



Experimental Highlights

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Introductory Remarks

- Really interesting conference!
 - right mixture of **theoretical** and **experimental** (**EXCELLENT**) talks with many **discussions**: having a few slides to introduce them at the end of the talks by the chair person is a **very good IDEA!**
- **3 days** full of content: impossible to make justice to **all interesting results** in 40' !
 - Very **successful Young Scientists** talks
 - **Biased** choice of **highlights** in the following: focus on what is "**new**" or "**intriguing**" or **triggered discussion** (**controversial**) with some more **general** personal remarks (... but many interesting results are in backup)

THANKS to the organizers!

- I only have one remark ... maybe is time to

... change the conference name: the Higgs **Hunting** season is over ?



THE Higgs (125 GeV) boson

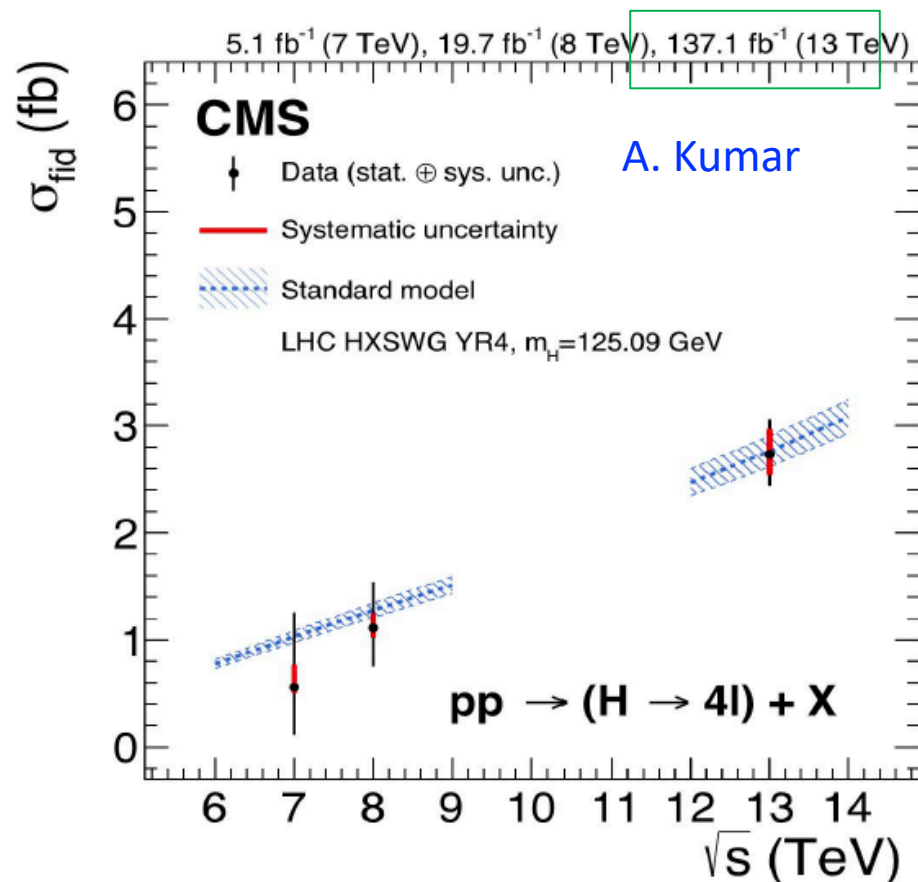
More ... Introduction

- The Higgs boson and the Brout-Englert-Higgs mechanism play a **crucial role** in the SM:
 - SM has **many “free”** parameters: **18** ignoring neutrino masses/mixing and θ_{QCD} , **25** if neutrino are masses+mixing added as Dirac mass terms (not present in original formulation and requires sterile ν_R)
 - Of these **18/25** parameters **all but 3** are linked to **Higgs interactions**:
 - Once also M_H is measured (current accuracy **<2 per mill**) all **free parameters** are known with high accuracy:
 - Main testable signature of BEH mechanism \rightarrow Couplings **H-to-SM-particles** related to their **masses**, Higgs **self interaction** also determined by **vev** and **mass**
 - Any **measurement** at LHC **over-constrain** hence **test** the SM model
- *Note: Still **very little understanding** on why we have so **many free parameters** and the origin of their **hierarchy**

Higgs to Boson decays

- $H \rightarrow ZZ^* \rightarrow 4l$ and $H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ are clearly the cleanest experimental signatures with fully reconstructed final state
 - allow measurement of the mass (2 per mill level)
 - Backgrounds small and/or determined in situ
 - Small BR: need large luminosity!
 - Ideal channels for fiducial differential and STXS measurements
- More challenging $H \rightarrow WW \rightarrow l\nu l\nu$
 - Larger BR but systematics on background already playing a major role

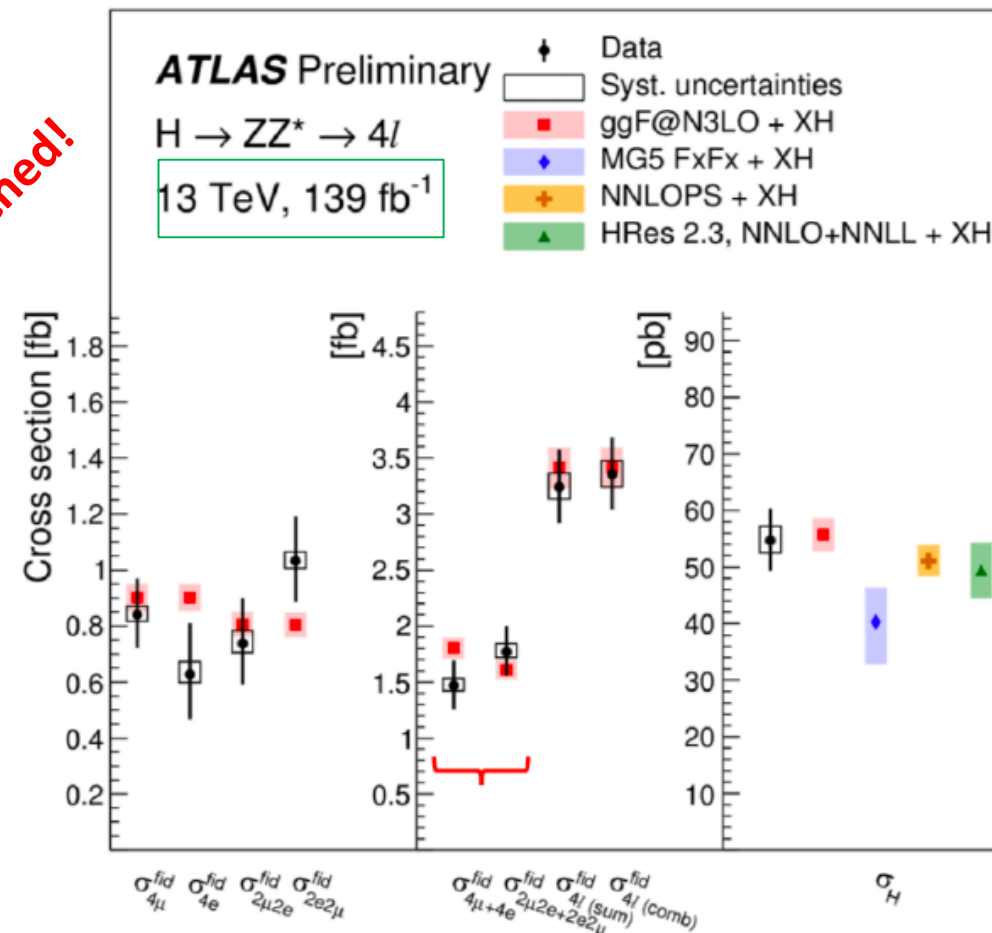
H → 4-leptons updated with full Run2!



$$\sigma_{\text{fid.}} = 2.73^{+0.30}_{-0.29} = 2.73^{+0.23}_{-0.22}(\text{stat.})^{+0.24}_{-0.19}(\text{syst.}) \text{ fb}$$

$$\sigma_{\text{fid.}}^{\text{SM}} = 2.76 \pm 0.14 \text{ fb.}$$

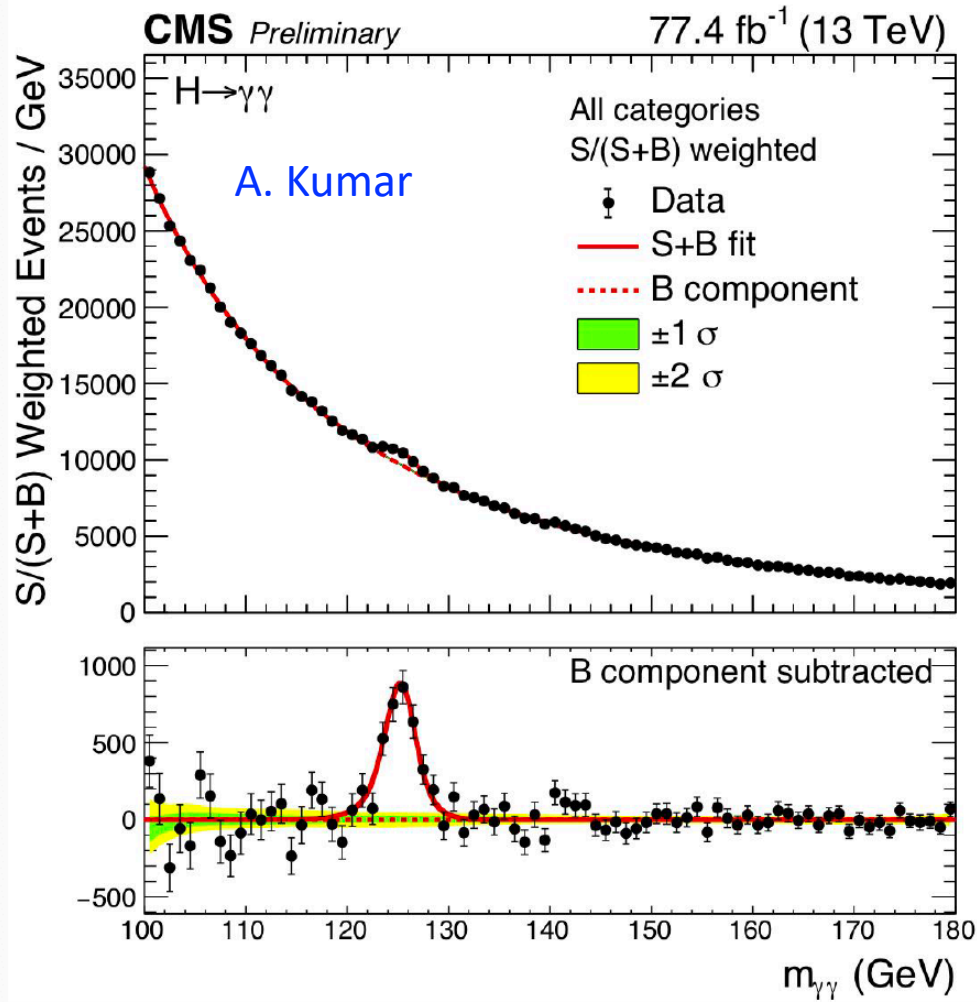
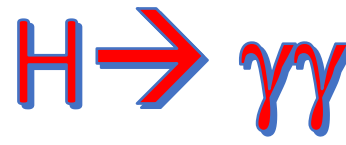
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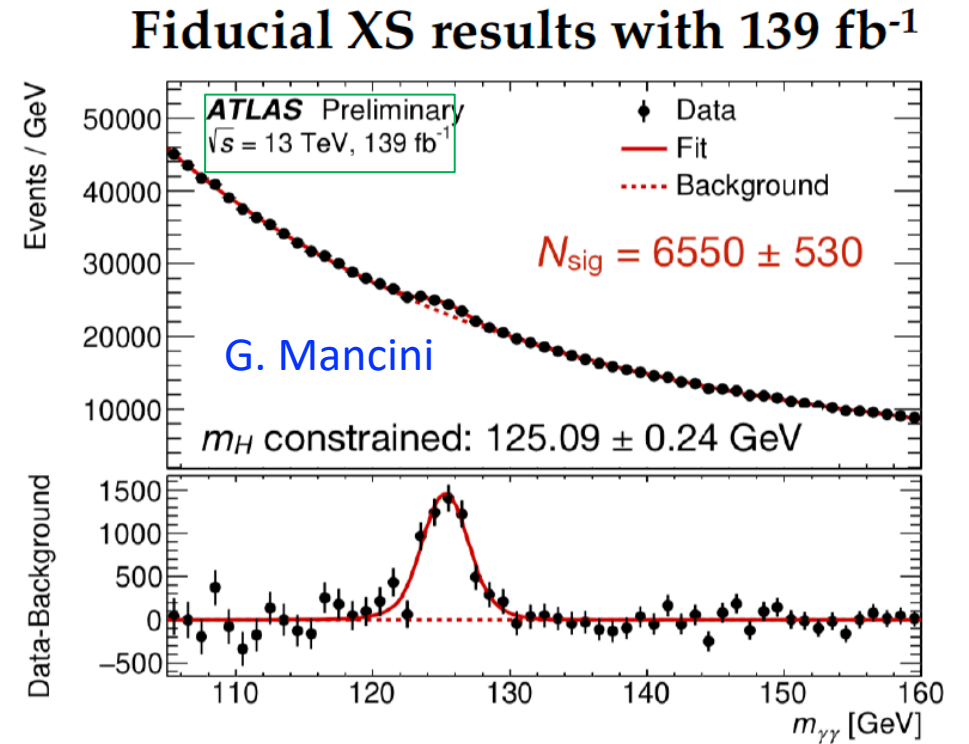
$$\sigma \cdot \mathcal{B} \equiv \sigma \cdot \mathcal{B}(H \rightarrow ZZ^*) = 1.38 \pm 0.11(\text{stat.})^{+0.05}_{-0.03}(\text{exp.}) \pm 0.03(\text{th.}) \text{ pb} = 1.38 \pm 0.12 \text{ pb.}$$

$$(\sigma \cdot \mathcal{B})_{\text{SM}} \equiv (\sigma \cdot \mathcal{B}(H \rightarrow ZZ^*))_{\text{SM}} = 1.33 \pm 0.09 \text{ pb.}$$

10% accuracy reached!



$$\hat{\mu} = 1.18^{+0.17}_{-0.14} = 1.18^{+0.12}_{-0.11} (\text{stat})^{+0.09}_{-0.07} (\text{syst})^{+0.07}_{-0.06} (\text{theo})$$



$$\sigma_{\text{fid}} = 65.2 \pm 4.5 (\text{stat.}) \pm 5.6 (\text{syst.}) \pm 0.3 (\text{theo.}) \text{ fb}$$

$$\text{SM prediction: } \sigma_{\text{fid}} = 63.3 \pm 3.3 \text{ fb}$$

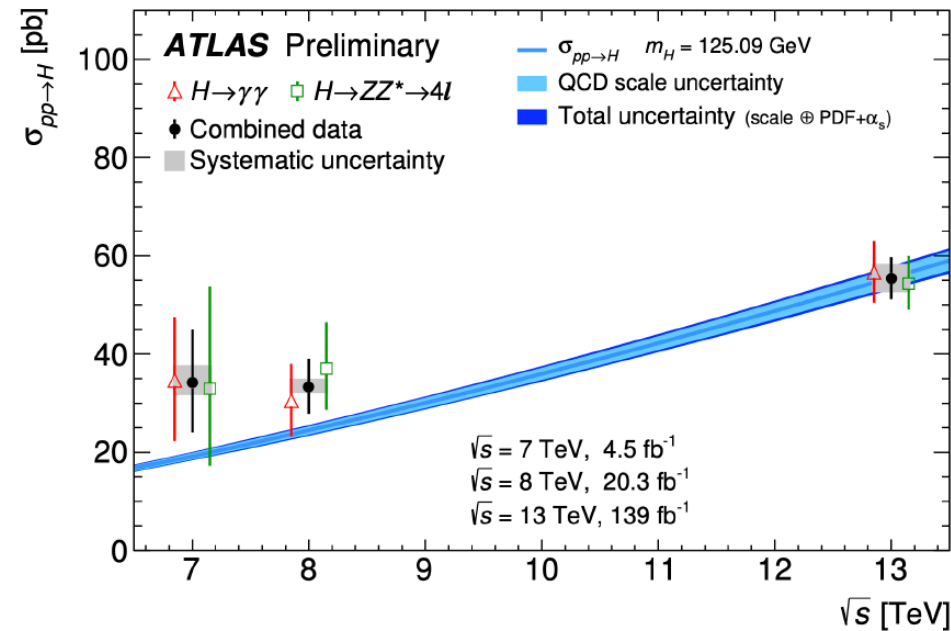
Also here **10% accuracy** achieved with Full Run2 data set
Fiducial cross section **immune** to **theory uncertainties**

Updated total combined $\gamma\gamma+4l$ cross section 139 fb^{-1}

XS: $H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ and $H \rightarrow ZZ^* \rightarrow 4l$ combination

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- Results with 139 fb^{-1} @ 13 TeV
- $m_H = 125.09 \text{ GeV}$
- The cross sections are obtained from the measured event yields, combined accounting for luminosity, detector effects, acceptances, and branching fractions (SM assumptions)
- The measured total Higgs boson production cross section is: $55.4^{+4.3}_{-4.2} \text{ pb} \left(\pm 3.1(\text{stat.}) \pm 3.0(\text{sys.}) \right)$
- Agreement with the Standard Model prediction: $55.6 \pm 2.5 \text{ pb}$



Total relative error $\sim 8\%$ in agreement with
SM predictions (error $\sim 4.5\%$)!

Huge success for experimentalist and
theorist

xs per production mode

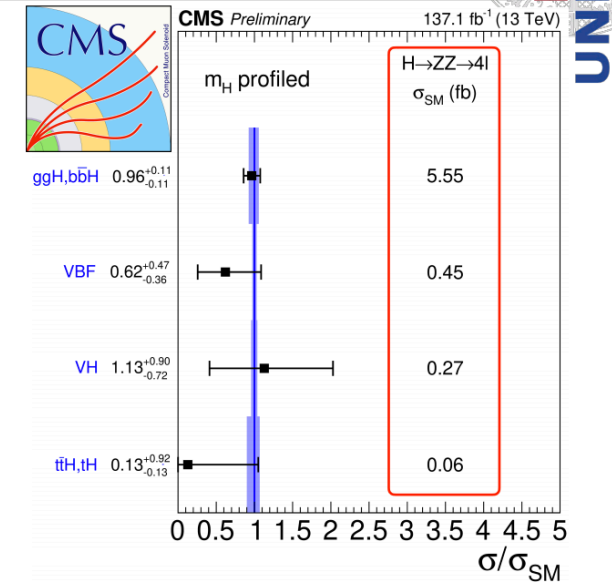
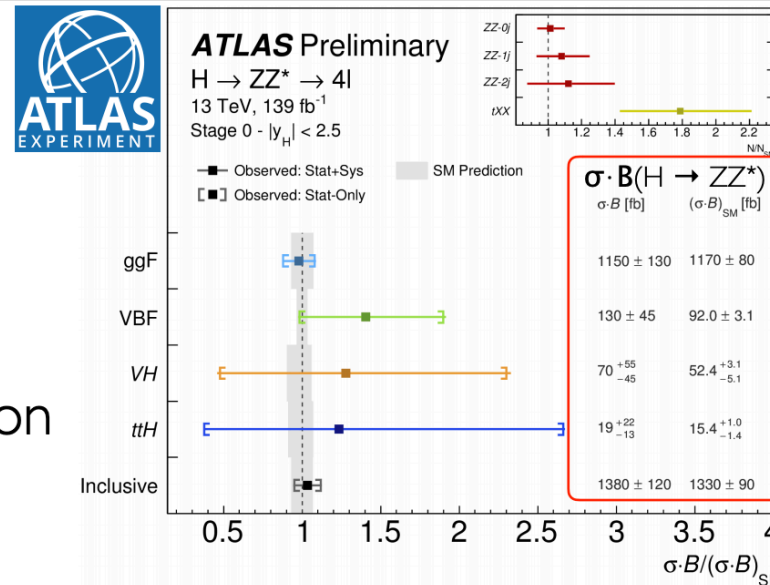
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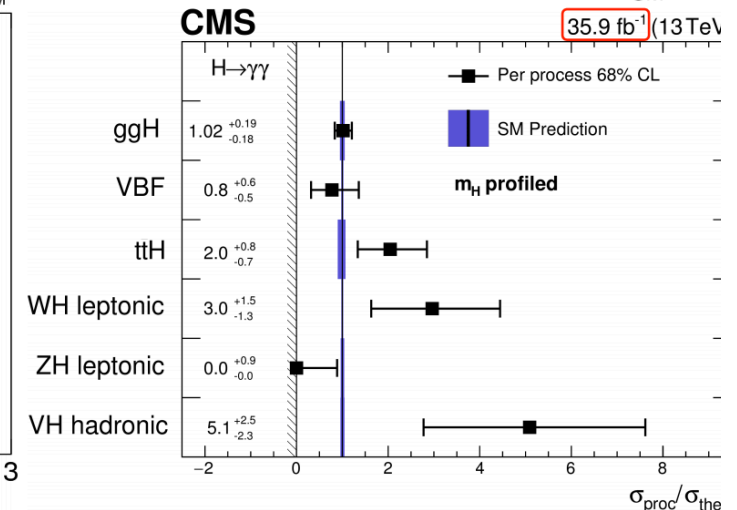
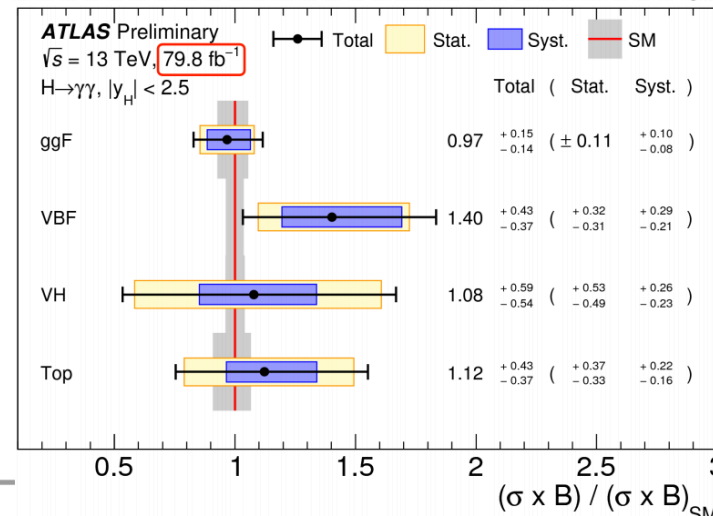
• $H \rightarrow ZZ^* \rightarrow 4\ell$

- Still statistics limited with 140 fb^{-1}
- ggF measurement precision reaches precision of SM prediction



• $H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$



- Systematics for ggF and VBF similar size as 80 fb^{-1} statistics



- Theory systematics on signals starts to play relevant role

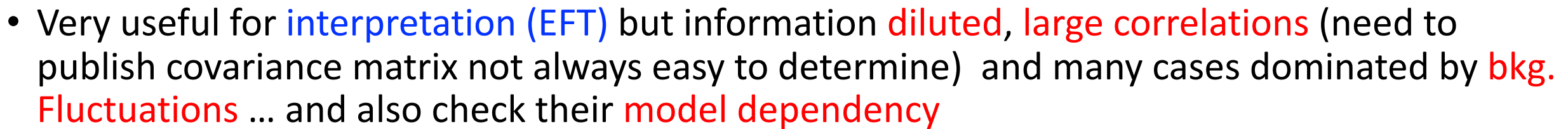
Discussion: theory systematics on signal

K. Koeneke

Systematic		
μ_R and μ_F	8-point variation: Vary by 0.5 and 2.0; No further constraint	6-point variation: Vary by 0.5 and 2.0; Constrain $0.5 < \mu_R/\mu_F < 2.0$
PDF	PDF4LHC_NLO_30 Hessian eigenvector variations: NNPDF3.0 eigenvectors + alternative nominal (MMHT2014, CT14)	NNPDF eigenvector variations

- Ongoing effort to **harmonize theory errors** (on both signal and background) in **LHC Higgs Combination** group (LHCHCWG)
- One of the main motivations of **STXS** is also to **harmonize (signal) theory uncertainties**: **LHCHCSWG** documented uncertainties on YR4

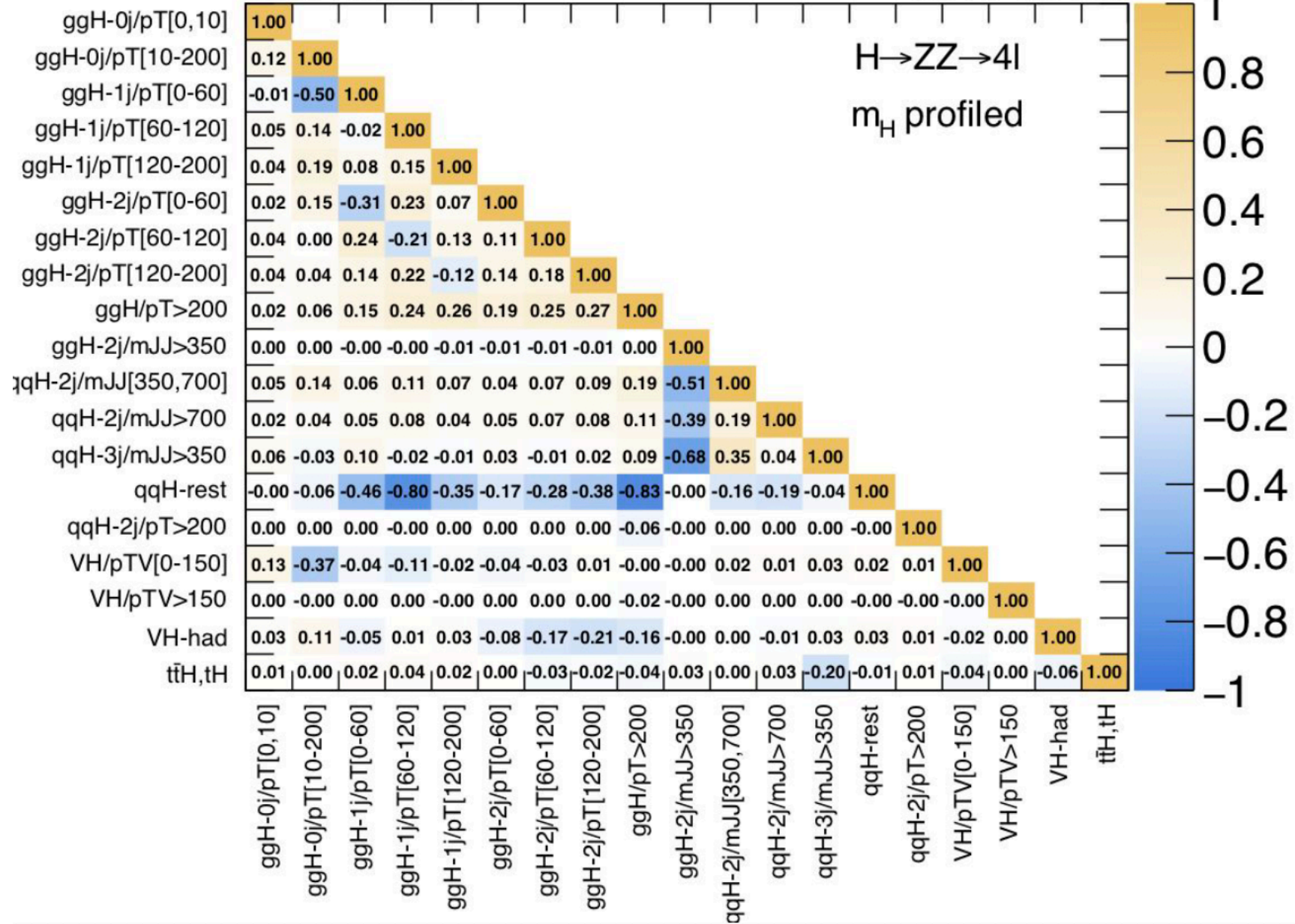
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CMS Preliminary

137.1 fb⁻¹ (13 TeV)

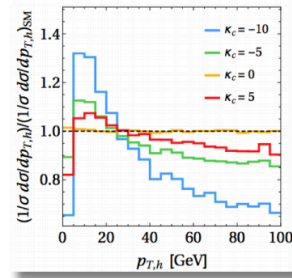
H→ZZ→4l
m_H profiled



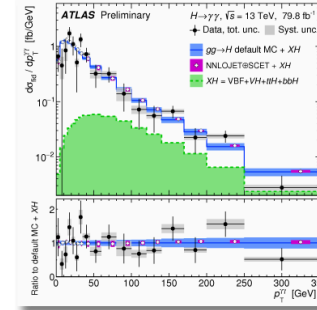
Important to **publish** (and use) full covariance matrix !

Pt-Higgs measurement

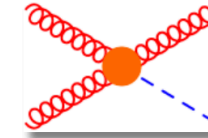
$p_{t,H}$: a major probe for Higgs physics



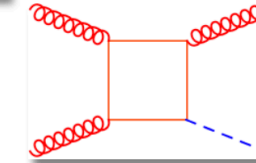
Low p_t
Light Yukawas...



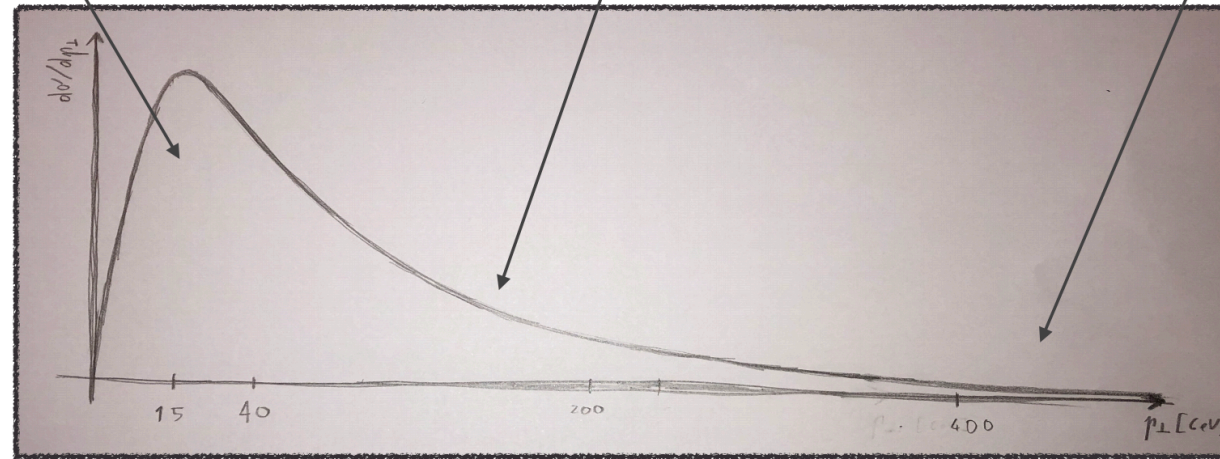
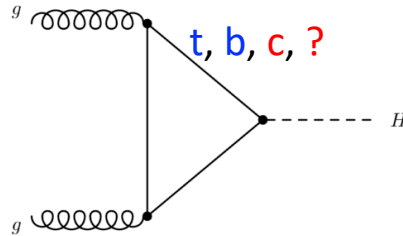
Bulk of the distribution
Highest precision



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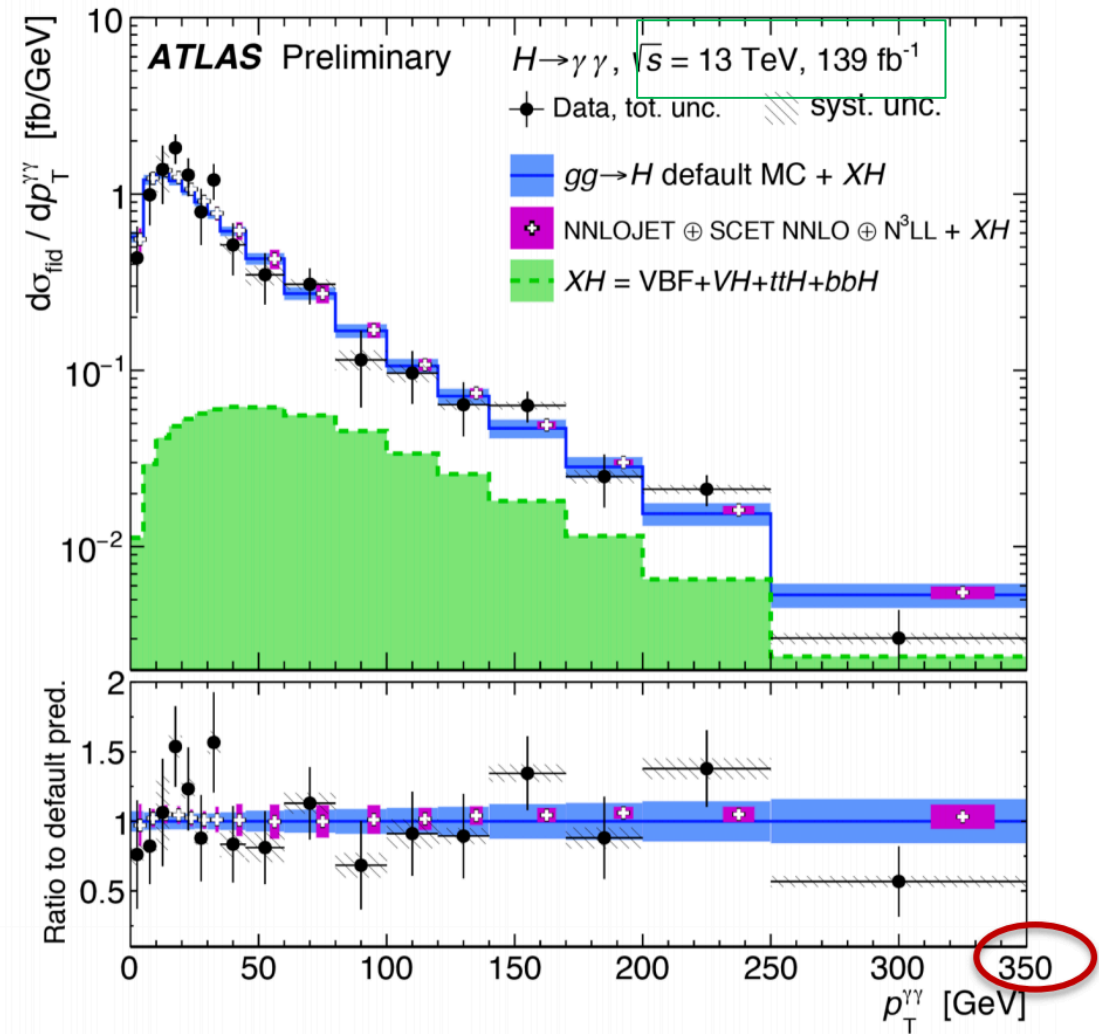
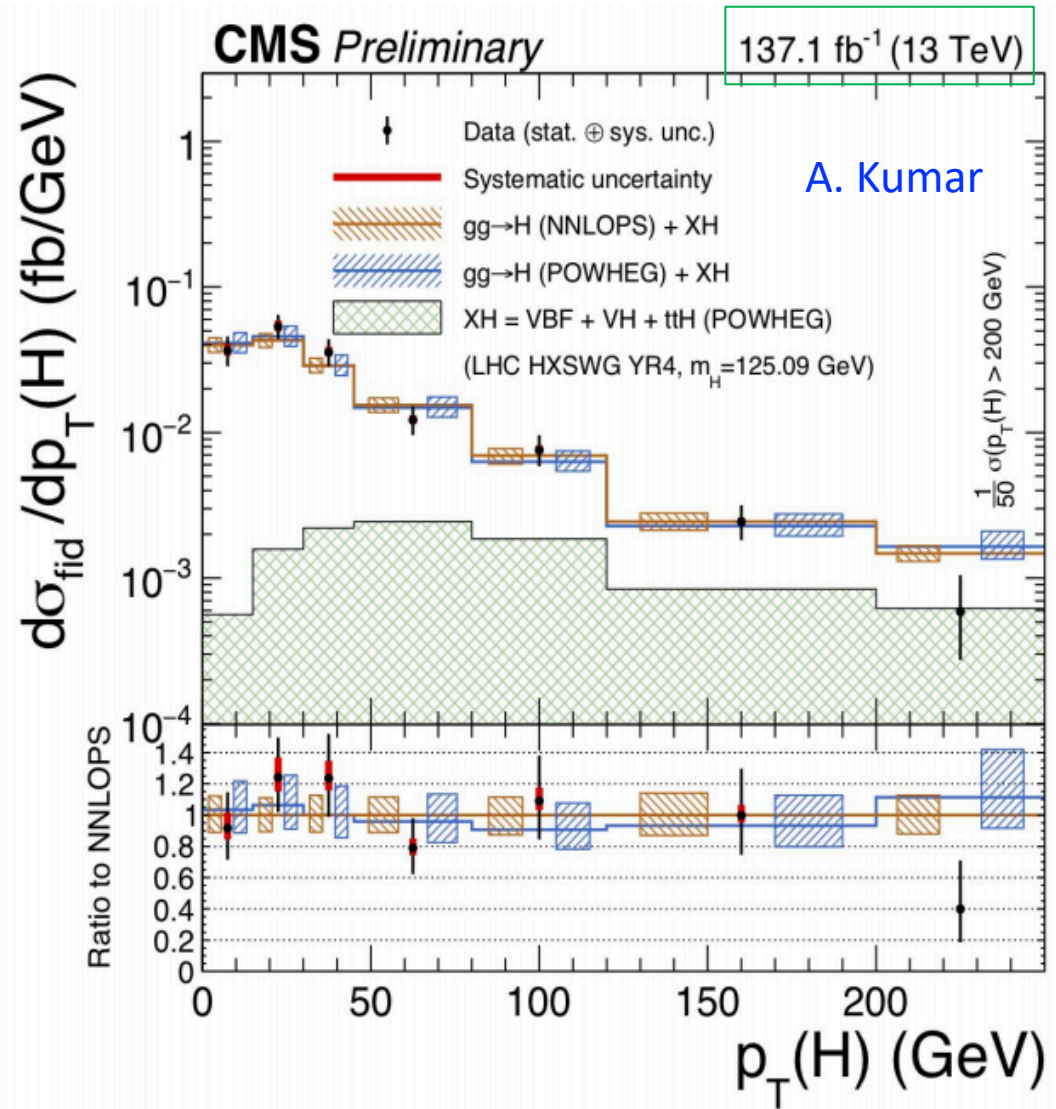


Boosted
ggH vs ttH, EFT...



- Higgs p_t spectrum dominated by **gluon fusion production (ggF)** - not true at **very high p_t**
- Full range sensitive to several **BSM effects**:
 - Higgs **couplings** to **charm, bottom, top, BSM Top partners** ([A.Banfi, A.Martin, V.Sanz '13](#)) , **EFT operators**, ...

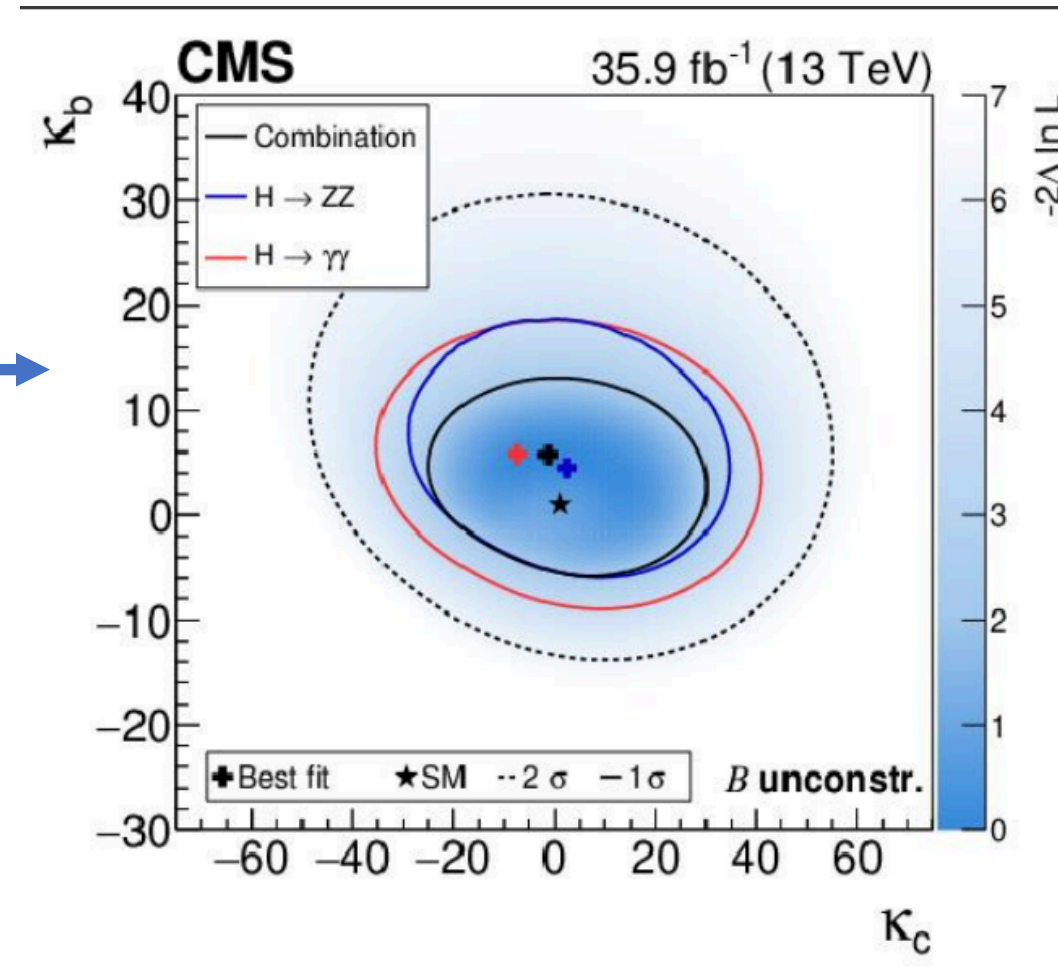
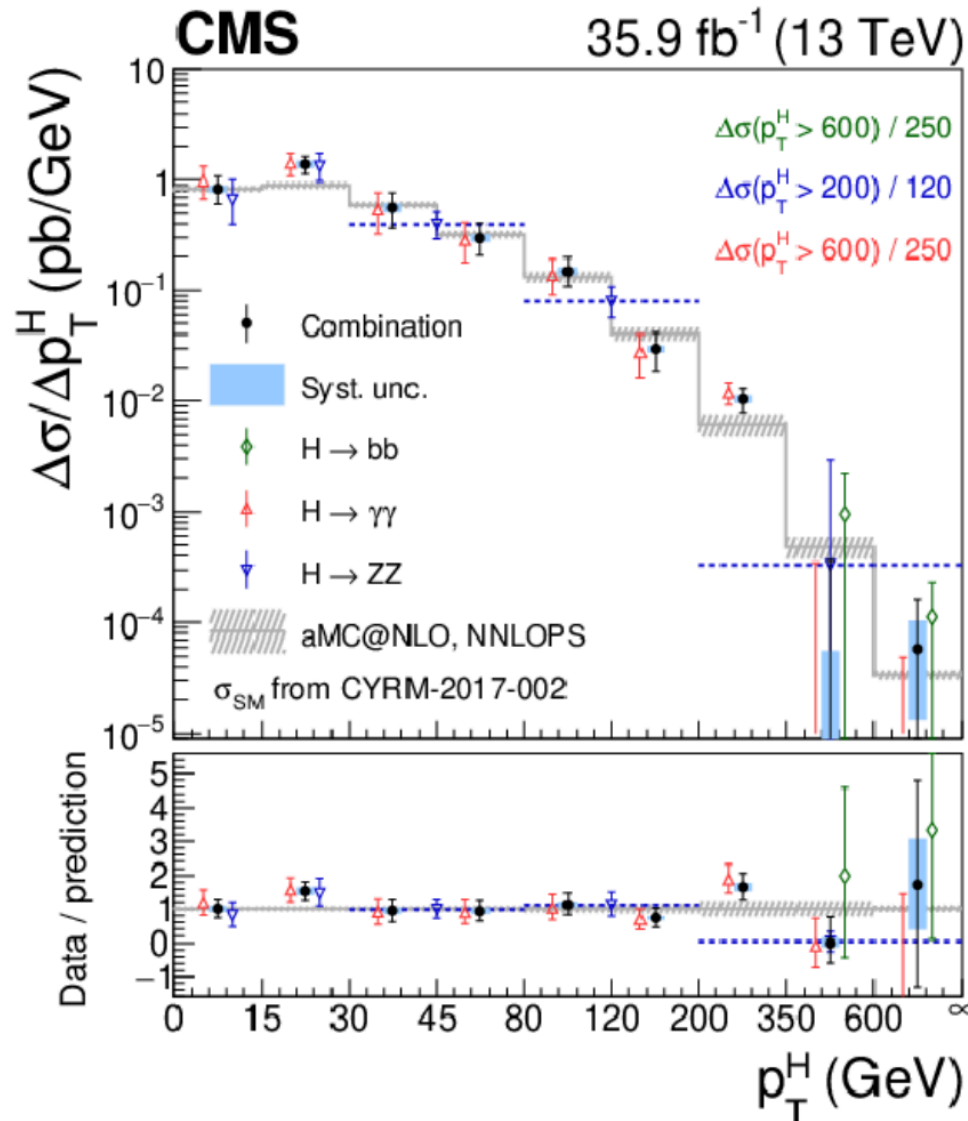
Fiducial differential cross-sections



Full Run2 dataset ! The two channels have similar sensitivity

Constraint on charm coupling from PtH

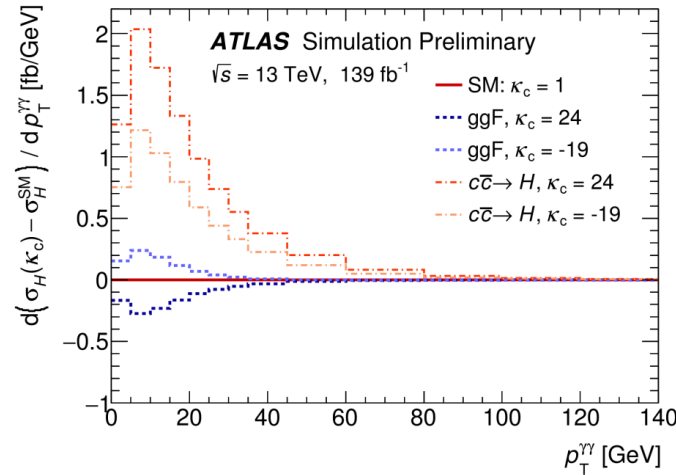
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Using only PtH shape information

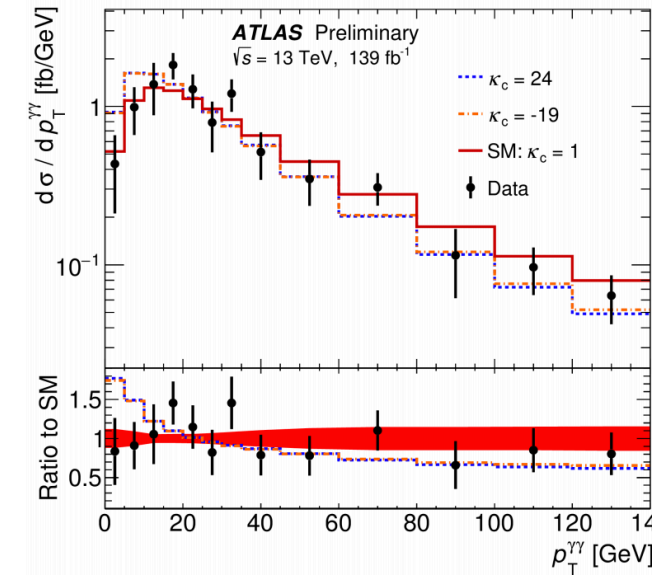
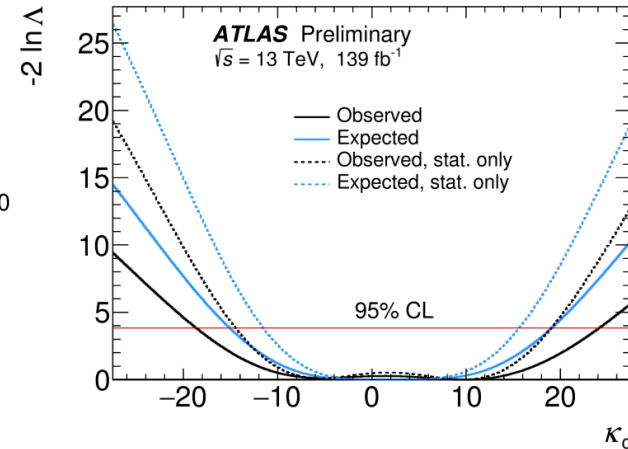
Constraint on charm coupling from PtH

- $gg \rightarrow H$
 - ▶ Largest change in from top-loop **interference** with charm-loop
 - ▶ Can be positive or negative
- $c\bar{c} \rightarrow H$
 - ▶ Cross section simply scaled by κ_c^2 in each bin
 - ▶ Has **stronger contribution to sensitivity**



Larger effect caused by **cc->H production**
Still **worse** than with direct search $VH \rightarrow cc$ (e.g. see CMS recent limit) but could be complementary (different sensitivity to assumptions)

- ▶ Shape-only fit → **reduce model-dependence** (Normalization depends on NP modifications to Higgs decay width)
- ▶ Measurement **statistically limited**



Coefficient	Observed 95% CL limit	Expected 95% CL limit
κ_c	$[-19, 24]$	$[-15, 19]$

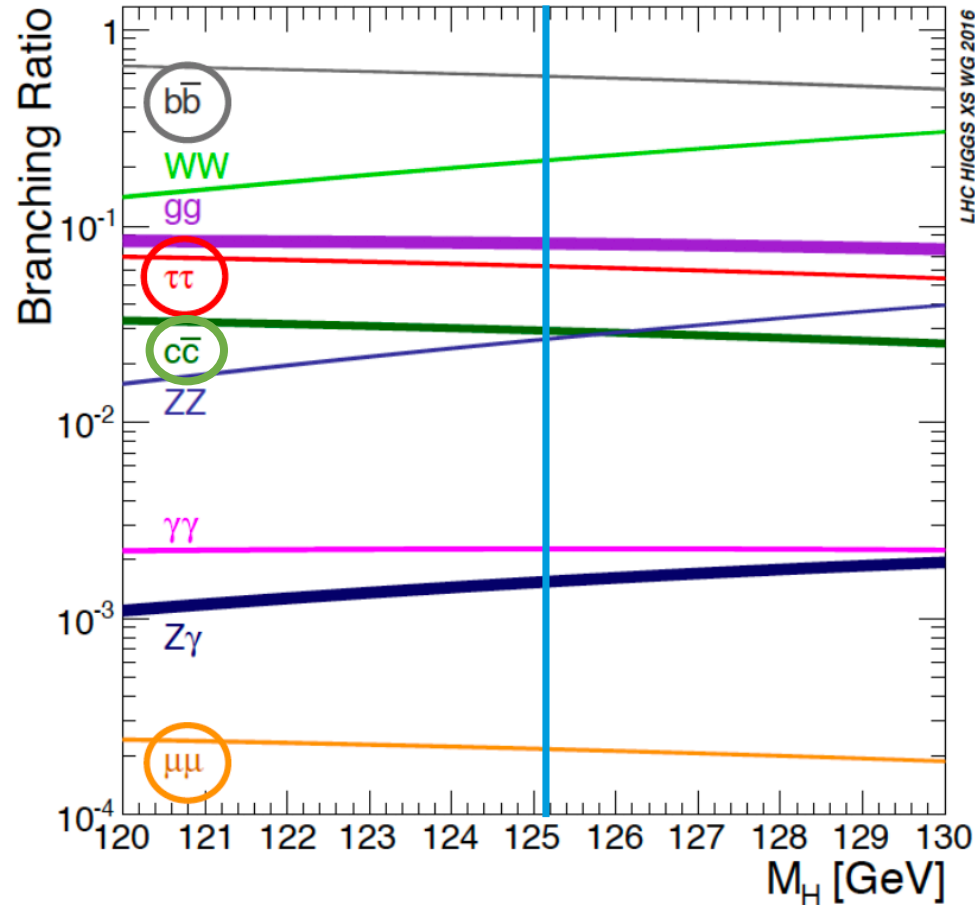
Higgs to Fermion decays

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precise measurements of Higgs Yukawa couplings important test of SM



41.3 fb⁻¹ (2017 data)

$H \rightarrow b\bar{b}$ (BR ~ 58%)

- large background, VH most sensitive production mode

77.4 fb⁻¹ (2016 + 2017 data)

$H \rightarrow \tau\tau$ (BR ~ 6.3%)

- highest experimental sensitivity to Higgs production via VBF

35.9 fb⁻¹ (2016 data)

$H \rightarrow \mu\mu$ (BR ~ 2×10^{-2} %)

- high di-muon mass resolution
- probes Yukawa coupling to 2nd-generation fermions

CMS $H \rightarrow \tau\tau$

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$H \rightarrow \tau\tau$ in ggF & VBF production

CMS PAS HIG-18-032
NEW!



$H \rightarrow \tau\tau$: ggF, VBF, VH combination

arXiv:1809.03590,
accepted by JHEP

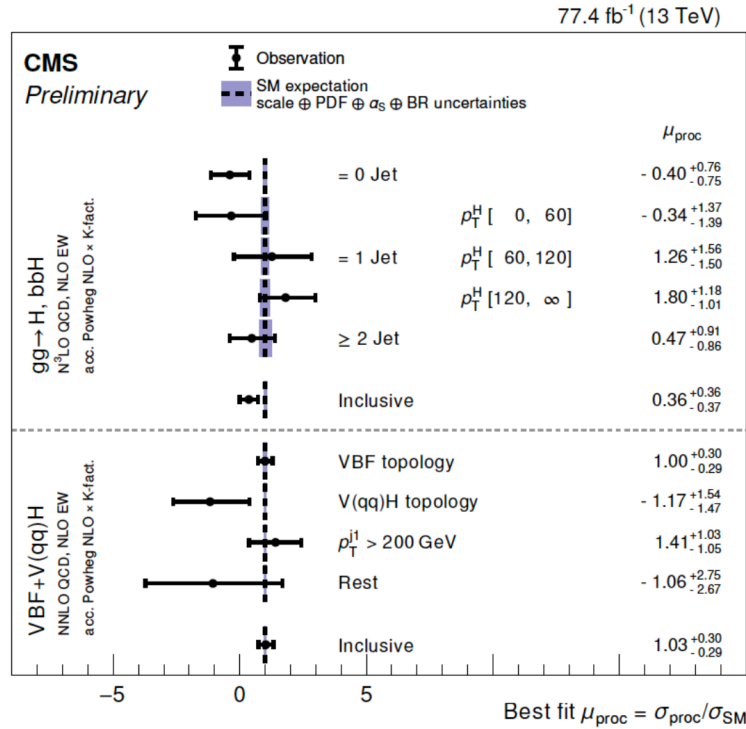


inclusive measurement:

- best-fit signal strength
 $\mu = 0.75^{+0.18}_{-0.17}$

cross section measurements split by production modes & different kinematic regimes

- presented as stage-1.0 **simplified template cross sections**, as defined by LHC Higgs Cross Section Working Group
- few categories merged due to low sensitivity



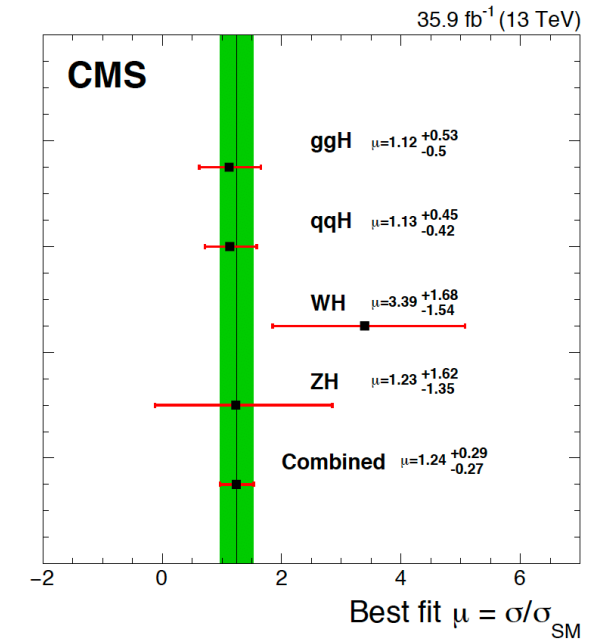
WH / ZH alone:

- best-fit signal strength : $\mu = 2.5^{+1.4}_{-1.3}$
- obs. (exp.) significance of **2.3 σ** (1.0 σ)

combination with ggF & VBF analysis (2016 data only, Phys. Lett. B 779 (2018) 283):

- re-weighting of p_T^H in ggF to spectrum from NNLOPS generator, updated ggF cross section uncertainty
- obs. (exp.) significance of **5.5 σ** (4.8 σ)

→ observation level reached with 2016 data alone



Inclusively **~30% accuracy** with only ½ of Run2 data

Start to **explore STXS** different kinematic per production mode

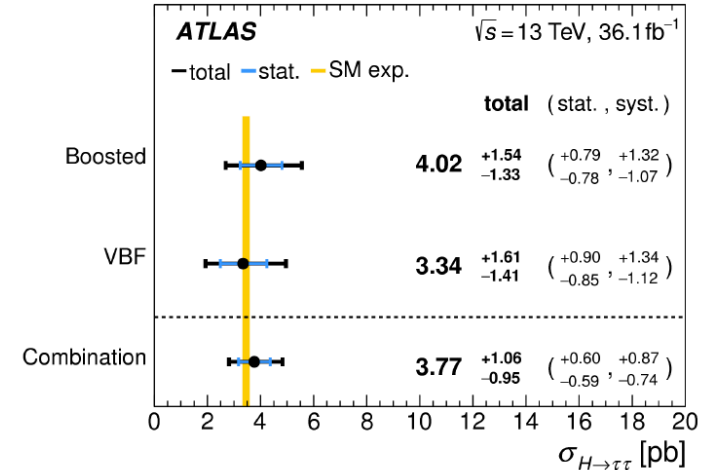
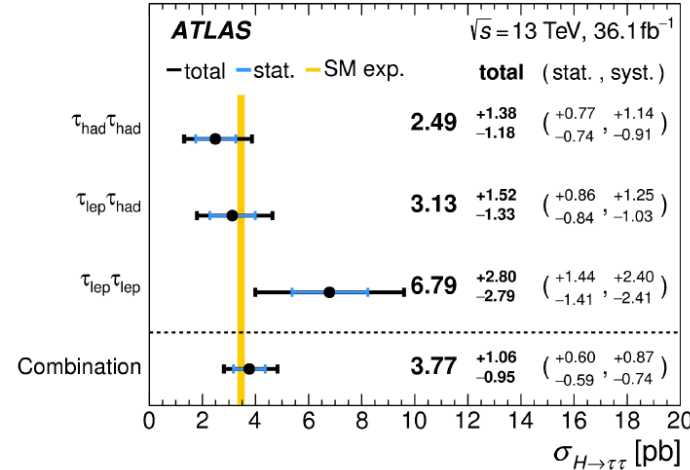
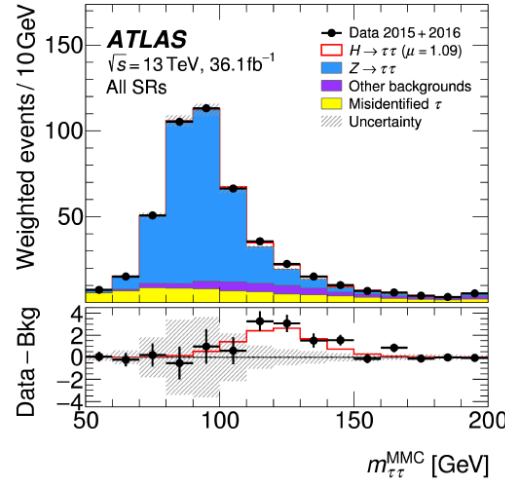
ATLAS $H \rightarrow \tau\tau$

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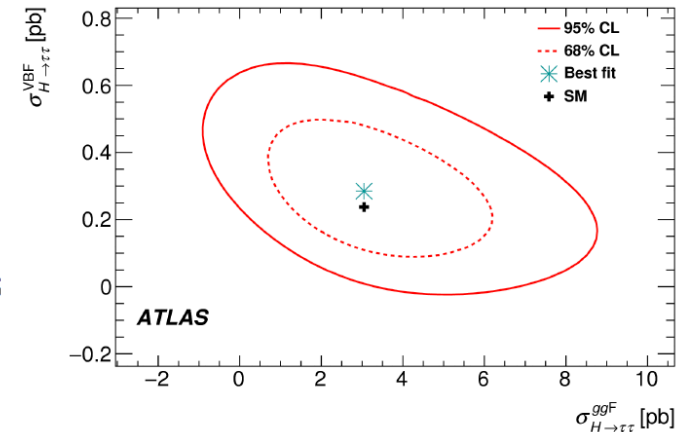
$H \rightarrow \tau\tau$: Results

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36 fb⁻¹
1/4 of Run 2



- Fit of $m_{\tau\tau}^{\text{MMC}}$ to extract signal
- Observed significance of 4.4 σ (4.1 σ exp.)
- **Observation of $H \rightarrow \tau\tau$ when combining with Run 1: 6.4 σ (5.4 σ exp.)**
- Similar contributions from statistical and systematic uncertainties



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Again no significant deviation from SM predictions
Inclusively ~30% accuracy

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$H \rightarrow b\bar{b}$: combination

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CMS $H \rightarrow b\bar{b}$

M. Meyer

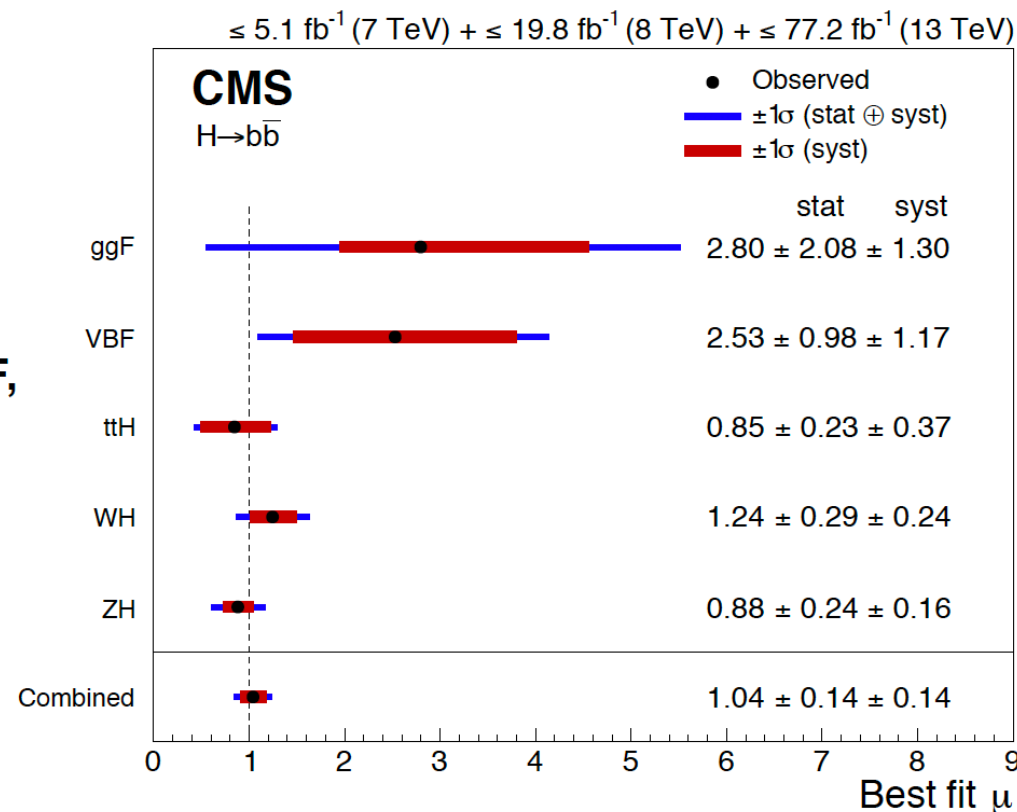
2017 + 2016 + Run I data:

- best-fit signal strength : $\mu = 1.01 \pm 0.22$
- obs. (exp.) significance of 4.8σ (4.9σ)

combination with analyses targeting ggF, VBF & ttH production modes:

- best-fit signal strength : $\mu = 1.04 \pm 0.20$
- obs. (exp.) significance of 5.6σ (5.5σ)

→ observation of $H \rightarrow b\bar{b}$ by CMS



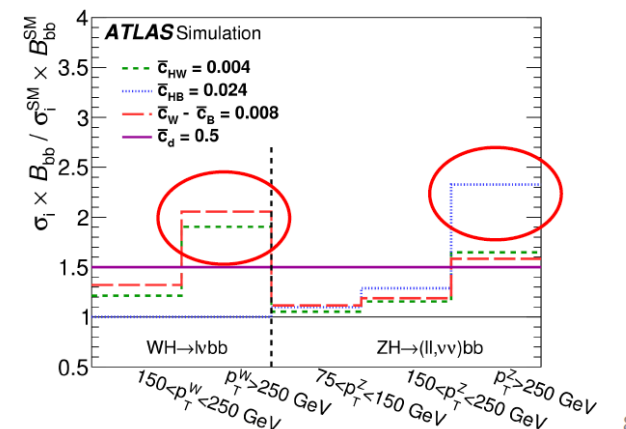
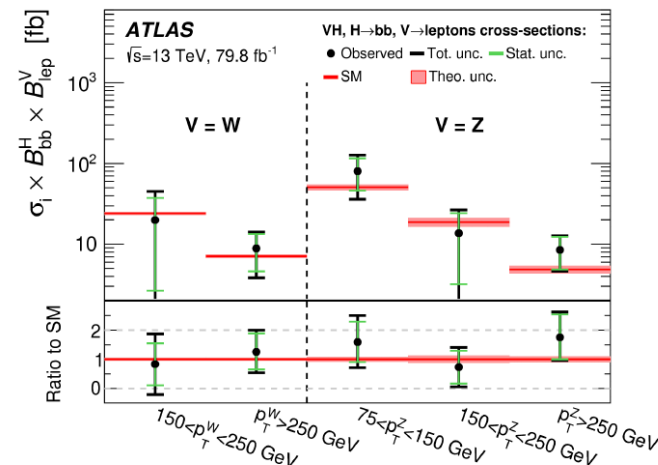
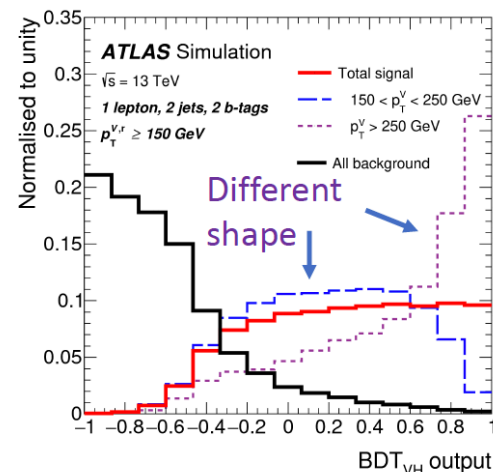
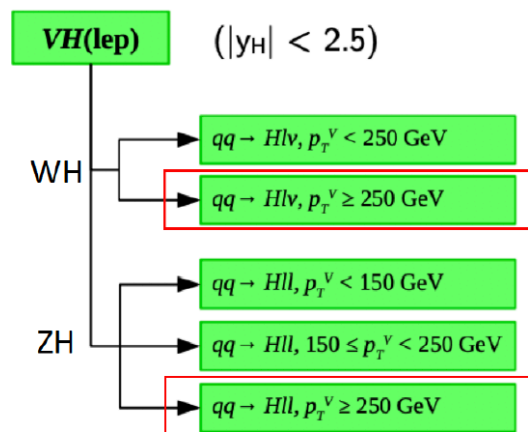
- Also this decay has been **observed** by both ATLAS and CMS

Study VH with $H \rightarrow bb$ (STXS)

JHEP 05 (2019) 141

79.8 fb⁻¹
2/3 of Run 2

ATLAS
 $H \rightarrow bb$



C. Tosciri

K. Beker

- Use same BDTs to measure STXS bins as function of $p_T(V)$
- Five cross sections: WH $p_T(V)$: [150-250, > 250] GeV and ZH $p_T(V)$: [75-150, 150-250, > 250] GeV
- All results consistent with SM, still statistics dominated
- Systematics from background modelling and MC statistics
- Impact from signal theory uncertainties small
- Sensitivity to EFT couplings, information on 95% CL limits in the backup

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- Adding STXS measurements and EFT interpretations: High PtV sensitive to new Physics
- **Discussion:** important to check sensitivity/dependence of STXS measurement to BSM effects on signal (and background, e.g. $H \rightarrow WW$)

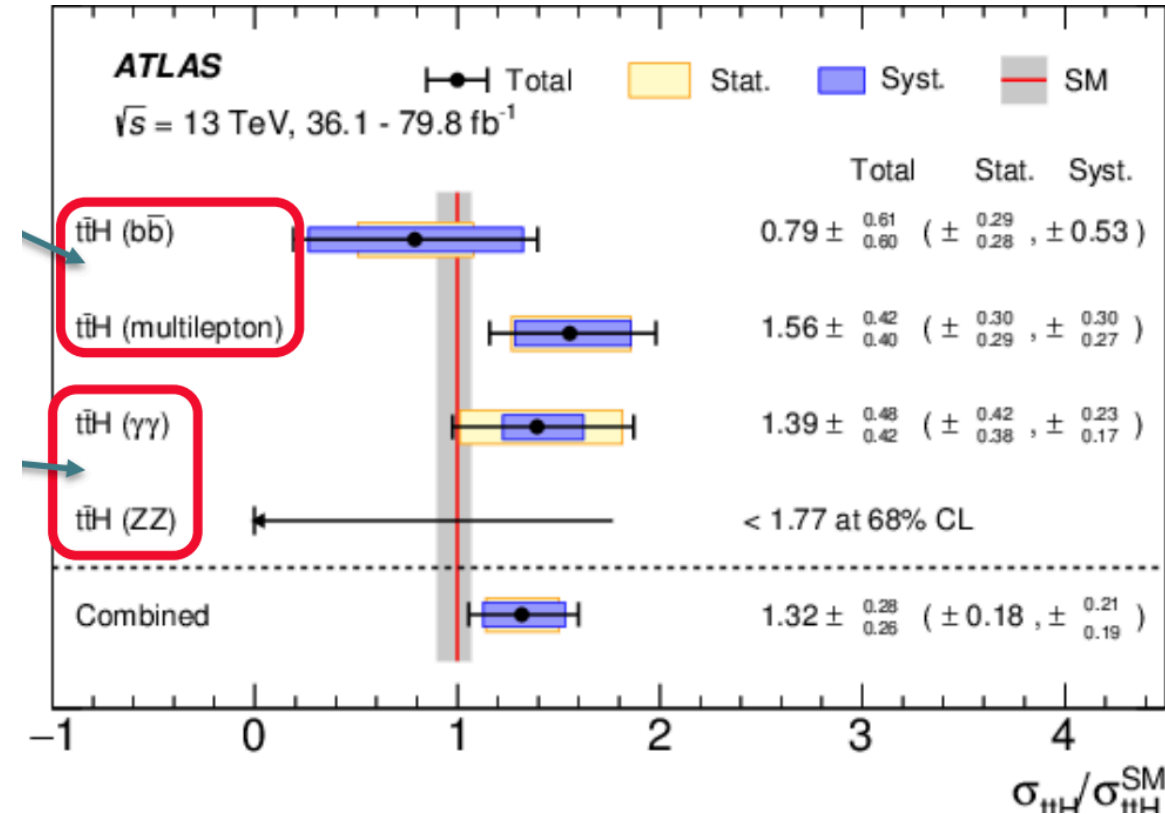
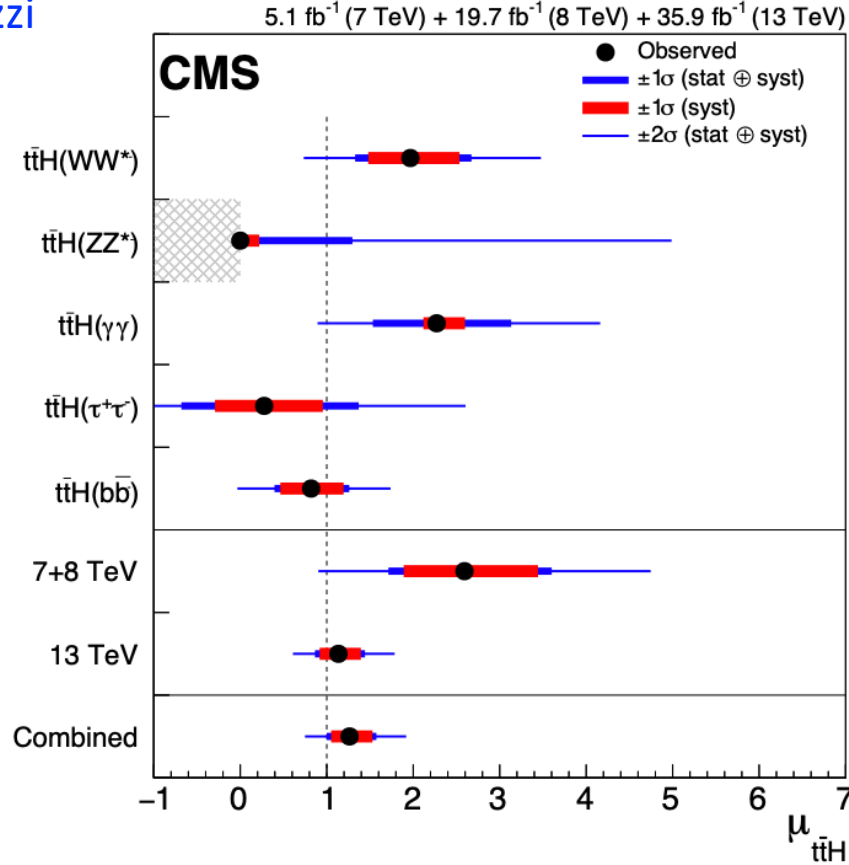
ttH results

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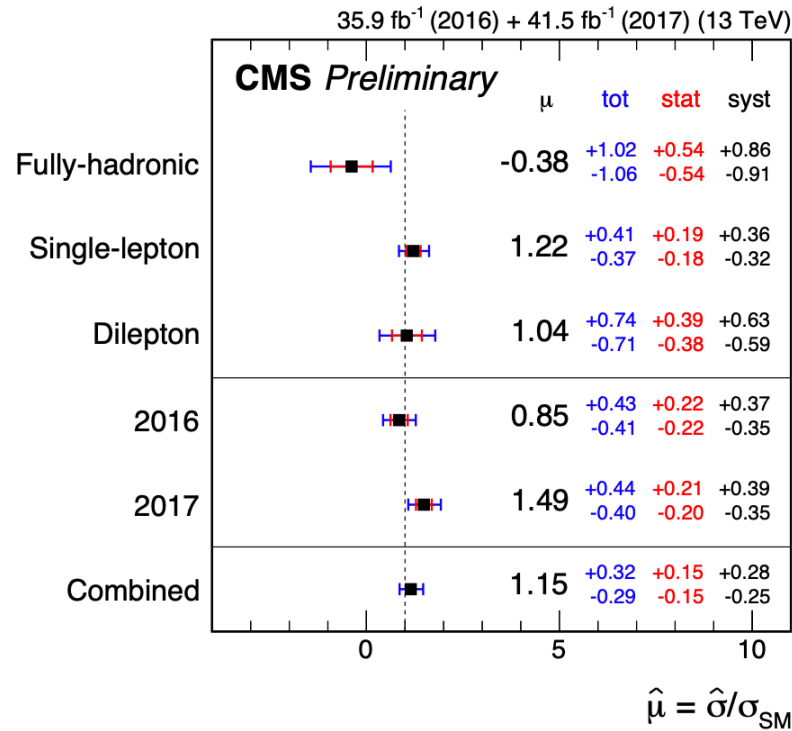


- **Observation** of **ttH** was one of the main goals of LHC Run2:
 - direct **observation** of κ_{top} (very large coupling ~1!)
- Both **CMS** and **ATLAS** **observed** it in **2018** by combining several decay channels, already achieved ~**20% accuracy** and measurements in **agreement** with **SM predict**.

ttH->bb CMS

CMS PAS HIG-18-030

M.Peruzzi



Uncertainty source	$\Delta\hat{\mu}$
Total experimental	+0.15/−0.13
b tagging	+0.08/−0.07
jet energy scale and resolution	+0.05/−0.04
Total theory	+0.23/−0.19
signal	+0.15/−0.06
tt+hf modelling	+0.14/−0.15
QCD background prediction	+0.10/−0.08
Size of simulated samples	+0.10/−0.10
Total systematic	+0.28/−0.25
Statistical	+0.15/−0.15
Total	+0.32/−0.29

- 2017 result: $\mu = 1.49^{+0.44}_{-0.40}$, 3.7σ significance (2.6σ expected)
- **2016+2017 combination: $\mu = 1.15^{+0.32}_{-0.29}$, 3.9σ significance (3.5σ expected)**
- **Very significant improvements in the control of backgrounds result in an impressive boost of the analysis sensitivity**

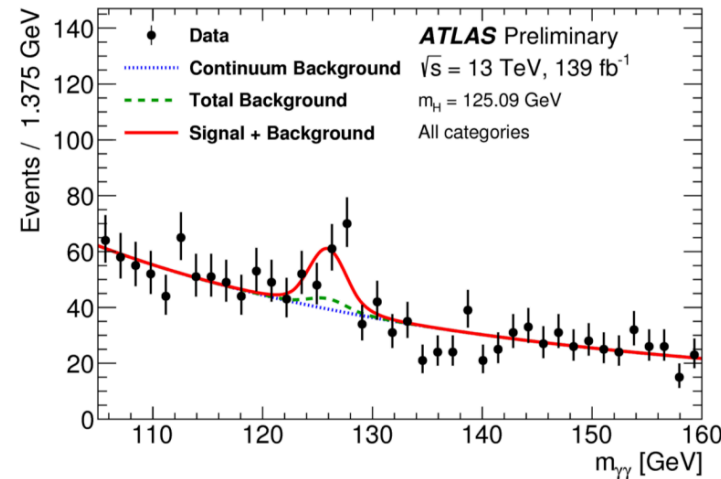
- Update with 2016+2017 data → in CMS ttH->bb is the most precise channel!
- **bkg. theory systematics in ATLAS >0.50**: quite useful discussion ... will continue in LHCHCWG

ttH- $\rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ ATLAS

ttH($H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$): 139 fb $^{-1}$ results

M.Spalla

- ⊙ Maximum Likelihood fit on all categories
 - H mass constrained to experimental value
- ⊙ ttH observed with 4.9 σ significance
 - Expected: 4.2 σ
- ⊙ Remains statistically dominated
- ⊙ Measured cross section still ~ 1.4 times the Standard Model expectation
 - Remains compatible given the uncertainties



same size

$$\sigma_{ttH} \times B_{\gamma\gamma} = 1.59^{+0.38}_{-0.36}(\text{stat.})^{+0.15}_{-0.12}(\text{exp.})^{+0.15}_{-0.11}(\text{theo.}) \text{ fb}$$

Prediction:

$$\sigma_{ttH} \times B_{\gamma\gamma} (\text{SM}) = 1.15^{+0.09}_{-0.12} \text{ fb}$$

$$\frac{\sigma_{ttH}}{\sigma_{ttH}^{\text{SM}}} = 1.38 \pm_{0.31}^{0.33} (\text{Stat.}) \pm_{0.11}^{0.13} (\text{exp.}) \pm_{0.14}^{0.22} (\text{theo.})$$

30% accuracy

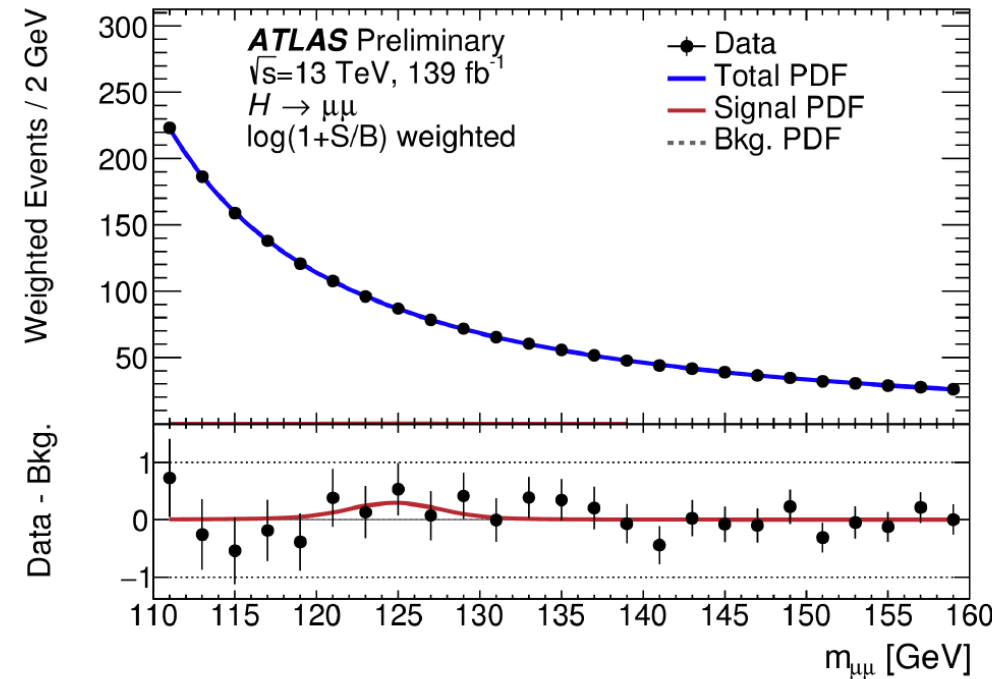
- First ttH results with full Run2 data together with CMS and ATLAS H- \rightarrow 4l

Higgs $\rightarrow \mu\mu$

- One of the **major goals** for **Run3**
- **Best** chance at LHC to measure interactions between **Higgs** and **2nd generation Fermions**
- Main challenge is the **very small S/B** (at **~ 2 mill** level inclusively);
 - Very important to get correct **modelling of background fit** with analytic functions to avoid signal biases

Search for $H \rightarrow \mu\mu$

- Fit to $m_{\mu\mu}$ in 12 categories to extract signal
- Signal modelling: double-sided Crystal Ball
- Background estimation:
 - Important due to very low S/B
→ per mill level description of background
 - $m_{\mu\mu}$ background model parametrized by analytical functions
 - Core function to model DY mass shape
 - Empirical function to correct distortions
- Uncertainties on μ (absolute value):
 - Signal theory: 0.08
 - Signal exp. : 0.07
 - Spurious signal: 0.06
 - Data stat.: 0.7



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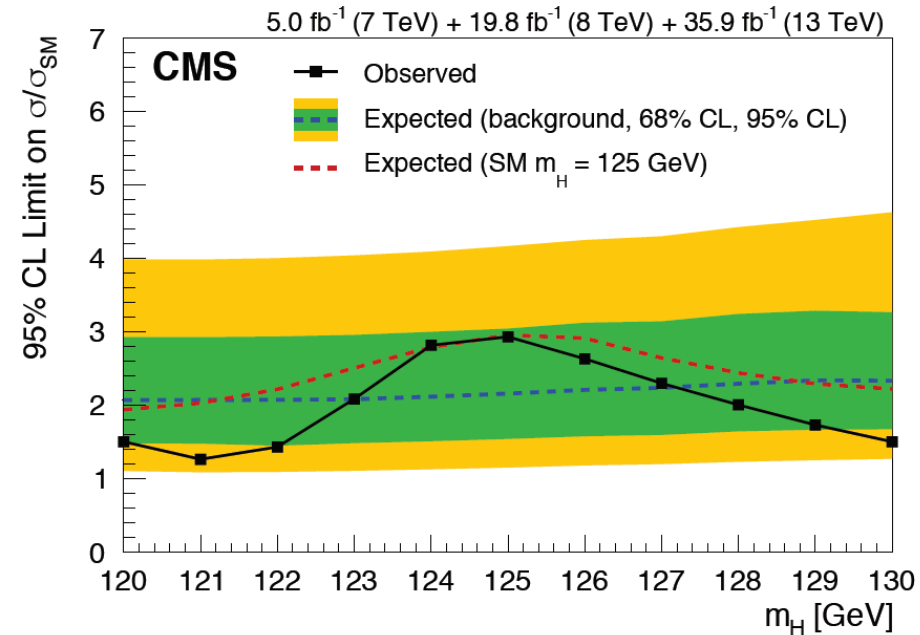
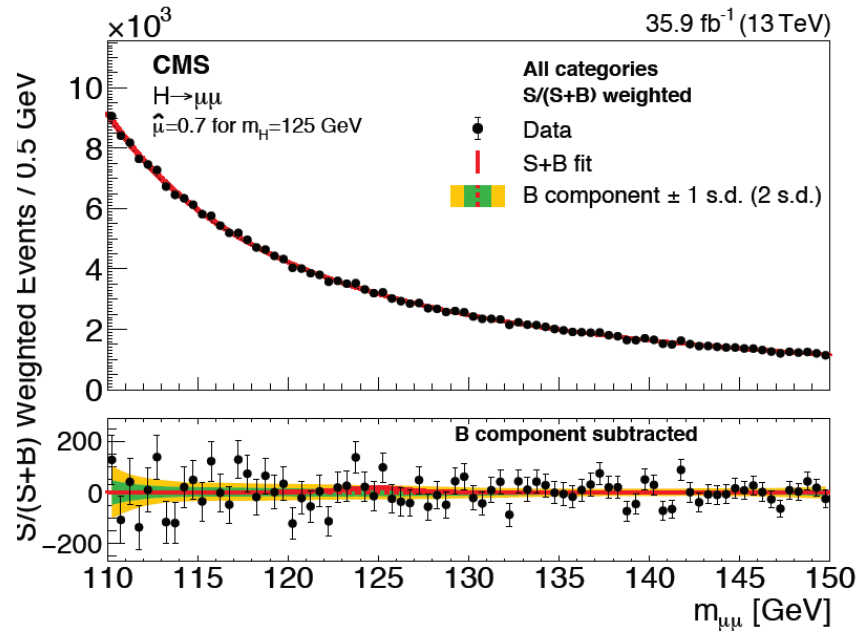
- Results:
 - Upper limits: **1.7 (1.3) $\times \sigma_{SM}$ obs. (exp.)**
 - Signal strength: **$\mu = 0.5 \pm 0.7$**
 - Significance: **0.8 σ (1.5 σ) obs. (exp.)**

- Preliminary result from ATLAS with full Run2 data reached 1.5 σ expected sensitivity!

H → μμ

35.9 fb⁻¹ (2016 data)

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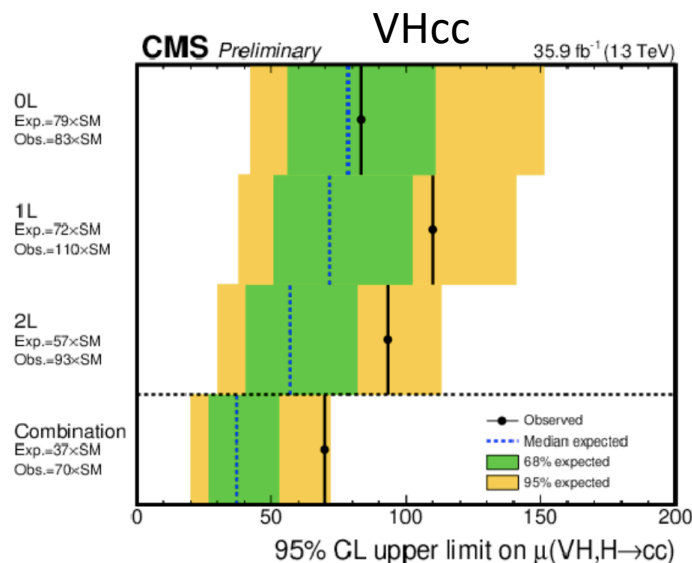
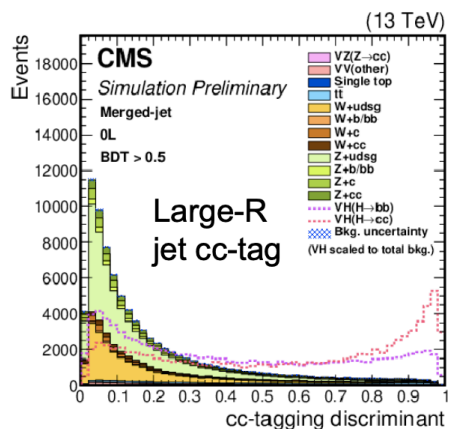
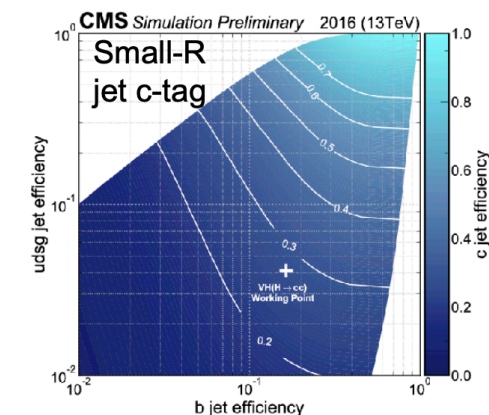
combined 2016 data + Run I results (at $m_H = 125.09$ GeV) :

- upper limit on σ/σ_{SM} : **2.9 (2.2)** obs. (exp. for $\mu = 0$) at 95% C.L.
- best fit signal strength μ of **1.0 ± 1.0 (stat) ± 0.1 (syst)**
- obs. (exp.) significance of **0.9σ (1.0σ)**

- CMS has ~ 2 better mass resolution than ATLAS for this signal: should get $\sim 2\sigma$ sensitivity with full Run2 dataset

Higgs \rightarrow cc (VHcc)

- First CMS search of its kind! See Loukas'es talk on Wednesday

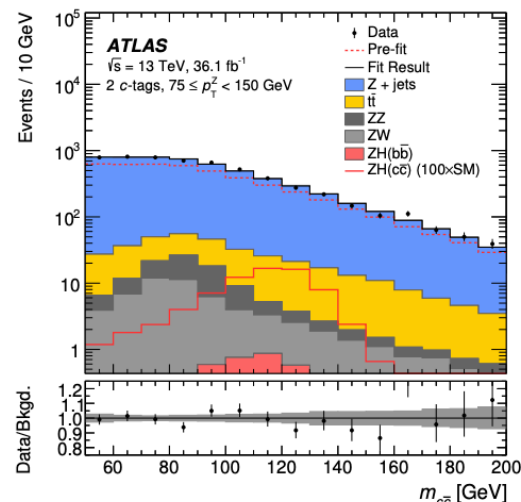


$\sim 2\sigma$ excess

$\mu < 70$ ($\mu < 37$ expected)

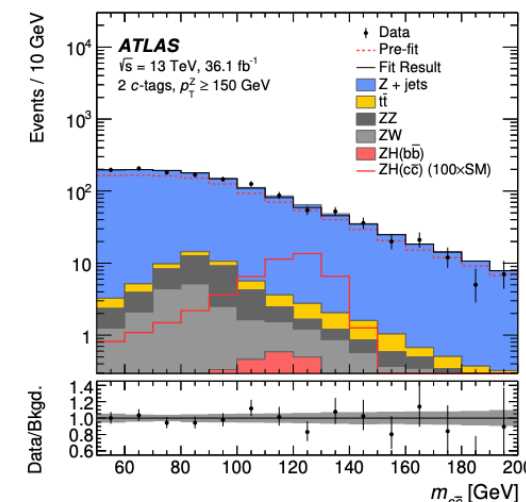
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$m_{c\bar{c}}$ distribution in 2 c-tag categories

ZHcc



✦ Observed (expected) upper limit at 95% CL:

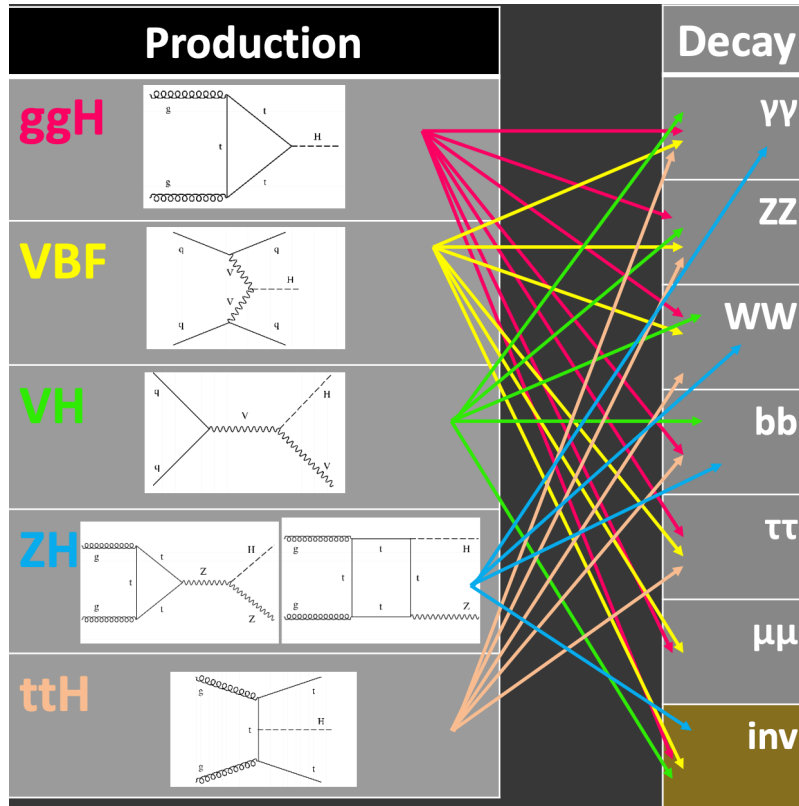
• on $\sigma(pp \rightarrow ZH) \times BR(H \rightarrow c\bar{c})$: $2.7 (3.9^{+2.1}_{-1.1})$ pb.
(SM value is 26 fb)

• or on signal strength: $110 (150^{+80}_{-40})$

- Both Experiments will address orthogonality with Hbb analysis and make simultaneous fit Hbb/Hcc fit next round
- CMS also uses 0/1L channels + Merged jets + MVA approach (ATLAS fit to Mcc):
 - quite striking difference in 2L resolved channel EXPECTED μ sensitivity: 59(CMS) vs 150(ATLAS) !

Channels Combination

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Analysis	Integrated luminosity (fb ⁻¹)
$H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ (including $t\bar{t}H$, $H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$)	79.8
$H \rightarrow ZZ^* \rightarrow 4\ell$ (including $t\bar{t}H$, $H \rightarrow ZZ^* \rightarrow 4\ell$)	79.8
$H \rightarrow WW^* \rightarrow e\nu\mu\nu$	36.1
$H \rightarrow \tau\tau$	36.1
VH , $H \rightarrow b\bar{b}$	79.8
VBF, $H \rightarrow b\bar{b}$	24.5 – 30.6
$H \rightarrow \mu\mu$	139
$t\bar{t}H$, $H \rightarrow b\bar{b}$ and $t\bar{t}H$ multilepton	36.1
$H \rightarrow \text{invisible}$	36.1
Off-shell $H \rightarrow ZZ^* \rightarrow 4\ell$ and $H \rightarrow ZZ^* \rightarrow 2\ell 2\nu$	36.1

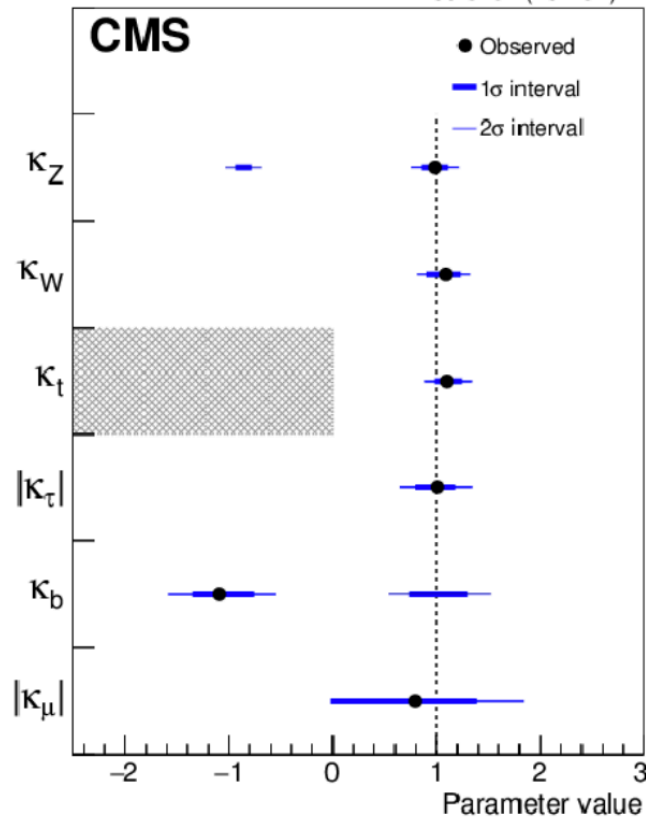
- CMS combination based on 36 fb⁻¹
- ATLAS combination based 36-80 fb⁻¹ (+139 fb⁻¹)

Channels Combination CMS: κ fit

M. Primavera

$$\frac{\Gamma_H}{\Gamma_H^{\text{SM}}} = \frac{\kappa_H^2}{1 - (\cancel{\text{BR}_{\text{undet.}}} + \cancel{\text{BR}_{\text{inv.}}})}$$

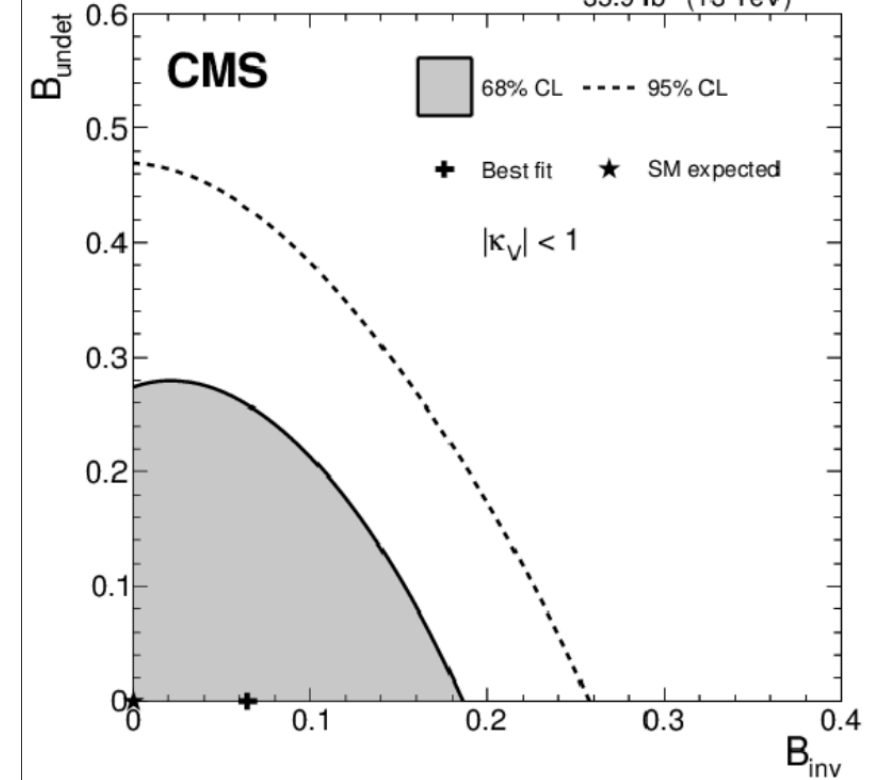
35.9 fb⁻¹ (13 TeV)



No significant deviations from SM predictions

$$\frac{\Gamma_H}{\Gamma_H^{\text{SM}}} = \frac{\kappa_H^2}{1 - (\text{BR}_{\text{undet.}} + \text{BR}_{\text{inv.}})}$$

35.9 fb⁻¹ (13 TeV)



κ fit is a very stringent test of the SM

Combining with invisible Higgs direct search can disentangle “Invisible” from “Undetectable” in κ fit (assuming $|\kappa_V| < 1$)

Channels Combination ATLAS



Simplified template cross sections (STXS)

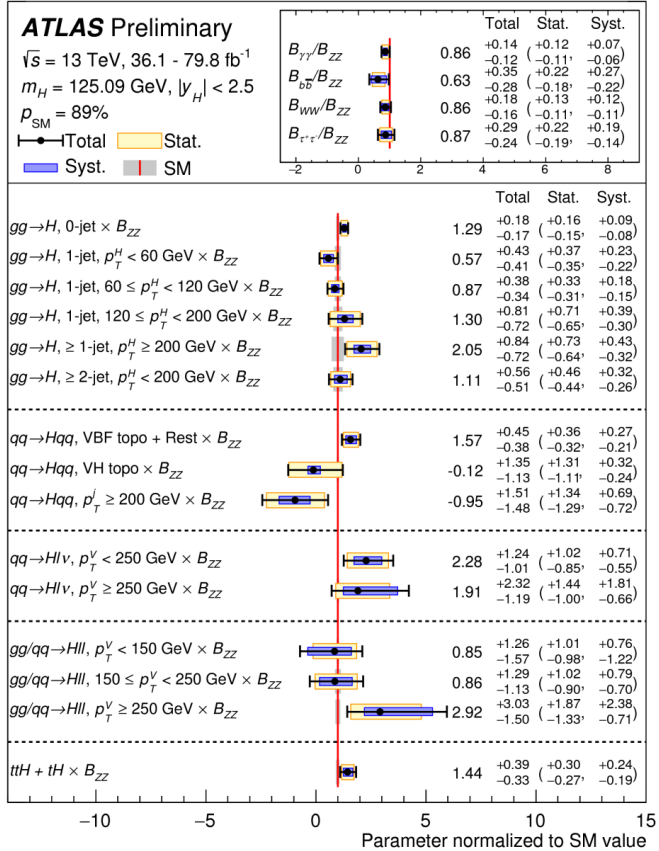
19 parameters

- STXS: cross sections binned by production mode and kinematic regions (reduces acceptance uncertainty)

- Parametrization based on cross sections in the $H \rightarrow ZZ$ channel and ratio of branching ratios

good compatibility with SM ($p = 89\%$)

- results with higher granularity (full Stage 1) also available



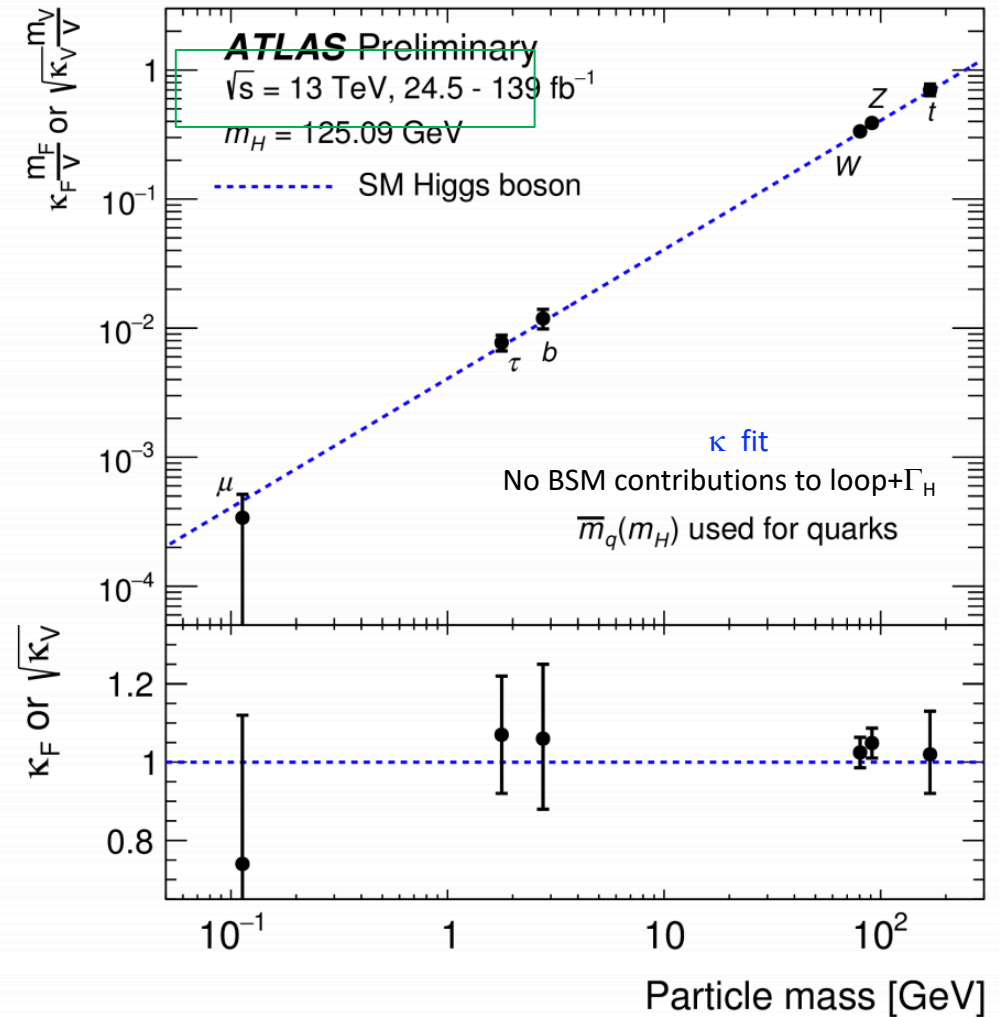
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Hqq

V(llep)H

ttH

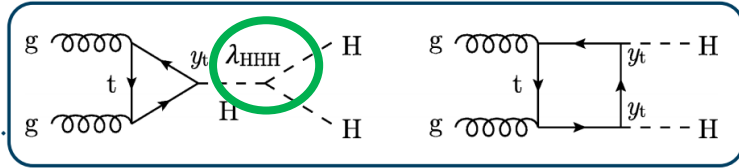
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Justify the change from **A Higgs boson** to **“THE SM Higgs boson”**

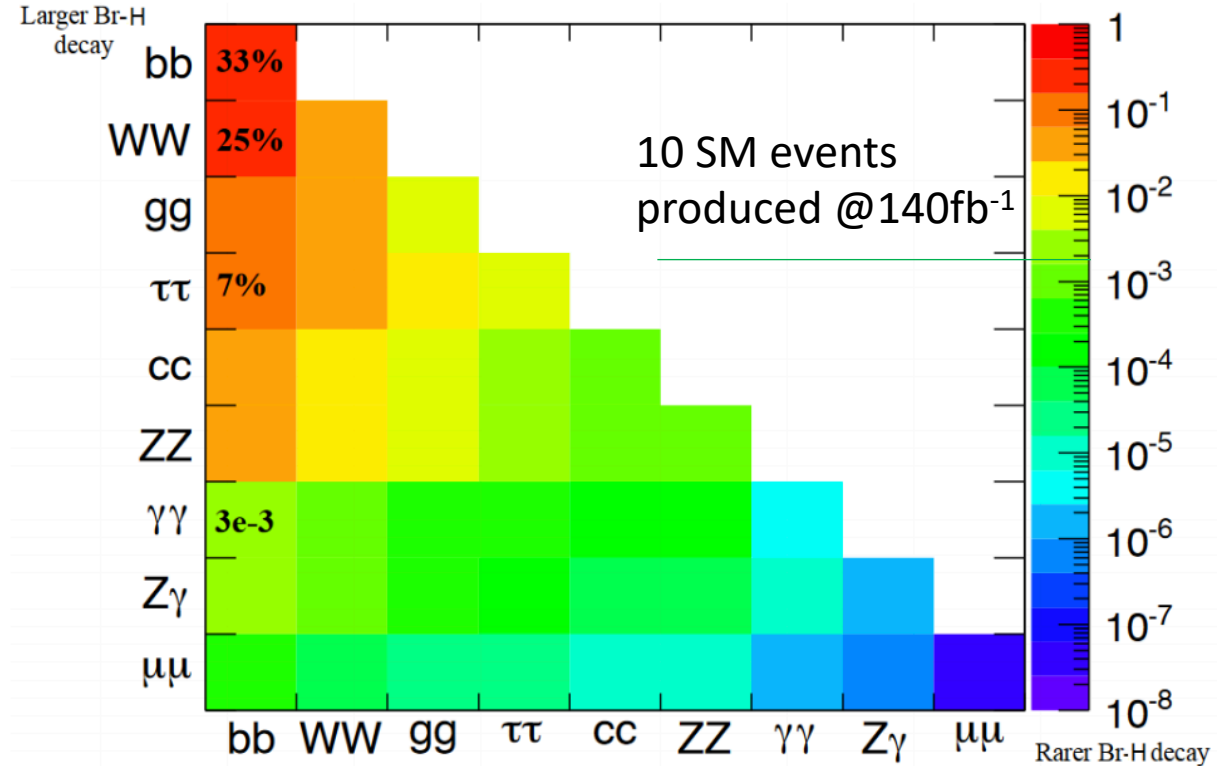
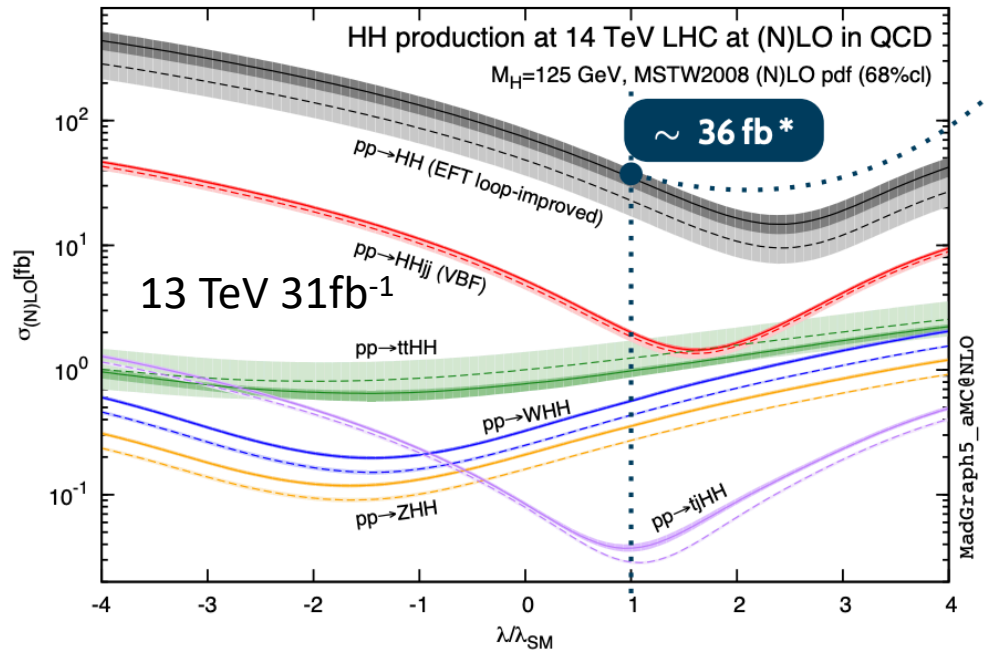
STXS: More model independent way of combining different decay channels that can be used to constraints BSM models
 BR ratios introduce large correlations

HH and Higgs self-coupling



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S. Shrestha



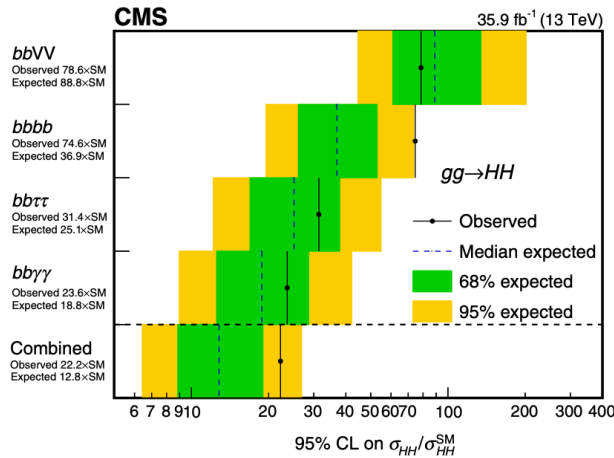
- Once also Higgs Mass is measured SM Higgs interactions fully determined:
 - Higgs **potential** and **self interactions** predicted → measure **self coupling** \ is a fundamental test of the SM
 - **Small** cross-section - **negative interference** between the **HHH** and **box** diagrams

HH and Higgs self-coupling

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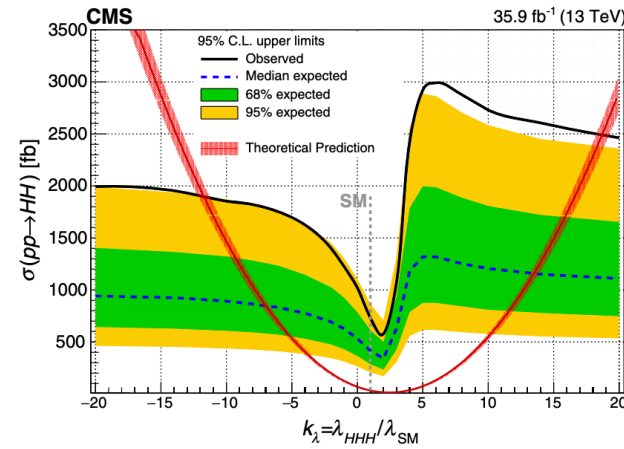
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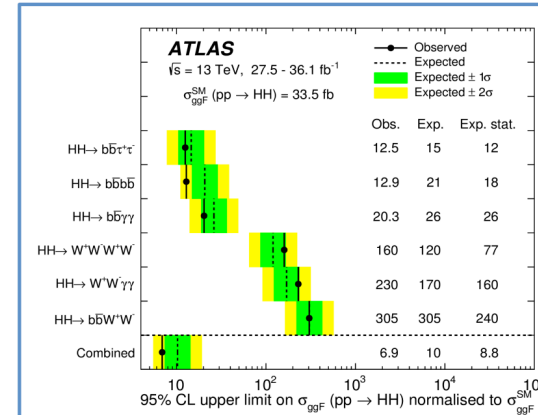
SM combined limit: **22 (13) × σ_{SM}**

- Run I combination obs (exp) limit:
43 (46) × σ_{SM}



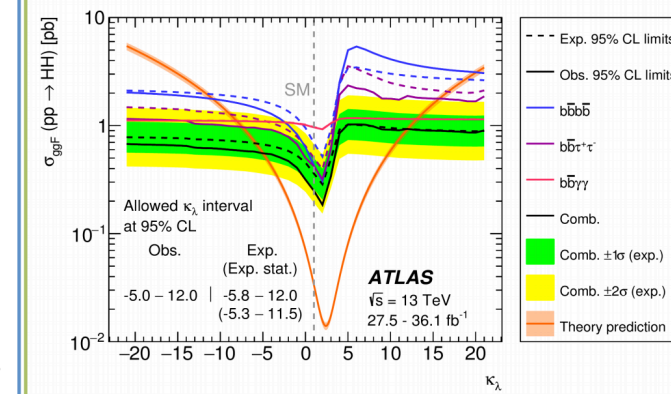
BSM obs (exp) constraints:

$$-11.8 < k_\lambda < 18.8 \quad (-7.1 < k_\lambda < 13.6)$$



95% CL limit for $k_\lambda = 1$:

6.9 (10) X SM obs. (exp.)



95% CL confidence intervals:

k_λ : obs. [-5,12] (exp. [-5.8, 12])

Combining several channels (dominant $bb\gamma\gamma$, $bb\tau\tau$, $bbbb$) Getting closer for HH sensitivity **~10** times SM

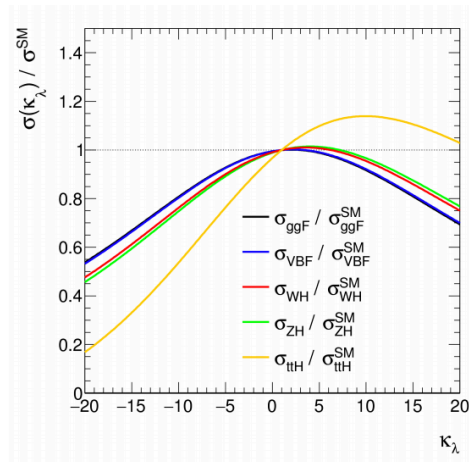
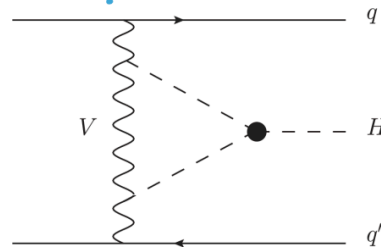
Systematic plays important role for $bbbb$

$$V(H) = \frac{1}{2}m_H^2 H^2 + \boxed{\lambda_3 \nu H^3} + \frac{1}{4}\lambda_4 H^4 + \mathcal{O}(H^5)$$

- usually studied in di-Higgs searches
- it is possible to extract the self-coupling in single-Higgs events through NLO EW corrections
- use inclusive XS for ggF, ttH
- use STXS bins for VBF and VH
- assume all single-Higgs couplings to be SM
- fit for $\kappa_\lambda = \frac{\lambda_3}{\lambda_3(\text{SM})}$
- $\kappa_\lambda = [-3.2, 11.9] @ 95\% \text{CL (di-Higgs: } [-5, 12])$
- results similar to di-Higgs fit

H Self-interaction from single-H combined measurements ATLAS

example:



G. Degrandi et al., JHEP 12 (2016) 080
F. Maltoni et al., EPJC 77 (2017) 887

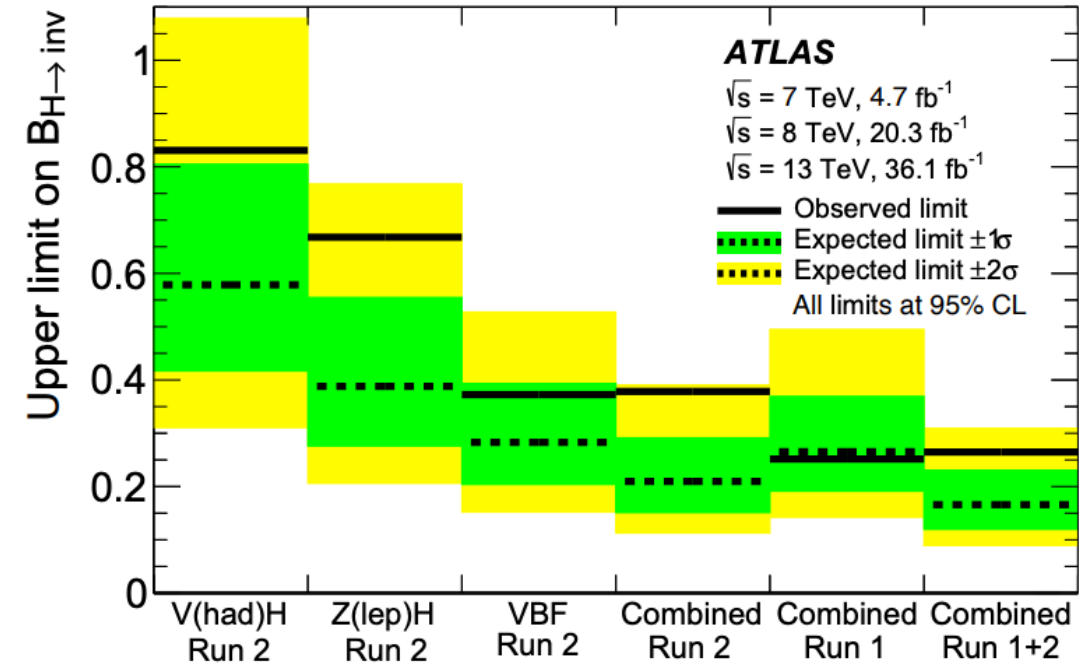
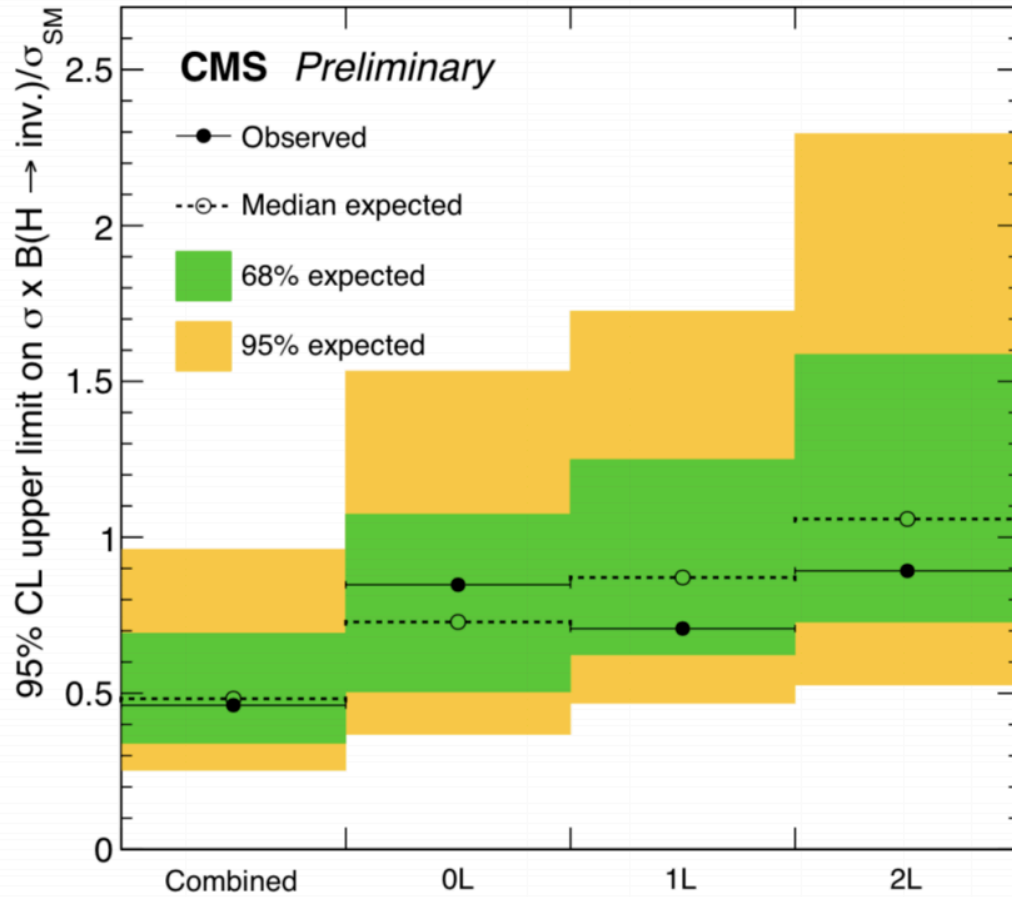
- Interpretation of combined κ fit to constrain λ_3 via Higgs induced EW corrections
- Quite strong assumptions (only BSM effect is λ_3 modification) but complementary to HH search

BSM Higgs

- ... since we have observed 1 scalar field it is legitimate to search for additional (pseudo)scalars
- Look also for NON-SM Higgs decay (invisible, LFV, ...)

Higgs to Invisible

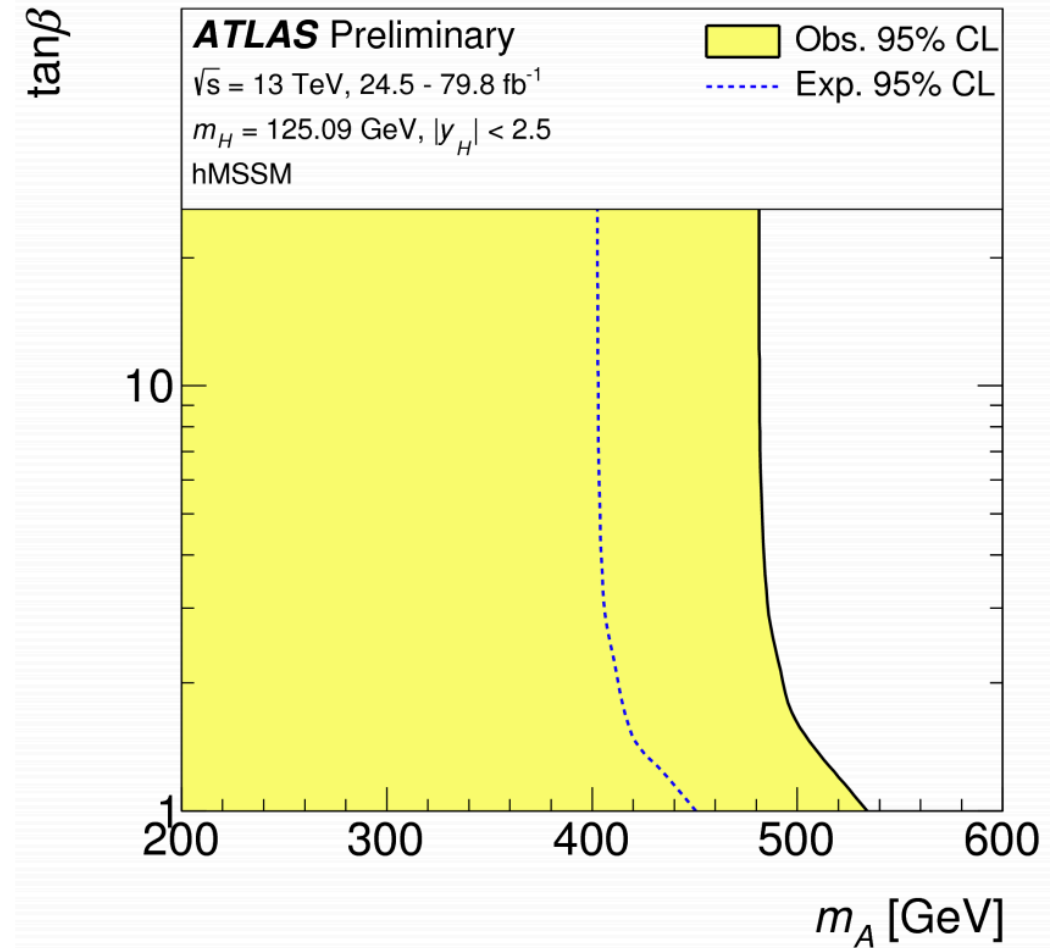
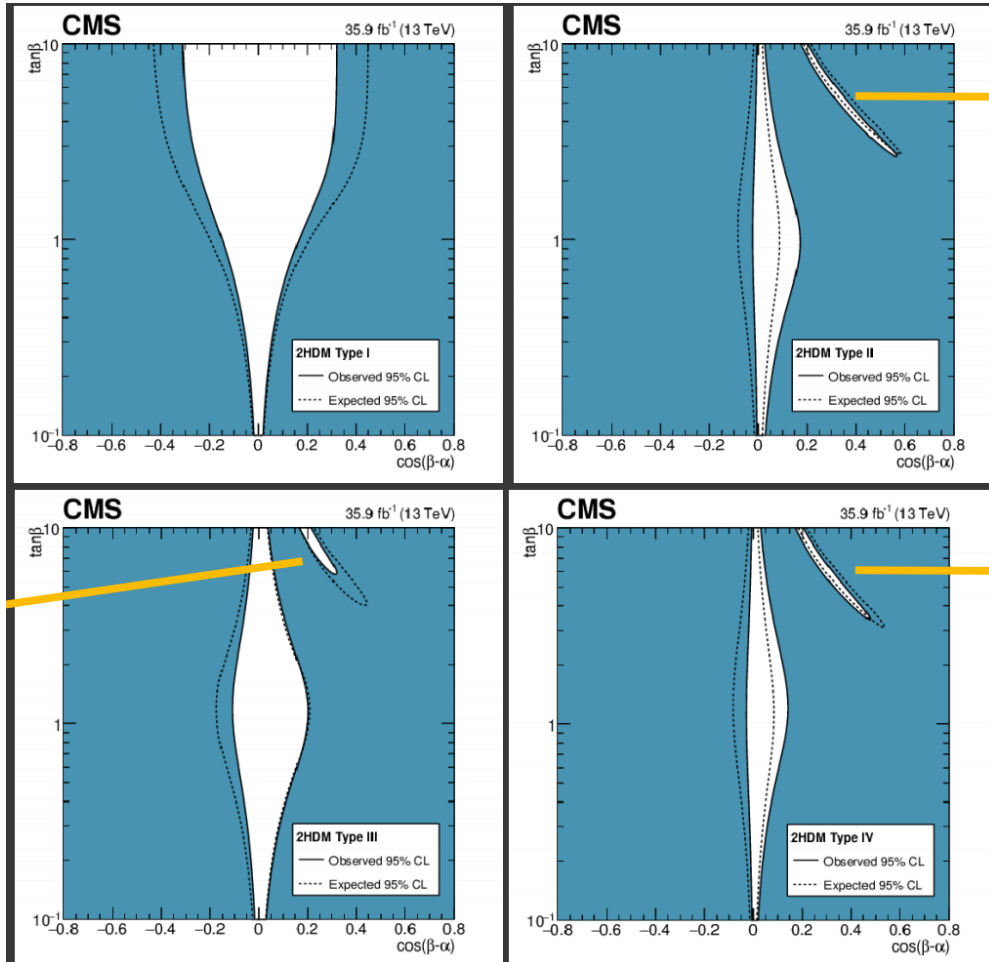
35.9 fb⁻¹ (13 TeV)



✠ Upper limit at 95% CL on
BR(H→inv) obs(exp) 0.26(0.17)

- SM invisible decay $H \rightarrow ZZ^* \rightarrow 4\nu$ very small BR (~1 per mill) no sensitivity to that:
 - Sizeable invisible BR would be a **BSM** effect
- Important to disentangle other non-detectable contribution to total width

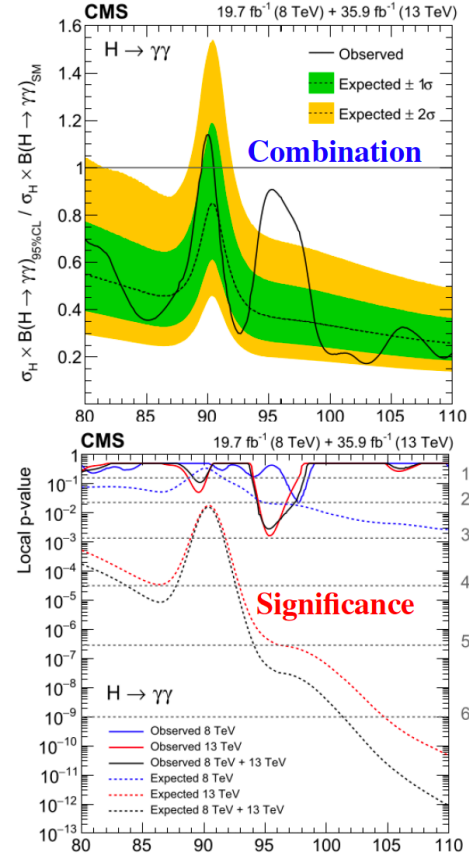
From Channel combination



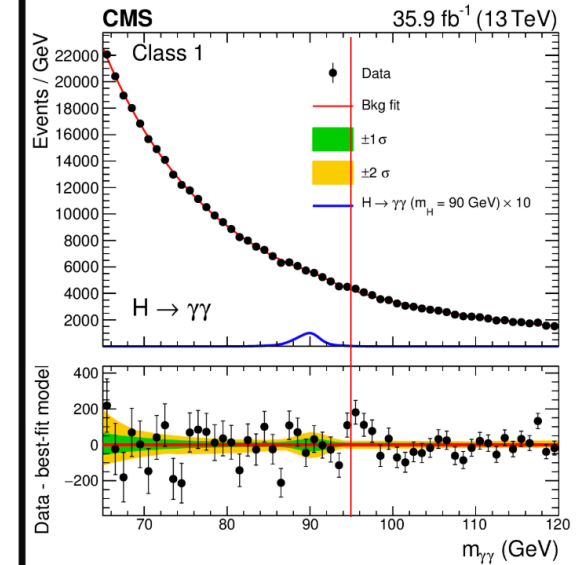
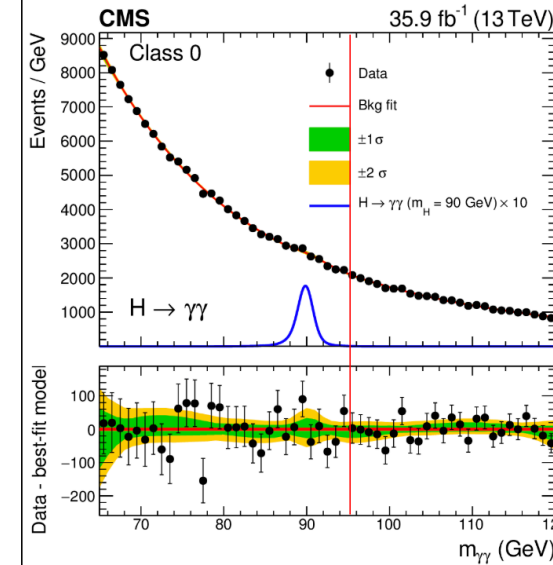
- Quite stringent limits from on-shell Higgs coupling measurements

Low Mass $X \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ search

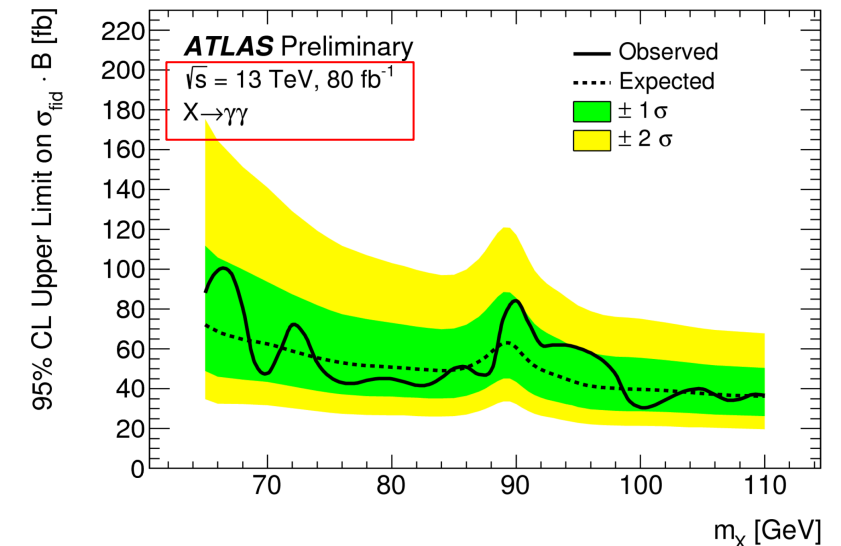
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- Normalized **Upper limits on $\sigma \times \text{Br}$** :
→ Minimum (Maximum) Limit:
0.17(1.13) at $m_H = 103.0$ (90.0) GeV
- Expected and observed **local p-values**:
→ **8 TeV**: Excess with $\sim 2.0\sigma$ local significance at $m_H = 97.6$ GeV
→ **13 TeV**: Excess with $\sim 2.9\sigma$ local (1.47 σ global) significance at $m_H = 95.3$ GeV
→ **8TeV+13 TeV**: Excess with $\sim 2.8\sigma$ local (1.3 σ global) significance at $m_H = 95.3$ GeV
- ♣ More data are required to ascertain the origin of this excess.

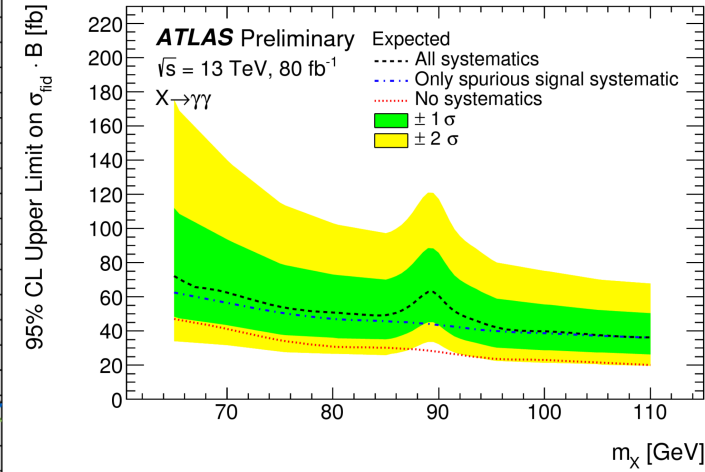
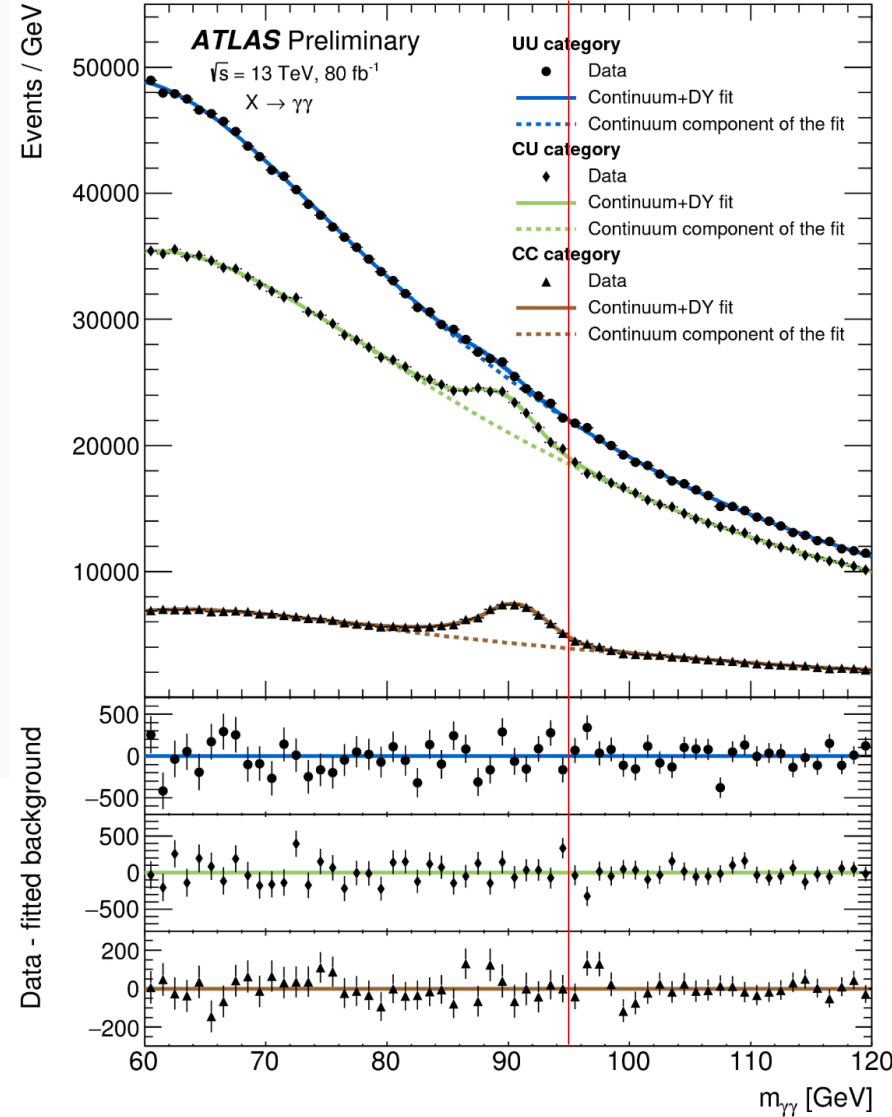
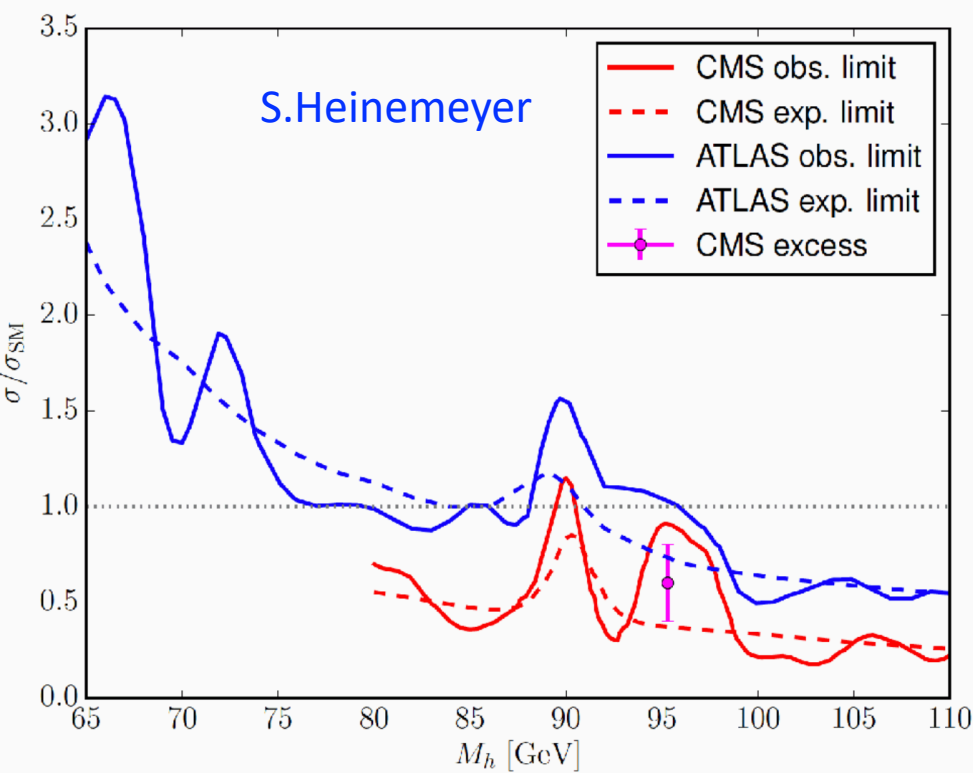


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$\sim 2.8\sigma$ local effects, not confirmed by ATLAS (though **lower** sensitivity)
Difficult to model **Z \rightarrow ee background** since it has a resonant (and distorted) shape

Low Mass $X \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ search

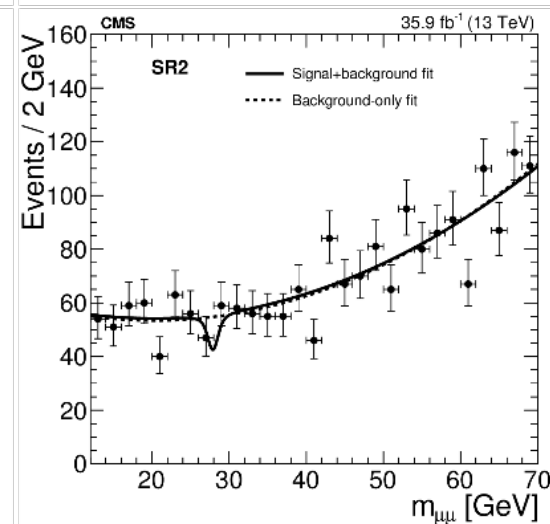
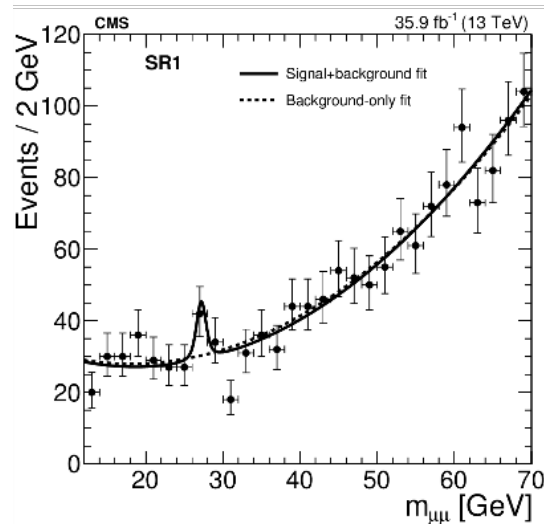
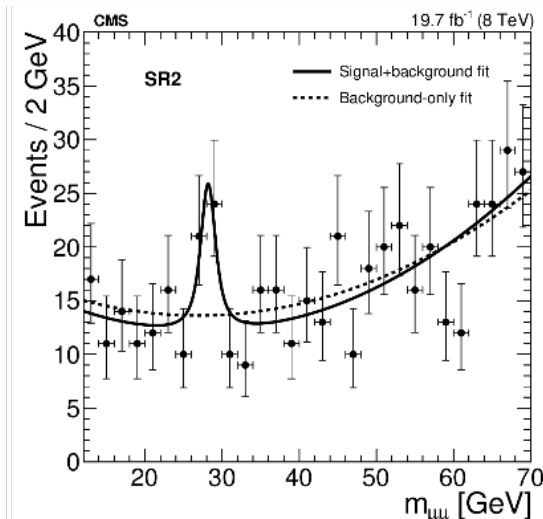
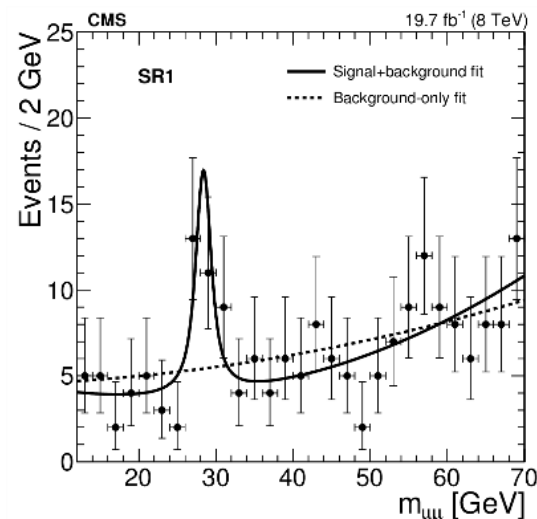


Statistically ATLAS is more powerful since it uses 80 fb^{-1} of Data:

Analysis dominated by **systematics** on bkg. Modelling Spurious Signals (it can be improved with more MC) and $Z \rightarrow ee$ modelling

CMS- HIG-16-017, arXiv:1808.01890 ,
JHEP 11 (2018) 161

- Search $m_{\mu\mu} = \{12-70\}$ GeV in 8 TeV (2012) and 13 TeV (2016) data
- Signal region 1: one central b-quark jet + at least one forward jet; Signal region 2: two central jets (at least one b-quark jet) + no forward jets + low $p_{t,miss}$
- 8 TeV: Local excesses of 4.2 (2.9) σ near $m_{\mu\mu}=28$ GeV for SR1(2); 13 TeV: local excess(deficit) of 2.0 (1.4) σ for SR1(2)
- Observed limits exclude scalings consistent with qq (1.5) or gg (2.5) production mechanisms
- More data required for definitive statement

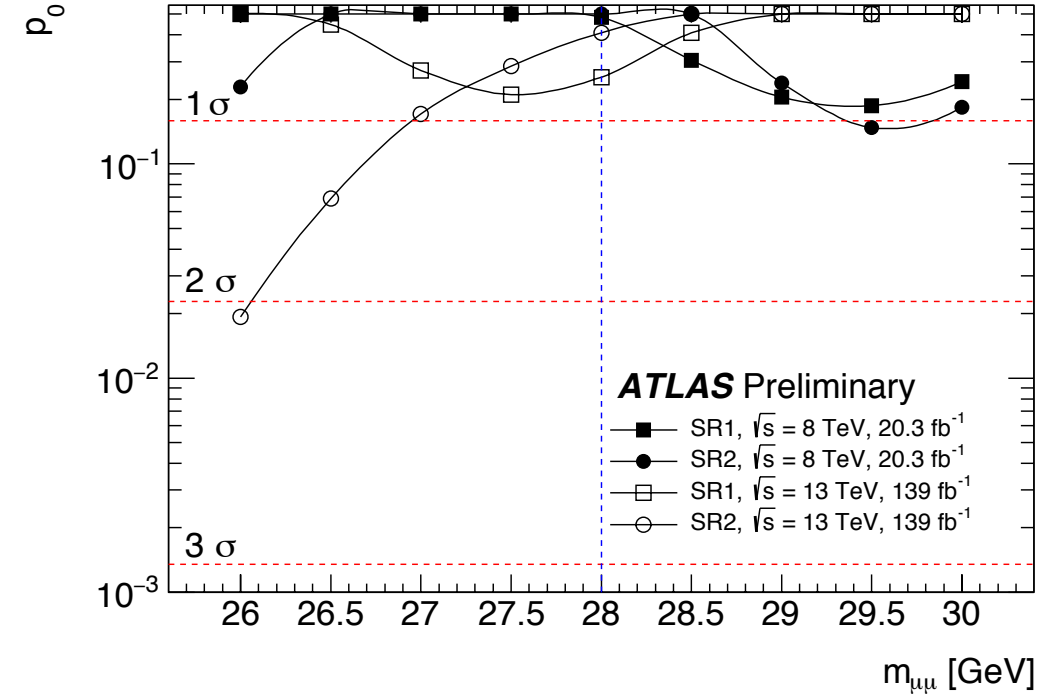
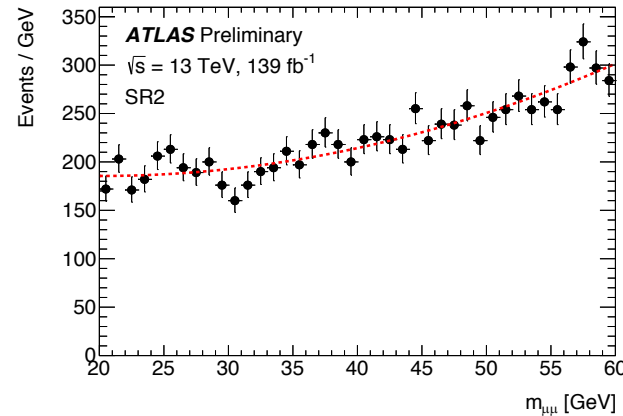
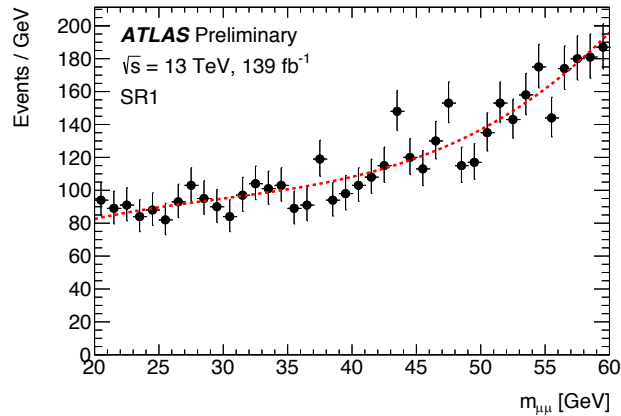
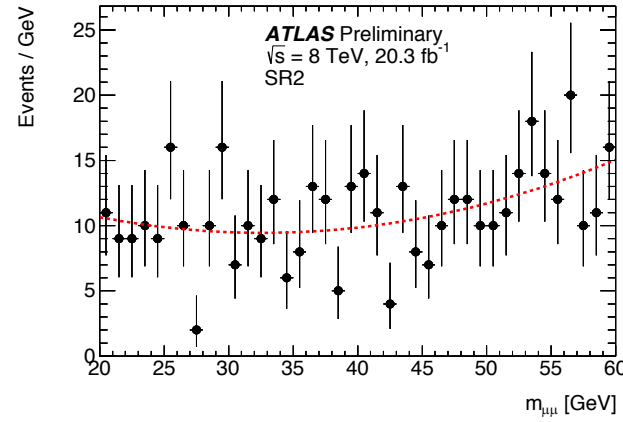
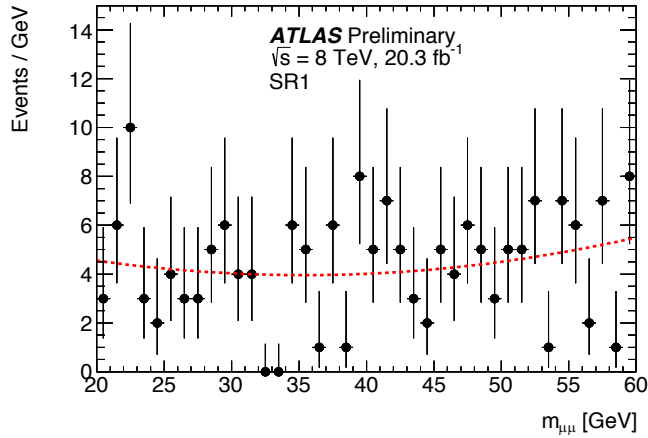


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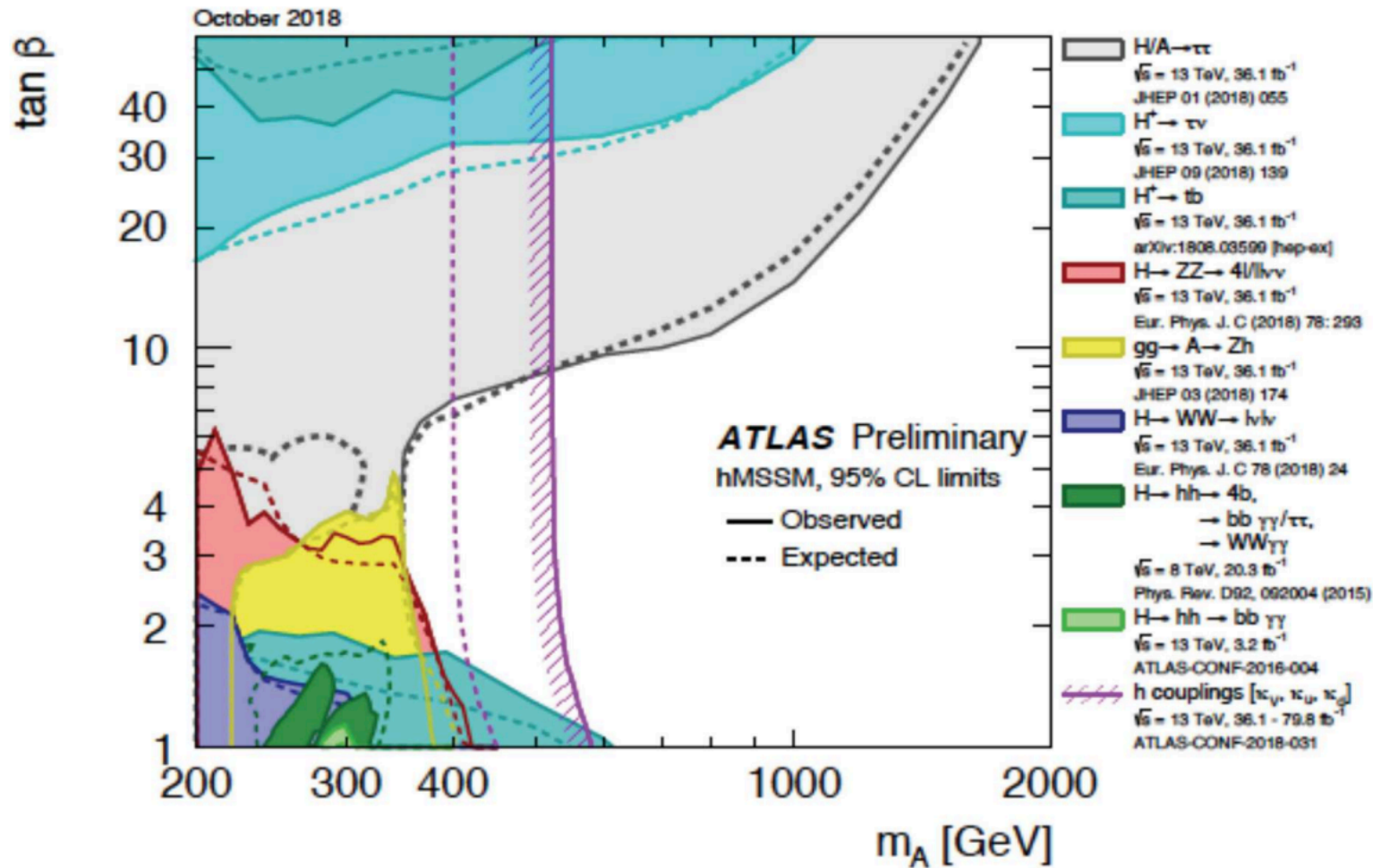
NEW result from ATLAS with **FULL Run1 + Run2** data just released **today!**

Since there is no signal modeling **ATLAS** selection mimic **closely CMS** one

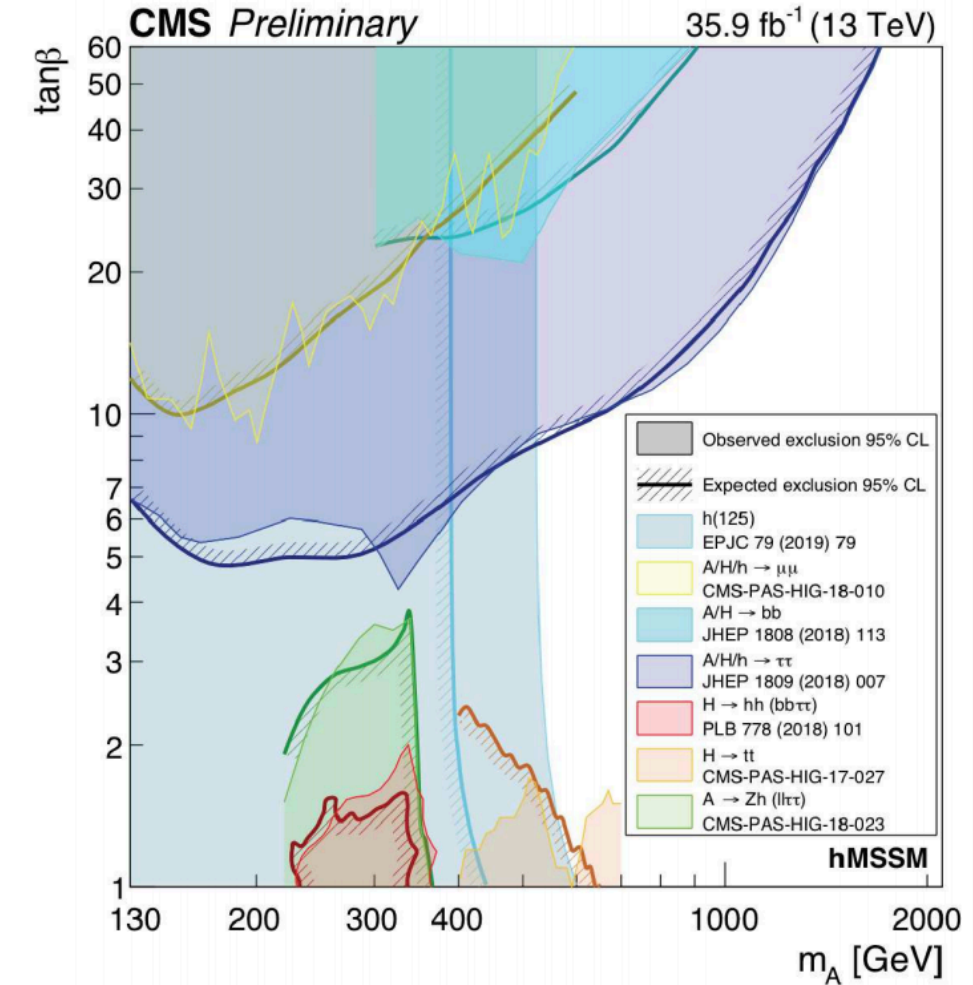
No significant excess observed in the vicinity of 28 GeV

H⁺/H/A ... hMSSM

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Flavor Anomalies

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- 2HDM models predict deviation in R_{D^*} and $R_{K^{(*)}}$ measurements.
- LHCb performed precision measurements of SM :
 - $R_{D^*}, \tau \rightarrow \mu \bar{\nu}_\mu \nu_\tau : 2.1\sigma$
 - R_{D^*}, τ three-prong decays : 1.1σ
 - $R_K : 2.5\sigma$
 - $R_{K^*} : 2.2\sigma$ at $0.045 < q^2 < 1.1$, 2.4σ at $1.1 < q^2 < 6.0$
- LHCb results consistent with the SM so far. Need better sensitivity to constrain SM and NP.

In general extension of the Higgs sector could strongly impact flavor physics

Closing Remarks

- At 7 years from the discovery we have now a much more clear picture of THE Higgs boson properties:
 - We know it is spin 0 and its interactions with bosons are mainly CP-even
 - We know its mass at 2 per mill accuracy
- Increasing precision in all measurements
 - Bosonic sector:
 - inclusive measurement at ~10% precision
 - differential measurement probing extended phase space with increasing accuracy
 - Interactions with Fermions:
 - 3rd generation (τ , b, t) fully established with uncertainties approaching ~20% level
 - Most promising channel to access couplings to 2nd generation is $H \rightarrow \mu\mu$: 3σ sensitivity achievable at the end of Run3 combining ATLAS+CMS: next milestone in Higgs physics
 - Still agreement with SM predictions
 - HH and self-coupling very challenging: we may get close with HL-LHC
- BSM studies: new bosons and non-SM decays
 - very active experimental program but no sign of BSM physics observed up to now
- We have only analyzed a small fraction (~5%) of the expected LHC data:
 - so the best is still to come, and maybe in 10 years from now ...

... you'll need to change the conference name AGAIN!



Thank you for your attention !

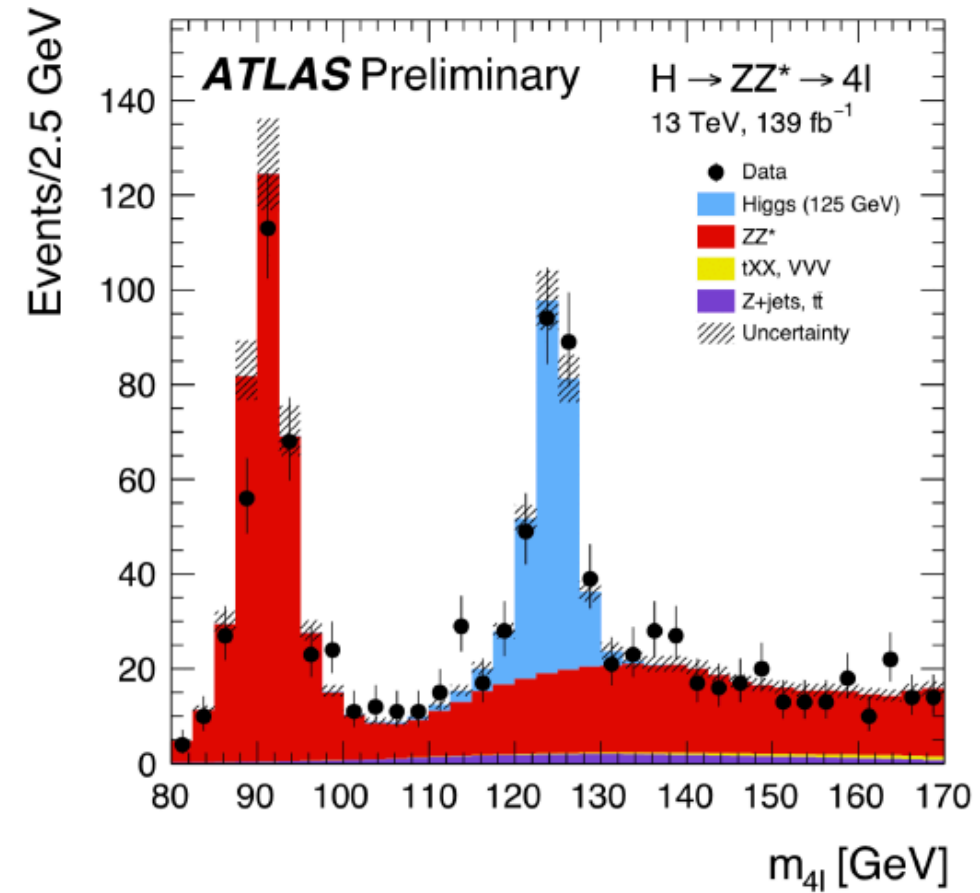
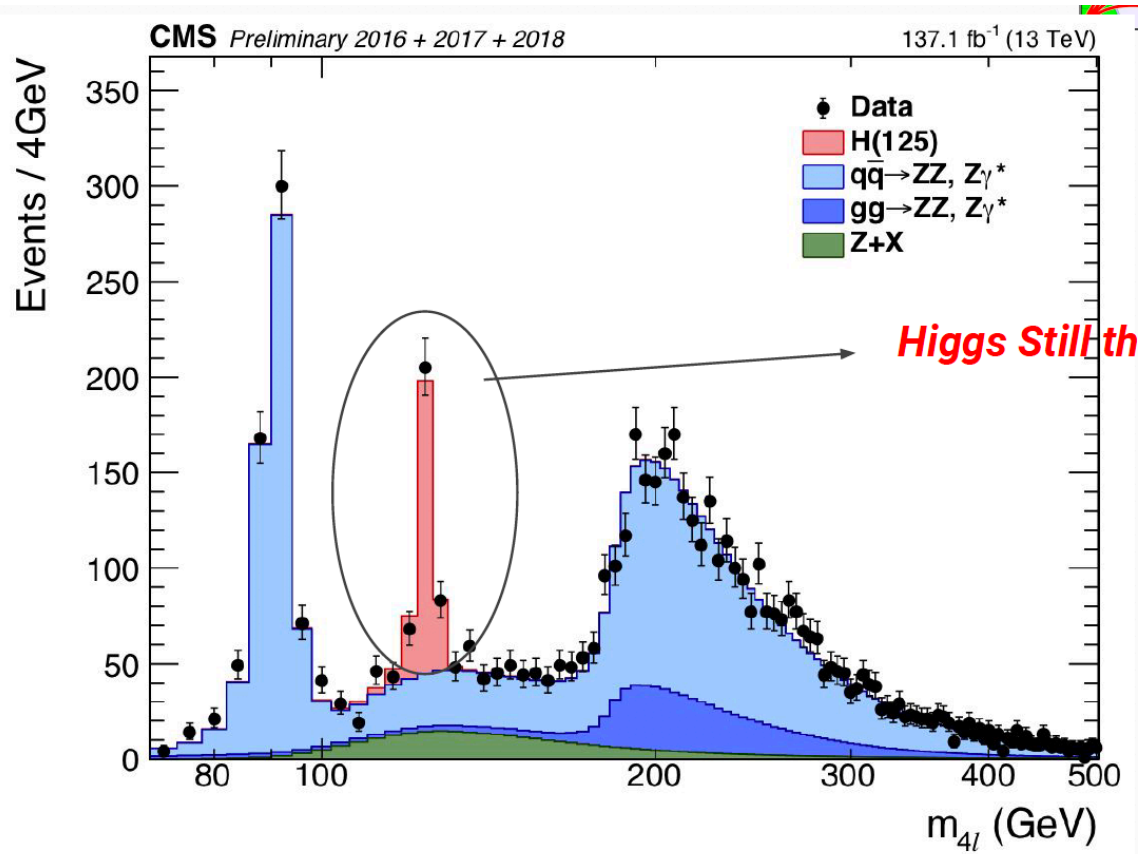


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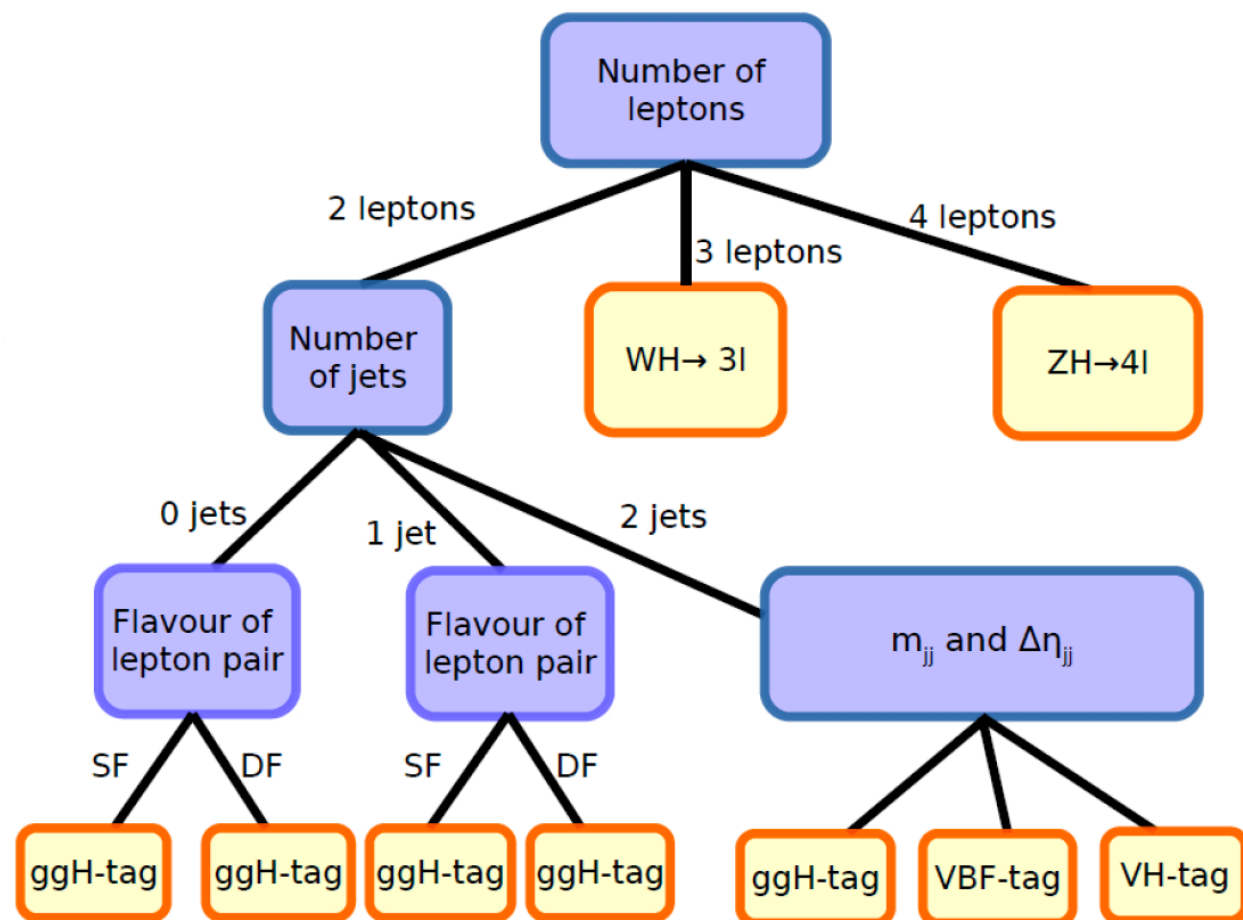
Higgs to Boson decays

- $H \rightarrow ZZ^* \rightarrow 4l$ and $H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ are clearly the best experimental signatures with fully reconstructed final state
 - allow measurement of the mass (< 2 per mill level)
 - **Backgrounds** small and/or **determined in situ** (now also true for 4-leptons ATLAS analysis)
 - **Small BR**: need large luminosity
 - Ideal channels for **fiducial differential** and **STXS measurements**
- More challenging $H \rightarrow WW \rightarrow l\nu l\nu$
 - **Larger BR** but **systematics on background** already playing a major role

H → 4leptos updated with full Run2!

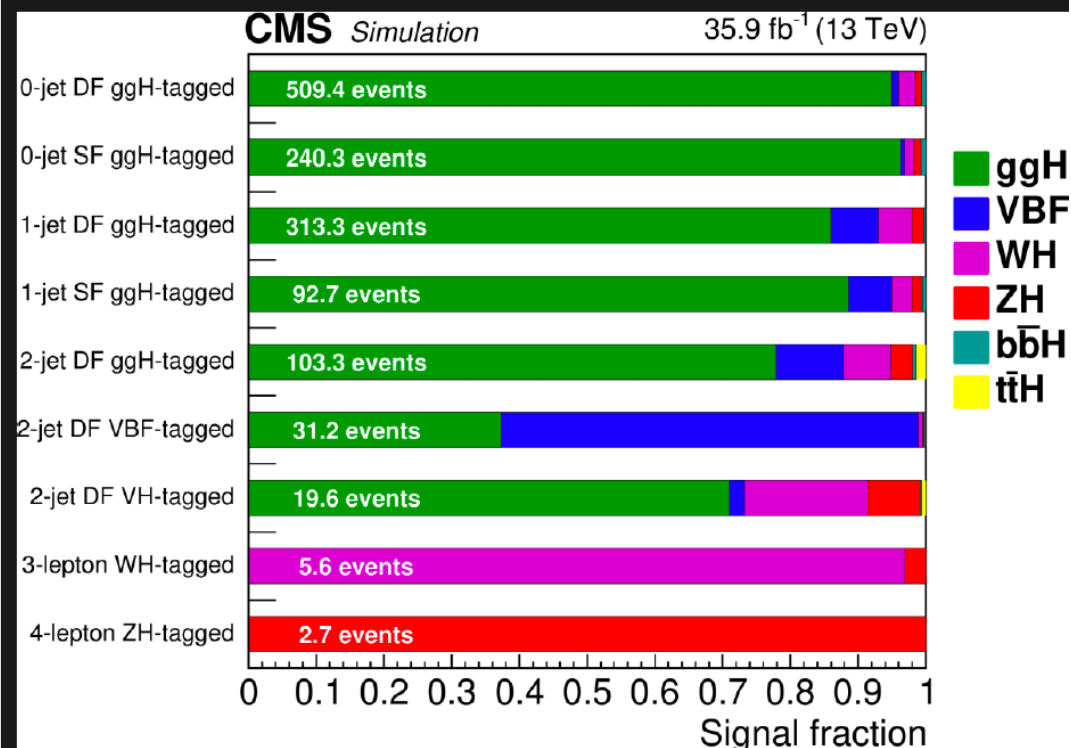


- Events split in 30 categories.



SF: Same Flavour (ee/μμ)
DF: Different Flavour (eμ)

- Opposite charge leptons with $p_T^{lep1} > 25$ GeV and $p_T^{lep2} > 10$ (13) for μ(e).
- $p_T^l > 30$ GeV and MET > 20 GeV.
- b-tagged jet veto.

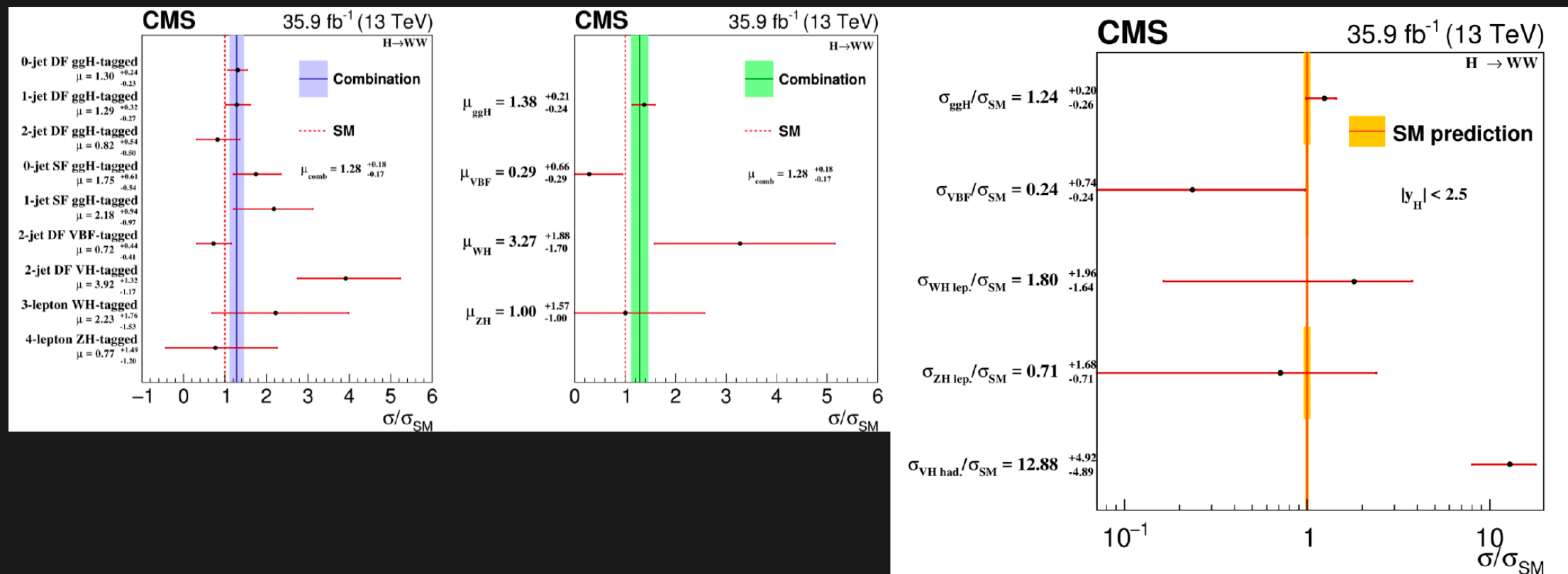


Signal strength measurements



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- Signal strengths (σ/σ_{SM}) measured from a simultaneous binned likelihood fit of all signal and control regions.



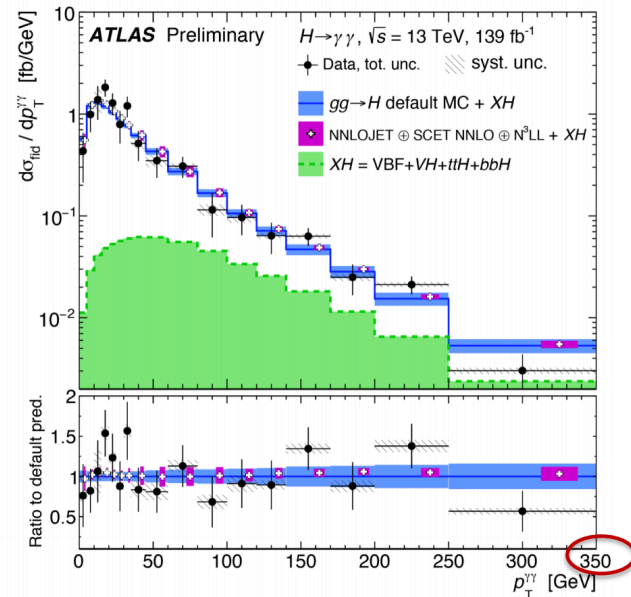
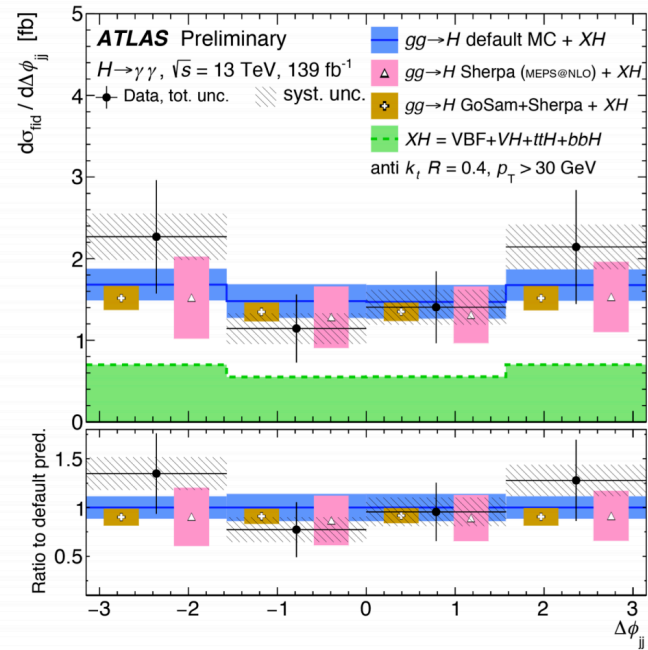
- Limited by lepton reconstruction, background data-driven estimation and ggH theoretical uncertainties.
- $\mu = 1.28^{+0.18}_{-0.17}$ at 9.1(7.1) σ observed (expected) significance. First H → WW observation in CMS!!!

Simplified Template cross-sections

- Proposed at Les Houshe'15 ([Proceedings](#)) + LHC Higgs xs working group ([YR4](#))
- Goals:
 - Measure cross-sections per production modes (ggF, VBF, VH, ttH) in different phase space (Signal Templates: PtH, PtV, ...) reducing model dependency and maximizing sensitivity to BSM effects
 - Combine different decay channels → increase sensitivity
 - Provide harmonized framework for signal theory uncertainties
- Draw backs:
 - It works well ONLY if signal split matches experimental “categories/sensitivity”
 - “Staged” approach matching STXS granularity with experimental sensitivity
 - Up to now kinematic information on decay not considered

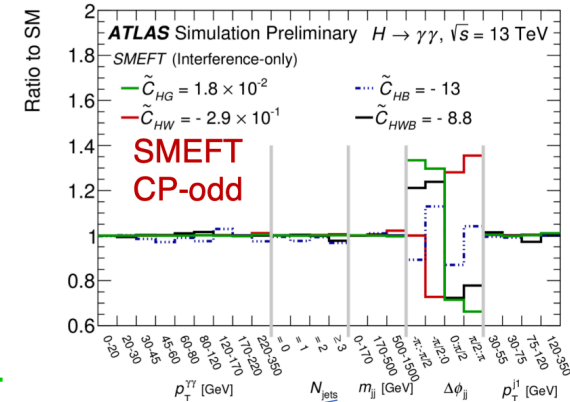
Fiducial differential cross-sections

- Fiducial differential cross-sections are the most model independent way to measure Higgs interactions at LHC
- More suitable channels are $H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ and $H \rightarrow ZZ^* \rightarrow 4\text{-leptons}$:
 - Little impact/dependency of/on subtracted background
 - Fully reconstructed Higgs decay with good experimental resolutions: little sensitivity to “unfolding” (correct for experimental effects) method
- Differential distributions chosen to be sensitive to signal modeling and BSM effects:
 - Production: Pt-Higgs, Higgs-rapidity, Pt-jet, N-jets, N-bjets, $\Delta\phi_{JJ}$, 2D: Pt-Higgs vs N-jets
 - Decay: $\cos(\theta^*)$, $M_{\ell\ell}$, 2D: M_{12} vs M_{34}
- In the following focus on Pt-Higgs, other distributions in *backup*



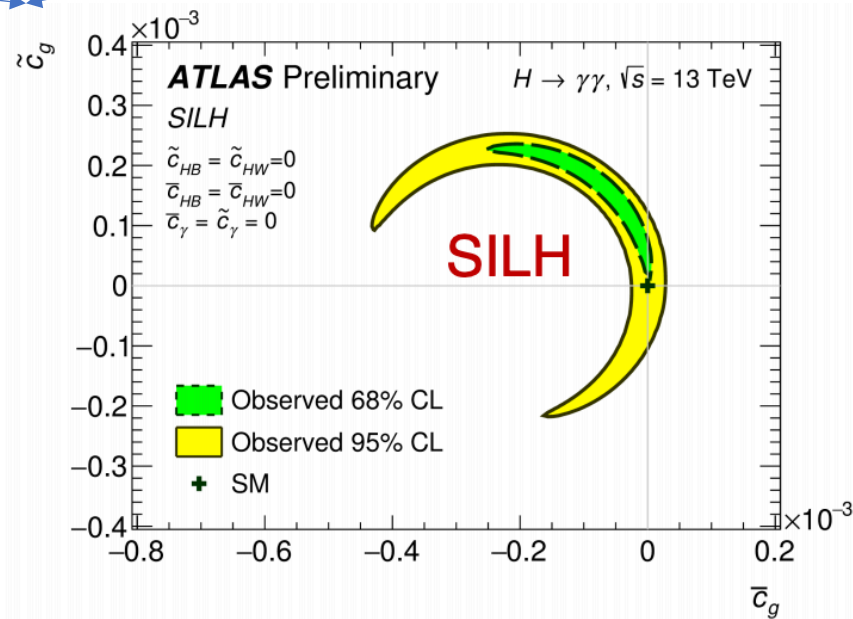
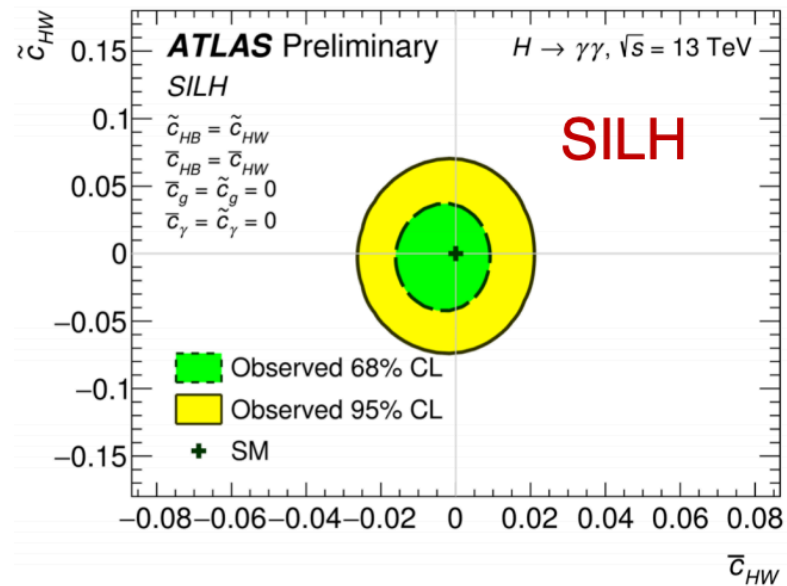
$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{eff}}^{\text{SMEFT}} \supset \boxed{\bar{C}_{HG} O'_g + \bar{C}_{HW} O'_{HW} + \bar{C}_{HB} O'_{HB} + \bar{C}_{HWB} O'_{HWB}} + \boxed{+\bar{C}_{HG} \tilde{O}'_g + \bar{C}_{HW} \tilde{O}'_{HW} + \bar{C}_{HB} \tilde{O}'_{HB} + \bar{C}_{HWB} \tilde{O}'_{HWB}},$$

Modify ggF production Modify VBF/VH production and H $\gamma\gamma$ decay

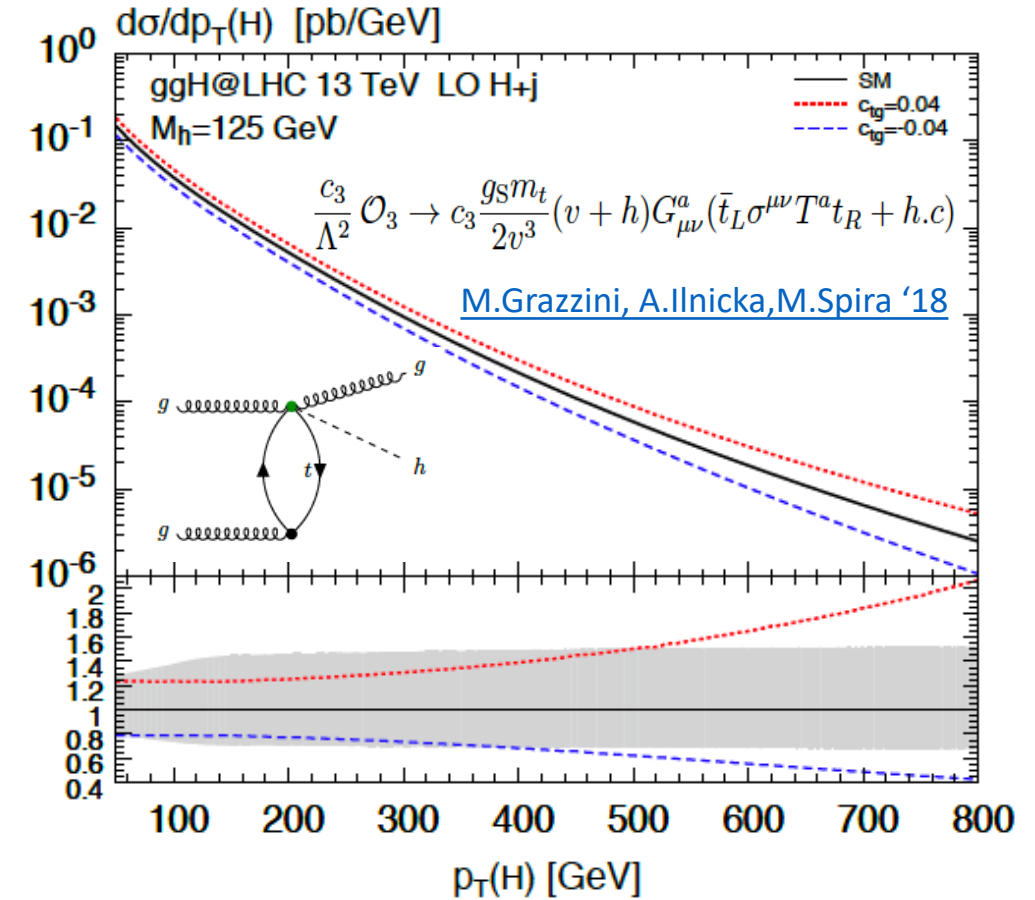
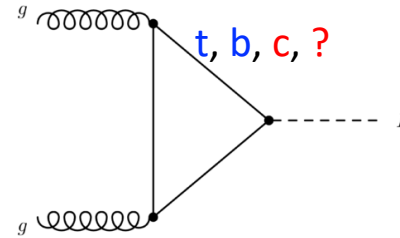
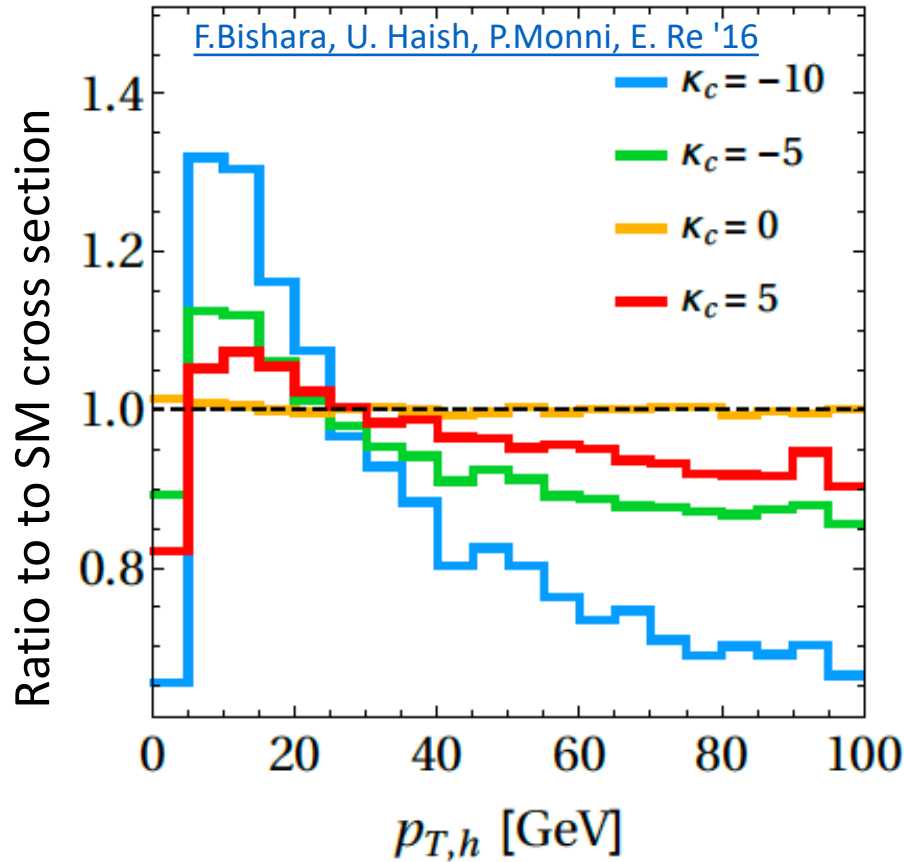


EFT from differential
 Xs H $\rightarrow\gamma\gamma$

L. Xu



Pt-Higgs in ggF vs BSM physics



- Higgs Pt spectrum dominated by **gluon fusion production** (ggF) at LHC (not true at **very high Pt**)
- Full range sensitive to several **BSM effects**:
 - **low Pt**: Higgs **couplings** to **charm**
 - **high Pt**: Higgs **couplings** to **top**, BSM Top partners ([A.Banfi, A.Martin, V.Sanz '13](#)) , **EFT operators**, ...

Comparison of uncertainties ...

CMS: 77 fb⁻¹
PAS HIG-18-030

Uncertainty source	$\Delta\hat{\mu}$
Total experimental	+0.15/−0.13
b tagging	+0.08/−0.07
jet energy scale and resolution	+0.05/−0.04
Total theory	+0.23/−0.19
signal	+0.15/−0.06
$t\bar{t}$ +hf modelling	+0.14/−0.15
QCD background prediction	+0.10/−0.08
Size of simulated samples	+0.10/−0.10
Total systematic	+0.28/−0.25
Statistical	+0.15/−0.15
Total	+0.32/−0.29

ATLAS: 36 fb⁻¹
arXiv:1712.08895

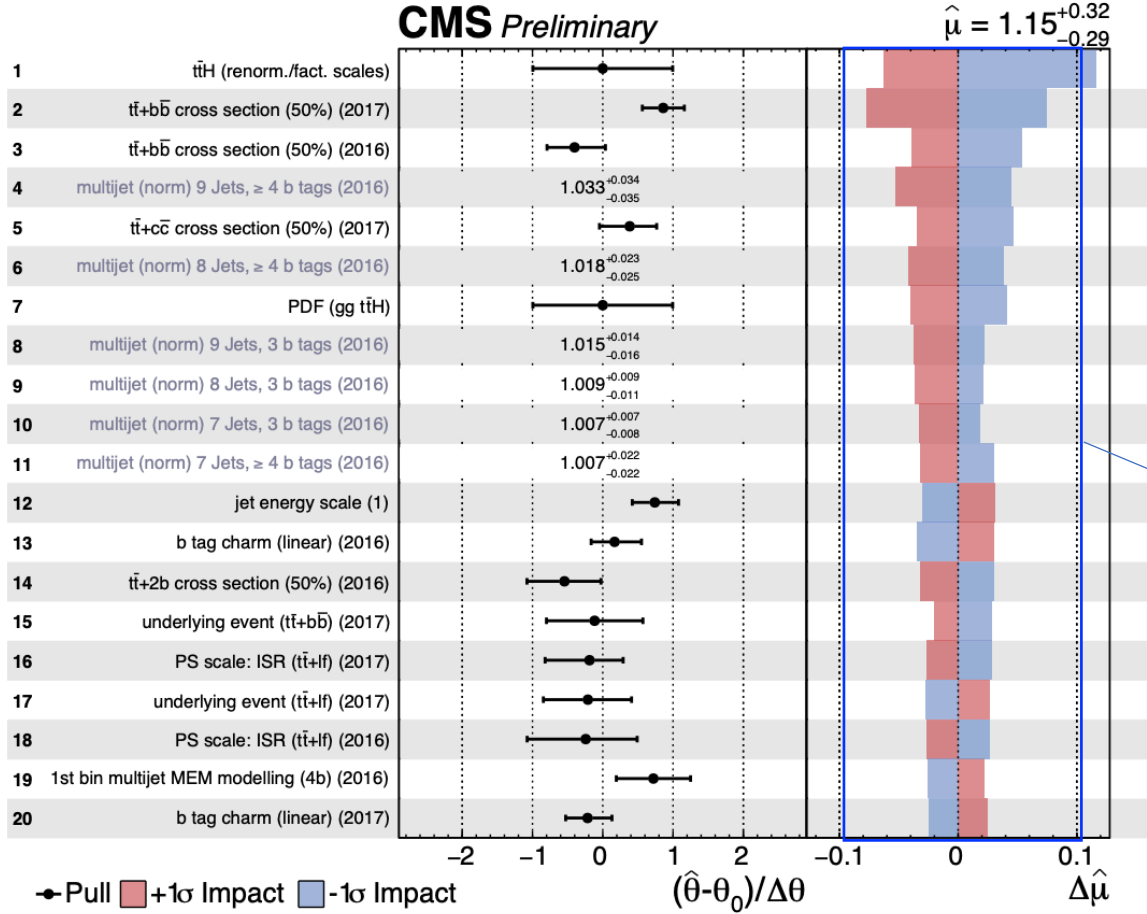
A. David

Uncertainty source	$\Delta\mu$	
$t\bar{t} + \geq 1b$ modeling	+0.46	−0.46
Background-model stat. unc.	+0.29	−0.31
b-tagging efficiency and mis-tag rates	+0.16	−0.16
Jet energy scale and resolution	+0.14	−0.14
$t\bar{t}H$ modeling	+0.22	−0.05
$t\bar{t} + \geq 1c$ modeling	+0.09	−0.11
JVT, pileup modeling	+0.03	−0.05
Other background modeling	+0.08	−0.08
$t\bar{t} +$ light modeling	+0.06	−0.03
Luminosity	+0.03	−0.02
Light lepton (e, μ) id., isolation, trigger	+0.03	−0.04
Total systematic uncertainty	+0.57	−0.54
$t\bar{t} + \geq 1b$ normalization	+0.09	−0.10
$t\bar{t} + \geq 1c$ normalization	+0.02	−0.03
Intrinsic statistical uncertainty	+0.21	−0.20
Total statistical uncertainty	+0.29	−0.29
Total uncertainty	+0.64	−0.61

- Clearly Large differences!

ttH->bb

CMS Preliminary



Pre-fit impact on μ :

$\theta = \hat{\theta} + \Delta\theta$ $\theta = \hat{\theta} - \Delta\theta$

Post-fit impact on μ :

$\theta = \hat{\theta} + \Delta\hat{\theta}$ $\theta = \hat{\theta} - \Delta\hat{\theta}$

—●— Nuis. Param. Pull

t \bar{t} + ≥ 1 b: SHERPA5F vs. nominal

t \bar{t} + ≥ 1 b: SHERPA4F vs. nominal

t \bar{t} + ≥ 1 b: PS & hadronization

t \bar{t} + ≥ 1 b: ISR / FSR

t \bar{t} H: PS & hadronization

b-tagging: mis-tag (light) NP I

k(t \bar{t} + ≥ 1 b) = 1.24 ± 0.10

Jet energy resolution: NP I

t \bar{t} H: cross section (QCD scale)

t \bar{t} + ≥ 1 b: t \bar{t} + ≥ 3 b normalization

t \bar{t} + ≥ 1 c: SHERPA5F vs. nominal

t \bar{t} + ≥ 1 b: shower recoil scheme

t \bar{t} + ≥ 1 c: ISR / FSR

Jet energy resolution: NP II

t \bar{t} +light: PS & hadronization

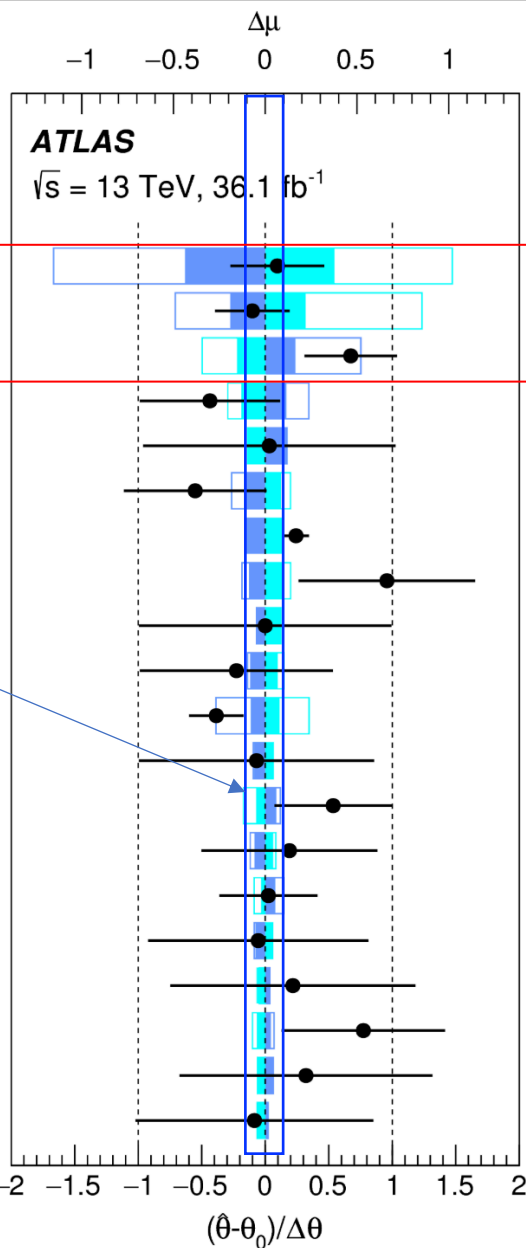
Wt: diagram subtr. vs. nominal

b-tagging: efficiency NP I

b-tagging: mis-tag (c) NP I

E $_T^{miss}$: soft-term resolution

b-tagging: efficiency NP II

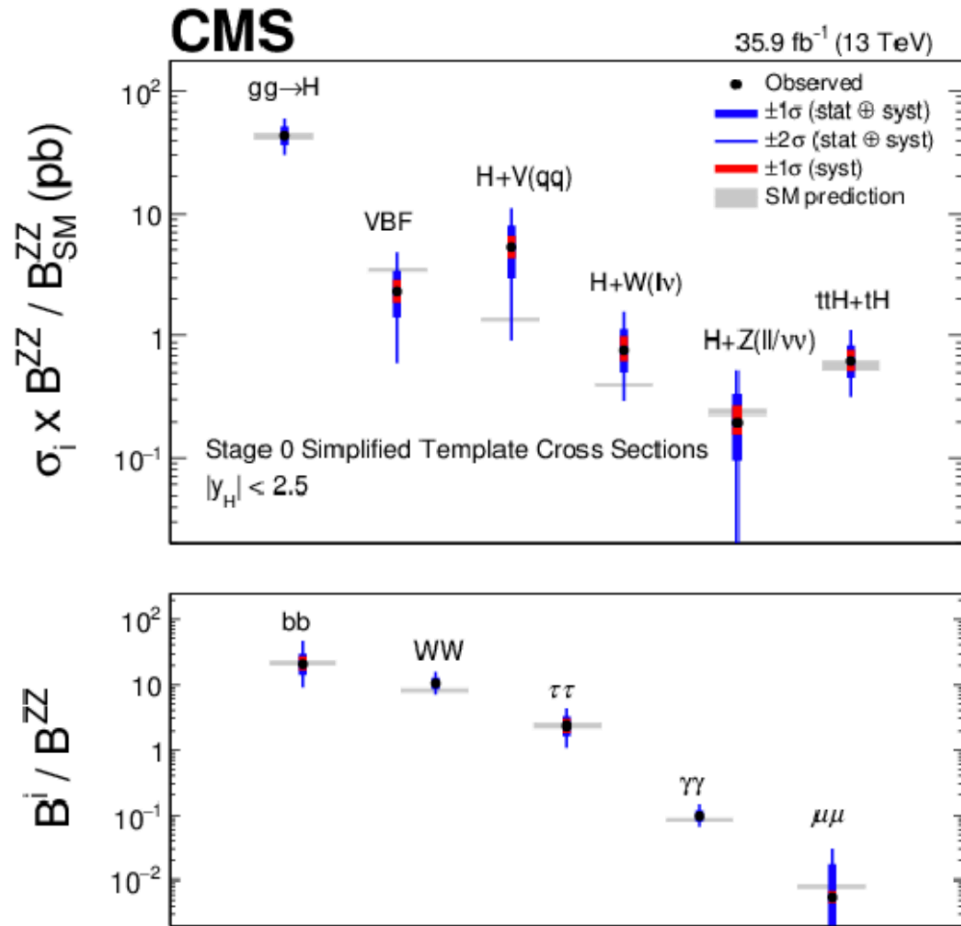


Bkg. "shape uncertainties"

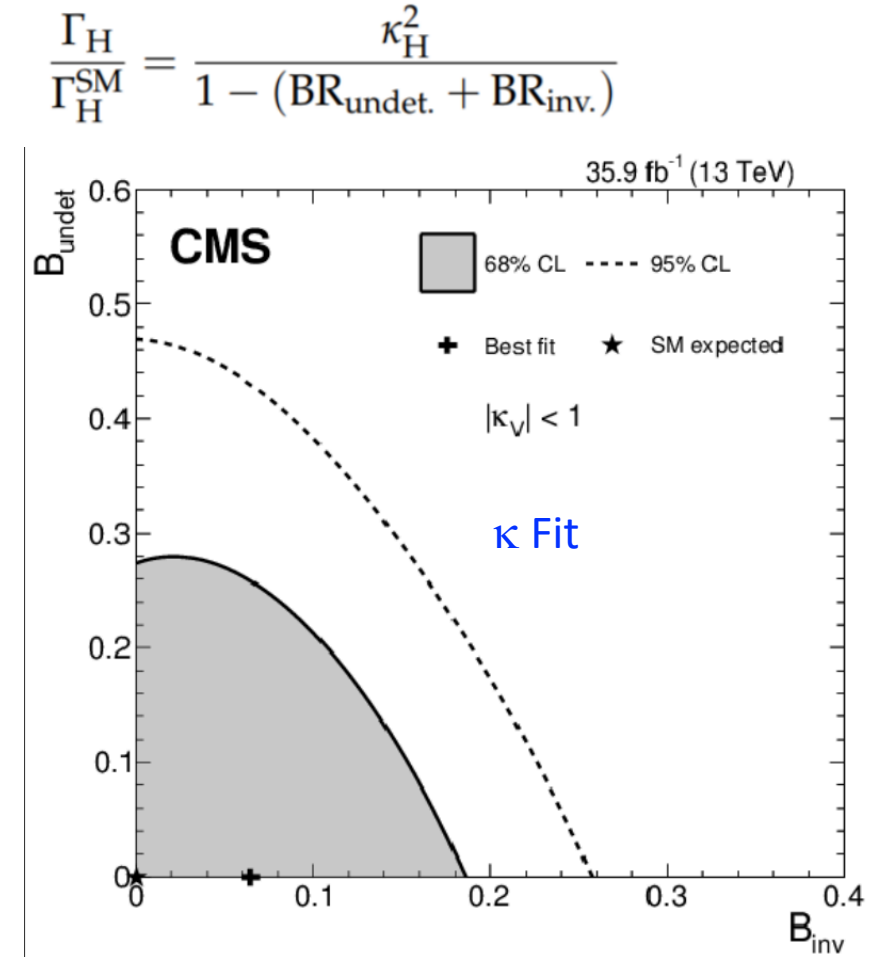
• Side by side comparison

Channels Combination CMS

M. Primavera



No significant deviations
from SM predictions



Cross sections per production mode (STXS “stage0”) separate error of measurement from prediction

Combining with invisible Higgs direct search can disentangle “Invisible” from “Undetectable” in κ fit (assuming $|\kappa_V| < 1$)

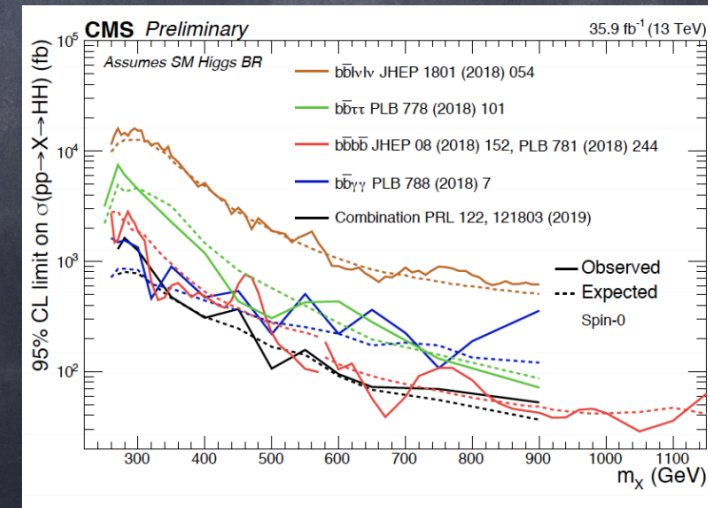
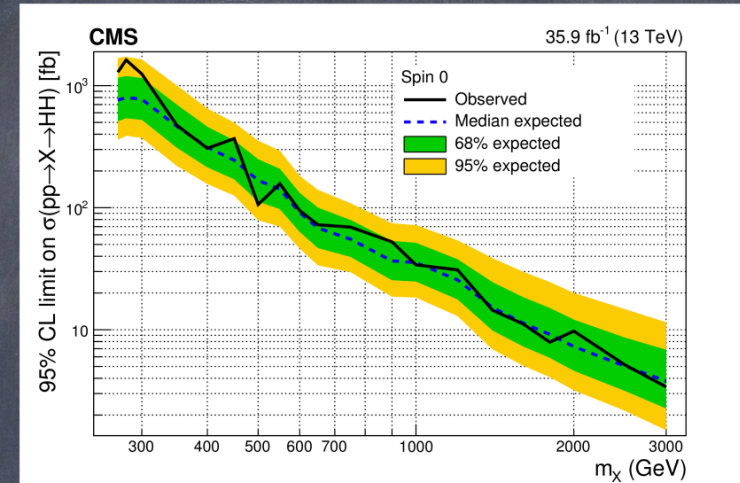
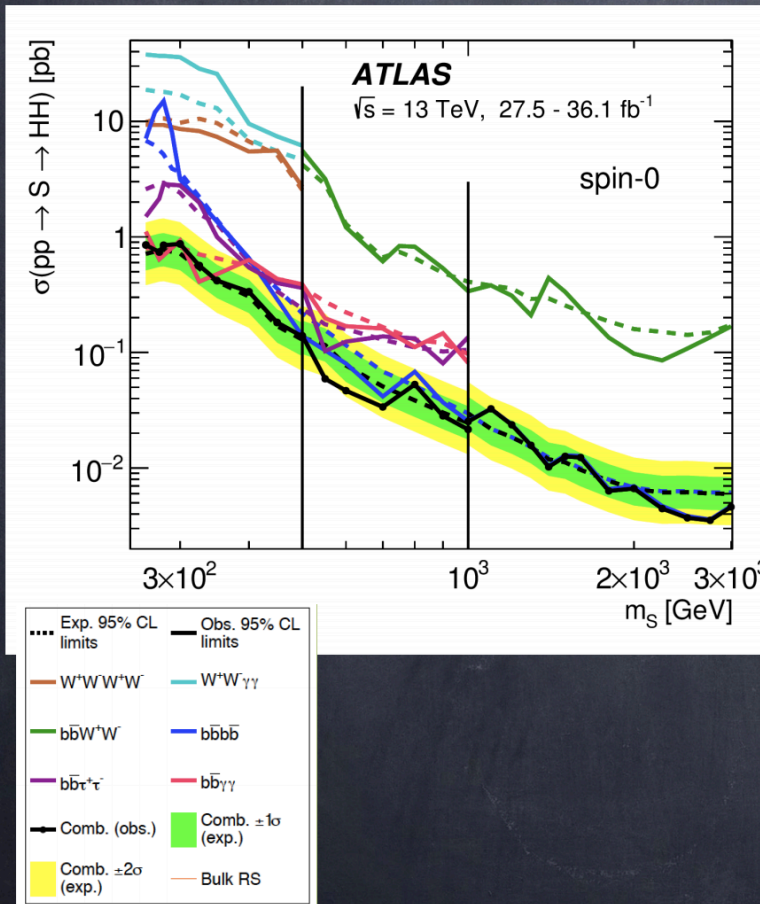
BSM HH resonant production

Resonant

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Rare decays

Y. Gershtein

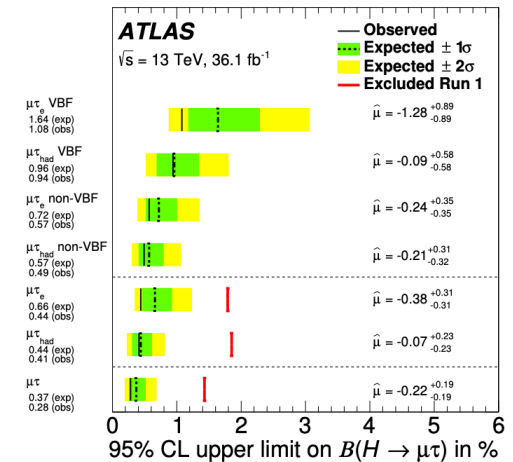
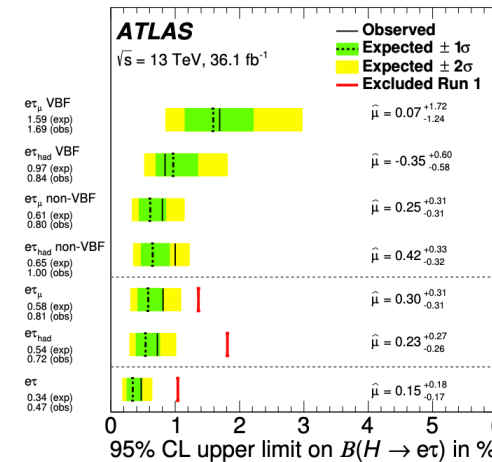
LFV $H \rightarrow \ell\tau$ results

L. Truong

	observed	expected	SM value	ref
$H \rightarrow \mu\mu$	$5.7 \cdot 10^{-4}$	$4.1 \cdot 10^{-4}$	$2.2 \cdot 10^{-4}$	CMS-HIG-17-019
$H \rightarrow ee$	0.0019	0.0024	$5 \cdot 10^{-9}$	CMS-HIG-13-007
$H \rightarrow \gamma J/\psi$	$7.6 \cdot 10^{-4}$	$5.2^{+2.4}_{-1.6} \cdot 10^{-4}$	$3 \cdot 10^{-6}$	CMS-SMP-17-012
$H \rightarrow J/\psi J/\psi$	$1.8 \cdot 10^{-3}$	$1.8^{+0.2}_{-0.1} \cdot 10^{-3}$	$1.5 \cdot 10^{-10}$	CMS-HIG-18-025
$H \rightarrow cc$ inclusive	2.1	$1.1^{+0.5}_{-0.3}$	0.03	CMS-HIG-18-031
$H \rightarrow YY$	$1.4 \cdot 10^{-3}$	$1.4 \pm 0.1 \cdot 10^{-3}$	$2 \cdot 10^{-9}$	CMS-HIG-18-025
$Z \rightarrow \gamma J/\psi$	$1.4 \cdot 10^{-6}$	$1.6^{+0.7}_{-0.5} \cdot 10^{-6}$	$9 \cdot 10^{-8}$	CMS-SMP-17-012
$Z \rightarrow J/\psi J/\psi$	$2.2 \cdot 10^{-6}$	$2.8^{+1.2}_{-0.7} \cdot 10^{-6}$		CMS-HIG-18-025
$Z \rightarrow YY$	$1.5 \cdot 10^{-6}$	$1.8 \pm 0.1 \cdot 10^{-6}$		CMS-HIG-18-025

	$\mu\tau_e$ non-VBF	$\mu\tau_e$ VBF	$\mu\tau_{had}$ non-VBF	$\mu\tau_{had}$ VBF
Signal	287 ± 23	14.6 ± 1.9	1200 ± 120	25 ± 5
$Z \rightarrow \tau\tau$	1860 ± 130	144 ± 26	96100 ± 2000	274 ± 33
Top-quark	1260 ± 130	390 ± 34	1620 ± 210	51 ± 10
Mis-identified	1340 ± 210	41 ± 21	63900 ± 1600	149 ± 33
Other	1180 ± 140	168 ± 18	23000 ± 1000	104 ± 15
Total Bkg.	5640 ± 100	743 ± 29	184500 ± 1200	580 ± 30
Data	5664	723	184508	583

- ✦ Observed data agrees with expected background.
- ✦ The observed (median) 95% CL limit: **0.47% ($0.34^{+0.13}_{-0.10}\%$)** and **0.28% ($0.37^{+0.14}_{-0.10}\%$)** for $H \rightarrow e\tau$ and $H \rightarrow \mu\tau$

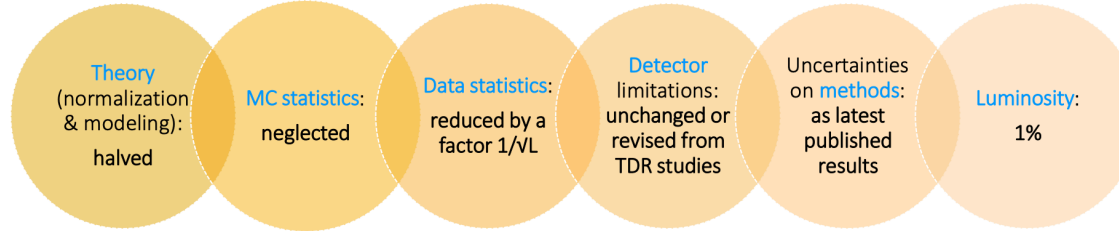


HL-LHC

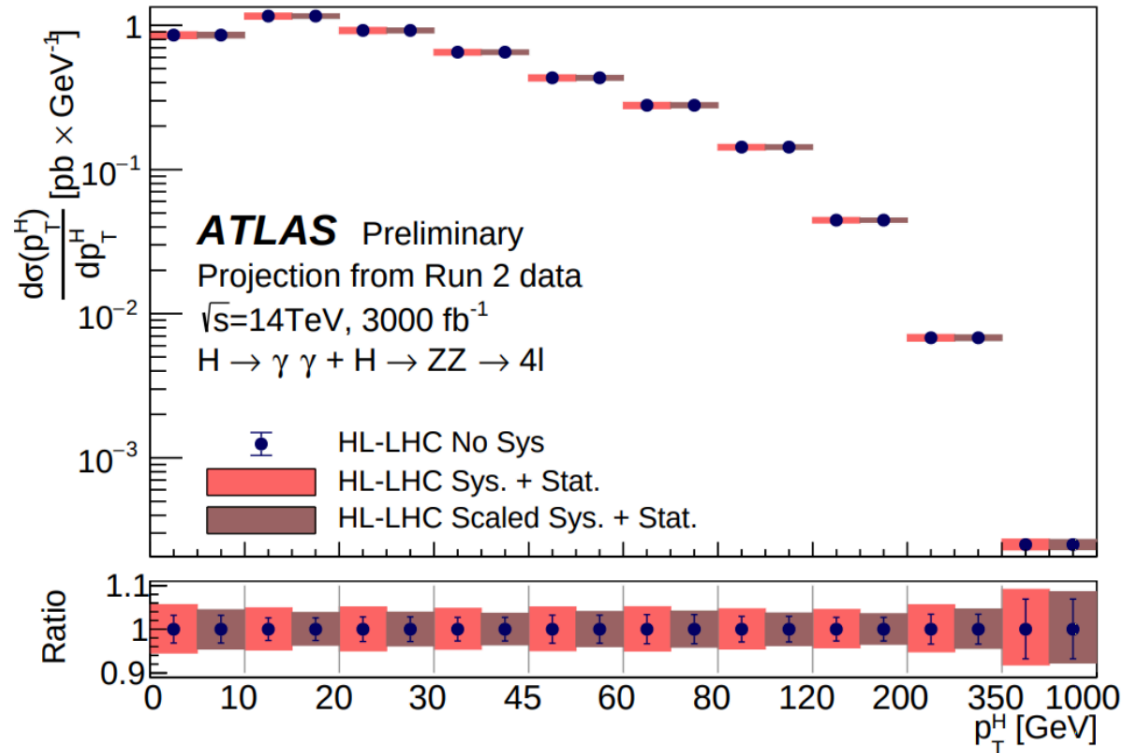
A look to the (near) future HH

B. Murray

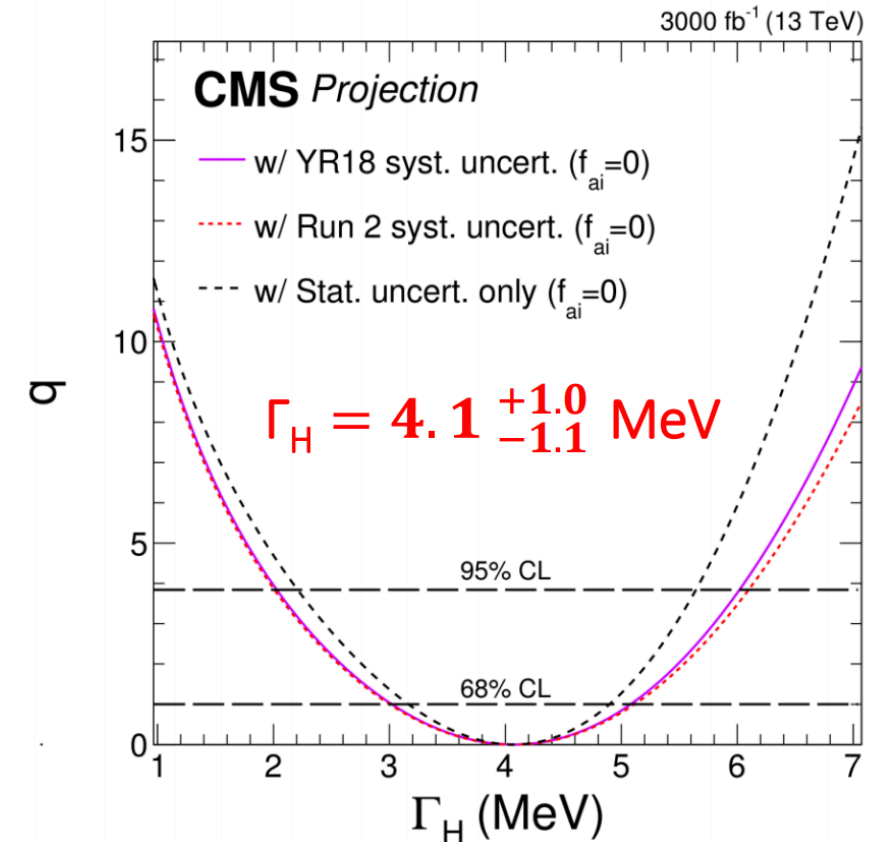
E. Fontanesi



Experimental uncertainties
scaled down with V_L until a lower threshold



Better than 10% up to 1 TeV



Combining ZZ on-shell + off-shell

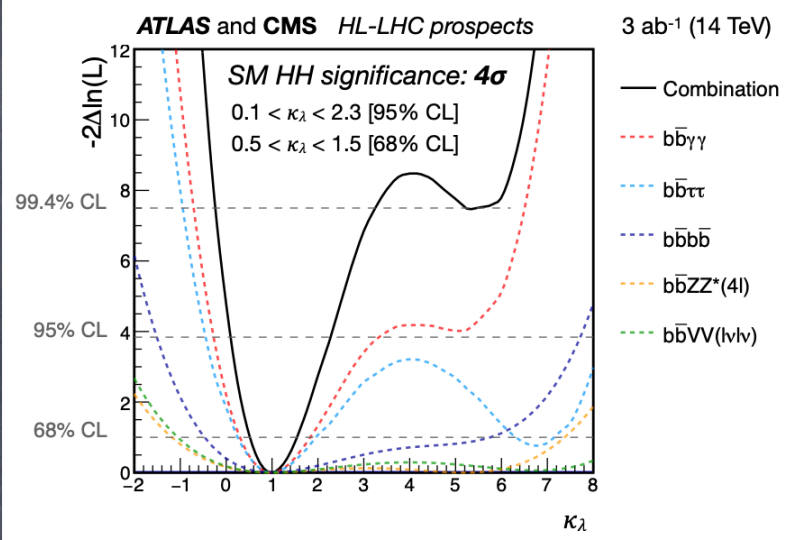
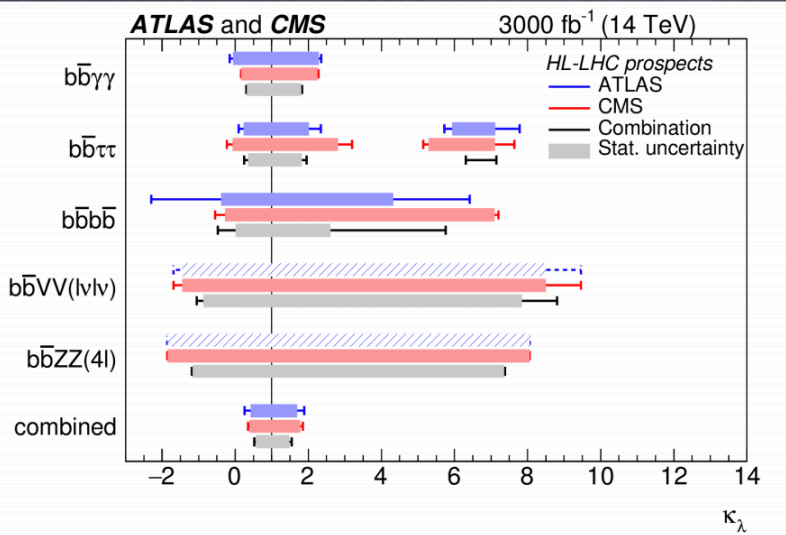
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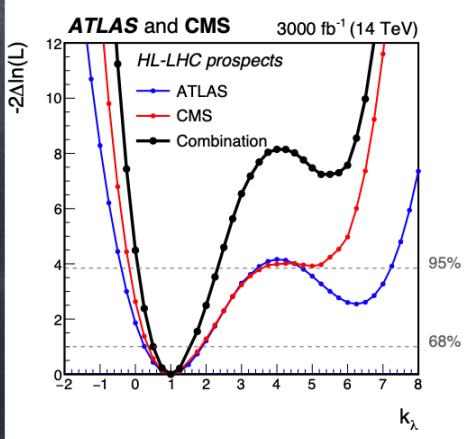
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HL-LHC?



	Statistical-only		Statistical + Systematic	
	ATLAS	CMS	ATLAS	CMS
$HH \rightarrow b\bar{b}b\bar{b}$	1.4	1.2	0.61	0.95
$HH \rightarrow b\bar{b}\tau\tau$	2.5	1.6	2.1	1.4
$HH \rightarrow b\bar{b}\gamma\gamma$	2.1	1.8	2.0	1.8
$HH \rightarrow b\bar{b}VV(l\nu\nu)$	-	0.59	-	0.56
$HH \rightarrow b\bar{b}ZZ(4l)$	-	0.37	-	0.37
combined	3.5	2.8	3.0	2.6
	Combined		Combined	
	4.5		4.0	



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Preselection	
2 OS muons with $ \eta < 2.1$ and $p_T > 25$ GeV Leading muon $p_T > 27$ GeV (13 TeV dataset only) $m_{\mu\mu} > 12$ GeV ≥ 2 jets with $p_T > 30$ GeV ≥ 1 b-tagged (60%) jet with $ \eta < 2.4$	
SR1	SR2
Exactly one jet with $ \eta < 2.4$ ≥ 1 jet with $2.4 < \eta < 4.5$	Exactly two jets with $ \eta < 2.4$ No jets with $2.4 < \eta < 4.5$ $MET < 40$ GeV $\Delta\phi(\text{jet, jet}) > 2.5$

NEW result from ATLAS with **FULL Run1 + Run2** data just released **today!**