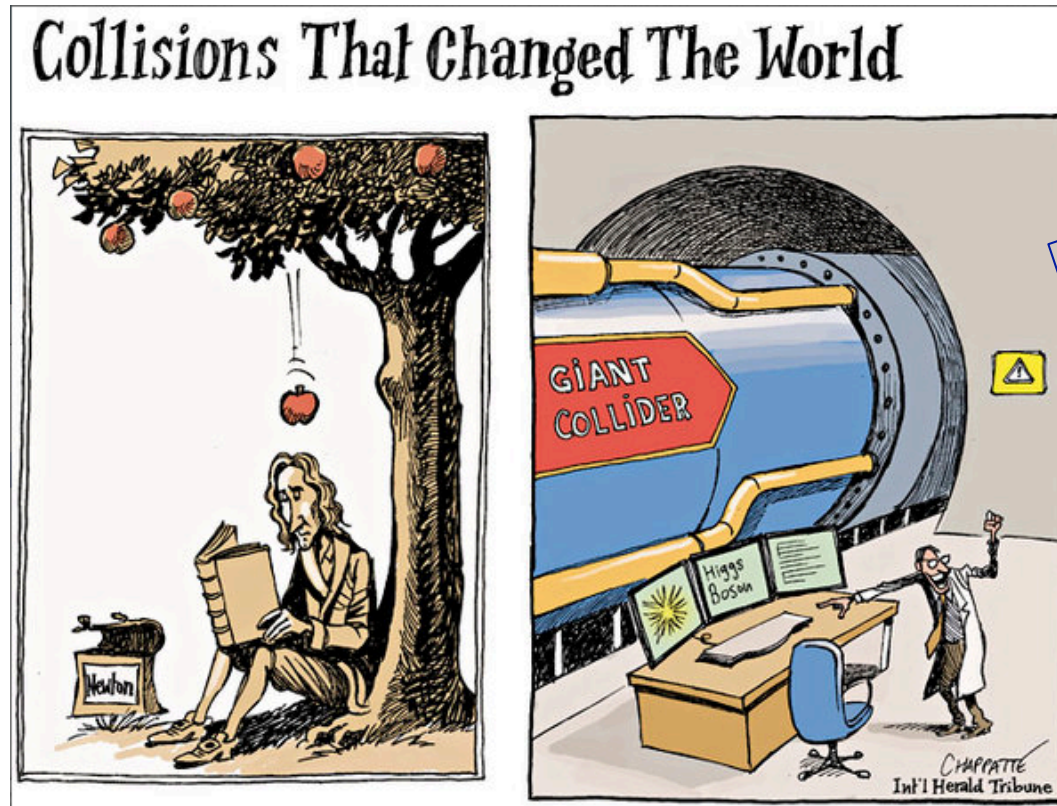


# SM Higgs Boson searches in CMS



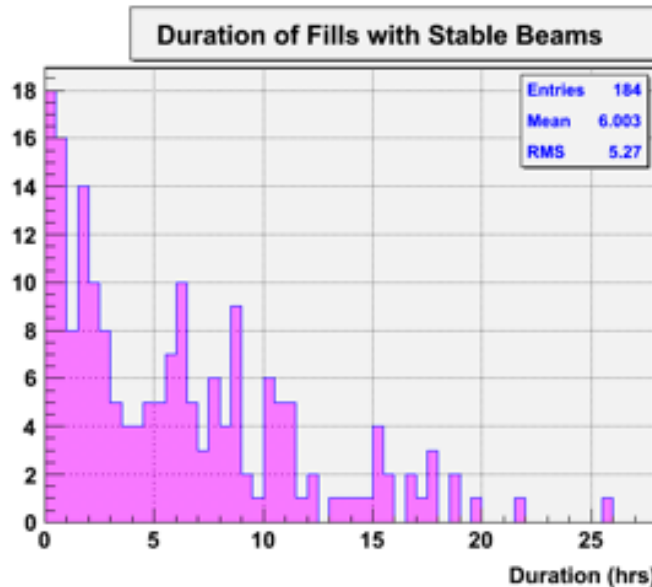
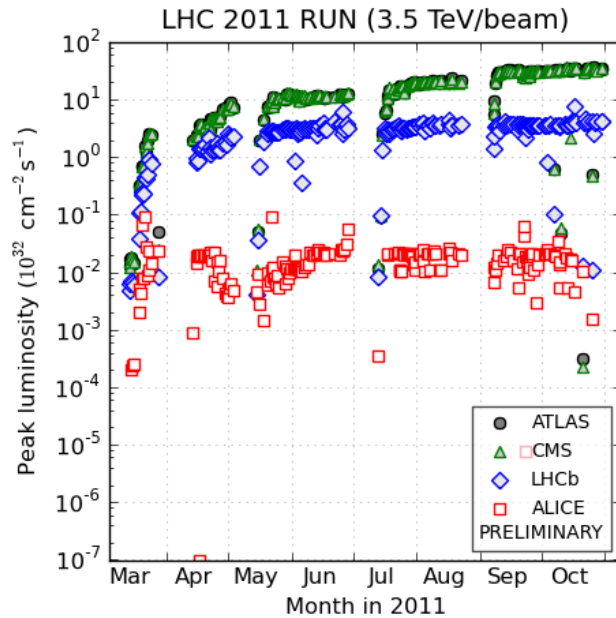
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# Introduction

- The LHC started 9 years after the end of LEP.
- The detectors were ready and soon we realized that we were indeed understanding them.
- The start-up from the physics point of view was very successful and we got immediately tons of results!
- The statistical precision is enough already now to distinguish the relevance of Higher Order (NLO vs LO and more).  
W.r.t. LEP, theoretical predictions are ready in advance and can match the experimental precision...
- There is still a long way to go (at 8 TeV, 14 TeV and ...) and we all hope to discover the Higgs (!) but also something new, maybe totally unexpected.

# LHC in 2011

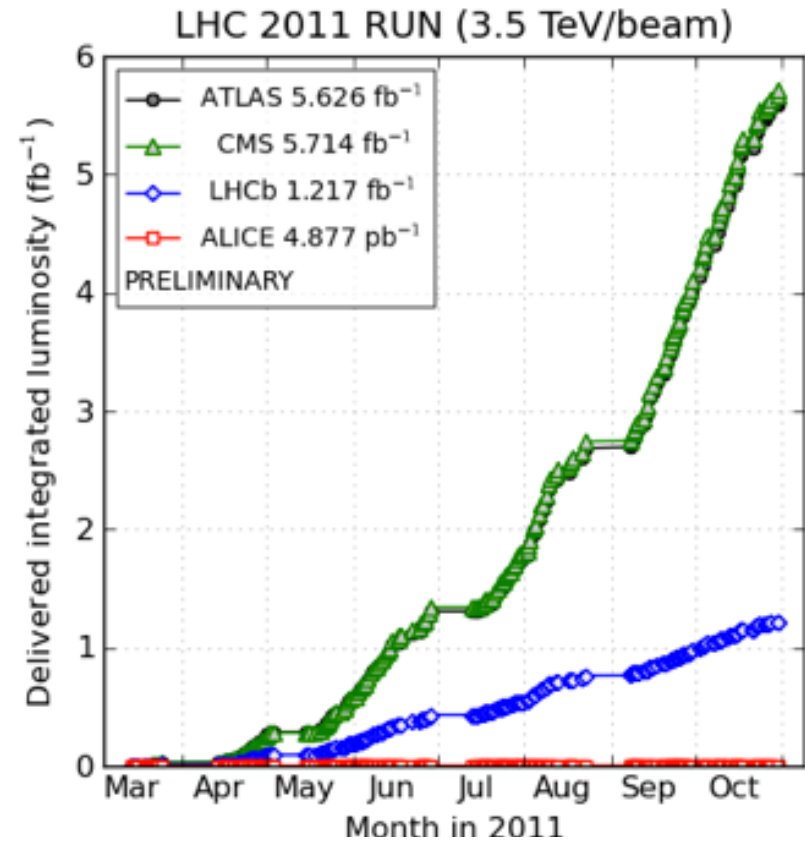
Peak Lumi  
 $3.3 \times 10^{33}$



Best Fill

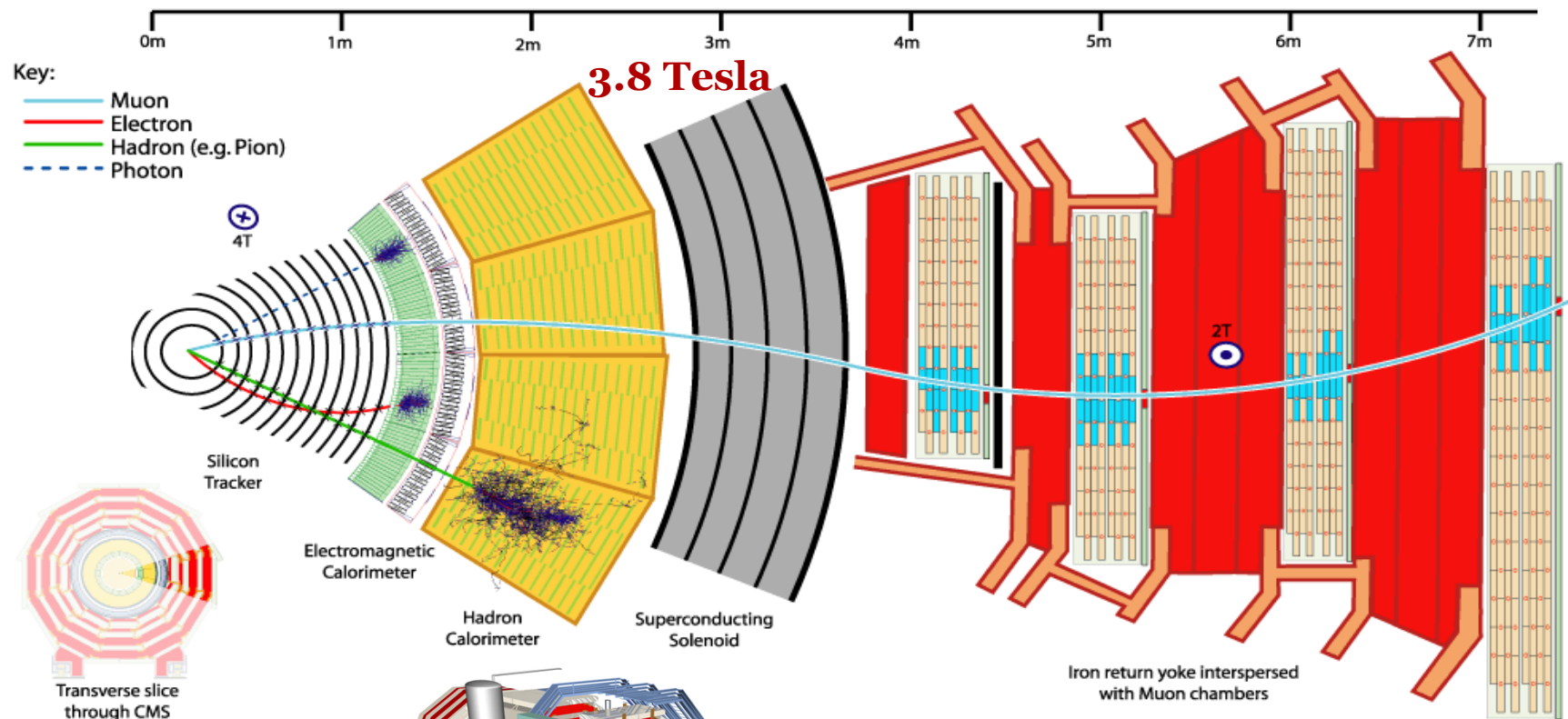
Simply magnificent !!!

## Total Lumi



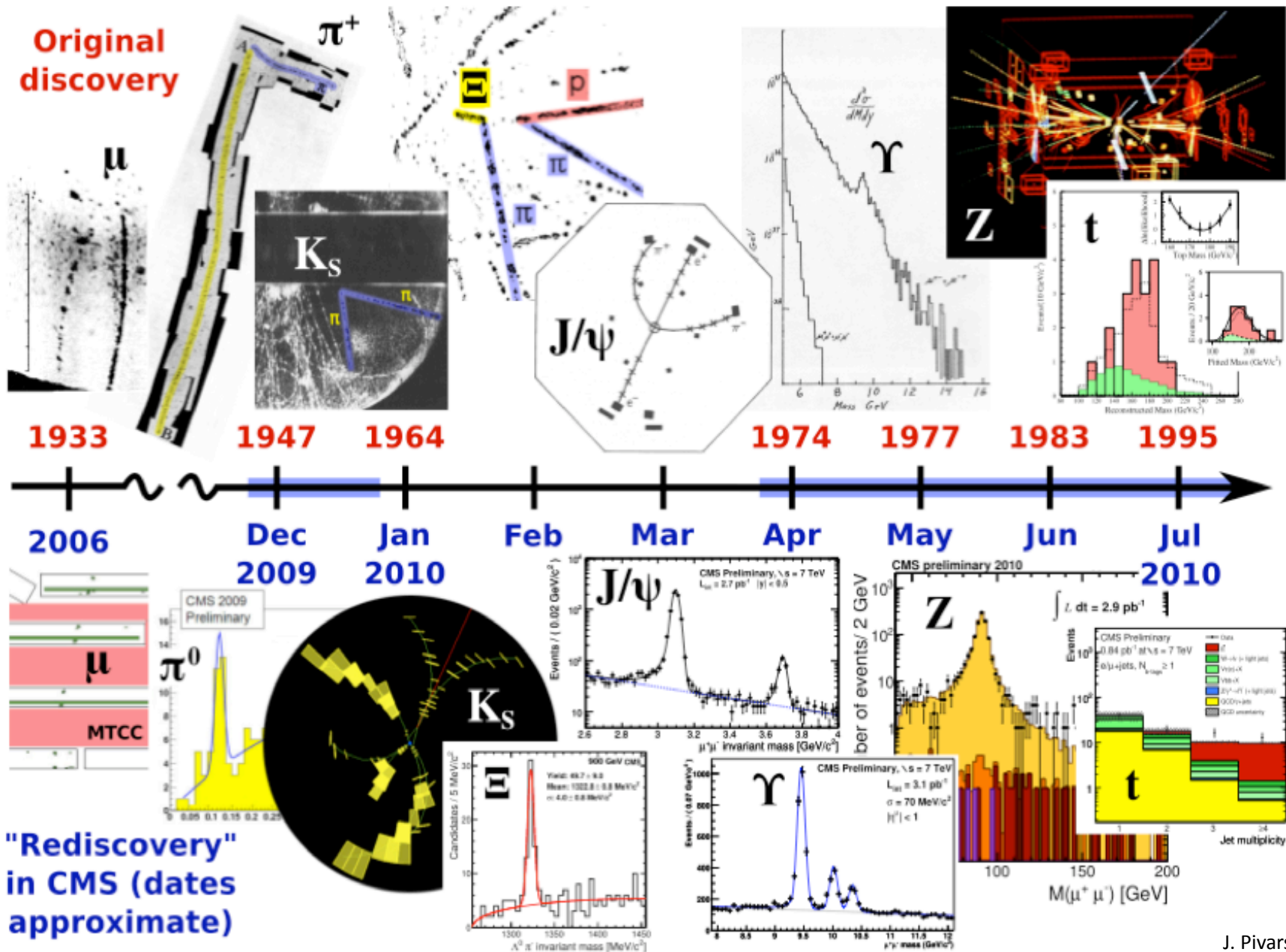
~90% recorded by the ATLAS and CMS

# The Experiments: CMS



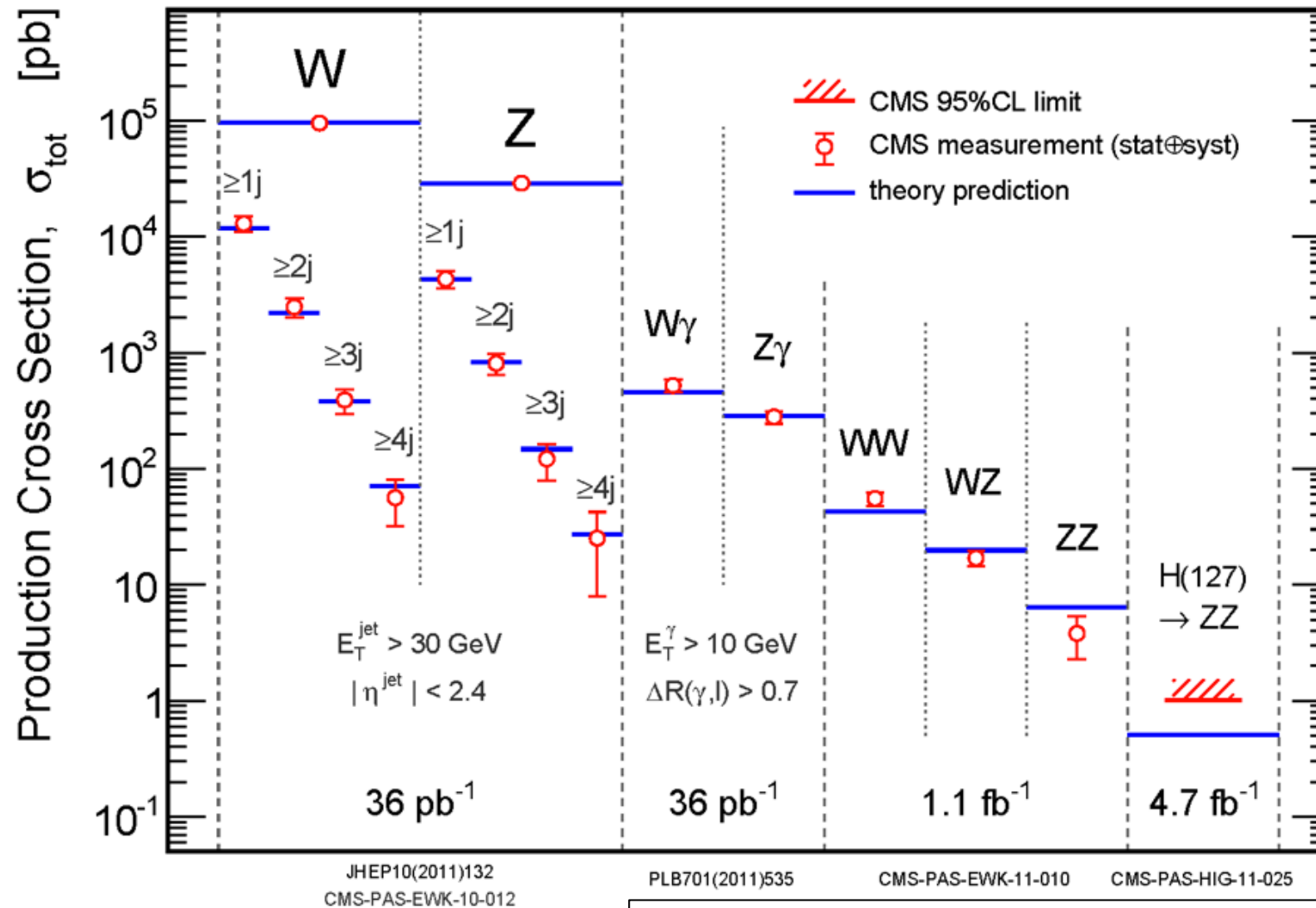
**No particle  
should go undetected**

# S.M. rediscovery in 2010



# And more in 2011

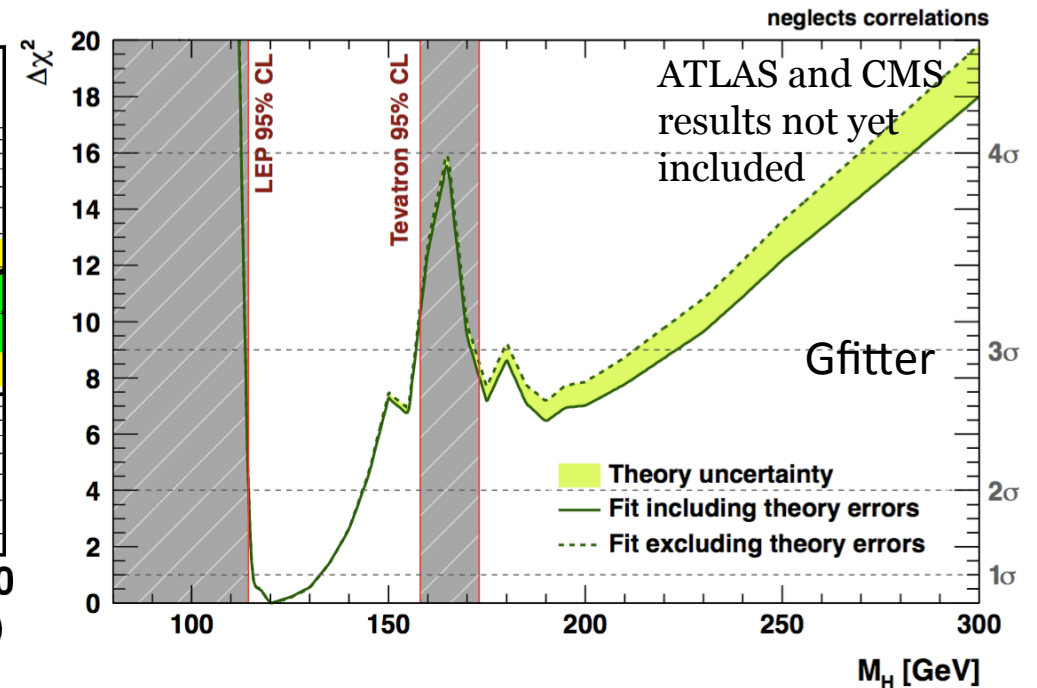
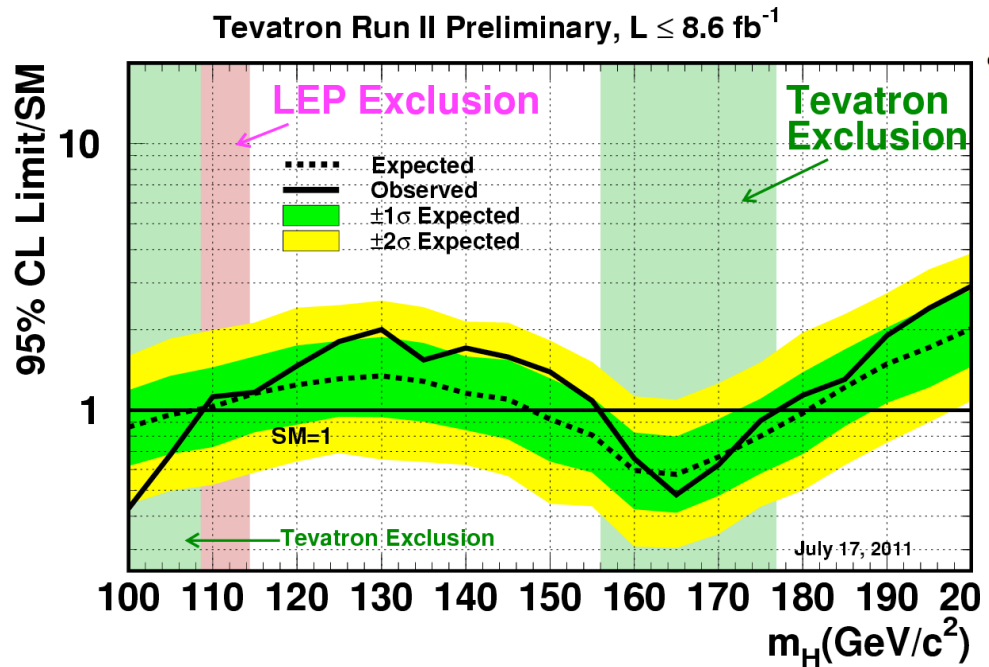
CMS



In our present dataset ( $\sim 5 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ ) we have (after selection cuts):

- $\sim 30 \text{ M}$   $W \rightarrow \mu\nu, e\nu$  events
- $\sim 3 \text{ M}$   $Z \rightarrow \mu\mu, ee$  events
- $\sim 60000$  top-pair events

# The Higgs before LHC



- Direct searches
  - LEP:  $M_H > 114.4 \text{ GeV}$  at 95% CL
  - Tevatron:  $|M_H - 166| > 10 \text{ GeV}$  at 95% CL
- Indirect constraints from precision EW measurements
  - $M_H = 96^{+31}_{-24} \text{ GeV}$ ,  $M_H < 169 \text{ GeV}$  at 95% CL (standard fit)
  - $M_H = 120^{+12}_{-5} \text{ GeV}$ ,  $M_H < 143 \text{ GeV}$  at 95% CL (including direct searches)

# The LHC Higgs Cross Section WG

- About 2.5 years ago, exactly the day LHC was delivering the first collision to the experiments, a group formed by TH and EXP (the LHC Higgs Cross Section WG) was founded in order to provide precise Higgs predictions.
- The goal was to access the most advanced theory predictions for the Higgs Cross Section and Branching Ratio: central value and uncertainties

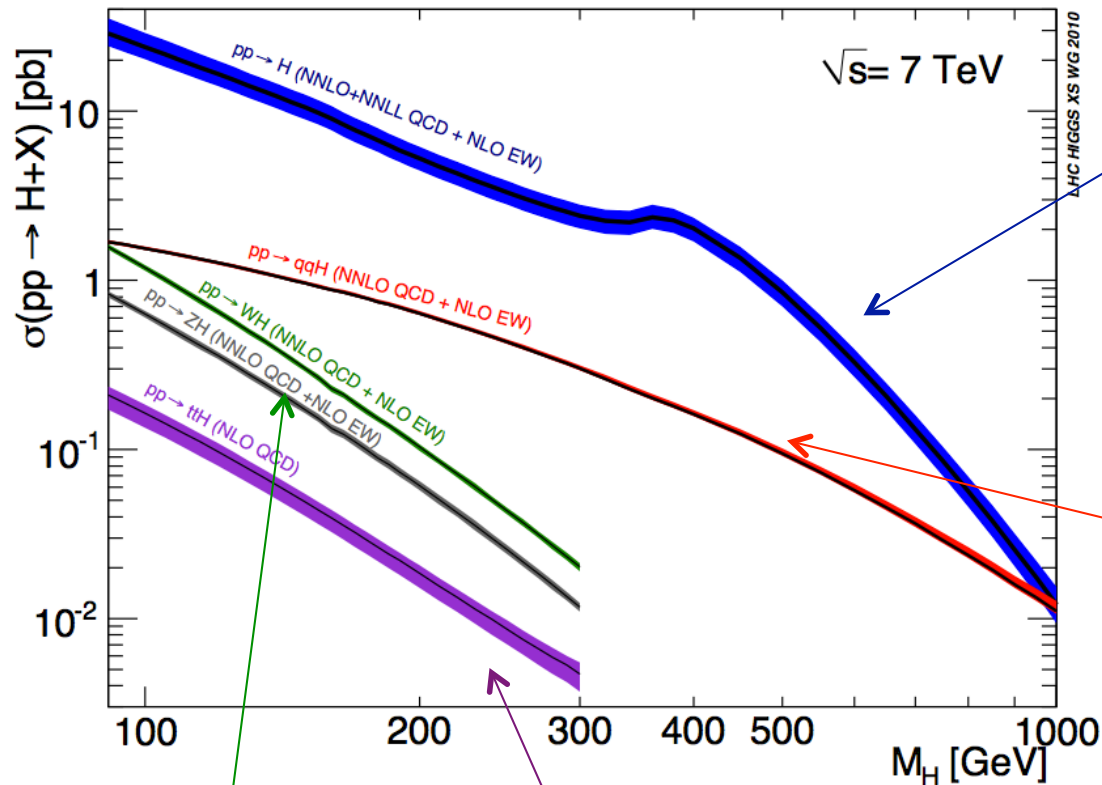


- Experiments are thus from day “1” coherently using the **COMMON INPUTS** provided by the LHC H XS WG (CERN-2011-002, “YR1”, and CERN-2012-002, “YR2”).  
This facilitates the comparison and the combination\* of the individual results

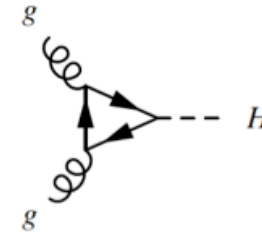
\*LHC Higgs Combination group. Only experimentalists



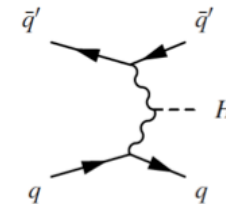
# Inclusive Cross Sections



**ggF: NNLO+NNLL QCD + NLO EW**

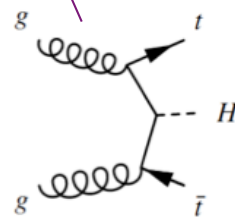
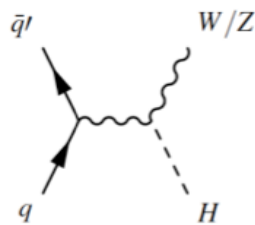


**qqH: NNLO QCD + NLO EW**



**WH: NNLO QCD + NLO EW**

**ZH: NNLO QCD + NLO EW**



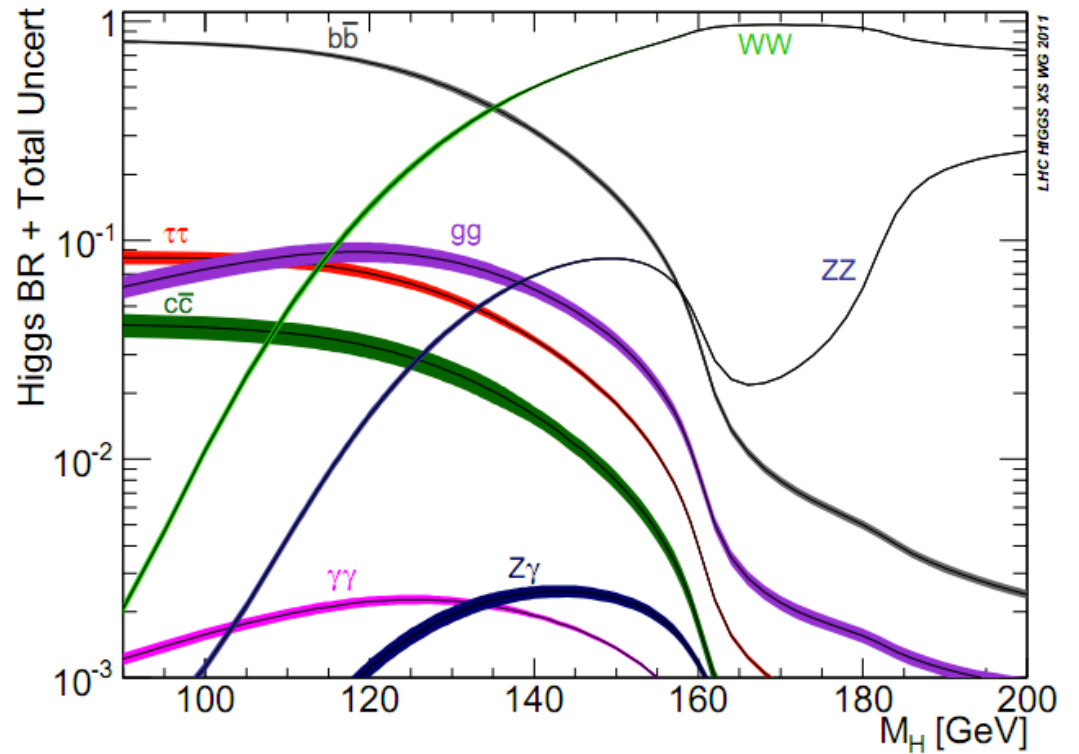
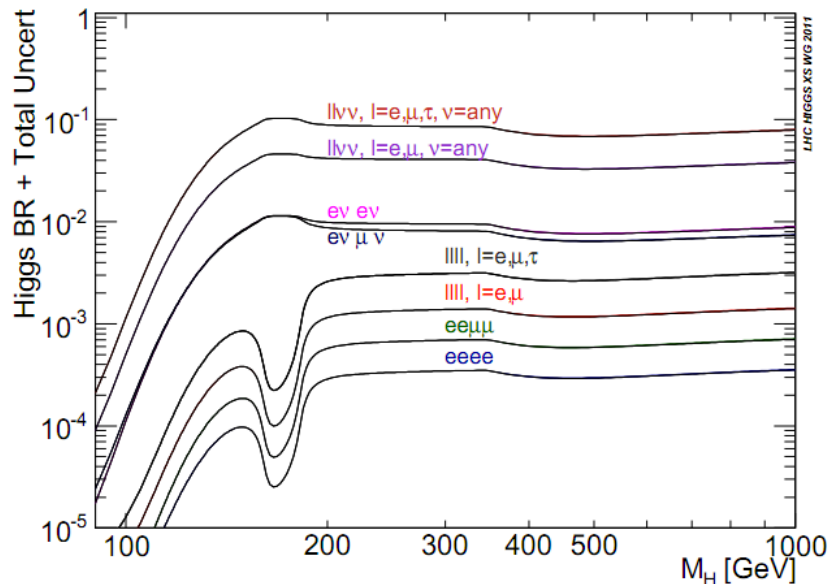
**ttH: NLO QCD**

	$K_{\text{NNLO/NLO}}$ ( $K_{\text{NLO/LO}}$ )	Scale	PDF+ $a_s$	Total error
<b>ggF</b>	+25% (+100%)	+12% -7%	$\pm 8\%$	+20 -15%
<b>VBF</b>	<1% (+5-10%)	$\pm 1\%$	$\pm 4\%$	$\pm 5\%$
<b>WH/ ZH</b>	+2-6% (+30%)	$\pm 1\%$	$\pm 4\%$	$\pm 5\%$
<b>ttH</b>	- (+5-20%)	+4% -10%	$\pm 8\%$	+12 -18%

# Branching Ratios

$$\Gamma_H = \Gamma^{\text{HD}} - \Gamma_{ZZ}^{\text{HD}} - \Gamma_{WW}^{\text{HD}} + \Gamma_{4f}^{\text{Proph.}} + \Gamma_{\gamma\gamma}^{\text{HD}} \delta_{\gamma ff}^{\text{QED}}$$

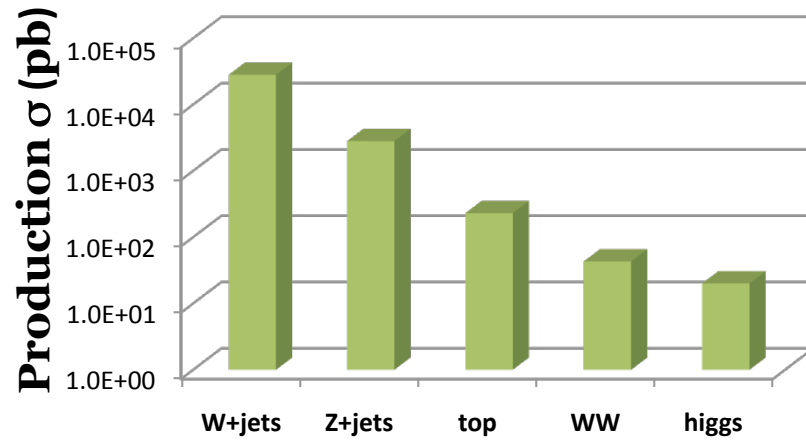
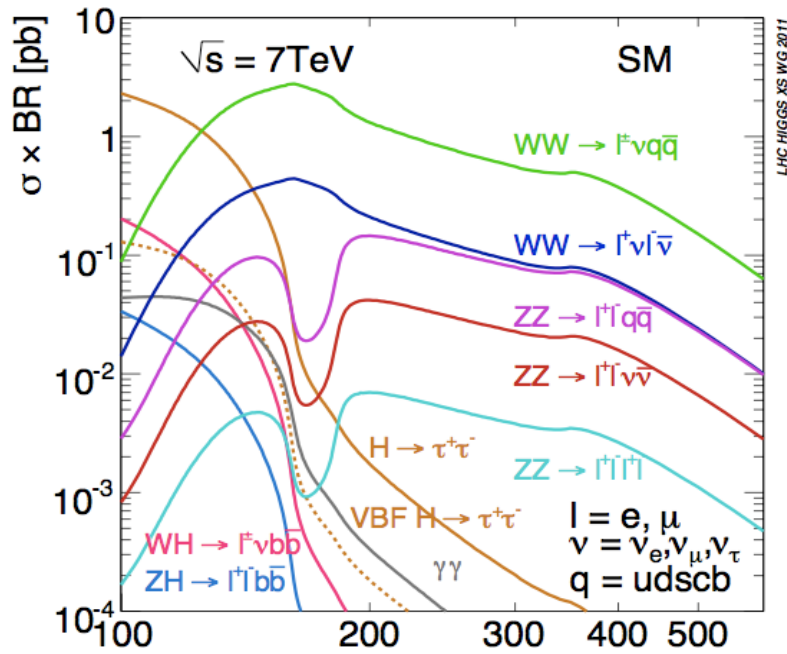
MH	Decay	THU	PU	Total
120 GeV	$H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$	$\pm 2.9\%$	$\pm 2.5\%$	$\pm 5.4\%$
	$H \rightarrow bb$	$\pm 1.3\%$	$\pm 1.5\%$	$\pm 2.8\%$
	$H \rightarrow \tau\tau$	$\pm 3.6\%$	$\pm 2.5\%$	$\pm 6.1\%$
150 GeV	$H \rightarrow WW$	$\pm 0.3\%$	$\pm 0.6\%$	$\pm 0.9\%$
	$H \rightarrow ZZ$	$\pm 0.3\%$	$\pm 0.6\%$	$\pm 0.9\%$



HD=HDecay

Proph = Prophecy4f NLO QCD+NLO EW

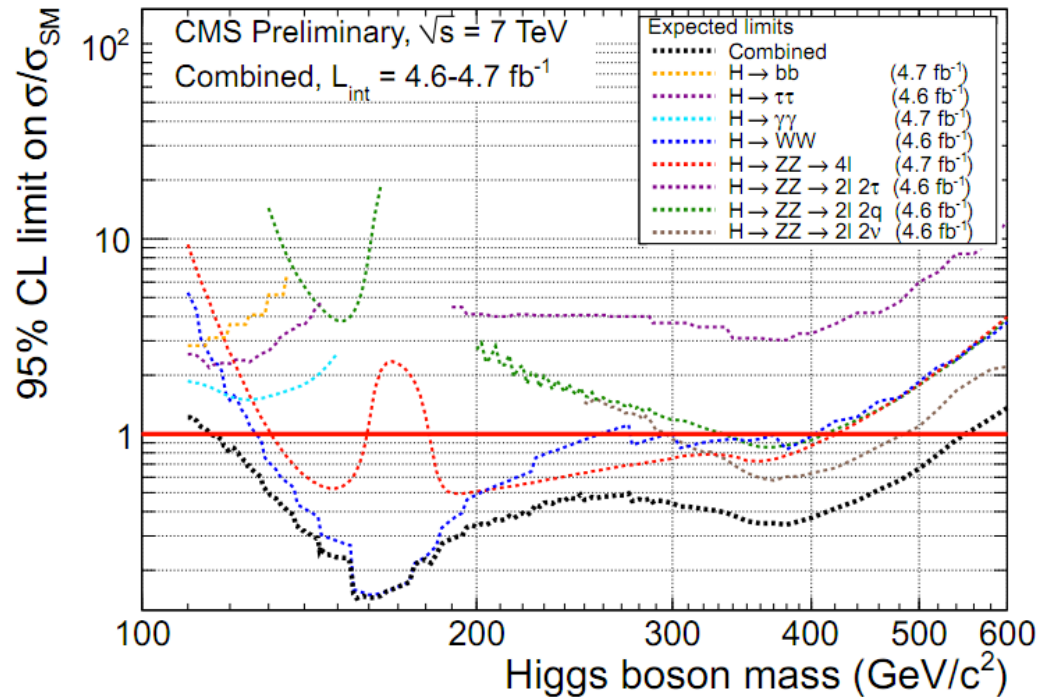
# Higgs search strategy



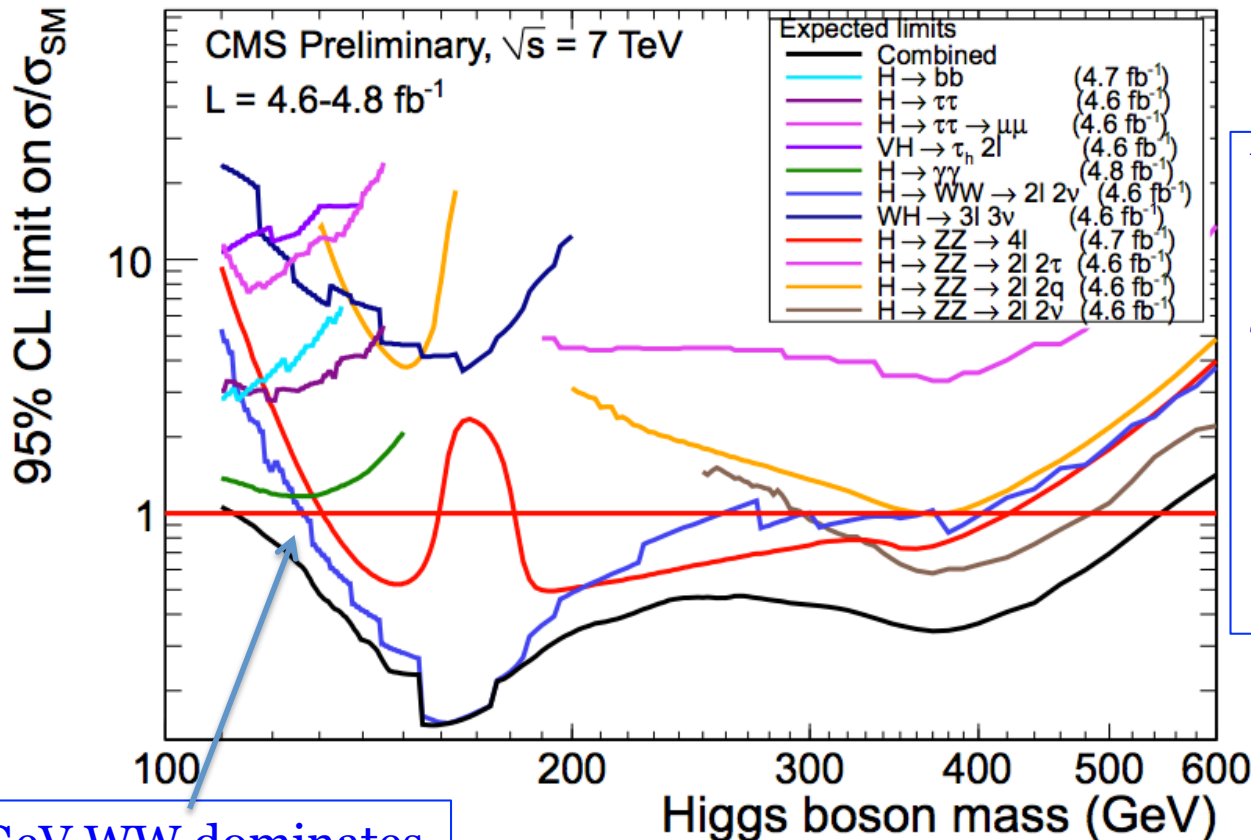
Higgs production cross section tiny compared to other QCD and EWK processes

Events expected to be produced with  $L=1 \text{ fb}^{-1}$

$m_H, \text{ GeV}$	$WW \rightarrow l\nu l\nu$	$ZZ \rightarrow 4l$	$\gamma\gamma$
120	127	1.5	43
150	390	4.6	16
300	89	3.8	0.04



# Higgs search strategy



bb/ττ/WW  
 Poor mass resol

γγ and 4l  
 Excellent mass resol

4l is ~backg free  
 Single event has an impact

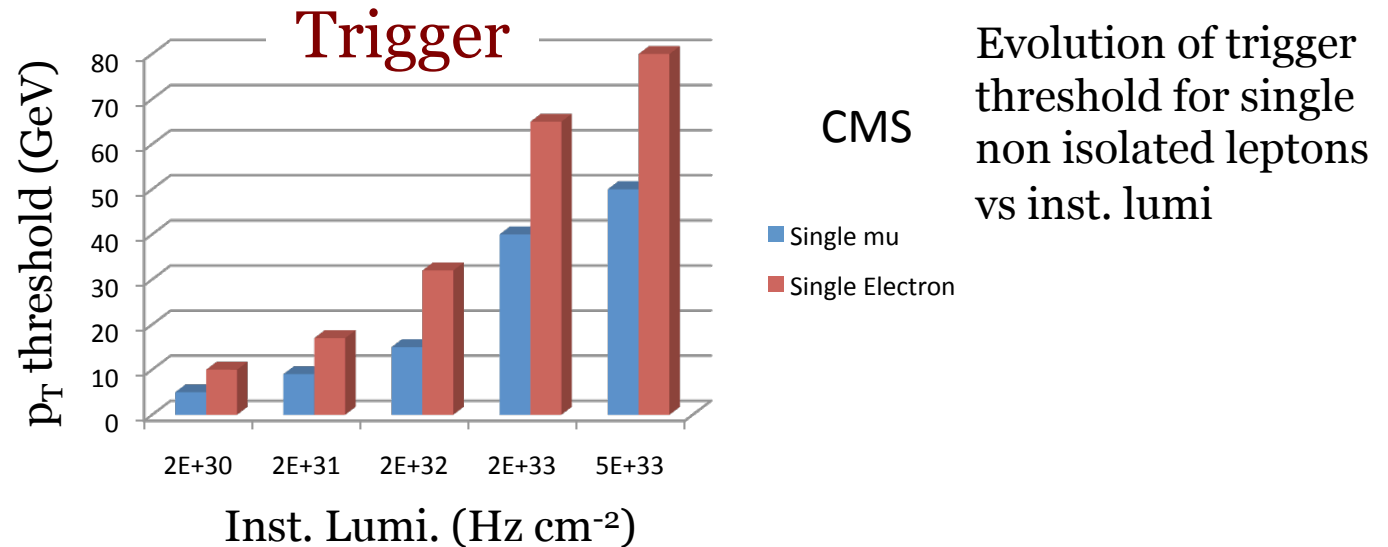
Above ~123 GeV WW dominates  
 At lower masses γγ takes over

$m_H < 135$  GeV  
 $H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$  exclusion and discovery  
 $H \rightarrow 4l$  exclusion and discovery  
 $H \rightarrow WW/\tau\tau/bb$

$140 < m_H < 180$  GeV  
 $H \rightarrow WW \rightarrow 2l 2\nu$   
 $ZZ \rightarrow 4l$  also

$m_H > 180$  GeV  
 $H \rightarrow ZZ$  channels for discovery  
 $H \rightarrow WW \rightarrow l\nu jj$

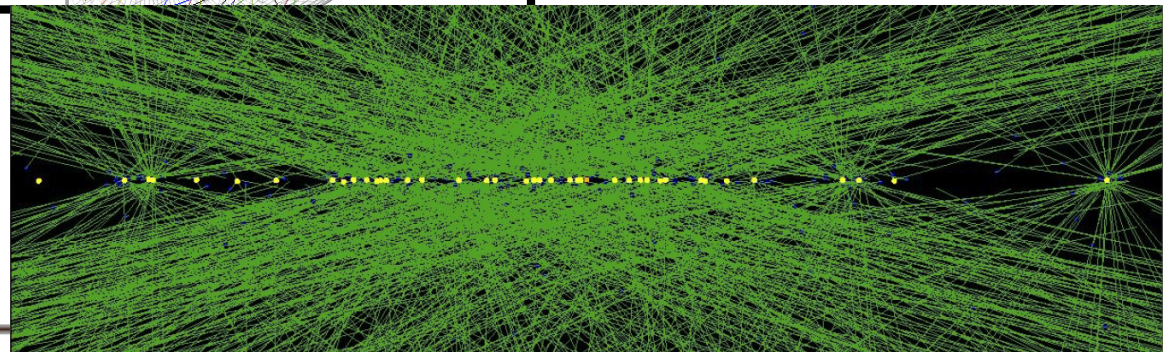
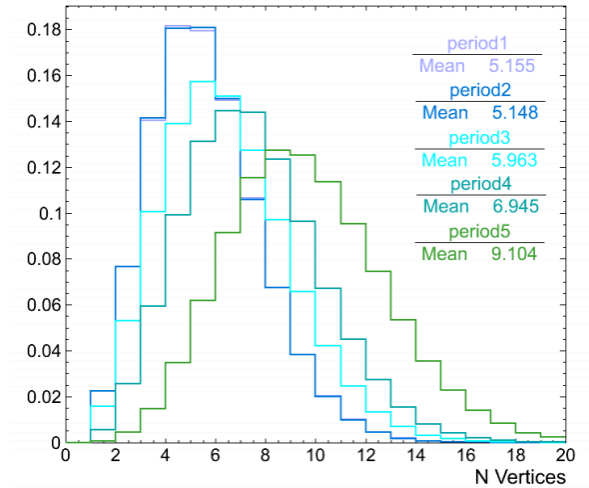
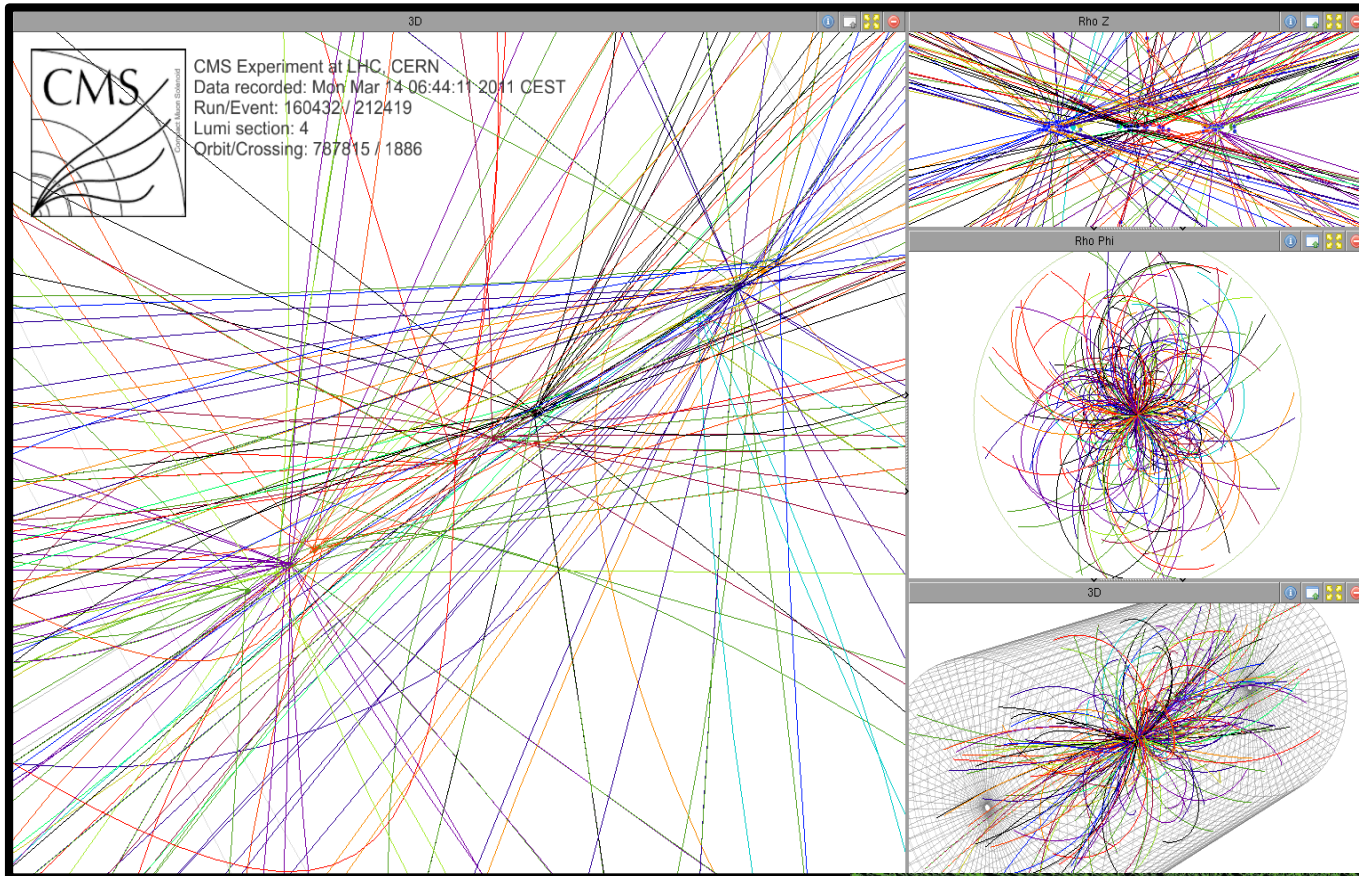
# The challenge of the high Lumi



- Inclusive triggers have reached such high thresholds that can not be used anymore for many analyses
- In the context of each analysis dedicated triggers suitable for the specific final state have to be devised:
  - $H \rightarrow WW \rightarrow l\nu l\nu$ ,  $H \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow 4l$ : Double mu and double electron thresholds at (17,8) GeV
  - $H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ : Double photon (36,18) GeV
- Challenging for the low mass Higgs searches

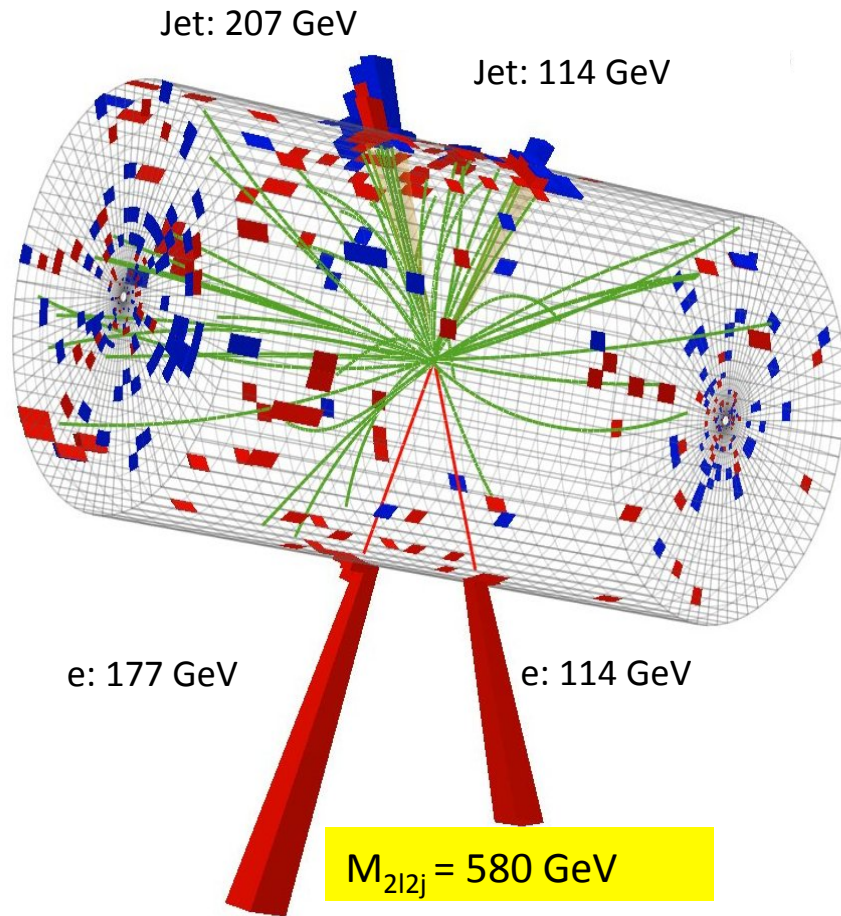
# Pile-up: a “manageable nuisance”

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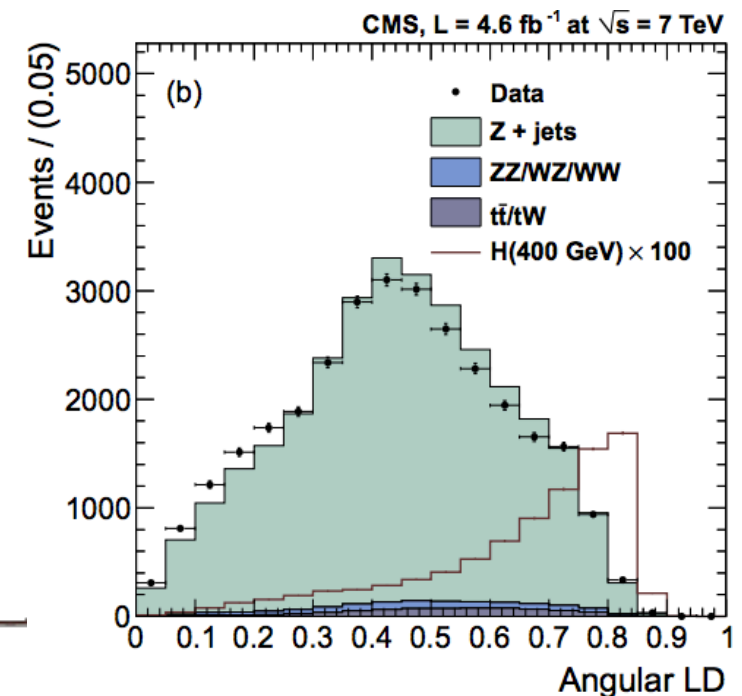
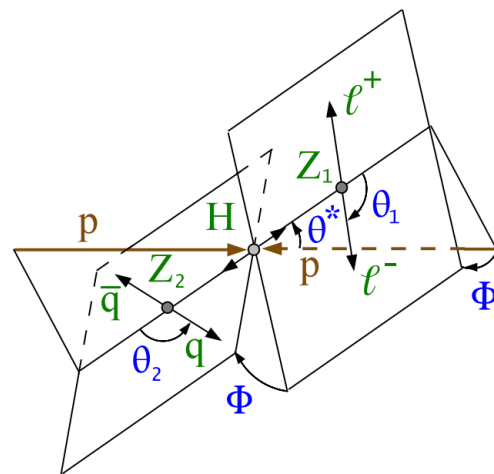


# The High Mass

# H → ZZ → llqq

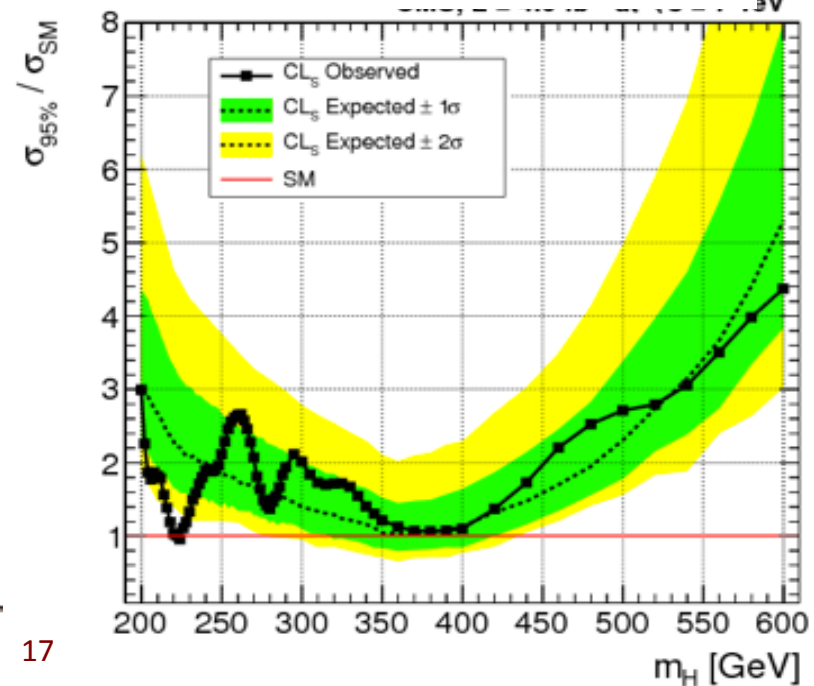
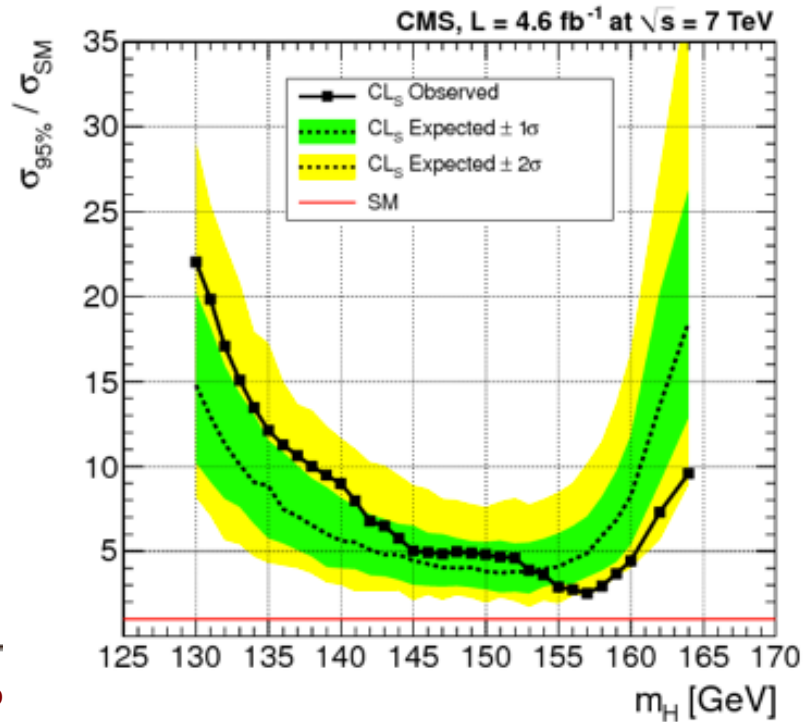
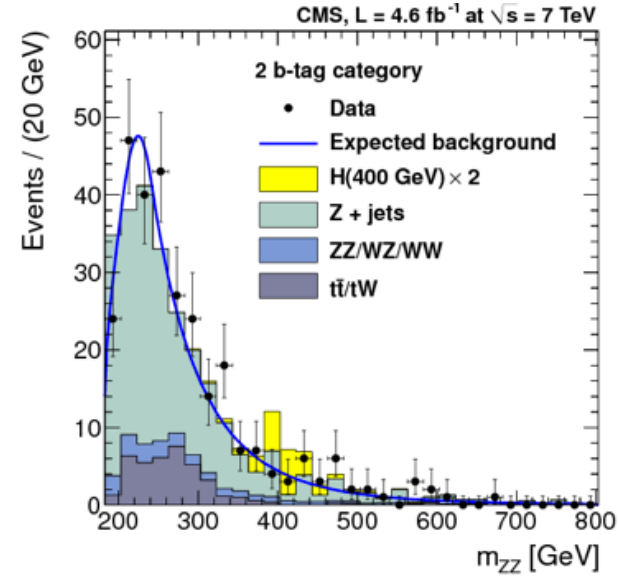
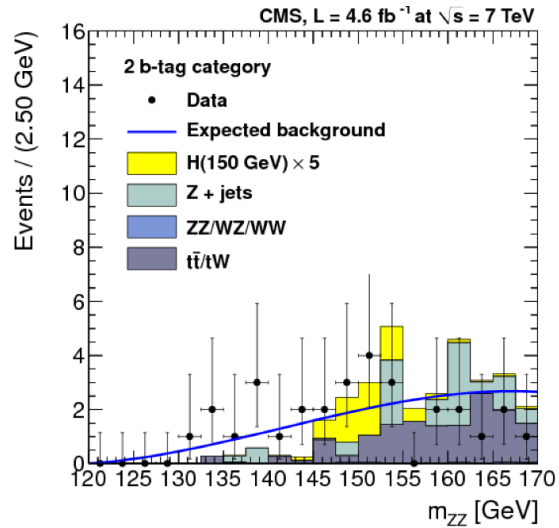


- Highest rate amongst all  $H \rightarrow ZZ$  final states
- Search for a peak ( $\sigma \sim 10$  GeV) in  $M_{2l2j}$  distribution
- Events categorized by presence of 0, 1, 2 b-jets
- Major background: Z+jets ;  $t\bar{t}$  suppressed by  $M_{E_T}$  requirement
- CMS: Use 5 angles of scalar  $H \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow 2l2q$  in a likelihood discriminant
- Background shape, normalization  $\leftarrow$  data sideband

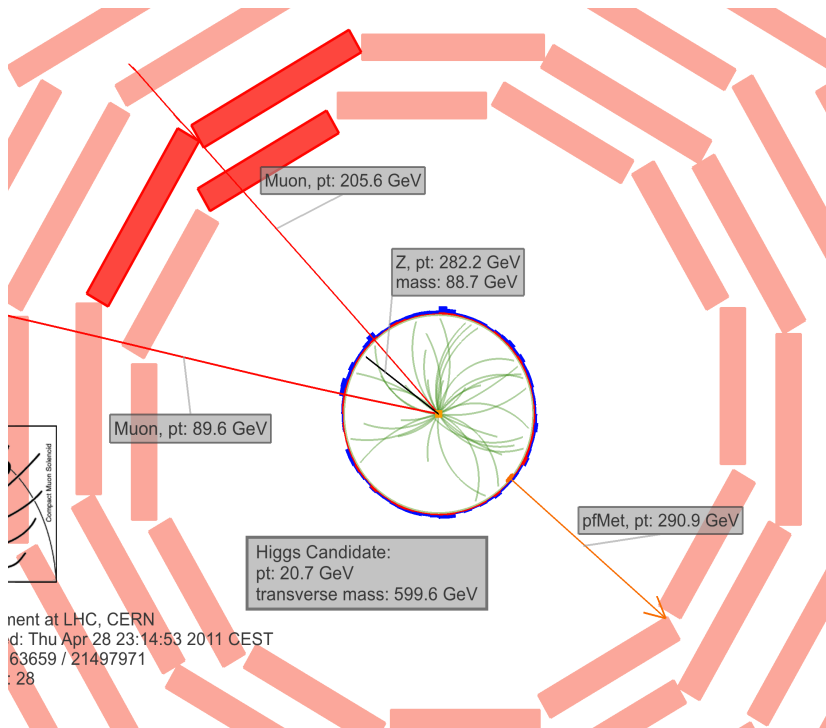




# H $\rightarrow$ ZZ $\rightarrow$ llqq

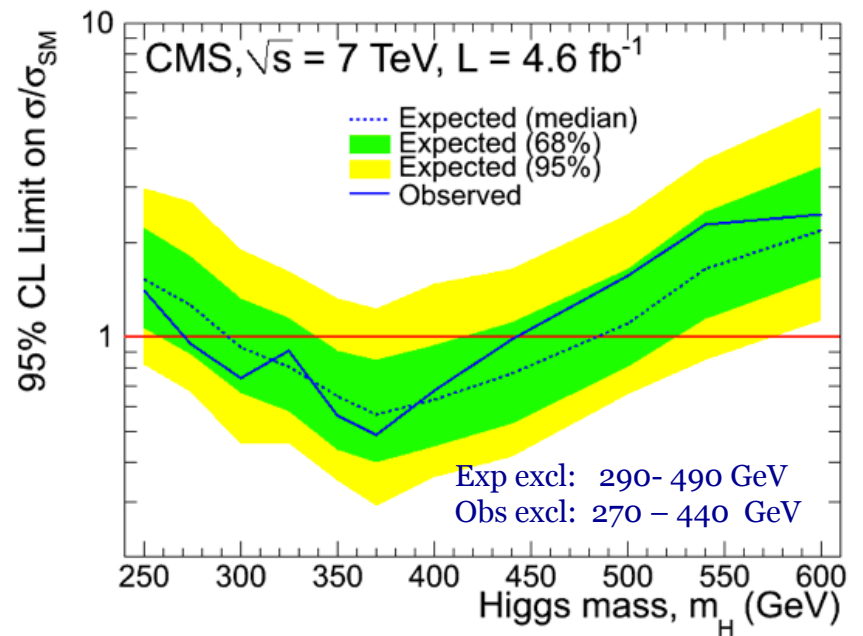
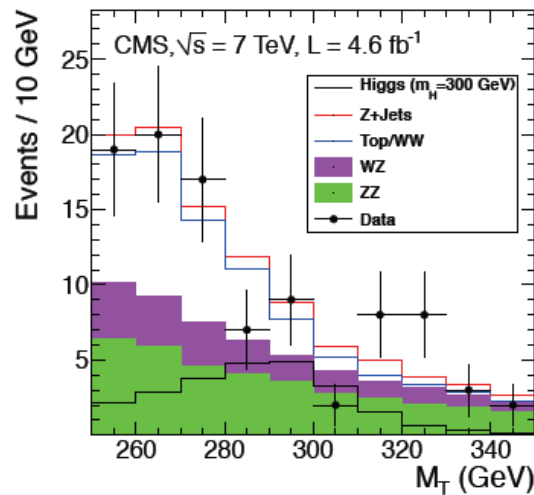
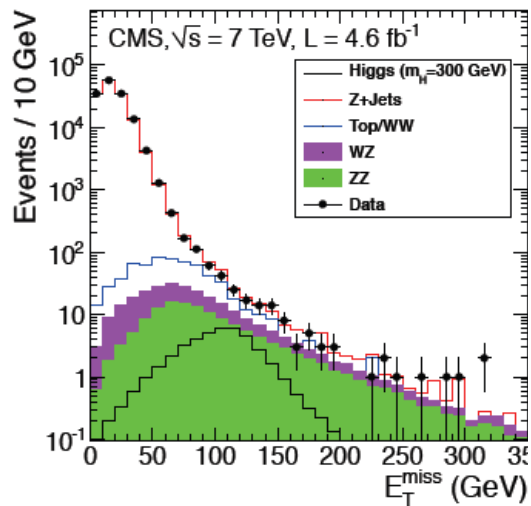


# H → ZZ → llνν

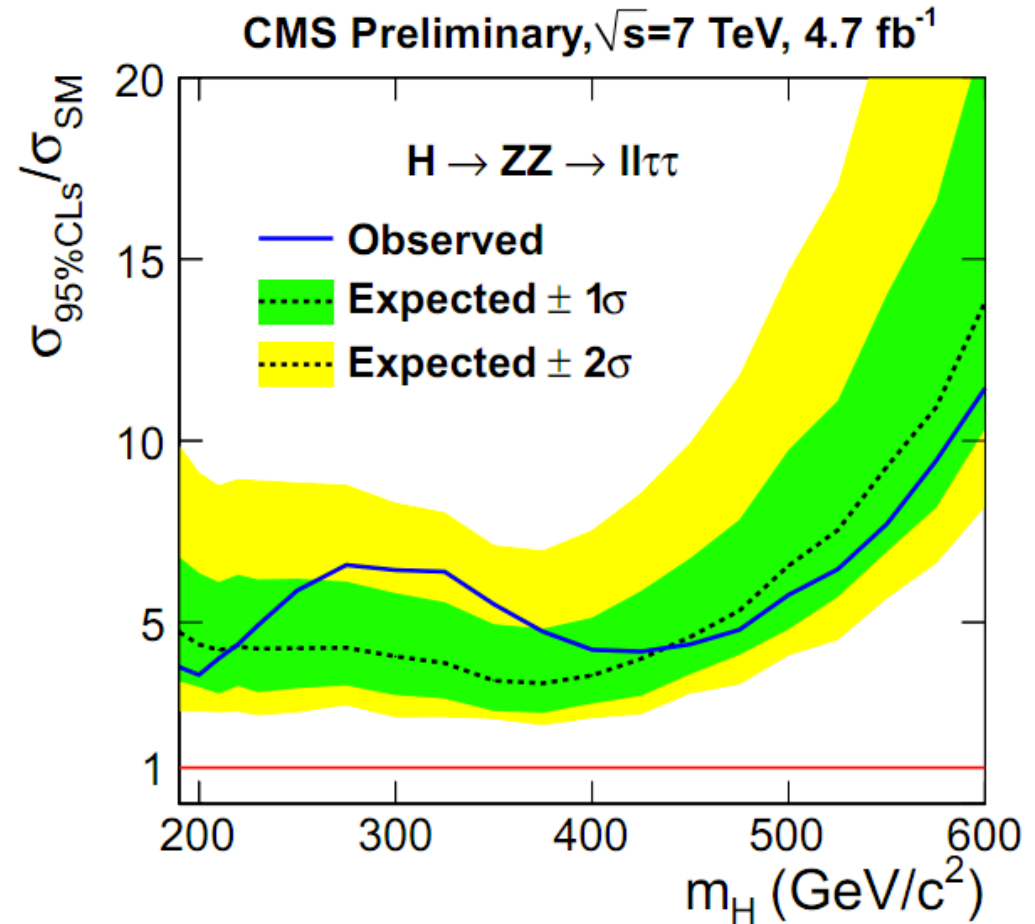
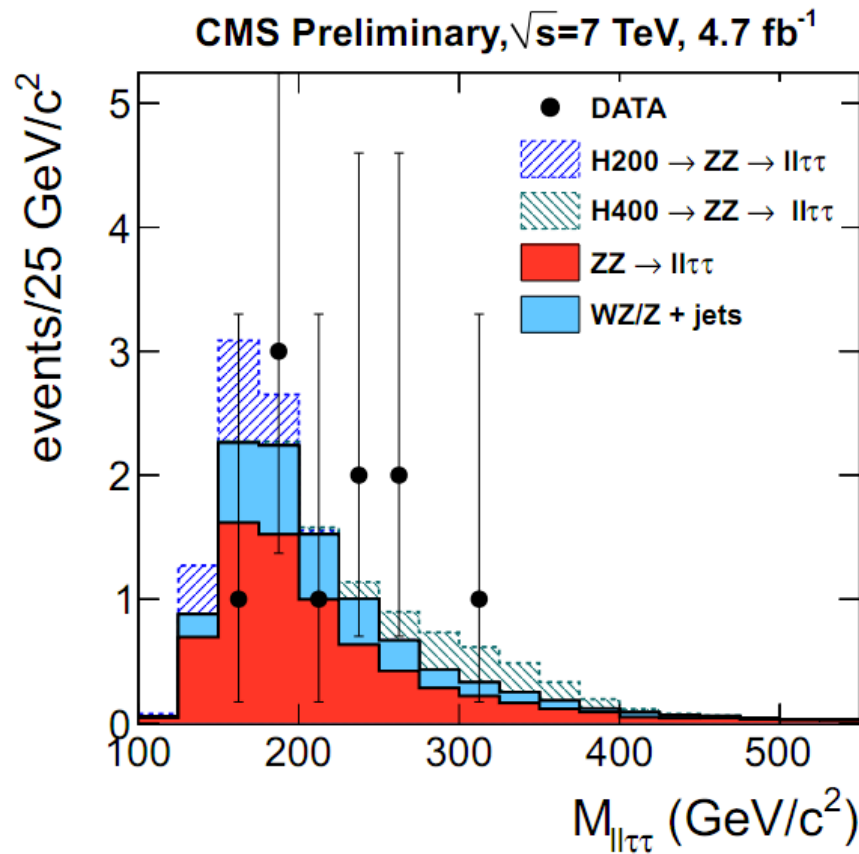


- Z → ll candidate :  $M_Z \pm 15$  GeV;  $P_T(\text{ll}) > 25$  GeV
- Use  $M_T^2 = (\sqrt{P_{TZ}^2 + M_Z^2} + \sqrt{MET^2 + M_Z^2})^2 - (P_{TZ} + \vec{M}ET)^2$
- Major backgrounds: Z+Jets, ttbar & WZ
  - $M_{E_T}$  requirement to suppress Z + jets by  $\times 10^5$
  - Anti b-tag to suppress ttbar
- Residual ZZ, WZ background estimate from MC
- Residual backgrounds estimated from data
  - $\gamma$  + jets (for Z+Jets) ; eμ sample (for ttbar + WW)

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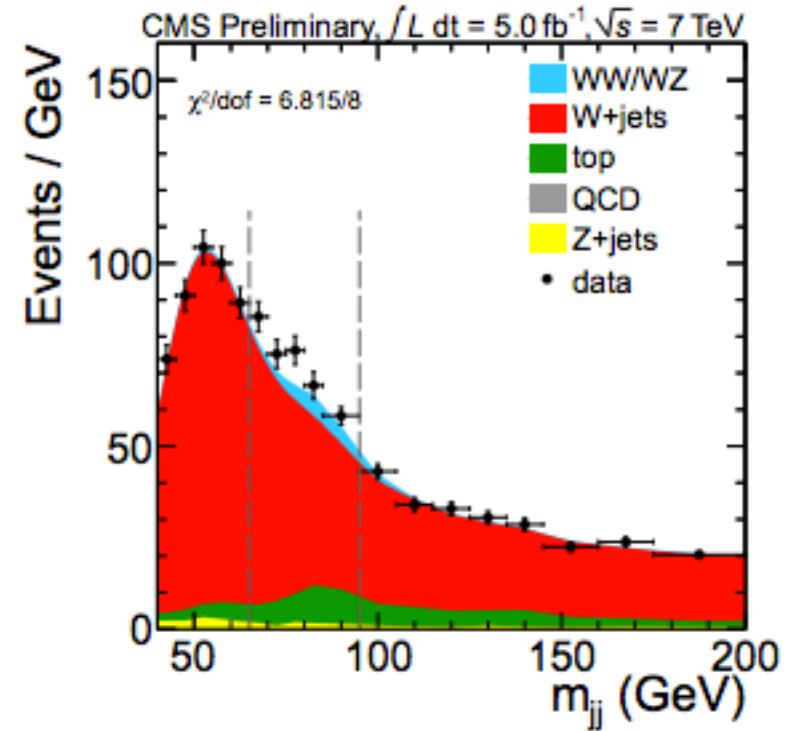
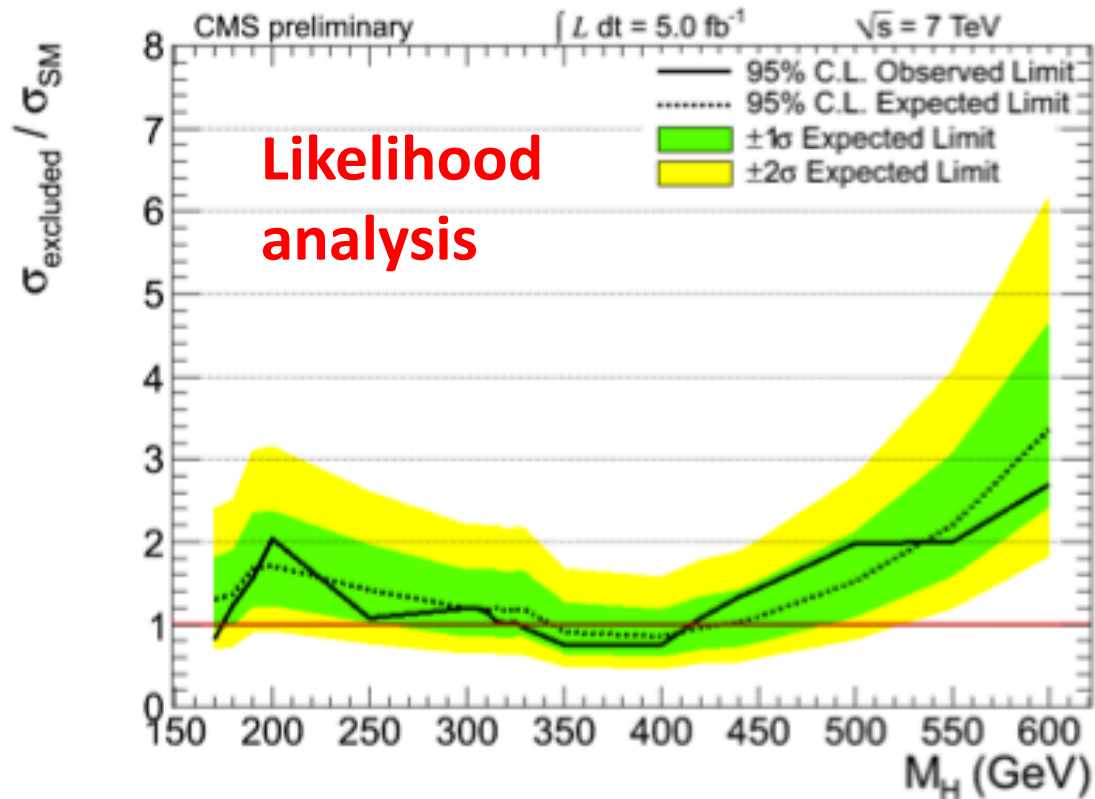
# $H \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow 2l 2\tau$



- Using both  $\tau_{\text{had}}\tau_{\text{had}}$  and  $\tau_{\text{had}}\tau_l$  final states
- Requires  $30 < M_\tau < 80$  GeV

# H $\rightarrow$ WW $\rightarrow$ lvjj

- New from CMS
- Studied mass range 170-600 GeV
- Mass shape analysis using  $M_{lvjj}$ 
  - For the neutrino use MET and impose W mass constraint

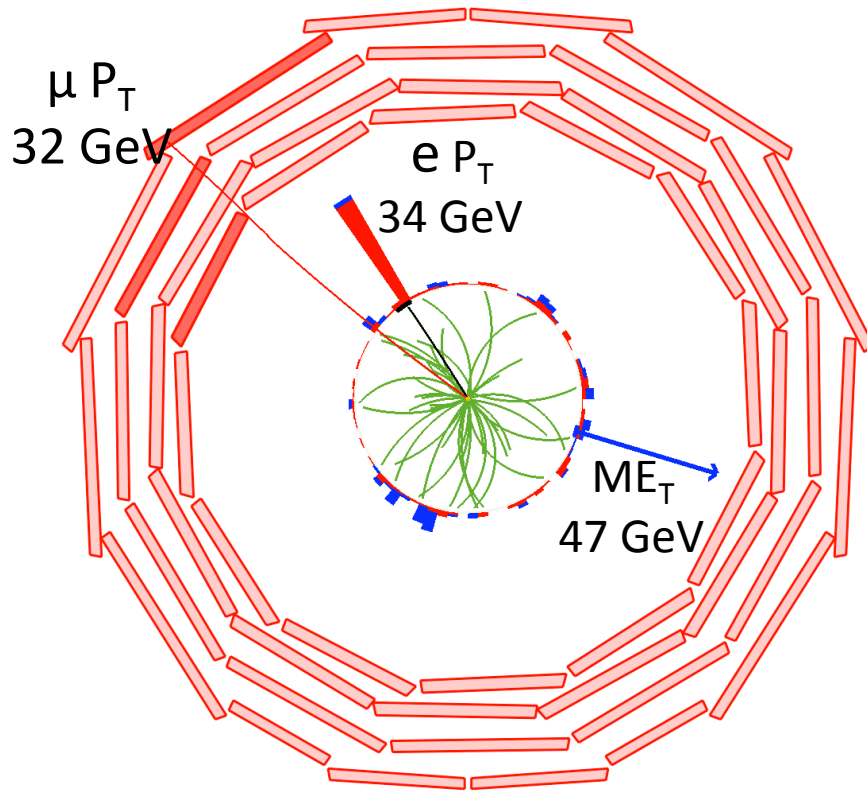


327-415 GeV excluded  
at 95% CL



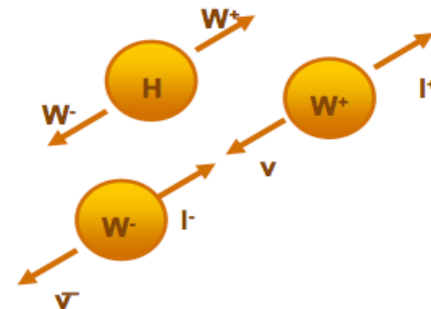
# The Low Mass

# H $\rightarrow$ WW $\rightarrow$ $l\nu l\nu$

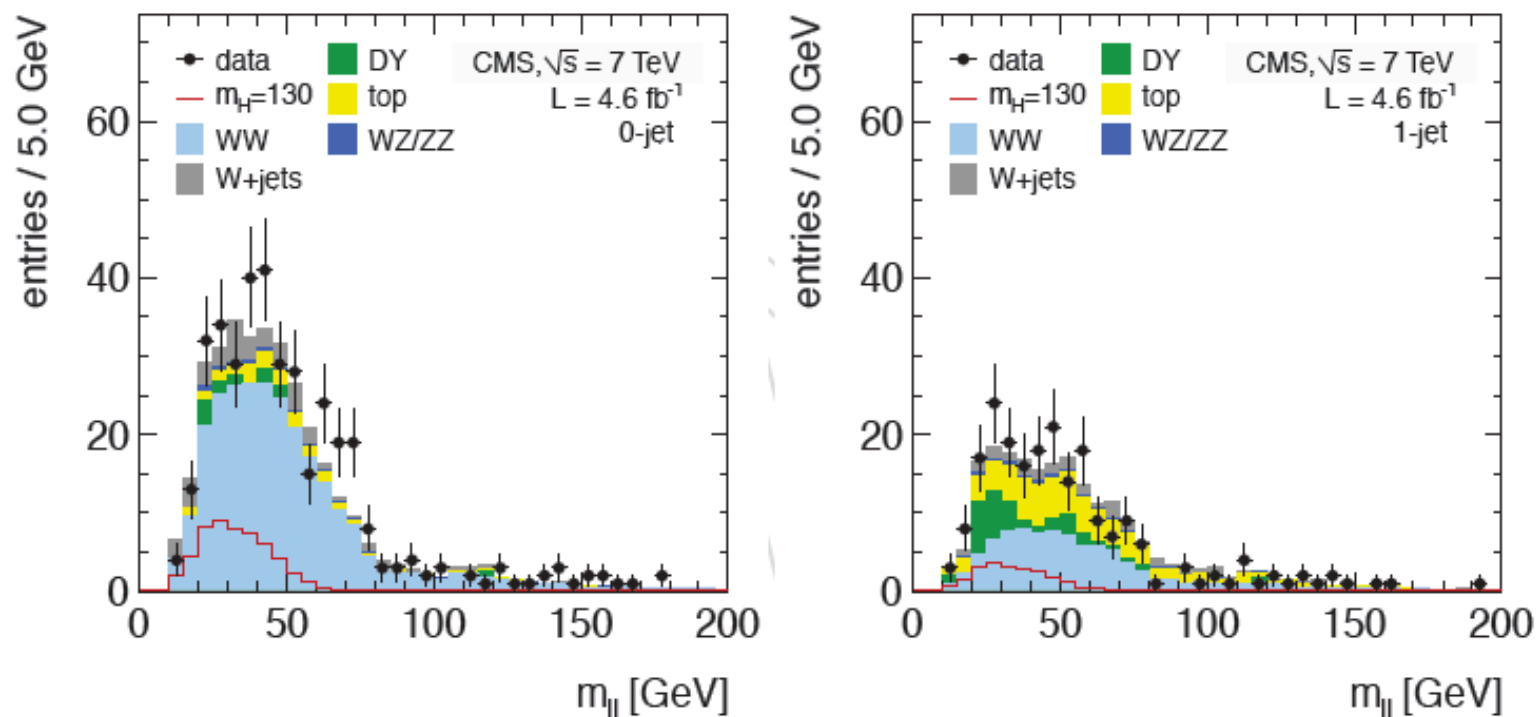


- Channel with highest sensitivity
- No mass reconstruction, signal extraction from event counting
- Clean signature:
  - 2 isolated, high  $p_T$  leptons with small opening angle
  - High  $ME_T$
  - Analysis performed on exclusive jet multiplicities (0, 1, 2-jet bins)
- Analysis optimized depending on the Higgs mass hypothesis
  - $p_T^l$ ,  $M_{ll}$ ,  $M_T$ ,  $D_f$  as discriminating variables
  - VBF selections for the 2-jet case

Vectors from the decay of a scalar and V-A structure of W decay lead to small leptons opening angle (especially true for on-shell Ws)



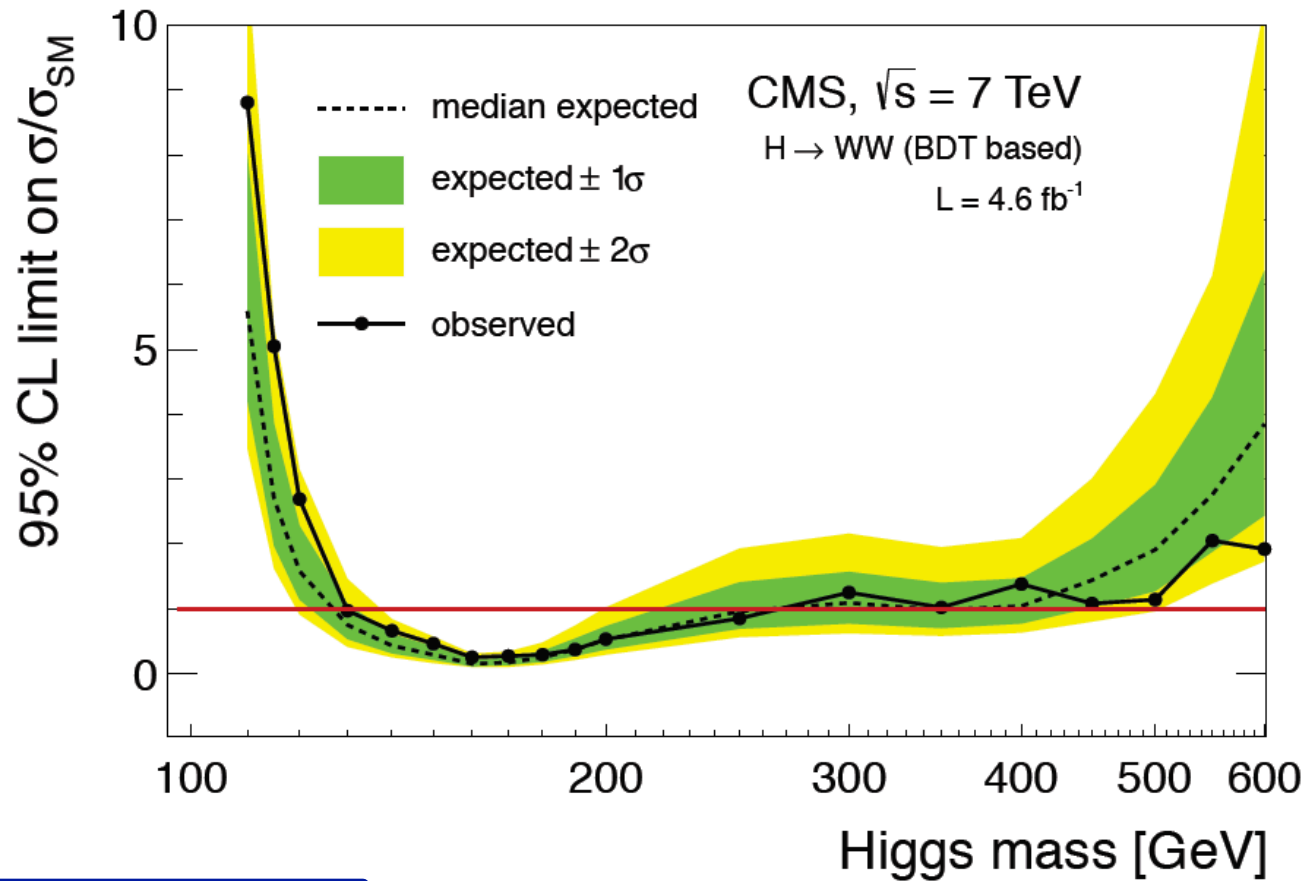
# H $\rightarrow$ WW



- Drell –Yan: Suppressed by  $M_{ll}$  and  $ME_T$  cuts (pileup affect MET)
- W+jets (with one jet faking a lepton): lepton ID is important
- Top (tt and single top): b-tag veto (or additional soft muon)
- WW:  $M(ll)$ ,  $MT$  and  $\Delta\phi$

All the background are estimated from DATA in “control regions”

# H → WW → lνlν

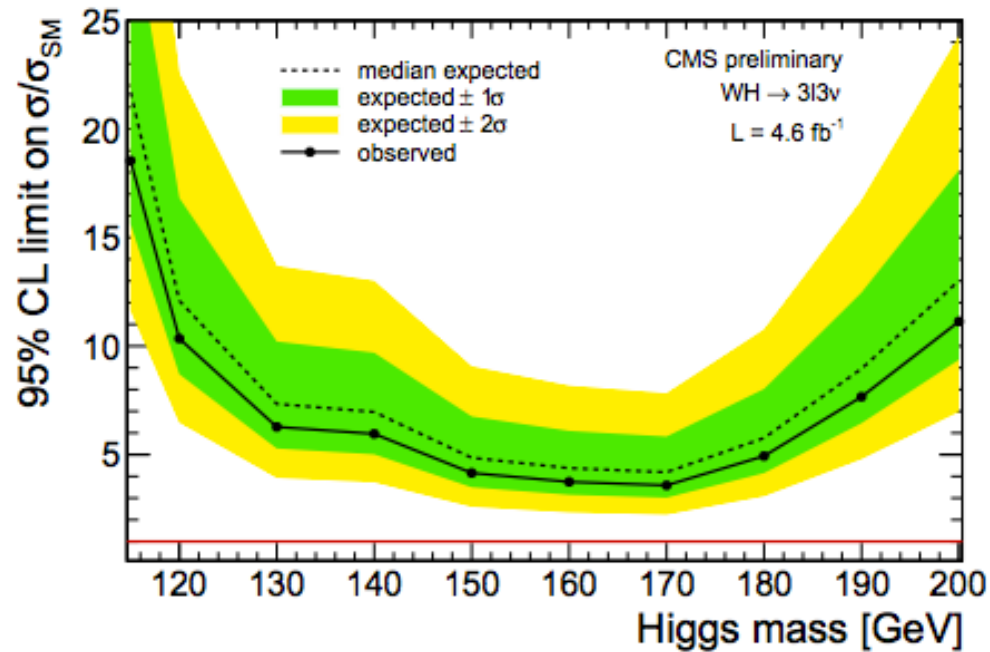


Exp excl: 127 – 270 GeV  
 Obs Excl: 129 – 270 GeV

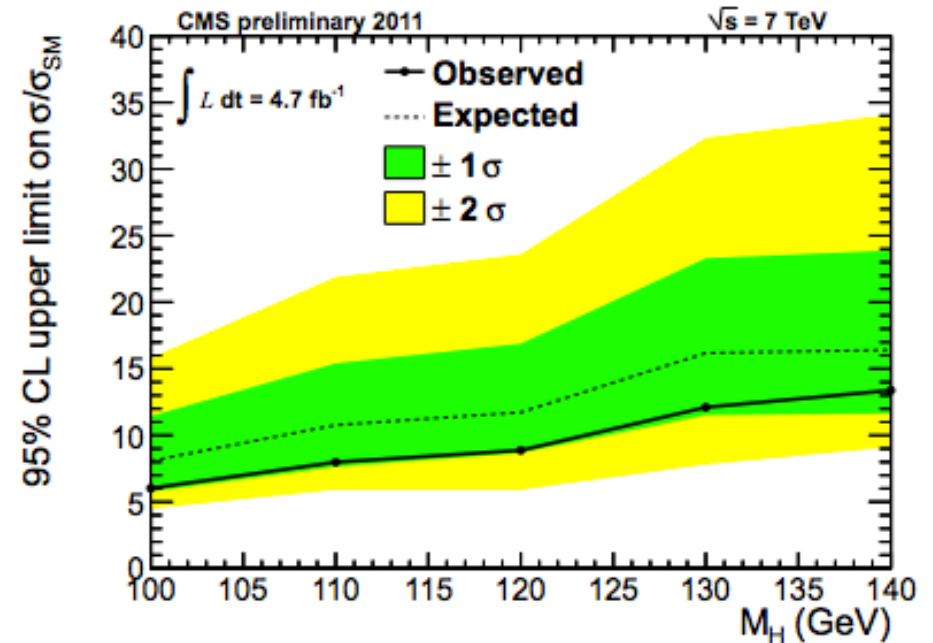
Category	H mass	Data	All MC	H → WW
0 jets	130	193	191.5±14	45.2±2.1
1 jets	130	105	79.9±7.7	17.6±0.8
2 jets	130	10	13.3±4	2.7±0.2



# VH → 3l3ν



HW → WW → 3l(e,μ) + 3ν



HW → WW → e/μ + μ + τ + 3ν

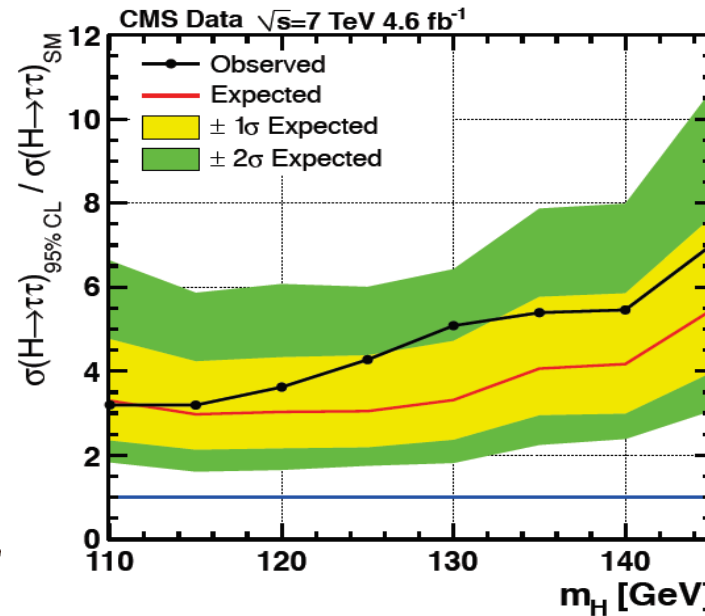
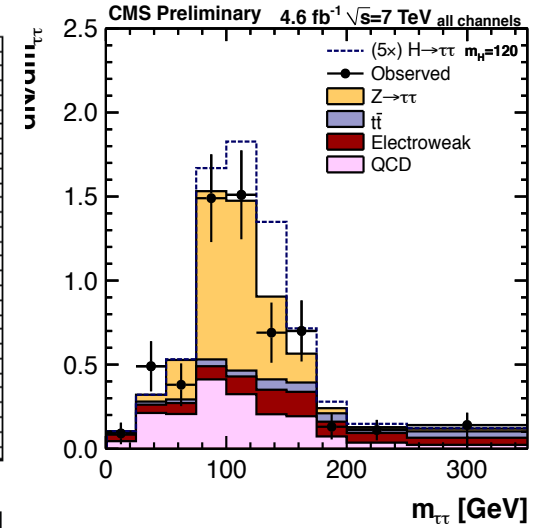
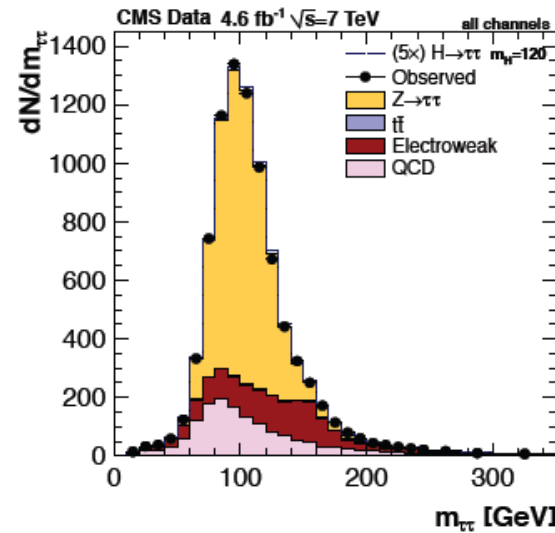
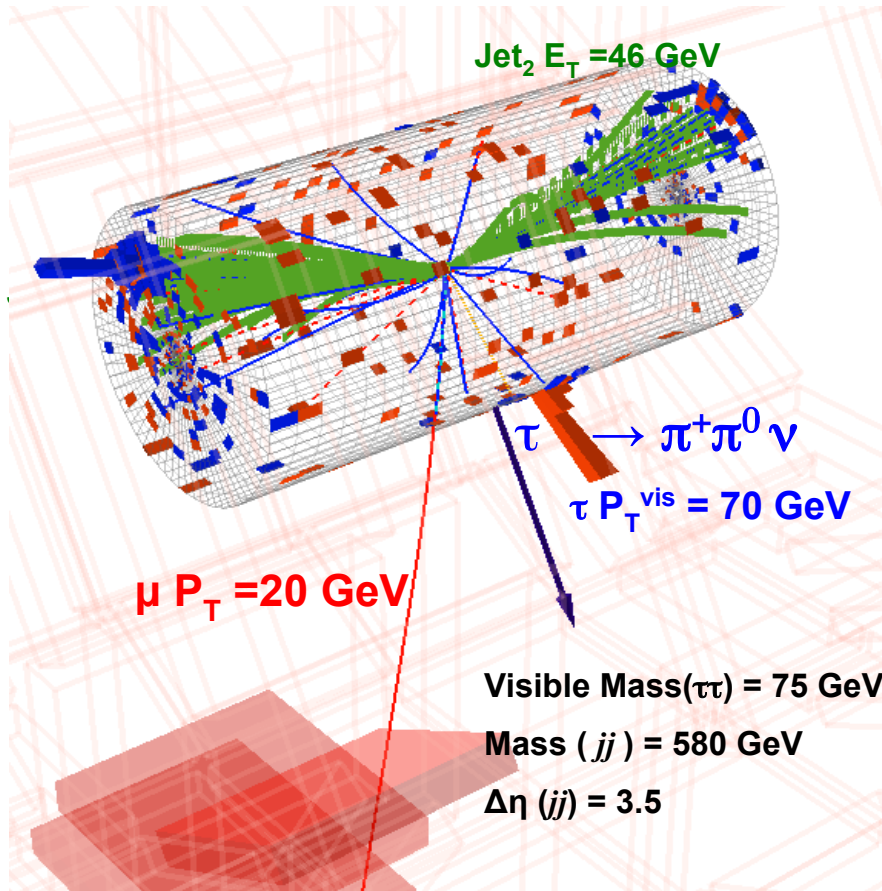
HW → ττW → e/μ + μ + τ + 3ν

Combination of all VH processes soon published

# H → ττ

Inclusive /1 boosted jet

VBF modes are cleanest



Search in

$\tau_e + \tau_h, \tau_\mu + \tau_h, \tau_e + \tau_\mu$

Background:

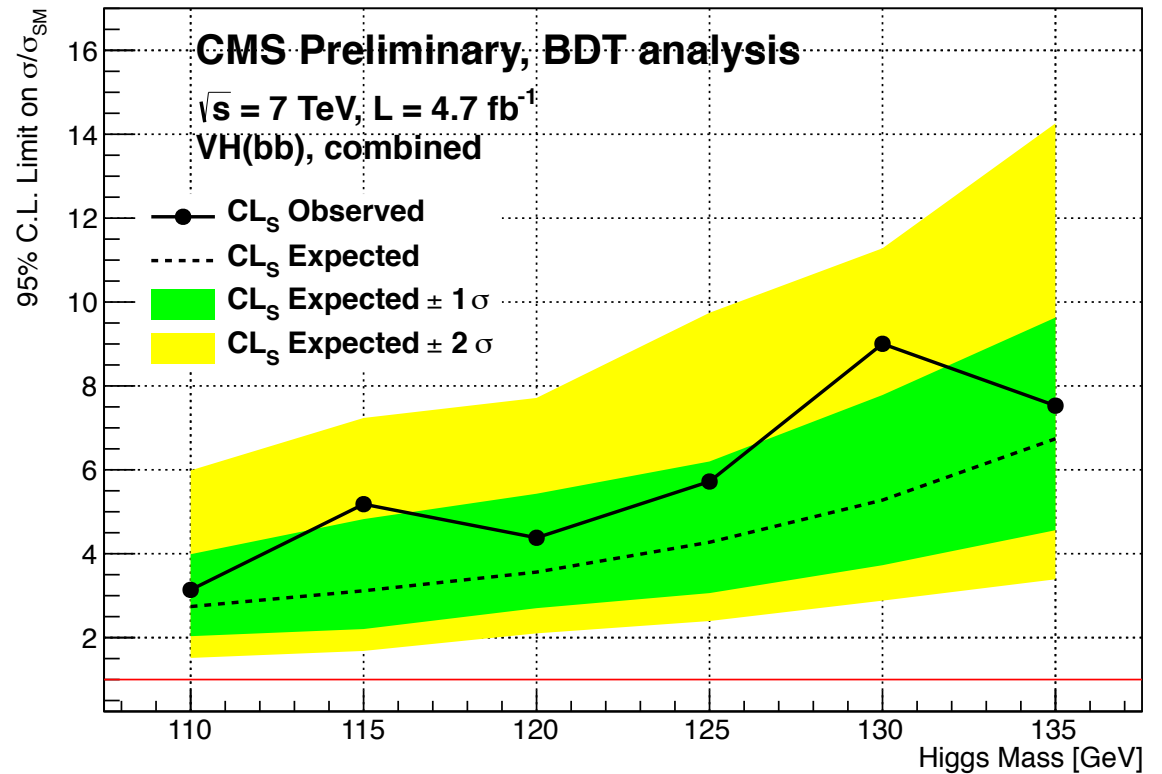
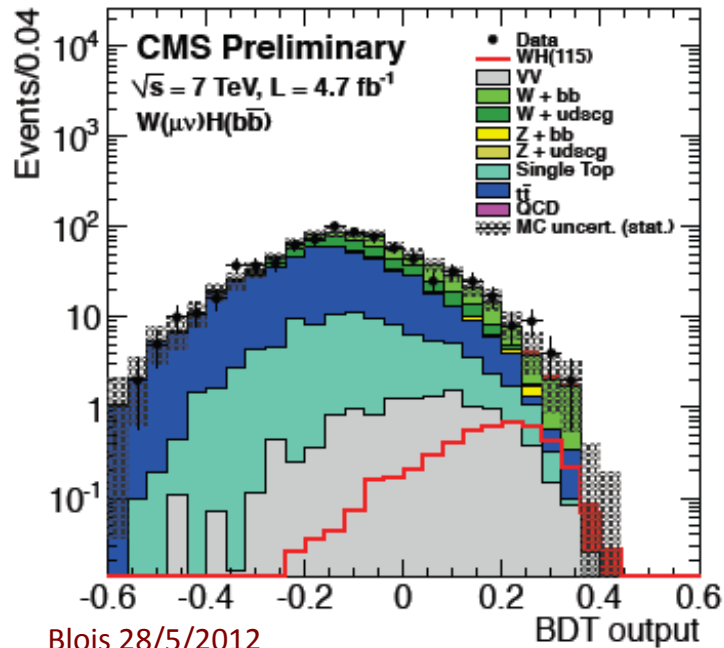
QCD,

EWK Z → ττ (irreducible)

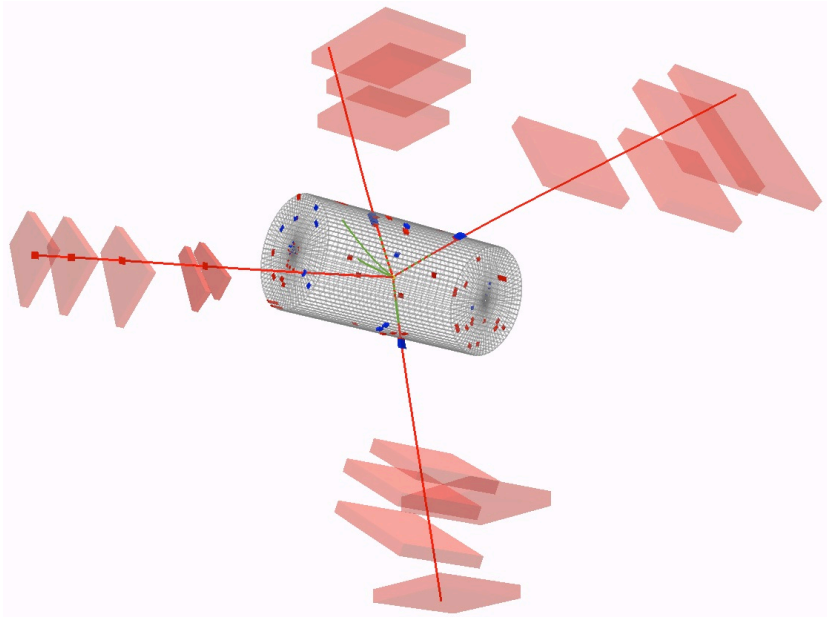


# VH $\rightarrow$ bb

- CMS exploits the W/Z+H associate production with the Higgs heavily boosted
  - Require  $p_T^{bb} > 100$  (150) GeV for ZH (WH)
- Topology is very clear, several final states considered:
  - $lvbb, llbb, \nu vbb$
  - $\Delta\phi(V,H)$ , tight b-tagging



# H $\rightarrow$ ZZ $\rightarrow$ 4l

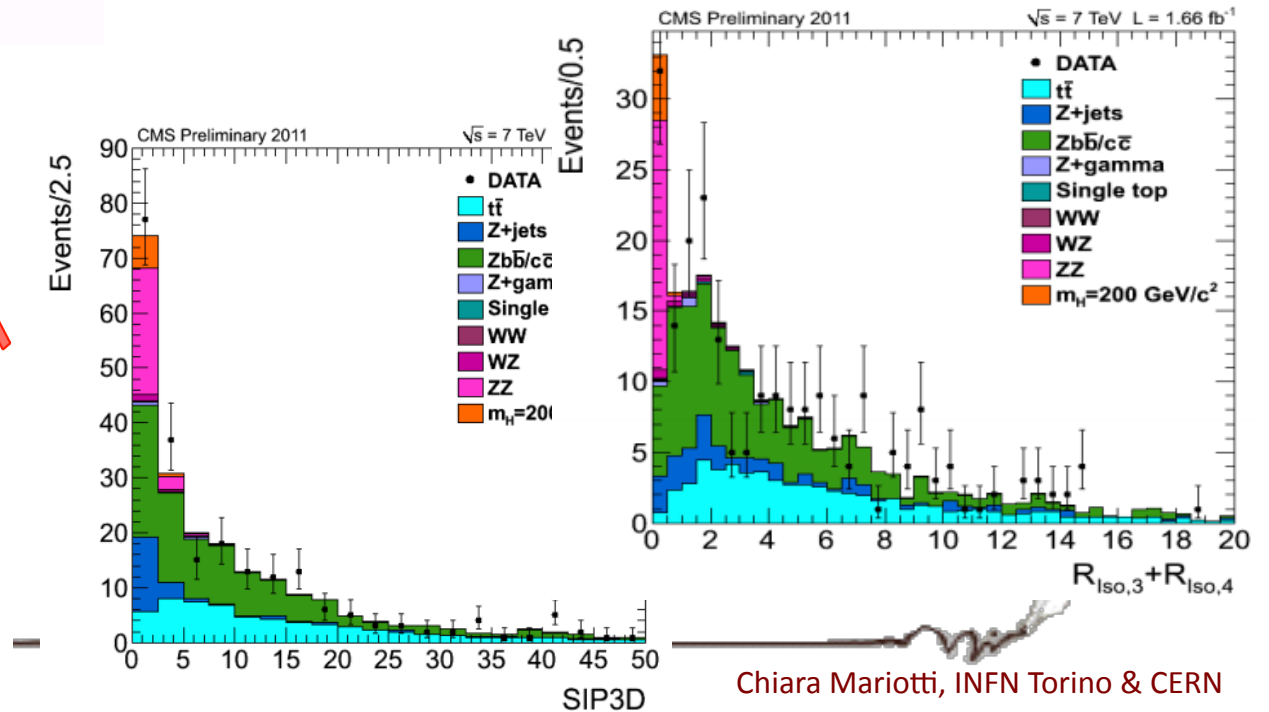
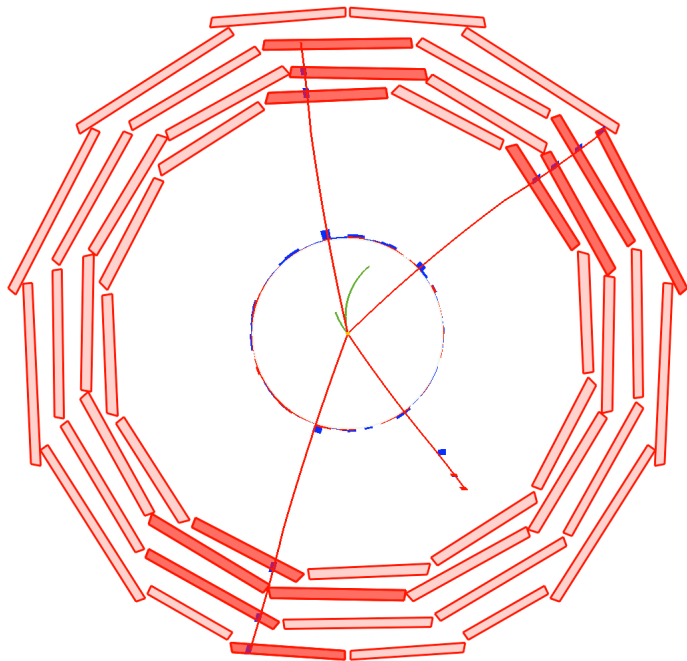


The final states considered are 4 $\mu$ , 4e, 2e2 $\mu$

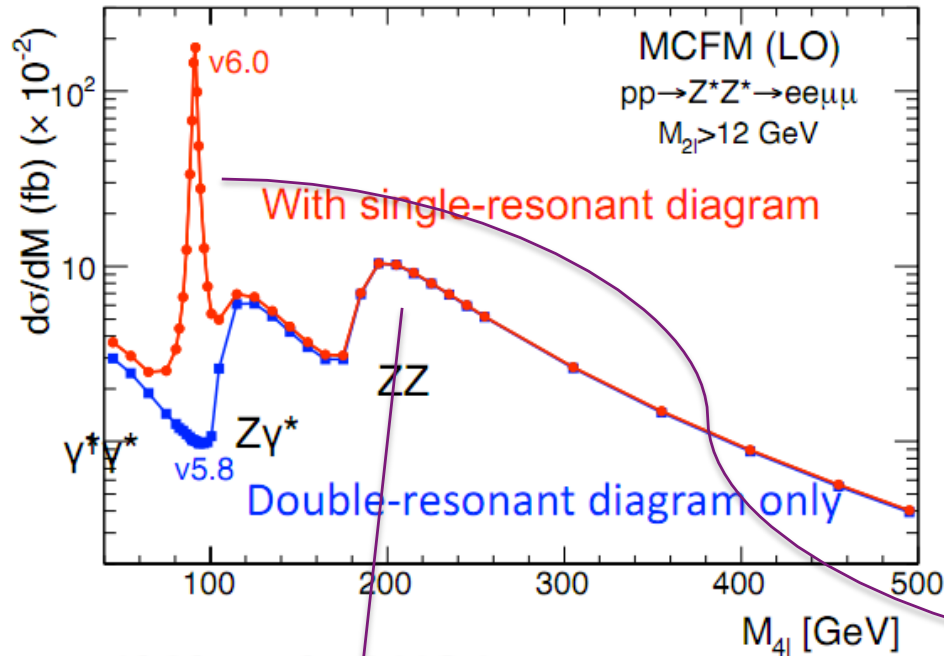
Very tiny cross section  $\rightarrow$   
thus highest efficiency must be conserved

**Very clean final state:**

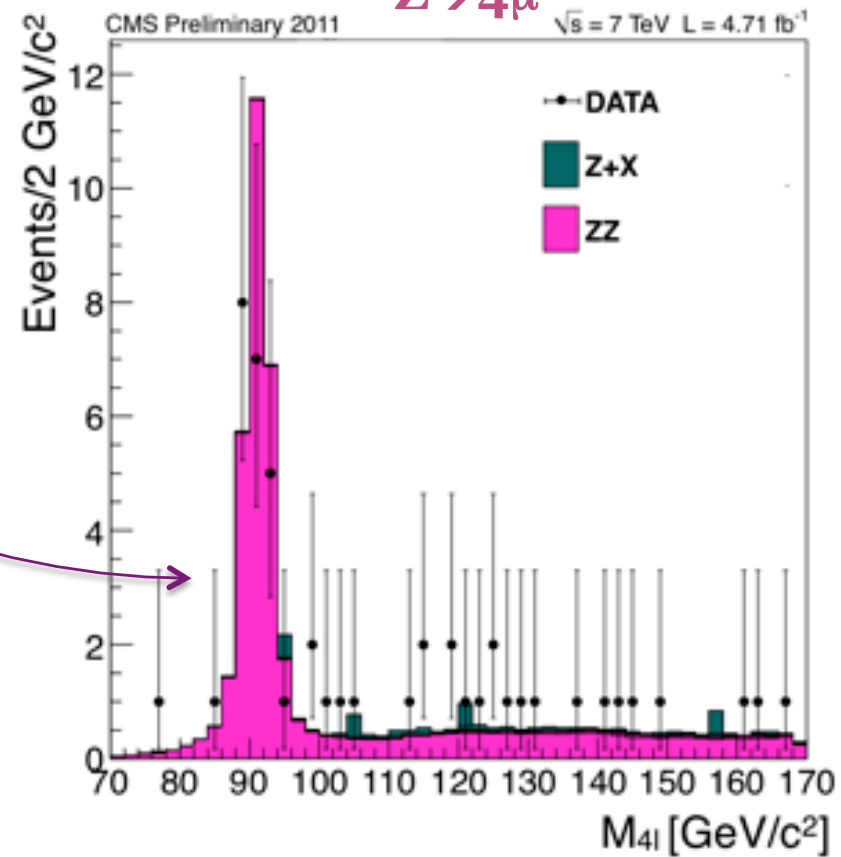
- 4 leptons of high  $p_T$ ,
- isolated
- coming from the primary vertex



# pp → 4l



$Z \rightarrow 4\mu$

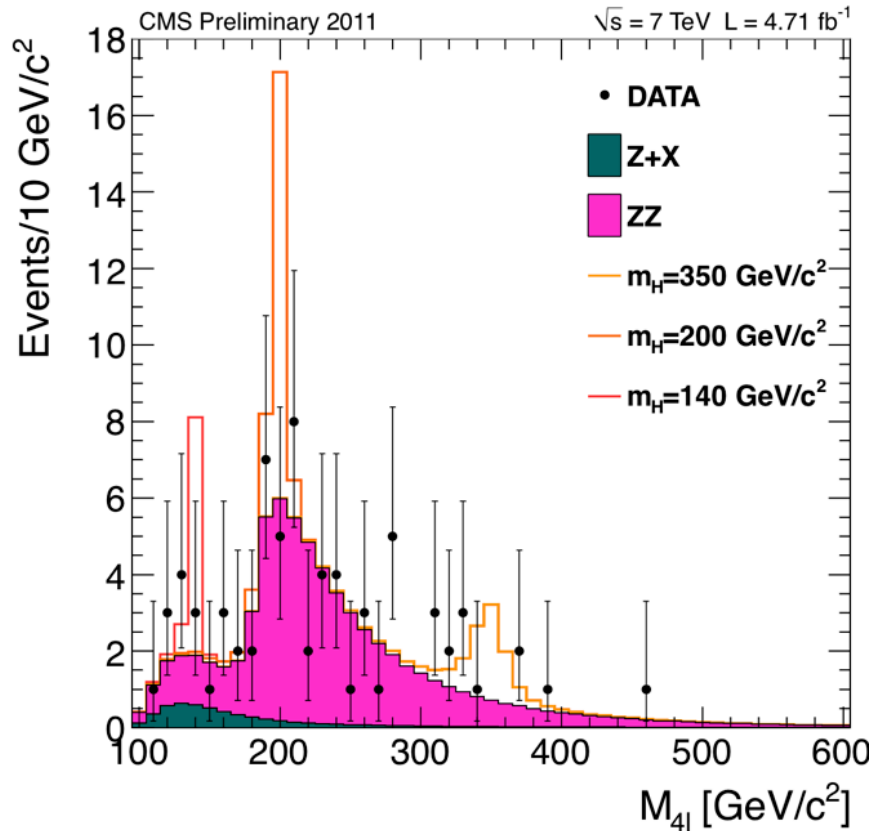


Measurement of the ZZ cross section with both Z on shell ( $60 < M_Z < 120$ ):

$$\sigma(pp \rightarrow ZZ + X) \times \mathcal{B}(ZZ \rightarrow 4\ell) = 28.1^{+4.6}_{-4.0}(\text{stat.}) \pm 1.2(\text{syst.}) \pm 1.3(\text{lumi.}) \text{ fb}$$

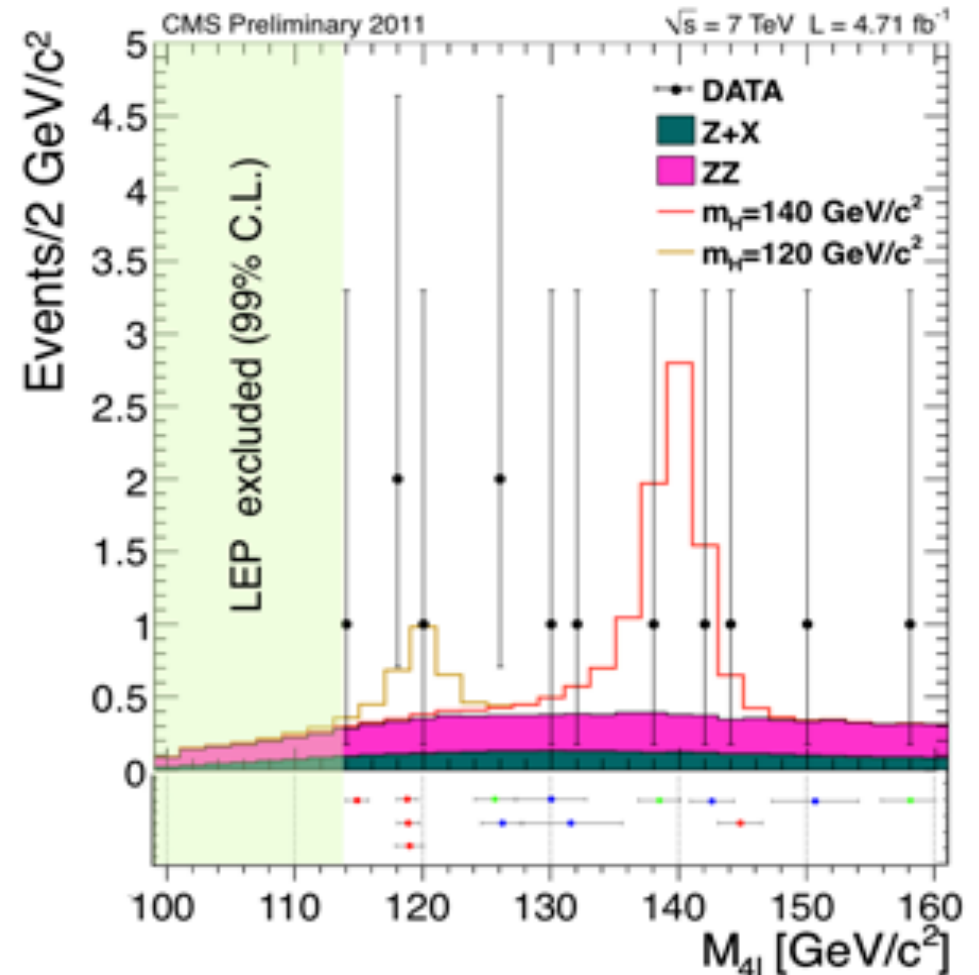
To be compared with the SM XS =  $27.9 \pm 1.9 \text{ fb}$

# Results: $H \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow 4l$

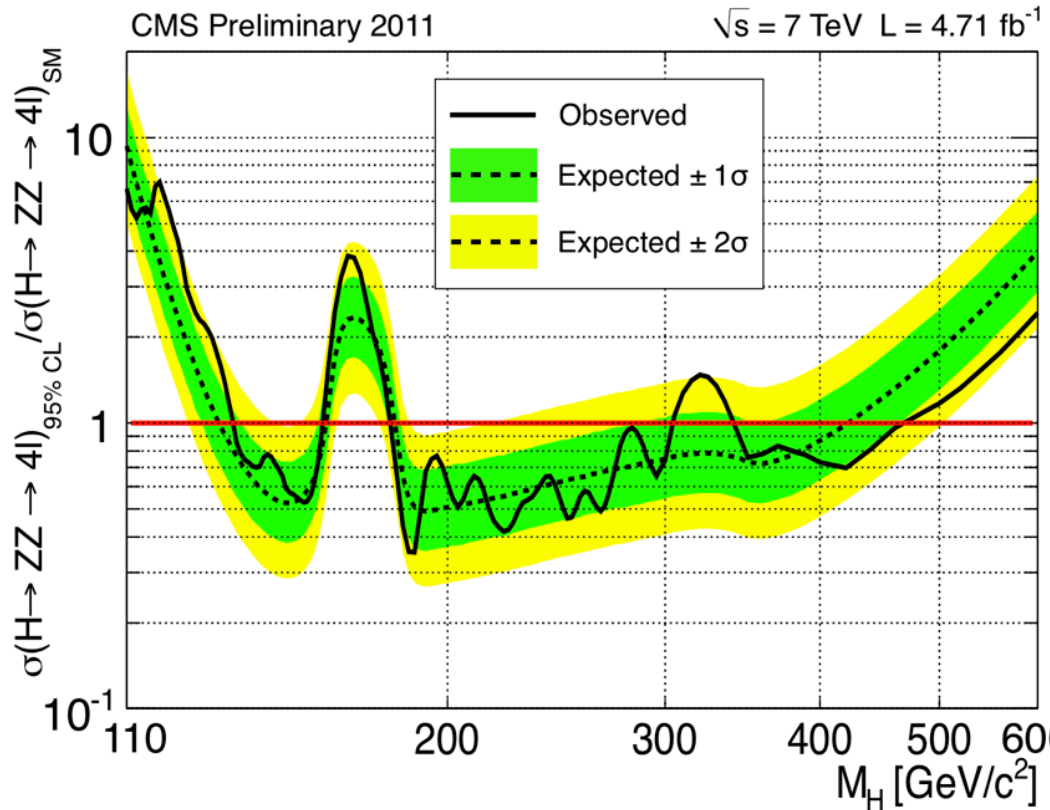


For  $M_{4l} > 100 \text{ GeV}$   
 Data: 72 Observed  
 MC:  $67.1 \pm 6.0$

For  $100 < M_{4l} < 160 \text{ GeV}$   
 Data: 13 observed  
 MC:  $9.5 \pm 1.3$

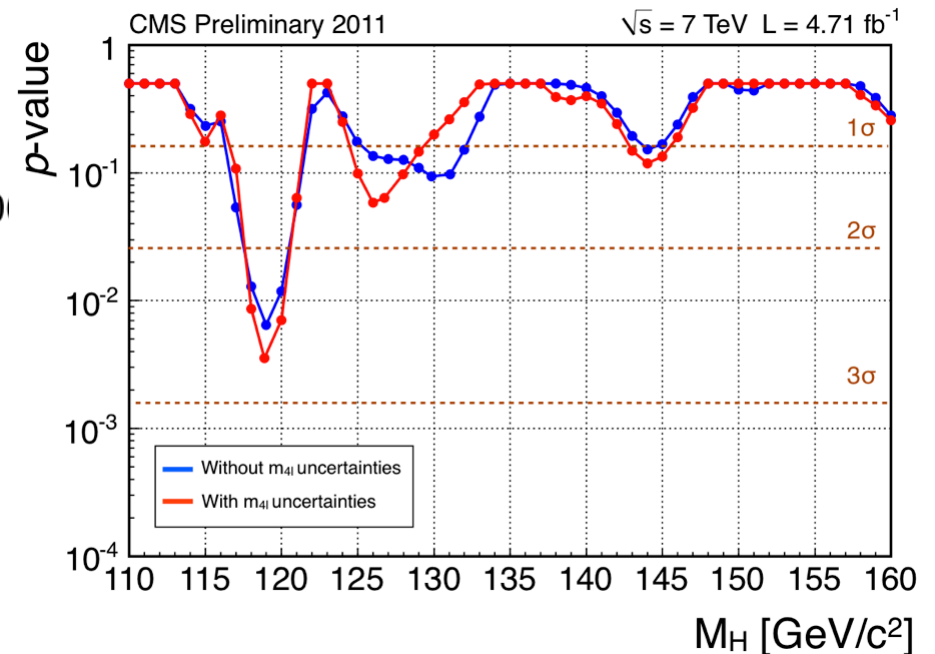


# Results

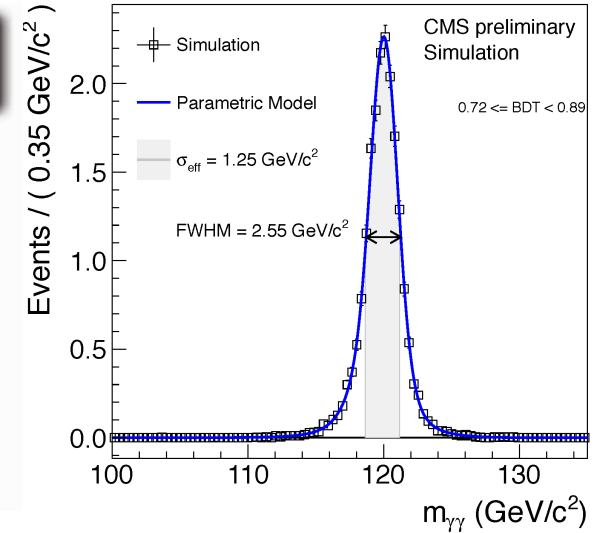
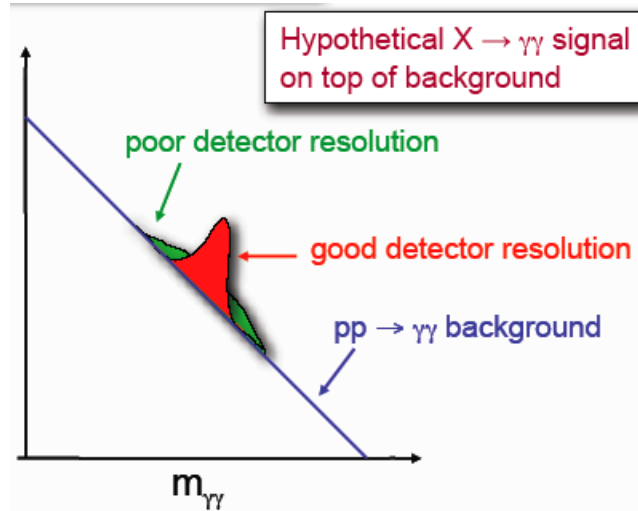
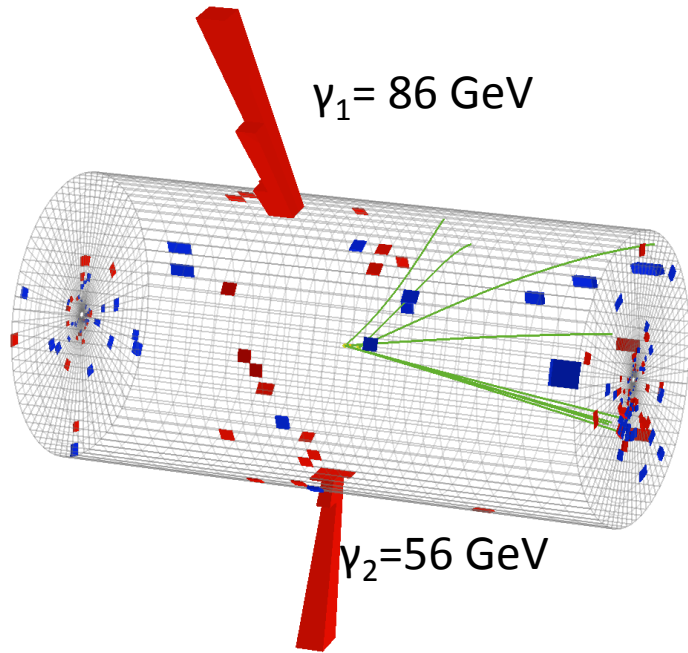


Excluded:  
 $134 < m_H < 158 \text{ GeV}$ ,  
 $180 < m_H < 305 \text{ GeV}$   
and  $340 < m_H < 460 \text{ GeV}$ .

P-value: The significance of the local fluctuations with respect to the standard model expectation. To reject a background only hypothesis.

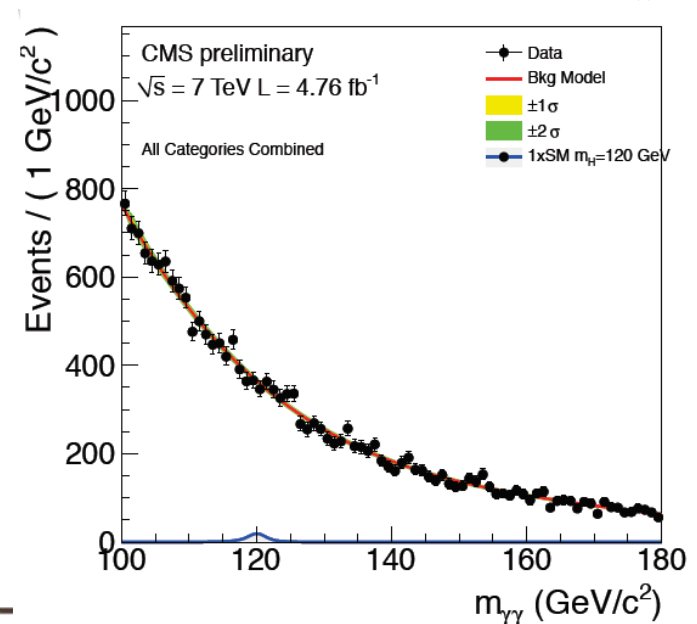
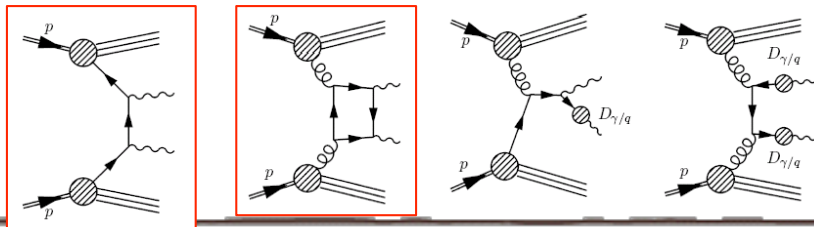


# H $\rightarrow$ $\gamma\gamma$



Signature: 2 energetic, isolated  $\gamma$ , narrow mass peak

Background: Large & partly irreducible QCD. Measured from  $M_{\gamma\gamma}$  sidebands in data

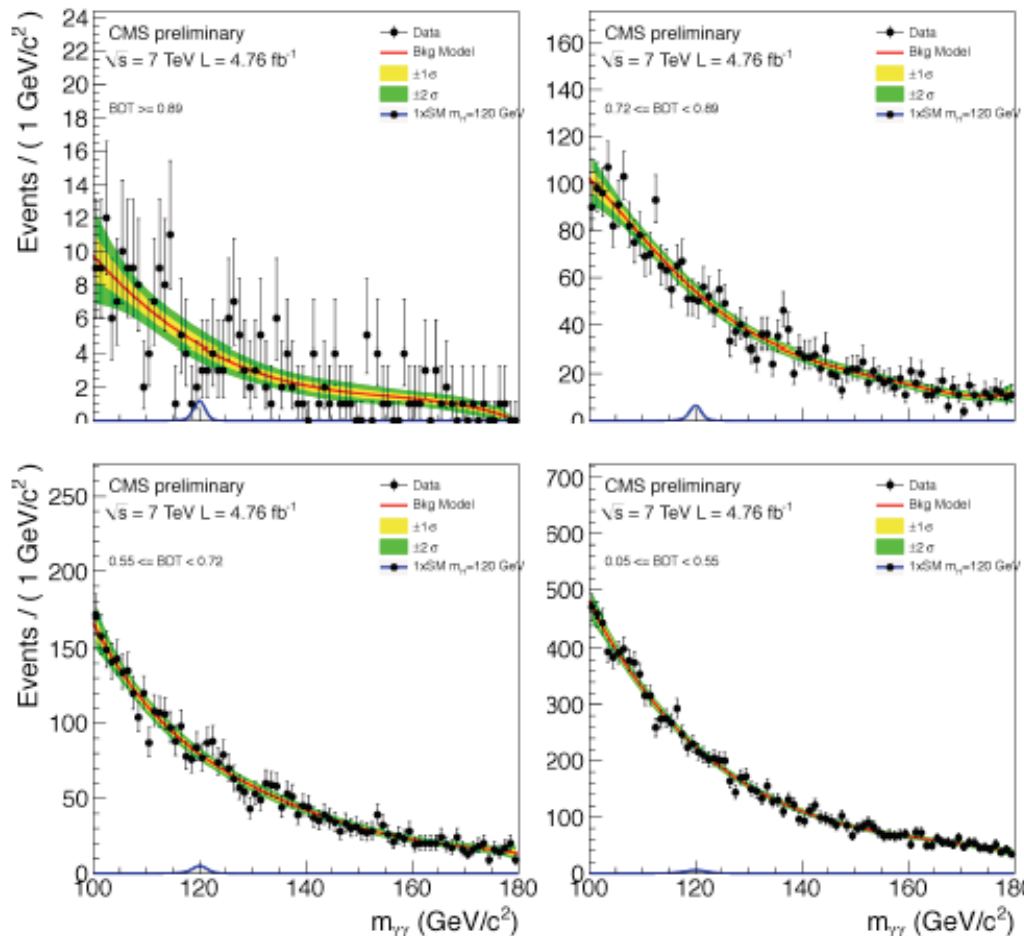




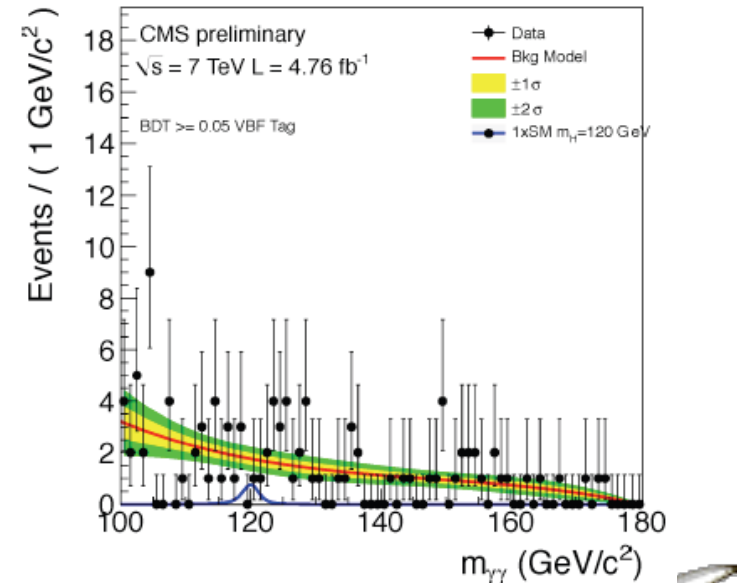
# CMS: $H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$

- A new analysis: variables combined in a BTD
- Sensitivity improved by about 40% in integrated luminosity
- 4 classes of events ( by varying S/B) plus the VBF category.

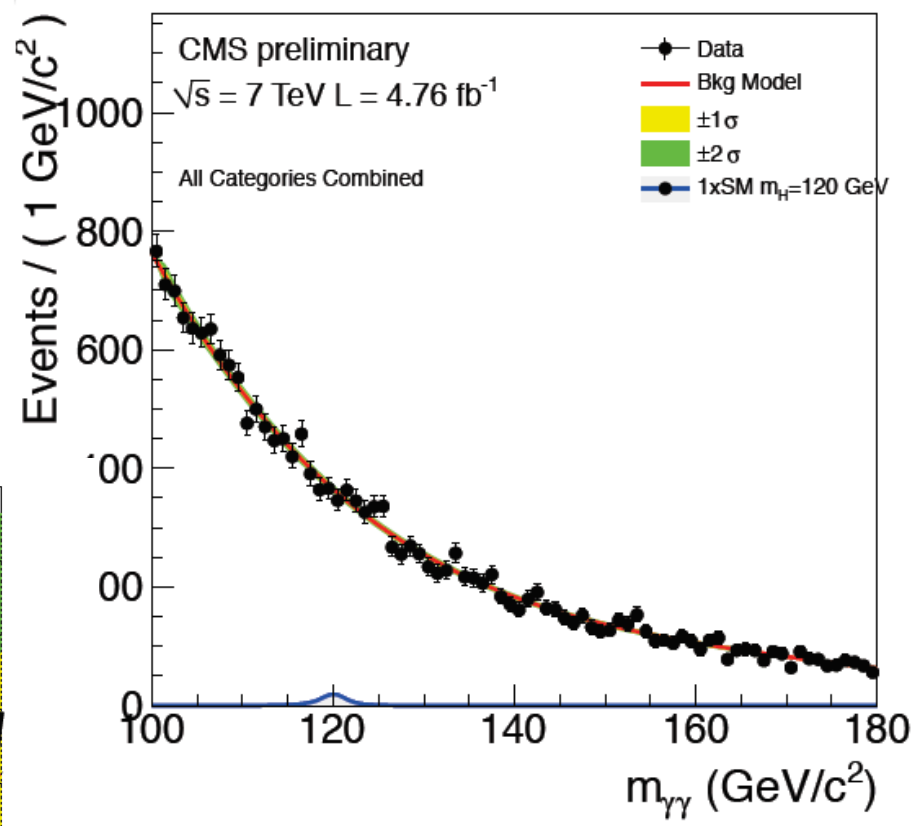
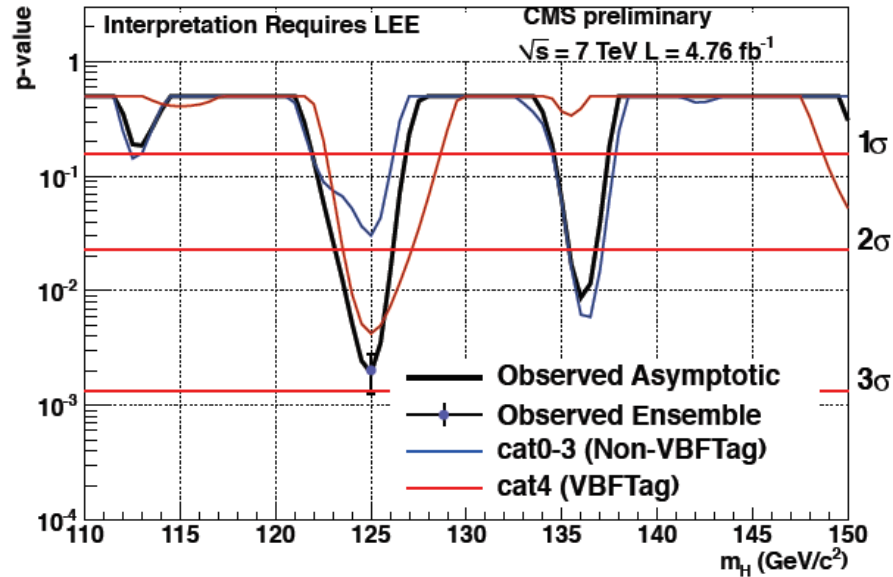
Events passing VBF selection removed



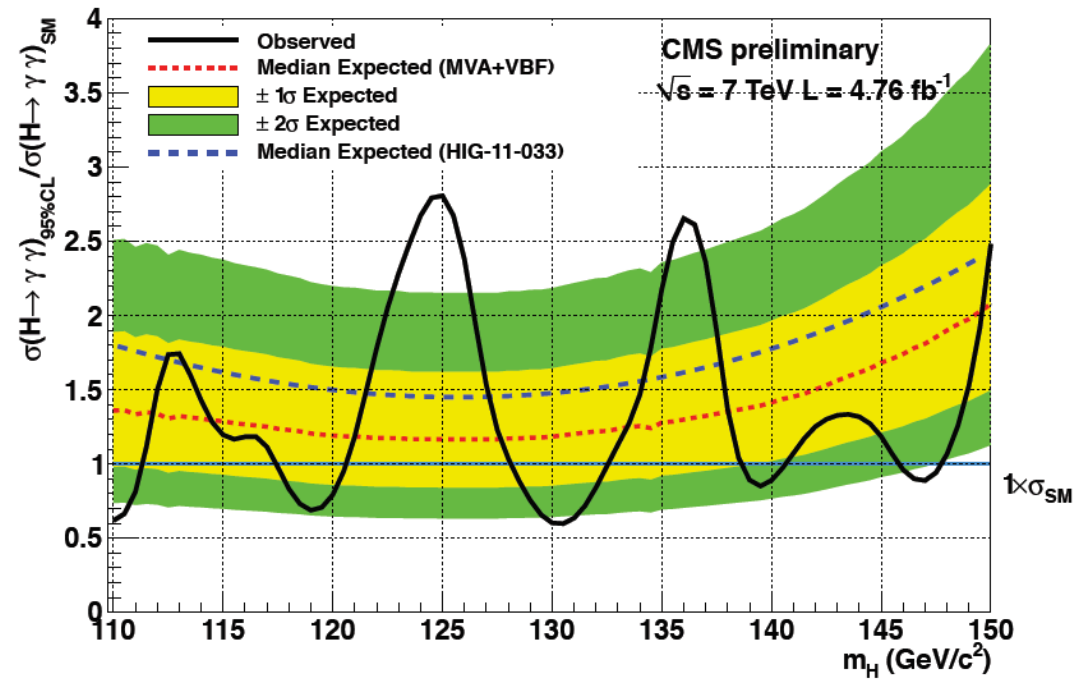
Dijet tag selection has high s/b,  $\sim 1/3$



# Results $H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$



Fit to the background:  
 5 order polinomial

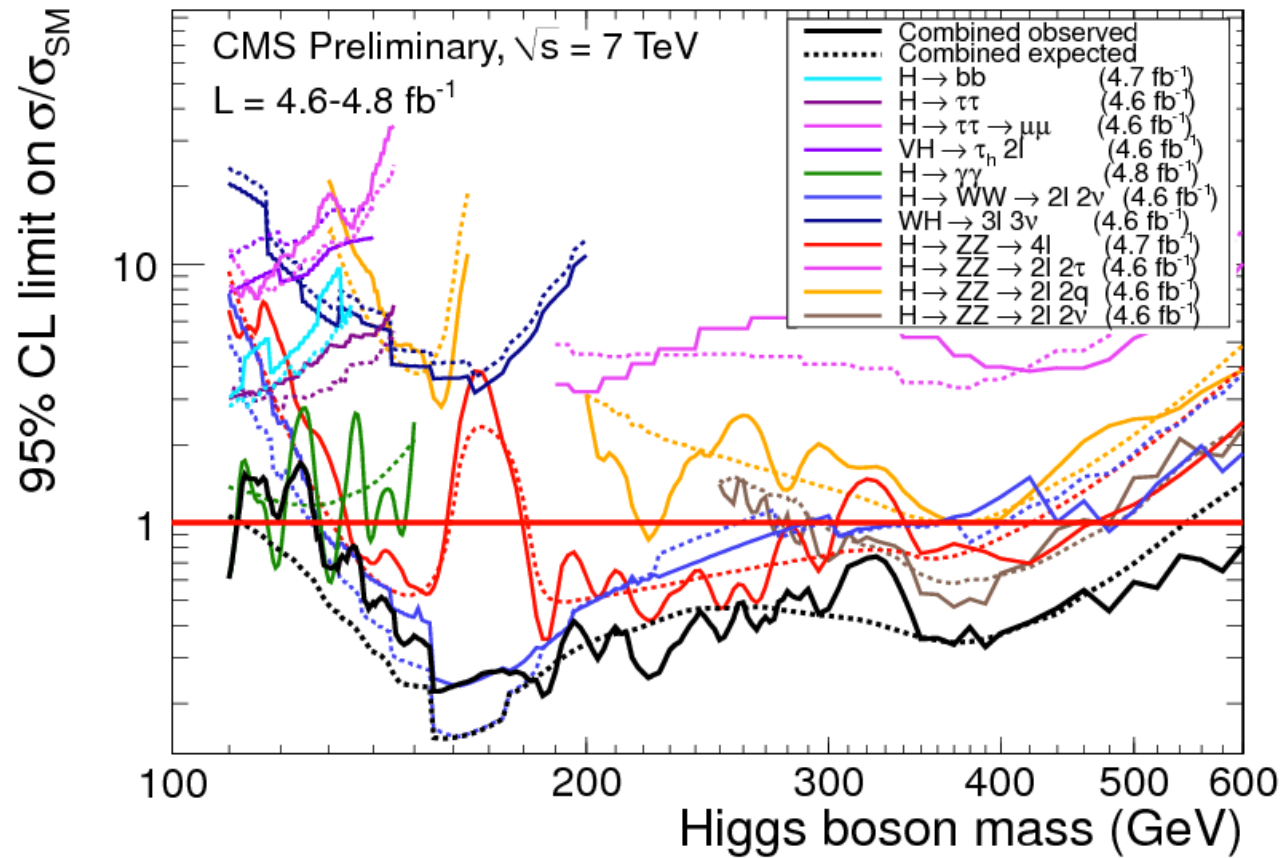


# Combination !



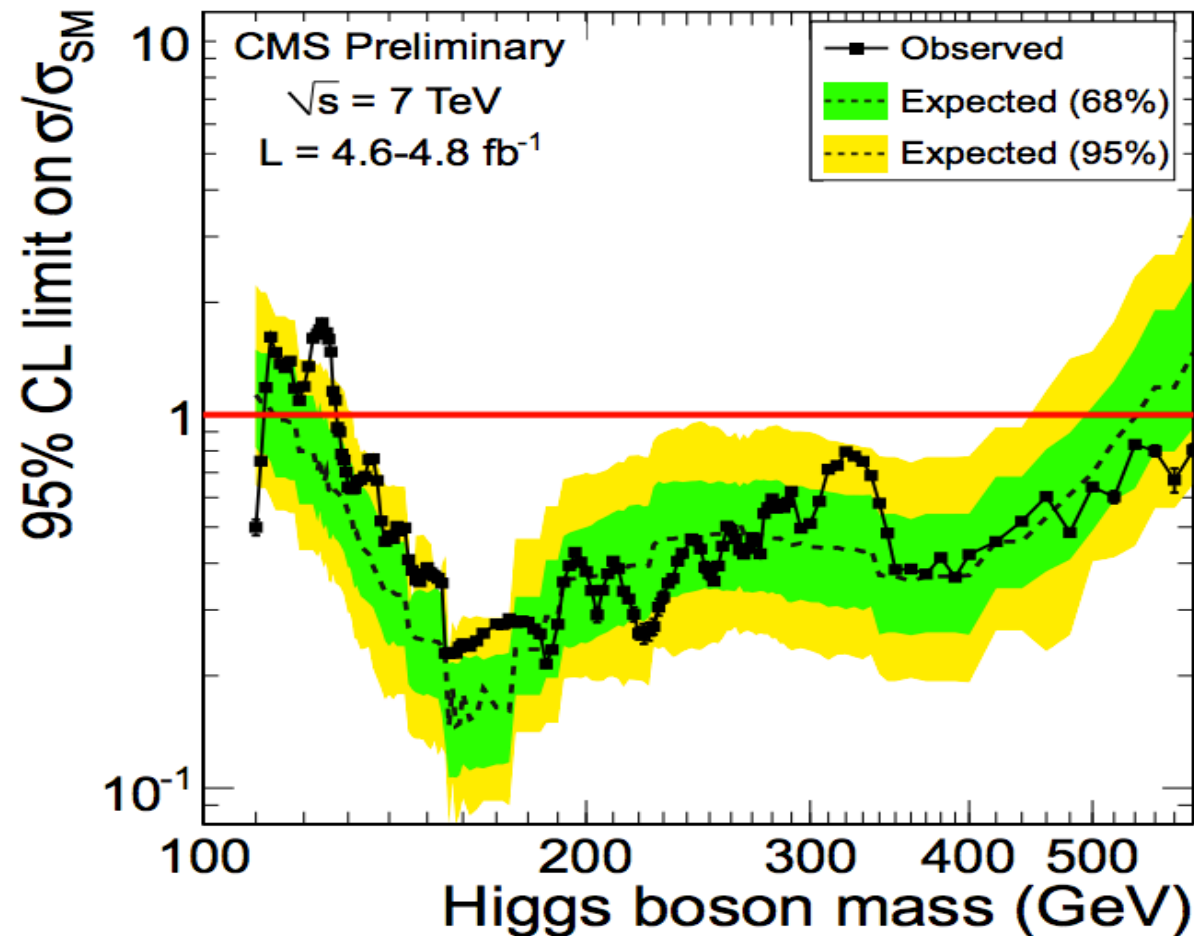
G. Petrucciani

# Channel by channel



11 channels:

# CMS: the SM Higgs as of today



Expected at 95% CL:

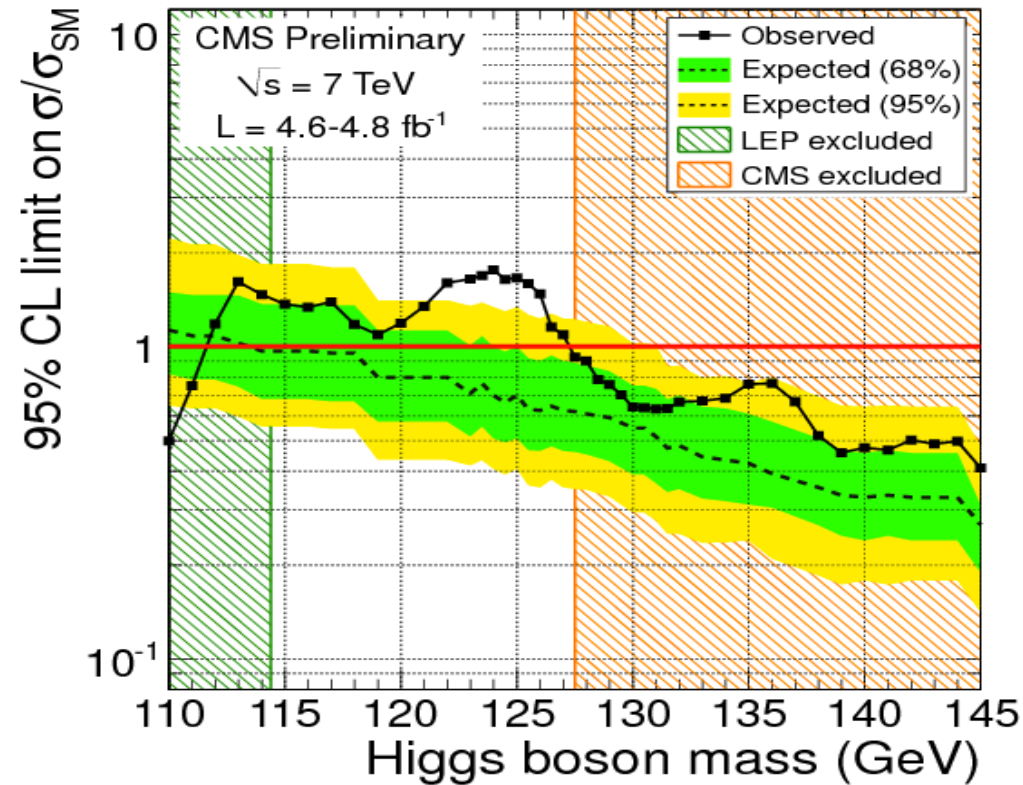
$$114.5 < M_H < 543 \text{ GeV}$$

Observed at 95% CL:

$$127.5 < m_H < 600 \text{ GeV}$$

Observed at 99% CL:  $129. < m_H < 525 \text{ GeV}$

# Low Mass Range



Observed at 95% CL:

$$127.5 < m_H < 600 \text{ GeV}$$

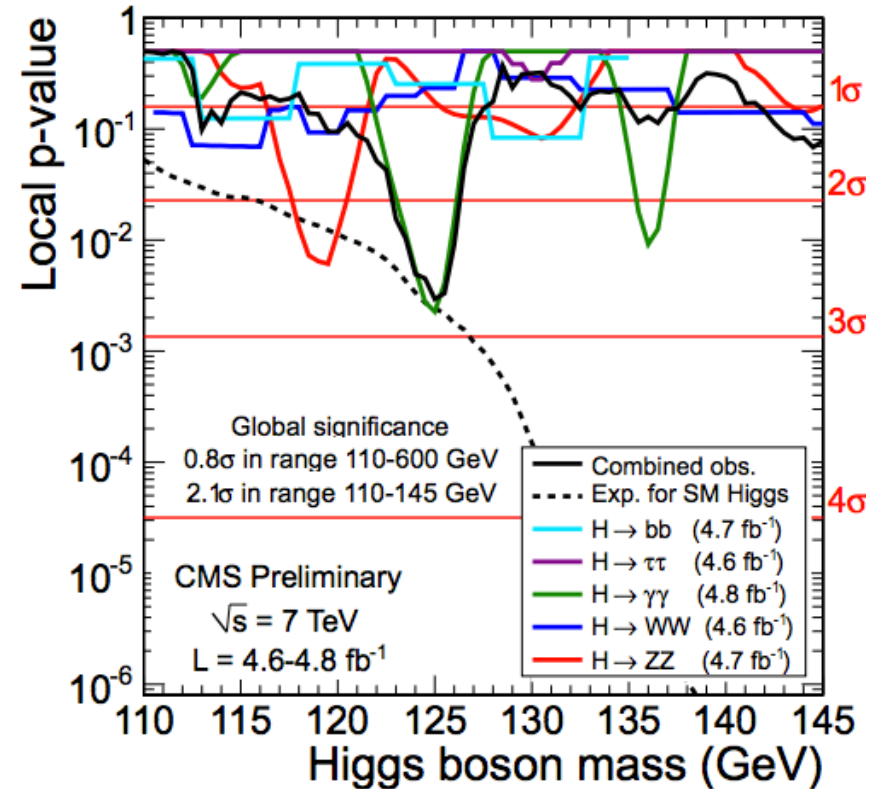
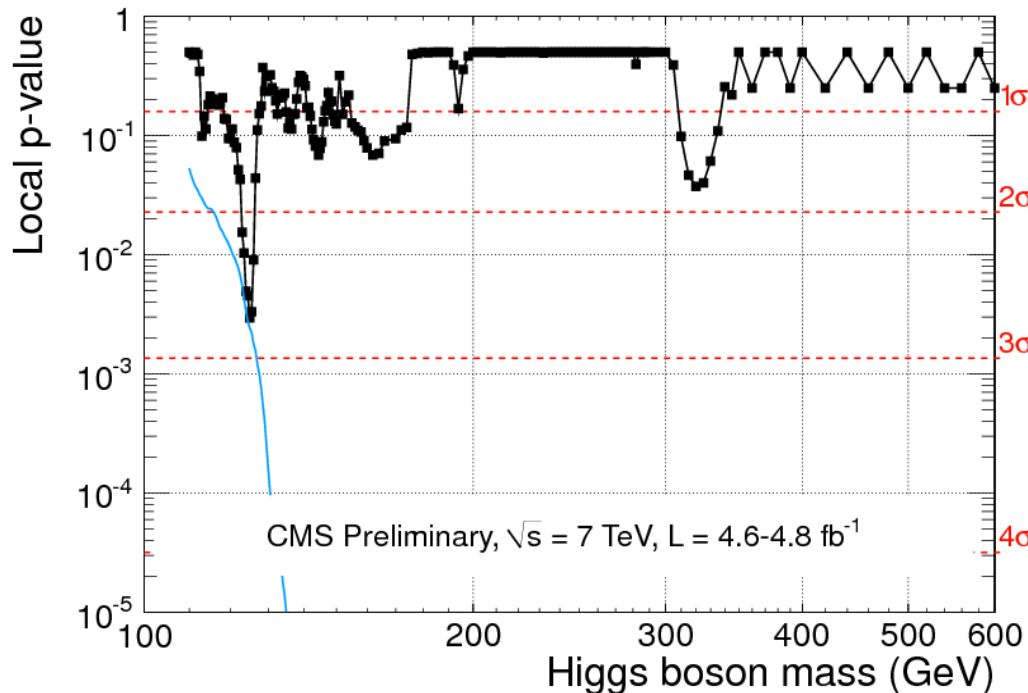
Expected at 95% CL:

$$114.5 < M_H < 543 \text{ GeV}$$

the observed exclusion  
is weaker than expected

# Consistency with B only Hypothesis

- Excesses are quantified using p-values: use to reject a background only hypothesis



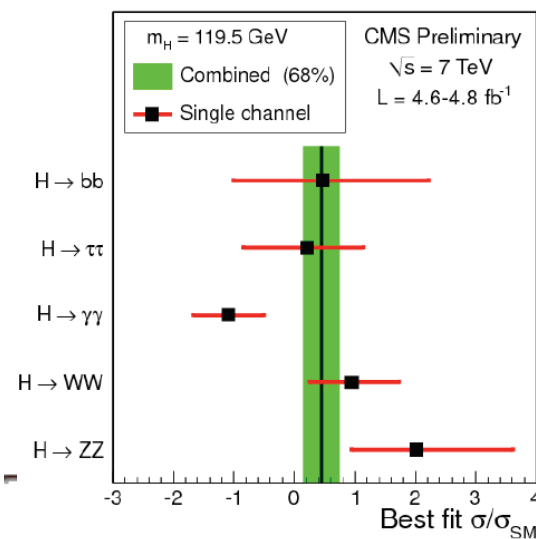
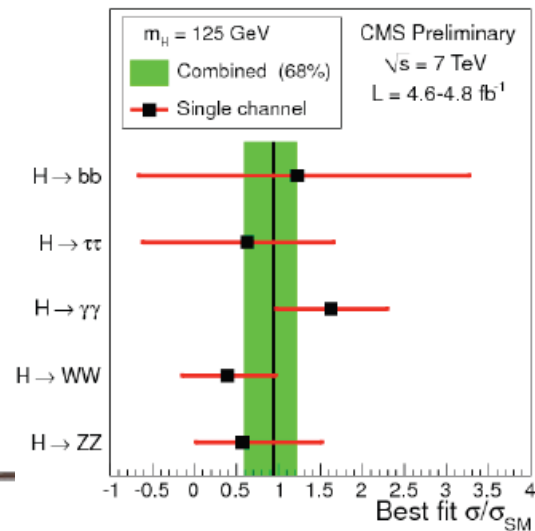
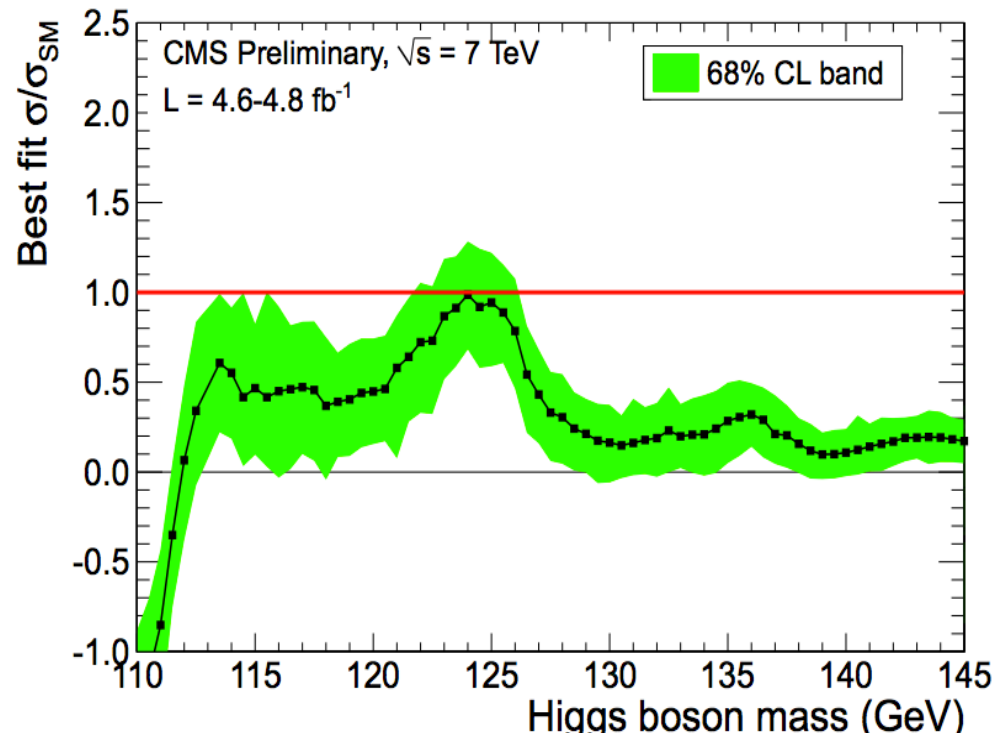
Max. deviation from background-only observed for  $m_H \sim 125$  GeV

- 119 GeV: 3  $H \rightarrow 4l$  events
- 124 GeV:  $H \rightarrow 2\gamma$  events
- 325 GeV: 9  $H \rightarrow 4l$  events

$\gamma\gamma$ :  $2.9\sigma$  at 125 GeV  
 $4l$ :  $2.5\sigma$  at 119.5 GeV

Observed local significance  $2.8\sigma$  at 125 GeV (expected  $2.9\sigma$ )  
 Global  $2.1\sigma$

# Best Fit for Signal Strength w.r.t. SM Rate



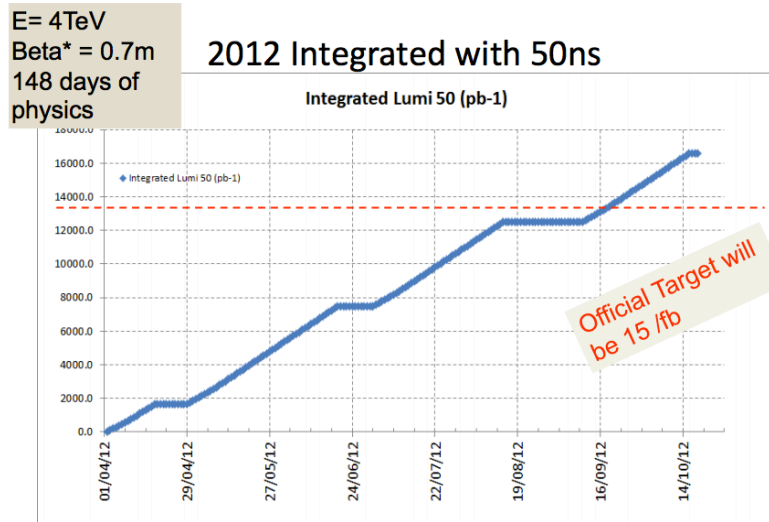


# Near future

By the end of the 8 TeV run in 2012, the luminosity collected will hopefully allow us to have 5 sigma everywhere.

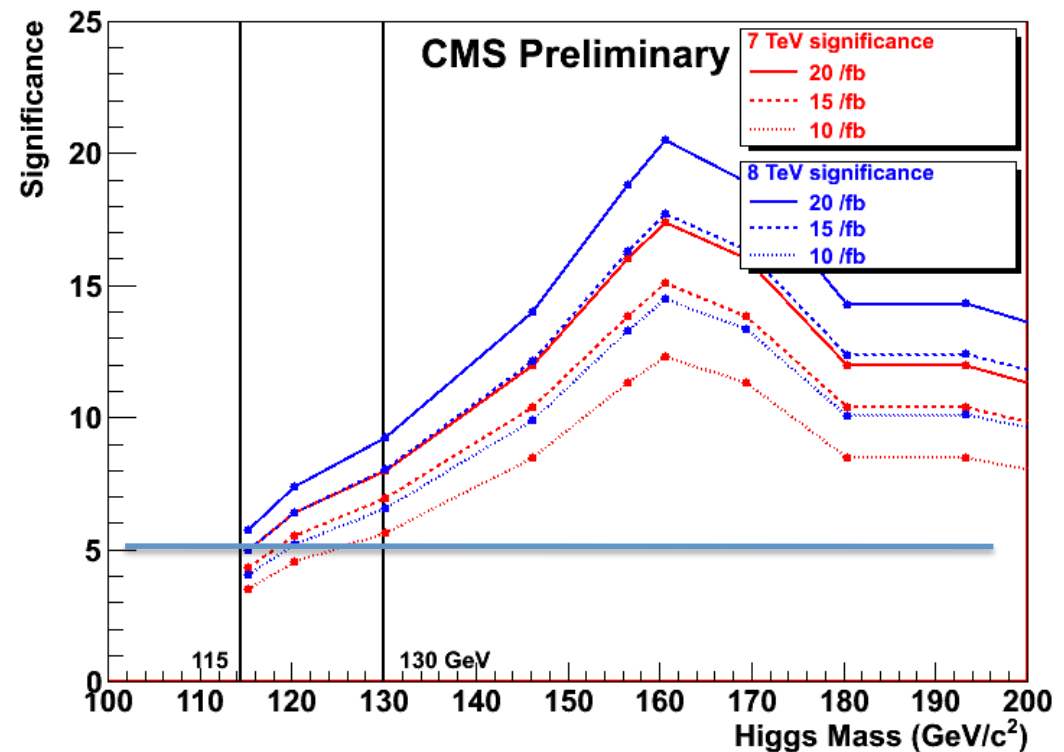
Maybe difficult at 115 GeV

The very high mass will be investigated as well.



~ 5fb<sup>-1</sup> by ICHEP

~ 15 fb<sup>-1</sup> by Nov



By the end of 2012 five sigma everywhere, maybe difficult at 115 GeV

# Summary

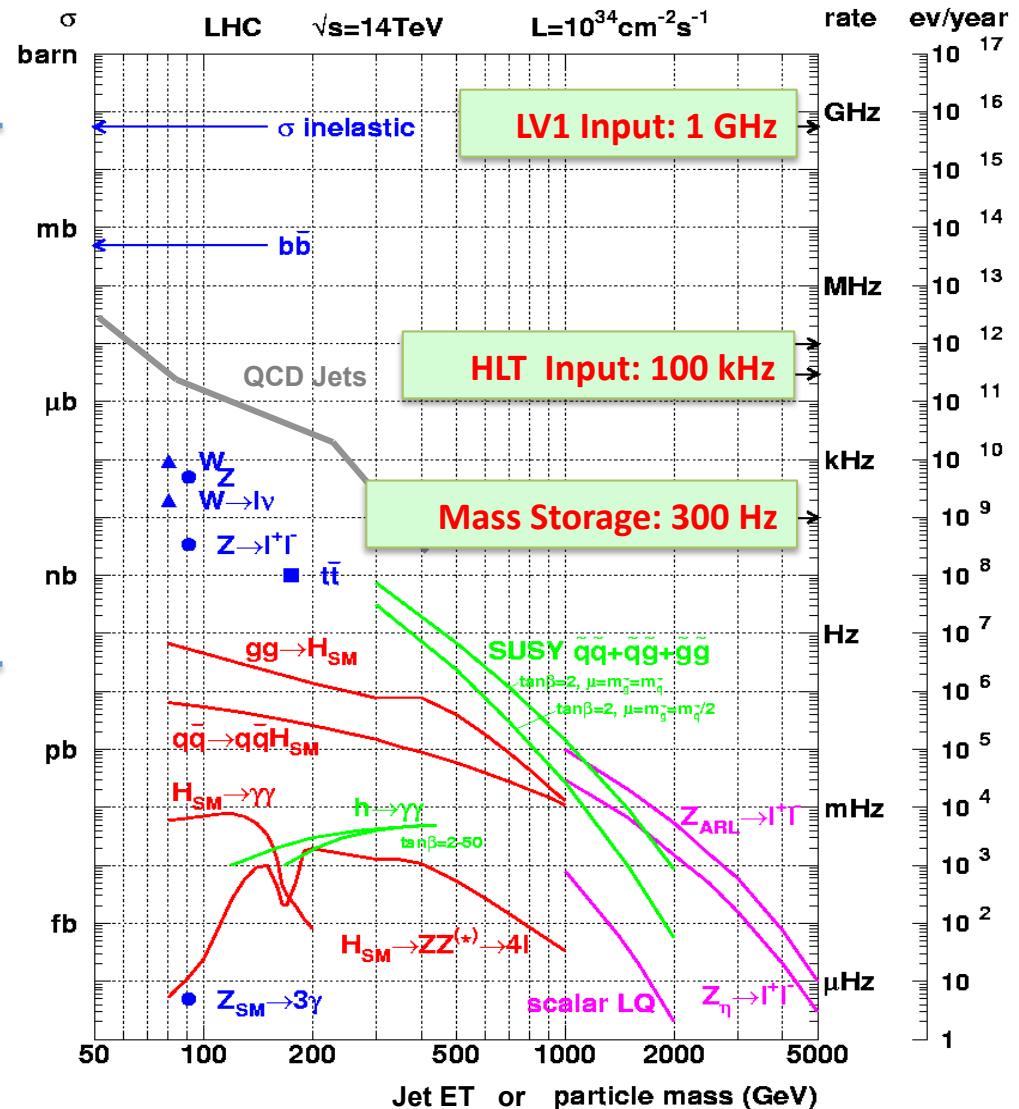
- Fantastic years at LHC and CMS: lots of data and analyses, measurements and searches...
- We did things we never imagined would be possible 2 years ago.
- Unfortunately we did not discover anything up to now/  
Fortunately we did not exclude everything up to now!
- But more luminosity and higher energy will come.
- We do not yet know what is in front of us:  
maybe another unexpected interpretation  
of our world!

# backup

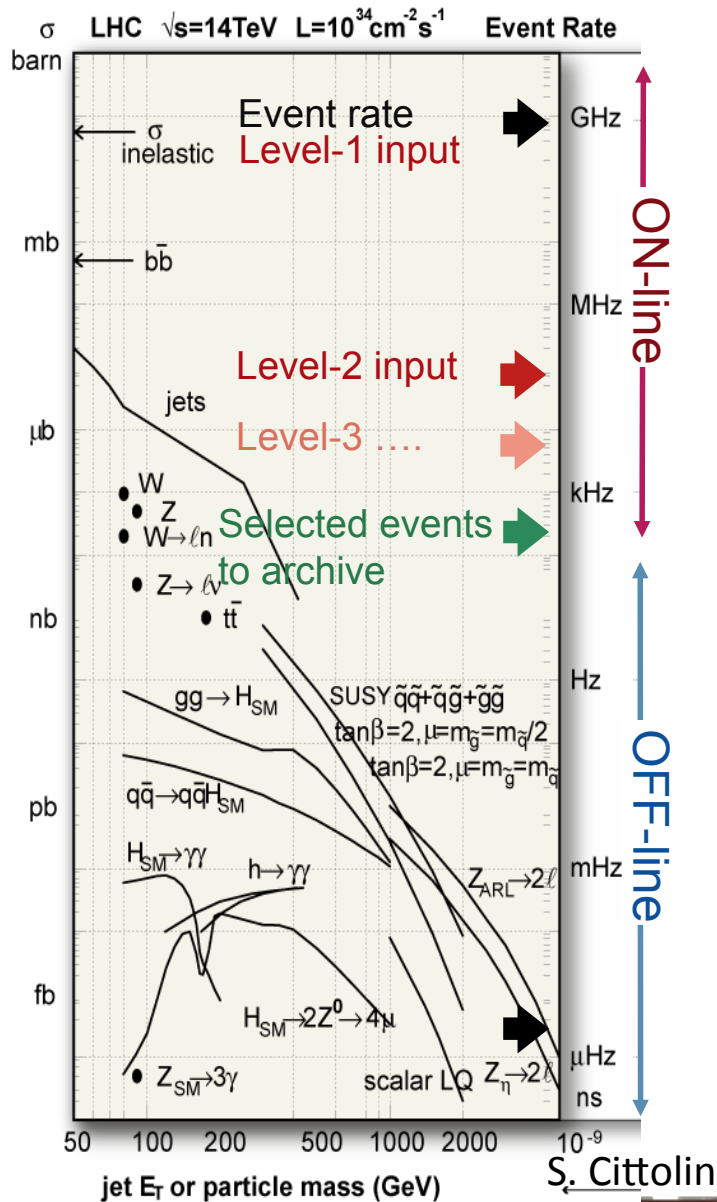
# Production rates at LHC

$10^{10}$

“At LEP every event is signal.  
At LHC every event is background.”  
Sam Ting, LEPC, Sept-2000



# Trigger



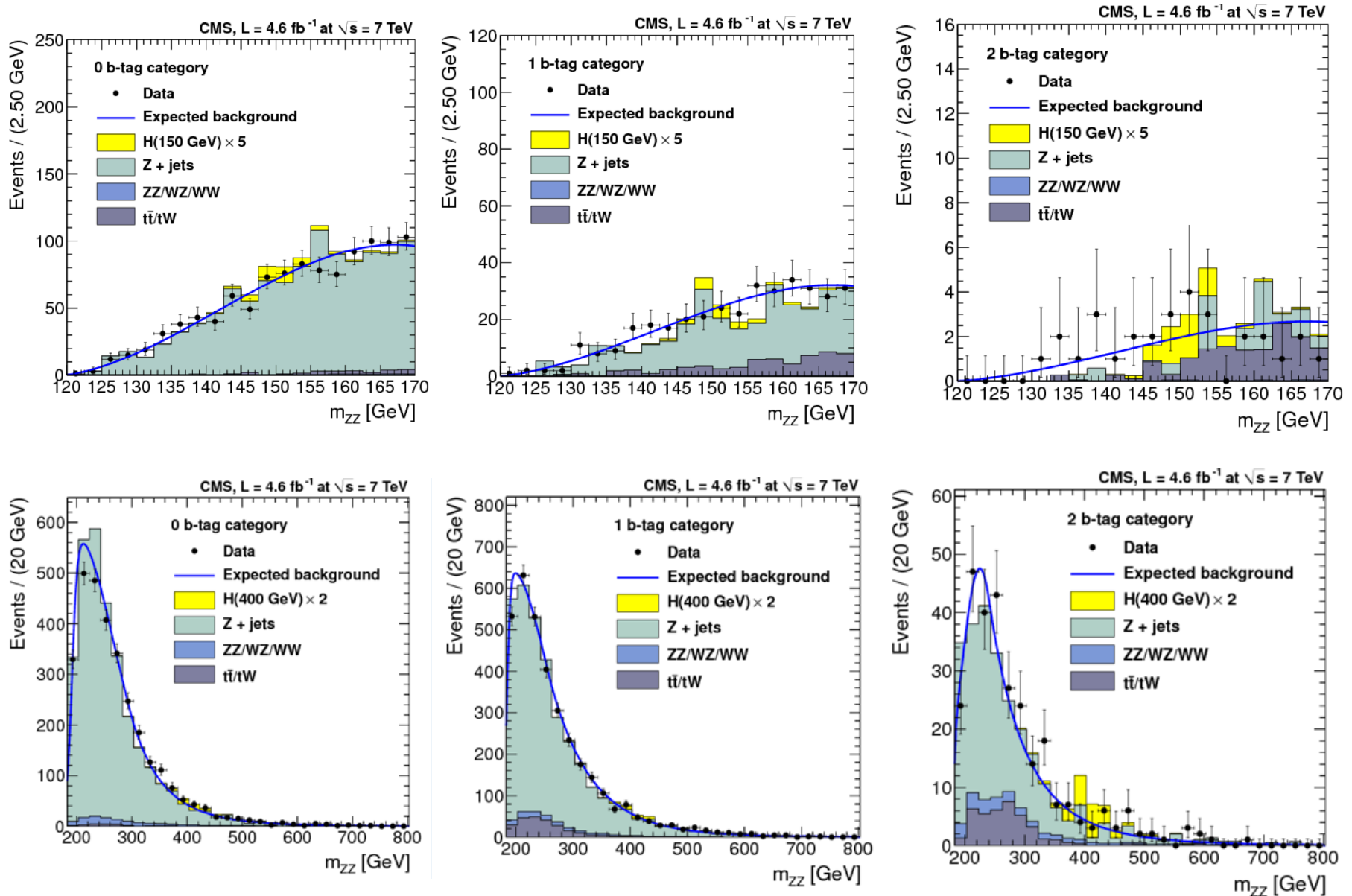
- At LHC the collision rate will be 40 MHz  
The Event size  $\sim 1$  Mbyte

Band width limit  $\sim 100$  Gbyte  $\rightarrow$   
Mass storage rate  $\sim 100$  Hz

Thus we should select the events with  
“the Trigger”

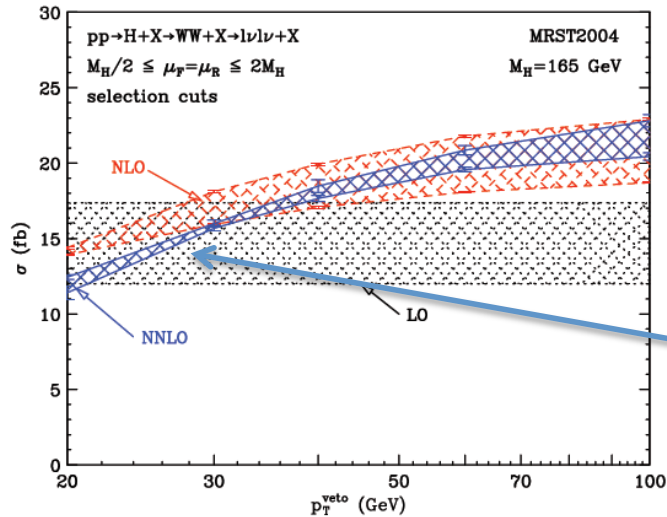
- Level-1 Trigger input 40 MHz
- Level-2 Trigger input 100 kHz (HLT for CMS)
- Level-3 Trigger input xx kHz (HLT for Atlas)

# M<sub>ZZ</sub>



# WW+ 0, 1, 2 jets

The NNLO band overlaps with the NLO one for  $p_T^{\text{veto}} \geq 30$  GeV



- WW + 0 jet: Veto jet of  $p_T > 30$  GeV
- WW + 1 jet: 1 jet of  $p_T > 30$  GeV
- WW + 2 jet: 2 jet of  $p_T > 30$  GeV - VBF like

Asking jet veto, means “eliminate” diagrams with real gluon emission

The HWW analysis is divided in 3 regions: +0, +1 and +2 jets.

To get the correct TH uncertainty on the XS in the three regions:

Theoretically we can compute:  $\sigma_{\text{total}}, \sigma_{\geq 1}, \sigma_{\geq 2}$ , thus

$$\sigma_0 = \sigma_{\text{total}} - \sigma_{\geq 1}, \quad \sigma_1 = \sigma_{\geq 1} - \sigma_{\geq 2}, \quad \sigma_{\geq 2}$$

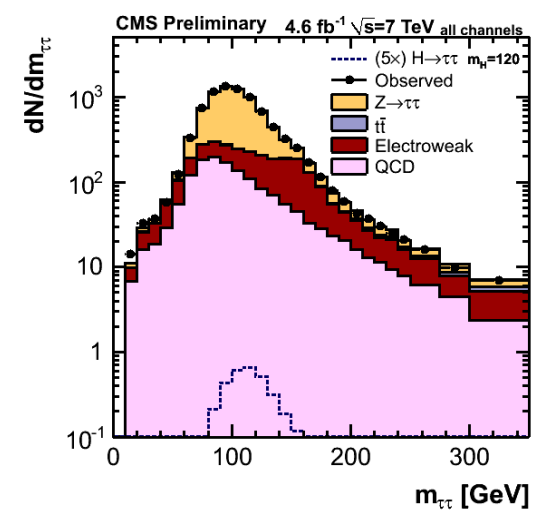
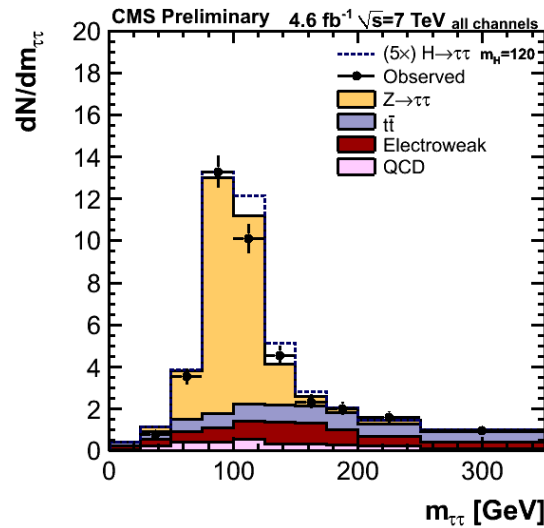
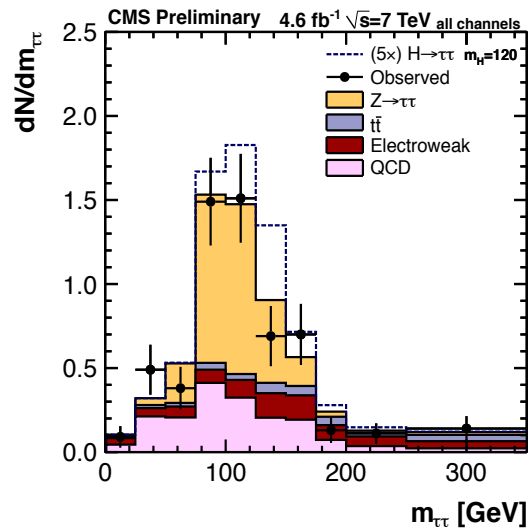
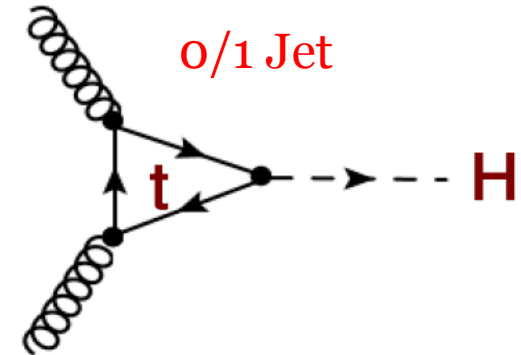
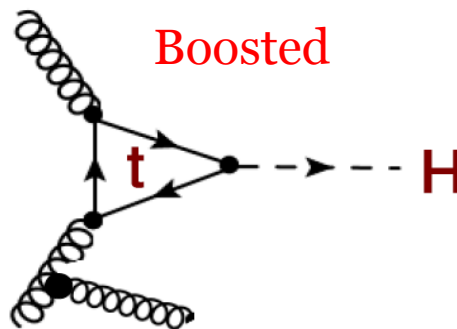
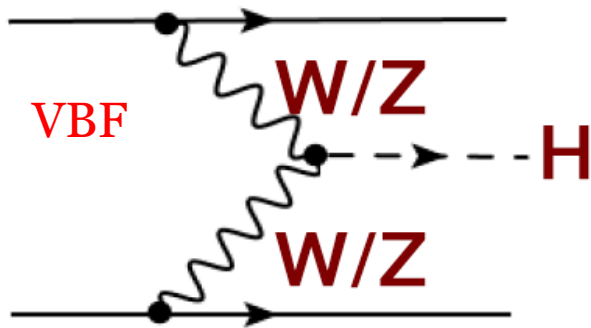
TH uncert:

- $\delta\sigma_{\geq 0} = \delta\sigma_{\text{total}}$  From Yellow Report (i.e. HNNLO/FEHIP)
- $\delta\sigma_{\geq 1}$  HNNLO/FEHIP or MCFM (identical)
- $\delta\sigma_{\geq 2}$  HNNLO/FEHIP gives LO, MCFM NLO

$\delta\sigma_{\geq 0}$	+12-7%
$\delta\sigma_{\geq 1}$	$\pm 20\%$
$\delta\sigma_{\geq 2}$	$\pm 30\%$ (NLO) $\pm 70\%$ (LO)

# CMS: $H \rightarrow \tau\tau$

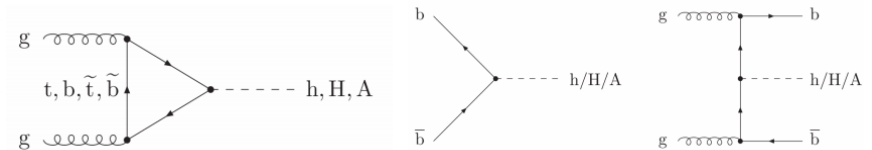
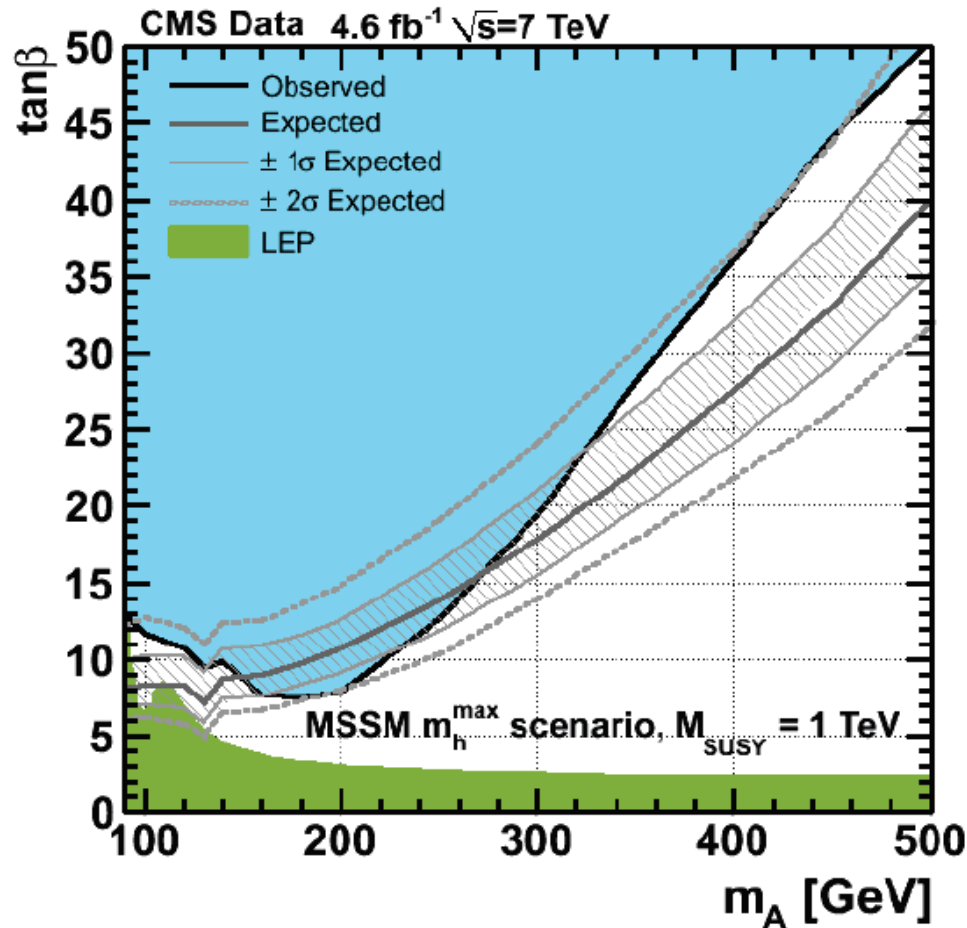
optimize sensitivity by splitting in jet/topology categories: VBF highest sensitivity  
but all production modes considered:  $gg \rightarrow H$ , VBF,  $W(Z)H$ ,  $t\bar{t}H$



Sig/BG	1/24	1/75	1/460
Signal	6 $\pm$ 1	14 $\pm$ 2	180 $\pm$ 20
Background	140 $\pm$ 10	1050 $\pm$ 170	83000 $\pm$ 4000



# MSSM $\phi$

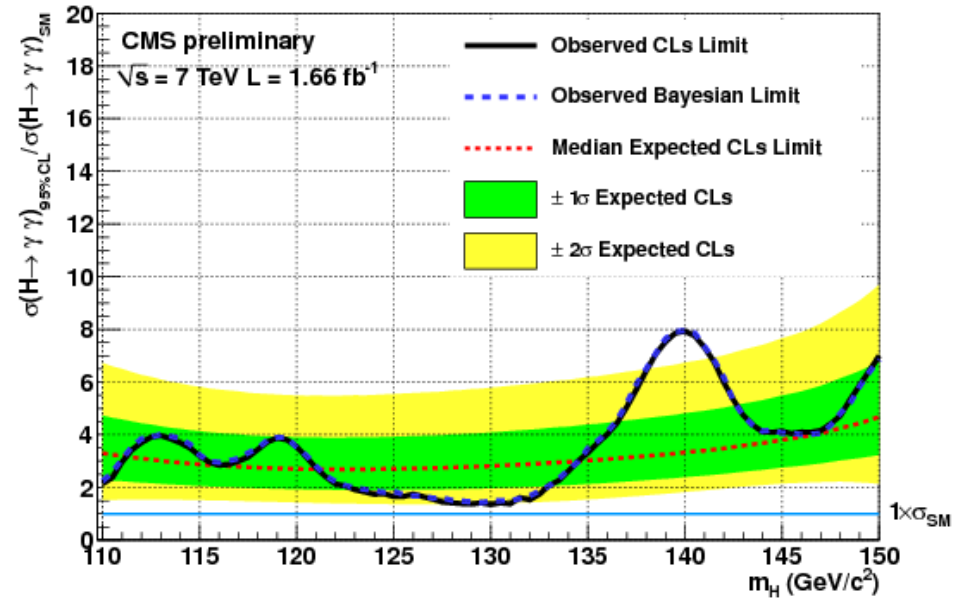
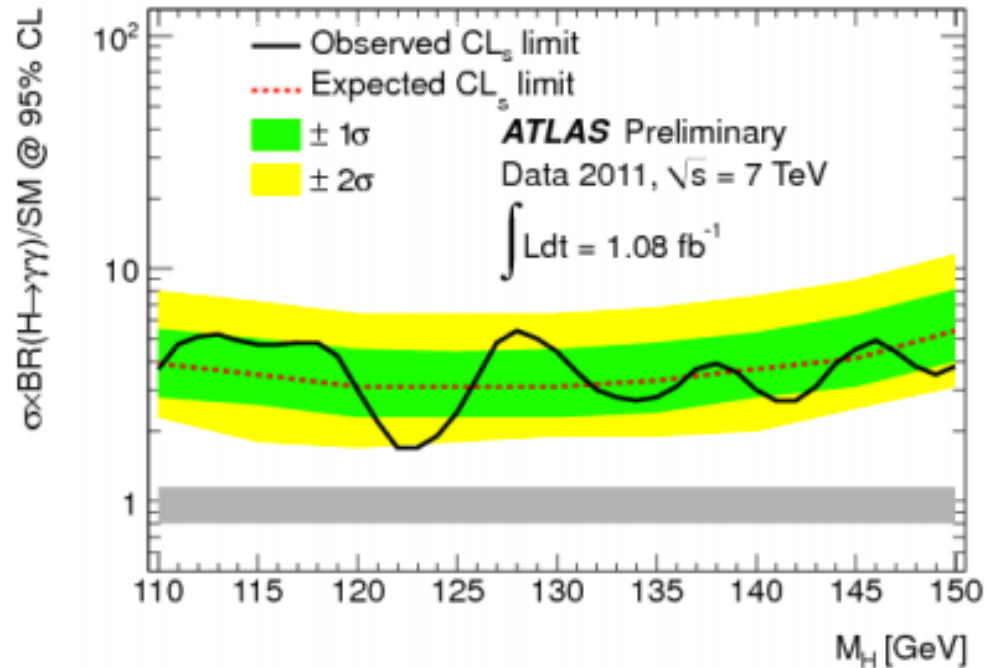


$\phi \rightarrow \tau\tau$   
 Combining btag  
 and non btag events

- Most sensitive channel for neutral Higgs searches in the context of SUSY models
  - Large portion of  $\tan\beta$ - $M_A$  plane excluded

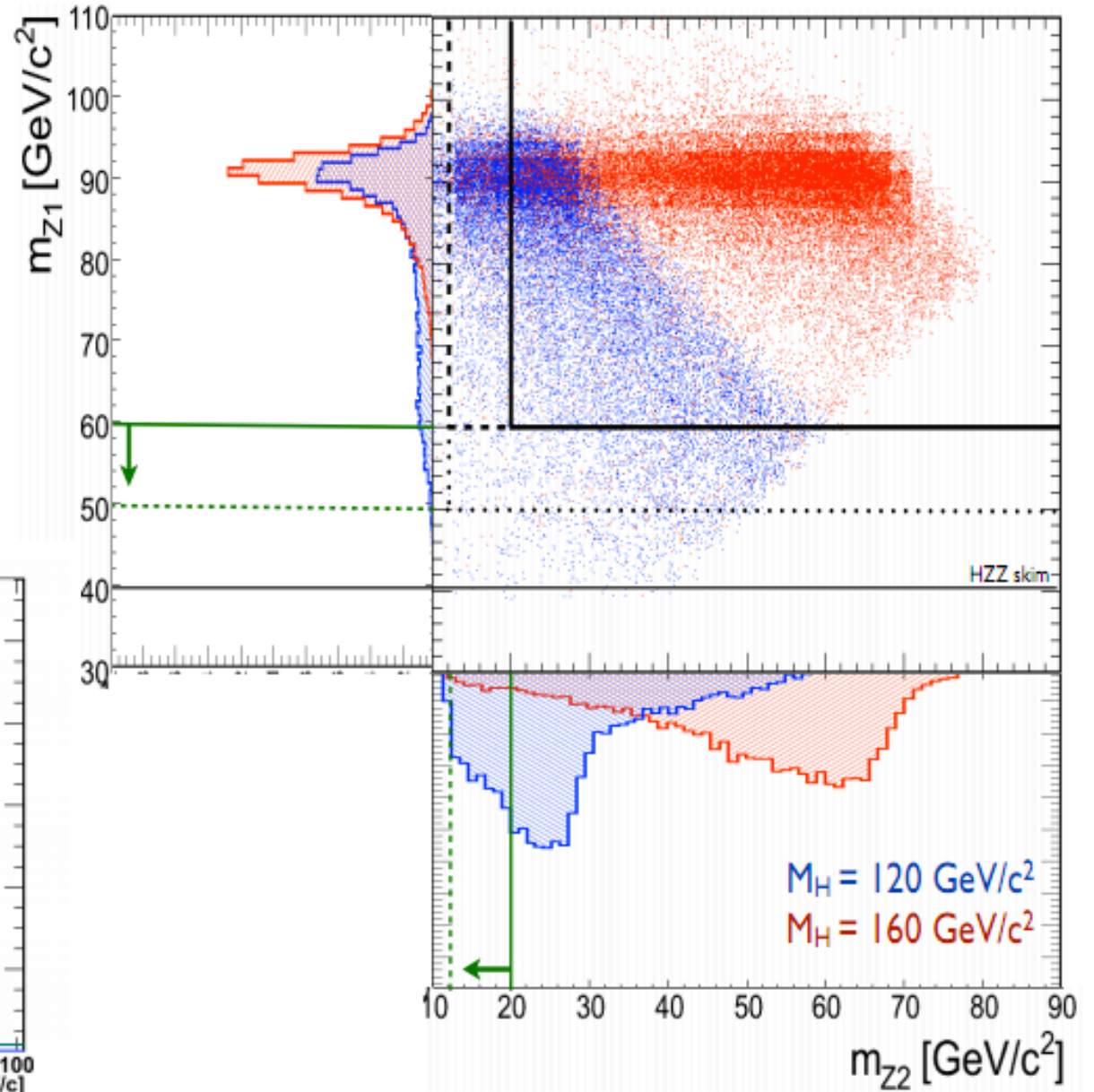
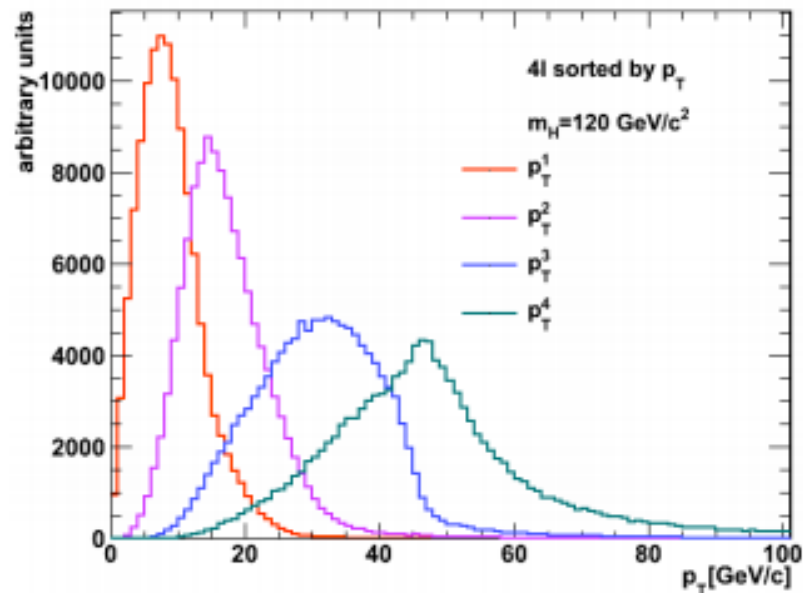
# H $\rightarrow$ $\gamma\gamma$ , in the summer

Dominated by gg-fusion



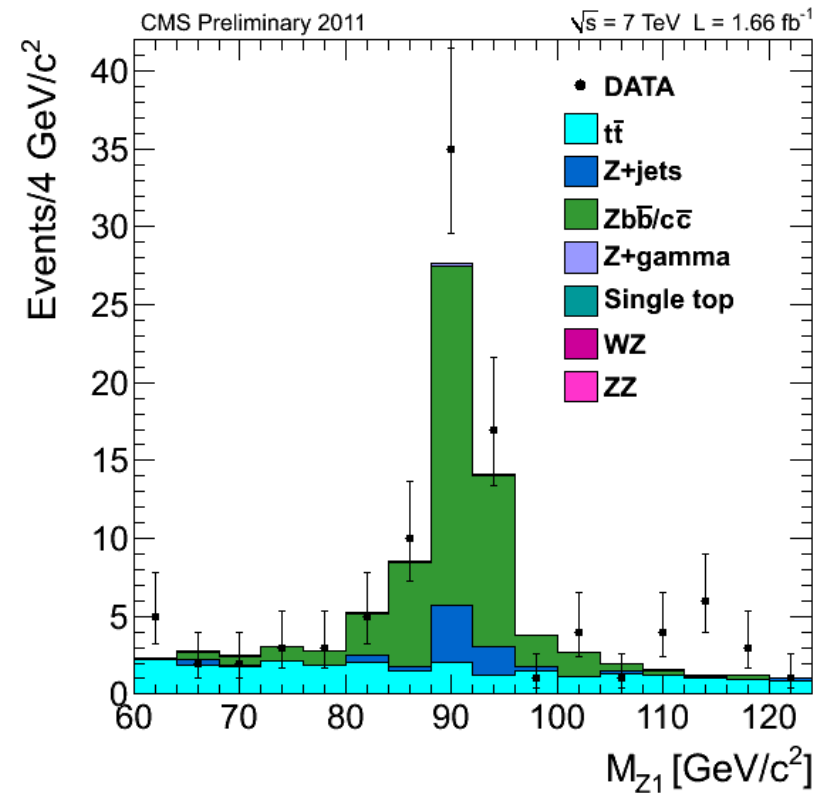
- Two high pt, isolated photons, pointing to a PV
- Different photon categories treated differently.
- $M(\gamma\gamma)$  resolution very similar.
- Results very similar
- Fluctuations: excess and deficit... We will see!

# $M_{Z_1}$ vs $M_{Z_2}$



# $Zbb + tt \rightarrow 4l$

- Reducible backgrounds ( $Zbb/tt$ ) is measured in a dedicated control region:
  - Same requirements for the on-shell Z candidate as for the signal
  - Relaxed selections on charge, flavor and isolation and inverted IP cut for the other lepton pair
  - From this plot we can disentangle  $Zbb$  from  $tt$ , by fitting the “Z peak” and a polynomial for  $tt$ .
  - Comparing data/MC, we can get the k-factor (MC are at LO or NLO)

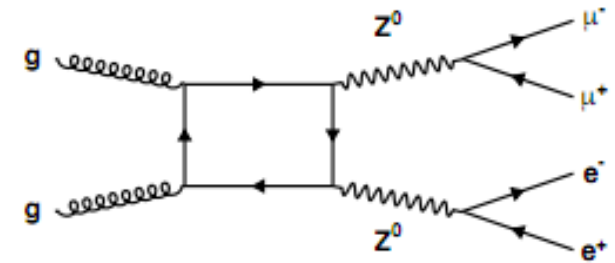
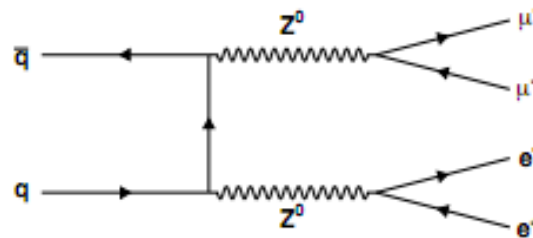


# The background

**Irreducible background:**

$$qq \rightarrow ZZ^{(*)} \rightarrow 4l$$

$$gg \rightarrow ZZ^{(*)} \rightarrow 4l$$

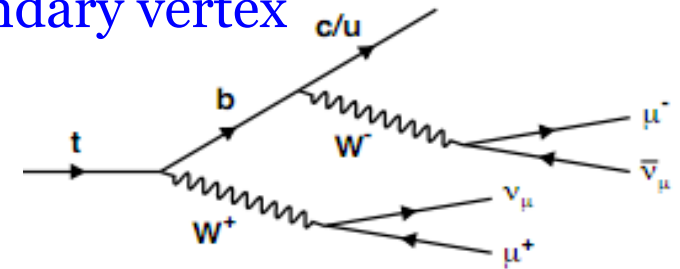


**Reducible background:**

**Zbb/Zcc** and **tt** pair production.

I.e. events with B hadrons decaying semileptonically

Leptons are inside jets and originating from secondary vertex

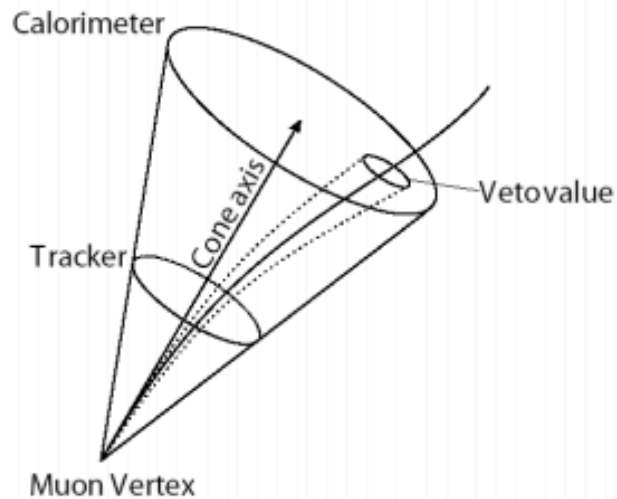


**Instrumental background:**

**QCD** and **Z/W+light jets**. Events with jets faking leptons (mostly electrons)

# Isolation

The requirement that the energy flow in the vicinity of a muon is below a certain threshold helps discriminating muons from W/Z from muons produced as a result of QCD processes.



- $R_{ISO}^{Tk} = [TK_{ISO03} / p_T]$

- $R_{ISO} = [(TK_{ISO03} + ECAL_{ISO03} + HCAL_{ISO03}) / p_T]$

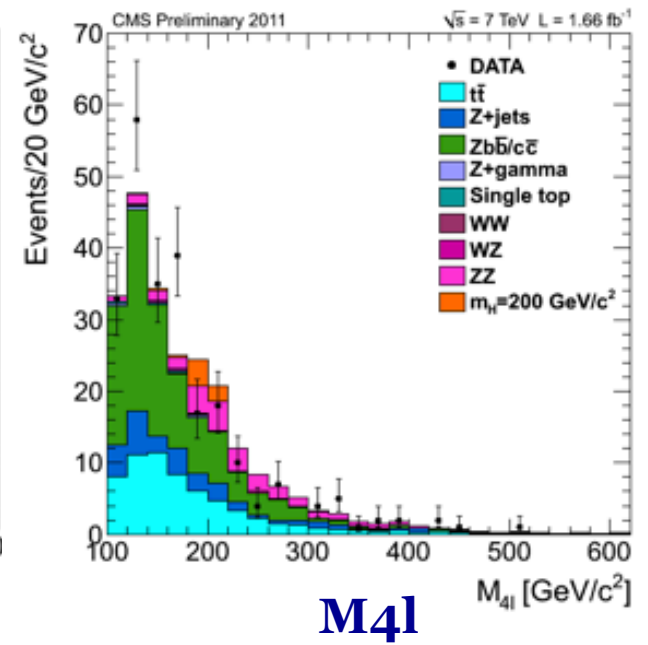
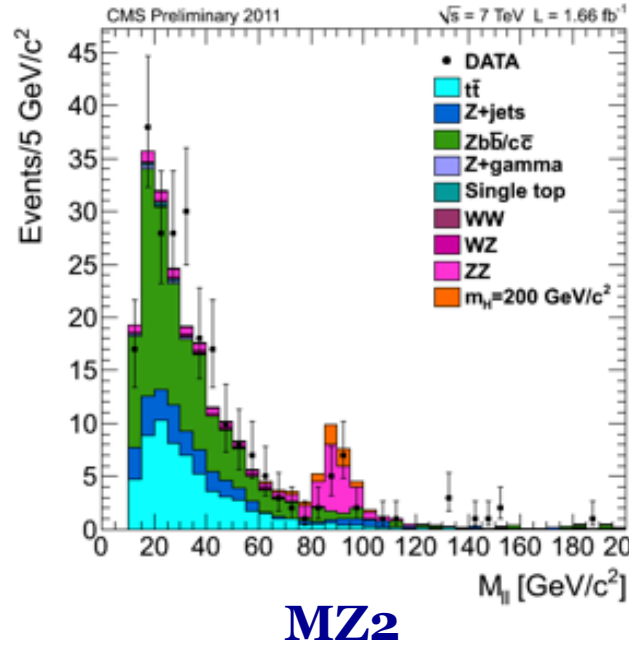
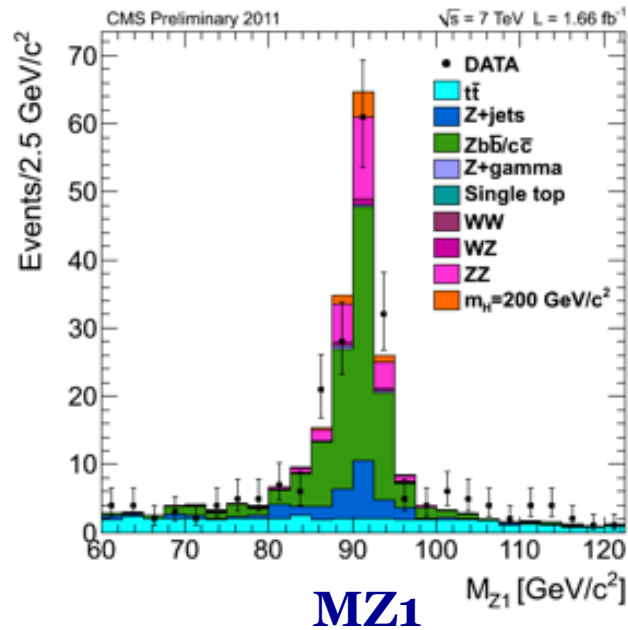
- **H→4l analysis: a cut on the sum of  $R_{ISO}$  of the two least isolated leptons  $< 0.35$  is chosen**

- $R_{ISO} < 0.15$  usual working point for W/Z lepton selection

ECAL and HCAL contributions are affected by **pile-up conditions**

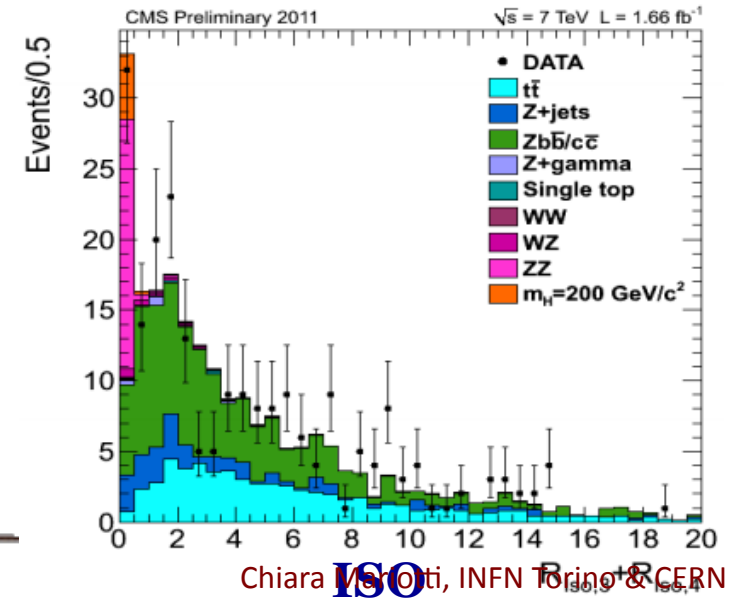
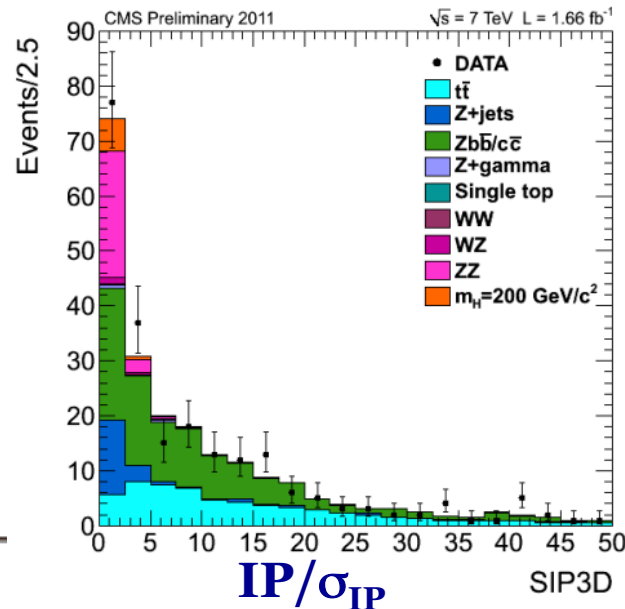
To have a pile-up robust analysis  $R_{ISO}$  must be corrected by the average energy flow in the event  
[ **Fast-jet correction** ]

# H → ZZ → 4l

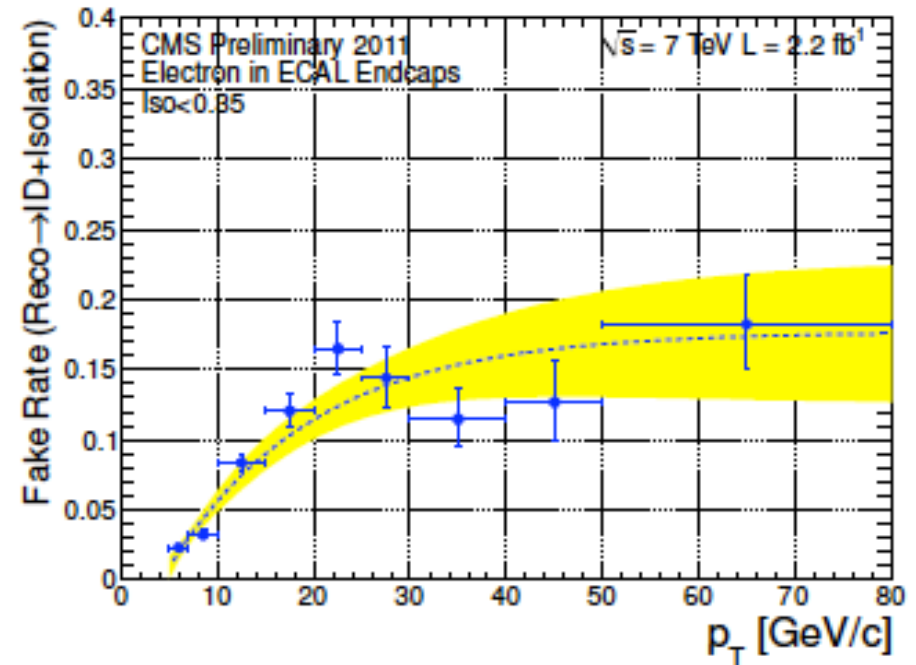
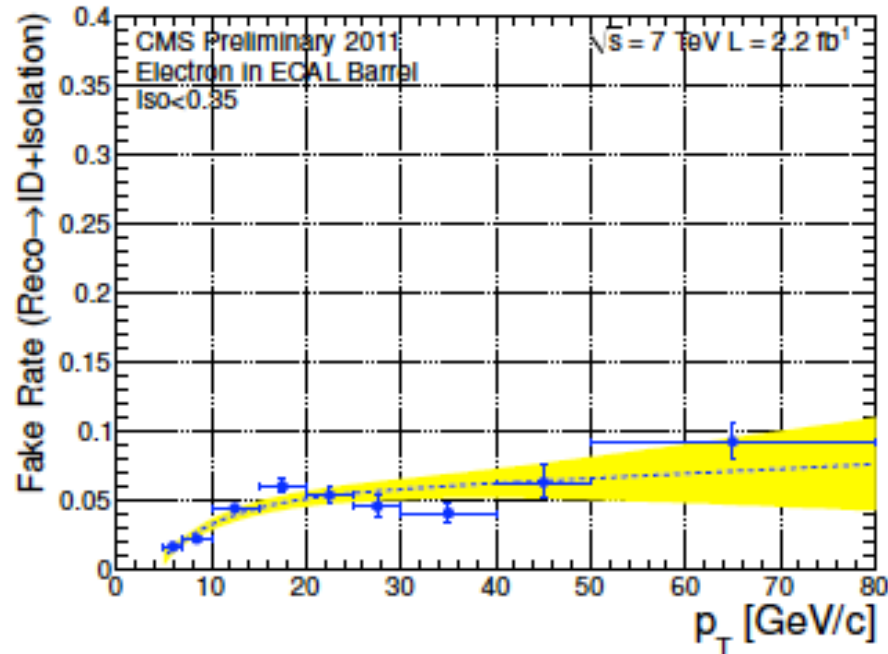


2 leptons of  $p_T > 20, 10$  GeV  
Isolated and from PV →  
the couple closest to MZ

PLUS  
2 leptons of  $p_T > 5$  (7) GeV  
with  $M > 20$  GeV  
Isolated and from PV



# Z+jets



In the Z1+1 leptons sample:  
the probability that a muon/electron with relaxed ID and ISO  
passes the analysis requests

More checks done on the Z1+SS vs Z1+OS samples.



# ZZ continuum

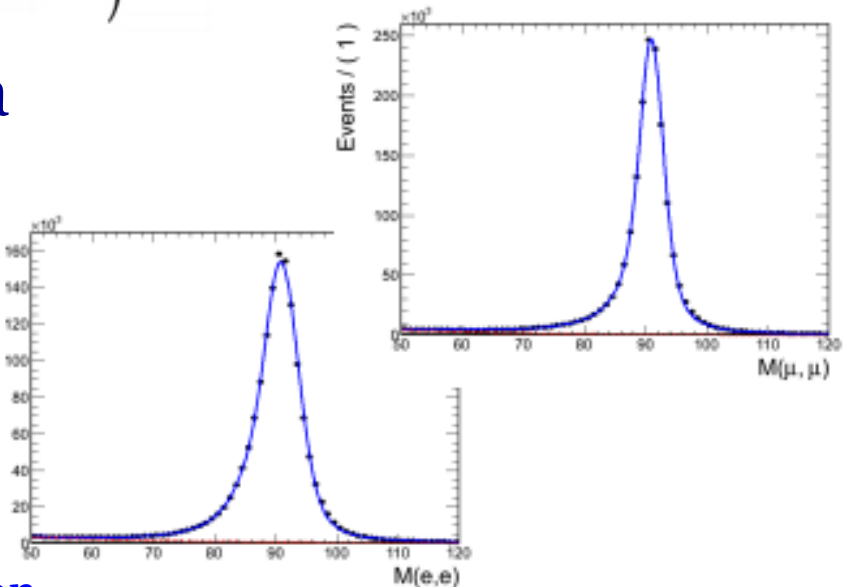
- Directly from MC:

$$\left( \sigma_{NLO}^{q\bar{q} \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow 4l} \times \epsilon_{MC}^{q\bar{q} \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow 4l} + \sigma_{LO}^{g\bar{g} \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow 4l} \times \epsilon_{MC}^{g\bar{g} \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow 4l} \right) \times L$$

- Normalization to Z rate in data

$$\frac{\sigma_{NLO}^{q\bar{q} \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow 4l} + \sigma_{LO}^{g\bar{g} \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow 4l}}{\sigma_{NNLO}^{q\bar{q} \rightarrow Z \rightarrow 2l}} \times \frac{\epsilon_{MC}^{ZZ \rightarrow 4l}}{\epsilon_{MC}^{Z \rightarrow 2l}} \times N_{data}^{Z \rightarrow ll}$$

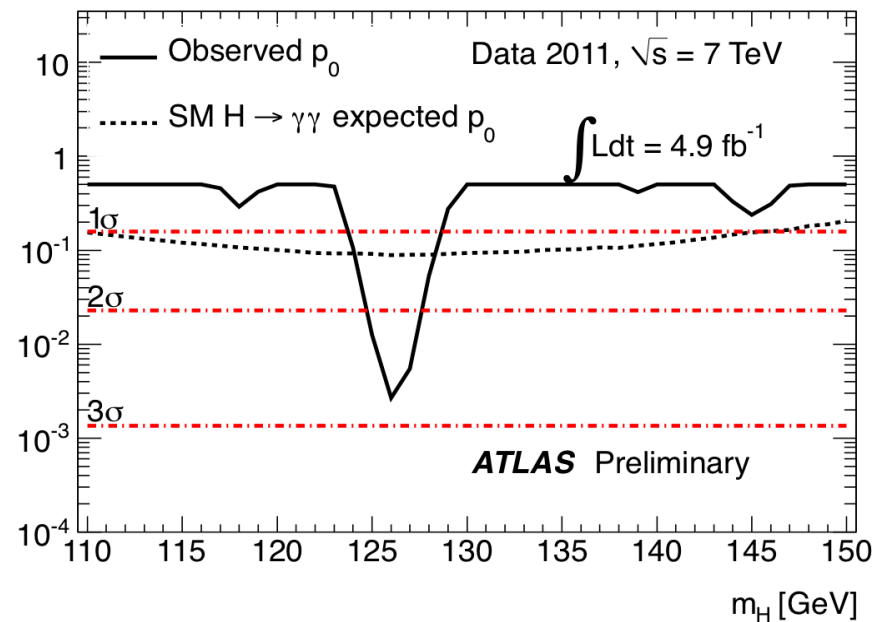
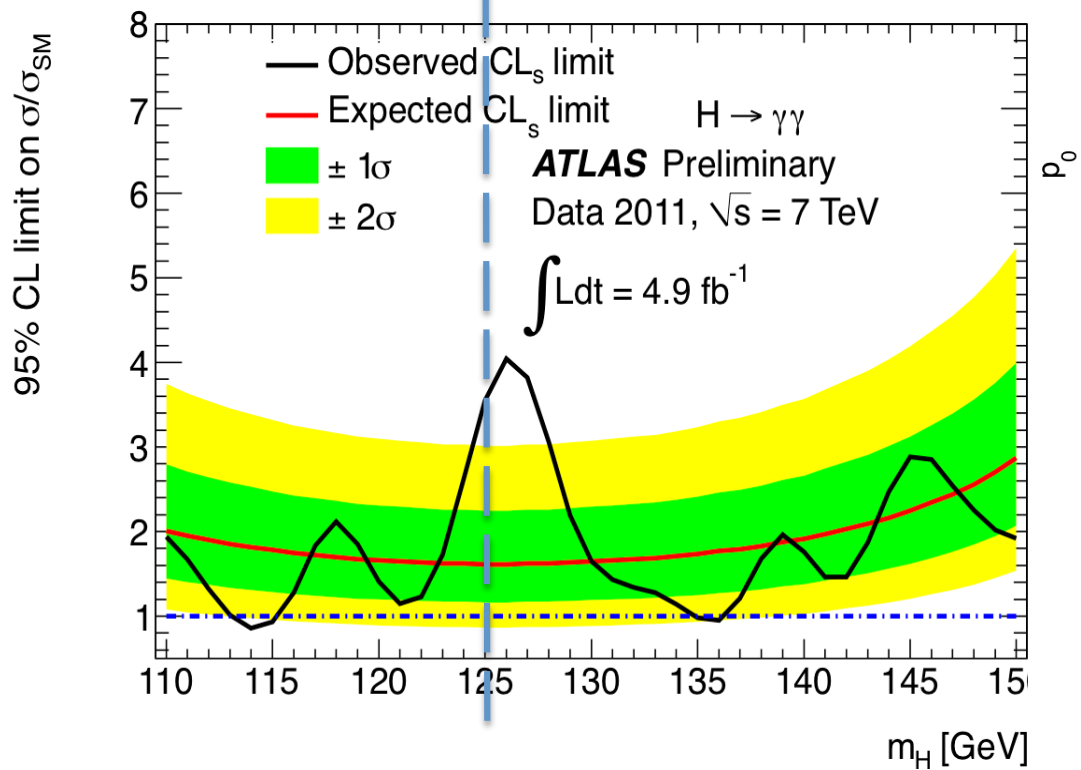
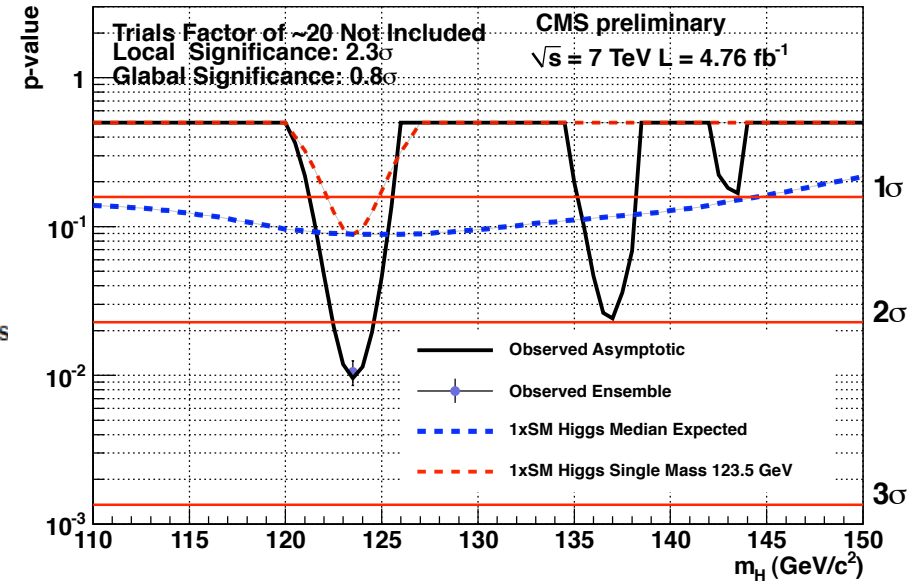
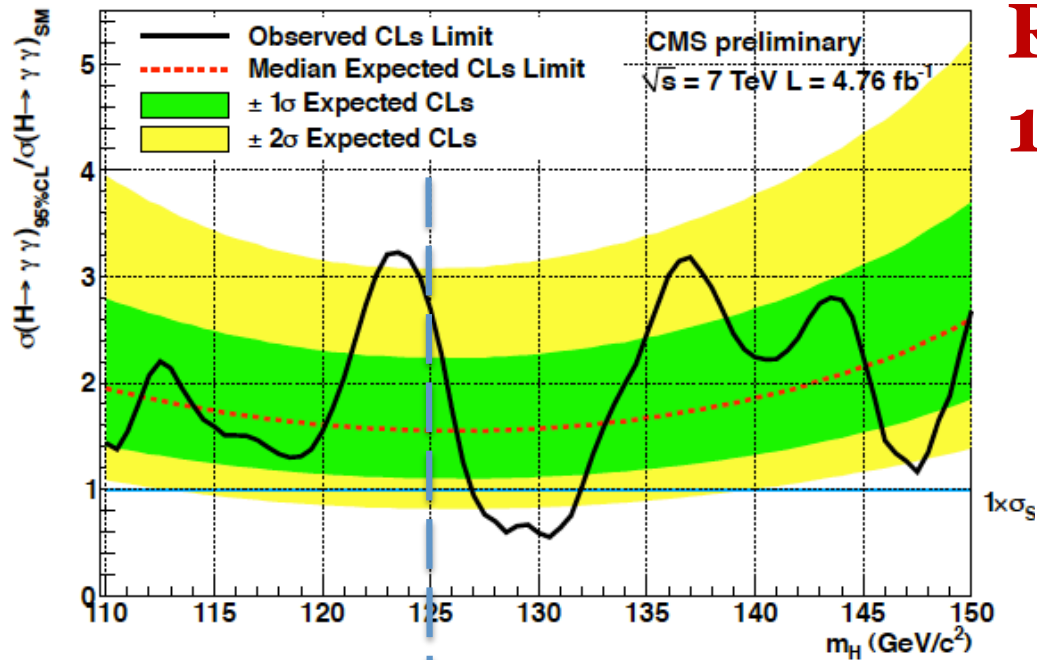
- The luminosity uncert. cancel in the ratio
- The TH uncertainties as YR prescription ~ 10% (PDF4LHC prescription + QCD scale)



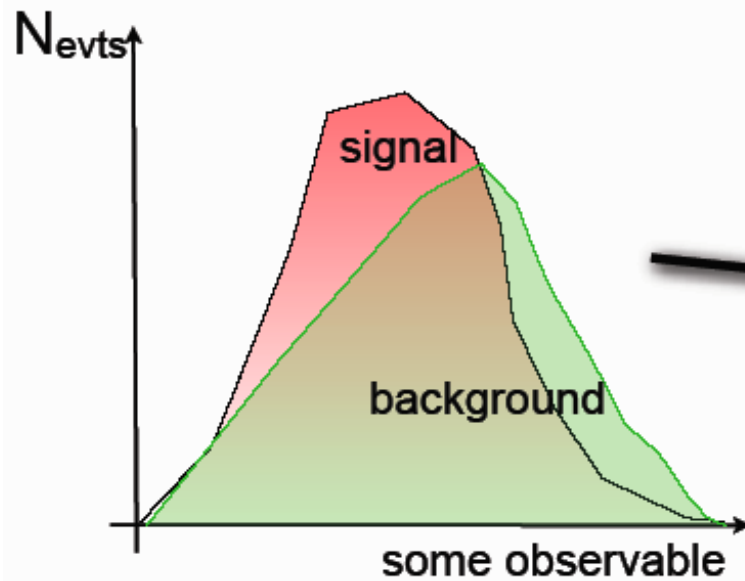
- Results: the two agree within %

# Results : R and p-value

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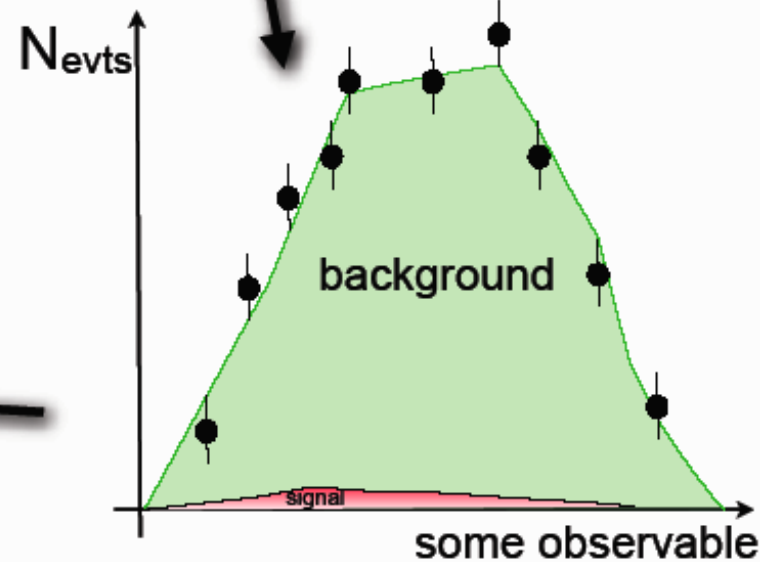
# The control of the background



invert cuts :  
from signal enhancement to  
background enhancement

$a_{\text{exp}}$  → experimental uncertainties  
(like isolation, pt etc...)

use data to  
normalize background



$a_{\text{TH}}$  → Theoretical uncertainties  
(diff. distr. + pdf + scale+...)

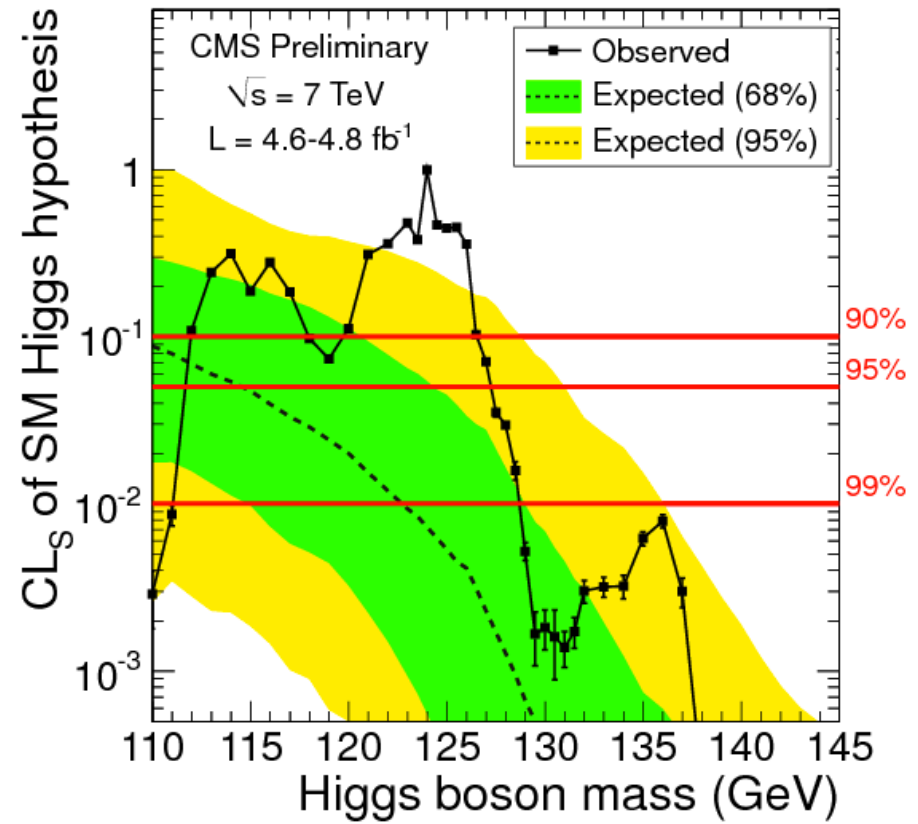
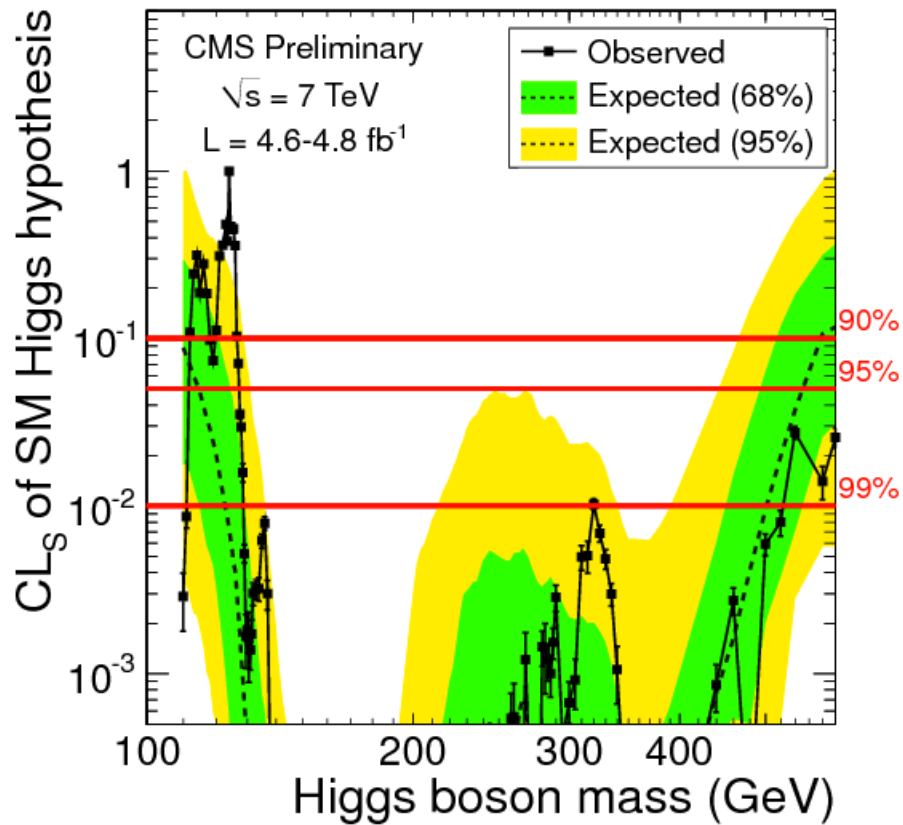
theory :  
use theory to compute  
change in background  
when inverting cuts

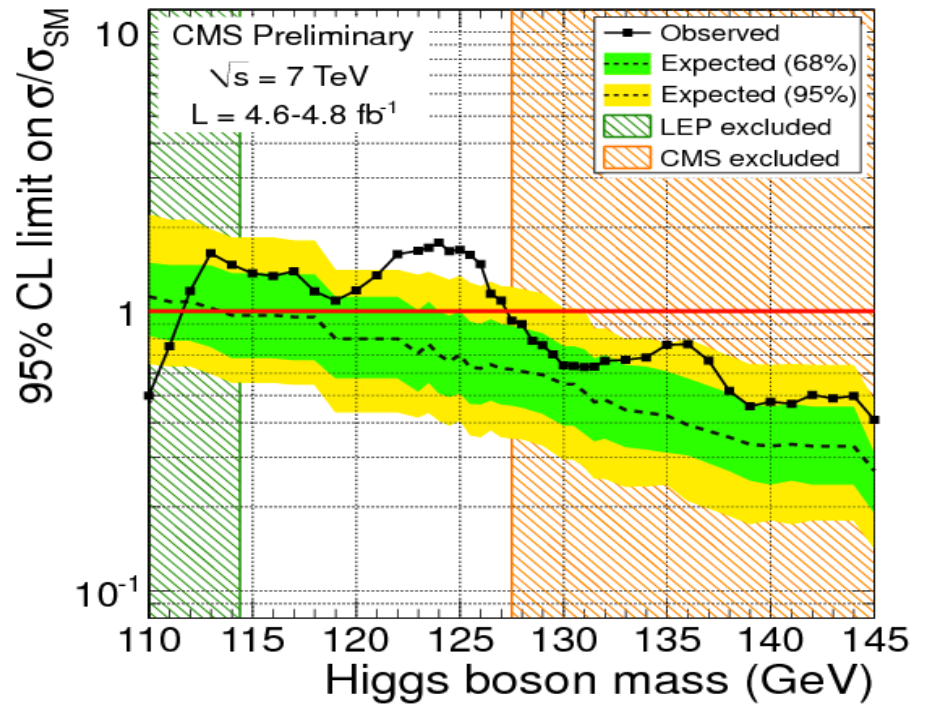
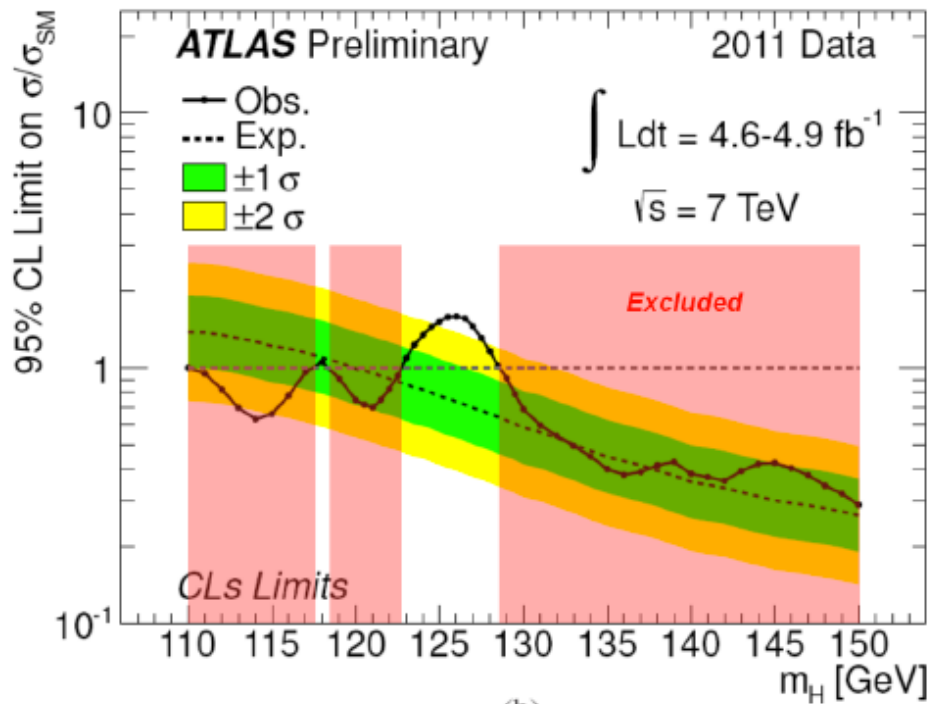
-  $N^{\text{B}}_{\text{(signal region)}} = a_{\text{exp}} * a_{\text{TH}} * N^{\text{B}}_{\text{control region}}$

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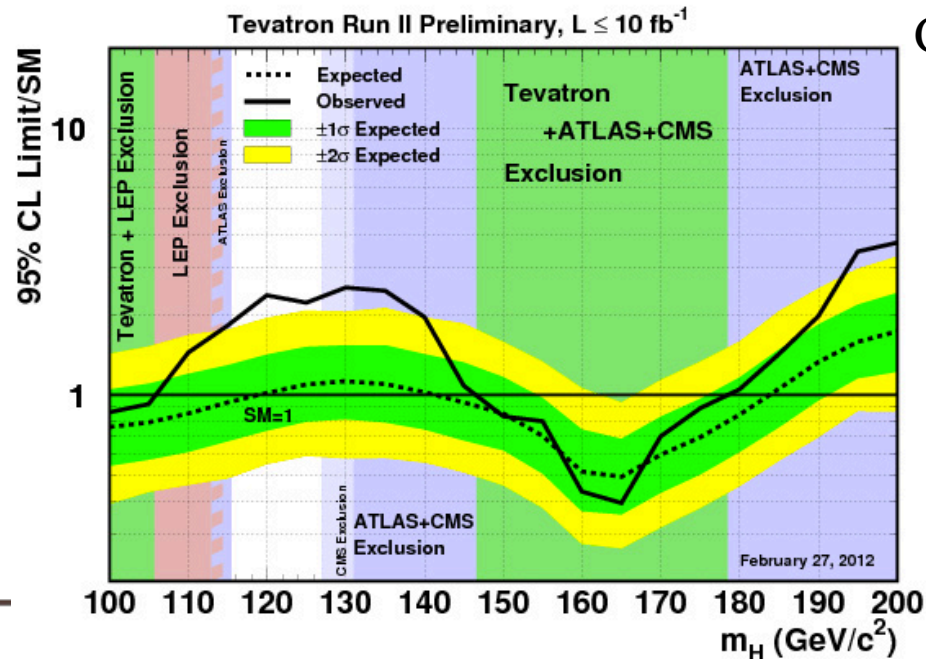
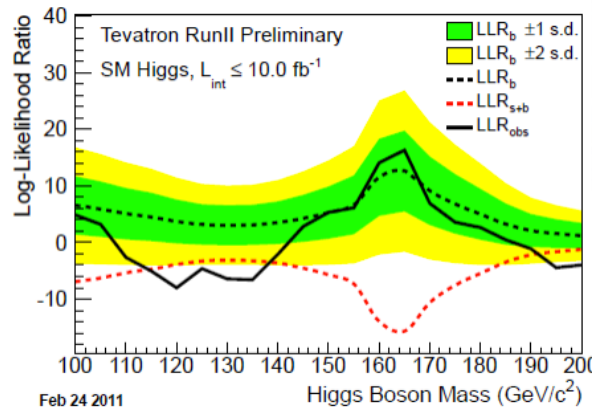
$a_{\text{exp}}$  - uncorr between exp  
 $a_{\text{TH}}$  - 100% correlated

# CLs





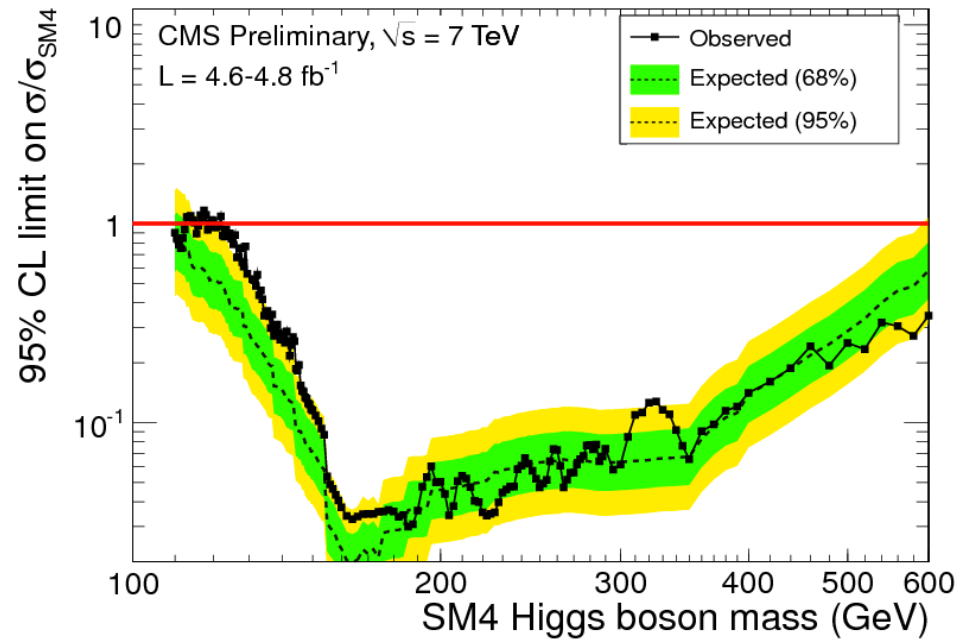
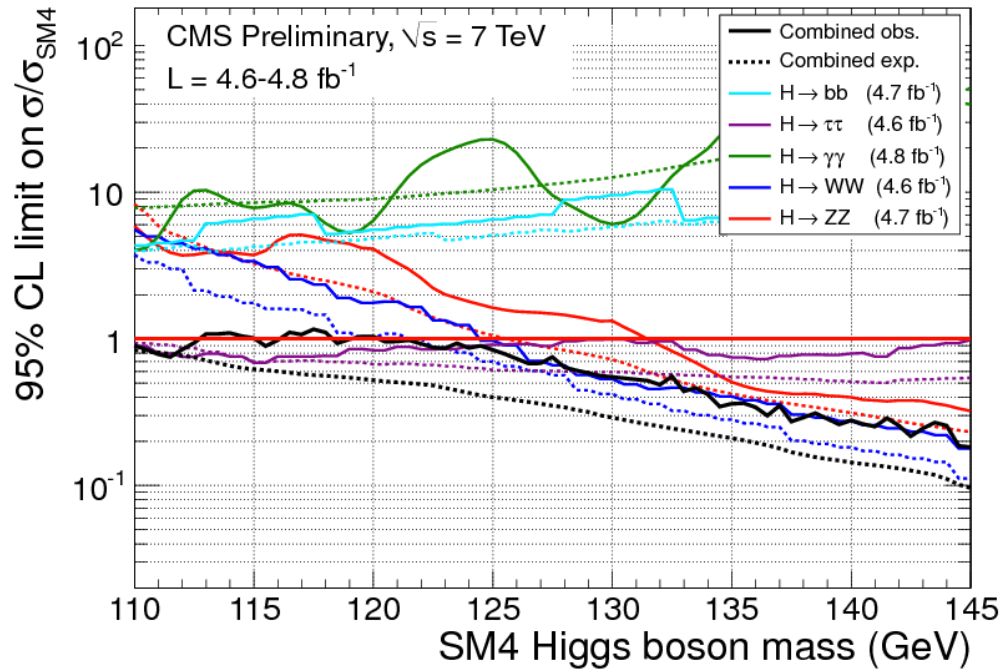
**...and  
TEVATRON**



Global significance  
 $\sim 2.2 \sigma$

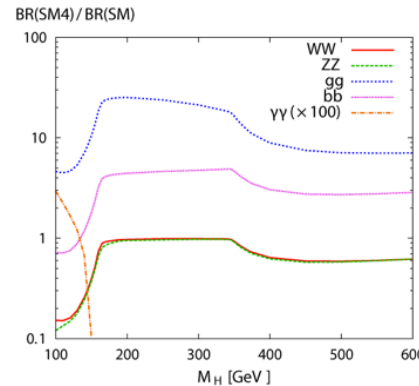
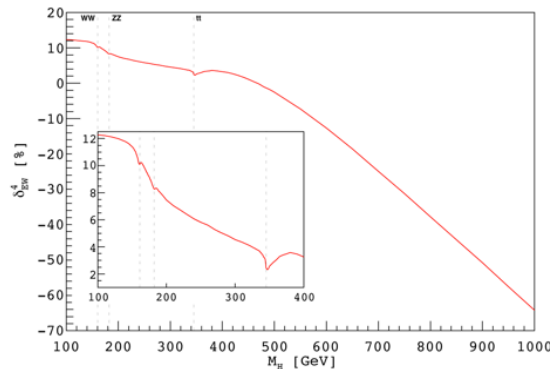


# Higgs in the SM4

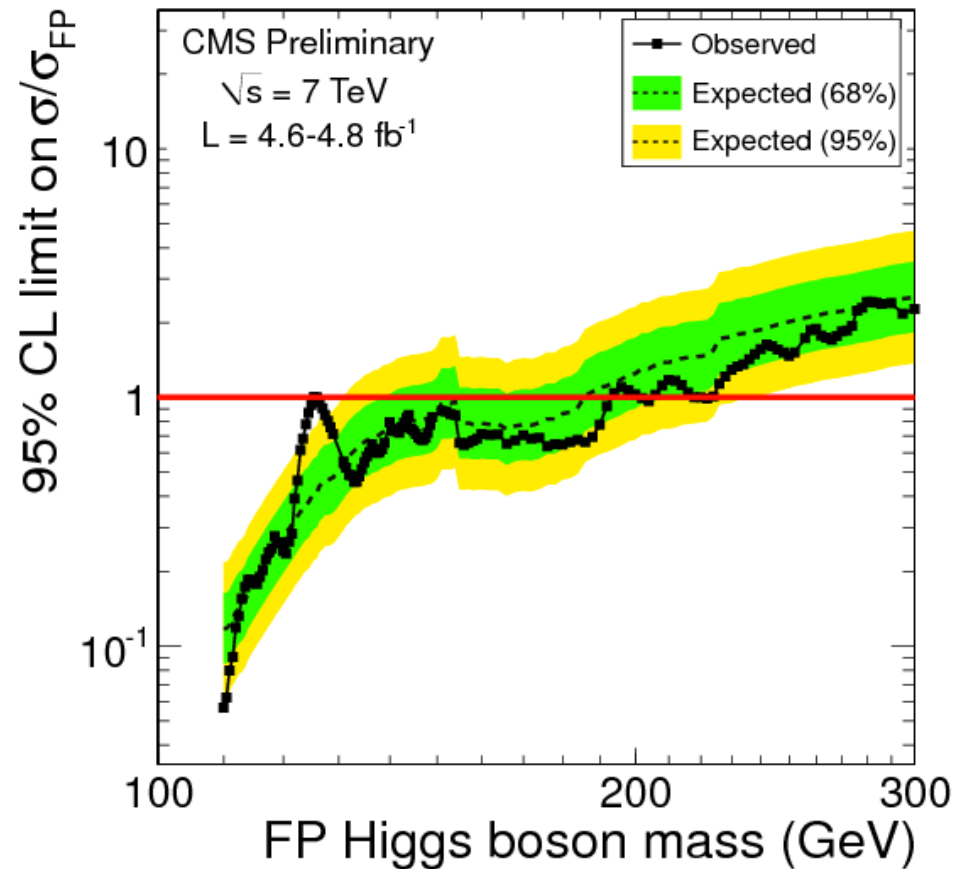
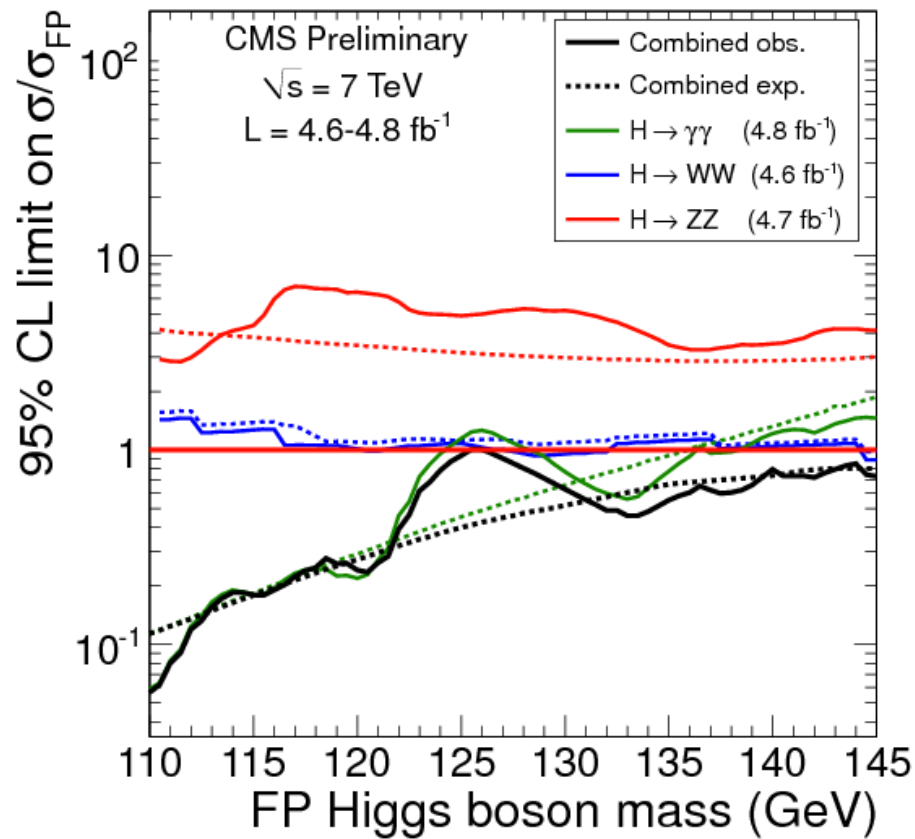


Excluded in the range: 120 - 600 GeV

New values from CERN 2012-002 including EW correction to production and decay

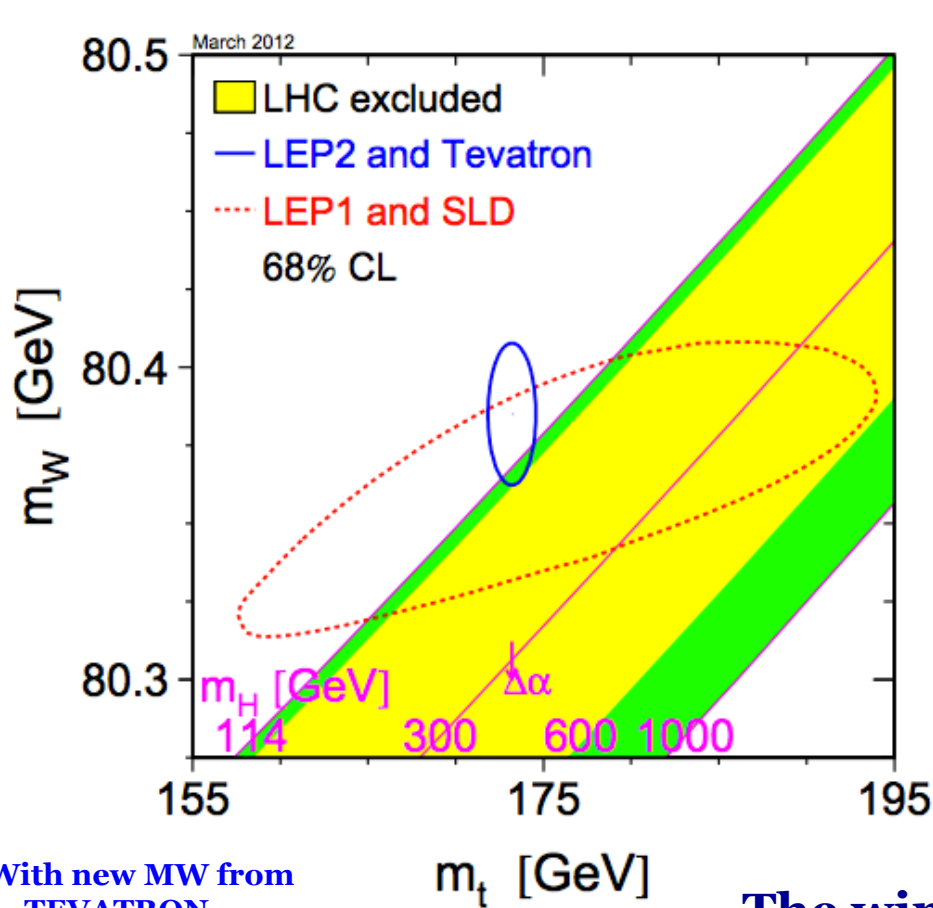


# Limits in the Fermiophobic scenario



Excluded in the range: 110 – 192 GeV

# The SM Higgs as of today



With new MW from  
TEVATRON  
MW =  $80.375 \pm 0.15$

The window left  
is between  
 $\sim 117 - 127$  GeV  
in agreement with  
EW precision physics

