

Hunting for new interactions of Higgs boson: Effective Field Theory results from the CMS experiment

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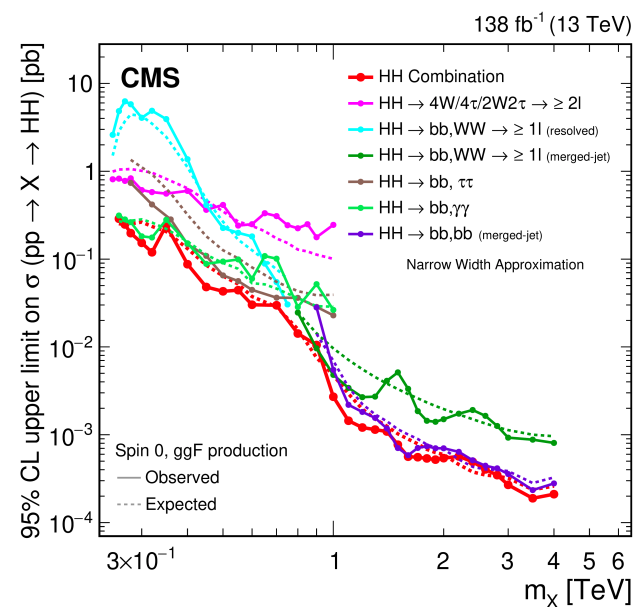


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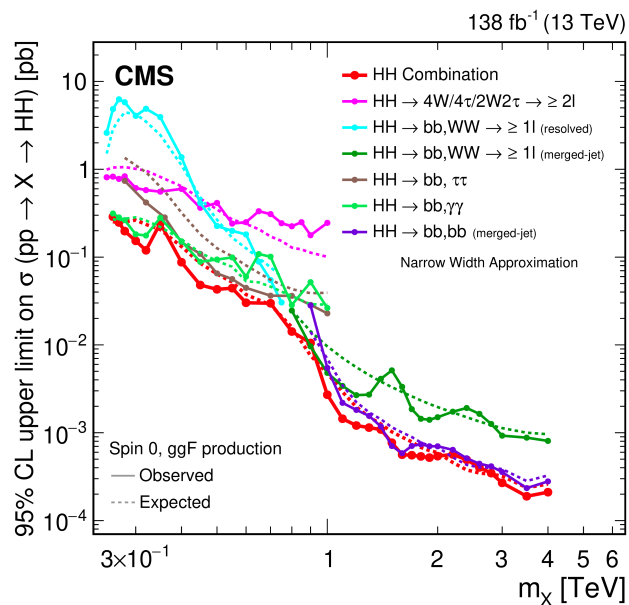


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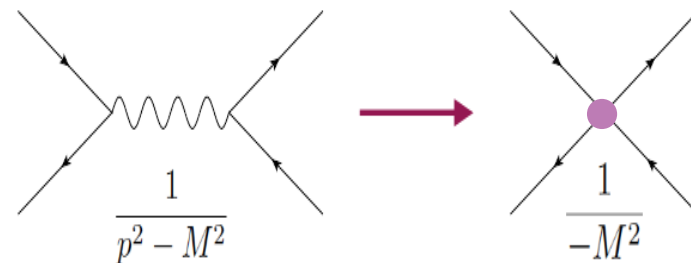
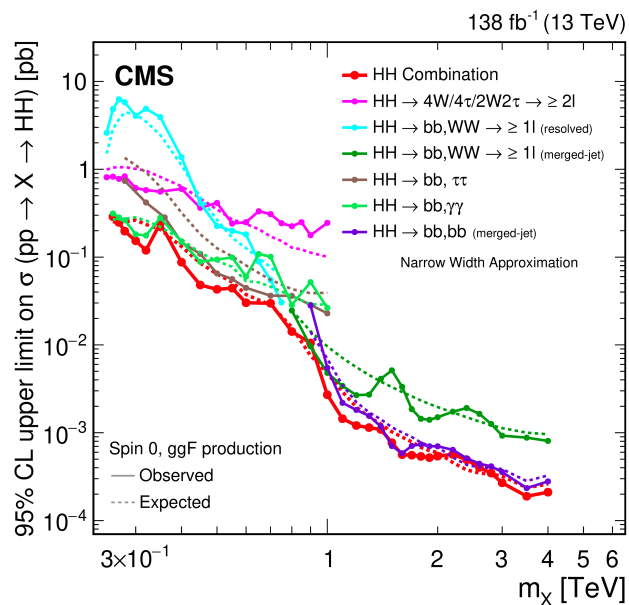
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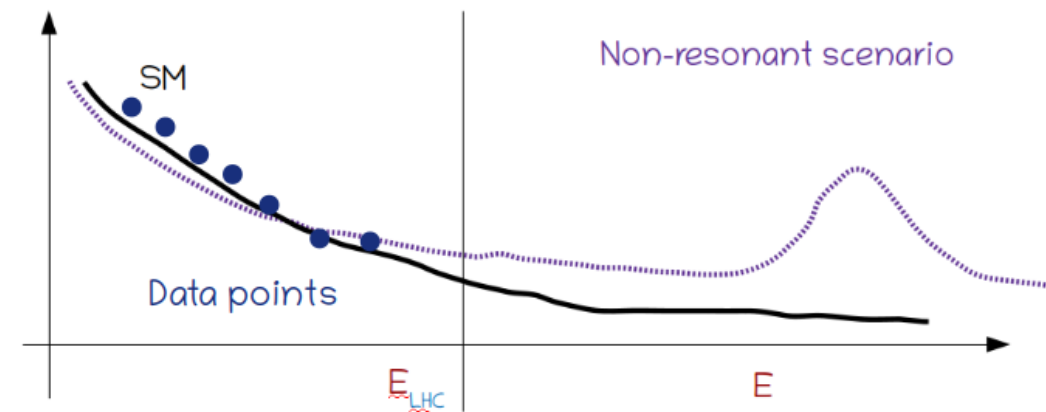


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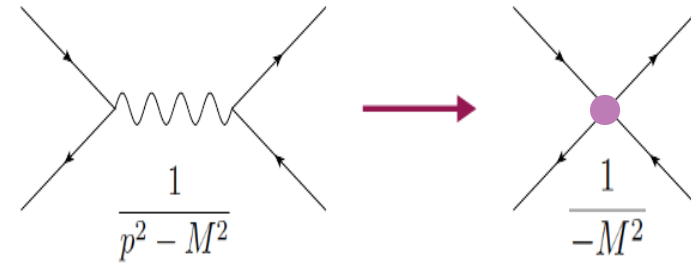
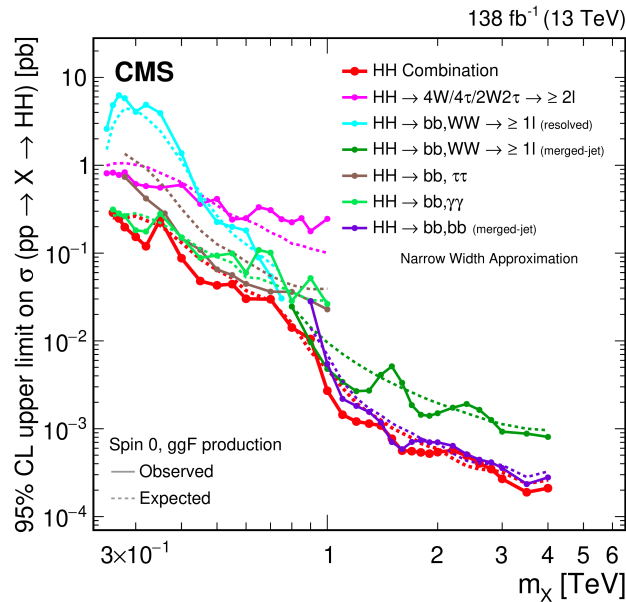
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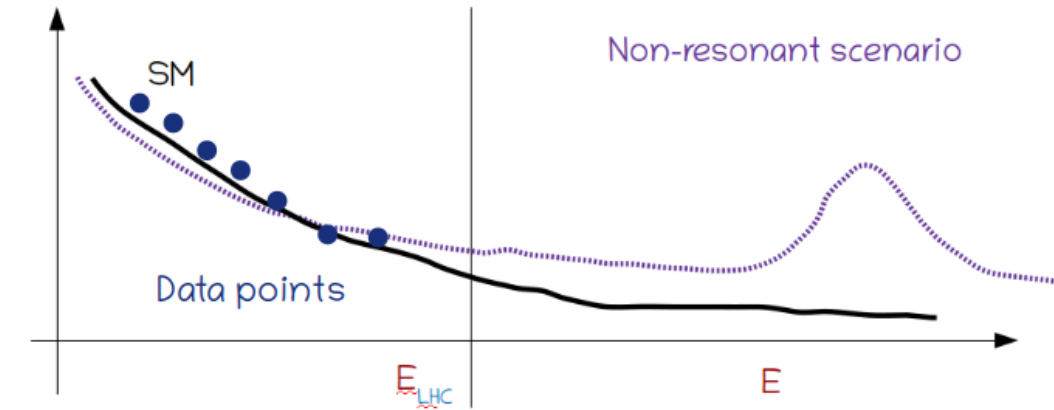


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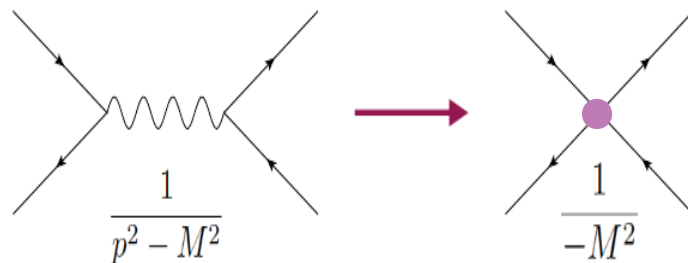
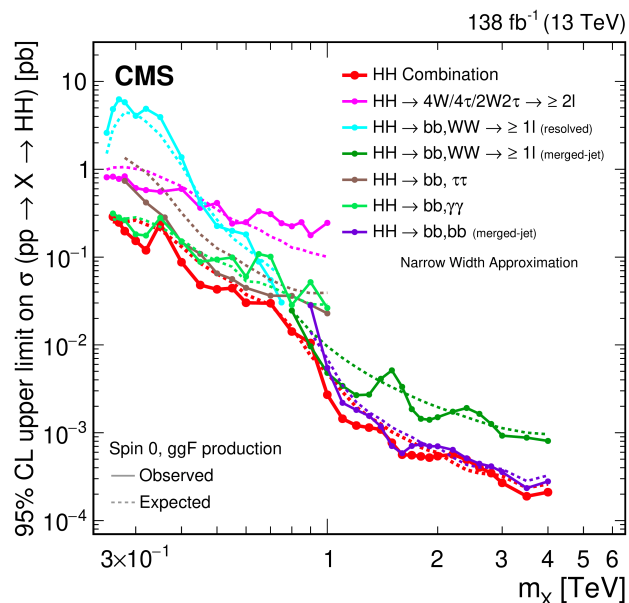
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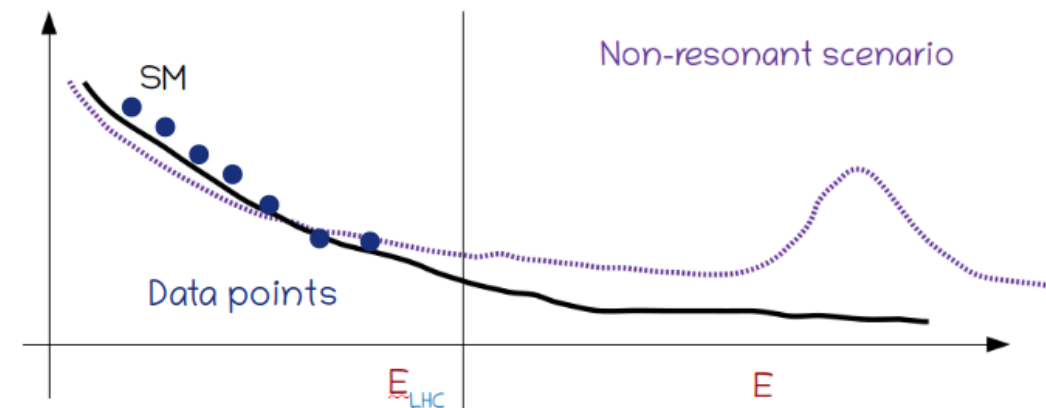


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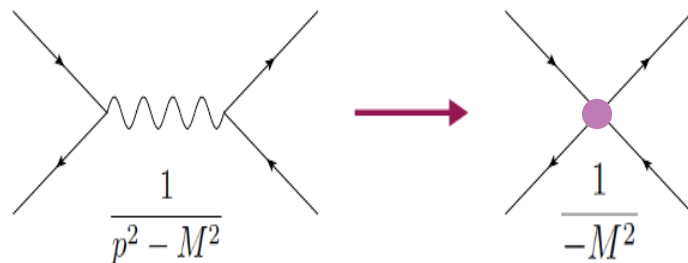
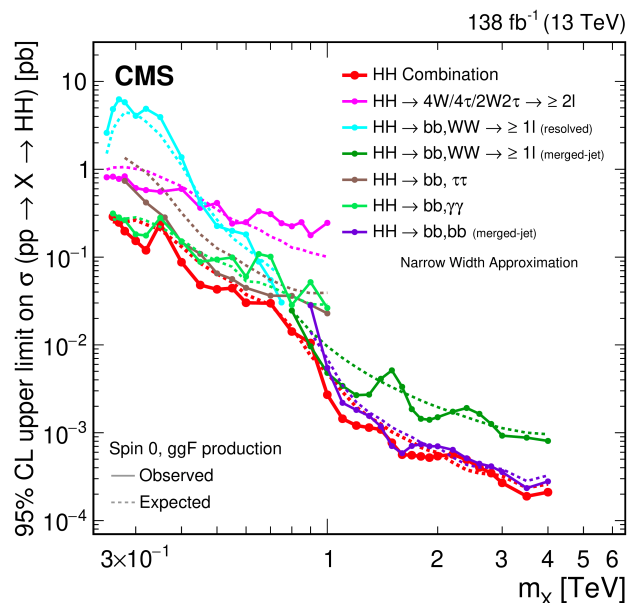
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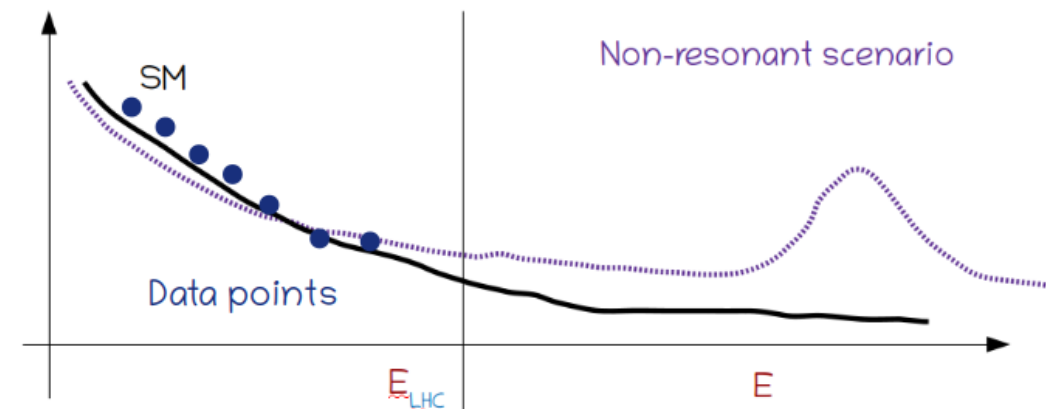


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$c \leftarrow$ Wilson coefficients (WCs)

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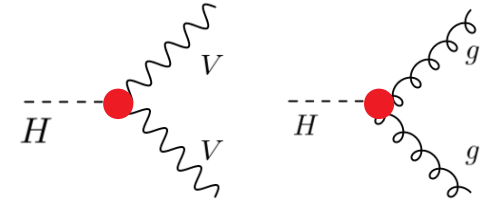
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Anomalous gauge couplings of Higgs boson

Higgs coupling to Gauge bosons

$$\mathcal{A}(HVV) \sim \left[a_1^{VV} + \frac{\kappa_1^{VV} q_1^2 + \kappa_2^{VV} q_2^2}{(\Lambda_1^{VV})^2} \right] m_{V1}^2 \epsilon_{V1}^* \epsilon_{V2}^* + \boxed{a_2^{VV} f_{\mu\nu}^{*(1)} f^{*(2)\mu\nu}} + \boxed{a_3^{VV} f_{\mu\nu}^{*(1)} \tilde{f}^{*(2)\mu\nu}}$$

SM Couplings due to High-scale new physics New CP-even coupling/ loop-induced (for Hgg) New CP-odd coupling



Constraints on anomalous couplings (ACs) → bounds on EFT operator coefficients

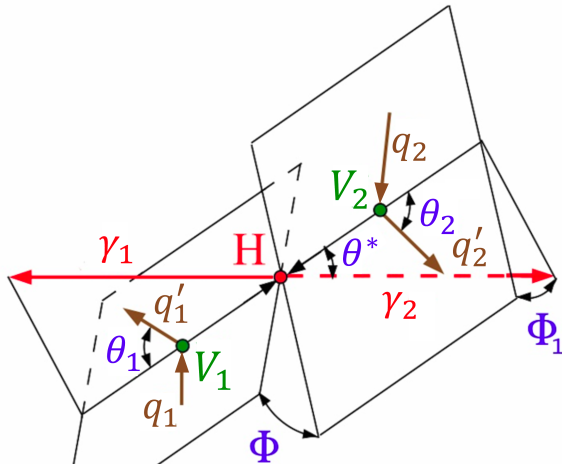
Also see talk by A. Krishna

Matrix element likelihood approach (MELA)

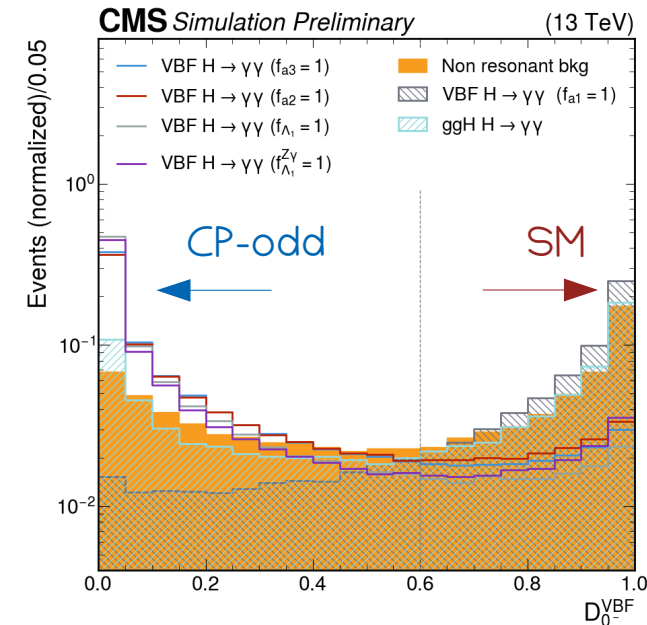
Construct discriminants sensitive to individual ACs

$$\sigma \propto \left| \text{SM} + \text{BSM} \right|^2 \propto \boxed{\text{SM}} + \boxed{\text{SM} \times \text{BSM}} + \boxed{\text{BSM} \times \text{BSM}}$$

SM SM-BSM interference Pure BSM



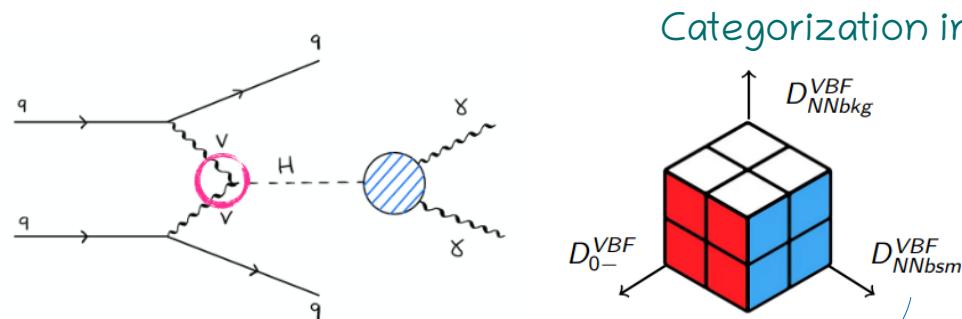
Example topology:
VBF H production + H → γγ decay



$$\mathcal{D}_{\text{BSM}} = \frac{\mathcal{P}_{\text{SM}}(\vec{\Omega})}{\mathcal{P}_{\text{SM}}(\vec{\Omega}) + \mathcal{P}_{\text{BSM}}(\vec{\Omega})}$$

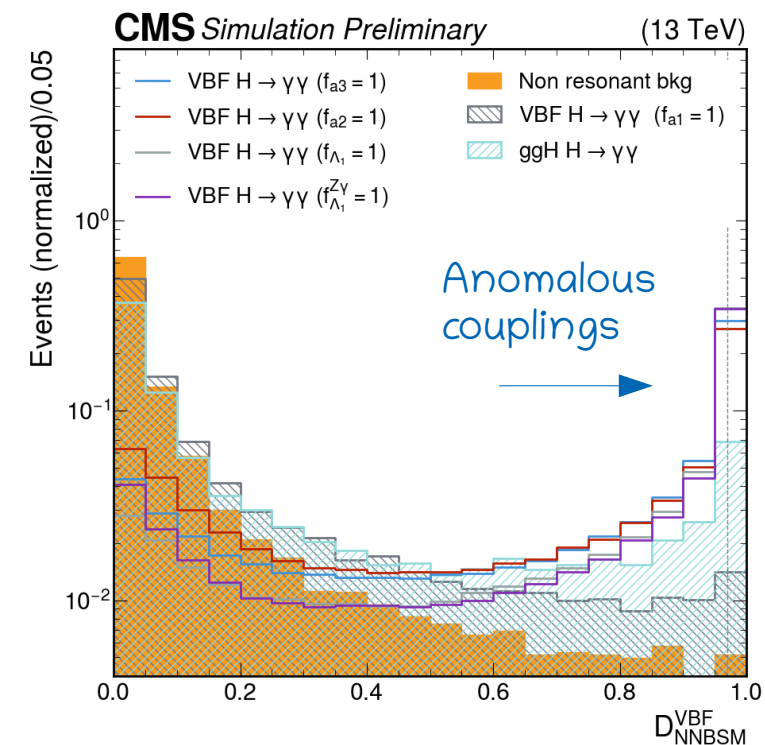
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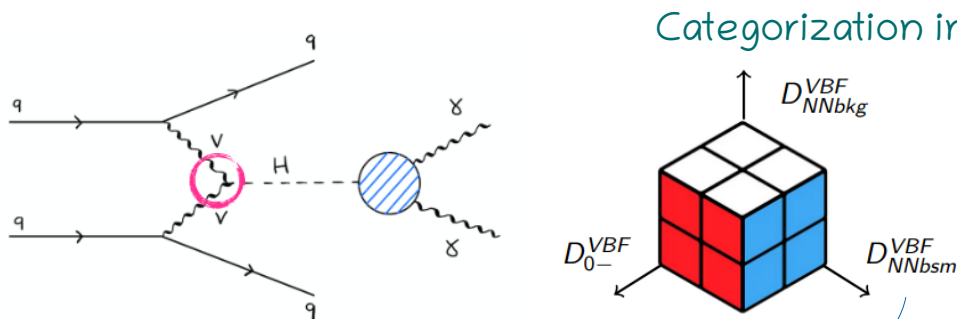
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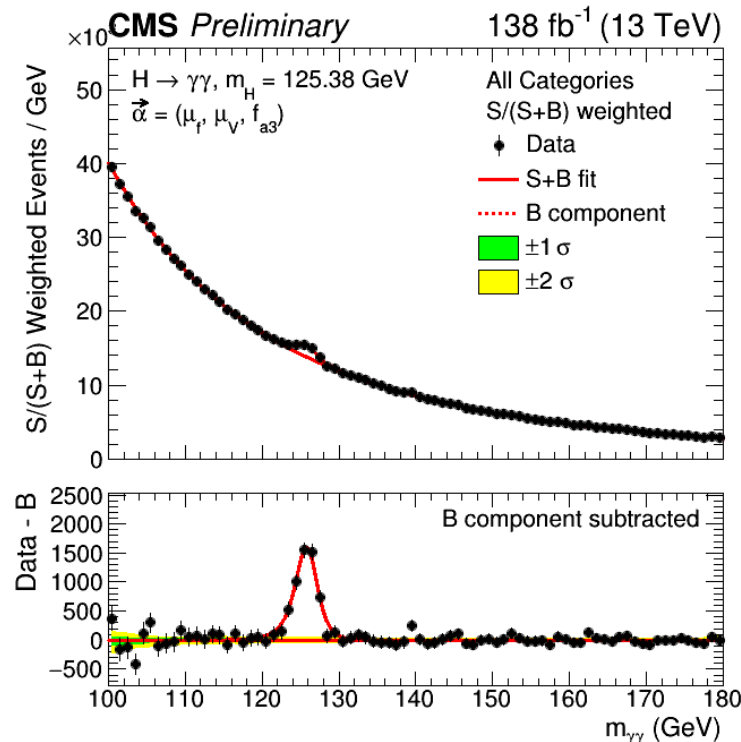
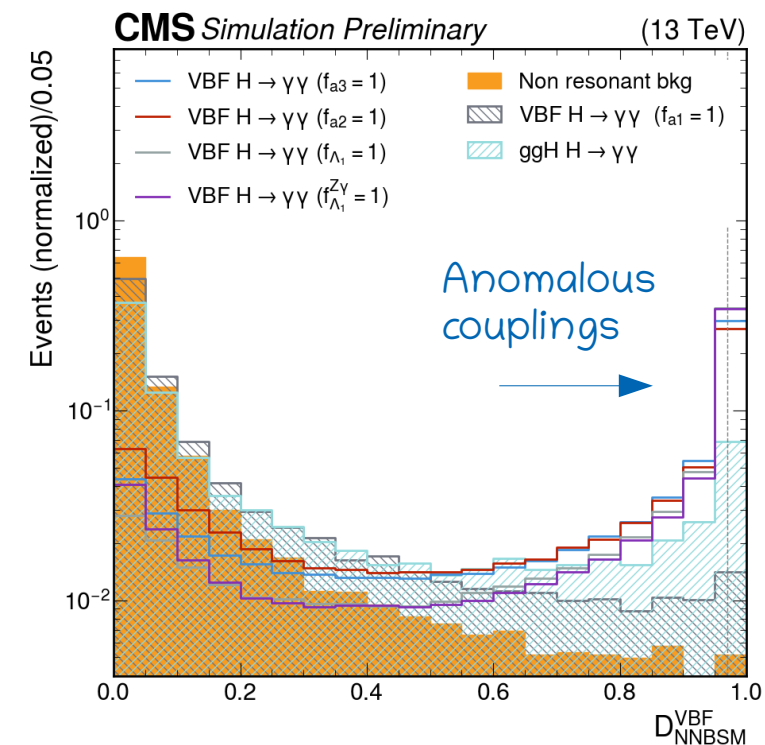




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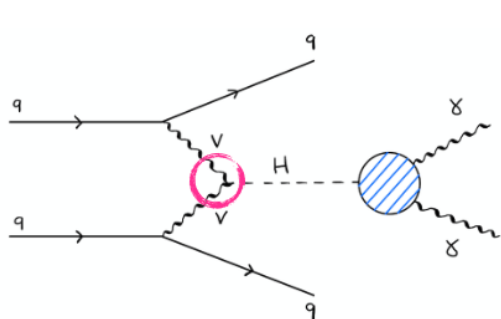
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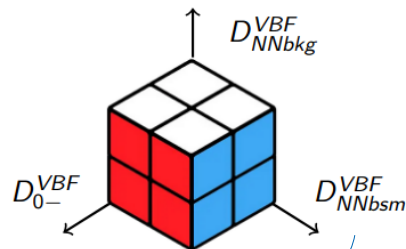


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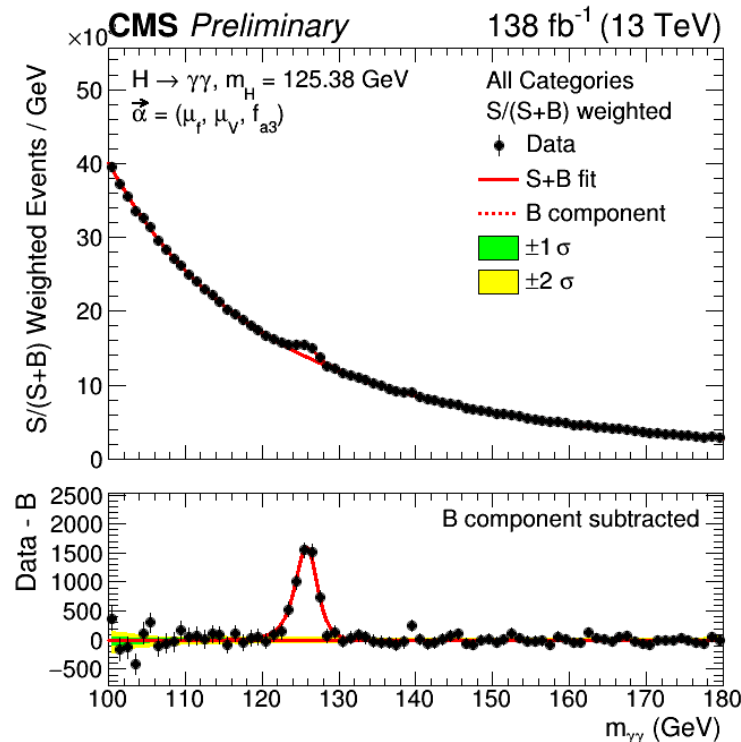
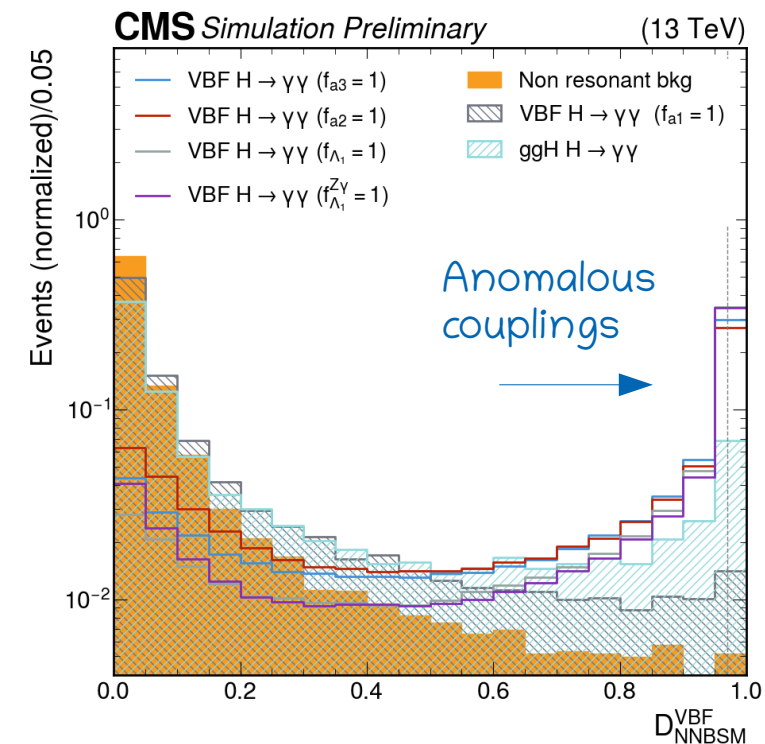
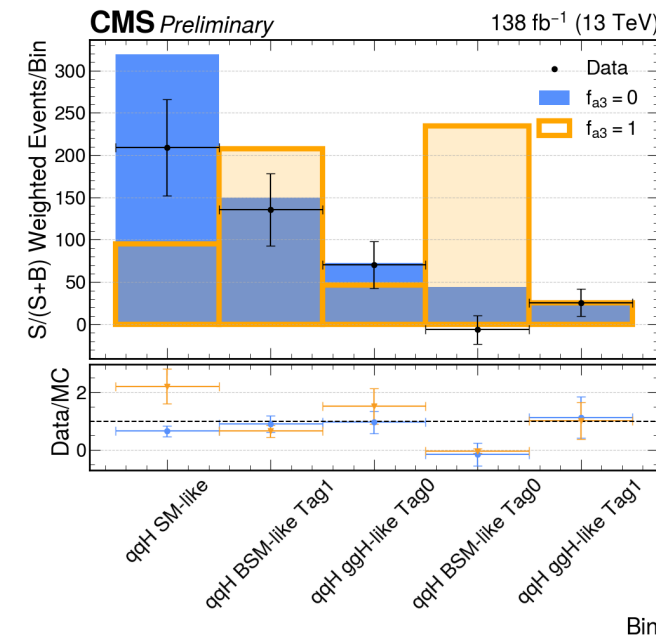
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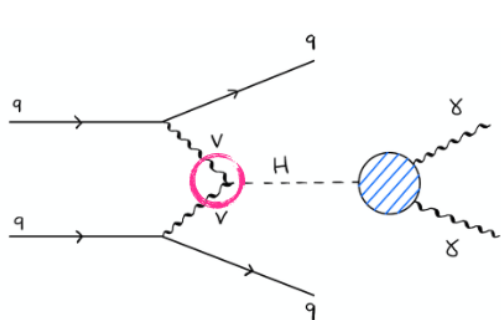
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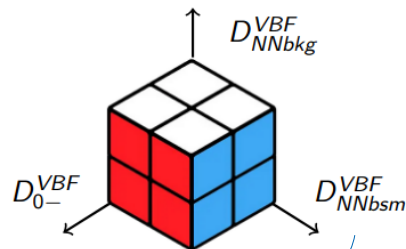
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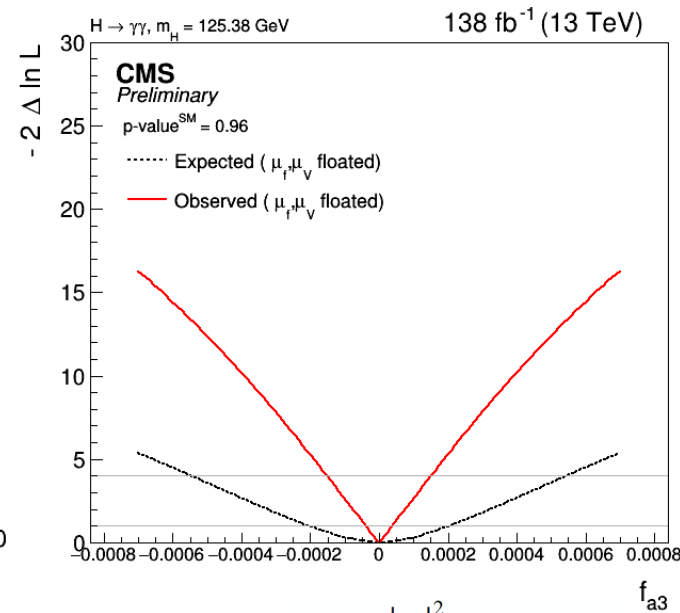
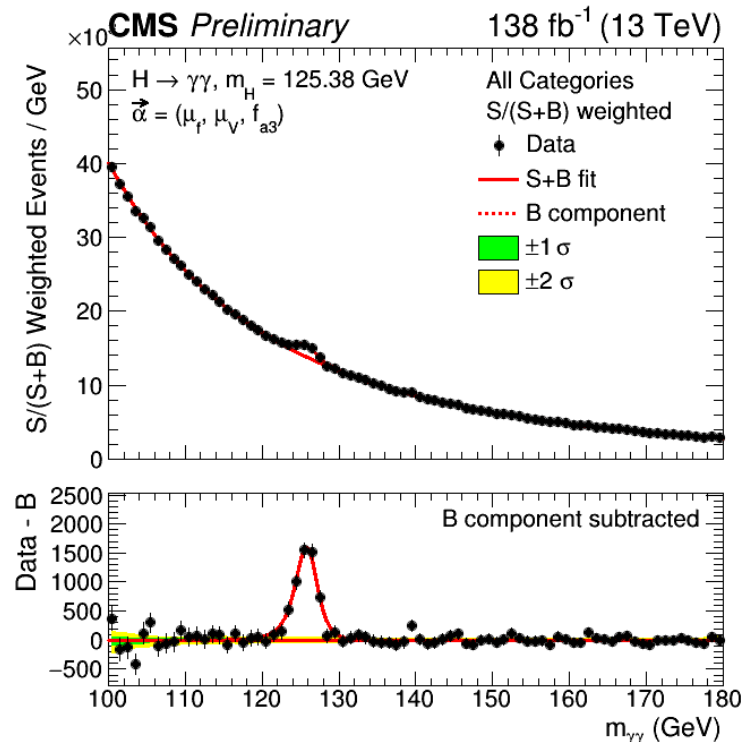
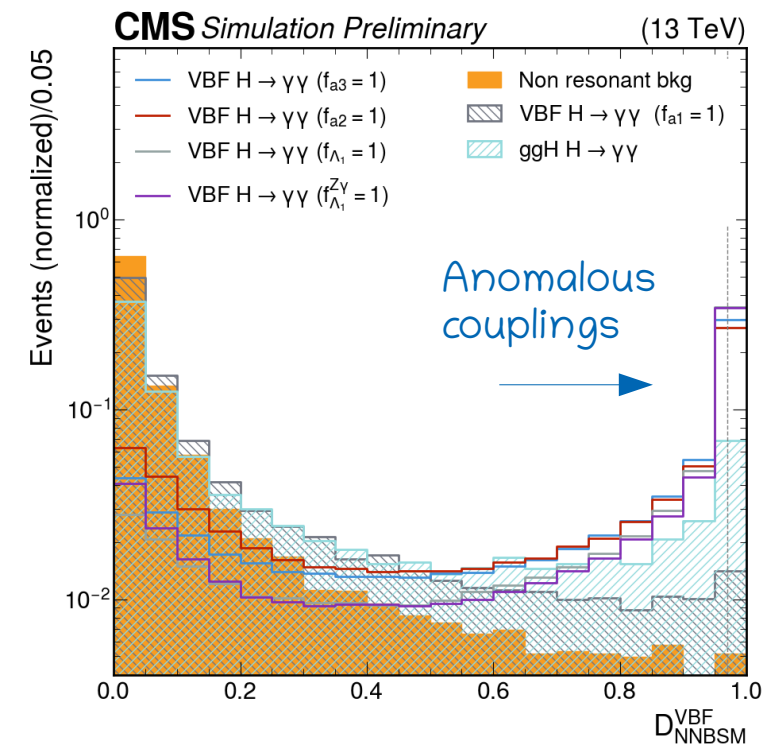
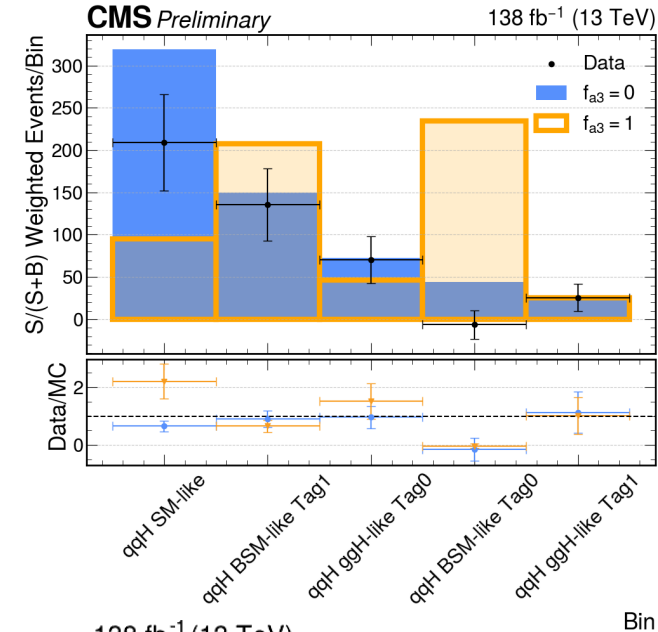


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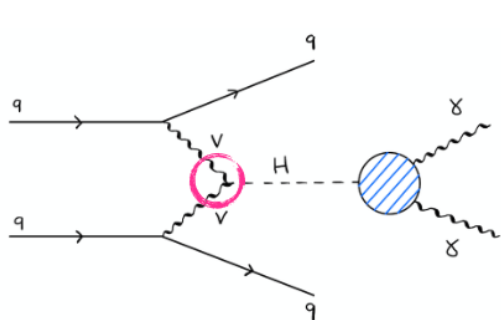
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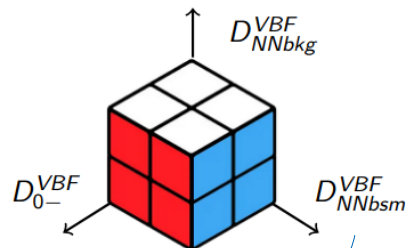
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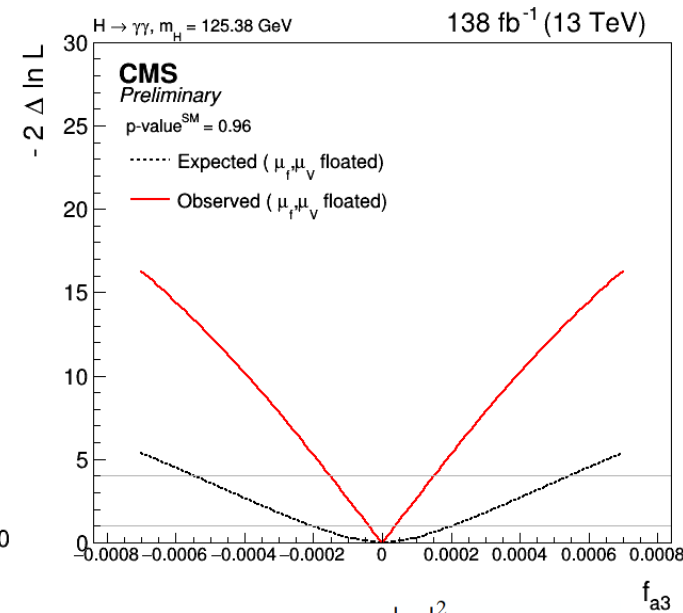
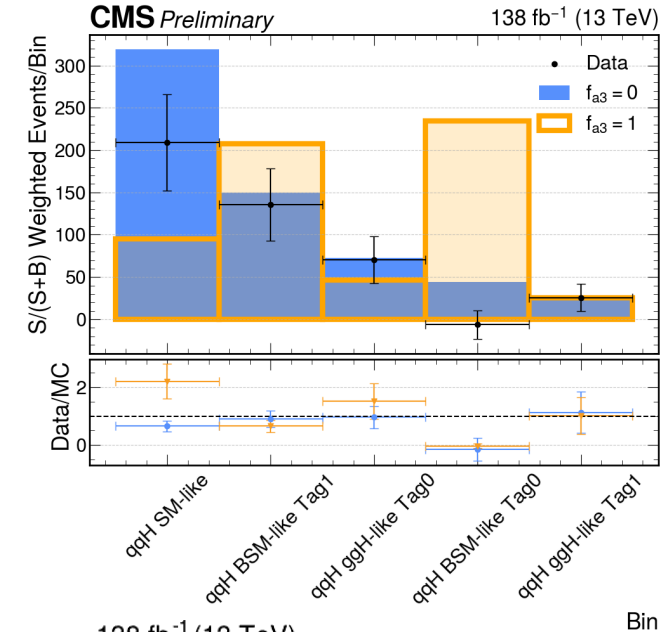
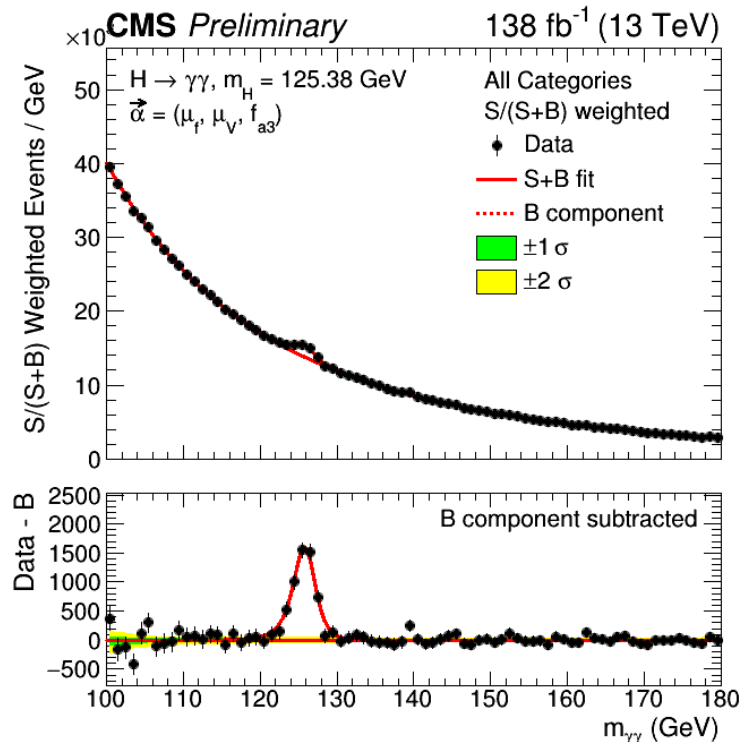
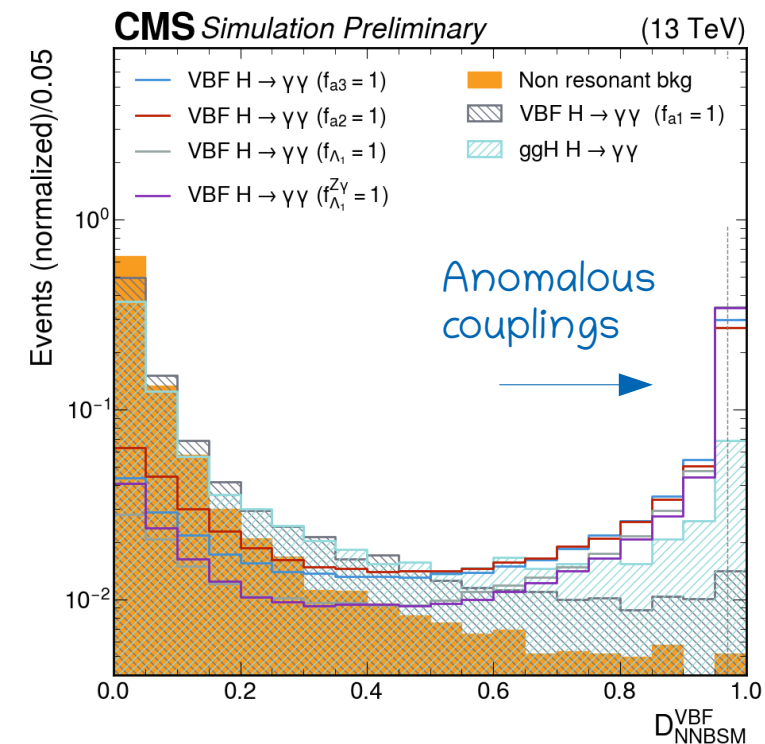


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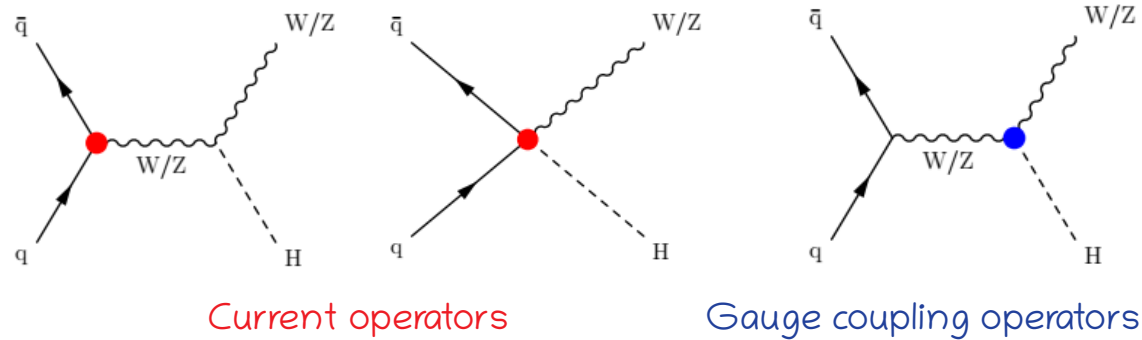
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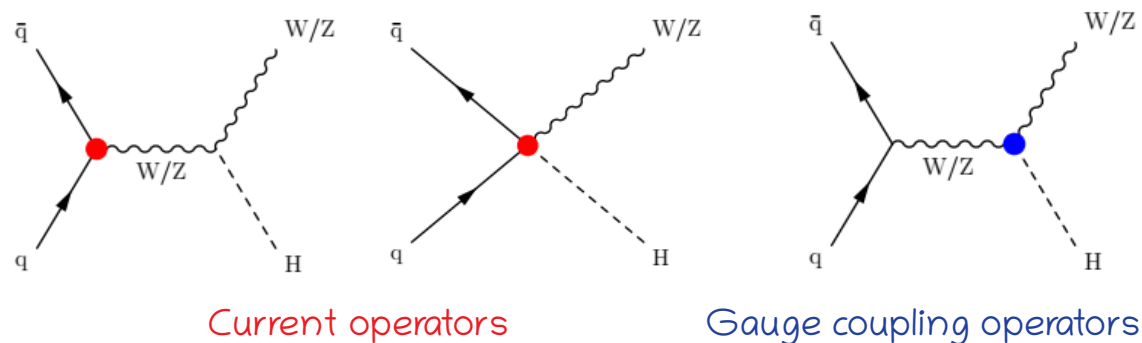
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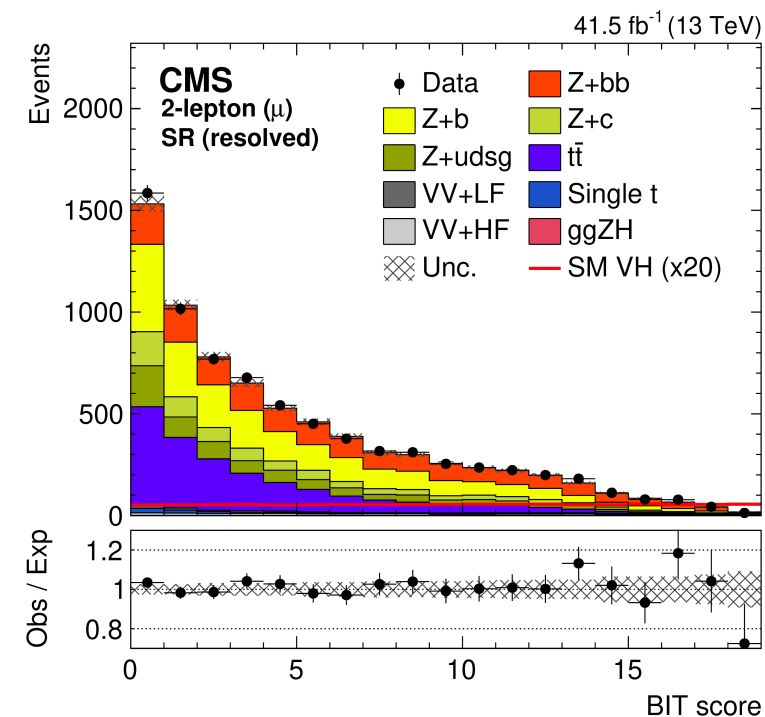
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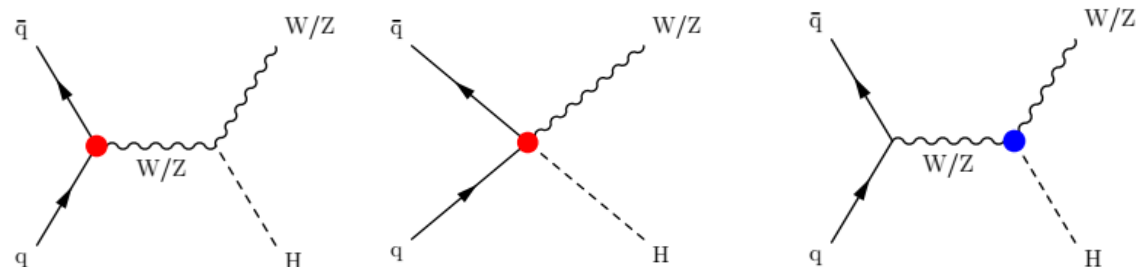
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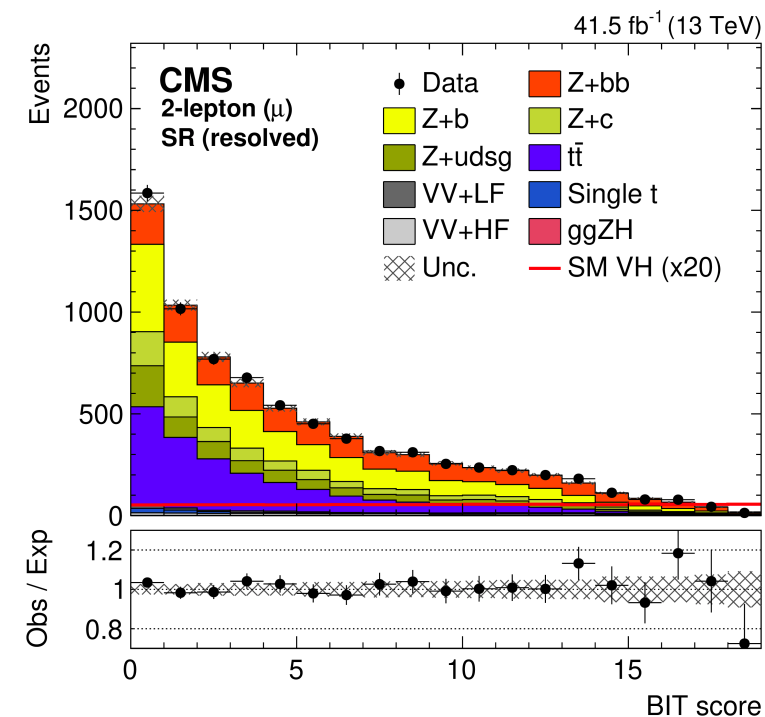
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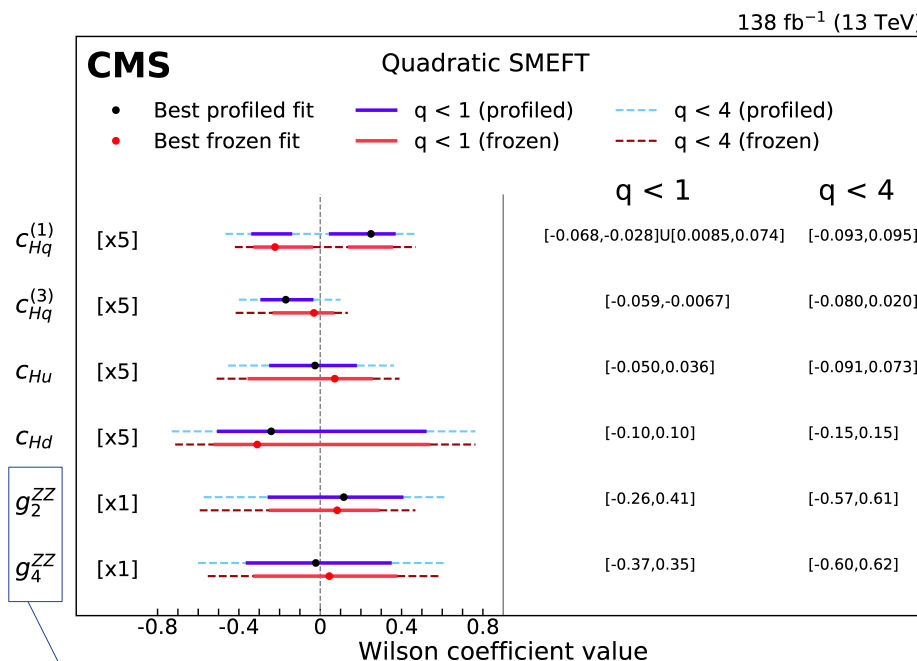
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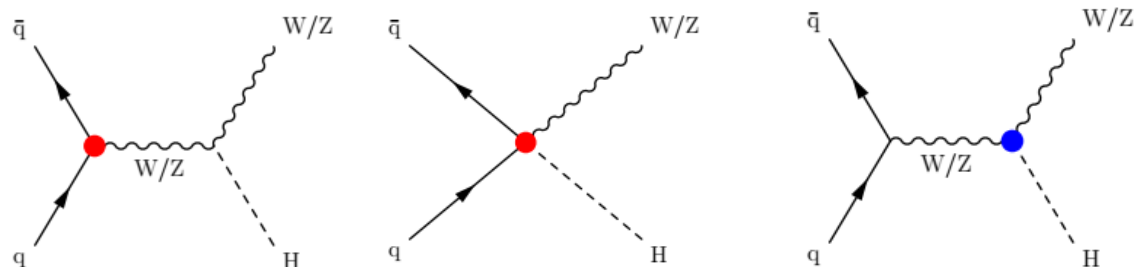
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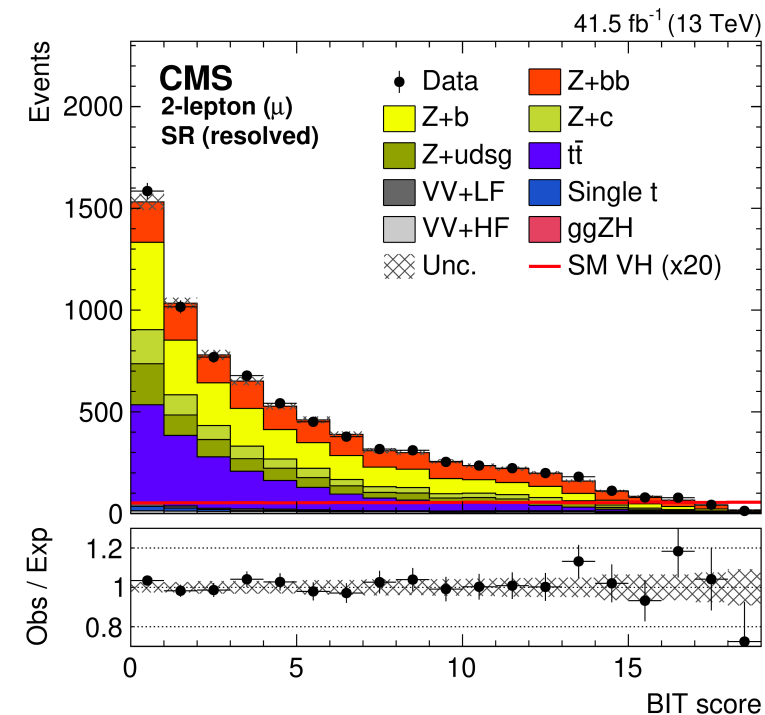
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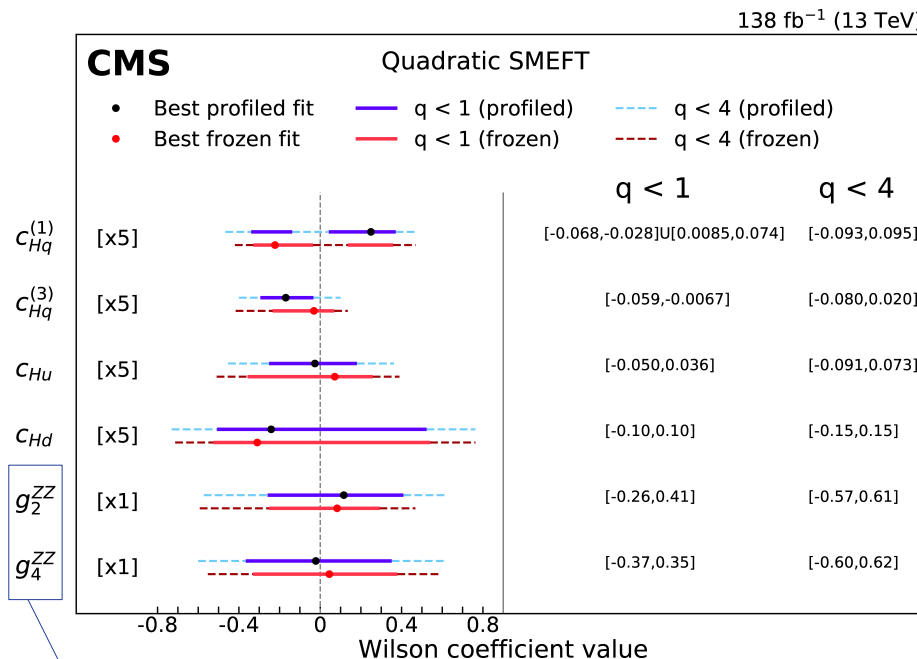
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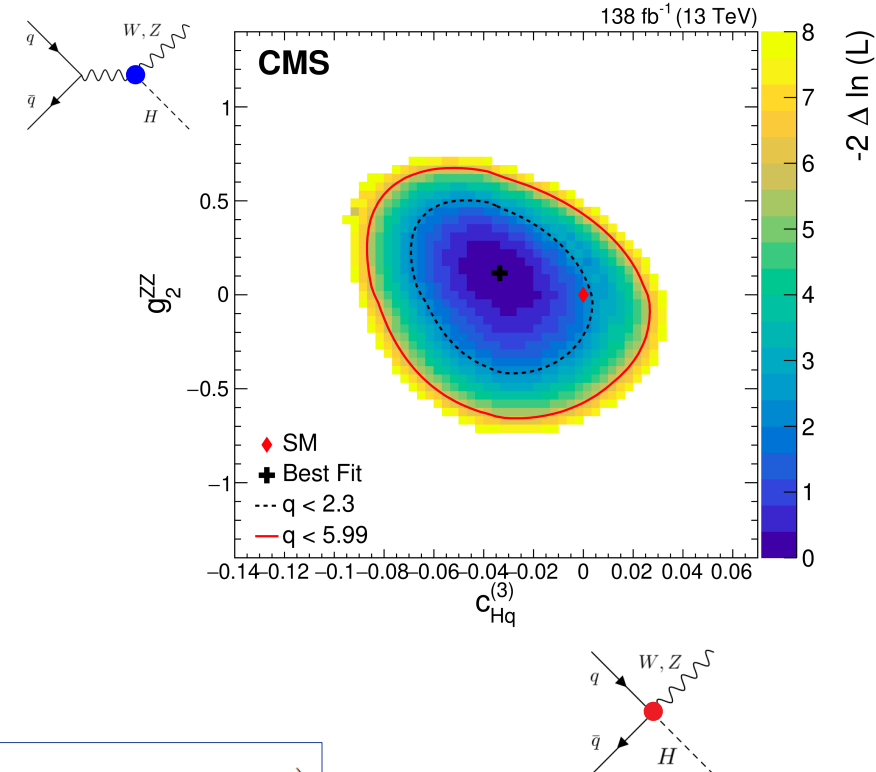


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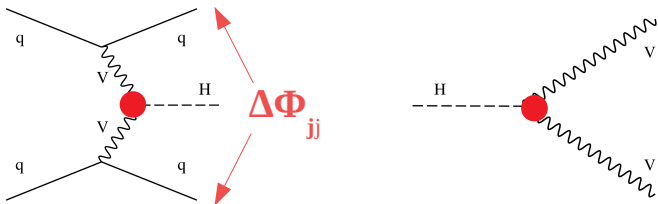
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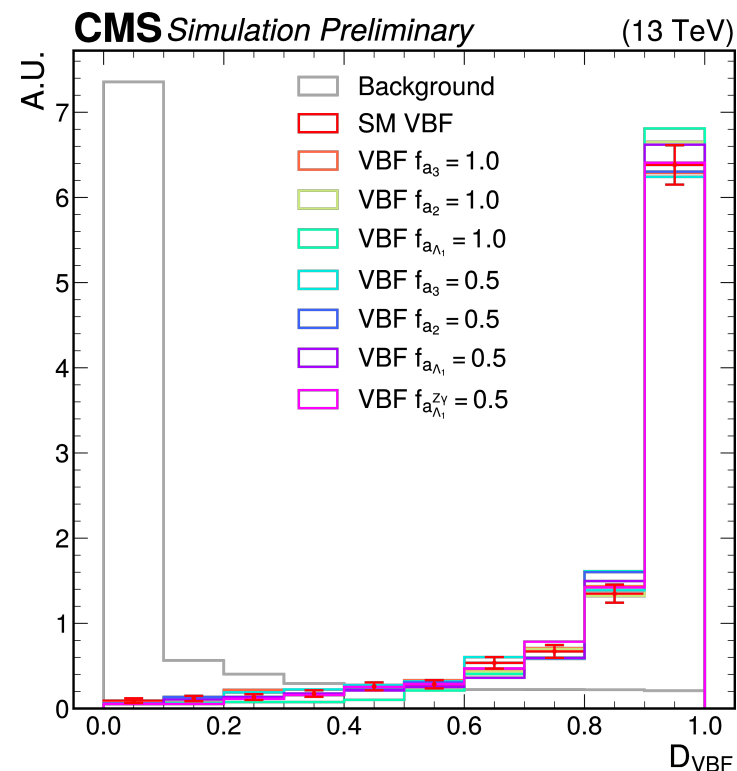


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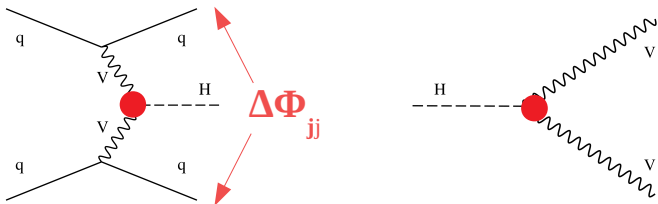
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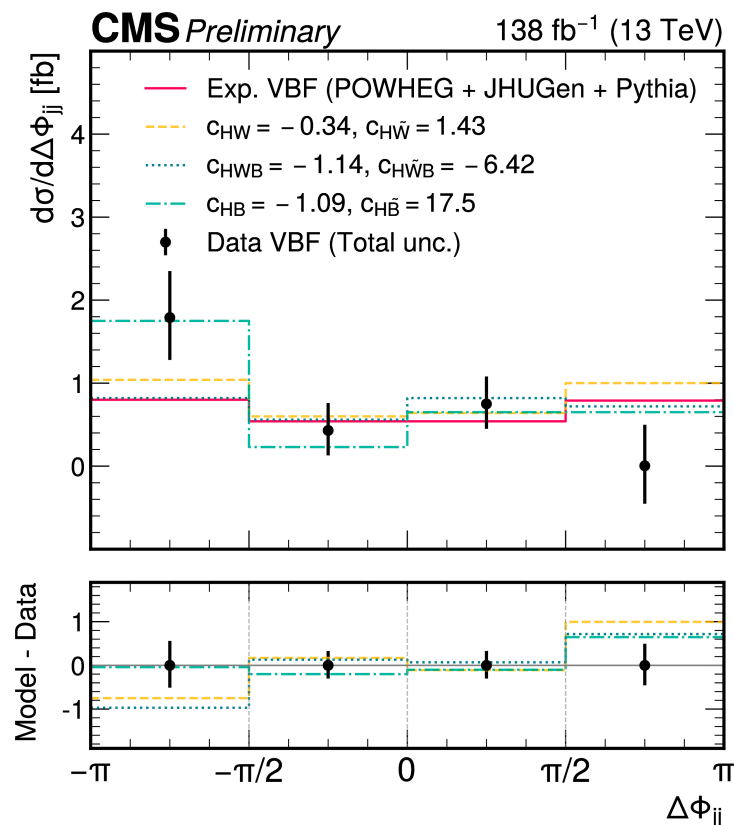
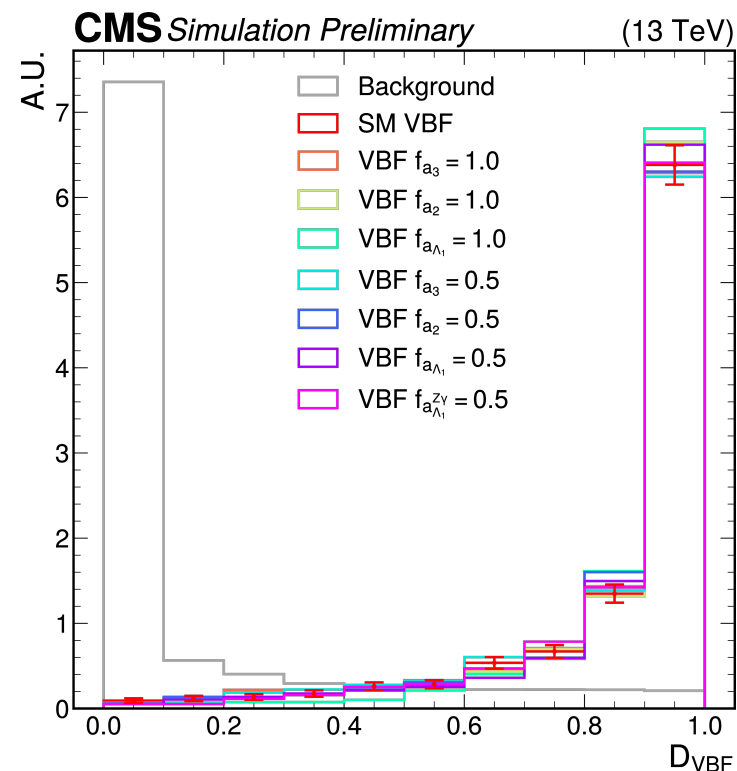


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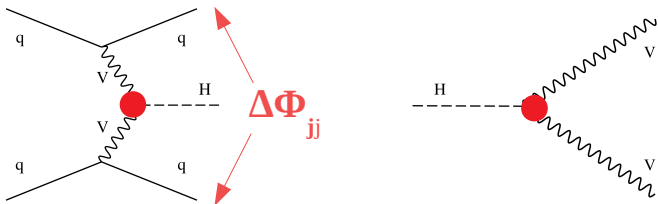
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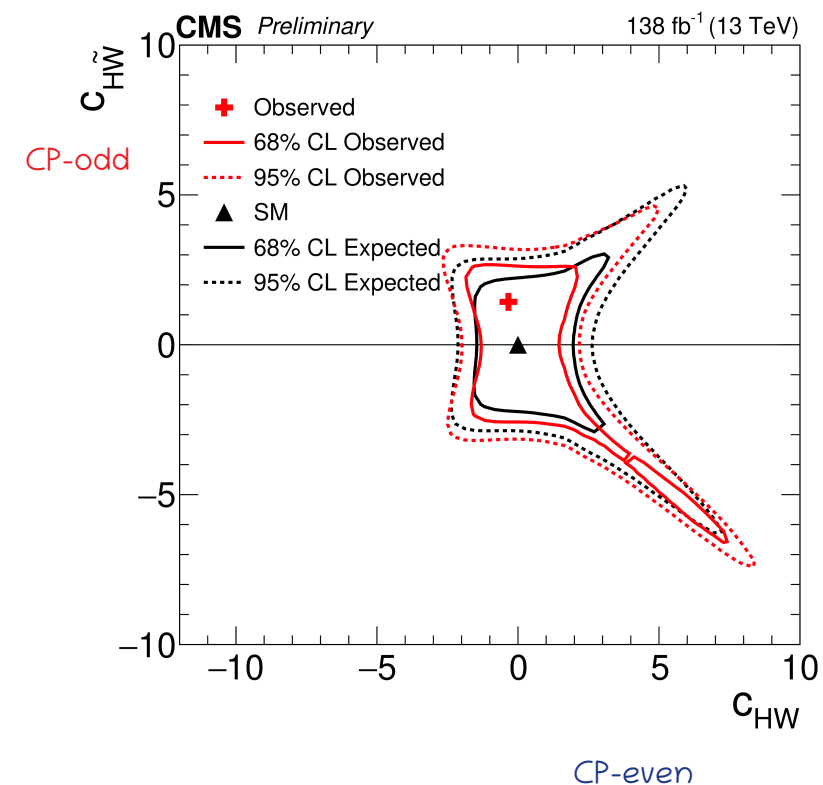
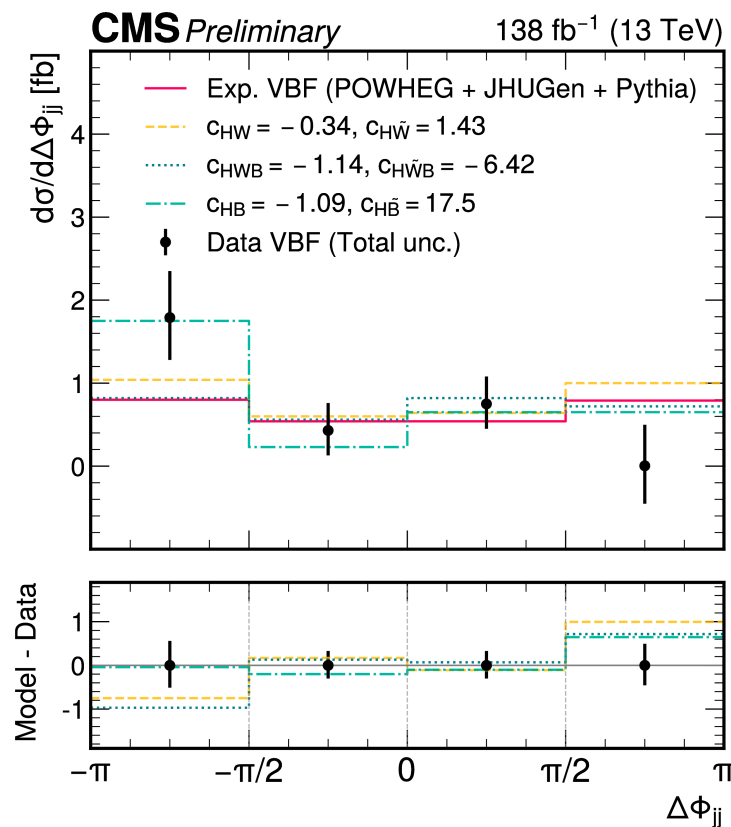
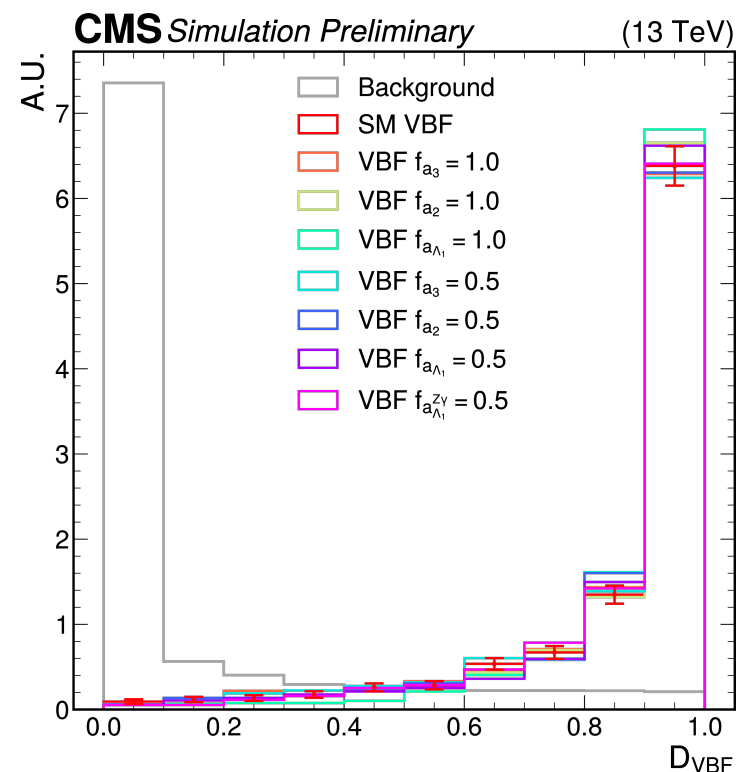
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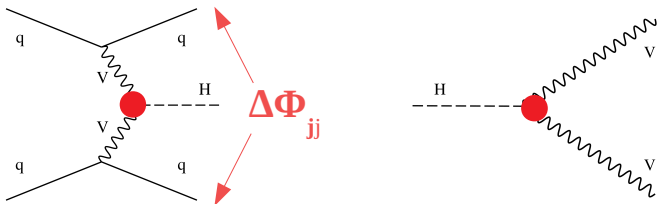
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EFT operators modifying H-V coupling probed using D_{VBF} in 4 bins of $\Delta\Phi_{jj}$



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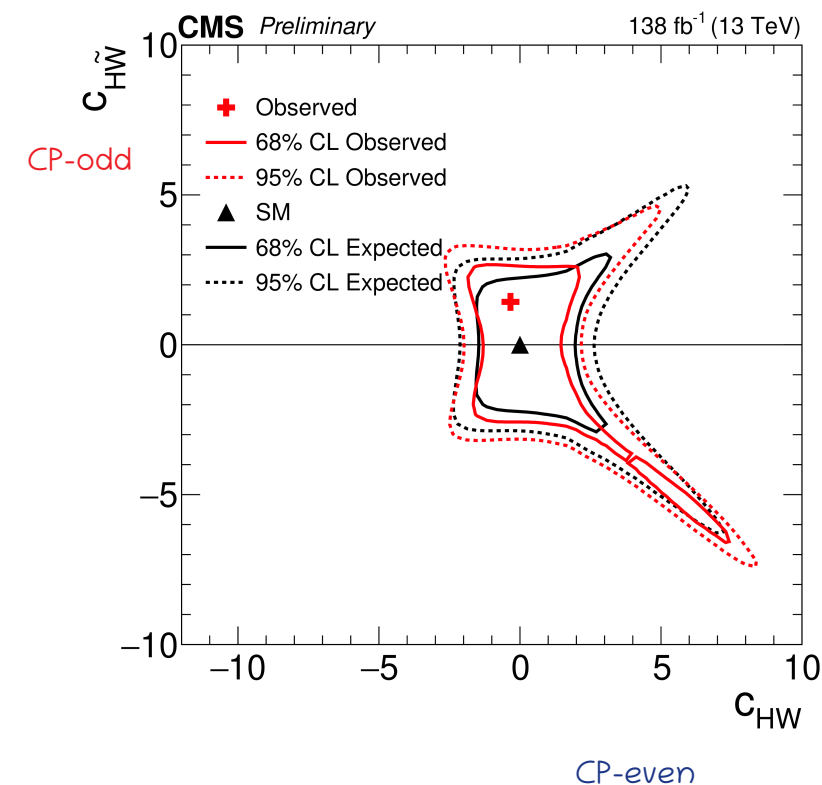
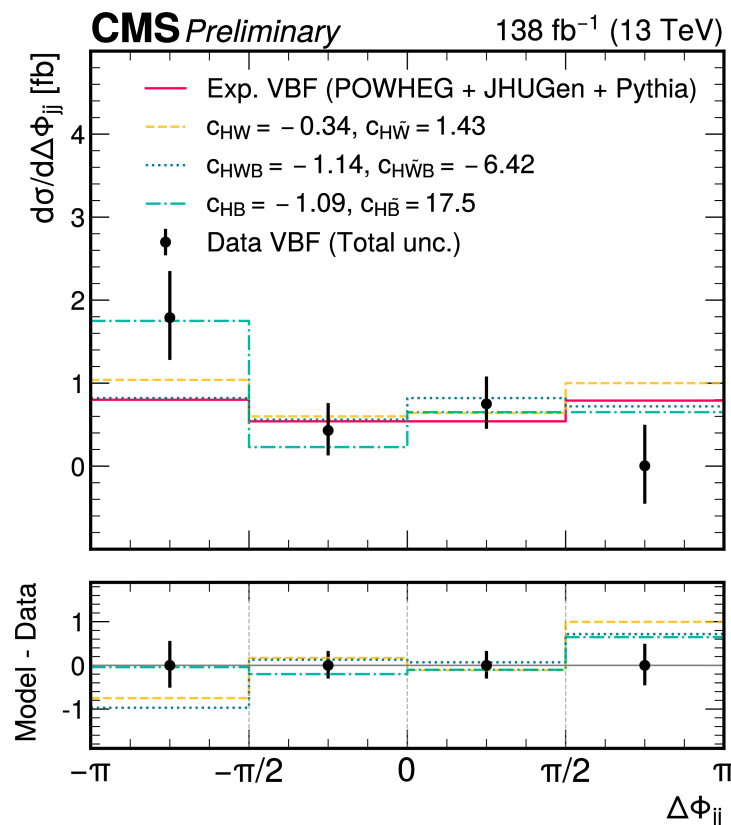
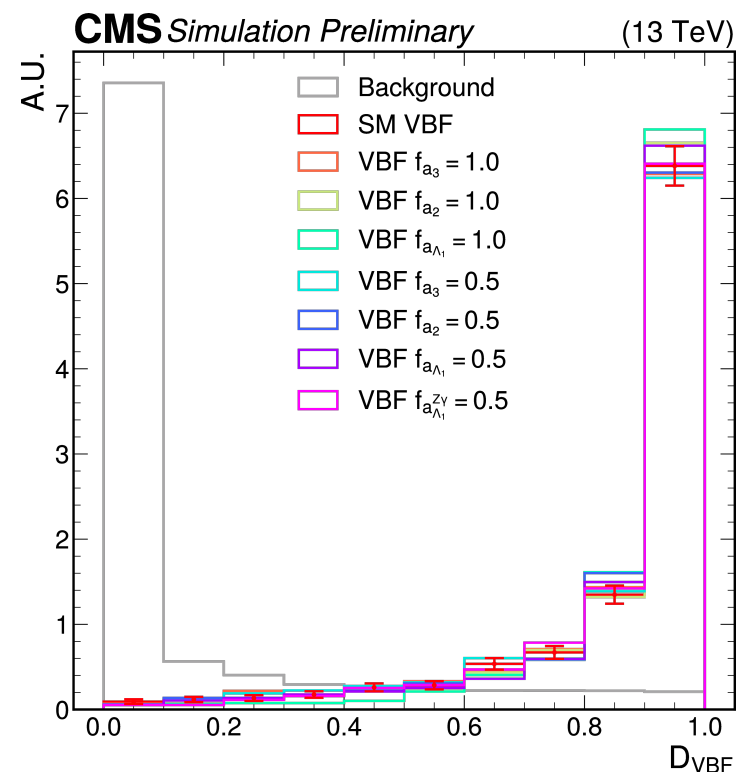
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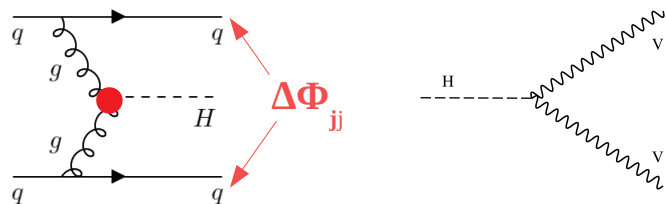
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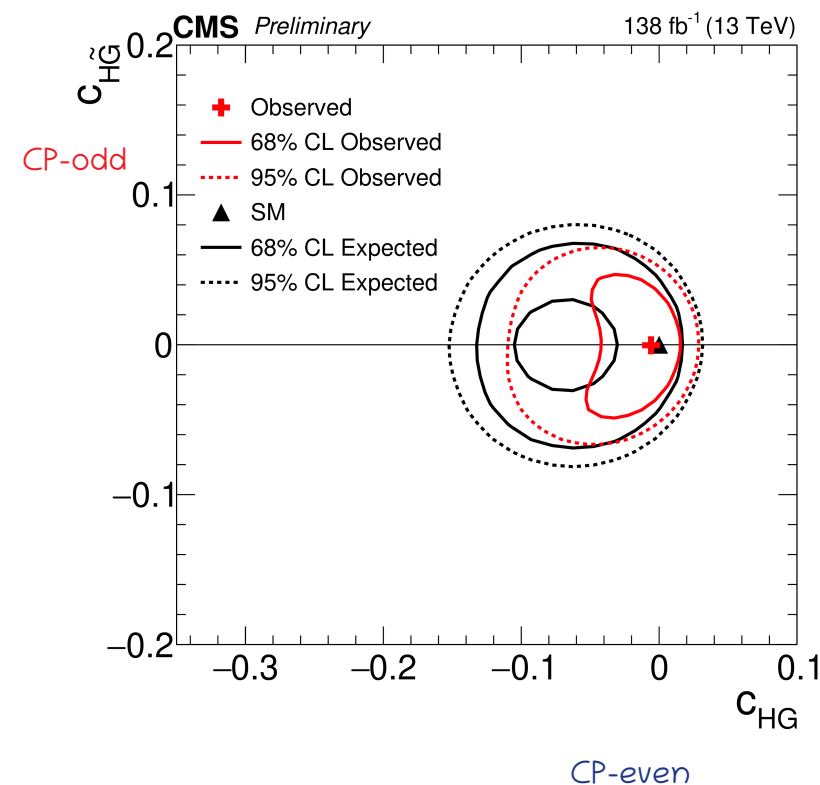
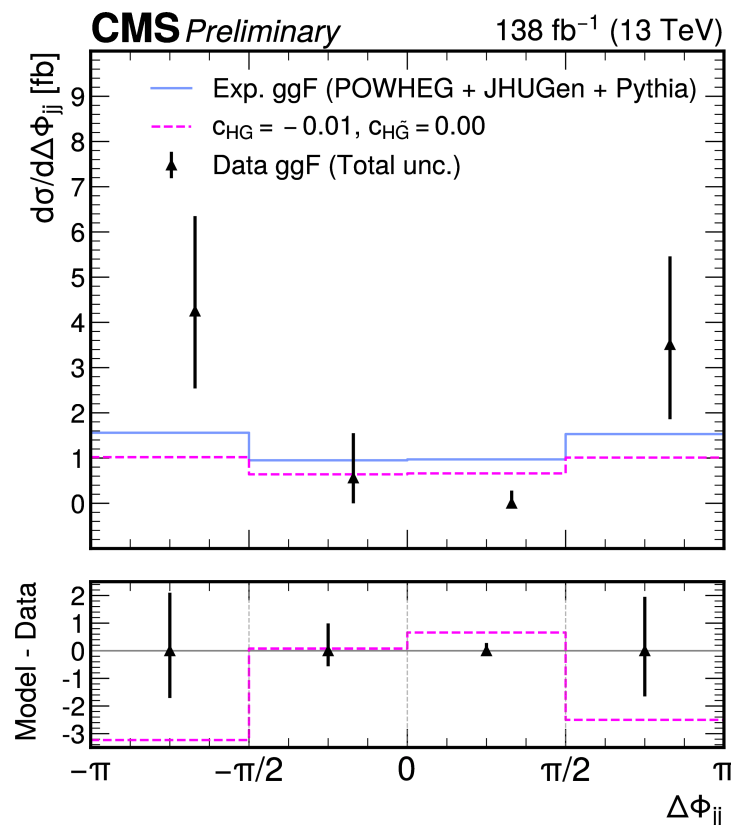
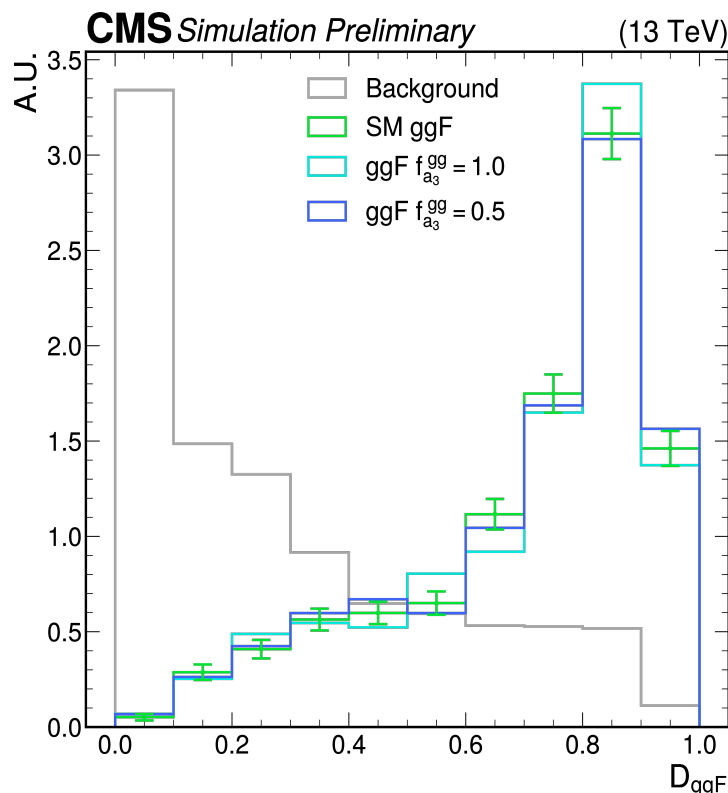
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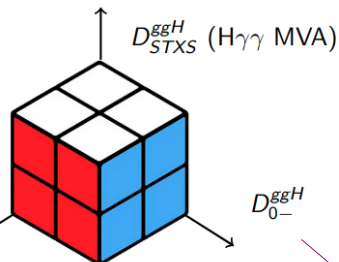
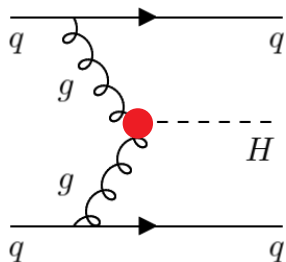
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Physics Briefing



More details in talk by F. D. Raggi

Higgs-to-gluon coupling in production is probed in **H+2 jets** events

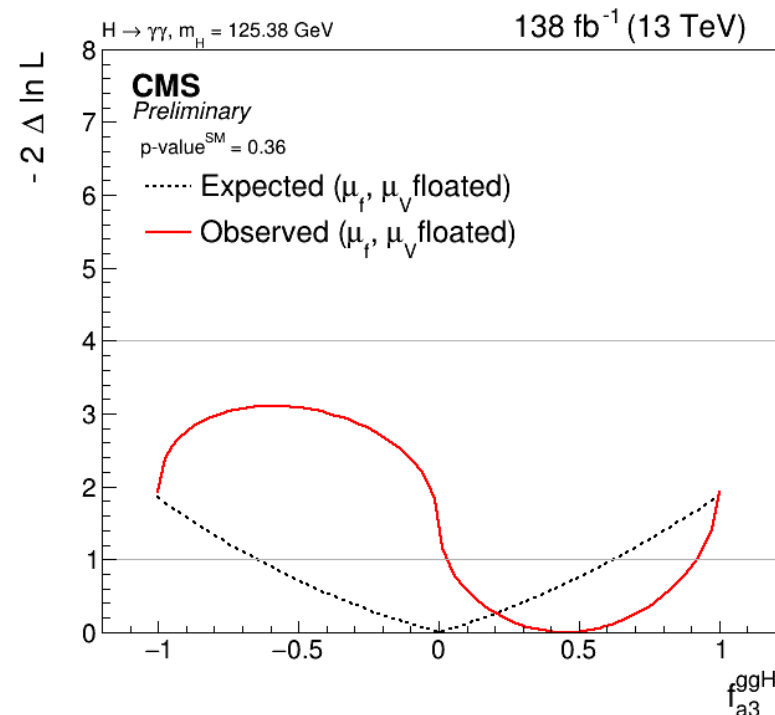
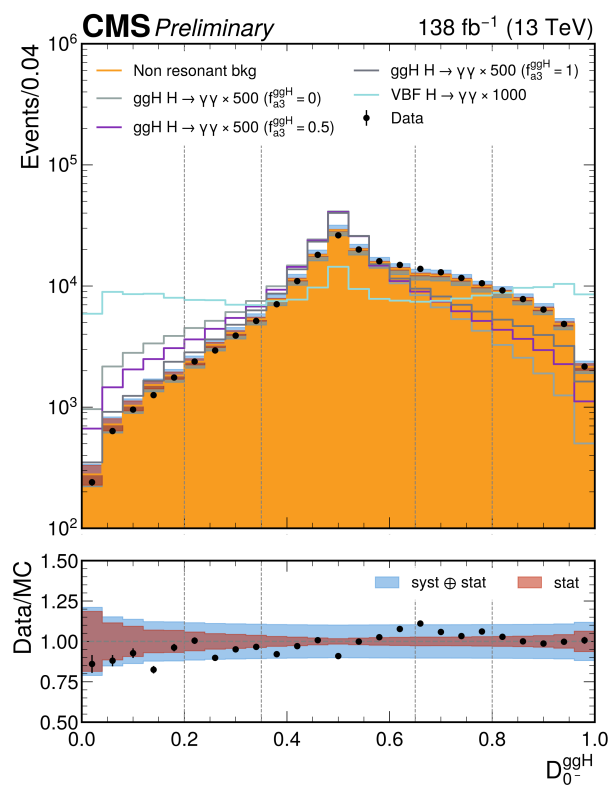
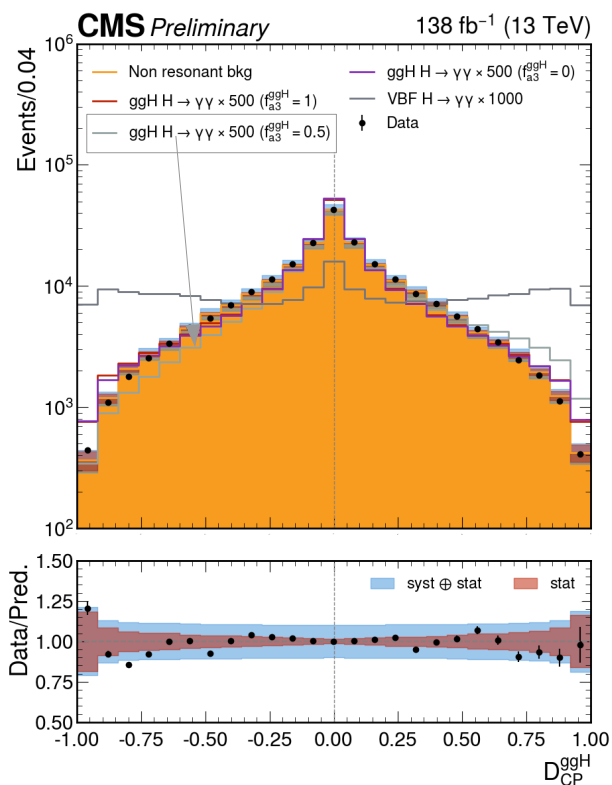


Categorization in 3D space

30 categories for analysis of H-g coupling

SM-BSM interference

Pure BSM



$$f_{a3}^{ggH} = \frac{|a_3^{gg}|^2}{|a_2^{gg}|^2 + |a_3^{gg}|^2} \text{sgn} \left(\frac{a_3^{gg}}{a_2^{gg}} \right)$$

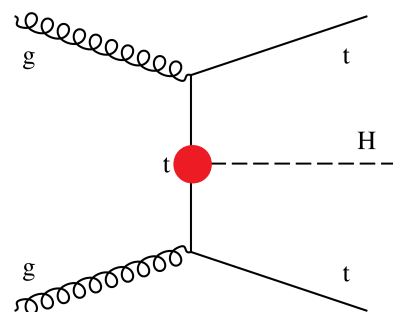
Anomalous Higgs to top coupling

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Higgs coupling to fermions

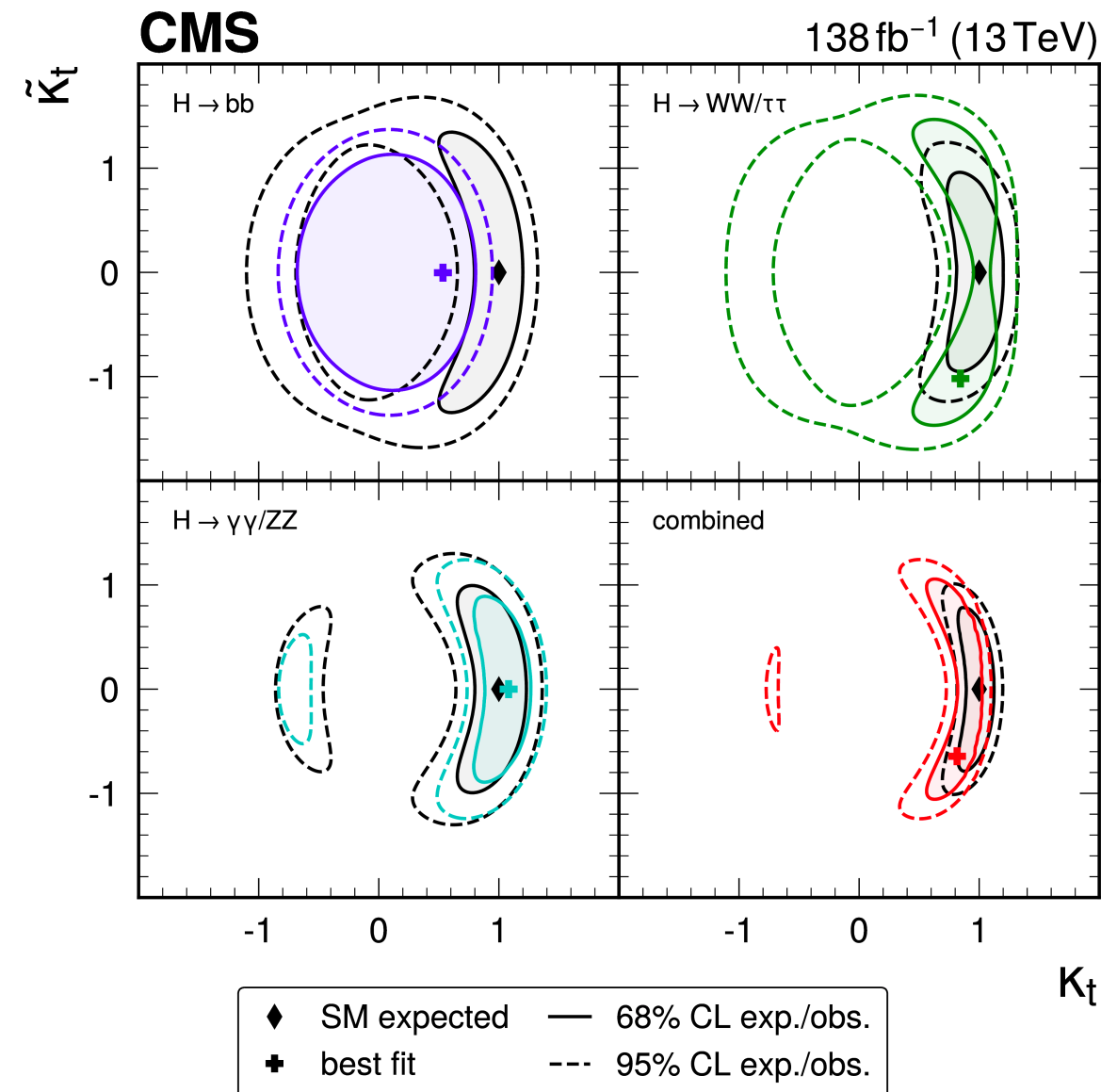
$$\mathcal{A}(Hff) = -\frac{m_f}{v} \bar{\psi}_f \left(\boxed{\kappa_f} + i \boxed{\tilde{\kappa}_f} \gamma_5 \right) \psi_f$$

CP-even CP-odd



CP structure of t-H coupling is probed using ttH & tH measurements

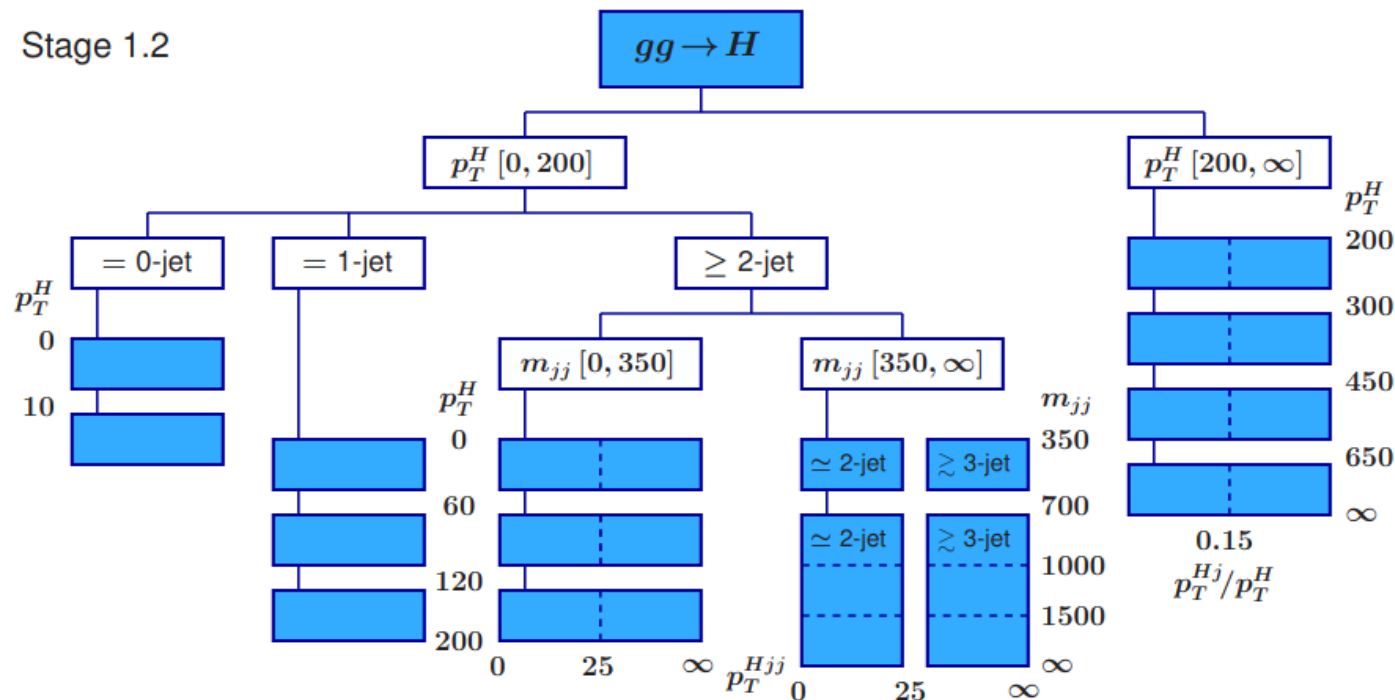
- Combination performed across multiple analyses:
 $H \rightarrow b\bar{b}$ / $H \rightarrow WW^*/\tau\tau$ (multilepton) / $H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ / $H \rightarrow ZZ^* \rightarrow 4 \text{ lepton}$
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 (5 σ expected)



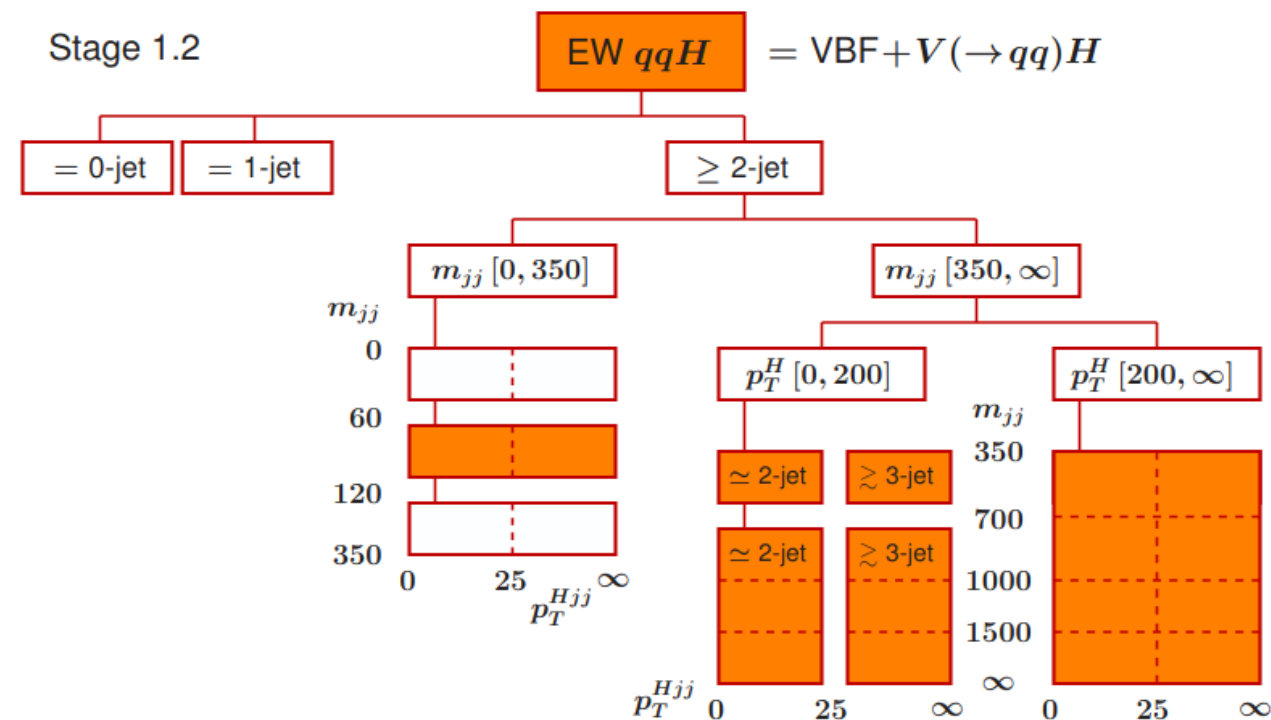
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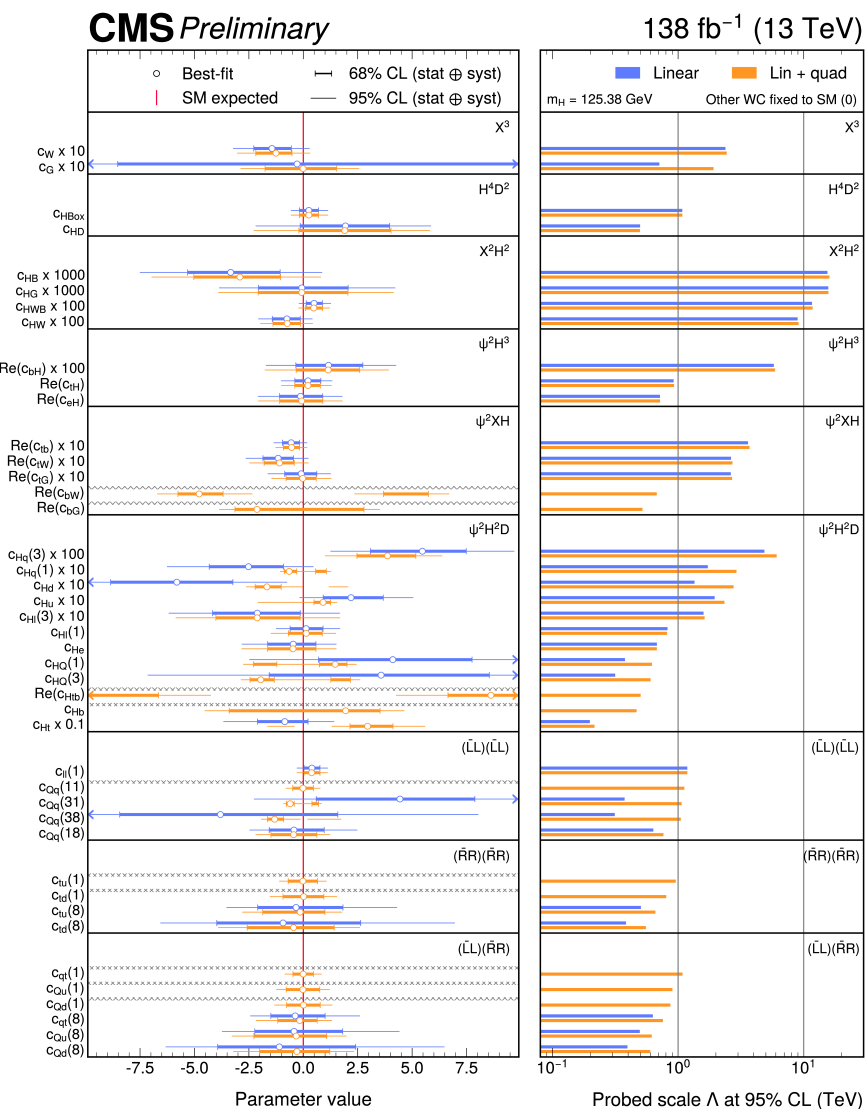
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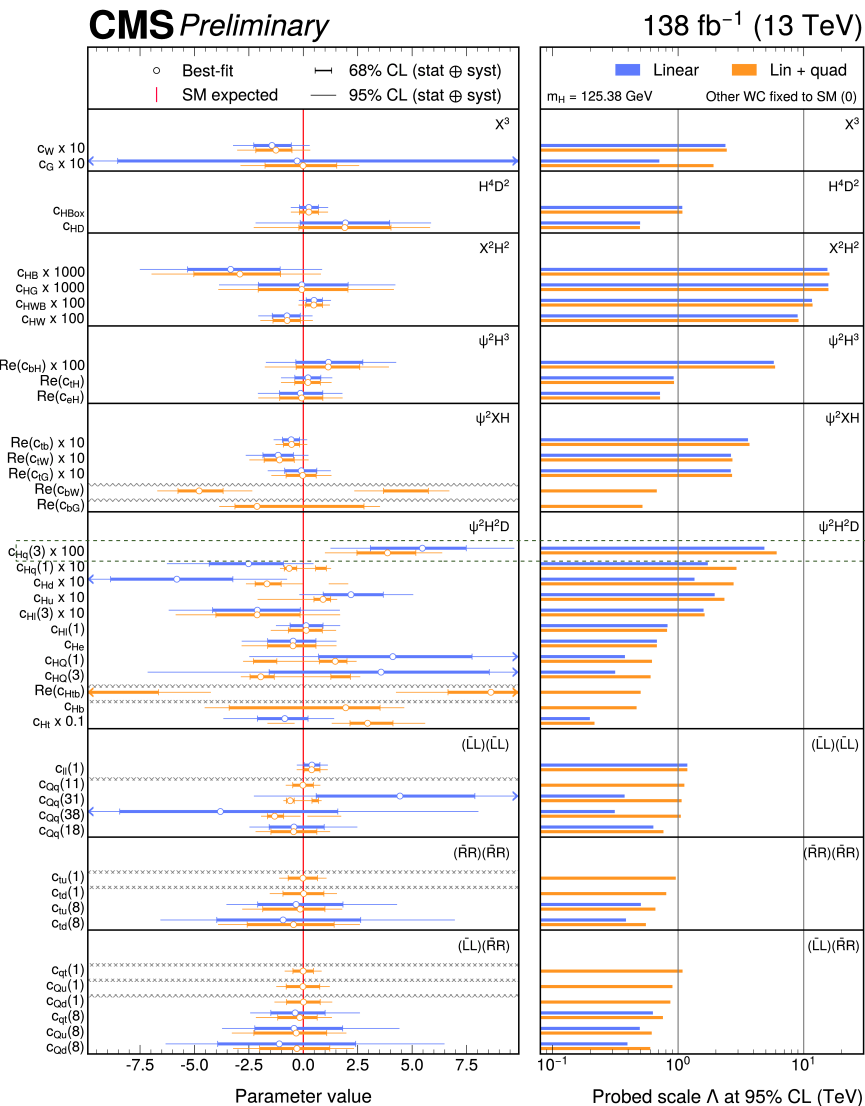
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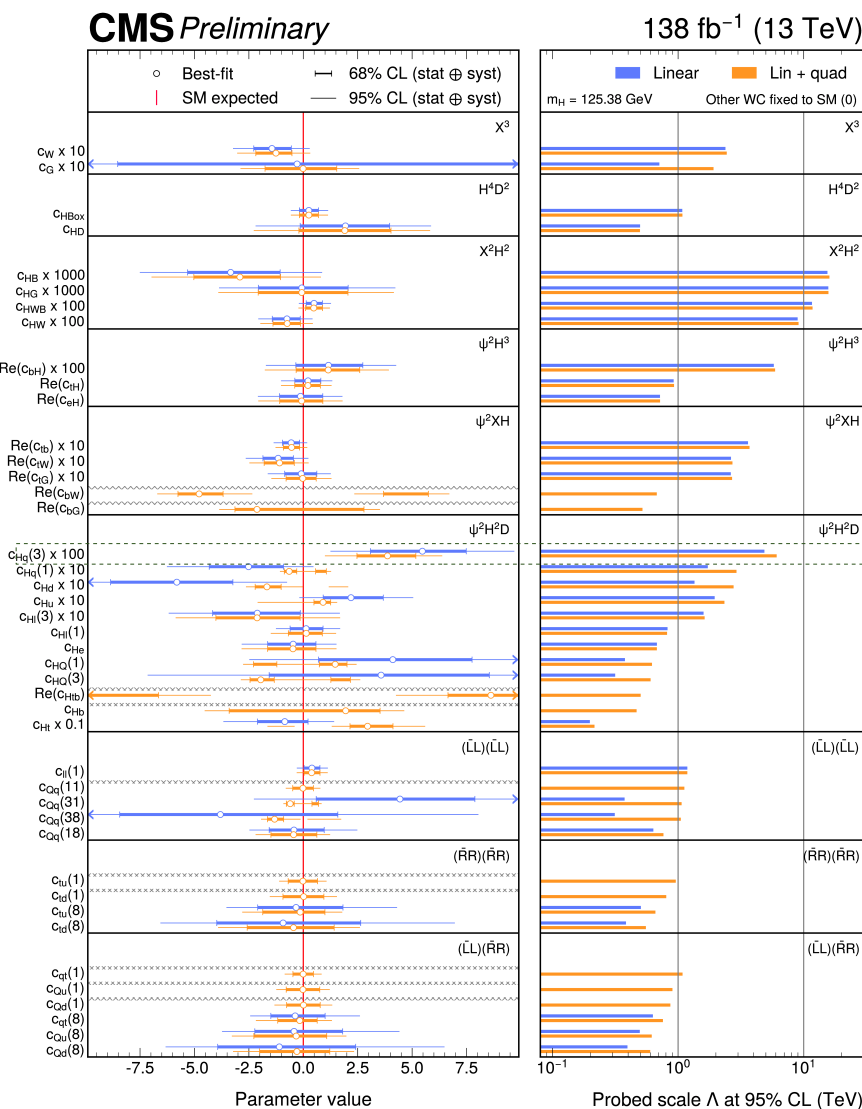


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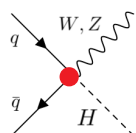
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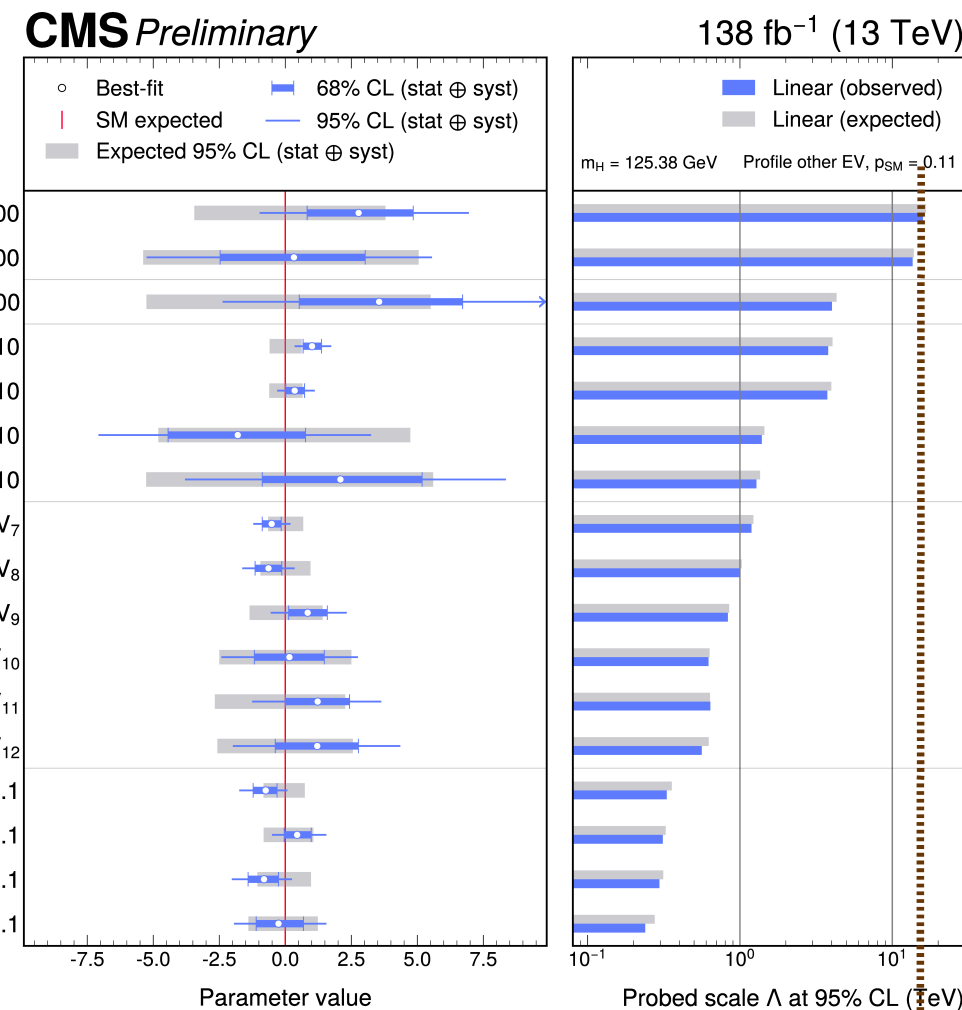
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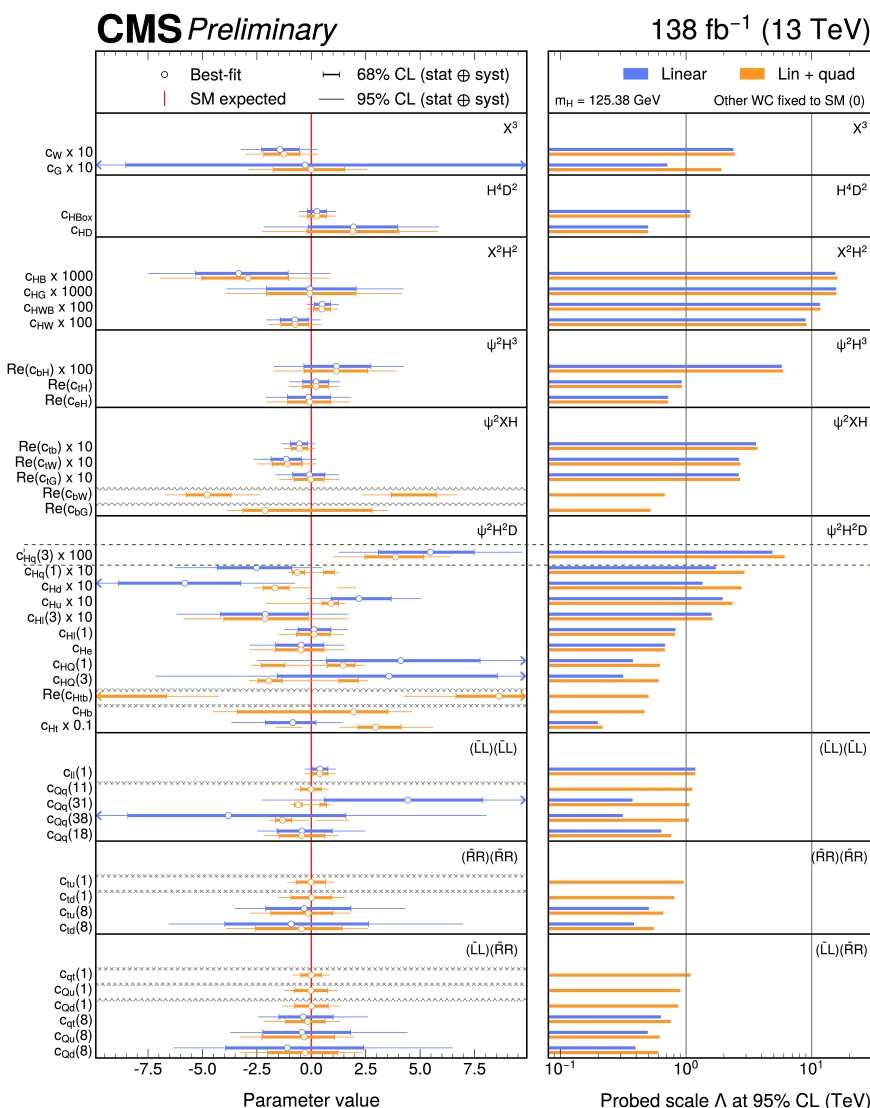


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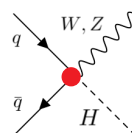
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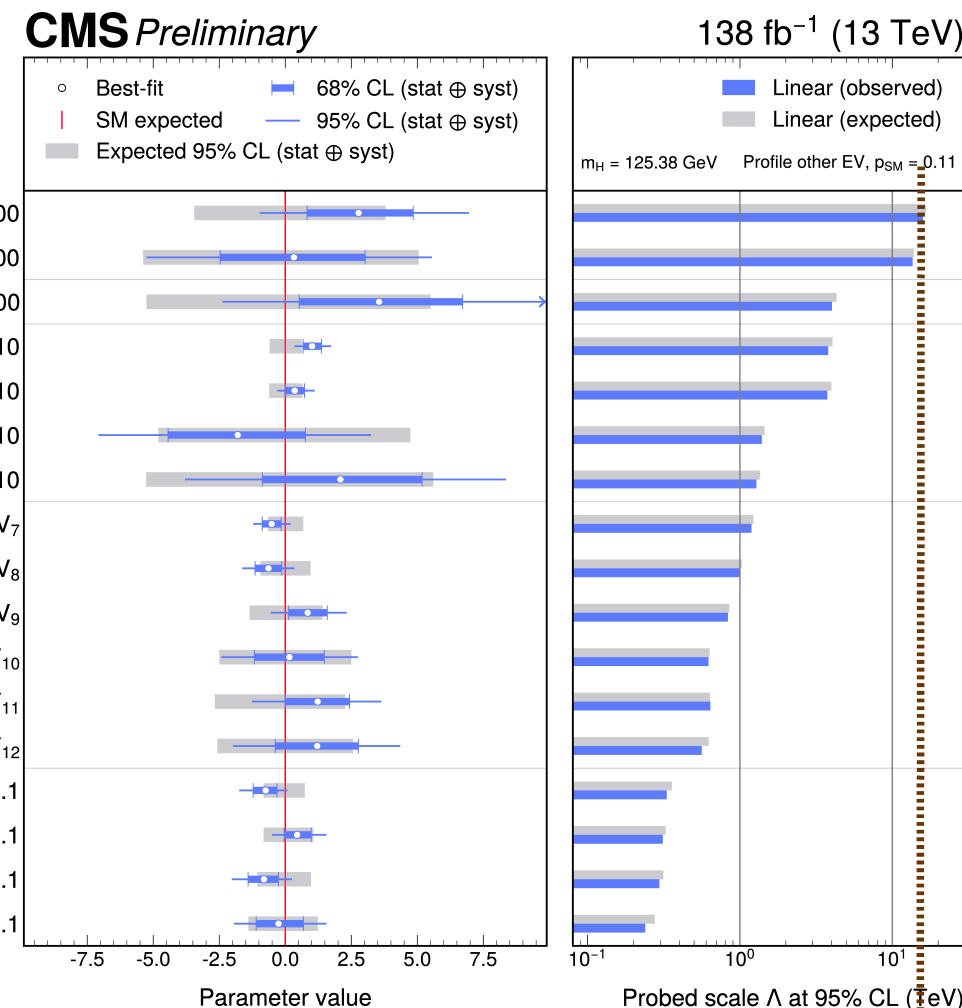


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Compatibility with SM:
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~20 TeV

Higgs+Top+EWK+Multijet combination

arXiv: 2504.02958

Combination of performed across CMS measurements

→ spanning a variety of processes

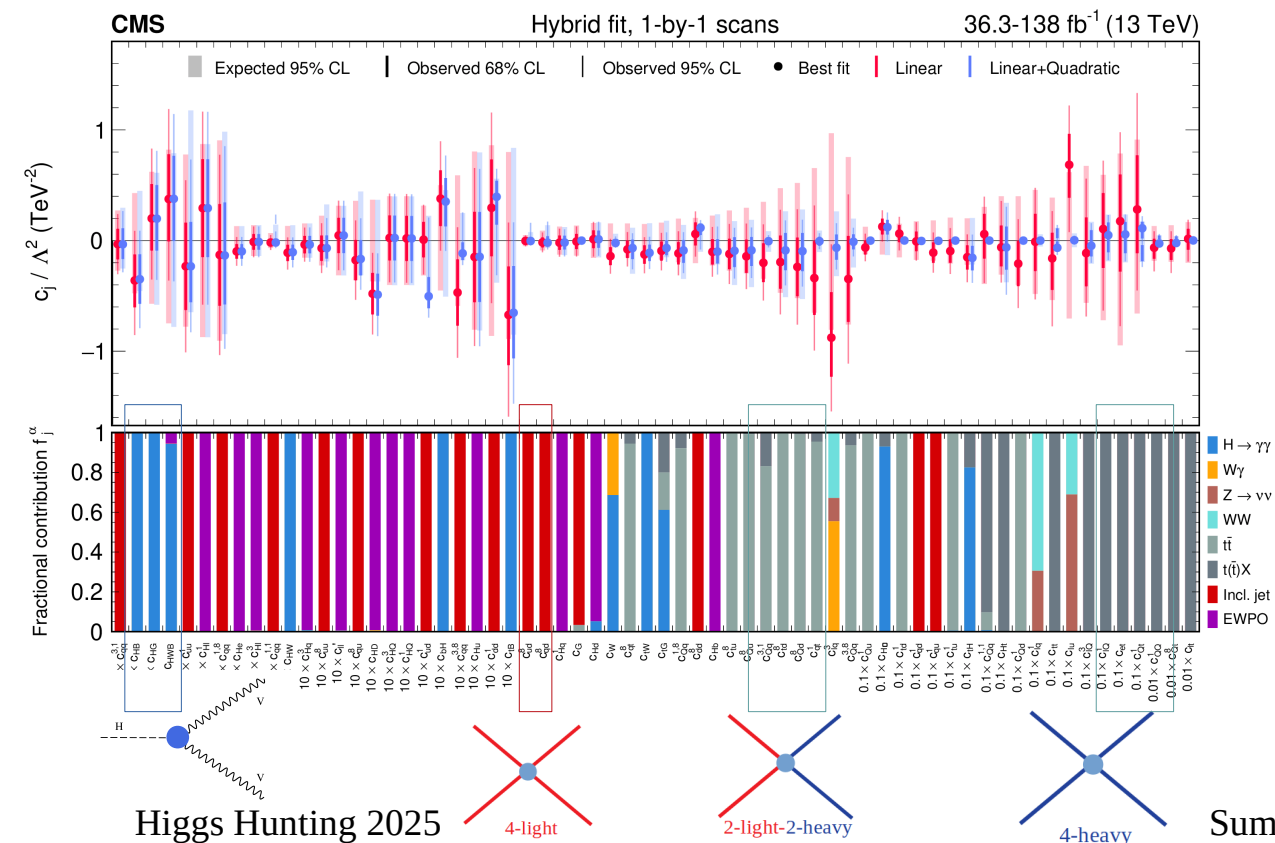
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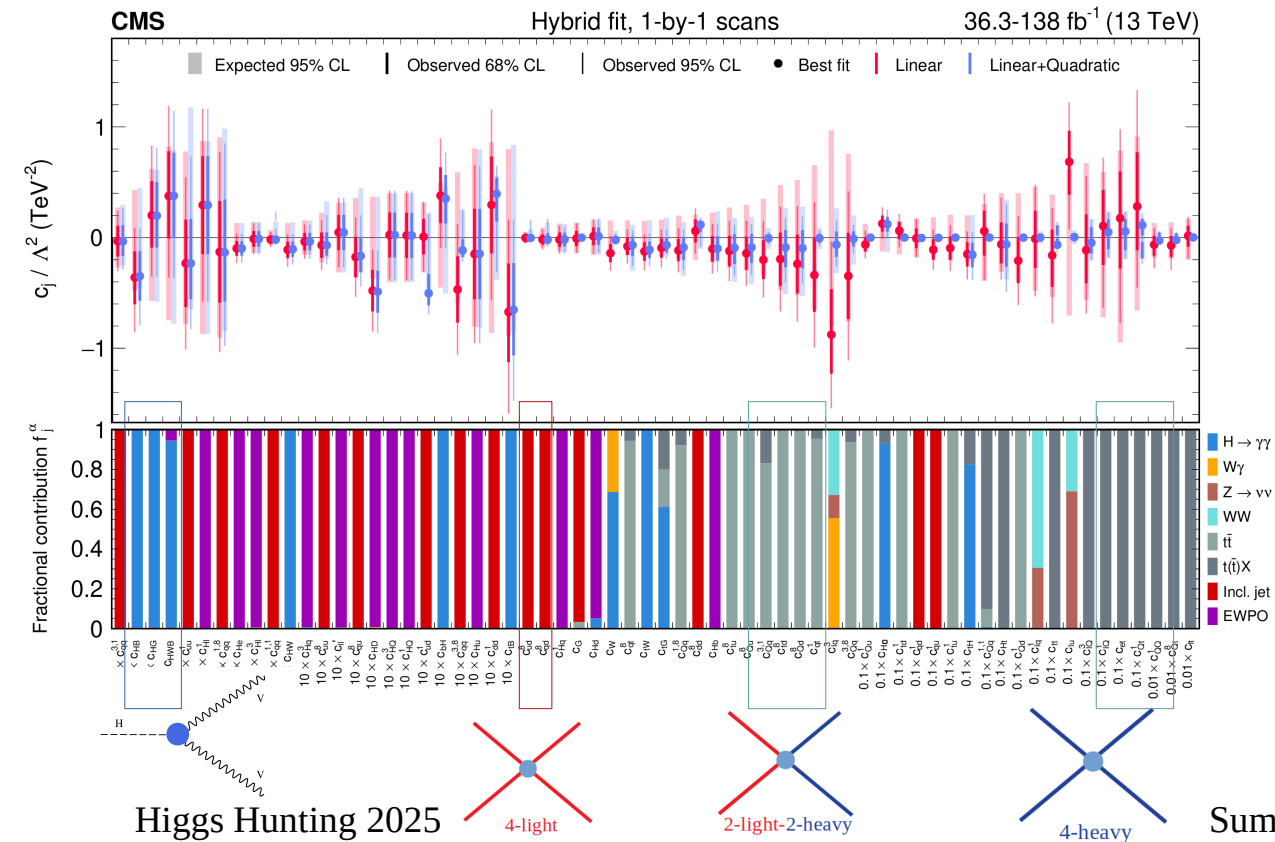
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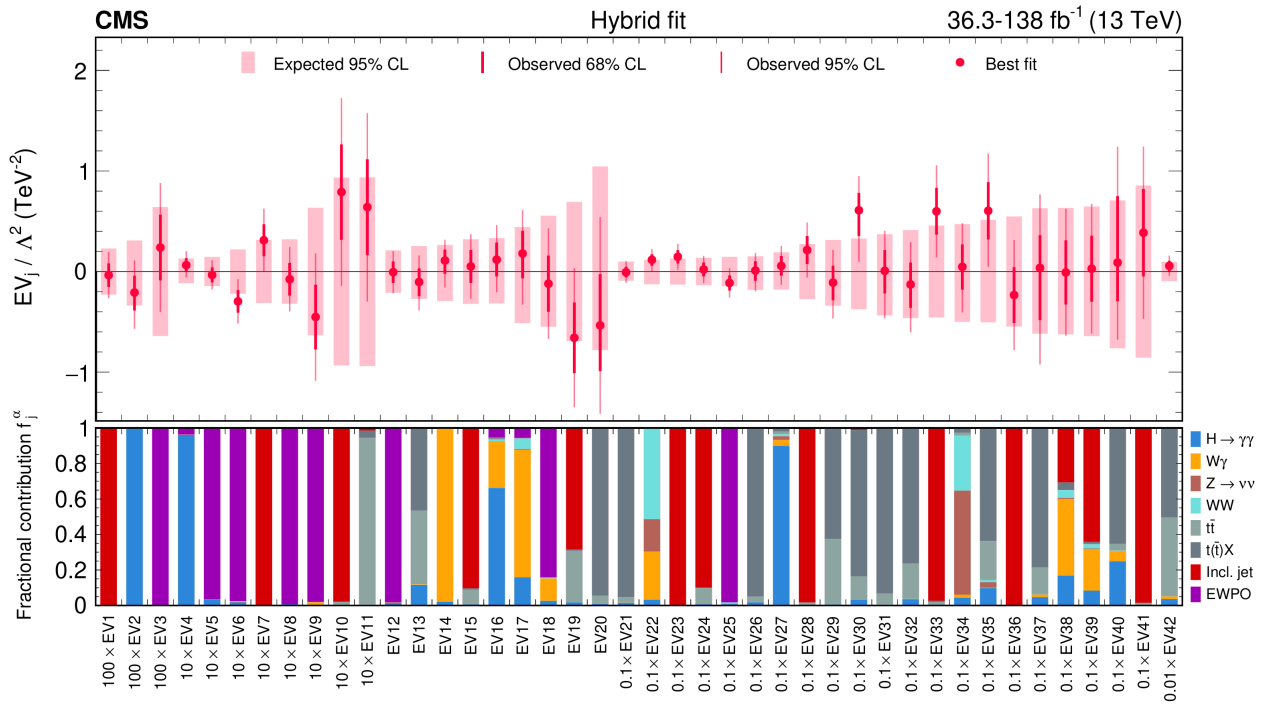
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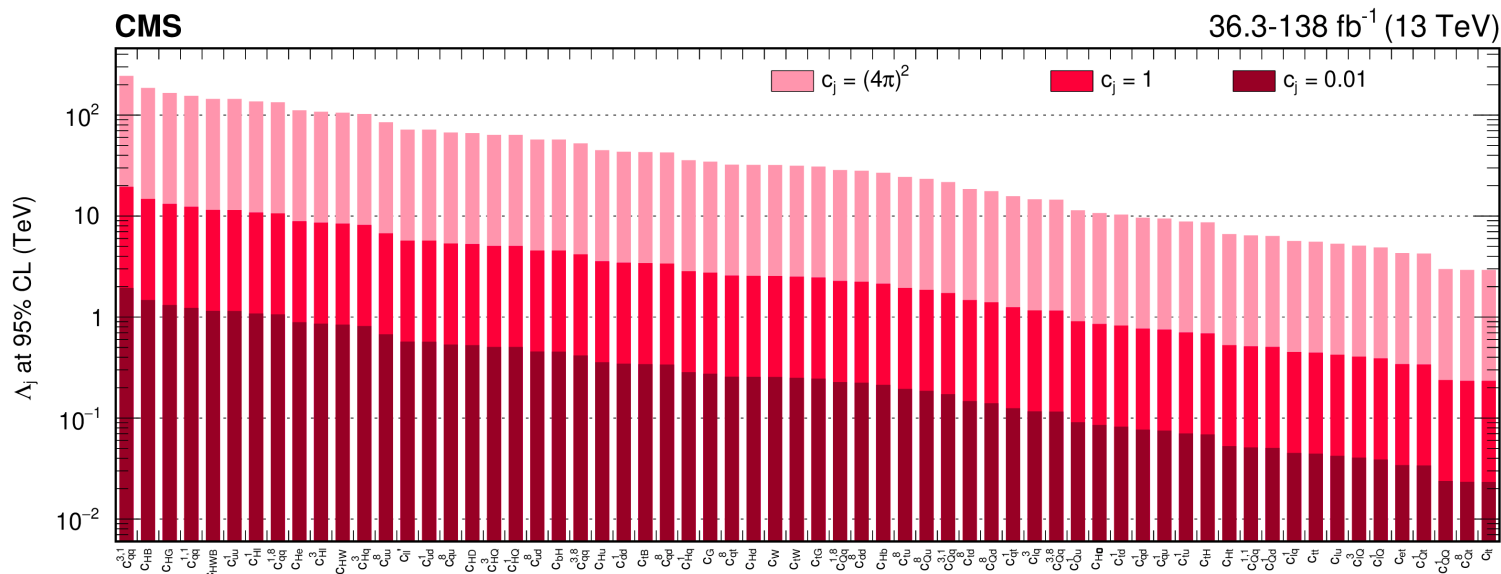


Compatibility with SM: p-value ~ 1.7% varying all EVs together

26% w/o inclusive jet measurements

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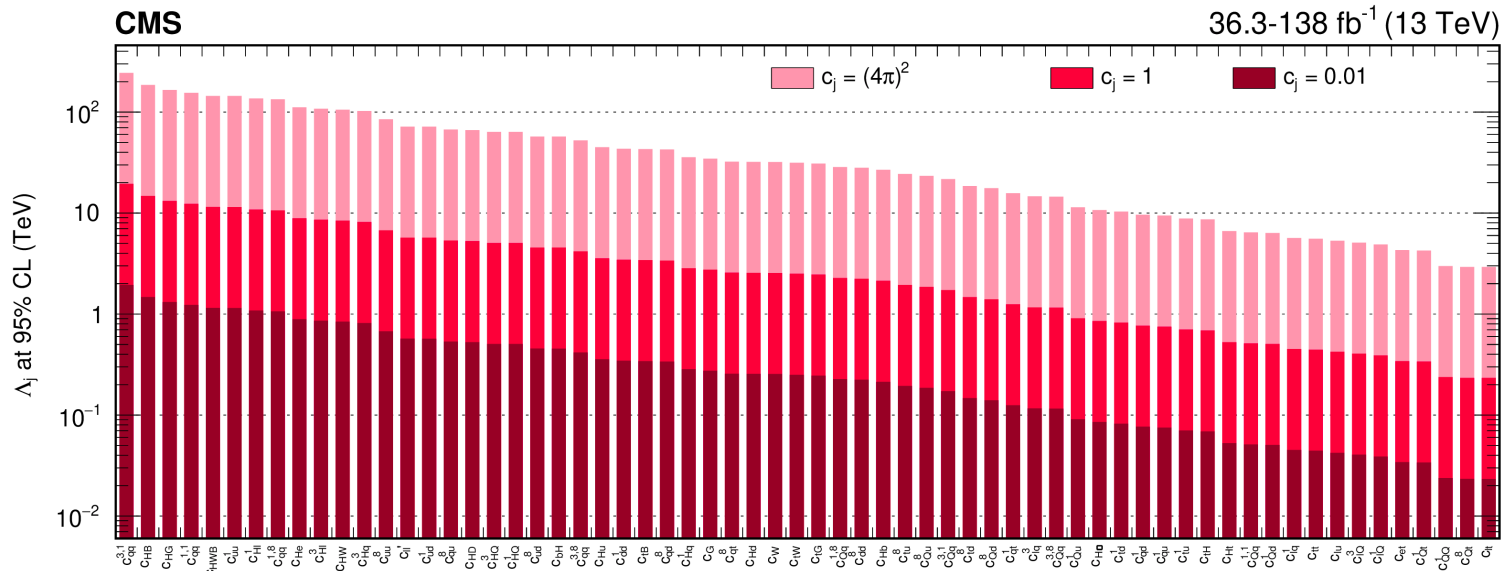
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Extra Material

Precision era



LHC Run 1: Higgs boson discovery era

Run (1+)2, 3: Precision measurements of Higgs boson

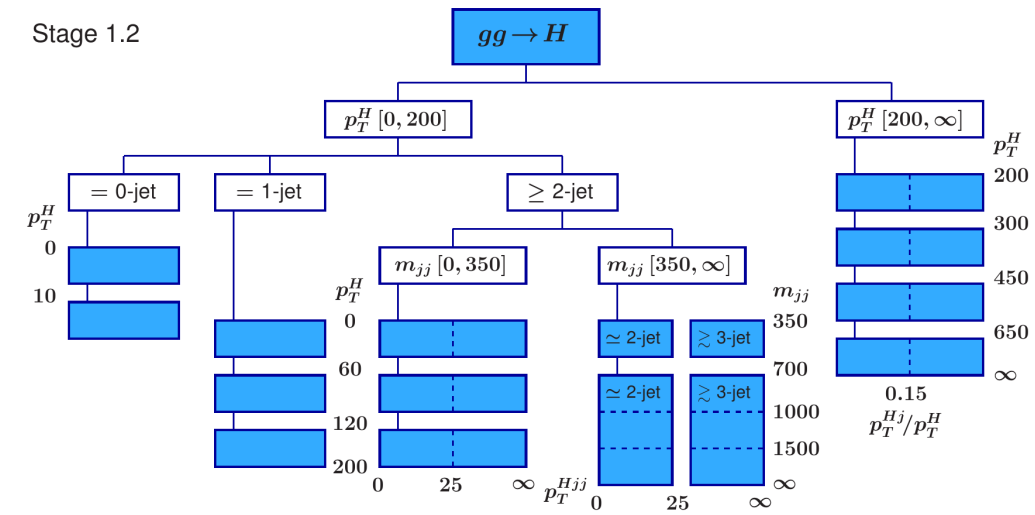
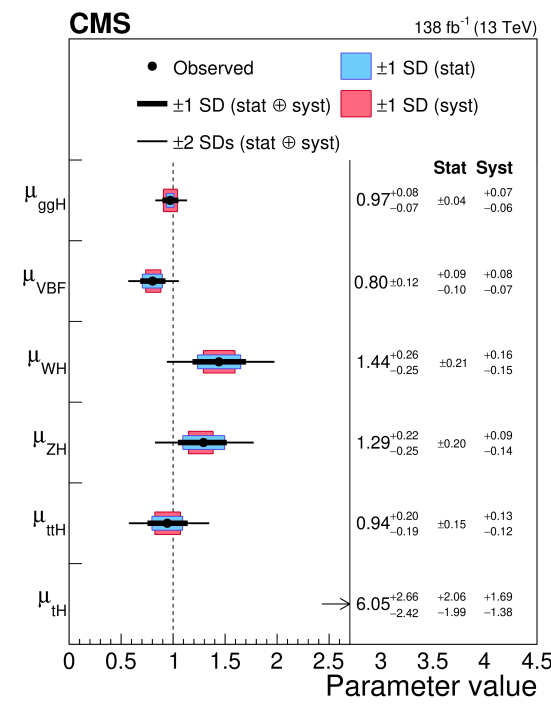
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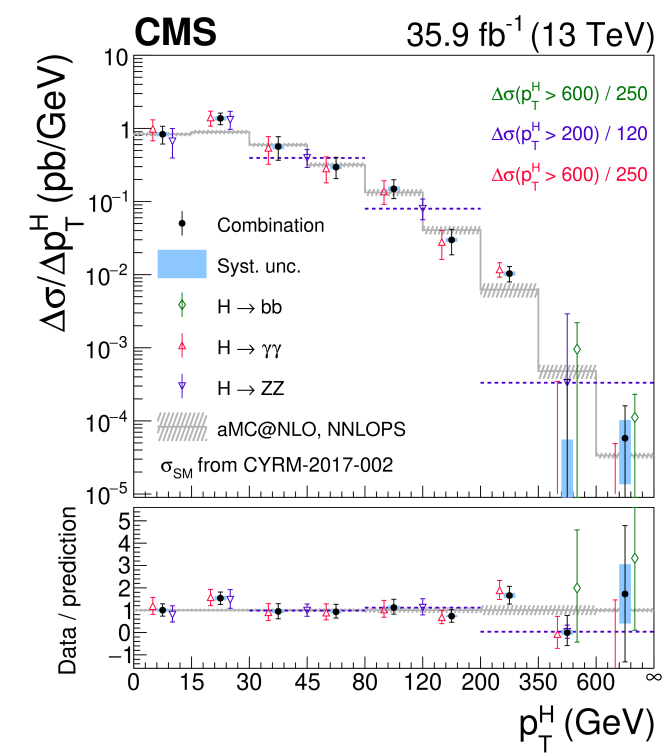
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Differential distributions (fiducial phase space)

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Model independence

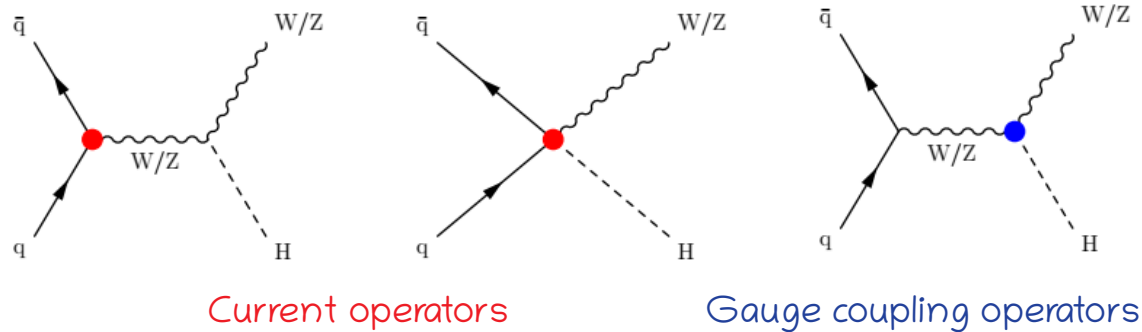


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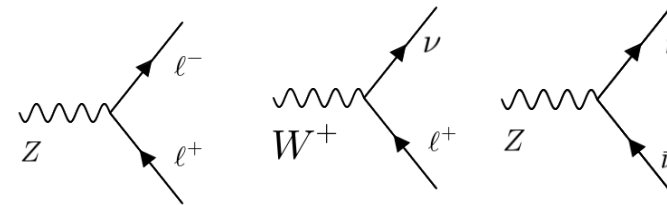
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SMEFT analysis in $V(\rightarrow \text{leptons}) H(\rightarrow b\bar{b})$

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3 final states



2 topologies



- Likelihood-free inference** approach to construct optimal observables

Brehmer, Cranmer, Louppe, Pavez (2018)

Likelihood ratio between two EFT hypotheses $\rightarrow$ learned by regressing on joint likelihood ratio

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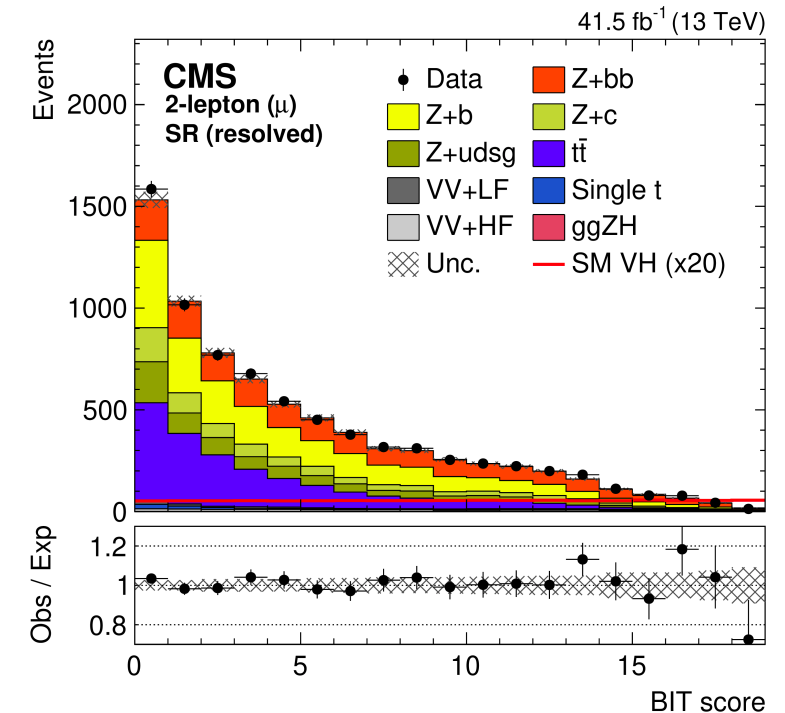
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$$p(\mathbf{x}|\boldsymbol{\theta}) = \int p(\mathbf{x}|\mathbf{z})p(\mathbf{z}|\boldsymbol{\theta})d\mathbf{z} \quad \mathbf{x} \leftarrow \text{observable @detector level} \quad \mathbf{z} \leftarrow \text{observable @parton level}$$

- Boosted information tree (BIT)** SC, N. Frohner, L. Lechner, R. Schoefbeck, D. Schwarz (2021)

Using decision trees to regress on learn likelihood ratio terms

$$R(\mathbf{x}|\boldsymbol{\theta}_1, \boldsymbol{\theta}_0) = 1 + (\theta_1 - \theta_0)_a R_a(\mathbf{x}) + \frac{1}{2}(\theta_1 - \theta_0)_a(\theta_1 - \theta_0)_b R_{a,b}(\mathbf{x})$$



Binned template used for signal extraction
 $\rightarrow$ optimized to extract 6 Wilson coefficients simultaneously

SMEFT analysis in $V(\rightarrow \text{leptons}) H(\rightarrow b\bar{b})$: Results

- 1- & 2-dimensional constraints reported on Wilson coefficients in Warsaw basis

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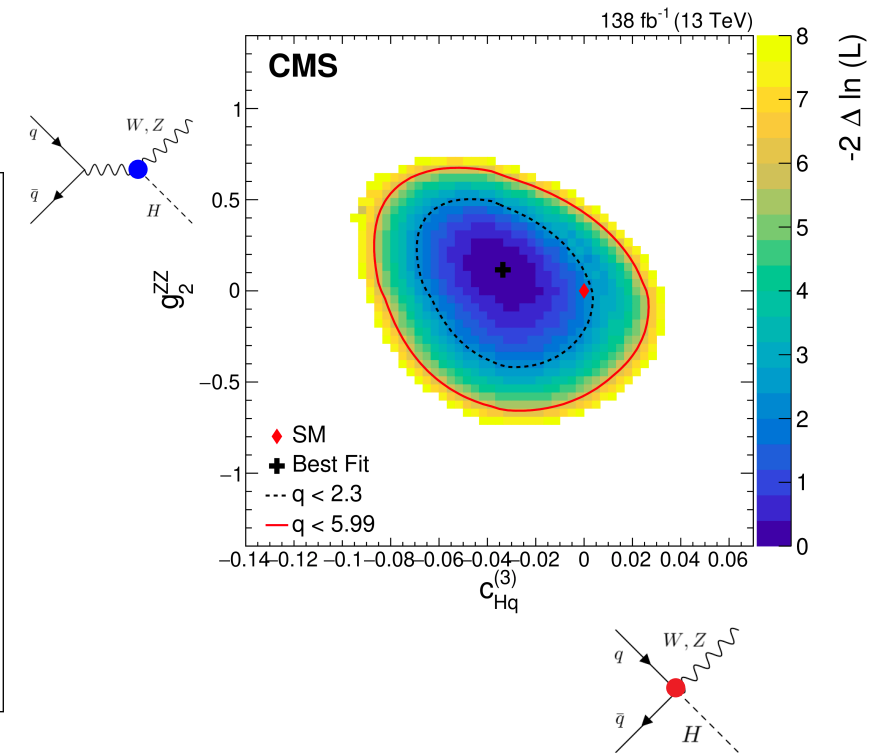
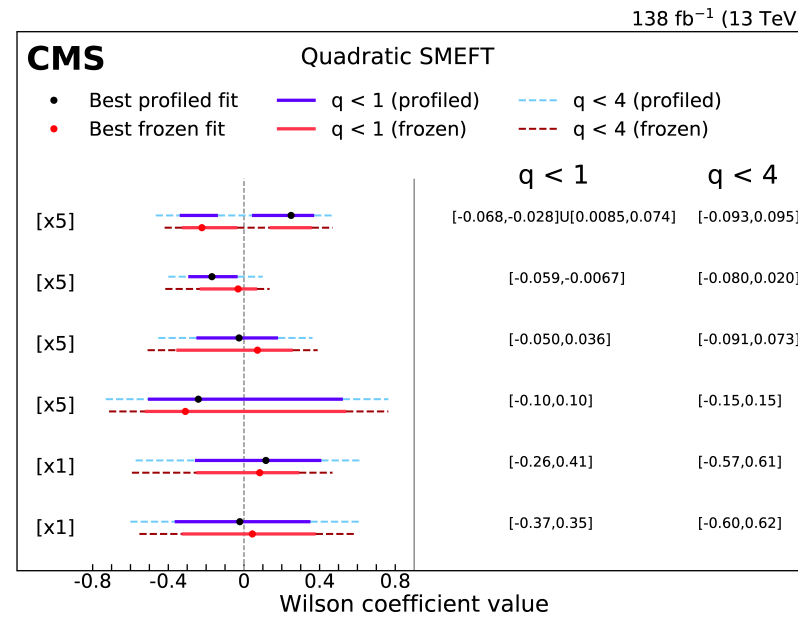
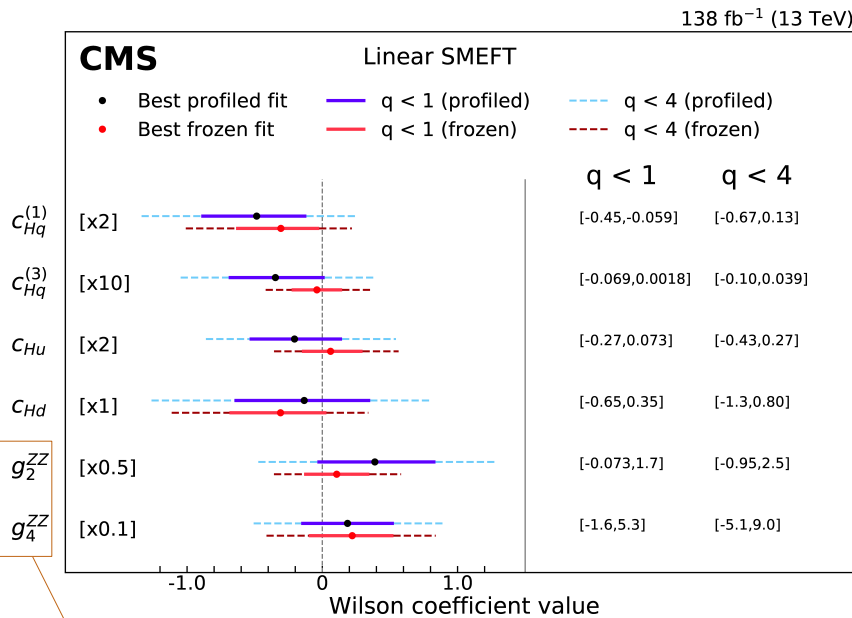
$$\sigma \sim |\mathcal{M}_{\text{SMEFT}}|^2$$

$$\sim |\mathcal{M}_{\text{SM}}|^2 + \sum_i \frac{c_i}{\Lambda^2} 2\text{Re}(\mathcal{M}_{\text{SM}}^\dagger \mathcal{M}_{6,i}) + \sum_i \frac{c_i^2}{\Lambda^4} |\mathcal{M}_{6,i}|^2 + \sum_i \sum_{j,j>i} \frac{c_i c_j}{\Lambda^4} \mathcal{M}_{6,i} \mathcal{M}_{6,j}$$

$$\Lambda = 1 \text{ TeV}$$

p-value = 73%

p-value = 84%

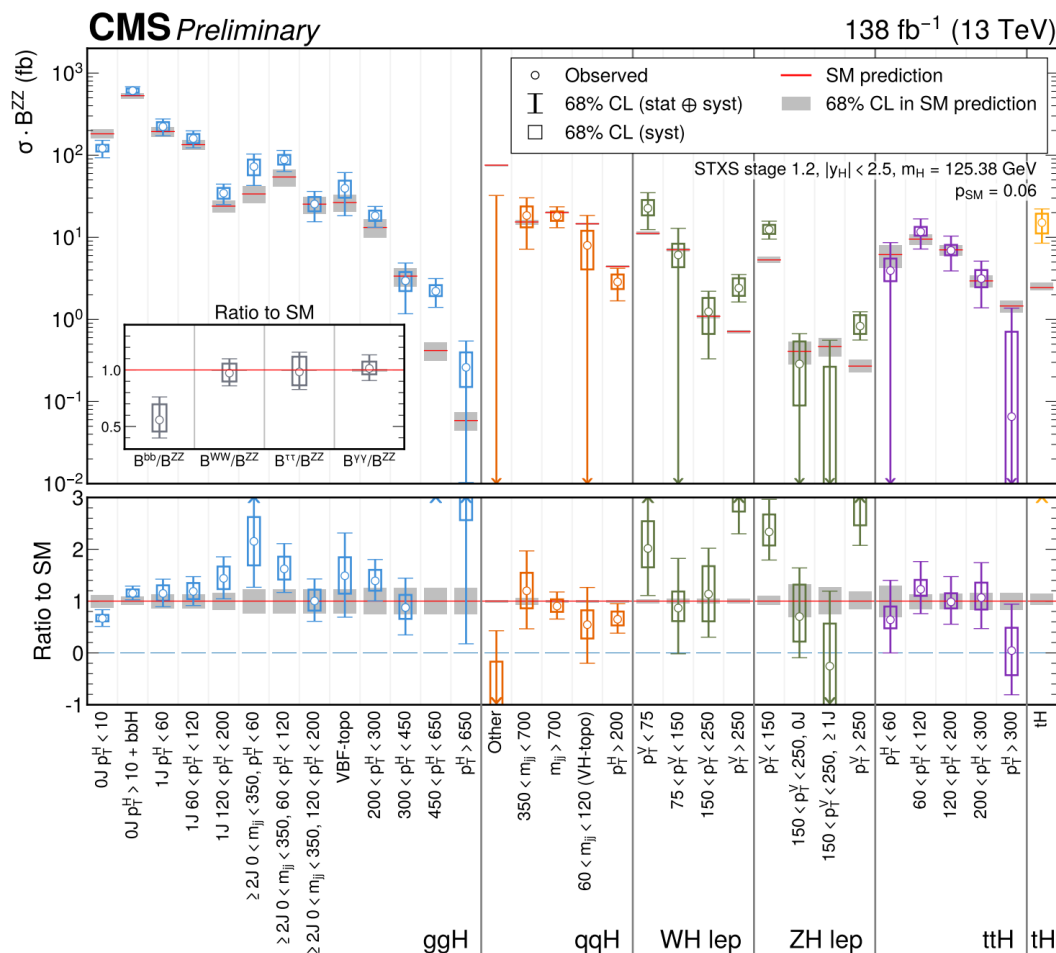


Rotation to mass-eigenstate basis

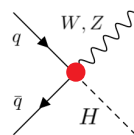
$$g_2^{ZZ} = -2 \frac{v^2}{\Lambda^2} (s_w^2 c_{HB} + c_w^2 c_{HW} + s_w c_w c_{HWB}) \quad g_4^{ZZ} = \tilde{g}_2^{ZZ} = -2 \frac{v^2}{\Lambda^2} (s_w^2 c_{HB} + c_w^2 c_{H\tilde{W}} + s_w c_w c_{H\tilde{W}B})$$

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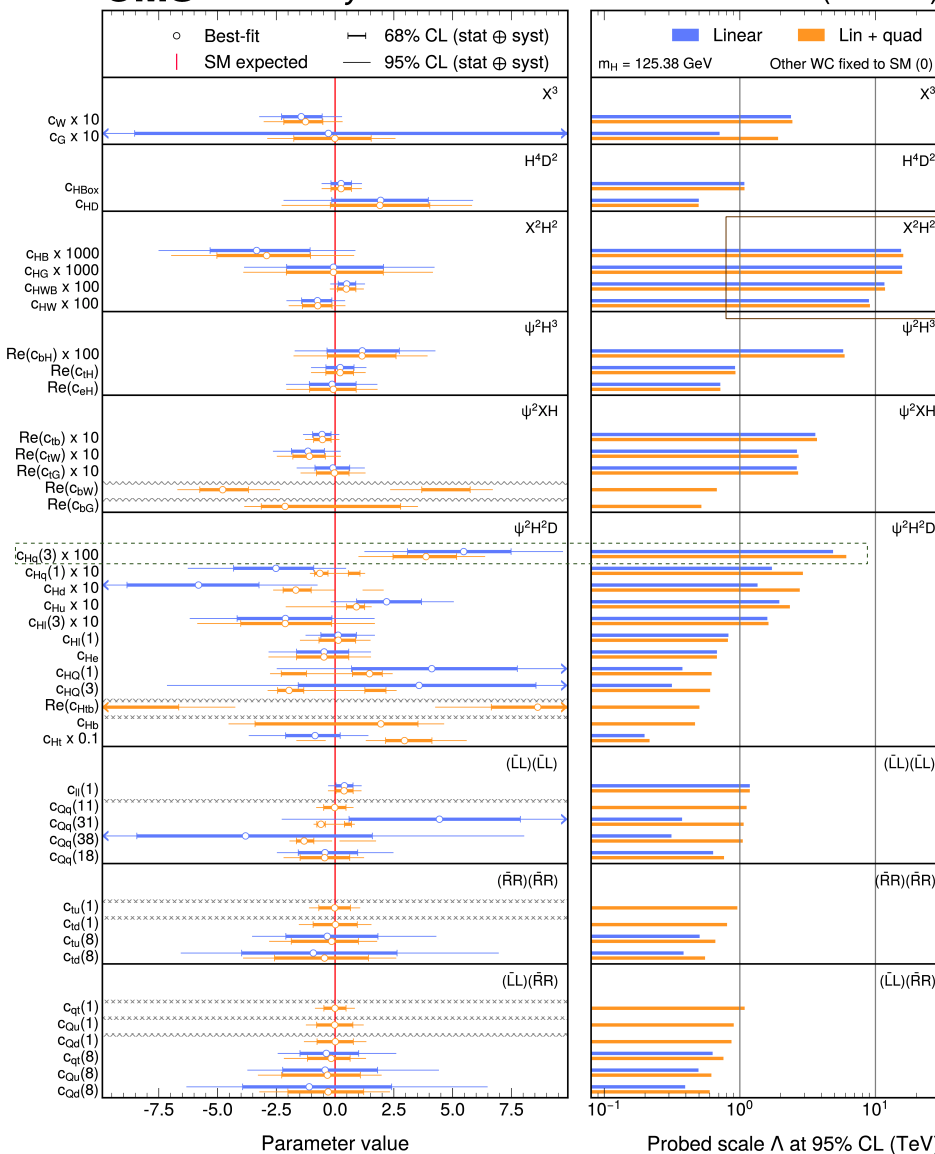
→ interpreted in terms of SMEFT operator coefficients



Largest discrepancy
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CMS Preliminary



Sensitivity
 up to ~20 TeV
 energy scale

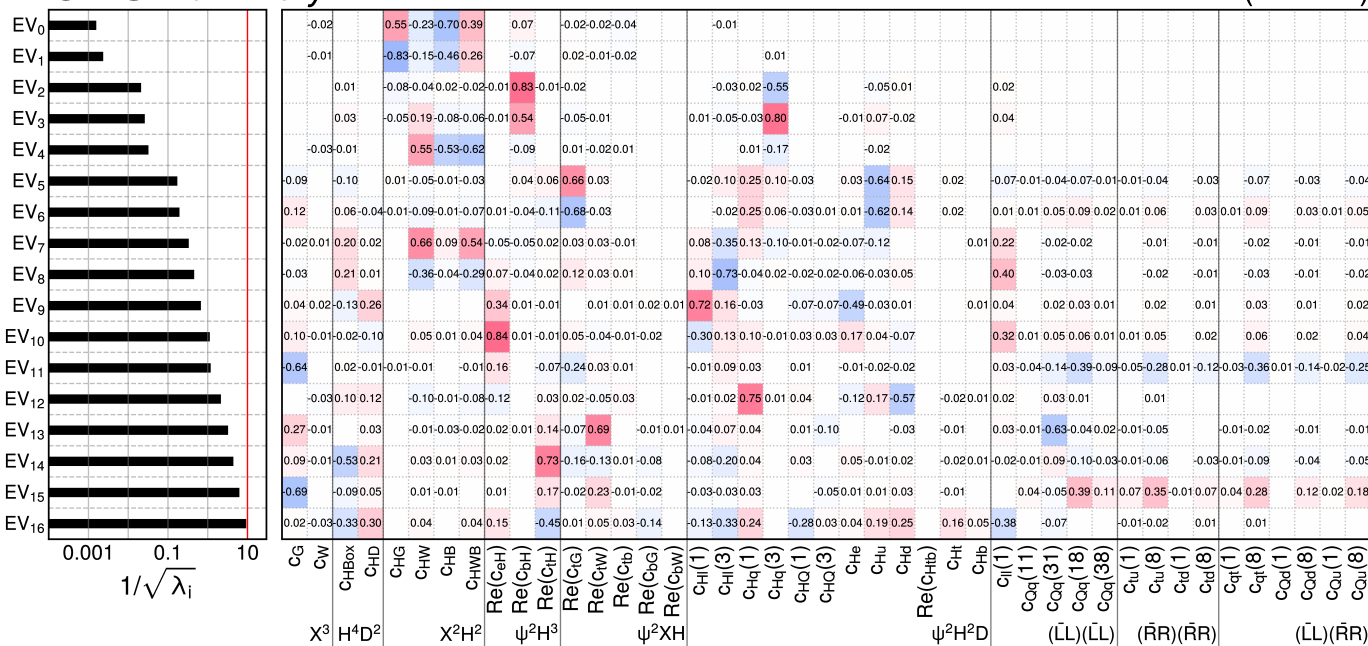
SMEFT parameterization in STXS bins for both H production & decay

Principle component analysis (PCA) performed
for probing multiple operators together → 17 eigen-vectors (EVs) constructed

EVs → linear combinations of Wilson coefficients

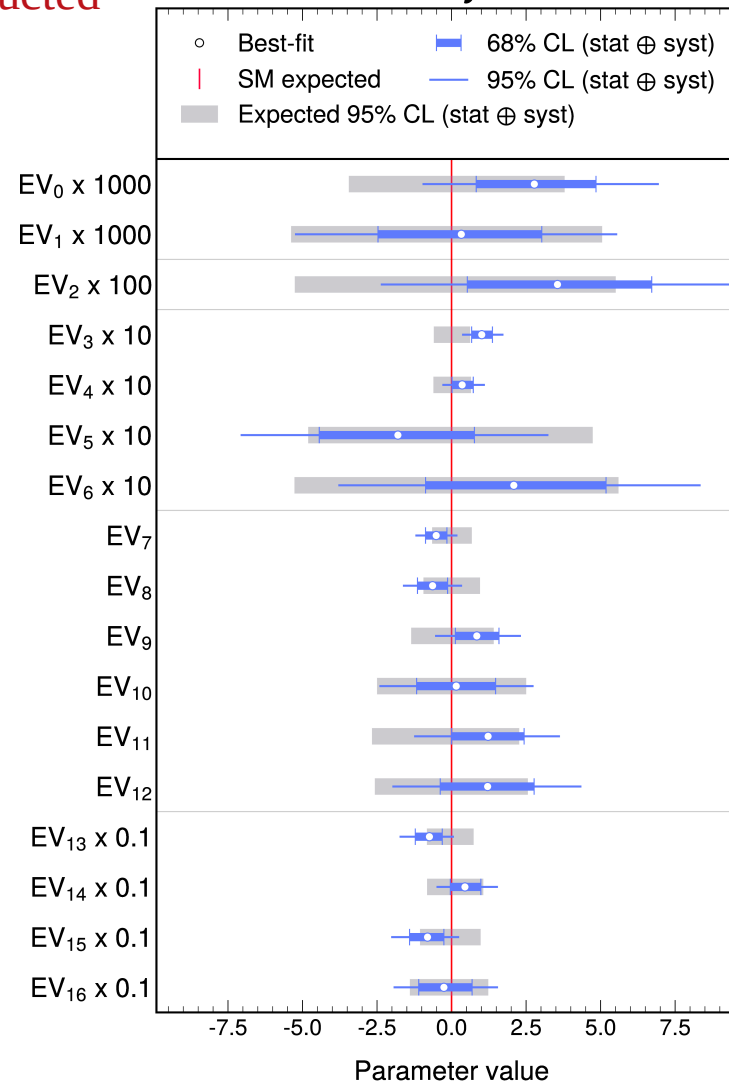
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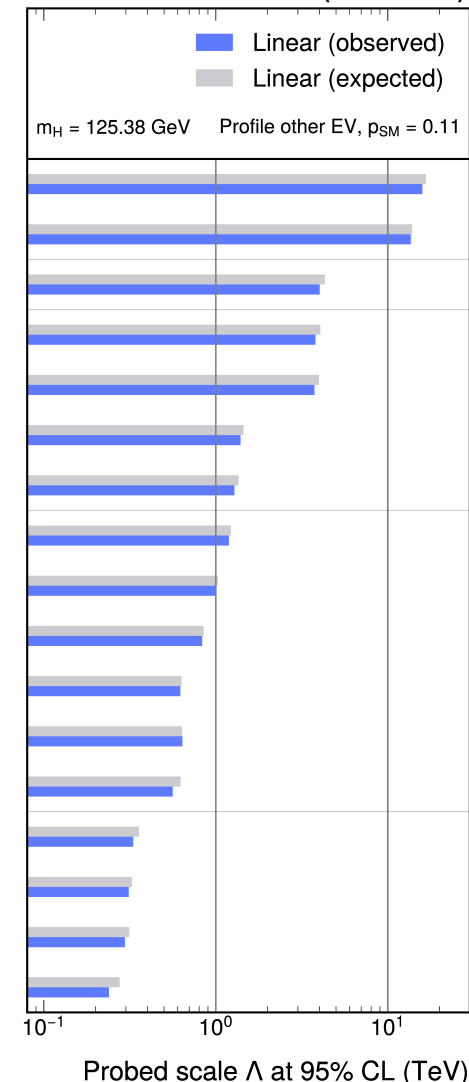


Good compatibility with SM: **p-value ~ 11%** *varying all EVs together*

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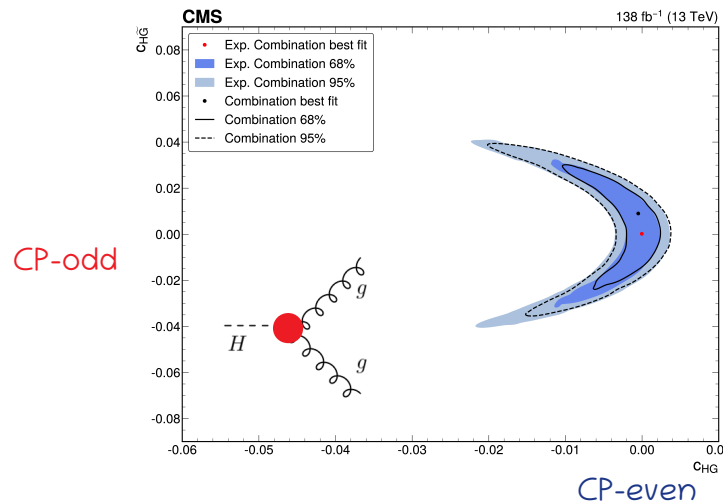
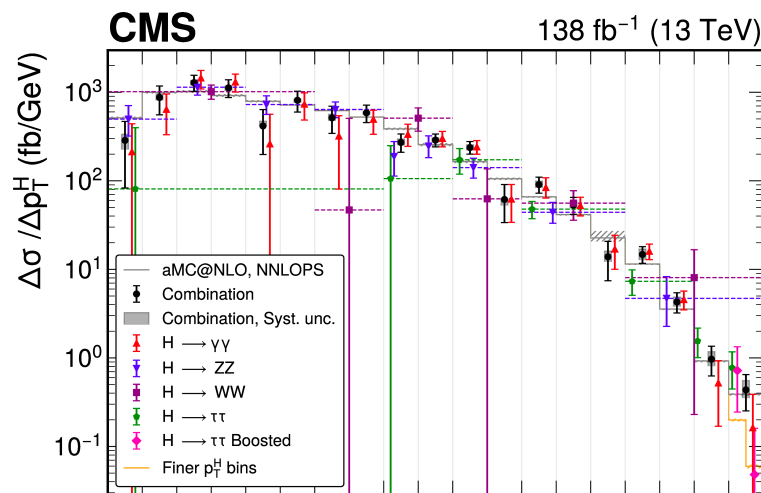


Differential distributions in fiducial phase space combined across H decay modes

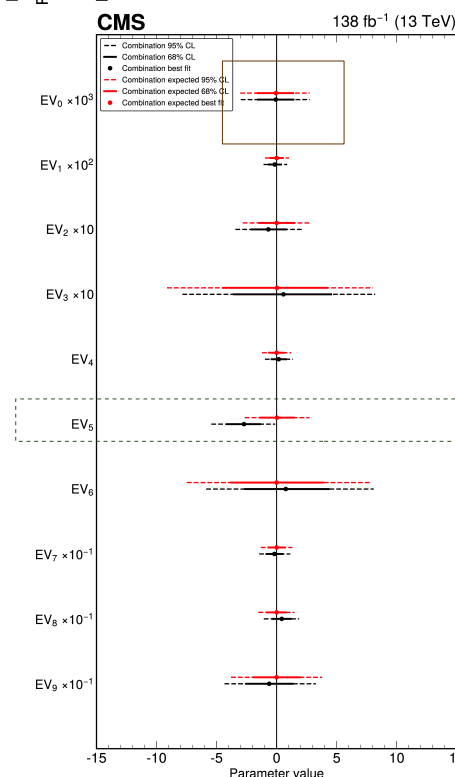
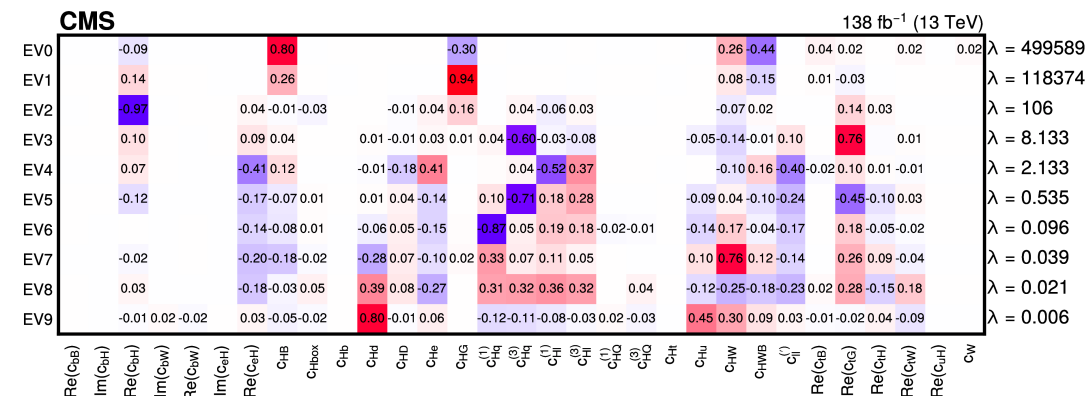
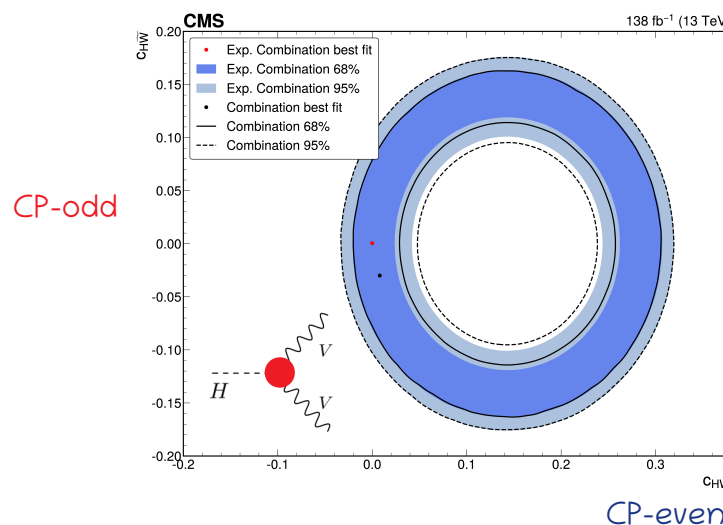
→ Reinterpreted in SMEFT framework

Principle component analysis

→ 10 eigen-vectors (EVs) from 31 Wilson coefficients



Only two coefficients varied in each case



Probing new physics scale up to ~20 TeV

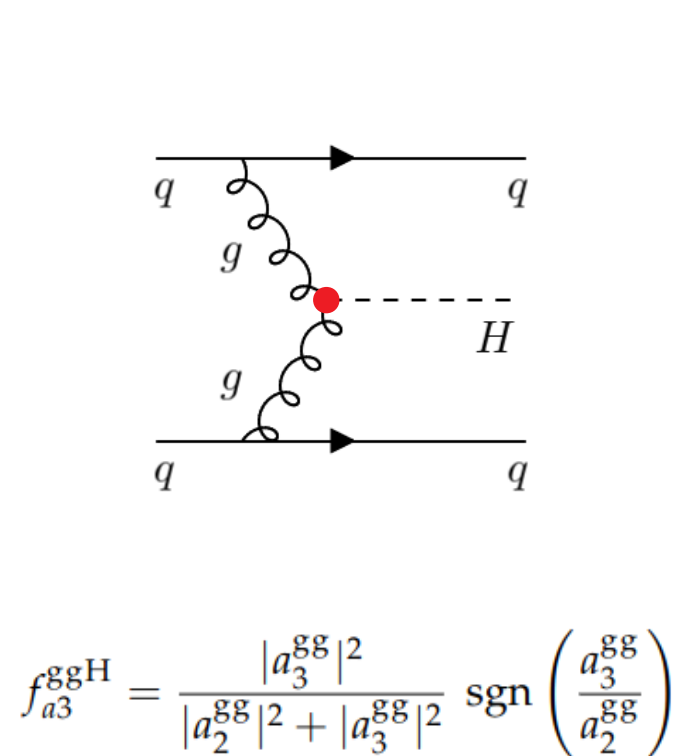
Largest discrepancy $p_{SM} = 3.6\%$

Anomalous Higgs to gluon couplings

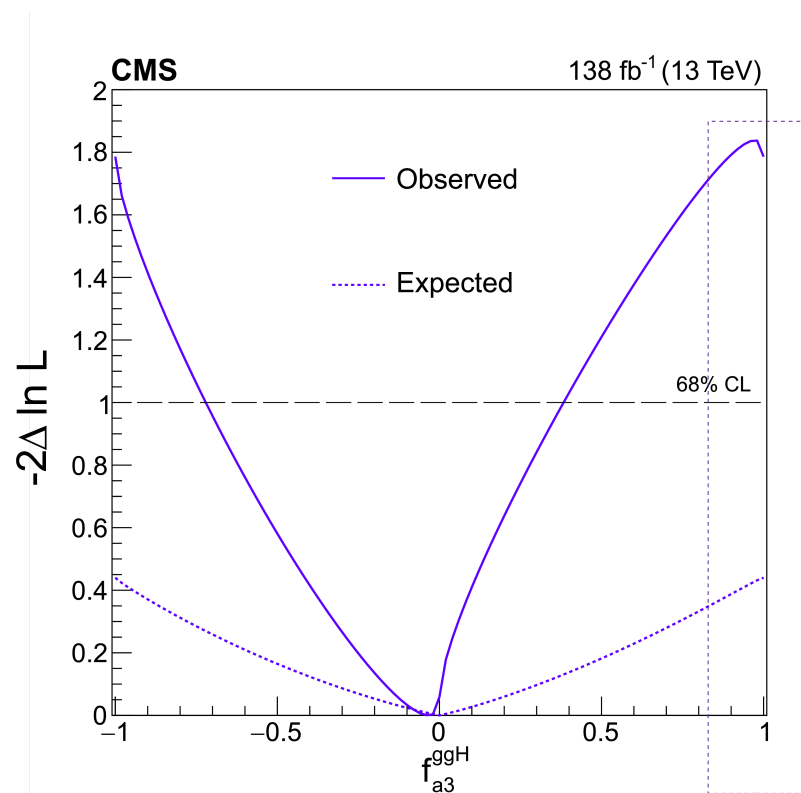
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Higgs-to-gluon coupling is probed in H+2jets events

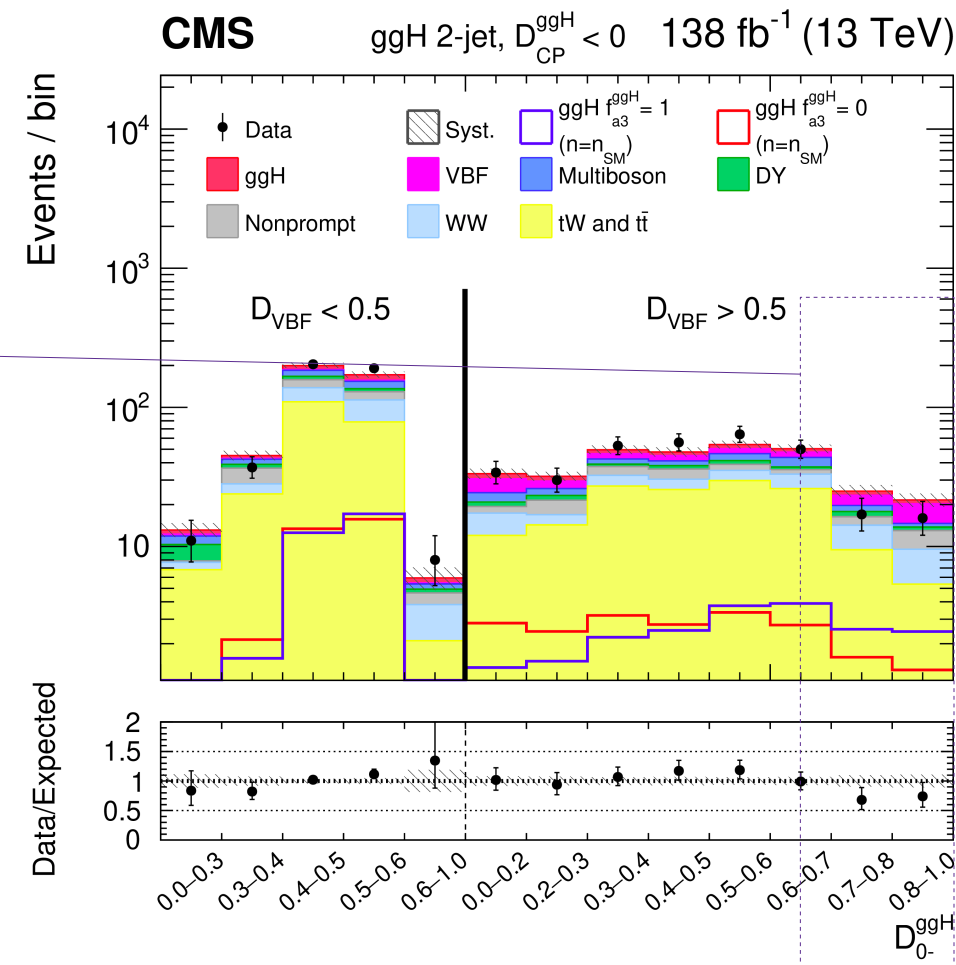
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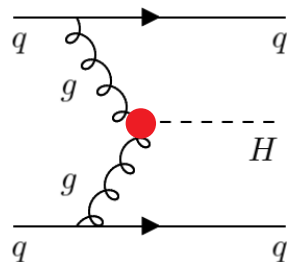
CP-odd cross section fraction:



= -0.034 [+ 0.38 – 0.72 @ 68% CL]

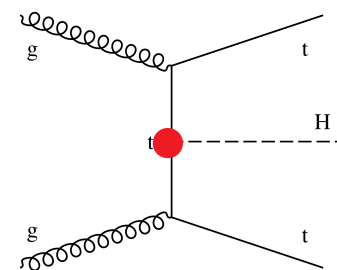


Anomalous Higgs to gluon & top couplings

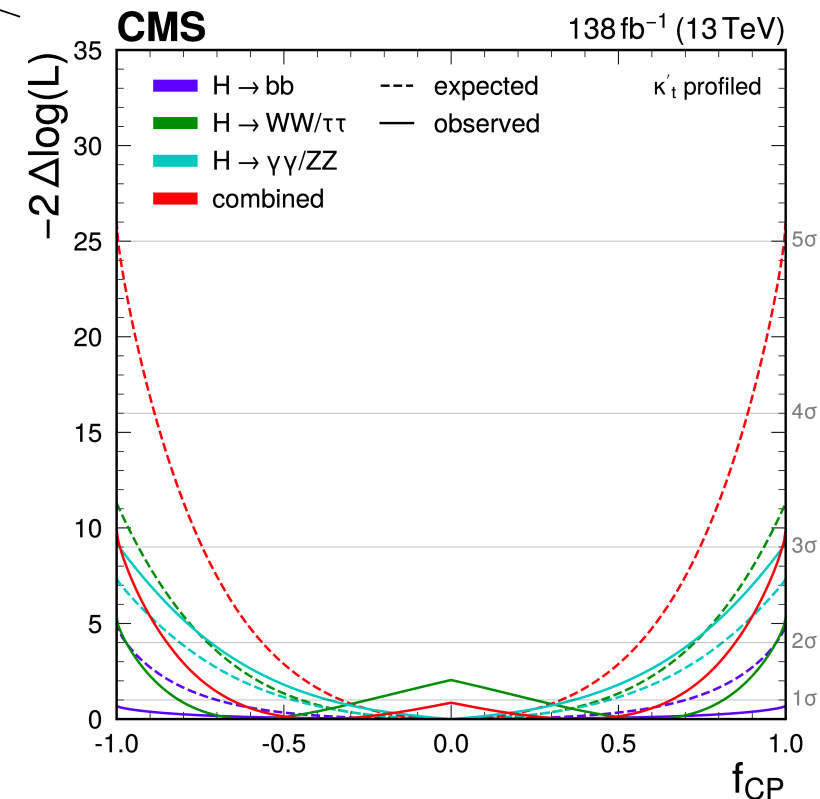
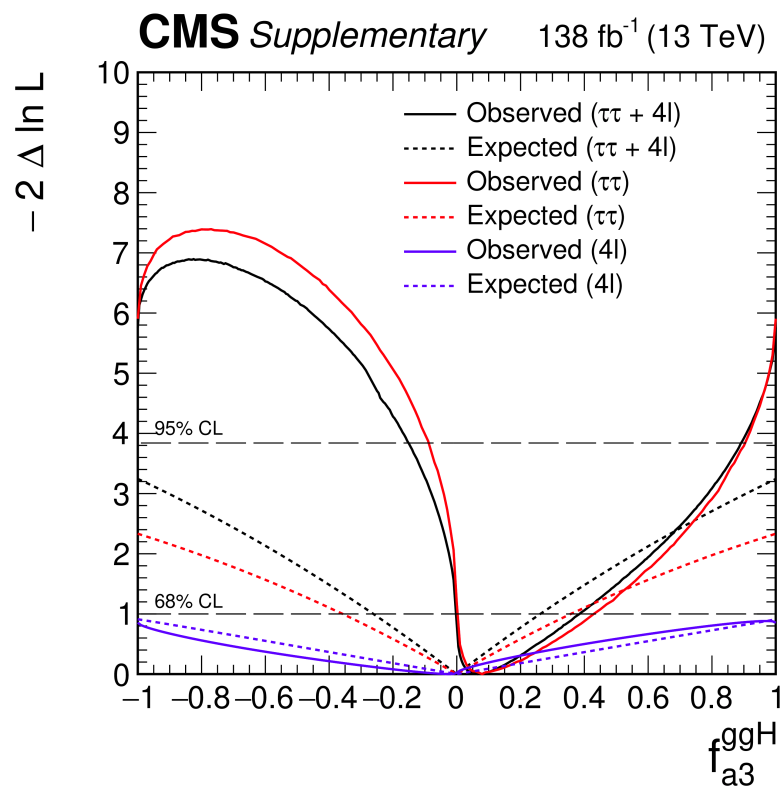


$$H \rightarrow \tau\tau + H \rightarrow ZZ^* \rightarrow 4l$$

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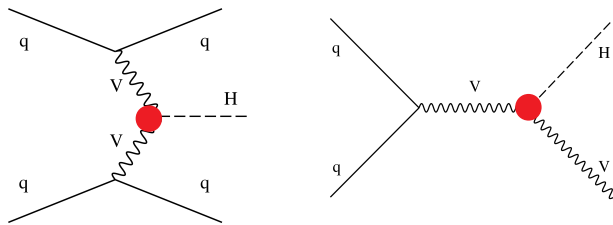
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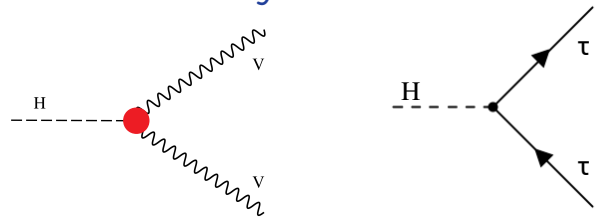
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Anomalous H-V couplings: CP-even

AC in production



AC in decay



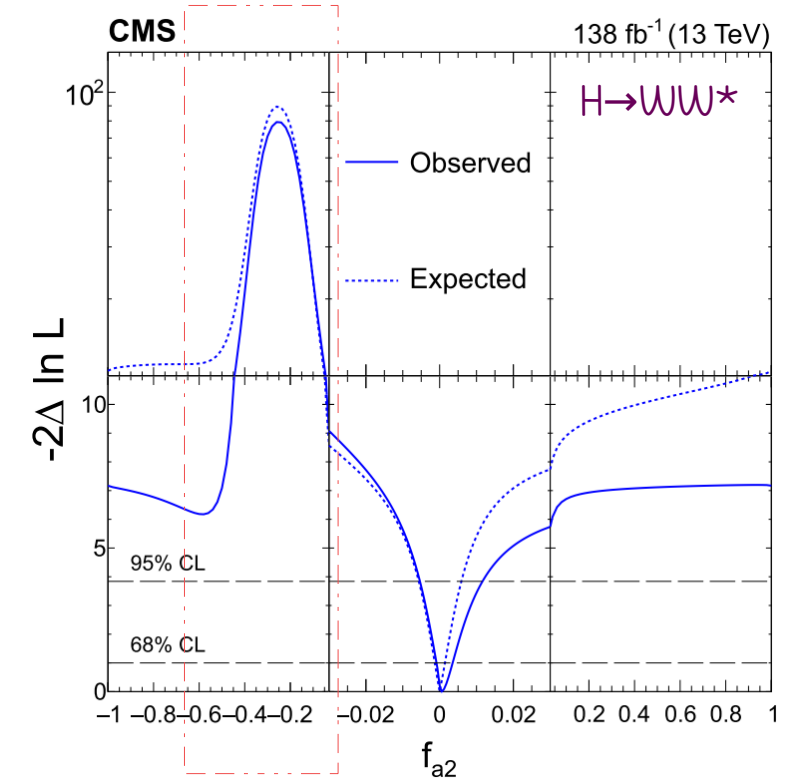
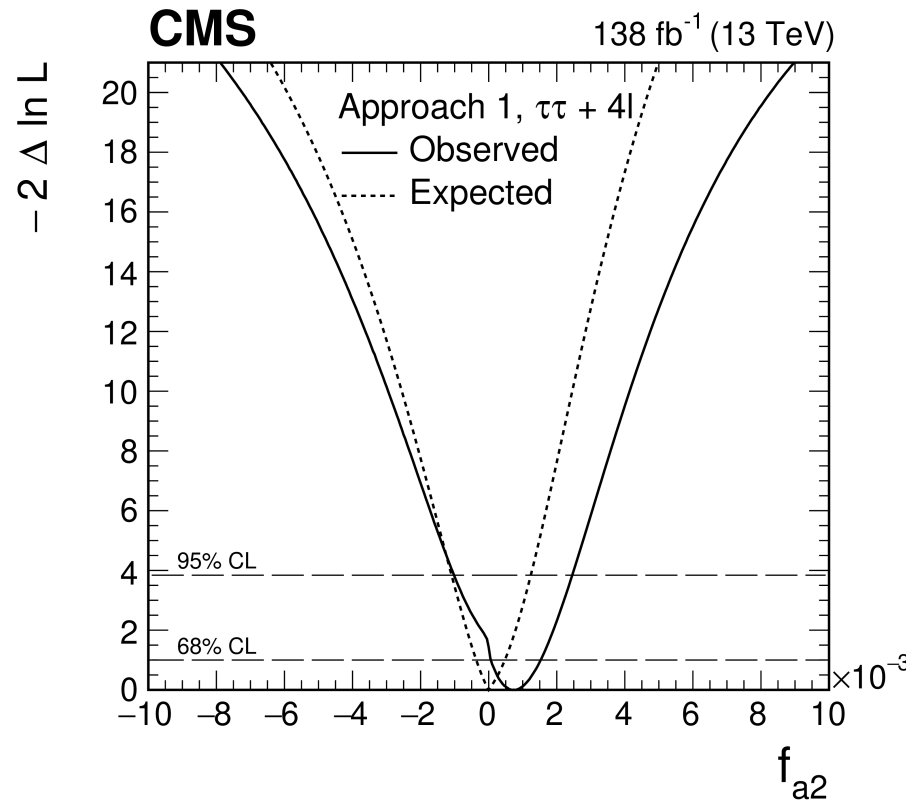
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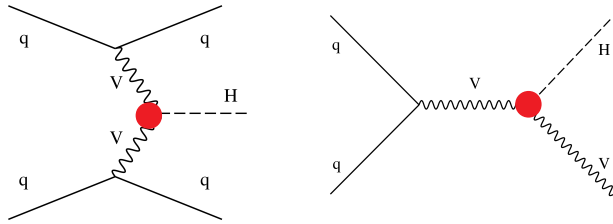


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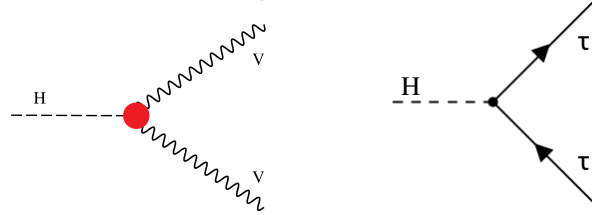
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Anomalous H-V couplings: CP-odd

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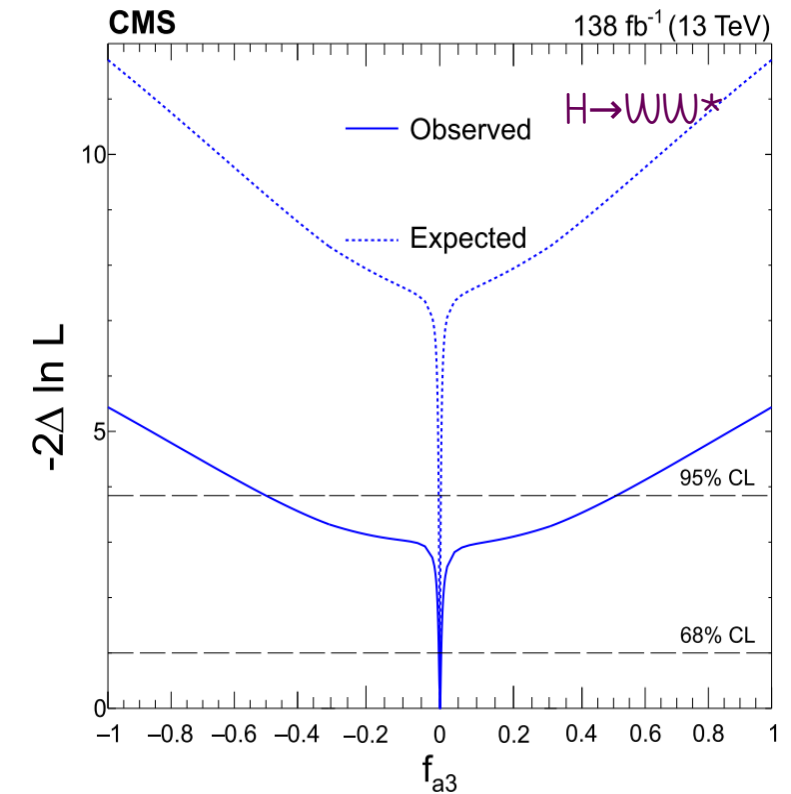
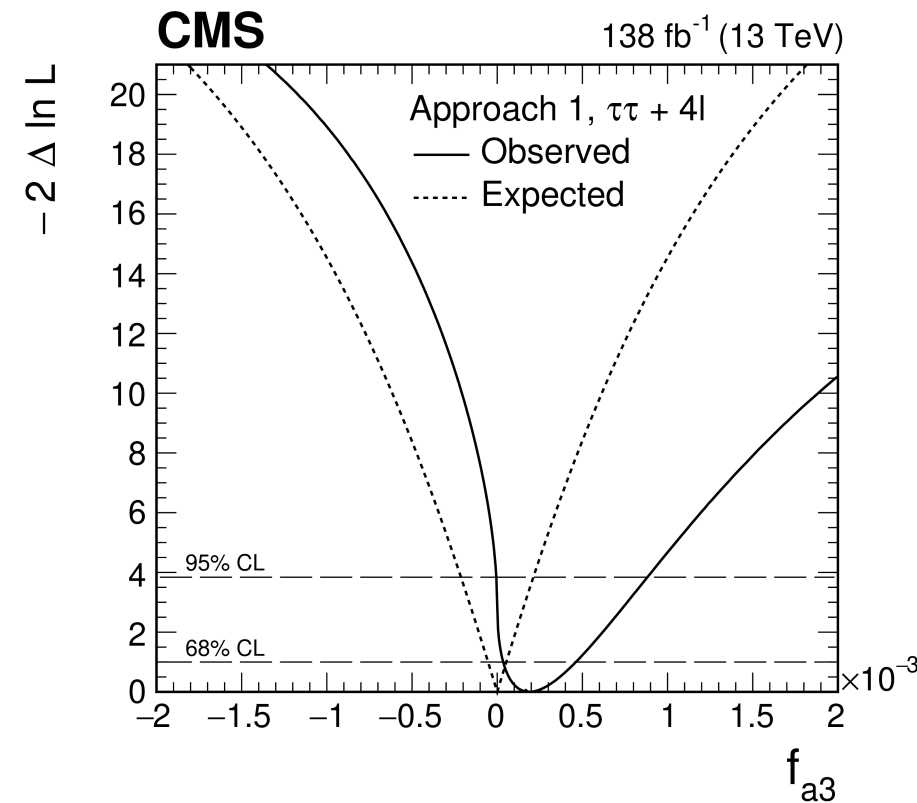
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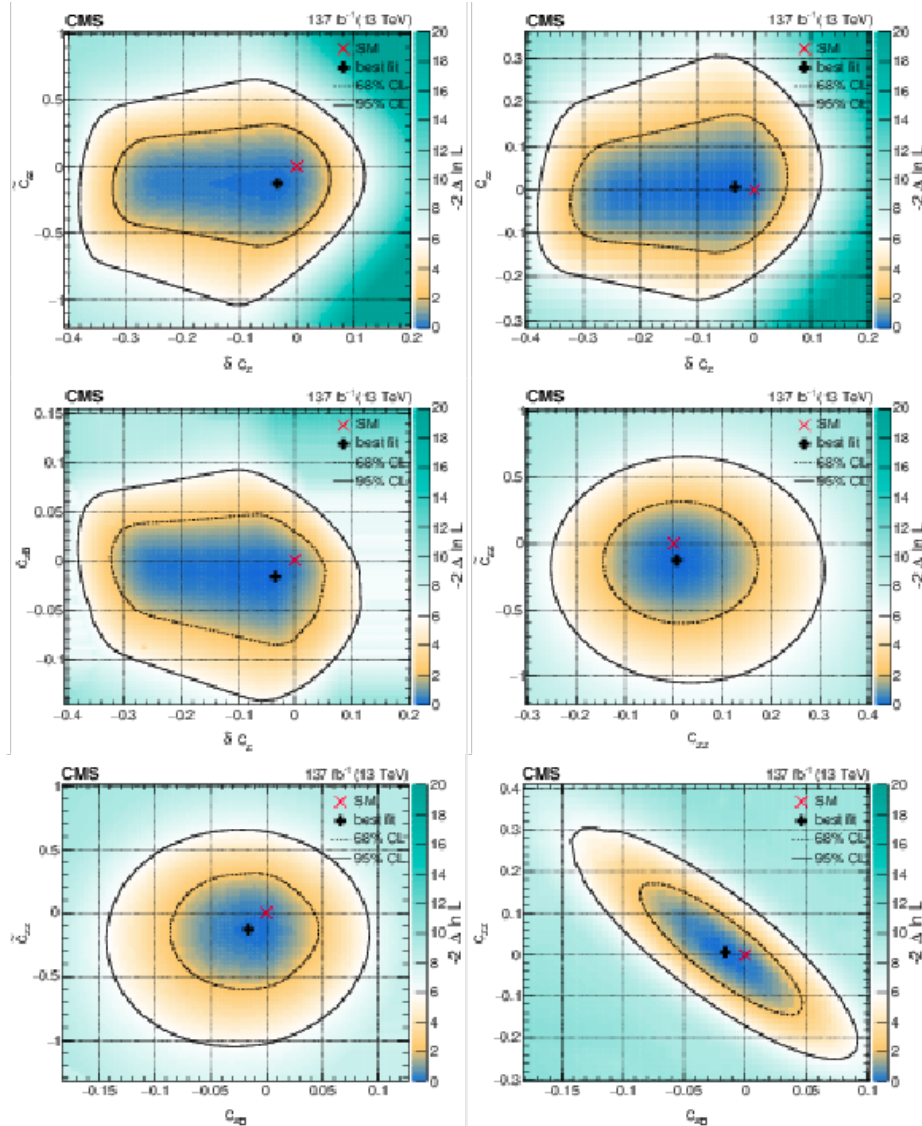


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Anomalous H-V couplings with $H \rightarrow ZZ^*$ decay mode

Higgs basis

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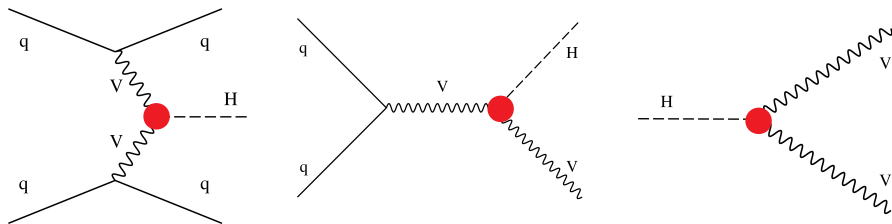


Warsaw basis

Channels	Coupling	Observed	Expected
VBF & VH & $H \rightarrow 4\ell$	$c_{H\Box}$	$0.04^{+0.43}_{-0.45}$	$0.00^{+0.75}_{-0.93}$
	c_{HD}	$-0.73^{+0.97}_{-4.21}$	$0.00^{+1.06}_{-4.60}$
	c_{HW}	$0.01^{+0.18}_{-0.17}$	$0.00^{+0.39}_{-0.28}$
	c_{HWB}	$0.01^{+0.20}_{-0.18}$	$0.00^{+0.42}_{-0.31}$
	c_{HB}	$0.00^{+0.05}_{-0.05}$	$0.00^{+0.03}_{-0.08}$
	$c_{H\tilde{W}}$	$-0.23^{+0.51}_{-0.52}$	$0.00^{+1.11}_{-1.11}$
	$c_{H\tilde{W}B}$	$-0.25^{+0.56}_{-0.57}$	$0.00^{+1.21}_{-1.21}$
	$c_{H\tilde{B}}$	$-0.06^{+0.15}_{-0.16}$	$0.00^{+0.33}_{-0.33}$

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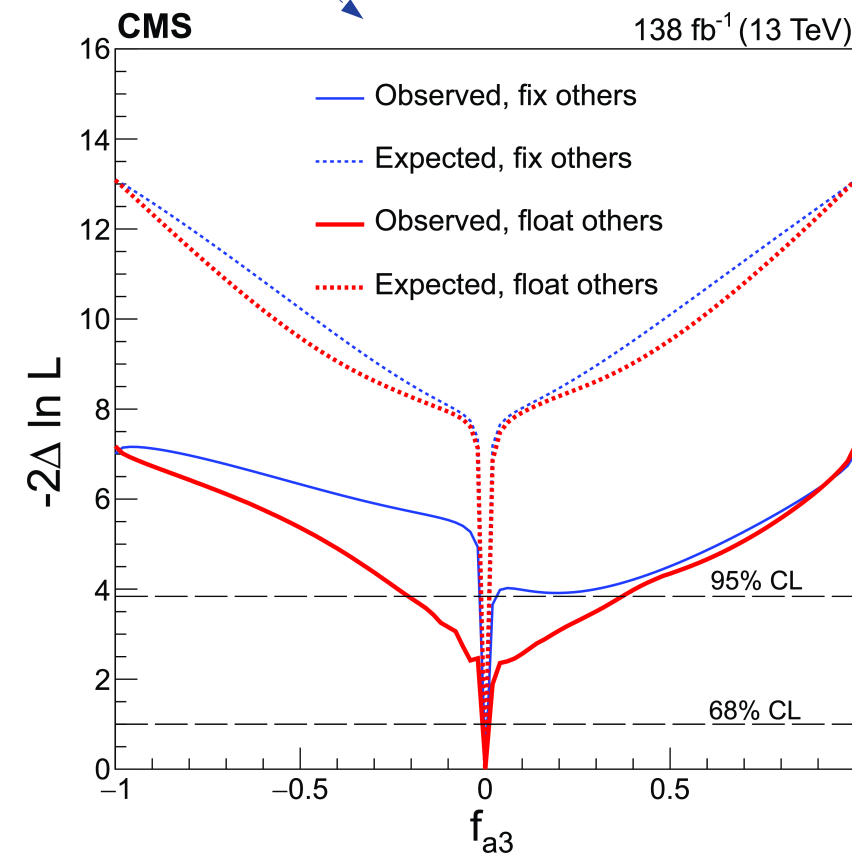
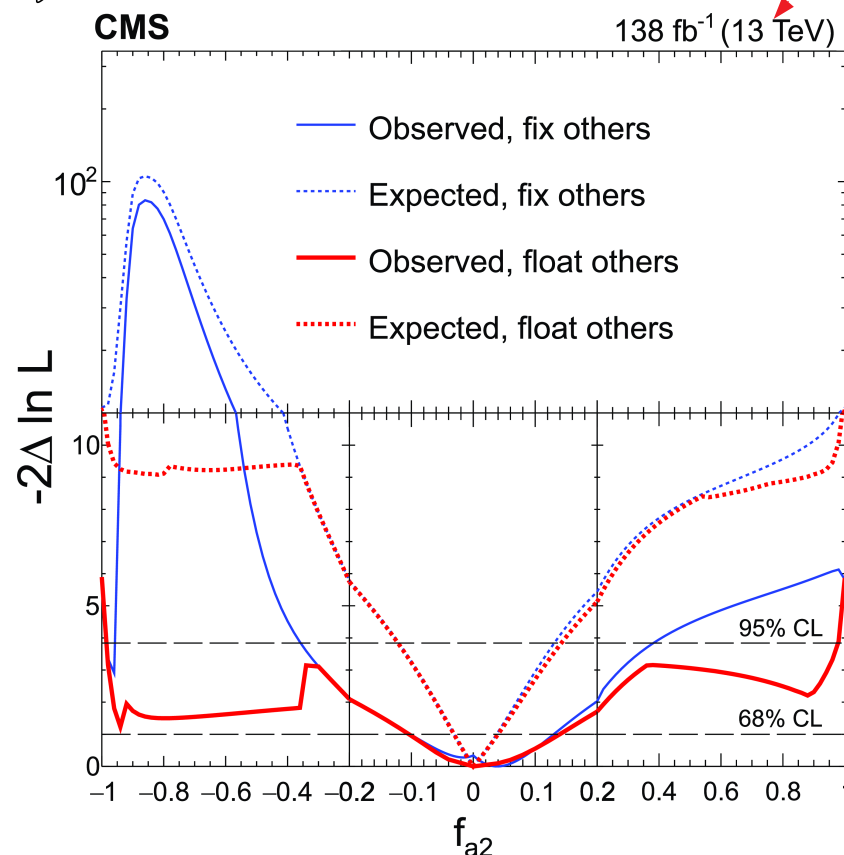


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Approach 2:

Use $SU(2) \times U(1)$ symmetry

$$\begin{aligned} a_1^{WW} &= a_1^{ZZ}, \\ a_2^{WW} &= c_w^2 a_2^{ZZ}, \\ a_3^{WW} &= c_w^2 a_3^{ZZ}, \\ \frac{\kappa_1^{WW}}{(\Lambda_1^{WW})^2} &= \frac{1}{c_w^2 - s_w^2} \left(\frac{\kappa_1^{ZZ}}{(\Lambda_1^{ZZ})^2} - 2s_w^2 \frac{a_2^{ZZ}}{m_Z^2} \right) \\ \frac{\kappa_2^{Z\gamma}}{(\Lambda_1^{Z\gamma})^2} &= \frac{2s_w c_w}{c_w^2 - s_w^2} \left(\frac{\kappa_1^{ZZ}}{(\Lambda_1^{ZZ})^2} - \frac{a_2^{ZZ}}{m_Z^2} \right), \end{aligned}$$



Compatibility with SM: p-value $\sim 91\%$ (while floating all anomalous couplings together)

Constraints translated to SMEFT operator coefficients (including CP-odd operators) in Higgs & Warsaw bases

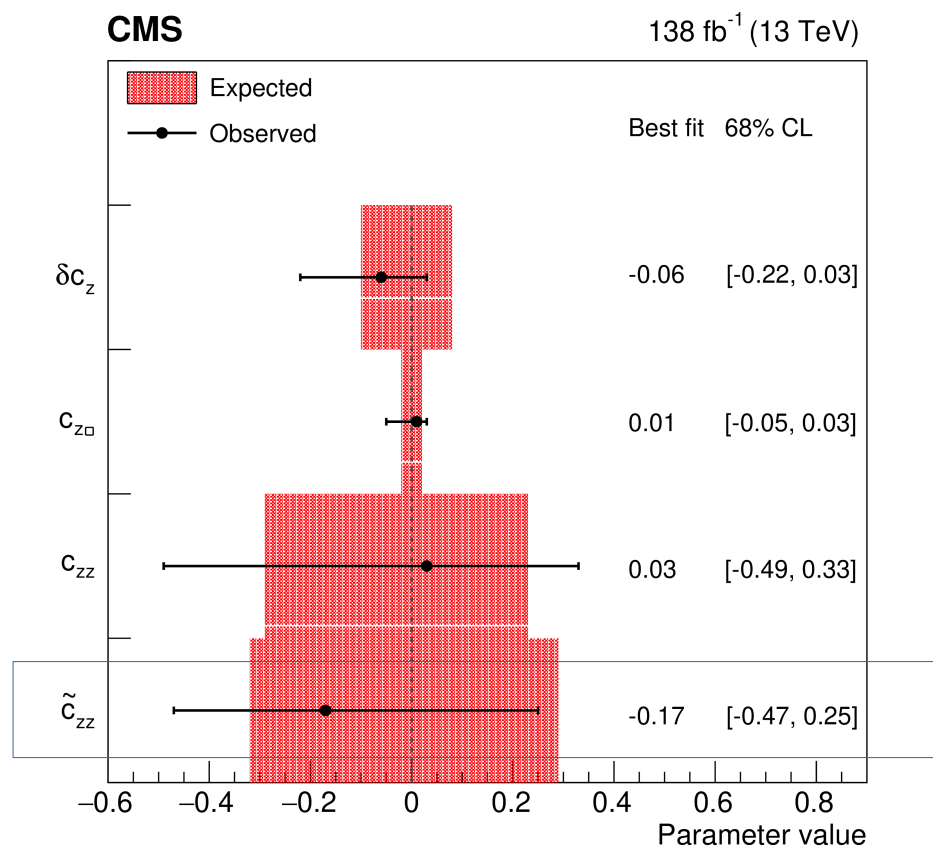
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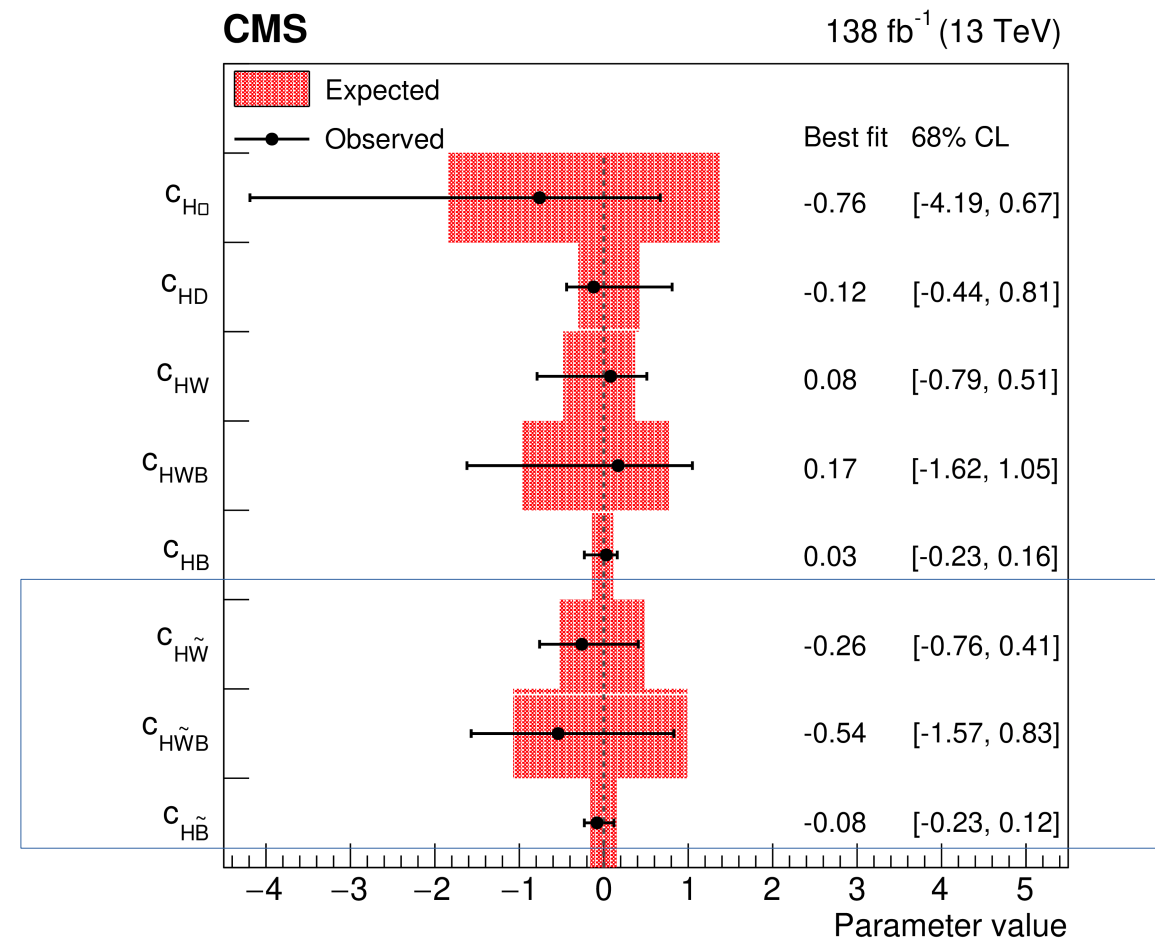
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CP-odd



Inclusive jets in combination

