



Results on Electroweak Multibosons in CMS

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Experimental and Theoretical Results

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Vector bosons (V)



The production of multiple electroweak bosons at LHC provides an important test of the Standard Model.

Precise measurements and predictions of electroweak gauge boson production are very important for checks of possible deviations from the SM (anomalous Triple Gauge Couplings (TGC)).

Multibosons – important background for Higgs \rightarrow V V and other searches.



Vector bosons







TGC vertices Allowed in SM: WWy and WWZ. Not allowed: Zyy, ZZy, ZZZ.



CMS measurements



All leptonic modes:

low QCD background

• but: low branching ratio

clear signature

Diboson channels measured in CMS: 1)Wγ, Zγ 2)WW, WZ, ZZ

Data 2010, 36 pb⁻¹:

WW: Phys. Lett. B699, 25-47, 2011.
W γ, Z γ: Phys. Lett. B701, 535-555, 2011.

Data 2011, 1.1 fb⁻¹:

WW,WZ, ZZ: CMS-EWK-11-010 (https://cdsweb.cern.ch/record/1370067).

Data 2011, 4.92 fb⁻¹: New! WW: CMS- SMP-12-005 (https://cdsweb.cern.ch/record/1440234).

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In addition, data 2011, 4.6-4.7 fb^{-1}:
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Z to 4I: CMS-SMP-12-009 (https://cdsweb.cern.ch/record/1431862). WH->WWW: CMS-HIG-11-034 (https://cdsweb.cern.ch/record/1429927).

CMS detector









Detector characteristics

Width: 22m Diameter: 15m Weight: 14'500t





Main background comes from W+jets and Z+jets with misidentified jet.







Selection:

- isolated lepton with $p_T > 20 \text{ GeV}$
- photon with $E_T > 10 \text{ GeV}$
- missing E_T > 25 GeV
- $\Delta R(l, \gamma) > 0.7$
- in e_{VY} no second loose electron
- in $\mu\nu\gamma$ no second loose muon

 $W\gamma$ production cross section for E_T^{γ} > 10 GeV and $\Delta R(l, \gamma) > 0.7$ is:

 $\sigma(pp \rightarrow W\gamma + X) \times B(W \rightarrow ev) = 57.1 \pm 6.9(stat) \pm 5.1(syst) \pm 2.3(lumi) pb$

 $\sigma(pp \rightarrow W\gamma + X) \times B(W \rightarrow \mu\nu) = 55.4 \pm 7.2(stat) \pm 5.0(syst) \pm 2.2(lumi) pb$

Best Linear Unbiased Estimator method:

 $\sigma(pp \rightarrow W\gamma + X) \times B(W \rightarrow l\gamma) = 56.3 \pm 5.0(stat) \pm 5.0(syst) \pm 2.3(lumi) pb$

	е vγ	μνγ	
W+jets bkg	$220 \pm 16 \pm 14$	261±19±16	
Other bkg	7.7 ± 0.5	16.4 ± 1.0	
All data	452	520	

Other background (from $Z\gamma$, dibozons) is defined from MC.



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Zγ



Selection:

- pair e^+e^- or $\mu^+\mu^-$
- each lepton with $p_T > 20 \text{ GeV}$
- photon with $E_T > 10$ GeV
- missing E_T > 25 GeV
- $\Delta R(l,\gamma) > 0.7$
- m(*ll*) > 50 GeV

 $Z\gamma$ production cross section for E_T^{γ} > 10 GeV and $\Delta R(l,\gamma) > 0.7$ and m([[]) > 50 GeV is:

 $\sigma(pp \rightarrow Z\gamma + X) \times B(Z \rightarrow ee) = 9.5 \pm 1.4(stat) \pm 0.7(syst) \pm 0.4(lumi)pb$

 $\sigma(pp \rightarrow Z\gamma + X) \times B(Z \rightarrow \mu\mu) = 9.2 \pm 1.4(stat) \pm 0.6(syst) \pm 0.4(lumi) pb$

 $\sigma(pp \rightarrow Z\gamma + X) \times B(Z \rightarrow ll) = 9.4 \pm 1.0(stat) \pm 0.6(syst) \pm 0.4(lumi)pb$

	ееү	μμγ
Z+jets bkg	$20.5 \pm 1.7 \pm 1.9$	$27.3 \pm 2.2 \pm 2.3$
Other bkg	neglected	
All data	81	90



NLO prediction: $9.6 \pm 0.4 pb$ (U.Baur and E.Berger, Phys.Rev. D47 (1993) 4889).

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Distinguishing ISR and FSR.

Zγ





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Limits on aTGC from $W\gamma, Z\gamma$

For $WW\gamma$ two parameters in Lagrangian: $k_{\gamma}=1$, $\lambda_{\gamma}=0$. aTGC are deviations from SM values, so $\Delta k_{\gamma} \equiv k_{\gamma} - 1$.

For $ZZ\gamma$, $Z\gamma\gamma$ parameters $h_3^{\ Z}$, $h_4^{\ Z}$ and $h_3^{\ \gamma}$, $h_4^{\ \gamma}$ (=0 in SM at tree level).

Simulated samples of $W\gamma$ and $Z\gamma$ signals were produced for a greed of aTGC values.

Limits were obtained using likelihood based on E_{T} spectrum of the photon.

$WW\gamma$	$ZZ\gamma$	$Z\gamma\gamma$
$-1.11 < \Delta \kappa_{\gamma} < 1.04$	$-0.05 < h_3 < 0.06$	$-0.07 < h_3 < 0.07$
$-0.18 < \lambda_\gamma < 0.17$	$-0.0005 < h_4 < 0.0005$	$-0.0005 < h_4 < 0.0006$







WW



Data 2011, 4.92 fb⁻¹. Purely leptonic modes: WW $\rightarrow ll \nu \nu (ll = e^+e^-, \mu^+\mu^-, e^\pm\mu^\mp)$ Selection:

- two oppositely charged isolated leptons, each with p_T > 20 GeV;
- missing $E_T > 40$ (20) GeV for $ee/\mu\mu(e\mu)$ states $(Z \rightarrow \tau\tau, ll$ rejection);
- jet veto (> 30 GeV), b-tagging veto (W+jet/top rejection);
- third lepton and veto (WZ/ZZ rejection);
- veto 76 < $m(e^+e^-, \mu^+\mu^-)$ < 106 GeV, $\Delta \varphi(ll, jet p_T > 15 \text{ GeV}) > 165^{o}$ (Z+jet rejection);
- rejected m(ll) < 20 (12) GeV for $ee / \mu\mu(e\mu)$; Sample Yield \pm stat. \pm syst.

• p_T^{ll} > 45 GeV.

Background estimation:

Data driven for:

MC simulation for:

- QCD/W+jet
- Top

- WY • $7 \rightarrow TT$
 - Z/WZ/ZZ

Sample	field \pm stat. \pm syst.
$gg \rightarrow W^+W^-$	$46.0 \pm 0.6 \pm 14.2$
$q\bar{q} ightarrow W^+W^-$	$750.9 \pm 4.1 \pm 53.1$
tt +tW	$128.5 \pm 12.8 \pm 19.6$
W+jets	$59.5 \pm 3.9 \pm 21.4$
WZ+ZZ	$29.4 \pm 0.4 \pm 2.0$
Z/γ^*	$11.0 \pm 5.1 \pm 2.6$
$W+\gamma$	$18.8 \pm 2.8 \pm 4.7$
${ m Z}/\gamma^* o au au$	$0.0\pm1.0\pm0.1$
Total Background	$247.1 \pm 14.6 \pm 29.5$
Signal + Background	$1044.0 \pm 15.2 \pm 62.4$
Data	1134



(data 2010, 36 pb^{-1}): $\sigma_{W^+W^-} = 41.1 \pm 15.3(stat.) \pm 5.8(syst.) \pm 4.5(lumi.) pb$ (data 2011, 1.1 fb^{-1}): $\sigma_{W^+W^-} = 55.3 \pm 3.3(stat.) \pm 6.9(syst.) \pm 3.3(lumi.) pb$ NLO prediction: $47.0^{+2.0}_{-1.5} pb$ (J.M.Campbell et al, JHEP **1107 (2011) 018**)

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Limits on WWy and WWZ couplings





From WW analysis, data 2010, 36 pb⁻¹



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Data 2011, 1.09 fb⁻¹. Leptonic modes: WZ $\rightarrow l^{\pm} \nu l'^{+} l'^{-} (l, l' = e, \mu)$

Z selection:

- two isolated electrons with p_T > 20 / 10 GeV or
- two isolated muons with $p_T > 15 \text{ GeV}$
- 60 < m (l^+l^-) < 120 GeV
- Z candidate is taken with mass more close to nominal Z mass

W selection:

• third isolated lepton with $p_T > 20 \text{ GeV}$

Veto on:

- second reconstructed Z (ZZ rejection)
- $E_T > 30 \text{ GeV} (ZZ\gamma \text{ and } ZZ \rightarrow 4l \text{ rejection })$

Background estimation:

Data driven for:

- Z+jets
- Top

MC simulation for:

•
$$Z\gamma$$

• $ZZ \rightarrow 4l$

















Sample	3e0µ	2e1µ	1e2µ	0e3µ
Z + Jets	0.82	0.04	0.31	0.07
$Z \rightarrow bb + Jets$	0.04	0.06	0.00	0.10
$Z \rightarrow cc + Jets$	0.03	0.00	0.00	0.00
$t\bar{t}$	0.83	0.95	0.56	0.59
$ZZ \rightarrow 4\ell$	0.40	0.95	0.40	0.97
$V\gamma$	0.80	0.10	0.03	0.00
W + Jets	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
$WW \rightarrow 2\ell 2\nu + Jets$	0.02	0.04	0.00	0.00
Background	2.95	2.14	1.31	1.72
$WZ ightarrow 3\ell u$	14.47	17.49	13.95	18.56
AllMC	17.42	19.62	15.26	20.28
Data	22	20	13	20

channel	Nobserved	cross section (pb)
$\sigma_{WZ \rightarrow eeev}$	22	$0.086 \pm 0.022(stat) \pm 0.007(syst) \pm 0.005(lumi)$
$\sigma_{WZ \to ee\mu\nu}$	20	$0.060 \pm 0.017(stat) \pm 0.005(syst) \pm 0.004(lumi)$
$\sigma_{WZ \to \mu \mu e \nu}$	13	$0.053 \pm 0.018(stat) \pm 0.004(syst) \pm 0.003(lumi)$
$\sigma_{WZ \to \mu\mu\mu\nu}$	20	$0.060 \pm 0.016(stat) \pm 0.004(syst) \pm 0.004(lumi)$

 $\sigma(pp \to WZ + X) \times \mathcal{B}(Z \to \ell\ell) \mathcal{B}(W \to \ell\nu_{\ell}) = 0.062 \pm 0.009 \text{ (stat.)}$

 \pm 0.004 (syst.)

 \pm 0.004 (lumi.) pb

 $\sigma(pp \rightarrow WZ + X) = 17.0 \pm 2.4(stat.) \pm 1.1(syst.) \pm 1.0(lumi.)pb$

NLO prediction: $19.79 \pm 0.09 \, pb$ (MCFM calculation)





Data 2010+2011, 1.13 fb⁻¹.

Leptonic modes: $ZZ \rightarrow l^{\pm}l^{\mp}l'^{\pm}l'^{\mp}(l, l' = e, \mu \text{ or } \tau)$

First Z selection:

• two isolated leptons of the same flavor with p_T > 20 / 10 GeV

ZZ

• 60 < m(l⁺l⁻) < 120 GeV

Second Z selection:

1) ZZ $\rightarrow 4e, 4\mu, 2e2\mu$ • two isolated leptons of the same flavor • $p_T > 7$ GeV for e, $p_T > 5$ GeV for μ • 60 < m(l^+l^-) < 120 GeV

2) ZZ $\rightarrow 2l2\tau$

- $\tau \rightarrow$ lepton, $p_T > 10 \text{ GeV}$
- $\tau \rightarrow hadron, p_T > 20 \text{ GeV}$
- 30 < visible mass $\tau\tau$ < 80 GeV





$$\sigma(pp \rightarrow ZZ + X) = 3.8^{+1.5}_{-1.2}(stat.) \pm 0.2(syst.) \pm 0.2(lumi.) pb$$

NLO prediction: $6.4 \pm 0.6 \, pb$ (MCFM calculation)



Dibosons



CMS





 $Z \rightarrow 4l$



Data 2011, 4.7 fb⁻¹.

Signal (FSR):

First observation and measurement of this decay on hadron collider.

Background for Higgs searches; calibration of m_{4l} and resolution.



Signal events: $e^+e^-e^+e^-(4e)$, $\mu^+\mu^-\mu^+\mu^-(4\mu)$, $e^+e^-\mu^+\mu^-(2e2\mu)$

Signal definition: 80 < m(4l) < 100 GeV, m(ll) > 4 GeV for all pairings.



 $Z \rightarrow 4l$



Selection: 1) four leptons $(4e, 4\mu, 2e2\mu)$;

- 2) two leading leptons with p_T at least 20 and 10 GeV;
- 3) two another with $p_T > 7$ GeV for electrons and $p_T > 5$ GeV for muons;
- 4) relative isolation < 0.275 ($\Delta R < 0.3$).

Final state channels	4 <i>e</i>	4μ	2e2µ	4ℓ
Irreducible background ($pp \rightarrow Z\gamma^* \rightarrow 4\ell$)	0.04	0.16	0.08	0.3 ± 0.03
Other reducible backgrounds	0.01	0.01	0.05	0.1 ± 0.13
Expected signal $(pp \rightarrow Z \rightarrow 4\ell)$	3.1	12.3	9.2	24.6 ± 2.2
Total expected (MC)	3.2	12.5	9.3	25.0 ± 2.2
Observed events	2	14	10	26
Rate from the fit of the observed mass distribution		13.6	9.7	25.4

Minimization of likelihood, including:

• Number of events in each final state i:

$$s_i = L \cdot \sigma(pp \rightarrow Z) \cdot BR(Z \rightarrow 4l) \cdot f_i \cdot \varepsilon_i^{acc} \cdot \varepsilon_i^{exp} \cdot c_i$$

- Number of background events
- Nuissance parameters for systematics







Typical event display:





 $Z \rightarrow 4l$



$$\sigma \times BR(Z \to 4l) = 125^{+25}_{-23}(stat)^{+9}_{-6}(syst)^{+7}_{-5}(lumi) fb$$

 $BR(Z \rightarrow 4l = 4.4^{+1.0}_{-0.8}(stat) \pm 0.2(syst) \times 10^{-6}$

SM prediction: $120\pm 5\,fb$

SM prediction: 4.45×10^{-6}

The four-lepton mass peak arising from $Z \rightarrow 4l$ decay provides a natural standard candle for the Higgs boson search in the $H \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow 4l$ decay mode.





WH→WWW



Data 2011, 4.6 fb⁻¹.

Search for $WH \rightarrow WWW \rightarrow l v l v (l = e, \mu)$.

WH (120)	WH (120)	data	all bkg.	WZ	ZZ	top+Z/ γ^*
$H \rightarrow \tau \tau$	$H \rightarrow WW$			$ ightarrow 3\ell u$	$ ightarrow 4\ell$	
0.1 ± 0.0	0.5 ± 0.1	7	8.4 ± 0.9	5.7 ± 0.2	0.3 ± 0.1	2.6 ± 0.9

95% CL upper limit is 10.4 times larger than SM Higgs expectation for $m_H = 120 \, GeV$.

See talk Alessandro Thea, "Higgs decays to gauge bosons in CMS, H -> gamma, WW, ZZ" later today.





	CMS	SM prediction	[1]
$W\gamma$	$56.3 \pm 5.0 \pm 5.0 \pm 2.3 pb$	$49.4 \pm 3.8 pb$	$51.2^{+2.3}_{-3.5}pb$
$Z\gamma$	$9.4 \pm 1.0 \pm 0.6 \pm 0.4 pb$	9.6±0.4 <i>pb</i>	$9.83^{+0.35}_{-0.46}pb$
WW	$52.4 \pm 2.0 \pm 4.5 \pm 1.2 pb$	$47.0^{+2.0}_{-1.5}pb$	$47.0^{+2.0}_{-1.5}pb$
WZ	$17.0 \pm 2.4 \pm 1.1 \pm 1.0 pb$	$19.79 \pm 0.09 pb$	$18.6^{\scriptscriptstyle +1.0}_{\scriptscriptstyle -0.8}pb$
ZZ	$3.8^{+1.5}_{-1.2} \pm 0.2 \pm 0.2 pb$	$6.4 \pm 0.6 pb$	$6.5^{\scriptscriptstyle +0.3}_{\scriptscriptstyle -0.2}pb$
$Z \rightarrow 4l$	$125_{-23}^{+25}(stat)_{-6}^{+9}(syst)_{-5}^{+7}(lu)$	mi) fb $120\pm 5fb$	
$BR(Z \rightarrow 4$	$l) 4.4^{+1.0}_{-0.8} \pm 0.2 \times 10^{-6}$	4.45×10^{-6}	

[1] John M. Campbell, R. Keith Ellis and Ciaran Williams, Vector boson pair production at the LHC. arxiv:1105.0020v1 (29 April 2011). JHEP 1107:018,2011.

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