



# Look Into The New Boson Properties

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Muon: blue  
Cells: Tiles, EMC

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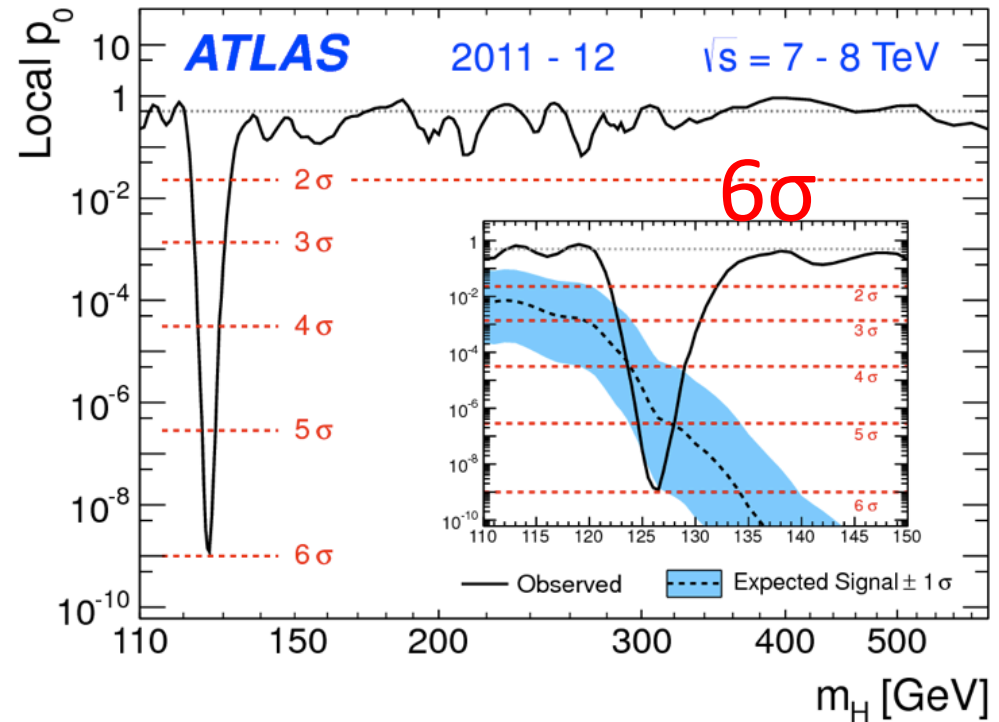
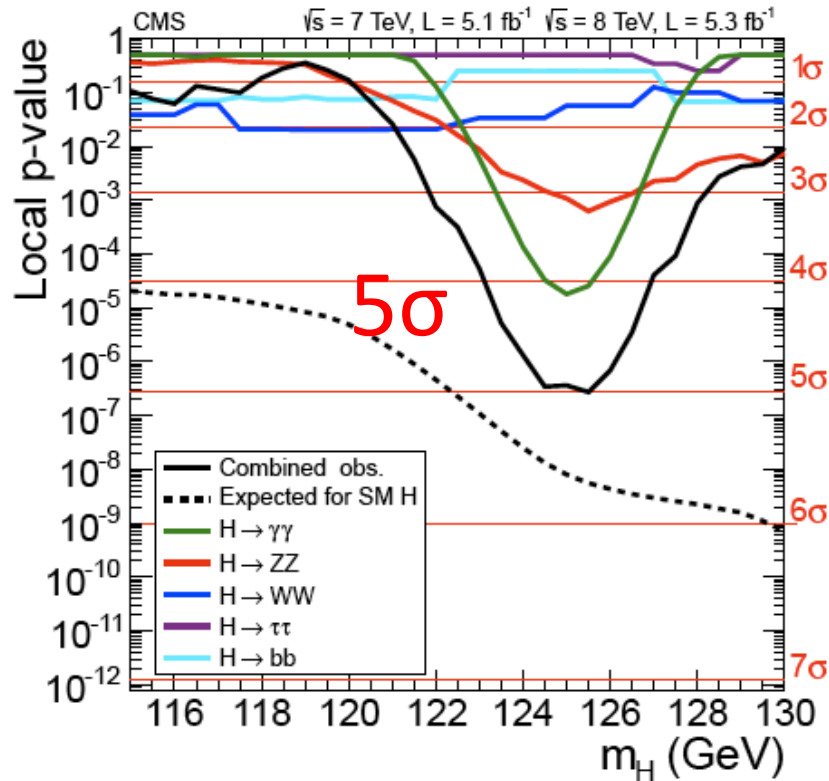
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# Outline

- What have we seen?
- What do we know about the new particle?
- What do not we know about the new particle?
- Why do not we see it in the  $b\bar{b}$  and  $t\bar{t}$  channel?
- Could it be a Fermiophobic boson?

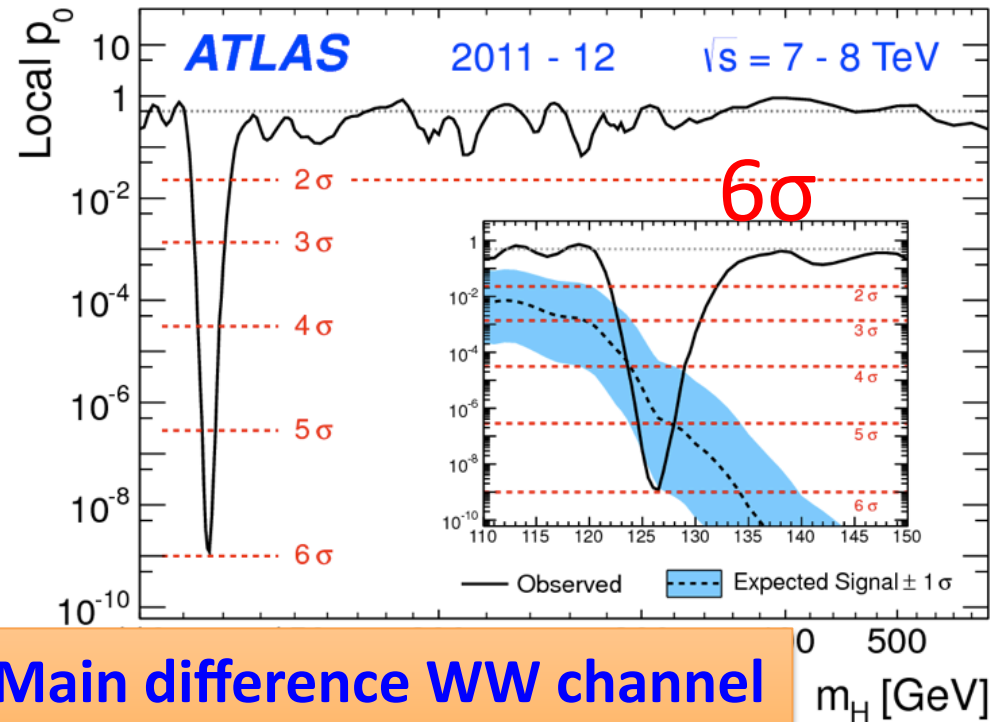
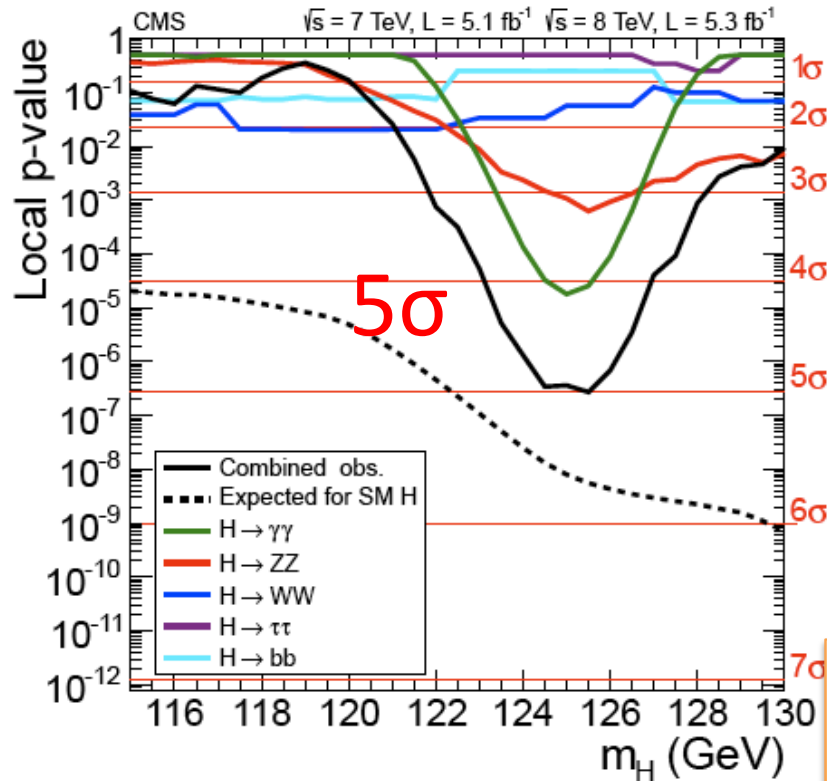
# What are we seeing?



What is the difference for ATLAS and CMS?

->  $p_0$  measures the compatibility of the data with the NO-HIGGS hypothesis.

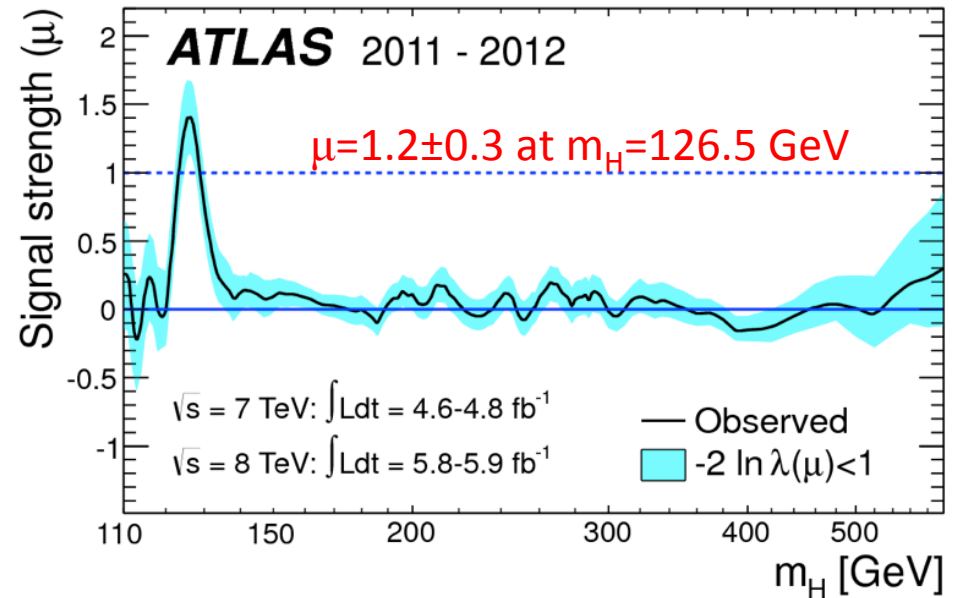
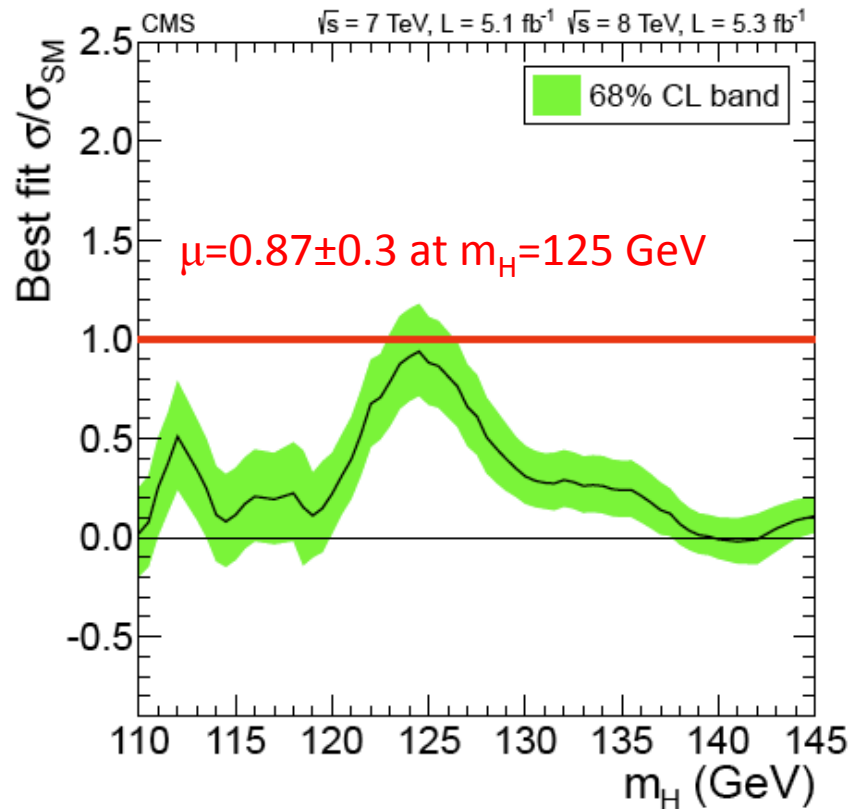
# What are we seeing?



**Main difference WW channel**  
**CMS 1.6  $\sigma$**   
**ATLAS 2.8  $\sigma$**

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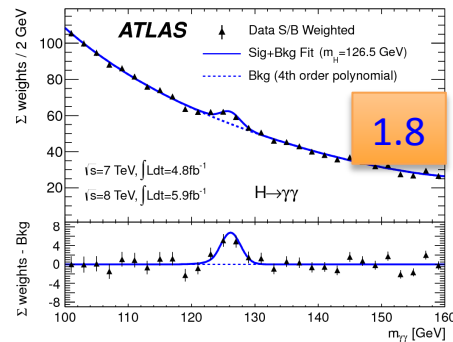
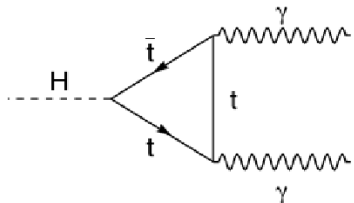
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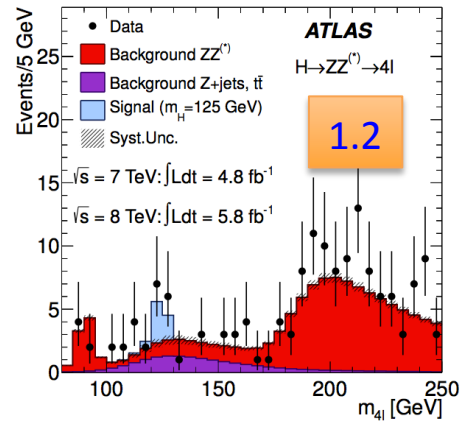
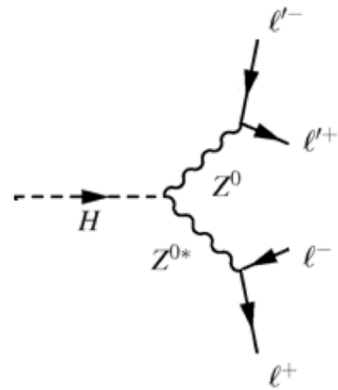
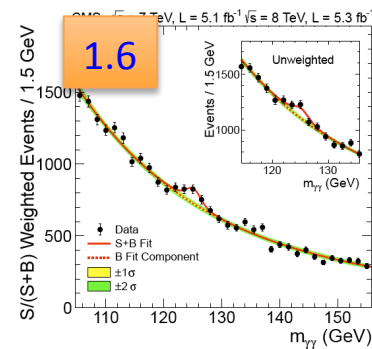
$$\mu = \frac{\sigma}{\sigma_{SM}(m_H)}$$

Signal strength ( $\mu$ ) =  
 (signal rate from fit to data) /  
 (expected SM signal rate at given  $m_H$ )

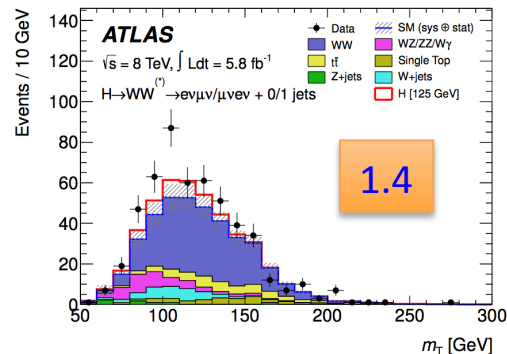
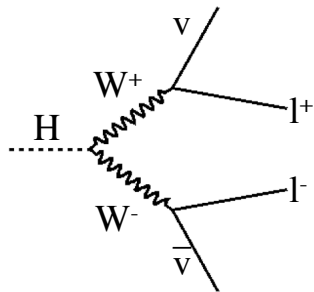
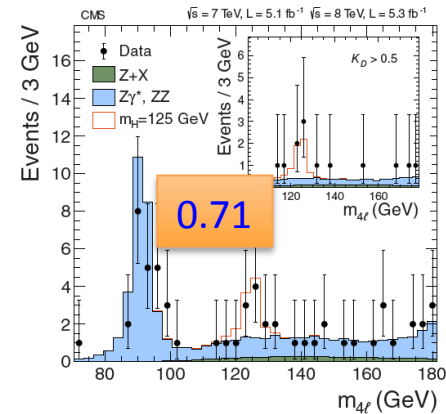
# Three most sensitive channels



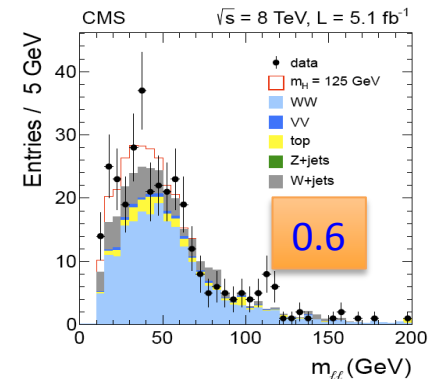
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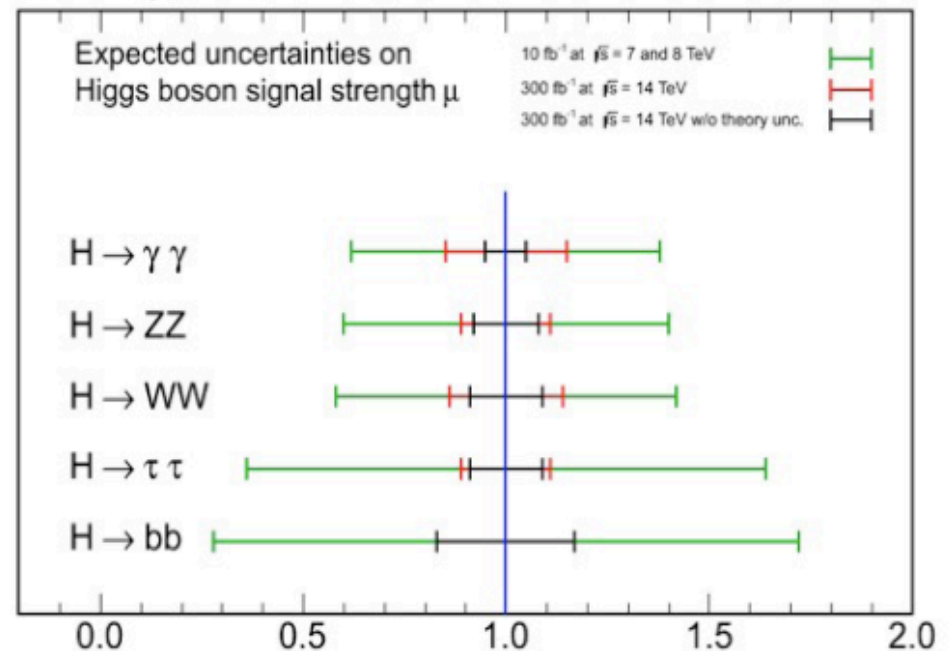


Signal strength

# Projection for signal strength

- Projecting **signal strength** per decay mode
- Showing 10/fb at 7/8 TeV and 300/fb at 14 TeV
  - **scale signal and background cross section**
  - **systematic uncertainties unchanged or w/o theory uncertainties**
  - **analysis strategies are not optimized**
- **5-15% uncertainties with 300/fb**

CMS Projection



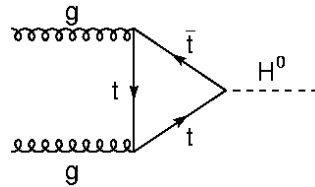
# What do we know about it?

- It appeared in the SM Higgs searches
- Its mass is around 125-126 GeV
- **It is a boson**
  - There is no way that a fermion with an odd spin produce just two bosons
- **It is not a spin one particle**
  - You can imagine a Higgs producing two photons with opposite spin giving you a zero spin particle, or having both same spin and giving you a two spin particle. But there is no combination possible for one spin particle without an extra particle.



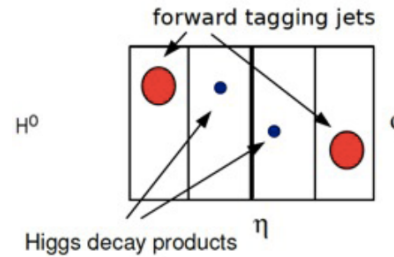
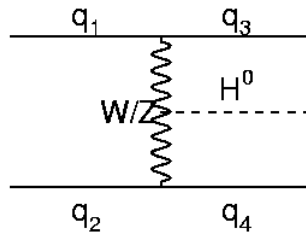
# Benchmark: SM Higgs production

Gluon fusion  
(dominant at LHC)

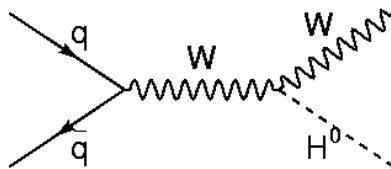


Not jets in the event or jets that do not satisfy the VBF tag

Vector boson fusion

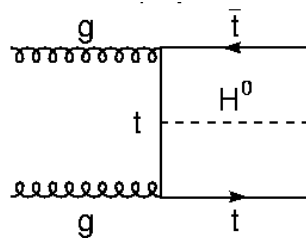


Associated production with Z/W



Higgs decay plus a W/Z decay

Associated production with top



Higgs decay plus a tt decay

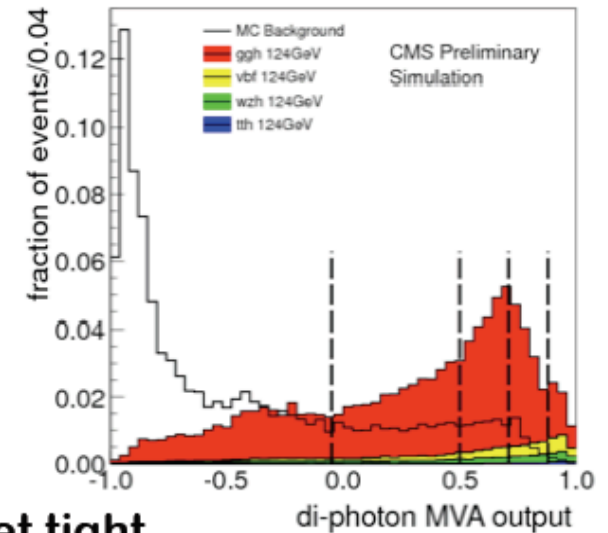
# Table of SM Higgs Searches Categories

Channel	Mass range [GeV]	Lumi'11 [1/fb]	Lumi'12 [1/fb]	Topologies	gF	VBF	VH	ttH
$H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$	110-150	5.1	5.3	incl. + VBF				
$H \rightarrow \tau\tau$	110-145	4.9	5.0	0/1 jet + VBF + WH + ZH				
$H \rightarrow b\bar{b}$	110-135	5.0	5.0	WH + ZH + ttH				
$H \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow 4l$	110-600	5.1	5.3	inclusive				
$H \rightarrow WW \rightarrow 2l2\nu$	110-600	4.9	5.3	0/1 jet + VBF + WH + ZH				
$H \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow 2l2\nu$	200-600	5.0	5.0	0/1 jet + VBF				
$H \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow 2l2q$	130-600	4.9	-	0/1/2 b-tags				
$H \rightarrow WW \rightarrow l\nu qq$	240-600	4.9	5.1	inclusive				

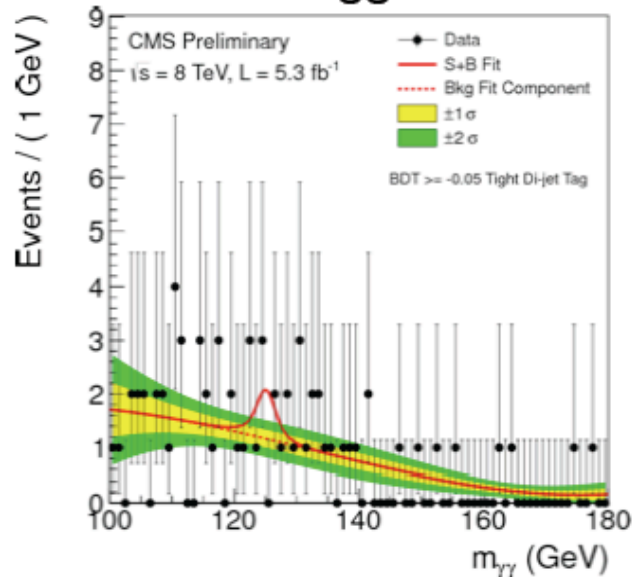
# Example: $H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$

Expected signal and estimated background

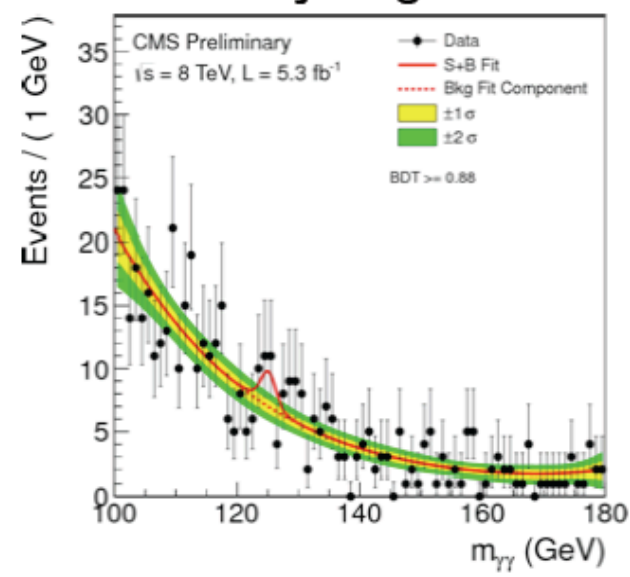
Event classes		SM Higgs boson expected signal ( $m_H=125\text{ GeV}$ )					Background $m_{\gamma\gamma} = 125\text{ GeV}$ (ev./GeV)
		Total	ggH	VBF	VH	ttH	
7 TeV $5.1\text{ fb}^{-1}$	Untagged 0	3.2	61%	17%	19%	3%	$3.3 \pm 0.4$
	Untagged 1	16.3	88%	6%	6%	1%	$37.5 \pm 1.3$
	Untagged 2	21.5	91%	4%	4%	-	$74.8 \pm 1.9$
	Untagged 3	32.8	91%	4%	4%	-	$193.6 \pm 3.0$
	Dijet tag	2.9	27%	73%	1%	-	$1.7 \pm 0.2$
8 TeV $5.3\text{ fb}^{-1}$	Untagged 0	6.1	68%	12%	16%	4%	$7.4 \pm 0.6$
	Untagged 1	21.0	88%	6%	6%	1%	$54.7 \pm 1.5$
	Untagged 2	30.2	92%	4%	3%	-	$115.2 \pm 2.3$
	Untagged 3	40.0	92%	4%	4%	-	$256.5 \pm 3.4$
	Dijet tight	2.6	23%	77%	-	-	$1.3 \pm 0.2$
	Dijet loose	3.0	53%	45%	2%	-	$3.7 \pm 0.4$



Untagged 0



Dijet tight

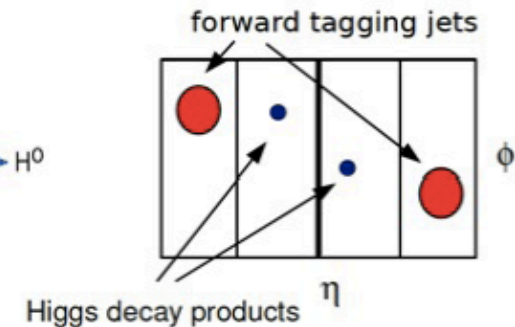
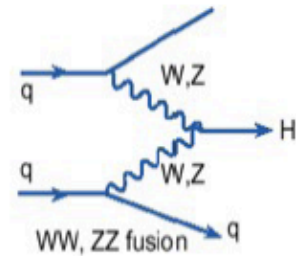


# SM Higgs Searches Categories

CMS

- **VBF signature**

- $\Upsilon\Upsilon$ ,  $\tau\tau$ ,  $WW$  channels deploy VBF signature
- $ZZ(4l)$  has very low signal yield
- $bb$  is challenging and work in progress



- **increases sensitivity and allows coupling measurement**
- **three analysis deploy quite different strategies**

Channel	Technique	Variable	Jet kinematic	Pile-up	gluon fusion cont. at 125 GeV
$H \rightarrow \Upsilon\Upsilon$	cuts, 2 categories	$m(jj)$ , $\Delta\eta(jj)$ , $\Delta\phi(H,jj)$ , $Z_{ep}$ .	$p_T > 20$ (30) GeV, $ \eta  < 4.7$	cut jet ID	53%, 23%
$H \rightarrow \tau\tau$	MVA	$m(jj)$ , $\Delta\eta(jj)$ , $\Delta\eta(H,j)$ , $\Delta\phi(jj)$ , $p_T(\tau\tau)$ , $p_T(jj)$	$p_T > 30$ GeV, $ \eta  < 5.0$	MVA jet ID	20%
$H \rightarrow WW$	cuts	$m(jj)$ , $\Delta\eta(jj)$	$p_T > 30$ GeV, $ \eta  < 4.7$	MVA jet ID	15%

- **diversity result of independent development and optimization, but needs investigation!**

# ATLAS SM Higgs Searches Categories

Decay	Sub-channel	$N_{obs}$	$\langle N_B \rangle$	$\langle N_{ggF} \rangle$	$\langle N_{VBF} \rangle$	$\langle N_{WH} \rangle$	$\langle N_{ZH} \rangle$	$\langle N_{ttH} \rangle$
$H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$	low- $p_{Tt}$	7013	6820	138	6.3	3.1	1.8	0.4
	high- $p_{Tt}$	320	291	14.0	2.9	1.8	1.0	0.4
	2-jet	36	24.2	1.3	3.4	0.0	0.0	0.0
$H \rightarrow ZZ^{(*)} \rightarrow 4\ell$	–	14	5.4	5.6	0.5	0.1	0.1	0.0
$H \rightarrow WW^{(*)} \rightarrow \ell\nu\ell\nu$	0-jet	667	573	75.3	0.8	0.3	0.4	0.0
	1-jet	183	141	16.7	1.7	0.3	0.2	0.0
	2-jet	3	3.7	0.3	1.3	0.0	0.0	0.0
$H \rightarrow \tau^+\tau^-$	0-jet	9277	9305	17.6	0.6	0.1	0.3	0.0
	1-jet	393	406	3.6	1.0	0.1	0.2	0.0
	2-jet	22	28.2	0.3	0.9	0.0	0.0	0.0
	VH	164	152	0.7	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.0
$H \rightarrow b\bar{b}$	ZH	322	321	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.0	0.0
	WH	1266	1311	0.0	0.0	11.1	0.0	0.0

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$H \rightarrow WW^{(*)} \rightarrow \ell\nu\ell\nu$	0-jet	667	<b>94</b>	75.3	0.8	0.3	0.4	0.0
	1-jet	183	<b>42</b>	16.7	1.7	0.3	0.2	0.0
	2-jet	3	<b>-0.7</b>	0.3	1.3	0.0	0.0	0.0
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$H \rightarrow b\bar{b}$	ZH	322	<b>1</b>	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.0	0.0
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H → bb	110-135	5.0	5.0	WH + ZH + ttH	-	-	☺	☺
H → ZZ → 4l	110-600	5.1	5.3	inclusive	☺	-	-	-
H → WW → 2l2v	110-600	4.9	5.3	0/1 jet + VBF + WH + ZH	☺	☺	☺	-
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H → ZZ → 2l2q	130-600	4.9	-	0/1/2 b-tags	☺	-	-	-
H → WW → lvqq	240-600	4.9	5.1	inclusive	☺	-	-	-

# Proposal – compatibility with SM Higgs

- Start from best knowledge of SM Higgs cross section and branching fractions

- Derive scale factors

Production modes	Detectable decay modes	Undetectable decay modes
$\frac{\sigma_{ggH}}{\sigma_{ggH}^{SM}} = \begin{cases} C_g^2(C_b, C_t, m_H) \\ C_g^2 \end{cases}$	$\frac{\Gamma_{WW}}{\Gamma_{WW}^{SM}} = C_W^2$	$\frac{\Gamma_{t\bar{t}}}{\Gamma_{t\bar{t}}^{SM}} = \frac{\sigma_{t\bar{t}H}}{\sigma_{t\bar{t}}^{SM}} = C_t^2$
$\frac{\sigma_{VBF}}{\sigma_{VBF}^{SM}} = C_{VBF}^2(C_W, C_Z, m_H)$	$\frac{\Gamma_{ZZ}}{\Gamma_{ZZ}^{SM}} = C_Z^2$	$\frac{\Gamma_{gg}}{\Gamma_{gg}^{SM}} = \frac{\sigma_{ggH}}{\sigma_{ggH}^{SM}}$
$\frac{\sigma_{WH}}{\sigma_{WH}^{SM}} = \frac{\Gamma_{WW}}{\Gamma_{WW}^{SM}} = C_W^2$	$\frac{\Gamma_{b\bar{b}}}{\Gamma_{b\bar{b}}^{SM}} = C_b^2$	$\frac{\Gamma_{c\bar{c}}}{\Gamma_{c\bar{c}}^{SM}} = C_t^2$
$\frac{\sigma_{ZH}}{\sigma_{ZH}^{SM}} = \frac{\Gamma_{ZZ}}{\Gamma_{ZZ}^{SM}} = C_Z^2$	$\frac{\Gamma_{\tau\tau}}{\Gamma_{\tau\tau}^{SM}} = C_\tau^2$	$\frac{\Gamma_{s\bar{s}}}{\Gamma_{s\bar{s}}^{SM}} = C_b^2$
$\frac{\sigma_{t\bar{t}H}}{\sigma_{t\bar{t}}^{SM}} = C_t^2$	$\frac{\Gamma_{\gamma\gamma}}{\Gamma_{\gamma\gamma}^{SM}} = \begin{cases} C_\gamma^2(C_b, C_t, C_W, \\ C_\gamma^2 \end{cases}$	$\frac{\Gamma_{\mu\mu}}{\Gamma_{\mu\mu}^{SM}} = C_\tau^2$
	$\frac{\Gamma_{Z\gamma}}{\Gamma_{Z\gamma}^{SM}} \sim C_W^2$	
		Total width $\frac{\Gamma_H}{\Gamma_H^{SM}} = \begin{cases} C_H^2(C_i, m_H) \\ C_H^2 \end{cases}$

- Analyze scale factors in benchmarks



# Assumptions and Limitations

- Observations originate from a single particle
- Use zero-width approximation
- Consider only modifications to couplings strength. No modification to tensor structure, i.e. assume CP-even scalar state
- Additional assumptions necessary to measure  $C_i$  and not just ratios of couplings, e.g. no new Higgs decay modes

$$C_H^2(C_i, m_H) = \sum_{k = WW, ZZ, b\bar{b}, \tau\tau, \gamma\gamma, Z\gamma, gg, t\bar{t}, c\bar{c}, s\bar{s}, \mu\mu} \frac{\Gamma_k(C_i, m_H)}{\Gamma_H^{SM}(m_H)}$$

- Interference effects are not considered beyond SM

# Test WW/ZZ symmetry

- Compare WW and ZZ signal strength
- Fit WW (0/1 jet) and ZZ data assuming

$$\begin{aligned}\sigma \times \text{BR}_{H \rightarrow ZZ} &= \mu_{ZZ} \times [\sigma \times \text{BR}_{H \rightarrow ZZ}]_{\text{SM Higgs}} \\ \sigma \times \text{BR}_{H \rightarrow WW} &= R_{W/Z} \times \mu_{ZZ} \times [\sigma \times \text{BR}_{H \rightarrow WW}]_{\text{SM Higgs}}\end{aligned}$$

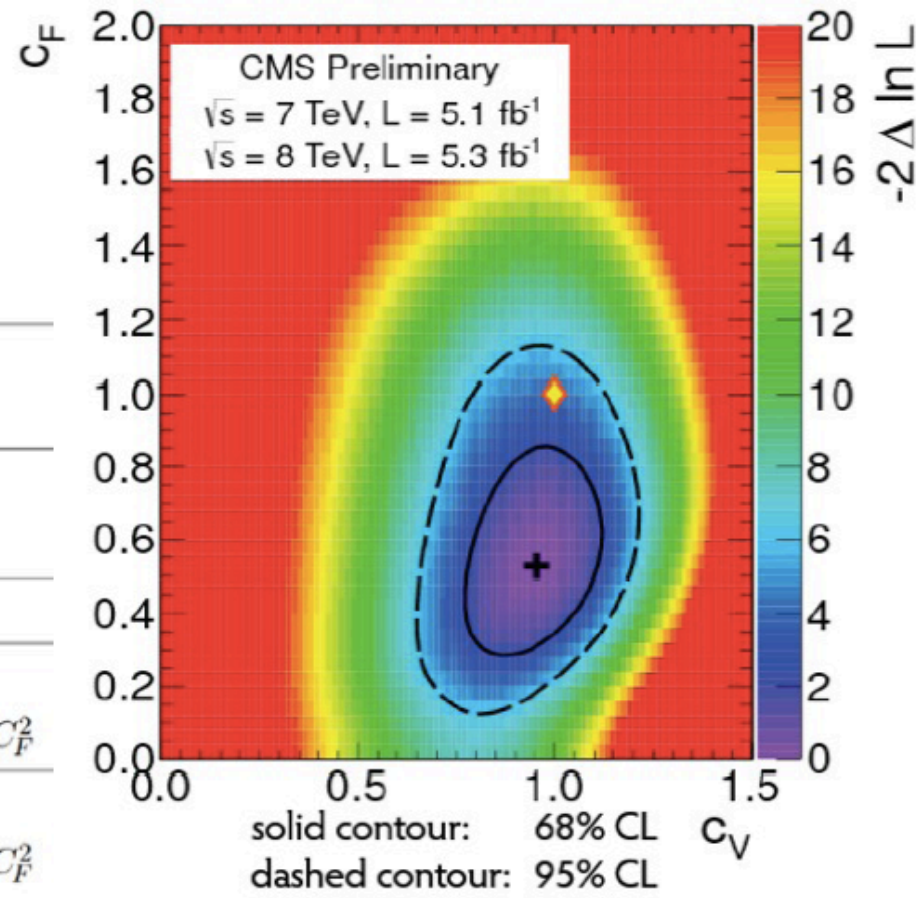
- Result compatible with SM (large uncertainties)

$$R_{W/Z} = 0.9^{+1.1}_{-0.6}$$

# Test compatibility

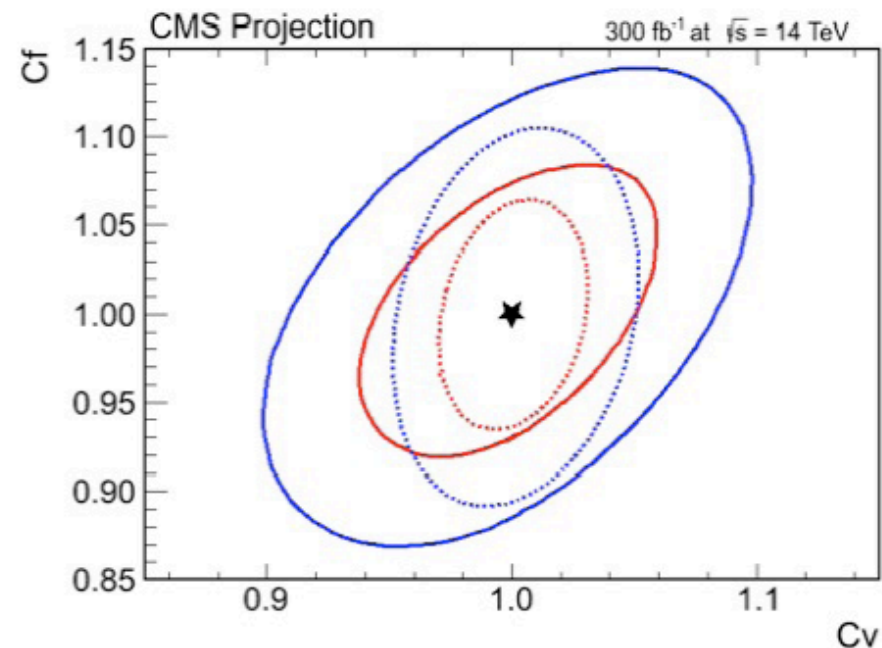
- Test compatibility by introducing two parameter ( $C_V$ ,  $C_F$ )
- $C_V$  and  $C_F$  modify expected signal yields in each mode through simple LO expressions

Production	Decay	LO SM
VH	$H \rightarrow bb$	$\sim \frac{C_V^2 \times C_F^2}{C_F^2} \sim C_V^2$
ttH	$H \rightarrow bb$	$\sim \frac{C_F^2 \times C_F^2}{C_F^2} \sim C_F^2$
VBF	$H \rightarrow \tau\tau$	$\sim \frac{C_V^2 \times C_F^2}{C_F^2} \sim C_V^2$
ggH	$H \rightarrow \tau\tau$	$\sim \frac{C_F^2 \times C_F^2}{C_F^2} \sim C_F^2$
ggH	$H \rightarrow ZZ$	$\sim \frac{C_F^2 \times C_V^2}{C_F^2} \sim C_V^2$
ggH	$H \rightarrow WW$	$\sim \frac{C_F^2 \times C_V^2}{C_F^2} \sim C_V^2$
VBF	$H \rightarrow WW$	$\sim \frac{C_V^2 \times C_V^2}{C_F^2} \sim C_V^4 / C_F^2$
ggH	$H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$	$\sim \frac{C_F^2 \times (8.6C_V - 1.8C_F)^2}{C_F^2} \sim C_V^2$
VBF	$H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$	$\sim \frac{C_V^2 \times (8.6C_V - 1.8C_F)^2}{C_F^2} \sim C_V^4 / C_F^2$



# Projection

- Test compatibility by introducing two parameter ( $C_V$ ,  $C_F$ )
- $C_V$  and  $C_F$  modify expected signal yields in each mode through simple LO expressions
- Projecting to 30/fb at 8 TeV and 300/fb at 14 TeV
  - scale signal and background cross section
  - systematic uncertainties unchanged (dashed lines: no theory unc.)



Why do not we see it in  $H \rightarrow \tau^+ \tau^-$ ?



# ATLAS EXPERIMENT

Run 190872, Event 51447267

Time 2011-10-12, 12:09 CEST

$$p_T(\tau_{\text{had}}) = 43 \text{ GeV}$$

$$p_T(\mu) = 52 \text{ GeV}$$

$$E_T^{\text{miss}} = 53 \text{ GeV}$$

$$m_{jj} = 390 \text{ GeV}$$

$$\text{MMC } m_{\tau\tau} = 123 \text{ GeV}$$

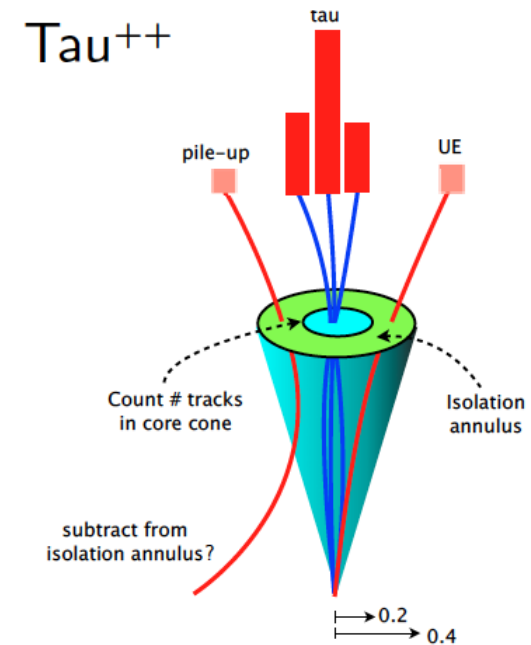
VBF  $H \rightarrow \tau^+\tau^- \rightarrow \tau_{\text{had}}\mu$   
candidate in 7 TeV collisions

$$H \rightarrow \tau^+ \tau^-$$

$$H \rightarrow \tau\tau \rightarrow \ell\ell + 4\nu \quad (12\%)$$

$$H \rightarrow \tau\tau \rightarrow \ell\tau_h + 3\nu \quad (46\%)$$

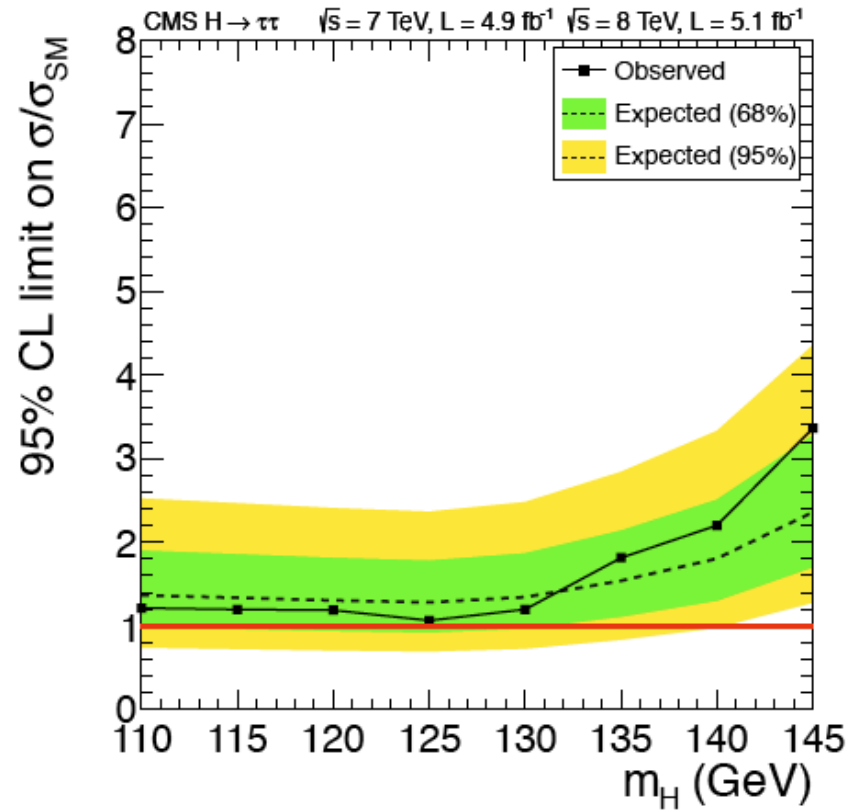
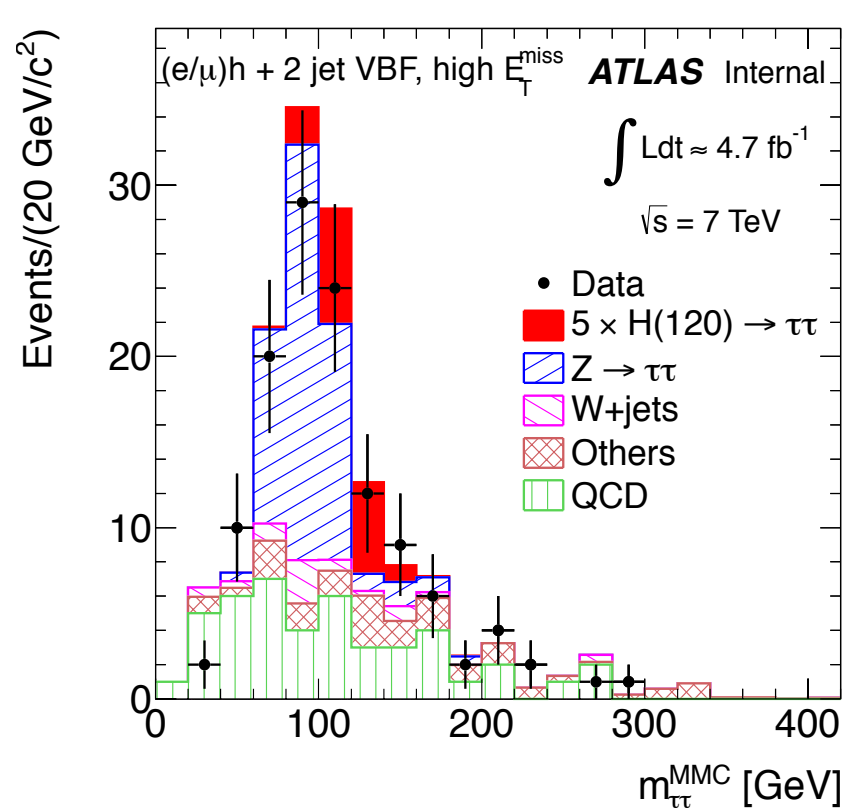
$$H \rightarrow \tau\tau \rightarrow \tau_h\tau_h + 2\nu \quad (42\%)$$



- Tau-jet reconstruction seeds with anti- $k_T$  jets reconstructed in the calorimeters within a cone of  $\Delta R = 0.4$ ,  $p_T > 10$  GeV,  $|\eta| < 2.5$
- Count the number of tracks identified within a cone of  $\Delta R = 0.2$
- Pile-up robust variables describing isolation, shower shape profile, EM/hadronic energy fractions and angular separation are optimized
- **Tau-jet (QCD-jet) (mis-)identification efficiency  $\sim 50\%$  ( $< 1\%$ )**

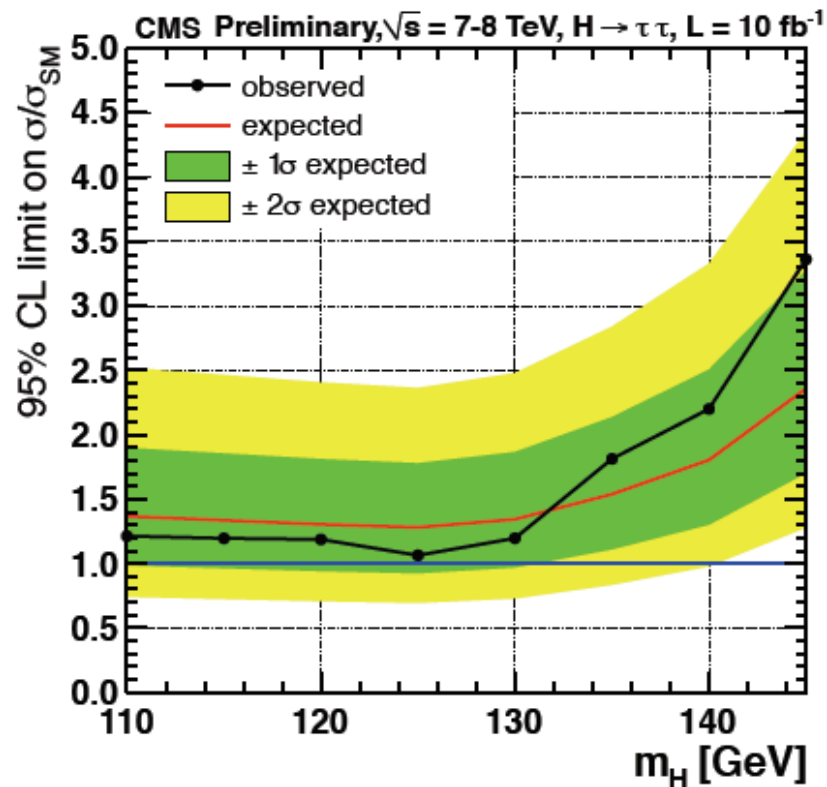
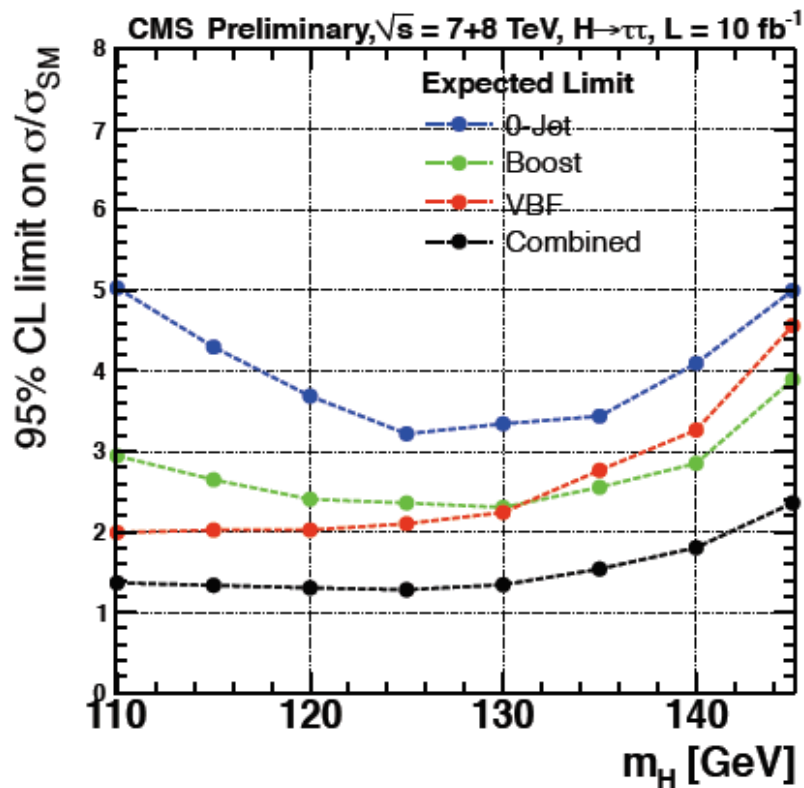
$$H \rightarrow \tau^+ \tau^-$$

Analysis performed over 0, 1 and 2 jet categories, with highest sensitivity coming from the 2 jet VBF category





$$H \rightarrow \tau^+ \tau$$

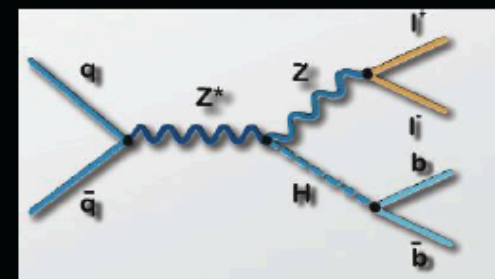
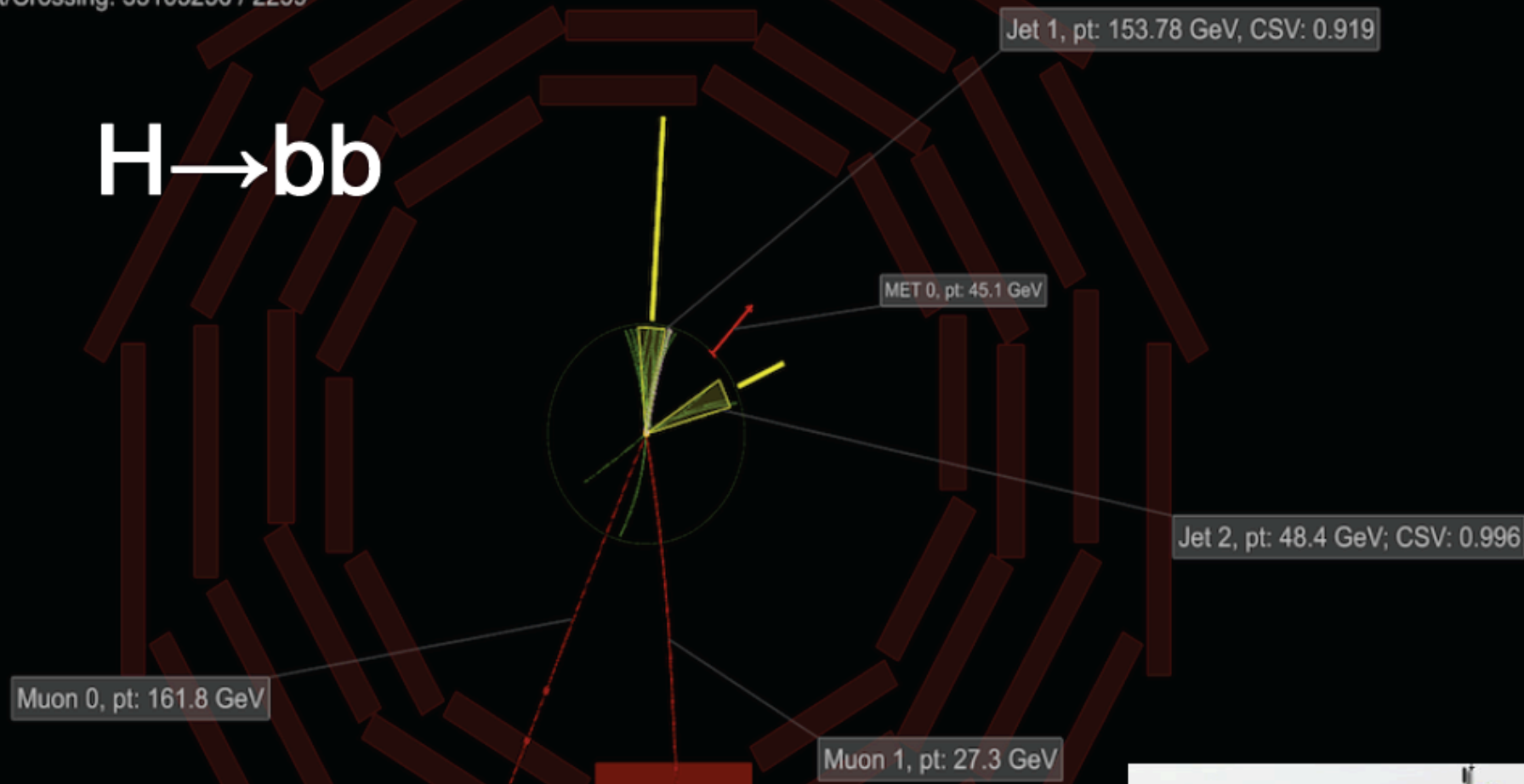


- No excess above SM background-only expectation
  - Observed limit:  $1.06 \times \text{SM}$  at  $m_H = 125 \text{ GeV}$
  - Expected limit:  $1.28$

Why we do not see it in  
 $W/Z, H \rightarrow bb?$

CMS Experiment at LHC, CERN  
Data recorded: Mon Jun 27 02:59:42 2011 CEST  
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# $H \rightarrow bb$



# $W/Z H, H \rightarrow bb$

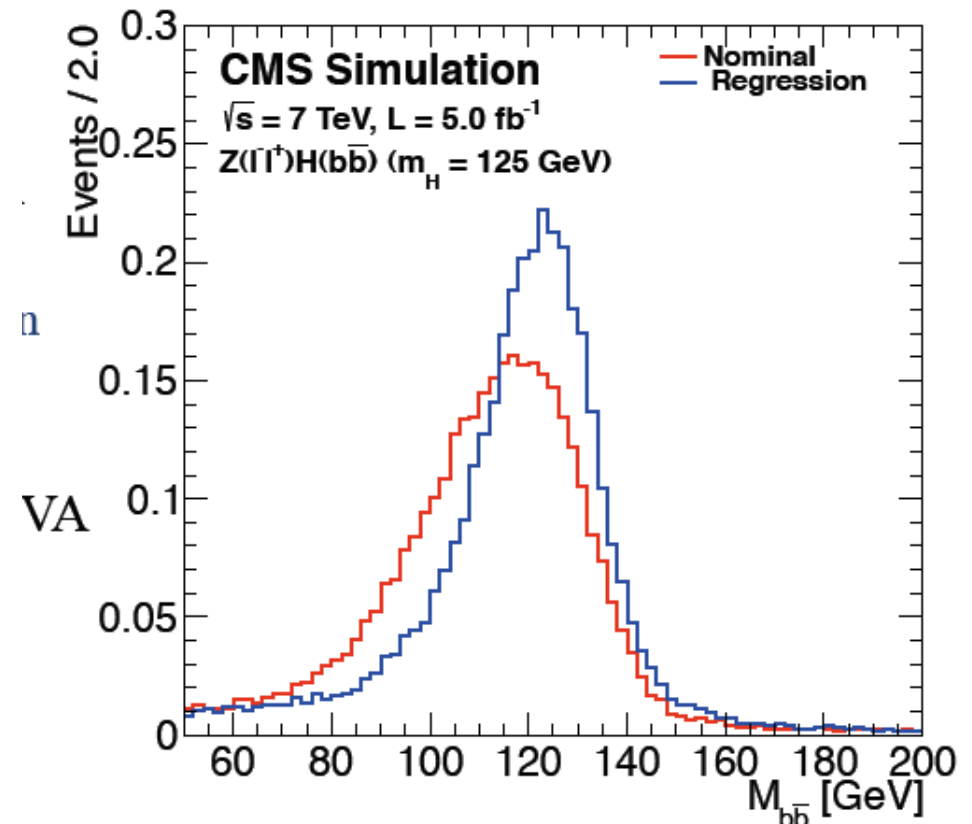
- Associated production with W or Z
- 5 channels under study
  - $W(l\nu)H, Z(\nu\nu)H, Z(\ell\ell)H; l=e,\mu$

## Background estimation:

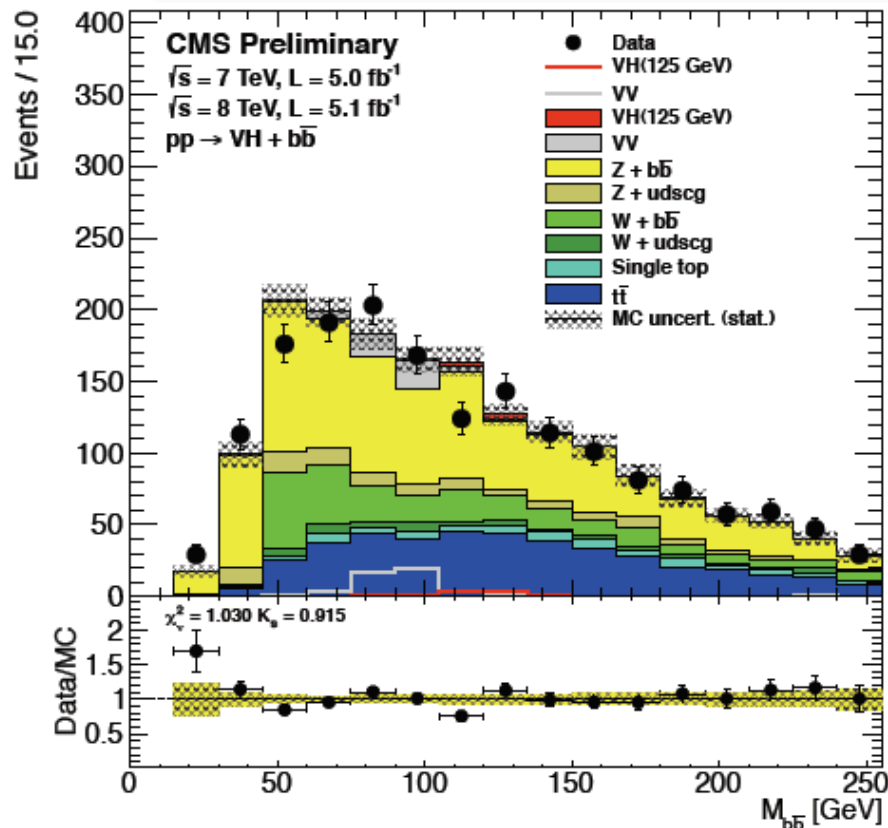
- Two main backgrounds:
  - W+jets and Top**
  - estimated from MC
  - normalization from data
- QCD from data-driven method reversing lepton ID cut
- Other backgrounds from MC

## Main systematic uncertainties:

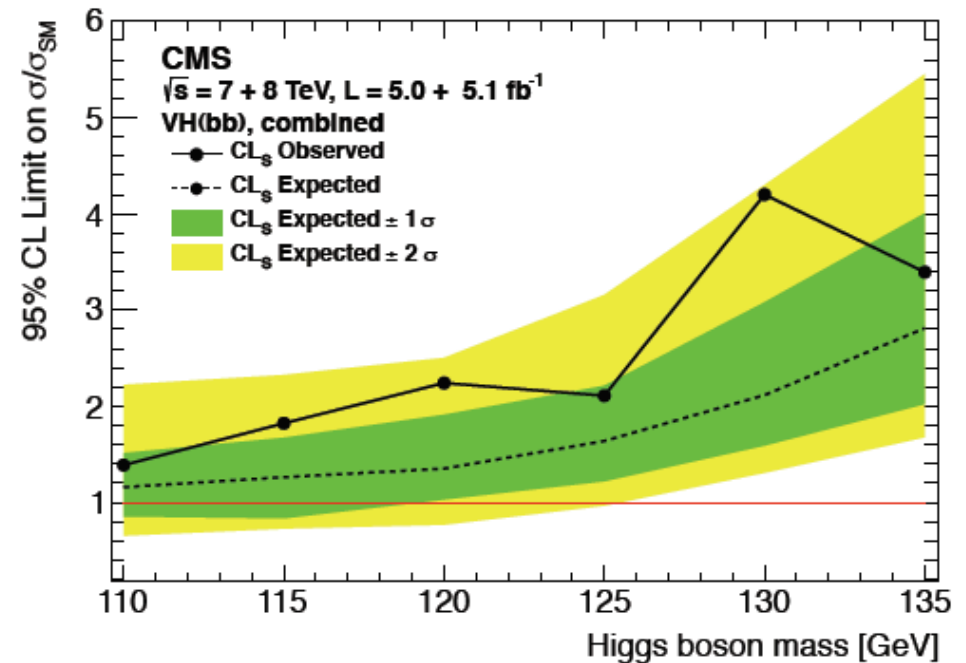
- B-tagging efficiency
- Jet energy scale and resolution



# $W/Z H, H \rightarrow bb$



7+8 TeV  $M_{jj}$  distribution

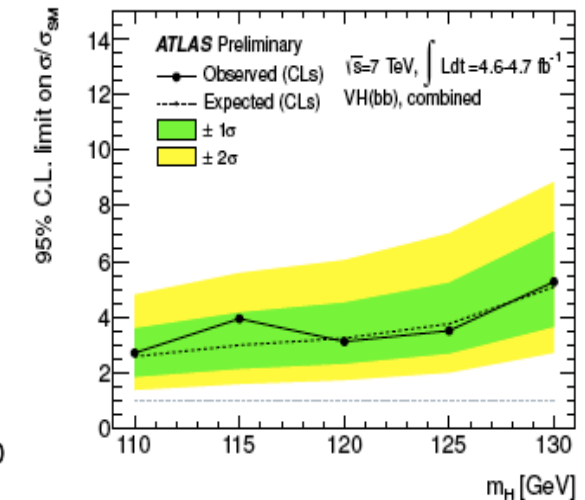
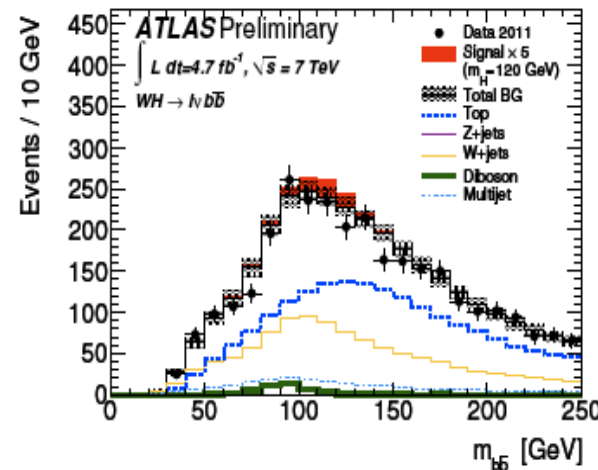
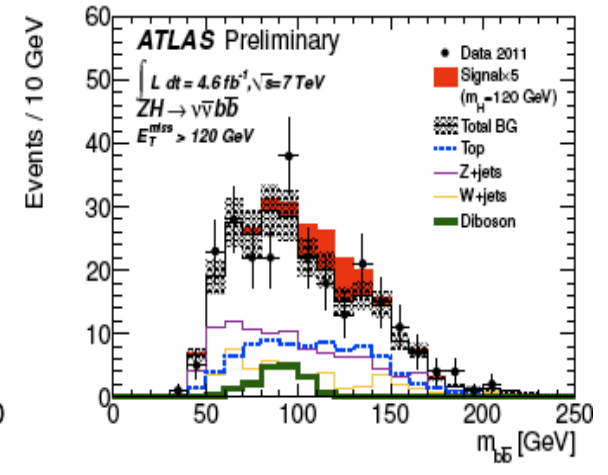
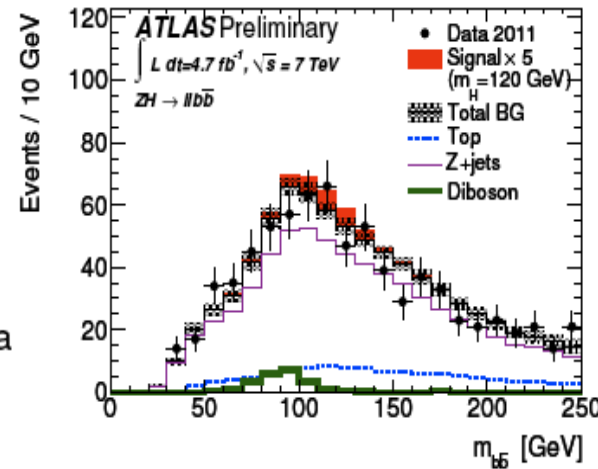


$m_H$ (GeV)	110	115	120	125	130	135
Exp.	1.16	1.26	1.35	1.64	2.12	2.81
Obs.	1.39	1.82	2.24	2.11	4.20	3.39

- Dijet mass distribution shows combination of all 5 channels
- Mild excess seen between 115 and 135 GeV
  - Compatible with either background or 125 GeV Higgs

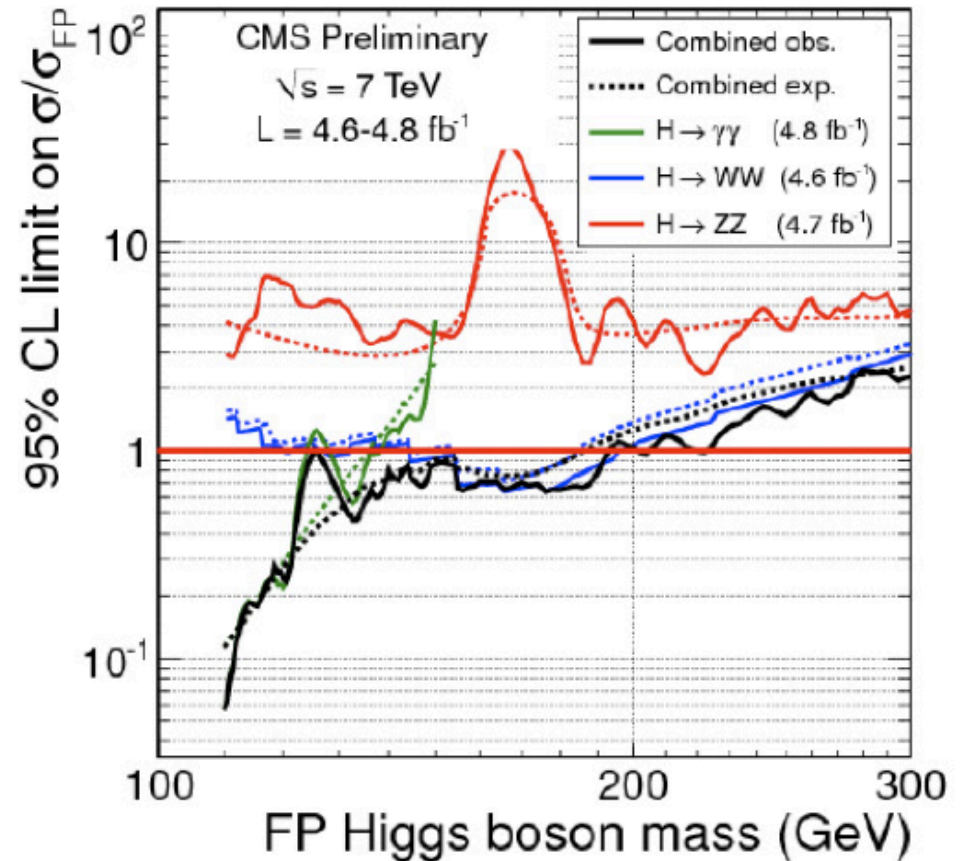
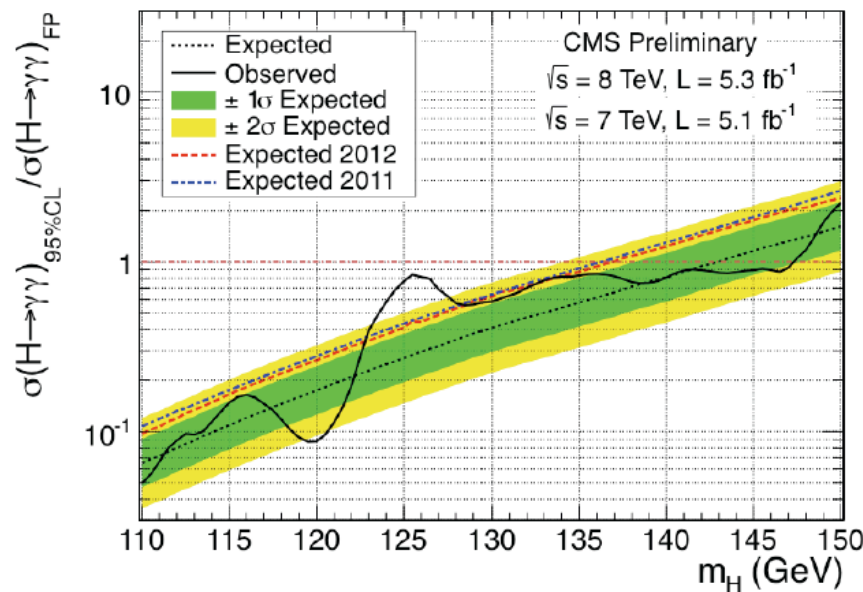
# $W/H, H \rightarrow b\bar{b}$

- Again three separate channels
  - $ZH \rightarrow l^+l^- b\bar{b}$
  - $ZH \rightarrow \nu\bar{\nu} b\bar{b}$
  - $WH \rightarrow l\nu b\bar{b}$
- Higgs production channel in association with a leptonically decaying vector boson used
- Provides a high  $p_T$  lepton or large  $E_T^{\text{miss}}$  to trigger on and reduces QCD backgrounds
- $m_{b\bar{b}}$  used as the discriminating variable
- No excess seen over the background expectation in any channel
- The combined upper limits are between 2.7 and 5.3 times the SM  $H \rightarrow b\bar{b}$  cross section
- [ATLAS-CONF-2012-015](#)



# Could it be a Fermiophobic Higgs?

# Is it Fermiophobic?



The observed state @  $\sim 125$  GeV is excluded at 99% CL under the fully-fermiophobic hypothesis.



# Summary

CMS: Phys. Lett. B 716 (2012) 30-61

$$M_H = 125.3 \pm 0.4 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.5 \text{ (syst) GeV}$$

Local significance of the observation ( $M_H = 125$  GeV):  $5.0\sigma$ ,

total significance ( $M_H = 110 - 145$  GeV):  $4.5\sigma$

$$H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma: \sigma/\sigma(\text{SM}) = 1.56 \pm 0.43$$

$$H \rightarrow \text{all}: \sigma/\sigma(\text{SM}) = 0.80 \pm 0.22$$

ATLAS: Phys. Lett. B 716 (2012) 1-29.

$$M_H = 126.0 \pm 0.4 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.4 \text{ (syst) GeV}$$

Local significance of the observation ( $M_H = 122 - 131$  GeV):  $5.9\sigma$ ,

total significance ( $M_H = 110 - 600$  GeV):  $5.1\sigma$

$$H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma: \sigma/\sigma(\text{SM}) = 1.9 \pm 0.5$$

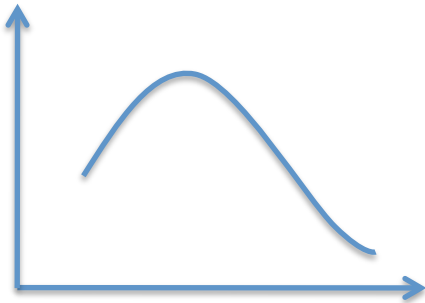
$$H \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow 4\ell: \sigma/\sigma(\text{SM}) = 1.26 \pm 0.14$$

$$H \rightarrow \text{all}: \sigma/\sigma(\text{SM}) = 1.4 \pm 0.3$$

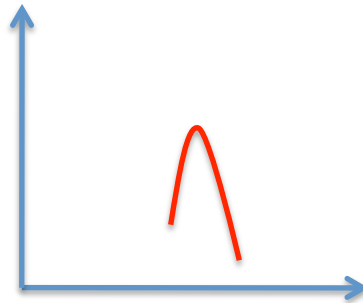
# BACKUP

# What is signal strength?

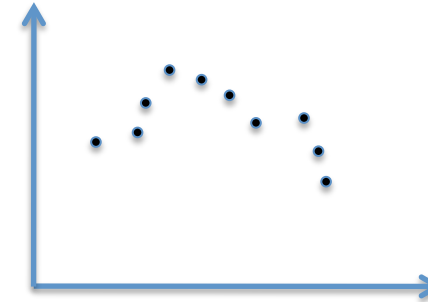
Expected Background



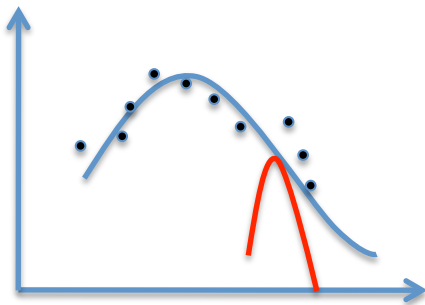
Expected shape of the signal



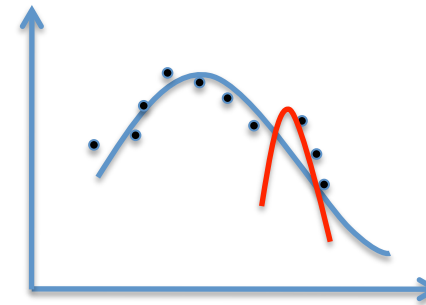
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Assuming the value coming from the benchmark model (Higgs searches the SM cross section)



Multiplying the benchmark model quantity by a factor X (signal strength)



$$\mu = \frac{\sigma}{\sigma_{SM}(m_H)}$$

Basic idea more complicated in practice

# Main ATLAS search strategy

Higgs Decay	Subsequent Decay	Additional Sub-Channels	$m_H$ Range
$H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$	–	9 sub-channels ( $p_{T,\gamma} \otimes \eta_\gamma \otimes \text{conversion}$ )	110-150
$H \rightarrow ZZ$	$lll'l'$	$\{4e, 2e2\mu, 2\mu2e, 4\mu\}$	110-600
	$ll\nu\bar{\nu}$	$\{ee, \mu\mu\} \otimes \{\text{low pile-up, high pile-up}\}$	200-280-600
	$llq\bar{q}$	$\{b\text{-tagged, untagged}\}$	200-300-600
$H \rightarrow WW$	$lv\ell\nu$	$\{ee, e\mu, \mu\mu\} \otimes \{0\text{-jet, 1-jet, VBF}\}$	110-300-600
	$lvqq'$	$\{e, \mu\} \otimes \{0\text{-jet, 1-jet}\}$	300-600
$H \rightarrow \tau^+\tau^-$	$ll4\nu$	$\{e\mu\} \otimes \{0\text{-jet}\} \oplus \{1\text{-jet, VBF, VH}\}$	110-150
	$l\tau_{\text{had}}3\nu$	$\{e, \mu\} \otimes \{0\text{-jet}\} \otimes \{E_T^{\text{miss}} \geq 20 \text{ GeV}\}$ $\oplus \{e, \mu\} \otimes \{1\text{-jet, VBF}\}$	110-150
	$\tau_{\text{had}}\tau_{\text{had}}2\nu$	$\{1\text{-jet}\}$	110-150
$VH \rightarrow b\bar{b}$	$Z \rightarrow \nu\bar{\nu}$	$E_T^{\text{miss}} \in \{120 - 160, 160 - 200, \geq 200 \text{ GeV}\}$	110-130
	$W \rightarrow \ell\nu$	$p_T^W \in \{< 50, 50 - 100, 100 - 200, \geq 200 \text{ GeV}\}$	110-130
	$Z \rightarrow \ell\ell$	$p_T^Z \in \{< 50, 50 - 100, 100 - 200, \geq 200 \text{ GeV}\}$	110-130

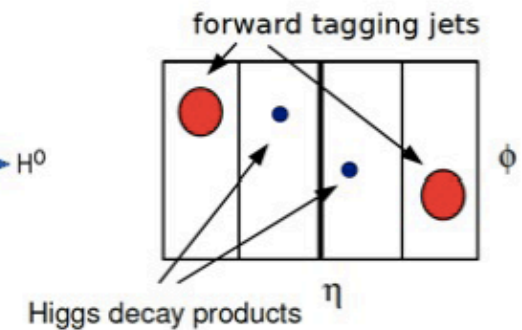
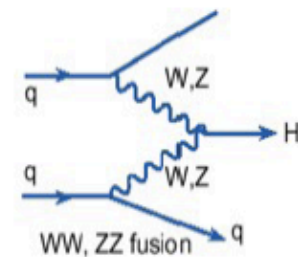
# Main CMS search strategy

mode	signature	S/B	Mass Resol.	N events in $10\text{fb}^{-1}$	Good For
<b><math>H \rightarrow bb</math></b>	two b-jets, Z or W, bb inv. mass	low $O(0.1)$	10%	$\sim 10^5$ $\sim 30$ (sel)	couplings to fermions
<b><math>H \rightarrow \tau\tau</math></b>	had tau, leptons, MET	low $O(0.1)$	15%	$\sim 10^4$ $\sim 20$ (sel)	couplings to fermions
<b><math>H \rightarrow WW</math></b>	two leptons with opposite charge MET	medium $O(1)$	-	$\sim 10^3$ $\sim 60$ (sel)	cross section, BR, couplings to V
<b><math>H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma</math></b>	two photons peak in inv. mass	low $O(0.1)$	2%	400 $\sim 200$ (sel)	H mass, couplings $C_V C_F$ , discovery
<b><math>H \rightarrow ZZ</math></b>	four leptons with right charge peaks in inv. mass ( $Z_1$ and Higgs)	high $>1$	1-2%	20 $\sim 6$ (sel)	H mass, discovery

# VBF production

- VBF signature

- $\gamma\gamma$ ,  $\tau\tau$ ,  $WW$  channels deploy VBF signature
- $ZZ(4l)$  has very low signal yield
- $bb$  is challenging and work in progress

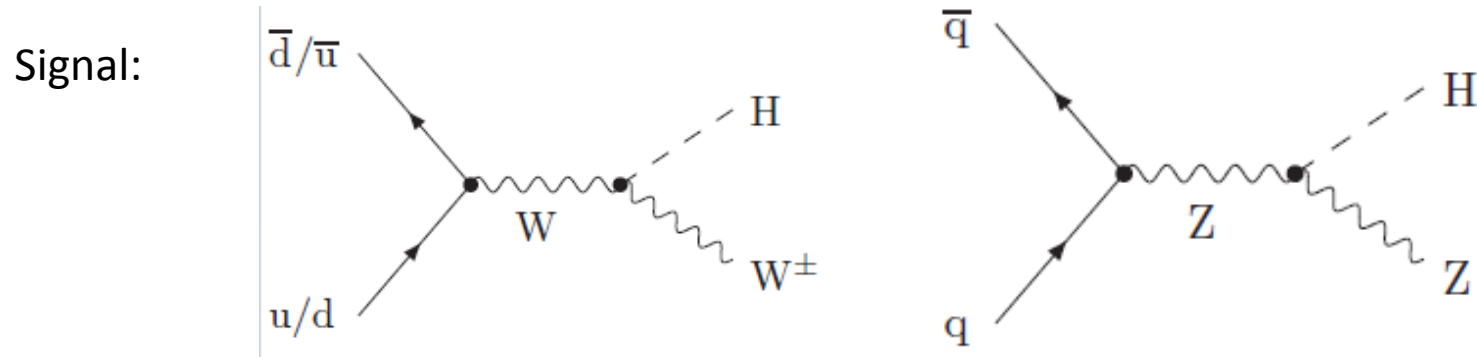


- increases sensitivity and allows coupling measurement
- three analysis deploy quite different strategies

Channel	Technique	Variable	Jet kinematic	Pile-up	gluon fusion cont. at 125 GeV
$H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$	cuts, 2 categories	$m(jj)$ , $\Delta\eta(jj)$ , $\Delta\phi(H,jj)$ , $Z_{ep}$ .	$p_T > 20$ (30) GeV, $ \eta  < 4.7$	cut jet ID	53%, 23%
$H \rightarrow \tau\tau$	MVA	$m(jj)$ , $\Delta\eta(jj)$ , $\Delta\eta(H,j)$ , $\Delta\phi(jj)$ , $p_T(\tau\tau)$ , $p_T(jj)$	$p_T > 30$ GeV, $ \eta  < 5.0$	MVA jet ID	20%
$H \rightarrow WW$	cuts	$m(jj)$ , $\Delta\eta(jj)$	$p_T > 30$ GeV, $ \eta  < 4.7$	MVA jet ID	15%

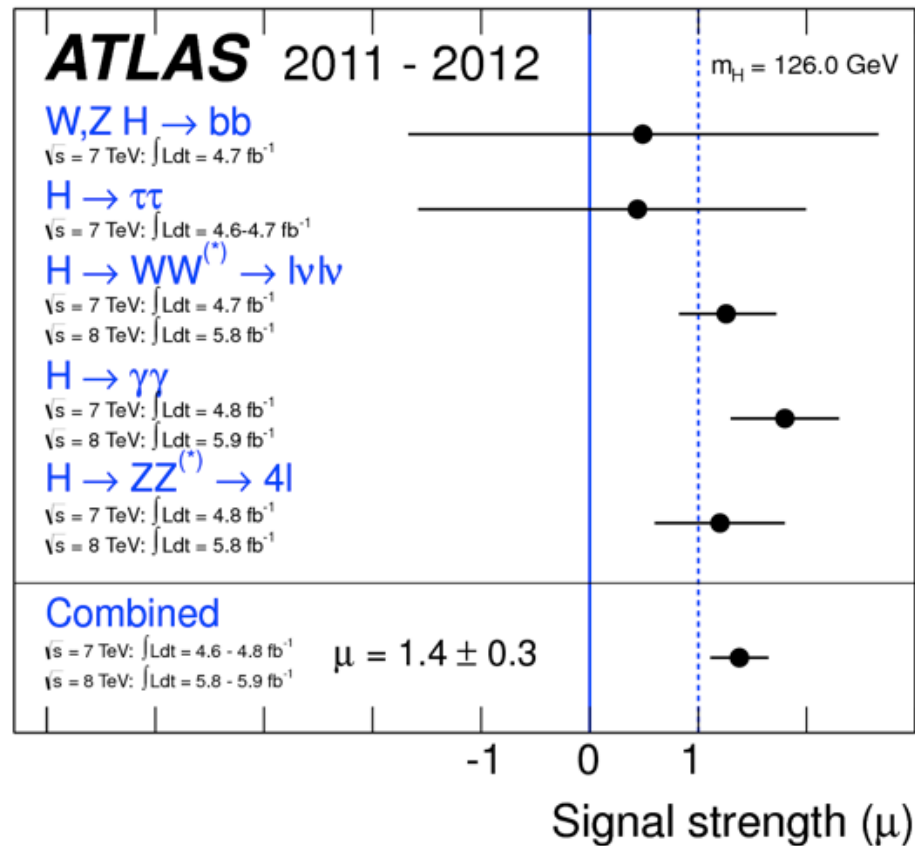
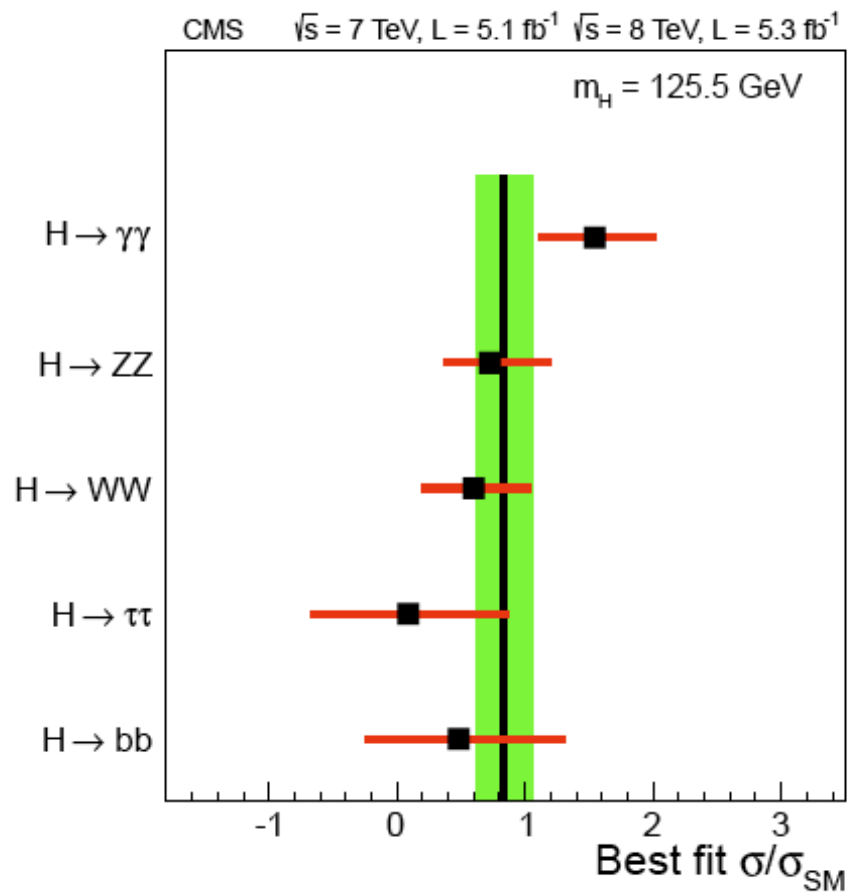
- diversity result of independent development and optimization, but needs investigation!

# $W/Z H, H \rightarrow bb$



- Would allow the direct measurement of the Higgs mass and Higgs to quark coupling
- $H \rightarrow bb$  dominant decay at low mass,  
but large background from  $W/Z$ +jets, and Top
- Three channels studied:
- Mass range:  $110 - 130 \text{ GeV}$   $ZH \rightarrow l^+ l^- b \bar{b}$ ,  $WH \rightarrow l \nu b \bar{b}$ ,  $ZH \rightarrow \nu \bar{\nu} b \bar{b}$
- Expected exclusion is around 2.5 to 4.9 times the SM cross section

# Signal strength got by channel

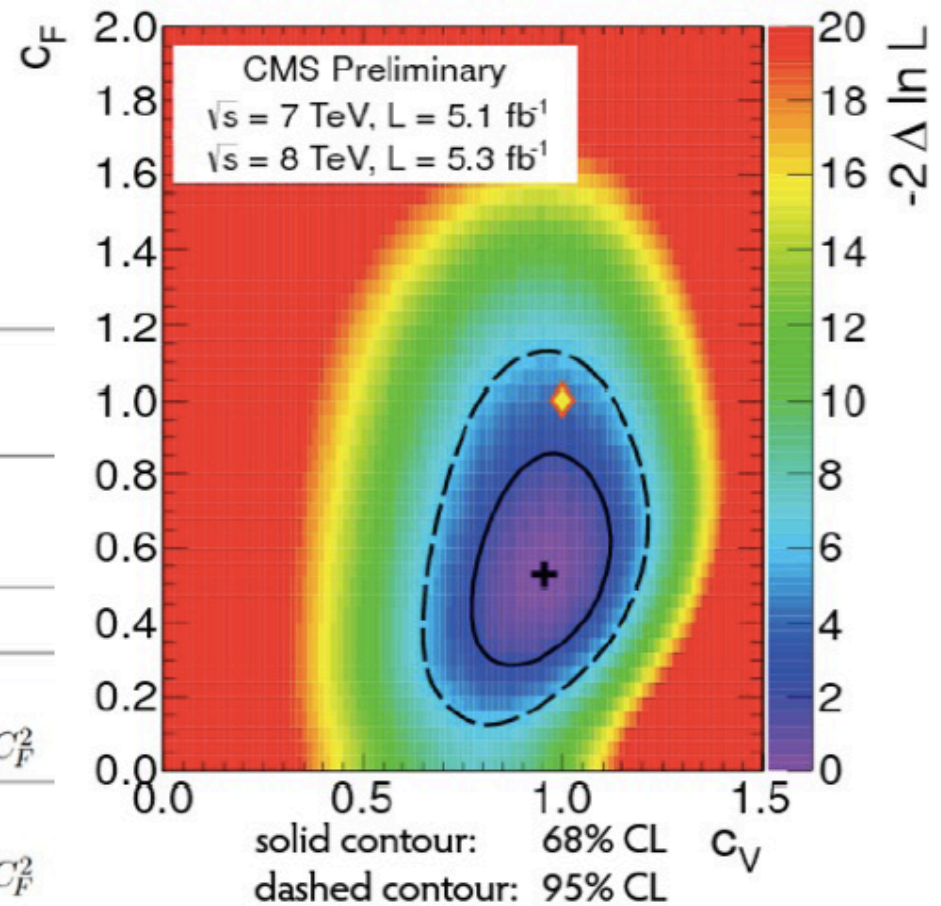




# Testing couplings to fermion/boson

- Test compatibility by introducing two parameter ( $C_V$ ,  $C_F$ )
- $C_V$  and  $C_F$  modify expected signal yields in each mode through simple LO expressions

Production	Decay	LO SM
VH	$H \rightarrow bb$	$\sim \frac{C_V^2 \times C_F^2}{C_F^2} \sim C_V^2$
ttH	$H \rightarrow bb$	$\sim \frac{C_F^2 \times C_F^2}{C_F^2} \sim C_F^2$
VBF	$H \rightarrow \tau\tau$	$\sim \frac{C_V^2 \times C_F^2}{C_F^2} \sim C_V^2$
ggH	$H \rightarrow \tau\tau$	$\sim \frac{C_F^2 \times C_F^2}{C_F^2} \sim C_F^2$
ggH	$H \rightarrow ZZ$	$\sim \frac{C_F^2 \times C_V^2}{C_F^2} \sim C_V^2$
ggH	$H \rightarrow WW$	$\sim \frac{C_F^2 \times C_V^2}{C_F^2} \sim C_V^2$
VBF	$H \rightarrow WW$	$\sim \frac{C_V^2 \times C_V^2}{C_F^2} \sim C_V^4 / C_F^2$
ggH	$H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$	$\sim \frac{C_F^2 \times (8.6C_V - 1.8C_F)^2}{C_F^2} \sim C_V^2$
VBF	$H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$	$\sim \frac{C_V^2 \times (8.6C_V - 1.8C_F)^2}{C_F^2} \sim C_V^4 / C_F^2$



$$H \rightarrow \tau^+ \tau^-$$

H + 0-jet		H + 1-jet	H + 2-jet VBF
(e/μ) separated no $p_T > 25$ GeV jet		(e/μ) separated $\geq 1$ jet, $p_T > 25$ GeV not VBF	(e⊕μ) combined 2jets, $p_T > 25$ GeV $\Delta \eta_{jj} > 3.0$ $m_{jj} > 300$ GeV
$E_T^{\text{miss}} < 20$ GeV	$E_T^{\text{miss}} > 20$ GeV	$E_T^{\text{miss}} > 20$ GeV	$E_T^{\text{miss}} > 20$ GeV

Signal region:

$$m_T = \sqrt{2p_T^\ell E_T^{\text{miss}} (1 - \cos \Delta\phi)} < 30 \text{ GeV}$$

Modeling the backgrounds:

$$n_{\text{OS}}^{\text{bkg}} = n_{\text{SS}}^{\text{all}} + n_{\text{OS-SS}}^{W+\text{jets}} + n_{\text{OS-SS}}^{Z \rightarrow \tau\tau} + n_{\text{OS-SS}}^{\text{other}}$$

Multi-jet

Control region with  
 $m_T > 50$  GeV

Embedded Sample

Monte Carlo

