

How and Why to go Beyond the Discovery of the Higgs Boson

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Lecture Outline

- April 1st:** **Newton's dream & 20th Century Revolution**
- April 8th:** **Mission Barely Possible: QM + SR**
- April 15th:** **The Standard Model**
- April 22nd:** **Importance of the Higgs**
- April 29th:** **Guest Lecture**
- May 6th:** **The Cannon and the Camera**
- May 13th:** ***The Discovery of the Higgs Boson***
- May 20th:** **Problems with the Standard Model**
- May 27th:** **Memorial Day: No Lecture**
- June 3rd:** **Going beyond the Higgs: What comes next ?**

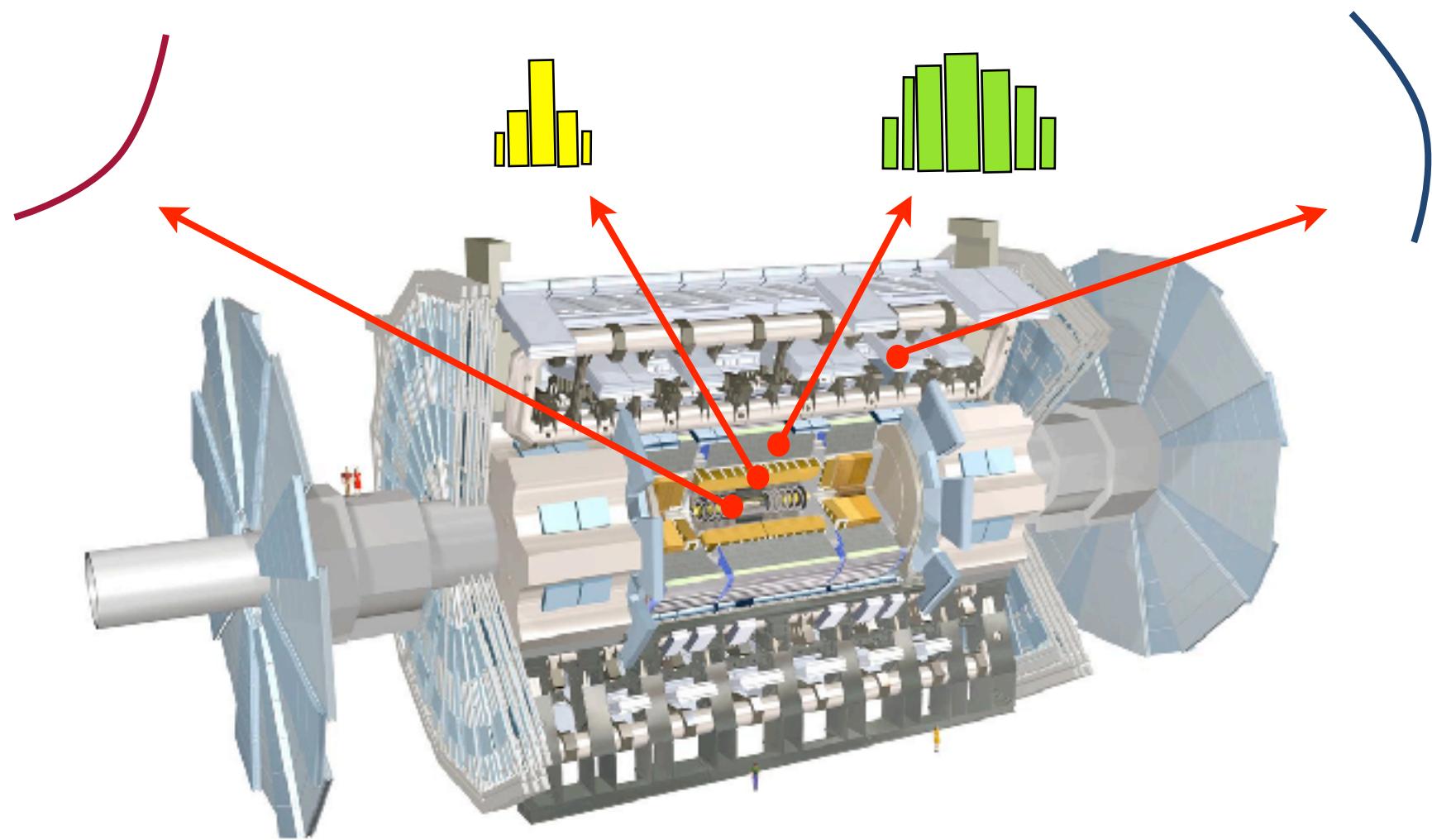
The Basic Outputs:

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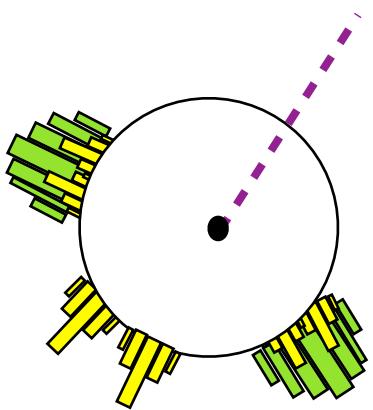
Electro-Magnetic Calorimeter

Hadronic Calorimeter

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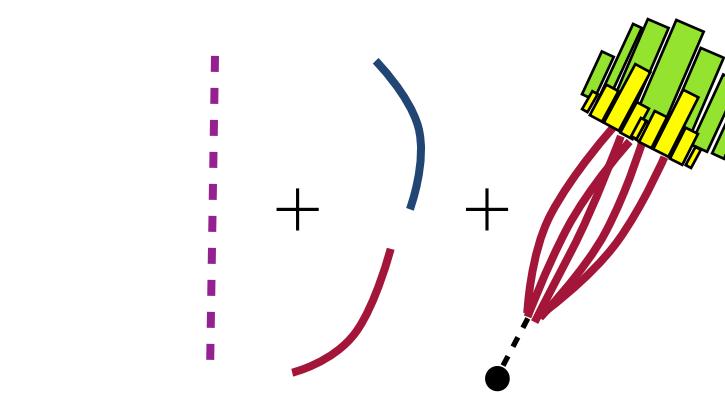
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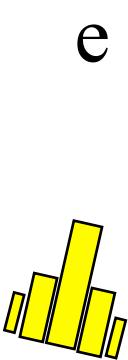
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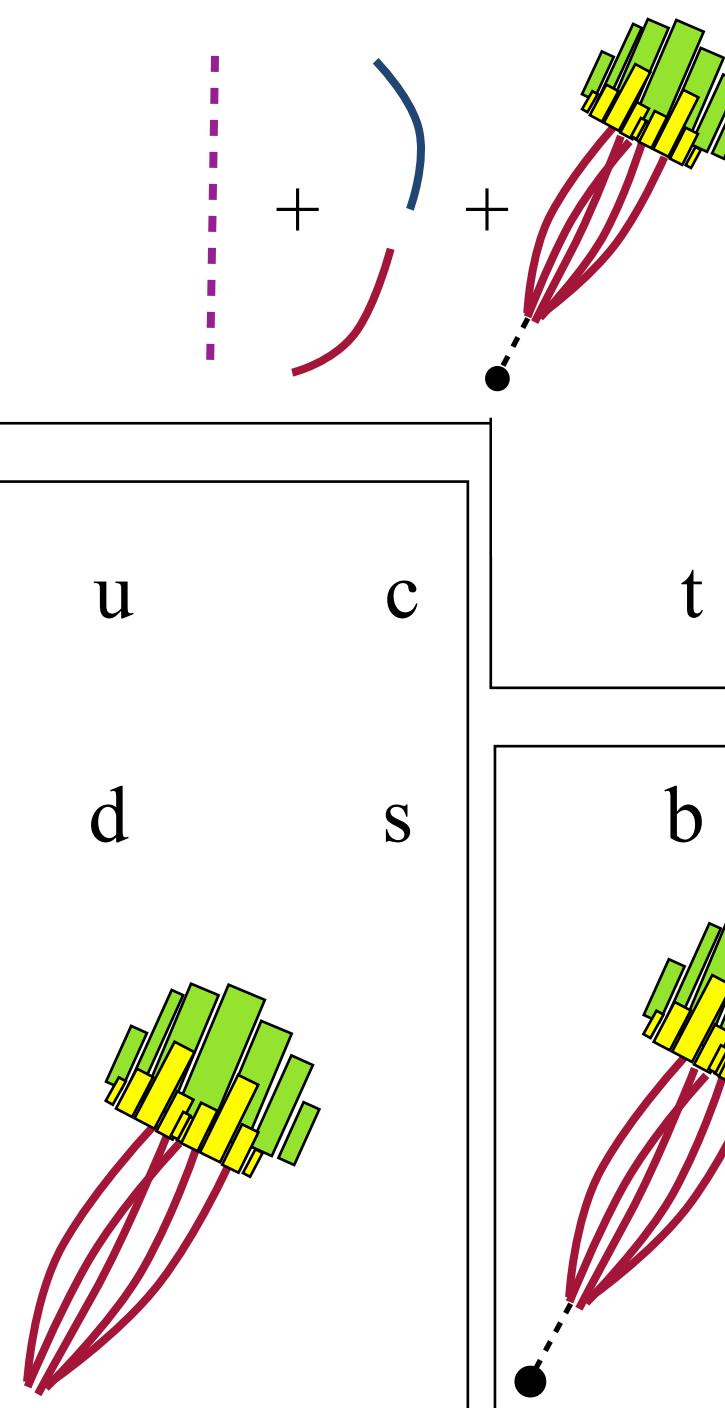
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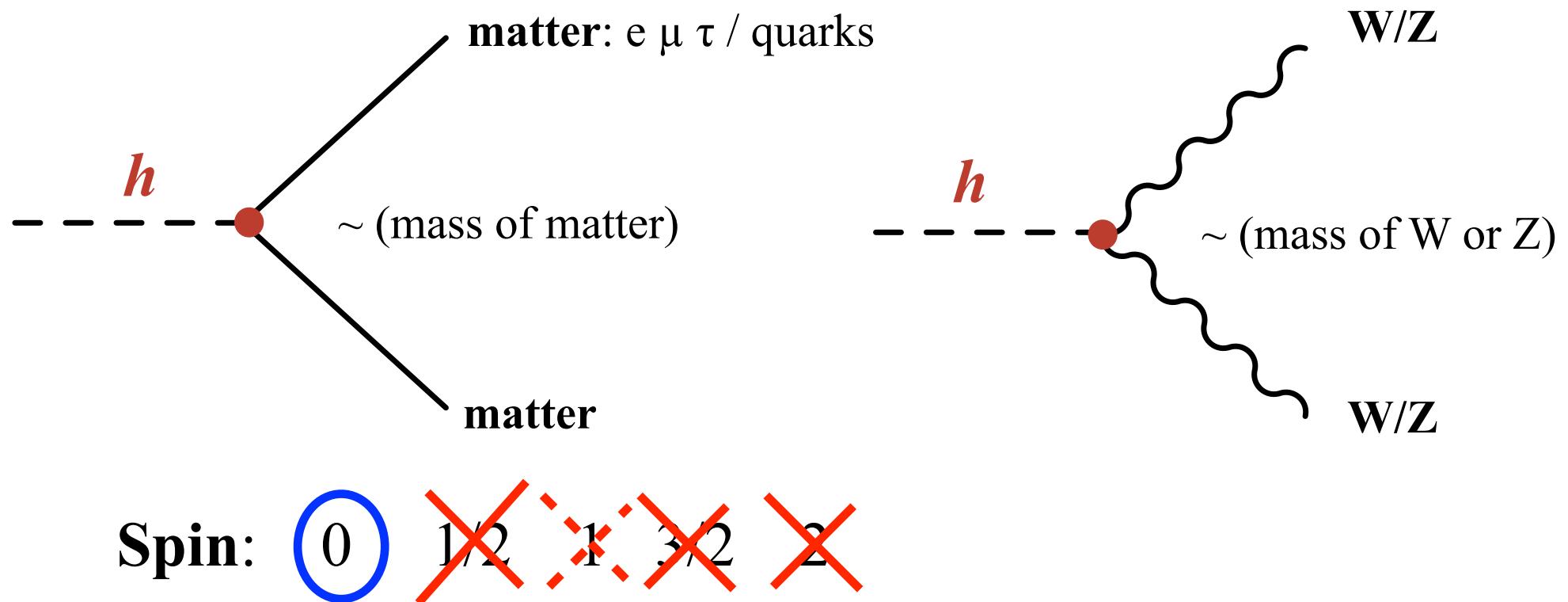


Reminder: *The Higgs Boson*

What do we know about the Higgs Particle: A Lot

Higgs is excitations of v-condensate

⇒ Couples to matter / W/Z just like v



Only thing we don't (*didn't!*) know is the value of m_H

Today's Lecture

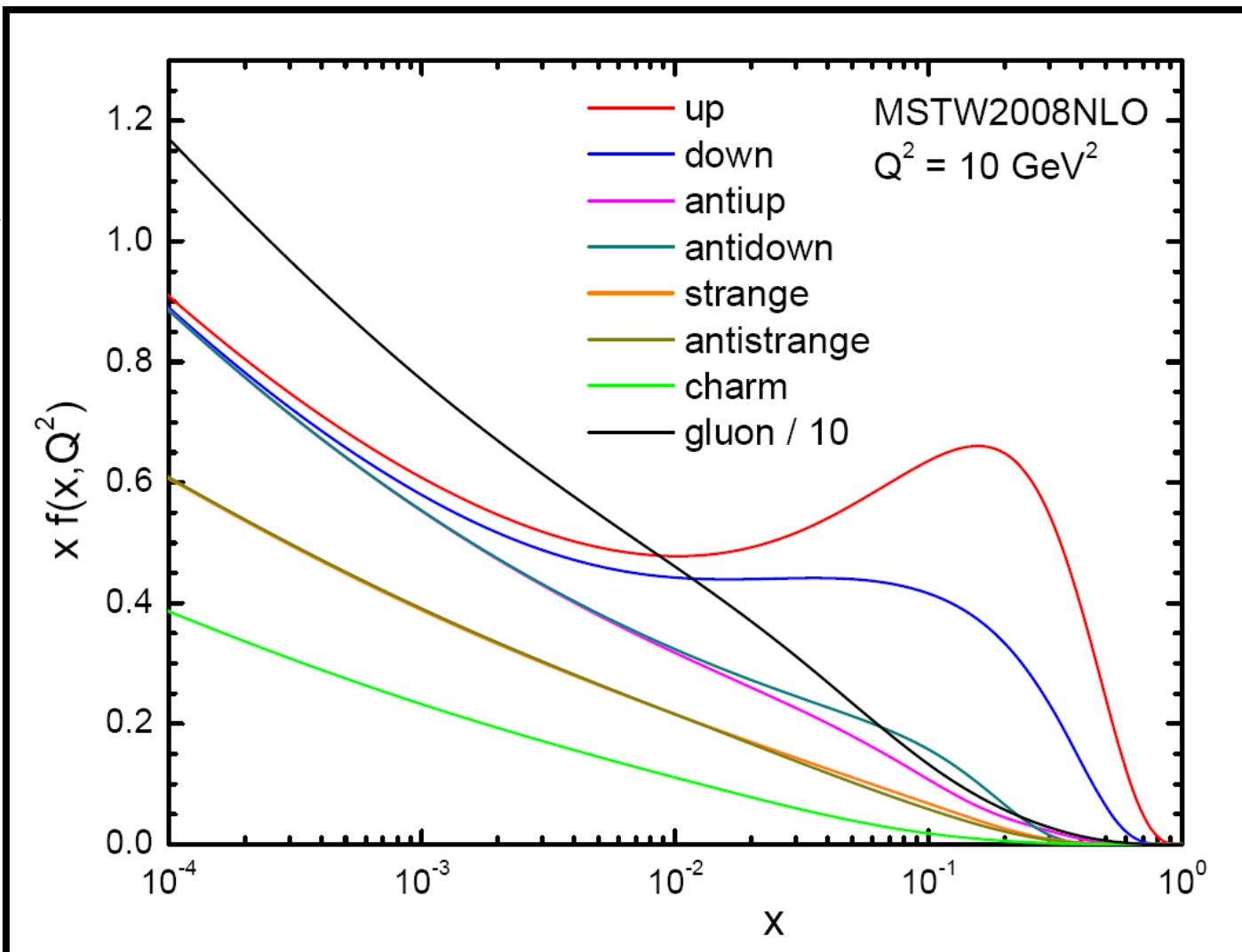
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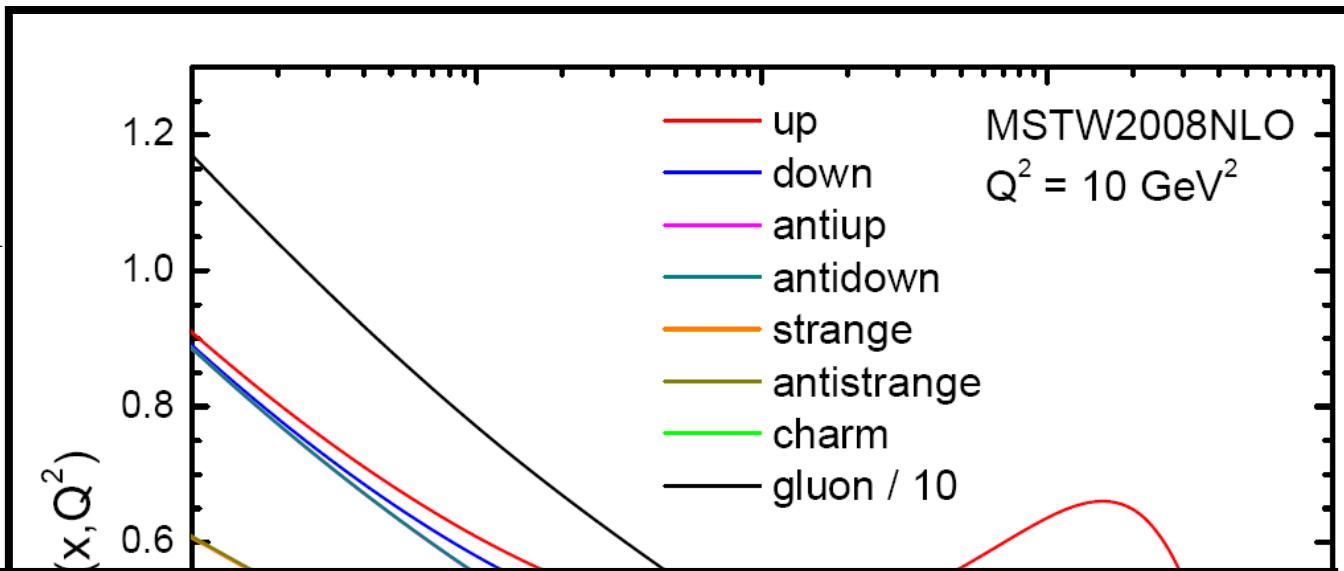
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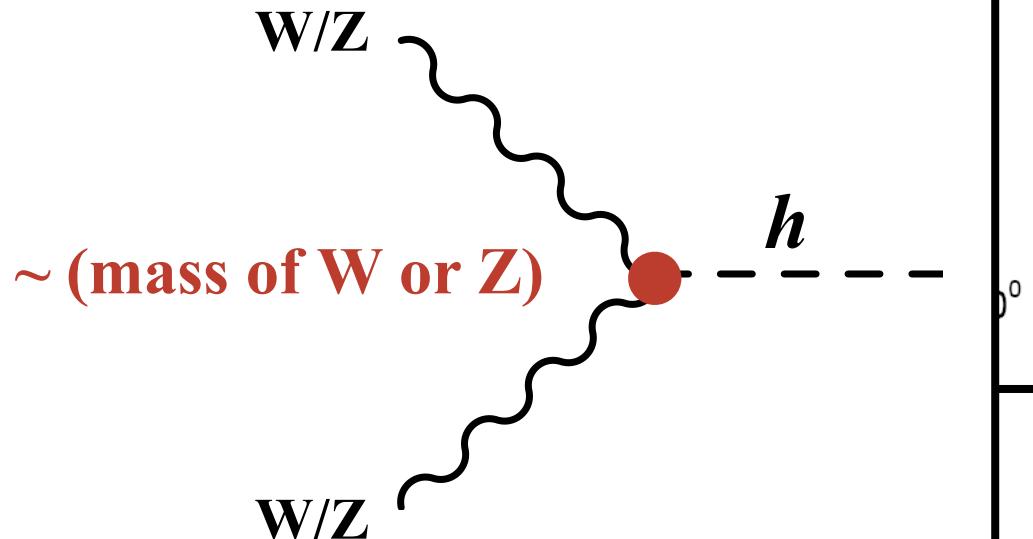
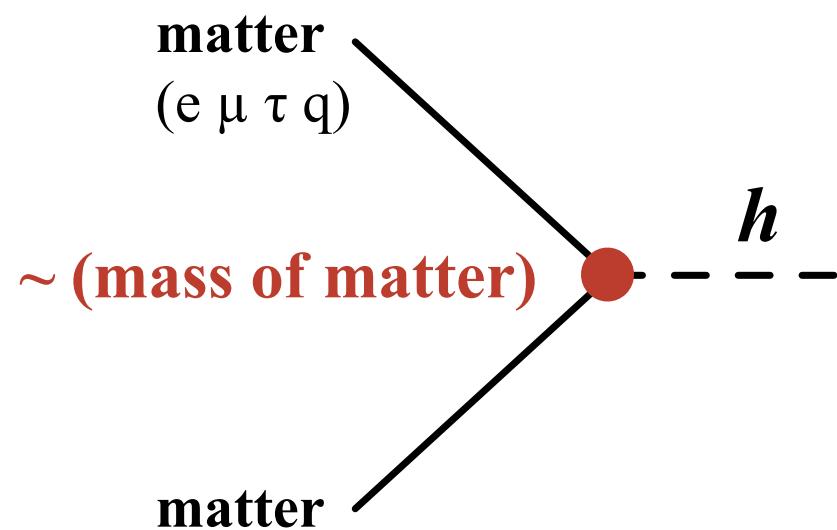


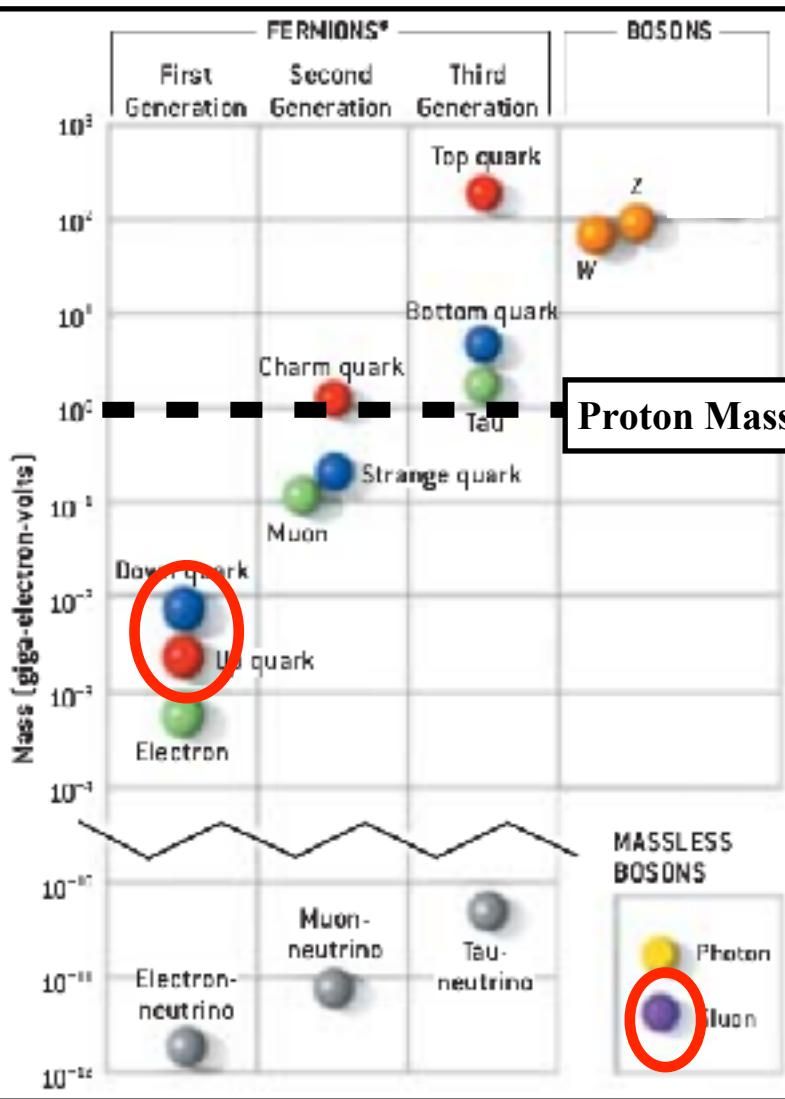
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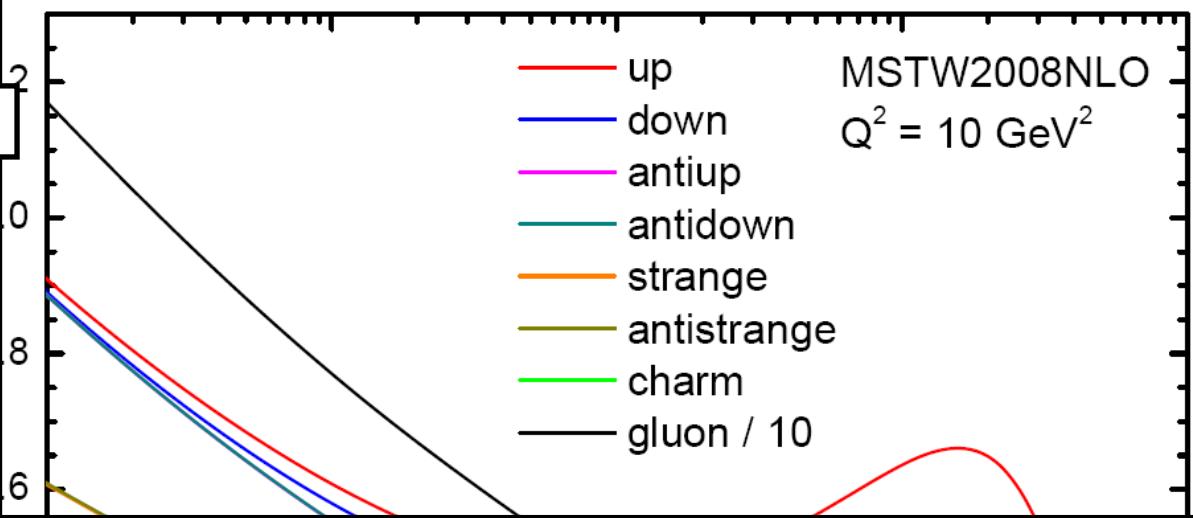


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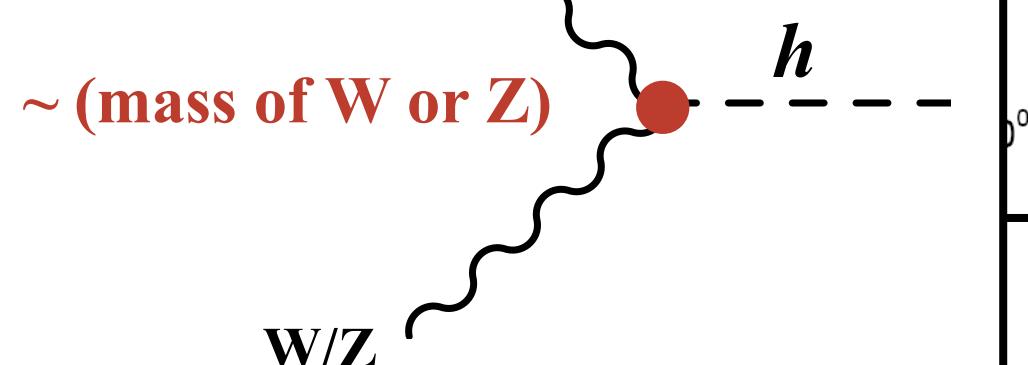
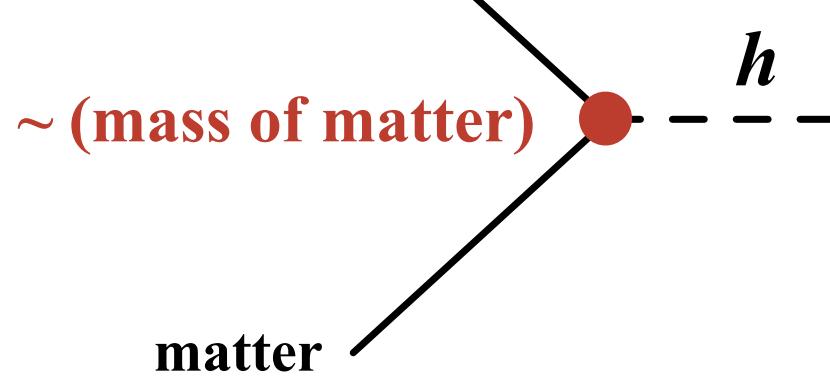


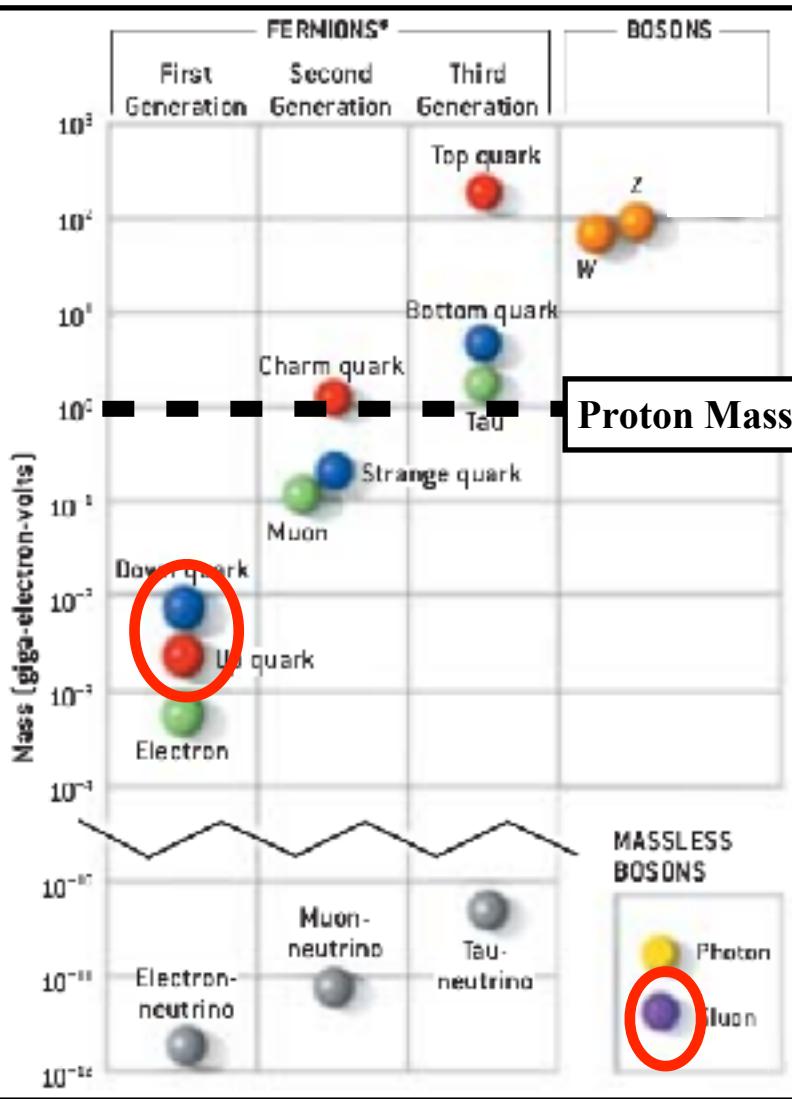


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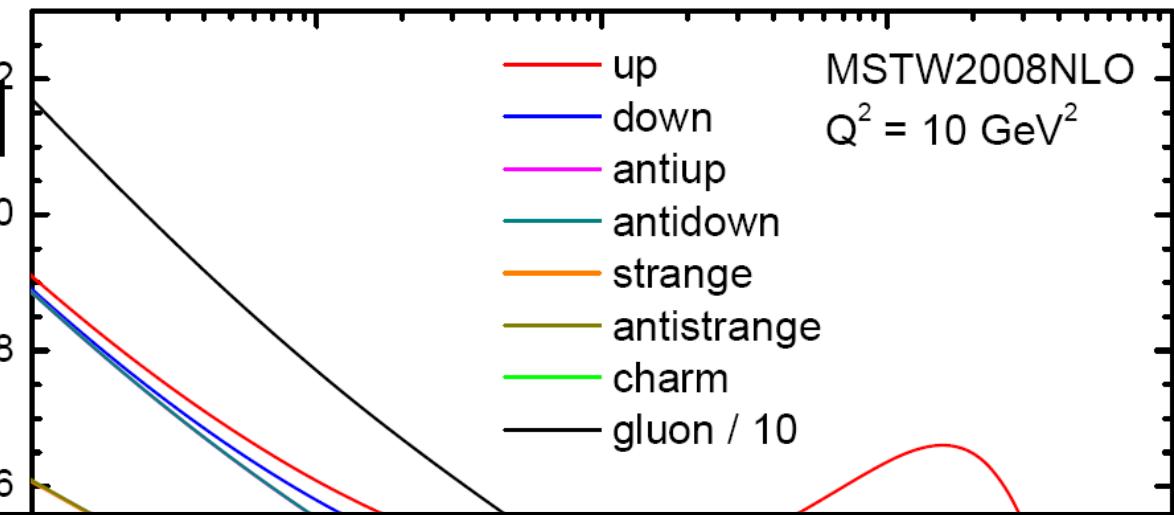


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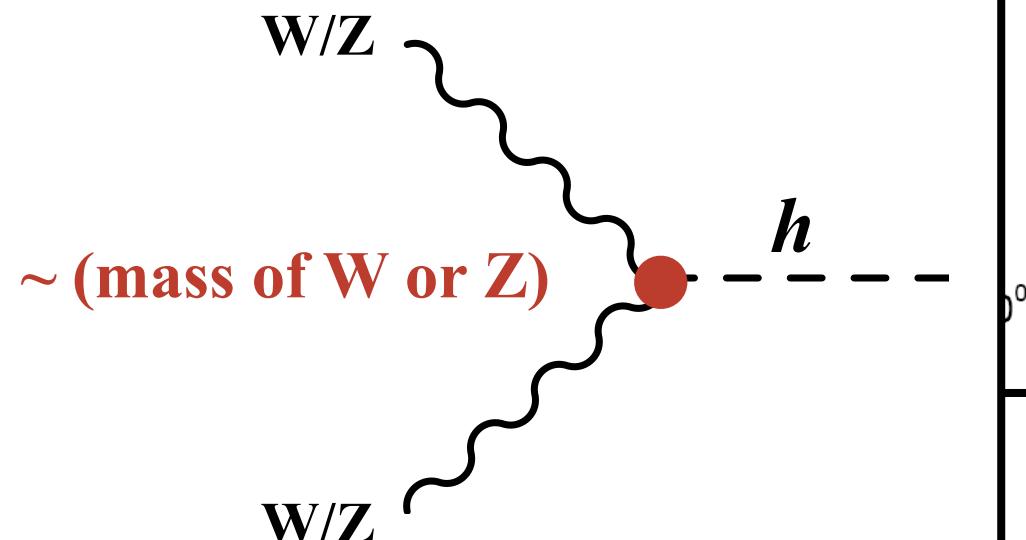
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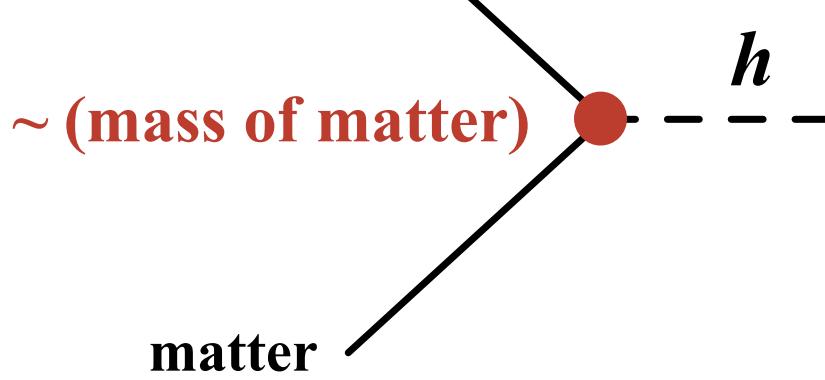
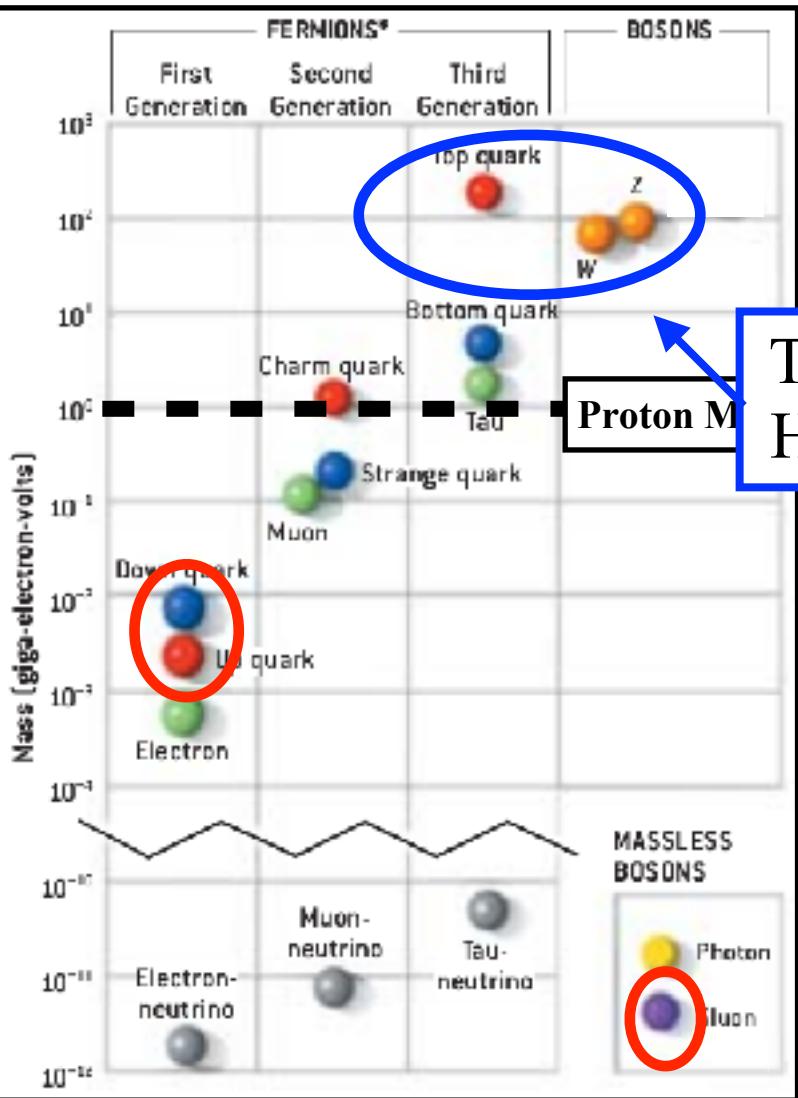
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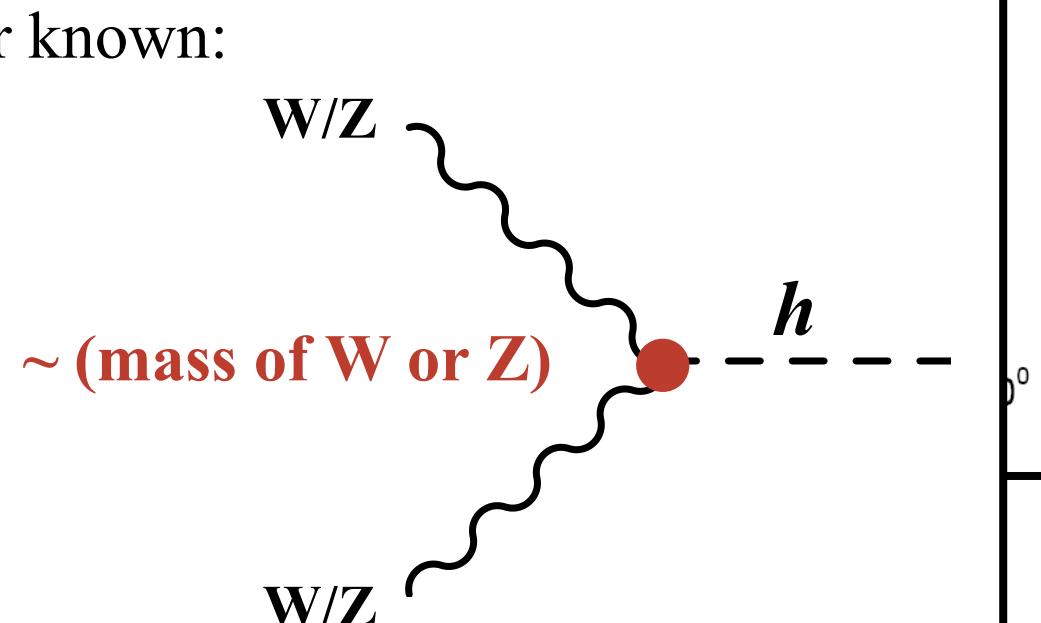
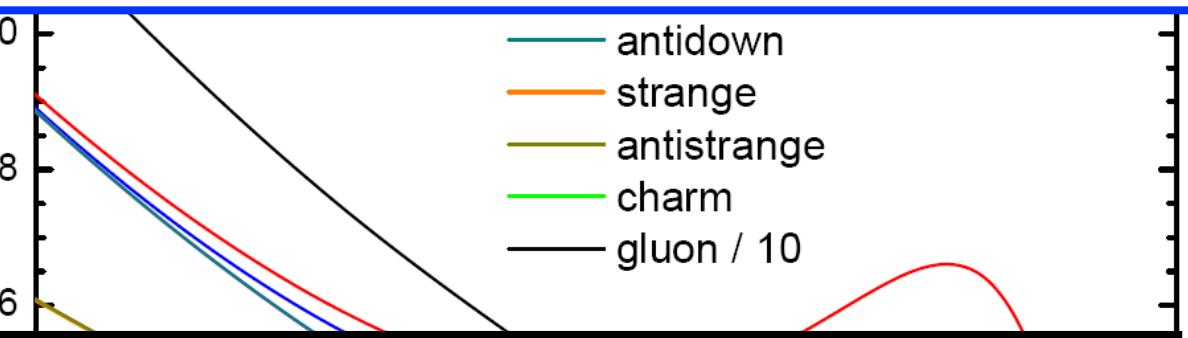
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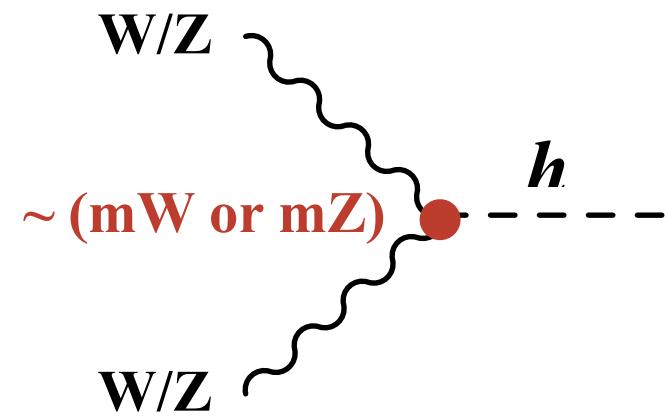
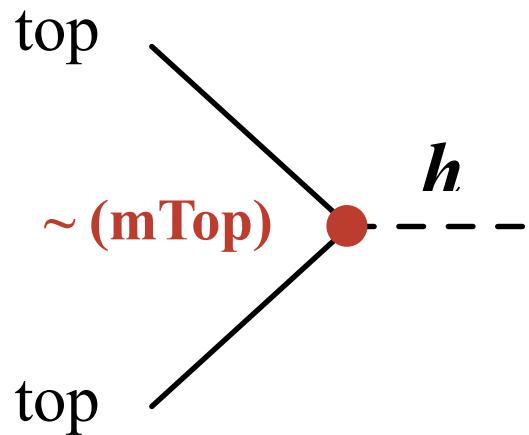
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 Have the highest probability of producing Higgs



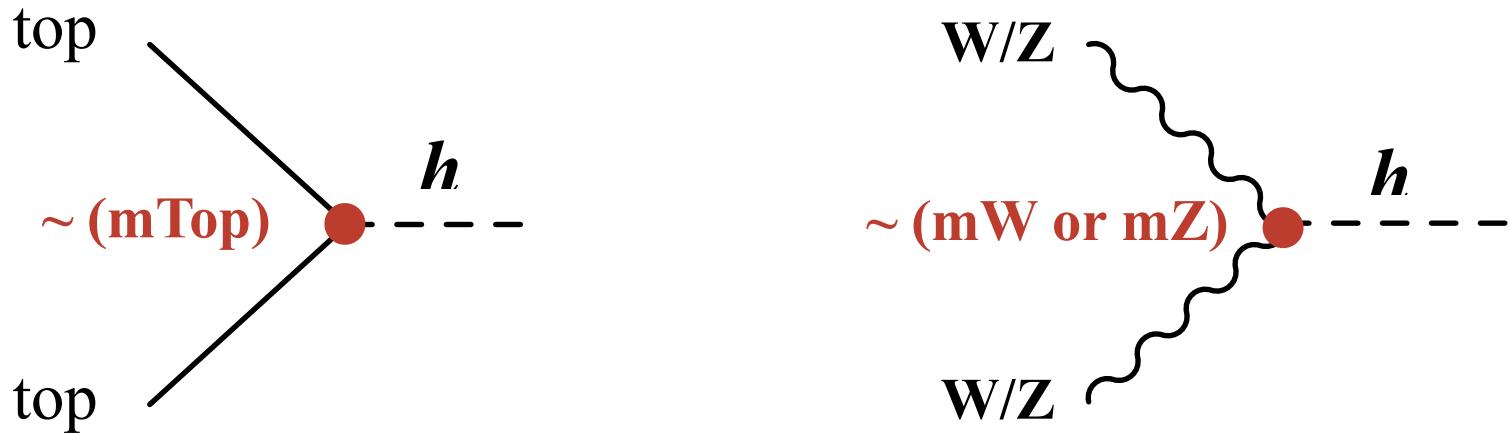
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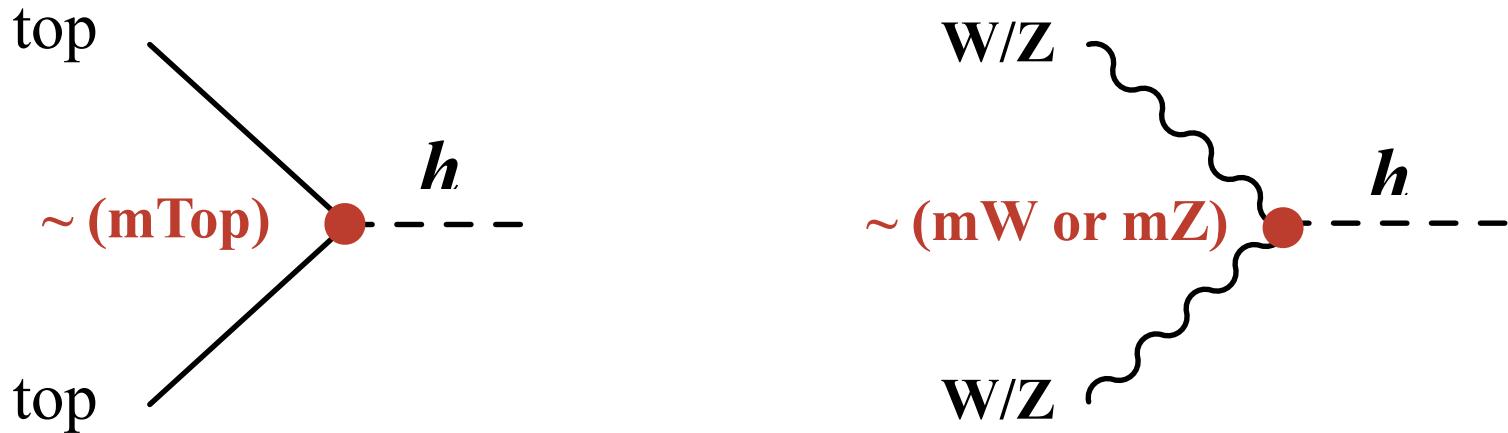
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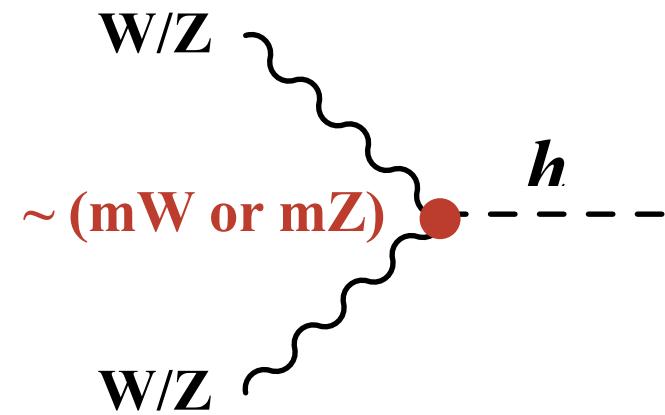
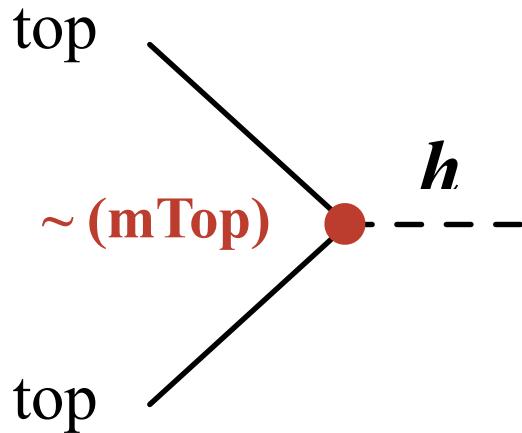


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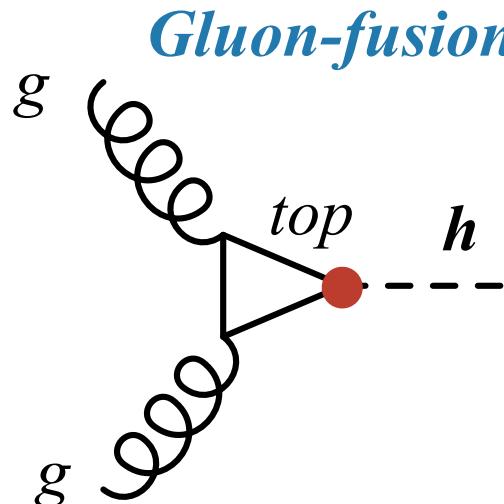
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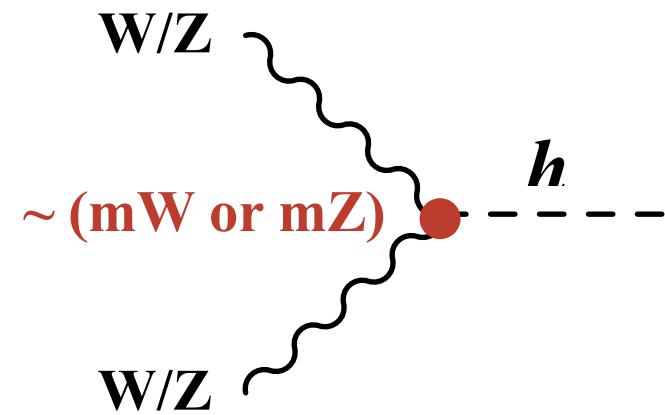
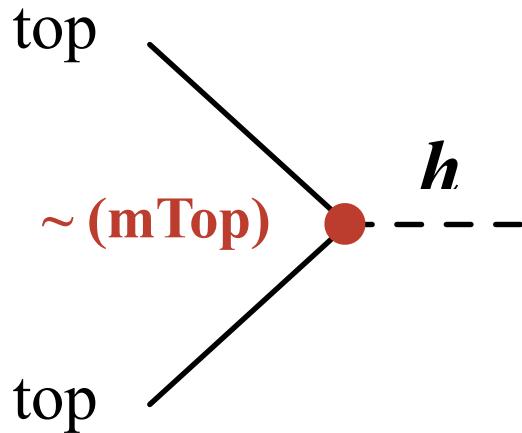
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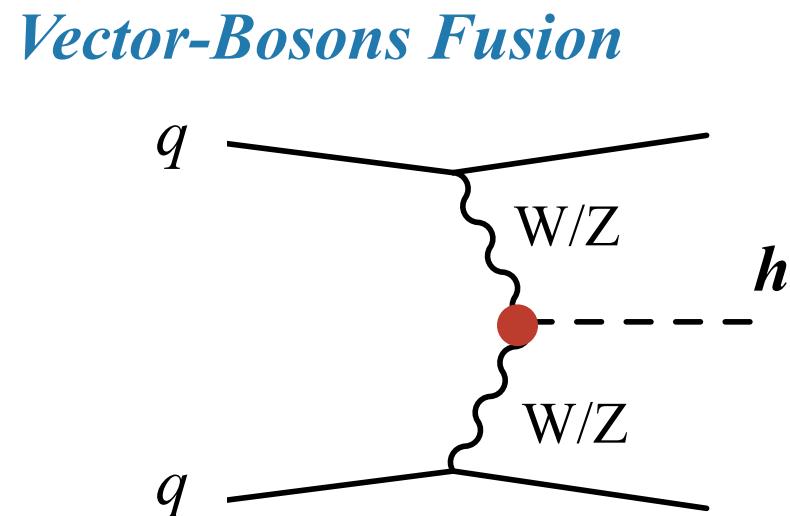
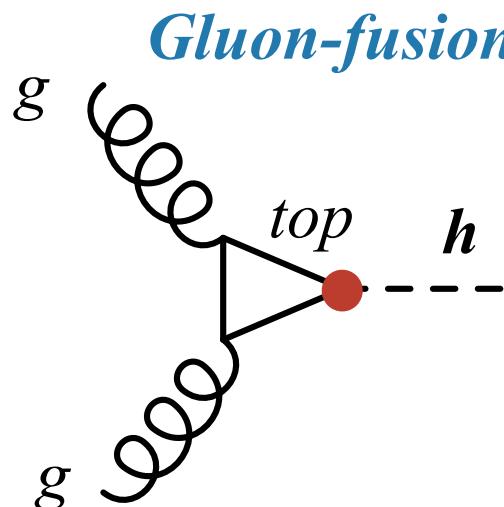
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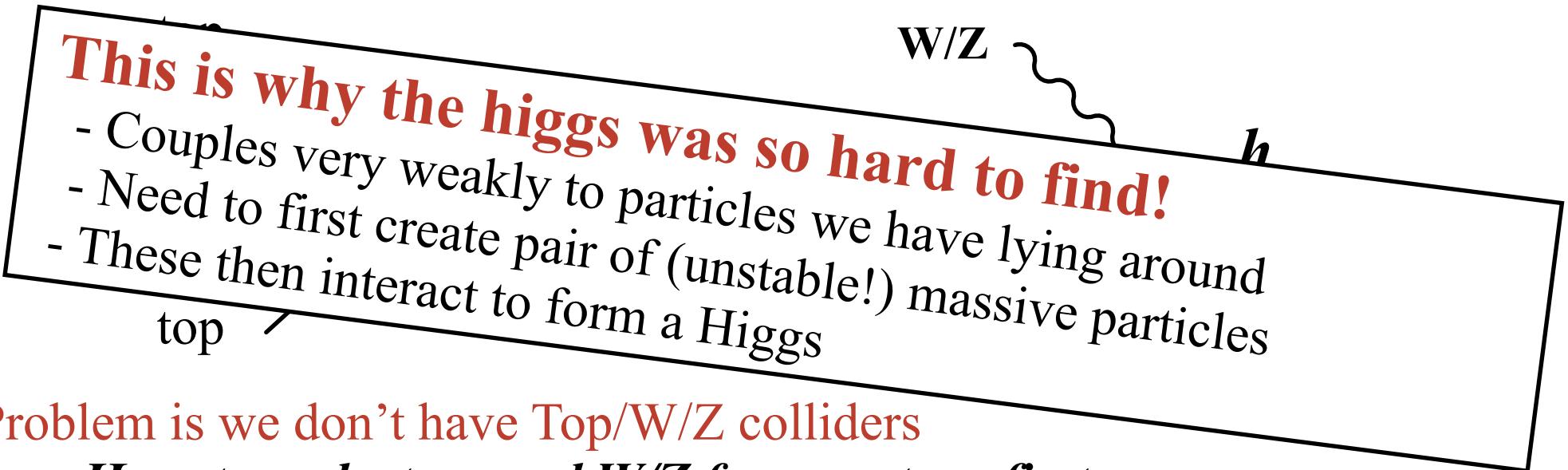
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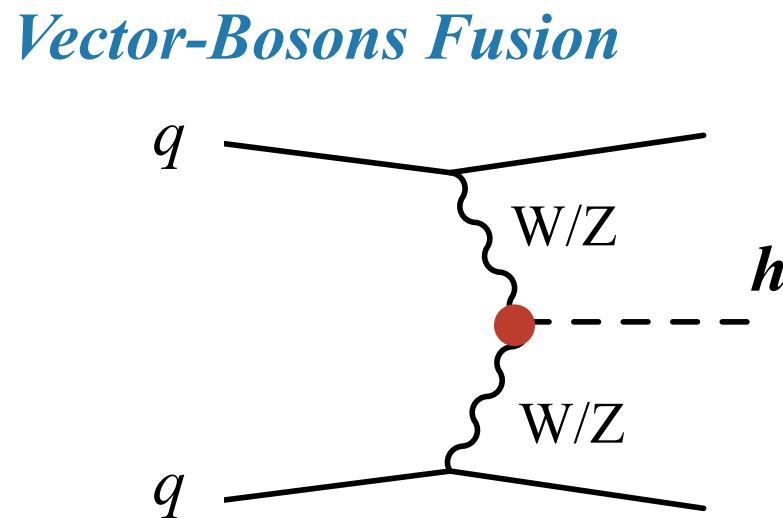
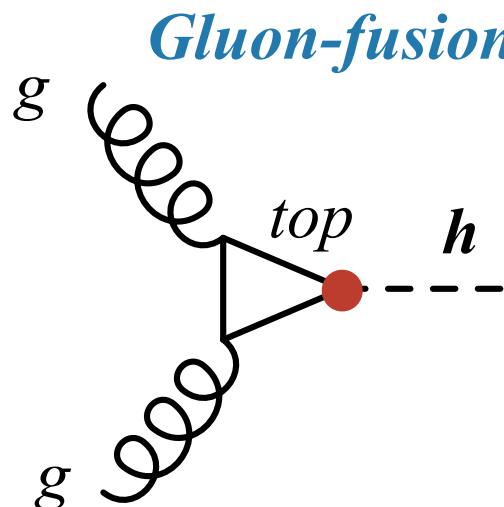
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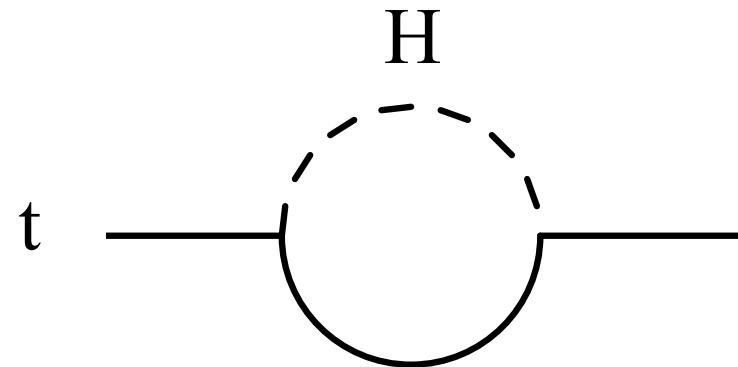
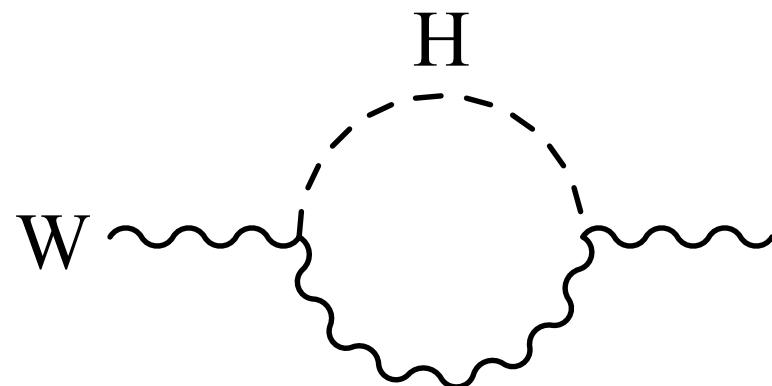
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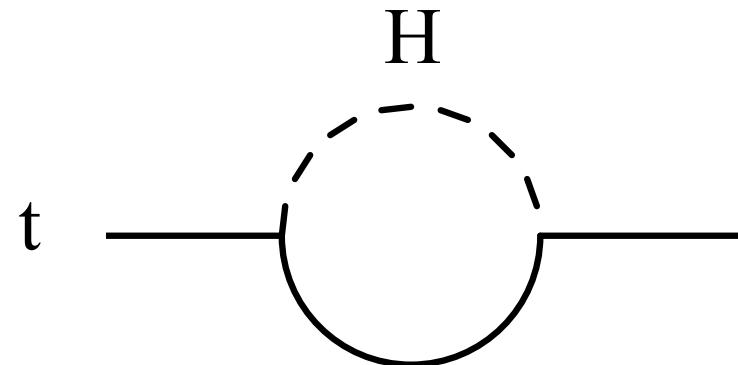
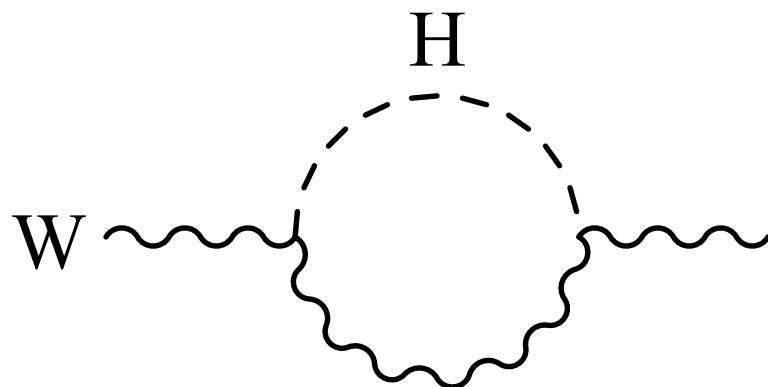
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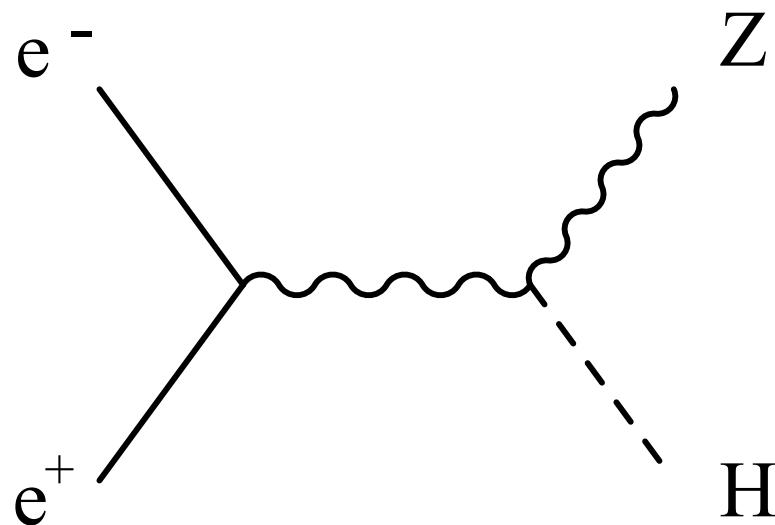
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Limits from direct search Large Electron-Positron collider (LEP)



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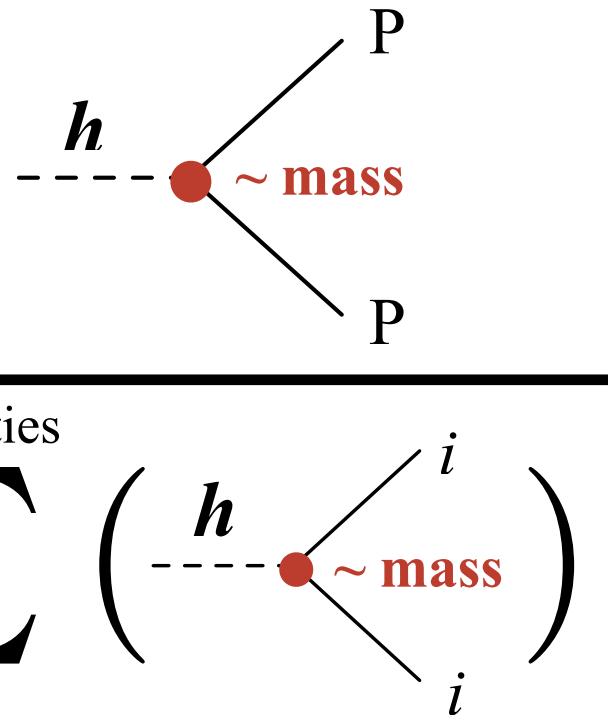
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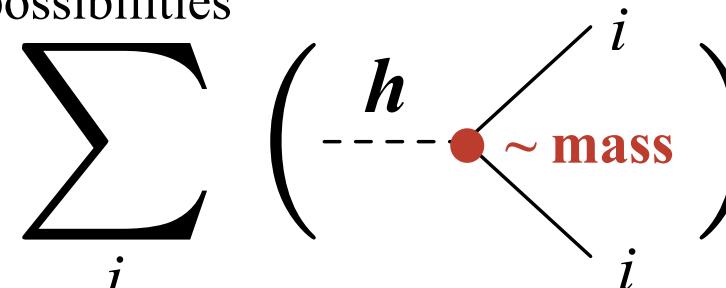
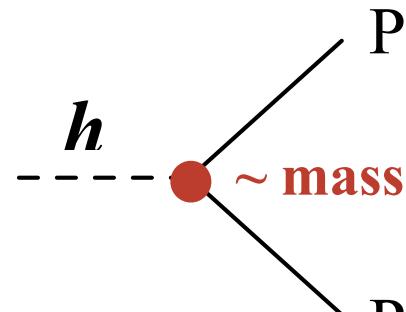
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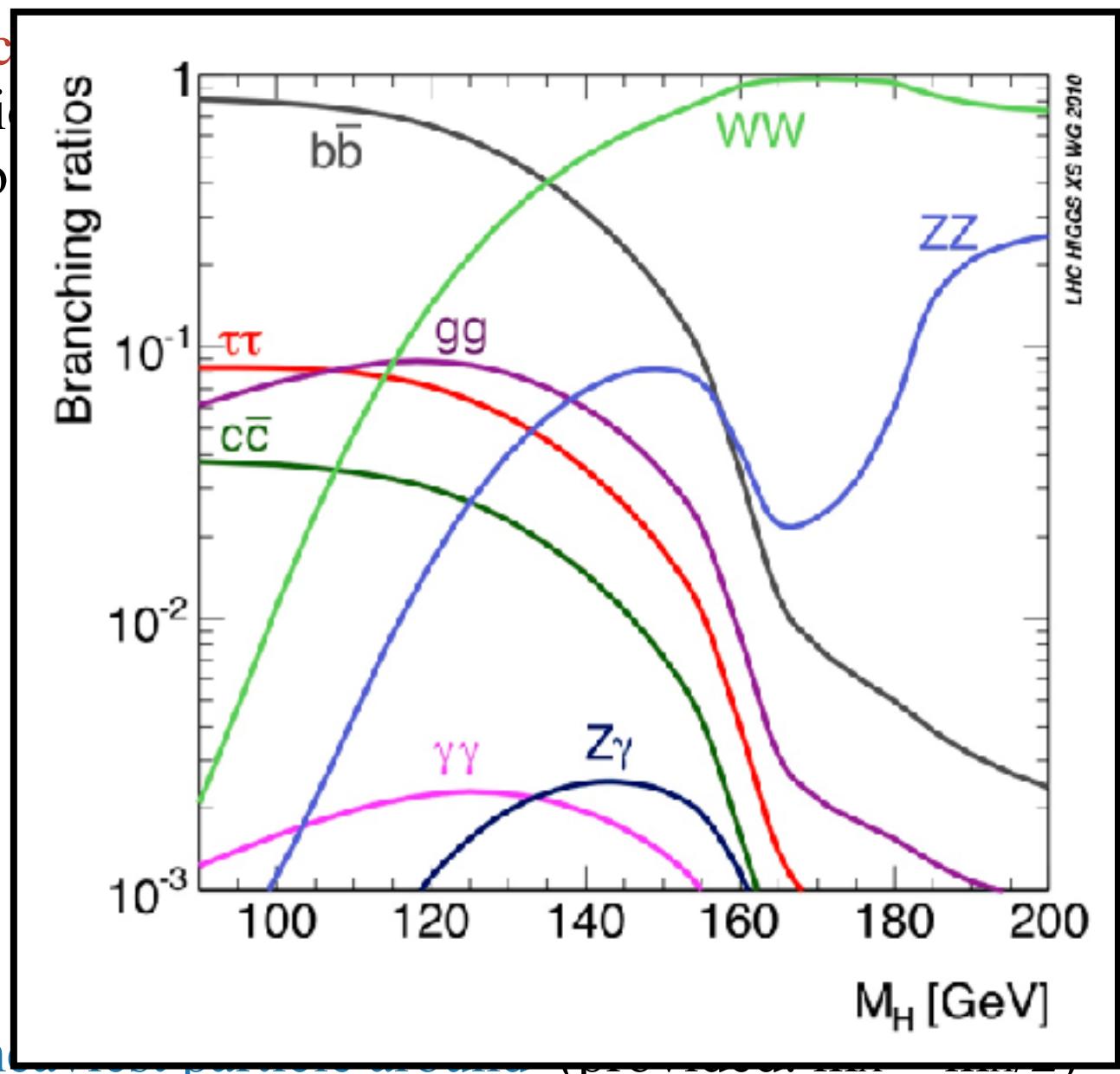
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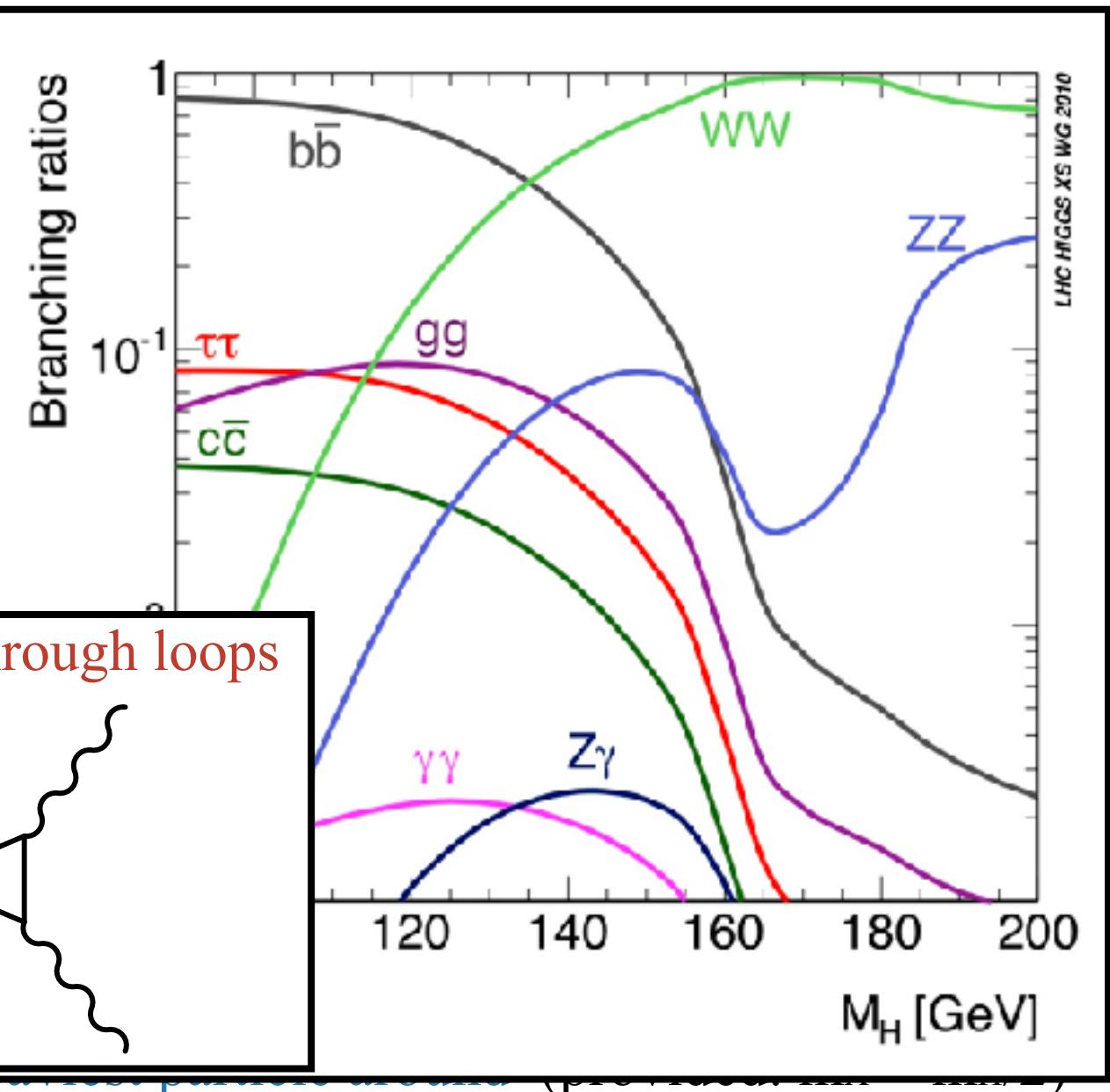


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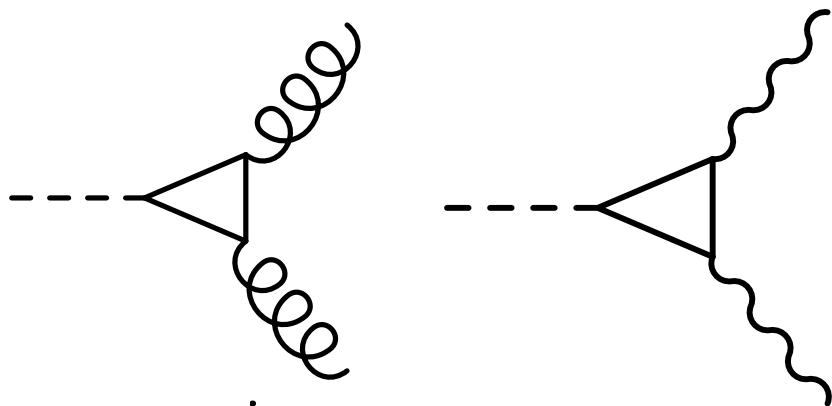
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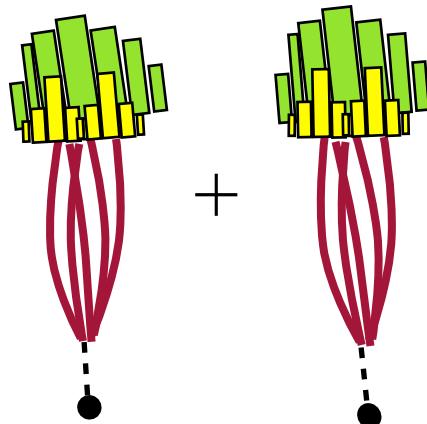
Branching Ratio
 $m\gamma/mg = 0$ but $h \rightarrow \gamma\gamma/gg$ through loops



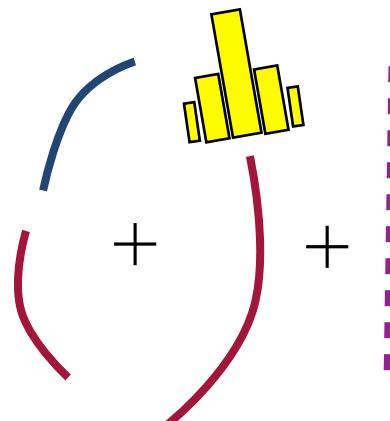
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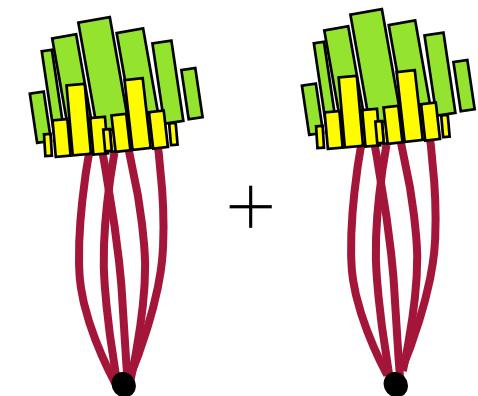
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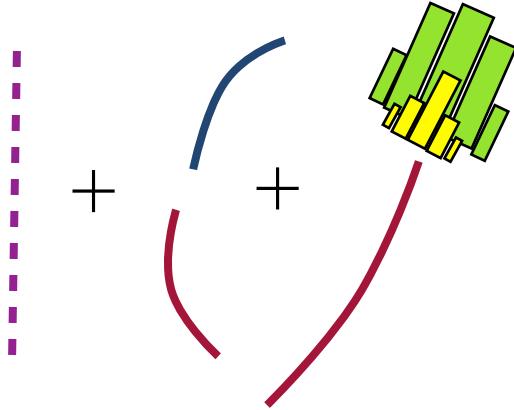
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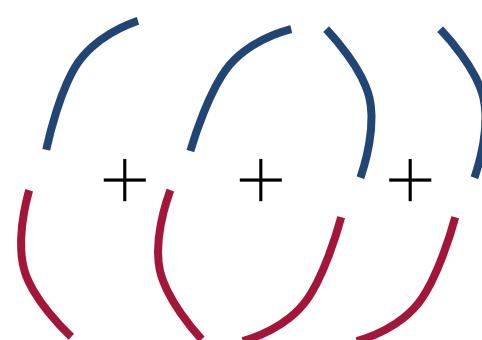
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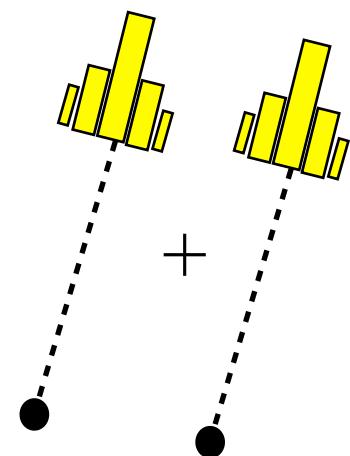
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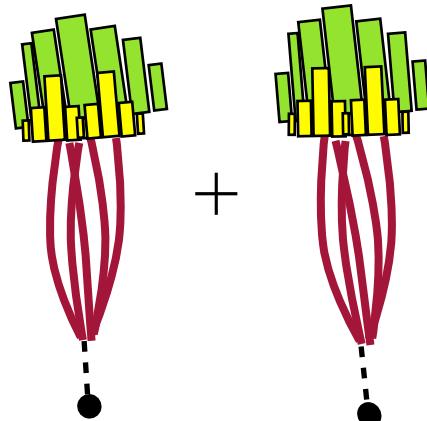


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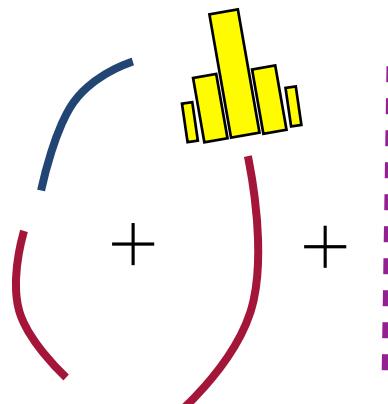


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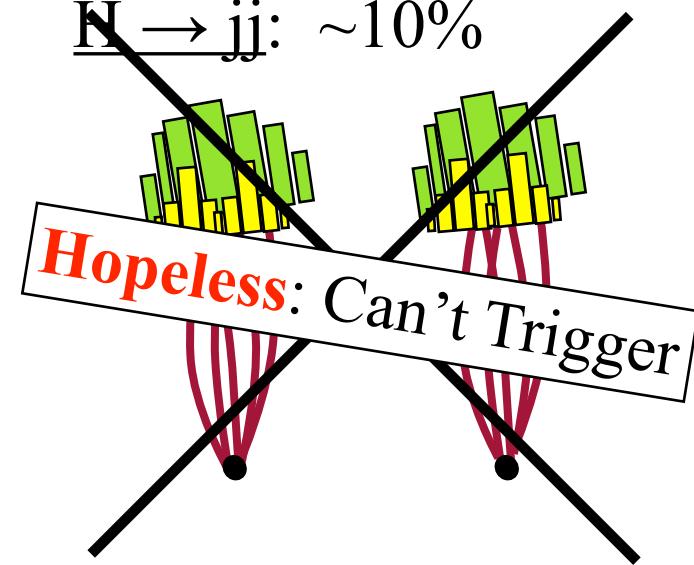
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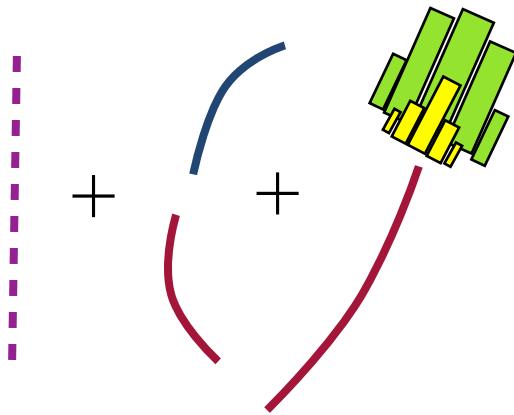
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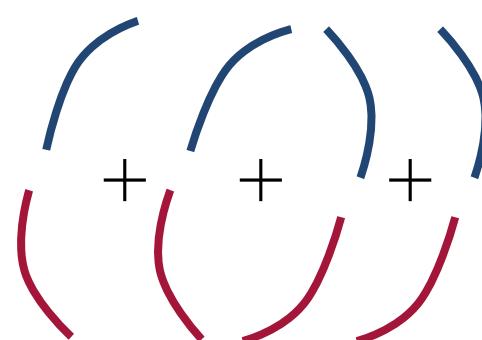
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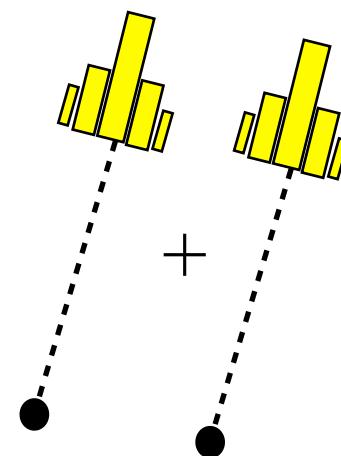
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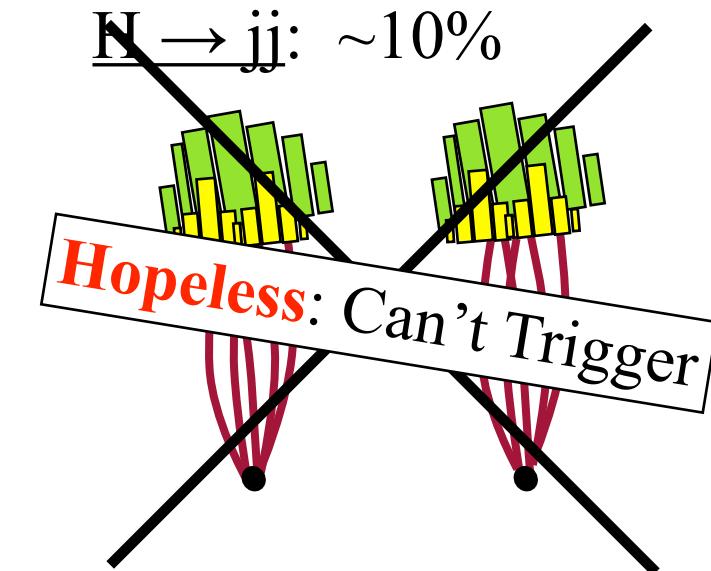
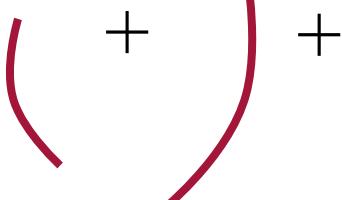


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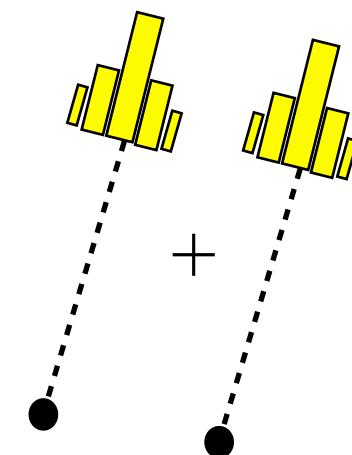
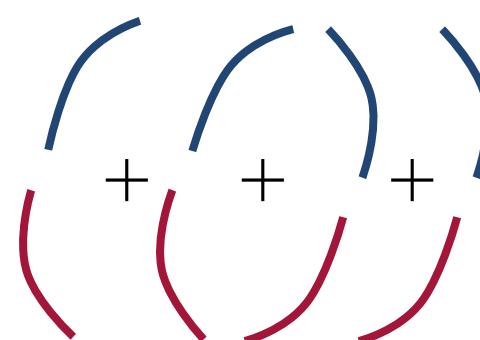
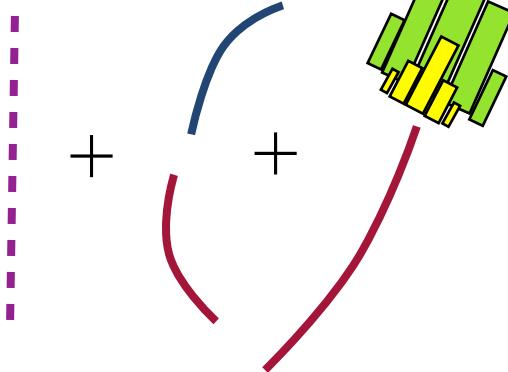
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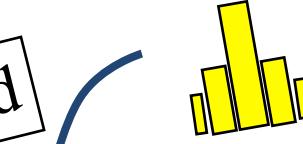


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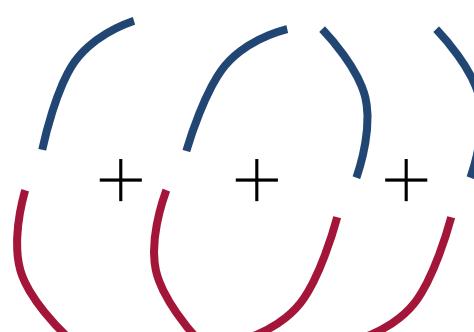
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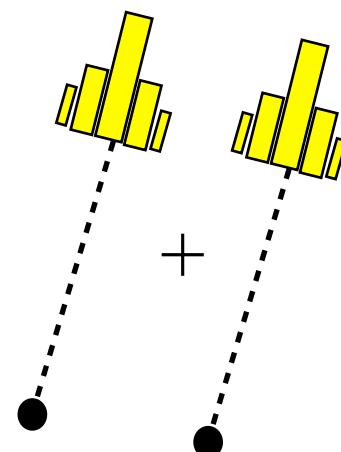
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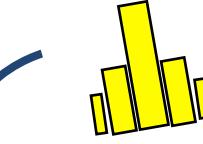
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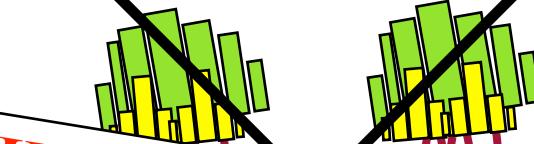


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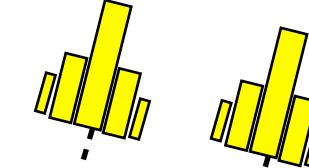
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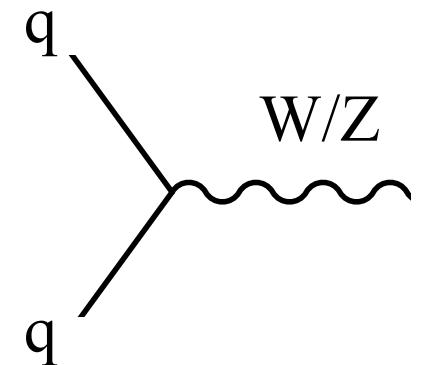
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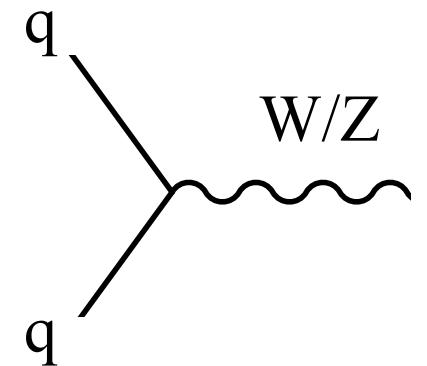


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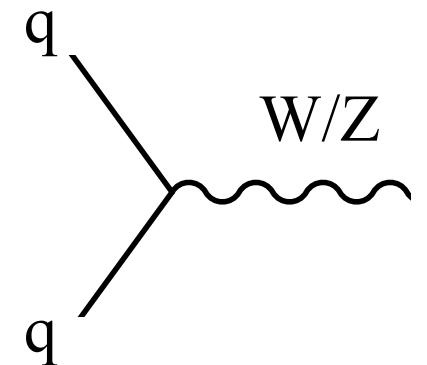


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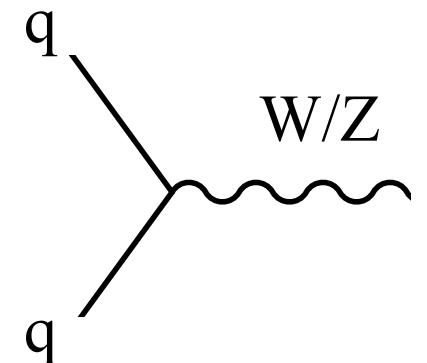


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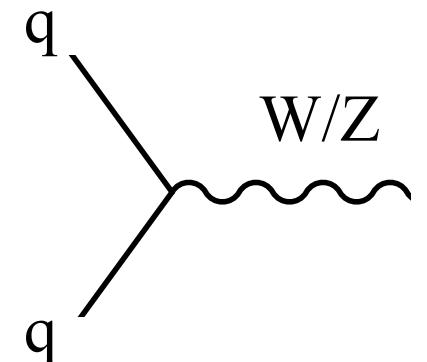


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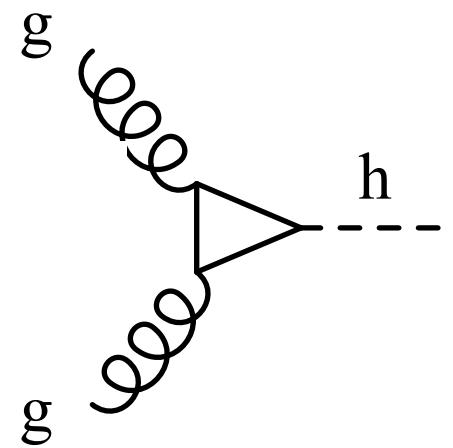
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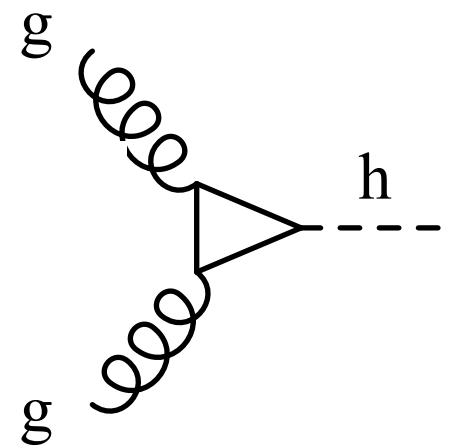


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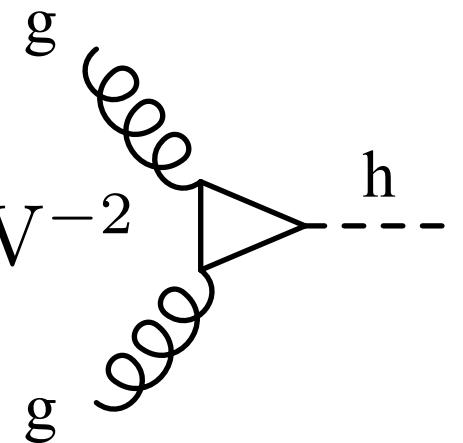


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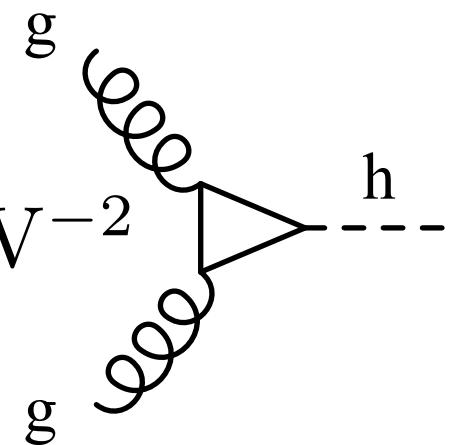


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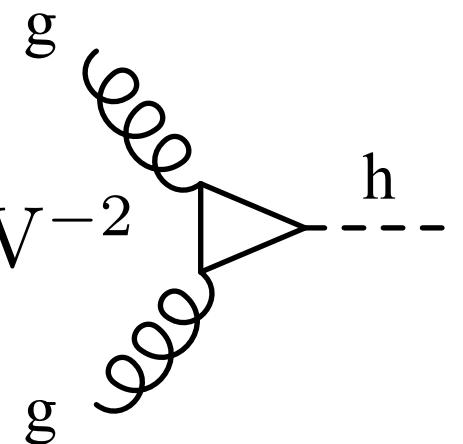


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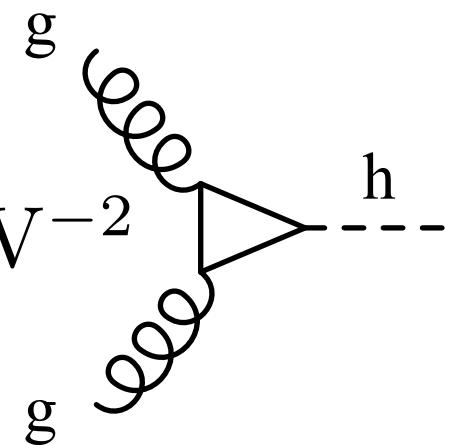
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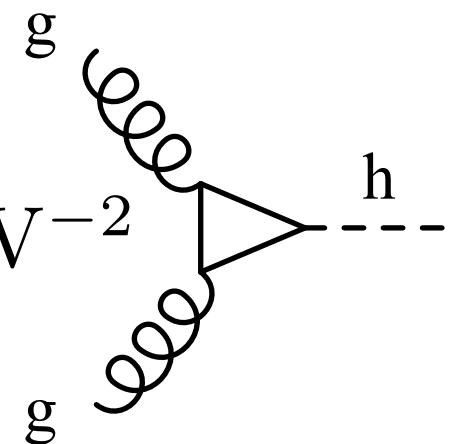
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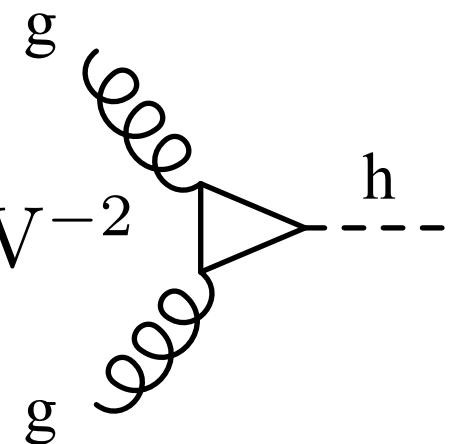
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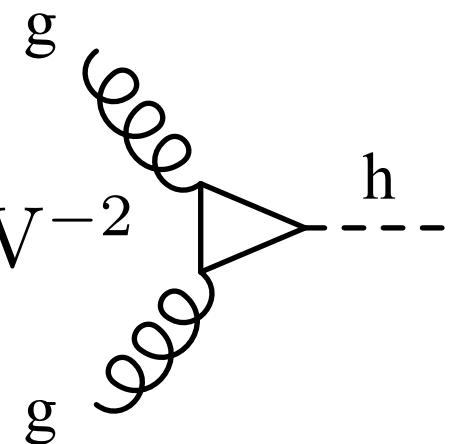
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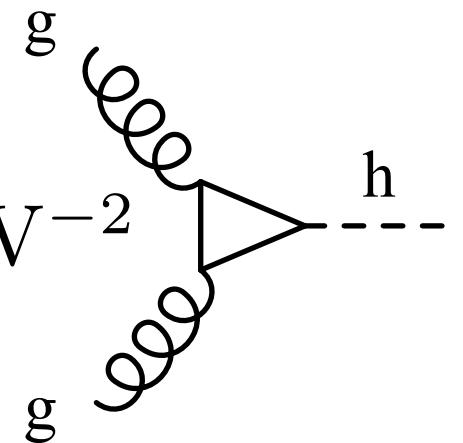
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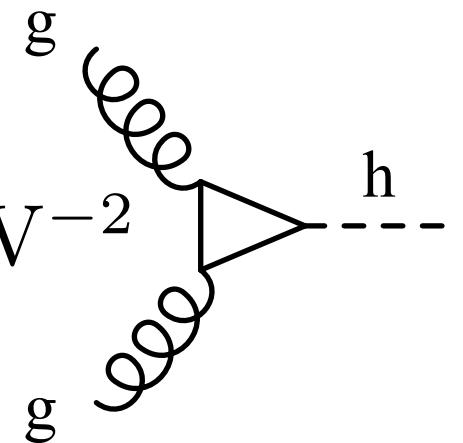
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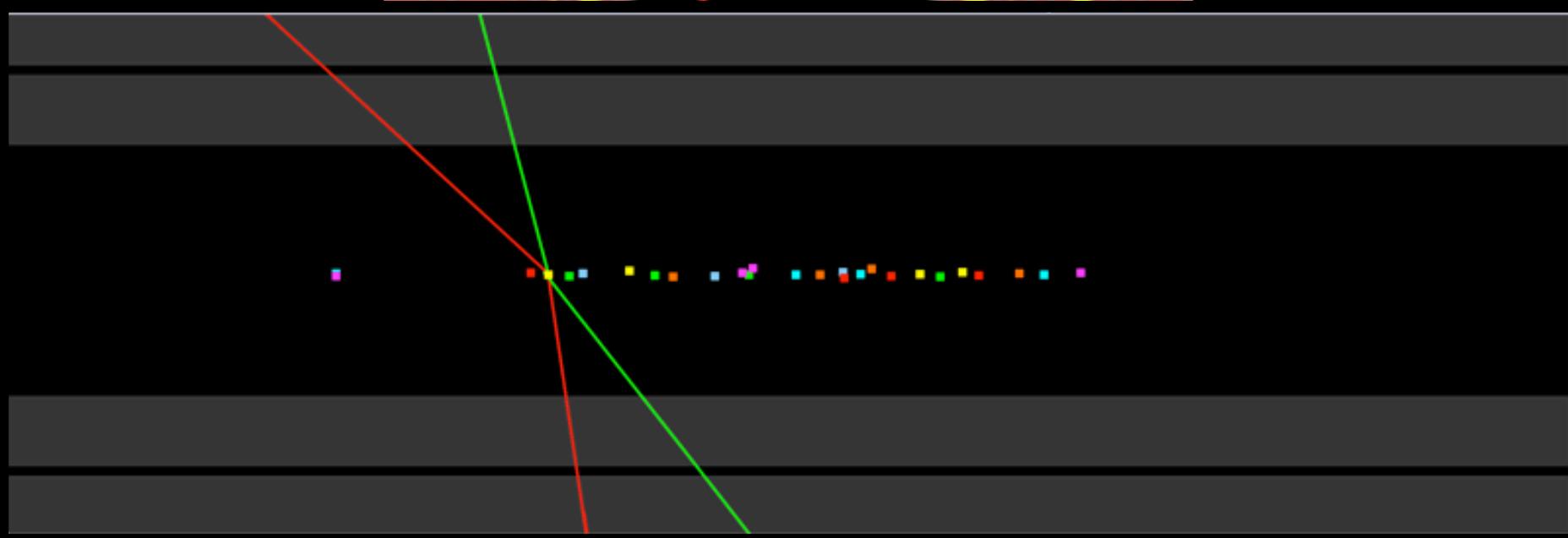
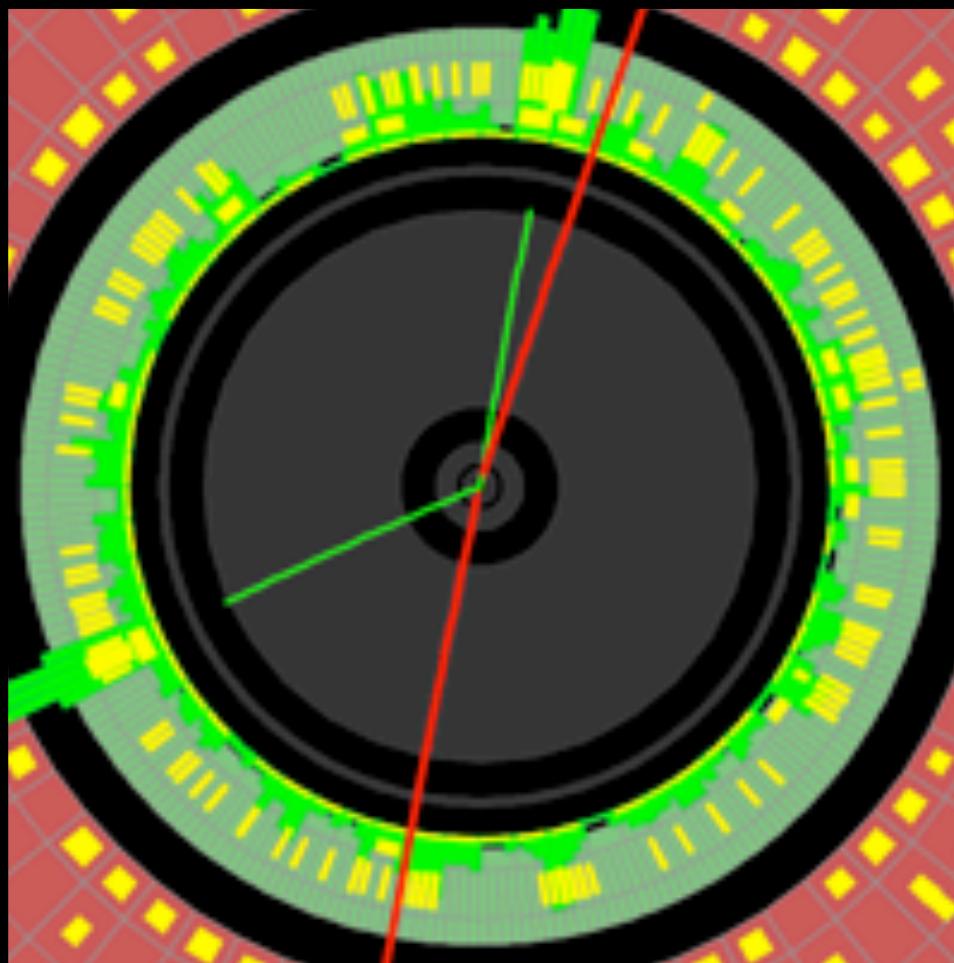
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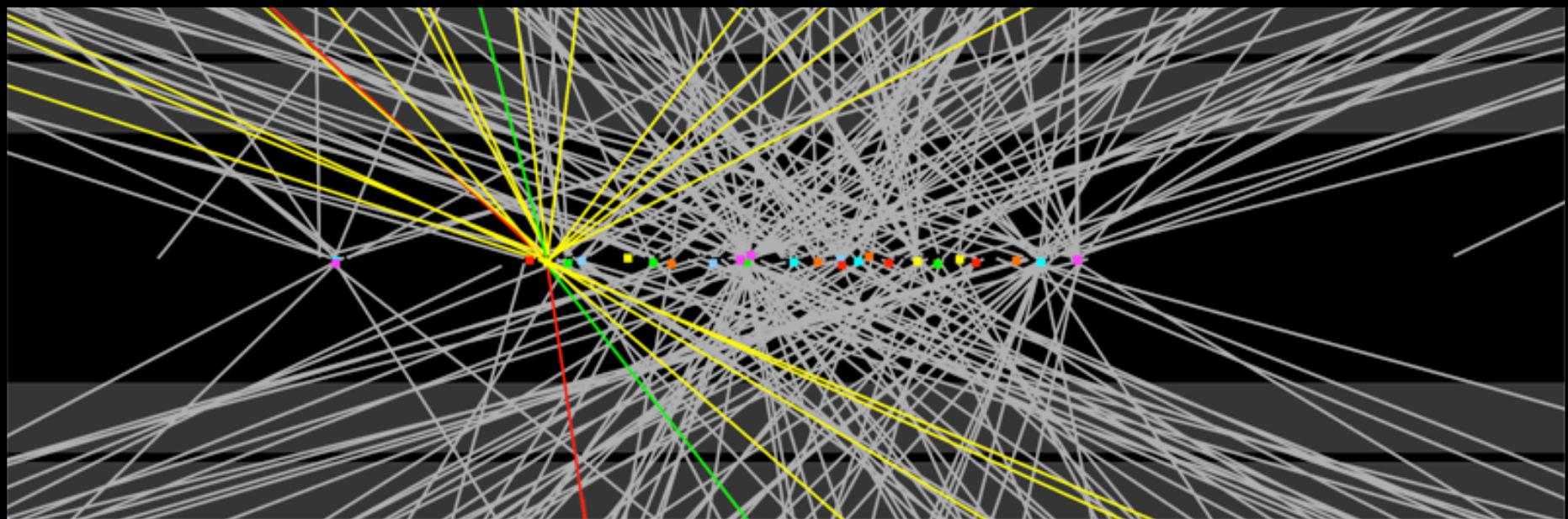
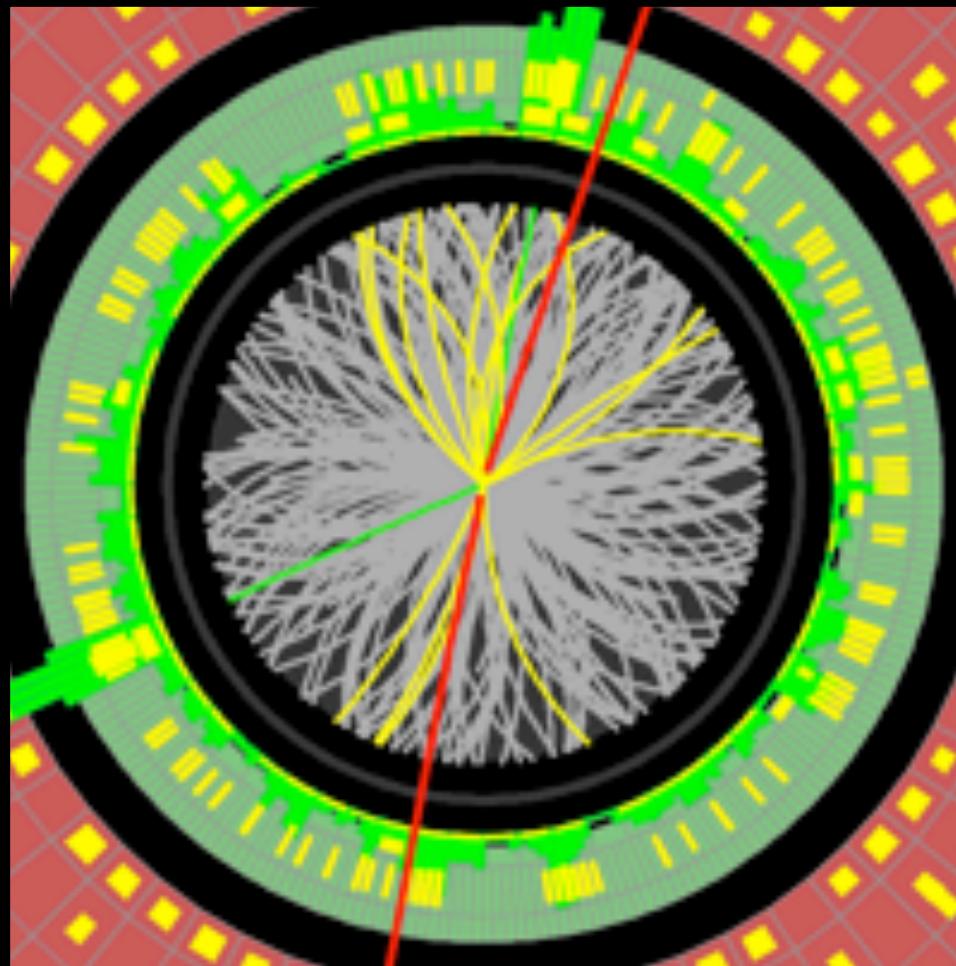


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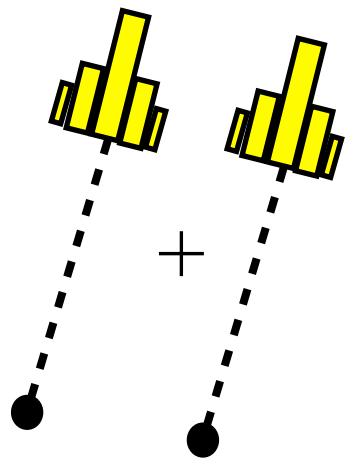
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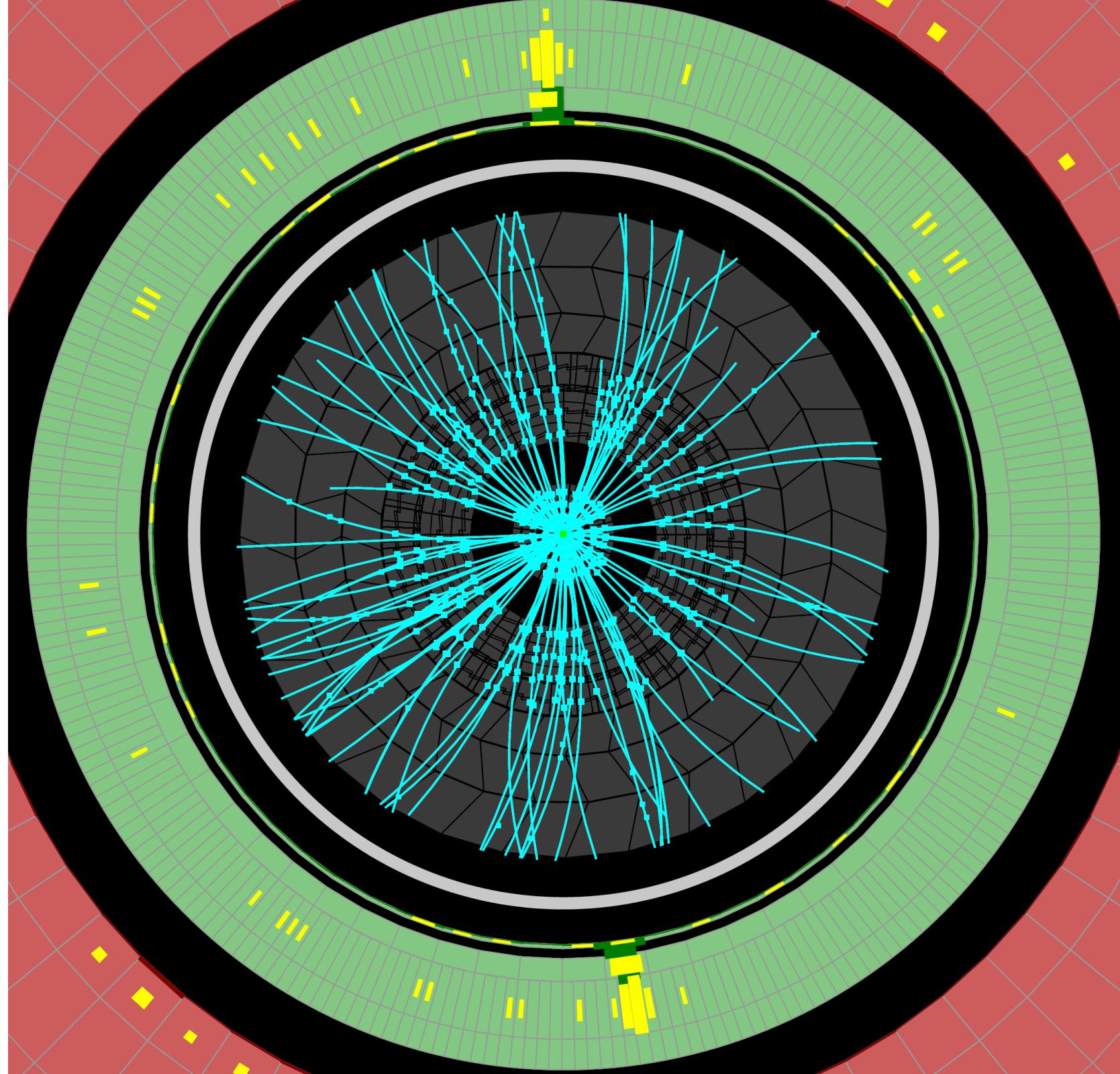
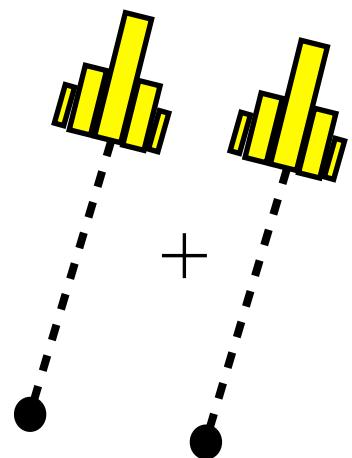


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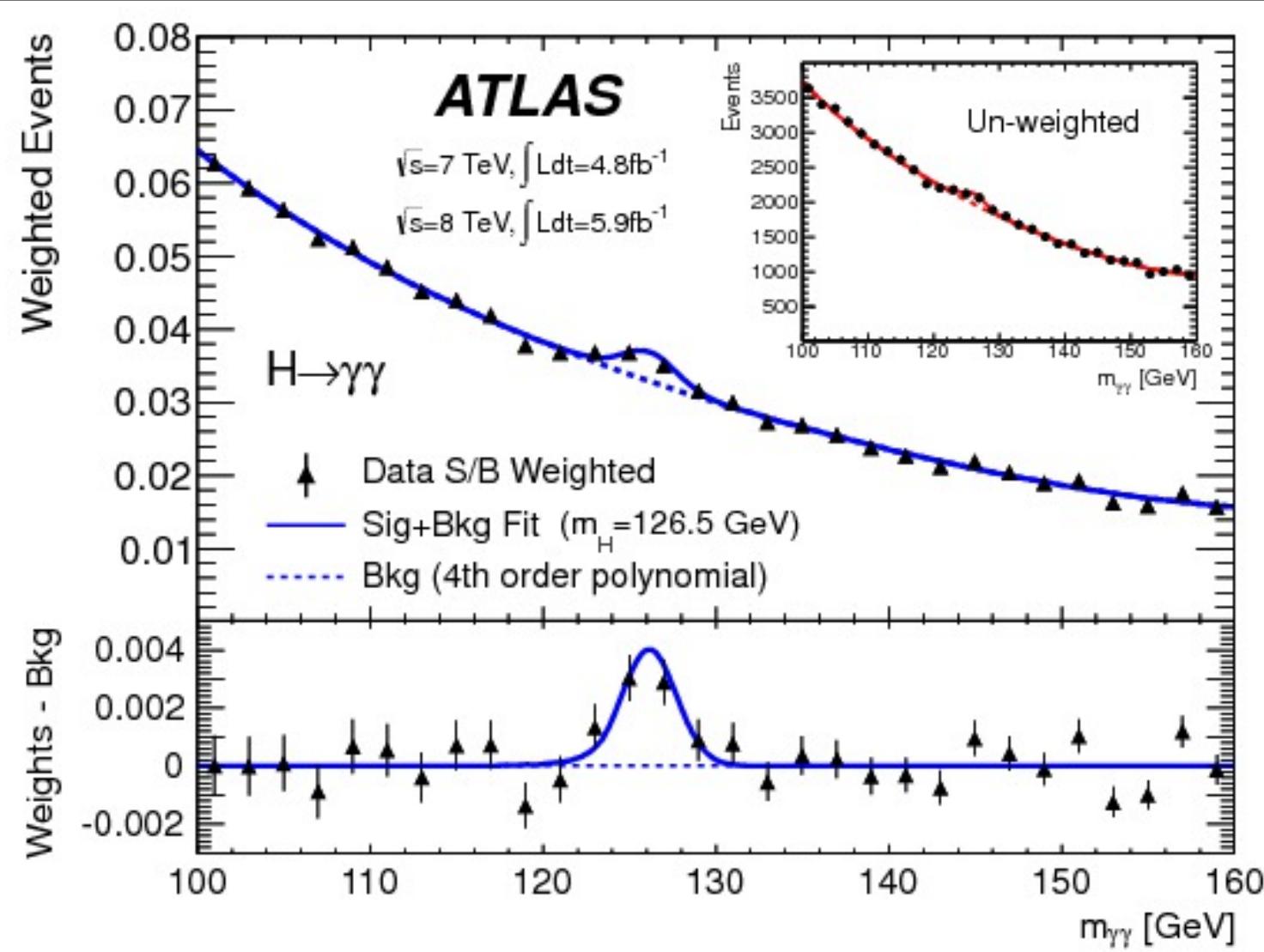
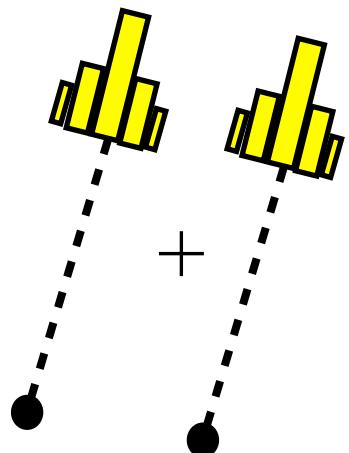
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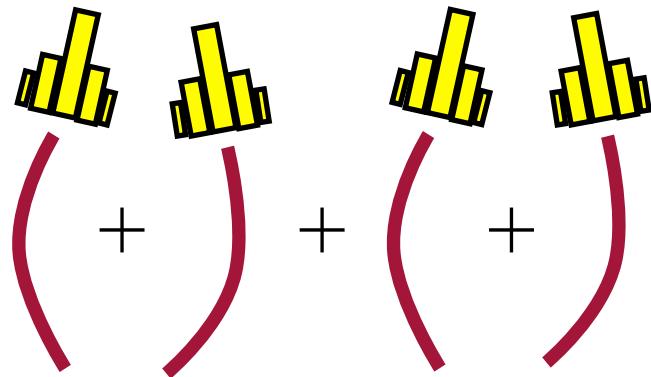
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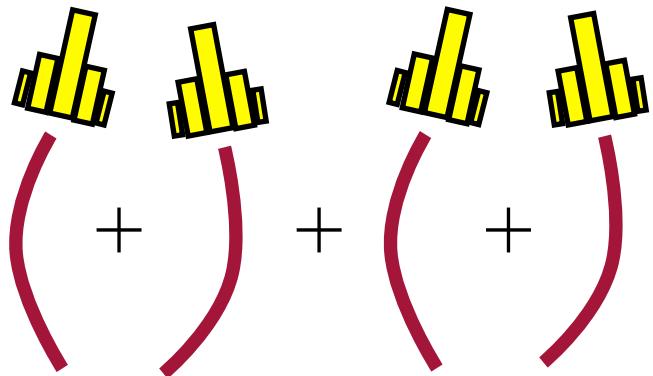
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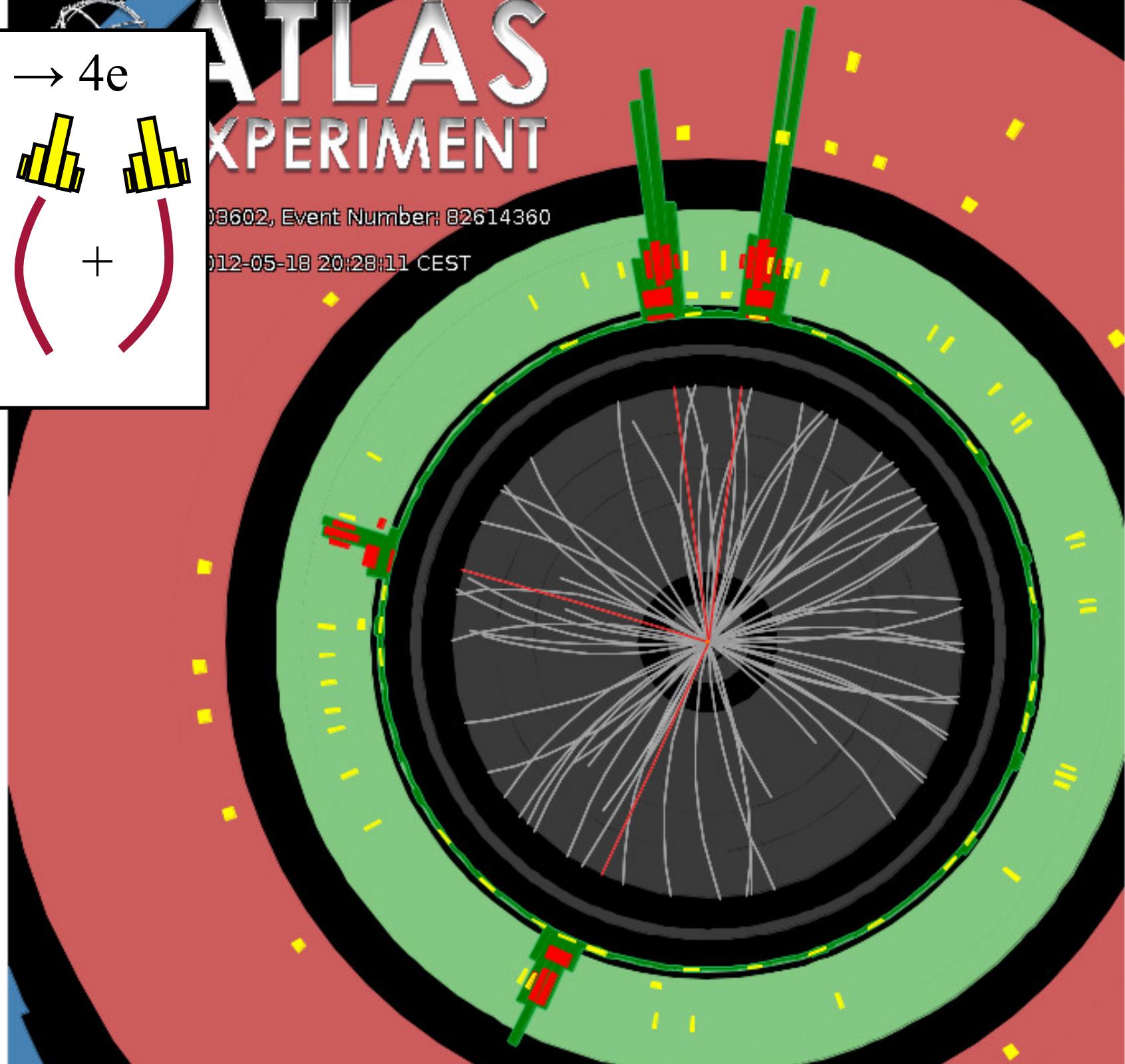
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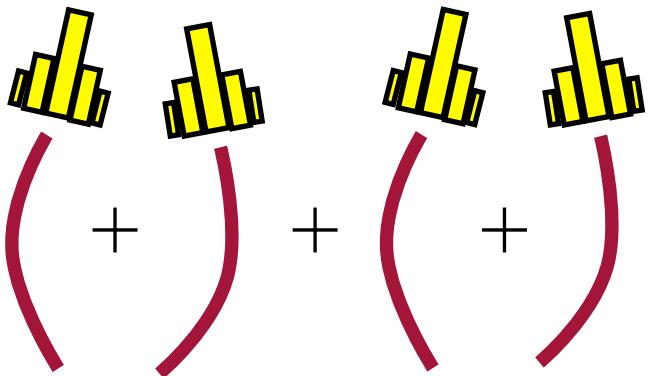
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Events/5 GeV

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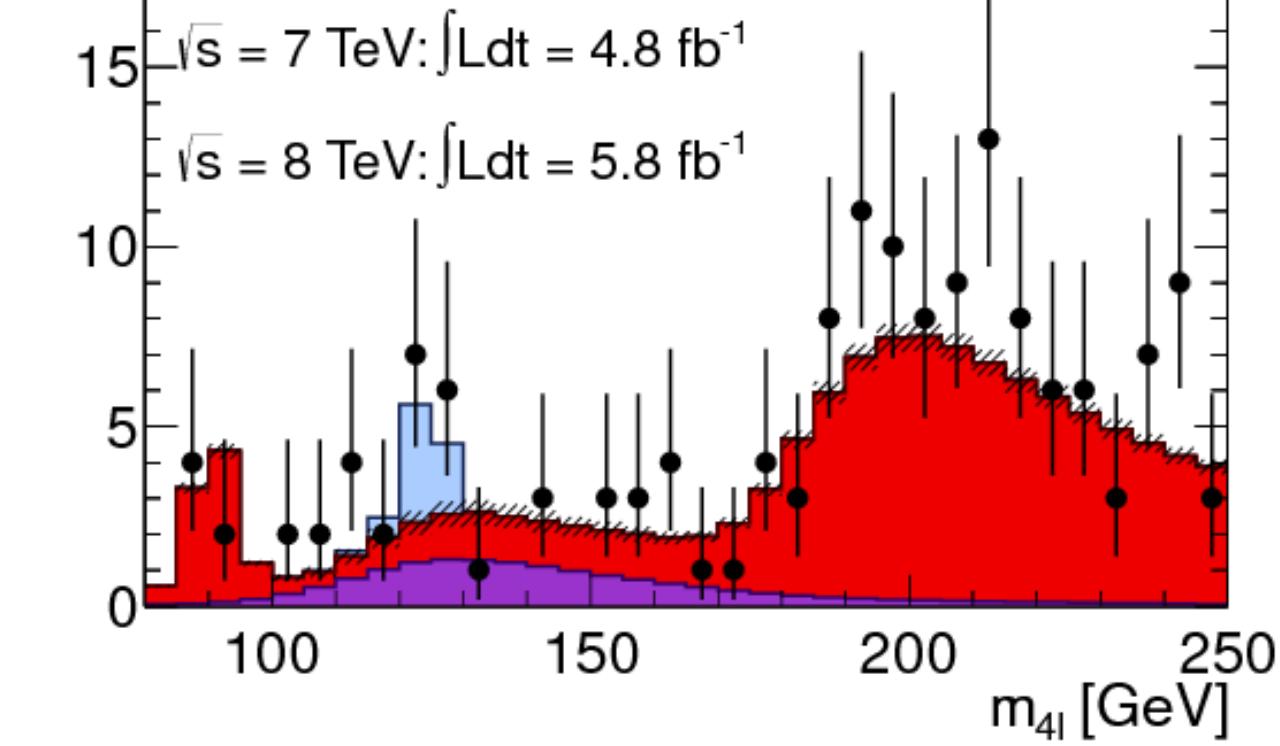
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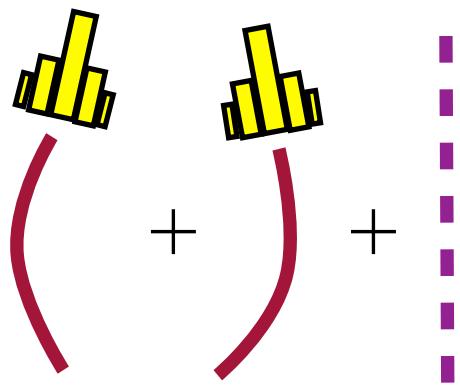
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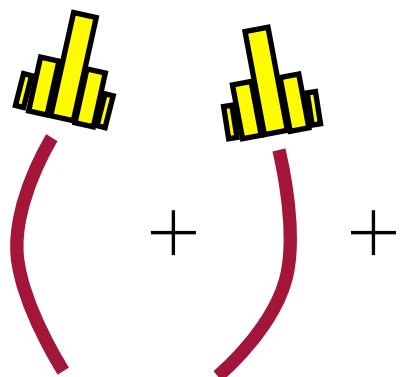


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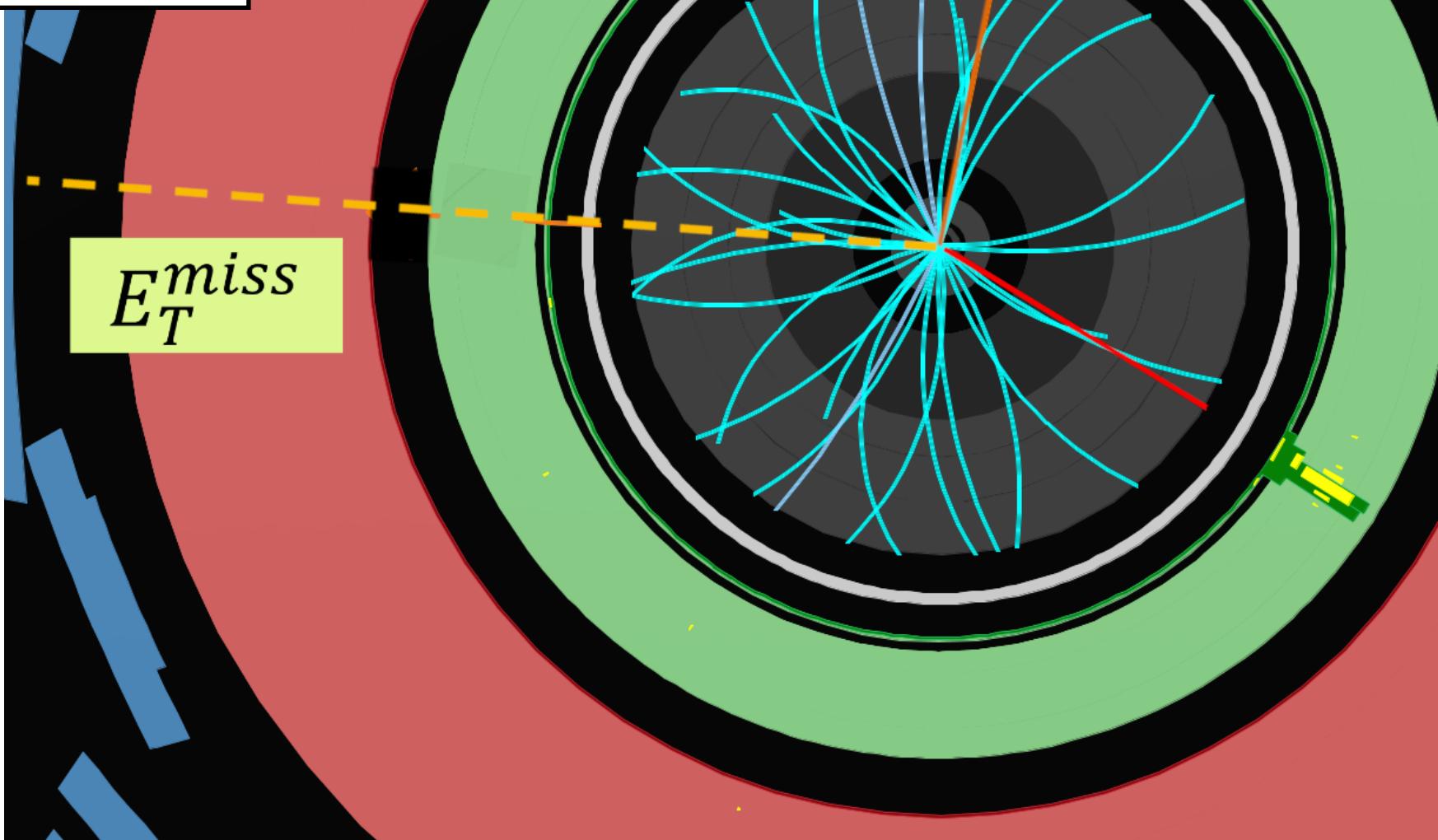


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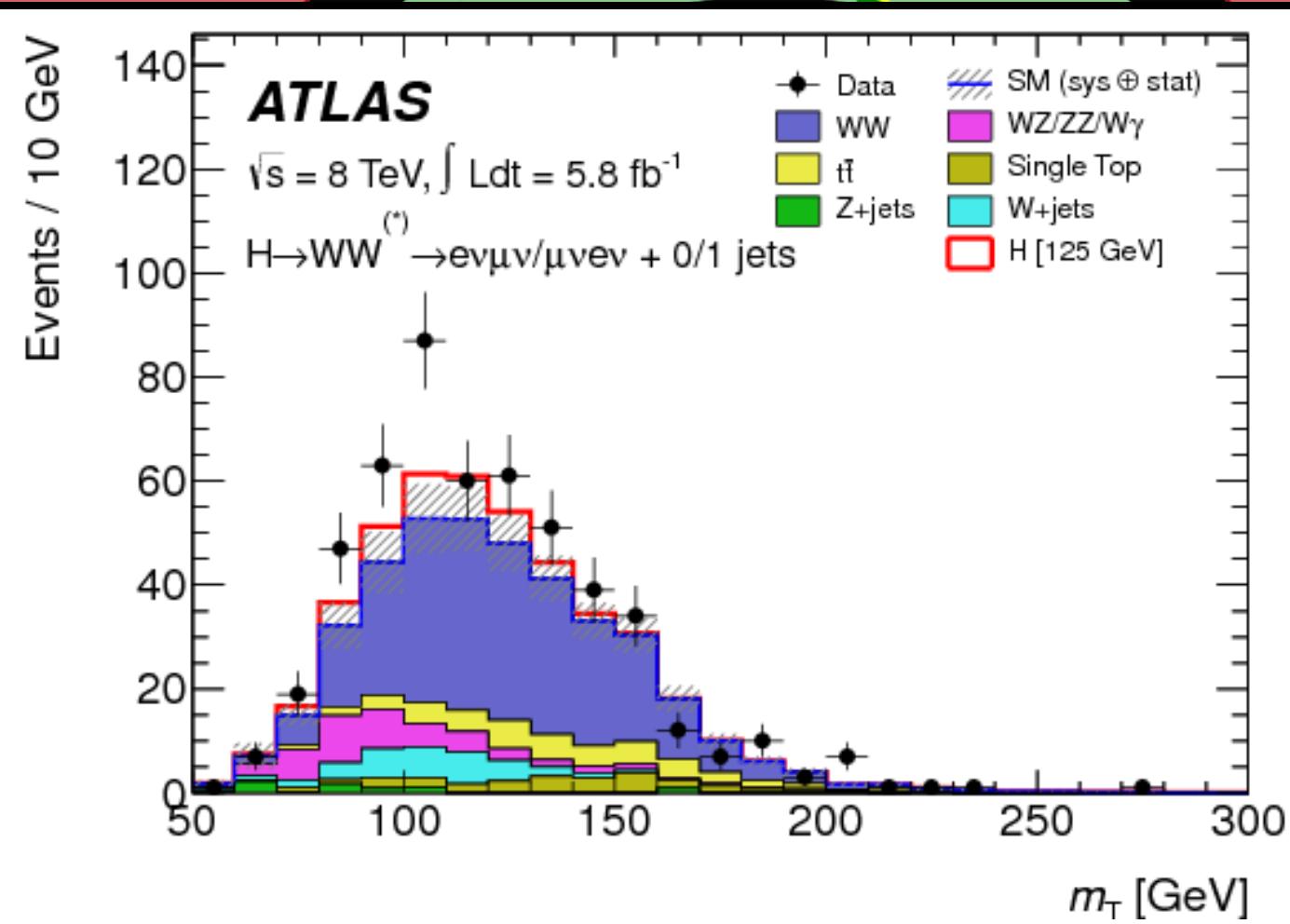
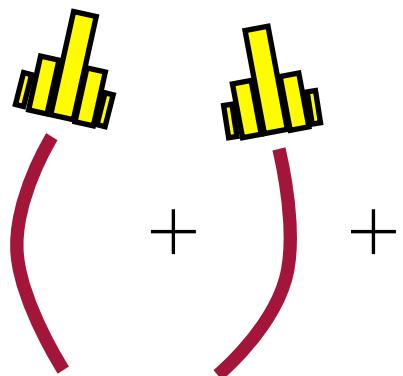
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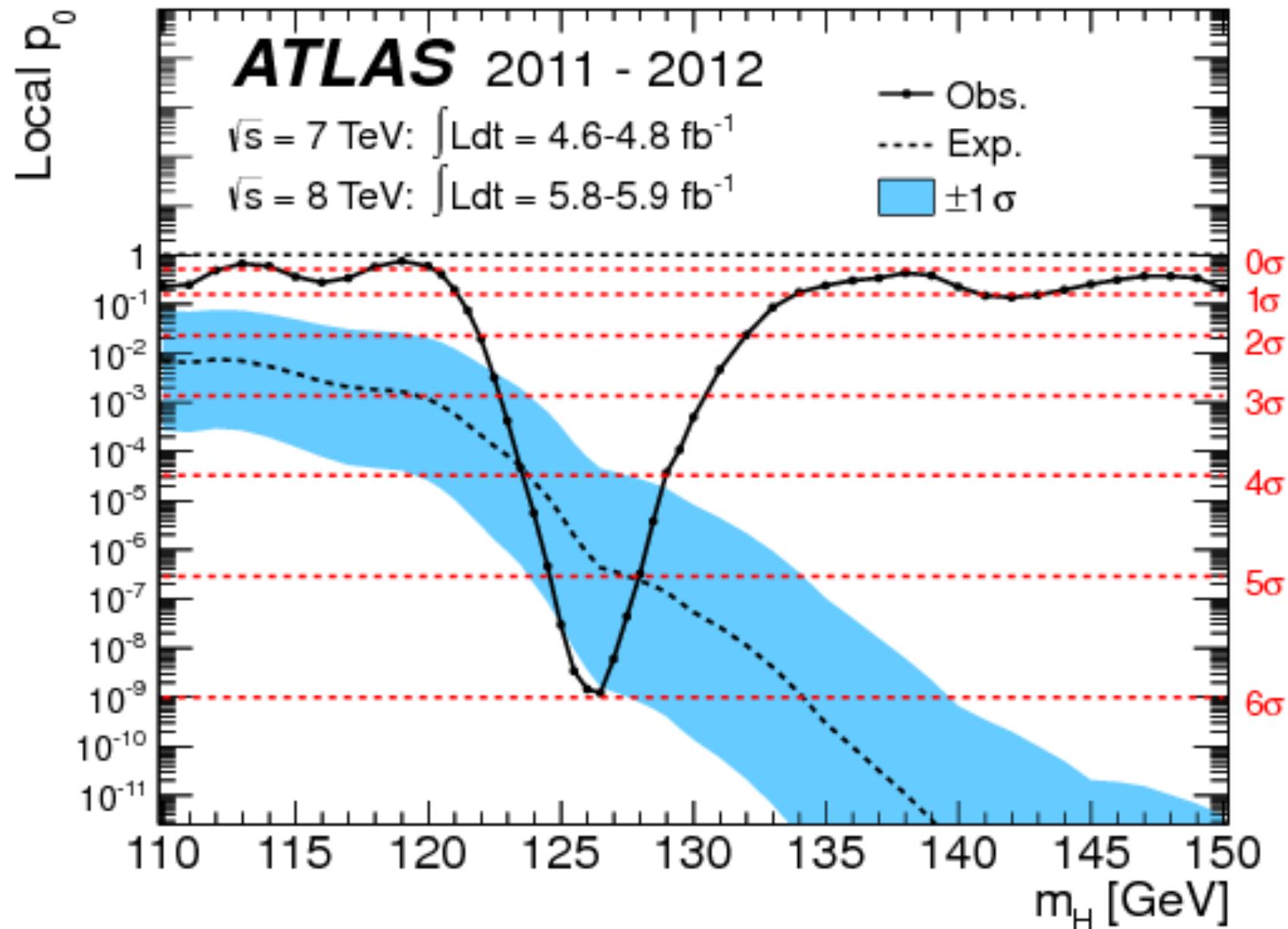
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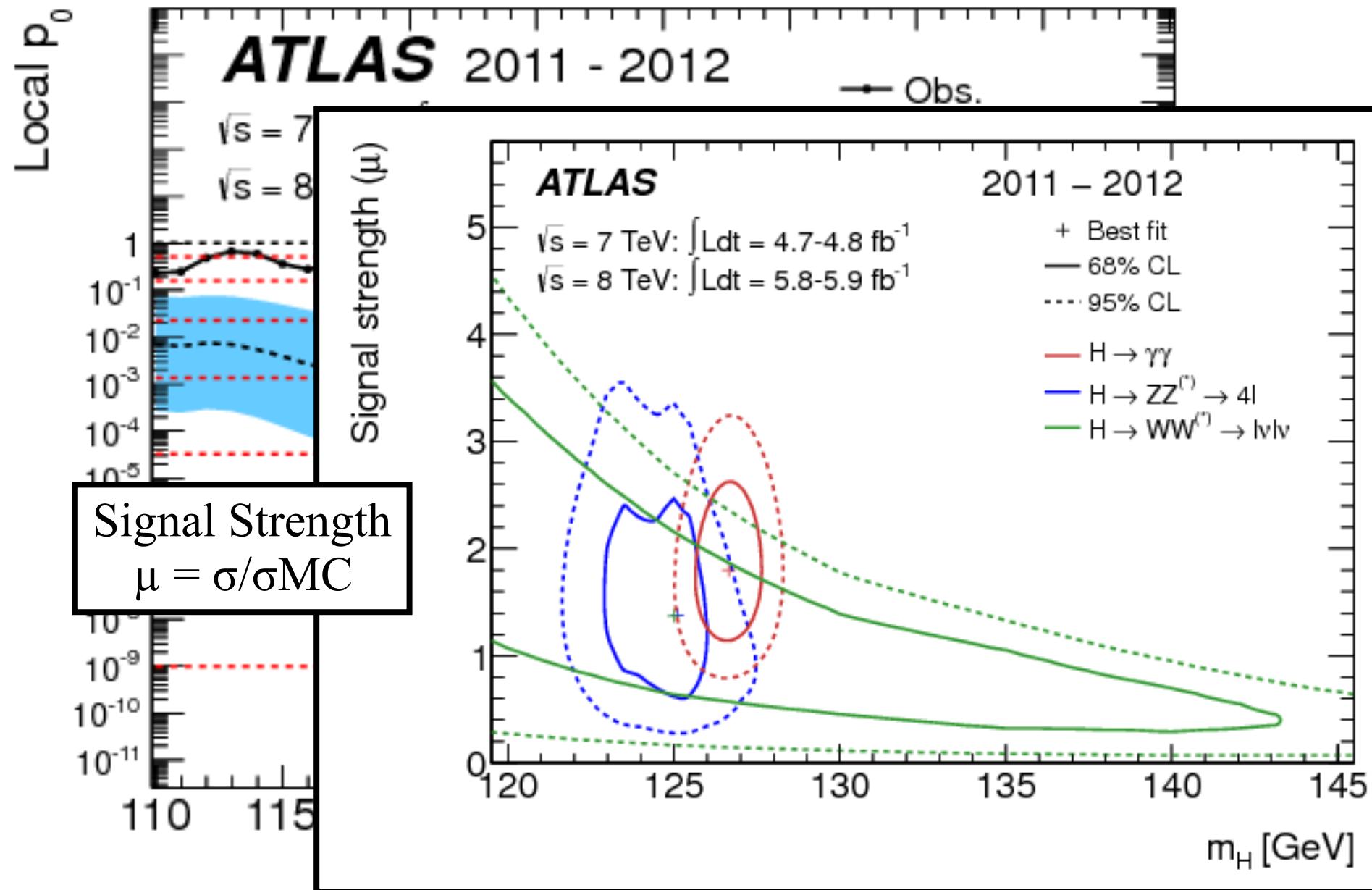
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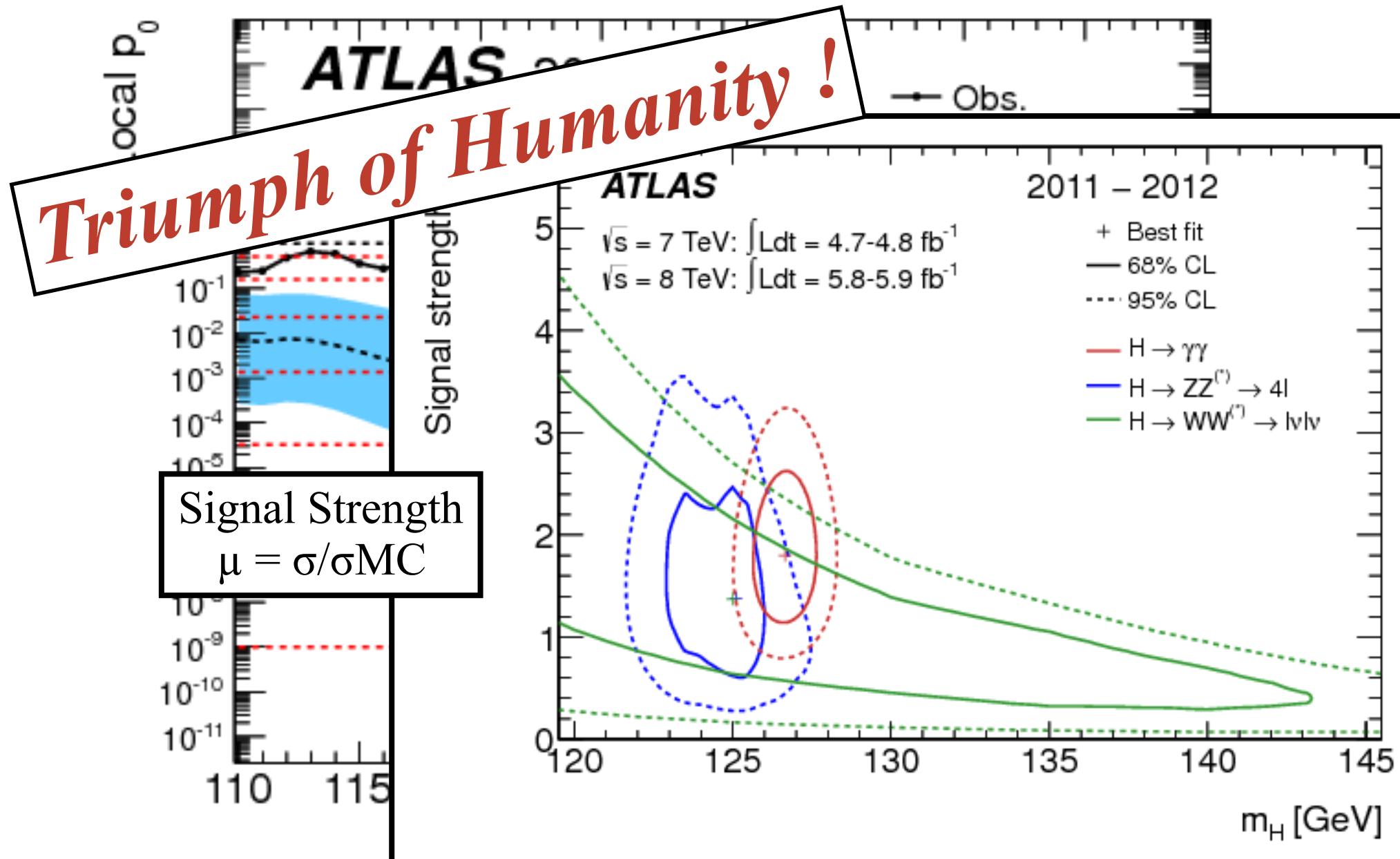
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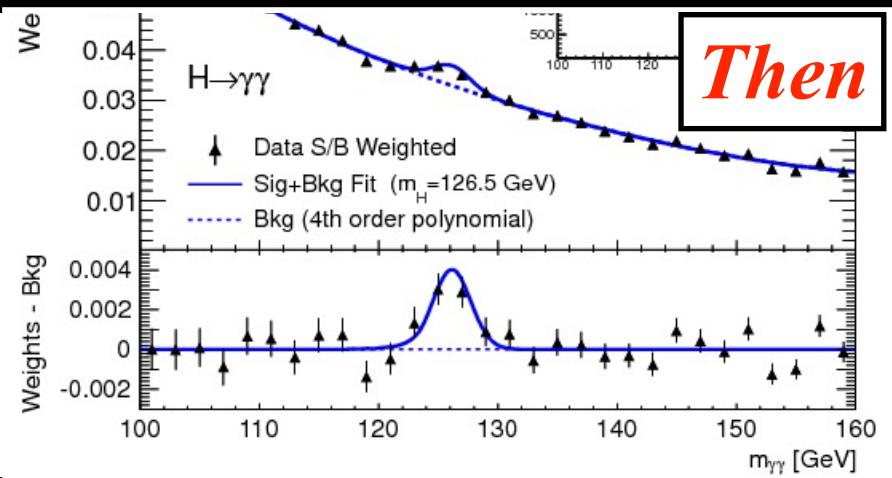
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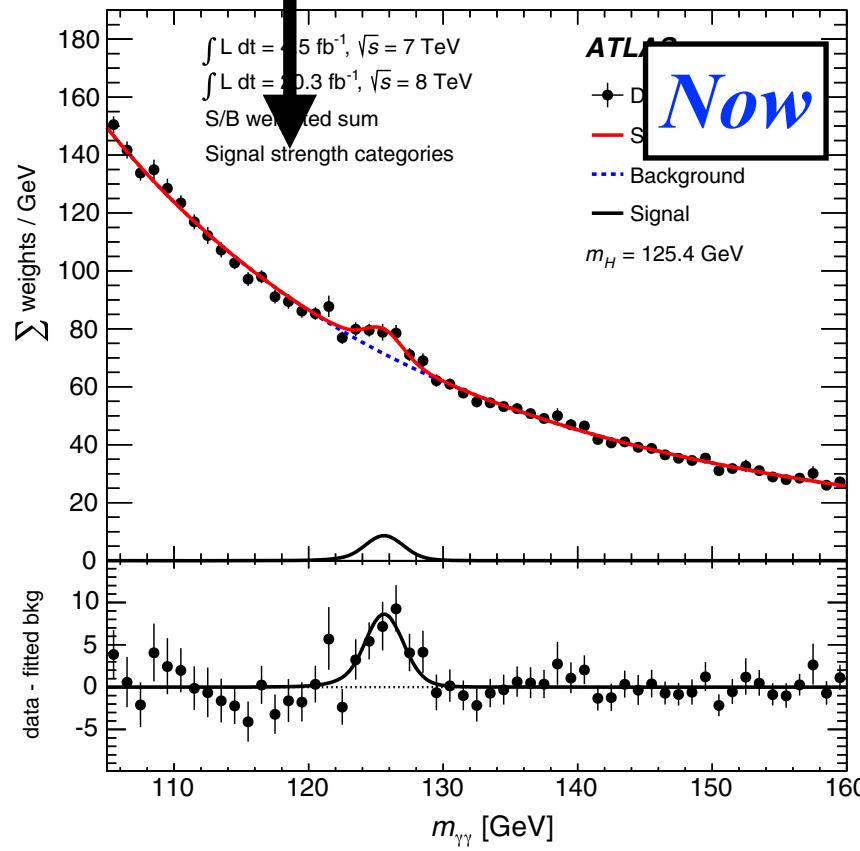
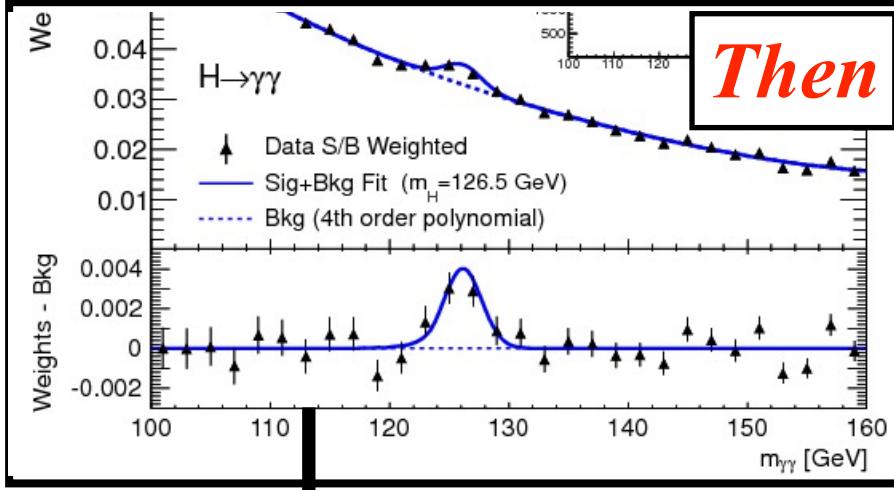
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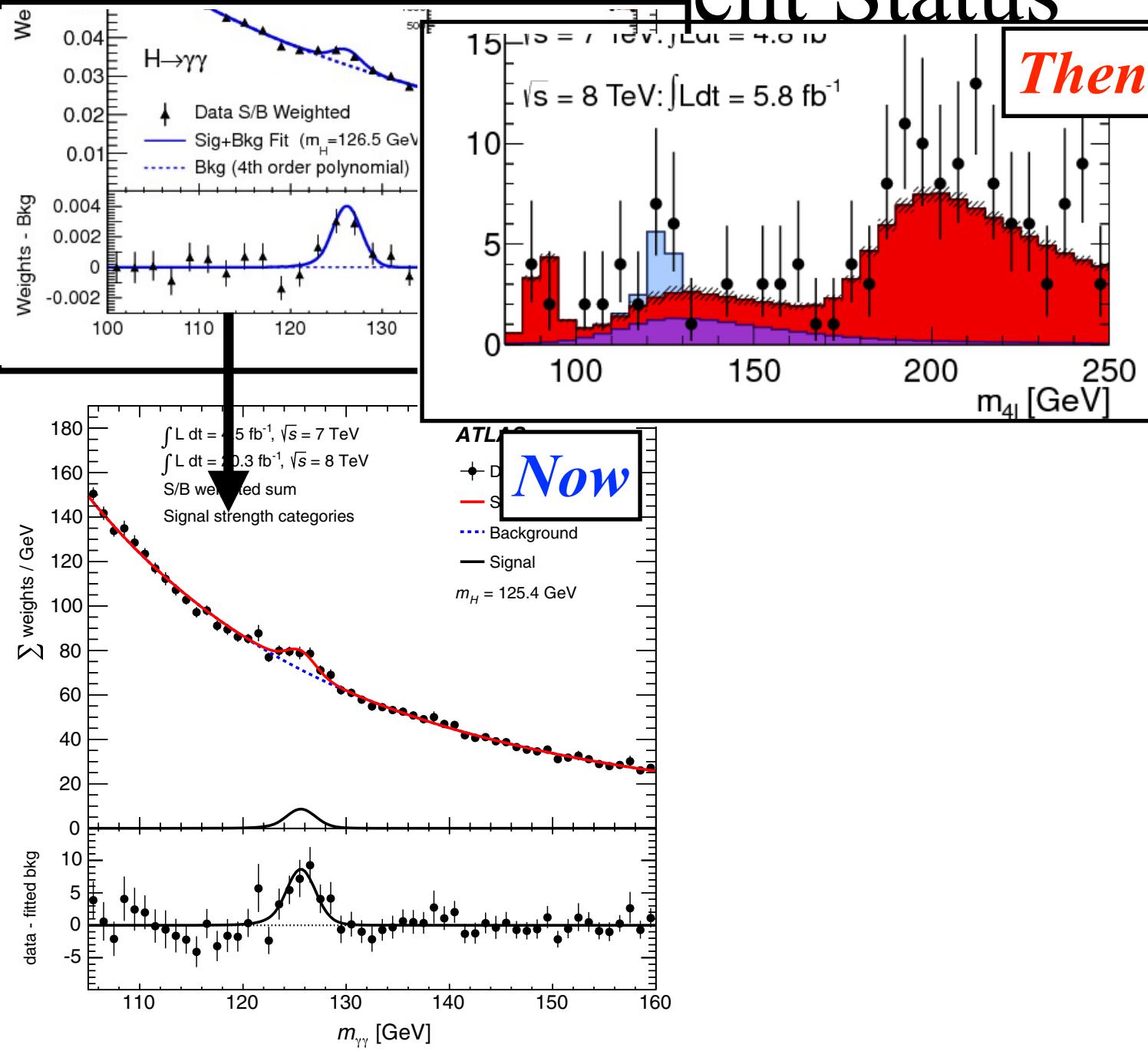
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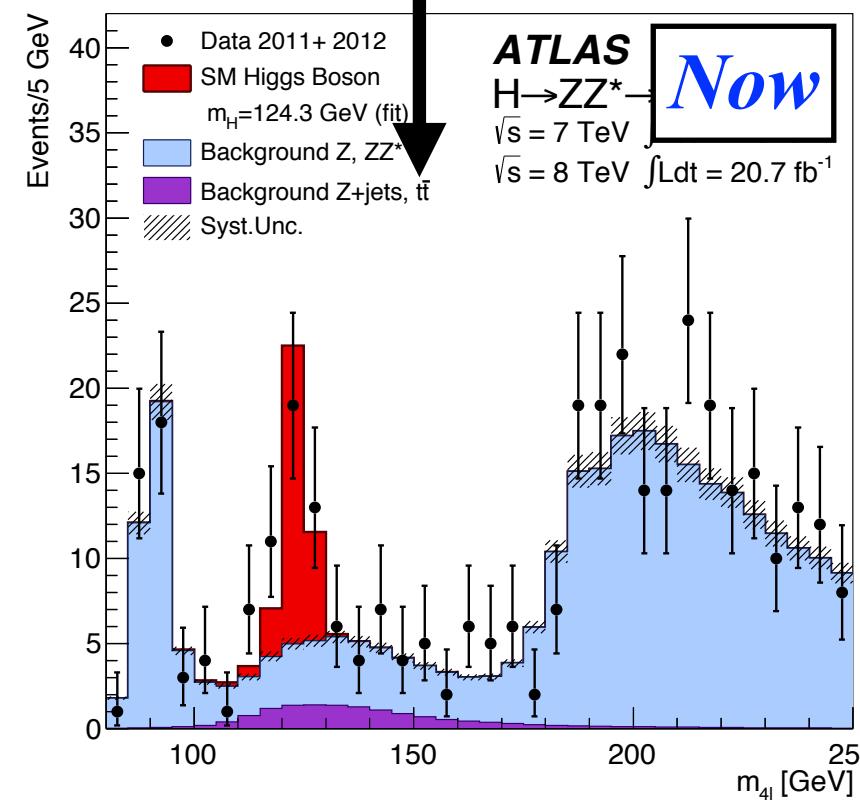
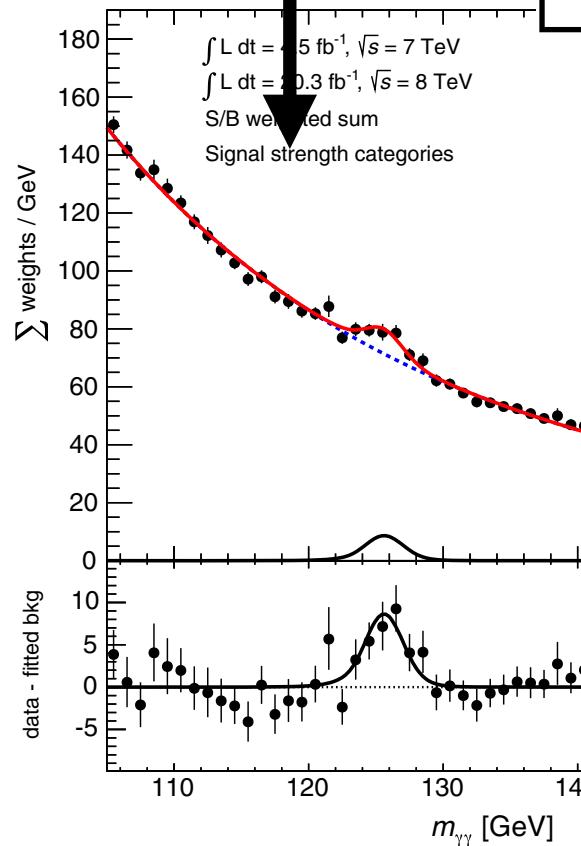
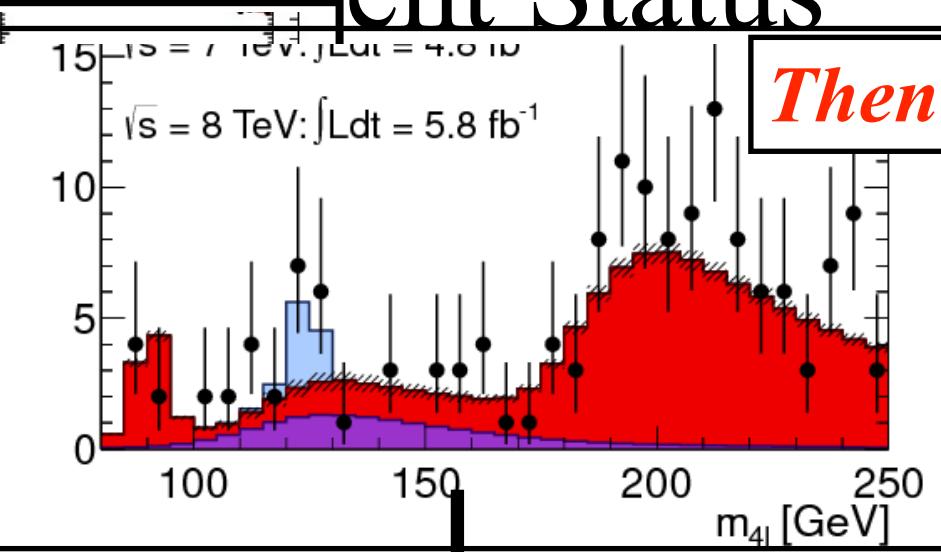
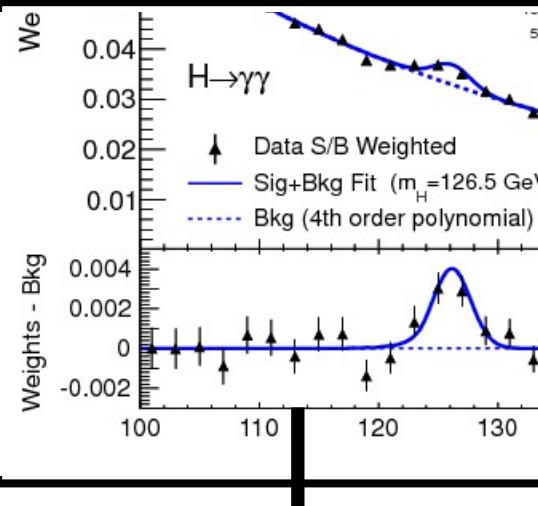
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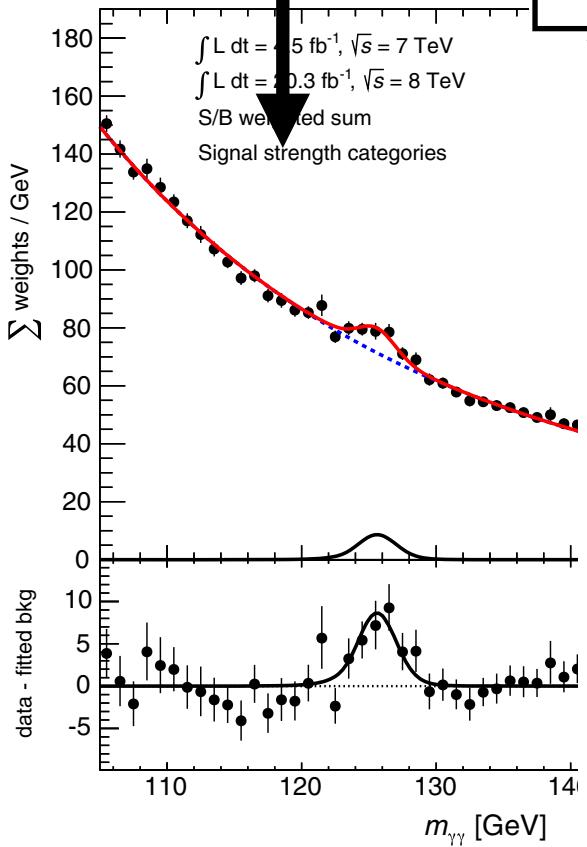
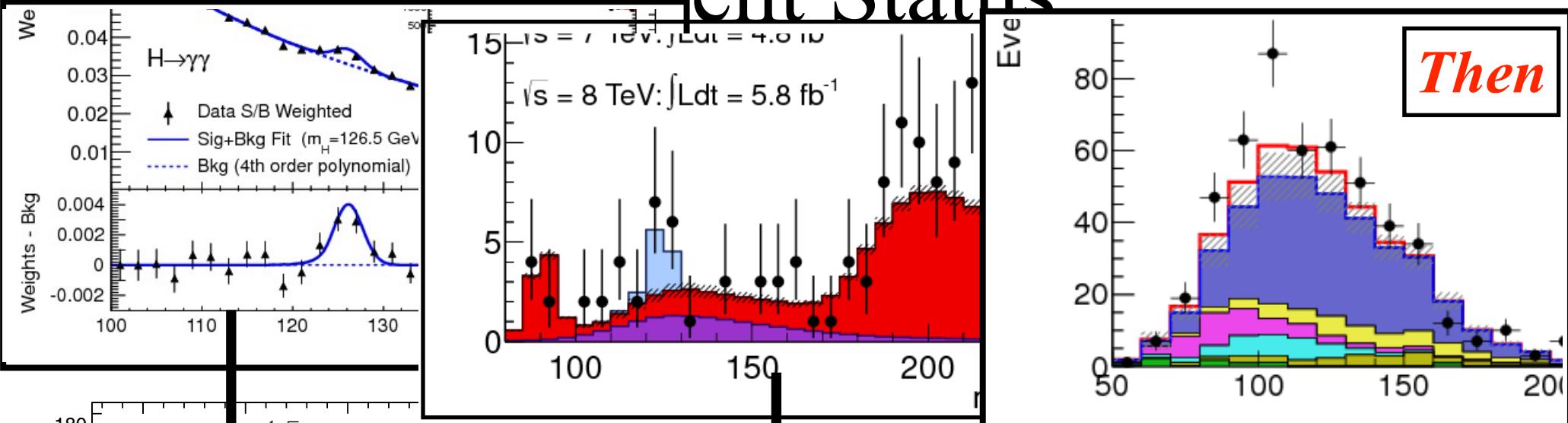
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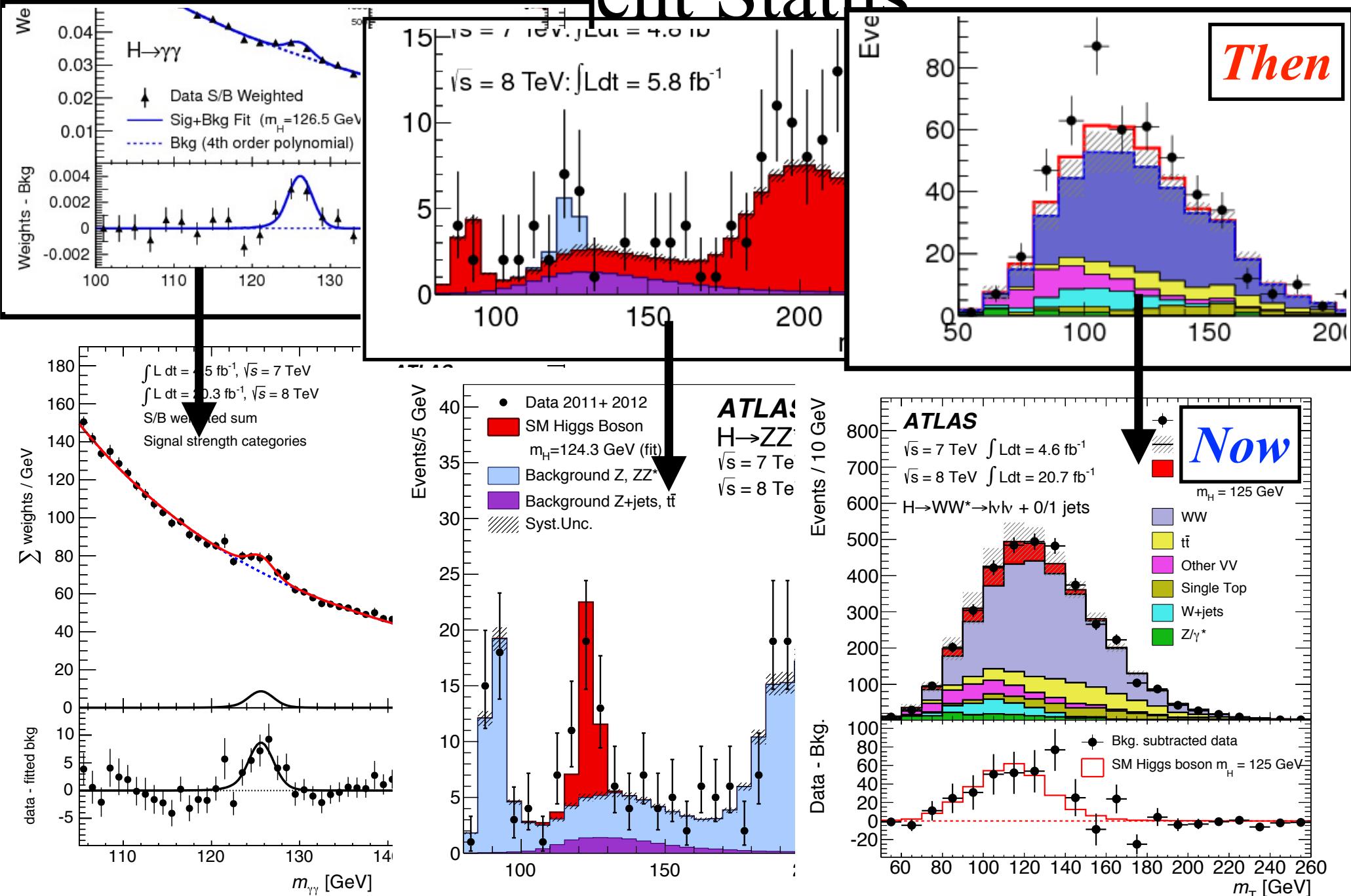
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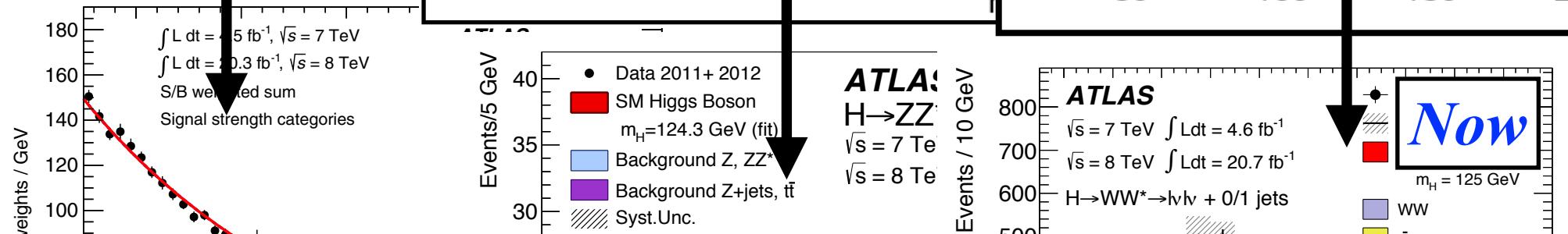
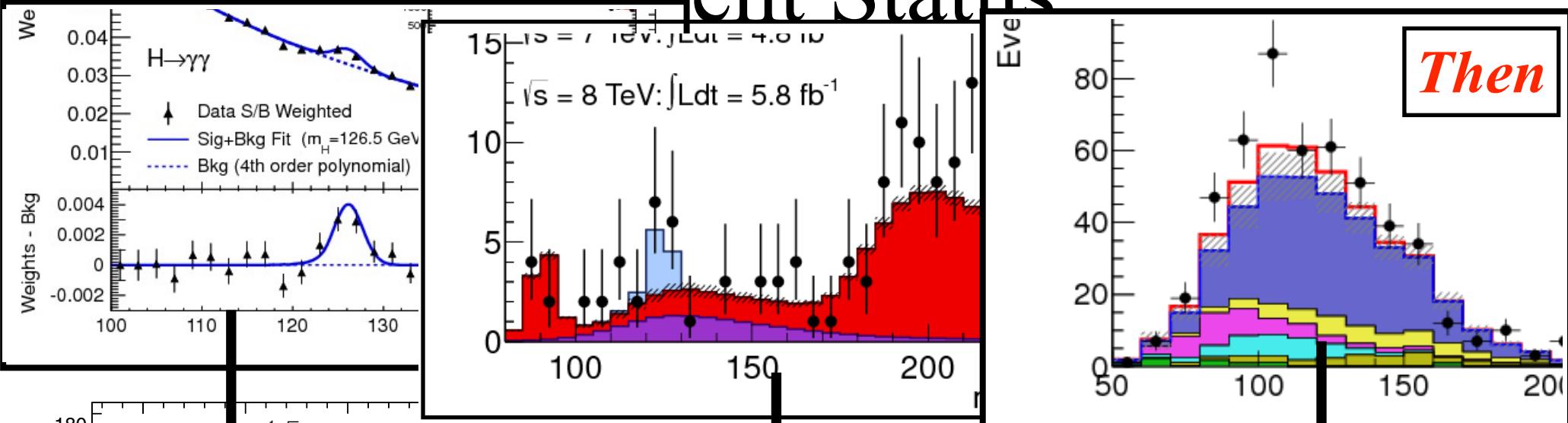
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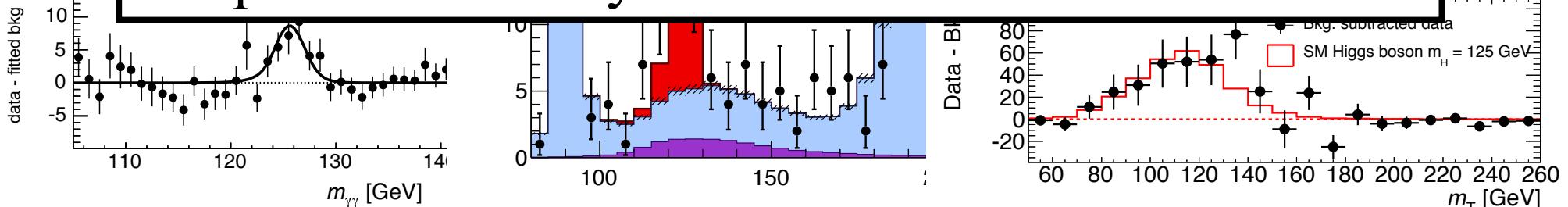


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Current experimental status:

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Higgs Program Beyond Discovery

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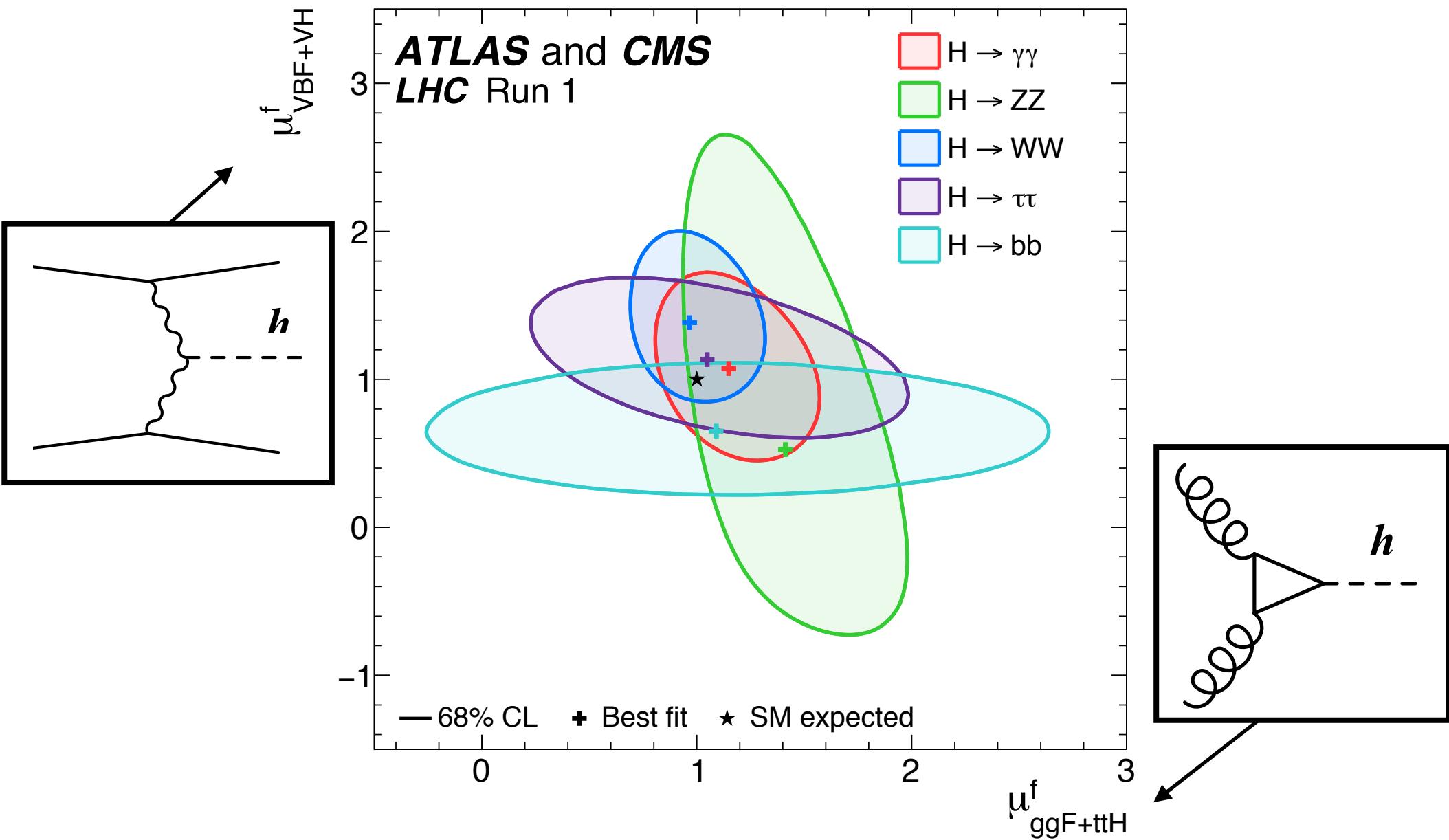
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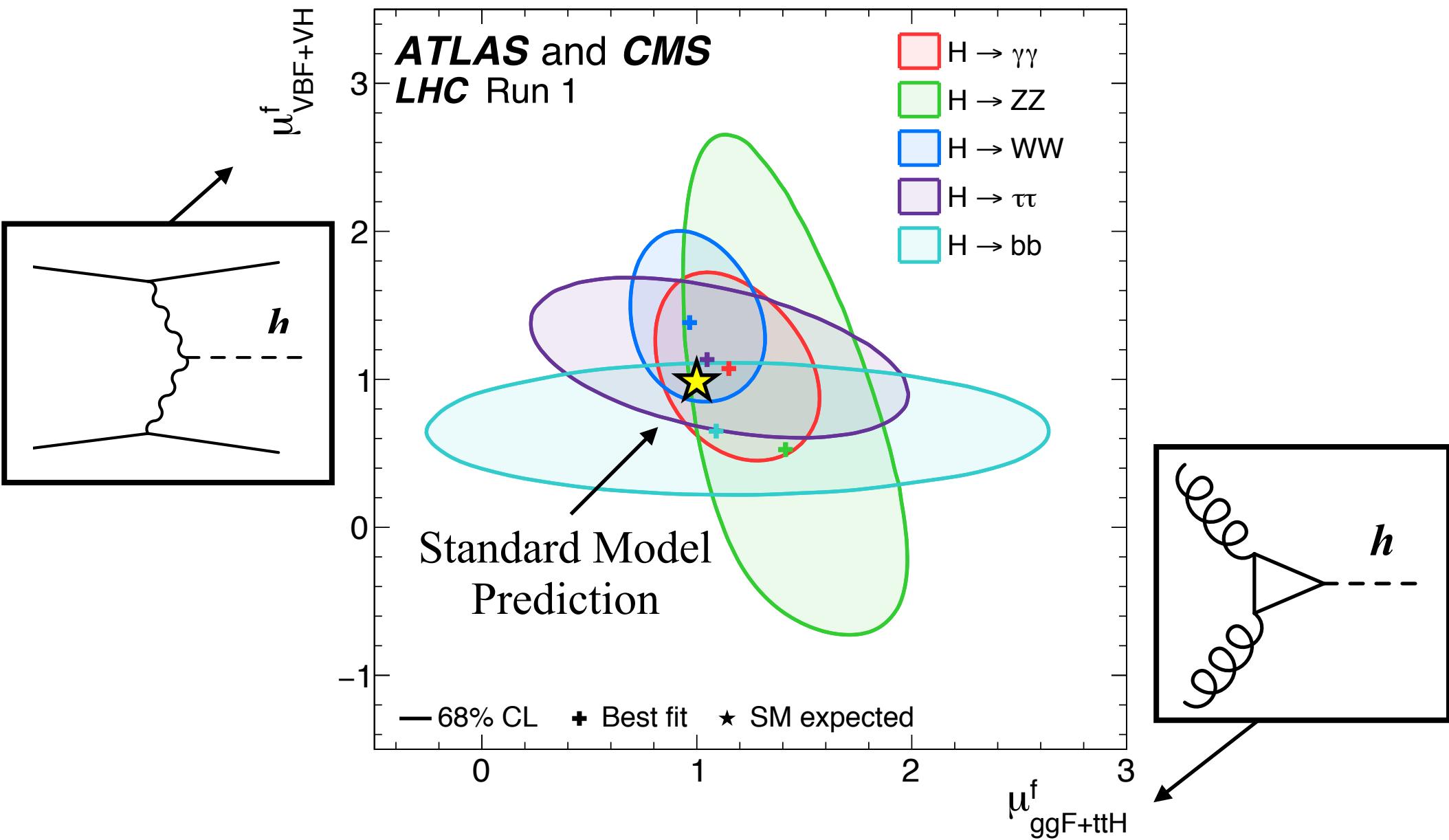
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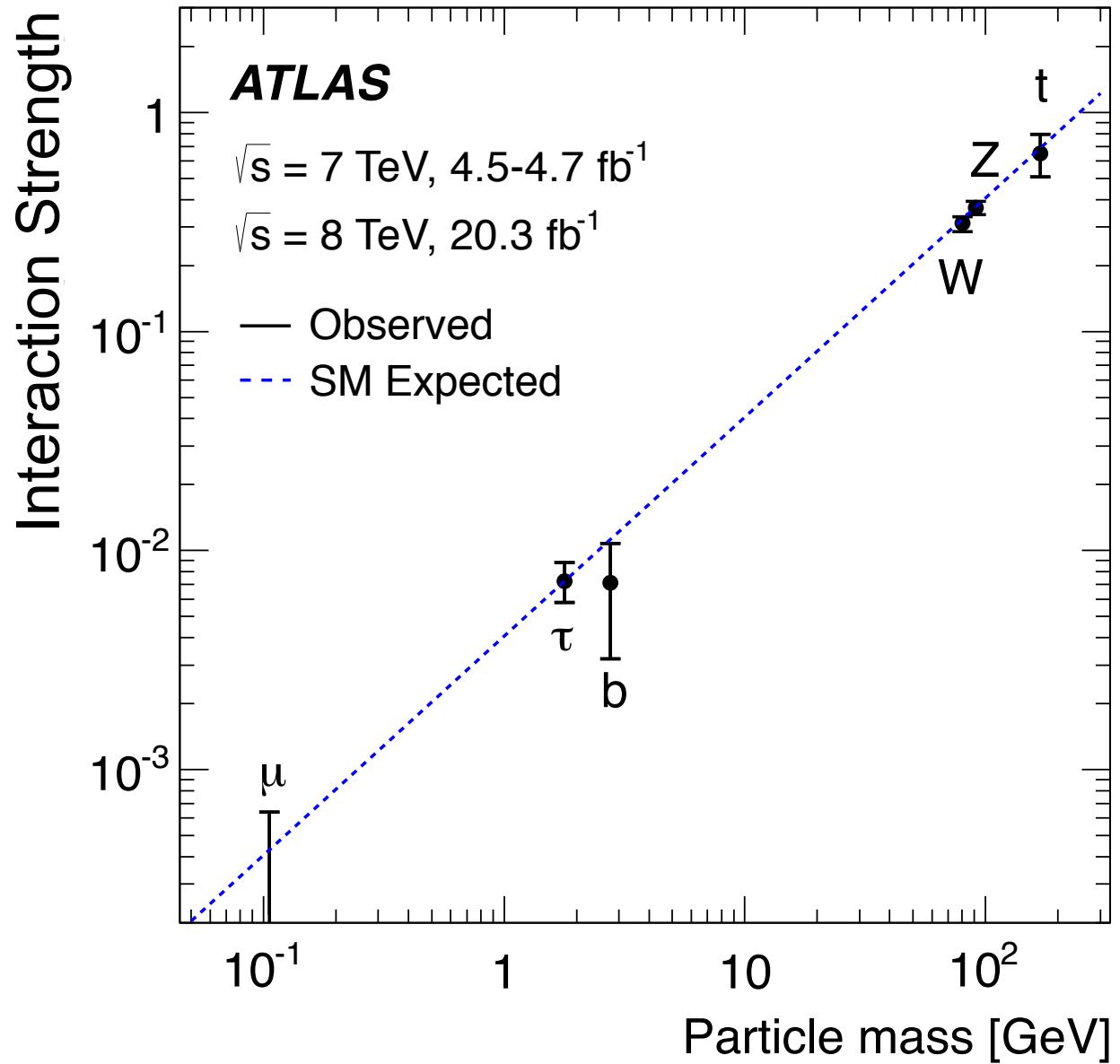
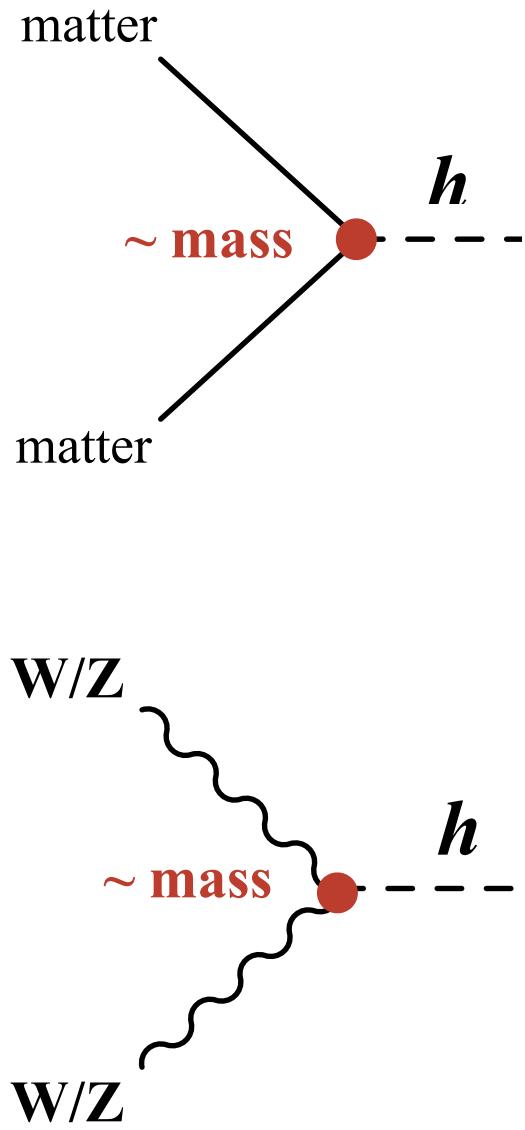
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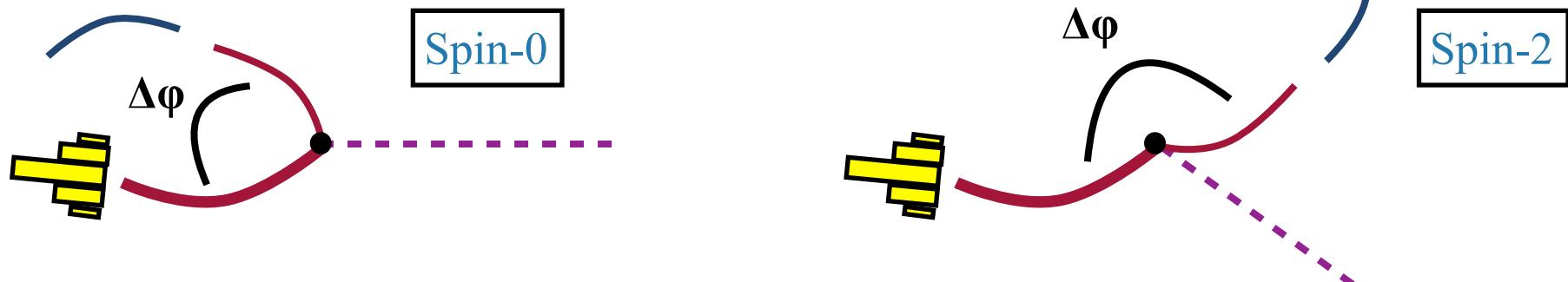
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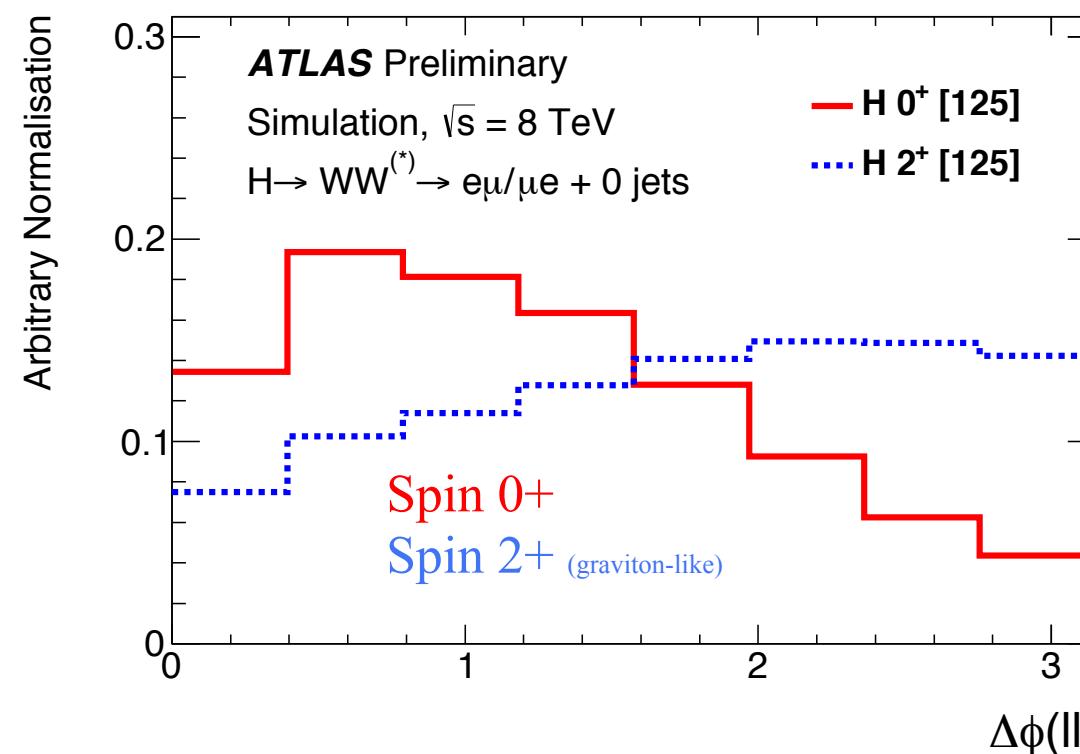
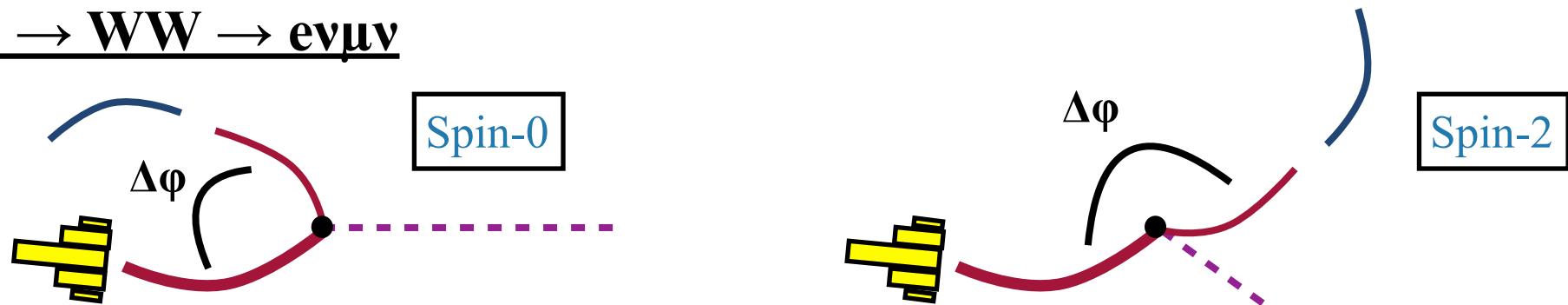
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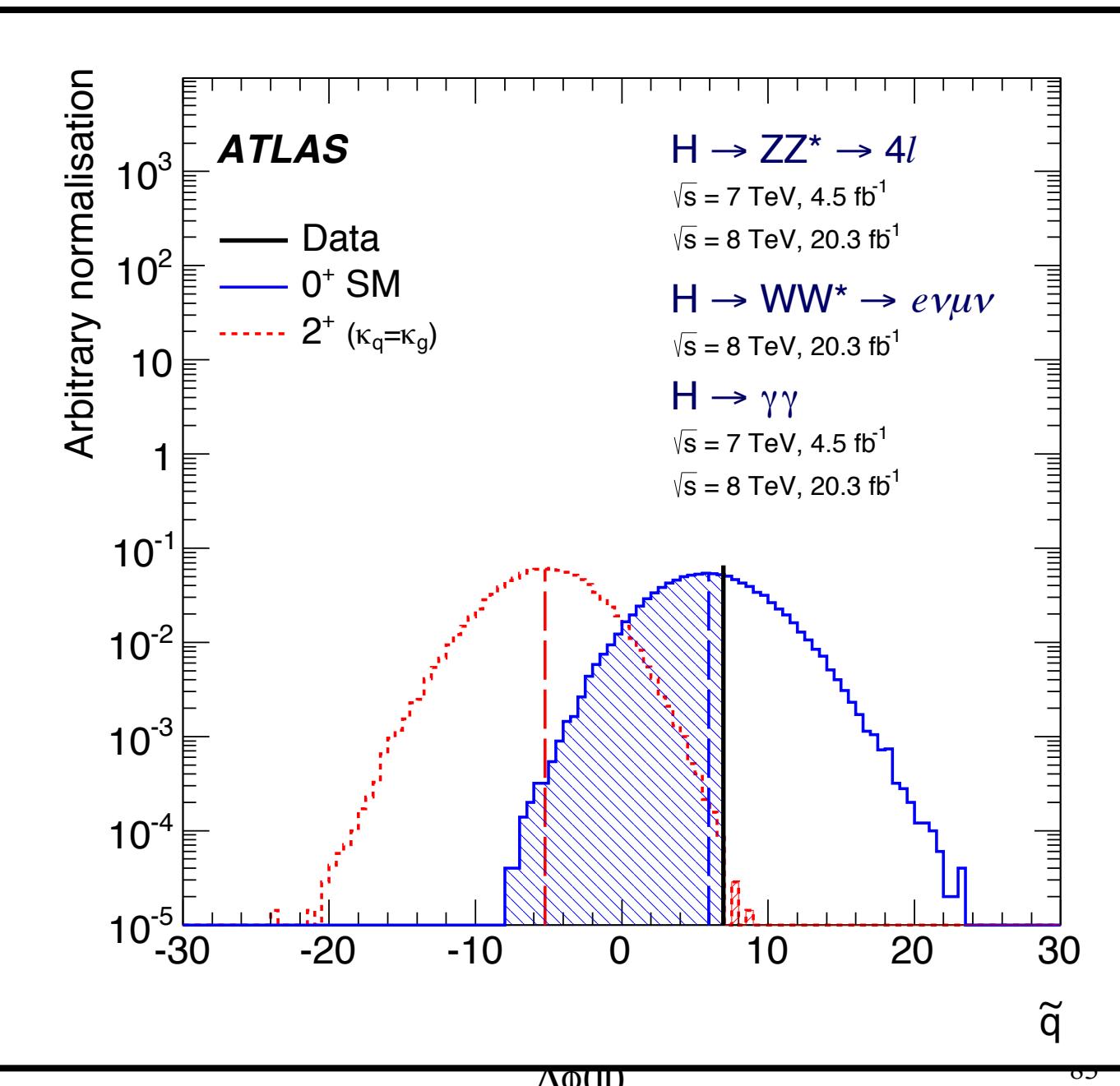
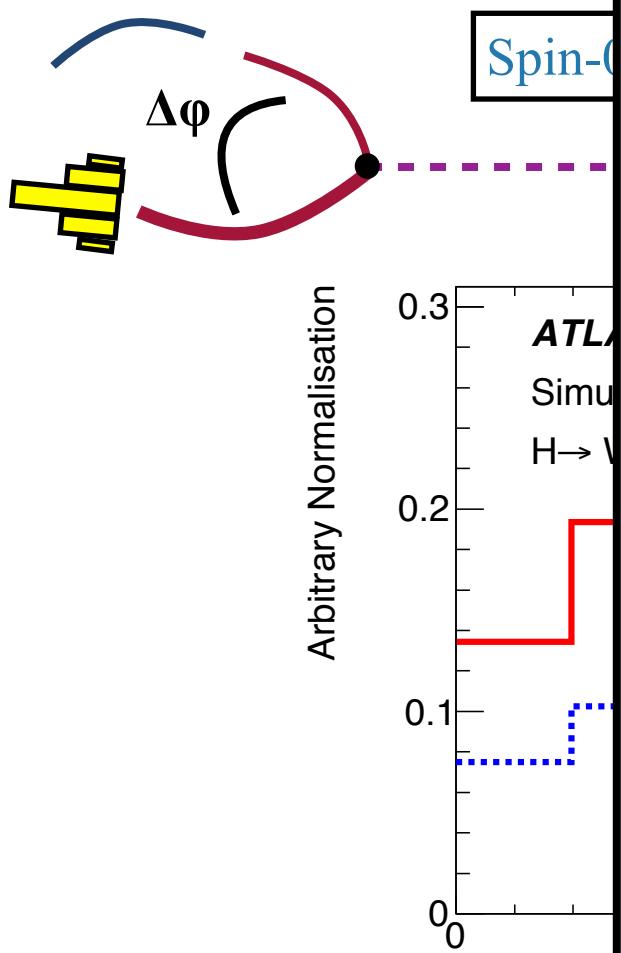
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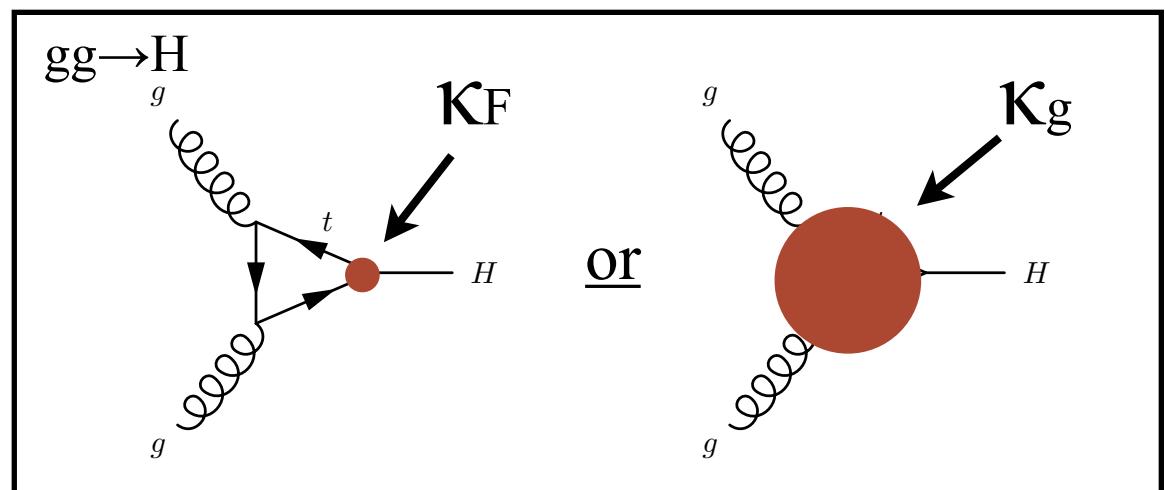
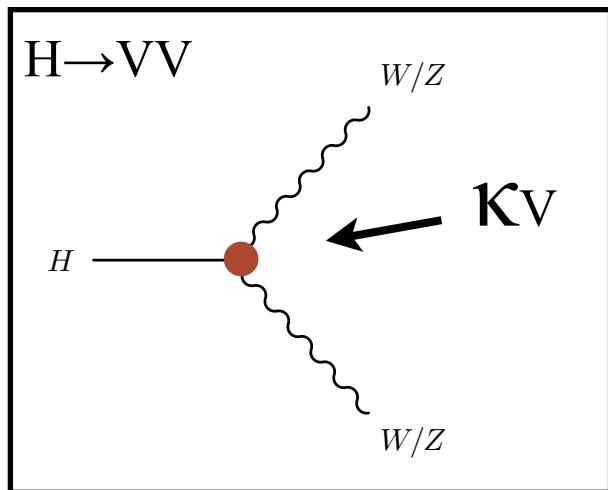


Compatibility w/SM Higgs Couplings

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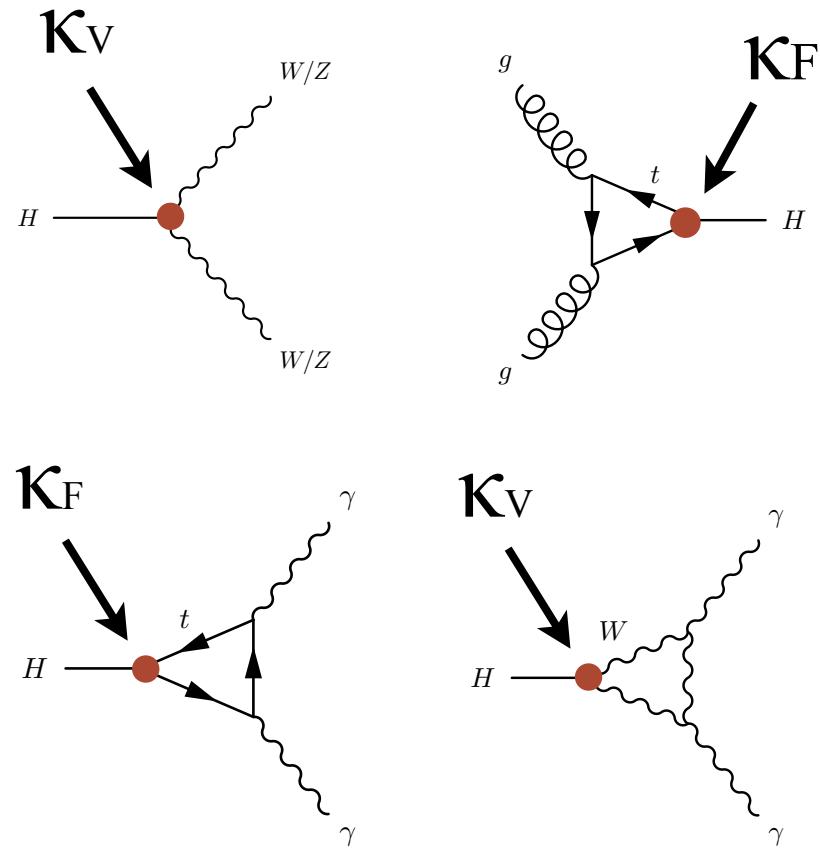
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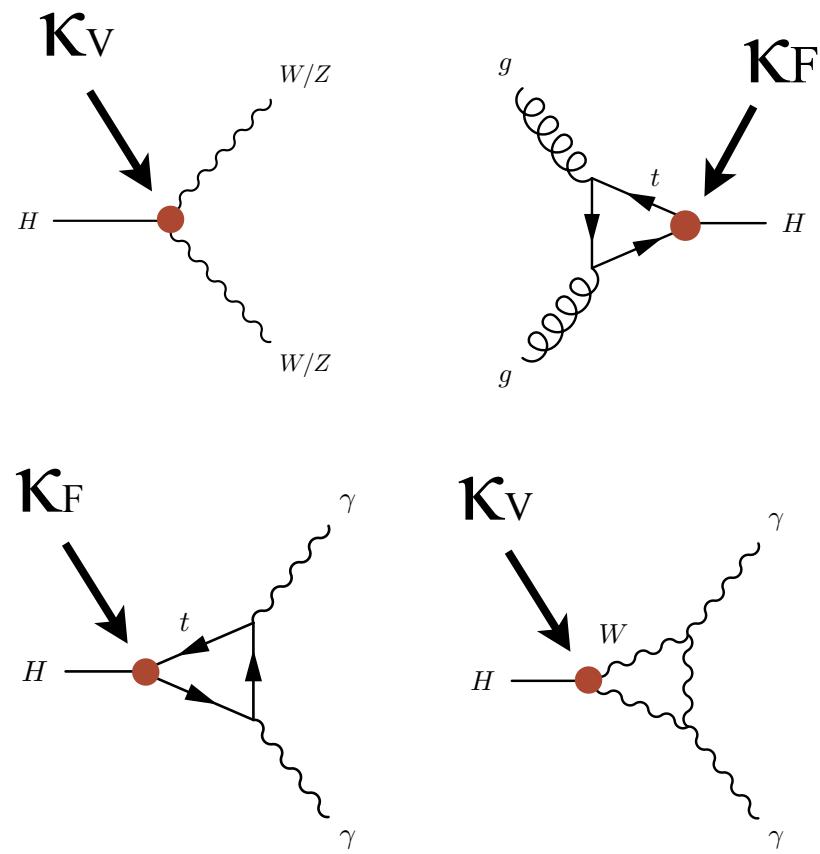


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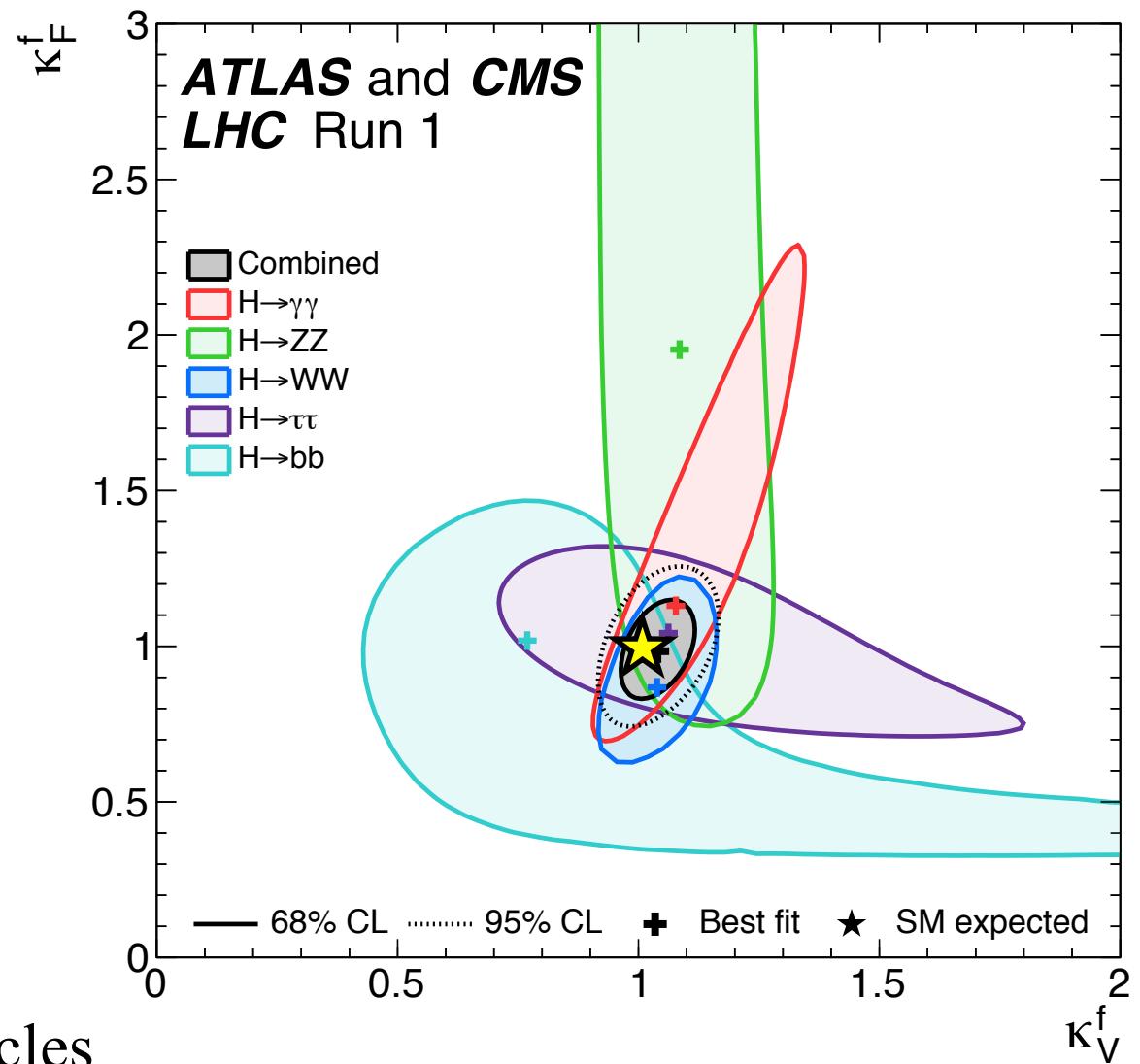
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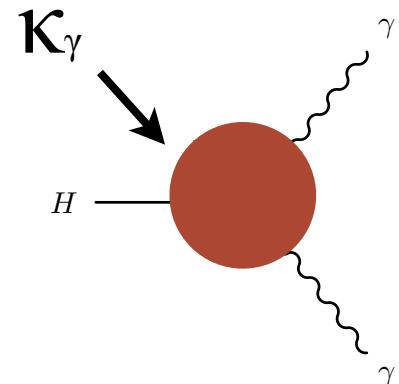
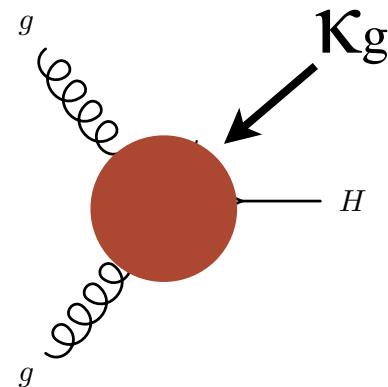
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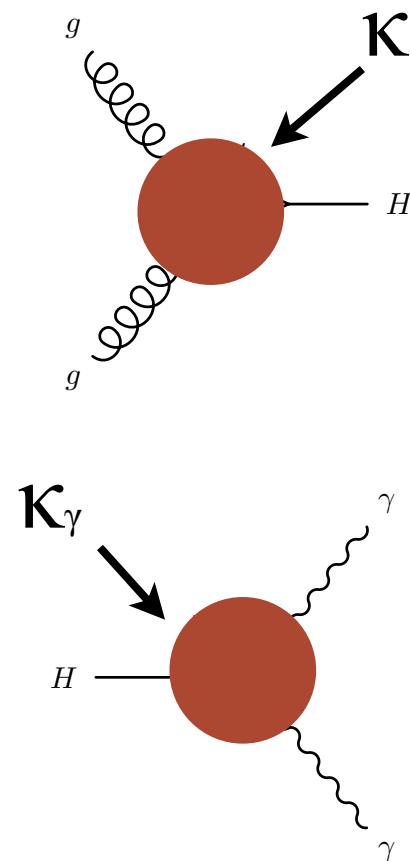


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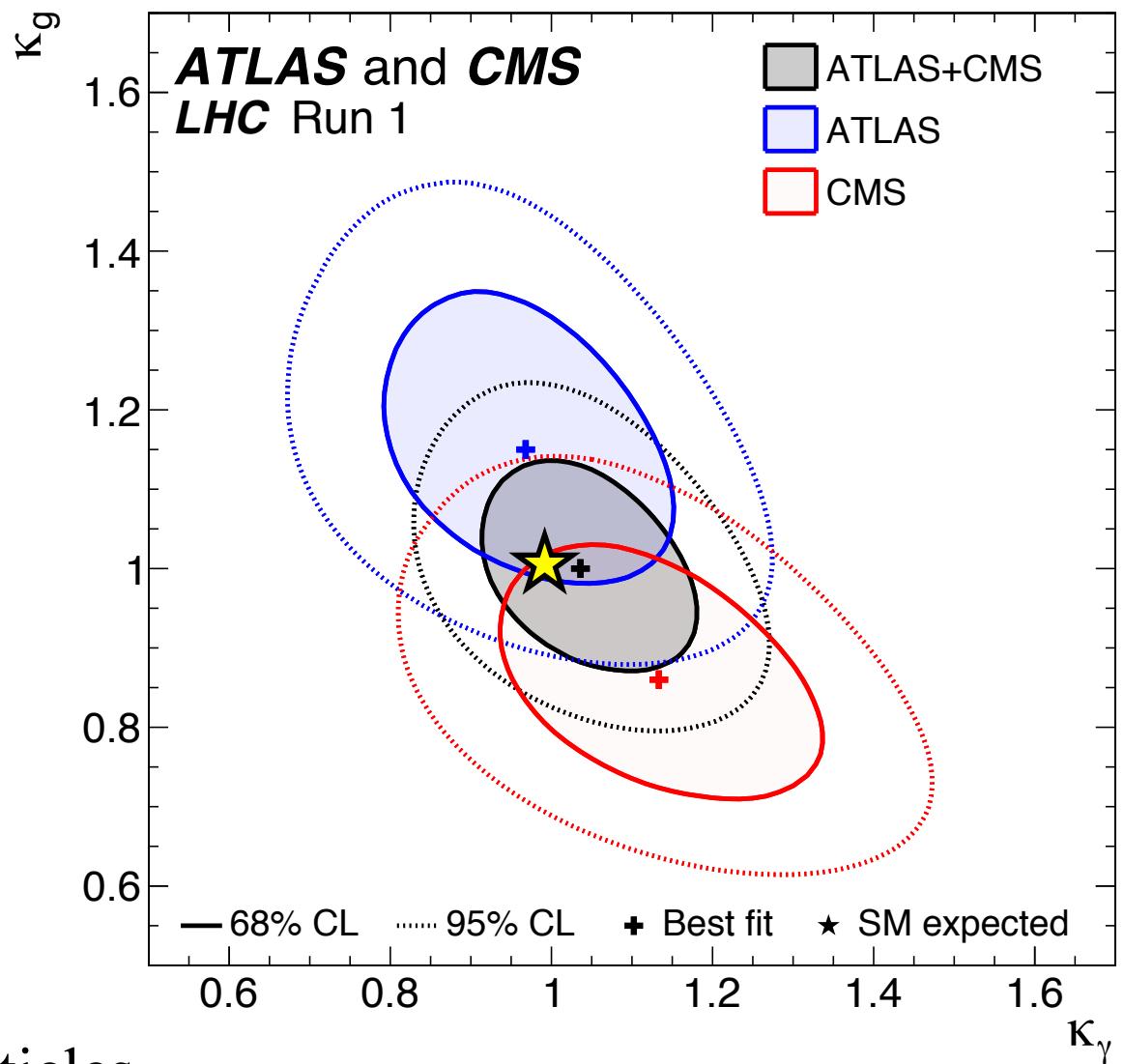
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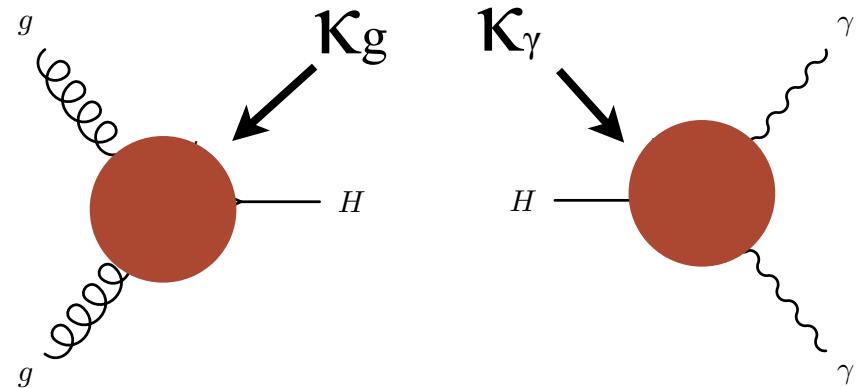
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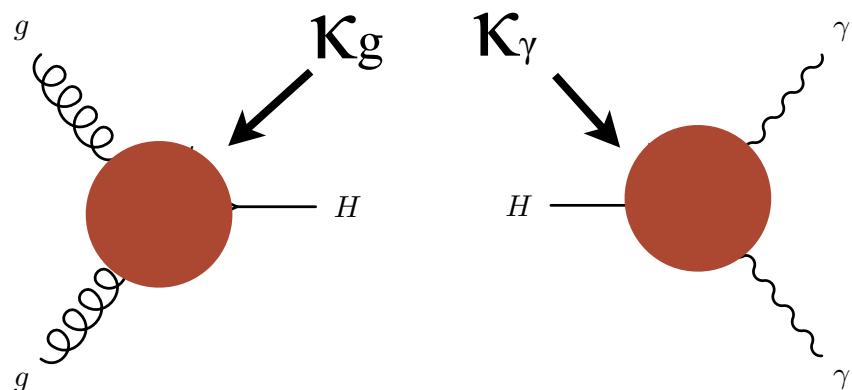
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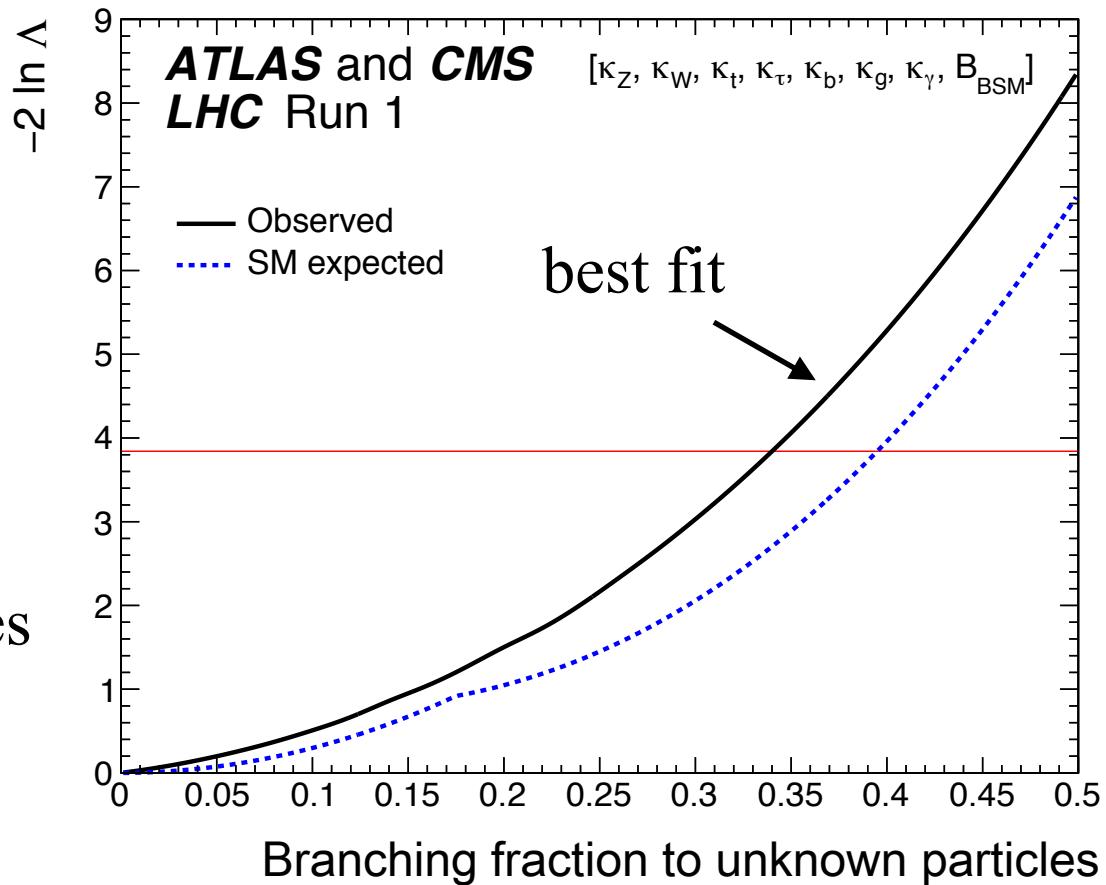
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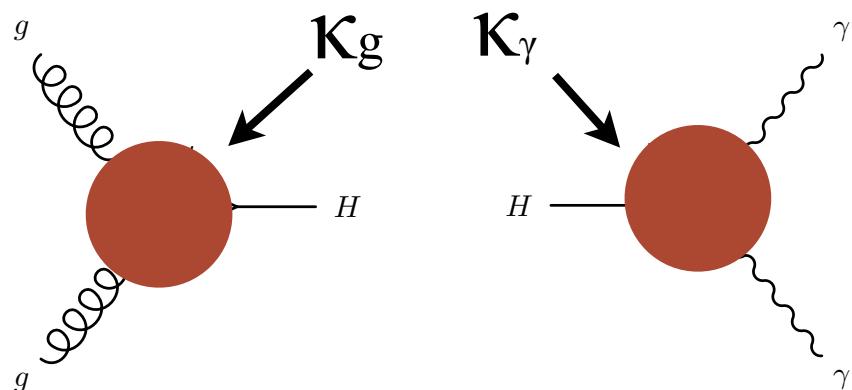
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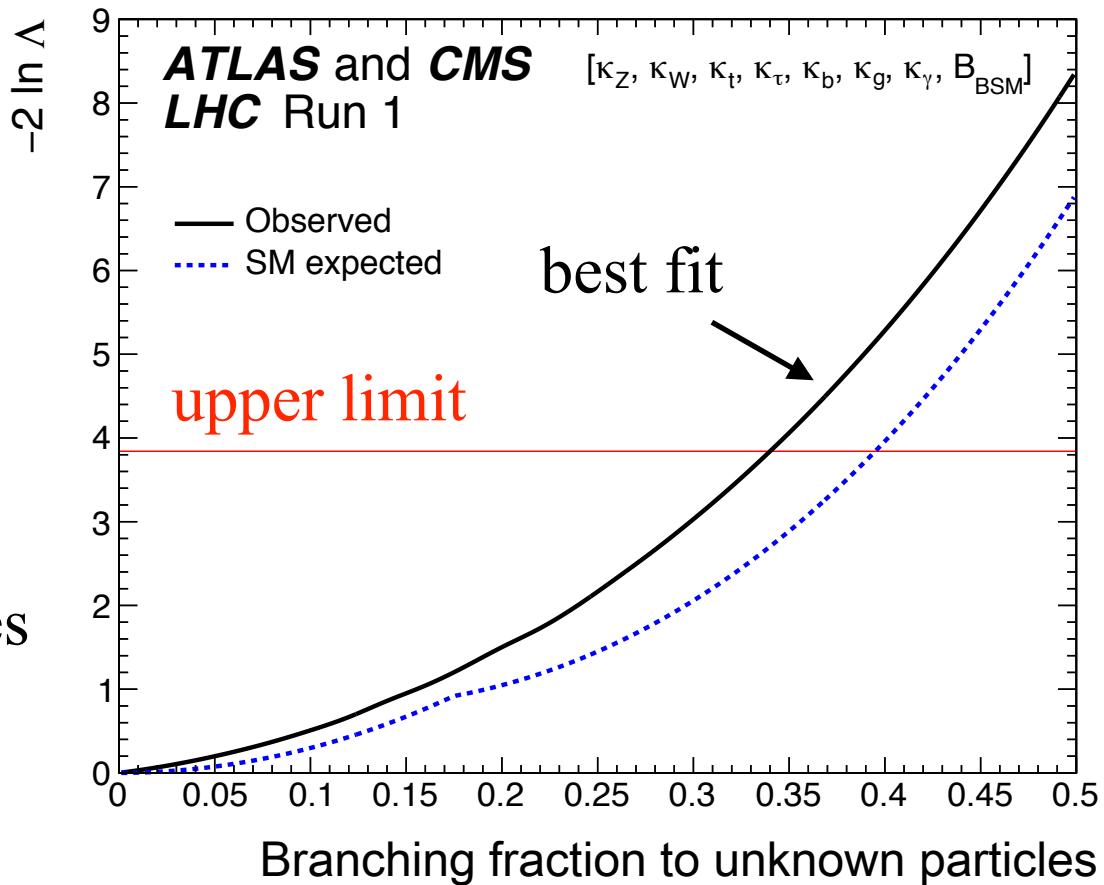
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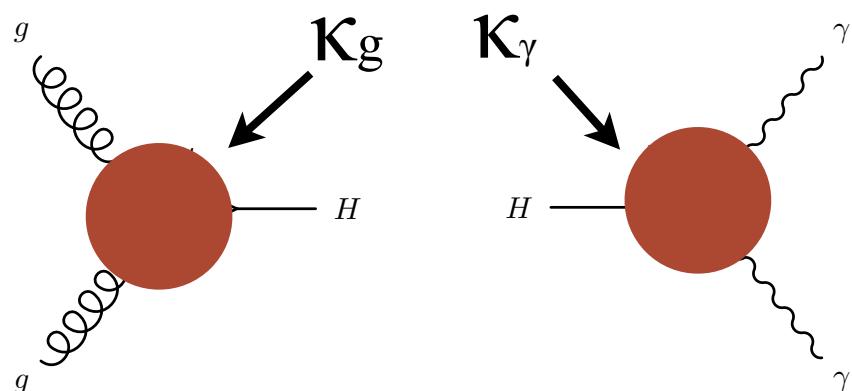
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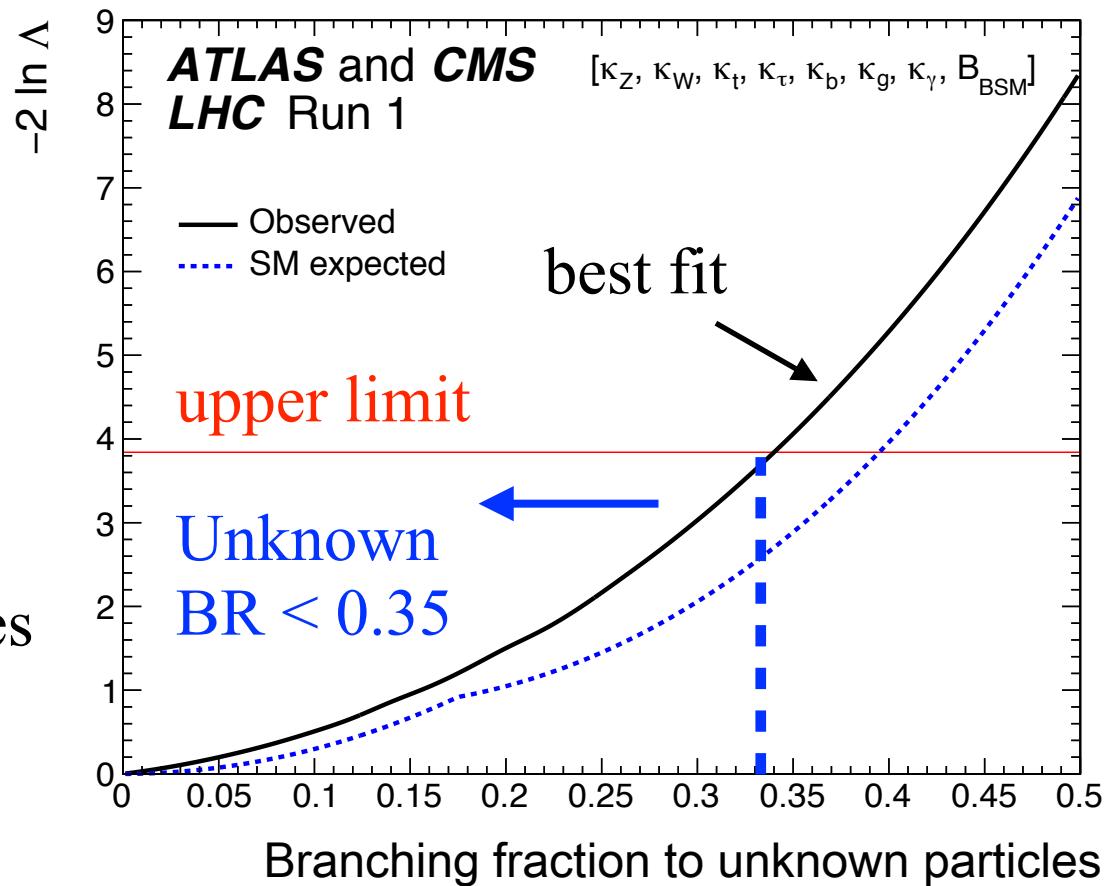
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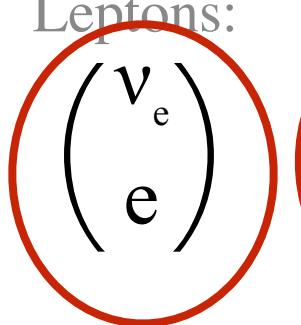
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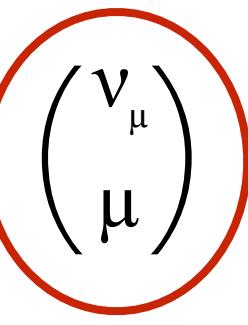
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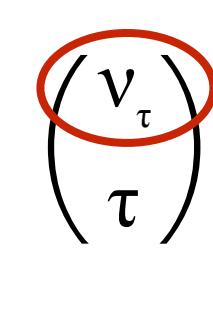
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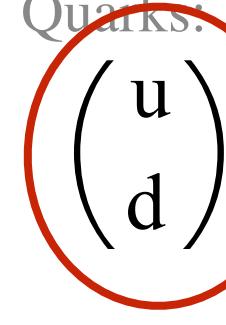


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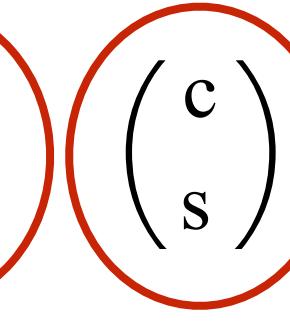


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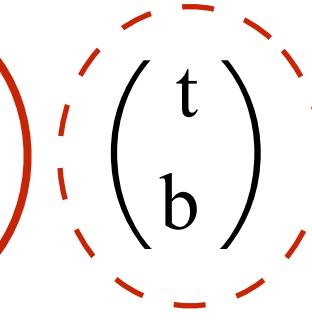
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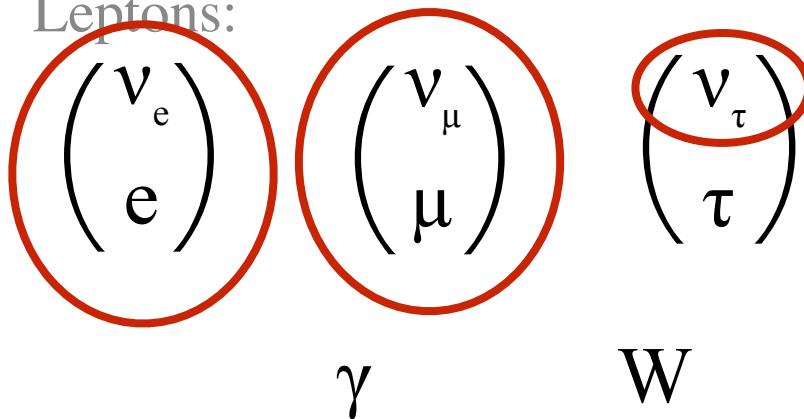
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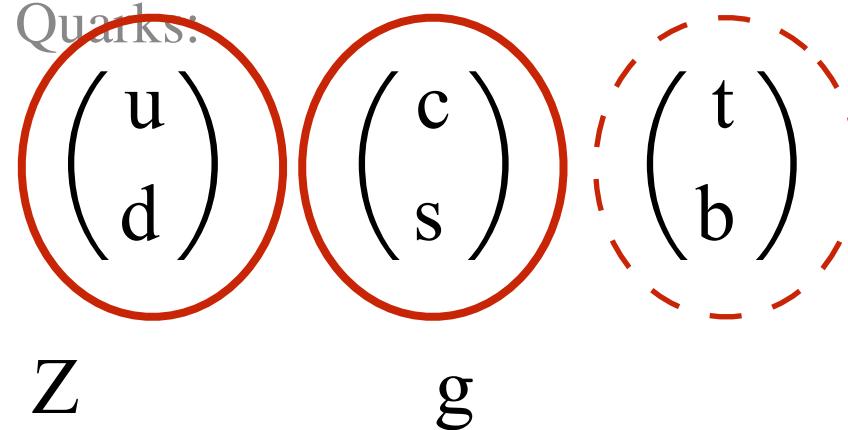
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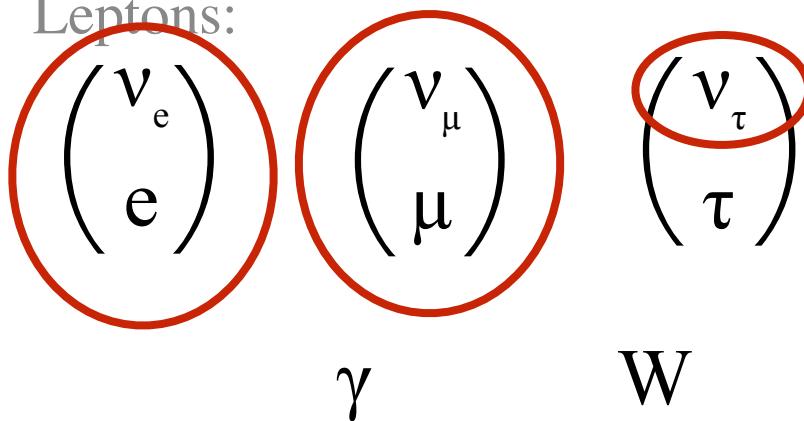


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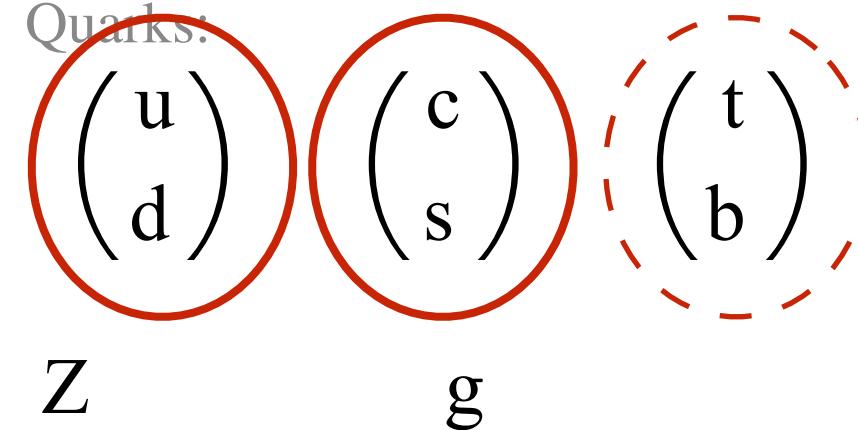
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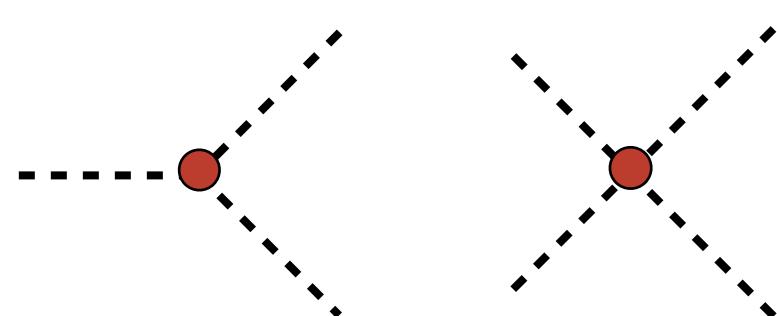


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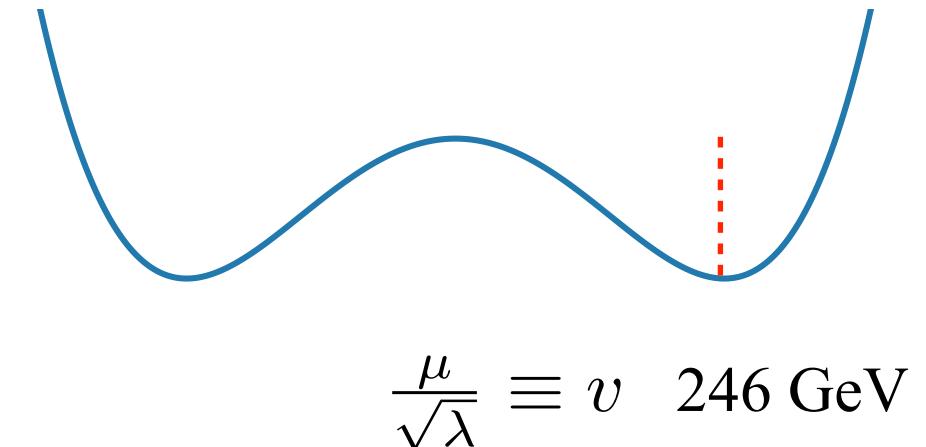
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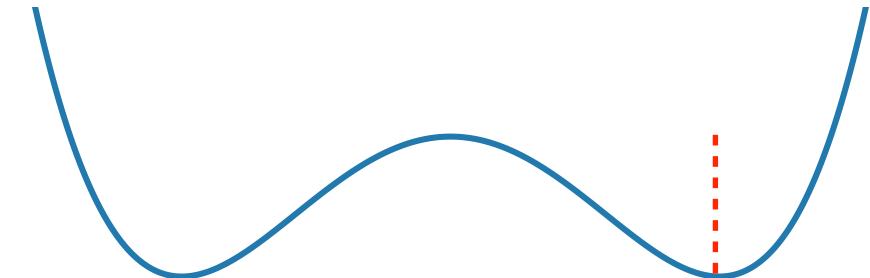


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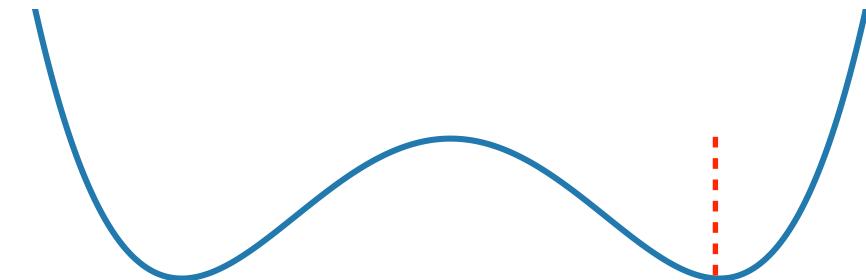
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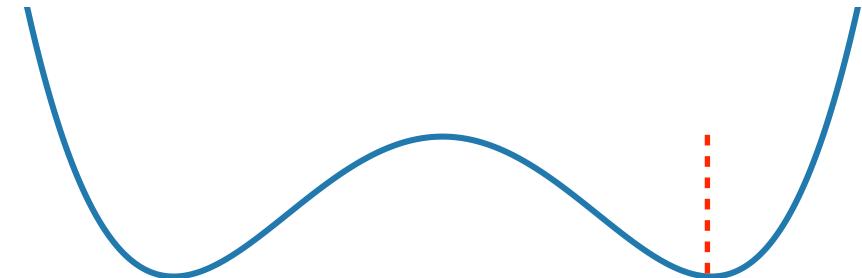
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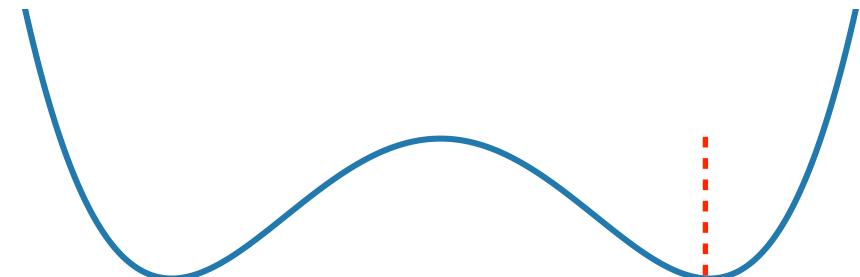
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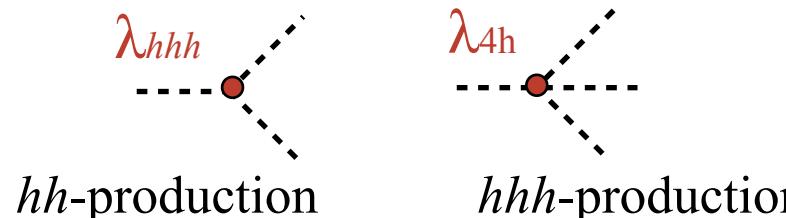
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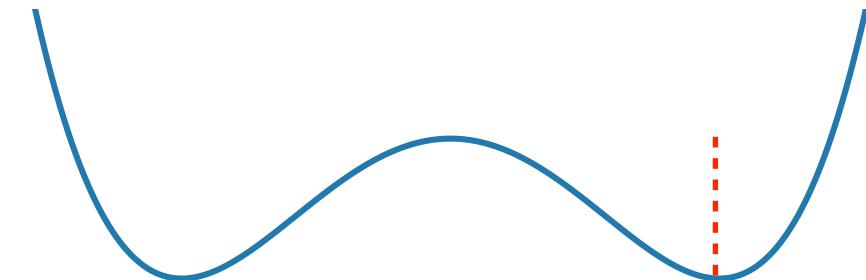
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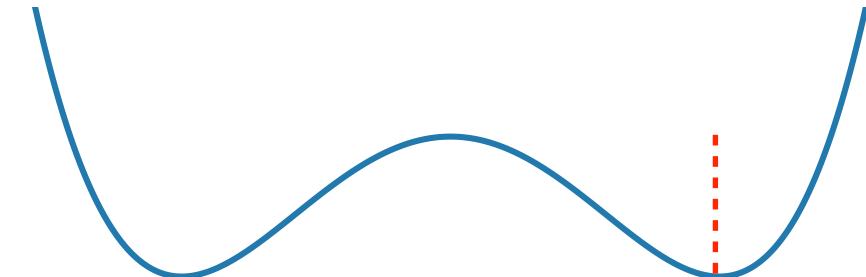
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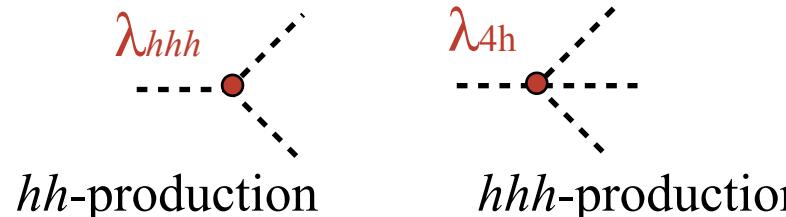
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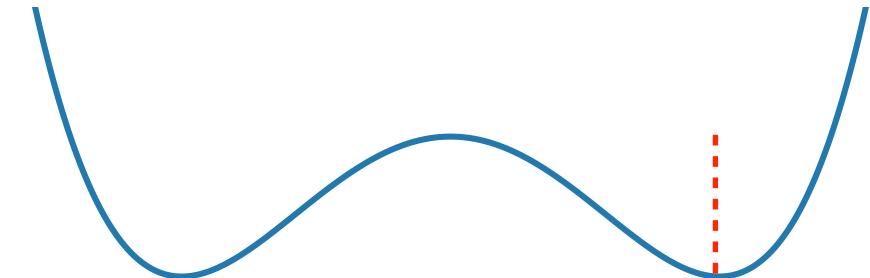
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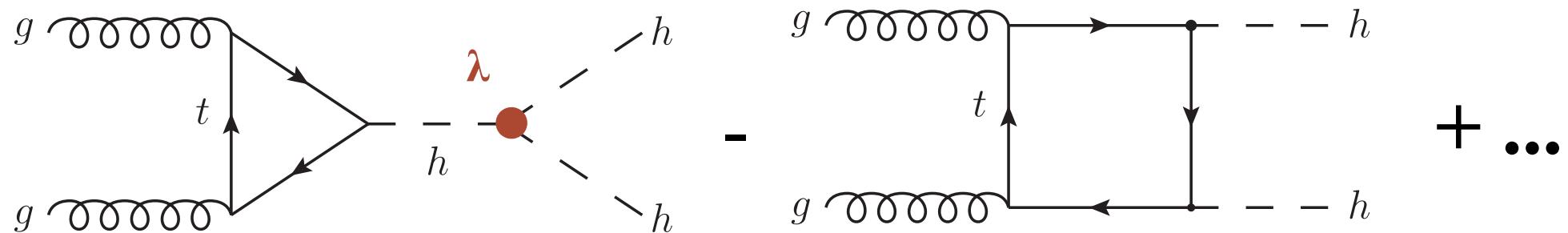
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SM hh Production at the LHC

Small in Standard Model

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- 2 heavy particles (fraction of proton energy needed larger)
- Two diagrams with relative minus sign

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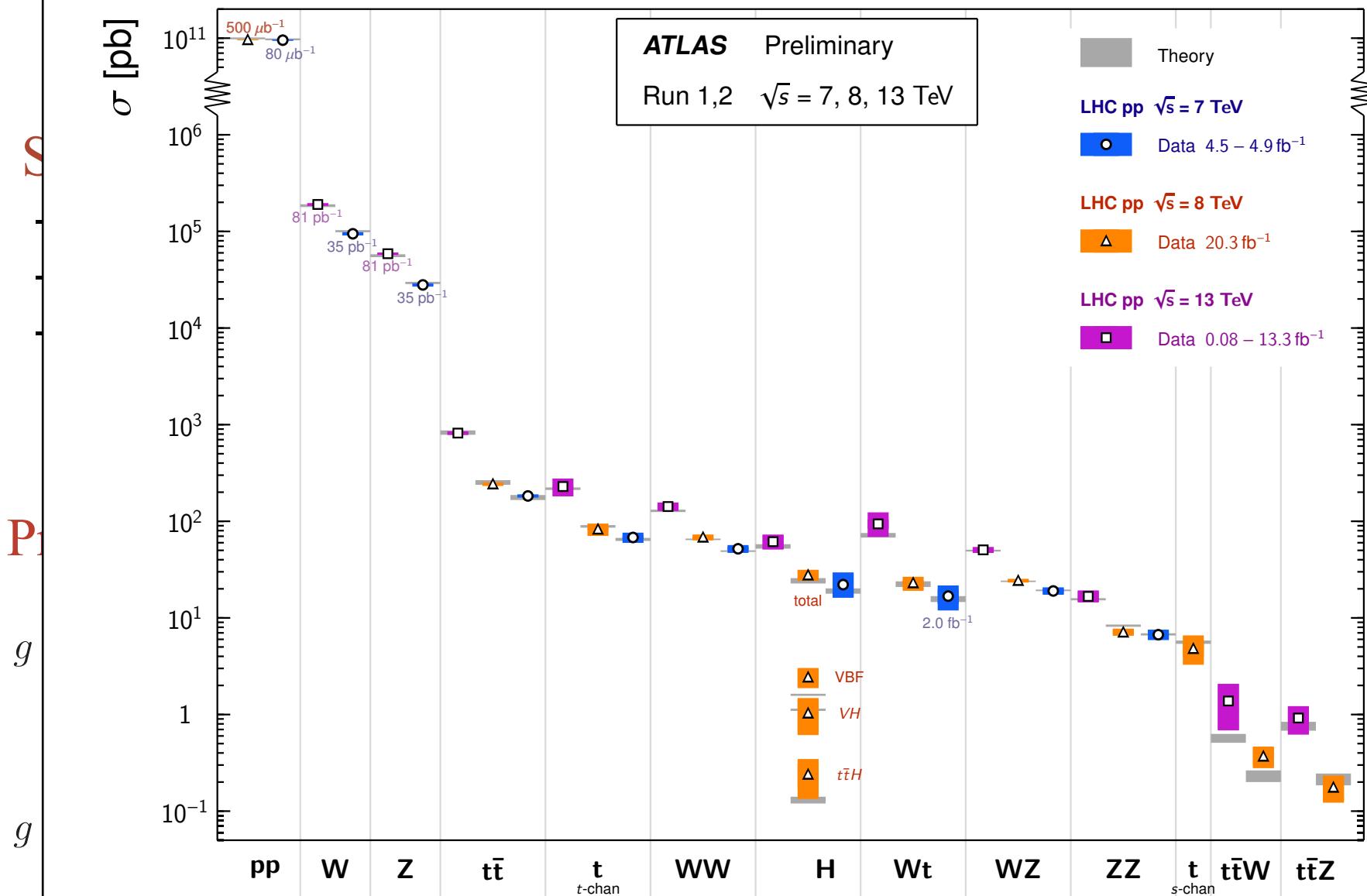
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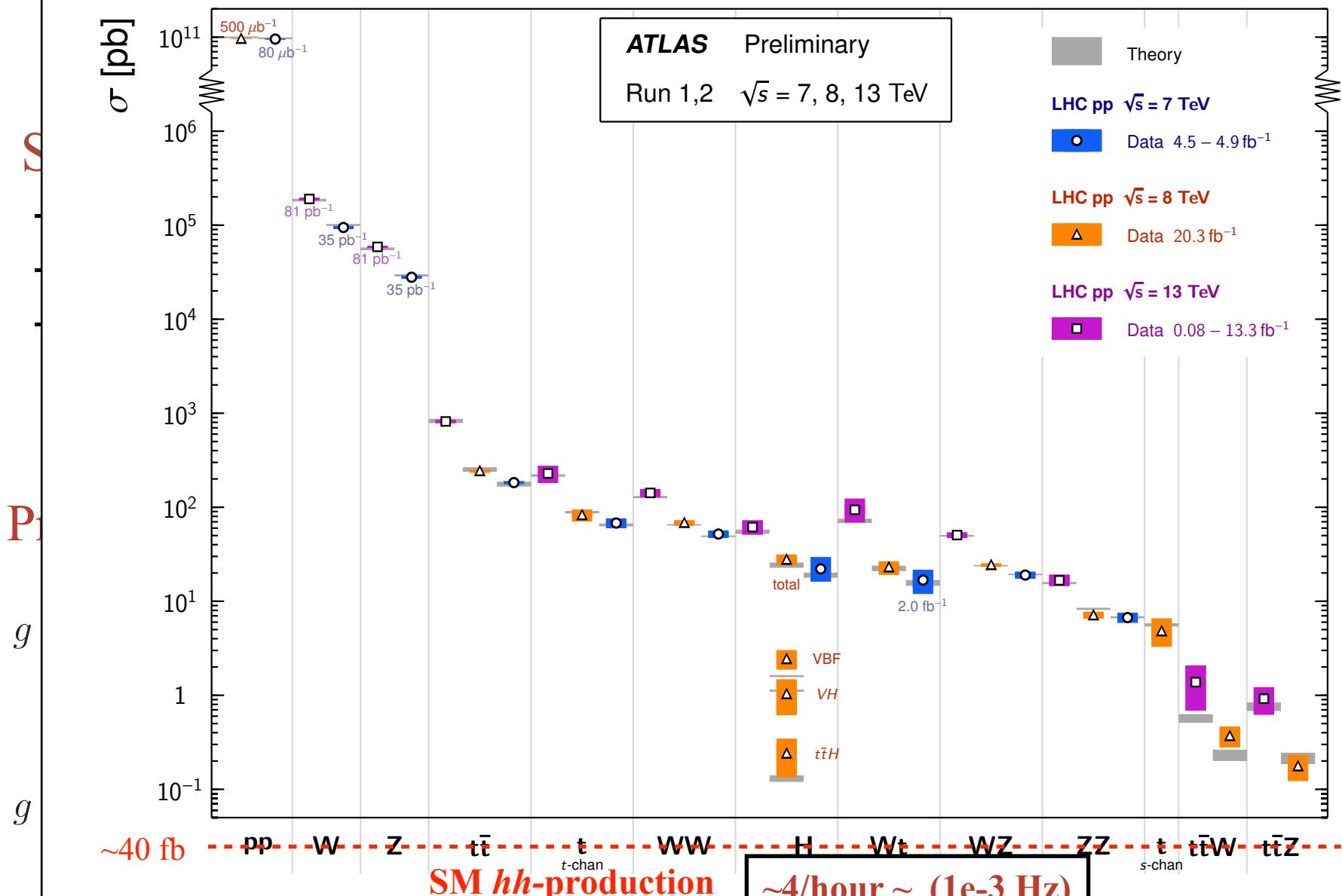
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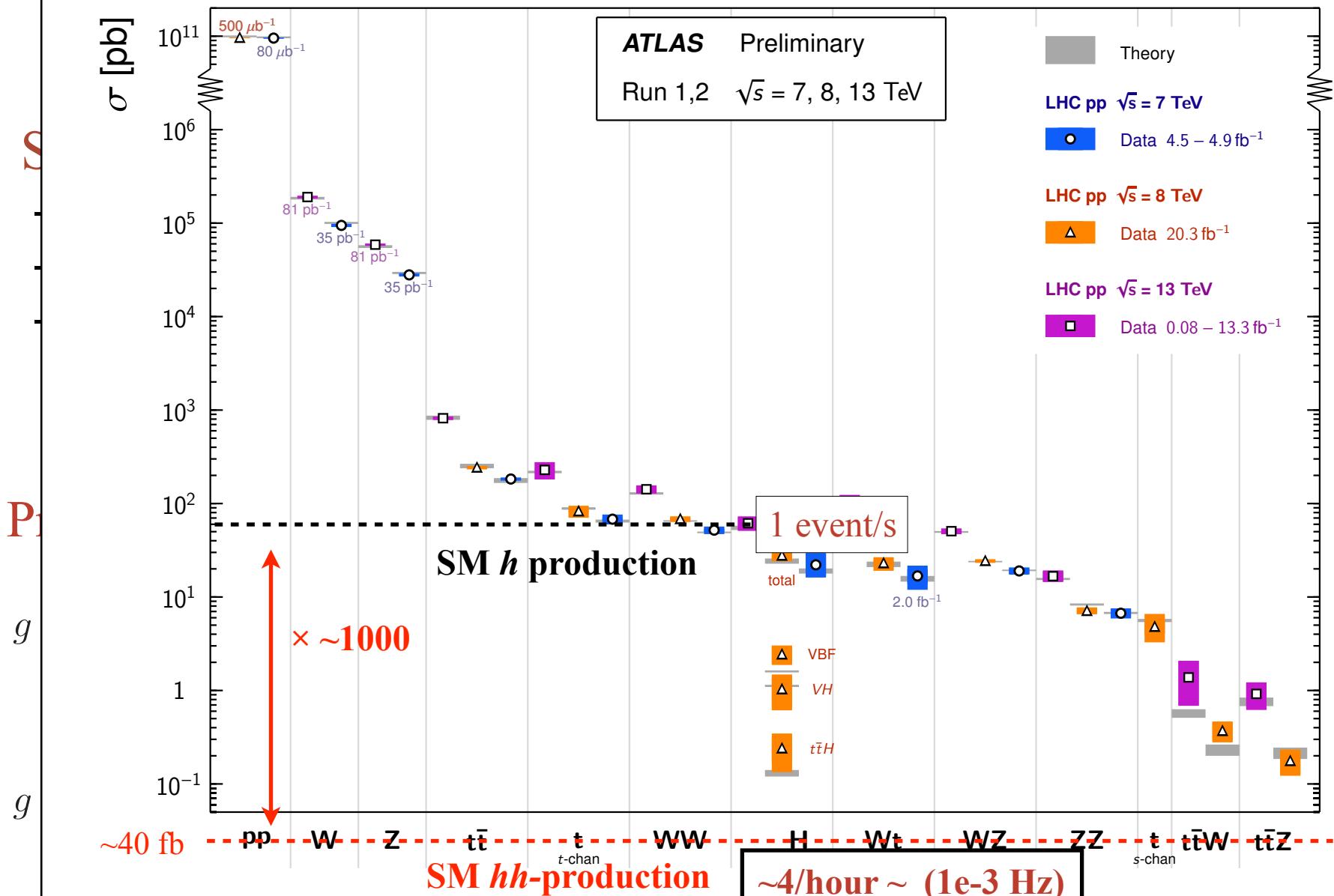
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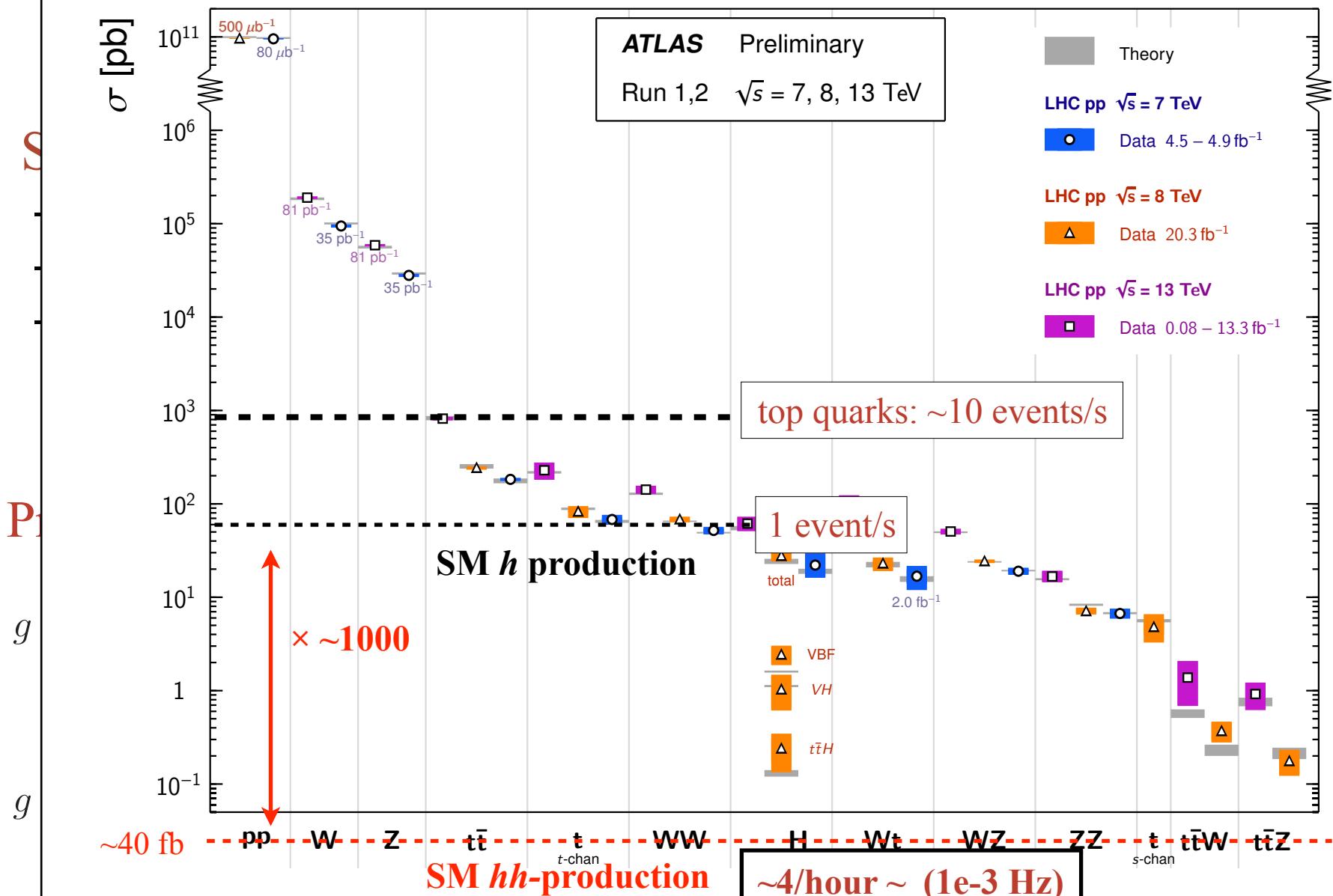
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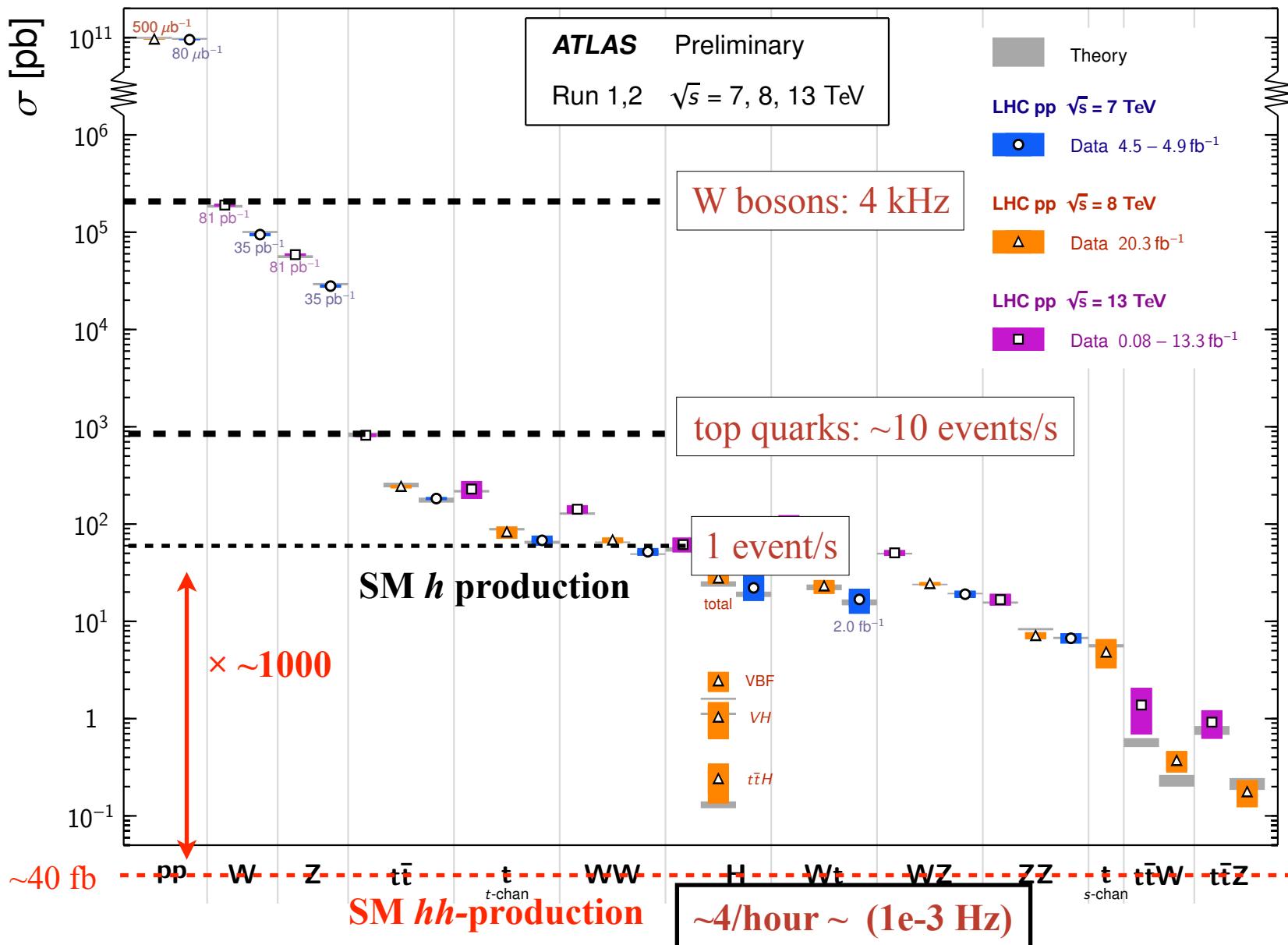
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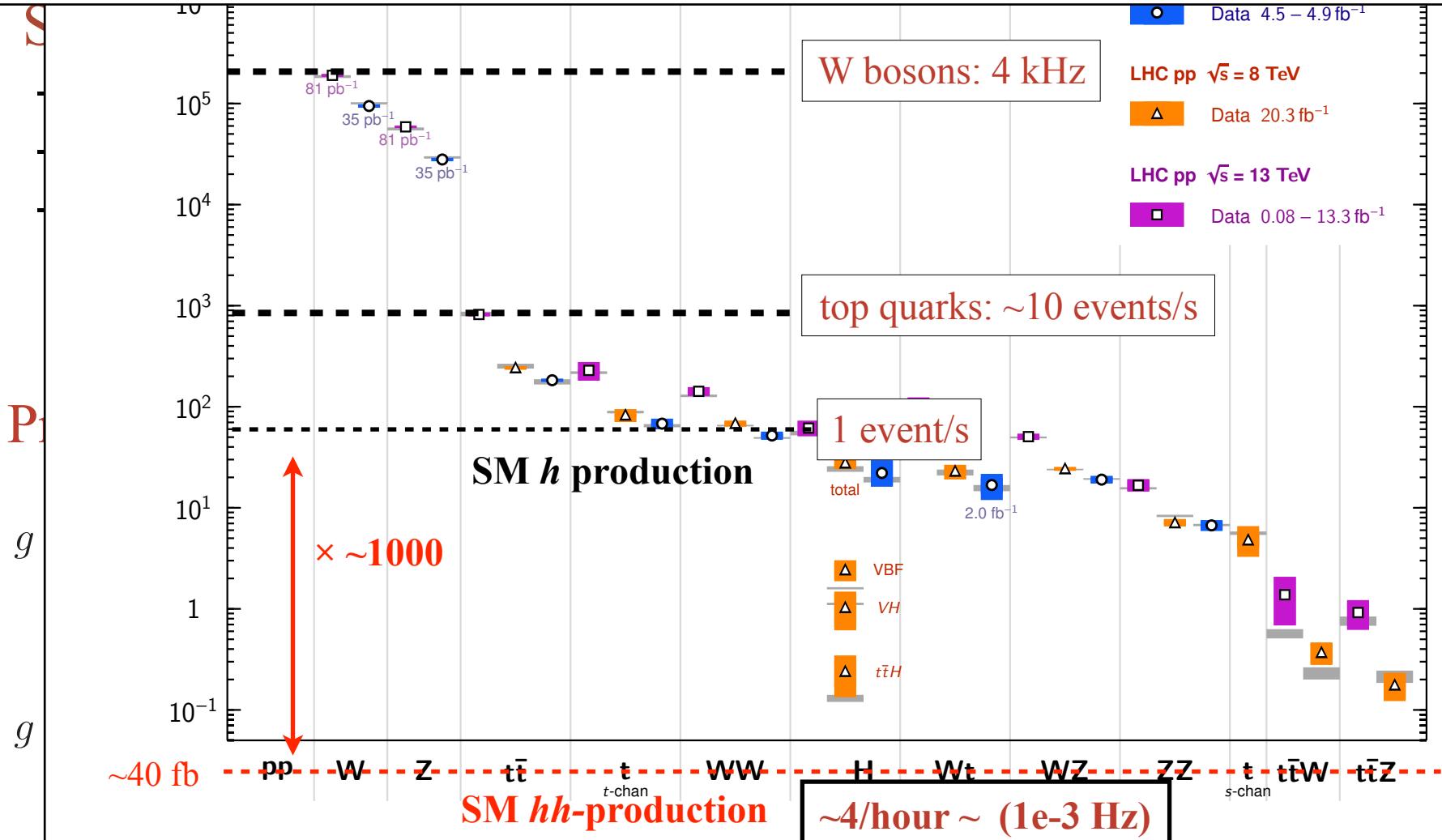
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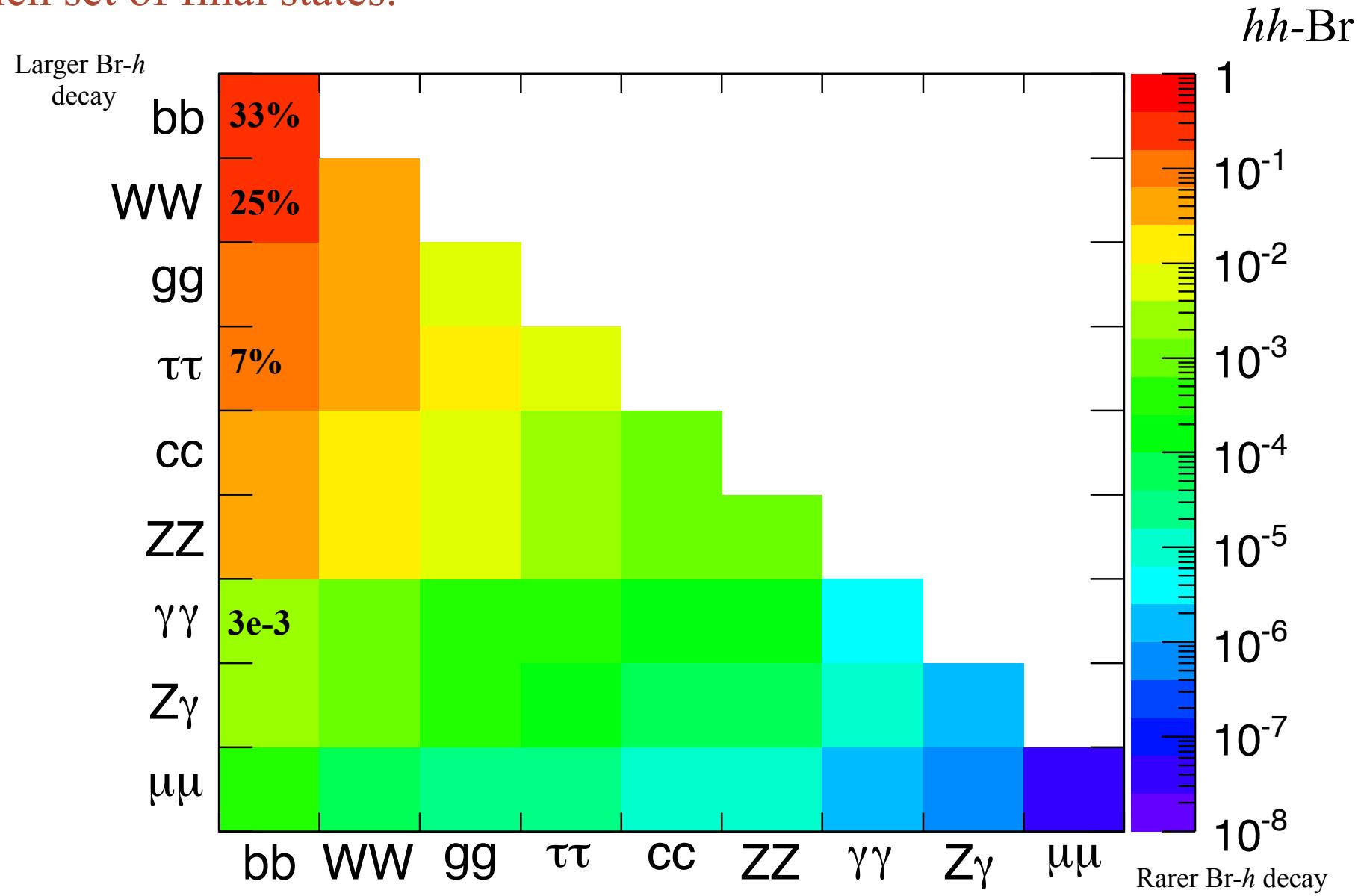
Theory

SM hh sensitivity interesting only w/full LHC dataset (*more on this later*)



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Higgs Decay Rates

