

# H(125) decay to bosons at CMS

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**Higgs Hunting**

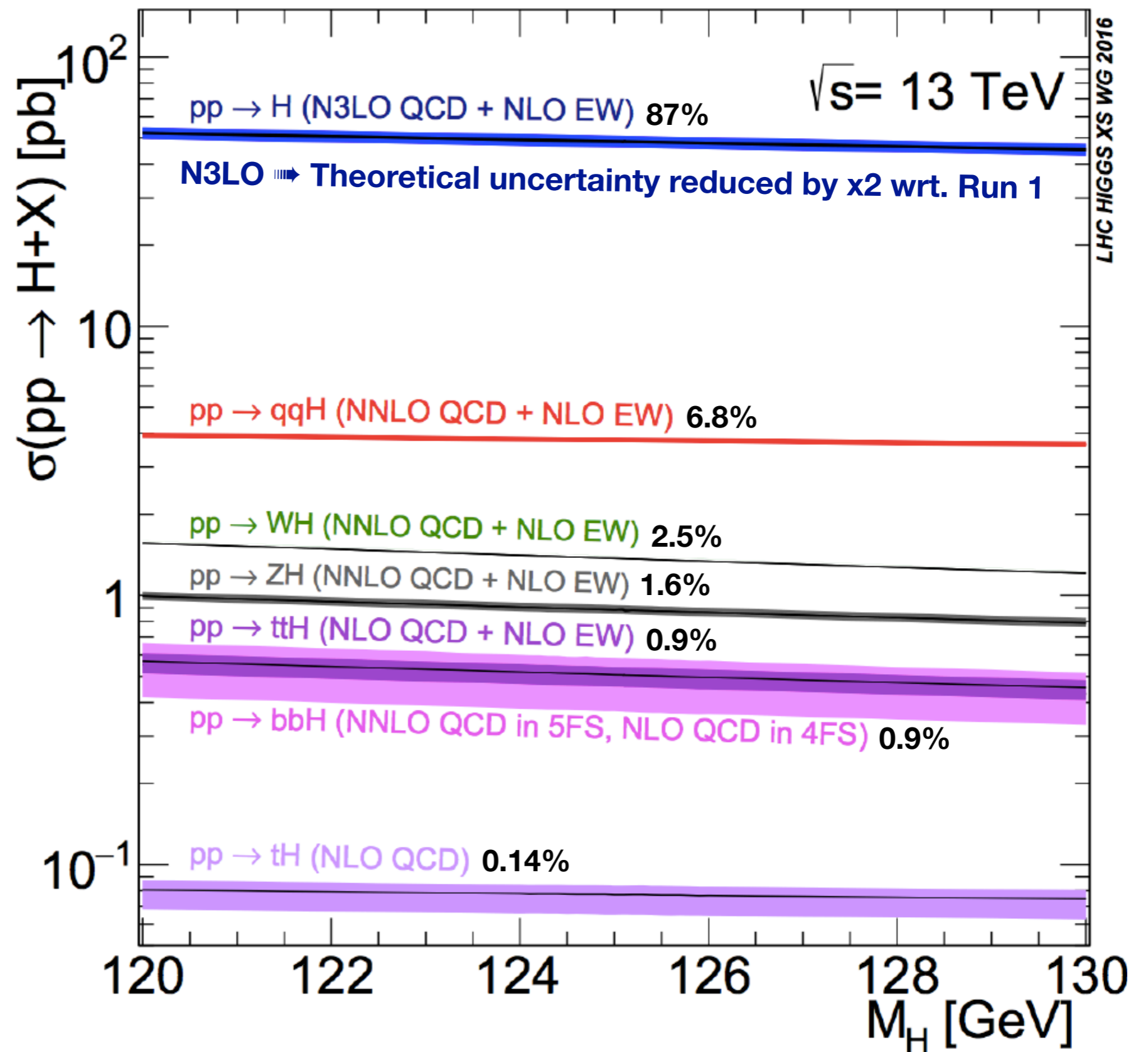
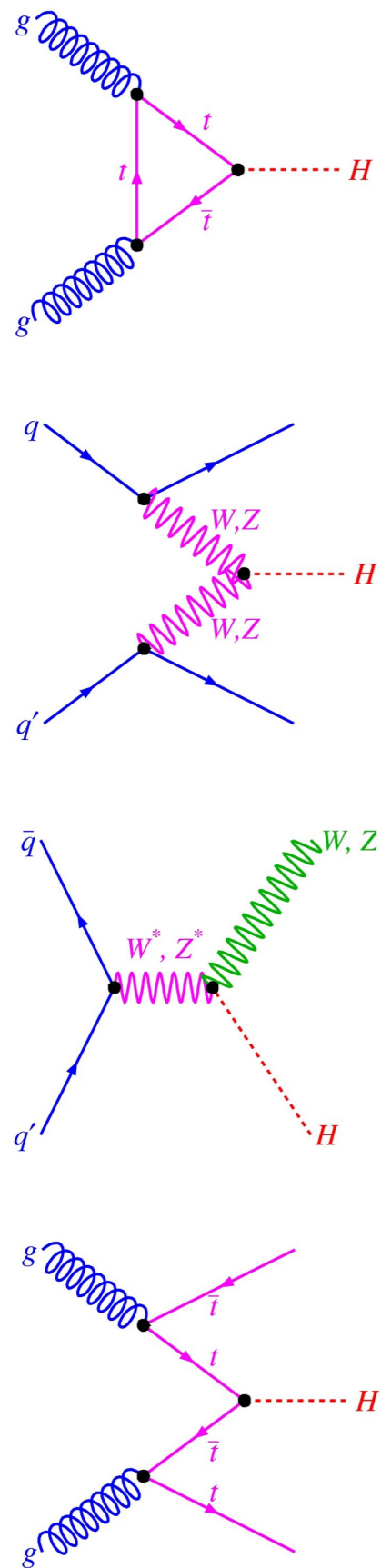
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# Higgs results covered in this talk

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HIG-16-041	H $\rightarrow$ ZZ $\rightarrow$ 4 lepton <i>properties</i>	35.9 fb <sup>-1</sup>	submitted to JHEP
HIG-17-011	H $\rightarrow$ ZZ $\rightarrow$ 4 lepton <i>anomalous couplings</i>	38.6 fb <sup>-1</sup>	submitted to PLB
HIG-16-033	H $\rightarrow$ ZZ $\rightarrow$ 4 lepton <i>width</i>	12.9 fb <sup>-1</sup>	
HIG-16-040	H $\rightarrow$ $\gamma\gamma$ <i>properties</i>	35.9 fb <sup>-1</sup>	
HIG-17-015	H $\rightarrow$ $\gamma\gamma$ <i>cross sections</i>	35.9 fb <sup>-1</sup>	
HIG-16-021	H $\rightarrow$ WW <i>measurements</i>	15.2 fb <sup>-1</sup>	NEW

# Higgs production at the LHC



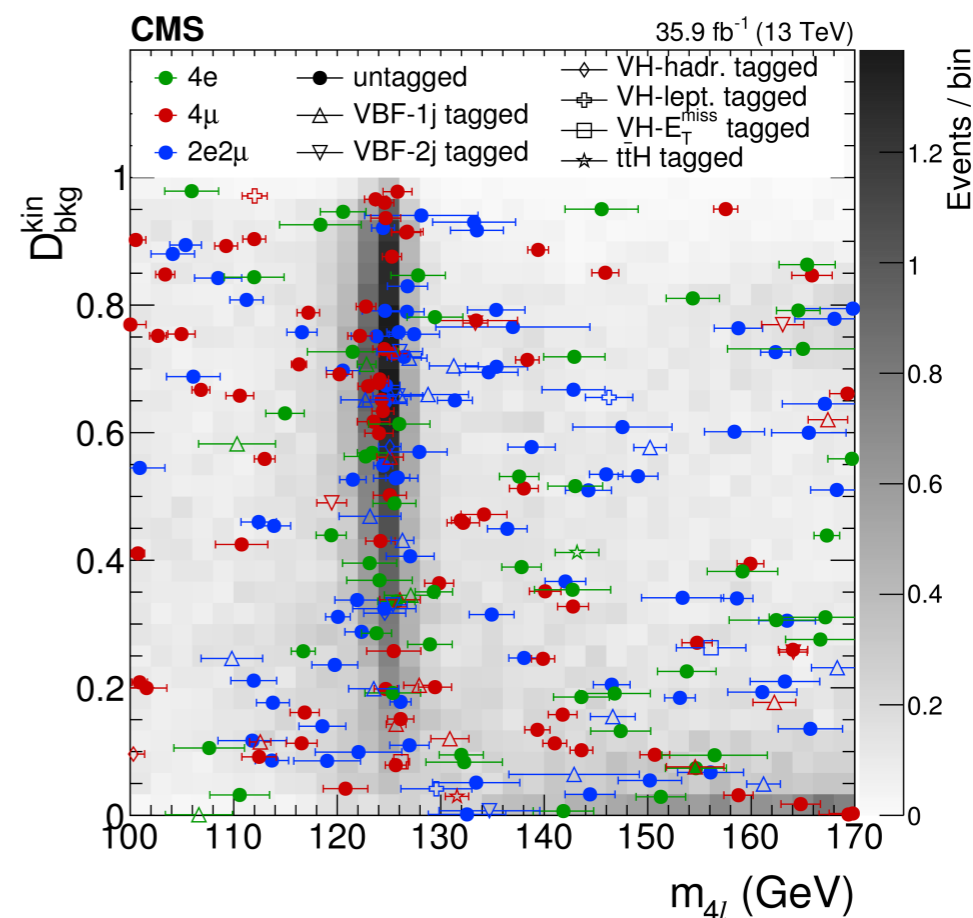
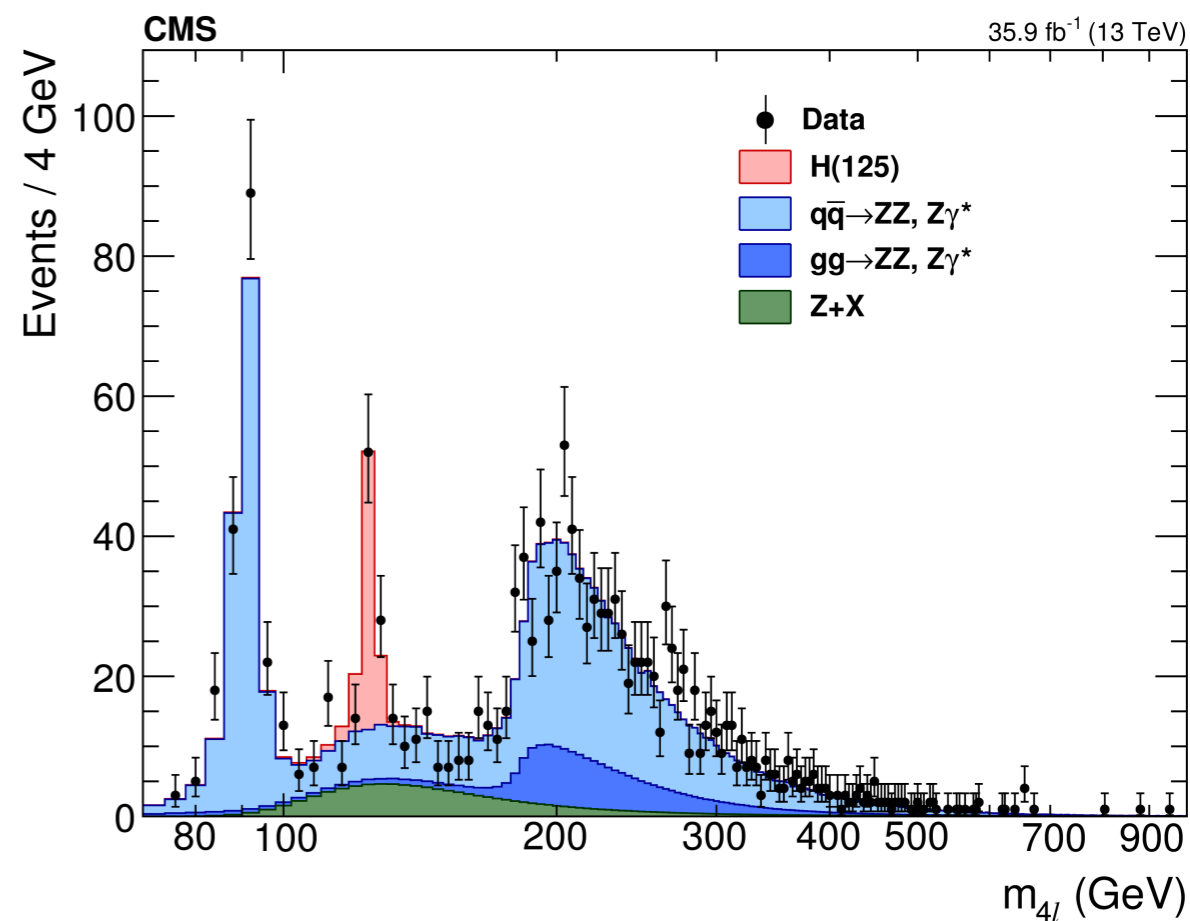
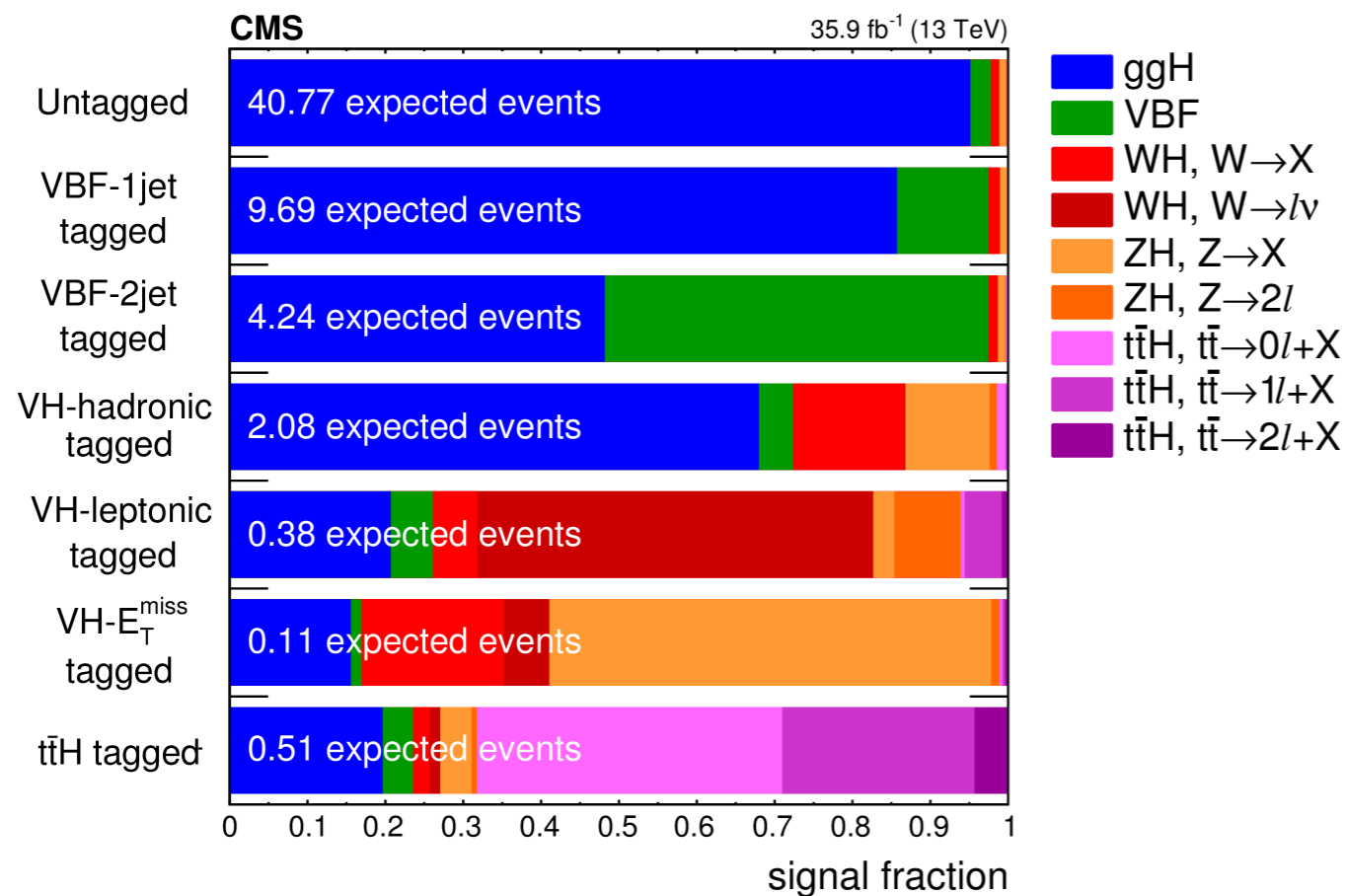
$H \rightarrow ZZ^* \rightarrow 4 \text{ lepton}$

***properties and anomalous couplings***

# What is my production mode?

H → ZZ has high resolution and large S/B. **An event categorization is performed based on the different production modes** (number of leptons, jets, b-jets and MET) and ME based discriminants sensitive to signal and background kinematics

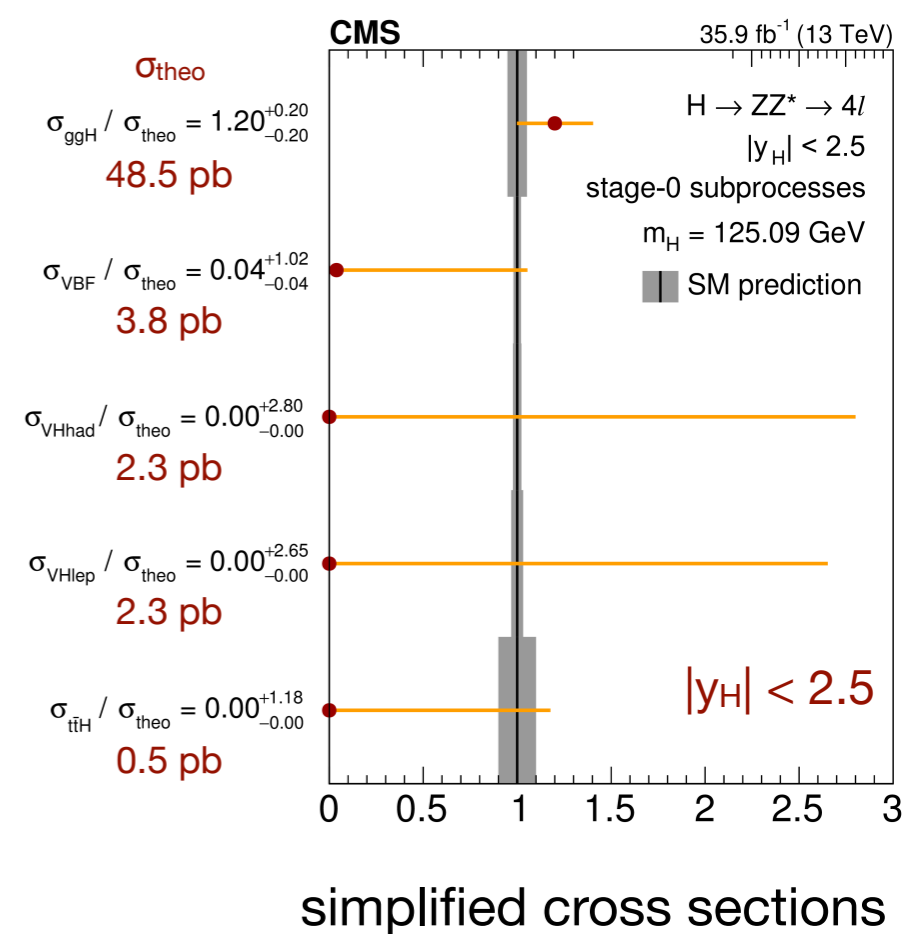
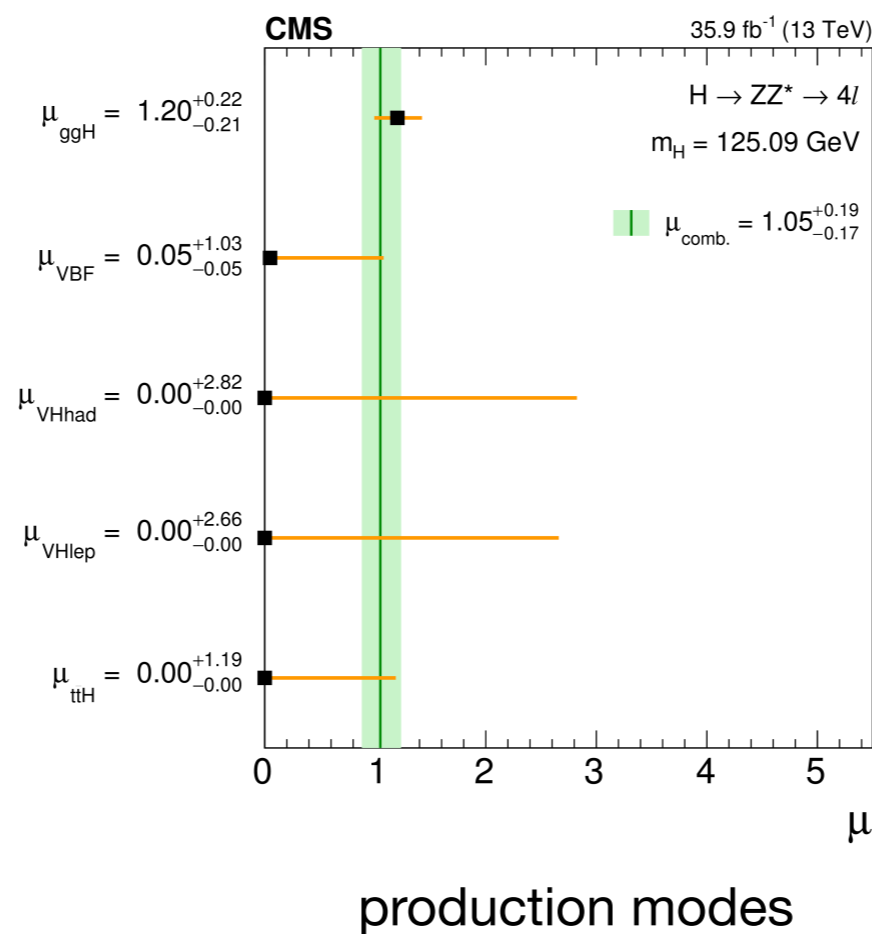
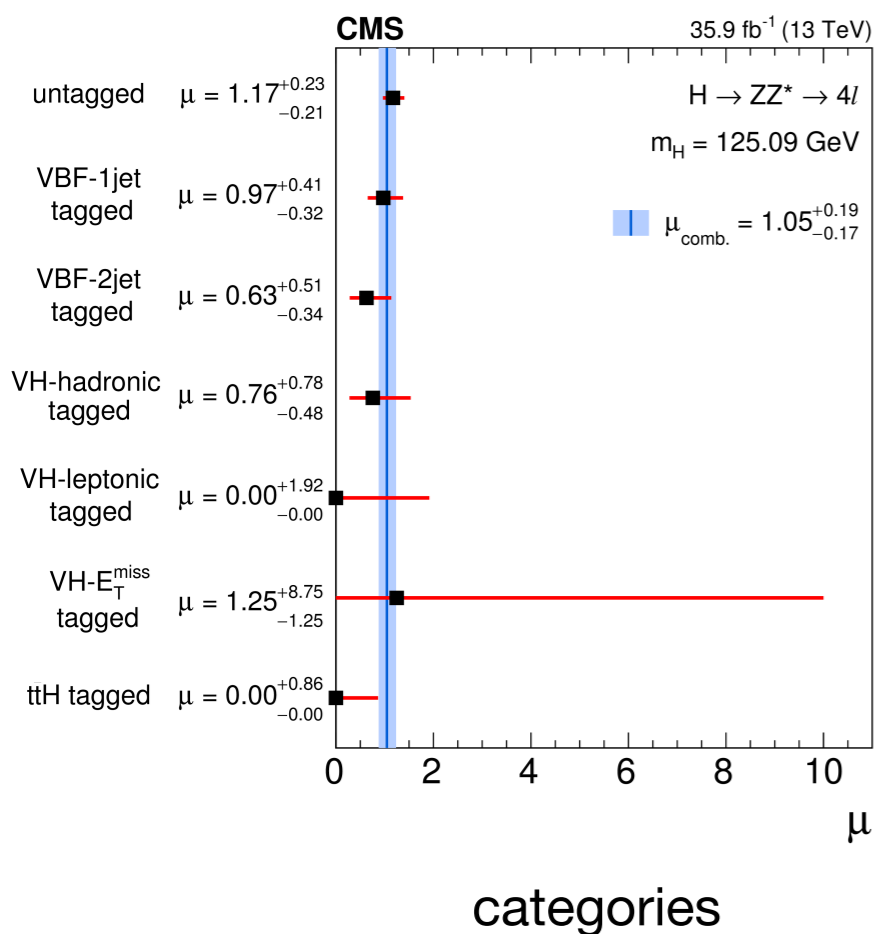
7 exclusive categories for the main Higgs production modes



# How about my signal strength?

The signal strength  $\mu$  is extracted from a 2D ( $D_{\text{bkg}}^{\text{kin}}$  and  $m_{4l}$ ) simultaneous fit on all categories. The main theoretical uncertainties are removed in the simplified template cross sections (STXS, arXiv:1610.07922)

$$\mu = 1.05_{-0.14}^{+0.15} \text{ (stat.) }_{-0.09}^{+0.11} \text{ (syst.)}$$

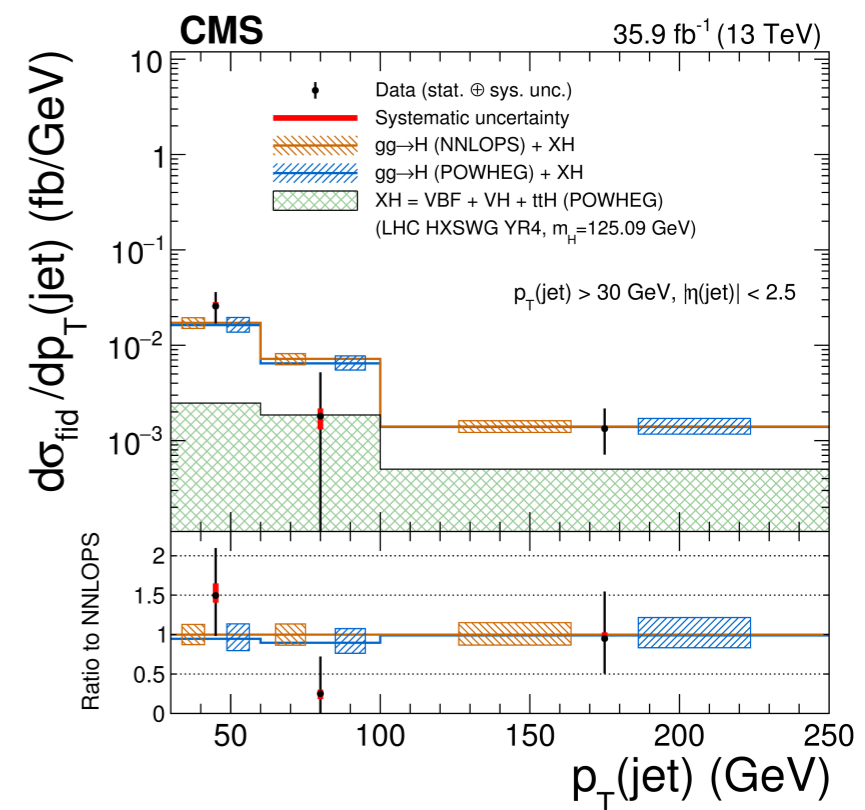
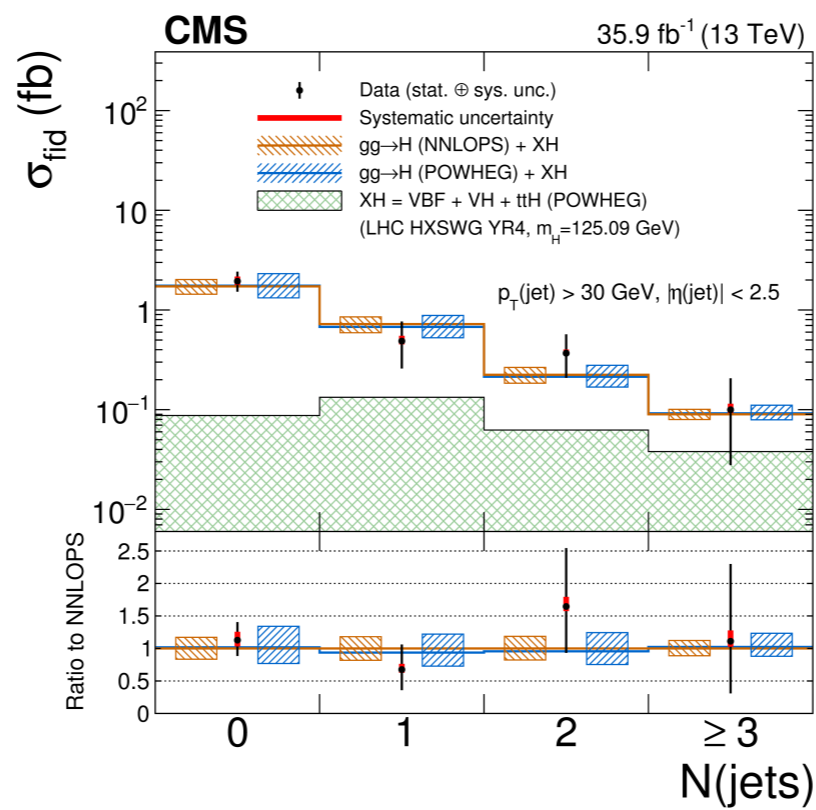
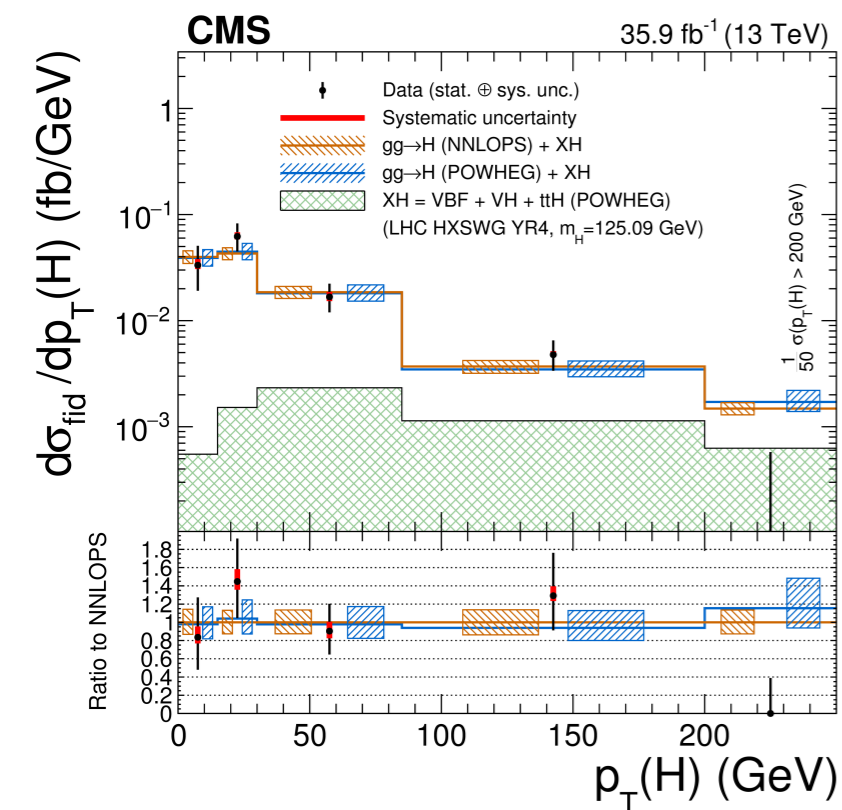
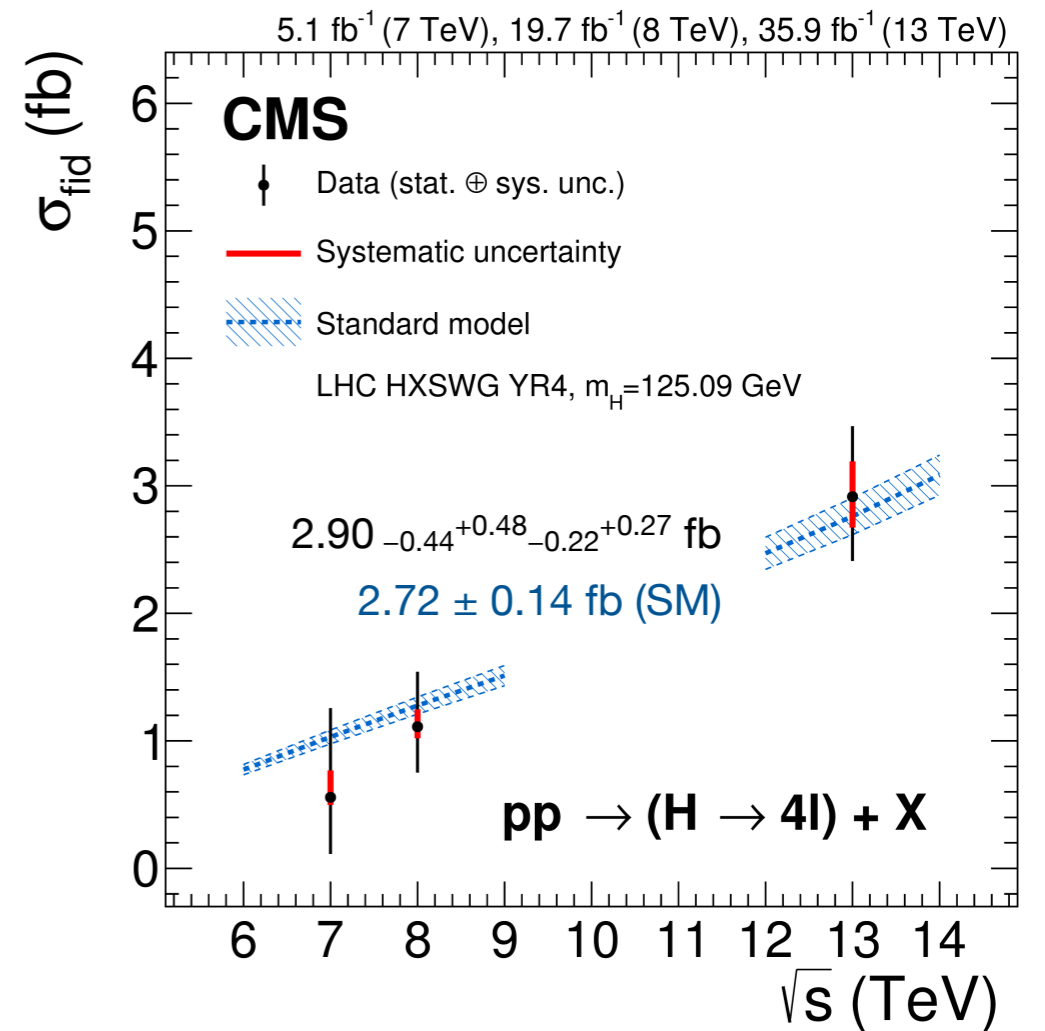


# Fiducial and differential cross sections

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Minimal model dependence, **the integrated fiducial cross section is extracted from  $m_{4l}$  inclusive (no event categorization) maximum likelihood fit**, in good agreement with the N3LO ggH prediction

Differential measurements of  $p_T(H)$ ,  $N(\text{jets})$  and  $p_T(\text{jet})$ , with lepton ID efficiencies as the main systematic uncertainty



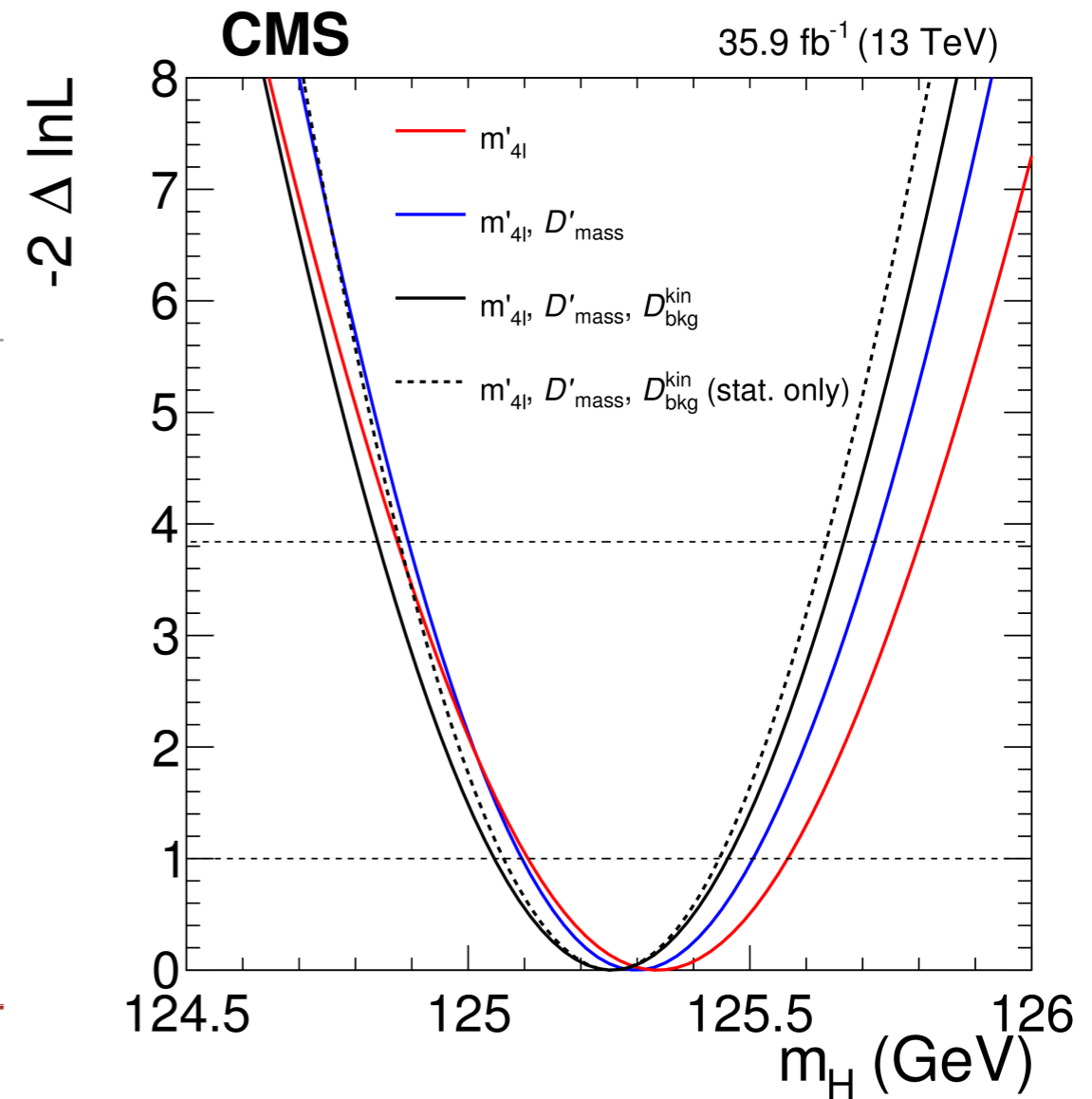
# Give me the mass

And I'll give you precise details of my properties.  
Or you can estimate the mass from the cross section, together with N3LO theory predictions

**We perform a 3D fit, using a constraint on the first Z mass**

$$m_H = 125.26 \pm 0.20 \text{ (stat.)} \pm 0.08 \text{ (syst.) GeV}$$

$$m_H = 125.09 \pm 0.21 \text{ (stat.)} \pm 0.11 \text{ (syst.) GeV (Run 1 ATLAS + CMS)}$$



No $m(Z_1)$ constraint	3D: $\mathcal{L}(m_{4l}, \mathcal{D}_{\text{mass}}, \mathcal{D}_{\text{bkg}}^{\text{kin}})$	2D: $\mathcal{L}(m_{4l}, \mathcal{D}_{\text{mass}})$	1D: $\mathcal{L}(m_{4l})$
Expected $m_H$ uncertainty change	+8.1%	+11.2%	+21%
Observed $m_H$ (GeV)	$125.28 \pm 0.22$	$125.36 \pm 0.24$	$125.39 \pm 0.25$
With $m(Z_1)$ constraint	3D: $\mathcal{L}(m'_{4l}, \mathcal{D}'_{\text{mass}}, \mathcal{D}'_{\text{bkg}}^{\text{kin}})$	2D: $\mathcal{L}(m'_{4l}, \mathcal{D}'_{\text{mass}})$	1D: $\mathcal{L}(m'_{4l})$
Expected $m_H$ uncertainty change	—	+3.2%	+10.7%
Observed $m_H$ (GeV)	$125.26 \pm 0.21$	$125.30 \pm 0.21$	$125.34 \pm 0.23$



# $H^0$ decay width

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## 1D ( $m_{4l}$ ) unbinned fit performed

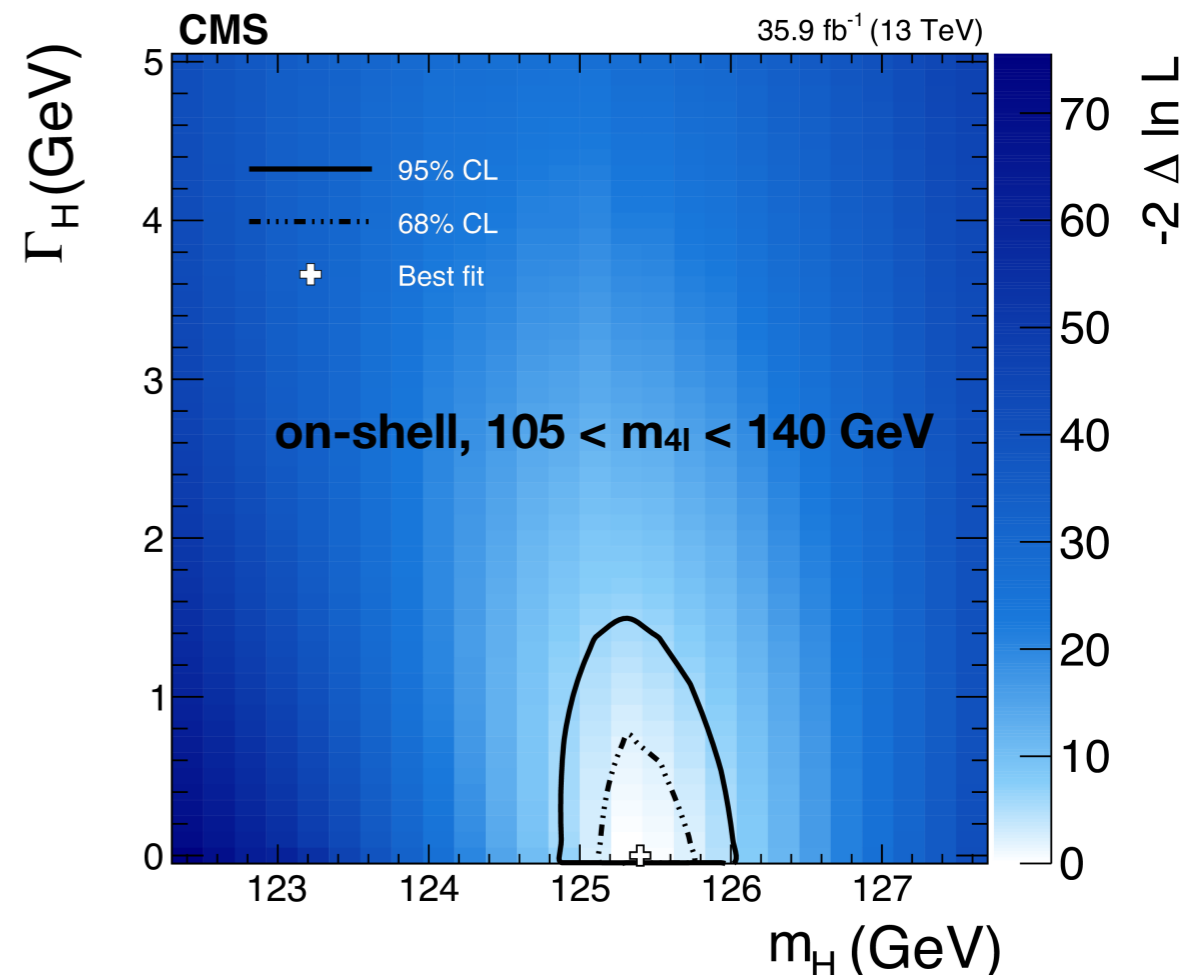
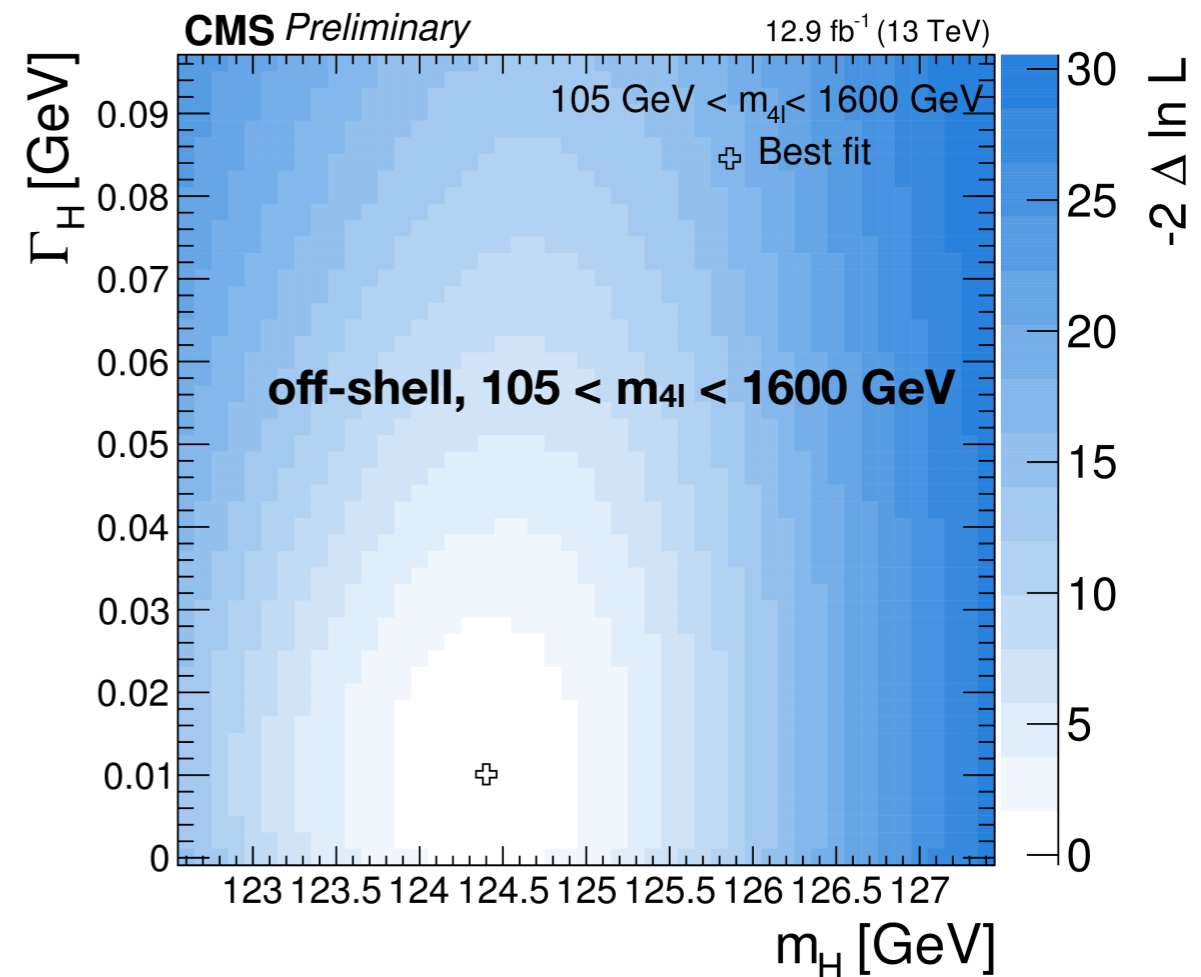
Off-shell width is two orders of magnitude more precise than on-shell, assuming in the off-shell no BSM particles nor interactions affecting the Higgs coupling at either production or decay

**off-shell  $\Gamma_H < 41$  MeV (HIG-16-033)**

On-shell width precision limited by the four-lepton invariant mass resolution, sensitive to a width of about 1 GeV. Under these conditions interference between signal and background is important and has been included

**on-shell  $\Gamma_H < 1.1$  GeV (HIG-16-041)**

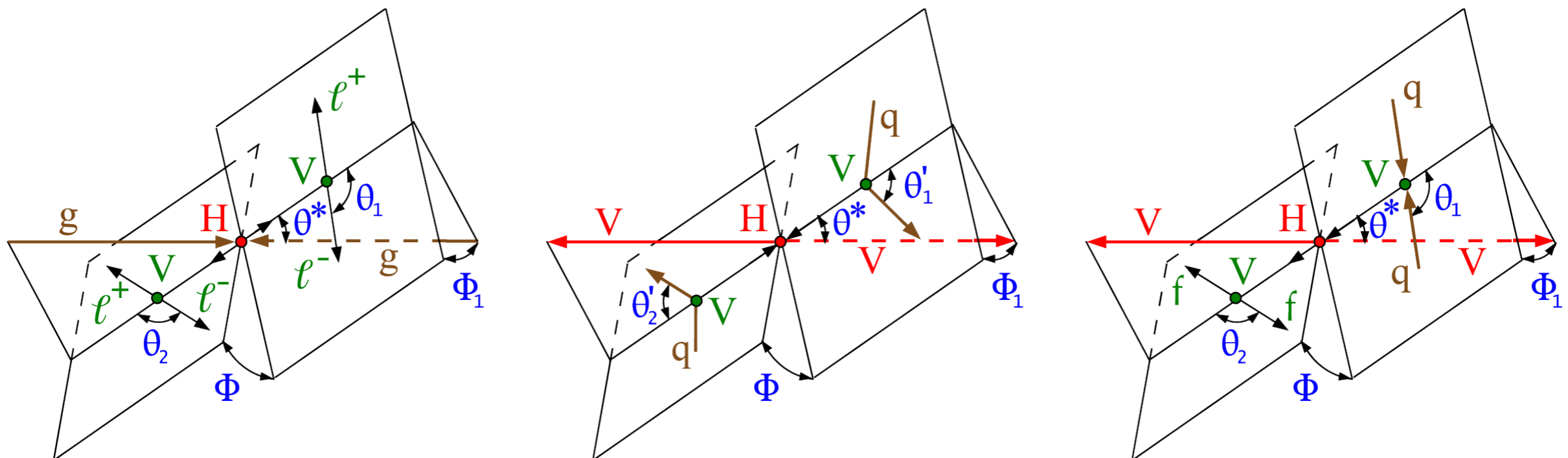
$m_H$  precision does not depend on the  $m_{4l}$  range



# Anomalous HVV couplings

Using a ME likelihood to simultaneously analyze the  $H \rightarrow 4l$  decay and associated production with two quarks, in the VBF, VH and gluon fusion categories, **we measure the product of effective cross-section ratios  $f_{ai}$  and phases  $\Phi_{ai}$  sensitive to anomalous Higgs interactions**

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



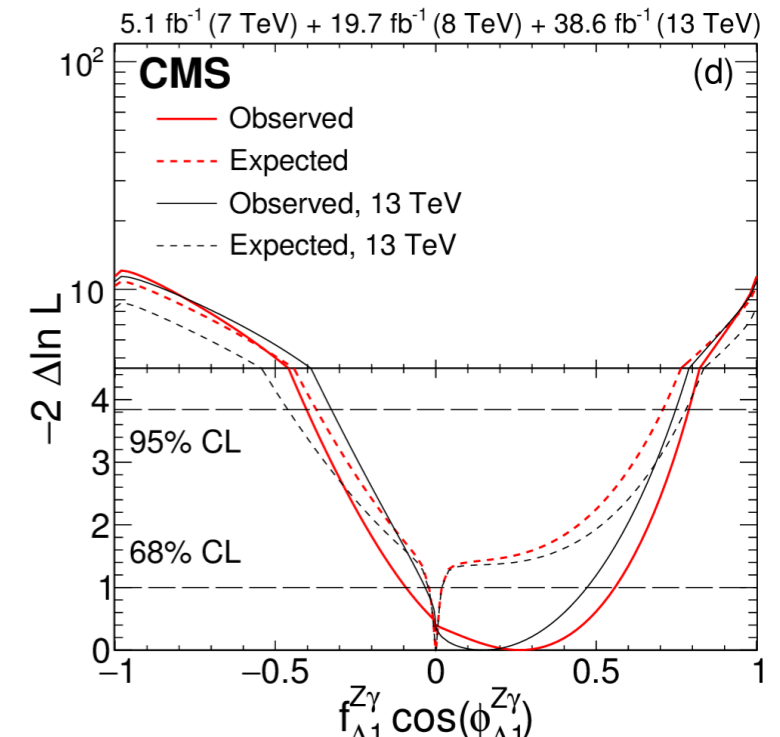
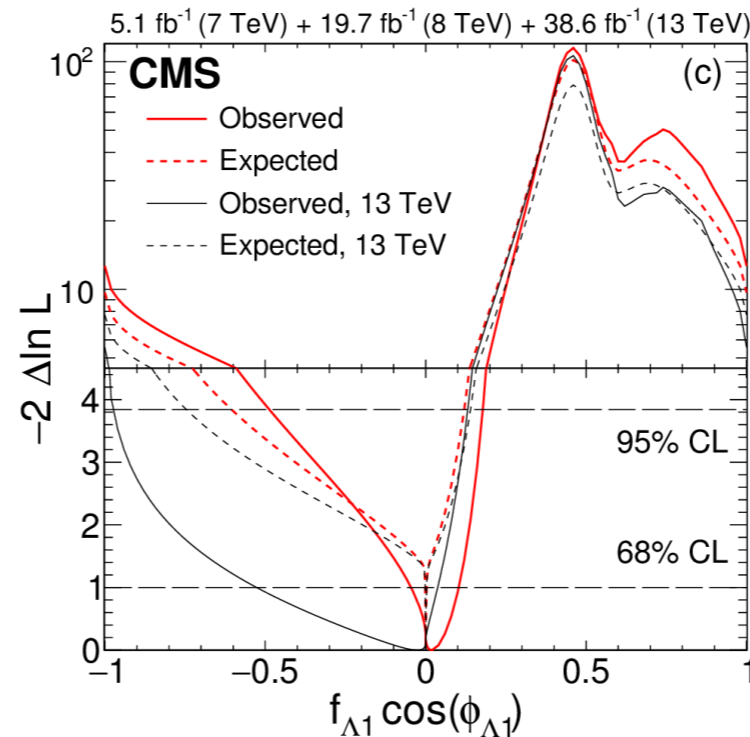
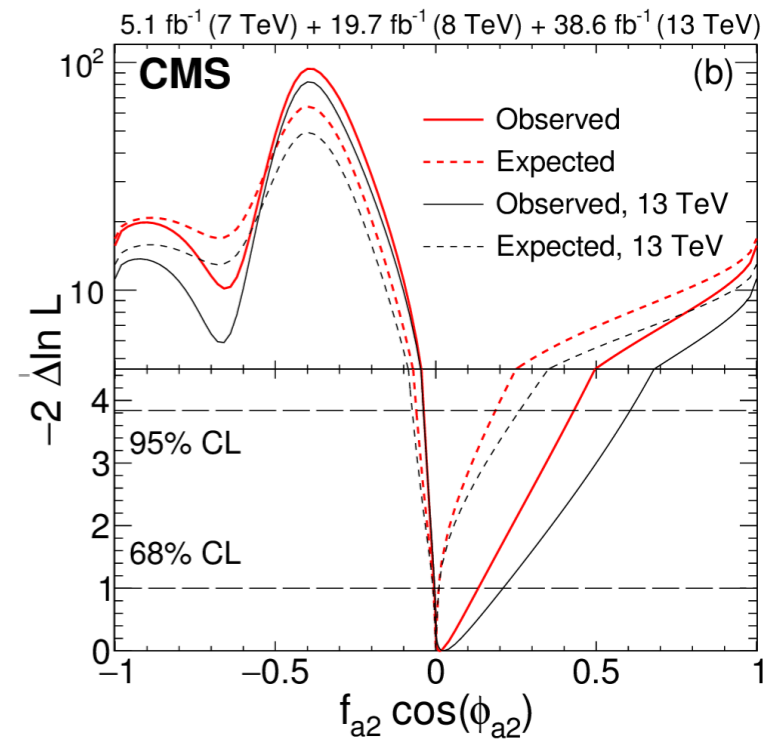
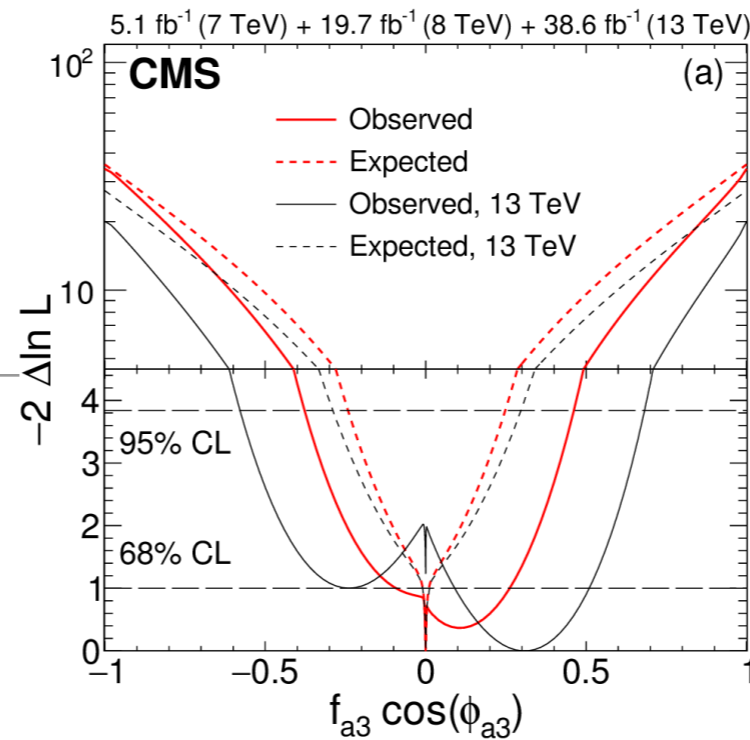
# Anomalous couplings

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**No deviations from the SM are observed**

Improved 68% CL constraints thanks to the inclusion of production information

Improvement in the 95% CL constraints with respect to Run 1 mostly due to the  $\times 4$  signal yield increase



Parameter	Observed	Expected
$f_{a3} \cos(\phi_{a3})$	$0.00^{+0.26}_{-0.09} [-0.38, 0.46]$	$0.000^{+0.010}_{-0.010} [-0.25, 0.25]$
$f_{a2} \cos(\phi_{a2})$	$0.01^{+0.12}_{-0.02} [-0.04, 0.43]$	$0.000^{+0.009}_{-0.008} [-0.06, 0.19]$
$f_{\Lambda 1} \cos(\phi_{\Lambda 1})$	$0.02^{+0.08}_{-0.06} [-0.49, 0.18]$	$0.000^{+0.003}_{-0.002} [-0.60, 0.12]$
$f_{\Lambda 1}^{Z\gamma} \cos(\phi_{\Lambda 1}^{Z\gamma})$	$0.26^{+0.30}_{-0.35} [-0.40, 0.79]$	$0.000^{+0.019}_{-0.022} [-0.37, 0.71]$

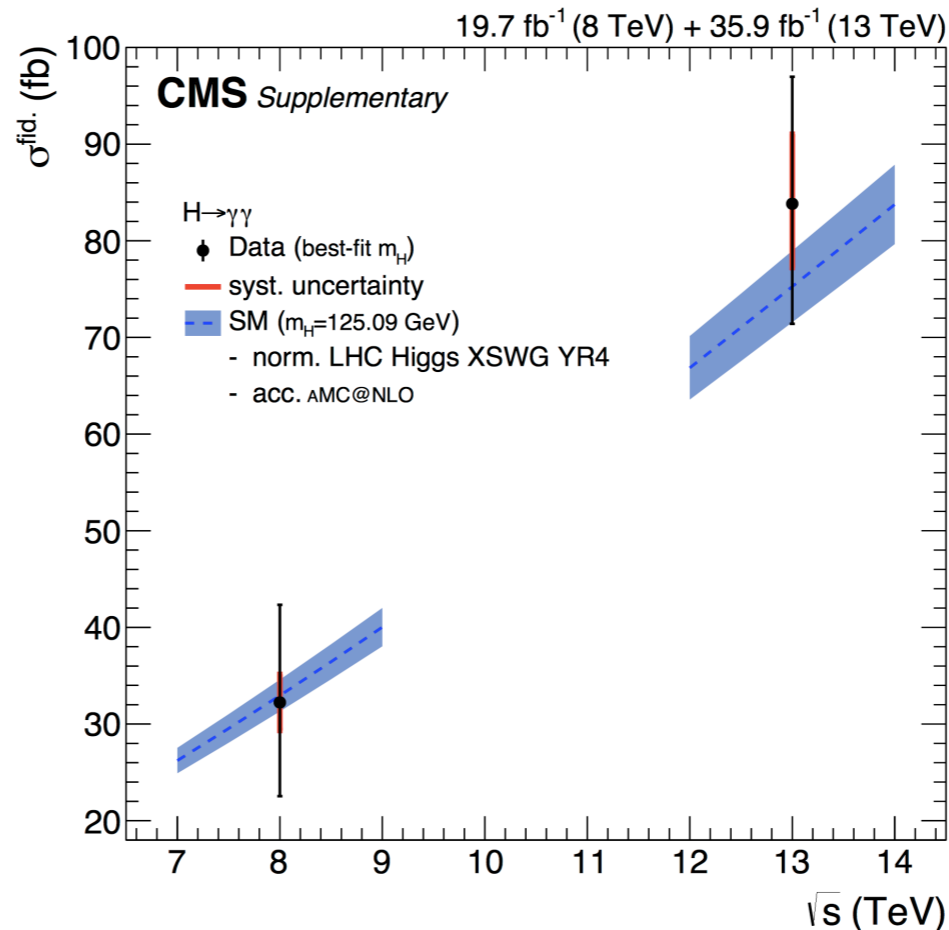
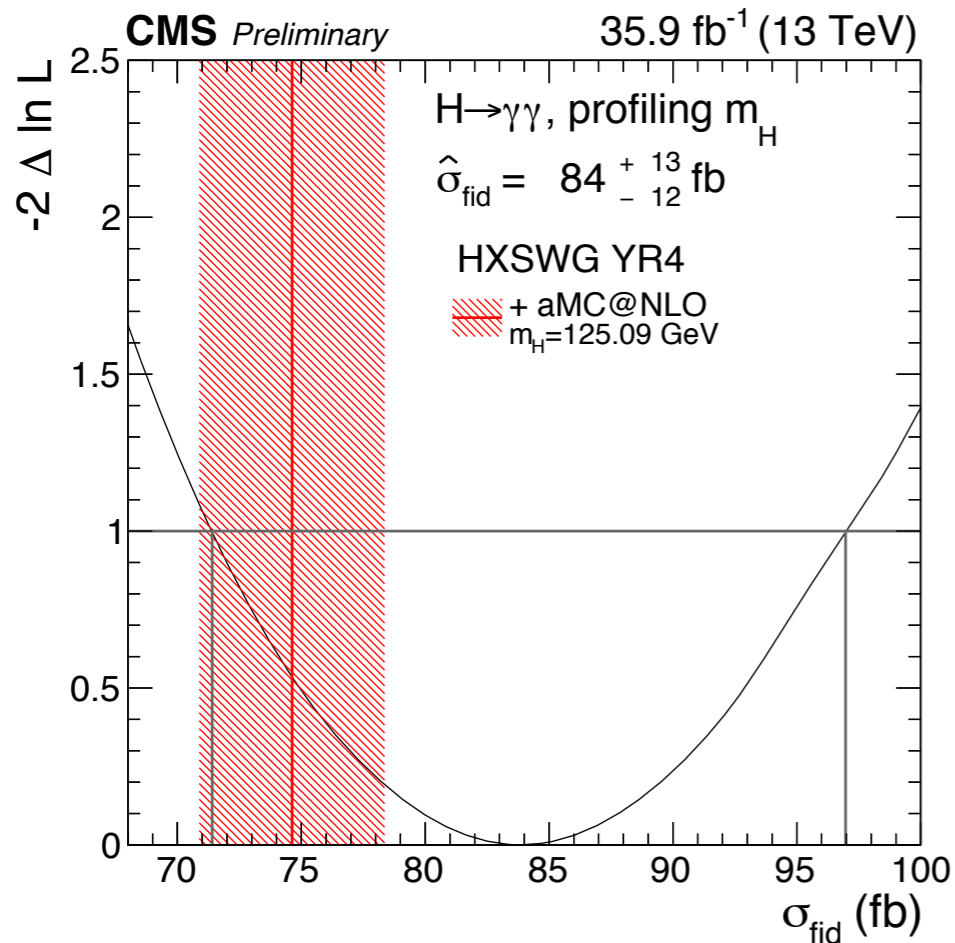
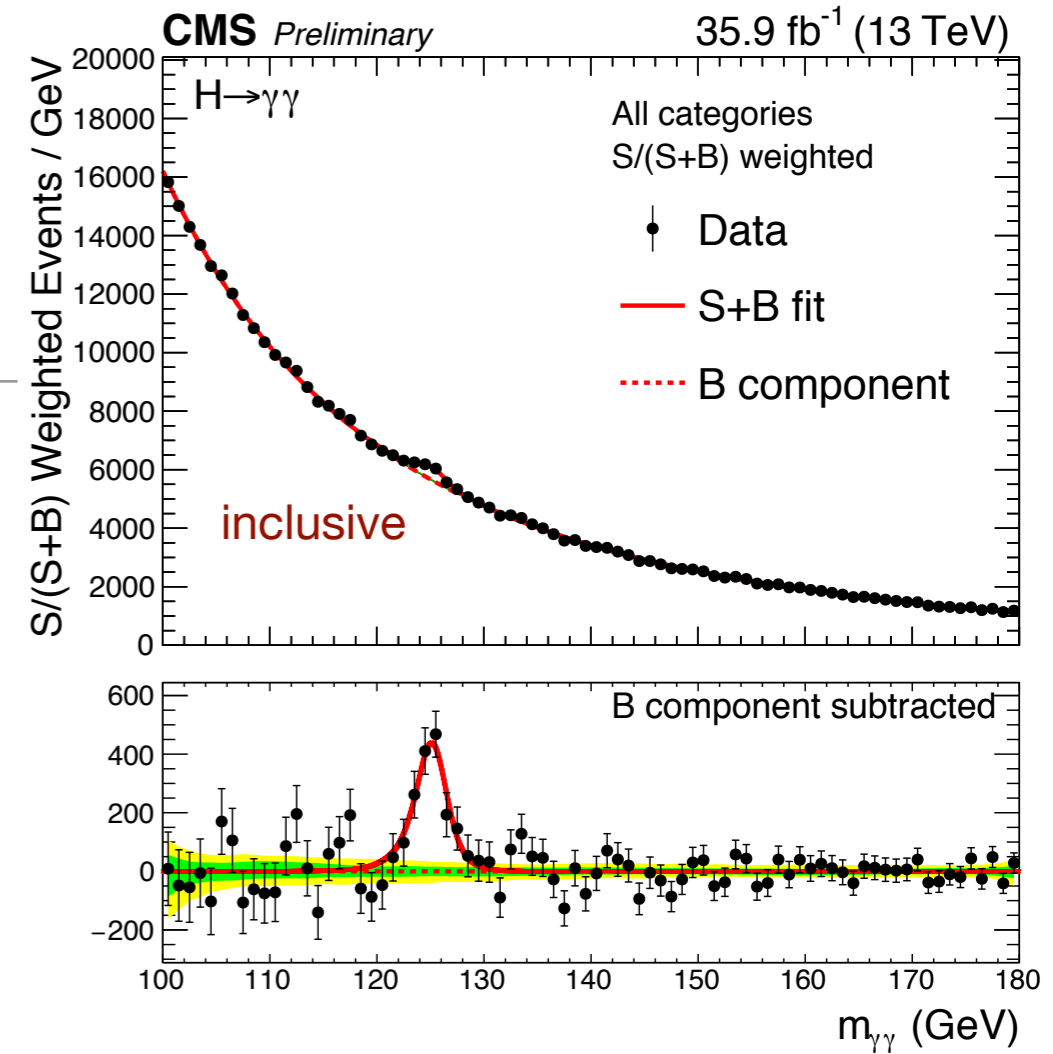
$H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$

***properties and cross sections***

# Fiducial cross section

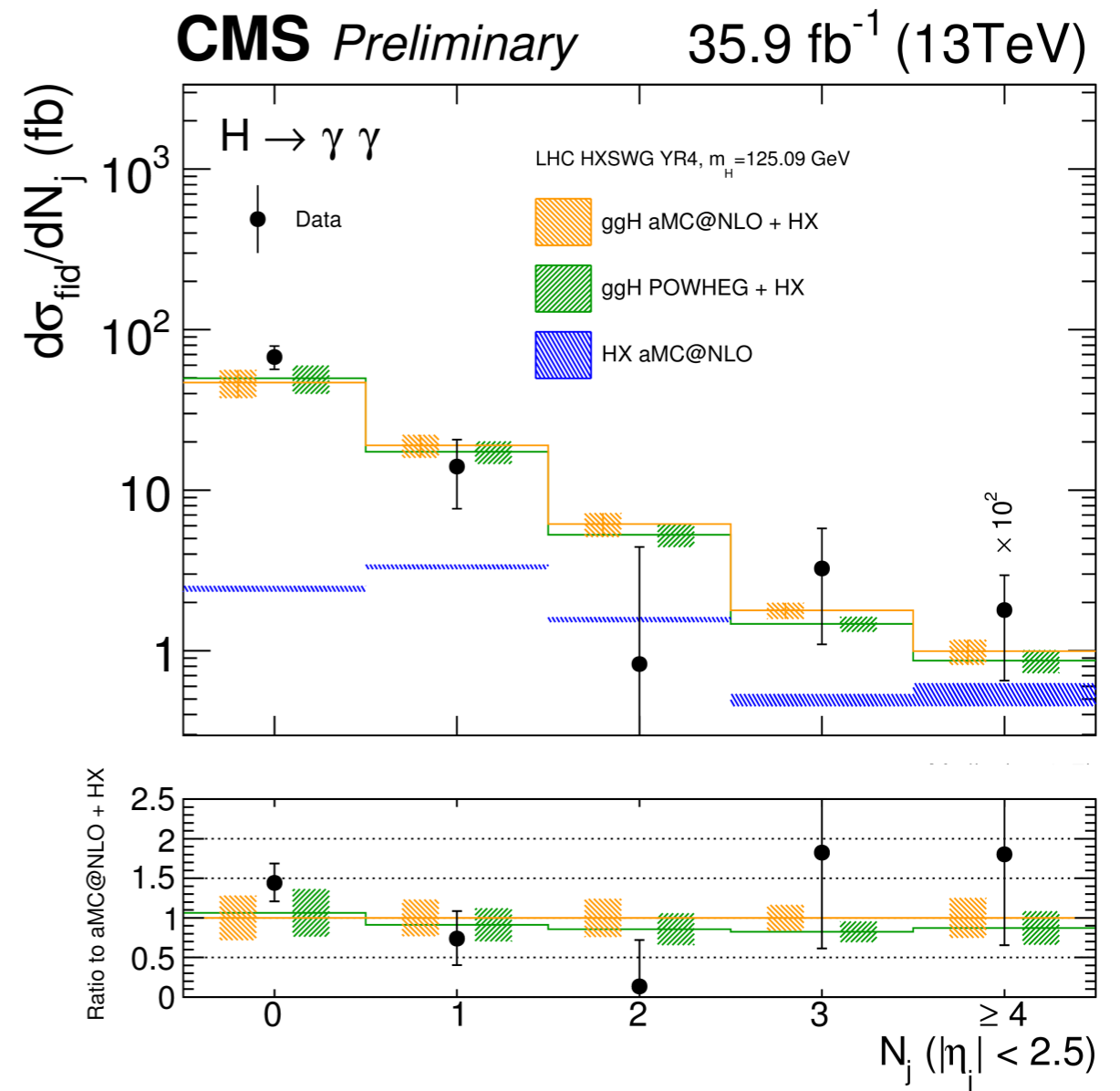
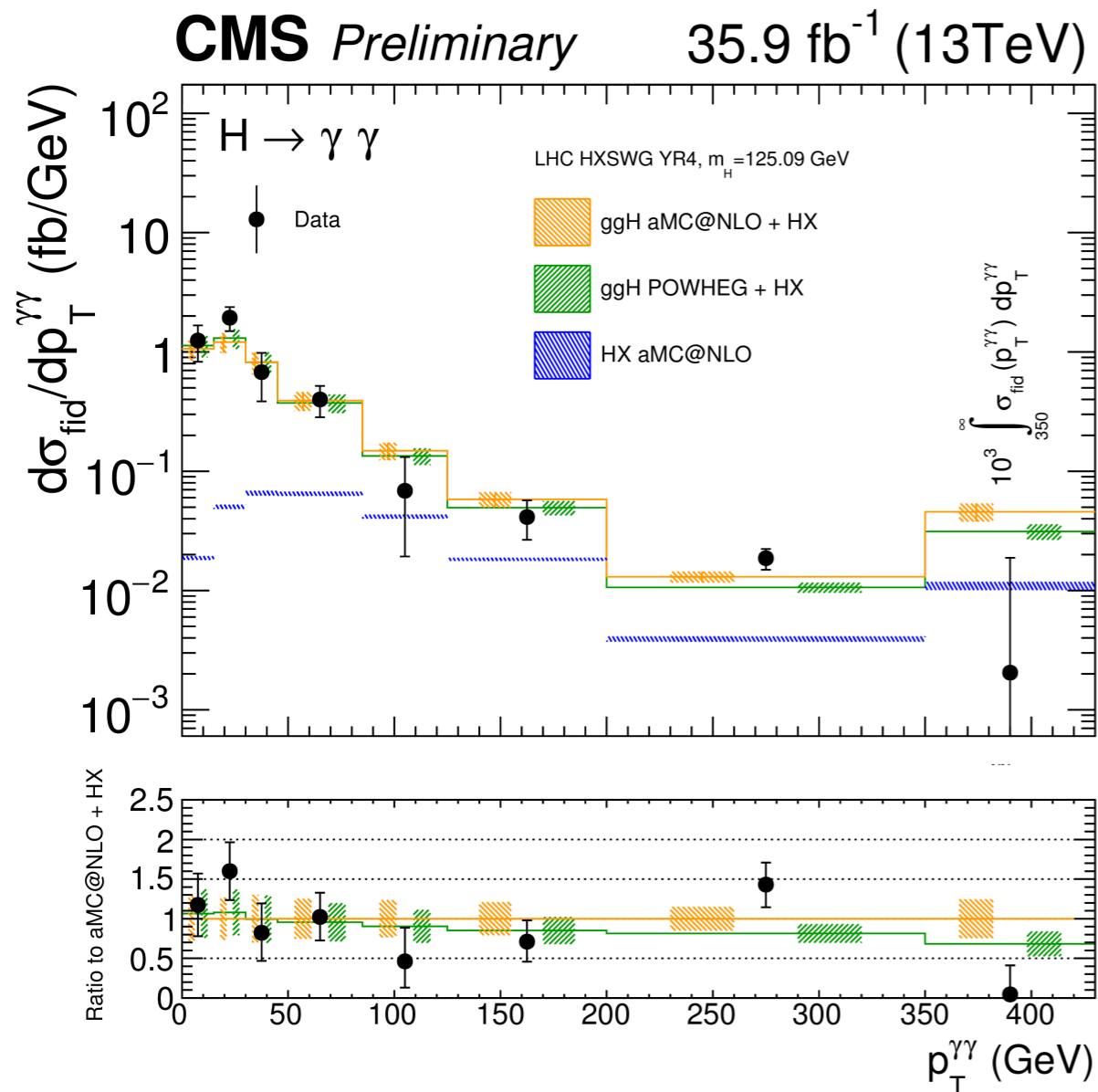
Define three categories based on the estimated relative mass resolution. **Fit  $m_{\gamma\gamma}$  simultaneously for all categories**

**$\sigma_{\text{fid}} = 84 \pm 11$  (stat.)  $\pm 7$  (syst.) fb**  
 $\sigma_{\text{fid}} = 75 \pm 4$  fb (SM)



Most precise fiducial cross section to date

# Differential measurements



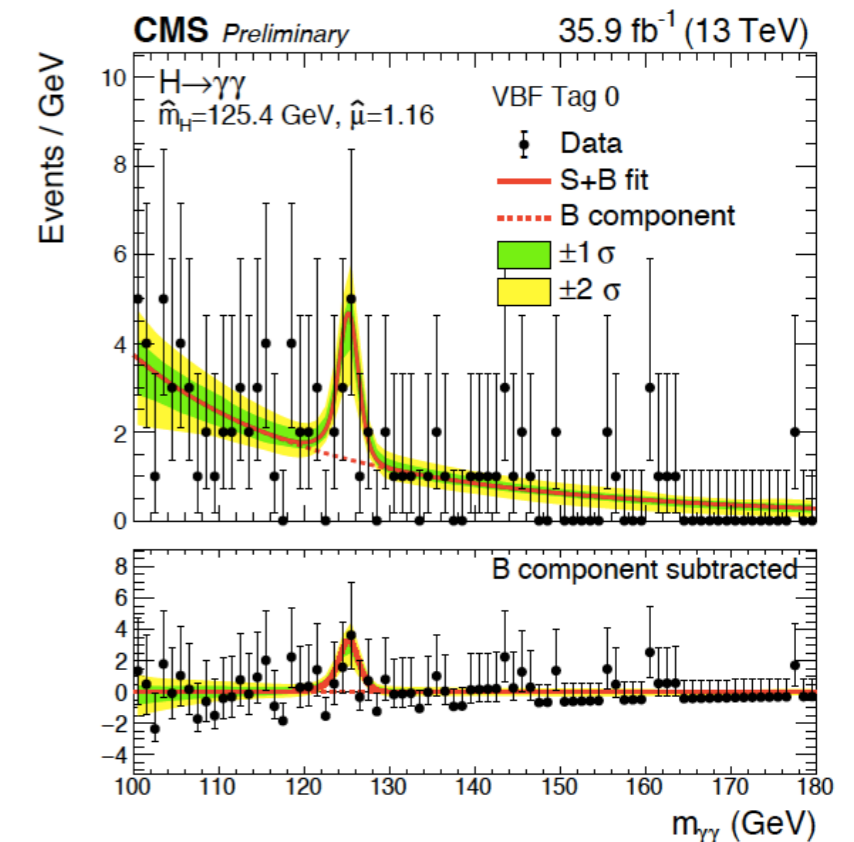
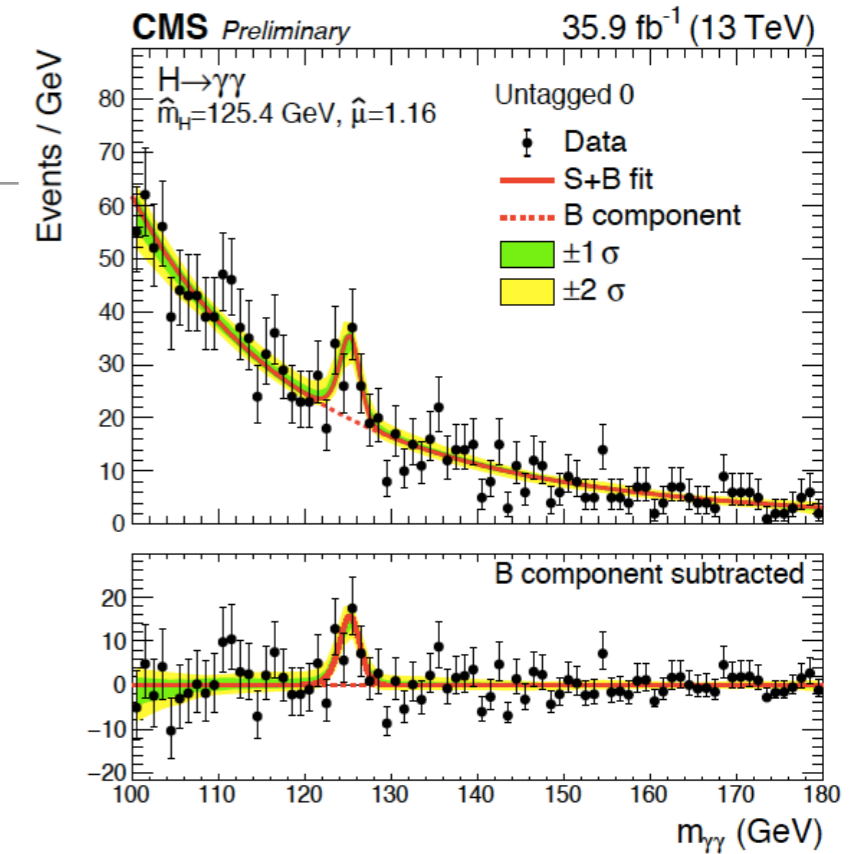
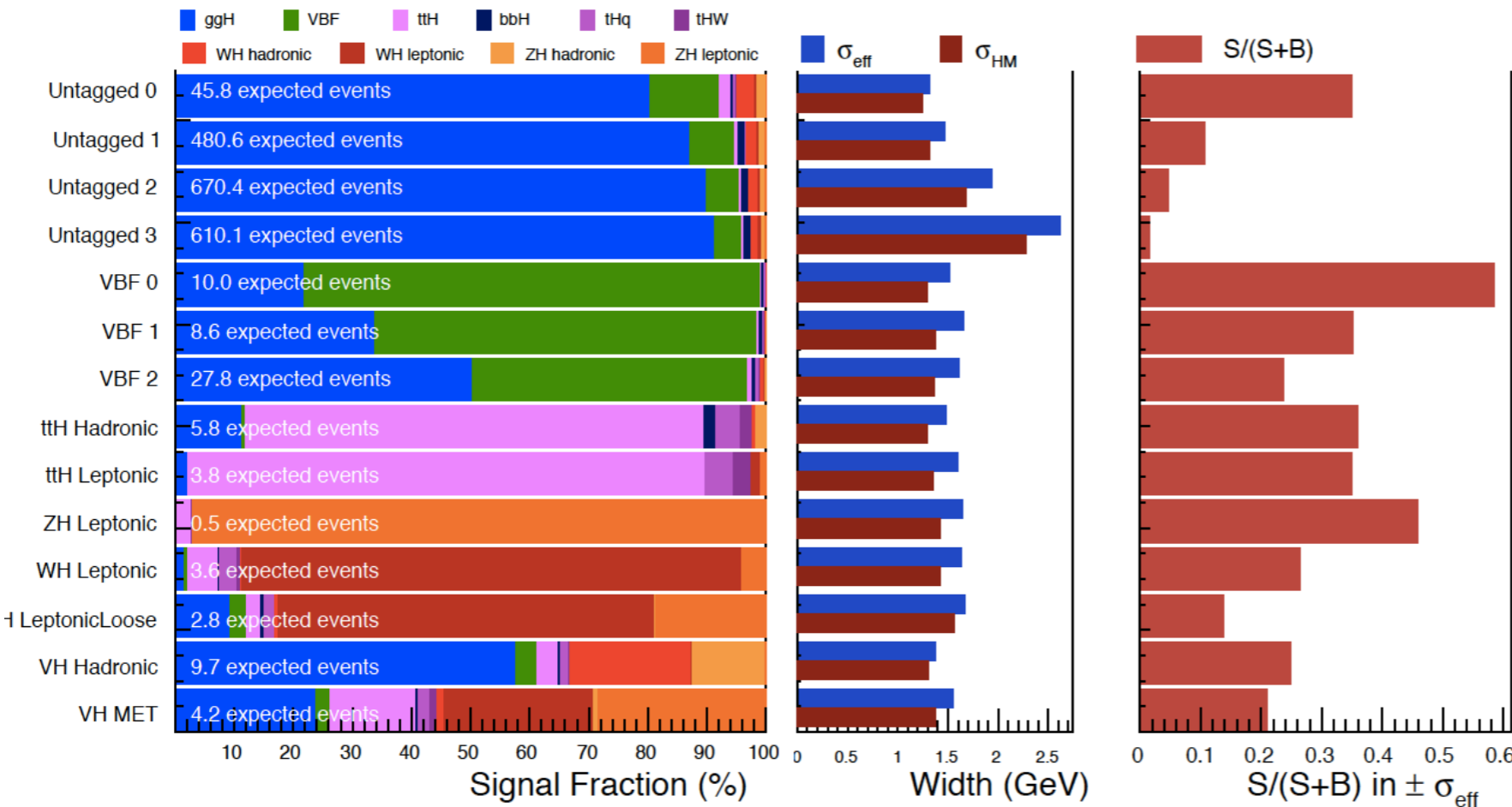
Can probe BSM at high  $p_T$

Can be used to test perturbative QCD calculations

# H → γγ properties

Standard preselection  $p_{T1}/m_{\gamma\gamma} > 0.33$ ,  $p_{T2}/m_{\gamma\gamma} > 0.25$ ,  $100 < m_{\gamma\gamma} < 180$  GeV. **Events are classified according to mass resolution and S/B in the VBF, VH, ttH and gluon fusion categories**

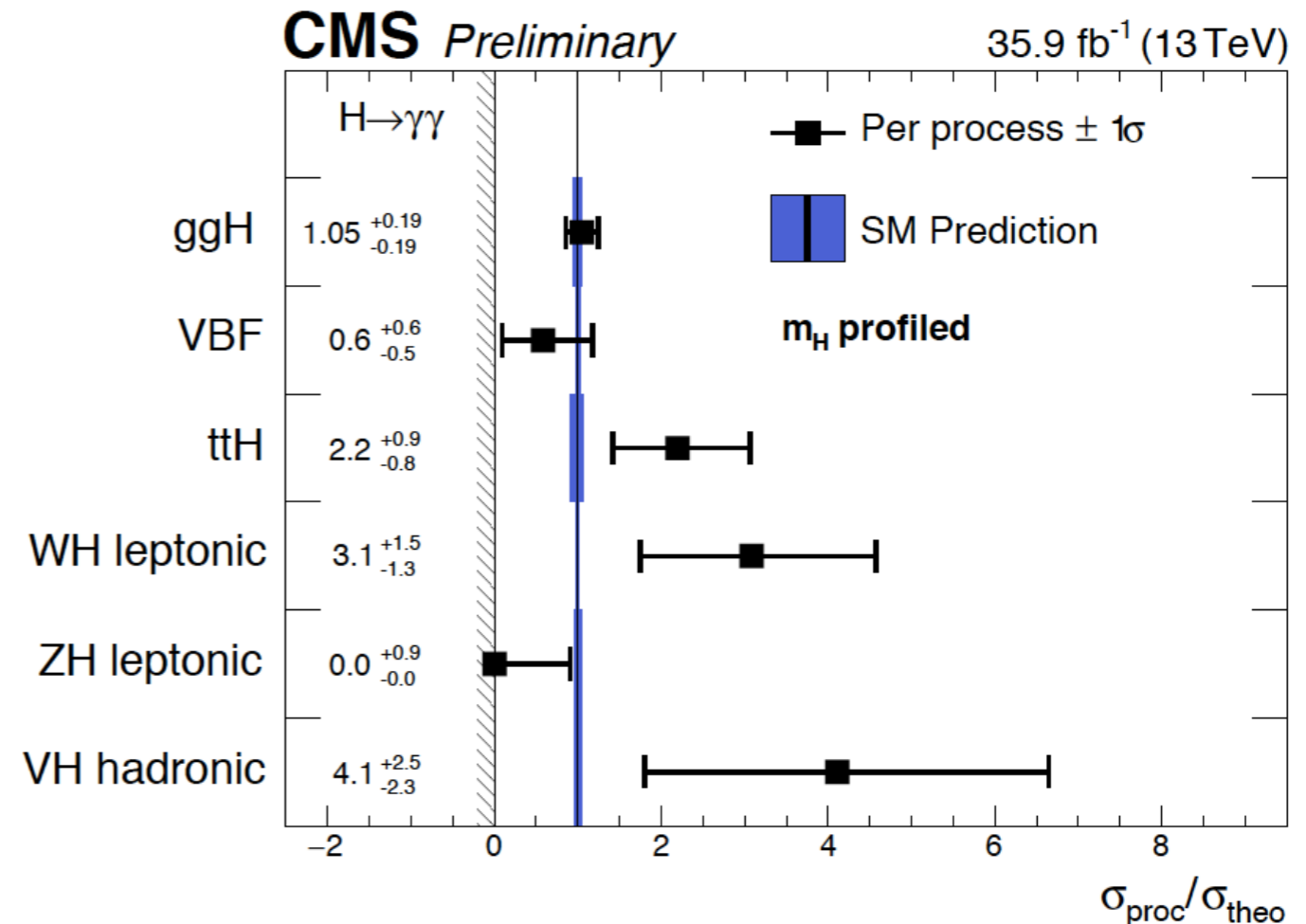
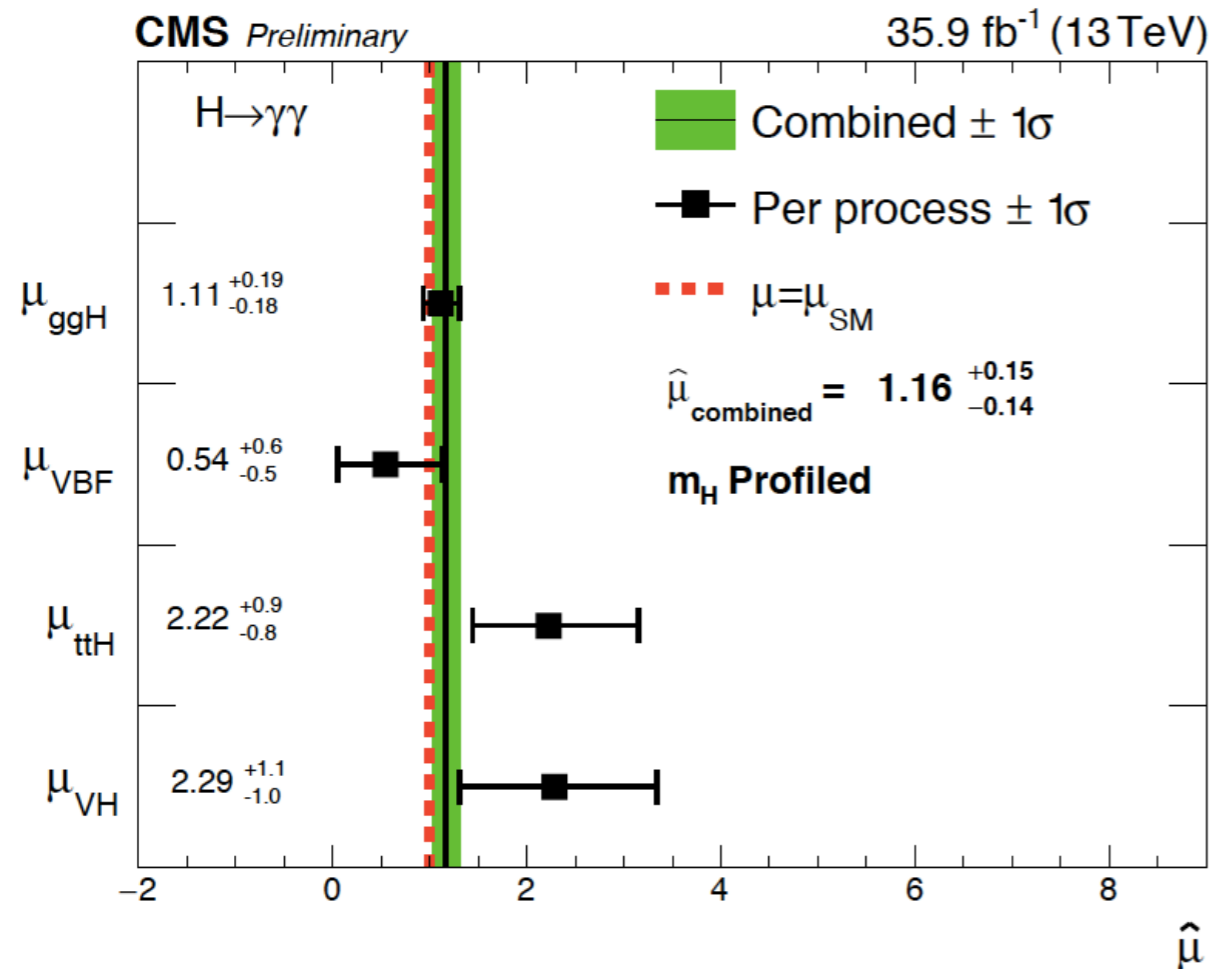
CMS Preliminary H → γγ



# Measuring the signal strength

**A likelihood scan of the signal strength is performed, profiling all other nuisances including the Higgs mass.** In addition, cross section ratios for each process are measured in the Stage 0 Higgs Simplified Template Cross Section (STXS) framework

$$\mu = \sigma/\sigma_{\text{SM}} = 1.16_{-0.10}^{+0.11} \text{ (stat.) }_{-0.08}^{+0.09} \text{ (syst.) }_{-0.05}^{+0.06} \text{ (theo.)}$$

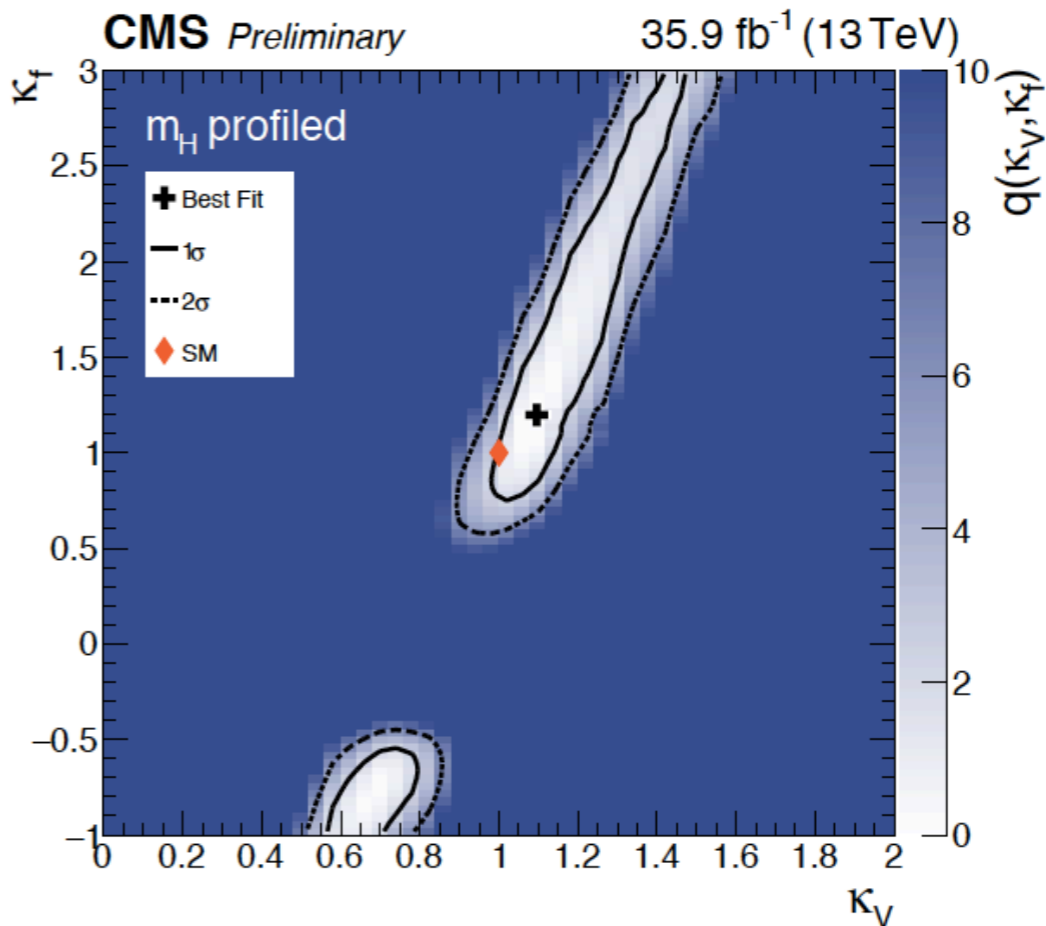
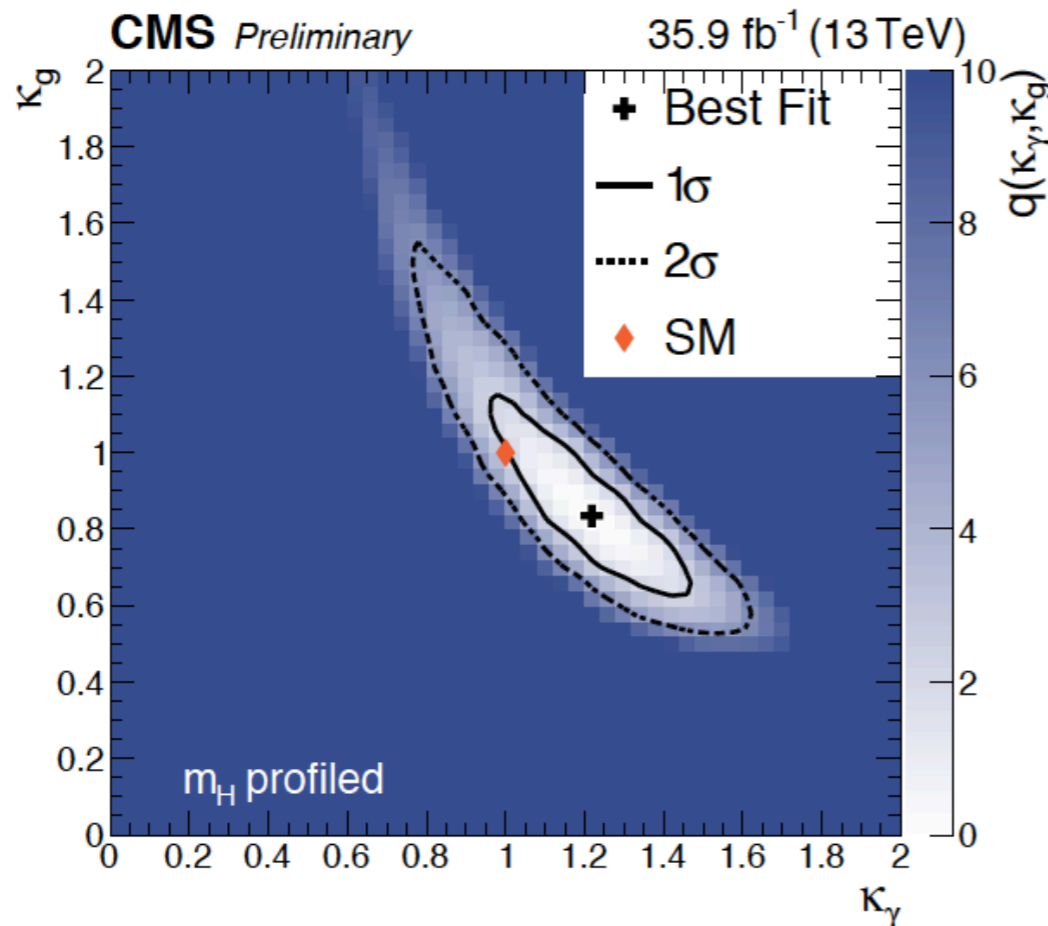
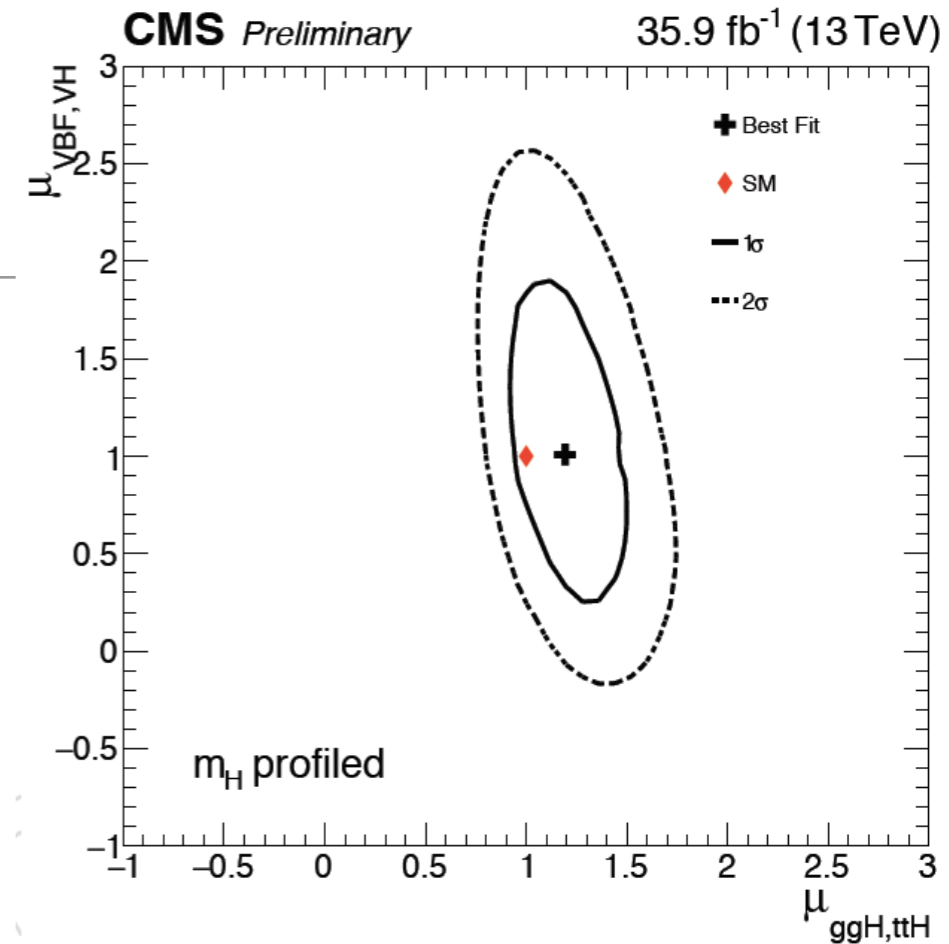




# 2D likelihood scans

**Signal strength** for fermionic production modes (ggH and ttH) vs. signal strength for vector boson production modes (VBF, ZH, WH)

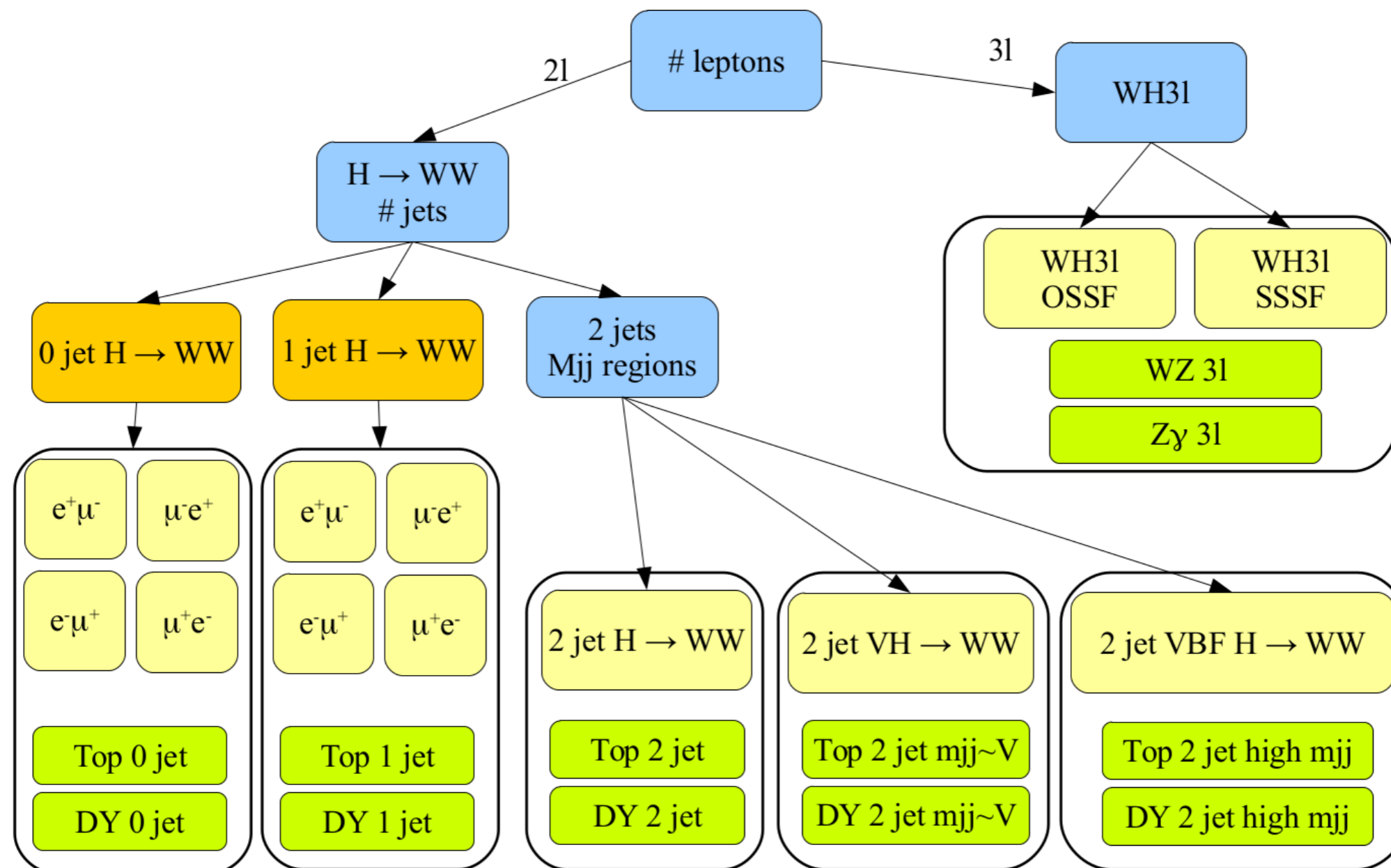
**Coupling modifiers** to gluons and photons  $k_g$  vs.  $k_\gamma$  (left) and coupling modifiers to fermions and bosons  $k_f$  vs.  $k_V$  (right)



$H \rightarrow WW \rightarrow 2l 2\nu$   
*measurements*

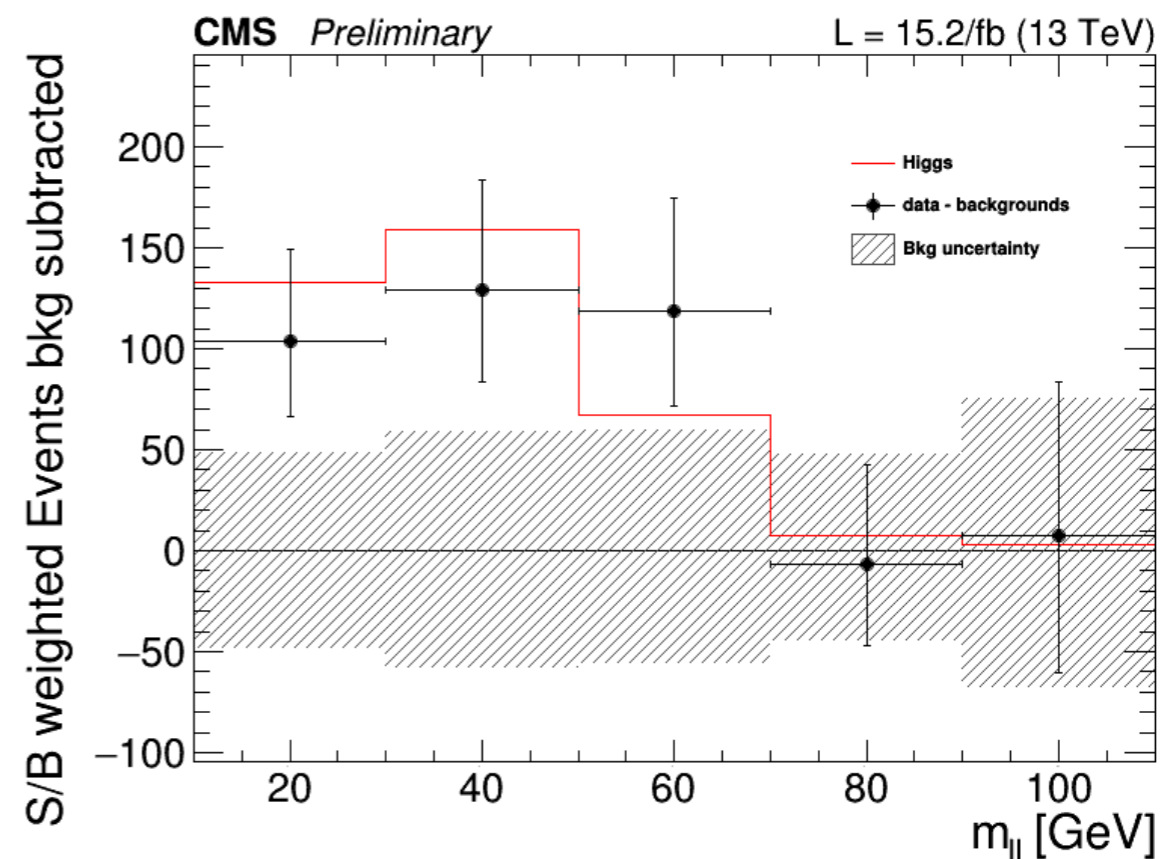
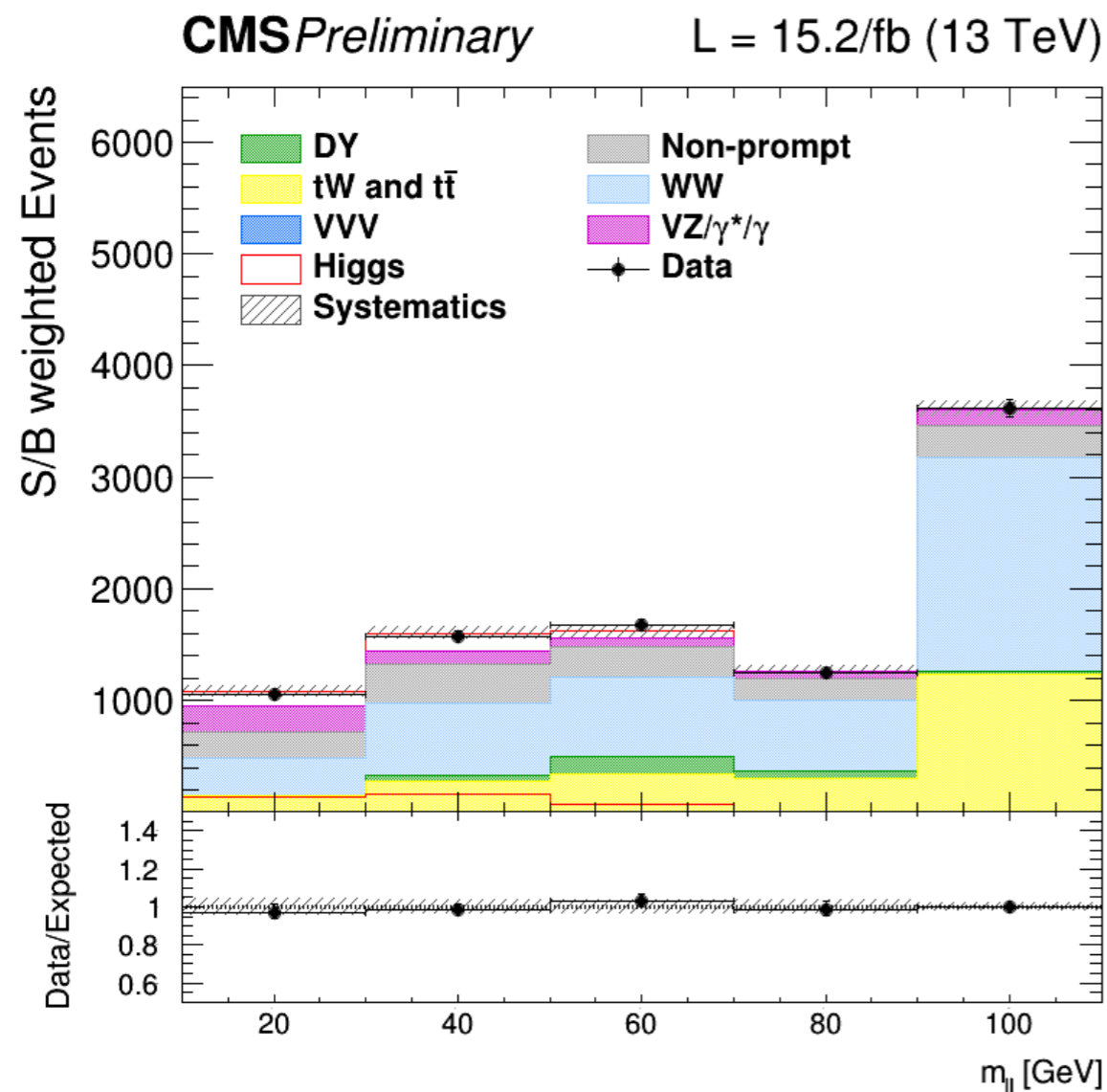
# Divide et impera

Analysis performed on  $2.3 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  (2015) +  $12.9 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  (2016) in the different flavour ( $e\mu$ ) topology. **With the DY contamination strongly reduced, the main backgrounds are top and WW**



# Getting there

Weighted and combined dilepton invariant mass for the 0, 1 and 2 jet categories

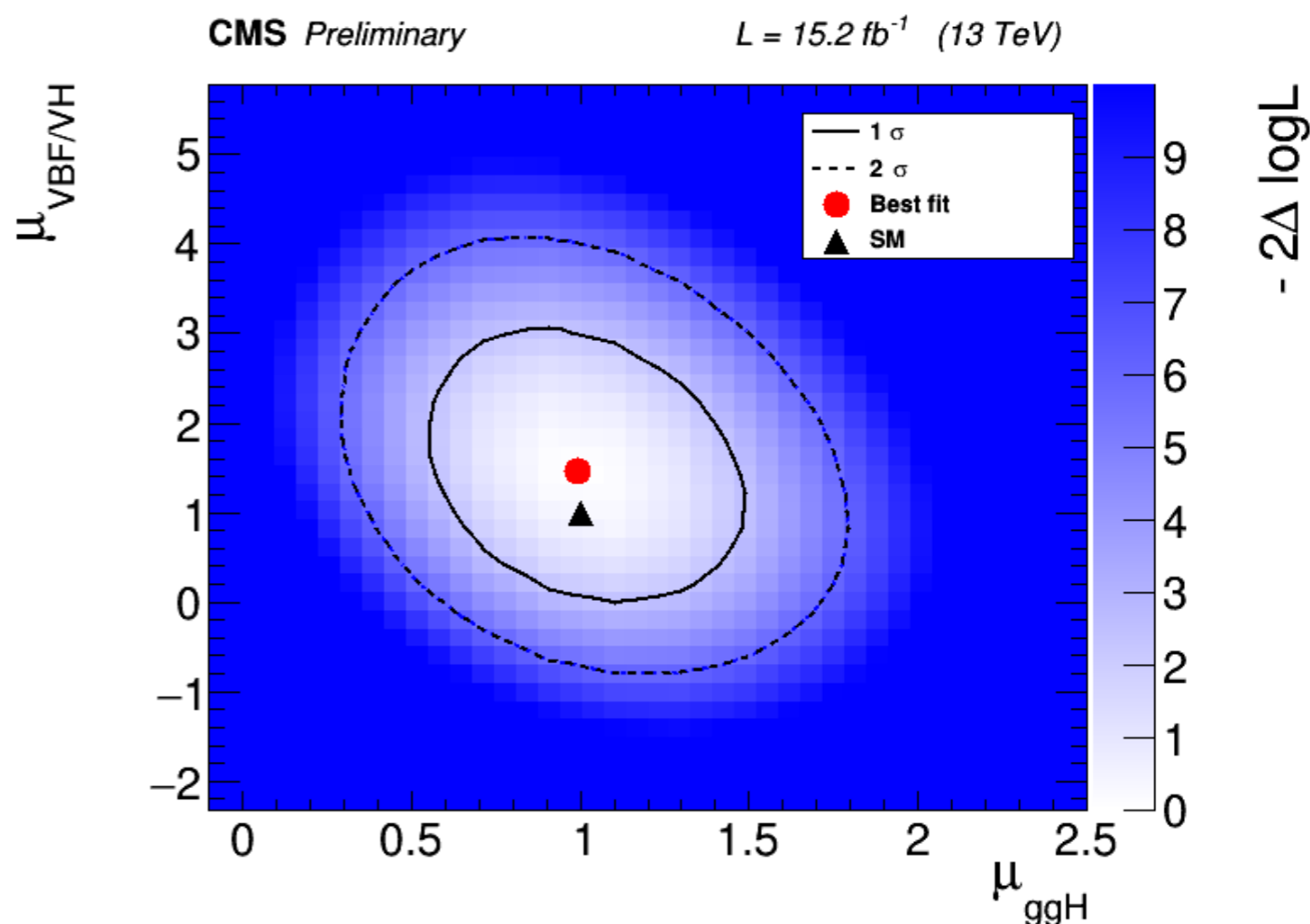


# HWW significance and signal strength

The combined signal strength is

$$1.05 \pm 0.26 \text{ (0.25 stat. } \oplus \text{ 0.03 theory } \oplus \text{ 0.07 syst.)}$$

category	significance	$\sigma / \sigma_{\text{SM}}$
0-jet	2.7 (2.9)	$0.9^{+0.4}_{-0.3}$
1-jet	2.1 (2.5)	$1.1^{+0.4}_{-0.4}$
2-jet	2.0 (1.0)	$1.3^{+1.0}_{-1.0}$
VBF 2-jet	2.2 (1.5)	$1.4^{+0.8}_{-0.8}$
VH 2-jet	1.0 (0.4)	$2.1^{+2.3}_{-2.2}$
WH 3-lep	0.0 (0.5)	$-1.4^{+1.5}_{-1.5}$
combination	4.3 (4.1)	$1.05^{+0.27}_{-0.25}$



# July 24th conclusions

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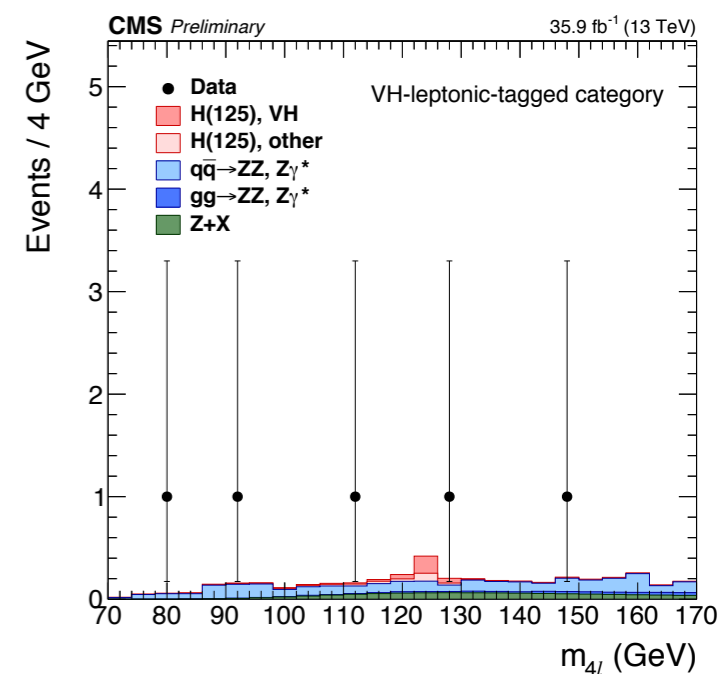
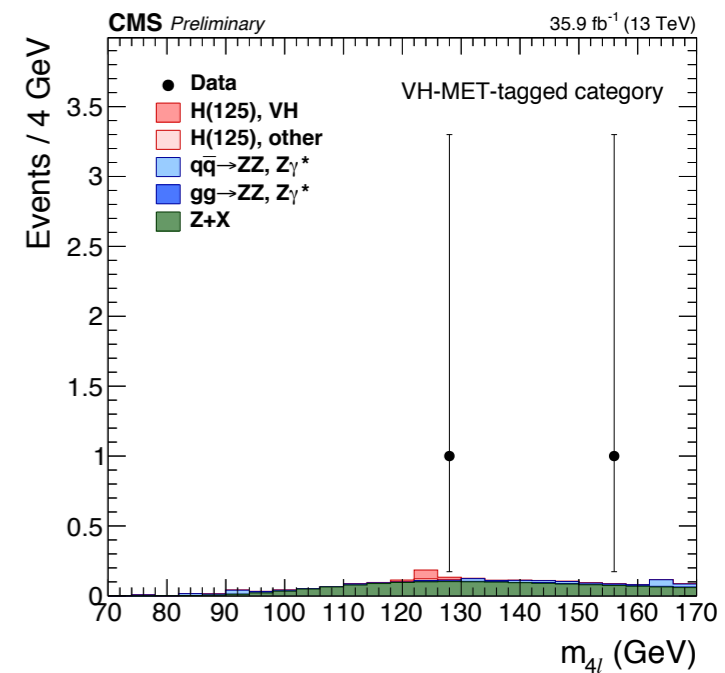
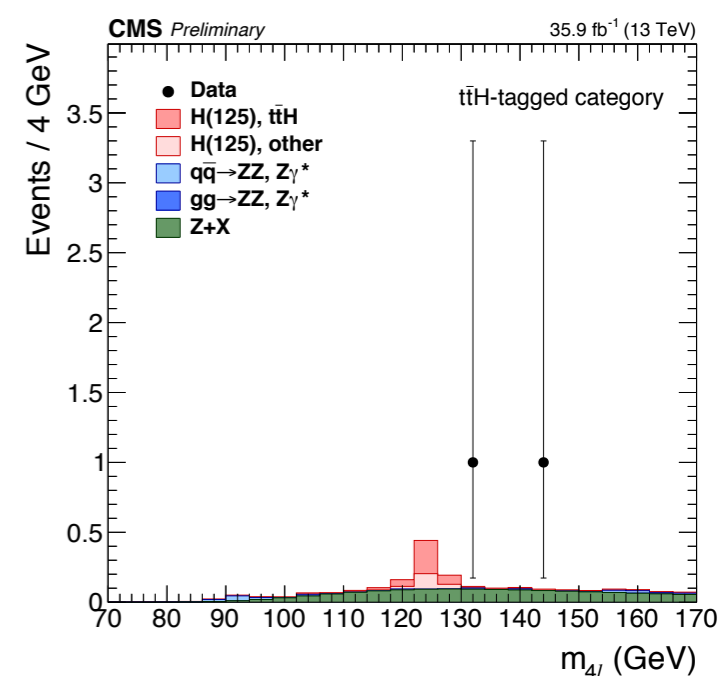
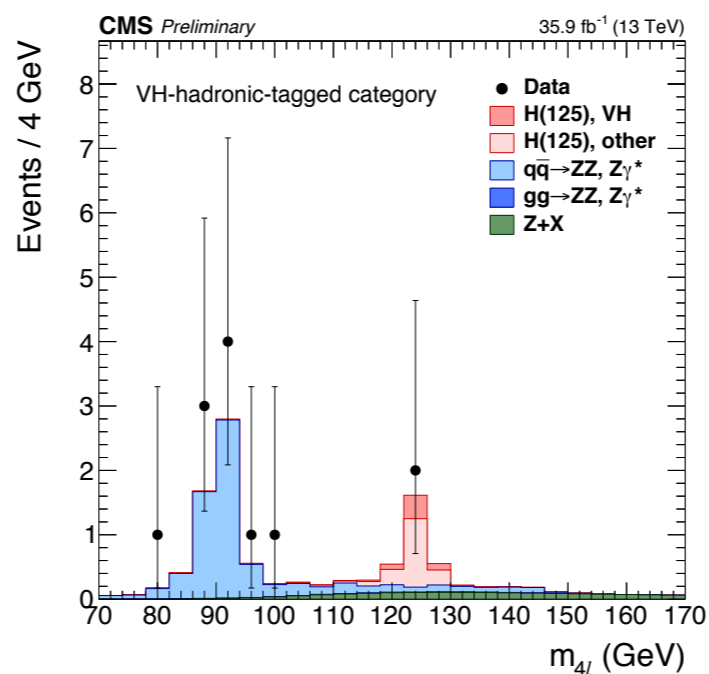
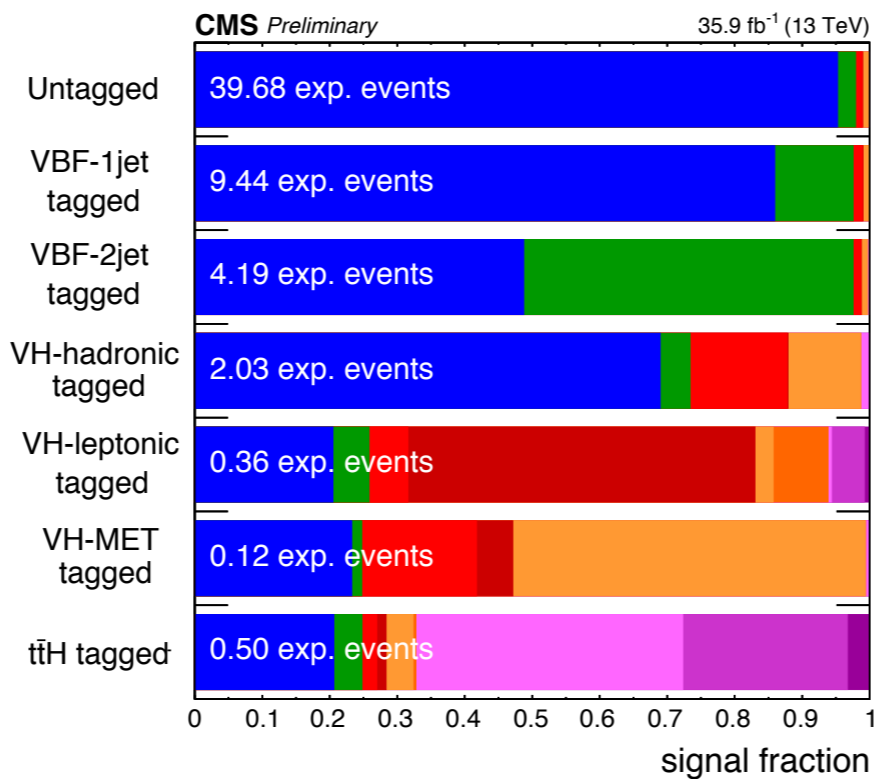
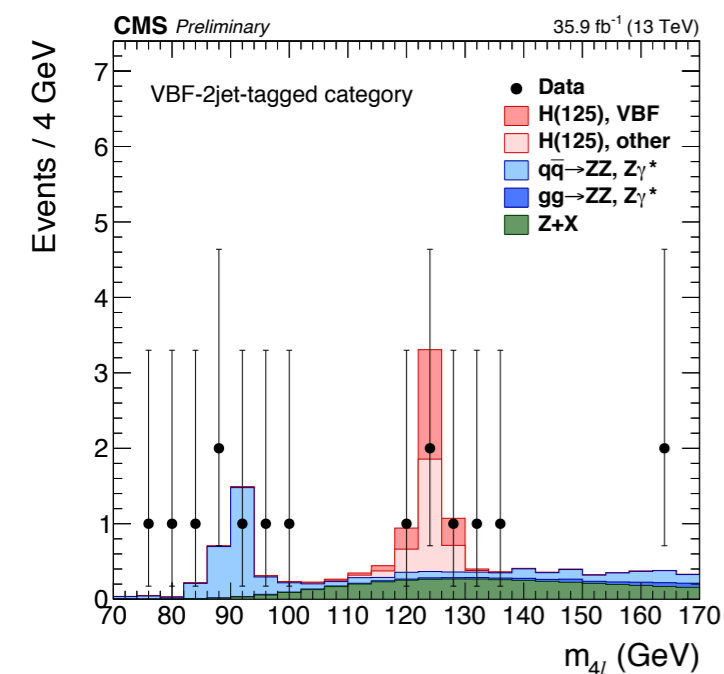
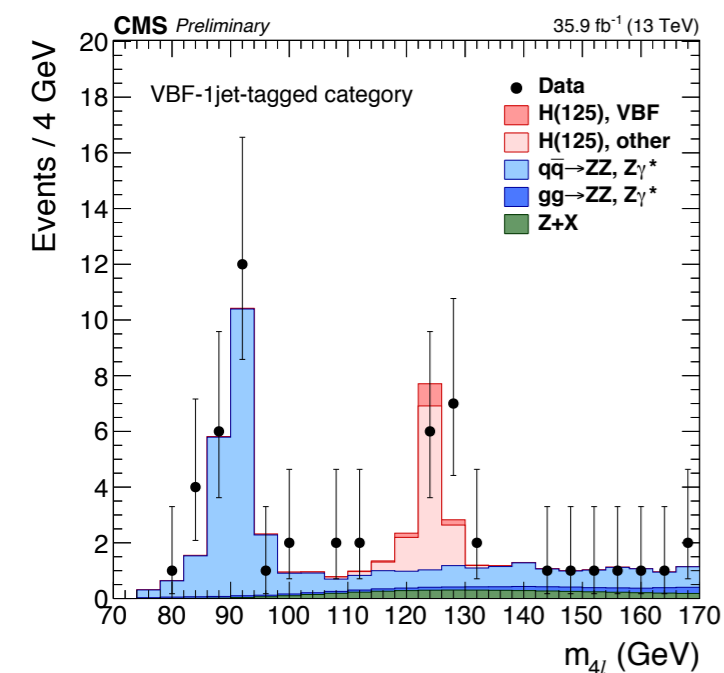
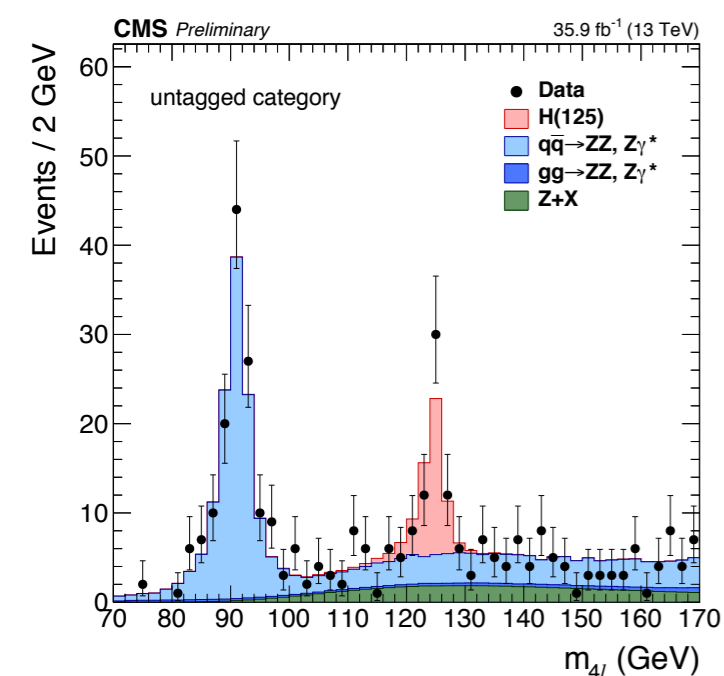
Improved  $H \rightarrow ZZ, \gamma\gamma$  and  $WW$  sensitivity by splitting events in different categories, based on resolution, production modes and S/B

**CMS has analyzed up to  $38.6 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  of pp collisions at 13 TeV, measuring Higgs properties like fiducial and differential cross sections, mass, width and coupling constants**

The challenge for the ongoing Run 2 is high precision Higgs Physics, with an expected luminosity above 100/fb and more than 50 pileup interactions per event



# HIG-16-041





# Signal strengths

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document	decay	luminosity	$\mu$
HIG-16-041	$H \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow 4 \text{ lepton}$	$35.9 \text{ fb}^{-1}$	<b>1.05</b> $_{-0.17}^{+0.19}$
HIG-16-040	$H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$	$35.9 \text{ fb}^{-1}$	<b>1.16</b> $_{-0.14}^{+0.15}$
HIG-16-021	$H \rightarrow WW$	$15.2 \text{ fb}^{-1}$	<b>1.05</b> $_{-0.25}^{+0.27}$