### Overview of Higgs Boson Searches in CMS

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## LHC and CMS data

LHC has been running steadily in 2011: pp collisions at  $\sqrt{7}\,\mathrm{TeV}$ 

- Delivered 5.7  ${\rm fb}^{-1}$  of data, CMS recorded 5.2  ${\rm fb}^{-1}$ 85 - 90 % of this data is good for physics
- Report here on public Higgs results with  $1.0 1.7 \, \text{fb}^{-1}$  (Summer 2011)



6 collisions per crossing (on average)

- 50  $\rm ns$  bunch spacing, peak luminosity:  $2\times 10^{33}\,\rm cm^{-2}s^{-1}$
- ~ 15 collisions in the later data  $(L_{peak} = 3.5 \times 10^{33} \, \mathrm{cm}^{-2} \mathrm{s}^{-1})$
- tough high-pileup conditions

   → improved trigger, reconstruction
   and developed dedicated methods

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### Higgs production and decay

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• Higgs  $\sigma \times BR$  tiny compared to QCD and EWK processes:  $\sigma(W+j) \sim 28000, \ \sigma(Z+j) \sim 2800, \ \sigma(t\bar{t}) \sim 165, \ \sigma(WW) \sim 43$ 

## CMS Higgs searches

#### Searched for SM Higgs in 8 decays modes:

- signatures with isolated leptons or photons in the final states;
- also MET, jets, *b*-tagging and au-ID

channel	mass range $(\text{GeV}/c^2)$	$\int \mathcal{L} dt$ (fb <sup>-1</sup> )	reference
$H \rightarrow \gamma \gamma$	110 - 150	1.7	CMS-PAS-HIG-11-021
$H \rightarrow \tau^+ \tau^-$	110 - 140	1.6	CMS-PAS-HIG-11-020
$H  ightarrow bar{b}$	110 - 135	1.1	CMS-PAS-HIG-11-012
$H \to WW^{(*)} \to I \nu I \nu$	110 - 600	1.5	CMS-PAS-HIG-11-014
$H \rightarrow ZZ^{(*)} \rightarrow IIII$	110 - 600	1.7	CMS-PAS-HIG-11-015
$H \rightarrow ZZ^{(*)} \rightarrow II \tau \tau$	180 - 600	1.1	CMS-PAS-HIG-11-013
$H \rightarrow ZZ^{(*)} \rightarrow II \nu \nu$	250 - 600	1.6	CMS-PAS-HIG-11-016
$H  ightarrow ZZ^{(*)}  ightarrow Ilqar q$	225 - 600	1.6	CMS-PAS-HIG-11-017

ightarrow On-going analyses with  $\sim 5\,{
m fb}^{-1}$  (not presented here)

#### (PAS-HIG-11-021) 1.66 fb<sup>-1</sup> 2 isolated, high- $p_T$ photons forming a narrow peak • very small branching fraction $\mathcal{O}(10^{-4})$ but sensitive thanks to excellent performance of ECAL Backgrounds: prompt QCD photons, fakes from jets, .... irreducible backgrounds reducible backgrounds $\mathcal{O}(\alpha^2)$ $\mathcal{O}(\alpha_{\varsigma}\alpha^{2})$ $\mathcal{O}(\alpha_c^2 \alpha^2)$ $\mathcal{O}(\alpha_s^3 \alpha)$ $\mathcal{O}(\alpha_{\varsigma}\alpha)$ $\mathcal{O}(\alpha_{\varsigma}\alpha)$ theory uncertainty $\sim 25\%$ theory uncertainty $\sim 30\%$ Unbinned analysis based on $m_{\gamma\gamma}$ :

- narrow signal peak; width is resolution-dominated  $(3-8 \, {\rm GeV}/c^2)$ 
  - correction to photon efficiency, energy scale, energy resolution from  $Z \to e^+e^-$  data events and MC smeared to match data resolution

# $H\to\gamma\gamma$

- Analysis with 8 categories of varying mass resolution:
  - $p_T^{\gamma\gamma} > 40 \, {
    m GeV}/c$  (or not)
  - $\eta_{\gamma}$ : both photons in barrel (or not)
  - conversion probability: both photons likely non-converted (or not)



# $H\to\gamma\gamma$

(PAS-HIG-11-021) 1.66 fb<sup>-1</sup>

• Compute 95% C.L. upper limits on  $\sigma_H / \sigma_H^{SM}$  versus  $m_H$ 



• Analysis also excludes fermiophobic Higgs in range  $110 - 112 \,\mathrm{GeV}$ 

### $H\to\tau\tau$

Studied channels with  $\tau$  decaying into  $\mu$ , e and hadrons:  $\tau_e \tau_h, \tau_\mu \tau_h, \tau_e \tau_\mu$ 

- Separate cleaner vector boson fusion topologies with:
  - 2 jets,  $p_T > 30 \,\mathrm{GeV}$ ,  $M_{jj} > 350 \,\mathrm{GeV}$
  - $|\Delta \eta_{jj}| > 3.5, \ \eta_1 imes \eta_2 < 0$



• Boosted visible  $\tau$ -decay products and  $\nu$  tend to be collinear:

• apply topological cut based on  $p_T^{ll}$  and  $E_T^{miss}$ 



### $H\to\tau\tau$

### (PAS-HIG-11-020) 1.6 fb<sup>-1</sup>

#### Backgrounds:

- dominant irreducible background  $Z \rightarrow \tau \tau$ : shape from MC, normalization from  $Z \rightarrow l^+ l^-$  measurement and fit of  $m_{vis}$
- W/Z+jets, QCD,  $t\bar{t}$ , WW/ZZ: estimated from control samples



Binned analysis based on  $m_{\tau\tau}^{vis}$ :

• computed from measured momenta of *e*,  $\mu$ ,  $\tau_{had}$  (no  $\nu$  recovery)

Working on adding  $\tau_{\mu}\tau_{\mu}$  channel:

- errors mostly statistically dominated
- $\rightarrow$  presentation of A. Bethani (yesterday)

## $H \rightarrow WW \rightarrow 2I2\nu$

### (PAS-HIG-11-014) 1.5 fb<sup>-1</sup>

- Scalar Higgs: small opening angle  $\Delta \phi(l^+, l^-)$
- Large MET (missing  $\nu$ 's from W)
  - signal extracted from event counts (no mass peak)



### Classification in categories with 0, 1 or 2 jets

- exploit differences in production mechanisms (such as VBF)
- 5 categories: 0 and 1 jet splitted in same/different lepton-flavour groups

Controled reduction of background crucial to the analysis:

- QCD and W + j: require lepton  $p_T > 10 \text{ GeV}$ , tight ID and isolation
- Drell-Yann: strongly reduced with MET cut; veto  $Z 
  ightarrow \mu \mu / ee$
- top backgrounds: apply jet-veto (in particular on *b*-jets)
- $pp \rightarrow WW$  continuum: irreducible; use kinematic discrimination
- estimated with data-driven techniques;
  - except WW at high  $m_H$  and WZ/ZZ: taken from MC

### Optimizations, dependant on $m_H$ : $M_{II}$ , $\Delta \phi_{II}$ , $p_T^{l1}$ , $p_T^{l2}$ , $M_T(II, MET)$

### $H \rightarrow WW \rightarrow 2I2\nu$

#### (PAS-HIG-11-014) 1.5 fb<sup>-1</sup>

#### Main kinematic observables: $M_{ll}$ and $\Delta \phi(l^+, l^-)$ for 0, 1, 2-jets events



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#### (PAS-HIG-11-014) 1.5 fb<sup>-1</sup>

#### • Event counts at $140\,{ m GeV}$

process	0-j ee, μμ	0-j e $\mu$	1-j ee, μμ	1-j e $\mu$	2-ј
backgrounds	$44.0 \pm 6.2$	$40.6 \pm 7.0$	$17.8 \pm 3.5$	$12.6 \pm 3.7$	$5.3 \pm 1.7$
Higgs	$19.1 \pm 4.3$	$16.1 \pm 3.6$	$7.7 \pm 2.6$	$5.3 \pm 1.8$	$2.5 \pm 0.3$
data	46	41	23	23	7

 $H \rightarrow WW \rightarrow 2I2v + 0/1/2 \text{ jets (CLs)}$ 

Higgs excluded at 95% CL in range  $147-194\,{\rm GeV}$ 

- Currently working on an improved analysis using MVA discrimination
- See also presentation of Ch. Hackstein on theory uncertainties

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### (PAS-HIG-11-015) 1.66 fb<sup>-1</sup>

Golden channel: fully reconstructed event,  $m_H$  resolution  $2 - 4 \,\mathrm{GeV}$ 

- Selections:
  - $Z_1$ :  $p_T^{min} > 10$ ,  $p_T^{max} > 20$ ,  $60 < M_{II} < 120 \,\mathrm{GeV}$
  - $Z_2$ : 20 <  $M_{II}$  < 120 GeV/ $c^2$
  - $M_{4/} > 120 \, {
    m GeV}/c^2$
  - impact parameter significance > 4
- mainly  $pp \rightarrow ZZ^{(*)}$  irreducible background after selection (shape taken from MC; rate from Z yield in data and theory predictions for  $\sigma_{ZZ}/\sigma_Z$ )



Cut	QCD	tī	Z+jets	Z bb/cc	Zγ	WZ	ZZ	$m_{\rm H}=200{\rm GeV}/c^2$	Total	Data
Trigger	$1.53 \times 10^{5}$	$2.18 \times 10^{3}$	$4.82 \times 10^{5}$	$2.24 \times 10^{5}$	$2.64 \times 10^{3}$	221	49.8	10.2	(8.72±0.04)×10 <sup>5</sup>	$8.72 \times 10^{5}$
Z1	$1.07 \times 10^{4}$	$1.51 \times 10^{3}$	$4.43 \times 10^{5}$	$2.05 \times 10^{5}$	$2.35 \times 10^{3}$	184	43.3	9.29	(6.65±0.01)×10 <sup>5</sup>	$6.82 \times 10^{5}$
$Z_1 + \ell$	34.6	74.8	$1.05 \times 10^{3}$	804	123	51.2	13.9	3.20	(2.16±0.04)×10 <sup>3</sup>	$2.52 \times 10^{3}$
$Z_1 + \ell^+ \ell^-$	0	0.96	0.29	0.89	0.29	0.063	5.21	1.48	7.7±0.5	12
Isolation	0	0	0	0.15	0.29	0.027	4.85	1.31	$5.31 \pm 0.26$	5
IP	0	0	0	0	0.29	0.009	4.48	1.21	$4.77 \pm 0.21$	5
Kinematics	0	0	0	0	0.14	0.009	4.04	1.20	$4.19 \pm 0.16$	5

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#### Results of the shape-based analysis

#### 21 observed events (as expected)





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CMS preliminary 2011 1 66 fb<sup>-1</sup> at \s = 7 TeV 95% CL limit on  $\sigma/\sigma_{SM}$ 15 CL. Observed Limit CL. Expected Limit CL. Expected ± 1σ CL. Expected ± 20 10 5 0 100 200 300 400 500 600 M<sub>u</sub> [GeV/c<sup>2</sup>]

Also interpretation in framework of fourth-fermion family (SM4): excluded in  $110 - 112 \, \text{GeV}$  range  $H \rightarrow b \bar{b}$ 

- important for Higgs couplings
- associated production with W/Z
- 5 final states:  $W(\mu\nu)H(bb)$ ,  $W(e\nu)H(bb)$ ,  $Z(\mu\mu)H(bb)$ , Z(ee)H(bb),  $Z(\nu\nu)H(bb)$

 $H \rightarrow ZZ^{(*)} \rightarrow 2I2\tau$ 

- 8 final states:  $Z(II) + \tau_{had}\tau_{had}$ ,  $Z(II) + e\tau_{had}$ ,  $Z(II) + \mu\tau_{had}$ ,  $Z(II) + e\mu$  (II = ee or  $\mu\mu$ )
- broad signal peak
- data-driven QCD estimation

 $H \rightarrow ZZ^{(*)} \rightarrow 2I2\nu$ 

- 2 sub-channels:  $2e2\nu$  and  $2\mu 2\nu$
- $m_H$ -dependant cuts on  $E_T^{miss}$ ,  $m_T$ and  $\Delta \Phi(E_T^{miss}, \text{jet})$
- Z+jets background estimated from  $\gamma$ +jets in data

 $H \rightarrow ZZ^{(*)} \rightarrow 2 lq \bar{q}$ 

- categories based on lepton flavour and number of *b*-tagged jets
- search for a peak in  $m_{2/2q}$
- use Higgs angular distribution
- quark-jet/gluon-jet discriminator

### CMS instrumental systematic uncertainties on signal

#### Simplified overview of typical values:

Systematic Un	certainties	H	liggs bo	son dec	ay chann	els (mas	s in Ge	$V/c^2$ )	
		27	bb	ττ	WW		Z	-	
source	type				$\ell \nu \ell \nu$	eeee	$\ell\ell\tau\tau$	$\ell\ell\nu\nu$	$\ell \ell q q$
		(120)	(120)	(120)	(150)	(200)	(400)	(400)	(400)
luminosity	lumi				4.5%	Ď			
trigger	μ		2%			2%	1%	2%	1%
efficiencies	e		2%			2%	1%	1%	1%
	$\gamma$	1%							
	$E_T^{\text{miss}}$		2%						
reconstruction	μ		4%	1%	3%	3%	2%	2%	1%
efficiencies	e		4%	2%	4%	3%	6%	2%	2%
	$\gamma$	1-3%							
	$\tau_{had}$			6%			10%		
	b-tag		20%						20%
$p_T$ scale	μ				2%	1%	1%	2%	1%
(event yield)	e				2%	2%	2%	5%	2%
	$jets/E_T^{miss}$		2%	4%	2-10%			2%	0.2%
$p_T$ scale	$\mu$					0.3%			
(shape)	e					0.3%			
	$\gamma$	0.1-0.3%							
	$\tau_{had}$			3%					
$p_T$ resolution	$jets/E_T^{miss}$		10%						
(event yield)									
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	$\gamma$	20%							



• A table of theory-related systematics will follow in a few slides

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### Statistical combination: procedure (C

(CMS-NOTE-2011-005)

Convergence on statistical procedure and on correlated systematics with ATLAS (LHC Higgs Combination Group)

- Upper limits on  $\mu = \sigma / \sigma_{SM}$  in a modified-frequentist approach:
  - MC sampling of the test statistic  $q_{\mu}$  for *B*-only and *S* + *B* hypotheses

$$q_{\mu} = -2 \ln rac{L(data; \mu, \hat{ heta}_{\mu})}{L(data; \hat{\mu}, \hat{ heta}_{\mu})} ~~(0 \le \hat{\mu} \le \mu)$$

- different from LEP and Tevatron
- has good asymptotic behaviour
- nuisance parameters profiled in  $q_{\mu}$  (toys generated around  $\hat{ heta}_{\mu}$ )
- uncertainties modeled with log-normal pdfs (probability density functions)
- compare the *p*-values to the value of  $q_{\mu}$  in data and compute ratio:

$$CL_{S} = \frac{CL_{SB}}{CL_{B}} = \frac{p_{\mu}}{1 - p_{0}}$$
 • protects against downward fluctuations of background

- vary hypothesis (value of  $\mu$  tested) until reach exclusion with  $\mathit{CL}_S < 0.05$
- Correlations seriously taken into account in the combination
- $\rightarrow$  Combination and statistical analysis with the RooStats software package

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### Statistical combination CMS: results

(PAS-HIG-11-022)



Expectation: SM exclusion range  $130-440\,{
m GeV}$  (median  $\sigma/\sigma_{SM}<1$ )

Data: 95% CL exclusions in ranges: 145 – 216, 226 – 288, 310 – 400 GeV

*p*-value: probability of an excess from the B-only hypothesis at least as large

as the one observed.  $Z=\sqrt{q_0^{obs}}$ 

• the combination is not the product of individual *p*-values!



• taking into account the lookelsewhere effect:  $p_0^{global} \sim 0.4$  Combination ATLAS-CMS ATL-CONF-2011-157)  $1.0 - 2.3 \,\mathrm{fb}^{-1}$ 

(CMS-PAS-HIG-11-023,

Combination of:

- CMS: CMS-PAS-HIG-11-022 + update of  $H \rightarrow \tau^+ \tau^-$  analysis
- ATLAS: ATL-CONF-2011-135 + update of  $H \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow 2/2\nu$  analysis
  - 67 signal sub-channels (varies with  $m_H$ )
  - nuisance parameters: 268 (  $m_H \leq$  135) or 191 (  $m_H \geq$  250)



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SM Higgs exclusion ranges: 95% CL upper limits below r = 1:

- expected:  $124 520 \, {
  m GeV}/c^2$
- observed:  $141 476 \, {
  m GeV}/c^2$

#### Theory-related uncertainties:

- for Higgs: provided by LHC Higgs Cross Section and PDF4LHC groups
- for SM backgrounds: calculated separately by ATLAS and CMS (taking into account analysis-specific acceptances)
- associated with partonic luminosities, or PDFs, and  $\alpha_S$
- associated with missing higher-order theory corrections
  - assessed by varying QCD renormalisation and hadronisation scales
  - assumed uncorrelated among processes; except for those with W/Z (eg.  $pp \rightarrow WH$  and  $pp \rightarrow ZH$ )
- on branching ratios: assumed mostly negligible

- on acceptance of analysis cuts (QCD scales and PDFs) assumed negligible (in comparision to  $\sigma_{total}$ )
  - except for exclusive production modes with 0, 1 and 2 jets
  - $H \rightarrow WW$  acceptance uncertainty small but included
- further possible WW modeling uncertainties (Drell-Yan,  $W\gamma$  with asymmetric  $\gamma$  conversion, etc.): not considered at present
- jets-splitting in  $H \rightarrow WW$  analysis makes it sensitive to underlying event and parton showering modelling
  - signal simulated with POWHEG/PYTHIA in both experiments  $\rightarrow \mbox{correlated}$
- probability of a loosely defined lepton faking a lepton passing the final high quality selection assessed with same methods
  - difference between  $W\mbox{-}{\rm associated}$  jets and generic di-jet and  $\gamma\mbox{-}{\rm jet}$   $\rightarrow\mbox{correlated}$

Source	Affected Processes	Typical uncertainty
$PDFs + \alpha_s$	$gg \rightarrow H, t\bar{t}H, gg \rightarrow VV$	±8 %
(cross sections)	VBF $H, VH, VV$ @NLO	$\pm 4 \%$
Higher-order	total inclusive $gg \rightarrow H$	+12% -7%
uncertainties	inclusive "gg" $\rightarrow H + \geq 1$ jets	$\pm 20\%$
on cross	inclusive "gg" $\rightarrow H + \geq 2$ jets	$\pm 20\%$ (NLO), $\pm 70\%$ (LO)
sections	VBF H	$\pm 1 \%$
	associated VH	$\pm 1 \%$
	$t\bar{t}H$	$^{+4\%}_{-10\%}$
	uncertainties specific to high mass Higgs boson, see Section 2.1	$\pm 30\%$
	V	$\pm 1 \%$
	VV up to NLO	$\pm 5 \%$
	$gg \rightarrow VV$	$\pm 30 \%$
	$t\bar{t}$ , incl. single top productions for simplicity	$\pm 6\%$
acceptance	acceptance for $H \to WW \to \ell \nu \ell \nu$ events	±2%
phenomenology	modelling of underlying event and parton showering	$\pm 10 \%$
	fake lepton probability $(W + \text{jets} \rightarrow \ell \ell^{fake})$	$\pm 40\%$
luminosities	ATLAS and CMS uncertainties on their luminosity measurements	$\pm 3.7 \%$ , $\pm 4.5 \%$

Each uncertainty source is usually correlated among affected channels:

- but the size of an uncertainty may still vary from one channel to another
- some effects, even if mostly uncorrelated, are assumed 100% correlated (simplification)  $\rightarrow$  limits are then slightly more conservative

### Impact of theory uncertainties

Combined limits with and without theoretical systematic uncertainties:

• at this stage: differences of 3 - 6% except for the very high mass range:  $\sim 20\%$  at  $600 \text{ GeV}/c^2$  (from  $\sigma_H$  and  $m_H$  shape)



Choice of data-driven methods to constrain uncertainties: how much "data-driven" are they?

Theory uncertainties will relatively play a bigger role as statistics will increase!

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5 Higgs bosons expected in MSSM:

• 3 neutral (h, H: CP-even; A: CP-odd) and 2 charged ( $H^+$ ,  $H^-$ )





- *B* category:  $\geq 1$  *b*-jet with  $p_T > 20 \text{ GeV}/c$ ; < 2 jets with  $p_T > 30 \text{ GeV}/c$
- non-*B* category: 0 *b*-jet with  $p_T > 20 \text{ GeV}/c$ ; < 2 jets with  $p_T > 30 \text{ GeV}/c$

## $\mathsf{MSSM}\ \textit{A},\textit{h} \rightarrow \tau\tau$

Cross-section limits translated into  $(\tan \beta - m_A)$  constraints

- Production cross section increases with  $\tan\beta^2$
- Stringent new bounds in the MSSM parameter space



CMS Preliminary 2011 1.6 fb<sup>-1</sup>

## Charged Higgs

(PAS-HIG-11-008, PAS-HIG-11-007) 1 fb<sup>-1</sup>



Also search for an exotic doublycharged Higgs (related to  $m_{\nu}$  in type II see-saw models)



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## Conclusion

With the first inverse femtobarns a very rich program opened up:

- CMS physics results available at: https://twiki.cern.ch/twiki/bin/view/CMSPublic/PhysicsResults
- Detailled selection of early CMS SM Higgs results:
  - wide 95% exclusion range(s) disfavouring a high-mass Higgs
  - excess at low mass requires further studies and increased statistics
  - recent combination of ATLAS-CMS analyses
    - $\rightarrow$  hardest region to reach at low mass; every channel counts

Also searched for the Higgs beyond Standard Model:

- constraints on MSSM Higgs, fermiophobic Higgs and  $4^{\rm th}$  generation

Larger dataset already available:

• their analysis is on-going; will allow to improve our Higgs constraints

### **BACKUP SLIDES**

### The CMS detector



### Experimental constraints on the Higgs boson

One free parameter in the SM Higgs sector: can choose it as  $m_H$ 

Indirect constraints: Higgs present in virtual loops (of W/Z propagators, ...):  $m_H < 161 \,\mathrm{GeV}/c^2$  at 95% CL http://lepewwg.web.cern.ch/LEPEWWG/

Direct searches (yellow regions on plot):

- at LEP-2: [PLB 565,61 (2003)]:  $m_H > 114.4 \, {\rm GeV}/c^2$  at 95% CL
- at Tevatron [arXiv:1107.5518]: 95% CL exclusions in range 156 - 177 GeV/c<sup>2</sup>



Report here on first analysis results at CMS/LHC (Summer 2011)

(PAS-HIG-11-022)



Channel	Experiment	$m_H$ range	Lumi	Number of	Type	Reference
		$(\text{GeV}/c^2)$	$(fb^{-1})$	sub-channels	of analysis	
$H \rightarrow \gamma \gamma$	ATLAS	110 - 150	1.1	5	mass shape (unbinned)	[82]
$II \rightarrow \gamma\gamma\gamma$	CMS	110 - 150	1.7	8	mass shape (unbinned)	[91]
$H \rightarrow \tau \tau$	ATLAS	110 - 150	1.1	5	mass shape (binned)	[83,84]
$\Pi \rightarrow TT$	CMS	110 - 140	1.6	6	mass shape (binned)	[14]
$H \rightarrow bb$	ATLAS	110 - 130	1.0	2	mass shape (binned)	[85]
$\Pi \rightarrow 00$	CMS	110 - 135	1.1	5	cutting and counting	[92]
$H \to WW \to \ell \nu \ell \nu$	ATLAS	110 - 300	1.7	6	cutting and counting	[86]
$\Pi \to W W \to \ell \nu \ell \nu$	CMS	110-600	1.5	4	cutting and counting	[93]
$H \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow \ell \ell \ell \ell$	ATLAS	110-600	2.0 - 2.3	3	mass shape (binned)	[88]
$\Pi \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow \ell\ell\ell\ell$	CMS	110-600	1.7	3	mass shape (unbinned)	[94]
$H \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow 2\ell 2\tau$						
$\Pi \rightarrow Z Z \rightarrow Z \ell Z l$	CMS	180 - 600	1.1	8	mass shape (unbinned)	[95]
$H \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow 2\ell 2\nu$	ATLAS	200-600	2.0	2	$m_T$ shape (binned)	[15, 89]
$H \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow Z\ell Z\nu$	CMS	250-600	1.6	2	cut&count	[96]
$H \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow 2\ell 2q$	ATLAS	200-600	1.0	2	mass shape (binned)	[90]
$H \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow Z\ell Zq$	CMS	225 - 600	1.6	6	mass shape (unbinned)	[97]

### ATLAS instrumental systematic uncertainties on signal

Systematic un	certainties	Hi	Higgs boson decay channels (mass in $\text{GeV}/c^2$ )					
source	type	$\gamma\gamma$	bb	$\tau \tau$	$WW \\ \ell \nu \ell \nu$	eeee	ZZ $\ell\ell\nu\nu$	$\ell \ell q q$
		(120)	(120)	(120)	(150)	(200)	(400)	(400)
luminosity	lumi				3.7%			
reconstruction	μ		1%	1.1%	0.6%	1.2%	0.7%	0.5%
efficiencies	e		1%	3.4%	2%	1.9%	1.2%	1.1%
	$\gamma$	11%						
	$\tau_{\rm had}$			8.3%				
	b-tag		16%				0.7%	4.9%
$p_T$ scale	$jets/E_T^{miss}$		2-8%	16%	6%		1.4%	1.3~%
(event yield)	e		1%	$^{+1.2}_{-0.1}\%$	0.2%	0.1%	0.2%	0.3%
$p_T$ resolution	$\mu$		2%		1.5%	0.1%	1%	1.2%
	e		1%		0.1%	0.1%	0.2%	0.2%
	$\gamma$							
	jets		1%	0.2%	2%		0.2%	2.2%
	$E_T^{\text{miss}}$		2%	0.4%	0.6%			

### CLs versus Bayesian and PL limits



• checked self-consistency of Bayesian and CL<sub>s</sub> limits at the 10-20% level

Impact of the Higgs channels individually:



### Significance

To quantify an excess use the test statistic:  $q_0 = -2 \ln \frac{\mathcal{L}(\text{data}|0,\hat{\theta}_0)}{\mathcal{L}(\text{data}|\hat{\mu},\hat{\theta})}$  if  $\hat{\mu} \ge 0$ 

and  $q_0=0$  otherwise.  $Z=\sqrt{q_0^{
m obs}}$ 



- largest excess has a local significance of 3.1 (limit less restrictive than in the *B*-only hypothesis)
- after estimation of LEE correction  $Z\sim 1.6\sigma$