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Mixed-in Singlet	6%	6%	6%
Composite Higgs	8%	tens of %	tens of %
Minimal Supersymmetry	< 1%	3%	10% ^(large tan β) , 100% ^(small tan β)

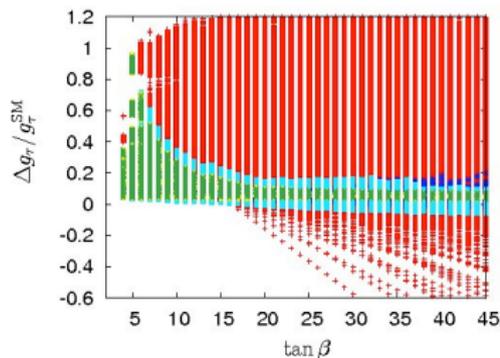
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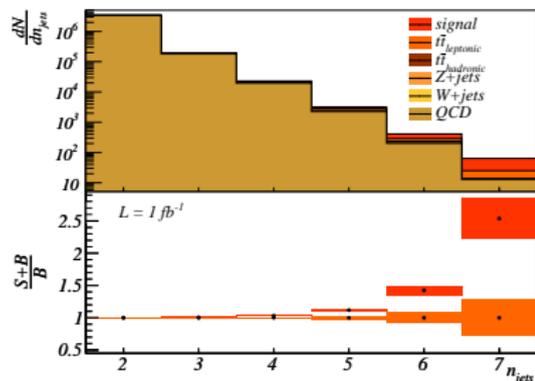
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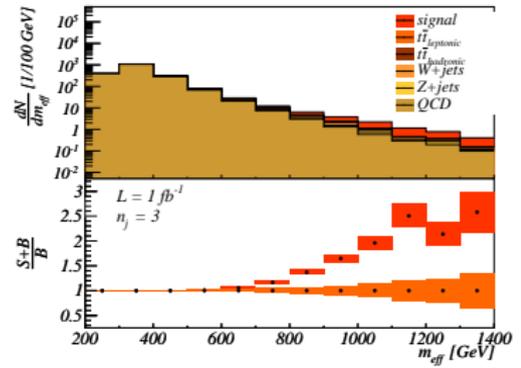
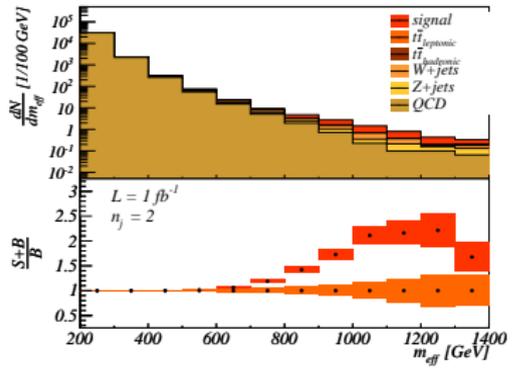
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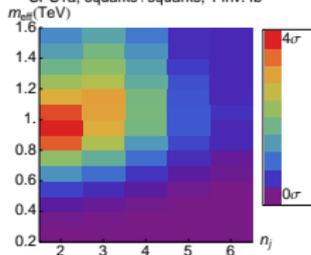
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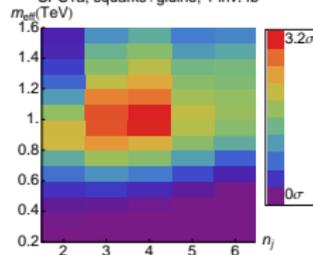
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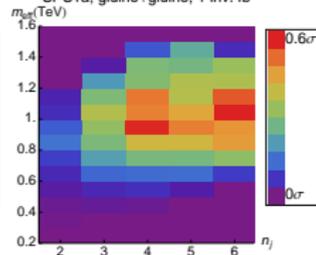
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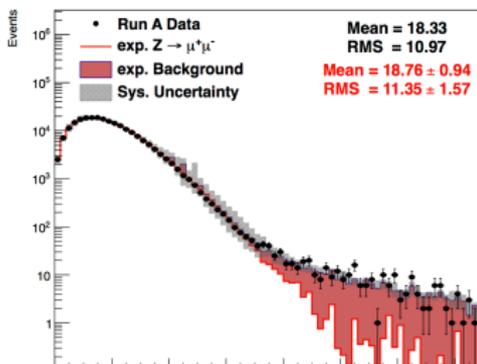
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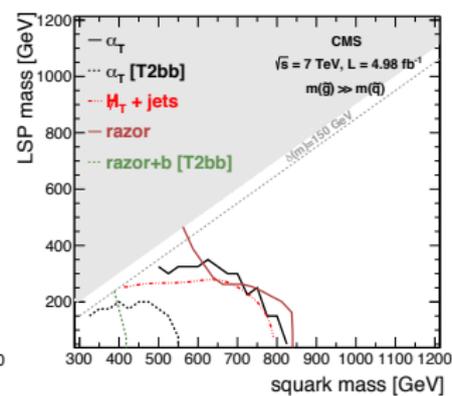
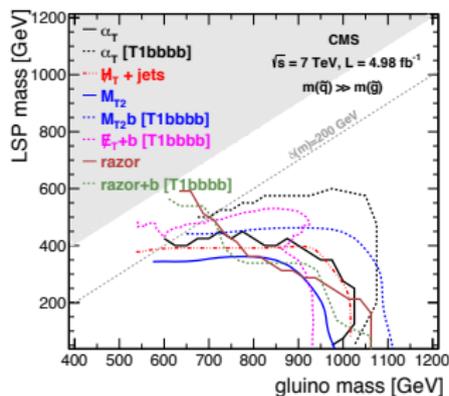
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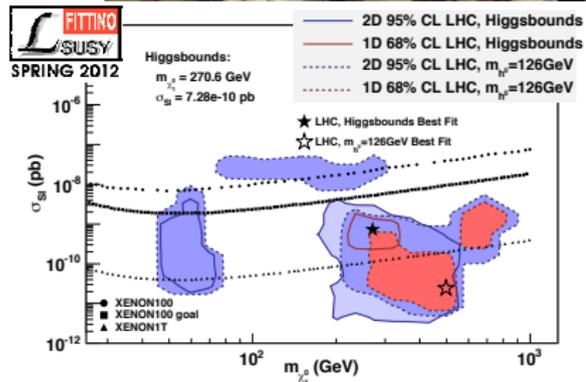
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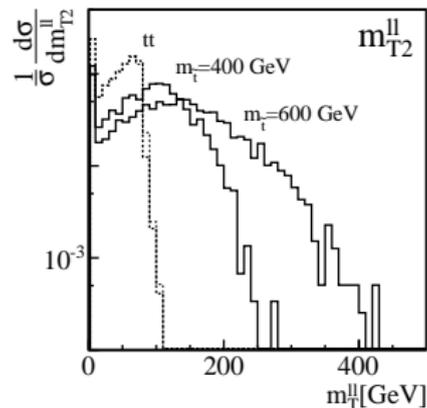
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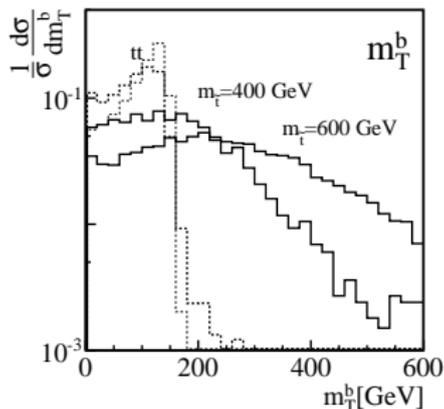
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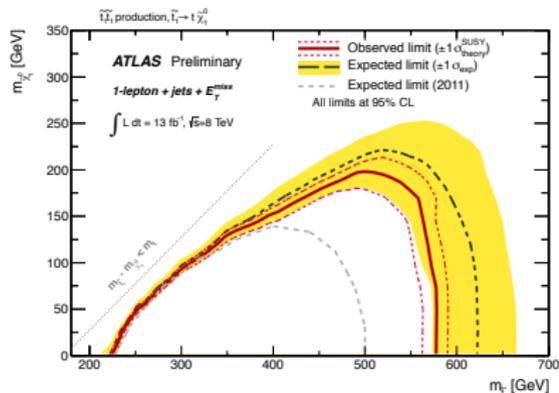
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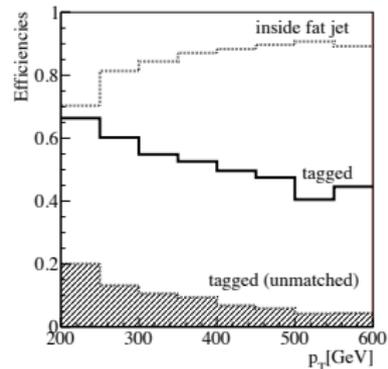
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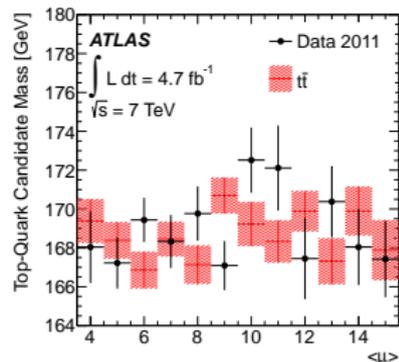
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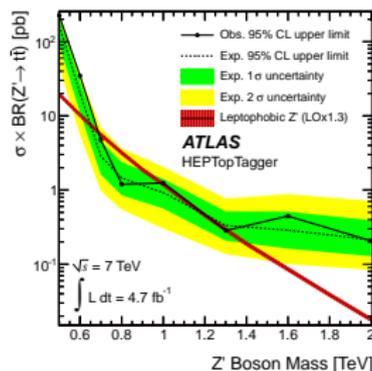
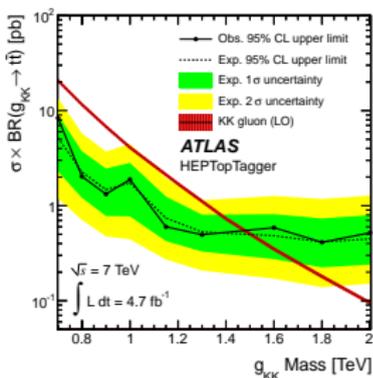
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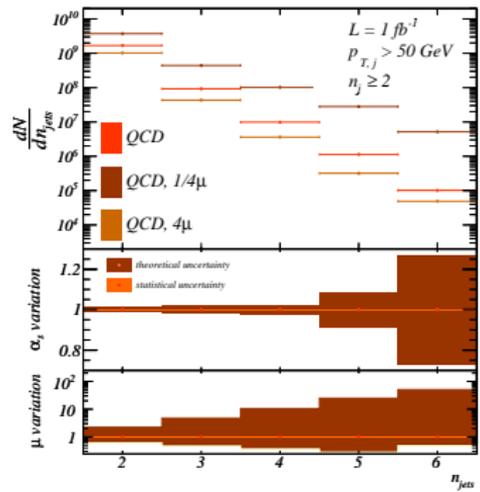
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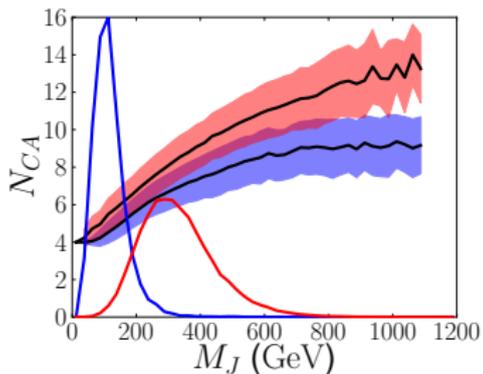
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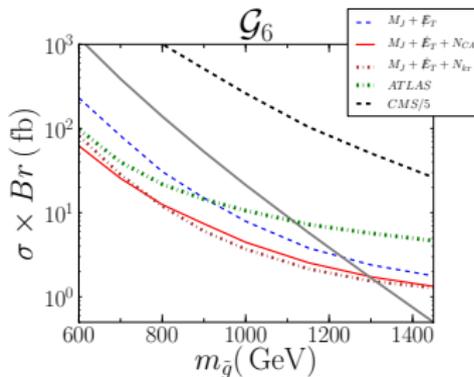
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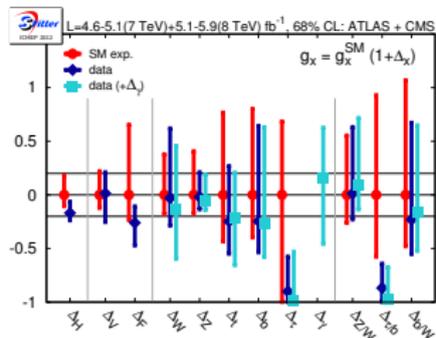
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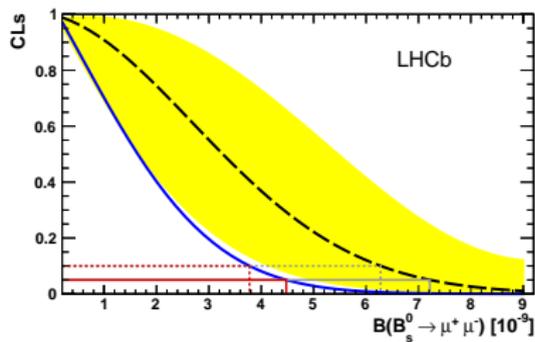
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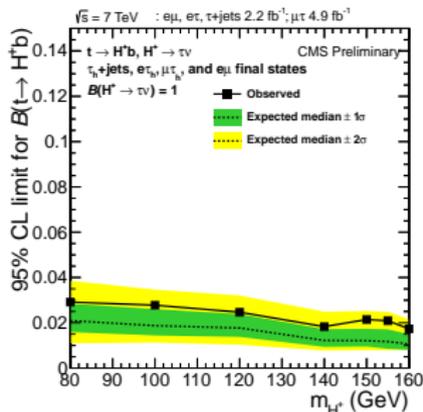
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