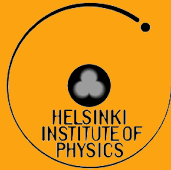




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CMS recent results

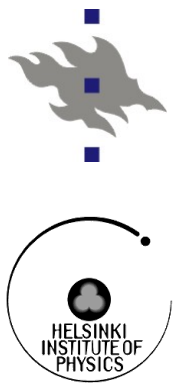
...with 2010 and 2011 data

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Outline



■ **Introduction**

- **Physics motivation**
- **LHC and CMS**

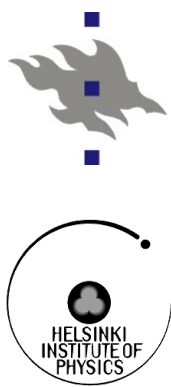
■ **Results**

- **Top, electroweak, heavy flavours**
- **Higgs (much of the material taken more or less directly from G. Tonelli's seminar 13.12.2011 at CERN)**
- **Beyond the Standard Model (SM)**

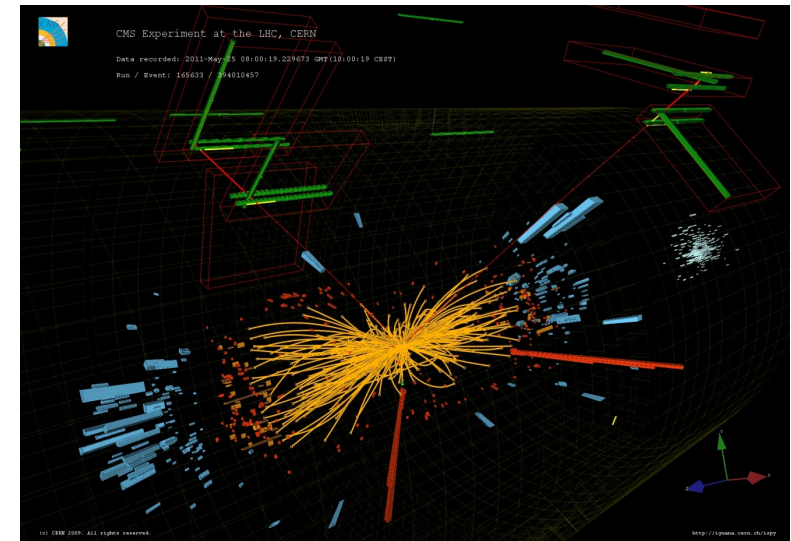
■ **Future**

■ **Summary**

LHC physics goals

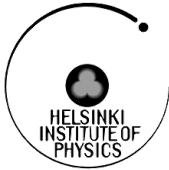


- **New particles or phenomena – rare/forbidden decays**
 - precision measurements
- **Higgs bosons – electroweak symmetry breaking**
- **Supersymmetry – solution to dark matter?**
- **Zoo of new particles – alternative theories beyond SM**
- **CP violation, very rare decays – SM or not?**
- **Precision measurements – indirect handle to physics at (even) higher energies**

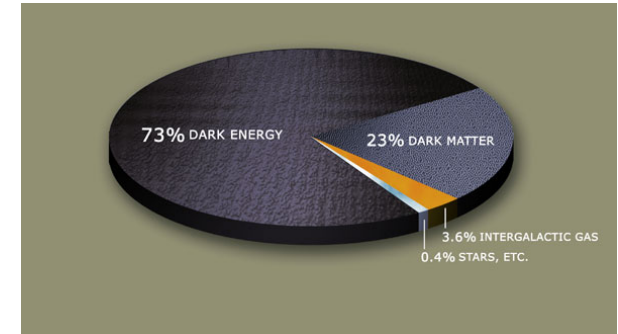




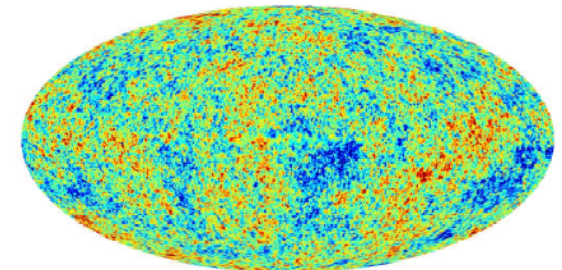
Evidence for physics beyond the Standard Model



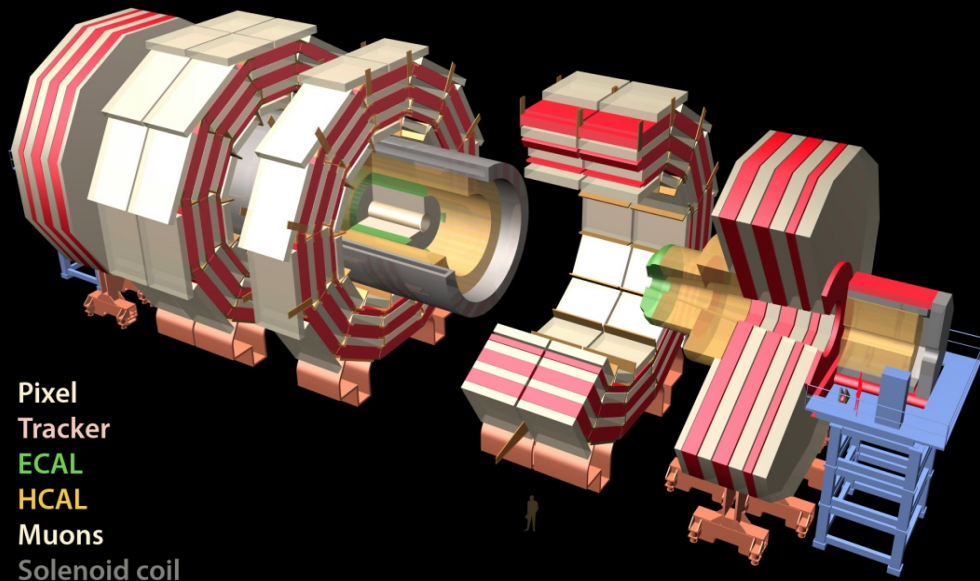
- Dark matter
- Neutrino masses
- Matter-antimatter asymmetry
- Accelerated expansion of the Universe



- Terascale physics: probe electroweak scale $10^{-19} \text{ m} \leftrightarrow \text{TeV}^{-1}$
- Why do we expect anything new to happen at this scale?
 - Some (new?) physics needed to break $SU(2)_L \times U(1)_Y$ gauge invariance (electroweak symmetry breaking)
- Is TeV an indirect new scale?
 - Supersymmetry breaking at higher scale \rightarrow effects at TeV-scale
 - Technicolor
- Is TeV a fundamental new scale?
 - Extra dimensions
 - Strings at TeV scale



The CMS Collaboration

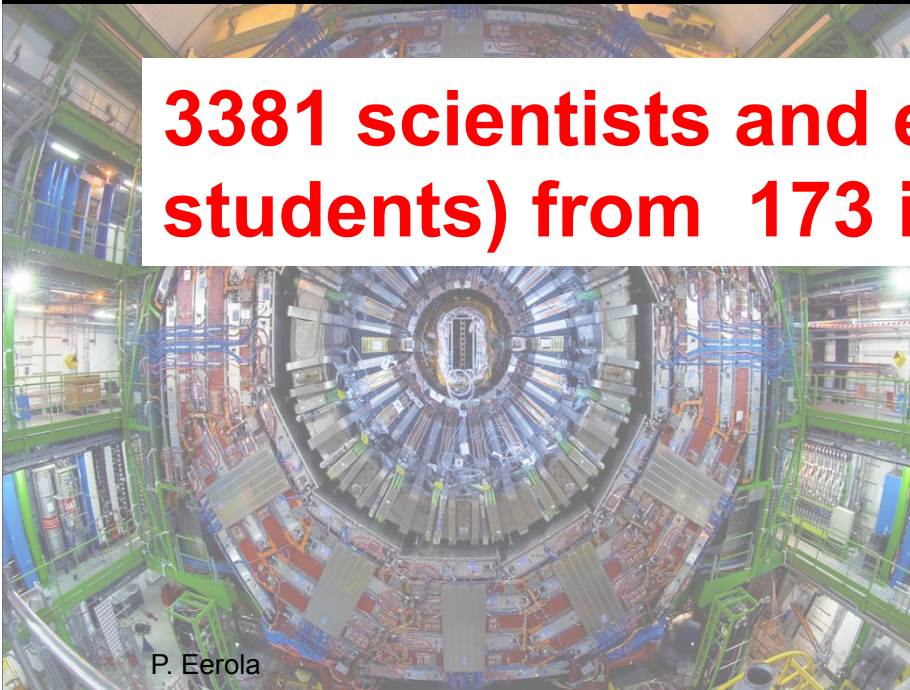


Pixel
Tracker
ECAL
HCAL
Muons
Solenoid coil

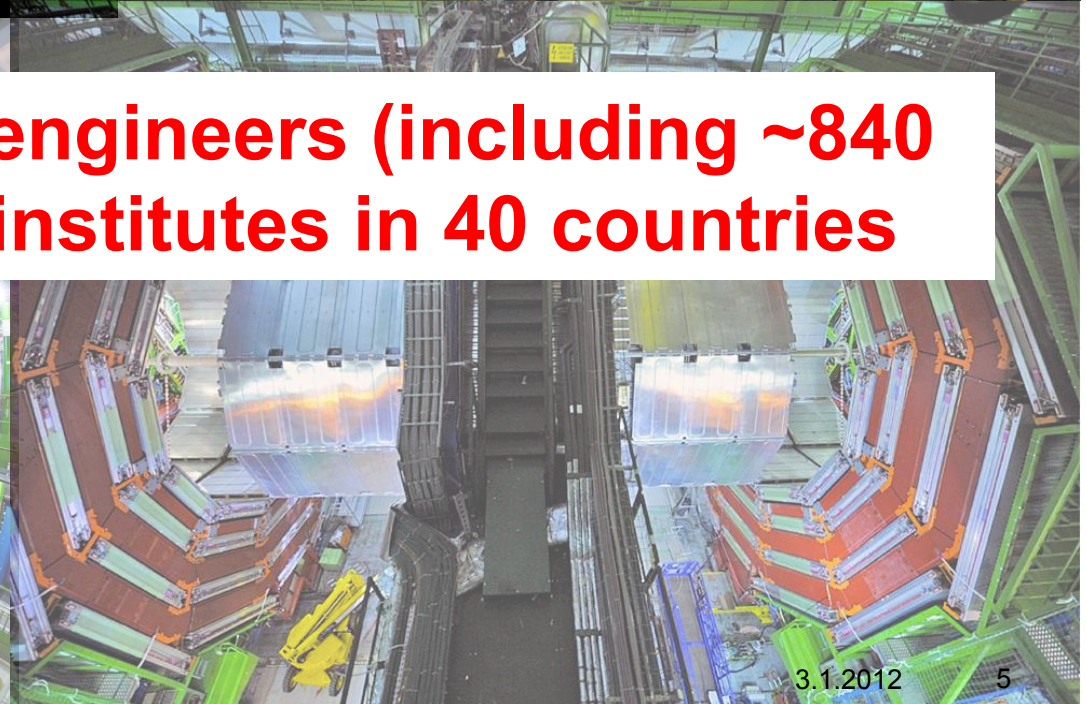


~ 1/4 of the people who made CMS possible

3381 scientists and engineers (including ~840 students) from 173 institutes in 40 countries



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The CMS detector

SUPERCONDUCTING COIL 4T field

CALORIMETERS

ECAL Scintillating PbWO₄ Crystals

HCAL Plastic scintillator



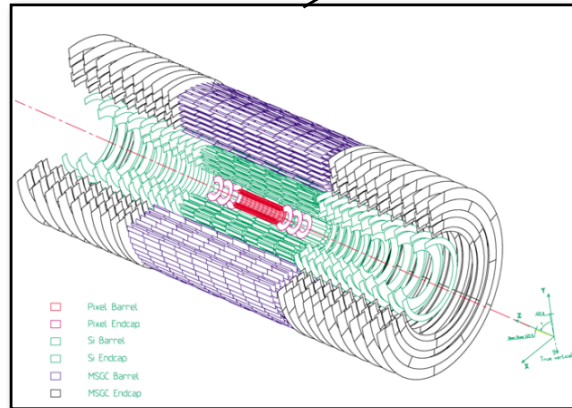
copper sandwich

IRON YOKE

MUON ENDCAPS

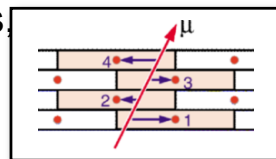
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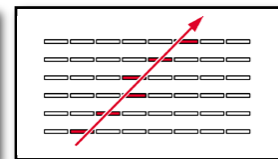


Silicon Microstrips, 10 barrel layers, 3+9 fw disks, 9.3M strips

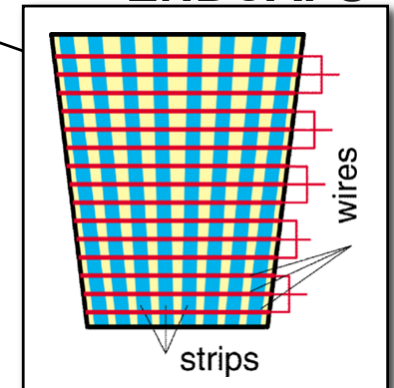
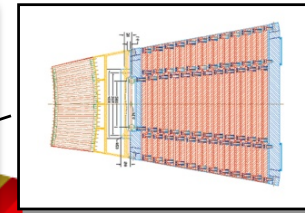
Pixels 3 barrel layers, 2 fw disks, 66M channels



Drift Tube Chambers (DT)

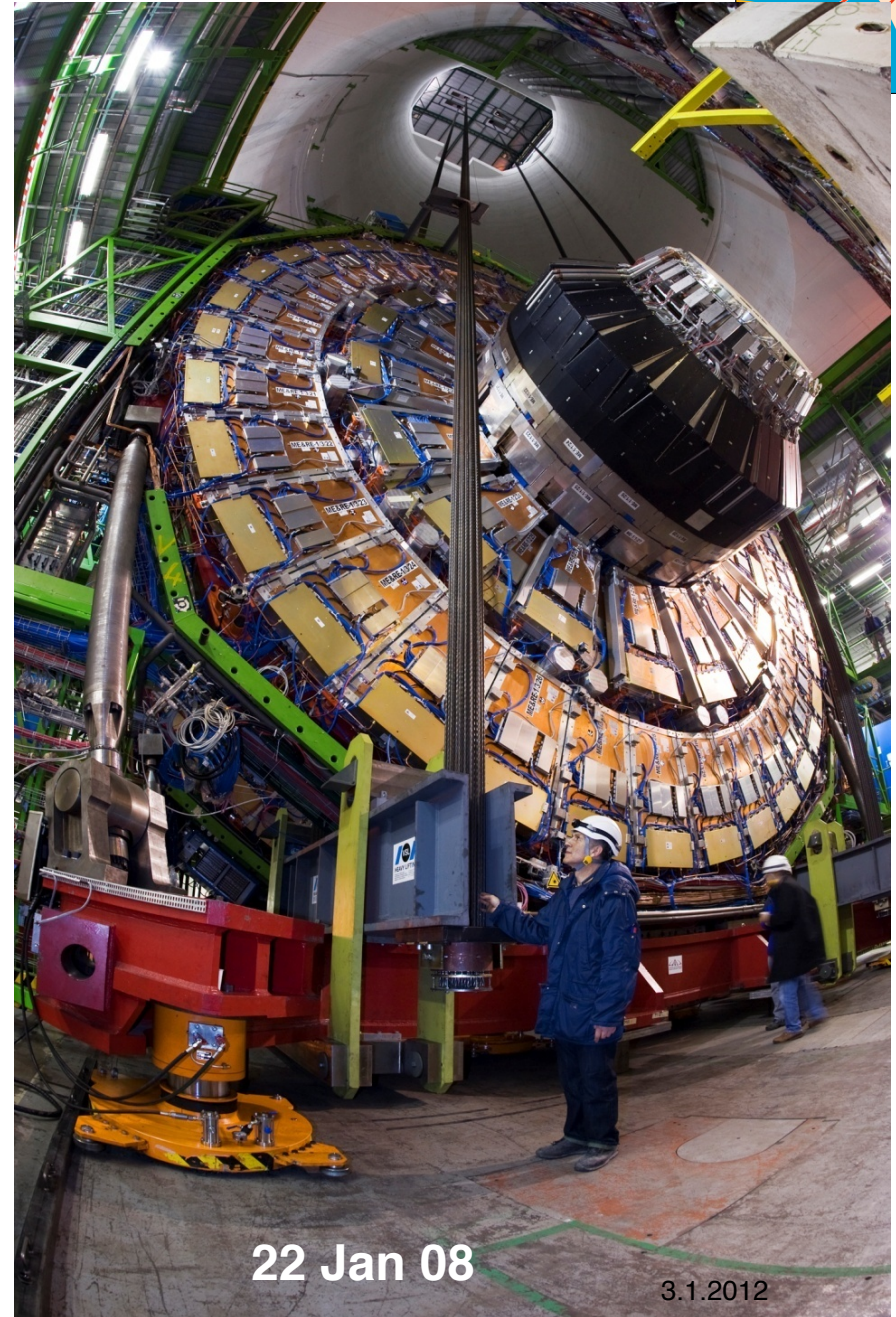


Resistive Plate Chambers (RPC)



Cathode Strip Chambers (CSC)
Resistive Plate Chambers (RPC)

CMS: lowering of muon endcaps to the cavern

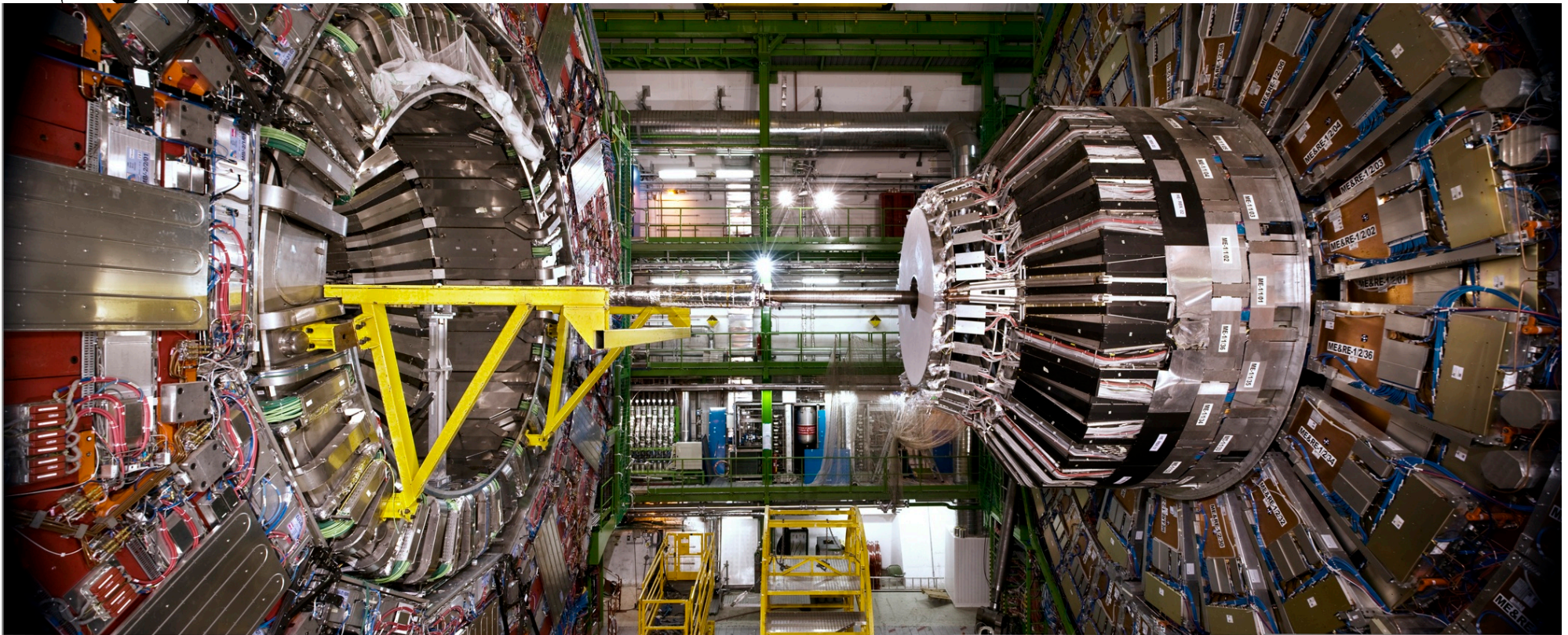


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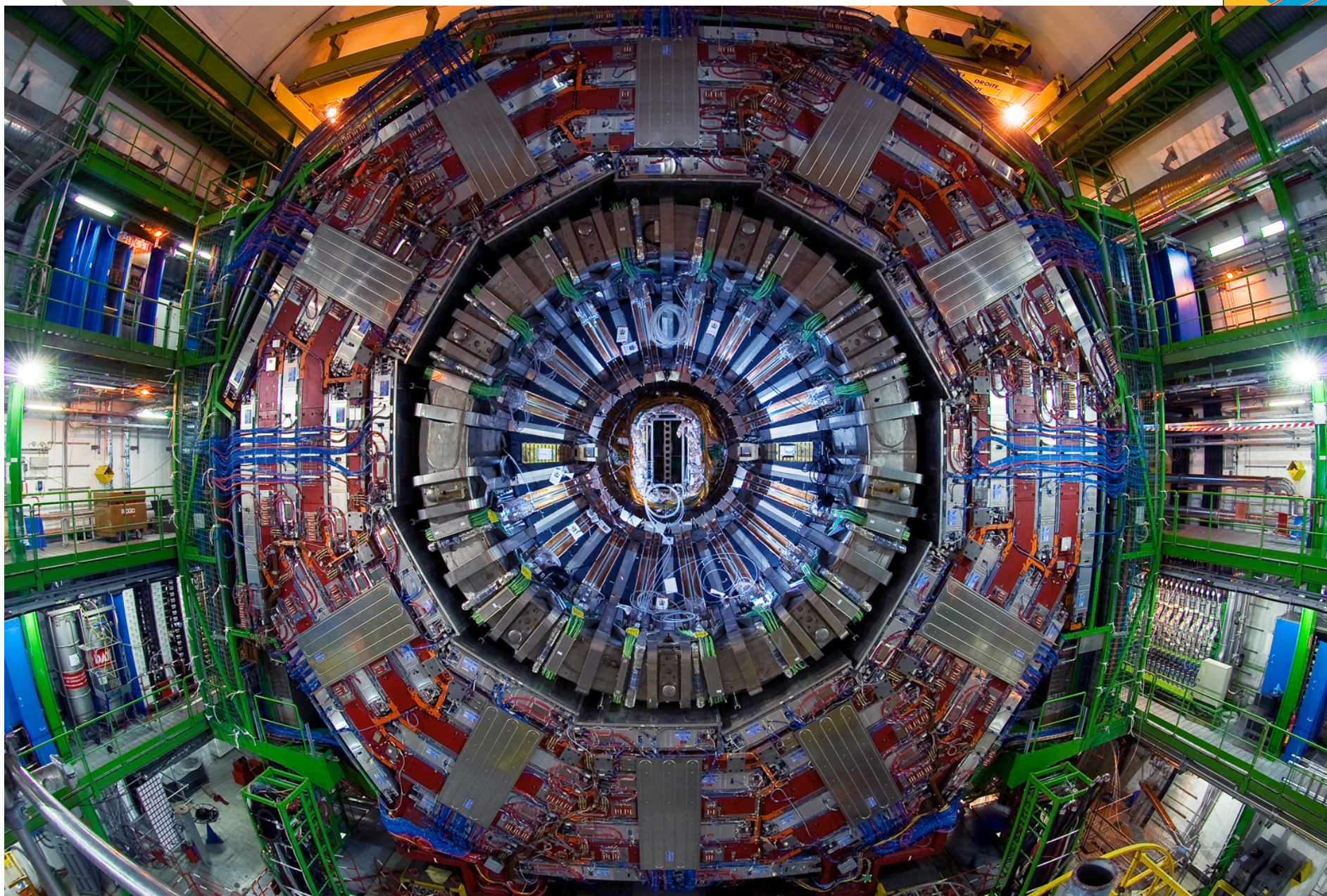
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Beampipe assembly inside CMS

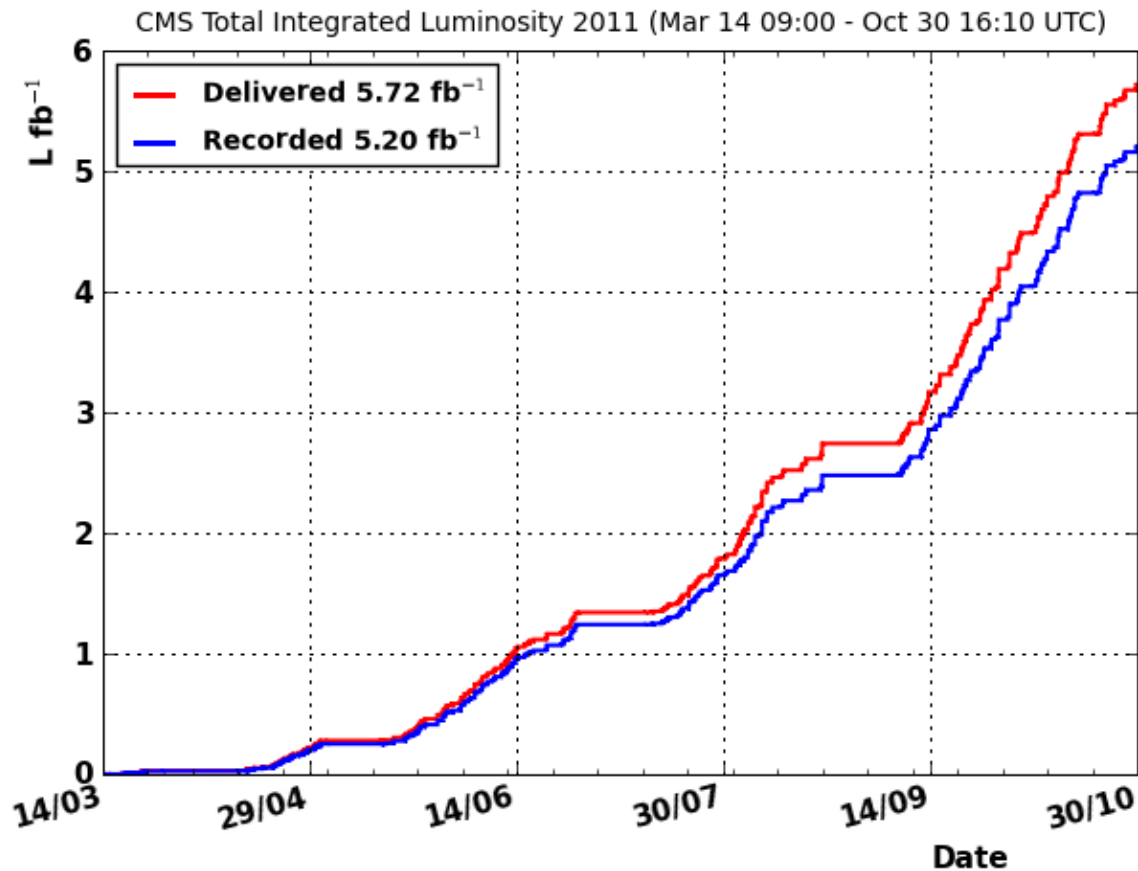


CMS after assembly



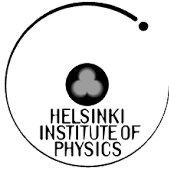
LHC: performance 2011

Amount of data 2011
x 140



Amount of data 2010

5.72 fb^{-1} delivered by LHC and **5.2 fb^{-1}** recorded by CMS. Overall data taking efficiency **~91%**. **Average fraction of operational channels per subsystem >98.5%**. Uncertainty on the luminosity determination **4%**.

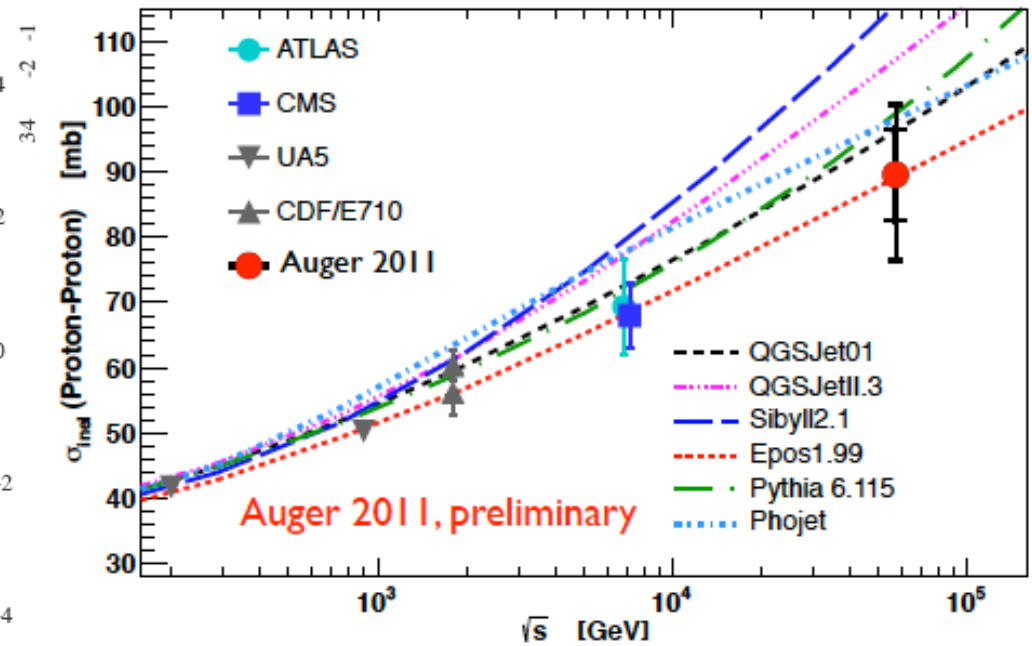
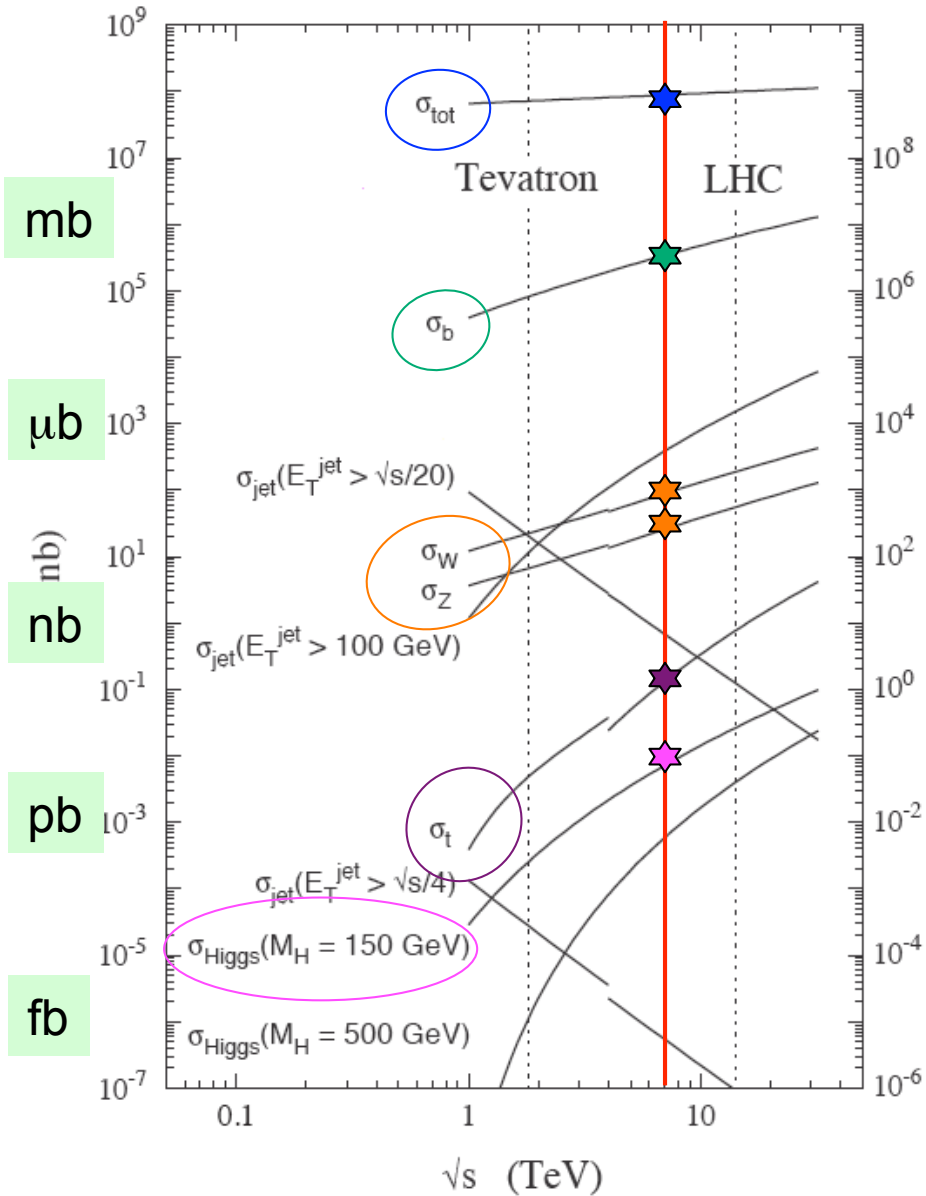


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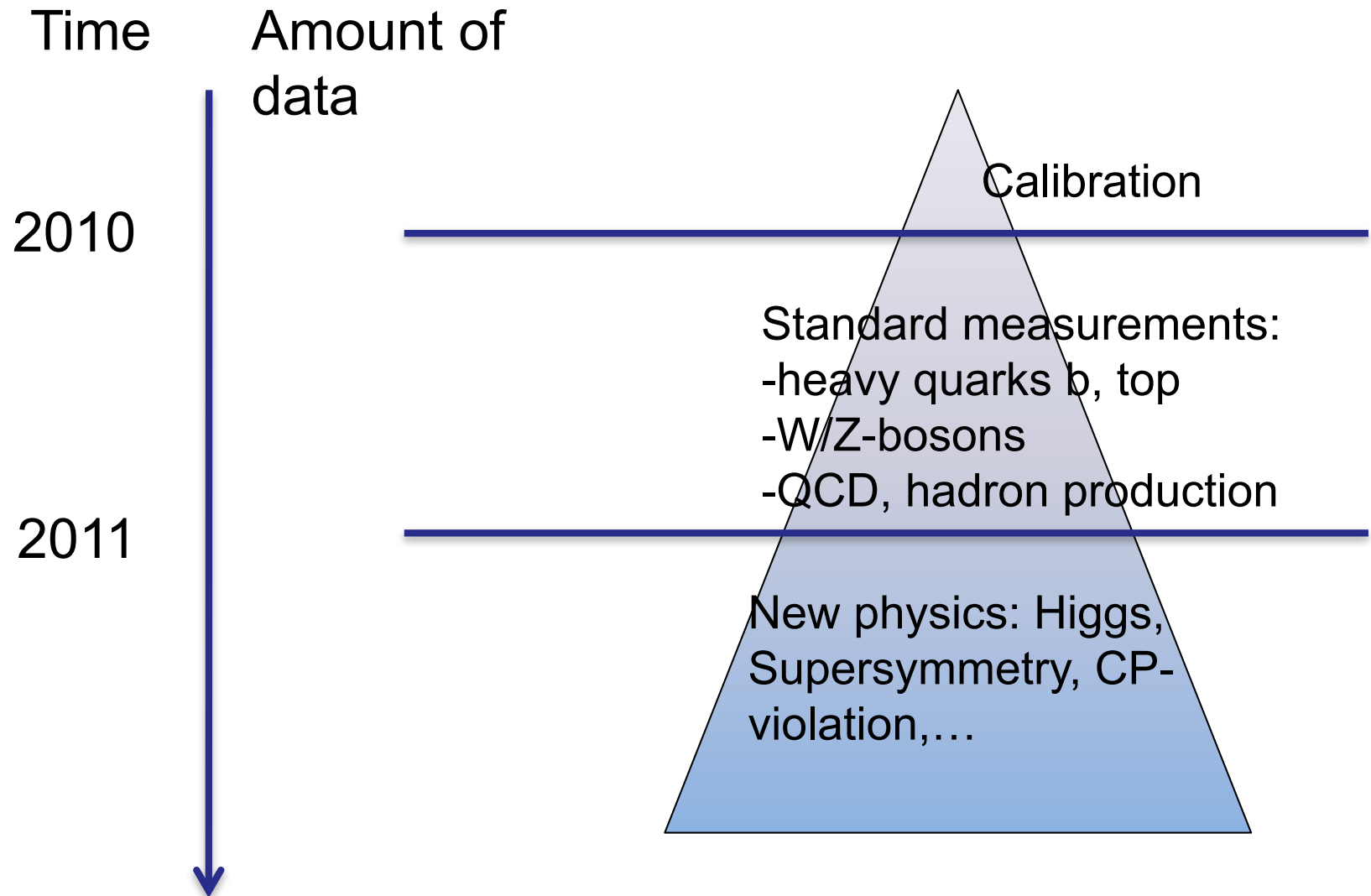
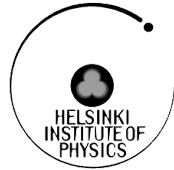
Cross sections of physics processes



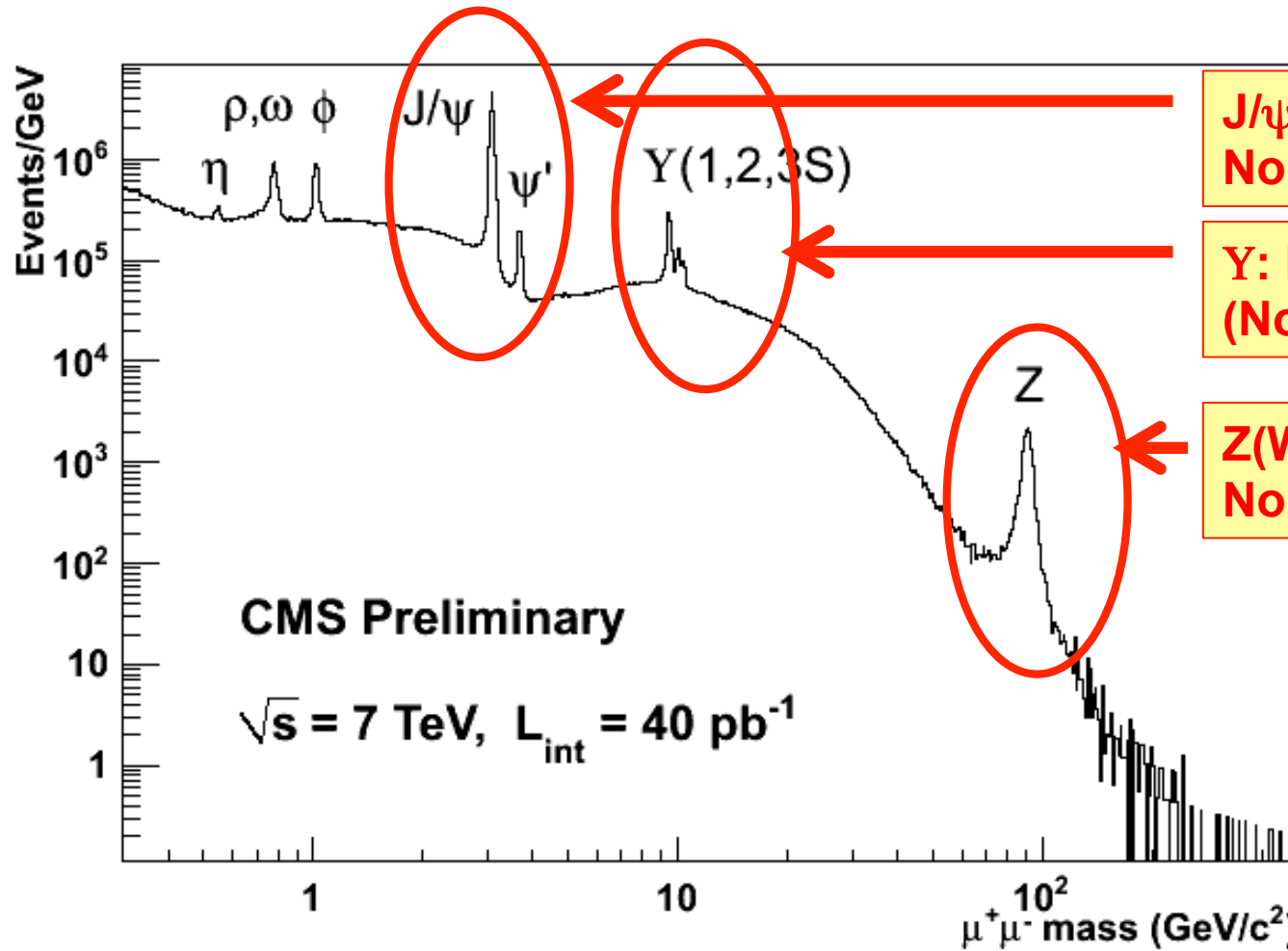
Total proton-proton production cross section



LHC physics 2010 →



Discovery → calibration → background



**J/ψ: Richer, Ting 1974
Nobel 1976**

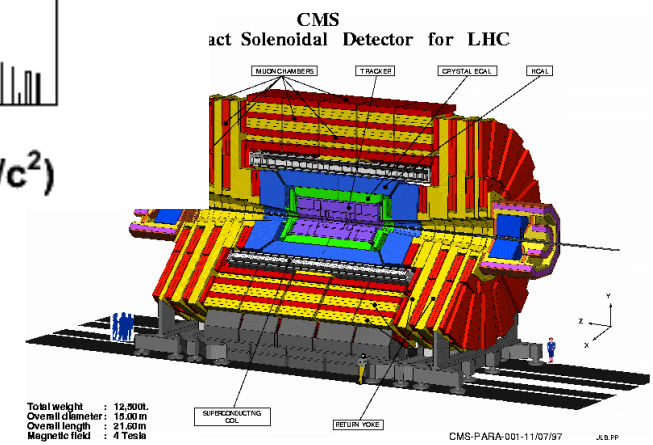
**Y: Lederman et al 1977
(Nobel 2008 CKM – b-quark)**

**Z(W): Rubbia et al 1983
Nobel 1984**

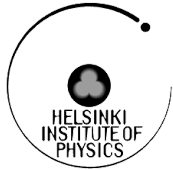
CMS Preliminary

$\sqrt{s} = 7 \text{ TeV}, L_{\text{int}} = 40 \text{ pb}^{-1}$

Invariant ($\mu^+\mu^-$) mass



Total weight : 12,800t
Overall diameter : 15.00 m
Overall length : 21.00 m
Magnetic field : 4 Tesla



Selected Standard Model measurements



Top quark

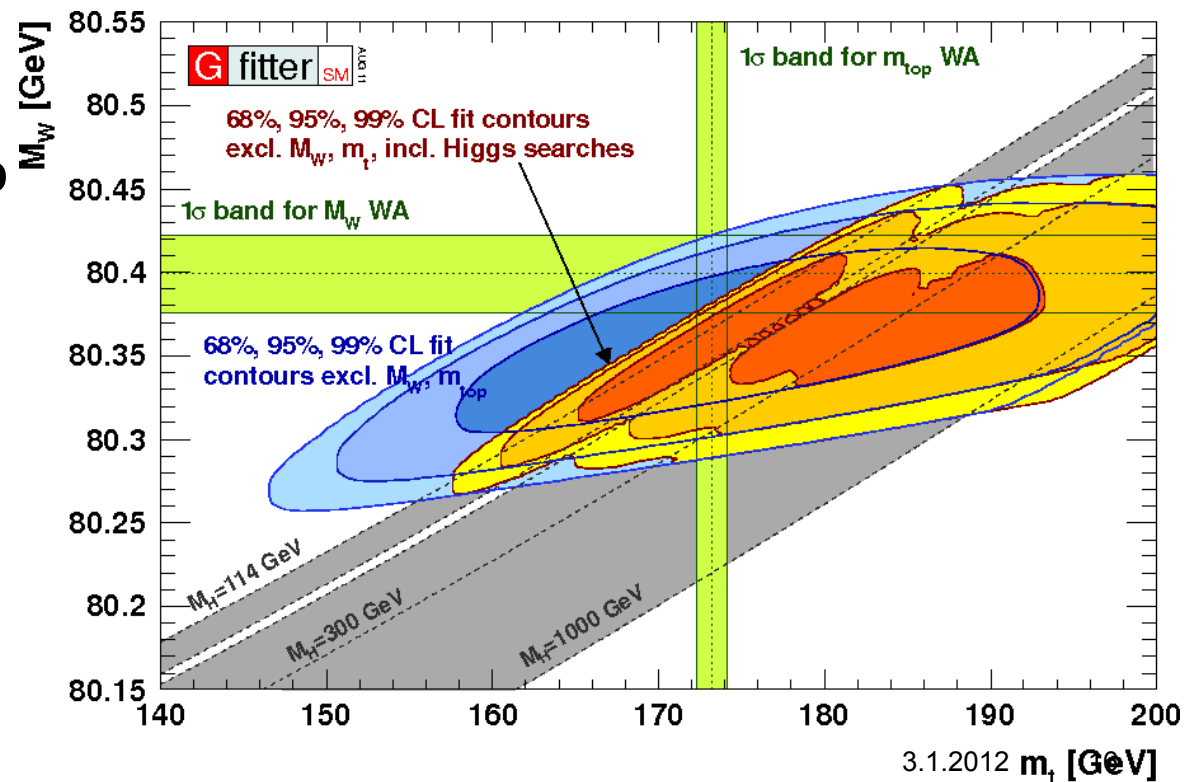


- Newest quark, found 1995 at Tevatron
- Heaviest known particle
 - **Precision measurements** needed: mass, intrinsic properties, cross section, decays, couplings
 - Find or exclude non-standard values

- **Sensitive to Higgs mass through electroweak loop corrections**

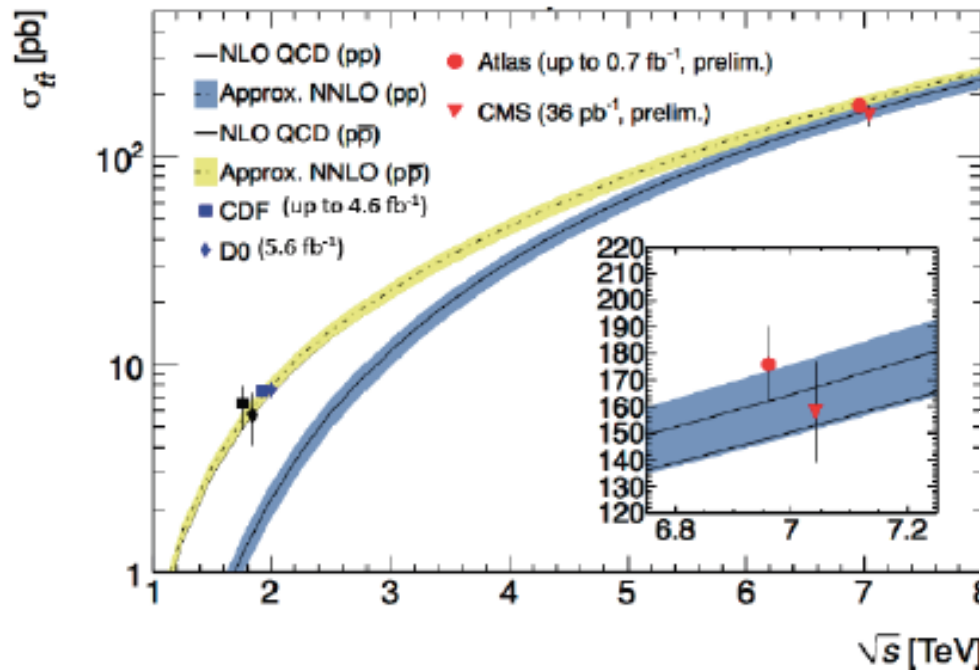
- Sensitive to other new particles

- Background to new particle searches



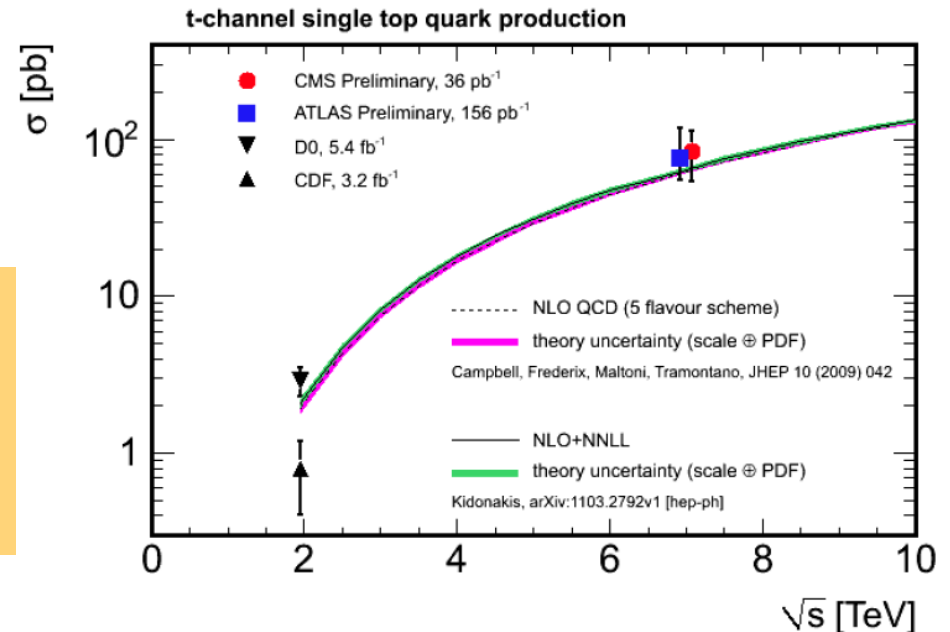
- Cross section: new measurements at new energy
- Top mass and V_{tb} : measurements still worse than at Tevatron, improving soon

Top-quark pair production cross section



Single top-quark production

Sensitive to $|V_{tb}|$
 Tevatron: $|V_{tb}| = 0.88 \pm 0.07$
 CMS: $|V_{tb}| = 1.16 \pm 0.22$



Top mass:

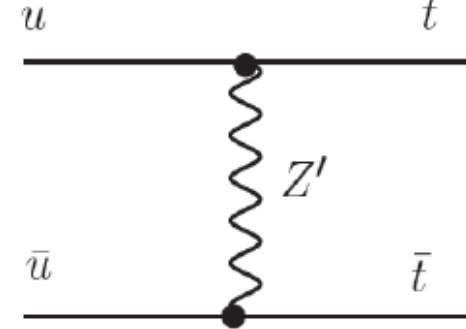
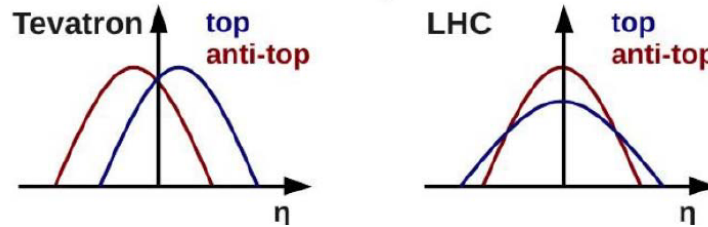
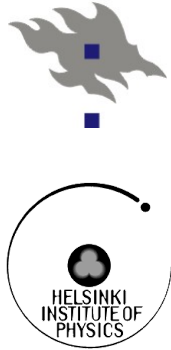
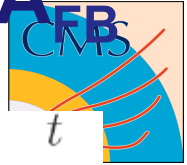
Tevatron

$$m_{top} = (173.2 \pm 0.6 \text{ (stat.)} \pm 0.2 \text{ (syst.)}) \text{ GeV}$$

LHC

$$m_{top} = (173.4 \pm 1.9 \text{ (stat.)} \pm 2.4 \text{ (syst.)}) \text{ GeV}$$

Top-quark forward-backward asymmetry A_{FB}

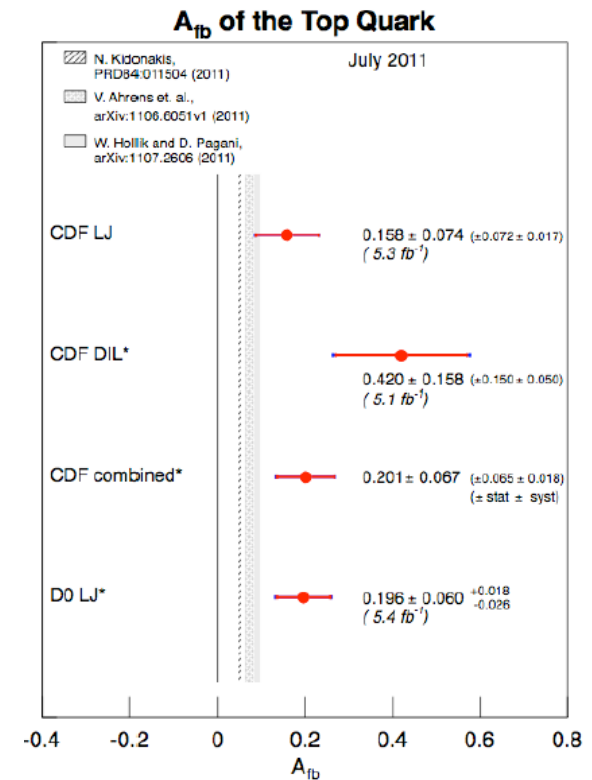


■ Tevatron ($p\bar{p}$ collider):

- SM: small asymmetry from higher order effects
- **Measured asymmetry higher than expected, specially at high $m_{t\bar{t}}$ (CDF 3σ)**
- **Speculations about new particles $p\bar{p} \rightarrow X \rightarrow t\bar{t}$**

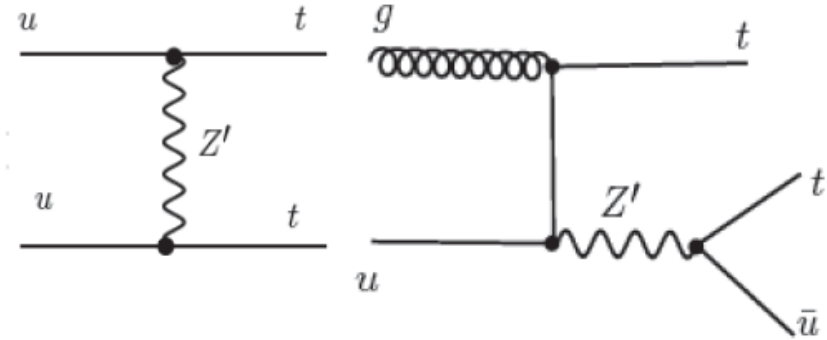
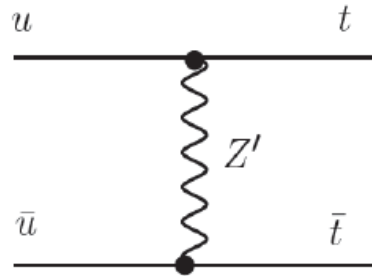
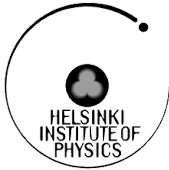
■ LHC (pp collider):

- No forward-backward asymmetry due to symmetric initial state
- Quarks have on average more momentum than antiquarks \rightarrow boost difference \rightarrow **central-decentral asymmetry** (but 85% from gg are symmetric)
- Difficult measurement, but **ATLAS/CMS should be able to obtain same sensitivity as CDF**

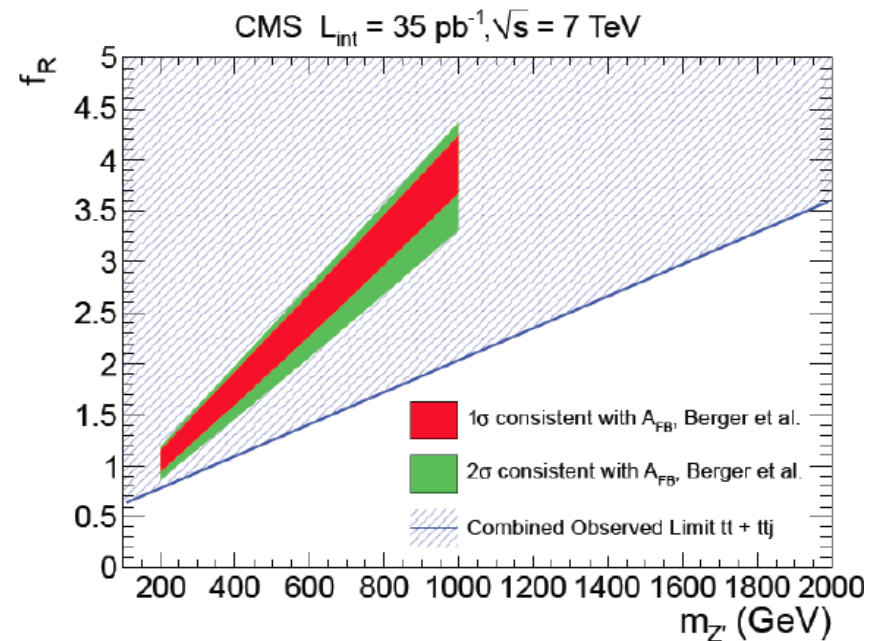




Forward-backward asymmetry A_{FB} and same-sign top quarks



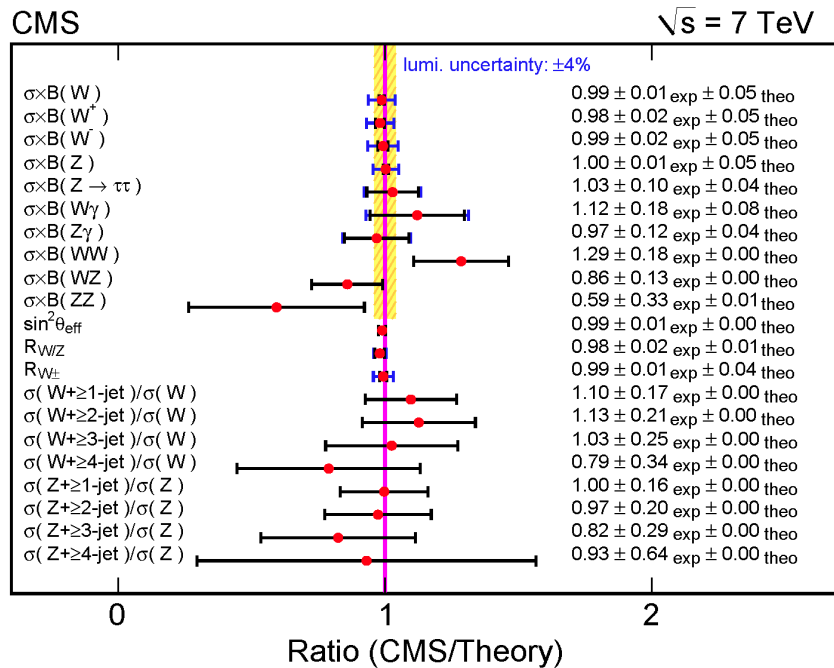
- If new particles, then also produce **same-sign top quarks**
- **CMS search: exclude region preferred by CDF A_{FB} results**



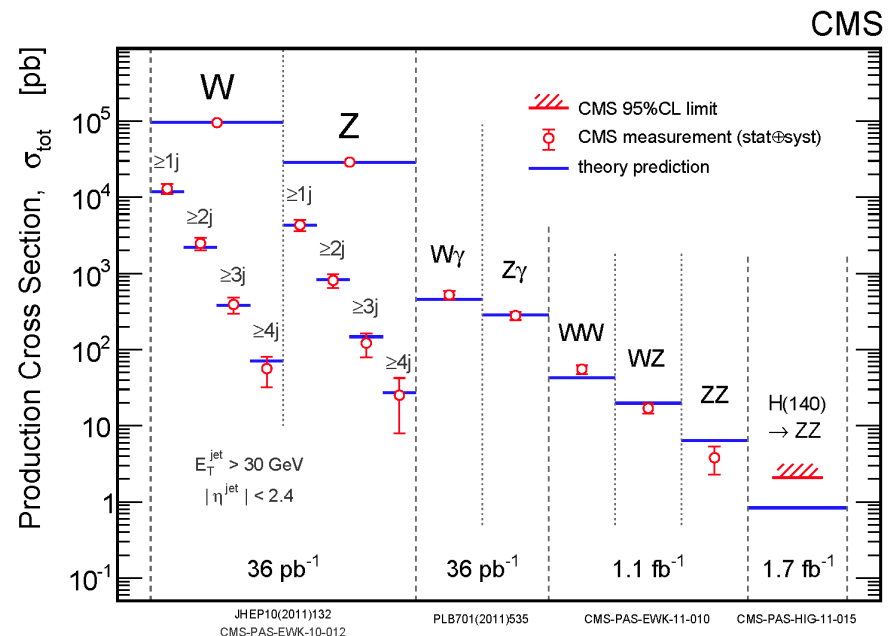
Electroweak measurements

- W, Z, diboson production, W and Z couplings, W mass, W(Z)+jets
 - m_W sensitive to Higgs mass through electroweak loop corrections
 - Key background to SM Higgs searches
 - No Higgs: WW cross section?
 - Triple gauge boson couplings
 - Unexpected signals like Wjj at CDF

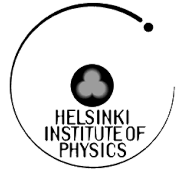
All measurements agree with the Standard Model



Comparison to theory



Production cross sections



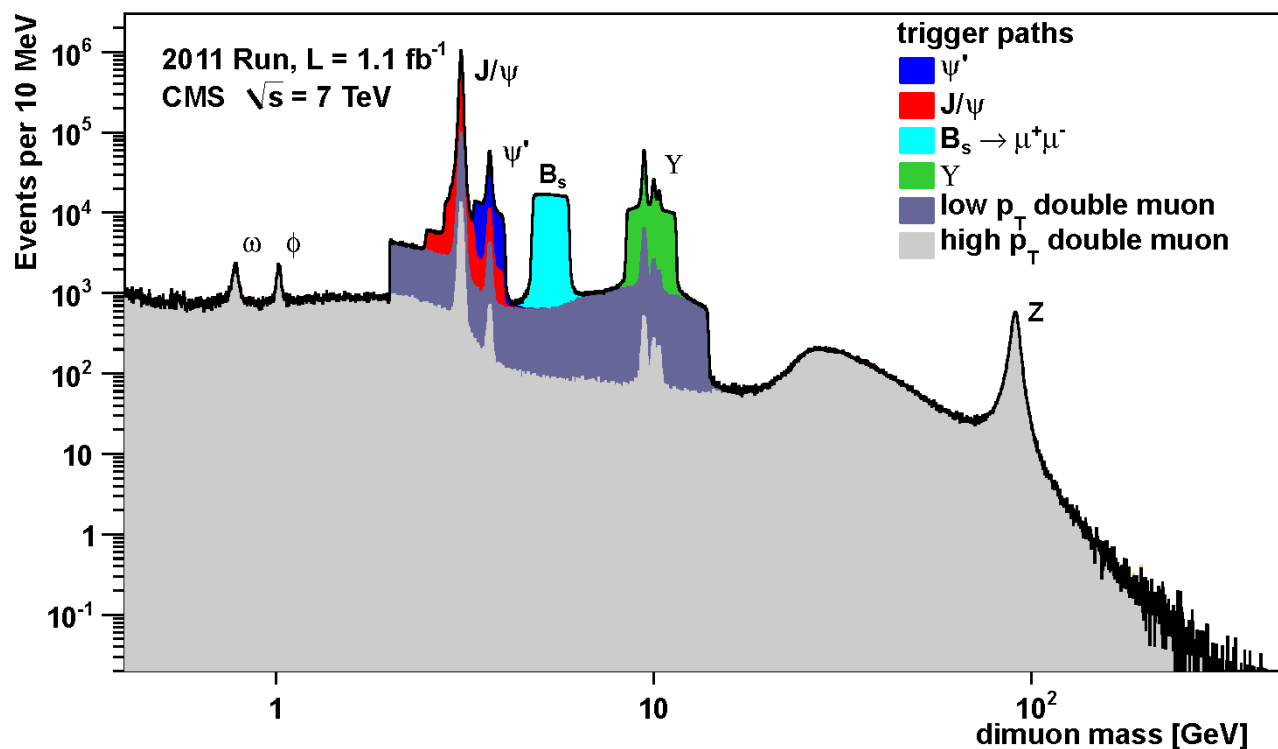
Heavy flavours: physics with b quarks



B physics with CMS



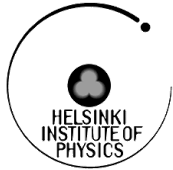
- General purpose experiment: main challenges trigger bandwidth, no hadron triggers at level-1, no π/K separation
- → Concentrate on dilepton channels
- → Use highly “specialized” triggers: apply at High Level Trigger already as many selections as possible



Cross section measurements

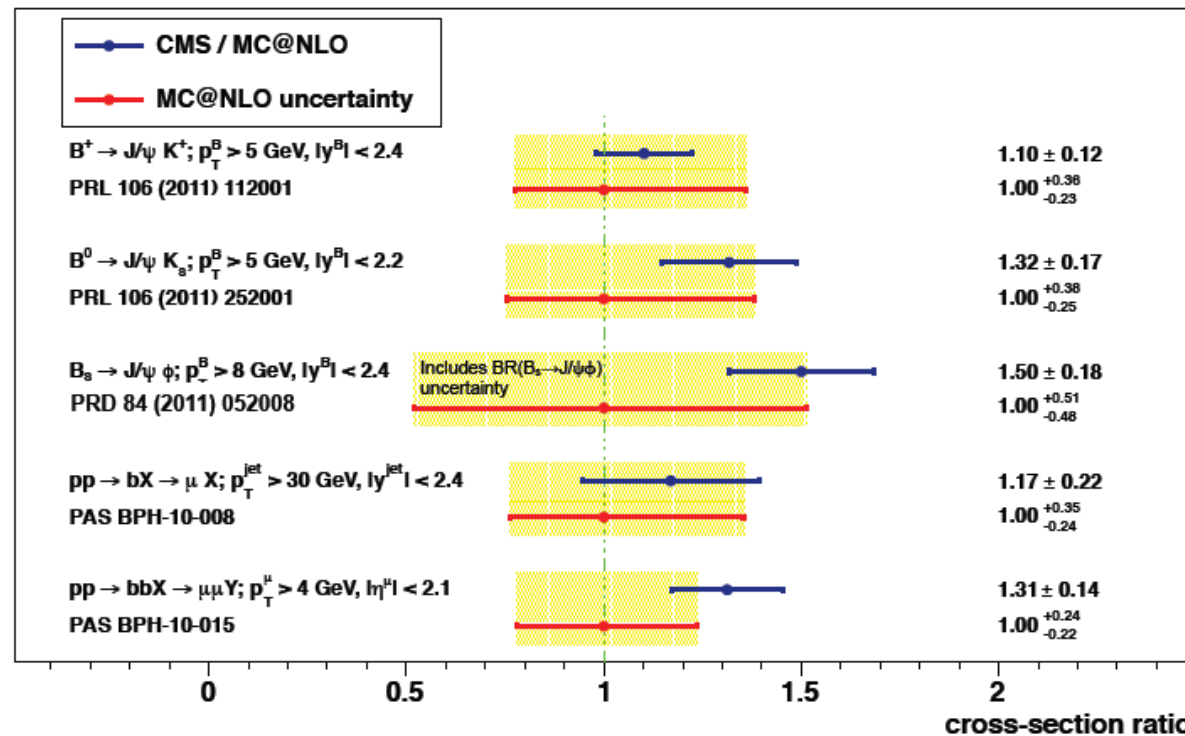


- Probing QCD in **different kinematical domains**
- All measurements confirming that **MC@NLO undershoots data at 7 TeV** (within uncertainties)
- CMS has also the first LHC result on **bb angular correlations**



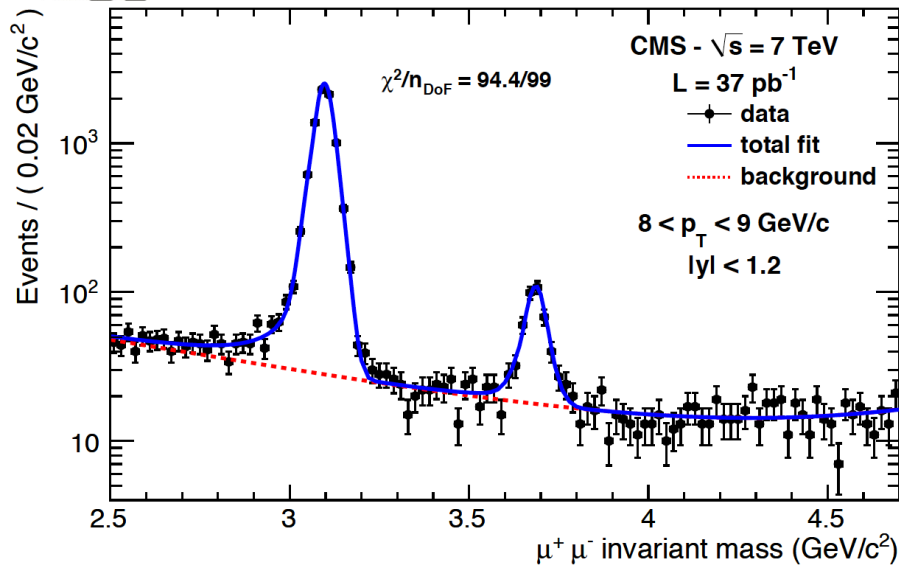
Exclusive
 $B \rightarrow J/\psi X$
 decays

Inclusive
 $B \rightarrow$ muons



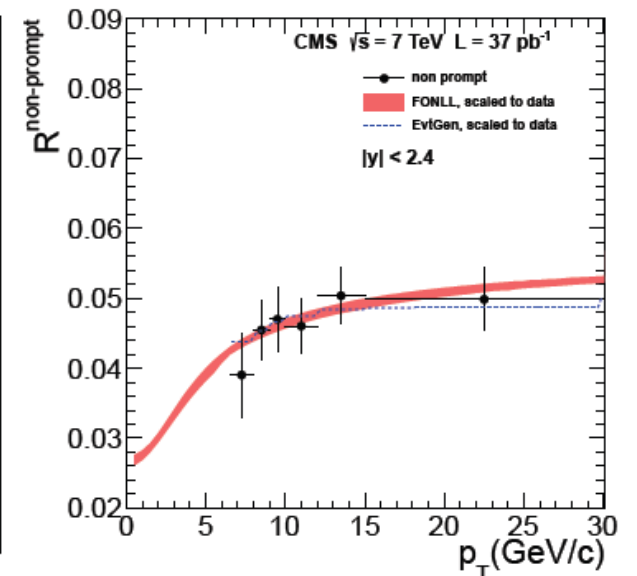
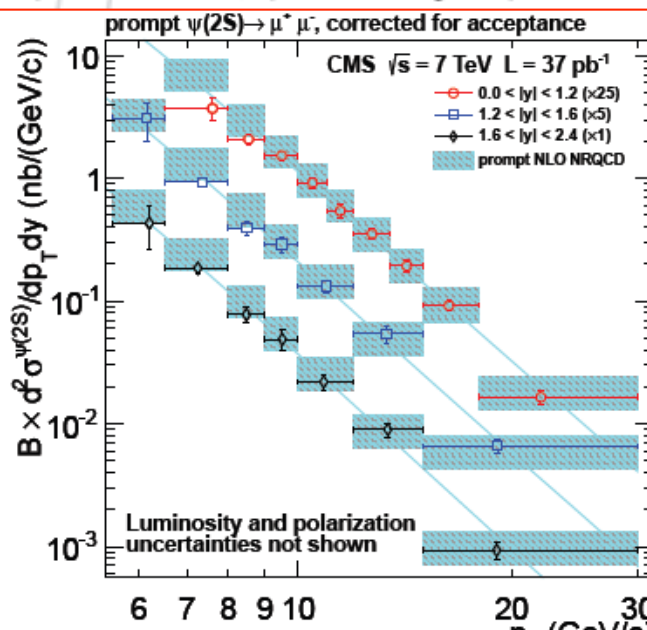
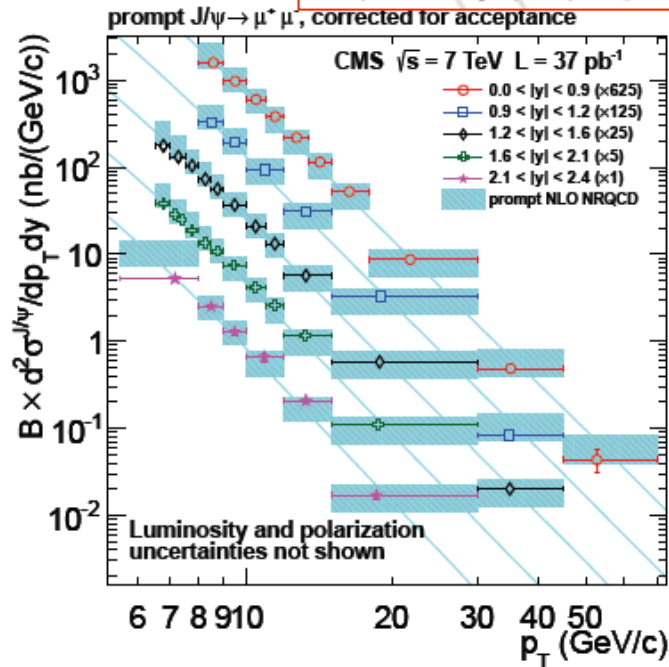
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Some recent results: J/ψ and ψ(2S)



- **ψ(2S) cleaner probe of NRQCD** (no feed-down from heavier states)
- Differential cross-sections show good agreement with predictions
- **Inclusive BR of B → ψ(2S)** extracted from cross-section ratio, improving PDG uncertainty by a **factor 3**:

$$B(B \rightarrow \psi(2S)X) = (3.08 \pm 0.12(\text{stat.} + \text{syst.}) \pm 0.13(\text{theor.}) \pm 0.42(B_{\text{PDG}})) \cdot 10^{-3},$$





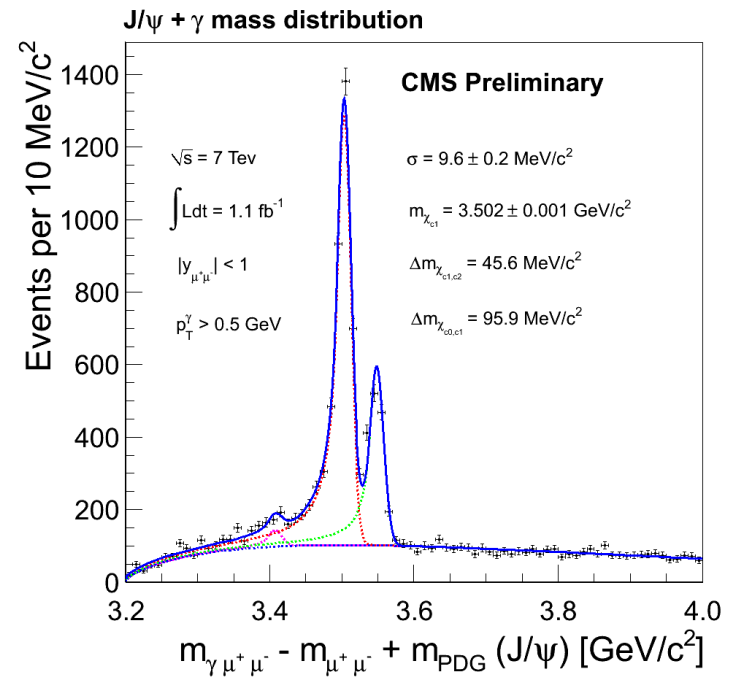
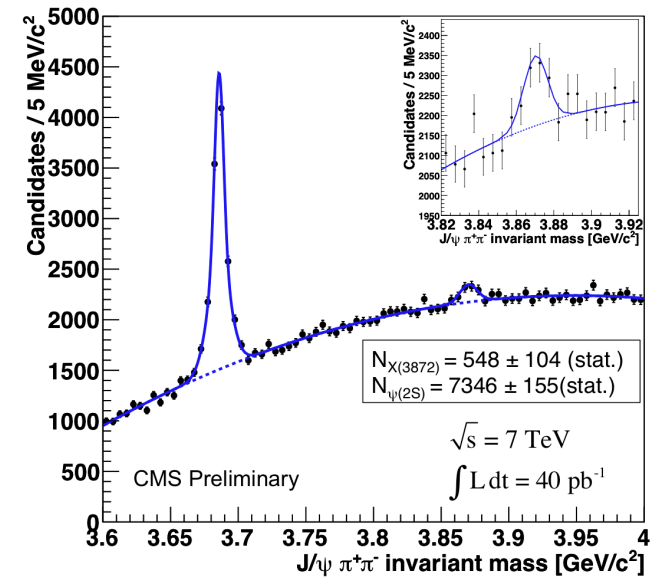
X(3872) and $\chi_{c0,c1,c2}$

Ratio of $\sigma \times BR$ for X(3872)/ $\psi(2S)$ in the kinematic region $p_T(X) > 8$ GeV and $|y(X)| < 2.2$ is measured to be

$$R = 0.087 \pm 0.017(\text{stat.}) \pm 0.009(\text{syst.})$$

Reconstruction of $\chi_{c0}, \chi_{c1}, \chi_{c2}$ using converted photons

CMS PAS BPH-010-18;
CMS DP 2011-011

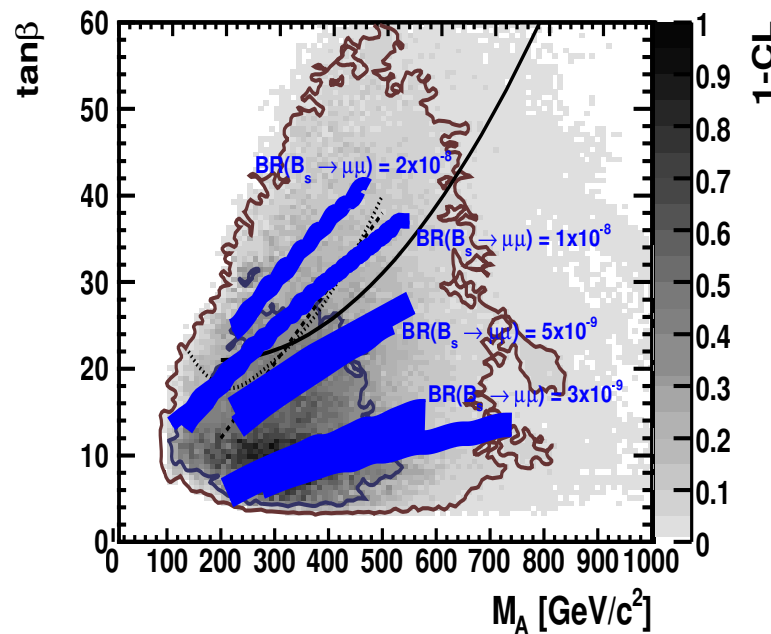
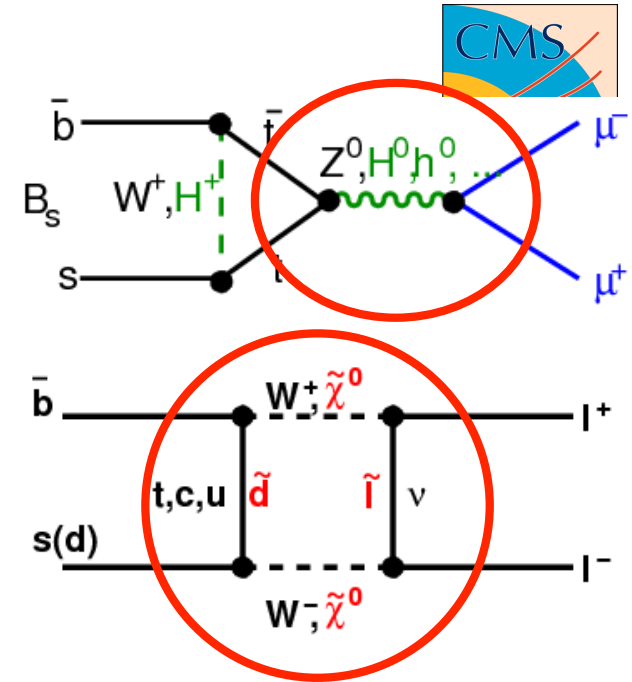


Looking for new physics: very rare B decays

■ $B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$

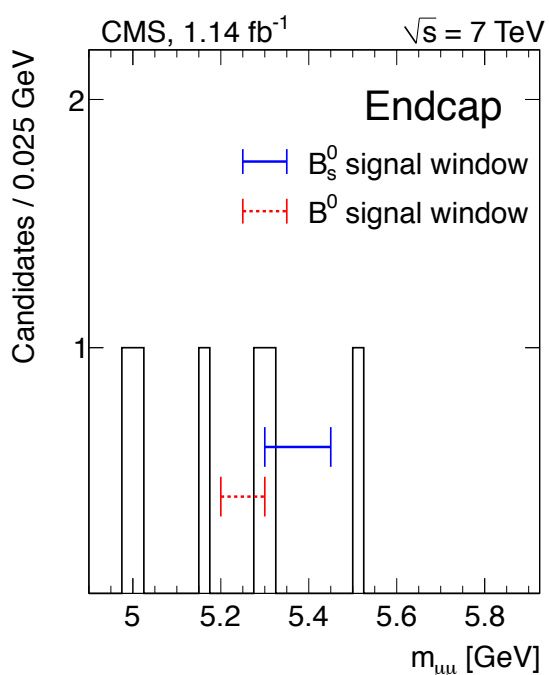
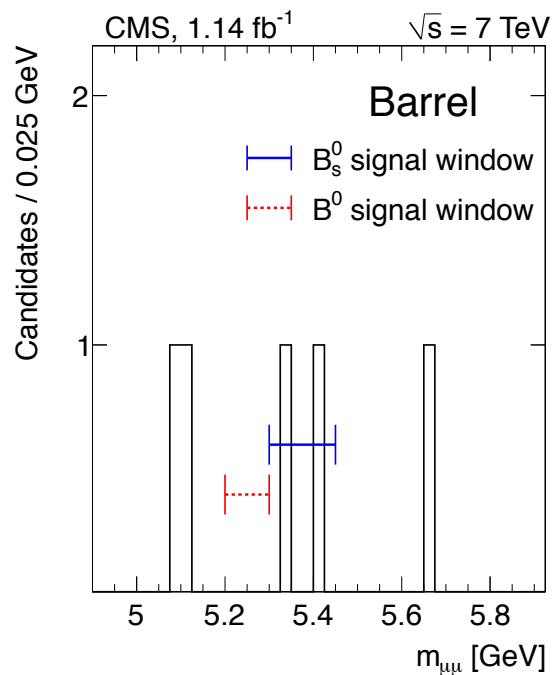
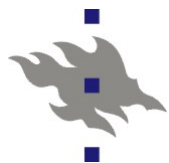
- Very rare in the Standard Model due to GIM and helicity suppression: $BR(B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-) = (3.2 \pm 0.2) \times 10^{-9}$
- Sensitive to physics beyond the Standard Model: **new particles entering in the loops**

■ Eg. MSSM: $BR_{MSSM}(B_q \rightarrow \ell^+ \ell^-) \propto \frac{m_b^2 m_\ell^2 \tan^6 \beta}{m_A^4}$



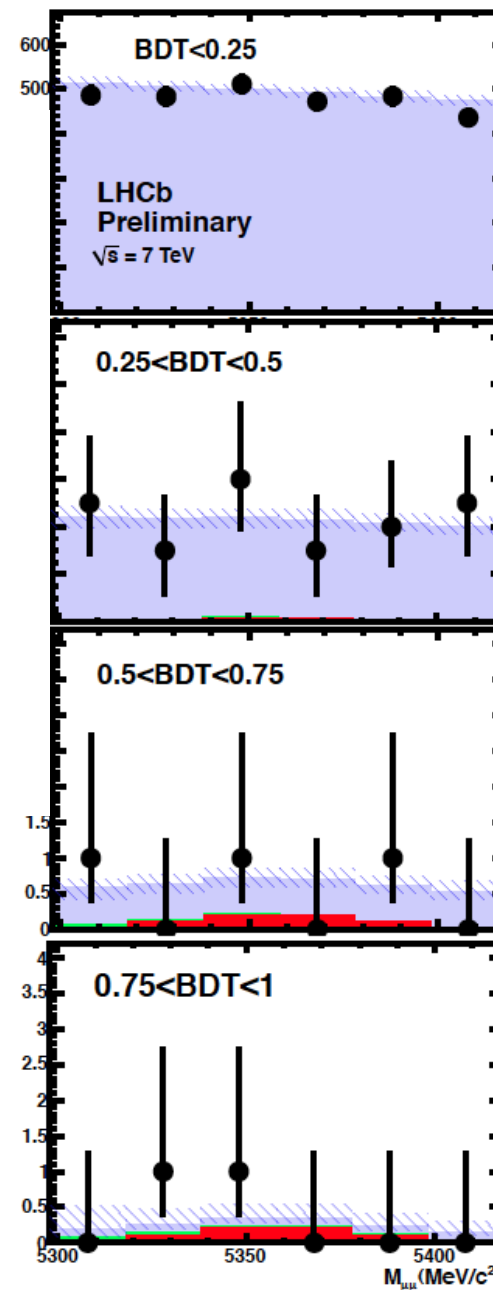
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CMS results



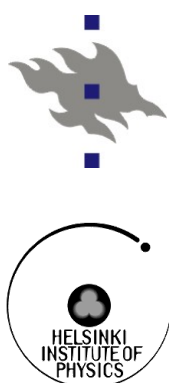
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LHCb results

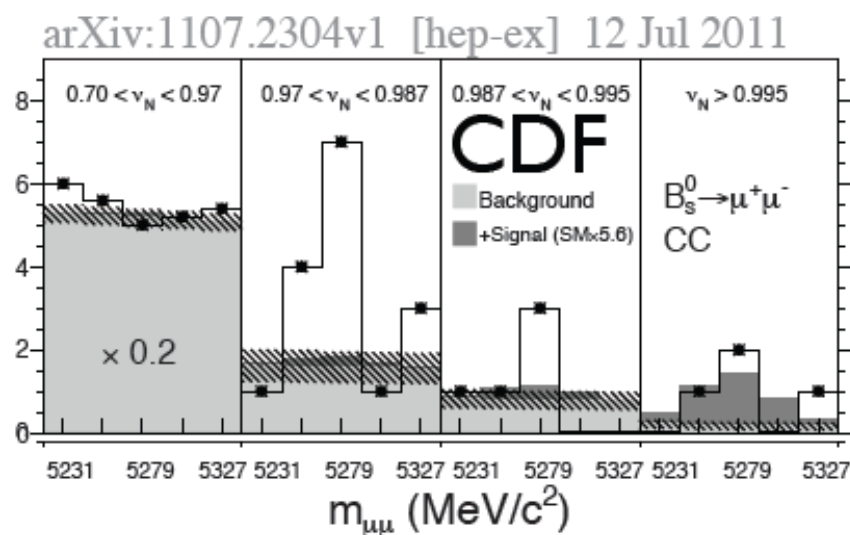




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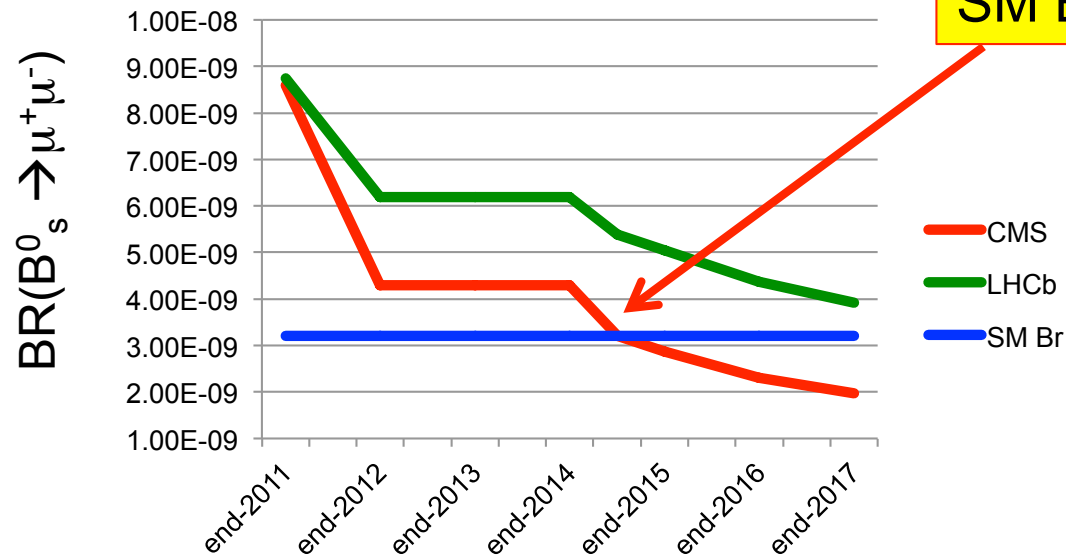
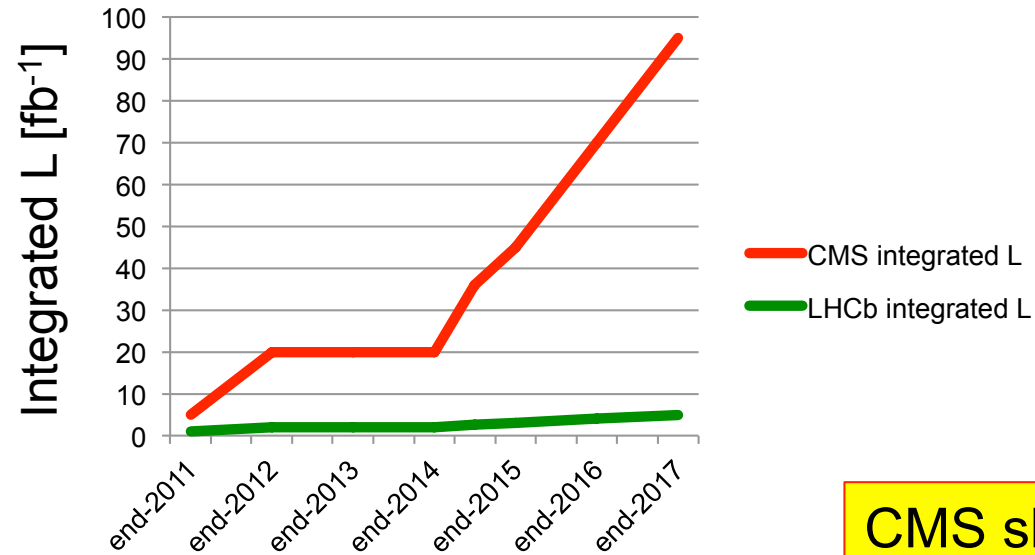
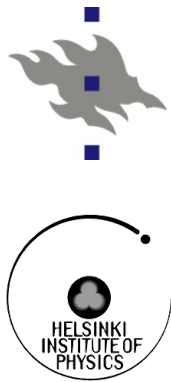


- No signal \rightarrow put upper limits
- LHCb: $BR(B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-) < 1.5 \times 10^{-8}$
- CMS: $BR(B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-) < 1.9 \times 10^{-8}$
- Combined: **$BR(B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-) < 1.1 \times 10^{-8}$**
- CDF: $BR(B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-) = (1.8^{+1.1}_{-0.9}) \times 10^{-8}$



CMS+LHCb combined results
CMS PAS BPH-011-019, LHCb-ANA-2011-039

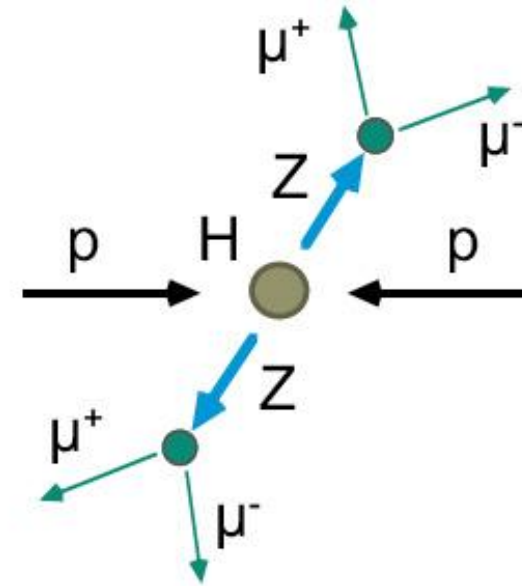
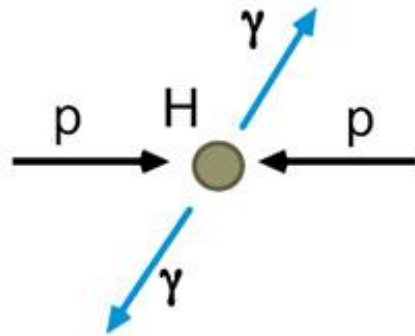
Prospects



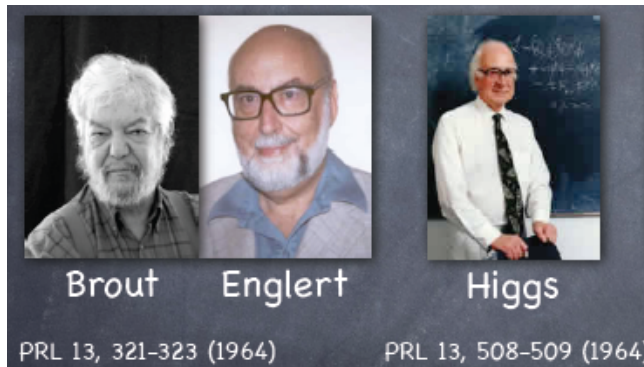
CMS should reach the SM BR mid-2015



Higgs searches



(Peter) Higgs in LHC

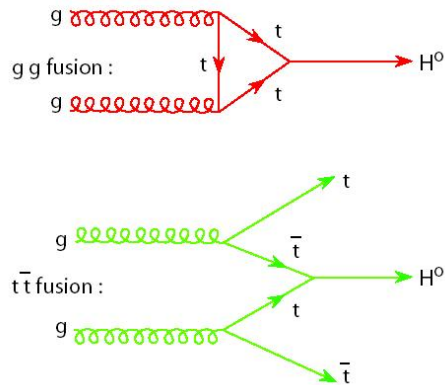


Brout-Englert-Higgs

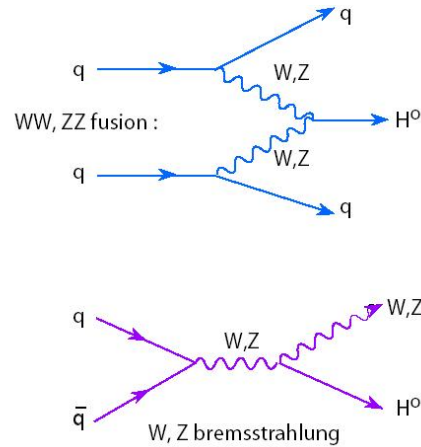


SM Higgs production at LHC

gg fusion (dominant)

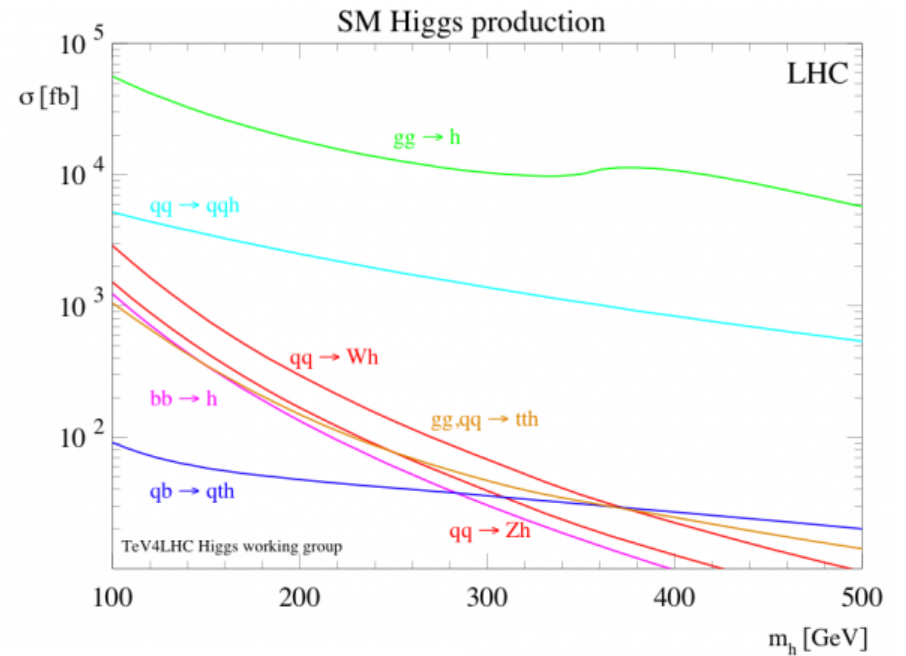
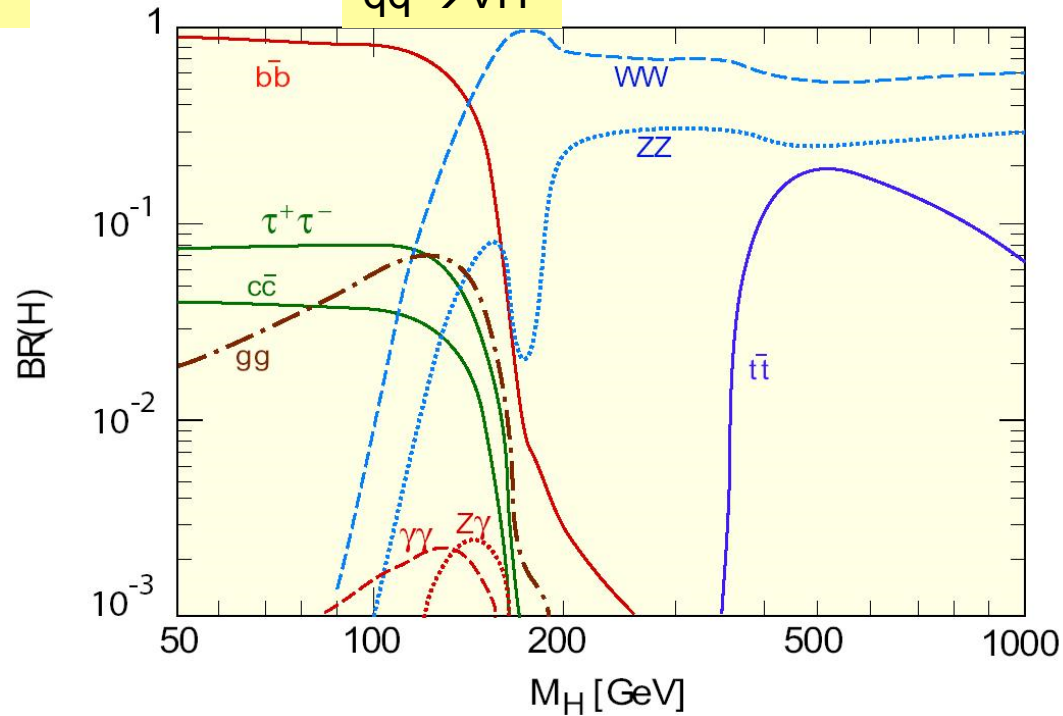


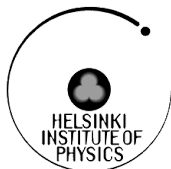
vector boson fusion



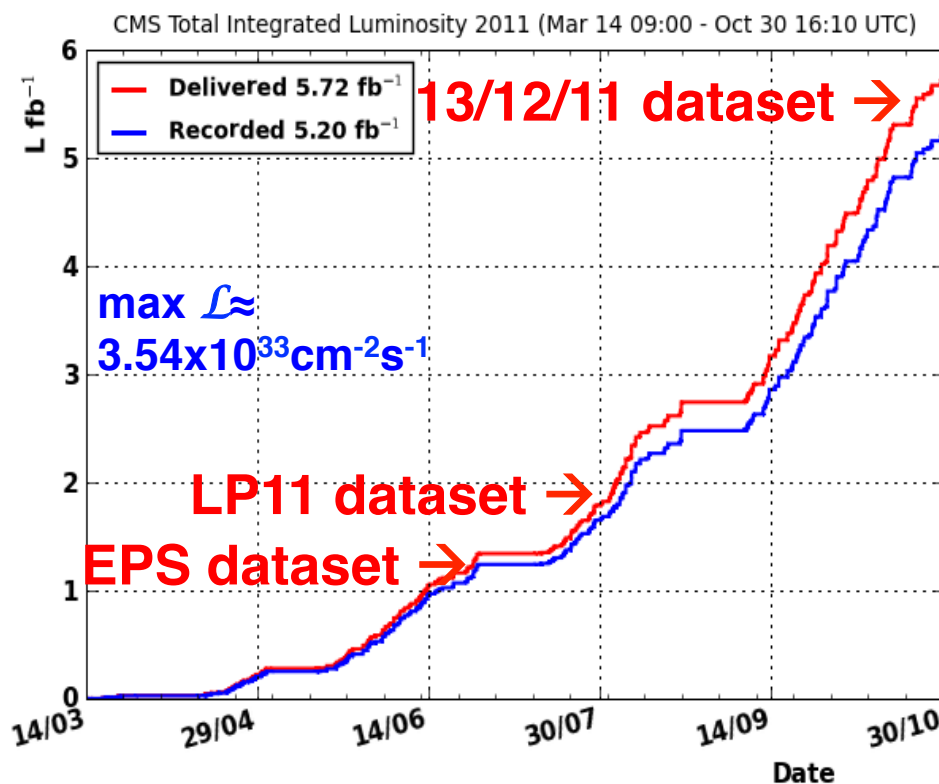
gg (qq) \rightarrow ttH

qq \rightarrow VH



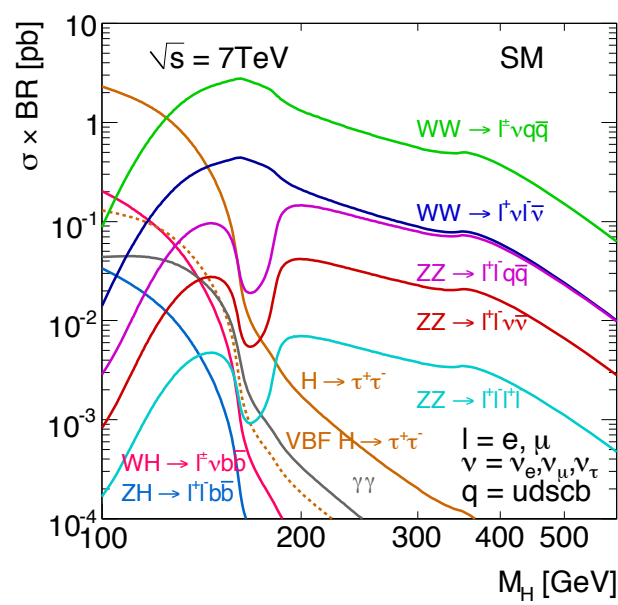
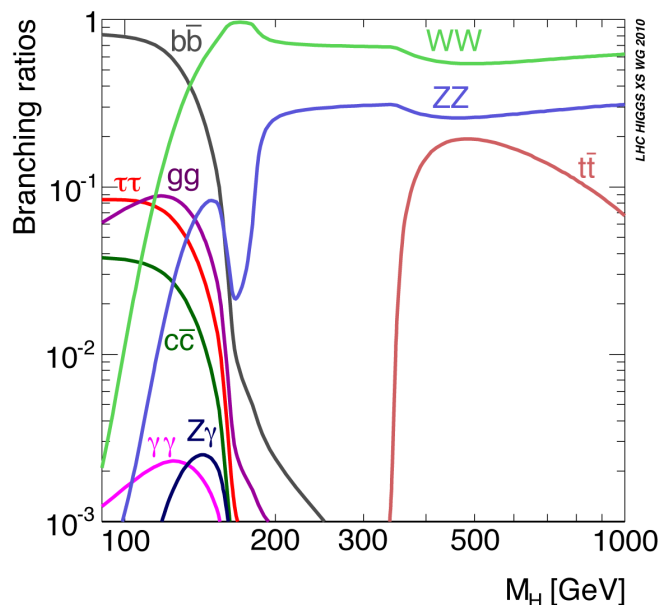
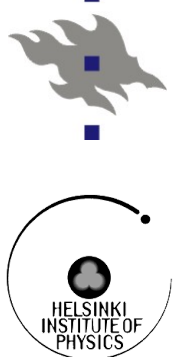


Data for Higgs results

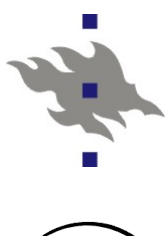


Results use a large fraction of the full 2011 dataset.
Certified data for physics: “Golden” 4745 pb⁻¹ (~92%),
“Muon” 4965 pb⁻¹ (~96%).

Decay modes analyzed with the full 2011 data set



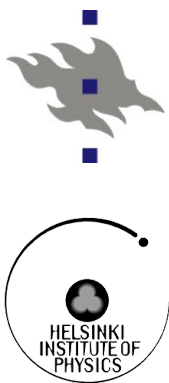
Mode	Mass Range	Data Used (fb ⁻¹)	CMS Document
$H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$	110-150	4.7	HIG-11-030
$H \rightarrow bb$	110-135	4.7	HIG-11-031
$H \rightarrow \tau\tau$	110-145	4.6	HIG-11-029
$H \rightarrow WW \rightarrow 2l 2\nu$	110-600	4.6	HIG-11-024
$H \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow 4l$	110-600	4.7	HIG-11-025
$H \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow 2l2\tau$	180-600	4.7	HIG-11-028
$H \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow 2l2j$	130-165/200-600	4.6	HIG-11-027
$H \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow 2l2\nu$	250-600	4.6	HIG-11-026



Decay modes



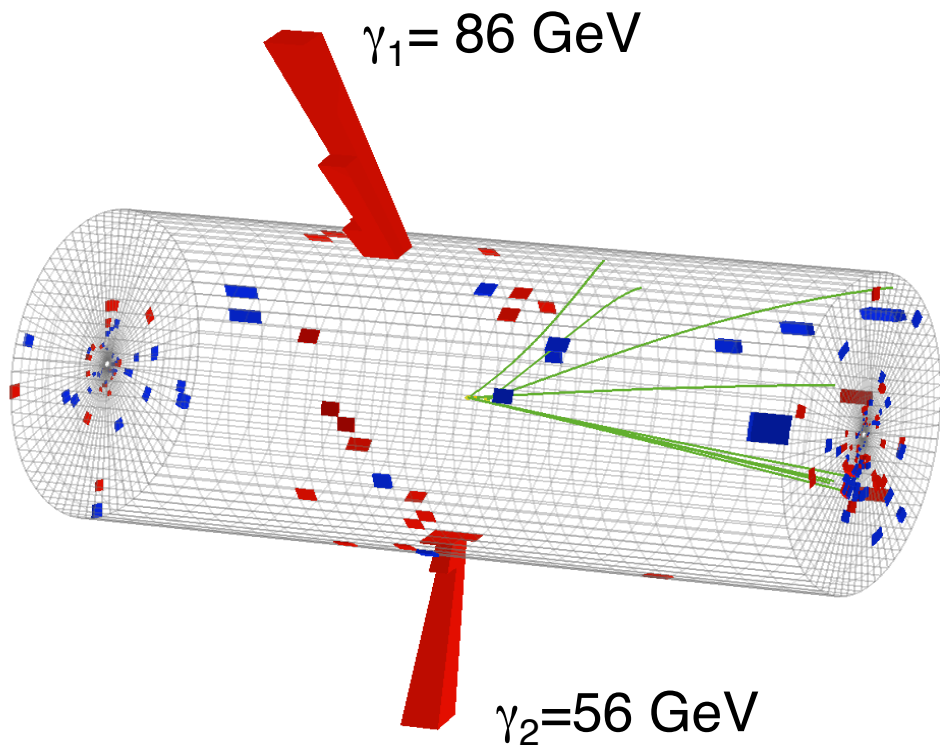
Channel	m_H range (GeV/ c^2)	Lumi (fb $^{-1}$)	sub- channels	m_H reso- lution
$H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$	110–150	4.7	4	1.2–2.7%
$H \rightarrow \tau\tau$	110–145	4.6	9	20%
$H \rightarrow bb$	110–135	4.7	5	10%
$H \rightarrow WW \rightarrow l\nu l\nu$	110–600	4.6	5	20%
$H \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow 4l$	110–600	4.7	3	1–2%
$H \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow 2l2\tau$	180–600	4.7	8	10–15%
$H \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow 2l2\nu$	250–600	4.6	2	7%
$H \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow 2l2q$	200–600 130–165	4.6	6	3%



Low mass Higgs search : $H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$

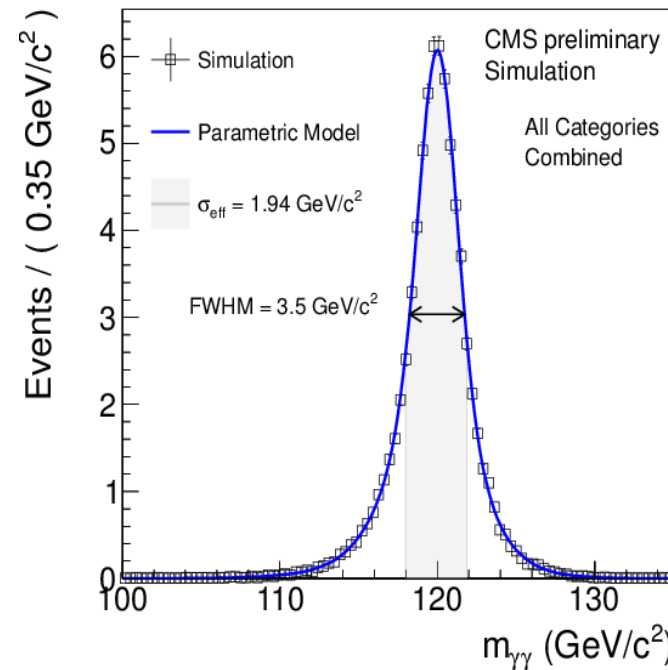


- + **Simple signal: 2 energetic, isolated γ .**
- + **Excellent mass resolution \rightarrow narrow mass peak**
- Large and partly irreducible QCD background
- Challenges: vertexing with pileup, calibrations and transparency corrections for the crystals.

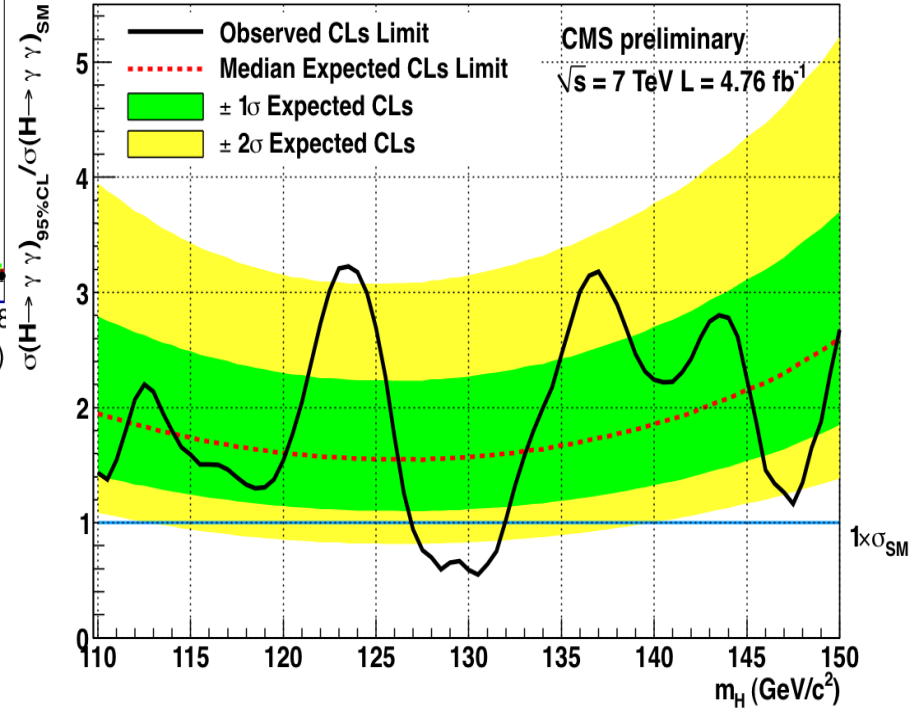
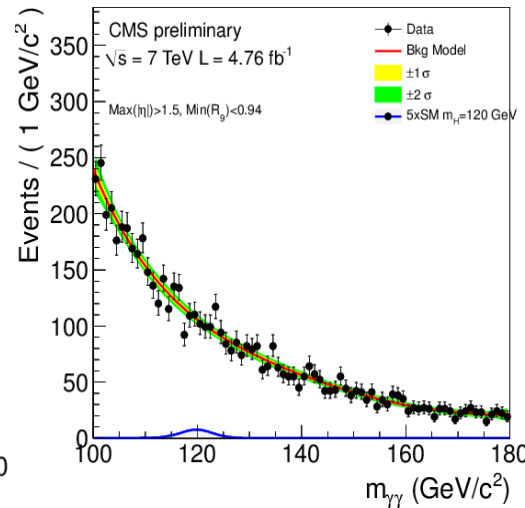
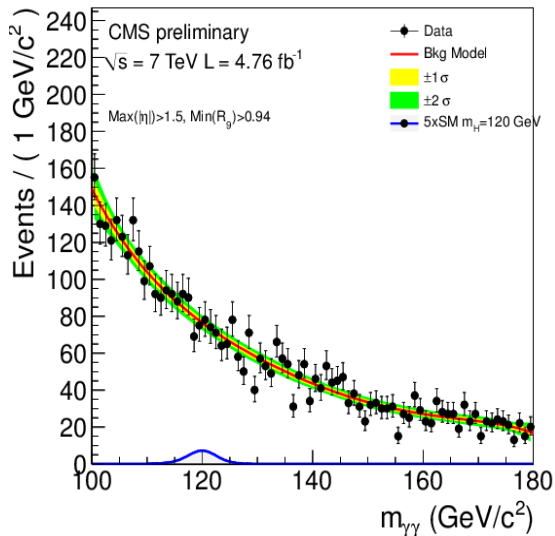
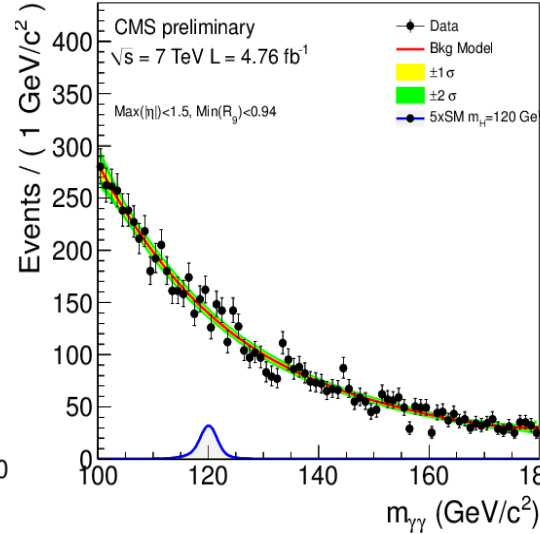
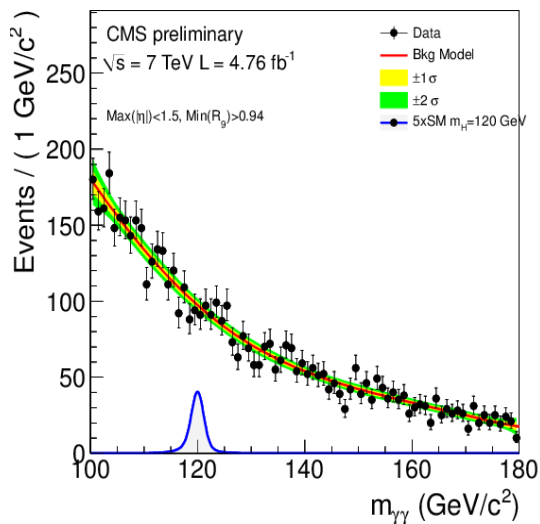


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* Background: measured from $M_{\gamma\gamma}$ sidebands in data
 * Calibration constants derived from $Z \rightarrow ee$ data



H → γγ: data and exclusion limits

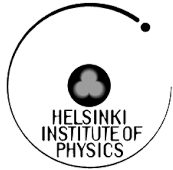


Critical point: background fit model. It has been shown that the structure/ shape of the observed limit is not due to the chosen background model.

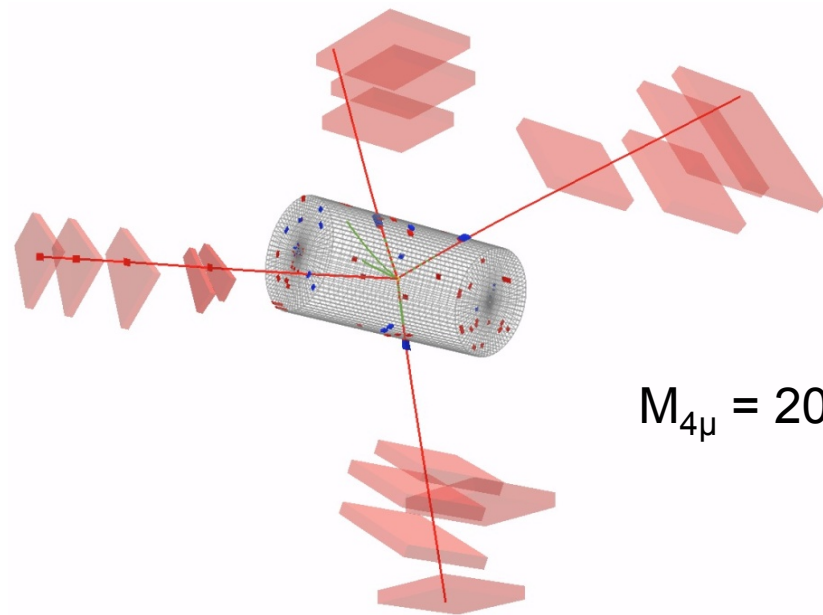
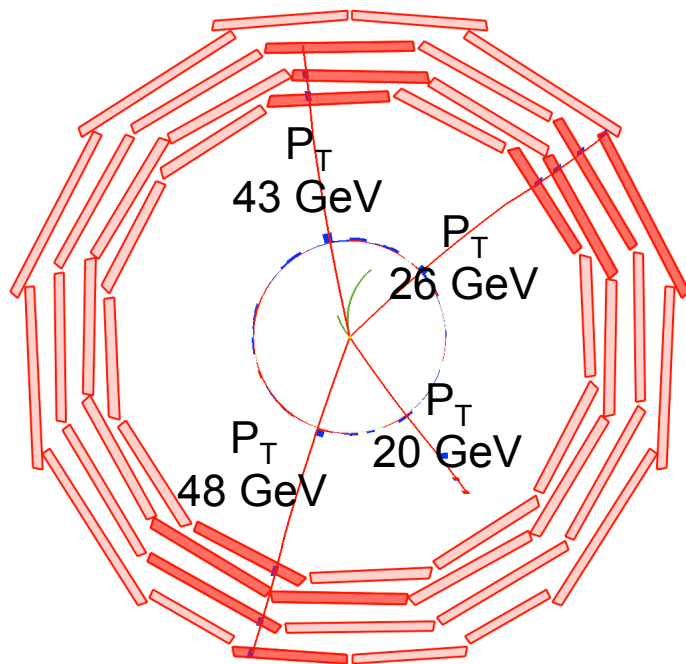
Using 5th order polynomial fit to background: some loss in sensitivity but negligible bias.



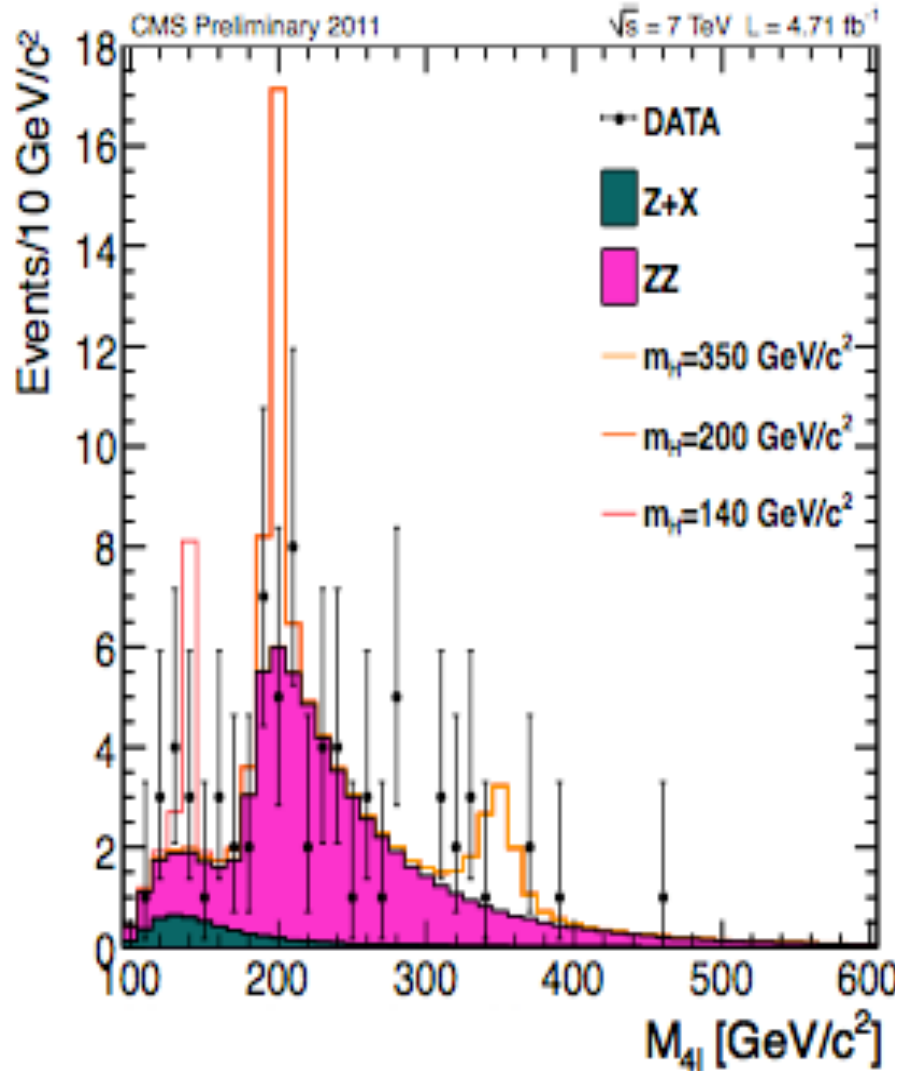
Higgs decay to four leptons: $H \rightarrow ZZ^{(*)} \rightarrow 4e, 4\mu, 2e+2\mu$



Observed event in **CMS**



Results: $H \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow 4\text{leptons}$



Estimated background

Estimated Higgs signals

$m_{4l} > 100 \text{ GeV}/c^2$

Observed events: 72

Expected events: 67.1 ± 6.0

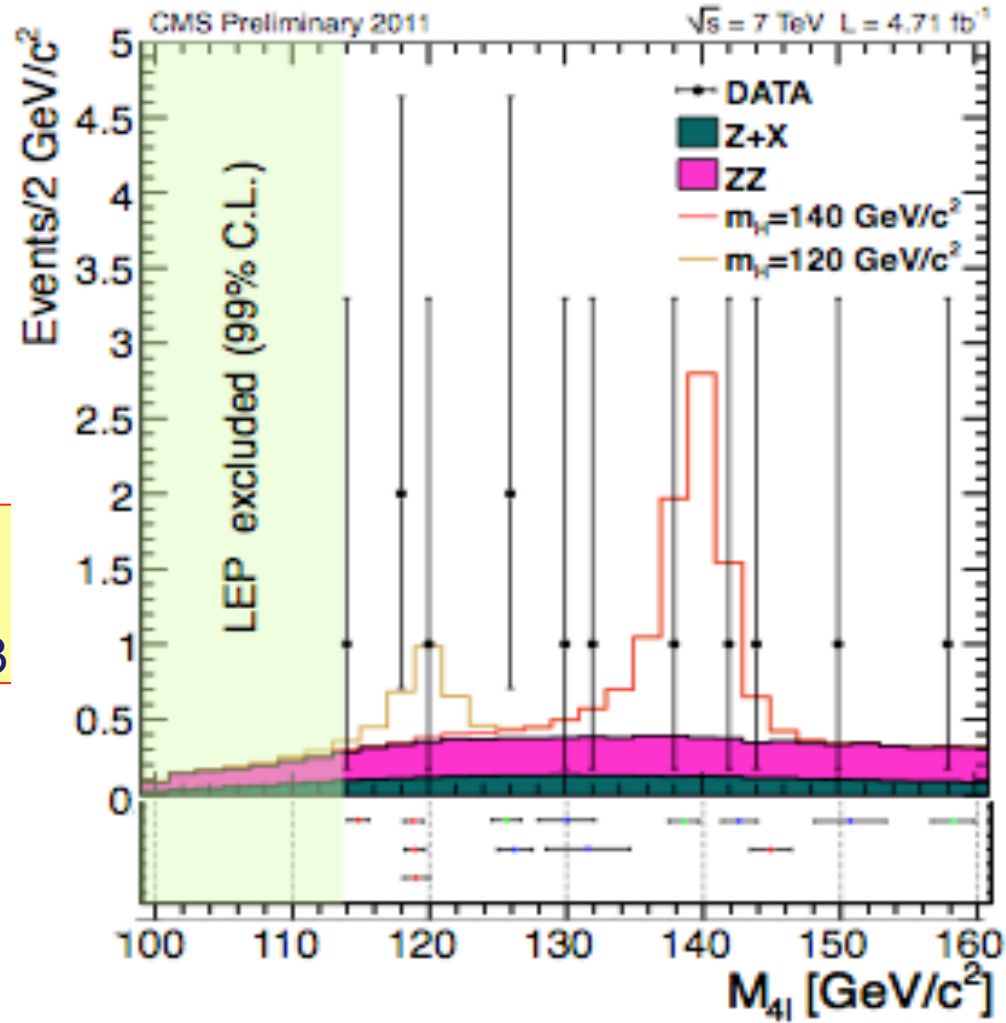
Baseline	$4e$	4μ	$2e2\mu$
ZZ	12.27 ± 1.16	19.11 ± 1.75	30.25 ± 2.78
Z+X	1.67 ± 0.55	1.13 ± 0.55	2.71 ± 0.96
All background	13.94 ± 1.28	20.24 ± 1.83	32.96 ± 2.94
$m_H = 120 \text{ GeV}/c^2$	0.25	0.62	0.68
$m_H = 140 \text{ GeV}/c^2$	1.32	2.48	3.37
$m_H = 350 \text{ GeV}/c^2$	1.95	2.61	4.64
Observed	12	23	37

Low mass region



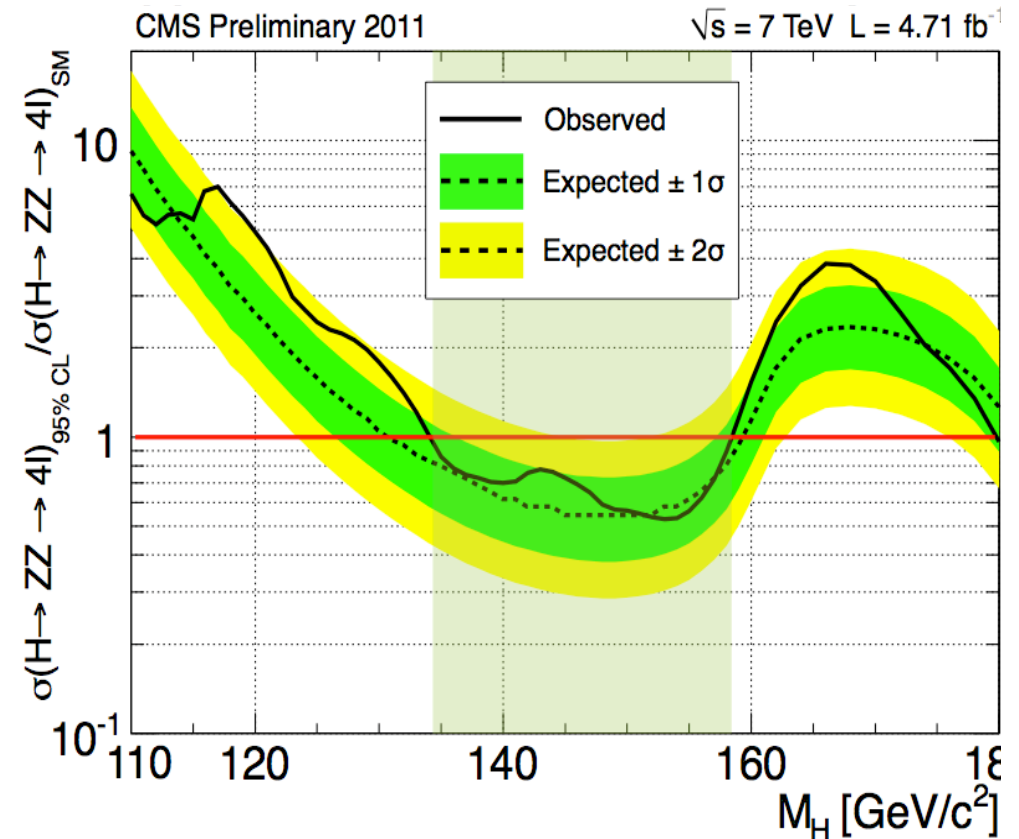
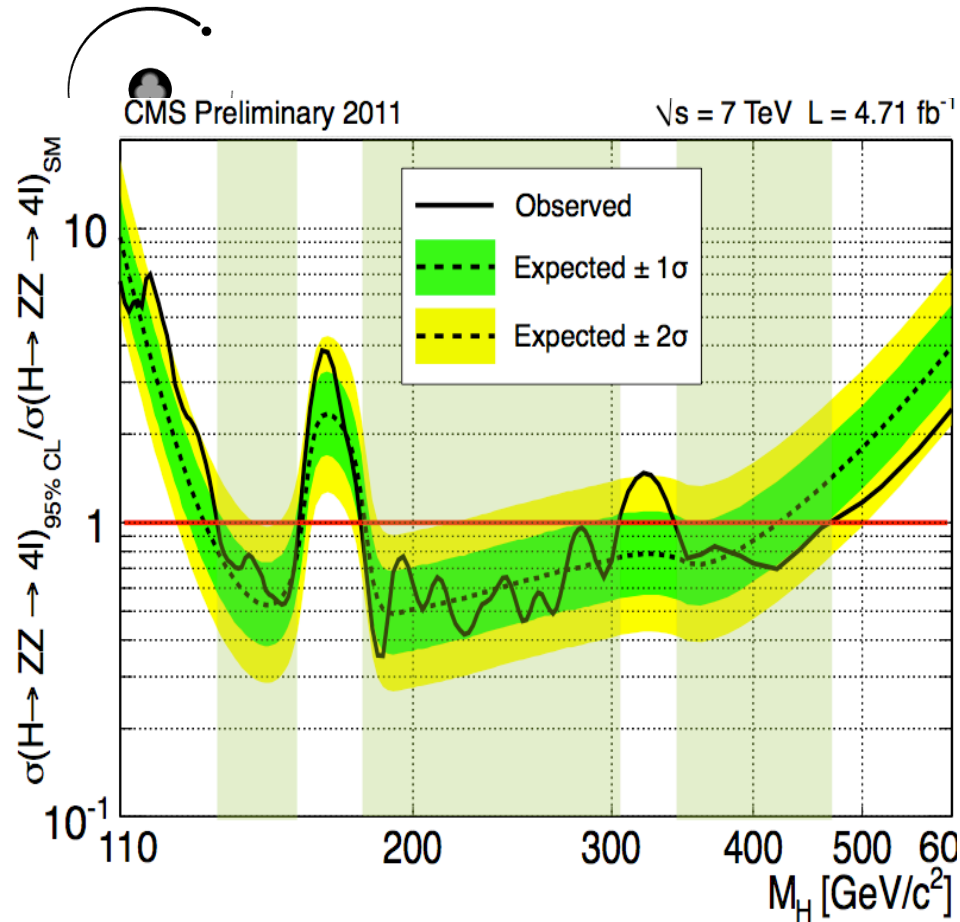
$100 < m_{4l} < 160 \text{ GeV}/c^2$
 Observed events: 13
 Expected events: 9.5 ± 1.3

Final state:	4e	4μ	2e2μ
Obs. events:	3	5	5
Exp. events:	1.7	3.3	4.5





H→ZZ→4l: 95%CL exclusion limits



Expected range: $130 < M_{\text{H}} < 160 \text{ GeV}$; $182 < M_{\text{H}} < 420 \text{ GeV}$

Observed range: $134 < M_{\text{H}} < 158 \text{ GeV}$; $180 < M_{\text{H}} < 305 \text{ GeV}$; $340 < M_{\text{H}} < 460 \text{ GeV}$

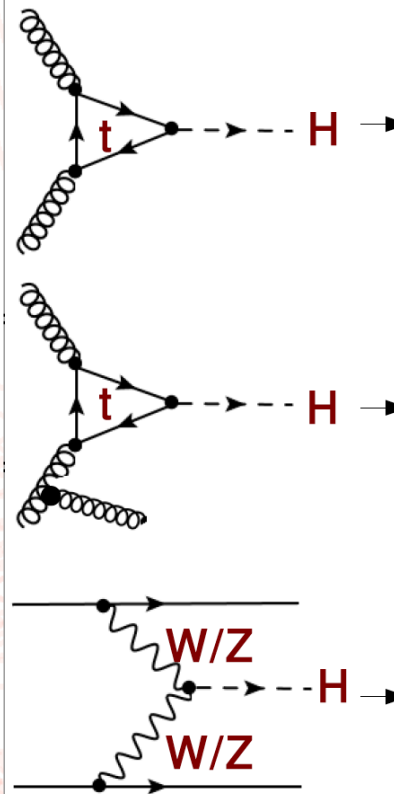
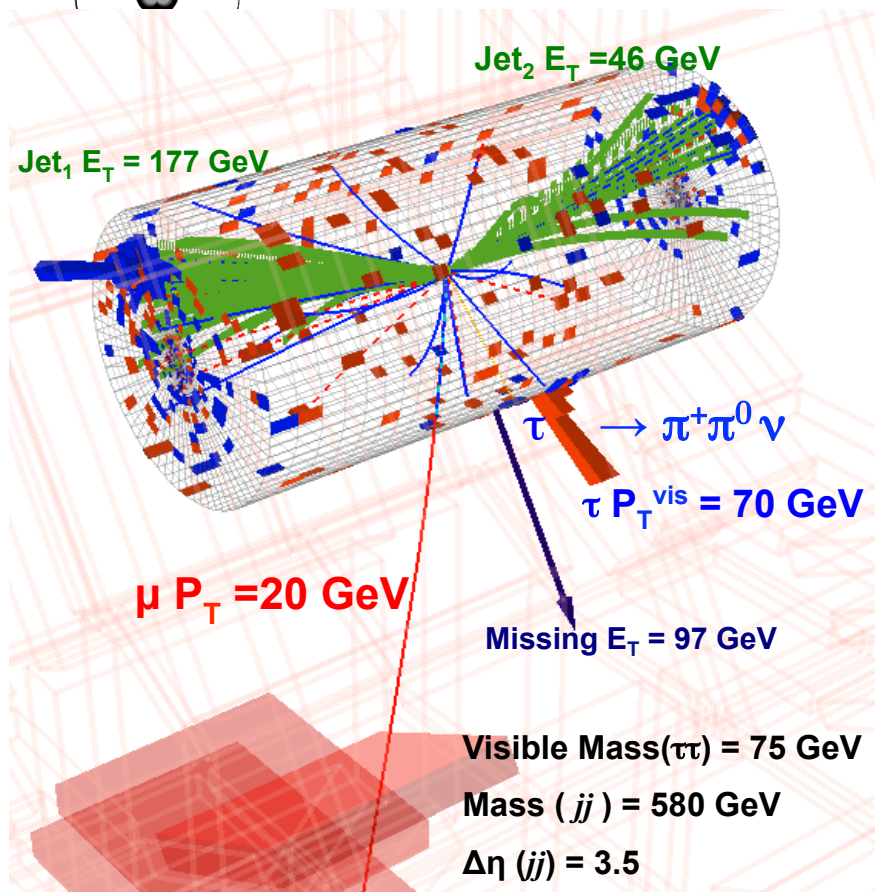
Low mass Higgs search : $H \rightarrow \tau\tau$

Glucn-fusion production dominant, but overwhelmed by Drell-Yan production of τ pairs.

Need additional handles:

→ VBF Higgs production,

→ high- p_T τ pairs from Higgs produced in association with a high- p_T jet (Boosted)



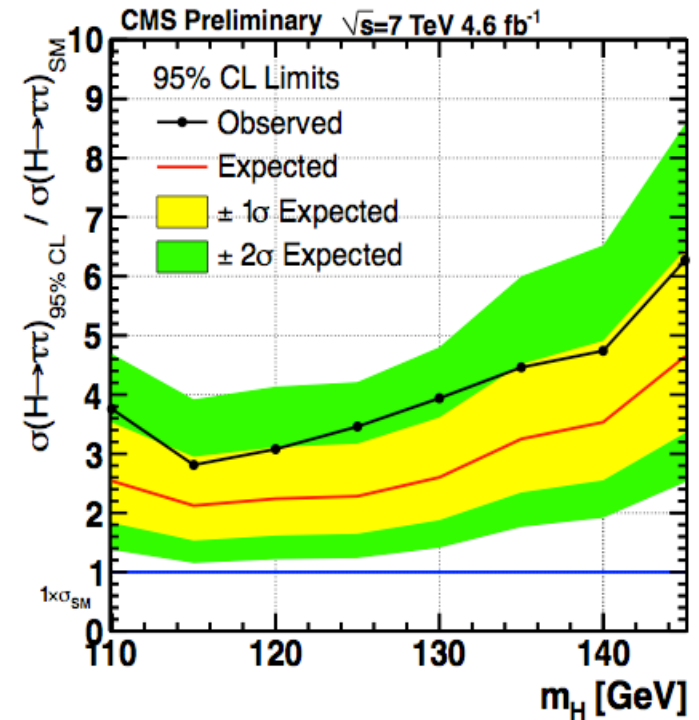
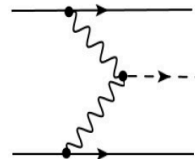
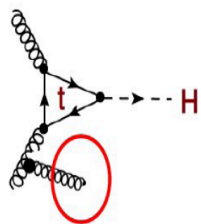
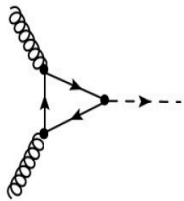
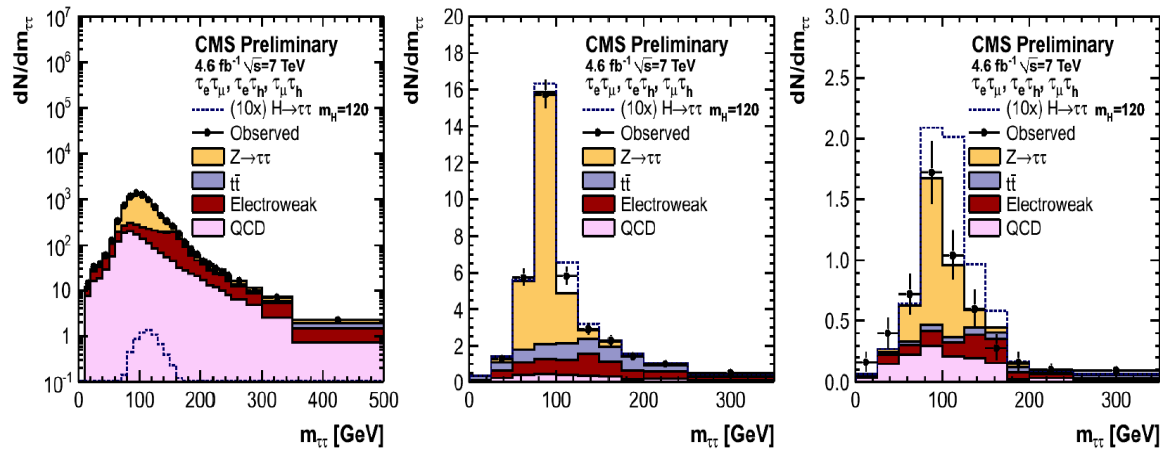
SM-0/1 jet
 0 jets $>30 \text{ GeV}$ or 1 jet $<150 \text{ GeV}$

SM-Boosted
 One jet $P_t >150 \text{ GeV}$
 No other jets $>30 \text{ GeV}$

SM-VBF
 ≥ 2 jets $>30 \text{ GeV}$
 $\Delta\eta >4$, $M_{jj} >400 \text{ GeV}$
 No additional jets with $P_t >30$ in the rapidity gap

- $\tau\tau$ selection: $\mu+\tau_{had}$, $\mu+\tau_{had}$, $\mu+e$
- **VBF mode cleanest, most sensitive**

H → ττ : results



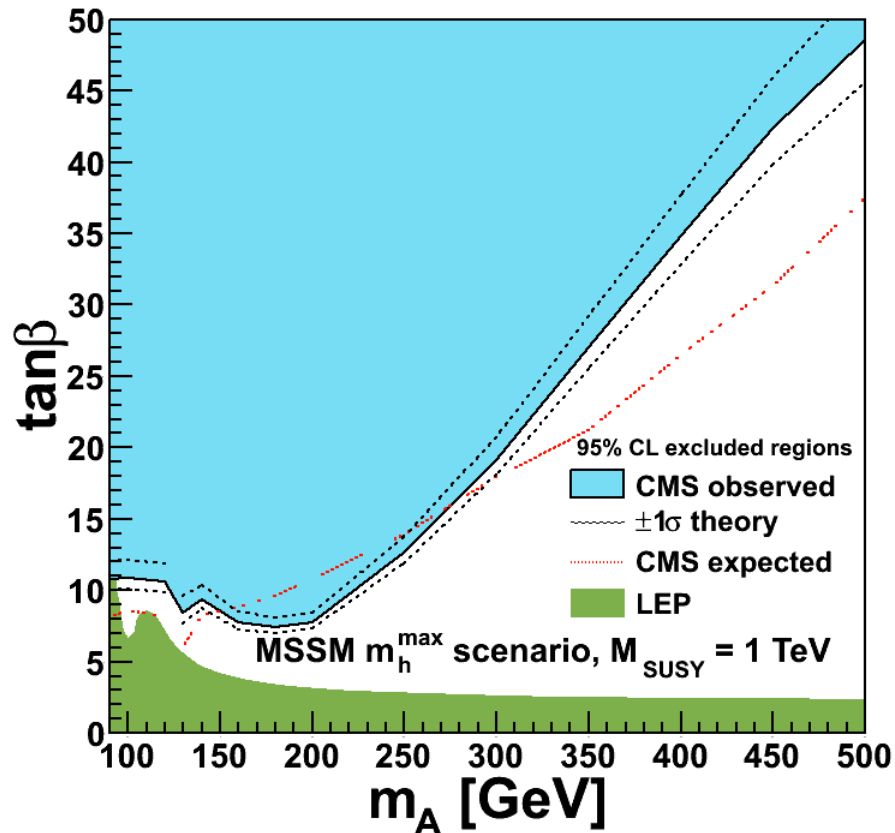
MSSM search $\phi \rightarrow \tau\tau$, $\phi = h, H, A$



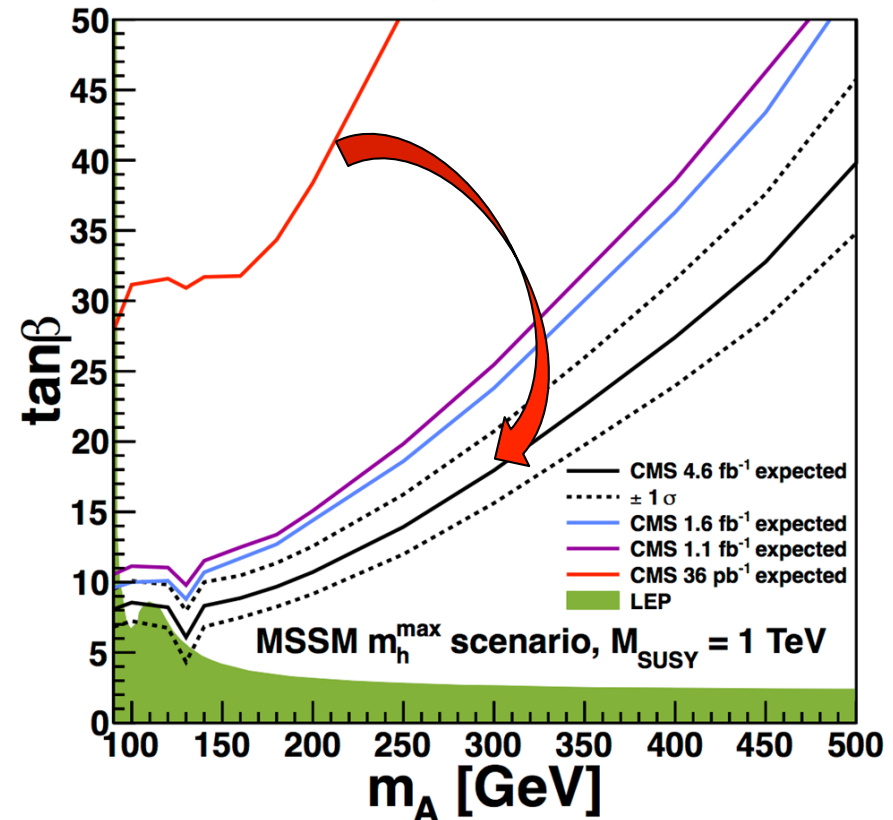
Main production processes:

- gluon fusion through a b quark loop
- direct bb annihilation from the b parton density \leftrightarrow increased probability for an associated b-tagged jet, additional handle to beat the background

CMS Preliminary 2011 4.6 fb⁻¹



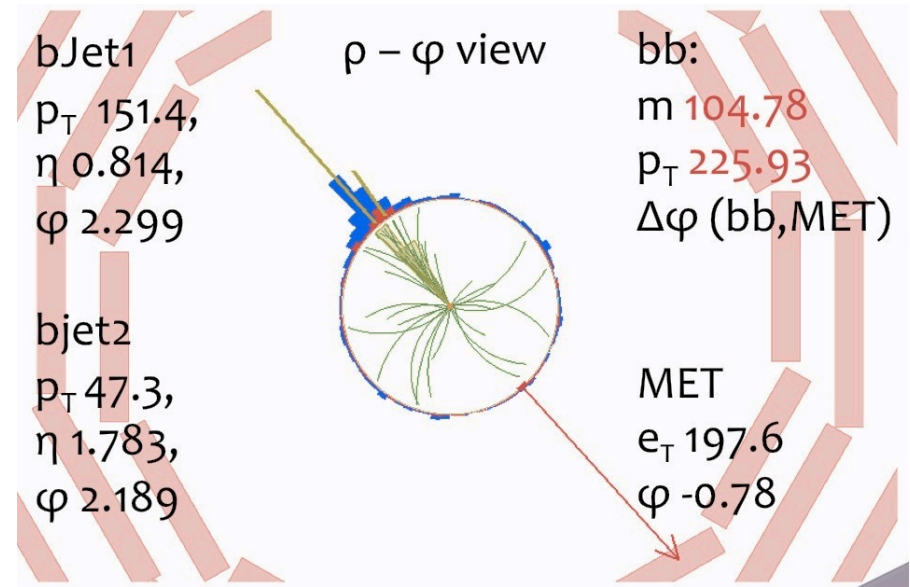
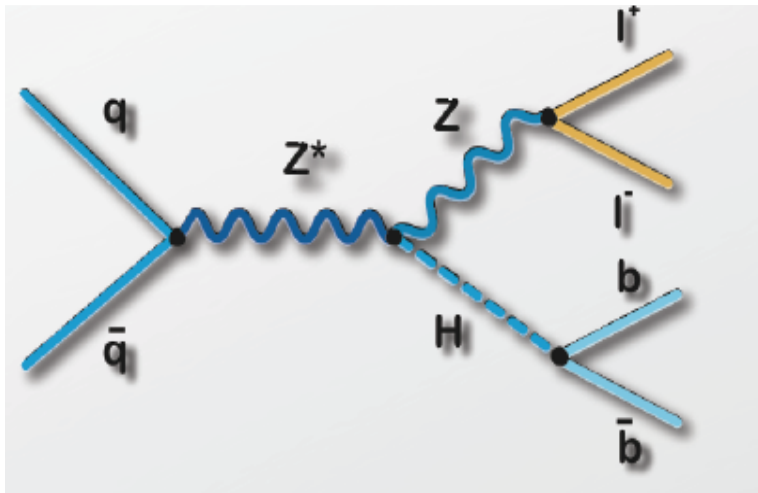
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Low mass Higgs search : $H \rightarrow bb$



- $gg \rightarrow H \rightarrow bb$ and VBF are dominant production modes but overwhelmed by enormous QCD di-jet background
- Best option: $qq \rightarrow VH; H \rightarrow bb$
 - Major backgrounds are $V+jets$, VV , $t\bar{t}$
- Use
 - VH topology : $\Delta\Phi(V,H) > 3$
 - $P_T(V) > 100-160$ GeV (boosted W/Z)
 - Tight b-tagging & MET quality
 - Backgrounds estimated from control data



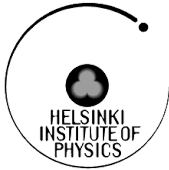
5 sub channels

- $Z(\rightarrow ll); H \rightarrow bb, l = \mu, e$
- $W(\rightarrow lv); H \rightarrow bb, l = \mu, e$
- $Z(\rightarrow \nu\nu); H \rightarrow bb$

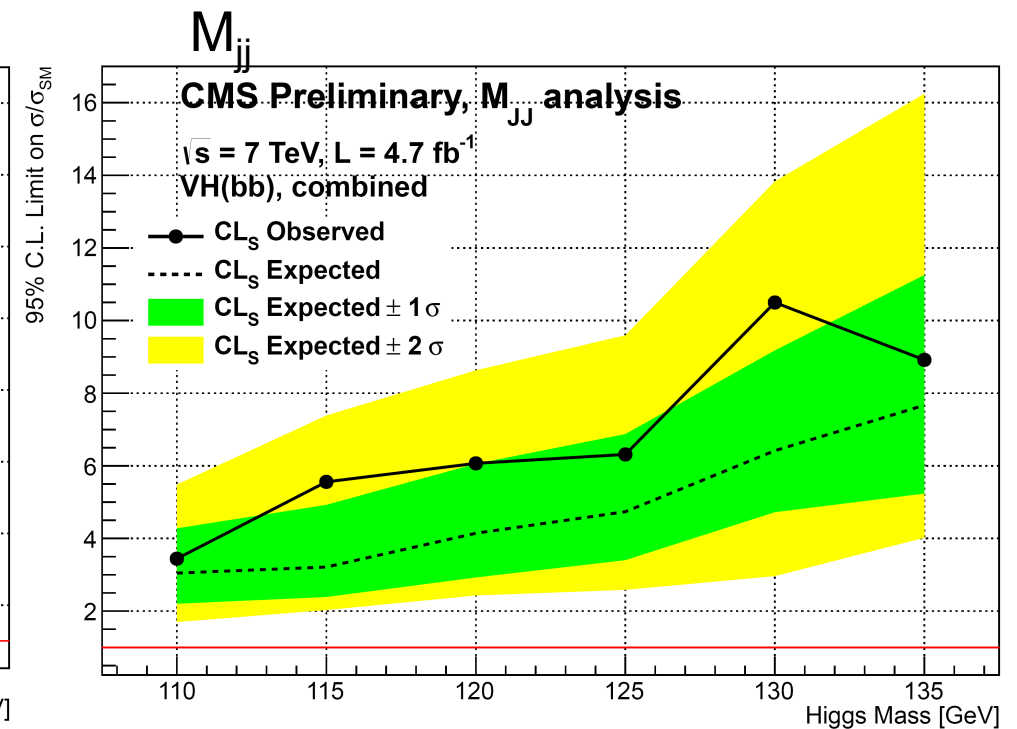
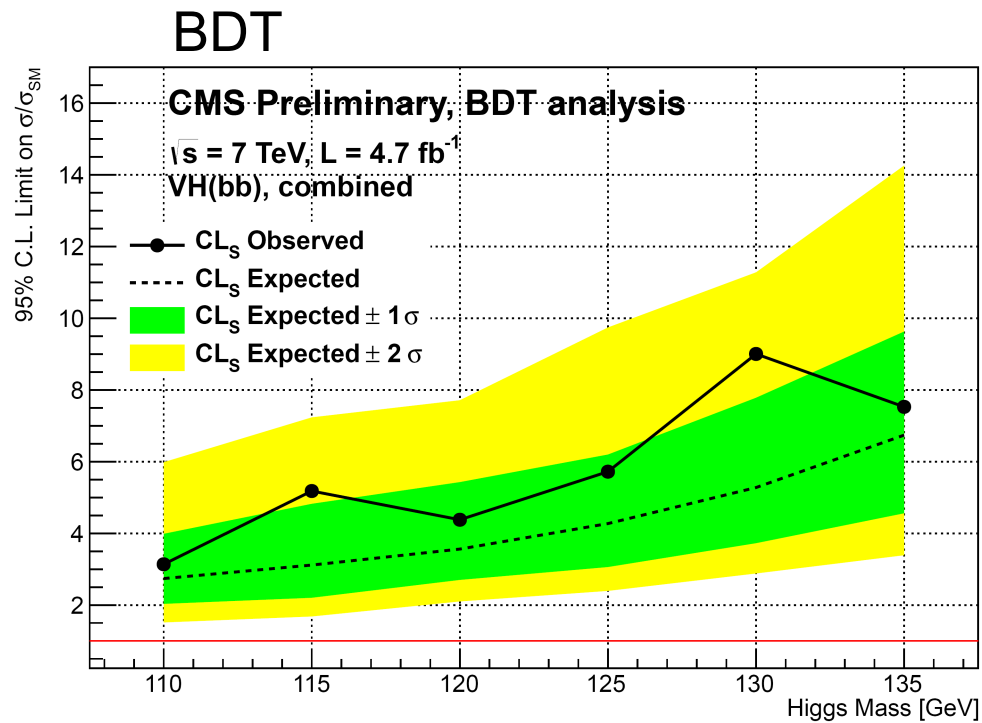
Extensive use of data driven methods to control the backgrounds.



H → bb: results

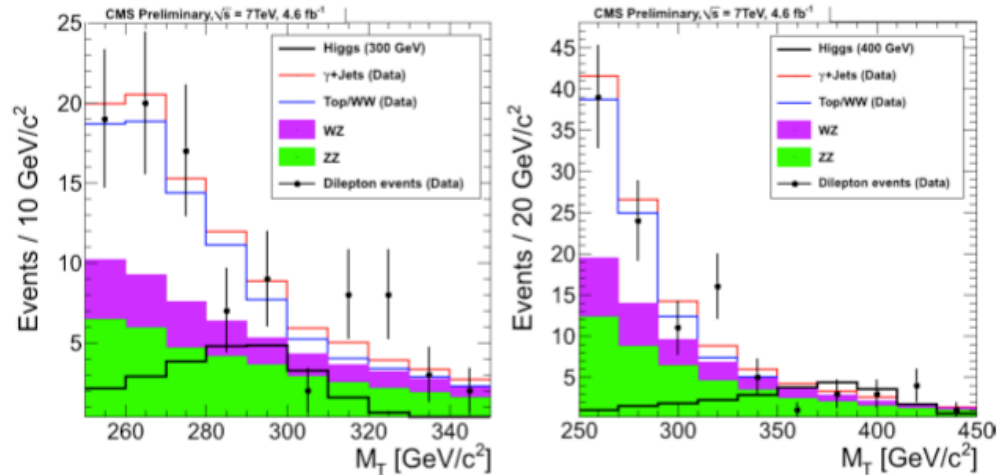


Results based on the invariant mass distribution of H → bb candidates (M_{jj}) or boosted decision tree (BDT)

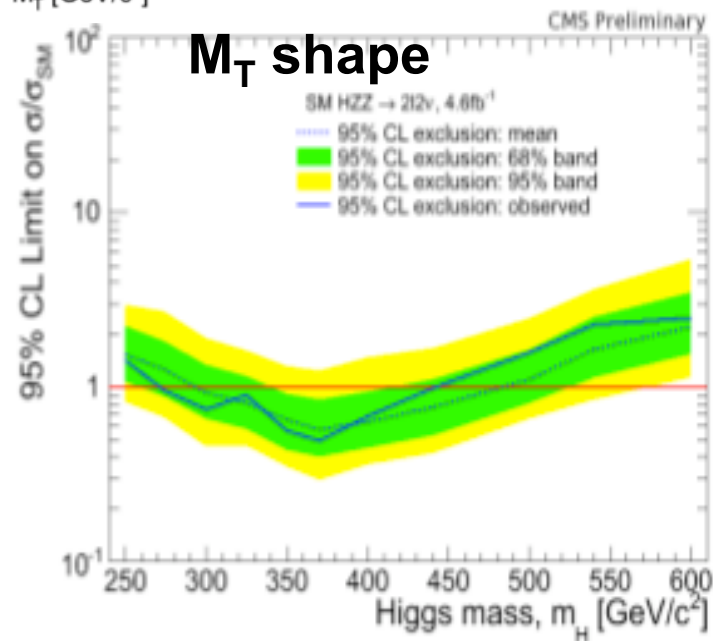
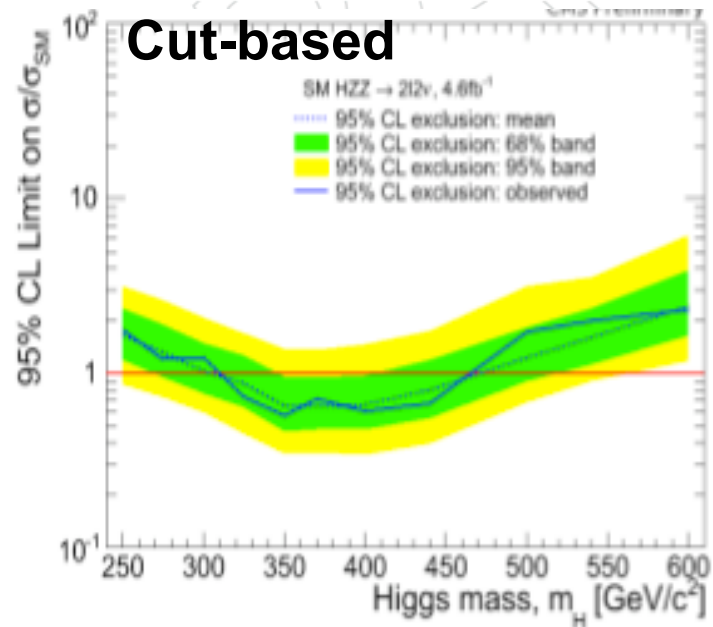


H → ZZ → 2l2ν (high mass Higgs)

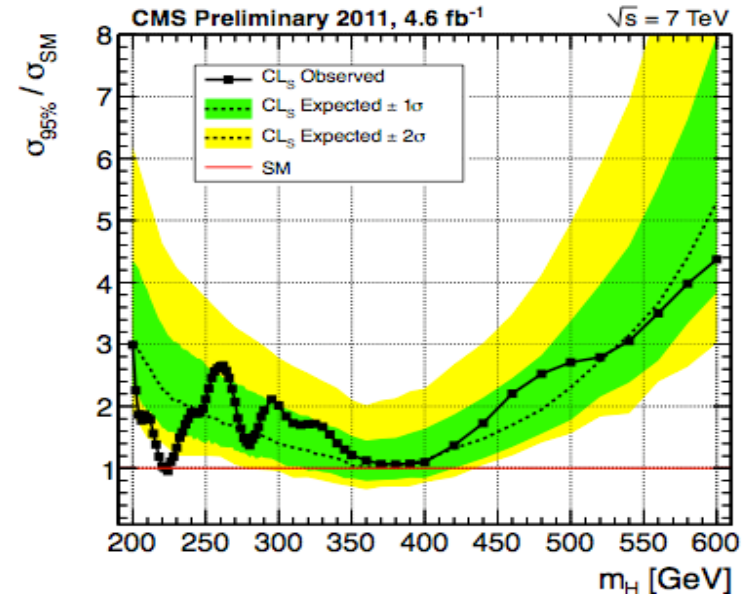
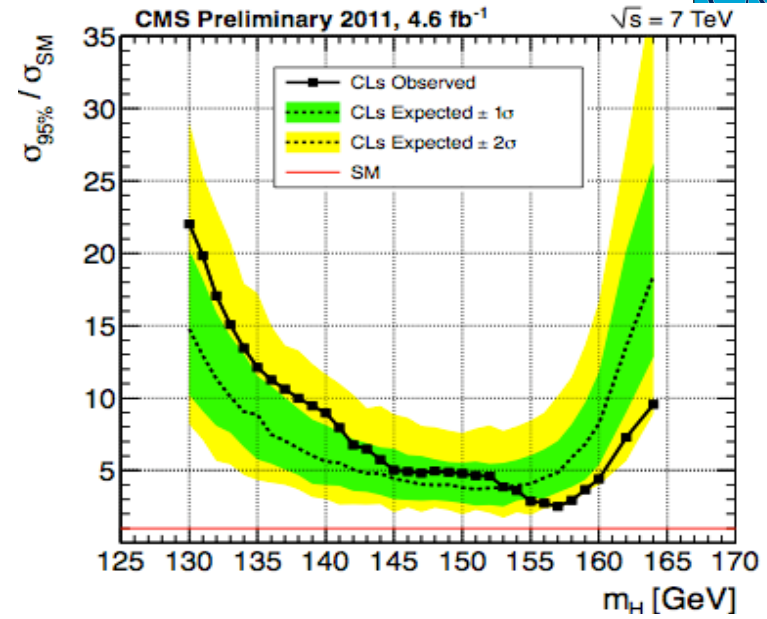
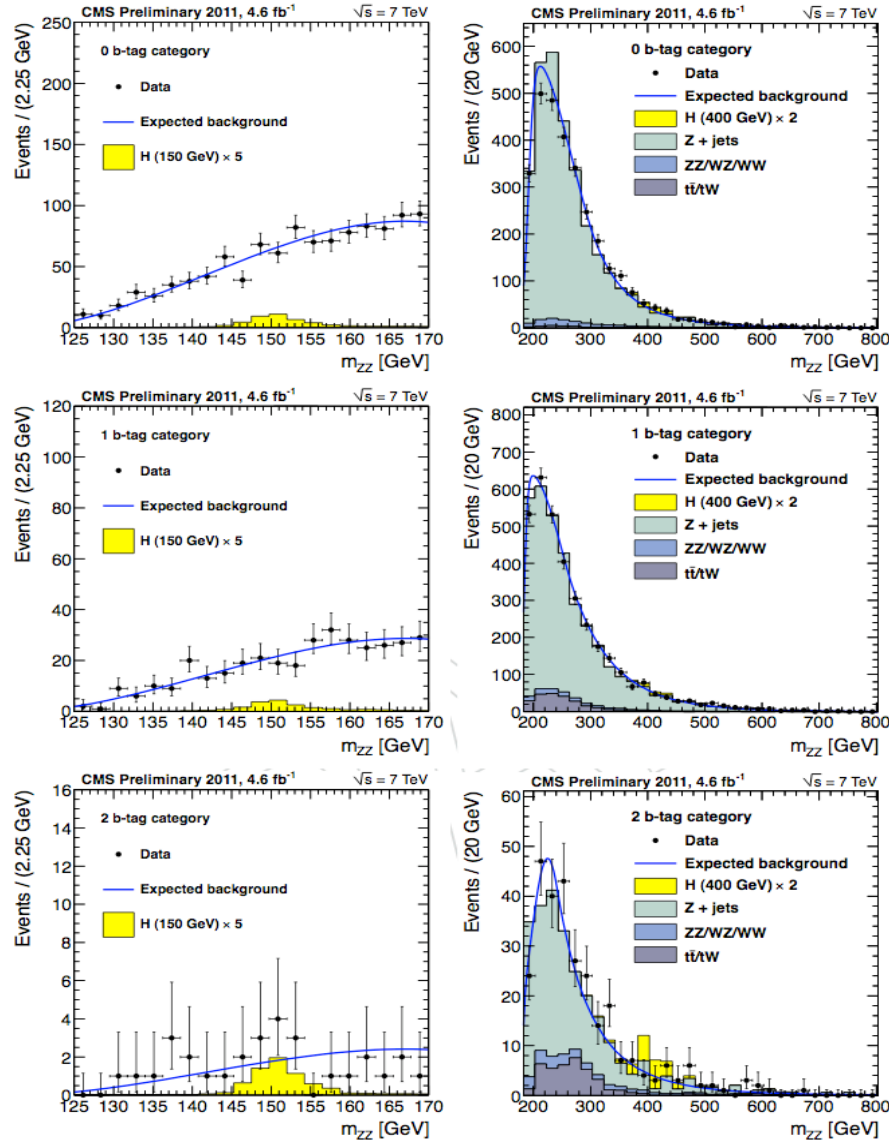
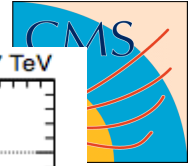
Results based on a cut-based analysis and a binned likelihood fit to the M_T distribution (“shape-based”).



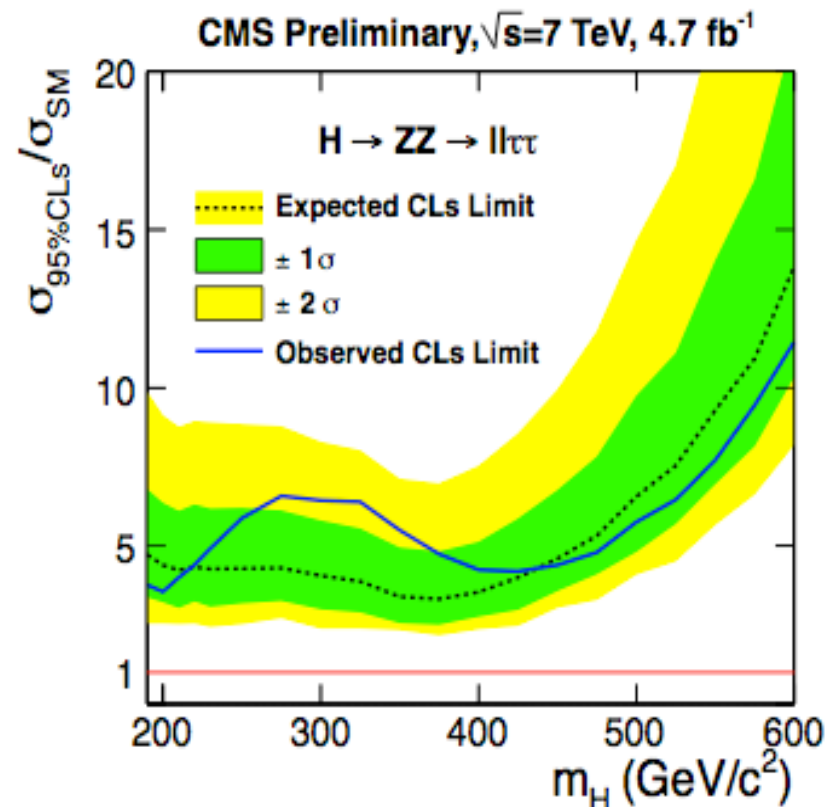
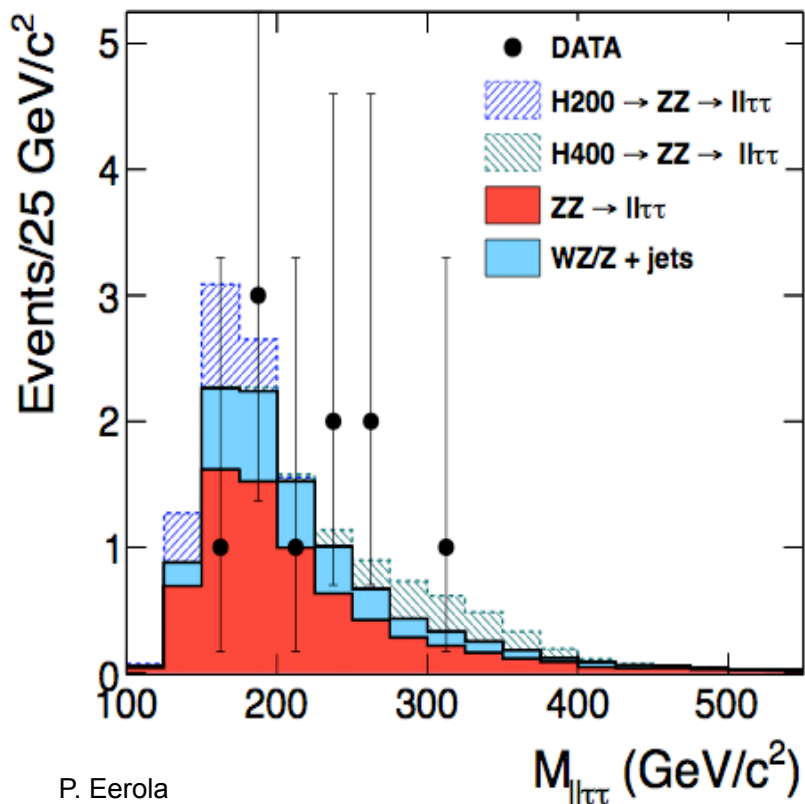
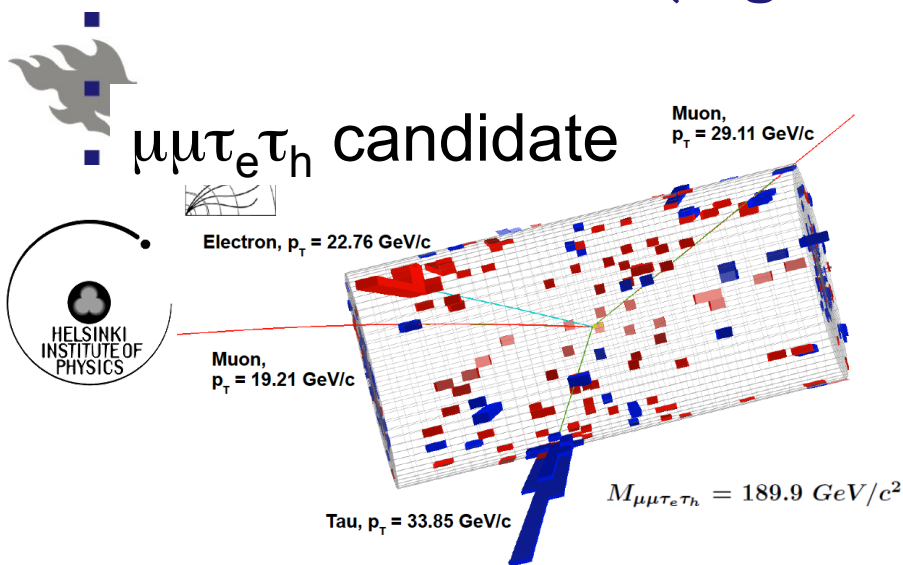
95%CL exclusion limits for a SM Higgs boson in the range 270-440 GeV (M_T shape based analysis)



H → ZZ → 2l 2q: results



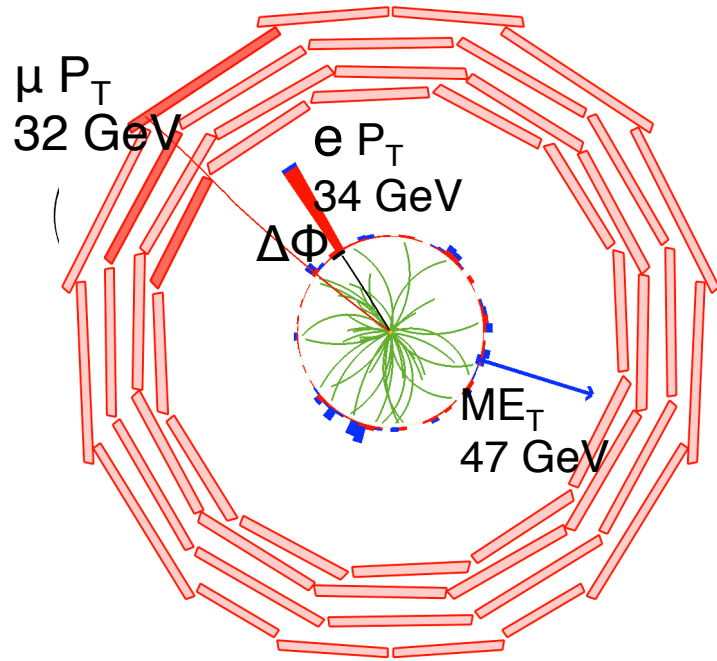
H → ZZ → 2l 2τ (high mass Higgs)



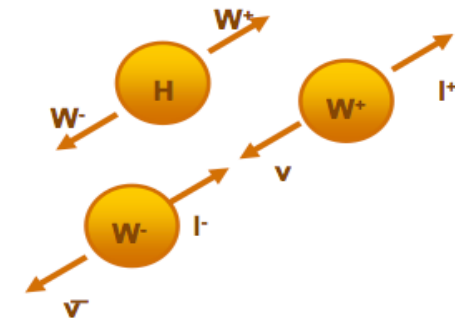
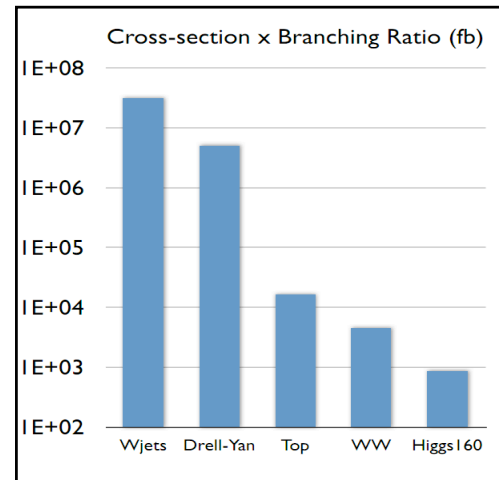
10 observed events, 10.3 expected background
 Background shapes are taken from MC simulation and normalized to the values obtained using data-driven techniques.

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H → WW → 2l 2ν



- No signal mass peak (missing $\nu\nu$) → Counting expt.
- Challenge is to remove & control large backgrounds



Signal characteristics:

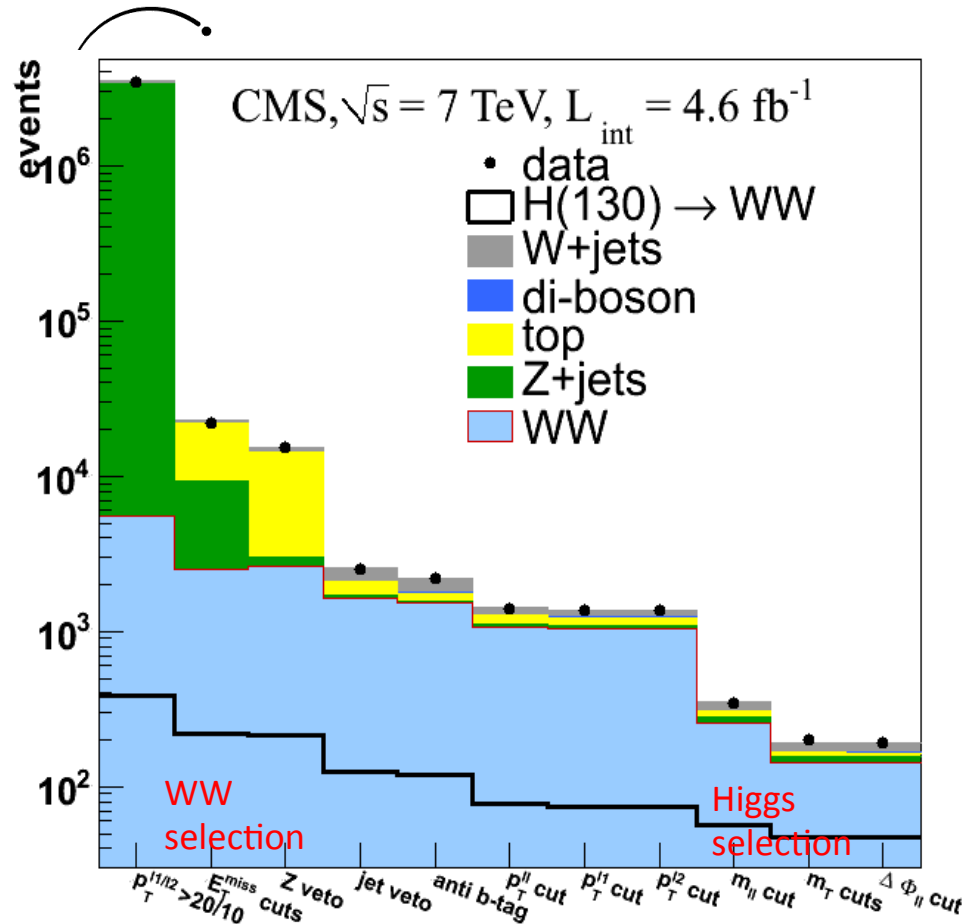
- Only 2 opposite sign, isolated leptons
- significant ME_T → No mass peak
- No b-jets, no additional low $P_T \mu$
- With additional 0, 1 or 2 jets (VBF)
- Small $\Delta\Phi$ (l^+l^-) ← Higgs scalarity

Major requirements:

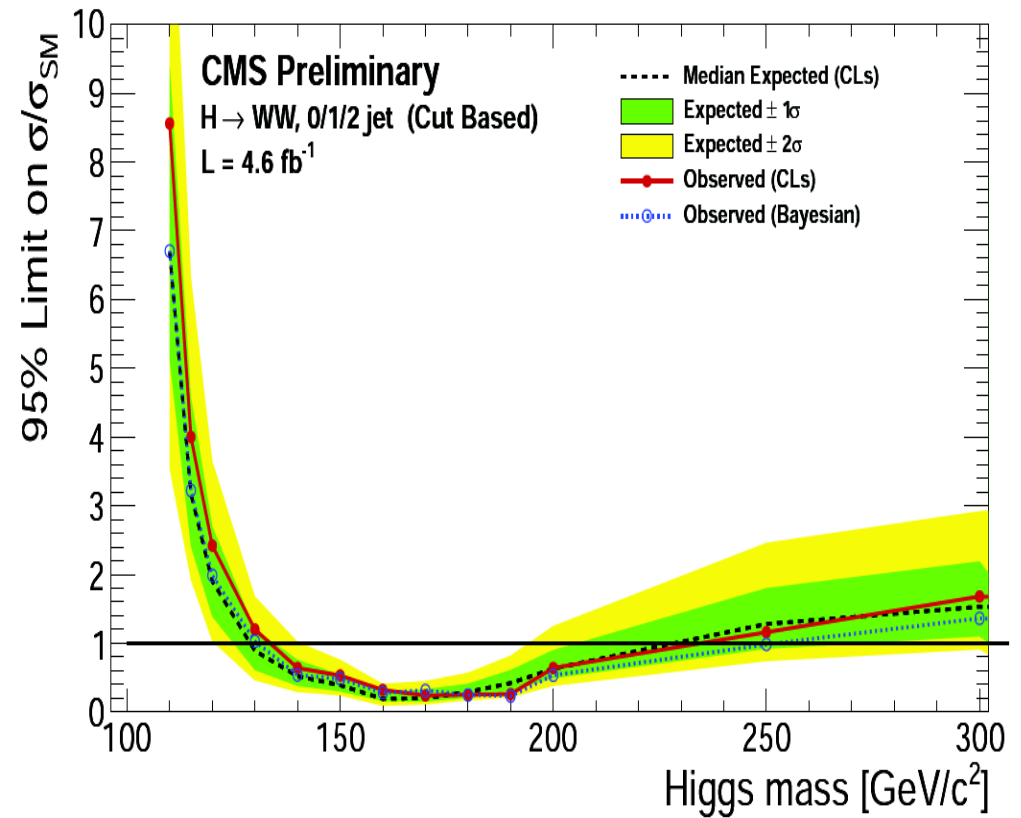
- Lepton $P_t > 15 \text{ GeV}$, tight ID & Isolation
- Large ME_T & $Z \rightarrow \mu\mu$, ee veto
- Classification by # of jets ($P_T > 30 \text{ GeV}$) & b-jet veto
- Kinematic discriminants: M_{ll} & $\Delta\Phi$ (l^+l^-)
- M_H -dependent cut optimization

Data and limits in cut and count analysis

Results based on a cut-based analysis or a boosted decision tree.

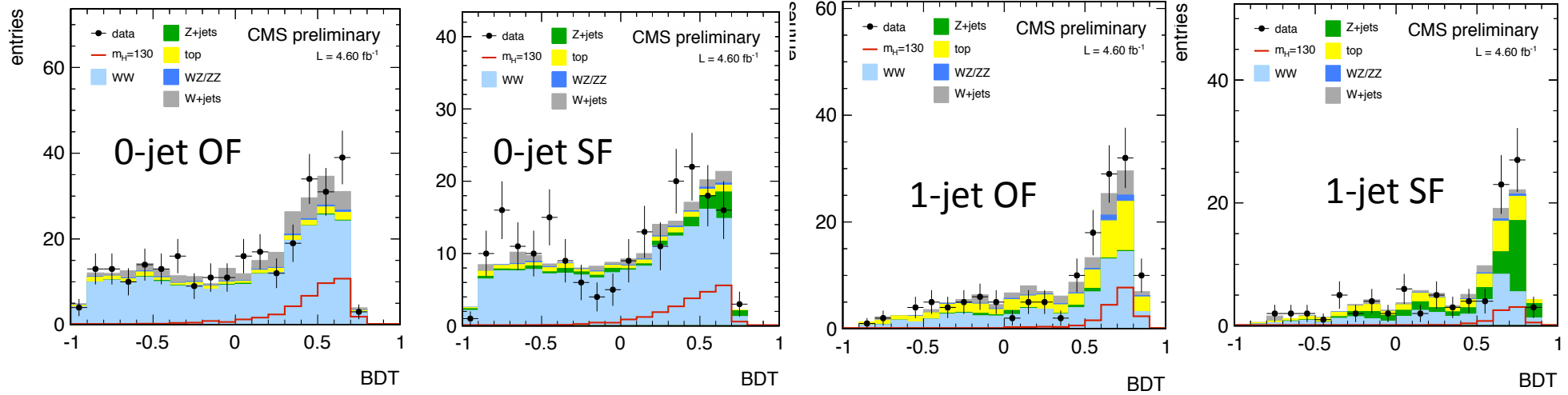


Data describes predicted background well.



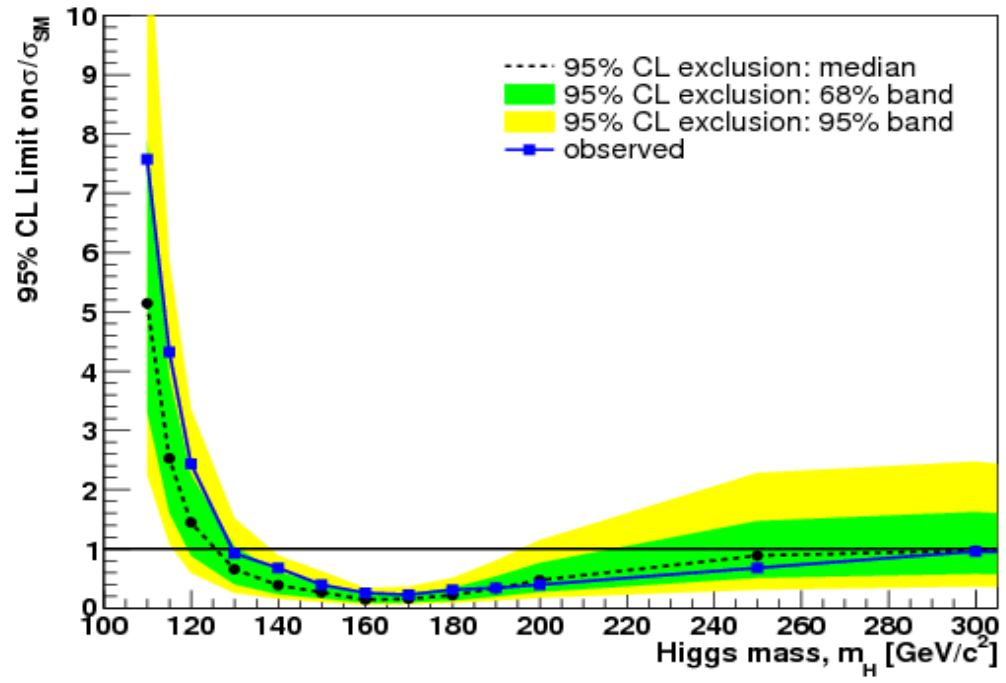
Expected range: $128 < M_H < 236 \text{ GeV}$
Observed range: $132 < M_H < 238 \text{ GeV}$

BDT shape comparison



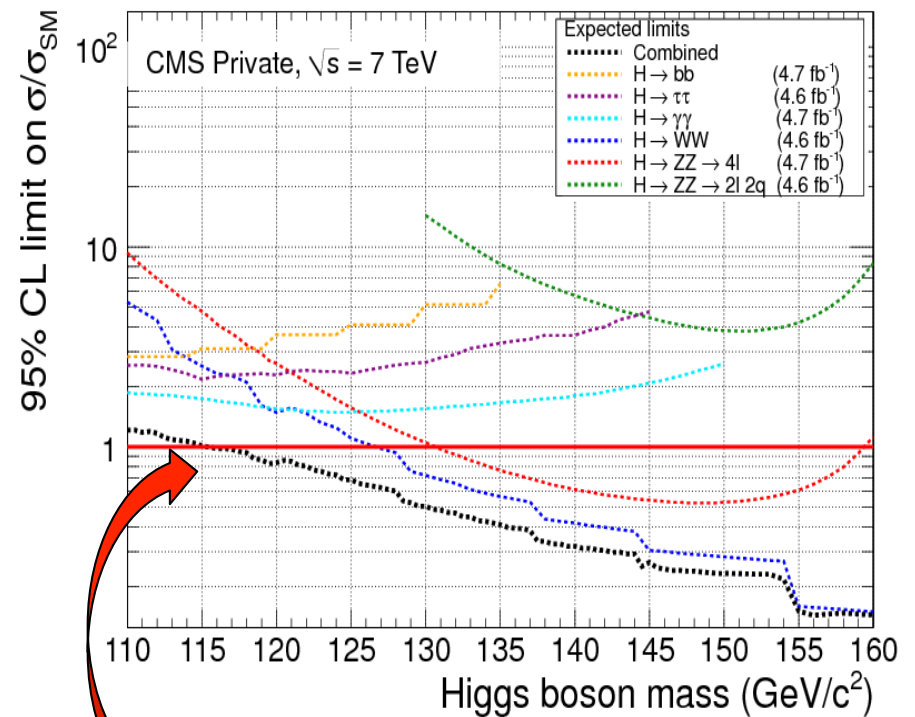
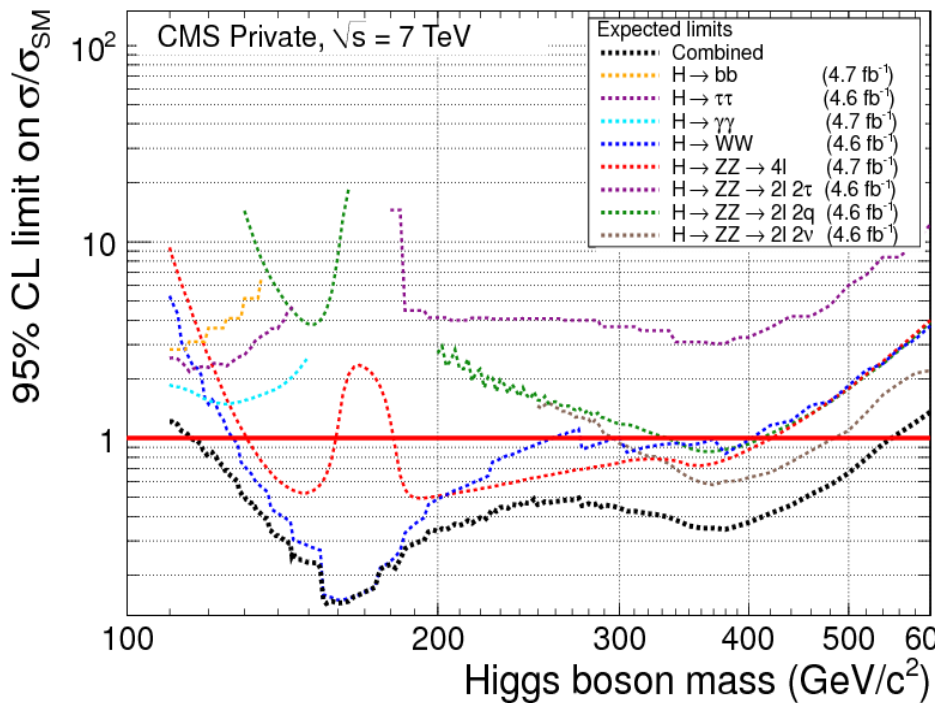
H → WW → 2l2ν + 0/1/2-jets mva-based

Opposite/same flavour (OF/SF) leptons



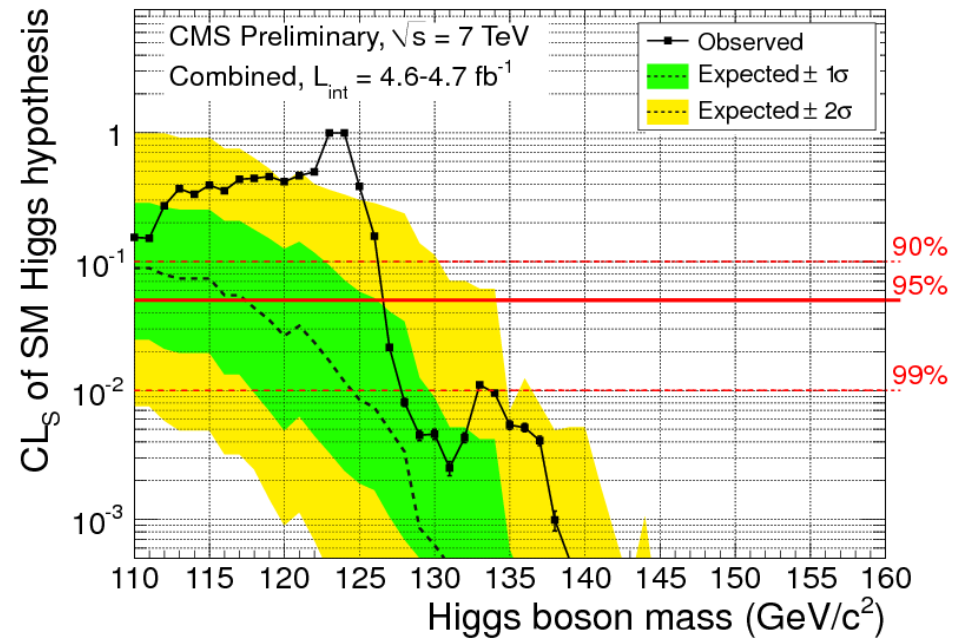
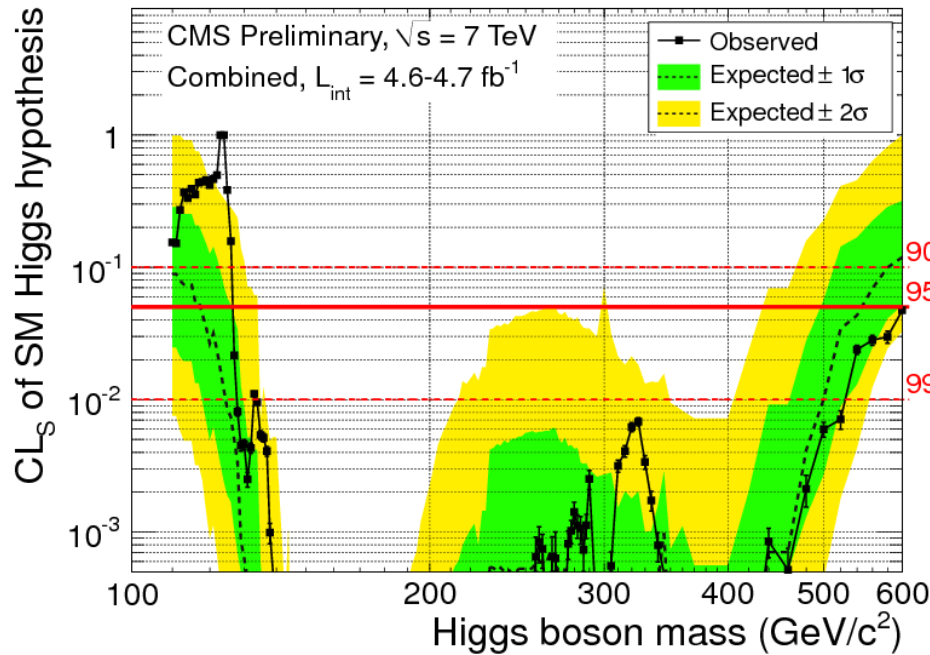
Expected range: $125 < M_H < 300$ GeV
 Observed range: $128 < M_H < 300$ GeV

CMS combination and sensitivity @ 4.7 fb⁻¹



Very close or better than 1xSM in the full mass range.

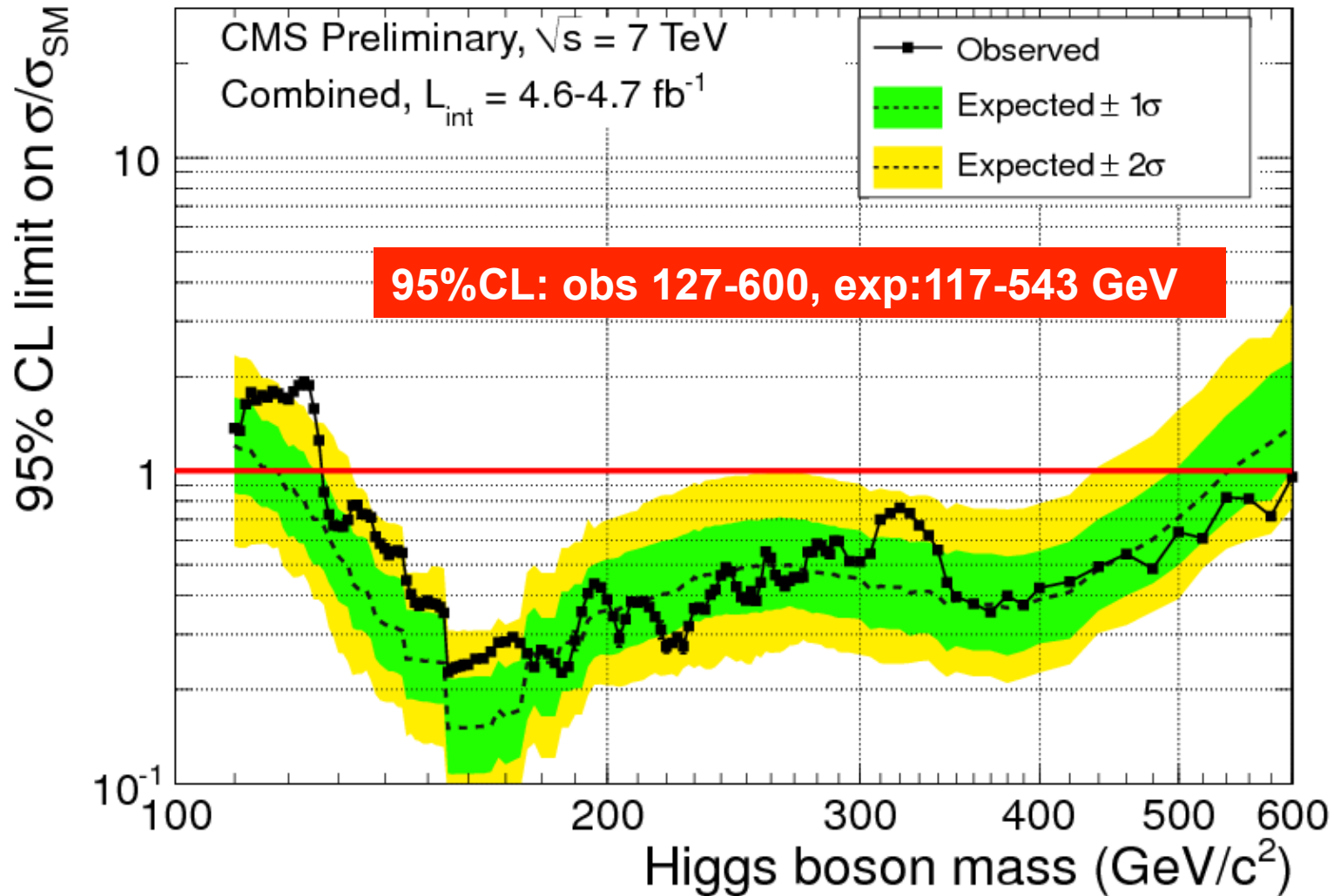
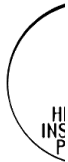
CLs for SM Higgs



Preliminary exclusion limits

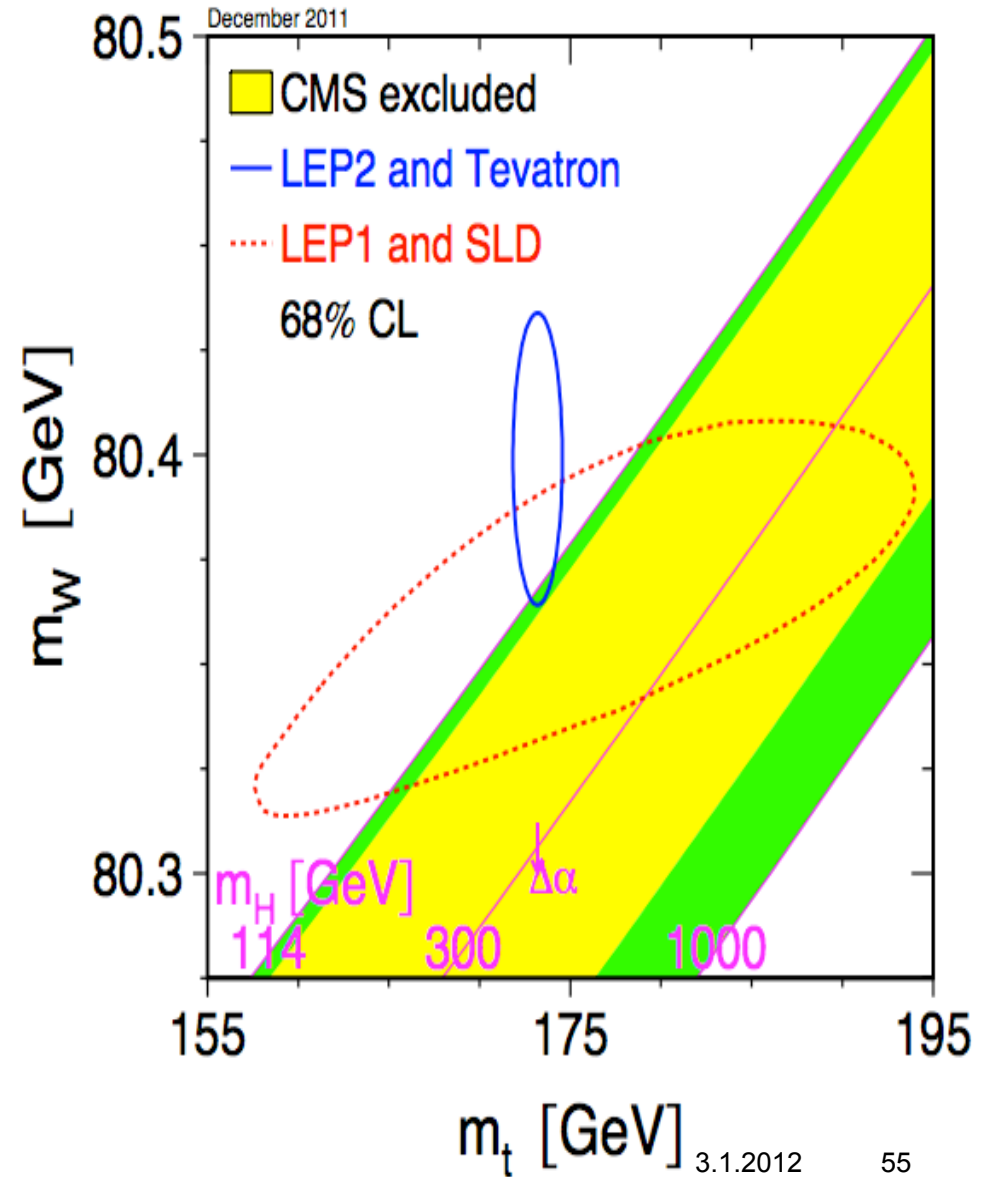
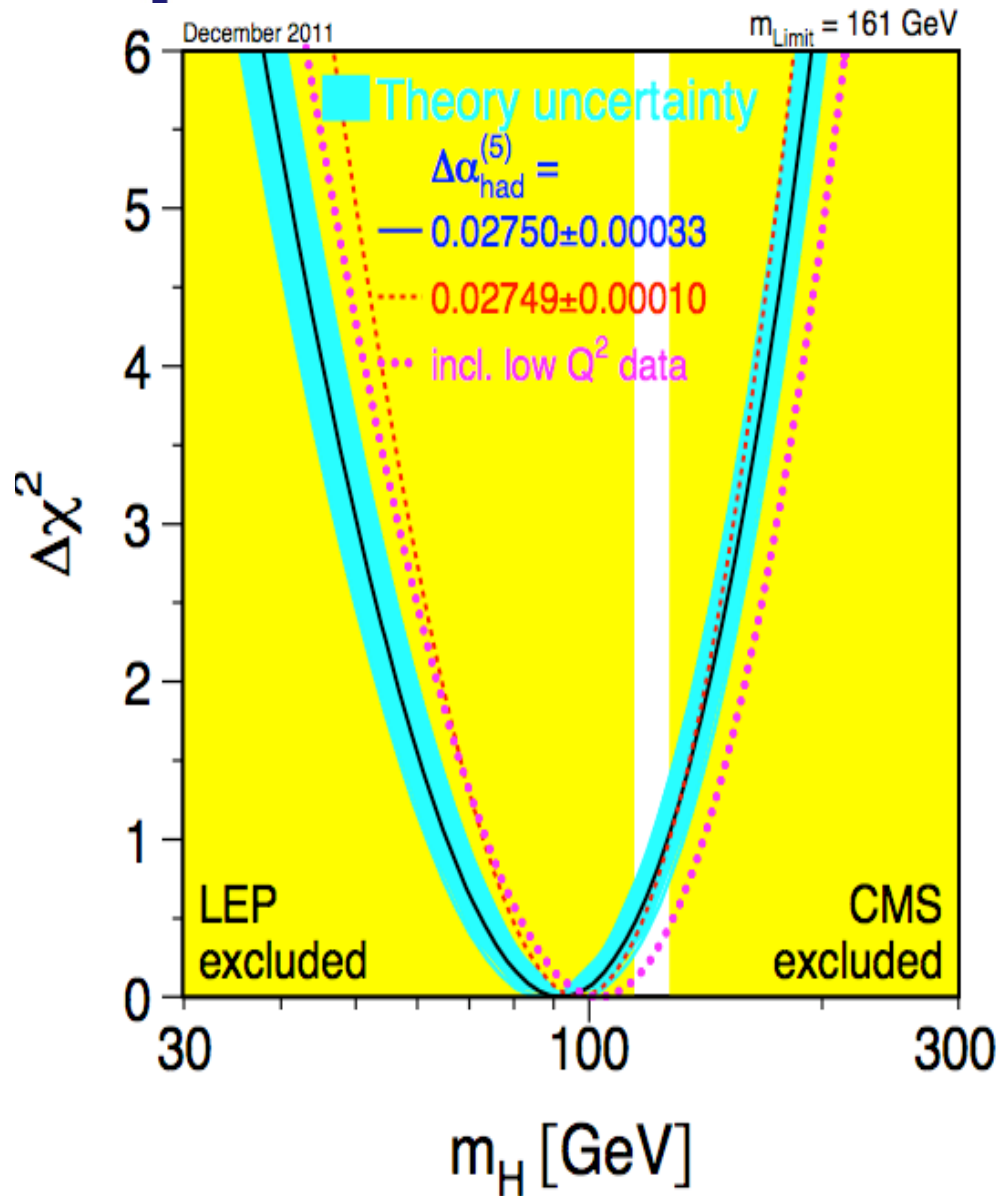
95% CL:	obs 127-600,	exp:117-543
99% CL:	obs 128-525,	exp:125-500

Limits on $\sigma/\sigma_{\text{SM}}$ (CLs method)



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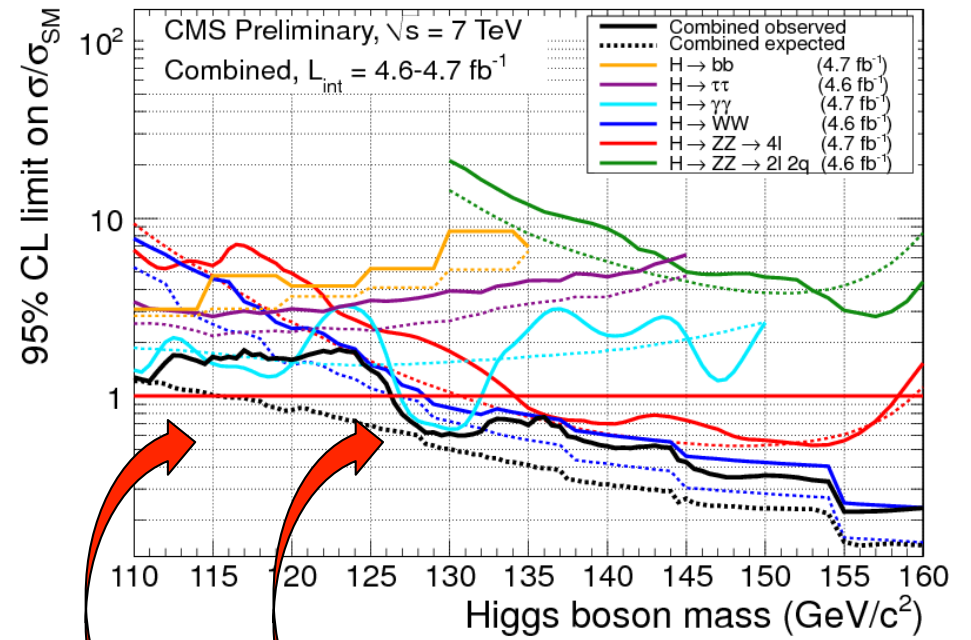
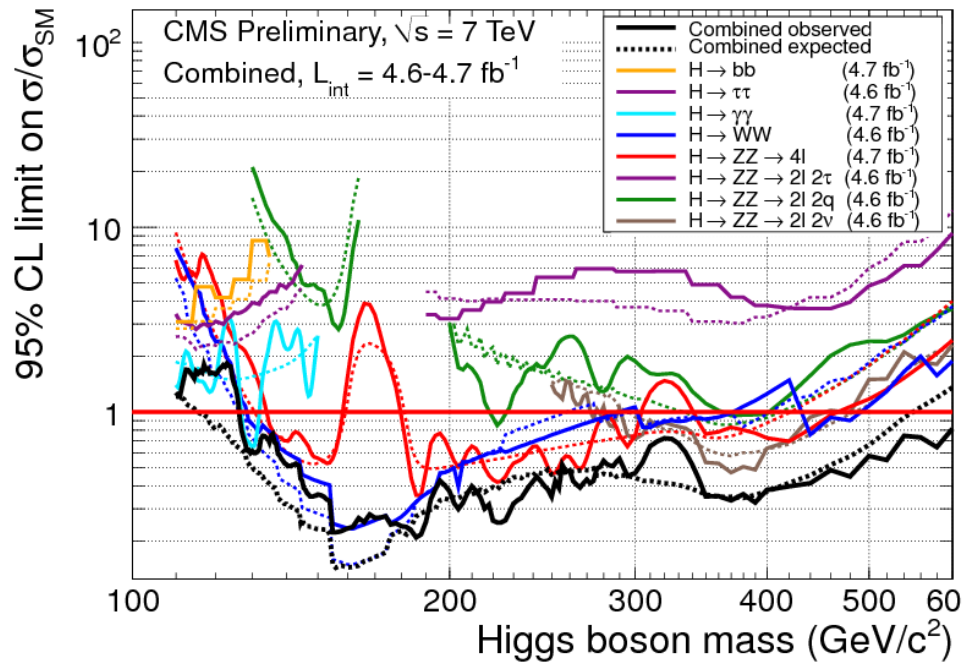
EWK fits together with CMS results



Limits by channel



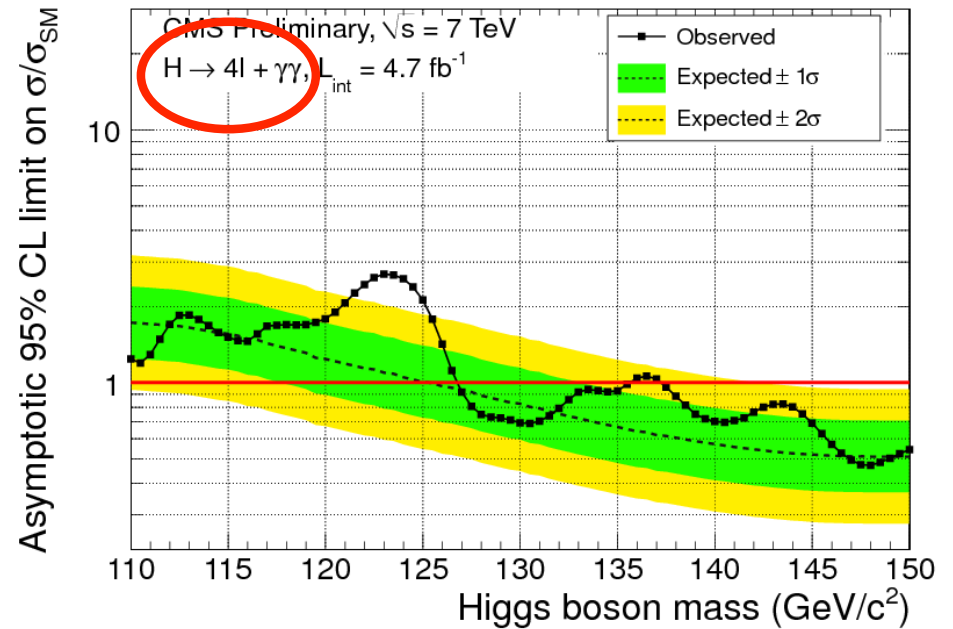
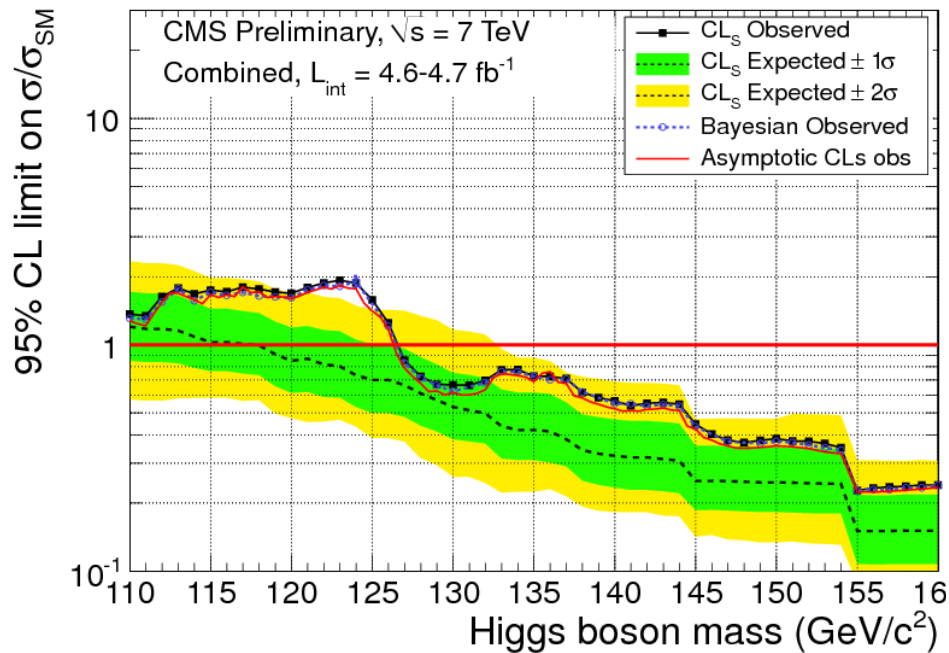
Solid line = Observed limit ; Dashed line = Median Expected



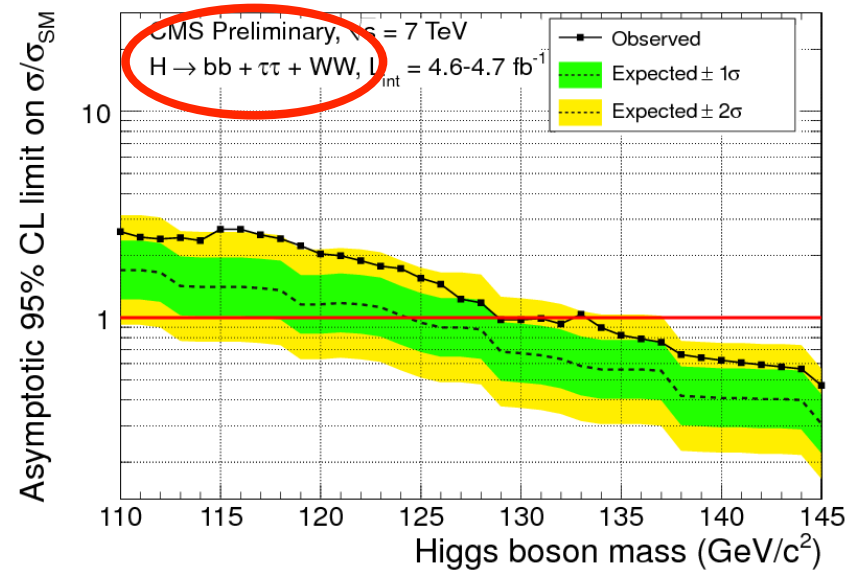
(Asymptotic CLs only)

Expected Observed

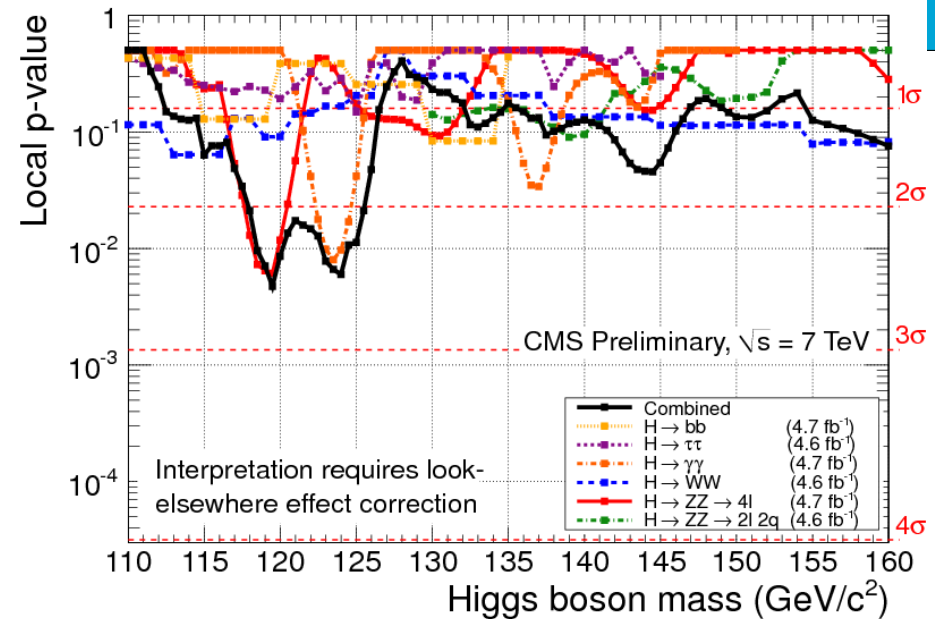
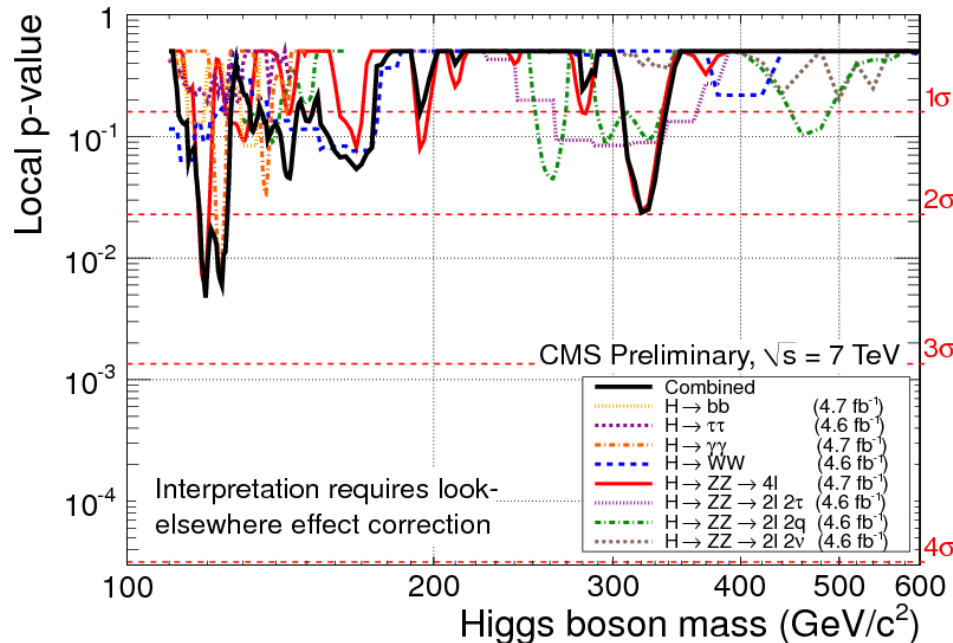
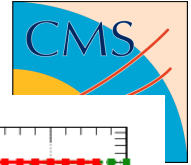
Zoom in the low mass region



We cannot exclude the presence of the SM Higgs boson below 127 GeV because of a modest excess of events in the region between 115 and 127 GeV. A broad excess driven by the low resolution channels, modulated by the localized excesses seen by the high resolution channels ($H \rightarrow 4l + \gamma\gamma$).



Local and global p-values



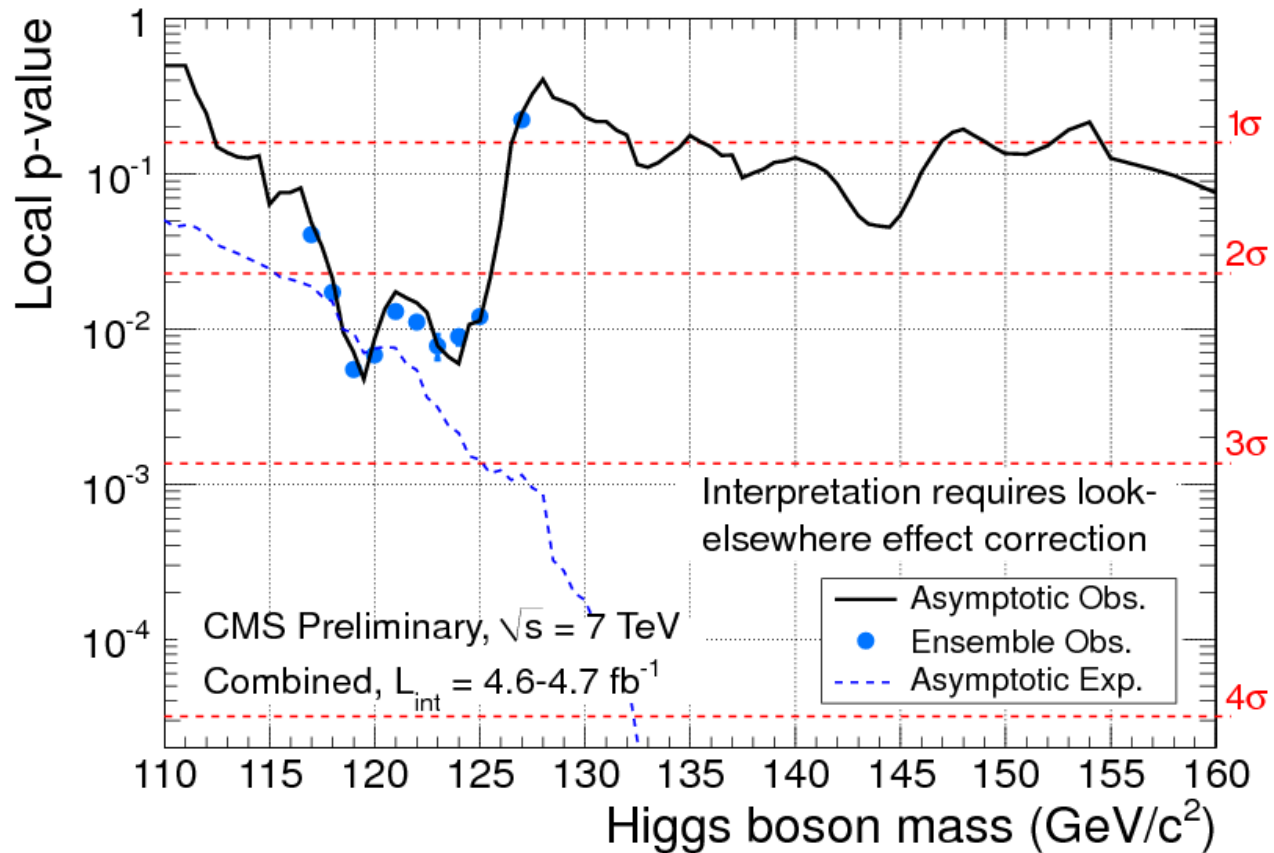
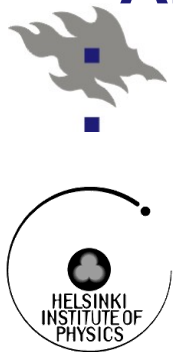
Maximum local significance **2.6σ**.

LEE-corrected significance (full mass range: 110-600GeV)= **0.6σ**

LEE-corrected significance (low mass range: 110-145GeV)= **1.9σ**

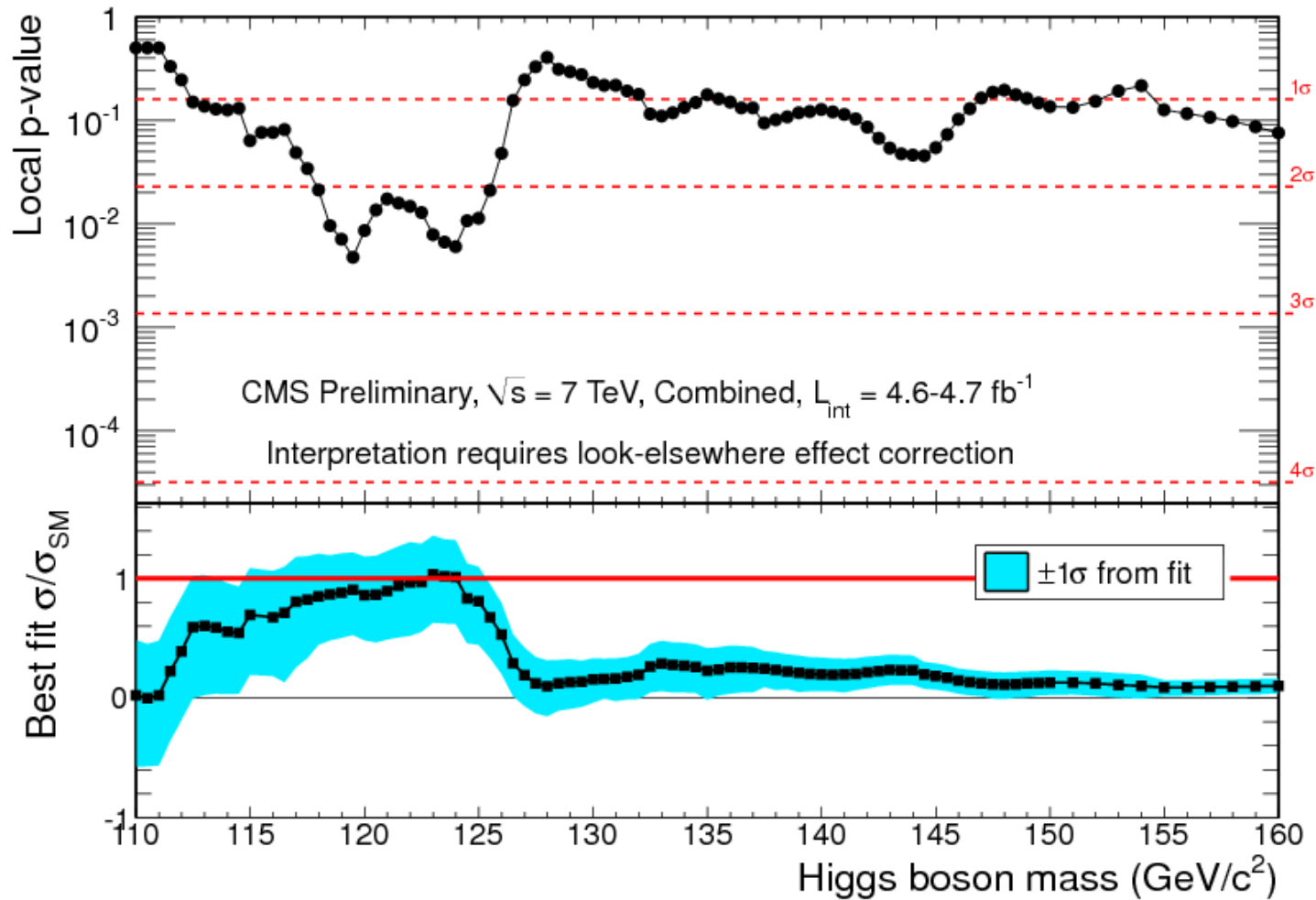
The excess we see in the low mass region has a modest statistical significance and can be definitely interpreted as a fluctuation of the background.

Anatomy of the excess: Observed and Expected

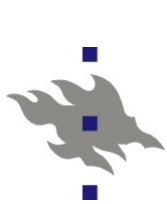


Dashed line: expected p-values for a SM Higgs boson. A SM Higgs boson is expected to yield a modest p-value (2-3 σ median value) in the range 115-127 GeV.

Anatomy of the excess: best fit $\sigma/\sigma_{\text{SM}}$

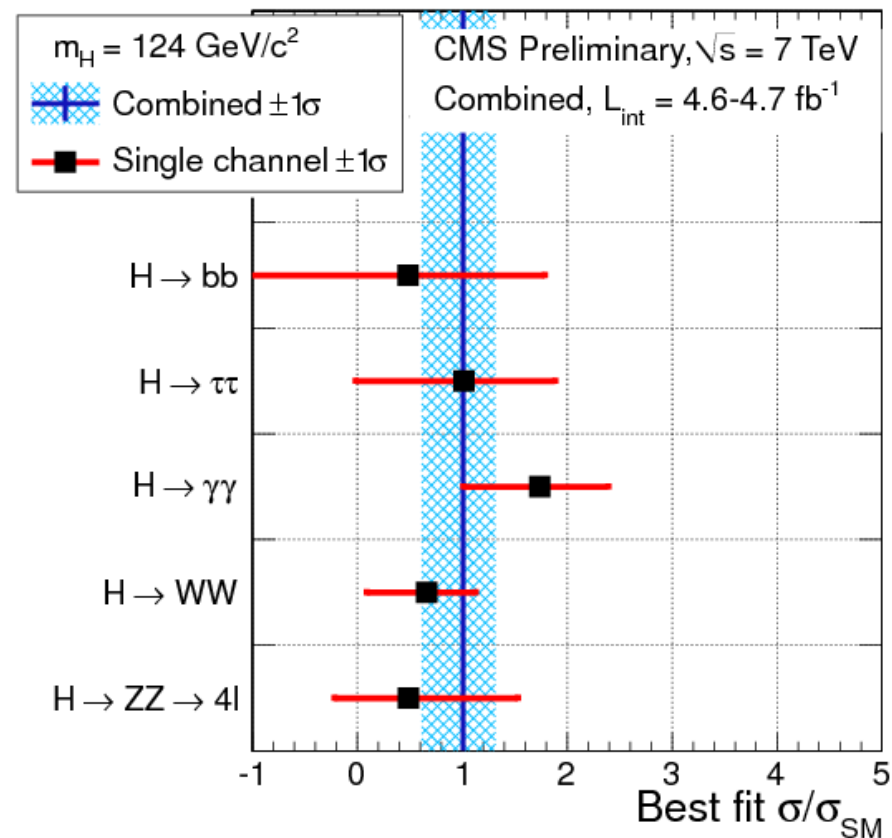
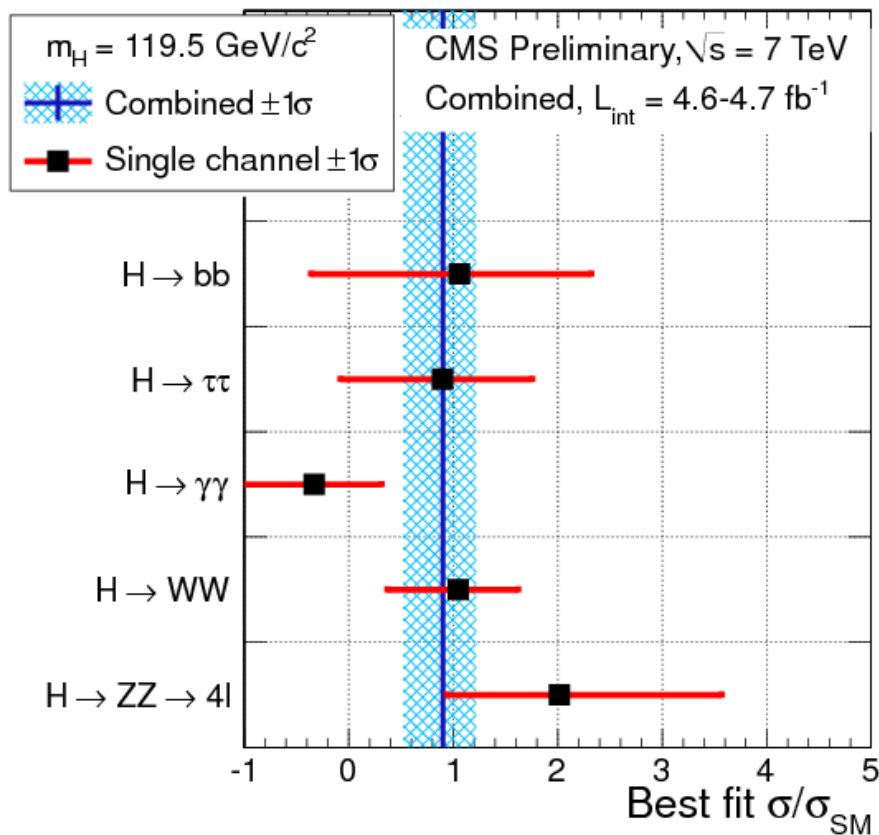


Fitted $\sigma/\sigma_{\text{SM}}$ compatible with 1 in the full low mass range. Median value touching 1 at a mass of 124 GeV and below.

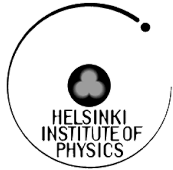


Anatomy of the excess

Best fit σ/σ_{SM} of the various channels

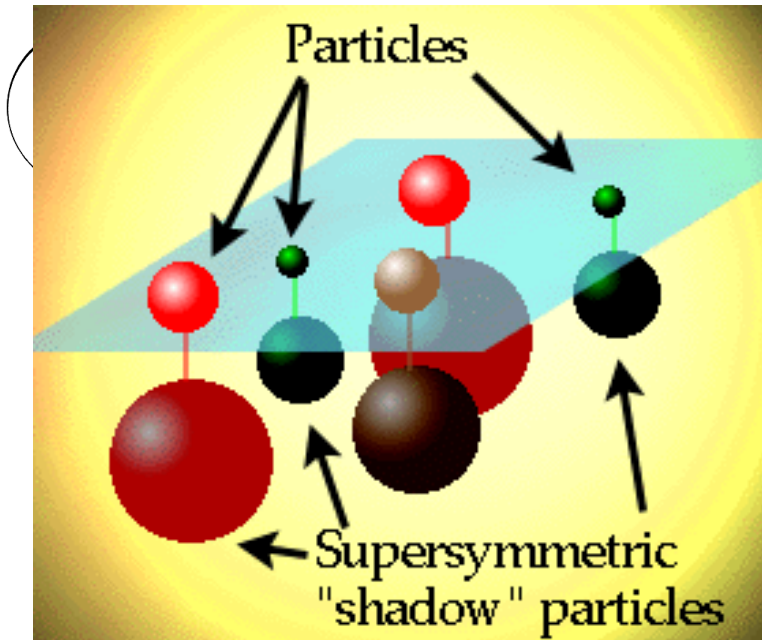


Excess quite consistently seen in all individual channels $\pm 1\sigma$ in the low mass region.

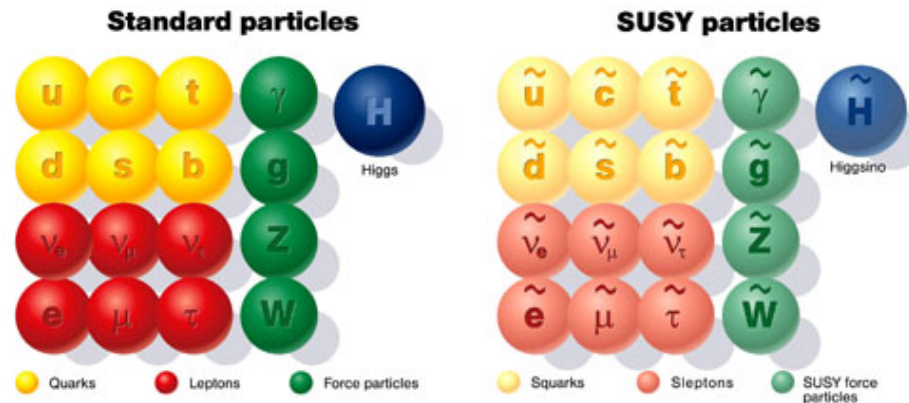


Searching for Supersymmetry and other New Physics

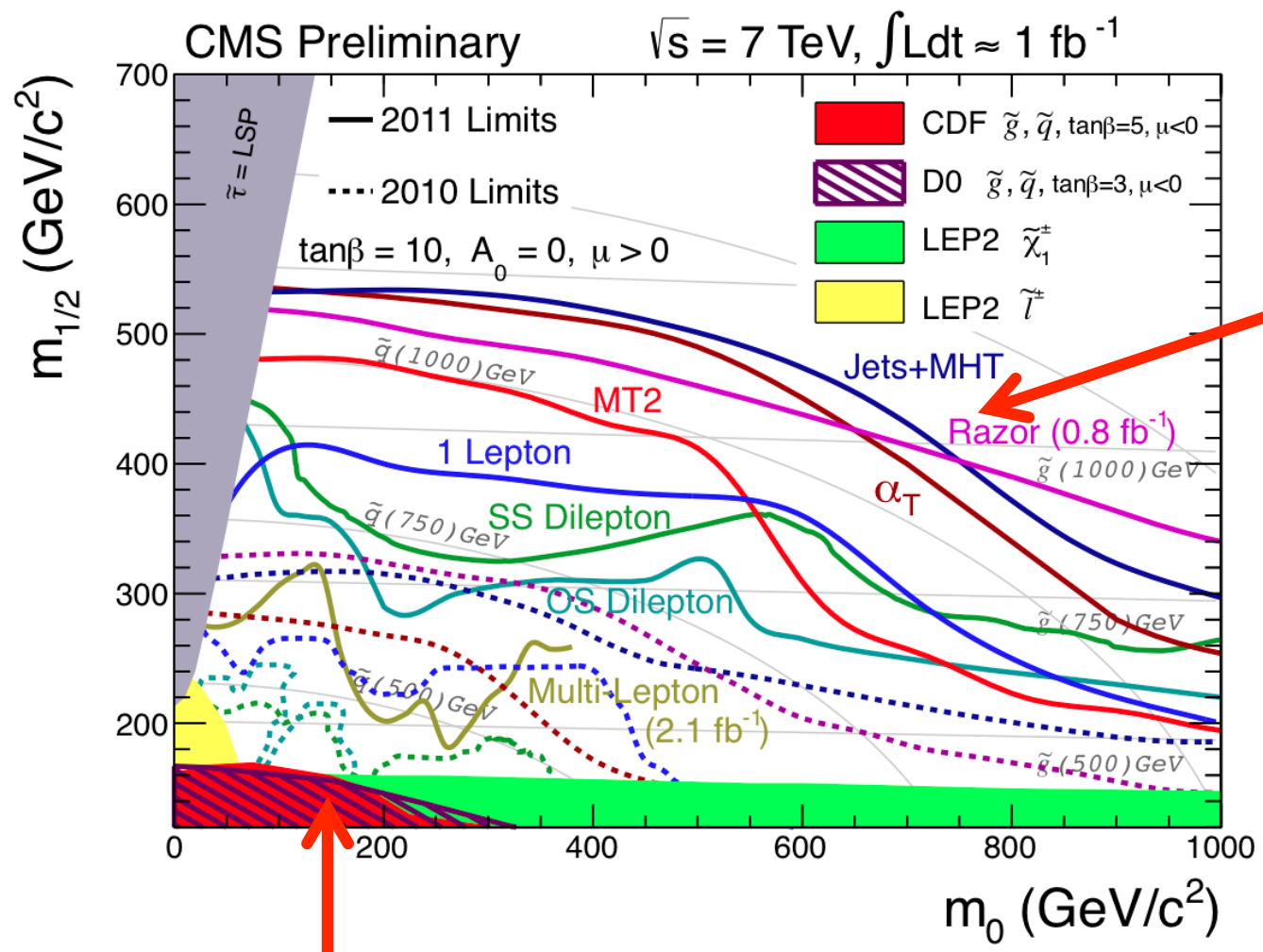
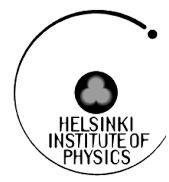
Supersymmetry - SUSY



- Unified theory
- Elegant way of solving the hierarchy problem of the Standard Model (radiative corrections to Higgs mass grow to very large values)
- **Lightest SUSY particle the "best" candidate for dark matter**

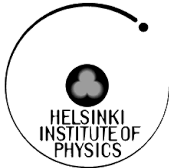


Supersymmetric particles: nothing so far

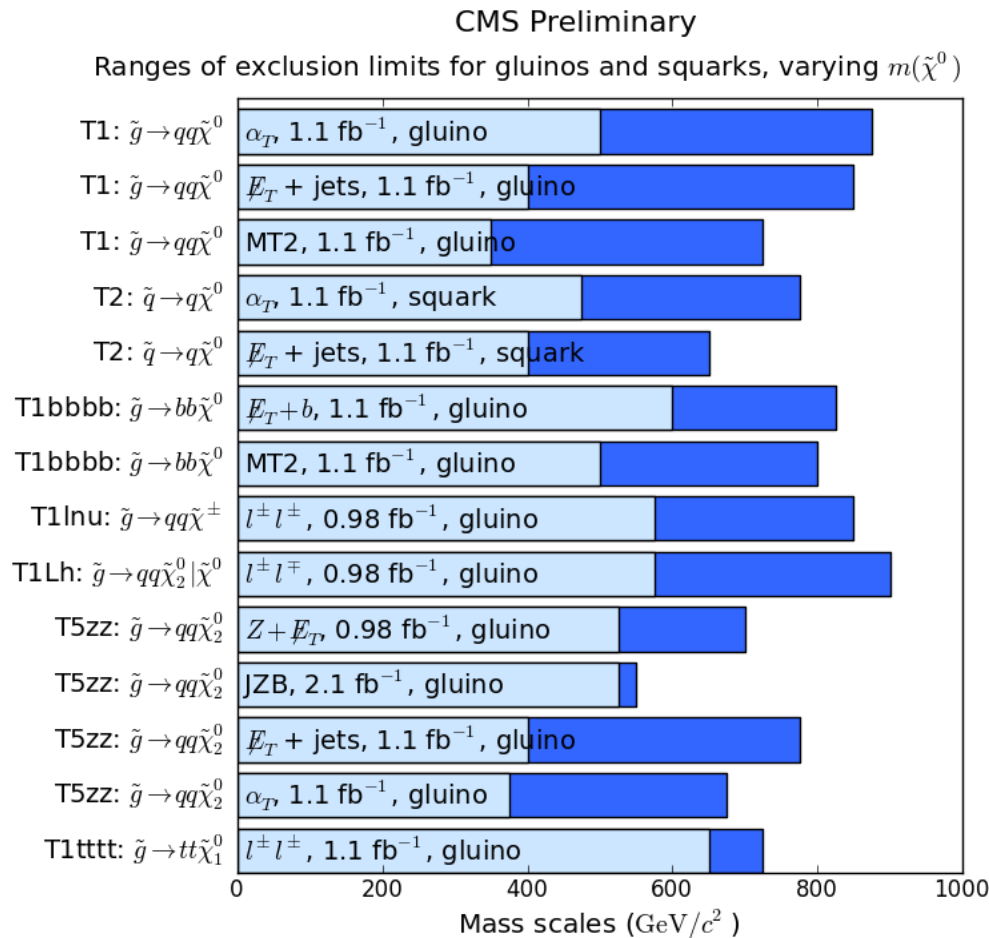


Excluded range

LHC: much larger parameter space excluded than at Tevatron



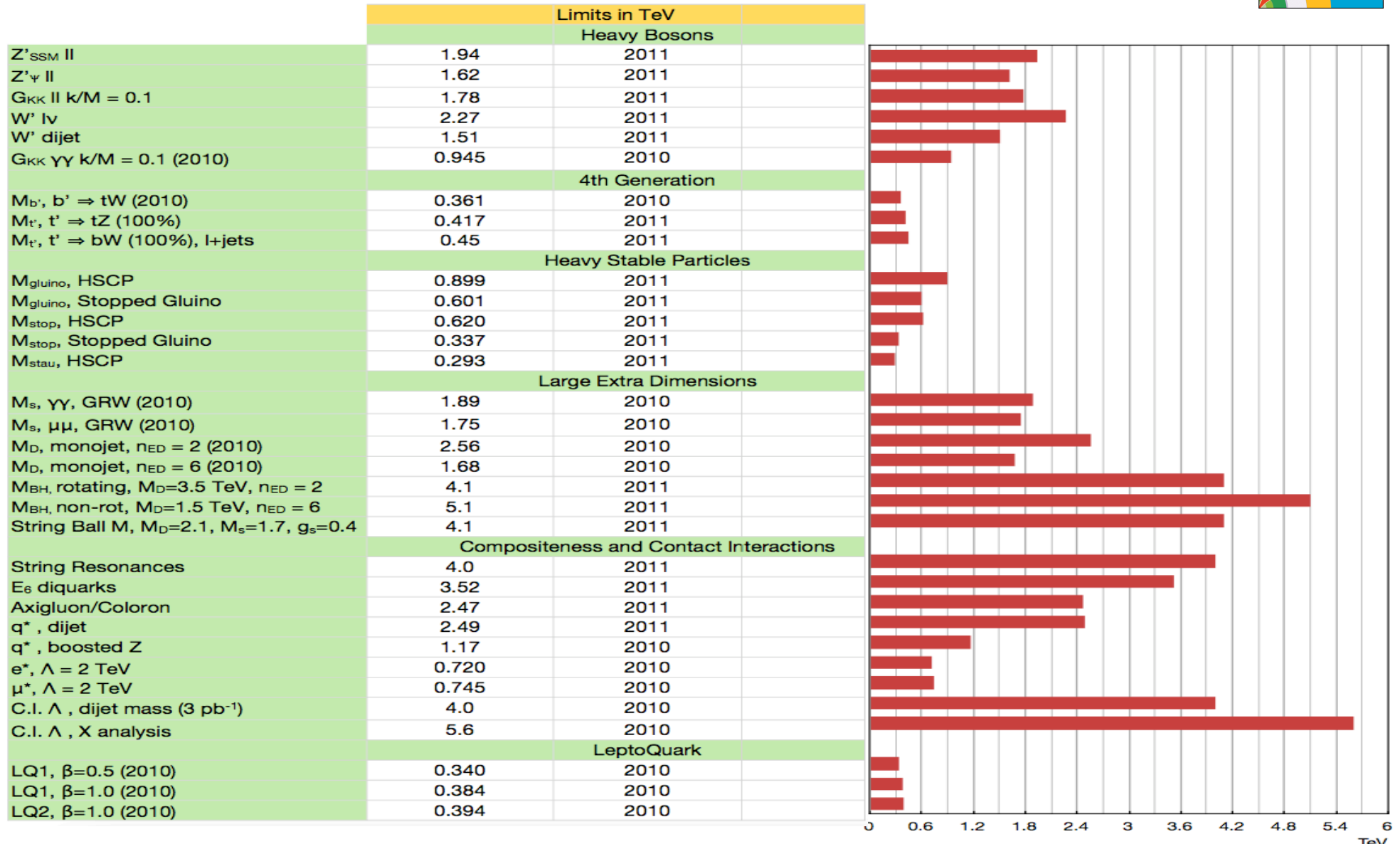
Excluded SUSY mass ranges

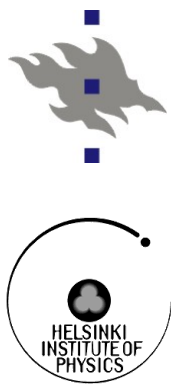


Range of excluded mass scale in Simplified Model Spectra from several 2011 CMS SUSY searches

For limits on $m(\tilde{g}), m(\tilde{q}) > m(\tilde{g})$ (and vice versa). $\sigma^{\text{prod}} = \sigma^{\text{NLO-QCD}}$.
 $m(\tilde{\chi}^\pm), m(\tilde{\chi}_2^0) \equiv \frac{m(\tilde{g}) + m(\tilde{\chi}^0)}{2}$.
 $m(\tilde{\chi}^0)$ is varied from 0 GeV/c² (dark blue) to $m(\tilde{g}) - 200$ GeV/c² (light blue).

...no other new particles either...





Why nothing so far?



- M. Peskin, Lepton-Photon conference Aug 2011:
"SUSY is a beautiful idea. It is a theory with only weak couplings, in which all effects can be computed explicitly, that provides solutions to many of the important problems of particle physics, including electroweak symmetry breaking, grand unification, and dark matter...."
- *"It is time to give up on the cMSSM. But what should replace it:"*
 - "1. Find a type of SUSY model in which the **mass scale is least constrained**"*
 - "2. Accept that the **theory of electroweak symmetry breaking might involve strong interactions**"*

Consequences:



■ 1. option:

- Not all the SUSY particles need to have masses near the 100 GeV scale, only Higgsinos and top

→ look for 3rd generation SUSY particles, stop, sbottom

■ 2. option:

- The Higgs is composite with strong interactions

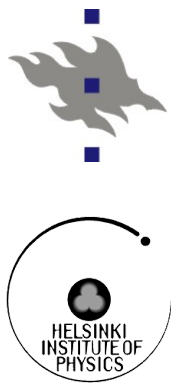
→ a general feature is the appearance of partners of W, Z, top (W', Z', T)

■ 3. option:

- The Standard Model is consistent up to the Planck scale (10^{19} GeV)

■ → consistency with 125 GeV Higgs?

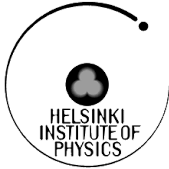
- Peskin: *"We must confront the possibility that we have come to the end of our ability to understand physics microscopically"*



LHC: future?

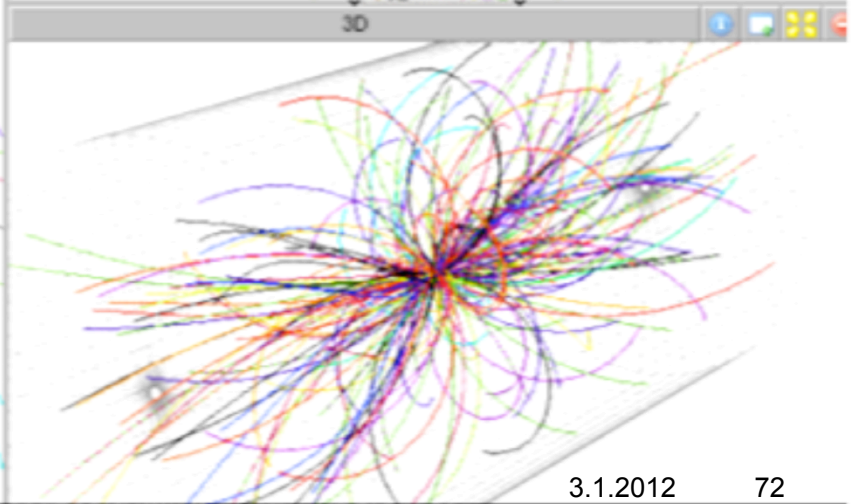
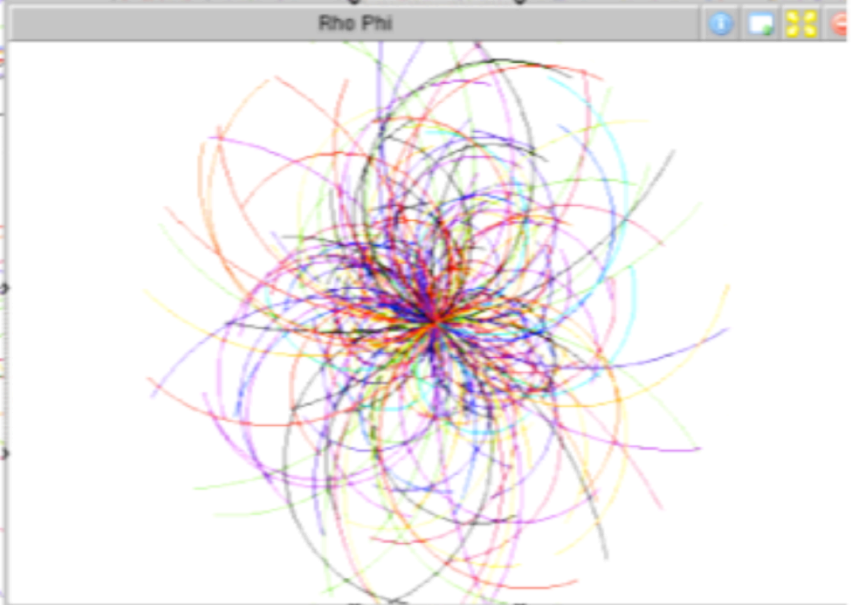
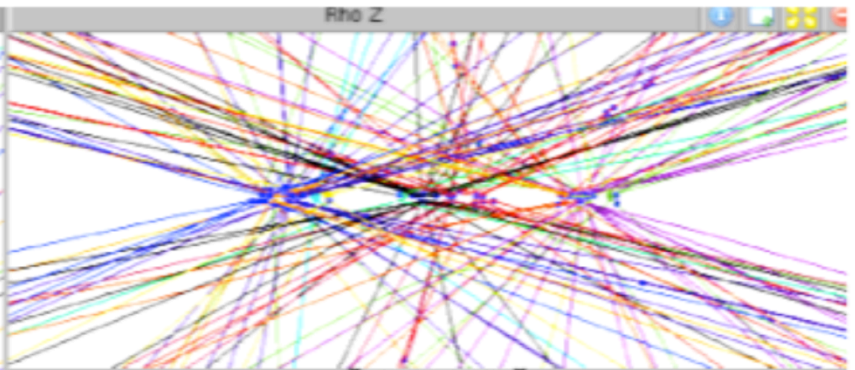
- 2010-2012 – **7 TeV**
- 2013-2014 – shutdown, improve magnets
- 2015-2017 → **14 TeV**, L to $10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$
- 2017-2018 – shutdown, replacements of inner parts of detectors
- 2019-2021 – **14 TeV**, L > $10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$?
- 2022 – shutdown, major upgrades
- ...continue past 2030...?

Summary



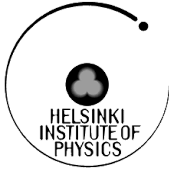
- LHC: enormous amounts of new results in a new energy domain
- The accelerator and the experiments have been working in a fantastic way
- Very rapid take-over of physics leadership
- No signs of new physics yet, Supersymmetry being constrained more and more...
- Standard Model is the final answer??
- Some of the Tevatron $2-3\sigma$ effects disfavoured

- **Higgs bosons:**
- CMS has reached a sensitivity of **around or better than 1xSM** in the full mass range of our current exploration (115-600 GeV). 95% CL exclusion limit (127-600) GeV.
- CMS is not able to exclude the presence of the SM Higgs below 127 GeV because of **a modest excess of events between 115 and 127 GeV**
- **Excess appears in five independent channels**
- **The excess is most compatible with a SM Higgs hypothesis in the vicinity of 124 GeV and below**
- **The statistical significance (2.6 σ local and 1.9 σ global after correcting for the LEE in the low mass region) is not sufficient**
- **Results consistent either with a background fluctuation or with the presence of the SM Higgs boson**
- **Refined analyses and additional data in 2012 will definitely give an answer**





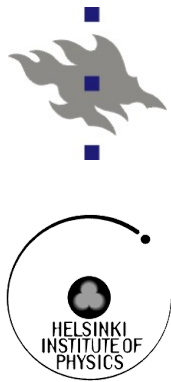
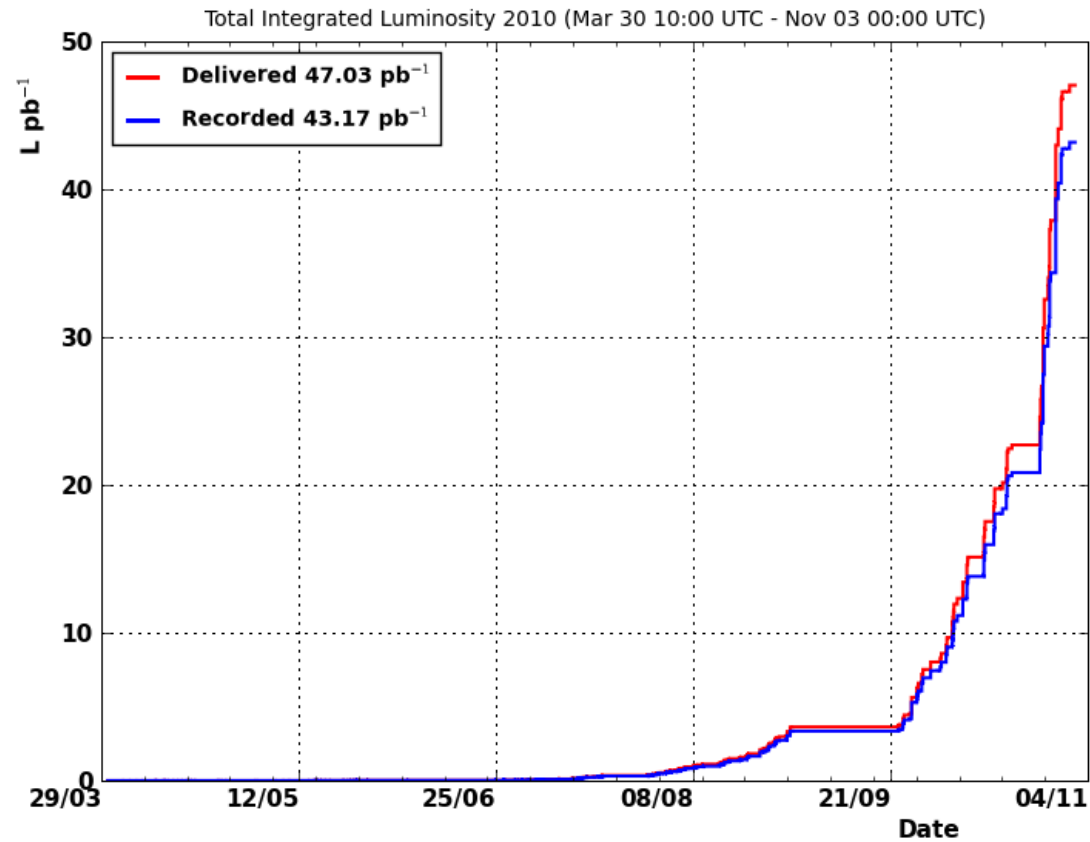
Back-up material



LHC: performance 2010



Amount of data 2010



Luminosity: quick user's guide



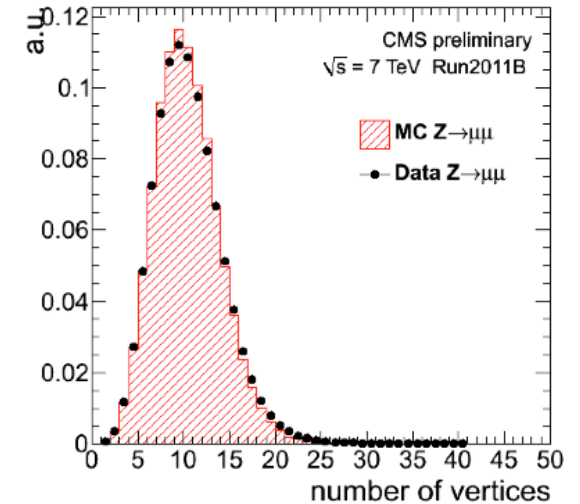
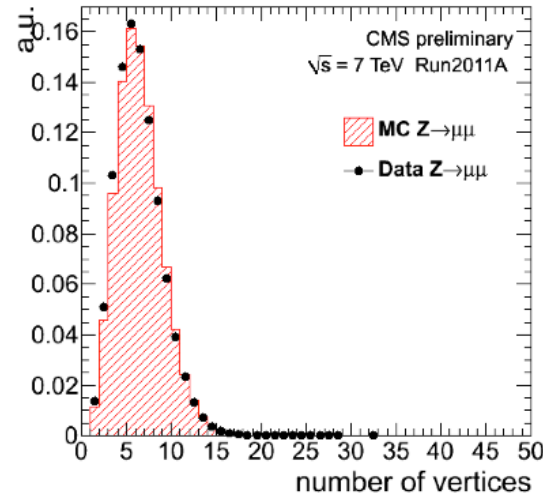
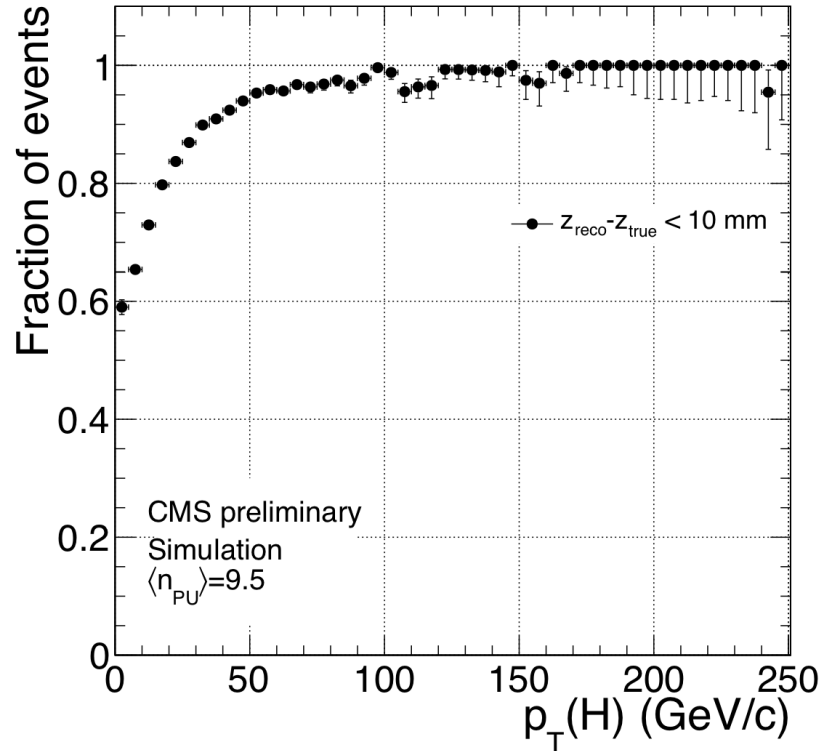
- Integrated luminosity: $\mathcal{L} = \int L dt$
- **N(number of events) = σ (cross section) x \mathcal{L} (int. luminosity)**
- Example:
 - Top-quark production cross section at LHC: $\sigma \sim 165 \text{ pb} = 165 \text{ 000 fb}$
 - 2011: LHC $\mathcal{L} = 5 \text{ fb}^{-1}$
 - **$N = \sigma \times \mathcal{L} = 165 \text{ 000 fb} \times 5 \text{ fb}^{-1} = 825 \text{ 000 events in 2011}$**
- **1 barn = 10^{-24} cm^2**
- $t=10^7 \text{ s}$, $L=10^{32} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1} \rightarrow \mathcal{L} = 10^7 \text{ s} \times 10^{32} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1} = (10^{-39} \text{ cm}^2)^{-1} = (10^{-15} \text{ 10}^{-24} \text{ cm}^2)^{-1} = (1 \text{ fb})^{-1} = 1 \text{ fb}^{-1}$
- $t=10^7 \text{ s}$ ("1 year"), $L=10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$ (design L) $\rightarrow \mathcal{L} = 100 \text{ fb}^{-1}$
- In 2011, the effective "year" (= time in stable beams) was $t=5 \times 10^6 \text{ s}$, and the collected integrated luminosity was $\mathcal{L} = 5 \text{ fb}^{-1} \rightarrow$ average L during the year was $L = 10^{33} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$

LHC





$H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$



Fraction of Higgs vertices found within 10 mm of their true location, for a MC signal sample ($m_H = 120 \text{ GeV}/c^2$), as a function of the Higgs p_T . The distribution of the number of interactions per bunch crossing (n_{PU}) in the MC is adjusted to be the same as in the data by weighting the events.

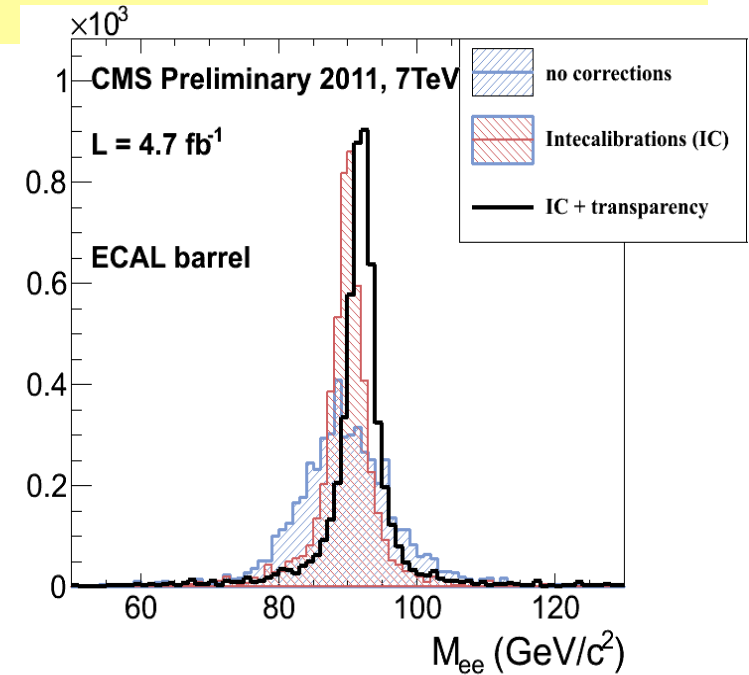
Distribution of the number of reconstructed vertices for events with a Z decaying to 2 muons in the data (points) and MC after having applied the reweighting on the number of simulated in-time pile-up events (filled histogram). Left: 2011A - up until late August, during which time the average instantaneous luminosity and consequent pileup was lower, and right: 2011B, when the instantaneous luminosity was higher.

Improvements in Photon Energy Resolution

Comprehensive energy resolution studies made with $Z \rightarrow ee$, $W \rightarrow e\nu$ and E/p , π^0 intercalibrations and laser signals for transparency corrections

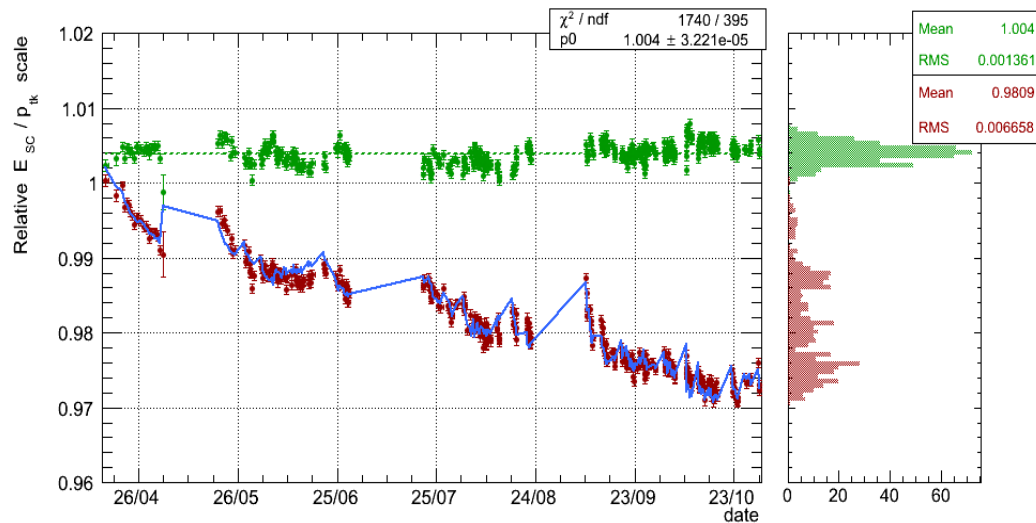
Effect of laser corrections and intercalibration on barrel-barrel $Z \rightarrow ee$
 Resolution in data improves typically by 10%, EB, $|\eta| > 1$, $R9 > 0.94$

Additional smearing in data for the best EB category: 0.99 ± 0.01 GeV



Energy scale for $W \rightarrow e\nu$ and $Z \rightarrow ee$ stable throughout 2011 at the level of 0.1 GeV.

EB inter-calibration and transparency correction fully understood for the entire 2011 data set.

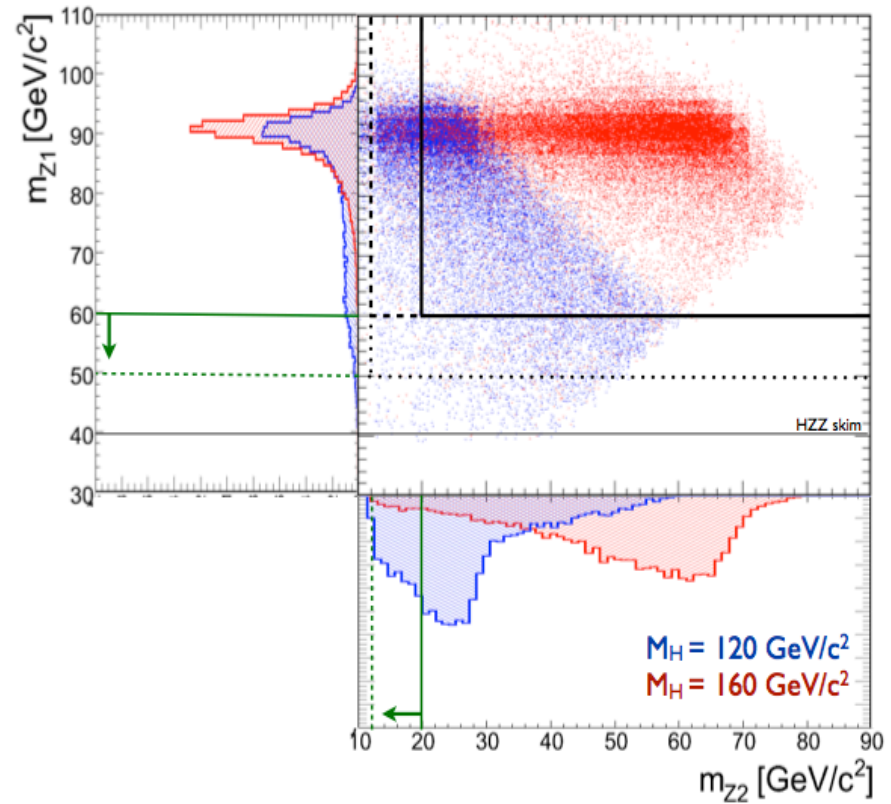
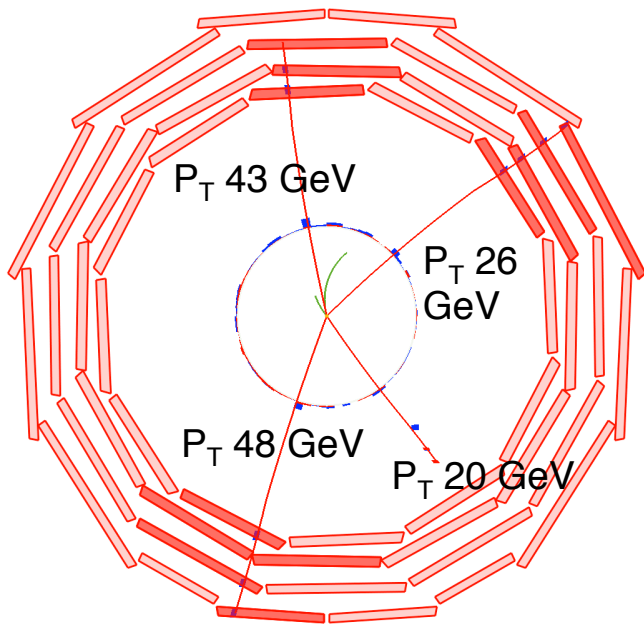
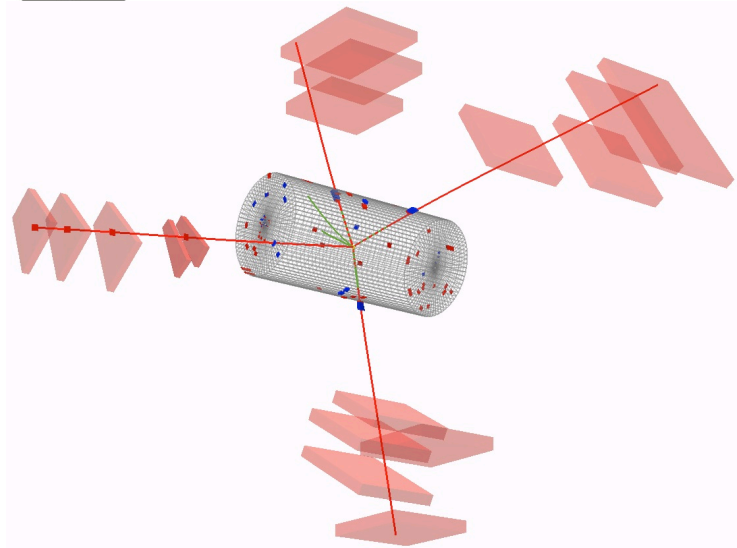


$H \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow 4e, 4\mu, 2e2\mu$

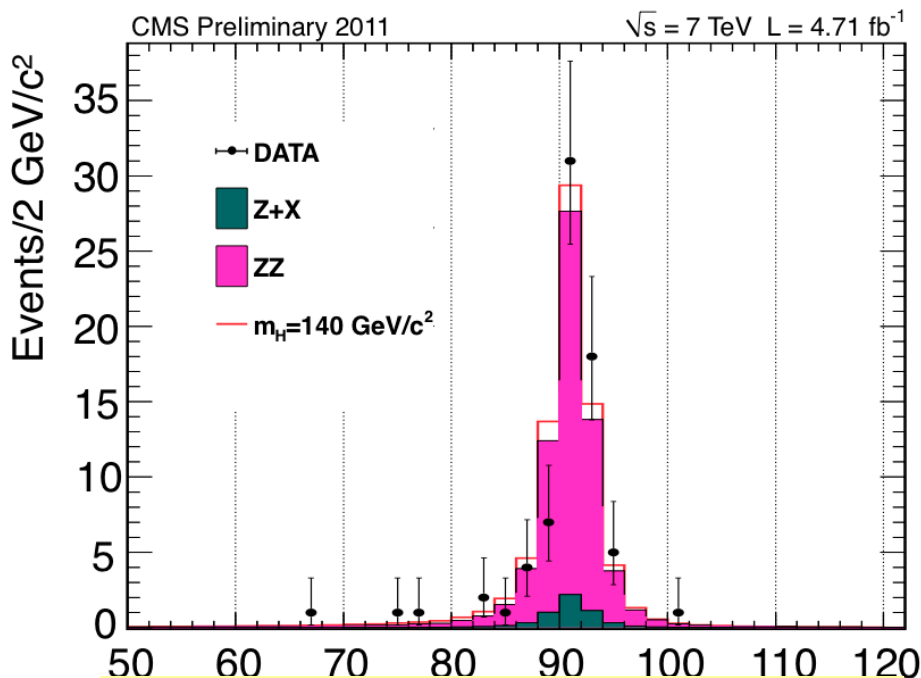


Improved sensitivity at low Higgs masses

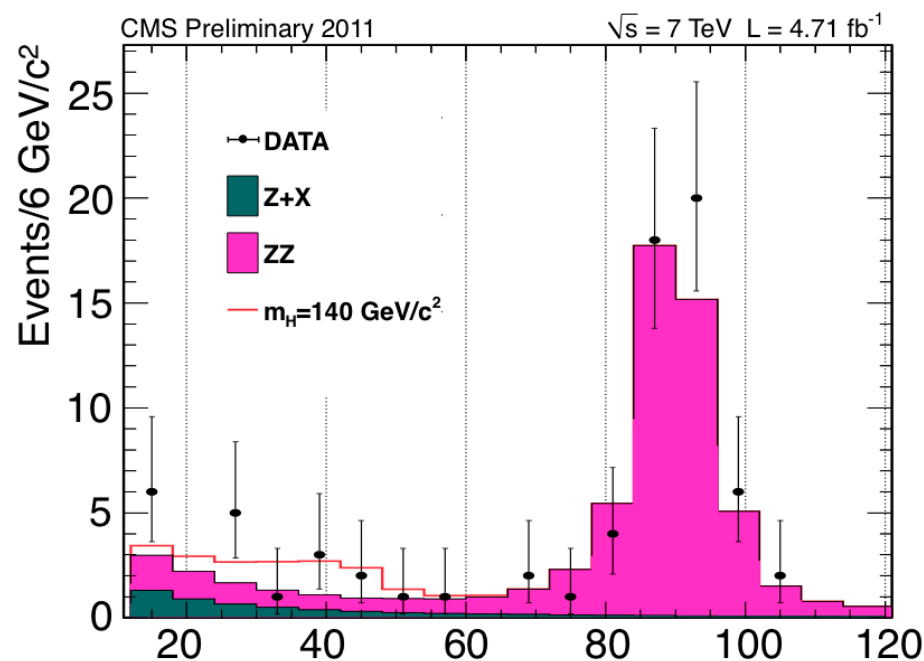
- Reduce M_{Z_1} cut from 60 \rightarrow 50 GeV
- Reduce M_{Z_2} cut from 20 \rightarrow 12 GeV



H → ZZ → 4l



Distribution of the reconstructed mass of the first lepton pair (M_{Z1}) in the sum of the 4l channels. Points represent the data, shaded histograms represent the signal and background expectations. The samples correspond to an integrated luminosity of $L = 4.71 \text{ fb}^{-1}$.

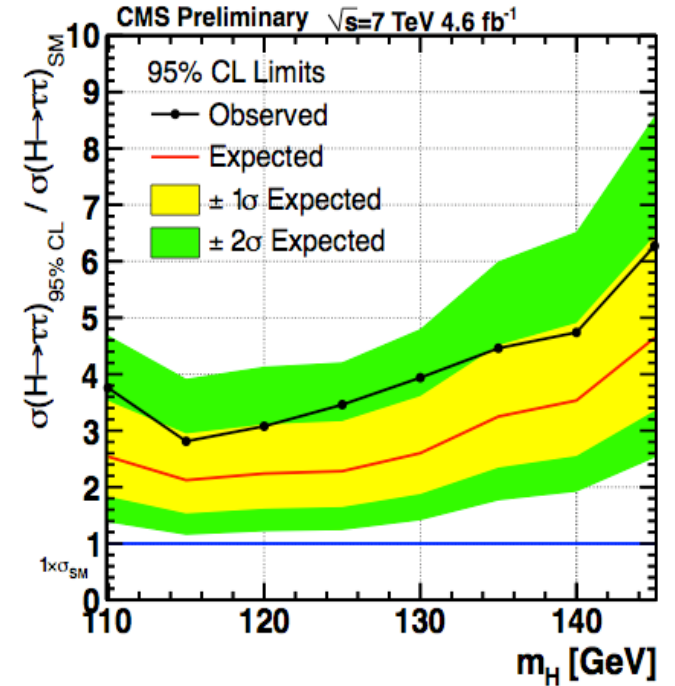
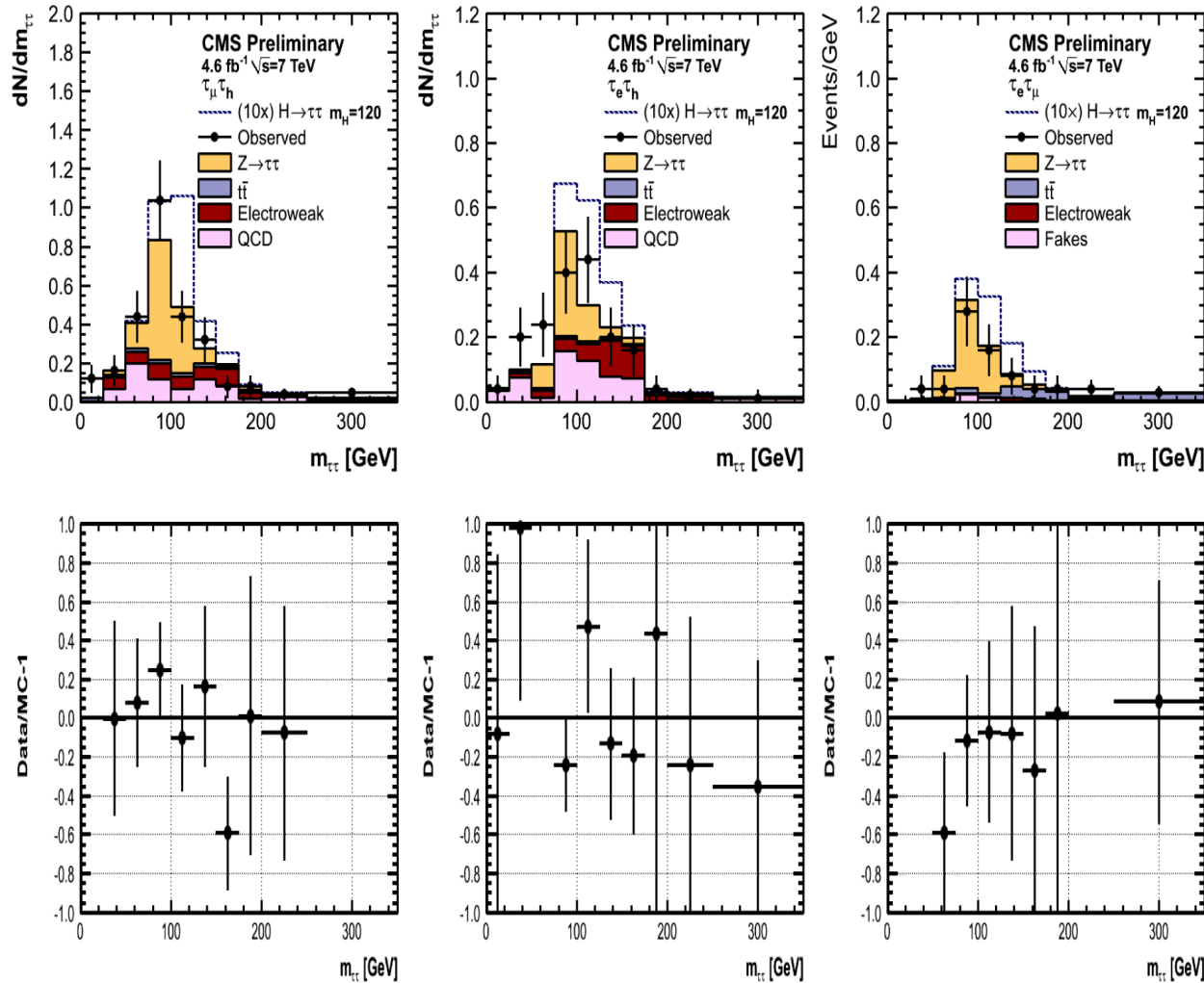


Distribution of the reconstructed mass of the second lepton pair (M_{Z2}) in the sum of the 4l channels. Points represent the data, shaded histograms represent the signal and background expectations. The samples correspond to an integrated luminosity of $L = 4.71 \text{ fb}^{-1}$.

H → ττ : data and limits



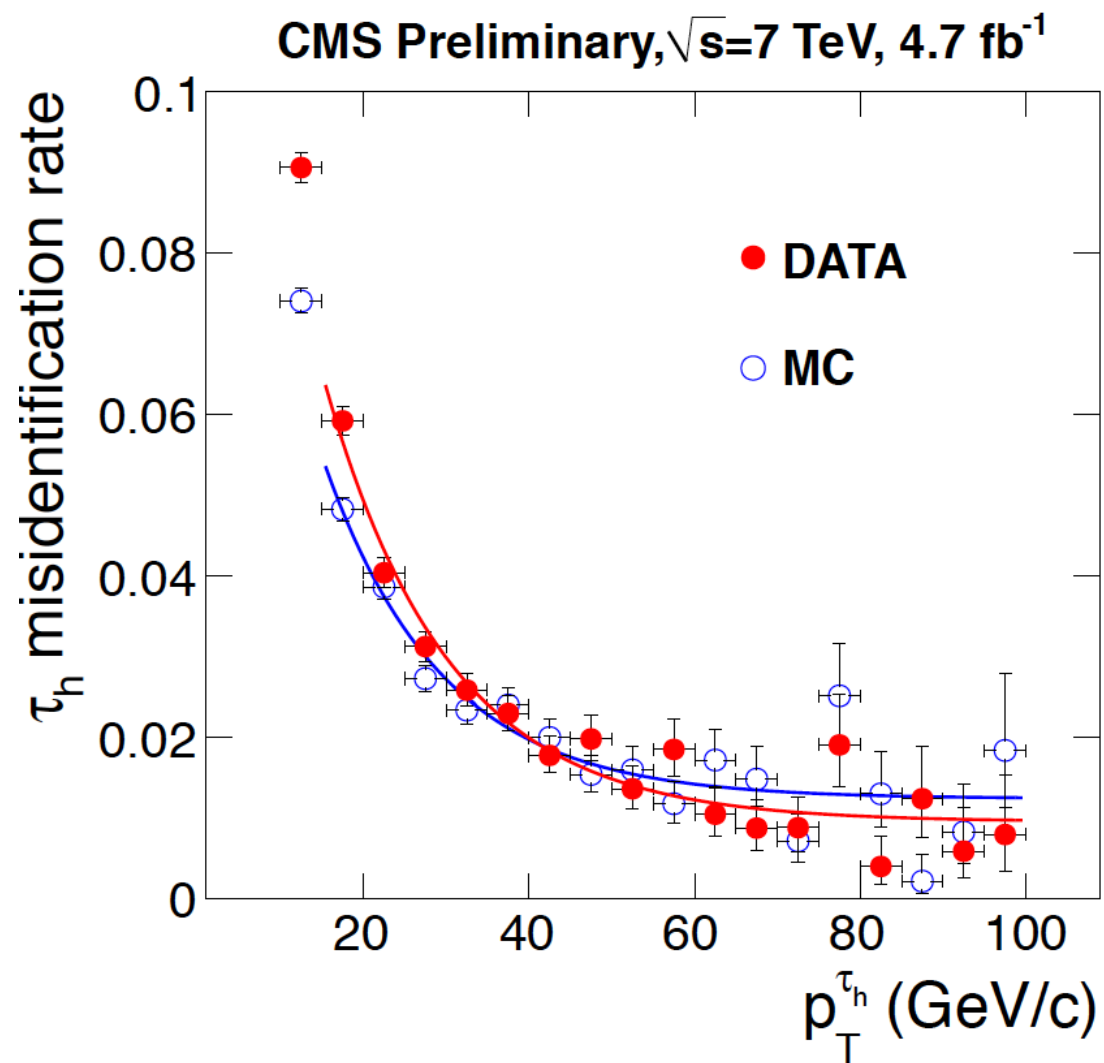
data in VBF Channels



Significant improvement in sensitivity since LP' 11

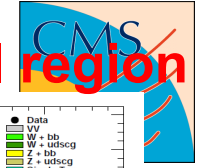


$H \rightarrow \tau\tau$



Data to MC comparison for the hadronic tau fake rate.

H → bb: Example of control regions in WH analysis

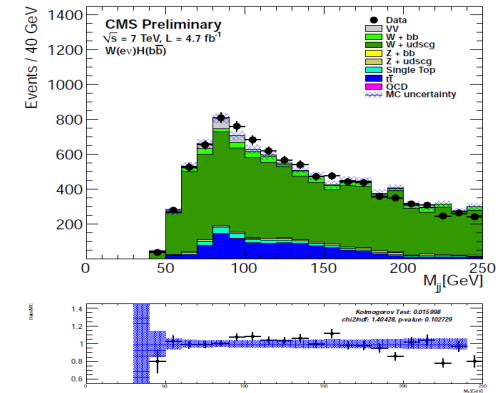
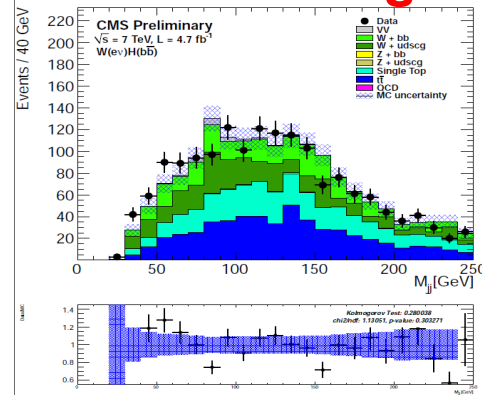
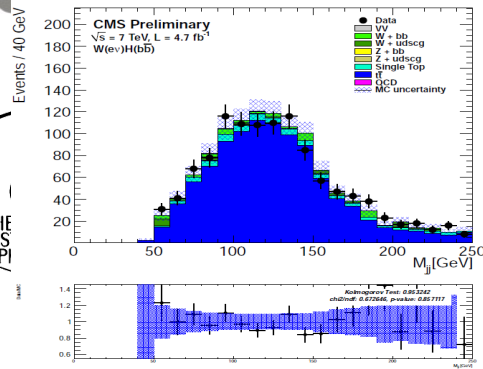


Top control region

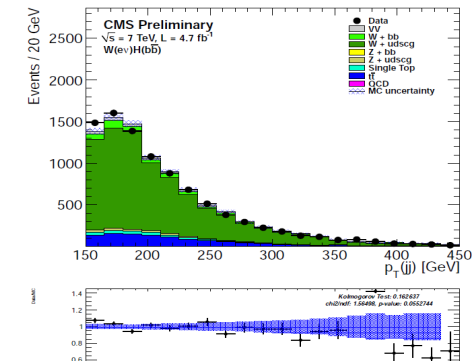
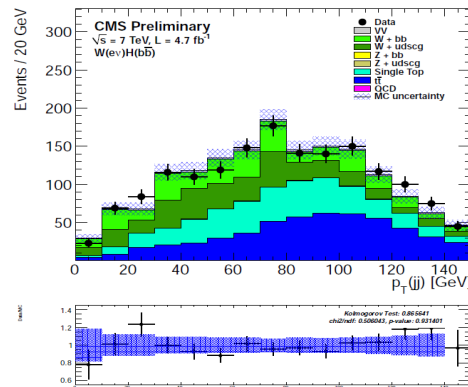
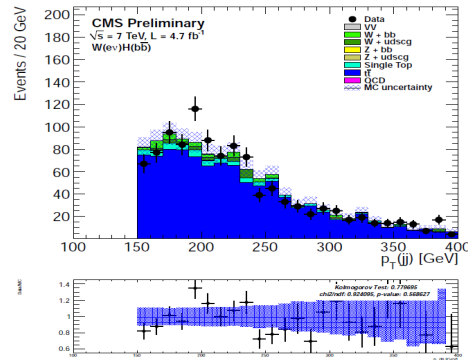
W+bb control region

W+jj control region

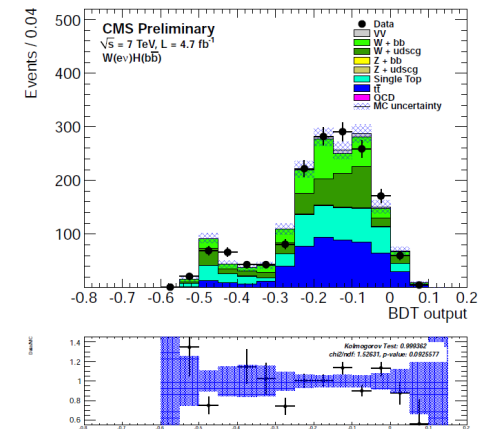
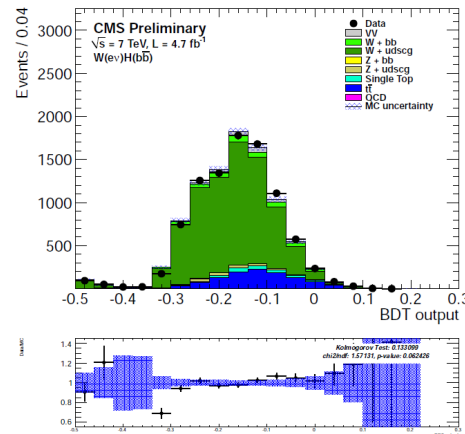
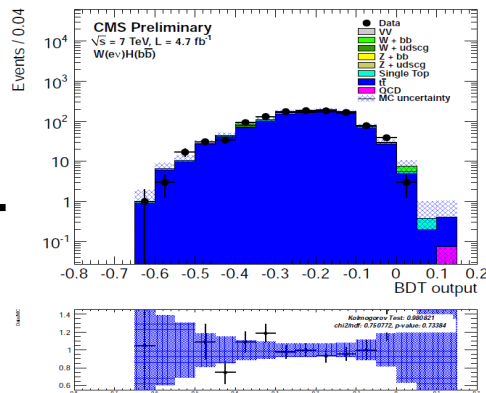
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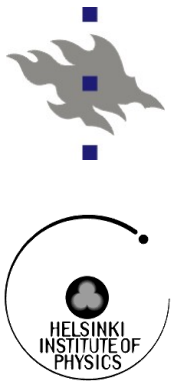


$p_{T,jj}$

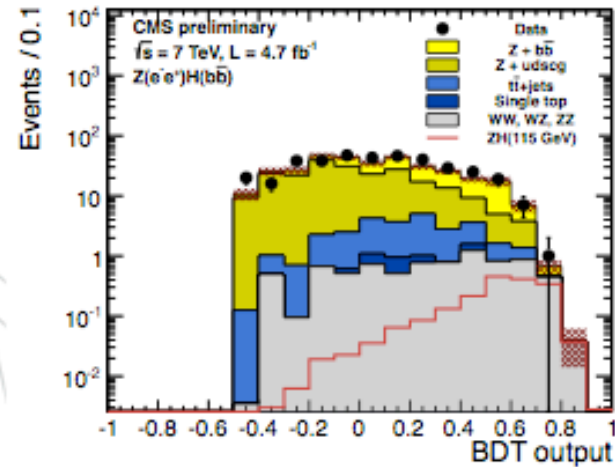
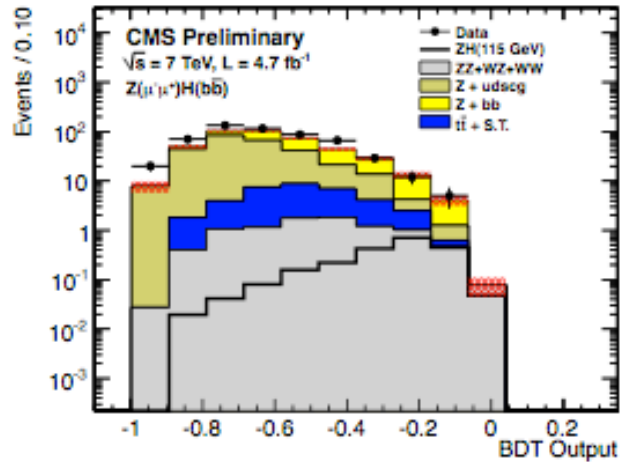
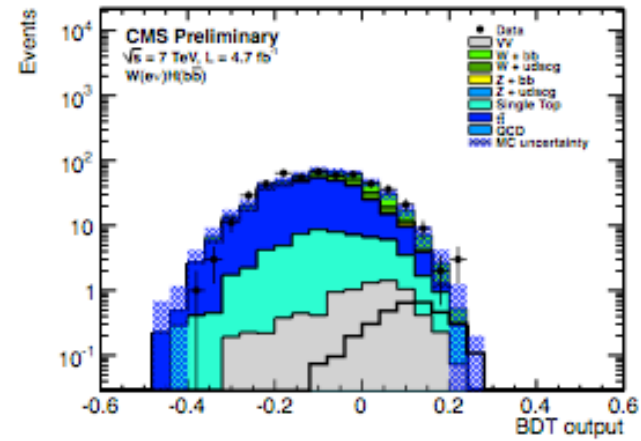
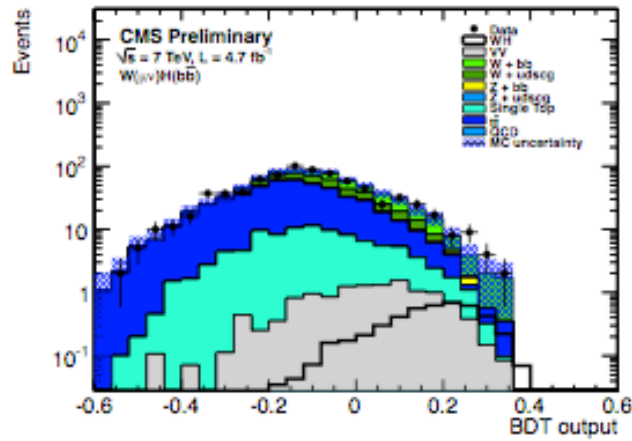


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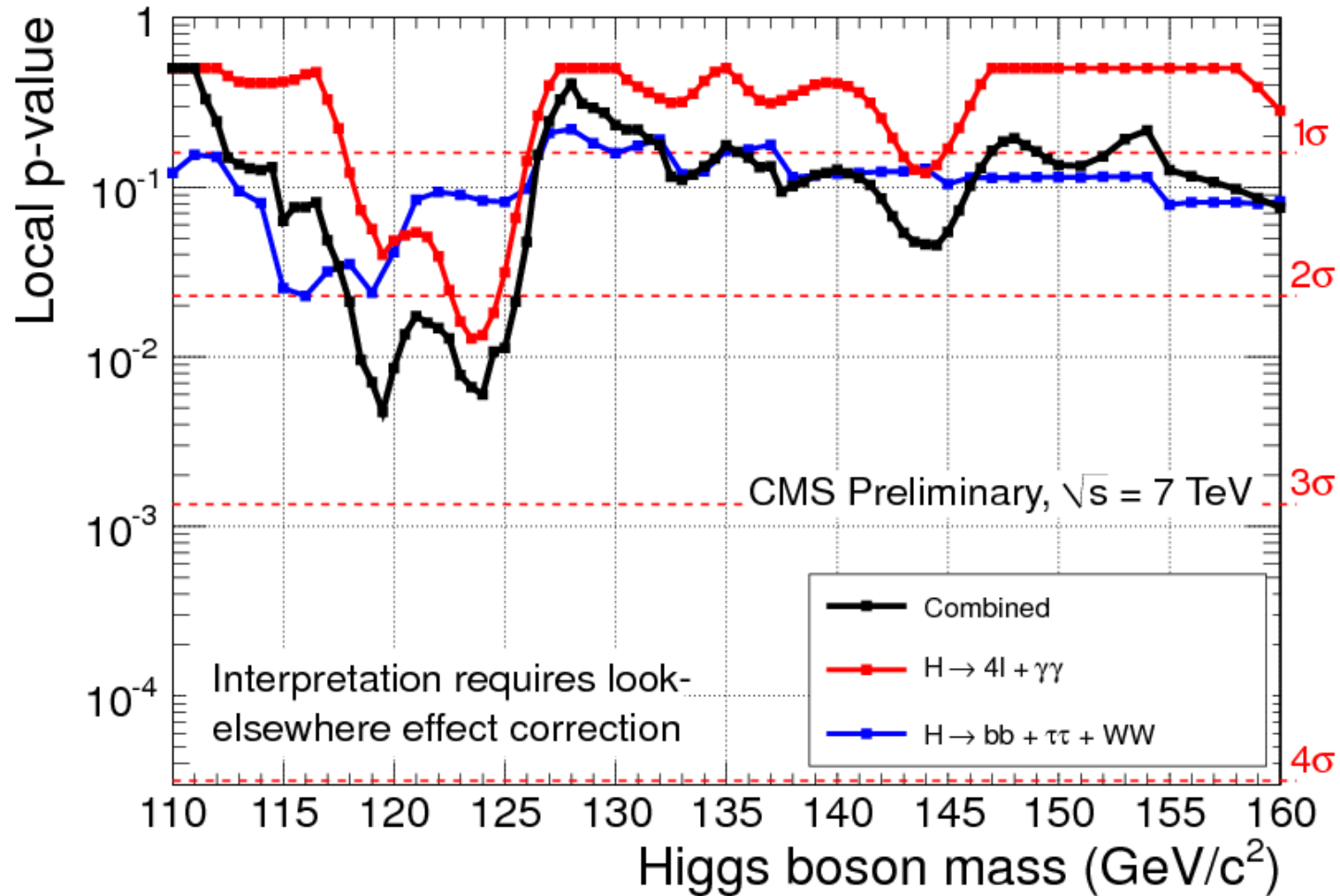
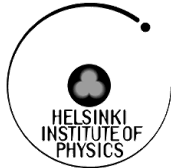




H → bb



Anatomy of an excess: p-values for the high and the low-resolution channels



Higgs Sensitivity : 1, 2, 5 and 10 fb⁻¹ @ 7 TeV

Vivek Sharma, Lepton-Photon conference, Aug 2011

