

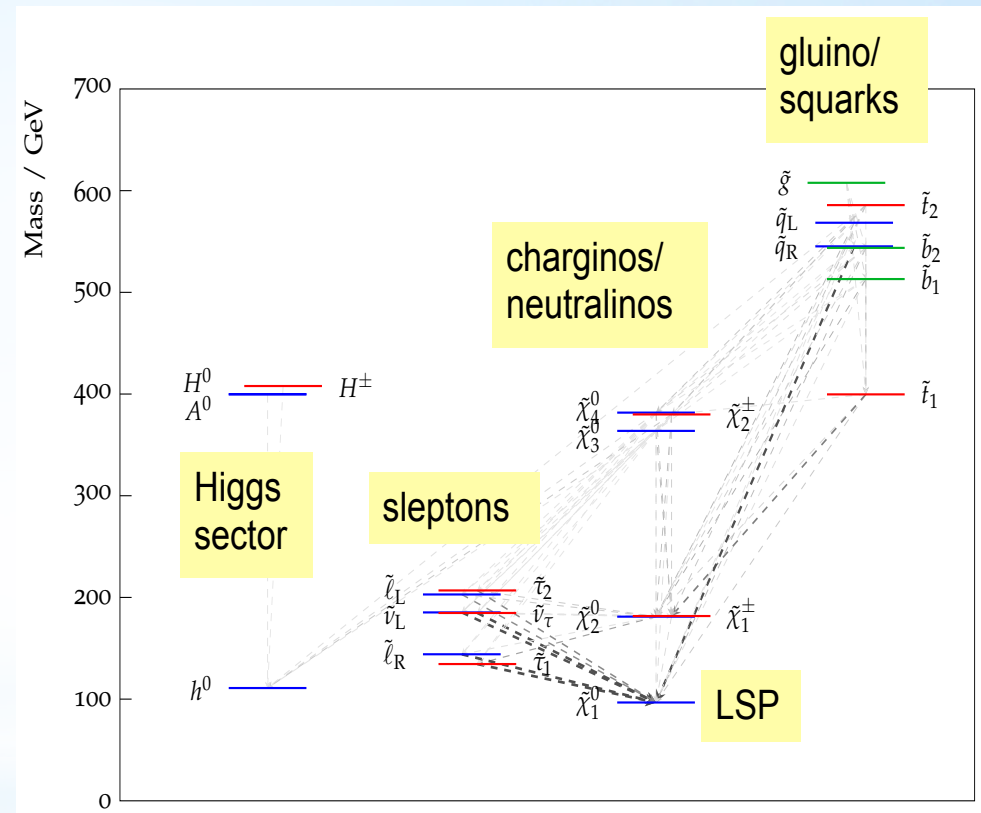
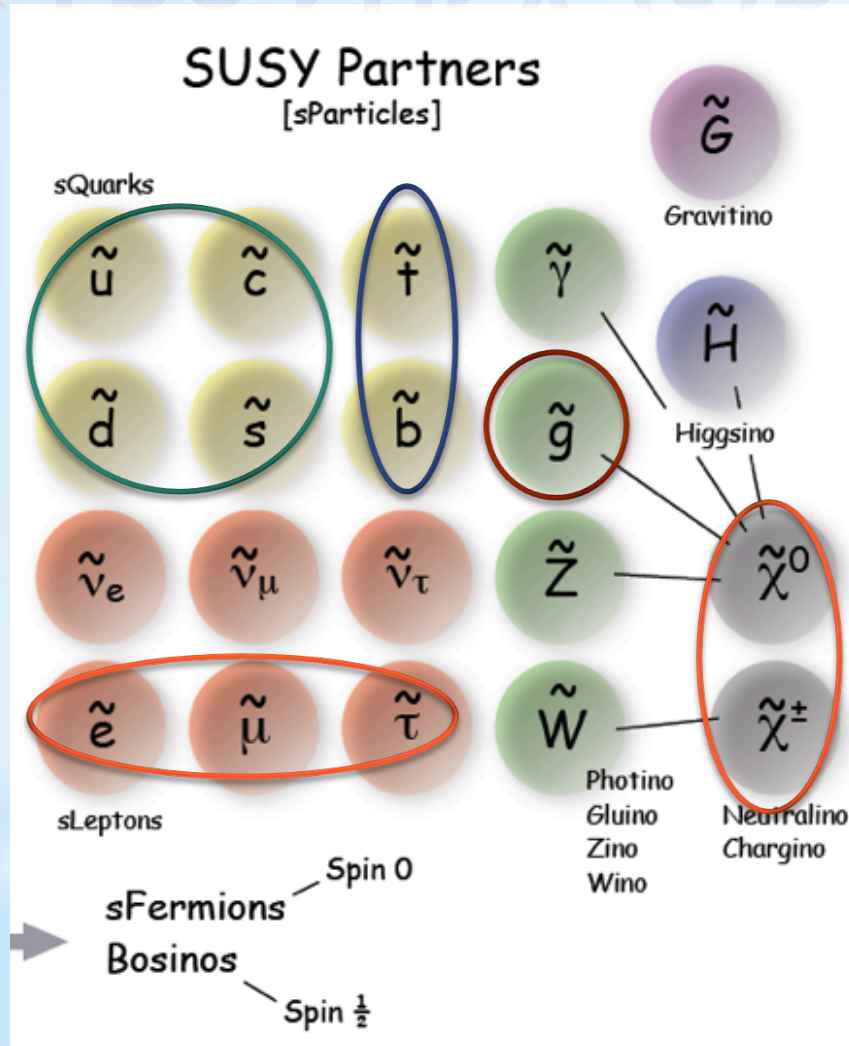


CMS SEARCHES FOR SUPERSYMMETRIC PARTICLES AT THE LHC

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*The SUSY (s)particle spectrum



*Search for ~all of these, produced either directly or in cascades

CMS DETECTOR

Total weight : 14,000 tonnes
Overall diameter : 15.0 m
Overall length : 28.7 m
Magnetic field : 3.8 T

STEEL RETURN YOKE
12,500 tonnes

SILICON TRACKERS
Pixel ($100 \times 150 \mu\text{m}$) $\sim 16\text{m}^2 \sim 66\text{M}$ channels
Microstrips ($80 \times 180 \mu\text{m}$) $\sim 200\text{m}^2 \sim 9.6\text{M}$ channels

SUPERCONDUCTING SOLENOID
Niobium titanium coil carrying $\sim 18,000\text{A}$

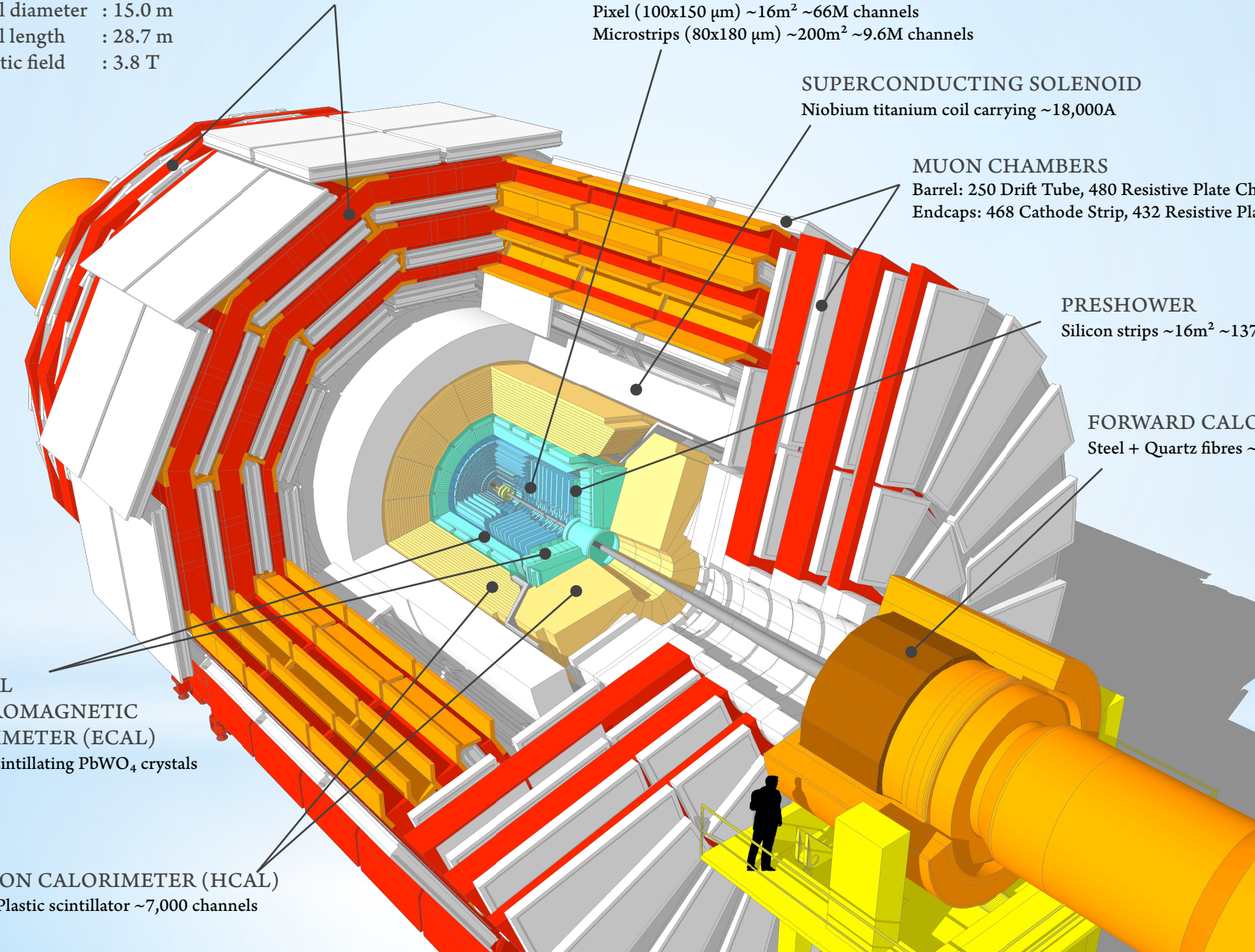
MUON CHAMBERS
Barrel: 250 Drift Tube, 480 Resistive Plate Chambers
Endcaps: 468 Cathode Strip, 432 Resistive Plate Chambers

PRESHOWER
Silicon strips $\sim 16\text{m}^2 \sim 137,000$ channels

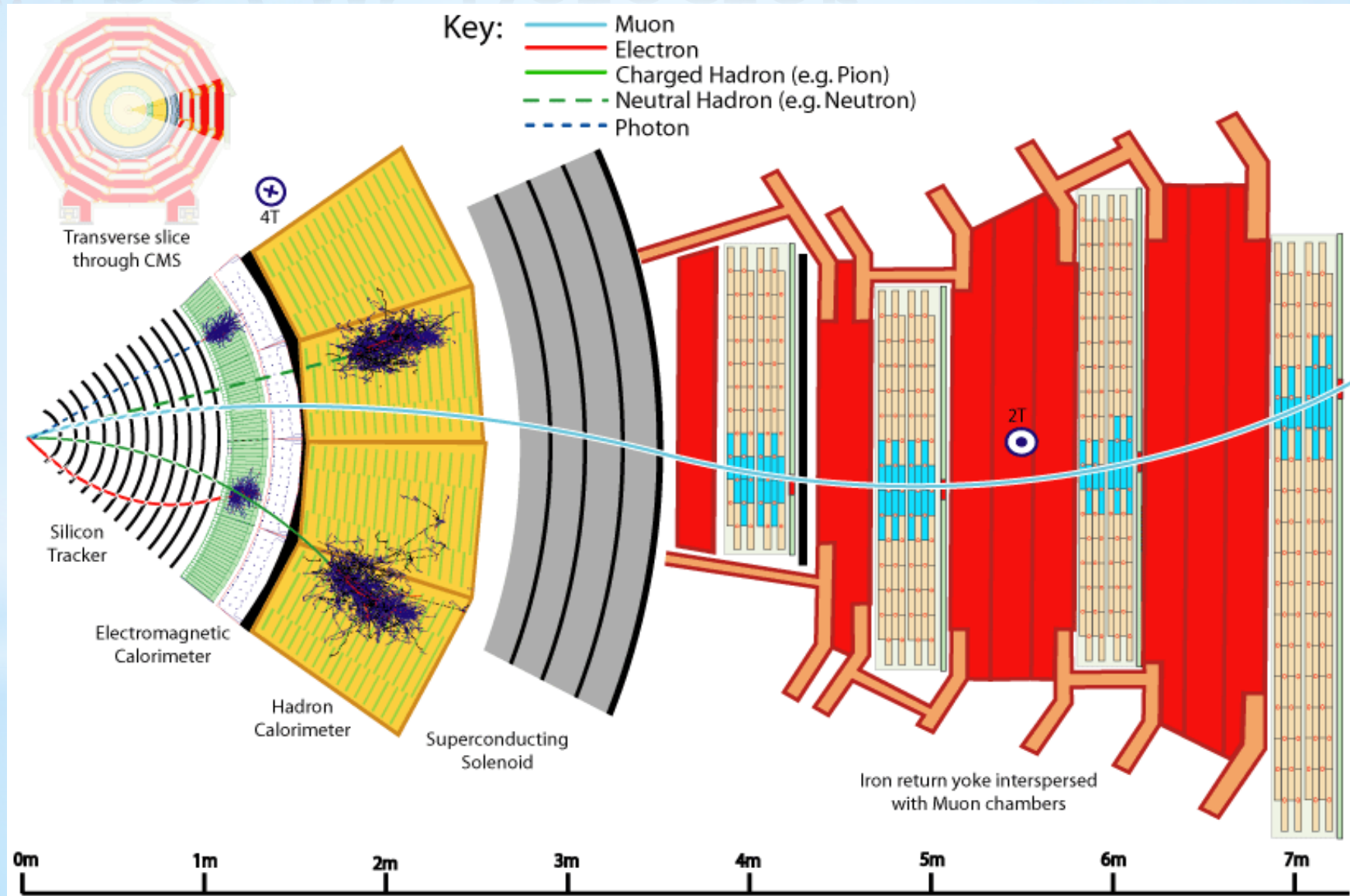
FORWARD CALORIMETER
Steel + Quartz fibres $\sim 2,000$ Channels

CRYSTAL
ELECTROMAGNETIC
CALORIMETER (ECAL)
 $\sim 76,000$ scintillating PbWO_4 crystals

HADRON CALORIMETER (HCAL)
Brass + Plastic scintillator $\sim 7,000$ channels

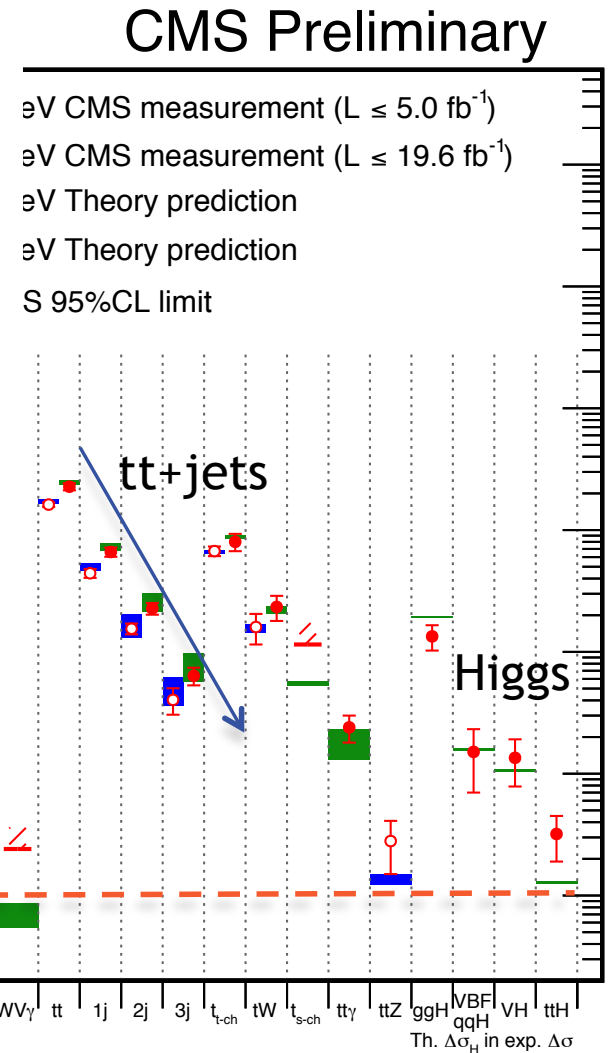
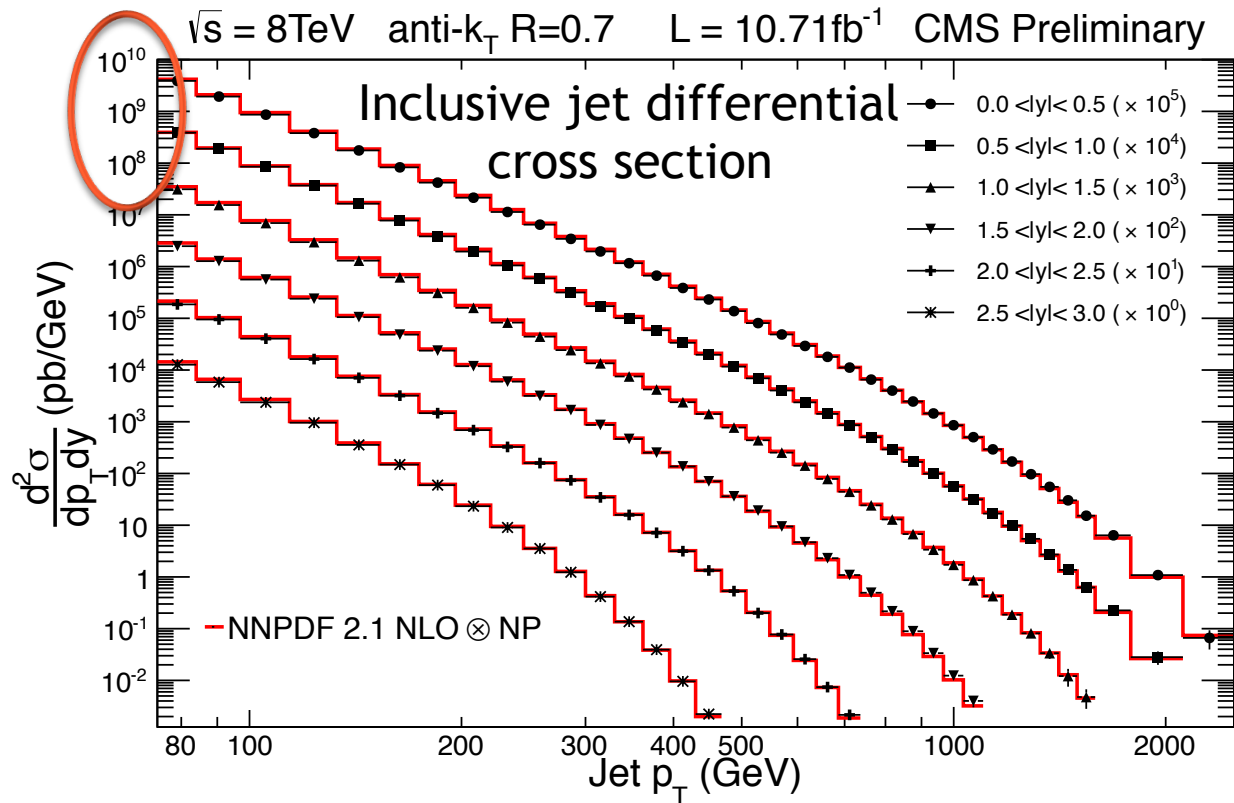


*The CMS Detector



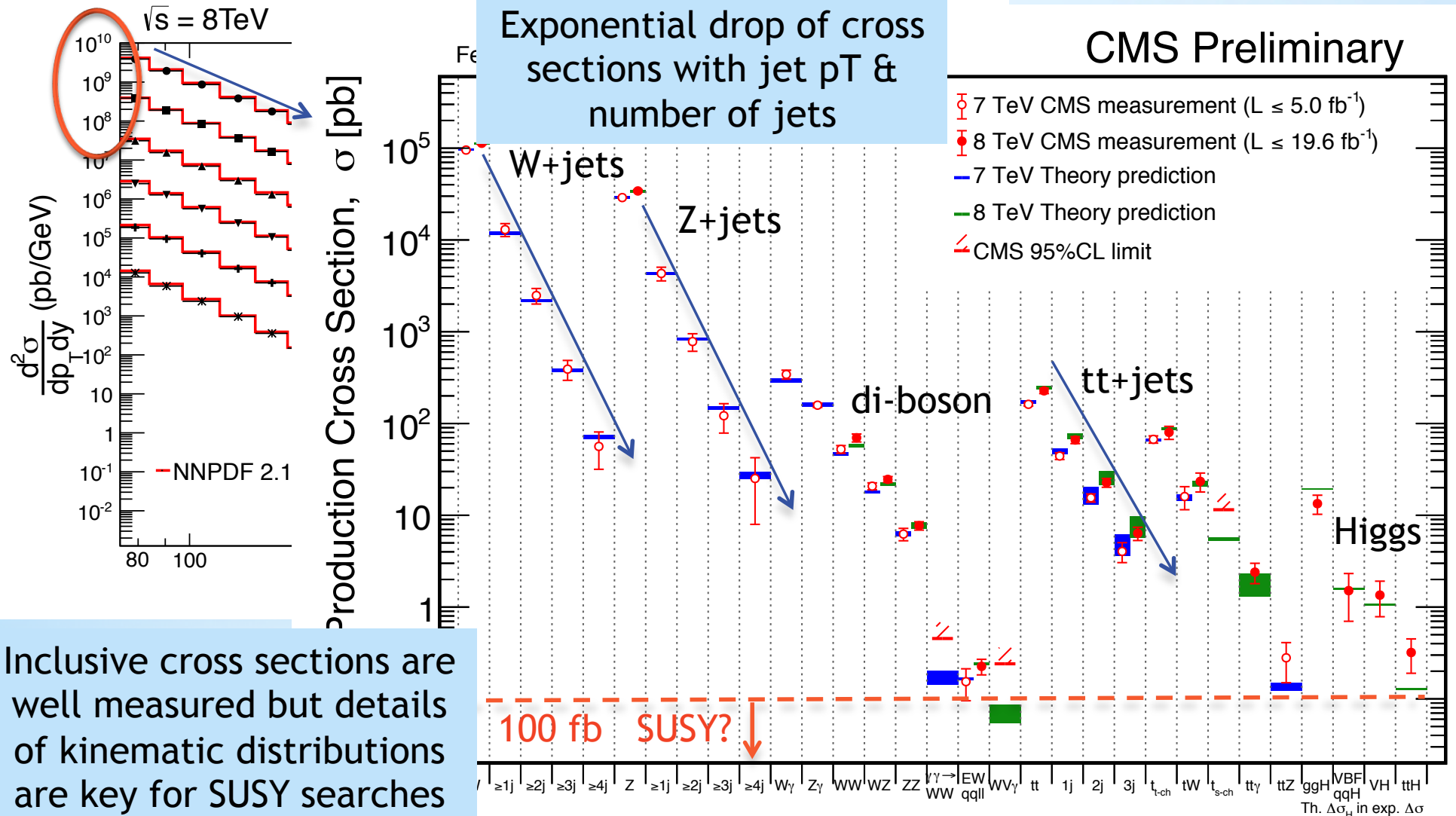
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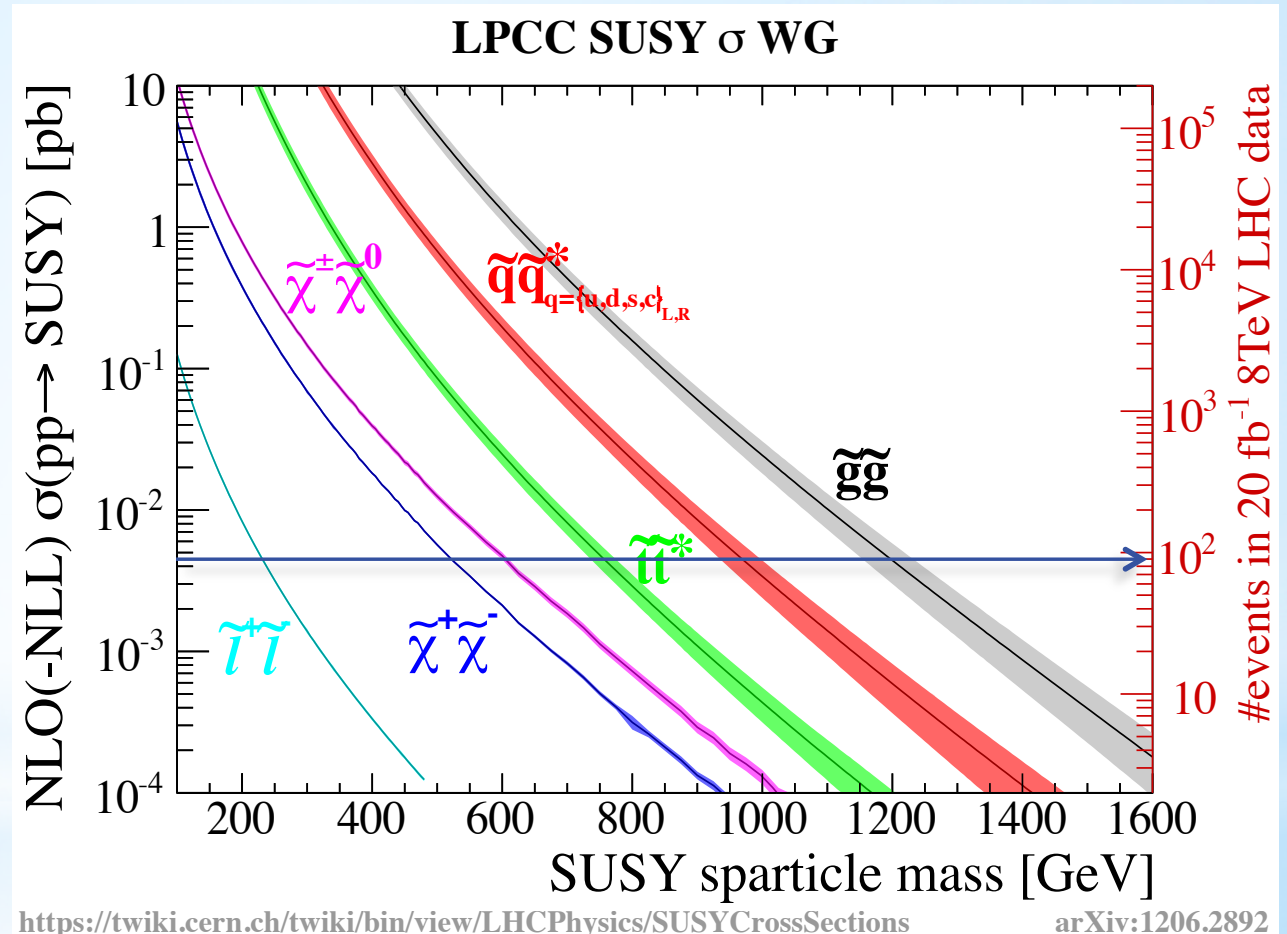
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Inclusive cross sections are well measured but details of kinematic distributions are key for SUSY searches

* Focus of current searches

- * stops and sbottoms (special role wrt to Higgs)
- * gluinos and “light” squarks
 - * search again for stop and sbottoms in gluino decays
- * charginos, neutralinos, sleptons
- * searches for Higgs in SUSY cascade decays
- * RPV searches



* Focus of current searches

* stops and sbottoms

- * Direct stop pair production
SUS-13-015, SUS-14-011

- * Monojet search for stop \rightarrow charm χ_1^0
SUS-13-009

- * Search for sbottom production
SUS-13-018

* gluinos and “light” squarks

- * search again for stop and sbottom
in gluino decays

- * Inclusive search with M_{T2}
SUS-13-019

- * Inclusive search with razor
SUS-14-011

- * There are many many more results, please check:

- * <https://twiki.cern.ch/twiki/bin/view/CMSPublic/PhysicsResultsSUS>

* searches for Higgs in SUSY cascade

- * $stop_2 \rightarrow stop_1 + higgs/Z$ search
SUS-13-024

- * $neutralino_1 \rightarrow higgs + gravitino$
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* charginos, neutralinos, sleptons

- * channels with Higgs, Z & W bosons
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- * OS dilepton edge - SUS-12-019

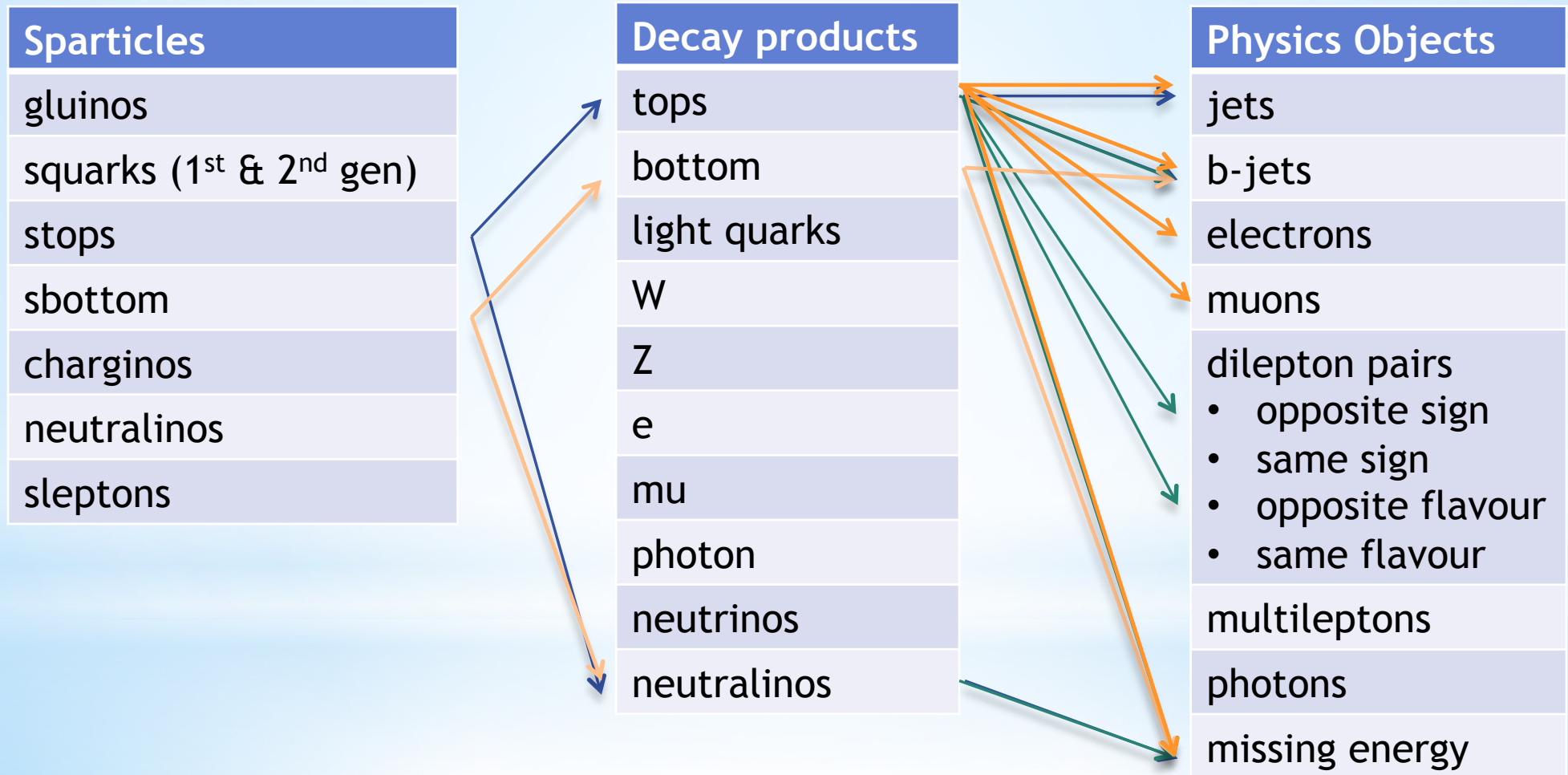
- * GGM searches with photons -
SUS-14-008

* RPV searches

- * SUS-12-015, SUS-13-010

*Signature based searches

* split by no. of jets, b-jets, leptons, photons, ...



Many possible final states for decay of one particle - can get complicated quickly!

*Signature based searches

*split by no. of jets, b-jets, leptons, photons, ...

Sparticles
gluinos
squarks (1 st & 2 nd gen)
stops
sbottom
charginos
neutralinos
sleptons

✓
✓
✓
✓

Decay products
tops
bottom
light quarks
W
Z
e
mu
photon
neutrinos
neutralinos

✓
✓
✓
✓

✓
✓

Physics Objects
jets
b-jets
electrons
muons
dilepton pairs <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • opposite sign • same sign • opposite flavour • same flavour
multileptons
photons
missing energy

✓
✓

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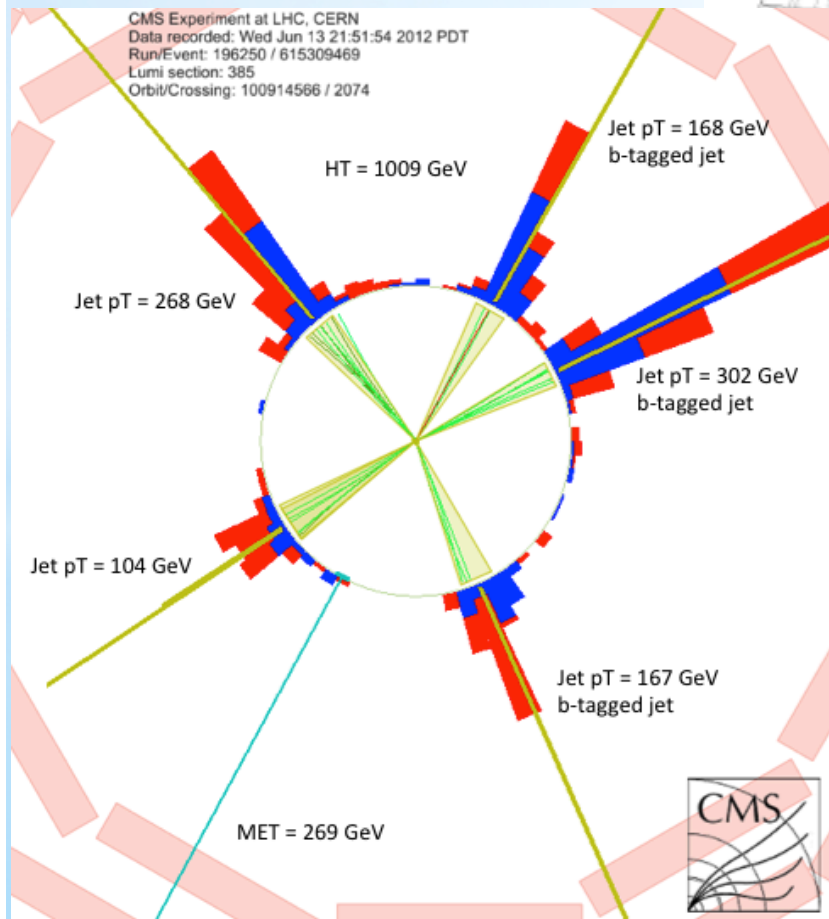
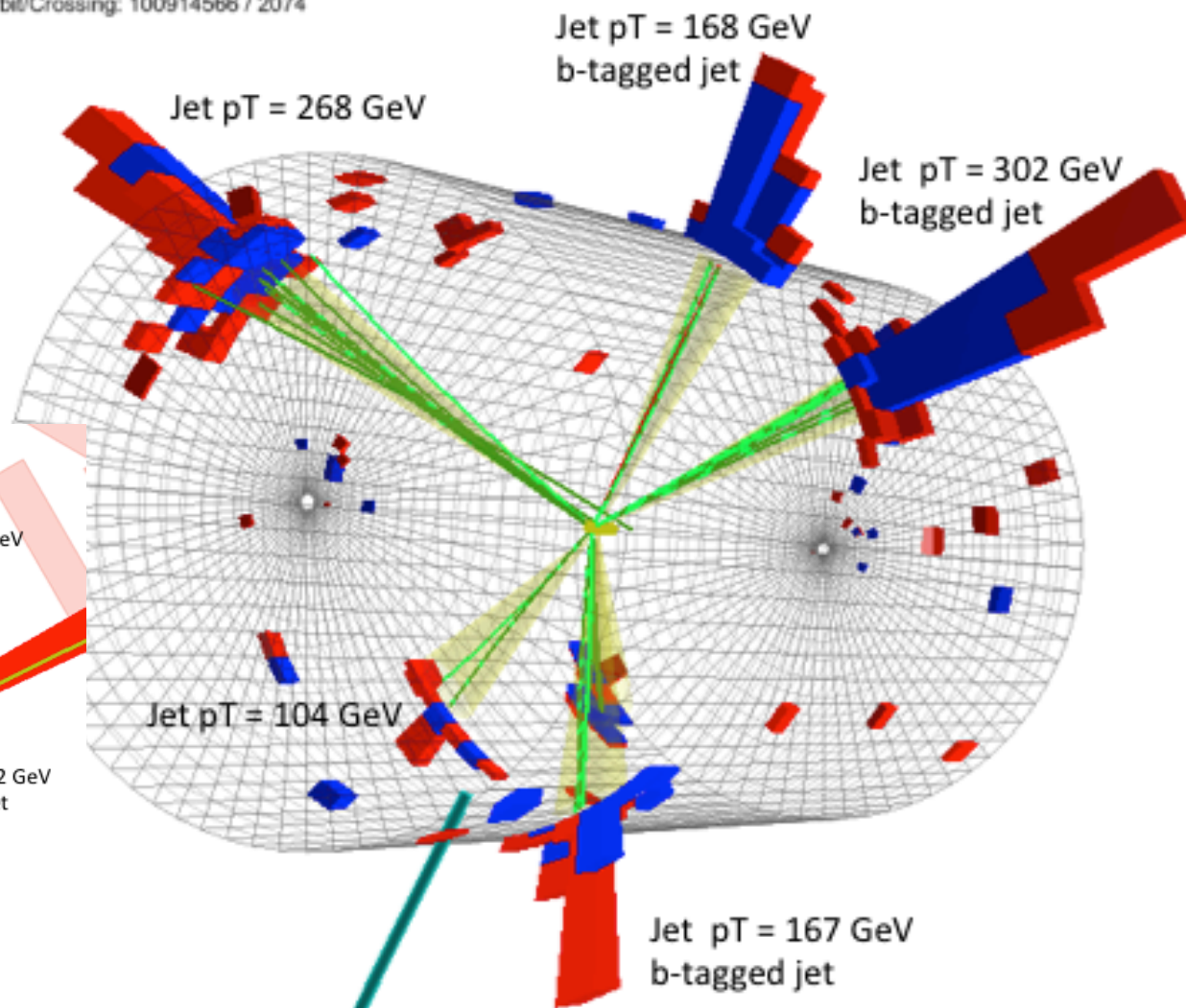
← given final state often sensitive to more than one decay chain

Real Data Event Display

multi-jet
multi-b
missing energy

CMS Experiment at LHC, CERN
Data recorded: Wed Jun 13 21:51:54 2012 PDT
Run/Event: 196250 / 615309469
Lumi section: 385
Orbit/Crossing: 100914566 / 2074

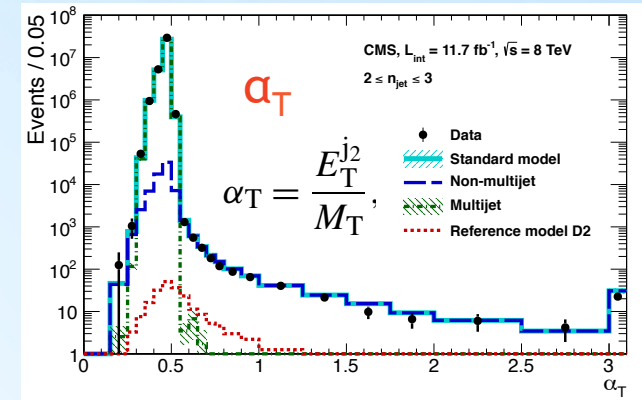
HT = 1009 GeV



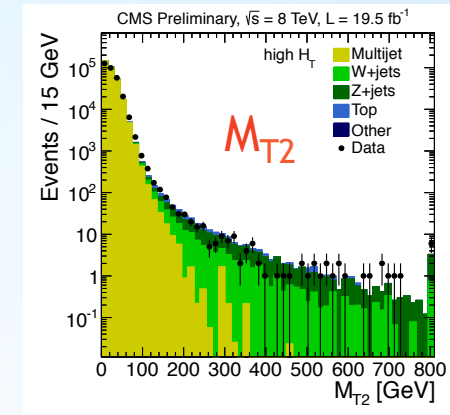
MET = 269 GeV

* Search strategies

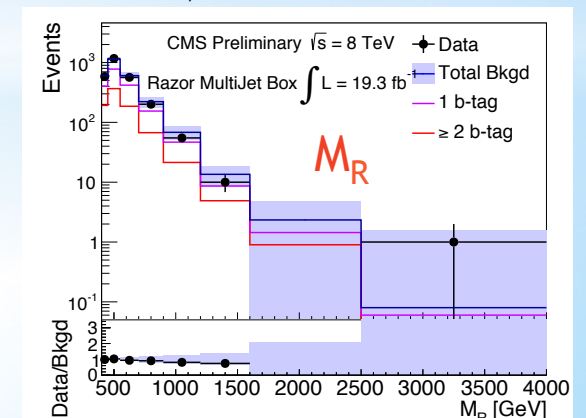
- * Define signal regions such to keep expected backgrounds small, by using novel kinematic variables, e.g., α_T , M_{T2} , M_{CT} , R^2 , M_R etc.
- * Define background enriched control samples that are kinematically similar to signal region
- * Extrapolate from control -> signal regions using extrapolation factors derived from simulation and data wherever possible
- * Verify extrapolation and its accuracy from independent control regions



$$M_{T2}(m_{\tilde{\chi}}) = \min_{\vec{p}_T^{\tilde{\chi}(1)} + \vec{p}_T^{\tilde{\chi}(2)} = \vec{p}_T^{\text{miss}}} \left[\max \left(M_T^{(1)}, M_T^{(2)} \right) \right]$$

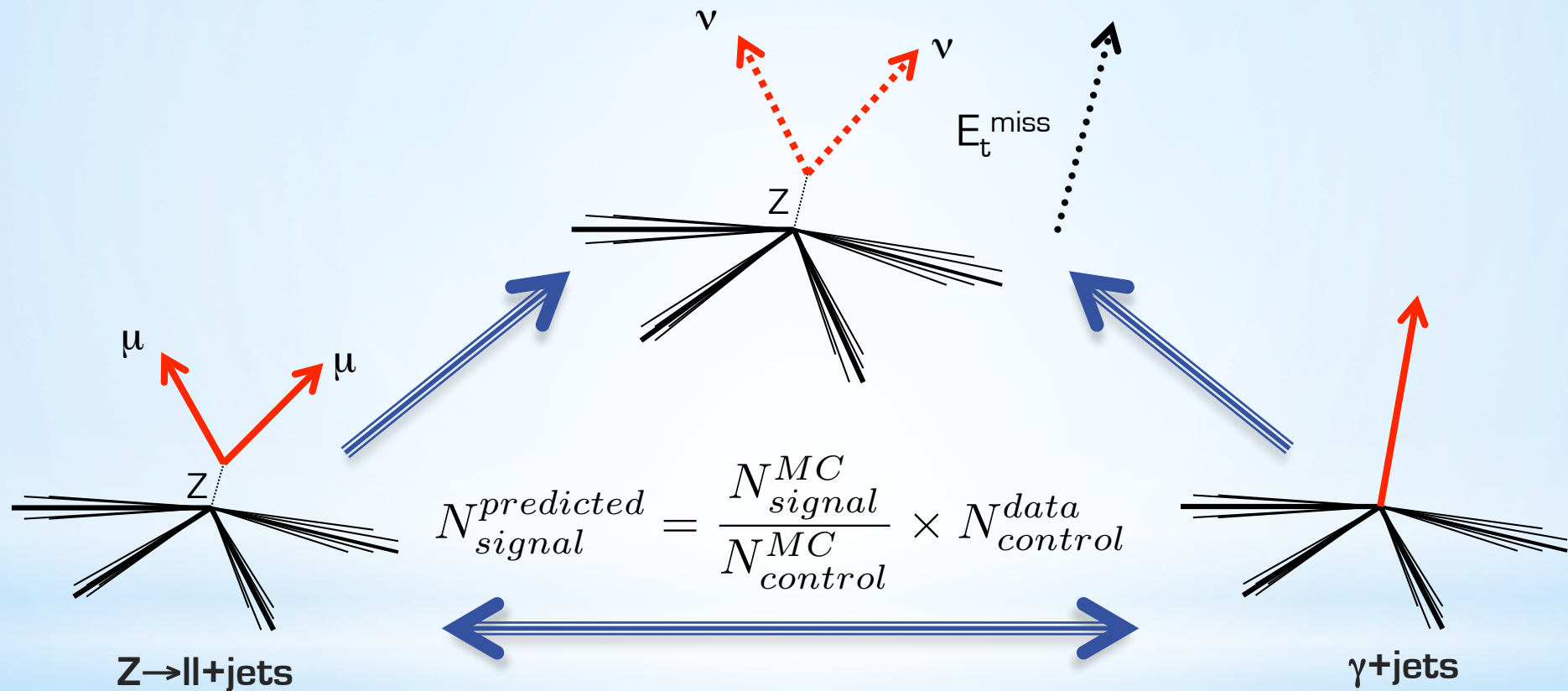


$$M_R \equiv \sqrt{(p_{j1} + p_{j2})^2 - (p_z^j1 + p_z^j2)^2}$$



* Analysis methods for background estimation

An illustrative example: $Z \rightarrow \nu\nu + \text{jets}$,
irreducible background for $\text{Jets} + E_t^{\text{miss}}$ search



Strength:

- very clean, easy to select

Weakness:

- low statistic: factor 6 suppressed wrt. to $Z \rightarrow \nu\nu$

Verify MC extrapolation factor by “predicting”,
e.g., $Z + \text{jets}$ from $W + \text{jets}$

Strength:

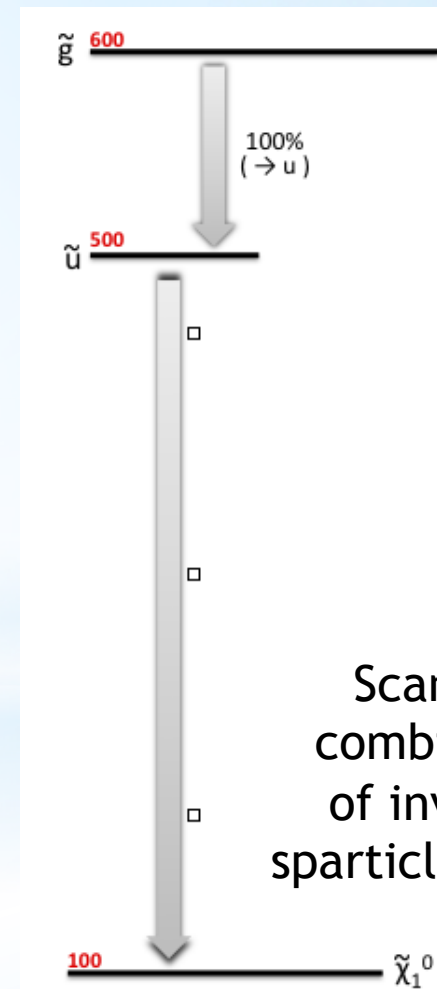
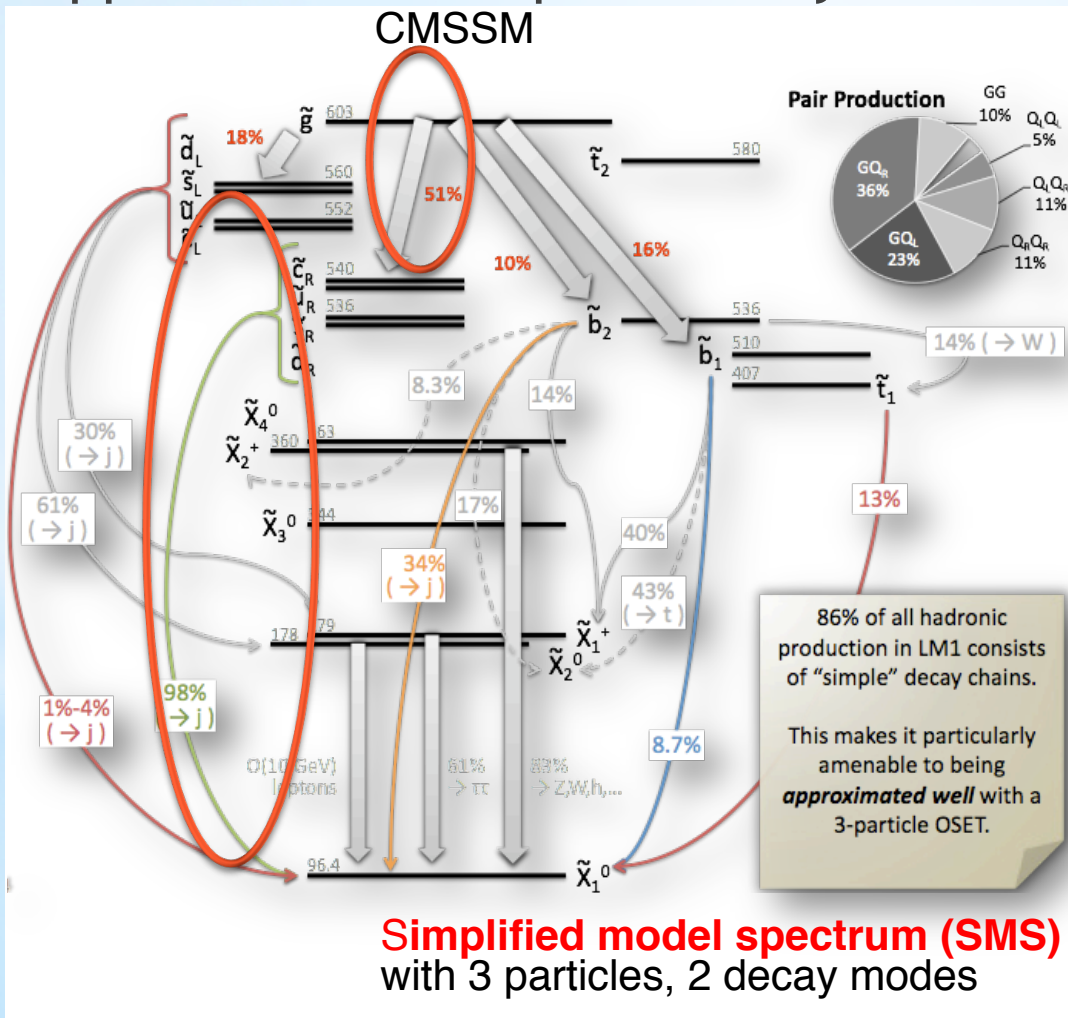
- large stat, clean for high E_γ

Weakness:

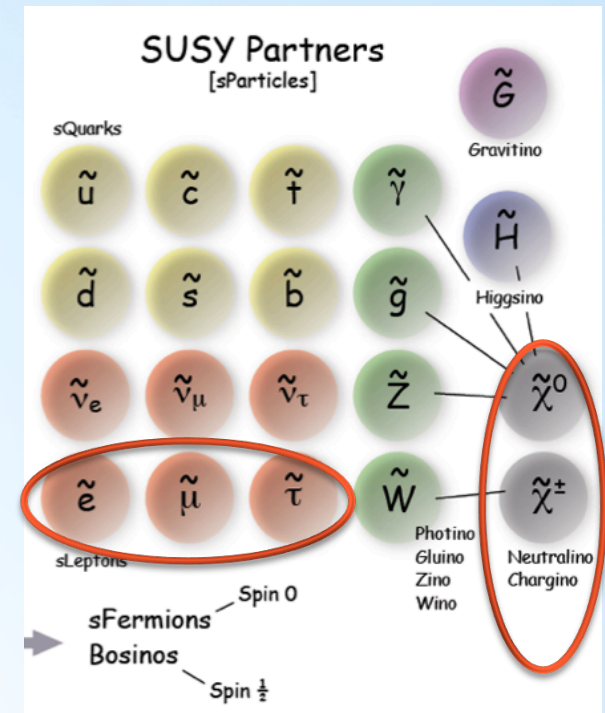
- not clean for $E_\gamma < 100$ GeV,
- theoretical uncertainties

* Interpretation of searches: from full spectra to simplified models

- * often a few dominant decay chains
- * approximate full spectrum by a few decay chains



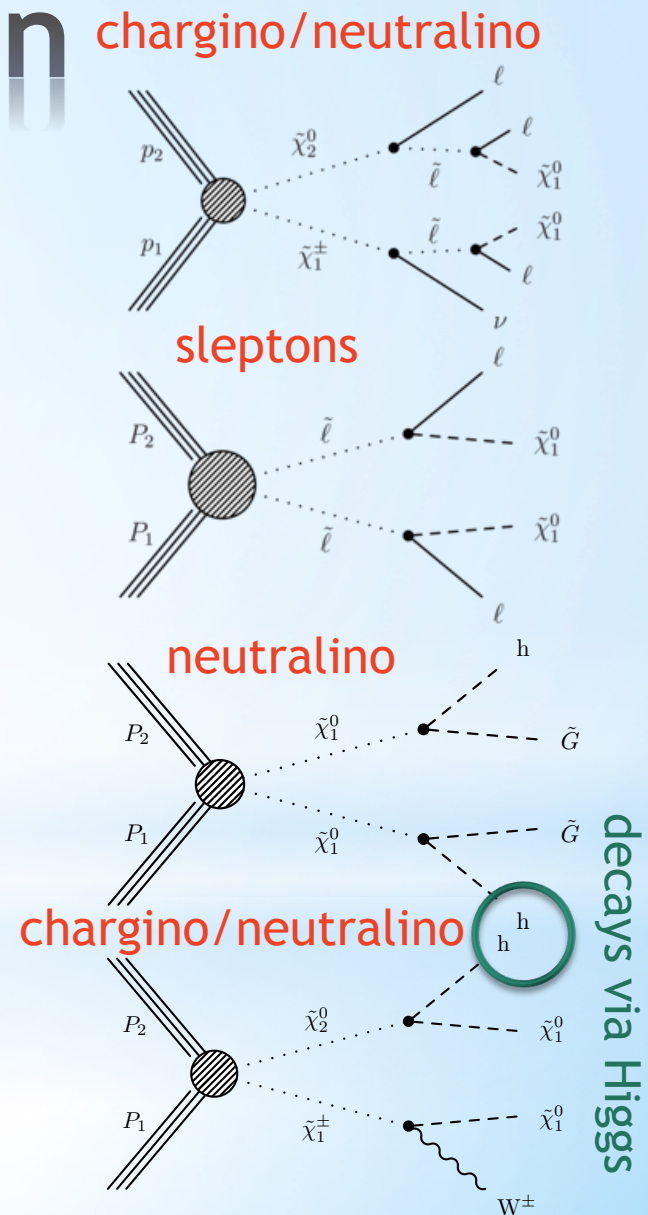
Scan any combination of involved sparticle masses



* Searches for charginos, neutralinos and sleptons

* Searches for electroweak SUSY production

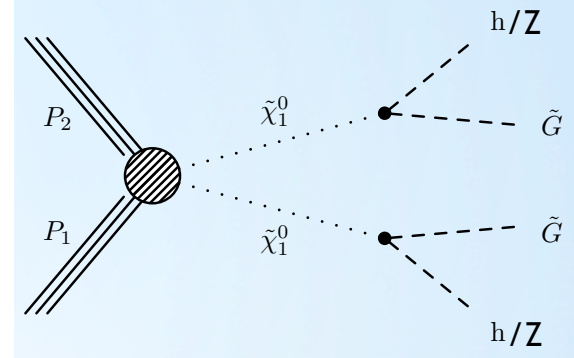
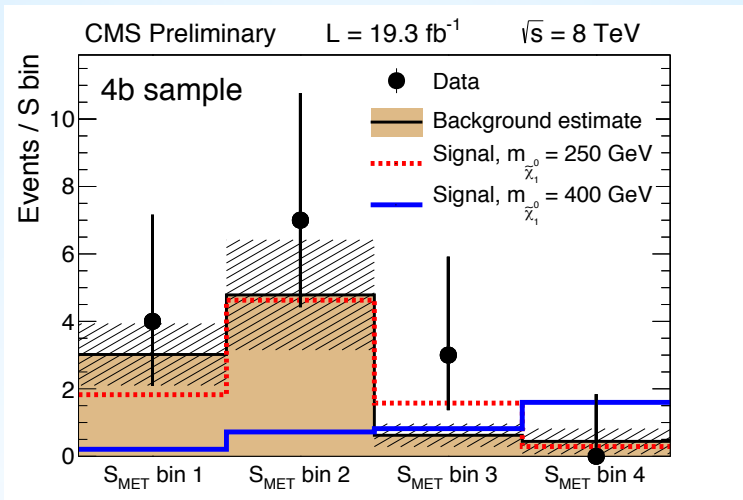
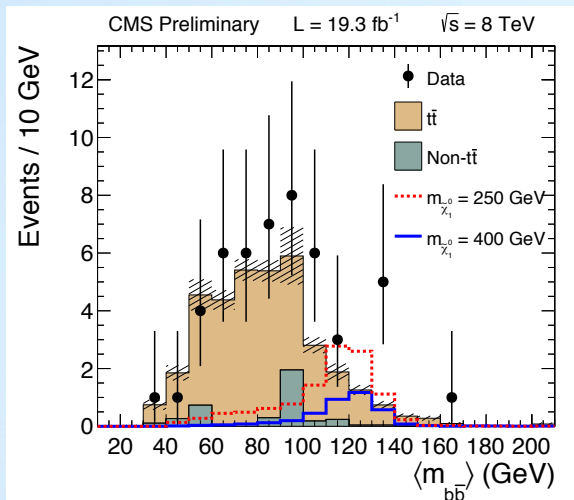
- * Electroweak production characterized by
 - * smaller predicted cross sections
 - * lower levels of hadronic activity
- * CMS carried out comprehensive search programme covering di-boson + MET final states: WW, WZ, ZZ, Wh, Zh, hh
 - * with $h \rightarrow ZZ, WW, \gamma\gamma, bb$
- * Higgs discovery opens up new SUSY searches:
 - * Lightest neutral CP-even Higgs (h) expected to be SM-like, if others are heavy.
 - * Charginos and neutralinos decay to $h + \text{LSP}$ or $V + \text{LSP}$, with $V = W, Z$.



* Search for decay to Zh and hh

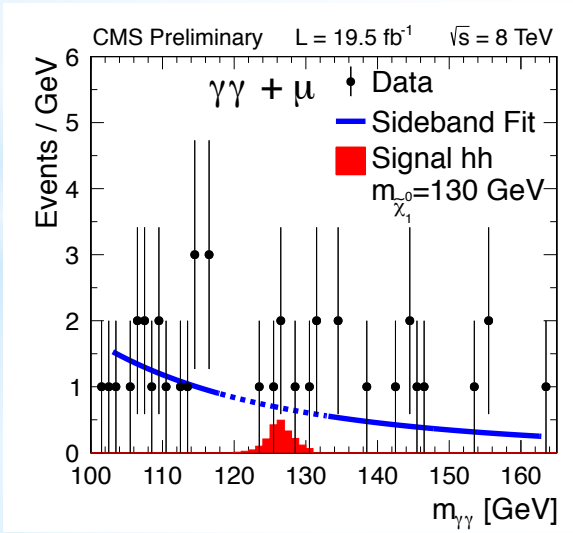
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* hh->bbbb channel

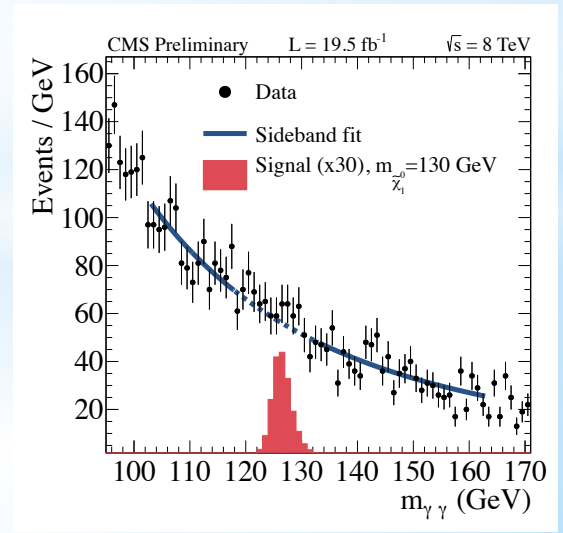


* hh, hZ, and hW channels with one $h \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ decay

hh, hZ, and hW
 $\rightarrow \gamma\gamma + \text{muons}$



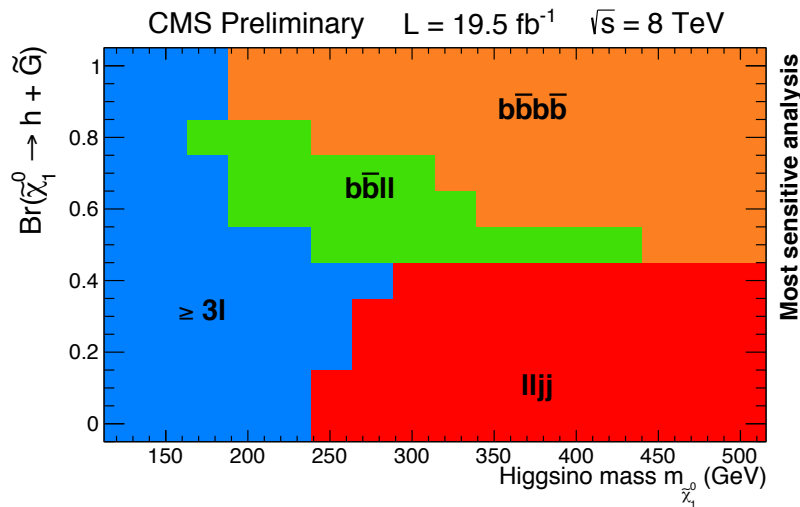
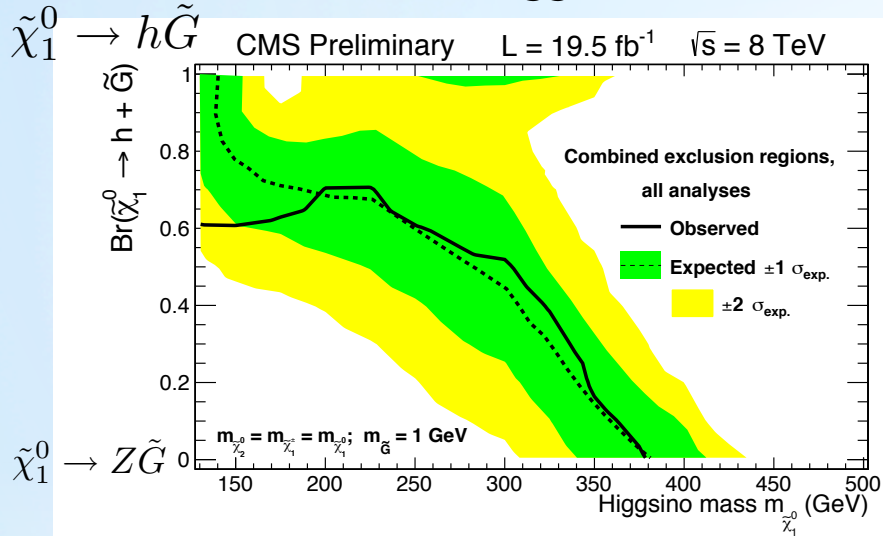
hZ and hW
 $\rightarrow \gamma\gamma + 2 \text{ jets}$



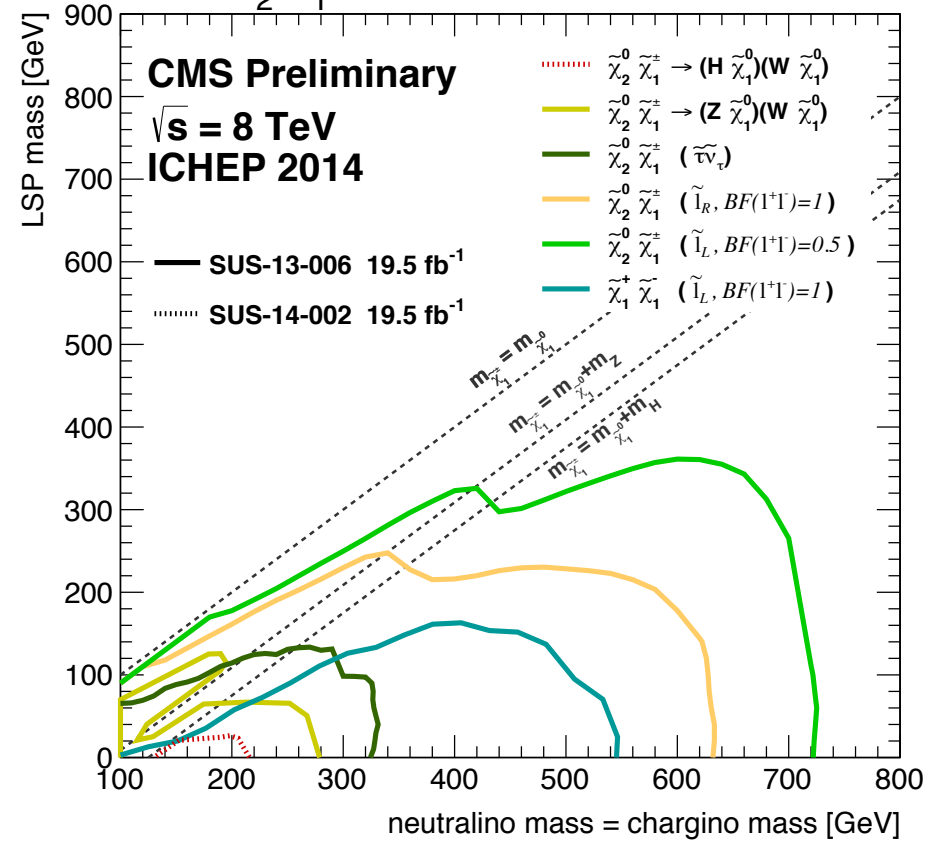
* Interpretations in Simplified models

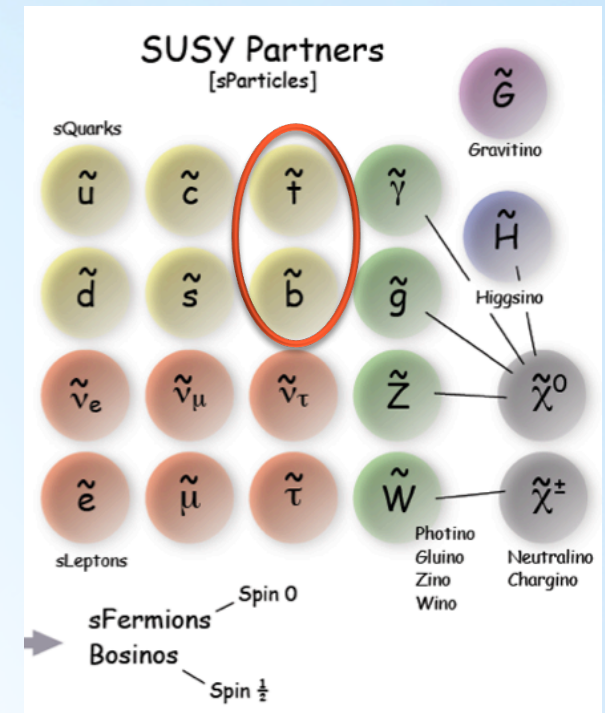
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GMSB Higgsino



$\tilde{\chi}_2^0 \tilde{\chi}_1^\pm$ production

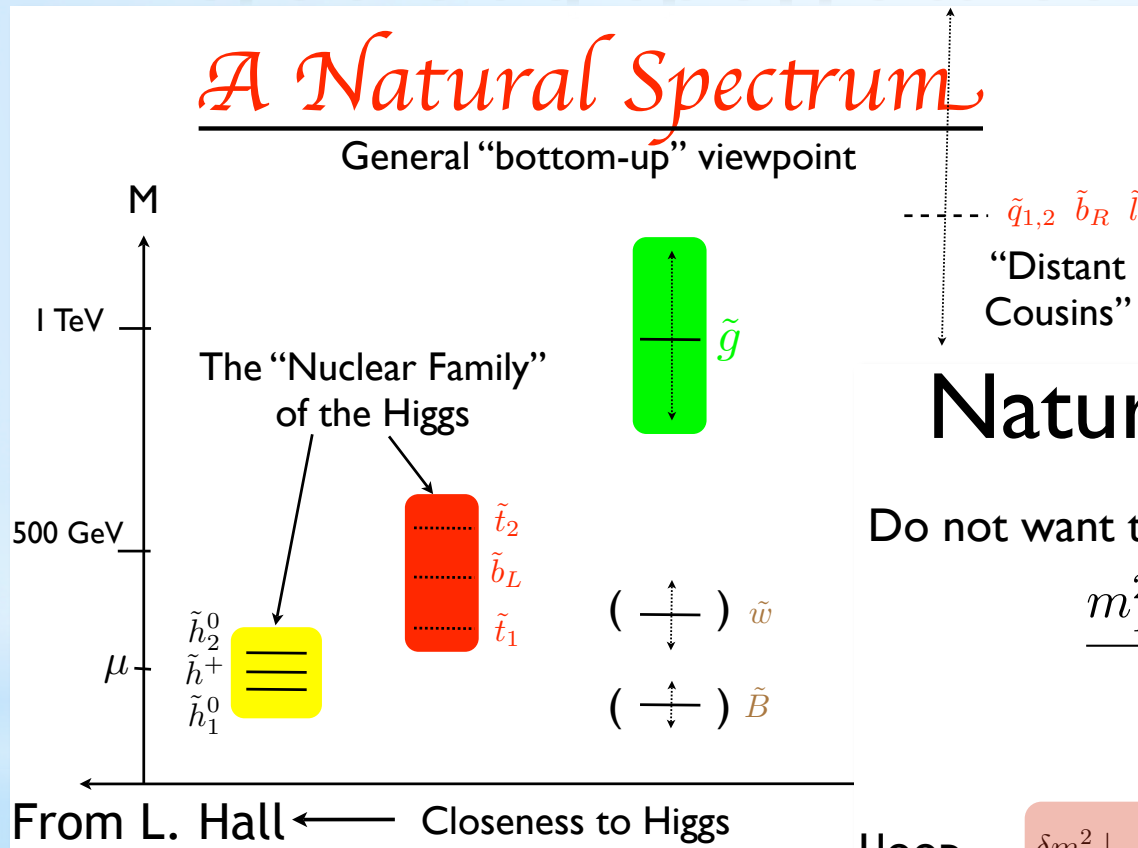




* direct production of stops
and sbottoms

* Search for 3rd generation SUSY

- stop and sbottom searches



Mass hierarchies that avoid fine-tuning

Natural EWSB & SUSY*

* valid beyond MSSM

Do not want tuning in (Higgs mass)²

$$\frac{m_{Higgs}^2}{2} = -|\mu|^2 + \dots + \delta m_H^2$$

Higgsinos

1 loop

$$\delta m_H^2|_{stop} = -\frac{3}{8\pi^2} y_t^2 (m_{\tilde{U}_3}^2 + m_{\tilde{Q}_3}^2 + |A_t|^2) \log\left(\frac{\Lambda}{\text{TeV}}\right)$$

stops, sbottom_L

2 loop

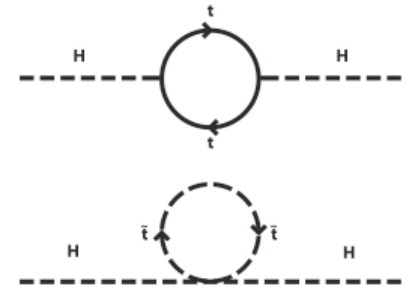
$$\delta m_H^2|_{gluino} = -\frac{2}{\pi^2} y_t^2 \left(\frac{\alpha_s}{\pi}\right) |M_3|^2 \log^2\left(\frac{\Lambda}{\text{TeV}}\right)$$

gluino

From A. Weiler

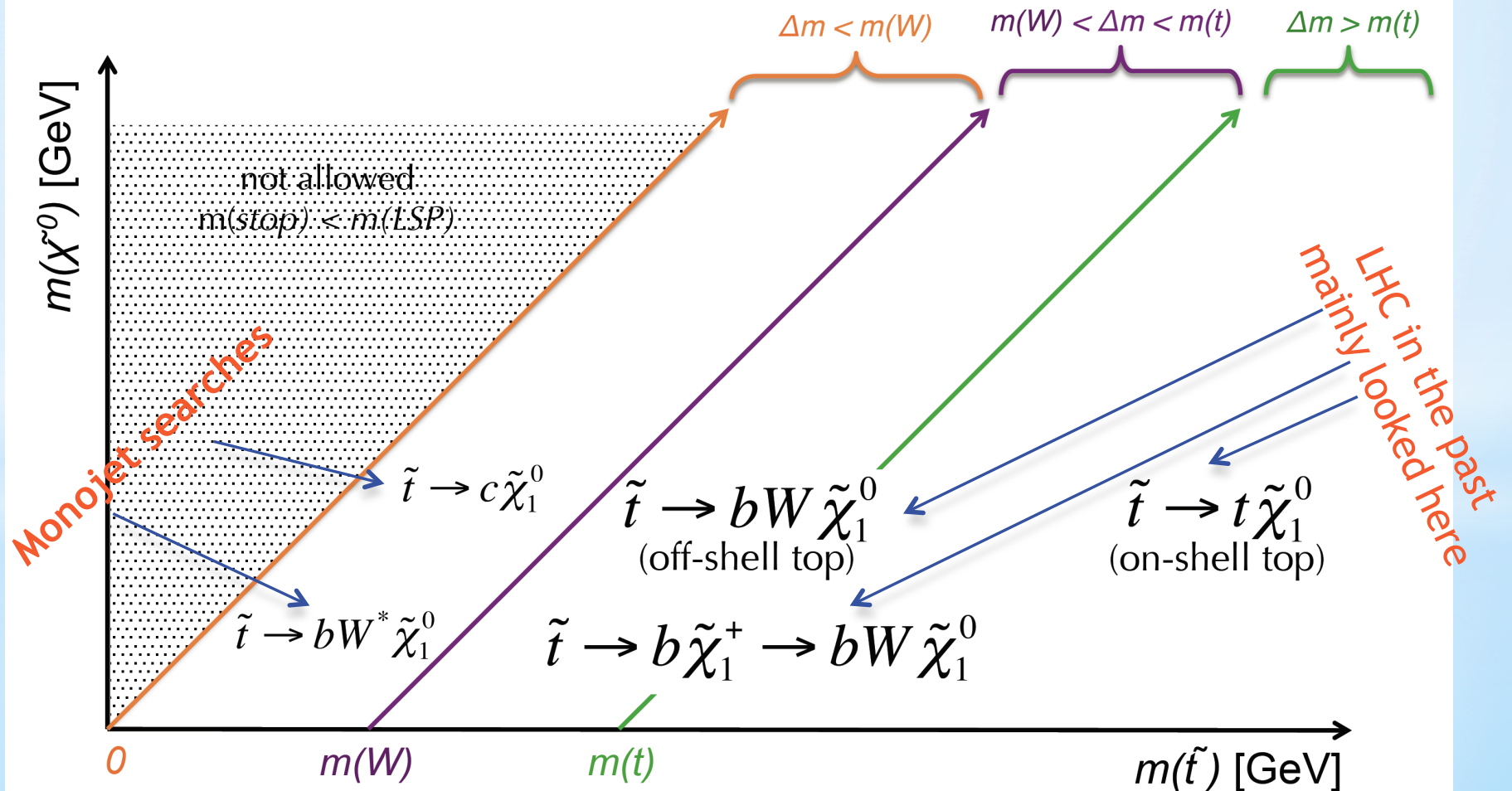
* Stop searches

- * Dominant stop decay channel largely depends on available phase space



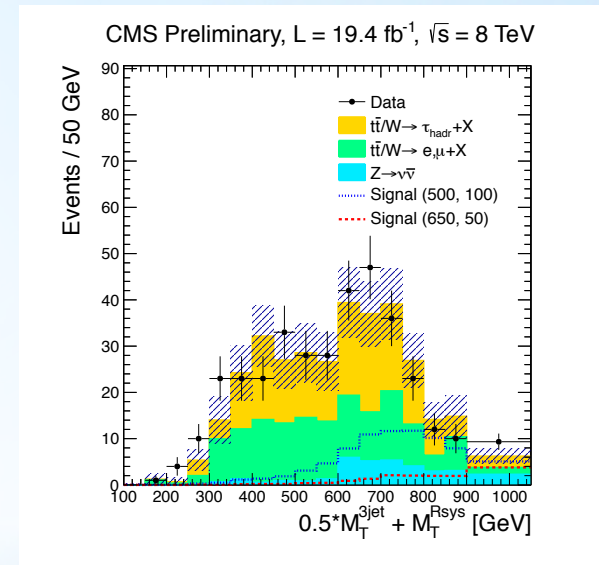
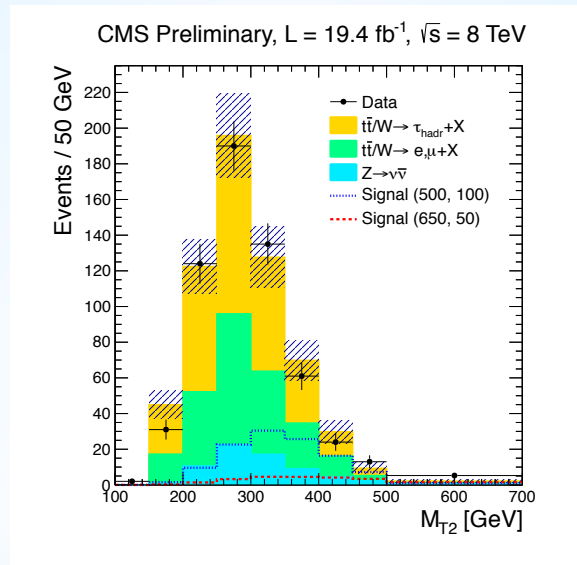
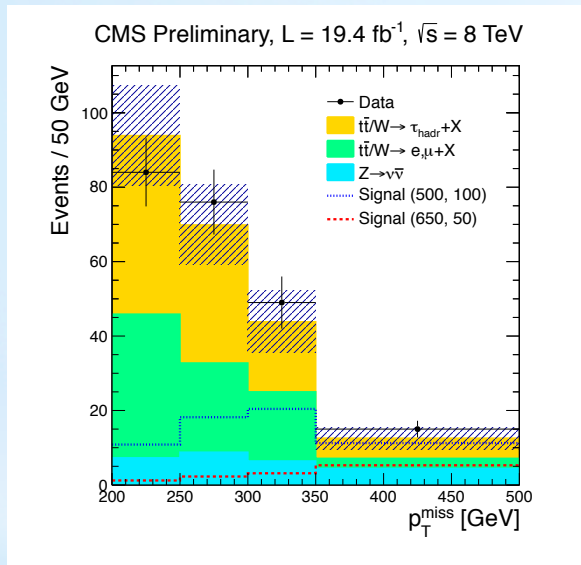
Decay modes in the $m(\tilde{t})$ vs. $m(\tilde{\chi}^0)$ plane

$$\Delta m = m(\tilde{t}) - m(\tilde{\chi}^0)$$



* Direct stop production - SUS-13-015

- * Hadronic decay channel, aims at reconstructing tops
- * Uses $p_{T\text{miss}}$, M_{T2} , M_T^{Rsys} and $M_T^{3\text{jet}}$ distributions as discriminating variables

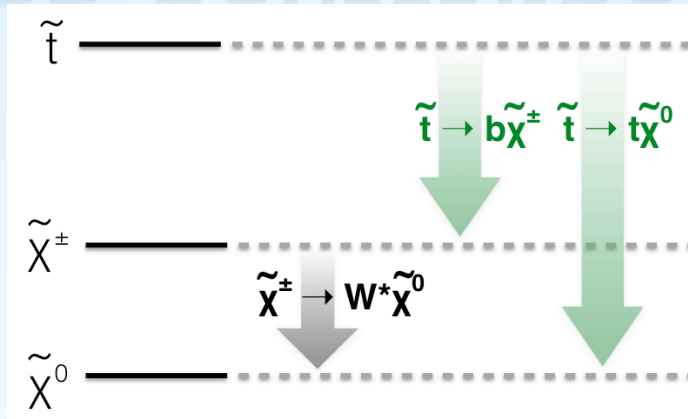


Search region	$Z \rightarrow \nu\bar{\nu}$	$t\bar{t}/W \rightarrow e, \mu + X$	$t\bar{t}/W \rightarrow \tau_h + X$	QCD	Rare processes	Total background	Obs. data
$p_T^{\text{miss}} > 200 \text{ GeV}, N_{b\text{-jets}} \geq 1$	$35.8^{+16.3}_{-19.0}$	$89.3^{+21.9}_{-21.0}$	$120.2^{+11.8}_{-11.9}$	$3.2^{+18.2}_{-3.2}$	$5.8^{+2.9}_{-2.9}$	$254.3^{+35.0}_{-31.0}$	254
$p_T^{\text{miss}} > 350 \text{ GeV}, N_{b\text{-jets}} \geq 1$	$13.2^{+6.5}_{-7.9}$	$8.2^{+4.0}_{-4.0}$	$16.5^{+3.4}_{-3.4}$	$1.0^{+1.9}_{-1.0}$	$2.0^{+1.0}_{-1.0}$	$40.9^{+8.6}_{-9.6}$	45
$p_T^{\text{miss}} > 200 \text{ GeV}, N_{b\text{-jets}} \geq 2$	$6.1^{+15.3}_{-5.5}$	$33.8^{+10.3}_{-10.0}$	$45.3^{+7.0}_{-7.0}$	$0.1^{+0.6}_{-0.1}$	$3.1^{+1.6}_{-1.6}$	$88.4^{+19.8}_{-13.5}$	83
$p_T^{\text{miss}} > 350 \text{ GeV}, N_{b\text{-jets}} \geq 2$	$1.8^{+6.8}_{-1.6}$	$1.2^{+1.0}_{-1.0}$	$4.3^{+1.7}_{-1.8}$	$0.1^{+0.5}_{-0.1}$	$1.2^{+0.6}_{-0.6}$	$8.6^{+7.1}_{-2.7}$	15

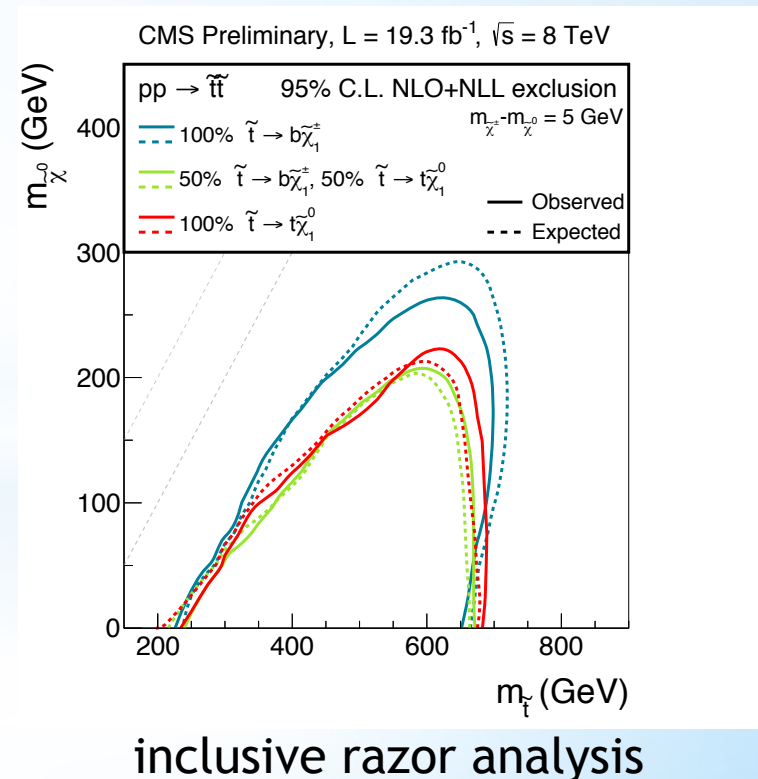
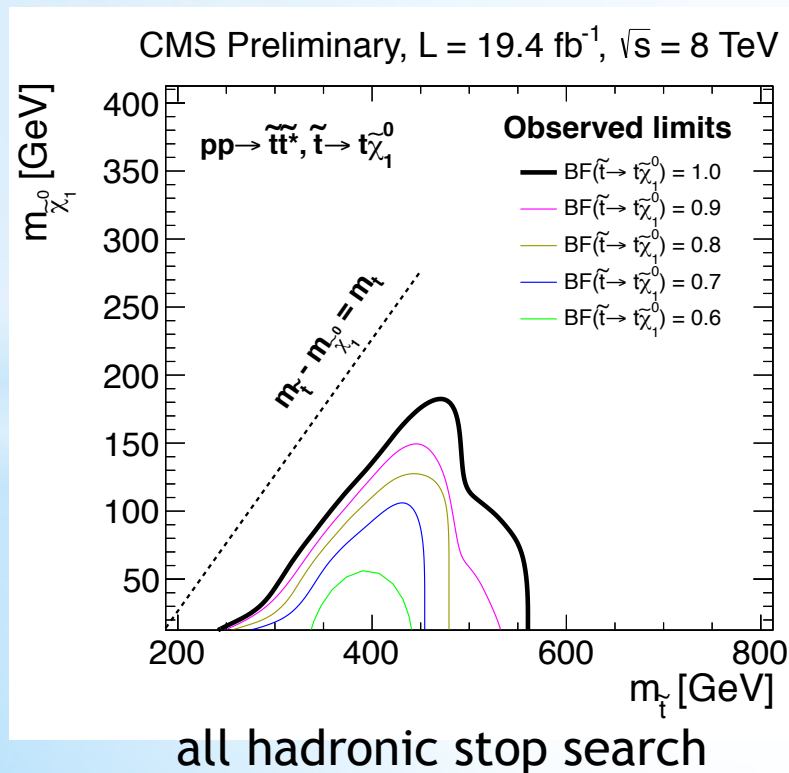
* Limit in stop-neutralino mass plane

* Dependence on stop BF

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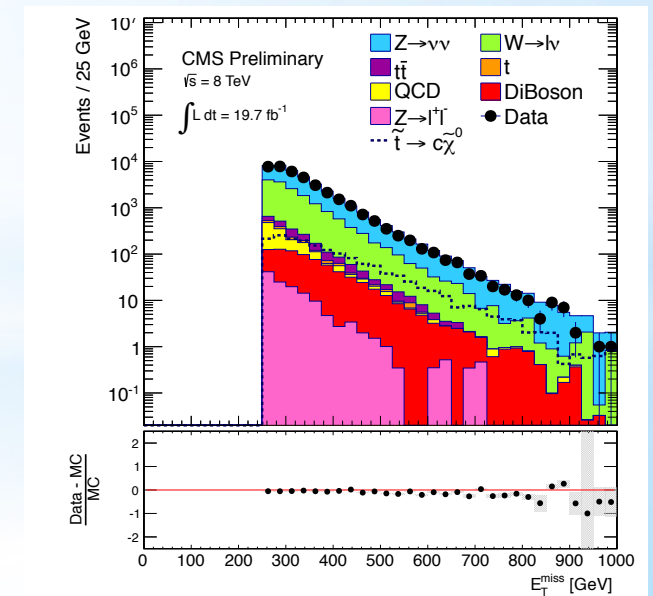
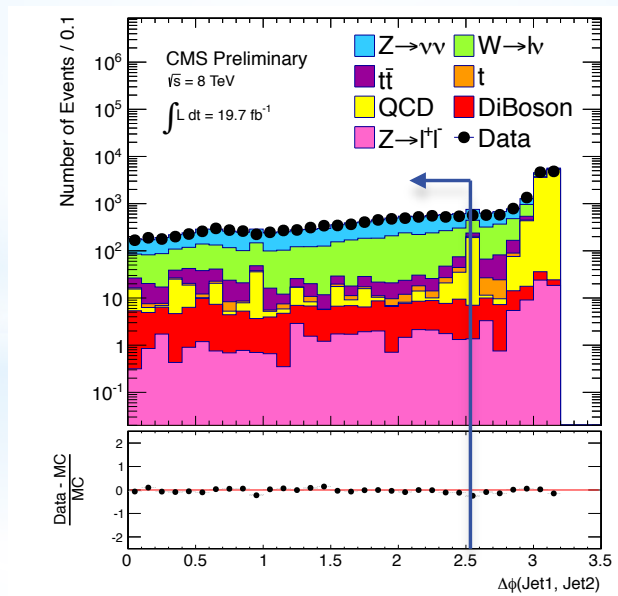
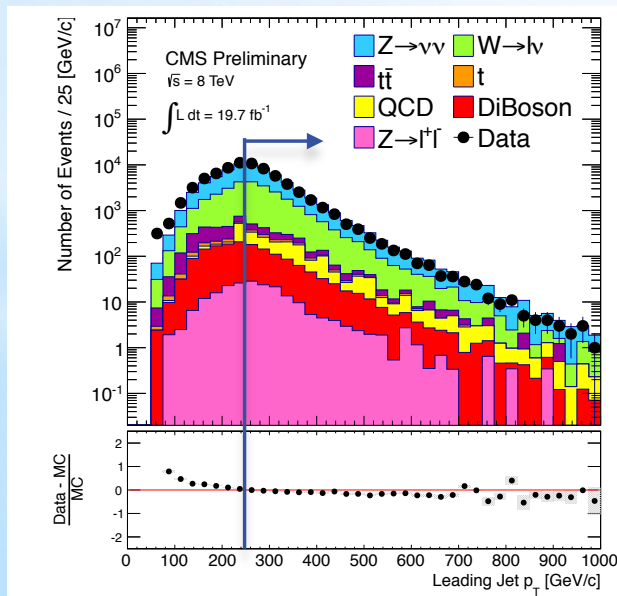
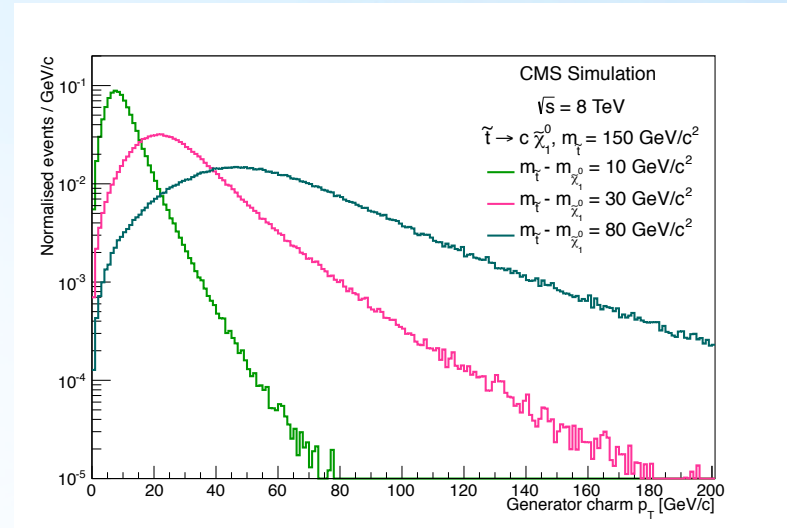
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* Monojet search for stop- \rightarrow charm χ_1^0

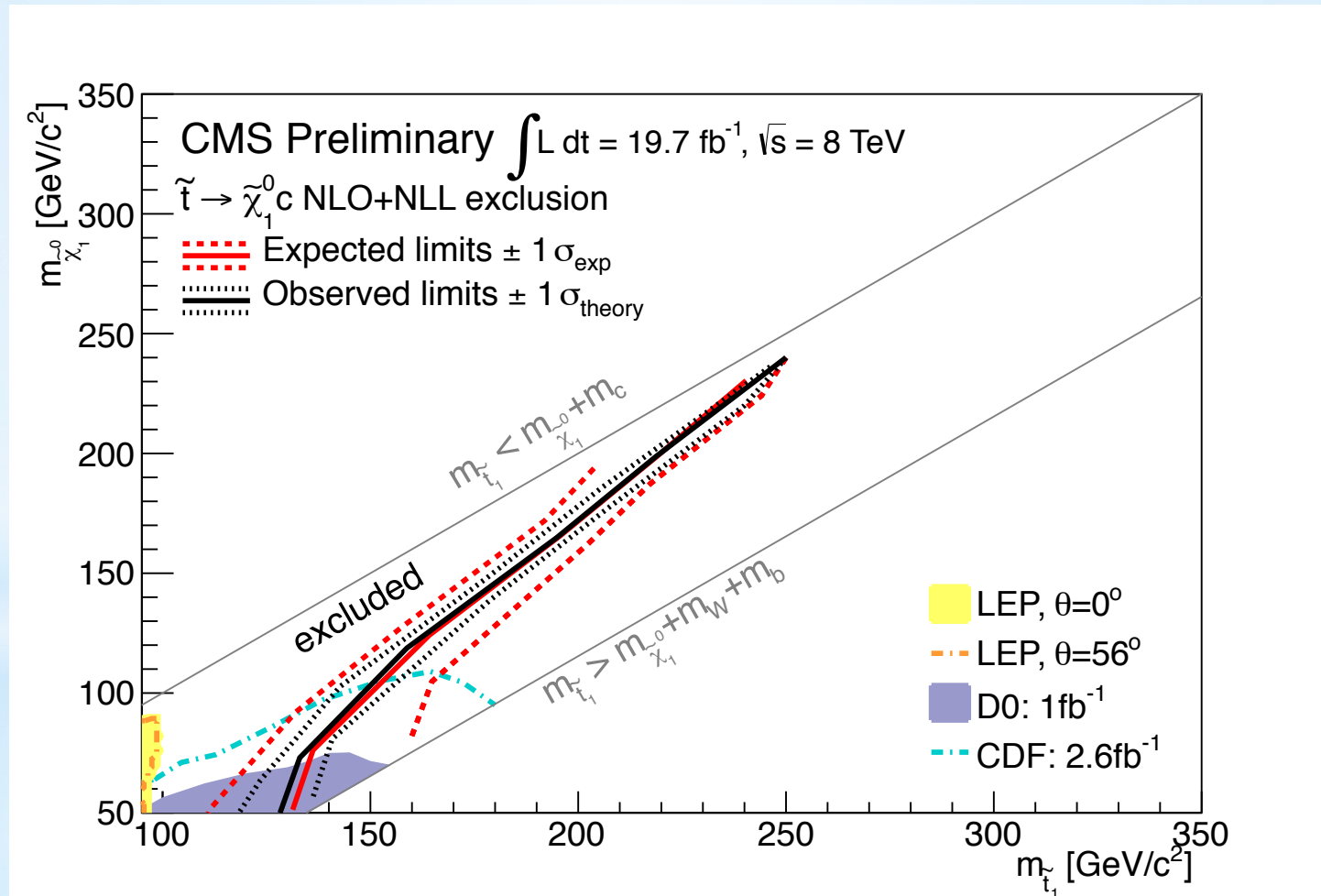
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- * Monojet search as function of leading jet p_T (> 250 GeV, ... , >550 GeV)
 - * MET > 250 GeV
- * Allow for second jet with $p_T > 60$ GeV, veto 3rd jet
- * Stop decay “invisible”
 - * only soft decay products



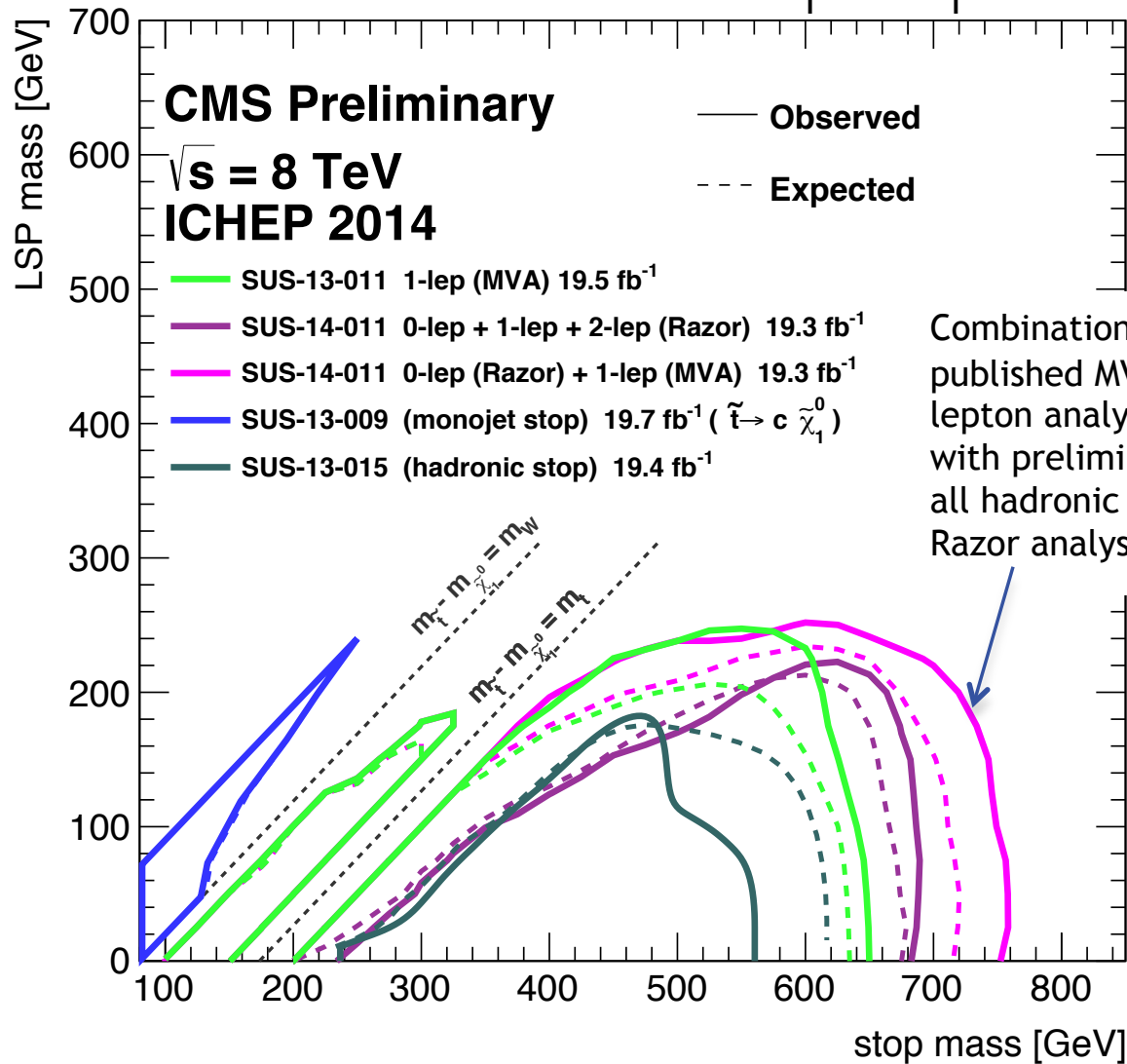
* Interpretation - SUS-13-009

$p_T(j_1)$ (GeV/c)	> 250	> 300	> 350	> 400	> 450	> 500	> 550
Total SM	35862 ± 1474	17409 ± 803	8064 ± 437	3907 ± 250	2098 ± 160	1096 ± 106	563 ± 71
Data	36582	17646	8119	3896	1898	1003	565



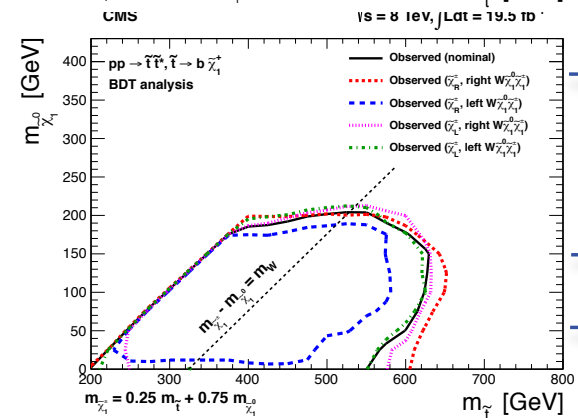
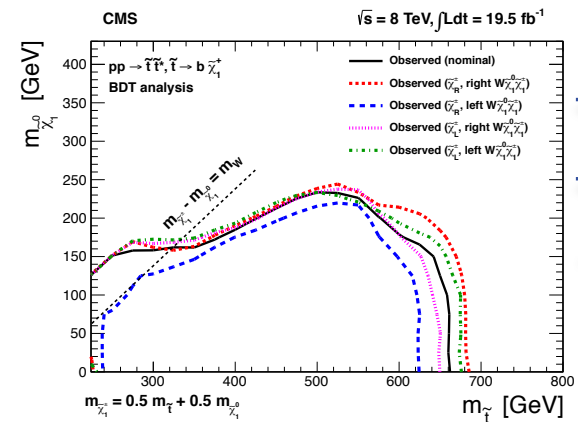
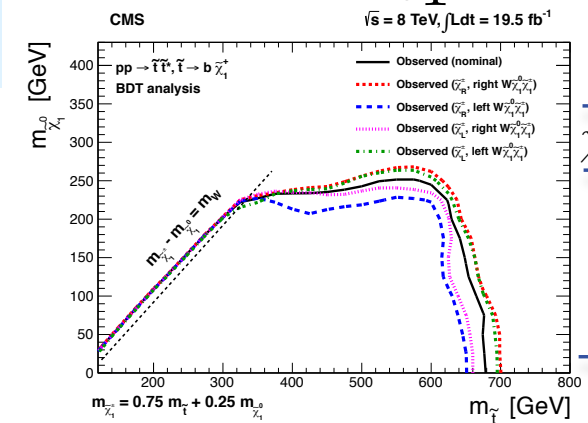
* Stop summary

$\tilde{t}\text{-}\tilde{t}$ production, $\tilde{t} \rightarrow t \tilde{\chi}_1^0 / c \tilde{\chi}_1^0$



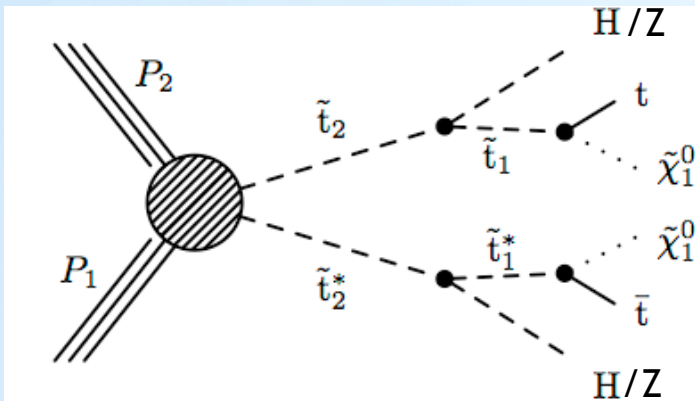
Combination of published MVA 1-lepton analysis with preliminary all hadronic Razor analysis.

$$\tilde{t} \rightarrow b \tilde{\chi}_1^\pm$$



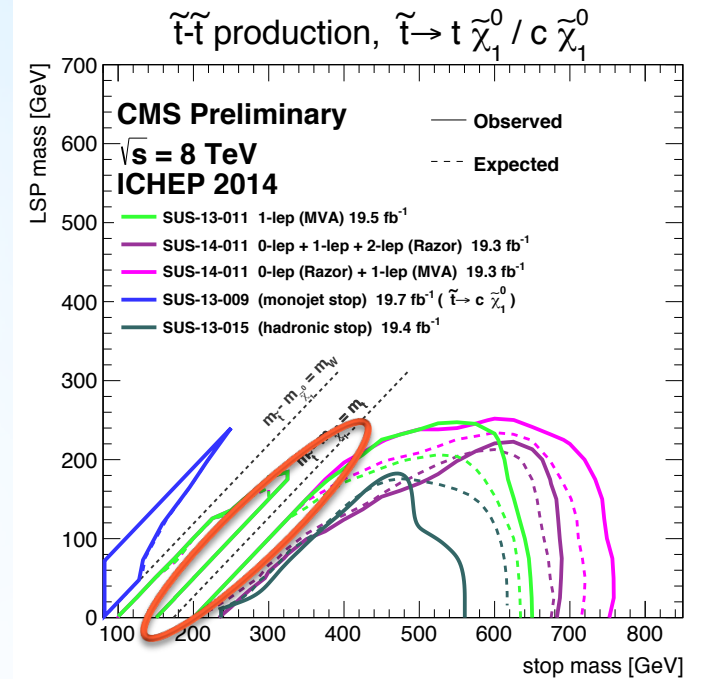
* Stop₂ search with decay via Z and H

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close the gap
where

$$m_{\text{stop}} - m_{\chi_1^0} = m_{\text{top}}$$



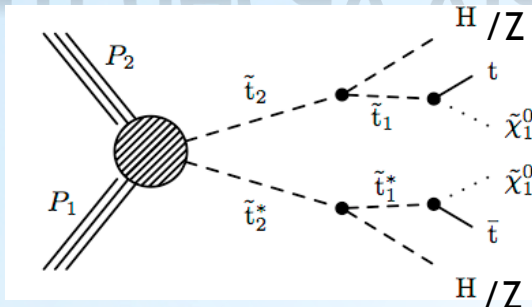
* Search regions:

Sensitive to $H \rightarrow bb$,
 $H \rightarrow ZZ$ & $H \rightarrow WW$ decays

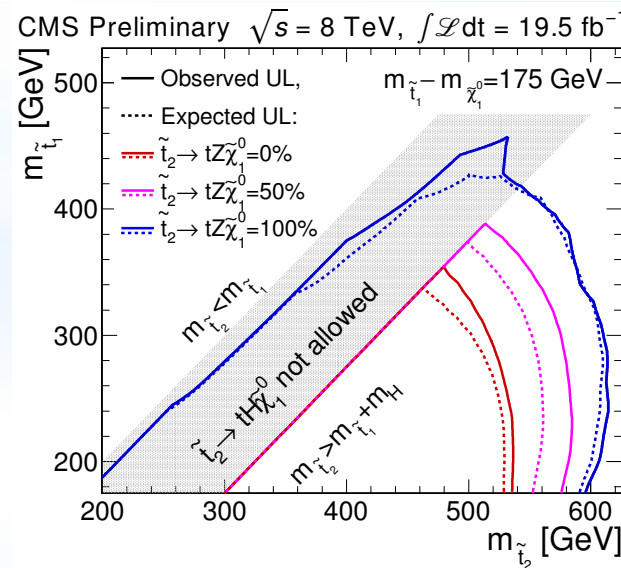
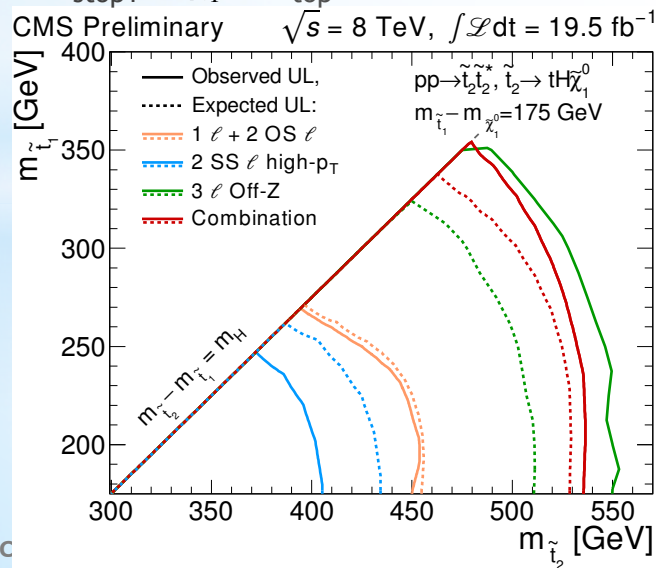
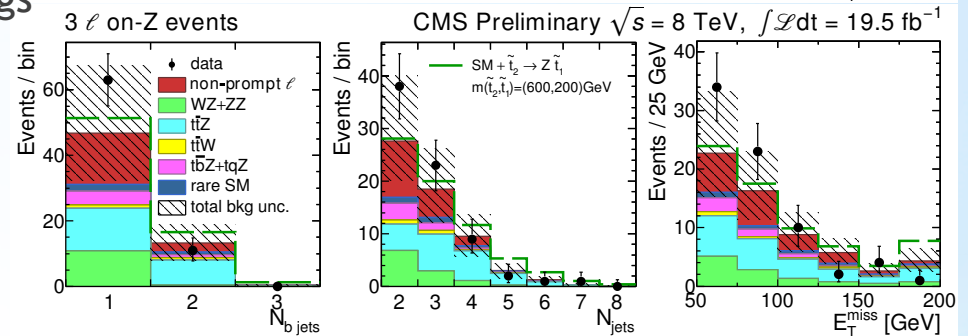
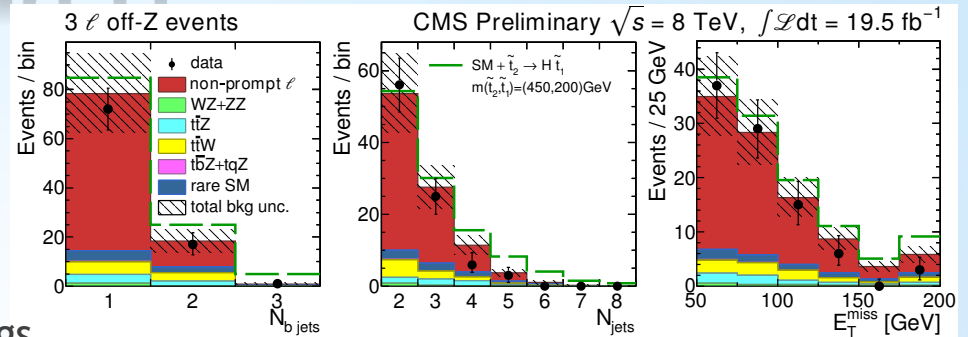
N_ℓ	Veto	$N_{b \text{ jets}}$	N_{jets}	E_T^{miss} [GeV]	Additional requirements [GeV]
1	track or τ_h	$= 3$ ≥ 4	≥ 5 ≥ 4	≥ 50	$m_T > 150$ $m_T > 120$
2 OS	extra e/μ	$= 3$ ≥ 4	≥ 5 ≥ 4	≥ 50	$(N_{bb} = 1 \text{ with } 100 \leq m_{bb} \leq 150), N_{bb} \geq 2$
2 SS	extra e/μ	$= 1$ ≥ 2	$[2, 3], \geq 4$	$[50, 120], \geq 120$	for low/high- p_T : $H_T \in [200, 400], \geq 400$
≥ 3	—	$= 1$ $= 2$ ≥ 3	$[2, 3], \geq 4$ ≥ 3	$[50, 100], [100, 200], \geq 200$	for on/off-Z: $H_T \in [60, 200], \geq 200$

* Higgs in SUSY cascades - Stop₂ search with decay via Z and H

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- * search with 1l, 2l (SS & OS) and ≥ 3 leptons + b-tags
 - * sensitive to H->bb, H->ZZ & H->WW decays
- * ≥ 3 lepton selection is the most sensitive
 - * split by on Z and off Z
- * search closes the gap where $m_{\text{stop}} - m_{\chi_1^0} = m_{\text{top}}$
- * For all points: $m_{\text{stop1}} - m_{\chi_1^0} = m_{\text{top}}$



* Search for sbottom with M_{CT}

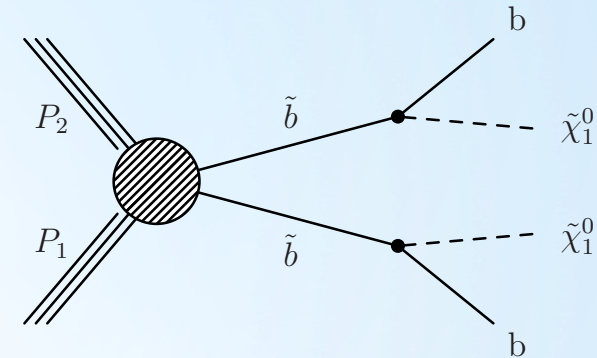
* Search in events with exactly 2 jets with 1 or 2 b-tags

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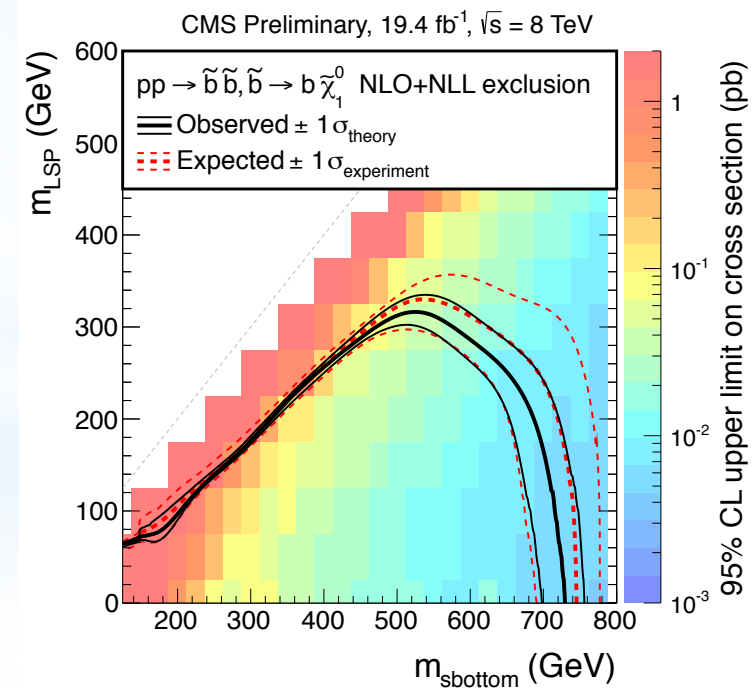
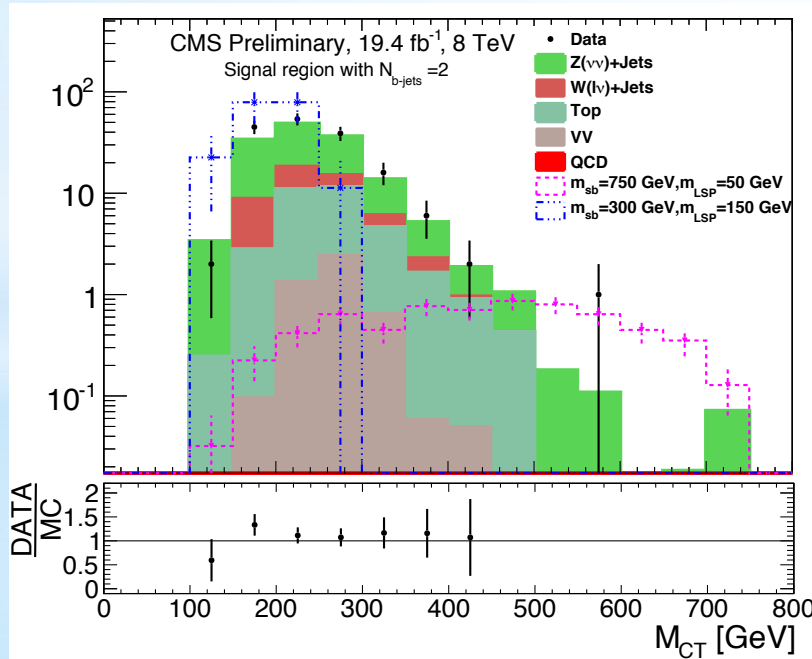
* Uses M_{CT} as discriminating variable:

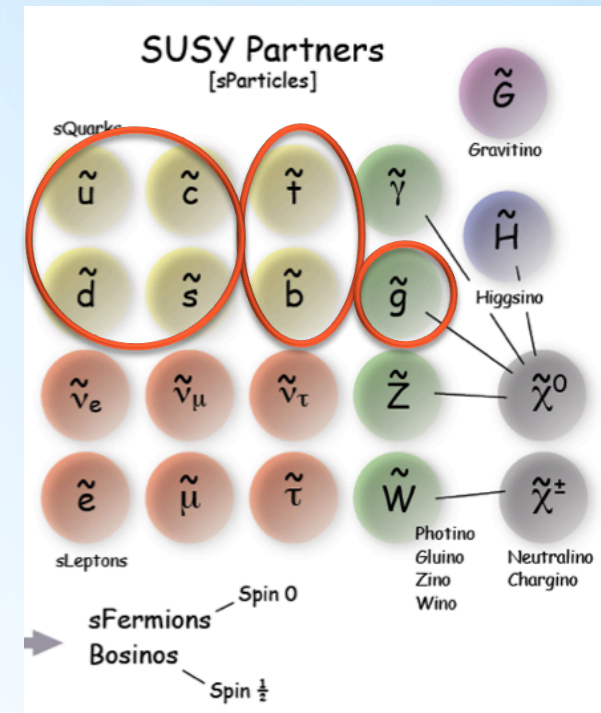
$$M_{CT}^2(J_1, J_2) = [E_T(J_1) + E_T(J_2)]^2 - [\mathbf{p}_T(J_1) - \mathbf{p}_T(J_2)]^2$$

$$= 2p_T(J_1)p_T(J_2)(1 + \cos \Delta\phi(J_1, J_2)),$$



No. of b-jets	M_{CT}	M_{CT}	M_{CT}	M_{CT}
$N_{b\text{-jets}} = 1$	< 250 GeV	250 - 350 GeV	350 - 450 GeV	> 450 GeV
$N_{b\text{-jets}} = 2$	< 250 GeV	250 - 350 GeV	350 - 450 GeV	> 450 GeV





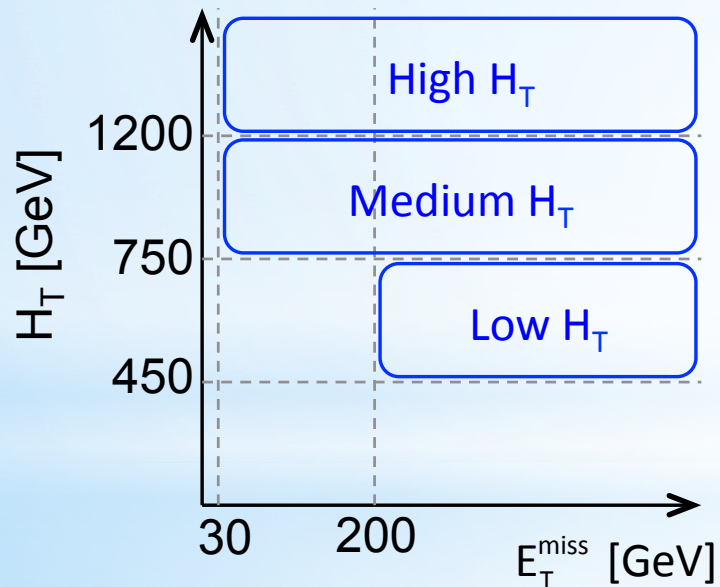
* inclusive searches
(for squarks and gluinos)

* Inclusive search with M_{T2} - SUS-13-019

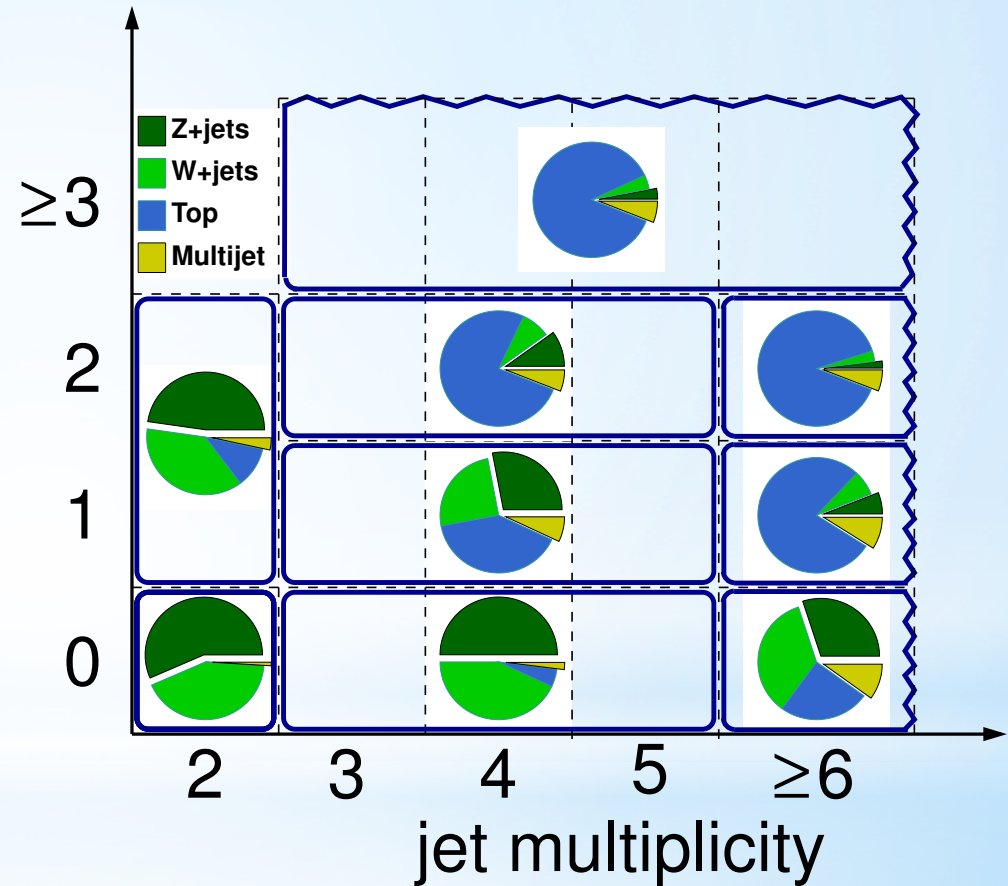
* Search for excess in M_{T2} distribution in data binned by HT and number of b-tags

$$M_{T2}(m_{\tilde{\chi}}) = \min_{\vec{p}_T^{\tilde{\chi}(1)} + \vec{p}_T^{\tilde{\chi}(2)} = \vec{p}_T^{\text{miss}}} \left[\max \left(M_T^{(1)}, M_T^{(2)} \right) \right]$$

$$(M_T^{(i)})^2 = (m^{\text{vis}(i)})^2 + m_{\tilde{\chi}}^2 + 2 \left(E_T^{\text{vis}(i)} E_T^{\tilde{\chi}(i)} - \vec{p}_T^{\text{vis}(i)} \cdot \vec{p}_T^{\tilde{\chi}(i)} \right)$$

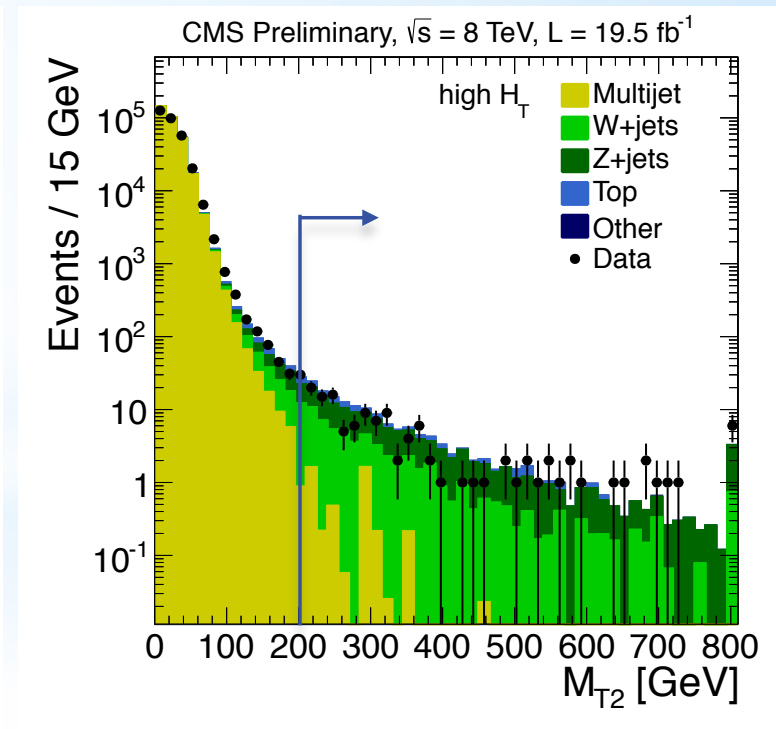
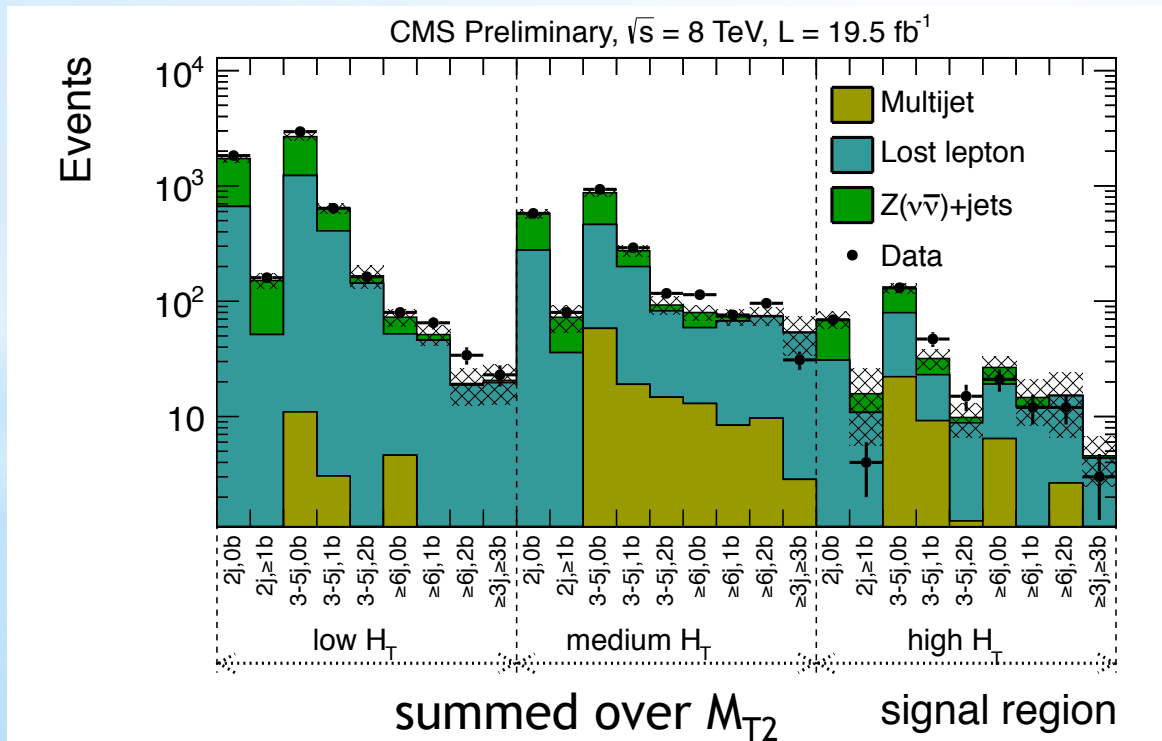


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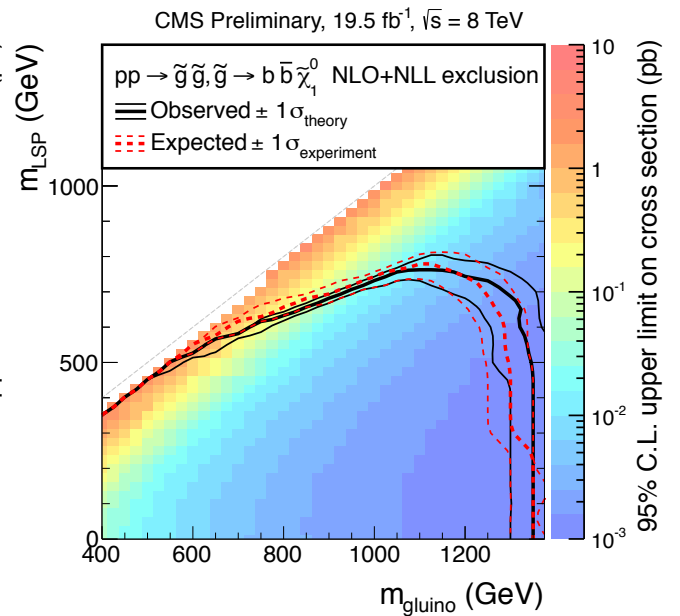
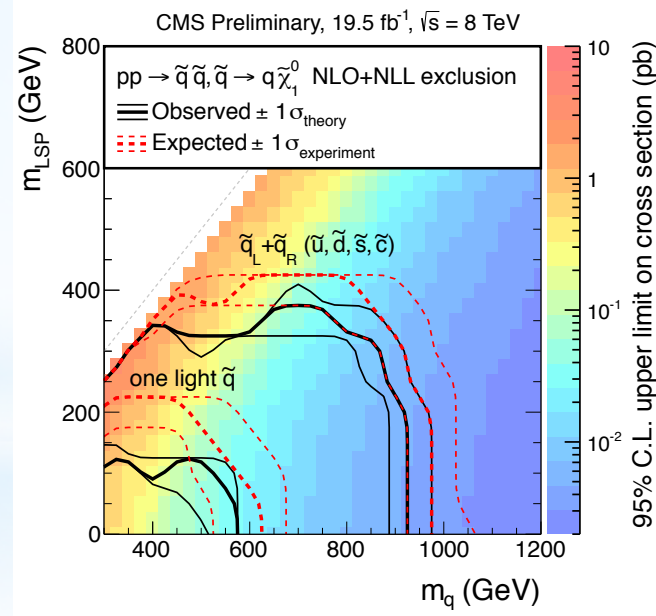
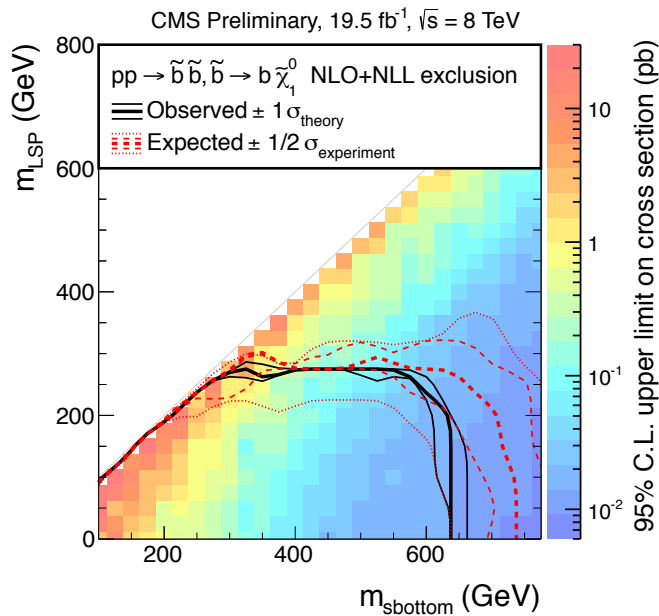
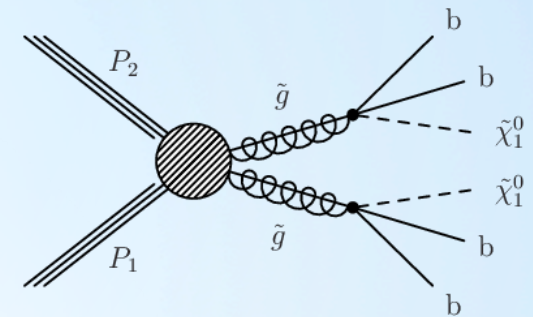
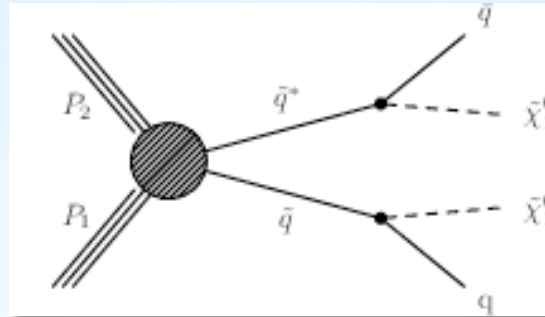
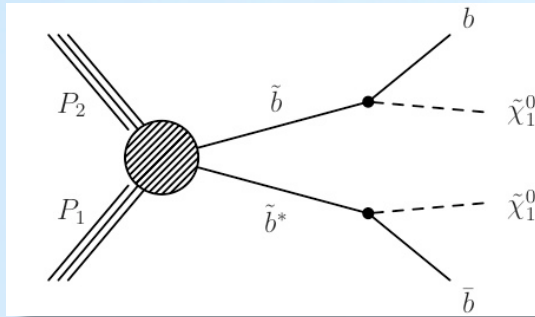


* Inclusive search with M_{T2} - SUS-13-019

- * data-driven background estimations
 - * single muon sample for W+jets and tt+jets
 - * photon + jets and di-muon sample for Z+jets
 - * QCD from M_{T2} sideband extrapolation
- * Search in bins of M_{T2} with $M_{T2} > 200$ GeV



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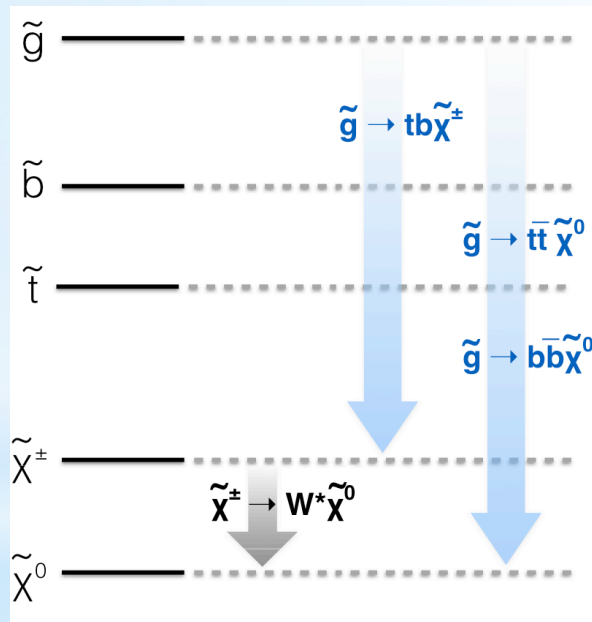


* additional interpretations available

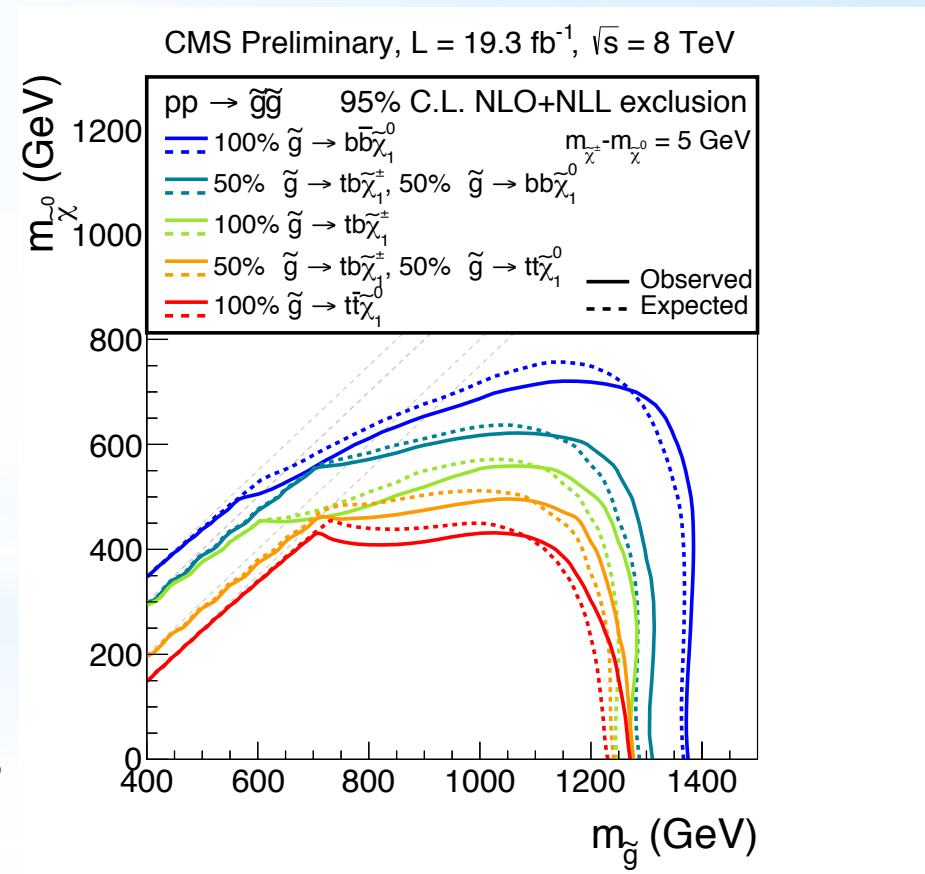
* Inclusive razor analysis with b-tags

- * Testing natural SUSY scenario with \sim TeV gluino, possible lighter stops and sbottoms and a nearly degenerate chargino/neutralino triplet.

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- * covering all possible combinations of partial widths to third generation squarks



* Overview of squark & gluino searches

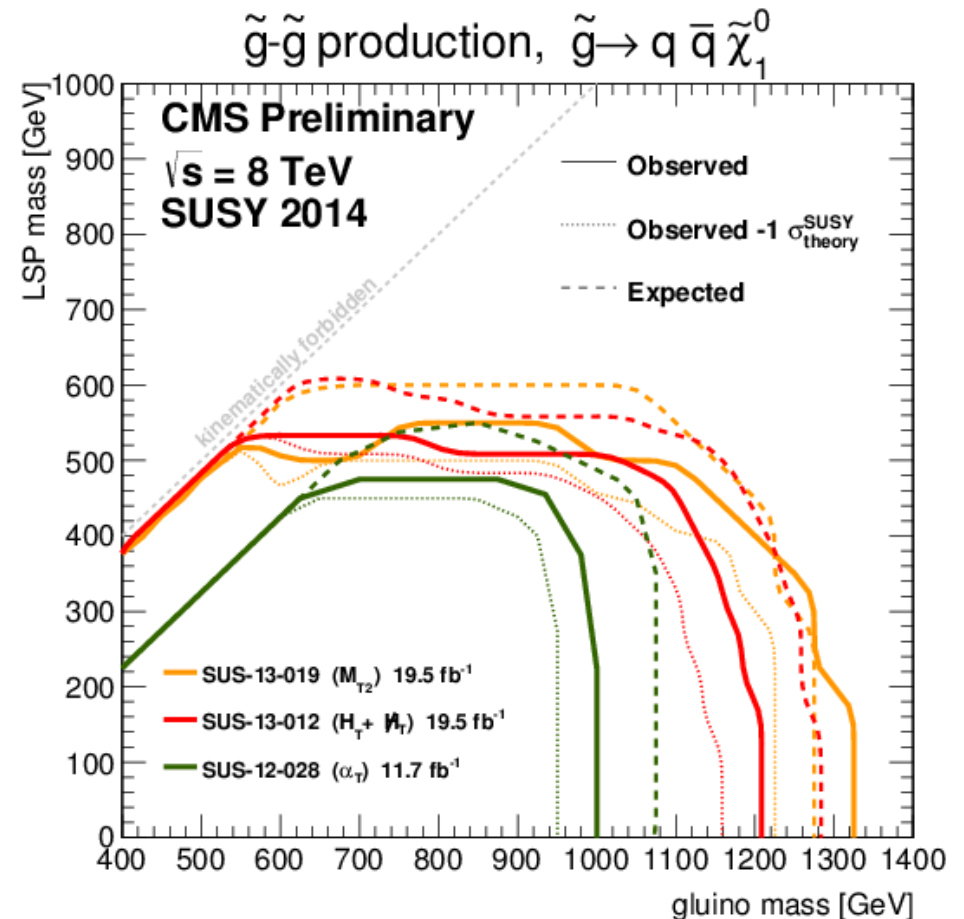
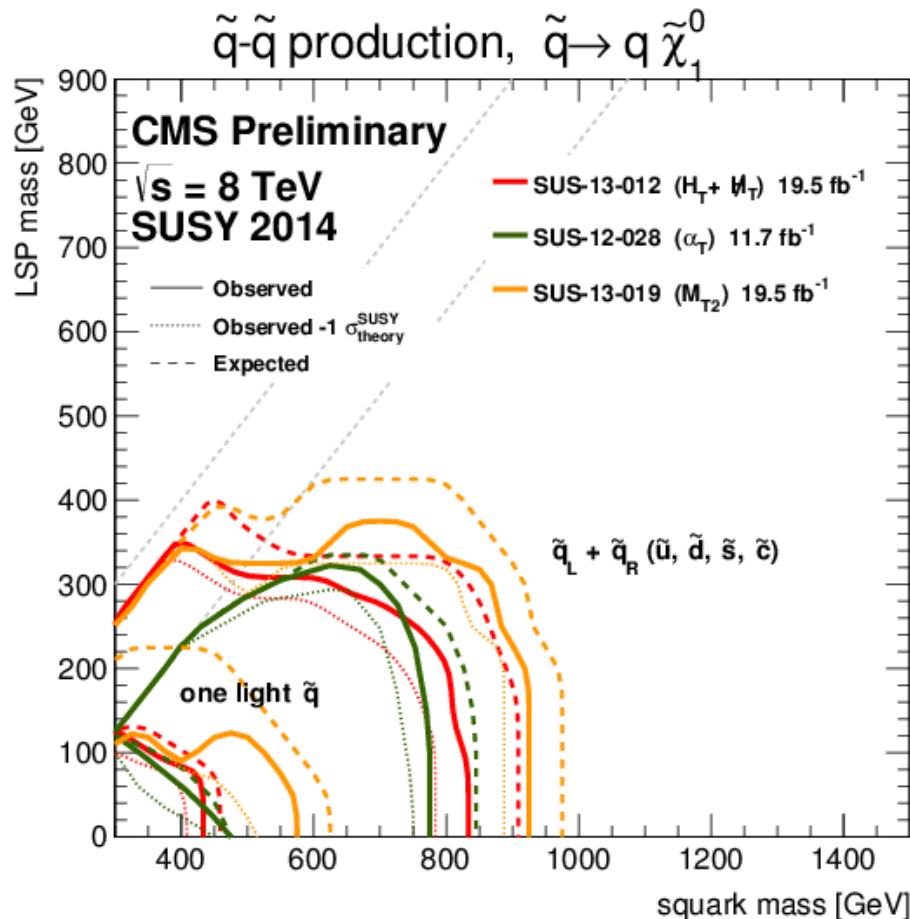
1st & 2nd generation

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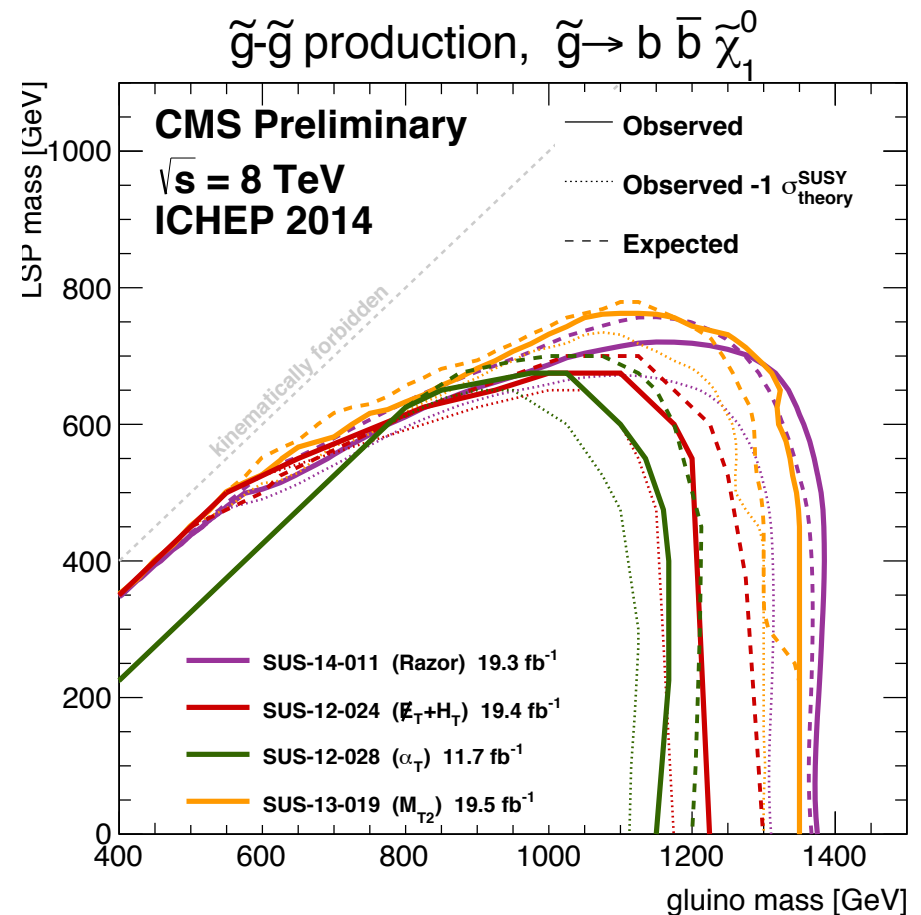
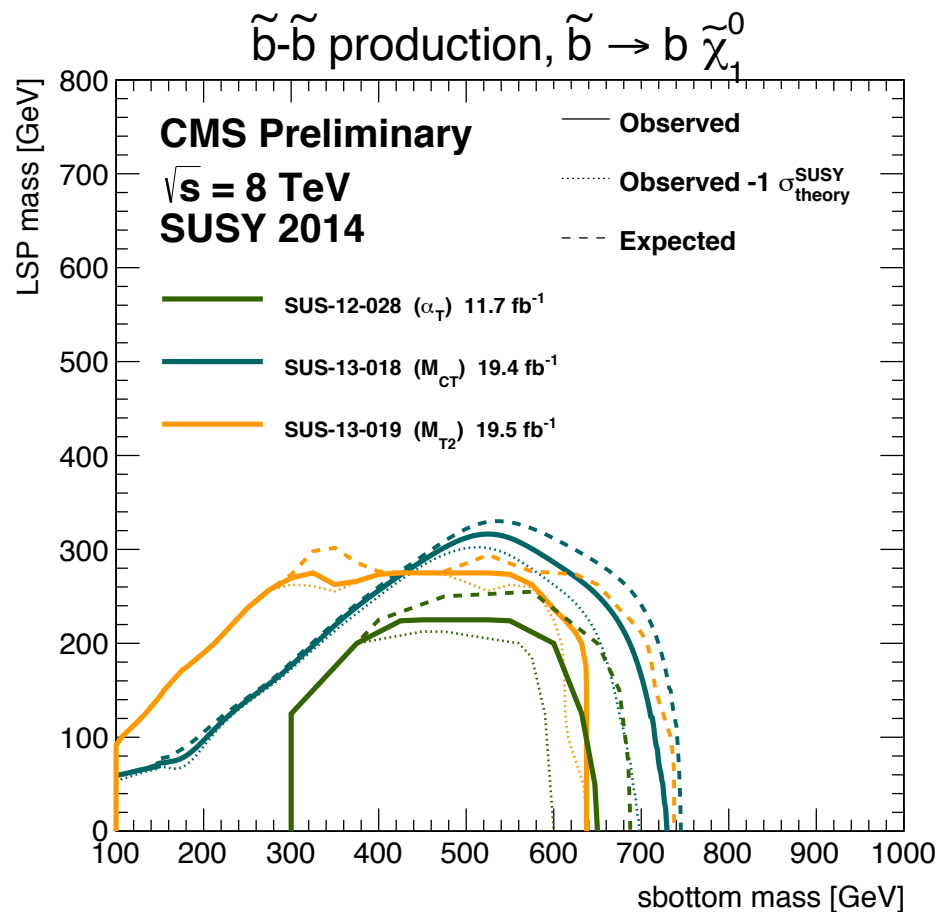
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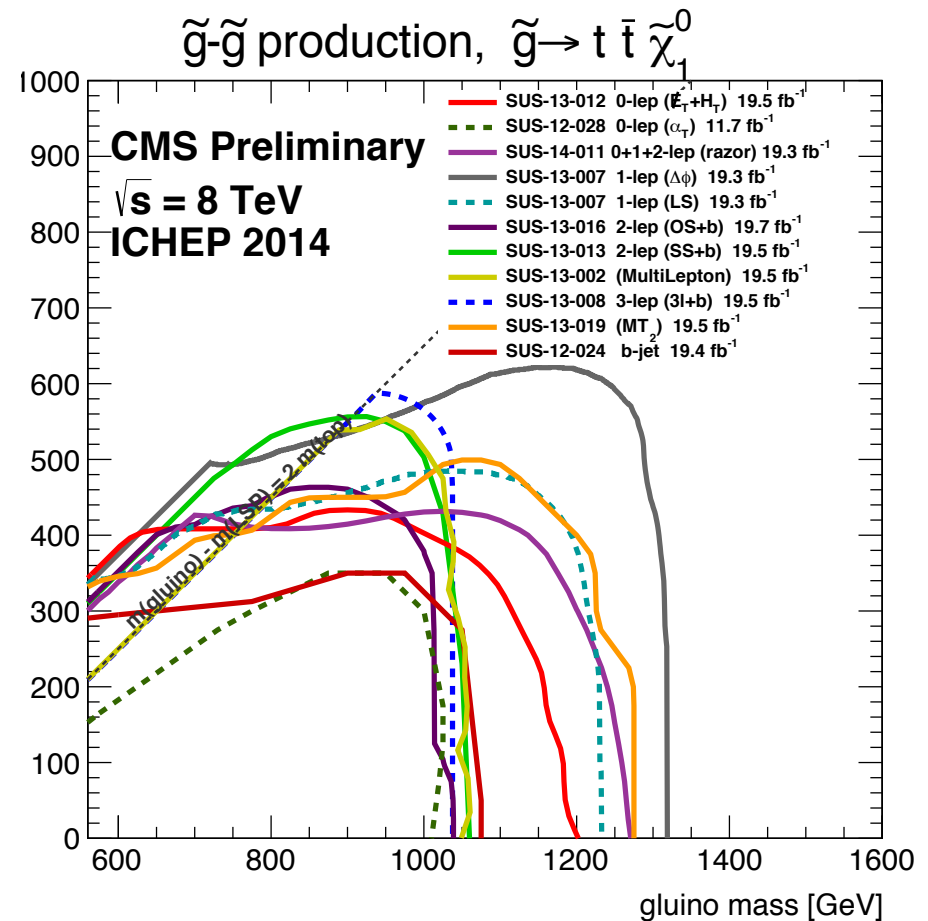
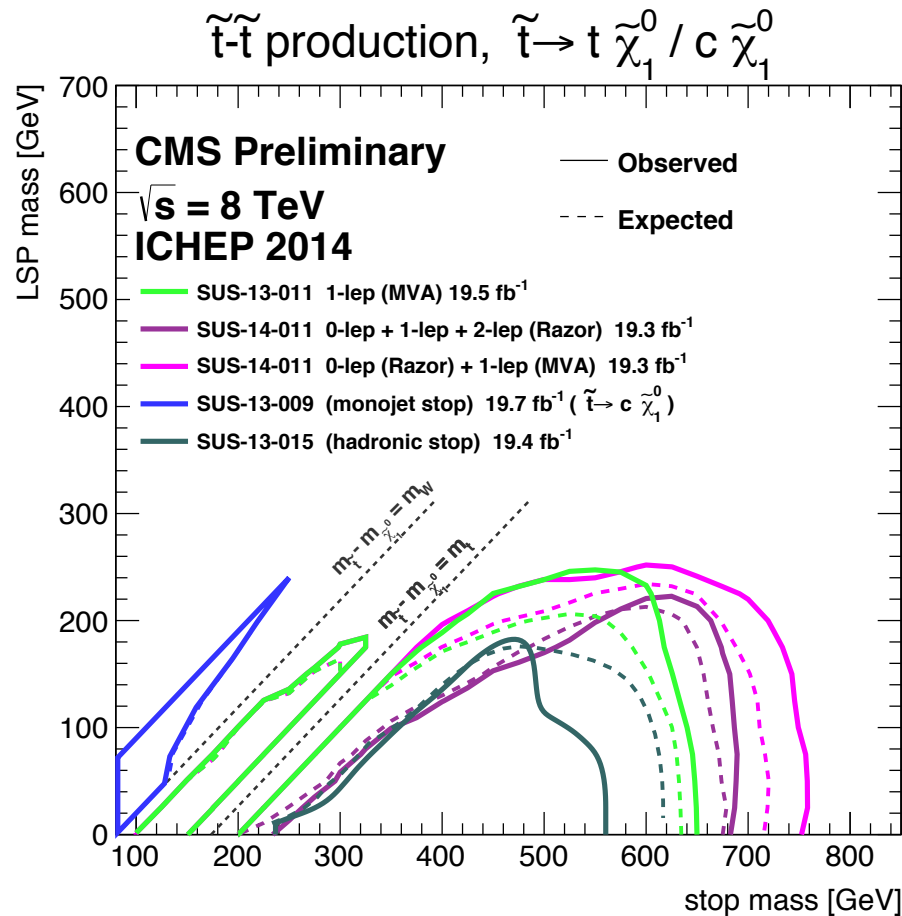
stops

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*SUSY signatures with photons

* Diphoton search with razor variables

- * General gauge mediated models (GGM) give rise to signals with photons.
- * Bino-like neutralino LSP with decay to gravitino + photon

New for SUSY14

$$R = \frac{M_T^R}{M_R}$$

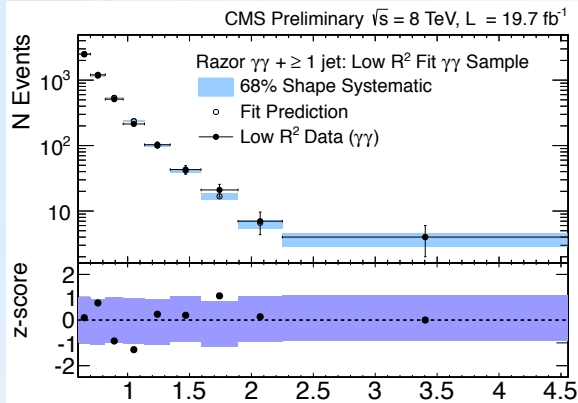
$$M_R = \sqrt{(|\vec{p}_{j1}| + |\vec{p}_{j2}|)^2 - (p_z^{j1} + p_z^{j2})^2}$$

$$M_T^R = \sqrt{\frac{E_T^{\text{miss}}(p_T^{j1} + p_T^{j2}) - \vec{E}_T^{\text{miss}} \cdot (\vec{p}_T^{j1} + \vec{p}_T^{j2})}{2}}$$

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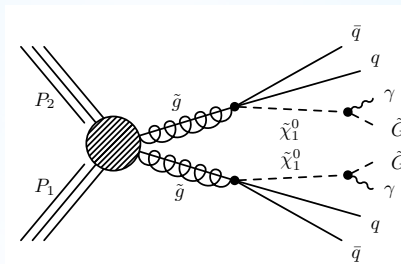
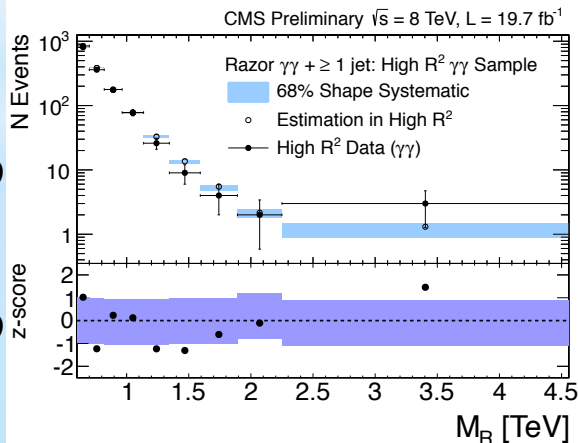
low R²

control region



high R²

signal region



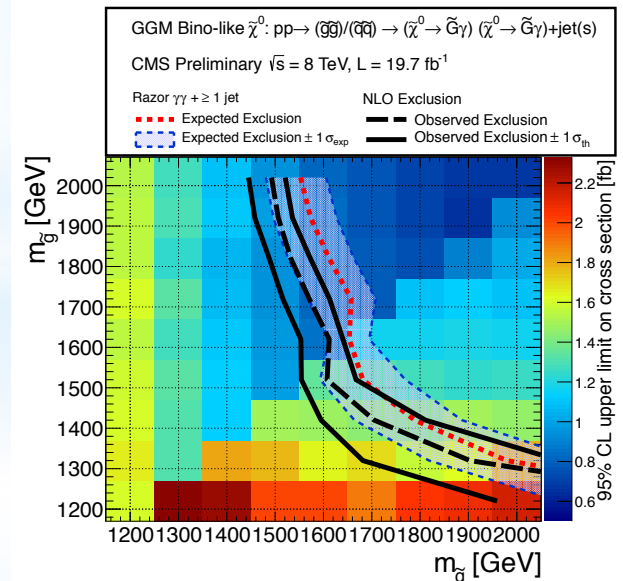
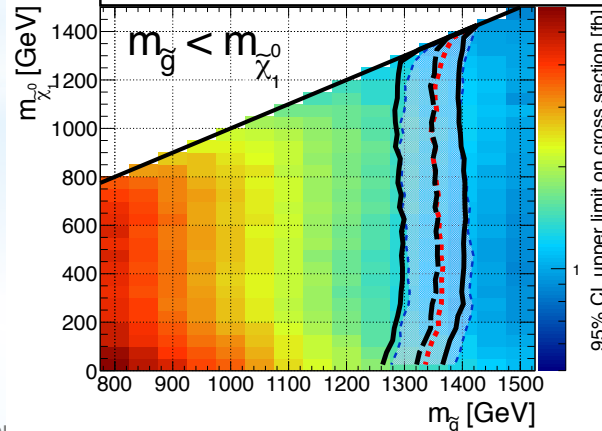
pp → g[~]g[~], g[~] → q[~]q[~] + χ_{1⁰, χ_{1⁰ → G[~]γ}}

CMS Preliminary √s = 8 TeV, L = 19.7 fb⁻¹

Razor γγ + ≥ 1 jet

Expected Exclusion ± 1σ_{exp} (red dashed), Observed Exclusion ± 1σ_{th} (black solid)

NLO+NLL Exclusion (black dashed), Observed Exclusion ± 1σ_{th} (black solid)



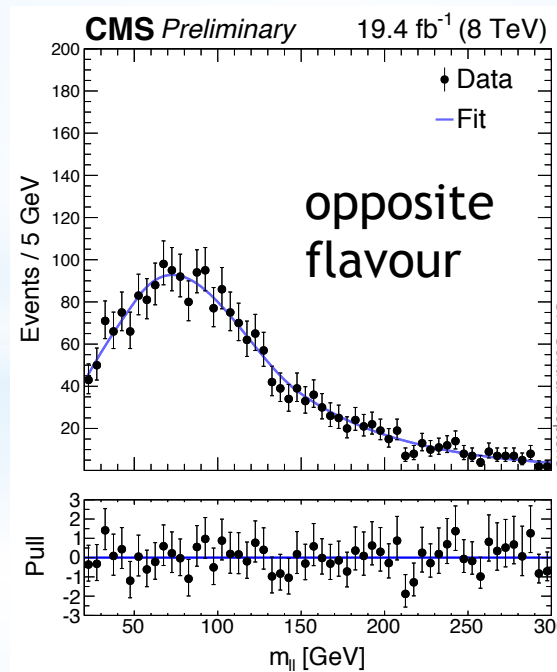
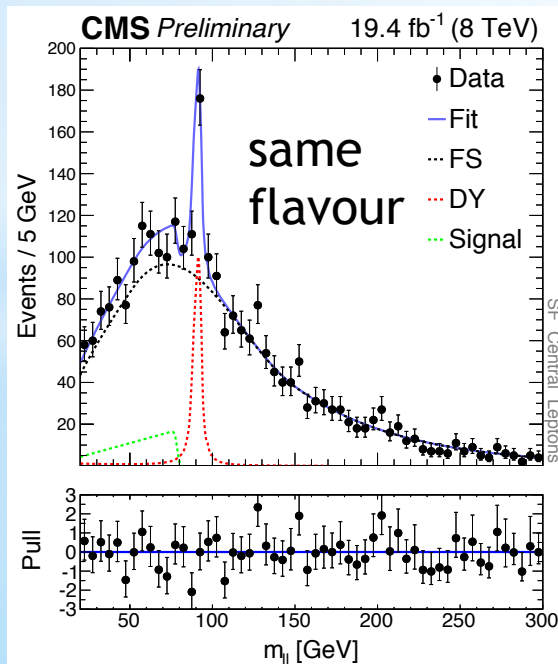
*Search for kinematic edge from di-leptons

* Kinematic edge in opposite sign, same flavour dilepton events

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- * Generic search for kinematic endpoint in dilepton mass spectrum, e.g.,
 - * $\tilde{\chi}_2^0 \rightarrow ll \rightarrow \chi_1^0 l^+ l^-$ (produces triangular shape with endpoint)
 - * three body decays of $\tilde{\chi}_2^0 \rightarrow \chi_1^0 l^+ l^-$ (produces an “edge”)
- * Background estimation with opposite sign, opposite flavour leptons
 - * Two search regions: central $|\eta| < 1.4$, forward $1.6 < |\eta| < 2.4$
- * Signal and background contributions determined from kinematic fit



Signal as triangular shape convolved with Gaussian:

$$\mathcal{P}_S(m_{\ell\ell}) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma_{\ell\ell}} \int_0^{m_{\ell\ell}^{edge}} y \cdot \exp\left(-\frac{(m_{\ell\ell} - y)^2}{2\sigma_{\ell\ell}^2}\right) dy.$$

	Central	Forward
Drell-Yan	158 ± 23	71 ± 15
Flav. Sym. [OF]	2270 ± 44	745 ± 25
$R_{SF/OF}$	1.03	1.02
Signal events	126 ± 41	22 ± 20
$m_{\ell\ell}^{edge}$ [GeV]	78.7 ± 1.4	

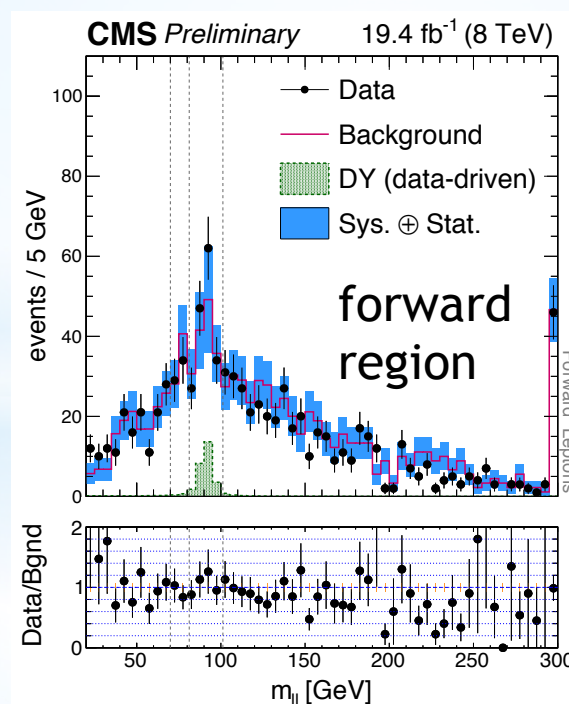
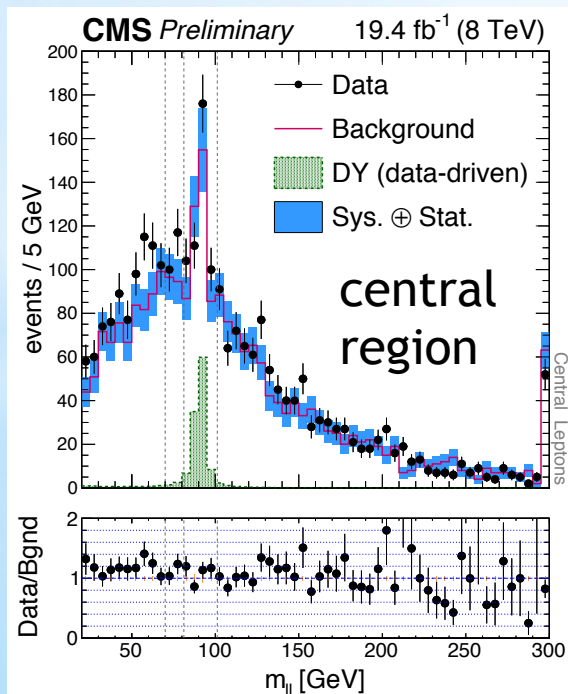
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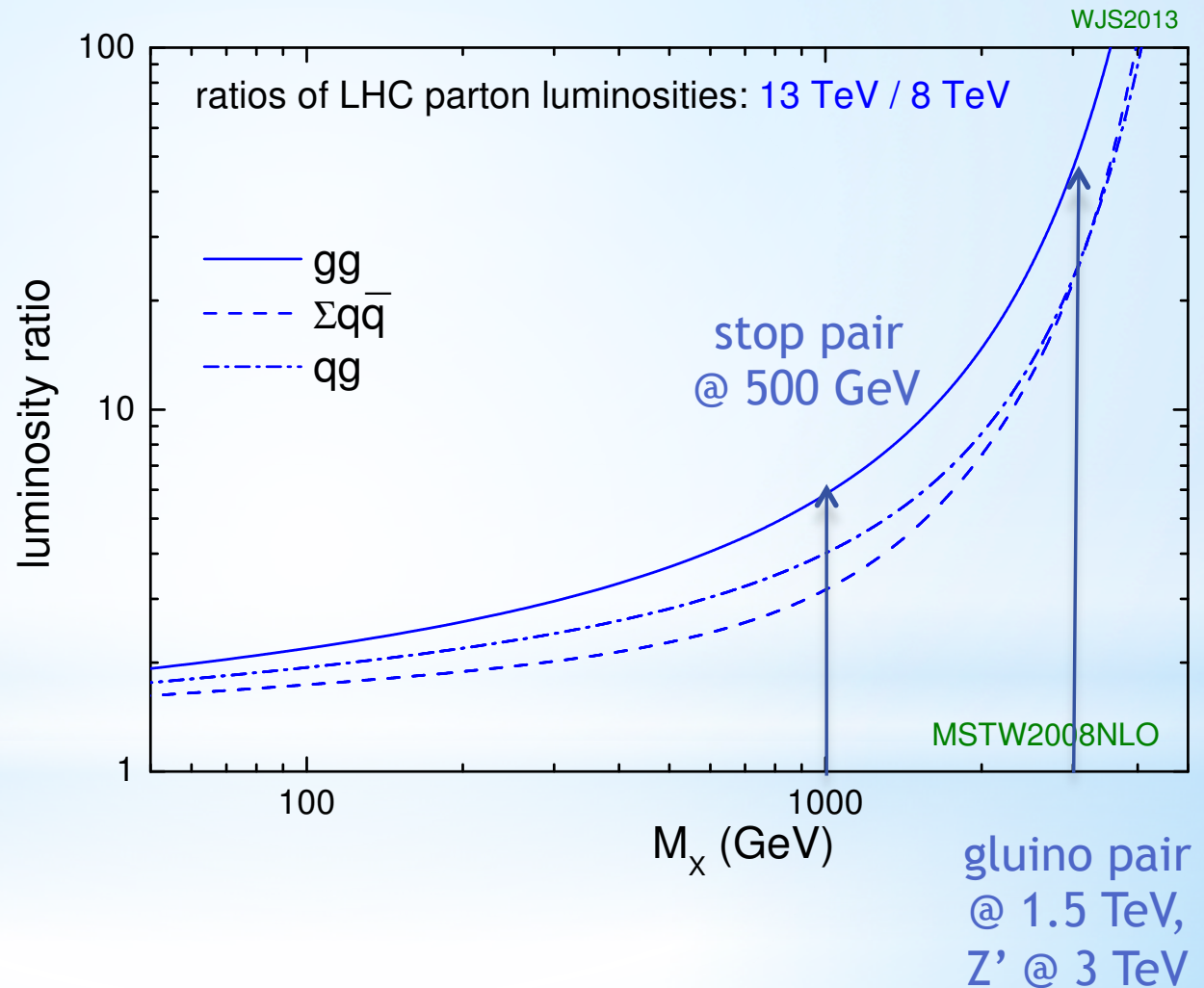
* In addition, cut and count analysis of events with $20 \text{ GeV} < m_{ll} < 70 \text{ GeV}$ (no shape assumption)



	Central	Forward
Observed [SF]	860	163
Flav. Sym. [OF]	$722 \pm 27 \pm 29$	$155 \pm 13 \pm 10$
Drell-Yan	8.2 ± 2.6	1.7 ± 1.4
Total estimates	730 ± 40	157 ± 16
Observed – Estimated	130^{+48}_{-49}	6^{+20}_{-21}
Significance [σ]	2.6	0.3

* Prospects for 2015 & 13 TeV

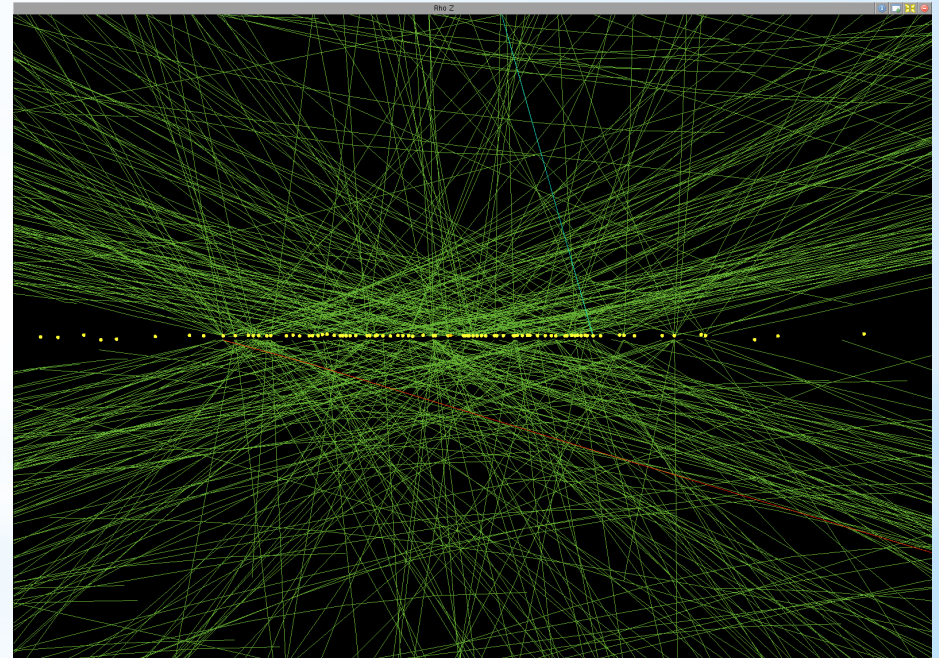
- * Good prospects for SUSY from energy increase from 8- \rightarrow 13 TeV
- * much larger than just ratio of CM energies
- * up to factor ~ 50 for pair production of 1.5 TeV gluinos
- * factor 6 for stop pairs of 500 GeV
- * Not only good for SUSY but also other heavy objects such as Z' etc.



* Experimental Challenges in 2015

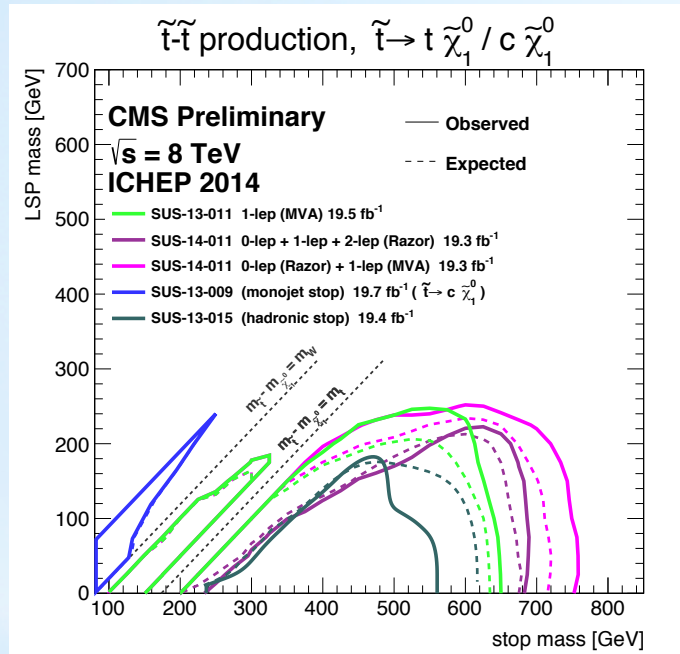
- * Unfortunately boost in sensitivity from increase in CM energy doesn't come for free
- * Currently still uncertain running and beam conditions and luminosity profile
- * Large increase in pile-up guaranteed
- * Effects on:
 - * trigger performance
 - * object reconstruction
 - * isolation variables

Real data event with 78 reconstructed vertices from high pile-up run

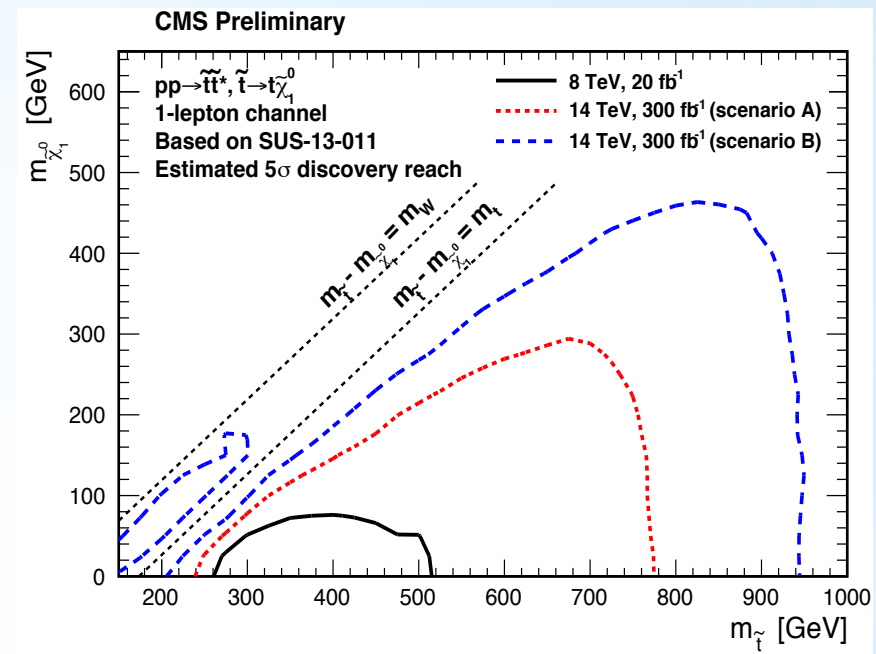


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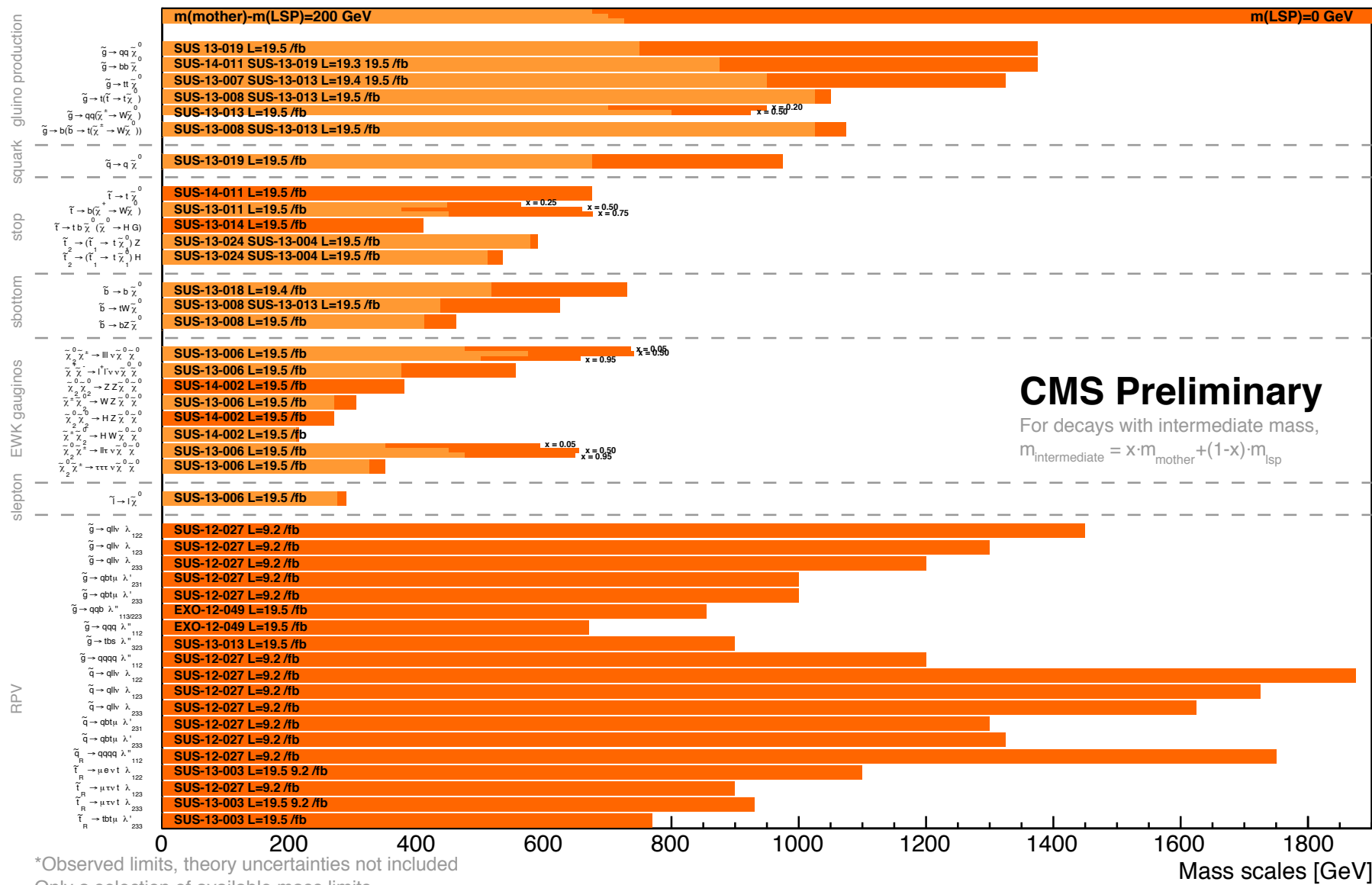
* CMS parallel talks

- * Inclusive SUSY Particle Searches with Jets and MET
 - * Kristin Goebel - Tue 14:30, D7
- * Searches for Direct Electroweak Production of Charginos, Neutralinos and Sleptons with Leptons and MET
 - * Santiago Folgueras - Fri 17:10, D1
- * Searches for Gluino, Stop and Sbottom Production in Channels with b-Jets and MET
 - * Nadja Strobbe, Fri 16:50, D1
- * Searches for SUSY in Final States with Photons
 - * Gail Hanson, Tue 17:30, D1
- * Searches for Signatures of R-Parity Violating Models
 - * Halil Saka, Mon 14:30, D1
- * Searches for Dark Matter Production with Mono-objects and MET
 - * Bhawna Gomber, Mon 14:30, F14

* backup

Summary of CMS SUSY Results* in SMS framework

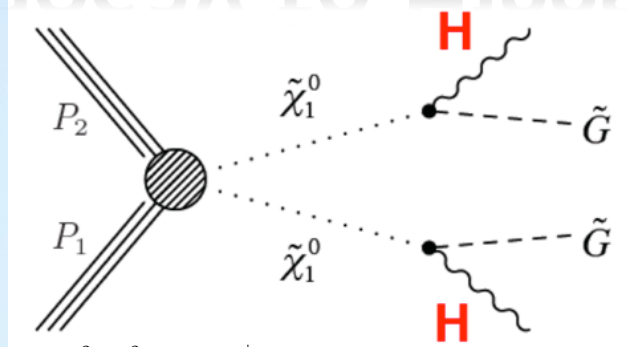
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*Observed limits, theory uncertainties not included
Only a selection of available mass limits
Probe *up to* the quoted mass limit

* Higgs in SUSY cascade

* EWK production of Higgsinos with decay to Higgs -SUS-13-022



$\tilde{\chi}_1^0, \tilde{\chi}_2^0$, and $\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm$ states are pure higgsinos,
 $\tilde{\chi}_1^0, \tilde{\chi}_2^0$, and $\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm$ mass degenerate

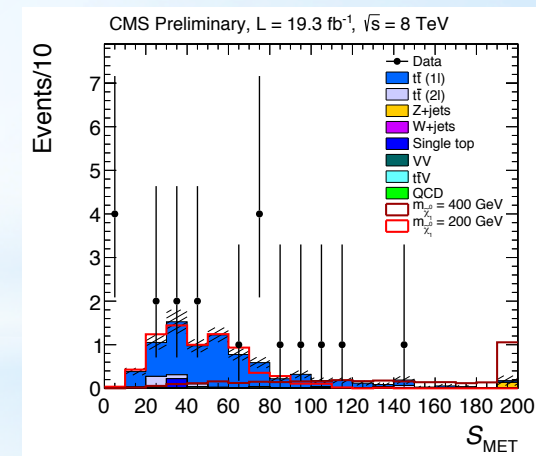
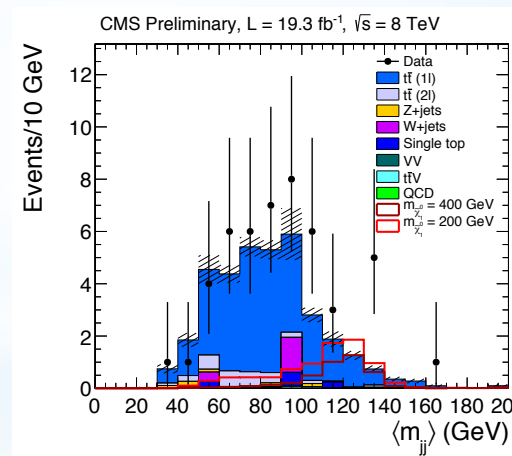
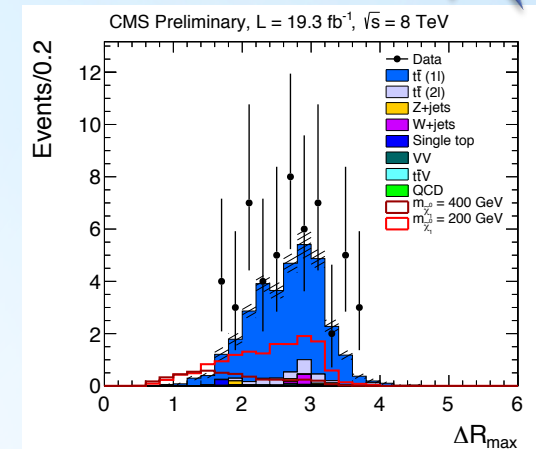
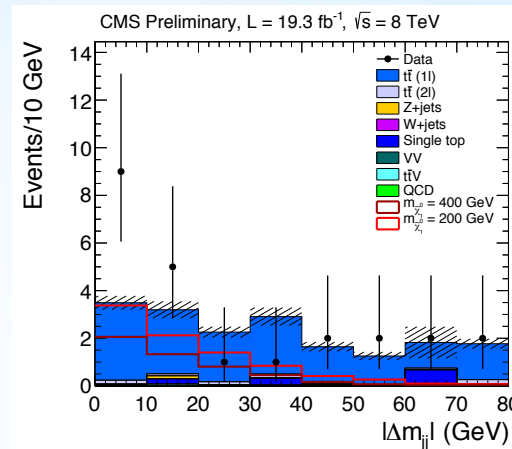
* 4 b-jet final state

* Uses MET significance S_{MET} as discriminating variable as well as ΔR between b-jets of H candidates and

$$|\Delta m_{jj}| \equiv |m_{jj,1} - m_{jj,2}|$$

$$\langle m_{jj} \rangle \equiv (m_{jj,1} + m_{jj,2})/2.$$

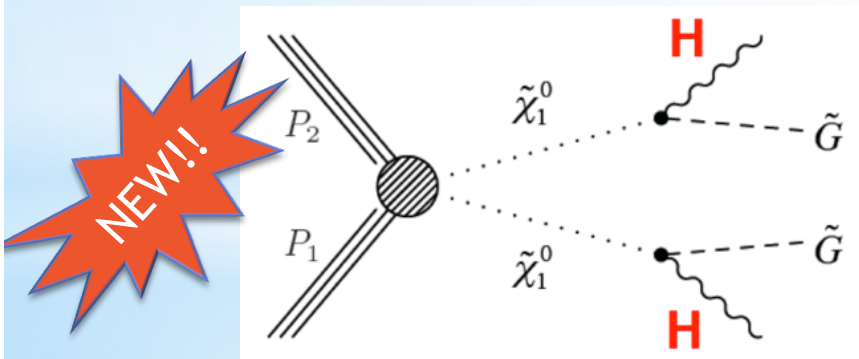
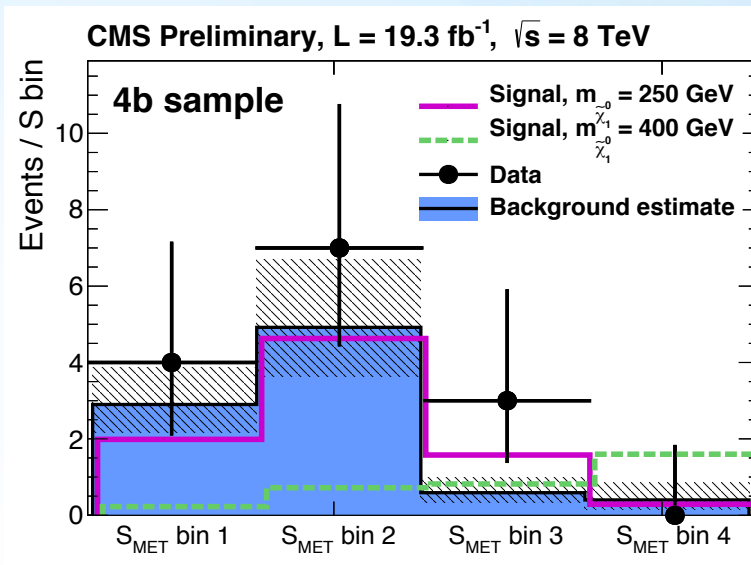
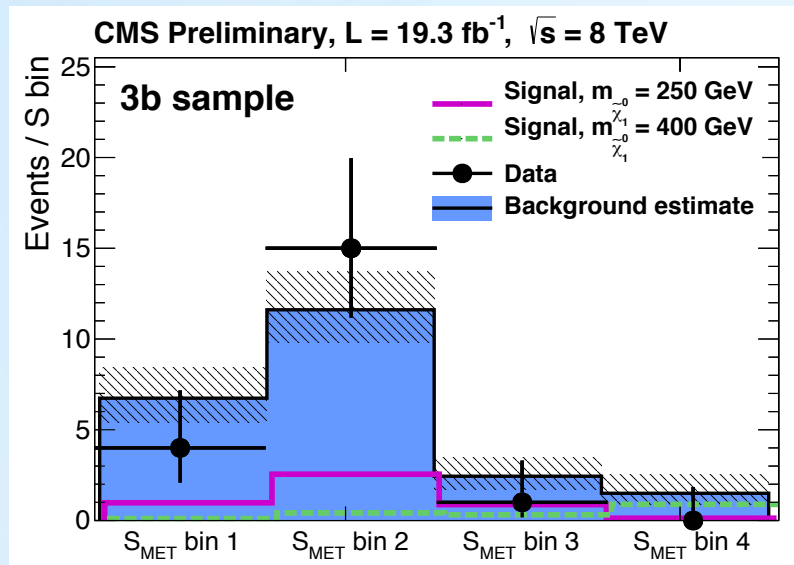
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Example distributions for 4-b events

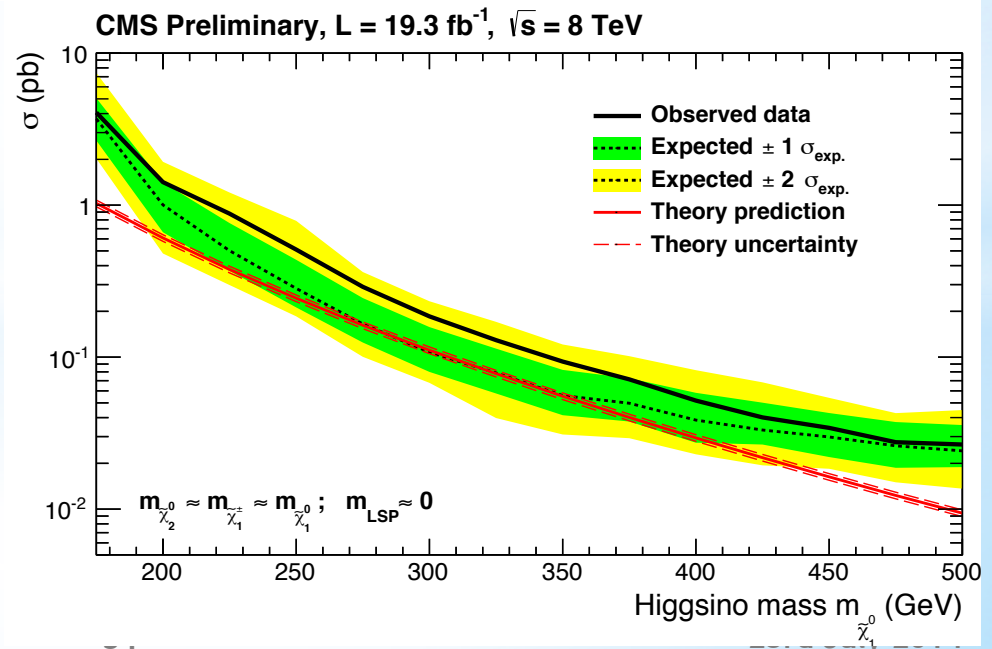
* Interpretation in GMSB model- SUS-13-022

$S_{\text{MET}} = [30-50], [50-100], [100-150], [>150]$

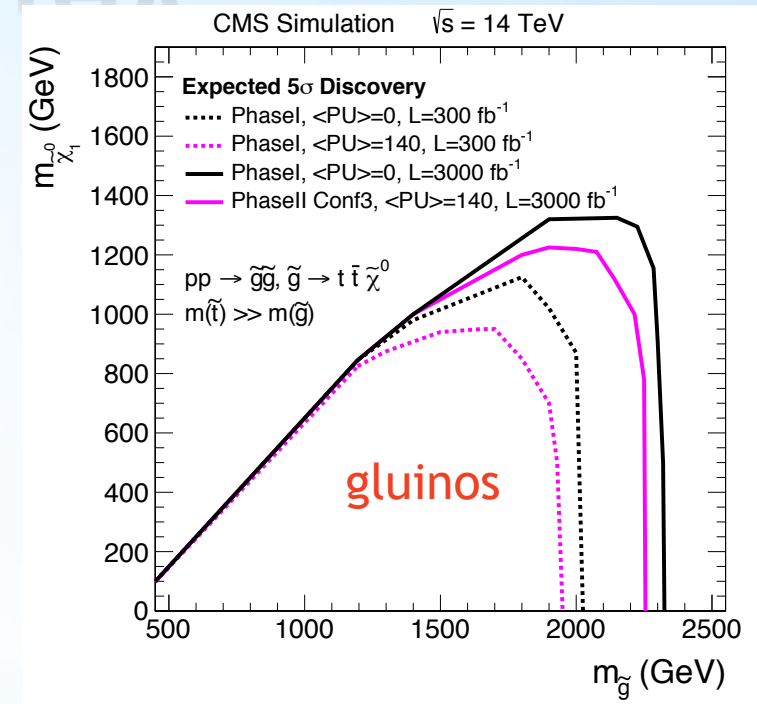
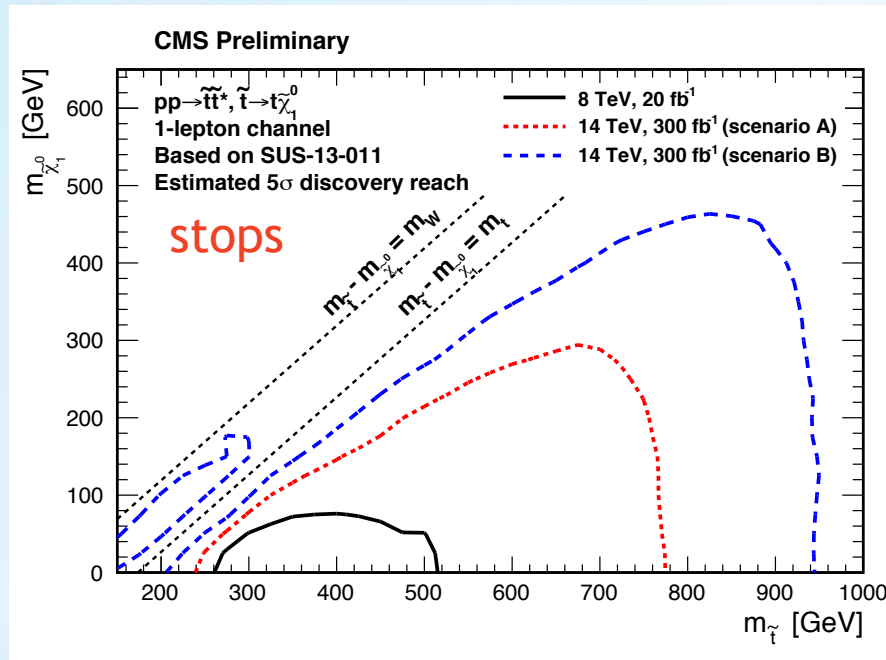


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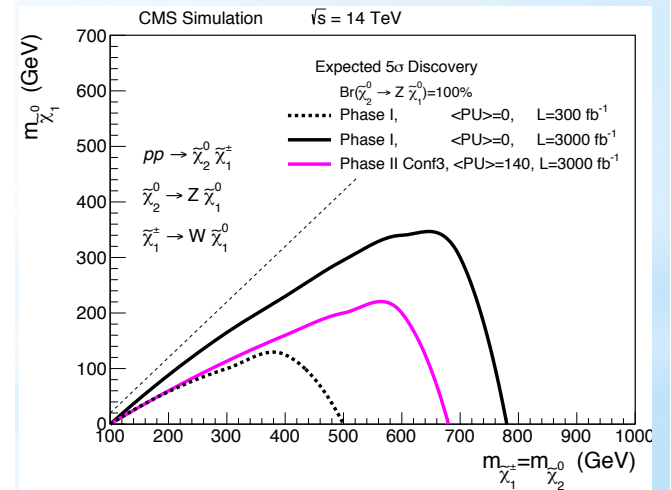
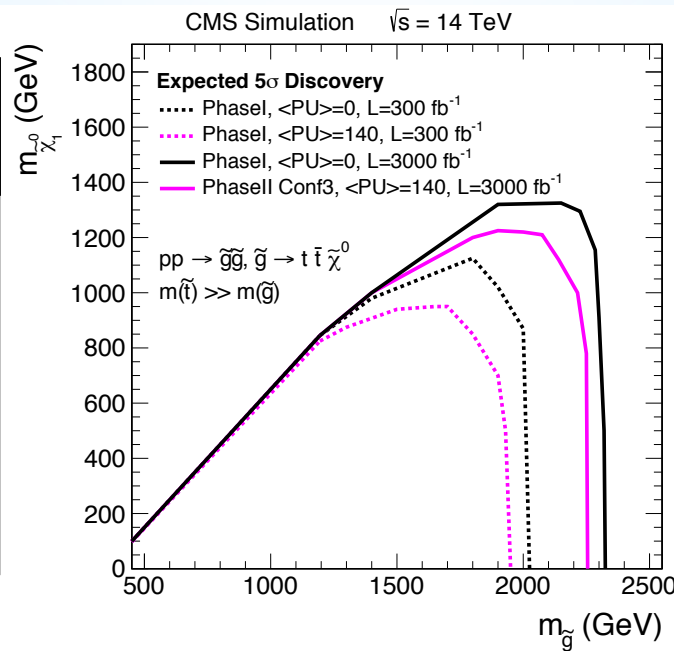
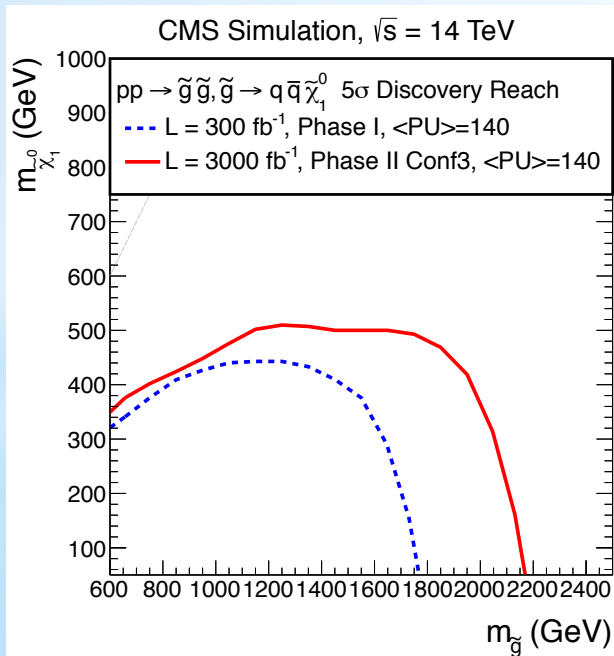
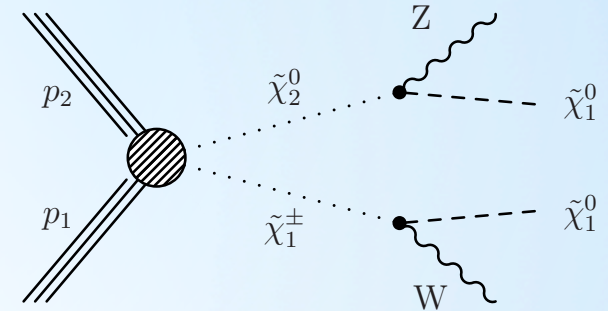
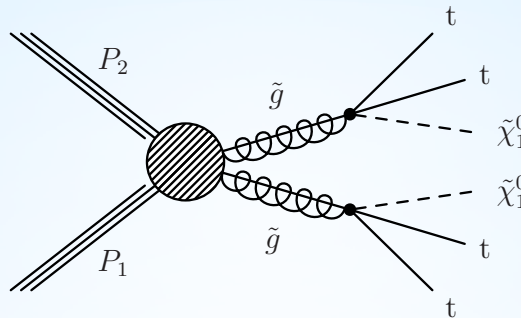
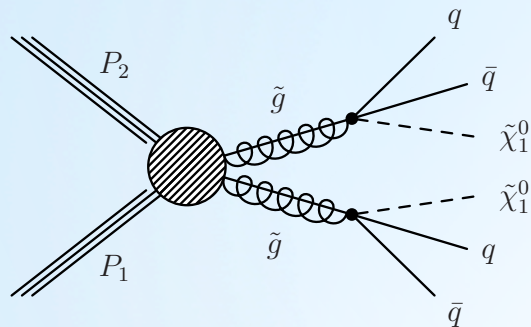
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* Expected sensitivity @ 14 TeV

CMS contribution to ECFA workshop

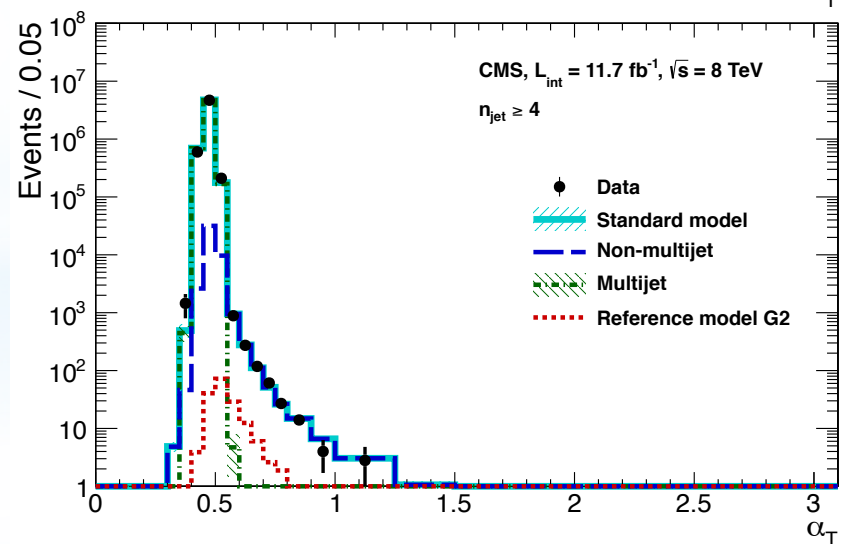
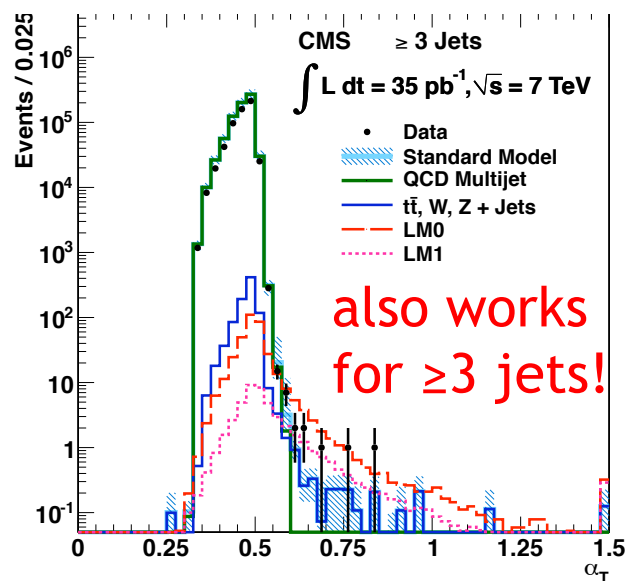
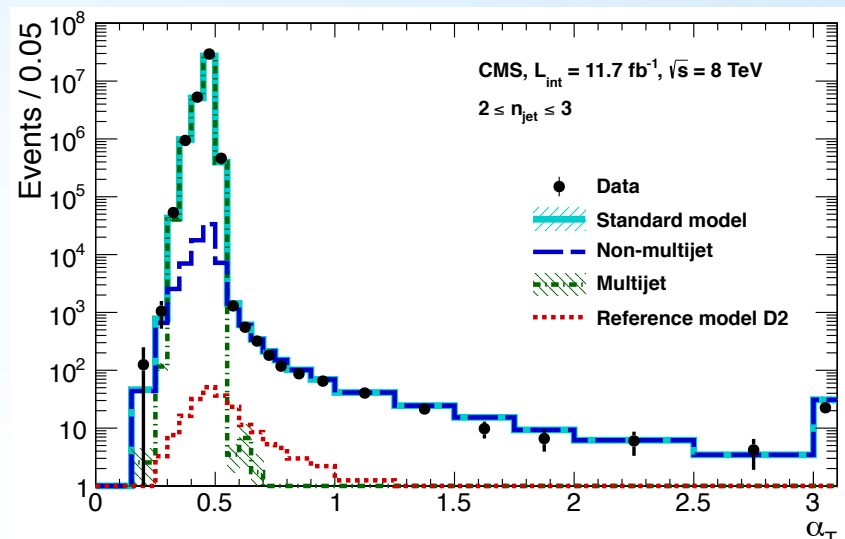
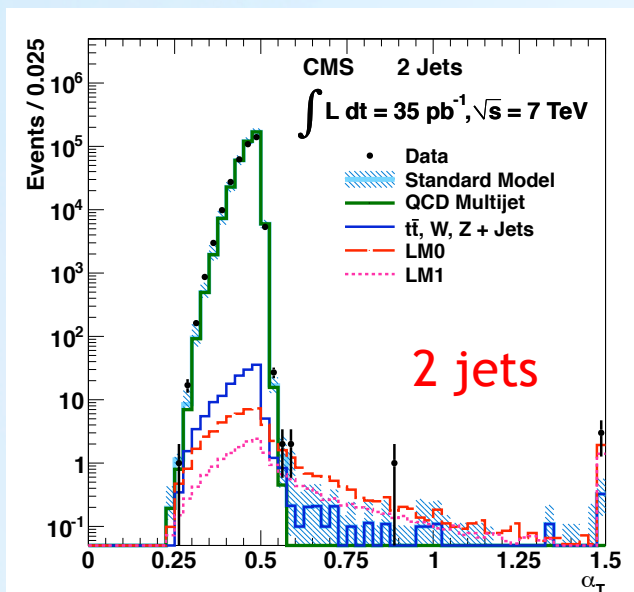


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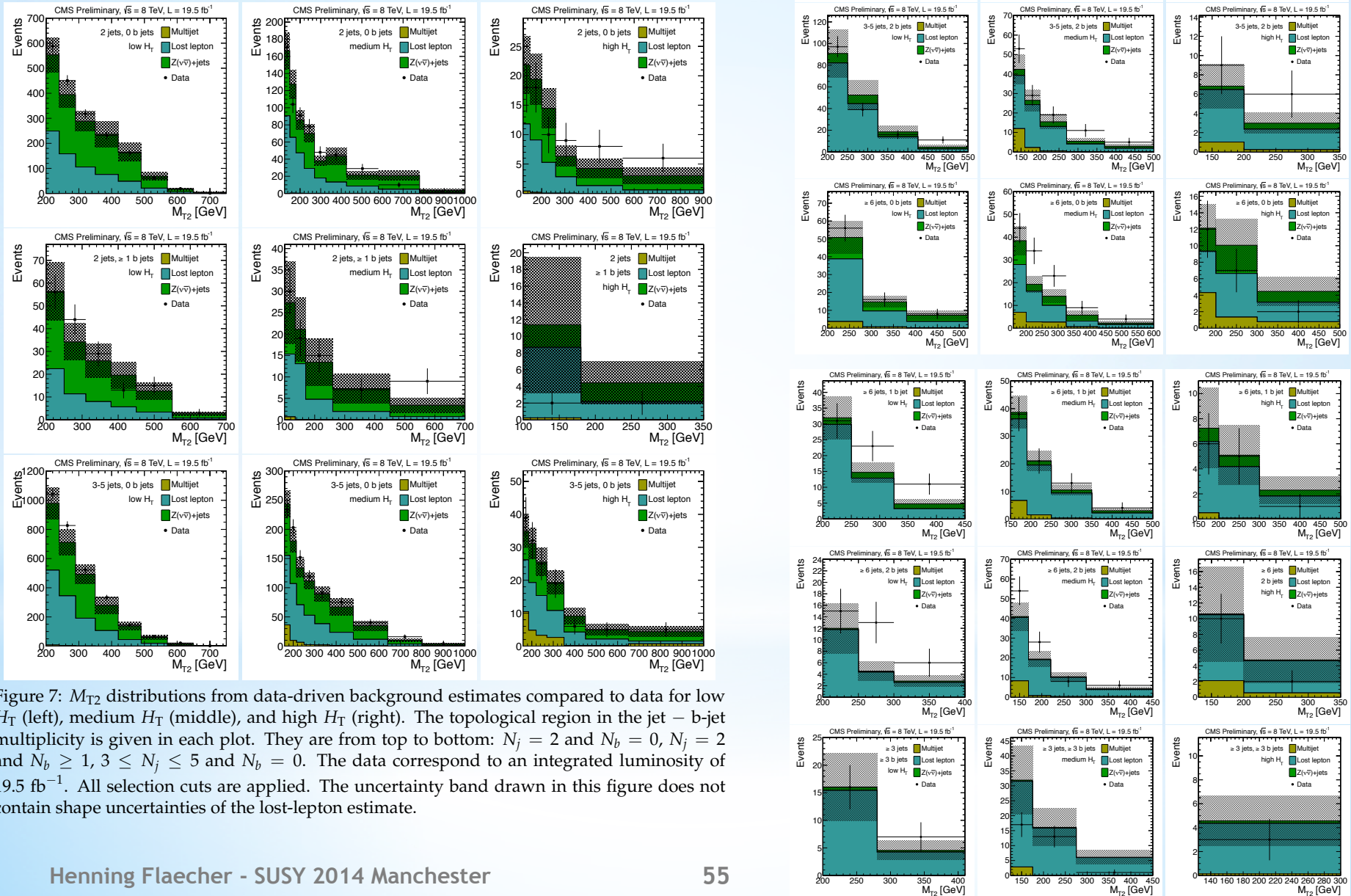
* from 2010 \Rightarrow 2012

13 candidate events

1000's of candidate events, split by HT, N_{jets} and $N_{\text{b-jets}}$



* MT2 - SUS-13-19



* M_{T2} Higgs search - SUS-13-019

* Slightly modified search cuts:

- $N_j \geq 4$,
- $N_b \geq 2$, with $p_T \geq 20 \text{ GeV}^1$,
- $450 \leq H_T < 750 \text{ GeV}$, $E_T^{\text{miss}} > 200 \text{ GeV}$, and $M_{T2} > 200 \text{ GeV}$ - called the low H_T region,
- $H_T \geq 750 \text{ GeV}$, $E_T^{\text{miss}} > 30 \text{ GeV}$, and $M_{T2} > 125 \text{ GeV}$ - called the high H_T region.

* Look for excess in invariant mass distribution of two b-jets

