

SM measurements at the LHC

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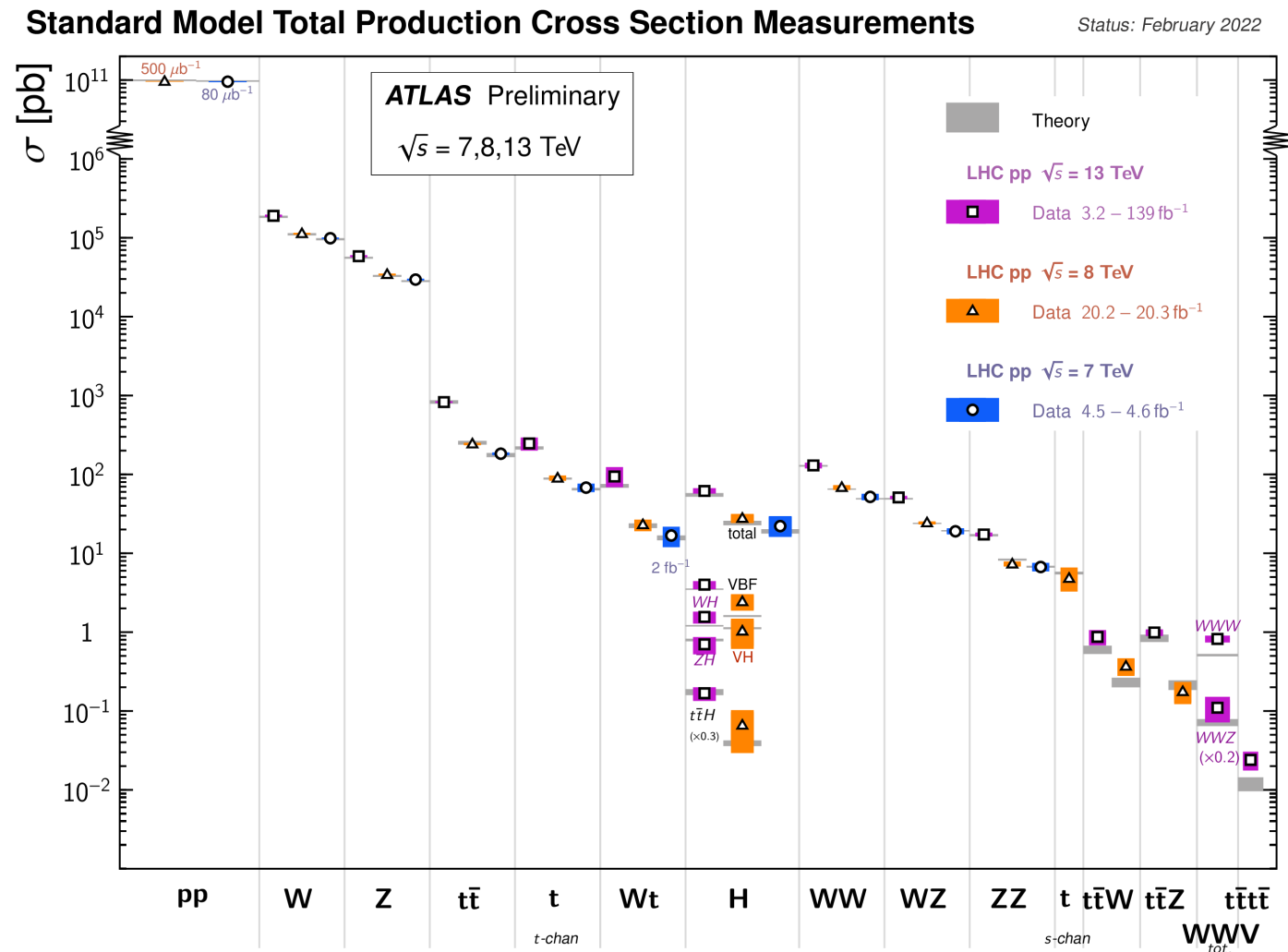
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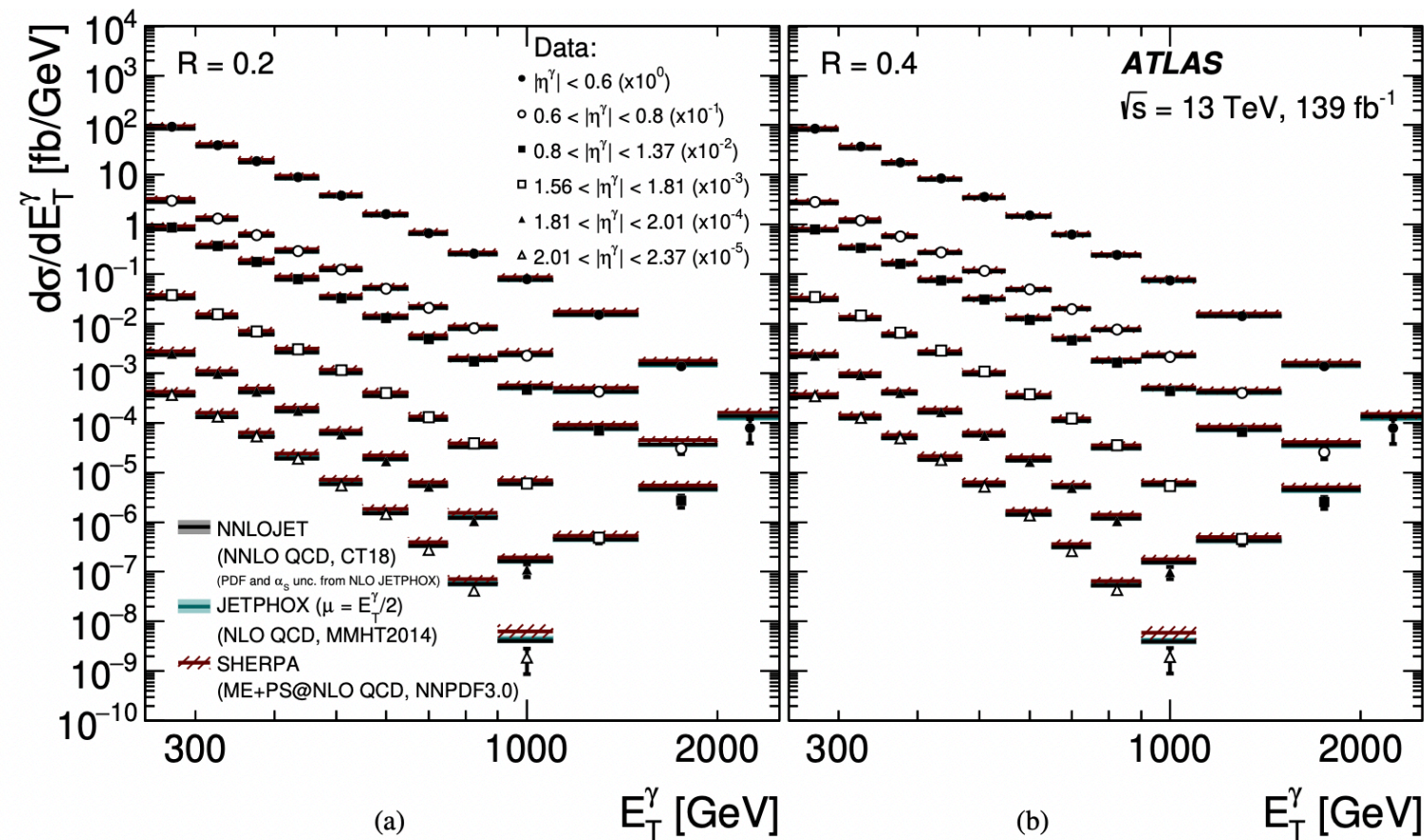
Introduction

- SM measurements at the LHC is a broad field
- Precision measurement of “usual” processes
- Observation of rare processes
- Also an important field
 - Deviation from the SM predictions would provide clue for new physics
 - Understanding background for direct searches for new physics



Jet and Photon Physics

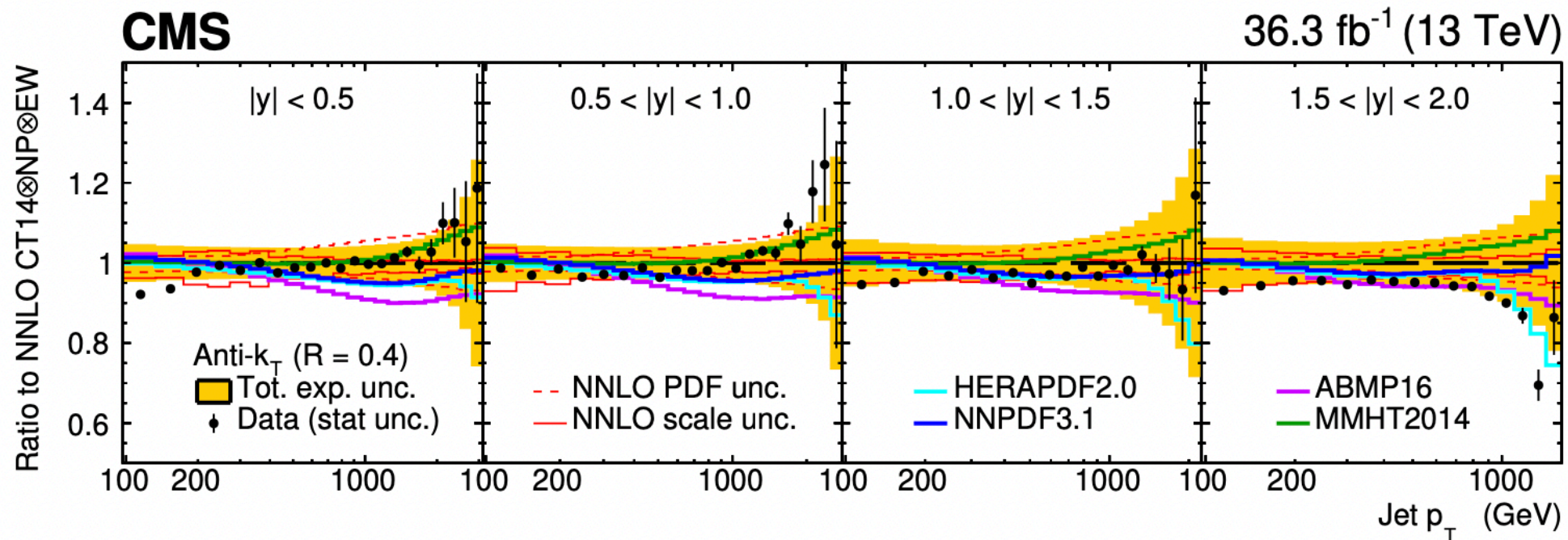
Inclusive photon measurement



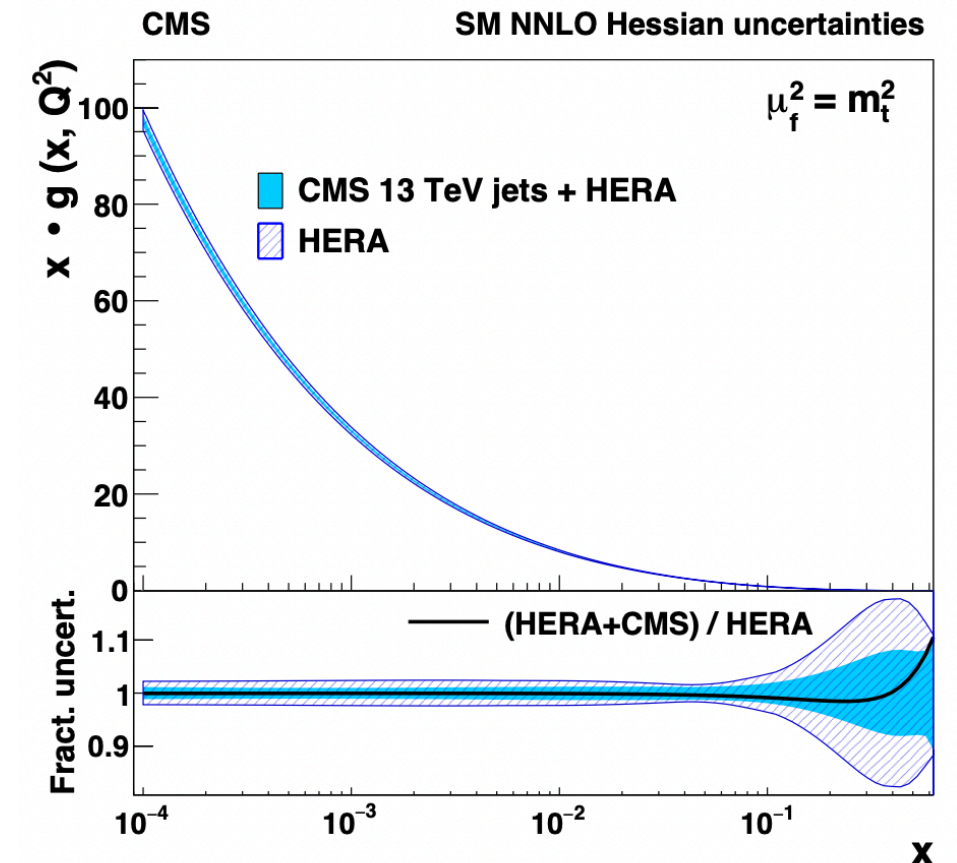
[JHEP07\(2023\)086](#)

- Measure differential cross sections for inclusive isolated photon production at 13 TeV
 - Provided for different isolation radii and with a more granular segmentation in photon pseudorapidity
- Important measurement for test of pQCD, can be exploited in improving determination of PDFs

Inclusive jet measurement



- Measure differential cross sections for inclusive jet production at 13 TeV
- Extract PDF and α_s simultaneously (NNLO)
- Perform SMEFT analysis (NLO)

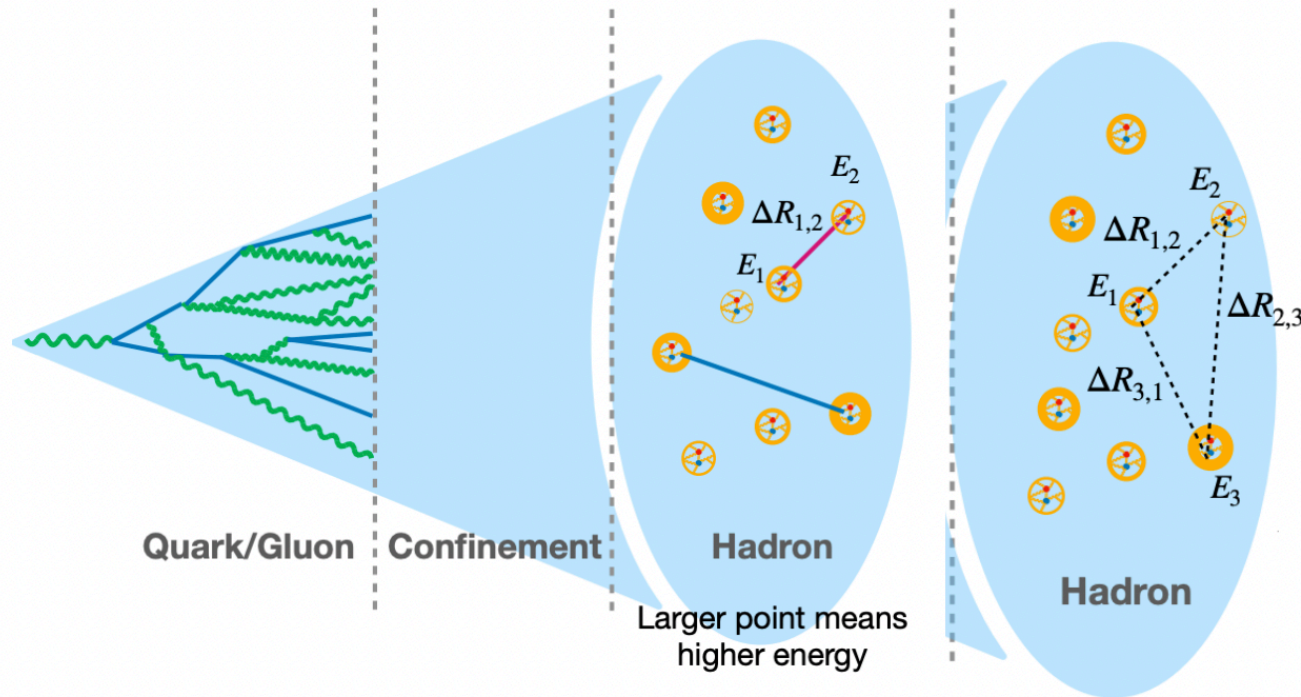


$$\alpha_s(m_Z) = 0.1166 \pm 0.0017 \text{ (1.5 \% rel.)}$$

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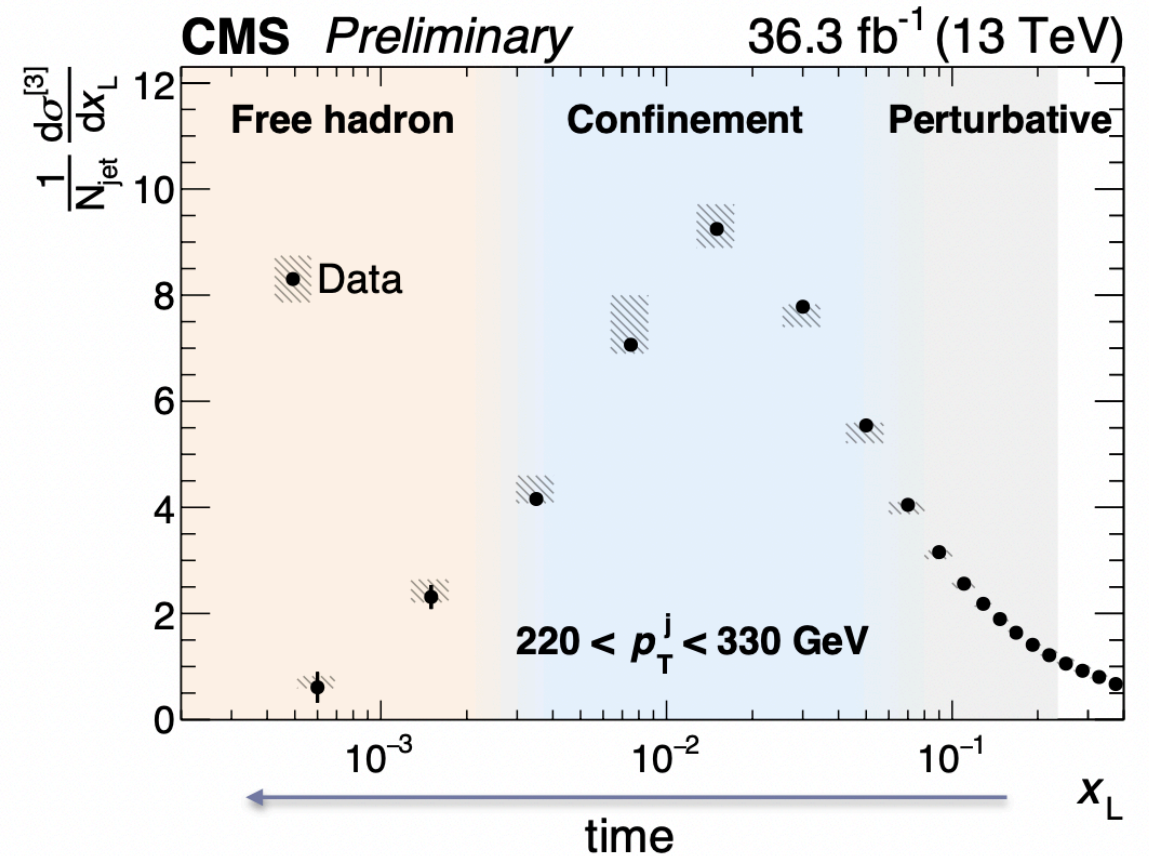
Energy correlator inside jets

[CMS-PAS-SMP-22-015](#)



$$E2C = \frac{d\sigma^{[2]}}{dx_L} = \sum_{i,j} \int d\sigma \frac{E_i E_j}{E^2} \delta(x_L - \Delta R_{i,j}),$$

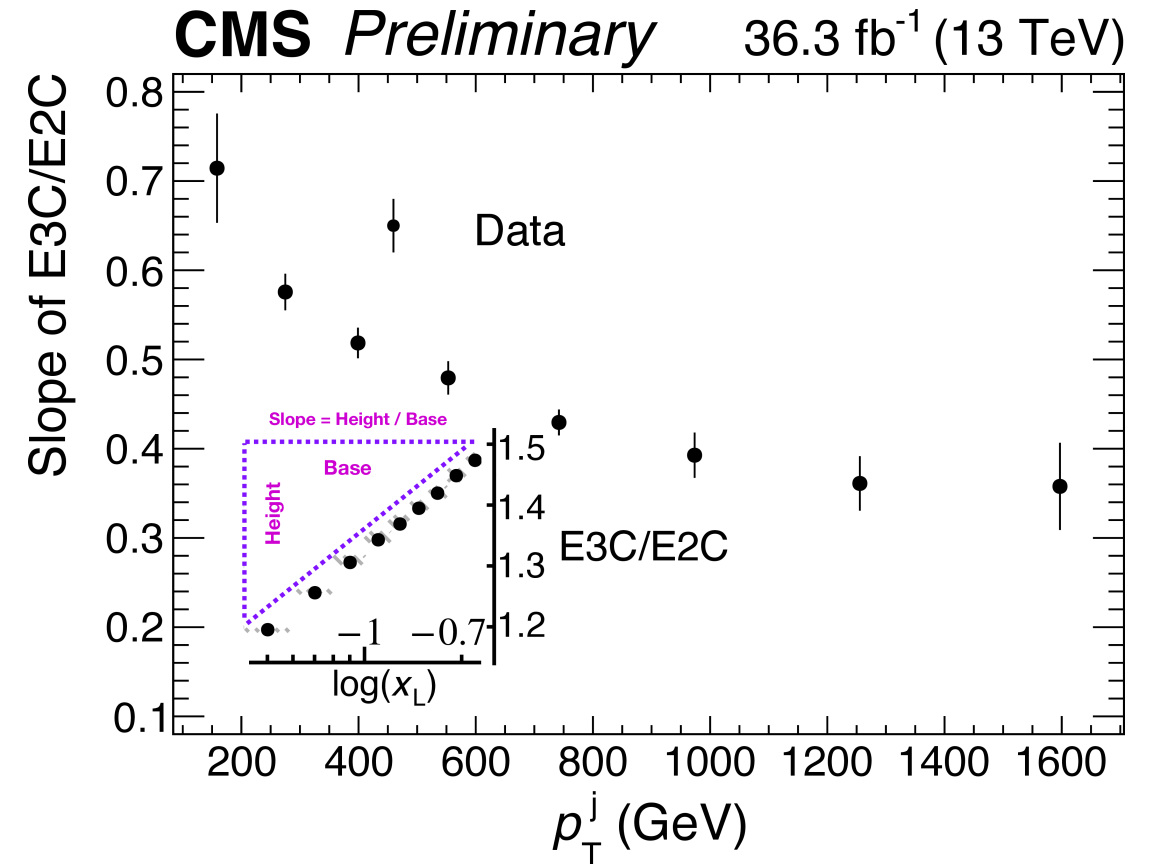
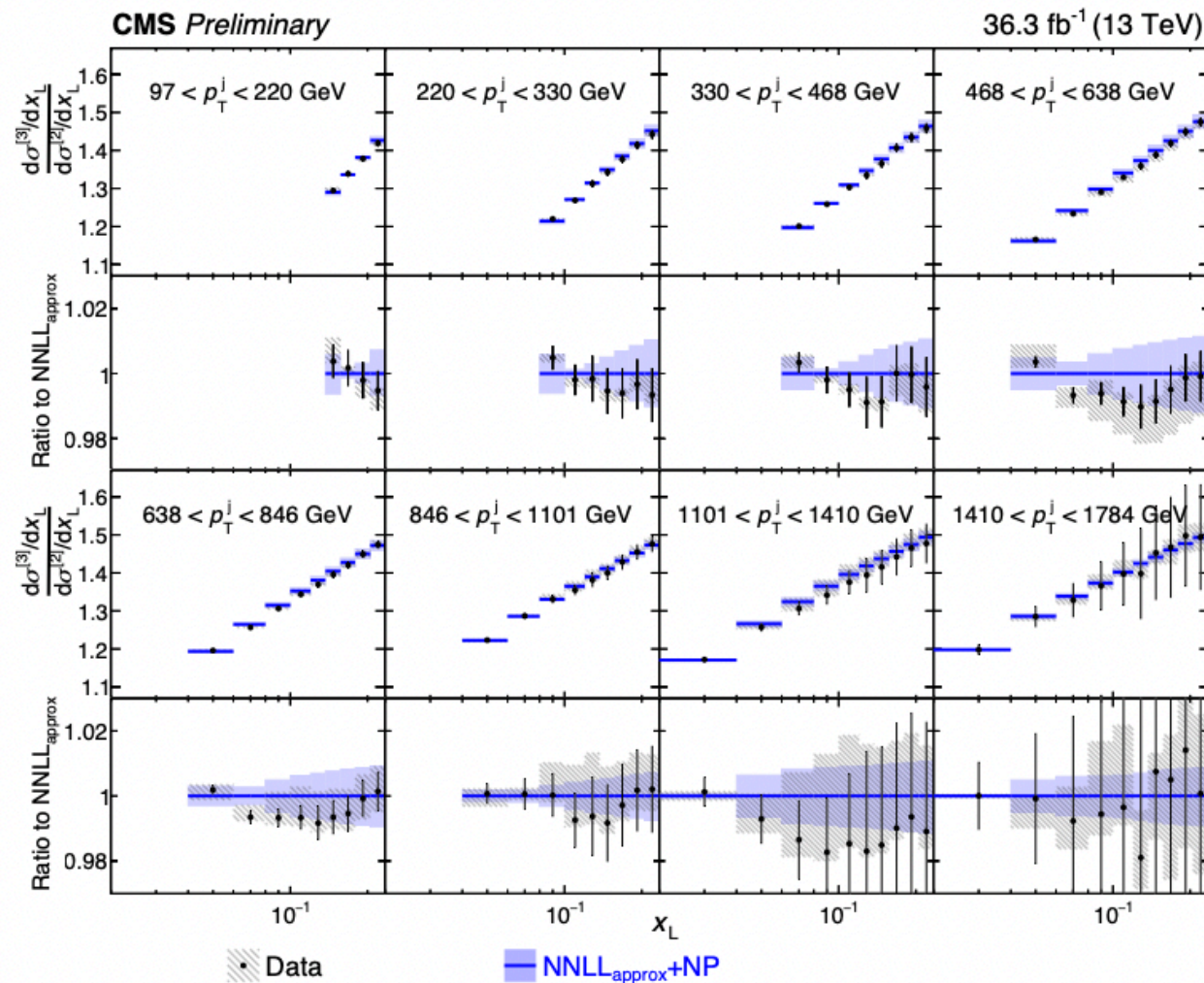
$$E3C = \frac{d\sigma^{[3]}}{dx_L} = \sum_{i,j,k} \int d\sigma \frac{E_i E_j E_k}{E^3} \delta(x_L - \max(\Delta R_{i,j}, \Delta R_{i,k}, \Delta R_{j,k})),$$



- Motivated by arxiv:2307.07510, CMS measures two-point and three-point energy correlator jet substructure observables (E2C and E3C)
 - reveal confinement and asymptotic freedom in a straightforward way
- E2C and E3C distributions show a sharp transition from quarks and gluons' quantum interactions to hadrons' classical interactions

Energy correlator inside jets

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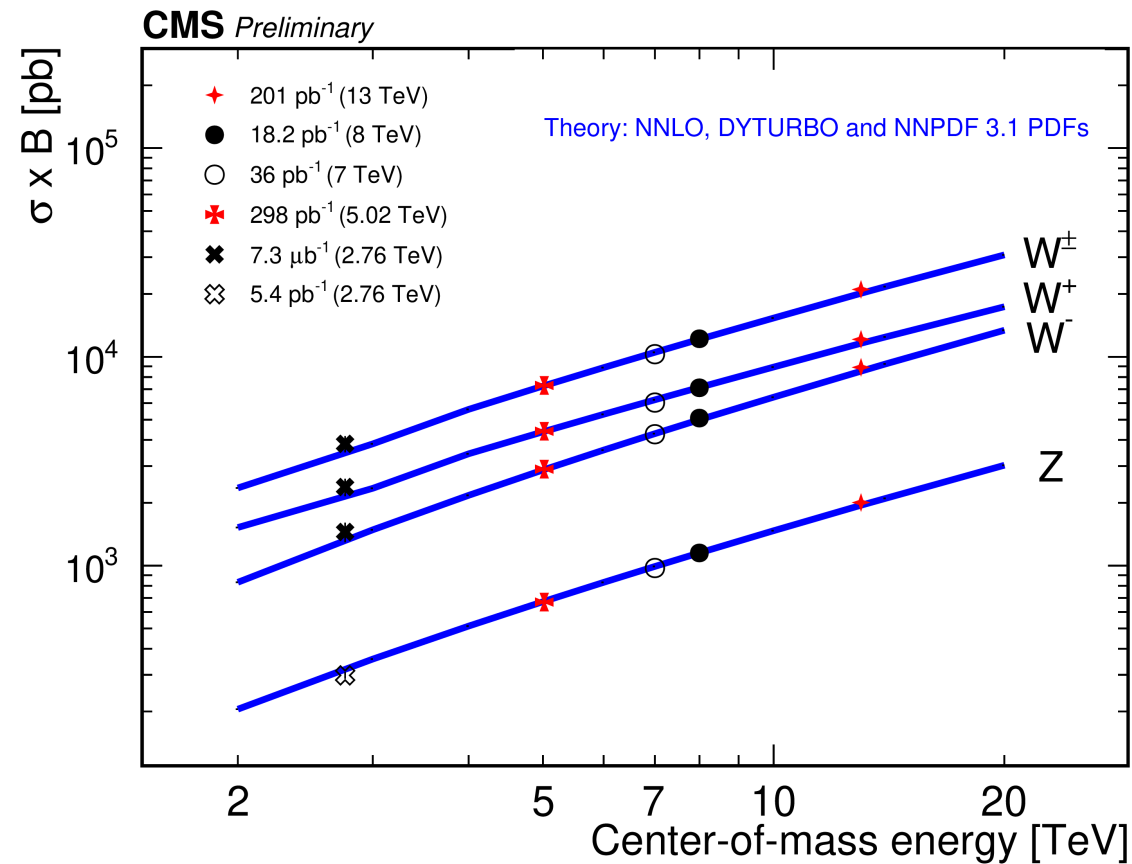
- E3C/E2C is directly proportional to the strong coupling constant α_S
 - slopes of E3C/E2C are measured in multiple jet p_T regions, consistent with expected decrease of α_S with increasing energy due to asymptotic freedom
- Extraction of α_S :

$$\alpha_s(m_Z) = 0.1229^{+0.0040}_{-0.0050} \text{ (< 4.1 \% rel.)}$$

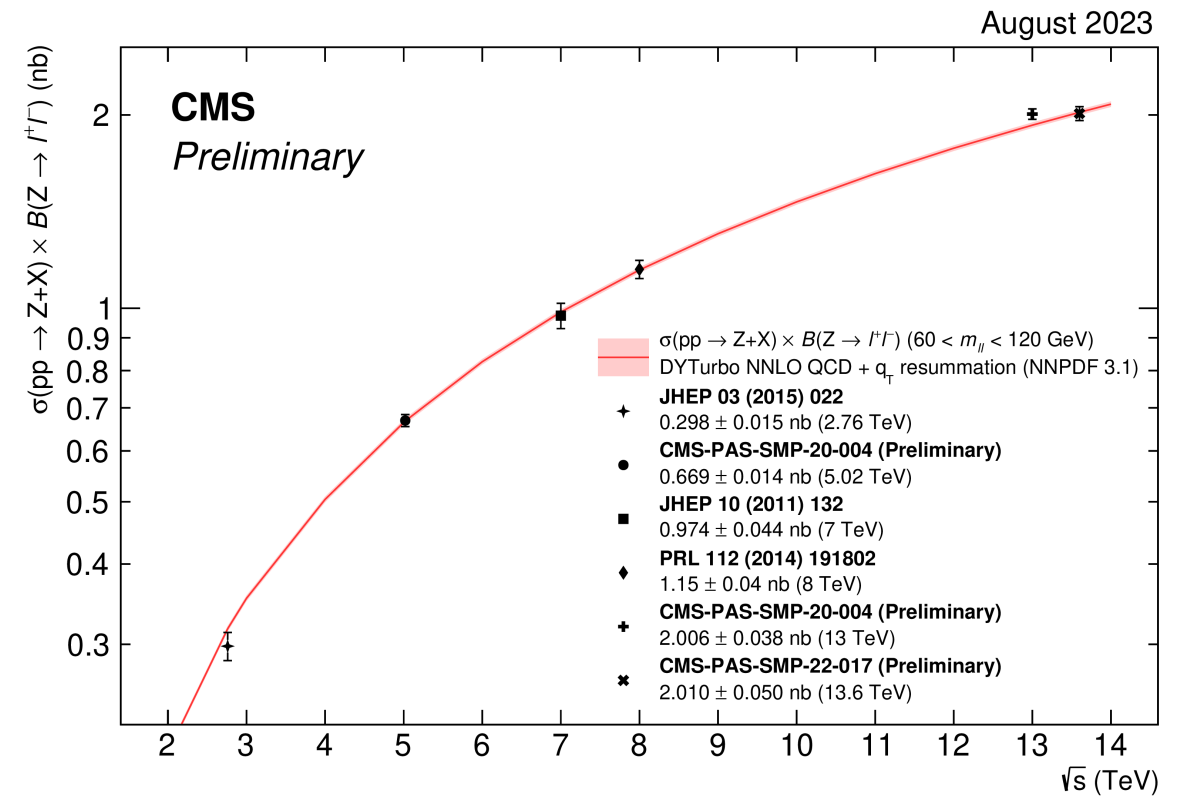
W/Z Physics

Cross section of W/Z production

CMS-PAS-SMP-20-004



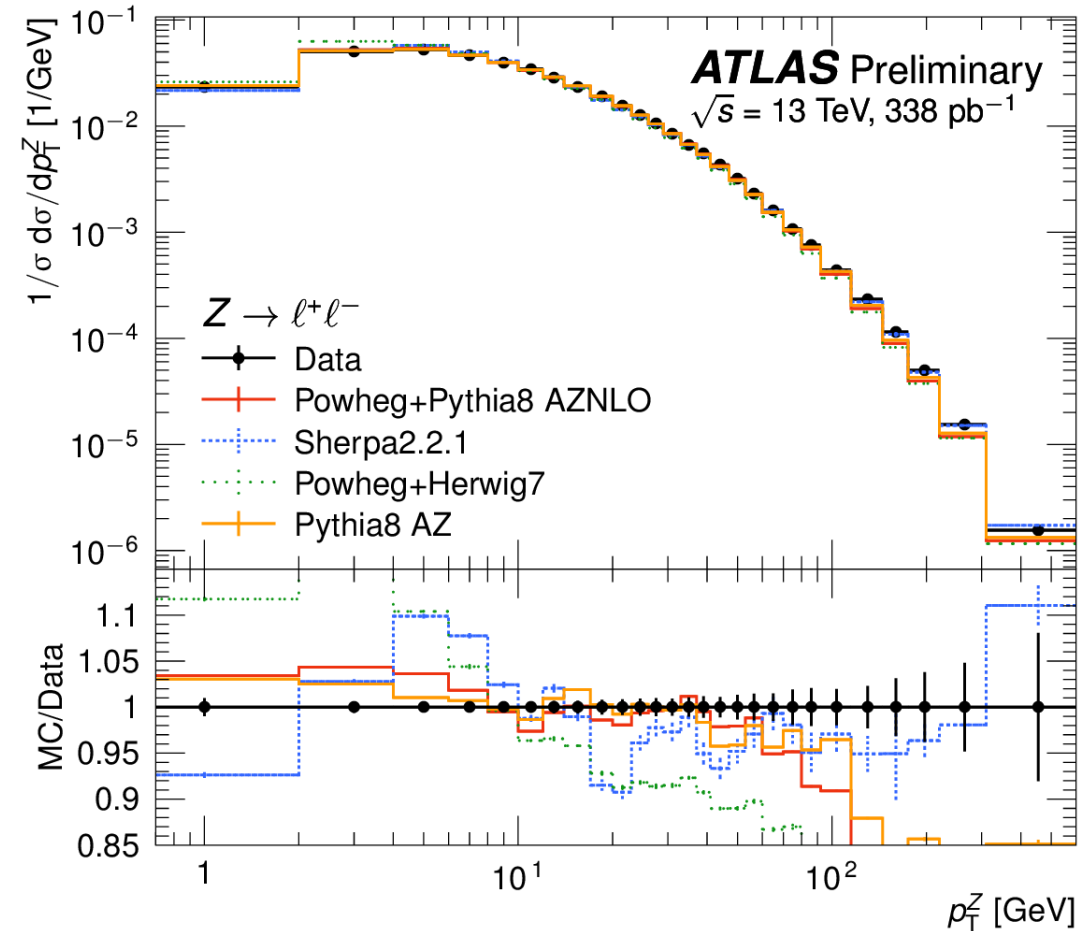
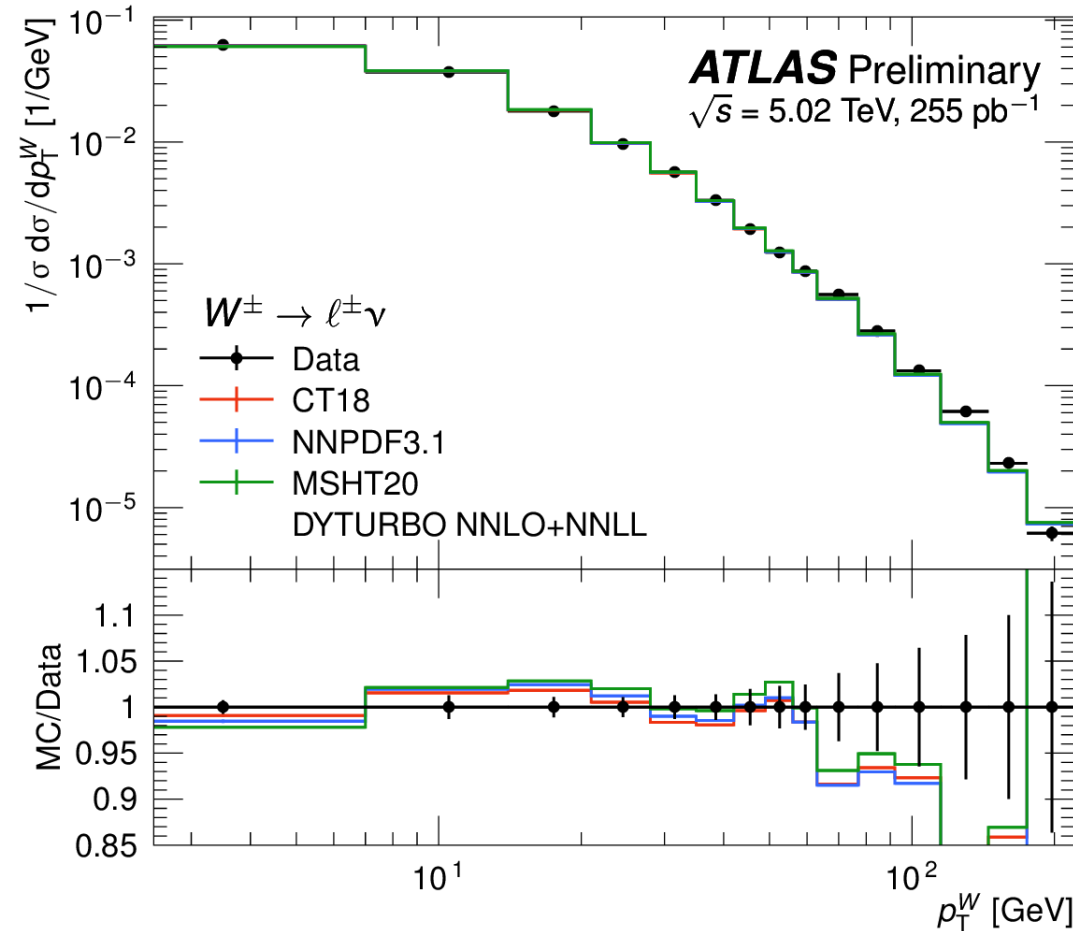
CMS-PAS-SMP-22-017



- CMS recently measured W/Z production cross sections using low pileup pp data at 5.02 TeV and 13 TeV
 - Also released Z production cross section result at 13.6 TeV
- Results (at different collision energies) are in agreement with the Standard Model predictions (NNLO QCD)

p_T spectra of W/Z production

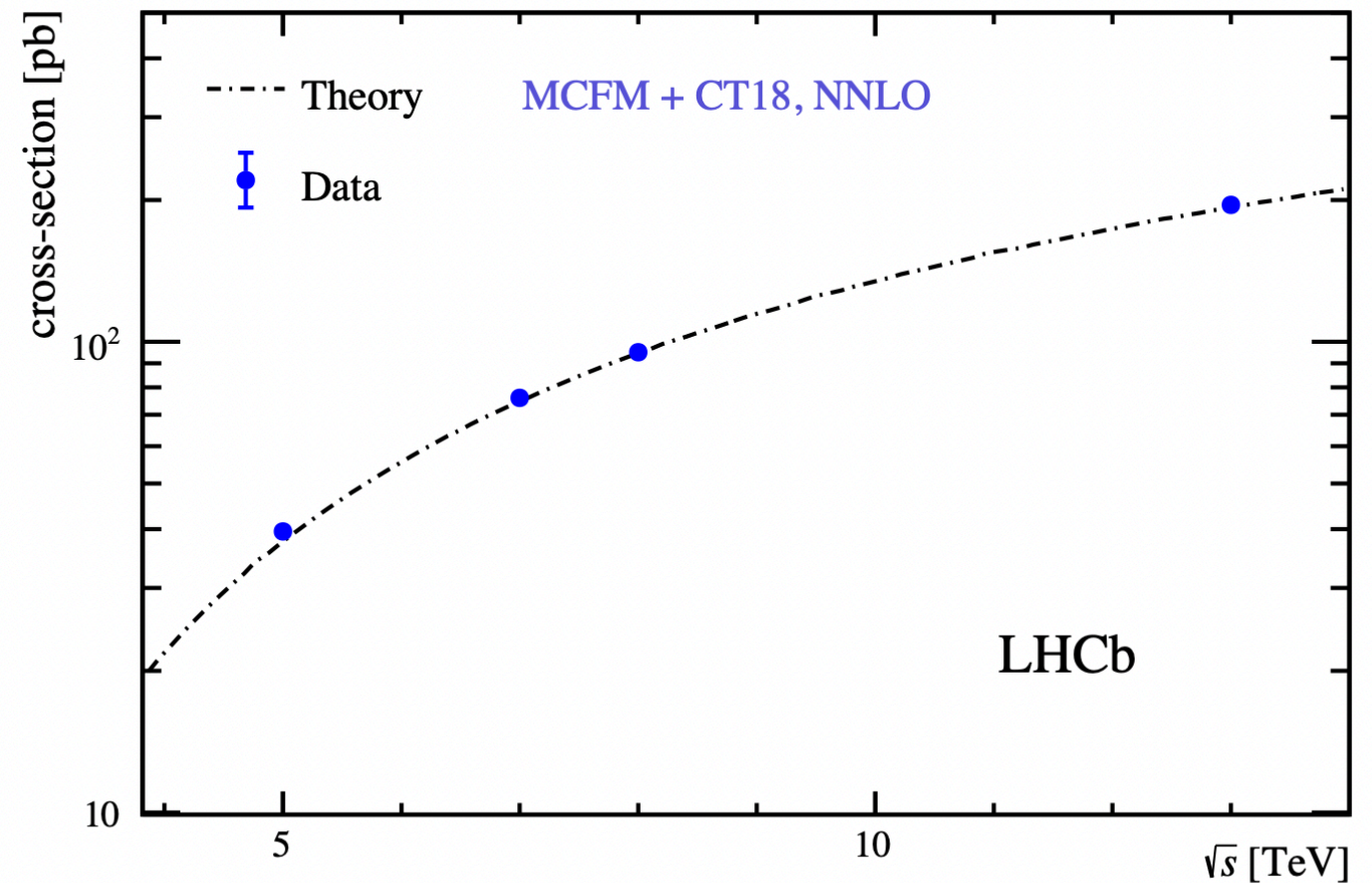
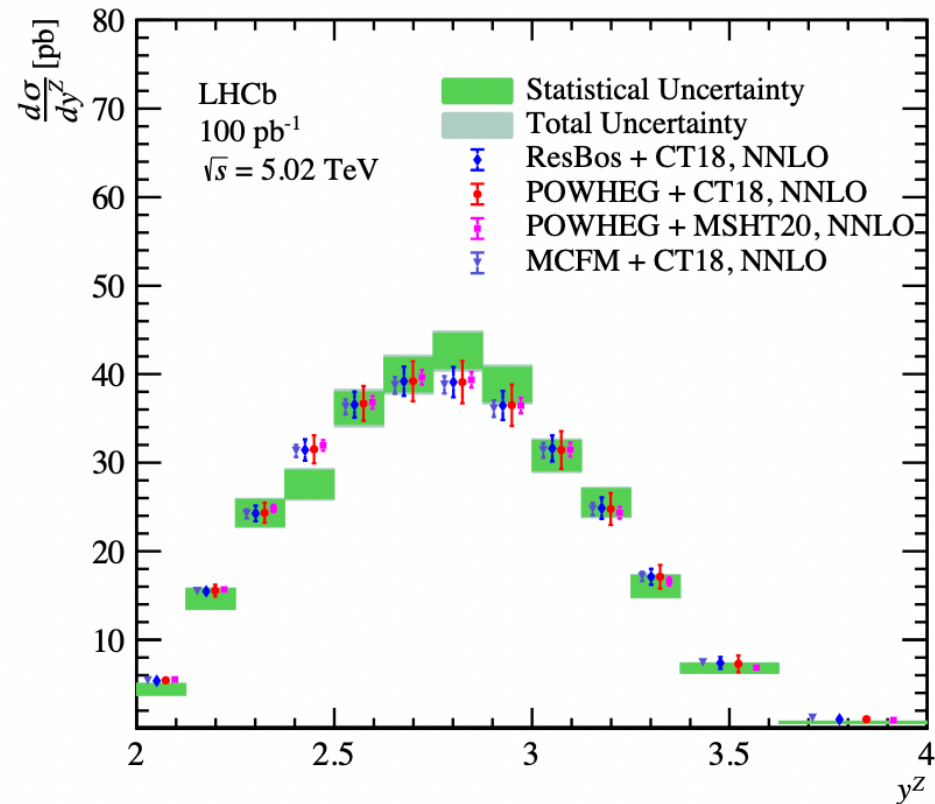
ATLAS-CONF-2023-028



- ATLAS recently measured p_T spectra of W/Z production using low pileup pp data at 5.02 TeV and 13 TeV
 - Dedicated low pileup runs optimize reconstruction of the W-boson p_T
- Higher-order resummed predictions based on DYTURBO generally match the data best

Forward Z-boson

[arXiv:2308.12940](https://arxiv.org/abs/2308.12940)



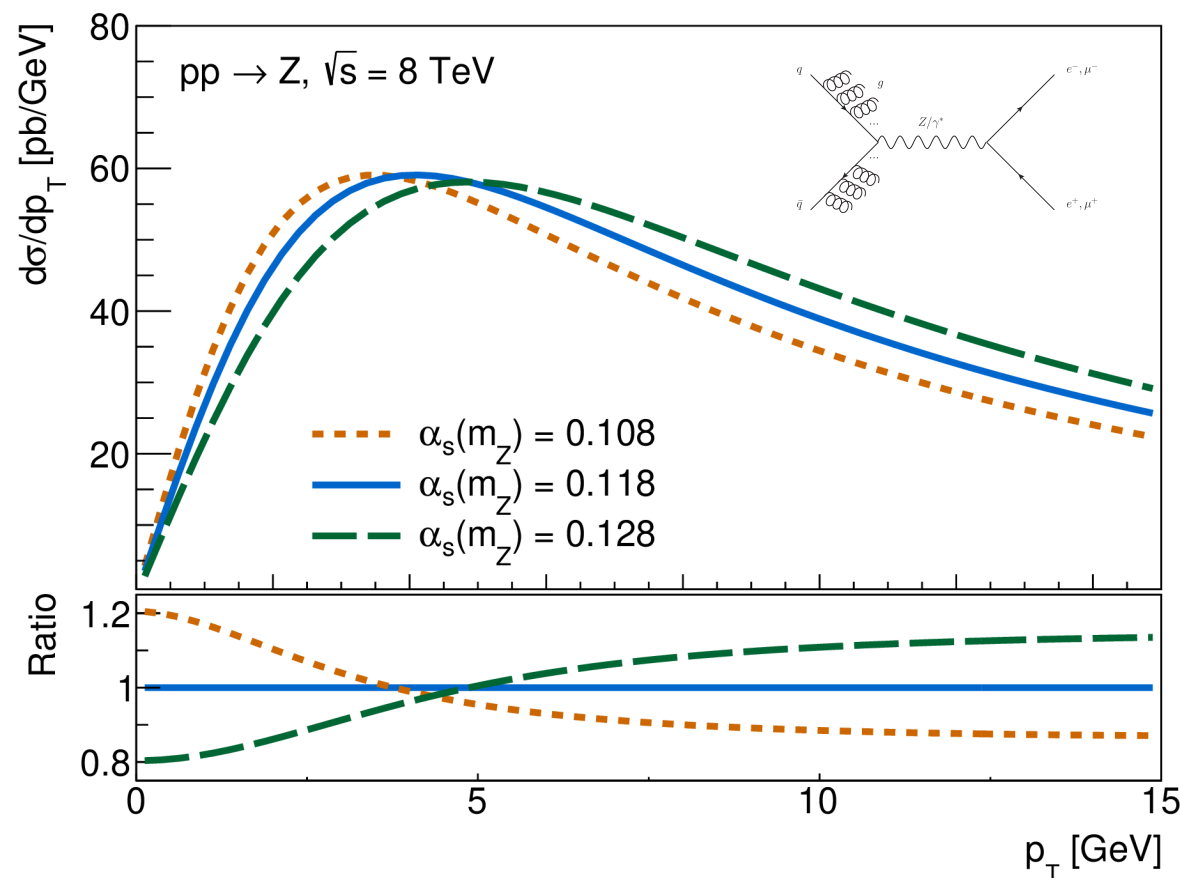
- LHCb measures inclusive and differential cross sections of Z boson production in forward region using 5.02 TeV pp collision data
 - Unique coverage, complementary to ATLAS/CMS measurement
- Combining with the Z production result using 5.02 TeV pPb collision data, nuclear modification factor is measured for the first time at this energy

$$R_{pPb}^F = 1.2_{-0.3}^{+0.5} (\text{stat}) \pm 0.1 (\text{syst})$$

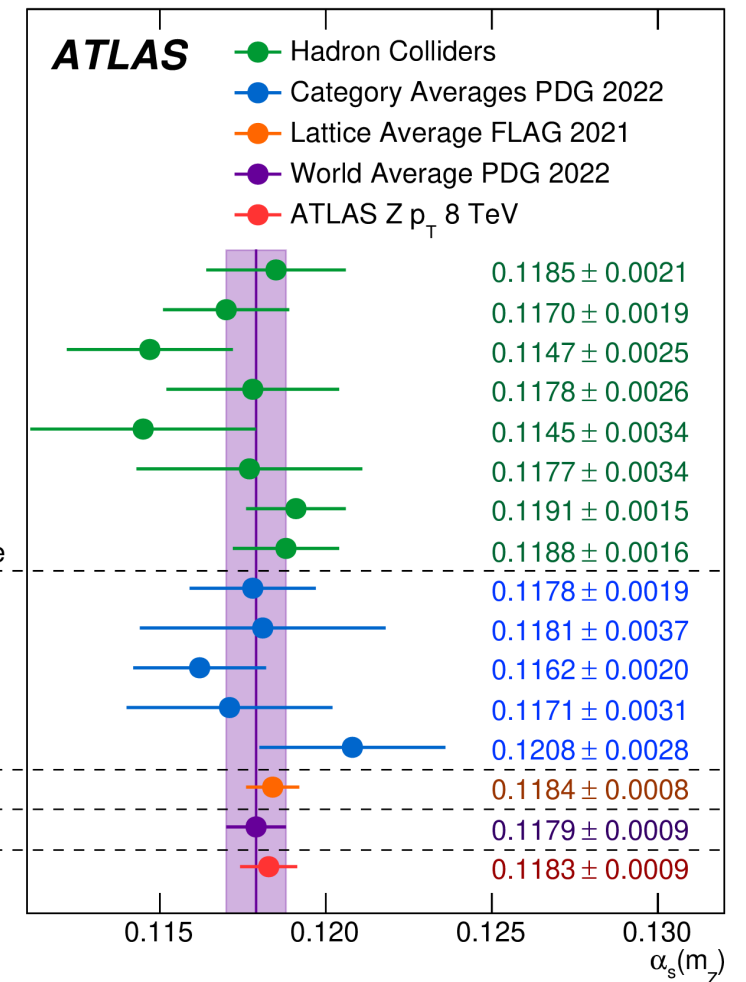
$$R_{pPb}^B = 3.6_{-0.9}^{+1.6} (\text{stat}) \pm 0.2 (\text{syst})$$

Determination of α_s using Z p_T

[arxiv:2309.12986](https://arxiv.org/abs/2309.12986) submitted to Nature Physics



ATLAS ATEEC
 CMS jets
 H1 jets
 HERA jets
 CMS $t\bar{t}$ inclusive
 Tevatron+LHC $t\bar{t}$ inclusive
 CDF Z p_T
 Tevatron+LHC W, Z inclusive
 τ decays and low Q^2
 $Q\bar{Q}$ bound states
 PDF fits
 e^+e^- jets and shapes
 Electroweak fit
 Lattice
 World average
 ATLAS Z p_T 8 TeV

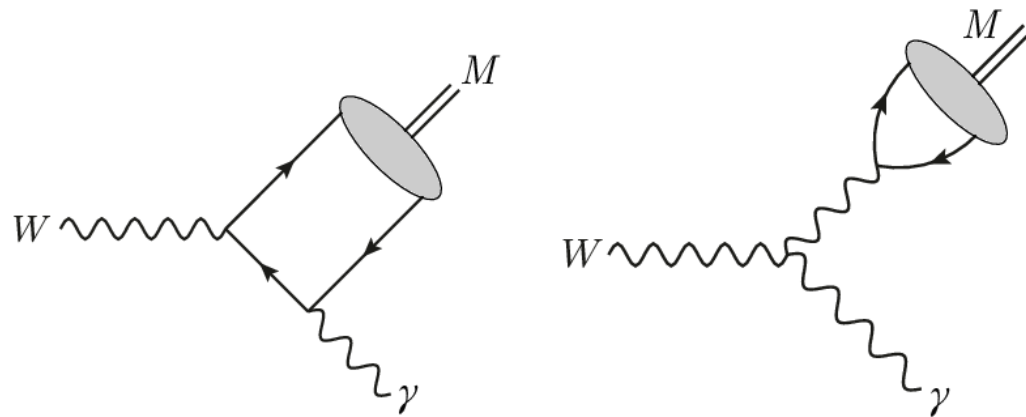


- ATLAS looks into Z p_T distributions in 8 TeV data
 - Z bosons recoil against QCD ISR; Position of the Z p_T -peak (Sudakov peak) highly sensitive to α_s
- Most precise experimental measurement of $\alpha_s(m_Z)$ and first time using N3LO+N4LL $p_T(Z)$ prediction

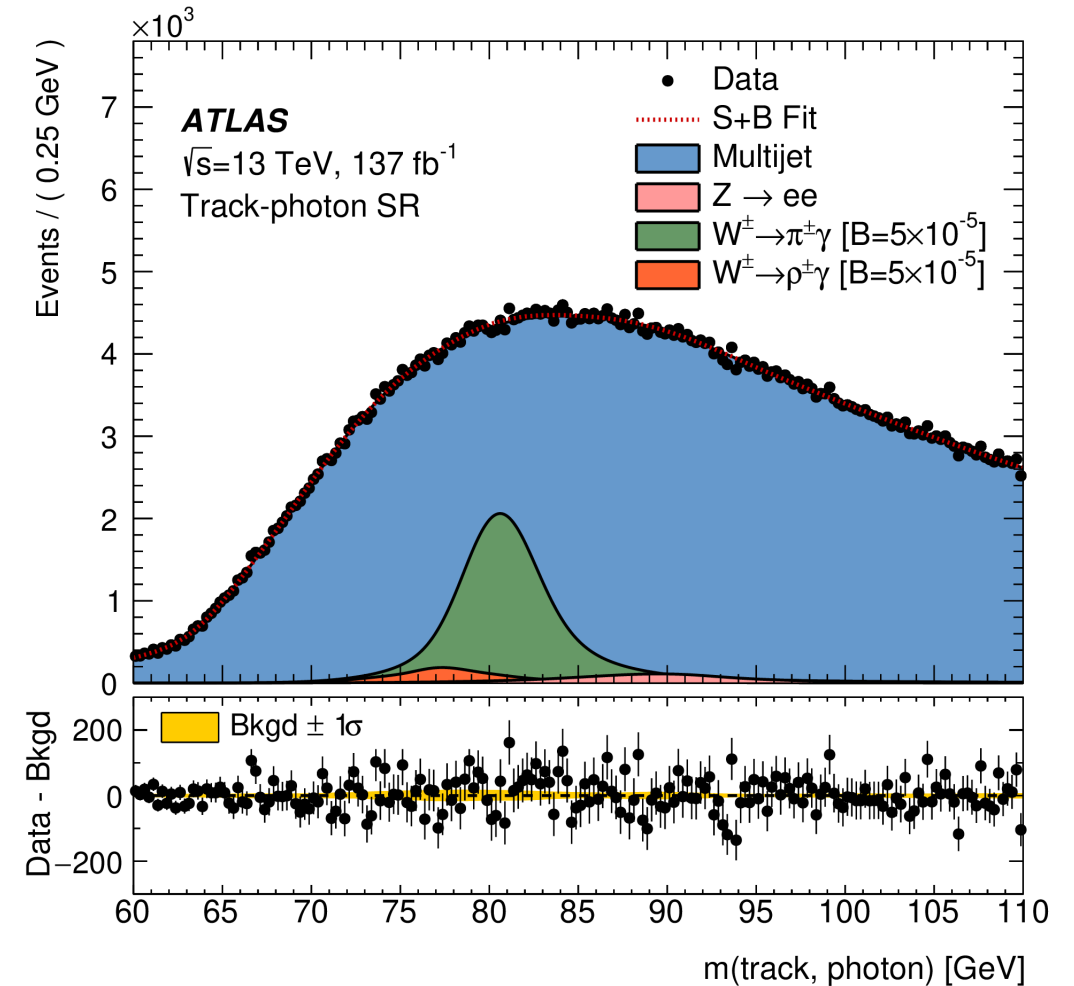
$$\alpha_s(m_Z) = 0.11828^{+0.00084}_{-0.00088} \text{ (0.7 \% rel.)}$$

Search for exclusive W boson hadronic decays

[arxiv:2309.15887](https://arxiv.org/abs/2309.15887) submitted to PRL



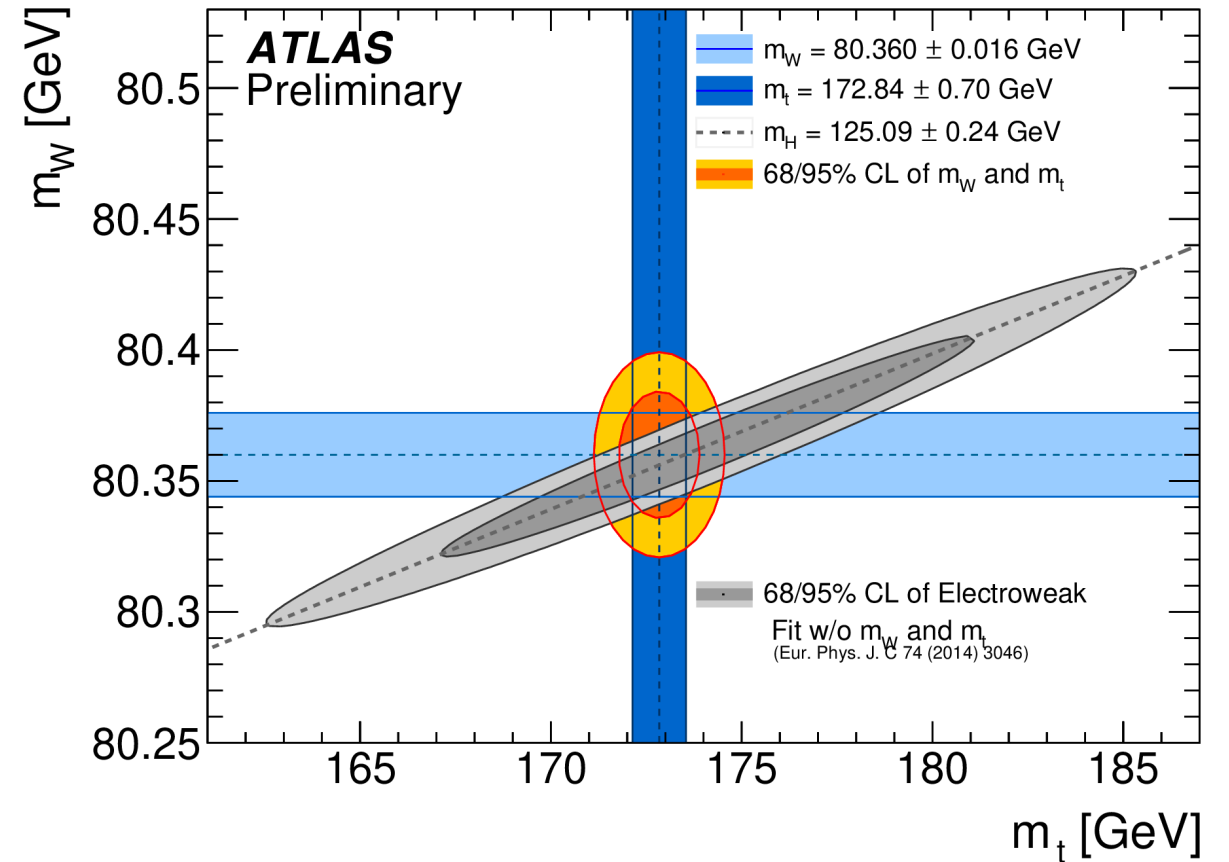
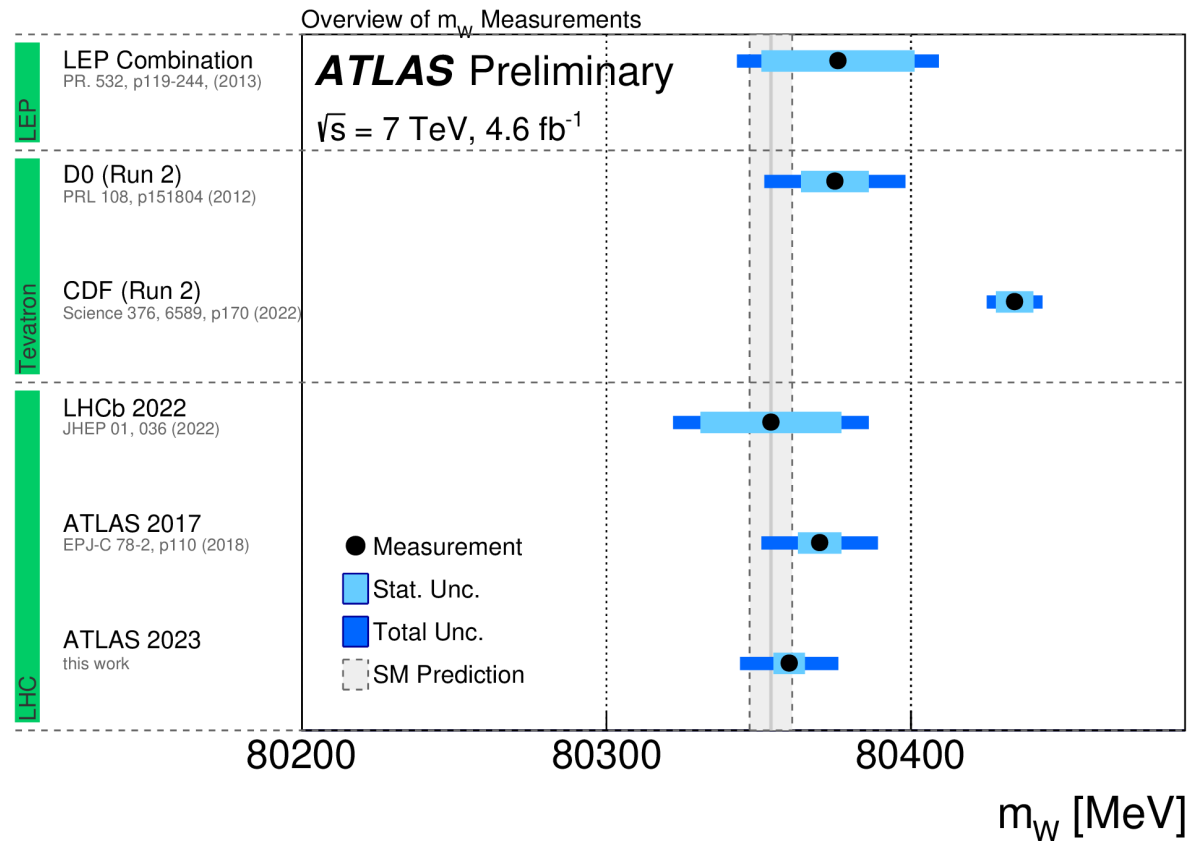
Branching fraction	95% CL upper limits	
	Expected $\times 10^{-6}$	Observed $\times 10^{-6}$
$\mathcal{B}(W^{\pm} \rightarrow \pi^{\pm} \gamma)$	$1.2^{+0.5}_{-0.3}$	1.9
$\mathcal{B}(W^{\pm} \rightarrow K^{\pm} \gamma)$	$1.1^{+0.4}_{-0.3}$	1.7
$\mathcal{B}(W^{\pm} \rightarrow \rho^{\pm} \gamma)$	$6.0^{+2.3}_{-1.7}$	5.2



- Improve previous upper limit on $\mathcal{B}(W^{\pm} \rightarrow \pi^{\pm} \gamma)$ by approximately a factor of four and provide first upper limits on $\mathcal{B}(W^{\pm} \rightarrow K^{\pm} \gamma)$ and $\mathcal{B}(W^{\pm} \rightarrow \rho^{\pm} \gamma)$
- Provide a test bench for the QCD factorization formalism, as well as a probe of W boson coupling to quarks and a new way to measure W boson mass

W mass measurement

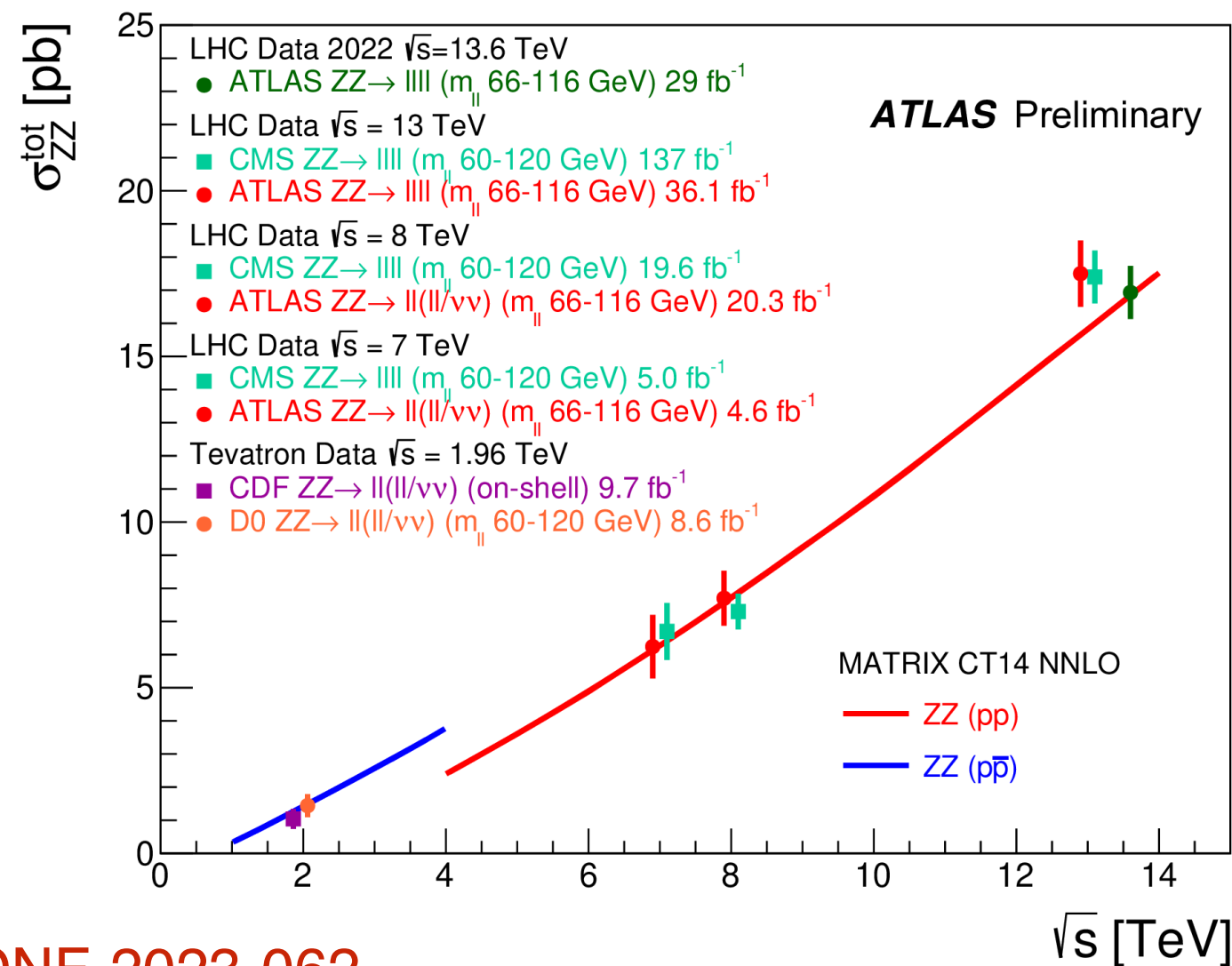
ATLAS-CONF-2023-004



- Higher order correction introduce dependance of W mass on top/Higgs mass, etc.
- ATLAS updated W mass measurement using 7 TeV pp data
 - Rigorous checks of modelling and advances in PDFs allow to use a profile likelihood fit => Several systematic uncertainties are reduced
 - $m_W = 80360 \pm 5(\text{stat.}) \pm 15(\text{syst.}) = 80360 \pm 16 \text{ MeV}$
- Tension with CDF measurement; consistent with global EW fit

Multiboson Physics

Cross section of ZZ production



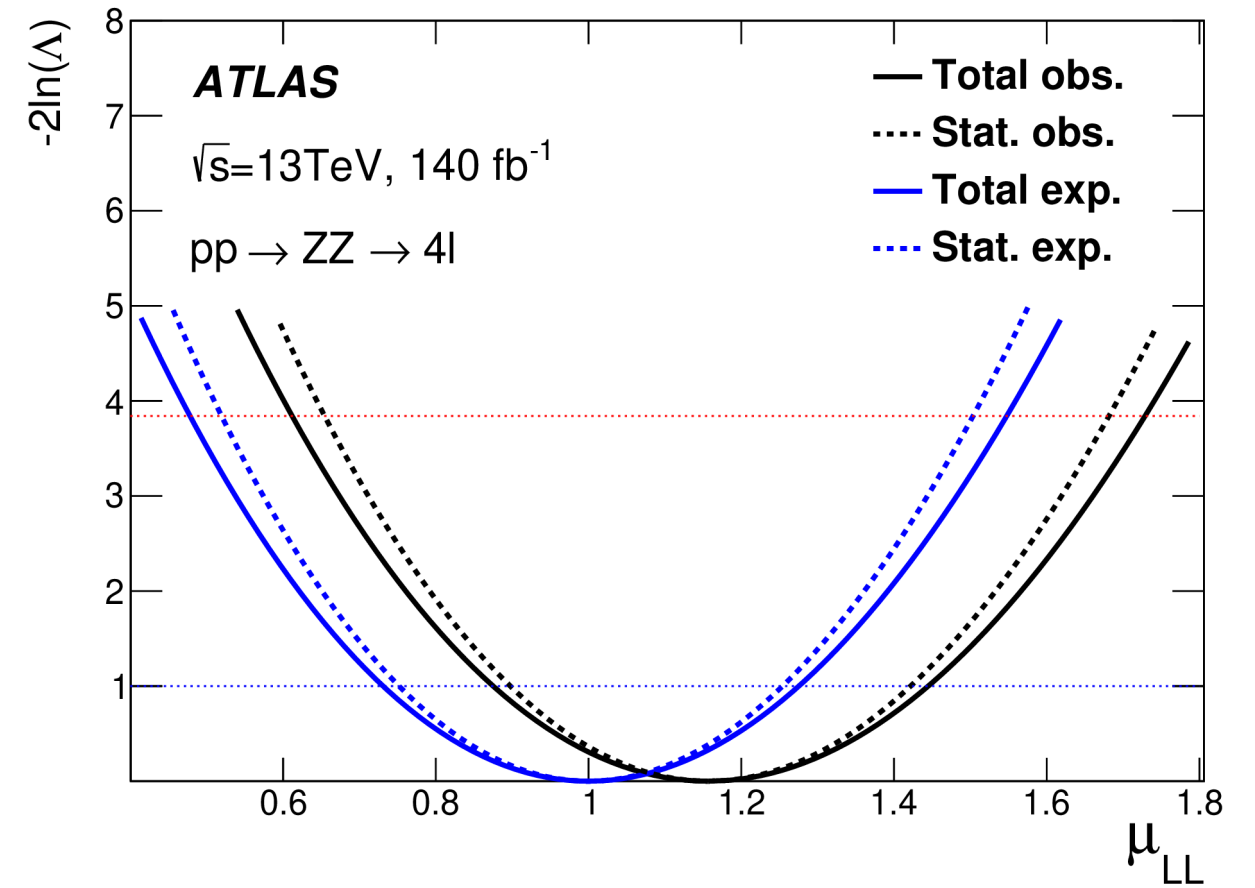
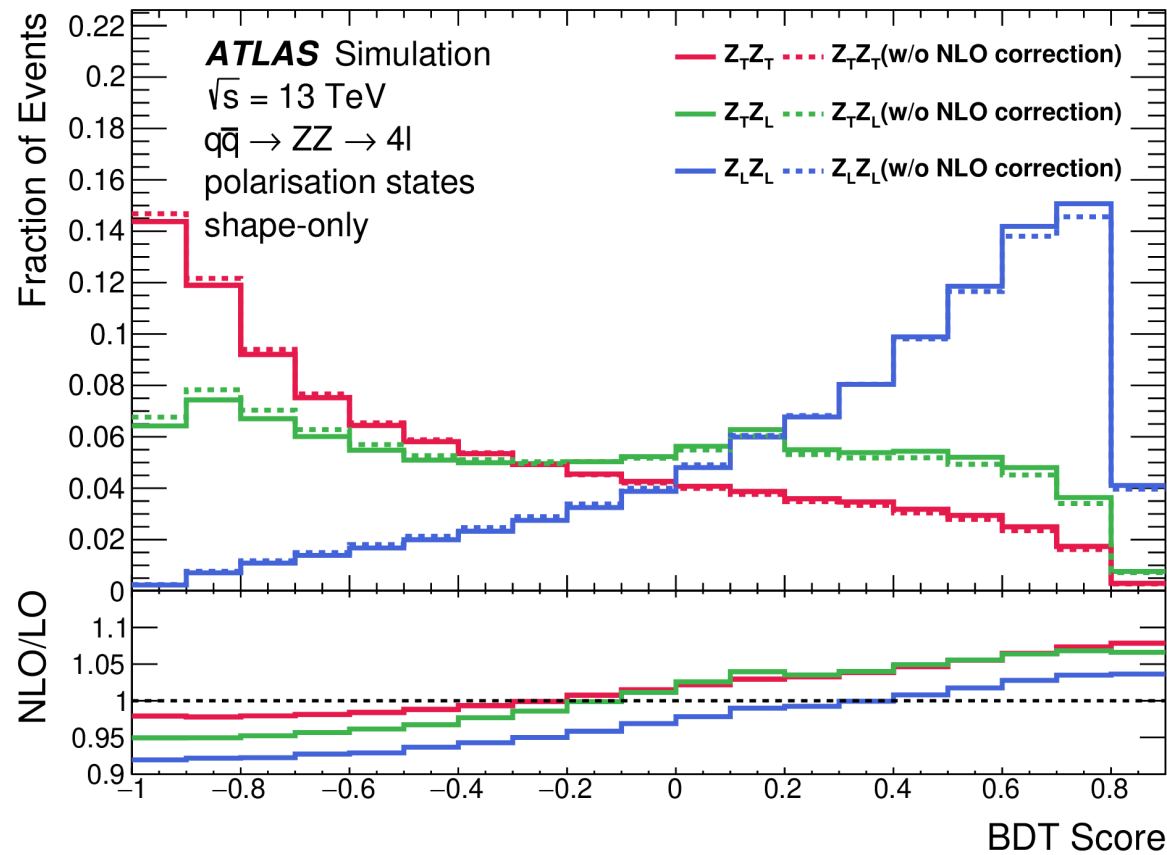
ATLAS-CONF-2023-062

- ATLAS has just released a new measurement of ZZ production cross section using data collected during Run 3 of the LHC
 - pioneers the use of PHYSLITE – a new, reduced data format that requires significantly less storage
- Results (at different collision energies) are well described by the Standard Model predictions

Polarization of ZZ production

[arxiv:2310.04350](https://arxiv.org/abs/2310.04350) submitted to JHEP

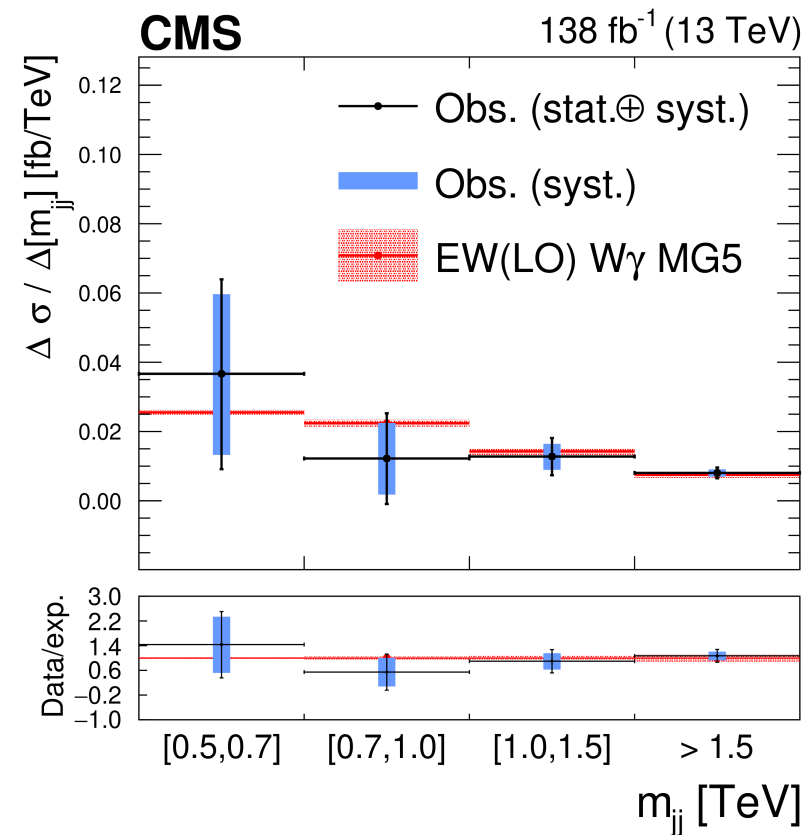
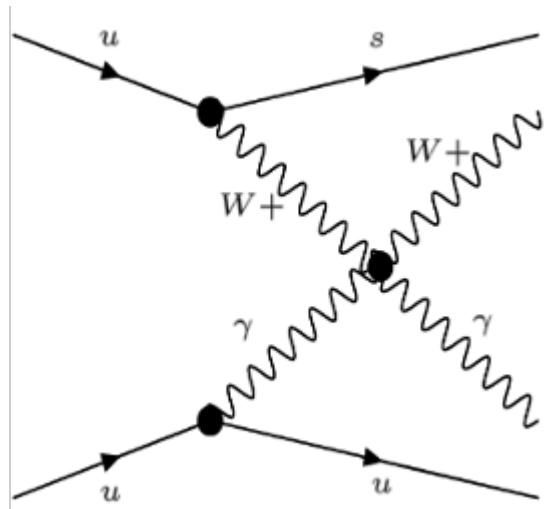
$\sigma_{\text{fid}} = 2.4 \pm 0.6 \text{ fb}$
(SM NLO $\sigma_{\text{fid}} = 2.1 \pm 0.1 \text{ fb}$)



- ATLAS studies polarization of ZZ production in 4-lepton final state
 - BDT using only angular variables to distinguish TT, LT/TL, LL
- Evidence (**4.3σ**) of pair production of longitudinally polarized Z bosons

Electroweak $W\gamma$ measurement

[Phys. Rev. D 108 \(2023\) 032017](#)



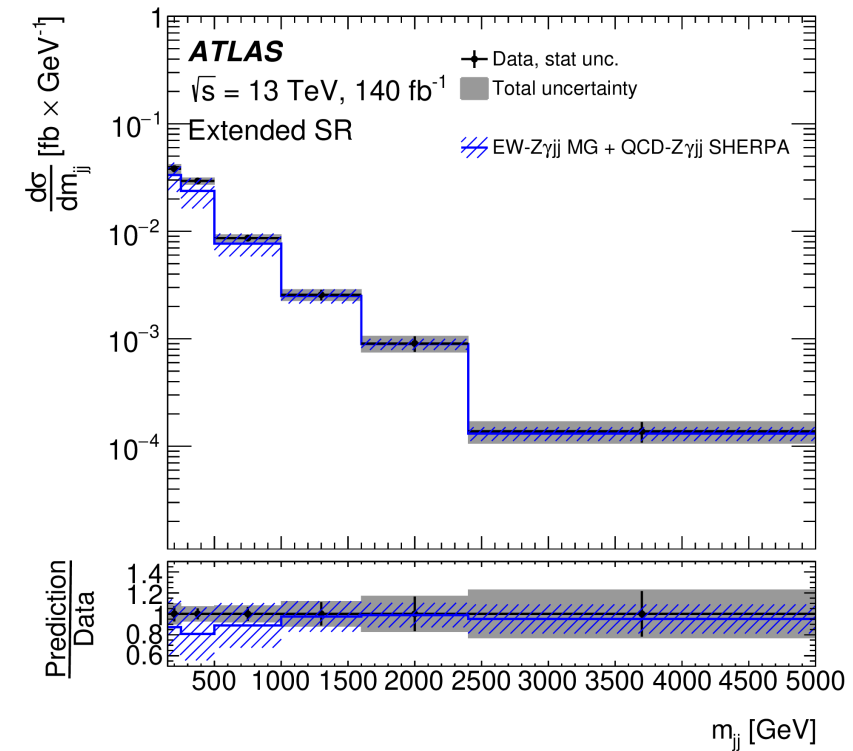
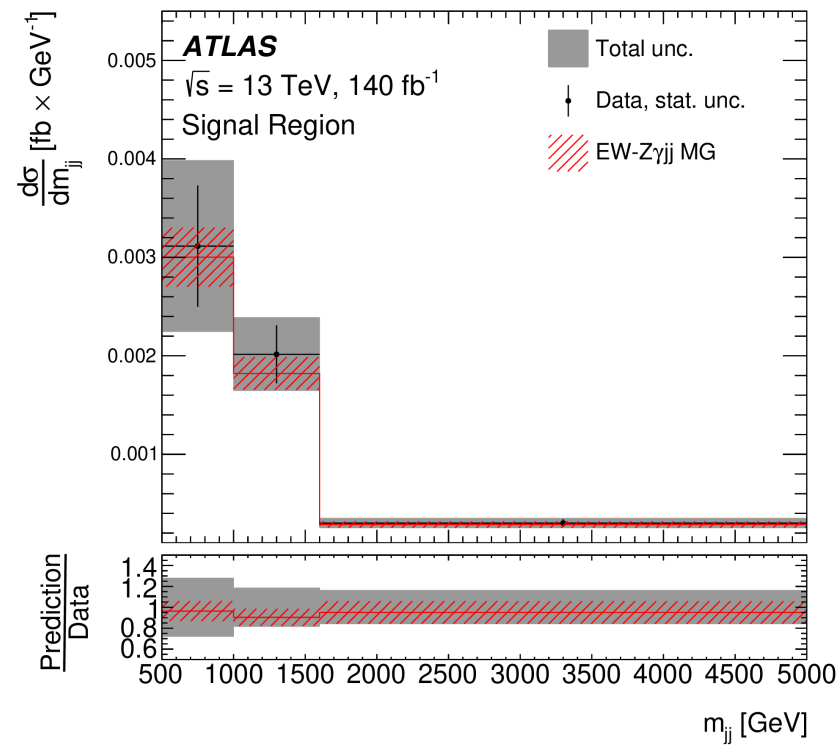
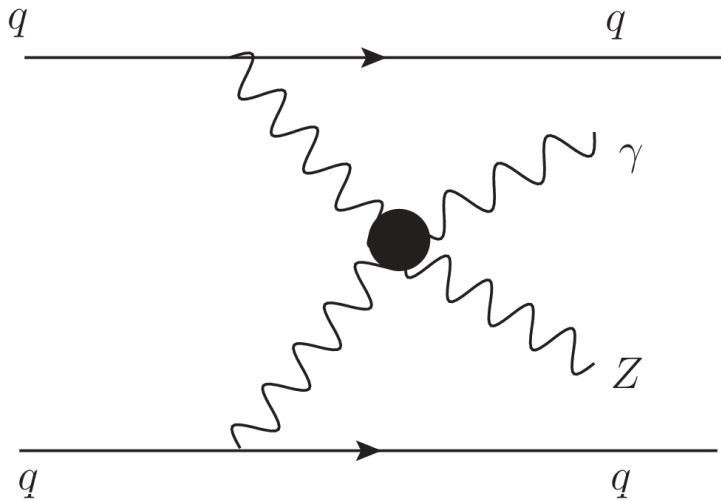
Expected limit	Observed limit	U_{bound}
$-5.1 < f_{M,0}/\Lambda^4 < 5.1$	$-5.6 < f_{M,0}/\Lambda^4 < 5.5$	1.7
$-7.1 < f_{M,1}/\Lambda^4 < 7.4$	$-7.8 < f_{M,1}/\Lambda^4 < 8.1$	2.1
$-1.8 < f_{M,2}/\Lambda^4 < 1.8$	$-1.9 < f_{M,2}/\Lambda^4 < 1.9$	2.0
$-2.5 < f_{M,3}/\Lambda^4 < 2.5$	$-2.7 < f_{M,3}/\Lambda^4 < 2.7$	2.7
$-3.3 < f_{M,4}/\Lambda^4 < 3.3$	$-3.7 < f_{M,4}/\Lambda^4 < 3.6$	2.3
$-3.4 < f_{M,5}/\Lambda^4 < 3.6$	$-3.9 < f_{M,5}/\Lambda^4 < 3.9$	2.7
$-13 < f_{M,7}/\Lambda^4 < 13$	$-14 < f_{M,7}/\Lambda^4 < 14$	2.2
$-0.43 < f_{T,0}/\Lambda^4 < 0.51$	$-0.47 < f_{T,0}/\Lambda^4 < 0.51$	1.9
$-0.27 < f_{T,1}/\Lambda^4 < 0.31$	$-0.31 < f_{T,1}/\Lambda^4 < 0.34$	2.5
$-0.72 < f_{T,2}/\Lambda^4 < 0.92$	$-0.85 < f_{T,2}/\Lambda^4 < 1.0$	2.3
$-0.29 < f_{T,5}/\Lambda^4 < 0.31$	$-0.31 < f_{T,5}/\Lambda^4 < 0.33$	2.6
$-0.23 < f_{T,6}/\Lambda^4 < 0.25$	$-0.25 < f_{T,6}/\Lambda^4 < 0.27$	2.9
$-0.60 < f_{T,7}/\Lambda^4 < 0.68$	$-0.67 < f_{T,7}/\Lambda^4 < 0.73$	3.1

CMS performs measurement for EWK $W\gamma$, a rare Standard Model process

1. “Re-discover” EWK $W\gamma$ at 13 TeV
2. First differential cross section measurement for EWK $W\gamma$
3. Most precise measurement for some anomalous quartic gauge couplings (aQGCs) (FM2-5, FT5-7)

Electroweak $Z\gamma$ measurement

[Phys. Lett. B 846 \(2023\) 138222](#)



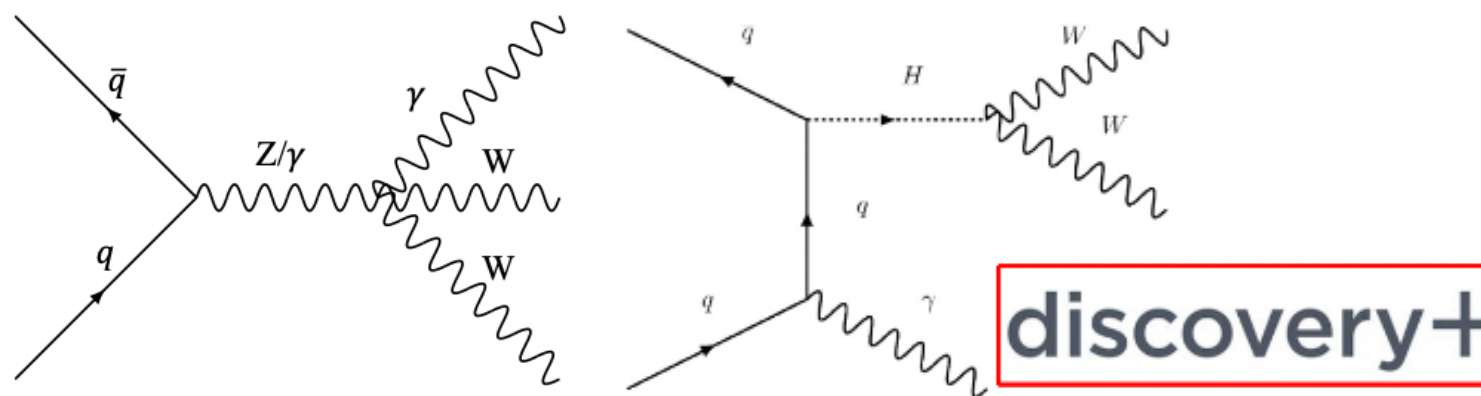
ATLAS performs measurement for EWK $Z\gamma$, a rare Standard Model process

1. Observed and expected significance well above 5 standard deviations
2. Fiducial cross sections of EWK $Z\gamma$ and EWK+QCD $Z\gamma$ are measured and consistent with SM predictions
3. Differential cross-sections are also measured using the same events and compared with Monte Carlo simulations

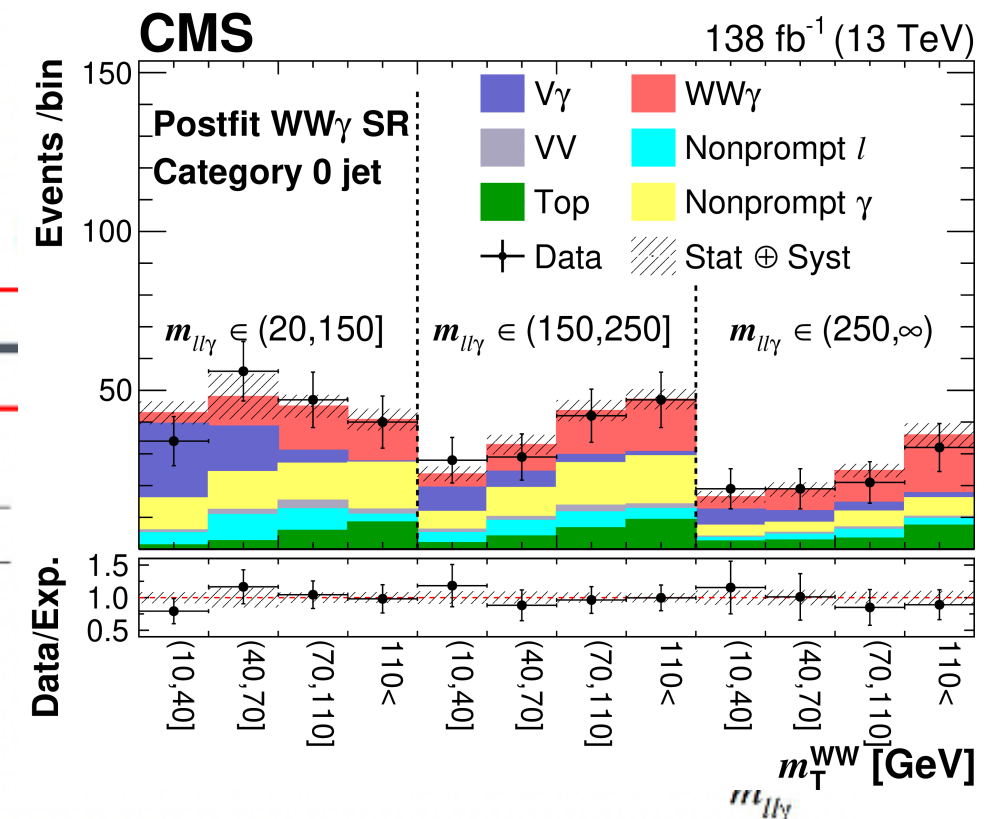
First observation of $WW\gamma$ production

[arxiv:2310.05164](https://arxiv.org/abs/2310.05164) submitted to PRL

- First observation (**5.6σ**) of $WW\gamma$ production
 - Provide the best sensitivity for Yukawa couplings between Higgs and light quarks



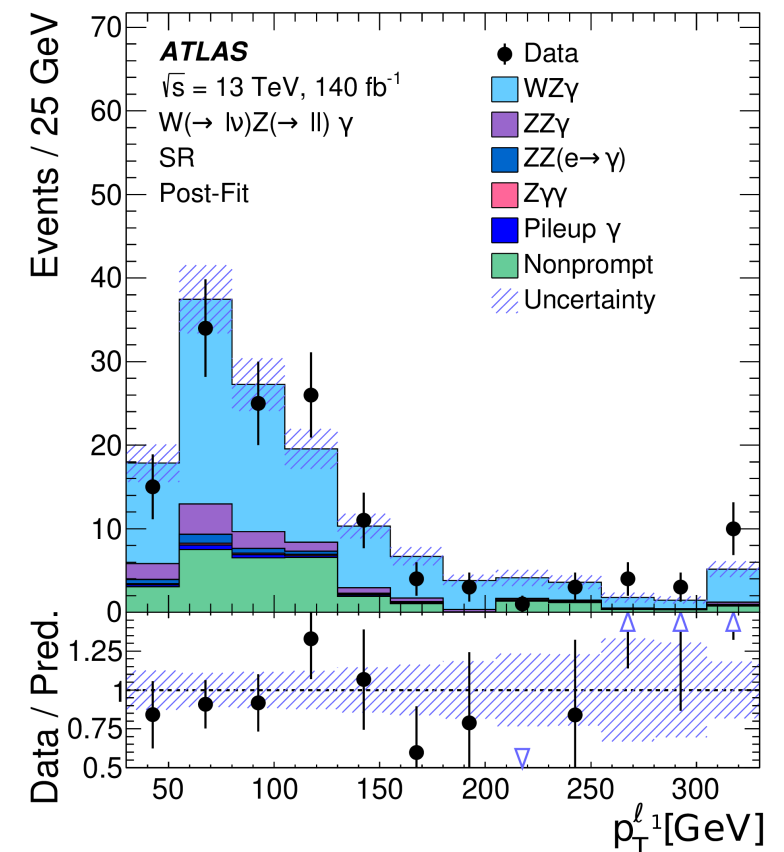
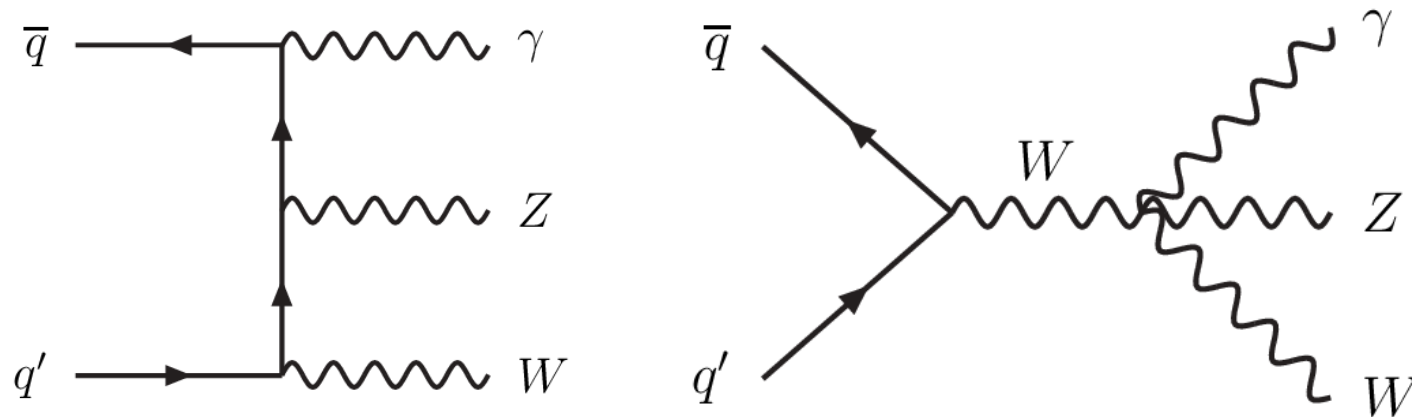
Process	σ_{up} pb exp.(obs.)	Yukawa couplings limits exp.(obs.)
$u\bar{u} \rightarrow H + \gamma \rightarrow e\mu\gamma$	0.067 (0.085)	$ \kappa_u \leq 13000$ (16000)
$d\bar{d} \rightarrow H + \gamma \rightarrow e\mu\gamma$	0.058 (0.072)	$ \kappa_d \leq 14000$ (17000)
$s\bar{s} \rightarrow H + \gamma \rightarrow e\mu\gamma$	0.049 (0.068)	$ \kappa_s \leq 1300$ (1700)
$c\bar{c} \rightarrow H + \gamma \rightarrow e\mu\gamma$	0.067 (0.087)	$ \kappa_c \leq 110$ (200)



First observation of $WZ\gamma$ production

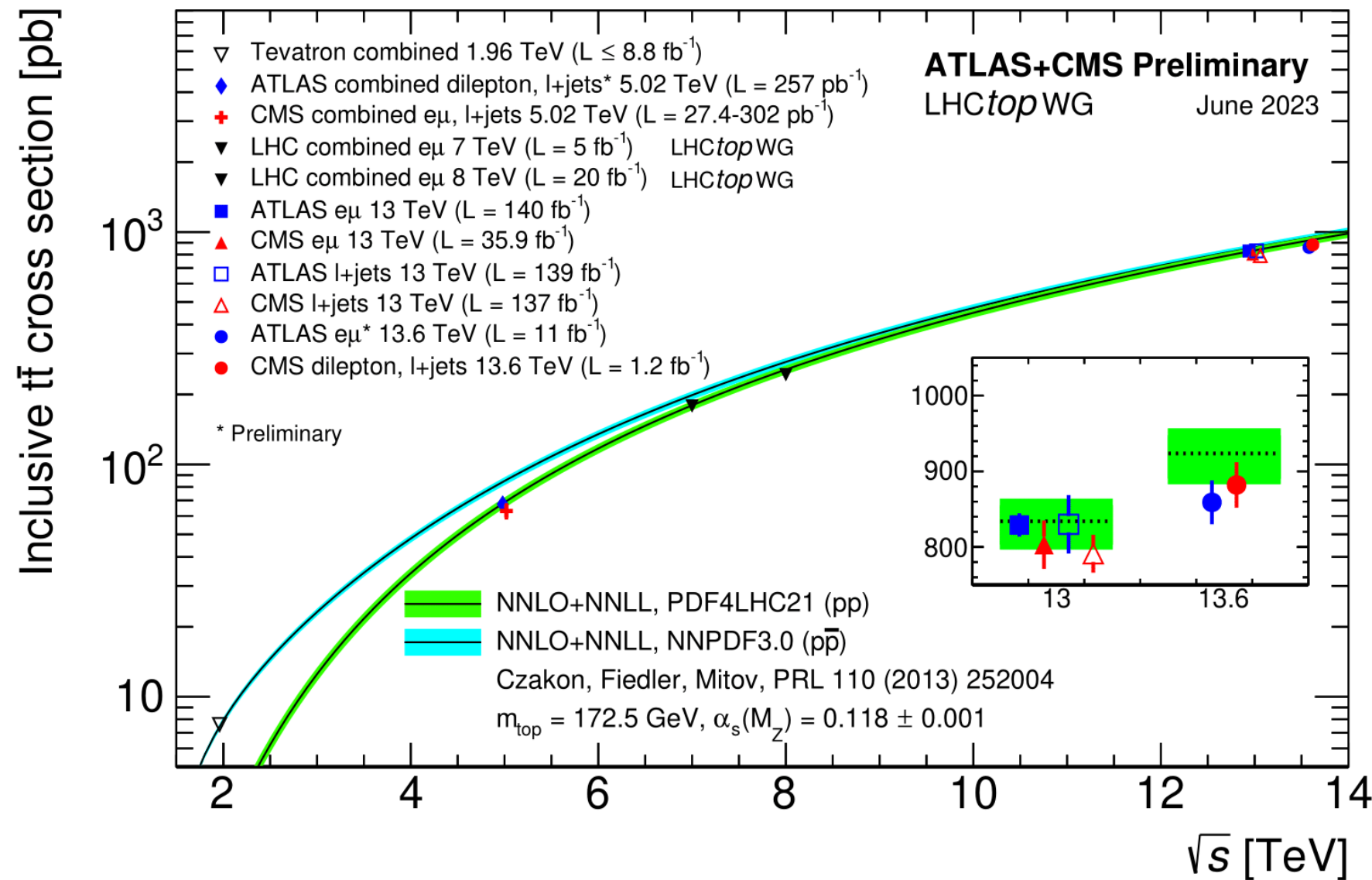
[arxiv:2305.16994](https://arxiv.org/abs/2305.16994) submitted to PRL

- First observation (**6.3σ**) of $WZ\gamma$ production
 - Provide one of the primary means to probe the quartic interactions between EW gauge bosons



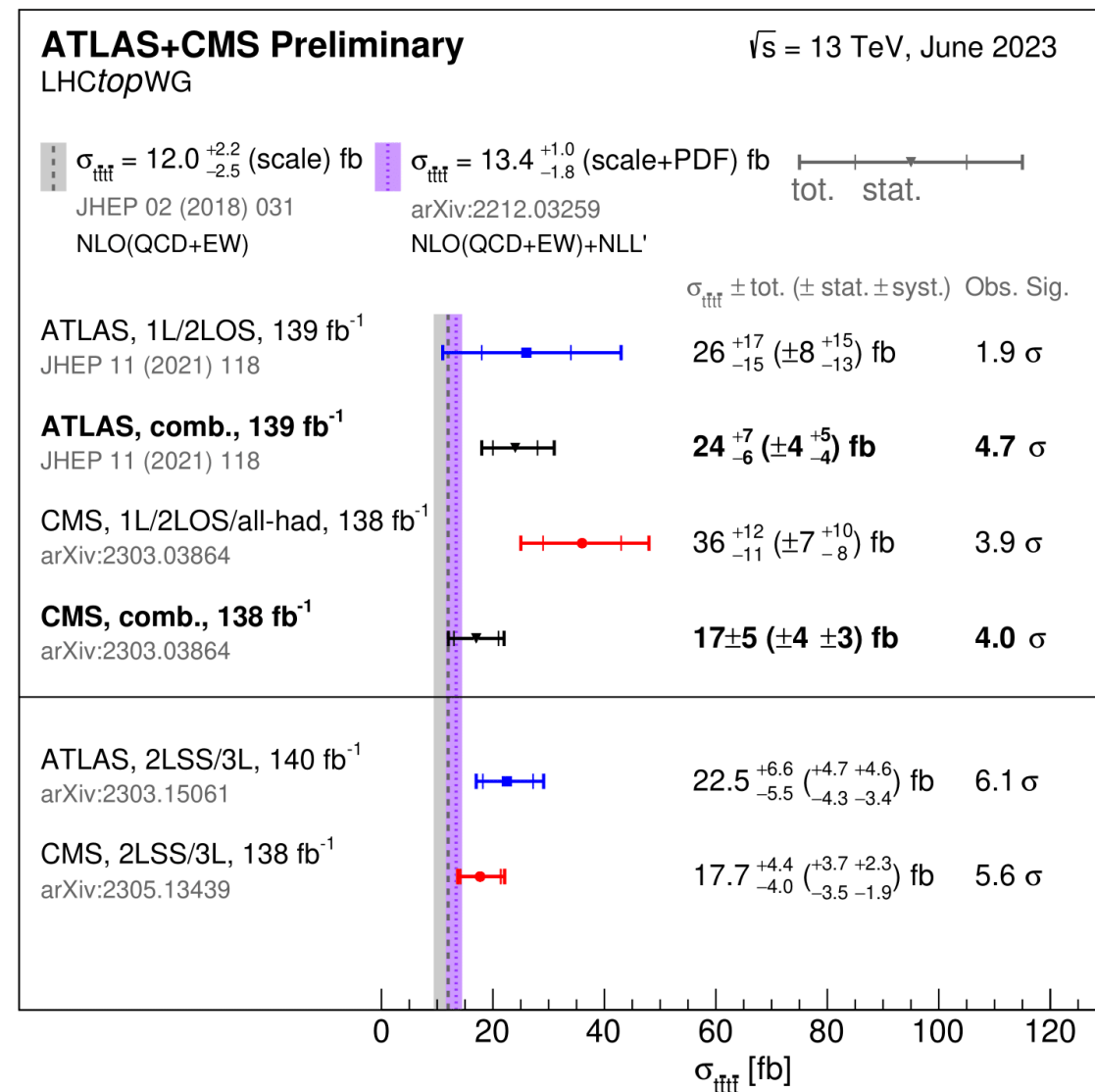
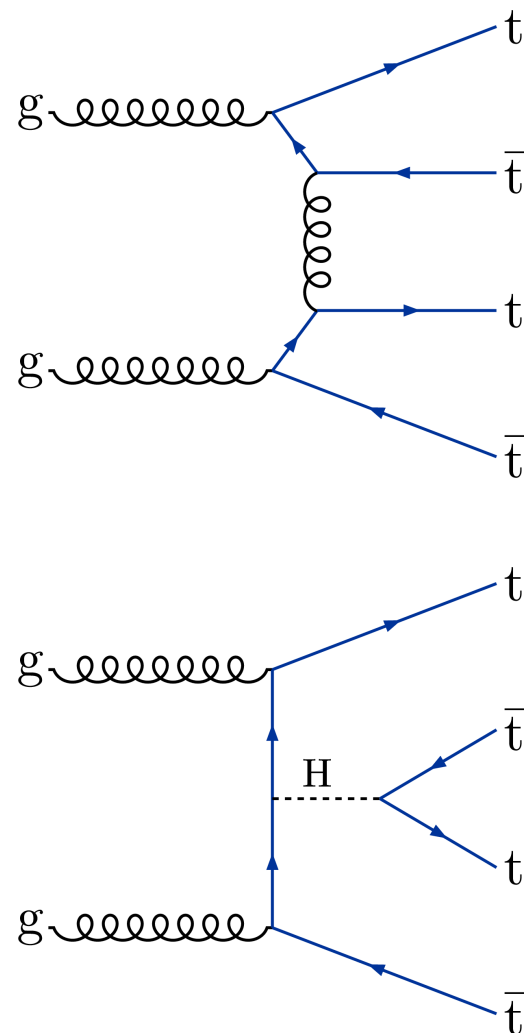
Top Physics

Cross section of top pair production



- Early Run-3 results from both ATLAS and CMS experiments
 - with remarkable precision ($\sim 3.5\%$) [arxiv:2308.09529](https://arxiv.org/abs/2308.09529) [JHEP 08 \(2023\) 204](https://arxiv.org/abs/2308.09529)
- At 13 TeV ATLAS has a cross-section measurement with a relative uncertainty of only 1.8% [arxiv:2303.15340](https://arxiv.org/abs/2303.15340)
- Results are consistent with NNLO+NNLL predictions

Observation of four top production

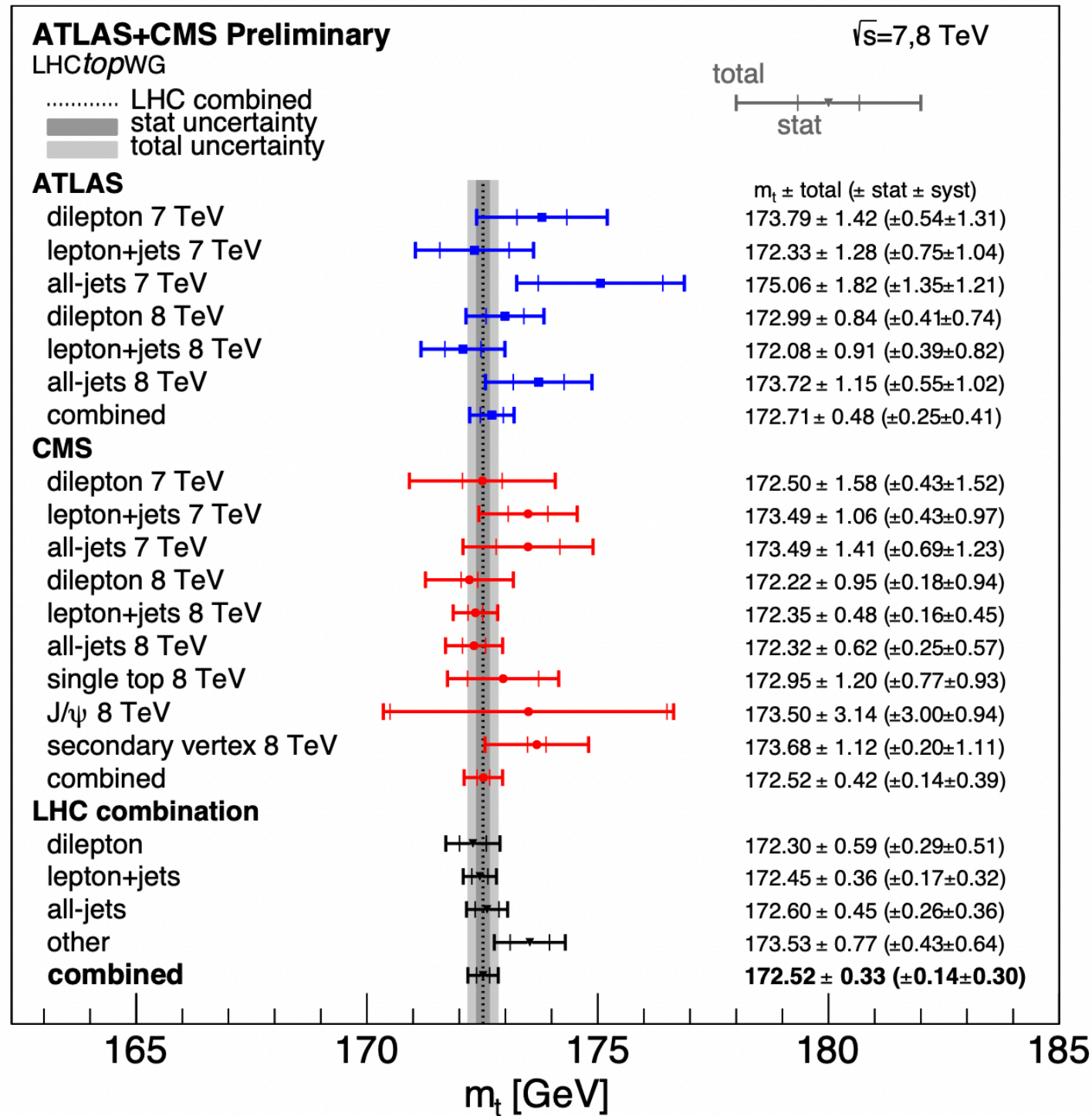


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[Phys. Lett. B 847 \(2023\) 138290](#)

- Observation by ATLAS and CMS experiments independently
 - this process is extremely rare compared to top-pair production, but it is already a measurement limited by systematics
- Results provides sensitivity to the Higgs-top Yukawa coupling

Top mass measurements



- Combination of top mass measurements performed by ATLAS and CMS experiments with Run 1 data:

- $m_t = 172.52 \pm 0.33 \text{ GeV}$

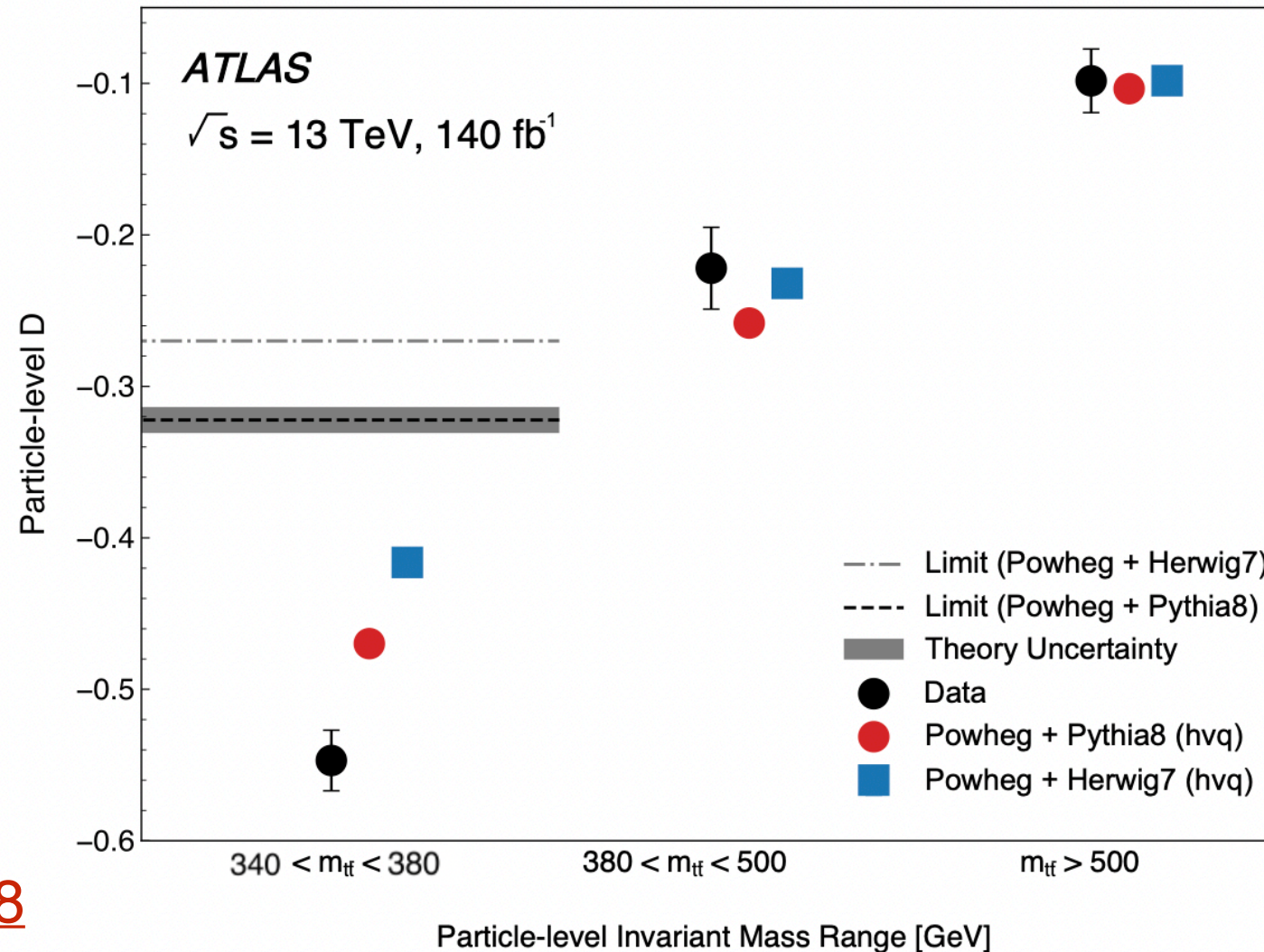
[CERN-LPCC-2023-02](#)

- Top mass measurement by CMS experiment with Run 2 data using profile likelihood in lepton+jets channel:

- $m_t = 171.77 \pm 0.37 \text{ GeV}$

[Eur. Phys. J. C 83 \(2023\) 963](#)

Quantum entanglement in top pair production



[arxiv:2311.07288](https://arxiv.org/abs/2311.07288)

Submitted to Nature

- Spin entanglement is detected from the measurement of a single observable D , inferred by angle between charged leptons in top quark rest frames
 - it is necessary to restrict the selection to events close to the production threshold
- More than 5 five standard deviations from a scenario without entanglement
 - **the first observation of entanglement in a pair of quarks and the observation of entanglement at the highest energy to date**

Summary

- LHC experiments continue to deliver many **interesting SM measurement results**
 - α_s ($\sim 1\%$ precision)
 - W ($\sim 0.02\%$ precision) and top ($\sim 0.2\%$ precision) masses
 - First observation $WW\gamma$, $WZ\gamma$ and 4-top productions
 - Quantum entanglement
 - etc.
- Many new measurements are being pursued.
Please stay tuned!

Thank you!

Observation of $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow \tau\tau$ in PbPb collisions

[Phys. Rev. Lett. 131 \(2023\) 151802](#)

- Observation of $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow \tau\tau$ in ultraperipheral PbPb collisions
 - $\mu = 1.03^{+0.06}_{-0.05}$
- Constraints on the τ -lepton anomalous magnetic moment: $-0.057 < a_\tau < 0.024$
 - competitive with existing lepton-collider constraints

