

# EW V and multi-V production from ATLAS and CMS

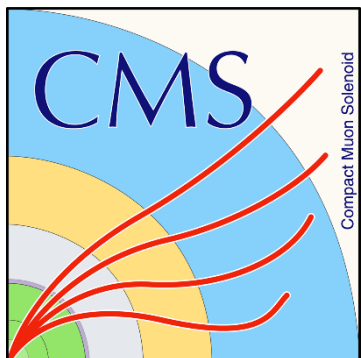
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# Single and multi-boson production @LHC

\* Measurement of single and multi-boson productions at LHC is important to test the validity of the **Standard Model (SM)** at TeV scale

- \* Many precision differential measurements
- \* **VBF/S processes** with relative lower cross-section, being key process to probe the mechanism of electroweak symmetry breaking (EWSB)

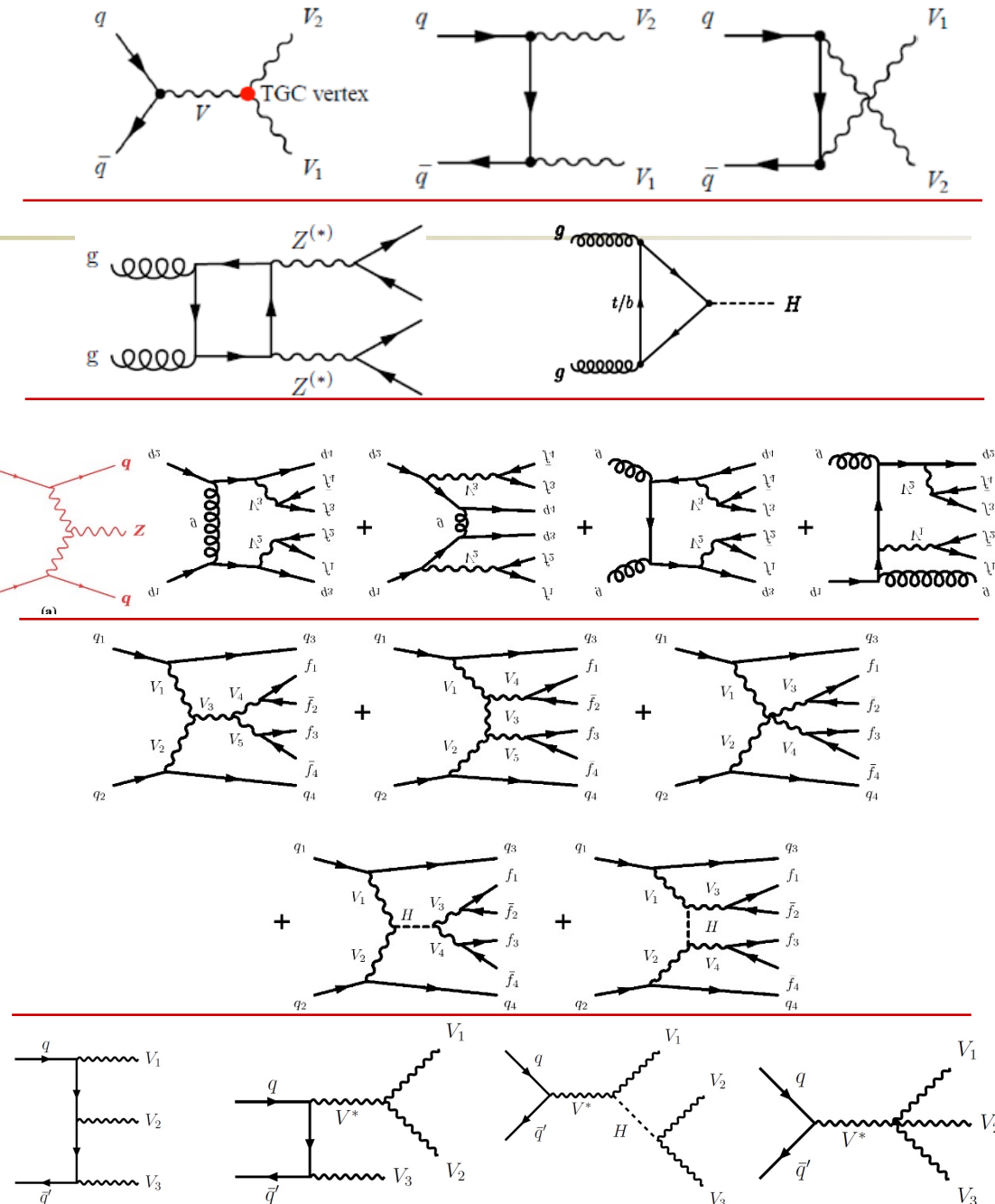
\* Involve with **Triple or Quartic Gauge Couplings (T/QGCs)**

- \* To look for vector boson self-couplings
- \* Probe new physics through deviations from SM couplings

\* **EFT interpretation**  $\mathcal{L}_{\text{SMEFT}} \approx \mathcal{L}_{\text{SM}}^{(4)} + \sum_i \frac{c_i^{(6)}}{\Lambda^2} \mathcal{O}_i^{(6)} + \sum_j \frac{c_j^{(8)}}{\Lambda^4} \mathcal{O}_j^{(8)}$

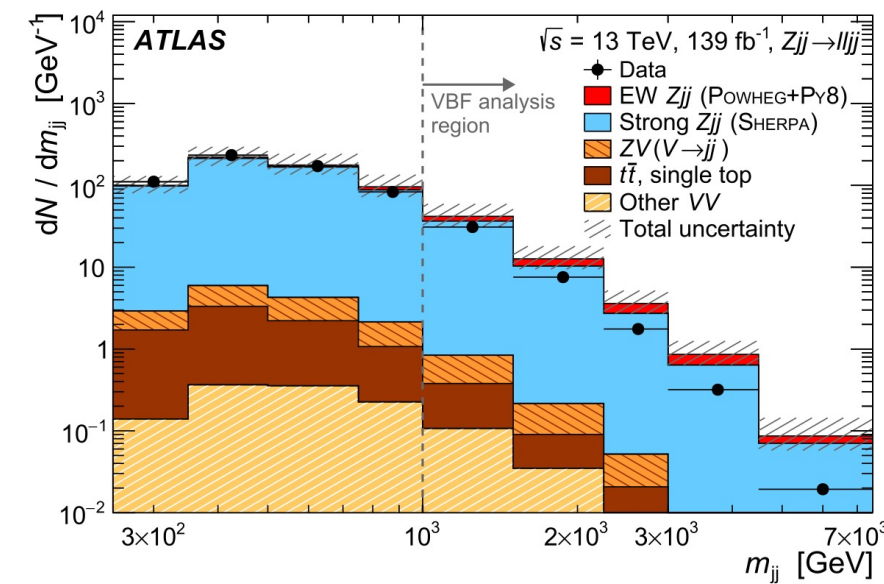
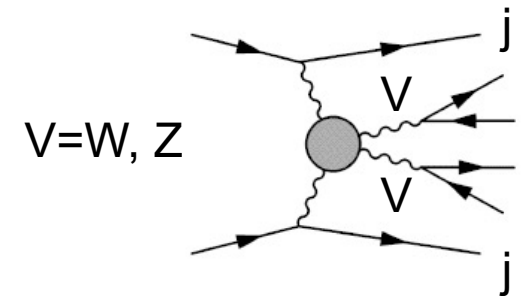
\* A way to search for **high mass resonance** decaying to  $VV$  final state

\* **This presentation focuses on the VBF/S with full Run 2 data**



# The EW productions

- \* LHC provides unique opportunity to **discover the VBS/F processes** ever observed before. To **pave the way for new observations** we have **systematically performed detailed EW measurements** to understand the (multi-)boson production at the LHC
- \* General signature of **two jets in forward and background regions**, with large invariant mass and rapidity separation
- \* **From (multi-)V to (multi-)V + jj**
  - \* **Theoretically** more complicated mostly due to the jet modelling
    - ❖ Usually use dedicated data control regions to constrain
  - \* **Experimentally** also challenging
    - ❖ Pileup effect in the forward jet-tagging region
    - ❖ Lack of detector coverage in the very forward region makes it more difficult
    - ❖ Will be even more challenging at HL-LHC when luminosity further increased

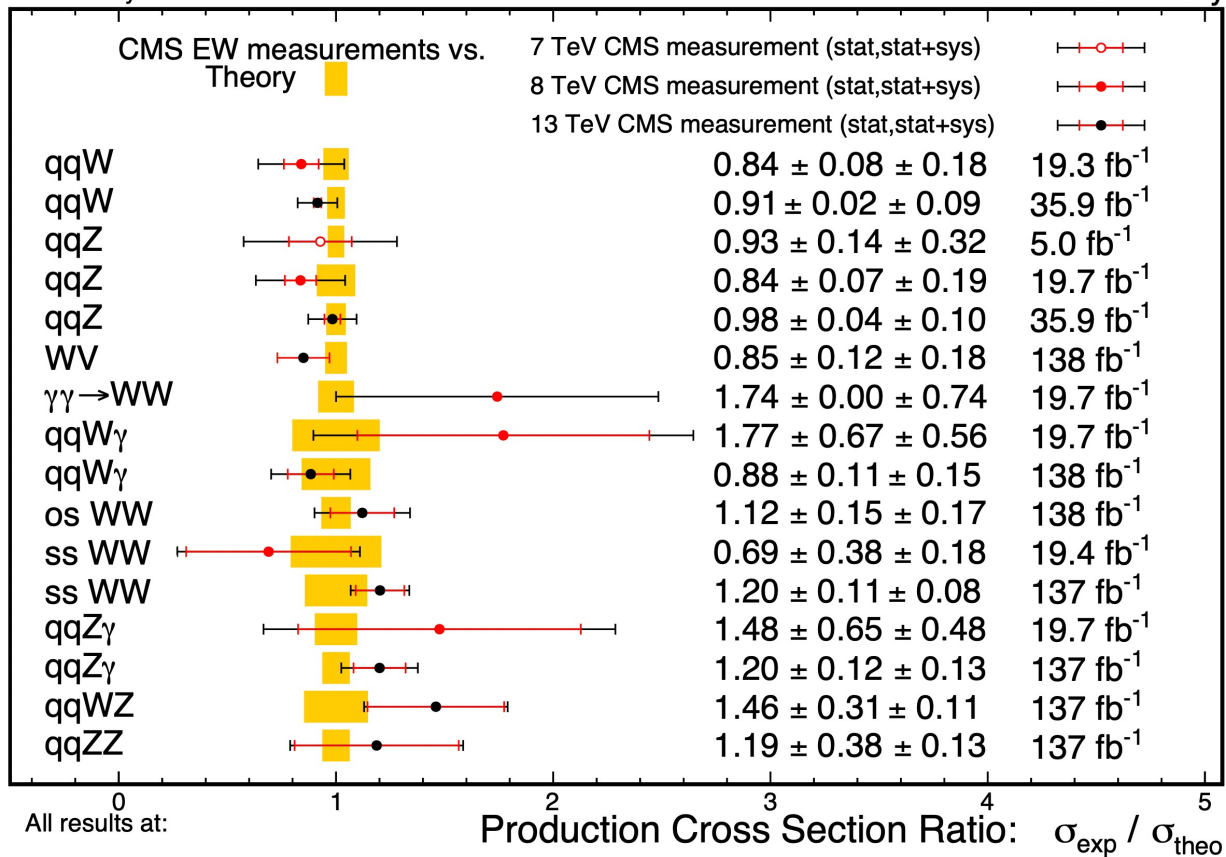


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# The Experimental Status

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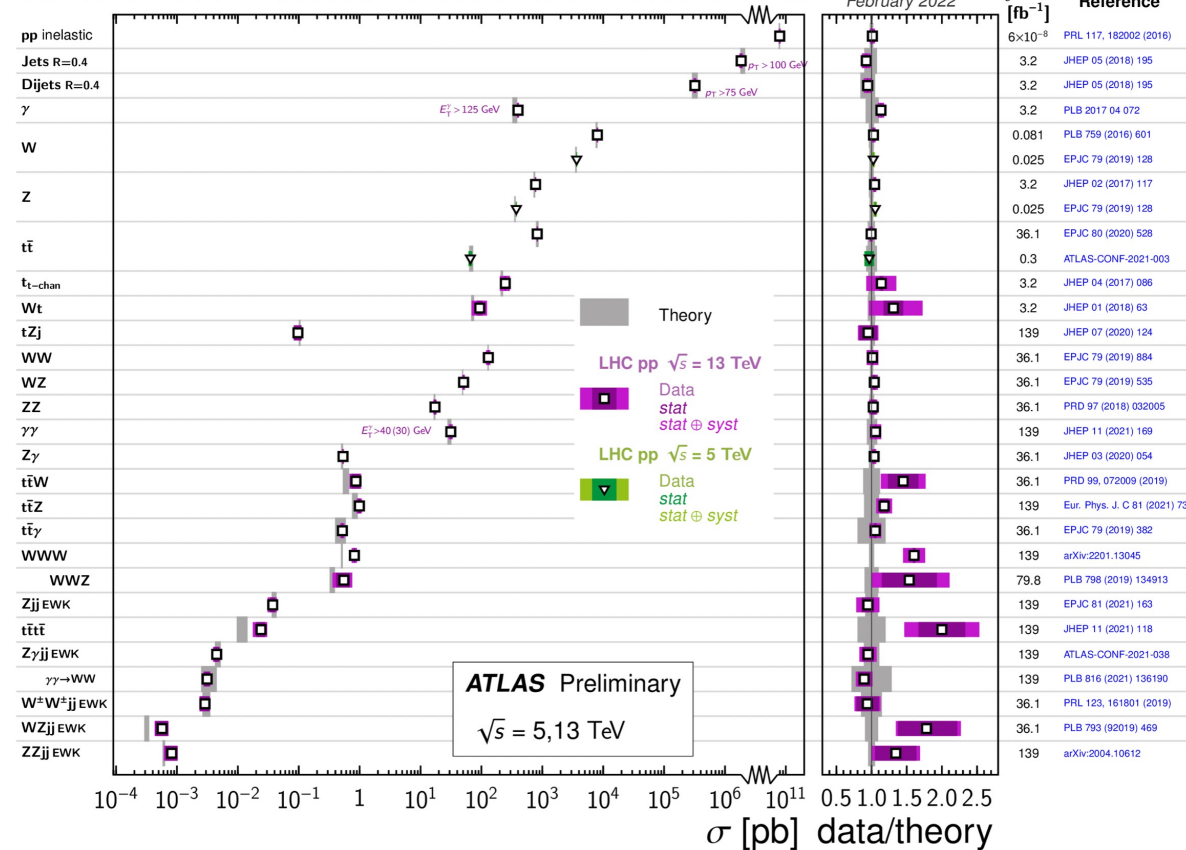
CMS Preliminary



CMS summary

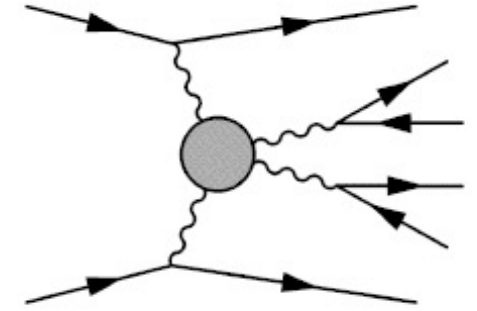
## Standard Model Production Cross Section Measurements

Status: February 2022



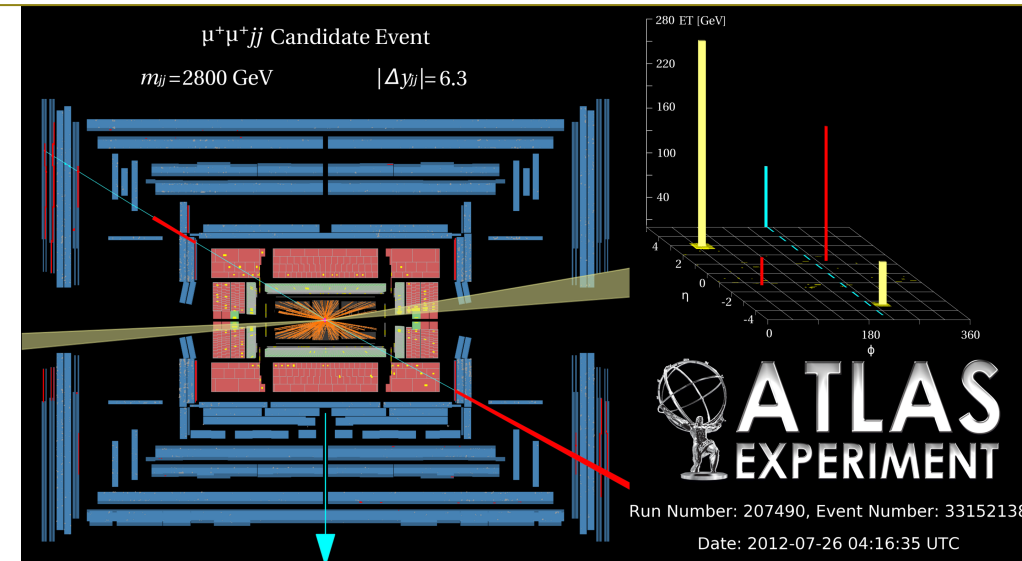
ATLAS summary

# General Signatures



- \* Two **intermediate vector bosons** radiated from two incoming quarks
- \* Final state with **decay products from vector bosons** plus **two forward/backward outgoing jets**
- \* Two outgoing jets from **quarks** - **large rapidity separation** and **large invariant mass**
- \* Cross-sections of the EW VBS/F are small, suffer from irreducible QCD events
- \* Due to gauge invariance, VBS/F diagrams can not be separated from other  $V(V) + jj$  diagrams
  - \* Experimentally usually study the EW  $V(VV)+jj$  together, with **dedicated kinematic selections to enhance the VBS/F** contribution
  - \* **Interference between EW and QCD diagrams** are usually not large (% level), and treated either as systematic, or part of signal

**The first evidence** of VBS process at the LHC in the same-sign WW channel from Run 1. Since then, many more studies have been performed.



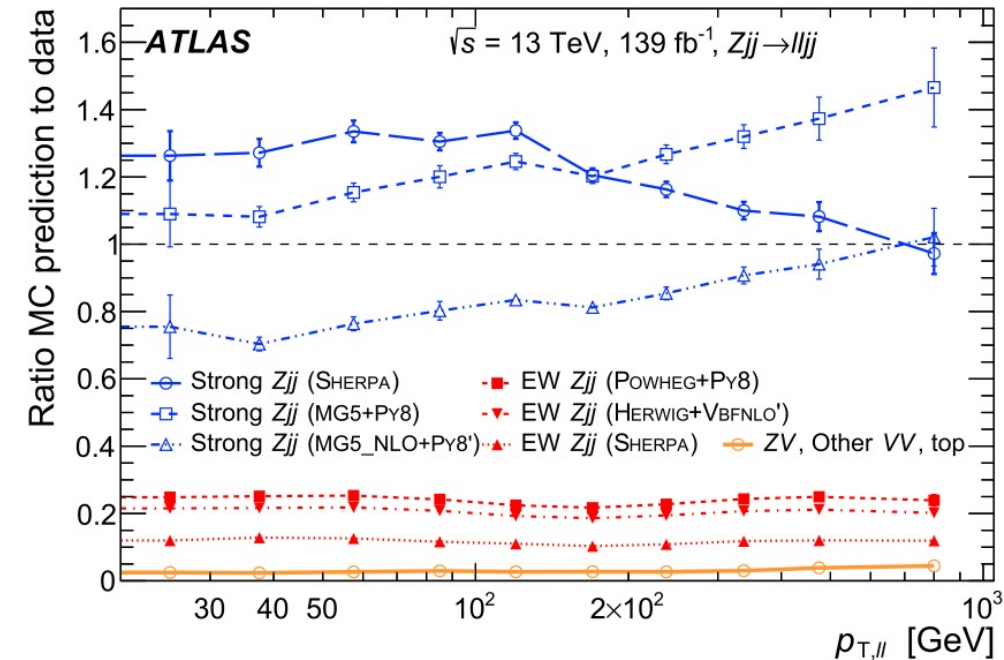
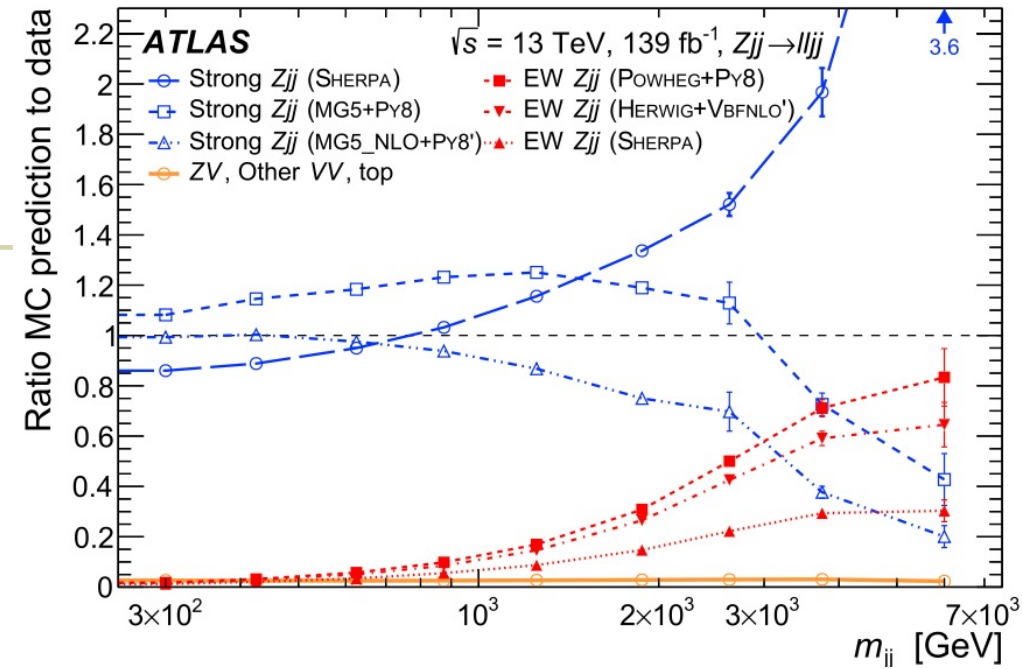
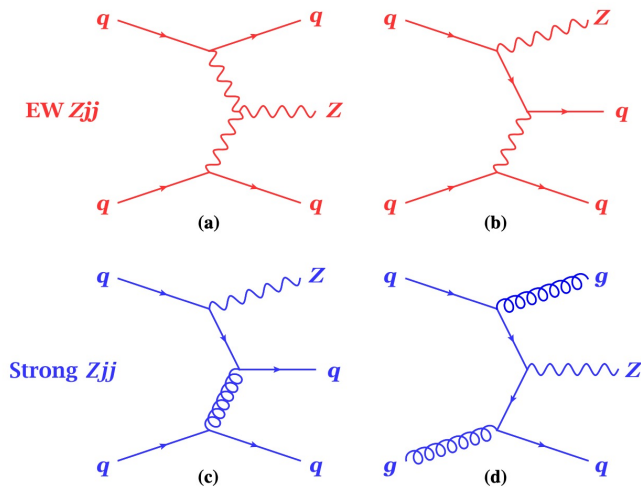
Candidate VBS event from **ssWW**  
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# THE EW V PRODUCTION

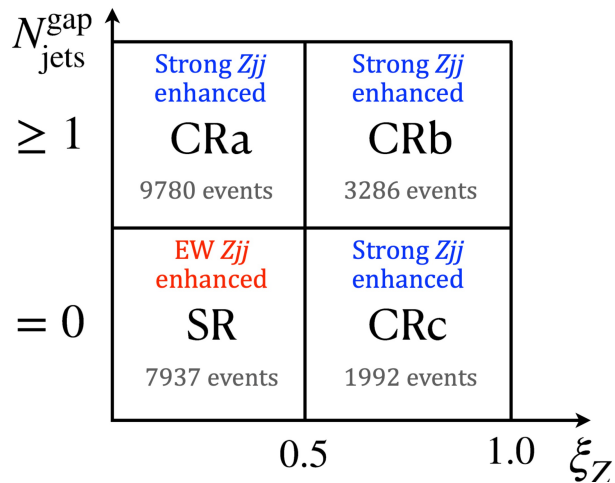
# EW Z + jj

- \* Full Run 2 data used
- \* Signal
  - \* EW production of Z( $\rightarrow ee/\mu\mu$ ) + 2 jets in back and forward regions
  - \* No central jets between the two tag jets
- \* Major background
  - \* Strong production of Zjj
  - \* Poor theoretical modeling especially in the high  $m_{jj}$  region
  - \* Different MC generators used for comparison

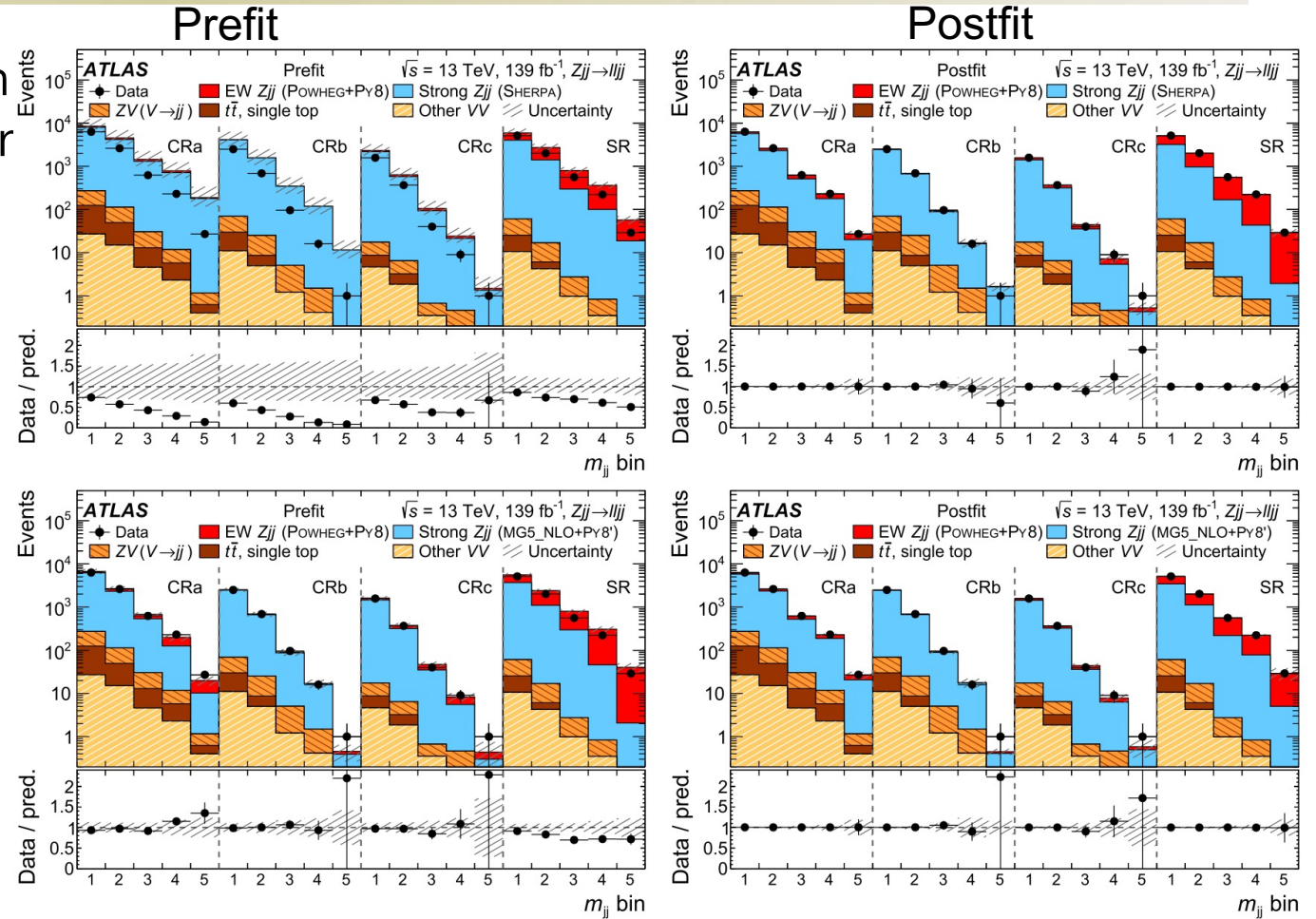


# QCD Background constrain in control regions

- \* Dedicated control regions used to constrain the QCD Zjj modeling, for both normalization and shape
- \* SR and CRs defined using number of gap jets, and centrality of the Z boson
- \* SR and 3 CRs fitted simultaneously when extracting the EW component



$$\xi_Z = |y_{\ell\ell} - 0.5(y_{j1} + y_{j2})| / |\Delta y_{jj}|$$

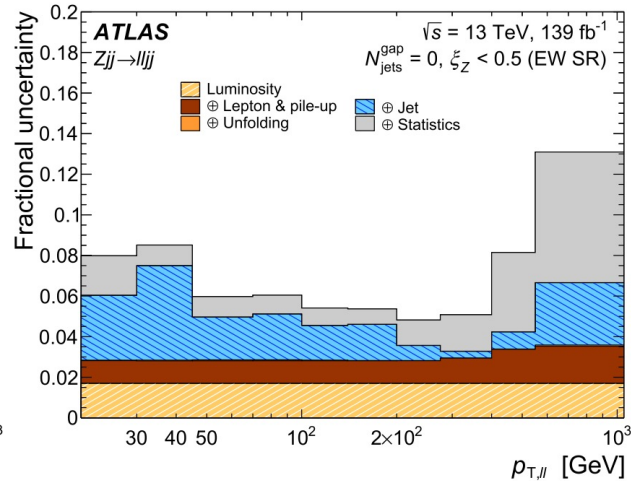
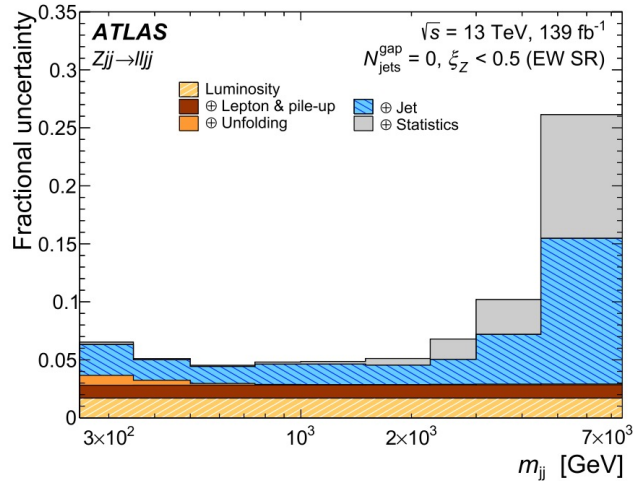


Clear improvement after fit in CRs

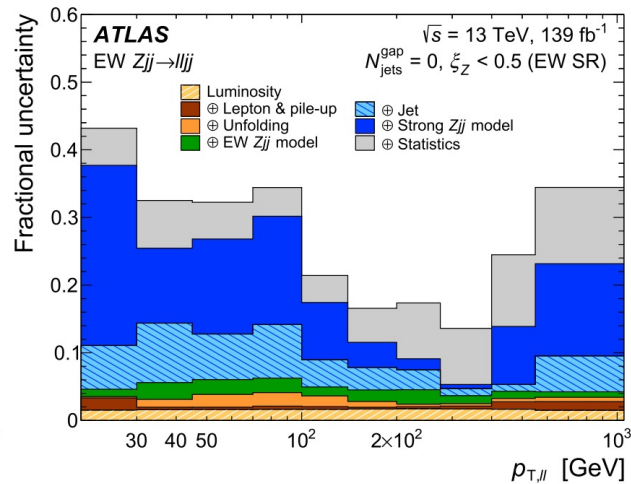
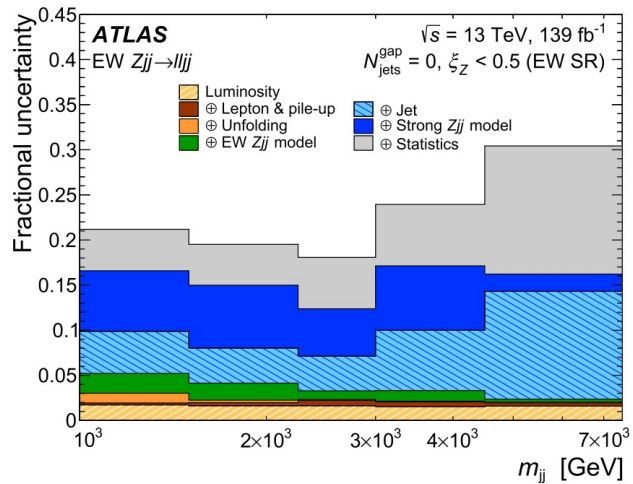


# Systematics breakdown

Inclusive



EW

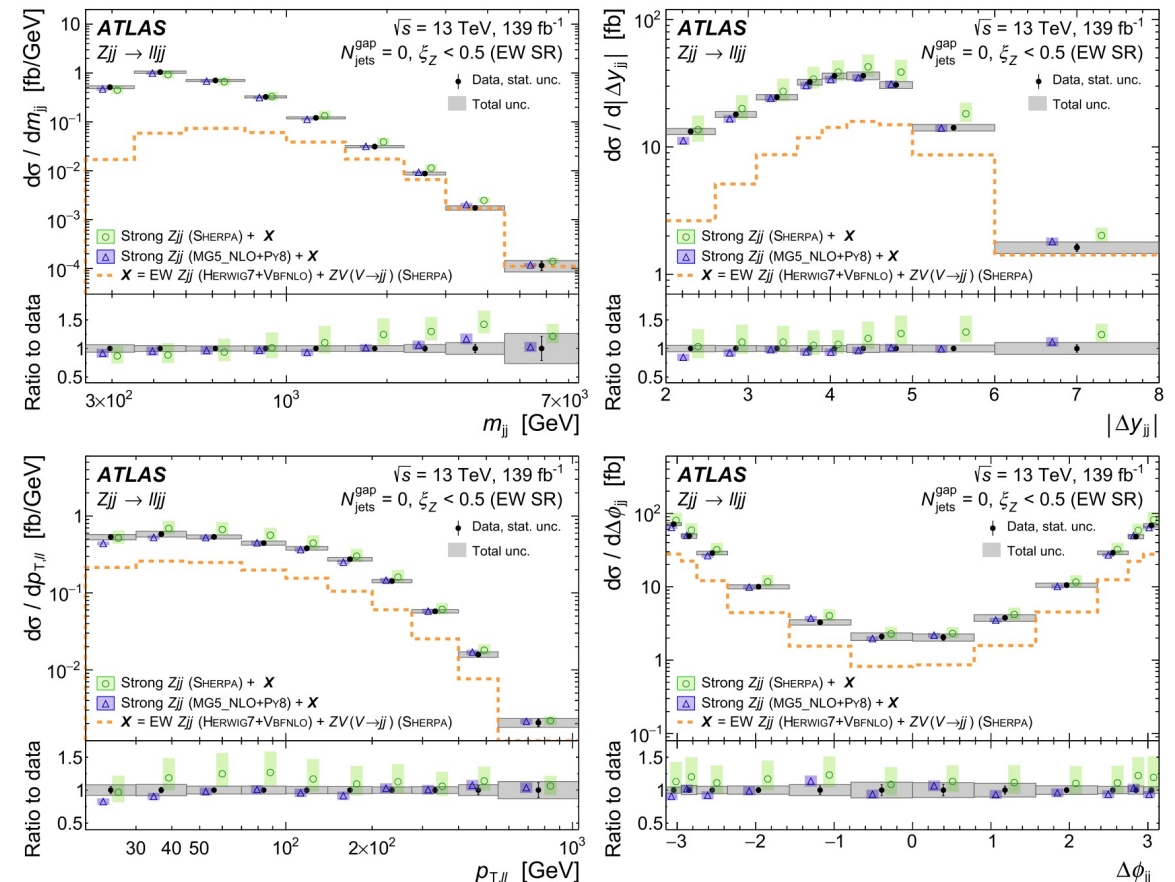
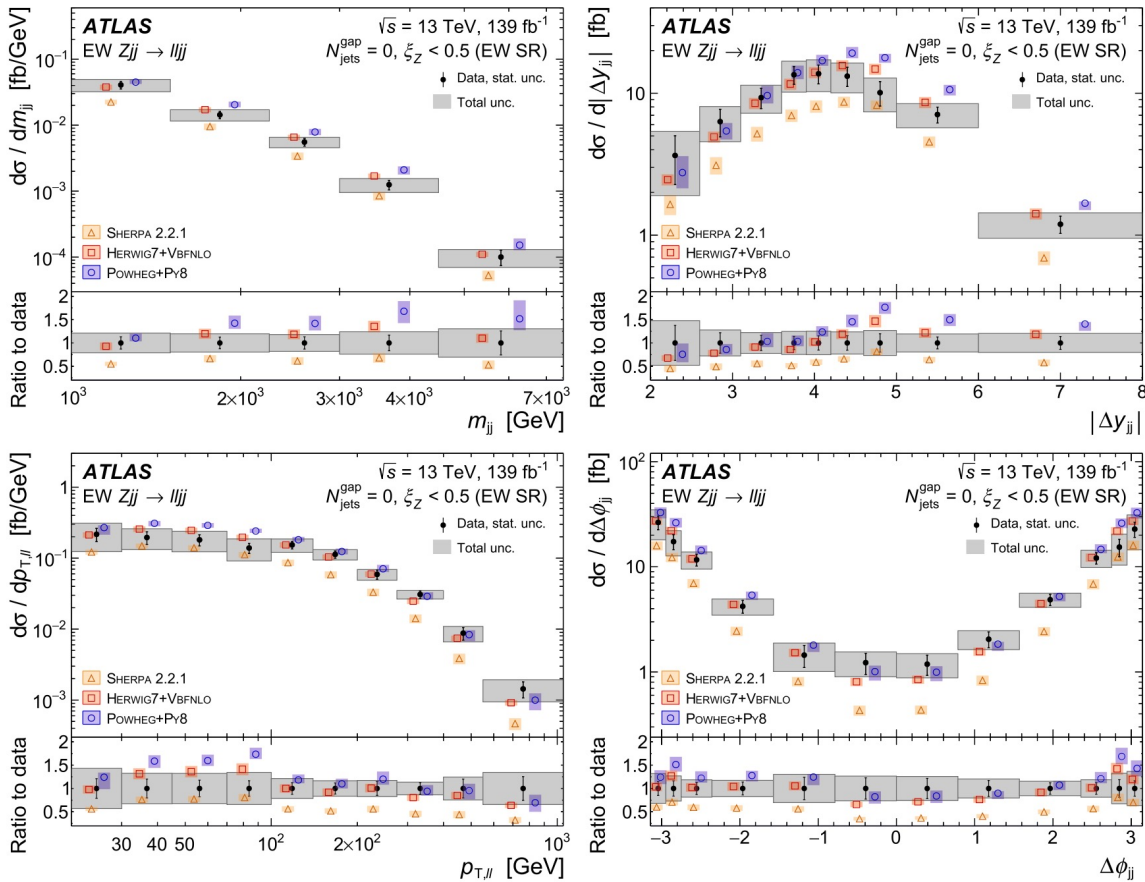


Large systematic from QCD modelling, especially in the high mass,  $p_T$  region – usually the sensitive region for EW measurement and BSM search

# Differential Cross-section Measurements

EW Zjj  $\sigma_{EW} = 37.4 \pm 3.5$  (stat)  $\pm 5.5$  (syst) fb.  
**Herwig7+VBFNLO** agrees best with data

Inclusive Zjj

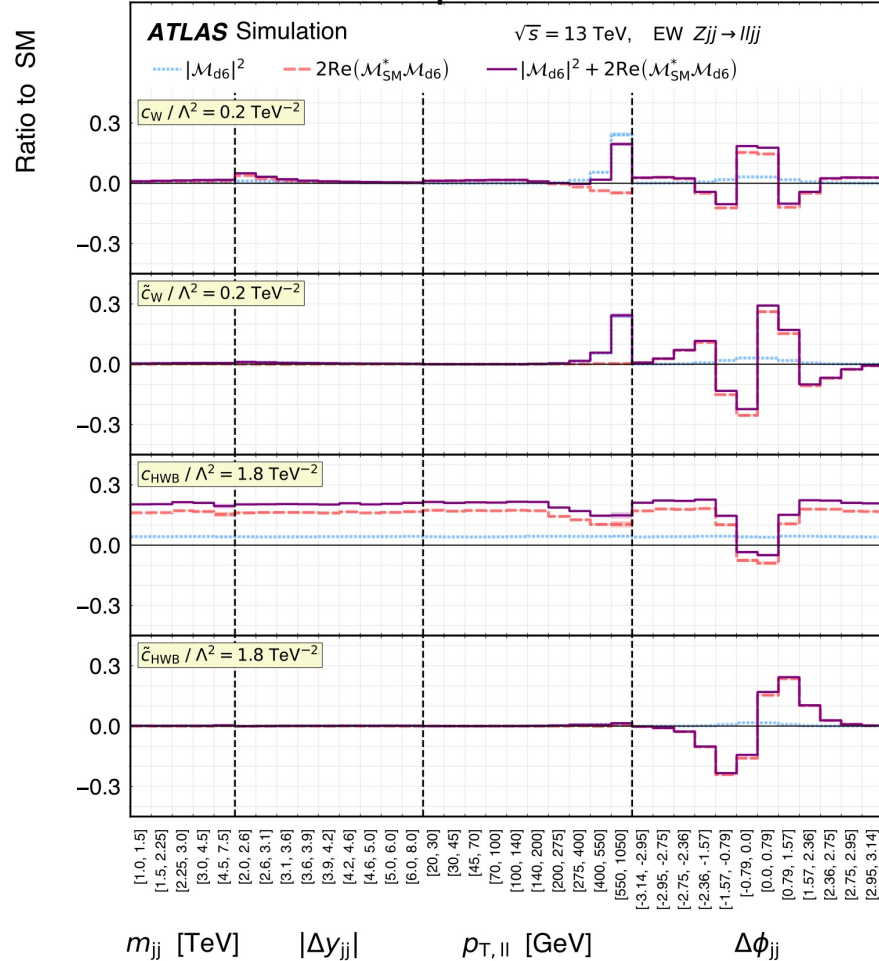


# EFT Interpretations

Impact on the EW Zjj differential XS from different operators

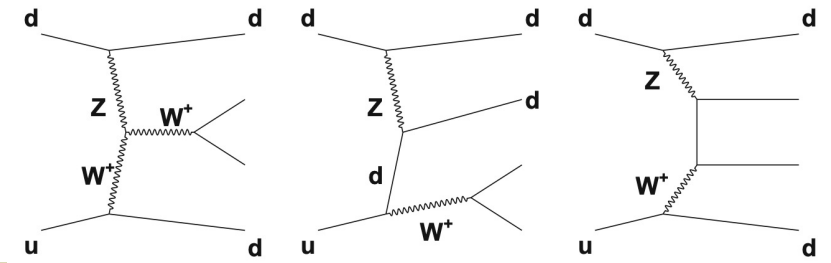
$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{eff}} = \mathcal{L}_{\text{SM}} + \sum_i \frac{c_i}{\Lambda^2} O_i, \quad O_i \text{ are dimension-six operators}$$

Two CP-even and two CP-odd operators tested.



Wilson coefficient	Includes $ \mathcal{M}_{d6} ^2$	95% confidence interval [TeV <sup>-2</sup> ]	<i>p</i> -value (SM)
		Expected	Observed
$c_W / \Lambda^2$	no	[-0.30, 0.30]	45.9%
	yes	[-0.31, 0.29]	43.2%
$\tilde{c}_W / \Lambda^2$	no	[-0.12, 0.12]	82.0%
	yes	[-0.12, 0.12]	81.8%
$c_{HWB} / \Lambda^2$	no	[-2.45, 2.45]	29.0%
	yes	[-3.11, 2.10]	25.0%
$\tilde{c}_{HWB} / \Lambda^2$	no	[-1.06, 1.06]	1.7%
	yes	[-1.06, 1.06]	1.6%

# EW W + jj



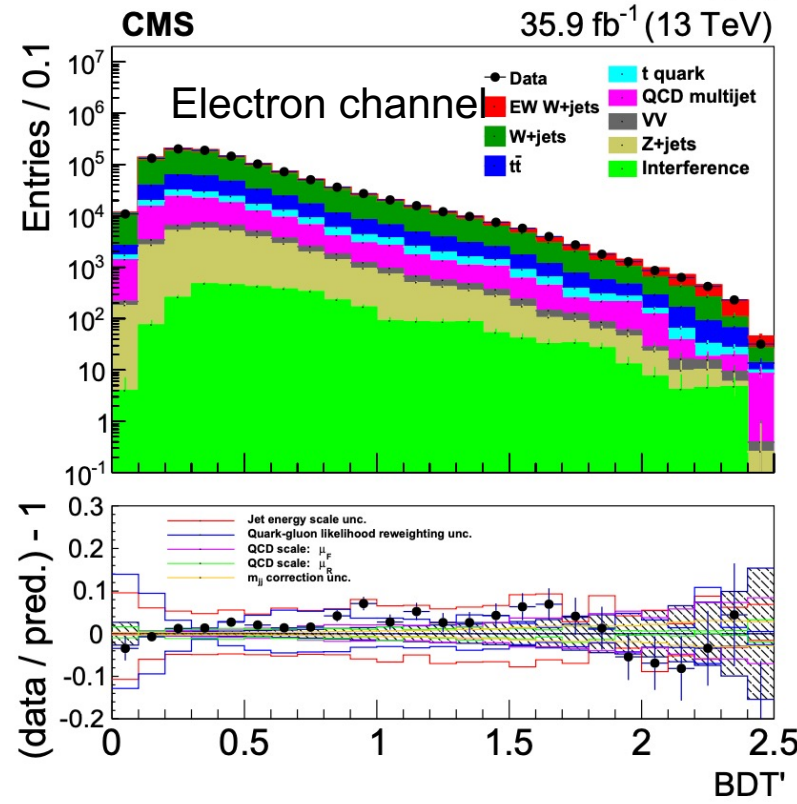
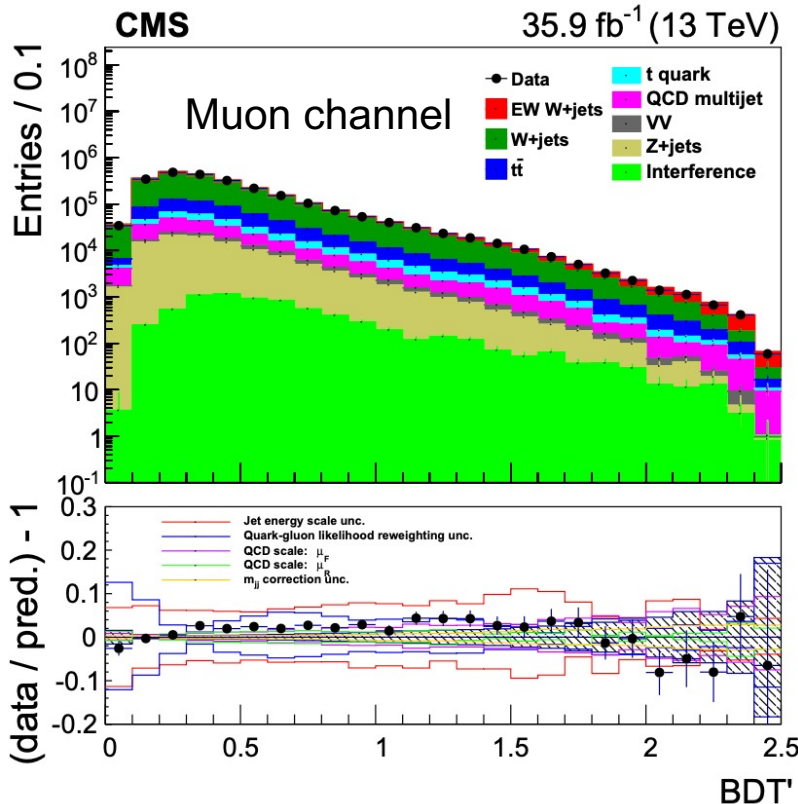
From the combined fit of the two channels, the signal strength is measured to be

$$\mu = 0.91 \pm 0.02 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.10 \text{ (syst)} = 0.91 \pm 0.10 \text{ (total)},$$

corresponding to a measured signal cross section

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma(\text{EW } \ell\nu jj) &= 6.23 \pm 0.12 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.61 \text{ (syst)} \text{ pb} \\ &= 6.23 \pm 0.62 \text{ (total)} \text{ pb}, \end{aligned}$$

- \* Partial Run 2 data used, 35.9 fb<sup>-1</sup>
- \* BDT used to separate EW and QCD Wjj



BDT': BDT transformed with tanh<sup>-1</sup>

Sample	BDT > 0.95	
	$\mu$	e
VV	11.0 ± 2.5	9.6 ± 2.8
DY Zjj	9.4 ± 5.9	7.7 ± 3.0
t $\bar{t}$	146 ± 17	102 ± 12
Single top quark	35.5 ± 5.6	25.7 ± 4.2
QCD multijet	98 ± 39	17.0 ± 5.6
DY Wjj	356 ± 65	240 ± 41
Interference	18.2 ± 8.1	9.8 ± 5.5
Total backgrounds	674 ± 78	412 ± 44
EW Wjj signal	503 ± 54	308 ± 34
EW Zjj signal	11.2 ± 1.3	6.6 ± 0.9
Total prediction	1186 ± 95	726 ± 56
Data	1138	686

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# THE EW VV PRODUCTION

# EW Z(l)γ + jj

- \* Measurements use full Run 2 data, from both experiments, in the Z→ee/mm channel
- \* Signal generated with MadGraph5\_aMC@NLO at LO

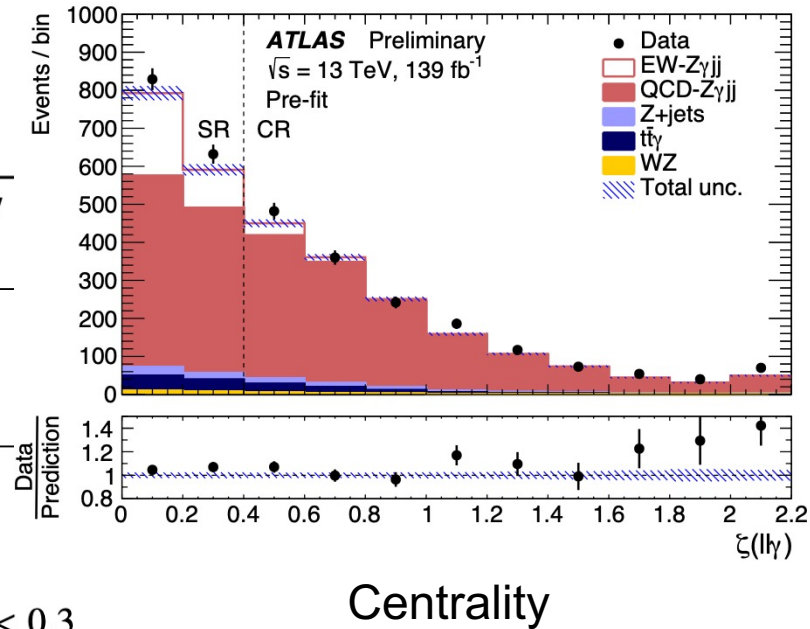
Common selection	$p_T^{\ell 1, \ell 2} > 25 \text{ GeV},  \eta^{\ell 1, \ell 2}  < 2.5$ for electron channel $p_T^{\ell 1, \ell 2} > 20 \text{ GeV},  \eta^{\ell 1, \ell 2}  < 2.4$ for muon channel $p_T^\gamma > 20 \text{ GeV},  \eta^\gamma  < 1.442$ or $1.566 <  \eta^\gamma  < 2.500$ $p_T^{j1, j2} > 30 \text{ GeV},  \eta^{j1, j2}  < 4.7$ $70 < m_{\ell\ell} < 110 \text{ GeV}, m_{Z\gamma} > 100 \text{ GeV}$ $\Delta R_{jj}, \Delta R_{j\gamma}, \Delta R_{j\ell} > 0.5, \Delta R_{\ell\gamma} > 0.7$
Fiducial volume	Common selection, $m_{jj} > 500 \text{ GeV},  \Delta\eta_{jj}  > 2.5$
Control region	Common selection, $150 < m_{jj} < 500 \text{ GeV}$
EW signal region	Common selection, $m_{jj} > 500 \text{ GeV},$ $ \Delta\eta_{jj}  > 2.5, \eta^* < 2.4, \Delta\phi_{Z\gamma, jj} > 1.9$
aQGC search region	Common selection, $m_{jj} > 500 \text{ GeV},$ $ \Delta\eta_{jj}  > 2.5, p_T^\gamma > 120 \text{ GeV}$

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Lepton	$p_T^\ell > 20, 30(\text{leading}) \text{ GeV},  \eta_\ell  < 2.47$ $N_\ell \geq 2$
Photon	$E_T^\gamma > 25 \text{ GeV},  \eta_\gamma  < 2.37$ $E_T^{\text{cone}20} < 0.07 E_T^\gamma$ $\Delta R(\ell, \gamma) > 0.4$
Jet	$p_T^{\text{jet}} > 50 \text{ GeV},  y_{\text{jet}}  < 4.4$ $ \Delta y  > 1.0$ $m_{jj} > 150 \text{ GeV}$ remove jets if $\Delta R(\gamma, j) < 0.4$ or if $\Delta R(\ell, j) < 0.3$
Event	$m_{\ell\ell} > 40 \text{ GeV}$ $m_{\ell\ell} + m_{\ell\ell\gamma} > 182 \text{ GeV}$ $\zeta(\ell\ell\gamma) < 0.4$ $N_{\text{jets}}^{\text{gap}} = 0$

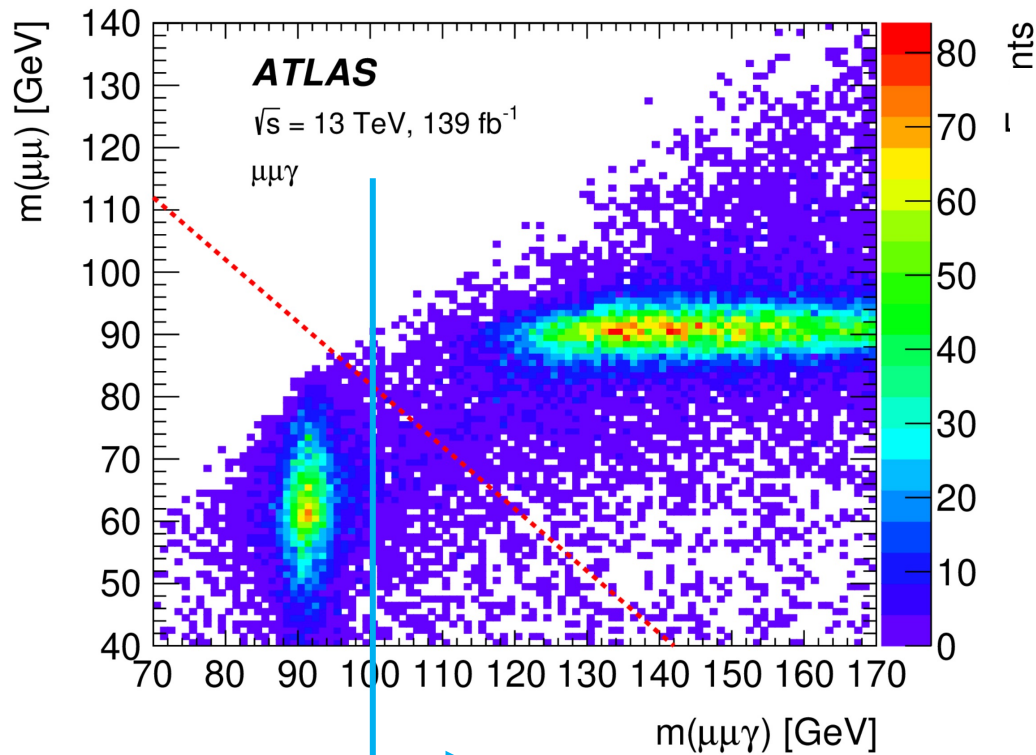
Table 1: Summary of selection criteria applied at particle level.



# Suppress the FSR contribution

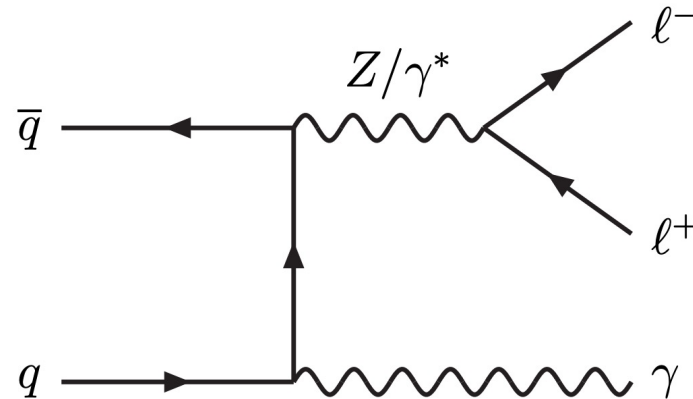
- \* Final state radiation (FSR) contribution is largely reduced by cutting on  $Z\gamma$  inv. mass

$m(\ell\ell)+m(\ell\ell\gamma) > 182$  GeV to suppress FSR events

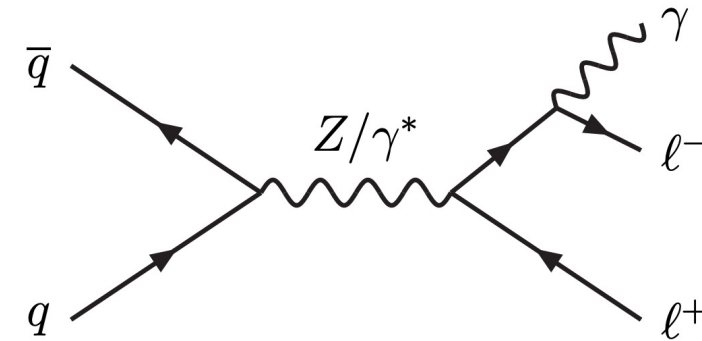


CMS requires  $m(Z\gamma) > 100$  GeV

Process with photon radiated from **initial-state quarks**



Final state radiation (FSR) photon from leptons



Just for illustration of the FSR and ISR processes. Not VBS.

# Background Estimation

- \* Largest background comes from QCD  $Z\gamma jj$  production
  - \* Modelled using simulation, but constraint with data
- \* Other major background comes from Z+jets events, with a jet misidentified as a photon. Estimated with data-driven method

TABLE III. Post-fit yields of predicted signal and background with total uncertainties, and observed event counts after the selection in the EW signal region. The  $\gamma_{\text{barrel}}$  and  $\gamma_{\text{endcap}}$  columns represent events with photons in the ECAL barrel and endcaps, respectively.

Process	$\mu\mu\gamma_{\text{barrel}}$	$\mu\mu\gamma_{\text{endcap}}$	$ee\gamma_{\text{barrel}}$	$ee\gamma_{\text{endcap}}$
ST	$0.7 \pm 0.4$	$0.2 \pm 0.2$	$0.6 \pm 0.3$	$0.2 \pm 0.2$
$TT\gamma$	$8.8 \pm 1.3$	$2.1 \pm 0.5$	$3.4 \pm 0.6$	$0.2 \pm 0.2$
VV	$6.0 \pm 1.9$	$3.2 \pm 1.2$	$4.1 \pm 1.3$	$0.8 \pm 0.3$
Nonprompt photon	$189 \pm 9.2$	$143 \pm 6.9$	$93.6 \pm 6.5$	$74.3 \pm 5.0$
QCD $Z\gamma$	$274 \pm 10$	$108 \pm 5.6$	$162 \pm 7.4$	$62.4 \pm 3.9$
EW $Z\gamma$	$133 \pm 4.7$	$46.5 \pm 1.7$	$84.5 \pm 3.1$	$28.2 \pm 1.1$
Predicted yields	$612 \pm 13$	$303 \pm 8$	$349 \pm 9$	$166 \pm 6$
Data	584	320	375	174

Sample	SR	CR
$N_{EW-Z\gamma jj}$	$300 \pm 36$	$55 \pm 7$
$N_{QCD-Z\gamma jj}$	$987 \pm 55$	$1352 \pm 60$
$N_{t\bar{t}\gamma}$	$72 \pm 11$	$59 \pm 9$
$N_{WZ}$	$17 \pm 3$	$14 \pm 3$
$N_{Z+jets}$	$85 \pm 30$	$143 \pm 43$
Total	$1461 \pm 38$	$1624 \pm 40$
$N_{obs}$	1461	1624

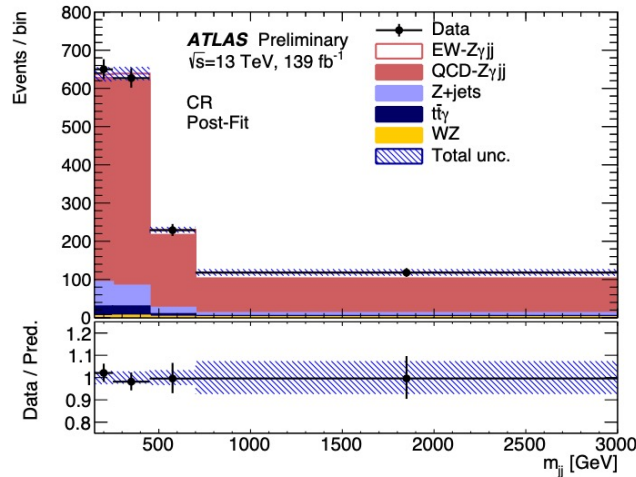
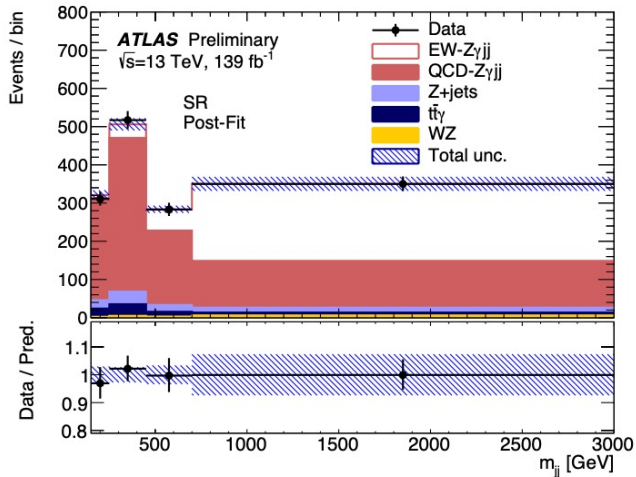
**CMS.** Events further split into barrel and endcap region depends on the selected photon

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# Observation of the EW $Z(\ell)\gamma + jj$

\* Fit done using the  $m_{jj}$  distributions. CMS has further split to different  $d_{jj}$  regions



Significance well above  $5\sigma$

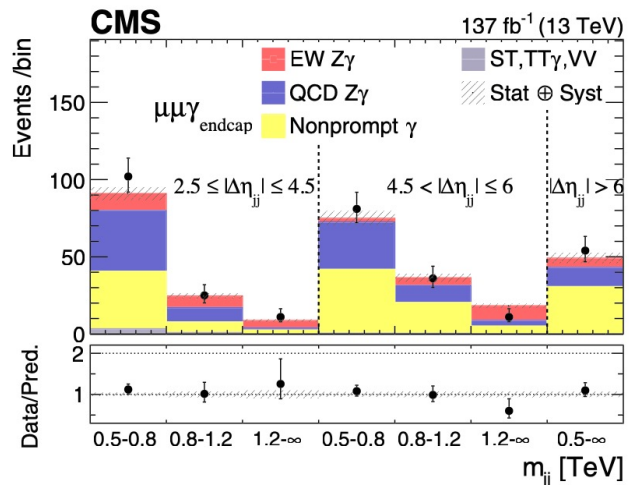
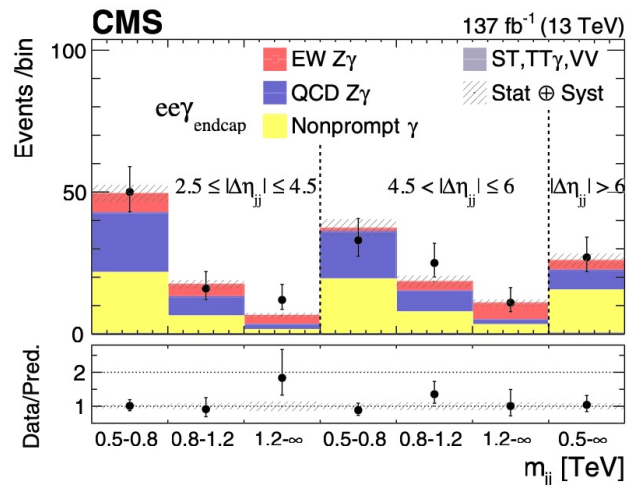
Measured cross sections. Both agree well with SM predictions.

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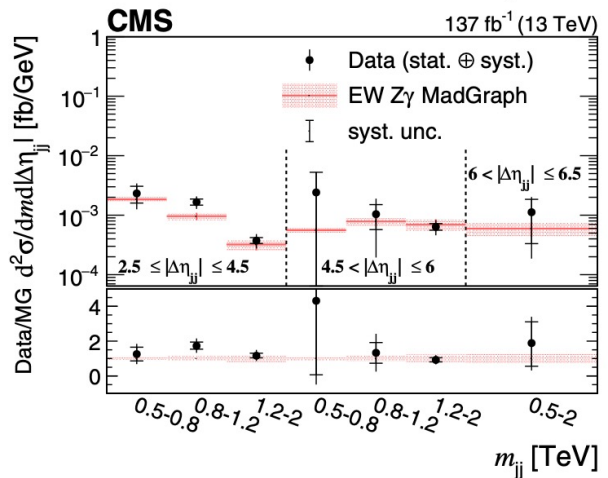
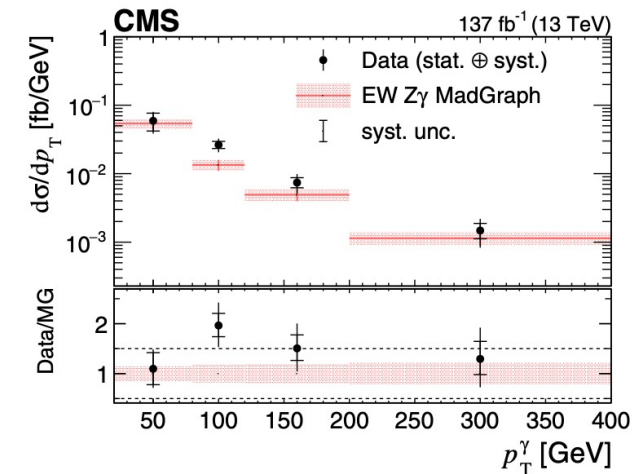
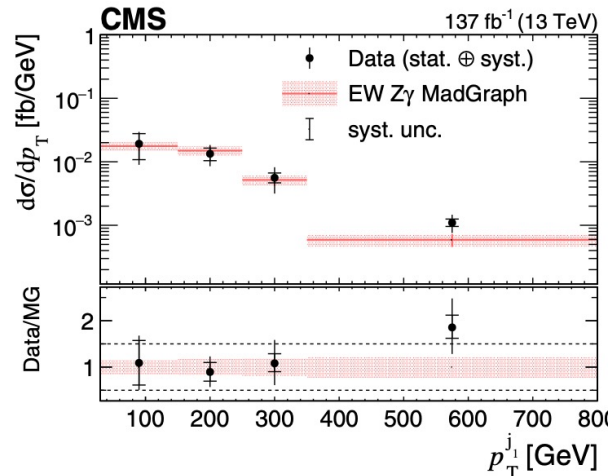
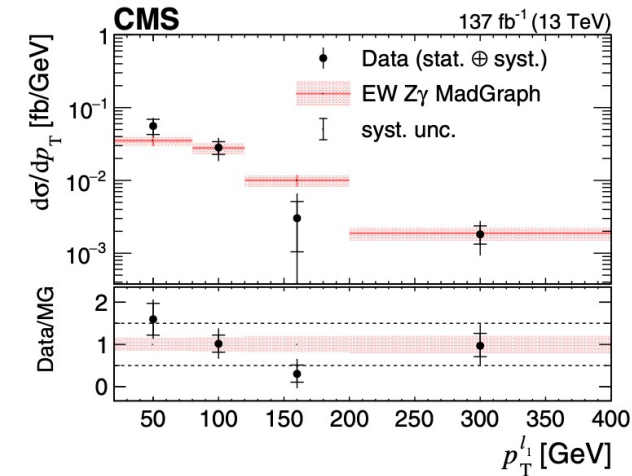
$$\sigma_{EW} = 4.49 \pm 0.40 \text{ (stat.)} \pm 0.42 \text{ (syst.) fb}$$

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$$\begin{aligned} \sigma_{EW}^{\text{fid}} &= 5.21 \pm 0.52 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.56 \text{ (syst) fb} \\ &= 5.21 \pm 0.76 \text{ fb.} \end{aligned}$$



# Differential cross section



CMS has measured differential (1D and 2D) cross sections for EW, and EW + QCD Z $\gamma$ jj

Generally good agreement with predictions

TABLE VII. The signal strengths and differential cross sections from SM expectation and fit calculated as part of the unfolding of 2D  $m_{jj}$ - $|\Delta\eta_{jj}|$  observables for EW + QCD Z $\gamma$ jj. The last bin includes overflow events.

$ \Delta\eta_{jj} $ bin	$m_{jj}$ bin [GeV]	$\mu \pm \Delta\mu$	Predicted $d^2\sigma/dm d \Delta\eta_{jj} $ [fb/GeV]	Observed $d^2\sigma/dm d \Delta\eta_{jj} $ [fb/GeV]
[2.5, 4.5)	[500, 800)	$0.96^{+0.23}_{-0.21}$	$0.0319 \pm 0.0023$	$0.0306 \pm 0.0070$
[2.5, 4.5)	[800, 1200)	$1.34^{+0.23}_{-0.21}$	$0.0140 \pm 0.0011$	$0.0189 \pm 0.0031$
[2.5, 4.5)	[1200, 2000]	$1.09^{+0.26}_{-0.23}$	$0.00445 \pm 0.00038$	$0.0049 \pm 0.0010$
[4.5, 6.0)	[500, 800)	$0.52^{+1.3}_{-1.3}$	$0.0123 \pm 0.0012$	$0.006 \pm 0.016$
[4.5, 6.0)	[800, 1200)	$1.14^{+0.46}_{-0.42}$	$0.0121 \pm 0.0010$	$0.0138 \pm 0.0053$
[4.5, 6.0)	[1200, 2000]	$0.86^{+0.22}_{-0.20}$	$0.00942 \pm 0.00076$	$0.0081 \pm 0.0020$
[6.0, 6.5)	[500, 2000]	$0.3^{+1.6}_{-1.6}$	$0.00864 \pm 0.00049$	$0.0024 \pm 0.0014$

All close to 1 with uncertainties

# Limit on aQGC

- \* CMS also set limit on aQGC, with events in dedicated search region with high  $p_T$  photon. Fit on invariant mass of the  $Z\gamma$  system,  $m_{Z\gamma}$

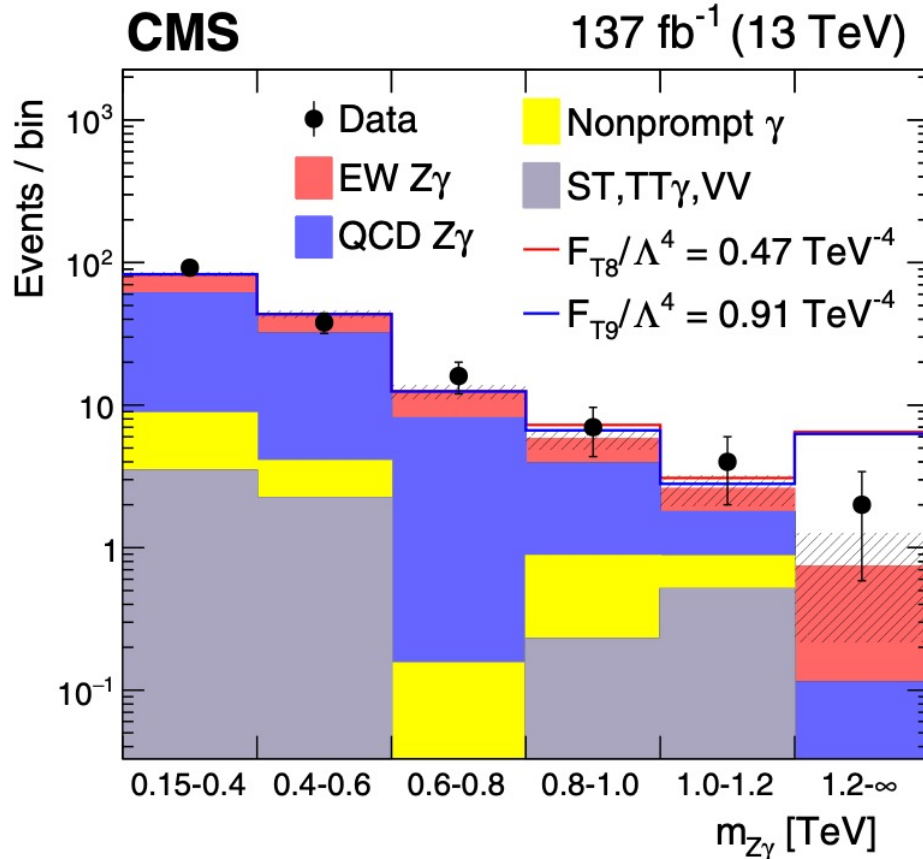


TABLE VIII. The expected and observed limits on the aQGC parameters at 95% confidence level. The last column presents the scattering energy values for which the amplitude would violate unitarity for the observed value of the aQGC parameter. All coupling parameter limits are set in  $\text{TeV}^{-4}$ , whereas the unitarity bounds are in TeV.

Coupling	Exp. lower	Exp. upper	Obs. lower	Obs. upper	Unitarity bound
$F_{M0}/\Lambda^4$	-12.5	12.8	-15.8	16.0	1.3
$F_{M1}/\Lambda^4$	-28.1	27.0	-35.0	34.7	1.5
$F_{M2}/\Lambda^4$	-5.21	5.12	-6.55	6.49	1.5
$F_{M3}/\Lambda^4$	-10.2	10.3	-13.0	13.0	1.8
$F_{M4}/\Lambda^4$	-10.2	10.2	-13.0	12.7	1.7
$F_{M5}/\Lambda^4$	-17.6	16.8	-22.2	21.3	1.7
$F_{M7}/\Lambda^4$	-44.7	45.0	-56.6	55.9	1.6
$F_{T0}/\Lambda^4$	-0.52	0.44	-0.64	0.57	1.9
$F_{T1}/\Lambda^4$	-0.65	0.63	-0.81	0.90	2.0
$F_{T2}/\Lambda^4$	-1.36	1.21	-1.68	1.54	1.9
$F_{T5}/\Lambda^4$	-0.45	0.52	-0.58	0.64	2.2
$F_{T6}/\Lambda^4$	-1.02	1.07	-1.30	1.33	2.0
$F_{T7}/\Lambda^4$	-1.67	1.97	-2.15	2.43	2.2
$F_{T8}/\Lambda^4$	-0.36	0.36	-0.47	0.47	1.8
$F_{T9}/\Lambda^4$	-0.72	0.72	-0.91	0.91	1.9

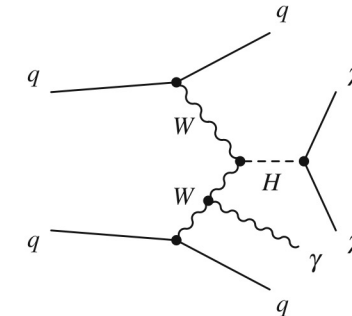
# EW Z(vv)γ + jj

- \* Observation also done in the Z->vv channel by ATLAS, with **full Run 2 data**
- \* Signal generated with MG5
- \* Mostly **focus on low energy region**
- \* Also searches for BSM due to invisible Higgs decay or dark photon
- \* Several CRs defined to constrain backgrounds from different sources

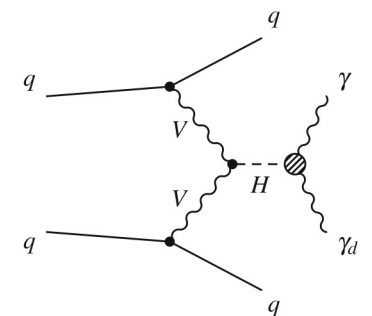
**Table 3** Summary of the requirements defining the baseline SR and various CRs considered in this analysis. Where present, the values in square brackets refer to the regions defined in the search for a  $H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma_d$  signal. The leading and subleading jets must satisfy the fJVT requirements mentioned in Sect. 5. In the SR,  $Z_{Rev.Cen.}^\gamma$  CR, and Low- $E_T^{miss}$

VR definitions  $E_T^{miss,lep-rm} \equiv E_T^{miss}$  since no lepton is present. The  $m_T$  variable is defined in Sect. 6.4. When the same requirement is applied to multiple regions, this is reported once in the corresponding row of the table, centred across columns, and is considered to be valid in all the columns to the left or right until a different requirement is explicitly reported

Variable	SR	$W_{\mu\nu}^\gamma$ CR	$W_{ev}^\gamma$ CR	$Z_{Rev.Cen.}^\gamma$ CR	Fake-e CR	Low- $E_T^{miss}$ VR
$p_T(j_1)$ [GeV]	> 60					
$p_T(j_2)$ [GeV]	> 50					
$p_T(j_{>2})$ [GeV]	> 25					
$N_{jet}$	2,3					
$N_{b-jet}$	< 2					
$ \Delta\eta_{jj} $	> 3.0					
$\eta(j_1) \times \eta(j_2)$	< 0					
$C_3$	< 0.7					
$\Delta\phi(j_i, \vec{E}_T^{miss,lep-rm})$	> 1.0					
$N_\gamma$	1					
$\Delta\phi_{jj}$	< 2.5 [2.0]					
$\Delta\phi(\gamma, \vec{E}_T^{miss,lep-rm})$	> 1.8 [-]					
$p_T(\gamma)$ [GeV]	> 15, < 110 [ <b>&gt; 15, &lt; max(110, 0.733 × <math>m_T</math>)</b> ]					
$m_{jj}$ [TeV]	> 0.25					0.25–1.0
$E_T^{jets,no-jvt}$ [GeV]	> 130					> 100
$E_T^{miss}$ [GeV]	> 150	–	> 80	> 150	< 80	110–150
$E_T^{miss,lep-rm}$ [GeV]	–	> 150	> 150	–	> 150	110–150
$C_\gamma$	> 0.4	> 0.4	> 0.4	< 0.4	> 0.4	> 0.4
$N_\ell$	0	1 $\mu$	1 $e$	0	1 $e$	0
$p_T(\ell)$ [GeV]	–	> 30	> 30	–	> 30	–



(a) Invisible Higgs boson signal



(b) Dark-photon signal

# Observation of the SM EW $Z(\nu\nu)\gamma + jj$

- \* Observation is achieved by fitting on the  $m_{jj}$ , in SR and CRs simultaneously

Observed (expected) significance:  $5.2 (5.1)\sigma$   
 $W\gamma$  and QCD  $Z\gamma$  is floating in the fit

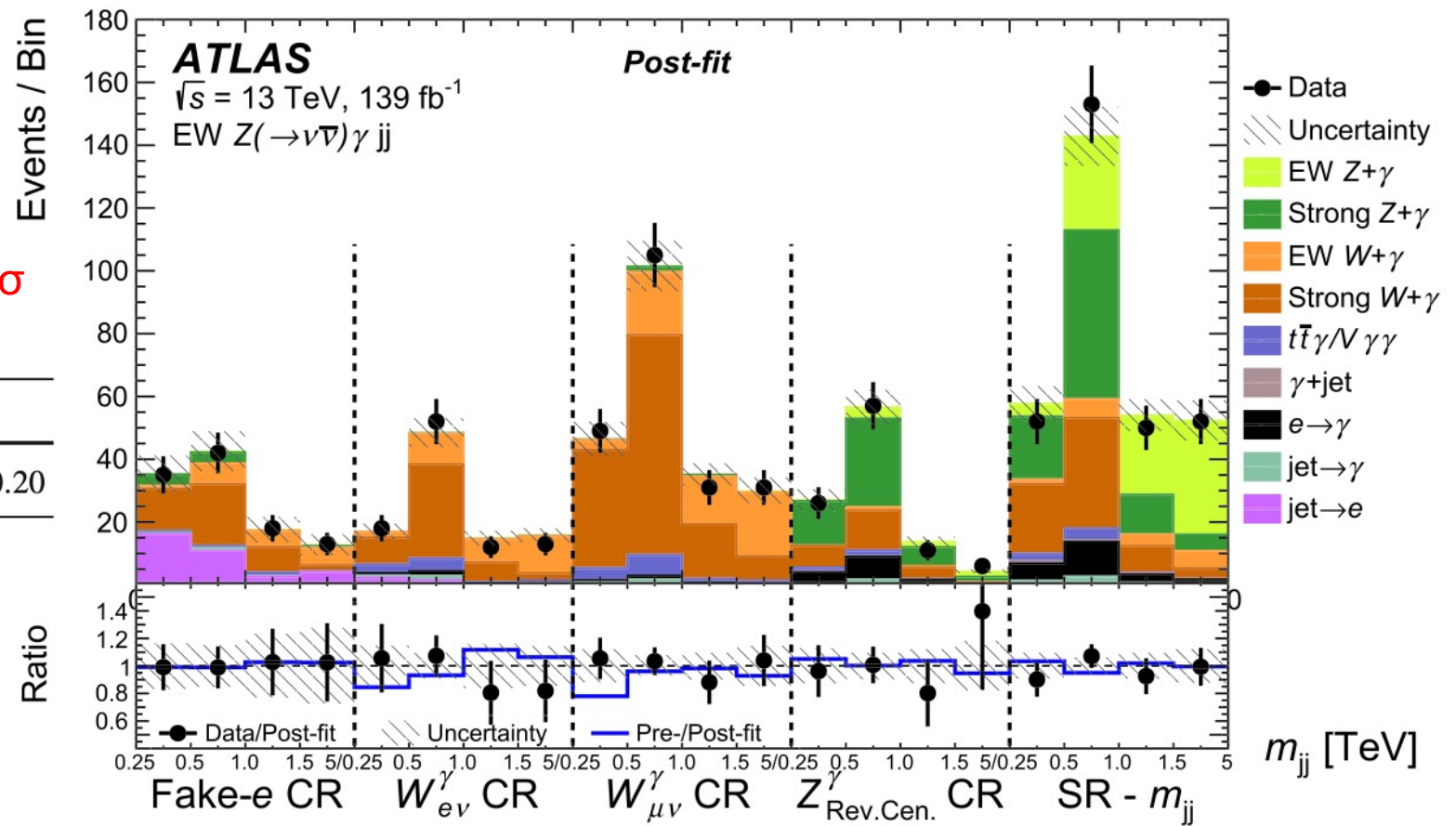
$\mu_{Z\gamma EW}$	$\beta_{Z\gamma strong}$	$\beta_{W\gamma}$
$1.03 \pm 0.25$	$1.02 \pm 0.41$	$1.01 \pm 0.20$

Signal strength for EW  $Z(\nu\nu)\gamma + jj$ :

$1.03 \pm 0.16(\text{stat}) \pm 0.19(\text{syst}) \pm 0.02(\text{lumi})$ .

Measure fiducial cross section:

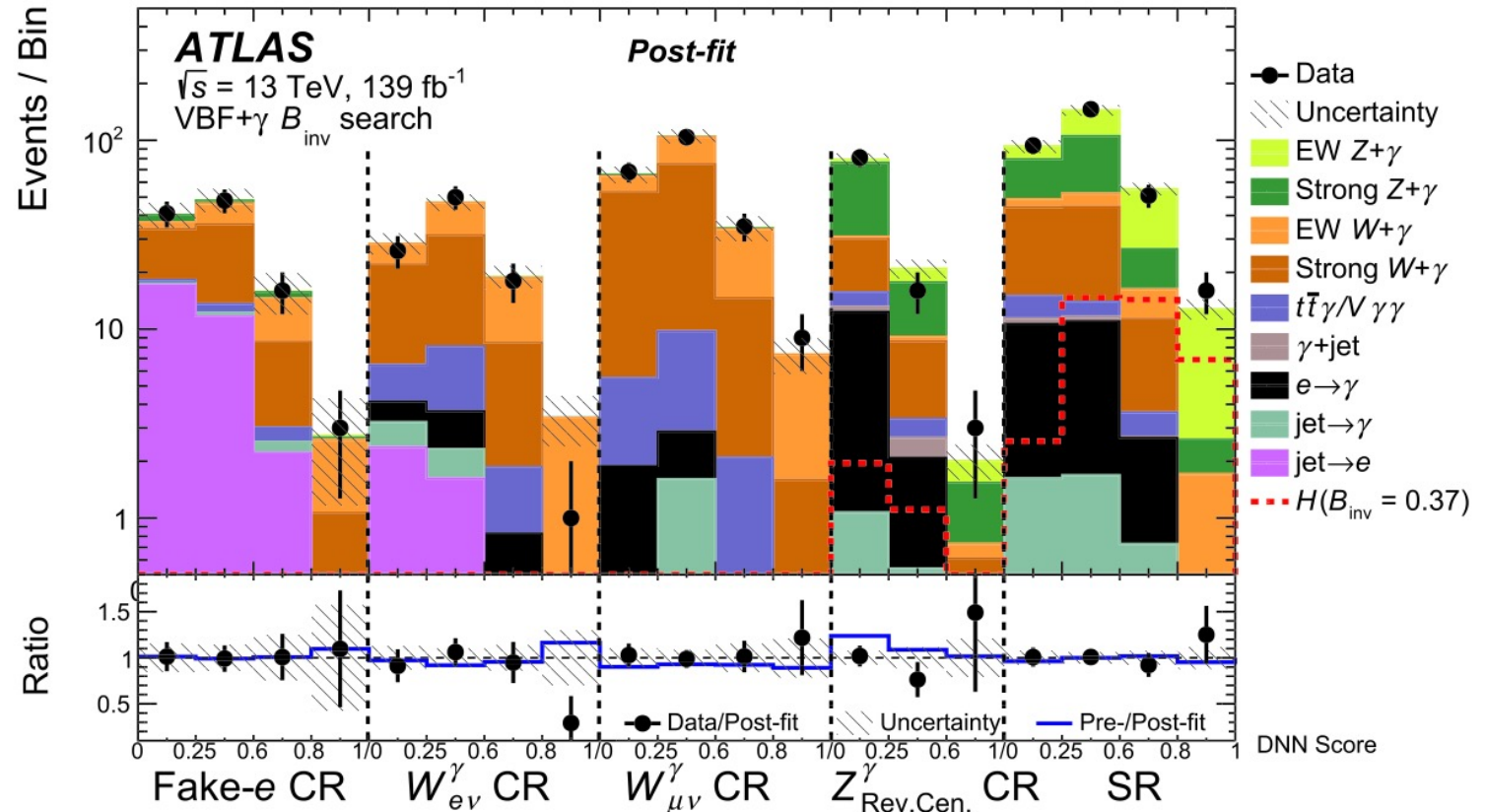
$1.31 \pm 0.20(\text{stat}) \pm 0.20(\text{syst}) \text{ fb}$



# Search for H invisible decay

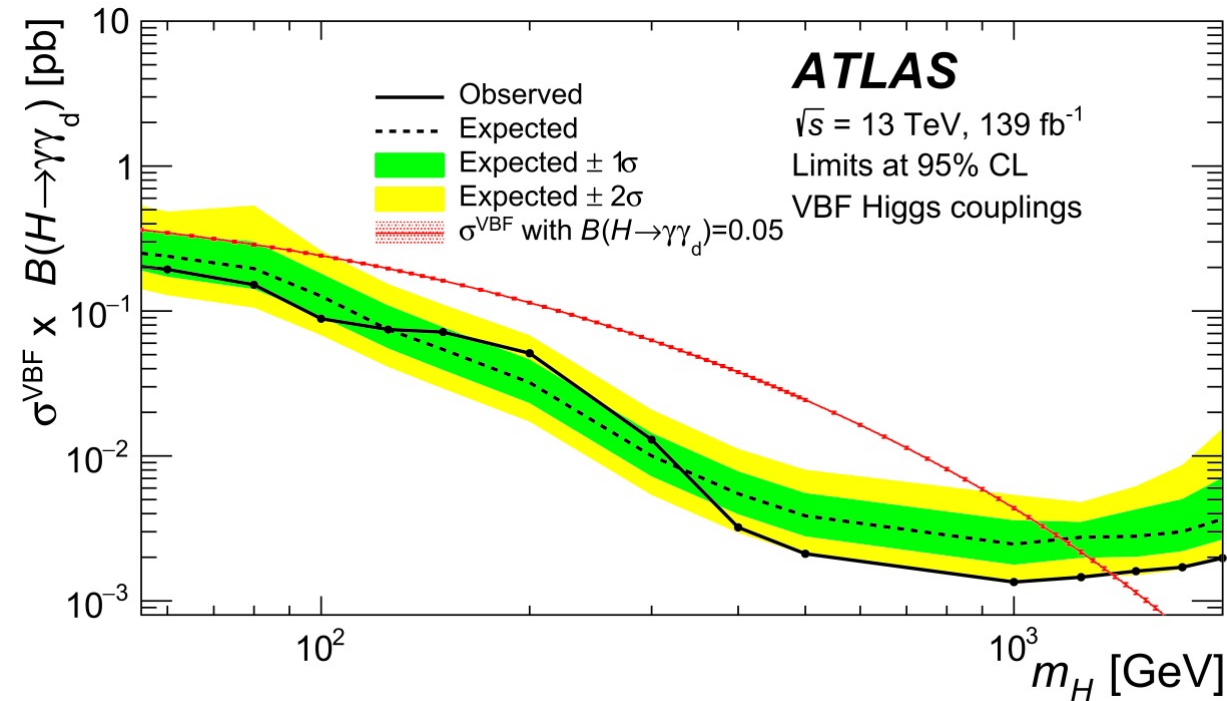
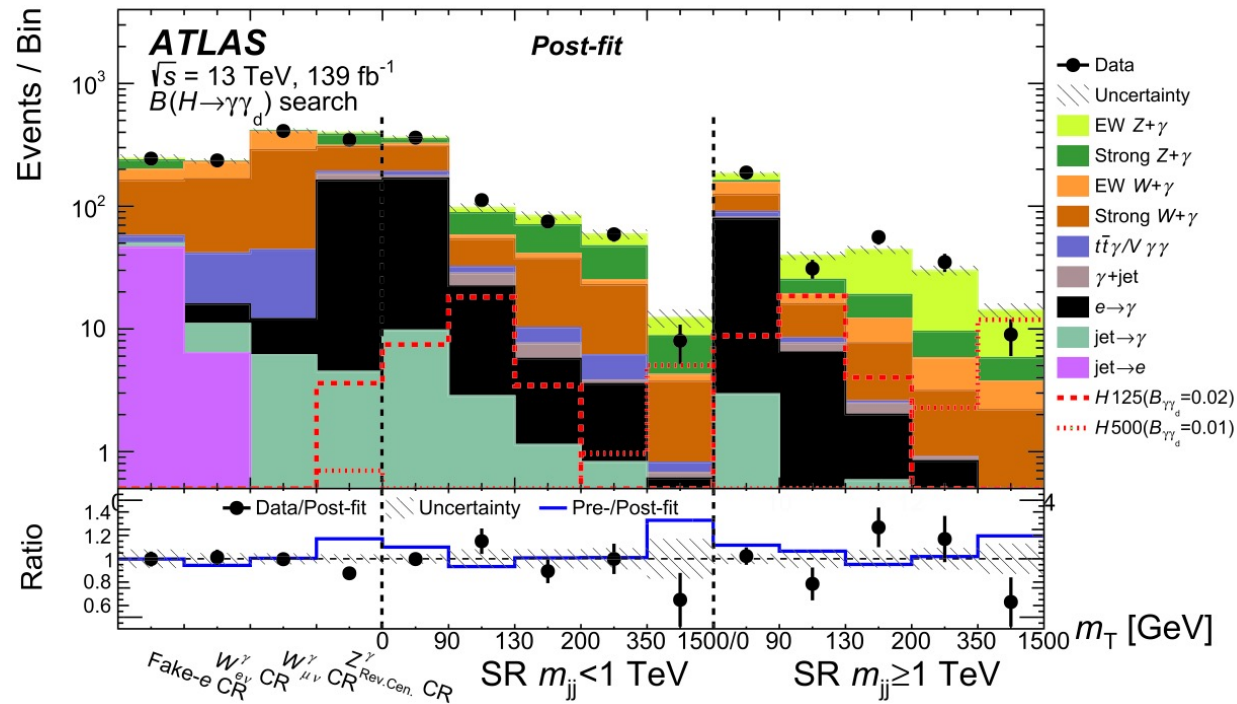
- \* DNN is trained and used to enhance sensitivity
- \* Looser event selections applied to increase statistic for DNN training

No evidence of new physics.  
 Observed (expected) 95% CL  
 upper limit on Higgs invisible decay  
 is set as 0.37 (0.34)



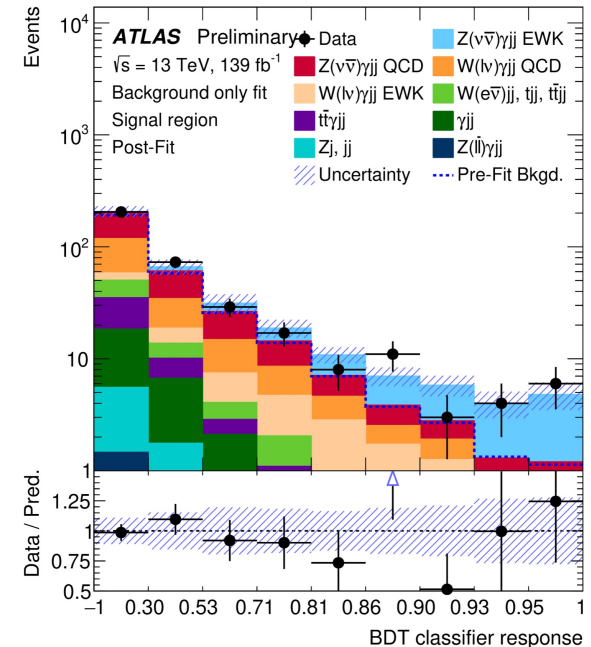
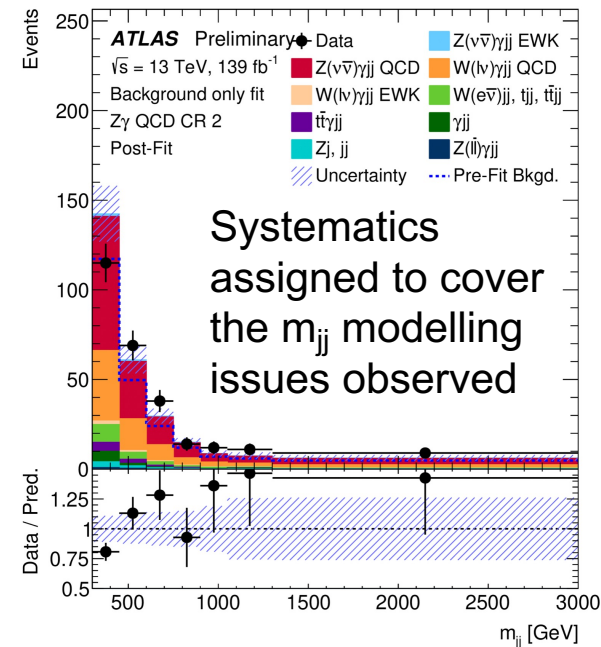
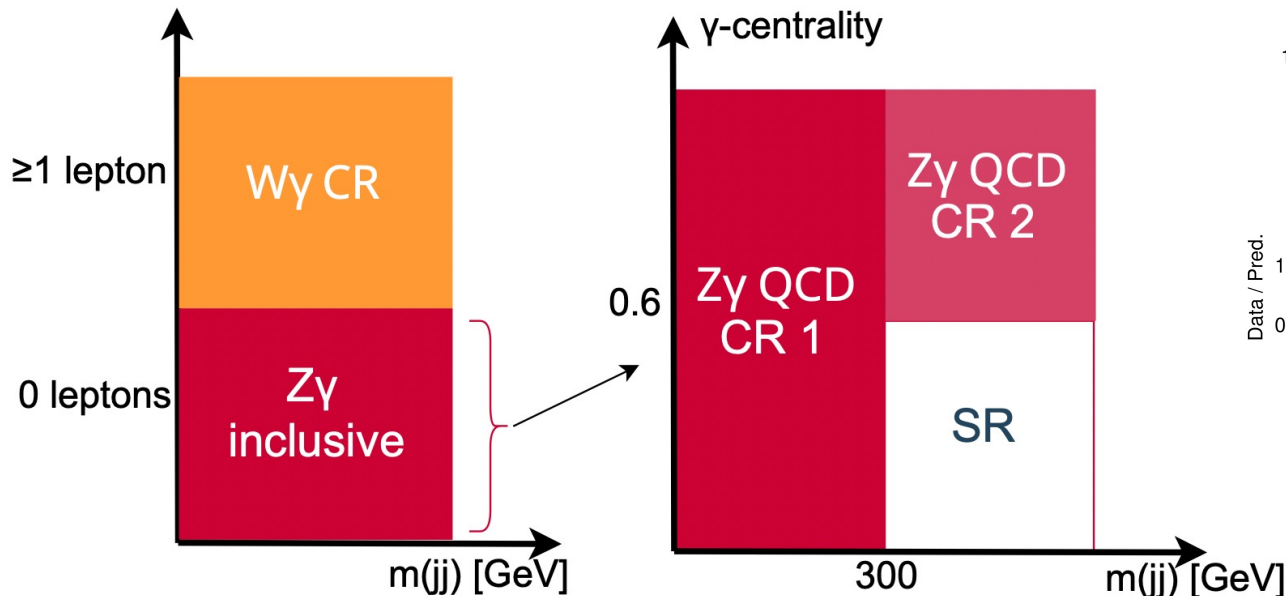
# Search for Higgs decays to dark photon

\* Transverse mass of the photon and MET system is used for fitting



# EW $Z(\nu\nu)\gamma + jj$ in high energy region

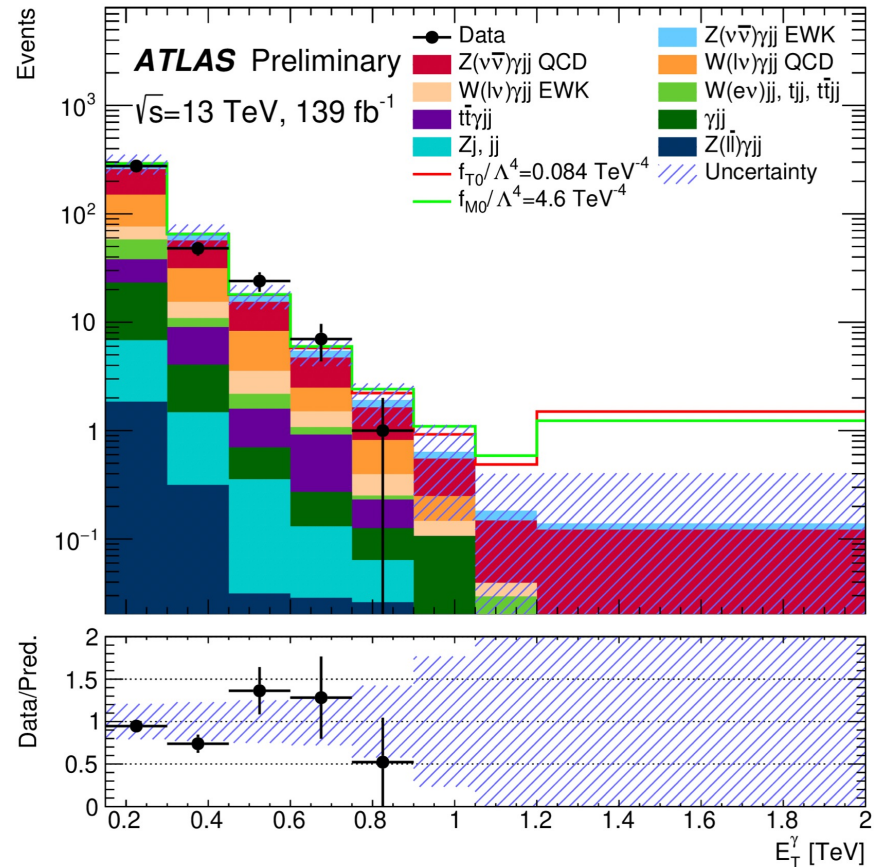
- \* Anomalous couplings have larger contributions in high energy region, thus ATLAS has a dedicated analysis in those region, by requiring  $p_T(\gamma) > 150 \text{ GeV}$
- \*  $Z\gamma$  QCD CR1: used to estimate QCD yield
- \*  $Z\gamma$  QCD CR2: used to check the  $m_{jj}$  modelling
- \* BDT used to extrapolate EW signal



POI	Comparison with previous		
	Current analysis	Value	Ref. [7]
$\mu_{Z\gamma\text{EWK}}$	$0.78 \pm 0.33$	$1.04 \pm 0.23$	$0.96 \pm 0.18$
$\mu_{Z\gamma\text{QCD}}$	$1.21 \pm 0.37$	$1.02 \pm 0.41$	$1.17 \pm 0.27$
$\mu_{W\gamma}$	$1.02 \pm 0.22$	$1.01 \pm 0.20$	$1.01 \pm 0.13$



# Limit on aQGC

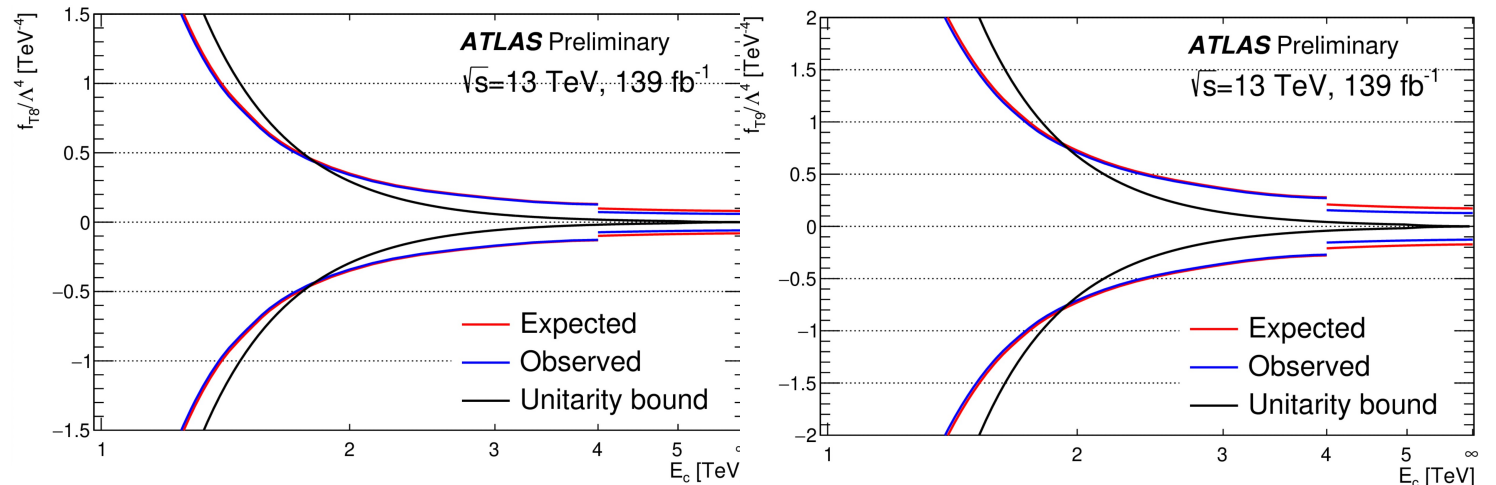


Photon  $E_T$  is used

## Without cutoff

Coefficient	Observed limit, $\text{TeV}^{-4}$	Expected limit, $\text{TeV}^{-4}$
$f_{T0}/\Lambda^4$	$[-9.4, 8.4] \times 10^{-2}$	$[-1.3, 1.2] \times 10^{-1}$
$f_{T5}/\Lambda^4$	$[-8.8, 9.9] \times 10^{-2}$	$[-1.2, 1.3] \times 10^{-1}$
$f_{T8}/\Lambda^4$	$[-5.9, 5.9] \times 10^{-2}$	$[-8.1, 8.0] \times 10^{-2}$
$f_{T9}/\Lambda^4$	$[-1.3, 1.3] \times 10^{-1}$	$[-1.7, 1.7] \times 10^{-1}$
$f_{M0}/\Lambda^4$	$[-4.6, 4.6]$	$[-6.2, 6.2]$
$f_{M1}/\Lambda^4$	$[-7.7, 7.7]$	$[-1.0, 1.0] \times 10^1$
$f_{M2}/\Lambda^4$	$[-1.9, 1.9]$	$[-2.6, 2.6]$

## Limits vs. cutoff



# EW $W\gamma + jj$

- \* Measurements using [full Run 2 data](#) by CMS, with W decays leptonically
- \* EW and QCD  $W\gamma + jj$  both generated with MG5
- \* Transverse mass of W,  $m_T(W) > 30$  GeV
- \* Events selected [requiring one good electron/muon, and one photon](#)
  - \* In the electron channel, events with  $|m_{e\gamma} - m_Z| < 10$  GeV are removed [to suppress the background from  \$Z \rightarrow ee\$](#) , where one electron mis-identified as a photon
  - \* Depending on photon pseudorapidity, events are further split into barrel and end-cap regions
- \*  $m_{W\gamma} > 100$  GeV,  $dy_{jj} > 2.5$  and additional angular cuts (between  $W\gamma$  and jet system) to enhance the EW contributions
- \* SR:  $m_{jj} > 500$  GeV. CR:  $200 < m_{jj} < 500$  GeV.

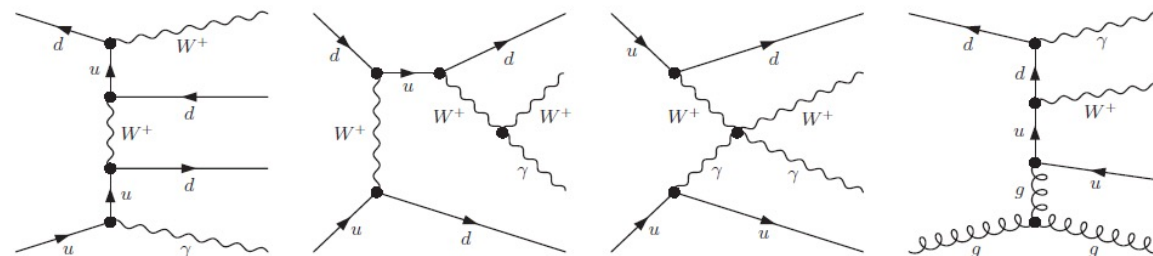
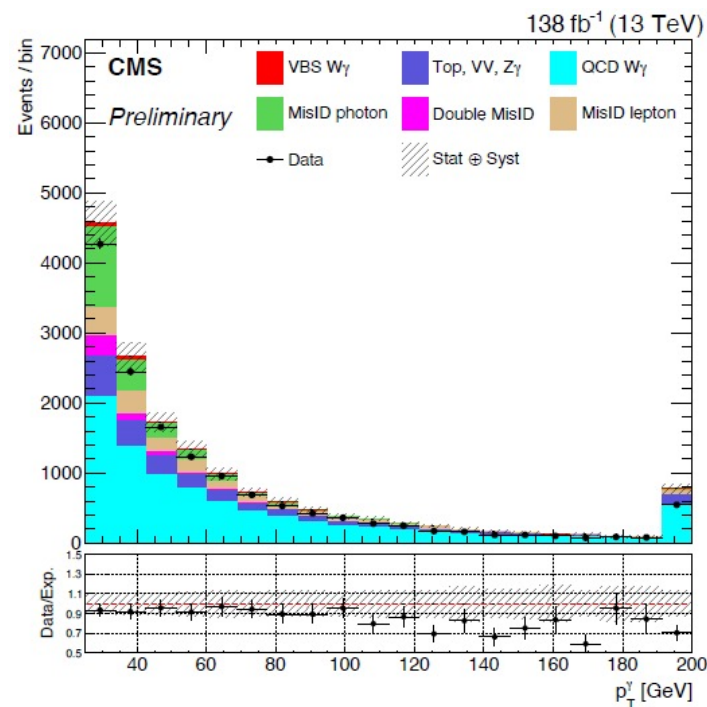


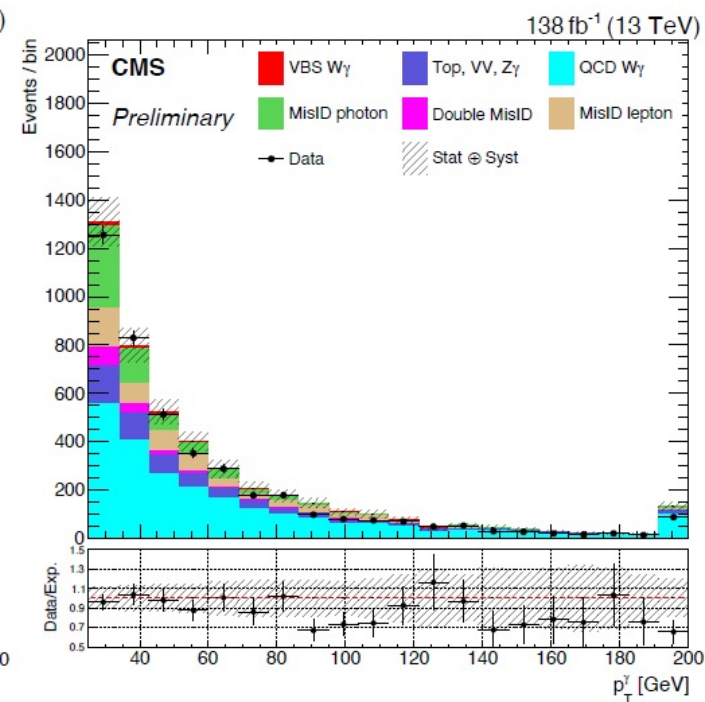
Figure 1: Representative Feynman diagrams for the  $W\gamma jj$  production at the LHC: EW (left), EW through triple (middle left) and quartic (middle right) gauge boson couplings, and QCD-induced (right).

# Background estimation

- \* Background with mis-identified leptons or photons from jets are estimated with data
  - \* Mostly from W + jets and top processes
- \* Other background estimated from MC
- \* Validated in the CR



(a) Barrel

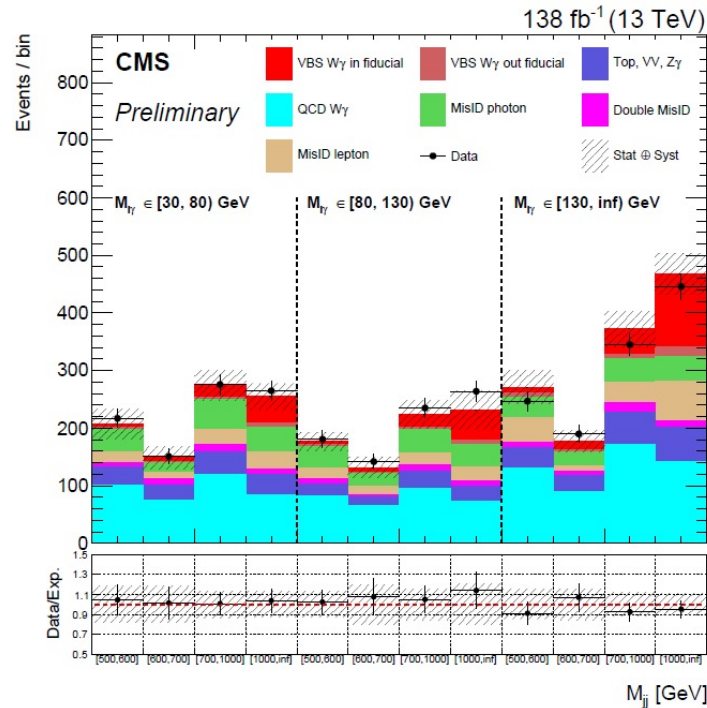


(b) Endcap

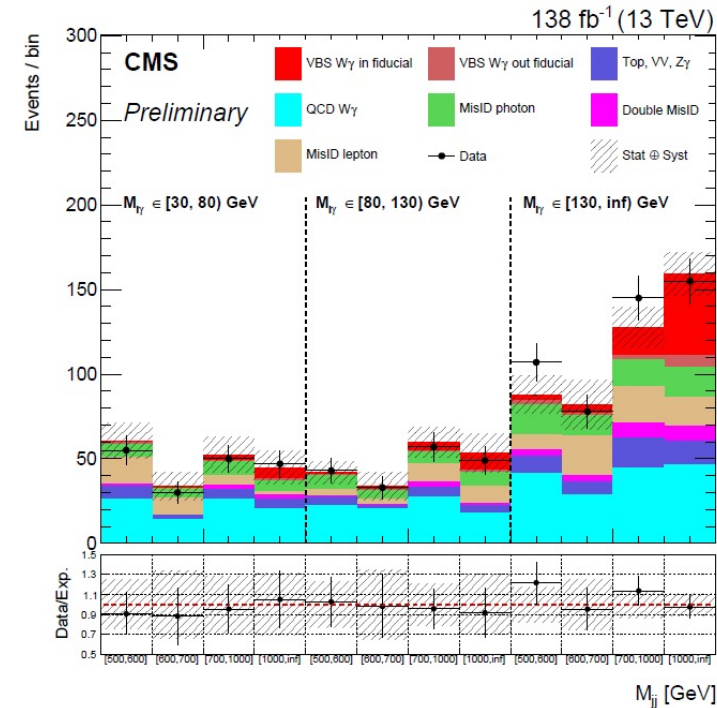
# Observation of the EW processes

- \* Two dimensional distributions in  $m_{jj}$  and  $m_{l\gamma}$  are used to extract the EW processes

	Barrel	Endcap
EW $W\gamma$ in fiducial	$316 \pm 16$	$90.2 \pm 5.5$
EW $W\gamma$ out fiducial	$64.7 \pm 2.0$	$20.4 \pm 1.0$
QCD $W\gamma$	$1301 \pm 28$	$362 \pm 13$
$t\bar{t}\gamma, VV, Z\gamma$	$402 \pm 14$	$93.3 \pm 7.2$
Nonprompt photon	$434 \pm 13$	$120.2 \pm 5.7$
Nonprompt muon	$134 \pm 27$	$45 \pm 11$
Nonprompt electron	$189 \pm 20$	$86 \pm 13$
Nonprompt photon, nonprompt muon	$43.0 \pm 7.0$	$14.6 \pm 3.4$
Nonprompt photon, nonprompt electron	$75.5 \pm 5.5$	$25.0 \pm 2.0$
Total prediction	$2960 \pm 43$	$856 \pm 21$
Data	$2959 \pm 57$	$849 \pm 32$



(a) Barrel



(b) Endcap

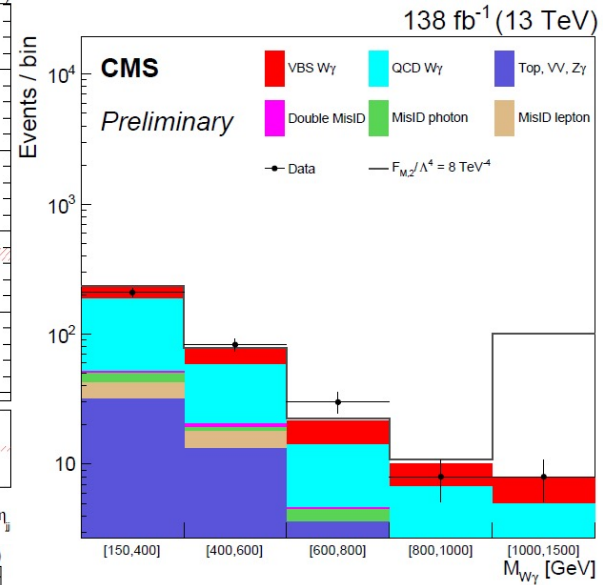
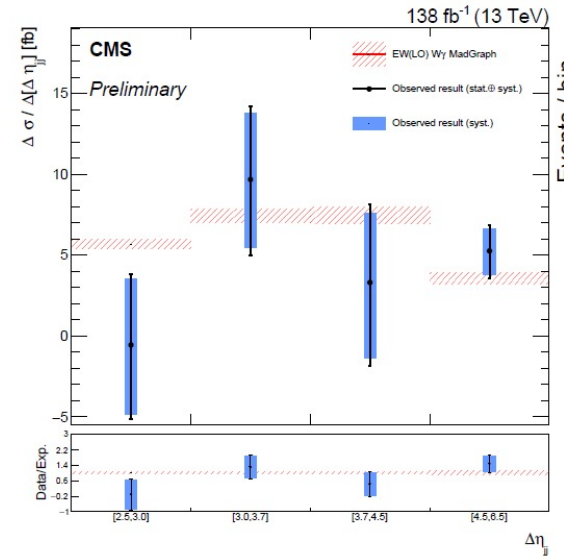
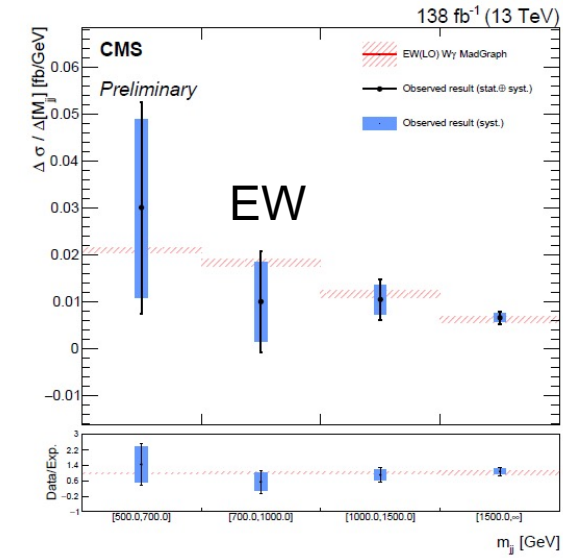
Observed (expected) significance:  $6.03 (6.79)\sigma$

Measured fiducial cross sections

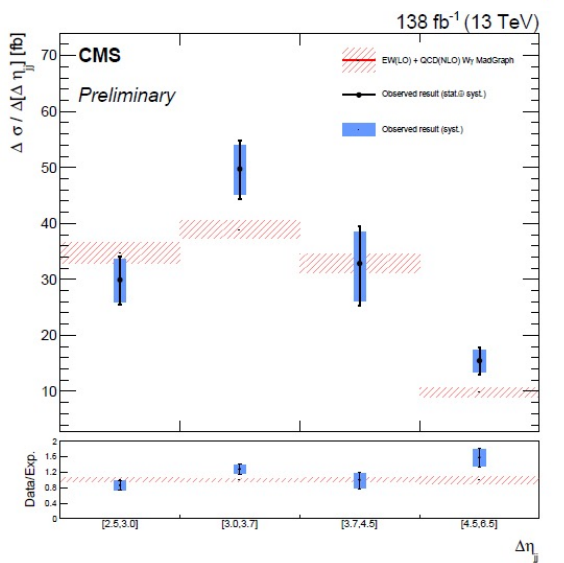
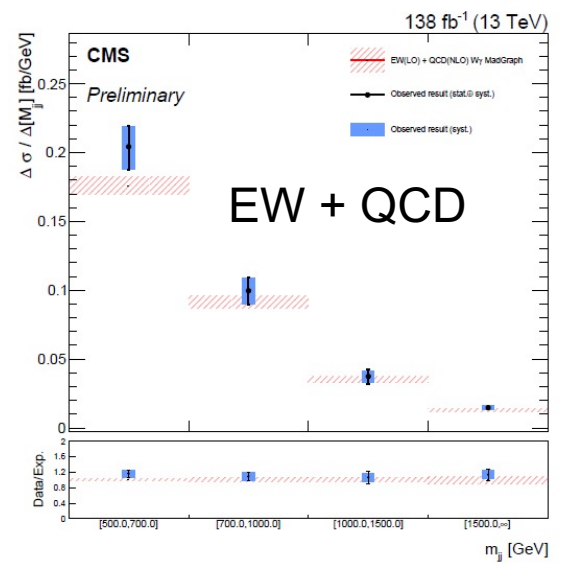
EW  $W\gamma_{jj}$  ( $\mu = 0.88 +0.19 -0.18$ ):  $\sigma_{EW}^{fid} = 19.2^{+2.3}_{-2.3} (stat)^{+1.6}_{-1.4} (theo)^{+2.9}_{-2.8} (syst) fb = 19.2^{+4.0}_{-3.9} fb$

Inclusive  $W\gamma_{jj}$  ( $\mu = 0.98 +0.12 -0.11$ ):  $\sigma_{EW+QCD}^{fid} = 90^{+1.6}_{-1.6} (stat)^{+2.0}_{-1.8} (theo)^{+10}_{-10} (syst) fb = 90^{+11}_{-10} fb$

# Differential cross section measurements and aQGC limit



Expected. limit	Observed. limit	$U_{\text{bound}}$
$-5.1 < f_{M0}/\Lambda^4 < 5.1$	$-5.6 < f_{M0}/\Lambda^4 < 5.5$	1.7
$-7.1 < f_{M1}/\Lambda^4 < 7.4$	$-7.8 < f_{M1}/\Lambda^4 < 8.1$	2.1
$-1.8 < f_{M2}/\Lambda^4 < 1.8$	$-1.9 < f_{M2}/\Lambda^4 < 1.9$	2.0
$-2.5 < f_{M3}/\Lambda^4 < 2.5$	$-2.7 < f_{M3}/\Lambda^4 < 2.7$	2.7
$-3.3 < f_{M4}/\Lambda^4 < 3.3$	$-3.7 < f_{M4}/\Lambda^4 < 3.6$	2.3
$-3.4 < f_{M5}/\Lambda^4 < 3.6$	$-3.9 < f_{M5}/\Lambda^4 < 3.9$	2.7
$-13 < f_{M7}/\Lambda^4 < 13$	$-14 < f_{M7}/\Lambda^4 < 14$	2.2
$-0.43 < f_{T0}/\Lambda^4 < 0.51$	$-0.47 < f_{T0}/\Lambda^4 < 0.51$	1.9
$-0.27 < f_{T1}/\Lambda^4 < 0.31$	$-0.31 < f_{T1}/\Lambda^4 < 0.34$	2.5
$-0.72 < f_{T2}/\Lambda^4 < 0.92$	$-0.85 < f_{T2}/\Lambda^4 < 1.0$	2.3
$-0.29 < f_{T5}/\Lambda^4 < 0.31$	$-0.31 < f_{T5}/\Lambda^4 < 0.33$	2.6
$-0.23 < f_{T6}/\Lambda^4 < 0.25$	$-0.25 < f_{T6}/\Lambda^4 < 0.27$	2.9
$-0.60 < f_{T7}/\Lambda^4 < 0.68$	$-0.67 < f_{T7}/\Lambda^4 < 0.73$	3.1



Mass of the W<sub>γ</sub> is used to set limit on aQGC, in an optimized region with higher mass/pT requirement

$$m_{jj} > 800 \text{ GeV}, |\Delta\eta_{jj}| > 2.5, m_{W\gamma} > 150 \text{ GeV}, \text{ and } p_T^{\gamma} > 100 \text{ GeV}.$$

# EW ZZjj

- \* Both experiments have studied this using [full Run 2 data](#)
  - \* Clear experimental signatures, particular in the ZZ->4l channel
  - \* Even lower statistic, compared to other channels
- \* ATLAS used both lllljj and llvvjj channel. CMS focused on llljj
- \* [EW signal modelled with both Powheg V2 and MG](#) (for nominal and check) for ATLAS and CMS. Interference between EW and QCD diagrams estimated with MG
- \* Major background comes from the QCD production, and suffers from relatively poor modelling
  - \* Both analyses used data to constrain these processes
- \* MVA methods are used to increase sensitivity

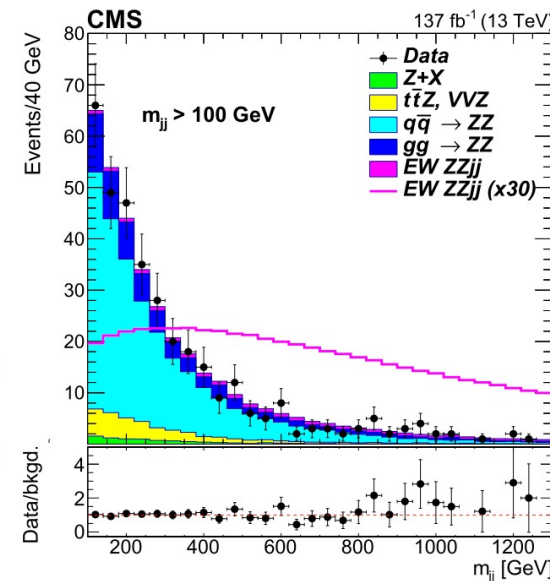
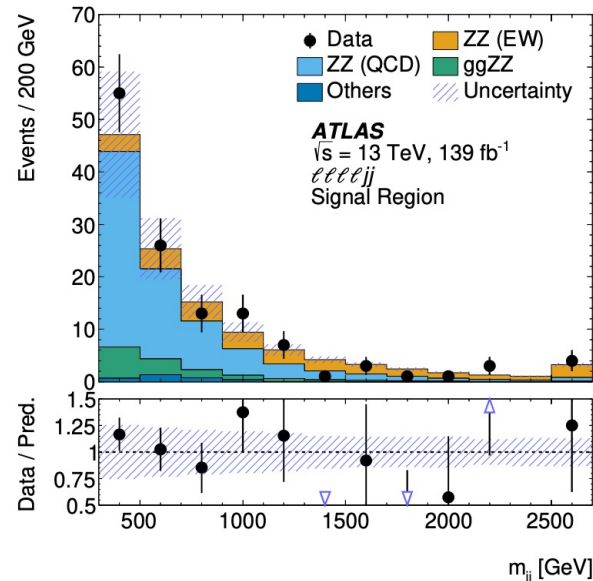
# Selections to observe the EW ZZjj

- \* Basic lepton selections to pick up two (one) on-shell Z boson in the llll (llvv) channel
- \* ATLAS trained **BDTs** in VBS-enriched regions, by requiring  $m_{jj} > 300$  (400) GeV for llll (llvv) channel, and  $dy_{jj} > 2$
- \* CMS used **matrix element** discriminant ( $K_D$ ), with events in a much larger phase space:  $m_{jj} > 100$  GeV

Year	CMS	Signal (EW ZZjj)	Z+X	$q\bar{q} \rightarrow ZZjj$	$gg \rightarrow ZZjj$	$t\bar{t}Z + VVZ$	Total predicted	Data
				ZZjj inclusive				
2016 (36 fb <sup>-1</sup> )		6.3 ± 0.7	2.8 ± 1.1	65.6 ± 9.5	13.5 ± 2.0	8.4 ± 2.2	96 ± 13	95
2017 (41 fb <sup>-1</sup> )		7.4 ± 0.8	2.4 ± 0.9	77.7 ± 11.2	20.3 ± 3.0	9.6 ± 2.5	117 ± 15	111
2018 (60 fb <sup>-1</sup> )		10.4 ± 1.1	4.1 ± 1.6	98.1 ± 14.2	29.1 ± 4.3	14.2 ± 3.8	156 ± 20	159
All (137 fb <sup>-1</sup> )		24.1 ± 2.5	9.4 ± 3.6	241.5 ± 34.9	62.9 ± 9.3	32.2 ± 8.5	370 ± 48	365

## ATLAS

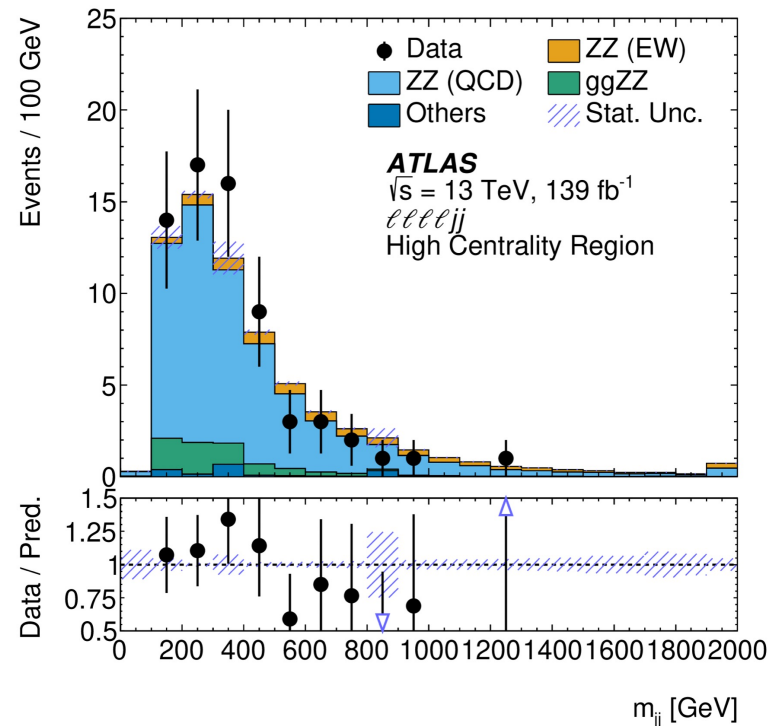
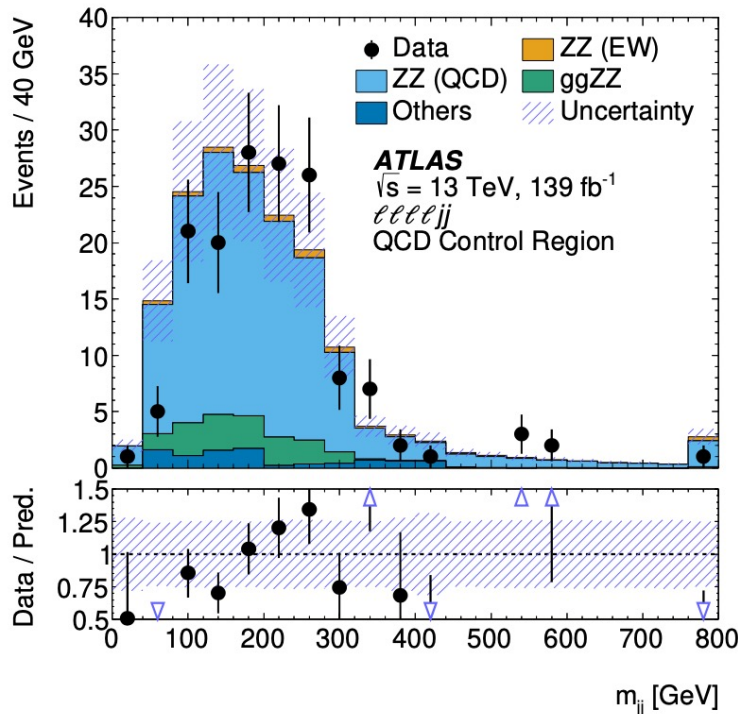
Process	lllljj	llvvjj
EW ZZjj	22.4 ± 2.5	13.6 ± 0.7
QCD ZZjj	77 ± 25	17.2 ± 3.5
QCD ggZZjj	13.1 ± 4.4	3.5 ± 1.1
Non-resonant-ll	–	21.4 ± 4.8
WZ	–	24.6 ± 1.1
Others	3.2 ± 2.1	1.2 ± 0.9
Total	115 ± 26	81.5 ± 6.4
Data	127	82



Starting from 300 GeV, event yields are quite comparable

# Constrain the QCD ZZjj

- \* ATLAS used a [dedicated QCD-enriched region](#) by reverting either the  $m_{jj}$  or the  $dy_{jj}$  cut, to constrain the QCD ZZjj production
- \* In the final fit, [different correlation schemes](#) of the theoretical uncertainties in the SR and QCD CR are tested
- \* The  $m_{jj}$  modelling has been further checked in another [high centrality validation region](#)



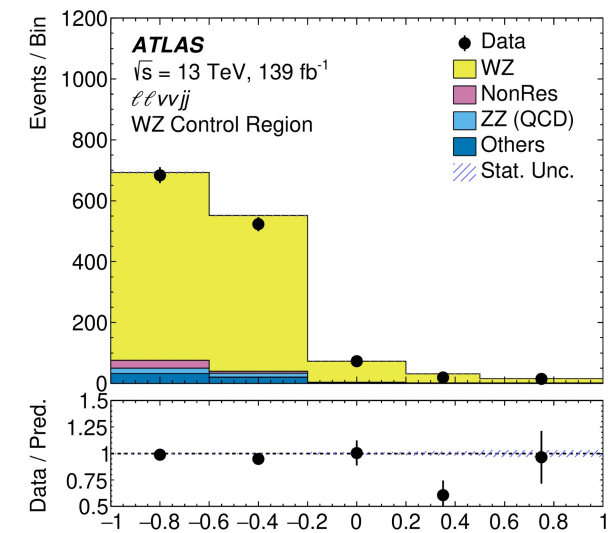
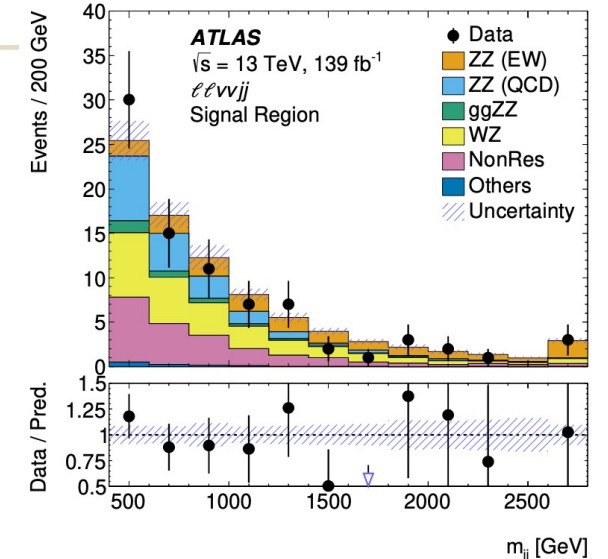
In general, no clear mismodelling has been observed, with the limited statistics in the ZZjj channel

Very conservative systematics have been assigned

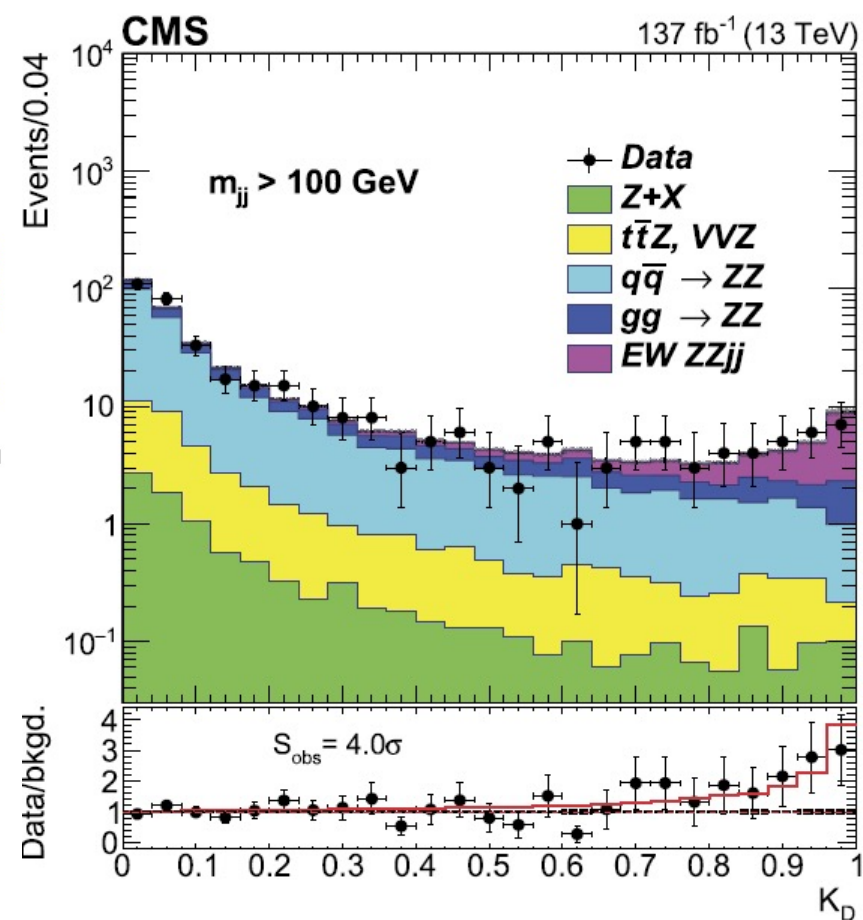
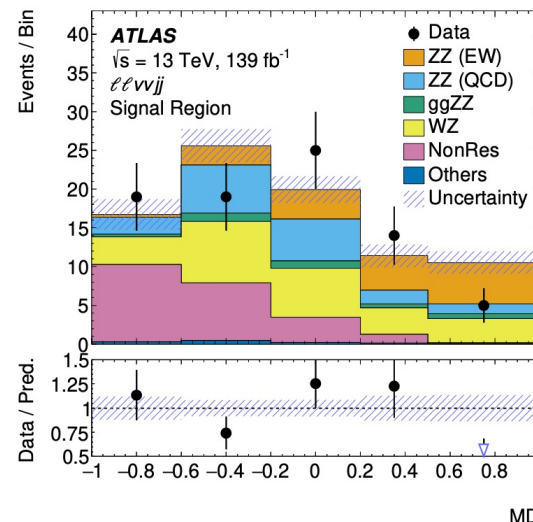
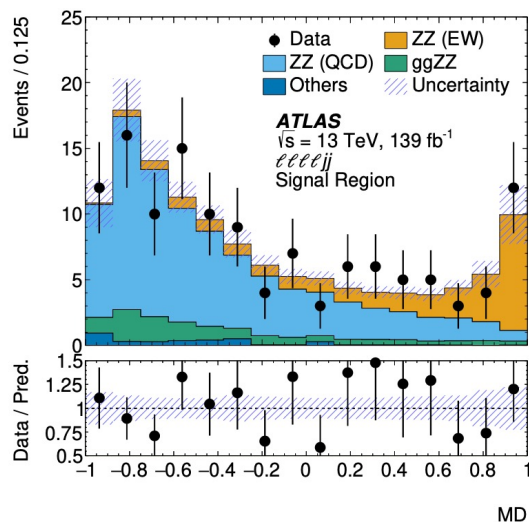
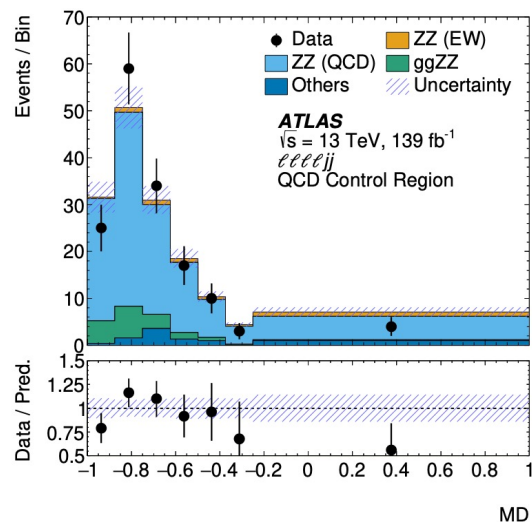


# Background estimate in the $l\bar{l}v\bar{v}$ channel

- \* ATLAS also explored the  $l\bar{l}v\bar{v}j$  channel
  - \* Larger and more complex background expected
  - \* Tighter cuts applied compared to  $l\bar{l}l\bar{l}j$  channel
    - \* Higher jet kinematic requirements ( $p_T$ , invariant mass)
    - \* MET-significance requirement to largely reduce Z+jet
  - \* WZjj - scaled with normalization factor derived in dedicated 3lepton control region
    - \* The EW WZjj has been scaled by 1.77 following previous ATLAS results in the EW WZjj analysis
  - \* NonRes (WWjj and  $t\bar{t}$ ) – estimated with a control region with em pair



# Multivariable analyses



BDT (ATLAS) and  $K_D$  (CMS) trained using sensitive variables  
 ✓ Mostly jet related ones in  $lllljj$   
 ✓ Both jet and dilepton related ones are important in  $llvvjj$   
 Simultaneous fit performed to get the final significance of EW ZZjj

ATLAS	$\mu_{EW}$	$\mu_{QCD}^{lllljj}$	Significance Obs. (Exp.)
$lllljj$	$1.4 \pm 0.4$	$0.98 \pm 0.22$	$5.5 (4.4) \sigma$
$llvvjj$	$0.8 \pm 0.6$	—	$1.3 (2.0) \sigma$
Combined	$1.21 \pm 0.31$	$0.99 \pm 0.22$	$5.7 (4.8) \sigma$

Observation

CMS  
 Observed:  $4.0\sigma$   
 Expected:  $3.5\sigma$   
 $\mu_{EW} = 1.22^{+0.47}_{-0.40}$

# Fiducial cross section measurements

## ATLAS

EW ZZjj (combining llljj and llvvjj):  $0.82 \pm 0.21$  fb

EW+QCD	Measured fiducial $\sigma$ [fb]	Predicted fiducial $\sigma$ [fb]
<i>lllljj</i>	$1.27 \pm 0.12(\text{stat}) \pm 0.02(\text{theo}) \pm 0.07(\text{exp}) \pm 0.01(\text{bkg}) \pm 0.02(\text{lumi})$	$1.16 \pm 0.04(\text{stat}) \pm 0.20(\text{theo})$
<i>llvvjj</i>	$1.13 \pm 0.28(\text{stat}) \pm 0.04(\text{theo}) \pm 0.06(\text{exp}) \pm 0.15(\text{bkg}) \pm 0.02(\text{lumi})$	$1.07 \pm 0.01(\text{stat}) \pm 0.12(\text{theo})$

## CMS

	Perturbative order	SM $\sigma$ (fb)	Measured $\sigma$ (fb)
		ZZjj inclusive	
EW	LO	$0.275 \pm 0.021$	
	NLO QCD	$0.278 \pm 0.017$	$0.33^{+0.11}_{-0.10}(\text{stat})^{+0.04}_{-0.03}(\text{syst})$
	NLO EW	$0.242^{+0.015}_{-0.013}$	
EW+QCD		$5.35 \pm 0.51$	$5.29^{+0.31}_{-0.30}(\text{stat}) \pm 0.47(\text{syst})$
		VBS-enriched (loose)	
EW	LO	$0.186 \pm 0.015$	
	NLO QCD	$0.197 \pm 0.013$	$0.180^{+0.070}_{-0.060}(\text{stat})^{+0.021}_{-0.012}(\text{syst})$
EW+QCD		$1.21 \pm 0.09$	$1.00^{+0.12}_{-0.11}(\text{stat}) \pm 0.07(\text{syst})$
		VBS-enriched (tight)	
EW	LO	$0.104 \pm 0.008$	
	NLO QCD	$0.108 \pm 0.007$	$0.09^{+0.04}_{-0.03}(\text{stat}) \pm 0.02(\text{syst})$
EW+QCD		$0.221 \pm 0.014$	$0.20^{+0.05}_{-0.04}(\text{stat}) \pm 0.02(\text{syst})$

CMS has reported cross sections [in several fiducial regions](#), the inclusive, VBS-enriched (loose) and VBS-enriched (tight), defined with different  $m_{jj}$  and  $dy_{jj}$  cuts

# Constraint on aQGC

- \* CMS also set limit on the sensitive aQGCs, using the  $m_{4l}$  distributions, and get the **most stringent limits** to date on the neutral current operators T8 and T9
- \* Very sensitive in the last bin, containing overflow events with  $m_{4l} > 1400$  GeV

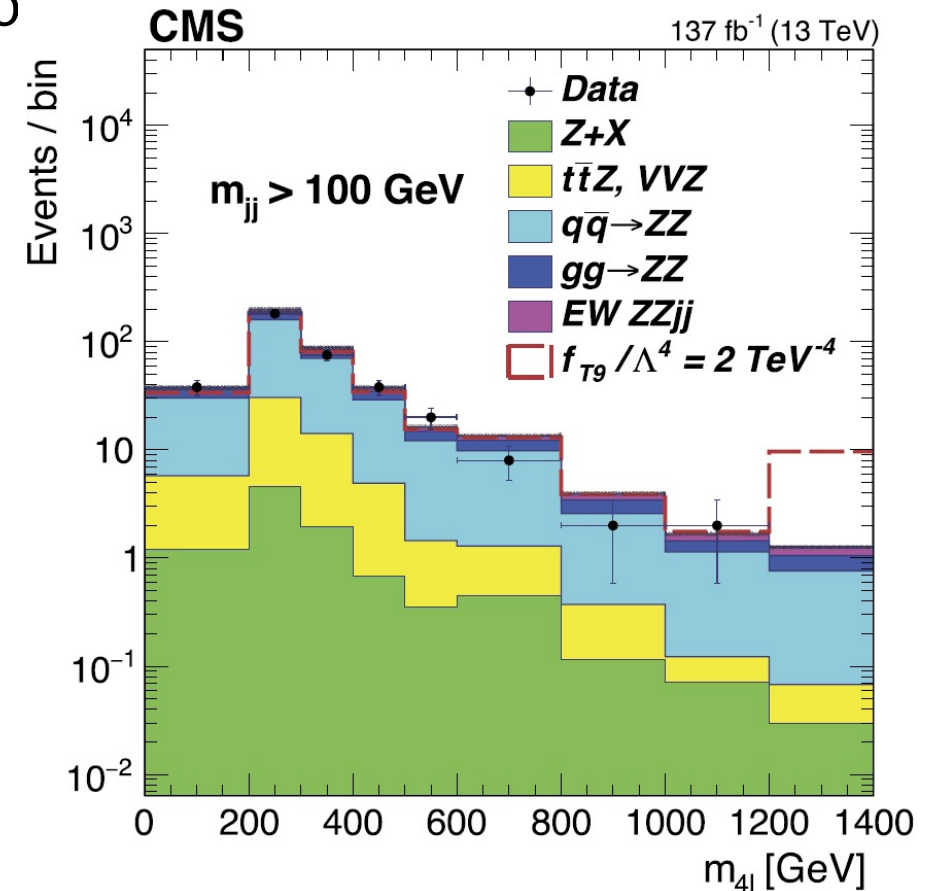
$$-0.24 < f_{T0}/\Lambda^4 < 0.22$$

$$-0.31 < f_{T1}/\Lambda^4 < 0.31$$

$$-0.63 < f_{T2}/\Lambda^4 < 0.59$$

$$-0.43 < f_{T8}/\Lambda^4 < 0.43$$

$$-0.92 < f_{T9}/\Lambda^4 < 0.92$$

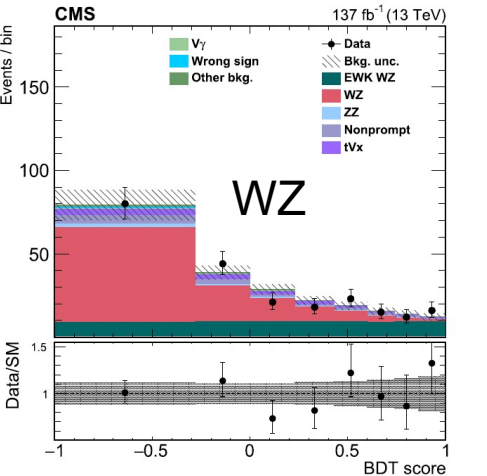
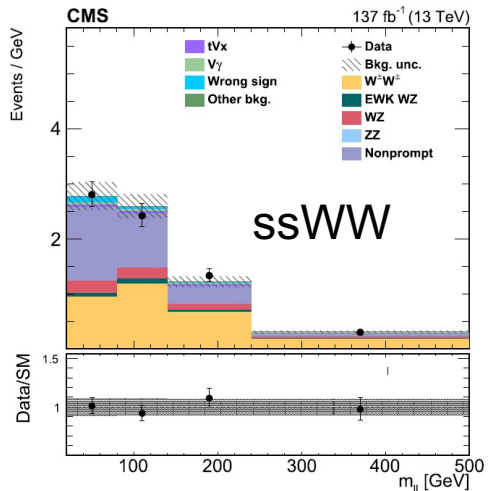
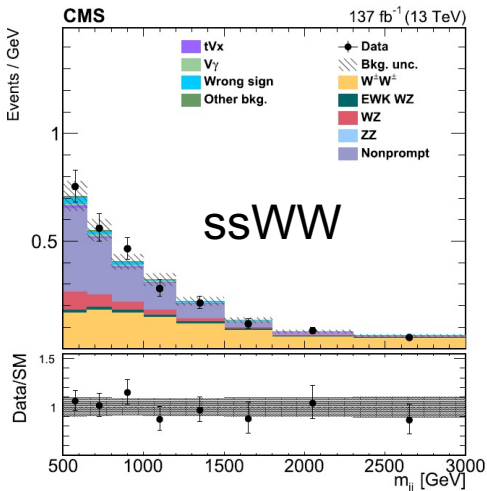


# EW WZ and same-sign WW

\* Both collaborations have published results in those channels. CMS has used the full Run 2 data

Summary of the selection requirements defining the  $W^\pm W^\pm$  and WZ SRs. The looser lepton  $p_T$  requirement on the WZ selection refers to the trailing lepton from the Z boson decays. The  $|m_{\ell\ell} - m_Z|$  requirement is applied to the dielectron final state only in the  $W^\pm W^\pm$  SR.

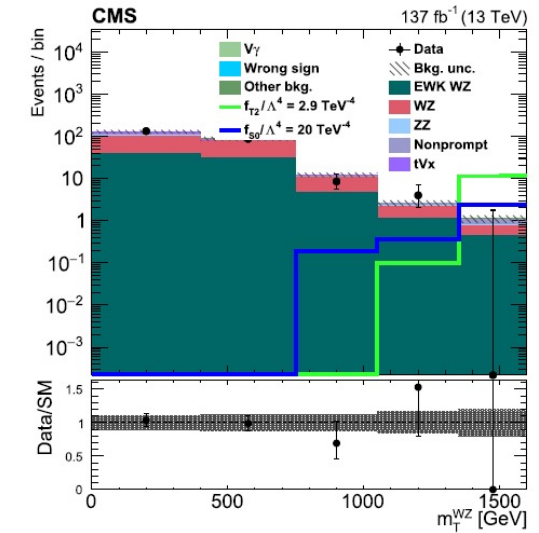
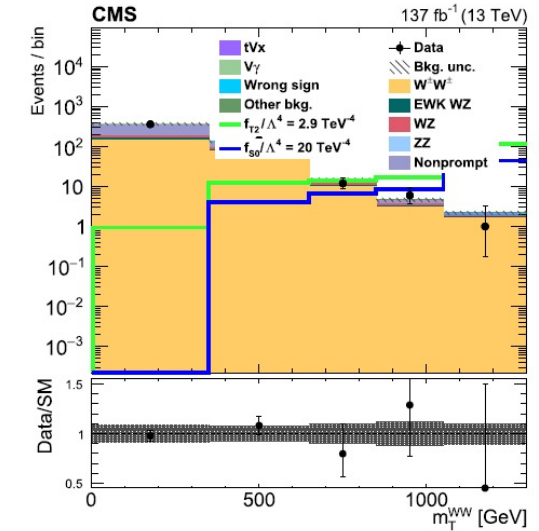
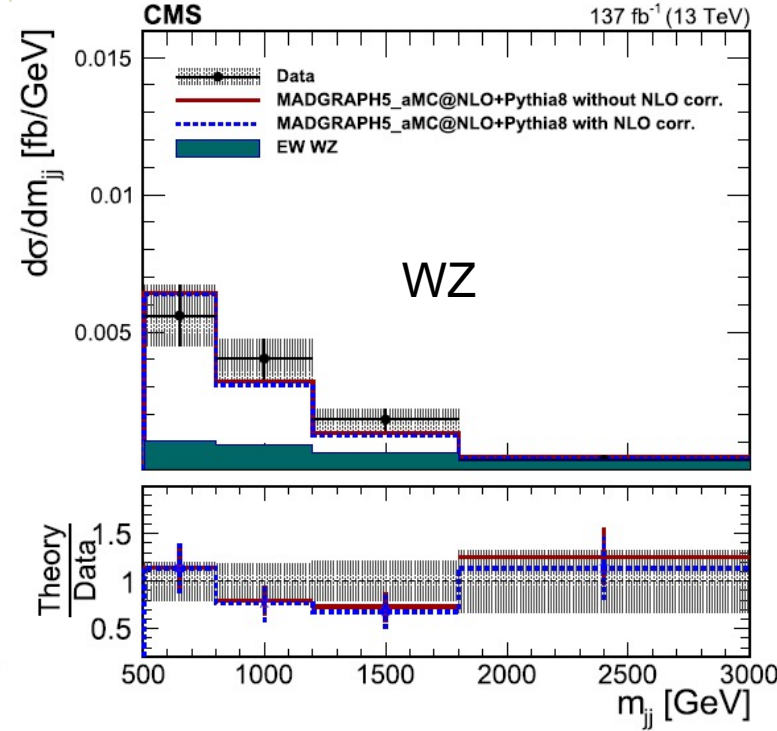
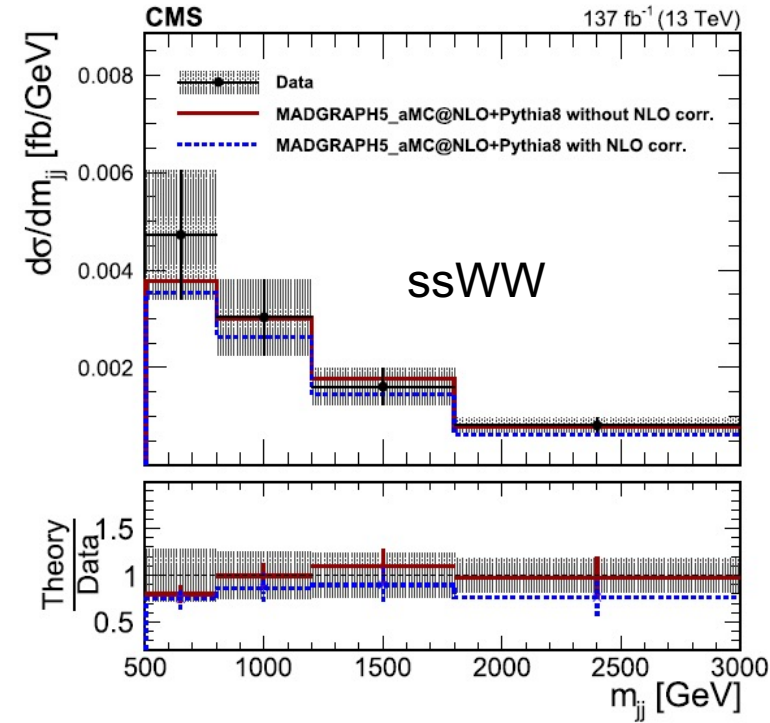
Variable	$W^\pm W^\pm$	WZ
Leptons	2 leptons, $p_T > 25/20$ GeV	3 leptons, $p_T > 25/10/20$ GeV
$p_T^j$	$> 50$ GeV	$> 50$ GeV
$ m_{\ell\ell} - m_Z $	$> 15$ GeV (ee)	$< 15$ GeV
$m_{\ell\ell}$	$> 20$ GeV	—
$m_{\ell\ell}^{\text{miss}}$	—	$> 100$ GeV
$p_T^{\text{miss}}$	$> 30$ GeV	$> 30$ GeV
b quark veto	Required	Required
$\max(z_\ell^*)$	$< 0.75$	$< 1.0$
$m_{jj}$	$> 500$ GeV	$> 500$ GeV
$ \Delta\eta_{jj} $	$> 2.5$	$> 2.5$



2D fit ( $m_{jj}$  vs  $m_{ll}$ ) for ssWW  
BDT for WZ

Significance  
WZ: 6.8 (5.3)  $\sigma$  for observed (expected)  
ssWW: already far above  $5\sigma$

# Cross sections and aQGC



Process	$\sigma \mathcal{B}$ (fb)	Theoretical prediction without NLO corrections (fb)	Theoretical prediction with NLO corrections (fb)
EW $W^\pm W^\pm$	$3.98 \pm 0.45$ $0.37(\text{stat}) \pm 0.25(\text{syst})$	$3.93 \pm 0.57$	$3.31 \pm 0.47$
EW+QCD $W^\pm W^\pm$	$4.42 \pm 0.47$ $0.39(\text{stat}) \pm 0.25(\text{syst})$	$4.34 \pm 0.69$	$3.72 \pm 0.59$
EW WZ	$1.81 \pm 0.41$ $0.39(\text{stat}) \pm 0.14(\text{syst})$	$1.41 \pm 0.21$	$1.24 \pm 0.18$
EW+QCD WZ	$4.97 \pm 0.46$ $0.40(\text{stat}) \pm 0.23(\text{syst})$	$4.54 \pm 0.90$	$4.36 \pm 0.88$
QCD WZ	$3.15 \pm 0.49$ $0.45(\text{stat}) \pm 0.18(\text{syst})$	$3.12 \pm 0.70$	$3.12 \pm 0.70$

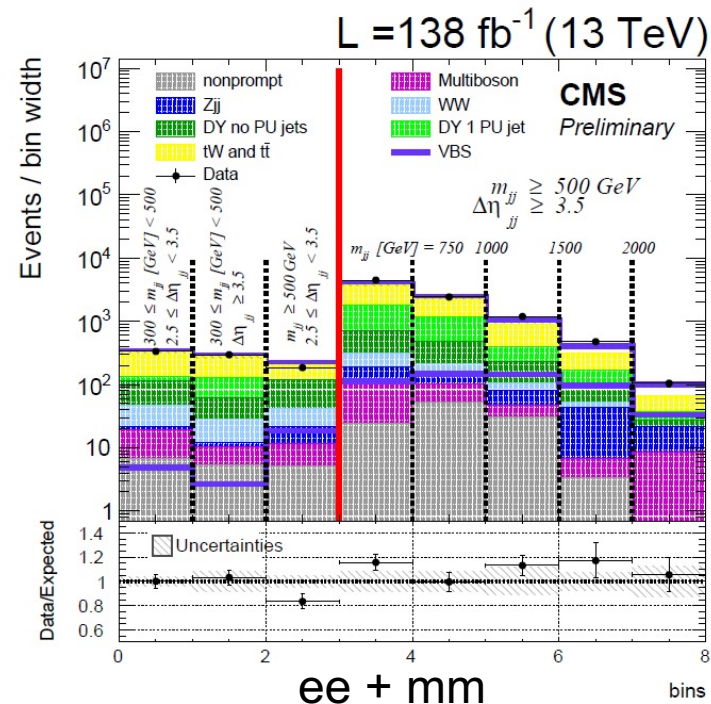
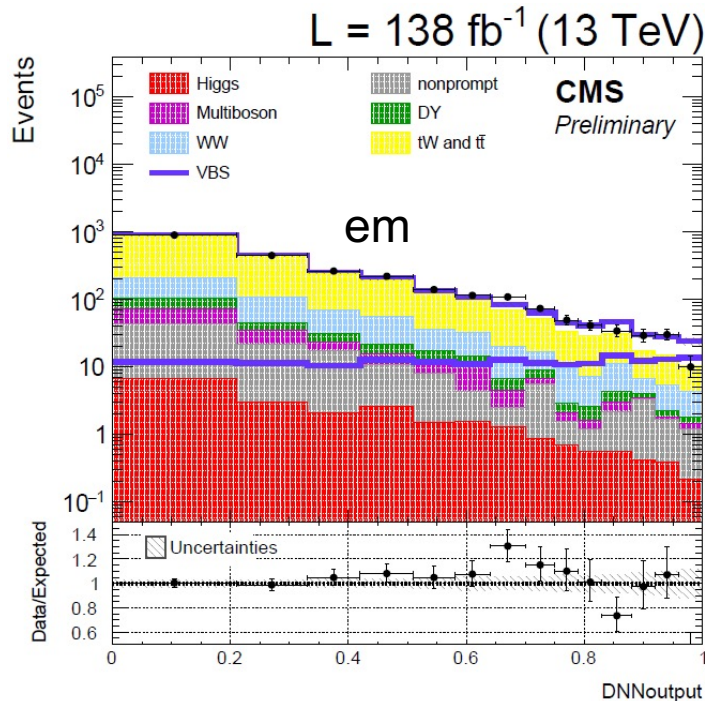
# EW opposite-sign WWjj

- \* CMS also released the results in WW channel with opposite sign, with **full Run 2 data**
- \* EW WWjj modeled with MG5. QCD WWjj with Powheg v2. Interference estimated at percent level
- \* Events categorized in **different lepton flavor and centrality regions**

Objects	Requirements
Leptons	$e\mu, ee, \mu\mu$ final state, opposite charge $p_T^\ell = p_T^{\text{bare } \ell} + \sum_i p_T^{\gamma_i}$ if $\Delta R(\ell, \gamma_i) < 0.1$ $p_T^{\ell_1} > 25 \text{ GeV}, p_T^{\ell_2} > 13 \text{ GeV}, p_T^{\ell_3} < 10 \text{ GeV}$ $ \eta  < 2.5$ $p_{T\ell\ell} > 30 \text{ GeV}, m_{\ell\ell} > 50 \text{ GeV}$
Jets	$p_T^j > 30 \text{ GeV}$ $\Delta R(j, \ell) > 0.4$ At least 2 jets, no b jets $ \eta  < 4.7$ $m_{jj} > 300 \text{ GeV}, \Delta\eta_{jj} > 2.5$
MET	$p_T^{\text{miss}} > 20 \text{ GeV}$

# Observation of the EW processes

- \* Different discriminators are used for the fit
  - \* In em channel – DNN
  - \* In ee/mm channel with VBS enhance region ( $m_{jj} > 500$  GeV and  $d\eta_{jj} > 3.5$ ) –  $m_{jj}$
  - \* Other regions – one bin event count



Observed significance:  $5.6\sigma$

Fiducial cross section

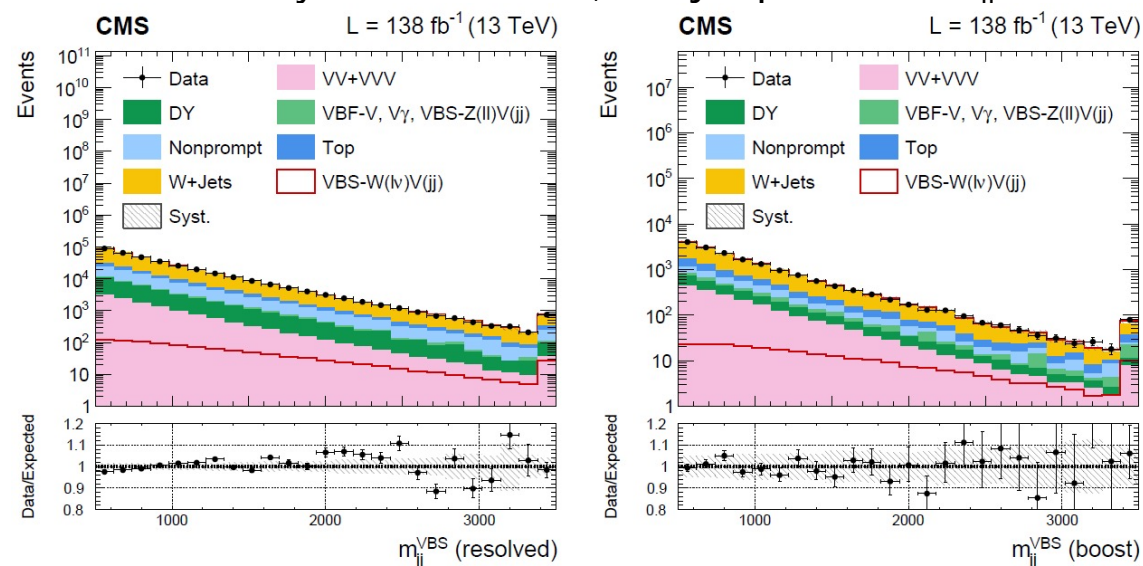
Measured:  $10.2 \pm 2.0$  fb

Predicted:  $9.1 \pm 0.6$  fb



# EW $WW/WZ + jj$ in semi-leptonic channel

- \* CMS has released results in the semi-leptonic channel ( $lvjj$ ) of  $WW/WZ$  decay, with **full Run 2 data**
- \* EW  $WVjj$  from MG. The  $Z(\text{H})V(jj)$ , with one lepton beyond the acceptance, is treated as background. Interference between EW and QCD is checked to be below 3% and is neglected
- \* **Both large R (0.8) and small R (0.4) jets** are used. Events are split into two categories based on the jets from V decay
  - \* **Boosted category** – events with one large R jet from V decay
  - \* **Resolved category** – events with two small R jets from V decay. In such case, the jet pair with  $m_{jj}$  closest to 85 GeV is chosen
  - \* Higher priority for boosted category
- \* For the **two tag jets** (VBS jets)
  - \*  $m_{jj} > 500$  GeV and  $d_{y_{jj}} > 2.5$



# Evidence of the EW processes

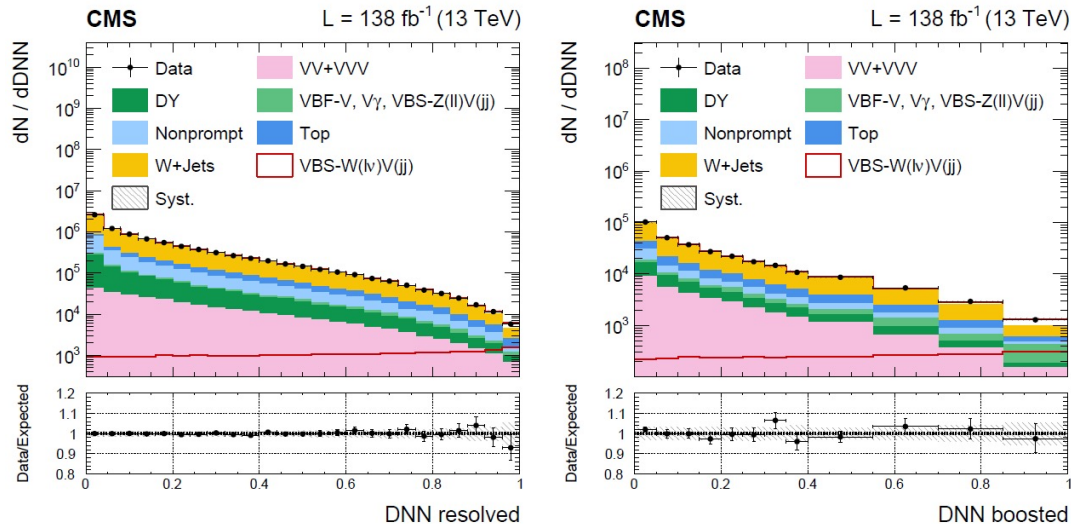
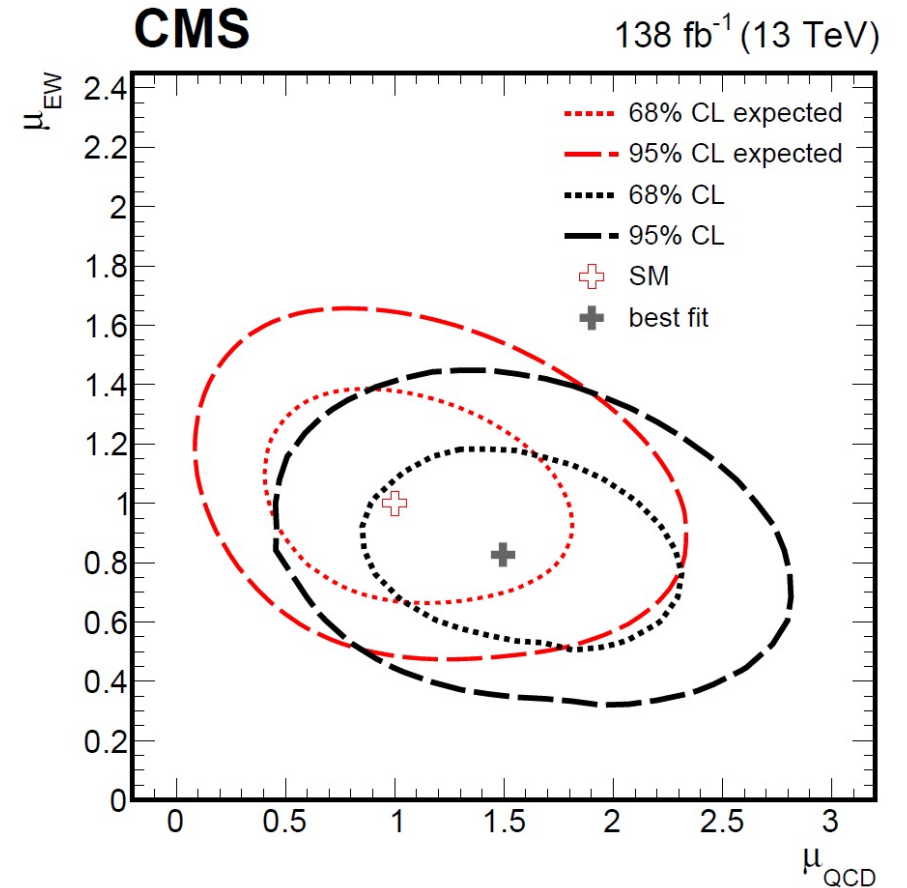
- \* Three scenarios considered
  - \* EW-signal-only fit – fix the QCD WV contributions as SM prediction,  $\mu_{\text{QCD}} = 1$
  - \* Treat the EW and QCD together as signal –  $\mu_{\text{EW}} = \mu_{\text{QCD}}$
  - \* Simultaneous fit the EW and QCD –  $\mu_{\text{EW}}, \mu_{\text{QCD}}$  both floating

- \* In the EW-signal-only case

- \* Observed (expected) significance:  $4.4 (5.1)\sigma$

$$\mu_{\text{EW}} = \frac{\sigma^{\text{obs}}}{\sigma^{\text{SM}}} = 0.85 \pm 0.12 (\text{stat})^{+0.19}_{-0.17} (\text{syst}) = 0.85^{+0.23}_{-0.21}$$

- \* In the second case  $\mu_{\text{EW+QCD}} = 0.97 \pm 0.06 (\text{stat})^{+0.19}_{-0.21} (\text{syst}) = 0.97^{+0.20}_{-0.22}$

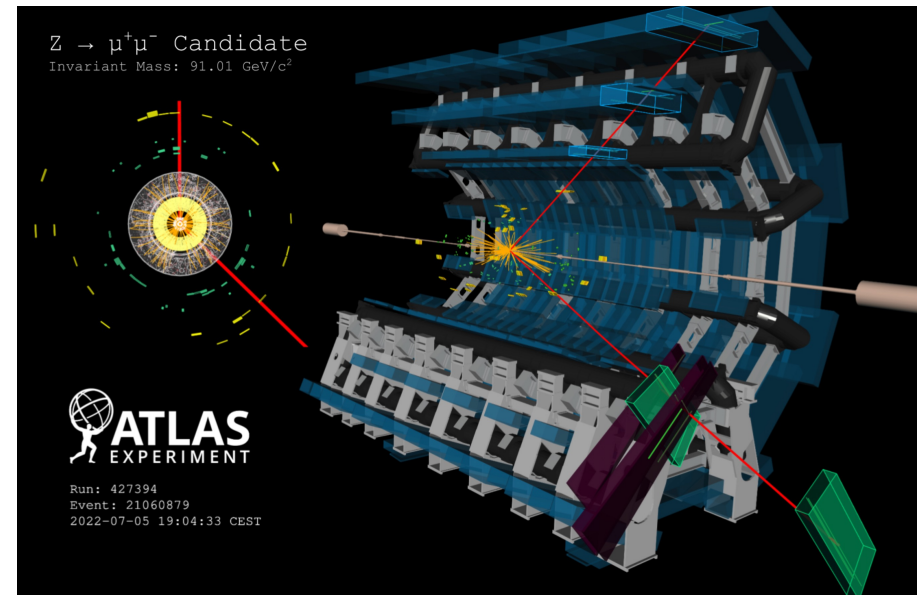


DNN used

# Summary

- \* Overview of the EW  $V + jj$  and  $VV + jj$  measurements at ATLAS and CMS, focus on the VBF and VBS processes
- \* With successful run and data-taking during Run 2, and comprehensive analysis studies, the VBF and VBS processes have been observed in all the boson channels
- \* Moving to new stage and start looking into detailed differential measurements
- \* Looking forward to the Run 3 data!

Candidate  $Z \rightarrow \mu\mu$  event from 13.6 TeV collision!



This presentation focuses on full Run 2 results, unless only partial data results available

All public results are available at

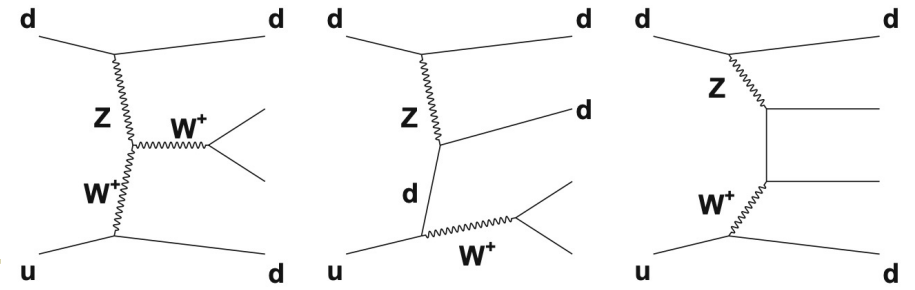
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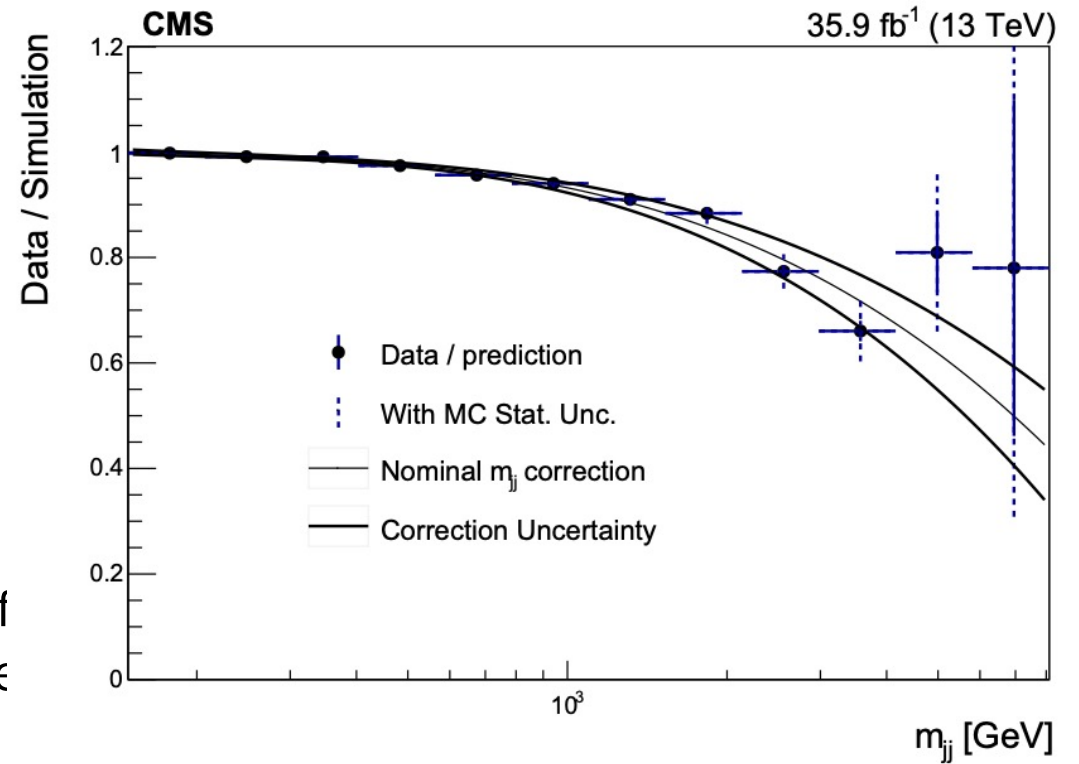
# EW W + jj



- \* Partial Run 2 data used, 35.9 fb<sup>-1</sup>
- \* Signal at LO with MadGraph5\_aMC@NLO. QCD W events generated with MadGraph5\_aMC@NLO with up to 3 partons at NLO, and up to 4 partons at LO
- \* Interference calculated with MG5
- \*  $m_{jj} > 200$  GeV. Event pT balance,  $R(pT) < 0.2$

$$R(p_T) = \frac{|\vec{p}_{Tj_1} + \vec{p}_{Tj_2} + \vec{p}_{TW}|}{|\vec{p}_{Tj_1}| + |\vec{p}_{Tj_2}| + |\vec{p}_{TW}|}$$

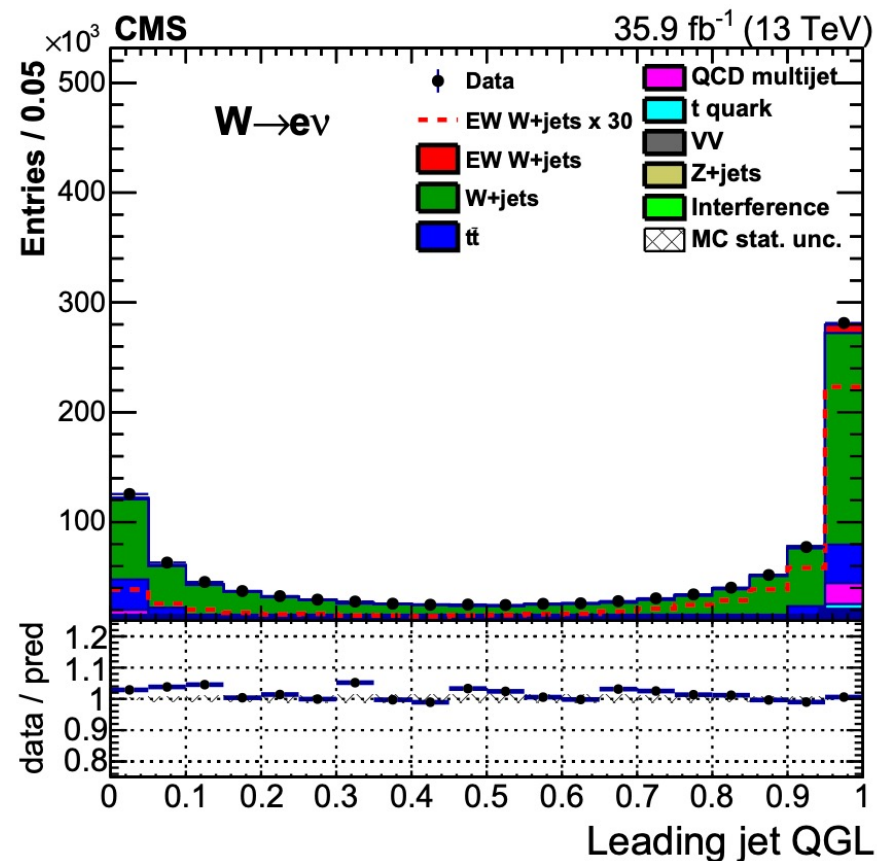
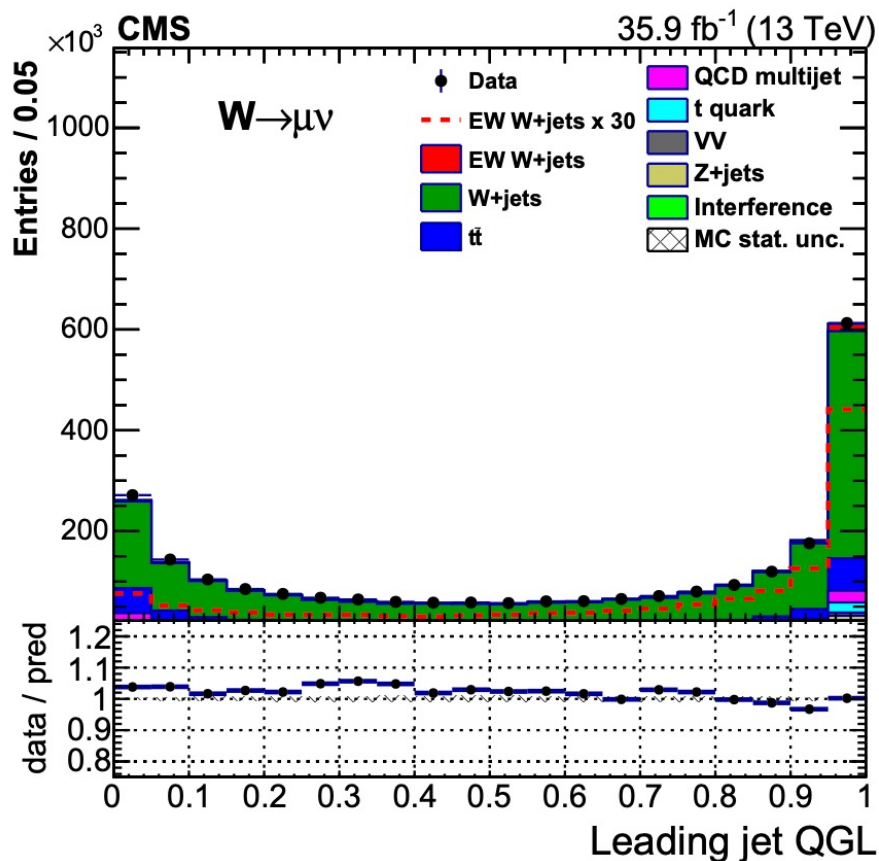
- \* BDT used to separate EW and QCD Wjj
- \*  $m_{jj}$  correction applied, since a systematic overestimation of the simulation yields is caused by a partial mistiming of the signals in the forward region of the ECAL endcaps



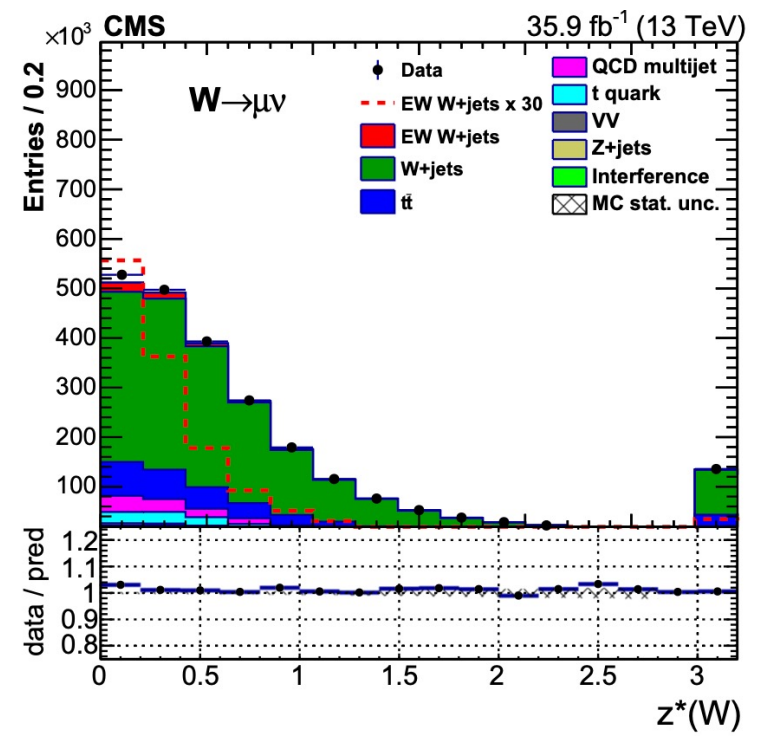
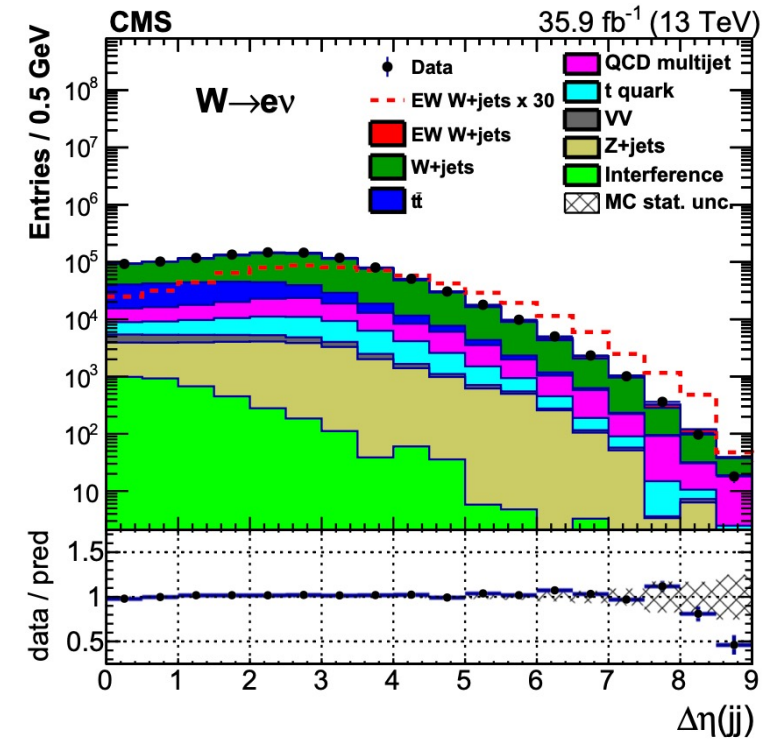
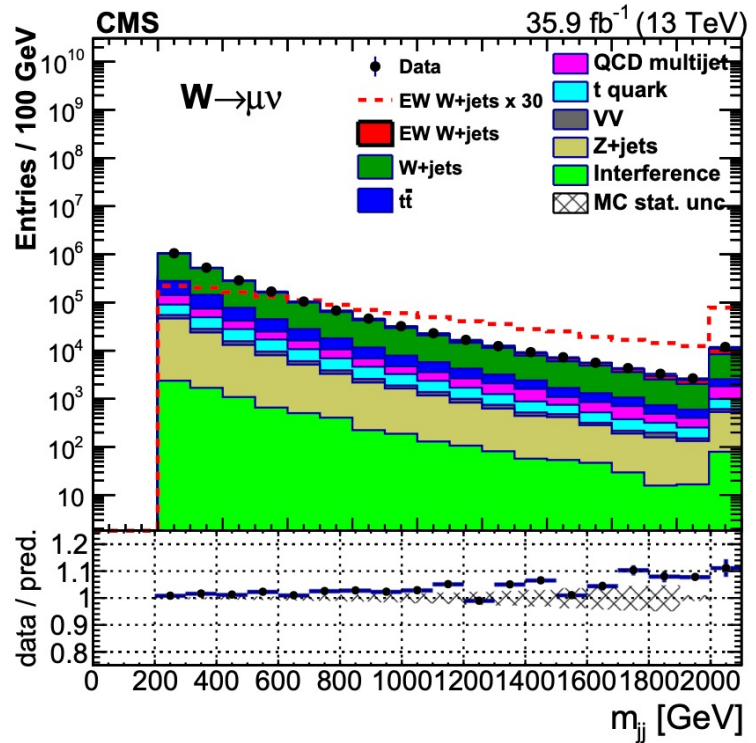
Derived in the region with  $R(pT) > 0.2$

# Jet from quarks/gluon

- \* A **quark-gluon likelihood** (QGL) discriminant is evaluated for the two tagging jets
  - \* Exploits differences in the showering and fragmentation of quarks and gluons

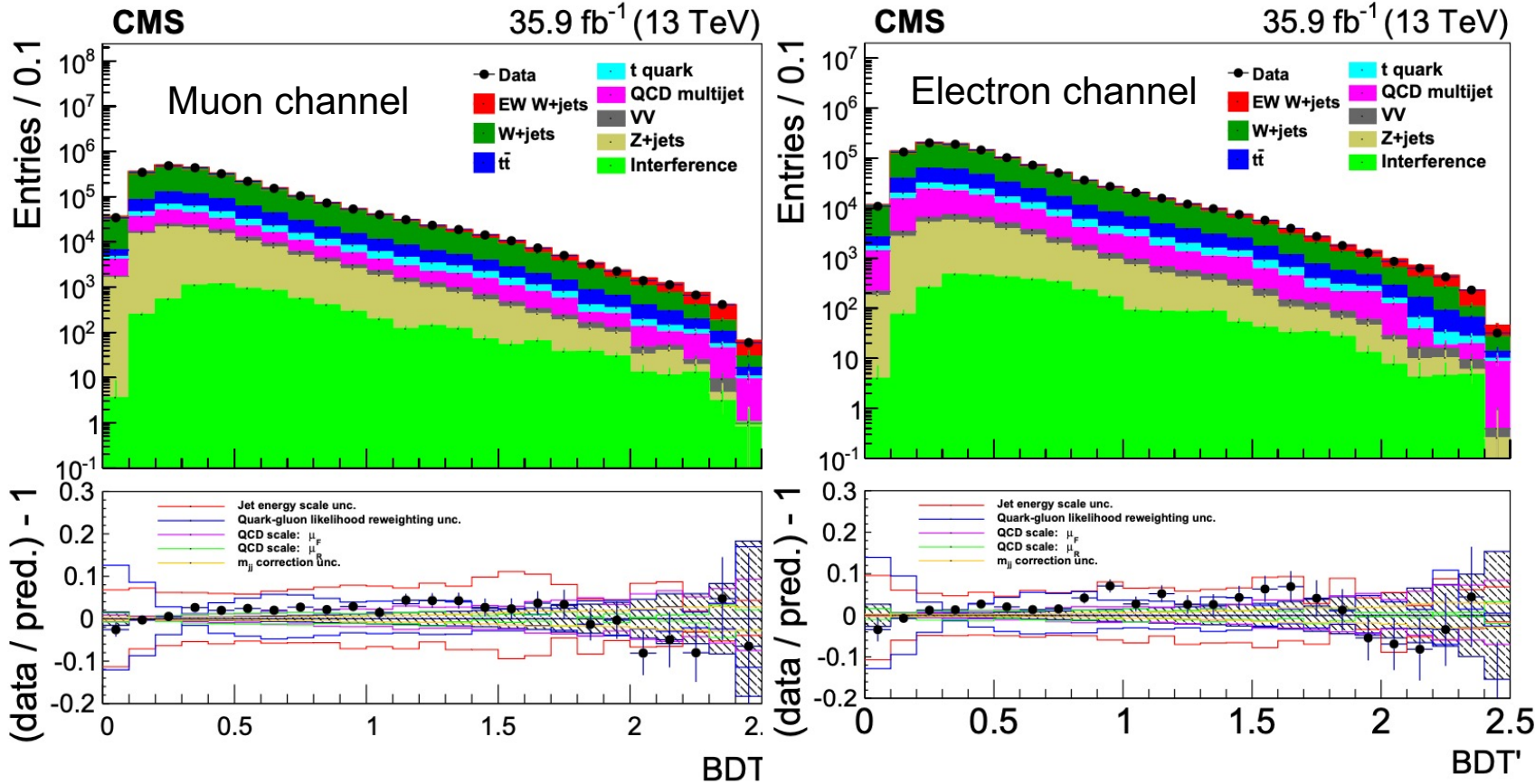


# Sensitive variables



In general good agreement

# BDT results



Overall large systematic from jet energy scale  
 In the high BDT region, QGL and QCD scale also large

From the combined fit of the two channels, the signal strength is measured to be

$$\mu = 0.91 \pm 0.02 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.10 \text{ (syst)} = 0.91 \pm 0.10 \text{ (total)},$$

corresponding to a measured signal cross section

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma(\text{EW } \ell\nu jj) &= 6.23 \pm 0.12 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.61 \text{ (syst)} \text{ pb} \\ &= 6.23 \pm 0.62 \text{ (total)} \text{ pb}, \end{aligned}$$

Sample	BDT > 0.95	
	$\mu$	e
VV	11.0 $\pm$ 2.5	9.6 $\pm$ 2.8
DY Zjj	9.4 $\pm$ 5.9	7.7 $\pm$ 3.0
t $\bar{t}$	146 $\pm$ 17	102 $\pm$ 12
Single top quark	35.5 $\pm$ 5.6	25.7 $\pm$ 4.2
QCD multijet	98 $\pm$ 39	17.0 $\pm$ 5.6
DY Wjj	356 $\pm$ 65	240 $\pm$ 41
Interference	18.2 $\pm$ 8.1	9.8 $\pm$ 5.5
Total backgrounds	674 $\pm$ 78	412 $\pm$ 44
EW Wjj signal	503 $\pm$ 54	308 $\pm$ 34
EW Zjj signal	11.2 $\pm$ 1.3	6.6 $\pm$ 0.9
Total prediction	1186 $\pm$ 95	726 $\pm$ 56
Data	1138	686

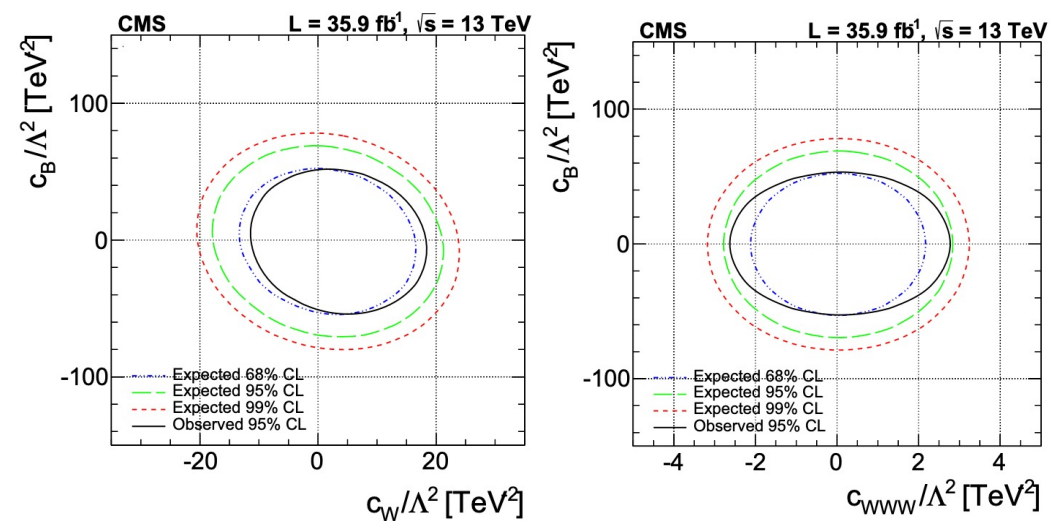
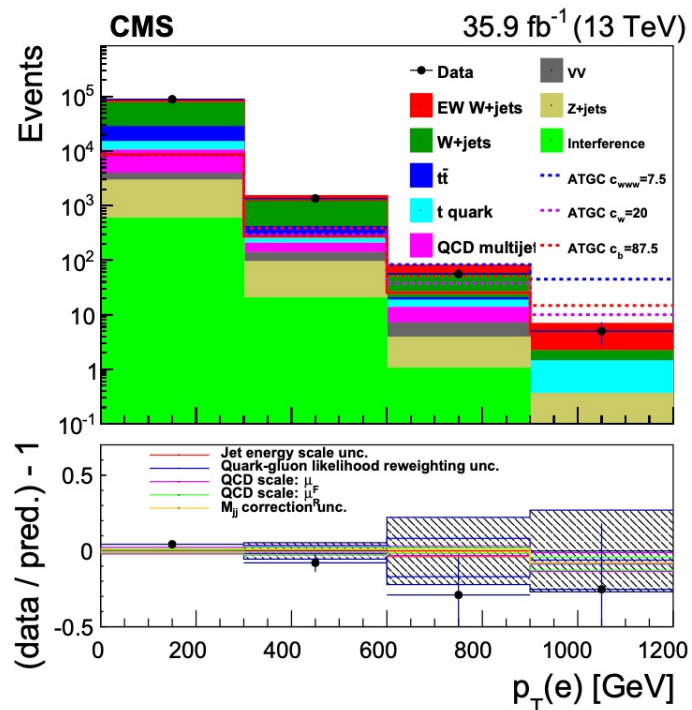
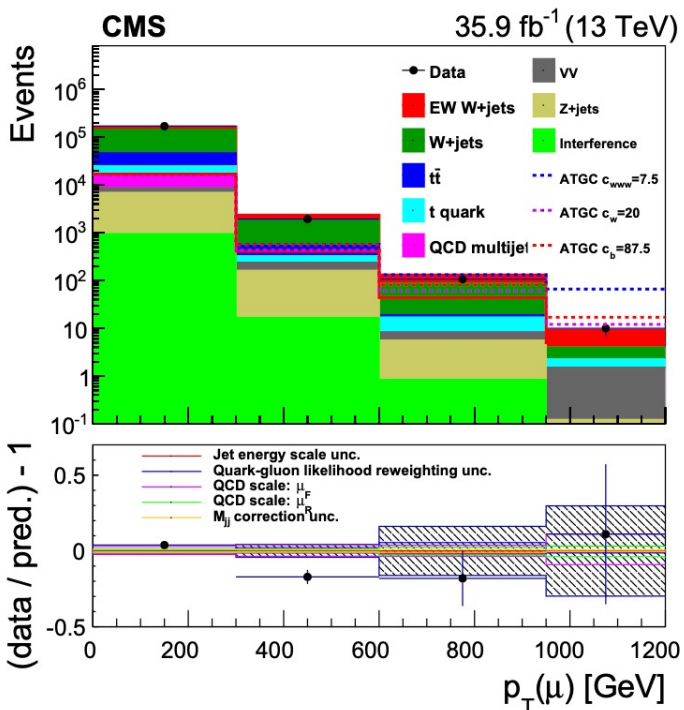


# aTGC results

- \* A fit using  $p_T$  of the lepton is developed to set limit on the aTGC
- \* BDT > 0.5 is required to enhance sensitivity

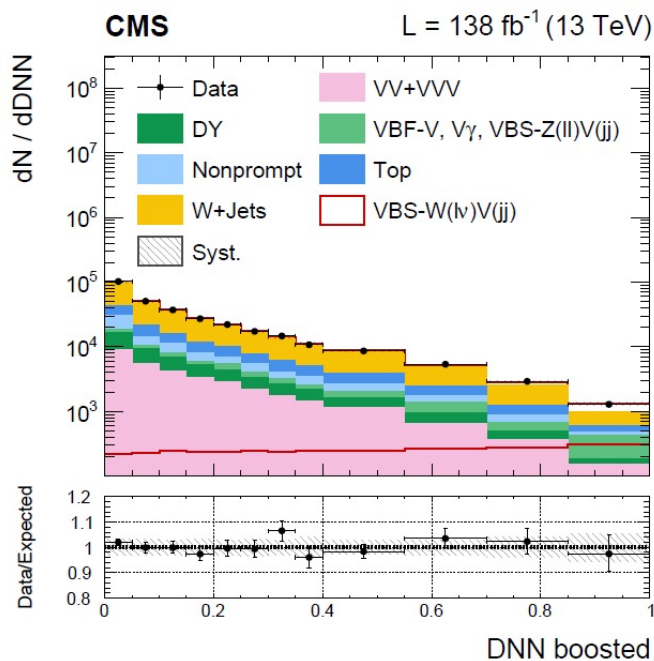
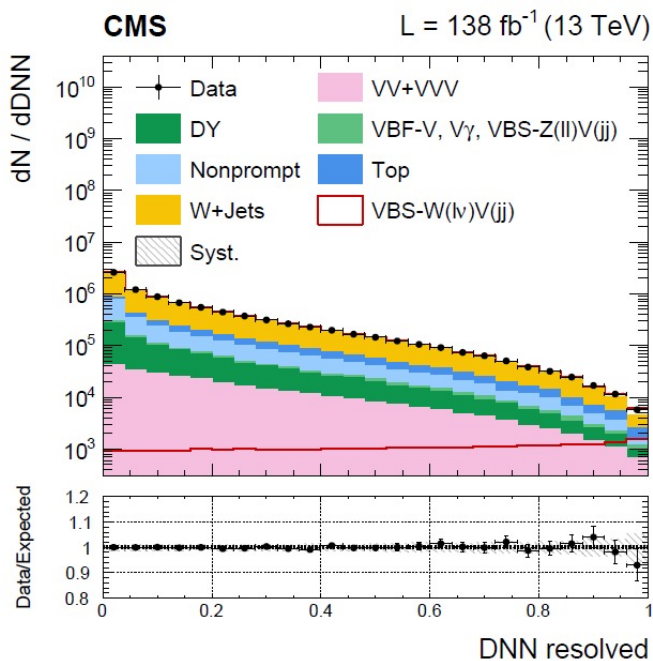
**Table 3** One-dimensional limits on the ATGC EFT parameters at 95% CL

Coupling constant	Expected 95% CL interval ( $\text{TeV}^{-2}$ )	Observed 95% CL interval ( $\text{TeV}^{-2}$ )
$c_{WWW}/\Lambda^2$	$[-2.5, 2.5]$	$[-2.3, 2.5]$
$c_W/\Lambda^2$	$[-16, 19]$	$[-8.8, 16]$
$c_B/\Lambda^2$	$[-62, 61]$	$[-45, 46]$



# WW/WZ semileptonic - multivariable analysis

\* DNNs are used to separate signal and background



## Input variables

Variable	Resolved	Boosted	SHAP ranking	
			Resolved	Boosted
Lepton pseudorapidity	✓	✓	13	12
Lepton transverse momentum	✓	✓	16	10
Zeppenfeld variable for the lepton	✓	✓	2	2
Number of jets with $p_T > 30 \text{ GeV}$	✓	✓	7	3
Leading VBS tag jet $p_T$	-	✓	-	11
Trailing VBS tag jet $p_T$	✓	✓	7	6
Pseudorapidity interval $\Delta\eta_{jj}^{\text{VBS}}$ between tag jets	✓	✓	4	4
Quark/gluon discriminator of leading VBS tag jet	✓	✓	9	7
Azimuthal angle distance between VBS tag jets	✓	-	10	-
Invariant mass of the VBS tag jets pair	✓	✓	1	1
$p_T$ of the leading $V_{\text{had}}$ jet	✓	-	14	-
$p_T$ of the trailing $V_{\text{had}}$ jet	✓	-	12	-
Pseudorapidity difference between $V_{\text{had}}$ jets	✓	-	8	-
Quark/gluon discriminator of the leading $V_{\text{had}}$ jet	✓	-	3	-
Quark/gluon discriminator of the trailing $V_{\text{had}}$ jet	✓	-	5	-
$p_T$ of the AK8 $V_{\text{had}}$ jet candidate	-	✓	-	8
Invariant mass of $V_{\text{had}}$	✓	✓	11	5
Zeppenfeld variable for $V_{\text{had}}$	-	✓	-	9
Centrality	-	✓	15	13