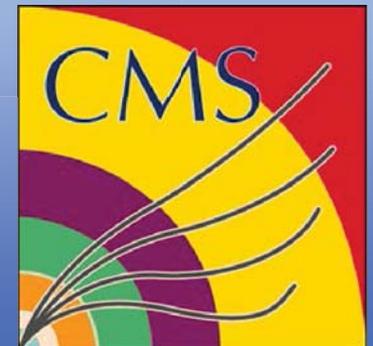


Multi-Boson results and anomalous couplings at the LHC

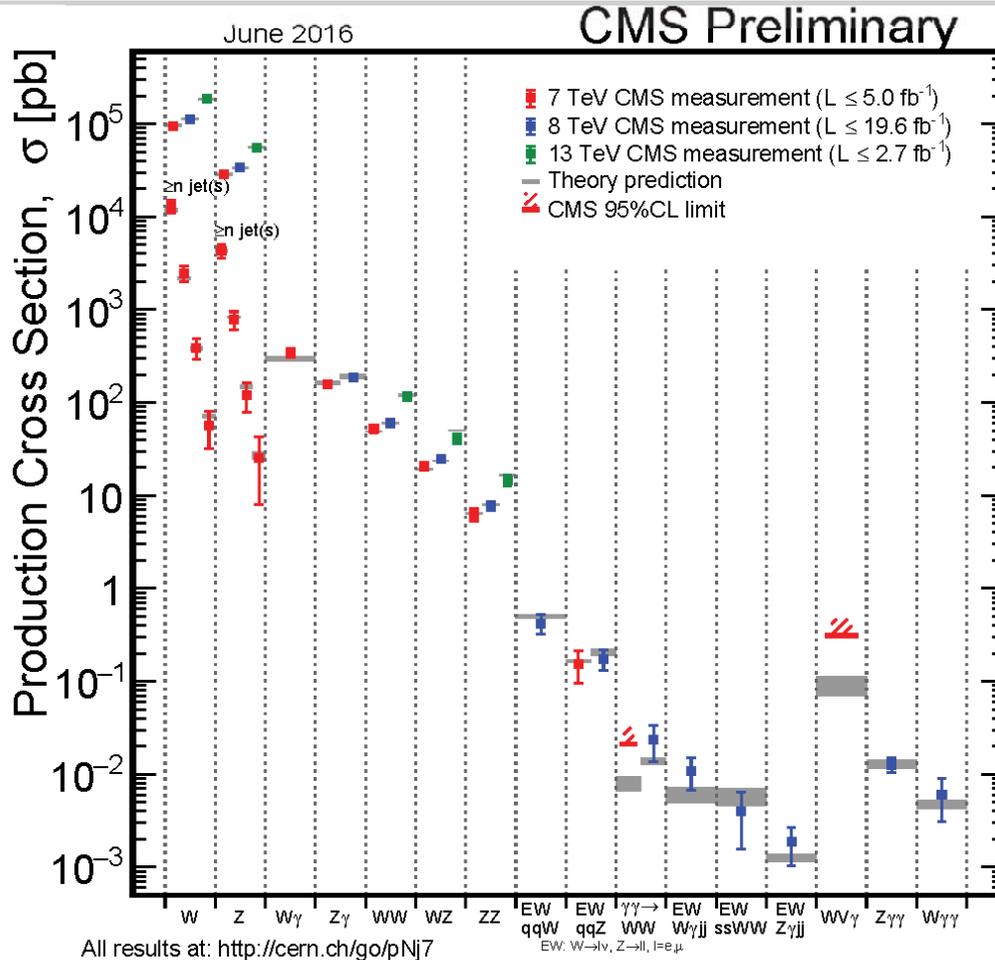


Marc-André Pleier

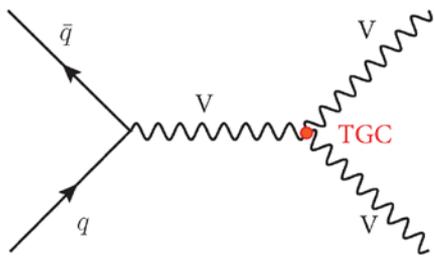
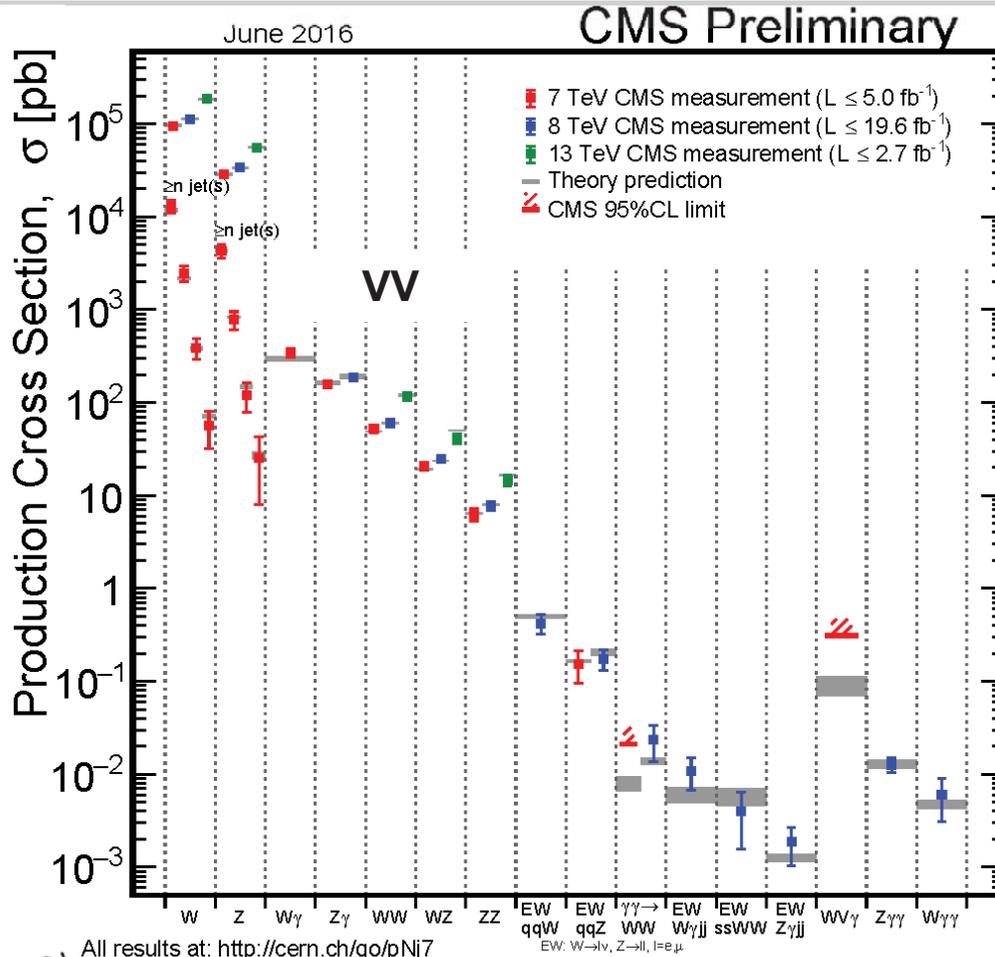


HEFT2016, October 28 2016

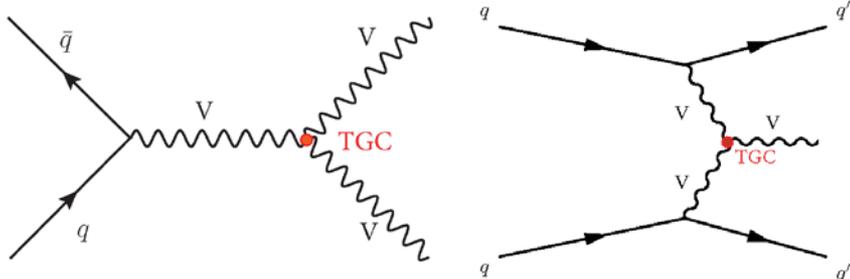
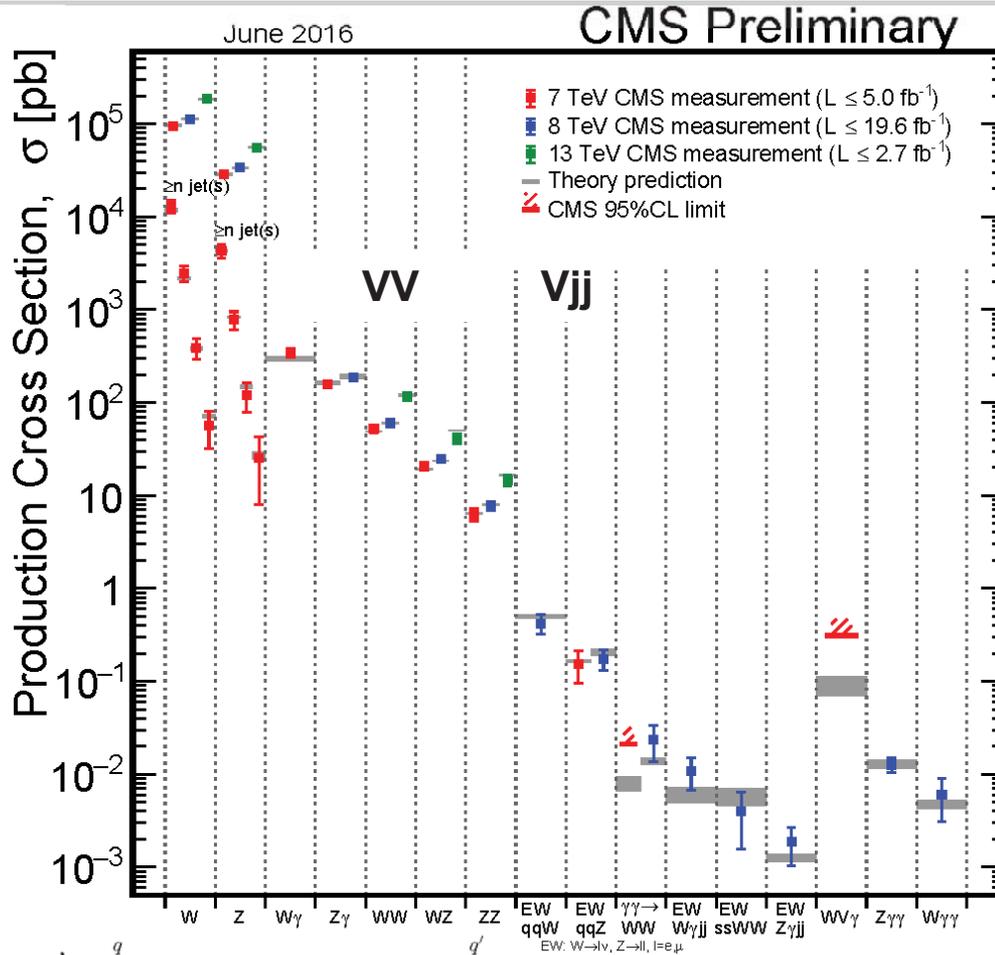
(Multi-) V Production



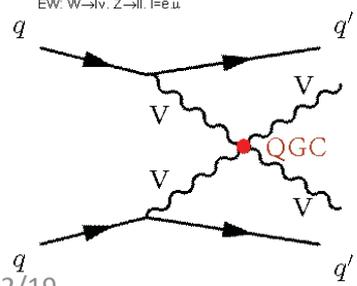
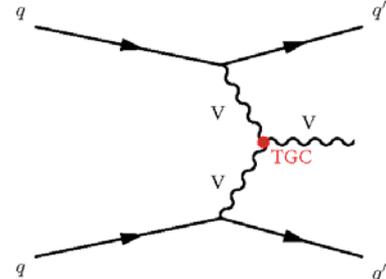
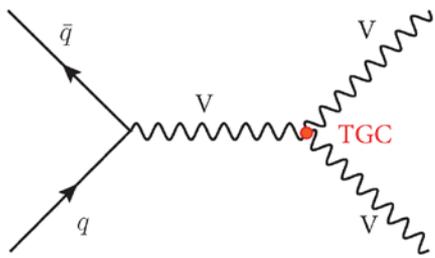
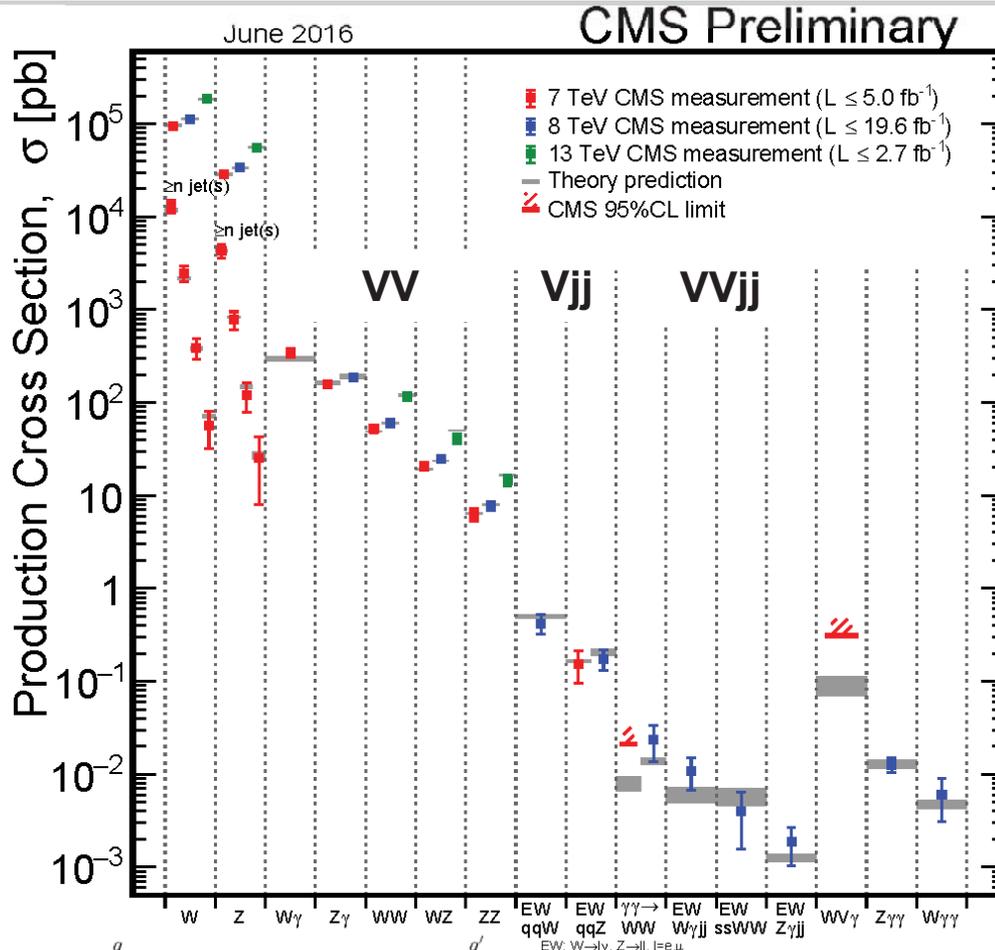
(Multi-) V Production



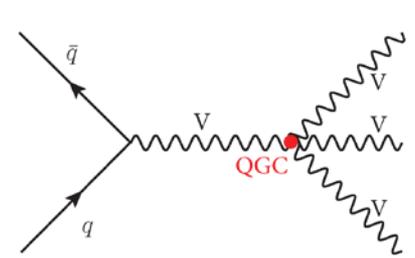
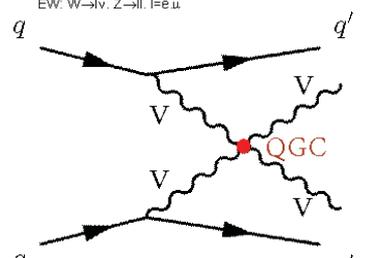
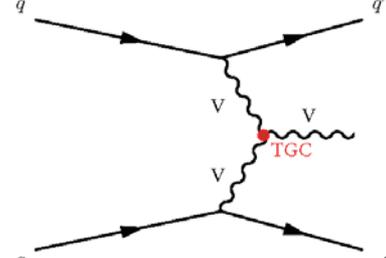
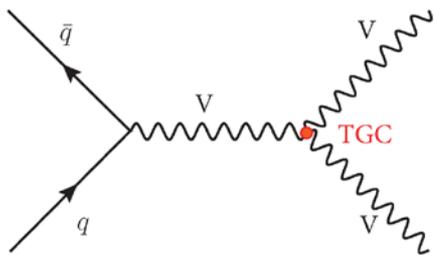
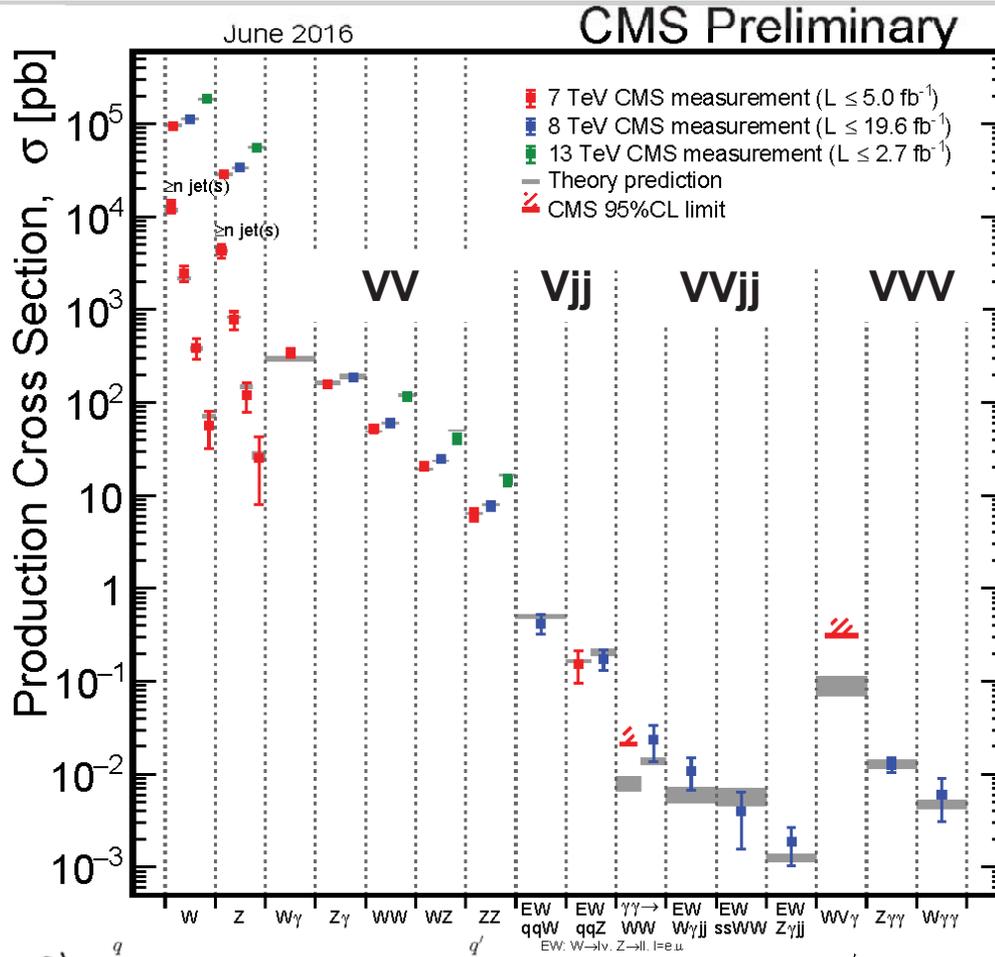
(Multi-) V Production



(Multi-) V Production

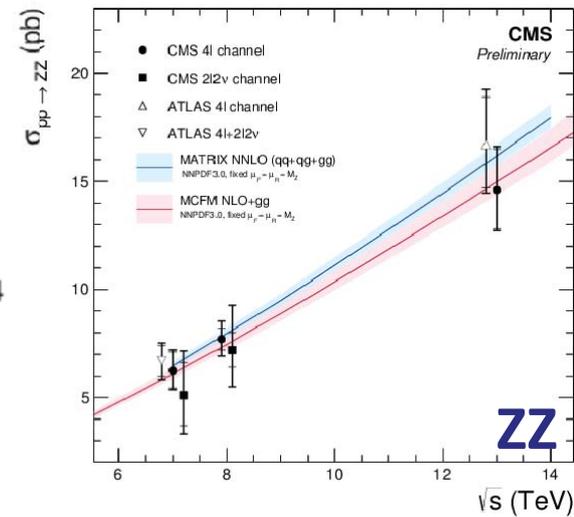
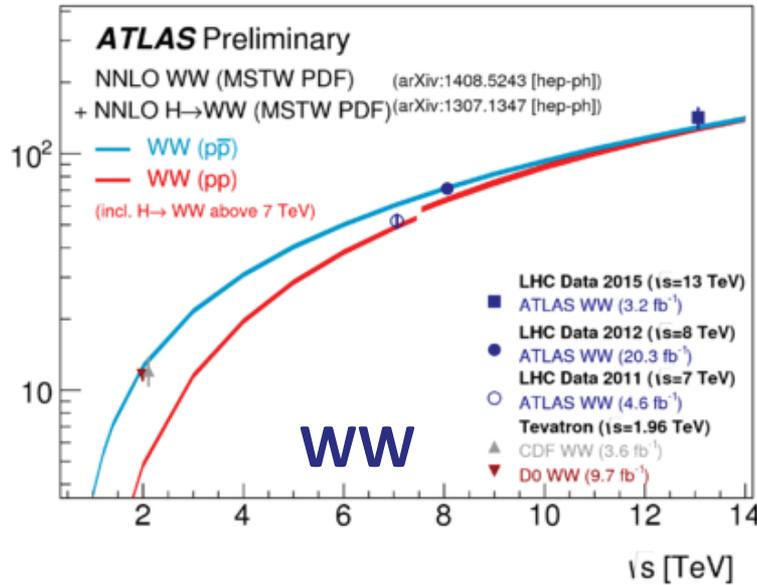
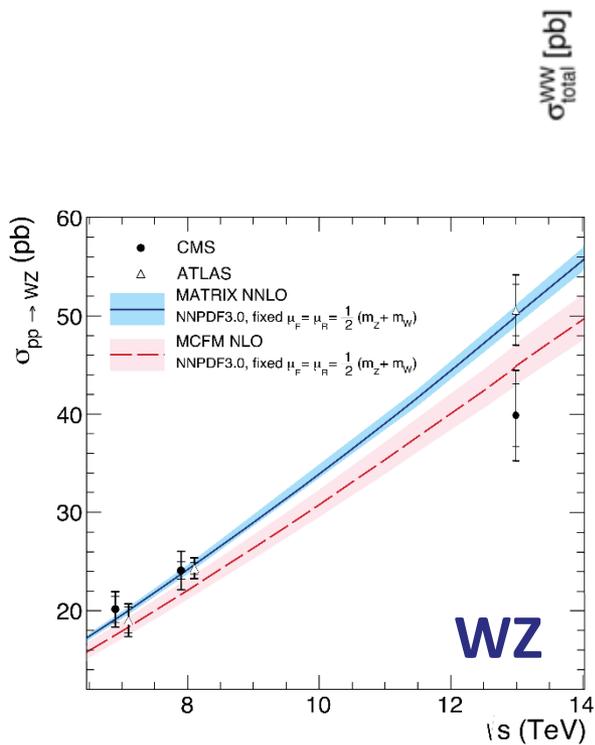


(Multi-) V Production



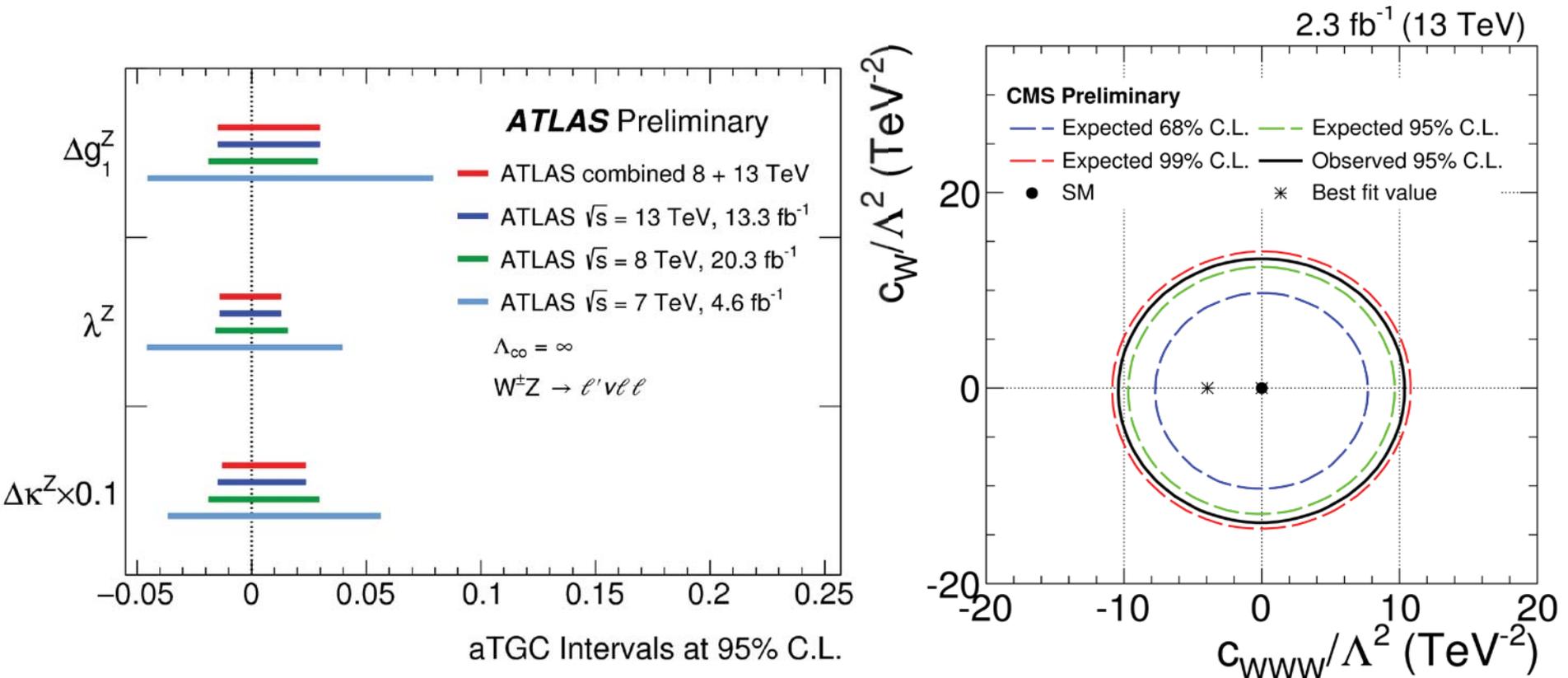
Run II Results

❖ First 13 TeV multi-V results available [[ATLAS](#), [CMS](#)]...



Run II Results

❖ First 13 TeV multi-V results available [[ATLAS](#), [CMS](#)]...



❖ ... but only few preliminary results on anomalous couplings

Recent VBF/VV results

Recent VV results

VBF/VV Production and aTGCs

❖ Overview of studied aTGCs:

Coupling	Parameters	Channel
$WW\gamma$	$\Delta\kappa_\gamma, \lambda_\gamma$	$WW, W\gamma, \text{VBF-}W$
WWZ	$\Delta g_1^Z, \Delta\kappa_Z, \lambda_Z$	$WW, WZ, \text{VBF-}W, \text{VBF-}Z$
$Z\gamma\gamma$	h_3^γ, h_4^γ	$Z\gamma$
$Z\gamma Z$	h_3^Z, h_4^Z	$Z\gamma$
$ZZ\gamma$	f_4^γ, f_5^γ	ZZ
ZZZ	f_4^Z, f_5^Z	ZZ

f_4^V violate CP

SM expectation for all these parameters = 0.

❖ Experimental access: aTGCs modify total production rate as well as event kinematics

- Use cross-section measurement or kinematics to constrain aTGCs

❖ A suppression factor depending on a scale Λ_{FF} ensures conservation of unitarity (divergent xsecs at high \sqrt{s}):

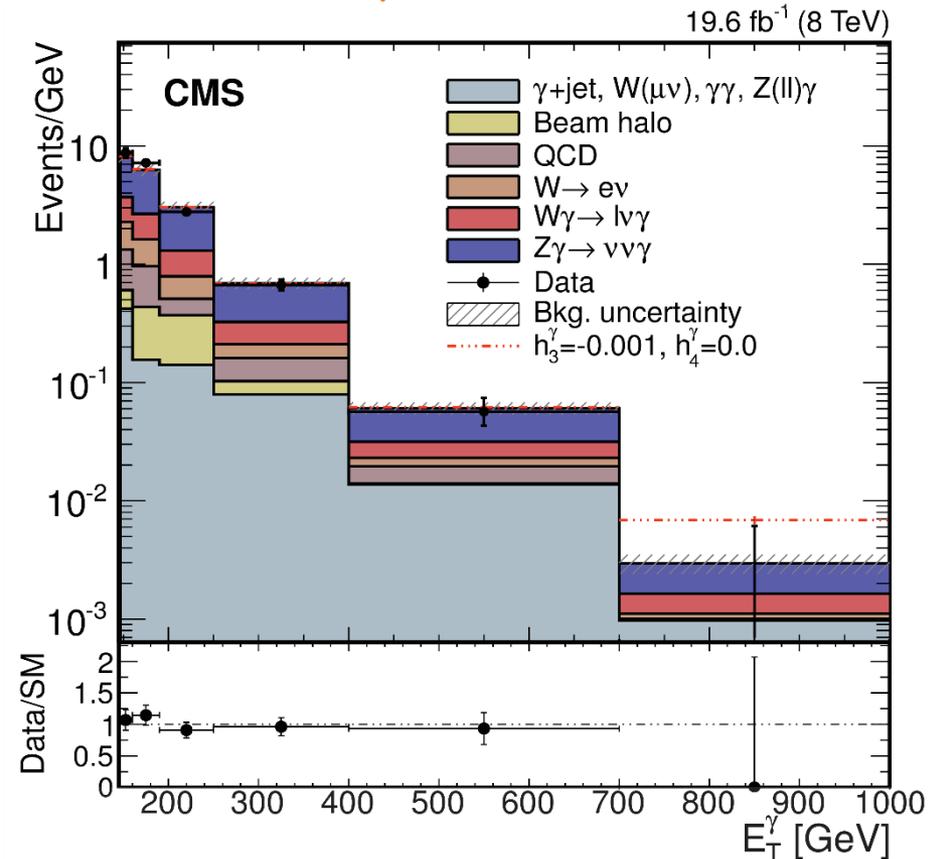
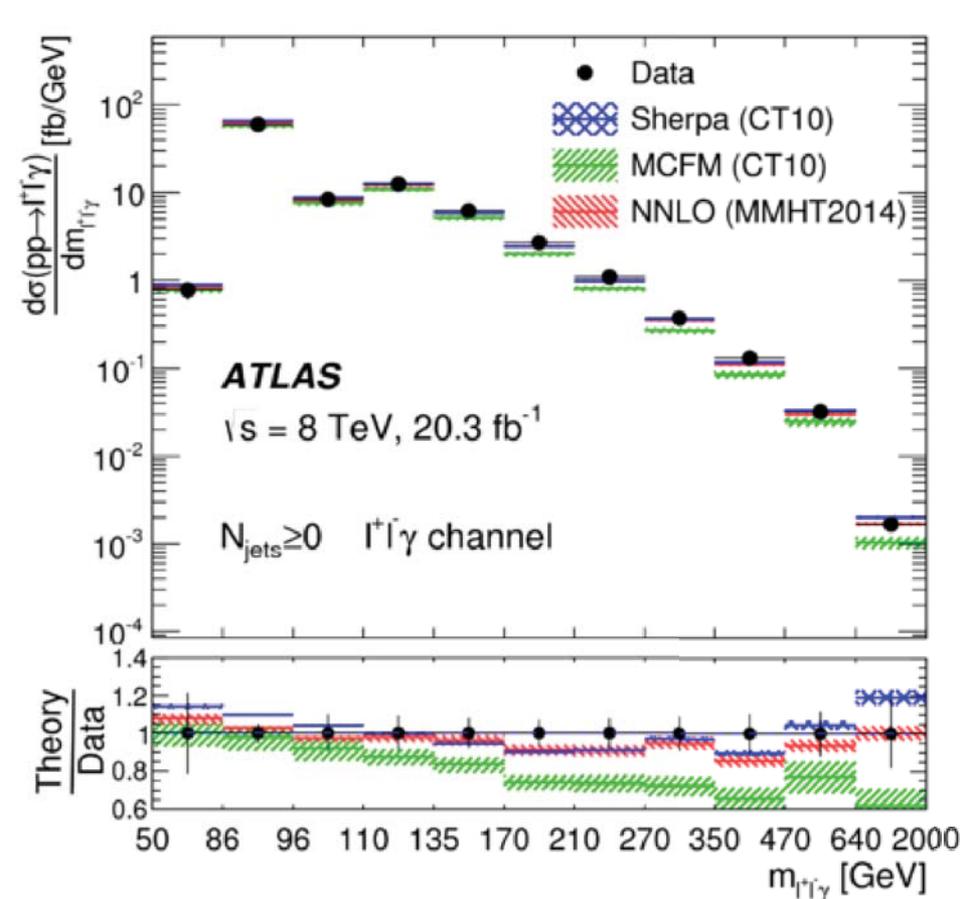
$$\lambda(\hat{s}) = \frac{\lambda_0}{(1 + \hat{s}/\Lambda_{FF}^2)^n}$$

$Z\gamma \rightarrow \ell\ell\gamma, \nu\nu\gamma$ @ 8 TeV

[PRD 93, 112002 \(2016\)](#)

[PLB 760 \(2016\) 448](#)

- ❖ $e^+e^- / \mu^+ \mu^-$ (ATLAS only) or MET plus isolated photon(s)
- ❖ Early NNLO fully differential [calculation for \$Z\gamma\$](#) in 2013

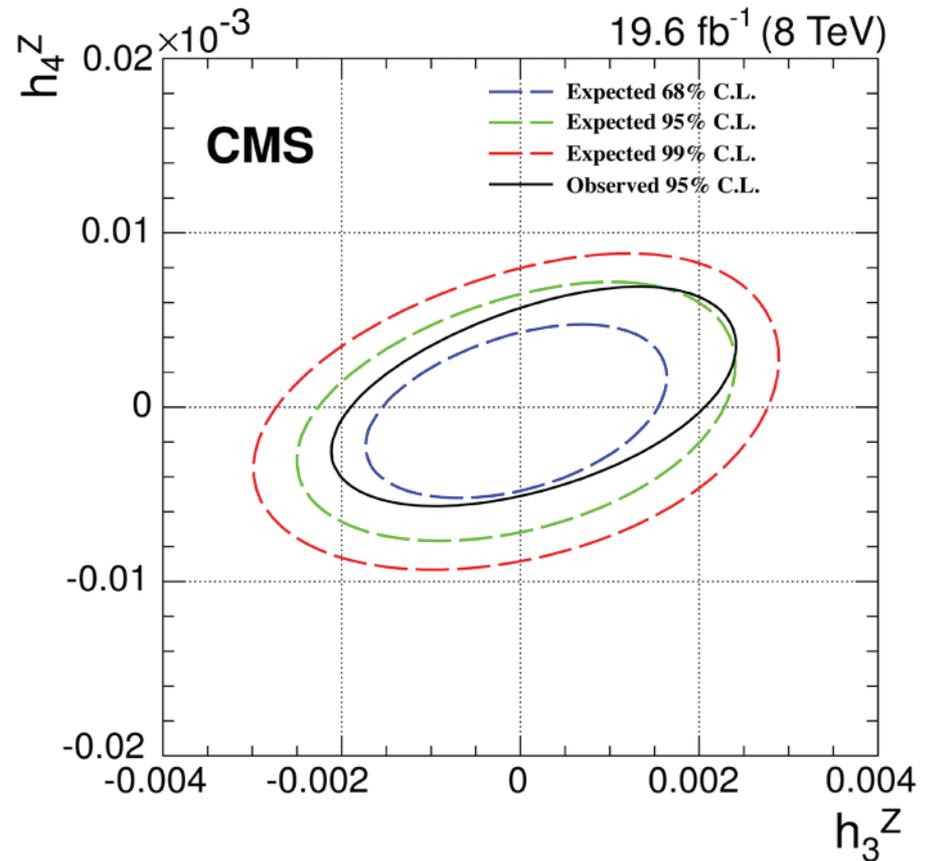
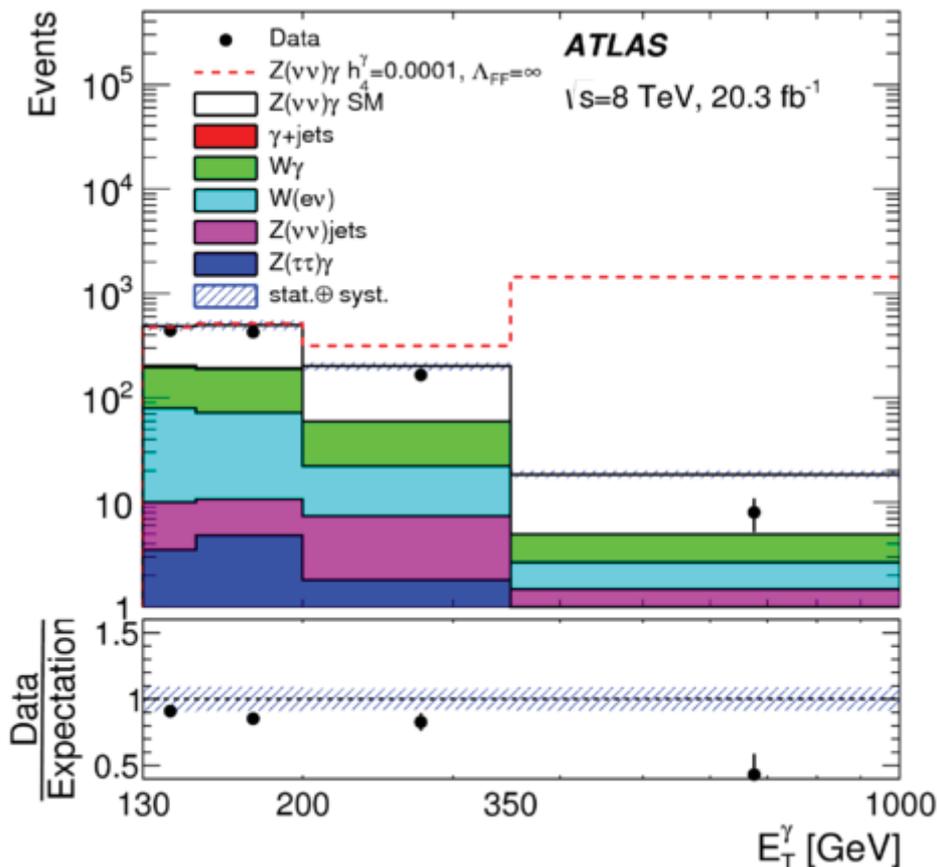


$Z\gamma \rightarrow \ell\ell\gamma, \nu\nu\gamma @ 8 \text{ TeV}$

[PRD 93, 112002 \(2016\)](#)

[PLB 760 \(2016\) 448](#)

- ❖ $e^+e^- / \mu^+ \mu^-$ (ATLAS only) or MET plus isolated photon(s)
- ❖ Early NNLO fully differential [calculation for \$Z\gamma\$](#) in 2013

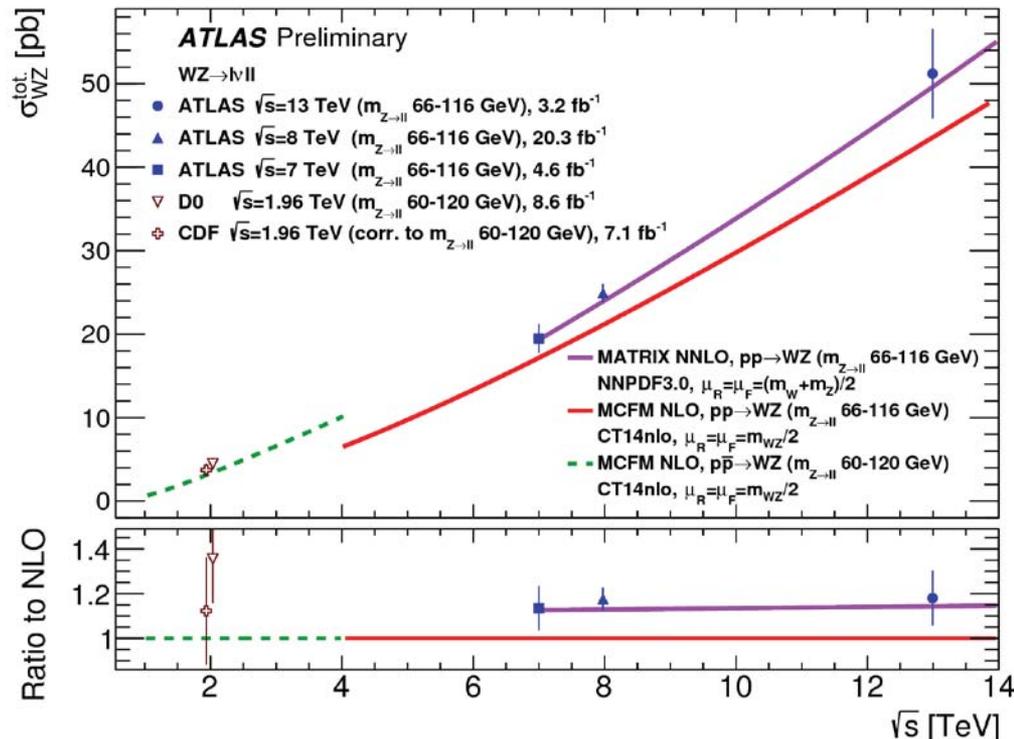


- ❖ $N_{\text{jets}}=0$ for aTGC limits (ATLAS); [NLO ewk corrections](#) not included

WZ \rightarrow $lvll$ @ 8 TeV

PRD 93, 092004 (2016)

- ❖ 3 isolated leptons (e or μ), MET
- ❖ Inclusive NNLO QCD calculation recently became available

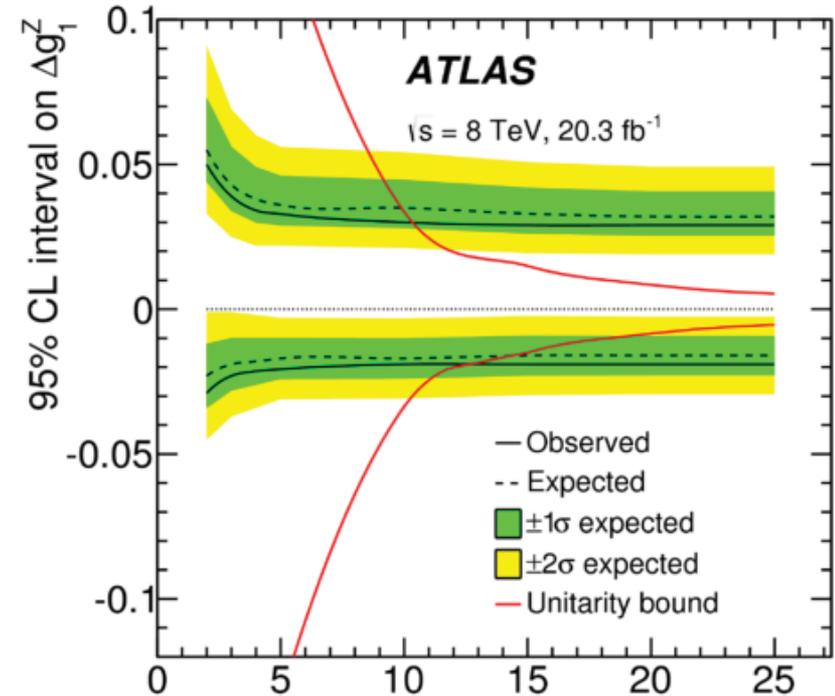
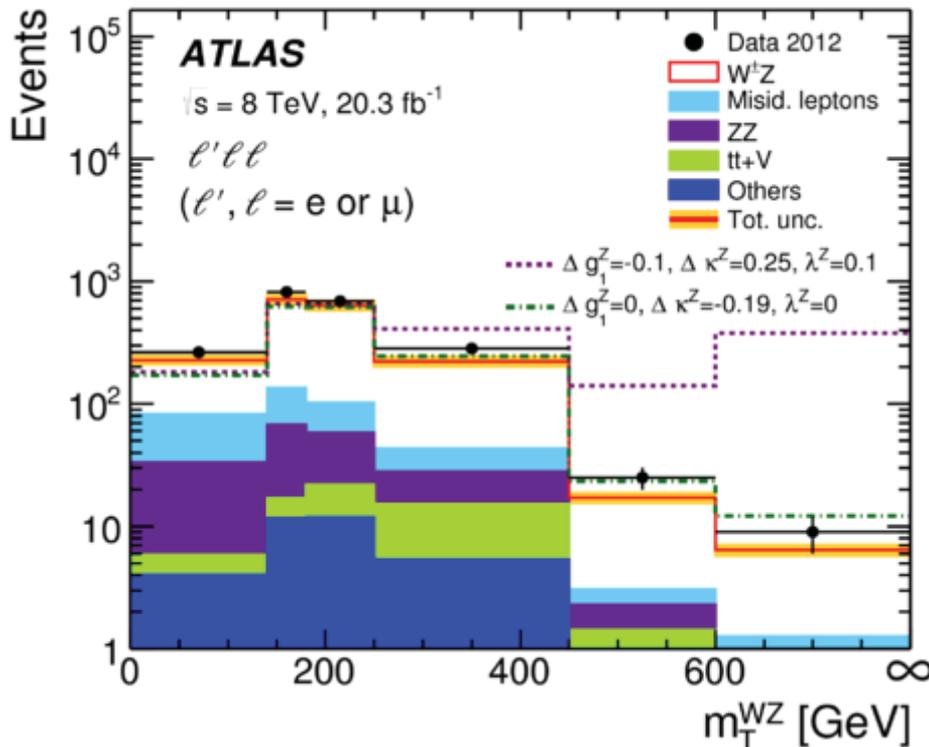


- ❖ Inclusive fiducial xsec precision: 4.2% (ATLAS)! Provided as well:
 - Unfolded differential cross sections (ATLAS, CMS)
 - Ratio of W^+Z , W^-Z cross sections, also as function of kinematic vars (ATLAS)

WZ \rightarrow $lvll$ @ 8 TeV

[PRD 93, 092004 \(2016\)](#)

- ❖ 3 isolated leptons (e or μ), MET
- ❖ Inclusive NNLO QCD calculation [recently became available](#)

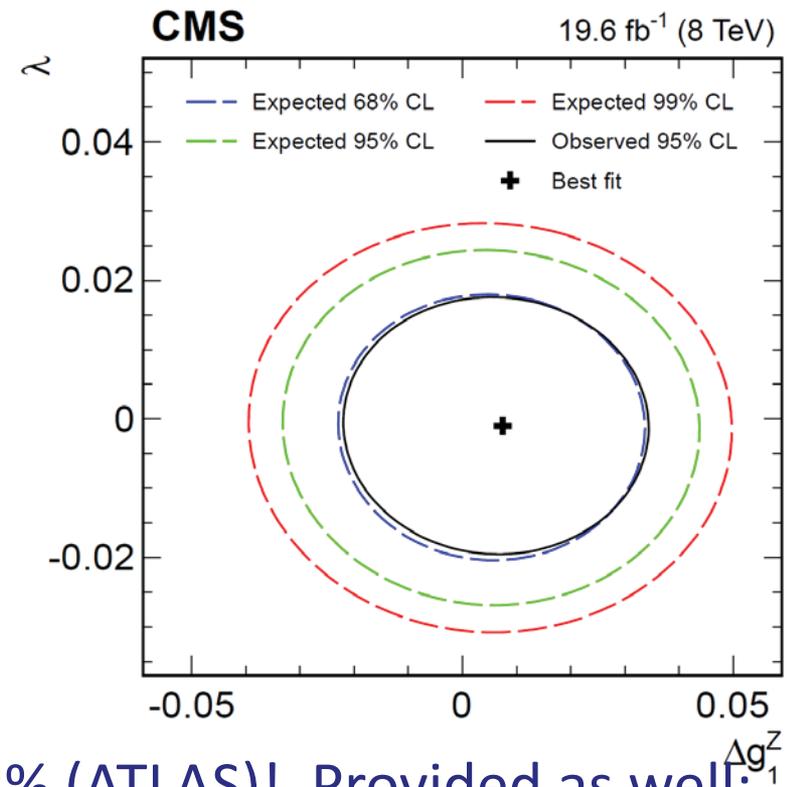
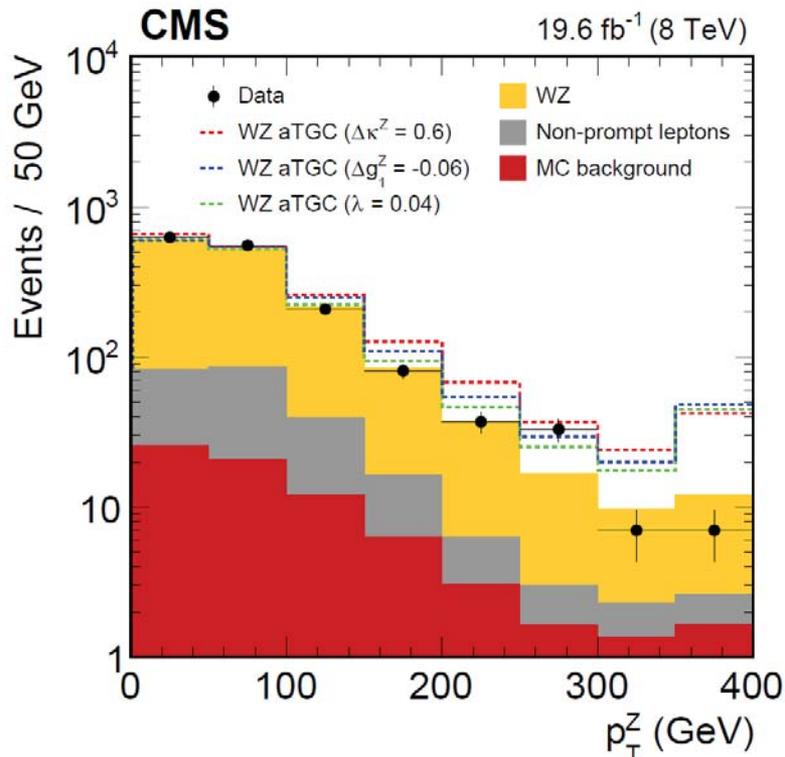


- ❖ Inclusive fiducial xsec precision: 4.2% (ATLAS)! Provided as well: Λ
 - Unfolded differential cross sections (ATLAS, CMS)
 - Ratio of W^+Z , W^-Z cross sections, also as function of kinematic vars (ATLAS)

WZ \rightarrow $lvll$ @ 8 TeV

[arXiv:1609.05721](https://arxiv.org/abs/1609.05721)

- ❖ 3 isolated leptons (e or μ), MET
- ❖ Inclusive NNLO QCD calculation recently became available

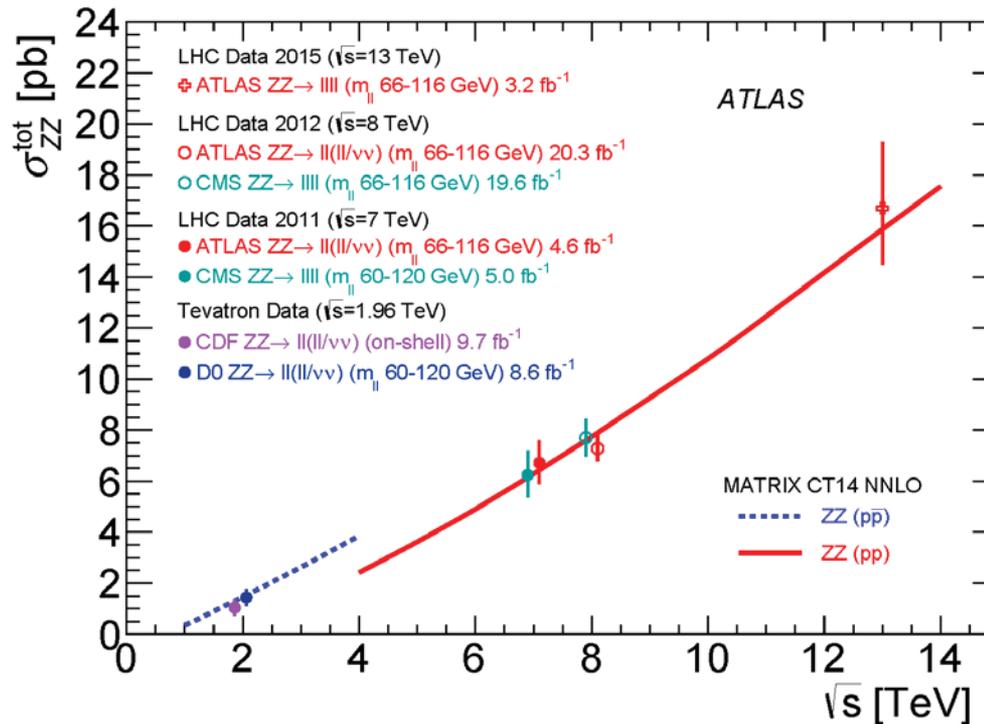


- ❖ Inclusive fiducial xsec precision: 4.2% (ATLAS)! Provided as well:
 - Unfolded differential cross sections (ATLAS, CMS)
 - Ratio of W⁺Z, W⁻Z cross sections, also as function of kinematic vars (ATLAS)

ZZ \rightarrow 4 l /2 l 2 ν @ 8 TeV

[arXiv:1610.07585](https://arxiv.org/abs/1610.07585)

- ❖ 4 (2) isolated leptons (e or μ), (MET)
- ❖ Inclusive NNLO QCD calculation [available](#)

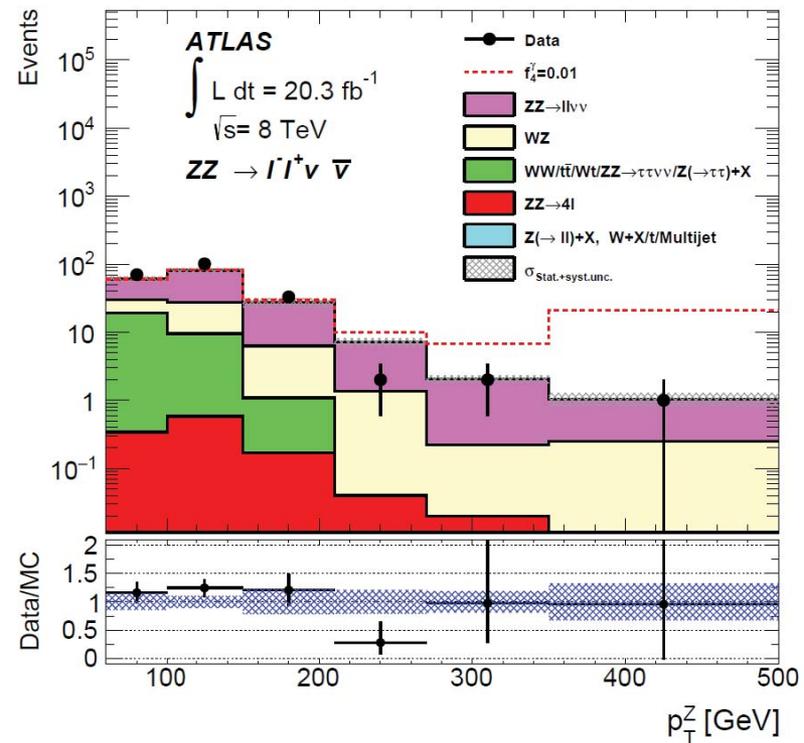
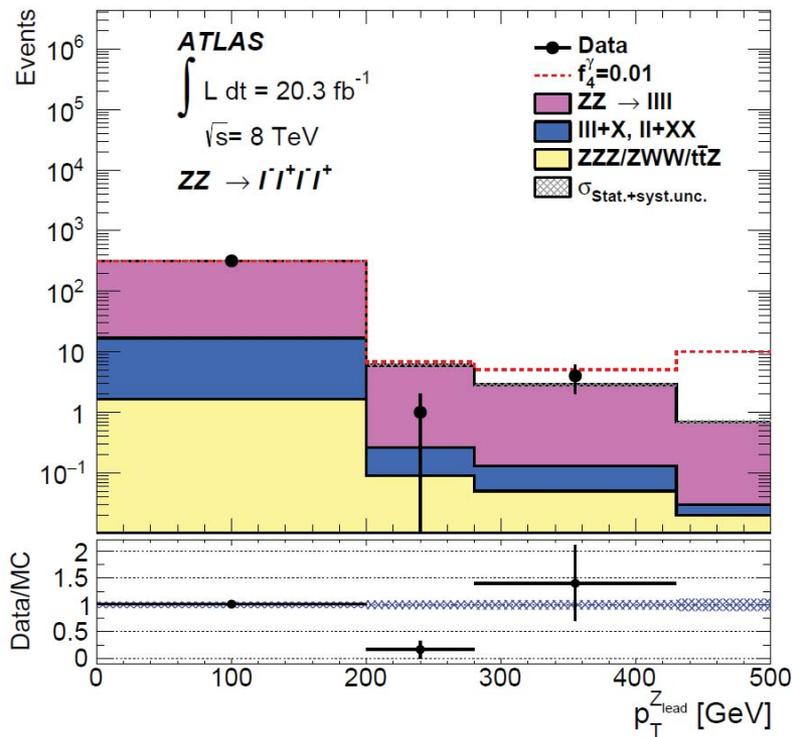


- ❖ [NLO EWK corrections](#) are taken into account
- ❖ Unfolded differential cross sections are provided as well

ZZ \rightarrow 4 l /2 l 2 ν @ 8 TeV

[arXiv:1610.07585](https://arxiv.org/abs/1610.07585)

- ❖ 4 (2) isolated leptons (e or μ), (MET)
- ❖ Inclusive NNLO QCD calculation [available](#)

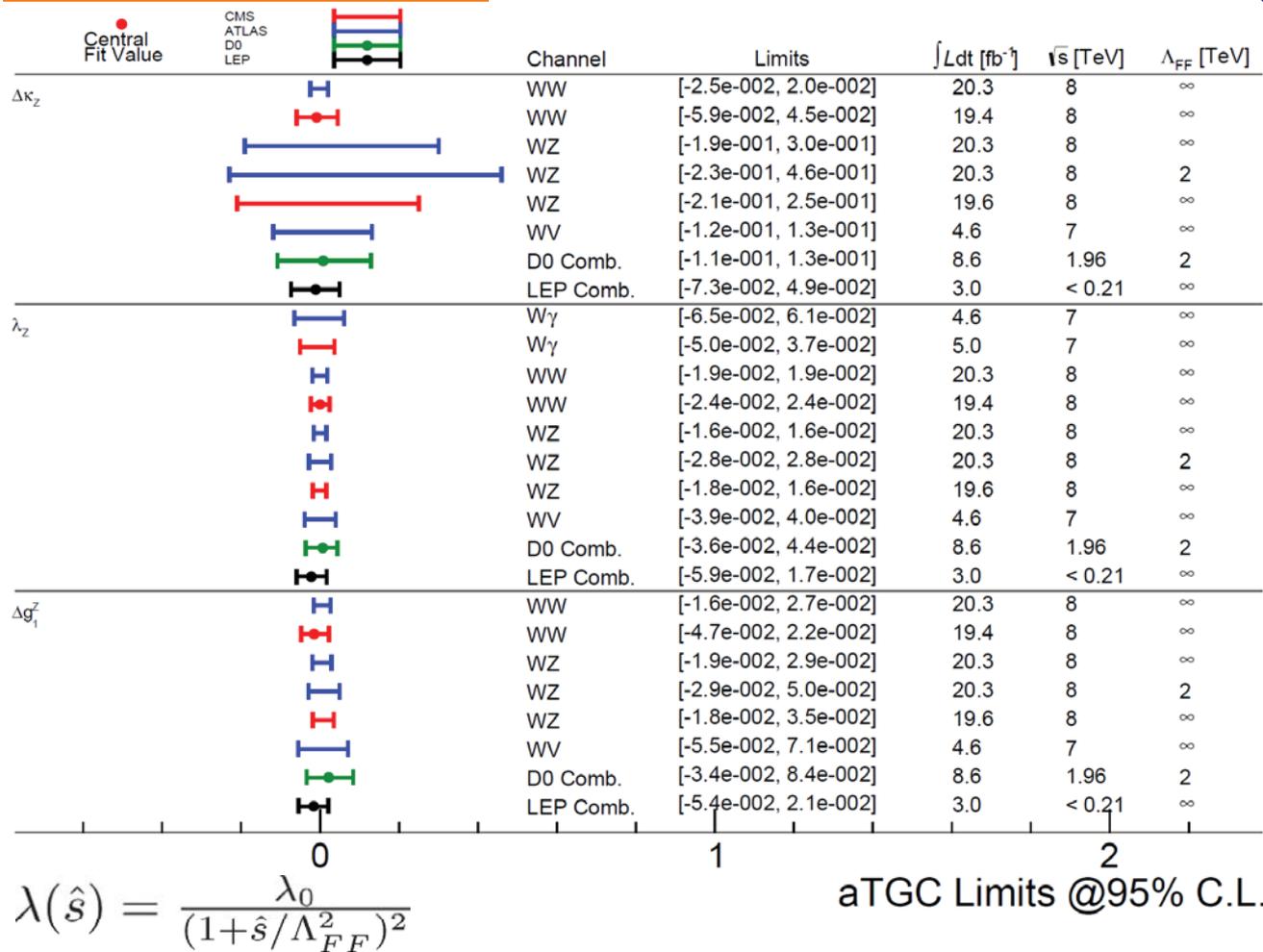


- ❖ [NLO EWK corrections](#) are taken into account
- ❖ Unfolded differential cross sections are provided as well

aTGC status

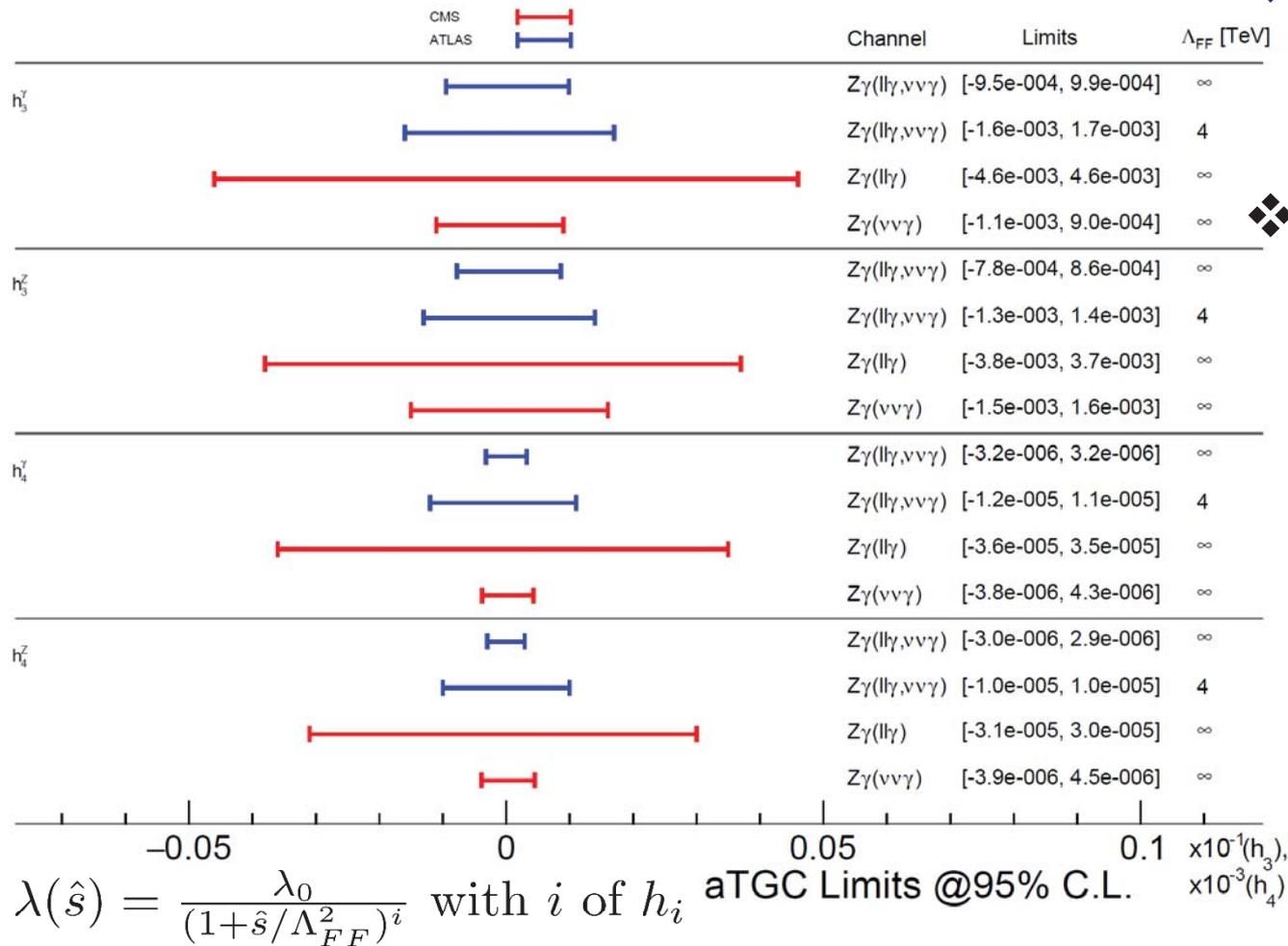
arXiv:1610.07572

❖ Most stringent limits on $WW\gamma$, WWZ from WZ and WW



aTGC status

[arXiv:1610.07572](https://arxiv.org/abs/1610.07572)



❖ Most stringent limits on $WW\gamma$, WWZ from WZ and WW

❖ Best constraints so far on $h_{3,4}^{\gamma,Z}$, driven by $\nu\nu\gamma$

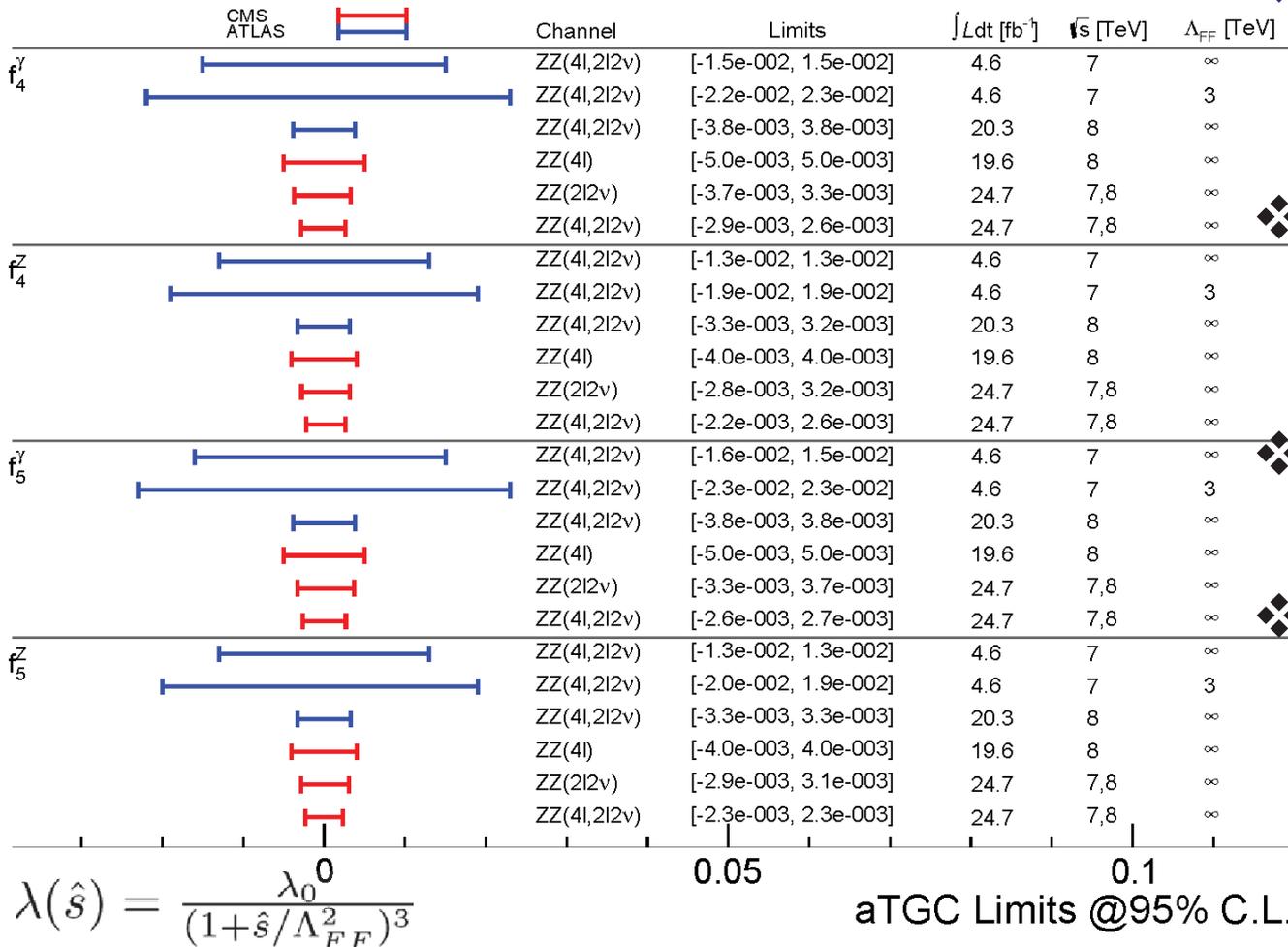
$$\lambda(\hat{s}) = \frac{\lambda_0}{(1 + \hat{s}/\Lambda_{FF}^2)^i} \text{ with } i \text{ of } h_i$$

$$\sqrt{s} = 8 \text{ TeV}$$

aTGC Limits @95% C.L. $\times 10^{-1}(h_3)$, $\times 10^{-3}(h_4)$

aTGC status

arXiv:1610.07572



❖ Most stringent limits on $WW\gamma$, WWZ from WZ and WW

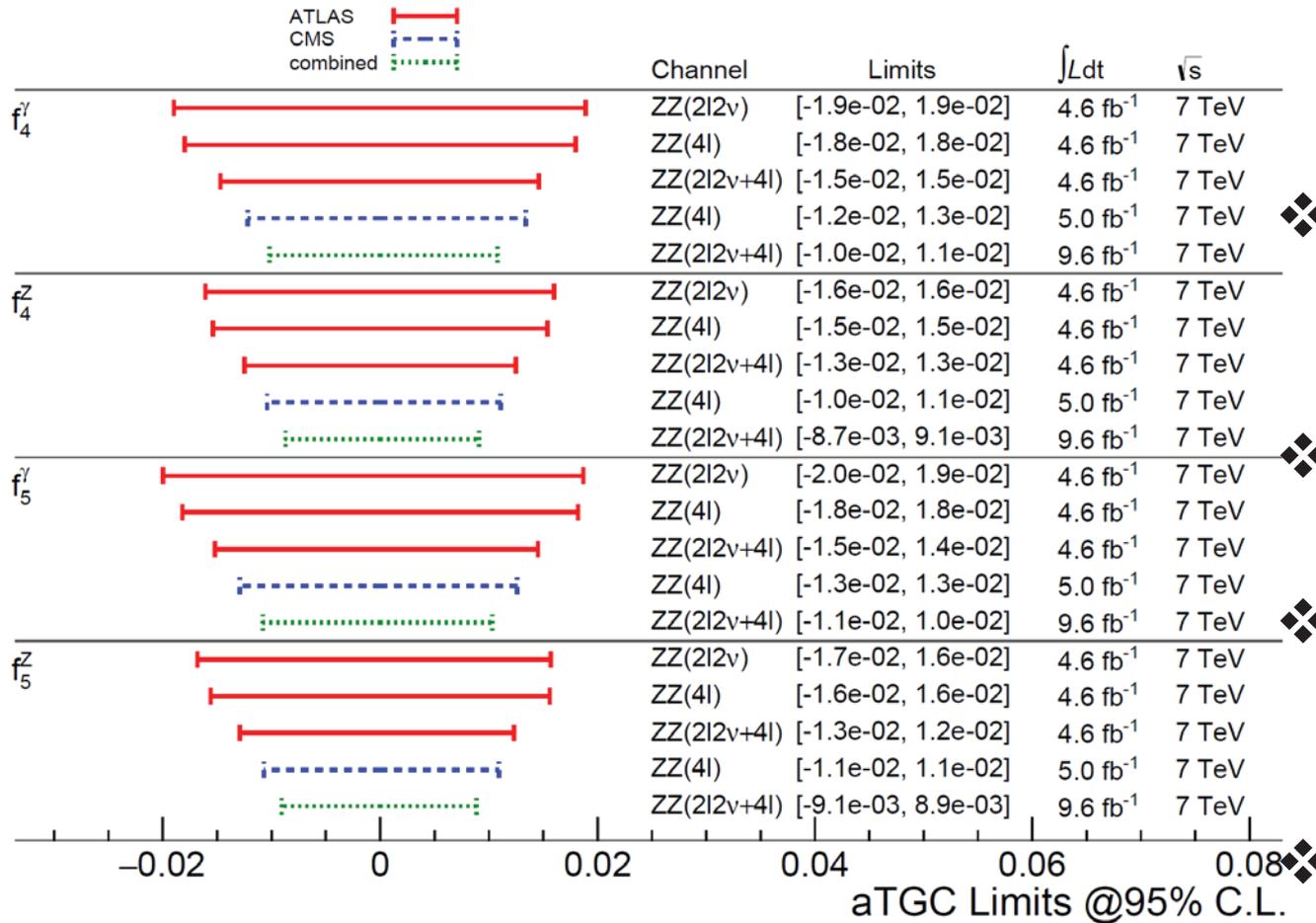
❖ Best constraints so far on $h_{3,4}^{\gamma,Z}$, driven by $\nu\nu\gamma$

❖ Constraints on $f_{3,4}^{\gamma,Z}$ driven by $ll\nu\nu$

❖ Generally modest impact of unitarisation

aTGC status

arXiv:1610.07572



❖ Most stringent limits on $WW\gamma$, WWZ from WZ and WW

❖ Best constraints so far on $h_{3,4}^{\gamma,Z}$, driven by $\nu\nu\gamma$

❖ Constraints on $f_{3,4}^{\gamma,Z}$ driven by $ll\nu\nu$

❖ Generally modest impact of unitarisation

❖ First ATLAS/CMS aTGC combination released!

Recent VBS/vVV results

VBS/VVV Production and aQGCs

❖ Overview of studied aQGCs:

	WWWW	WWZZ	ZZZZ	WWAZ	WWAA	ZZZA	ZZAA	ZAAA	AAAA
$\mathcal{O}_{S,0}, \mathcal{O}_{S,1}$	✓	✓	✓						
$\mathcal{O}_{M,0}, \mathcal{O}_{M,1}, \mathcal{O}_{M,6}, \mathcal{O}_{M,7}$	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
$\mathcal{O}_{M,2}, \mathcal{O}_{M,3}, \mathcal{O}_{M,4}, \mathcal{O}_{M,5}$		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
$\mathcal{O}_{T,0}, \mathcal{O}_{T,1}, \mathcal{O}_{T,2}$	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
$\mathcal{O}_{T,5}, \mathcal{O}_{T,6}, \mathcal{O}_{T,7}$		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
$\mathcal{O}_{T,8}, \mathcal{O}_{T,9}$			✓			✓	✓	✓	✓

Vertex-specific conversions from WHIZARD α_4, α_5 exist, e.g. for WWWW:

$$\alpha_4 = \frac{f_{S,0}}{\Lambda^4} \frac{v^4}{8}, \alpha_4 + 2 \cdot \alpha_5 = \frac{f_{S,1}}{\Lambda^4} \frac{v^4}{8}$$

❖ Experimental access: aQGCs modify total production rate as well as event kinematics

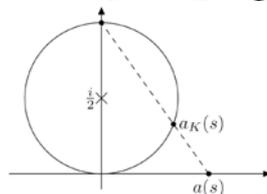
- Use cross-section measurement or kinematics to constrain aQGCs

❖ Unitarisation methods:

- Form factor

$$\lambda(\hat{s}) = \frac{\lambda_0}{(1 + \hat{s}/\Lambda_{FF}^2)^n}$$

- K-matrix unitarisation

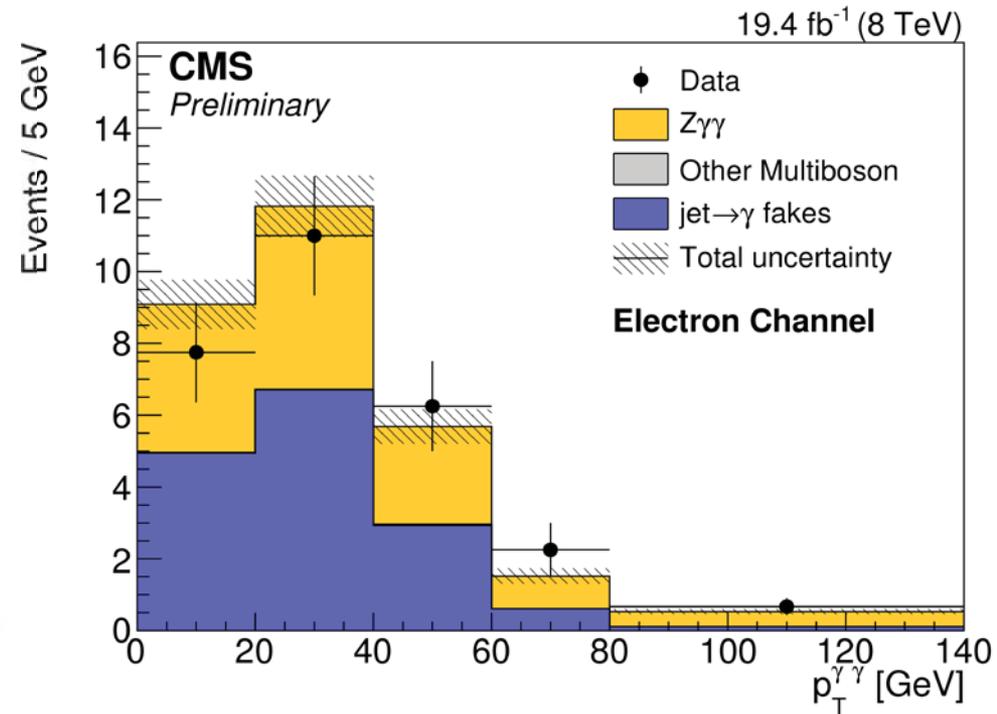
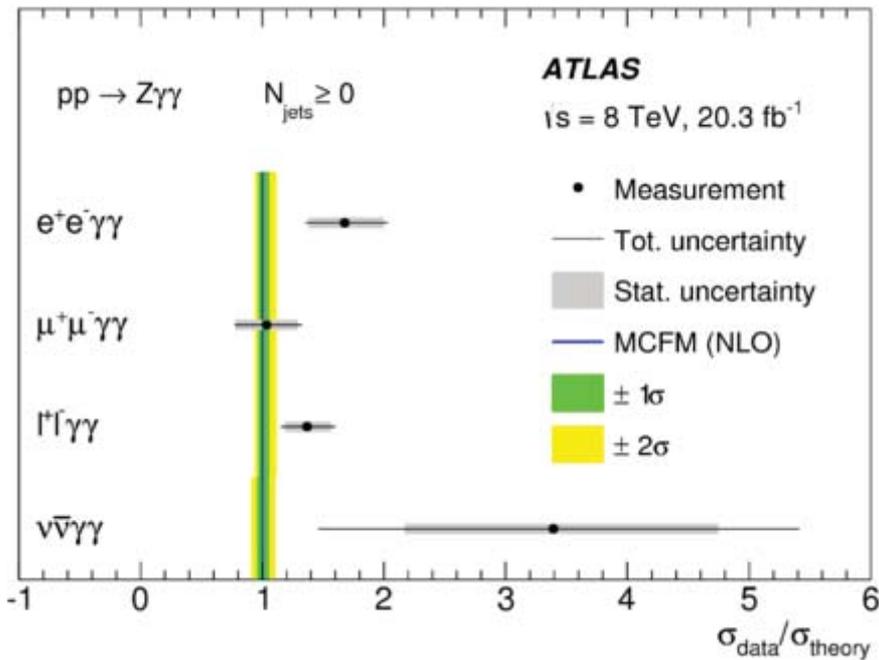


$Z\gamma\gamma \rightarrow \ell\ell\gamma\gamma, \nu\nu\gamma\gamma$

[PRD 93, 112002 \(2016\)](#)

[CMS-PAS-SMP-15-008](#)

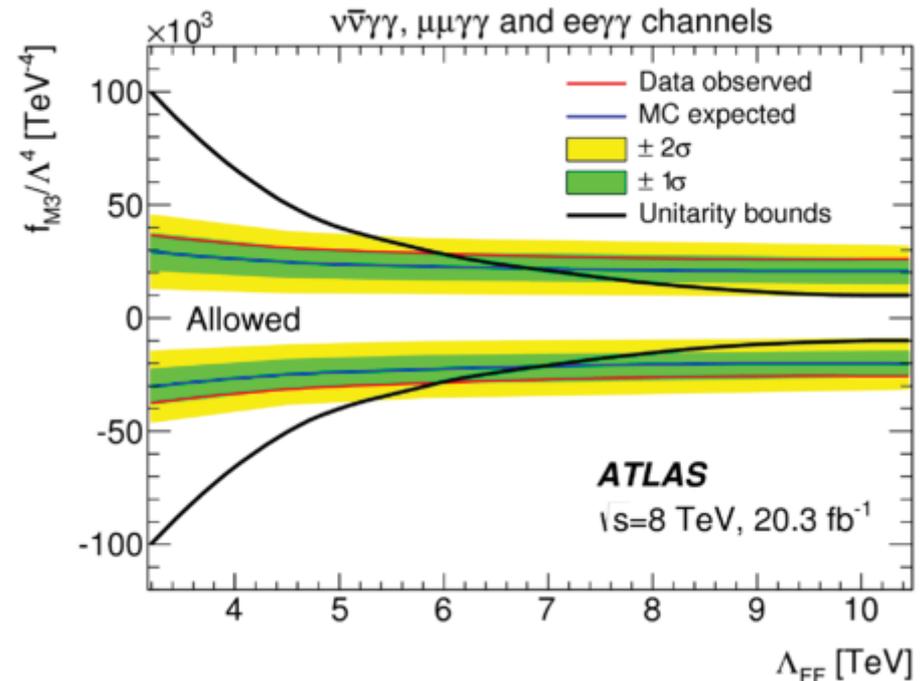
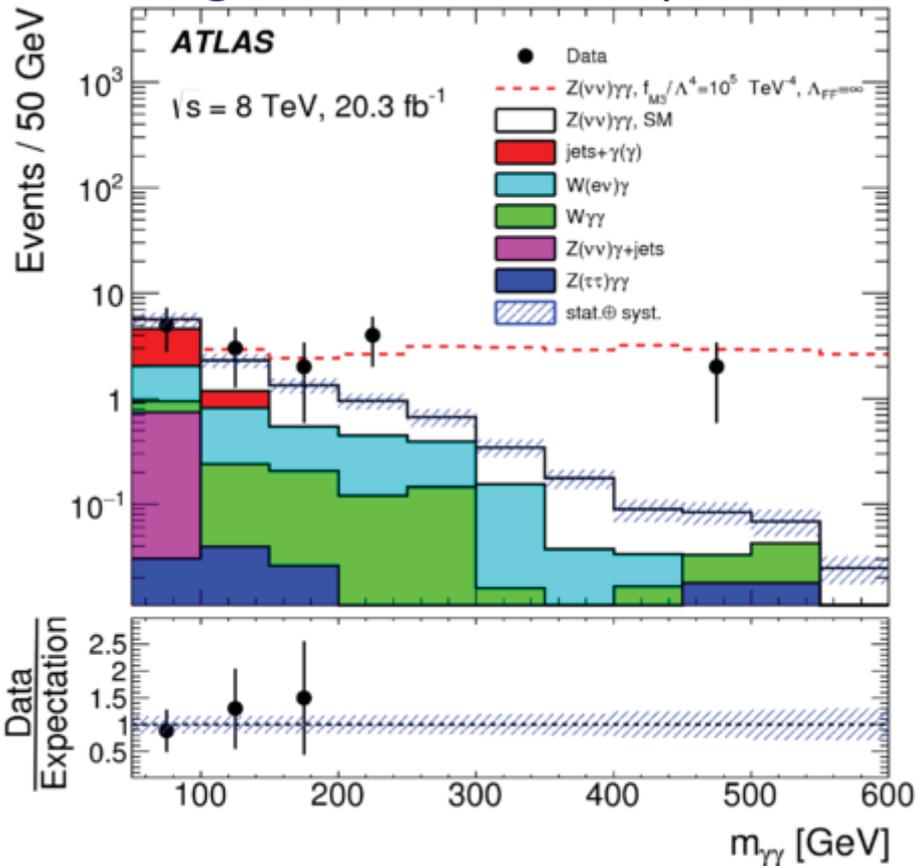
- ❖ $e^+e^- / \mu^+\mu^-$ or MET (ATLAS only) plus isolated photons
- ❖ Signal @ $>5\sigma$. NLO prediction is still state-of-the-art for signal!



$Z\gamma\gamma \rightarrow \ell\ell\gamma\gamma, \nu\nu\gamma\gamma$

[PRD 93, 112002 \(2016\)](#)

- ❖ $e^+e^- / \mu^+\mu^-$ or MET (ATLAS only) plus isolated photons
- ❖ Signal @ $>5\sigma$. NLO prediction is still state-of-the-art for signal!

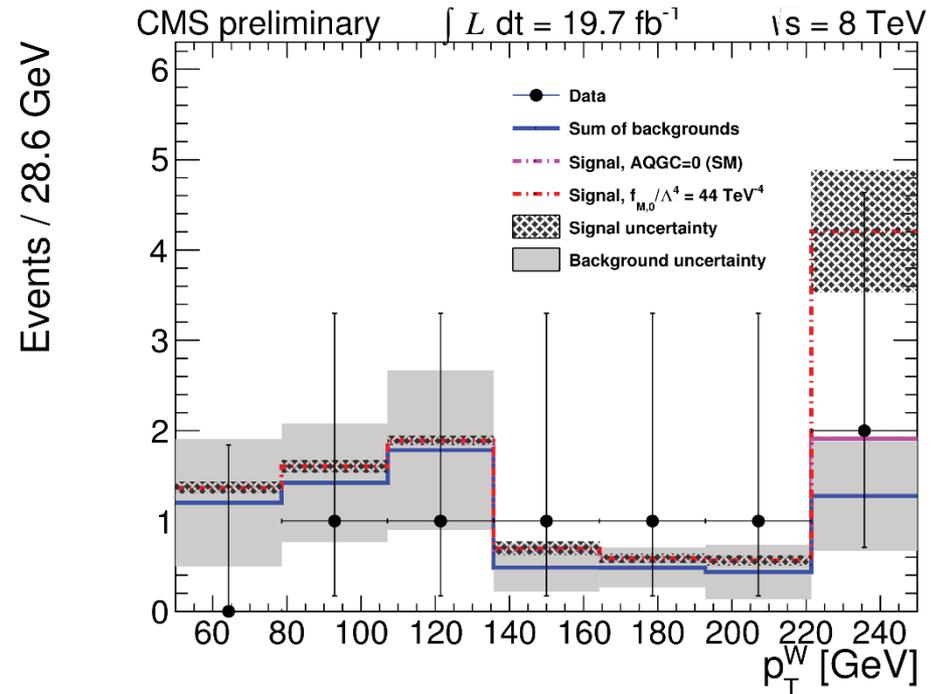
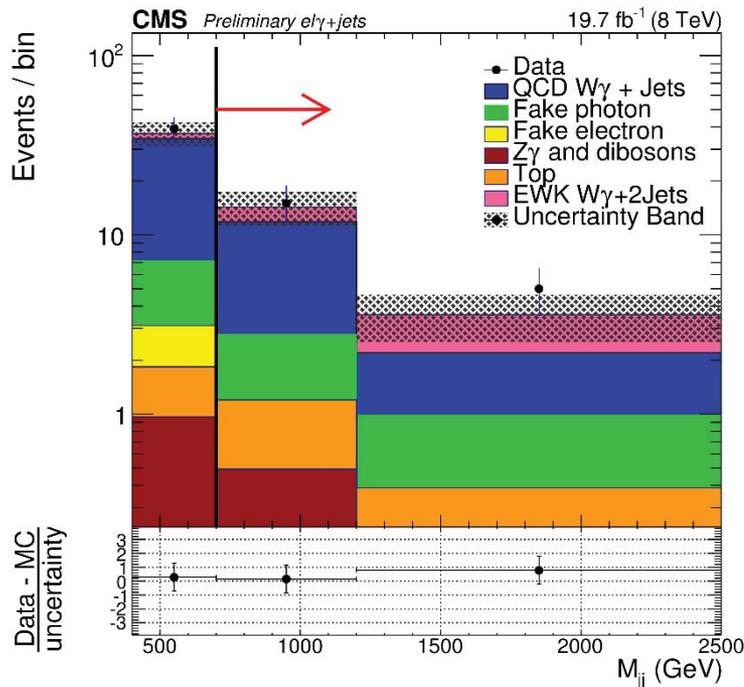


- ❖ $N_{\text{jets}} = 0$, high- $m_{\gamma\gamma}$ fiducial xsecs used for aQGC limits

$W\gamma jj \rightarrow \ell\nu\gamma jj @ 8 \text{ TeV}$

CMS-PAS-SMP-14-011

- ❖ 1 isolated lepton (e or μ), MET, isolated photon, two tagging jets
- ❖ SM EW signal significance: 2.7σ ; EW+QCD well-described @NLO

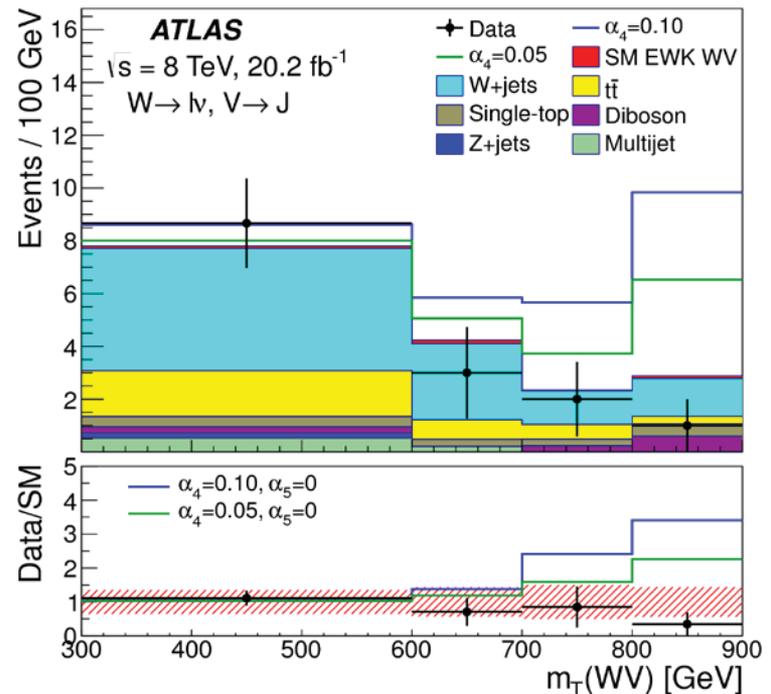
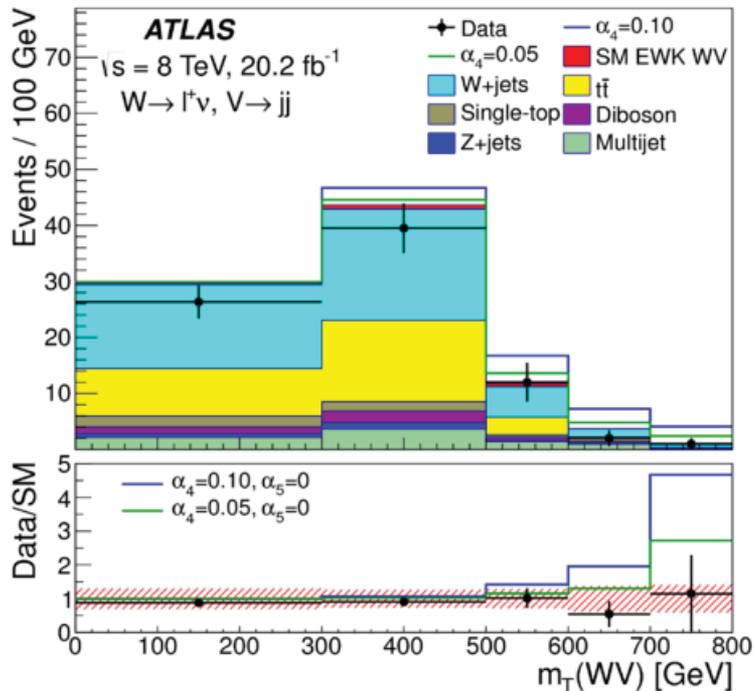


- ❖ aQGC limits: require $p_T^\gamma > 200 \text{ GeV}$ & harsher tagging jets cuts
- ❖ use shape of p_T^W distribution to provide limits on $f_{M,0..7}$, $f_{T,0..2,5..7}$ (!)

WWjj \rightarrow $\ell\nu(jj/J)$ jj @ 8 TeV

[arXiv:1609.05122](https://arxiv.org/abs/1609.05122)

- ❖ 1 isolated lepton (e or μ), MET, jj/J hadronic V, two tagging jets
- ❖ Not sensitive to SM xsec yet, but optimized for aQGC



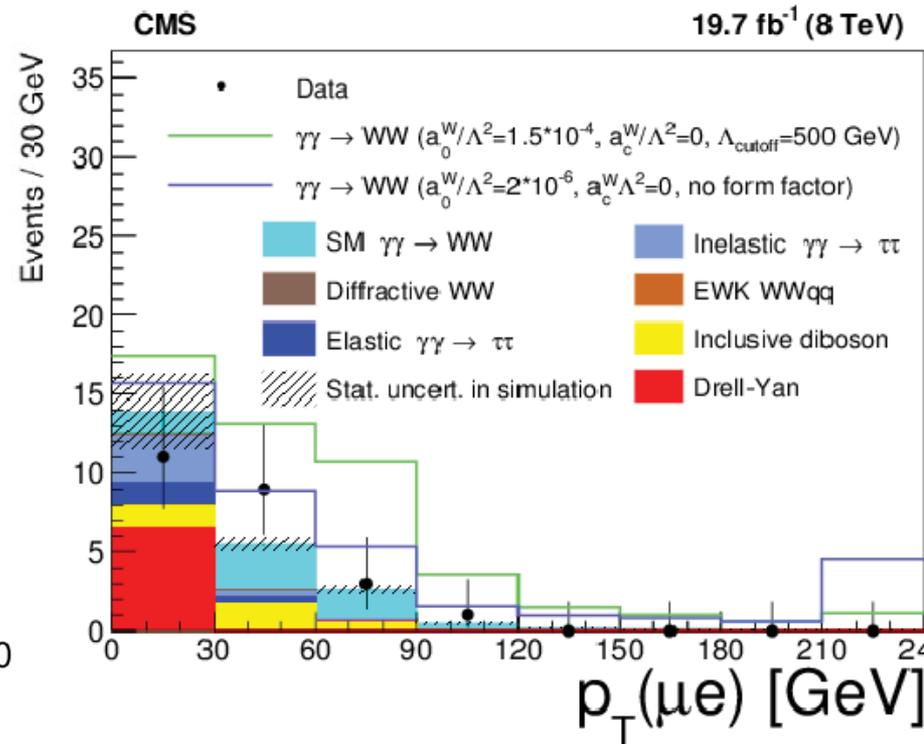
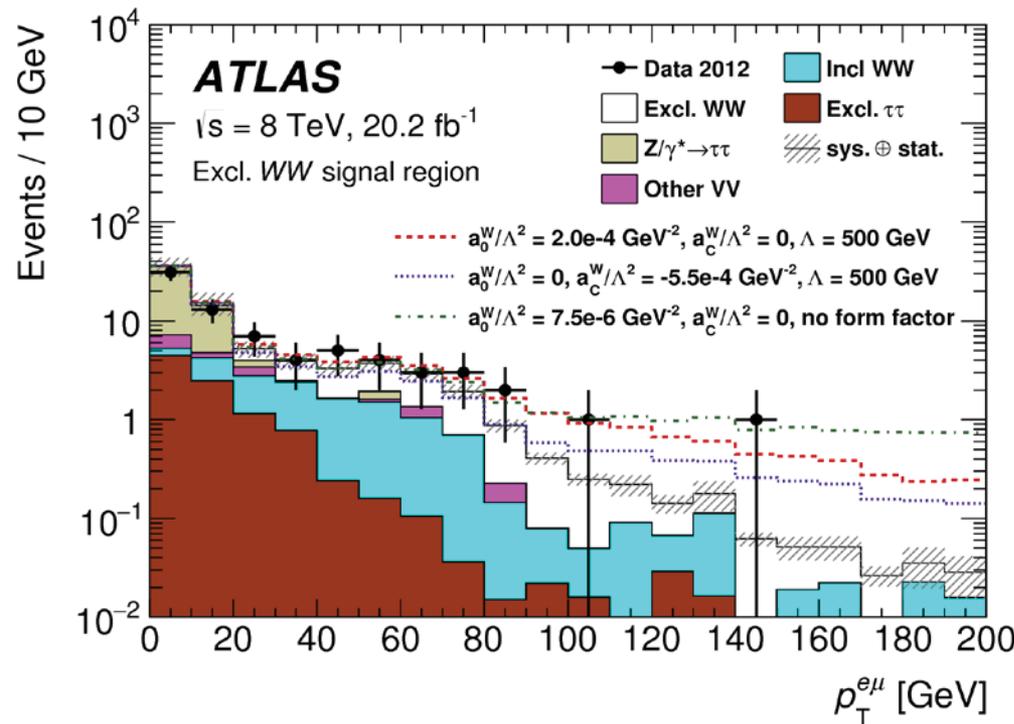
- ❖ Merged (J) category improves expected sensitivity by 40%
- ❖ No conversion $\alpha_{4,5}$ to $f_{s0,1}$ since WWjj and WZjj contribute

$\gamma\gamma \rightarrow WW$

[PRD 94, 032011 \(2016\)](#)

[JHEP 08 \(2016\) 119](#)

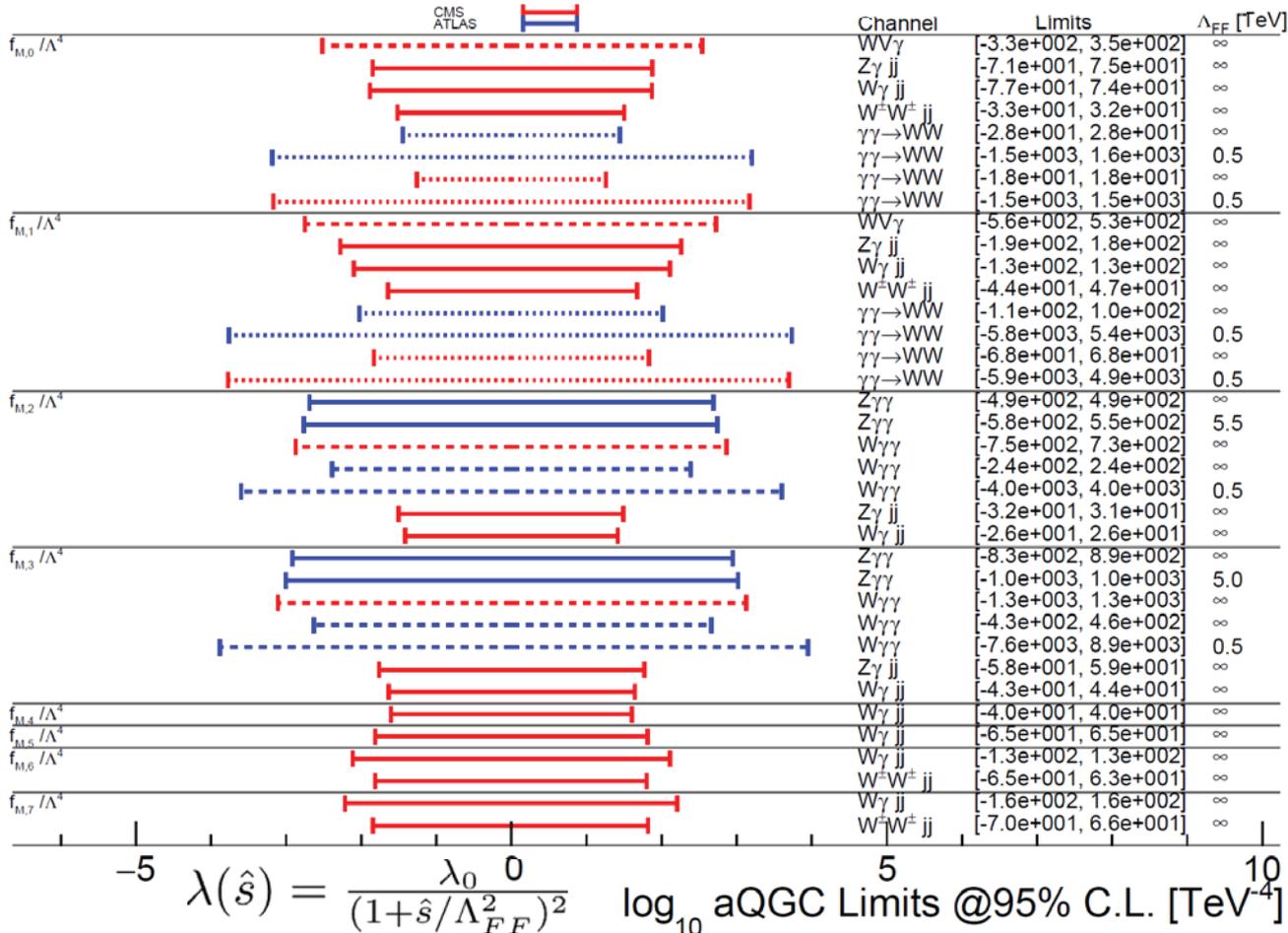
- ❖ $e\mu$ pair with large p_T , no other charged particles @ vertex
- ❖ 1st SM signal evidence: ATLAS: 3.0σ (8TeV), CMS: 3.4σ (7,8TeV)



- ❖ aQGC limits placed using dilepton p_T distribution
- ❖ No tag jets \rightarrow suppressed $WWWW$, $WWZZ$, $WWZ\gamma$ contributions

aQGC status

[arXiv:1610.07572](https://arxiv.org/abs/1610.07572)



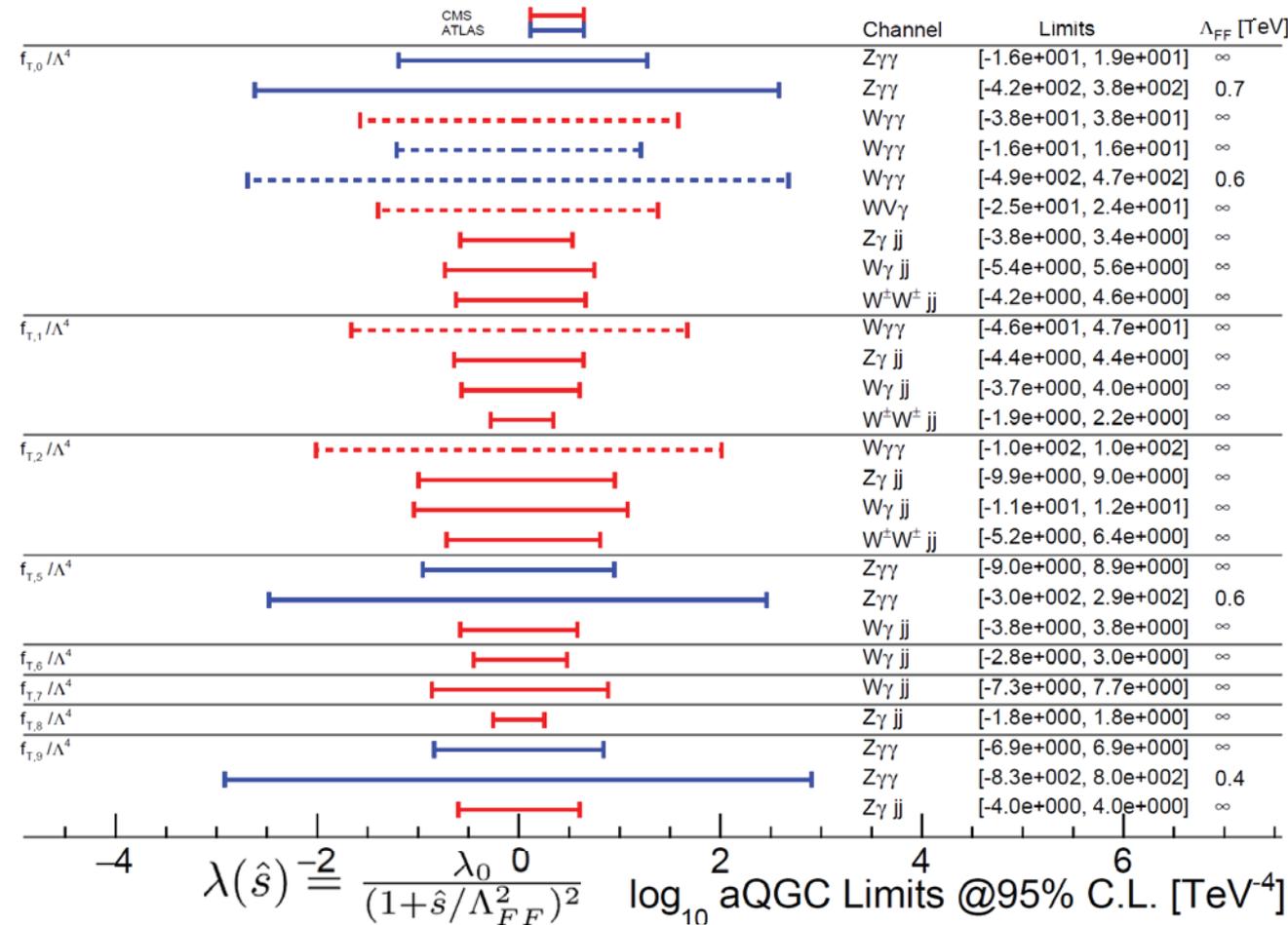
- ❖ All results use full 8 TeV datasets
- ❖ Trend that exclusive outperforms VBS, which is better than VVV
- ❖ Note **strong** impact of unitarisation
- ❖ Fair comparison requires some work

- ATLAS $V\gamma\gamma$ limits (VBFNLO) converted to CMS notation (MG5)
- $WV\gamma$ and $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow WW$ converted from $a_{0,C}^W$ limits to std. MG5 as CMS implemented their own Lagrangians in MG5 for $f_{M,i}$
- Checking $a_{0,C}^W$ consistent implementation b/w ATLAS/CMS

aQGC status

[arXiv:1610.07572](https://arxiv.org/abs/1610.07572)

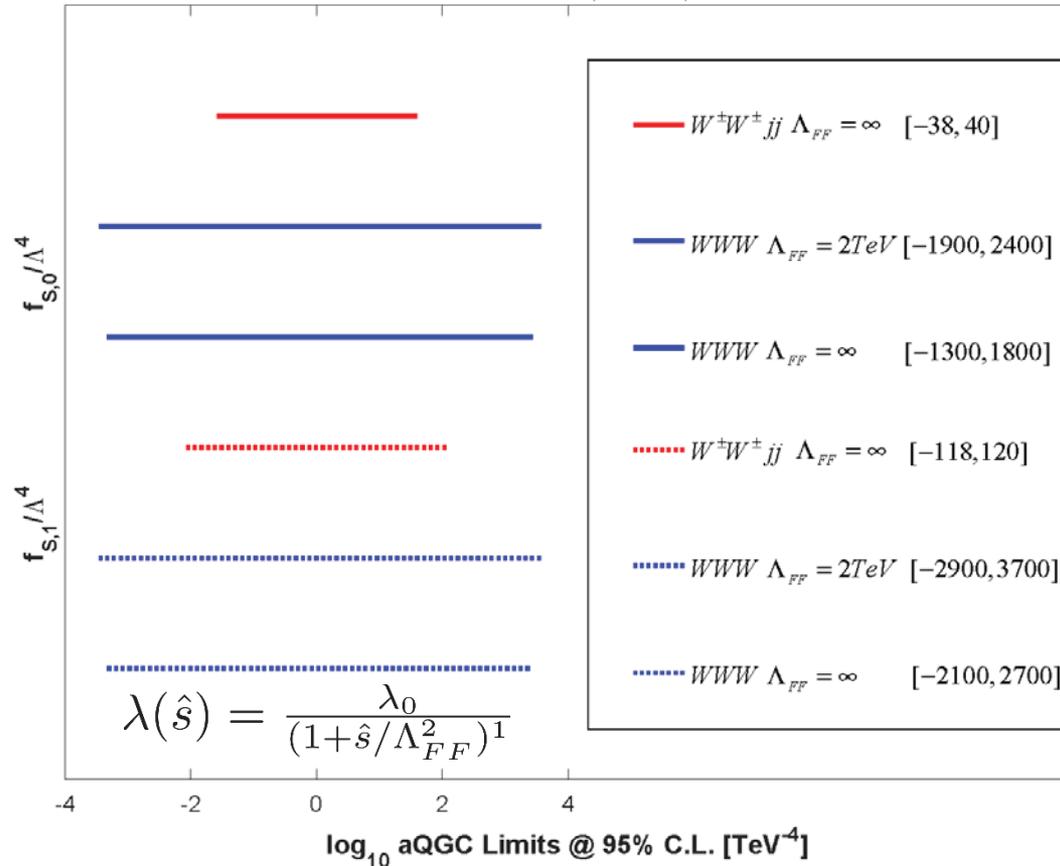
- ❖ All results use full 8 TeV datasets
- ❖ Trend that exclusive outperforms VBS, which is better than VVV
- ❖ Note **strong** impact of unitarisation
- ❖ Fair comparison requires some work



■ ATLAS $V\gamma\gamma$ limits (VBFNLO) converted to CMS notation (MG5)

aQGC status

8 TeV Limits on $f_{s,0}/\Lambda^4, f_{s,1}/\Lambda^4$

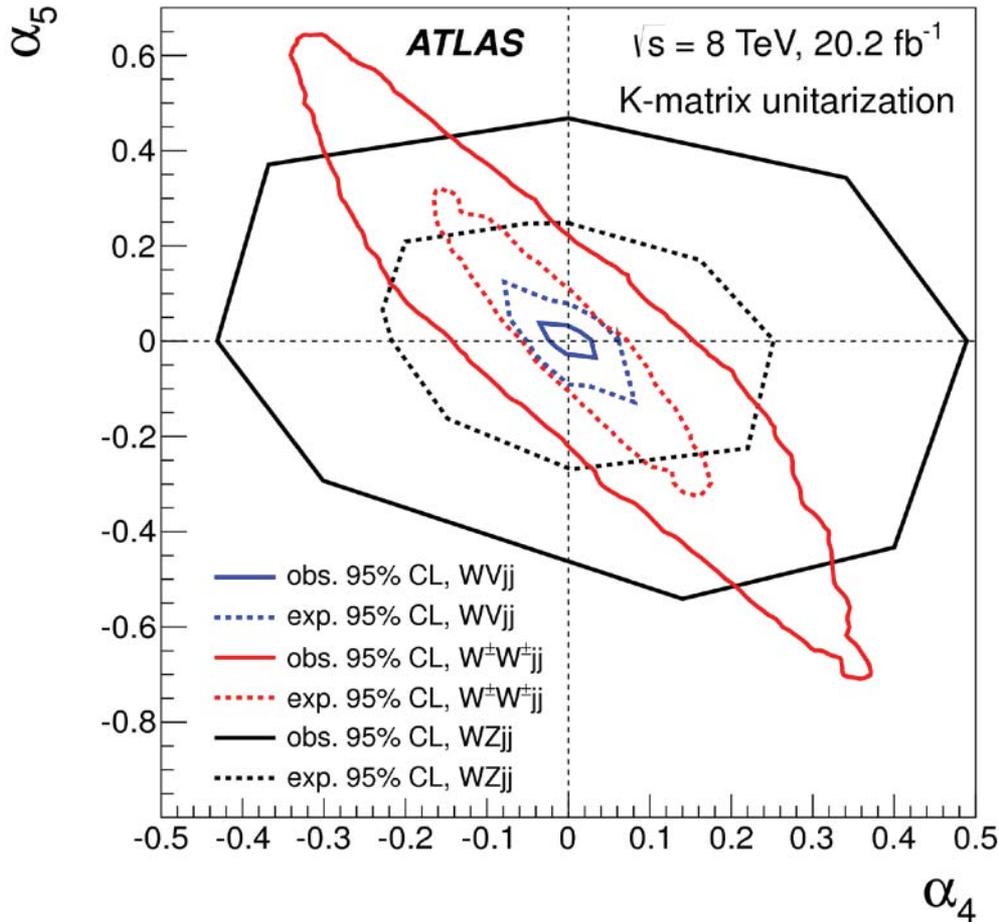


[arXiv:1610.07572](https://arxiv.org/abs/1610.07572)

- ❖ All results use full 8 TeV datasets
- ❖ Trend that exclusive outperforms VBS, which is better than VVV
- ❖ Note **strong** impact of unitarisation
- ❖ Fair comparison requires some work

- Conversion of $\alpha_{4,5}$ limits of ATLAS WVjj, ssWW, WZjj analyses not performed: vertex-dependent (missing $f_{s,2}$)

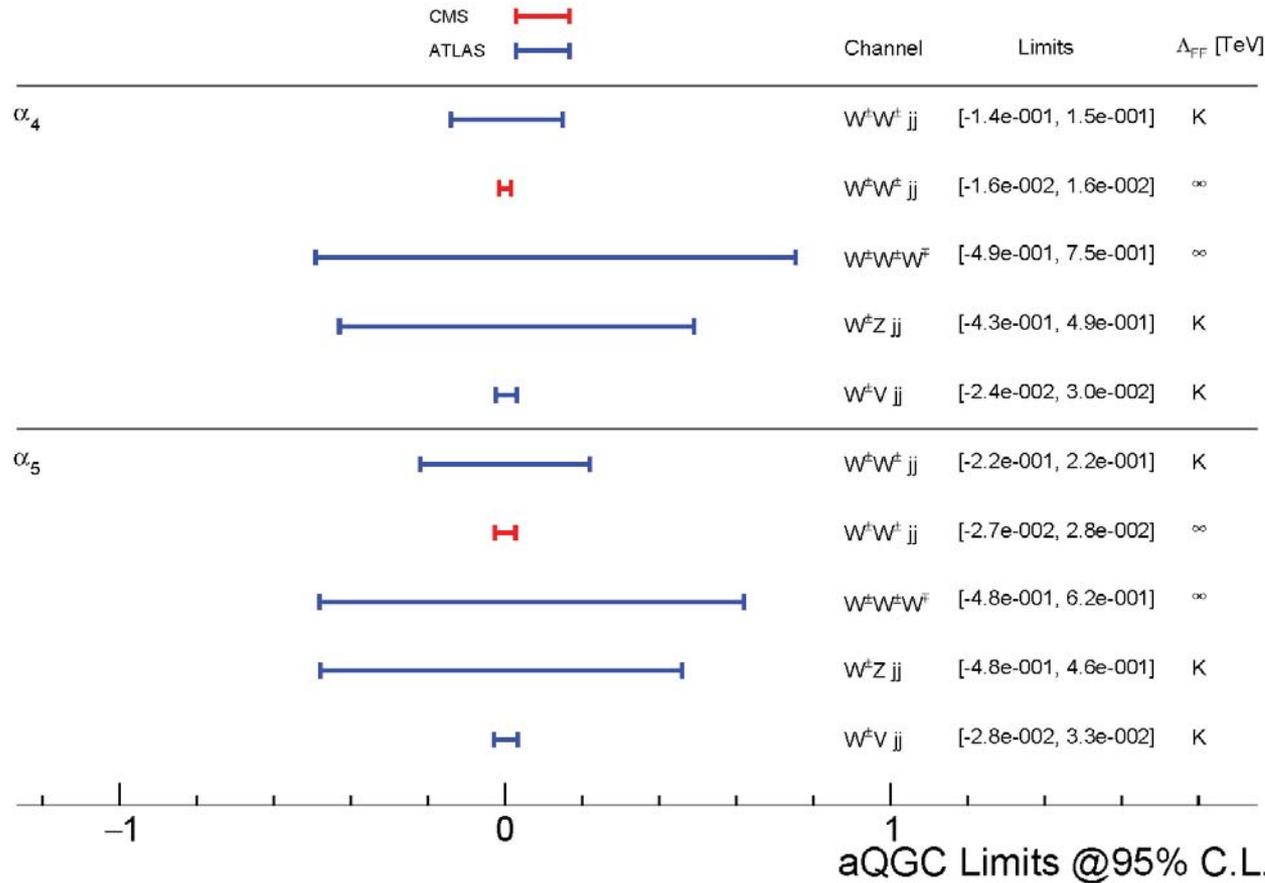
aQGC status



[arXiv:1610.07572](https://arxiv.org/abs/1610.07572)

- ❖ All results use full 8 TeV datasets
- ❖ Trend that exclusive outperforms VBS, which is better than VVV
- ❖ Note **strong** impact of unitarisation
- ❖ Fair comparison requires some work
- ❖ Semileptonic VBS analysis **very** sensitive!

aQGC status

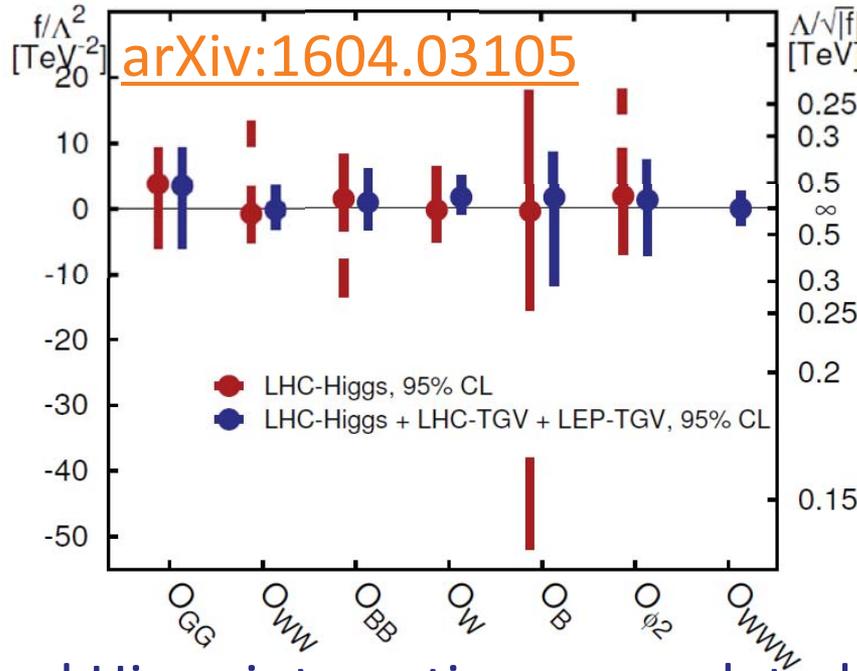
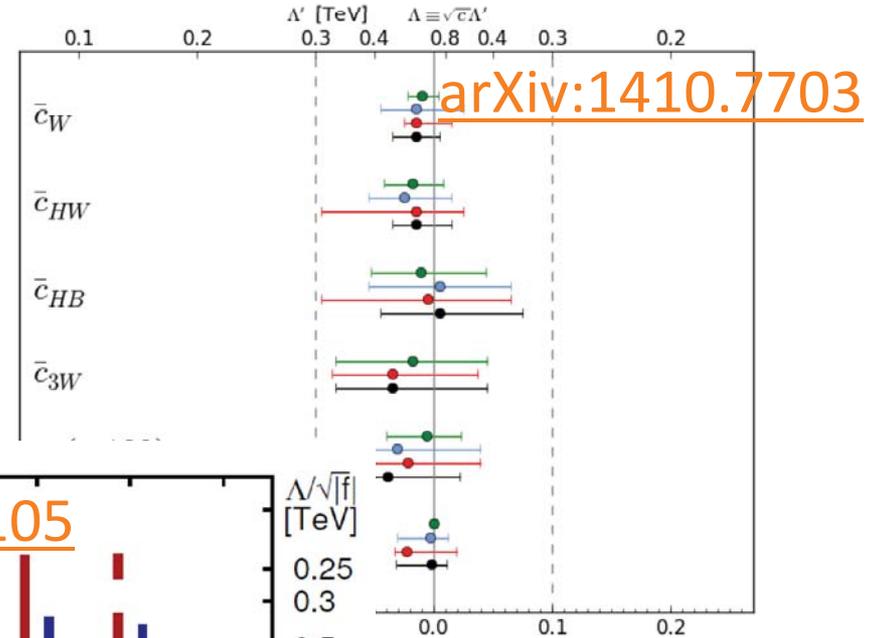
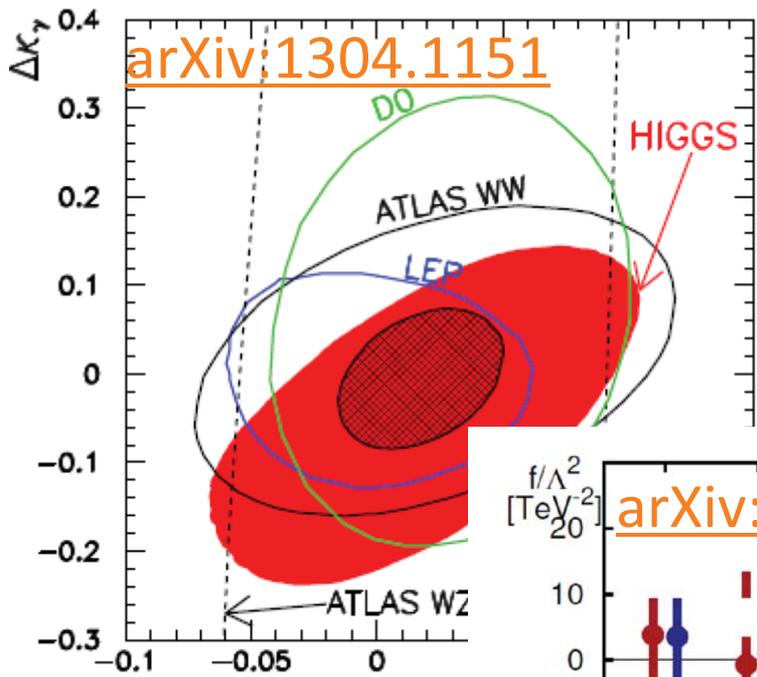


[arXiv:1610.07572](https://arxiv.org/abs/1610.07572)

- ❖ All results use full 8 TeV datasets
- ❖ Trend that exclusive outperforms VBS, which is better than VVV
- ❖ Note **strong** impact of unitarisation
- ❖ Fair comparison requires some work
- ❖ Semileptonic VBS analysis **very** sensitive!

- Conversion of $f_{S,0/1}$ limits of CMS ssWW, ATLAS WWW analyses using WWWW specific conversion formula.

Putting it all together...



❖ VV and Higgs interactions are related in EFTs!

EFT Limit Combinations

- ❖ Higgs analyses now also moving away from μ , κ & towards EFT
 - First(?) example: ATLAS $H\gamma\gamma$ [PLB 753, 69 \(2016\)](#)
- ❖ Combining constraints from
 - Higgs/SM in ATLAS
 - ATLAS and CMS
 - LHC and beyond ([e.g. B-meson observables](#))
- ❖ Some ingredients: agree on
 - common basis, modeling choices, unitarisation method if needed, tools
 - common binning, treatment of correlations, signal/background (H/VV)
 - Smaller scale “testbench” before moving to “global fit”
 - [Best observable \(\$\hat{s}\$ sensitive\)?](#)
[Current sensitivity more from normalization than shape...](#)
- ❖ In addition/alternatively,
 - Provide unfolded measurements w/ correlation matrix instead?
 - Provide N-dimensional limits with correlation matrix

Summary

- ❖ Harvest of Run I analyses still ongoing – establishing new processes.
- ❖ Run 2 will provide access to more processes (VBS, VVV), and better BSM sensitivity!
- ❖ Starting to prepare for combinations of limits
- ❖ THANK YOU to the MC generator + HO correction community
 - NNLO QCD predictions are very important for multi-V
 - HO EWK corrections as well, particularly for aGC limits
- ❖ Current “state of the art” ATLAS MC in multi-bosons: see [“Multi-Boson Simulation for 13 TeV ATLAS Analyses”](#)
 - Mix & match in modelling: PDF, ME, scales, PS, EW scheme, HO corrections – lots of combinations, some of which will be sub-optimal
- ❖ Wishlist:
 - NNLO (multi-leg) QCD + NLO EWK + PS event generation. 😊
 - Re-weighting functionality for PDFs, scales, EFTs/aGCs

Encore!

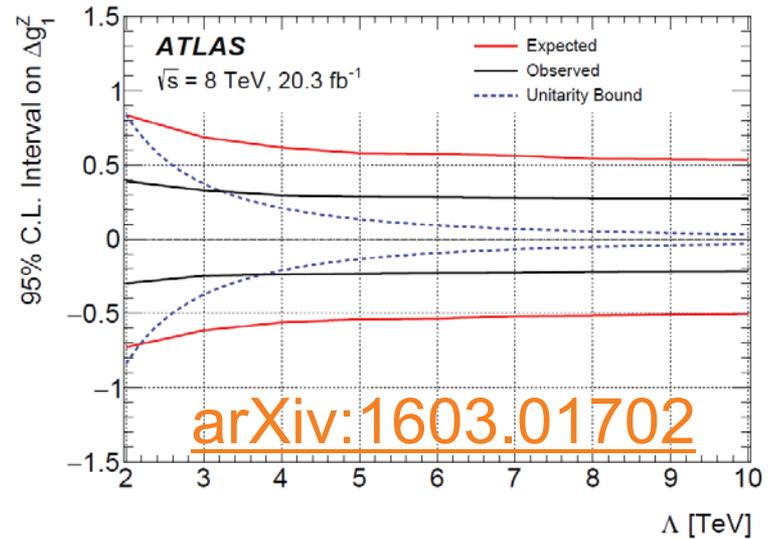
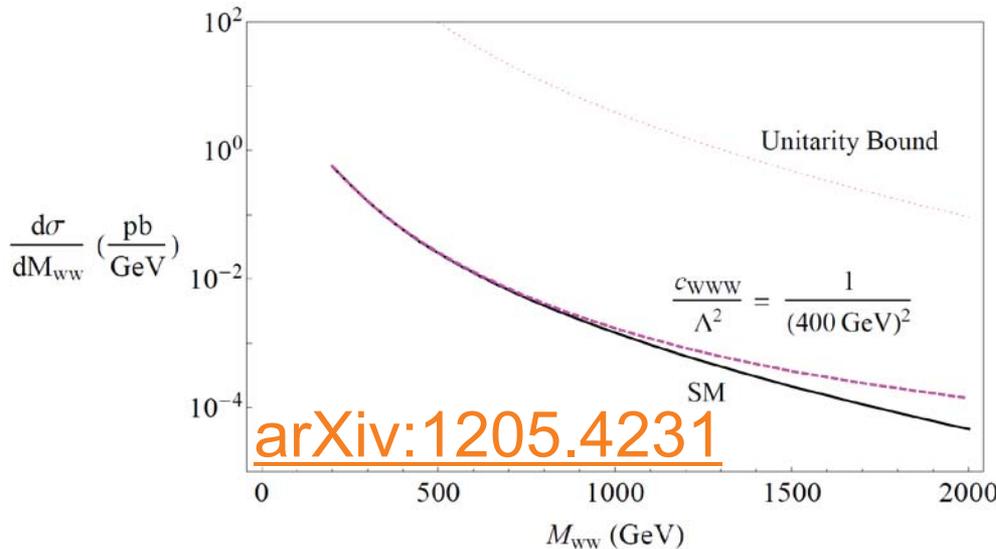
Unitarity bounds

- ❖ aTGCs in LEP scenario w/o unitarisation can be directly translated into EFT coefficients:
- ❖ No unitarity violation expected @LHC for dim-6:

$$\frac{c_W}{\Lambda^2} = \frac{2}{M_Z^2} \Delta g_1^Z = \frac{2}{M_Z^2} (\tan^2 \theta_W \Delta \kappa_\gamma + \Delta \kappa_Z)$$

$$\frac{c_B}{\Lambda^2} = \frac{2}{M_W^2} \Delta \kappa_\gamma - \frac{2}{M_Z^2} \Delta g_1^Z$$

$$\frac{c_{WWW}}{\Lambda^2} = \frac{2}{3g^2 m_W^2} \lambda_\gamma = \frac{2}{3g^2 m_W^2} \lambda_Z$$

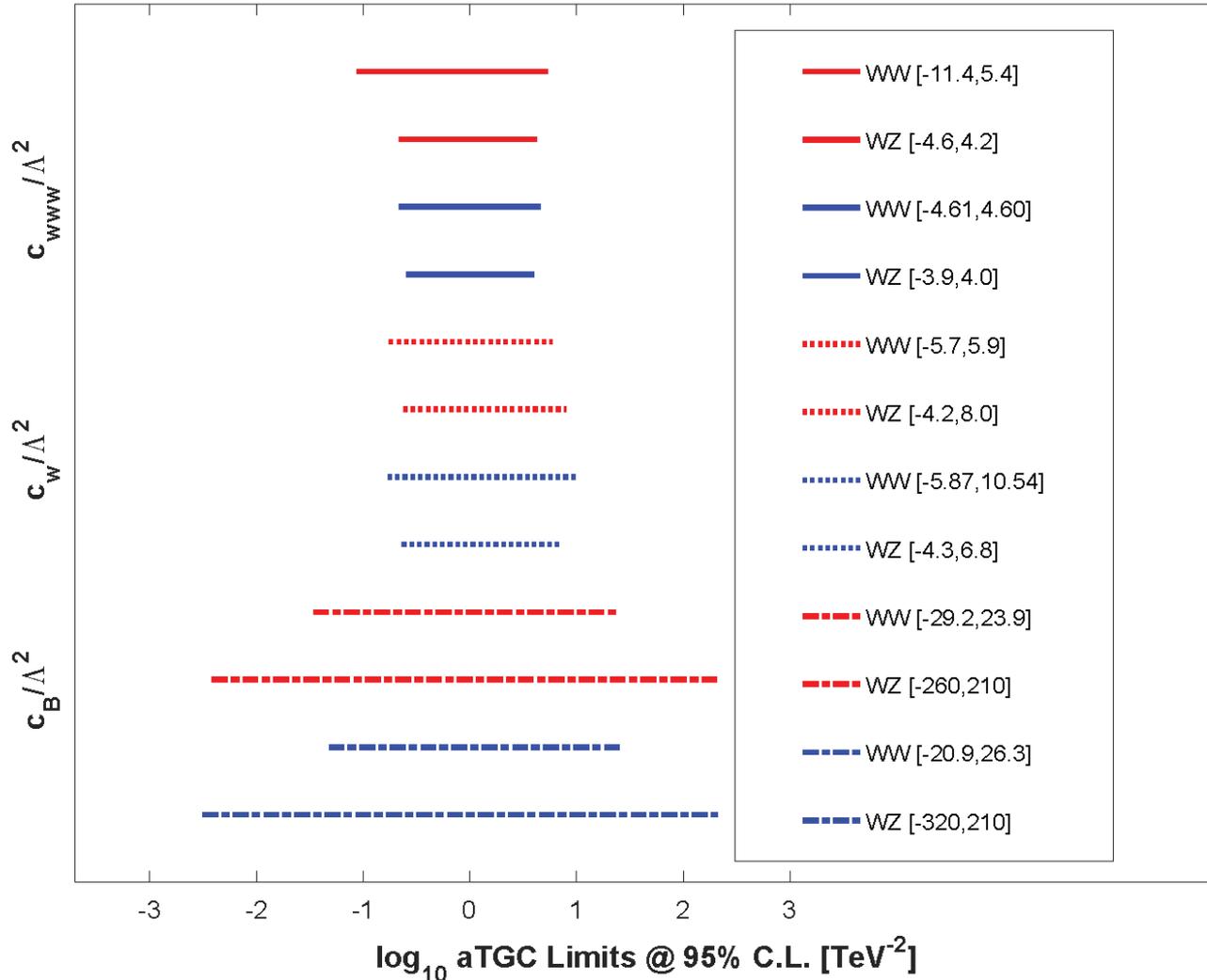


- ❖ How to reconcile? ATLAS aTGC bound ensures unitarity is not violated at *arbitrary high center of mass energies*.

WWZ aTGC → EFT limits

❖ No unitarisation here!

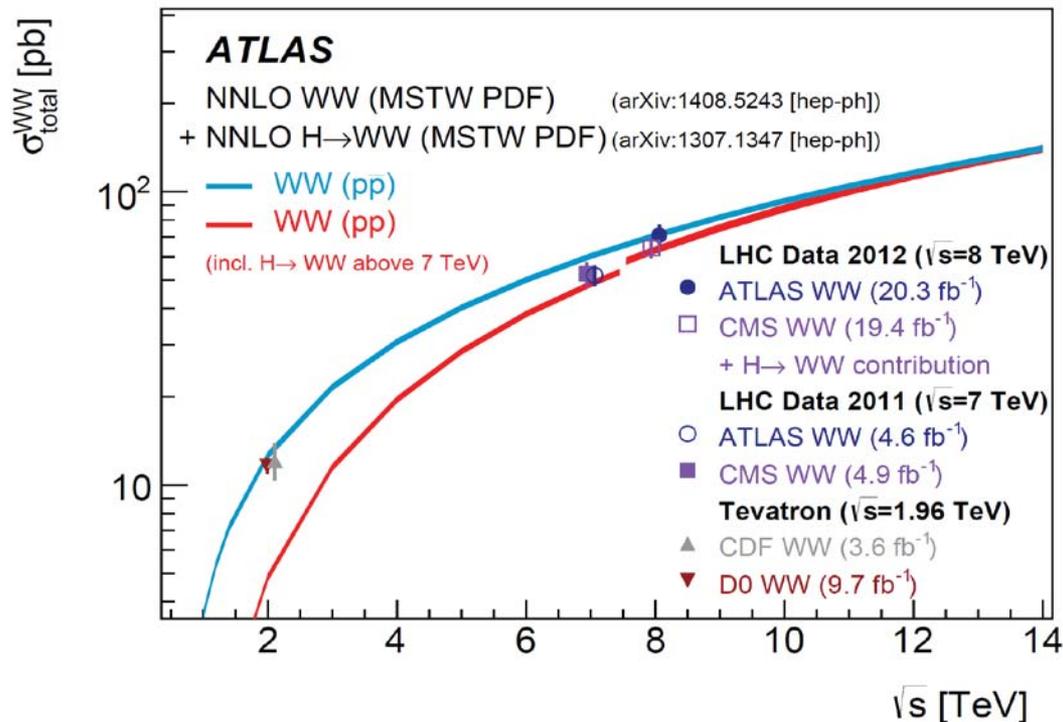
8 TeV Limits on c_{www}/Λ^2 , c_w/Λ^2 and $c_B/\Lambda^2, \Lambda$ (TeV)



$W^+W^- \rightarrow \ell^+\nu\ell^-\bar{\nu}$ @ 8 TeV

[JHEP 09 \(2016\) 029](#)

- ❖ 2 isolated leptons (e or μ) of opposite charge, MET, no jets (CMS: ≤ 1 jets)
- ❖ qq, gg, gg(H) production mechanisms (CMS subtracts gg(H))

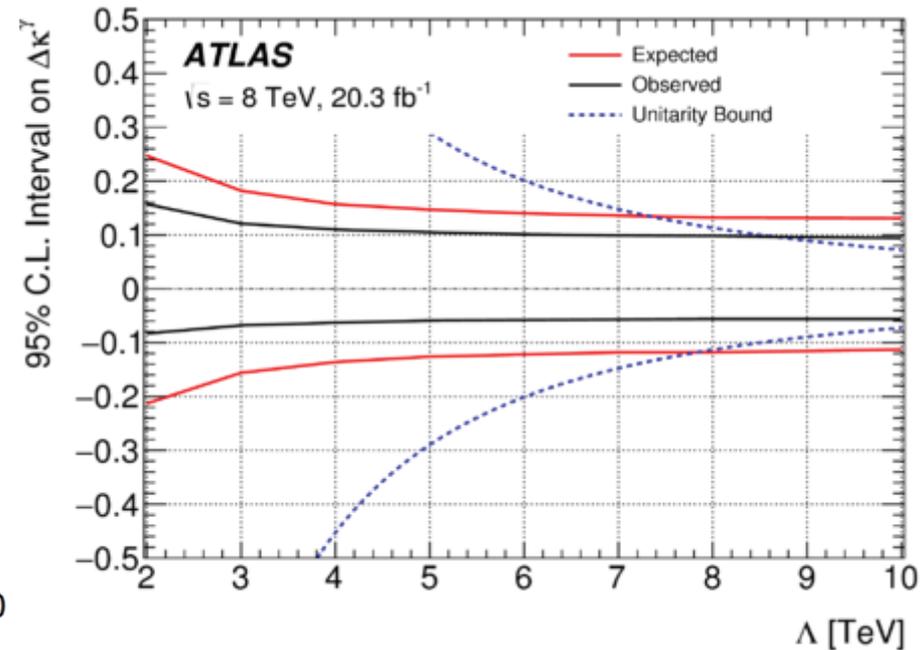
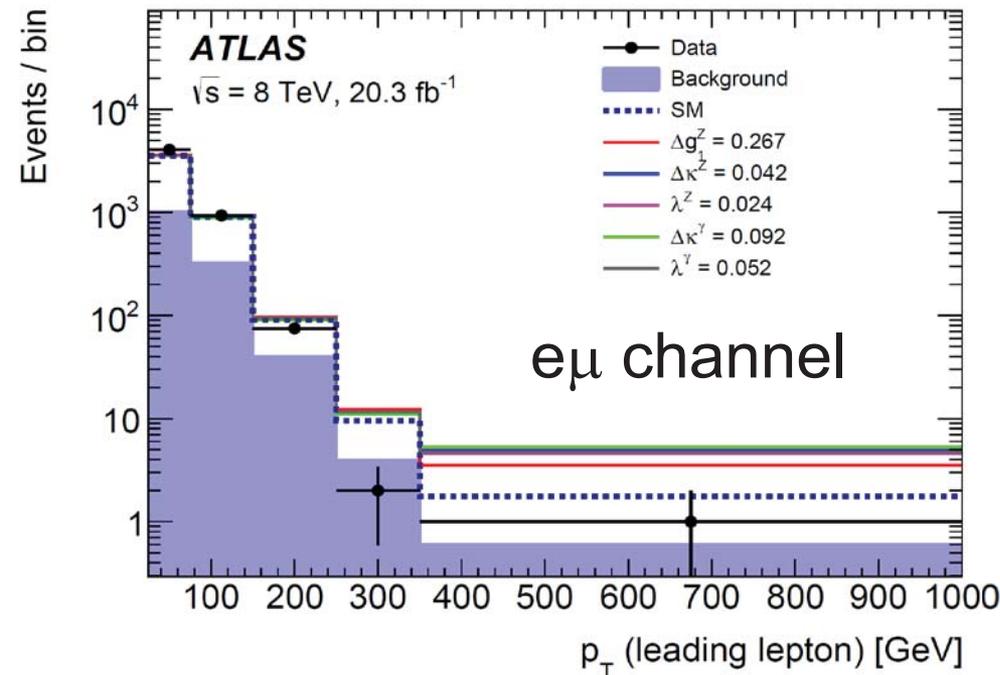


- ❖ Unfolded differential cross sections are provided as well!
- ❖ Fully differential NNLO QCD calculation [just became available](#)

$W^+W^- \rightarrow \ell^+\nu\ell^-\nu @ 8 \text{ TeV}$

[JHEP 09 \(2016\) 029](#)

- ❖ 2 isolated leptons (e or μ) of opposite charge, MET, no jets (CMS: ≤ 1 jets)
- ❖ qq, gg, gg(H) production mechanisms (CMS subtracts gg(H))

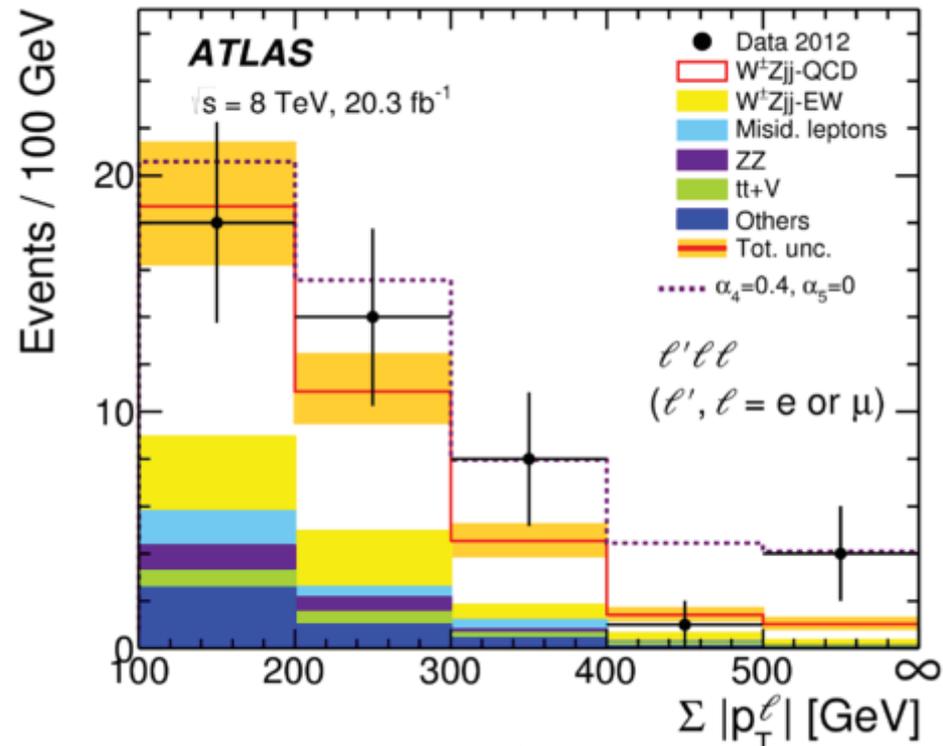
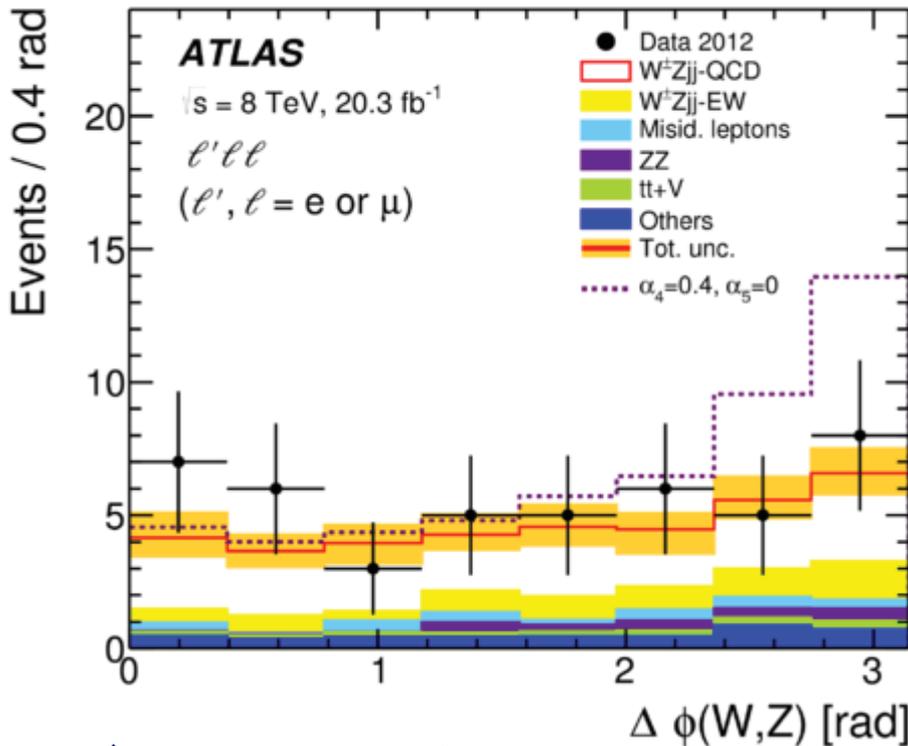


❖ [NLO EWK corrections](#) are taken into account

WZjj \rightarrow $l\nu l l j j$ @ 8 TeV

PRD 93, 092004 (2016)

- ❖ 3 isolated leptons (e or μ), MET, \geq two jets
- ❖ VBS/aQGC additional selection on m_{jj} , $\Delta\Phi(W,Z)$, $\Sigma|p_T(l)|$

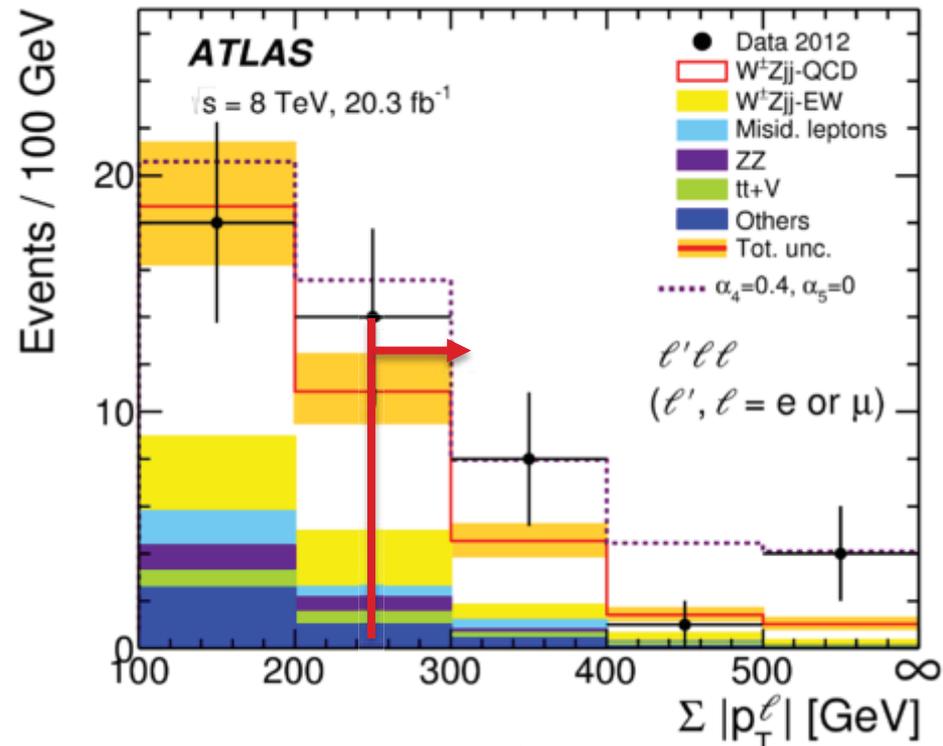
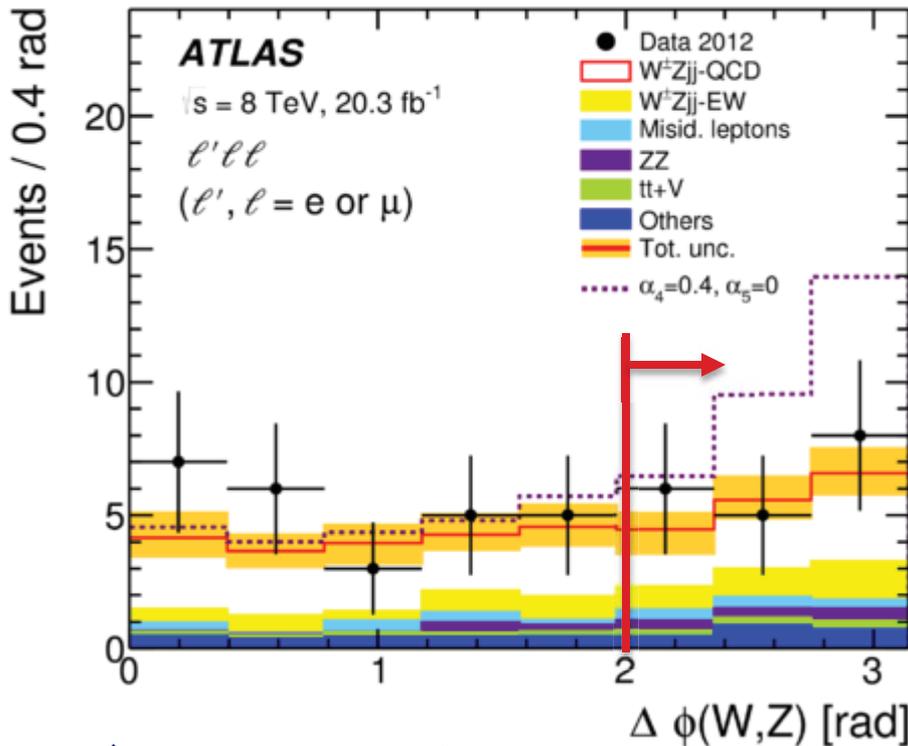


- ❖ measured fiducial xsec in aQGC phase space used for limits
- ❖ Conversion $\alpha_{4,5}$ to $f_{s_{0,1}}$ after k-matrix unitarisation

WZjj \rightarrow $l\nu l l j j$ @ 8 TeV

PRD 93, 092004 (2016)

- ❖ 3 isolated leptons (e or μ), MET, \geq two jets
- ❖ VBS/aQGC additional selection on m_{jj} , $\Delta\Phi(W,Z)$, $\Sigma|p_T(l)|$

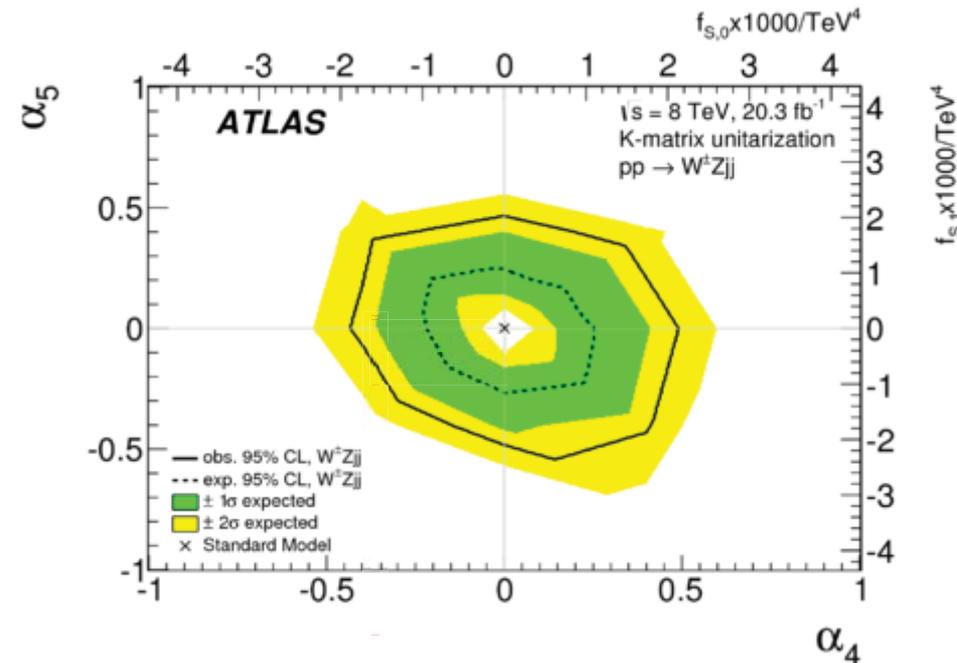
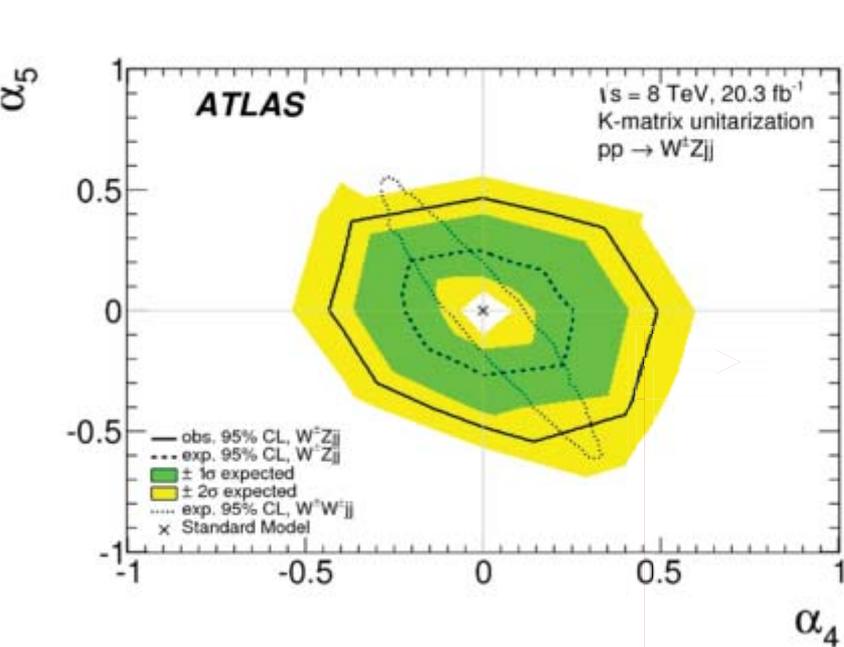


- ❖ measured fiducial xsec in aQGC phase space used for limits
- ❖ Conversion $\alpha_{4,5}$ to $f_{s_{0,1}}$ after k-matrix unitarisation

WZjj \rightarrow $lvlljj$ @ 8 TeV

PRD 93, 092004 (2016)

- ❖ 3 isolated leptons (e or μ), MET, \geq two jets
- ❖ VBS/aQGC additional selection on m_{jj} , $\Delta\Phi(W,Z)$, $\Sigma|p_T(\ell)|$



- ❖ measured fiducial xsec in aQGC phase space used for limits
- ❖ Conversion $\alpha_{4,5}$ to $f_{s0,1}$ after k-matrix unitarisation