

# Overview of recent EFT interpretations from ATLAS



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- Latest EFT results from ATLAS
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# Introduction

- EFT interpretation: increasingly important physics program in ATLAS
  - Complementary to precision measurements in the EWK, Higgs and Top sector
  - Probe new physics with minimal model dependence, in a coherent way
- Recent EFT results from ATLAS

## EWK

- WW+jets ([arXiv:2103.10319](https://arxiv.org/abs/2103.10319))
- Inclusive 4l ([arXiv:2103.01918](https://arxiv.org/abs/2103.01918))
- VBF Zjj ([EPJC81\(2021\)163](https://arxiv.org/abs/2103.163))
- WW+0jet ([EPJC 79 \(2019\) 884](https://arxiv.org/abs/1908.0884))

## Higgs

- HWW VBF ([ATLAS-CONF-2020-055](https://arxiv.org/abs/2005.055))
- VH(bb) boosted STXS ([PLB816\(2021\)136204](https://arxiv.org/abs/2103.136204))
- VH(bb) resolved STXS ([EPJC81\(2021\)178](https://arxiv.org/abs/2103.178))
- H4l STXS ([EPJC 80\(2020\)957](https://arxiv.org/abs/2002.957))
- H $\gamma\gamma$  differential ([ATLAS-CONF-2019-029](https://arxiv.org/abs/1902.029))

• New results since HEFT 2020

## Combination

- HWW\* + SM WW ([ATL-PHYS-PUB-2021-010](https://arxiv.org/abs/2101.010))
- Higgs STXS combination ([ATLAS-CONF-2020-053](https://arxiv.org/abs/2005.053))

## Top

- W polarization in top-quark decays ([JHEP08\(2020\)51](https://arxiv.org/abs/2008.051))
- Charge asymmetry in  $t\bar{t}$  ([ATLAS-CONF-2019-026](https://arxiv.org/abs/1902.026))
- ttW+ttZ ([PRD99\(2019\)072009](https://arxiv.org/abs/1907.2009))
- FCNC tq $\gamma$  ([PLB800\(2020\)135082](https://arxiv.org/abs/2002.135082))
- FCNC tqZ ([JHEP07\(2018\)176](https://arxiv.org/abs/1807.176))

# Overview

- EFT interpretations in ATLAS are quite complicated in methodology

$$\sigma = \sigma_{\text{SM}} + \sum_i \frac{C_i}{\Lambda^2} \sigma_i^{\text{dim-6, lin.}} + \sum_{i,j} \frac{C_i C_j}{\Lambda^4} \sigma_{ij}^{\text{dim-6, quad.}} + \sum_i \frac{C_i}{\Lambda^4} \sigma_i^{\text{dim-8, lin.}} + \dots$$

- Experimental observables

- Detector level or unfolded?
- Fiducial or differential cross-sections?

- EFT formalism

- Dim-6: Warsaw basis, Higgs basis or SILH basis?
- Linear only or linear + quadratic terms?
- How to deal with dim-8 operators?
- Simulation tools and flavor assumptions?

So far interpretations have been tailored for individual analyses

- Statistical analysis

- Treatment of flat directions?
- Systematic uncertainties on EFT predictions?

Now the collaboration is moving towards a more coherent approach using the acquired expertise

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# EFT interpretation in the EWK sector

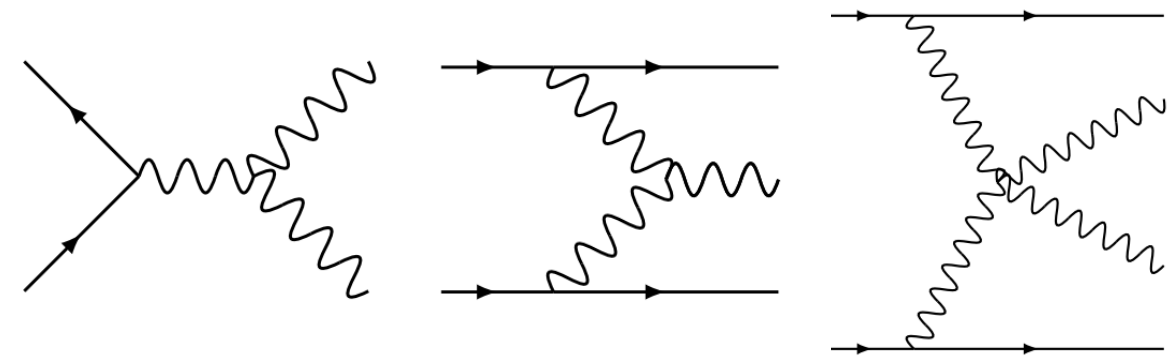
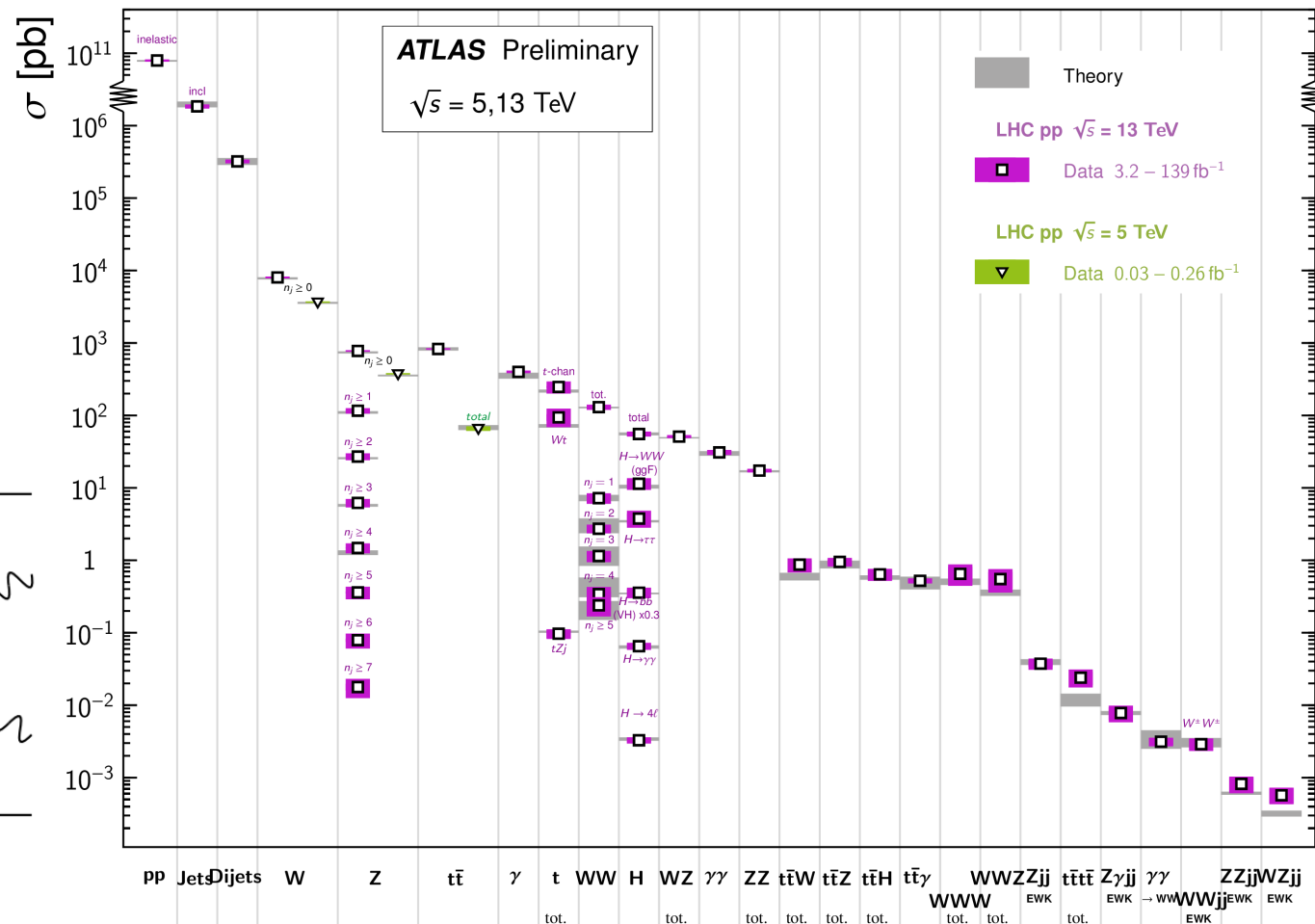
# EWK precision measurements

- Wide range of phase spaces being measured
- Offers great opportunities to probe anomalous gauge couplings
  - **aTGC**:  $WV$  ( $V=W,Z,\gamma$ ) and VBF  $Zjj, Wjj$
  - **nTGC**:  $ZZ, Z\gamma$
  - **aQGC**:  $VVV, VBS VVjj$ , exclusive  $WW$

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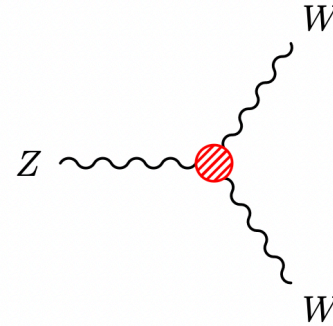
Standard Model Production Cross Section Measurements

Status: March 2021



# From anomalous couplings to EFT

- Traditionally BSM effects are presented in the form of effective Lagrangian or Vertices
  - e.g. Charged TGC, CP conserving, with LEP parametrization:  $\Delta g_1^Z, \Delta \kappa_Z, \lambda_Z$
- Limitations of the effective Lagrangian/Vertices approach
  - Only at tree level
  - Need ad hoc form factors to avoid unitarity violation



$$c \rightarrow \frac{c}{\left(1 + \frac{\hat{s}}{\Lambda_{FF}^2}\right)^n}$$

## aTGC in EFT

- At dim-6 in the **HISZ** basis, two CP odd operators, and three CP conserving ones

$$\mathcal{O}_{\tilde{W}WW} = \text{Tr}[\tilde{W}_{\mu\nu} W^{\nu\rho} W_{\rho}^{\mu}]$$

$$\mathcal{O}_{\tilde{W}} = (D_{\mu}\Phi)^{\dagger} \tilde{W}^{\mu\nu} (D_{\nu}\Phi)$$

$$\mathcal{O}_{WWW} = \text{Tr}[W_{\mu\nu} W^{\nu\rho} W_{\rho}^{\mu}]$$

$$\mathcal{O}_W = (D_{\mu}\Phi)^{\dagger} W^{\mu\nu} (D_{\nu}\Phi)$$

$$\mathcal{O}_B = (D_{\mu}\Phi)^{\dagger} B^{\mu\nu} (D_{\nu}\Phi)$$

Céline Degrande, Cen Zhang et al,  
[arXiv:1205.4231](https://arxiv.org/abs/1205.4231)

- Translation of relevant parameters

$$\Delta g_1^Z = \frac{g^2 + g'^2}{8} c_W \frac{v^2}{\Lambda^2}$$

$$\Delta \kappa_{\lambda} = \frac{g^2}{8} (c_W + c_B) \frac{v^2}{\Lambda^2}$$

$$\lambda_Z = \frac{3g^4}{8} c_{WWW} \frac{v^2}{\Lambda^2}$$

aTGC  $\rightarrow$  HISZ

$$\Delta g_1^Z = -\frac{v^2}{\Lambda^2} \frac{g_L^2 + g_Y^2}{4(g_L^2 - g_Y^2)} \left(4 \frac{g_Y}{g_L} c_{HWB} + c_{HD} - \dots\right)$$

$$\Delta \kappa_{\lambda} = \frac{v^2}{\Lambda^2} \frac{g_Y}{g_L} c_{HWB}$$

$$\lambda_Z = -\frac{v^2}{\Lambda^2} \frac{3}{2} g_L c_W$$

aTGC  $\rightarrow$  Warsaw

Adam Falkowski et al,  
[arXiv:1609.06312](https://arxiv.org/abs/1609.06312)

# From anomalous couplings to EFT

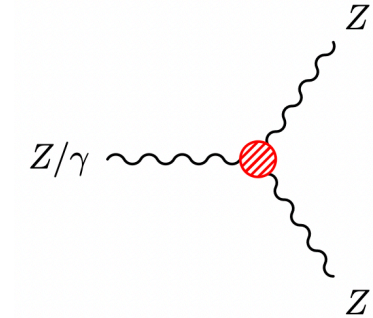
- **nTGC** in EFT: only appears at dim-8

$$\mathcal{O}_{\tilde{B}W} = i H^\dagger \tilde{B}_{\mu\nu} W^{\mu\rho} \{D_\rho, D^\nu\} H,$$

$$\mathcal{O}_{BW} = i H^\dagger B_{\mu\nu} W^{\mu\rho} \{D_\rho, D^\nu\} H,$$

$$\mathcal{O}_{WW} = i H^\dagger W_{\mu\nu} W^{\mu\rho} \{D_\rho, D^\nu\} H,$$

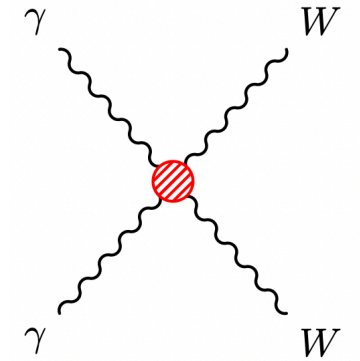
$$\mathcal{O}_{BB} = i H^\dagger B_{\mu\nu} B^{\mu\rho} \{D_\rho, D^\nu\} H.$$



Celine Degrande, [arXiv:1308.6323](https://arxiv.org/abs/1308.6323)

- **aQGC** in EFT: dim-8

	WWWW	WWZZ	ZZZZ	WWAZ	WWAA	ZZZA	ZZAA	ZAAA	AAAA
$\mathcal{L}_{S,0}, \mathcal{L}_{S,1}$	X	X	X	O	O	O	O	O	O
$\mathcal{L}_{M,0}, \mathcal{L}_{M,1}, \mathcal{L}_{M,6}, \mathcal{L}_{M,7}$	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	O	O
$\mathcal{L}_{M,2}, \mathcal{L}_{M,3}, \mathcal{L}_{M,4}, \mathcal{L}_{M,5}$	O	X	X	X	X	X	X	O	O
$\mathcal{L}_{T,0}, \mathcal{L}_{T,1}, \mathcal{L}_{T,2}$	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
$\mathcal{L}_{T,5}, \mathcal{L}_{T,6}, \mathcal{L}_{T,7}$	O	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
$\mathcal{L}_{T,9}, \mathcal{L}_{T,9}$	O	O	X	O	O	X	X	X	X



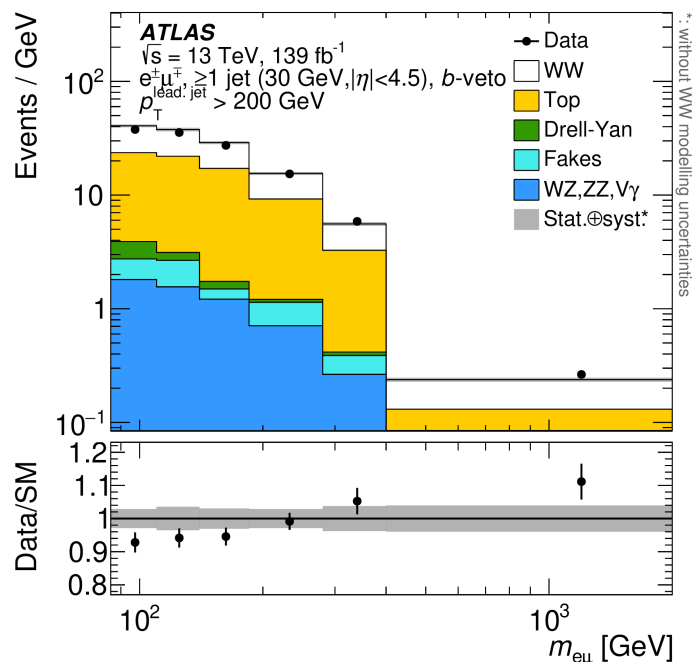
Eboli, Gonzalez-Garcia, [arXiv:1604.03555](https://arxiv.org/abs/1604.03555)

*This talk is focused on dim-6 EFT interpretations*

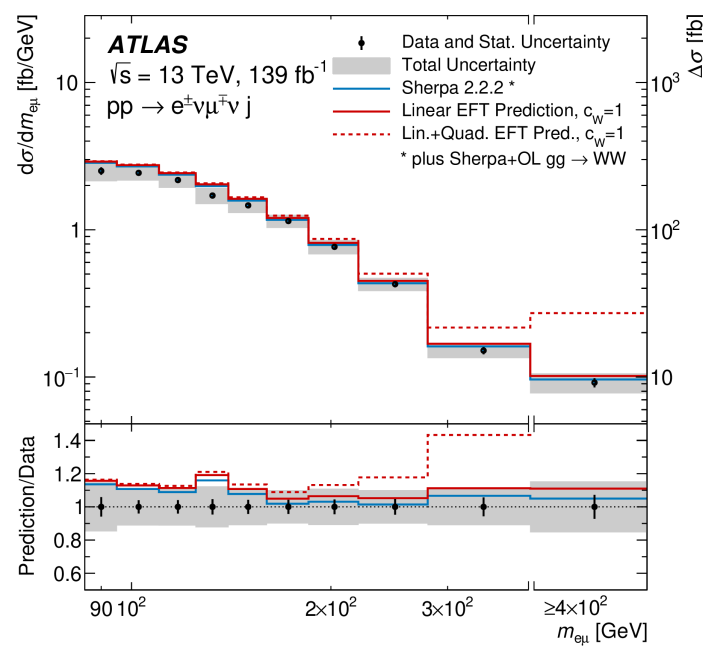


- Fiducial and differential cross-section measurements with full Run-2 data
  - First jet-inclusive measurement of WW production at the LHC
  - One-jet topology enhances the interference with aTGC (A. Azatov et al [arXiv:1707.08060](https://arxiv.org/abs/1707.08060))
- EFT interpretation using unfolded  $m_{e\mu}$  distributions

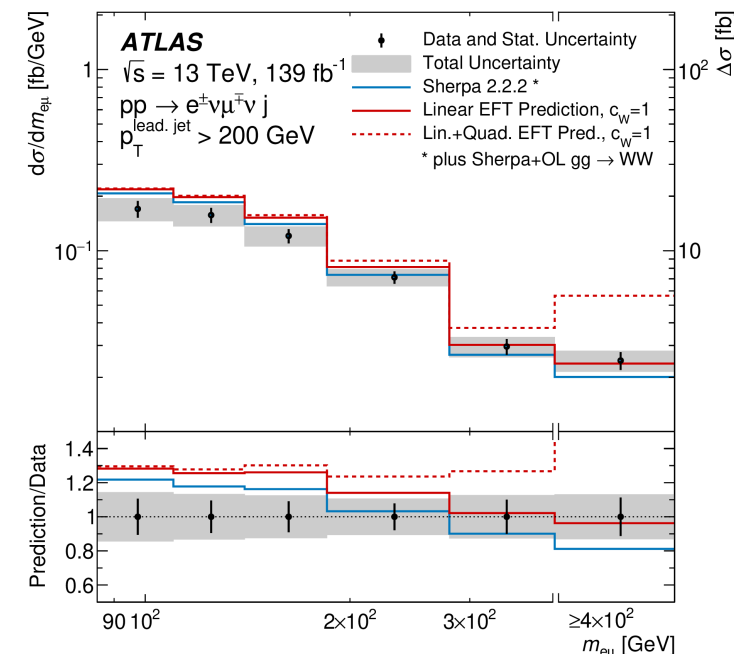
Detector level



Unfolded ( $p_T(\text{jets}) > 30 \text{ GeV}$ )



Unfolded with  $p_T(\text{leading jet}) > 200 \text{ GeV}$



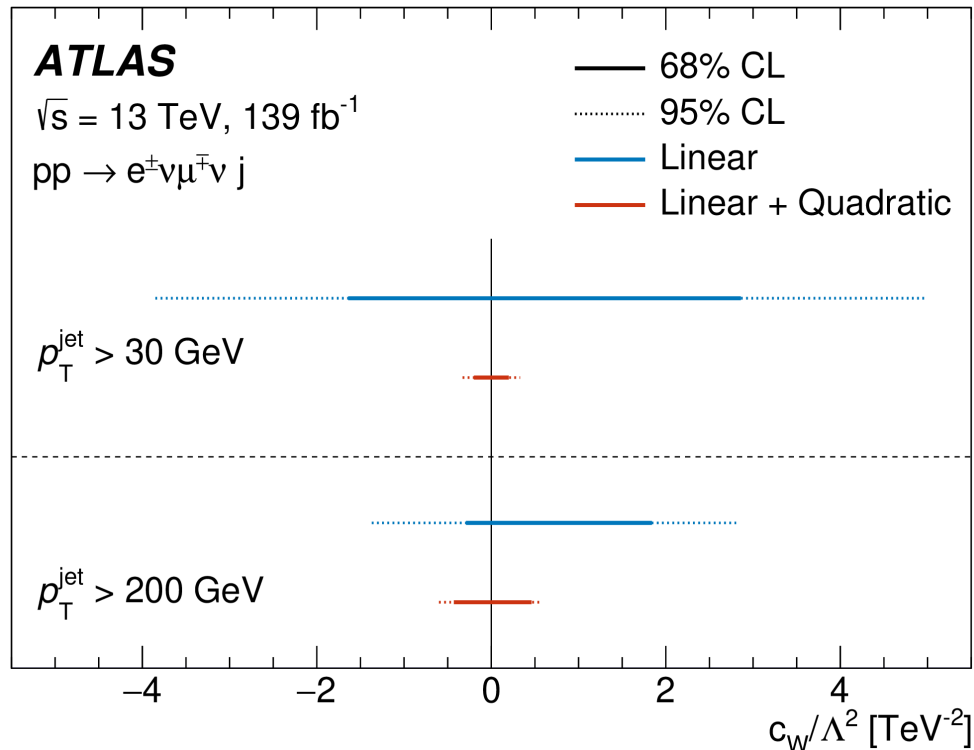
- EFT interpretation

- Based on **SMEFTsim** with the **Warsaw** basis, only  $\mathbf{c}_W$  considered

$$Q_W = \epsilon^{IJK} W_\mu^{I\nu} W_\nu^{J\rho} W_\rho^{K\mu}$$

$$\mathcal{L}(\vec{\mu}, \vec{\theta}) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{(2\pi)^k |\mathbf{C}|}} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2} (\vec{\sigma}_{\text{data}} - \vec{\sigma}_{\text{pred}}(\vec{\mu}, \vec{\theta}))^T \mathbf{C}^{-1} (\vec{\sigma}_{\text{data}} - \vec{\sigma}_{\text{pred}}(\vec{\mu}, \vec{\theta}))\right) \mathcal{G}(\vec{\theta})$$

$$\vec{\sigma}_{\text{pred}}(\vec{\mu}, \vec{\theta}) = \sigma_{\text{SM}} + \sum_i \mu_i \sigma_i^{\text{dim-6, lin.}} + \sum_{i,j} \mu_i \mu_j \sigma_{ij}^{\text{dim-6, quad.}}$$



Four scenarios:

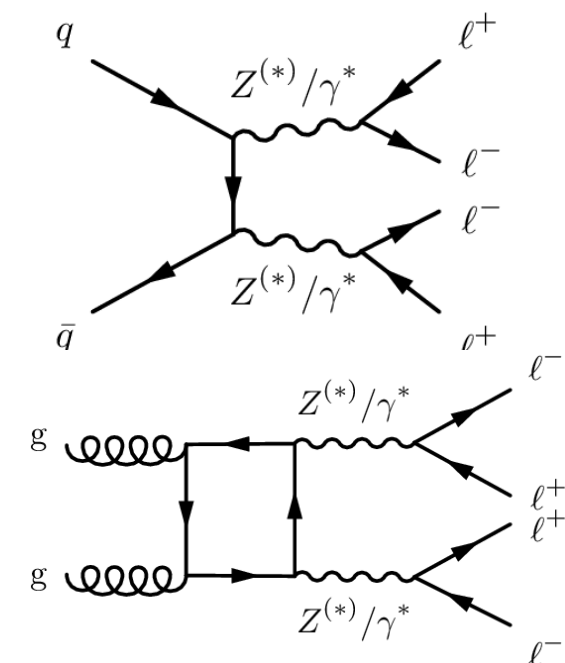
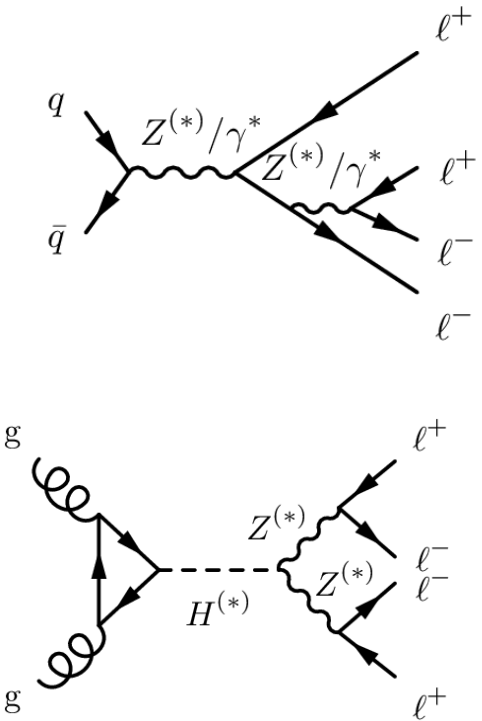
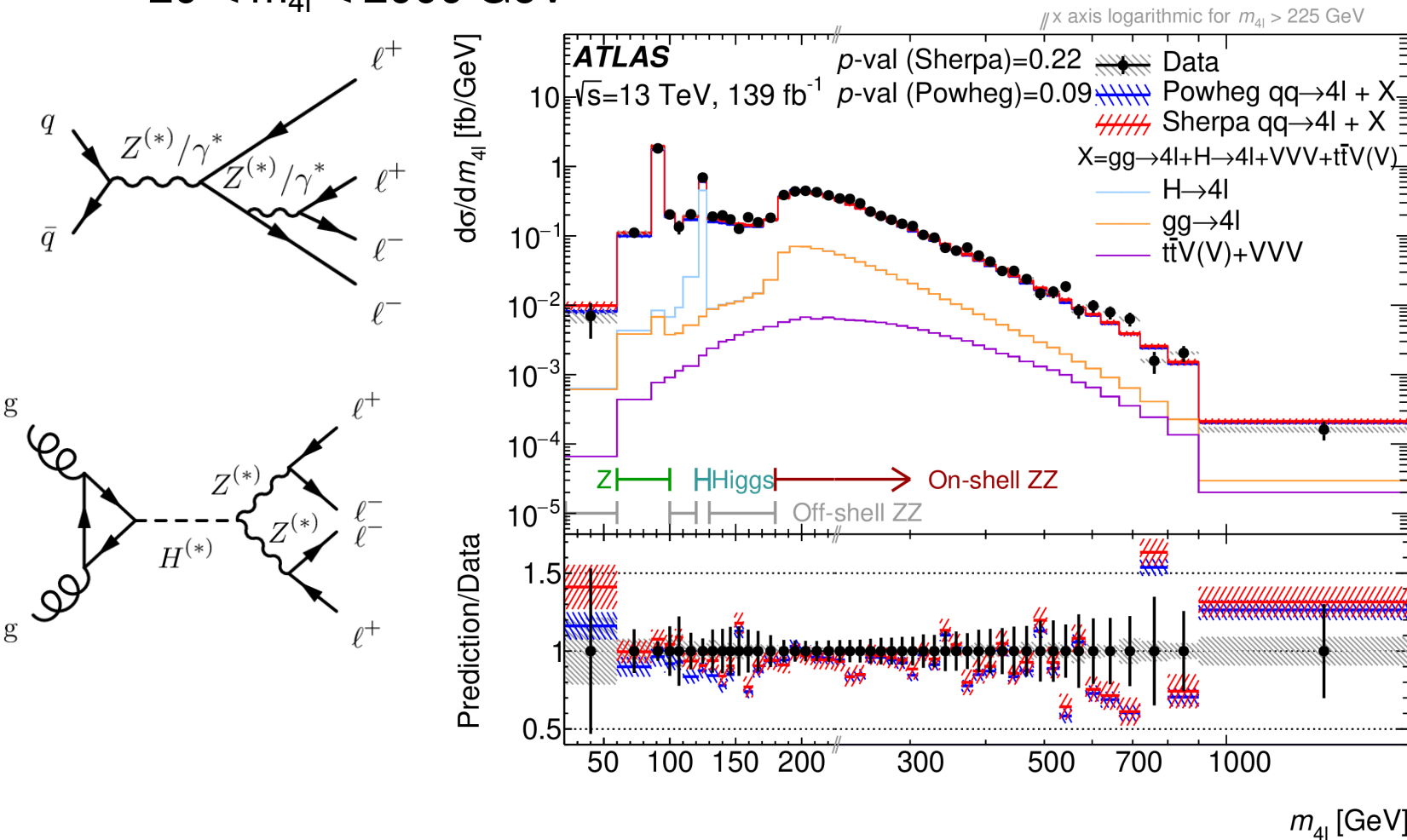
[linear only, linear + quadratic] x [ $p_T(\text{jet}) > 30 \text{ GeV}, > 200 \text{ GeV}$ ]

The 200 GeV jet requirement indeed increases sensitivity in fit of terms linear in  $\mathbf{c}_W$

Quadratic term still dominant, comparable to the  $36 \text{ fb}^{-1} \text{ WW}+0j$  constraints (*EPJC 79 (2019) 884*)

# Inclusive 4l measurements

- Differential measurements of inclusive  $pp \rightarrow 4l$  production
  - $20 < m_{4l} < 2000$  GeV



Though nTGC is suppressed, 4l events are sensitive to dim-6 EFT due to rich contributing processes

# Inclusive 4l measurements

arXiv:2103.01918

- Various observables unfolded in **4 slices of  $m_{4l}$** 
  - $m_{12}, m_{34}, p_{T,12}, p_{T,34}, \cos \theta_{12}^*, \cos \theta_{34}^*, |\Delta y_{\text{pairs}}|, |\Delta \phi_{\text{pairs}}|, |\Delta \phi_{ll}|$ .
  - **single Z**: (60, 100), **Higgs**: (120, 130), **on-shell ZZ**: (180, 2000), **off-shell ZZ**: others
- EFT interpretation
  - Based on **SMEFs im** with the **Warsaw** basis
  - **Scanned all 59 operators** and found **22 coefficients** that give non-negligible contribution
    - three affecting Higgs couplings:  $c_{HG}, \tilde{c}_{HG}, c_{HD}$ ;
    - one affecting gauge boson couplings:  $c_{HWB}$ ;
    - seven affecting the  $Z \rightarrow ll$  vertex:  $c_{Hd}, c_{Hu}, c_{He}, c_{Hl}^{(1)}, c_{Hl}^{(3)}, c_{Hq}^{(1)}, c_{Hq}^{(3)}$
    - eleven from four-fermion interactions (contact terms):  $c_{ed}, c_{ee}, c_{eu}, c_{ld}, c_{le}, c_{ll}, c_{ll}^{(1)}, c_{lq}^{(1)}, c_{lq}^{(3)}, c_{lu}, c_{qe}$ .
  - **Fitting only one coefficient at a time**

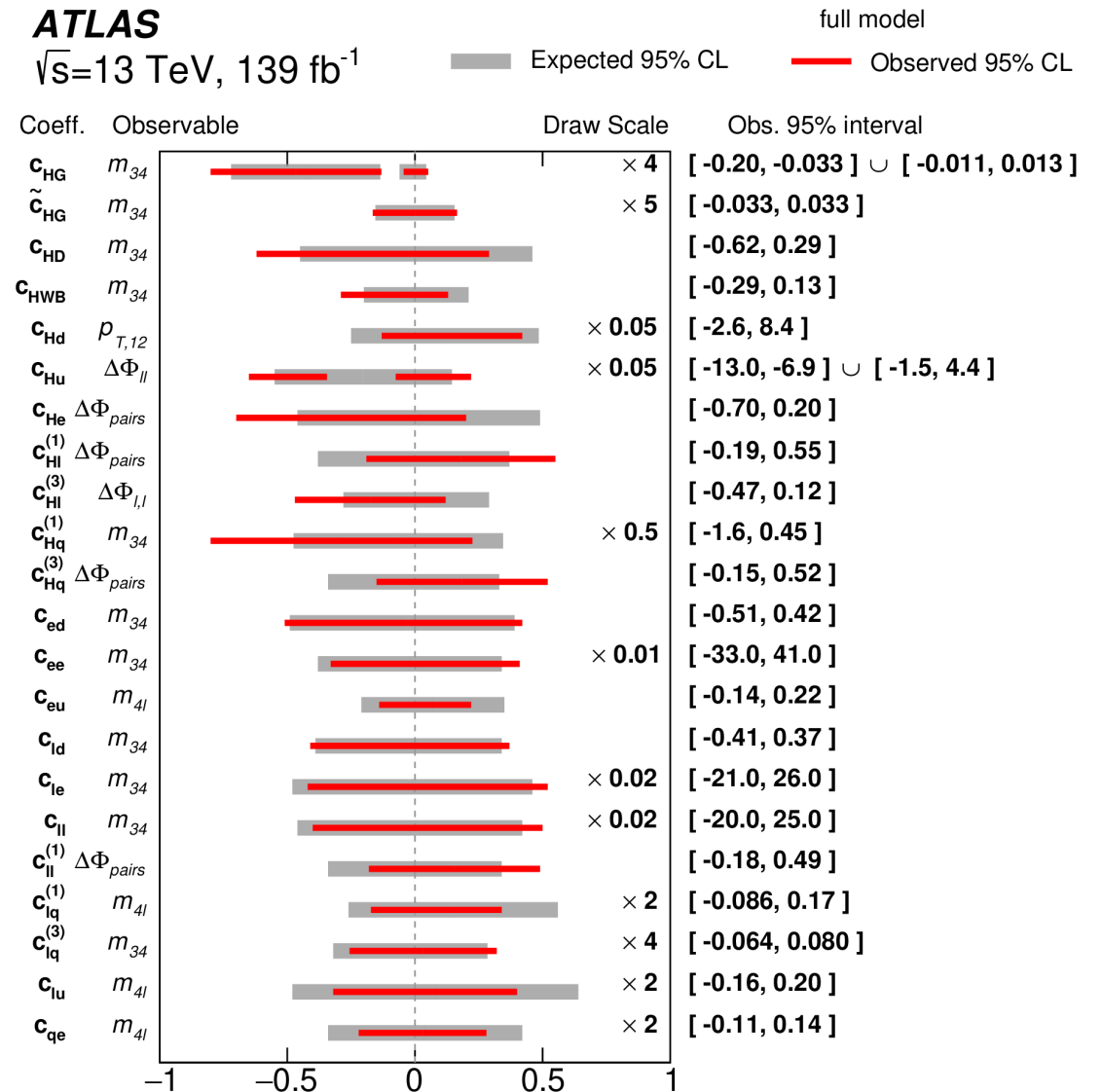
# Inclusive 4l measurements

- EFT constraints
  - Both linear and linear + quadratic fits
  - Fit one parameter at a time

Linear + quad.

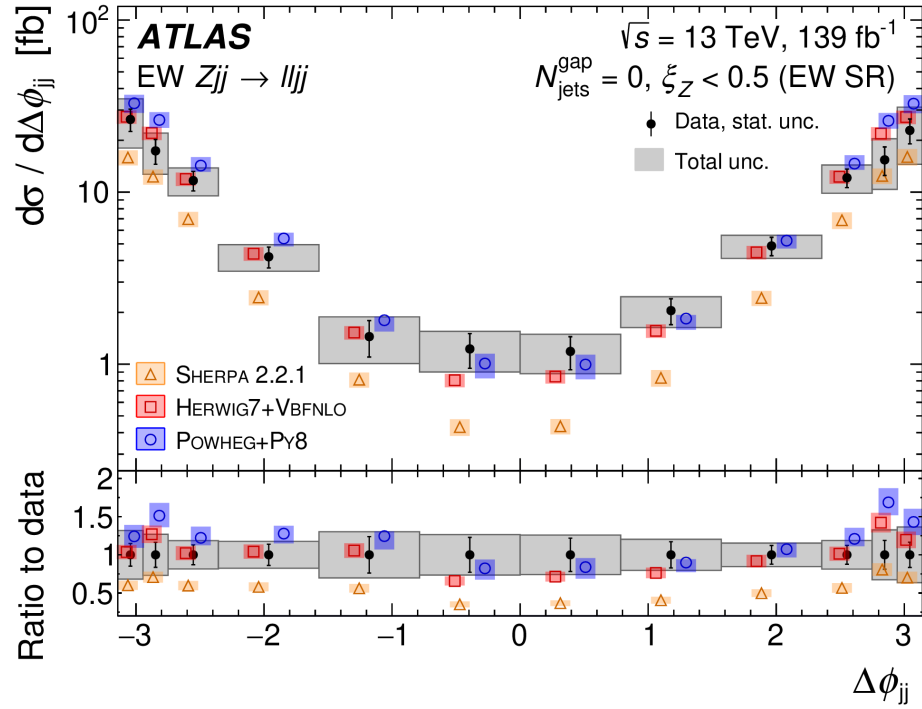
$c_{HWB}$ [95% CL]	$m_{4l}$ [GeV]	Expected	Observed
H4l STXS [EPJC 80(2020)957]	[115, 130]	[-1.1, 1.0]	[-1.1, 1.0]
Inclusiv 4l	[20, 2000]	[-0.2, 0.21]	[-0.29, 0.13]

$c_{HWB}$  affect the entire  $m_{4l}$  spectrum, not just the region close to  $m_H \rightarrow$  The advantage of being inclusive

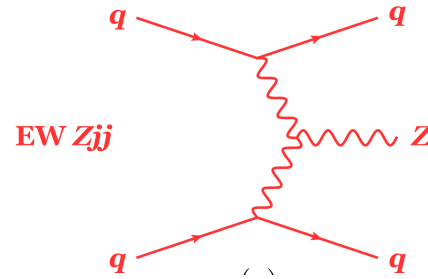


# VBF Zjj measurements

- Differential measurements of EW Zjj
  - Sensitive to aTGC
  - Signed  $\Delta\phi_{jj} = \phi_f - \phi_b$ , sensitive to CP-odd EFT operators



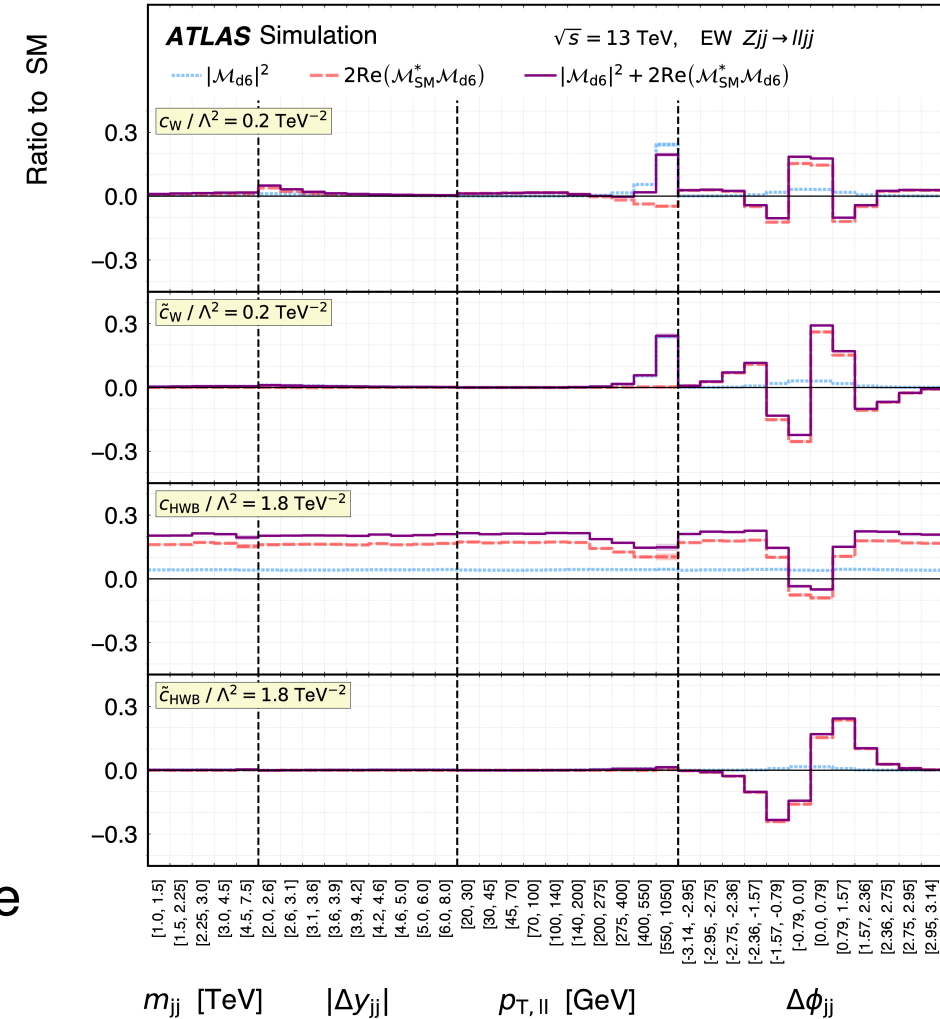
with  $y_f > y_b$



Unfolded  $\Delta\phi_{jj}$  is used to constrain:

CP-even:  $O_W, O_{HWB}$   
 CP-odd:  $\tilde{O}_W, \tilde{O}_{HWB}$

Based on **SMEFsim** with the **Warsaw** basis



# VBF Zjj measurements

- EFT interpretation
  - 1-D fit results, both linear and linear + quadratic fits

Wilson coefficient	Includes $ \mathcal{M}_{d6} ^2$	95% confidence interval [TeV <sup>-2</sup> ]		<i>p</i> -value (SM)
		Expected	Observed	
$c_W/\Lambda^2$	no	[-0.30, 0.30]	[-0.19, 0.41]	45.9%
	yes	[-0.31, 0.29]	[-0.19, 0.41]	43.2%
$\tilde{c}_W/\Lambda^2$	no	[-0.12, 0.12]	[-0.11, 0.14]	82.0%
	yes	[-0.12, 0.12]	[-0.11, 0.14]	81.8%
$c_{HWB}/\Lambda^2$	no	[-2.45, 2.45]	[-3.78, 1.13]	29.0%
	yes	[-3.11, 2.10]	[-6.31, 1.01]	25.0%
$\tilde{c}_{HWB}/\Lambda^2$	no	[-1.06, 1.06]	[0.23, 2.34]	1.7%
	yes	[-1.06, 1.06]	[0.23, 2.35]	1.6%

Sensitivity dominated by the linear term only, thanks to the signed  $\Delta\phi_{jj}$

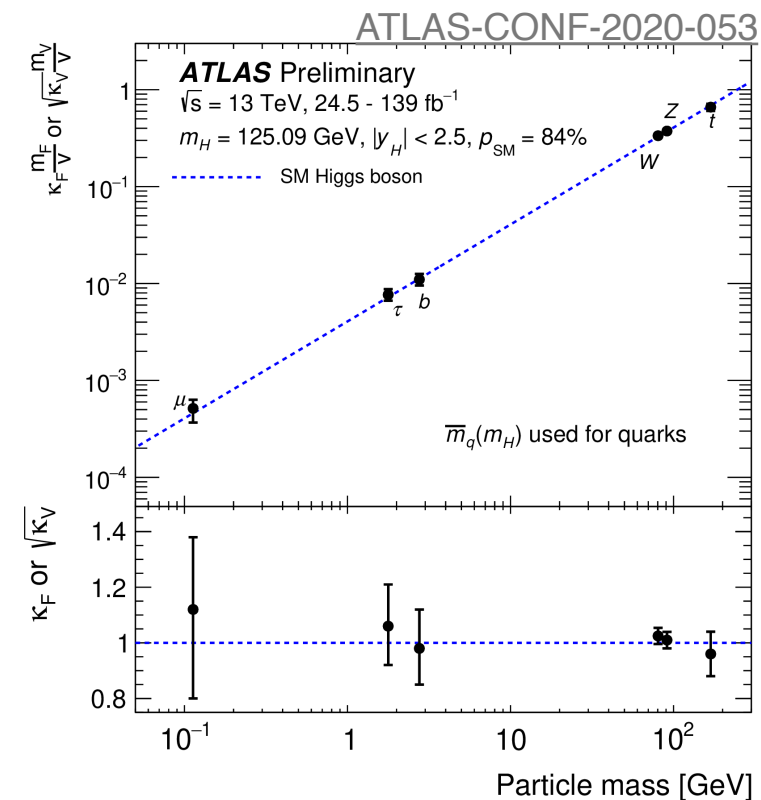
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# EFT interpretation in the Higgs sector



# EFT interpretation in the Higgs sector

- More precise measurements of Higgs properties are coming out
  - Signal strength ( $\mu$ )
  - Simplified Template Cross-sections (STXS)
  - Differential cross-sections
- ... also come with constraints on BSM
  - Anomalous couplings strategy also followed in the Higgs sector
  - Moving to EFT interpretations in the meanwhile
- EFT interpretations
  - Results presented in several bases: **Warsaw, SILH, Higgs** basis
  - Mapping from one basis to another can be done (**Rosetta**, Ken Mimasu et al, [arXiv:1508.05895](https://arxiv.org/abs/1508.05895) )
  - Methodology for EFT interpretation of STXS results documented in [ATL-PHYS-PUB-2019-042](https://arxiv.org/abs/1904.01197)

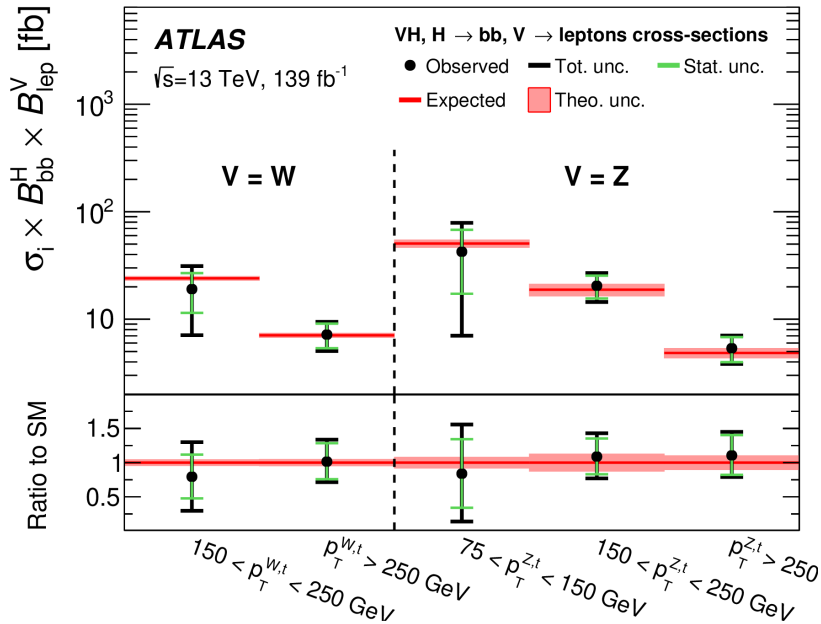


*See more details by Philipp Windischhofer (Thu. Afternoon)*

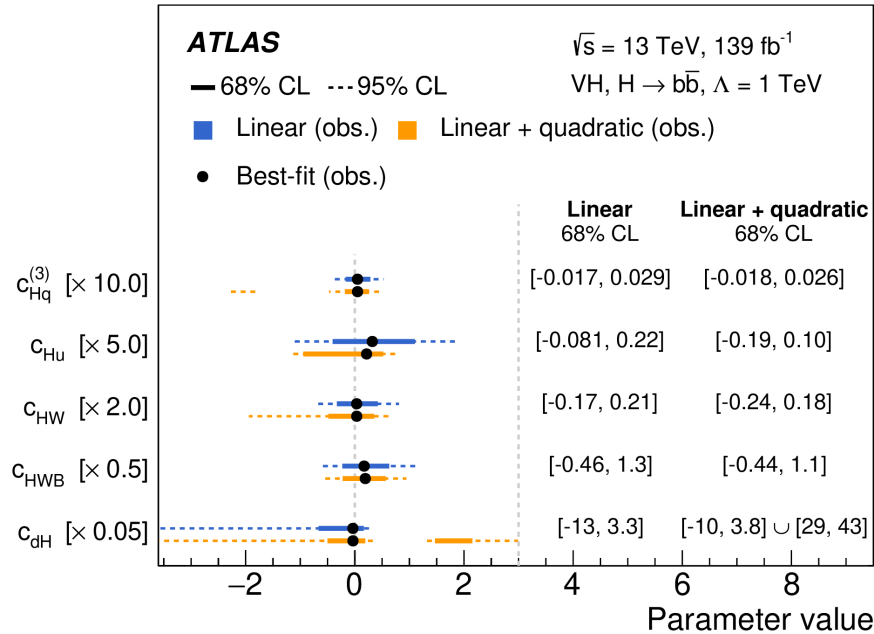
# VH(H→bb) resolved

- STXS results are used to constrain Wilson coefficients of the Warsaw basis
  - 1-D results by fitting one parameter at a time (with others fixed at 0)
  - 5-D fits using most sensitive directions of the measurement
    - **eigenvectors**, an orthogonal set of linear combinations of the Wilson coefficients

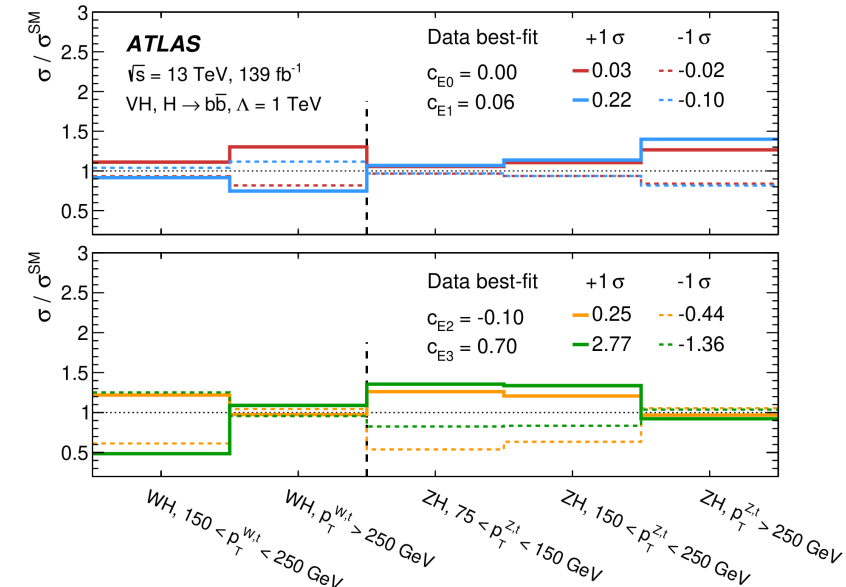
STXS



1-D results



5-D results



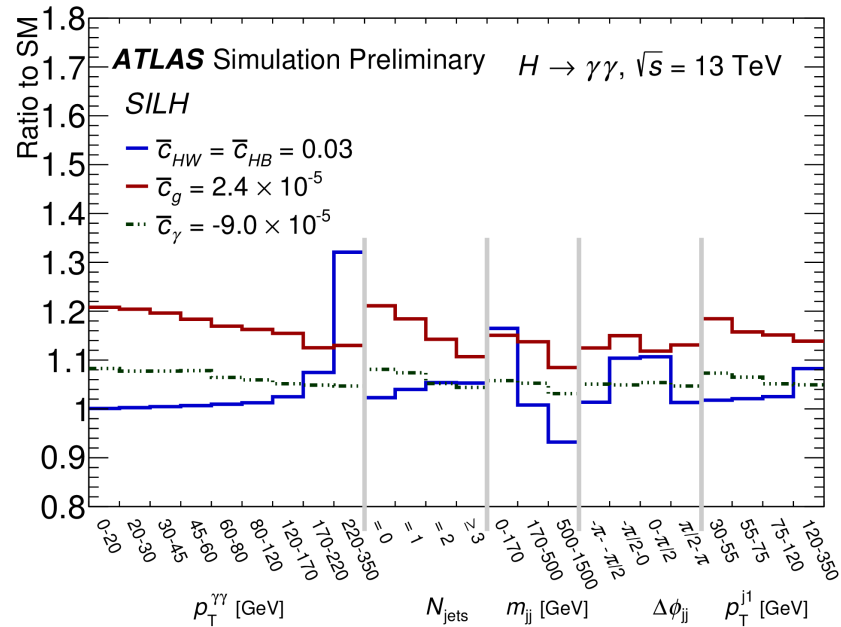
$$c_{E0} = 0.98 \cdot c_{Hq}^{(3)}$$

$$c_{E1} = 0.85 \cdot c_{Hu} - 0.39 \cdot c_{Hq}^{(1)} - 0.27 \cdot c_{Hd}$$

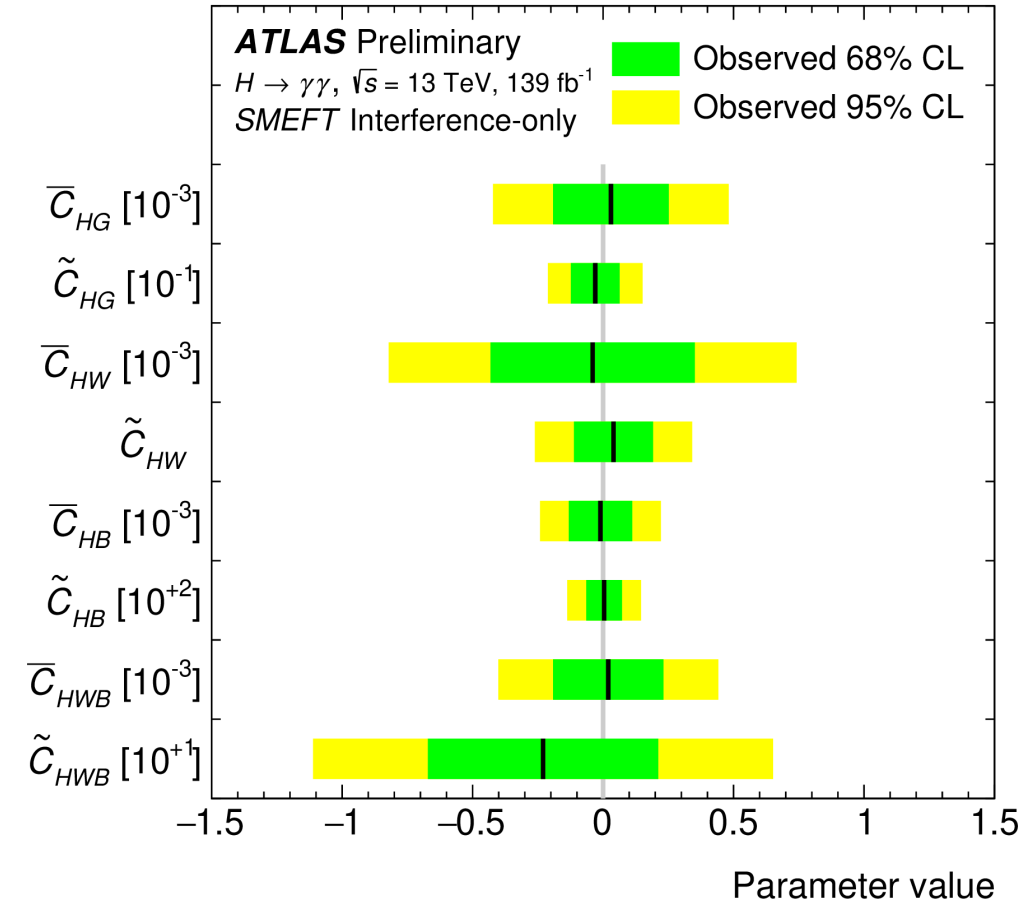
# H → γγ differential

- EFT interpretation from differential cross-sections using **Warsaw** and **SILH** bases

– 1-D fit results using **five** differential distributions



Warsaw basis



Coefficient	Observed 95% CL limit	Expected 95% CL limit
$\bar{c}_g$	$[-0.26, 0.26] \times 10^{-4}$	$[-0.25, 0.25] \cup [-4.7, -4.3] \times 10^{-4}$
$\tilde{c}_g$	$[-1.3, 1.1] \times 10^{-4}$	$[-1.1, 1.1] \times 10^{-4}$
$\bar{c}_{HW}$	$[-2.5, 2.2] \times 10^{-2}$	$[-3.0, 3.0] \times 10^{-2}$
$\tilde{c}_{HW}$	$[-6.5, 6.3] \times 10^{-2}$	$[-7.0, 7.0] \times 10^{-2}$
$\bar{c}_\gamma$	$[-1.1, 1.1] \times 10^{-4}$	$[-1.0, 1.2] \times 10^{-4}$
$\tilde{c}_\gamma$	$[-2.8, 4.3] \times 10^{-4}$	$[-2.9, 3.8] \times 10^{-4}$

SILH basis

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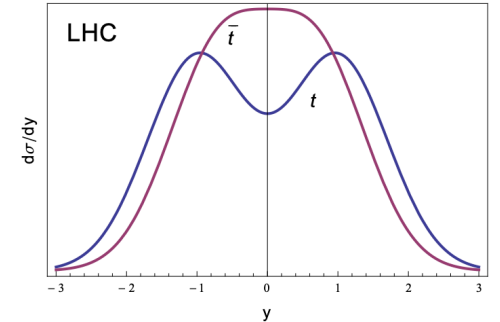
# EFT interpretation in the Top sector

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- Measurements in the top-quark sector offer an unique window to BSM
  - Largest top Yukawa coupling → **interplay with the Higgs sector**
  - Two complementary approaches
    - **Direct searches**: Flavor-changing neutral currents (FCNC)
    - **Precision measurements**: differential cross-sections and other top-quark properties
- EFT interpretation
  - Distinguish from the EW and Higgs sector due to the flavor assumption
    - **$U(3)^5$  flavor assumption used for EW and Higgs EFT interpretations**
  - Agreement in the top-quark community for common standards for EFT interpretation (**LHC TopWG note** [arXiv:1802.07237](https://arxiv.org/abs/1802.07237))
    - **Dim-6 SMEFT, Warsaw** basis
    - **3 different flavor assumptions**, baseline is  **$U(2)_q \times U(2)_u \times U(2)_d$**
    - **FCNC is treated separately** (breaks the  $U(2)_q \times U(2)_u \times U(2)_d$  symmetry)
    - Identify the **linear combinations** of Warsaw-basis operators to reduce the number of relevant parameters

# Charge asymmetry in $t\bar{t}$

- Charge asymmetry  $A_C$ :
  - At the LHC top-quarks produced more forward than anti-top quarks
  - Extremely challenging to measure (<1% effect)
  - Sensitive to BSM (eg, anomalous vector or axial couplings)
  - Extracted from unfolded  $\Delta|y|$  distributions, in the single-lepton channel



$$A_C = \frac{N(\Delta|y| > 0) - N(\Delta|y| < 0)}{N(\Delta|y| > 0) + N(\Delta|y| < 0)},$$

$$\Delta|y| = |y_t| - |y_{\bar{t}}|$$

- EFT interpretation
  - $A_C$  is sensitive to 7 four-fermion operators in the Warsaw basis
    - Reduced to 4 by using a flavor-specific linear combination
  - EFT predictions simulated with dim6top UFO

$$C_u^1 = C_{qq}^{(8,1)} + C_{qq}^{(8,3)} + C_{ut}^{(8)}$$

$$C_u^2 = C_{qu}^{(1)} + C_{qt}^{(1)}$$

$$C_d^1 = C_{qq}^{(8,1)} - C_{qq}^{(8,3)} + C_{dt}^{(8)}$$

$$C_d^2 = C_{qd}^{(1)} + C_{qt}^{(1)}$$

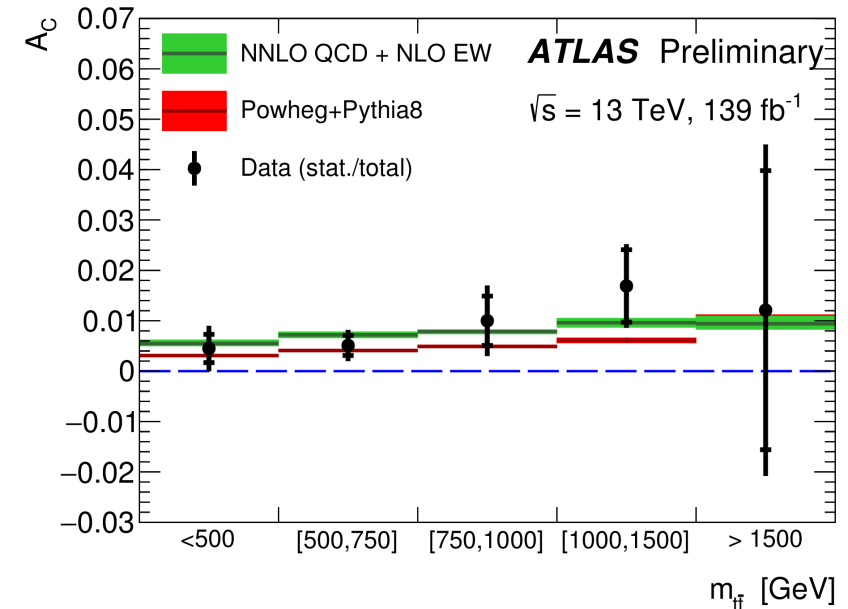
Further assume equal couplings to up- and down-type quarks

$$\Rightarrow C_u^1 = C_d^1 = C^1$$

$$C_u^2 = C_d^2 = C^2$$

$$\Rightarrow C^+ = C^1 + C^2$$

$$C^- = C^1 - C^2$$

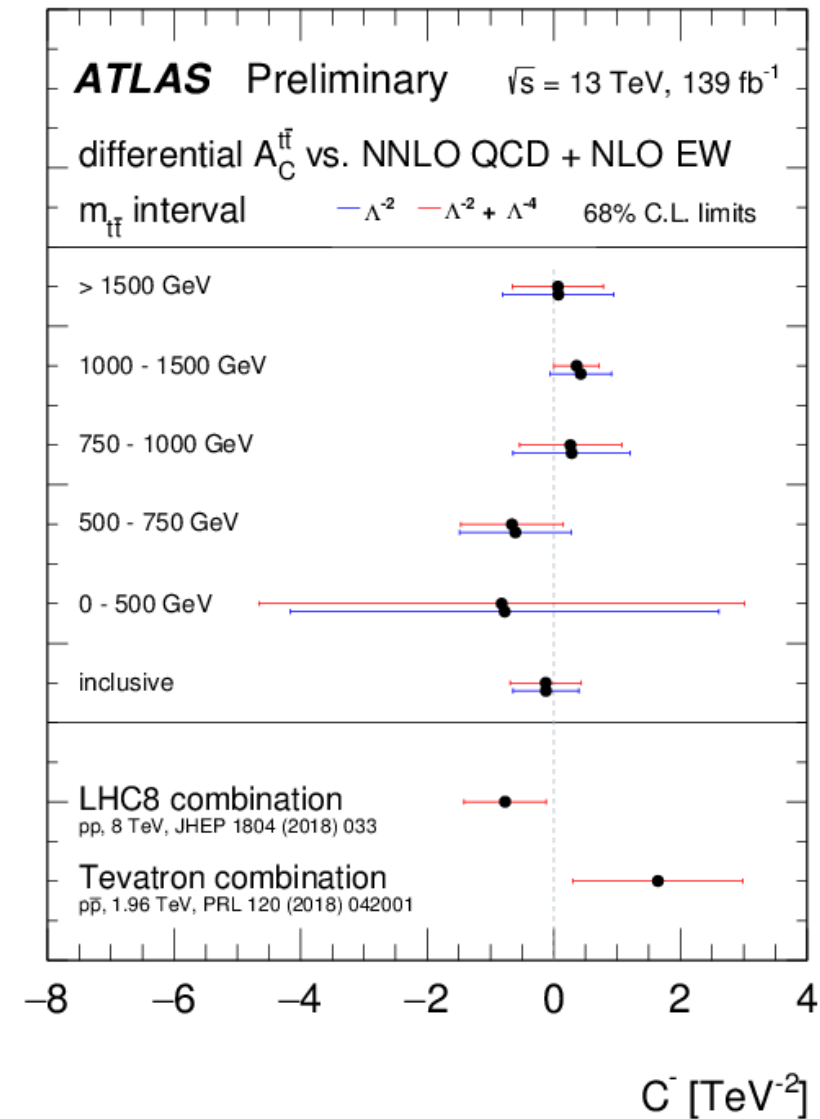


# Charge asymmetry in $t\bar{t}$

ATLAS-CONF-2019-026

- EFT results derived from the measured  $A_C$ 
  - Both the **inclusive measurement**, and **each differential  $m_{t\bar{t}}$  bins**
  - Two scenarios: **linear** vs **linear + quadratic**

Small dependence on quadratic terms:  
→ dim-6 approach is stable and appropriate.



# W polarization in top decays

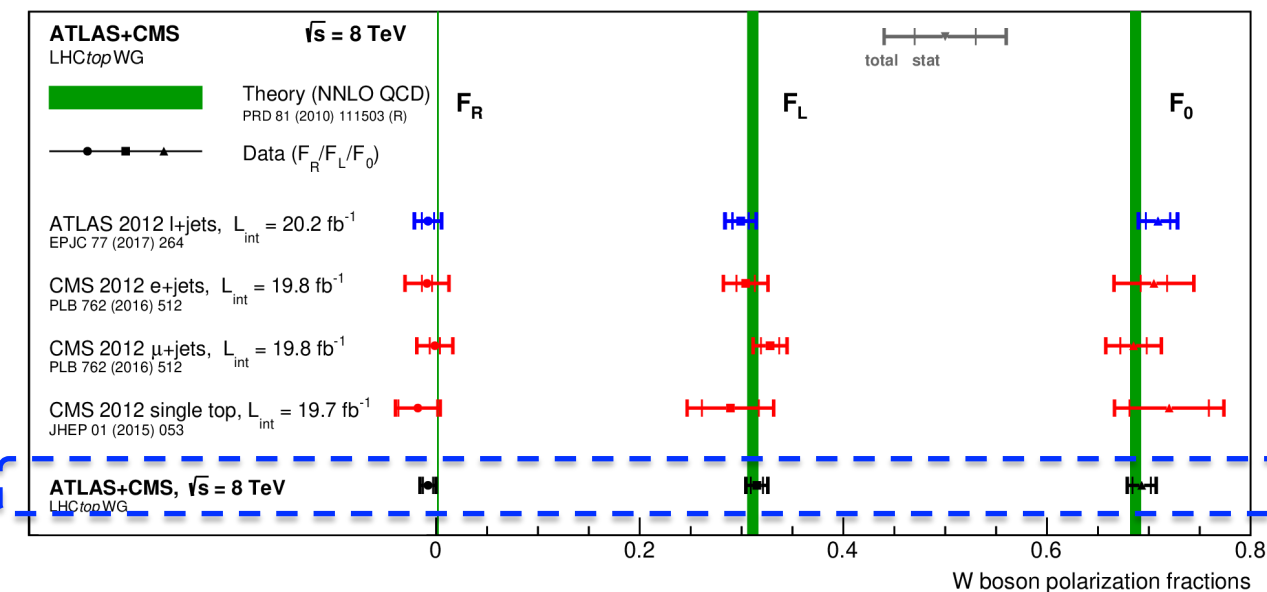
- ATLAS+CMS combined measurements of W polarization (8 TeV)
  - Sensitive to the **V-A structure** of the weak interaction
  - Polarization fractions ( $F_L$ ,  $F_R$ ,  $F_0$ ) fit from  $\cos\theta^*$  distributions **at the detector level**
- EFT interpretation
  - Combined polarization results are used to constrain dim-6 operators that **modify effective tWb couplings** in the **Warsaw** basis

$$O_{\phi\phi} = i(\tilde{\phi}^\dagger D_\mu \phi)(\bar{t}_R \gamma^\mu b_R),$$

$$O_{tW} = (\bar{q}_L \sigma^{\mu\nu} \tau^I t_R) \tilde{\phi} W_{\mu\nu}^I,$$

$$O_{bW} = (\bar{q}_L \sigma^{\mu\nu} \tau^I b_R) \phi W_{\mu\nu}^I,$$

J. A. Aguilar-Saavedra,  
arXiv:0811.3842



Coefficient	95% CL interval		
	ATLAS	CMS	ATLAS+CMS
$C_{\phi\phi}^*$	$[-5.64, 7.68]$	$[-3.84, 4.92]$	$[-3.48, 5.16]$
$C_{bW}^*$	$[-1.30, 0.96]$	$[-1.06, 0.72]$	$[-0.96, 0.67]$
$C_{tW}$	$[-0.34, 0.67]$	$[-0.62, 0.19]$	$[-0.48, 0.29]$



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# Combined EFT results

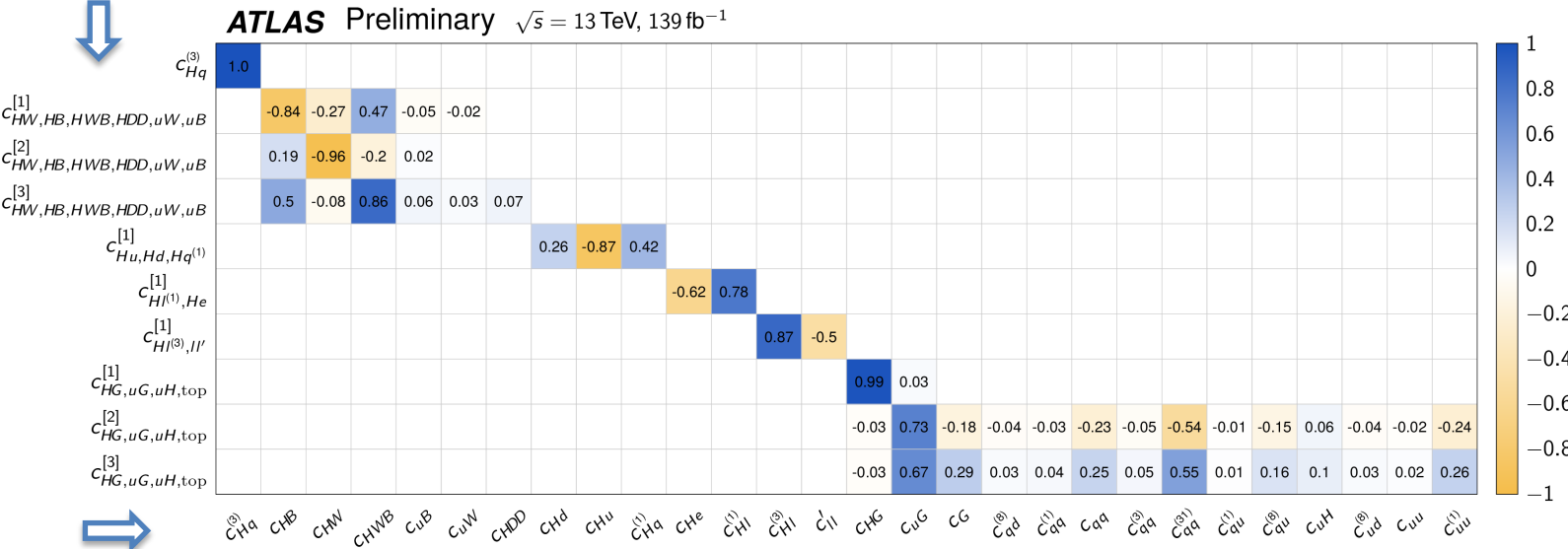
*See more details by Philipp Windischhofer (Thu. Afternoon)*

# Combined Higgs STXS

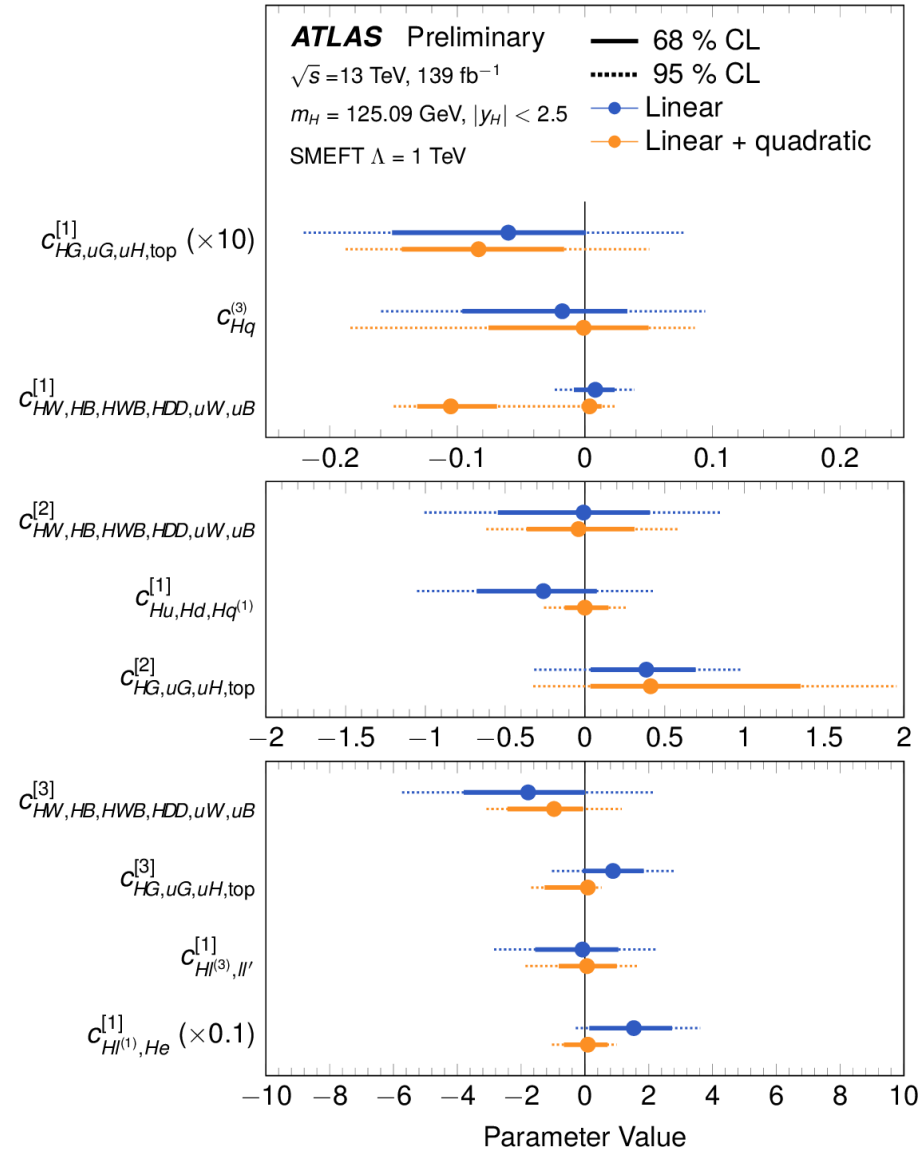
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- Combination of STXS from  $H \rightarrow 4l$ ,  $H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$  and  $VH(bb)$ 
  - SMEFT in **Warsaw** basis
  - An eigenvalue decomposition approach used to avoid flat directions
  - Two scenarios: **linear** vs **linear + quadratic**
    - With all coefficients profiled simultaneously

## Eigenvectors



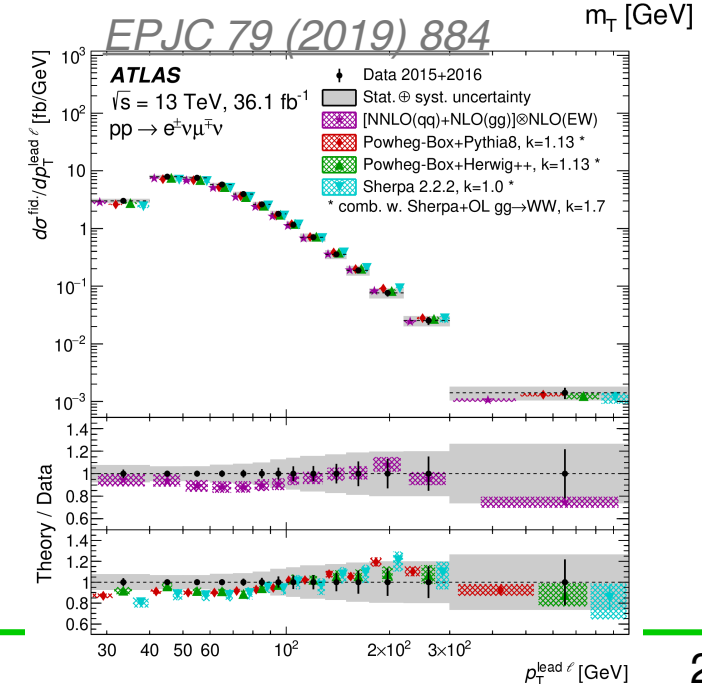
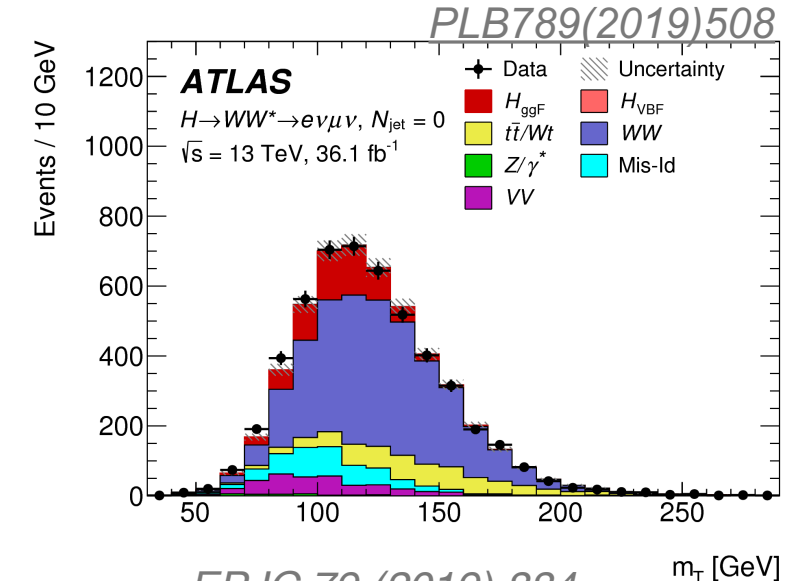
Composition of Wilson coefficients



# HWW\* + SM WW combination

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- H→WW\* measurements: [PLB 789 \(2019\) 508](#)
  - Signal strength measurements in ggF, VBF production modes
- SM WW measurements: [EPJC 79 \(2019\) 884](#)
  - 36 fb<sup>-1</sup> WW+0j differential cross-sections, leading lepton p<sub>T</sub>
- EFT combination
  - SMEFT in **Warsaw** basis, 22 CP-even operators
  - Eigenvalue decomposition approach
- Instructional test case towards future global EFT combination
  - Correlation of systematic uncertainties is taken into account carefully
  - EFT effects on the WW “background” in the HWW\* signal regions are also taken into account
  - We try to avoid setting parameters to zero as much as possible



# HWW + SM WW combination

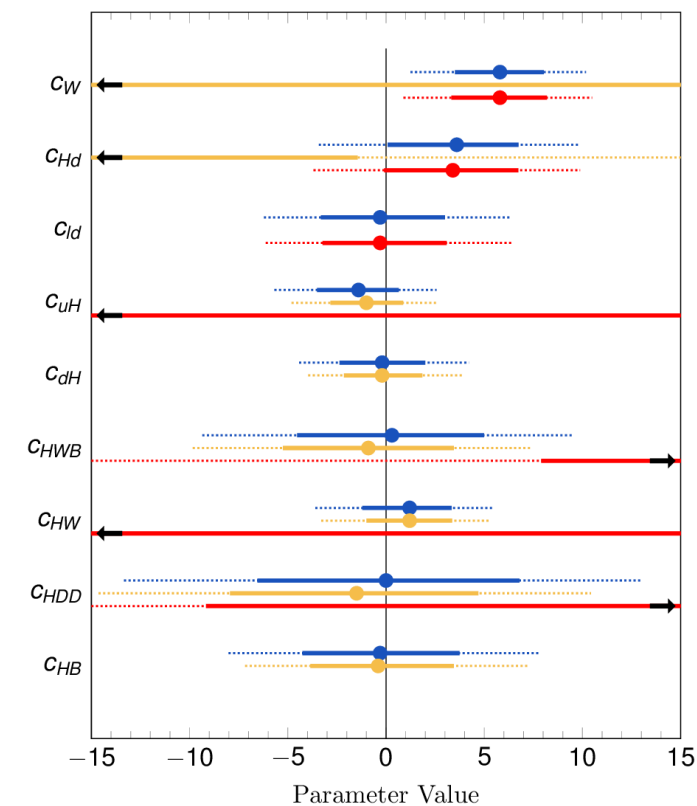
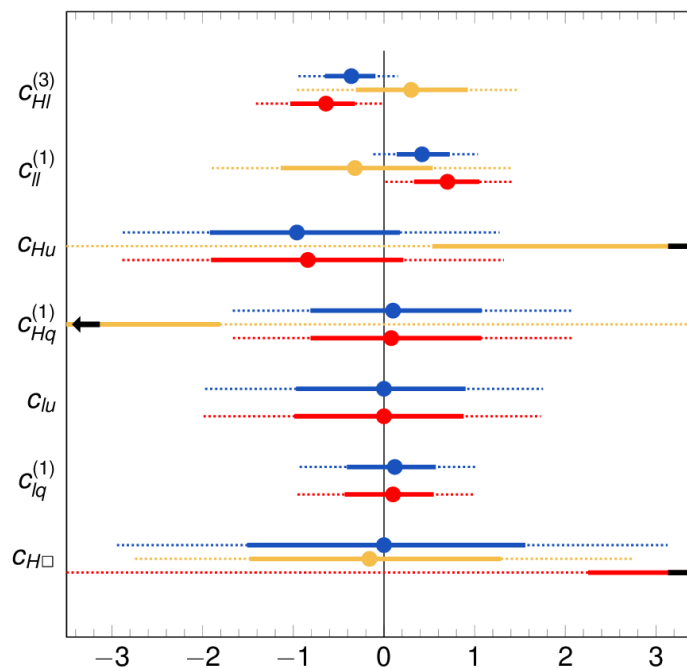
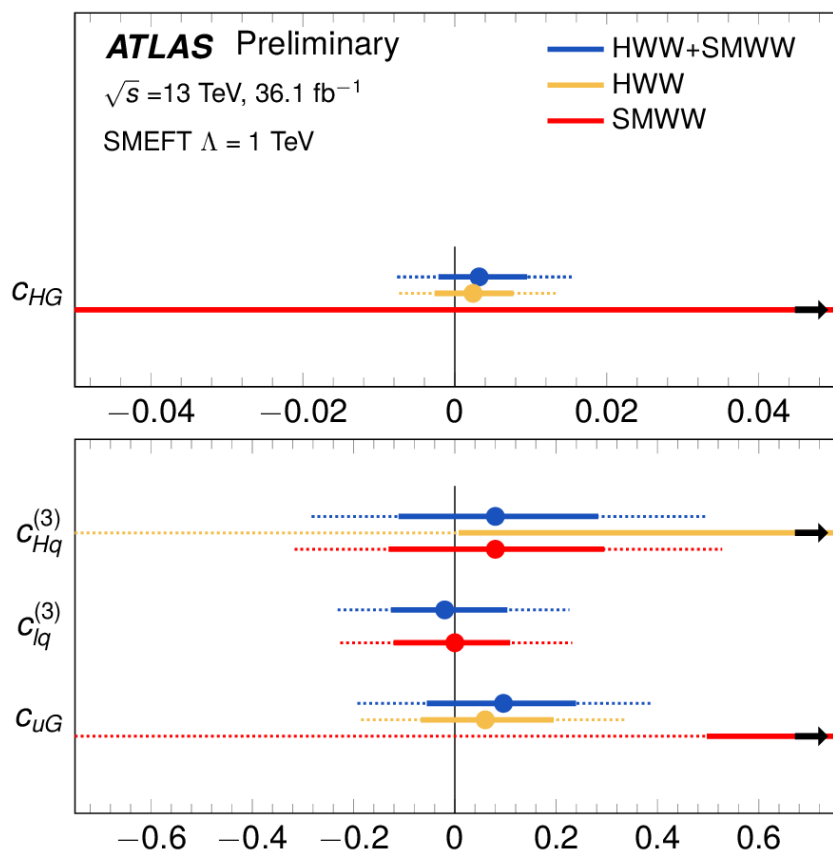
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- Combined EFT constraints

- 1-D fit results shown below
- 8-D simultaneous fit of eigenvectors are also provided

— HWW+SMWW  
— HWW  
— SMWW

Stronger together!



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# Towards ATLAS EFT combination

# ATLAS EFT combination

- Complementary constraints from different sectors
  - Need wide combination to fully leverage EFT
  - Also the original idea behind the EFT theory development
- To include some of the most relevant existing **H + EW + top + non-ATLAS** constraints
  - **Higgs** : STXS combination
  - **EW**: WW + WZ + 4l + VBF Z (Gaussian model with NPs)
    - One distribution from each to avoid correlation issues (eg.  $p_T^{lep}$ ,  $m_{WZ}$ ,  $m_{34}$  vs.  $m_{4l}$ ,  $\Delta\phi_{jj}$ )
  - **Top** : possible observables are ttV,  $t\bar{t}$  differential cross-section,  $t\bar{t}$  charge asymmetries, 4t
  - **Non-ATLAS** constraints:
    - Z-pole (LEP-1/SLC) and diboson (LEP-2) data, others?
    - Not strictly needed but simplifies treatment of flat combinations
    - Implemented as a multivariate Gaussian term in the likelihood

Not a finalized blueprint  
Feedback and discussion welcome!

See also

Sandra Kortner, LHC EFT WG meeting, Oct 2020  
Nicolas Berger, Area 3&4 meeting, Feb 2021

# EFT framework

- SMEFT Model

- Basis: **Dim-6 Warsaw basis**,  $\Lambda = 1 \text{ TeV}$
- Focus on **CP-even operators** for now
- Flavor structure:
  - Investigate the “**topU31**” structure ( $U(2)_q \times U(2)_u \times U(2)_d, U(3)_l \times U(3)_e$ ) in [SMEFTsim3.0](#)
  - $\rightarrow$  Well-suited to top measurements
  - Also consider the simpler  $U(3)^5$

I. Brivio, Y. Jiang and M. Trott, [arXiv:1709.06492](#)

I. Brivio, [arXiv:2012.11343](#)



- SMEFT Predictions

- Use  $(m_W, m_Z, G_F)$  scheme, consider  $(\alpha, m_Z, G_F)$  as alternate
- Use **LO predictions**
  - Except for **loop effects** ( $gg \rightarrow H, gg \rightarrow ZH, H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ ), which are calculated with [SMEFT@NLO](#)
- Use **SMEFTsim** and **SMEFT@NLO** to simulate SMEFT impact

SMEFT@NLO, Gauthier Durieux et al, [arXiv:2008.11743](#)

# EFT parametrization

- SMEFT Predictions (cont.) :
  - Linear EFT expansion (terms up to  $1/\Lambda^2$ ) as a baseline
    - Inclusion of all dim-8 operators impractical
  - Also report results with linear + quadratic terms
    - This can be used as an estimate of EFT convergence
  - Rescale predictions to best SM computations
- SMEFT uncertainties
  - How to define uncertainties on the EFT predictions?
    - Missing terms in EFT expansion?
    - Higher order QCD/EW corrections?

$$\vec{\sigma}(c) = \vec{\sigma}^{\text{SM, best}} \cdot \frac{\vec{\sigma}^{\text{EFT}}(c)}{\vec{\sigma}^{\text{EFT}}(c=0)}$$



# Summary

- Growing number of EFT measurements in ATLAS
  - New results coming out with full Run-2 data
  - Individual measurements across the SM/Higgs/Top sectors
  - And also small-scope combined results:
    - Higgs STXS combination,  $H \rightarrow WW^*$  + SM WW combination
- Plans for an ATLAS-wide combination
  - Aim for a (Higgs + EW + Top + EWPD) scope
    - A first attempt to pave the road and to gain experience
    - Possibly leaving for later the optimal treatment of some of the more difficult issues
  - Common ground (theory framework) is largely in place
  - Still many challenges to meet
  - Feedback welcome

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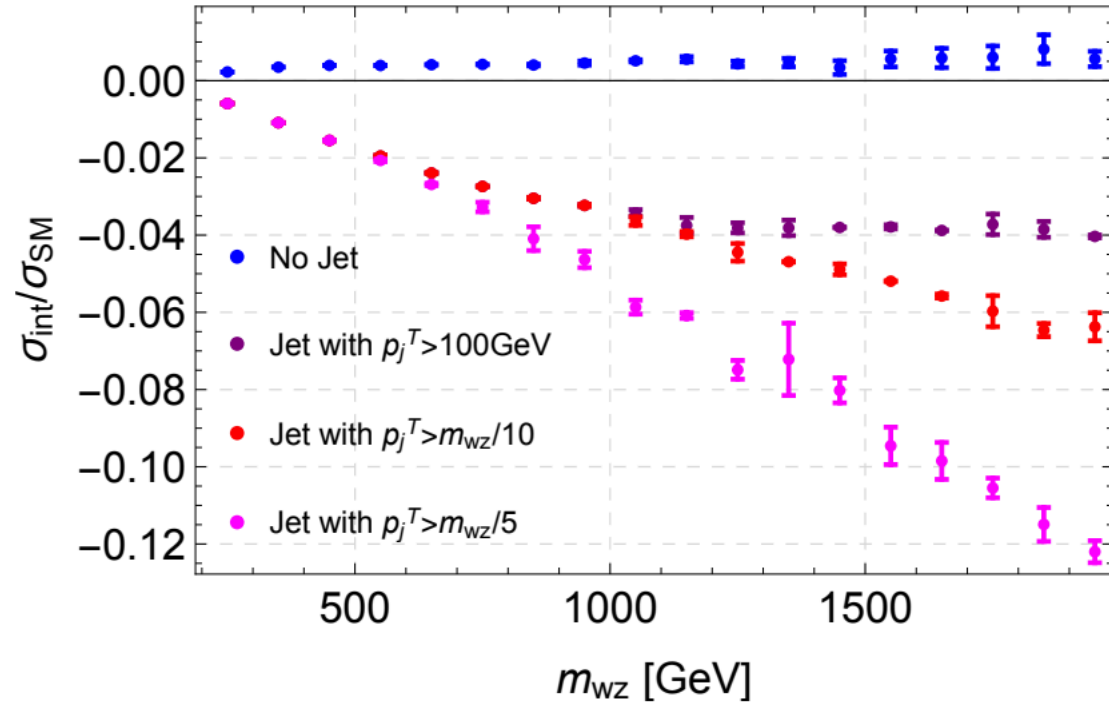
# Backup

# Summary of ATLAS EFT results

	EW	Higgs	Top	Combination
Meas.	<a href="#">WW+jets, 140 fb<sup>-1</sup></a>	<a href="#">VH(bb) boosted STXS, 140fb<sup>-1</sup></a>	<a href="#">W polarization in top-quark decays (8 TeV)</a>	<a href="#">Higgs STXS combination, 140 fb<sup>-1</sup></a>
	<a href="#">Inclusive 4l, 140 fb<sup>-1</sup></a>	<a href="#">VH(bb) resolved STXS, 140fb<sup>-1</sup></a>	<a href="#">ttZ signal strength, 36 fb<sup>-1</sup></a>	<a href="#">H→WW* and SM WW combination, 36 fb<sup>-1</sup></a>
	<a href="#">VBF Zjj, 140 fb<sup>-1</sup></a>	<a href="#">H4l STXS, 140fb<sup>-1</sup></a>	<a href="#">t<math>\bar{t}</math> charge asymmetry, differential, 36 fb<sup>-1</sup></a>	
	<a href="#">WW+0j, 36 fb<sup>-1</sup></a>	<a href="#">H→γγ differential, 140fb<sup>-1</sup></a>	<a href="#">FCNC tqγ, 81 fb<sup>-1</sup></a>	<a href="#">FCNC tqZ, 36 fb<sup>-1</sup></a>
EFT framework	Warsaw and HISZ basis SMEFTsim and EWdim6	SILH and Warsaw basis SMEFTsim and SMEFT@NLO	Warsaw basis topFCNC, dim6top	Warsaw basis SMEFTsim and SMEFT@NLO
Wilson coefficients in the fit	1-D fit	Simultaenous fit, 1-D fit	1-D fit	Simultaenous fit, 1-D fit

- ❖ Both **detector** and **particle level** measurements are used
- ❖ **U(3)<sup>5</sup>** flavor assumption is used in Higgs & EW EFT interpretations, while **U(2)<sub>q</sub> × U(2)<sub>u</sub> × U(2)<sub>d</sub>** for Top
- ❖ Usually EFT results reported for both **linear** and **linear+quadratic** fits

# WW+jets



A. Azatov et al [arXiv:1707.08060](https://arxiv.org/abs/1707.08060)

**Figure 4:**  $\sigma_{\text{int}}/\sigma_{\text{SM}}$  as a function of  $m_{WZ}$  for the process  $pp \rightarrow WZ$  (blue) and the process  $pp \rightarrow VW + j$ , with  $p_j^T > m_{WZ}/5$  (pink),  $p_j^T > m_{WZ}/10$  (red), and  $p_j^T > 100\text{ GeV}$  (purple).

# EFT in WW

- Some details

$$\mathcal{L}(\vec{\mu}, \vec{\theta}) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{(2\pi)^k |\mathbf{C}|}} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2} (\vec{\sigma}_{\text{data}} - \vec{\sigma}_{\text{pred}}(\vec{\mu}, \vec{\theta}))^T \mathbf{C}^{-1} (\vec{\sigma}_{\text{data}} - \vec{\sigma}_{\text{pred}}(\vec{\mu}, \vec{\theta}))\right) \mathcal{G}(\vec{\theta})$$

$$\vec{\sigma}_{\text{pred}}(\vec{\mu}, \vec{\theta}) = \vec{\sigma}_{\text{SM}} + \sum_i \mu_i \vec{\sigma}_i^{\text{dim-6, lin.}} + \sum_{i,j} \mu_i \mu_j \vec{\sigma}_{ij}^{\text{dim-6, quad.}}$$

High-order corrections:

$$\vec{\sigma}_{\text{pred}} = \vec{\sigma}_{\text{SM}} \times \left(1 + c_i \cdot \frac{\vec{\sigma}_i^{\text{dim-6, lin.}}}{\vec{\sigma}_{\text{LO, SM}}} + c_i^2 \cdot \frac{\vec{\sigma}_i^{\text{dim-6, quad.}}}{\vec{\sigma}_{\text{LO, SM}}}\right)$$

WW+jets, 140/fb, [arXiv:2103.10319](https://arxiv.org/abs/2103.10319), SMEFT Warsaw basis

Jet $p_T$	Linear only	68% CI obs.	95% CI obs.	68% CI exp.	95% CI exp.
> 30 GeV	yes	[-1.64, 2.86]	[-3.85, 4.97]	[-2.30, 2.27]	[-4.53, 4.41]
> 30 GeV	no	[-0.20, 0.20]	[-0.33, 0.33]	[-0.28, 0.27]	[-0.39, 0.38]
> 200 GeV	yes	[-0.29, 1.84]	[-1.37, 2.81]	[-1.12, 1.09]	[-2.24, 2.10]
> 200 GeV	no	[-0.43, 0.46]	[-0.60, 0.58]	[-0.38, 0.33]	[-0.53, 0.48]

Compared to the results from 36/fb WW 0j ([arXiv:1905.04242](https://arxiv.org/abs/1905.04242))

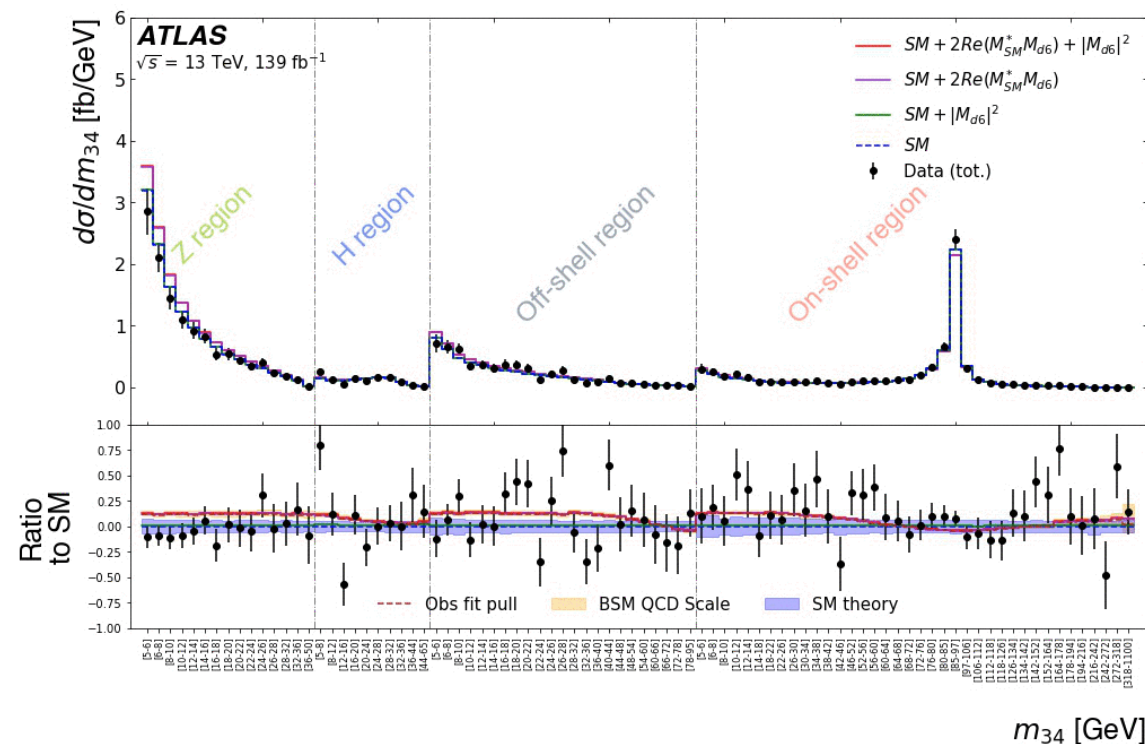
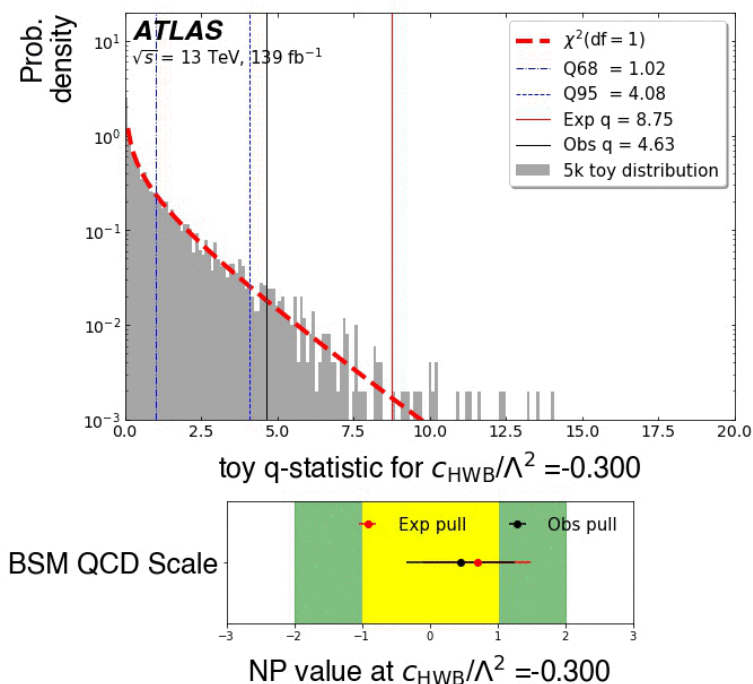
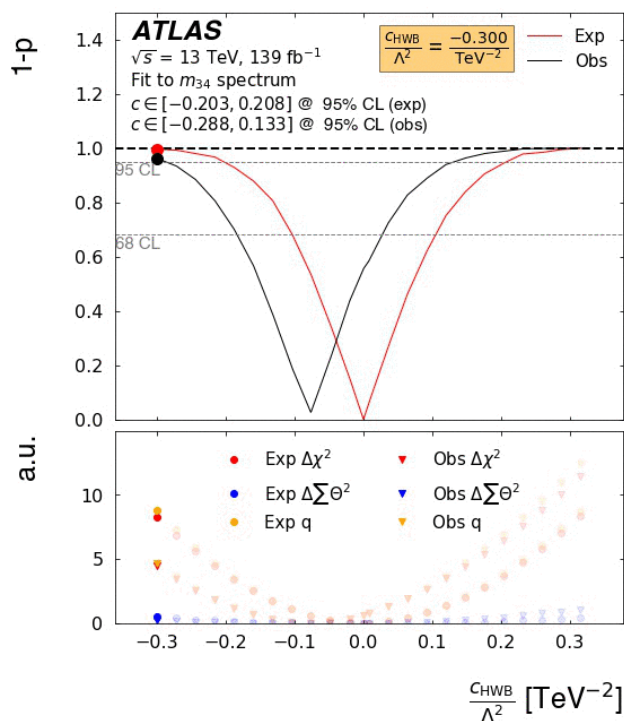
HISZ basis, EWdim6

Operator	95% CL (linear and quadratic terms)	95% CL (linear terms only)
$c_{\text{WWW}}/\Lambda^2$	[-3.4 TeV <sup>-2</sup> , 3.3 TeV <sup>-2</sup> ]	[-179 TeV <sup>-2</sup> , -17 TeV <sup>-2</sup> ]
$c_W/\Lambda^2$	[-7.4 TeV <sup>-2</sup> , 4.1 TeV <sup>-2</sup> ]	[-13.1 TeV <sup>-2</sup> , 7.1 TeV <sup>-2</sup> ]
$c_B/\Lambda^2$	[-21 TeV <sup>-2</sup> , 18 TeV <sup>-2</sup> ]	[-104 TeV <sup>-2</sup> , 101 TeV <sup>-2</sup> ]

# Inclusive 4l measurements

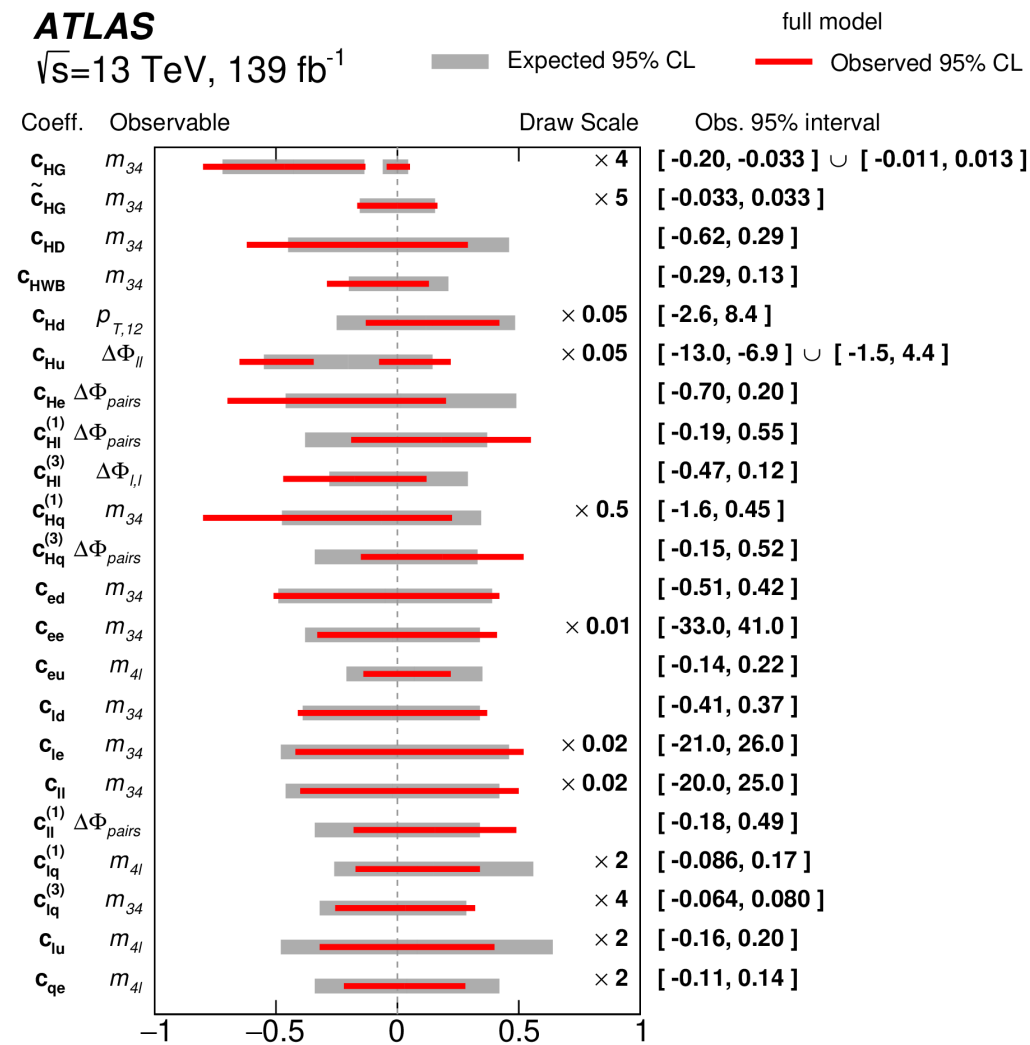
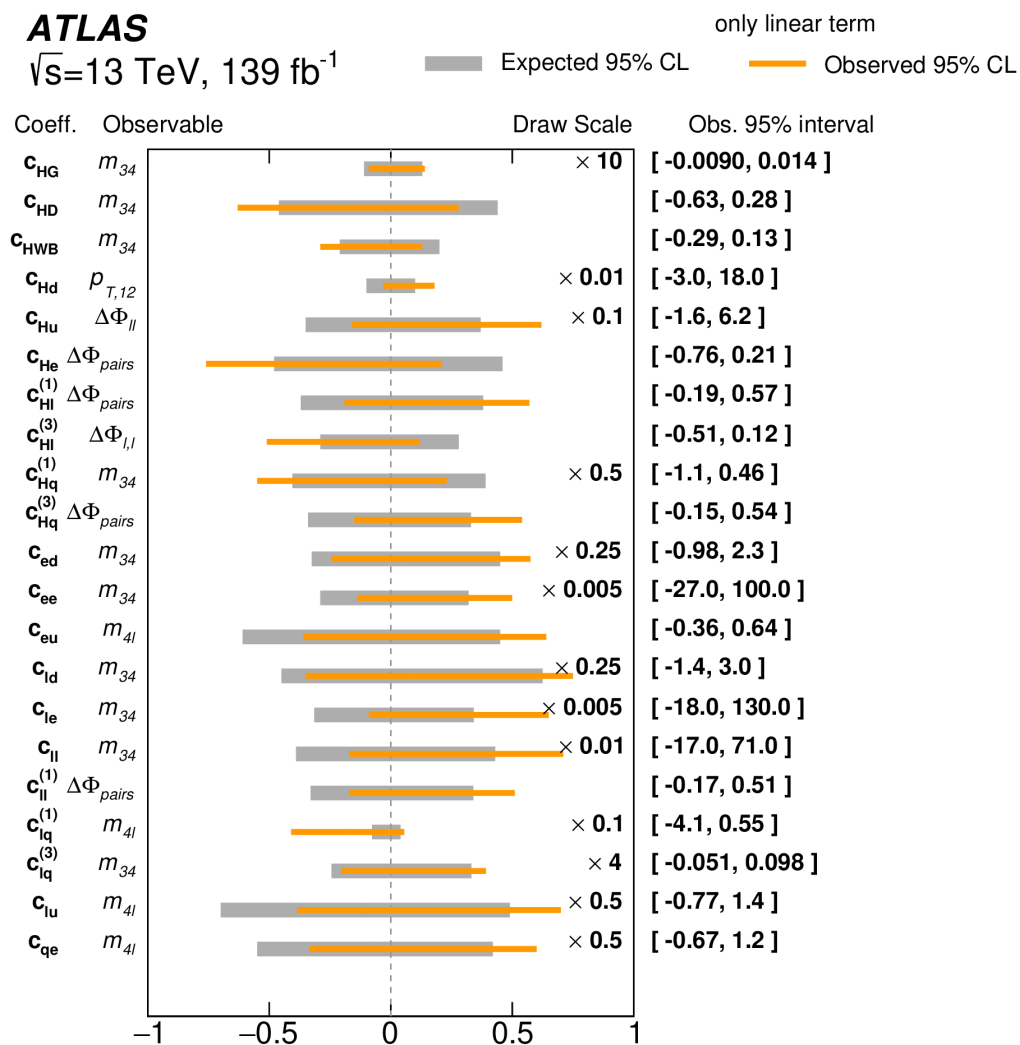
arXiv:2103.01918

- Example: how  $c_{HWB}$  affects the  $m_{34}$  prediction



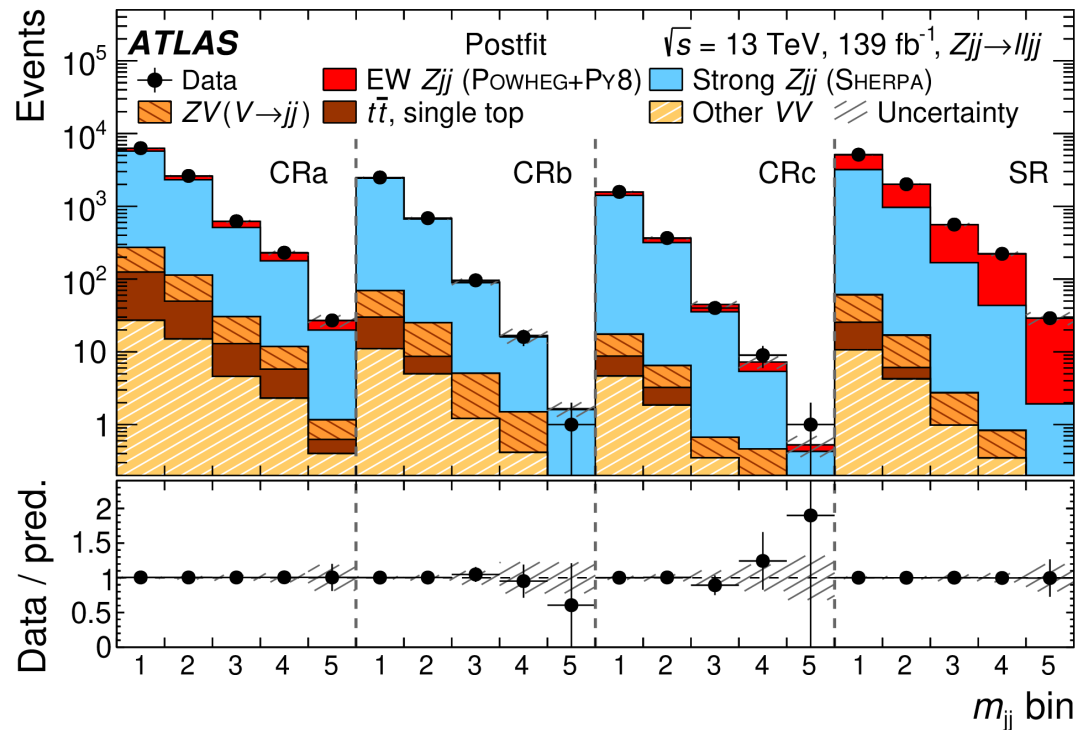
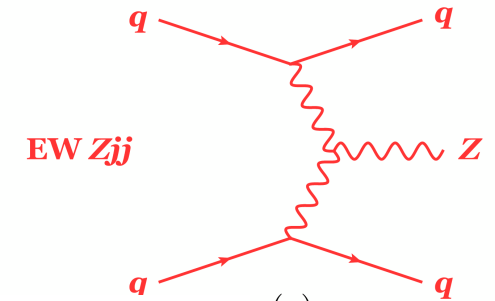
# Inclusive 4l measurements

- EFT results with linear fit only vs linear + quadratic fit

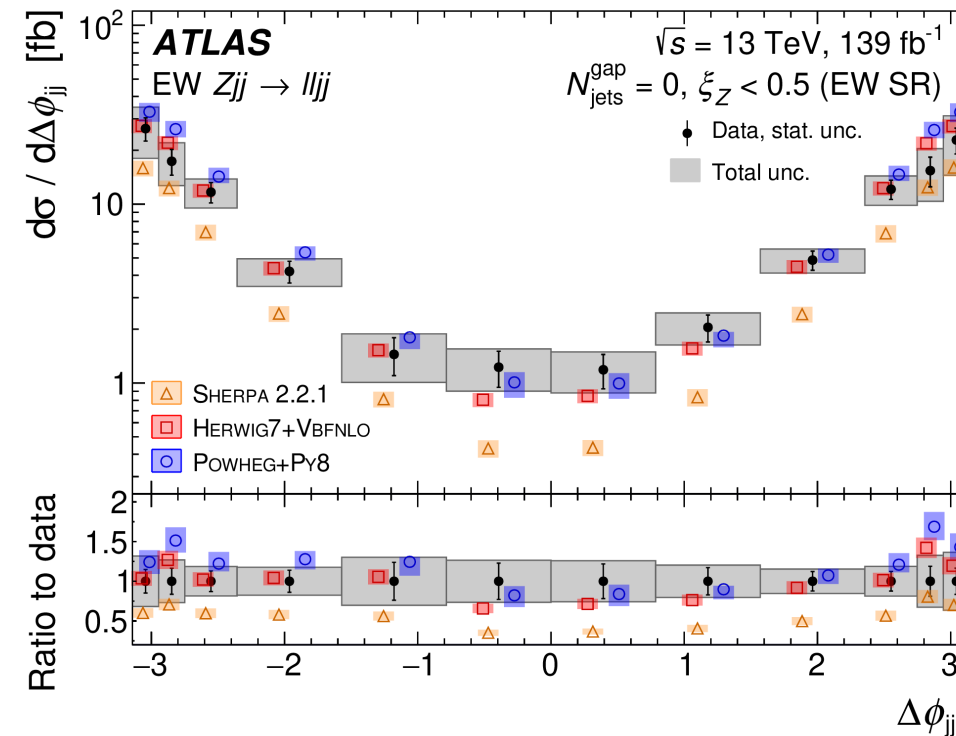


# VBF Zjj measurements

- Differential measurements of EW Zjj
  - Sensitive to aTGC
  - Large background contribution from QCD Zjj subtracted



Dedicated data control regions are used to constrain the modelling of QCD Zjj



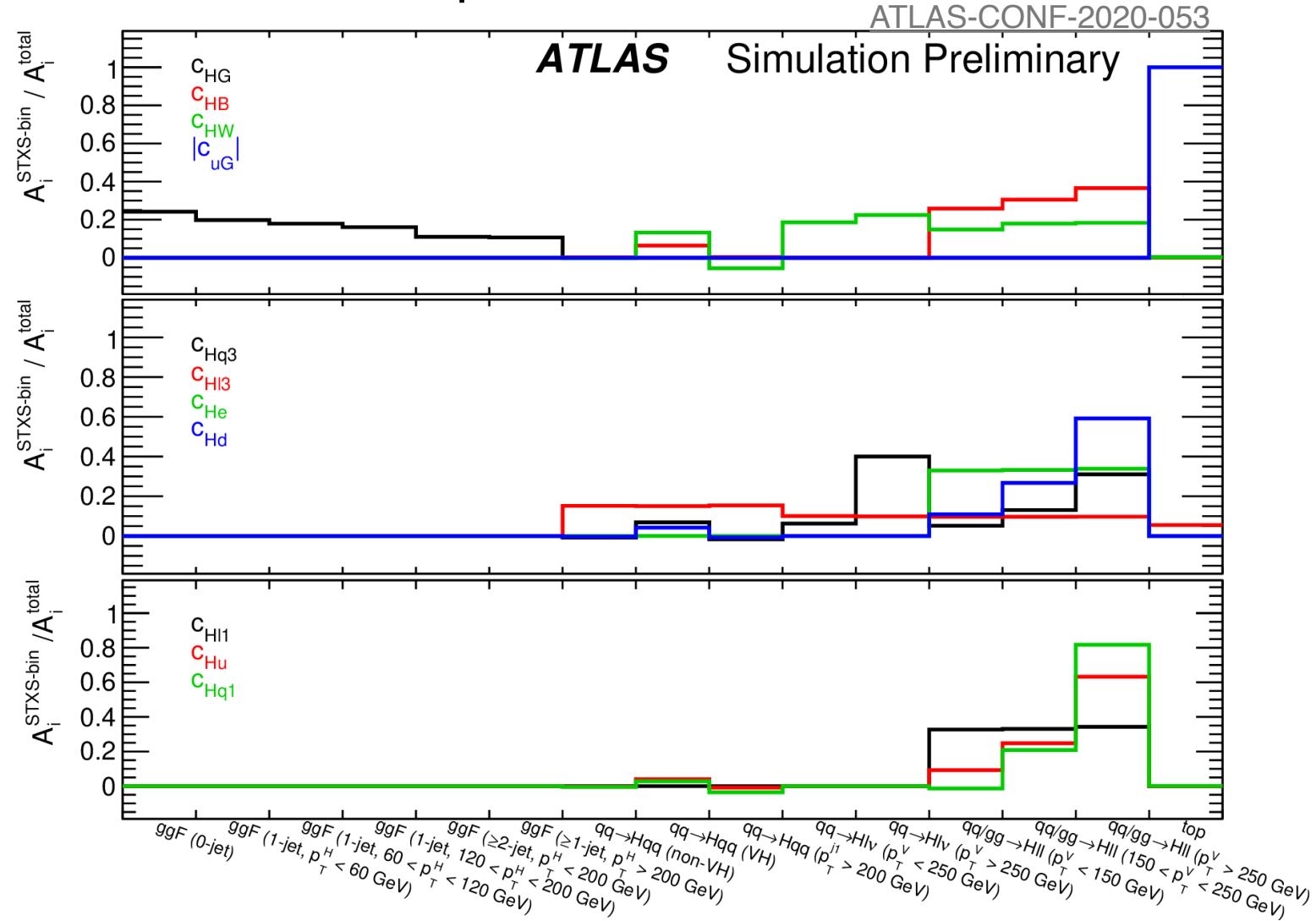
Signed  $\Delta\phi_{jj} = \phi_f - \phi_b$ , with  $y > y_b$ , sensitive to CP-odd EFT operators



# EFT interpretation in the Higgs sector

- Relative impact of selected SMEFT operators on STXS

- Warsaw basis



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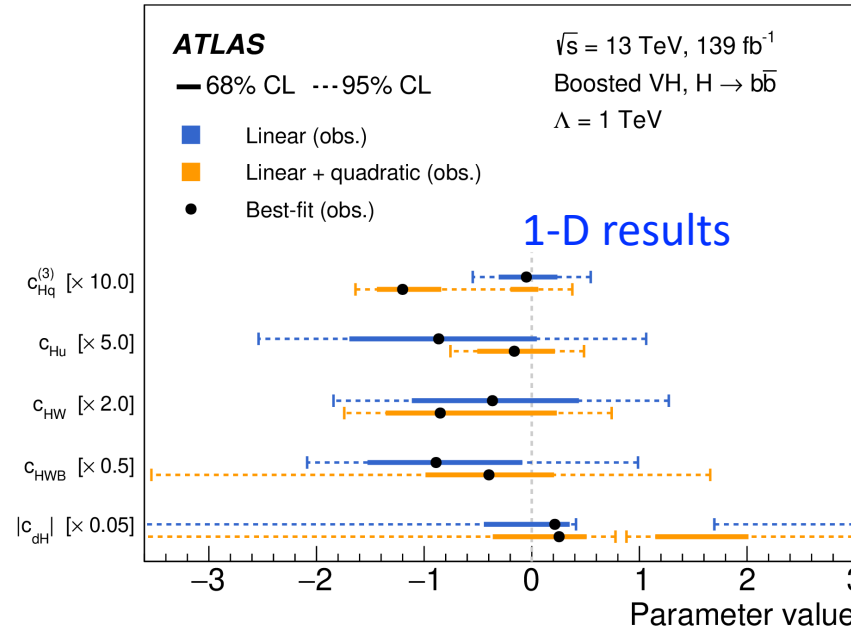
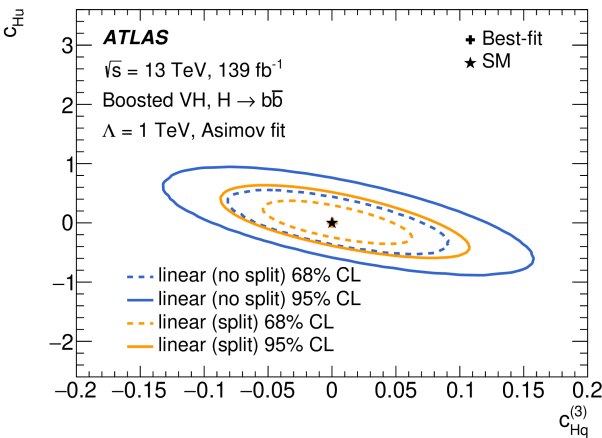
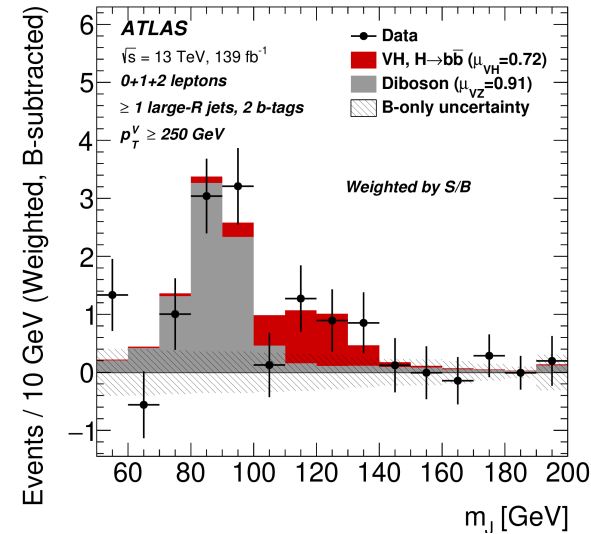
# VH( $H \rightarrow bb$ ) resolved

- Eigenvectors

Wilson coefficient	Eigenvalue	Eigenvector
$c_{E0}$	2000	$0.98 \cdot c_{Hq}^{(3)}$
$c_{E1}$	38	$0.85 \cdot c_{Hu} - 0.39 \cdot c_{Hq}^{(1)} - 0.27 \cdot c_{Hd}$
$c_{E2}$	8.3	$0.70 \cdot \Delta\text{BR}/\text{BR}_{\text{SM}} + 0.62 \cdot c_{HW}$
$c_{E3}$	0.2	$0.74 \cdot c_{HWB} + 0.53 \cdot c_{Hq}^{(1)} - 0.32 \cdot c_{HW}$
$c_{E4}$	$6.4 \cdot 10^{-3}$	$0.65 \cdot c_{HW} - 0.60 \cdot \Delta\text{BR}/\text{BR}_{\text{SM}} + 0.35 \cdot c_{Hq}^{(1)}$

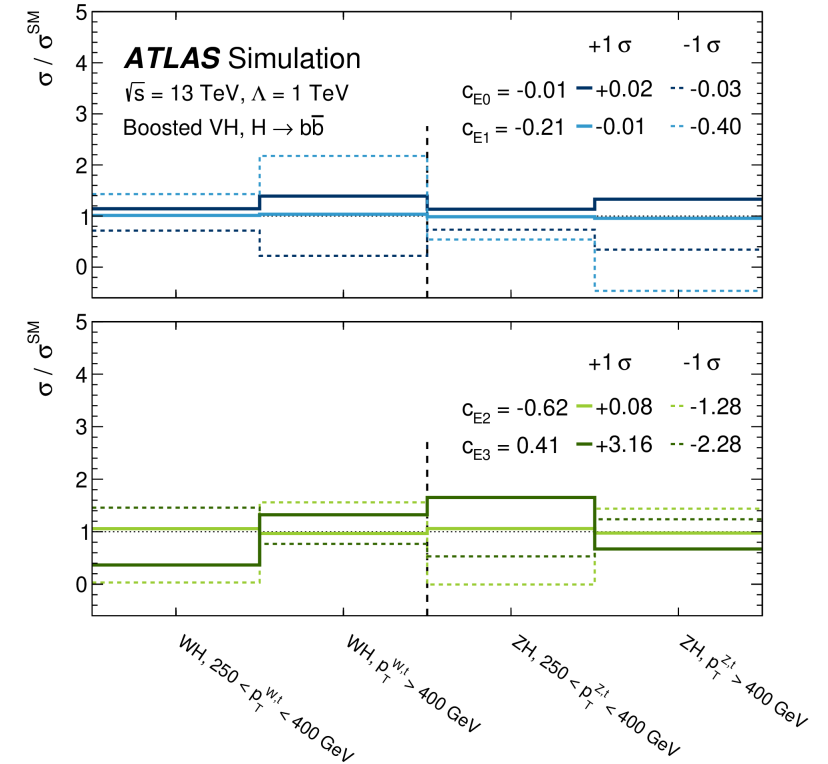
# VH(H→bb) boosted

- Similar strategy as in the resolved analysis
- Expected better sensitivity to EFT at higher  $p_T$



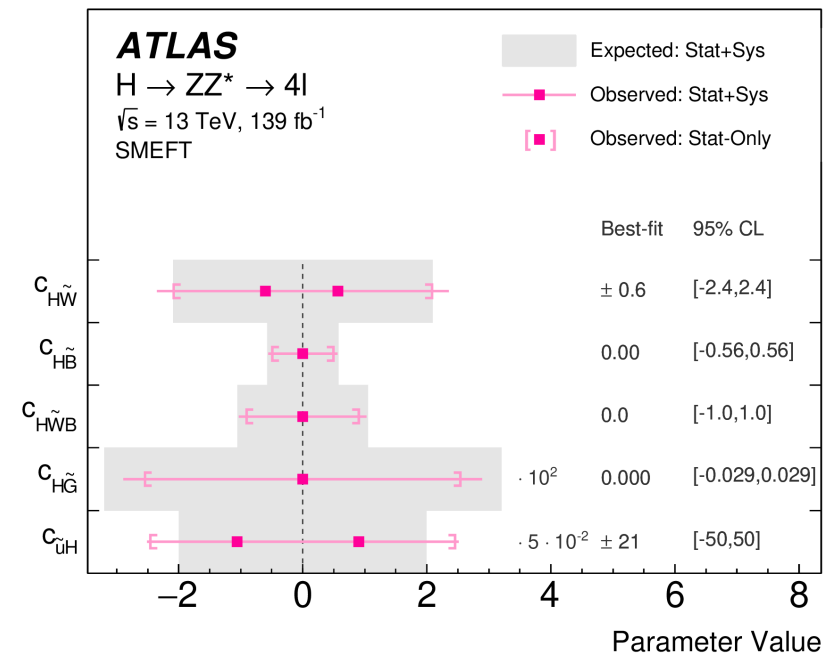
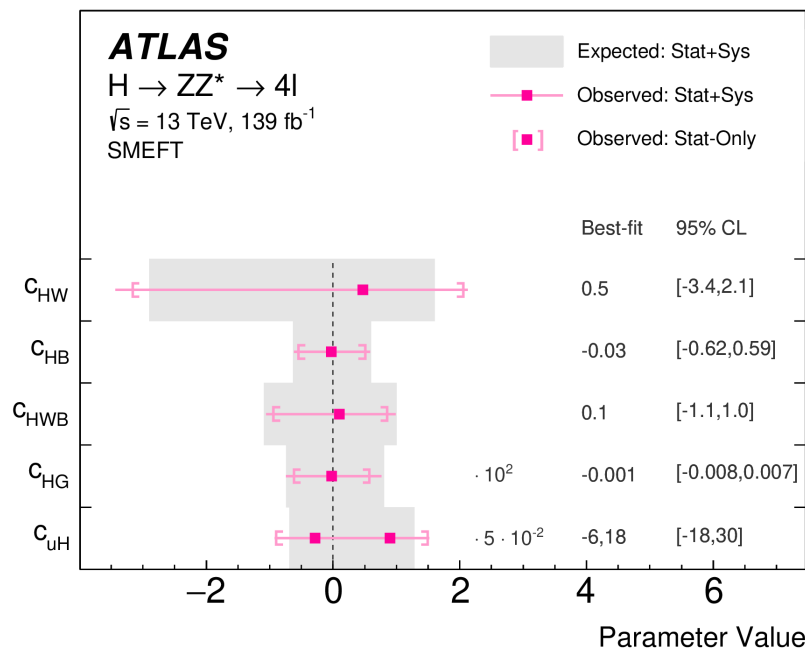
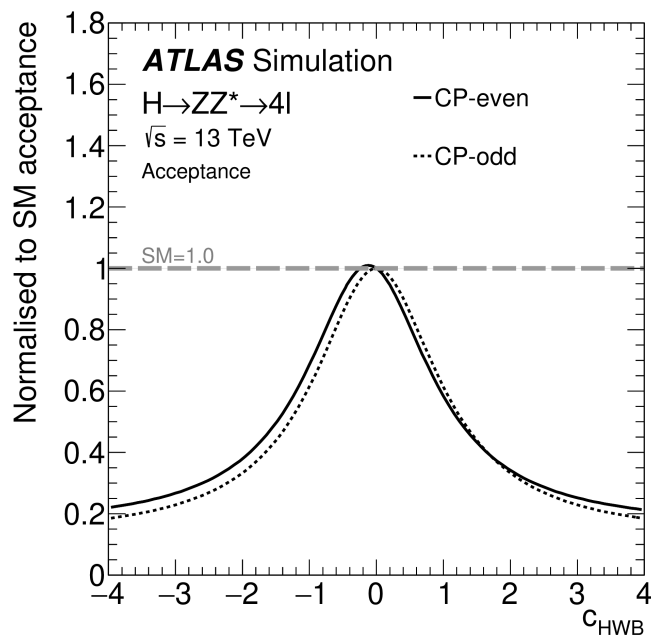
Expected sensitivity with two  $p_T^V$  bins (blue lines) and using a single bin of  $p_T^V > 250 \text{ GeV}$  (orange lines)

## 5-D results



# H → 4l STXS

- STXS results are used to constrain 5 CP-even and 5 CP-odd operators
  - Acceptance effects taken into account
  - 1-D fit results (2-D results also provided)



# HWW + SM WW combination

- Statistical model

- HWW: Poisson
- SM WW: a multivariate Gaussian

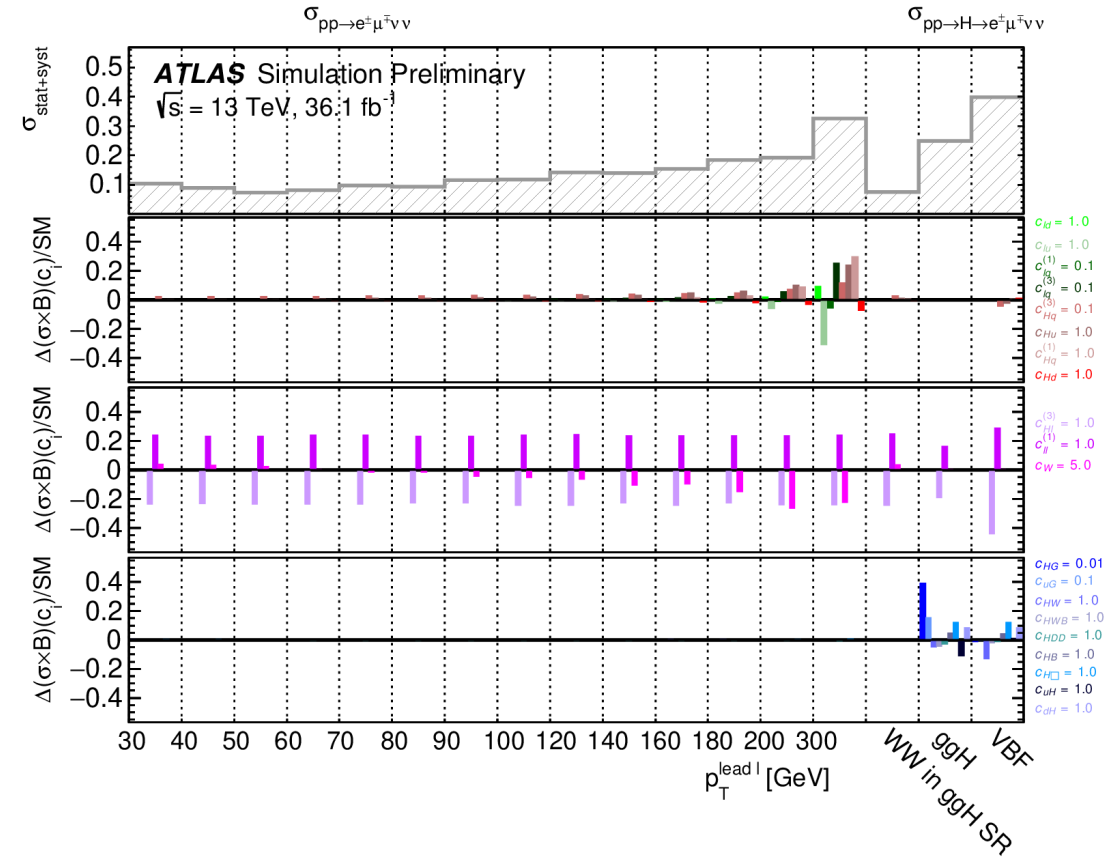
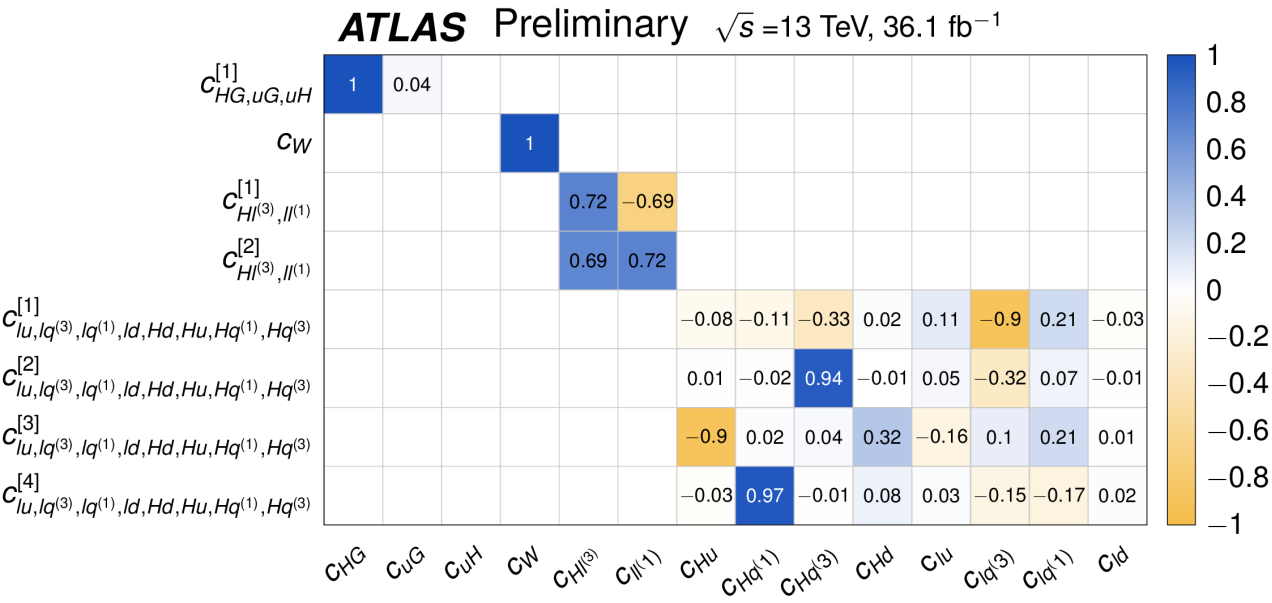
$$L^{\text{comb}}(N, \mathbf{x} | \mathbf{c}, \boldsymbol{\theta}^{\text{comb}}) = \prod_{b \notin \text{WW-CR}}^{n_{\text{bins}}^{\text{SR+CR}}} \text{Poisson} \left( N_b \left| \sum_p \mu_p(\mathbf{c}) S_p(\boldsymbol{\theta}^{\text{HWW}}) + B(\mathbf{c}, \boldsymbol{\theta}^{\text{HWW}}) \right. \right) \\ \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{(2\pi)^{n_{\text{bins}}^{\text{WW}}} \det(C)}} \exp \left( -\frac{1}{2} \Delta \mathbf{x}(\mathbf{c}, \boldsymbol{\theta}^{\text{WW}})^{\top} C^{-1} \Delta \mathbf{x}(\mathbf{c}, \boldsymbol{\theta}^{\text{WW}}) \right) \\ \times \prod_i^{n_{\text{sys}}^{\text{comb}}} f_i(\theta_i^{\text{comb}}).$$

- Overlap of the two measurements:

- These control regions of the HWW analysis are removed and the signal region of the WW measurement is used instead
- Uncertainties on this extrapolation are implicitly taken into account by the statistical model
  - Uncertainties affecting WW production are treated as fully correlated between the two

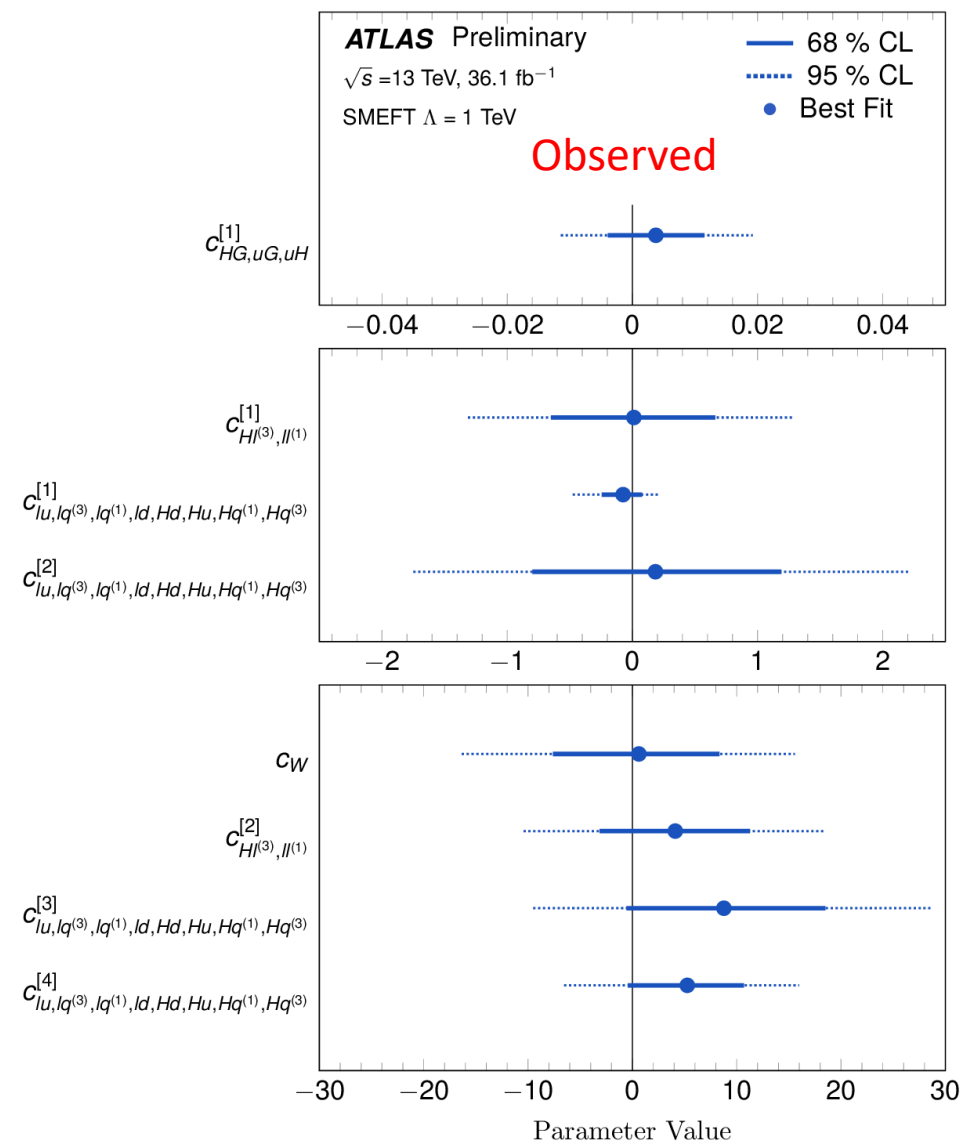
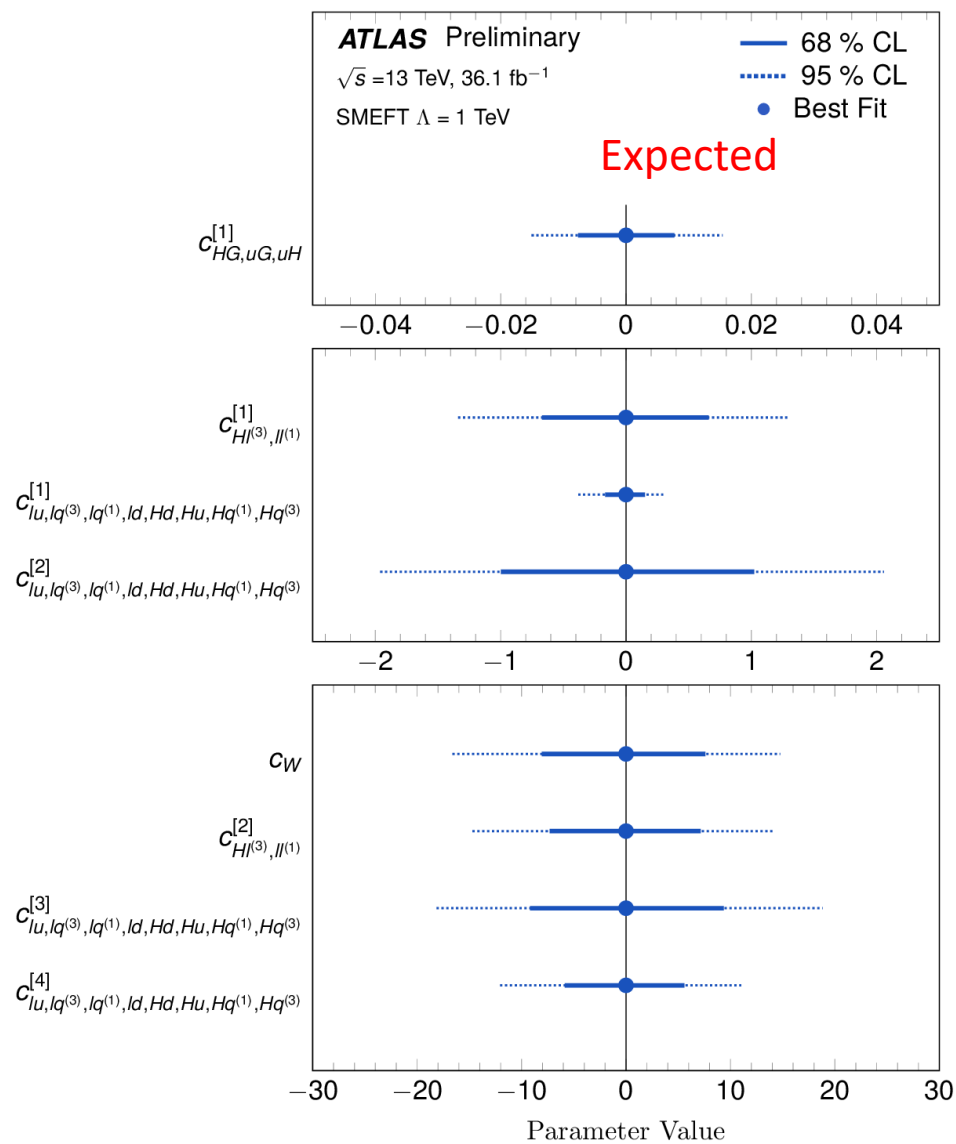
# HWW\* + SM WW combination

- EFT combination
  - SMEFT in Warsaw basis, 22 CP-even operators
  - Eigenvalue decomposition approach



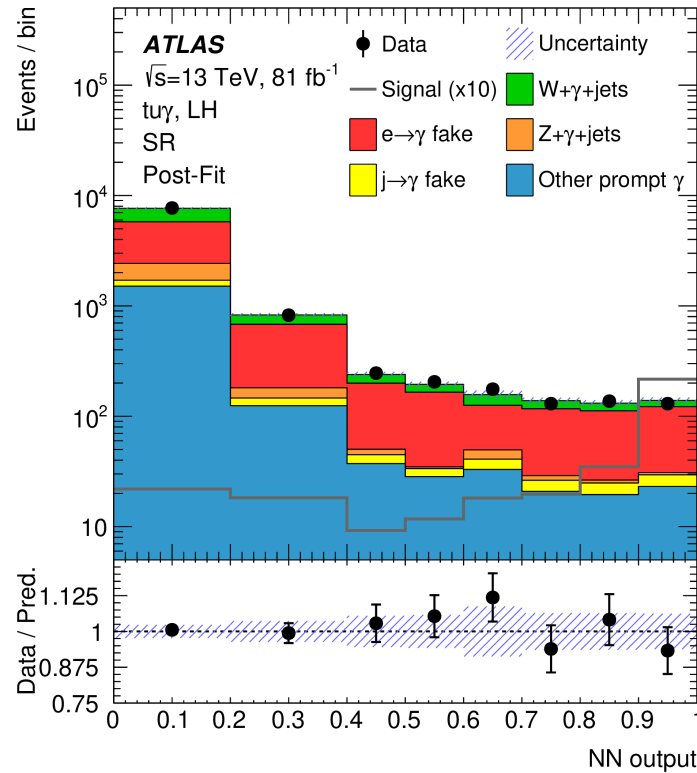
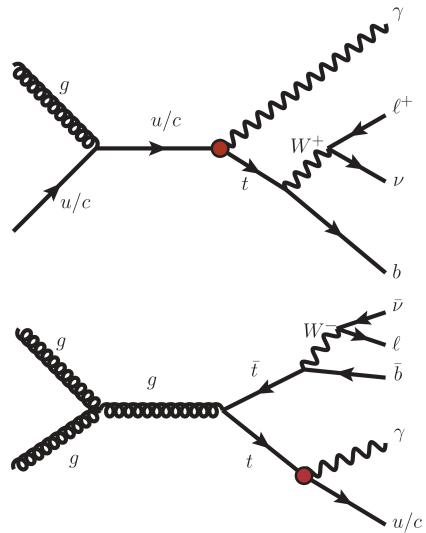
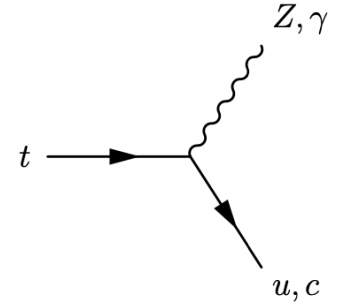
# HWW + SM WW combination

- 8-D results



# FCNC $tq\gamma$

- Direct searches using detector level observables
  - A neural network discriminant used
  - EFT samples simulated with the TopFCNC UFO



Observable	Vertex	Coupling	Obs.	Exp.
$ C_{uW}^{(13)*} + C_{uB}^{(13)*} $	$t u \gamma$	LH	0.19	$0.22^{+0.04}_{-0.03}$
$ C_{uW}^{(31)} + C_{uB}^{(31)} $	$t u \gamma$	RH	0.27	$0.27^{+0.05}_{-0.04}$
$ C_{uW}^{(23)*} + C_{uB}^{(23)*} $	$t c \gamma$	LH	0.52	$0.57^{+0.11}_{-0.09}$
$ C_{uW}^{(32)} + C_{uB}^{(32)} $	$t c \gamma$	RH	0.48	$0.59^{+0.12}_{-0.09}$

Complementary to limits on the single operators from the ATLAS FCNC  $tqZ$  search *JHEP 07 (2018) 176*



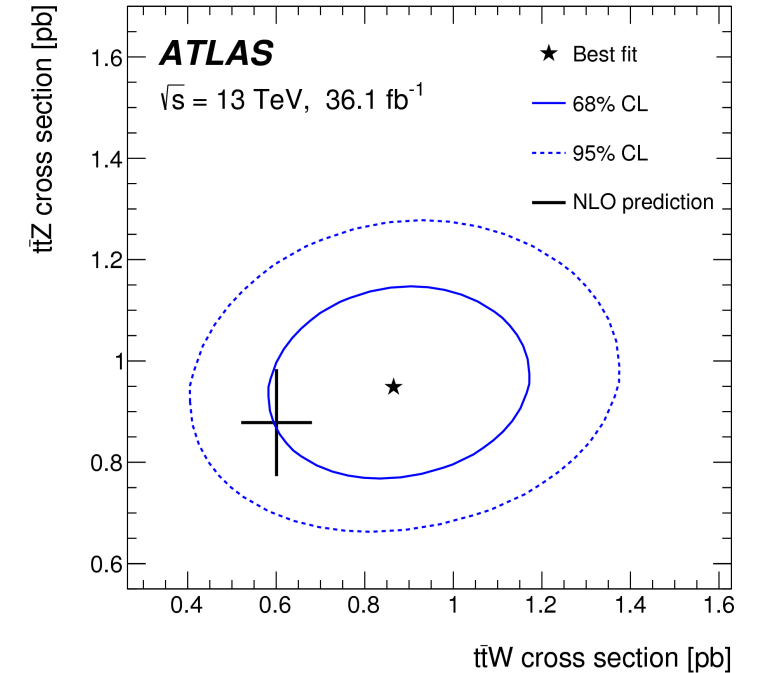
# ttW, ttZ measurements

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- Direct probe of the weak couplings of the top quark
  - Signal strength measurements at the detector level  $\mu_{ttW}, \mu_{ttZ}$
- EFT interpretation
  - Using  $\sigma_{ttZ}$  measurement only
  - EFT predictions simulated with `dim6top` UFO

Process	$t\bar{t}$ decay	Boson decay	Channel
$t\bar{t}W$	$(\ell^\pm \nu b)(q\bar{q}b)$	$\ell^\pm \nu$	SS dilepton
	$(\ell^\pm \nu b)(\ell^\mp \nu b)$	$\ell^\pm \nu$	Trilepton
$t\bar{t}Z$	$(q\bar{q}b)(q\bar{q}b)$	$\ell^+ \ell^-$	OS dilepton
	$(\ell^\pm \nu b)(q\bar{q}b)$	$\ell^+ \ell^-$	Trilepton
	$(\ell^\pm \nu b)(\ell^\mp \nu b)$	$\ell^+ \ell^-$	Tetralepton

Coefficients	$C_{\phi Q}^{(3)}/\Lambda^2$	$C_{\phi t}/\Lambda^2$	$C_{tB}/\Lambda^2$	$C_{tW}/\Lambda^2$
Previous indirect constraints at 68% CL	[-4.7, 0.7]	[-0.1, 3.7]	[-0.5, 10]	[-1.6, 0.8]
Previous direct constraints at 95% CL	[-1.3, 1.3]	[-9.7, 8.3]	[-6.9, 4.6]	[-0.2, 0.7]
Expected limit at 68% CL	[-2.1, 1.9]	[-3.8, 2.7]	[-2.9, 3.0]	[-1.8, 1.9]
Expected limit at 95% CL	[-4.5, 3.6]	[-23, 4.9]	[-4.2, 4.3]	[-2.6, 2.6]
Observed limit at 68% CL	[-1.0, 2.7]	[-2.0, 3.5]	[-3.7, 3.5]	[-2.2, 2.1]
Observed limit at 95% CL	[-3.3, 4.2]	[-25, 5.5]	[-5.0, 5.0]	[-2.9, 2.9]
Expected limit at 68% CL (linear)	[-1.9, 2.0]	[-3.0, 3.2]	–	–
Expected limit at 95% CL (linear)	[-3.7, 4.0]	[-5.8, 6.3]	–	–
Observed limit at 68% CL (linear)	[-1.0, 2.9]	[-1.8, 4.4]	–	–
Observed limit at 95% CL (linear)	[-2.9, 4.9]	[-4.8, 7.5]	–	–



# Operators in the Warsaw basis

Sandra Kortner

Only CP-even operators

Coefficient	Operator	Vertex	Higgs production and decay modes	SM processes
$c_{HG}$	$H^\dagger H G_{\mu\nu}^A G^{A\mu\nu}$	$Hgg$	$ggH, ttH, \Gamma_H$	$(WW), ZZ, (VBFZ)$
$c_{Hbox}$	$(H^\dagger H)\square(H^\dagger H)$	$HVV$	$VBFH, VH, ttH, 4\ell, WW, \tau\tau, bb, \Gamma_H$	$WW, ZZ$
$c_{HDD}$	$(H^\dagger D_\mu H)^*(H^\dagger D_\mu H)$	$VVV, HVV, \delta$	$VBFH, VH, ttH, 4\ell, WW, \tau\tau, bb, \Gamma_H$	$WW, WZ, ZZ, VBFZ$
$c_{HW}$	$H^\dagger H W_{\mu\nu}^I W^{I\mu\nu}$	$HVV$	$VBFH, VH, ttH, \gamma\gamma, 4\ell, WW, \Gamma_H$	$(WW), ZZ$
$c_{HB}$	$H^\dagger H B_{\mu\nu} B^{\mu\nu}$	$HVV$	$VBFH, VH, ttH, \gamma\gamma, 4\ell, \Gamma_H$	$ZZ$
$c_{HWB}$	$H^\dagger \tau^I H W_{\mu\nu}^I B^{\mu\nu}$	$VVV, HVV, \delta$	$VBFH, VH, ttH, \gamma\gamma, 4\ell, WW, \Gamma_H$	$WW, WZ, ZZ, VBFZ$
$c_W$	$\epsilon^{ijk} W_\mu^{i\nu} W_\nu^{j\rho} W_\rho^{k\mu}$	$VVV$		$WW, WZ, VBFZ$
$c_{Hq1}$	$(H^\dagger i \overleftrightarrow{D}_\mu H)(\bar{q}_p \gamma^\mu q_r)$	$Vqq, HVqq$	$VBFH, VH$	$WW, WZ, ZZ, VBFZ$
$c_{Hq3}$	$(H^\dagger i \overleftrightarrow{D}_\mu^I H)(\bar{q}_p \tau^I \gamma^\mu q_r)$	$Vqq, HVqq$	$VBFH, VH, ttH, \Gamma_H$	$WW, WZ, ZZ, VBFZ$
$c_{Hu}$	$(H^\dagger i \overleftrightarrow{D}_\mu H)(\bar{u}_p \gamma^\mu u_r)$	$Vqq, HVqq$	$VBFH, VH$	$WW, ZZ, VBFZ$
$c_{Hd}$	$(H^\dagger i \overleftrightarrow{D}_\mu H)(\bar{d}_p \gamma^\mu d_r)$	$Vqq, HVqq$	$VBFH, VH$	$WW, ZZ, VBFZ$
$c_{He}$	$(H^\dagger i \overleftrightarrow{D}_\mu H)(\bar{e}_p \gamma^\mu e_r)$	$Vll, HVll$	$VH, 4\ell, WW$	$WZ, ZZ, VBFZ$
$c_{Hl1}$	$(H^\dagger i \overleftrightarrow{D}_\mu H)(\bar{l}_p \gamma^\mu l_r)$	$Vll, HVll$	$VH, 4\ell$	$WW, WZ, ZZ, VBFZ$
$c_{Hl3}$	$(H^\dagger i \overleftrightarrow{D}_\mu^I H)(\bar{l}_p \tau^I \gamma^\mu l_r)$	$Vll, HVll, VVV, HVV, \delta$	$VBFH, VH, ttH, 4\ell, WW, \tau\tau, bb, \Gamma_H$	$WW, WZ, ZZ, VBFZ$
$c_{ll1}$	$(\bar{l}_p \gamma_\mu l_r)(\bar{l}_s \gamma^\mu l_t)$	$llll$	$VBFH, VH, ttH, 4\ell, WW, \tau\tau, bb, \Gamma_H$	
$c_{lq1}$	$(\bar{l}_p \gamma_\mu l_r)(\bar{q}_s \gamma^\mu q_t)$	$qqll$		$WW, WZ$
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$ c_{uG} $	$(\bar{q}_p \sigma^{\mu\nu} T^A u_r) \tilde{H} G_{\mu\nu}^A$	$gthH$	$thH$	
...				

# Fit inputs and statistical analysis

- Input measurements:
  - Higgs STXS should include ( $A \times \epsilon$ ) changes where relevant
    - $H \rightarrow 4l$  for now,  $H \rightarrow WW^*$  being investigated
  - Unfolded measurements: “uninterested” processes usually subtracted
    - The impact of SMEFT on those “background” processes missing, eg VBF  $Z_{jj}$ ,  $VH(bb)$
  - Analysis overlaps should be removed
    - e.g.  $HWW^*$  and SM  $WW$ ,  $H \rightarrow 4l$  and SM inclusive  $4l$
- Statistical analysis:
  - Use principal component analysis (PCA) to identify and remove flat directions
    - Define measurement eigenvectors in the remaining parameter space
  - Combined likelihood:
    - Poisson for detector level measurements
    - Multi-Gaussian for unfolded
    - Use common Gaussian nuisance parameters to describe correlated exp/ and the. Uncertainties
  - Report confidence intervals with all parameters floating simultaneously (profiled)

# ZZ→2l2ν and Z(νν)γ measurements

- ZZ→2l2ν

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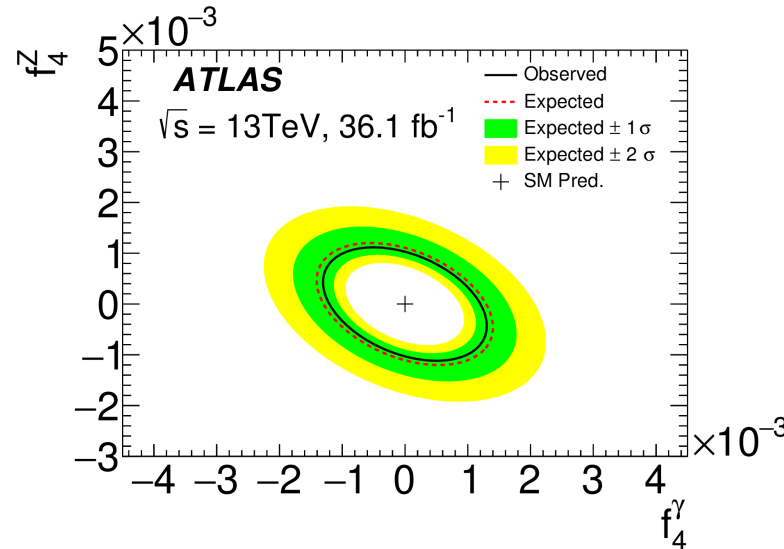
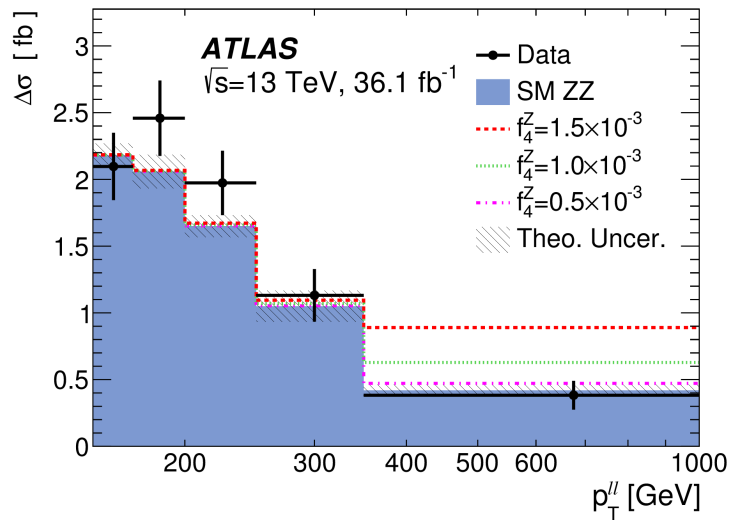
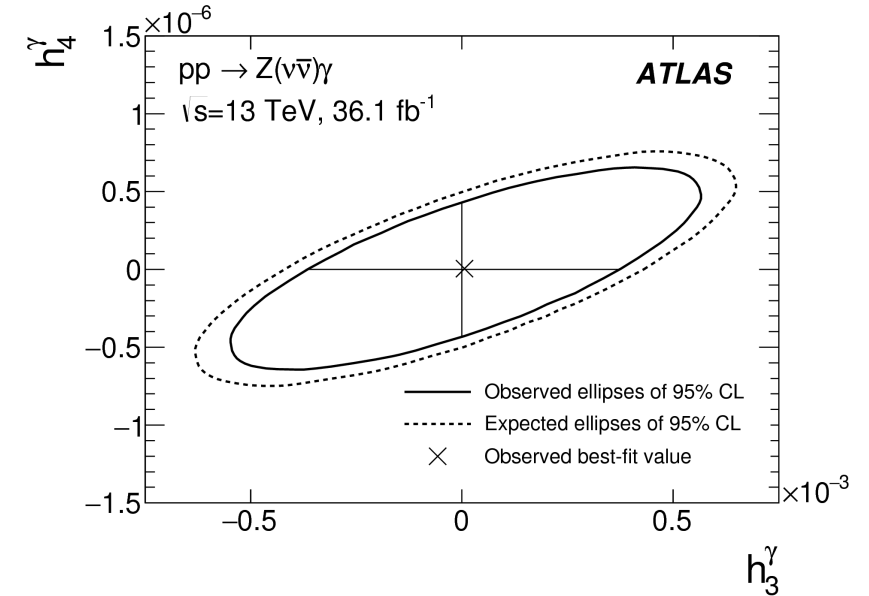
- Unfolded  $p_T^{ll}$  fiducial cross section used for limit extraction

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- Z(νν) γ

- The yields of Zγ events with high  $E_T^\gamma (>600 \text{ GeV})$  from the exclusive (zero-jet) selection are used to set limits on

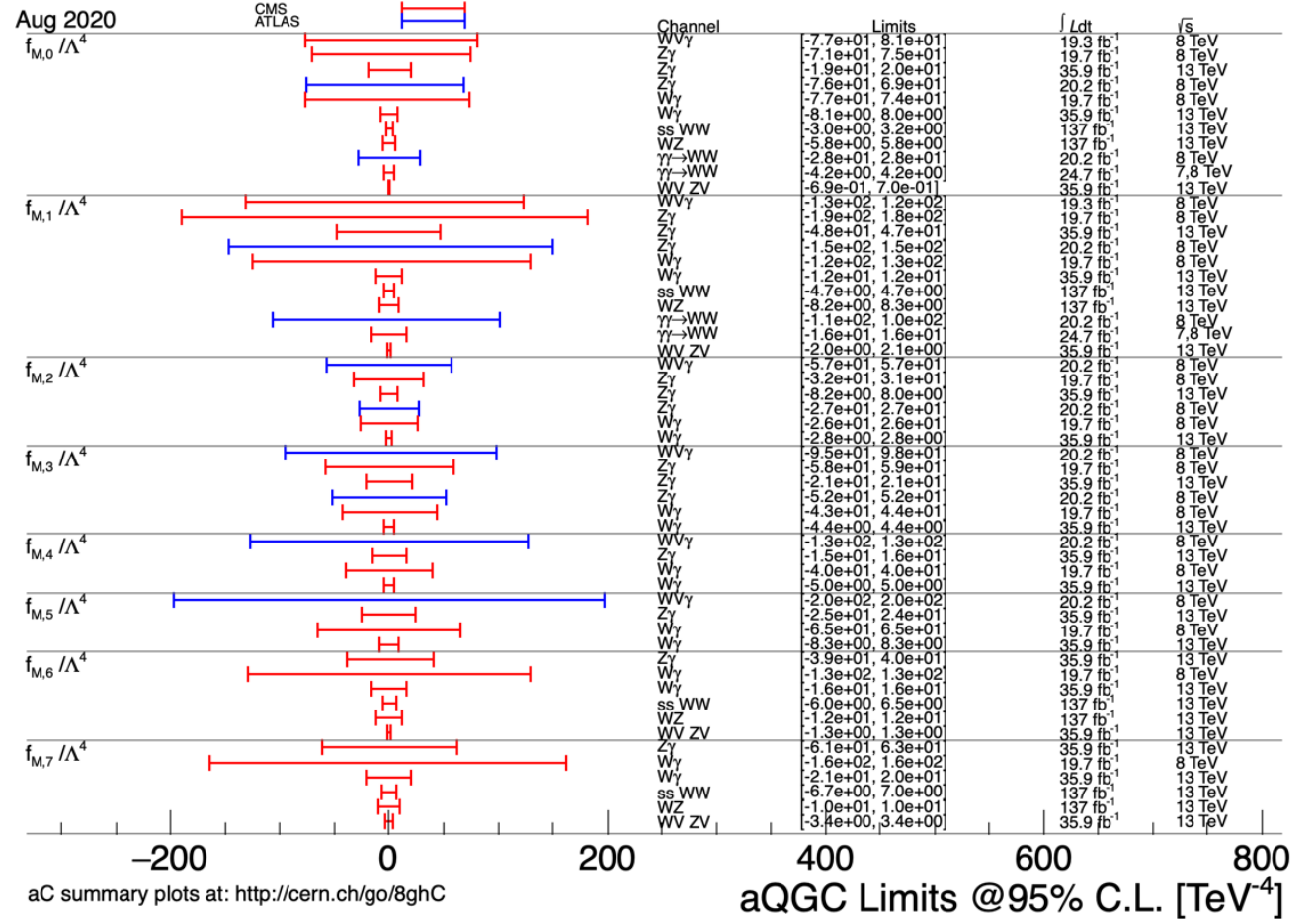
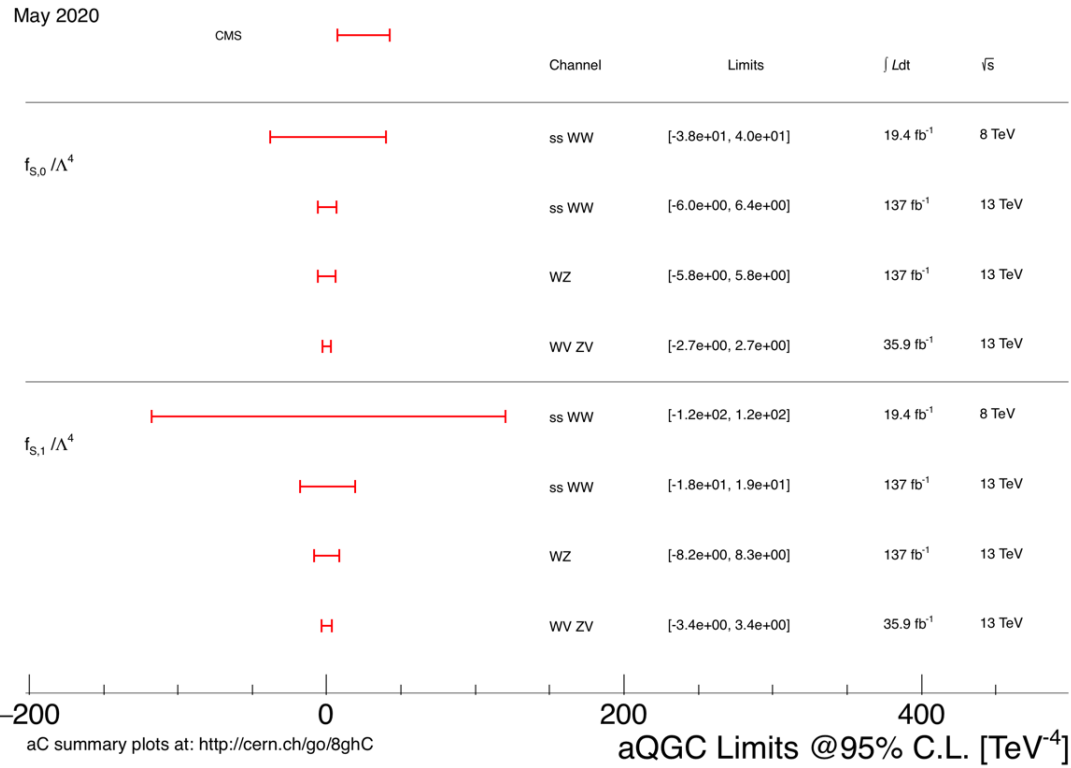
$$N_{Z\gamma}^{\text{aTGC}}(h_3^V, h_4^V) = \sigma_{Z\gamma}^{\text{aTGC}}(h_3^V, h_4^V) \cdot C_{Z\gamma} \cdot A_{Z\gamma} \cdot C^{*(\text{parton} \rightarrow \text{particle})} \cdot \int L dt.$$



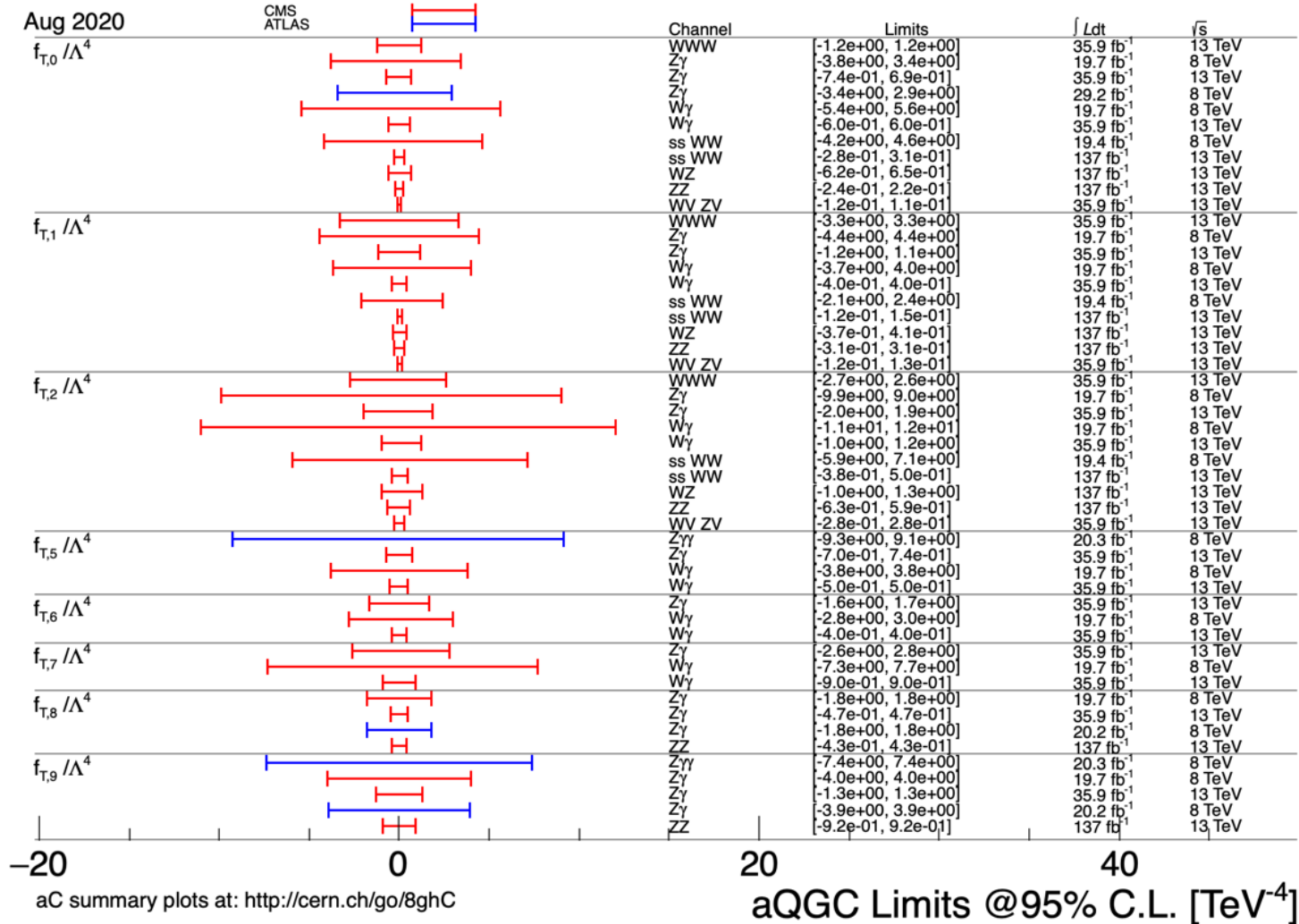
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	Measured [TeV <sup>-4</sup> ]	Expected [TeV <sup>-4</sup> ]
$C_{\tilde{B}W}/\Lambda^4$	(-1.1, 1.1)	(-1.3, 1.3)
$C_{BW}/\Lambda^4$	(-0.65, 0.64)	(-0.74, 0.74)
$C_{WW}/\Lambda^4$	(-2.3, 2.3)	(-2.7, 2.7)
$C_{BB}/\Lambda^4$	(-0.24, 0.24)	(-0.28, 0.27)

# Summary of aQGC constraints

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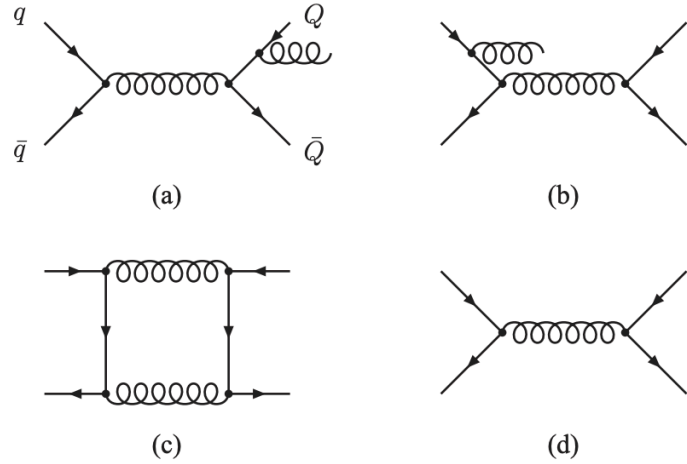
# Summary of aQGC constraints



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# Charge asymmetry in $t\bar{t}$

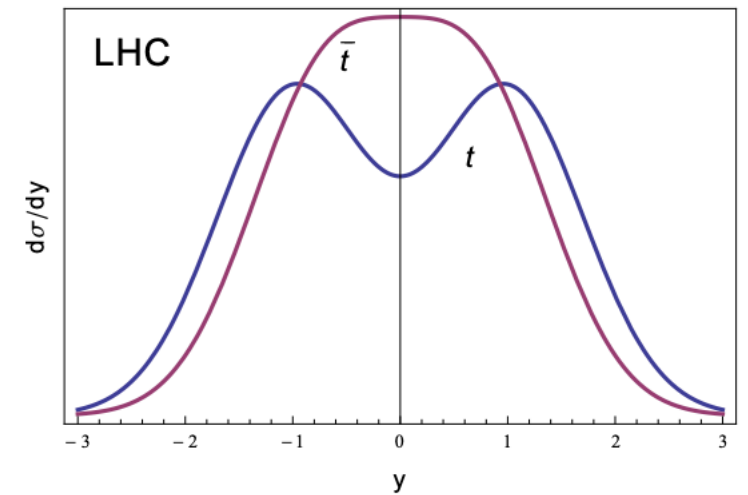
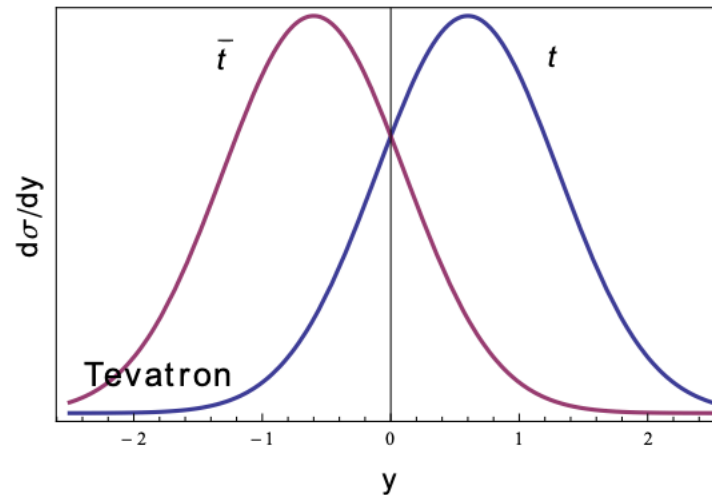
- Interference between  $q\bar{q}$  Born and Box diagrams



German Rodrigo, [arXiv:1207.0331](https://arxiv.org/abs/1207.0331)

$$A_C = \frac{N(\Delta|y| > 0) - N(\Delta|y| < 0)}{N(\Delta|y| > 0) + N(\Delta|y| < 0)},$$

$$\Delta|y| = |y_t| - |y_{\bar{t}}|$$



# Effective Wtb vertices

- Effective Lagrangian by adding dim-6 anomalous couplings

$$\mathcal{L}_{tWb} = -\frac{g}{\sqrt{2}}\bar{b}\gamma^\mu(V_L P_L + V_R P_R)tW_\mu^- - \frac{g}{\sqrt{2}}\bar{b}\frac{i\sigma^{\mu\nu}q_\nu}{m_W}(g_L P_L + g_R P_R)tW_\mu^- + \text{h.c.},$$

$V_{L,R}$  and  $g_{L,R}$  are left- and right-handed vector and tensor couplings, respectively  
 $P_{L,R}$  refers to the left- and right-handed chirality projection operators

In the SM,  $V_L$  is given by the CKM matrix element  $V_{tb}$ , with a measured value of  $\approx 1$ ,  $V_R = g_L = g_R = 0$  at the tree level

The polarization fractions can be translated into the couplings  $V_L$ ,  $V_R$ ,  $g_L$ , and  $g_R$

- From anomalous couplings to Dim-6 EFT

$$\begin{aligned}\delta V_L &= C_{\phi q}^{(3,33)*} \frac{v^2}{\Lambda^2}, & \delta g_L &= \sqrt{2}C_{dW}^{33*} \frac{v^2}{\Lambda^2}, \\ \delta V_R &= \frac{1}{2}C_{\phi\phi}^{33} \frac{v^2}{\Lambda^2}, & \delta g_R &= \sqrt{2}C_{uW}^{33} \frac{v^2}{\Lambda^2}.\end{aligned}$$