



The (upcoming) dawn of CMS and LHC

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Outline

- Introduction (why all this...)
- The LHC and its (high- P_T) pp experiments
 - ◆ The machine, designing an experiment for it: CMS
 - ◆ Evolution, construction, installation
- Quick look at (asymptotic) physics reach
- The LHC (and CMS) startup
- “Physics commissioning” and early (2010-2011) physics
- Summary...

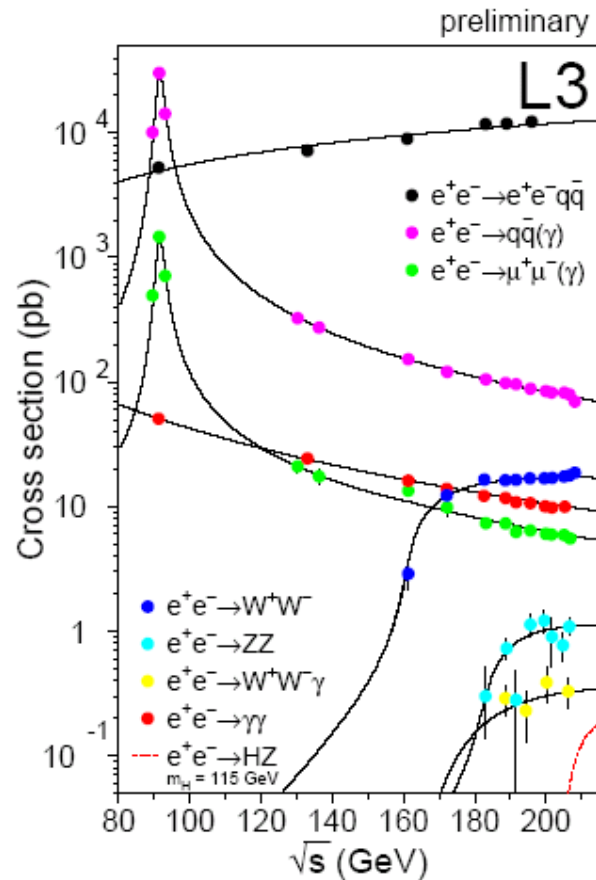
The state (of the Standard Model) of Particle Physics

“What we know about the missing Higgs boson”



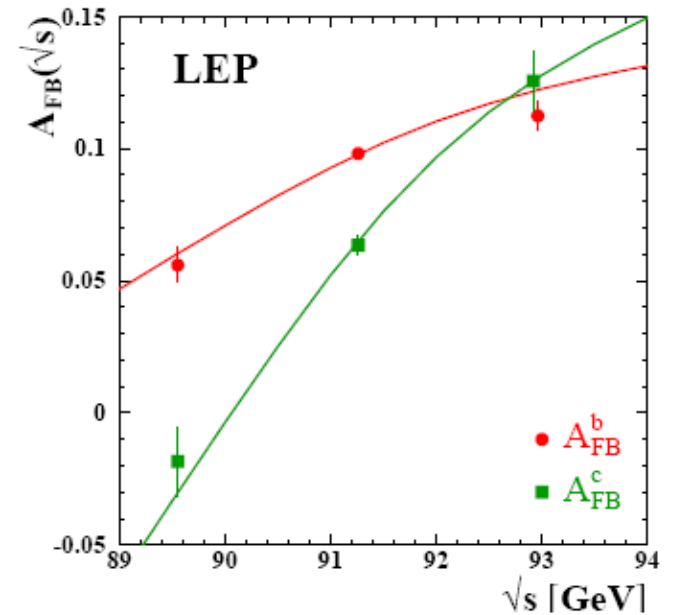
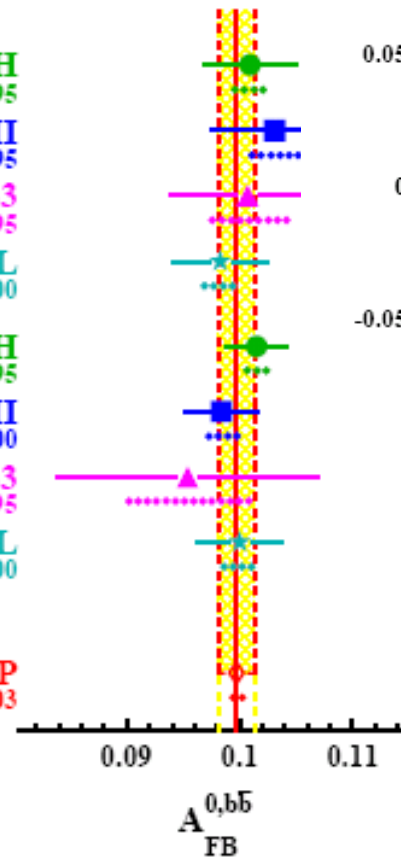
Standard Model (successes)

- A true success story: “only” missing piece: the Higgs boson...



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LEP
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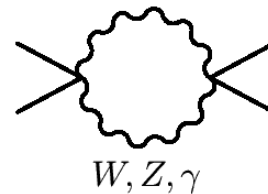
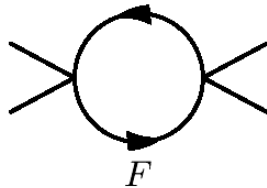
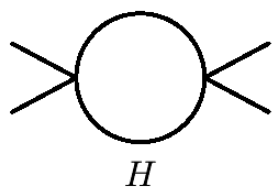
$$\langle A_{FB}^{0,b\bar{b}} \rangle = 0.0997 \pm 0.0016$$



Limits on M_H (I): EWK vacuum stability

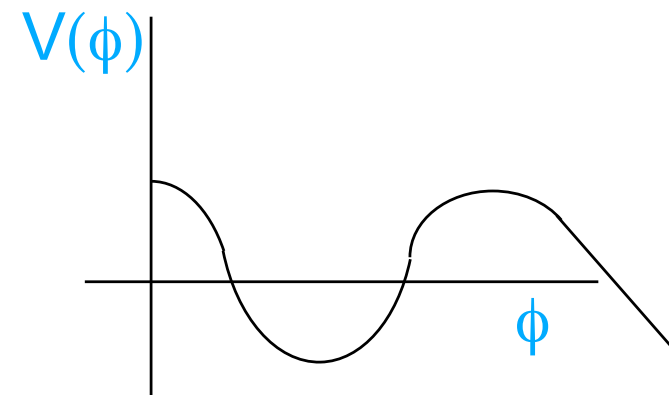
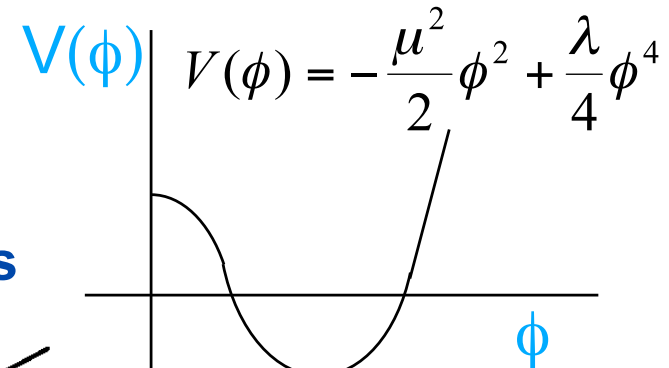
- Central to the Higgs mechanism: that point with $v \neq 0$ is stable (genuine minimum)

- Radiative corrections can change this



$$\Delta V \sim \frac{1}{v^4} \left(M_H^4 + 6M_W^4 + 3M_Z^4 - 12m_t^4 \right) H^4 \log \left(H^2 / v^2 \right)$$

- For large top masses, potential can curve back down; two terms fighting:
- $\lambda \phi^4$ vs $\sim - (m_t/v)^4$
- And since $M_H^2 \sim \lambda v^2$, get a lower bound on M_H (~ 130 GeV)





Limits on M_H (II): triviality bound

- From previous discussion: need a high value of λ (i.e. self-coupling) to protect the vacuum

- ◆ However, the running of the coupling results in an increase with Q^2 :

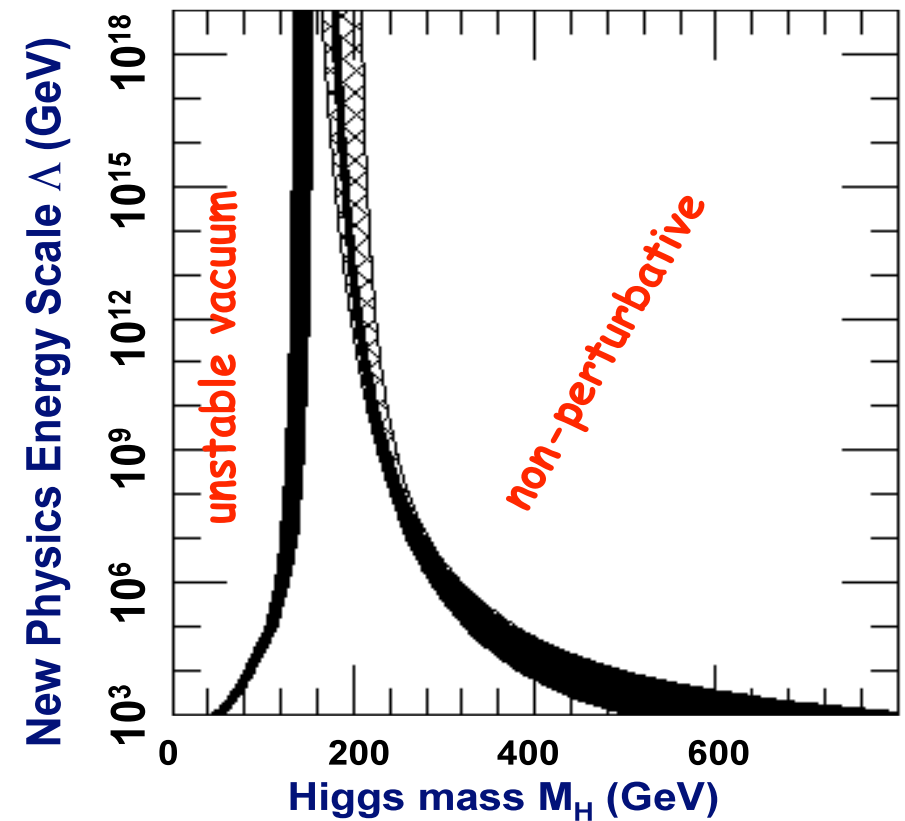
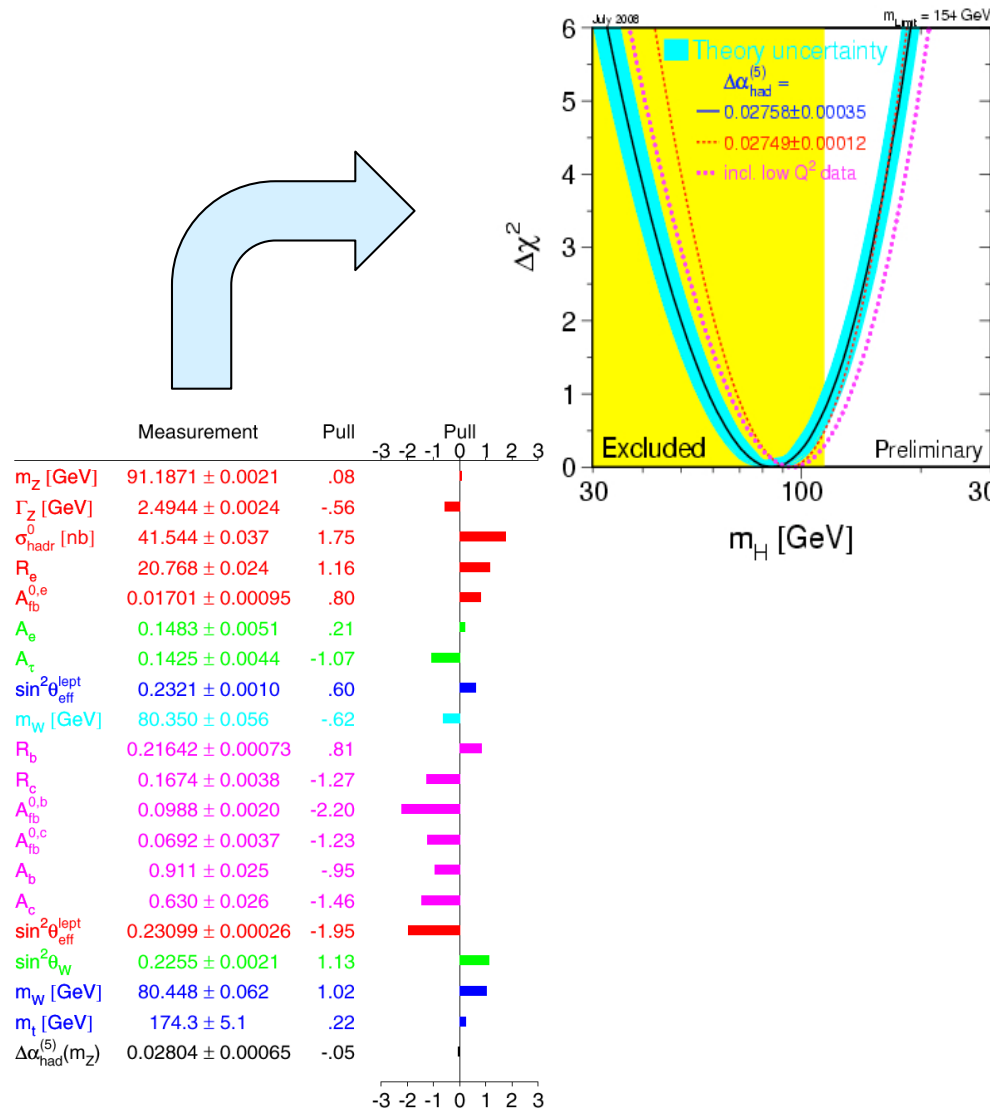
$$\lambda(Q^2) = \frac{\lambda(Q_0^2)}{1 - \lambda(Q_0^2) / 16\pi^2 \log(Q^2 / Q_0^2)}$$

- ◆ So, as $Q^2 \rightarrow \infty$, $\lambda \rightarrow \infty$
- ◆ Alternative: if λ is normalized to a finite value at the pole then it must vanish at low Q^2 . Theory is non-interacting \rightarrow “trivial”
- ◆ Way out: assume that analysis breaks down at some scale Λ (clearly, when gravity gets added, things will change)

$$\Lambda \leq M_H \exp\left(\frac{4\pi^2 v^2}{3M_H^2}\right)$$



Information on M_H : summary



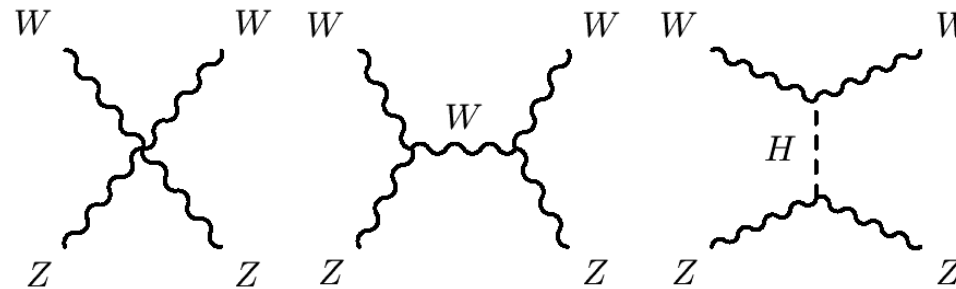
We do not know the Higgs mass



Strong boson-boson scattering

■ Example: $W_L Z_L$ scattering

- ◆ W, Z polarization vector ε^μ satisfies: $\varepsilon^\mu p_\mu = 0$;
 - for $p_\mu = (E, 0, 0, p)$, $\varepsilon^\mu = 1/M_V(p, 0, 0, E) \approx P^\mu/M_V + O(M_V/E)$
- ◆ Scattering amplitude $\sim (p_1/M_W) (p_2/M_Z) (p_3/M_W) (p_4/M_Z)$, i.e. $\sigma \sim s^2 / M_W^2 M_Z^2$



- ◆ Taking $M_H \rightarrow \infty$ the H diagram goes to zero ($\sim 1/M_H^2$)
- ◆ Technicalities: diagrams are gauge invariant, can take out one factor of s
 - but the second always remains (non-abelian group)
- ◆ Conclusion: to preserve unitarity, one must switch on the H at some mass
 - Currently: $M_H \leq 800 \text{ GeV}$



Summary: the TeV scale

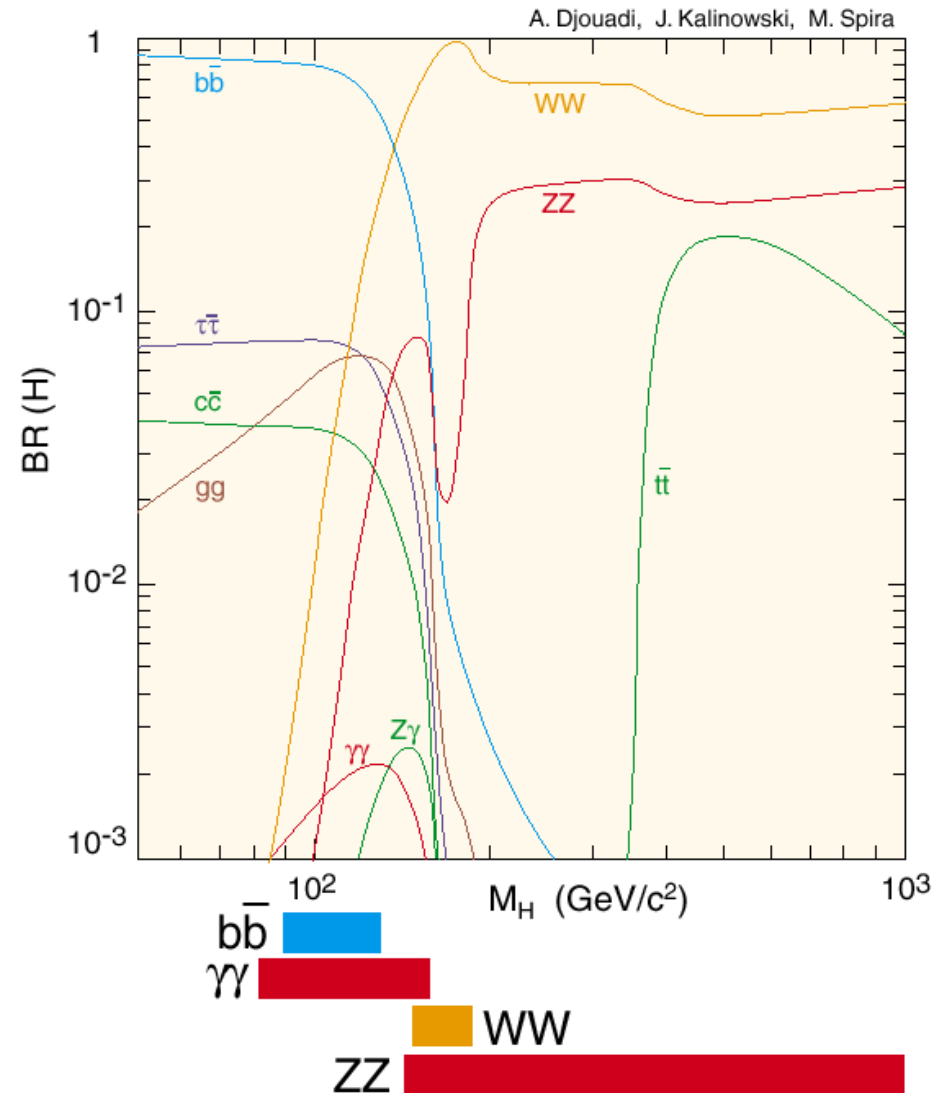
- **LEP, SLC and the Tevatron: established that we really understand the physics at energies up to 100 GeV**
 - ◆ And any new particles have masses above 200-300 GeV and in some cases TeV
- **The Higgs itself can have a mass up to ~ 700 -800 GeV;**
 - ◆ if it's not there, something must be added by ~ 1.2 TeV, or WW scattering exceeds unitarity
- **Even if the Higgs exists, all is not 100% well with the Standard Model alone: next question is why is the (Higgs) mass so low?**
 - ◆ The same mechanism that gives all masses would drive the Higgs to the Planck scale. If SUSY is the answer, it must show up at O(TeV)
 - ◆ Recent: extra dimensions. Again, something must happen in the O(1-10) TeV scale if the above issues are to be addressed
- **Conclusion: we need to study the TeV region**



SM Higgs, New Physics and Detectors

■ Two basic requirements:

- ◆ an accelerator (energy...)
 - ◆ (since we don't know how New Physics will manifest itself):
 - “general-purpose” experiments covering as much of the solid angle as possible (“ 4π ”)
- detectors must be able to detect as many particles and signatures as possible:
 $e, \mu, \tau, \nu, \gamma, \text{ jets, b-quarks,}$



Going after the Higgs: the Large Hadron Collider (LHC)

The accelerator

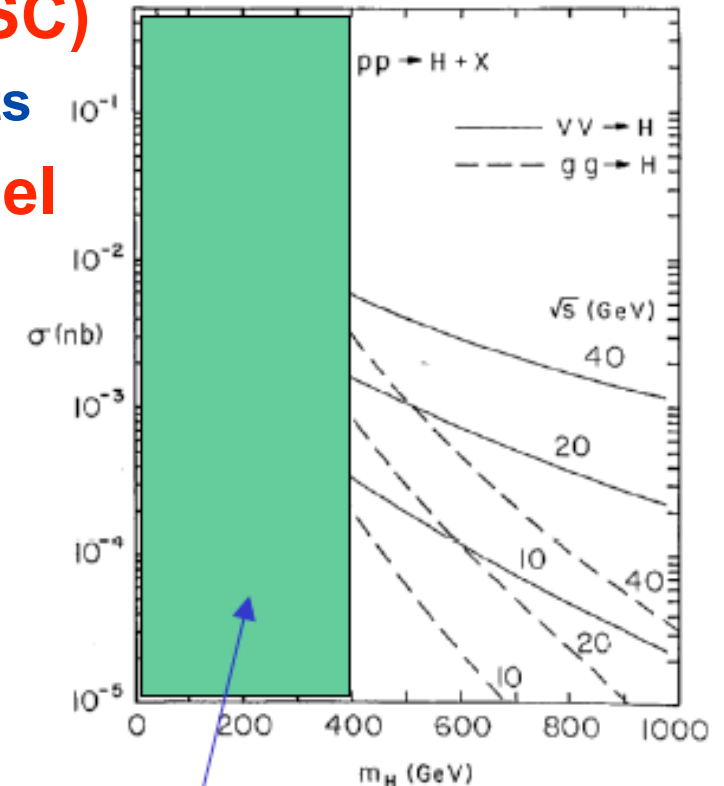
Designing an experiment for the LHC

Some challenges



A machine for EWSB

- **Superconducting Supercollider (SSC)**
 - ◆ By now: would have had 3rd-gen results
- **Next option: use existing LEP tunnel at CERN**
 - ◆ Large Hadron Collider

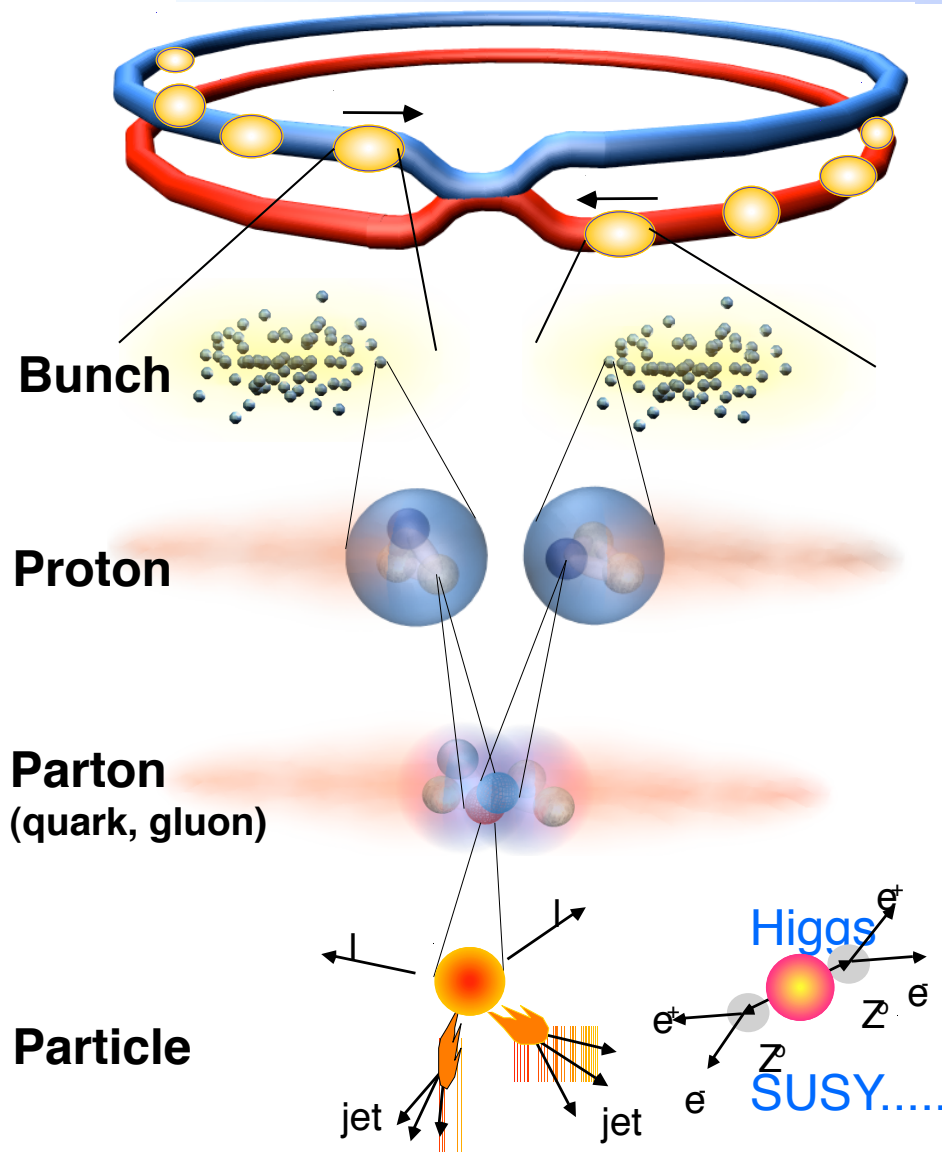


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Not true any more ($M_T=175$ GeV)



Collisions at the LHC: summary



Proton - Proton	2804 bunch/beam
Protons/bunch	10^{11}
Beam energy	7 TeV (7×10^{12} eV)
Luminosity	$10^{34} \text{cm}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}$

Crossing rate	40 MHz
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Collision rate \approx	10^7 - 10^9
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New physics rate $\approx .00001$ Hz

Event selection:
1 in 10,000,000,000,000



pp cross section and min. bias

■ # of interactions/crossing:

◆ Interactions/s:

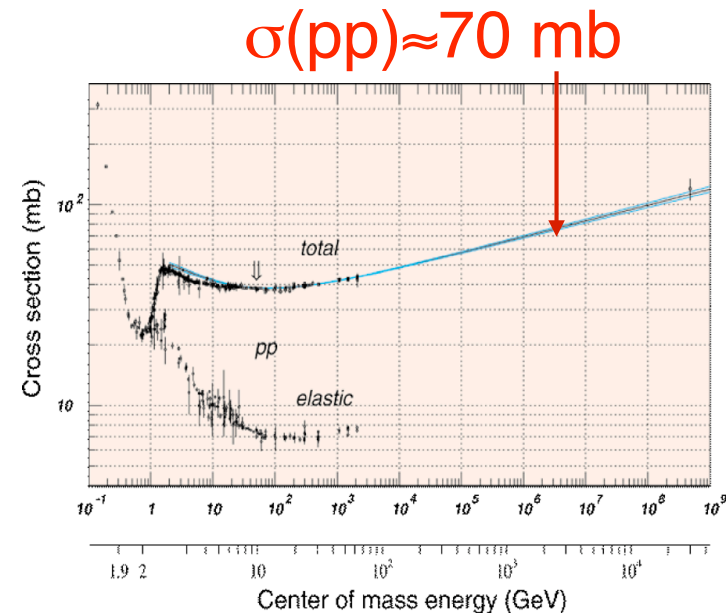
- $\text{Lum} = 10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1} = 10^7 \text{ mb}^{-1}\text{Hz}$
- $\sigma(\text{pp}) = 70 \text{ mb}$
- Interaction Rate, $R = 7 \times 10^8 \text{ Hz}$

◆ Events/beam crossing:

- $\Delta t = 25 \text{ ns} = 2.5 \times 10^{-8} \text{ s}$
- Interactions/crossing = 17.5

◆ Not all p bunches are full

- 2835 out of 3564 only
- Interactions/"active" crossing = $17.5 \times 3564 / 2835 = 23$



Operating conditions (summary):

- 1) A "good" event containing a Higgs decay +
- 2) ≈ 20 extra "bad" (minimum bias) interactions



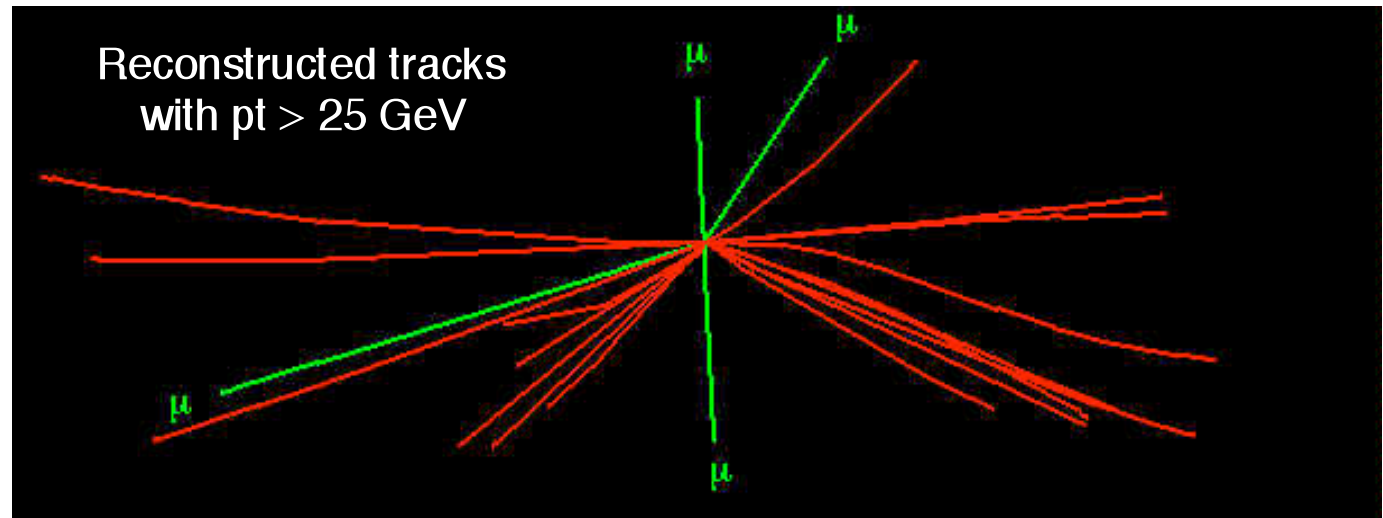
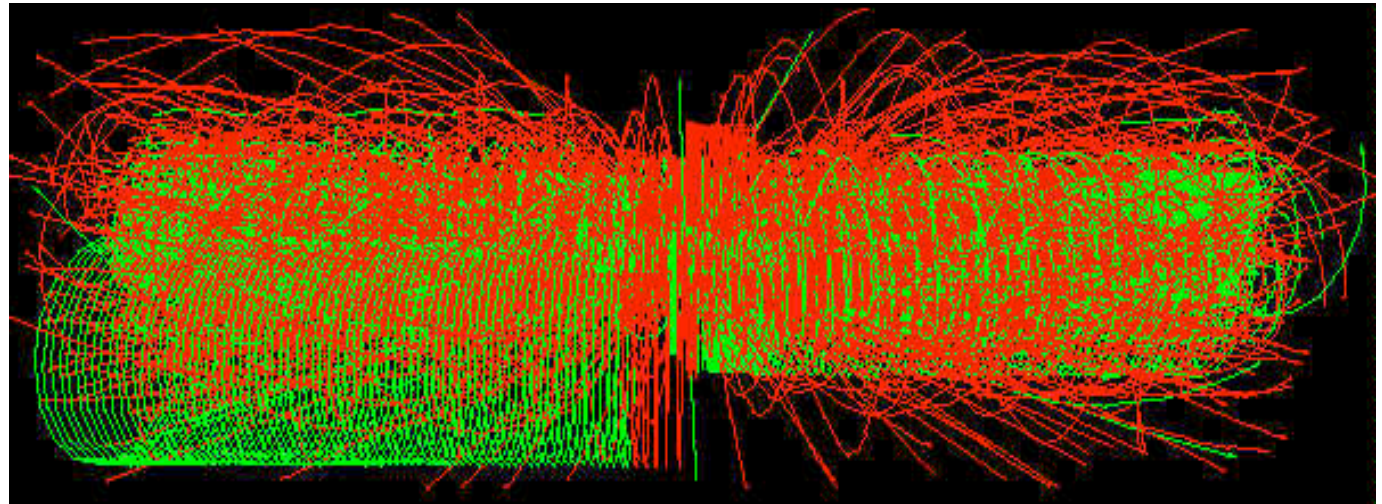
pp collisions at 14 TeV at $10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$

- 20 min bias events overlap

- $H \rightarrow ZZ$

$Z \rightarrow \mu\mu$

$H \rightarrow 4 \text{ muons}$:
the cleanest
("golden")
signature



And this (not the H though...) repeats every 25 ns...



LHC challenges: detector design

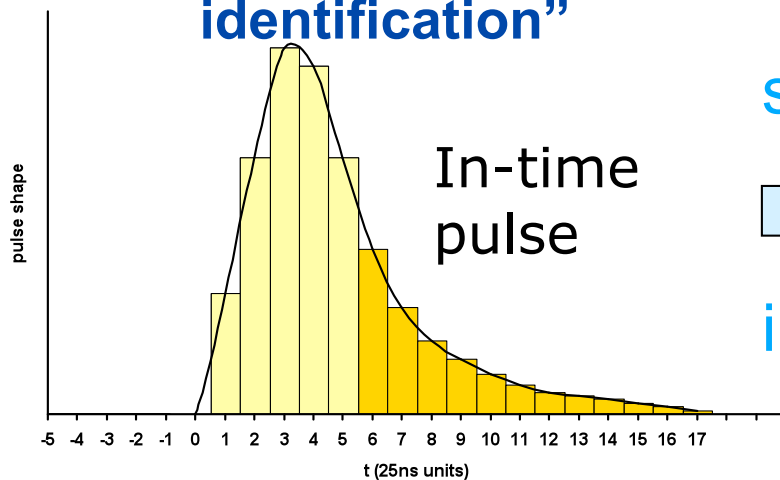
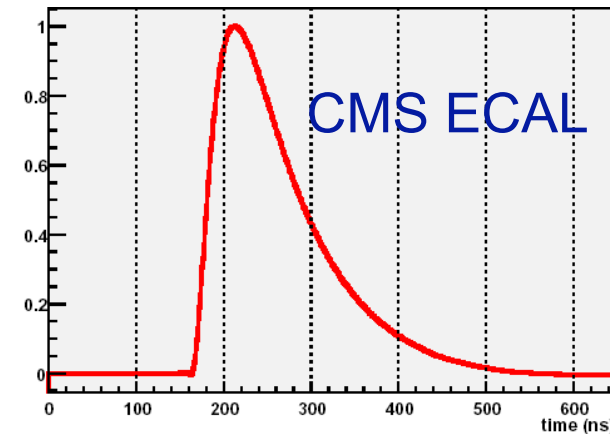
- **LHC detectors must have fast response**
 - ◆ Otherwise will integrate over many bunch crossings → large “pile-up”
 - ◆ Typical response time : 20-50 ns
 - integrate over 1-2 bunch crossings → pile-up of 25-50 min-bias
 - very challenging readout electronics
- **LHC detectors must be highly granular**
 - ◆ Minimize probability that pile-up particles be in the same detector element as interesting object (e.g. γ from $H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ decays)
 - large number of electronic channels
 - high cost
- **LHC detectors must be radiation resistant:**
 - ◆ high flux of particles from pp collisions → high radiation environment e.g. in forward calorimeters:
 - up to 10^{17} n/cm² in 10 years of LHC operation
 - up to 10^7 Gy (1 Gy = unit of absorbed energy = 1 Joule/Kg)



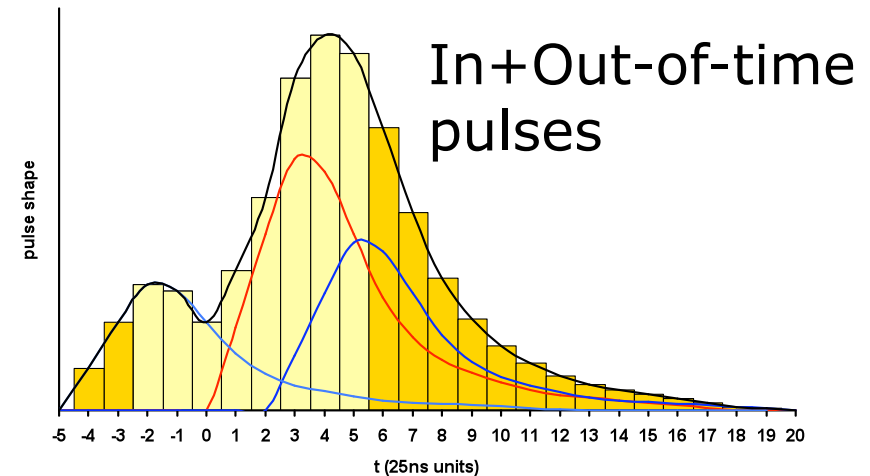
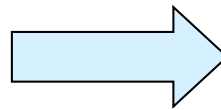
Pile-up & Electronics; BCID

“In-time” pile-up: particles from the same crossing but from a different pp interaction

- **Long detector response/ pulse shapes:**
 - ◆ **“Out-of-time” pile-up: left-over signals from interactions in previous crossings**
 - ◆ **Need “bunch-crossing identification”**



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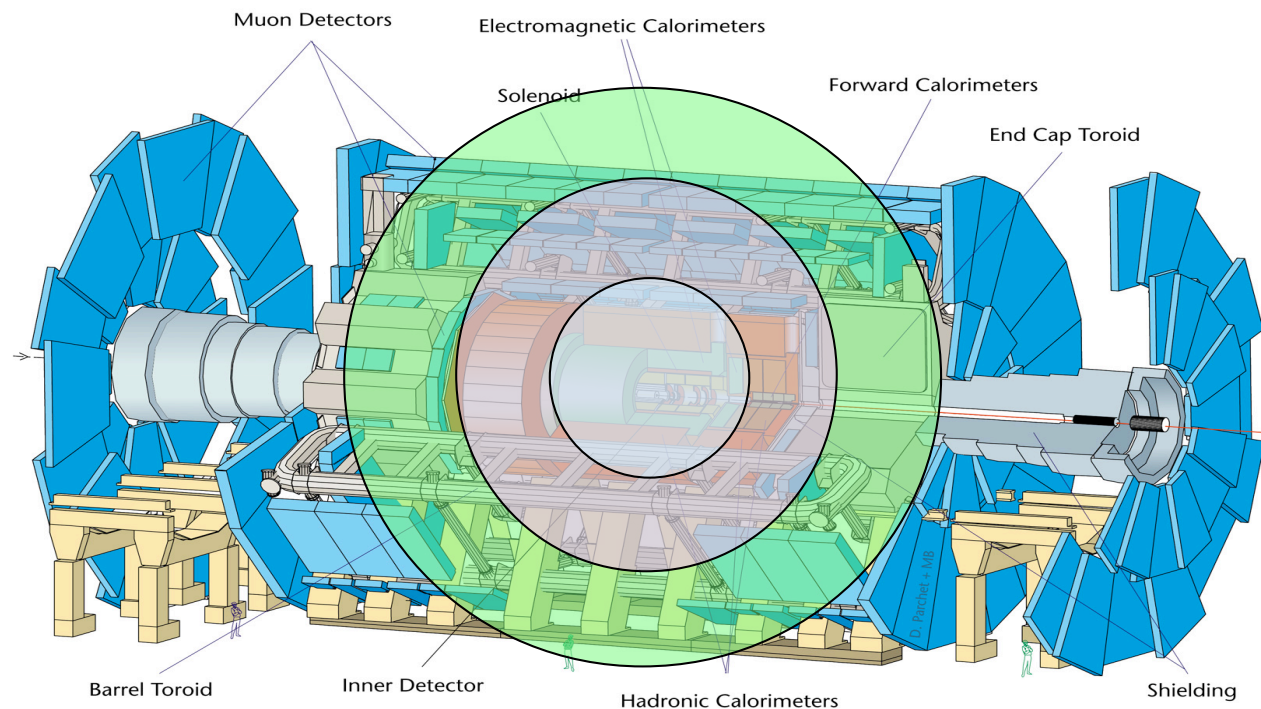




Synchronization

- **Time-of-flight ($25 \text{ ns} = 7.5 \text{ m} < \text{detector size}$)**
 - ◆ Plus intra-channel synchronization
 - ◆ Plus inter-detector synchronization
- <http://cmsdoc.cern.ch/cms/TRIDAS/html/WELL2.html>

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Detector design at hadron colliders

- **At high luminosity hadron colliders: need to measure muon momenta online – with sufficient accuracy for triggering**

Solenoid	BR^2	Tm^2	Tm	$\Delta r(Fe)$ (m)
1.GEM	$0.8 \cdot 9^2$	65	7	-
2.CMS	$4 \cdot 3^2$	36	12	~ 1.5
3.ALEPH'	$3 \cdot 2.5^2$	19	7.5	< 1
4.ATLAS	$2 \cdot 1.2^2$	3	2.4	-

1: low-field inner tracking

2: bending power at high eta

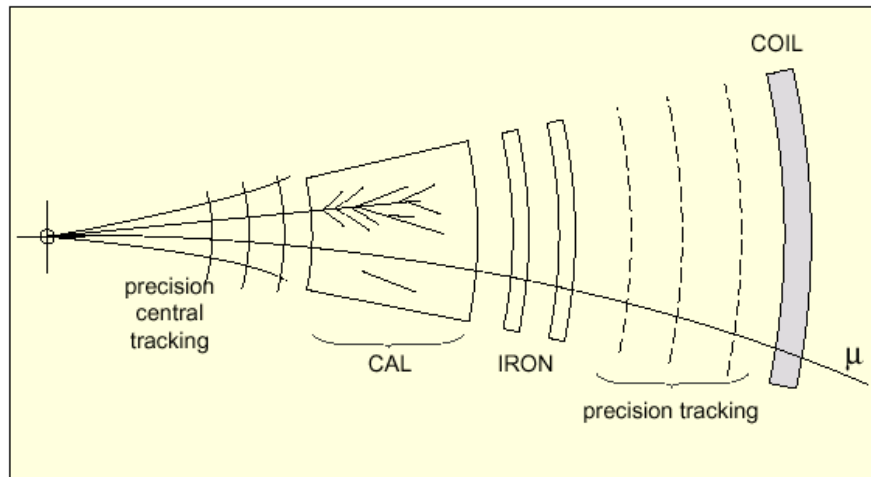
3: Coil at hadron shower max, saturated iron for muons too thin

4: need toroid magnets, coil-ECAL interface



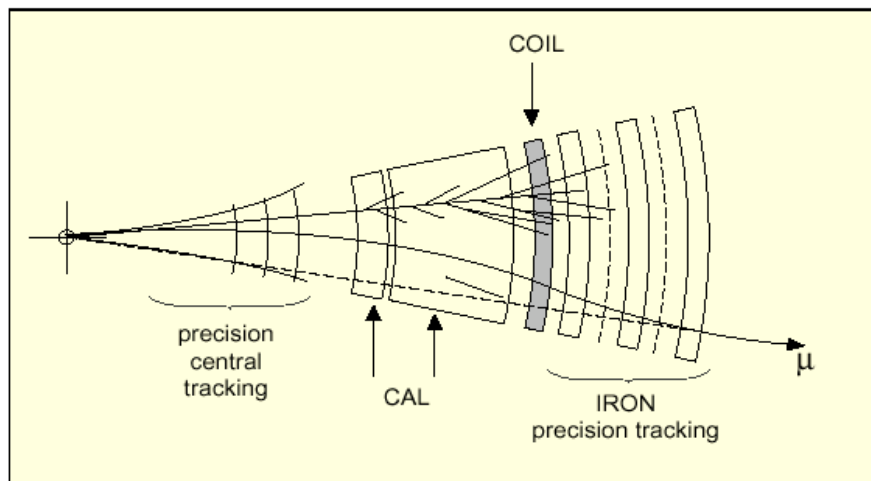
Designing an LHC experiment

- **THE issue: measure momenta of charged particles (e.g. muons); so which measurement “architecture”?**



ATLAS

Standalone p measurement;
safe for high multiplicities;
Air-core torroid
Property: σ flat with η



CMS

Measurement of p in
tracker and B return flux;
Iron-core solenoid
Property: muon tracks
point back to vertex

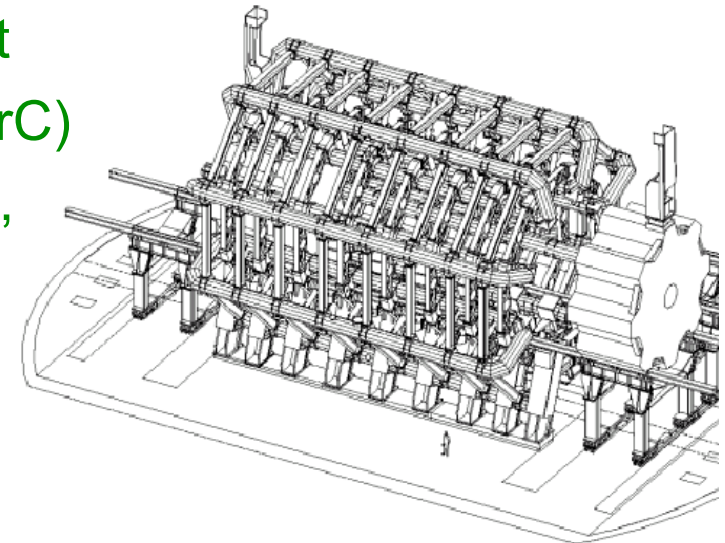


Choice of magnet (I)

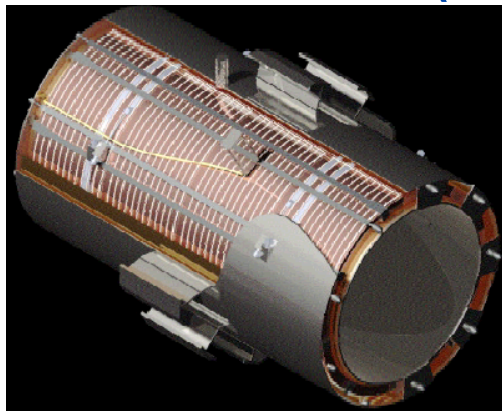
■ Basic goal: measure 1 TeV muons with 10% resolution

◆ ATLAS: $\langle B \rangle \sim 0.6\text{T}$ over 4.5 m $\rightarrow s=0.5\text{mm} \rightarrow$ need $\sigma_s=50\mu\text{m}$

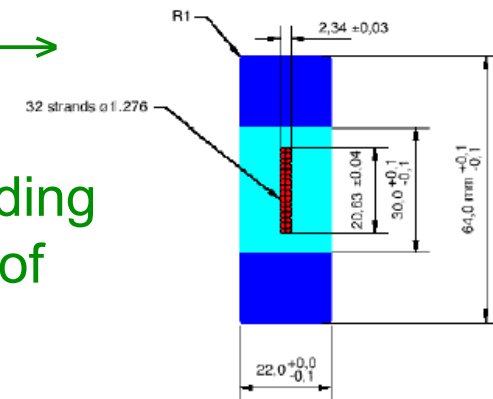
- Ampere's thm: $2\pi RB = \mu_0 nI \rightarrow nI = 2 \times 10^7 \text{ At}$
- With 8 coils, $2 \times 2 \times 30$ turns: $I = 20\text{kA}$ (superC)
- Challenges: mechanics, 1.5GJ if quench, spatial & alignment precision over large surface area



◆ CMS: $B=4\text{T}$ ($E=2.7 \text{ GJ!}$)



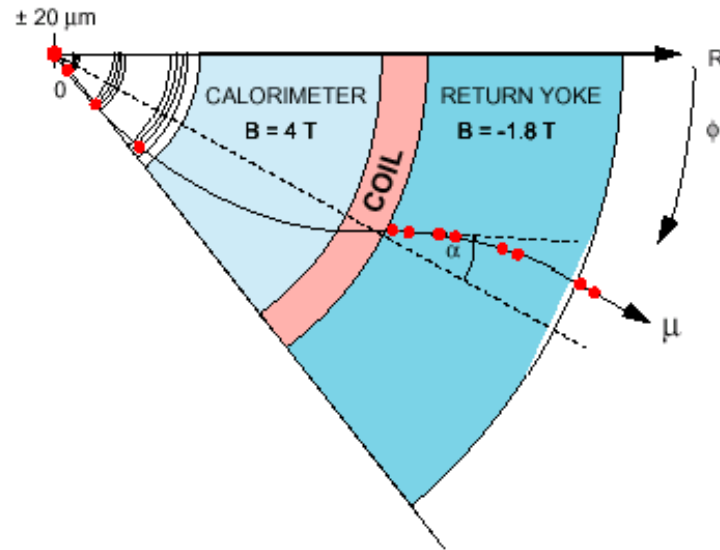
- $B = \mu_0 nI$; @2168 turns/m $\rightarrow I = 20\text{kA}$ (SuperC)
- Challenges: 4-layer winding to carry enough I , design of reinforced superC cable





Choice of magnet (III)

■ Solenoid:



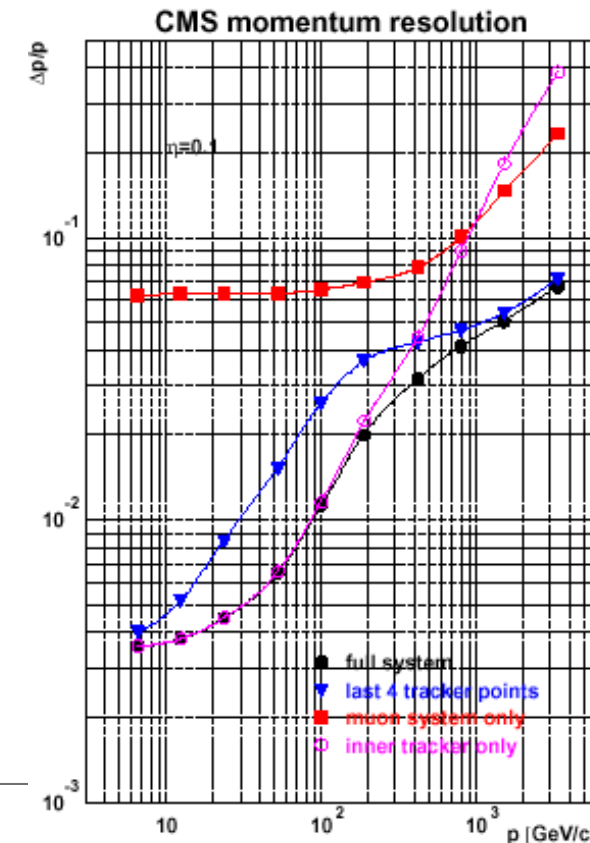
Bending in transverse plane
 Use 20μm beam spot
 BUT: 4T brings problems
 (e.g. cannot use PM tubes)

■ Iron-core → multiple scattering

- ◆ Tracking in magnetized iron:

$$\frac{\Delta p}{p} = \frac{40\%}{B\sqrt{L}}$$

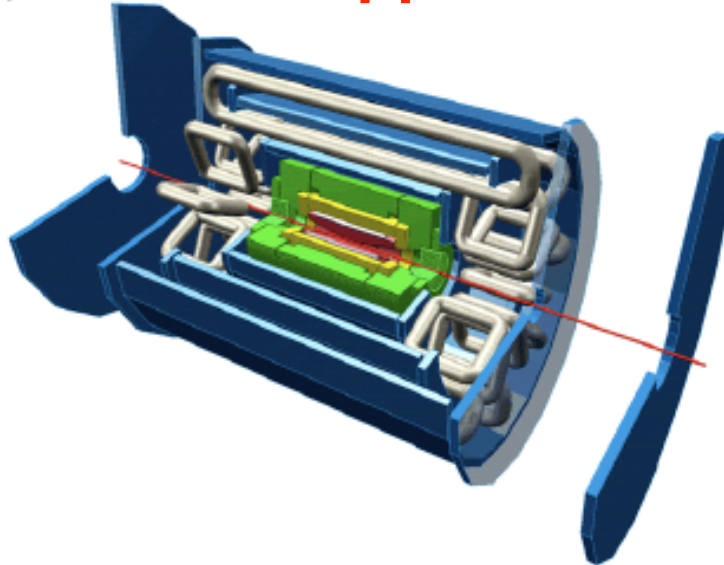
- ◆ BUT measurement much better when combined with the tracker



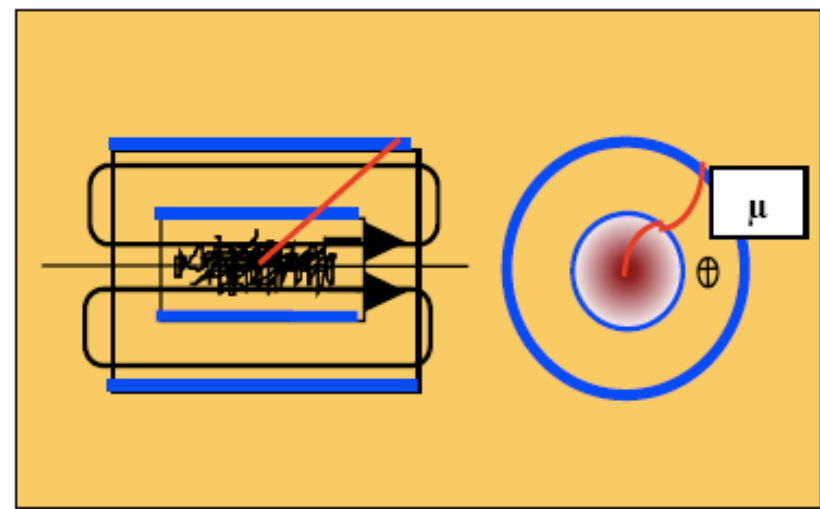
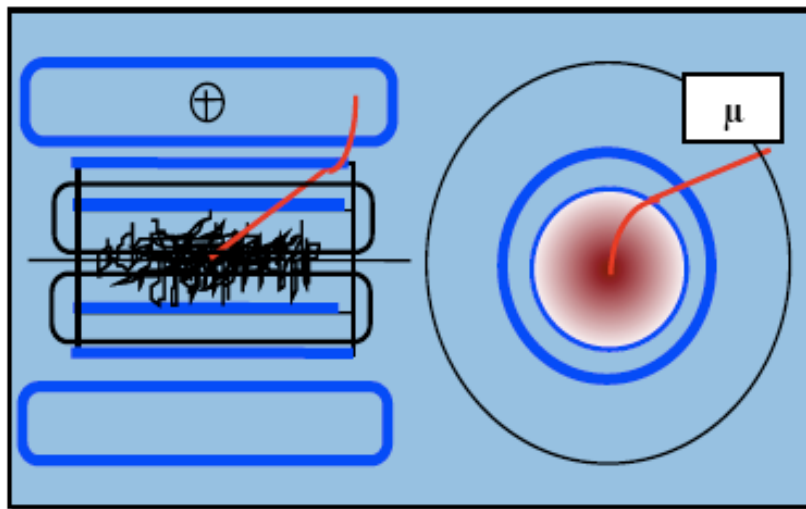
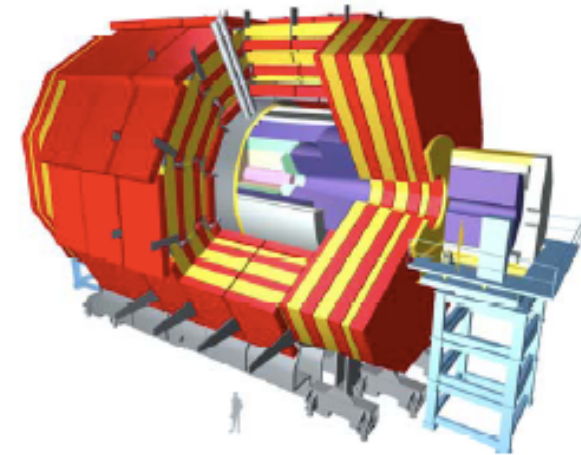


The general-purpose detectors @ LHC

A Toroidal LHC ApparatuS



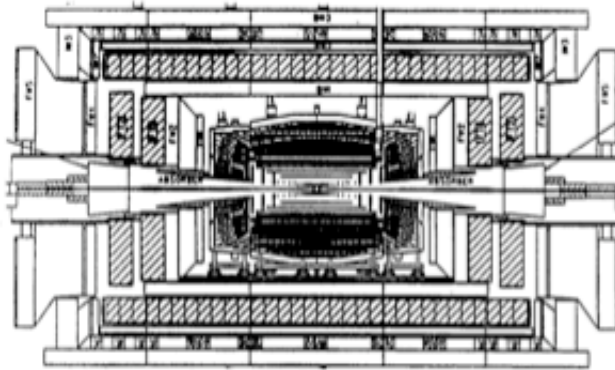
Compact Muon Solenoid





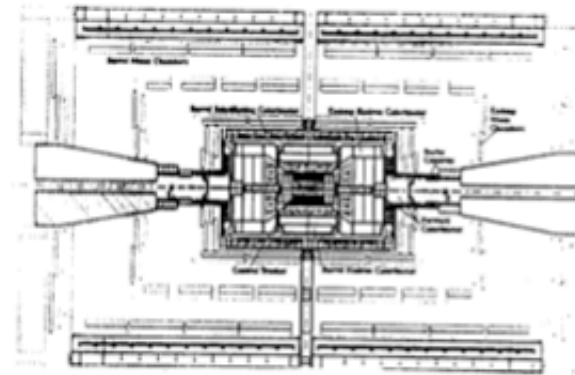
Designs of Various Detectors

SDC



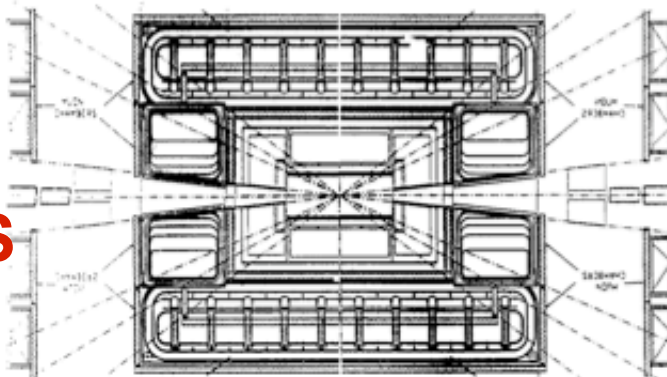
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GEM



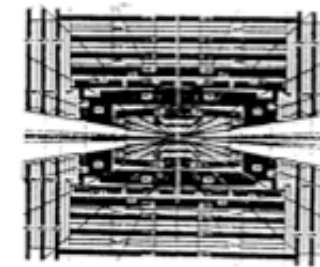
$L=38\text{m}$, $\phi=24\text{m}$, Solenoid $R=9\text{m}$, $B=0.8\text{T}$

ATLAS



$L=40\text{m}$, $\phi=20\text{m}$, Solenoid $R=1.15\text{m}$, $B=2\text{T}$
Air Toroid $5\text{m} < R < 10\text{m}$, $B=0.6\text{T}$

CMS



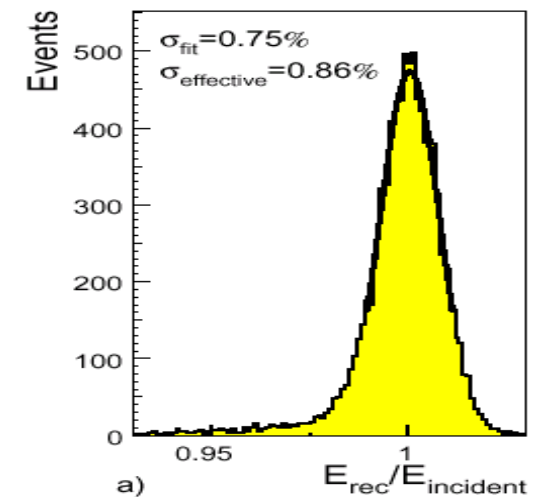
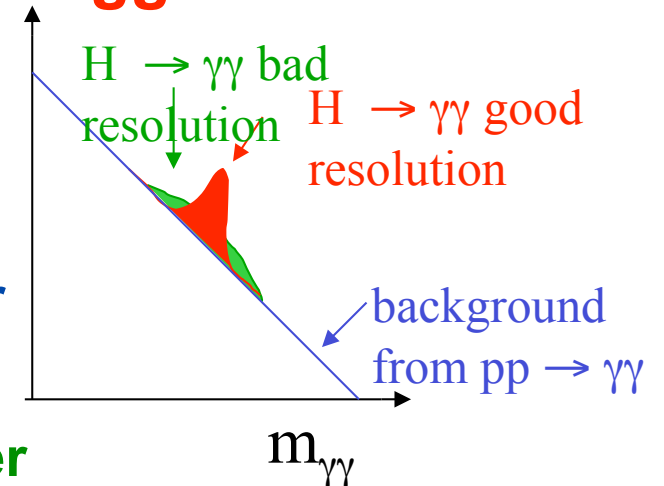
$L=20\text{m}$, $\phi=13\text{m}$, Solenoid $R=3$, $B=4\text{T}$



One example: calorimetry

- **Need excellent energy resolution of EM calorimeters for e/γ ; Example: $H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ for low mass Higgs**

- ◆ Higgs width is very narrow, so S/N directly \propto to signal resolution
- ◆ Moreover, initial background: x100 larger
 - π^0 rejection: strips (ATLAS), crystal size (isolation) (CMS); preshower in the endcap



**Tracker vs ECAL
resolution match:
at ~50 GeV (spot
on for Higgs)**



Electromagnetic Calorimetry

■ Electromagnetic calorimeter

- ◆ Liquid argon by ATLAS. Not enough space in CMS for cryogenics. Need something more compact. Crystal ECAL

Properties of some crystals

Crystal	X_0 (cm)	R_M (cm)	Light Yield Gammas/MeV	Peak (nm)	Decay (ns)
BaF_2	2.06	3.4	2000	210	0.6
			6500	310	620
CeF_3	1.68	2.6	2000	300	5
				340	20

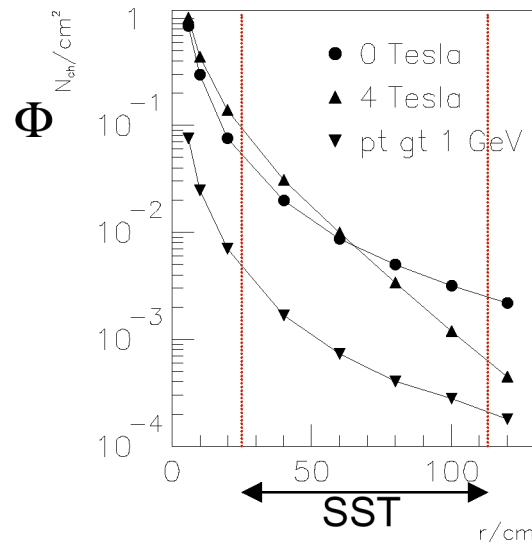
- ◆ CeF_3 best choice. Good light yield; short X_0 ; short τ ; good radiation resistance
- ◆ Post Lol: $PbWO_4$

$PbWO_4$	0.89	2.2	250	440	5-15
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Example: Tracking Requirements

- **Efficiency: need low, ~few % occupancy; Resolution**



Twelve hits; 4T field
spatial resolution: (pitch/ $\sqrt{12}$)
Radius: 110 cm

→ momentum resolution:

$$\frac{\Delta p}{p} \approx 0.12 \left(\frac{pitch}{100 \mu m} \right)^1 \left(\frac{1.1 m}{L} \right)^2 \left(\frac{4 T}{B} \right)^1 \left(\frac{p}{1 TeV} \right)$$

→ Need pitch $\sim 100 \mu m$.

small radii: need cell size $< 1 cm^2$
+ fast ($\sim 25 ns$) shaping time
condition is relaxed at large radii

- **Strip size**

- ◆ Strip length: 10cm (inner layers) to 20cm (outer layers).
- ◆ Pitch: $80 \mu m$ (inner layers) to $200 \mu m$ (outer layers)



The Compact Muon Solenoid (CMS)

**SUPERCONDUCTING
COIL**

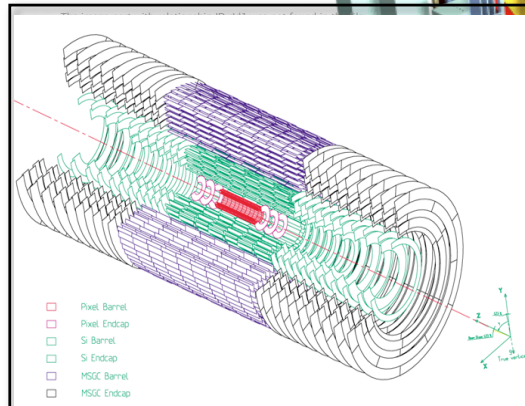
Total weight : 12,500 t
Overall diameter : 15 m
Overall length : 21.6 m
Magnetic field : 4 Tesla

CALORIMETERS
ECAL Scintillating PbWO₄ Crystals

HCAL Plastic scintillator
copper
sandwich

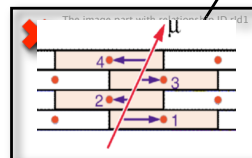
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TRACKERS



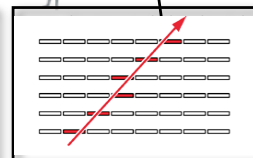
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MUON BARREL



Drift Tube

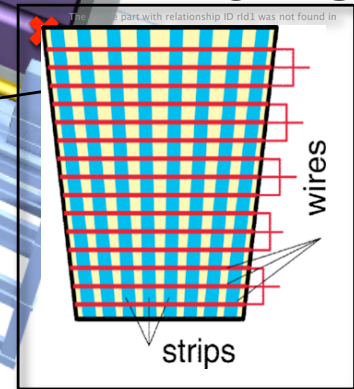
Chambers (**DT**)



Resistive Plate

Chambers (**RPC**)

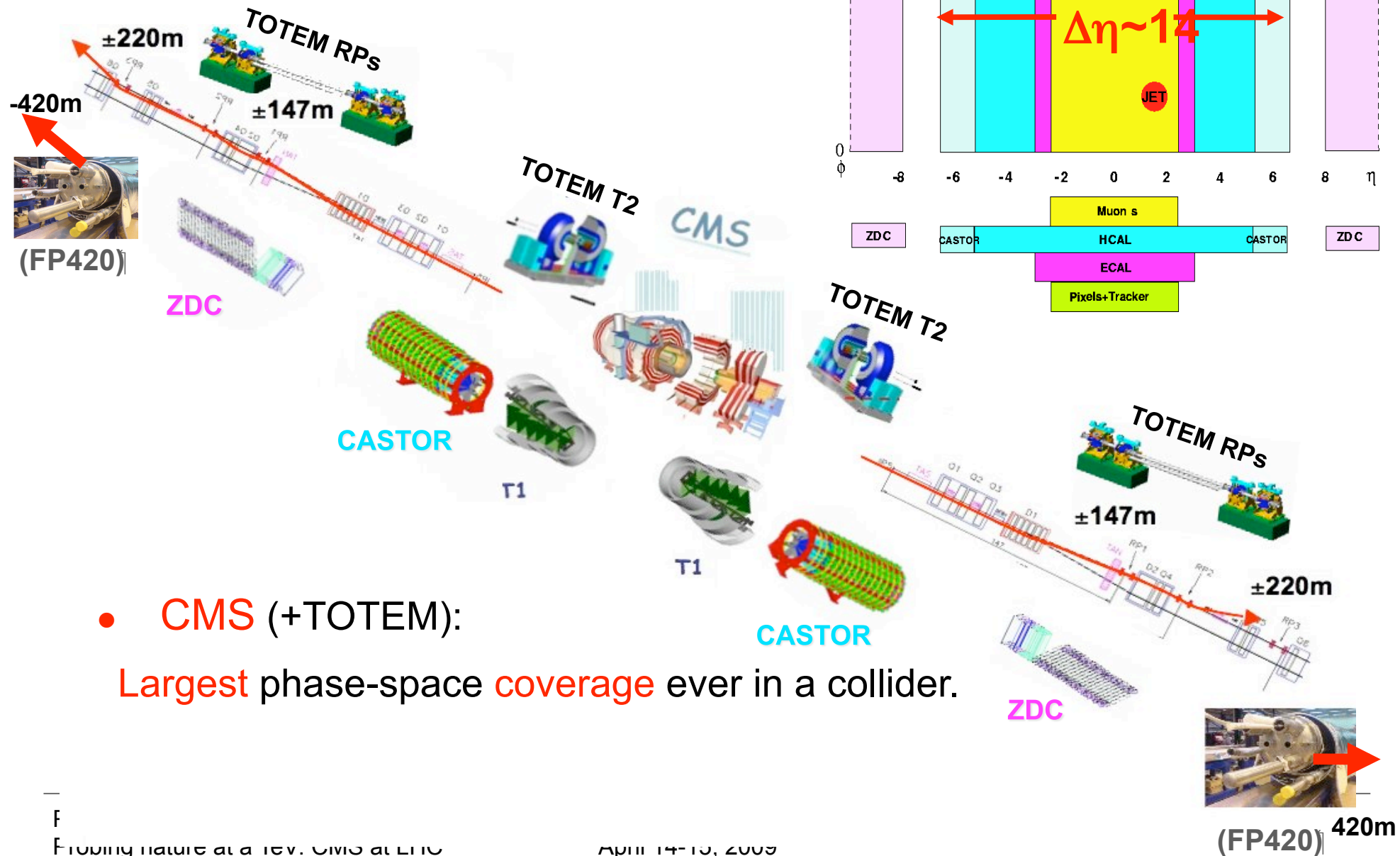
**MUON
ENDCAPS**



Cathode Strip Chambers (**CSC**)
Resistive Plate Chambers (**RPC**)



Including forward detectors





Timeline (e.g. CMS)

- **LHC Workshop, Aachen 1990**
 - ◆ Concept of a compact detector based on a 4T superconducting solenoid
- **Expression of Interest, Evian 1992**
 - ◆ Conceptual Design
- **Letter of Intent, October 1992**
 - ◆ CERN/LHCC 92-3
- **Technical Proposal, Dec 1994**
 - ◆ CERN/LHCC 94-38
- **Interim Memorandum of Understanding (IMoU) 1995**
- **Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) 1998**
- **Detector Technical Design Reports: 1997-98; Lvl-1 Trigger: 2000; DAQ/HLT: 2002.**
- **Computing & Physics TDR: end 2005; mid 2006.**

“Asymptotic” physics reach

Standard Model Higgs search

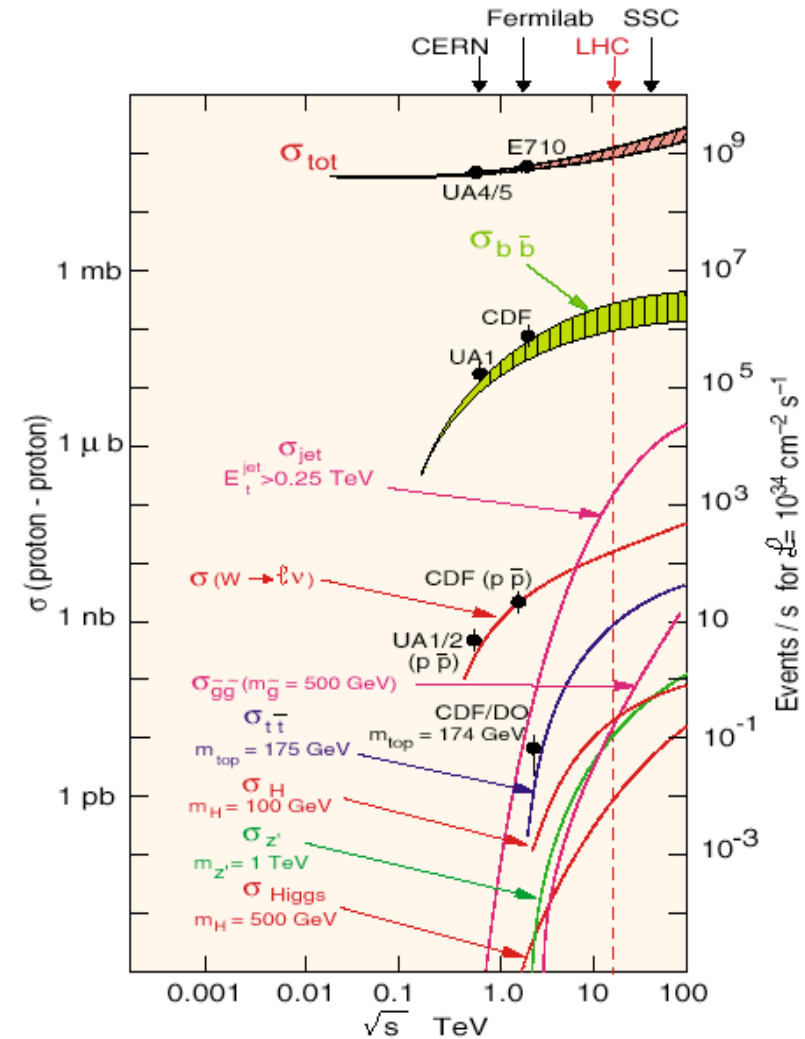
SUSY Higgs search

General Supersymmetry (sparticles) search



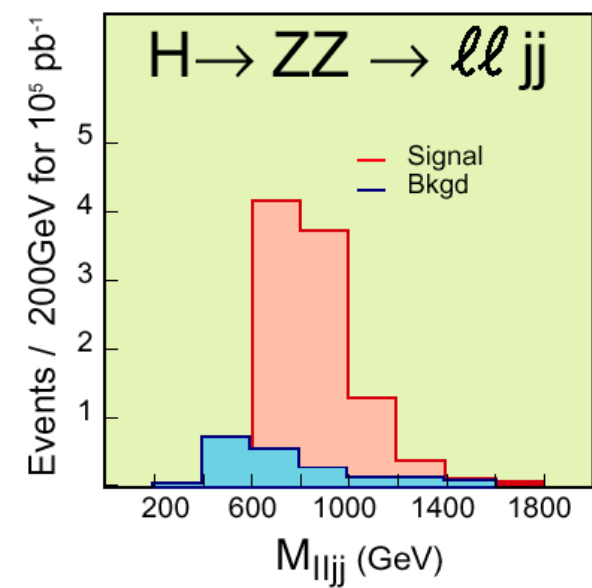
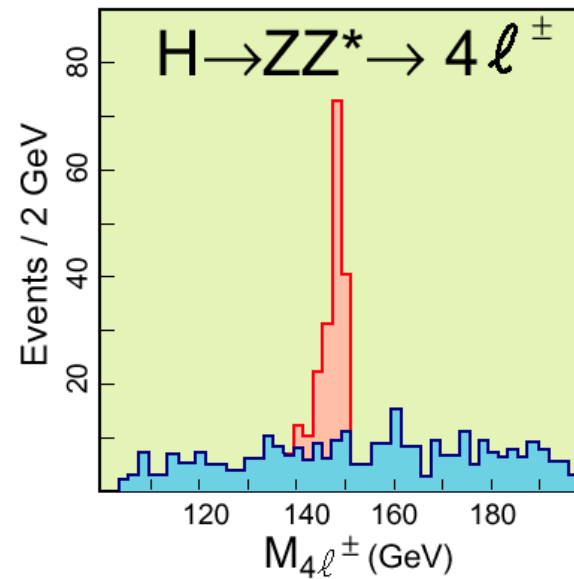
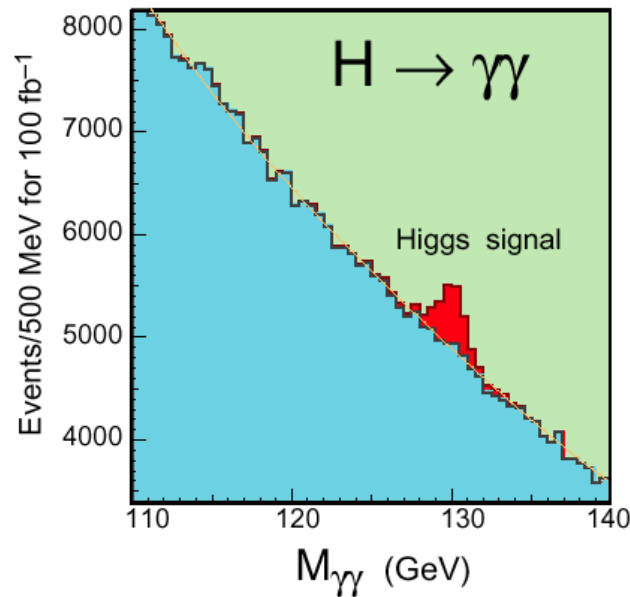
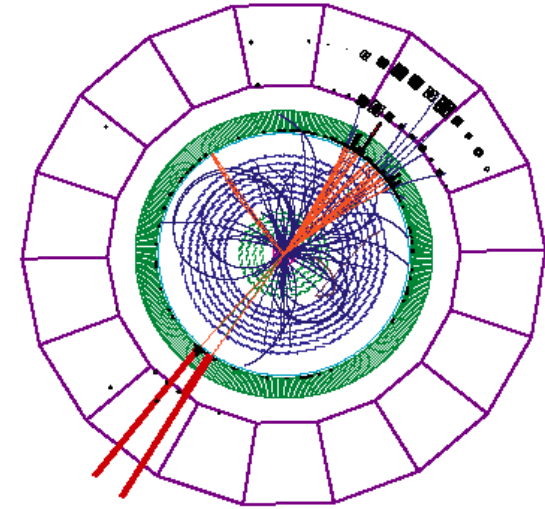
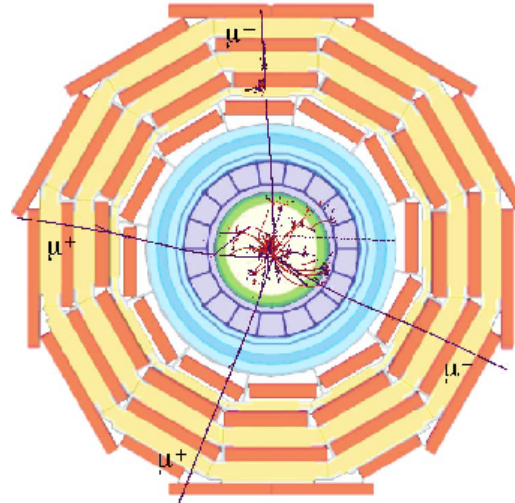
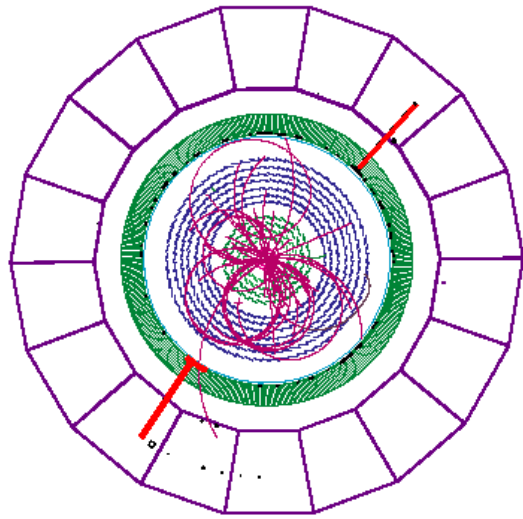
Selectivity: the physics

- **Cross sections for various physics processes vary over many orders of magnitude**
 - ◆ Inelastic: 10^9 Hz
 - ◆ $W \rightarrow \ell \nu$: 10^2 Hz
 - ◆ $t \bar{t}$ production: 10 Hz
 - ◆ Higgs ($100 \text{ GeV}/c^2$): 0.1 Hz
 - ◆ Higgs ($600 \text{ GeV}/c^2$): 10^{-2} Hz
- **Selection needed: $1:10^{10-11}$**
 - ◆ Before branching fractions...





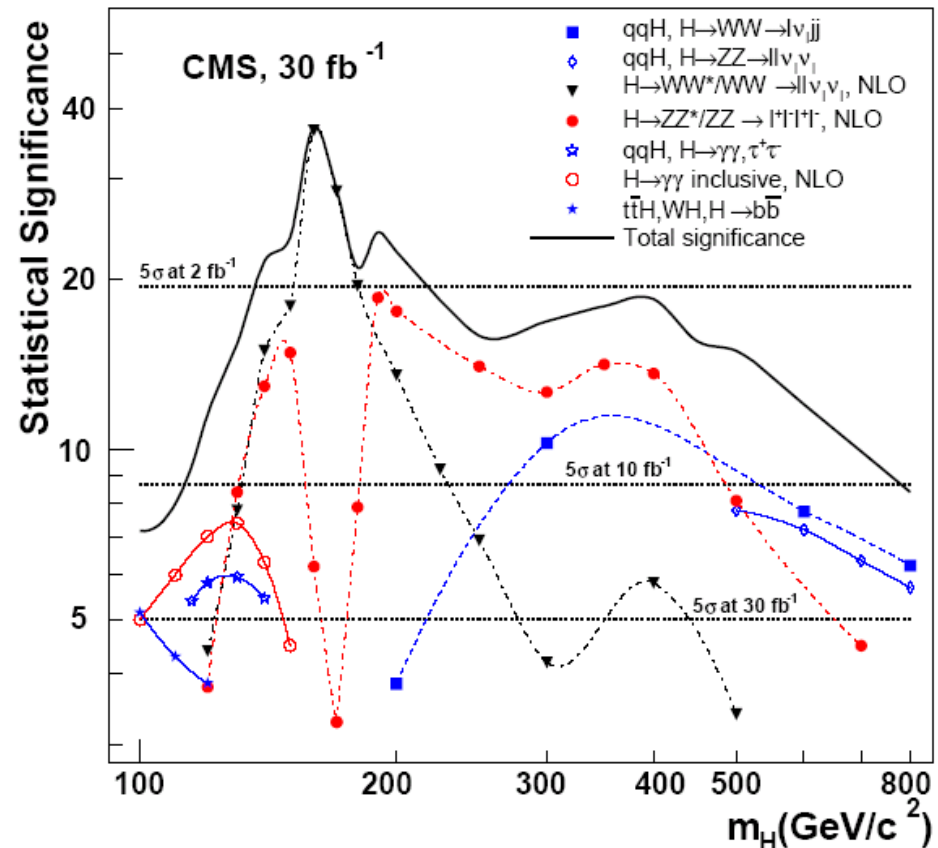
The (SM) Higgs in the detector





Higgs reach

- The LHC can probe the entire set of “allowed” Higgs mass values;
 - ◆ in most cases a few months at $10^{33}\text{cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$ are adequate for a 5σ observation





Problems with the Higgs and the Standard Model

■ Quadratic divergence in its mass

$$m^2(p^2) = m_o^2 + \text{[wavy line with } J=1 \text{]} + \text{[circle with } J=1/2 \text{]} + \text{[loop with } J=0 \text{]}$$

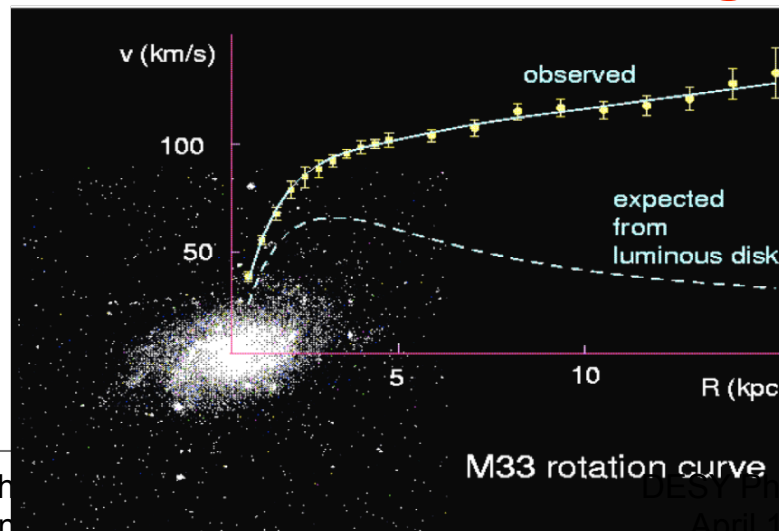
$$m^2(p^2) = m^2(\Lambda^2) + Cg^2 \int_{p^2}^{\Lambda^2} dk^2$$

◆ Or: why is the Higgs mass so low? What is the mechanism?

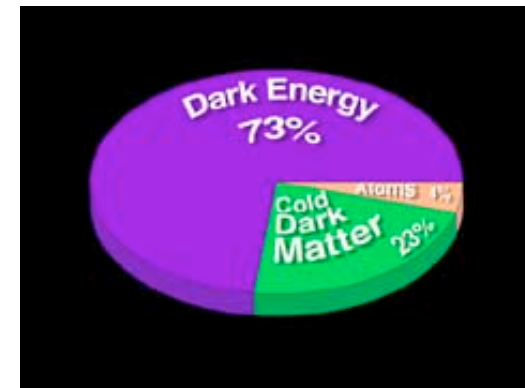
■ Where is all this vacuum energy?

◆ We would expect a tremendous energy density ($>10^{100}$ times larger than observed! Cosmological constant “too small”)

■ What about the missing mass (dark matter)? What is it?



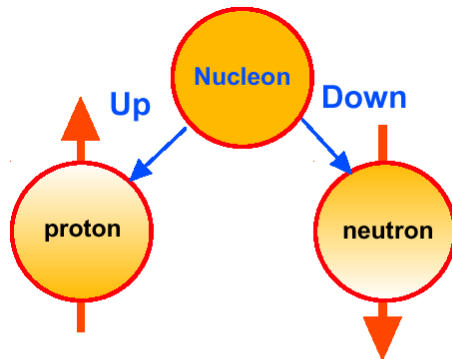
↑ Dark
(invisible)
matter!
↓





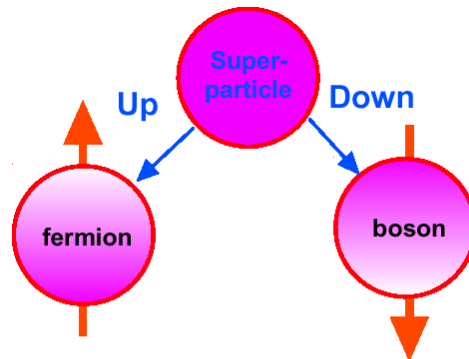
Supersymmetry (SUSY), effect on Higgs and dark matter (?)

- SUSY (super-symmetry) solution: for every particle in the SM, there is a super-partner with spin- $1/2$ difference**



Isotopic symmetry

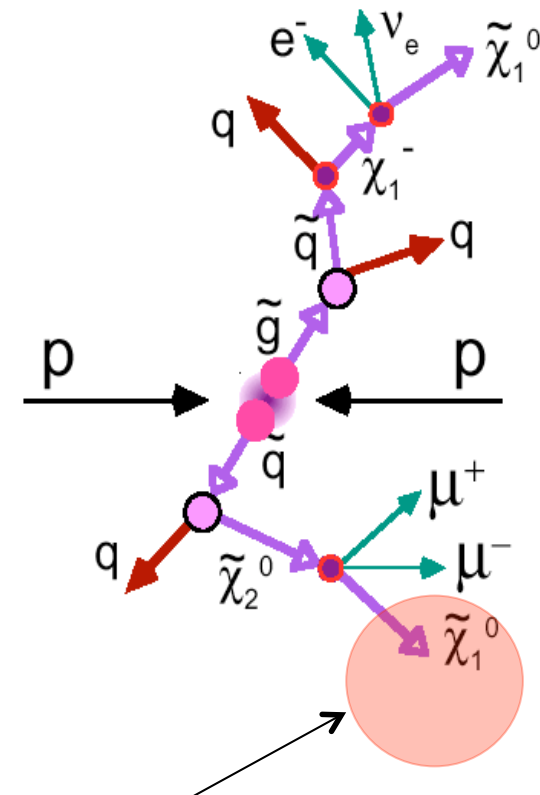
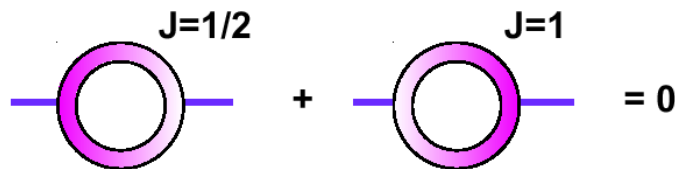
Proton and Neutron:
different states of a
generalized particle (Nucleon)



Supersymmetry :

Fermion and Boson:
different states of a
generalized entity (Superparticle)

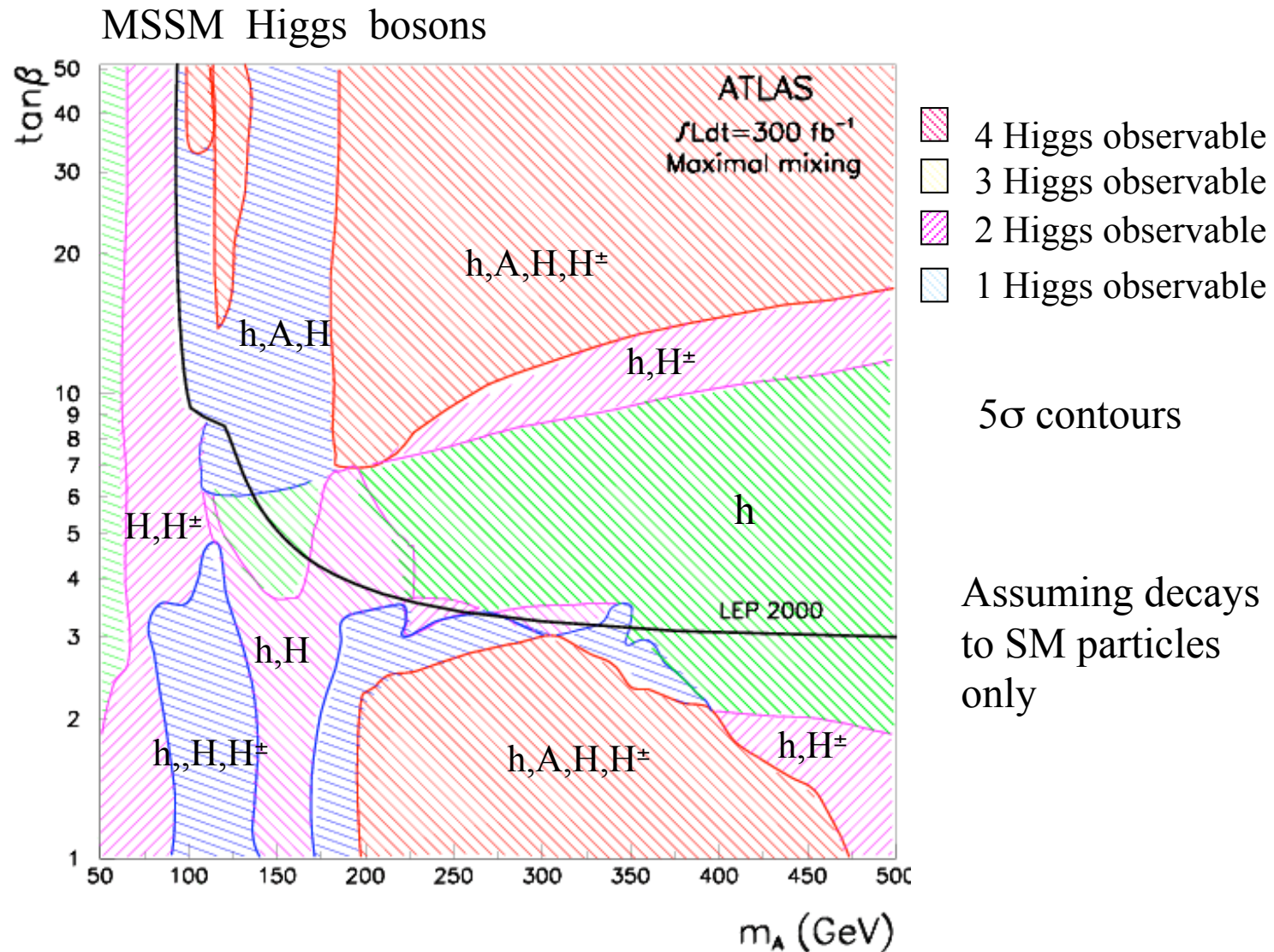
In SUSY, the loops cancel naturally:



Candidate for dark matter!



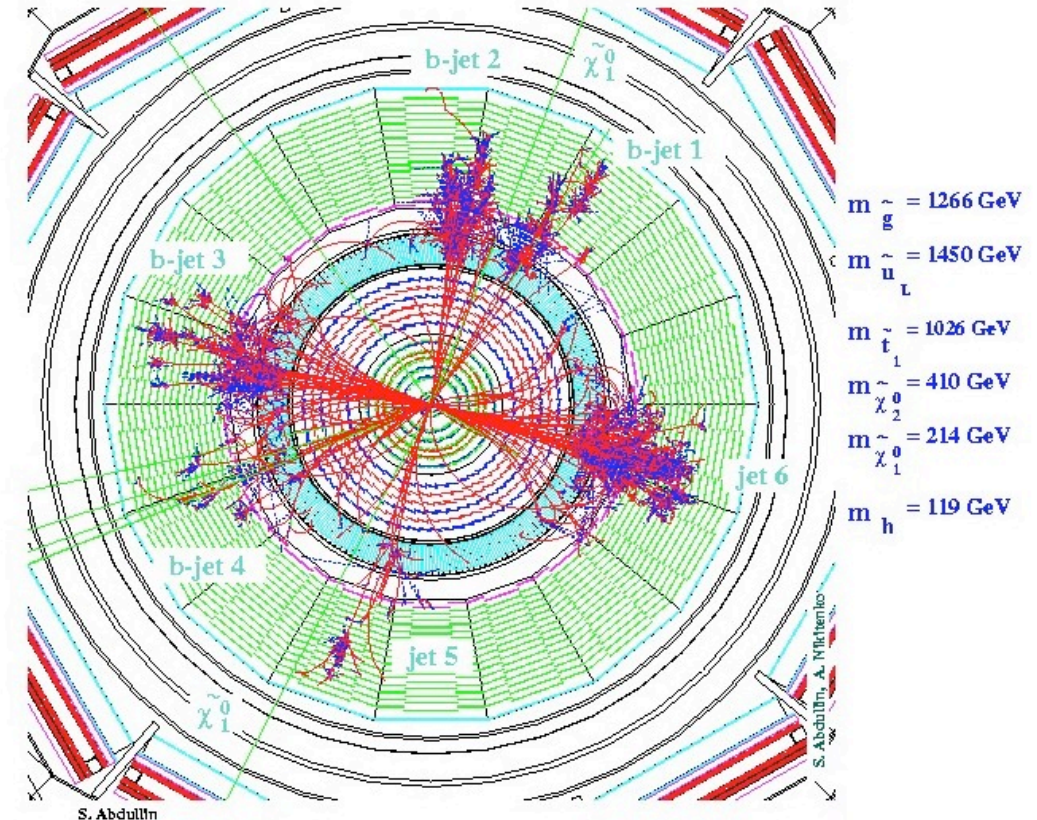
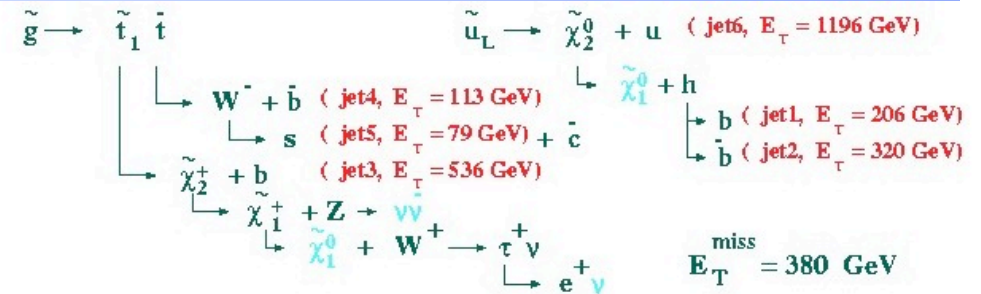
Observability of MSSM Higgses





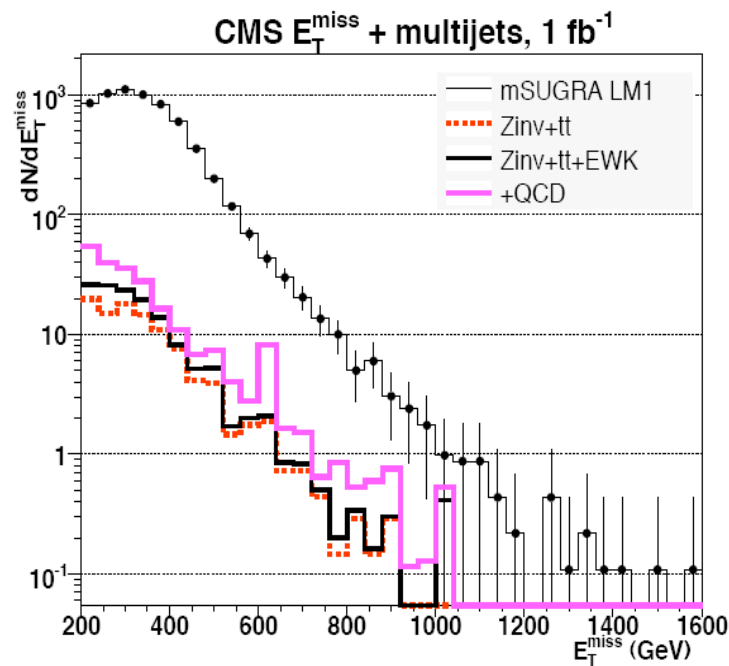
SUSY signatures in CMS

- Many hard Jets
- Large missing energy
 - ◆ 2 LSPs
 - ◆ Many neutrinos
- Many leptons
- In a word Spectacular!

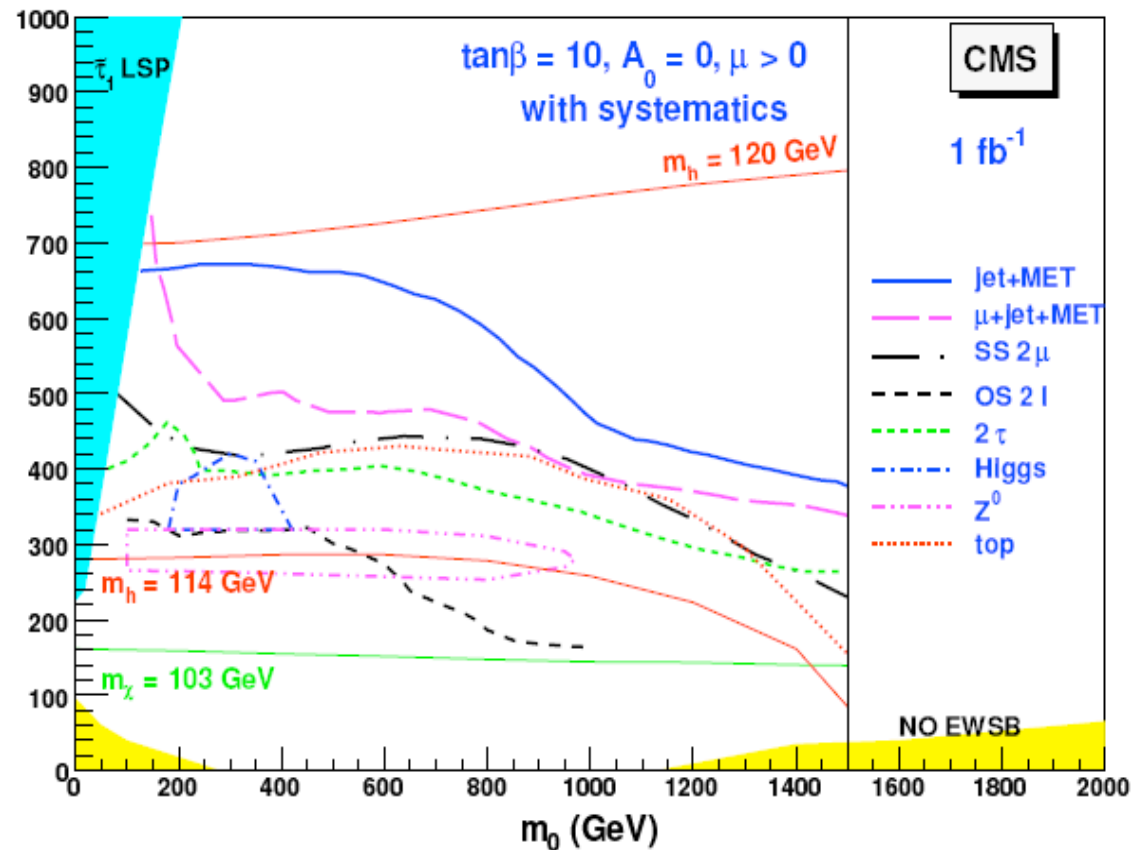




Inclusive SUSY searches

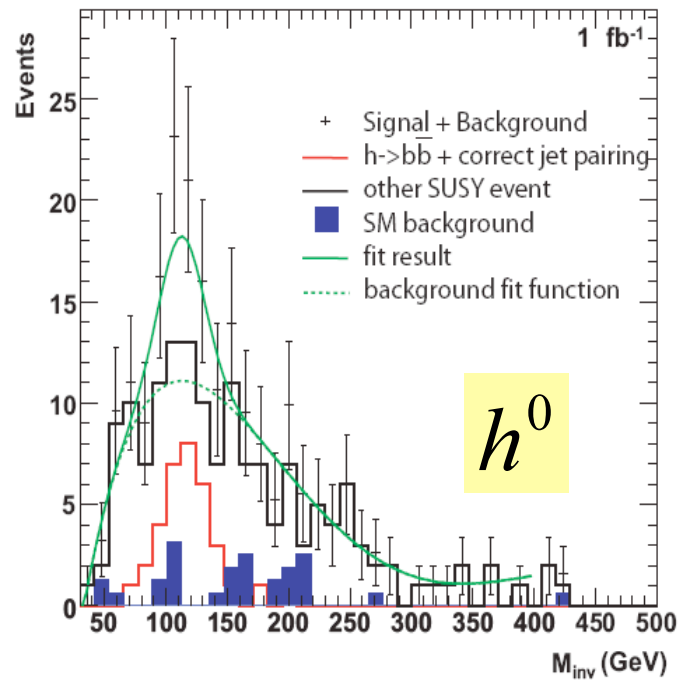
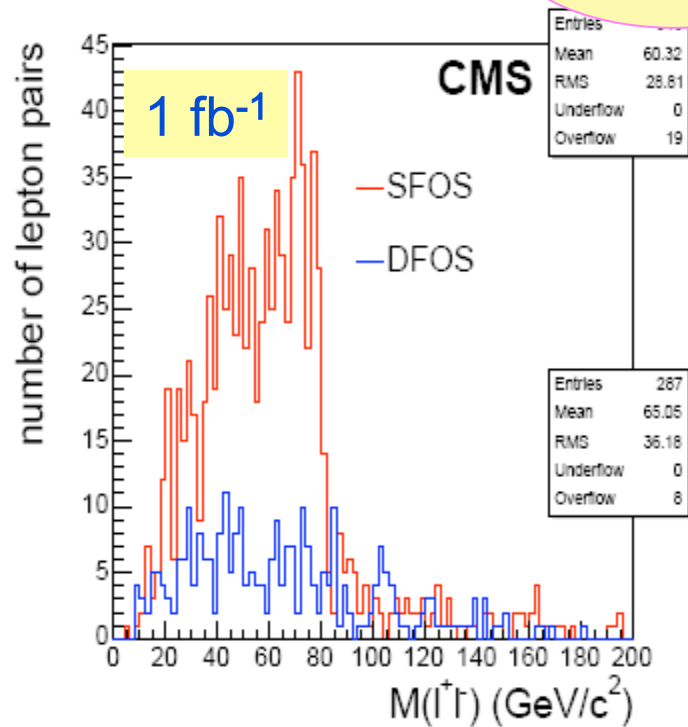
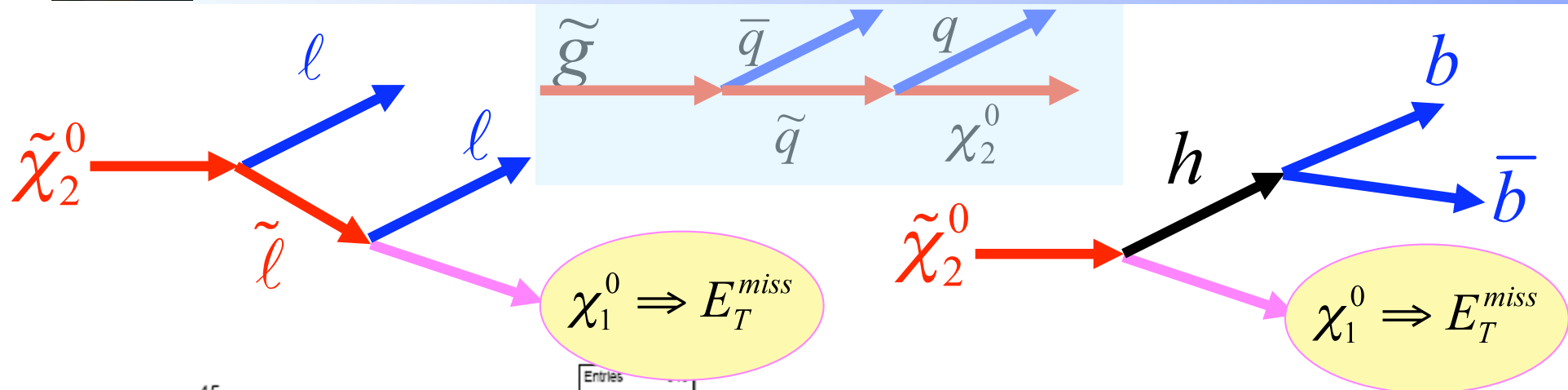


E_T^{miss}
@ LM1





SUSY signals (cascades)

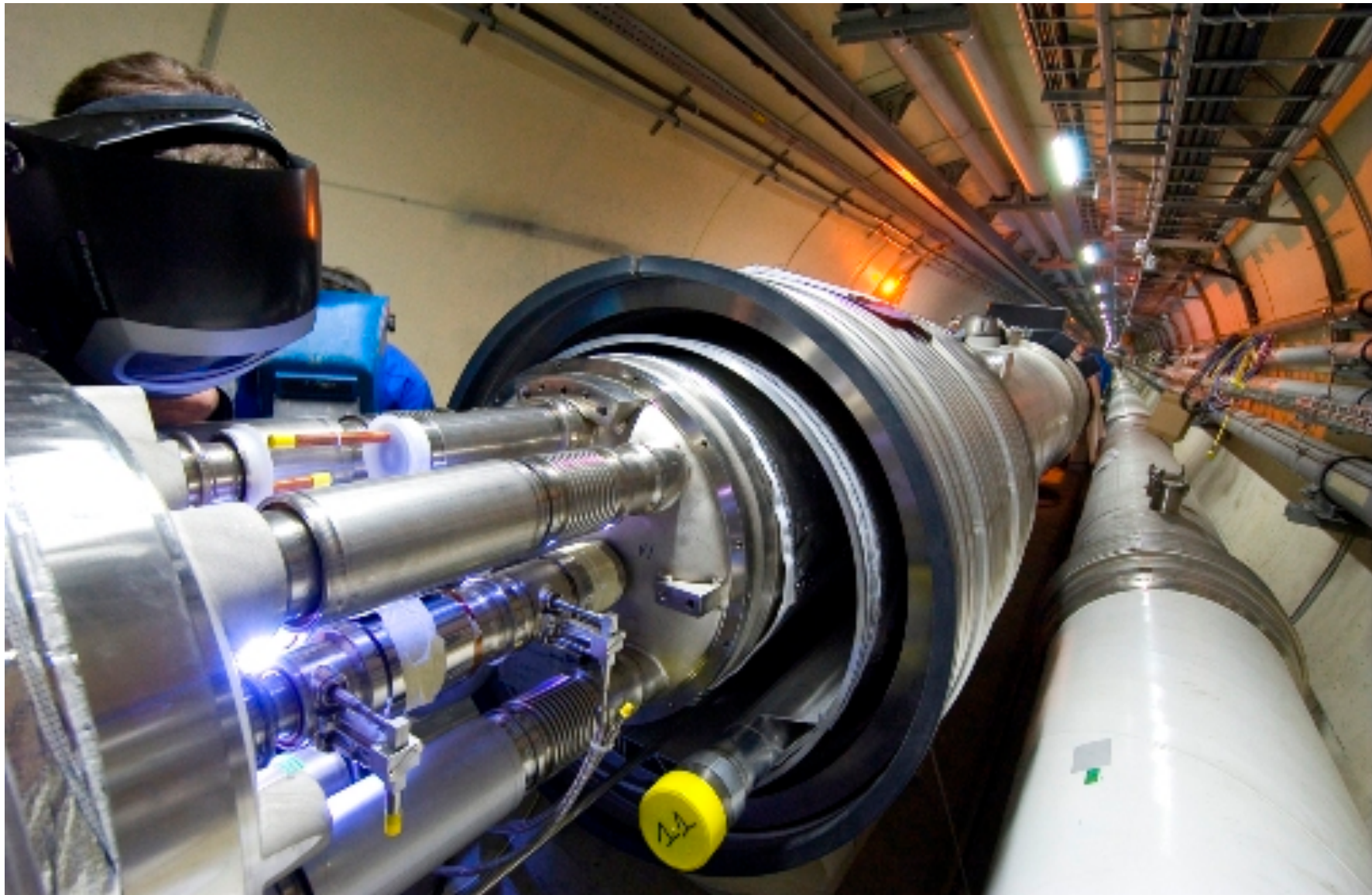


Can be
discovery
channel
for the
Higgs

LHC startup, future

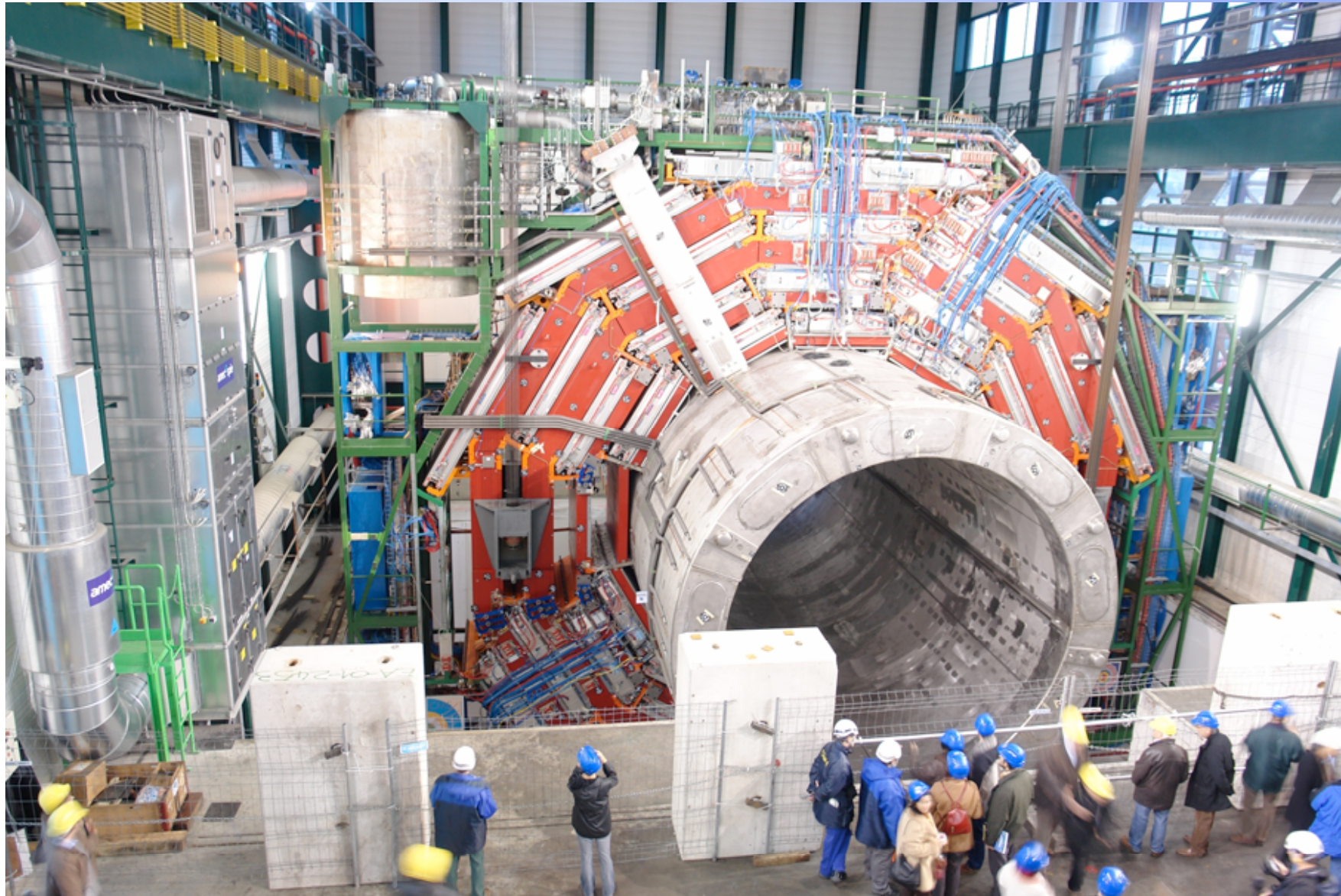


Machine ~ready in Sep 2008



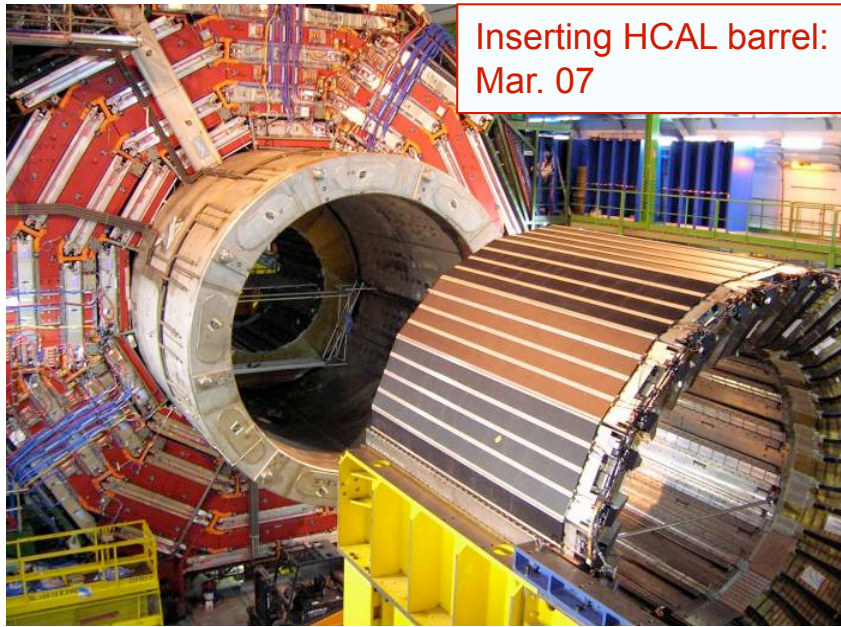


CMS

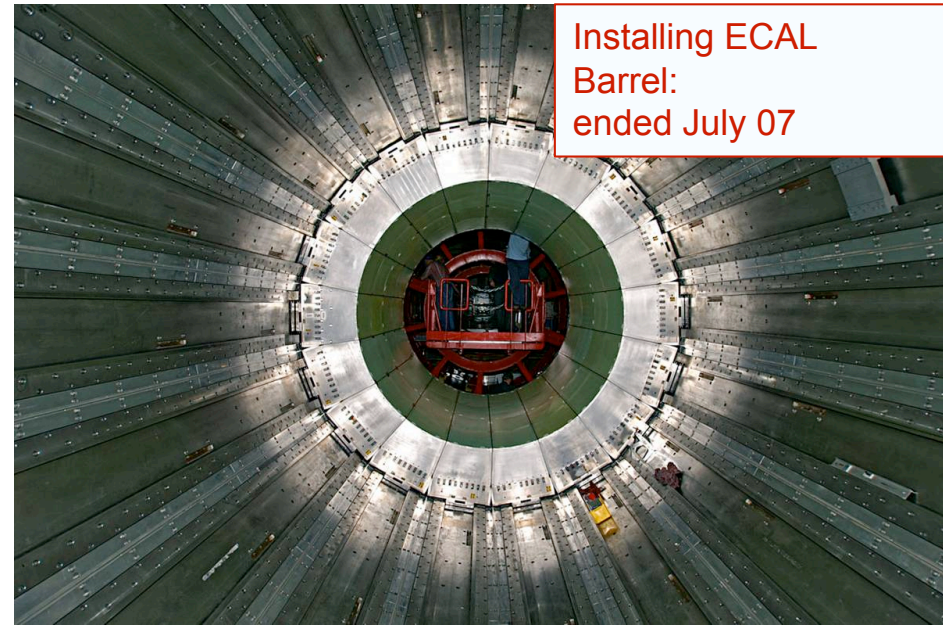




Installing Detectors Inside the Magnet



Inserting HCAL barrel:
Mar. 07



Installing ECAL
Barrel:
ended July 07



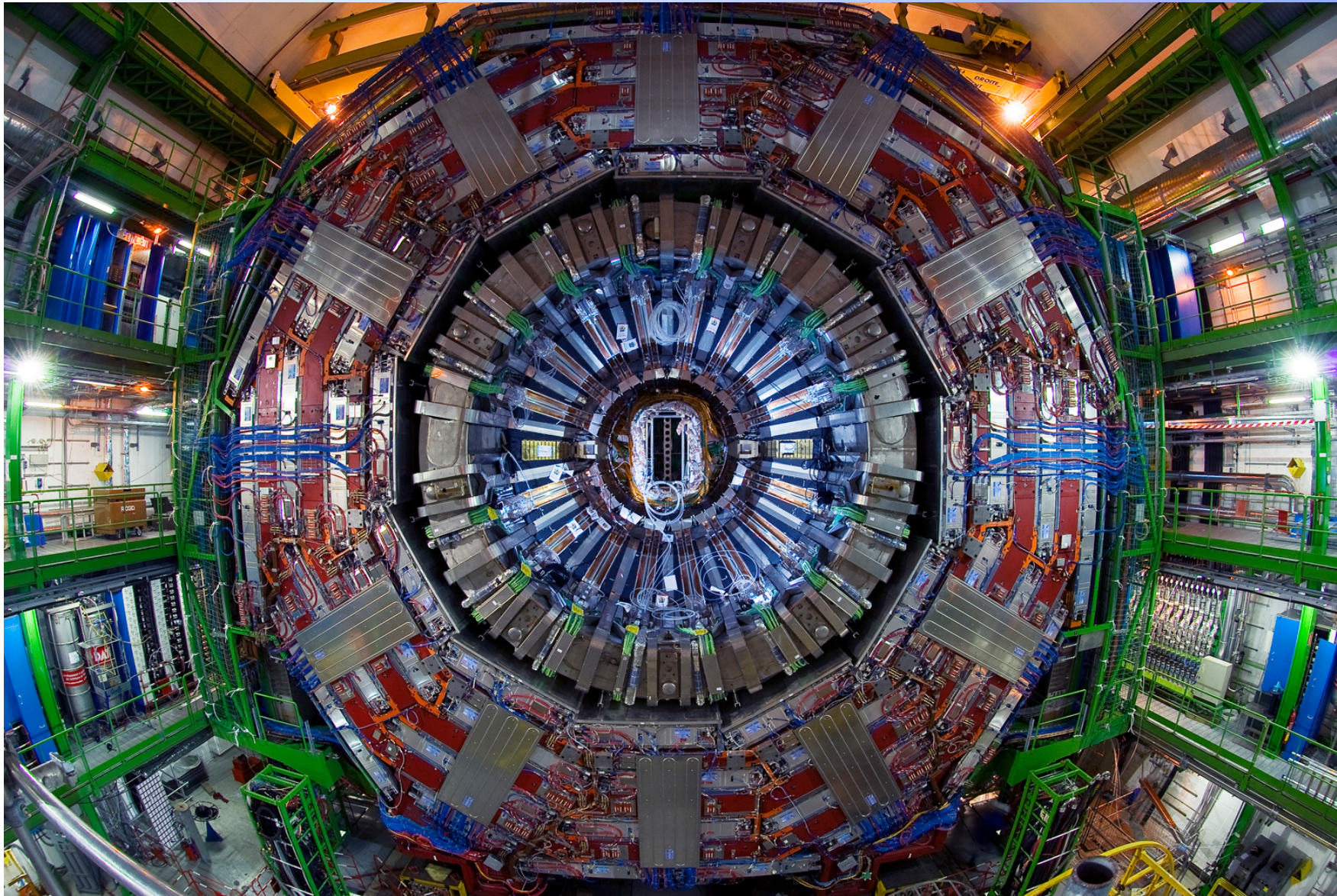
YB0 After
Cabling
Dec. 07



Inserting Silicon Strip Tracker: Dec 08.
Cabling completed Mar. 08



Fisheye view of CMS





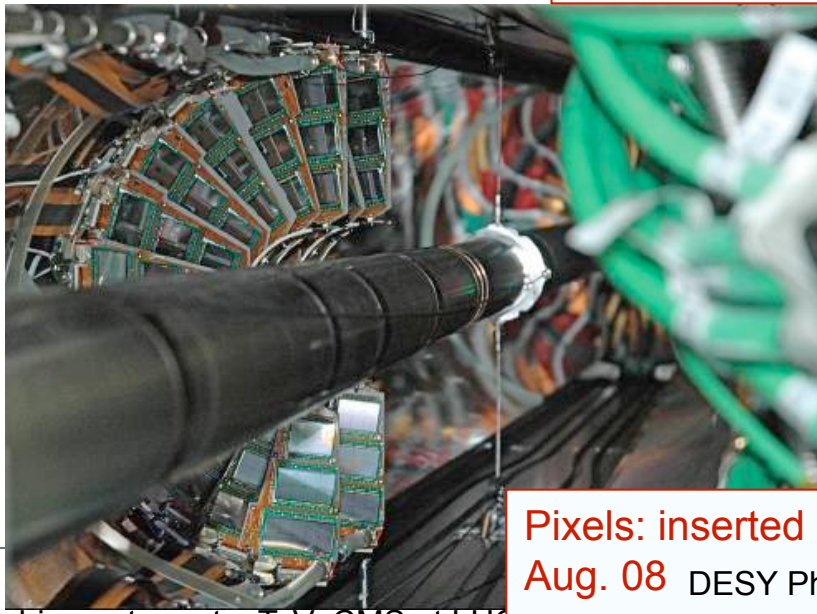
Latest Installed Components



Beam pipe:
insertion
and bakeout
June 08



ECAL endcaps:
completed and
fully installed
Aug. 08



Pixels: inserted
Aug. 08

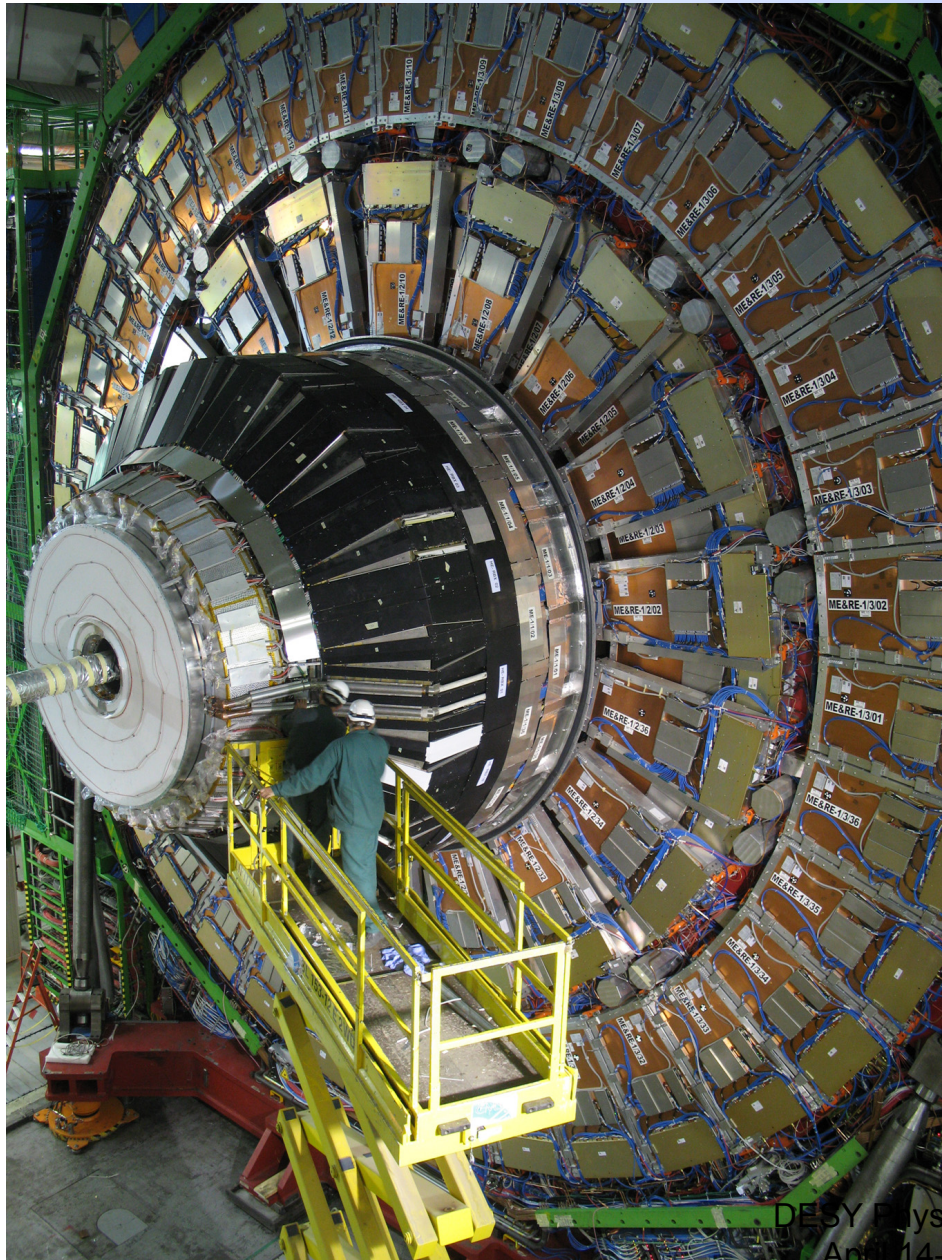
□ EE and Pixels were installed just before beam and worked quite well very soon

Minus End before Closure



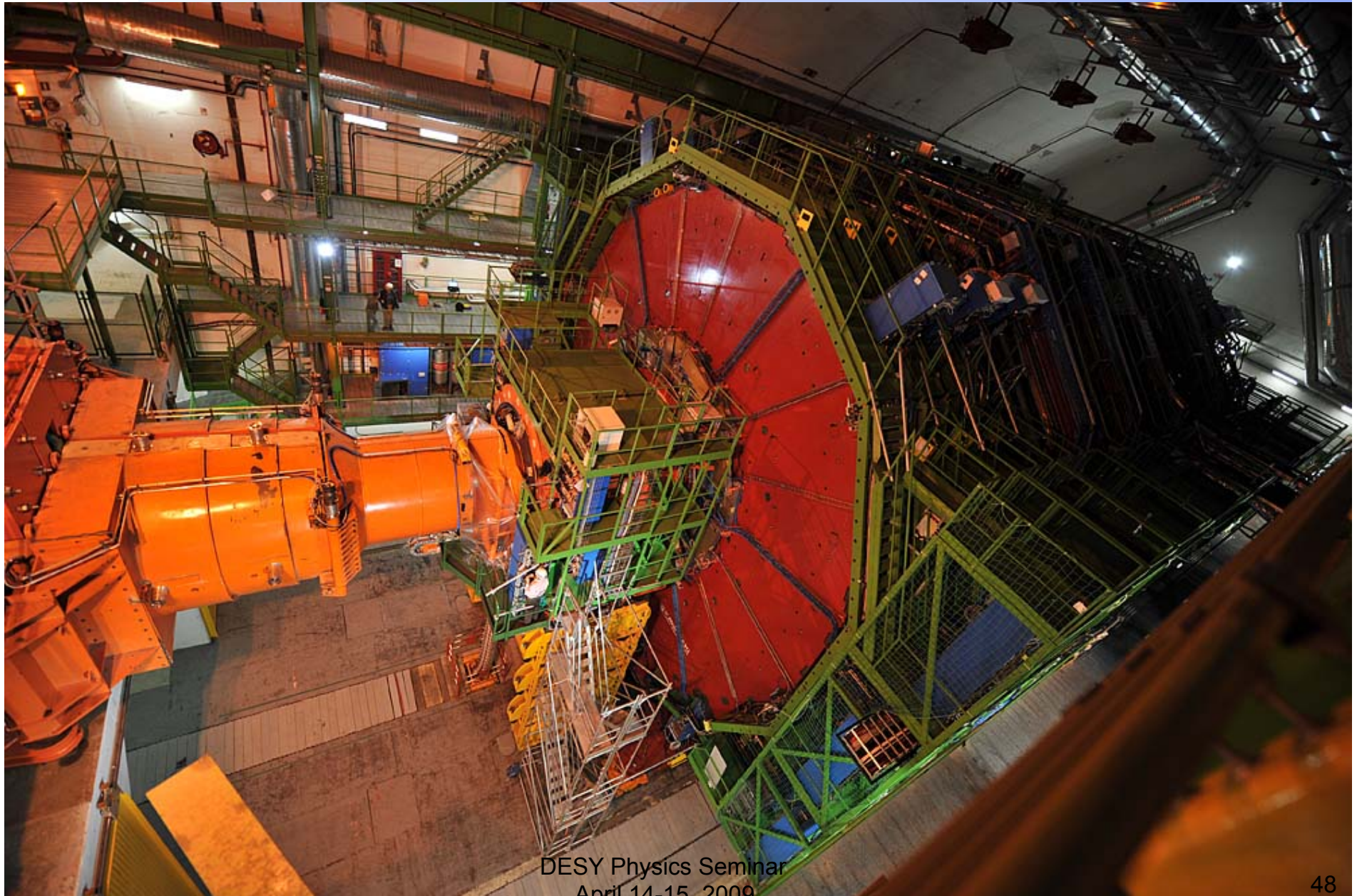


Minus End & Closure





Final Closure



DESY Physics Seminar
April 14-15, 2009



First LHC beam

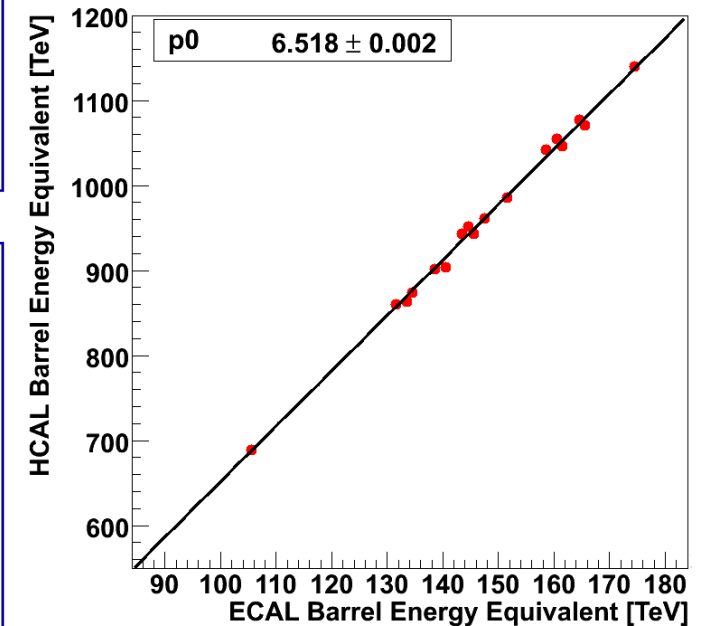
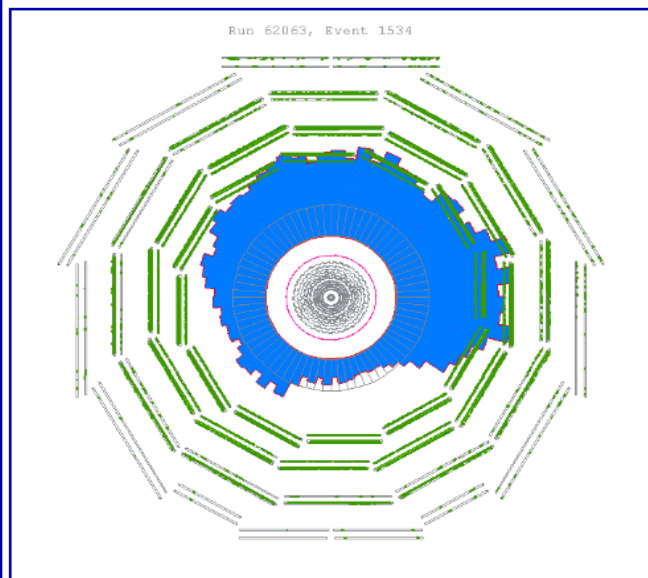
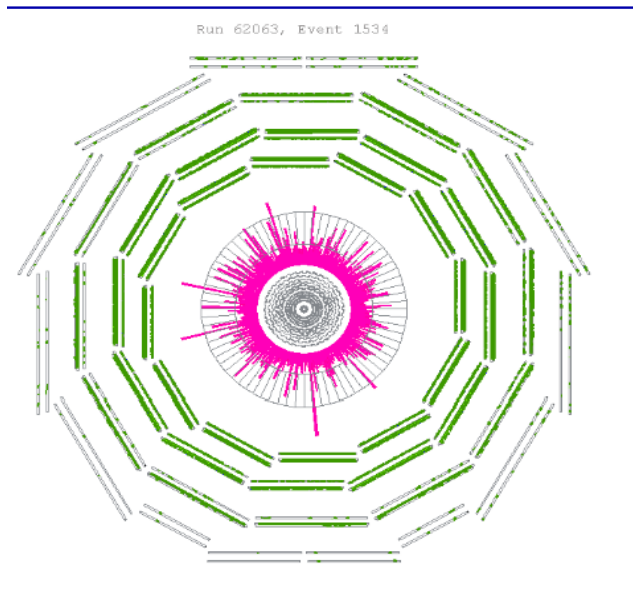
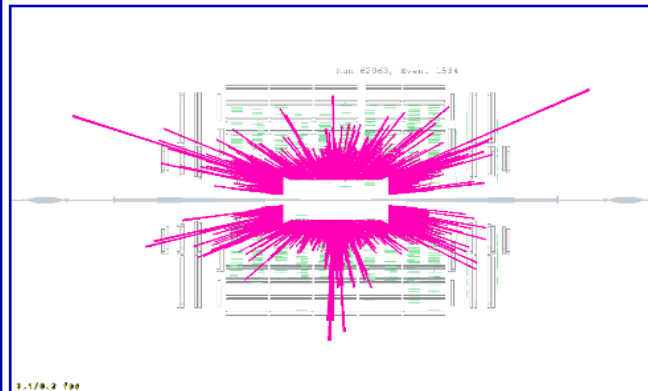
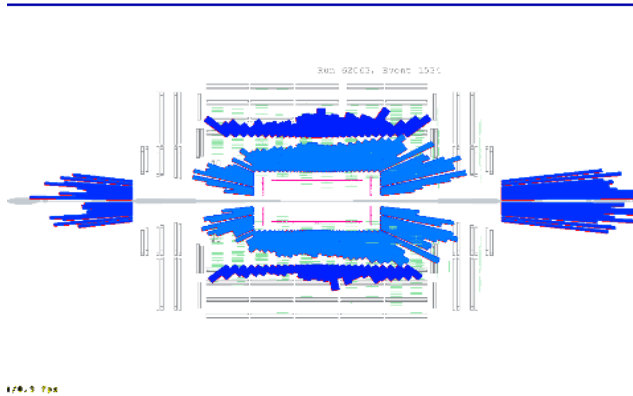
- **In Sep 2008, after almost 20 years of design and construction CMS started taking data with LHC beams.**
 - ◆ (Much appreciation for the work of the accelerator folks)
- **Sun/Mon, 7-8 Sept.**
 - ◆ Single shots of Beam 1 (clockwise via ALICE) onto collimator 150m upstream of CMS, ~ 1 hour
 - ◆ Allows synchronization of BPTX trigger (good prep for Wed.)
- **Tues, 9-Sept**
 - ◆ 20 shots of Beam 1 onto collimator 150m upstream of CMS
- **Wed., 10 Sept.**
 - ◆ Nice splash events observed when beam onto collimators (as before), 100-1000 TeV observed in ECAL-HCAL
 - ◆ Halo muons observed once beam started passing through CMS



First LHC beams in CMS

$\sim 2.10^9$ protons on collimator ~ 150 m upstream of CMS

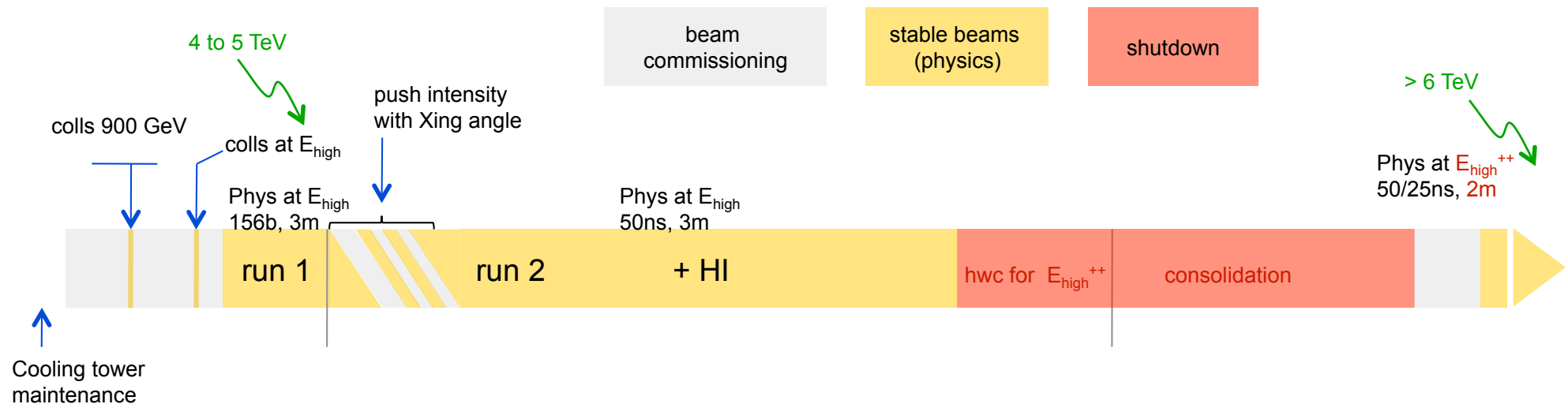
ECAL- pink; HB,HE - light blue; HO,HF - dark blue; Muon DT - green; Tracker Off





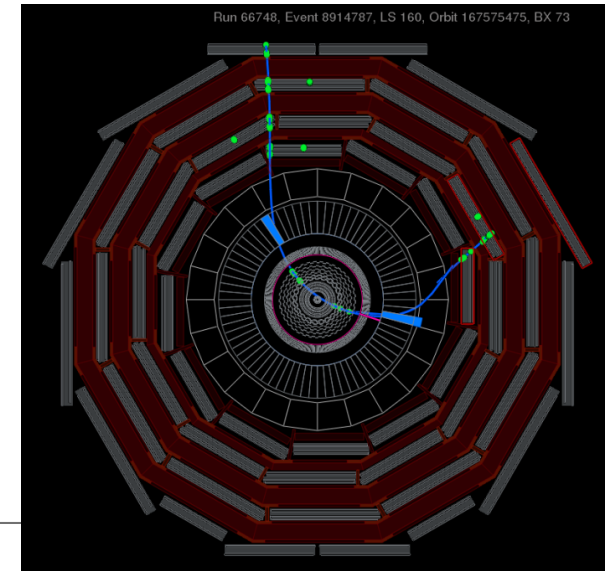
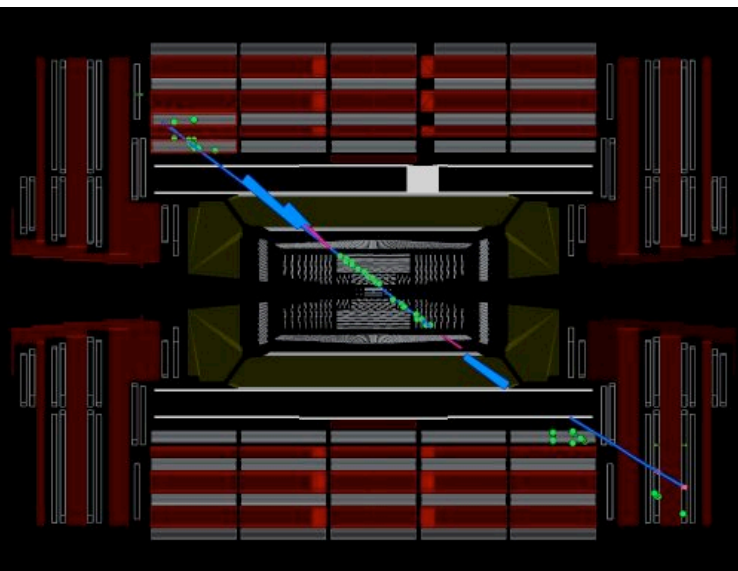
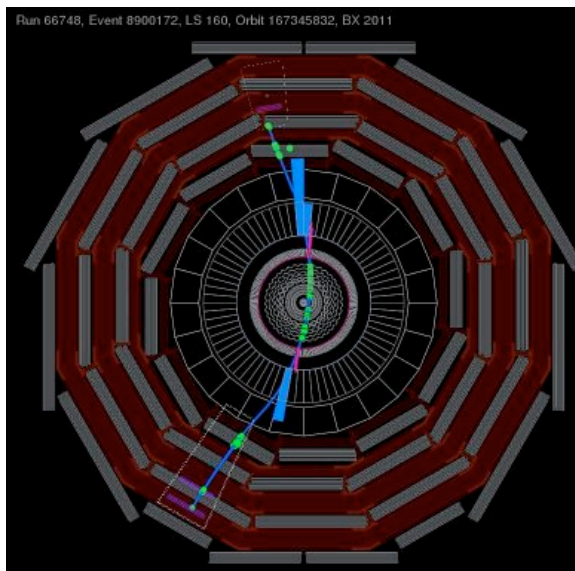
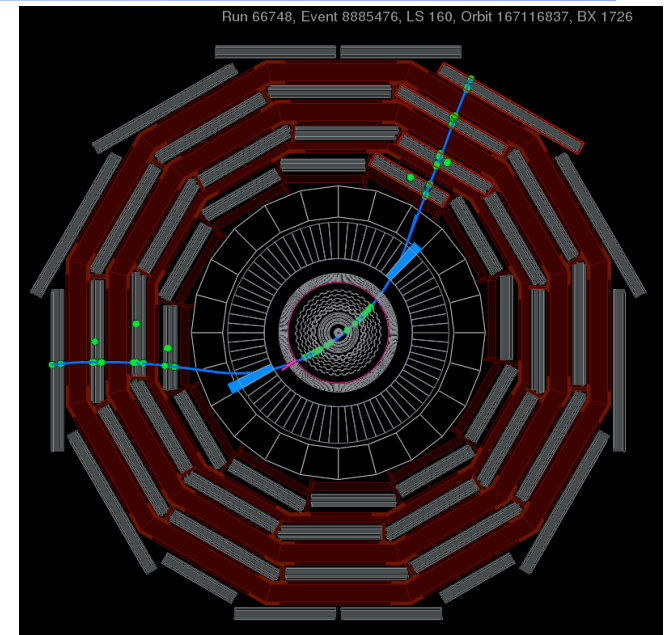
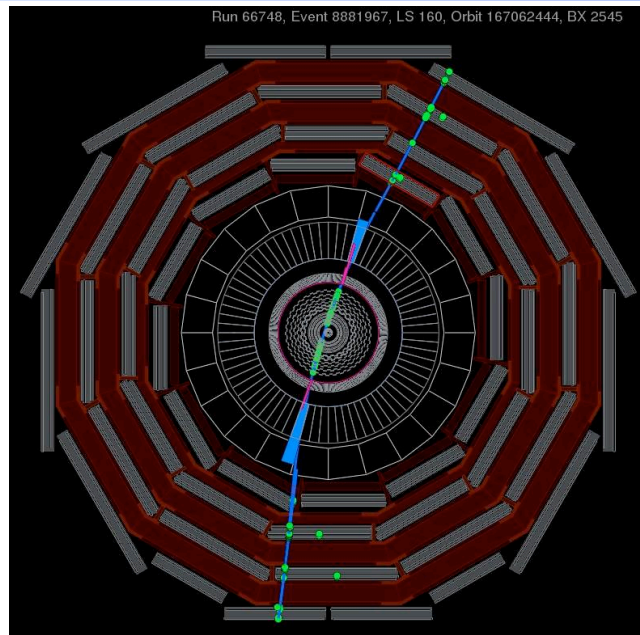
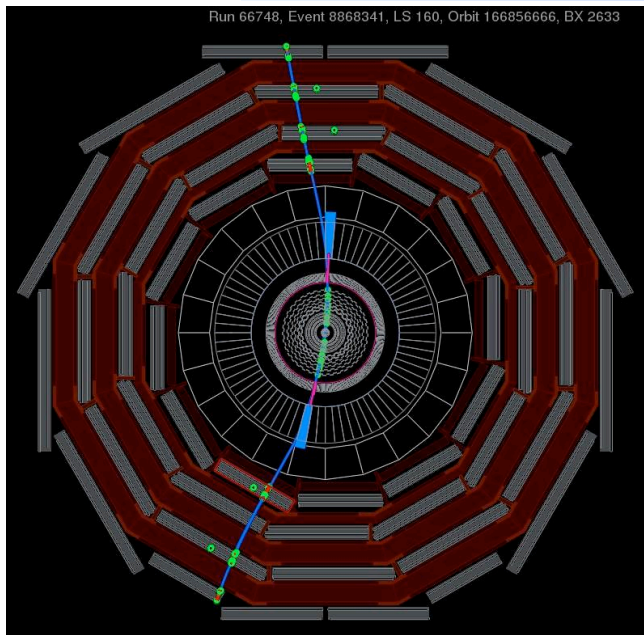
Next...

- **Incident on Sep 19 2008: an electrical fault between two magnets resulted in the release of ~1 ton of liquid He**
 - ◆ Repairs under way. Additional protection systems put in place
 - ◆ Due to restart in September 2009
 - ◆ First collisions by October 09
 - ◆ New plan: run through Winter 09-10, to get to ~200 pb⁻¹ (albeit at 10 TeV)





Cosmic Run At Four Tesla - CRAFT

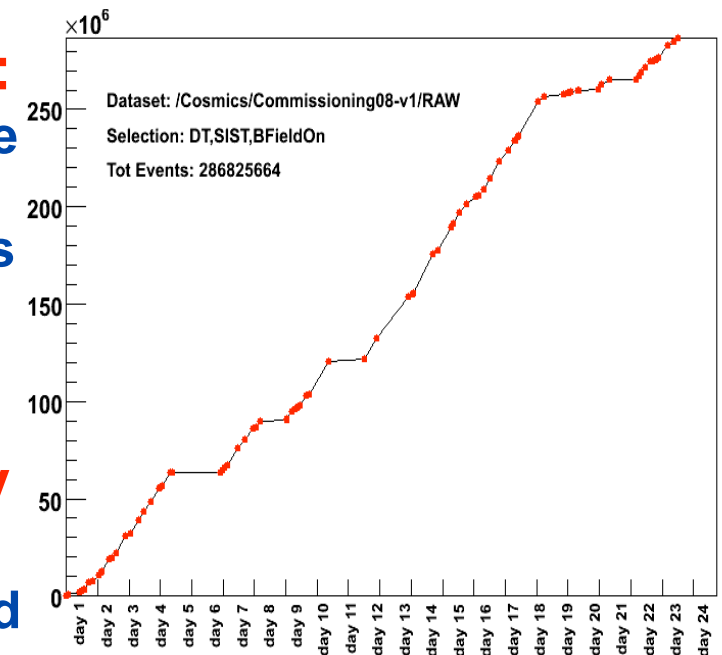




CRAFT

Number of
cosmic events
vs. time

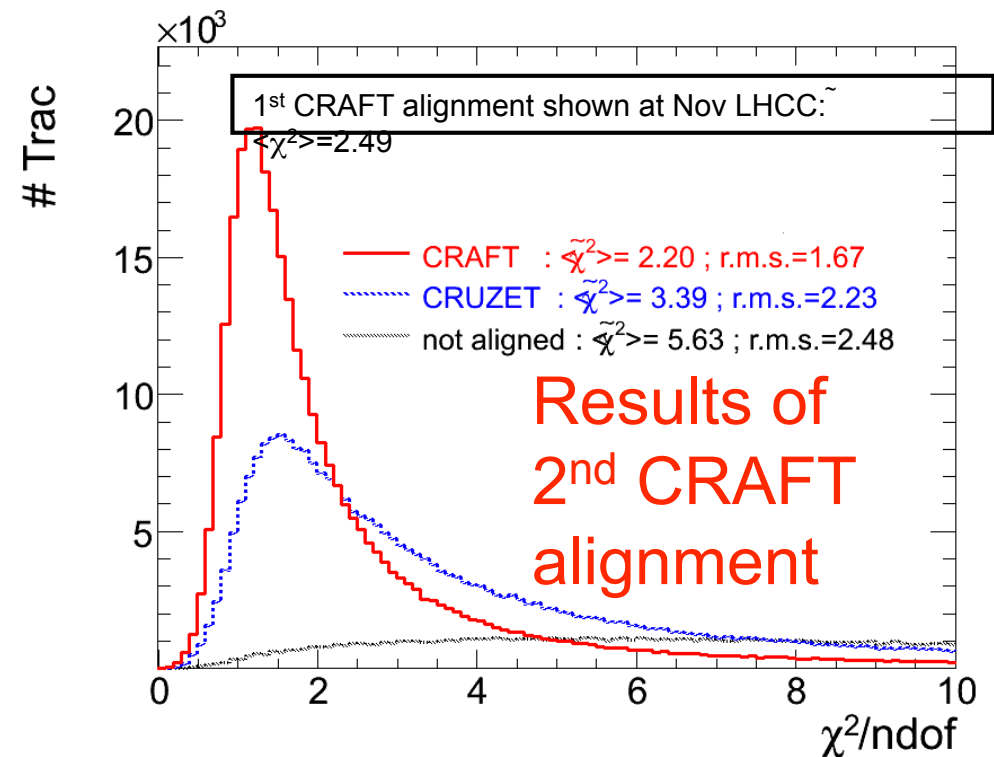
- **Four weeks of continuous running**
 - ◆ 19 days with magnet at the operational setting of $B=3.8$ T
 - ◆ Gained operational experience and put in evidence sources of inefficiency
- **Collected 370 M cosmic events; 290 MeVt with $B = 3.8$ T. Of those with B on:**
 - ◆ 87% have muon track reconstructed in the chambers
 - ◆ 3% have muon track with strip tracker hits (~ 7.5 M tracks)
 - ◆ 3×10^{-4} have a track with pixel hits (~ 75 K tracks)
- **Data operation performed satisfactorily**
 - ◆ 600 TB of data volume transferred
 - ◆ Prompt reconstruction at Tier 0 completed with typical latency of 6h
 - ◆ Tier 0 to Tier 1 at average of 240 MB/s





Tracker Alignment with Cosmics Data

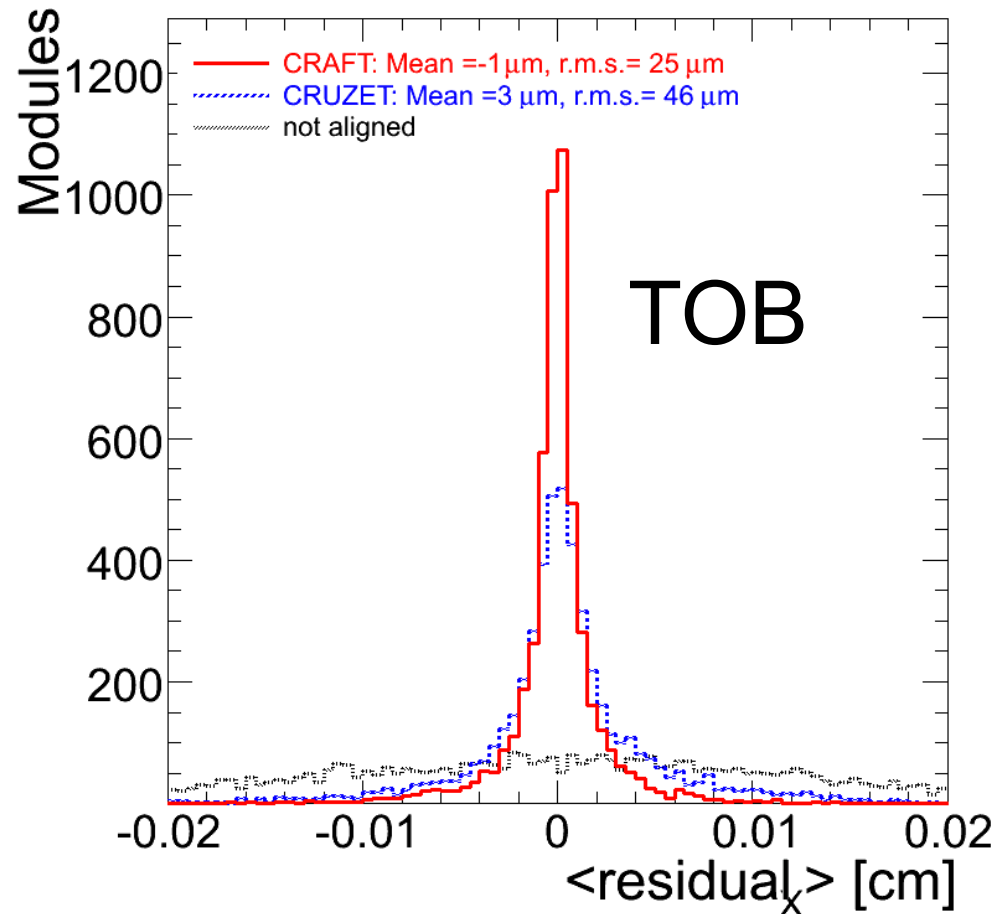
- First reprocessing of the CRAFT data – shortly after the end of the run in November – was already based on a comprehensive set of tracker alignment constants derived from this sample
- The reprocessed data have been used to further improve the alignment
 - ◆ synchronous update of Lorentz angle calibration & alignment constants
 - ◆ more tracks with pixel hits due to adjusted error object
 - ◆ continuous improvements in methodology
 - ◆ combining the powers of HIP + MillePede-II alignment algorithms
- Steady improvement of track quality (visible in χ^2/ndf) from CRUZET → 1st CRAFT → 2nd CRAFT alignment





Update of Tracker Alignment (II)

- **Variance of mean values from the individual residual distributions is studied as a measure of alignment quality**
 - further improvements of accuracy resulting from alignment performed on reprocessed data are particularly visible in TIB, TOB (tracker inner/outer) and PXB (pixel barrel)

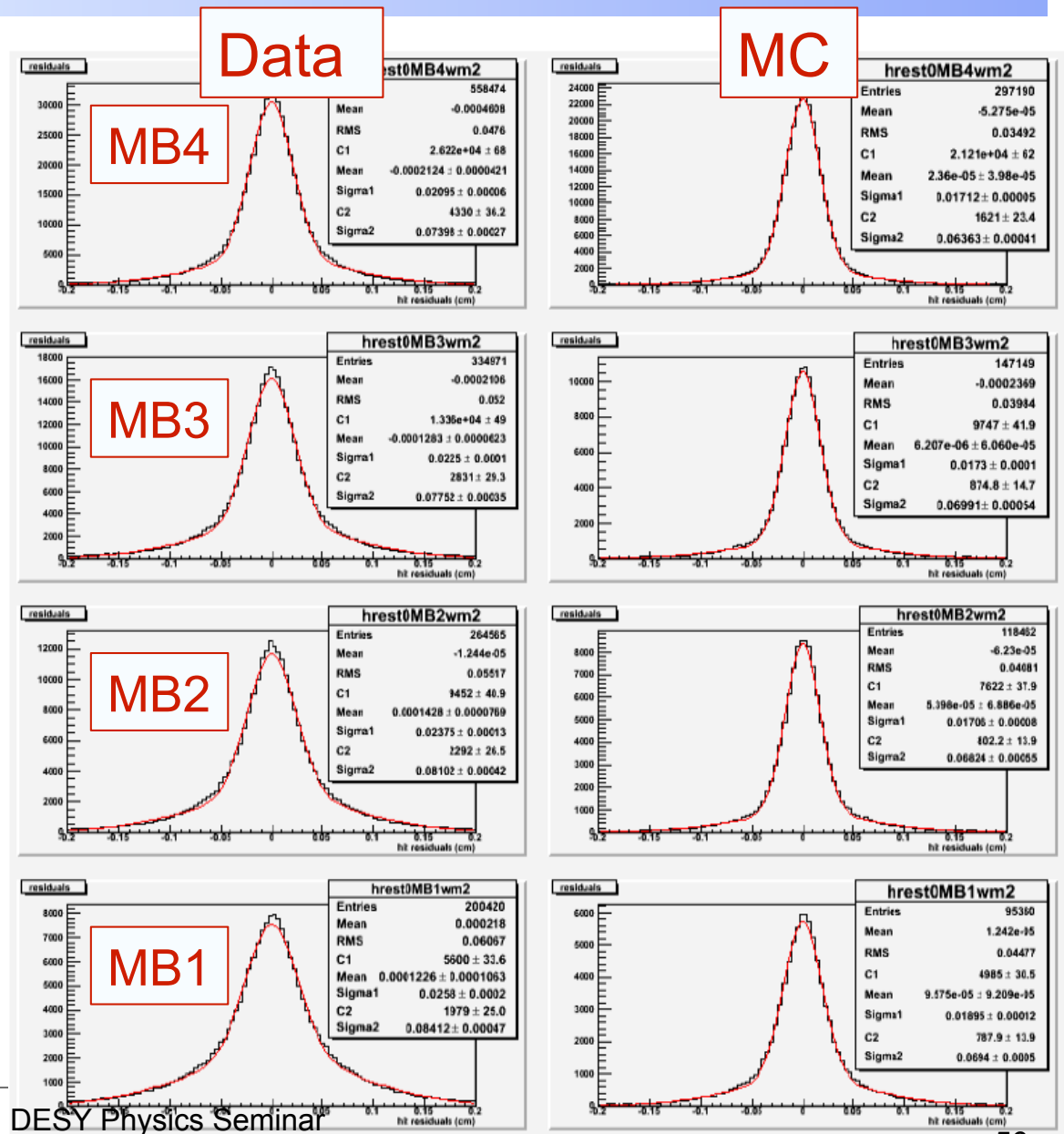




Drift Tube Muon System

Residual Distributions

- Reasonable agreement between data and MC after cosmic muon arrival time fit
- Sigma $\sim 200\text{--}260\ \mu\text{m}$
- Shown here: sector 4 of wheel -2
- B field degrades MB1 distribution in wheels +/-2



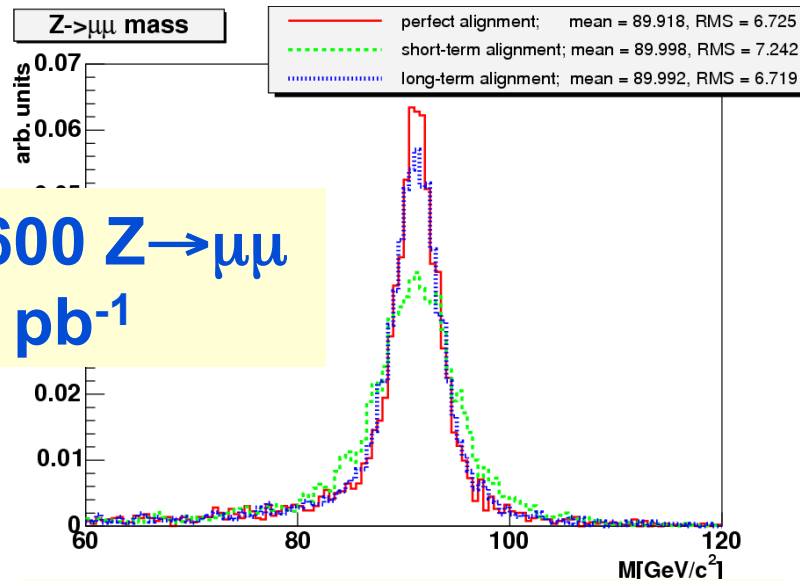
**“Physics commissioning”
and early (2010-2011)
physics**



First few pb^{-1} 's: tracker & calorimeters

Tracker Alignment

	Expected Day 0	Goals for Physics
Tracker alignment	20-200 μm in $R\phi$	$O(10 \mu\text{m})$



Z peak visible even with initial (rough) alignment

Calorimeter calibration

	Expected Day 0	Ultimate goals
ECAL uniformity	$\sim 4\%$	$< 1\%$
Lepton energy	0.5-2%	0.1%
HCAL uniformity	2-3%	$< 1\%$
Jet energy	$< 10\%$	1%

ECAL, HCAL: intercalibration using azimuthal symmetry (min bias).

ECAL: π^0 calibration, then electrons

HCAL: di-jet balancing; check with photon+jets; Jet Energy Scale set by $W \rightarrow jj$ in top events

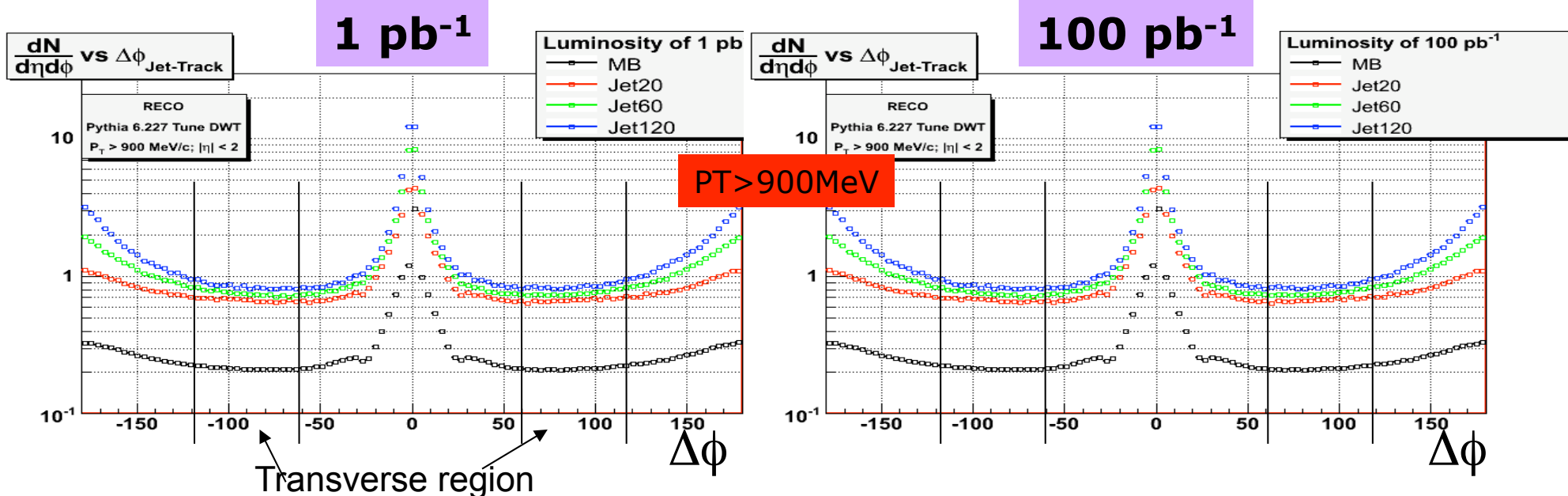
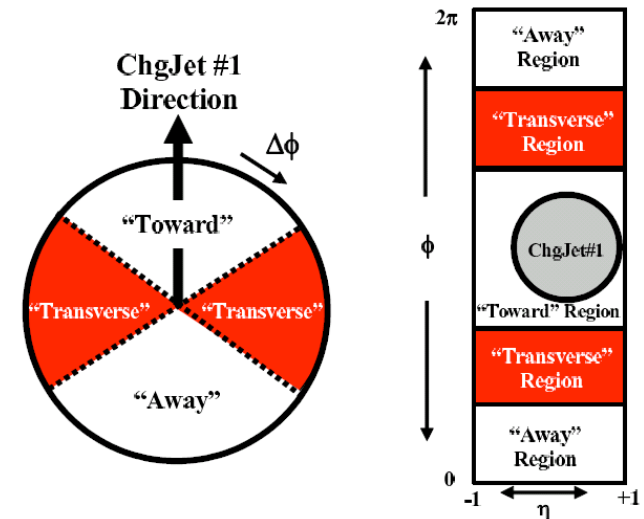


Event structure

- **Minimum-bias & jet events**
 - ◆ **measure underlying event activity**

Main observables:

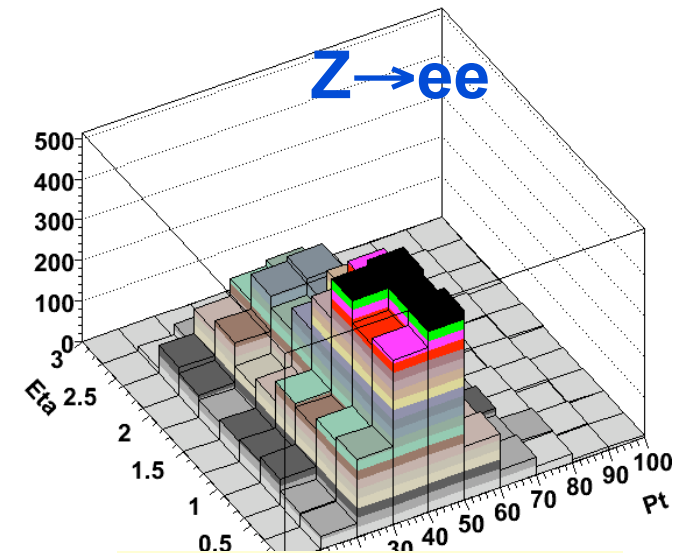
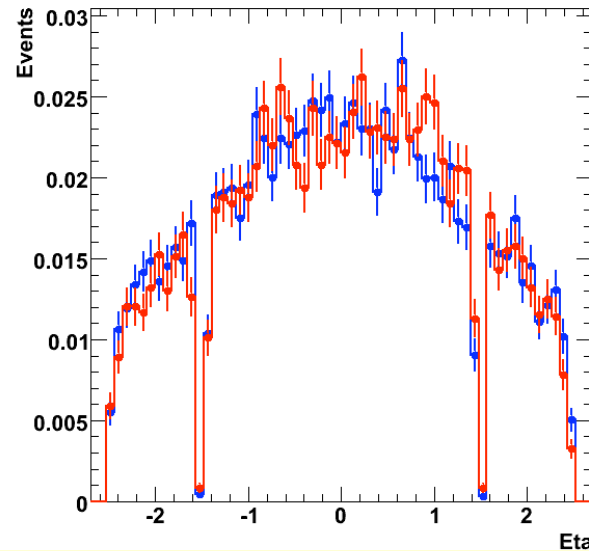
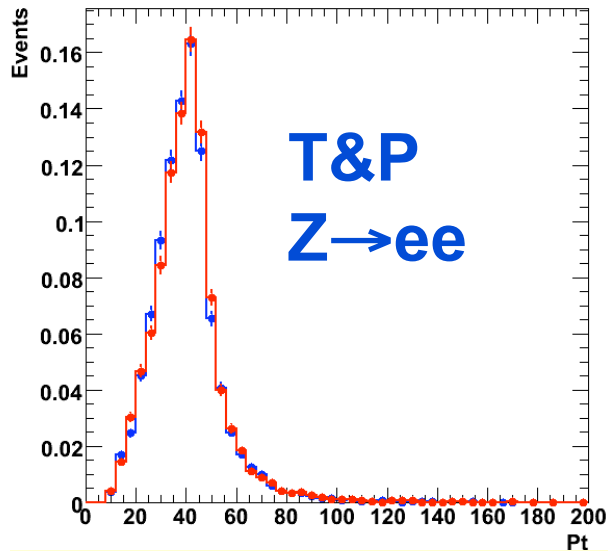
- + $dN/d\eta d\phi$, charged density
- + $d(P_T^{\text{sum}})/d\eta d\phi$, energy density





Object-ID/efficiency: data-driven methods

- **Tag and Probe (T&P): identify a physics object in an unbiased way in order to study efficiencies.**
 - ◆ One object (tag) has strict ID criteria imposed on it. Second object (probe) has looser ID criteria. Additional property that links it to the Tag object to ensure a pure sample.
 - **Z→ee events: one tight electron (tag); the other can be a probe, provided the invariant mass of the pair is $\approx M_Z$**



Efficiency from T&P:

94.36 ± 0.24

Efficiency from MC truth:

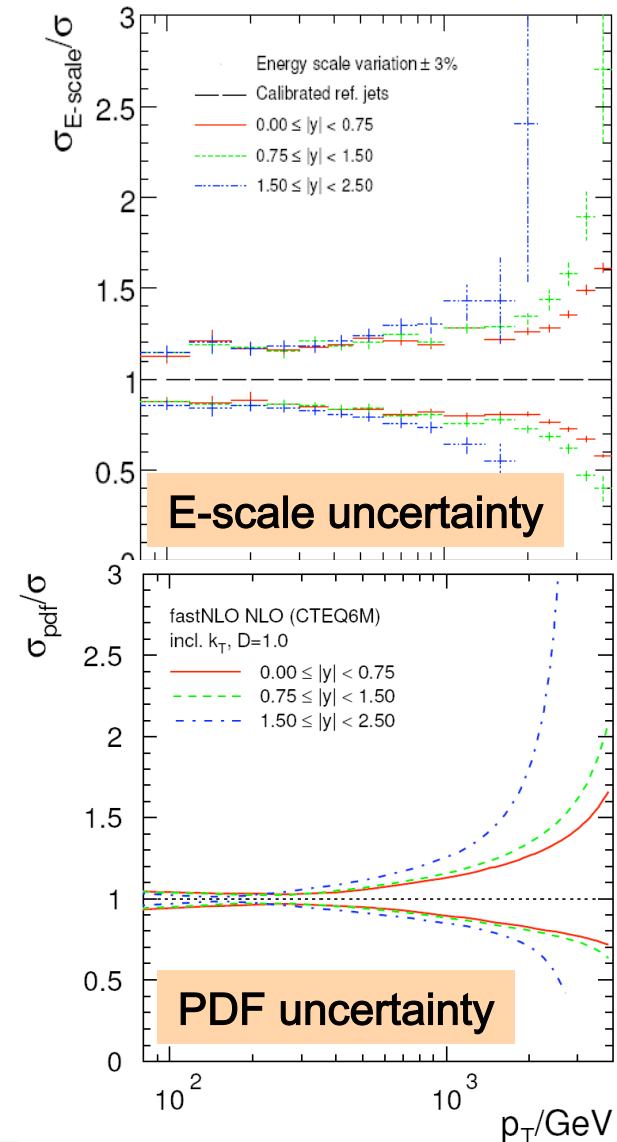
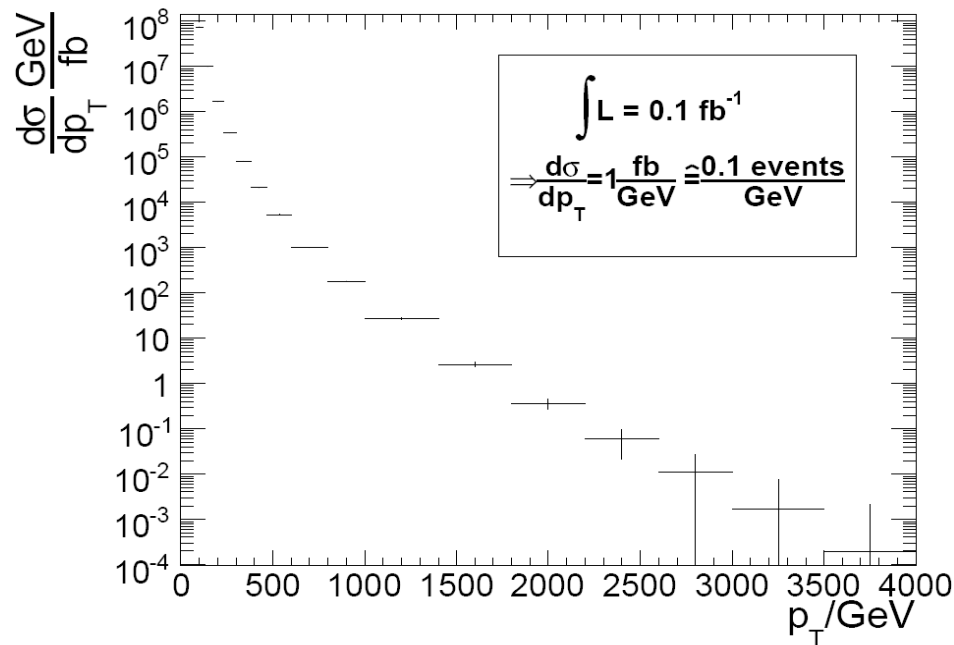
94.63 ± 0.24

} (for 10 pb⁻¹)
60



QCD: jet production

- With 100 pb⁻¹: reach ~2 TeV (E_T)
- With 1fb⁻¹: reach ~3 TeV
 - ◆ ~10⁴ events with E_T > 1 TeV
- Systematic uncertainties:
 - ◆ detector: jet energy scale
 - ◆ theory: PDFs





Di-jet resonances

■ Huge hadronic jet rates

- ◆ Few weeks at $10^{31} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$ ($\sim 1\text{wk}$ at 10^{32}): see $E_T(\text{jet}) \sim >0.5 \text{ TeV}$

■ Search also starts immediately

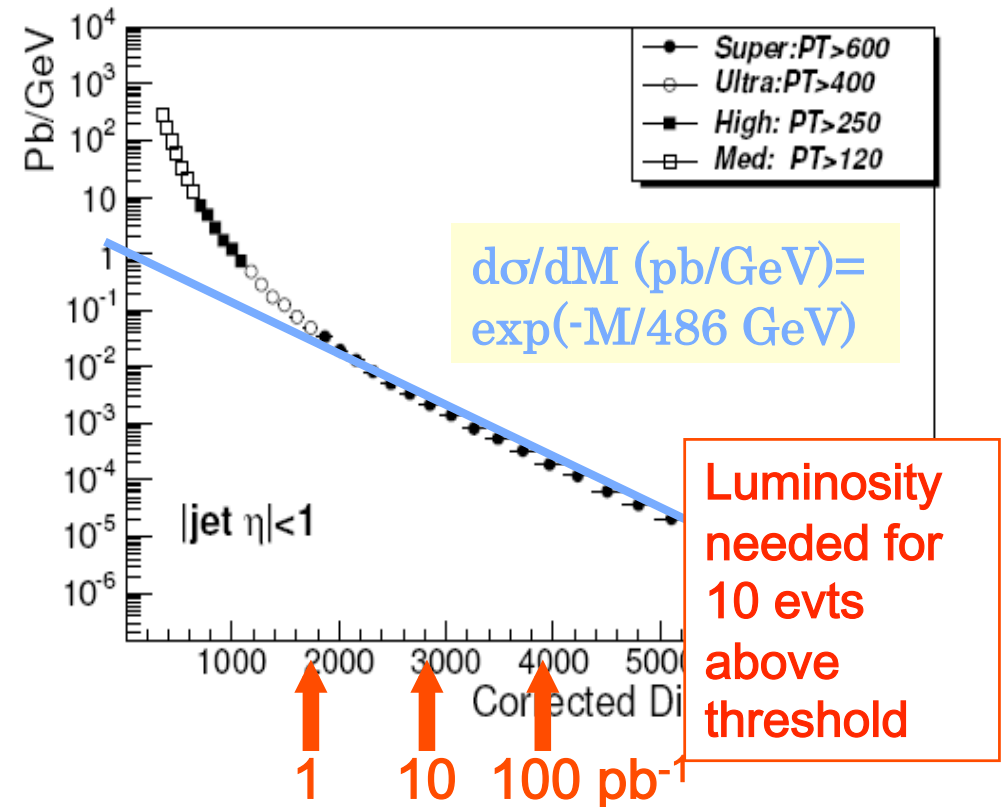
- ◆ Strongly-produced \rightarrow high rate. Physics in high-mass tail.

- Sensitivity to excited quarks, RS Gravitons, W' , Z' ...

- Limits from Tevatron in the range 0.4 - 1 TeV

- Few pb^{-1} at 14 TeV: extend range

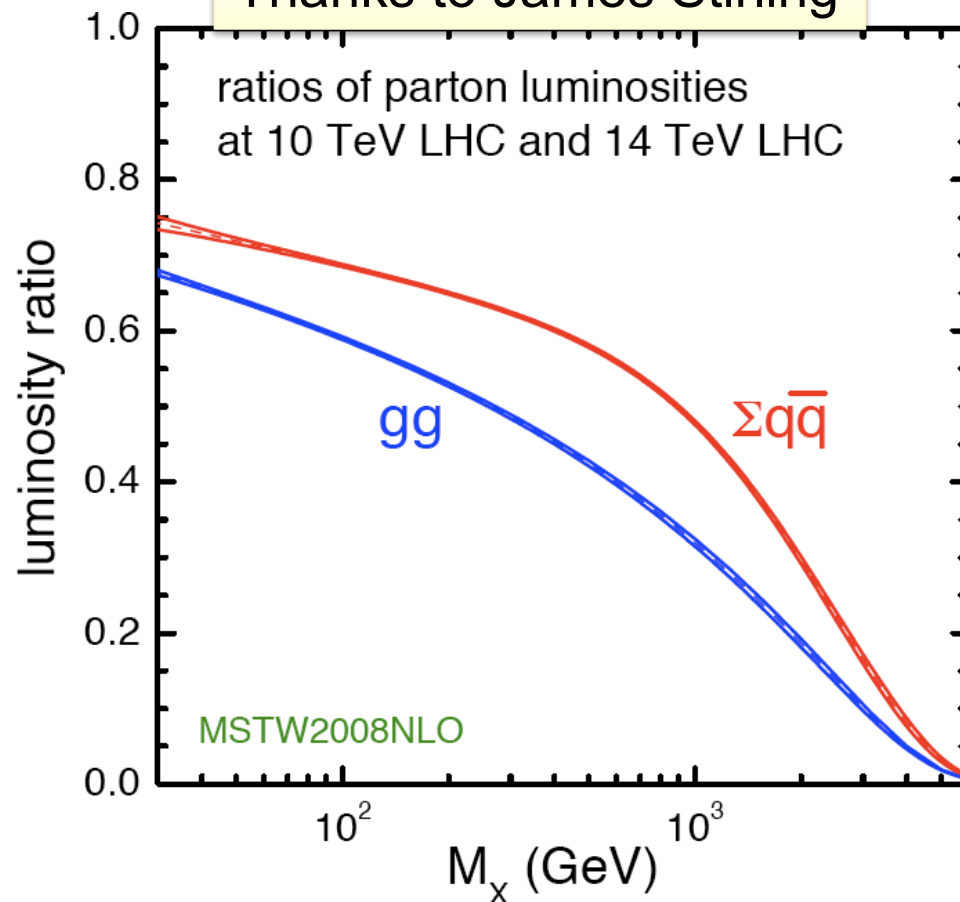
- Crucial experimental parameter: energy resolution in measuring jet energy (expect narrow resonances)





Parton luminosities at 10-14 TeV

Thanks to James Stirling



$$\frac{\sigma(t\bar{t}) \text{ at } 14 \text{ TeV}}{\sigma(t\bar{t}) \text{ at } 10 \text{ TeV}} = 2.3$$

$$\frac{\sigma(W) \text{ at } 14 \text{ TeV}}{\sigma(W) \text{ at } 10 \text{ TeV}} = 1.4$$

HWW search

NLO MCFM x-sec (14:10TeV):

$gg \rightarrow H$ 1 : 0.54

WW and WZ 1 : 0.65

$t\bar{t}$ 1 : 0.45

W+jets and DY 1 : 0.68



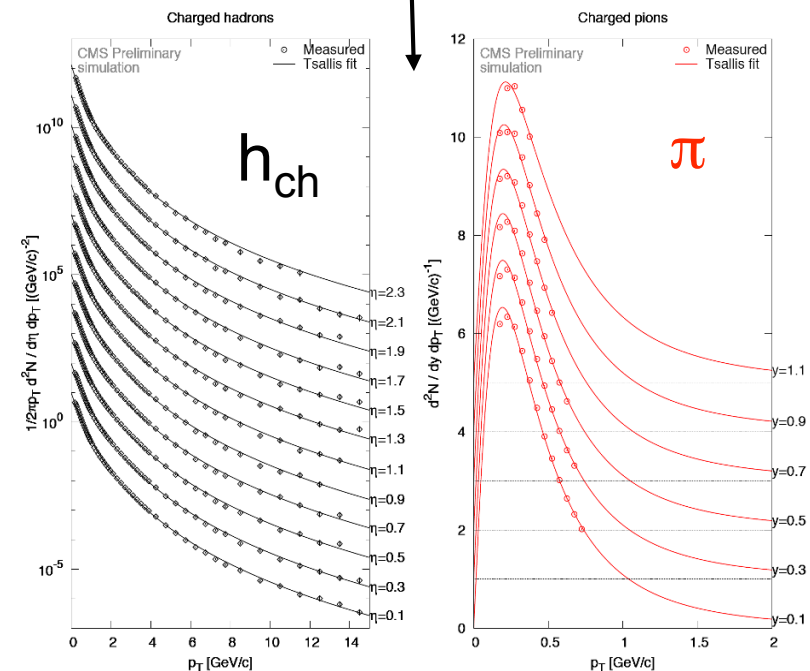
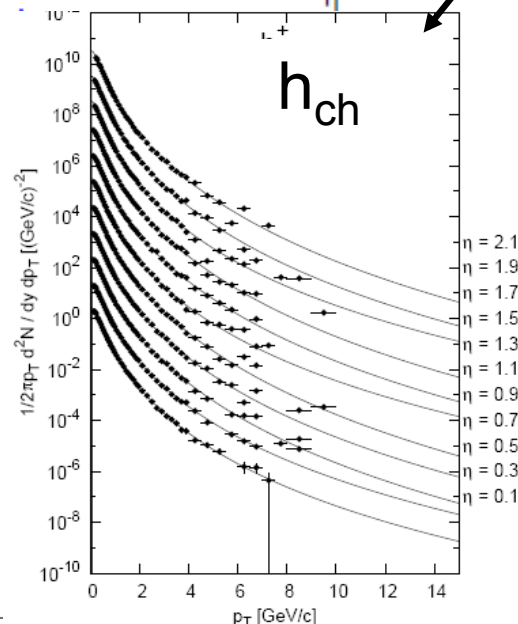
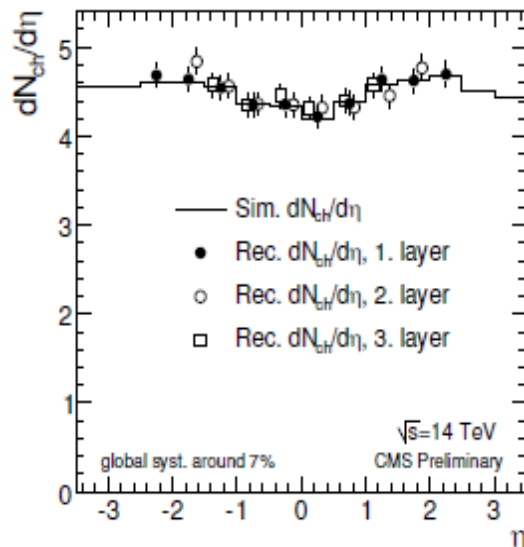
Charged hadron spectra

Count clusters in the pixel barrel layers

– No need for tracking, sensitivity down to 30 MeV/c

charged hadron spectra @ 900 GeV

... and at full energy



Important measurement for HI program



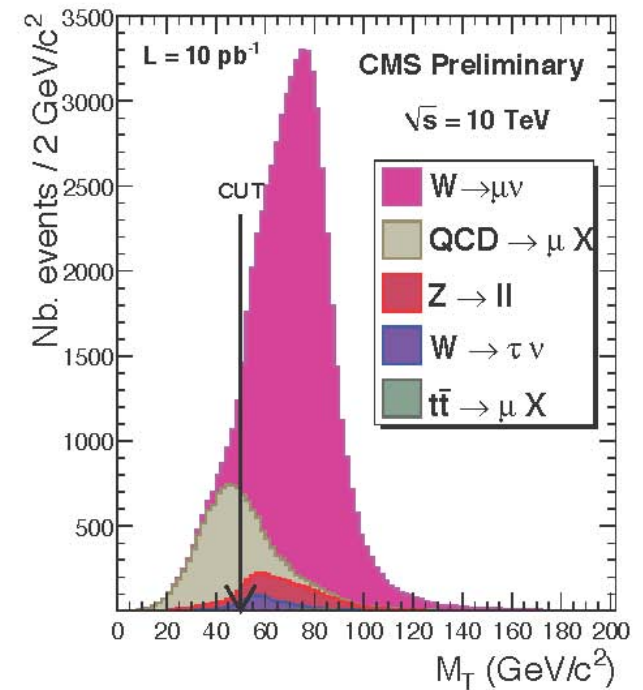
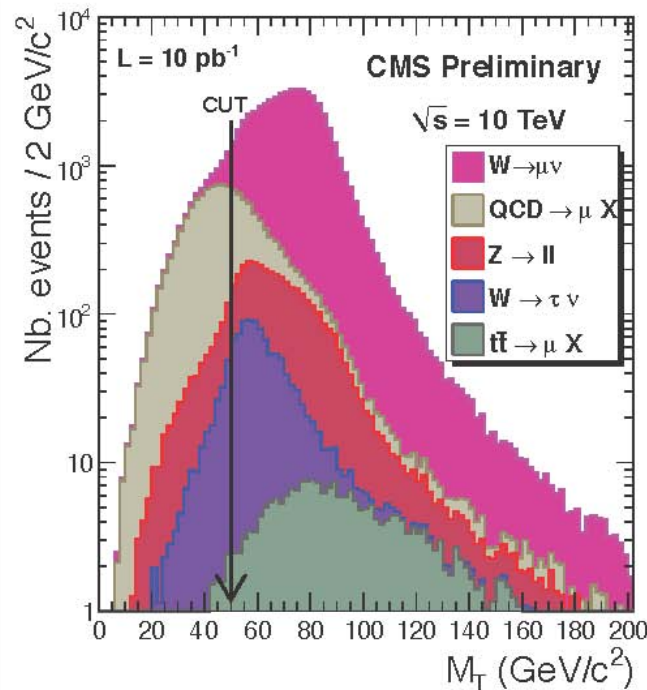
EWK channels

- **Expect thousands of W's and Z's very early on**
 - ◆ Analysis updates at 10 TeV for muons so far

W selection rerun
on 10-TeV samples

Signal cross section
reduced by ~30%

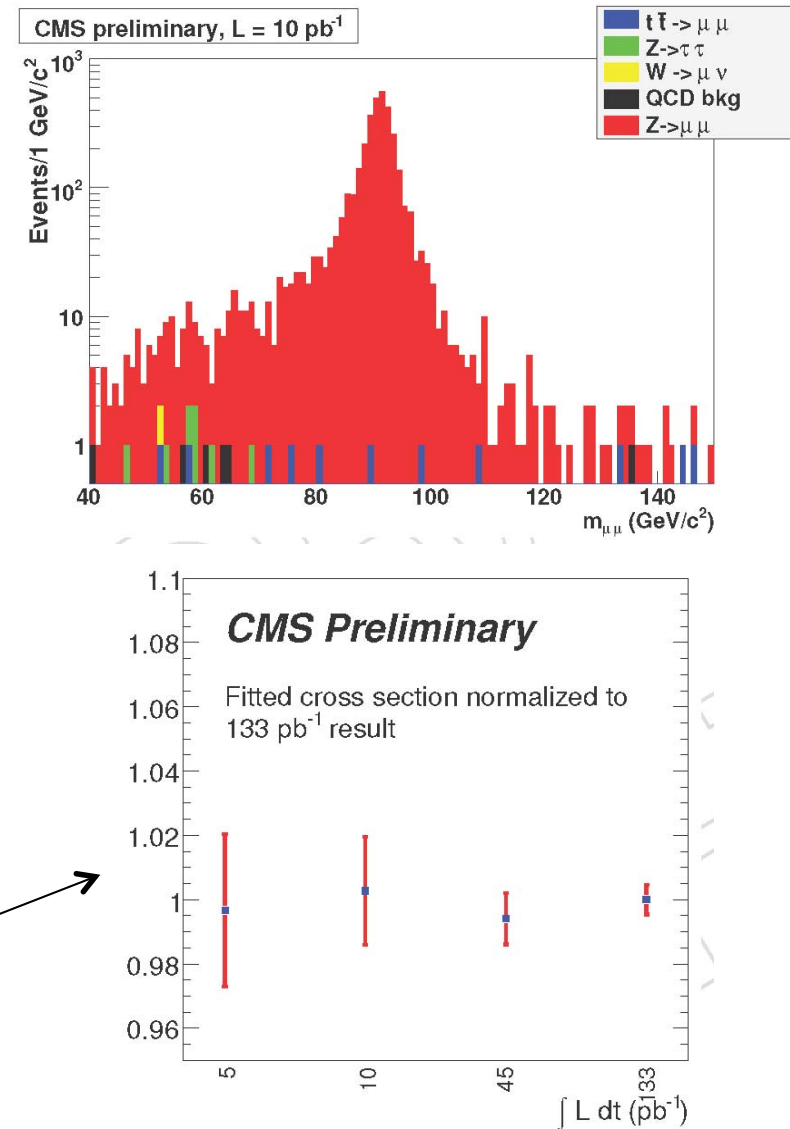
Top background is
also reduced
compared to 14TeV





Z Analysis @ 10 TeV

- Z backgrounds are small when both muons are globally reconstructed (μ) using tracker and muon systems
- Simultaneous fit with independent samples with standalone muons, tracker-only muons, and non-isolated muons, to obtain efficiencies
- Z cross section measurement as a function of integrated luminosity

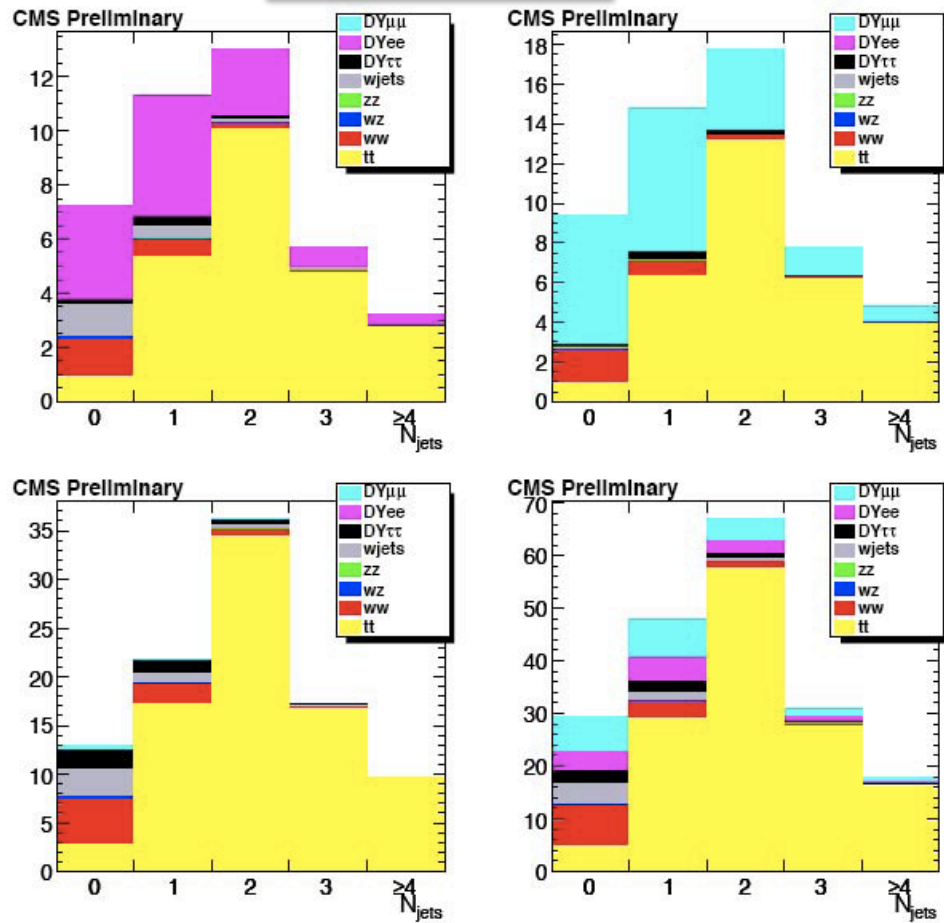




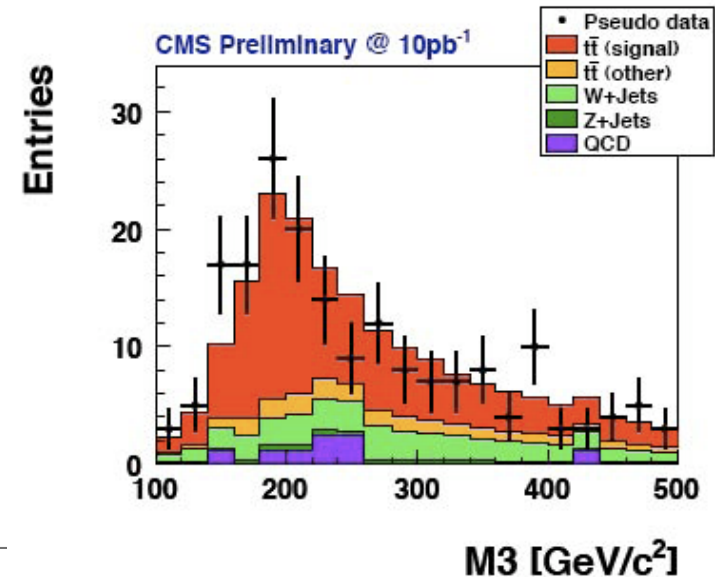
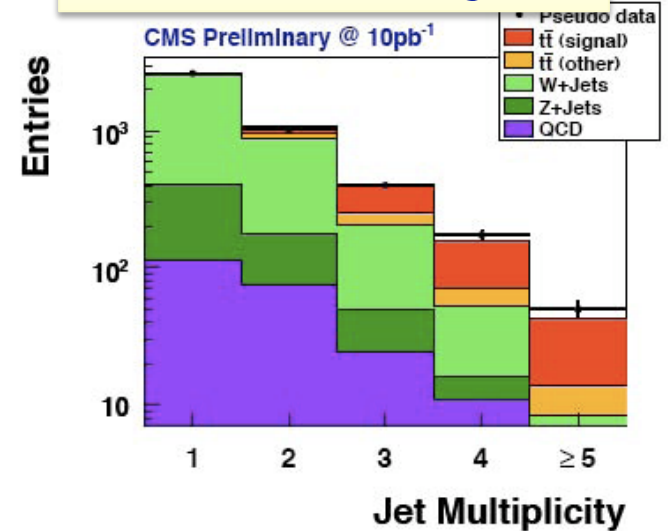
Top physics (at 14 TeV)

- At 10 TeV: factor 2 in lumi

Dileptons



Mu+E_{miss}+jets

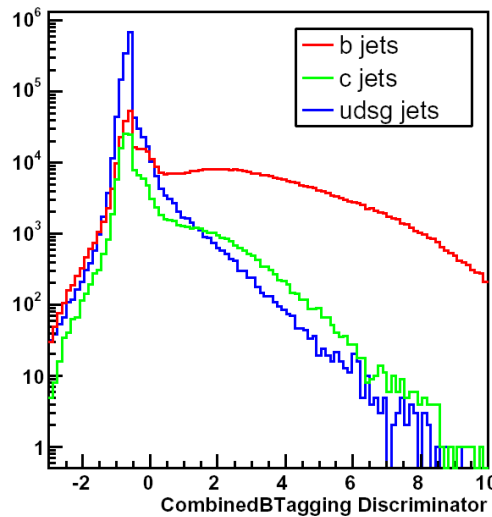




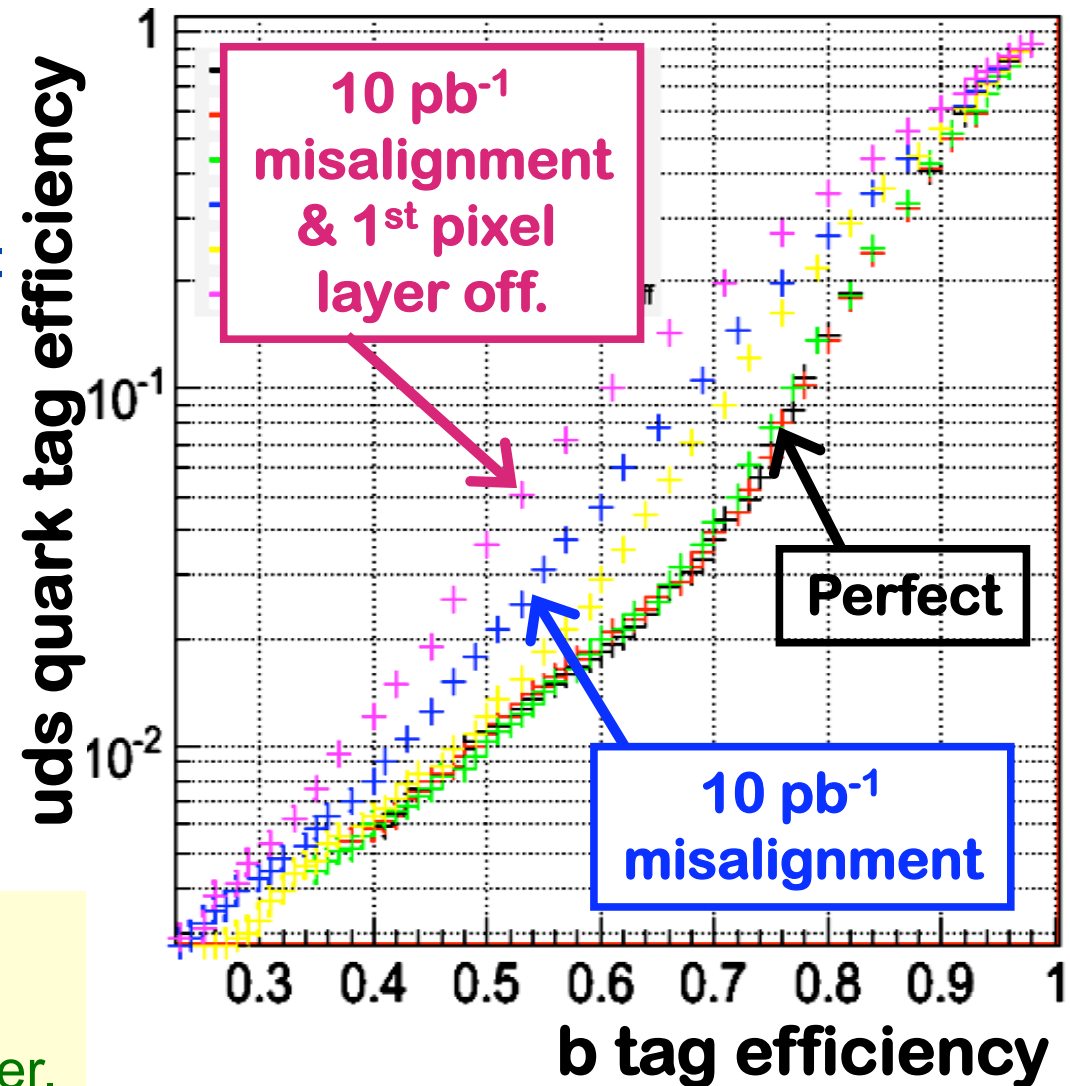
Event reconstruction: b-tagging

- **Combined secondary vertex b-tagging algorithm**
 - ◆ combination of several topological and kinematic observables

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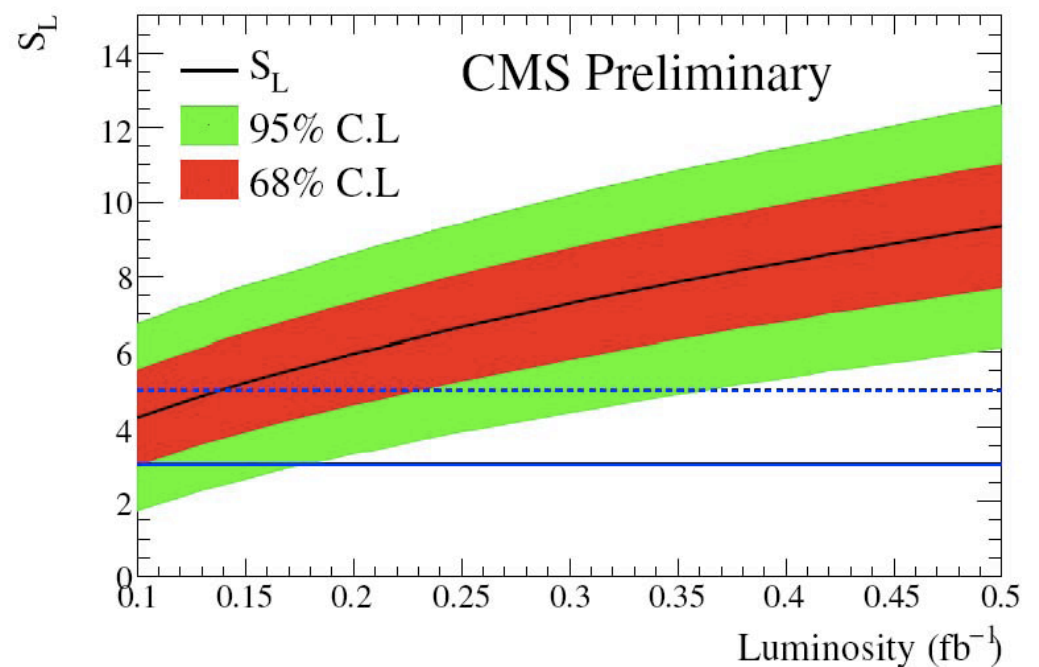
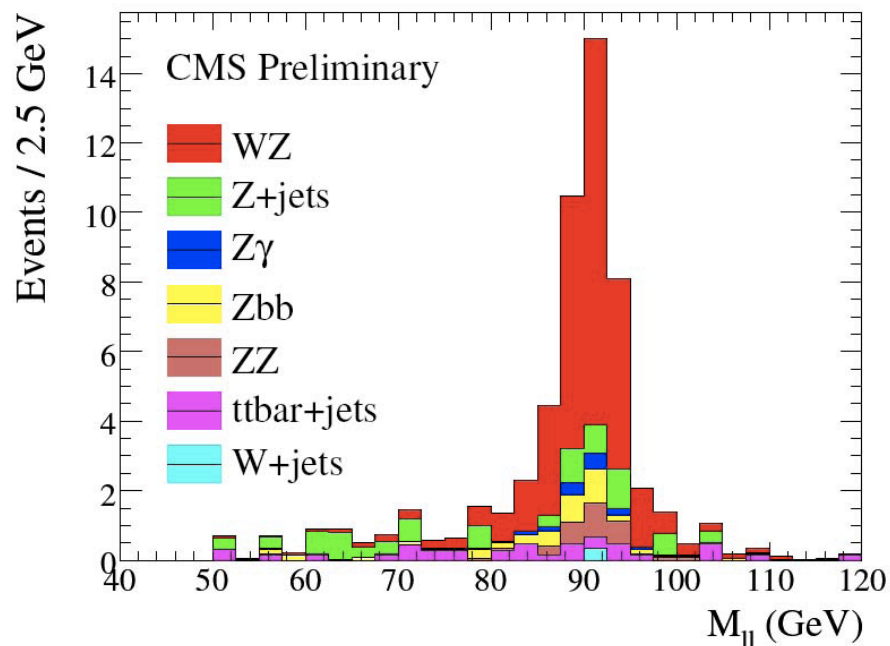
Lifetime-based b tags work OK,
even with Tracker misalignment
and disabled innermost pixel layer.





Dibosons

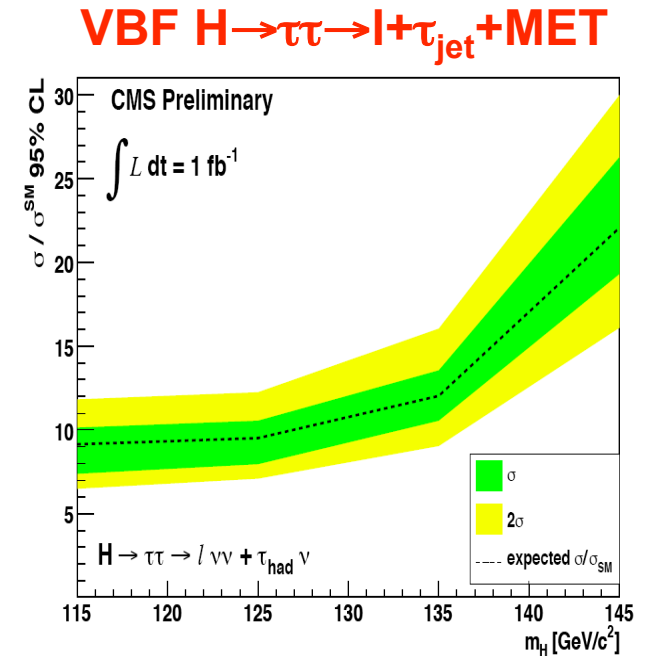
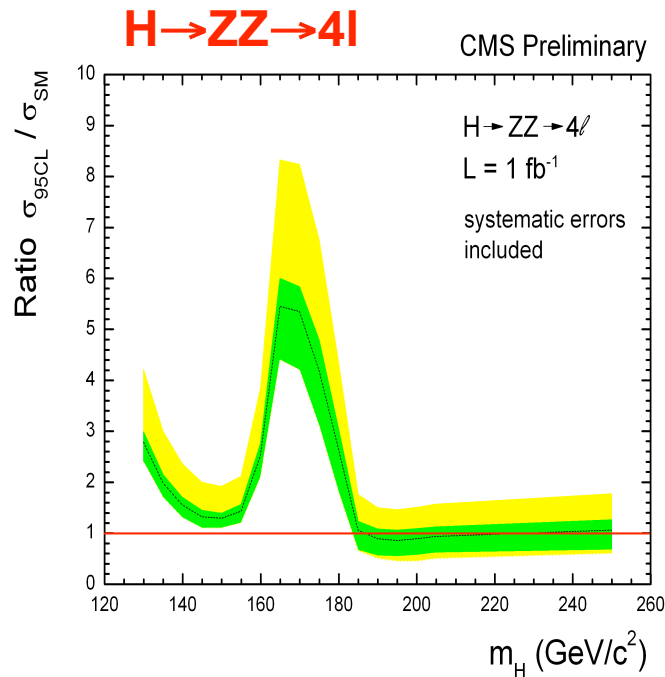
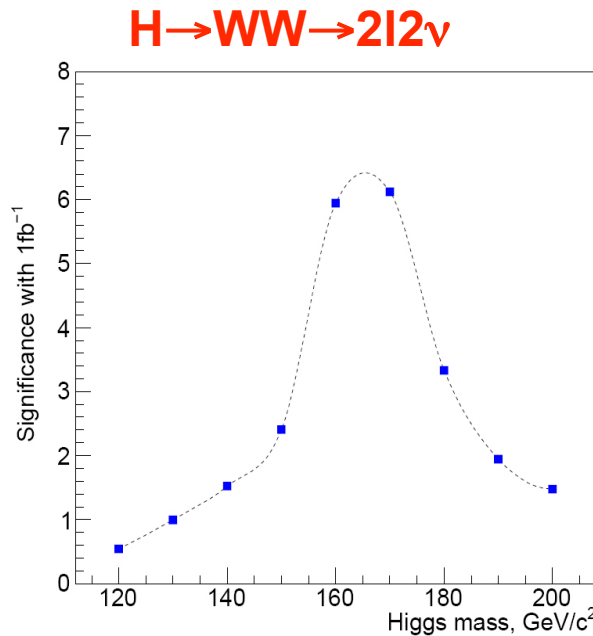
- Important measurement for searches (Higgs to WW, but also SUSY, etc)
 - ◆ Also for TGCs etc



- ◆ At 14 TeV, signal with 150 pb^{-1} (for WZ)
 - With 200 pb^{-1} at 10 TeV: should have a signal



Approved full analyses (1 fb^{-1} @ 14 TeV)



1 fb^{-1} @ 14 TeV

WW: has enough sensitivity for a discovery (160-170 GeV)

ZZ: has enough sensitivity for exclusion (190-230 GeV)

$\tau\tau$: only high upper limits are possible

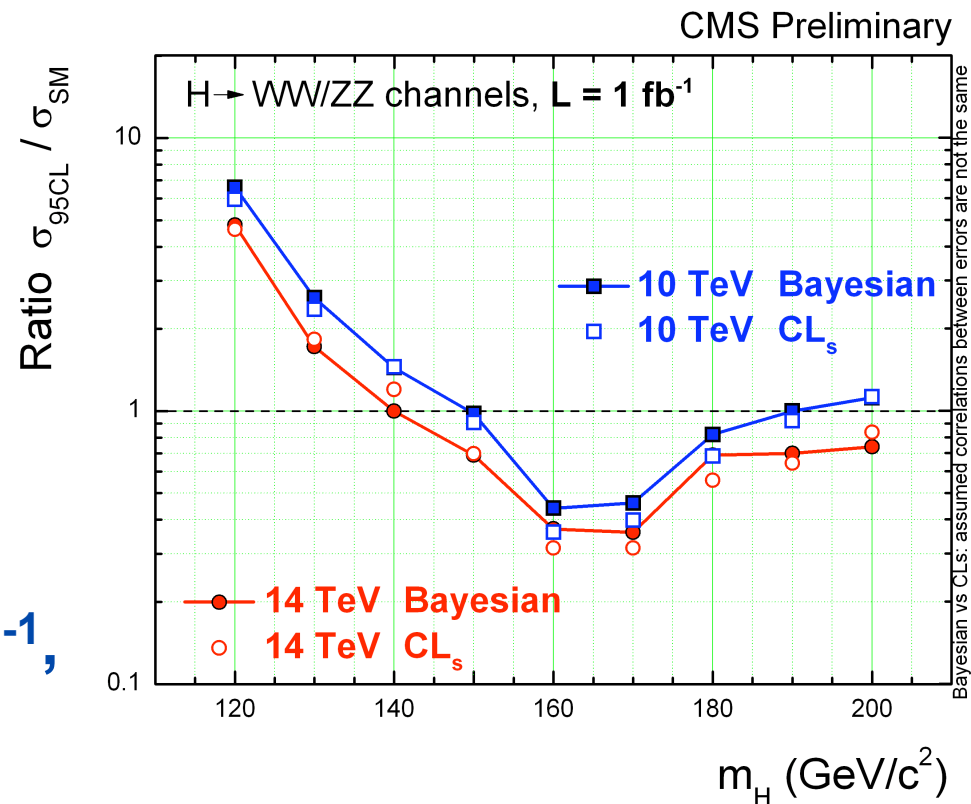


Higgs: 14→10 TeV

- signal and bkgd yields re-scaled

- 14→10 TeV:

- ◆ loss of a factor of 1.5 in sensitivity, or a factor of 2 in luminosity
- ◆ with roughly $\sim 200 \text{ pb}^{-1}$, reach sensitivity for a SM Higgs with $m_H \sim 160\text{-}170 \text{ GeV}$ (comparable to the current Tevatron sensitivity)

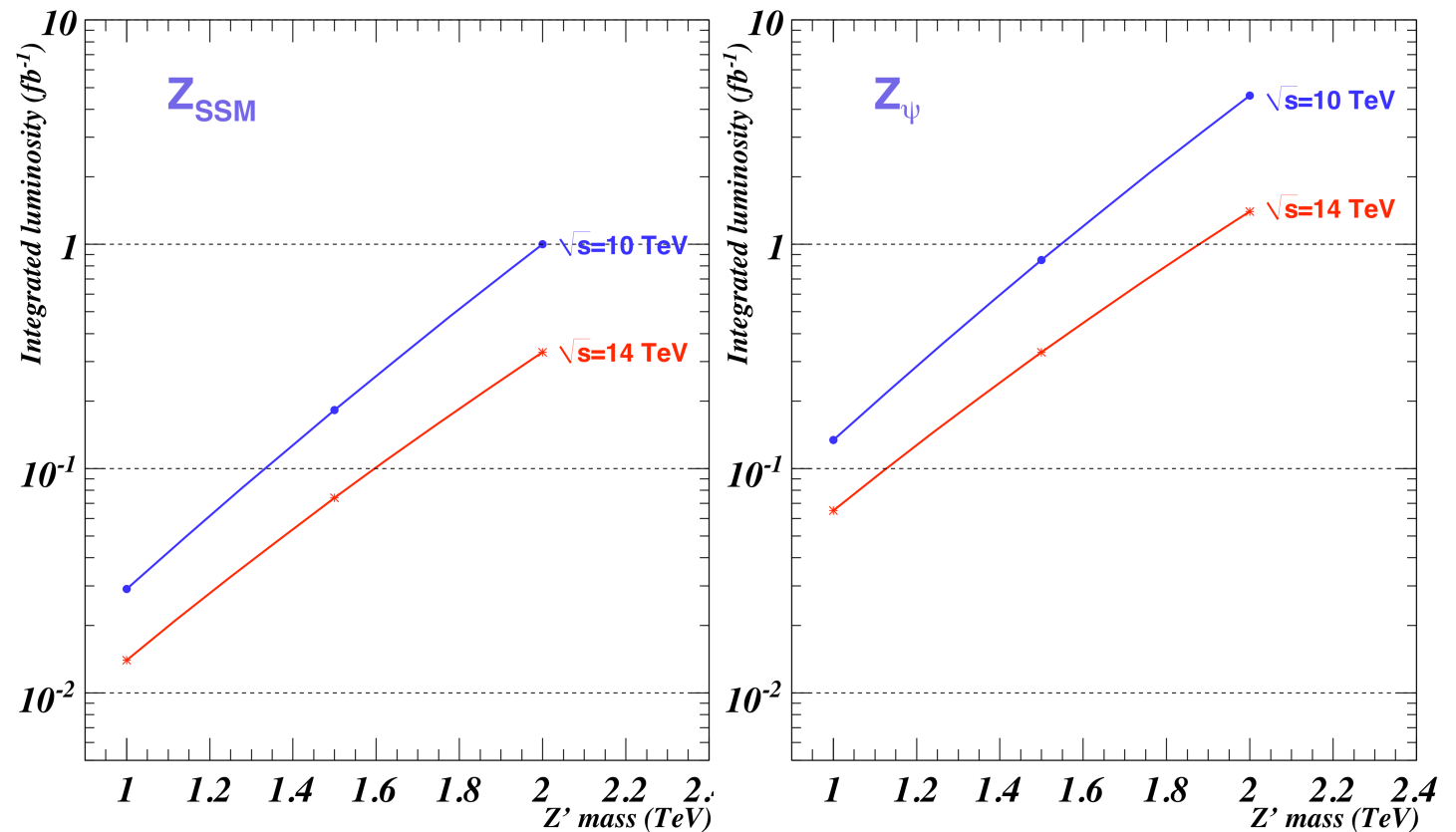




Z' to mumu

- **14 TeV curves: from full analysis of signals and bkg**
 - ◆ Rescale 14 TeV curves by corresponding cross section ratios for Signal and Drell-Yan bkg → 10 TeV curves
 - ◆ Z_ψ and Z_{SSM} : the two extremes in “reach”:

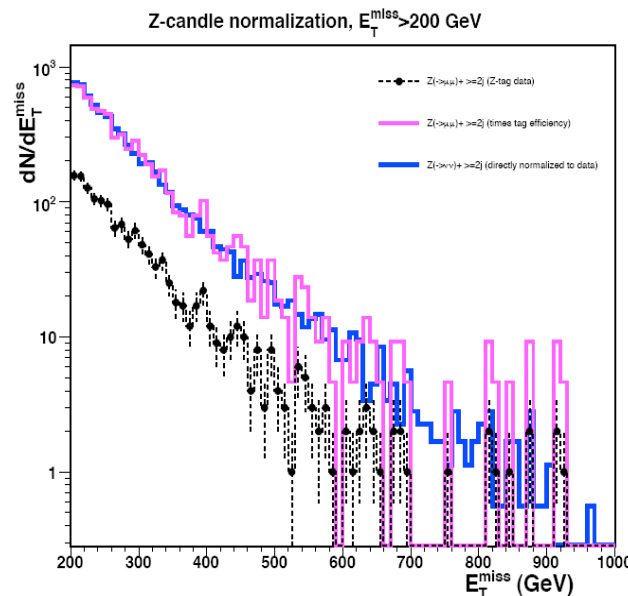
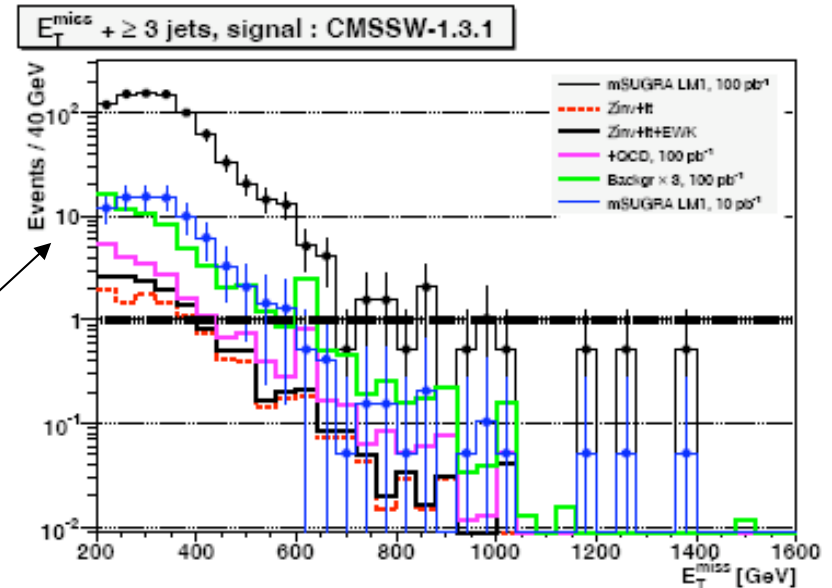
Z' mass (TeV)	$\sigma(14 \text{ TeV}) / \sigma(10 \text{ TeV})$
1	2
2	3





SUSY – early hints

- **100pb⁻¹ → ~600 GeV**
sparticles, but:
 - ◆ Need control over backgrounds
 - ◆ Example from $E_T^{\text{miss}} + 3\text{jet}$ events
 - **bkg*3 ~ signal @ 10pb⁻¹**



Normalizing
 $Z \rightarrow \nu\nu$ E_T^{miss}
to $Z \rightarrow \mu\mu$
using data



Quick one-page summary plan

- **With 10pb^{-1} we will measure event properties, first jet (and dijet) distributions**
 - ◆ **Note that searches start early!**
- **With 100pb^{-1} we will measure the Standard Model and establish CMS as a physics-producing engine**
 - ◆ **We will also look for hints of new physics**
- **With 1fb^{-1} we enter the Higgs discovery era. With a few fb^{-1} : firm discovery**
 - ◆ **“SUSY” explorable over very large area with 1fb^{-1} ; possible new resonances**

Summary



Summary

- **Despite its tremendous successes, the Standard Model is still missing its “symmetry breaker”**
- **The LHC and its experiments (CMS...) have been designed to search for the Higgs but also to explore all the possible physics at energies of $\sim \text{TeV}$**
 - ◆ Technological marvels that took ~ 20 years from concept to scientific instrument
 - ◆ The LHC should be decisive in revealing the Electro Weak Symmetry Breaking mechanism in the SM (Higgs/no Higgs)
- **LHC: on track for first collisions in 2009**
 - ◆ Challenge 1: commission machine and detectors of unprecedented complexity, technology and performance
 - ◆ Challenge 2: “rediscover” the Standard Model
 - ◆ Challenge 3: probe the physics beyond