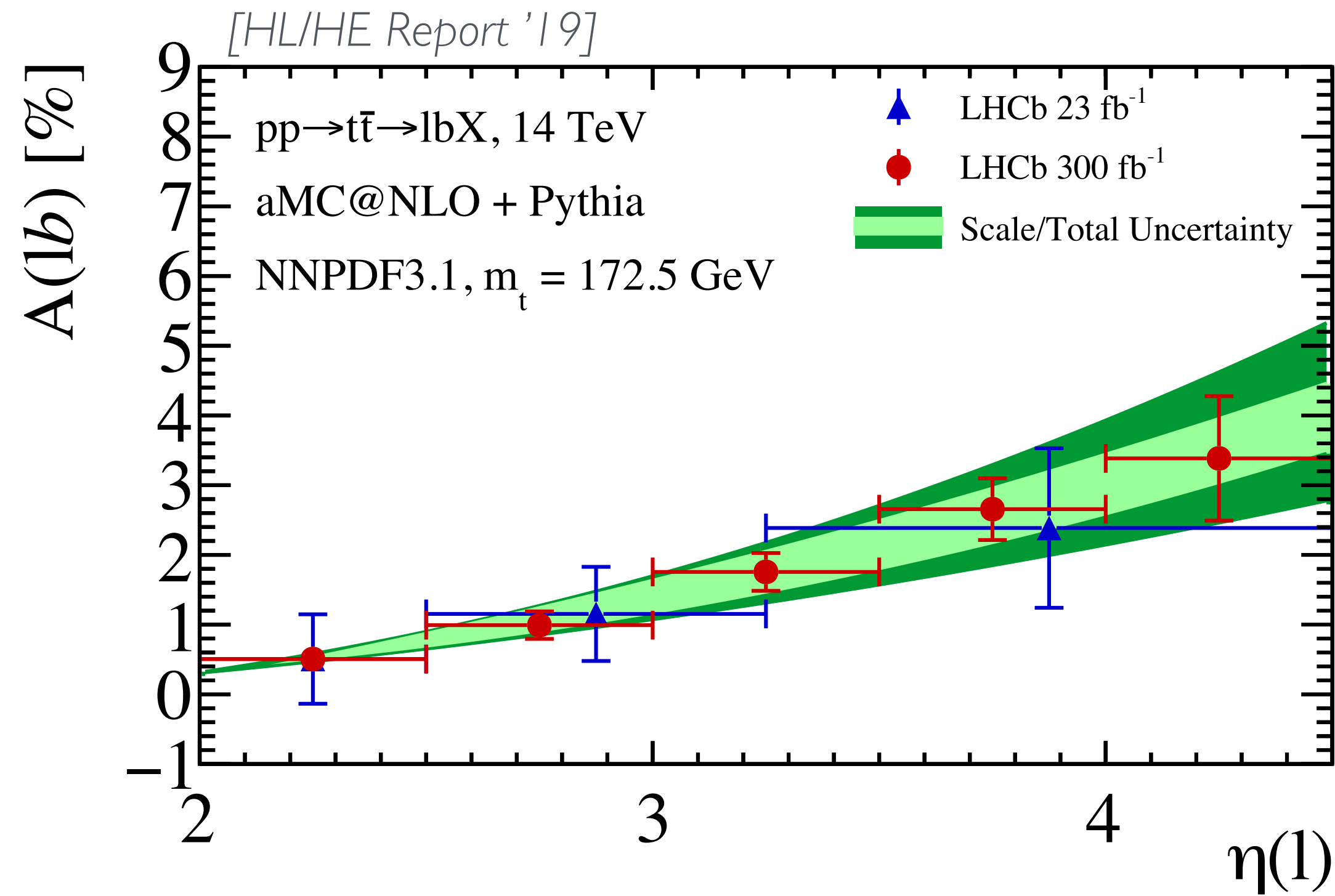
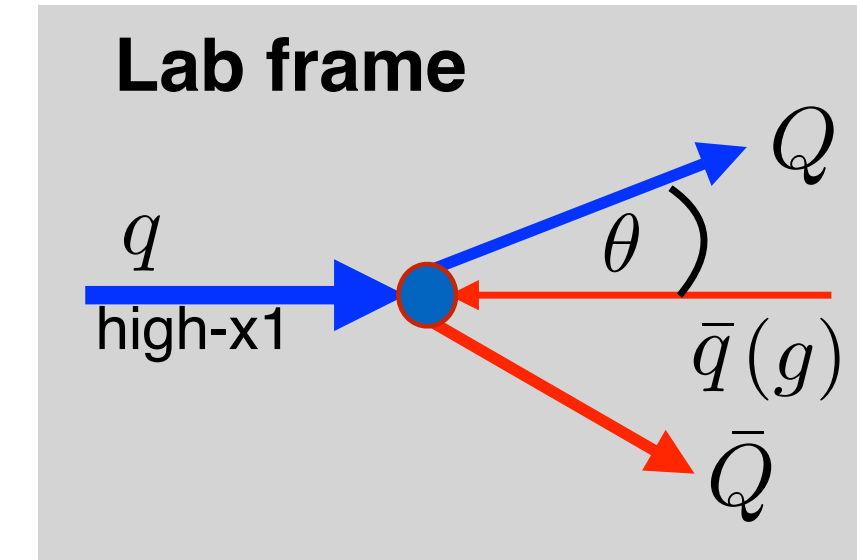
Top quark charge asymmetries at LHCb



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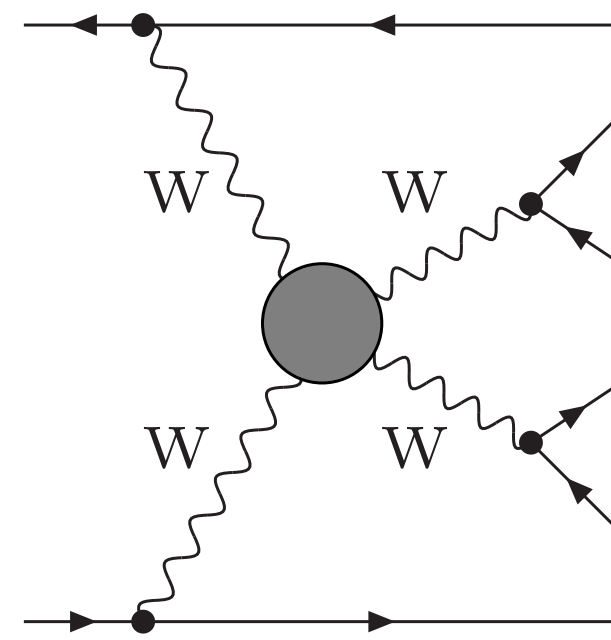


➔ Enhanced sensitivity in forward region due to increased quark content

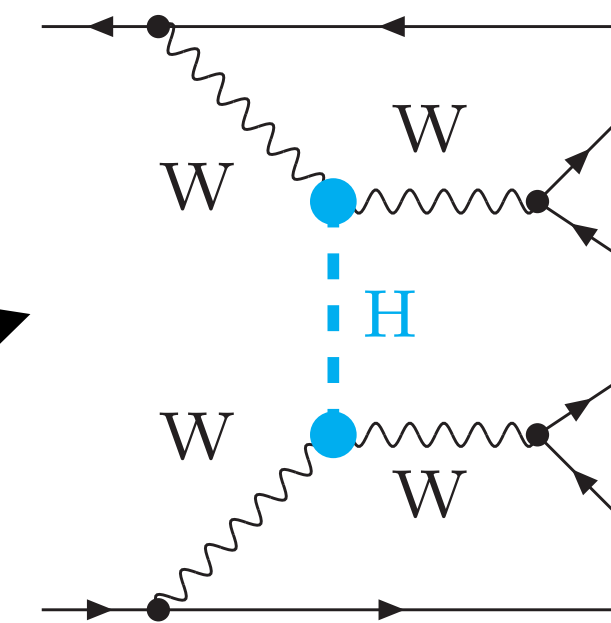


➔ Sufficient sensitivity for non-zero charge asymmetry at HL-LHC

Rare EW processes: VBS

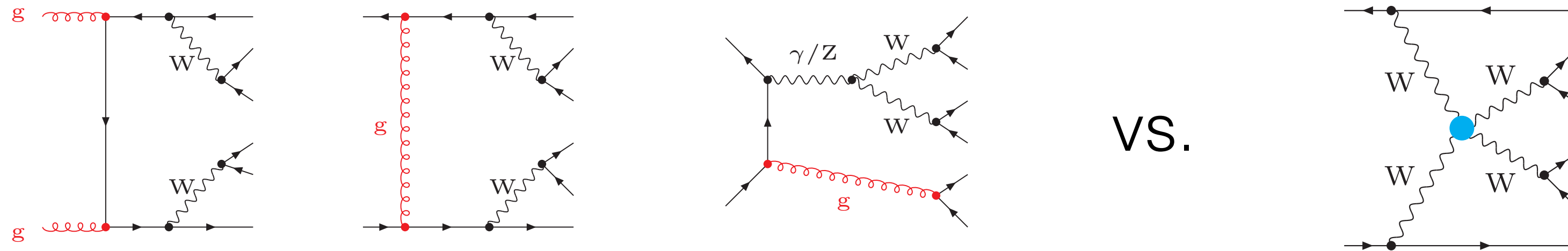


- direct access to quartic EW gauge couplings
- VBS: longitudinal gauge bosons at high energies
- window to electroweak symmetry breaking via off-shell Higgs exchange



VBS

Note: severe QCD background to VBS signatures + interference:



VS.

$$d\sigma = d\sigma(\alpha_S^2 \alpha^4) + d\sigma(\alpha_S \alpha^5) + d\sigma(\alpha^6) + \dots$$

LO

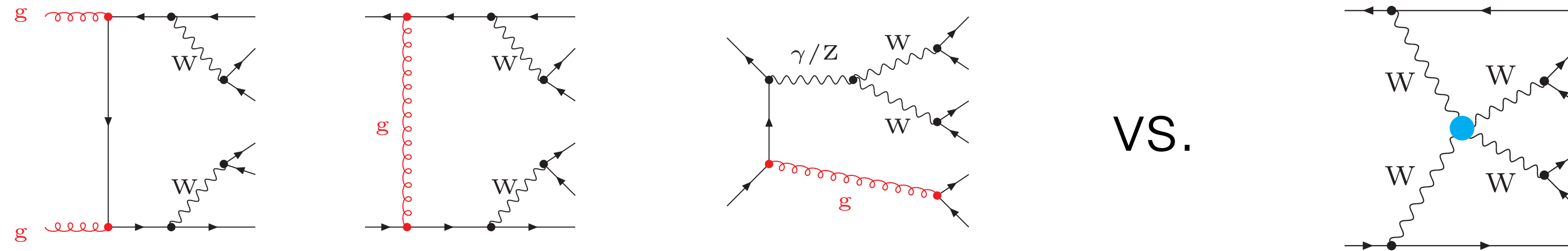
QCD-background

interference

VBS-signal

VBS

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LO

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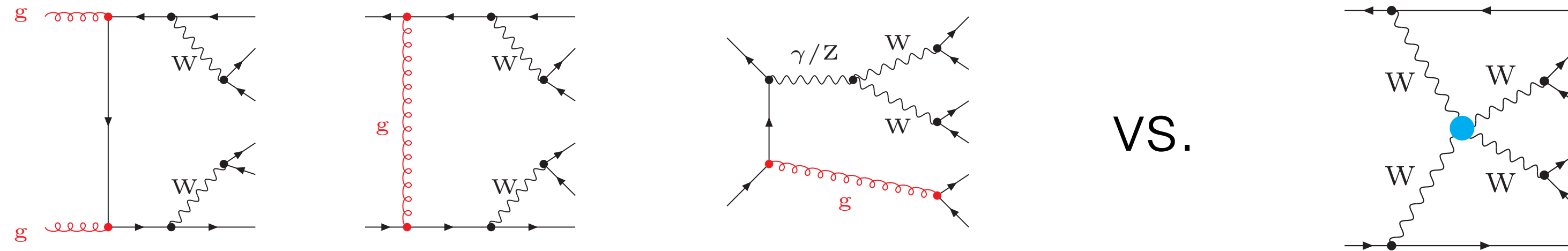
VBS-signal

$$\dots + d\sigma(\alpha_S^3 \alpha^4) + d\sigma(\alpha_S^2 \alpha^5) + d\sigma(\alpha_S \alpha^6) + \sigma(\alpha^7)$$

NLO

VBS

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$$d\sigma = d\sigma(\alpha_S^2 \alpha^4) + d\sigma(\alpha_S \alpha^5) + d\sigma(\alpha^6) + \dots$$

LO



$$\dots + d\sigma(\alpha_S^3 \alpha^4) + d\sigma(\alpha_S^2 \alpha^5) + d\sigma(\alpha_S \alpha^6) + \sigma(\alpha^7)$$

NLO

“NLO QCD”

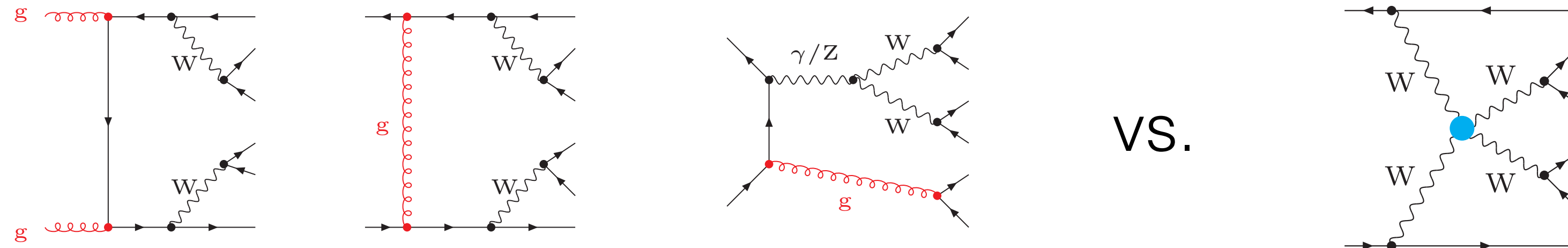
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“NLO QCD”

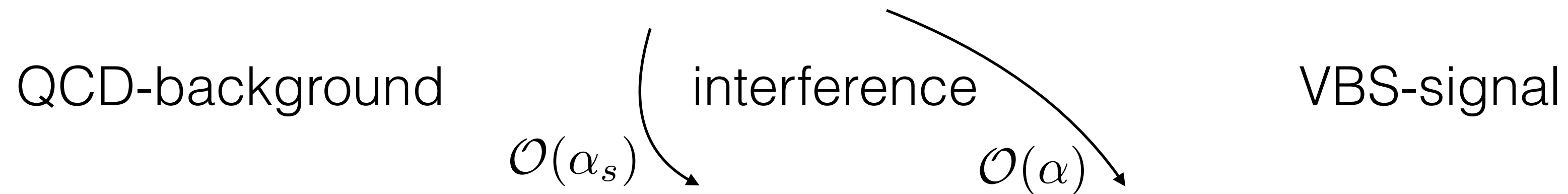
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$$d\sigma = d\sigma(\alpha_S^2 \alpha^4) + d\sigma(\alpha_S \alpha^5) + d\sigma(\alpha^6) + \dots \quad \text{LO}$$



$$\dots + d\sigma(\alpha_S^3 \alpha^4) + d\sigma(\alpha_S^2 \alpha^5) + d\sigma(\alpha_S \alpha^6) + \sigma(\alpha^7) \quad \text{NLO}$$

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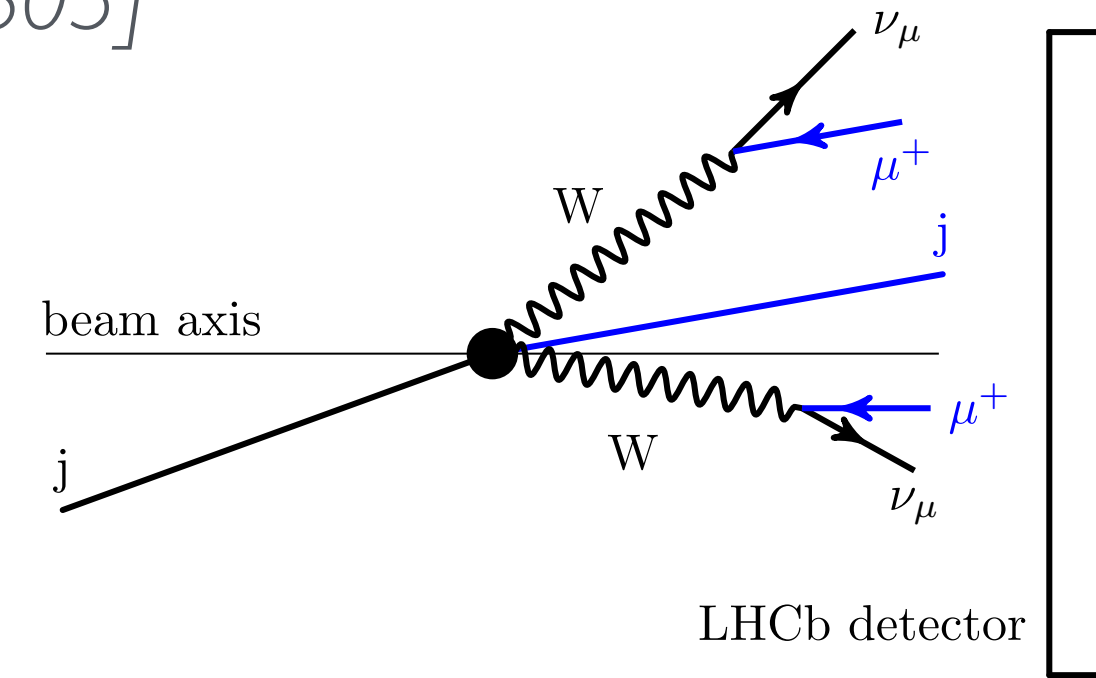
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➡ separation meaningless at NLO

VBS at LHCb

[Pellen, 1908.06805]

Signature: $\ell^+ \ell^+ j$

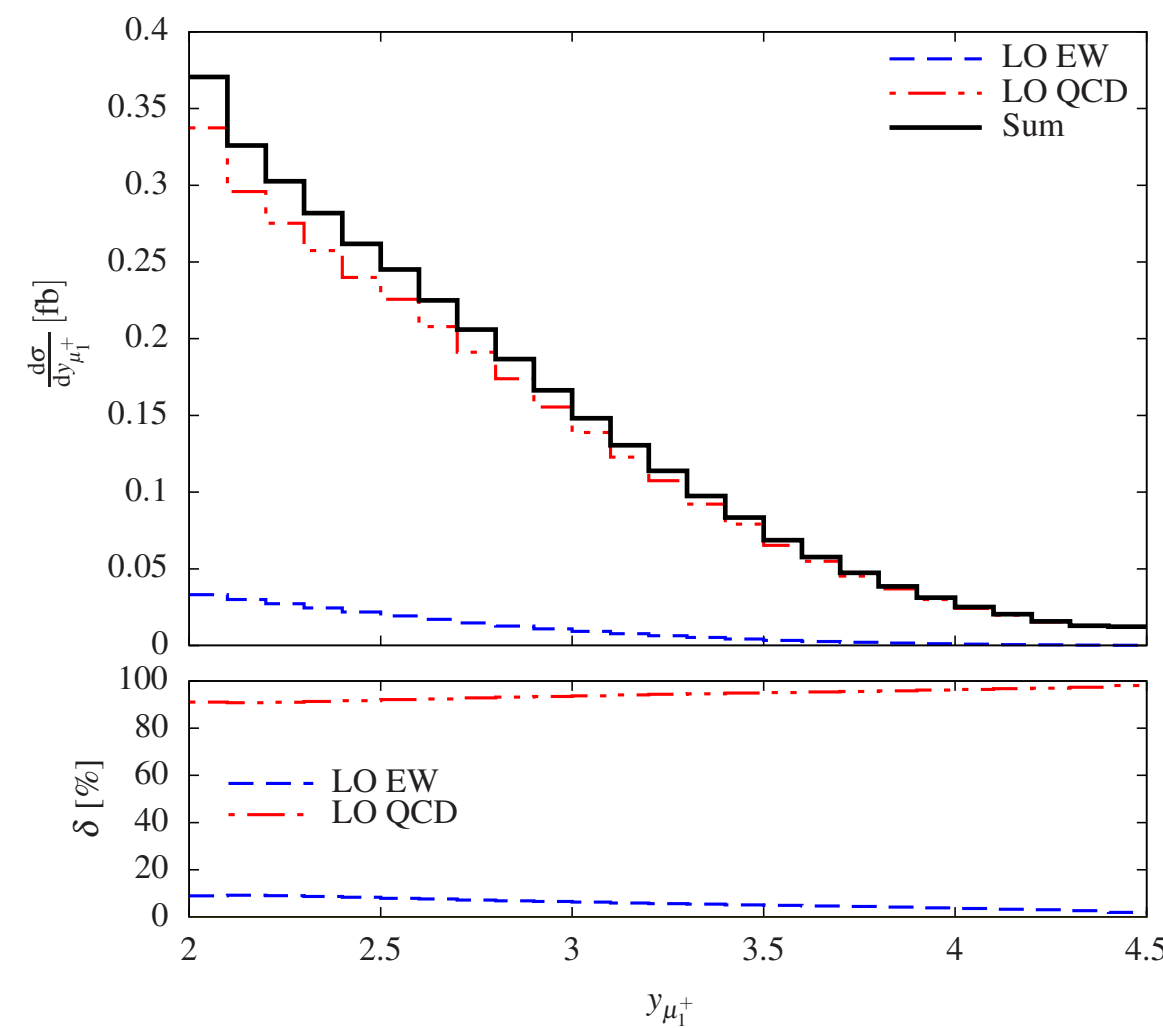
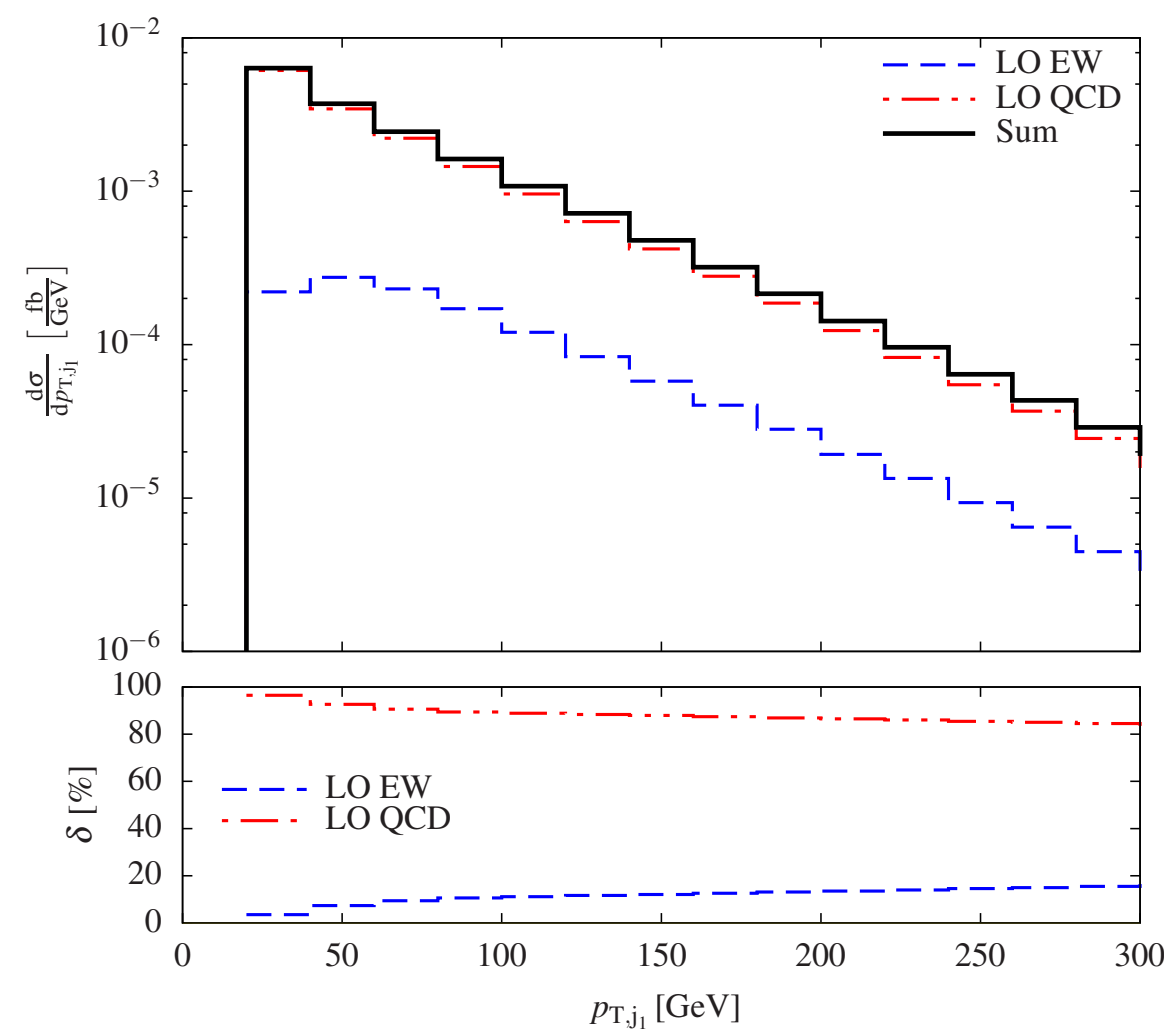


$$\begin{aligned}
 p_{T,j} &> 20 \text{ GeV}, & 2.2 < \eta_j < 4.2, \\
 p_{T,\mu^+} &> 20 \text{ GeV}, & 2.0 < y_{\mu^+} < 4.5, \\
 \Delta R_{j\mu^+} &> 0.5.
 \end{aligned}$$

- pp $\rightarrow \mu^+ \nu_\mu \mu^+ \nu_\mu jj$ (ss WW),
- pp $\rightarrow \mu^+ \nu_\mu \mu^+ \mu^- jj$ (WZ),
- pp $\rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^- \mu^+ \mu^- jj$ (ZZ),

Channel	σ_{EW} [fb]	σ_{QCD} [fb]	σ_{EW}/σ_{QCD}
ss WW	0.0185(1)	0.0104(1)	1.78
WZ	0.0071(1)	0.2952(4)	0.02
ZZ	0.0003(1)	0.0161(1)	0.02
Sum	0.0258(1)	0.3217(4)	0.08

$\longrightarrow \sigma_{\ell^+ \ell'^+} \simeq 1.3 \text{ fb}$



\longrightarrow VBS @ LHCb might be feasible!

Conclusions

- SM is in excellent shape
- High-precision (Theo + Exp) allows to push limits to unprecedented levels (LHC completes LEP)
- Important complementarity in phase-space accessible by LHCb
- (N)NLO QCD + NLO EW is the new standard: V+jets, tt, HF, VBS
- Explore the unknown

New theoretical, mathematical, and computational concepts

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Possible technical developments towards HL/HE-LHC

- NNLO QCD + PS
- PS matching and multi-jet merging @ NLO QCD+EW
- NNLO QCD for $2 \rightarrow 3(4)$
- NNLO QCD_xEW & NNLO EW
- N3LO QCD for $2 \rightarrow 2$

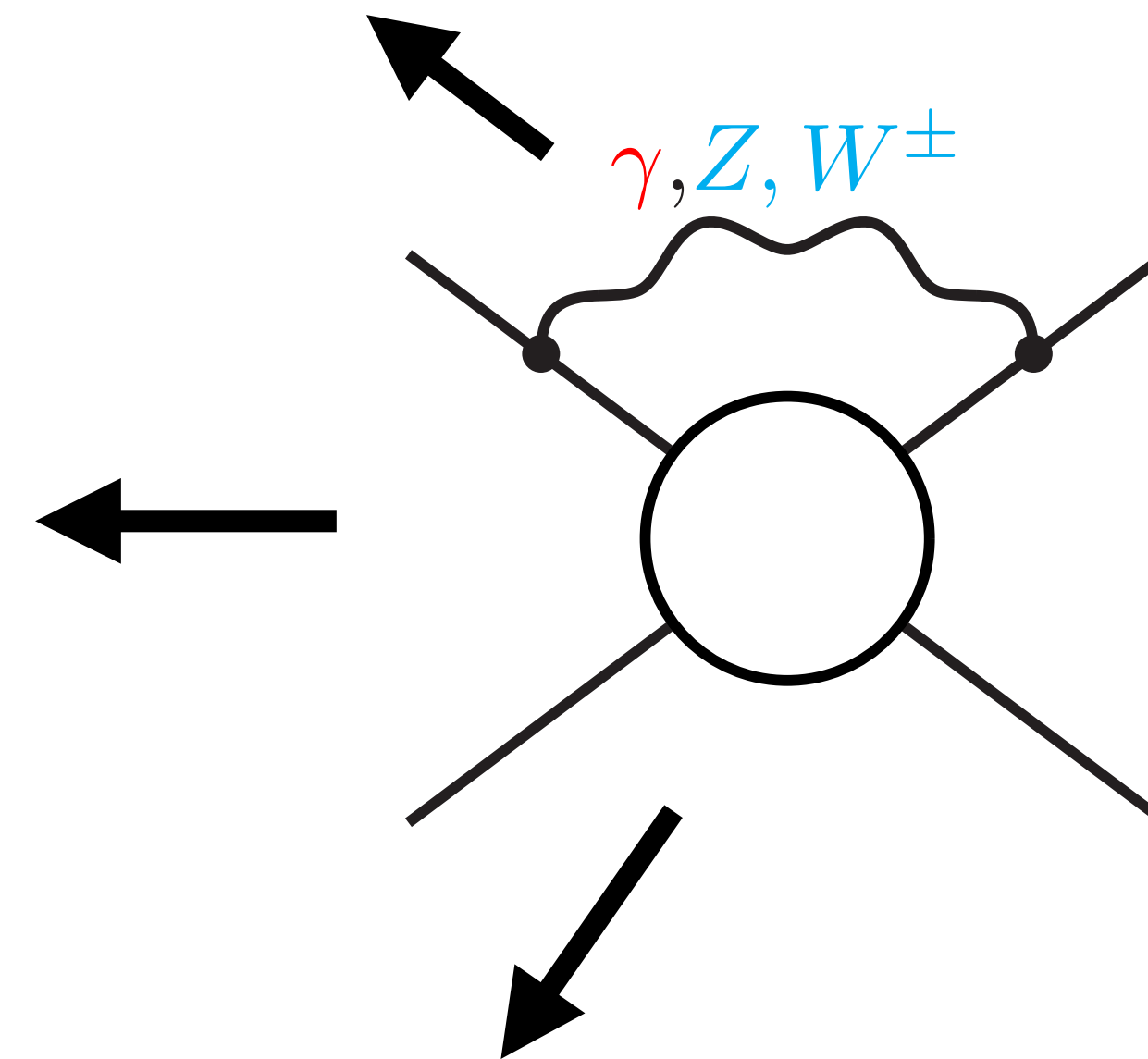
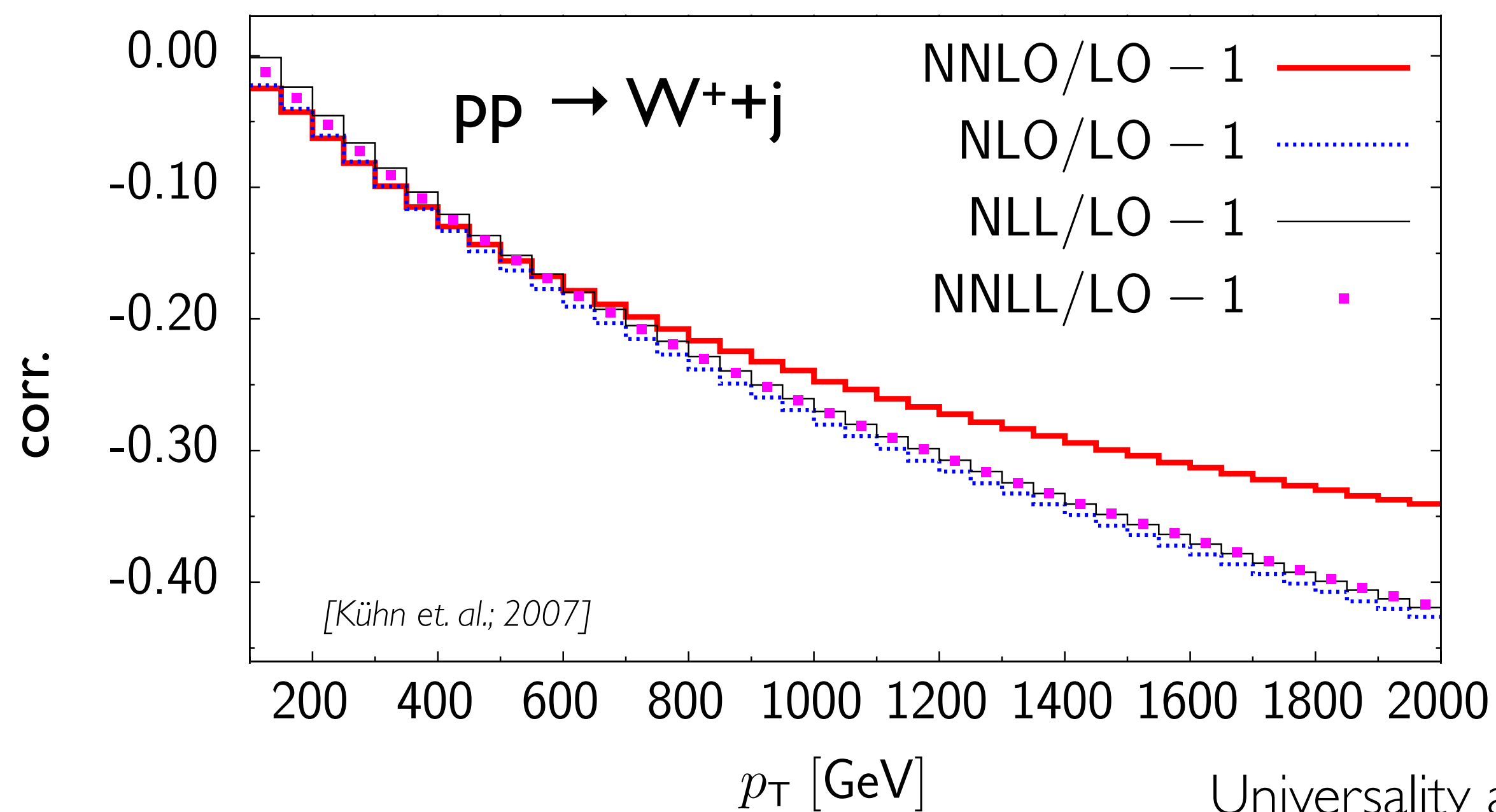
precision for HL-LHC

Backup

Relevance of EW higher-order corrections I

Numerically $\mathcal{O}(\alpha) \sim \mathcal{O}(\alpha_s^2) \Rightarrow$ **NLO EW ~ NNLO QCD**

I. Possible large (negative) enhancement due to soft/collinear **logs** from virtual EW gauge bosons:



[Ciafaloni, Comelli, '98;
Lipatov, Fadin, Martin, Melles, '99;
Kuehen, Penin, Smirnov, '99;
Denner, Pozzorini, '00]

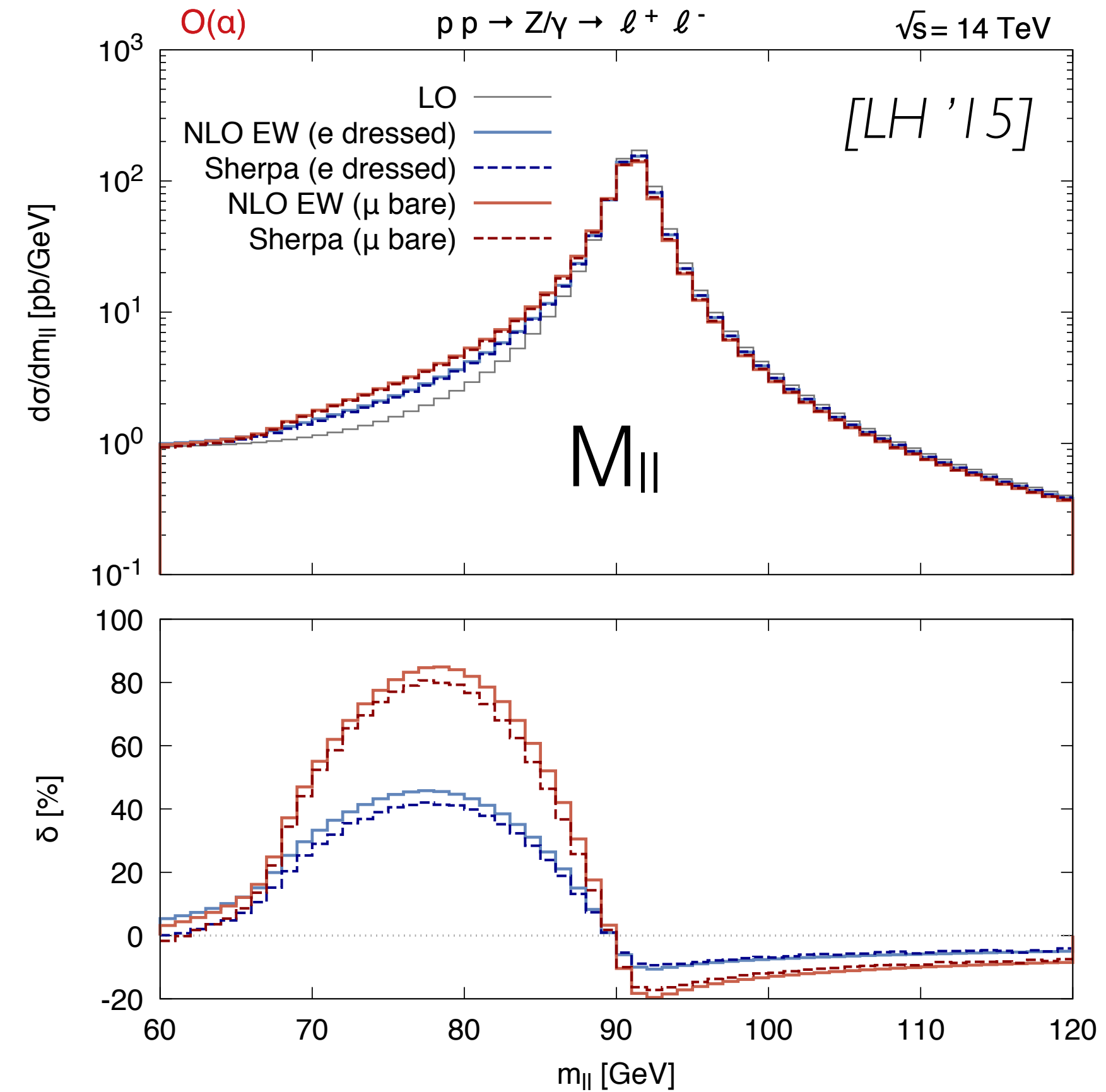
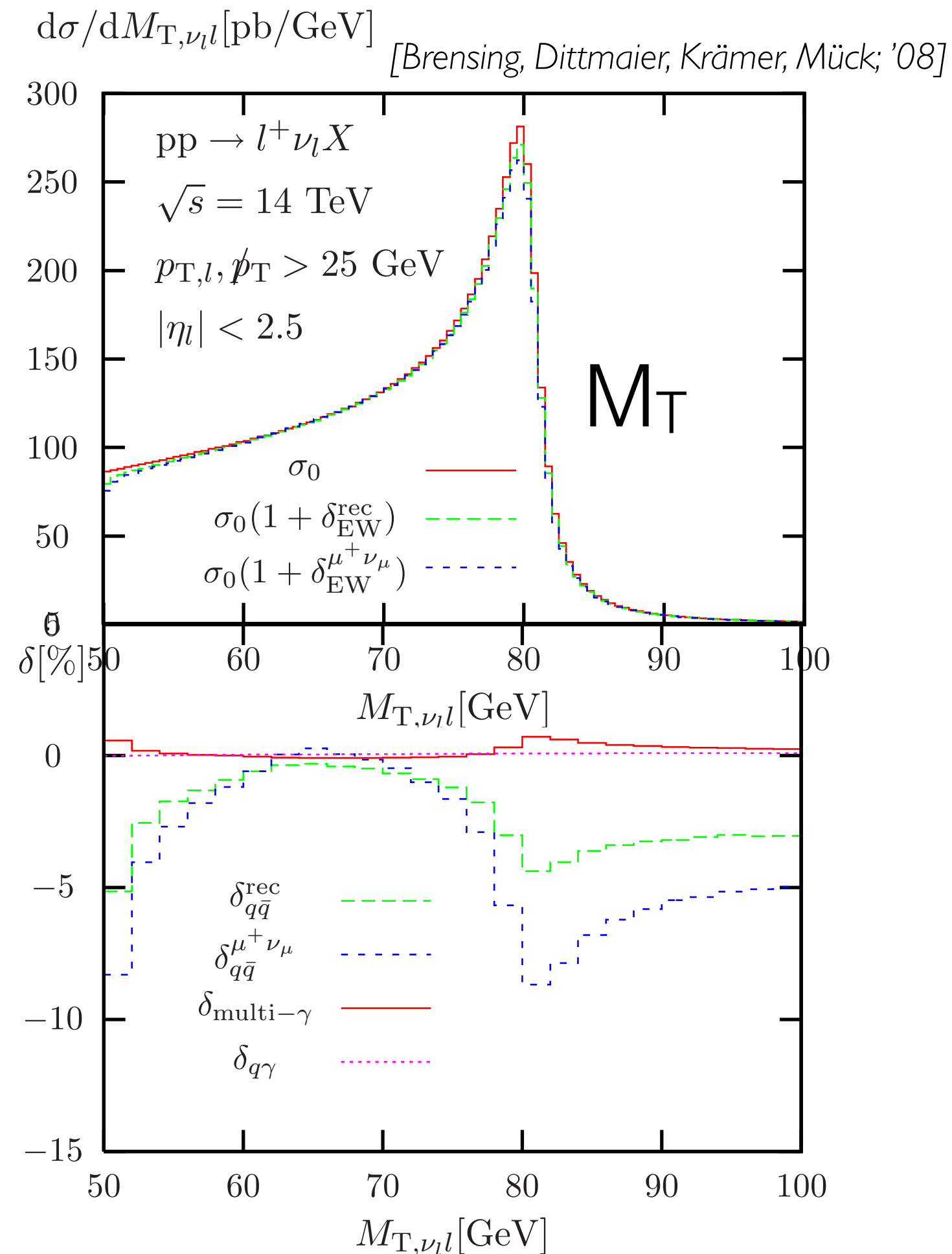
Universality and factorisation: [Denner, Pozzorini; '01]

$$\delta\mathcal{M}_{\text{LL+NLL}}^{1\text{-loop}} = \frac{\alpha}{4\pi} \sum_{k=1}^n \left\{ \frac{1}{2} \sum_{l \neq k} \sum_{a=\gamma, Z, W^\pm} I^a(k) I^{\bar{a}}(l) \ln^2 \frac{\hat{s}_{kl}}{M^2} + \gamma^{\text{ew}}(k) \ln \frac{\hat{s}}{M^2} \right\} \mathcal{M}_0$$

\rightarrow overall large effect in the tails of distributions: $p_T, m_{\text{inv}}, H_T, \dots$ (relevant for BSM searches!)

Relevance of EW higher-order corrections II

2. Possible large enhancement due to soft/collinear **logs** from photon radiation $\sim \alpha \log\left(\frac{m_f^2}{Q^2}\right)$ in sufficiently exclusive observables.



→ important for various precision observables, e.g. for determination of M_W in DY