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Higgs



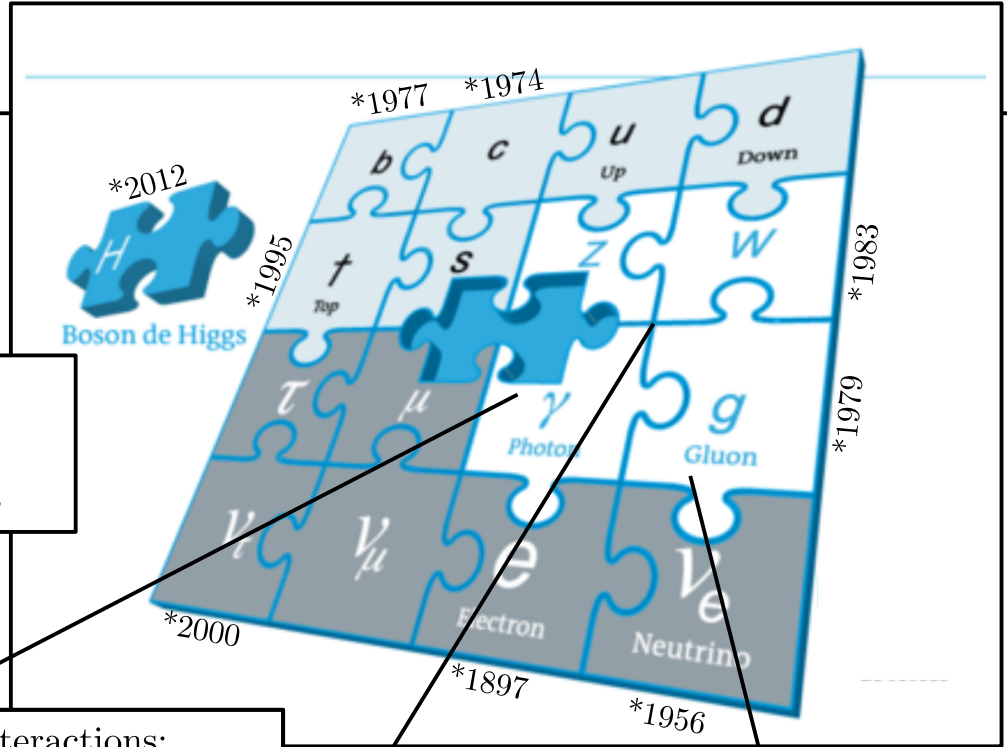
**Die Akte Higgs  
– fünf Jahre Higgsphysik am LHC –**

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Interactions:

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$U(1)_Y$

$\psi e^{i\vartheta'}$

$\gamma$  photon

Electromagnetism

$SU(2)_L$

$\begin{pmatrix} u \\ d \end{pmatrix}_L e^{it_a \vartheta_a}$

$W^\pm$  W boson

$Z$  Z boson

Weak force

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$g$  gluon

Strong force

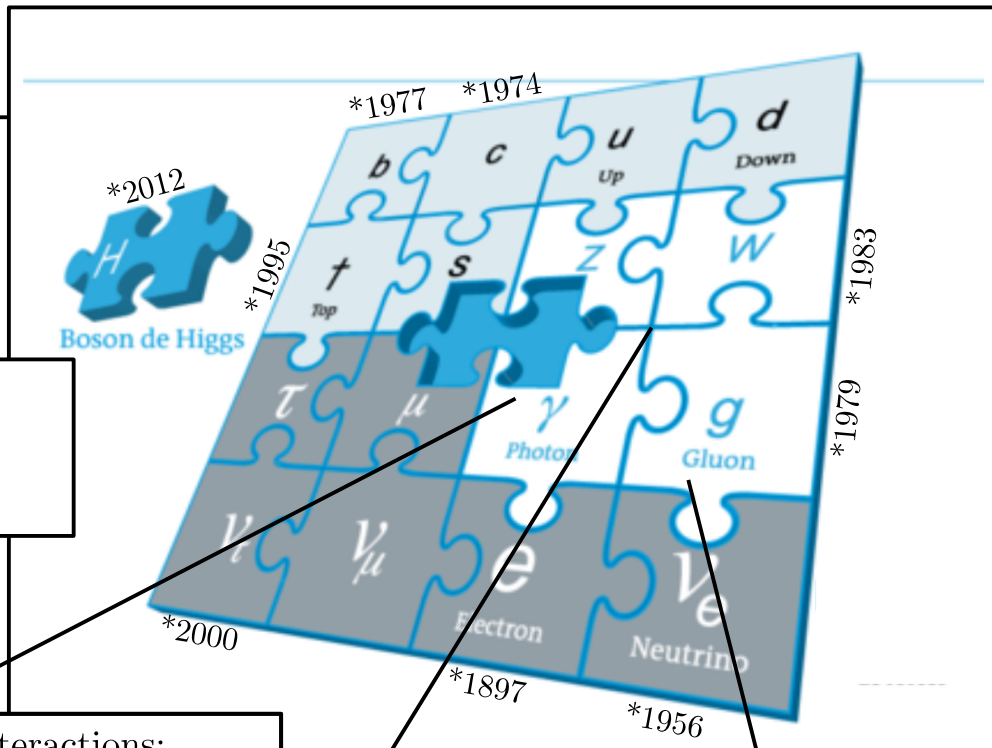
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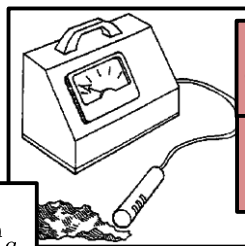
Interactions:

- Gauge bosons

- Especially W & Z boson are very heavy.
- How can  $SU(2)_L$  be realized & broken at the same time.

Electromagnetism

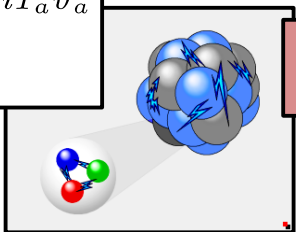
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Weak force  
 $m_W = 80.385 \pm 0.015 \text{ GeV}$   
 $m_Z = 91.187 \pm 0.002 \text{ GeV}$

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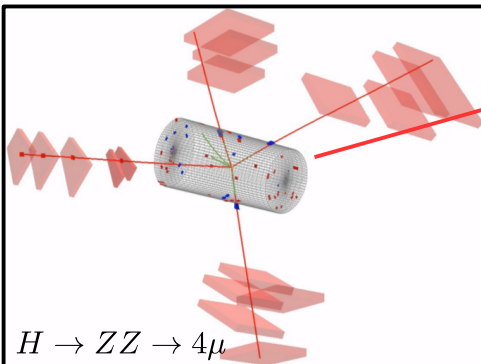
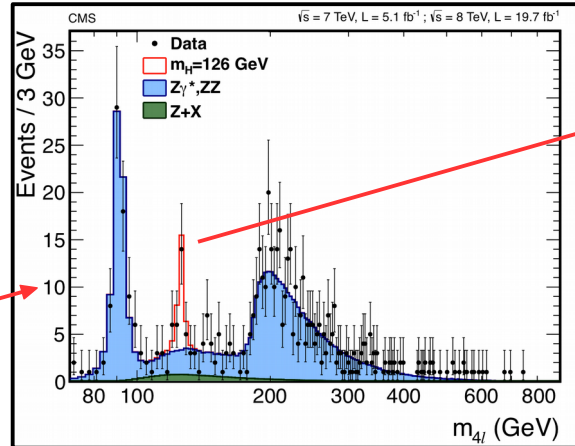
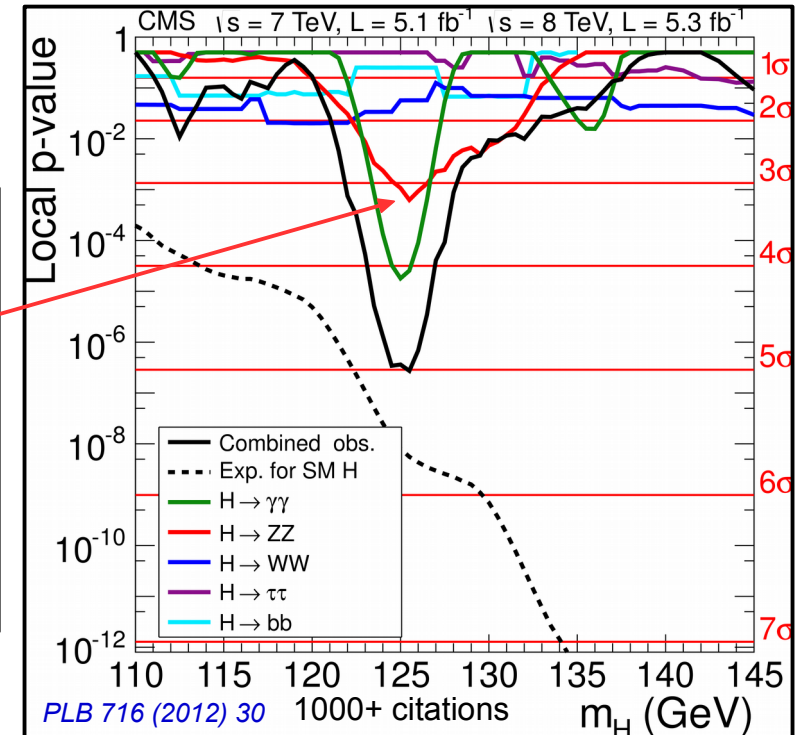
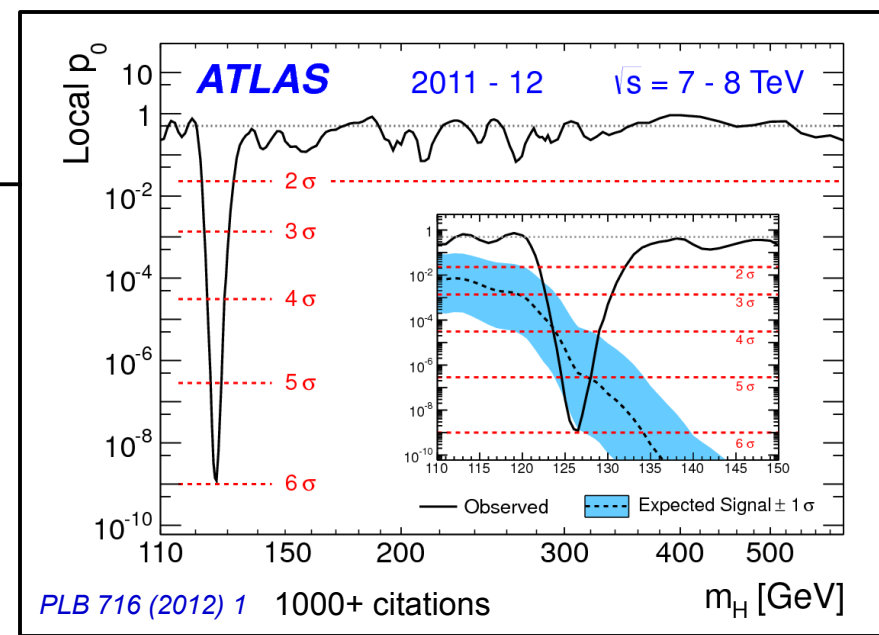
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# The discovery (July 4<sup>th</sup> 2012)

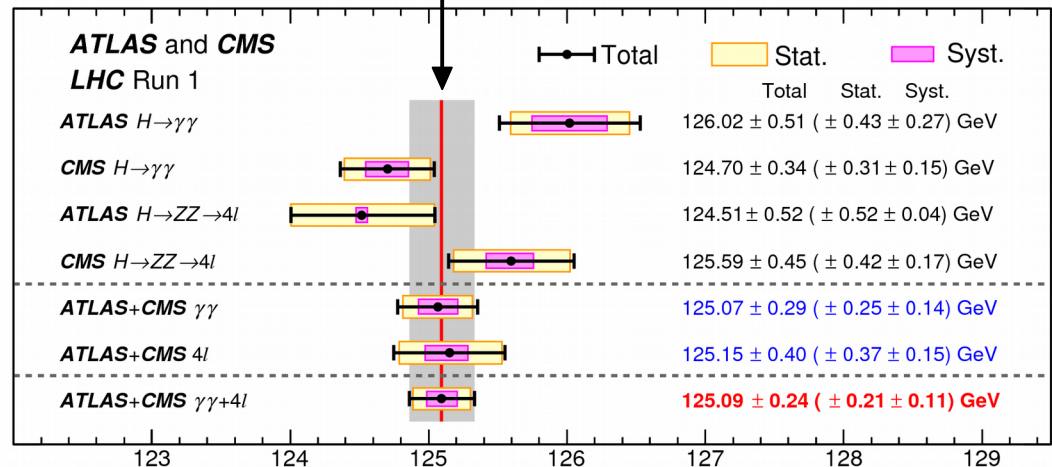
- ATLAS and LHC with comparable sensitivity.
- Discovery made on only 40% of the full LHC run-1 dataset.
- Is this a Higgs boson? (→ check properties)
- Is this the Higgs boson of the SM?



# Higgs properties

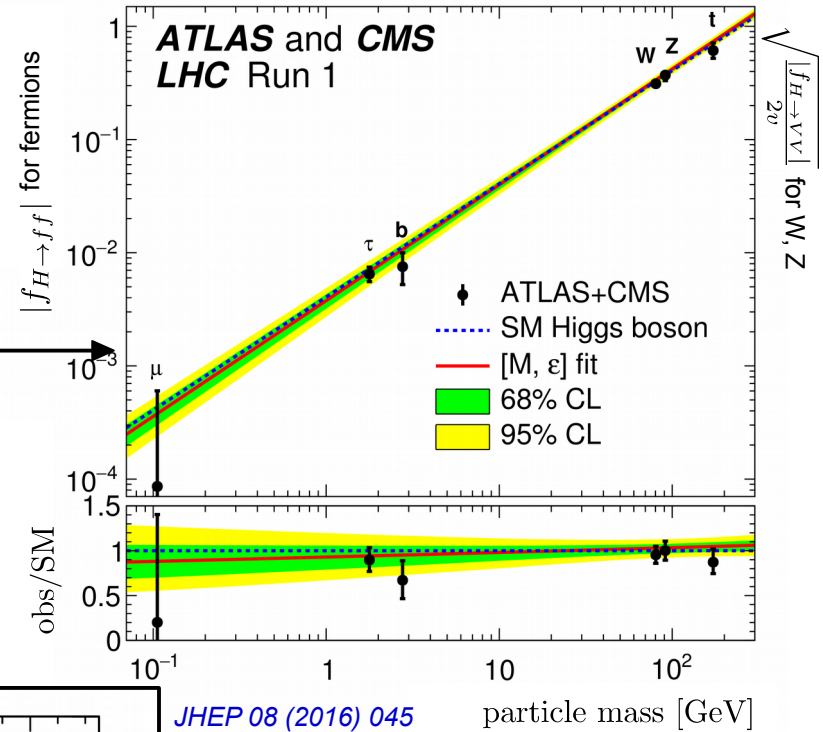
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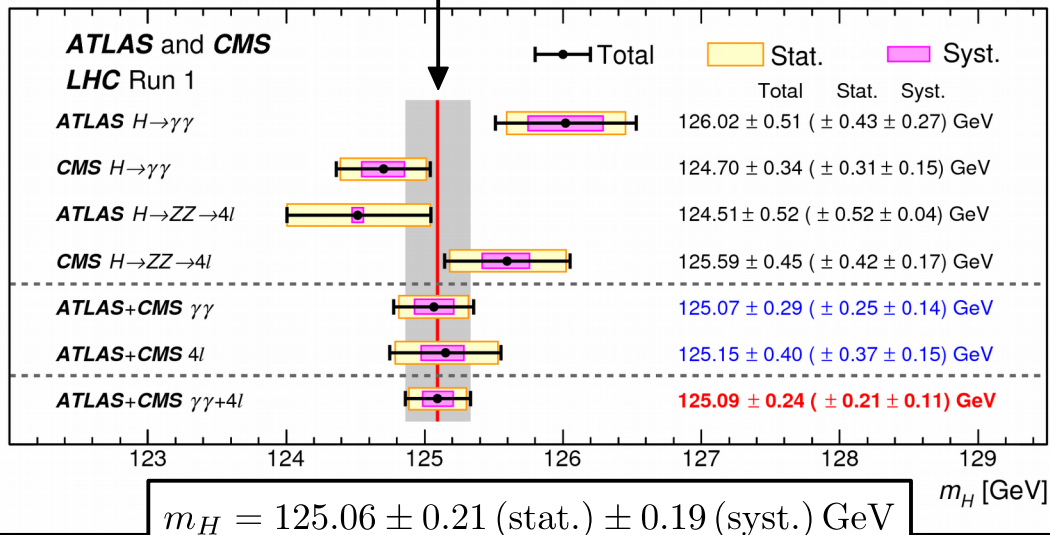
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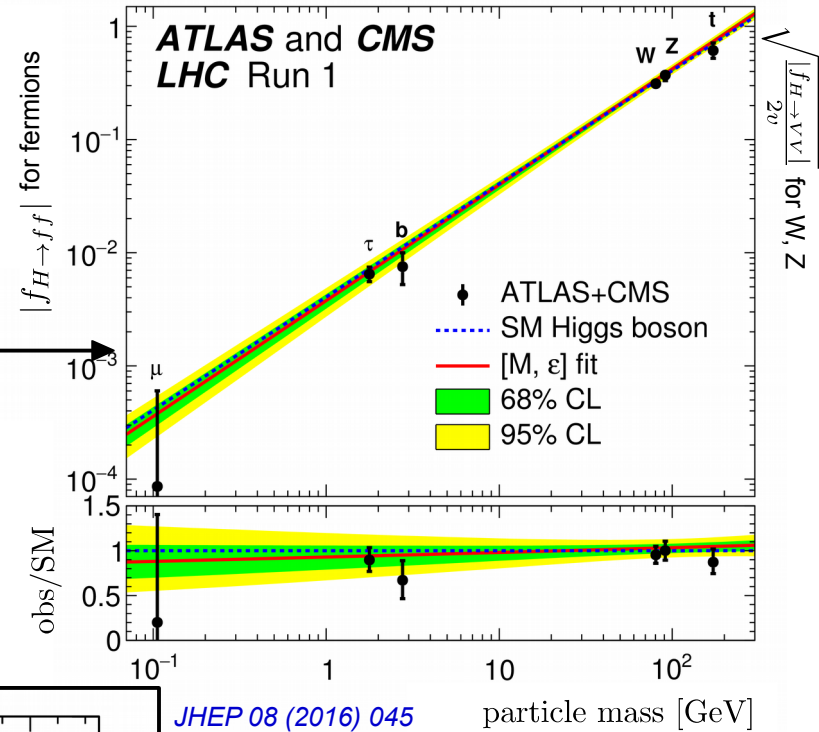
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Results of 3-4 years  
lasting rich harvest  
of run-1 data.



# Higgs as input...

... particle lists of PDG Booklet (v 10/2016):

$H^0$

$J = 0$

Mass  $m = 125.09 \pm 0.24$  GeV

Full width  $\Gamma < 1.7$  GeV, CL = 95%

## $H^0$ Signal Strengths in Different Channels

See Listings for the latest unpublished results.

Combined Final States =  $1.10 \pm 0.11$

$WW^* = 1.08^{+0.18}_{-0.16}$

$ZZ^* = 1.29^{+0.26}_{-0.23}$

$\gamma\gamma = 1.16 \pm 0.18$

$b\bar{b} = 0.82 \pm 0.30$  ( $S = 1.1$ )

$\mu^+\mu^- < 7.0$ , CL = 95%

$\tau^+\tau^- = 1.12 \pm 0.23$

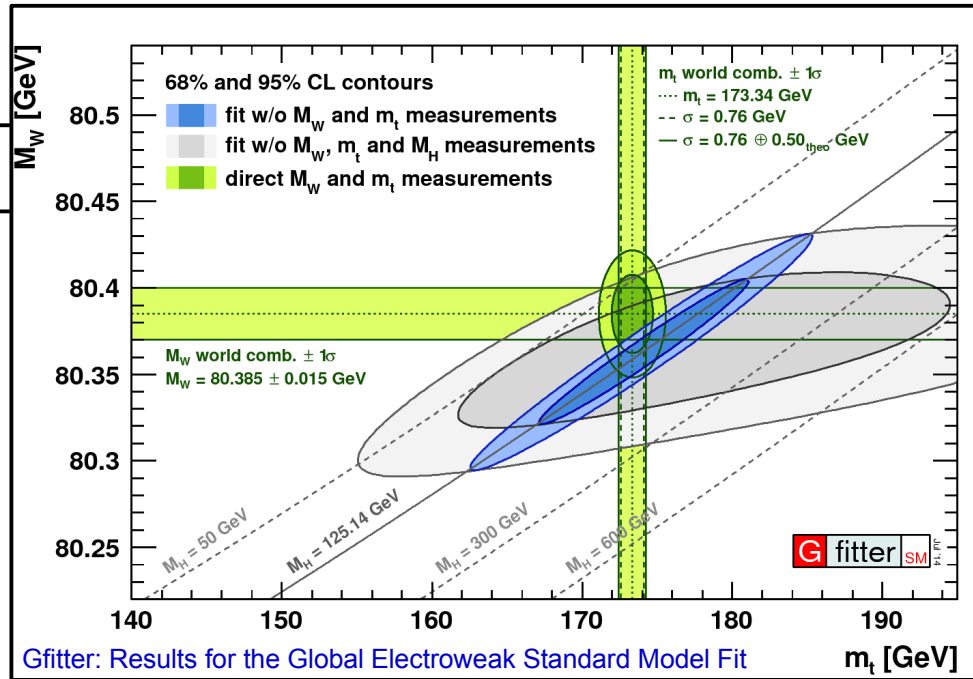
$Z\gamma < 9.5$ , CL = 95%

$t\bar{t}H^0$  Production =  $2.3^{+0.7}_{-0.6}$

## $H^0$ DECAY MODES

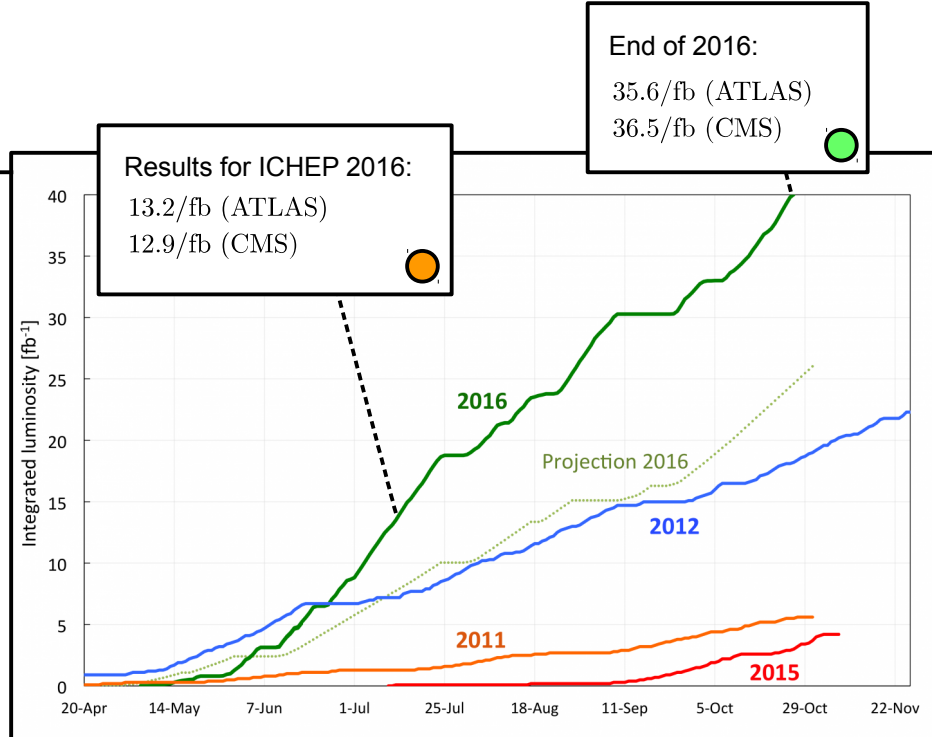
$H^0$ DECAY MODES	Fraction ( $\Gamma_i/\Gamma$ )	Confidence level	$p$ (MeV/c)
$e^+e^-$	$< 1.9 \times 10^{-3}$	95%	62545
$J/\psi\gamma$	$< 1.5 \times 10^{-3}$	95%	62507
$\gamma(1S)\gamma$	$< 1.3 \times 10^{-3}$	95%	62187
$\gamma(2S)\gamma$	$< 1.9 \times 10^{-3}$	95%	62143
$\gamma(3S)\gamma$	$< 1.3 \times 10^{-3}$	95%	62116
$\mu\tau$	$< 1.51\%$	95%	62532
invisible	$< 58\%$	95%	—

C. Patrignani et al. (Particle Data Group), Chin. Phys. C, 40, 100001 (2016)



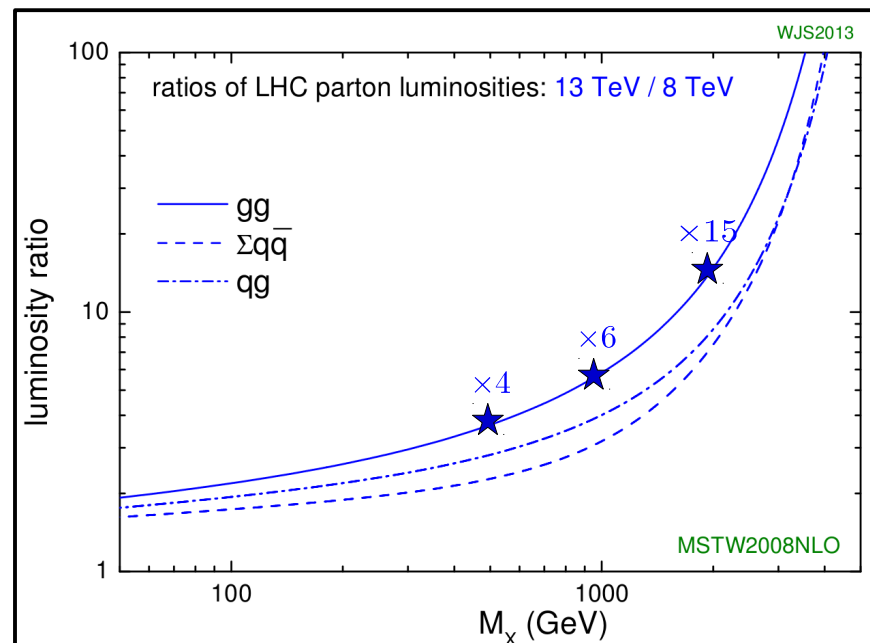
# LHC run-1 → run-2

- **By end of 2016:**  
 $\mathcal{L} = 1.4 \times \mathcal{L}_{run-1}$  + significant increase of parton luminosity depending on probed mass scale ( $M_X$ ).
- For SM Higgs: see signal to BG gain in the table below

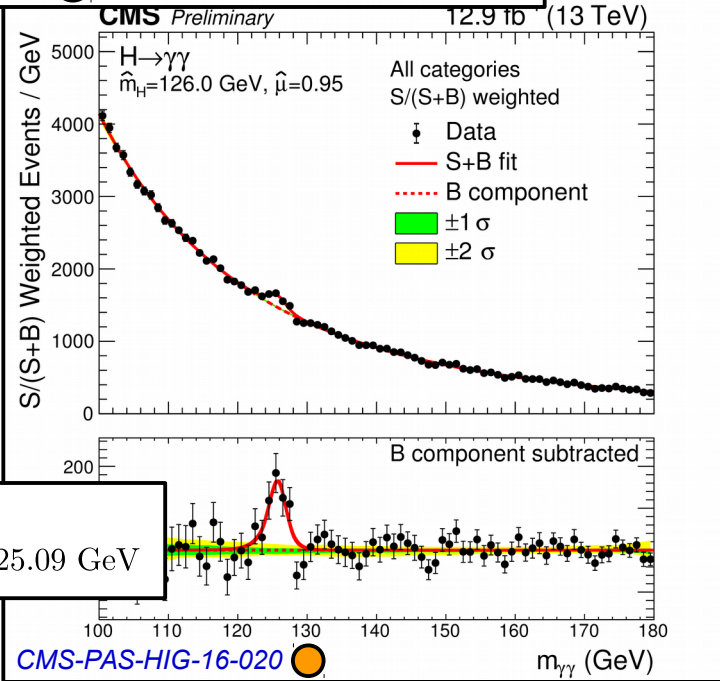
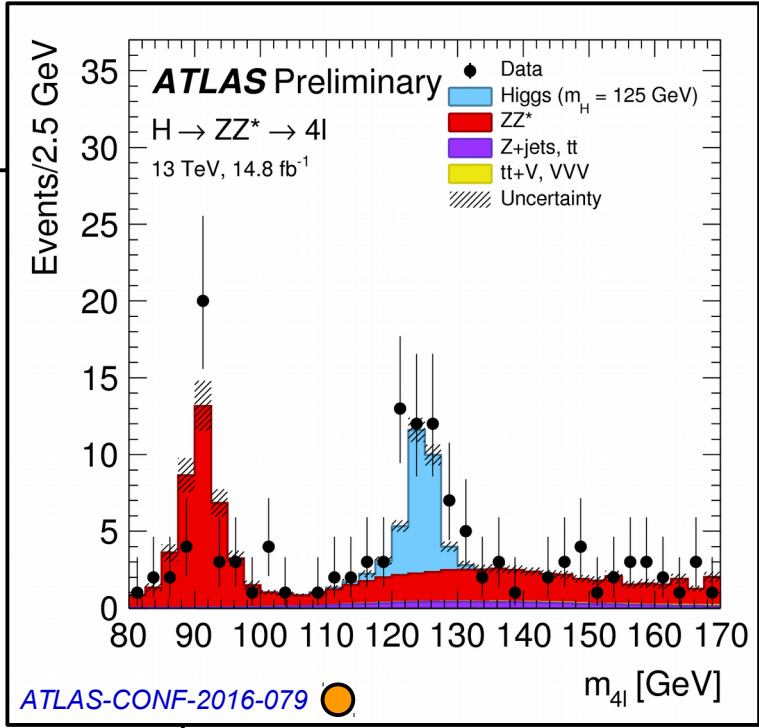
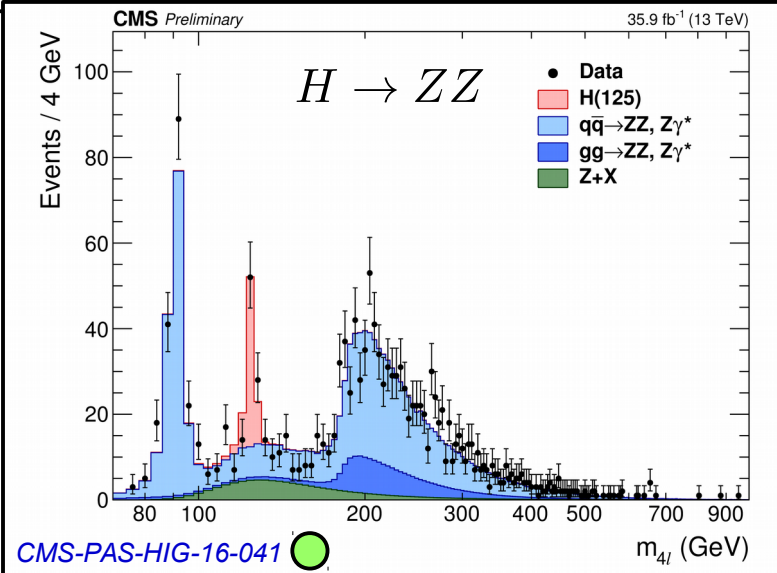


Process ( $X$ )	$\sigma_{13\text{TeV}}/\sigma_{8\text{TeV}}$	$\Delta_X/\Delta_{h(125)}$
$t\bar{t}$	3.3	1.43
$W$	1.6	0.70
$Z$	1.6	0.70
$WW$	2.0	0.87
$h(125)$	2.3	1.00

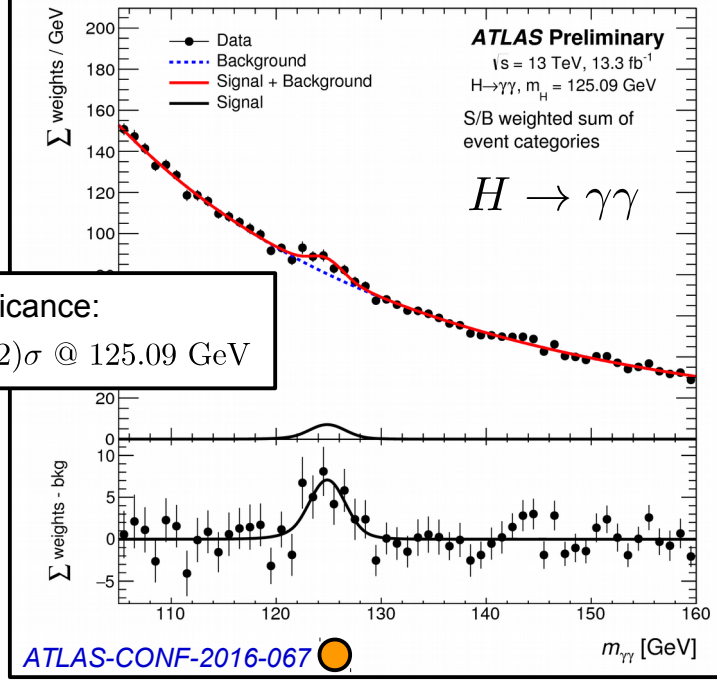
- For BSM Higgs: **Golden age for classical searches** at the energy frontier.



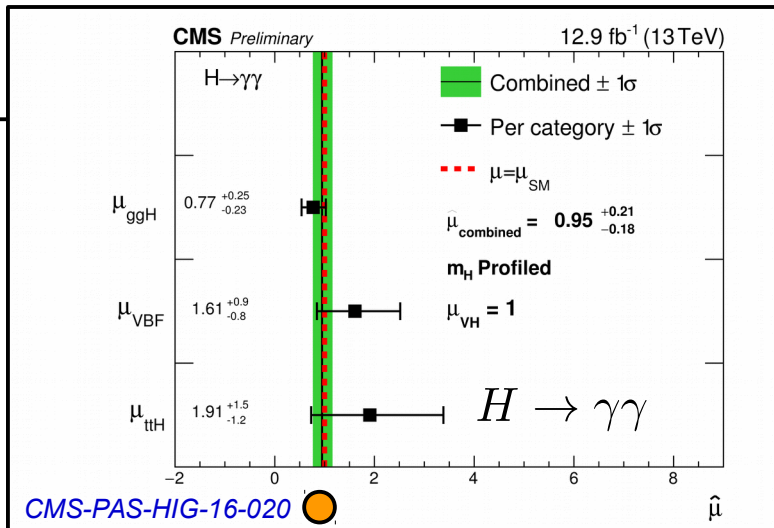
# Higgs 2016: still there...



Significance:  
5.6(6.2) $\sigma$  @ 125.09 GeV

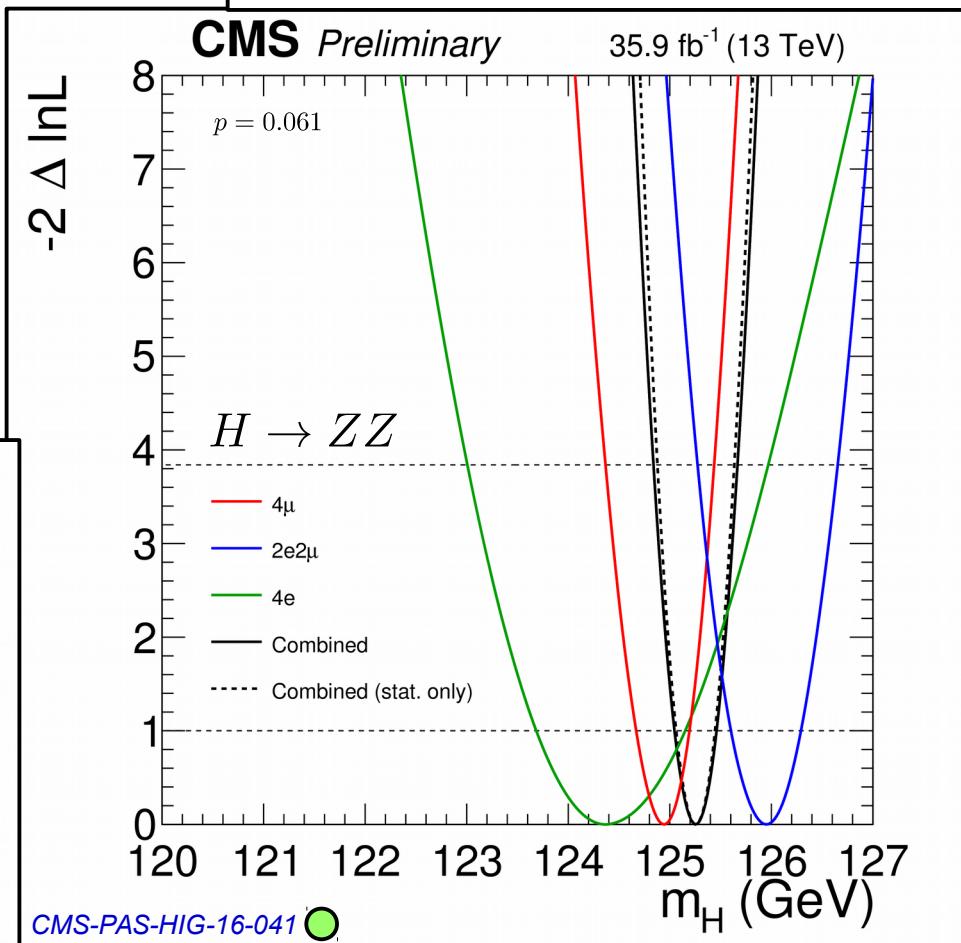


Significance:  
4.7(5.2) $\sigma$  @ 125.09 GeV

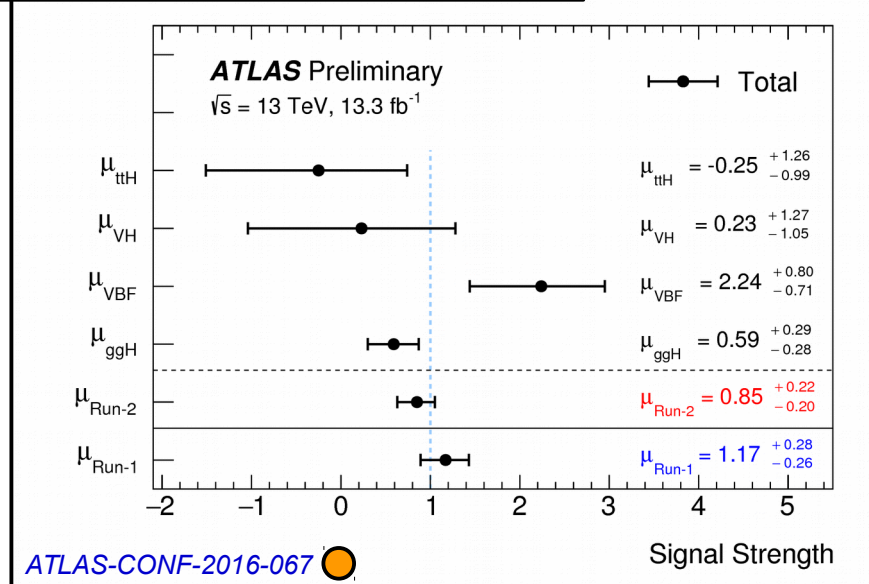


... and still with same properties

$$m_H = 125.26 \pm 0.2 \text{ (stat.)} \pm 0.08 \text{ (syst.) GeV}$$

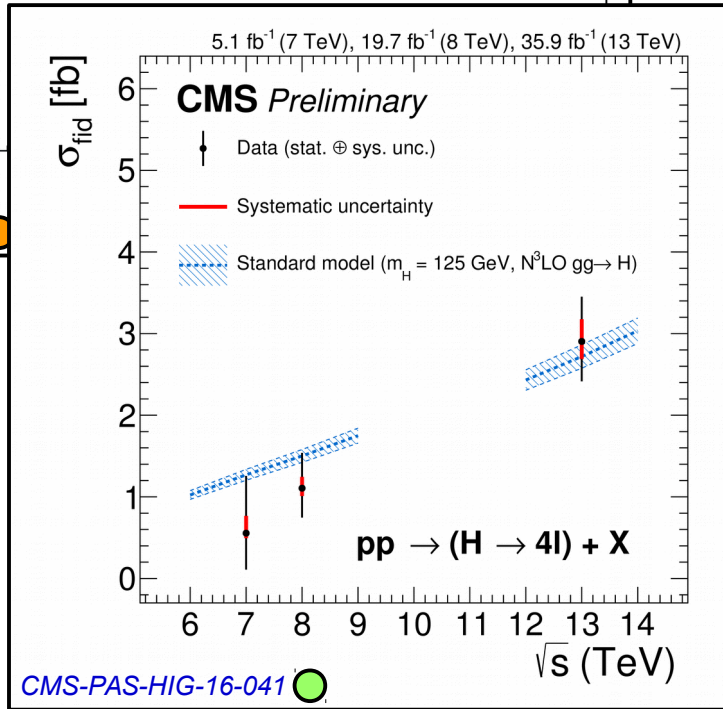
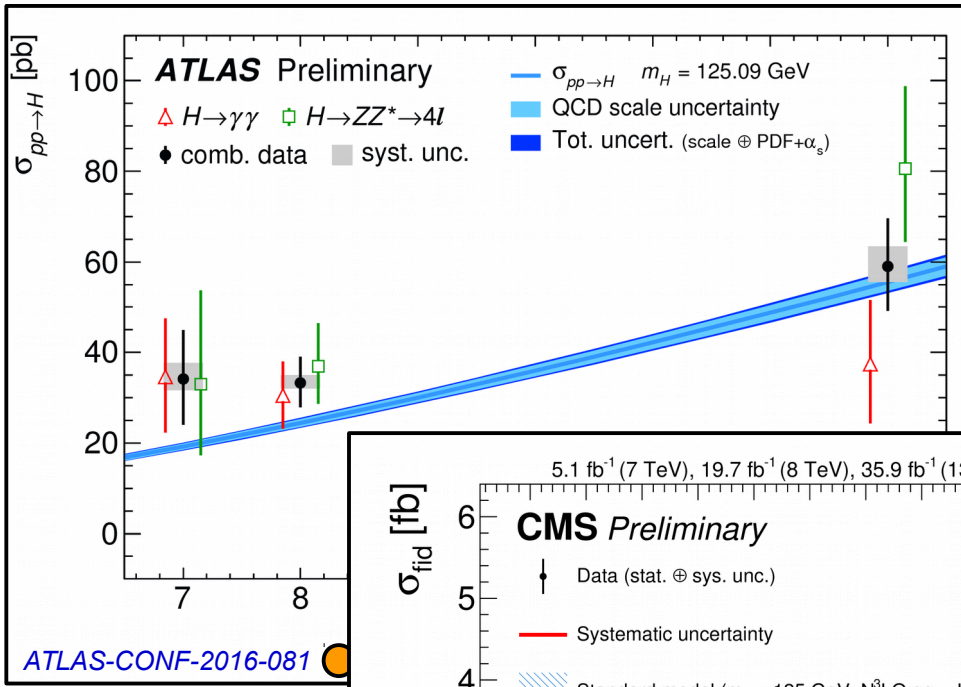


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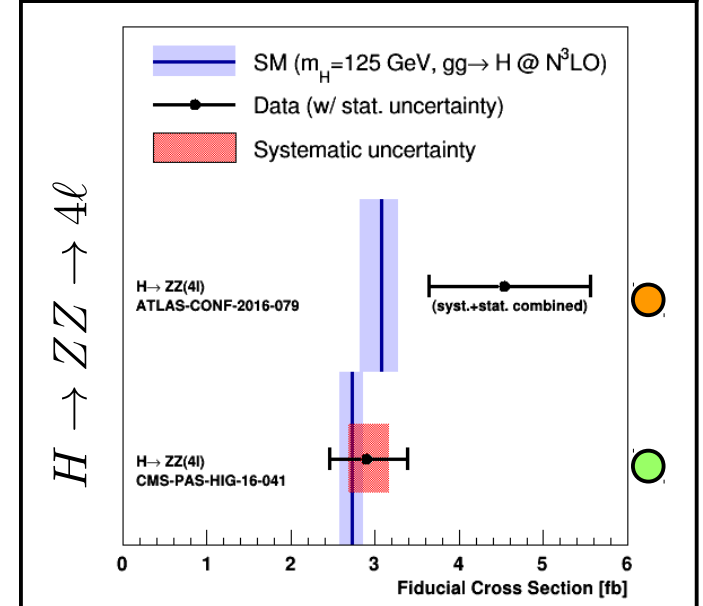
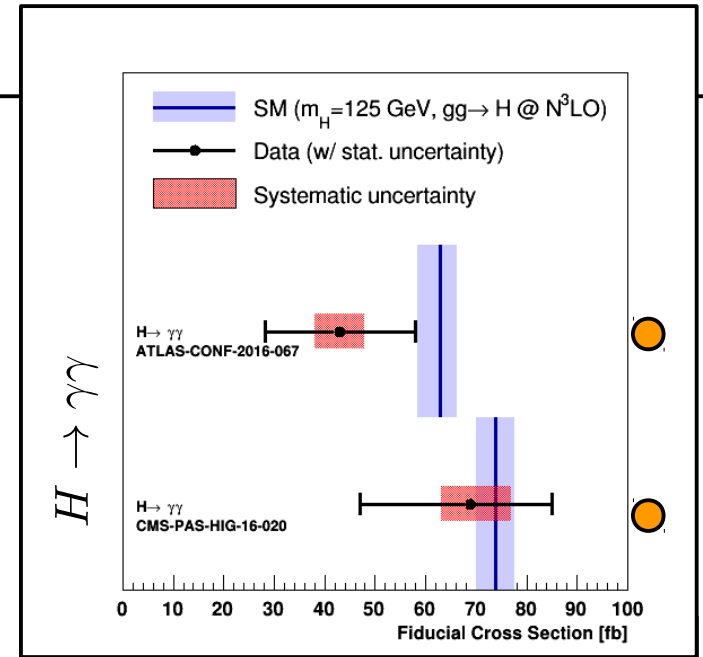


$m_H$  single channel, single experiment already compatible with run-1 ATLAS+CMS combined.

# Observation → measurement



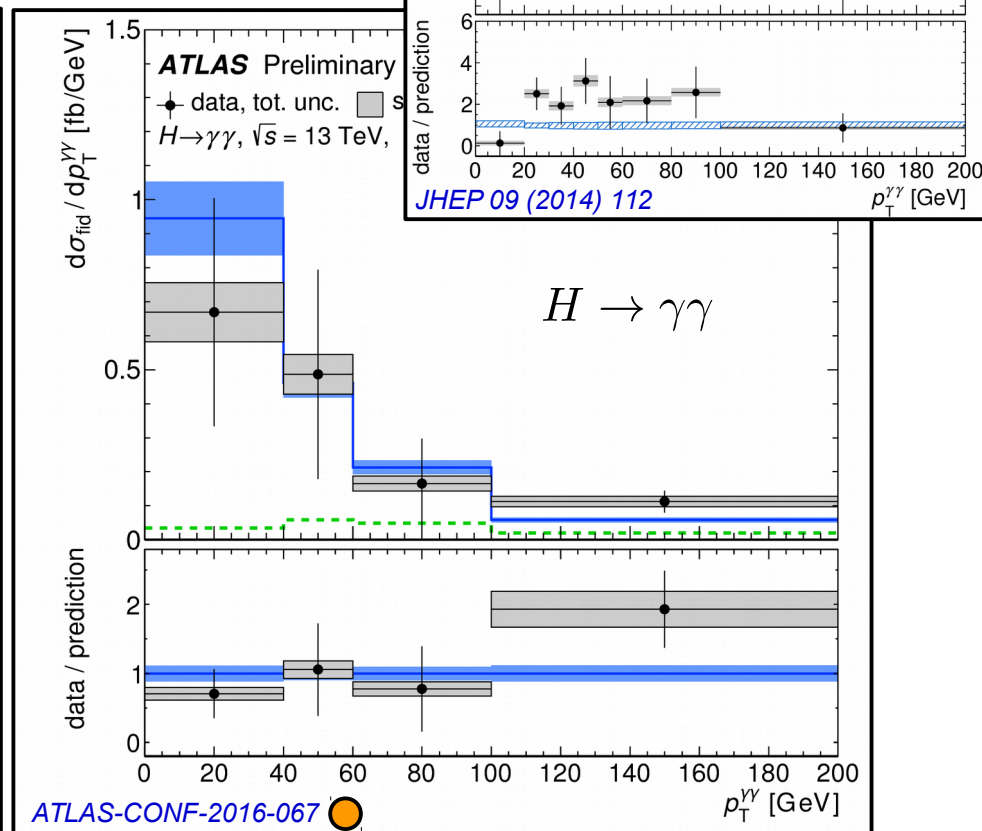
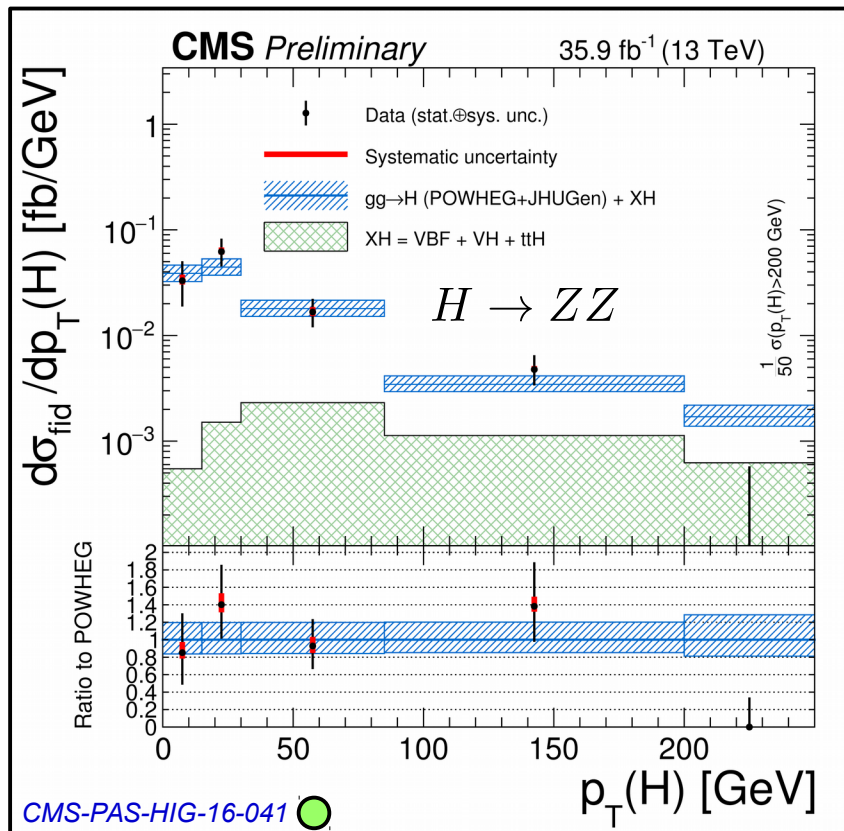
## Fiducial cross sections: (\*)



(\*) definitions of fiducial volumes in backup.

# Differential measurements

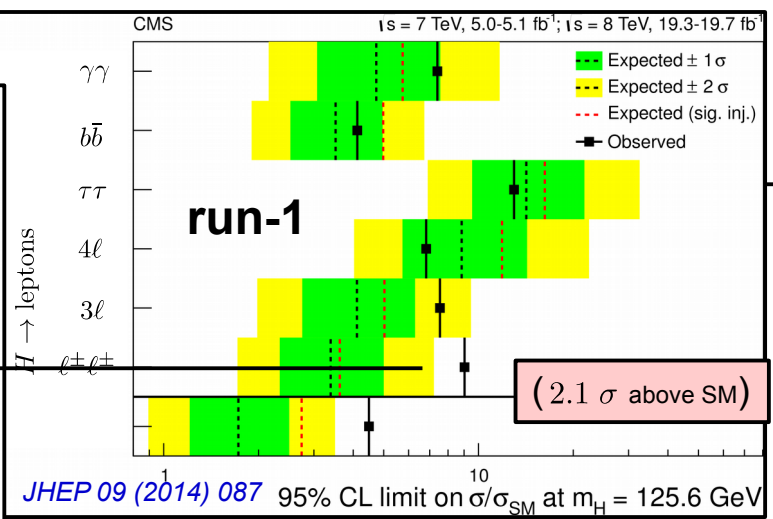
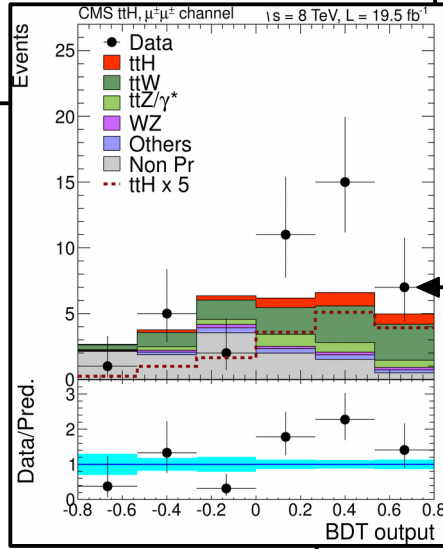
- Slight indications for harder spectrum in  $p_T(H)$  in run-1.



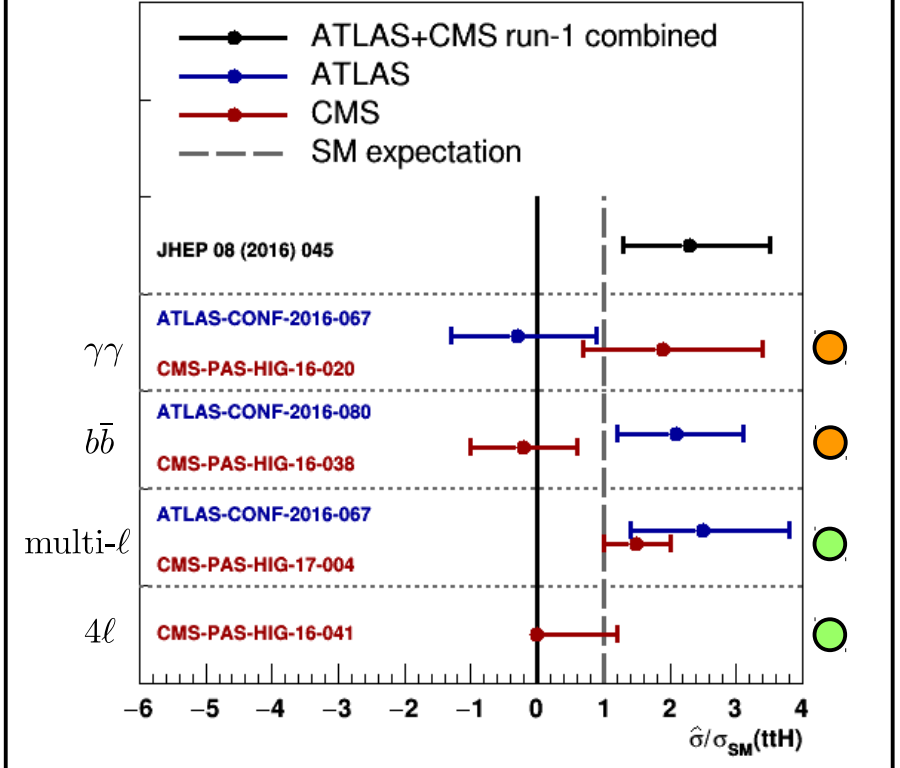
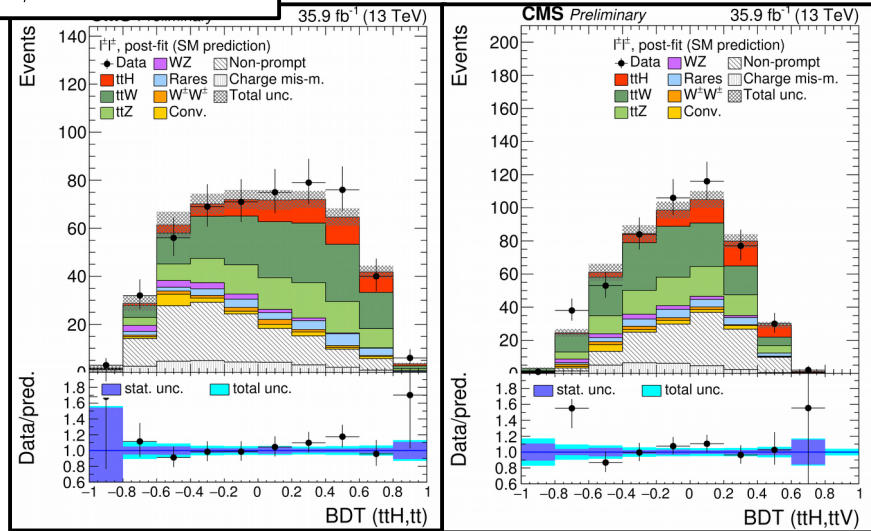
- Run-2 confirms that also differential distributions are well understood within experimental precision.

# ttH

- Indications for slight excess seen in run-1 (both by ATLAS & CMS).
- Excess was most prominent in same-sign leptons.



$\hat{\sigma}/\sigma_{SM} = 1.5 \pm 0.5$  ● CMS-PAS-HIG-17-004



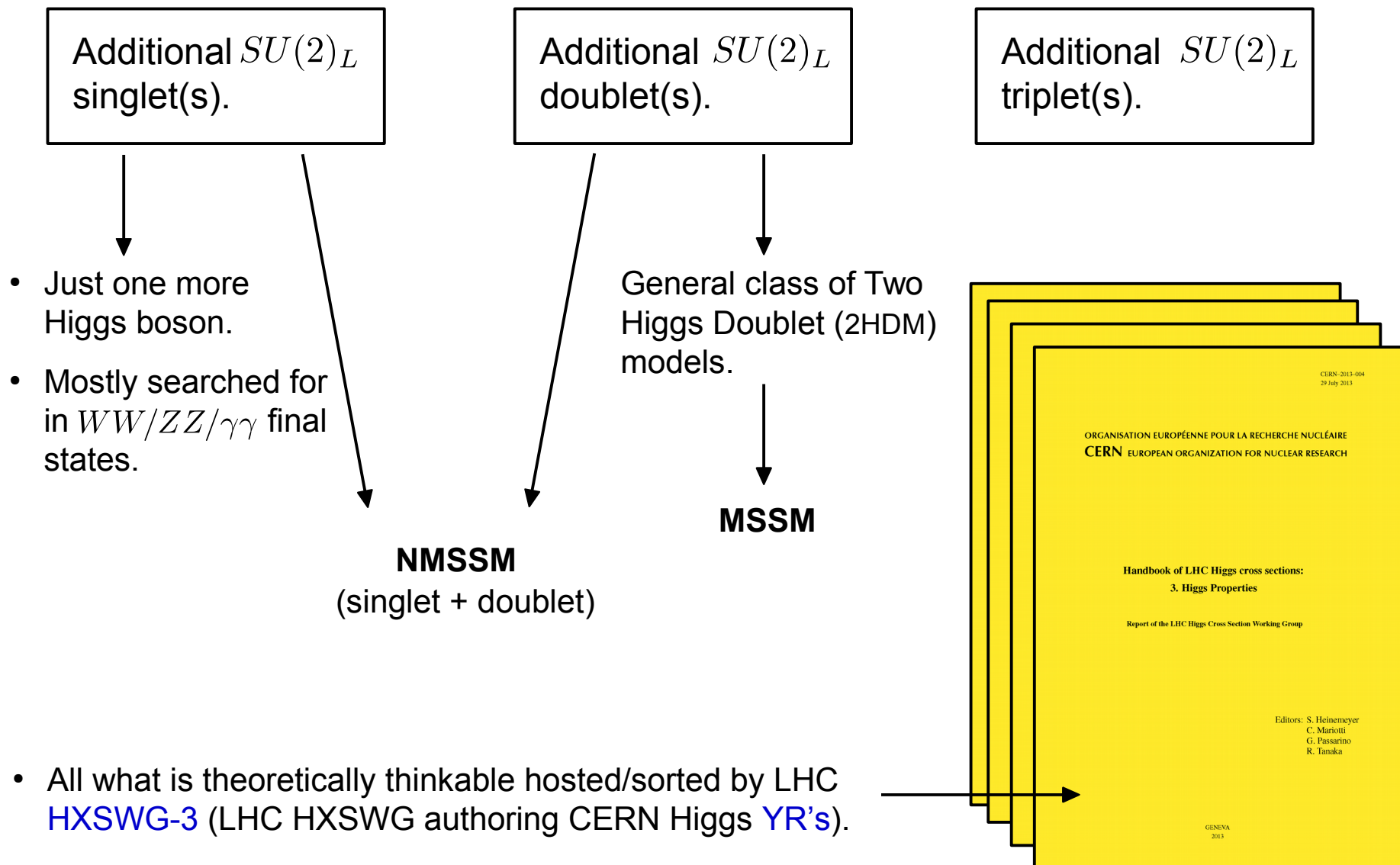
- Run-2 observations follow SM expectation.

- SM-like Higgs boson with  $m_H = 125 \text{ GeV}$  established within experimental accuracy.
- Any extension of the SM should contain such a Higgs boson.

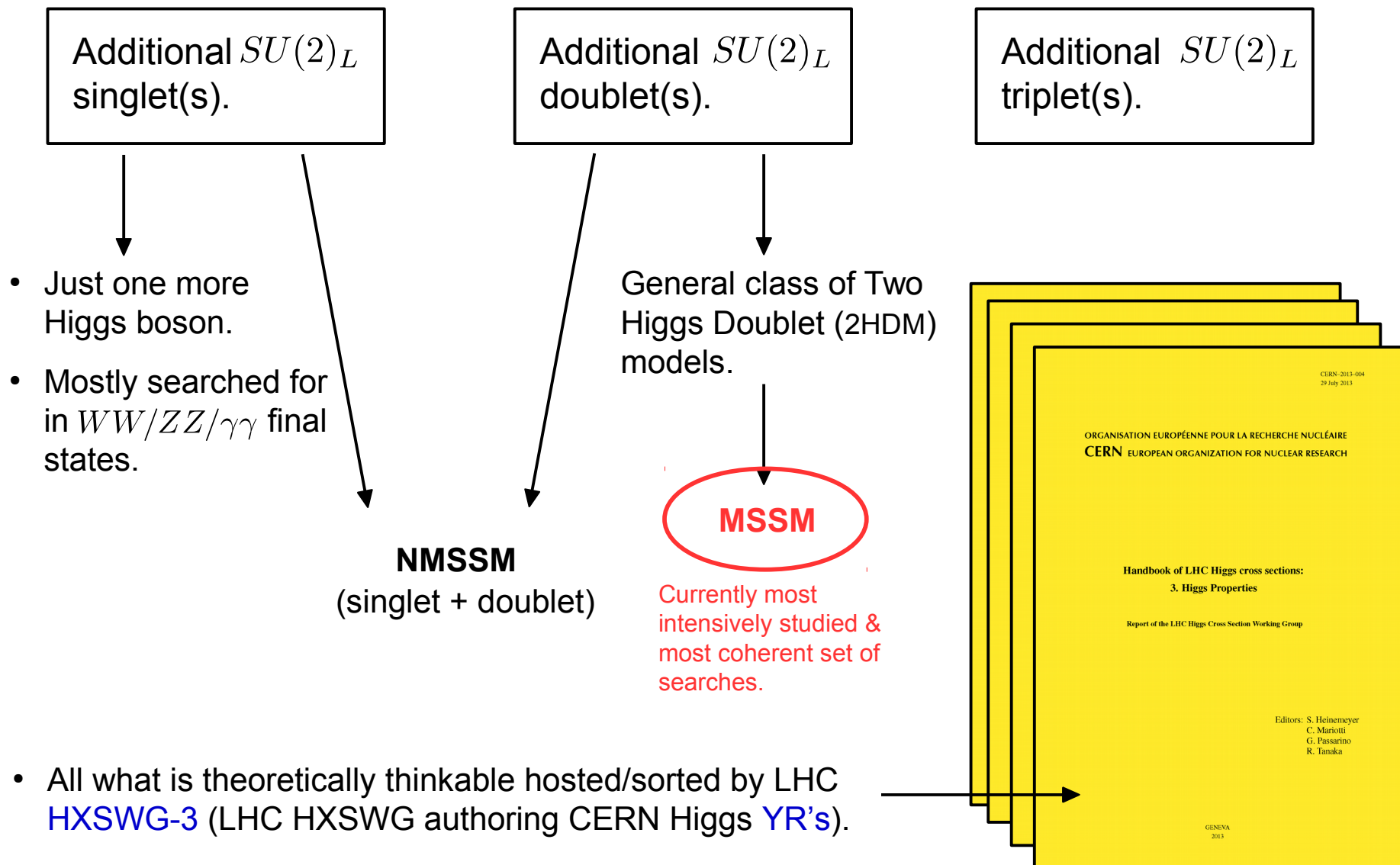




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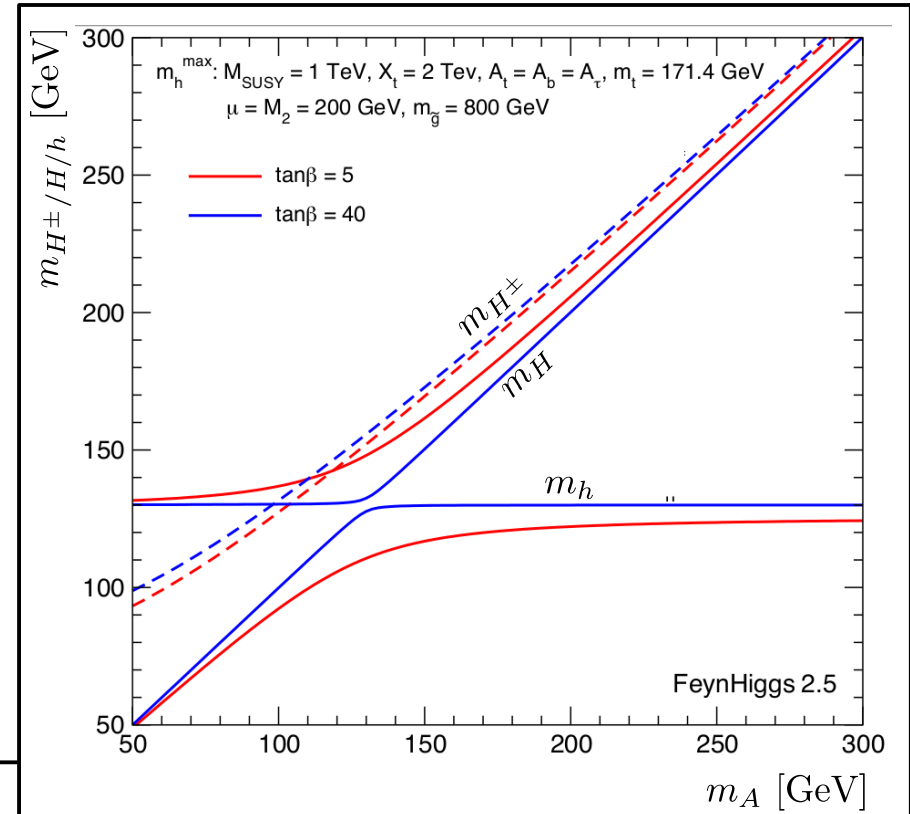
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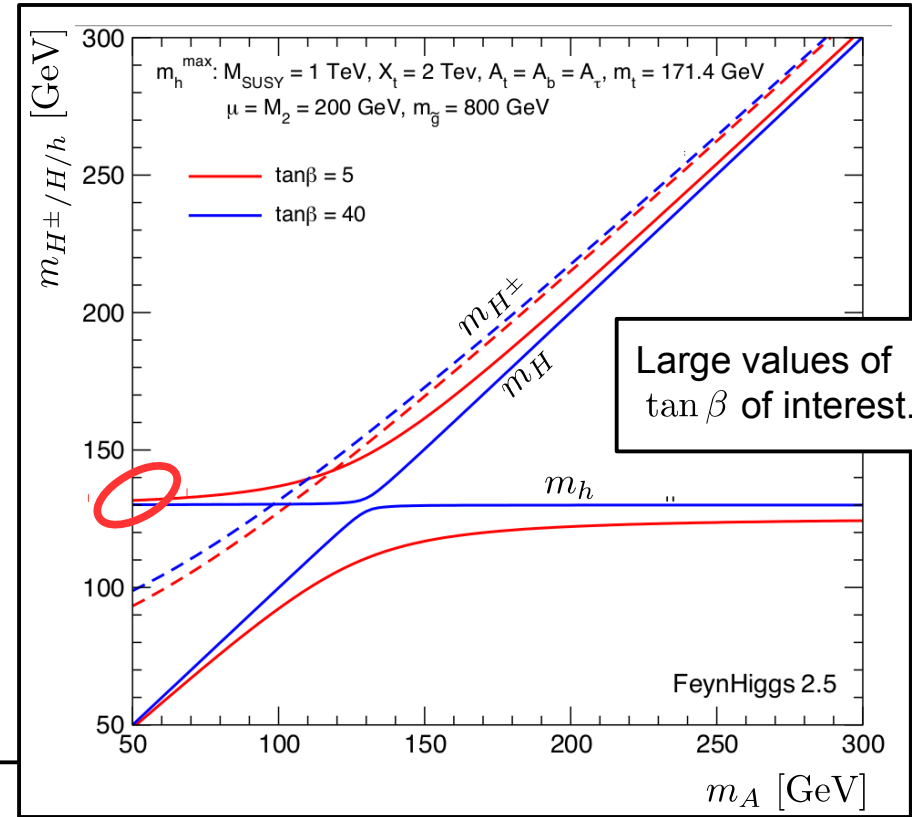
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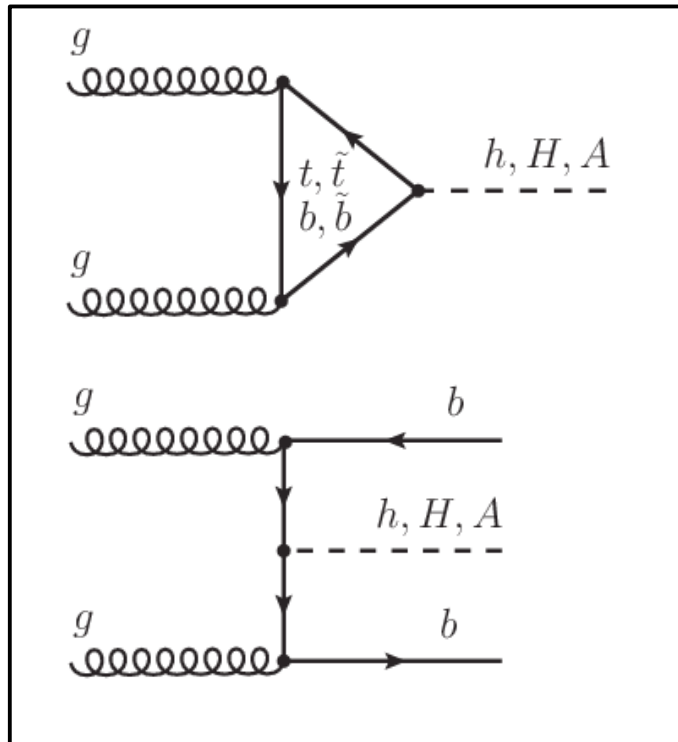
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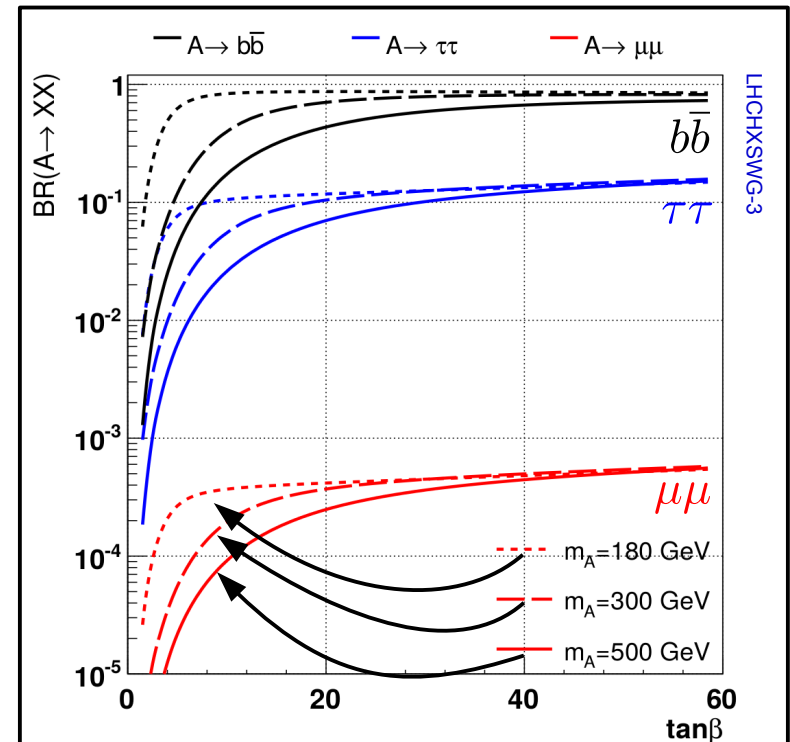
	$g_{VV}/g_{VV}^{SM}$	$g_{dd}/g_{dd}^{SM}$	$g_{uu}/g_{uu}^{SM}$
$A$	—	$\gamma_5 \tan \beta$	$\gamma_5 / \tan \beta$
$H$	$\cos(\beta - \alpha) \rightarrow 0$	$\cos \alpha / \cos \beta \rightarrow \tan \beta$	$\sin \alpha / \sin \beta \rightarrow 1 / \tan \beta$
$h$	$\sin(\beta - \alpha) \rightarrow 1$	$-\sin \alpha / \cos \beta \rightarrow 1$	$\cos \alpha / \sin \beta \rightarrow 1$

For  $m_A \gg m_Z$ :  $\alpha \rightarrow \beta - \pi/2$  (coupling to down-type fermions enhanced by  $\tan \beta$ ).

Interesting production modes:

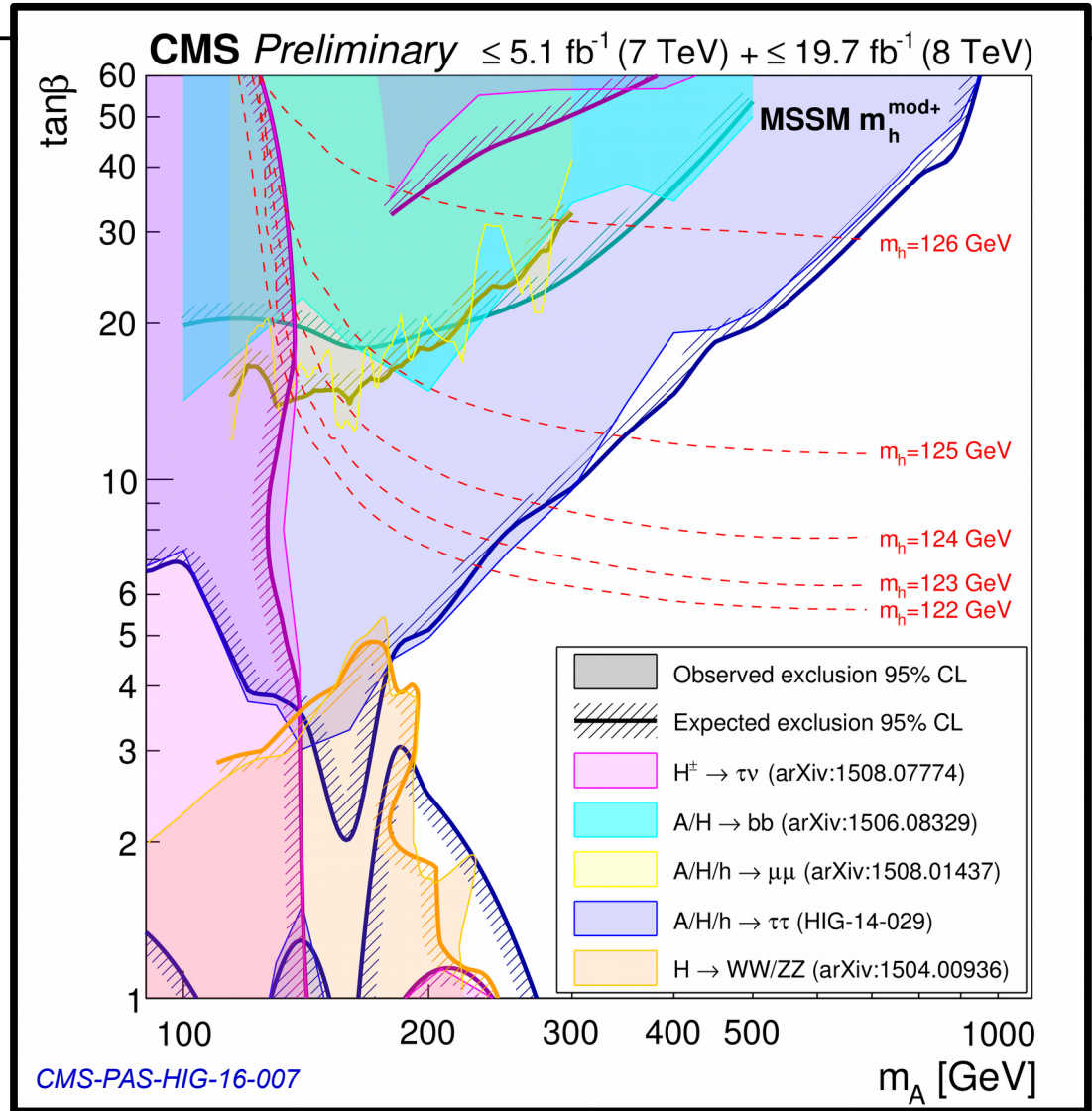


Interesting decay channels:



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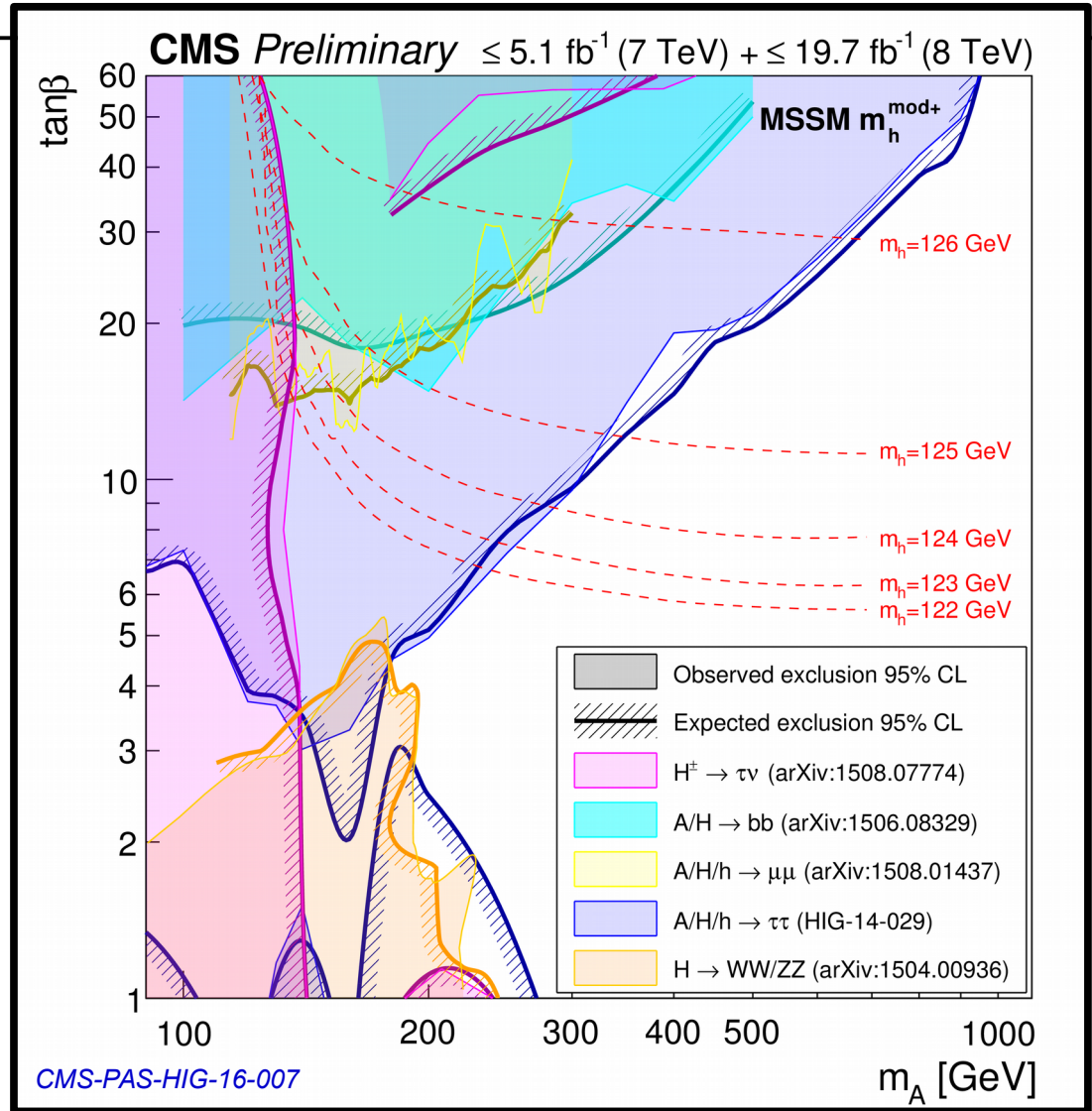
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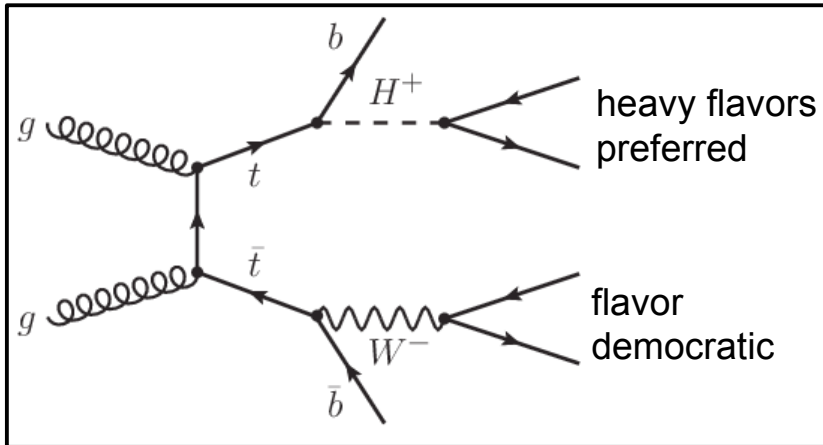


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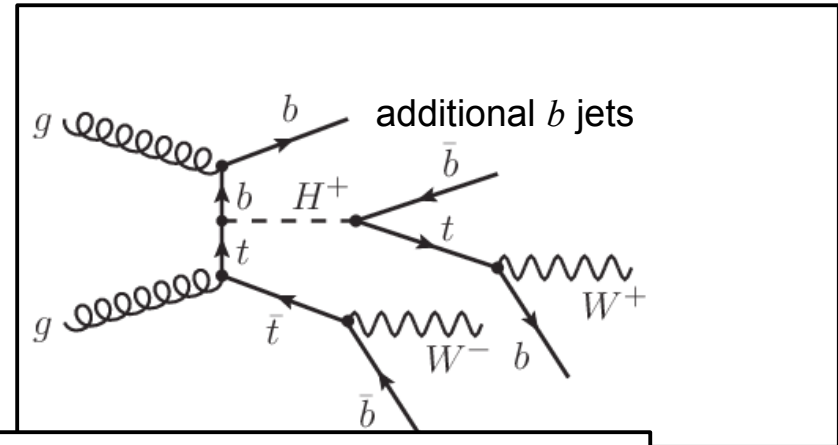
# Charged Higgs

- Expect signal in top sector...

... in decay ( $m_{H^+} < m_t$ ):



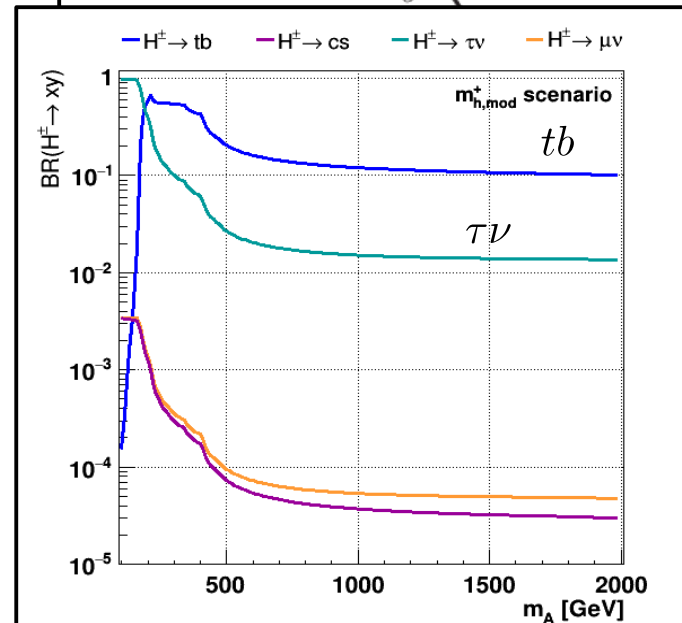
... in production ( $m_t < m_{H^+}$ ):



- Covered channels:

channel	publication (run-2)
$\tau\nu$	<a href="#">ATLAS-CONF-2016-088</a> <a href="#">CMS-PAS-HIG-16-031</a>
$tb$	<a href="#">ATLAS-CONF-2016-089</a>
$cs$	run-1 only
$WZ$	<a href="#">CMS-PAS-HIG-16-027</a> (*)

(\*) in non-MSSM interpretations

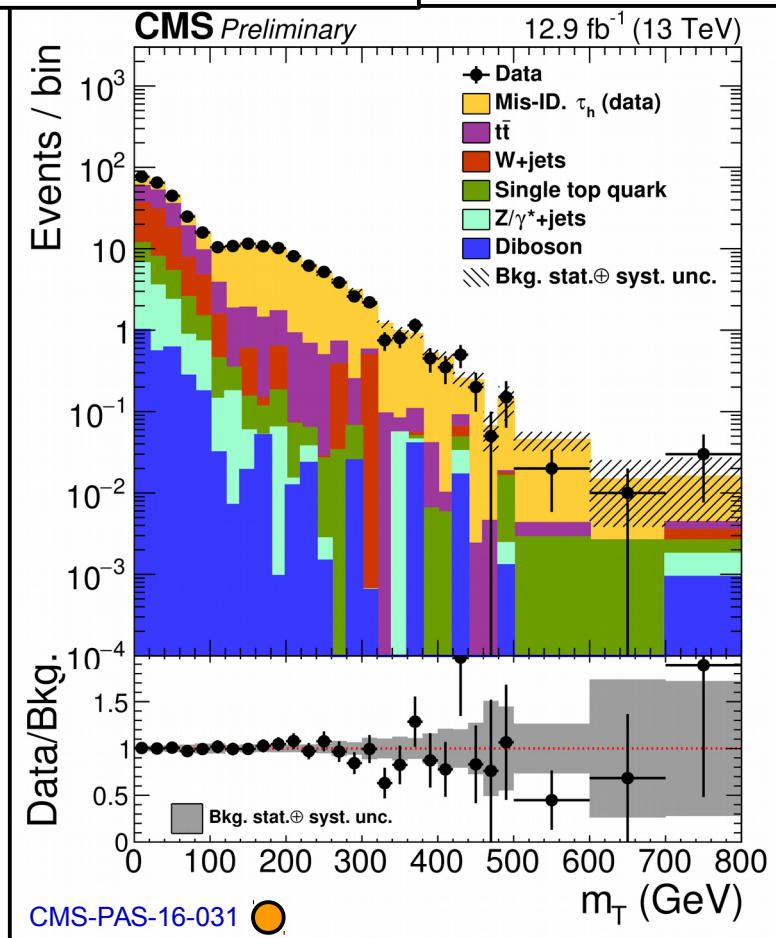




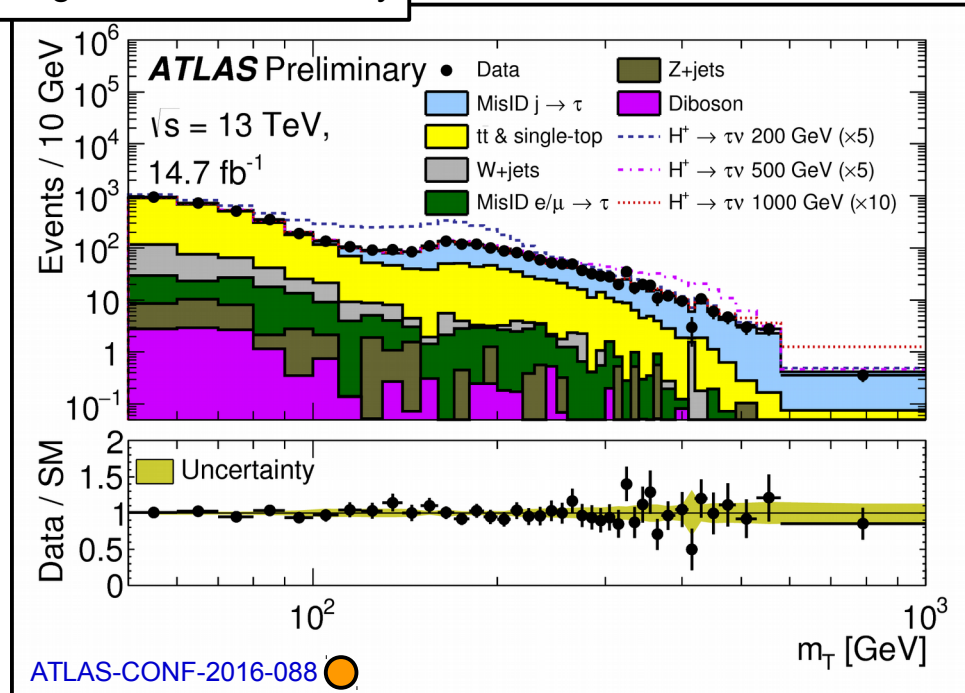
$$H^+ \rightarrow \tau \nu$$

- Usually restrict to  $\tau_h$  (1-prong), use  $m_T(\tau_h, MET)$  as discriminating variable.

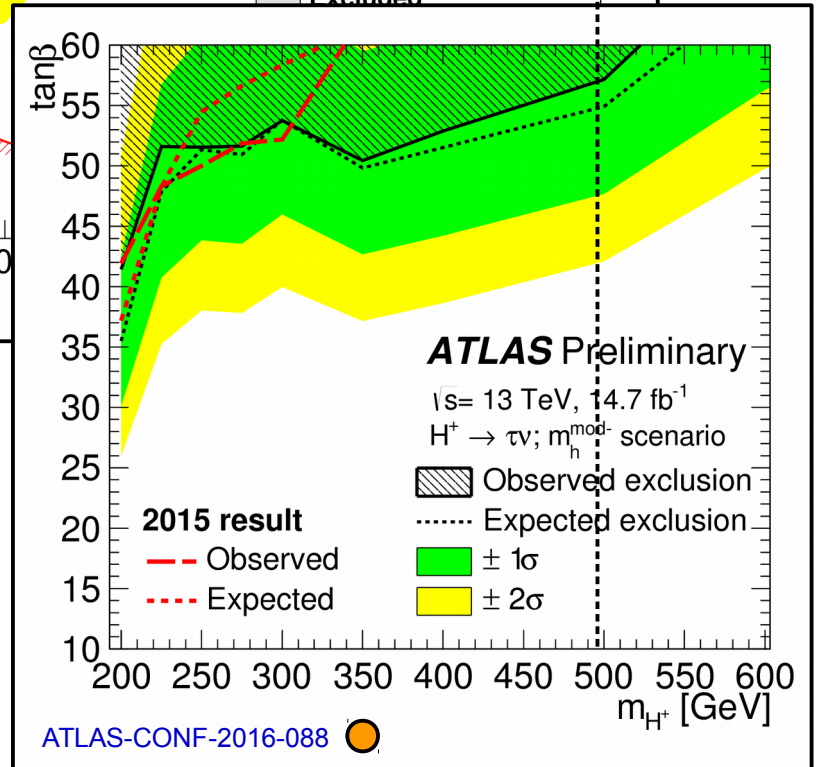
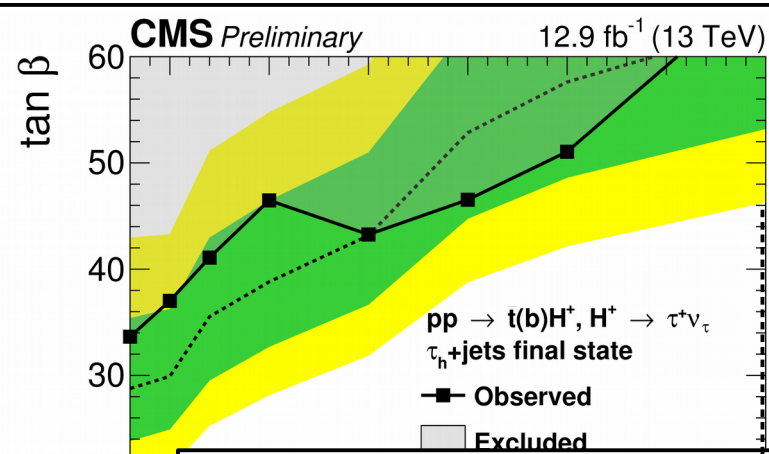
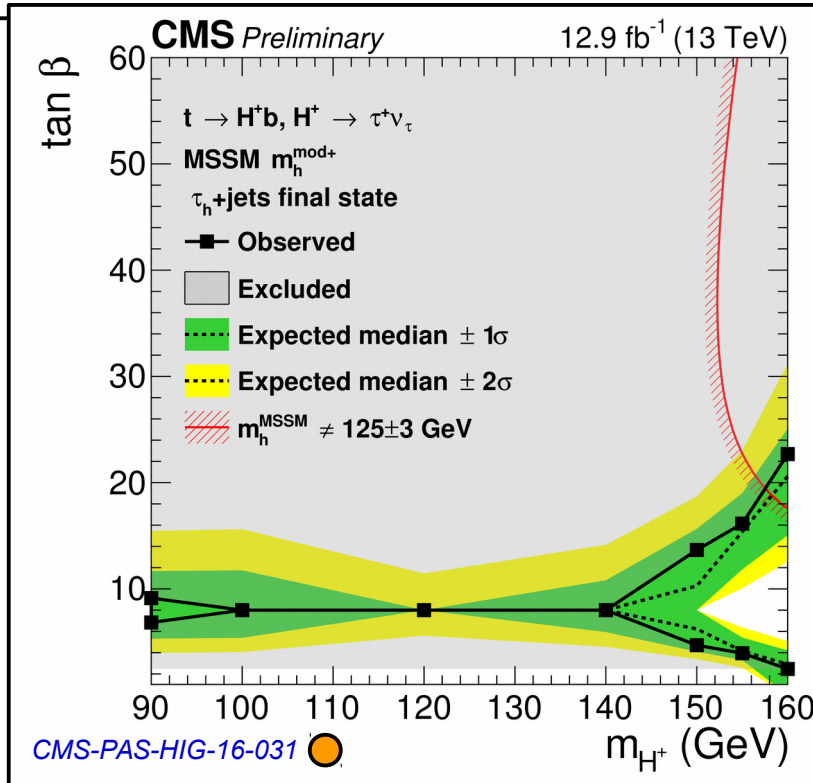
### Low & high mass search



### High mass search only



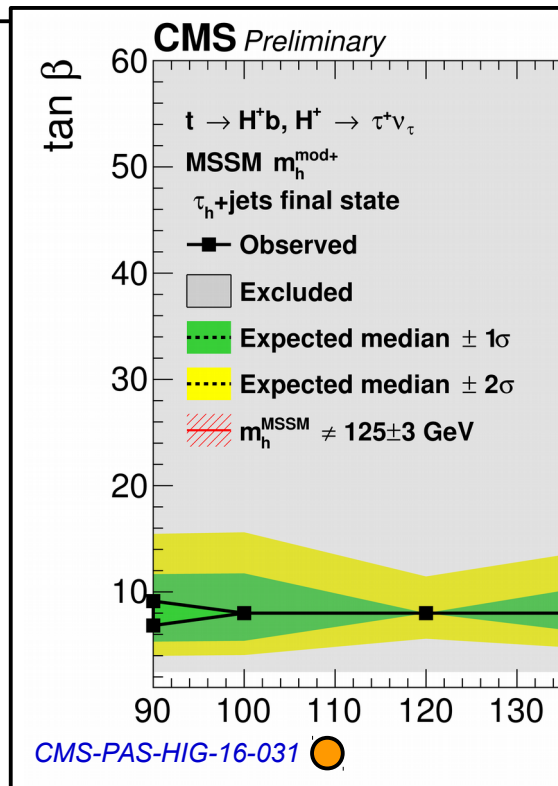
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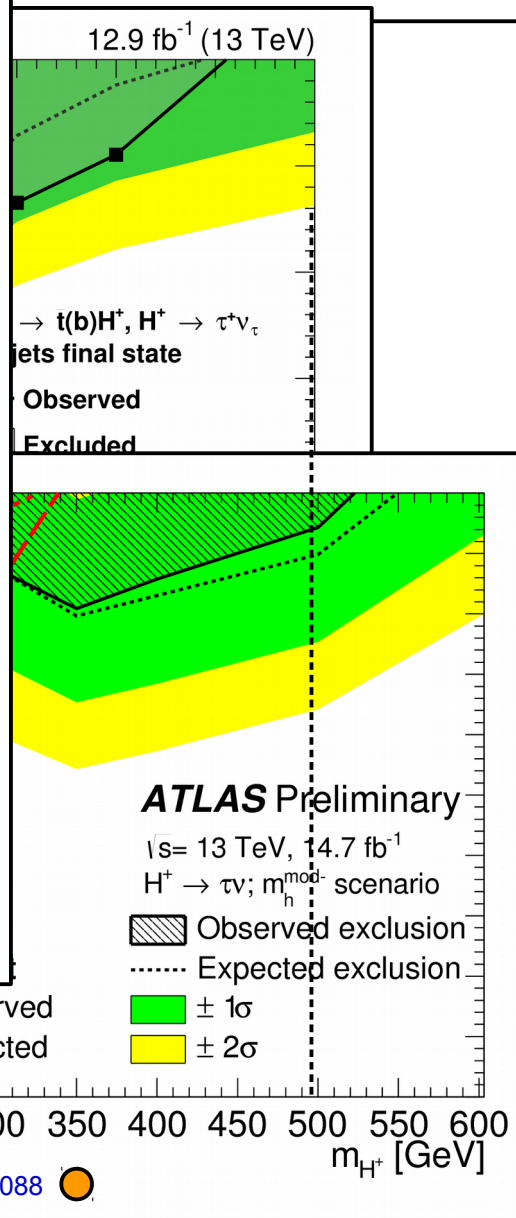
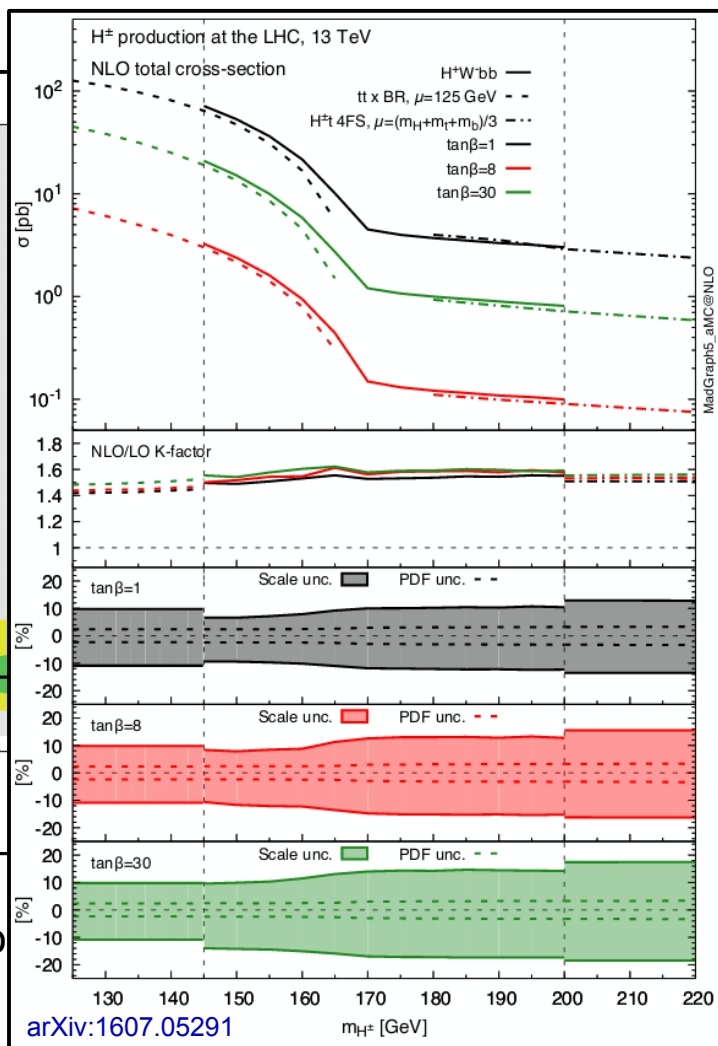
- Chapter of low mass region already closed by LHC run-1 results.
- Serious exploitation of high mass region only **about to start now!**

Intermediate mass region now accessible.

# Exclusion

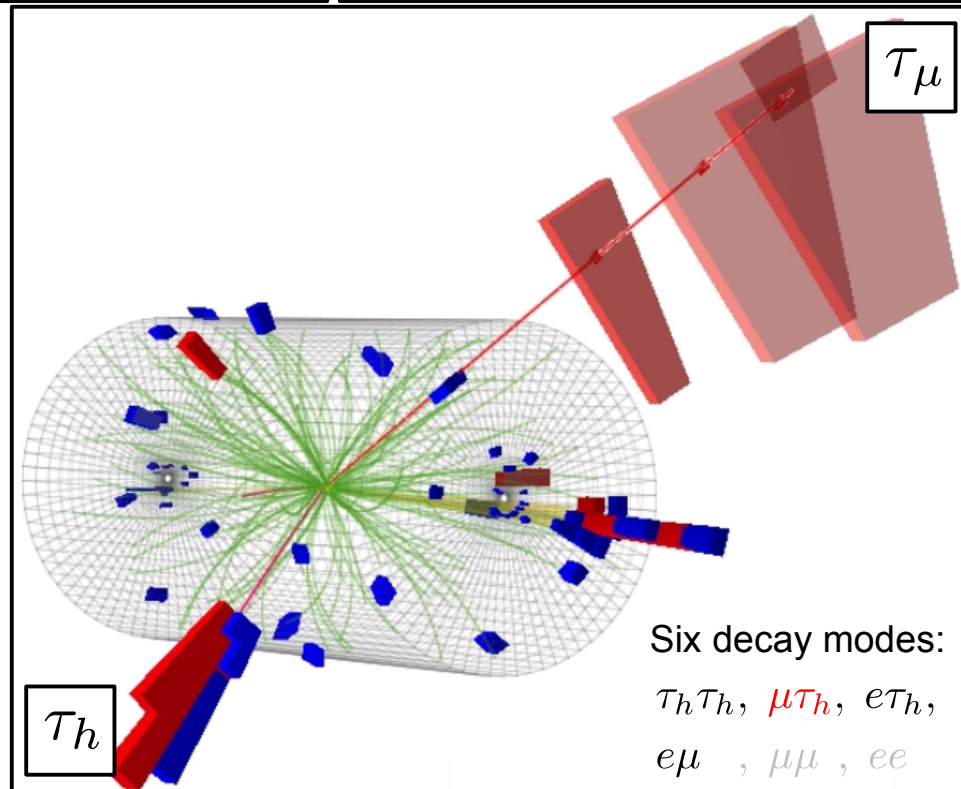
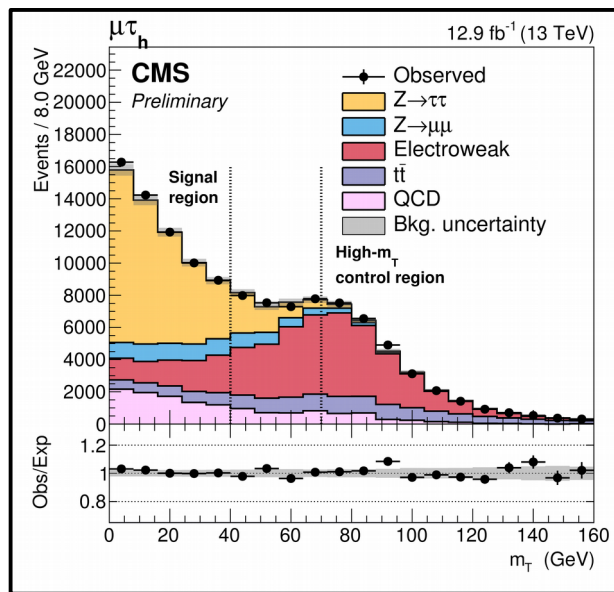
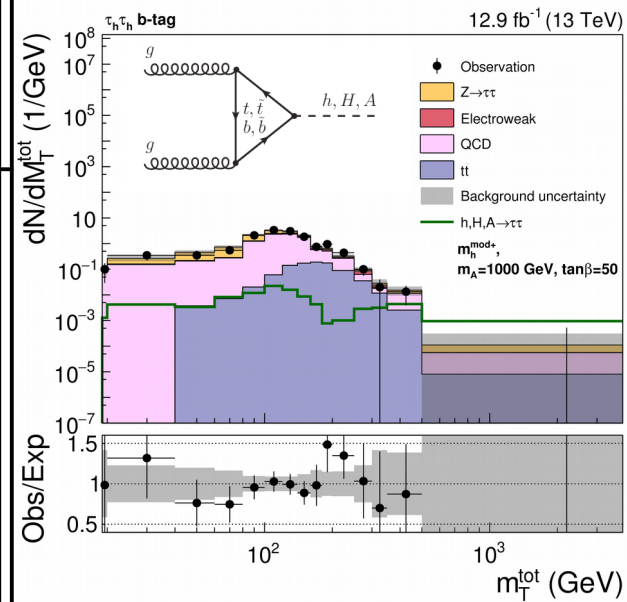
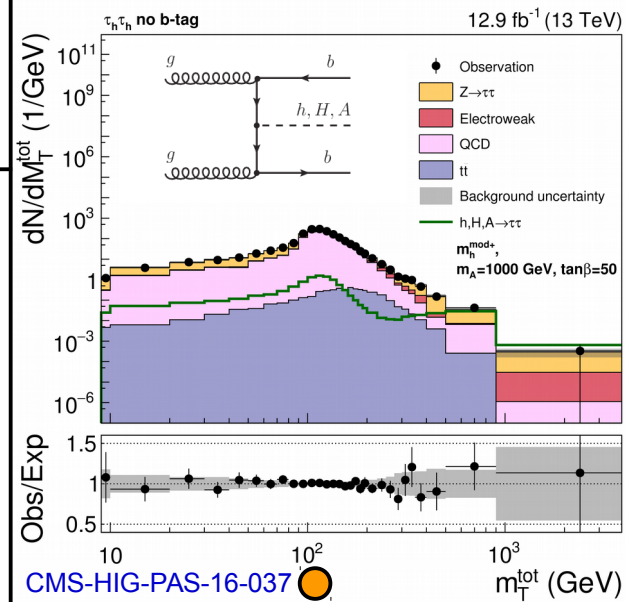


- Chapter of low mass region LHC run-1 results.
- Serious exploitation of high mass region only **about to start now!**



# BSM $A/H/h \rightarrow \tau\tau$

- Search for 2 isolated high  $p_T$  leptons ( $e, \mu, \tau_h$ ).
- Reduce obvious back-grounds (e.g. use  $\cancel{E}_T$ ) & reconstruct discriminating variable related to  $m_{\tau\tau}$ .

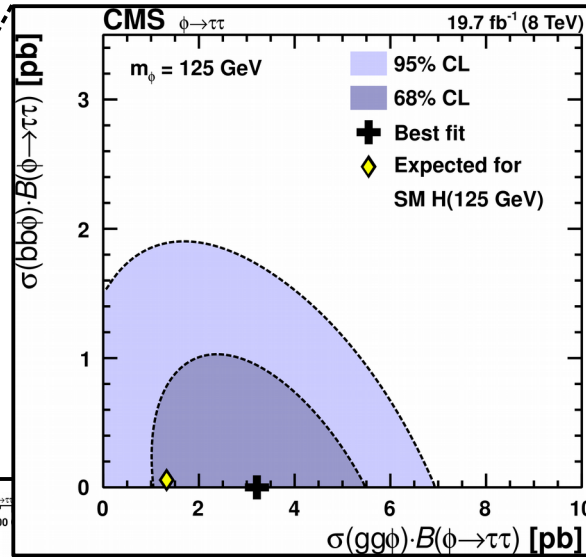


- Introduce event categorization to increase sensitivity.



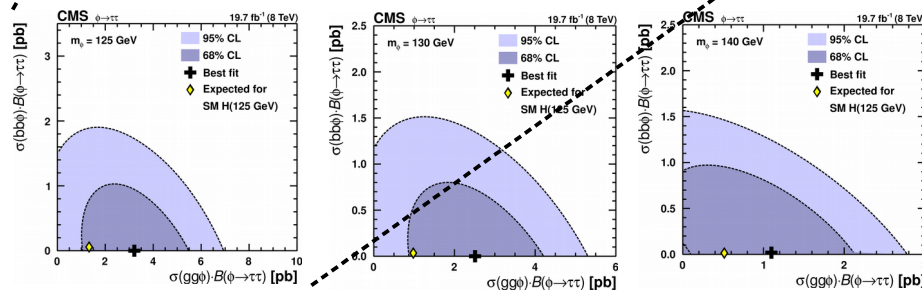
# Link between experiment & theory

- Both collaborations present their results also in form of maximally model independent limits on  $\sigma \times BR$  or  $\Delta NLL$  values.

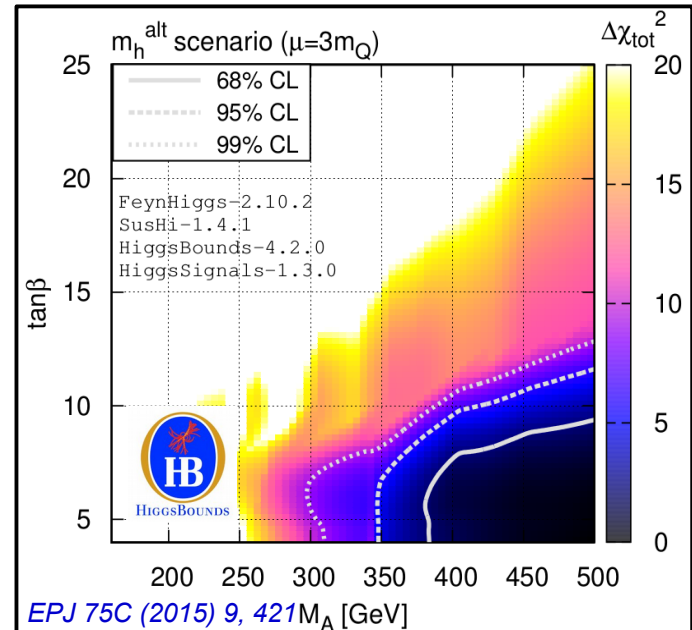
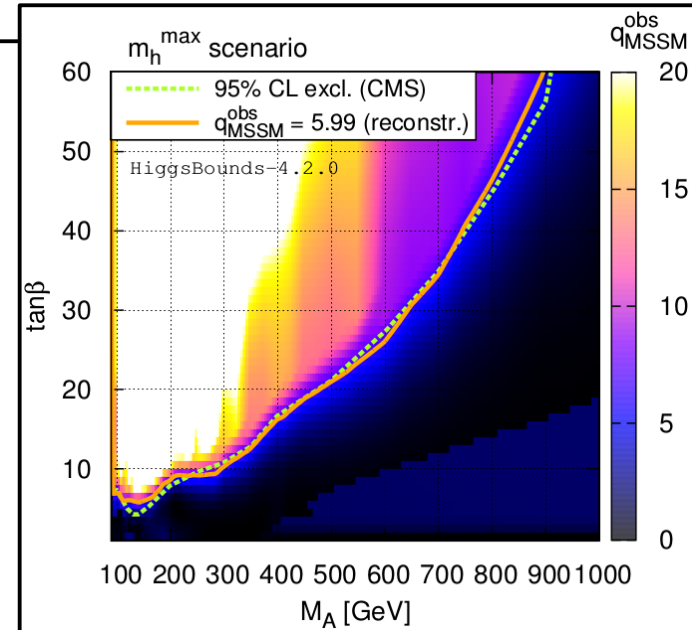


Database of 1.25 mio  $\Delta NLL$  points for 31 points in  $m_A$  (e.g. as HEPdata).

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CMS limits picked up and applied to different model using HiggsBounds.



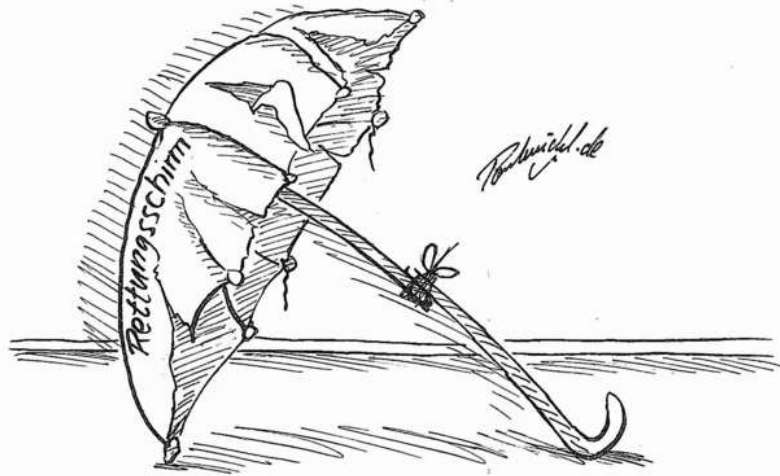
# THE TRUTH IS OUT THERE

- Five years after Higgs discovery this new physics sector is better explored than we would ever have dreamed.
- **H established as SM-like Higgs boson** with mass of 125 GeV (→ Higgs mechanism reality; → BSM models have to be compliant with this finding).
- Discussion here concentrated on MSSM (2HDM) as well motivated and currently most intensively studied SM extension.
- In this field LHC experiments have demonstrated **enormous reach** and beside SM Higgs program opened a new era of BSM Higgs searches.
- Extensions of the SM alternative to the MSSM (e.g. NMSSM, general 2HDM, ... ) in process of being **systematically sorted** (in frame of LHC HXSWG).
- BSM Higgs searches have formed a major pillar of the LHC Higgs physics program so far and will **gain more and more importance** towards the end of run-2 and beyond.





Wie kann eine Symmetrie zur gleichen Zeit erhalten und gebrochen sein?



Spontane Symmetriebrechung:

$$f(x, y) = x^2 + y^2$$

$$x = r \cos \varphi$$

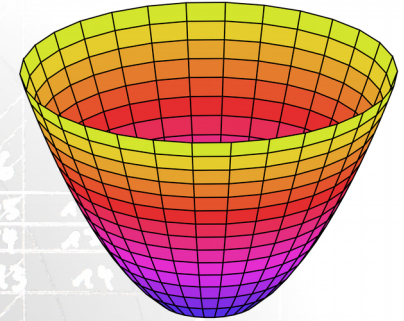
$$y = r \sin \varphi$$

$$f(x, y)|_{r, \varphi} = r^2 (\cos^2 \varphi + \sin^2 \varphi) = r^2$$

$$\tilde{f}(x, y) = (x - 1)^2 + (y - 1)^2$$

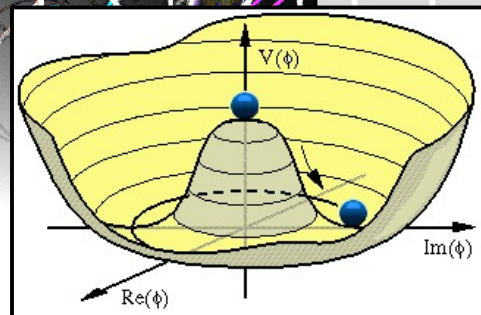
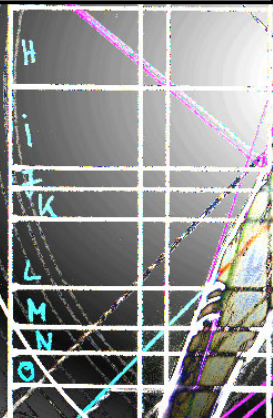
$$\tilde{f}(x, y)|_{r, \varphi} = r^2 + 2(1 - r(\sin \varphi + \cos \varphi))$$

(“hidden symmetry”)



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1	17	10
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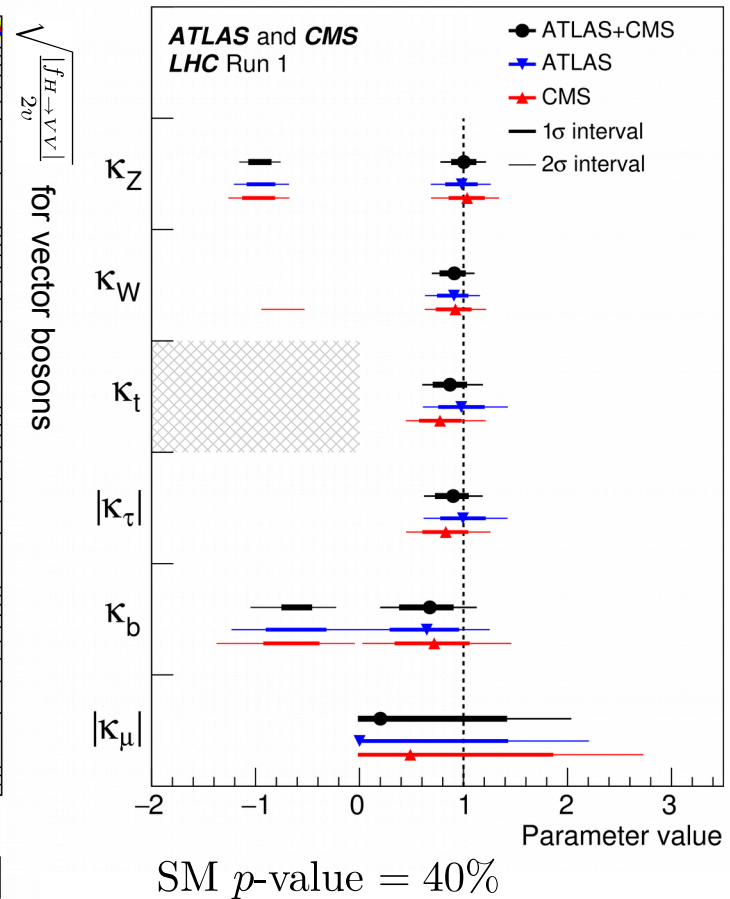
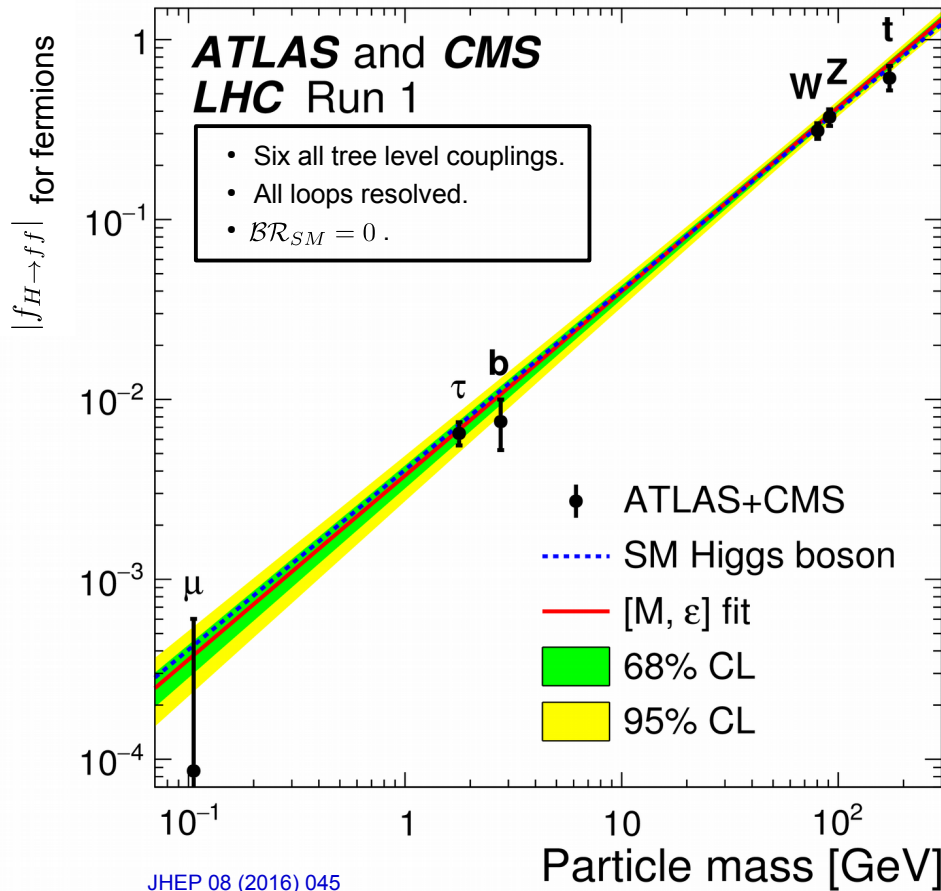


Führe Potential ein das den Grundzustand des Universums aus der Symmetrieachse der Bewegungsgleichungen zwingt.

→ Teilchenmasse als Kopplung an nicht verschwindenden Vakuumerwartungswert.

# Higgs boson couplings

Within measurement accuracy unique scaling as expected within the SM.

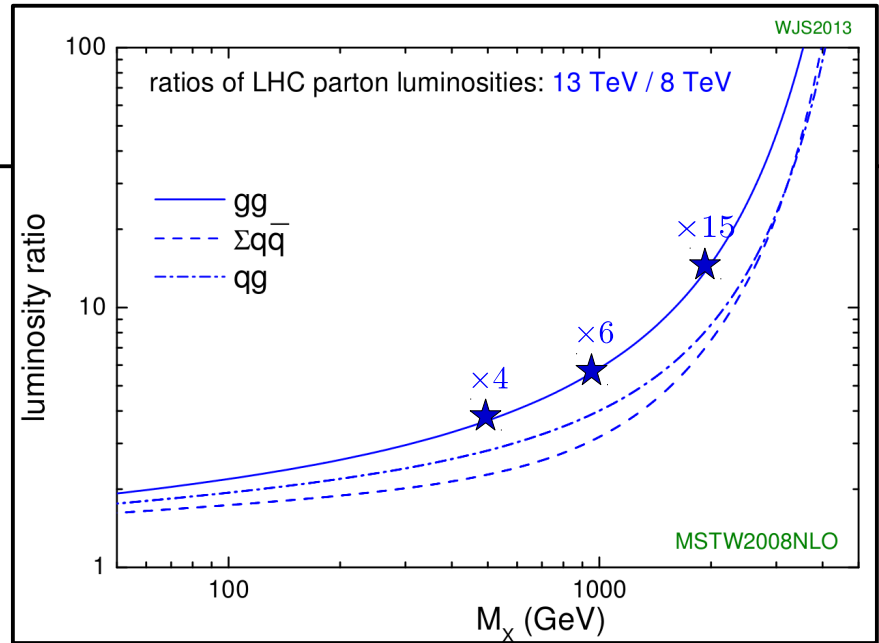


$$|f_{H \rightarrow ff}^{\text{obs}}| = \kappa_f \cdot |f_{H \rightarrow ff}^{\text{SM}}| = \kappa_f \cdot \frac{m_f}{v} \quad f = \mu, \tau, b, t$$

$$\sqrt{\frac{|f_{H \rightarrow VV}^{\text{obs}}|}{2v}} = \sqrt{\kappa_V} \cdot \sqrt{\frac{|f_{H \rightarrow VV}^{\text{SM}}|}{2v}} = \sqrt{\kappa_V} \cdot \frac{m_V}{v} \quad V = W, Z$$

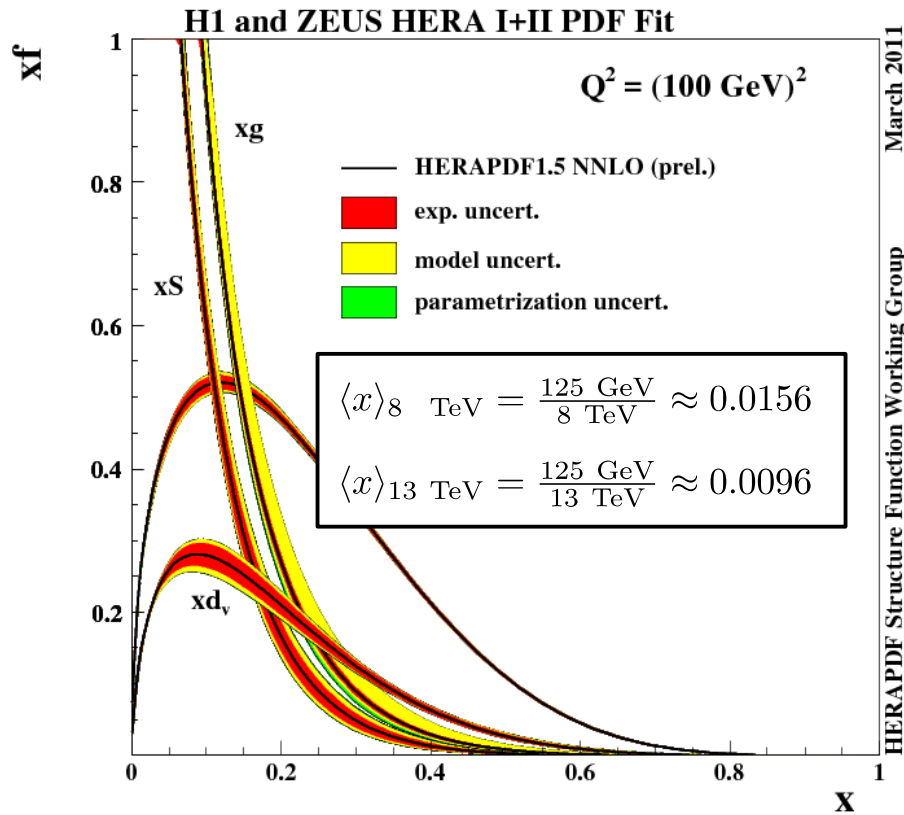
# LHC run-1 → run-2

Process ( $X$ )	$\sigma_{13\text{TeV}}/\sigma_{8\text{TeV}}$	$\Delta_X/\Delta_{h(125)}$
$t\bar{t}$	3.3	1.43
$W$	1.6	0.70
$Z$	1.6	0.70
$WW$	2.0	0.87
$h(125)$	2.3	1.00



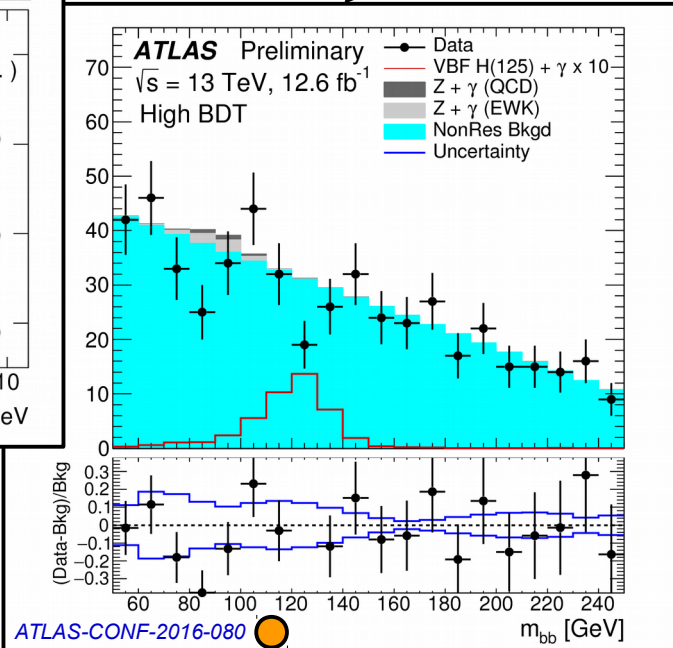
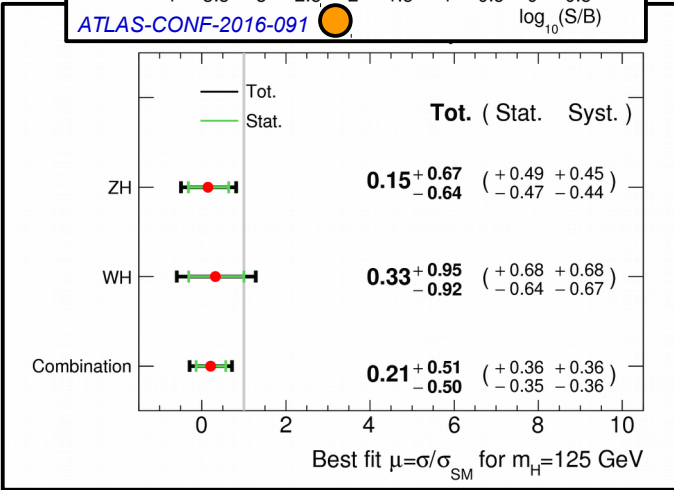
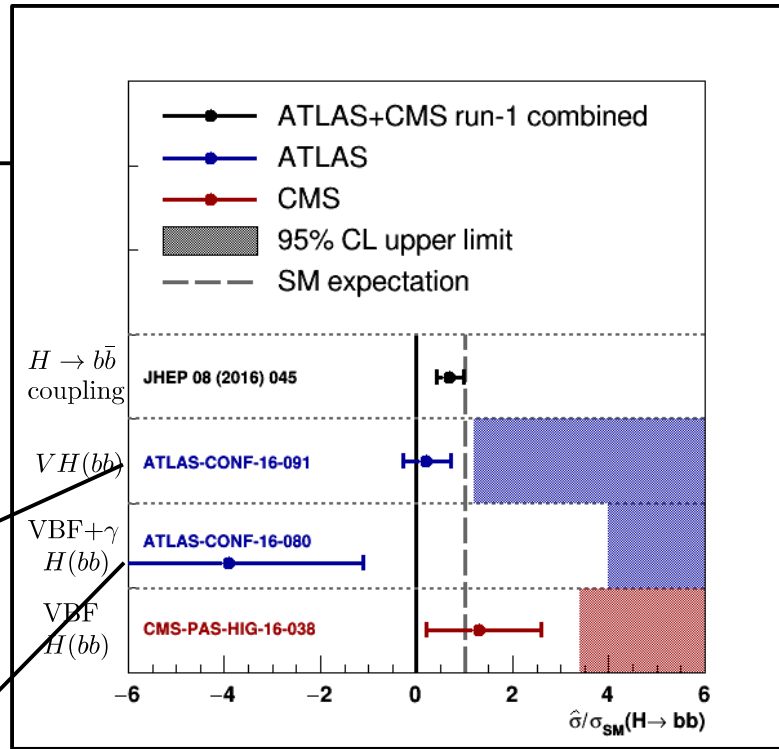
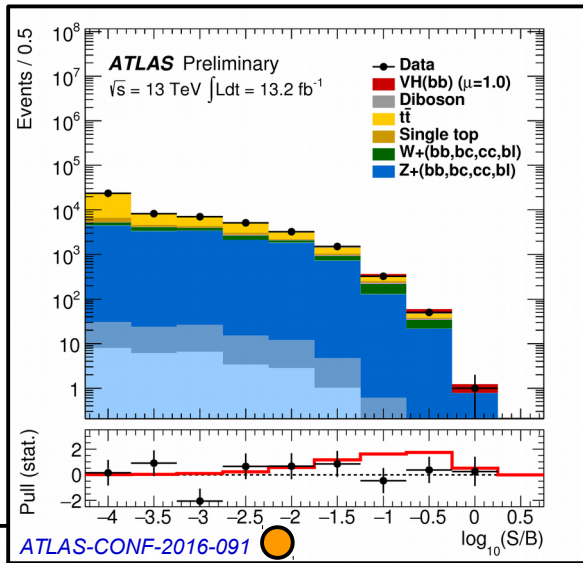
James Stirling (arXiv:0901.0002)

- Golden age for classical searches at the energy frontier.
- For SM Higgs the situation is mixed.



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



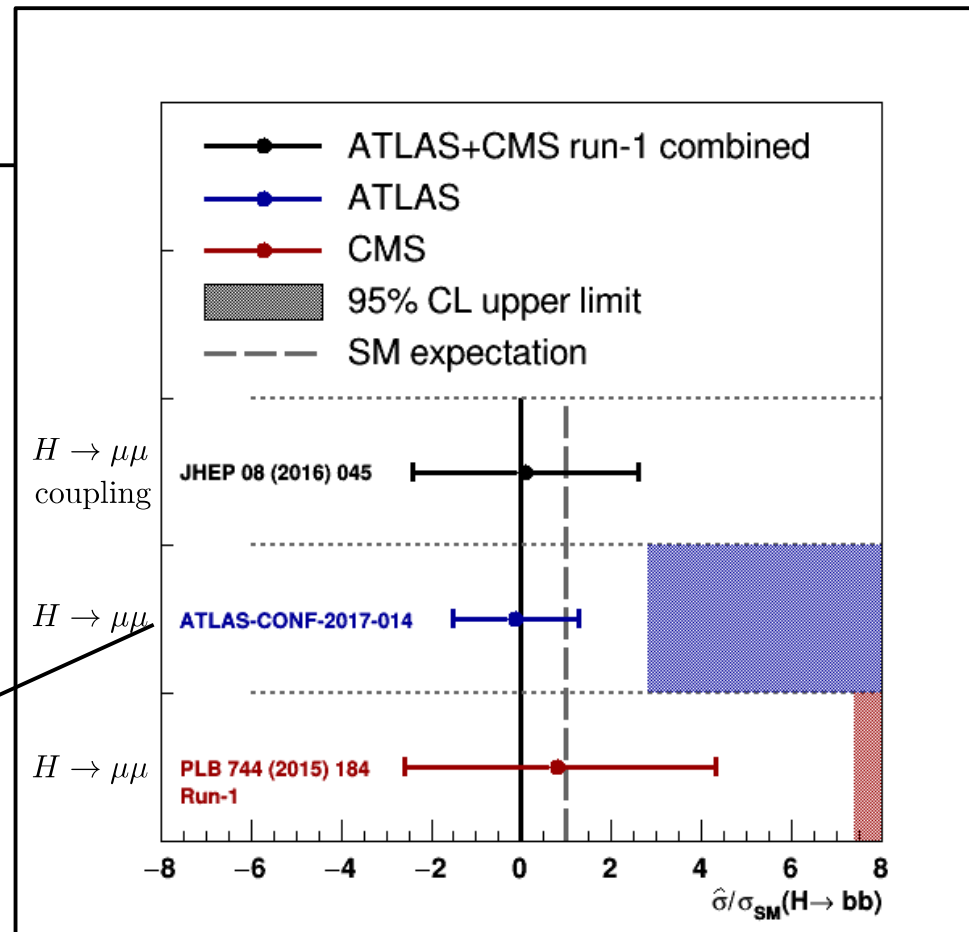
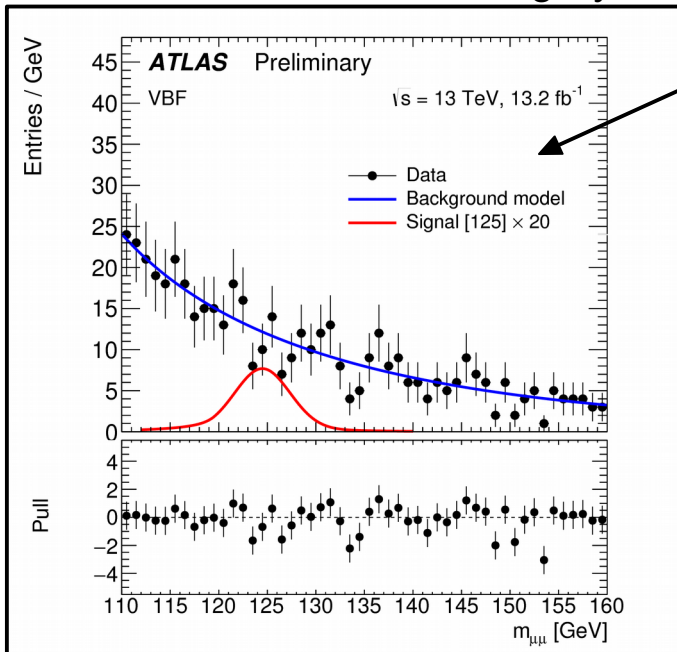
- Extra  $\gamma$  reduces non-Higgs background.
- Event classification using BDT, signal extraction based on  $m_{bb}$ .

Clear observation remains challenging.

$$H \rightarrow \mu\mu$$

- Increase sensitivity by event classification by VBF topology,  $p_T(\mu\mu)$  and  $\eta(\mu)$  ( $\rightarrow$  up to 8 event categories).
- Signal and background model based on analytic functions.

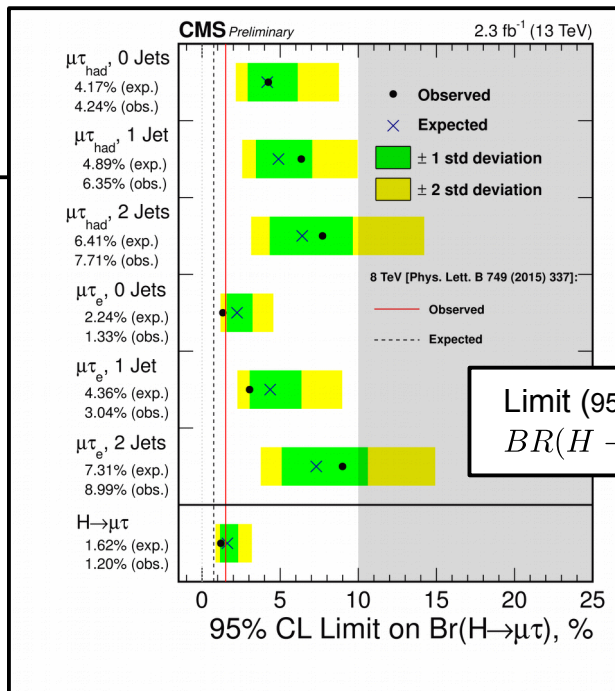
Most sensitive VBF category:



- Second fermion generation in sight for LHC run-2.
- Another crucial test of the coupling structure of the new particle.

$$H \rightarrow \mu\tau$$

- Slight excess also observed in ATLAS run-1.
- Not (yet) confirmed by run-2.



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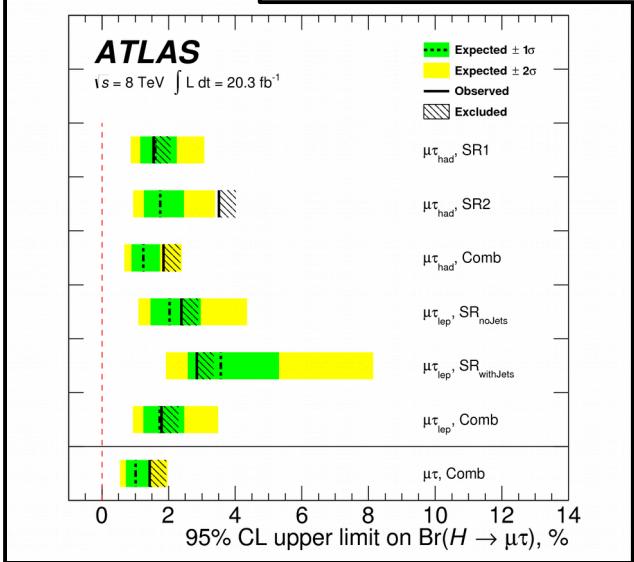
Limit (95% CL):  
 $BR(H \rightarrow \tau\mu) \leq 1.20(1.62)\%$

Limit (95% CL):  
 $BR(H \rightarrow \tau\mu) \leq 1.51(0.75)\%$

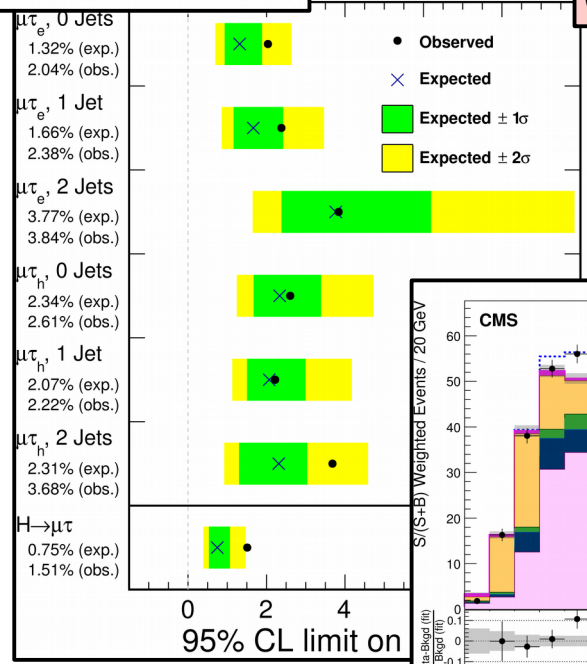
(2.4  $\sigma$  above zero)

Limit (95% CL):  
 $BR(H \rightarrow \tau\mu) \leq 1.43(1.01)\%$

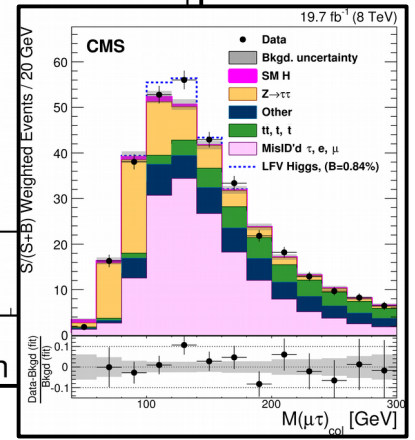
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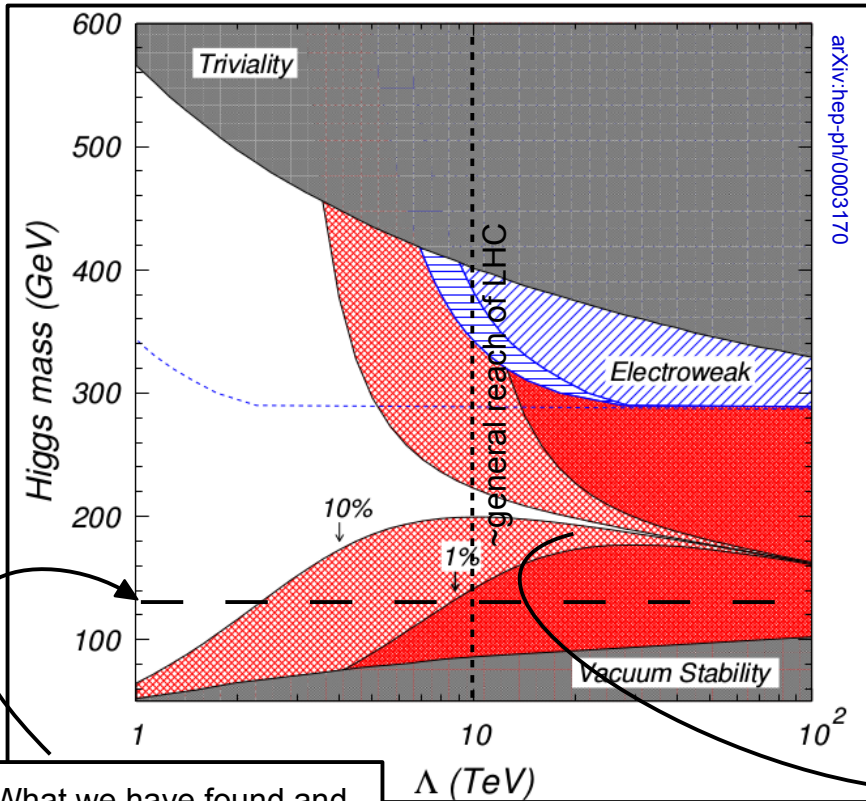
**RUN-1**



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# Why the Higgs boson still is not THE Higgs boson <sup>(1)</sup>



- SM does not contain gravity, which is of similar strength to other interactions latest at the Planck scale.
- SM → “low-energy limit” of (yet unknown) more complete theory.
- Question: is energy scale  $\Lambda$  at which new physics becomes observable accessible to us?

What we have found and measured for  $m_H$ .

Different levels of fine tuning in the SM:

$$m_H^{obs} = m_{H,0} - \Delta m_H^{HO}(\Lambda) = 125 \text{ GeV}$$

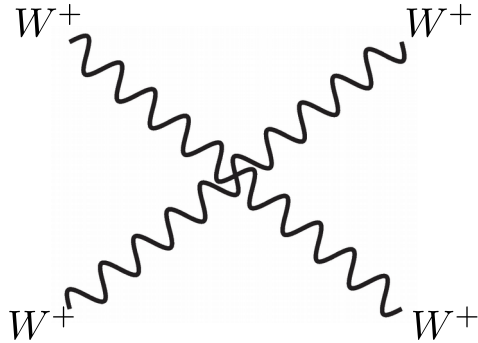
$$\frac{m_H^{obs}}{\Delta m_H^{HO}} = \frac{m_{H,0} - \Delta m_H^{HO}(\Lambda)}{\Delta m_H^{HO}} = \text{10\%} \quad \text{1\%}$$

Relation to Higgs: why is  $m_H$  so small?

<sup>(1)</sup> Arguments taken from G. Weiglein (Higgs physics: where we are and what next? 01/2017)

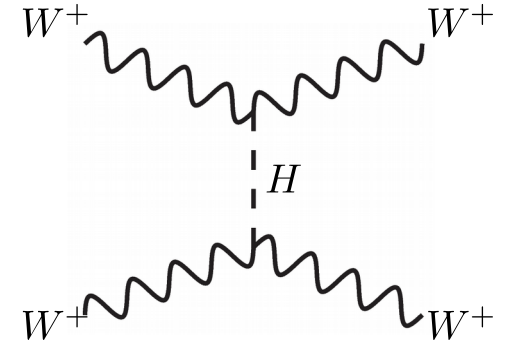
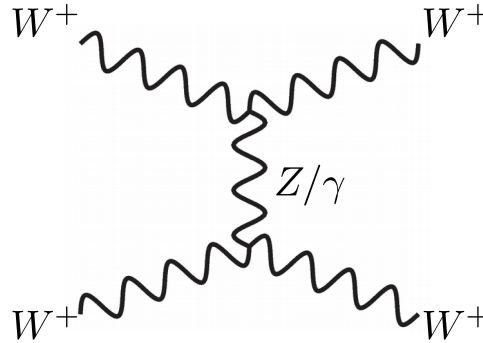
# Higgs sector in the light of (tree-level) unitarity

- Unitarity problem demonstrated for  $W^+W^+ \rightarrow W^+W^+$  scattering:



$$\mathcal{M}_{gauge} \propto -g^2 \frac{s}{m_W^2} + \mathcal{O}(s^0)$$

constraint



$$\mathcal{M}_H \propto g_{WW}^2 \frac{s}{m_W^4} + \mathcal{O}(s^0)$$

$$g_{WW} = \frac{2m_W^2}{v} = g \cdot m_W$$

$$v = \frac{2m_W}{g}$$

Exact cancellation of **divergent behavior** only if scalar exchange particle has coupling of type  $\propto m_W^2$ .

Any additional contribution to this process should preserve this cancellation (leading to sum rules).