Associated production of quarkonium in ATLAS

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`New observables' in quarkonium production

- Despite 40+ years' history, we still have no clear and reliable picture of quarkonium production in hadronic -- and other -- collisions

- New energy frontier and higher luminosities at LHC allow exploration of other reactions that may help understand better the dynamics of quarkonium production

- Simply speaking, more equations (experimental constraints) may help determine unknowns better, even if some new unknowns are introduced

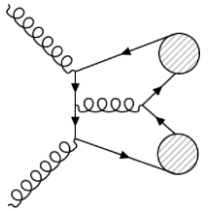
- Examples of these `new observables': associated production of quarkonium with other objects, such as:

  - other quarkonium (LHCb, CMS, now ATLAS)
  - W or Z bosons (ATLAS)
  - others to come ?

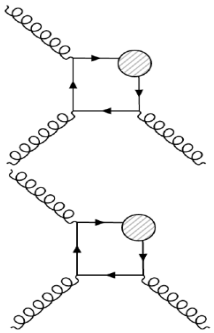
DPS and SPS

The production of two objects in the same pp collision can be due to

Single-Parton Scattering (SPS): the two objects are produced via a subprocess in a single interaction of two partons



Double-Parton Scattering (DPS): simultaneous interaction of two pairs of partons, each producing one of the two objects, assumed to be uncorrelated



$$\sigma_{A+B}^{\mathrm{DPS}} = \frac{1}{1+\delta_{AB}} \frac{\sigma_A \sigma_B}{\sigma_{\mathrm{eff}}}$$

σ_{eff} ~(2 - 20) mb, assumed (hoped?) to be independent of process and $\sqrt{s}$

- ❑ DPS not distinguishable from SPS on an event-by-event basis
- ❑ Expected to differ in kinematic features, such as angular correlations
- ❑ Large uncertainties in separation:
  - possible higher-order SPS contributions and feed-down
  - limited knowledge of proton's transverse profile

ATLAS results covered in this talk

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J/ψ + $W^{\pm}$ **Measurement of the production cross section of prompt J/ψ mesons in association with a $W^{\pm}$ boson in pp collisions at √s=7 TeV with the ATLAS detector**

JHEP 04 (2014) 172 arXiv:1401.2831

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Eur. Phys. J. C75 (2015) 229 arXiv:1412.6428

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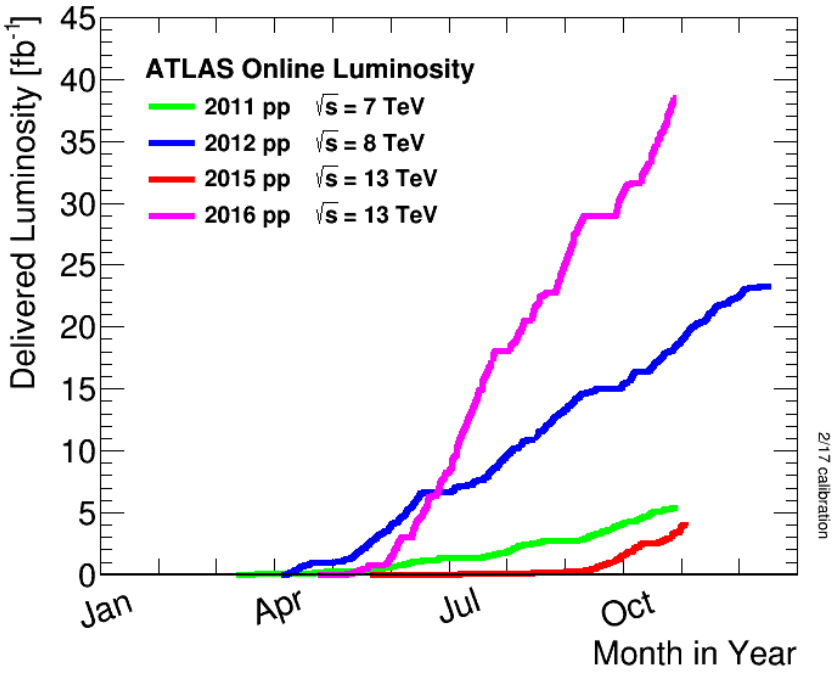
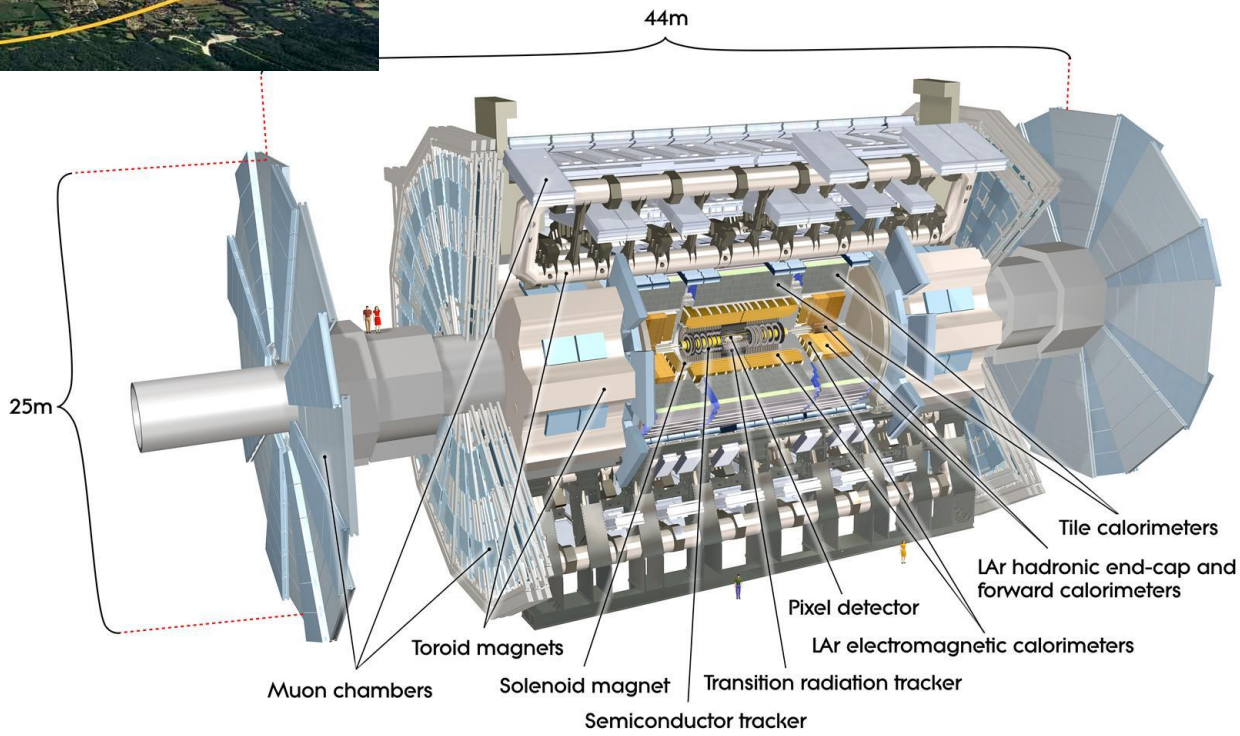


ATLAS: experimental facility



Triggers and fiducial cuts in backup slides

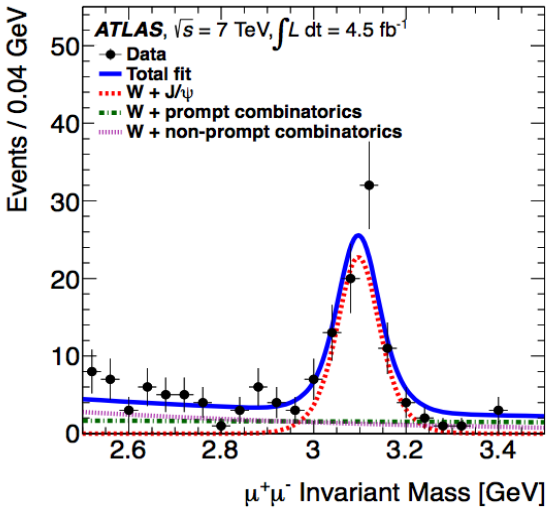
J/ψ + W$^{\pm}$: selection and yields

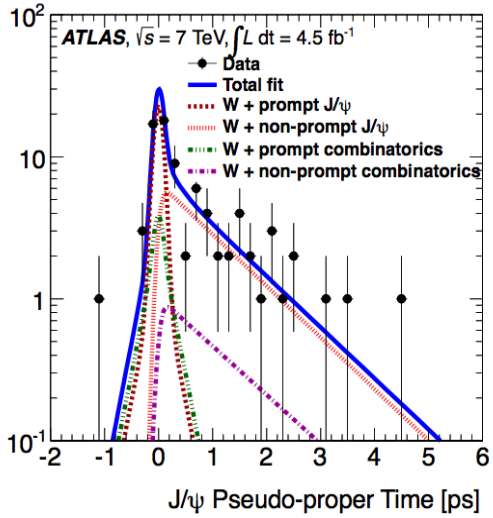
Unbinned maximum likelihood (ML) fit in the J/ψ invariant mass and pseudo-proper time τ to obtain yields for prompt and non-prompt J/ψ and background

Assign weights with sPlot

arXiv:physics/0402083

$$\tau \equiv \frac{\vec{L} \cdot \vec{p_T}^{J/\psi}}{p_T^{J/\psi}} \frac{m_{\mu^+\mu^-}}{p_T^{J/\psi}}$$





Fit templates to the weighted W boson transverse mass to extract

signal yield: $29.2^{+7.5}_{-6.5}$

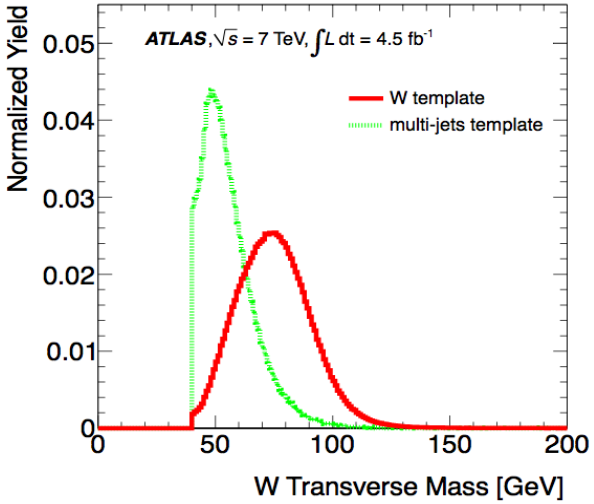
including 1.8 ± 0.2 from pile-up:

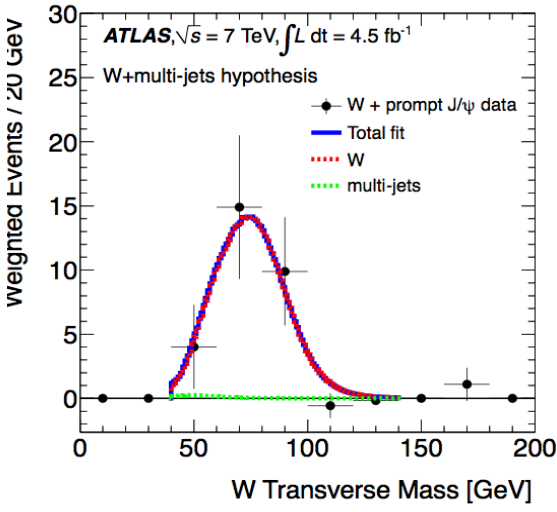
DPS yield: 10.8 ± 4.2

assuming $\sigma_{\text{eff}} = 15 \pm 3\,(\text{stat})\ ^{+5}_{-3}\,(\text{syst})$ mb

arXiv:1301.6872

and $\sigma_{J/\psi}$ from arXiv:1104.3038





J/ψ + W$^{\pm}$: results

Ratios of the W + J/ψ prompt cross section to the inclusive W cross section

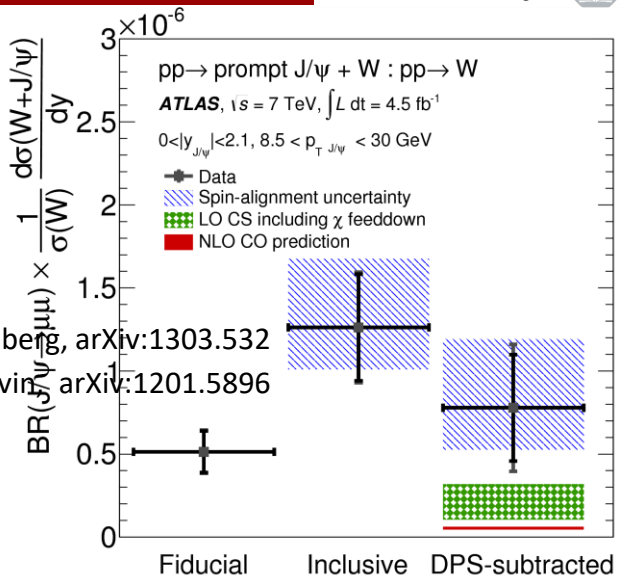
fiducial $R^{\mathrm{fid}}_{J/\psi} = (51 \pm 13 \pm 4) \times 10^{-8}$

inclusive $R^{\mathrm{incl}}_{J/\psi} = (126 \pm 32 \pm 9^{+41}_{-25}) \times 10^{-8}$

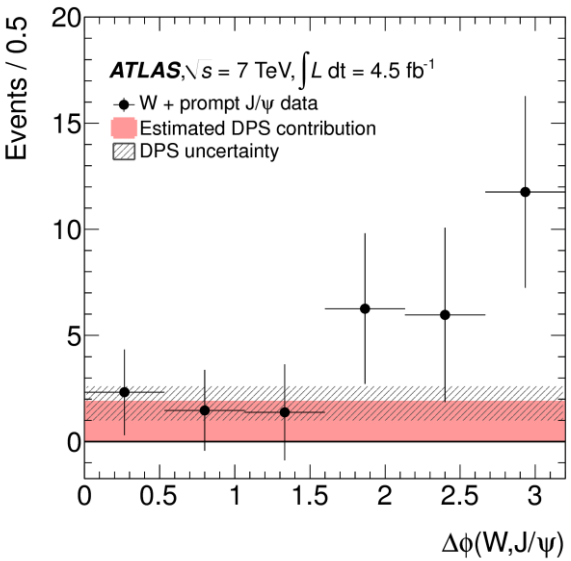
corrected for the fiducial acceptance of the muons from J/ψ
isotropic spin-alignment assumed
last uncertainty from variations with 5 extreme scenarios

DPS subtracted $R^{\mathrm{DPS\,sub}}_{J/\psi} = (78 \pm 32 \pm 22^{+41}_{-25}) \times 10^{-8}$

$W + J/\psi$ dominated by CS production



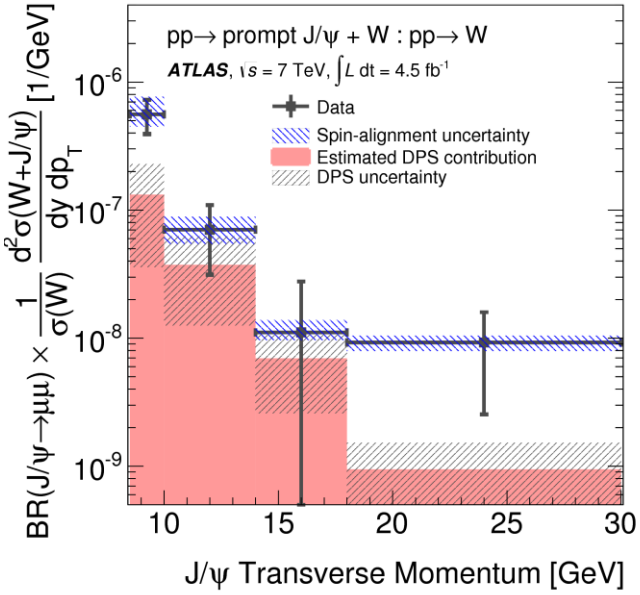
LO CS: Lansberg, arXiv:1303.532
NLO CO:Gavin, arXiv:1201.5896



Inclusive differential cross section ratio

Presence of both SPS and DPS contributions

SPS is the dominant contribution to the total rate at low p_T



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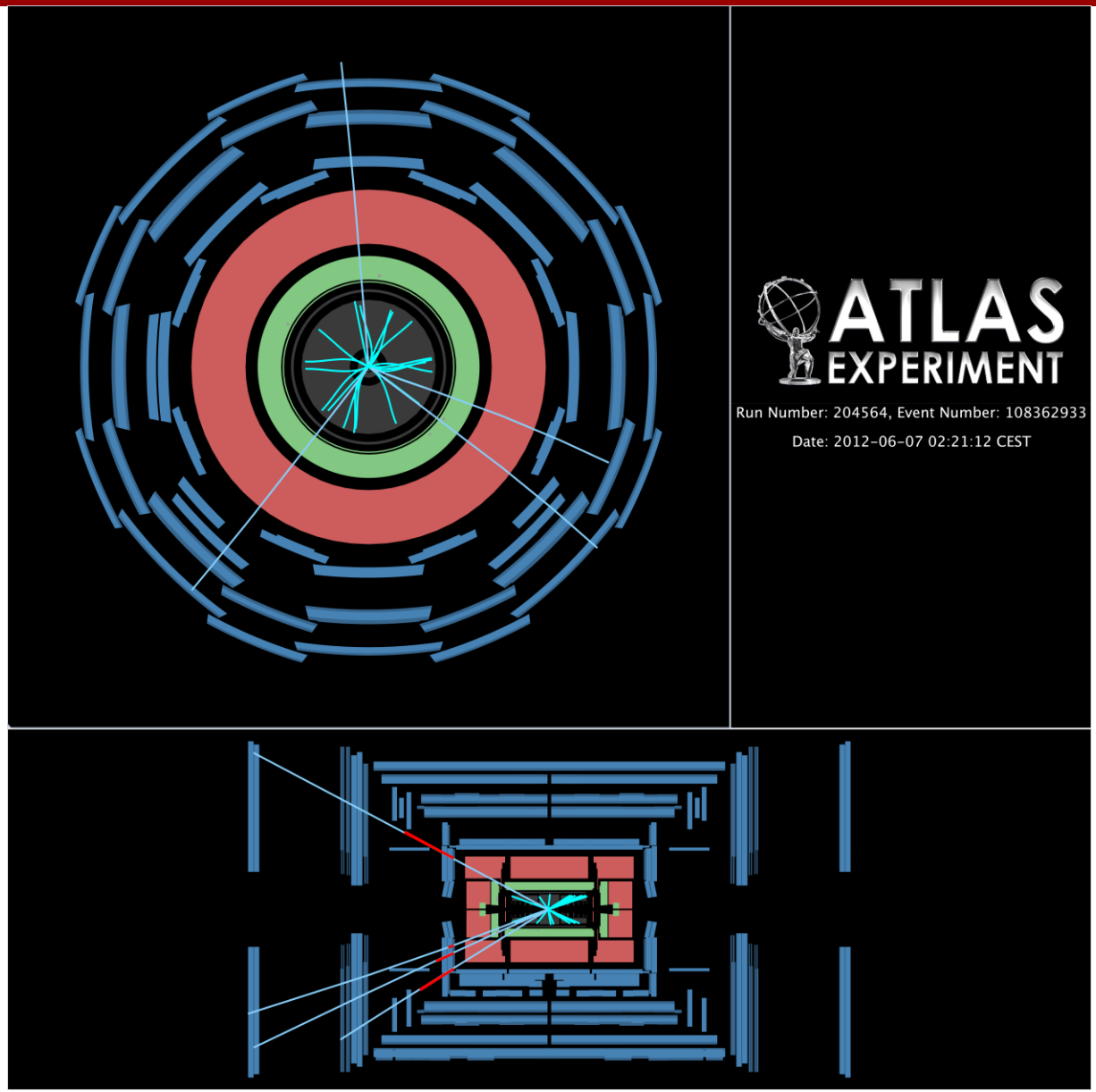
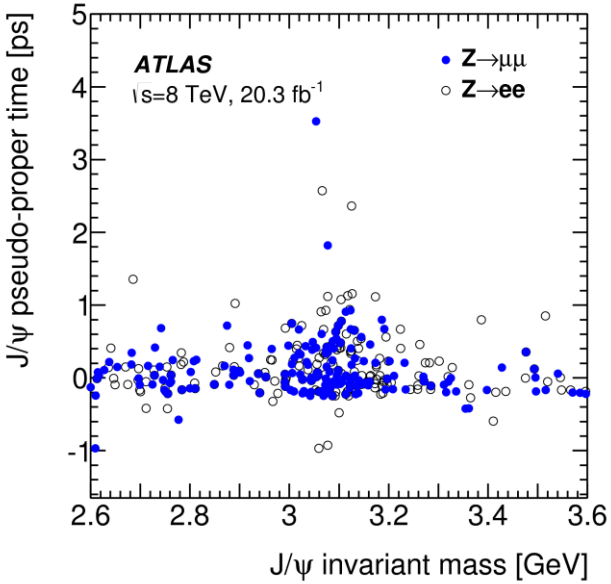
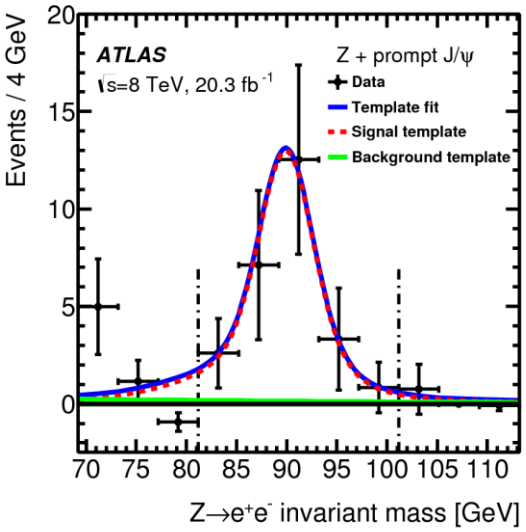
J/ψ + Z^0 : event candidate

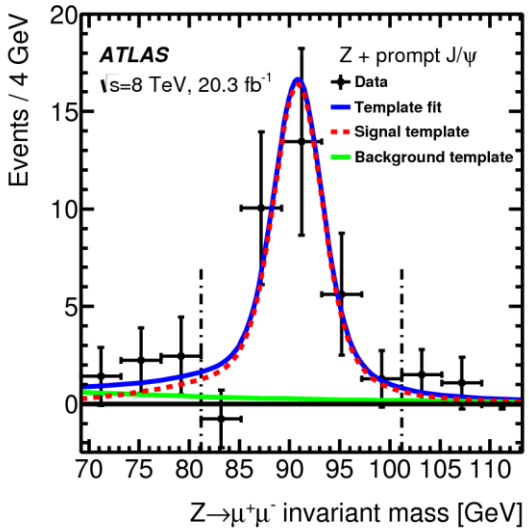


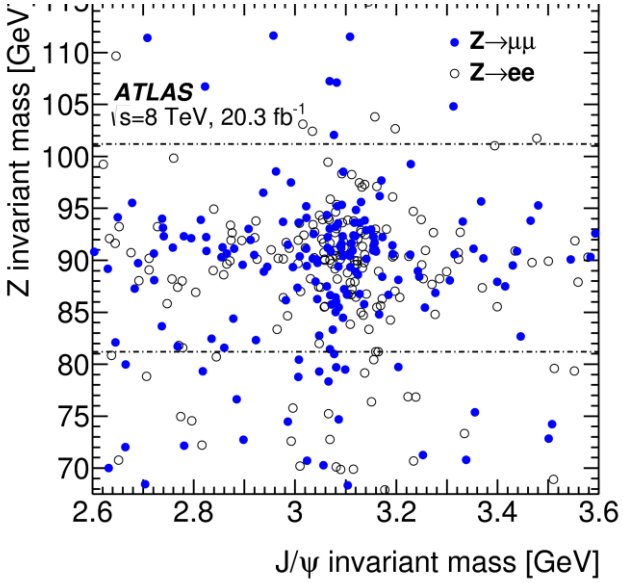
J/ψ + Z^0 : masses and lifetimes

- Identify events with a Z boson (decaying into electrons or muons) AND another pair of muons around the J/ψ mass range
- 2D J/ψ mass and lifetime distribution fits used to assign sPlot weights to events with prompt and non-prompt J/ψ signal candidates and backgrounds
- Weighted Z candidates fitted with Z signal and multi-jet background templates









J/ψ + Z^0 : event selection and yileds

Some J/ψ are prompt, some are non-prompt

Unbinned ML fit in J/ψ mass and lifetime is used to extract prompt and non-prompt yields

Yields: prompt non-prompt

$56 \pm 10 \pm 5\ (5\sigma)$ $95 \pm 12 \pm 8\ (9\sigma)$

DPS: $11.1^{+5.7}_{-5.0}$ $5.8^{+2.8}_{-2.6}$

(assuming $\sigma_{\rm eff} = 15 \pm 3\ ({\rm stat})\ ^{+5}_{-3}\ ({\rm syst})$ mb

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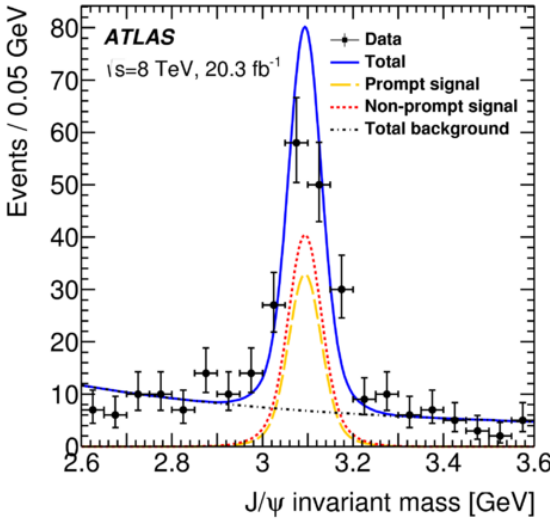
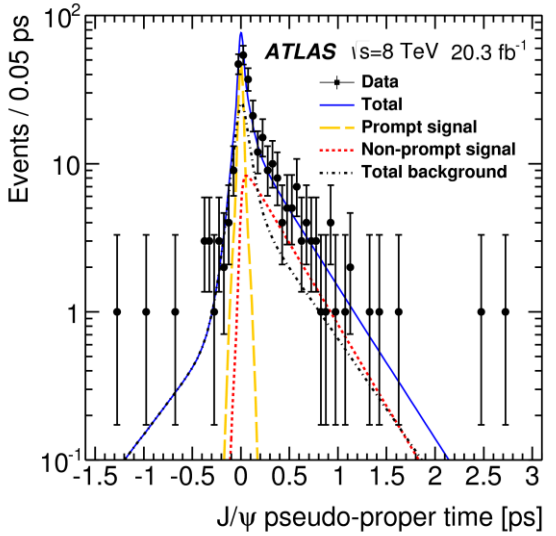
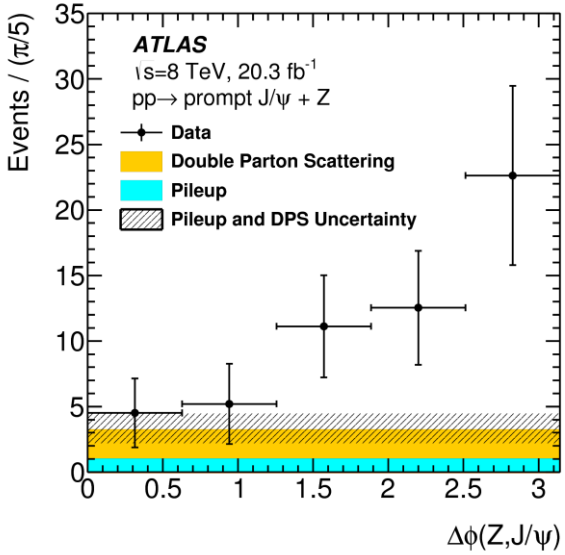
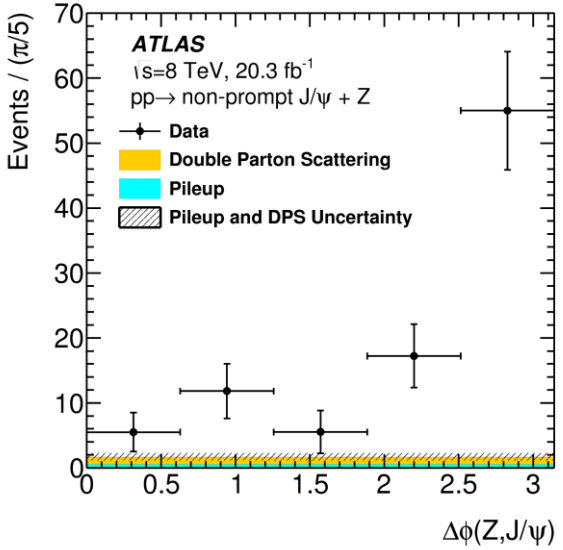
If all signal in the first Δϕ bin is due to DPS, a lower limit is set:

$\sigma_{\rm eff} > 5.3$ mb









J/ψ + Z^0 : cross sections

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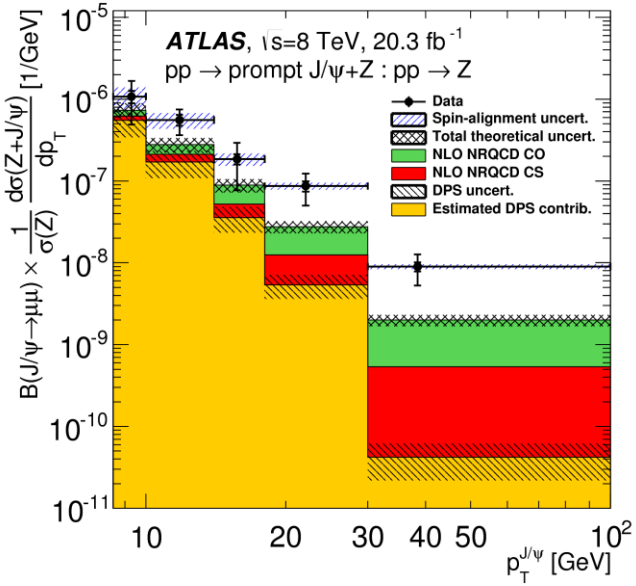
arXiv:1412.6428

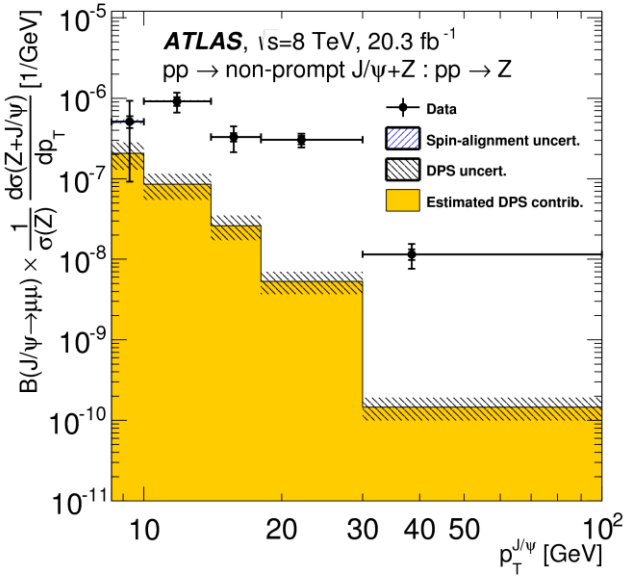
Ratios of the Z + J/ψ cross section to the inclusive Z cross section

	prompt	non-prompt
fiducial	${}^{\mathrm{p}}R^{\mathrm{fid}}_{Z+J/\psi} = (36.8 \pm 6.7 \pm 2.5) \times 10^{-7}$	${}^{\mathrm{np}}R^{\mathrm{fid}}_{Z+J/\psi} = (65.8 \pm 9.2 \pm 4.2) \times 10^{-7}$
inclusive	${}^{\mathrm{p}}R^{\mathrm{incl}}_{Z+J/\psi} = (63 \pm 13 \pm 5 \pm 10) \times 10^{-7}$	${}^{\mathrm{np}}R^{\mathrm{incl}}_{Z+J/\psi} = (102 \pm 15 \pm 5 \pm 3) \times 10^{-7}$
DPS subtracted	${}^{\mathrm{p}}R^{\mathrm{DPS\,sub}}_{Z+J/\psi} = (45 \pm 13 \pm 6 \pm 10) \times 10^{-7}$	${}^{\mathrm{np}}R^{\mathrm{DPS\,sub}}_{Z+J/\psi} = (94 \pm 15 \pm 5 \pm 3) \times 10^{-7}$
DPS fraction	${}^{\mathrm{p}}f_{\mathrm{DPS}} = (29 \pm 9)\%$	${}^{\mathrm{np}}f_{\mathrm{DPS}} = (8 \pm 2)\%$



LO: Gong, arXiv:1210.2430

NLO: Mao, arXiv:1102.0398

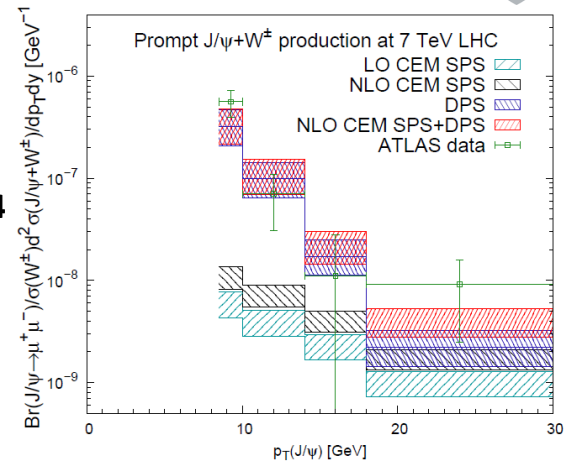


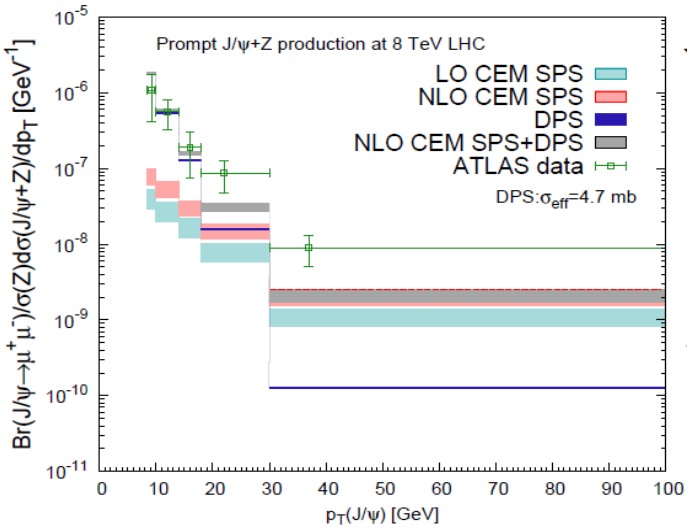
- ❑ A higher production rate predicted through CO than CS, CO dominant at high transverse momentum
- ❑ The expected production rate from the sum of CO and CS is lower than the data by a factor of 2 to 5
- ❑ Discrepancy increasing with transverse momentum

J/ψ + Z^0 : recent theoretical developments

Analysis of prompt J/ψ + W production, using improved CEM for SPS, may indicate that smaller σ_{eff} is needed for DPS

Lansberg et al arXiv:1707:04



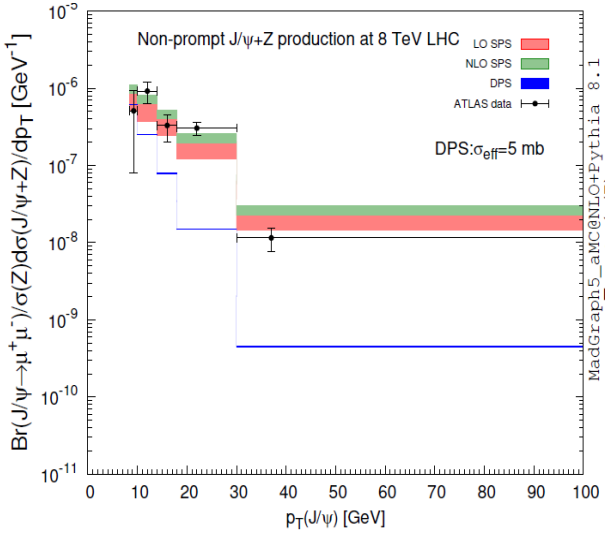


Analysis of prompt J/ψ + Z production also `needs' larger DPS (smaller σ_{eff}), but even that may not be enough at high p_T

Lansberg et al arXiv:1608.03198

However, non-prompt Z + J/ψ production seems to be saturated by SPS, leaving little room for large DPS contributions

Lansberg et al arXiv:1611.09303



J/ψ + J/ψ: yields and cross sections

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arXiv:1612.02950

- Unbinned ML fit to the two dimuon invariant masses to extract di- J/ψ signal
- Signal used to create prompt-prompt event weights from a 2D fit to the transverse decay length distributions of the two J/ψ
- Cross sections reported for two rapidity regions based on the sub-leading J/ψ rapidity

$|y_{J/\psi_2}| < 1.05$

$N_{J/\psi J/\psi} = 3310 \pm 330$

$\sigma^{\text{fid}}_{J/\psi J/\psi} = 15.6 \pm 1.3 \pm 1.2 \pm 0.2\,(\mathcal{B}) \pm 0.3(\mathcal{L})$ pb

$1.05 < |y_{J/\psi_2}| < 2.1$

$N_{J/\psi J/\psi} = 3140 \pm 370$

$\sigma^{\text{fid}}_{J/\psi J/\psi} = 13.5 \pm 1.3 \pm 1.1 \pm 0.2\,(\mathcal{B}) \pm 0.3(\mathcal{L})$ pb

- Correcting for muon acceptance and assuming unpolarised production

$\sigma_{J/\psi J/\psi} = 82.2 \pm 8.3 \pm 6.3 \pm 0.9\,(\mathcal{B}) \pm 1.6(\mathcal{L})$ pb

$\sigma_{J/\psi J/\psi} = 78.3 \pm 9.2 \pm 6.6 \pm 0.9\,(\mathcal{B}) \pm 1.5(\mathcal{L})$ pb

- the fraction of DPS events is determined by fitting DPS and SPS templates in Δy, Δϕ to the data, assign DPS and SPS event weights

$f_{\text{DPS}} = (9.2 \pm 2.1 \pm 0.5)\%$

$\sigma^{\text{DPS}}_{J/\psi J/\psi} = 14.8 \pm 3.5 \pm 1.5 \pm 0.2\,(\mathcal{B}) \pm 0.3(\mathcal{L})$ pb

- σ^{eff} measured from prompt di- J/ψ is lower than from other final states:

$\sigma^{J/\psi J/\psi}_{\text{eff}} = 6.3 \pm 1.6(\text{stat}) \pm 1.0(\text{syst}) \pm 0.1(\text{BF}) \pm 0.1(\text{lumi})$ mb

J/ψ + J/ψ: differential cross sections

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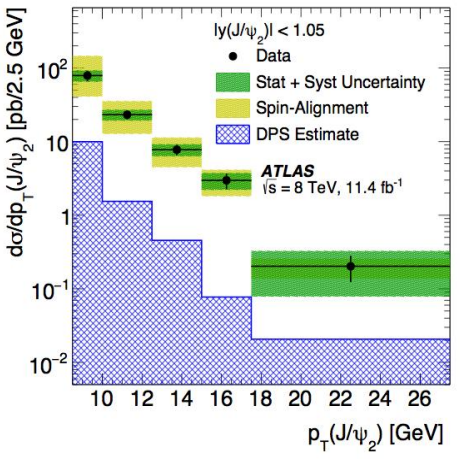
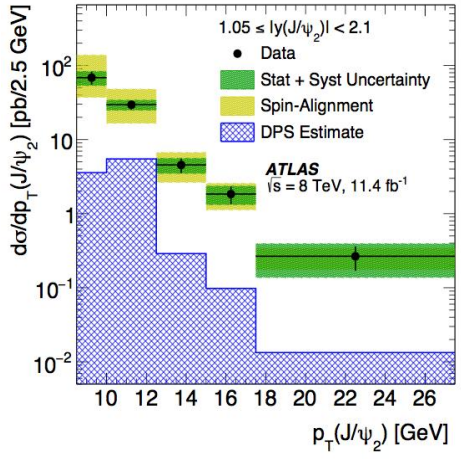
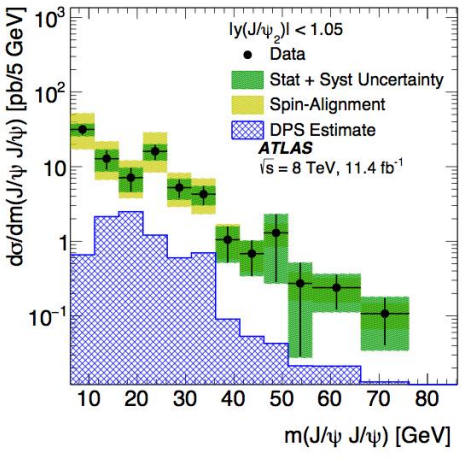
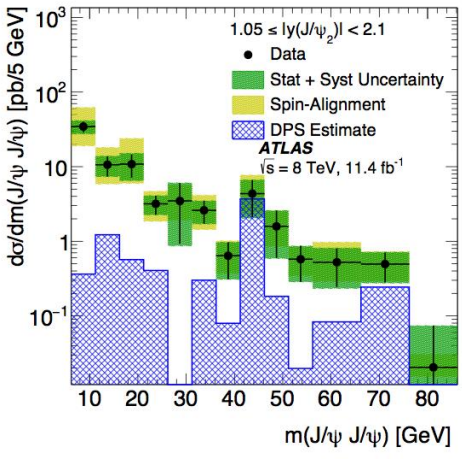
as a function of the sub-leading $J/\psi\ p_T$





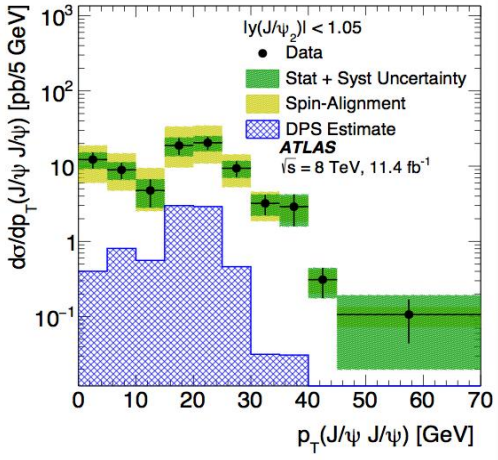
as a function of the invariant mass

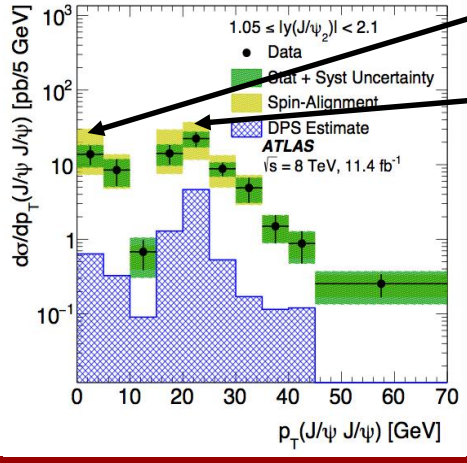




All for central (left) and forward (right) rapidity regions, with data-driven DPS estimates shown in blue

as a function of di-$J/\psi\ p_T$





onia produced back-to-back

onia produced together, and back-to-back to a jet

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J/ψ + J/ψ: more differential distributions

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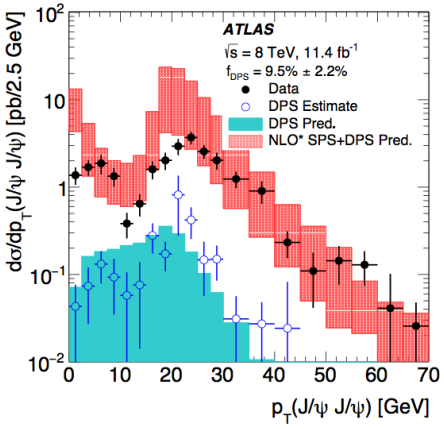
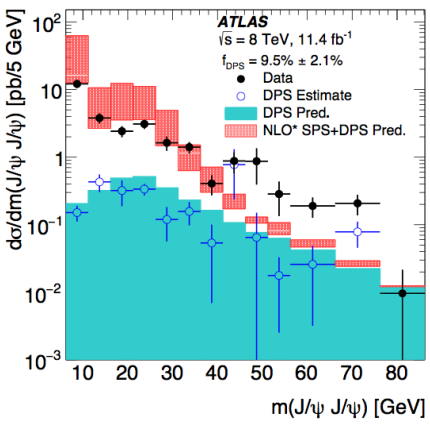
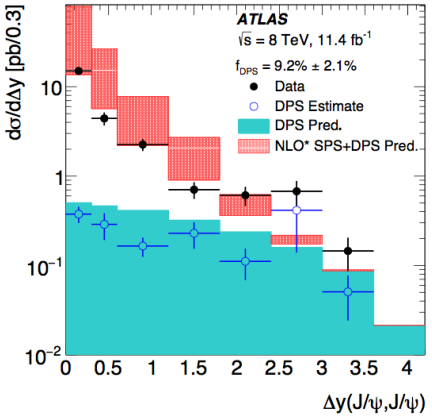
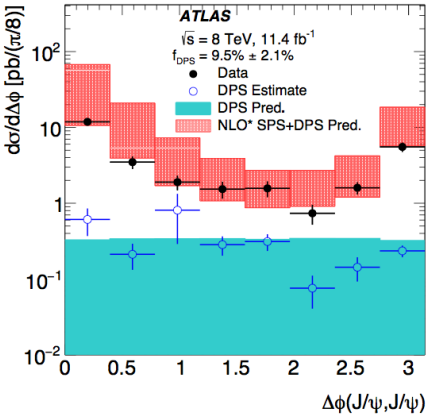
(DPS+SPS) and DPS cross sections (full rapidity range) in the muon fiducial volume:

di-J/ψ p_T and invariant mass, Δy and $\Delta\phi$









NLO* SPS (with a feed-down correction factor)

Data points arecompared to:

obtained using HELAC-Onia with matrix elements from Lansberg, Shao arXiv:1410.8822, 1308.0474

LO DPS (normalised to measured)

Borschensky arXiv:1610.00666

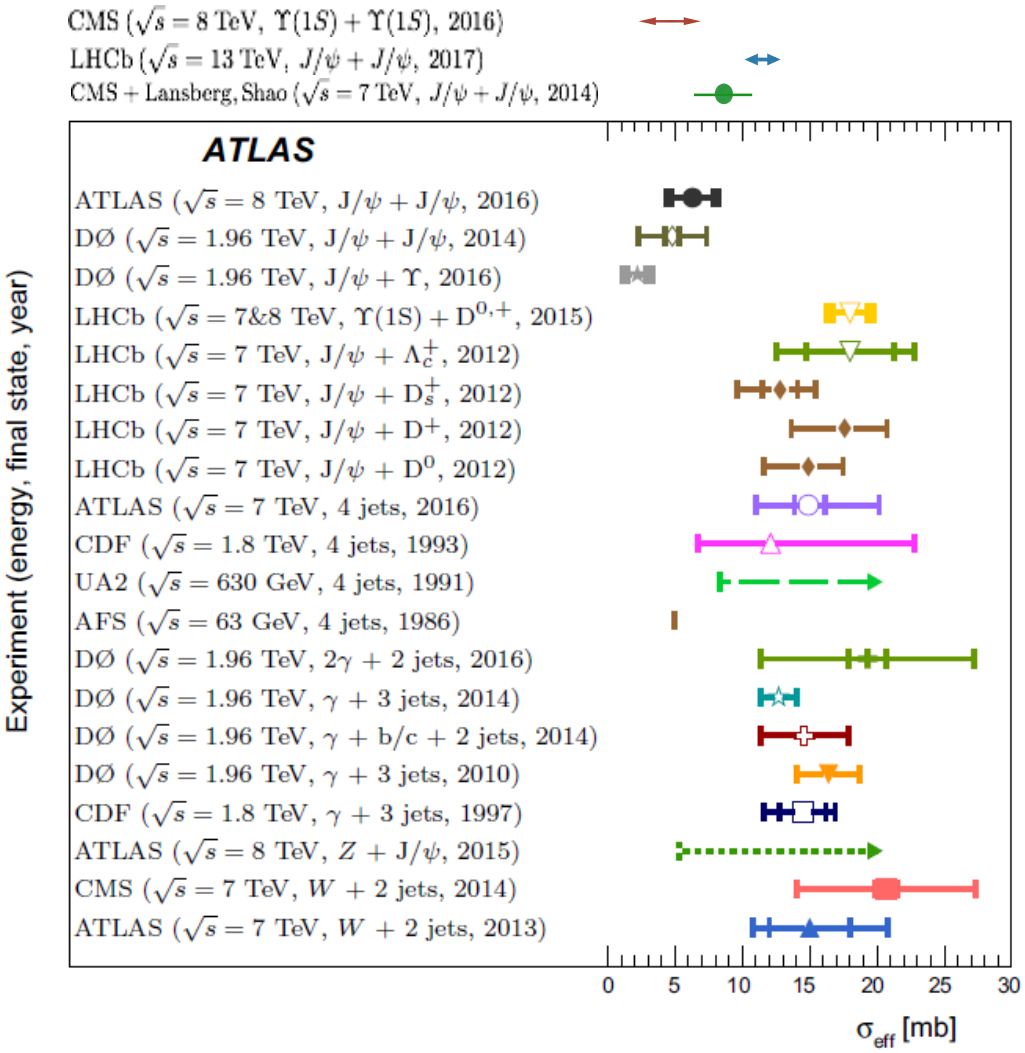
Data largely in agreement with NLO* SPS + LO DPS

Some localised disagreements for large invariant mass, large Δy and low p_T

More realistic predictions for feed-down and a better treatment of parton transverse motion are needed

Summary

- Many results from the LHC experiments are now shedding light on double onia and associated onia production -- expect a lot more using 13 TeV data



- Some measured SPS contributions are well above theoretical predictions
- DPS contributions provide insight into the transverse profile of the proton, but our understanding is somewhat limited
- σ_{eff} measured from prompt di-J/ψ is lower than from other final states
- Theoretical predictions of the dependence of σ_{eff} on the process and energy are needed
- There are some signs of improved understanding, but more work still to be done

Backup slides

Triggers, fiducial cuts, integrated luminosities

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J/ψ + W±

Trigger: single muon, $p_T > 18$ GeV

$\sqrt{s} = 7$ TeV
$\mathcal{L} = 4.51\ \text{fb}^{-1}$
$J/\psi \to \mu^+\mu^-$
$W^\pm \to \mu\nu_\mu$

fiducial phase space $8.5 < p_T^{J/\psi} < 30$ GeV $|y^{J/\psi}| < 2.1$

$p_T^\mu > 3.5$ GeV $|\eta^\mu| < 1.3$ $|\eta^\mu| < 2.5$ at least one $p_T^\mu > 4$ GeV

$p_T^\mu > 2.5$ GeV $|\eta^\mu| > 1.3$ $p_T^{\mu(W)} > 25$ GeV $|\eta^{\mu(W)}| < 2.4$

J/ψ + Z⁰

Trigger: single muon or electron, $p_T > 24$ GeV

$\sqrt{s} = 8$ TeV
$\mathcal{L} = 20.3\ \text{fb}^{-1}$
$J/\psi \to \mu^+\mu^-$
$Z \to \ell\ell,\ \ell = \mu, e$

fiducial phase space $8.5 < p_T^{J/\psi} < 100$ GeV $|y^{J/\psi}| < 2.1$

$p_T^\mu > 3.5$ GeV $|\eta^\mu| < 1.3$ $|\eta^\mu| < 2.5$

$p_T^\mu > 2.5$ GeV $|\eta^\mu| > 1.3$ at least one $p_T^\mu > 4$ GeV

$p_T^{\mu(Z)} > 15$ GeV $|\eta^{\mu(Z)}| < 2.5$

$p_T^{e(Z)} > 15$ GeV $|\eta^{e(Z)}| < 2.47$

J/ψ + J/ψ

Trigger: 2 muons, $p_T > 4$ GeV, around J/ψ mass

$\sqrt{s} = 8$ TeV
$\mathcal{L} = 11.4\ \text{fb}^{-1}$

fiducial phase space $p_T^{J/\psi} > 8.5$ GeV $|y^{J/\psi}| < 2.1$

$p_T^\mu > 2.5$ GeV $|\eta^\mu| < 2.3$

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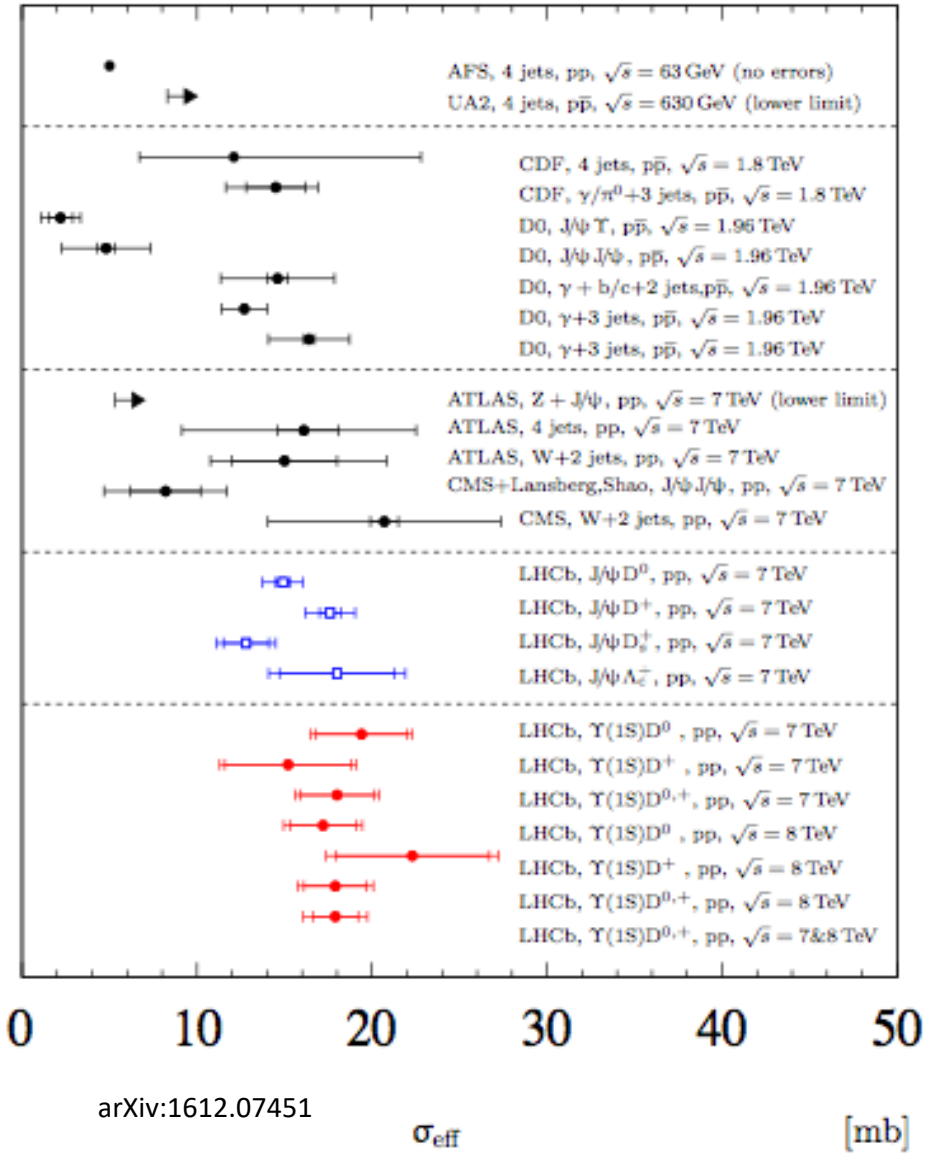

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