

W' searches at Colliders: Results & Prospects

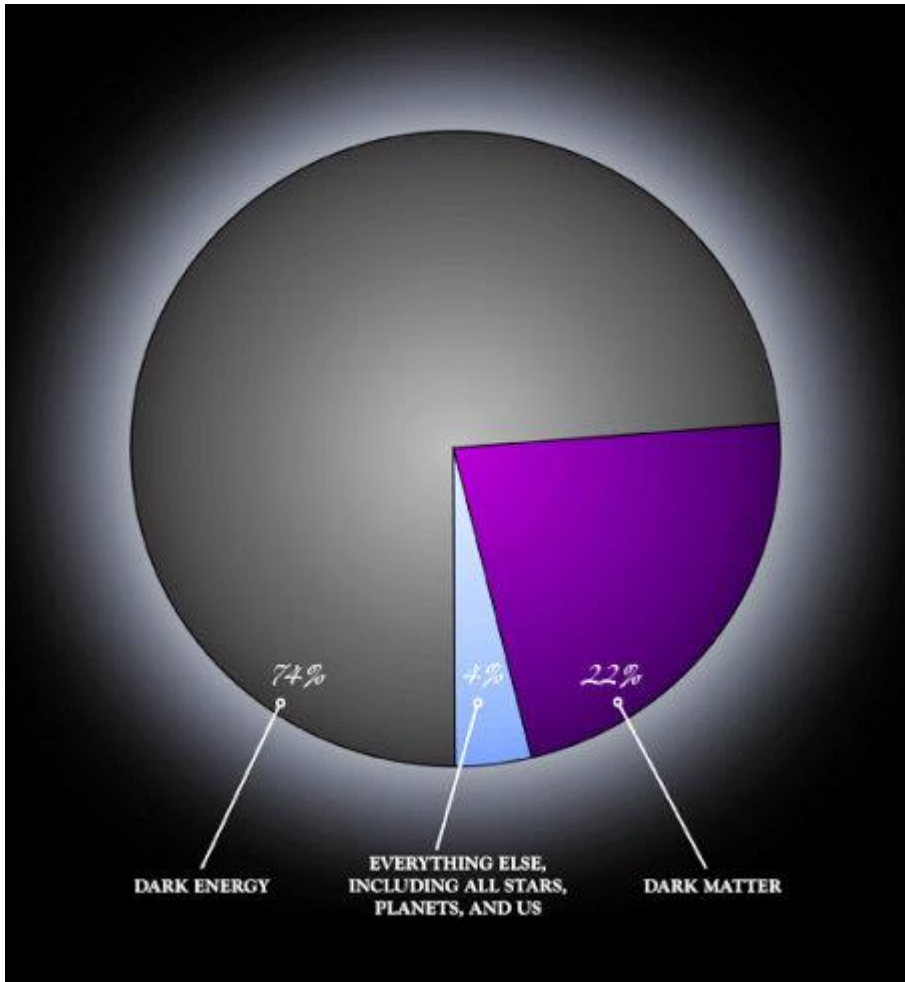


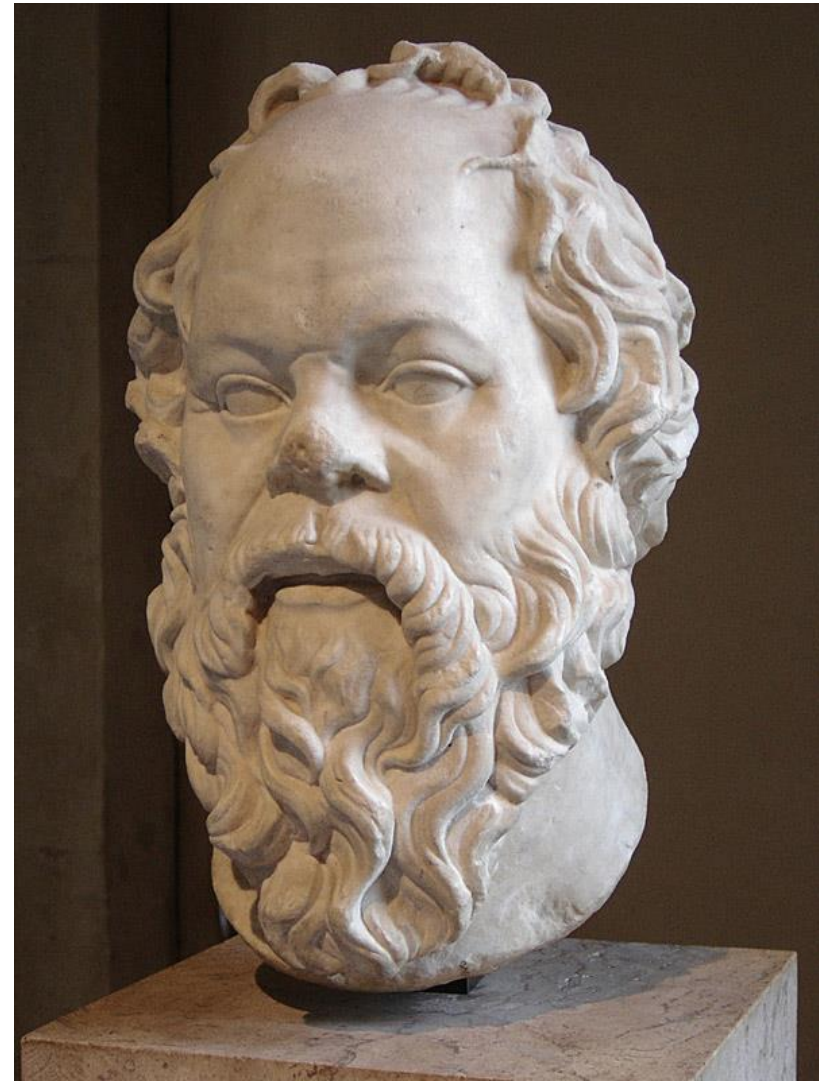
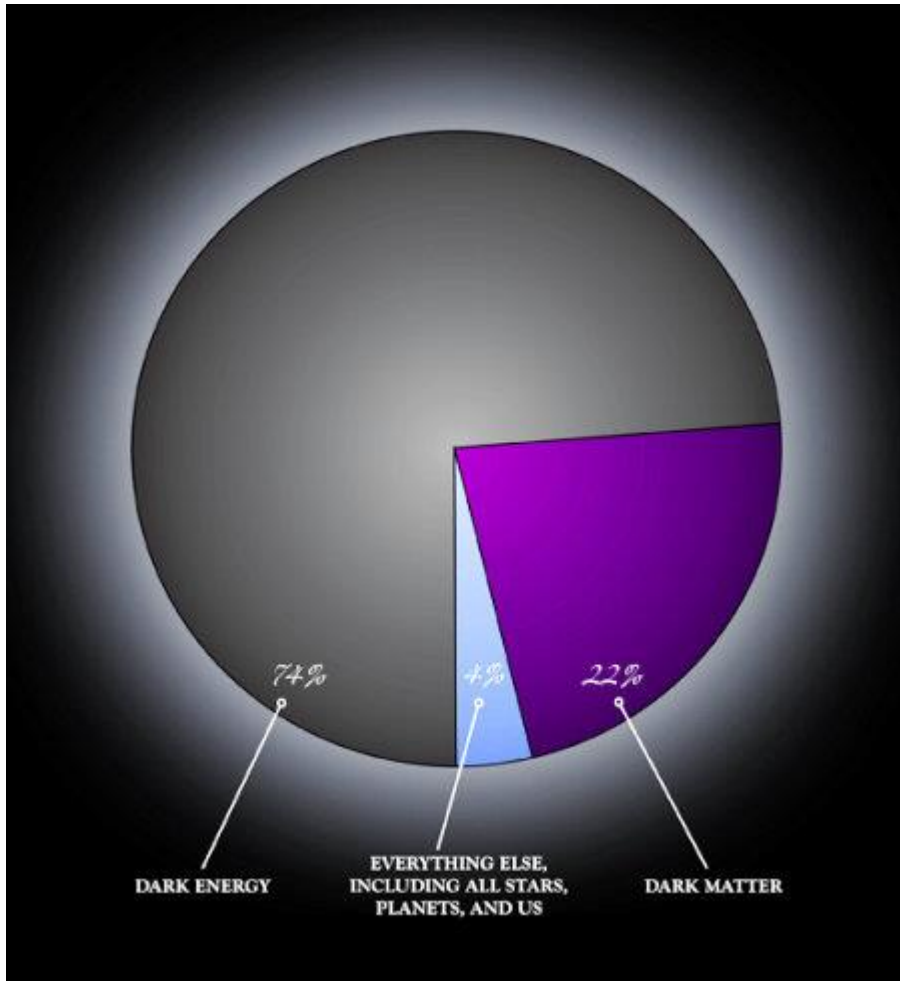
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“I know nothing except the fact of my ignorance”

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Experimentalists should follow ~~agnostic~~ **holistic approach**

- Go beyond SSM limits, ie. provide limits on cross section \times branching fractions
- **Direct searches: allow for the unexpected to be discovered**
- **Consider as many final states as possible**

W' : experimental signatures

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- Large W' mass opens up new channels
- Channels that are favored/suppressed: model-dependent



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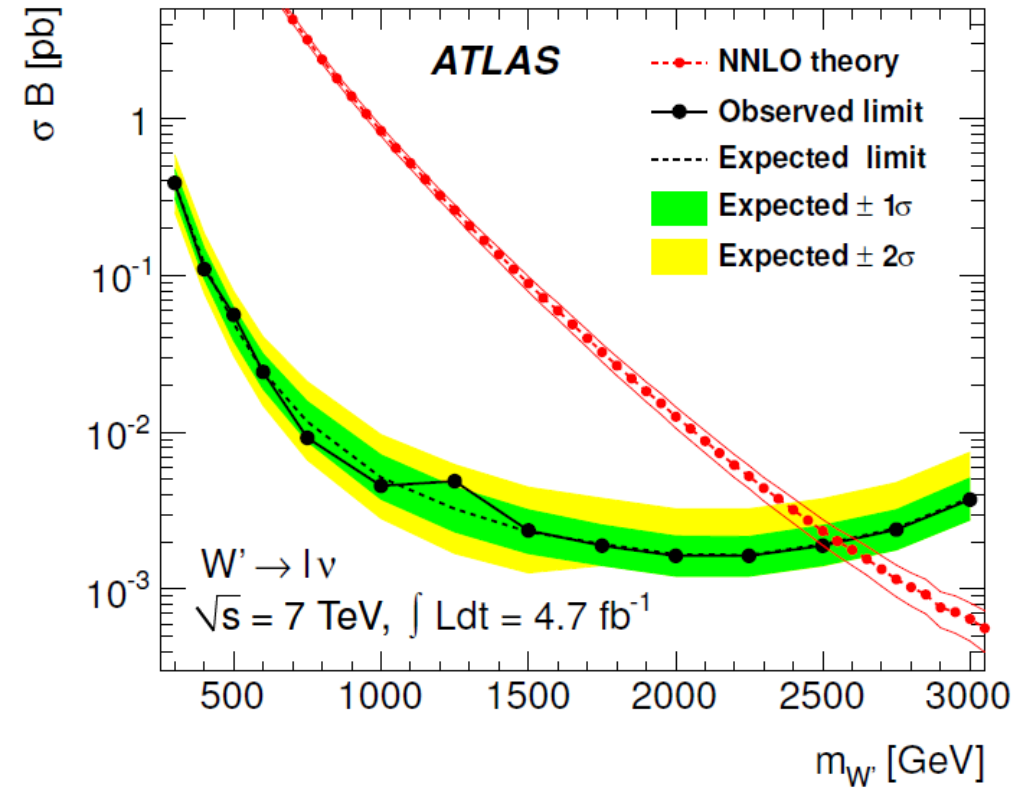
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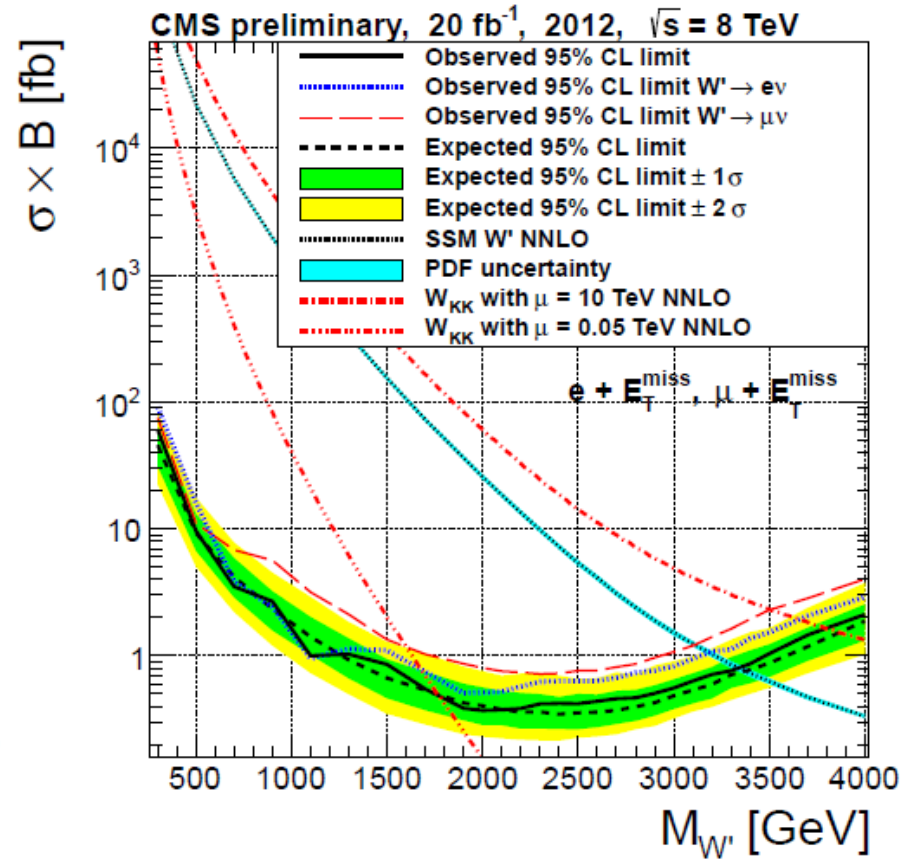
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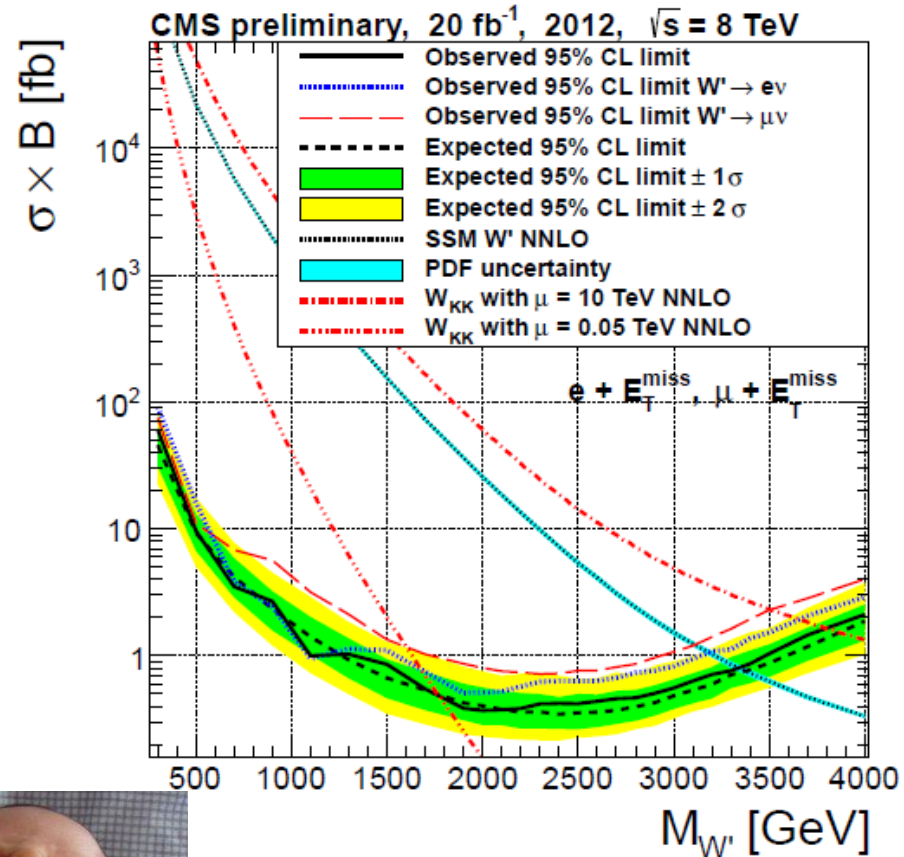
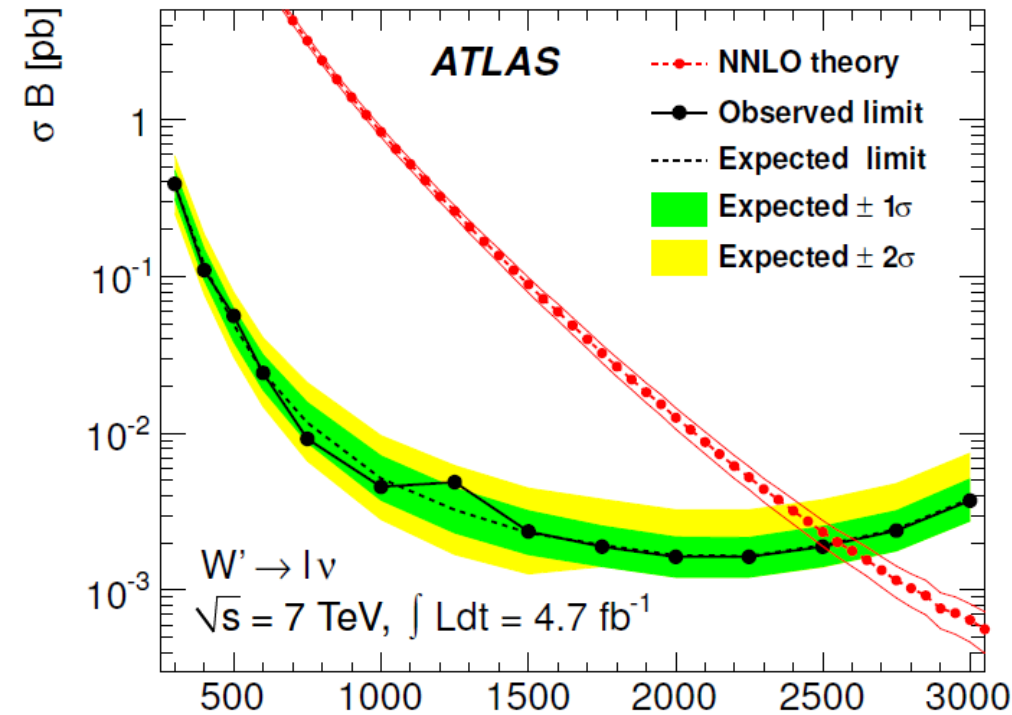


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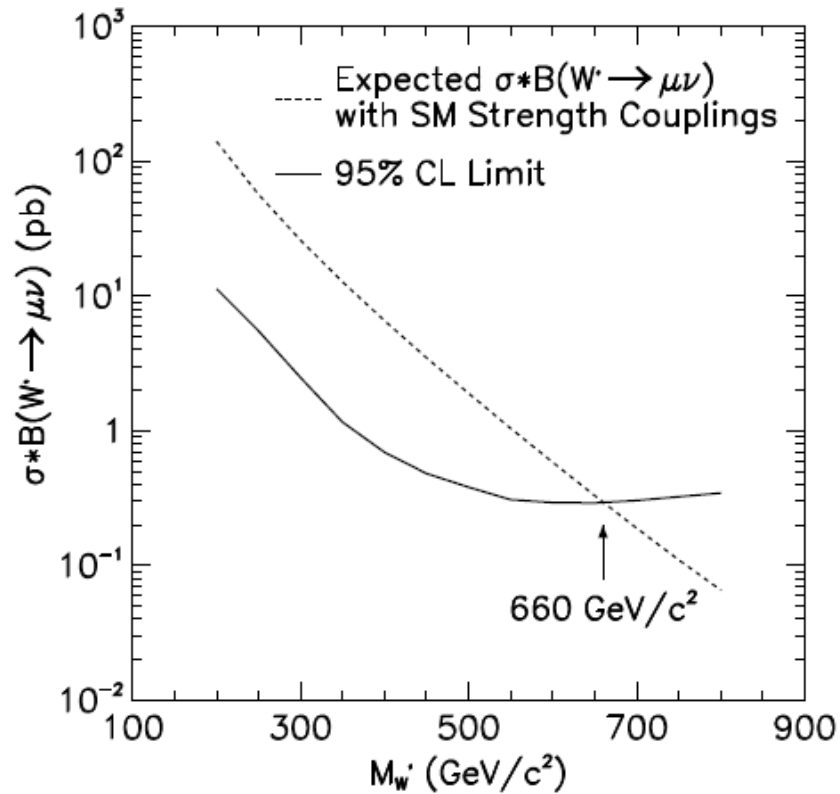


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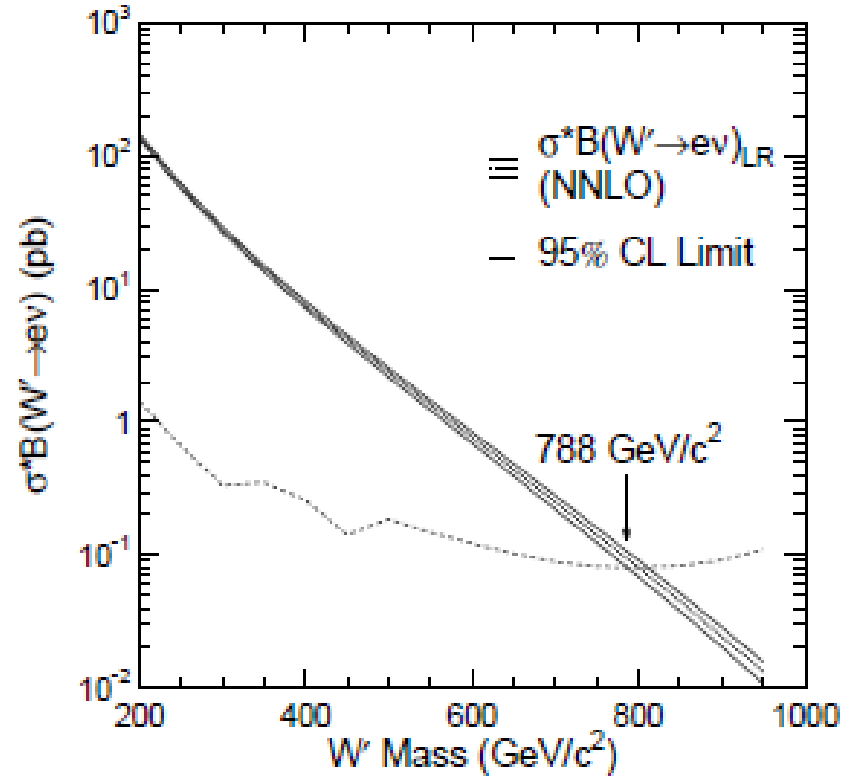
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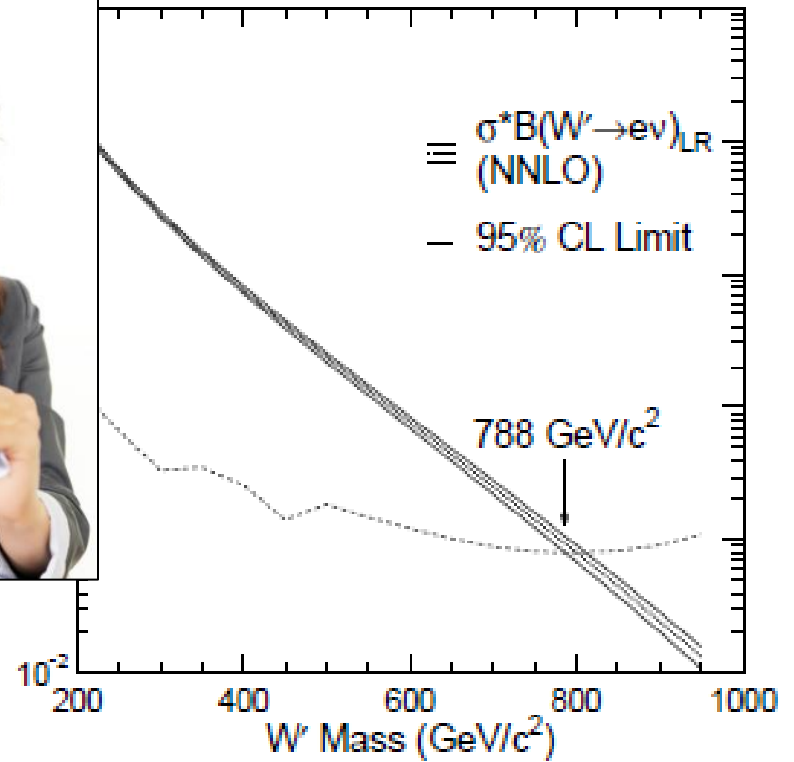
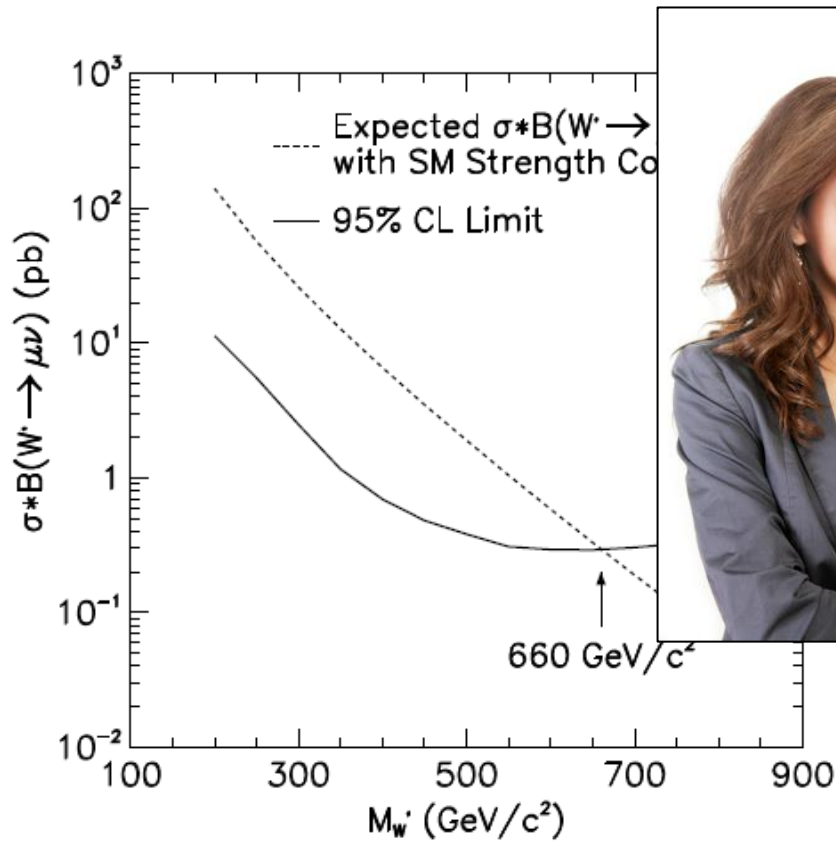


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- Direct searches between 105 and 200 GeV?
- Tau searches?



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- As its mass increases, neutrino decay gradually moves inside detector,
- but not necessarily at IP
- Non-IP activity may/may not be compatible with ℓ +MET signature
- Dedicated searches (displaced vertices, etc), but not comprehensive!
- Not discussed today

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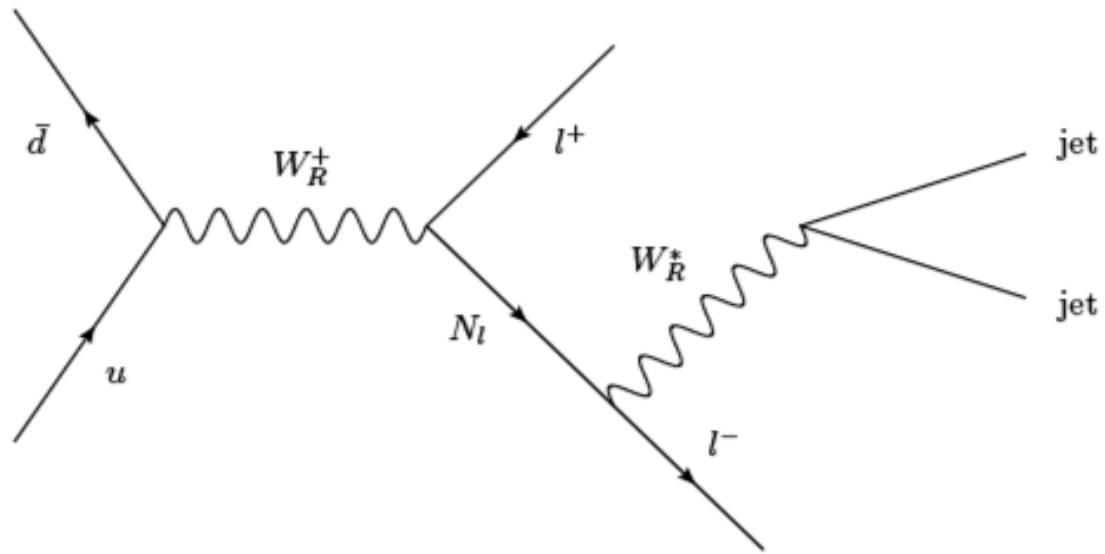
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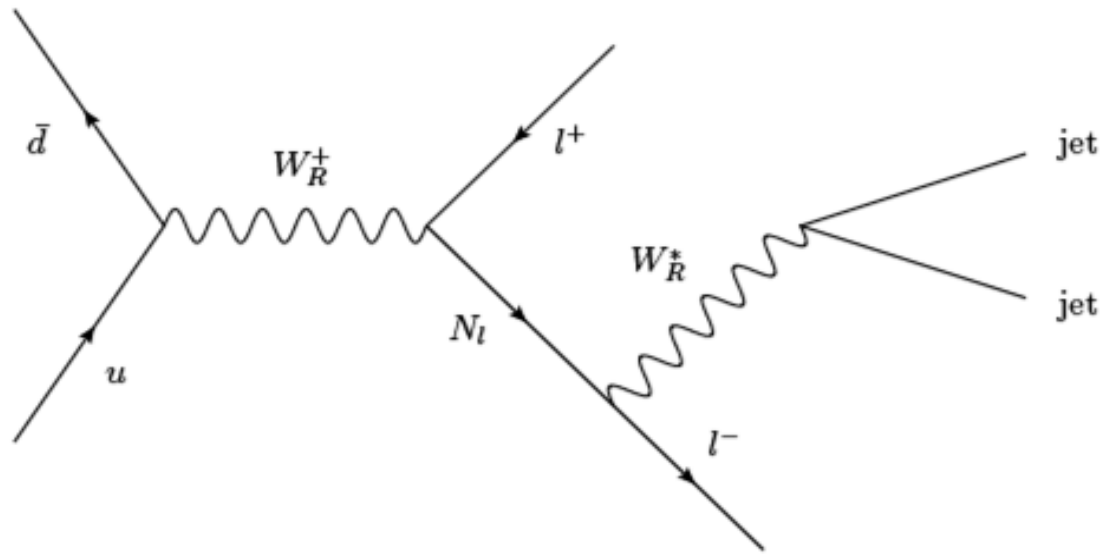
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- No L-R mixing: heavy neutrino decays via W'_R
- Cross-section: depends on W'_R , N_ℓ masses (assuming W'_L couplings)
- Final state: two (same-flavor) leptons plus two jets

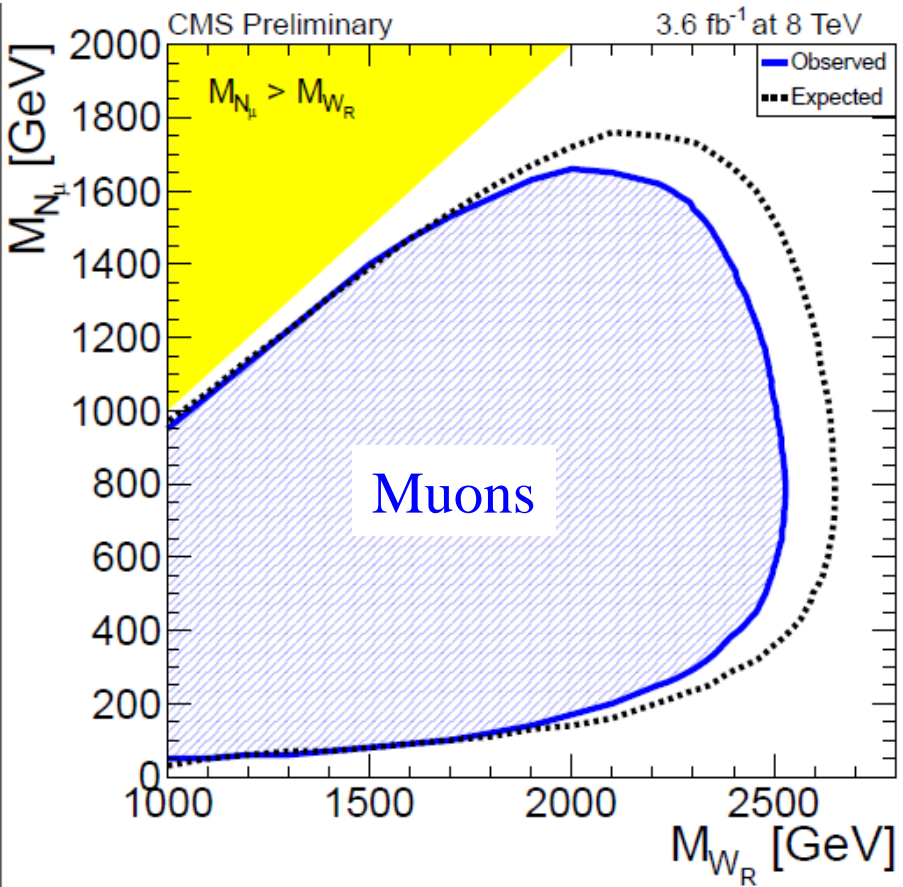
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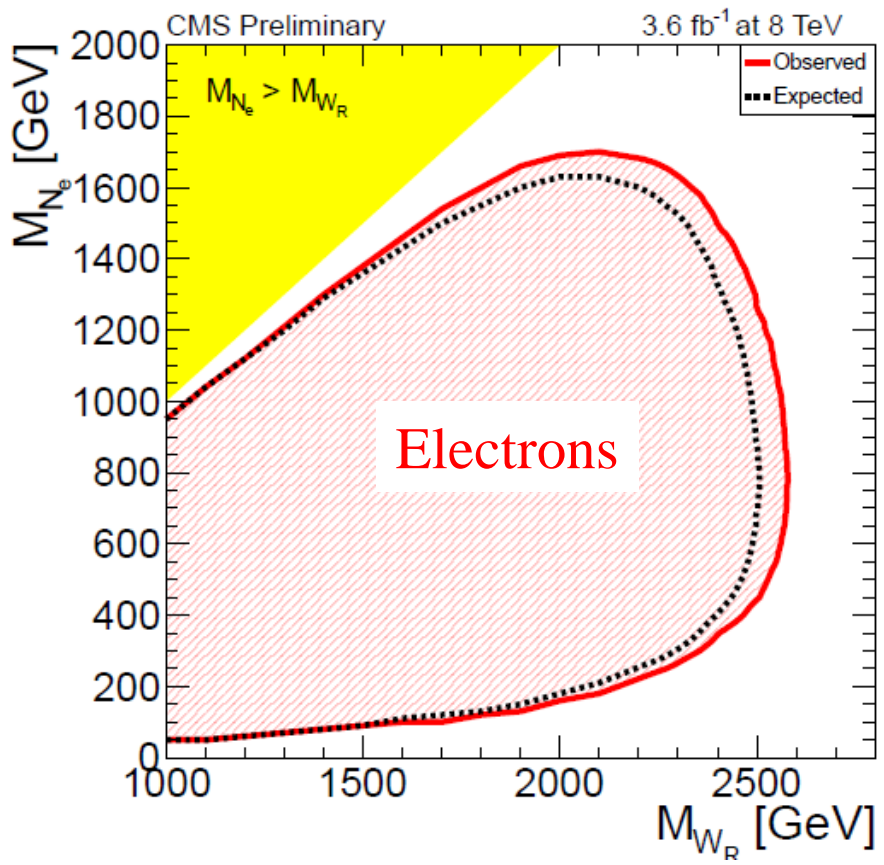


- Discovery #1: mass of two jets & lepton = neutrino mass
- Discovery #2: mass of neutrino + lepton = W_R mass
- Discovery #3: compare lepton charges (Majorana vs Dirac)
- Discovery #4: compare lepton flavors (LFV)

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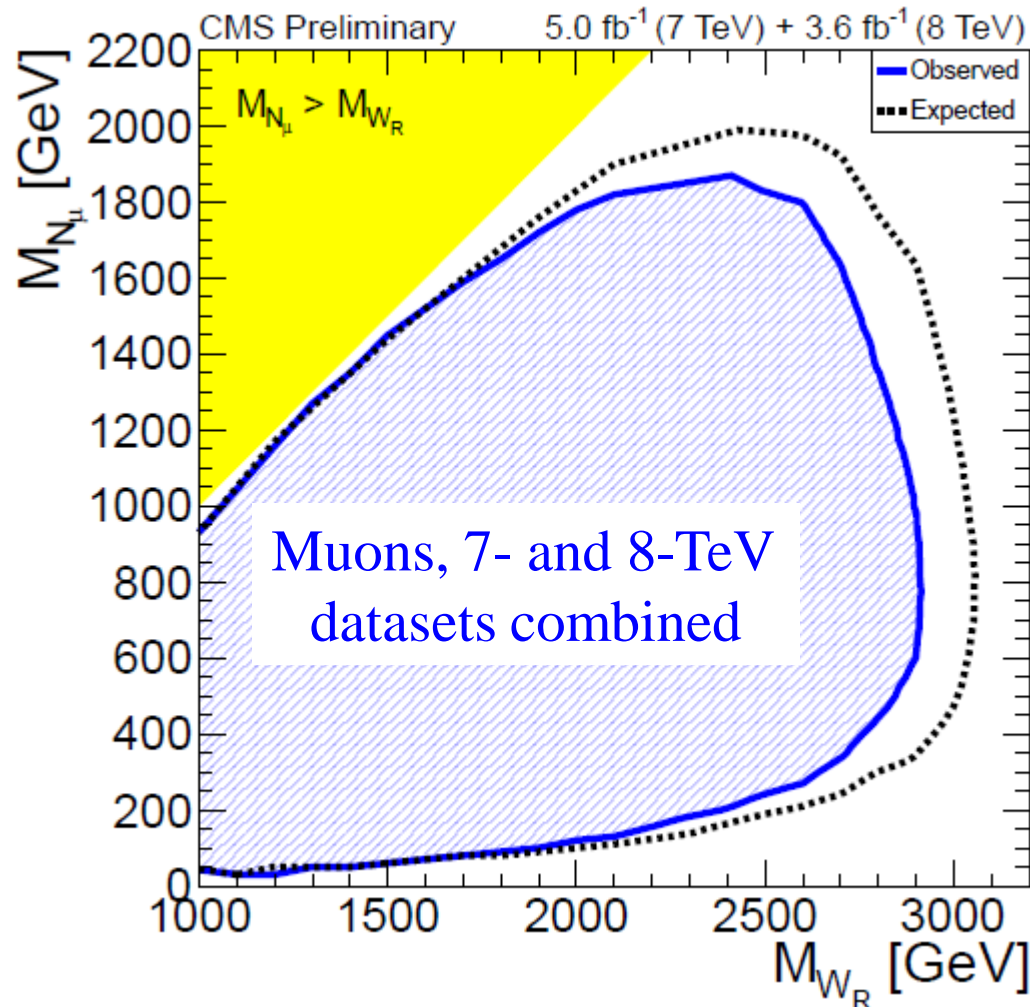


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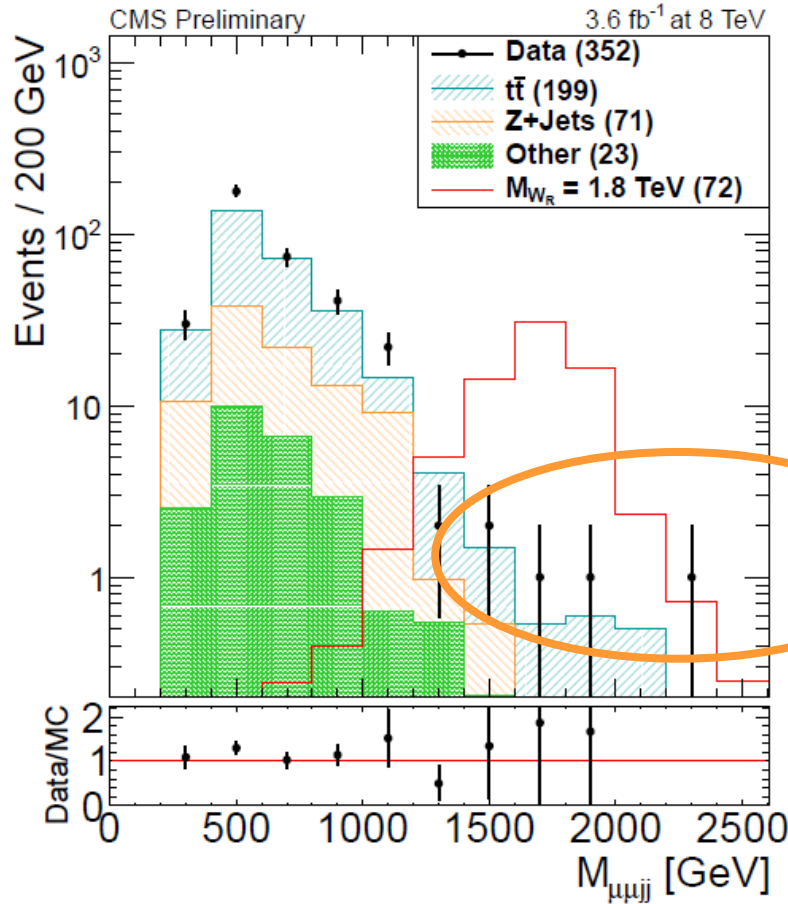


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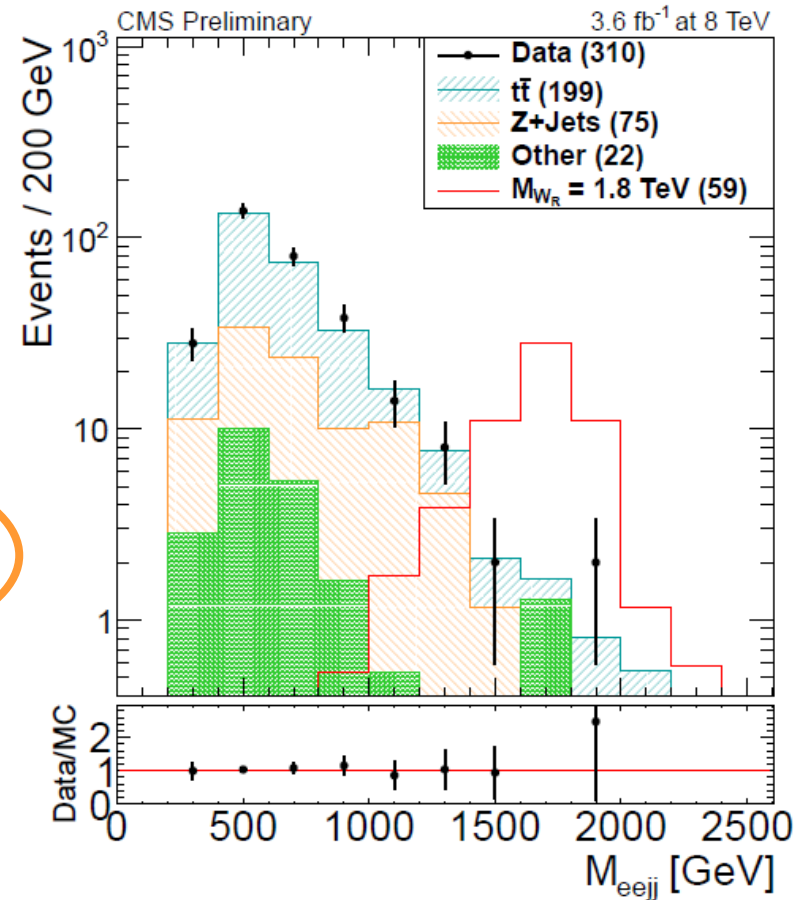
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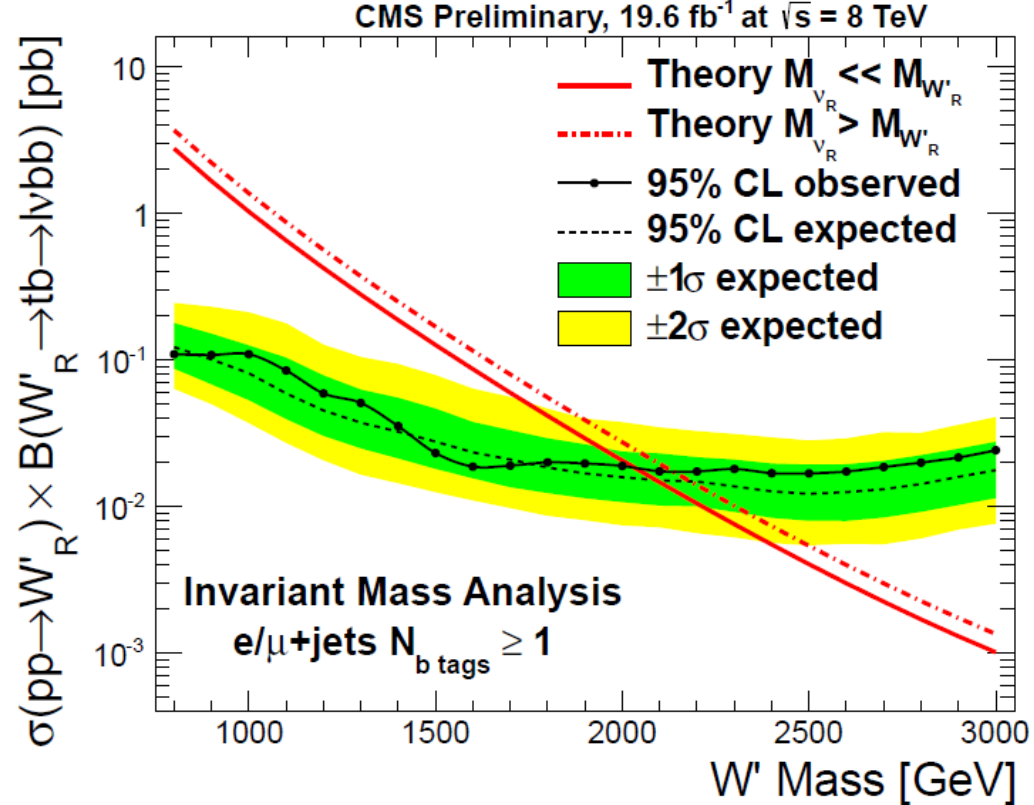
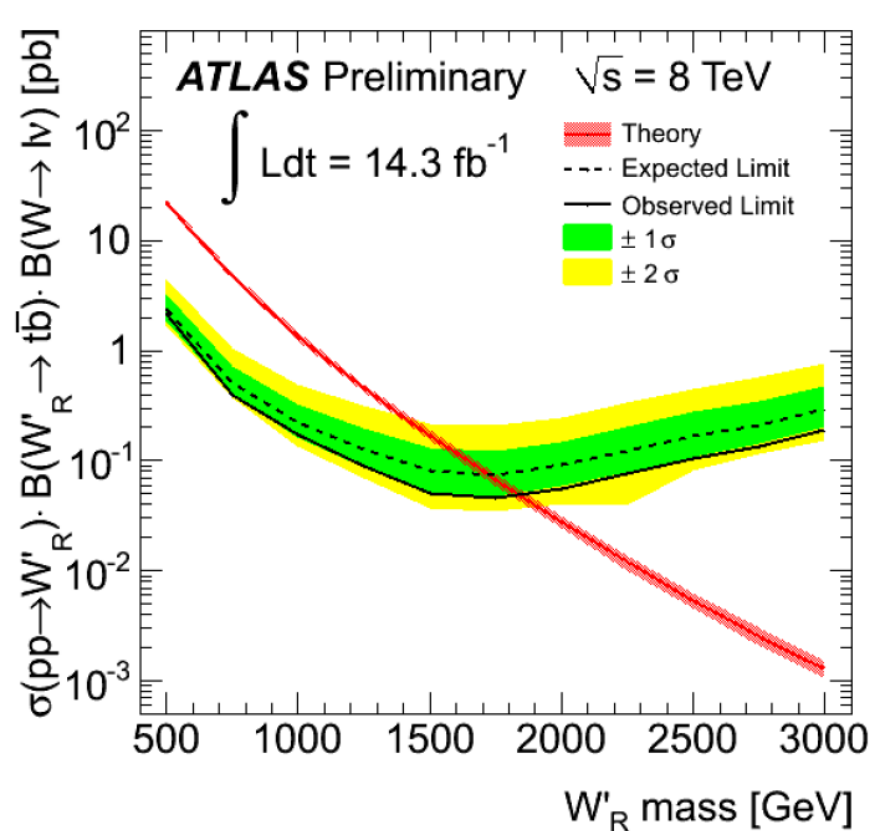
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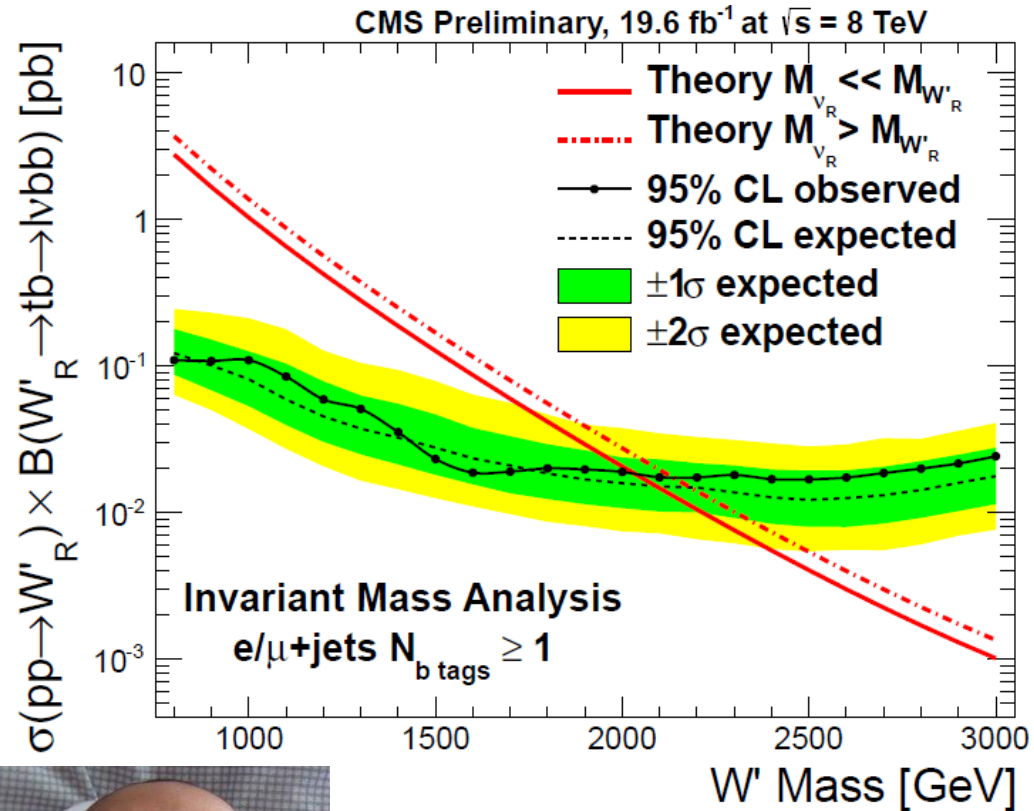
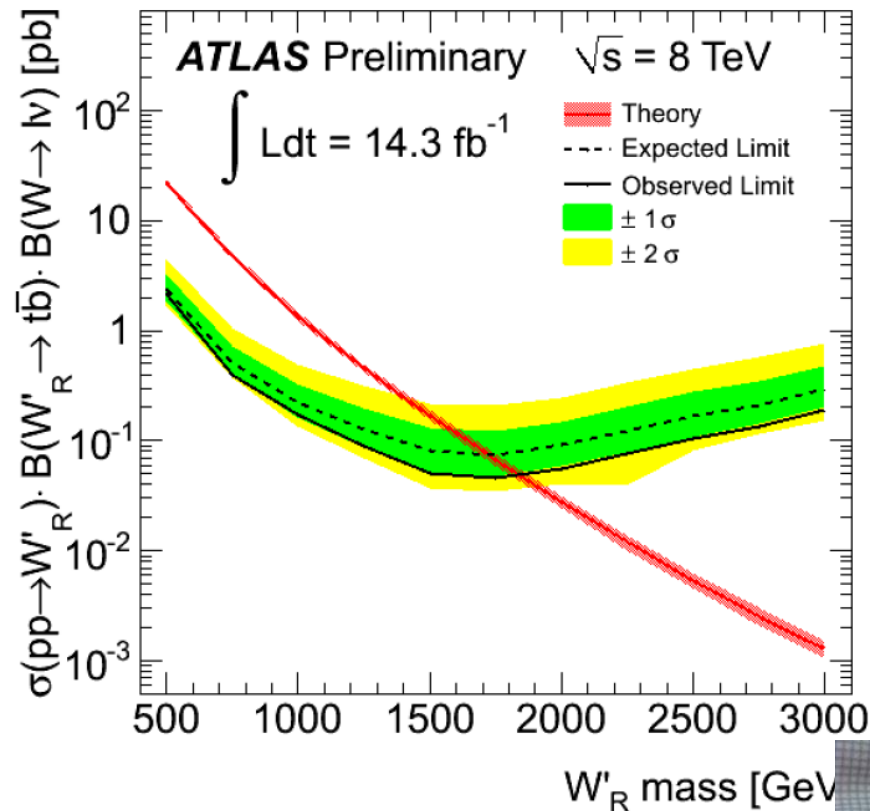


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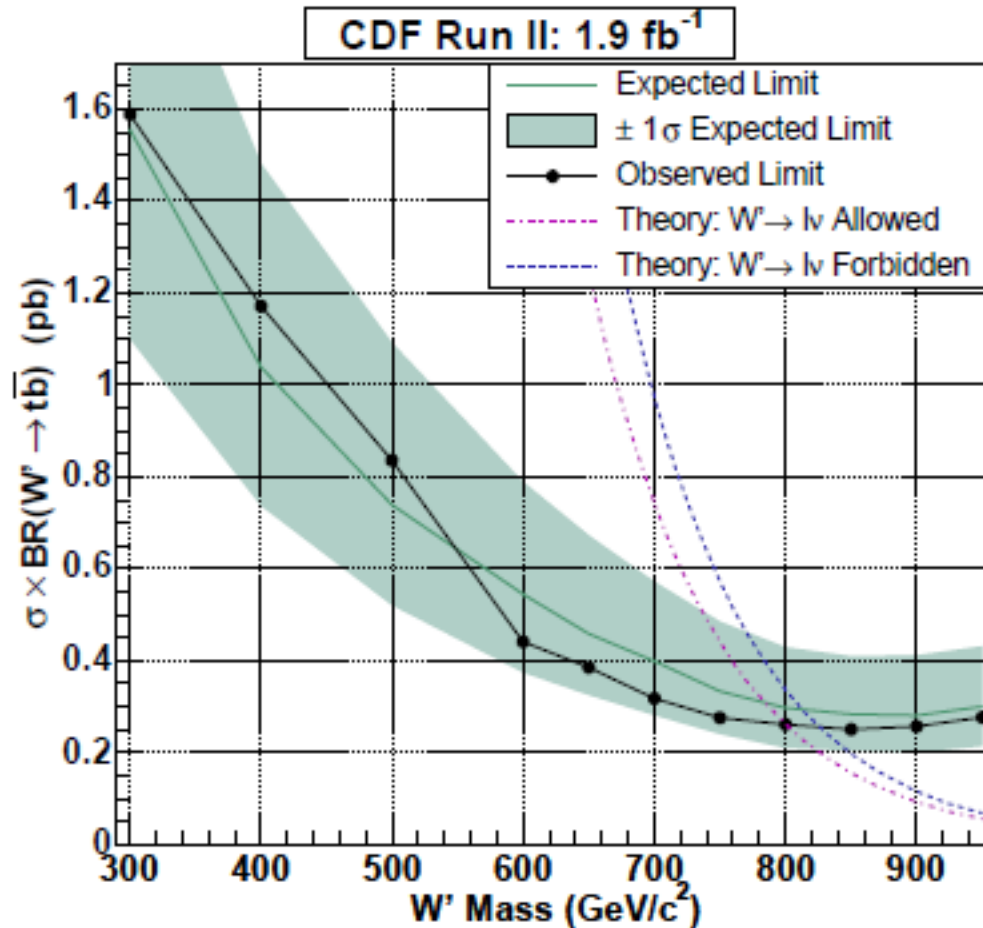


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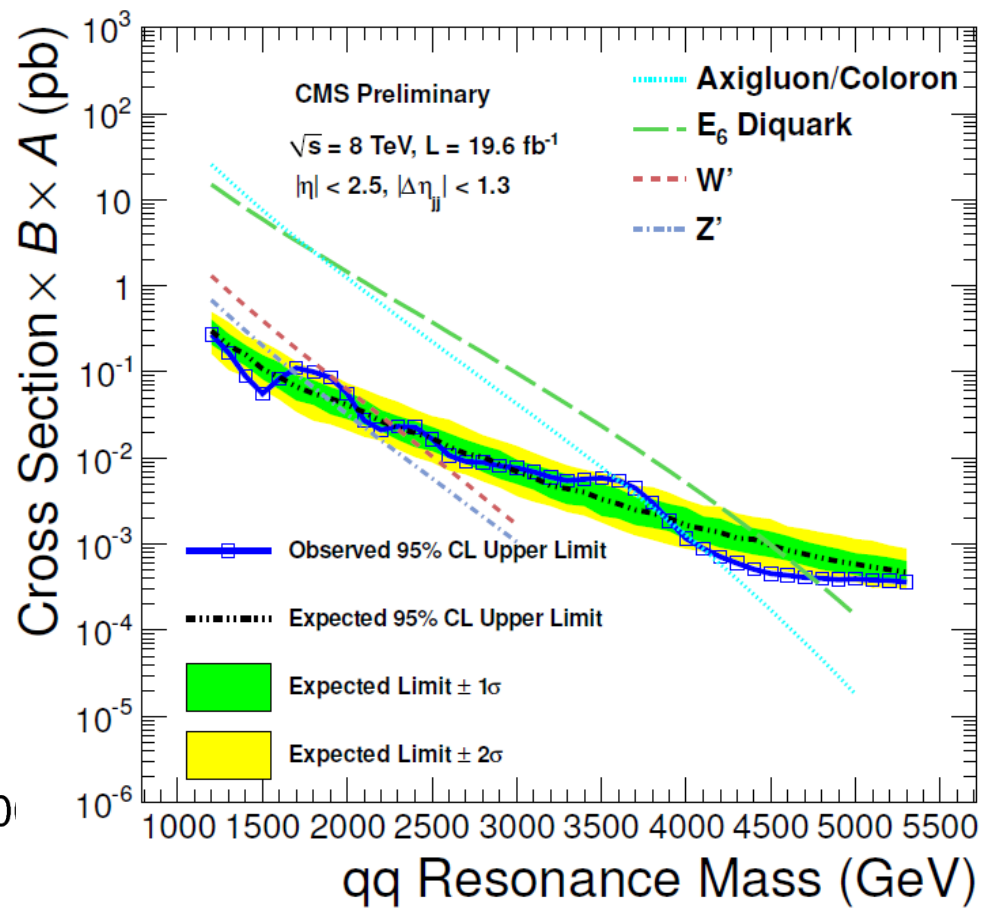
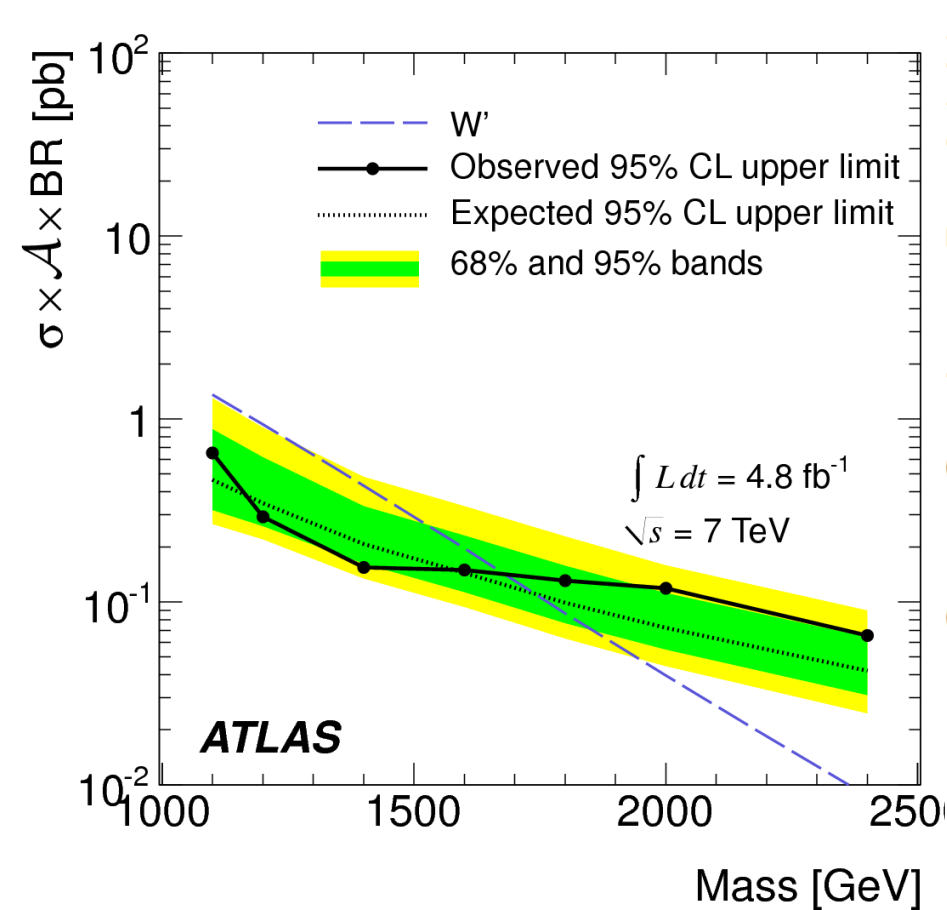
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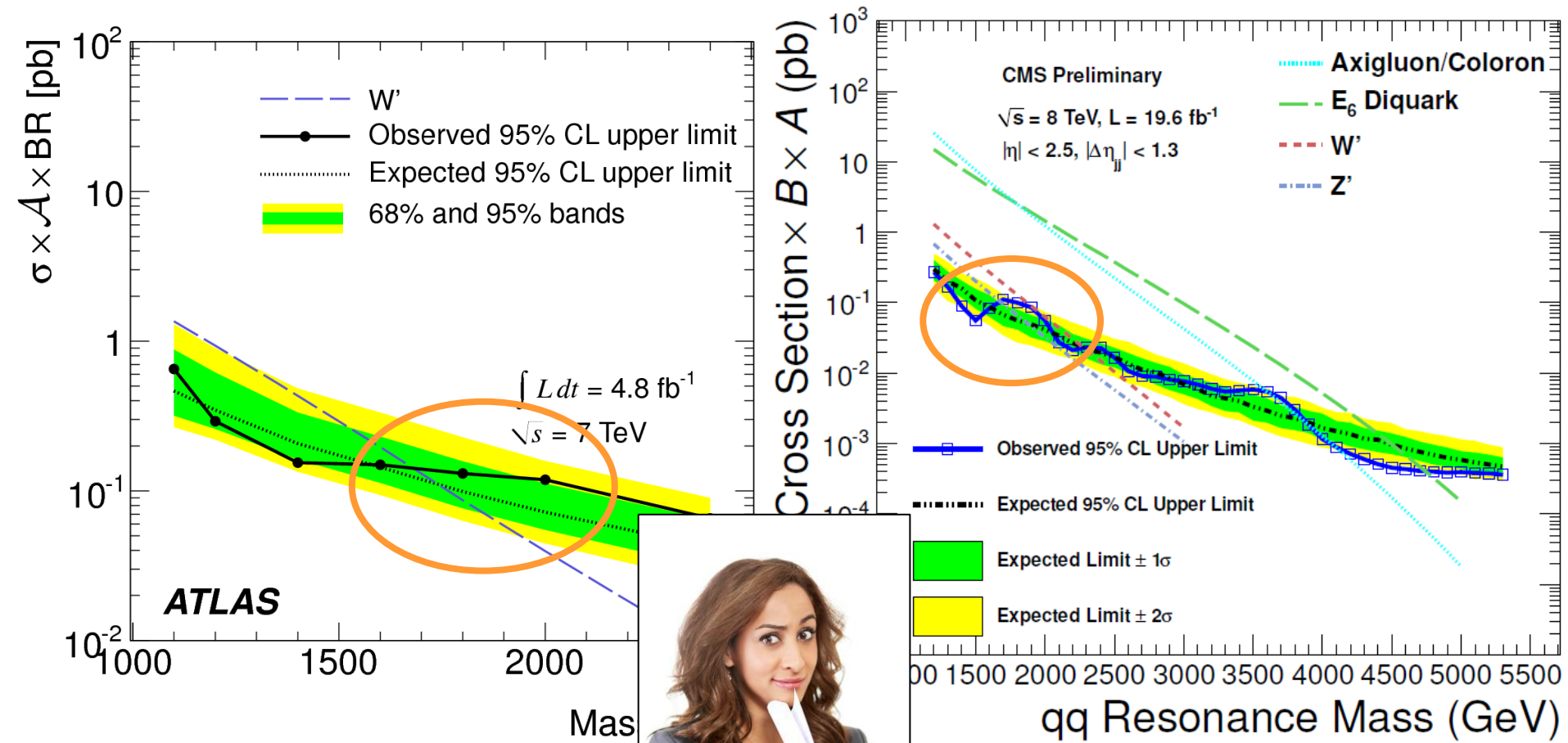


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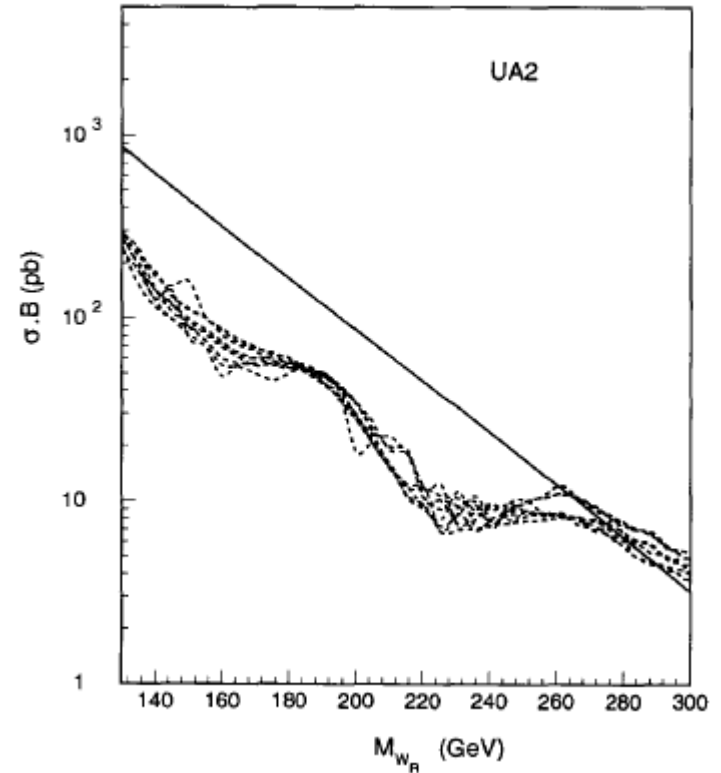
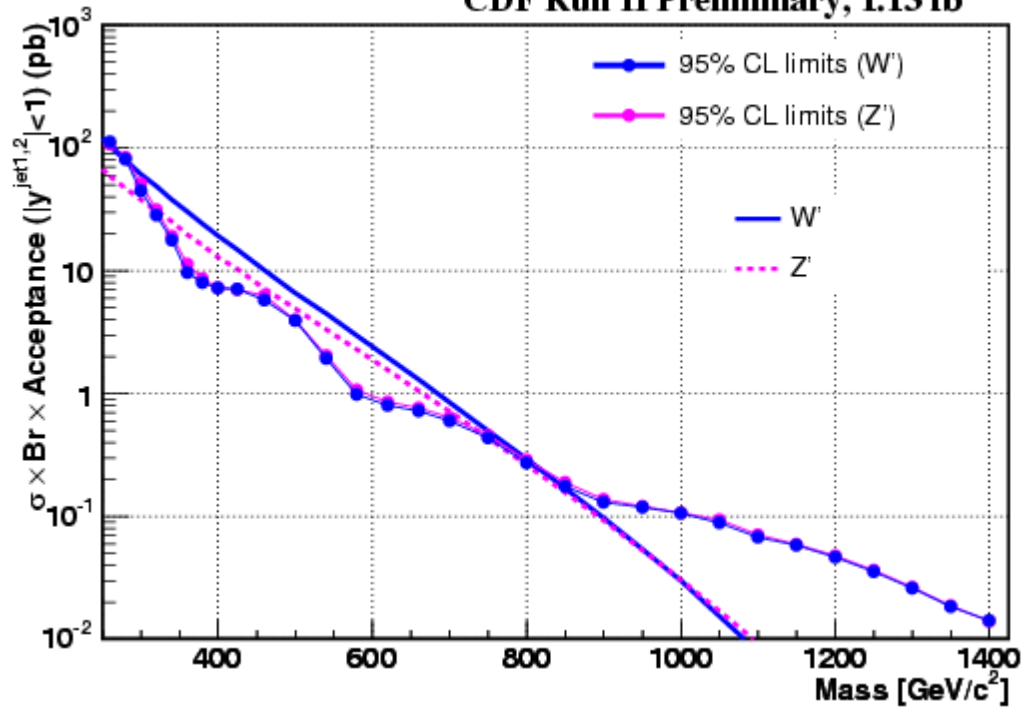
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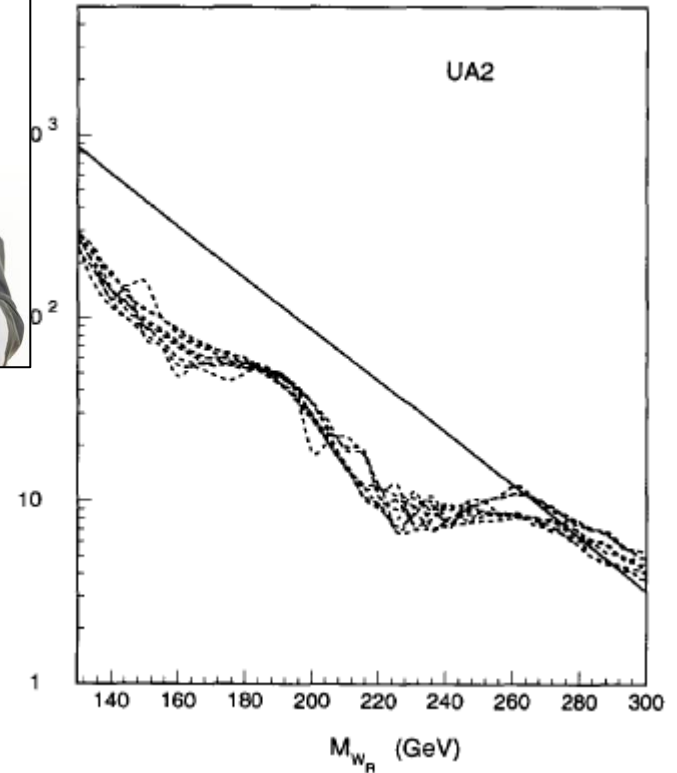
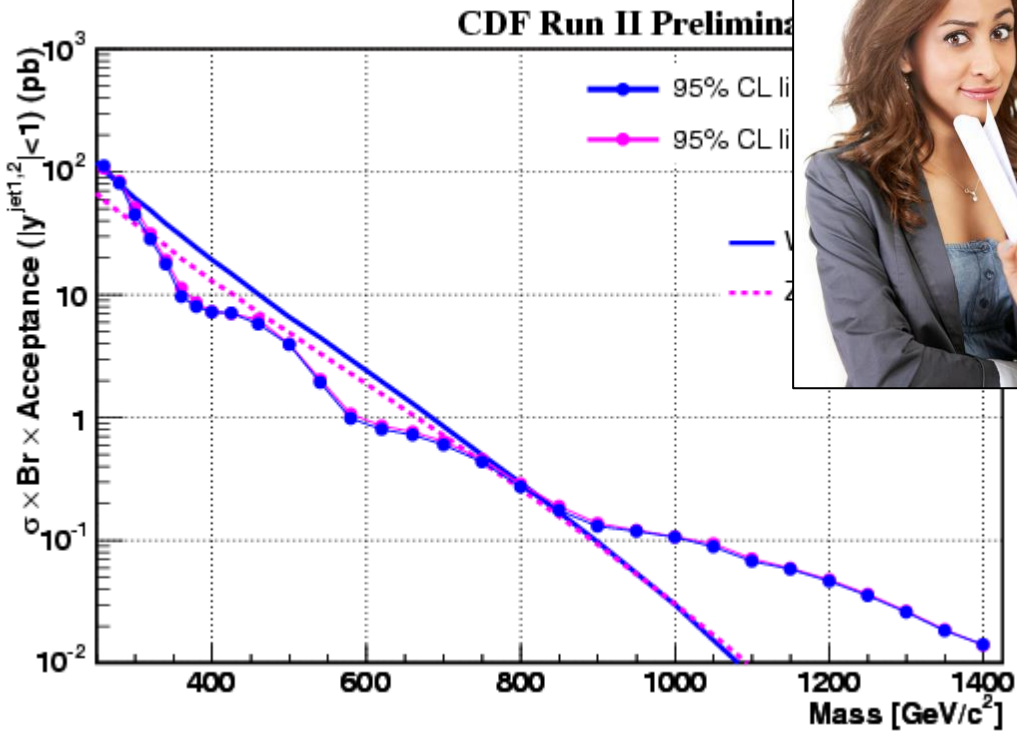


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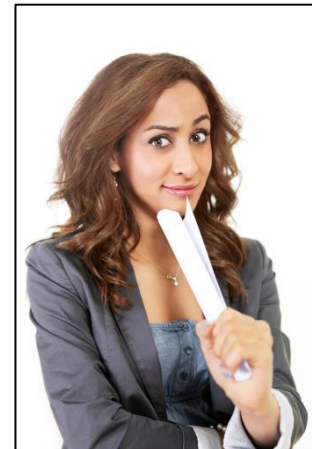
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- Weak limits at low masses
- Holes in mass spectrum coverage?



What about the WZ ?

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- W' Signatures

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- Bosonic: $WZ(3\ell\nu$ or $qq' \ell\ell$ or $qq')$, $\ell = e, \mu$
- Hadronic: $qq', t\bar{b}, \ell N_\ell$ ($N_\ell \rightarrow qq'\ell'$) $\ell = e, \mu$

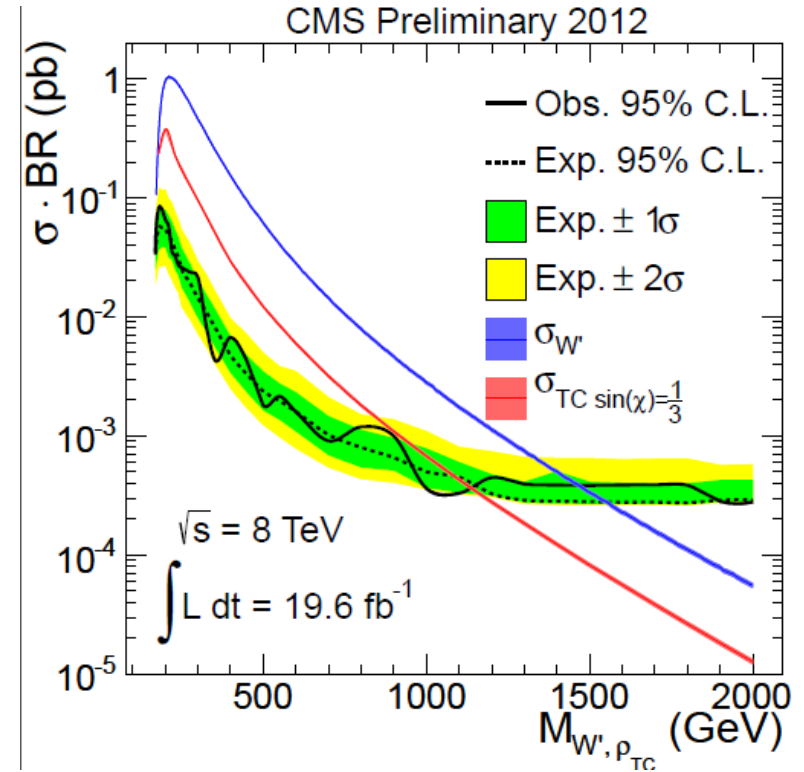
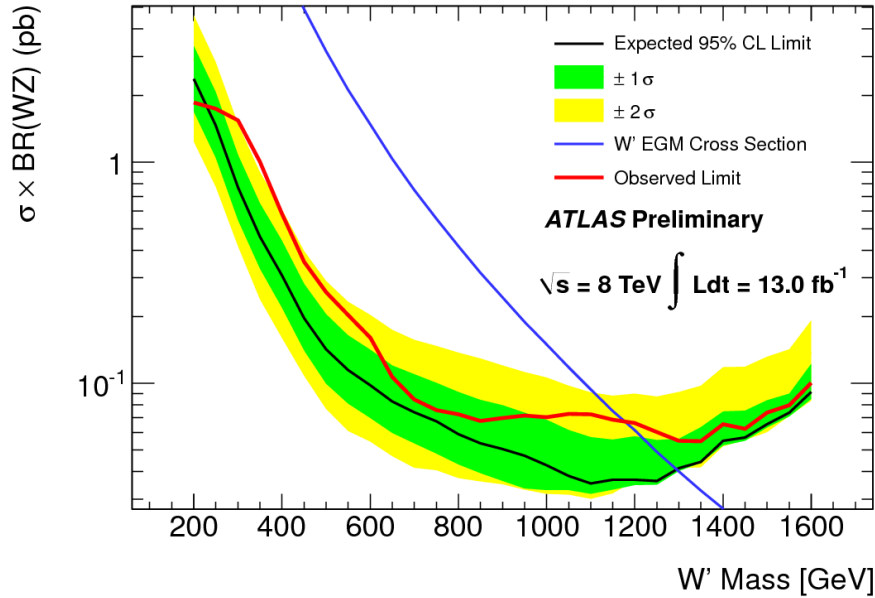
- $m(N_\ell) \rightarrow 0$ i.e. $m(N_\ell) \ll m(W')$

- The fully leptonic channel is not exciting in terms of L-R models
- But: semi-leptonic (plus hadronic) channel very similar to the “traditional” W_R channel: two leptons + two jets
- W_R analysis typically includes some (kind of) Z-veto (cut on dilepton mass)
 WZ analysis reverses this cut, offering complementarity in phase space

$m(N_\ell) \ll m(W'),$ or $m(N_\ell) > m(W_R)$

$$W' \rightarrow WZ \rightarrow 3\ell\nu$$

$W' \rightarrow WZ \rightarrow 3\ell\nu$: ATLAS & CMS



ATLAS: 8 TeV, 13 fb⁻¹, CONF-2013-015

CMS: 8 TeV, 20 fb⁻¹, EXO12025



W' searches: Overview

Channel	Experiment	Search range (TeV)	$\sigma \times B$ Limits (fb)	SSM limit (TeV)
e+MET	CMS, 20 fb ⁻¹ , 8 TeV	0.4-4.0	0.5-90	0.4-3.20
μ +MET	CMS, 20 fb ⁻¹ , 8 TeV	0.4-4.0	0.8-70	0.4-3.10
e/ μ +MET	CMS, 20 fb ⁻¹ , 8 TeV	0.4-4.0	0.5-70	0.4-3.35
e+MET	CDF, 205 pb ⁻¹ , 2 TeV	0.2-1.0	100-1000	0.2-0.8
μ +MET	CDF, 107 pb ⁻¹ , 1.8 TeV	0.2-0.8	400-10000	0.2-0.7
ℓ +MET	LEP	0-0.105	10 ⁻³ \times SSM?	0-0.105
ℓ +MET		0.1-0.2	???	???
τ +MET		---	---	---
$\ell\ell jj$	CMS, 3.6 fb ⁻¹ , 8 TeV	1.0-3.0		
tb	CMS, 20 fb ⁻¹ , 8 TeV	0.8-3.0	20-100	0.8-2.05(2.15)
tb	CDF, 1.9 fb ⁻¹ , 2 TeV	0.3-0.9	300-1600	0.3-0.8
jj	CMS, 20 fb ⁻¹ , 8 TeV	1.2-5.0	1-300	1.2-2.29
jj	CDF, 1.9 fb ⁻¹ , 2 TeV	0.3-1.4	1E2-1E5	0.35-0.75
jj	UA2, 11 pb ⁻¹ , 0.45 TeV	0.13-0.30	3E3-2E5	0.13-0.26
3 ℓ +MET	CMS, 20 fb ⁻¹ , 8 TeV	0.17-2.0	0.3-100	0.17-1.45

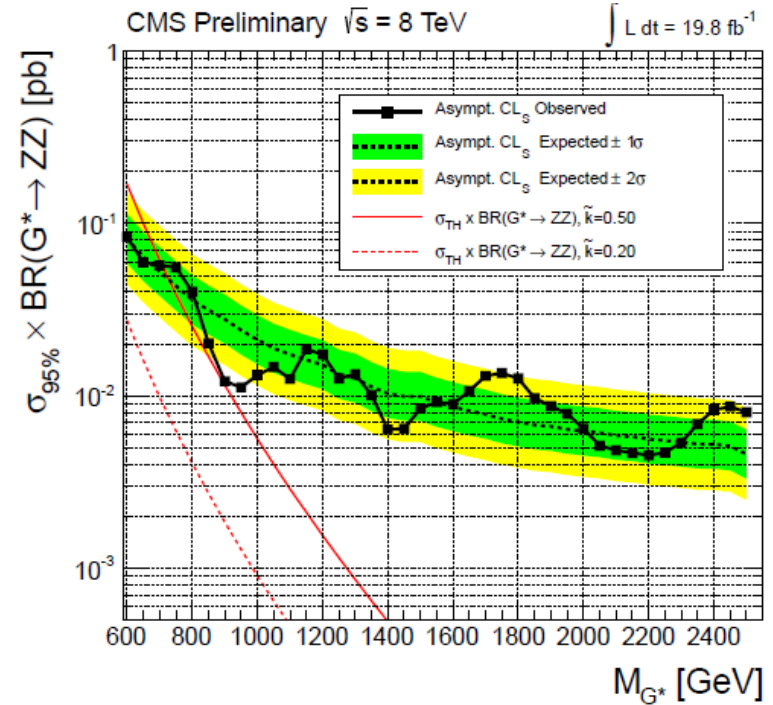
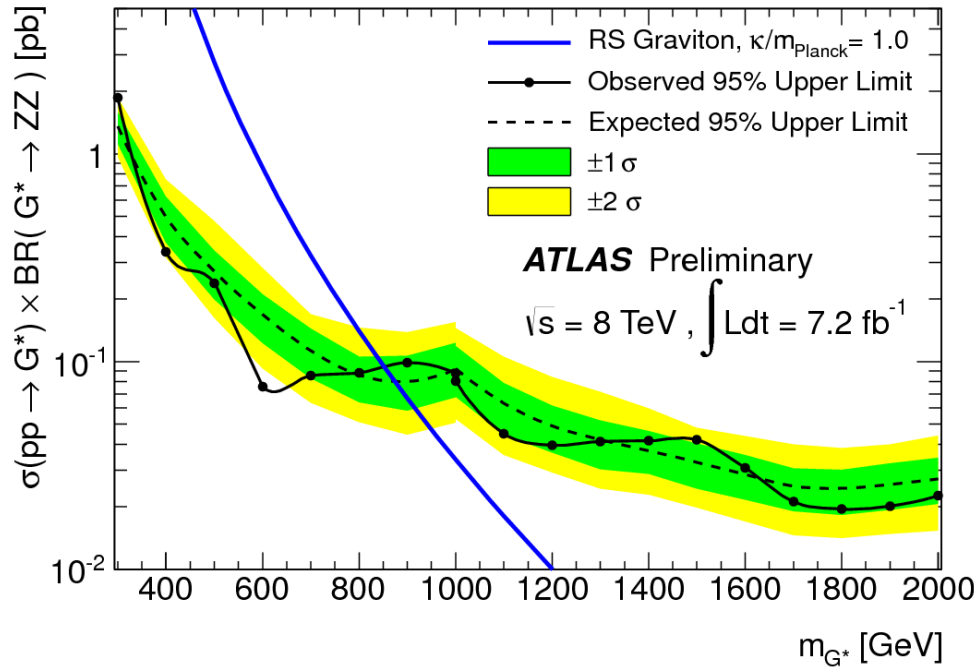


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$W' \rightarrow WZ \rightarrow qq'\ell\ell$: ATLAS & CMS



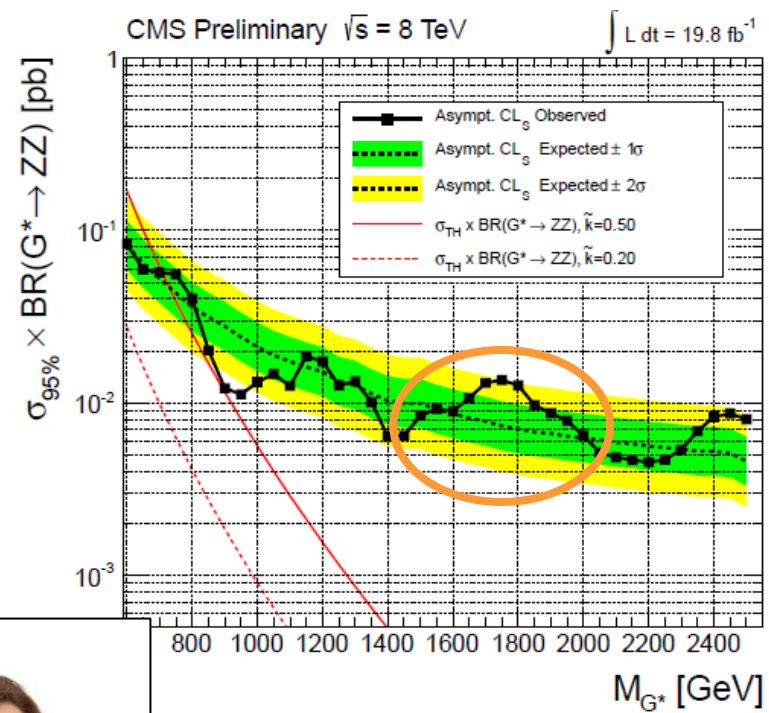
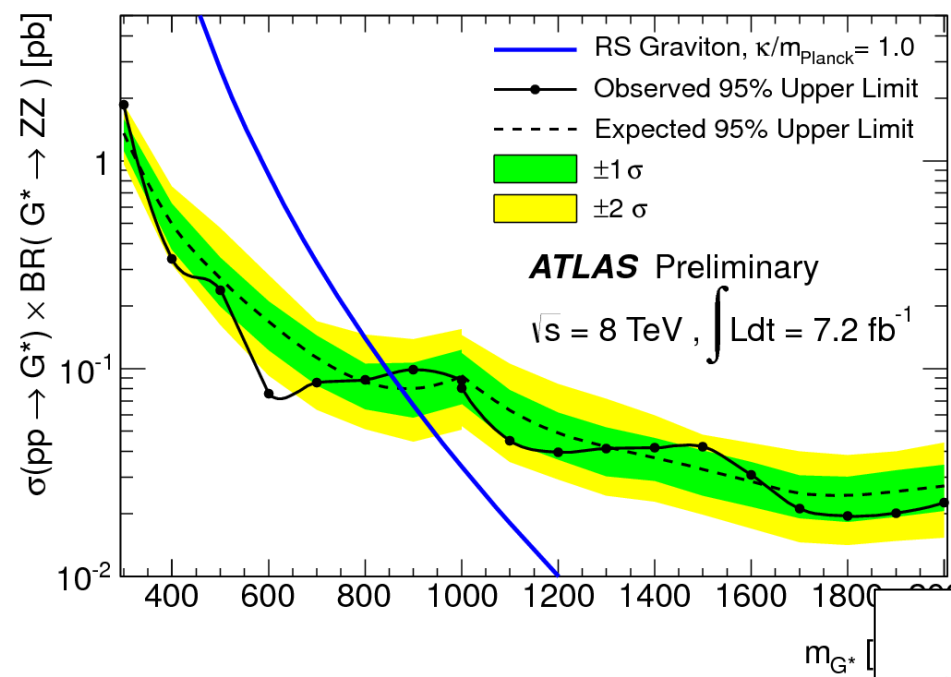
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- Cannot use results to extract W' limits

ATLAS: 8 TeV, 7 fb⁻¹, CONF-2012-150

CMS: 8 TeV, 20 fb⁻¹, EXO12022



$W' \rightarrow WZ \rightarrow qq'\ell\ell$: ATLAS & CMS



- Interpretation of results assumed to be conservative.
- Cannot use results to extract limits on κ .



ATLAS: 8 TeV, 7 fb⁻¹, CONF-2012-1

8 TeV, 20 fb⁻¹, EXO12022



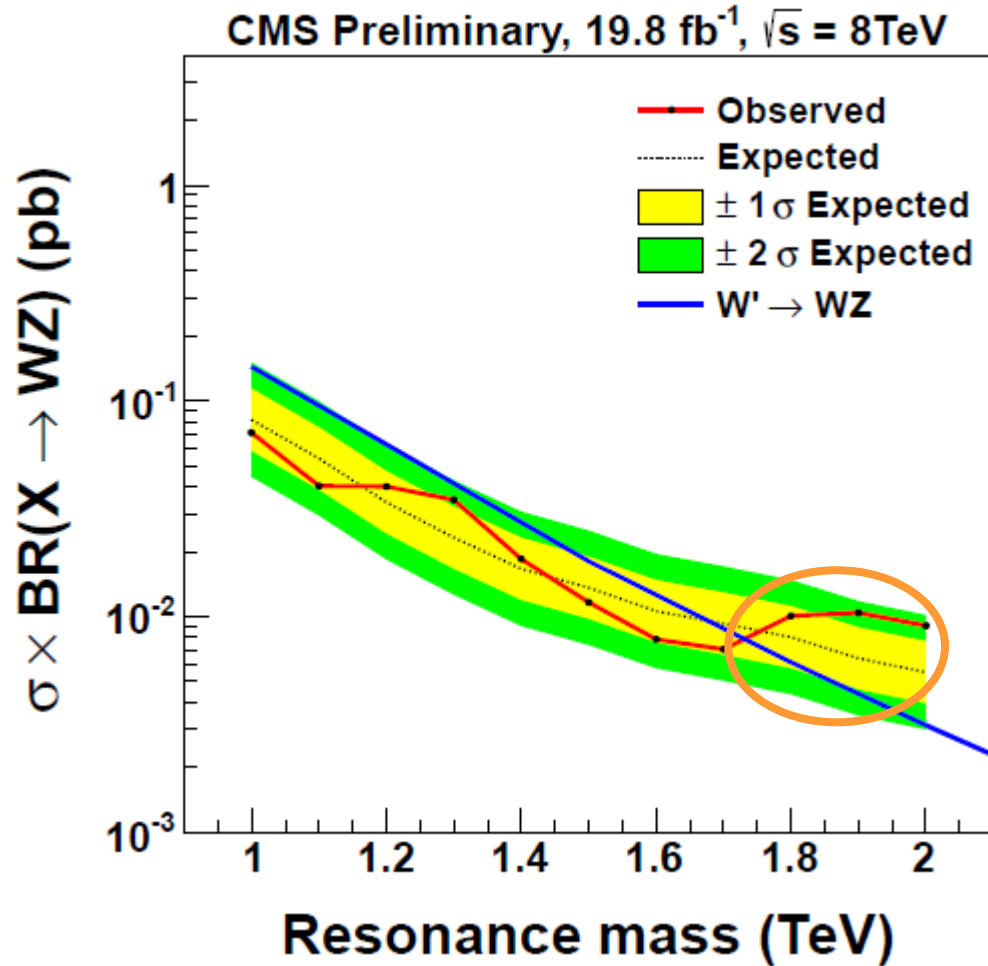
$$W' \rightarrow WZ \rightarrow (qq')(qq')$$

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$$B(WZ \rightarrow (qq')(qq')) \sim 48\%$$

$W' \rightarrow WZ \rightarrow (qq')(qq')$: CMS



CMS: 8 TeV, 20 fb^{-1} , EXO12024

W' searches: Overview

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W(jj)Z(jj)	CMS, 20 fb ⁻¹ , 8 TeV	1.0-2.0	10-80	1.00-1.73

Summary

First Summary

- **LHC W' searches:**
 - No smoking gun, but not all data analyzed yet (esp. ATLAS)
 - A handful of deviations to keep an eye on
- **Low-mass region not very well explored**
 - Additionally, certain final states and mass regions have been overlooked completely

First Summary

- **Comprehensive search approach**
 - Allows comparison of deviations in different final states
 - Helps reduce holes in phase space coverage

TLEP: a Physics Study

First Look at the Physics Case of TLEP

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Abstract

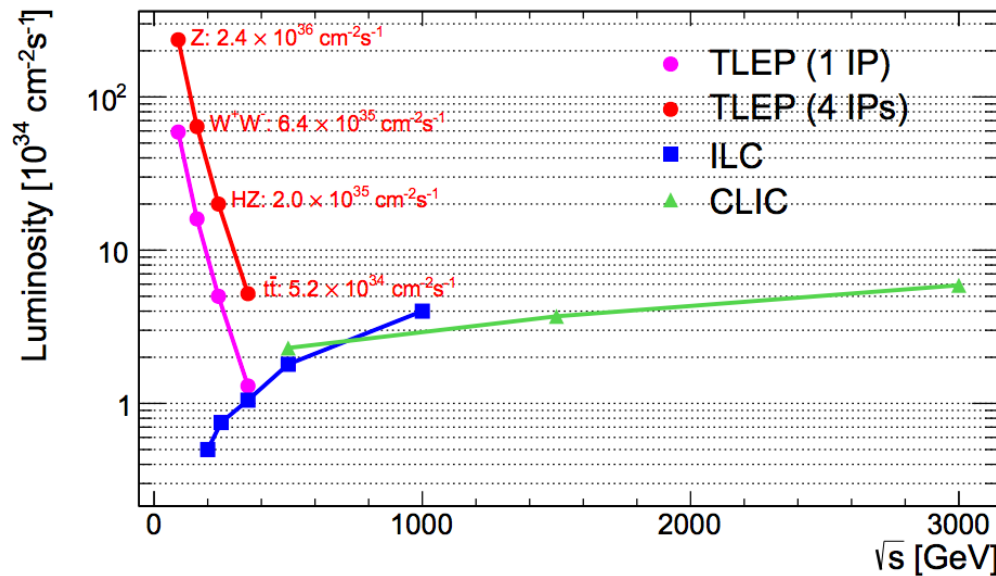
The discovery by the ATLAS and CMS experiments of a new boson with mass around 125 GeV and with measured properties compatible with those of a Standard-Model Higgs boson, coupled with the absence of discoveries of phenomena beyond the Standard Model up to scales of several hundred GeV, has triggered interest in ideas for future Higgs factories. A new circular e^+e^- collider hosted in a 80 to 100 km tunnel, TLEP, is among the most attractive solutions proposed so far. It has a clean experimental environment, produces high luminosity for top-quark, Higgs boson, W and Z studies, accommodates multiple detectors, and can reach energies up to the $t\bar{t}$ threshold and beyond. It will enable measurements of the Higgs boson properties and of Electroweak Symmetry-Breaking (EWSB) parameters with unequalled precision, offering exploration of physics beyond the Standard Model in the multi-TeV range. Moreover, being the natural precursor of the VHE-LHC, a 100 TeV hadron machine in the same tunnel, it builds up a long-term vision for particle physics. Altogether, the combination of TLEP and the VHE-LHC offers, for a great cost effectiveness, the best precision and the best search reach of all options presently on the market. This paper presents a first appraisal of the salient features of the TLEP physics potential, to serve as a baseline for a more extensive design study.

TLEP: a Physics Study

	TLEP-Z	TLEP-W	TLEP-H	TLEP-t
\sqrt{s} (GeV)	90	160	240	350
L ($10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$)	56	16	5	1.3
# bunches	4400	600	80	12
RF Gradient (MV/m)	3	3	10	20
Vertical beam size (nm)	270	140	140	100
Total AC Power (MW)	250	250	260	284
L_{int} ($\text{ab}^{-1}/\text{year/IP}$)	5.6	1.6	0.5	0.13

Table 2: Indicative costs for the main cost drivers of the TLEP collider.

Item	Cost (Million CHF)
RF system	900
Cryogenics system	200
Vacuum system	500
Magnets systems for the two rings	800
Pre-injector complex	500
Total	2,900



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Epilogue



Backup

W_R (Right-Handed W Boson) MASS LIMITS

Assuming a light right-handed neutrino, except for BEALL 82, LANGACKER 89B, and COLANGELO 91. $g_R = g_L$ assumed. [Limits in the section MASS LIMITS for W' below are also valid for W_R if $m_{\nu_R} \ll m_{W_R}$.] Some limits assume manifest left-right symmetry, i.e., the equality of left- and right Cabibbo-Kobayashi-Maskawa matrices. For a comprehensive review, see LANGACKER 89B. Limits on the W_L - W_R mixing angle ζ are found in the next section. Values in brackets are from cosmological and astrophysical considerations and assume a light right-handed neutrino.

VALUE (GeV)	CL%	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
> 592	90	¹ BUENO	11 TWST	μ decay
> 715	90	² CZAKON	99 RVUE	Electroweak
● ● ● We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. ● ● ●				
> 245	90	³ WAUTERS	10 CNTR	^{60}Co β decay
> 180	90	⁴ MELCONIAN	07 CNTR	^{37}K β^+ decay
> 290.7	90	⁵ SCHUMANN	07 CNTR	Polarized neutron decay
[> 3300]	95	⁶ CYBURT	05 COSM	Nucleosynthesis; light ν_R
> 310	90	⁷ THOMAS	01 CNTR	β^+ decay
> 137	95	⁸ ACKERSTAFF	99D OPAL	τ decay
>1400	68	⁹ BARENBOIM	98 RVUE	Electroweak, Z - Z' mixing
> 549	68	¹⁰ BARENBOIM	97 RVUE	μ decay
> 220	95	¹¹ STAHL	97 RVUE	τ decay
> 220	90	¹² ALLET	96 CNTR	β^+ decay
> 281	90	¹³ KUZNETSOV	95 CNTR	Polarized neutron decay
> 282	90	¹⁴ KUZNETSOV	94B CNTR	Polarized neutron decay
> 439	90	¹⁵ BHATTACH...	93 RVUE	Z - Z' mixing
> 250	90	¹⁶ SEVERIJNS	93 CNTR	β^+ decay
		¹⁷ IMAZATO	92 CNTR	K^+ decay
> 475	90	¹⁸ POLAK	92B RVUE	μ decay
> 240	90	¹⁹ AQUINO	91 RVUE	Neutron decay
> 496	90	¹⁹ AQUINO	91 RVUE	Neutron and muon decay
> 700		²⁰ COLANGELO	91 THEO	$m_{K_L^0} - m_{K_S^0}$
> 477	90	²¹ POLAK	91 RVUE	μ decay
[none 540–23000]		²² BARBIERI	89B ASTR	SN 1987A; light ν_R
> 300	90	²³ LANGACKER	89B RVUE	General
> 160	90	²⁴ BALKE	88 CNTR	$\mu \rightarrow e \nu \bar{\nu}$
> 406	90	²⁵ JODIDIO	86 ELEC	Any ζ
> 482	90	²⁵ JODIDIO	86 ELEC	$\zeta = 0$
> 800		MOHAPATRA	86 RVUE	$SU(2)_L \times SU(2)_R \times U(1)$
> 400	95	²⁶ STOKER	85 ELEC	Any ζ
> 475	95	²⁶ STOKER	85 ELEC	$\zeta < 0.041$
		²⁷ BERGSMA	83 CHRM	$\nu_\mu e \rightarrow \mu \nu_e$
> 380	90	²⁸ CARR	83 ELEC	μ^+ decay
>1600		²⁹ BEALL	82 THEO	$m_{K_L^0} - m_{K_S^0}$

¹ The quoted limit is for manifest left-right symmetric model.

² CZAKON 99 perform a simultaneous fit to charged and neutral sectors.

³ WAUTERS 10 limit is from a measurement of the asymmetry parameter of polarized