

Higgs Couplings 2017

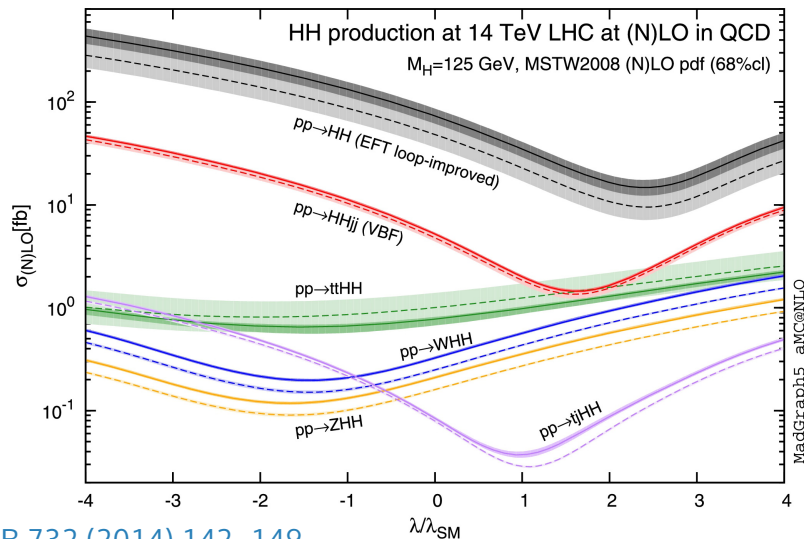
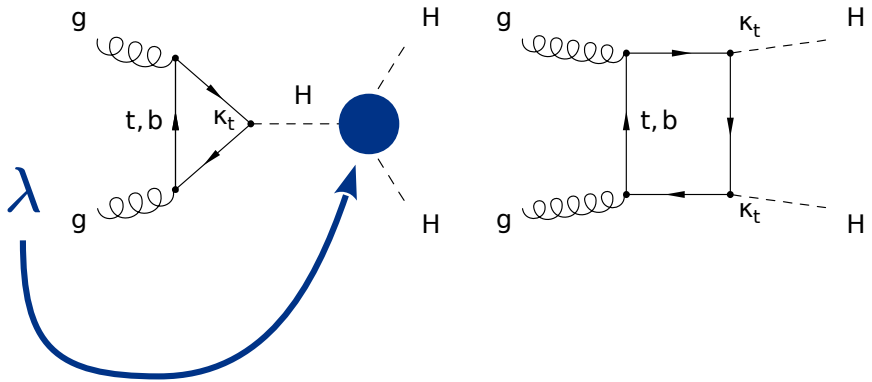
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Search for double Higgs production with the ATLAS and CMS experiments

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Motivations

- Key channel for SM study!
- Probe shape of EWSB potential
- *Direct** access to Higgs self-coupling λ
- SM prediction: $\lambda_{SM} = \frac{m_h^2}{2v^2} \approx 0.13$



PLB 732 (2014) 142-149

- Main production mode: gluon fusion
- Destructive interference → small rate:
 - $\sigma_{SM} = 33,5$ fb @ 13 TeV
 - NLO (m_t +PS), NNLO+NNLL ($m_t \rightarrow \infty$)
 - Rate & kinematics sensitive to λ

JHEP09(2016)151 JHEP10(2016)107
 PRL117.012001 J.Nucl.Phys.B900(2015)412-430
 1505.07122 PLB732(2014)142-149
 JHEP08(2017)088, see also LHCHXSWG YR4

- Start to be sensitive to SM with 3 ab^{-1} (14 TeV)
- BSM effects → early discovery possible!

* See e.g. Thibaud's talk (open session)

Motivations: BSM reach

Resonant production of new states, for instance in:

- xMSSM/2HDM
(extra doublet)

J.Phys.Rep.516(2012)1-102 JHEP09(2014)124
EPJC73(2013)2650 PhysRevD(69)053004

- Higgs portal
(extra singlet)

PhysRevD(72)093007 PhysRevD(89)095031
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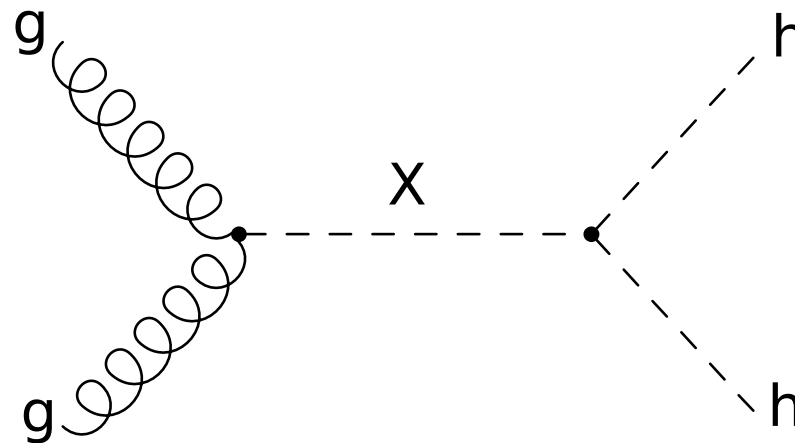
- Warped extra dimensions
 - Radion
 - KK-graviton (spin 2, gluon fusion)

PRL(83)3370 PhysRevD(76)036006 JHEP09(2007)013
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- Searches assume **narrow width**

Scalar resonances

→ Model-independent results!

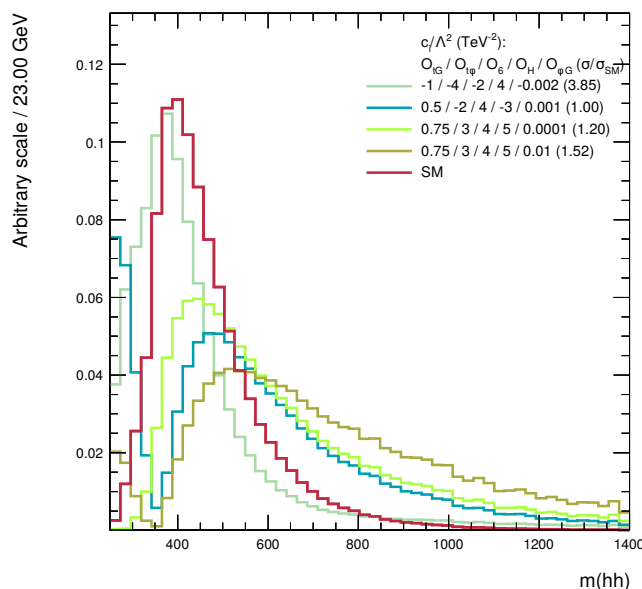


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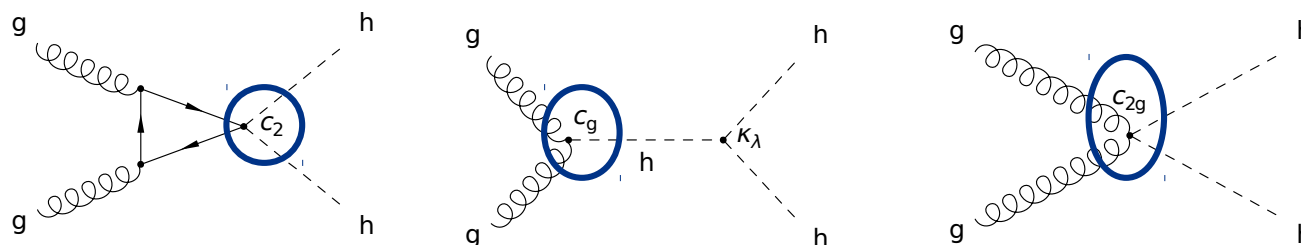
EFT and Higgs pairs

- New states out of reach → indirect effects: EFT parameterisation
- 5 dimension 6 operators contributing to double Higgs
- Modifications of:
 - Higgs self-coupling: $\kappa_\lambda = \lambda/\lambda_{SM}$
 - Top Yukawa: $\kappa_t = y^t/y_{SM}^t$
- New couplings → new diagrams
- Strong effect on rate & shapes – $m(hh)$ sensitive at threshold

JHEP04(2015)167, 1704.05700,
 JHEP08(2012)154, PhysRevD.92.035001,
 JHEP09(2015)092, JHEP10(2016)123,
 see also LHCHXSWG YR4 (p.199)



$$L^{hh} = \frac{1}{2} \partial_\mu h \partial^\mu h - \frac{m_h^2}{2} h^2 - \kappa_\lambda \lambda_{SM} v h^3 - \frac{m_t}{v} \left(v + \kappa_t h + \frac{c_2}{v} h h \right) (\bar{t}_L t_R + h.c.) + \frac{\alpha_s}{12\pi v} \left(c_{1g} h - \frac{c_{2g}}{2v} h h \right) G_{\mu\nu}^A G^{A,\mu,\nu}$$



Higgs pairs in practice

Variety of final states to look at! Most rely on one $h \rightarrow b\bar{b}$:

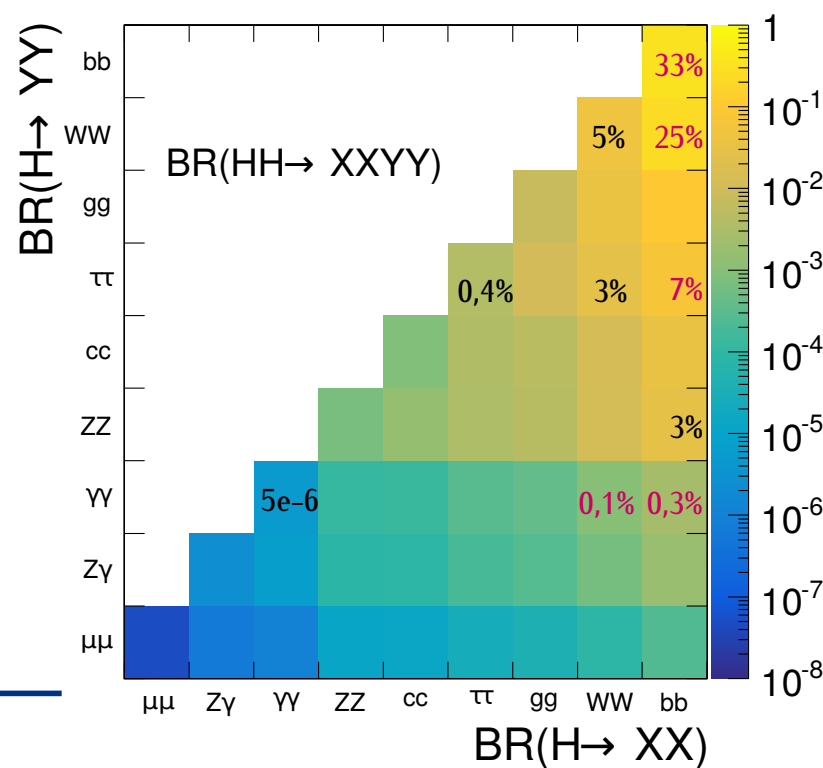
- $b\bar{b}b\bar{b}$: highest BR, high bkg. (multijet, $t\bar{t}$)
- $b\bar{b}\gamma\gamma$: very low BR, moderate bkg. (multijet+photons, single Higgs)
- $b\bar{b}\tau\tau$: compromise (moderate $t\bar{t}$ bkg.)
- $b\bar{b}WW^*$: high BR, high $t\bar{t}$ bkg.
 - Loss from leptonic W decays
- $\gamma\gamma WW^*$: very low BR, low bkg.

Best Run I results on SM hh:

Obs.(exp.) limit

on σ_{hh}/σ_{SM} :

	ATLAS	CMS
	70 (48)	43 (47)
	PRD 92, 092004	PRD 96, 072004





Searches in the $b\bar{b}b\bar{b}$ final state

BR = 33,6%

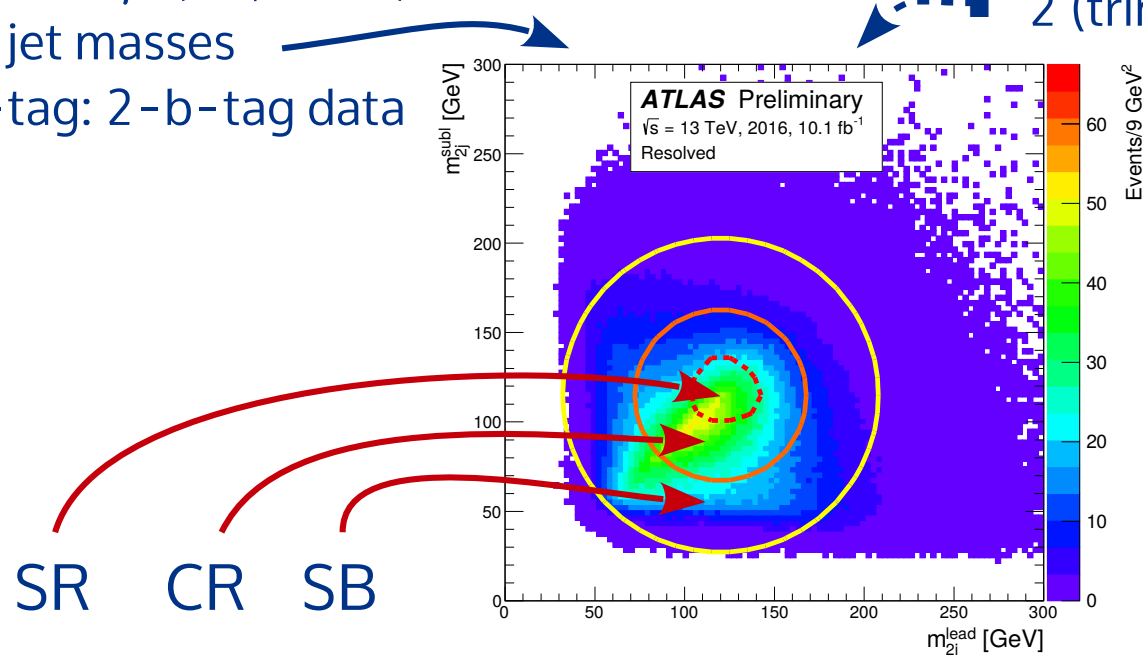
13.3 fb⁻¹ data (2015 & 2016) ATLAS-CONF-2016-049

Resolved: $m_X < 1$ TeV, SM

- ≥ 4 b-tagged jets (R=0.4)
- m(4j)-dependent jet selection & pairing
- Cut on $|\Delta\eta(h,h)|$; $\Delta R(h,h) > 1.5$
- 2 di-jet masses
- anti-tag: 2-b-tag data

Boosted: $m_X > 1$ TeV

- 2 b-tagged jets (R=1), 450/250 GeV
- Cut on $|\Delta\eta(h,h)| < 1.7$
- 2/3/4 associated b-tagged track jets
- 2 (trimmed) fat jet masses
- anti-tag: 0-b-tag data



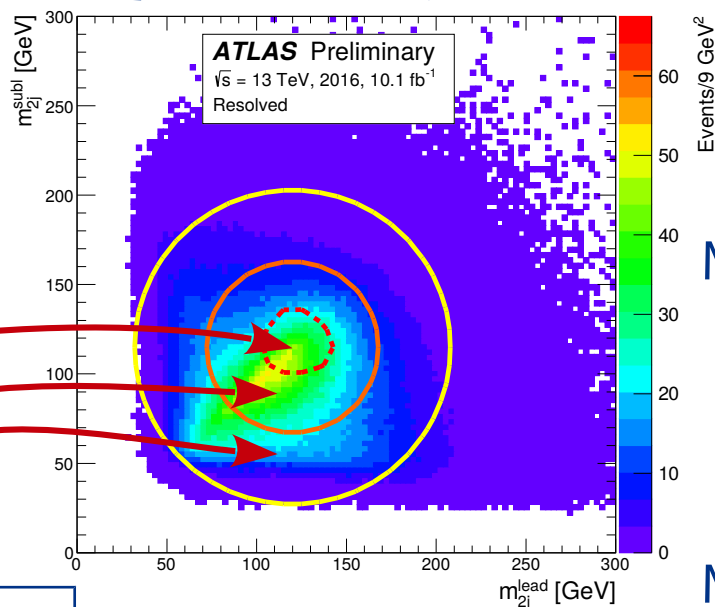
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SR CR SB

tag

N^{tag}

anti-tag

$N^{\text{anti-tag}}$

Multijet bkg. from data:

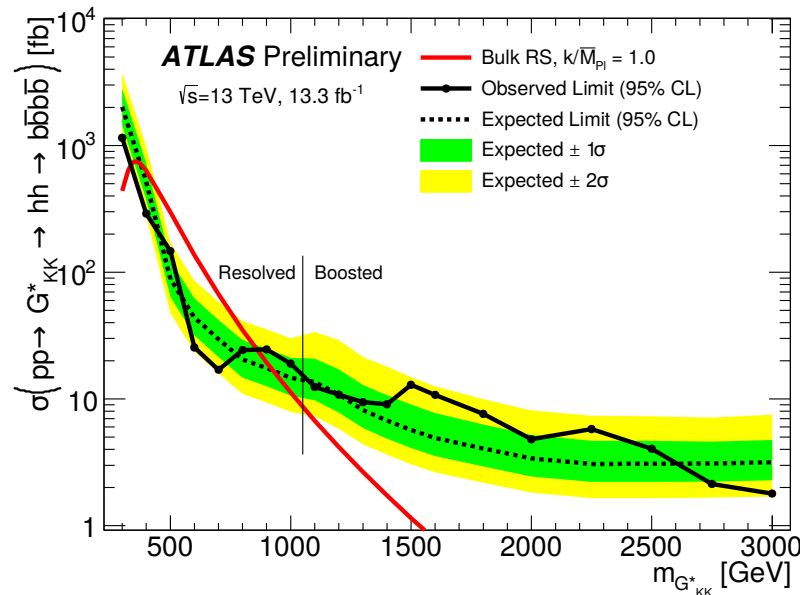
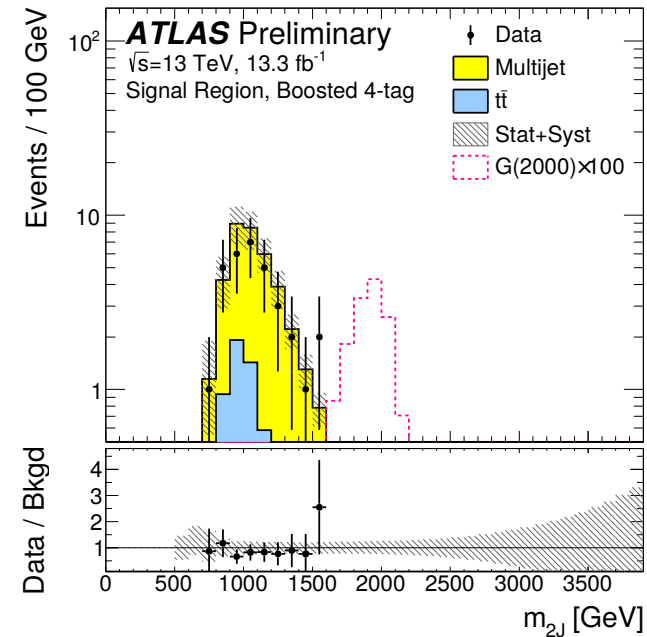
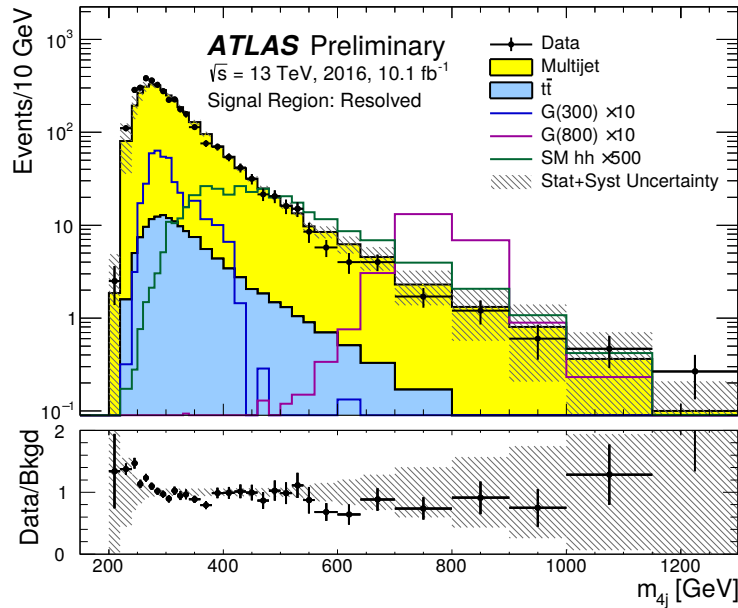
- Yields from $N^{\text{tag}}/N^{\text{anti-tag}}$ in SB
- Shape from anti-tag in SR:
Kinematic re-weighting

Method validated:

- in CR
 - using alternate SR
- $t\bar{t}$ bkg. from MC

ATLAS $b\bar{b}b\bar{b}$ results

Signal extracted from $m(4j)/m(2J)$ distributions:



Limits on Bulk RS graviton $\sigma \times \text{BR}$

Non-resonant limit:

$$\sigma \times \text{BR} < 330 \text{ fb}$$

$$\text{Obs. (exp.): } \sigma / \sigma_{SM} < 29 \text{ (38)}$$

CMS resonant resolved $b\bar{b}b\bar{b}$

NEW!



35.9 fb⁻¹ (2016) PAS-HIG-17-009

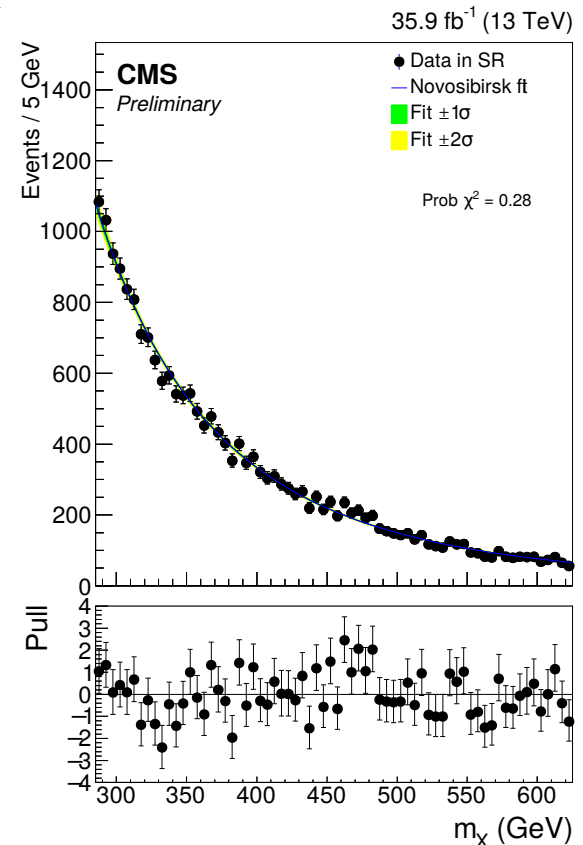
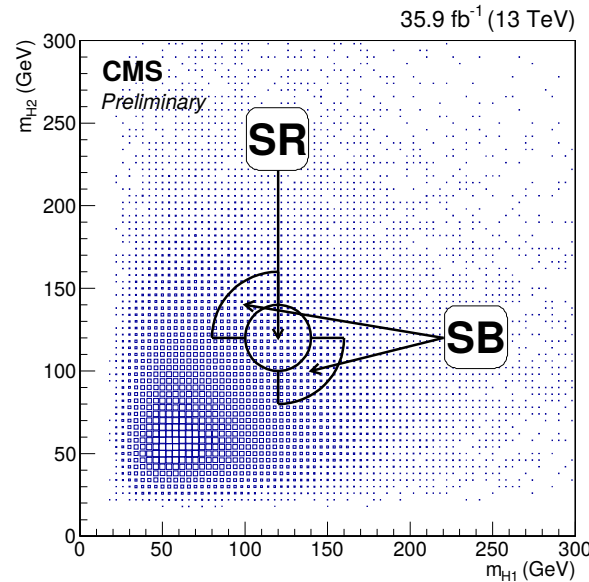
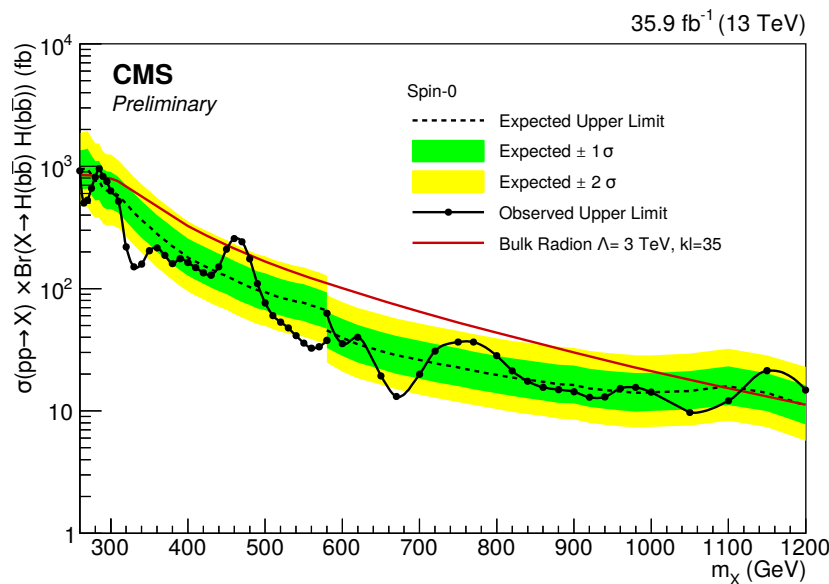
- 4 b-tagged jets
 - new **DeepCSV** algorithm
- B-jet energy regression
- Low & Medium Mass regions
 - Different jet pairing
- Kinematic fit → $m(hh)$

Multijet & $t\bar{t}$ bkg.: parametric fit

- 3 mass ranges → different functional forms
- ABCD method: mass sidebands, <4 b-tag
- Tested using alternate SR definition

Limits on spin 0 & spin 2 (KK-grav.) resonances

$$260 < m_X < 1200 \text{ GeV}$$



CMS resonant boosted $b\bar{b}b\bar{b}$

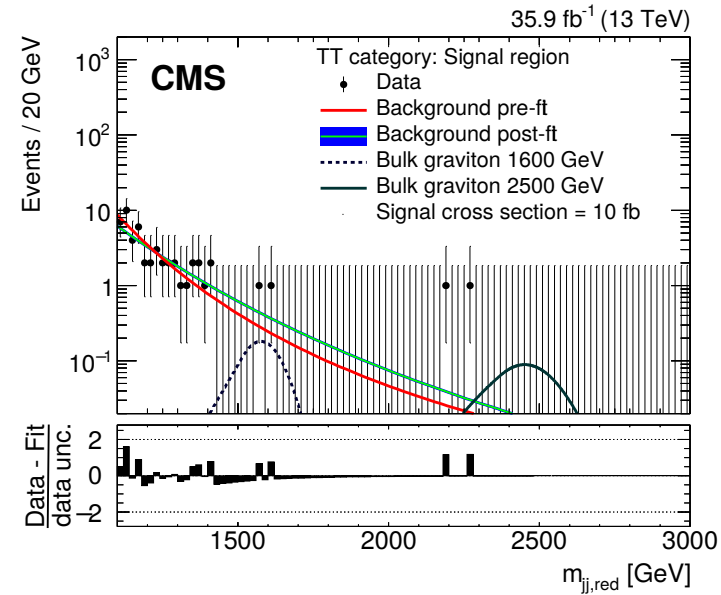


35.9 fb⁻¹ (2016) B2G-16-026, submitted to Phys.Lett.B

Target $m_X > 800$ GeV

- 2 jets, $R=0.8 \rightarrow$ soft-dropped mass
- Cut on $m(J)$, N-subjettiness, $|\Delta\eta(J,J)| < 1.3$
- Veto additional leptons
- „Double-b“ tagger
- Focus on „reduced“ invariant mass:

$$M_{\text{red}} = m(JJ) - (m(J_1) - m_h) - (m(J_2) - m_h)$$



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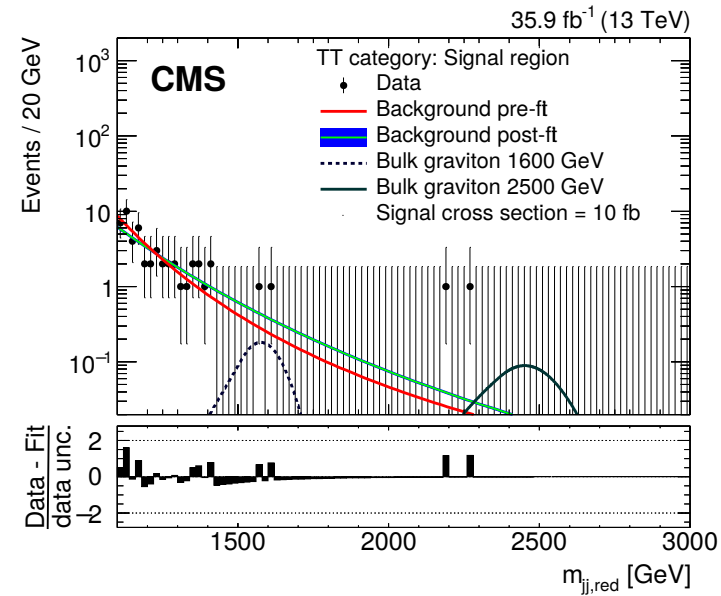
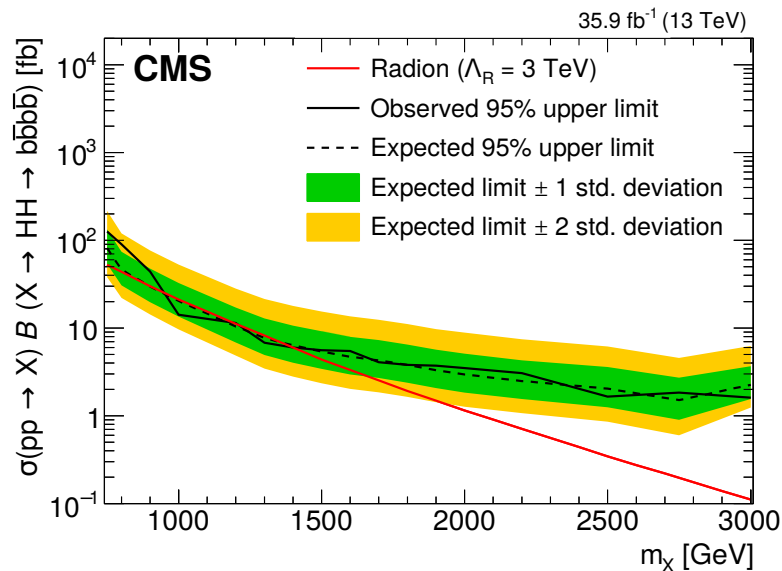


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Multijet background estimation:

$M_{\text{red}} < 1200$ GeV: refined ABCD method

- $m(J_1)$ and b-tag sidebands
- Interpolate dependence on $m(J_1)$

$M_{\text{red}} > 1200$ GeV:

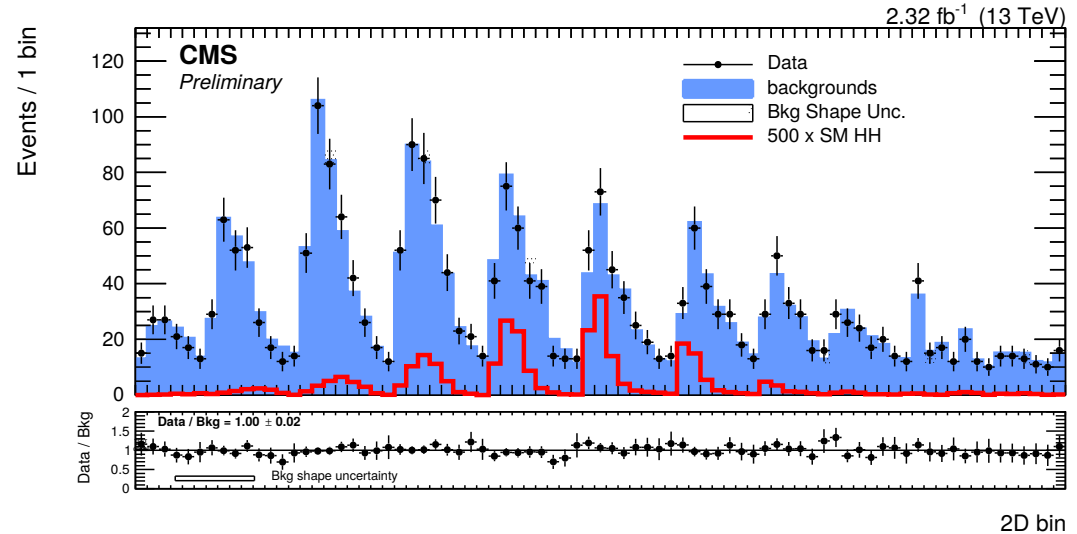
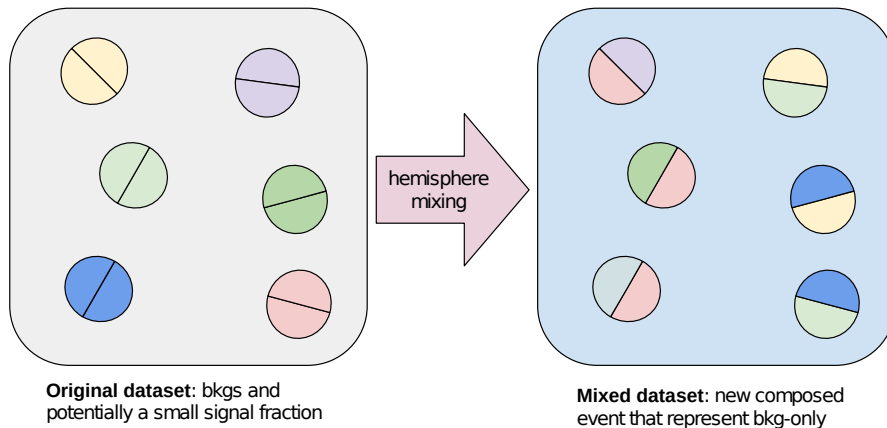
- Parametric fit (levelled exponential)
- Same shape SB & SR, yields from ABCD

CMS nonresonant $b\bar{b}b\bar{b}$



2.3 fb⁻¹ (2015) PAS-HIG-16-026

- 4 jets (R=0.4), 3/4 b-tagged
- Jet pairing: closest to m_h
- BDT trained on QCD+t $\bar{t}$ MC
- Signal from 2D shape: leading vs. sub-leading $m(jj)$ *after* cut on BDT



Bkg. template from data: **hemisphere mixing**

- Data events cut in 2 hemispheres:
Cut $\perp$ transverse thrust axis
- Hemisphere library $\rightarrow$ recreate events
- Pairing: nearest neighbour (kinematics)
- Validated in BDT sideband
 - Small bias $\rightarrow$ systematic on bkg.

Result: SM $\sigma \times \text{BR} < 3.9$ pb

Obs.(exp.): $\sigma/\sigma_{SM} < 342$ (308)

To be updated soon!

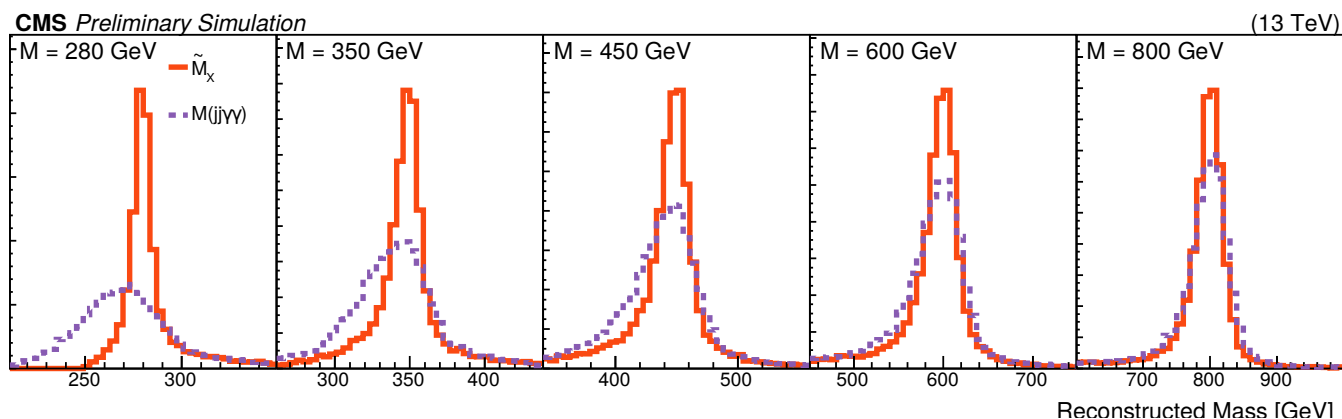
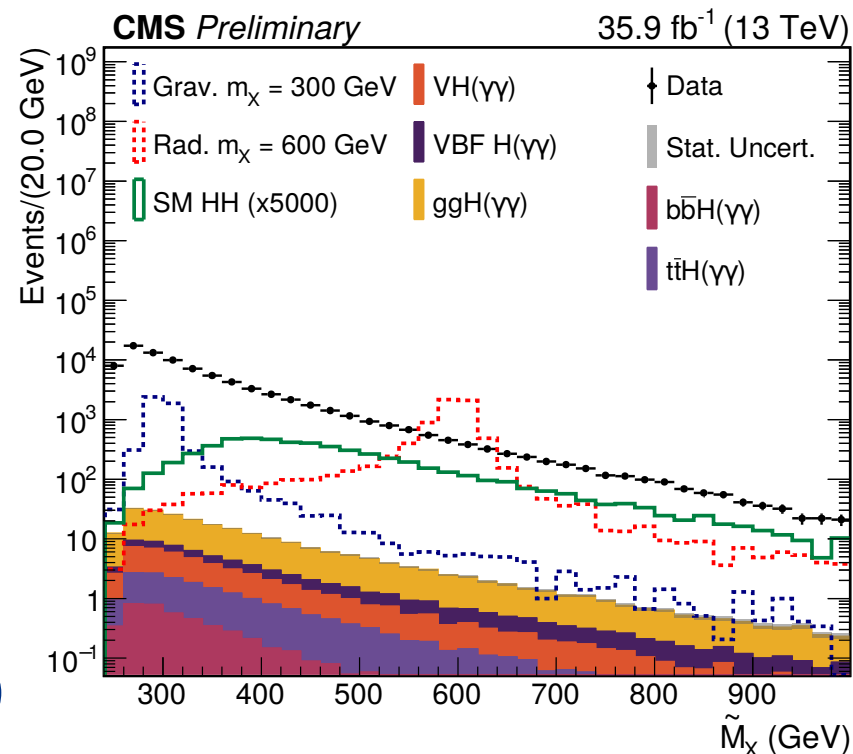


Searches in the $b\bar{b}\gamma\gamma$ final state

BR = 0.26%

35.9 fb⁻¹ (2016) PAS-HIG-17-008

- 2 photons, 2 b-tagged jets (R=0.4)
- b-jet energy regression
- Cut on $E_T(\gamma)$, $E_T(\gamma)/m(\gamma\gamma)$, $m(\gamma\gamma)$, $\Delta R(j,\gamma)$, $m(jj)$
- $M_x = m(jj\gamma\gamma) - m(jj) - m(\gamma\gamma) + 250$ GeV
- Categories using BDT & M_x windows
 - optimised separately for resonant & non-resonant searches
- Search: 2D parametric fit on $m(\gamma\gamma)$ vs. $m(jj)$
 - 2D PDF = product of 1D densities (Bernstein)
- SM single Higgs background from MC



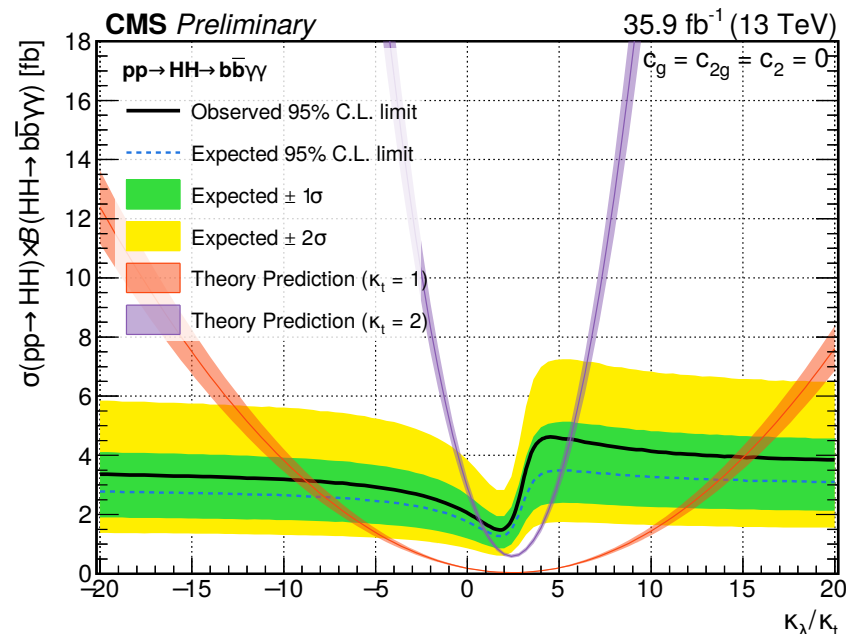
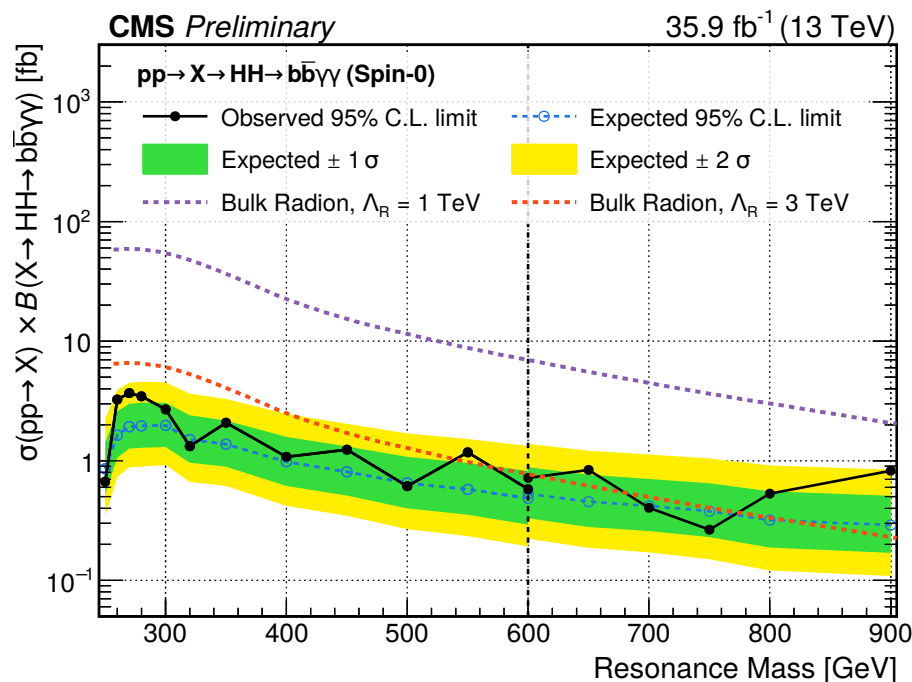
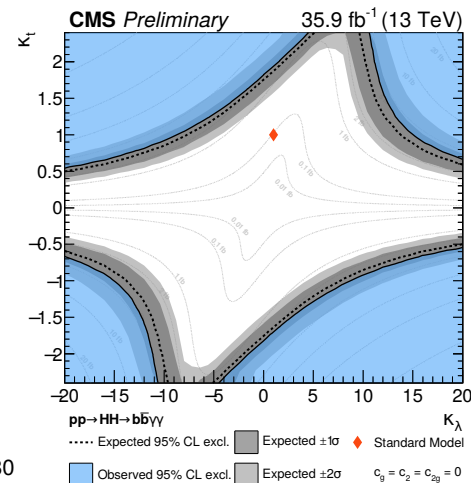
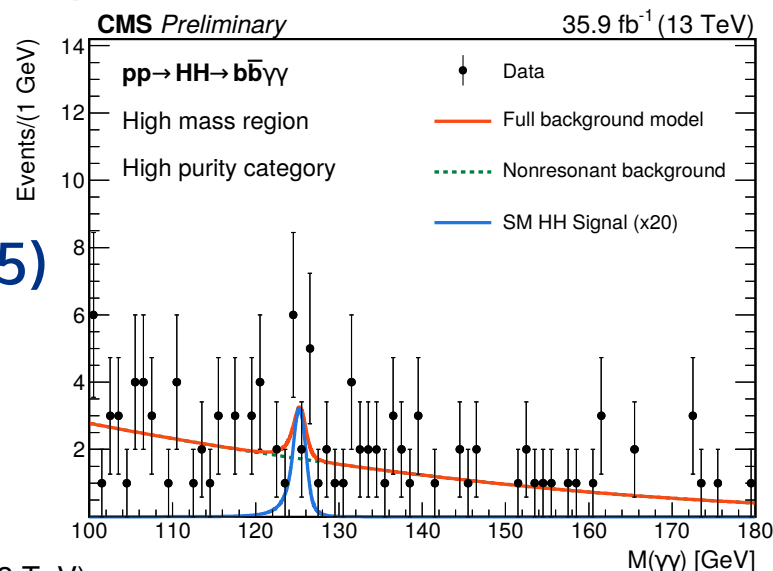
CMS $b\bar{b}\gamma\gamma$ results



Resonant: spin 0 & spin 2 (KK-grav.)

Nonresonant results:

- SM $\sigma \times \text{BR} < 1.67 \text{ fb}$
- Obs.(exp.): $\sigma/\sigma_{SM} < 19.2 \text{ (16.5)}$
- Limits as a function of $\kappa_\lambda / \kappa_t$
- Constrain the κ_t vs. κ_λ plane

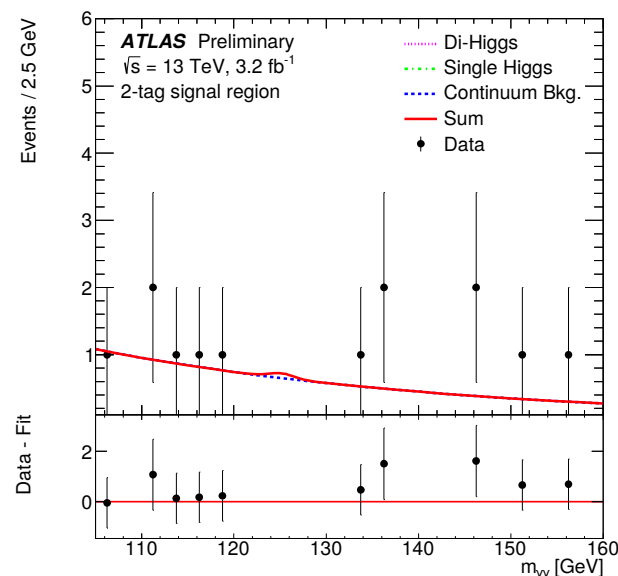


3.2 fb⁻¹ (2015) ATLAS-CONF-2016-004

- 2 photons, 2 b-tagged jets (R=0.4)
- di-jet momentum scaled by $m_h/m(jj)$
- Cut on $E_T(\gamma)/m(\gamma\gamma)$; $m(\gamma\gamma)$ & $m(jj)$ windows
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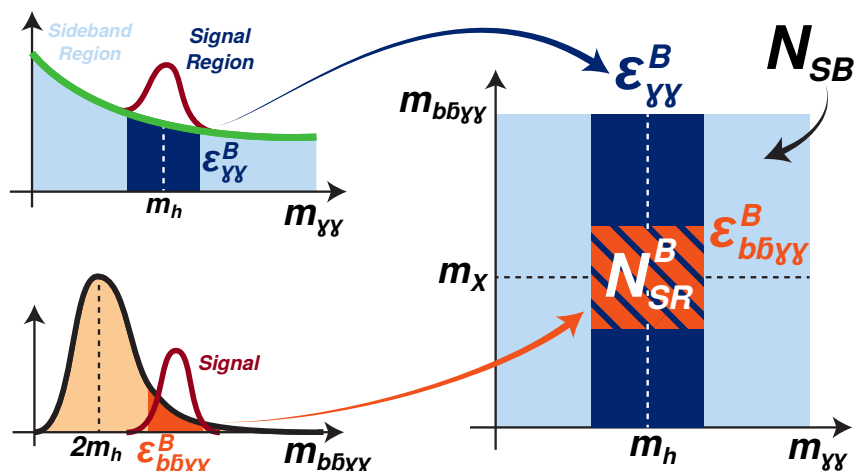
- Parametric fit of $m(\gamma\gamma)$ – excluding $m_h \pm 2\sigma_m$
- Same shape in 0-tag and 2-tag, norm. free

Result: $\sigma_{hh} < 3.9$ pb

Exp./obs.: $\sigma/\sigma_{SM} < 162/177$

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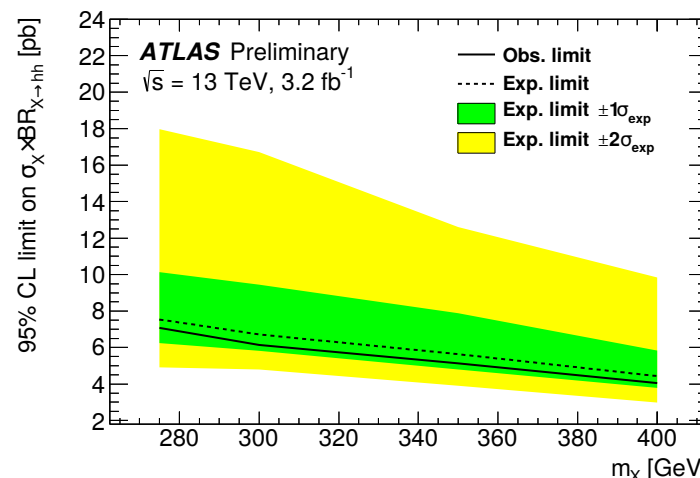
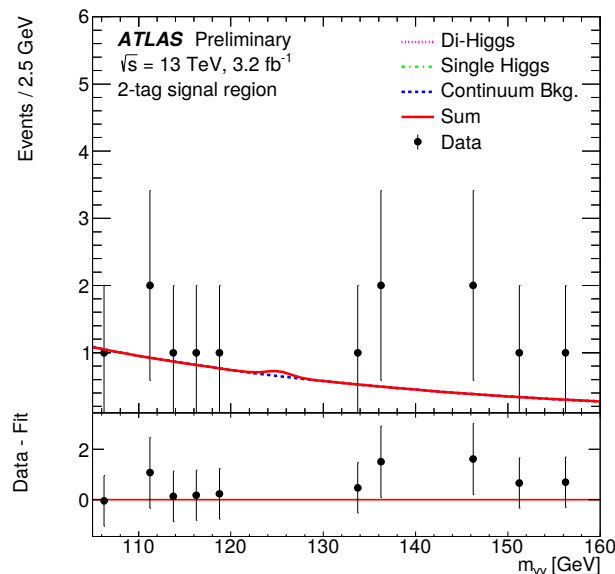
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Obs.(exp.): $\sigma/\sigma_{SM} < 177$ (162)

Resonant:

- Yield in SR from sidebands in $m(\gamma\gamma)$ and $m(jj\gamma\gamma)$
- Window size ↔ resolution at m_X
- Cut efficiencies from fits in 0-tag region





Other final states

CMS $b\bar{b}\tau\tau$ – BR = 7.3%

35.9 fb⁻¹ (2016) [HIG-17-002](#), submitted to Phys.Lett.B

- 2 OS taus, 3 channels: $\tau_{\text{had}}\tau_{\text{had}}$, $\tau_{\text{had}}\tau_{\mu}$, $\tau_{\text{had}}\tau_e$ (88%)
- Veto extra leptons
- $m(\tau\tau)$ reconstruction from kinematic fit
- 2 jets (R=0.4)

Resolved:

- b-tag: 2b, 1b1j
- Elliptical $m(\tau\tau)$ vs. $m(jj)$ window

Boosted:

- 1 jet (R=0.8) matched to the 2 jets
- Subjet b-tagging
- Rectangular $m(\tau\tau)$ vs. $m(J)$ cut

Backgrounds:

- $t\bar{t}$, Z+jets: MC
- QCD: from data

2 BDTs → categories

- Low-mass + nonresonant
- High-mass (> 350 GeV)

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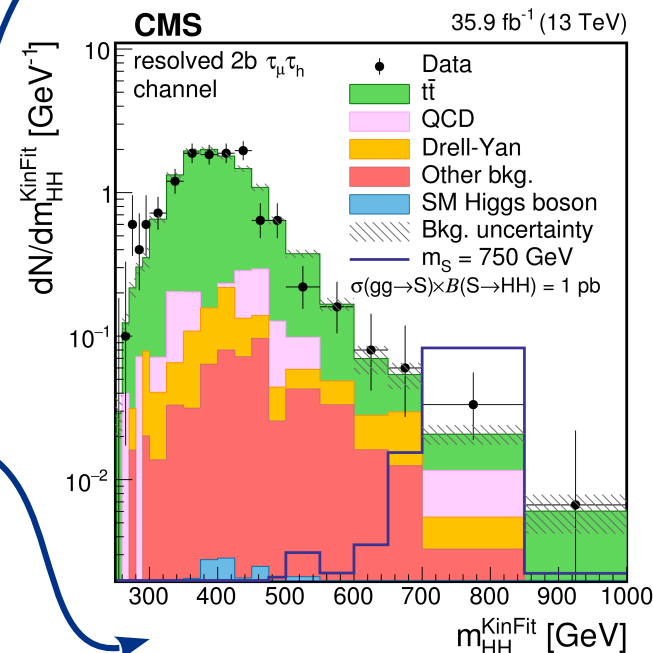
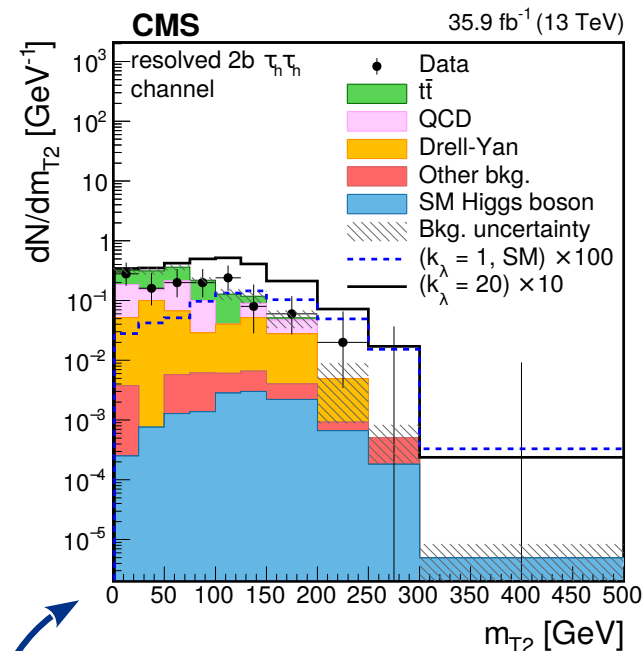
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Nonresonant:

"stransverse mass" M_{T2}

Resonant: $m(\text{jj}\tau\tau)$ + kin. fit



CMS $b\bar{b}\tau\tau$ results

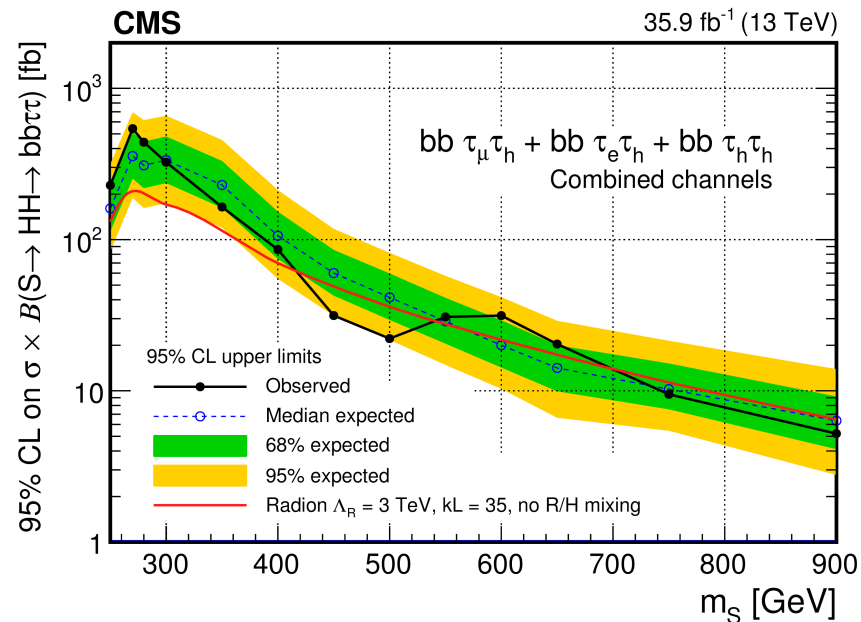
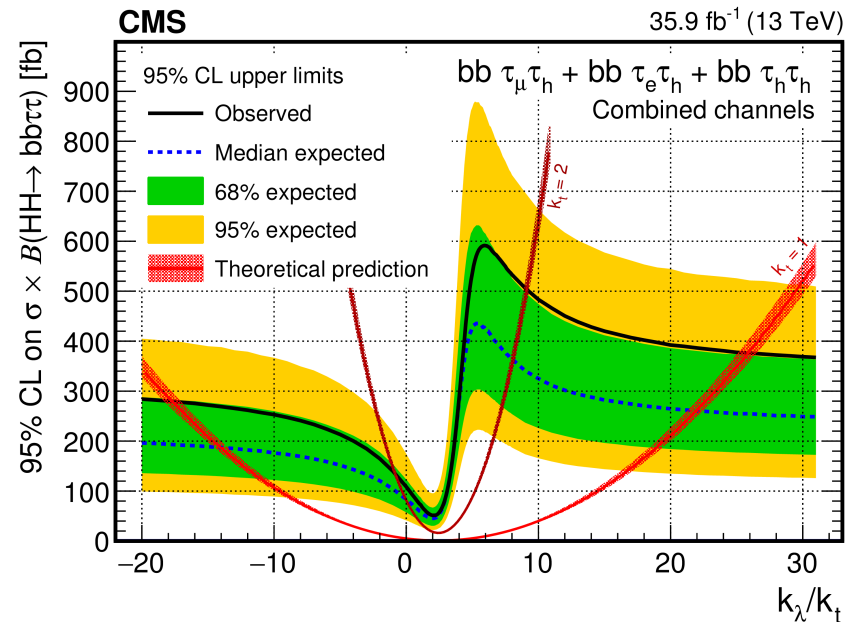
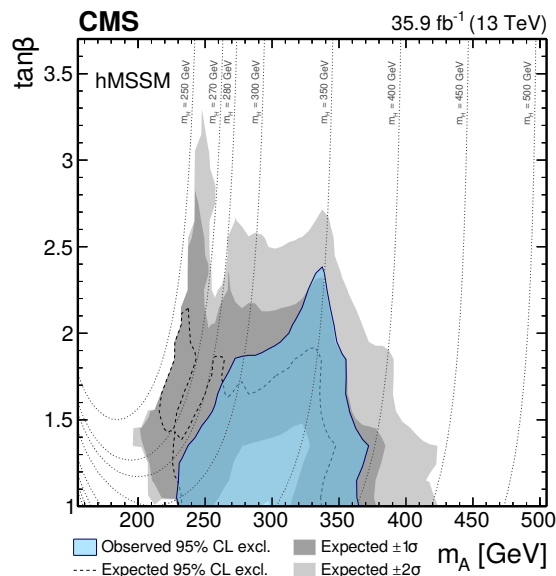


Nonresonant:

- SM $\sigma \times \text{BR} < 75.4 \text{ fb}$
- Obs.(exp.): $\sigma/\sigma_{SM} < 30$ (25)
- Limits as a function of κ_λ/κ_t
- Constrain the κ_t vs. κ_λ plane

Resonant: spin 0 & spin 2

- Interpretation in hMSSM

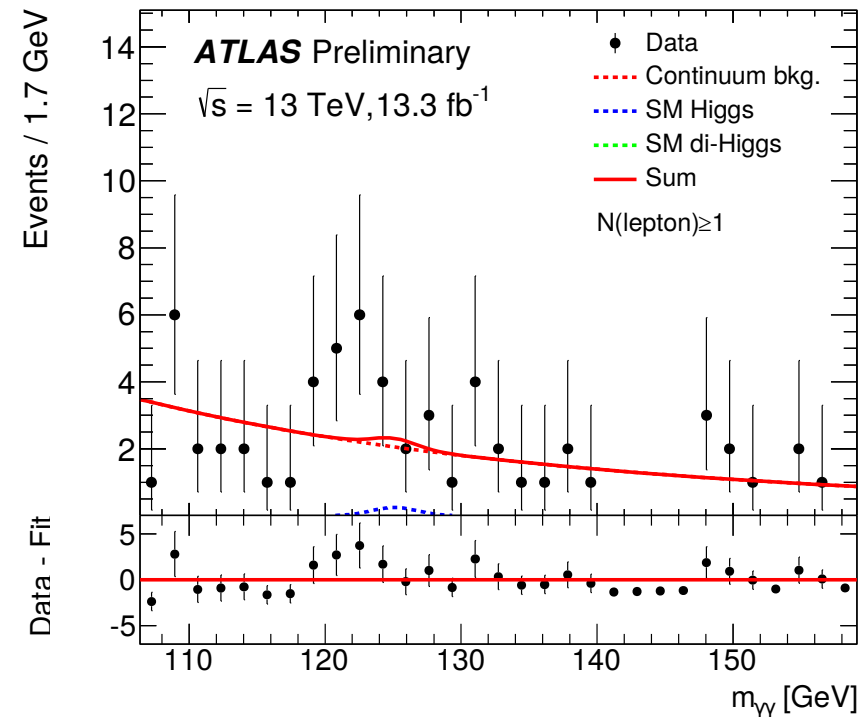
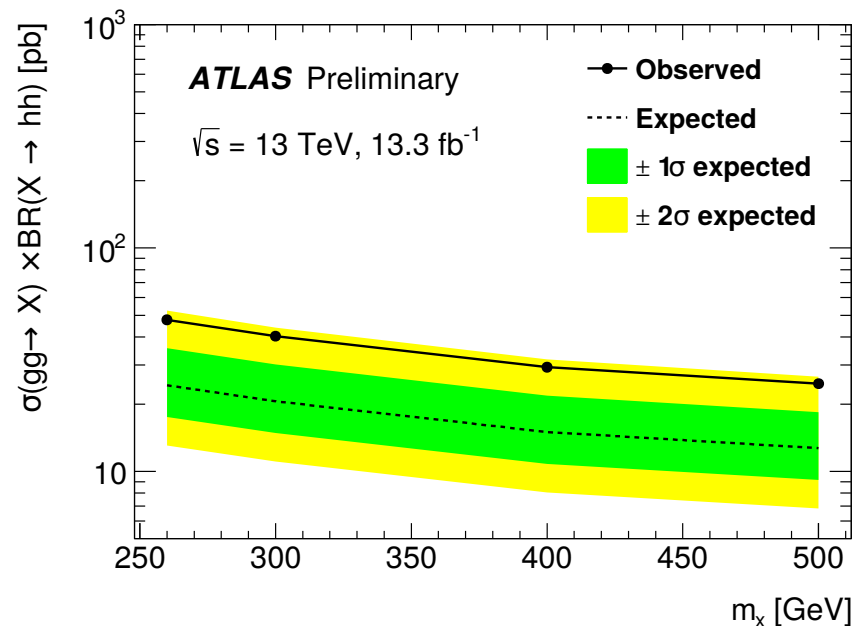


ATLAS $\gamma\gamma WW^*$ – BR = 0.1%



13.3 fb⁻¹ (2015 & 2016) ATLAS-CONF-2016-071

- 2 photons, cut on $E_T(\gamma)/m(\gamma\gamma)$; $m(\gamma\gamma)$ window
- $W(l\nu)W(jj) \rightarrow 2$ jets (b-tag veto) & 1 lepton (e/ μ)
- Signal region/sideband: $m(\gamma\gamma)$ in/out $m_h \pm 2\sigma_m$
- Control region: 0 leptons
- Single Higgs bkg. from simulation



Continuum bkg. from data:

- Yield from SR/SB ratio (on/off peak)
- On/off ratio obtained in CR: parametric fit of $m(\gamma\gamma)$ (2nd order exponential)

Nonresonant result: $\sigma_{hh} < 25$ pb

Obs.(exp.): $\sigma/\sigma_{SM} < 750$ (386)

CMS $b\bar{b}VV^*(l\nu l\nu) - \text{BR} = 2.7\%$

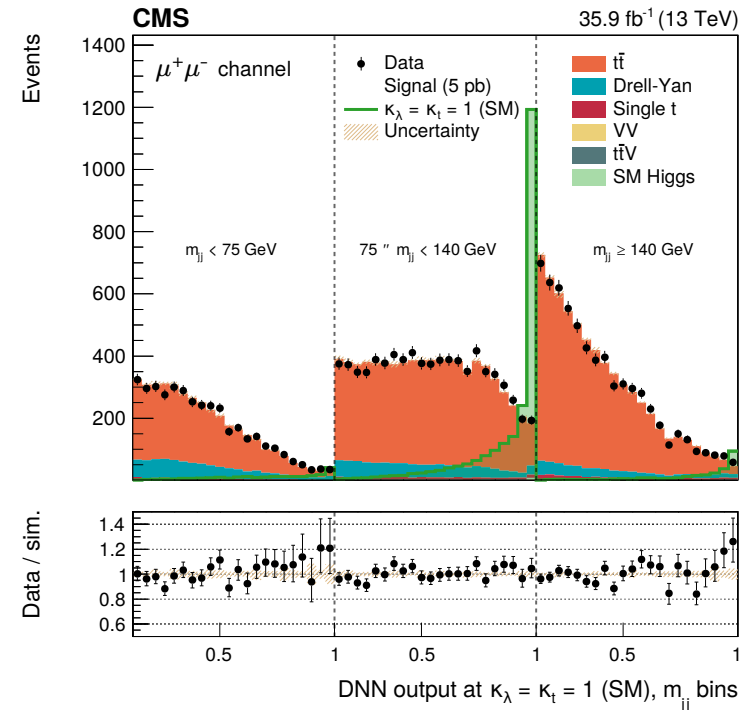
35.9 fb⁻¹ (2016) HIG-17-006, submitted to JHEP

- 2 OS leptons → 3 cat.egs.: $ee, \mu\mu, e\mu + \mu e$
- Focus on WW^* part – remove $Z(\ell\ell)$ peak & tail
- 2 b-jets (cMVA v2 tagger), $\Delta R(j, l) > 0.3$
- $t\bar{t}$ & small bkg. from MC
- Z+jets: from data, reweighted (≥ 0 b-jets)

Parameterised DNNs¹: input m_X or κ_t and κ_λ

- Optimal sensitivity with single training
- Limit from DNN shape in 3 m_{jj} bins

¹ Phys.J.C 76:235 (2016)



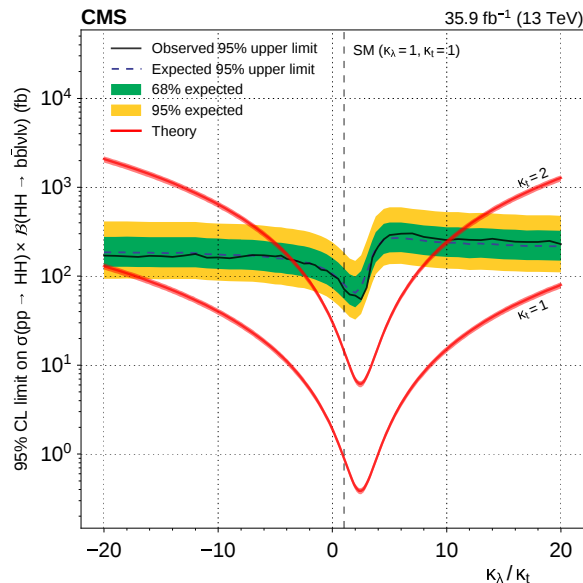
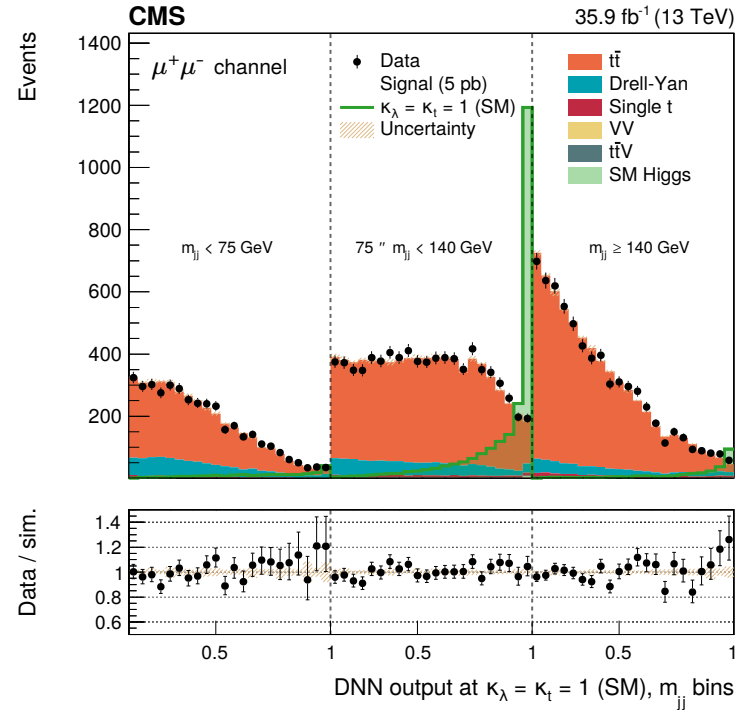
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Parameterised DNNs¹: input m_X or κ_t and κ_λ

- Optimal sensitivity with single training
- Limit from DNN shape in 3 $m(jj)$ bins

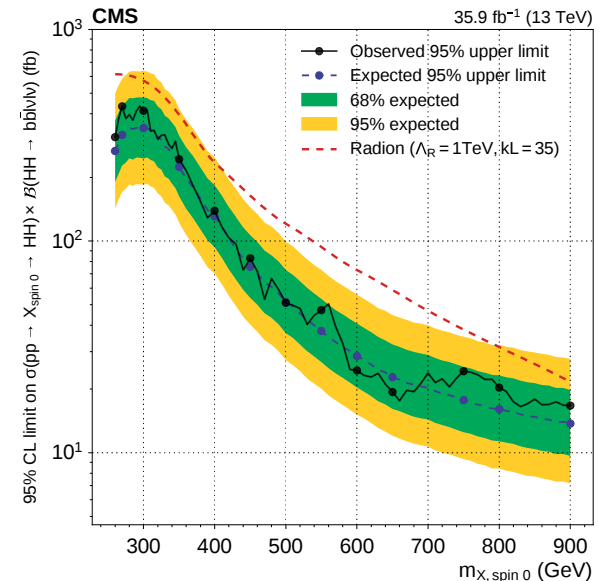


¹ Phys.J.C 76:235 (2016)

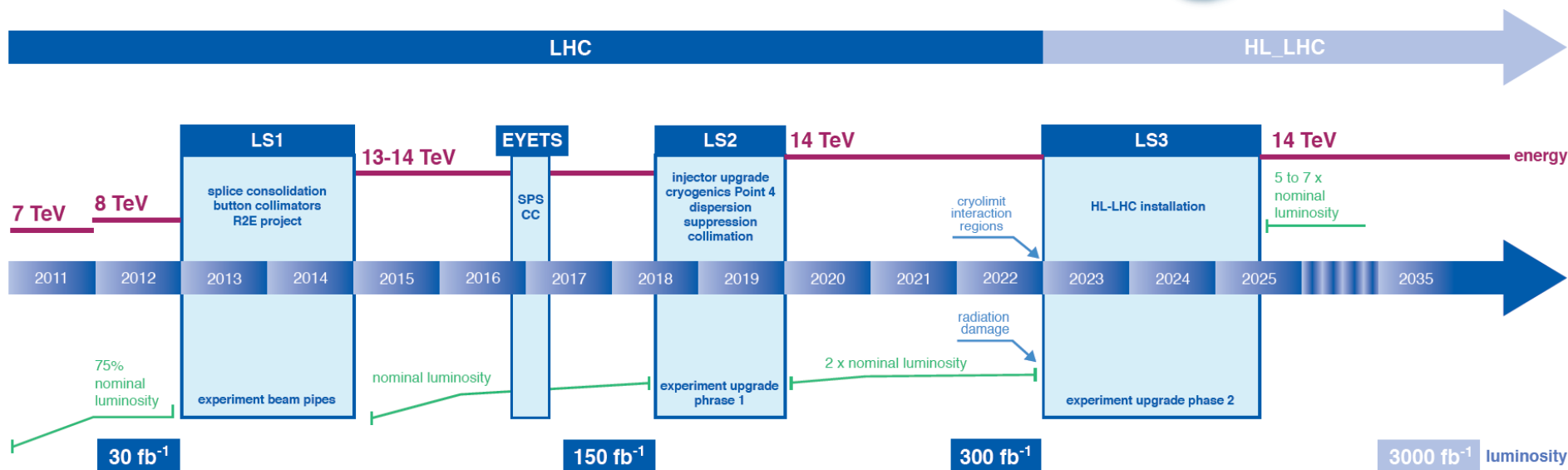
Resonant: spin 0 & 2 (KK-grav.)

Nonresonant:

- SM $\sigma \times \text{BR} < 72 \text{ fb}$
- Obs.(exp.): $\sigma / \sigma_{SM} < 79 \text{ (89)}$
- Limits as a function of $\kappa_\lambda / \kappa_t$
- Constrain the κ_t vs. κ_λ plane



LHC / HL-LHC Plan



Prospects for HL-LHC

- LHC → $\sqrt{s} = 14 \text{ TeV} \rightarrow \sigma_{SM} + 18\%$
- Ultimate $L_{\text{int}} \rightarrow 3000 \text{ fb}^{-1} (2025 - 2035)$
- $L_{\text{inst}} \rightarrow 5e34/\text{cm}^2/\text{s}$, average pileup → 200

ATLAS upgrade studies

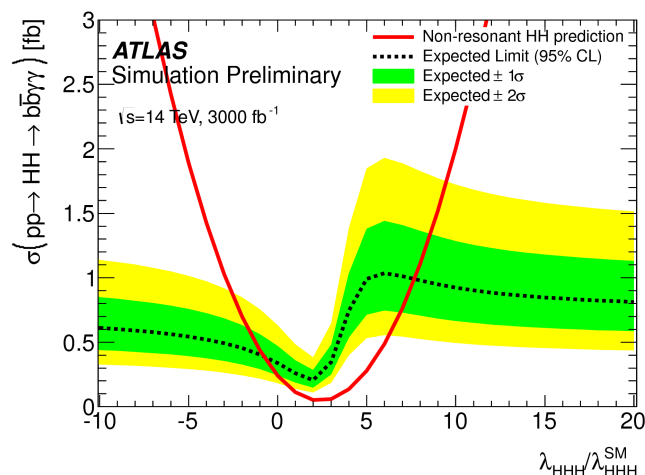
ATLAS upgrade:

- New all-silicon inner tracker, $|\eta| < 4$
- Barrel calorimeters: new electronics
- New endcap calo. (high granularity)
- Muon tagging to $|\eta| < 4$
- Trigger: L1 @ 0.4-1 MHz, HLT @ 10 kHz

$b\bar{b}\gamma\gamma$: ATL-PHYS-PUB-2017-001

- Gen-level MC smeared
- Without systematics:

$$\text{SM: } 1.05\sigma, -0.8 < \kappa_\lambda < 7.7$$



$b\bar{b}b\bar{b}$: ATL-PHYS-PUB-2016-024

- Extrapolated from 2016 analysis
- With systematics:

$$\sigma/\sigma_{SM} < 5.2, -3.5 < \kappa_\lambda < 11$$

- Sensitivity on jet p_T thresholds

$b\bar{b}\tau\tau$: ATL-PHYS-PUB-2015-046

- Gen-level MC smeared
- With systematics:

$$\text{SM: } 0.6\sigma, \sigma/\sigma_{SM} < 4.3$$

$t\bar{t}hh(b\bar{b}b\bar{b})$: ATL-PHYS-PUB-2016-023

- Gen-level MC smeared
- Without systematics:

$$\text{SM: } 0.35\sigma$$

CMS upgrade studies

CMS upgrade:

- New all-silicon tracker, $|\eta| < 4$, track-trigger
- Barrel calorimeters: new electronics
- New endcap calo. (high granularity)
- Muon detectors to $|\eta| < 2.8$
- Trigger: L1 @ 750 kHz, HLT @ 7.5 kHz

Dedicated studies: [PAS-FTR-15-002](#)

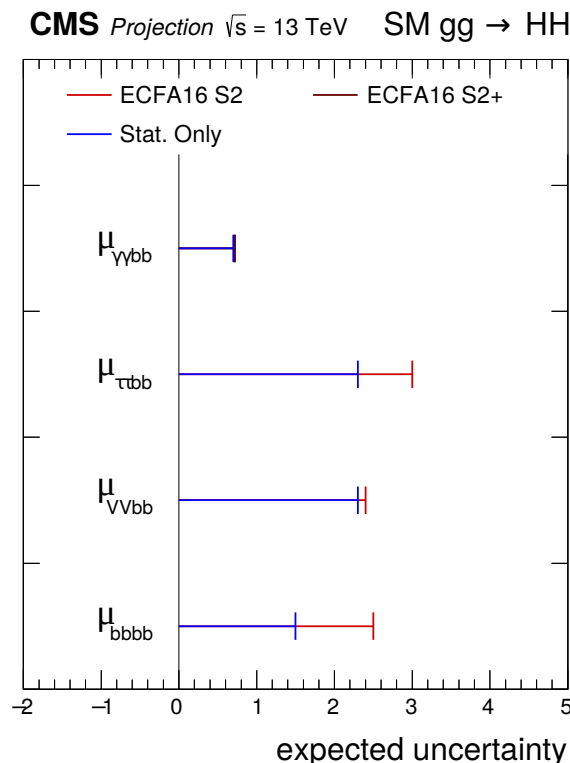
- DELPHES¹ fast parametric simulation
- Gen-level MC smeared
- $b\bar{b}\gamma\gamma, b\bar{b}\tau\tau, b\bar{b}VV(l\nu l\nu, l\nu jj)$

Combined, with systematics:

SM: 1.9σ , 54% precision on σ_{SM}

Extrapolations of 2015 analyses: [PAS-FTR-16-002](#)

- $b\bar{b}\gamma\gamma, b\bar{b}\tau\tau, b\bar{b}b\bar{b}, b\bar{b}VV(l\nu l\nu)$
- Different scenarios:
 - No systematics ("stat. only")
 - Scenarios with reduced theory uncertainties & reduced systematics ($\approx$ future detector performances)



¹ JHEP02(2014)057



Summary & conclusion

Results summary

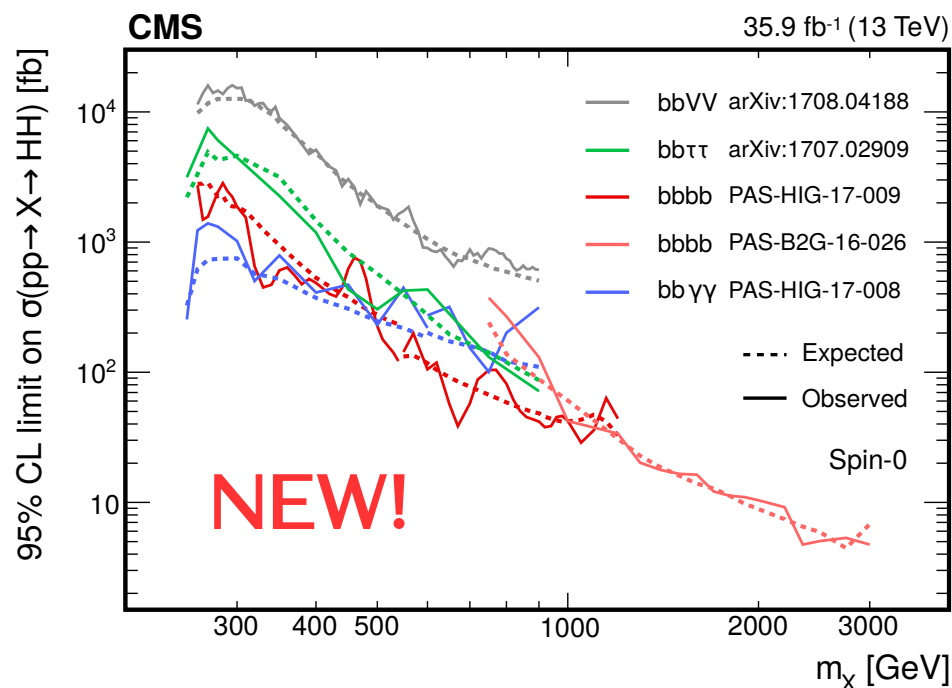
Current status:

- Most stringent limit on λ :

$$-8.8 < \lambda/\lambda_{SM} < 15$$

- Exclusions on resonances:

$$\sigma_{gg \rightarrow X} \times BR_{X \rightarrow hh} < 1 \text{ pb (300 GeV)} \\ 4 \text{ fb (3 TeV)}$$



Obs.(exp.) limit on σ_{hh}/σ_{SM} :

Final state	ATLAS	CMS
$b\bar{b}\gamma\gamma$	177 (162)	19 (16)
$b\bar{b}\tau\tau$		30 (25)
$b\bar{b}b\bar{b}$	29 (38)	342 (308)
$b\bar{b}WW^*$		79 (89)
$\gamma\gamma WW^*$	750 (386)	

2015 (2.3–3.2 fb⁻¹)

2015+2016 (13.3 fb⁻¹)

2016 (35.9 fb⁻¹)

Conclusions



- CMS & ATLAS: rich search program on double Higgs production
- Variety of final states probed
- **No excess** above SM expectations seen
- Limits on spin-0 and spin-2 (KK-Grav.) resonances
- Limits on nonresonant SM & BSM process – Run I limits already $\times \frac{1}{2}$!
- Future prospects: start closing in on SM at HL-LHC

Stay tuned!

- Updates with 2016 dataset coming soon
- Combination of final states' results
- Next milestone: full Run II analysis



Back-up

CMS nonresonant EFT results

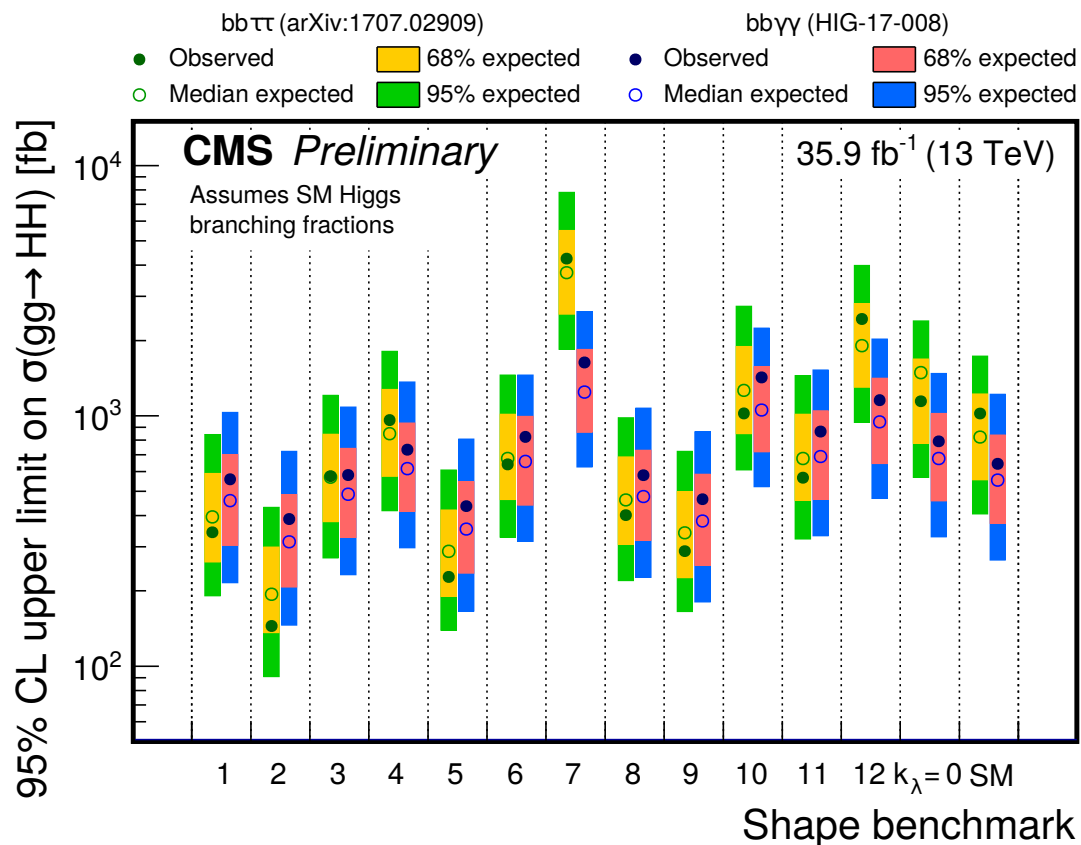
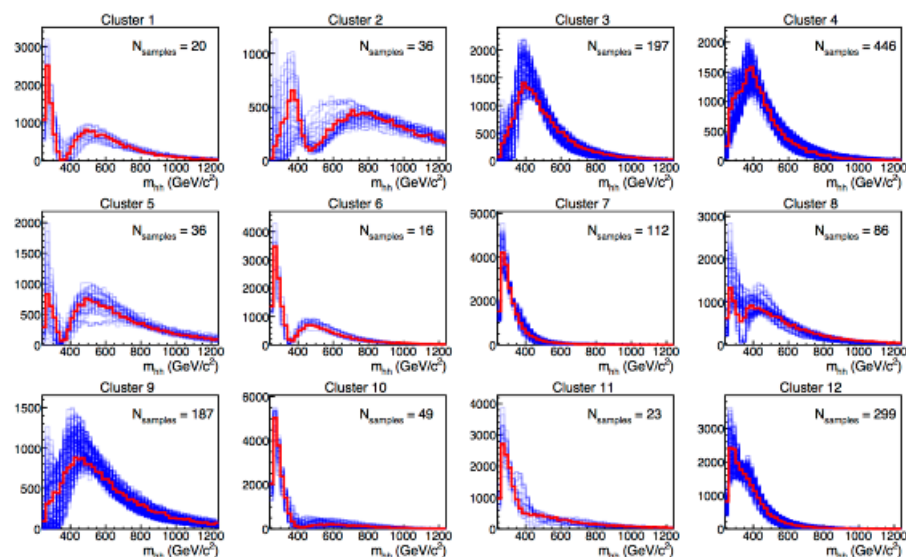


EFT: 5 parameters (see slide 4)

- Clustering procedure → representative points
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- Highly varying kinematics probed
- Basis for event re-weighting
- Re-casting possibilities 1710.08261

CMS limits on shape „benchmarks“:

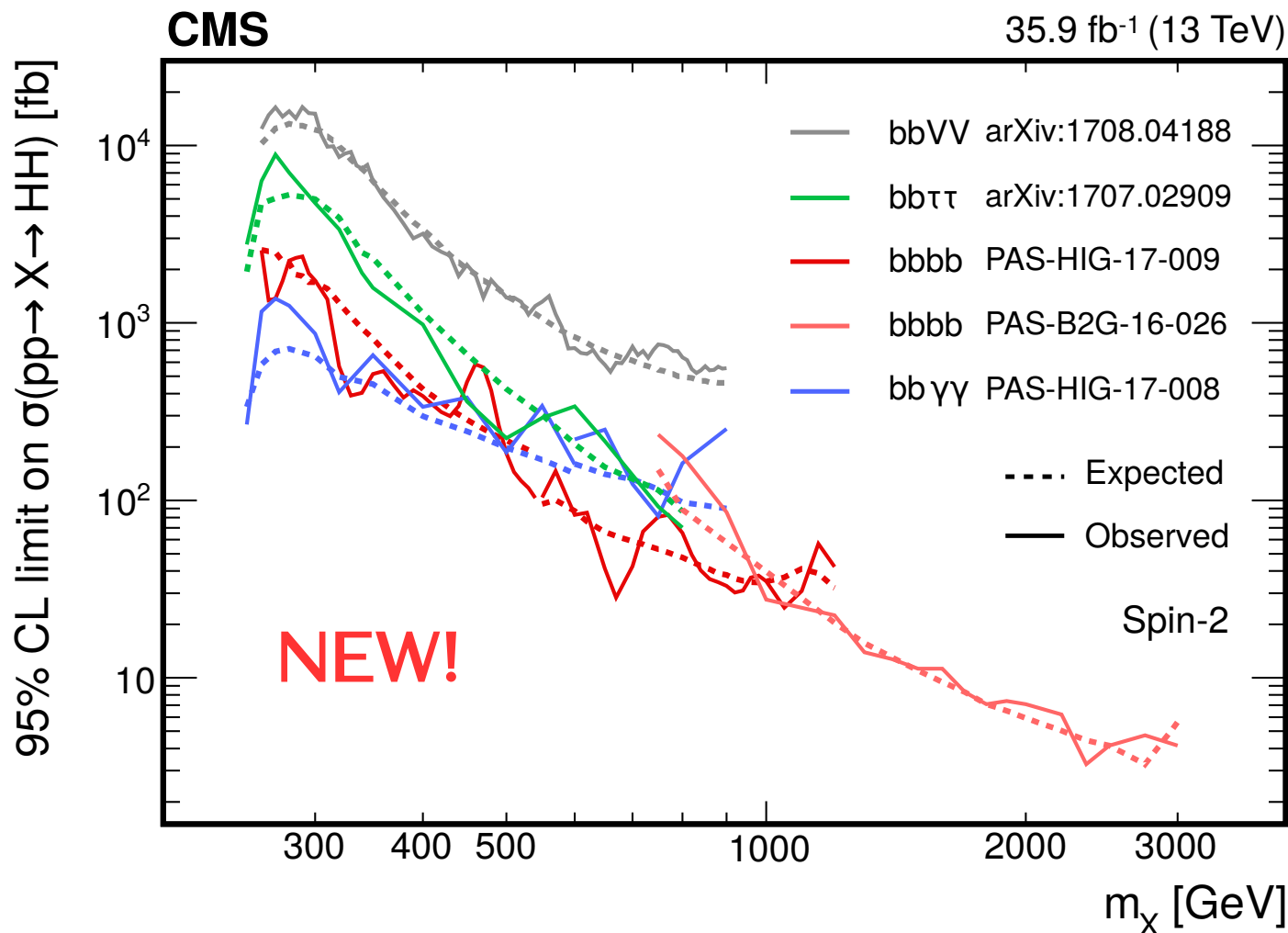
Channels have different sensitivity depending on kinematics!



CMS spin-2 resonances



Results summary on spin-2 narrow-width resonances produced in gluon fusion (KK-Gravitons):



13.3 fb⁻¹ data (2015 & 2016) ATLAS-CONF-2016-049

Resolved:

- All combinations passing
 - Choose pairs minimizing D_{hh}
 - Additional cuts on h cand.
 - Trigger: 1/2 b-tagged jets
[extra jets]
- + quality & kinematical requirements

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \frac{360}{m_{4j}} - 0.5 < \Delta R_{jj, \text{lead}} < \frac{655}{m_{4j}} + 0.475 \\ \frac{235}{m_{4j}} < \Delta R_{jj, \text{subl}} < \frac{875}{m_{4j}} + 0.35 \end{aligned} \right\} \text{if } m_{4j} < 1250 \text{ GeV}$$

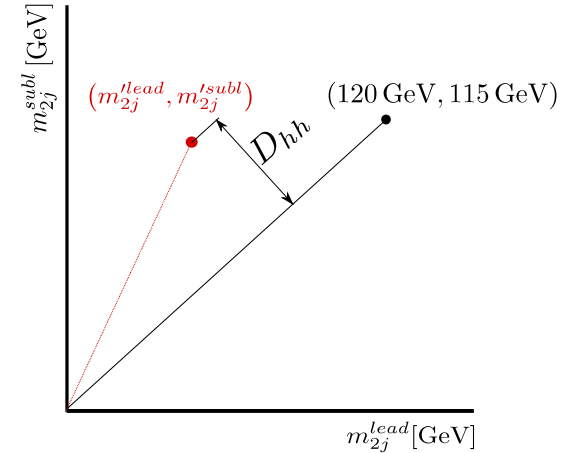
$$\left. \begin{aligned} 0 < \Delta R_{jj, \text{lead}} < 1 \\ 0 < \Delta R_{jj, \text{subl}} < 1 \end{aligned} \right\} \text{if } m_{4j} > 1250 \text{ GeV}$$

$$D_{hh} = \sqrt{(m_{2j}^{\text{lead}})^2 + (m_{2j}^{\text{subl}})^2} \left| \sin \left(\tan^{-1} \left(\frac{m_{2j}^{\text{subl}}}{m_{2j}^{\text{lead}}} \right) - \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{115}{120} \right) \right) \right|$$

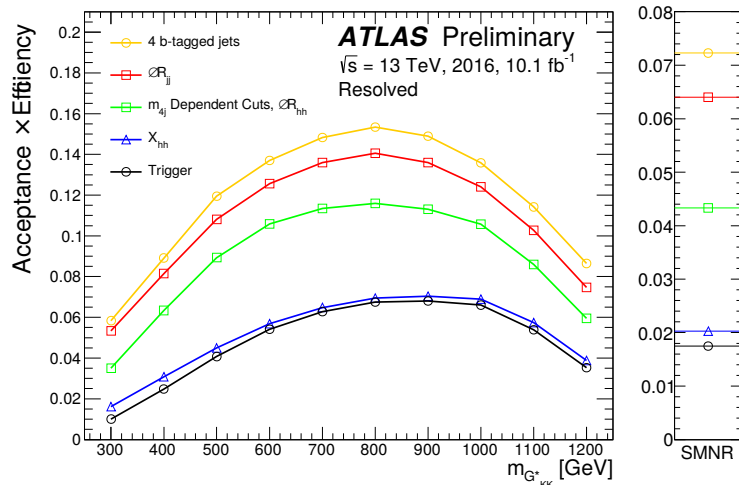
$$p_T^{\text{lead}} > 0.5m_{4j} - 90 \text{ GeV}$$

$$p_T^{\text{subl}} > 0.33m_{4j} - 70 \text{ GeV}$$

$$|\Delta\eta_{hh}| < \begin{cases} 1.1 & \text{if } m_{4j} < 850 \text{ GeV} \\ 2 \times 10^{-3} m_{4j} - 0.6 & \text{if } m_{4j} > 850 \text{ GeV} \end{cases}$$



Efficiencies:



Signal region definition:

$$X_{hh} = \sqrt{\left(\frac{m_{2j}^{\text{lead}} - 120 \text{ GeV}}{0.1 m_{2j}^{\text{lead}}} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{m_{2j}^{\text{subl}} - 115 \text{ GeV}}{0.1 m_{2j}^{\text{subl}}} \right)^2} < 1.6$$

13.3 fb⁻¹ data (2015 & 2016) ATLAS-CONF-2016-049

Boosted:

- 2 highest p_T jets, $|\eta| < 2$
- B-tagging:
 - ≥ 1 b-tagged $R=0.2$ track-jet matched to fat jet
- Trigger: 1 fat jet ($p_T > 360/420$)

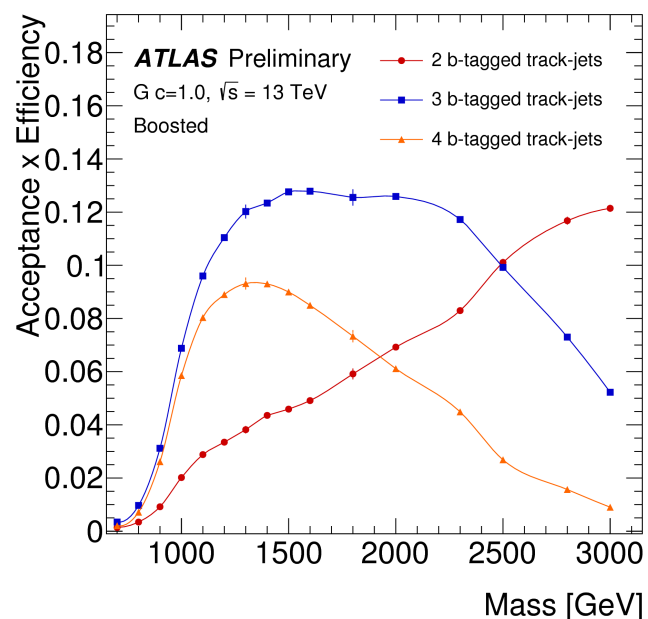
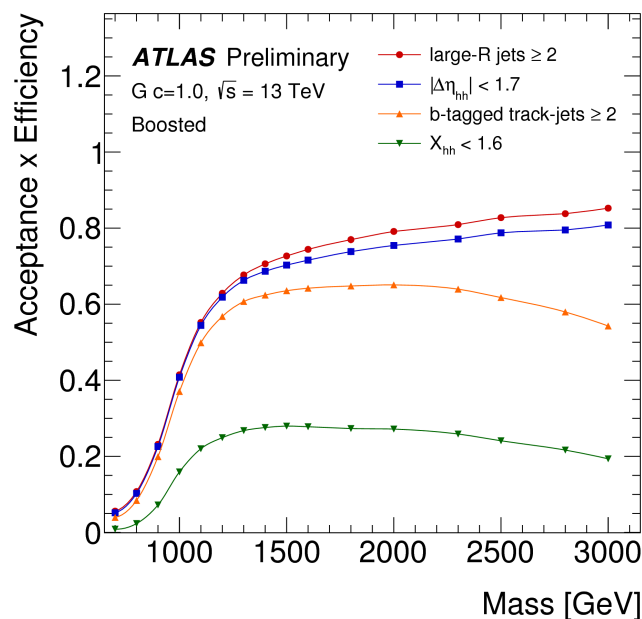
Signal region definition:

$$X_{hh} = \sqrt{\left(\frac{m_J^{\text{lead}} - 124 \text{ GeV}}{0.1 m_J^{\text{lead}}}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{m_J^{\text{subl}} - 115 \text{ GeV}}{0.1 m_J^{\text{subl}}}\right)^2} < 1.6$$

Sideband definition:

$$36 \text{ GeV} < \sqrt{(m_J^{\text{lead}} - 124 \text{ GeV})^2 + (m_J^{\text{subl}} - 115 \text{ GeV})^2} < 63 \text{ GeV}$$

Efficiencies:



CMS resonant resolved $b\bar{b}b\bar{b}$

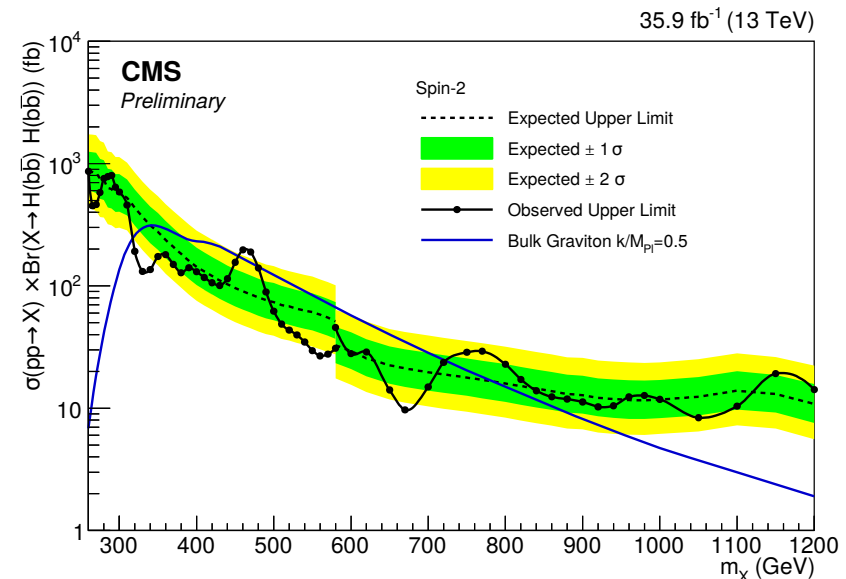
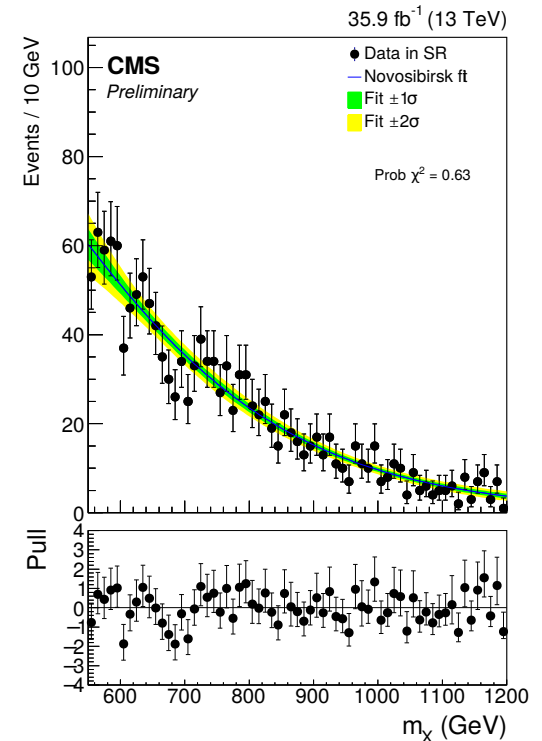
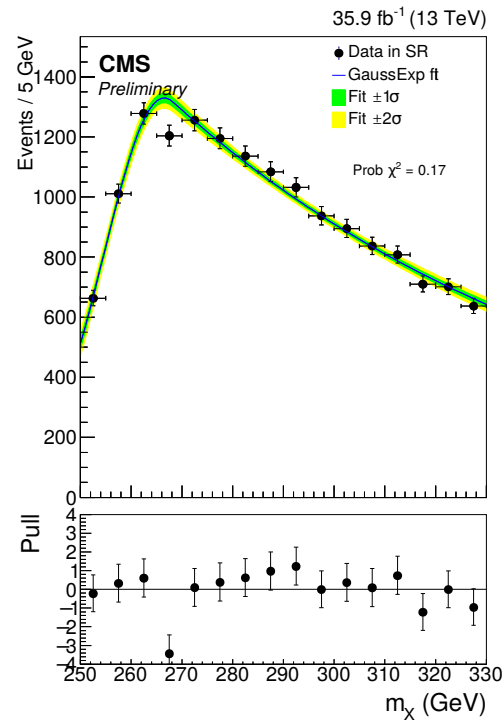
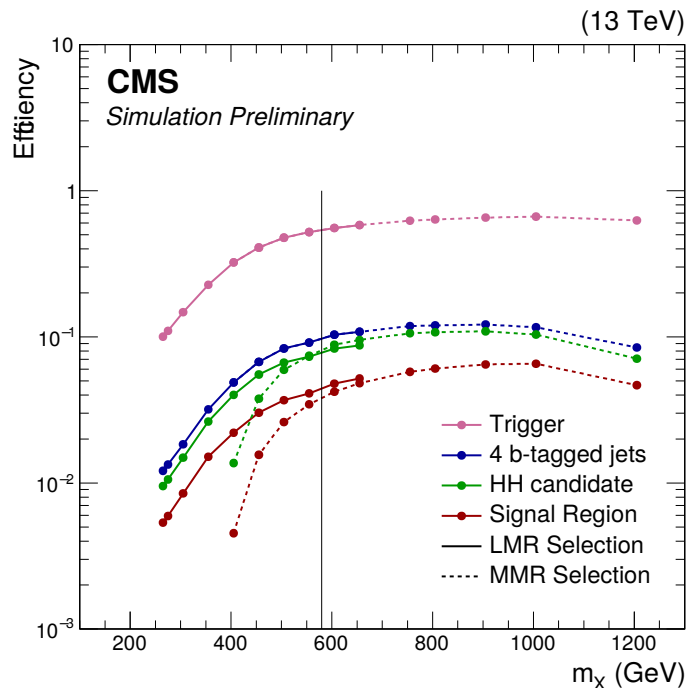
NEW!



35.9 fb⁻¹ (2016) PAS-HIG-17-009

- LMR: $|m(jj) - 120| < 40$
- MMR: $\Delta R(j,j) < 1.5$ for each h cand.
- Ambiguities → minimise mass ChiSq
- Trigger: 4 jets, 3 b-tagged (CSVv2)

Efficiencies:



CMS resonant boosted $b\bar{b}b\bar{b}$



35.9 fb⁻¹ (2016) B2G-16-026, submitted to Phys.Lett.B

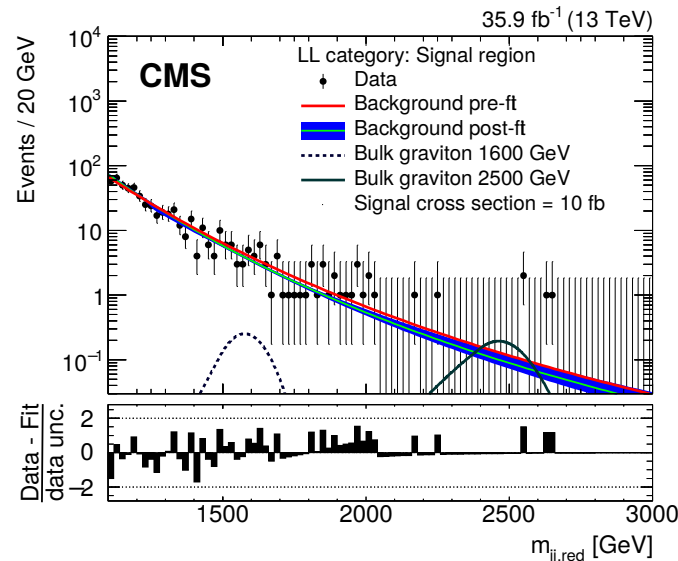
■ Triggers: jets, H_T cuts, $|\Delta\eta(J,J)|$

■ 2 highest pT jets,
 $p_T > 300$, $|\eta| < 2.4$

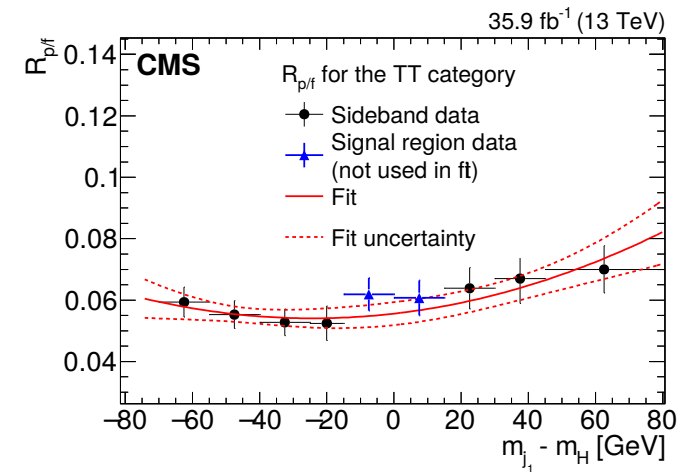
■ LL & TT b-tag categs.

■ $105 < m(J) < 135$,
 $\tau_{21} < 0.55$,
 $|\Delta\eta(J,J)| < 1.3$

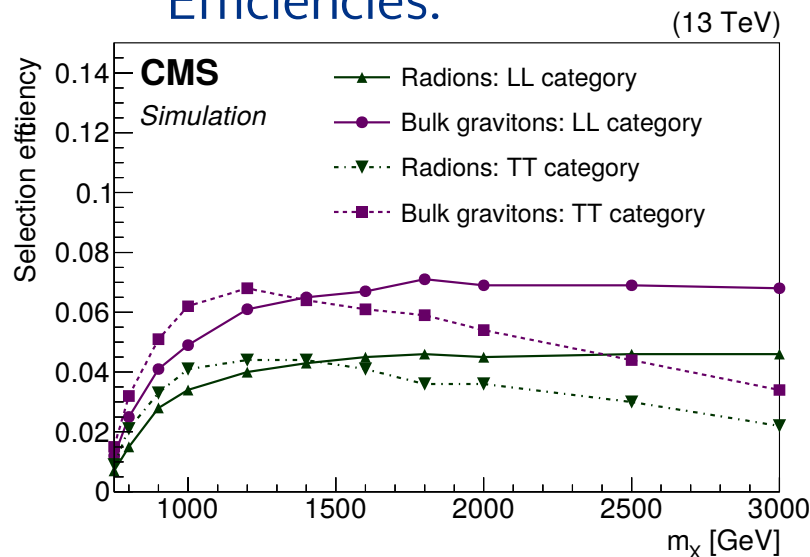
Fit in LL categ.:



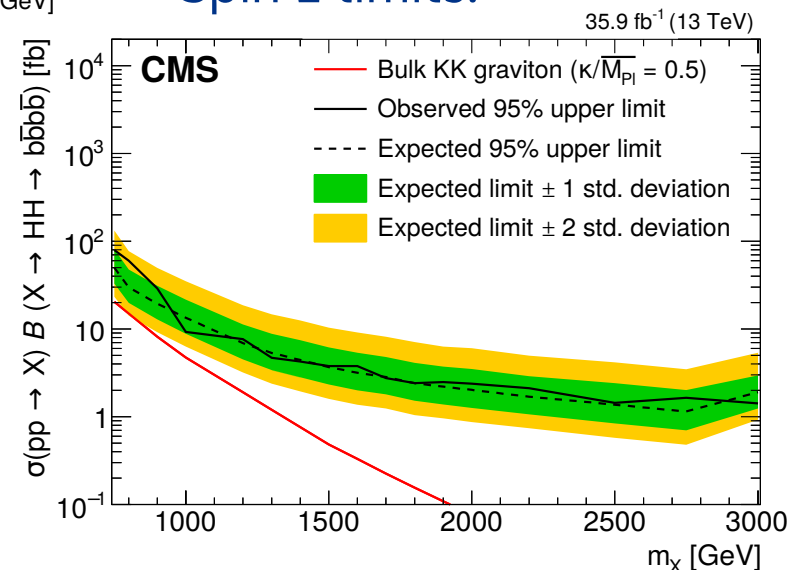
„alphabet“ transfer factor:



Efficiencies:



Spin 2 limits:



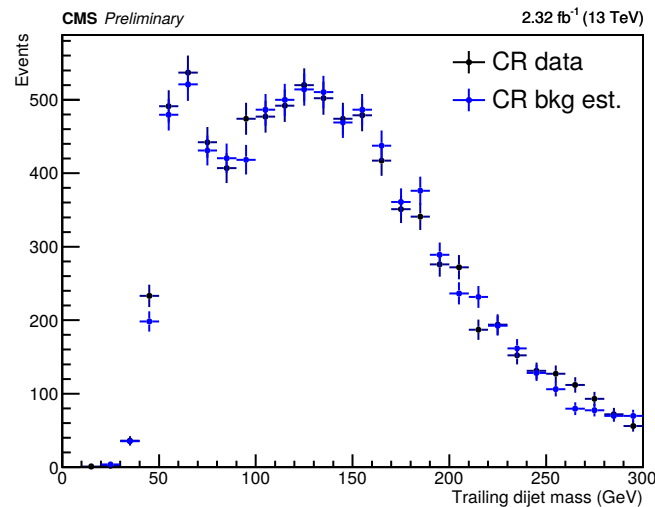
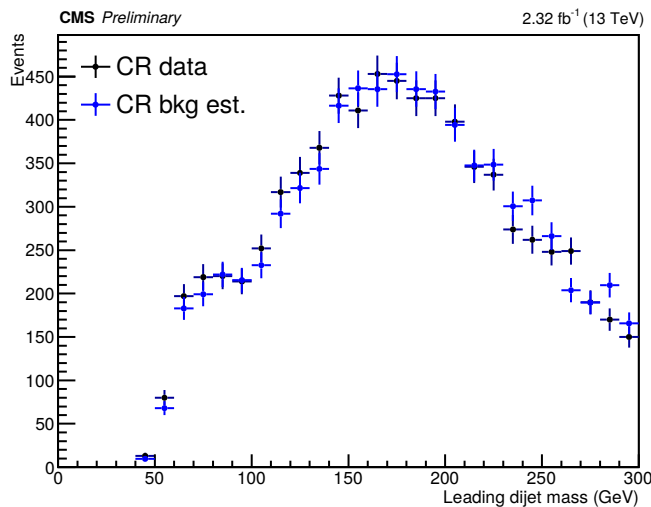
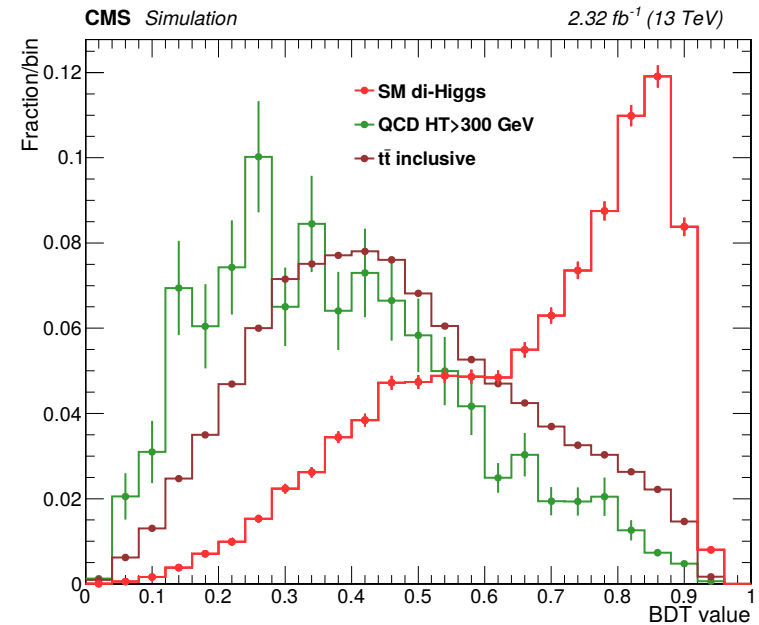
CMS nonresonant $b\bar{b}b\bar{b}$



2.3 fb⁻¹ (2015) PAS-HIG-16-026

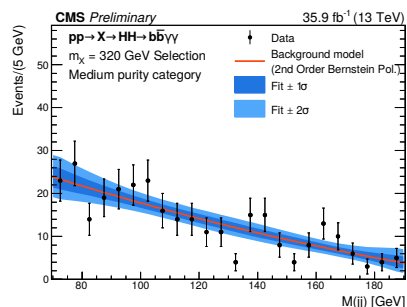
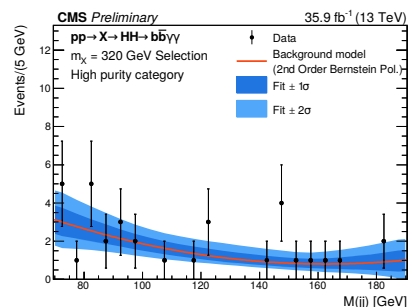
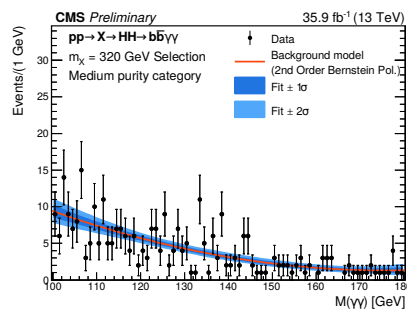
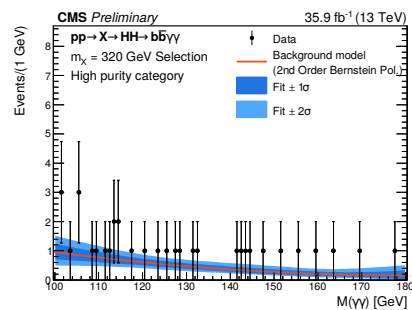
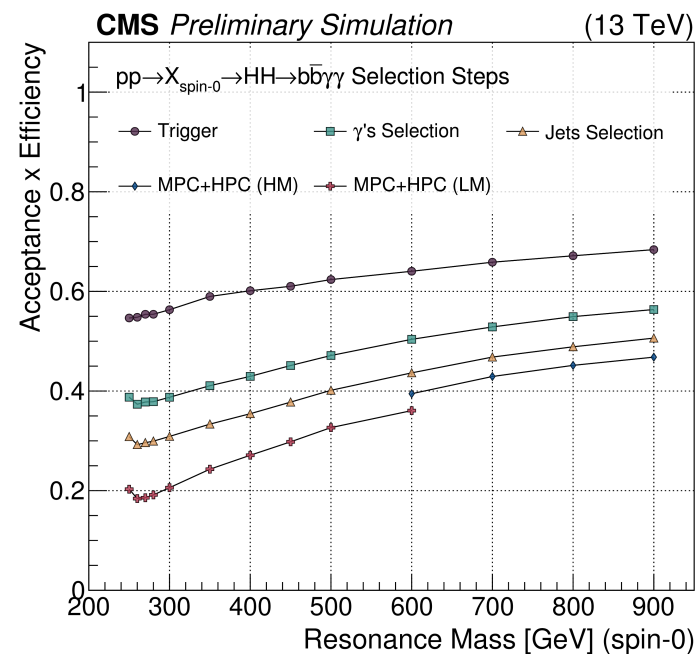
- Trigger: 4 jets, 3 b-tagged
 - $p_T > 45$ || $p_T > 30/30/90/90$
- BDT: $p_T(jj_1)$, $p_T(jj_2)$, $\Delta\eta(jj, jj)$, $\Delta\phi(jj, jj)$
 - Cut: 65% signal eff.

Validation of hemisphere mixing technique
in Control Region:



35.9 fb⁻¹ (2016) PAS-HIG-17-008

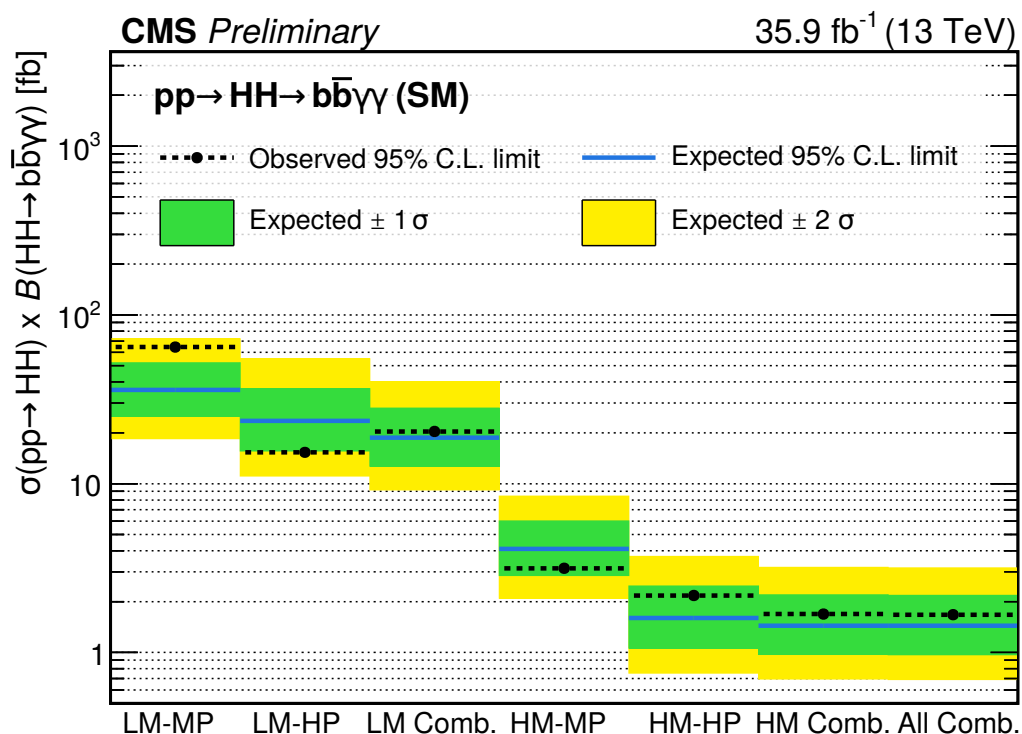
- Trigger: di-photon $E_T > 30/18$
- $E_T(\gamma)/m(\gamma\gamma) > 1/3$ & $1/4$, $100 < m(\gamma\gamma) < 180$
- $\Delta R(j, \gamma) > 0.4$, $70 < m(jj) < 190$
- Jets with highest b-tag score
- BDT: b-tag scores, helicity angles ($2 \rightarrow 4$ system), $p_T(\gamma\gamma)/m(jj\gamma\gamma)$, $p_T(jj)/m(jj\gamma\gamma)$
- 2 trainings: res. & nonres., all signals together



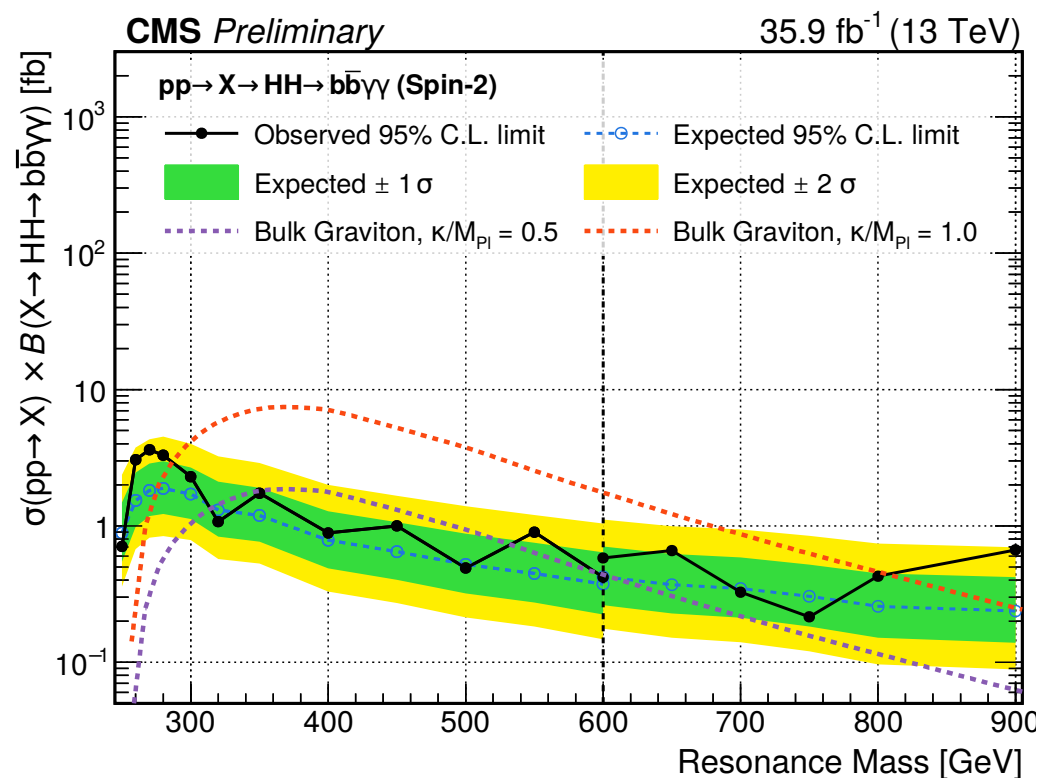
Analysis	Region	MVA Categorization	$\tilde{M}_X$
Nonresonant	High mass	HPC: MVA > 0.97 MPC: 0.6 < MVA < 0.97	$\tilde{M}_X > 350$ GeV
	Low mass	HPC: MVA > 0.985 MPC: 0.6 < MVA < 0.985	$\tilde{M}_X < 350$ GeV
Resonant	High mass	HPC: MVA > 0.5 MPC: 0 < MVA < 0.5	Mass window
	Low mass	HPC: MVA > 0.96 MPC: 0.7 < MVA < 0.96	Mass window

35.9 fb⁻¹ (2016) PAS-HIG-17-008

Nonresonant categories:

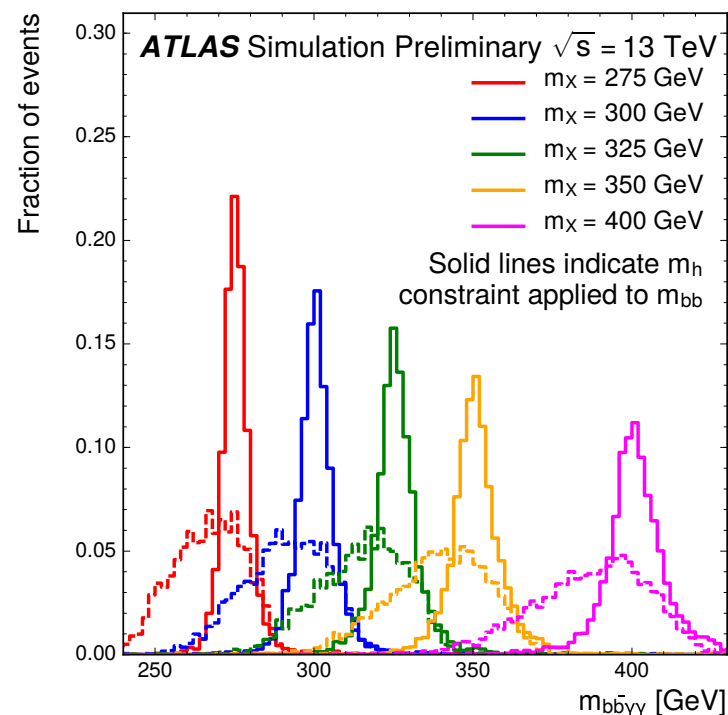
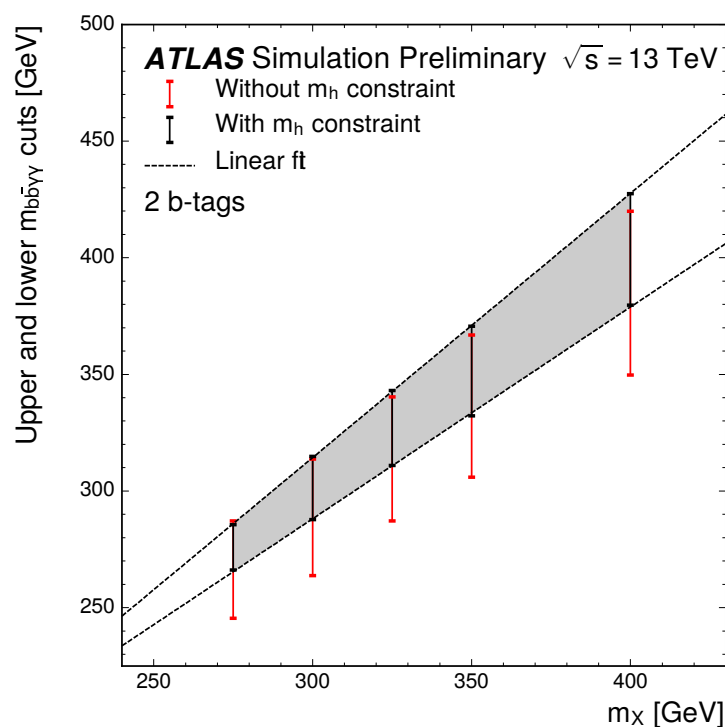


Spin-2 limits:



3.2 fb⁻¹ (2015) ATLAS-CONF-2016-004

- Trigger: di-photon $E_T > 35/25$
- $E_T(\gamma)/m(\gamma\gamma) > 0.35/0.25$, $105 < m(\gamma\gamma) < 160$
- Primary vertex consistent with di-photon
- Jets $p_T > 55/35$, $95 < m(jj) < 135$, =2 b-tags
- Sliding window in $m(jj\gamma\gamma) \rightarrow 95\%$ signal eff.



$$N_{SR}^B = N_{SB} \frac{\epsilon_{m_{\gamma\gamma}}^B}{1 - \epsilon_{m_{\gamma\gamma}}^B} \epsilon_{m_{b\bar{b}\gamma\gamma}}^B$$

35.9 fb⁻¹ (2016) HIG-17-002, submitted to Phys.Lett.B

- Triggers: 1 x lepton or 2 x τ_{had}
- τ_{had} reconstruction: „hadron plus strips“

Resolved:

$$\frac{(m_{\tau\tau} - 116 \text{ GeV})^2}{(35 \text{ GeV})^2} + \frac{(m_{bb} - 111 \text{ GeV})^2}{(45 \text{ GeV})^2} < 1$$

Boosted:

$$80 < m(\tau\tau) < 160, \\ 90 < m(jj) < 160$$

Nonresonant:

„stransverse mass“ M_{T2}

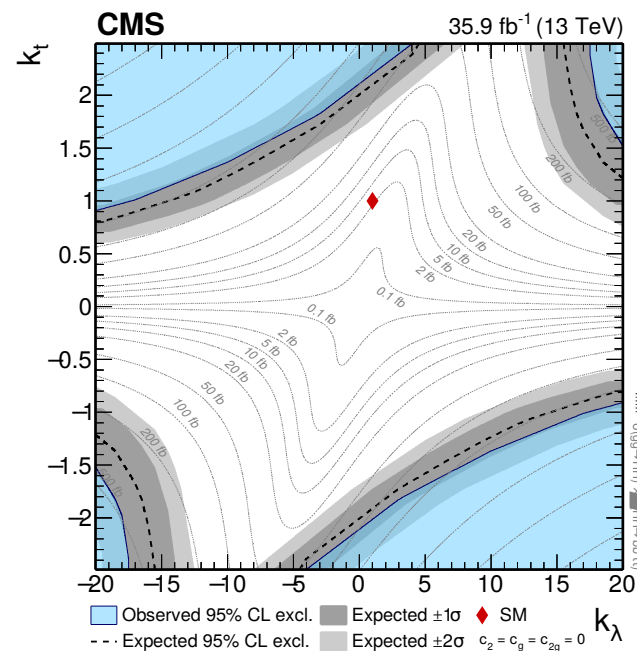
→ Phys. Lett. B 728 (2014) 308-313

Largest mass for X in $X(\rightarrow bW(\rightarrow \tau E_T)) X(\rightarrow bW(\rightarrow \tau E_T))$
decay chain, given constraints

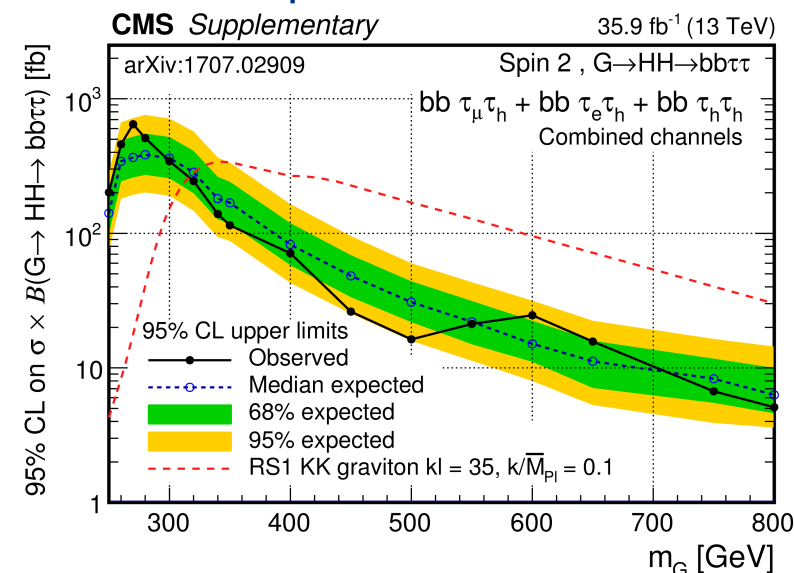
→ boundary at $m(t)$ for $t\bar{t}$

$$m_{T2}(m_b, m_{b'}, \vec{b}_T, \vec{b}'_T, \vec{p}_T^\Sigma, m_c, m_{c'}) = \min_{\vec{c}_T + \vec{c}'_T = \vec{p}_T^\Sigma} \{ \max(m_T, m'_T) \}$$

$$m_T(\vec{b}_T, \vec{c}_T, m_b, m_c) = \sqrt{m_b^2 + m_c^2 + 2(e_b e_c - \vec{b}_T \cdot \vec{c}_T)}$$



Spin-2 limits:



CMS $b\bar{b}VV^*(l\nu l\nu)$



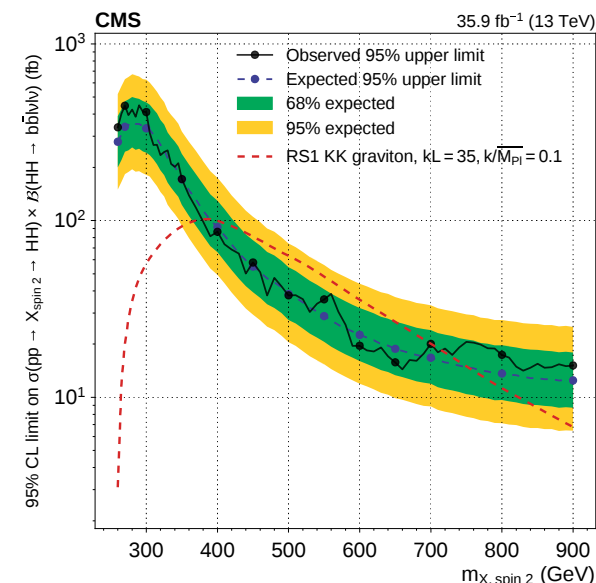
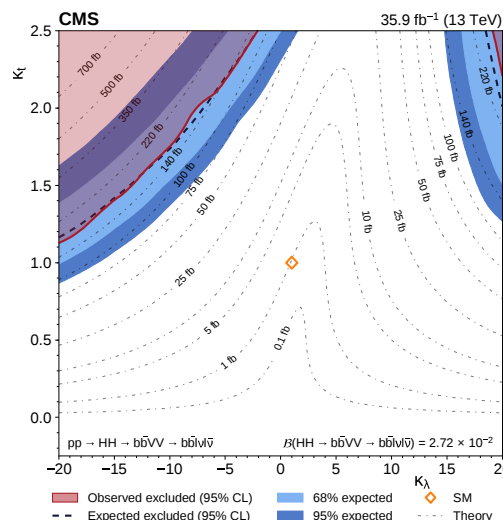
35.9 fb⁻¹ (2016) HIG-17-006, submitted to JHEP

- Triggers: 2 leptons ($p_T > 10/20 \rightarrow 15/25$)
- $12 < m(ll) < 76$
- $m(jj)$ bins: $0 \leftrightarrow 76 \leftrightarrow 140 \rightarrow$
- Neural network: 8 variables
+ physics parameters

Single training, but:

→ smooth interpolation of performance
as function of signal parameter

Spin 2 limits:



m_X

