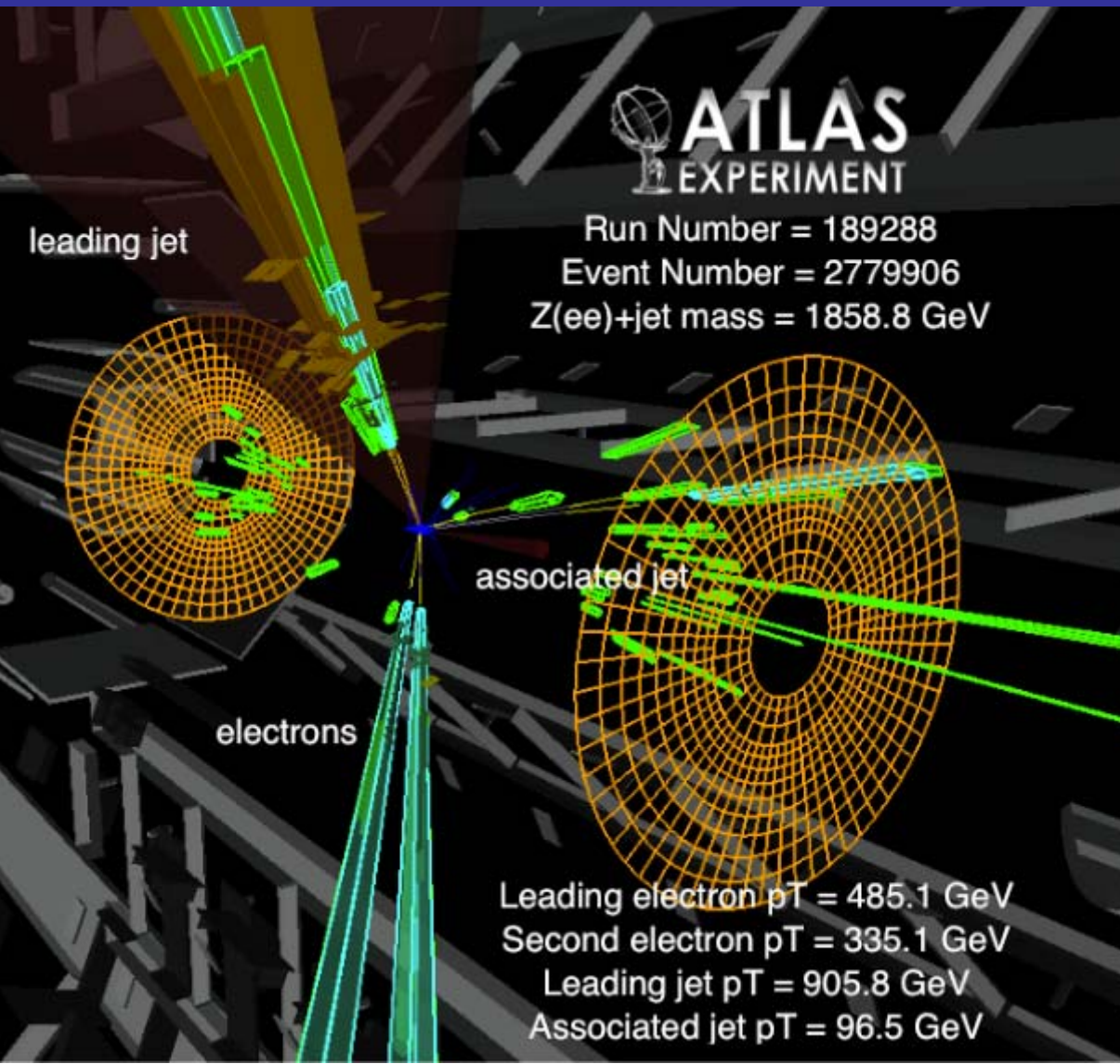


# Beyond Supersymmetry



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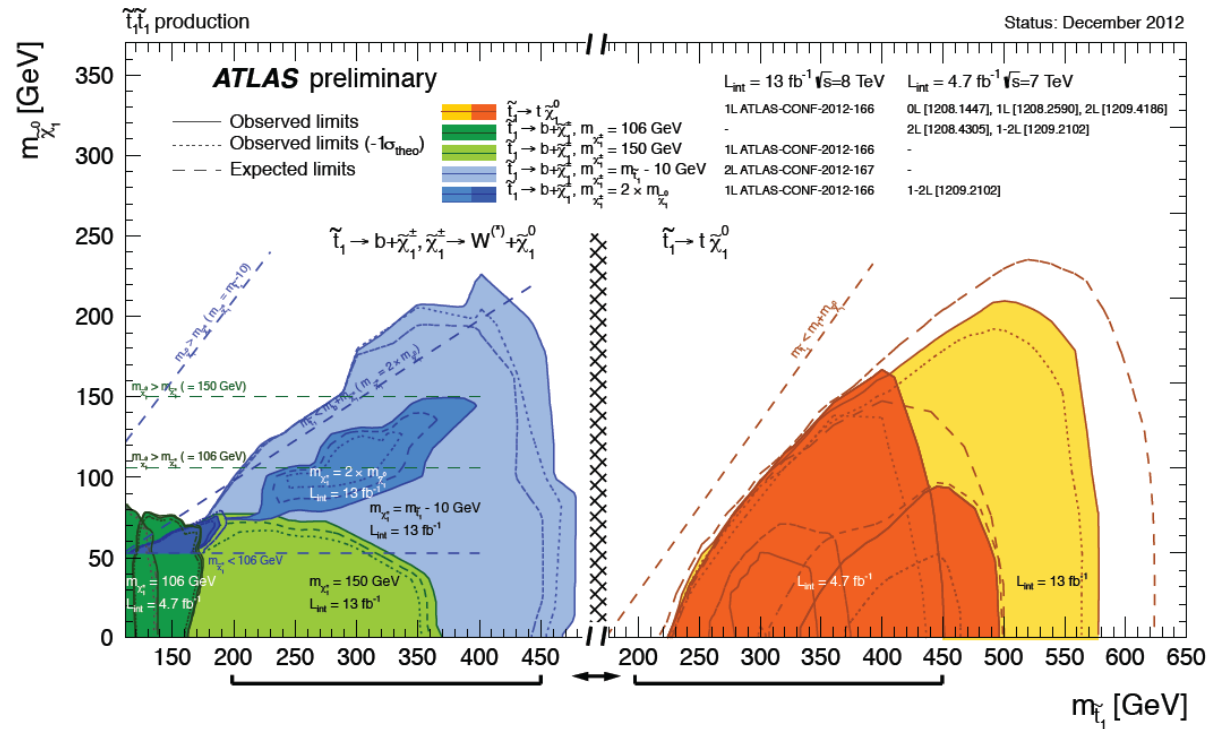
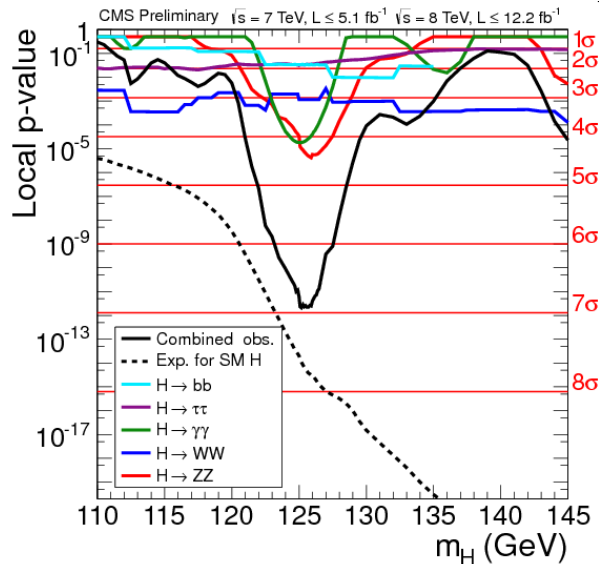
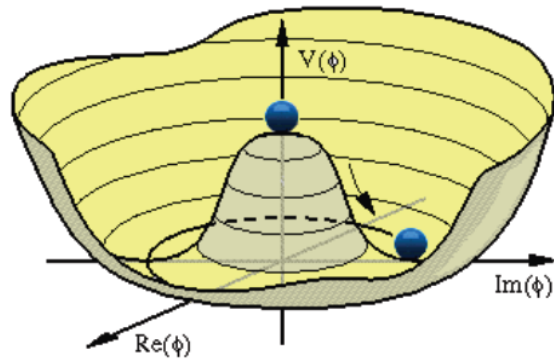


# Why look beyond Supersymmetry (SUSY)?

- SUSY is only one possible model among many others.
  - Many more ways to solve problems with Standard Model
  - What if nature has not chosen SUSY?
  - Make sure to cover every feasible corner...
  
- SUSY mass limits pushed to 1 TeV
  - SUSY becoming more “Exotic” the higher the mass limits get.

# What Characterizes Exotics Searches?

- No specific Model to guide us.
- No unified parameter phase space to map results

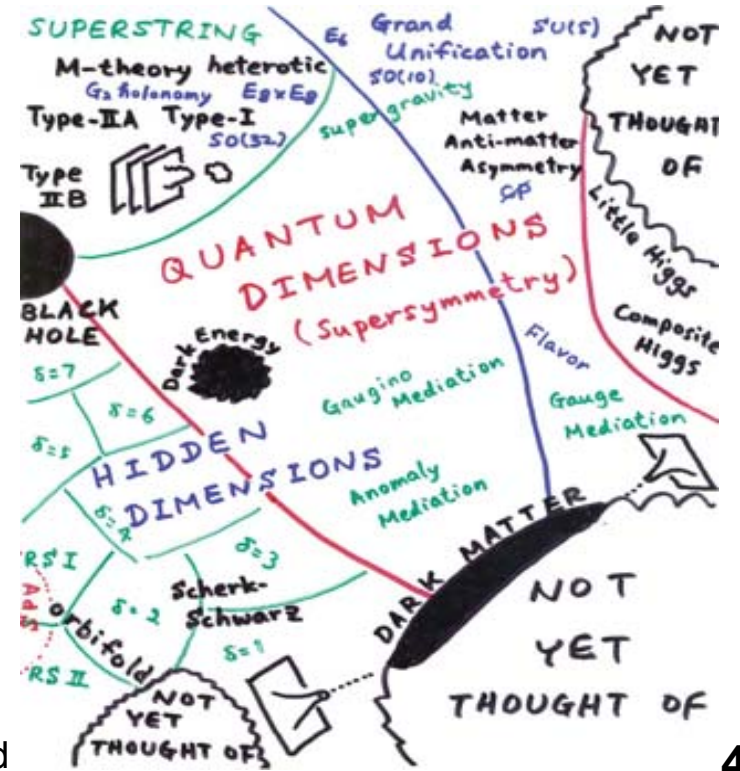
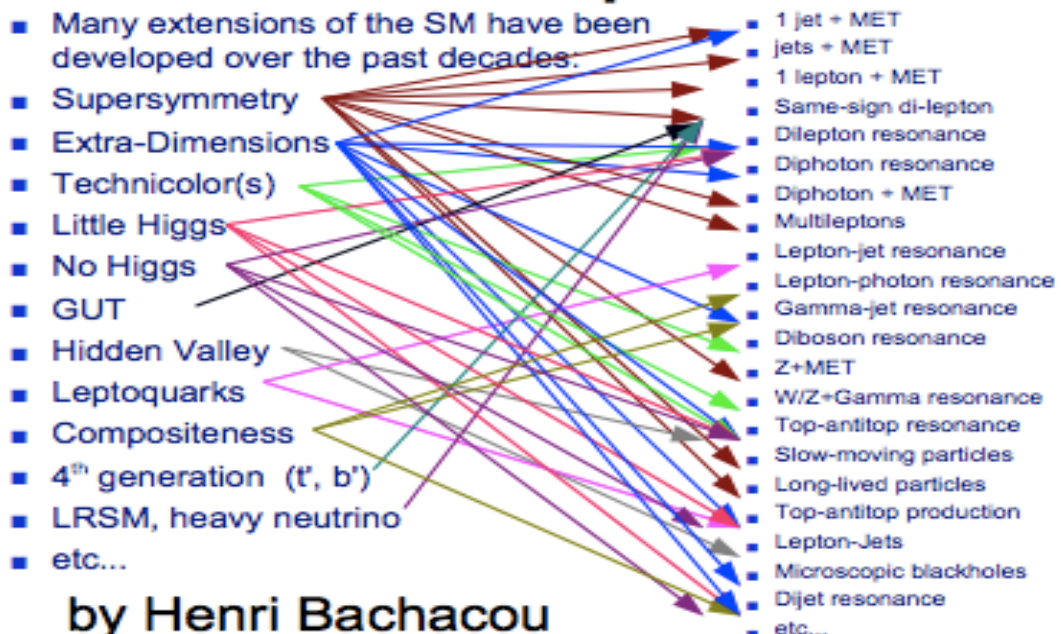


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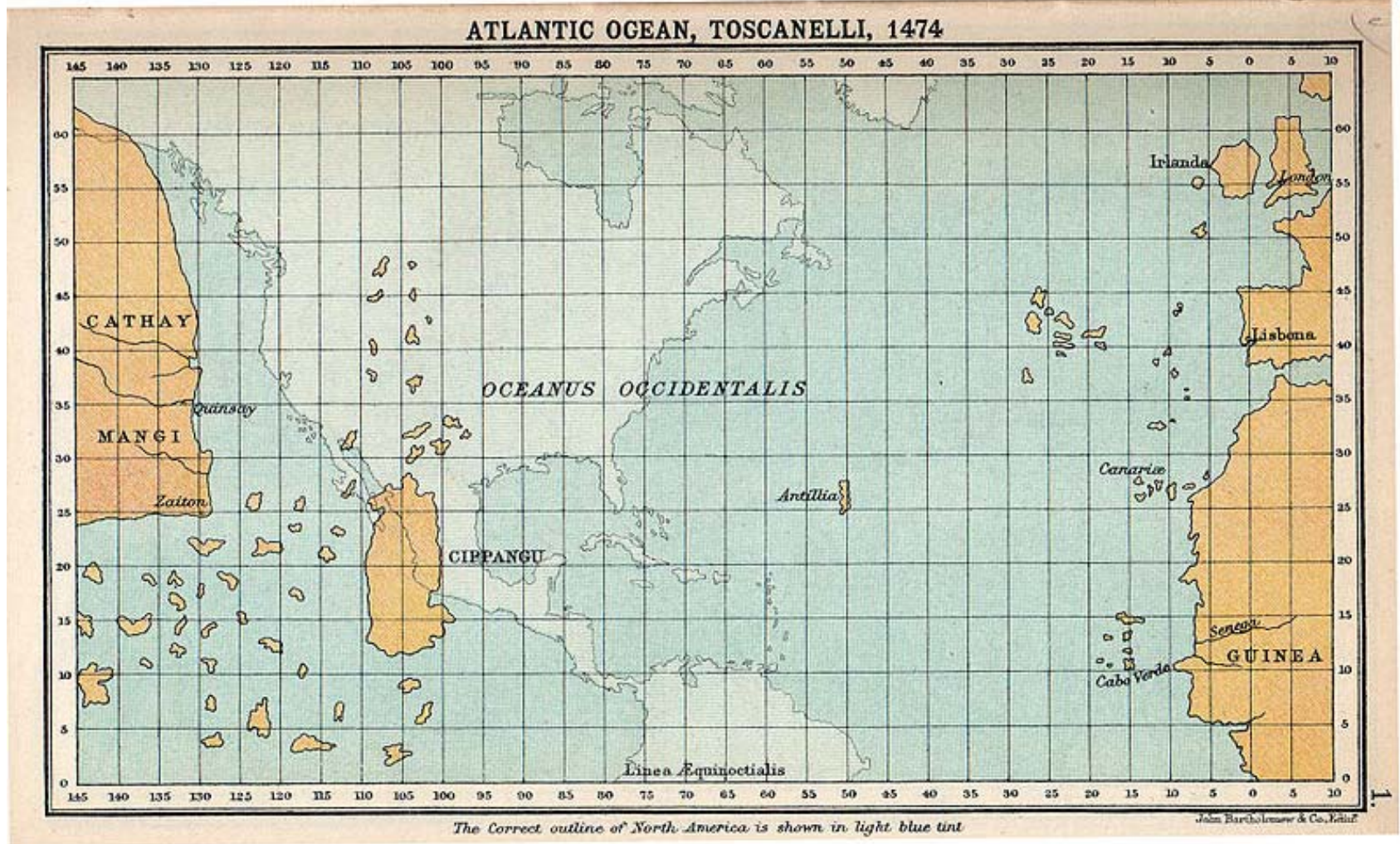
## ■ Exotics Search Strategy

- Cover wide range of final states
- Largely Model independent
  - Look for resonances
  - Look for any disagreement from expectations
- Cover interesting new BSM models

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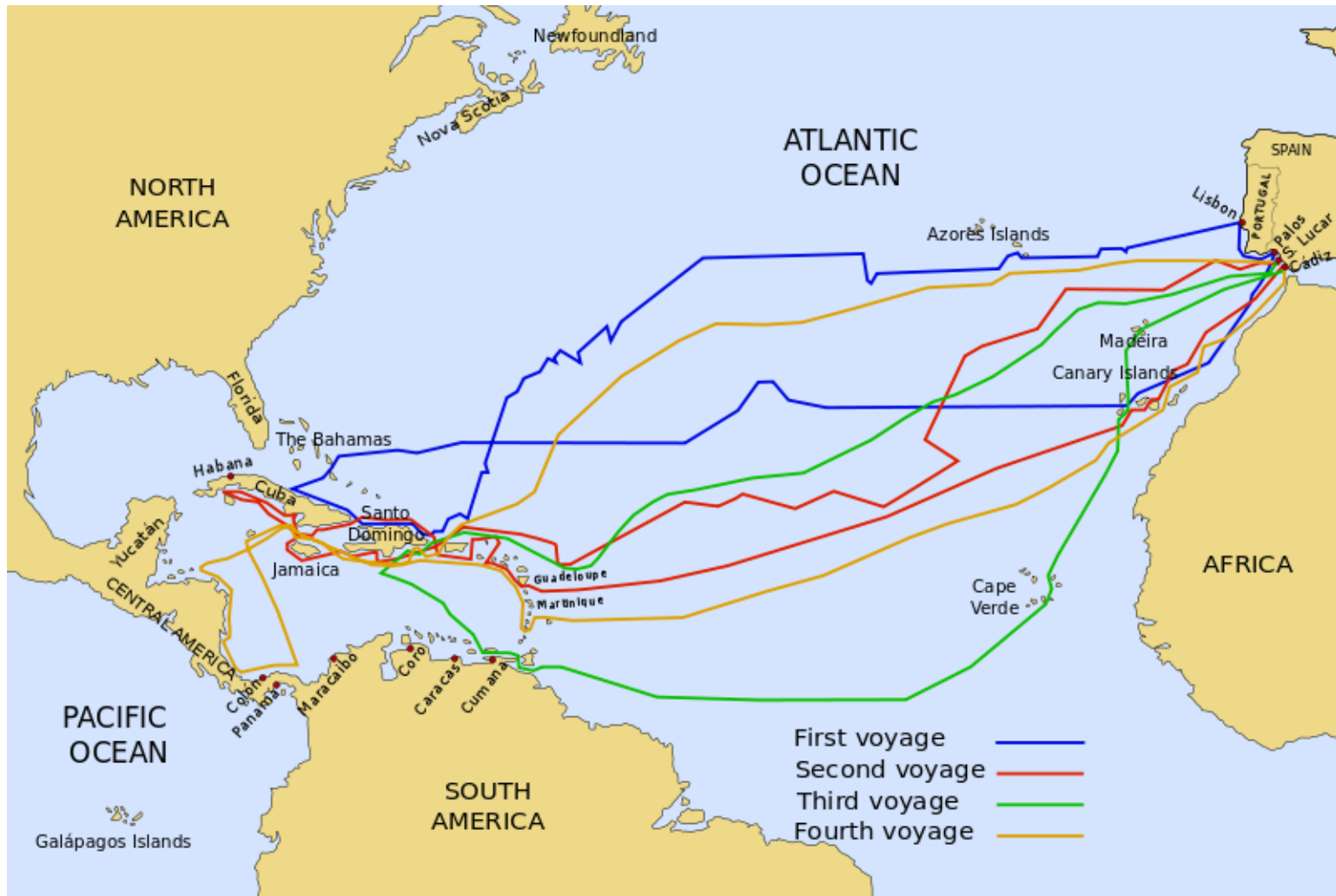
# The Role of Models in “most” Exotics Searches



Toscanelli's model of the geography of the Atlantic Ocean, which directly influenced Columbus's plans

# The Role of Models in “most” Exotics Searches

## Columbus' voyages



# The Role of Models in “most” Exotics Searches

- Models used to quantify our reach.
  - How far did we get?
  - How do we compare to previous searches?
- We use so called Bench Mark Models
  - Used before by other experiments
  - Add new features: wider widths
- Simplified Models or generic resonances

# Basic Principles of a Search

- Most important: Robust background estimation!
  - Data-driven
  - Use background MCs
  - Use data to normalize in control regions MCs
- Biases ?
  - Fully blind not a realistic approach for Exotics searches
  - Need to think beforehand about control regions
  - Need to think beforehand about how to minimize bias.
- Trade-off between Signal and Background
  - Do NOT optimize towards a specific model
  - Selection cuts defined by triggers and background reduction.



# Basic Principles of a Search

- You have a background estimate...what now?
- Check if data agrees with this expectation.
- If it does not agree...
  - Is the significance increasing with more data?
  - Look at time dependences...
  - Cross checks....
  - Discovery if significance is greater than 5 sigma.
- If it does agree....
  - How far did we explore the new physics phase?
  - Use Bench Mark models to quantify the search reach.
  - Make sure to publish also the acceptance for these models such that theorists can use your results to test other models.

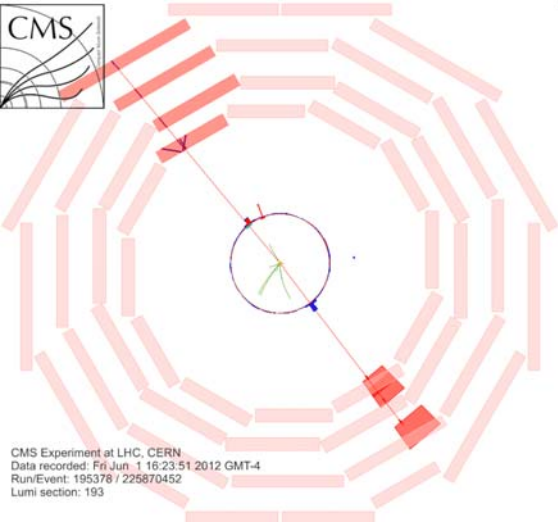
**“What is the impact of the newly discovered boson on Exotics searches at the LHC?”**

## **8 TeV Results**

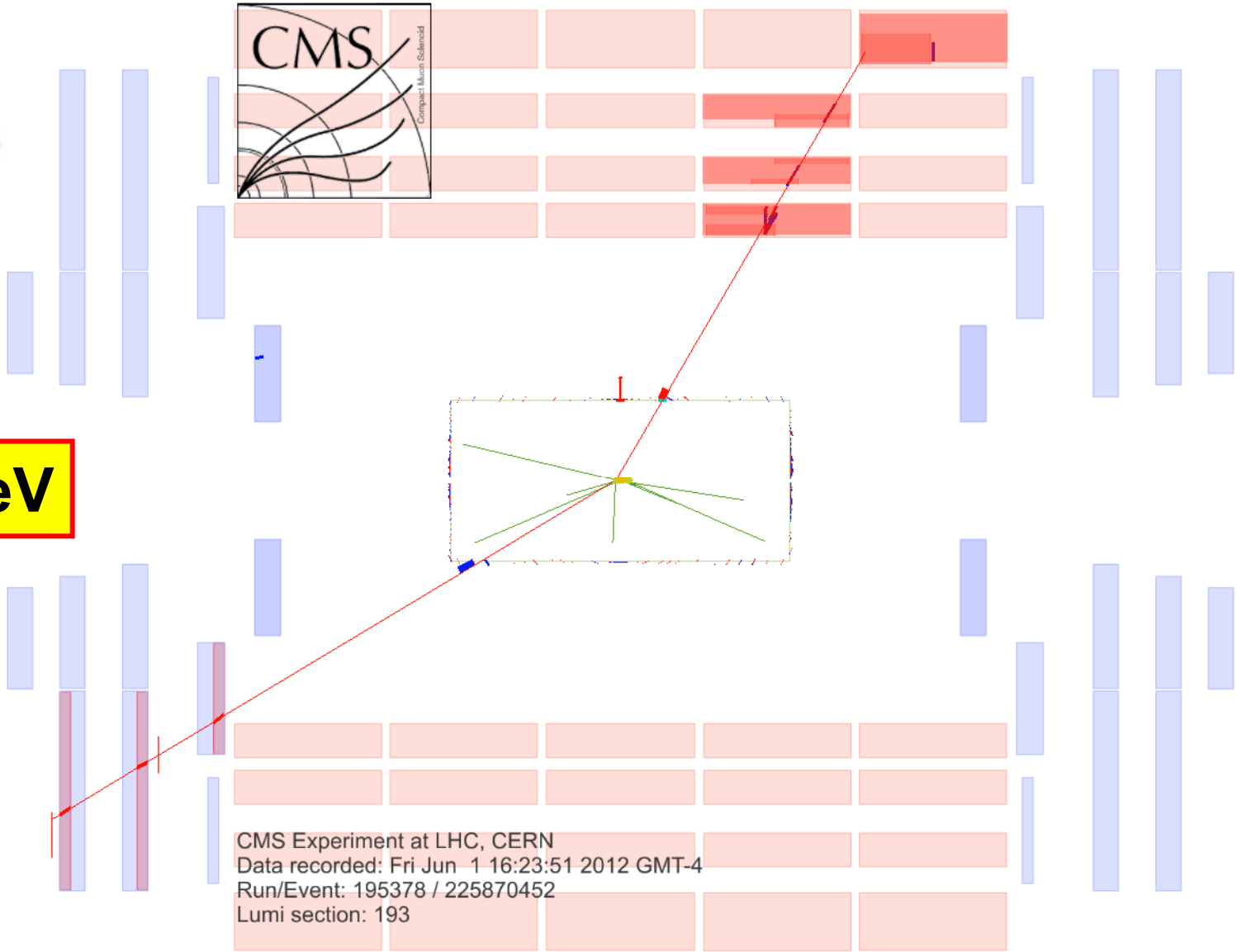
# Exotics Searches

- **Heavy resonances**
  - Dileptons
  - Dijets
  - Ttbar
- **4<sup>th</sup> gen quarks and vector-like quarks**
- **Dark matter and extra dimension**
- **Displaced muonic lepton jets from light higgs**

# CMS Highest Dimuon Invariant Mass Event; 8 TeV



**$m_{inv} = 1418 \text{ GeV}$**

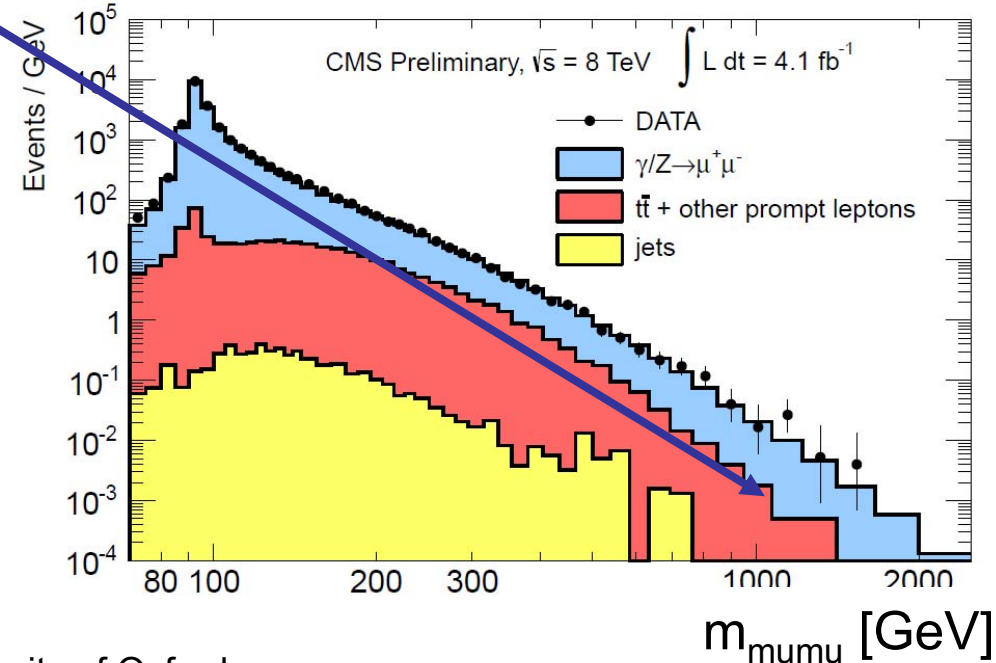
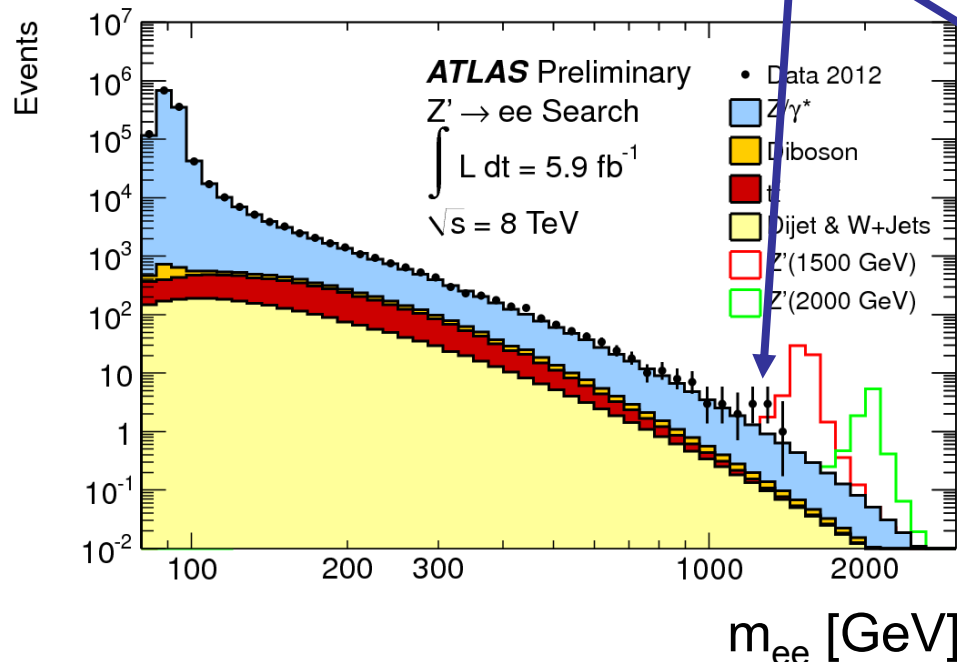


# Heavy Resonances Search: 8 TeV Dileptons

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- Models:
  - Randall-Sundrum ED → Kaluza-Klein graviton
  - GUT-inspired theories, Little Higgs → heavy gauge boson(s)
  - Technicolor → narrow technihadrons
- Leptons reaching  $p_T \sim 1$  TeV

Poster: Sarah Heim



# Heavy Resonances Search: 8 TeV Dileptons

## ATLAS-Electron selection

- diphoton trigger
- $E_T^1 > 40$  GeV Use &&  $E_T^2 > 30$  GeV
- $|\eta| < 2.47$ , excluding crack regions
- Cluster ID cuts
- Leading electron isolated
  - $(\sum E_T - E_T^1) |_{(\Delta R < 0.2)} < 7$  GeV
  - Reject jets faking electrons
- Require pixel hit
  - Rejects photon conversions
- $A^* \epsilon(Z \rightarrow ee, m=2 \text{ TeV}) \sim 70\%$

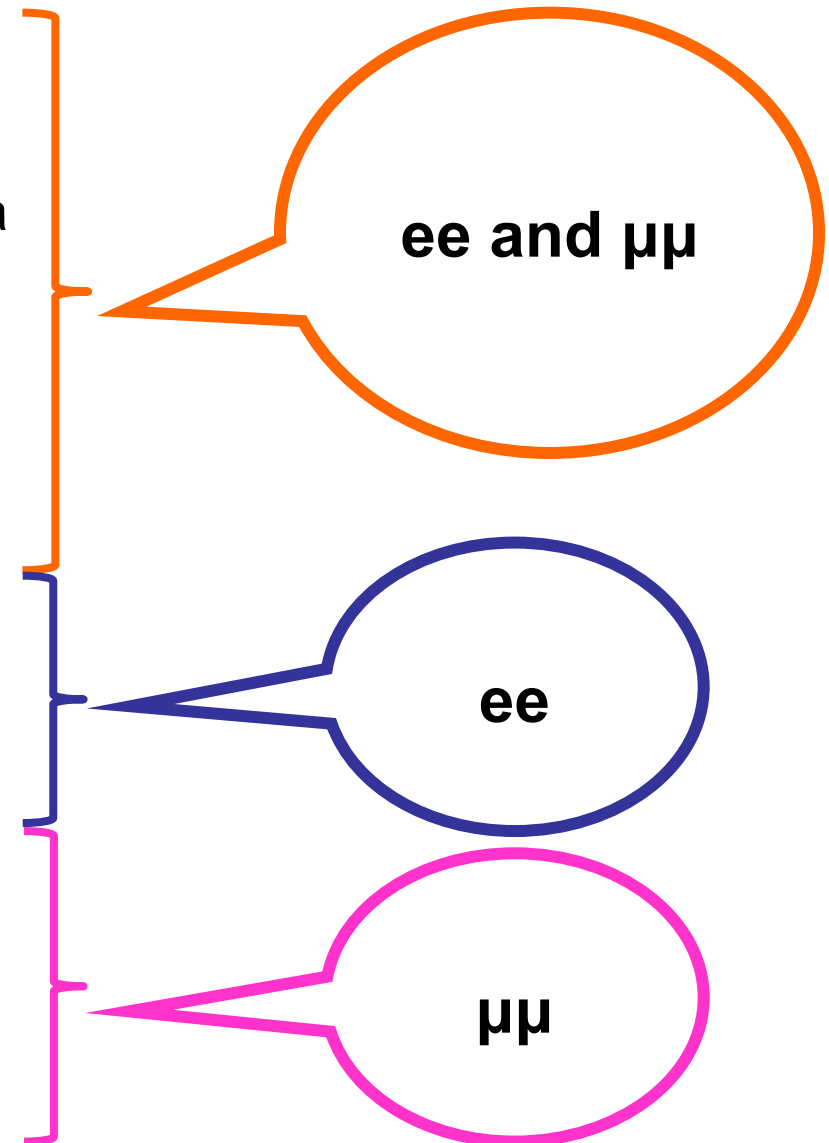
## CMS-Electron selection

- Use dielectron trigger
- $E_T^{1,2} > 30$  GeV
- $|\eta| < 2.5$ , excluding crack regions
- Cluster ID cuts
- Leading electron isolated
  - $(\sum P_T - P_T^e) |_{(\Delta R < 0.3)} < 5$  GeV
  - $(\sum E_T - E_T^e) |_{(\Delta R < 0.3)} < 3\% E_T^e$
  - $E_{\text{Hcal}}/E_{\text{ECAL}} |_{(\Delta R < 0.15)} < 5\%$
- $A^* \epsilon(Z \rightarrow ee, p_T=100 \text{ GeV}) \sim 90\%$

# Heavy Resonances Search: 8 TeV Dileptons

## Backgrounds

- SM Drell-Yan:  $\gamma^*/Z \rightarrow l^+l^-$ 
  - shape taken from Monte Carlo
  - normalisation taken from Z peak in data
- t-tbar:
  - where tt goes to e+e-, mu+mu-
  - est. from MC, cross-checked in data
  - also includes Z  $\rightarrow \tau\tau$ , WW, WZ
- Jet Background:
  - di-jet, W+jet events where the jets are misidentified as electrons/muons
- Cosmic Ray Background:
  - muons from cosmic rays
  - estimated  $<0.1$  event after vertex and angular difference requirements



# Heavy Resonances Search: 8 TeV Dileptons

## Backgrounds

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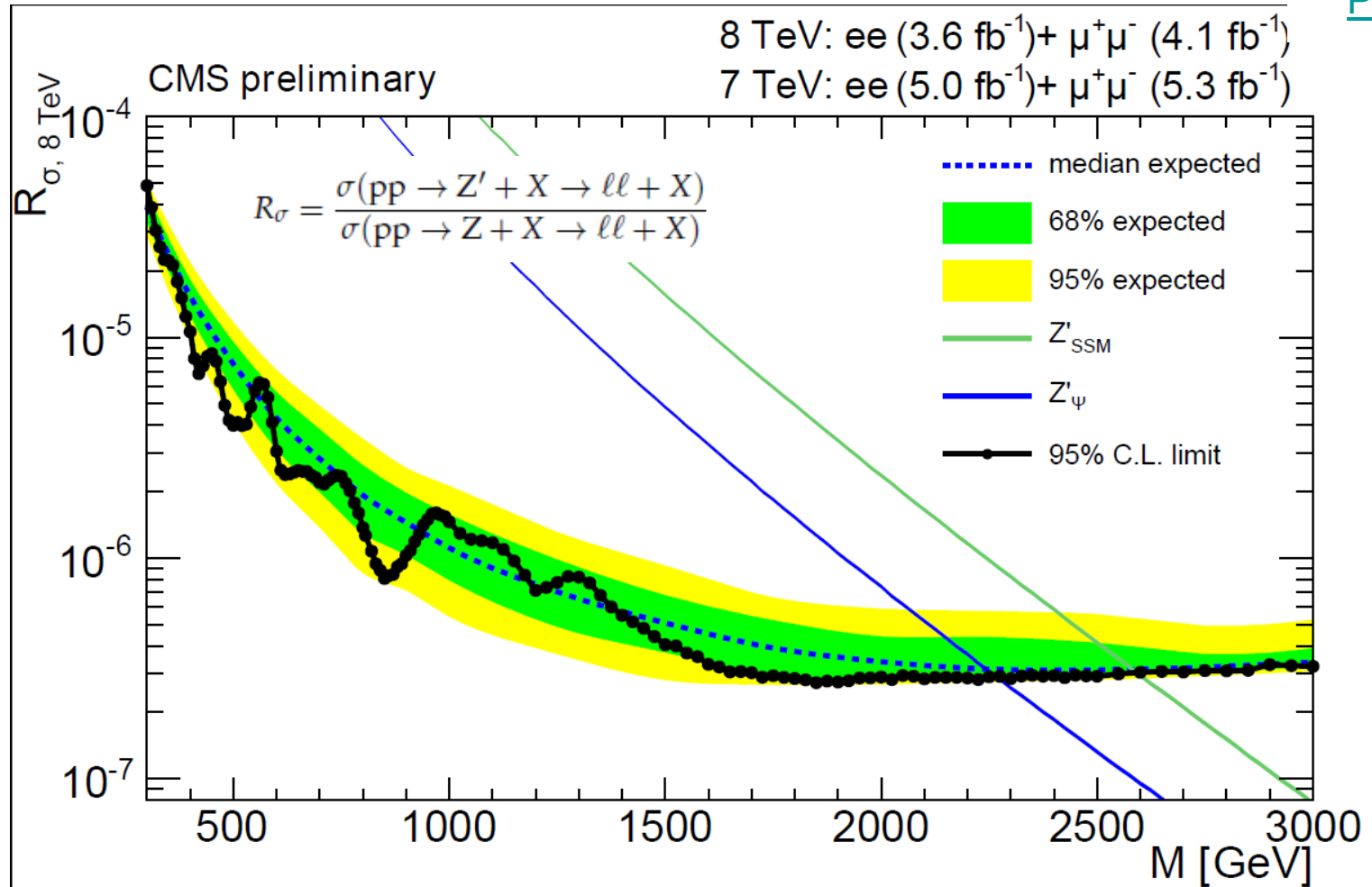
Source	Number of events			
	Dimuon sample		Dielectron sample	
	(120 – 200) GeV	>200 GeV	(120 – 200) GeV	>200 GeV
Data	13831	3503	12030	2904
Total background	$13007 \pm 589$	$3627 \pm 160$	$12241 \pm 592$	$2968 \pm 258$
$Z/\gamma^*$	$11703 \pm 571$	$2919 \pm 139$	$10657 \pm 533$	$2198 \pm 220$
$t\bar{t}$ + others	$1278 \pm 146$	$698 \pm 78$	$1222 \pm 183$	$557 \pm 84$
jets	$26 \pm 3$	$10 \pm 1$	$362 \pm 181$	$213 \pm 106$

**No deviation from expectation found.**



# Heavy Resonances Search: 7+8 TeV Dileptons

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**m(SSM Z') > 2.59 TeV at 95% CL**

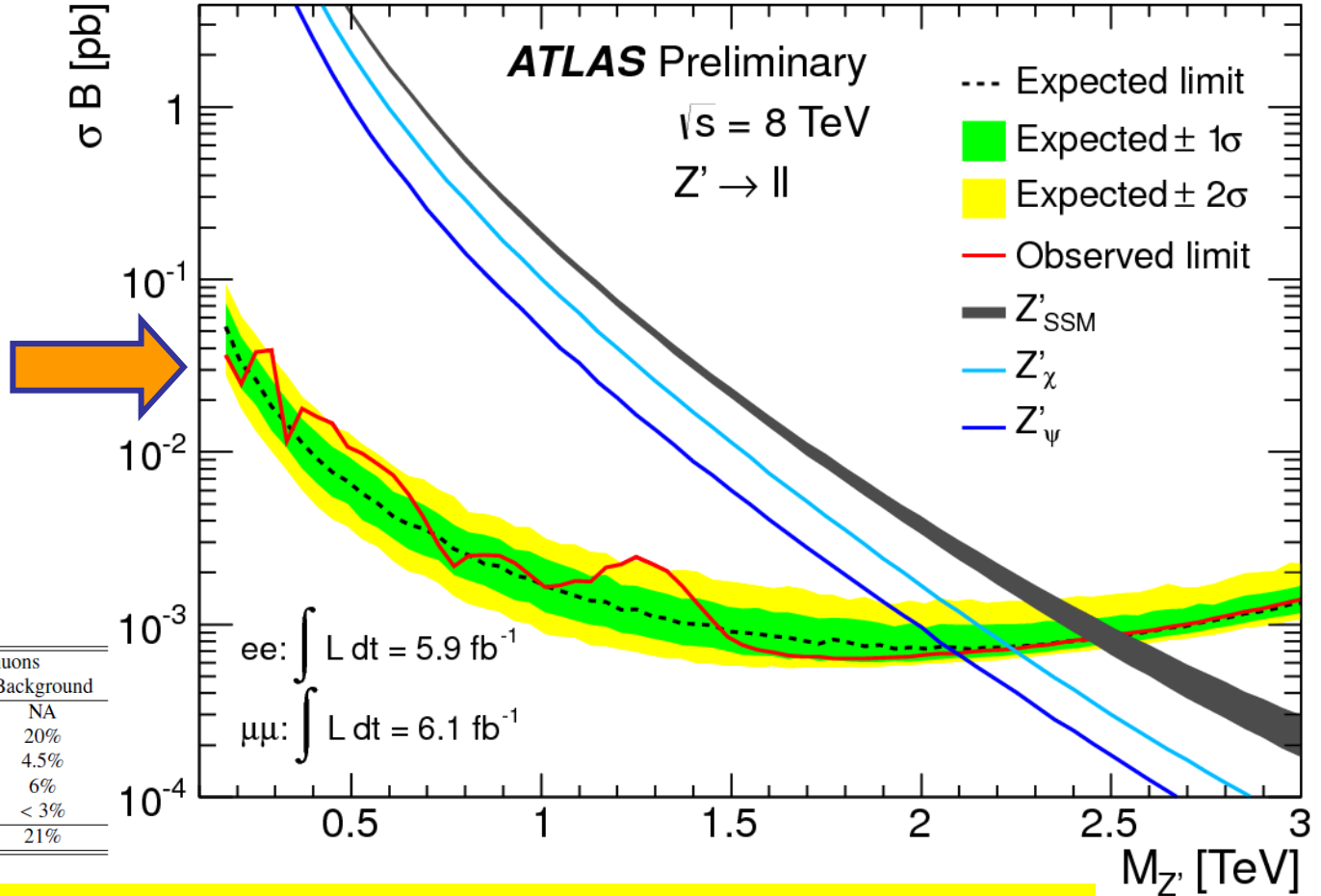
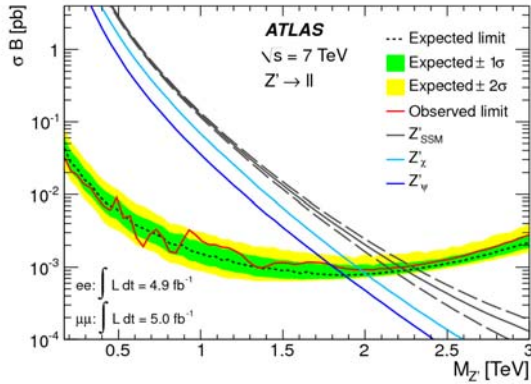
# Heavy Resonances Search: 8 TeV Dileptons

- No deviation from SM found → set limits

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8 TeV

7 TeV



@ 2 TeV

Source	Dielectrons		Dimuons	
	Signal	Background	Signal	Background
Normalization	5%	NA	5%	NA
PDF / $\alpha_s$ / $\alpha_{em}$ / scale	NA	20%	NA	20%
Electroweak corrections	NA	4.5%	NA	4.5%
Efficiency	< 3%	< 3%	6%	6%
Dijet and W + jets background	NA	21%	NA	< 3%
Total	5%	30%	8%	21%

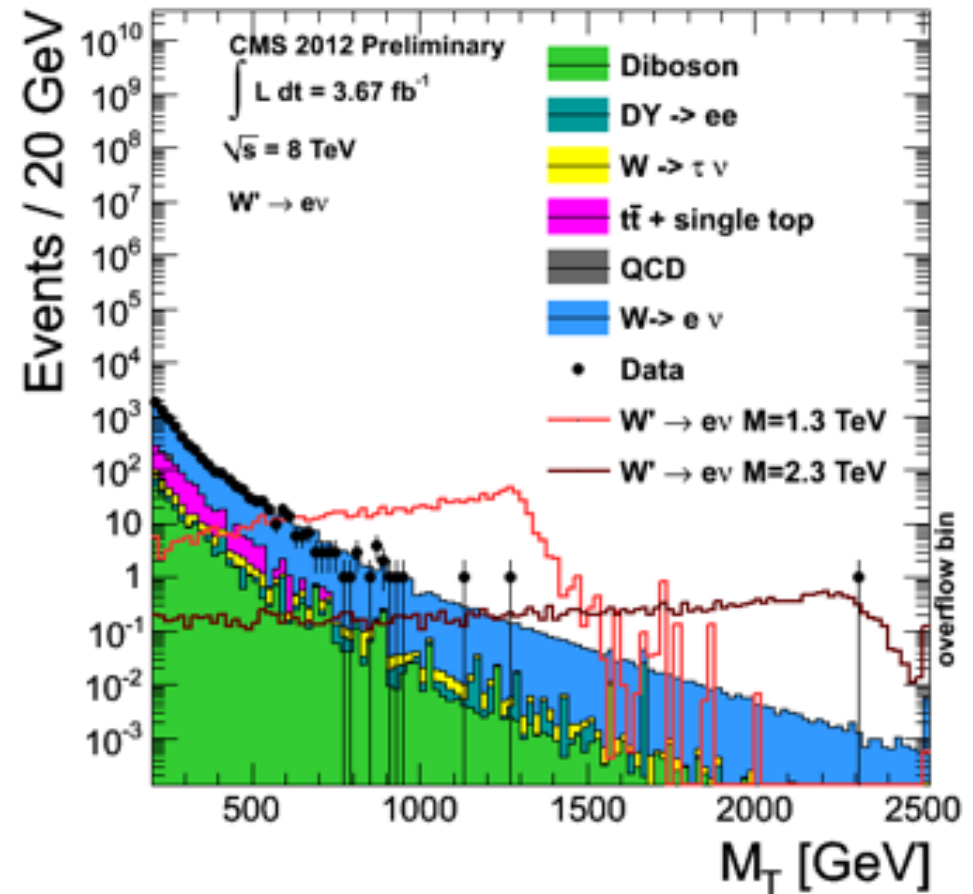
**$m(SSM Z') > 2.49 \text{ TeV}$  at 95% CL**

# $W' \rightarrow l\nu$ in 8 TeV Data

- Many models possible
  - right-handed  $W'$  bosons with standard-model couplings
  - left-handed  $W'$  bosons including interference
  - Kaluza-Klein  $W'_{KK}$ -states in split-UED
  - Excited chiral boson ( $W^*$ )

- Event Selection and Backgrounds

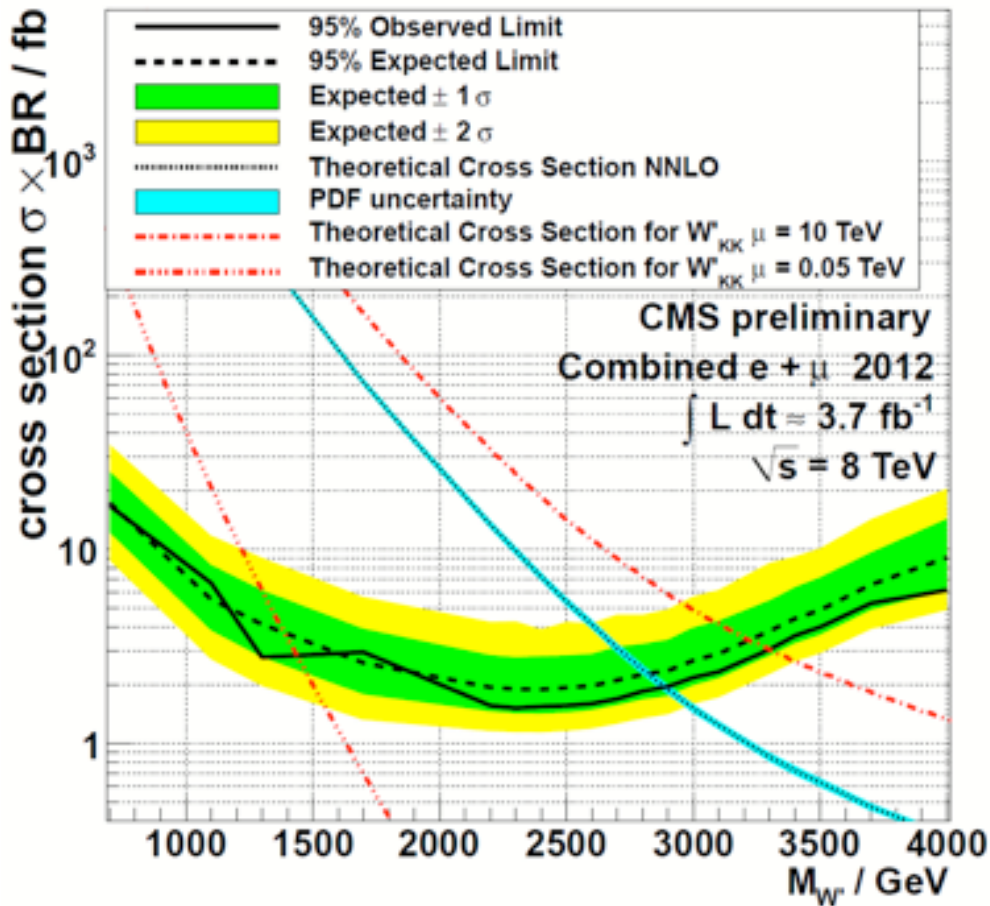
- back-to-back isolated lepton and  $E_T^{\text{miss}}$
- Plot transverse mass of  $l\nu$  system
- backgrounds from  $W$ , QCD,  $t\bar{t}$ +single  $t$ ,  $DY$ ,  $VV$  from data



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$$M_T = \sqrt{2 \cdot p_T^\ell \cdot E_T^{\text{miss}} \cdot (1 - \cos \Delta\phi_{\ell,\nu})}$$

# $W' \rightarrow l\nu$ in 8 TeV Data

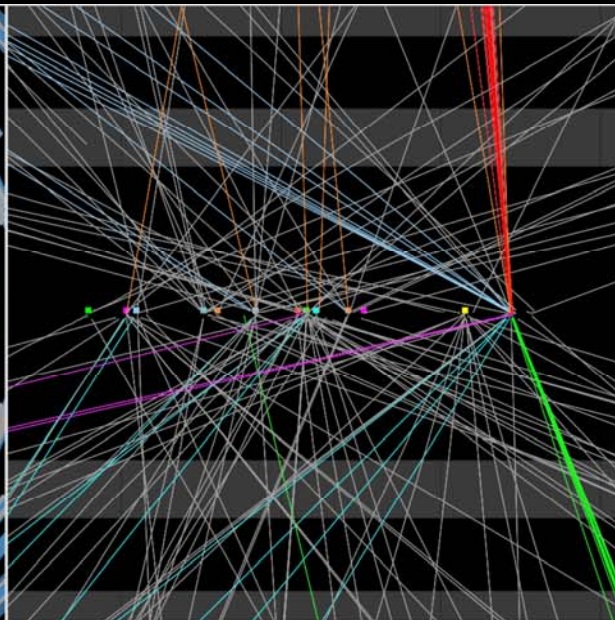
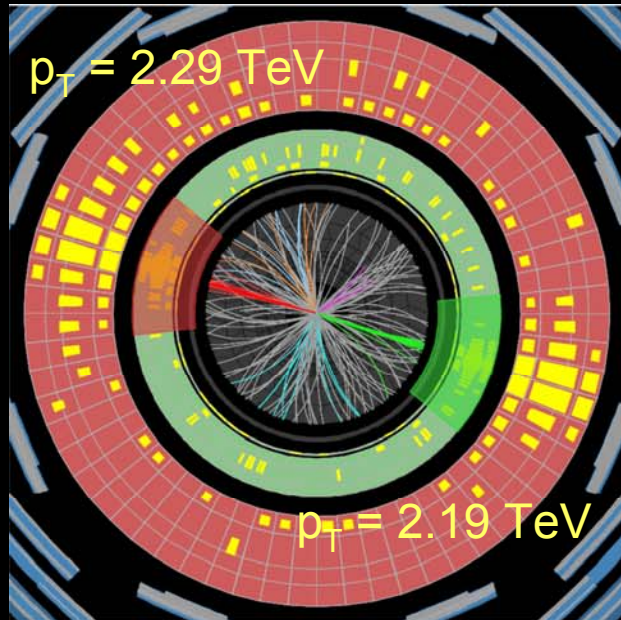


$M(W'_{SSM})$ 95% CL	Expected	Observed
ATLAS e+ $\mu$ , 2011, 4.7fb <sup>-1</sup>	> 2.55 TeV	> 2.55 TeV
CMS e+ $\mu$ , 2012, 3.7fb <sup>-1</sup>	> 2.80 TeV	> 2.85 TeV
CMS e+ $\mu$ , 2011+2012, 5.0+3.7 fb <sup>-1</sup>	> 2.85 TeV	> 2.85 TeV

**$M(W'_{SSM}) > 2.85$  TeV 95% CL**

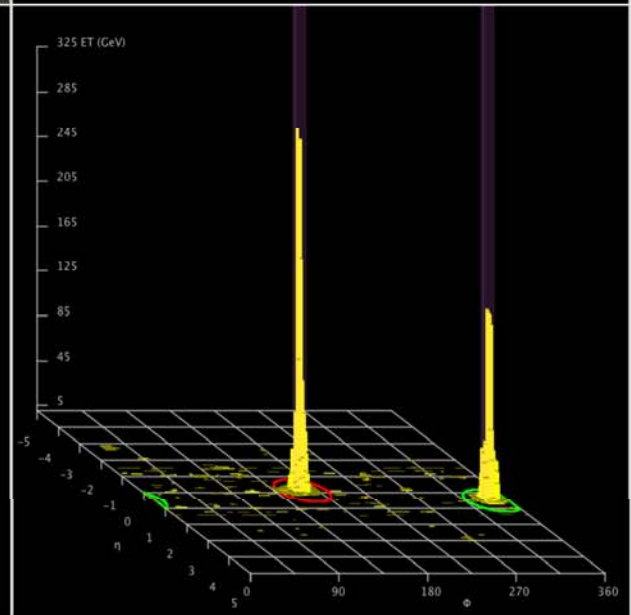
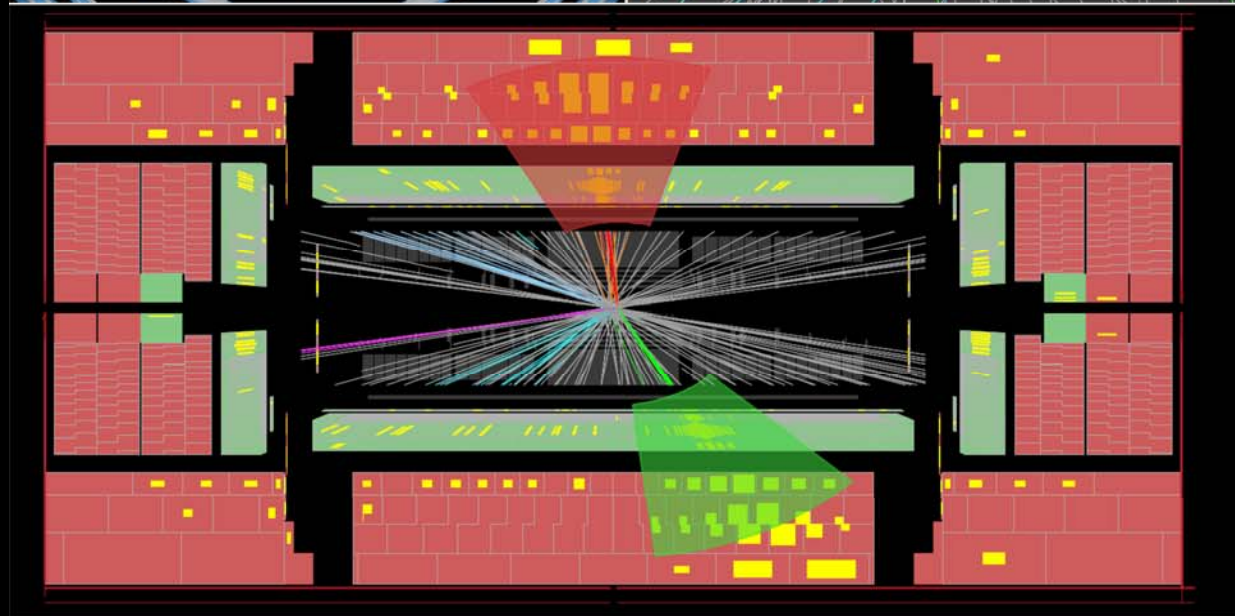
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# Dijet Event Display with $m_{inv} = 4.69 \text{ TeV}$



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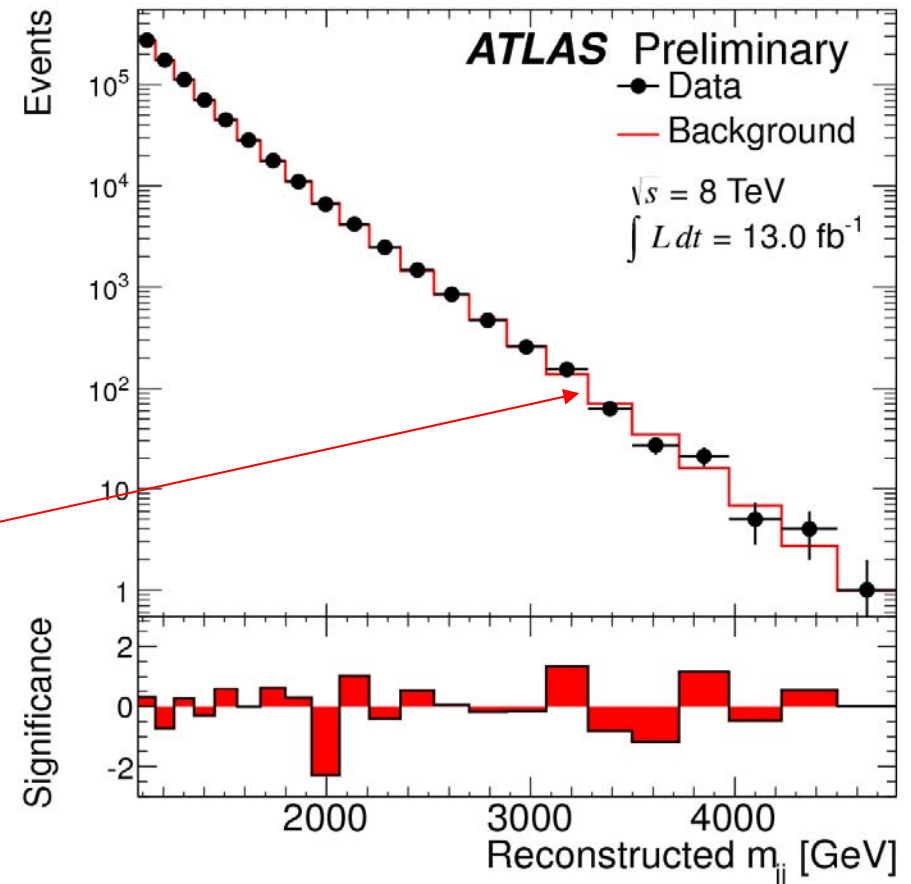


# Heavy Resonance Search: 8 TeV Dijets

- Strong gravity, excited quarks
- Selections
  - Two anti-kt 0.6 jets
  - $p_{j_T} > 150 \text{ GeV}$  &&  $m_{jj} > 1 \text{ TeV}$
  - $|y| < 2.8$  && dijet CM rapidity  $|y^*| < 0.6$ ,  $y^* = \pm 0.5 \cdot (y_1 - y_2)$
- Look for resonance above phenomenological fit of data

$$f(x) = p_1 (1 - x)^{p_2} x^{p_3 + p_4 \ln x}$$
$$x \equiv m_{jj} / \sqrt{s}$$

Probing quark structure  
~ 5 TeV



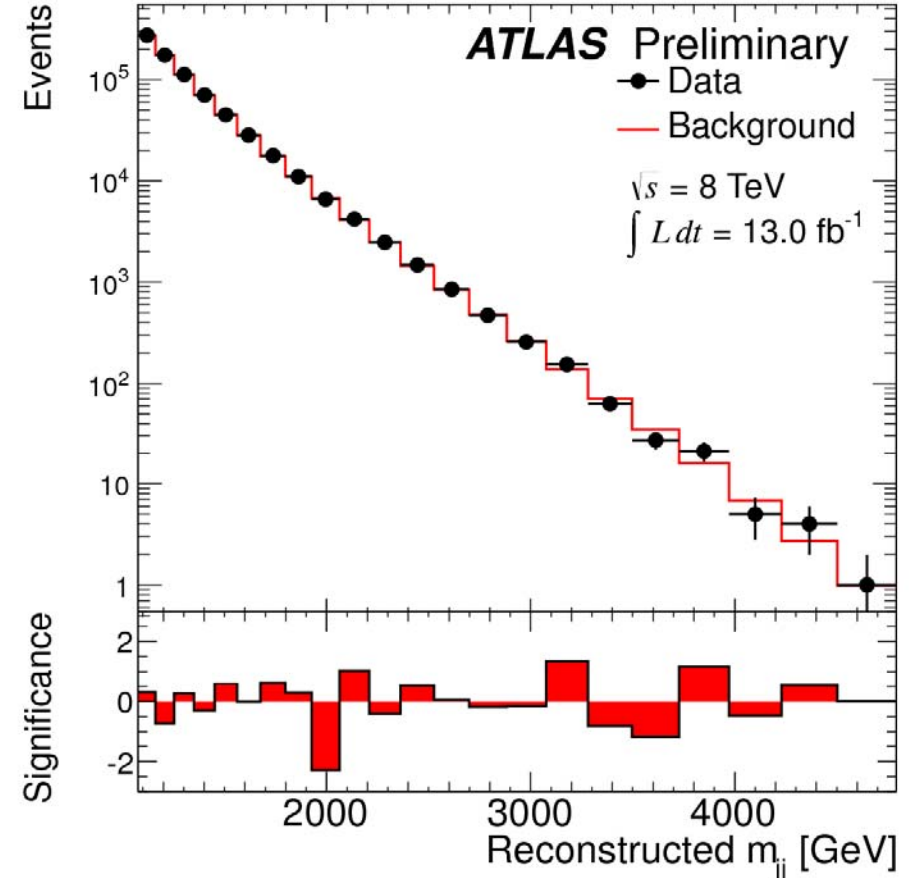
# Heavy Resonance Search: 8 TeV Dijets

- Good agreement btw data and fit.

- Global  $\chi^2/\text{NDF} = 15.5/18 = 0.86 \rightarrow$  p-value = 0.61

- good agreement btw data and fit

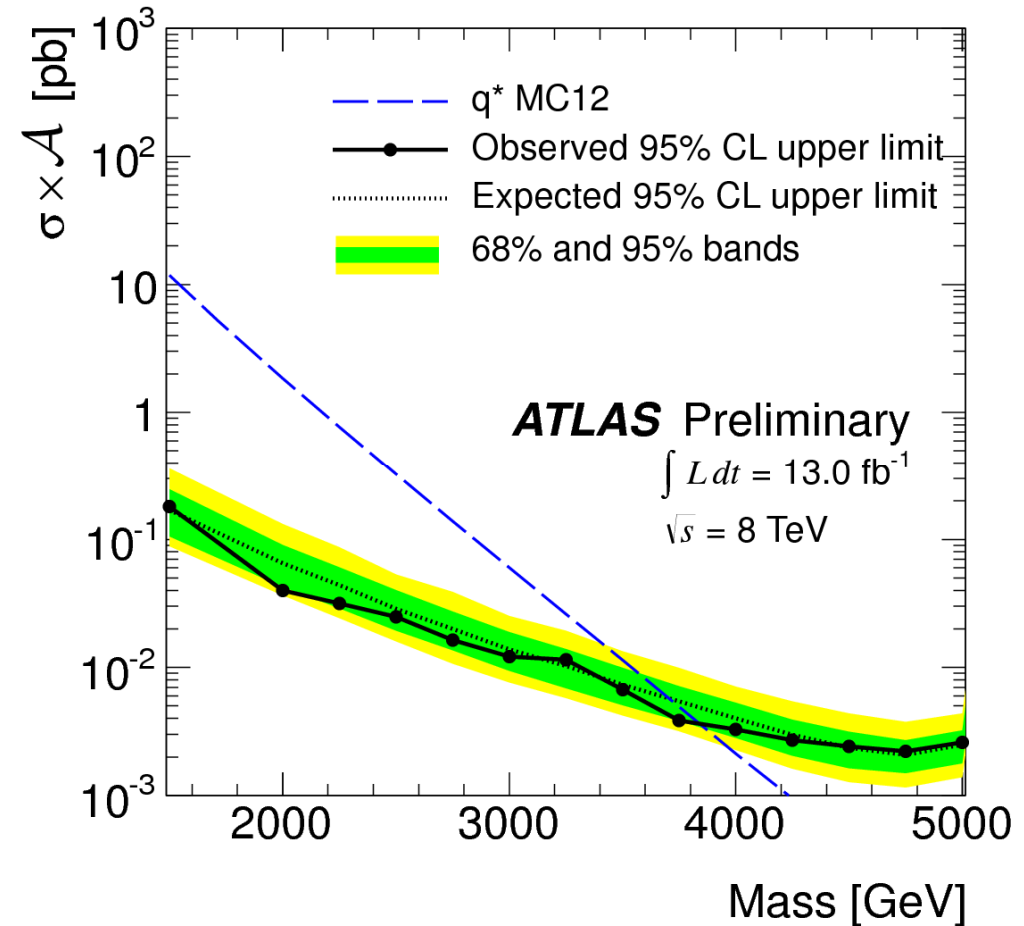
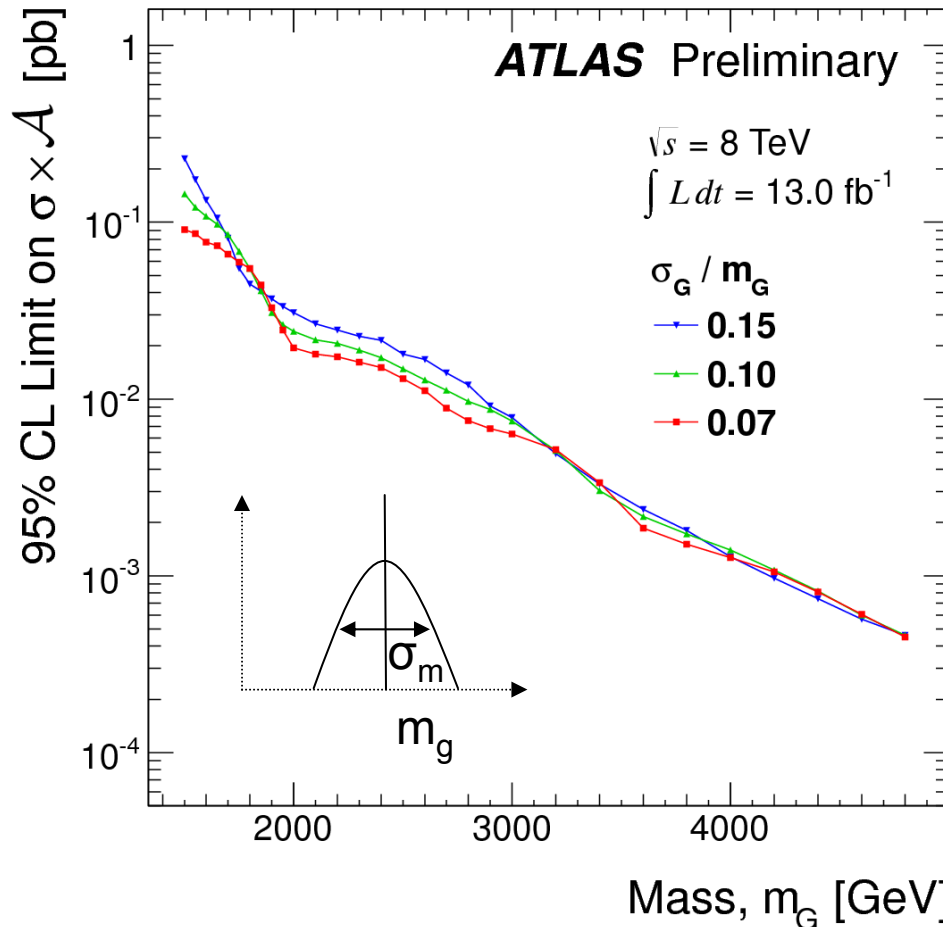
- Bump Hunter



# Heavy Resonance Search: 8 TeV Dijets

Gaussian resonance limits:  
mean mass,  $m_G$ , and  $3 \sigma_G$

Excited quark limit:  
 $m > 3.84$  TeV at 95% CL

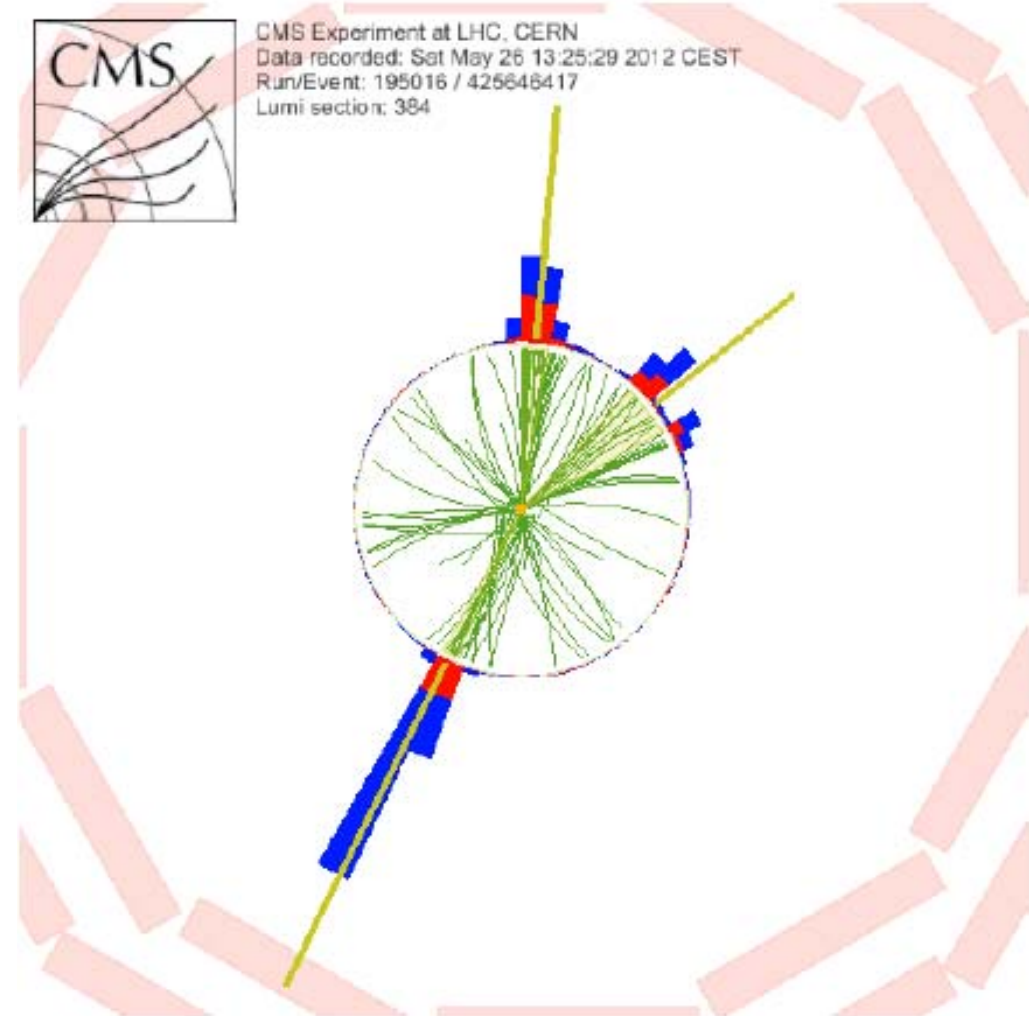




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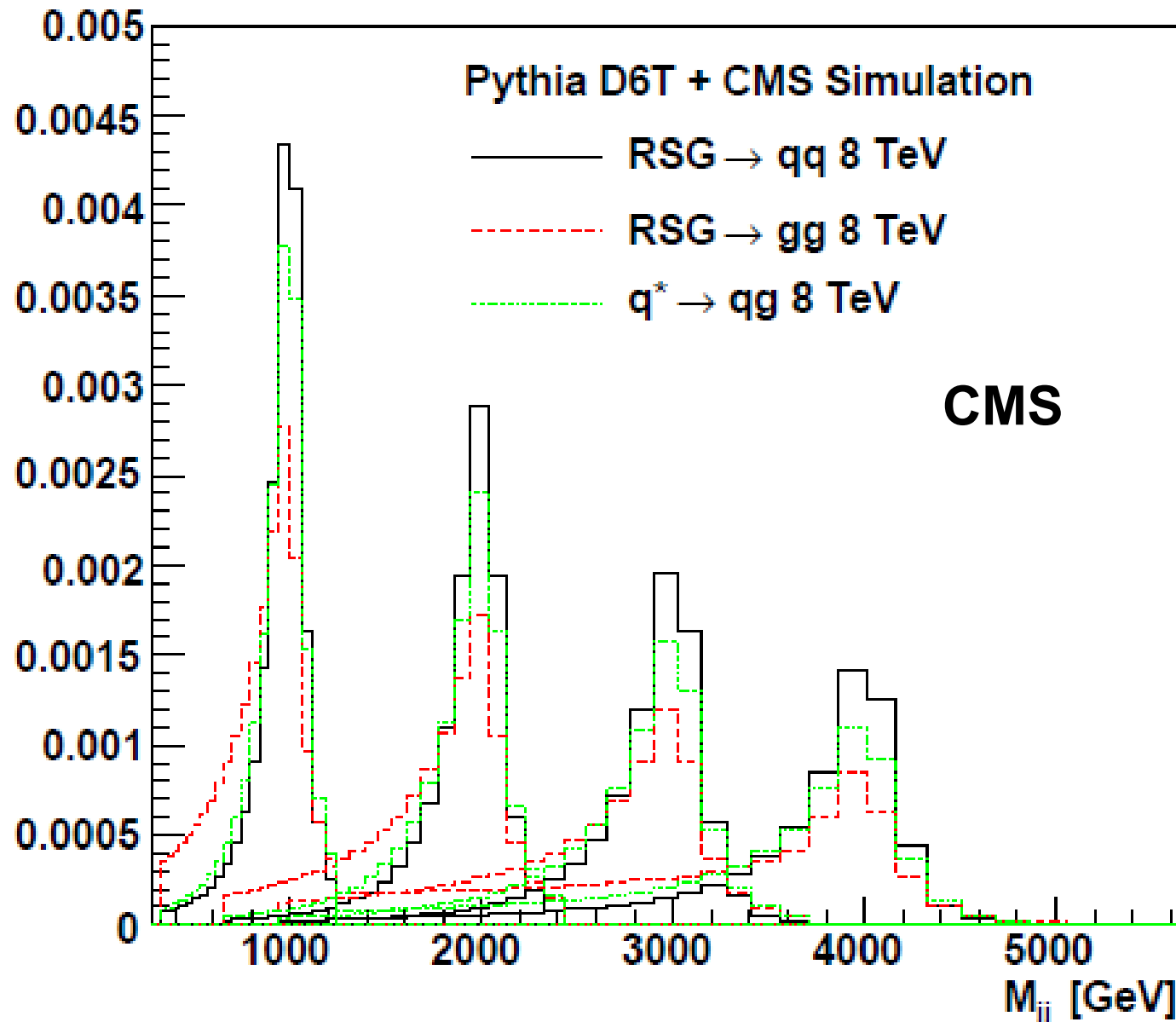
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- Uses particle flow jets  $R=0.5$
- $p_T > 30$  GeV,  $|\eta| < 2.5$
- combines particle-flow jets into "wide jets" with  $R = 1.1$
- two wide jets satisfy
  - $|\eta_{jj}| < 1.3$
  - $|\eta| < 2.5$
  - $M_{jj} > 890$  GeV



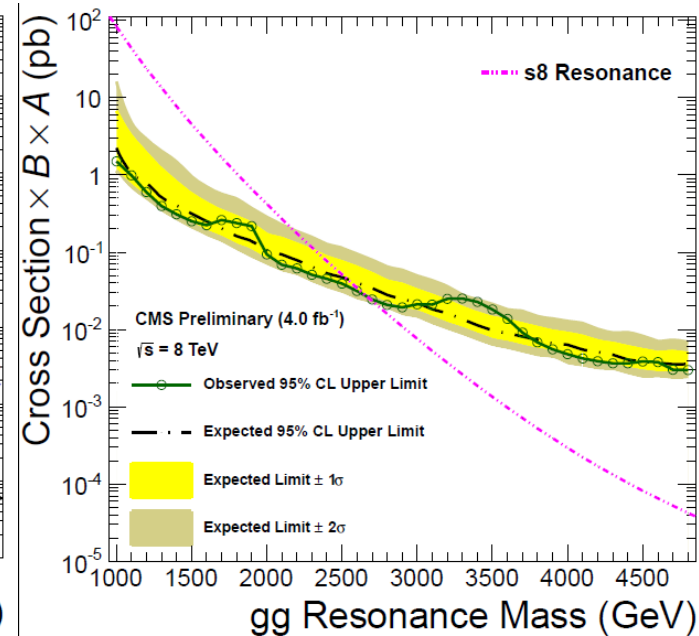
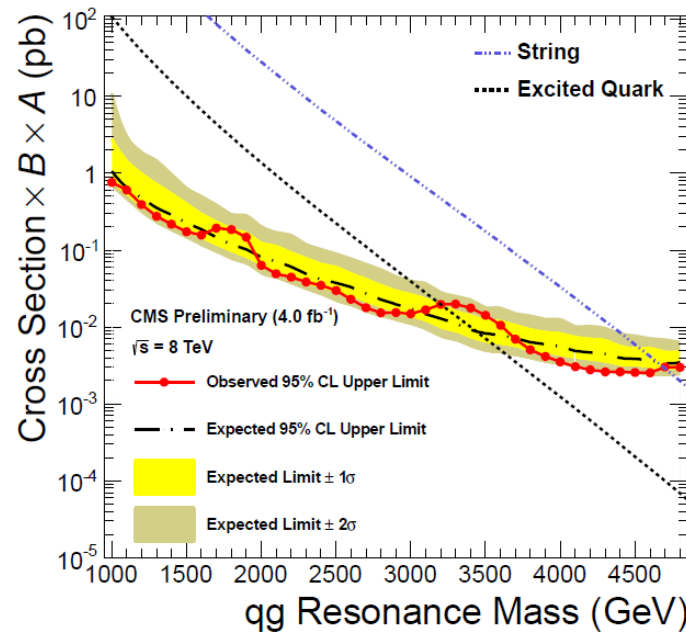
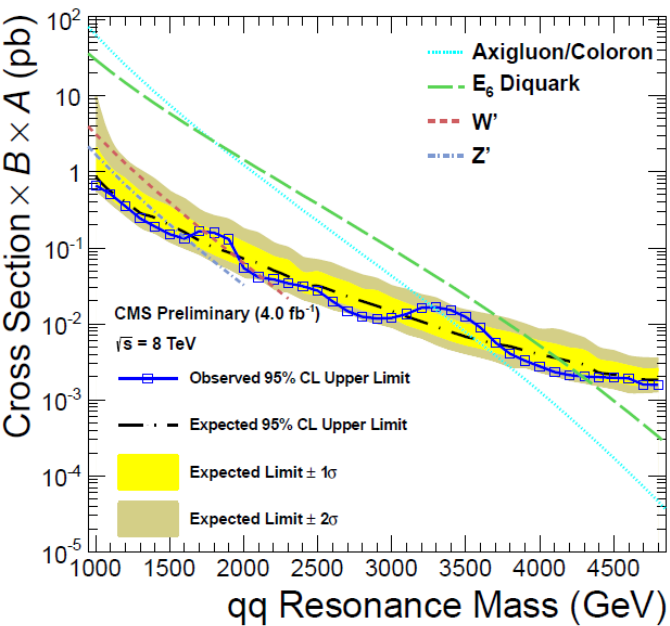
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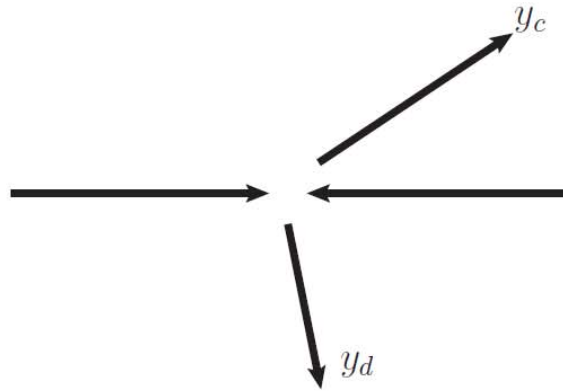
# Heavy Resonance Search: 8 TeV Dijets

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# Search for Heavy Resonance: Dijet Angular

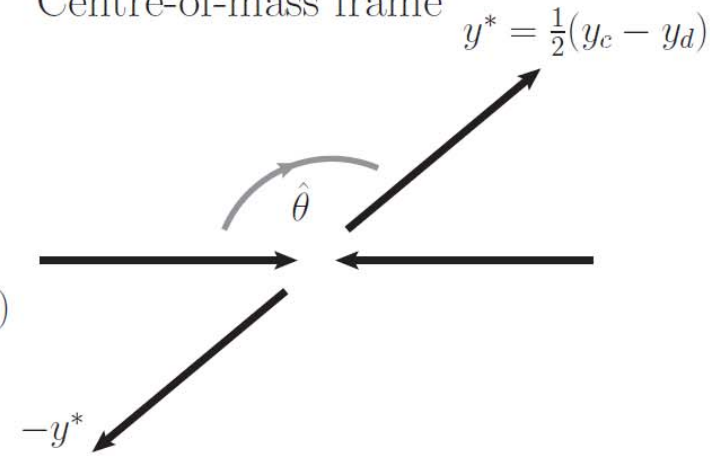
Lab frame



Boost

$$y_{\text{boost}} = \frac{1}{2}(y_c + y_d)$$

Centre-of-mass frame



$$d\hat{\sigma}/d(\cos \hat{\theta}) \propto \sin^{-4}(\hat{\theta}/2) \quad \text{t-channel Spin-1 exchange}$$

$$\chi = \frac{1 + |\cos \hat{\theta}|}{1 - |\cos \hat{\theta}|} \sim \frac{1}{1 - |\cos \hat{\theta}|} \propto \frac{\hat{s}}{\hat{t}}$$

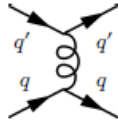
$$\frac{d\hat{\sigma}}{d\chi} \propto \frac{\alpha_s^2}{\hat{s}} \quad (\hat{s} \text{ fixed}) \quad \hat{s} = m_{jj}$$

Constant in  $\chi$  for fixed  $m_{jj}$

# Search for Heavy Resonance: Dijet Angular

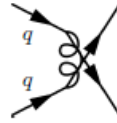
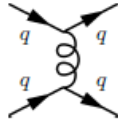
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$$\frac{64}{9}\alpha_s^2 \left( \frac{s^2+u^2}{t^2} \right)$$



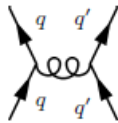
$$qq \rightarrow qq$$

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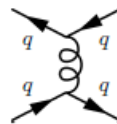
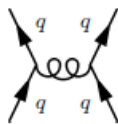
$$q\bar{q} \rightarrow q'\bar{q}'$$

$$\frac{64}{9}\alpha_s^2 \left( \frac{t^2+u^2}{s^2} \right)$$



$$q\bar{q} \rightarrow q\bar{q}$$

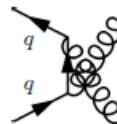
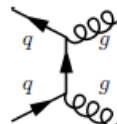
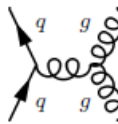
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QCD is a bit more complicated.....

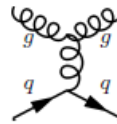
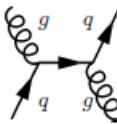
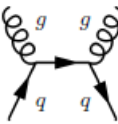
$$q\bar{q} \rightarrow gg$$

$$\frac{128}{3}\alpha_s^2 \left( \frac{4}{9} \frac{t^2+u^2}{tu} - \frac{u^2+t^2}{s^2} \right)$$



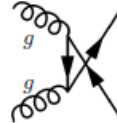
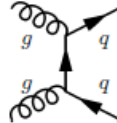
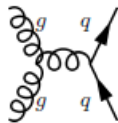
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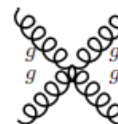
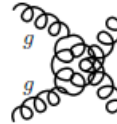
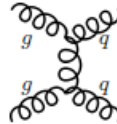
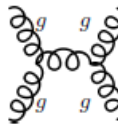
$$gg \rightarrow q\bar{q}$$

$$\frac{8}{3}\alpha_s^2 \left( \frac{1}{3} \frac{t^2+u^2}{tu} - \frac{3}{4} \frac{t^2+u^2}{s^2} \right)$$



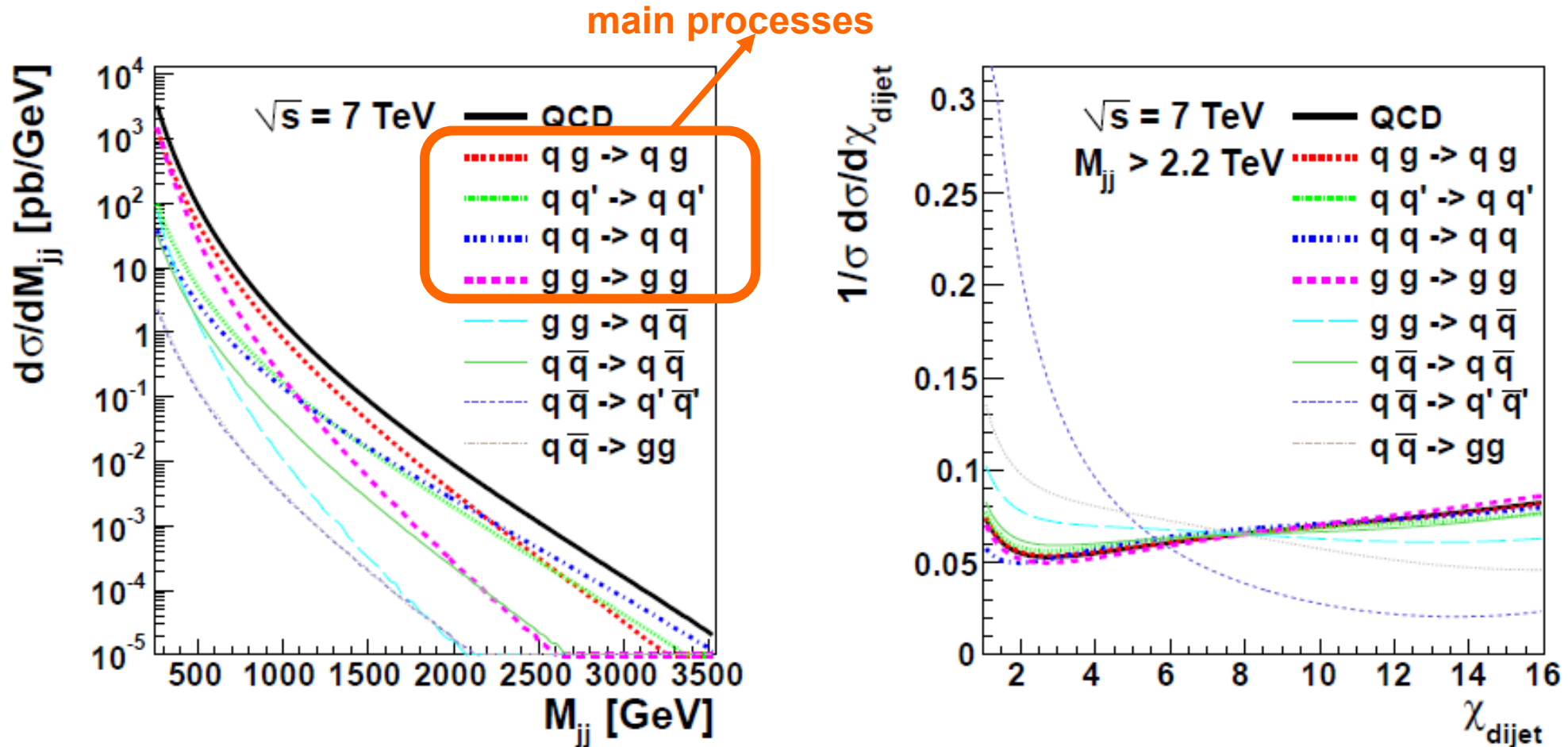
$$gg \rightarrow gg$$

$$72\alpha_s^2 \left( 3 + \frac{t^2+u^2}{s^2} + \frac{s^2+u^2}{t^2} + \frac{s^2+t^2}{u^2} \right)$$



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# Search for Heavy Resonance: Dijet Angular

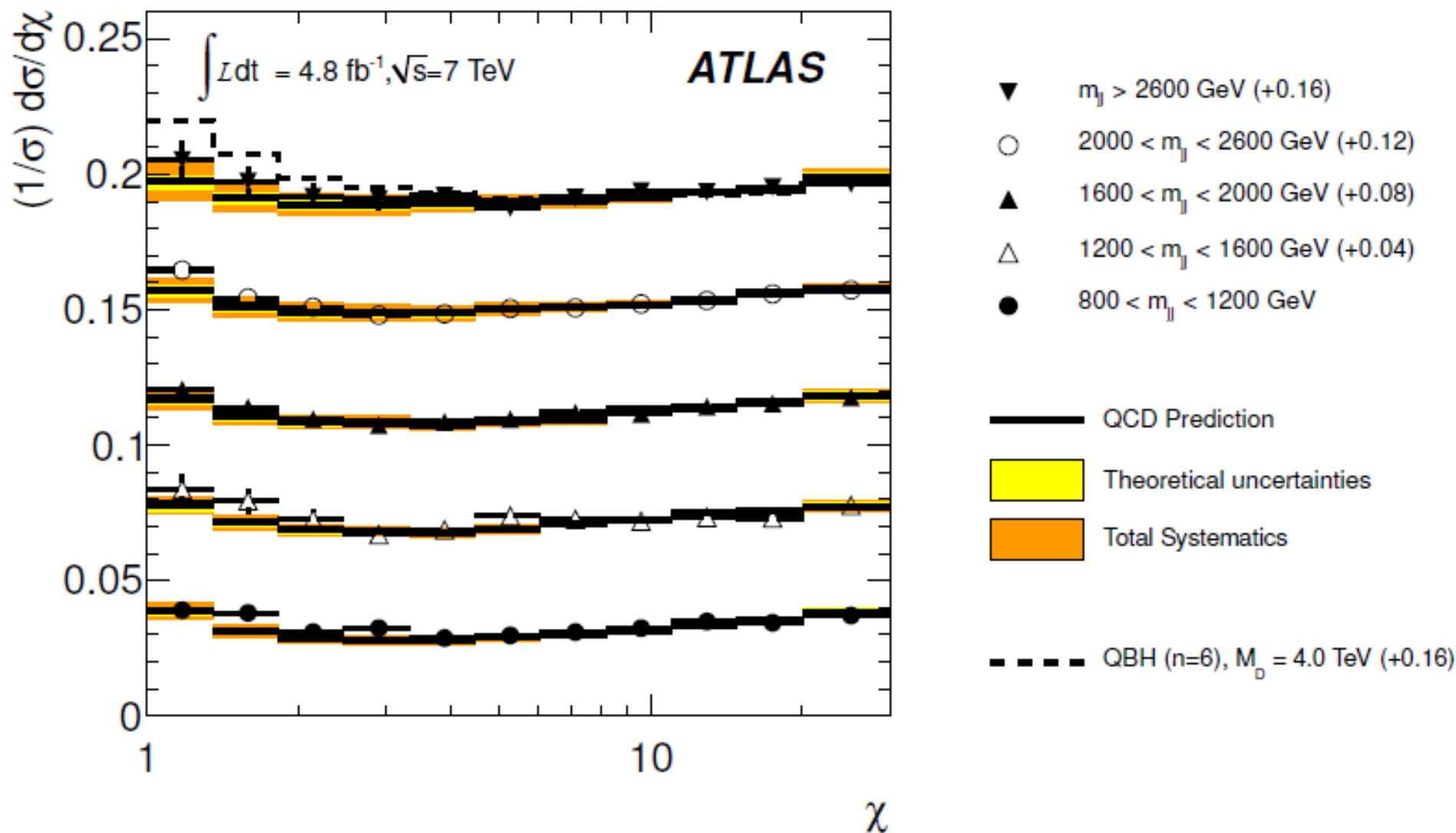


low  $M_{jj}$   $g g$  and  $q g$  dominate  
 high  $M_{jj}$   $q q$  dominate

QCD  $\sim$  flat in  $\chi$

# Search for Heavy Resonance: Dijet Angular

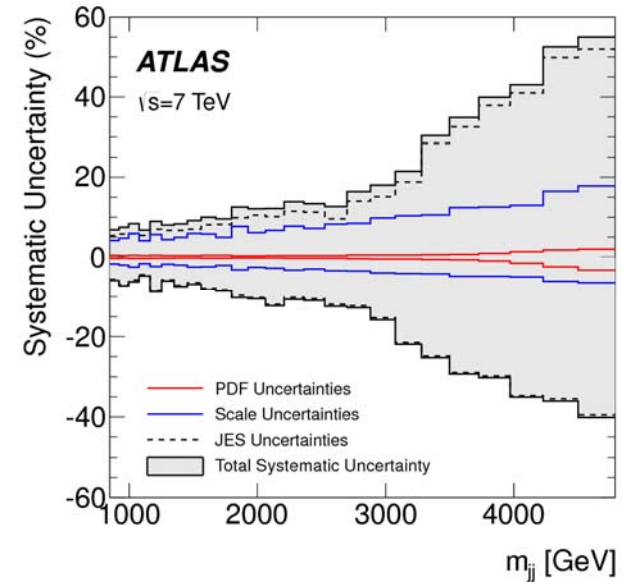
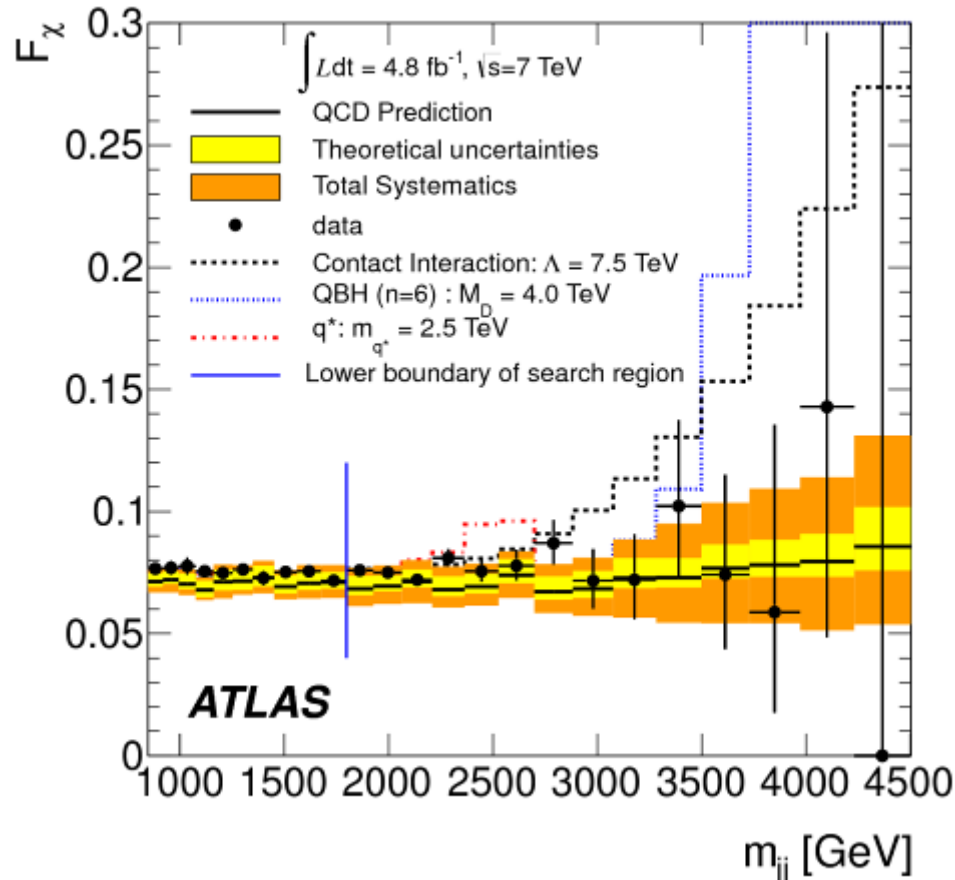
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# Search for Heavy Resonance: Dijet Angular

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$$F_{\chi}(m_{jj}) \equiv \frac{dN_{\text{central}}/dm_{jj}}{dN_{\text{total}}/dm_{jj}},$$

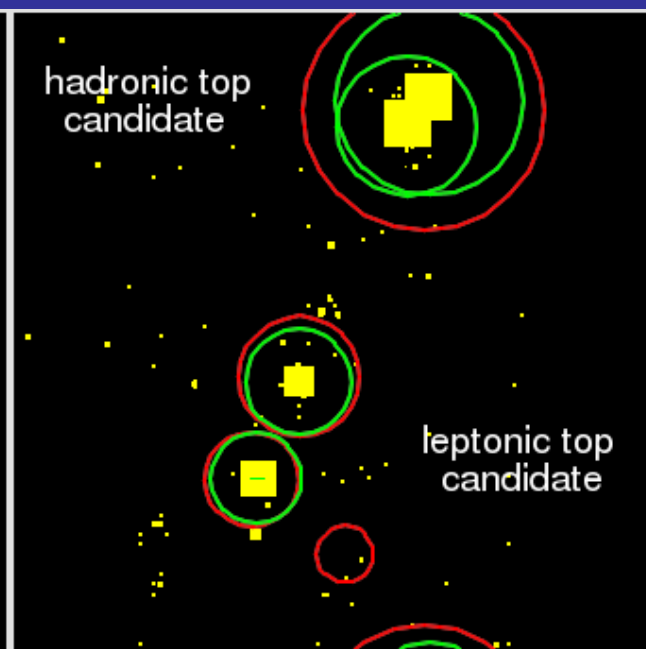
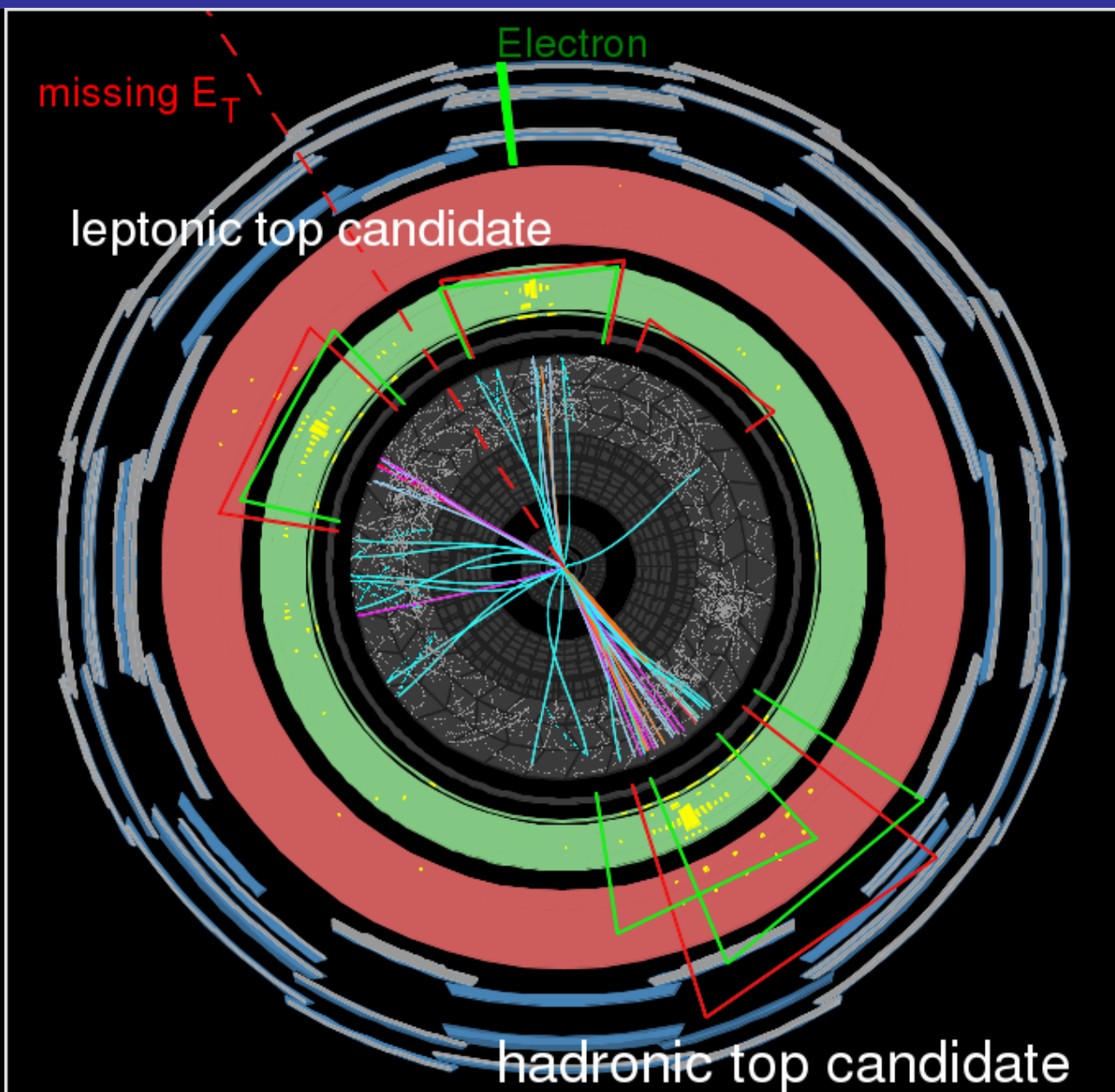


## Models and Limits:

- Quark contact interaction (quark compositeness)
  - $\Lambda > 7.6 \text{ TeV}$  (7.7 TeV)
- Quantum Blackholes
  - $M_D > 4.1 \text{ TeV}$  (4.2 TeV)  $n=6$



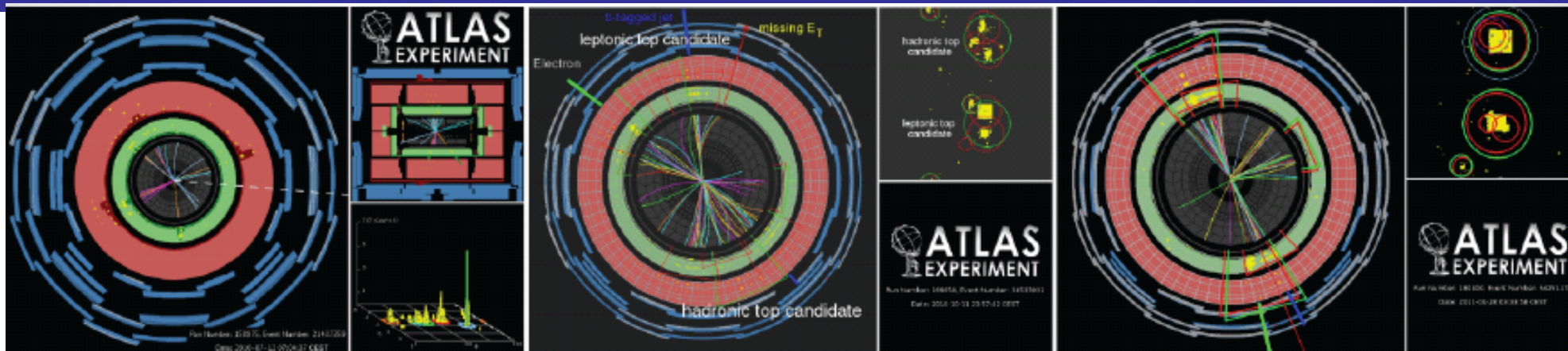
# Boosted Top Event Candidate with $m_{t\bar{t}} = 2.5$ TeV



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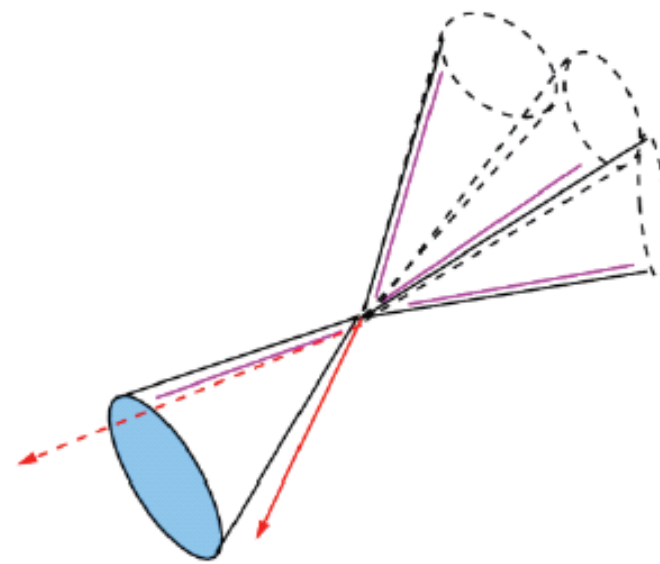
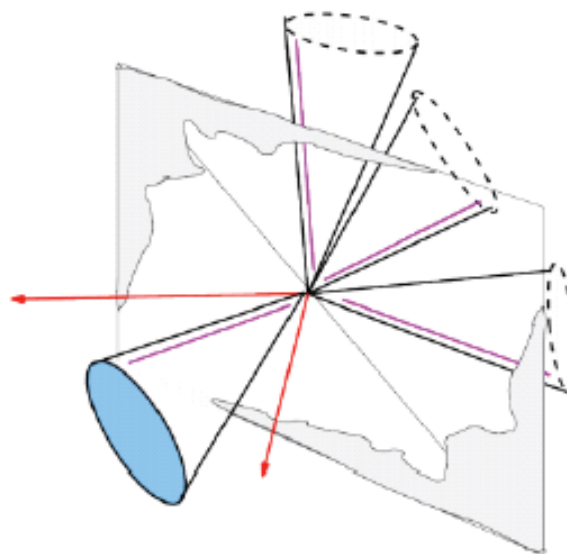
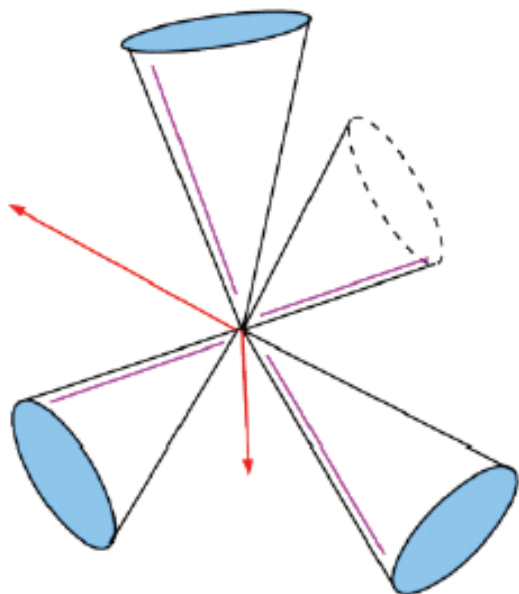
# Top Reconstruction @ LHC: 3 Regimes



At rest:  $M_{tt} < 500 \text{ GeV}$

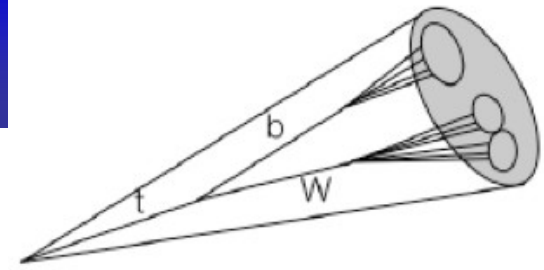
Transition region:  
 $500 \text{ GeV} < M_{tt} < 700 \text{ GeV}$

Mono-jet:  $M_{tt} > 700 \text{ GeV}$



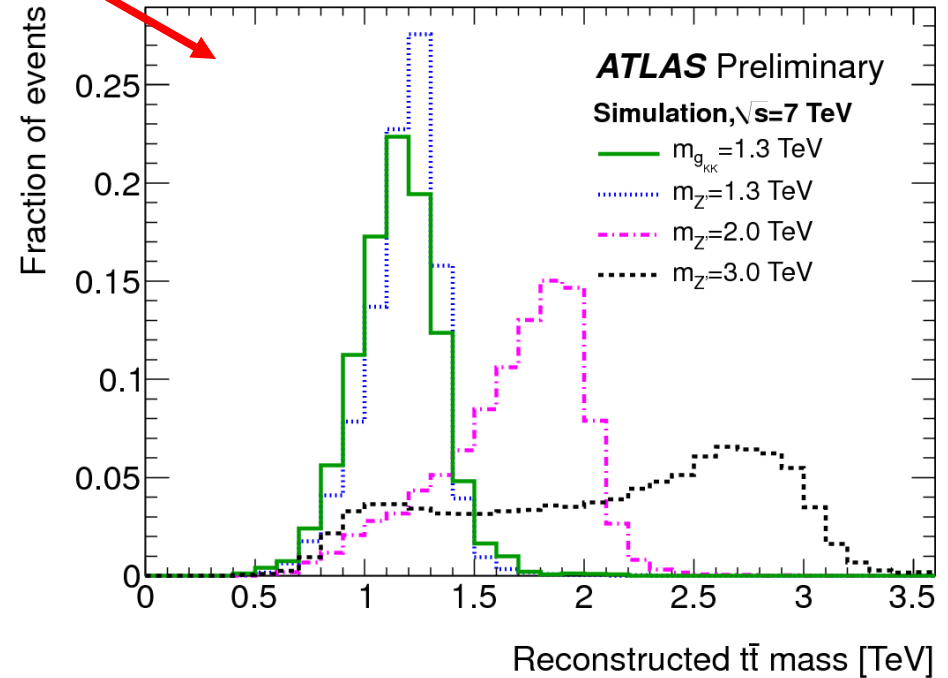
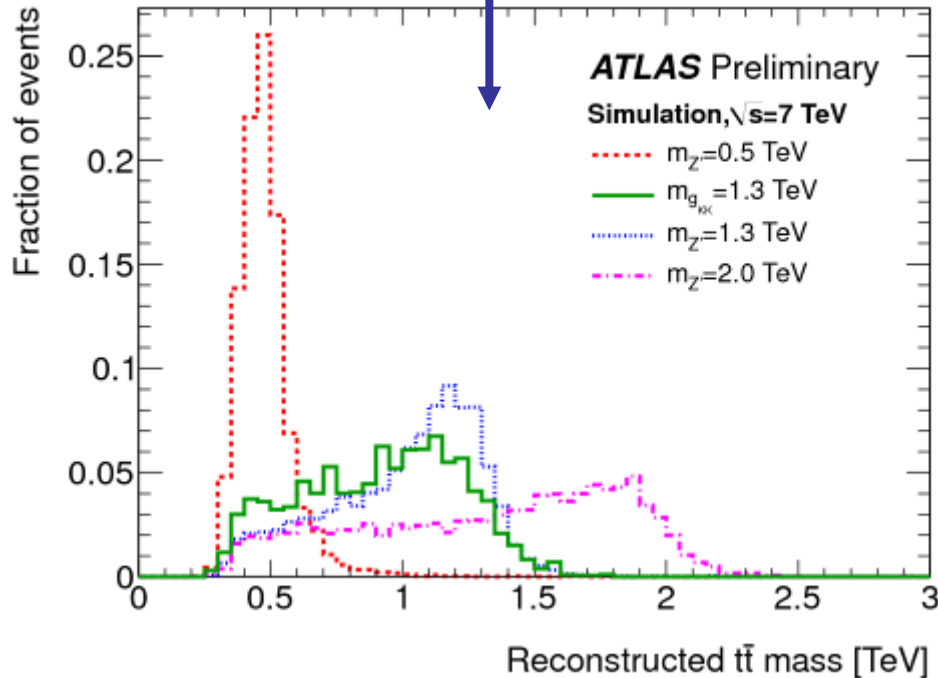
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# Heavy Resonances Search: $T\bar{t}$



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- Lepton+jets channel
- Models: e.g. bulk-RS (esp. KK gluons) and Leptophobic  $Z'$ 
  - Large Branching Ratio to top-antitop
- Taking full advantage of boosted techniques
- Combining **resolved** and **boosted** reconstructions



# Heavy Resonances Search: Ttbar

## ■ Event Selection

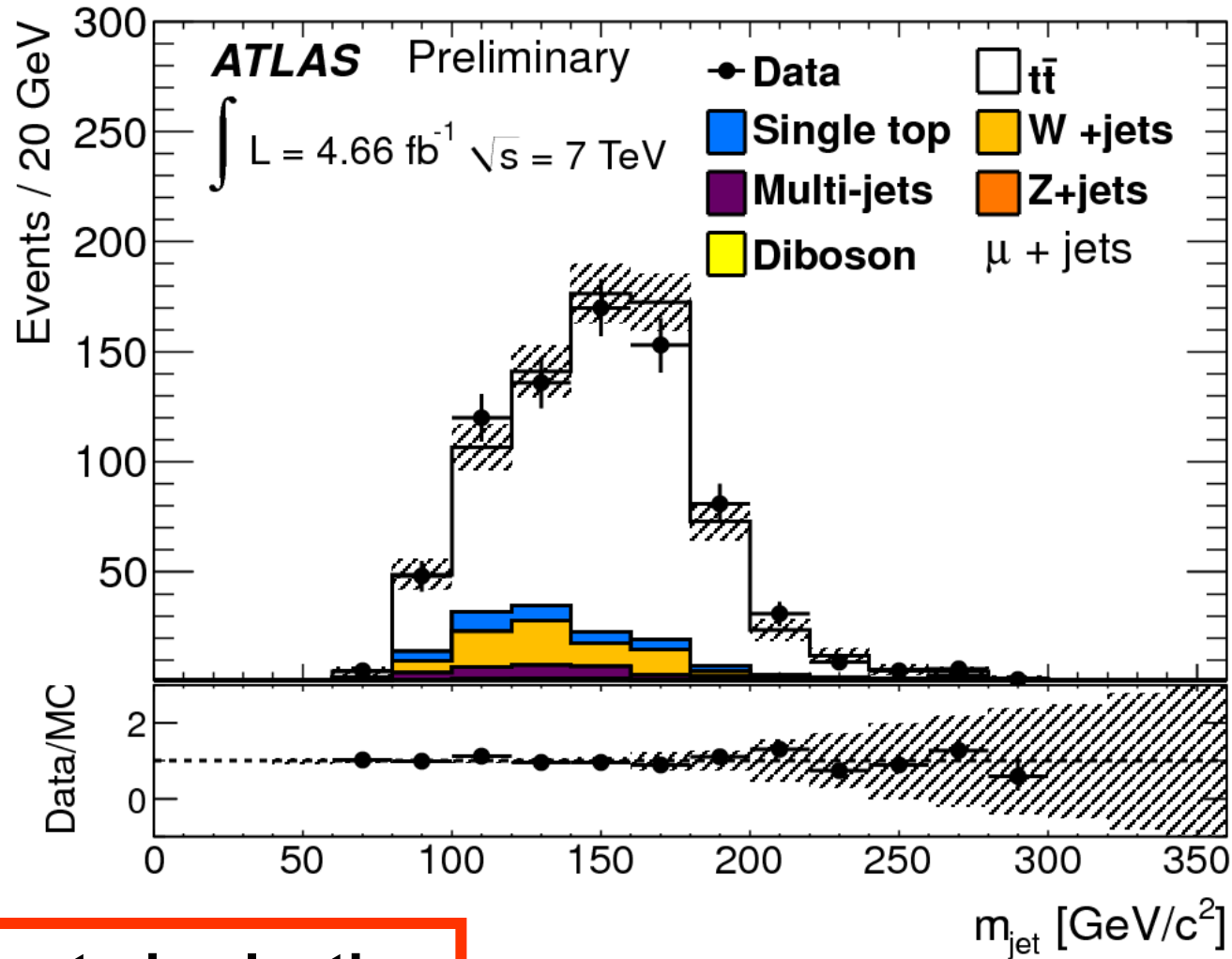
	resolved	boosted
trigger	single lepton trigger	fat jet (AKT10) trigger
leptons	1 lepton ( $e^\pm$ or $\mu^\pm$ ), $p_T > 25$ GeV additional lepton ( $e^\pm$ or $\mu^\pm$ ) veto, $p_T > 20$ GeV lepton trigger match	
$\cancel{E}_T$	$e^\pm$ : $\cancel{E}_T > 30$ GeV, $\mu^\pm$ : $\cancel{E}_T > 20$ GeV	
$m_T^W$	$e^\pm$ : $M_T(W) > 30$ GeV, $\mu^\pm$ : $M_T(W) + \cancel{E}_T > 60$ GeV	
jets	$\geq 4(3)$ jets (if one jet $m_{\text{jet}} > 60$ GeV)	"leptonic jet": AKT4 jet "hadronic jet": AKT10 jet
b-tag	$\geq 1$ b-tag using AKT4 jets ( $\epsilon_b = 70\%$ )	

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# Heavy Resonances Search: $T\bar{t}$

- Improve efficiency at high  $t\text{-}\bar{t}$  mass with:
  - Lepton “mini-isolation”:
    - cone shrinks at high momentum
  - Trigger:
    - use Fat Jet trigger (anti-kt jet  $R=1.0$ ,  $p_T > 240$  GeV)
    - Better efficiency than lepton trigger at high mass
- Combine resolved and boosted selection:
  - If event is reconstructed by both methods, use the boosted one (better mass resolution)

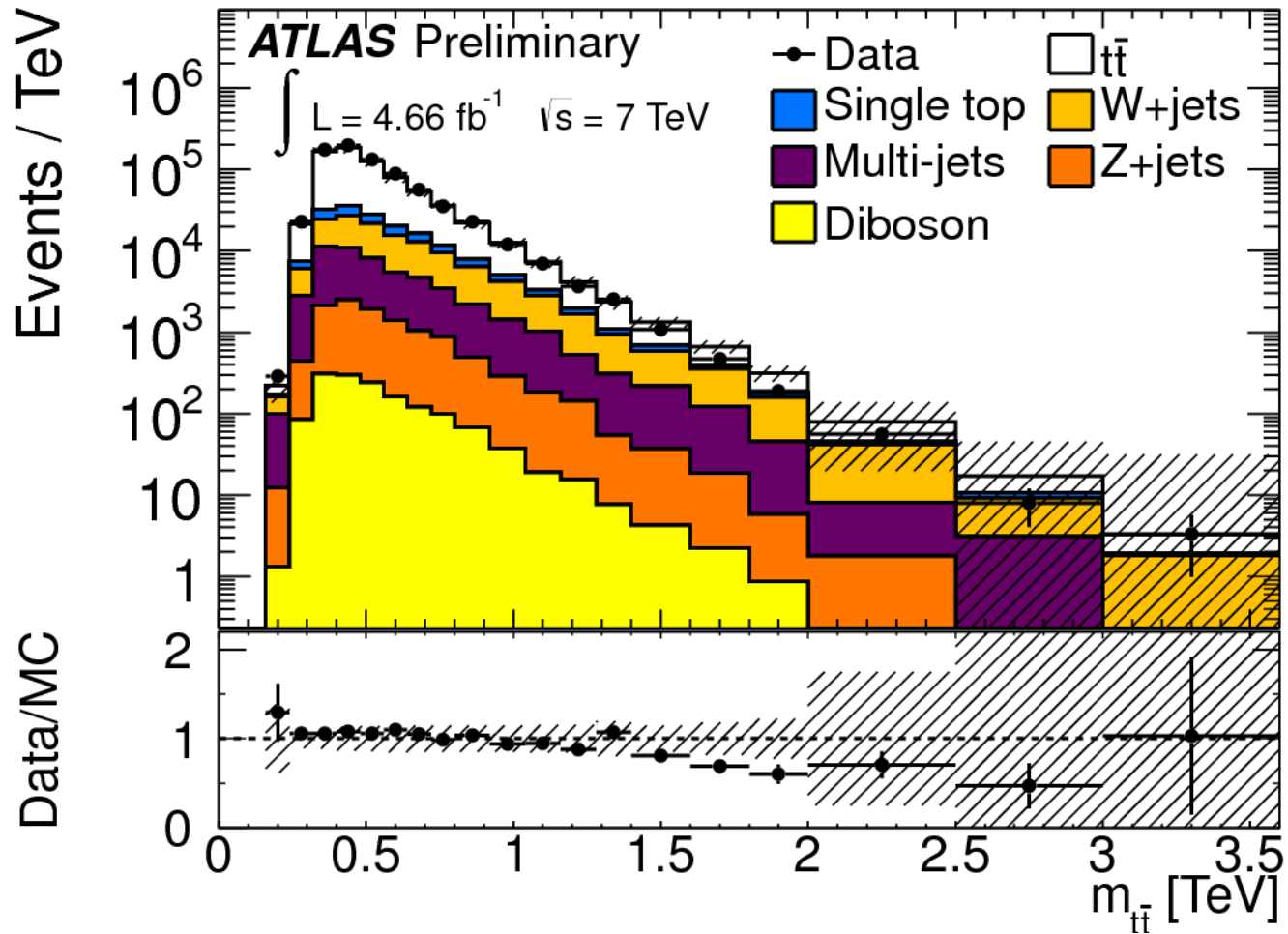
# Heavy Resonances Search: $T\bar{t}b\bar{a}$



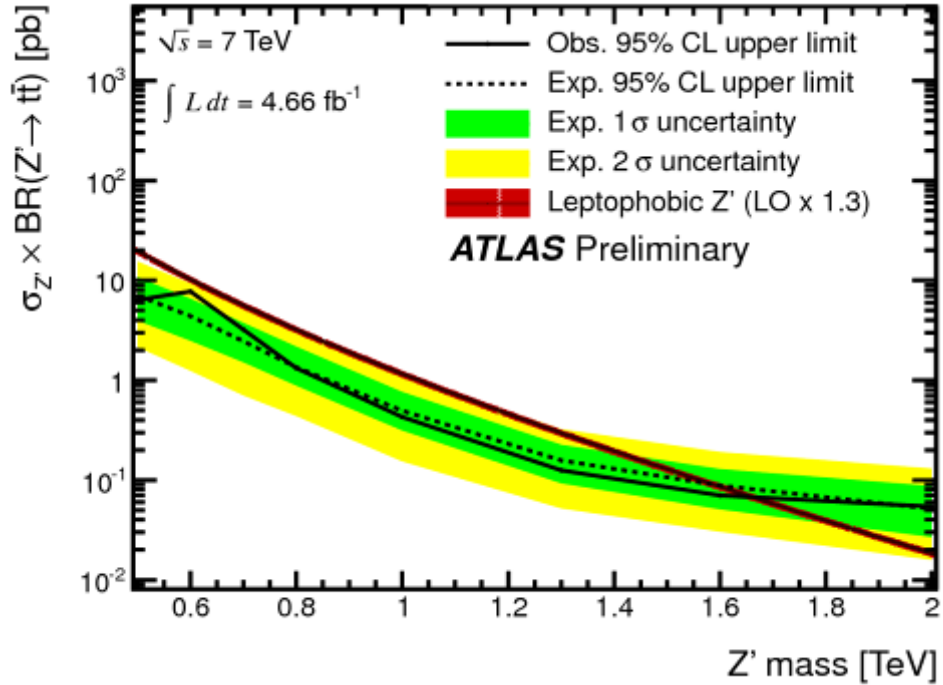
**Boosted selection**

# Heavy Resonances Search: $T\bar{t}$

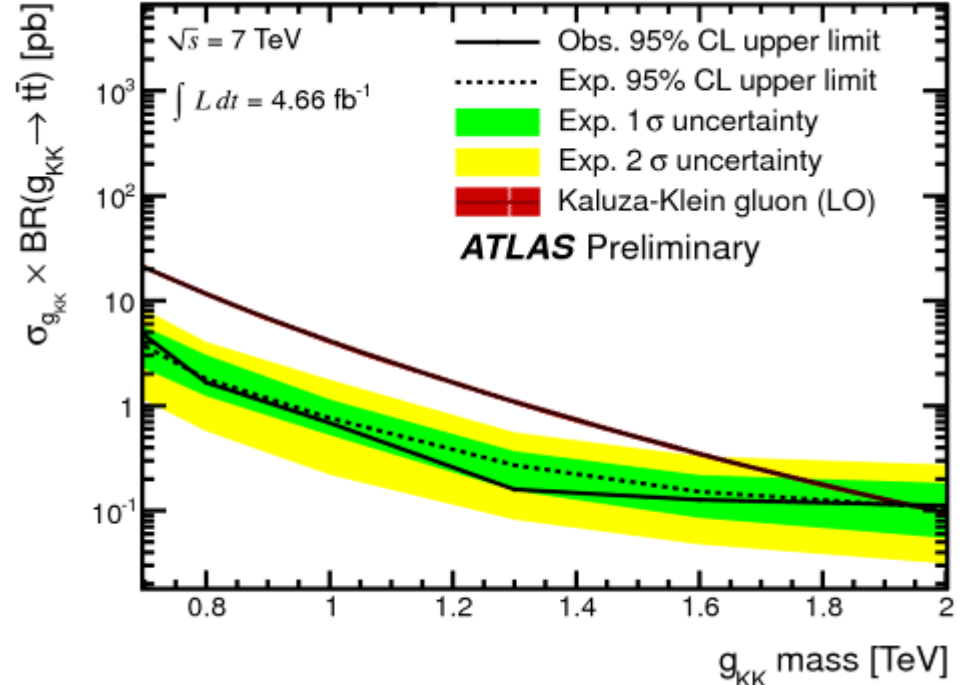
- $m_{t\bar{t}}$ -resolved + boosted in  $e$ +jets and  $\mu$ +jets



# Heavy Resonances Search: Ttbar



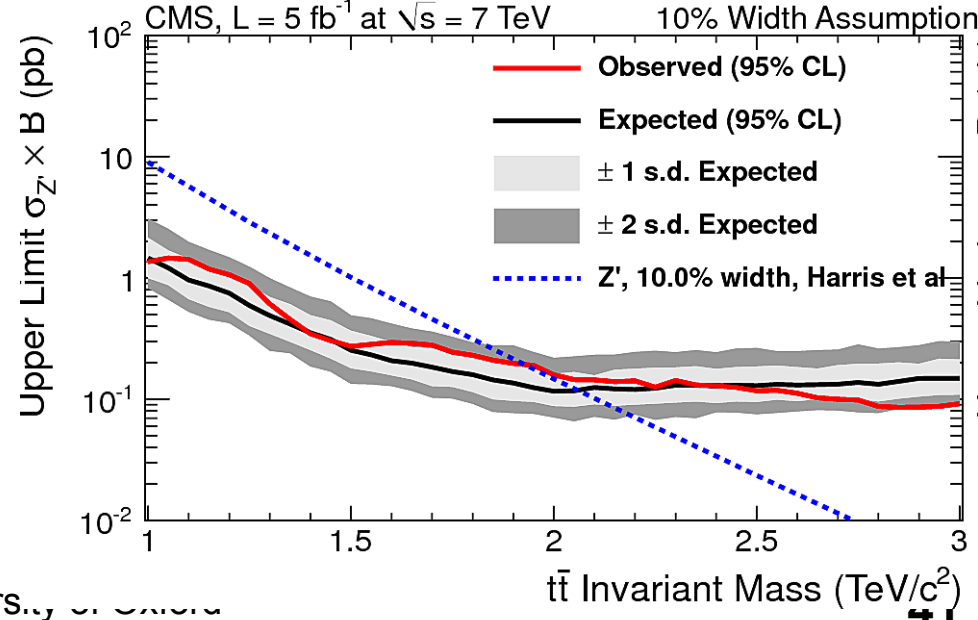
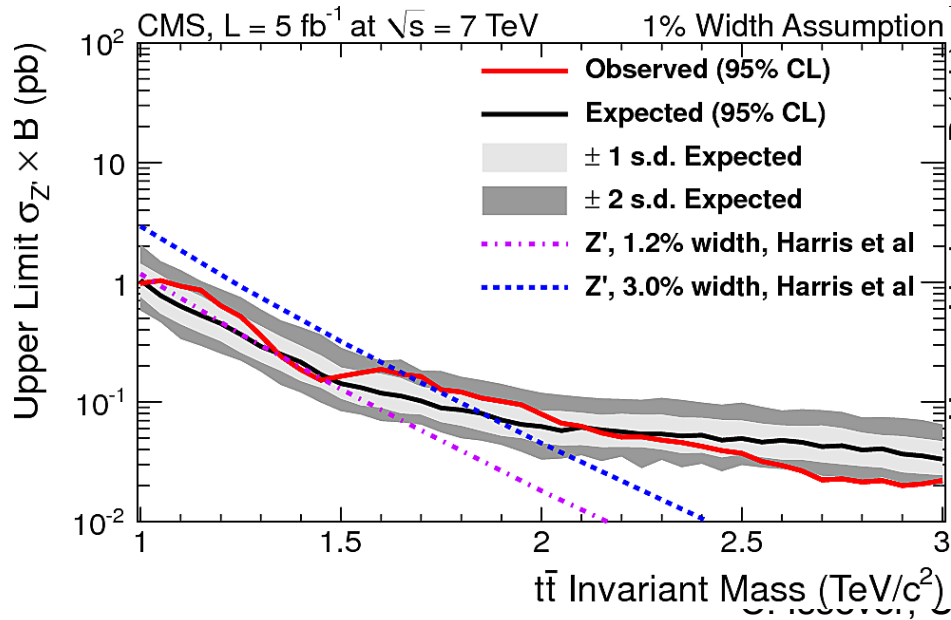
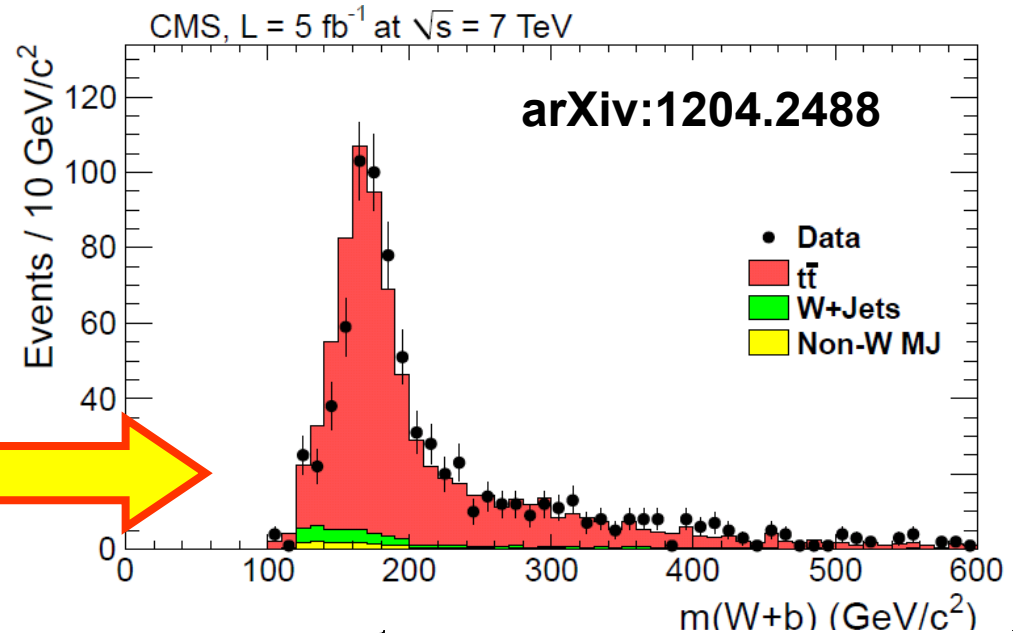
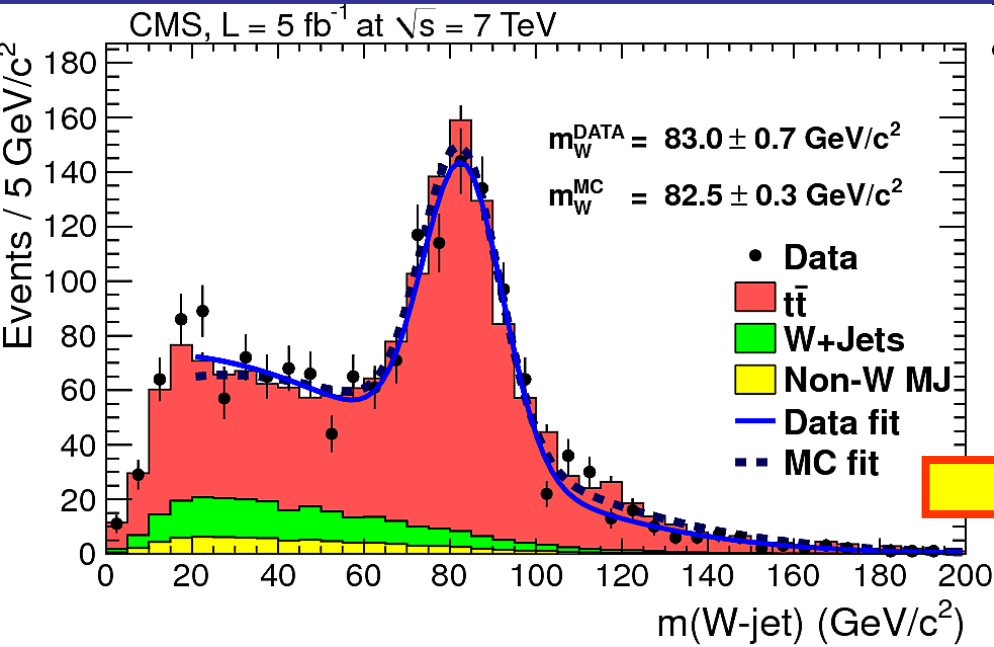
$m(Z') > 1.7 \text{ TeV @95% CL}$   
 $\Gamma/m(Z') = 1.2\%$



$m(g_{KK}) > 1.9 \text{ TeV @95% CL}$   
 $\Gamma/m(g_{KK}) = 15\%$



# Heavy Resonance Search: $t\bar{t}$ hadronic channel



# 4th Generation and Heavy Quarks

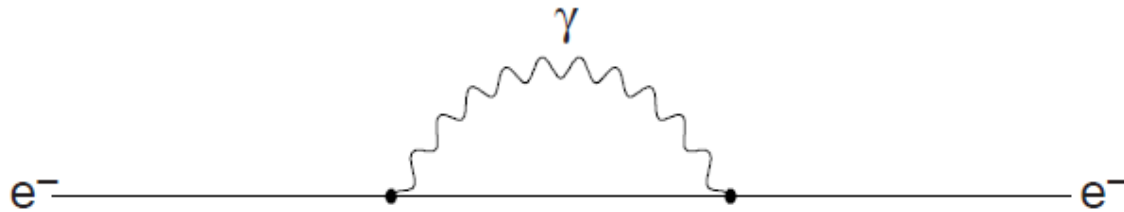
Quarks	u	c	t	t'
	d	s	b	b'
Leptons	$\nu_e$	$\nu_\mu$	$\nu_\tau$	$\nu'$
	e	$\mu$	$\tau$	$\tau'$
	I	II	III	IV

# Fine-Tuning Problem in Electromagnetism

$$(m_e c^2)_{\text{observed}} = (m_e c^2)_{\text{bare}} + \Delta E_{\text{Coulomb}}$$

Coulomb  
self-energy

$$\Delta E_{\text{Coulomb}} = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{e^2}{r_e}$$



$$r_e \lesssim 10^{-17} \text{ cm} \implies \Delta E \gtrsim 10 \text{ GeV}$$

$$0.511 = -9999.489 + 10000.000 \text{ MeV}$$

Fine tuning!

# Fine-Tuning Problem in Electromagnetism

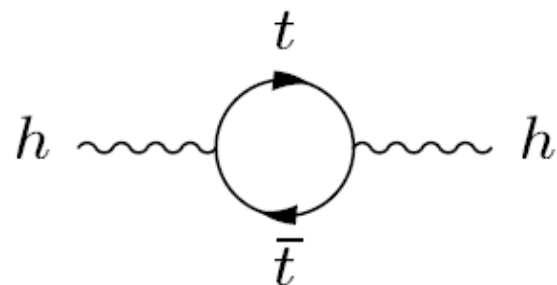
- Picture not complete:
  - Positron cancels  $1/r_e$  term
  - New symmetry:
    - particle/anti-particle

$$(m_e c^2)_{\text{observed}} = (m_e c^2)_{\text{bare}} \left[ 1 + \frac{3\alpha}{4\pi} \log \frac{\hbar}{m_e c r_e} \right]$$

- Correction to bare mass becomes small

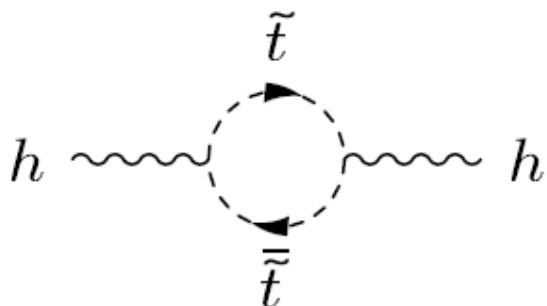
# Supersymmetry

- Same problem with Higgs



$$\Delta\mu_{\text{top}}^2 = -6 \frac{h_t^2}{4\pi^2} \frac{1}{r_H^2} \sim (100 \text{ GeV})^2$$

125 GeV = (huge number)-(huge number) even more fine tuned!



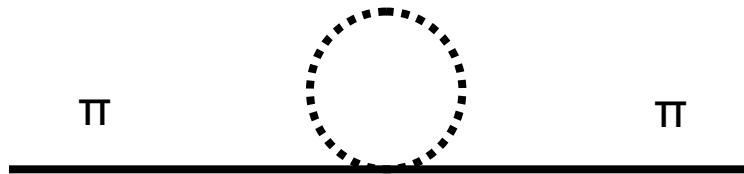
Add new particles (spin symmetry): SUSY

$$\Delta\mu_{\text{stop}}^2 + \Delta\mu_{\text{top}}^2 = -6 \frac{h_t^2}{4\pi^2} (m_{\tilde{t}}^2 - m_t^2) \log \frac{1}{r_H^2 m_{\tilde{t}}^2}$$

# Composite Higgs

- But there is another way....look at QCD

Pion mass is not divergent.

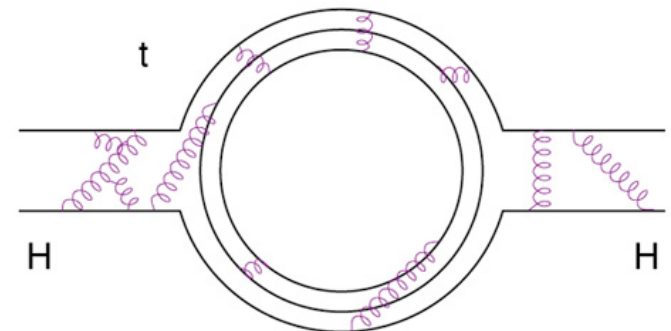


Why?

**It is a composite particle!**

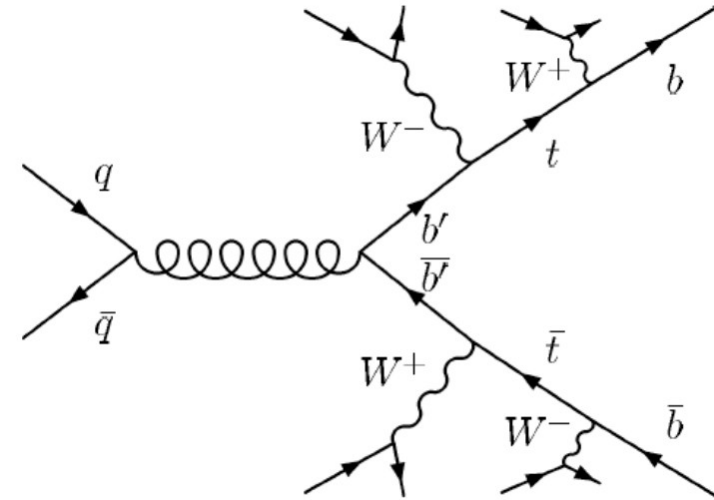
- **Assume Higgs is a composite particle**

- Changes couplings
- Introduces new partners to top quarks
- Vector-like quarks...
- Solves fine-tuning problem....



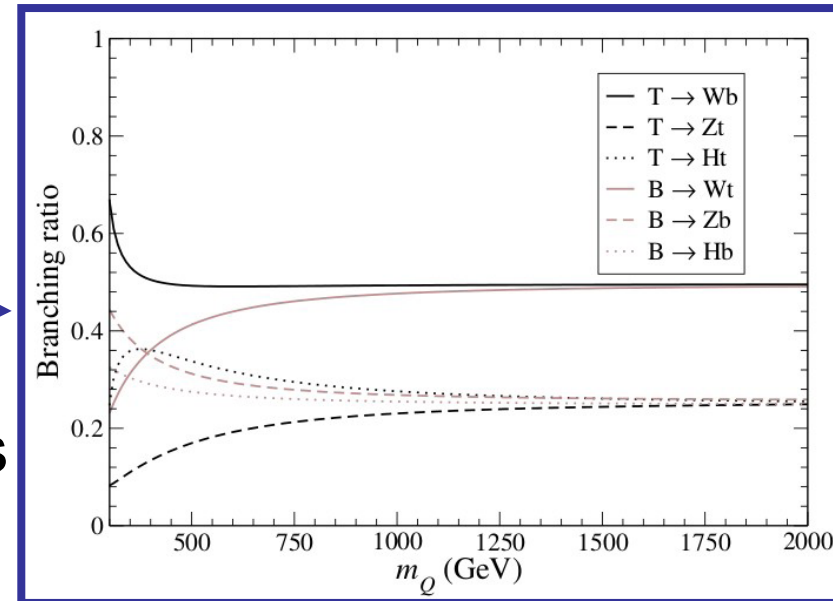
# 4th Generation and Heavy Quarks

- 4th generation would significantly enhance Higgs production cross section
  - (almost) excluded by observed Higgs cross-section
  - $t't' \rightarrow WbWb$  (100%): just like  $t$ - $t$ bar but heavier
  - $b'b' \rightarrow WtWt$  (100%): just like  $t$ tbar but messier



- Beyond 4th generation: **Vector-Like Quarks** in Composite Higgs theories

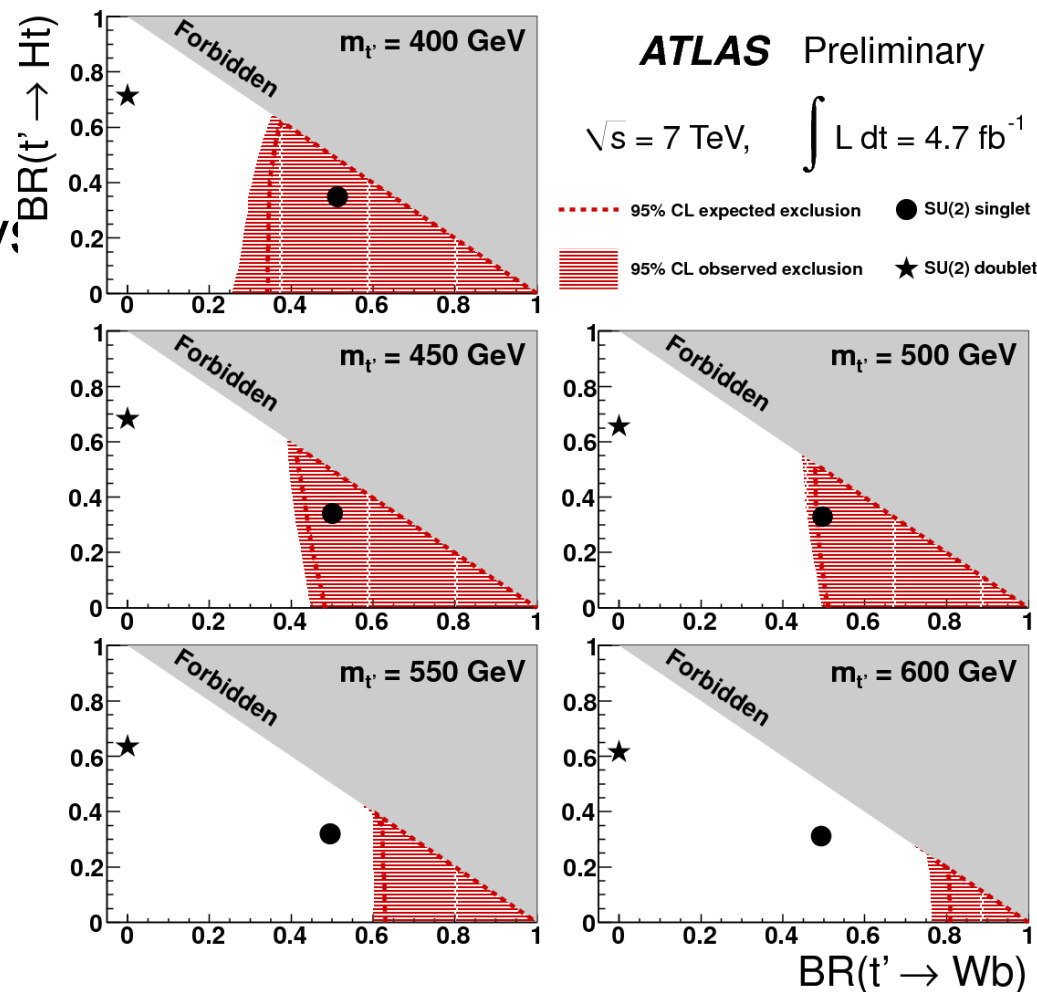
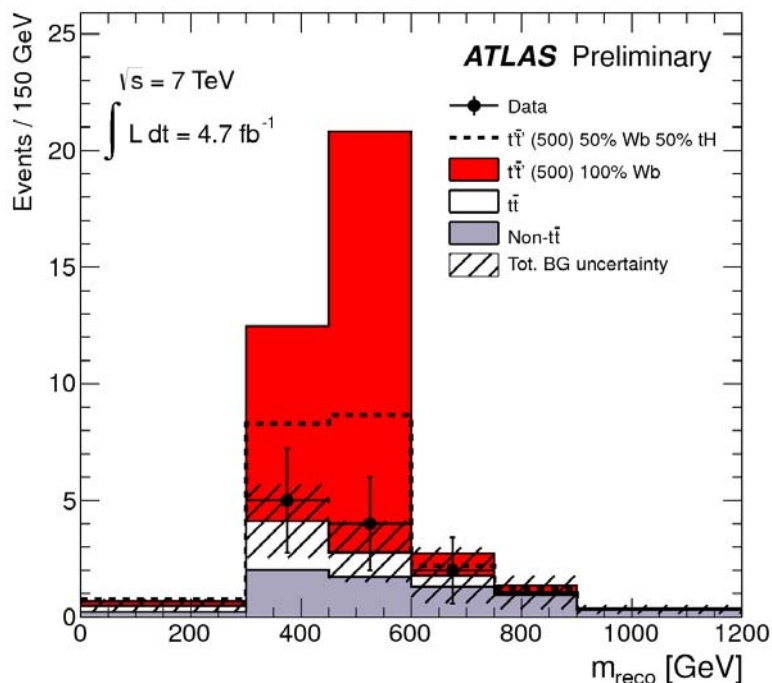
- More diverse phenomenology
  - $T'$ : Decays to  $Wb$ ,  $Zt$ ,  $Ht$
  - $B'$ : Decays to  $Wt$ ,  $Zb$ ,  $Hb$
- Loose constraints on CKM4  $\rightarrow$  decays to light quarks possible!



# Search for Heavy Quarks

- Up-type heavy quark:  $t't' \rightarrow WbWb$
- $l + ME_T + 4$  jets ( $l=e,\mu$ ) + b-tagging
- Reconstruct boosted had.  $W$  decay:

$m(t') > 656 \text{ GeV}$  at 95% CL (exp. 638 GeV)



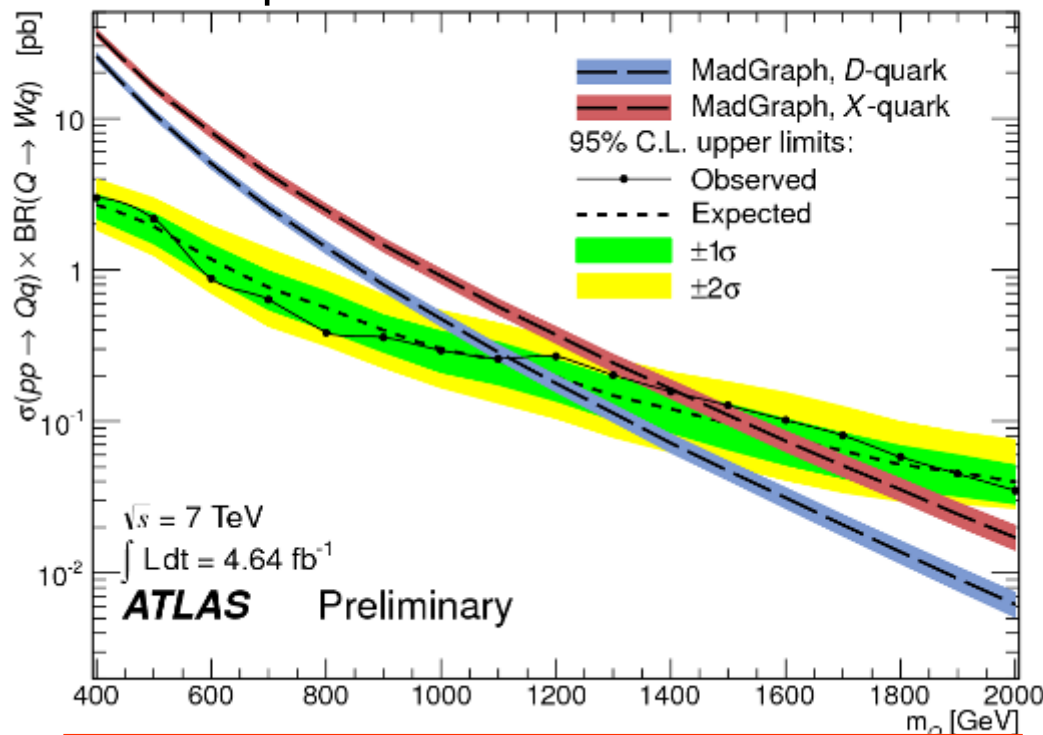
**Vector-Like Quark interpretation: setting limits on branching ratios to  $Wb$ ,  $tH$ ,  $tZ$**



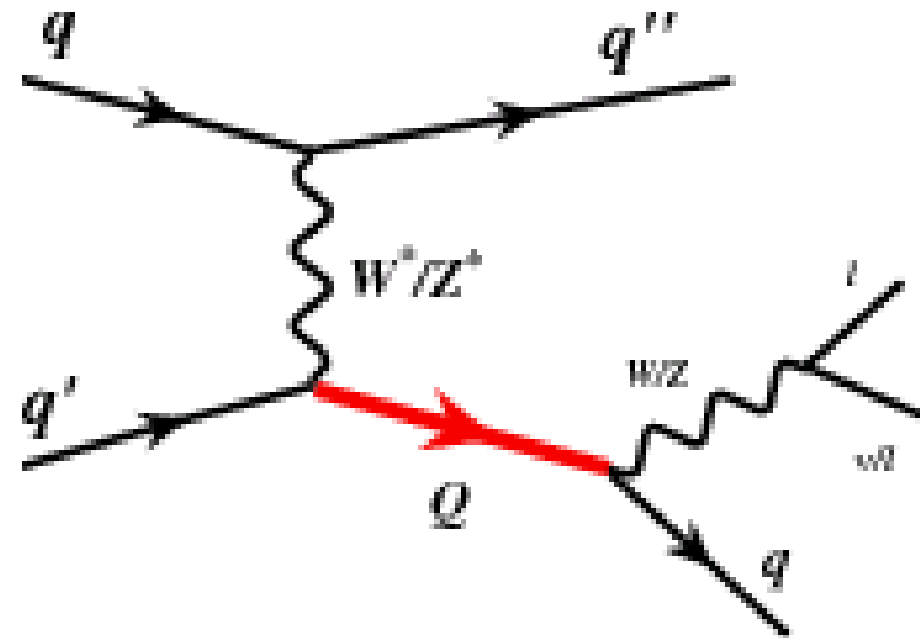
# Vector-like Quarks Coupling to Light Generations

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- Mixing to first generations is not excluded
- Benchmark model: degenerate VLQ doublets ( $U^{2/3}$ ,  $Y^{2/3}$ ,  $D^{-1/3}$ ,  $X^{5/3}$ )
- Single Production
- e and  $\mu$  channel

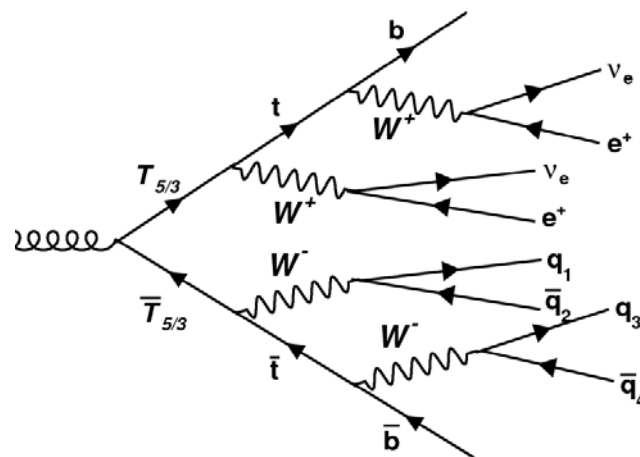
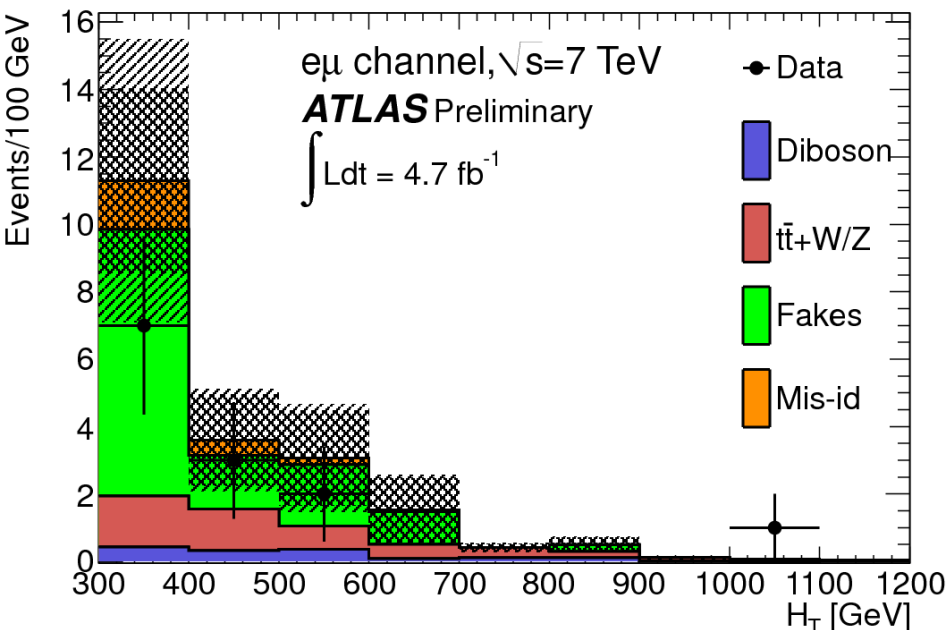


$m(D^{-1/3}) > 1120 \text{ GeV}$ ,  $m(X^{5/3}) > 1420 \text{ GeV}$ ,  
 $m(U^{2/3}) > 1080 \text{ GeV}$  (not shown)



# Exotic Same-Sign Dilepton Signatures: $b'$ , $T_{5/3}$

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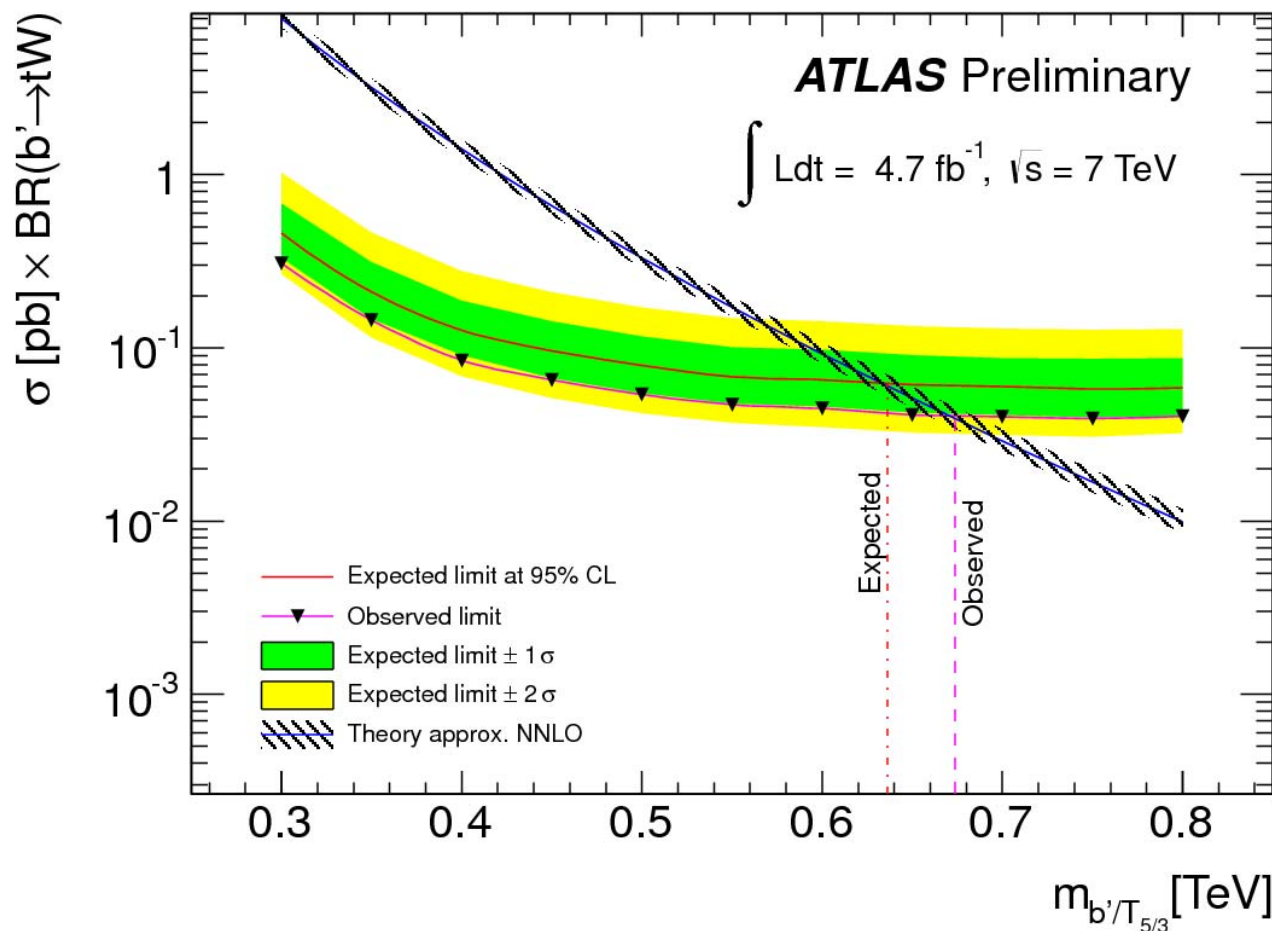


- 2 isolated same-sign leptons (e or  $\mu$ )
- $ME_T > 40$  GeV
- $\geq 2$  jets ( $\geq 1$  b-tagged jet)
- large overall transverse momentum
- $H_T > 550$  GeV

**4 events observed**  
**expected background of  $5.6 \pm 1.7$**

# Exotic Same-Sign Dilepton Signatures: $b'$ , $T_{5/3}$

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**$m(b'/T_{5/3}) > 0.67 (0.64) \text{ TeV}$   
at 95% confidence level, when produced in pairs**

# Inclusive Same-Sign Dilepton Search

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- Model independent approach
  - Limit presented in terms of fiducial cross-section limit

$$\sigma_{95}^{\text{fid}} = \frac{N_{95}}{\epsilon_{\text{fid}} \times \int \mathcal{L} dt}$$

95% CL upper limit on yield  
(given  $N_{\text{obs}}$  and  $N_{\text{bkg}}$ )

Reconstruction and Selection efficiency  
**Within acceptance**

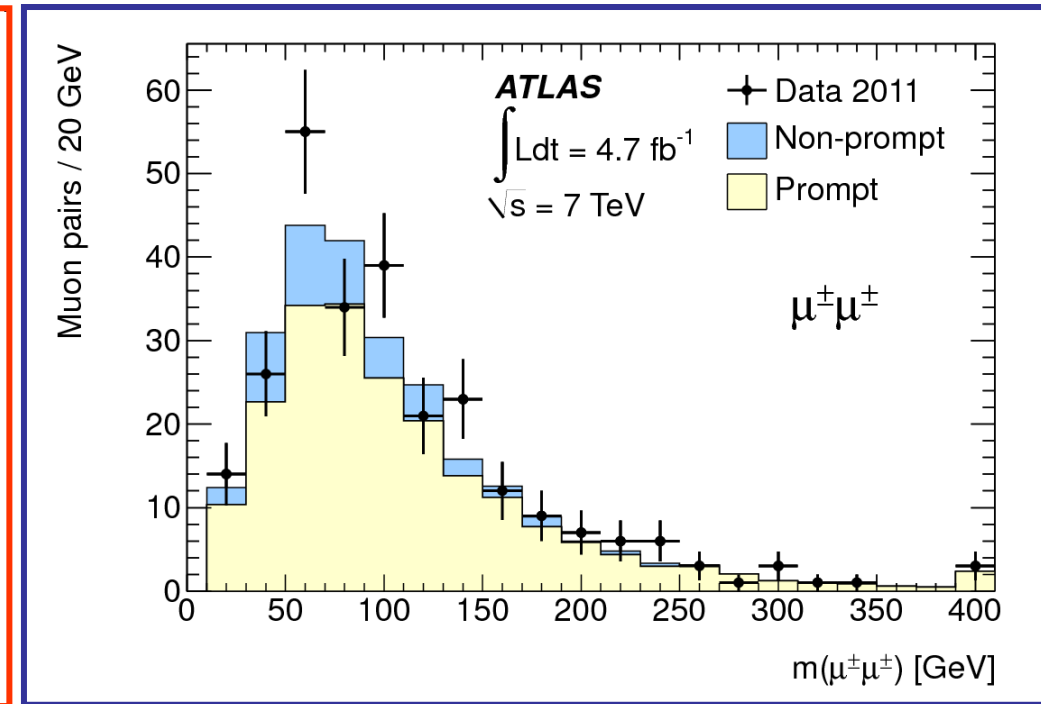
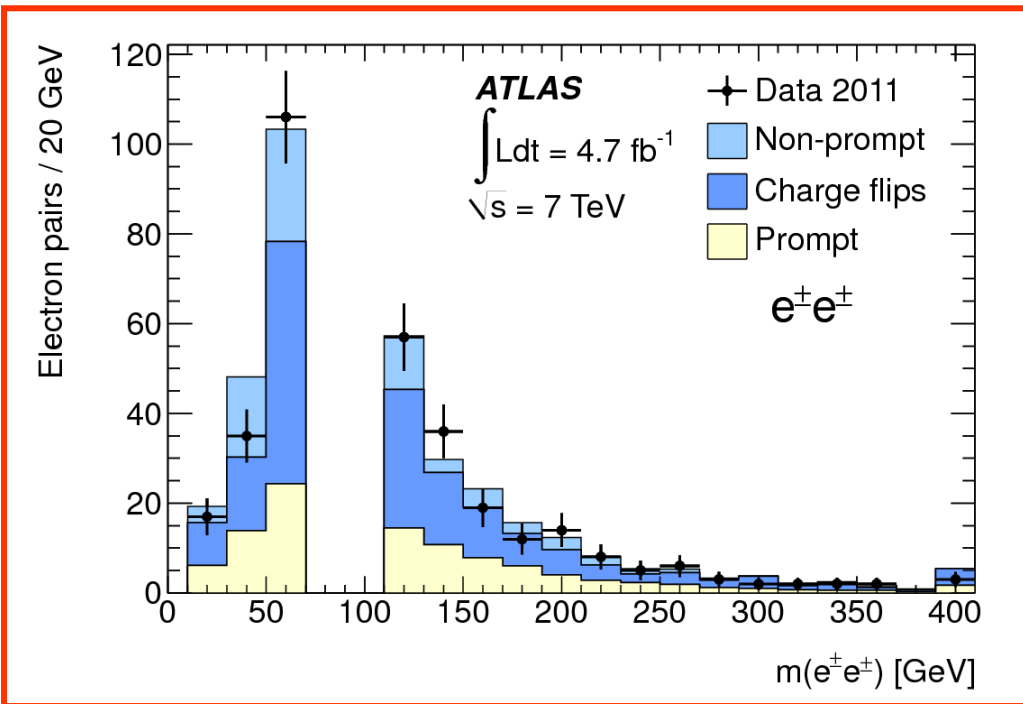
- $\sigma^{\text{fid}}$  is (almost) model-independent
- Can turn  $\sigma^{\text{fid}}$  into  $\sigma^{\text{total}}$  with generator-level information only
- Caveat: not exactly model-independent → must be conservative

	Electron requirement	Muon requirement
Leading lepton $p_T$	$p_T > 25 \text{ GeV}$	$p_T > 20 \text{ GeV}$
Sub-leading lepton $p_T$	$p_T > 20 \text{ GeV}$	$p_T > 20 \text{ GeV}$
Lepton $\eta$	$ \eta  < 1.37$ or $1.52 <  \eta  < 2.47$	$ \eta  < 2.5$
Isolation	$p_T^{\text{cone}0.3}/p_T < 0.1$	$p_T^{\text{cone}0.4}/p_T < 0.06$ and $p_T^{\text{cone}0.4} < 4 \text{ GeV} + 0.02 \times p_T$

Particle-level definition  
of acceptance

# Inclusive Same-Sign Dilepton Search

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- 95% upper limits

- 1.7 fb and 64 fb

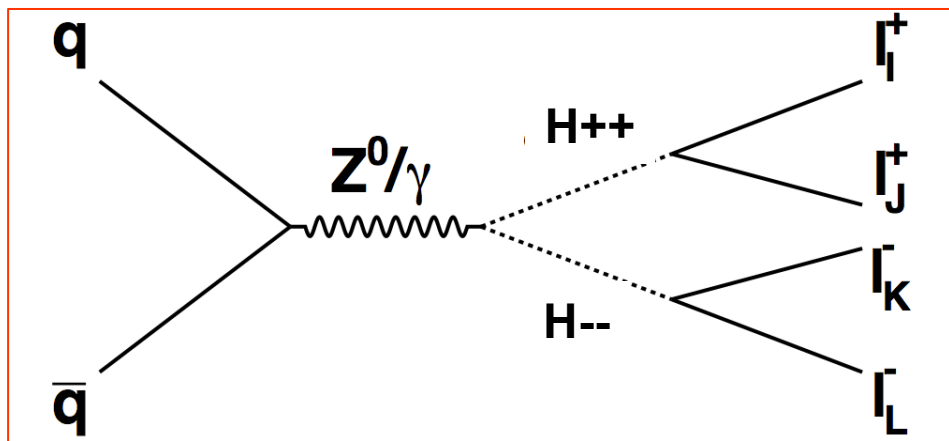
Fiducial cross section upper limits

Mass	ee		eμ		μμ	
	exp	obs	exp	obs	exp	obs
	95% C.L. upper limit [fb]					
Mass range	expected   observed $e^\pm e^\pm$		expected   observed $e^\pm \mu^\pm$		expected   observed $\mu^\pm \mu^\pm$	
$m > 15$ GeV	$46_{-12}^{+15}$	42	$56_{-15}^{+23}$	64	$24.0_{-6.0}^{+8.9}$	29.8
$m > 100$ GeV	$24.1_{-6.2}^{+8.9}$	23.4	$23.0_{-6.7}^{+9.1}$	31.2	$12.2_{-3.0}^{+4.5}$	15.0
$m > 200$ GeV	$8.8_{-2.1}^{+3.4}$	7.5	$8.4_{-1.7}^{+3.4}$	9.8	$4.3_{-1.1}^{+1.8}$	6.7
$m > 300$ GeV	$4.5_{-1.3}^{+1.8}$	3.9	$4.1_{-0.9}^{+1.8}$	4.6	$2.4_{-0.7}^{+0.9}$	2.6
$m > 400$ GeV	$2.9_{-0.8}^{+1.1}$	2.4	$3.0_{-0.8}^{+1.0}$	3.1	$1.7_{-0.5}^{+0.6}$	1.7
	$e^+e^+$		$e^+\mu^+$		$\mu^+\mu^+$	
$m > 15$ GeV	$29.1_{-8.6}^{+10.2}$	22.8	$34.9_{-8.6}^{+12.2}$	34.1	$15.0_{-3.3}^{+6.1}$	15.2
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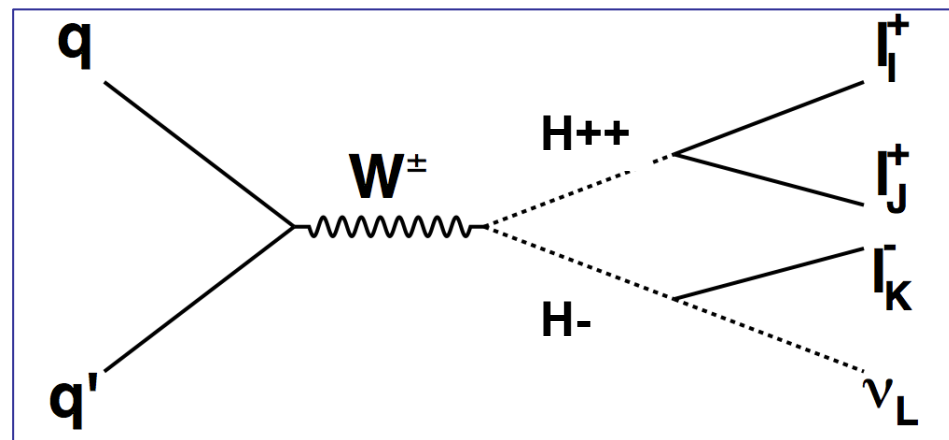
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# Inclusive Same-Sign Dilepton Search: $H^{++/--}$ Limits

- Models explaining non-zero neutrino masses predict  $H^{++/--}$ 
  - e.g. minimal type II seesaw model
    - additional scalar field
    - triplet (under  $SU(2)_L$  with  $Y=2$ ):  $H^{++/--}, H^{+/-}, H^0$



pair production



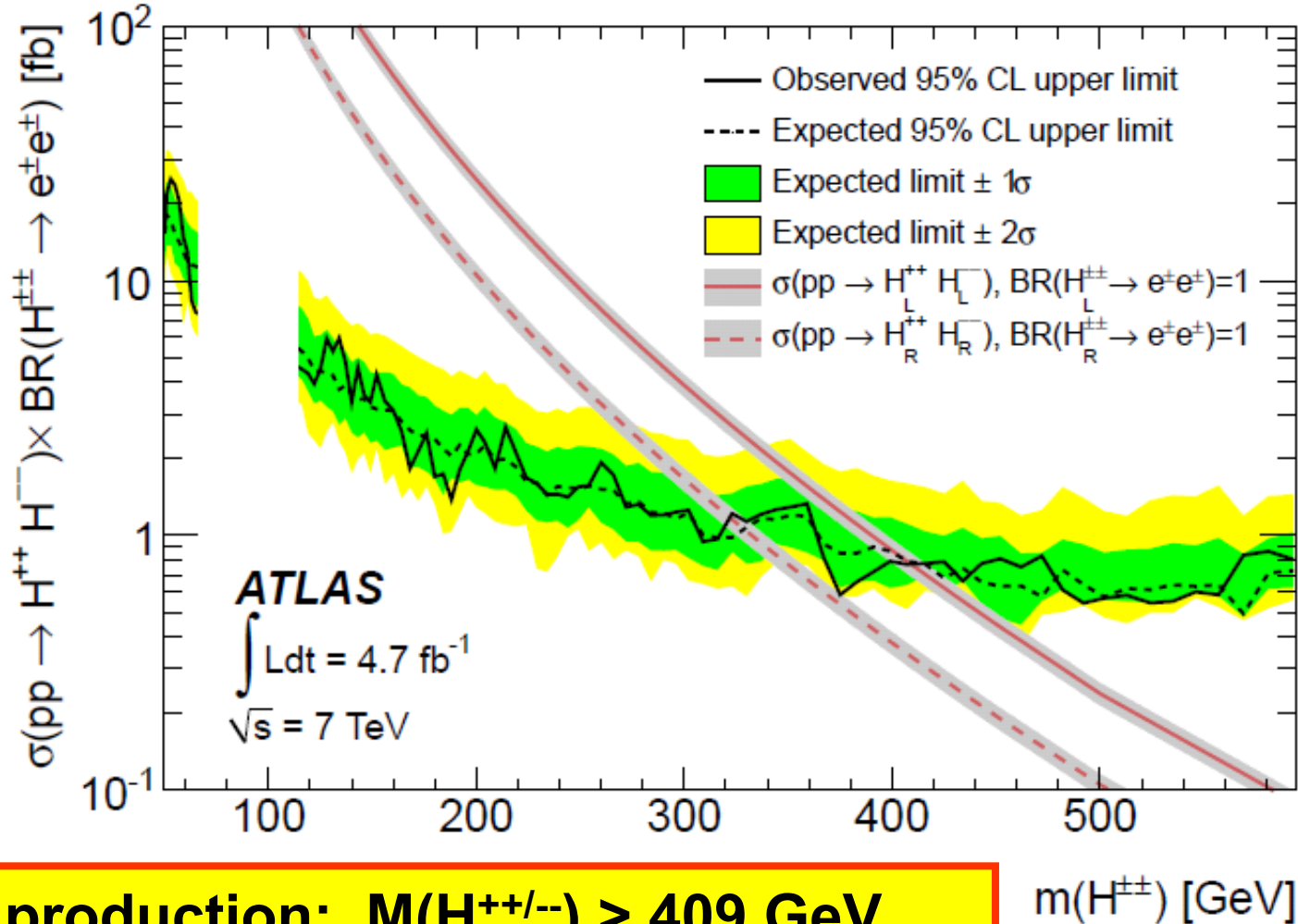
associate production

**Signature: same-sign leptons**

# Doubly Charged Higgs Limits

[arXiv:1210.5070](https://arxiv.org/abs/1210.5070)

- Used e.g. limits on doubly charged Higgs





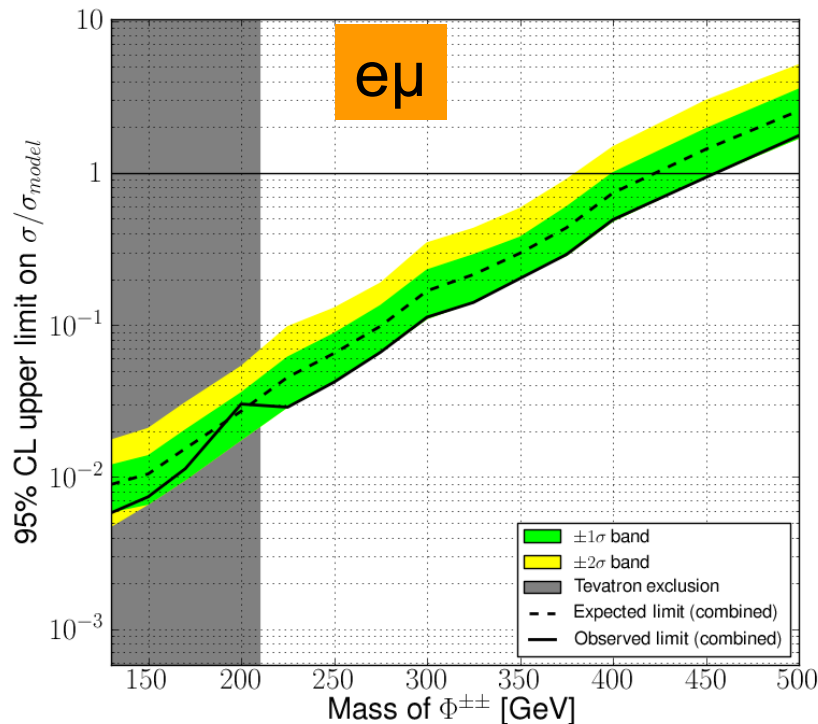
# Doubly Charged Higgs Limits

- Example of more optimized search
- Includes also  $\tau$ -channel and associate production.

arXiv:1207.2666

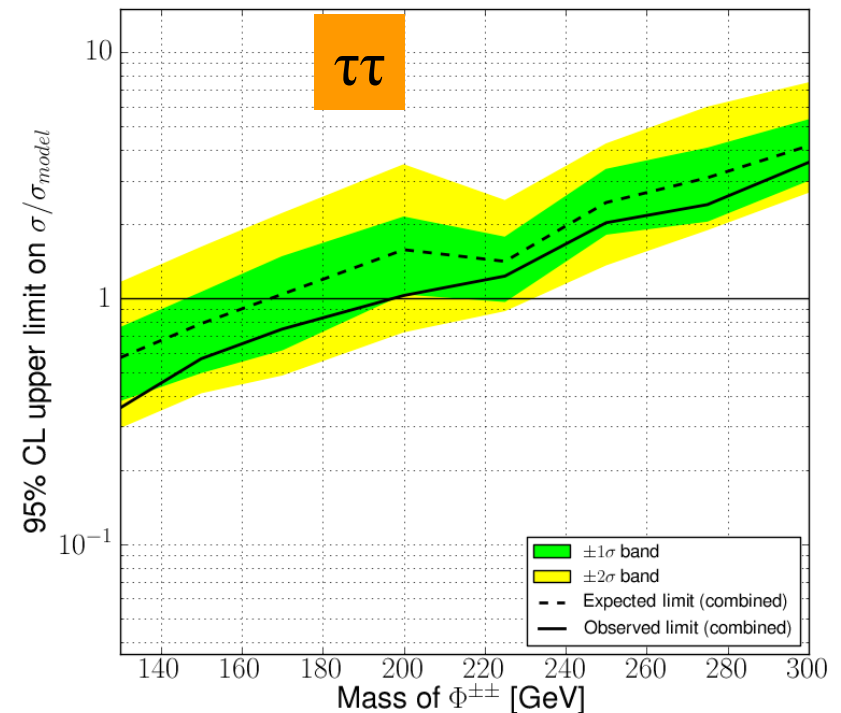
$$\text{BR}(\Phi^{\pm\pm} \rightarrow e^{\pm}\mu^{\pm}) = 100\%$$

CMS Preliminary  $\sqrt{s} = 7 \text{ TeV}$ ,  $\int \mathcal{L} = 4.6 \text{ fb}^{-1}$



$$\text{BR}(\Phi^{\pm\pm} \rightarrow \tau^{\pm}\tau^{\pm}) = 100\%$$

CMS Preliminary  $\sqrt{s} = 7 \text{ TeV}$ ,  $\int \mathcal{L} = 4.6 \text{ fb}^{-1}$

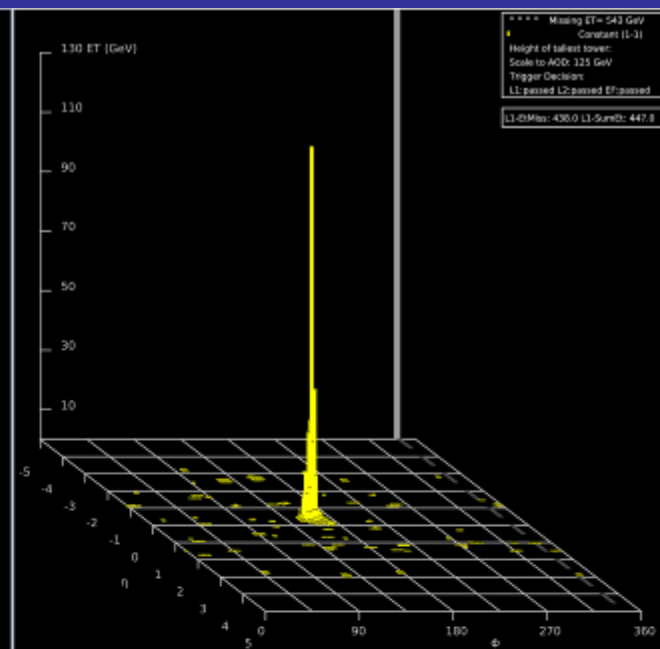
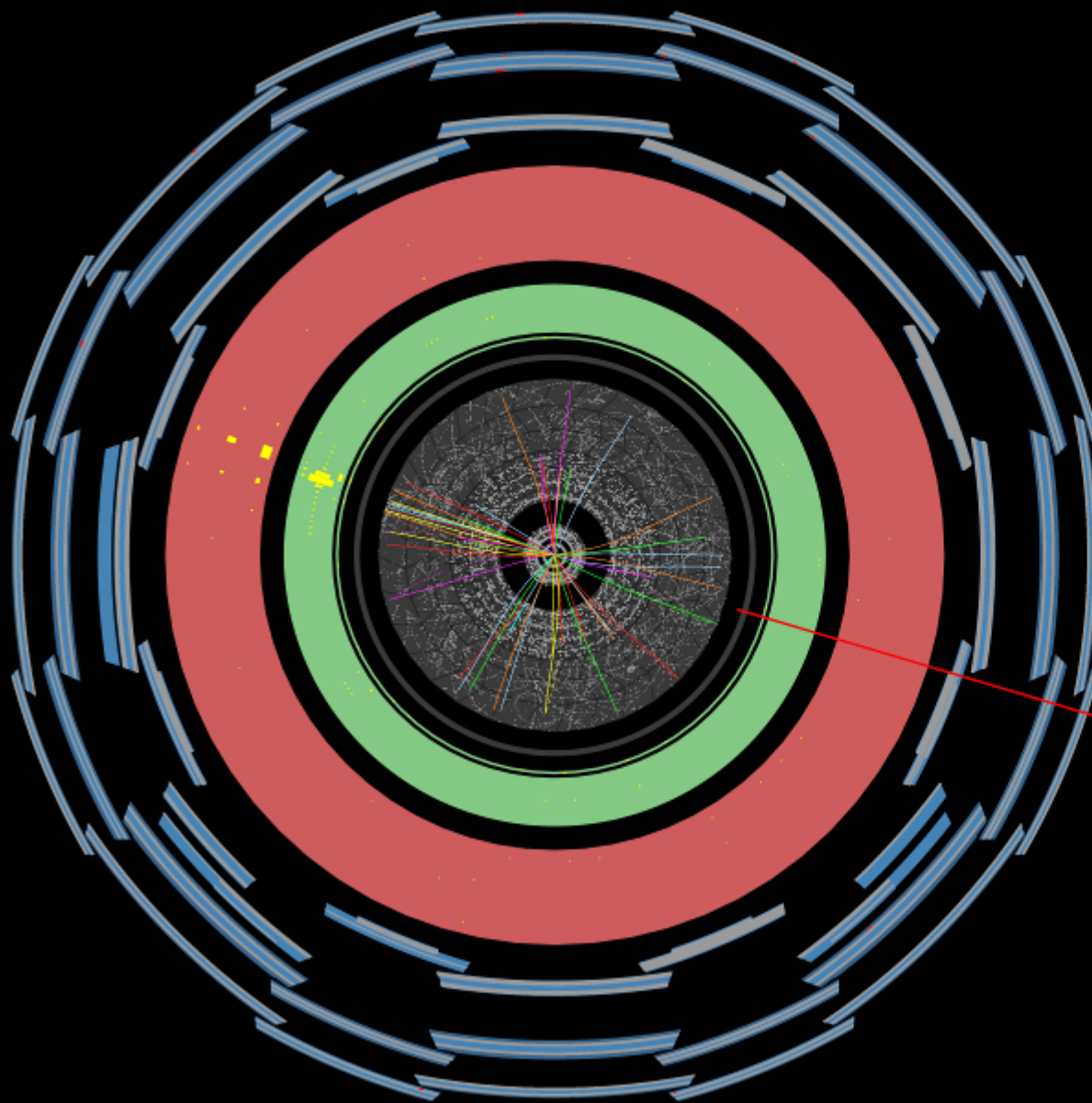


**Combined  $e\mu$ :  $M(H^{++/-}) > 455 \text{ GeV}$**

**Combined  $\tau\tau$ :  $M(H^{++/-}) > 198 \text{ GeV}$**

Poster: M. Kadastik, L. Rebane

# Mono Jet Event Display



**ATLAS**  
**EXPERIMENT**

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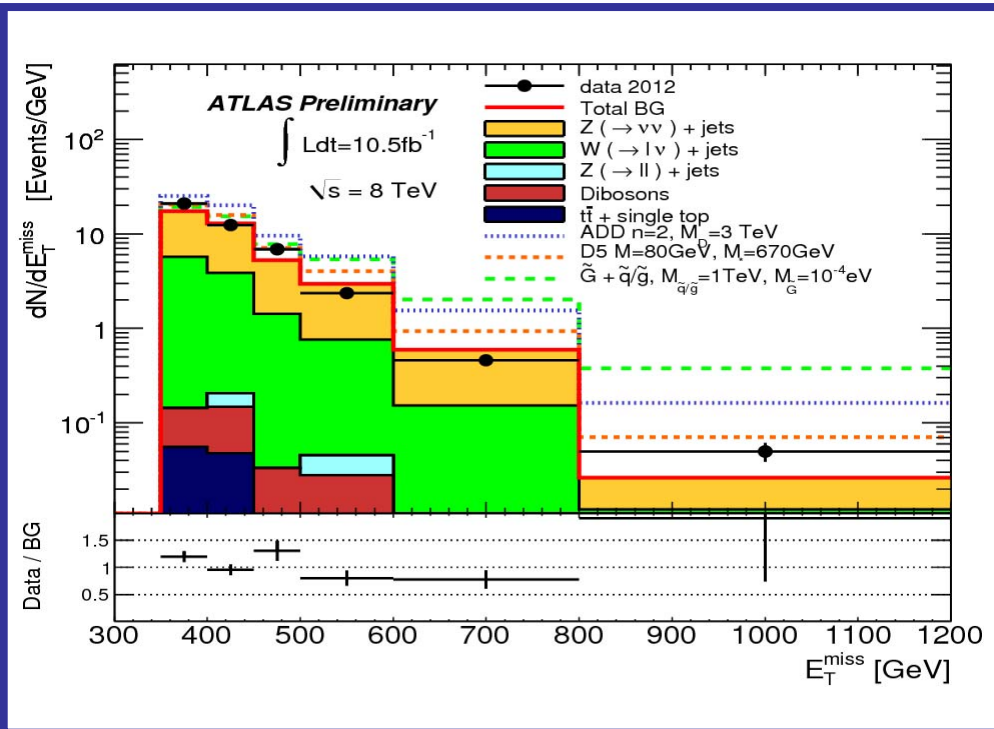
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# Search for Dark Matter and Extra Dimensions

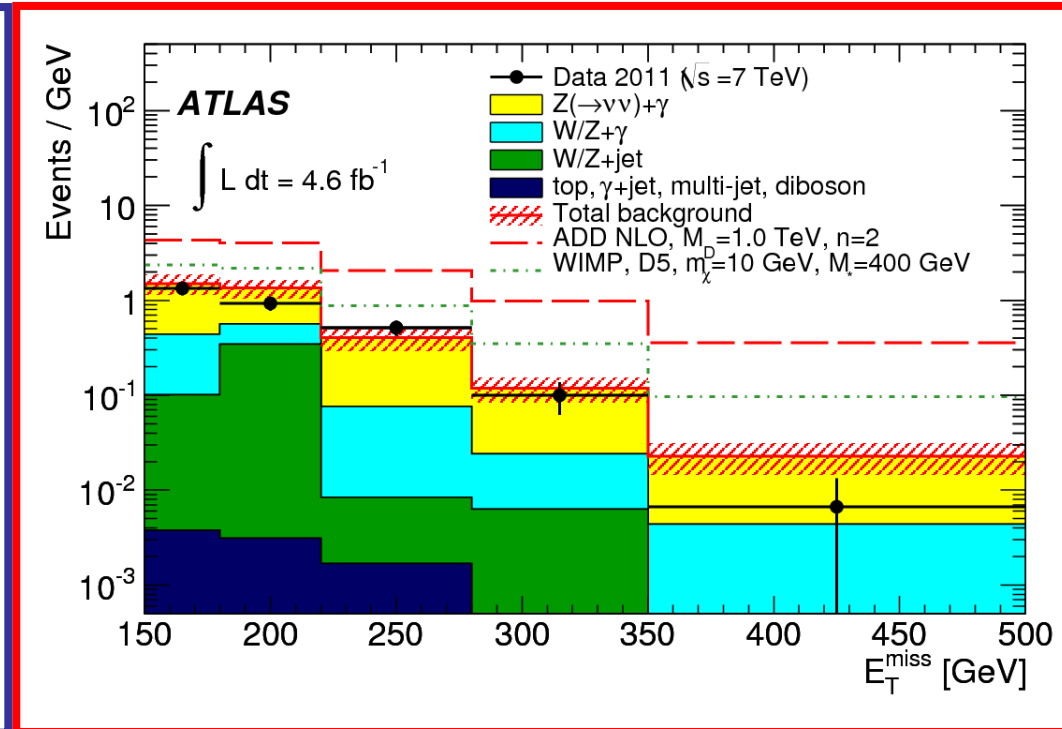
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## Mono jet



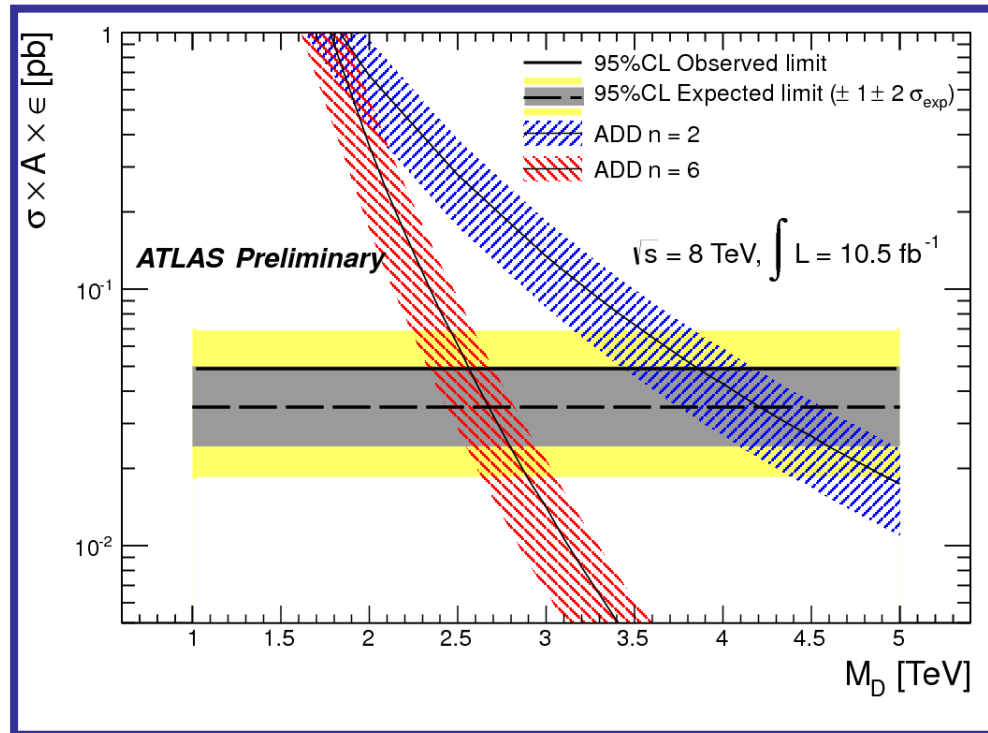
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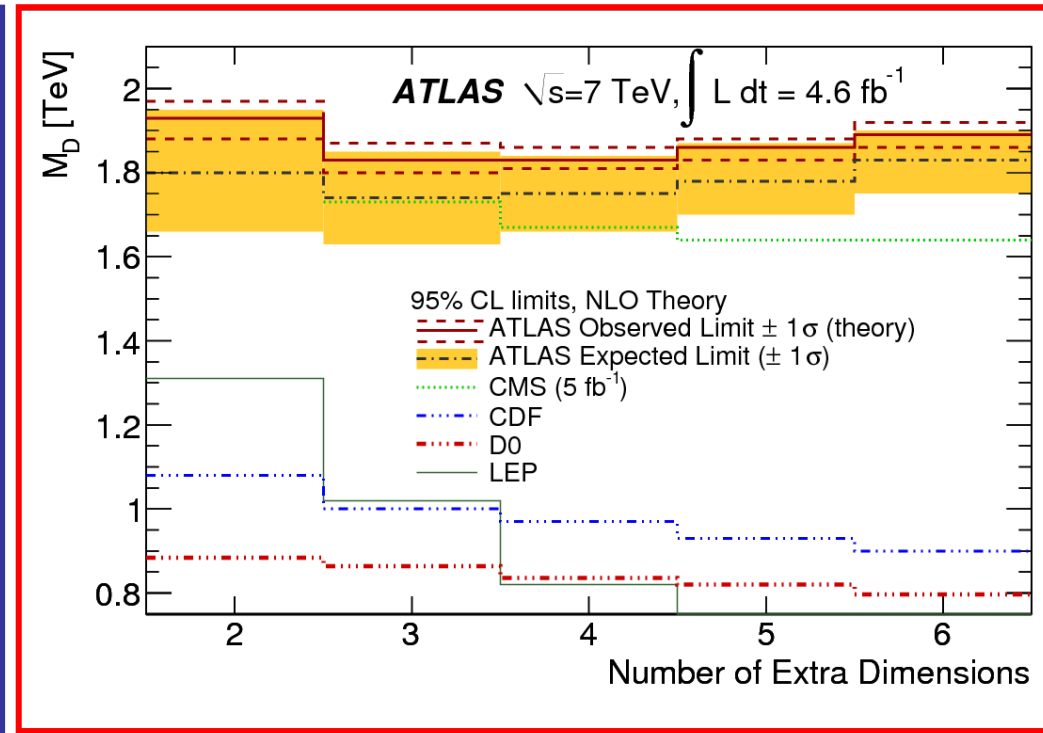
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# Mono jet & Mono Photon Limits on Extra Dimensions

## Mono jet



## Mono photon



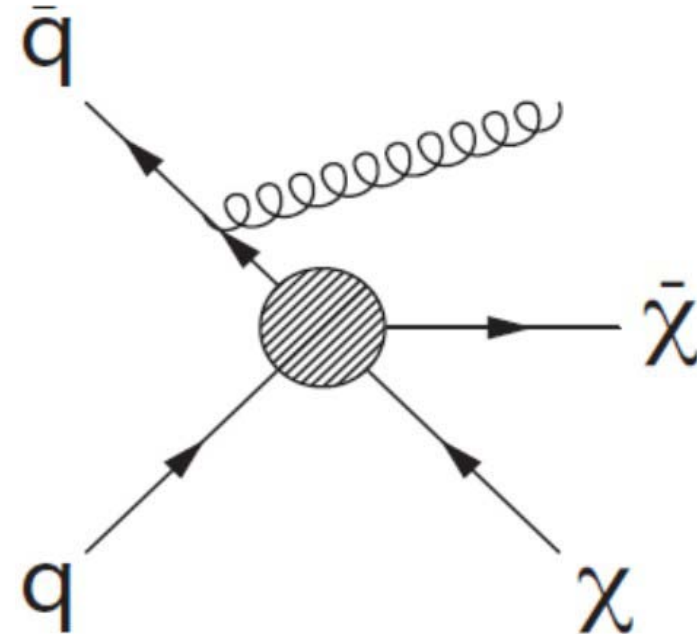
# Limits on Dark Matter (DM)

$$pp \rightarrow \chi\chi + X$$

- Effective theory with only 2 parameters
  - $M^*$ : characterize **interaction strength** of the interactions with SM particles
  - $m_\chi$ : mass of dark matter candidate

## Effective interactions coupling DM to SM quarks or gluons

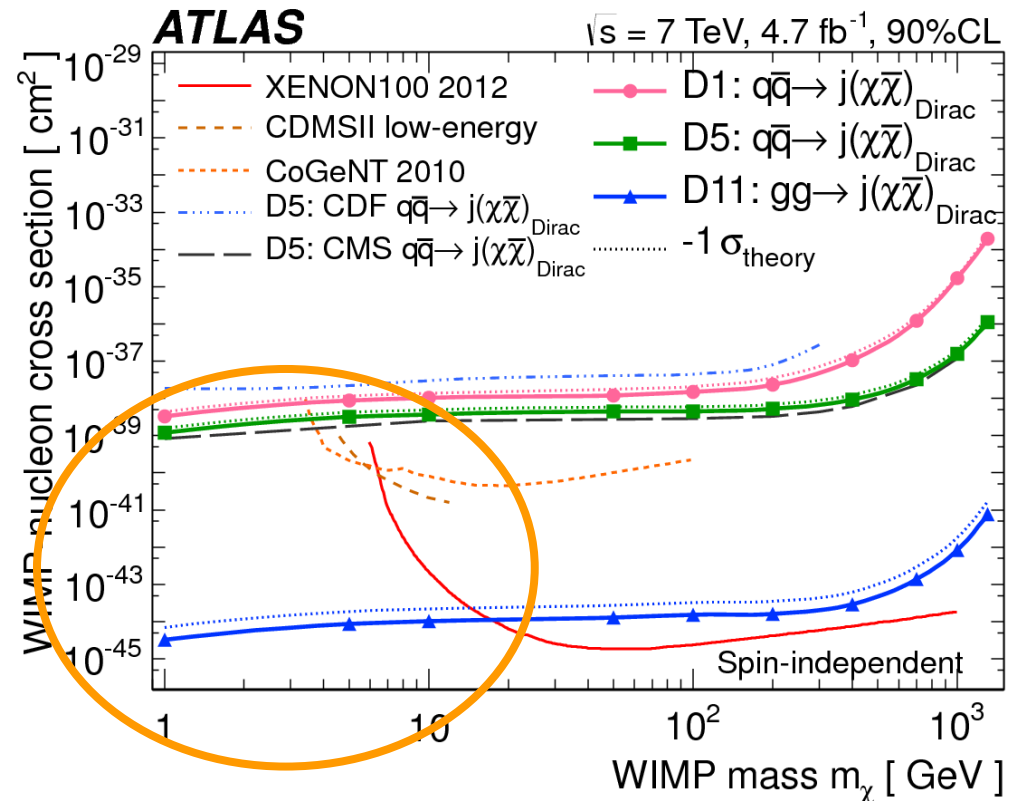
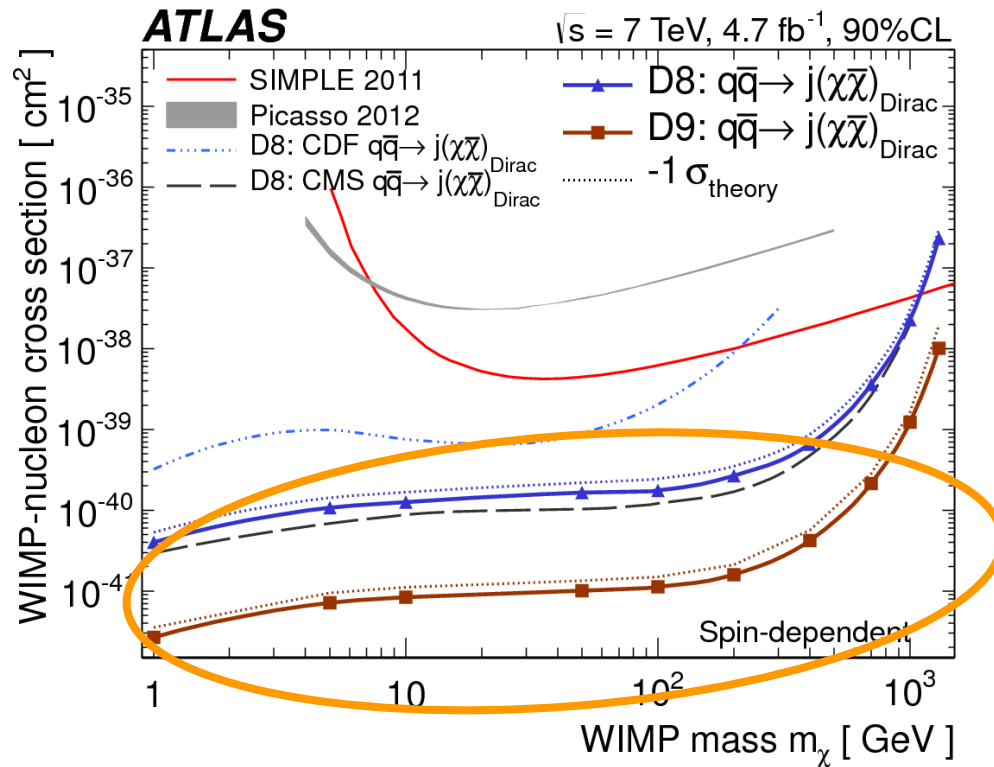
Name	Initial state	Type	Operator
D1	$q\bar{q}$	scalar	$\frac{m_q}{M_*^3} \bar{\chi}\chi \bar{q}q$
D5	$q\bar{q}$	vector	$\frac{1}{M_*^2} \bar{\chi}\gamma^\mu \chi \bar{q}\gamma_\mu q$
D8	$q\bar{q}$	axial-vector	$\frac{1}{M_*^2} \bar{\chi}\gamma^\mu \gamma^5 \chi \bar{q}\gamma_\mu \gamma^5 q$
D9	$q\bar{q}$	tensor	$\frac{1}{M_*^2} \bar{\chi}\sigma^{\mu\nu} \chi \bar{q}\sigma_{\mu\nu} q$
D11	$gg$	scalar	$\frac{1}{4M_*^3} \bar{\chi}\chi \alpha_s (G_{\mu\nu}^a)^2$



- Pair production of DM:
  - Events with  $ME_T$ , recoiling against additional hadronic radiation

# DM-nucleon scattering cross sections

## Mono jet analysis

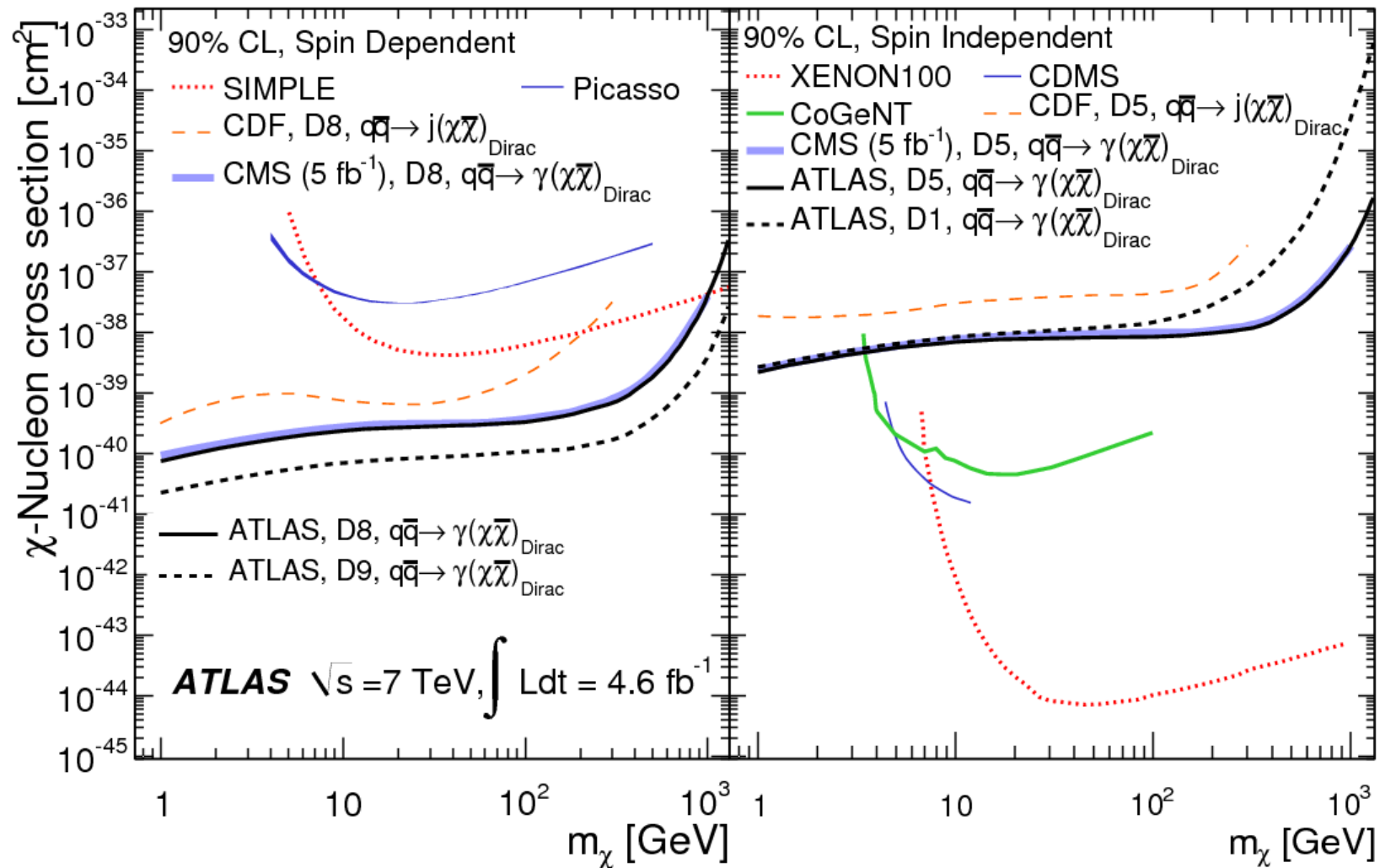


limits competitive with than limits by direct and indirect experiments

# DM-nucleon scattering cross sections

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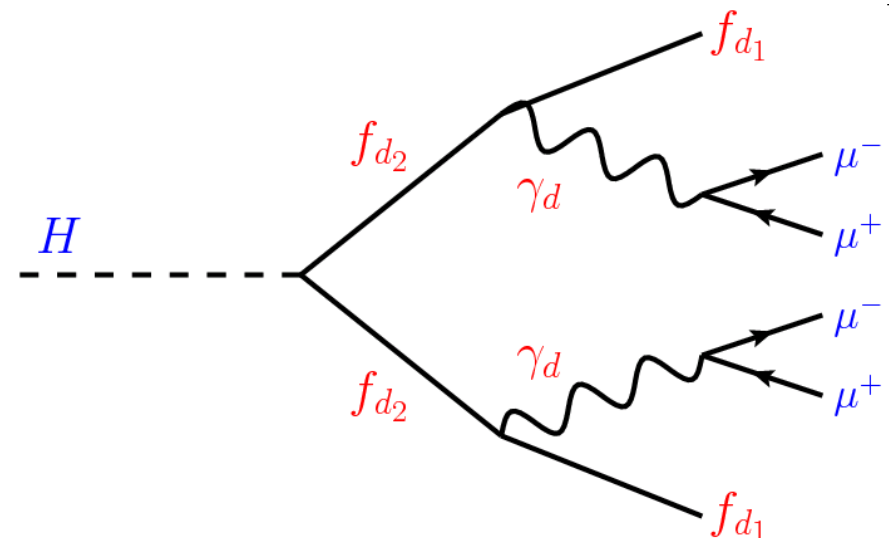
## Mono photon analysis



# Displaced Muonic Lepton Jets from Light Higgs

- Search for long-lived neutral particles
- Limits on
  - $H \rightarrow$  hidden-sector neutral long-lived particles
  - Focus on 100 GeV to 140 GeV mass range
    - Derive constraints on additional Higgs-like bosons
    - placing bounds on BR of discovered 126 GeV resonance into a hidden sector
- Relevant for other distinct models
  - heavier Higgs boson doublets,
  - singlet scalars
  - $Z'$  that decay to a hidden sector

[arXiv:1210.0435](https://arxiv.org/abs/1210.0435)



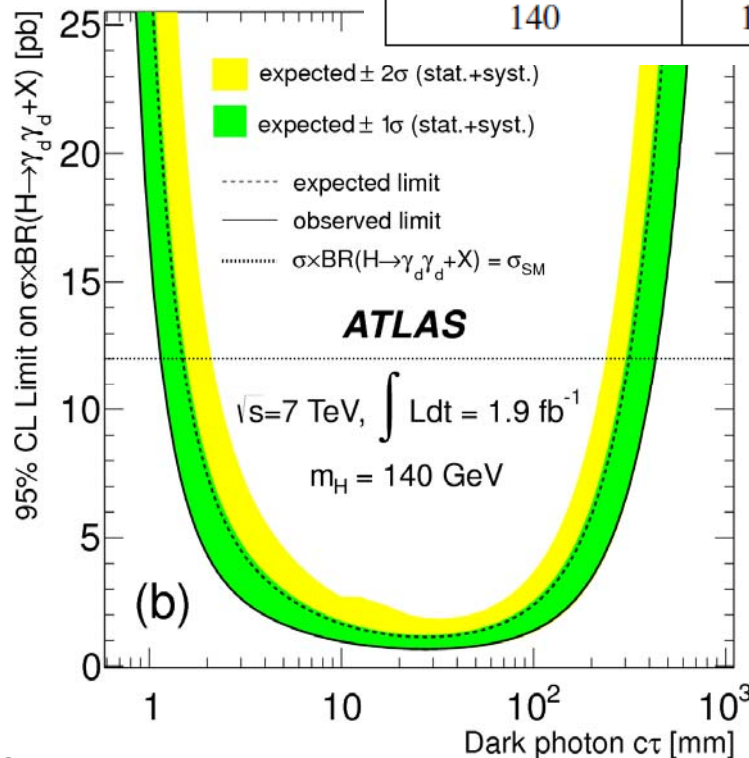
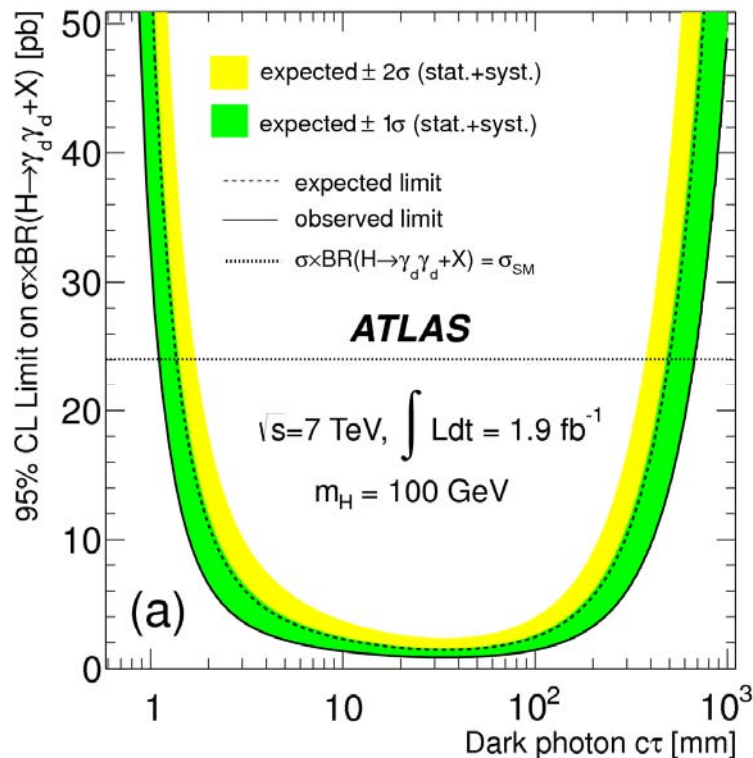


# Displaced Muonic Lepton Jets from Light Higgs

- Neutral particles
  - with large decay lengths
  - with collimated final states
  - challenge for the trigger and for the reconstruction

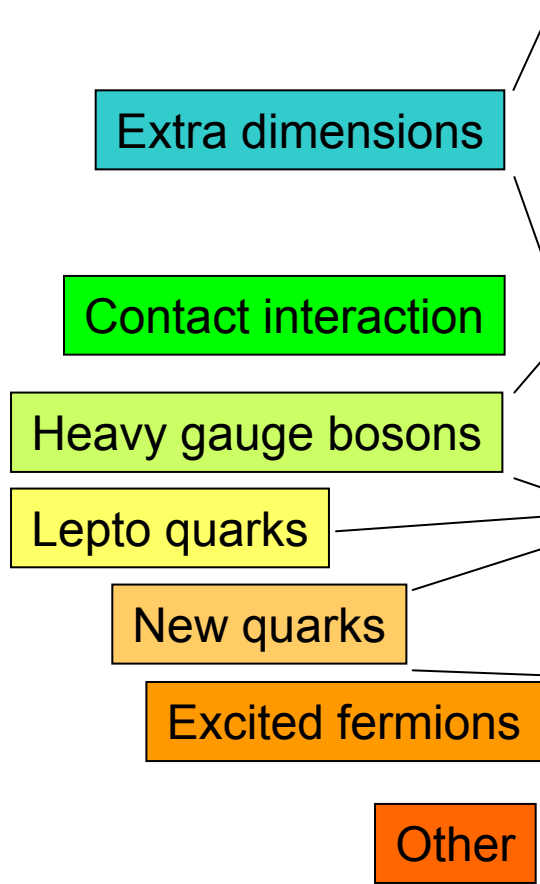
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Higgs boson mass [ GeV ]	excluded $c\tau$ [mm] BR(100%)	excluded $c\tau$ [mm] BR(10%)
100	$1 \leq c\tau \leq 670$	$5 \leq c\tau \leq 159$
140	$1 \leq c\tau \leq 430$	$7 \leq c\tau \leq 82$



# ATLAS Exotics Summary

Limits pushed into 1 TeV regime



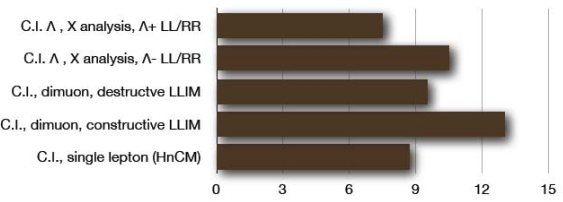
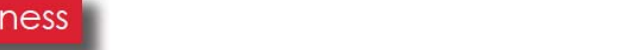
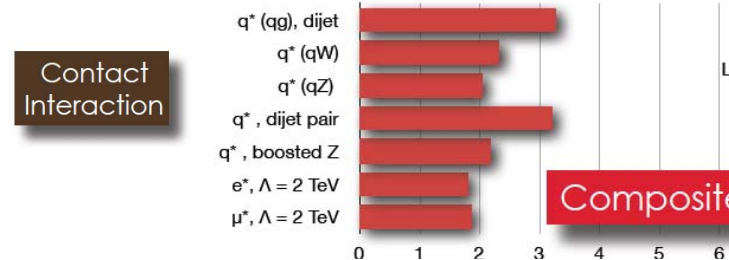
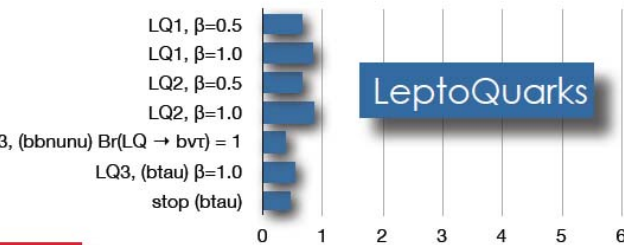
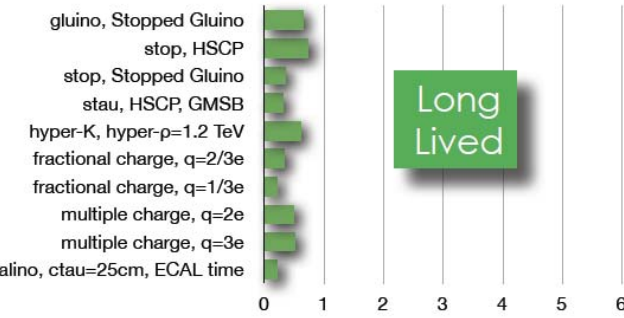
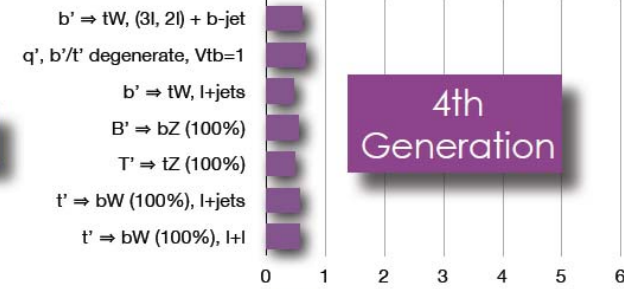
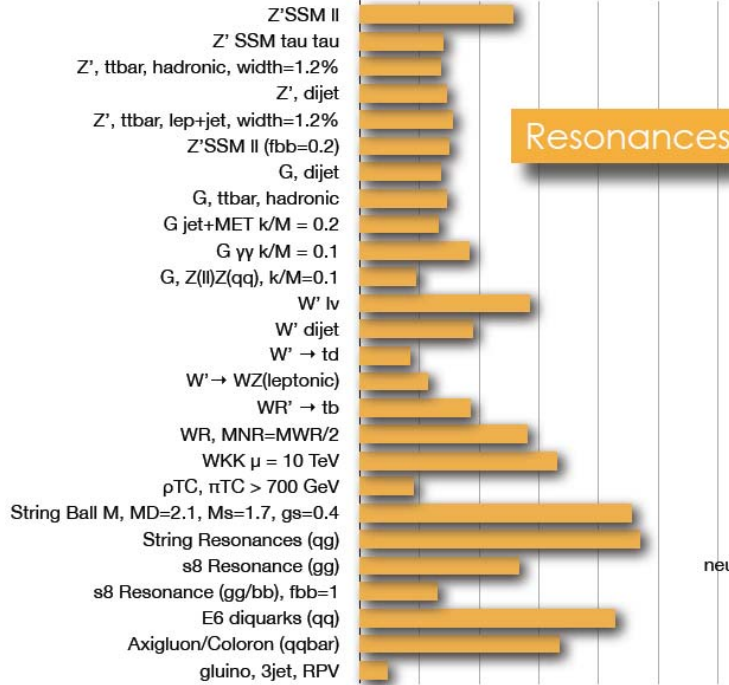
ATLAS Exotics Searches\* - 95% CL Lower Limits (Status: HCP 2012)

Search	Lower Limit	Notes
Large ED (ADD) : monojet + $E_{T,miss}$	4.37 TeV	$M_D (\delta=2)$
Large ED (ADD) : monophoton + $E_{T,miss}$	1.93 TeV	$M_D (\delta=2)$
Large ED (ADD) : diphoton + dilepton, $m_{\gamma\gamma}/M$	4.18 TeV	$M_S$ (HLZ $\delta=3$ , NLO)
UED : diphoton + $E_{T,miss}$	1.7 TeV	Compact. scale $R^1$
$S^1/Z_2$ ED : dilepton, $m_{ll}$	4.71 TeV	$M_{KK} \sim R^{-1}$
RS1 : diphoton + dilepton, $m_{\gamma\gamma}/M$	2.23 TeV	Graviton mass ( $k/M_{pl} = 0.1$ )
RS1 : ZZ resonance, $m_{ll}/M$	845 GeV	Graviton mass ( $k/M_{pl} = 0.1$ )
RS1 : WW resonance, $m_{l\nu}/M$	1.23 TeV	Graviton mass ( $k/M_{pl} = 0.1$ )
RS $g_{KK} \rightarrow tt$ (BR=0.925) : $tt \rightarrow l+jets$ , $m_{lboosted}$	1.9 TeV	$g_{KK}$ mass
ADD BH ( $M_{TH}/M_D=3$ ) : SS dimuon, $N_{ch,part}$	1.25 TeV	$M_D (\delta=6)$
ADD BH ( $M_{TH}/M_D=3$ ) : leptons + jets, $\Sigma P_T$	5 TeV	$M_D (\delta=6)$
Quantum black hole : dijet, $F_2(m_{ij})$	4.11 TeV	$M_D (\delta=6)$
qqqq contact interaction : $\chi(m_{ij})$	7.8 TeV	$\Lambda$
qqll CI : ee & $\mu\mu$ , $m_{ll}$	13.9 TeV	$\Lambda$ (constructive int.)
uutt CI : SS dilepton + jets + $E_{T,miss}$	1.7 TeV	$\Lambda$
$Z'$ (SSM) : $m_{ee/\mu\mu}$	2.49 TeV	$Z'$ mass
$Z'$ (SSM) : $m_{\tau\tau}$	1 TeV	$Z'$ mass
$W'$ (SSM) : $m_{Te/\mu}$	2.55 TeV	$W'$ mass
$W' (\rightarrow tq, g_s=1)$ : $m_{tq}$	430 GeV	$W'$ mass
$W'_R (\rightarrow tb, SSM)$ : $m_{tb}$	1.13 TeV	$W'$ mass
$W^*$ : $m_{Te/\mu}$	2.42 TeV	$W^*$ mass
Scalar LQ pair ( $\beta=1$ ) : kin. vars. in $e\mu jj$ , $e\nu jj$	660 GeV	1 <sup>st</sup> gen. LQ mass
Scalar LQ pair ( $\beta=1$ ) : kin. vars. in $\mu\mu jj$ , $\mu\nu jj$	685 GeV	2 <sup>nd</sup> gen. LQ mass
Scalar LQ pair ( $\beta=1$ ) : kin. vars. in $\tau\tau jj$ , $\tau\nu jj$	538 GeV	3 <sup>rd</sup> gen. LQ mass
4 <sup>th</sup> generation : $t't \rightarrow WbWb$	656 GeV	$t'$ mass
4 <sup>th</sup> generation : $b'b(T_{5/3}, T_{5/3}) \rightarrow WtWt$	670 GeV	$b'$ ( $T_{5/3}$ ) mass
New quark $b'$ : $b'b \rightarrow Zb+X$ , $m_{Zb}$	400 GeV	$b'$ mass
Top partner : $TT \rightarrow tt + A_s A_0$ (dilepton, $M_{12}$ )	483 GeV	$T$ mass ( $m(A_0) < 100$ GeV)
Vector-like quark : CC, $m_{\nu q}$	1.12 TeV	VLQ mass (charge -1/3, coupling $\kappa_{q0} = v/m_0$ )
Vector-like quark : NC, $m_{llq}$	1.08 TeV	VLQ mass (charge 2/3, coupling $\kappa_{q0} = v/m_0$ )
Excited quarks : $\gamma$ -jet resonance, $m_{\gamma jet}$	2.46 TeV	$q^*$ mass
Excited quarks : dijet resonance, $m_{jj}$	3.84 TeV	$q^*$ mass
Excited lepton : $l$ - $\gamma$ resonance, $m_{l\gamma}$	2.2 TeV	$l^*$ mass ( $\Lambda = m(l^*)$ )
Techni-hadrons (LSTC) : dilepton, $m_{ee/\mu\mu}$	850 GeV	$\rho/\omega_T$ mass ( $m(\rho_+/\omega_T) - m(\pi_+) = M_W$ )
Techni-hadrons (LSTC) : WZ resonance ( $\nu ll$ ), $m_{T,WZ}$	483 GeV	$\rho_T$ mass ( $m(\rho_+) = m(\pi_+) + m_W, m(a_+) = 1.1 m(\rho_+)$ )
Major. neutr. (LRSM, no mixing) : 2-lep + jets	5 TeV	$N$ mass ( $m(W_R) = 2$ TeV)
$W_R$ (LRSM, no mixing) : 2-lep + jets	2.4 TeV	$W_R$ mass ( $m(N) < 1.4$ TeV)
$H_{\tau}^{\pm}$ (DY prod., BR( $H_{\tau}^{\pm} \rightarrow ll$ )=1) : SS ee ( $\mu\mu$ ), $m_{ll}$	409 GeV	$H_{\tau}^{\pm}$ mass (mit at 398 GeV for $\mu\mu$ )
$H_{\tau}^{\pm}$ (DY prod., BR( $H_{\tau}^{\pm} \rightarrow e\mu$ )=1) : SS e $\mu$ , $m_{e\mu}$	375 GeV	$H_{\tau}^{\pm}$ mass
Color octet scalar : dijet resonance, $m_{jj}$	1.86 TeV	Scalar resonance mass

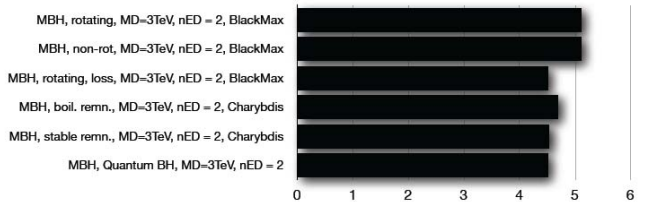
\*Only a selection of the available mass limits on new states or phenomena shown

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# CMS Exotics Summary



**Black Holes**



# Conclusion (1)

- **New Physics BSM was not “around the corner” ...**
  - ... unless the Higgs is not a SM Higgs...
  - Continue exploration **beyond TeV regimes**
  - Push  $\sigma$ -limits at **low invariant masses** down.
- Role of models in Exotics
  - Models are used map our search reach
  - They give us some guidance where to look
  - But, Exotics searches are mainly model-independent.
- Exotics searches coverage
  - Vast range of final states
  - Vast range of models

# Conclusion (2)

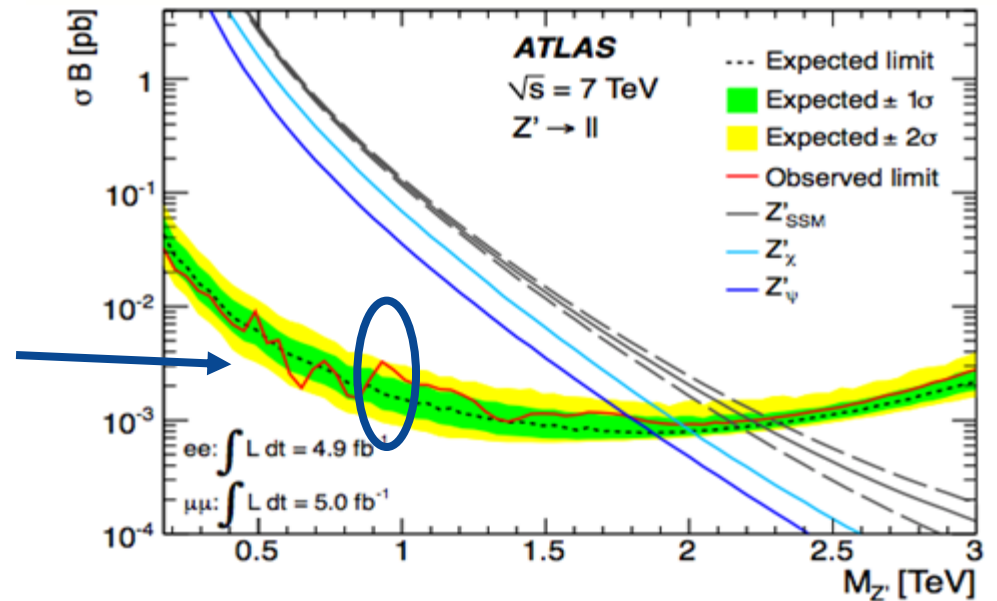
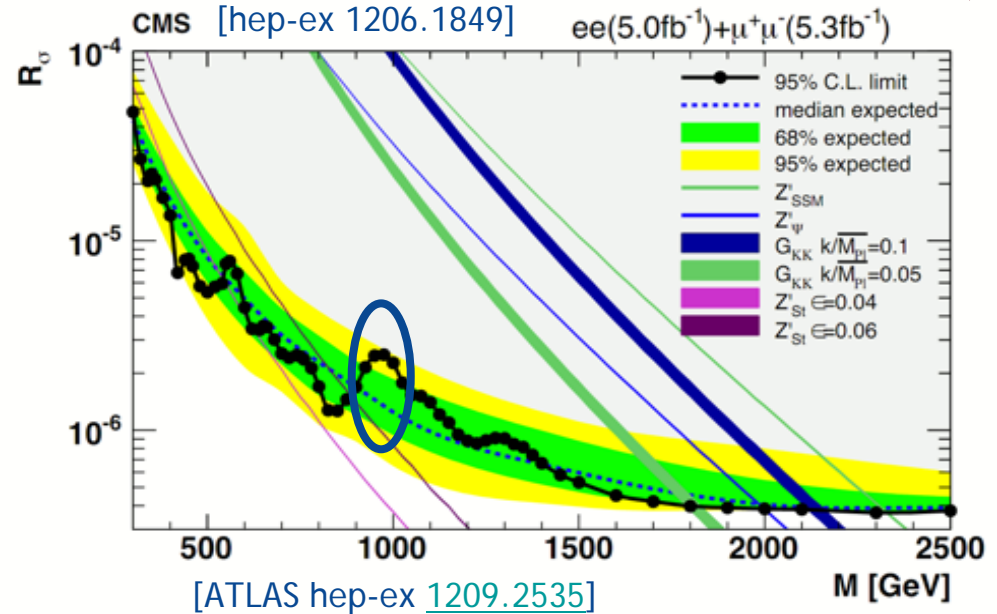
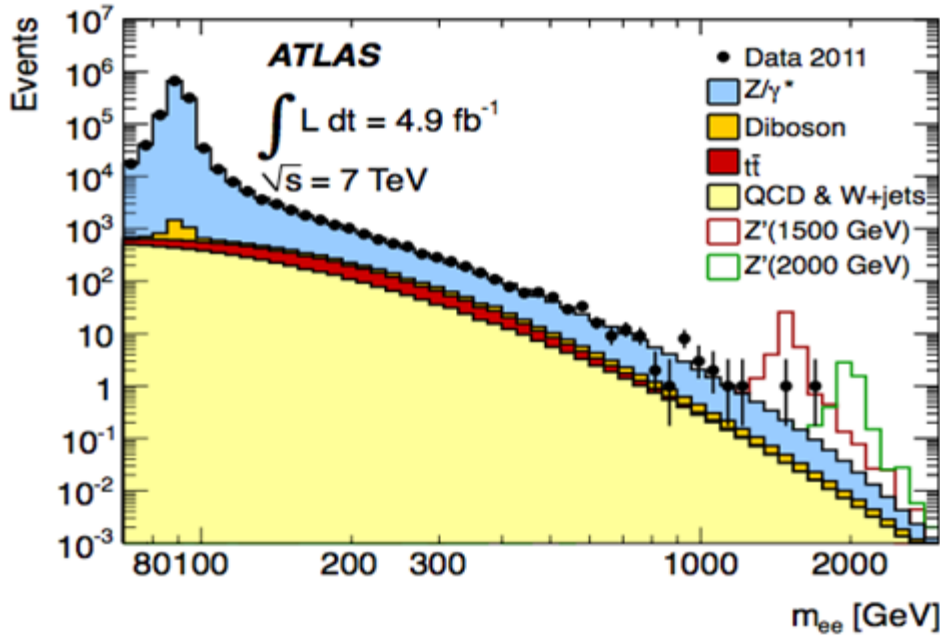
- Exotics searches will continue broad range of searches
  - Technicolor and SM4 are in trouble.
  - Most other models live well with a light Higgs.
  - Interesting searches after Higgs boson discovery
    - Invisible Higgs : Higgs  $\rightarrow$  LSP's (cf monojet analysis) interesting
    - Higgs to exotic objects.
      - E.g. Hidden Valley dark photon  $\rightarrow$  LLP's or leptonjets arXiv:1210.0435
    - From now on we must consider heavy particle decays to Higgs systematically (esp. Heavy Quarks, e.g.  $t' \rightarrow tH$ )



Backup Slides

# Z' in 2011 Data?

- Interesting features in dilepton spectra
  - around  $2\sigma$  each for CMS & ATLAS in  $e+\mu$
  - similar in scale to 2011 Higgs excess

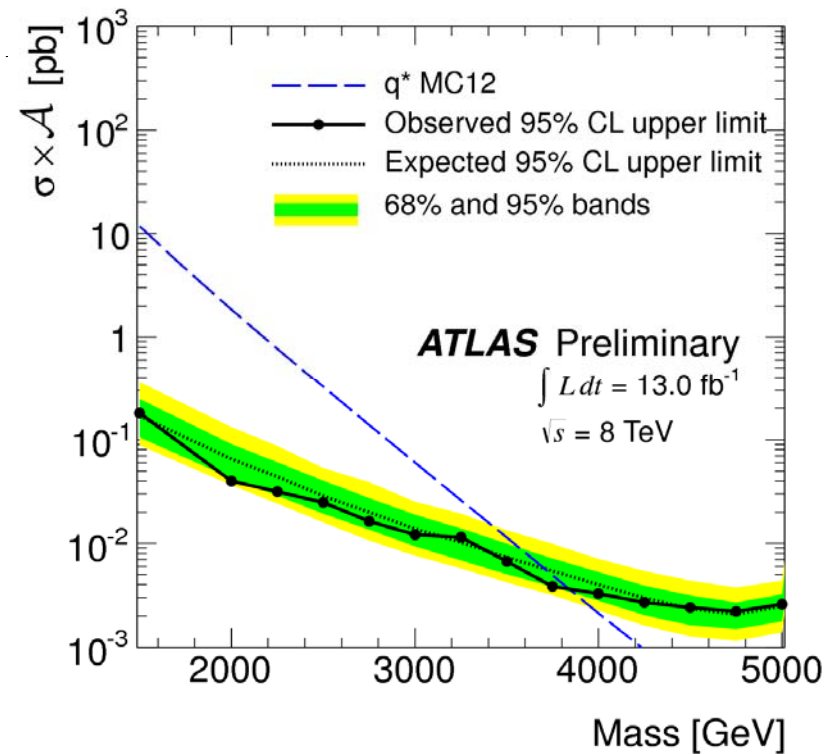
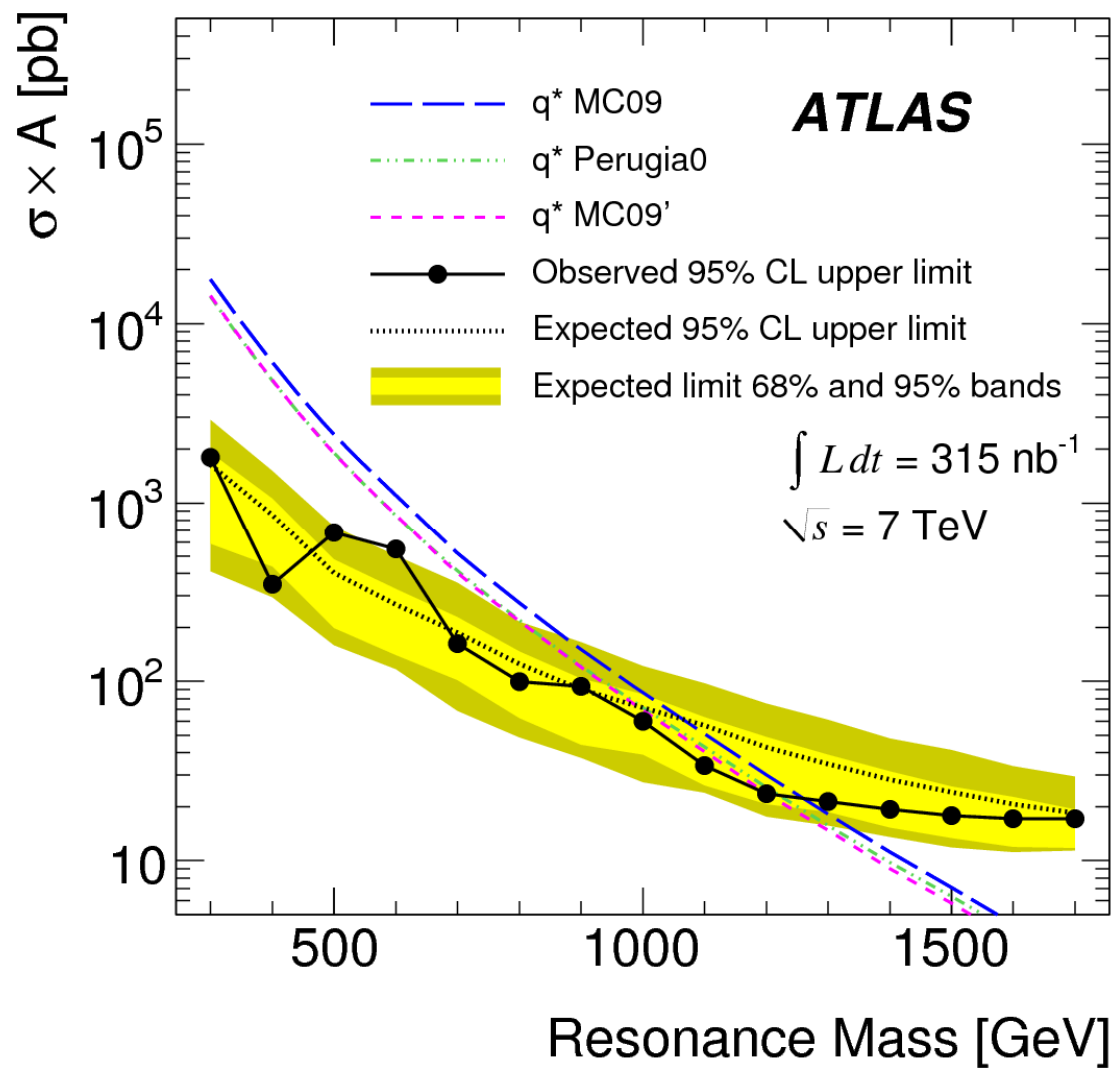


# Mono Jet Signal Region Definitions

Signal regions	SR1	SR2	SR3	SR4
Common requirements	Data quality + trigger + vertex + jet quality + $ \eta^{\text{jet1}}  < 2.0 +  \Delta\phi(\mathbf{p}_T^{\text{miss}}, \mathbf{p}_T^{\text{jet2}})  > 0.5 + N_{\text{jets}} \leq 2 +$ lepton veto			
$E_T^{\text{miss}}, p_T^{\text{jet1}} >$	120 GeV	220 GeV	350 GeV	500 GeV

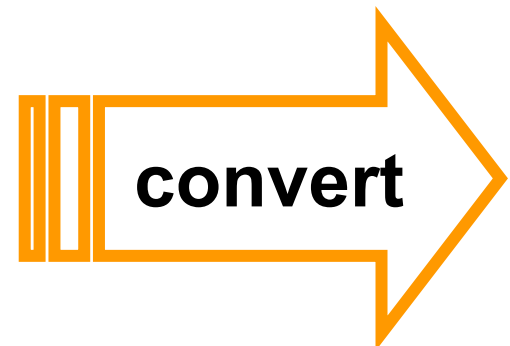
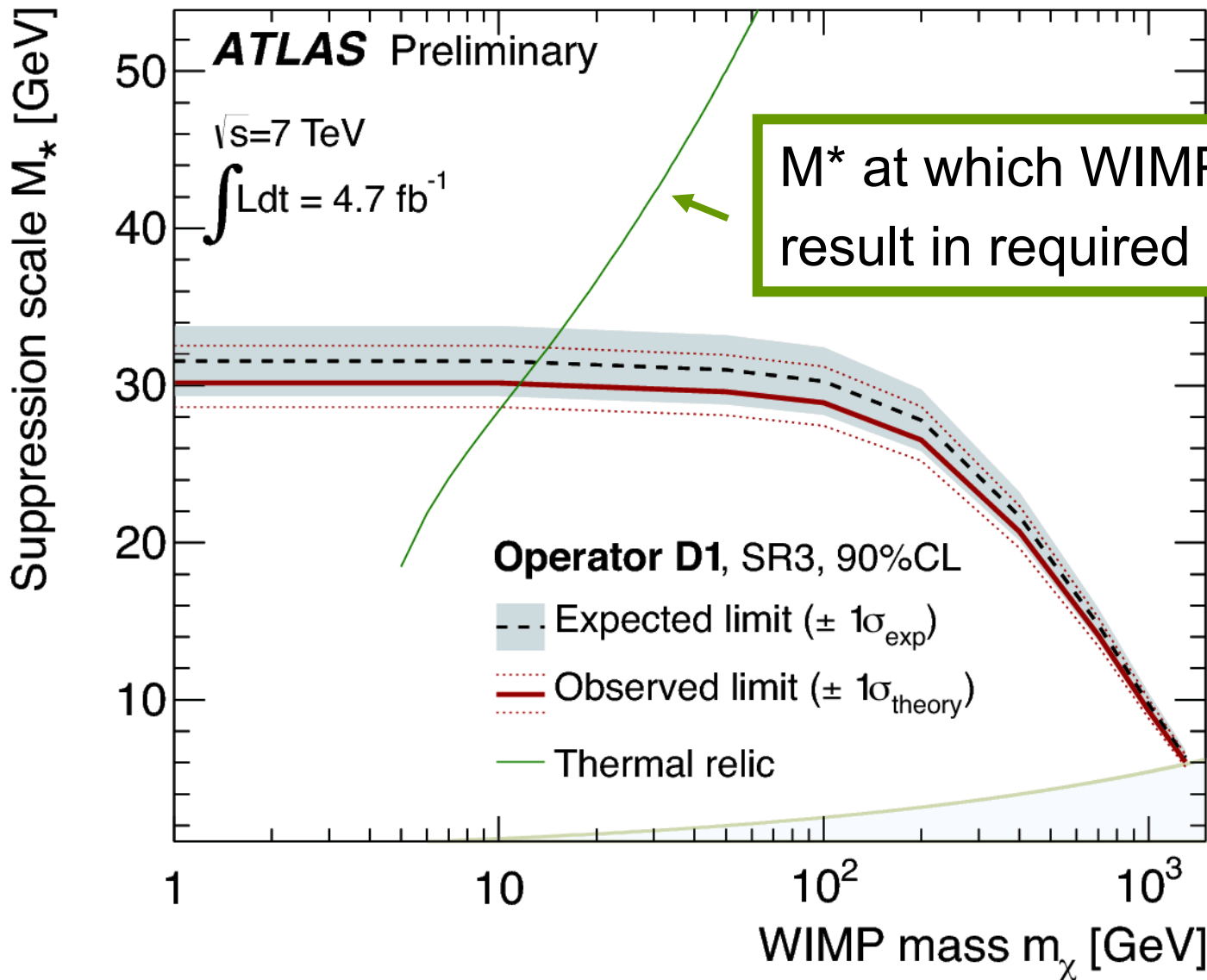
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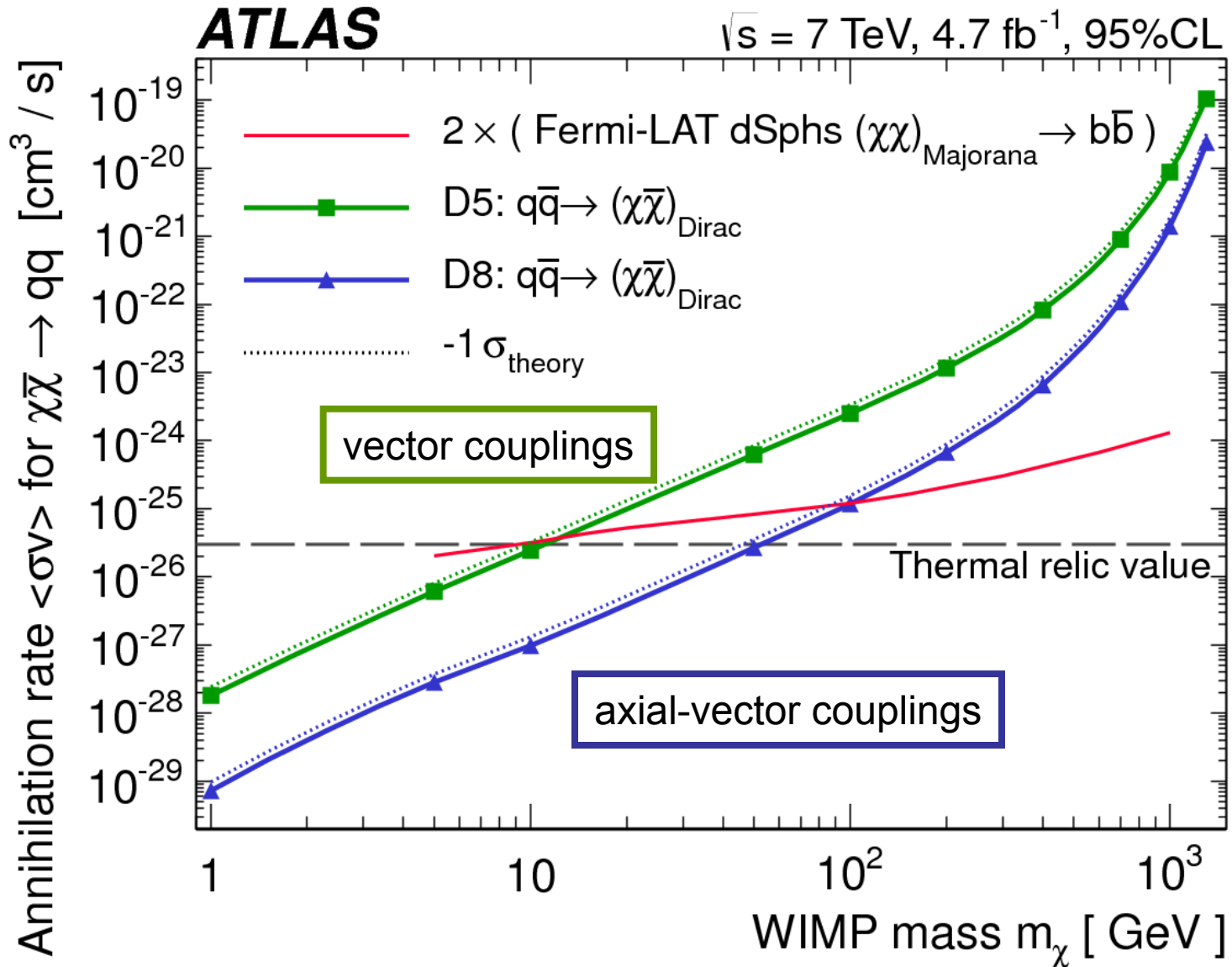


# Limits on Dark Matter – Mono Jet

## 90% CL lower limits on $M^*$



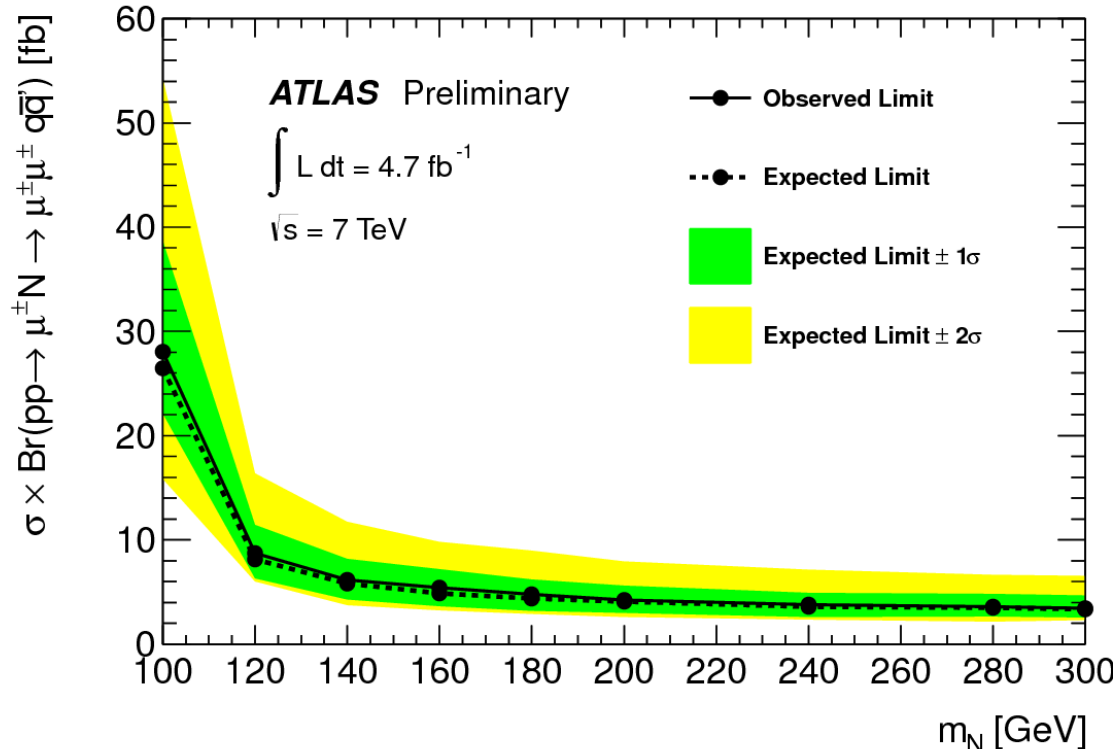
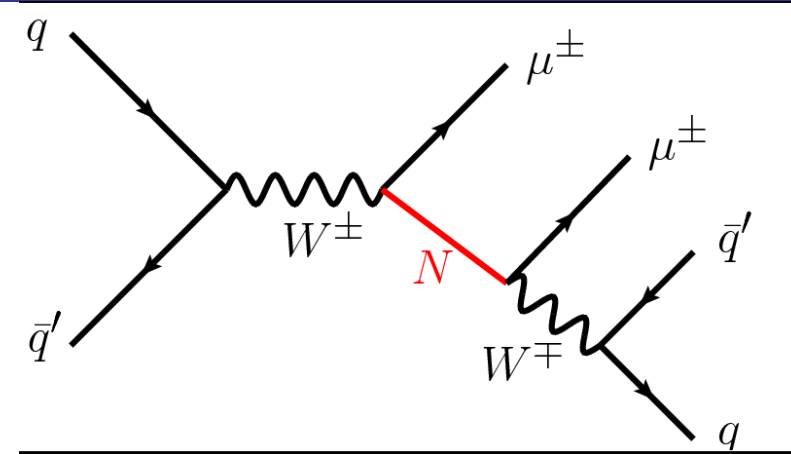
# Limits on the annihilation rate of WIMPs



# Majorana Neutrino Search in same-sign leptons

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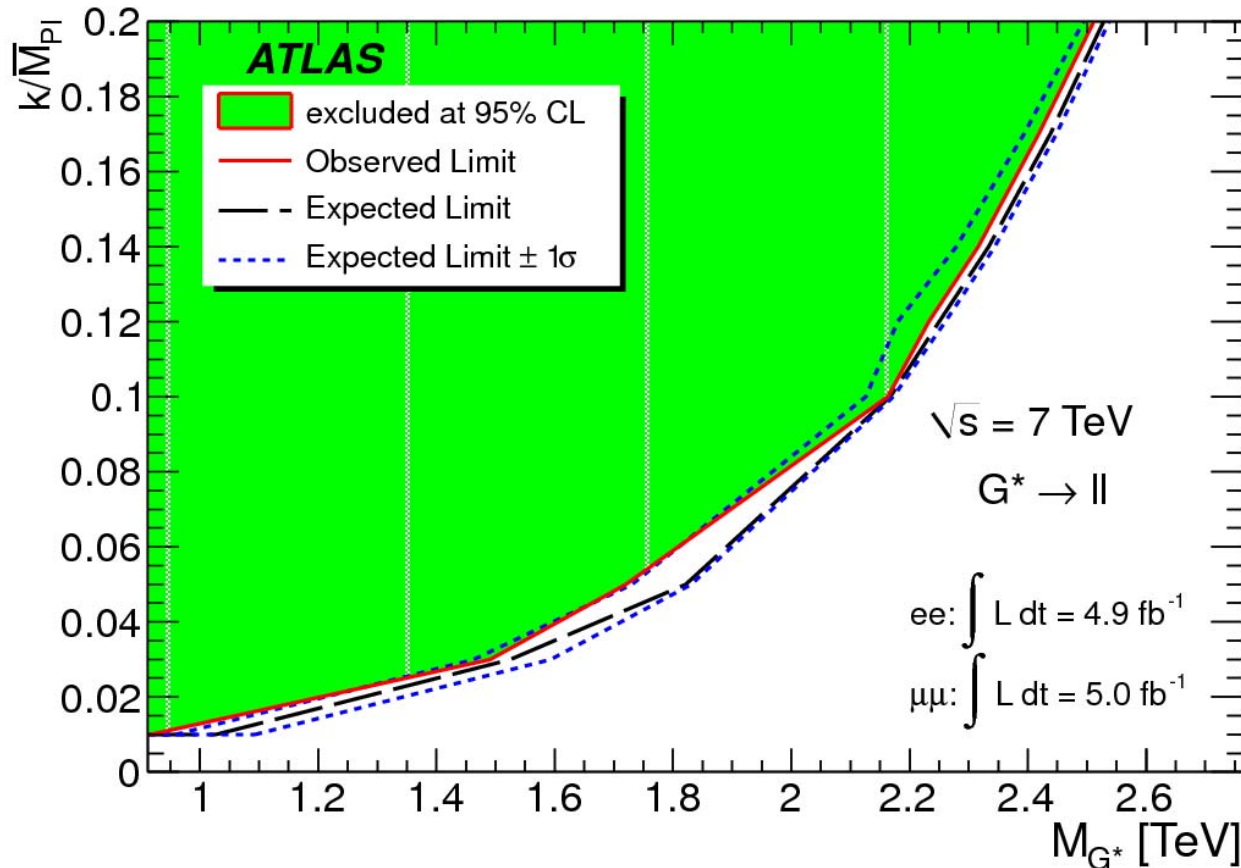
- Two same-sign muons
- $\geq 2$  jets and low  $ME_T$



observed limits range from 28 to 3.4 fb for heavy neutrino masses between 100 and 300 GeV

# Search for Heavy Resonance: dilepton channel

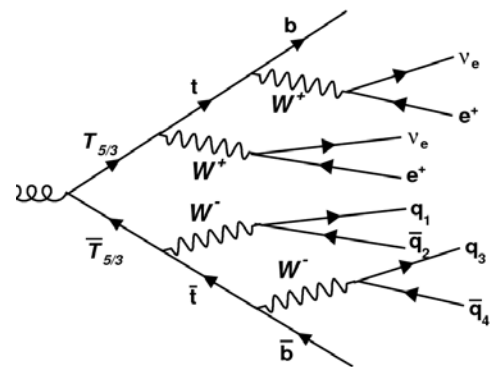
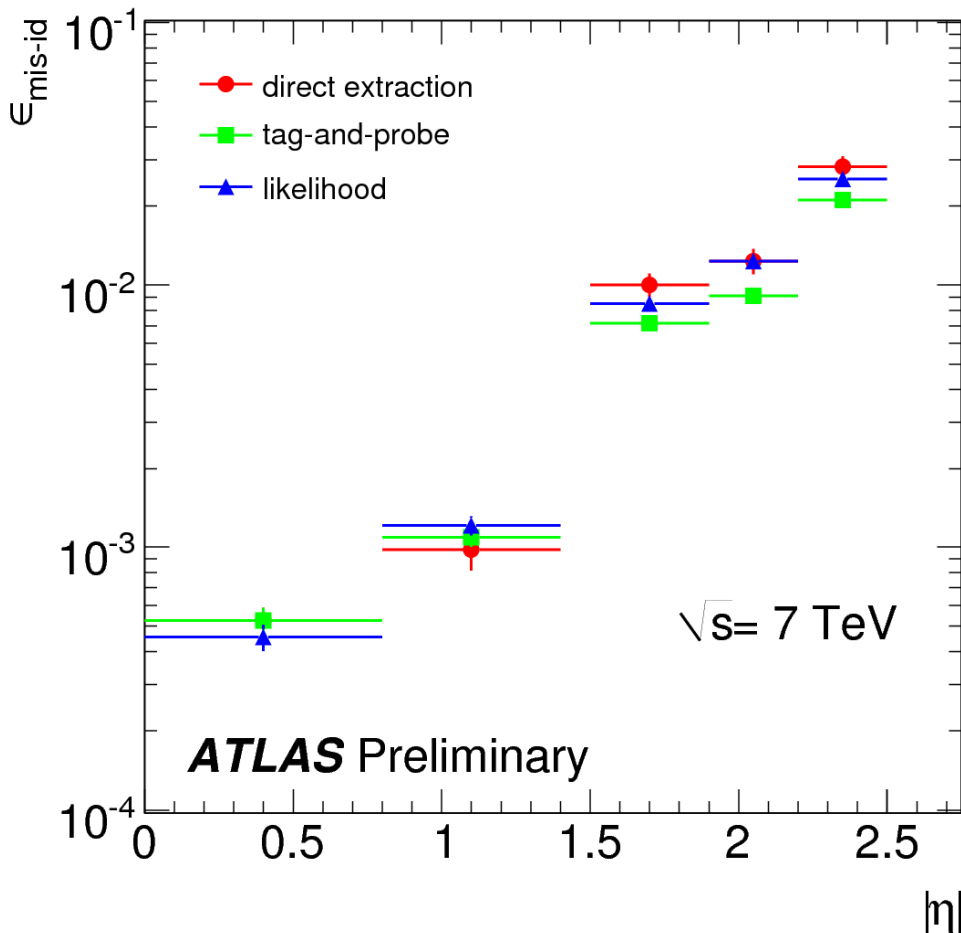
- Limits as a function of RS graviton mass and coupling  
 $m(\text{RS graviton}, k/M_{\text{Pl}} = 0.1) > 2.16 \text{ TeV at } 95\% \text{ CL}$



# Exotic Same-Sign Dilepton Signatures: $b'$ , $T^{5/3}$

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## Charge mis-id rate

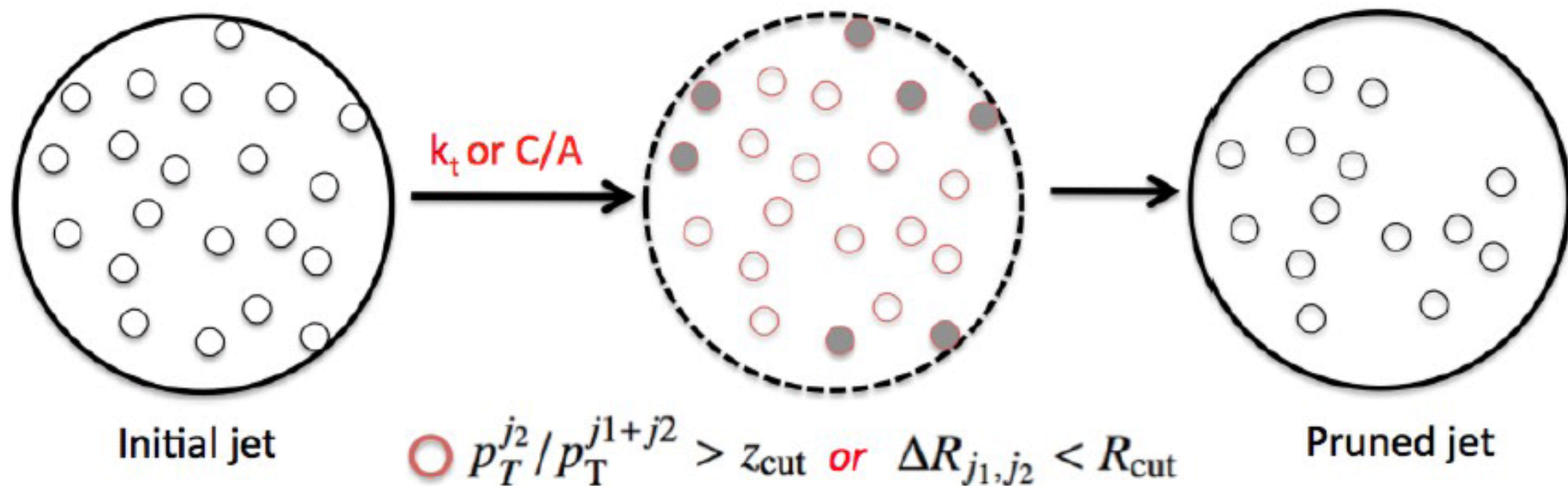


- 2 isolated same-sign leptons (e or  $\mu$ )
- $ME_T > 40$  GeV
- $\geq 2$  jets ( $\geq 1$  b-tagged jet)
- large overall transverse momentum
  - $H_T > 550$  GeV

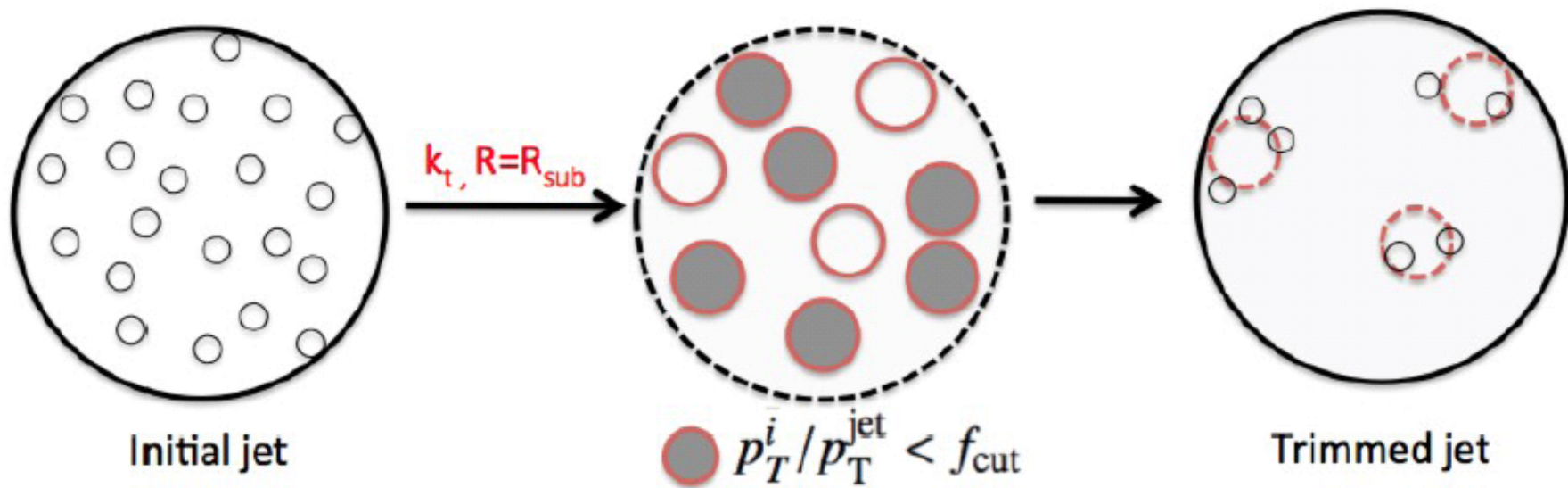
**4 events observed**  
**expected background of  $5.6 \pm 1.7$**

# Jet Grooming

- “Pruning”:
- Start with a fat jet ( $R \sim 1$  or more)
- Run  $k_t$  or C/A algorithm on clusters within the fat jet
- At each step, if merging of two clusters fails, remove cluster with smallest  $p_T$

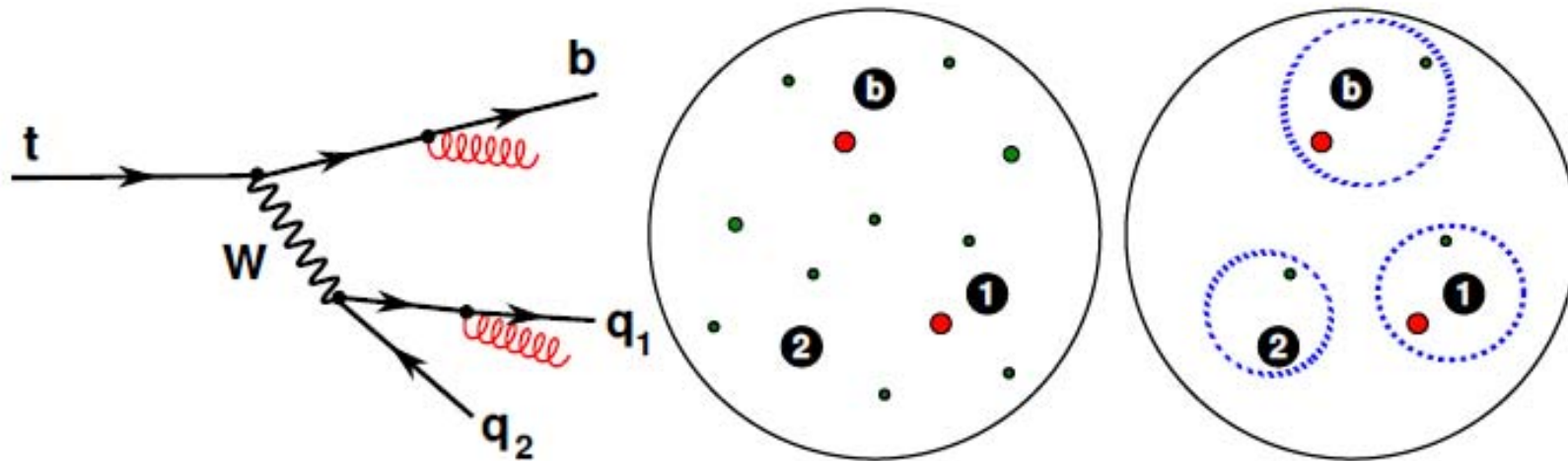


- “Trimming”:
- Start with a fat jet ( $R \sim 1$  or more)
- Run  $k_t$  algorithm on clusters within the fat jet
- Keep only jets with  $p_T > p_T(\text{fat jet}) \cdot f_{\text{cut}}$





# HEPTopTagger (Filtering)



- 1 Decompose until  $m_{j_i} < 30 \text{ GeV}$  with mass drop requirement  
 $m_{j_i} < \mu m_{\text{large jet}}$
- 2 Investigate 3 subjets and their constituents
- 3 Re-cluster using C/A with parameter  
 $R = \min(0.3, \min_{ij} \Delta R(j_i, j_j) / 2)$
- 4 Use only 5 hardest subjets of last step
- 5 Built exactly 3 subjets from the selected constituents

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