

Searches for Exotic New Physics at ATLAS and CMS

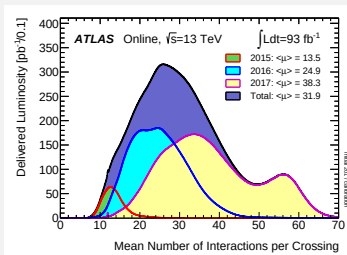
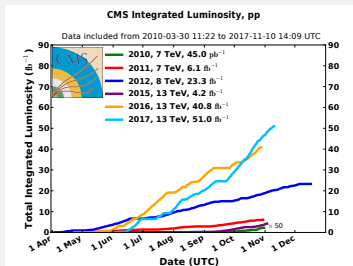
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Run 2 in 2016: Potential for Discovery



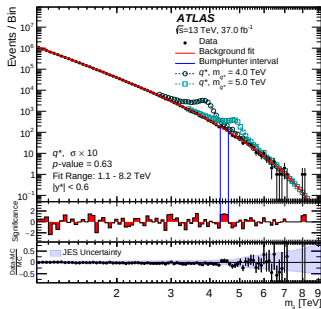
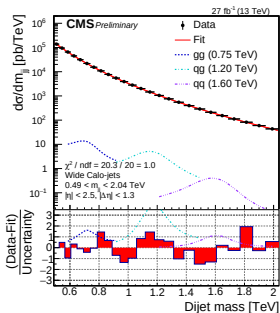
[CMS](#) and [ATLAS](#) have been hard at work exploiting this potential:

- **Over a hundred** search papers/notes with 2016 data
- Focus today on latest searches for **Exotica**
 - BSM Higgs covered on Monday by James Beacham
 - Dark Matter searches covered today by Henning Flächer
 - This talk: **heavy vectors, heavy fermions**, and other **high-scale new physics**

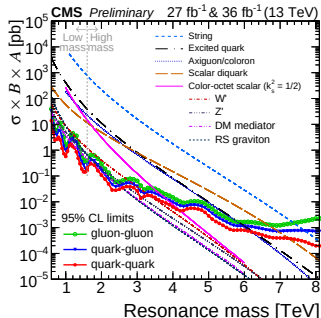
Searches for dijet resonances

- Motivated by simple W'/Z' SM extensions...
- Quark compositeness...
- Dark Matter mediators

Also a proving ground for new analysis techniques: Trigger Level Analyses and Data Parking/Scouting.



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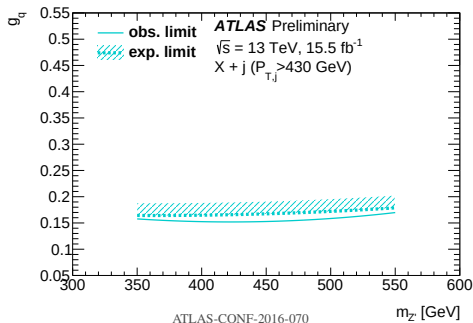
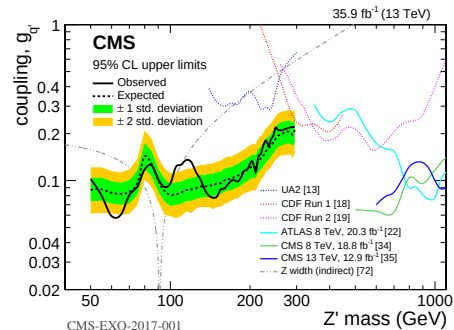
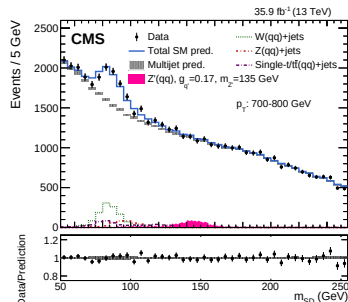
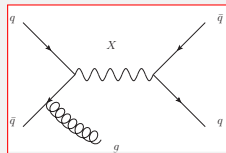


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Low-mass dijets

Creative searches at low-mass:

- ATLAS search with ISR γ /jet+dijet
- CMS search for boosted $j\bar{j}$ using substructure
- Extending low-mass limits from Tevatron and UA2

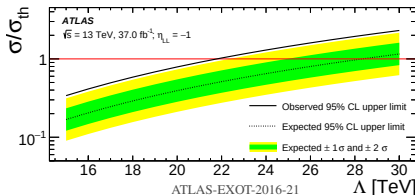
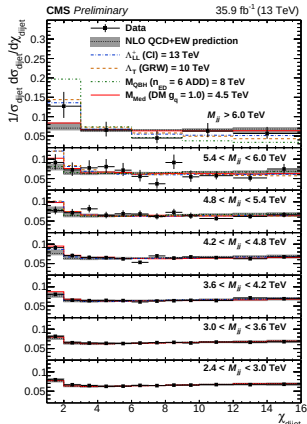
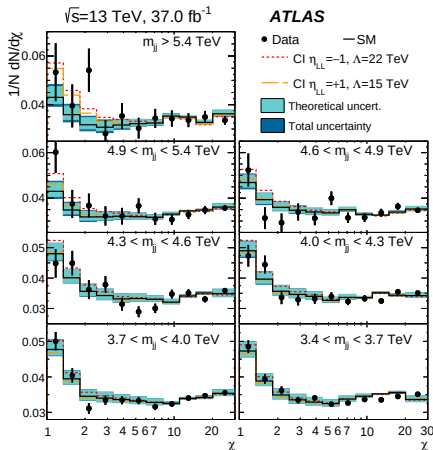


Dijet Angular Correlations

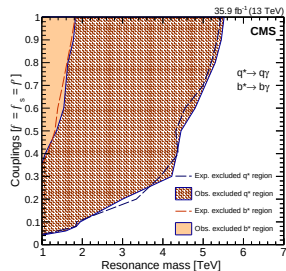
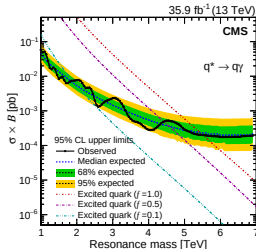
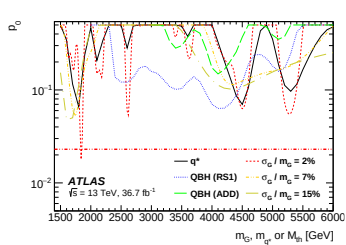
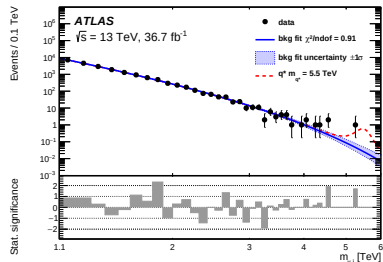
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Complementary information about structure of interactions:

- Look for small values of $\chi = e^{|y_1 - y_2|}$



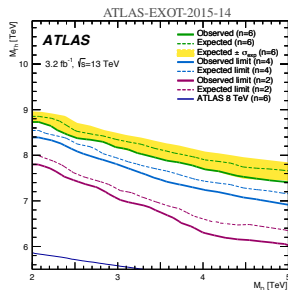
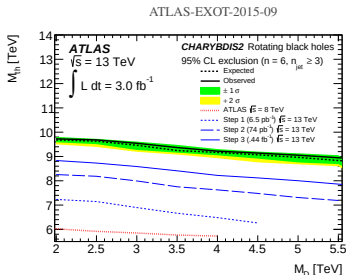
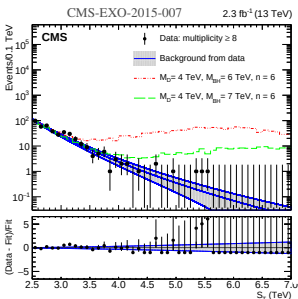
- γ -jet resonance searches sensitive to excited quarks
- Interpretation depends on couplings to SM particles
- b -tagging offers sensitivity to excited b^*



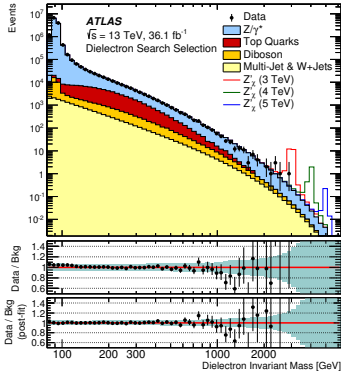
Black Holes at the LHC?

Not the end of the world as we know it.

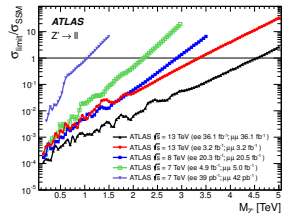
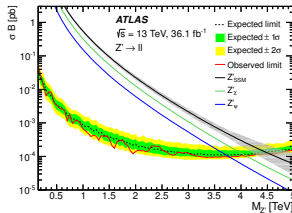
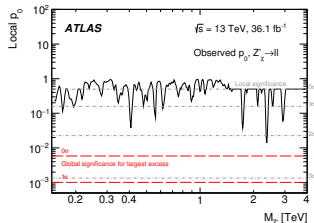
- High-multiplicity, isotropic production of high- p_T objects
 - Can be with or without leptons
- Interpretations in several black hole, stringball, TeV-scale gravity models

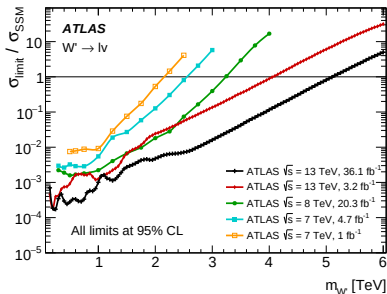
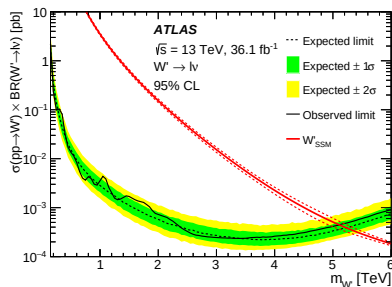
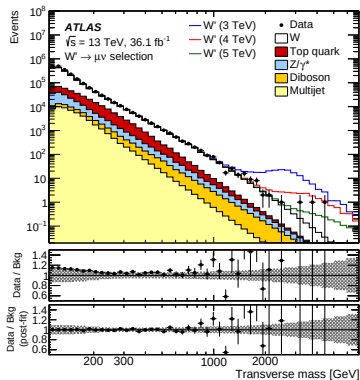


Limits from 2015 data still strong – unlikely to increase substantially at the LHC.



- $\mathcal{A} \times \varepsilon$ above 60%, resolution at 1% level for electrons
- Results available for varying widths, up to 32% of $M_{Z'}$.
- Excellent modeling for all data, up to 3 TeV!
- Constraints Z'_{SSM} can extend to $\sim 5 \text{ TeV}$ with 100 fb^{-1}
 - Collider Reach, no analysis improvements

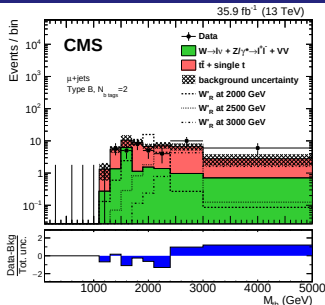




- Data up to $m_T > 4$ TeV
- Constraints at low-mass continue to improve
- Limits can extend to 5.6 TeV with 100 fb $^{-1}$

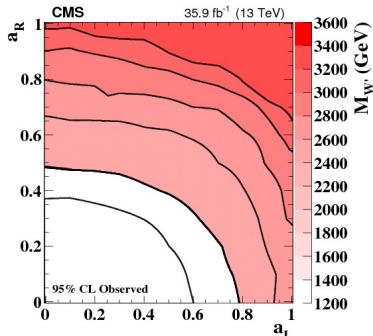
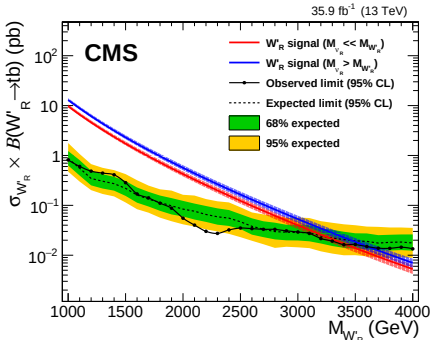
• Collider Reach, no analysis changes

$$W' \rightarrow tb$$



- Decays to third-generation quarks also tightly constrained
- tb resonance search sensitive to both left-handed (a_L) and right-handed (a_R) couplings
- Similar mass scales reached with $\tau\tau qq$ final states in [CMS-EXO-16-023](#)

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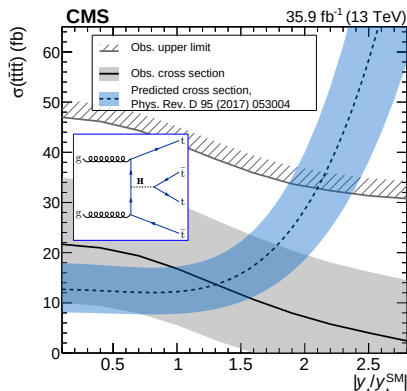
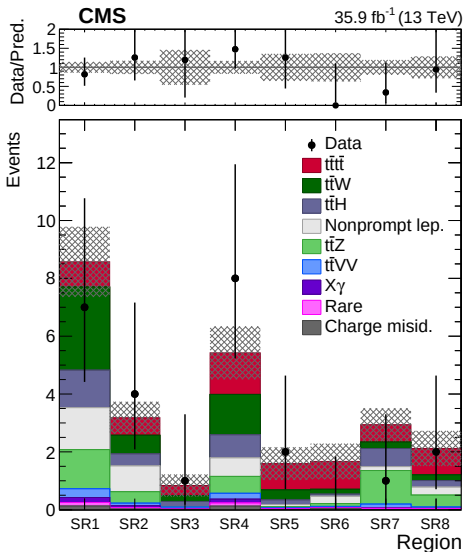


SM 4-top production

SM $t\bar{t}t\bar{t}$ production remains unobserved, could be enhanced in BSM models

- Multi-region search: bins in $N(\text{leptons})$, $N(b)$, $N(\text{jets})$

CMS-TOP-2017-009

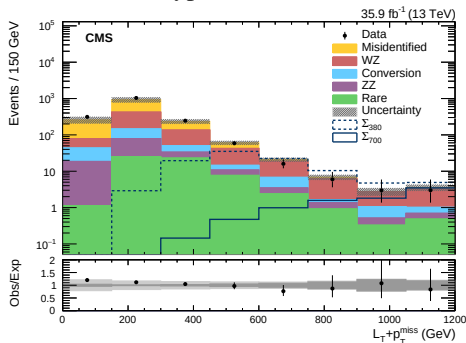


- SM Signal sensitivity: 1.6σ
- Interpreted as constraints on Higgs-top Yukawa

Type-III Seesaw

Similar to Type-I SS, but with new fermion triplet ($\Sigma^0, \Sigma^\pm$).

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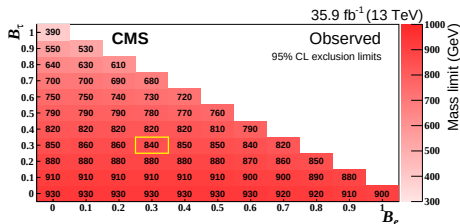
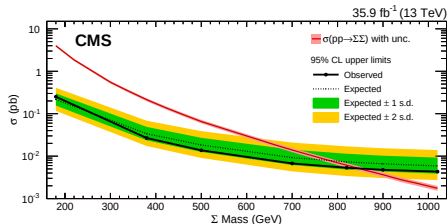


- $\Sigma^0 \Sigma^\pm, \Sigma^\pm \Sigma^\mp \rightarrow \geq 3 \ell^\pm$

- Discriminant is

$$\left(L_T = \sum_{\text{leptons}} p_T^{\text{lepton}} \right) + E_T^{\text{miss}}$$

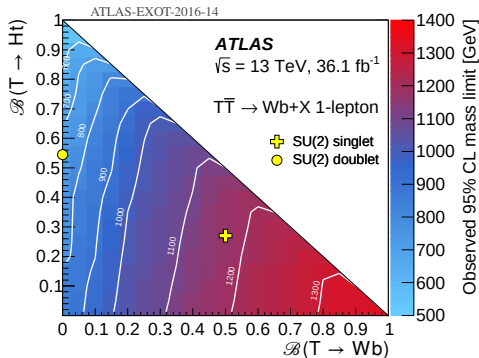
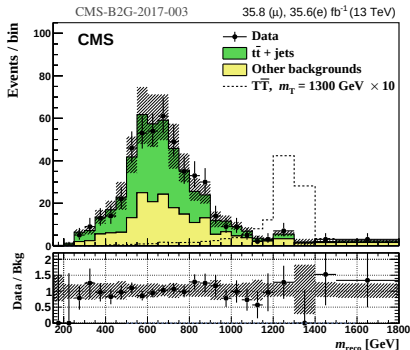
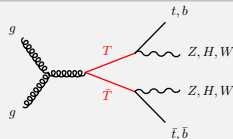
- Cover all flavors (e, μ, τ) of heavy neutrino Σ^0



Vector-Like Quarks

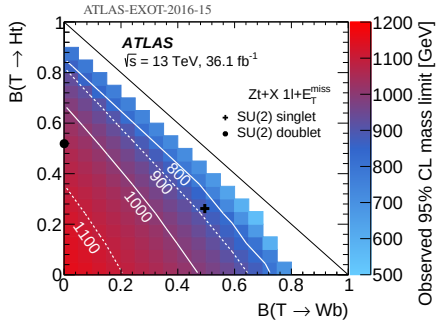
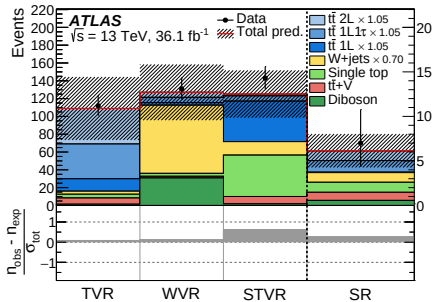
Fourth-generation quark searches

- Chiral 4th gen. excluded by Higgs
- Quarks with **vector-like** couplings can regulate Higgs mass in “natural” models



Limits pushing well above 1 TeV for most/all decay modes

Vector-Like Quarks: $T \rightarrow Zt$

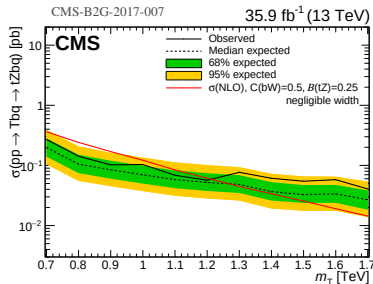
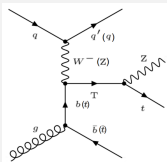


Strongest limits from pair-production:

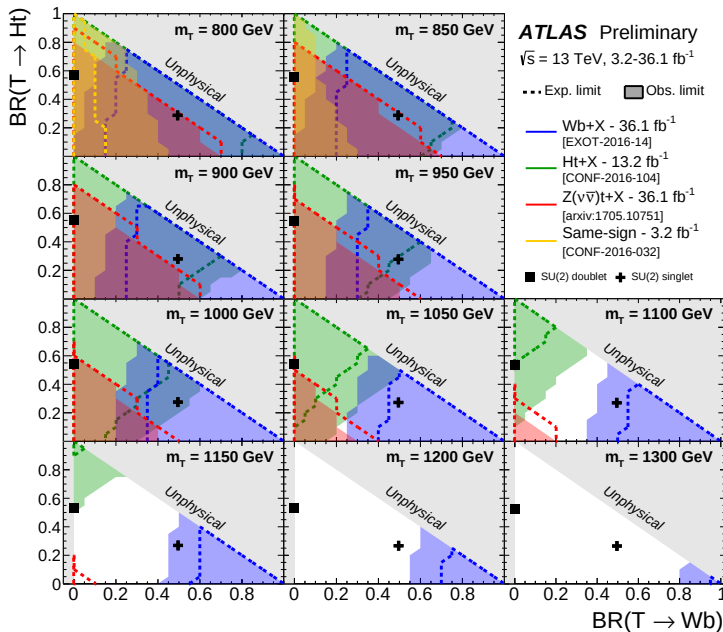
- **single-production** will eventually be most sensitive at high mass

- See also CMS $B \rightarrow Hb$:

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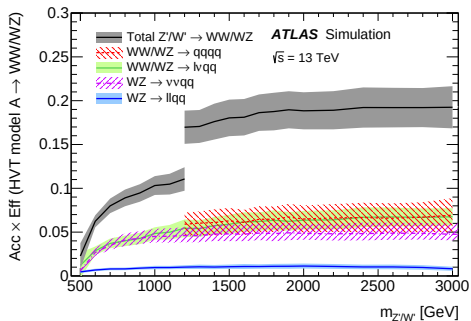
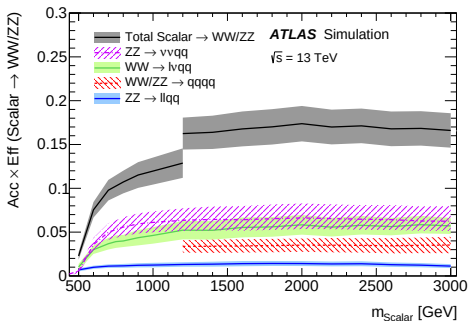


VLQ Summary



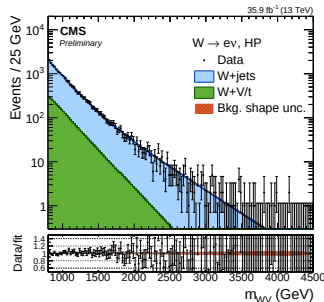
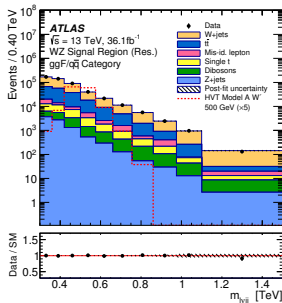
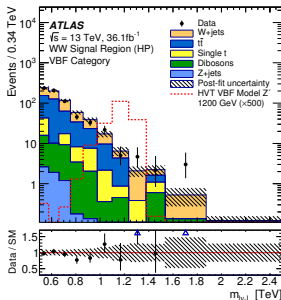
A rich program of $WW/WZ/ZZ$ resonance searches:

- **Spin-0** $S \rightarrow WW/ZZ$: Extended Higgs sectors, scalar singlet
- **Spin-1** $V' \rightarrow WZ/WW$: Heavy Vector Triplet, Composite Higgs
- **Spin-2** $G^* \rightarrow WW/ZZ$: Extra dimensions

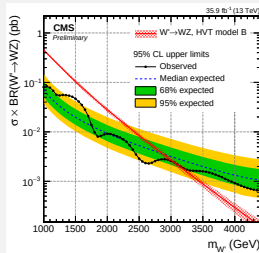
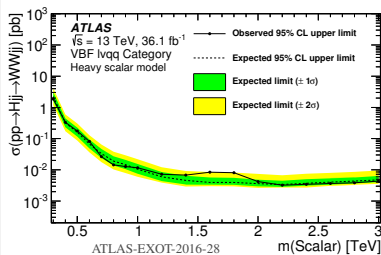


$$WW/WZ \rightarrow \ell\nu qq$$

Resolved analysis at low-mass and boosted boson tagging for high-mass:



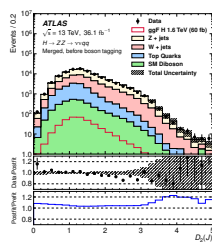
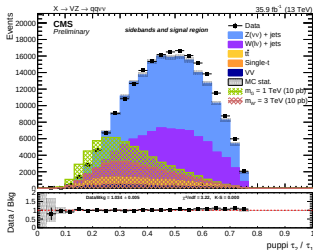
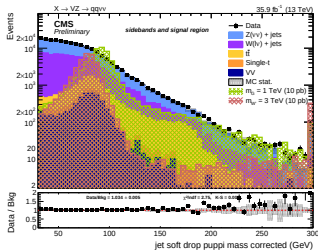
No excess: limits on both VBF and $q\bar{q}/gg$ production:



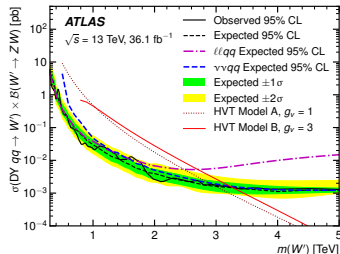
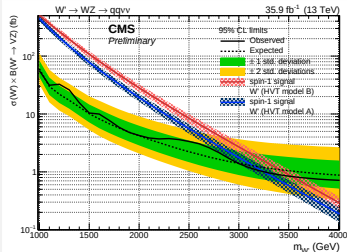
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$$ZW/ZZ \rightarrow \nu\nu qq/\ell\ell qq$$

Heavy use of substructure (puppi, D_2) to suppress Z +jets backgrounds



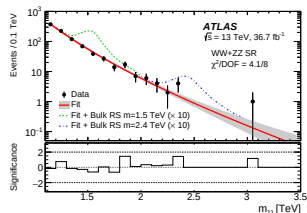
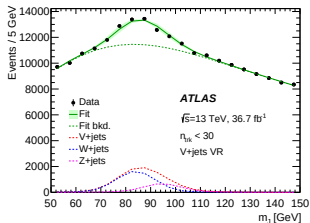
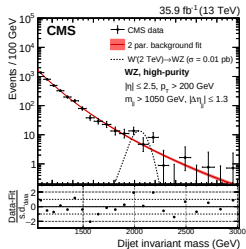
No excesses



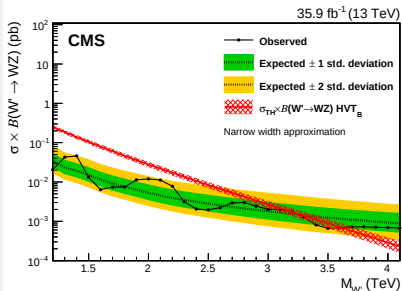
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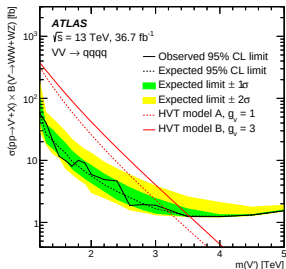
$VV \rightarrow q\bar{q}q\bar{q}$



No excesses, limits well above 3 TeV!

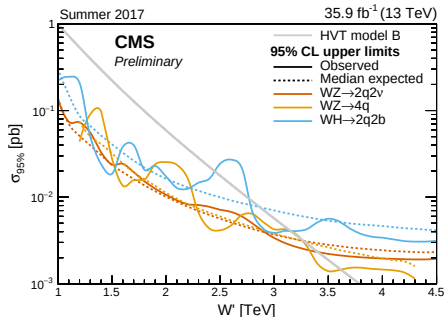
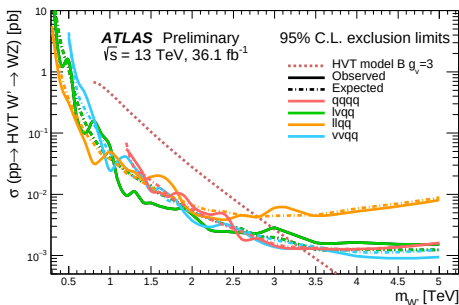


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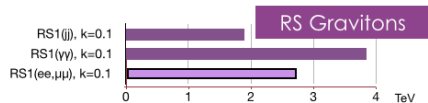
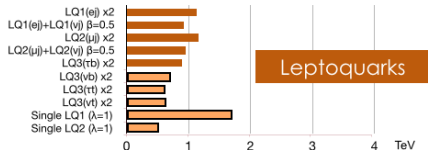
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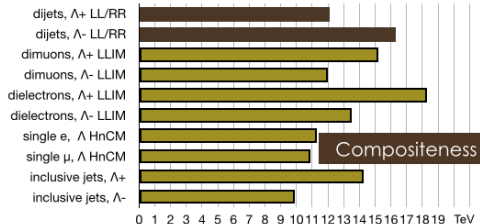
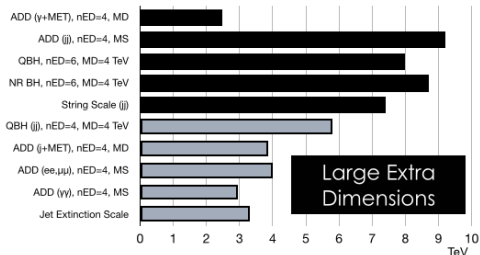
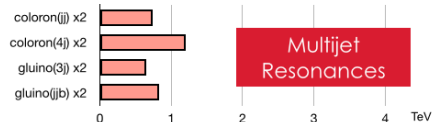
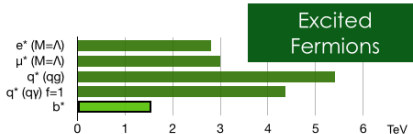
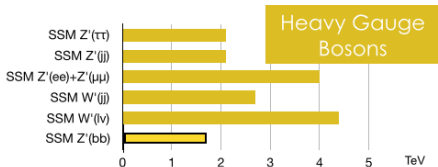
Significant gains in sensitivity with respect to Run 1 and early Run 2:

- Improved boson-tagging algorithms at high-mass
- Pushing to low-mass searches with resolved channels
- Both experiments have previous combinations at 8 and 13 TeV, expect more to come

13 TeV 8 TeV



CMS Preliminary



ATLAS Exotics Searches* - 95% CL Upper Exclusion Limits

Status: July 2017

ATLAS Preliminary

$$\int \mathcal{L} dt = (3.2 - 37.0) \text{ fb}^{-1}$$

$$\sqrt{s} = 8, 13 \text{ TeV}$$

Model	ℓ, γ	Jets [†]	E_T^{miss}	$\int \mathcal{L} dt [\text{fb}^{-1}]$	Limit	Reference
Extra dimensions	ADD $G_{KK} + g/q$	$0 e, \mu$	$1-4 \text{ j}$	Yes	36.1	M_0 7.75 TeV $n=2$
	ADD non-resonant $\gamma\gamma$	2γ	—	—	36.7	M_5 8.6 TeV $n=3$ HLZ NLO
	ADD QBH	—	2 j	—	37.0	M_{th} 8.9 TeV $n=6$
	ADD BH high Σp_T	$\geq 1 e, \mu$	$\geq 2 \text{ j}$	—	3.2	M_{th} 8.2 TeV $n=6, M_D=3 \text{ TeV}$, rot BH
	ADD BH multijet	—	$\geq 3 \text{ j}$	—	3.6	M_{th} 9.55 TeV $n=6, M_D=3 \text{ TeV}$, rot BH
	RS1 $G_{KK} \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$	2γ	—	—	36.7	$G_{KK} \text{ mass}$ 4.1 TeV $k/\bar{M}_{Pl} = 0.1$
	Bulk RS $G_{KK} \rightarrow WW \rightarrow qq\bar{v}$	$1 e, \mu$	1 j	Yes	36.1	$G_{KK} \text{ mass}$ 1.75 TeV $k/\bar{M}_{Pl} = 1.0$
	2UED / RPP	$1 e, \mu$	$\geq 2 b, \geq 3 \text{ j}$	Yes	13.2	$KK \text{ mass}$ 1.6 TeV Tier (1,1), $\mathcal{B}(A^{(1,1)} \rightarrow t\bar{t}) = 1$
	SSM $Z' \rightarrow \ell\ell$	$2 e, \mu$	—	—	36.1	$Z' \text{ mass}$ 4.5 TeV $f/m = 3\%$
	SSM $Z' \rightarrow \tau\tau$	2τ	—	—	36.1	$Z' \text{ mass}$ 2.4 TeV $g_V = 3$
Gauge bosons	Leptophobic $Z' \rightarrow b\bar{b}$	—	$2 b$	—	3.2	$Z' \text{ mass}$ 1.5 TeV $g_V = 3$
	Leptophobic $Z' \rightarrow t\bar{t}$	$1 e, \mu$	$\geq 1 b, \geq 1 \text{ j}/2 \text{ j}$	Yes	3.2	$Z' \text{ mass}$ 2.0 TeV $g_V = 3$
	SSM $W' \rightarrow \ell\nu$	$1 e, \mu$	—	—	36.1	$W' \text{ mass}$ 5.1 TeV $g_V = 3$
	HVT $V' \rightarrow WW \rightarrow qq\bar{q}q$ model B	$0 e, \mu$	2 j	—	36.7	$V' \text{ mass}$ 3.5 TeV $g_V = 3$
	HVT $V' \rightarrow WH/ZH$ model B	—	multi-channel	—	36.1	$V' \text{ mass}$ 2.93 TeV
	LRSM $W'_B \rightarrow t\bar{b}$	$1 e, \mu$	$2 b, 0-1 \text{ j}$	Yes	20.3	$W' \text{ mass}$ 1.92 TeV
	LRSM $W'_B \rightarrow t\bar{b}$	$0 e, \mu$	$\geq 1 b, 1 \text{ j}$	—	20.3	$W' \text{ mass}$ 1.76 TeV
	CI $q\bar{q}q\bar{q}$	—	2 j	—	37.0	A 21.8 TeV $\eta_{\text{LL}}^{\text{CI}}$
	CI $\ell\ell q\bar{q}$	$2 e, \mu$	—	—	36.1	A 40.1 TeV $\eta_{\text{LL}}^{\text{CI}}$
	CI $u\bar{u}t\bar{t}$	$2(\text{SS})/\geq 3 e, \mu$	$\geq 1 b, \geq 1 \text{ j}$	Yes	20.3	A 4.9 TeV $ C_{\text{QED}} = 1$
DM	Axial-vector mediator (Dirac DM)	$0 e, \mu$	$1-4 \text{ j}$	Yes	36.1	$\theta_{\text{had}}^{\text{DM}}$ 1.5 TeV $g_{\text{e}}=0.25, g_{\text{p}}=1.0, m(\chi) < 400 \text{ GeV}$
	Vector mediator (Dirac DM)	$0 e, \mu, 1 \gamma$	$\leq 1 \text{ j}$	Yes	36.1	$\theta_{\text{had}}^{\text{DM}}$ 1.2 TeV $g_{\text{e}}=0.25, g_{\text{p}}=1.0, m(\chi) < 480 \text{ GeV}$
	$VV\chi\chi$ EFT (Dirac DM)	$0 e, \mu$	$1 \text{ j}, \leq 1 \text{ j}$	Yes	3.2	M_{e} 700 GeV $m(\chi) < 150 \text{ GeV}$
LQ	Scalar LQ 1 st gen	$2 e$	$\geq 2 \text{ j}$	—	3.2	LQ mass 1.1 TeV $\beta = 1$
	Scalar LQ 2 nd gen	2μ	$\geq 2 \text{ j}$	—	3.2	LQ mass 1.05 TeV $\beta = 1$
	Scalar LQ 3 rd gen	$1 e, \mu$	$\geq 1 b, \geq 3 \text{ j}$	Yes	20.3	LQ mass 640 GeV $\beta = 0$
Heavy quarks	VLO $TT \rightarrow Ht + X$	0 or $1 e, \mu$	$\geq 2 b, \geq 3 \text{ j}$	Yes	13.2	T mass 1.2 TeV $\mathcal{B}(T \rightarrow Ht) = 1$
	VLO $TT \rightarrow Zt + X$	$1 e, \mu$	$\geq 1 b, \geq 3 \text{ j}$	Yes	36.1	T mass 1.16 TeV $\mathcal{B}(T \rightarrow Zt) = 1$
	VLO $TT \rightarrow Wb + X$	$1 e, \mu$	$\geq 1 b, \geq 1 \text{ j}/2 \text{ j}$	Yes	36.1	T mass 1.35 TeV $\mathcal{B}(T \rightarrow Wb) = 1$
	VLO $BB \rightarrow Hb + X$	$1 e, \mu$	$\geq 2 b, \geq 3 \text{ j}$	Yes	20.3	B mass 700 GeV $\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow Hb) = 1$
	VLO $BB \rightarrow Zb + X$	$2/\geq 3 e, \mu$	$\geq 2/\geq 1 b$	—	20.3	B mass 790 GeV $\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow Zb) = 1$
	VLO $BB \rightarrow Wt + X$	$1 e, \mu$	$\geq 1 b, \geq 1 \text{ j}/2 \text{ j}$	Yes	36.1	B mass 1.25 TeV $\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow Wt) = 1$
	VLO $QQ \rightarrow WqWq$	$1 e, \mu$	$\geq 4 \text{ j}$	Yes	20.3	Q mass 690 GeV
	Excited quark $q^* \rightarrow qg$	—	2 j	—	37.0	$q^* \text{ mass}$ 6.0 TeV only u^* and d^* , $\Lambda = m(q^*)$
	Excited quark $q^* \rightarrow q\gamma$	1γ	1 j	—	36.7	$q^* \text{ mass}$ 5.3 TeV only u^* and d^* , $\Lambda = m(q^*)$
	Excited quark $b^* \rightarrow b\bar{g}$	—	$1 b, 1 \text{ j}$	—	13.3	$b^* \text{ mass}$ 2.3 TeV
Excited fermions	Excited quark $b^* \rightarrow Wt$	1 or $2 e, \mu$	$1 b, 2-0 \text{ j}$	Yes	20.3	$b^* \text{ mass}$ 1.5 TeV $f_{\text{e}} = f_{\text{b}} = f_{\text{t}} = 1$
	Excited lepton ℓ^*	$3 e, \mu$	—	—	20.3	$\ell^* \text{ mass}$ 3.0 TeV $\Lambda = 3.0 \text{ TeV}$
	Excited lepton ν^*	$3 e, \mu, \tau$	—	—	20.3	$\nu^* \text{ mass}$ 1.6 TeV $\Lambda = 1.6 \text{ TeV}$
	LRSM Majorana ν	$2 e, \mu$	2 j	—	20.3	N^{LRSM} mass 2.0 TeV $m(W_{\text{B}}) = 2.4 \text{ TeV}$, no mixing
	Higgs triplet $H^{++} \rightarrow \ell\ell$	$2, 3, 4 e, \mu$ (SS)	—	—	36.1	$H^{++} \text{ mass}$ 870 GeV DY production
	Higgs triplet $H^{++} \rightarrow \ell\tau$	$3 e, \mu, \tau$	—	—	20.3	$H^{++} \text{ mass}$ 400 GeV DY production, $\mathcal{B}(H_{\text{e}}^{++} \rightarrow \ell\tau) = 1$
	Monotop (non-res prod)	$1 e, \mu$	$1 b$	Yes	20.3	spin-1 invisible particle mass 657 GeV $\alpha_{\text{loss}} = \alpha = 0.2$
	Multi-charged particles	—	—	—	20.3	multi-charged particle mass 785 GeV DY production, $ g = 5e$
	Magnetic monopoles	—	—	—	7.0	monopole mass 1.34 TeV DY production, $ g = 1g_D$, spin 1/2
Other						

*Only a selection of the available mass limits on new states or phenomena is shown.

[†]Small-radius (large-radius) jets are denoted by the letter j (J).

Mass scale [TeV]

Run 2 Search Program at Full Speed

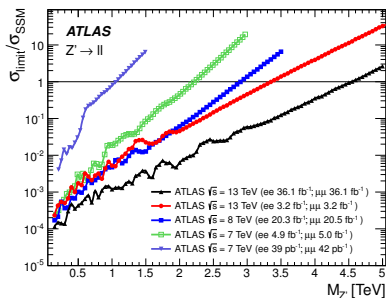
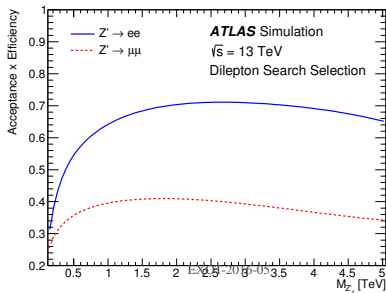
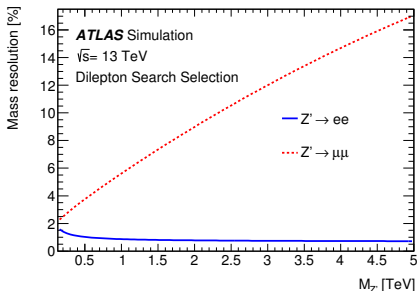
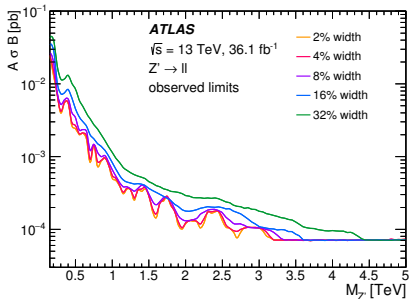
- Exotic searches for **new resonances** continue their drive to **multi-TeV** mass scales

With $\gtrsim 70 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ available for 2016+2017 analyses, many more updates to come in months ahead, with ever-increasing emphasis on:

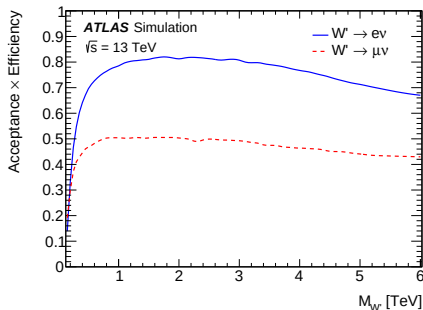
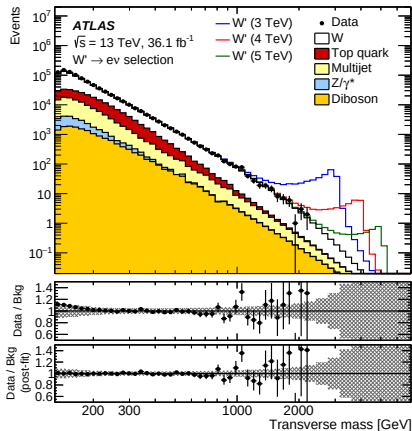
- Revisiting **low-mass** and other neglected parameter space
- Combinations (where appropriate)
- Lower-cross-section processes

Bonus Slides

Dilepton Auxiliary



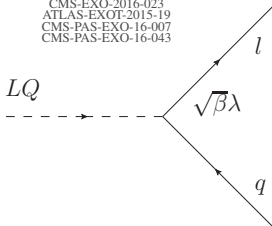
$W' \rightarrow \ell\nu$ Auxiliary



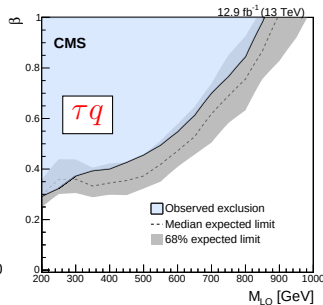
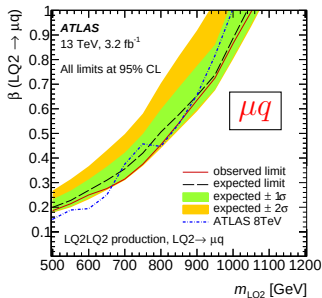
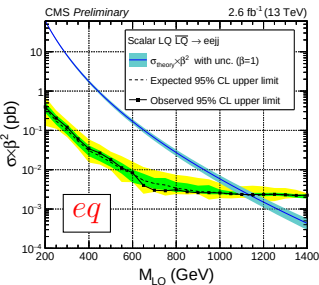
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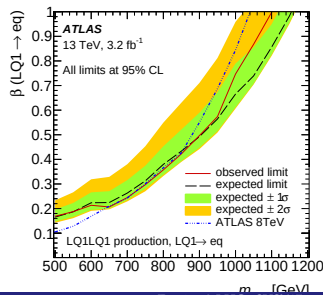
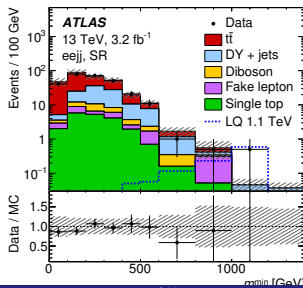
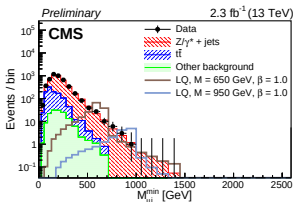
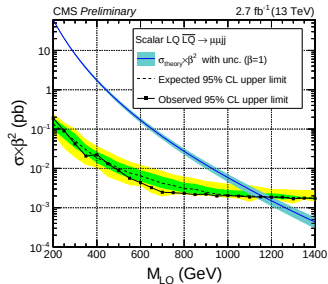
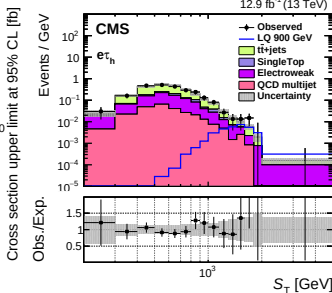
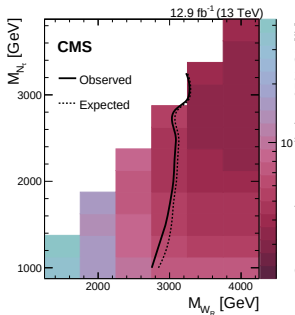
- Searches for pair-produced 1st, 2nd, 3rd gen. **scalar leptoquarks**
- Dominant backgrounds from Z +jets (eq and μq) or $t\bar{t}(\tau q)$



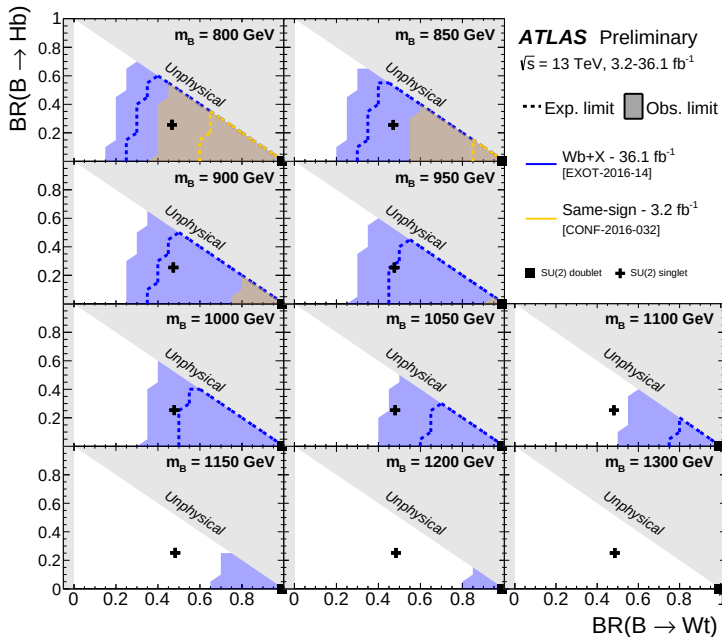
- No significant excesses observed in 2–13 fb⁻¹
- Results in terms of $\beta = \text{BR}(LQ \rightarrow \ell q)$

Leptoquarks

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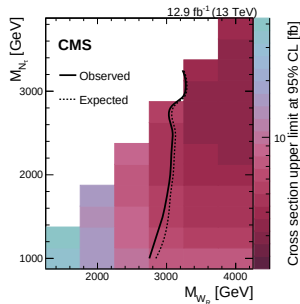
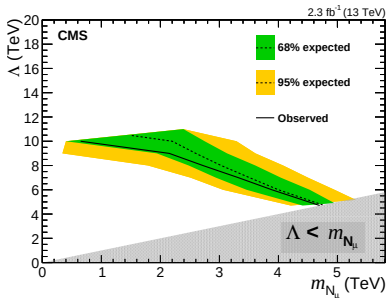
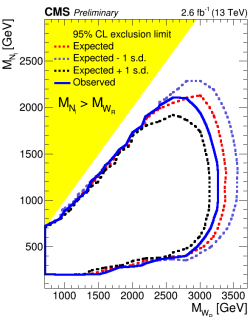
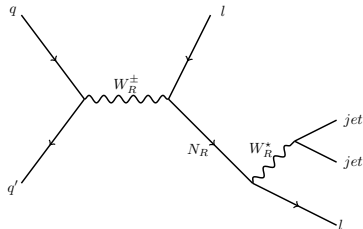
VLQ Summary



Heavy Neutrinos

Similar signatures in **Type-I Seesaw**, **LRSM**, and **composite lepton** models

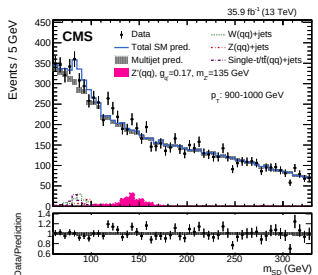
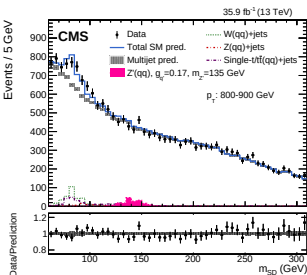
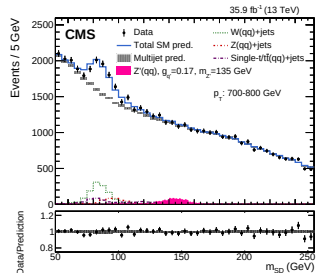
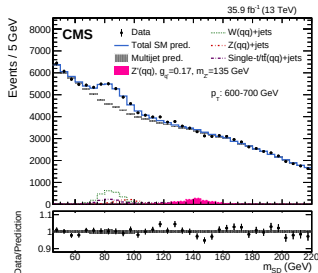
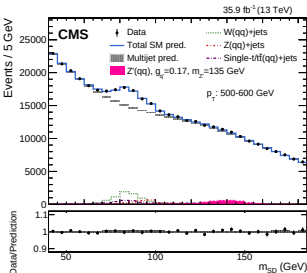
- Heavy ν_R “balance” light SM ν
- Seesaw/LRSM models also have W_R
- Signature: $\ell^+ \ell^- jj$



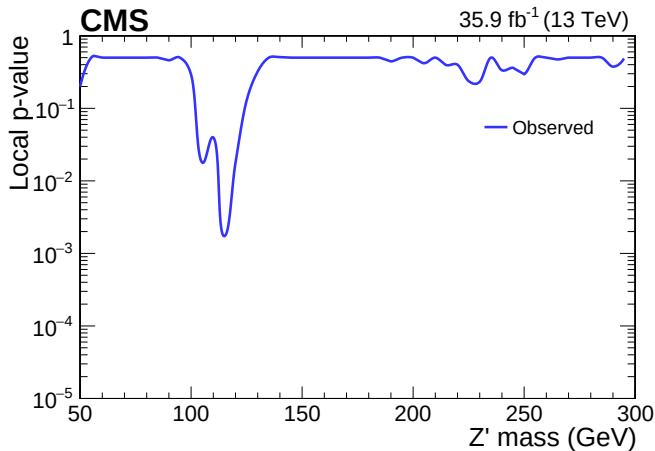
Constraints on heavy ν masses/interactions to >3 TeV

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Low-mass dijets



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Max significance at 115 GeV: 2.9σ local, 2.2σ global.