



CMS Experiment at the LHC, CERN

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Evidence for Higgs boson decay to a pair of muons from the CMS experiment and the CMS MIP Timing Detector

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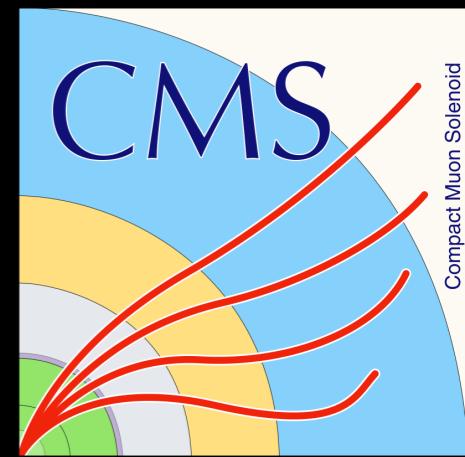
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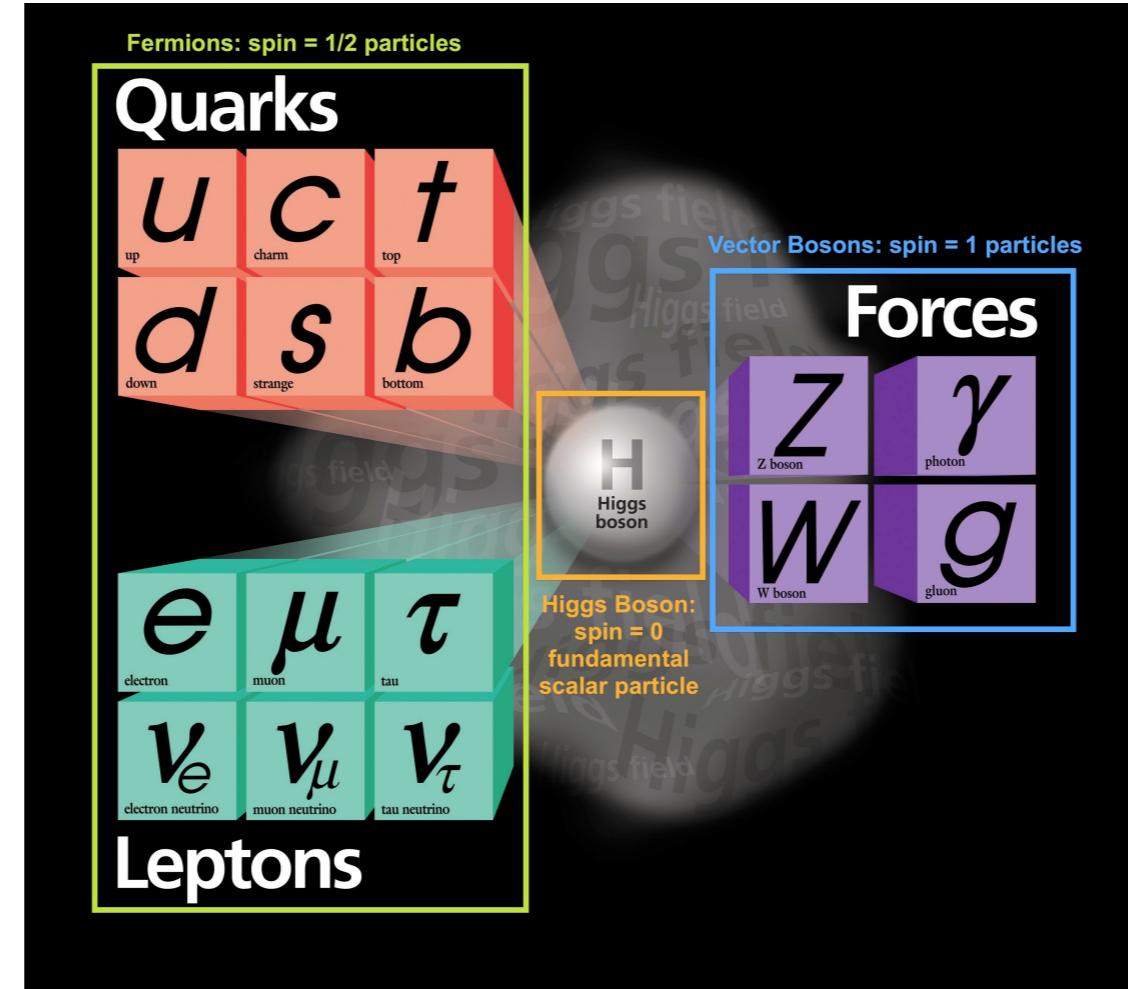
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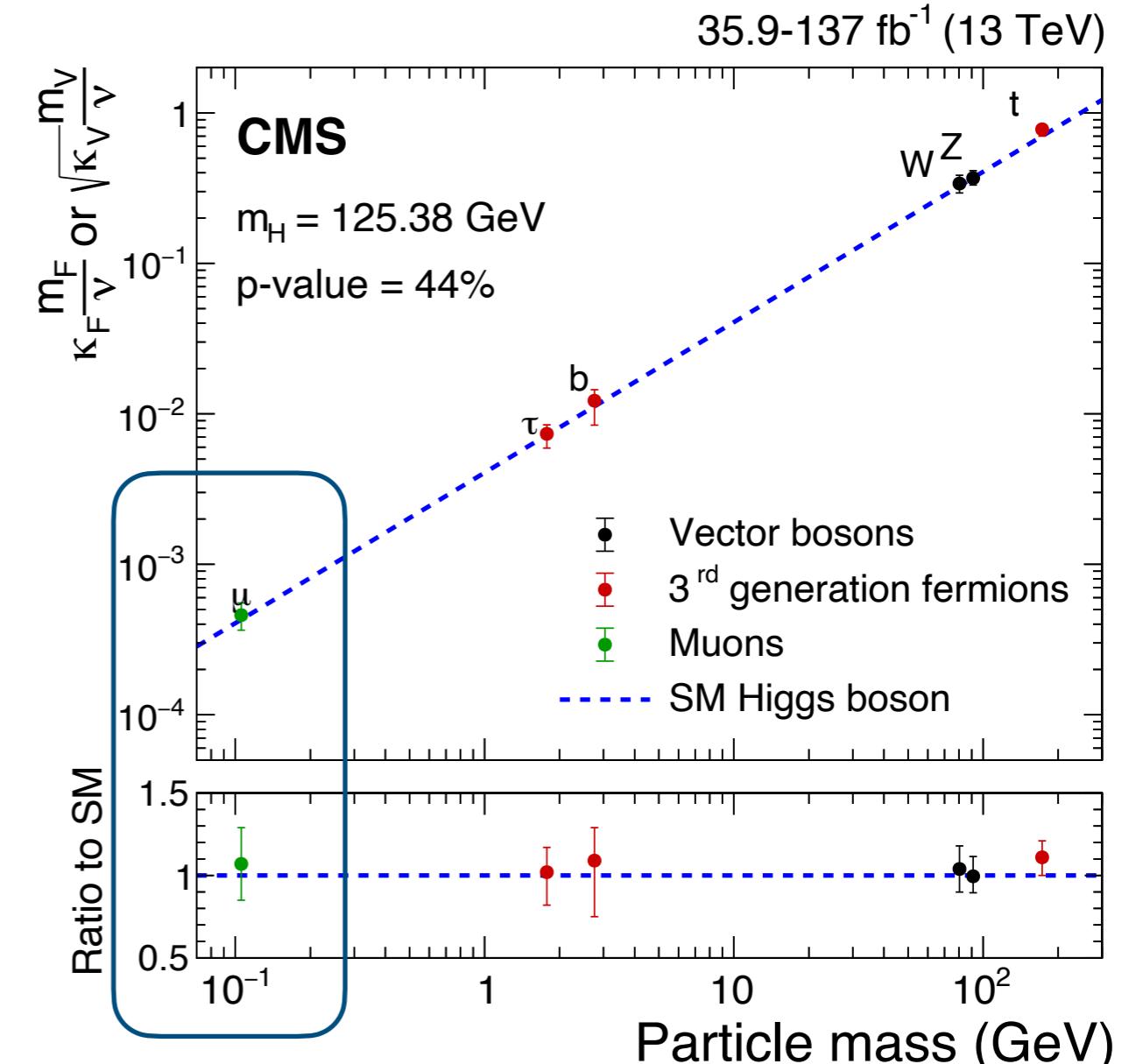
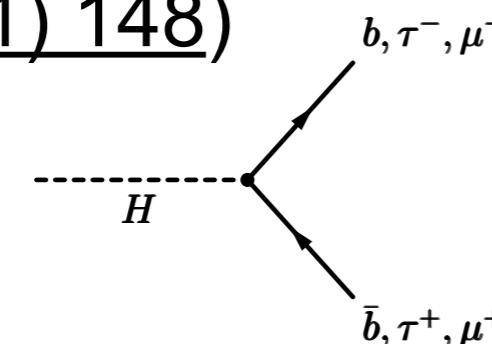
The Standard Model and the Higgs Boson



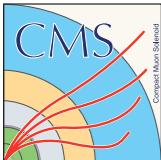
- The fundamental building blocks of matter and their interactions are summarized in theory – Standard Model of Particle Physics
- A unique spin-0 elementary particle Higgs boson - arising from Brout-Englert-Higgs (BEH) mechanism
- Higgs Boson Discovery: an achievement of humanity

Higgs Boson Coupling Measurements

- Higgs boson couplings to W and Z boson (Run 1), 3rd generation fermions t, b, τ (Run 1+2) established
- $H \rightarrow \mu\mu$: current most sensitive channel to probe Higgs boson coupling to 2nd-generation fermion at LHC
- first part today: $H \rightarrow \mu\mu$ search using full Run 2 data from CMS ([JHEP 01 \(2021\) 148](#))

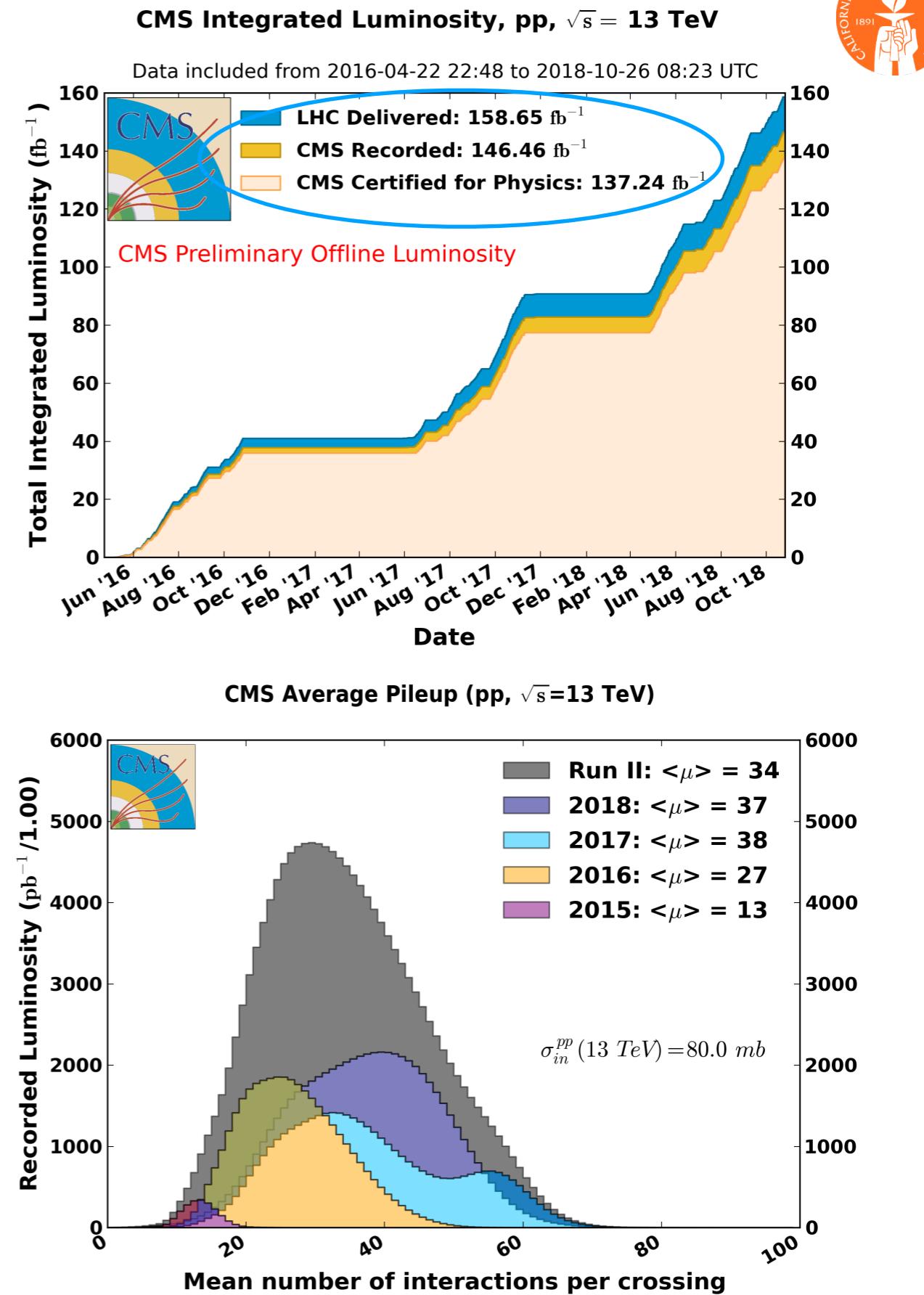


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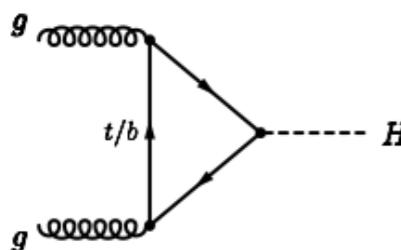
Run 2 Data-taking

- Excellent operation of the LHC and performance of the CMS detector in Run 2
- A large dataset recorded in Run 2 with high efficiency:
 - **137 fb⁻¹** of **13 TeV pp** collision data collected by CMS after data quality requirements

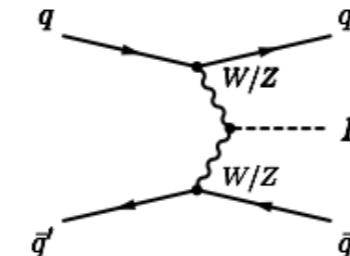


How Many $H \rightarrow \mu\mu$ Events Produced in Run 2 ?

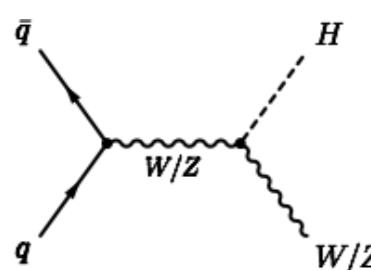
**Gluon-fusion
ggF 48.5 pb**



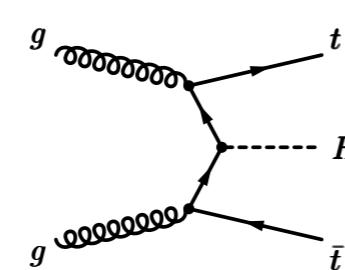
**Vector boson
fusion (VBF) 3.78 pb**



VH 2.25 pb



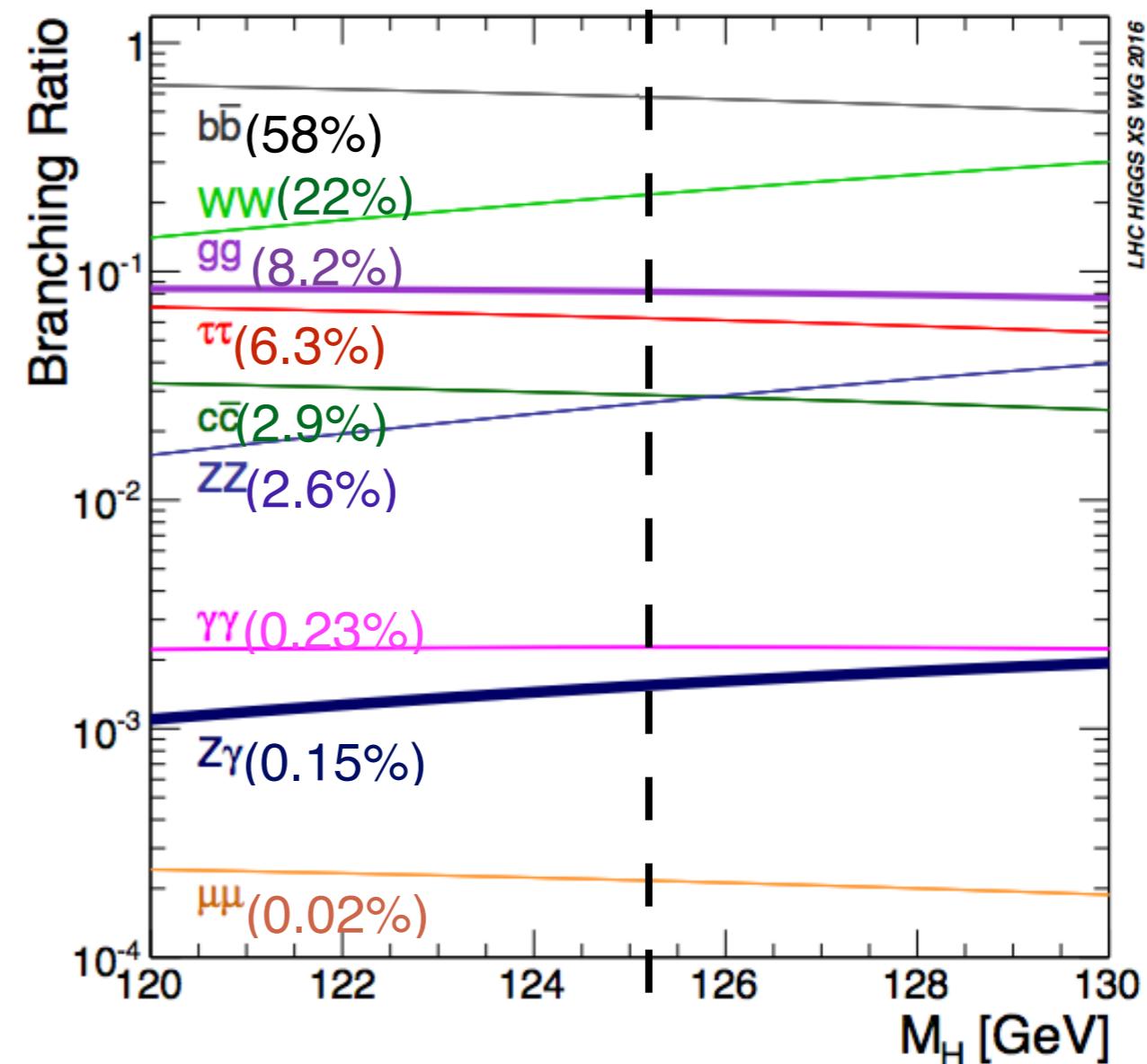
ttH 0.51 pb



About 1624 $H \rightarrow \mu\mu$ events produced with
137 fb^{-1} at 13 TeV

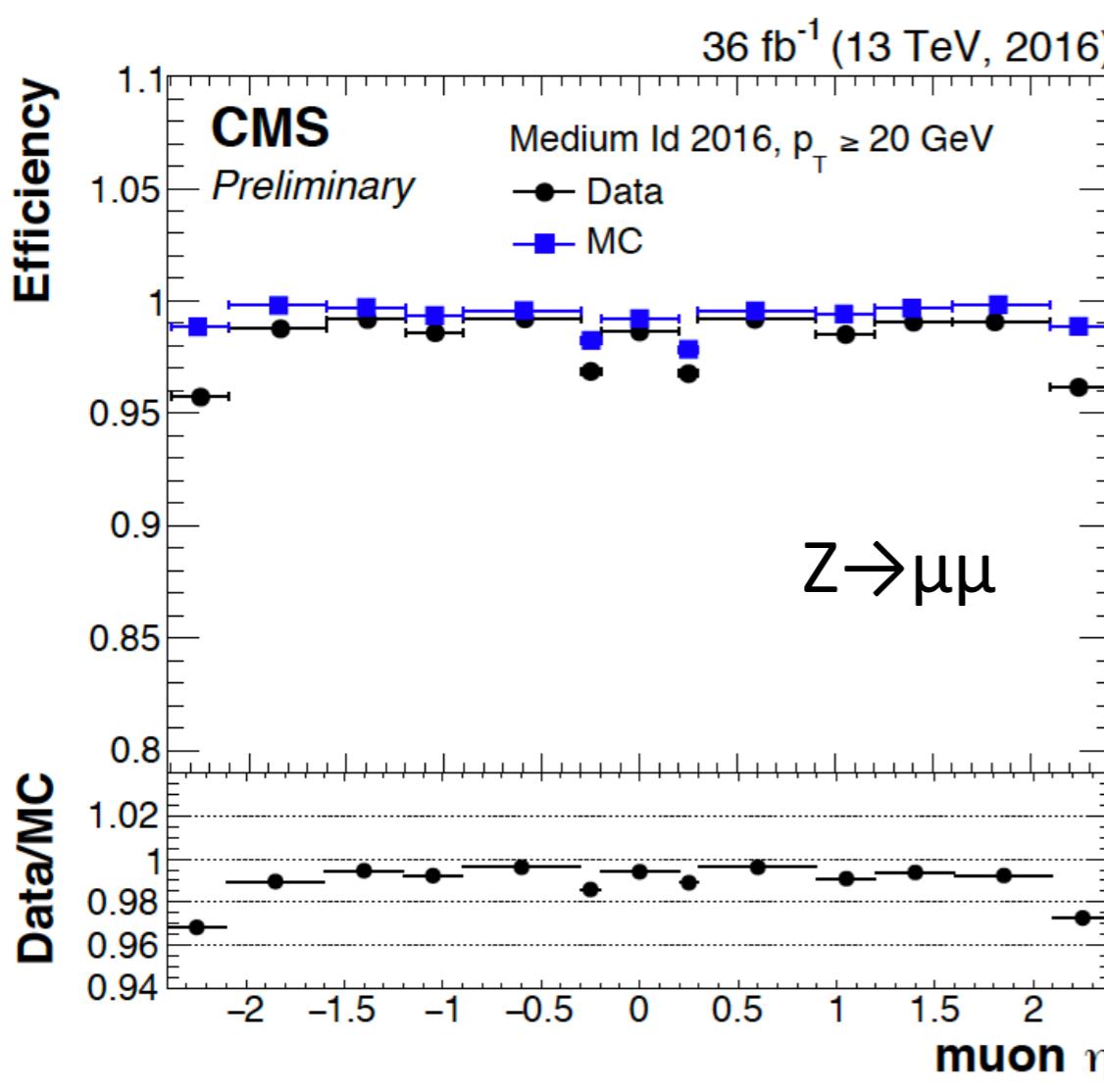
production modes	ggF	VBF	WH	ZH	ttH
H $\rightarrow \mu\mu$ events produced in Run 2 at 13 TeV (137 fb^{-1})	1431	112	40	26	15

Small Branching Ratio $\text{BR}(H \rightarrow \mu\mu)$: 0.02%

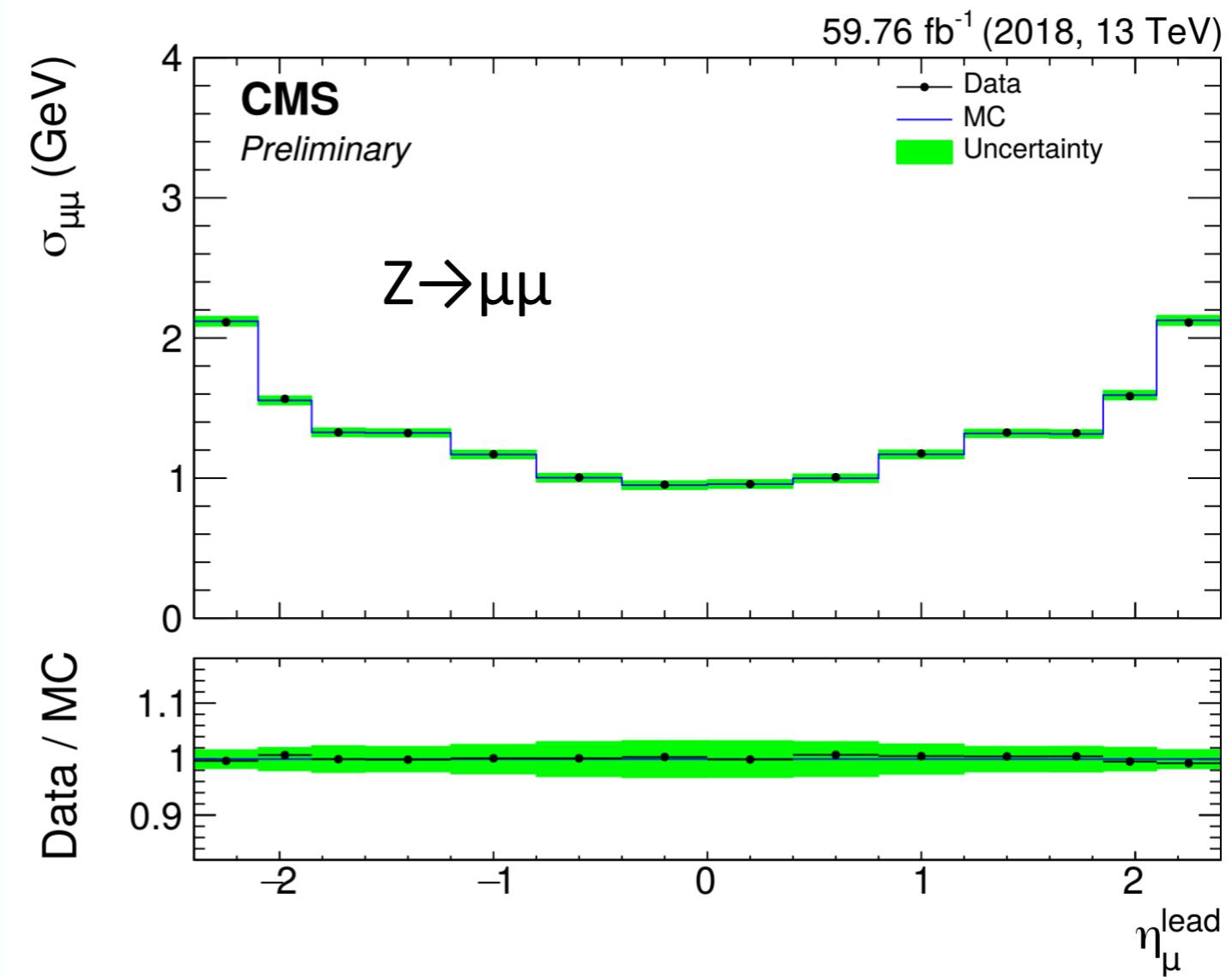


Excellent Muon Reconstruction Performance in Run 2

- $|\eta| < 2.4$ within geometrical acceptance of muon detectors
- high efficiency for reconstruction and identification $> 96\%$, isolation $> 95\%$
- good dimuon mass resolution: $1 \sim 2\%$ for $Z \rightarrow \mu\mu$ events



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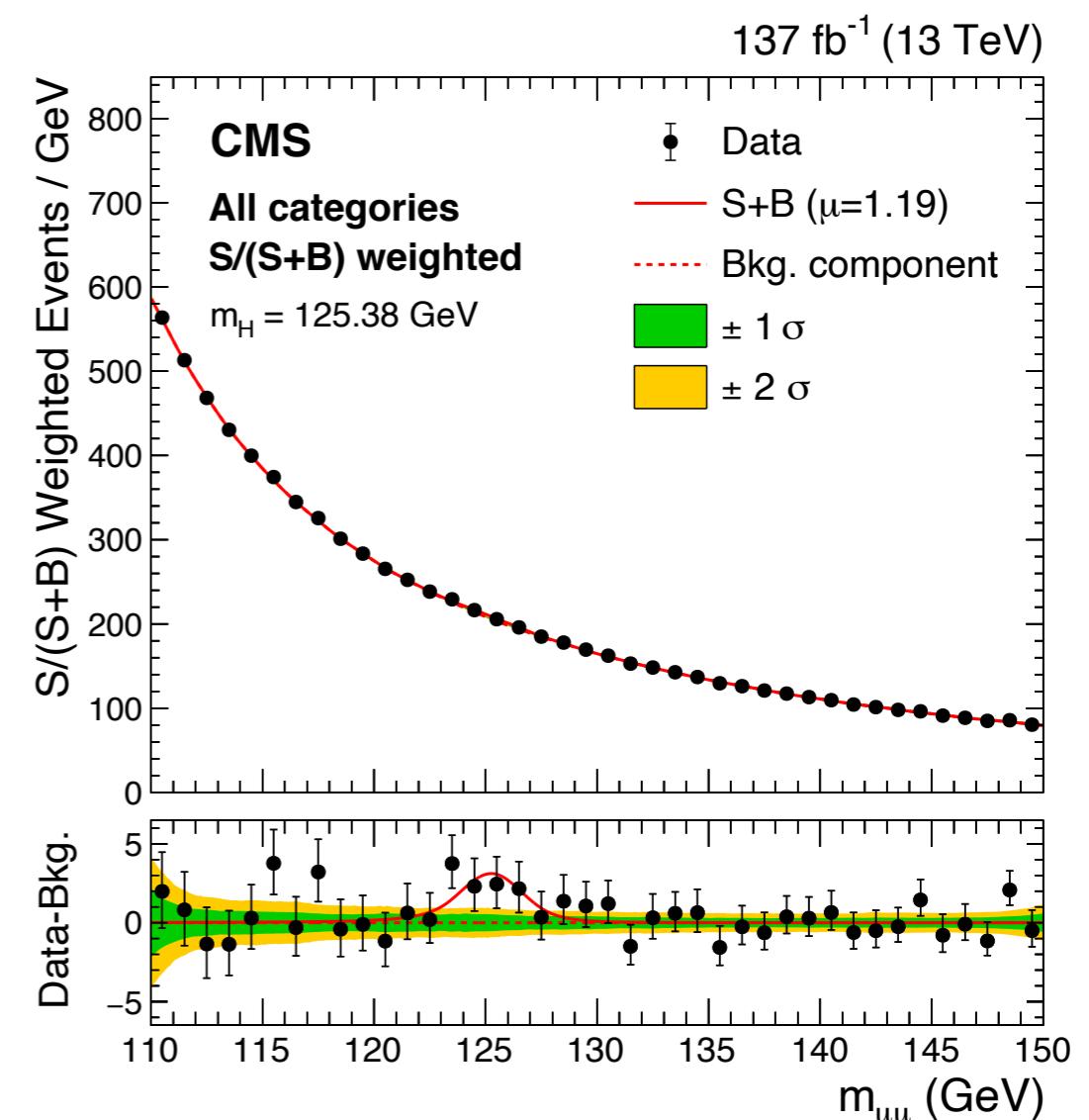
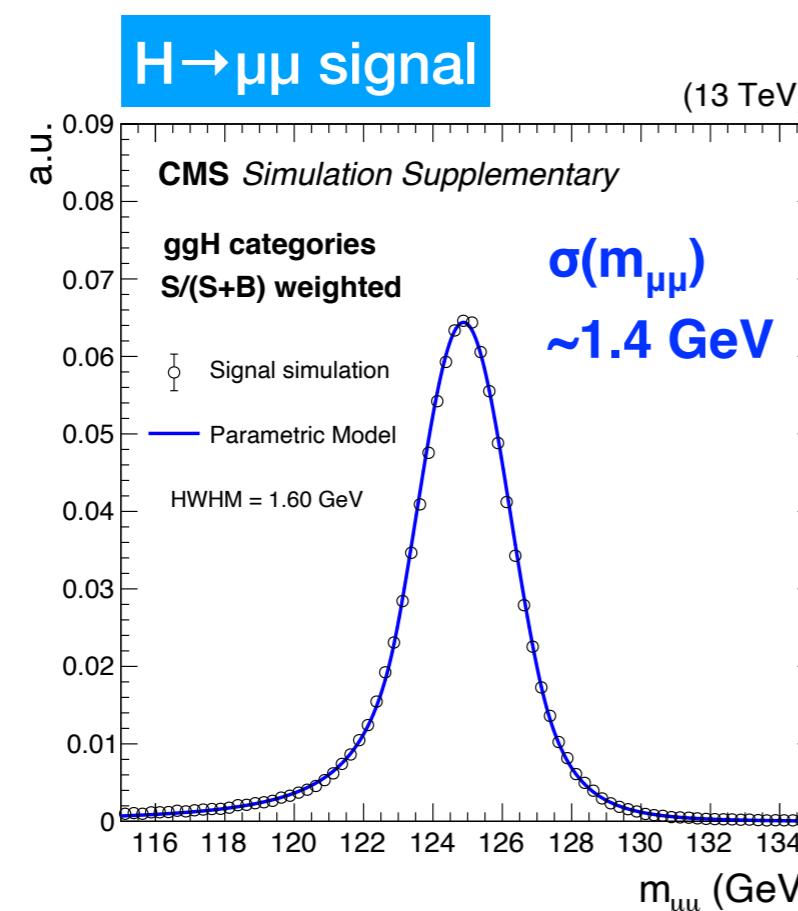
H \rightarrow $\mu\mu$ Event Selection

Event selection: expect 954 signal events selected in $110 < m_{\mu\mu} < 150$ GeV, efficiency 59%:

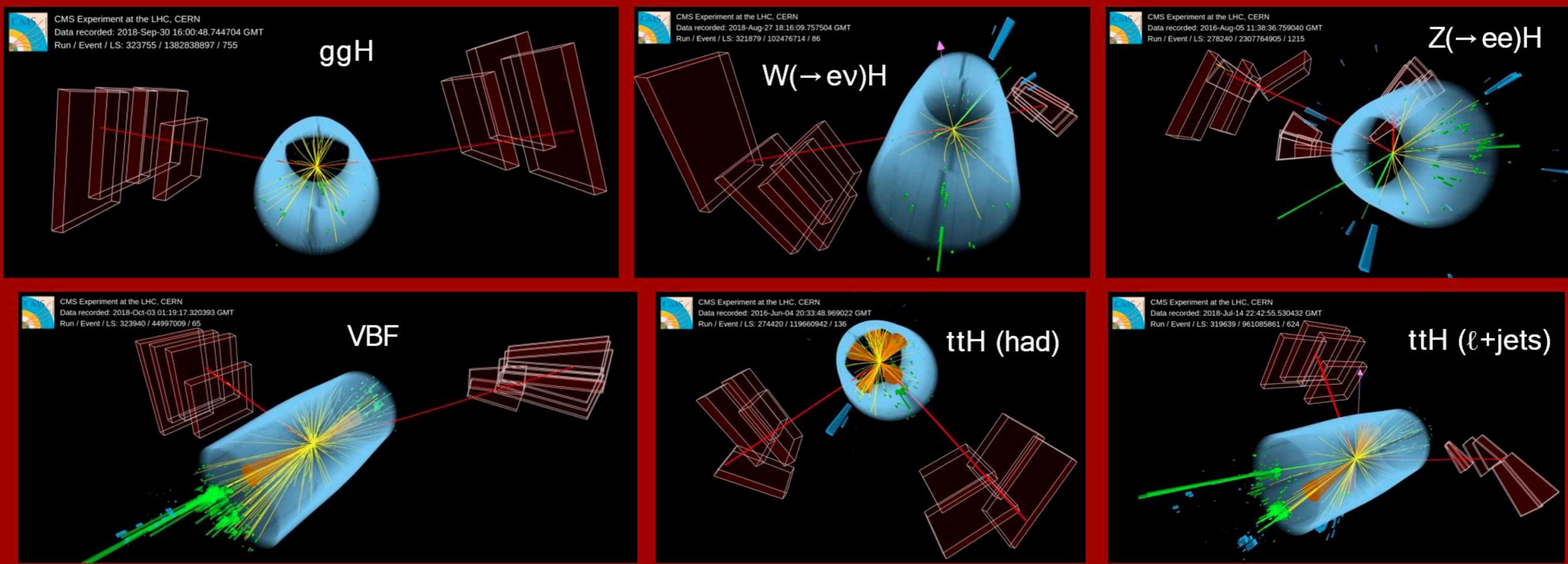
- pass single muon high level trigger
- require two isolated opposite charged muons: leading muon $pT > 26$ (2016, 2018) / 29 (2017), sub-leading muon $pT > 20$ GeV

H \rightarrow $\mu\mu$ narrow signal on top of smoothly falling background in $m_{\mu\mu}$:

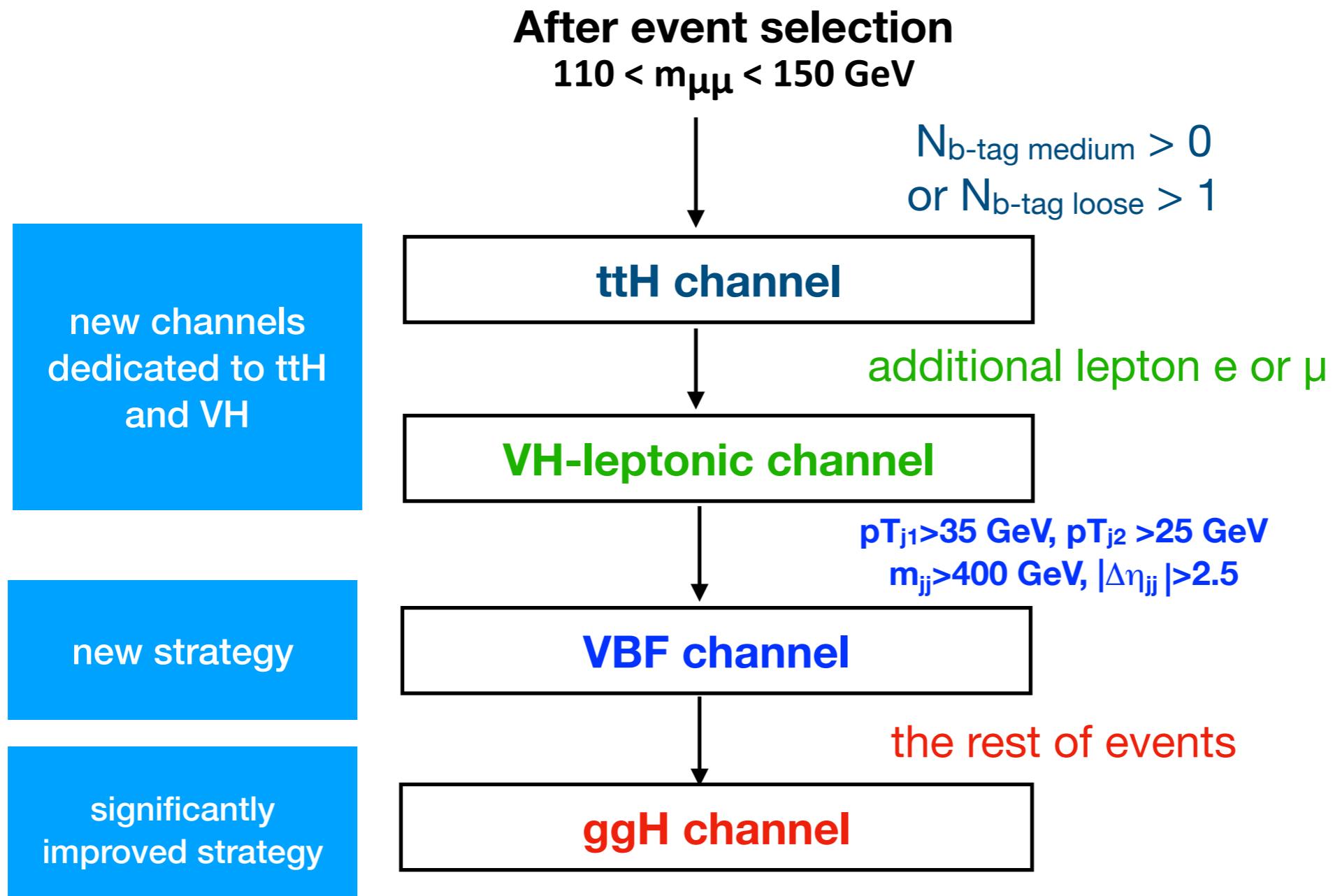
- narrow signal peak: $\sigma(m_{\mu\mu}) \sim 1.4$ GeV
- large background: S/B $\sim 1/500$



$H \rightarrow \mu\mu$: Exclusive Categories: ggF, VBF, VH and ttH



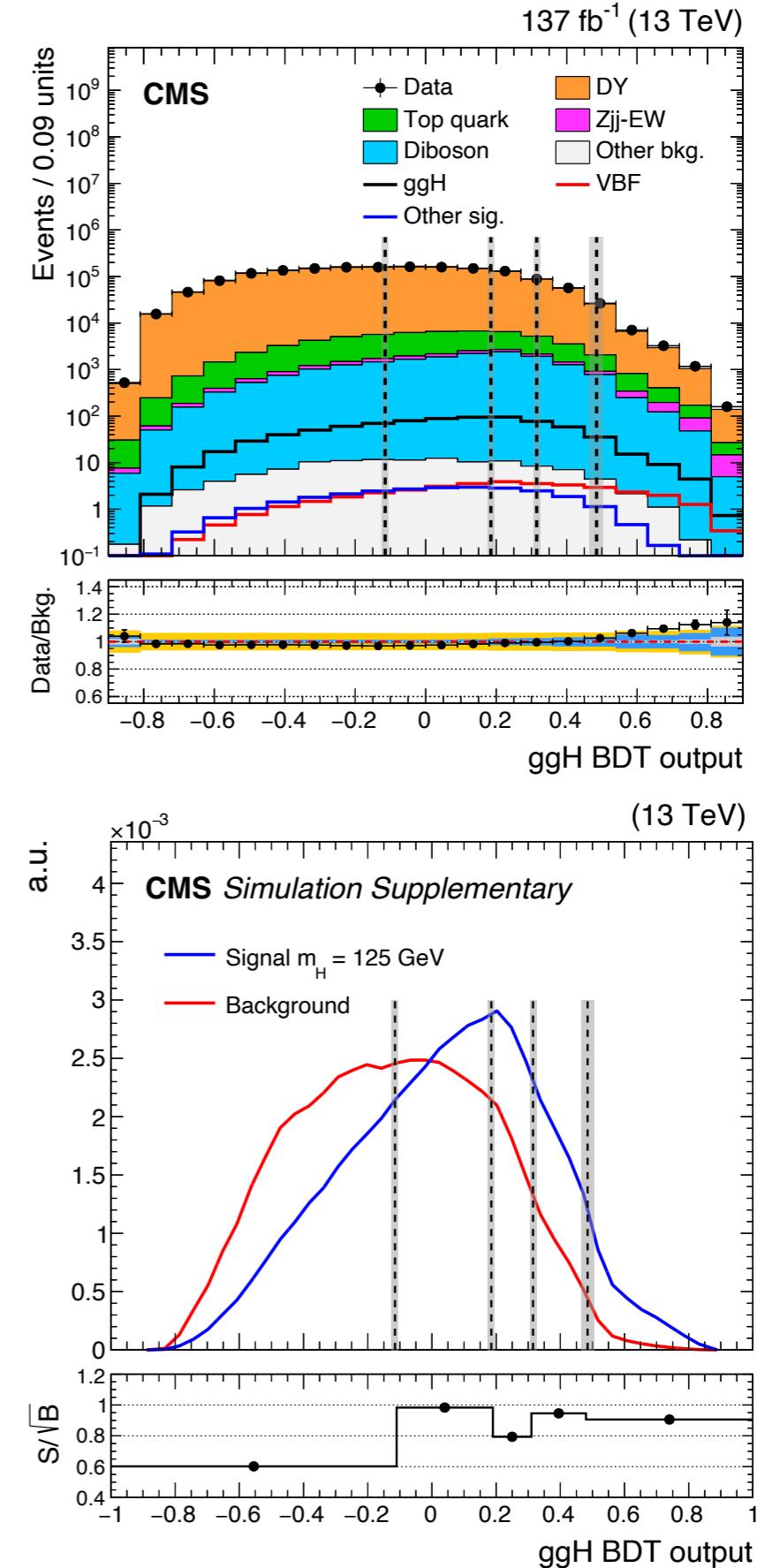
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ggF Channel: Overview

ggF channel includes all events not selected by VBF, ttH and VH channels

- largest signal yield
 - about 890 signals
- **BDT to separate signal from background**
 - BDT uncorrelated with $m_{\mu\mu}$ to allow using the mass fit method
- Five ggF categories defined:
 - aim to optimize overall best ggF channel significance



ggF Channel: BDT

- training variables: muon and jet kinematic information, N_{jets}
- signal MC weighted $\sim m_{\mu\mu}/\sigma_{\mu\mu}$: prioritize high-resolution signal events

Signal modeling: double-sided Crystal Ball function

BDT Training variables

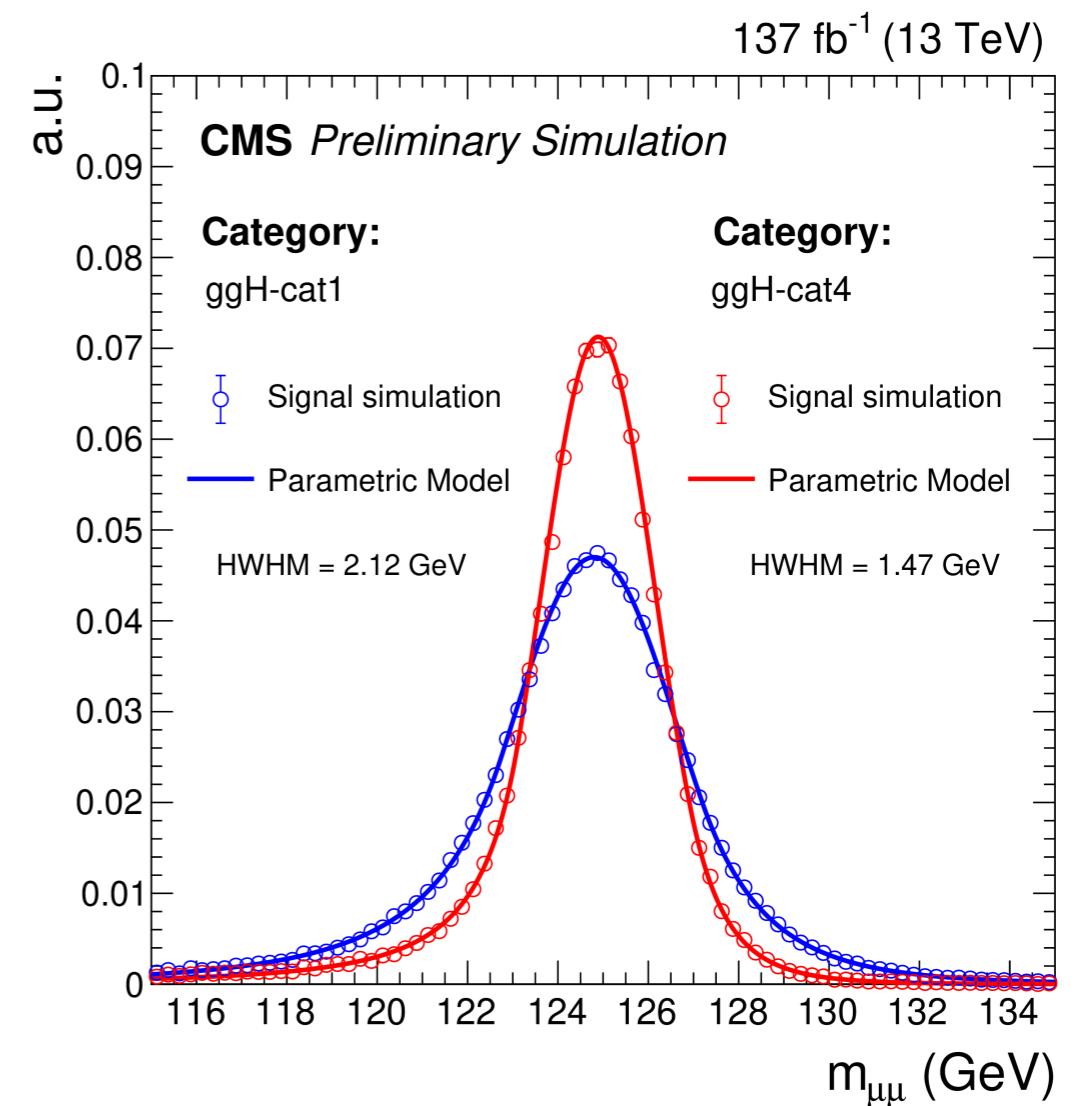
(di)muon:

- $pT_{\mu\mu}$
- rapidity $_{\mu\mu}$
- $\cos(\theta_{\text{CS}})$, ϕ_{CS}
computed in
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- $pT_{\mu 1}/m_{\mu\mu}$, $pT_{\mu 2}/m_{\mu\mu}$
- $\eta(\mu 1)$
- $\eta(\mu 2)$

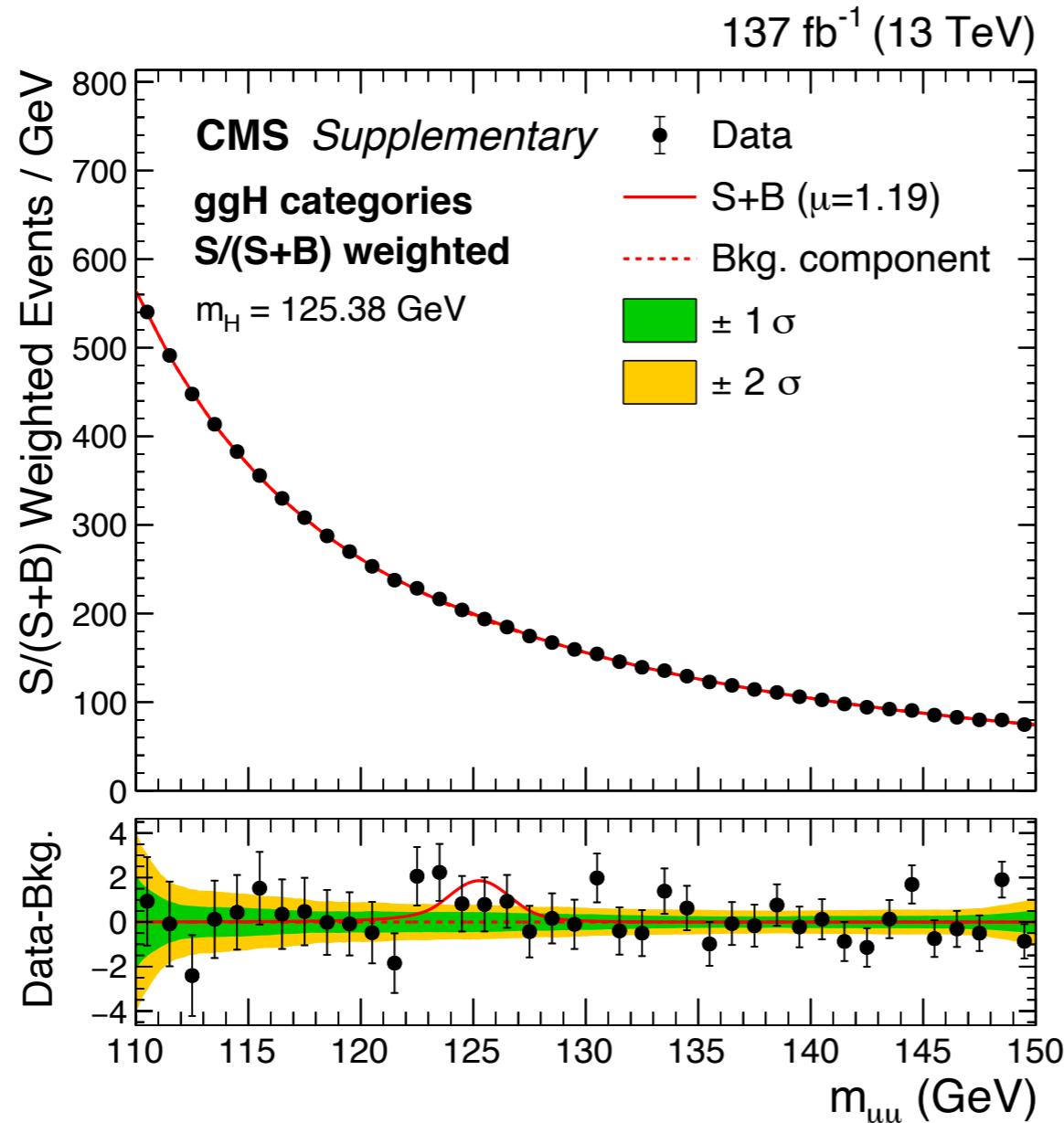
muon and jet:

- pT_{j1} , pT_{j2}
- η_{j1}
- N_{jets}
- $\Delta\eta_{jj}$, m_{jj} , $\Delta\Phi_{jj}$
- Zeppenfeld variable

$$z^* = \frac{y_{\mu\mu} - (y_{j_1} + y_{j_2})/2}{|y_{j_1} - y_{j_2}|}$$
- min- $\Delta\phi(\mu\mu, (j1, j2))$
- min- $\Delta\eta(\mu\mu, (j1, j2))$



ggF Channel: Result

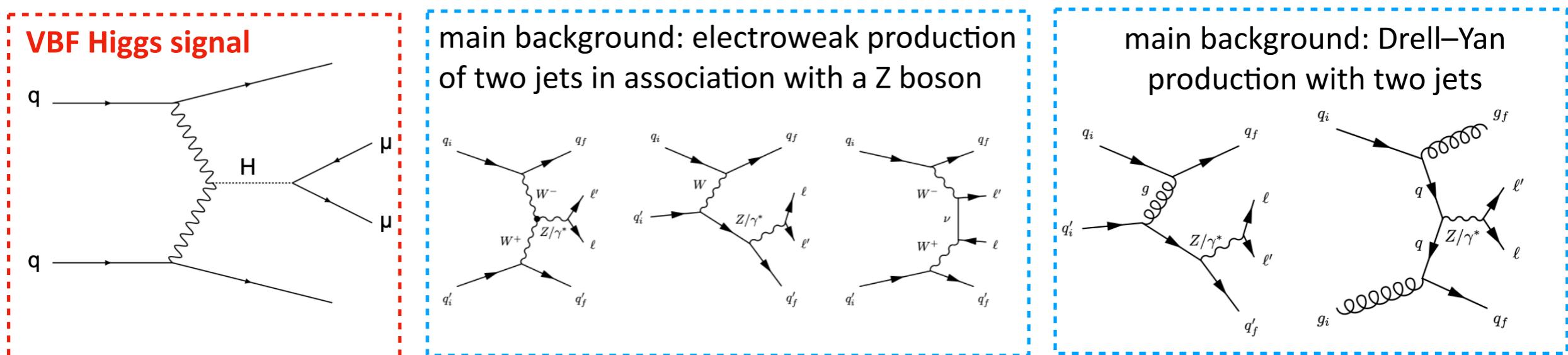


Observed (expected)
significance: 0.99σ (1.56σ)
 $@m_H = 125.38 \text{ GeV}$

Event category	Total signal	ggH (%)	VBF (%)	Other (%)	HWHM (GeV)	Bkg. @HWHM	Data @HWHM	S/(S+B) (%) @HWHM	S/\sqrt{B} @HWHM
ggH-cat1	268	93.7	2.9	3.4	2.12	86 360	86 632	0.20	0.60
ggH-cat2	312	93.5	3.4	3.1	1.75	46 350	46 393	0.46	0.98
ggH-cat3	131	93.2	4.0	2.8	1.60	12 660	12 738	0.70	0.80
ggH-cat4	126	91.5	5.5	3.0	1.47	8260	8377	1.03	0.96
ggH-cat5	53.8	83.5	14.3	2.2	1.50	1680	1711	2.16	0.91

VBF Channel: Overview

- Small signal event yield in VBF channel: ~48 signal events expected
- New analysis strategy based on Monte Carlo (MC) simulation

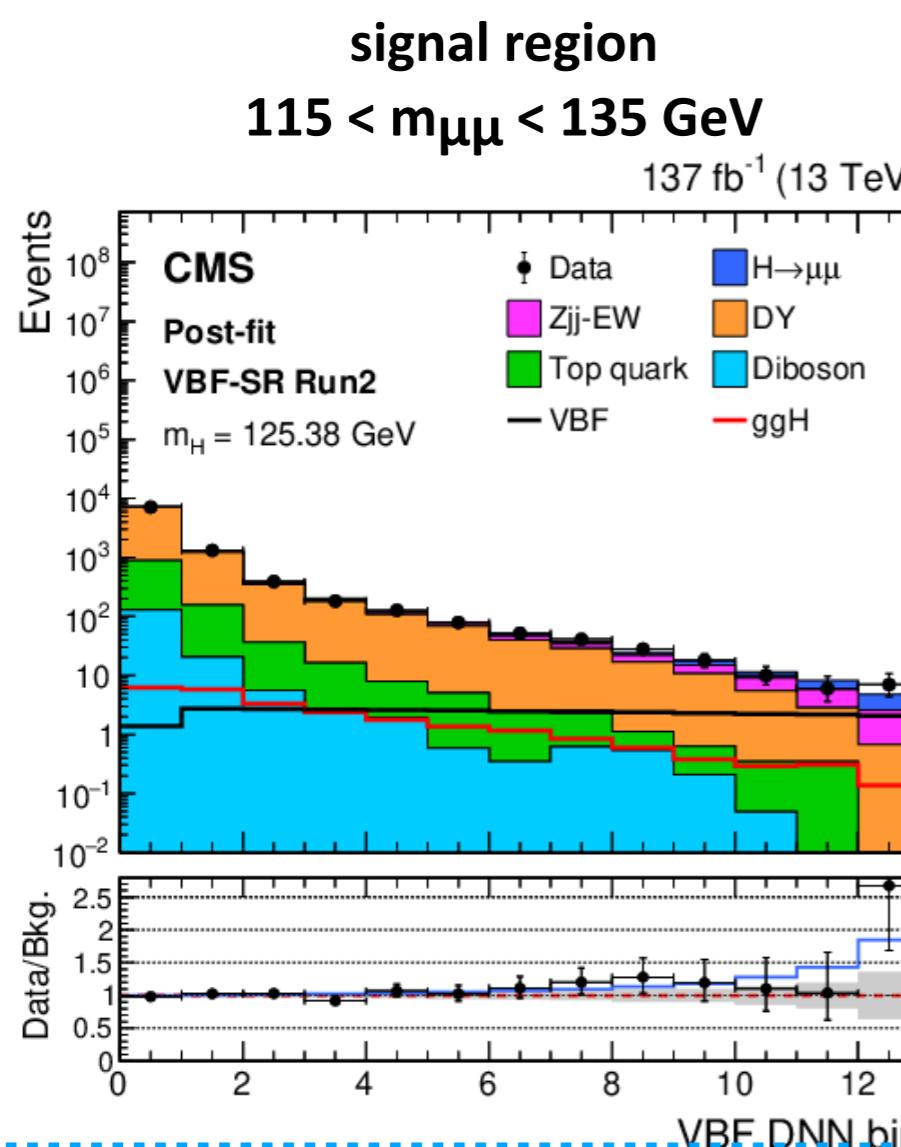


- Deep neural network (DNN) output score used as final discriminant
 - 20% improvement compared to mass fit method
 - DNN trained on kinematic information of the two muons and VBF signature (24 variables in total, including $m_{\mu\mu}$)
 - Analysis strategy similar to the CMS study on electroweak Z+2jets production:
 - [JHEP 10 \(2013\) 101 \(7 TeV\)](#), [Eur. Phys. J. C 75 \(2015\) 66 \(8 TeV observation\)](#), [Eur. Phys. J. C 78 \(2018\) 589 \(13 TeV measurement\)](#)

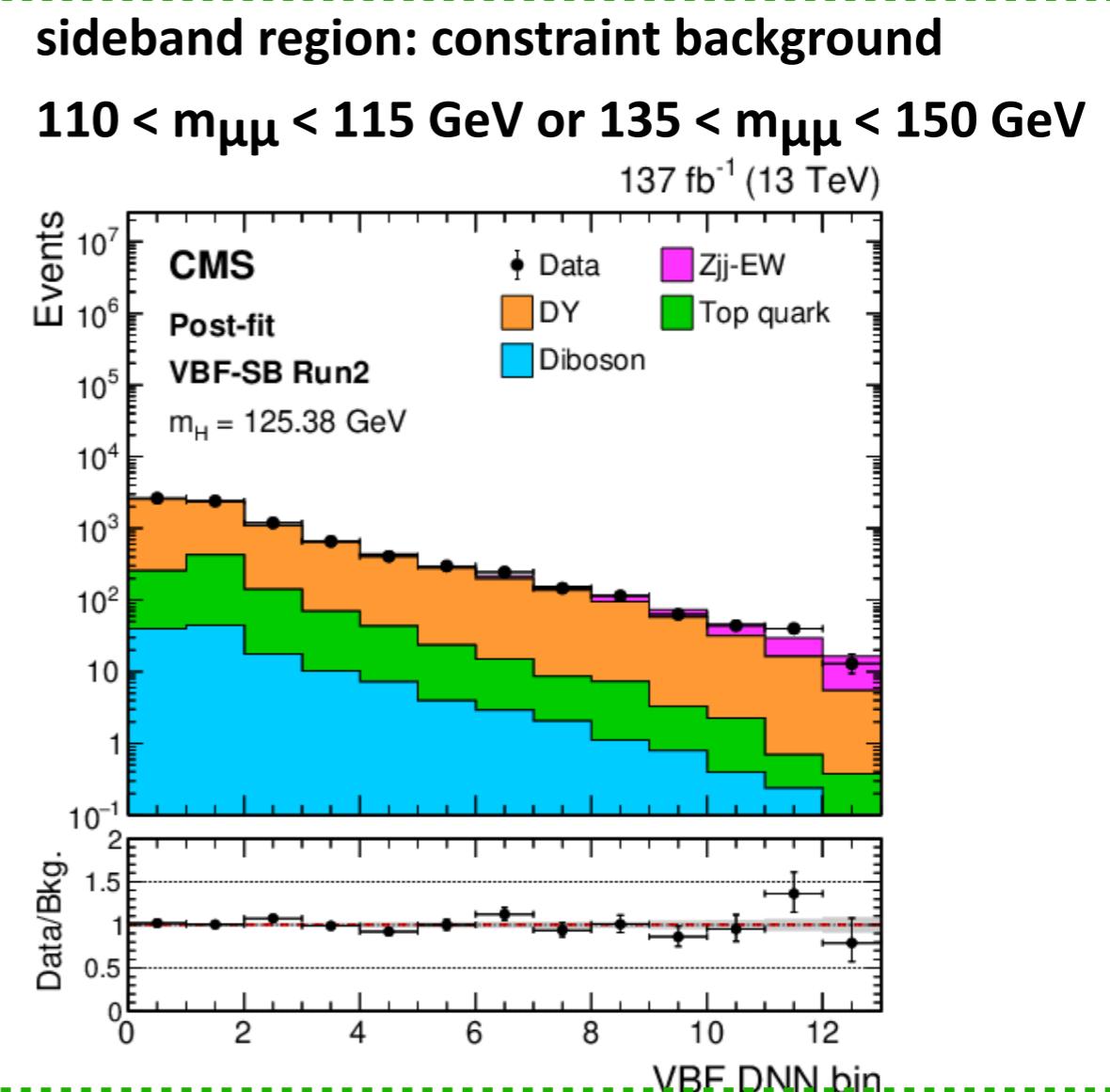
VBF Channel: Analysis Strategy

Simultaneously fit in 6 VBF categories in total (signal and sideband regions in each year 2016, 17 and 18)

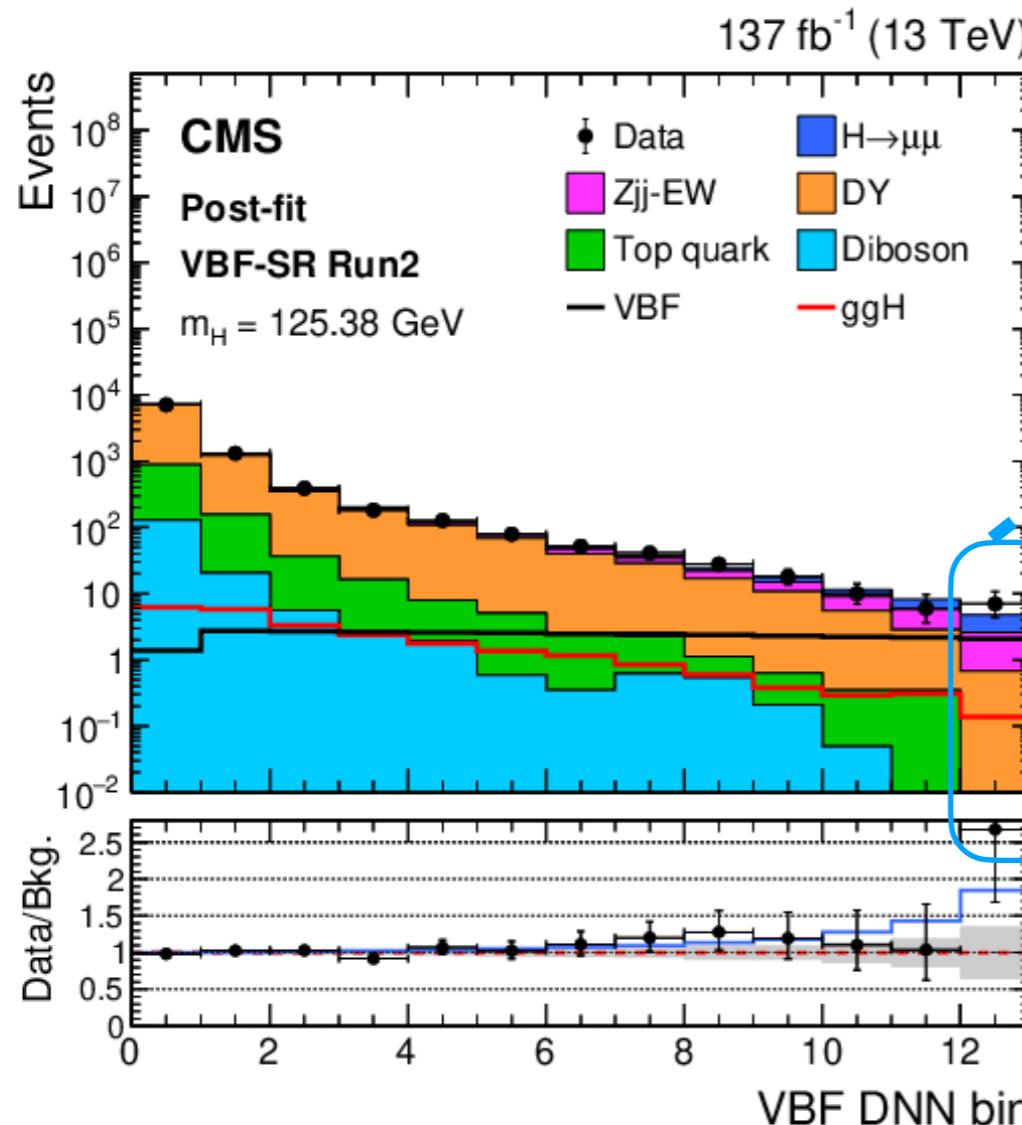
Full Run 2



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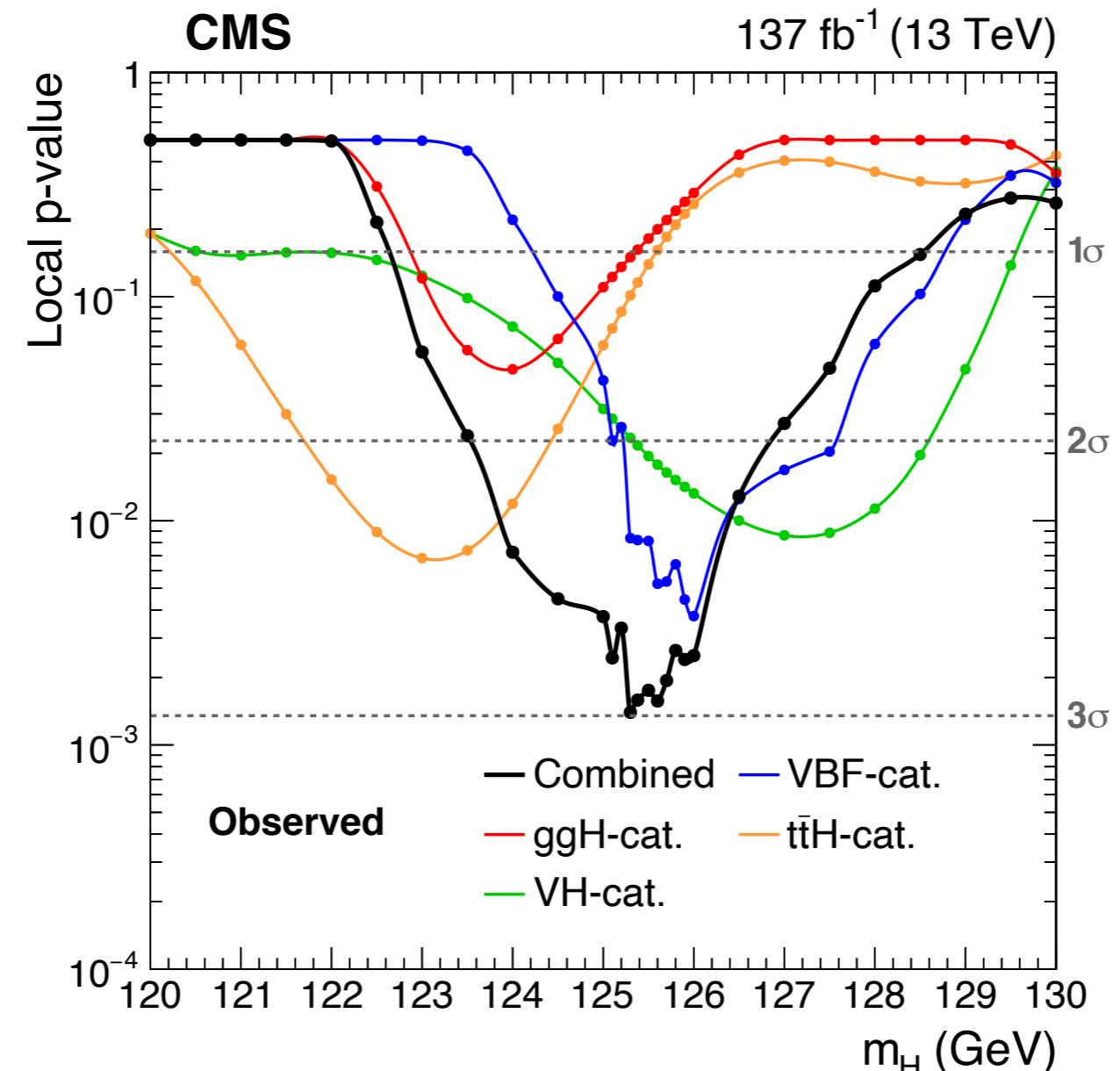
VBF Channel: Result



- Achieve good signal purity in high DNN bins
 - last DNN bin signal purity **42%**
 - main background: electroweak Z+2jets, DY+2jets
- 20% improvement in sensitivity compared to $m_{\mu\mu}$ mass fit method
- Observed (expected) significance: 2.40σ (1.77σ), $m_H = 125.38 \text{ GeV}$

DNN bin	Total signal	VBF (%)	ggH (%)	Bkg. $\pm \Delta B$	Data	$S/(S+B)$ (%)	S/\sqrt{B}
1–3	19.5	30	70	8890 ± 67	8815	0.22	0.21
4–6	11.6	57	43	394 ± 8	388	2.86	0.58
7–9	8.43	73	27	103 ± 4	121	7.56	0.83
10	2.30	85	15	15.1 ± 1.4	18	13.2	0.59
11	2.15	88	12	9.1 ± 1.2	10	19.1	0.71
12	2.10	87	13	5.8 ± 1.1	6	26.6	0.87
13	1.87	94	6	2.6 ± 0.9	7	41.8	1.16

First Evidence of $H \rightarrow \mu\mu$



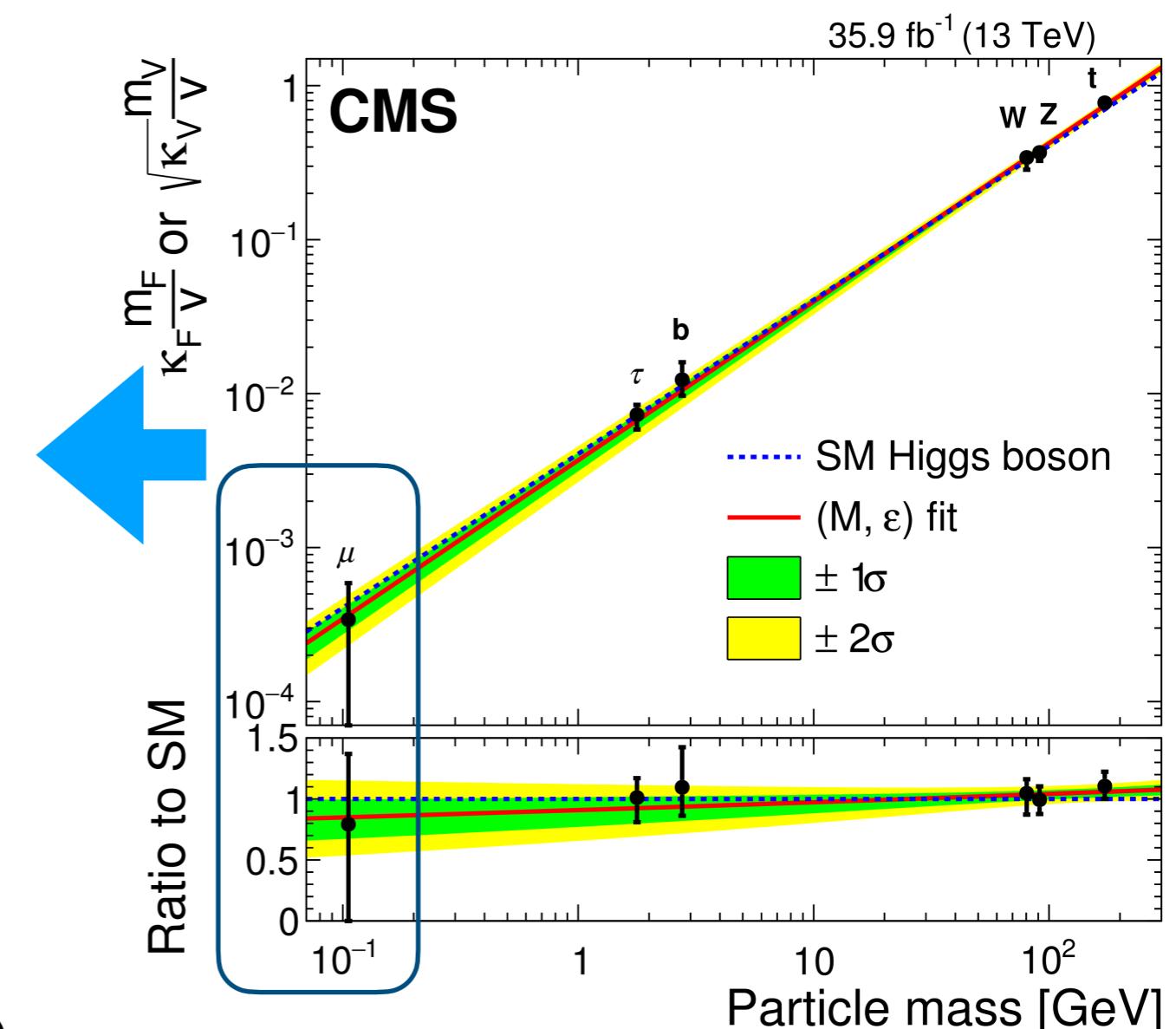
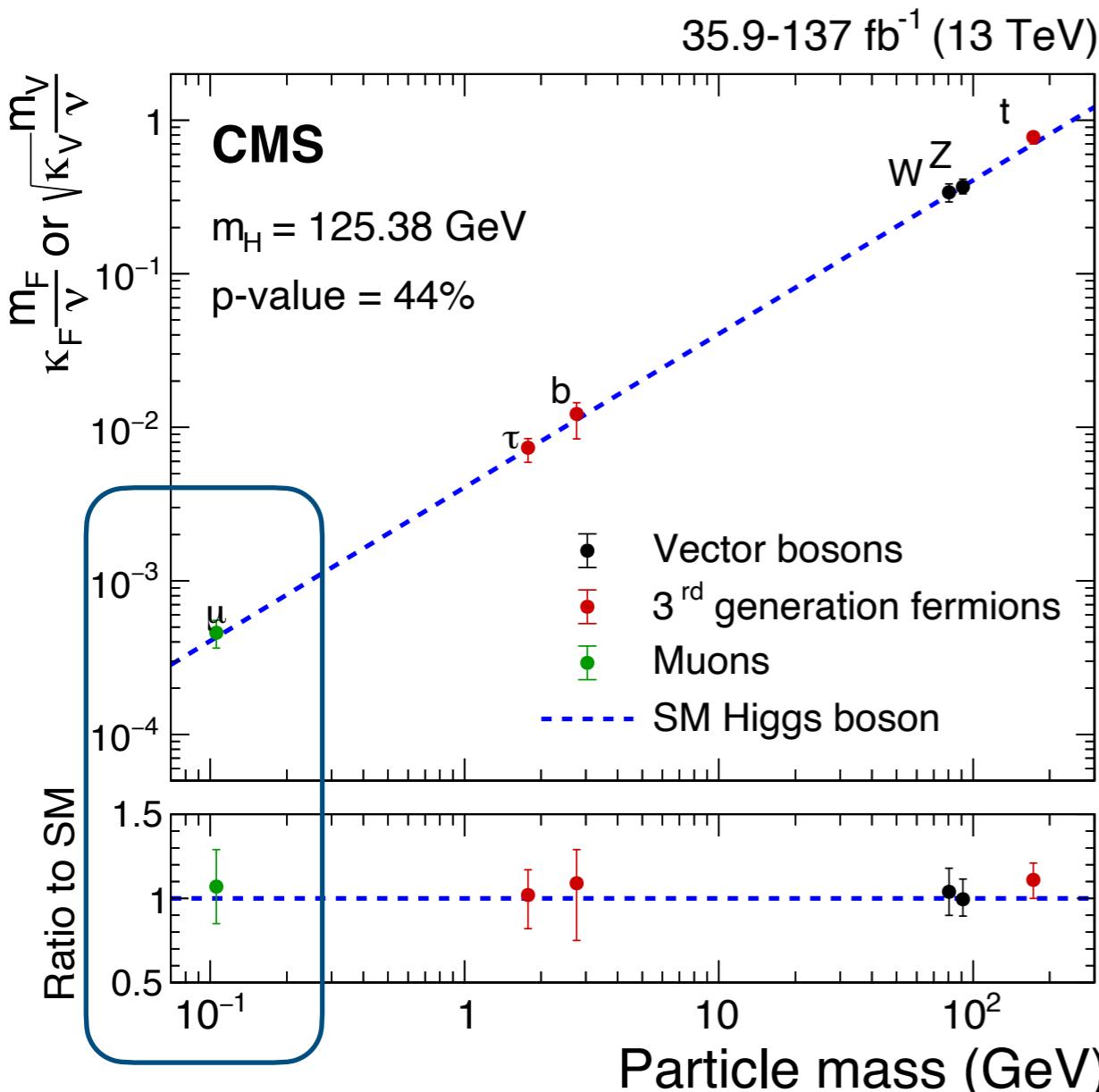
@ $m_H = 125.38$ GeV:

- Run 2: observed (expected) signal significance **3.0σ (2.5σ)**

First Evidence of $H \rightarrow \mu\mu$!

Higgs Boson Coupling to Muon

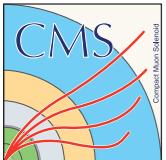
- Precision of κ_μ improved from **89%** to **21%** in two years.
- 35% improvement in analysis strategy



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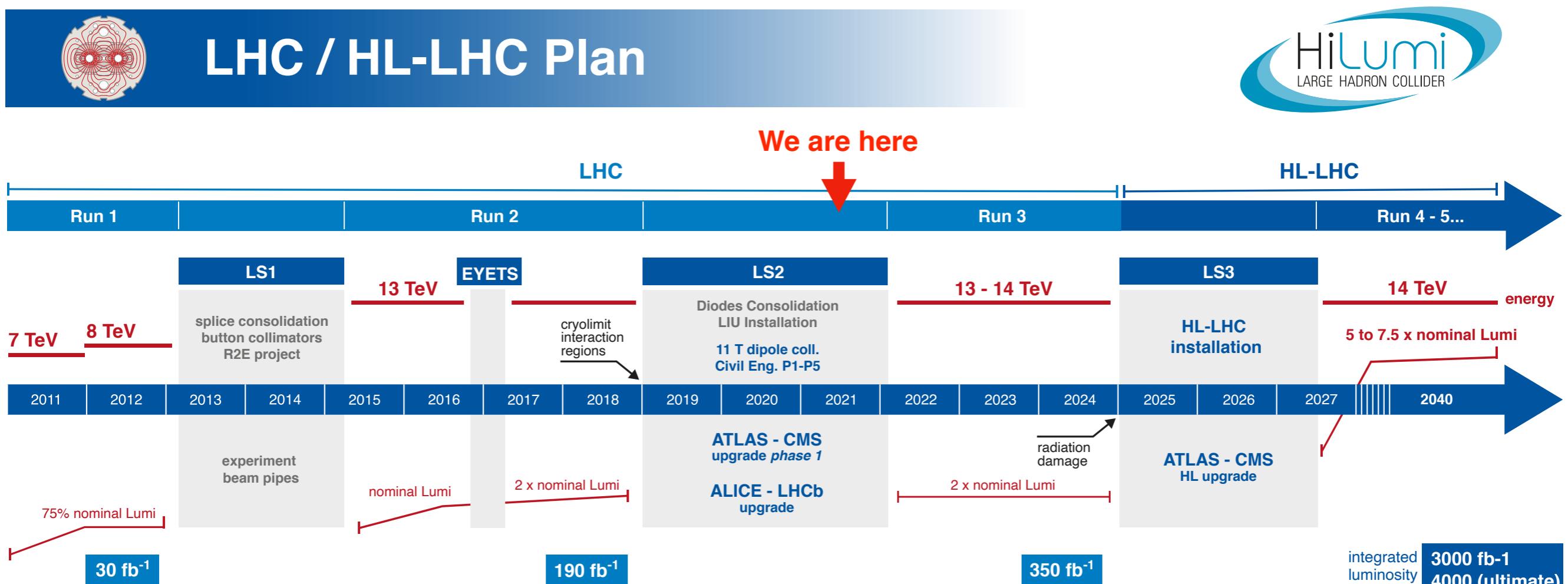
$$\kappa_\mu = 0.79^{+0.58}_{-0.79} \text{ at } 68\% \text{ CL}$$



Great Discovery Potential at the LHC

We are in early stage of the LHC research program, 5% of total data taken so far

<https://project-hl-lhc-industry.web.cern.ch/content/project-schedule>



HL-LHC TECHNICAL EQUIPMENT:

DESIGN STUDY



PROTOTYPES

CONSTRUCTION

INSTALLATION & COMM.

PHYSICS

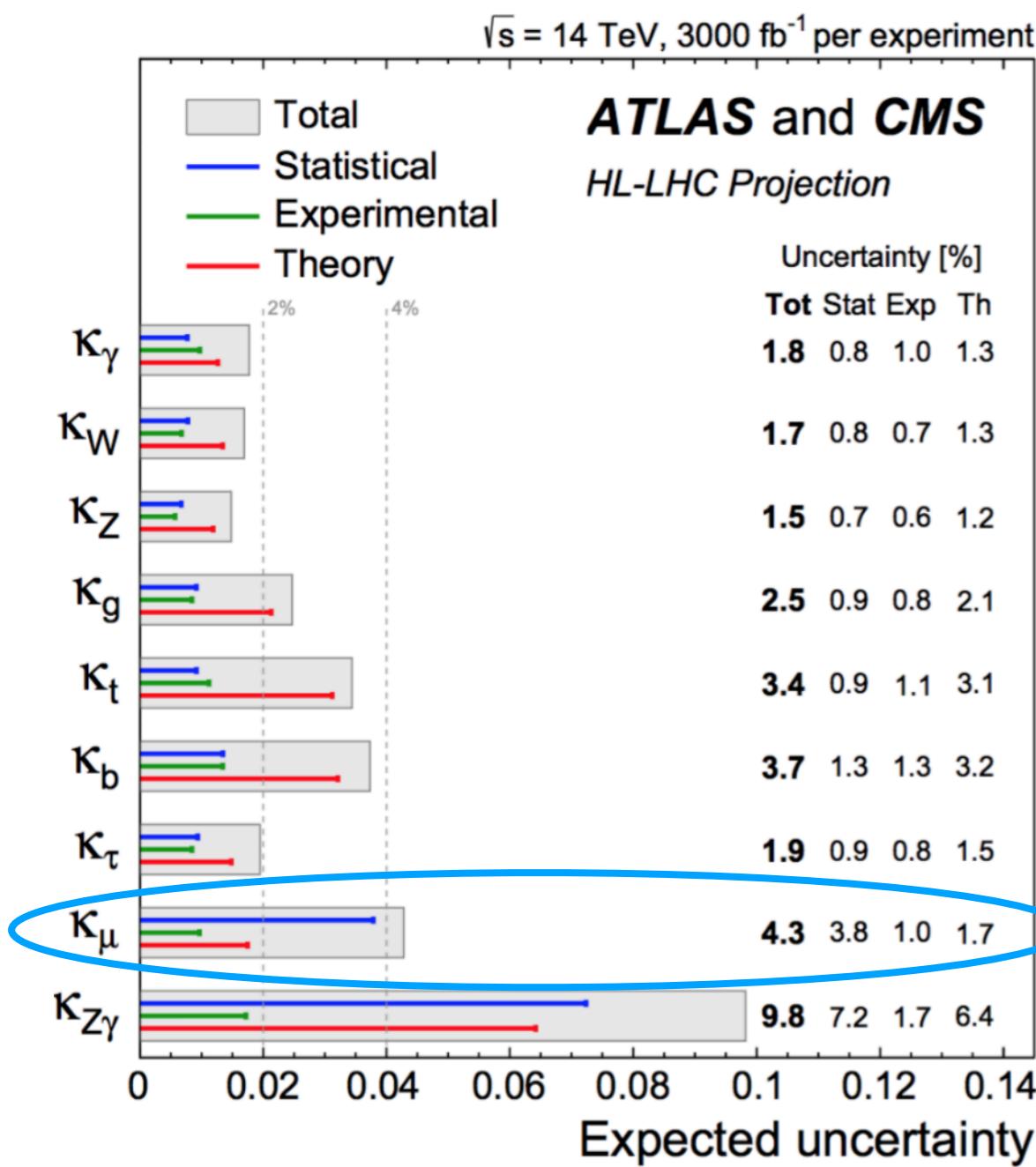
HL-LHC CIVIL ENGINEERING:

DEFINITION

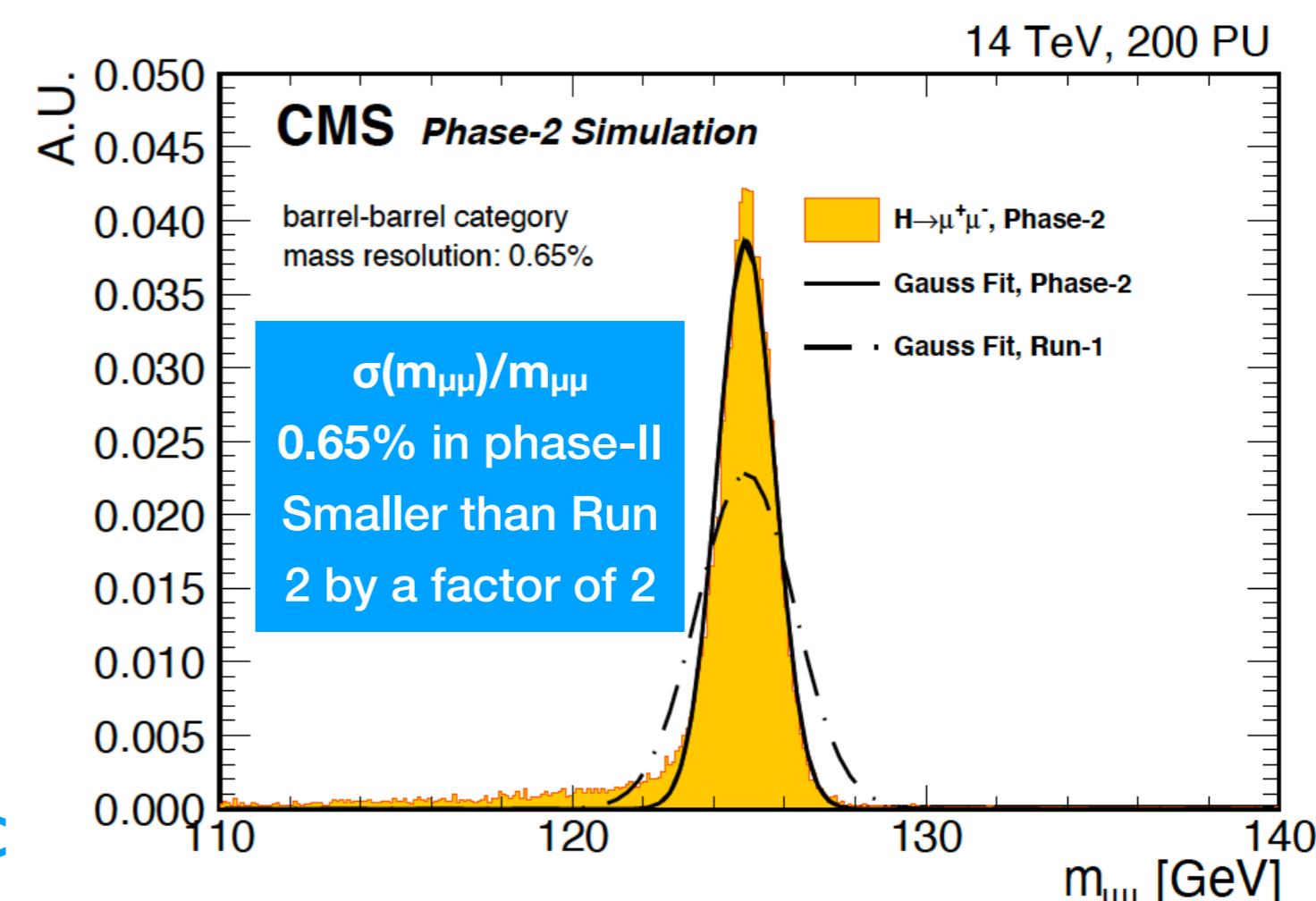
EXCAVATION / BUILDINGS

HL-LHC Prospect of Higgs Coupling to Muon

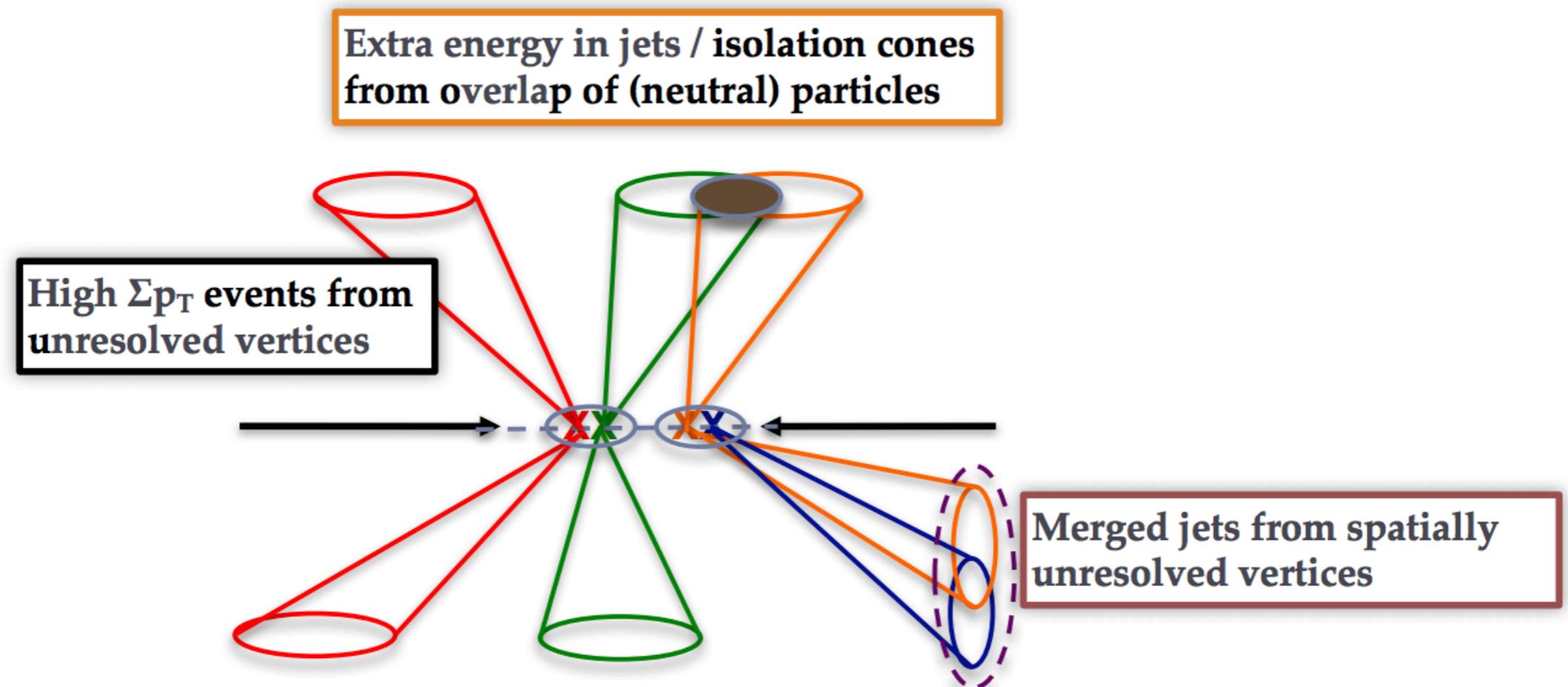
- Projection at HL-LHC combining ATLAS and CMS: 4.3% precision
- Complementary with proposed future e^+e^- collider Higgs factories



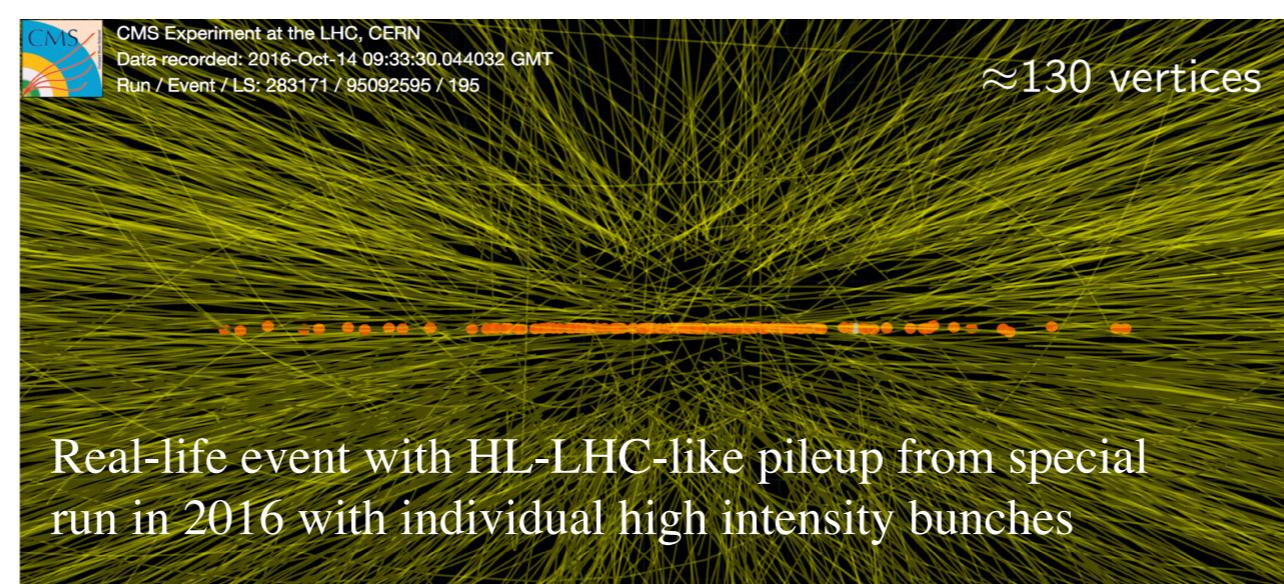
[arxiv:1902.00134](https://arxiv.org/abs/1902.00134)



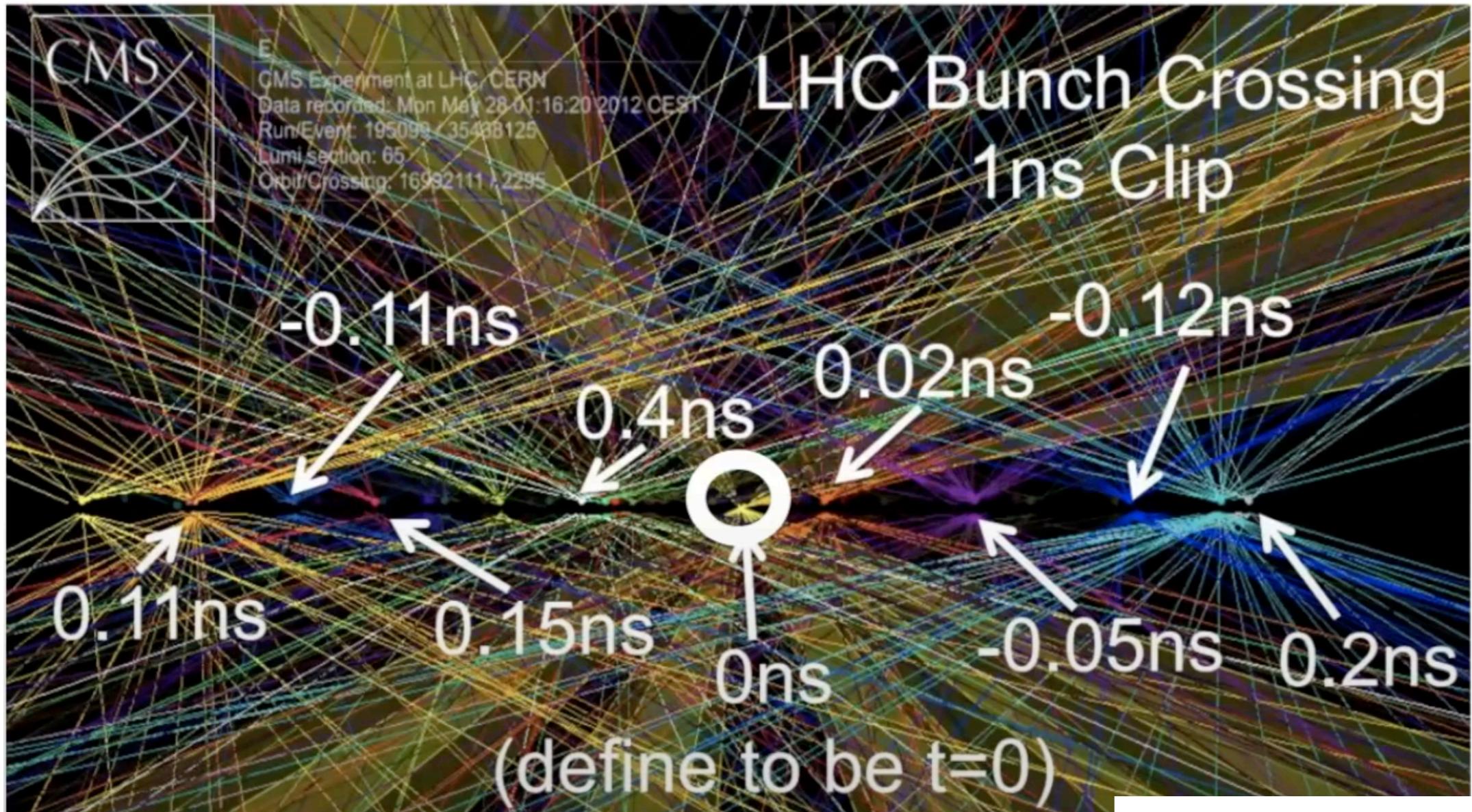
Pileup Challenge at the HL-LHC



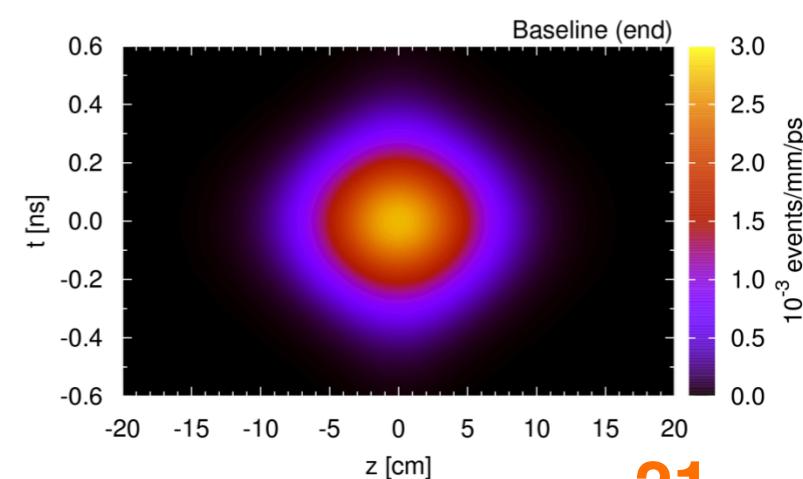
140-200 collisions per bunch crossing at HL-LHC

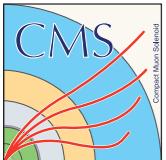


CMS MIP Timing Detector: New Precision Timing Dimension Measurement



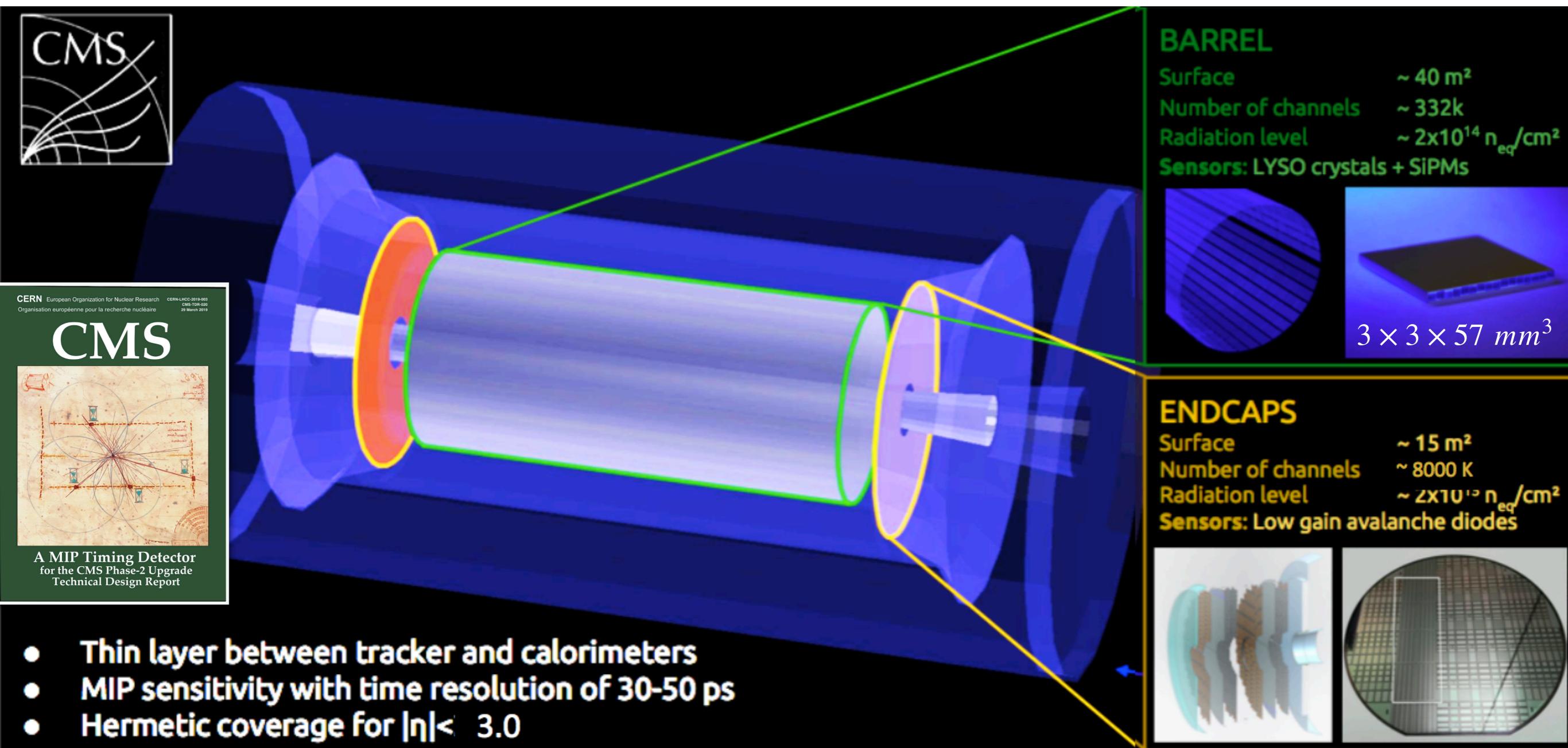
beam spot has a spread of about 180-200 ps:
precision timing of 30-40 ps to mitigate the high
pileup challenge





CMS MIP Timing Detector Overview

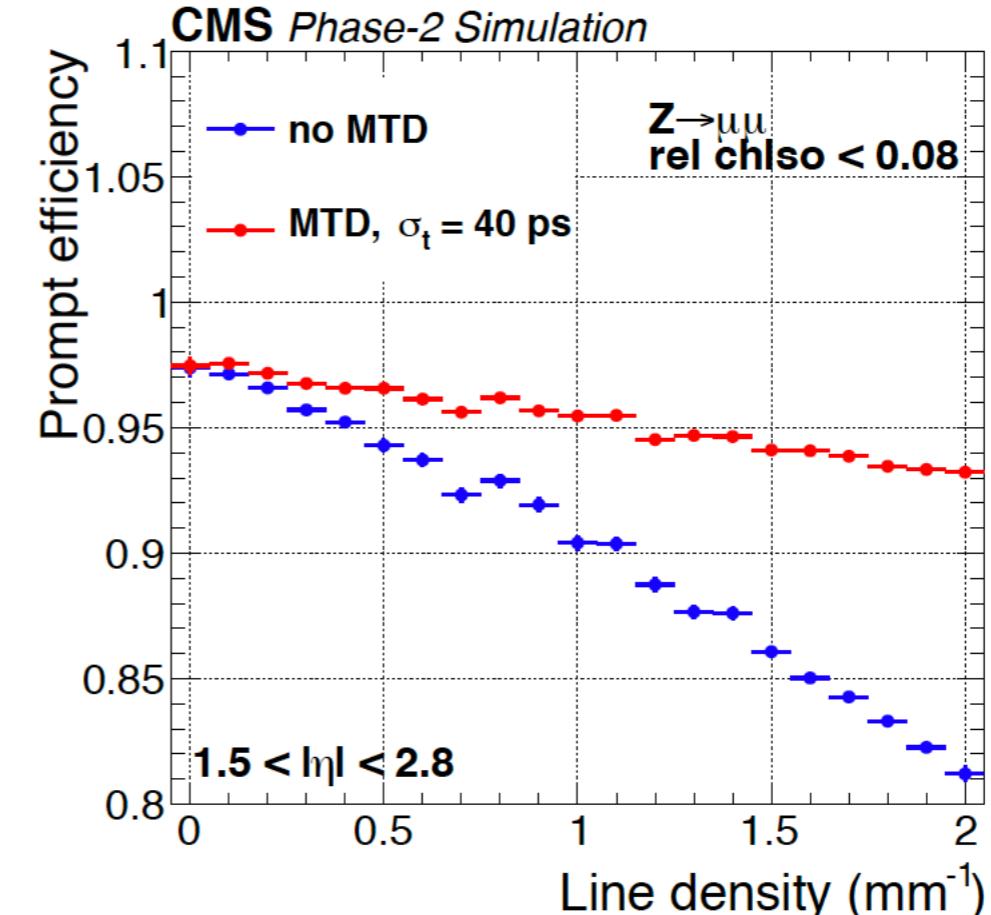
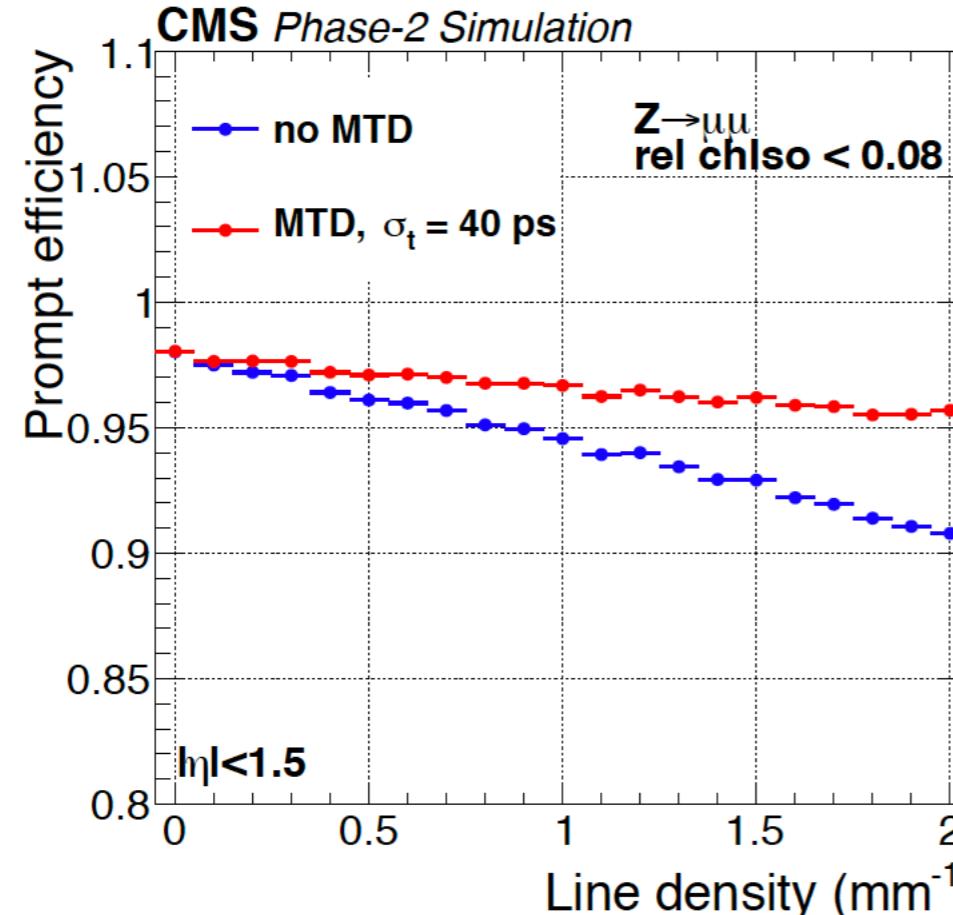
- Completely new capability to CMS: measure precisely (30-40 ps) the production time of MIPs



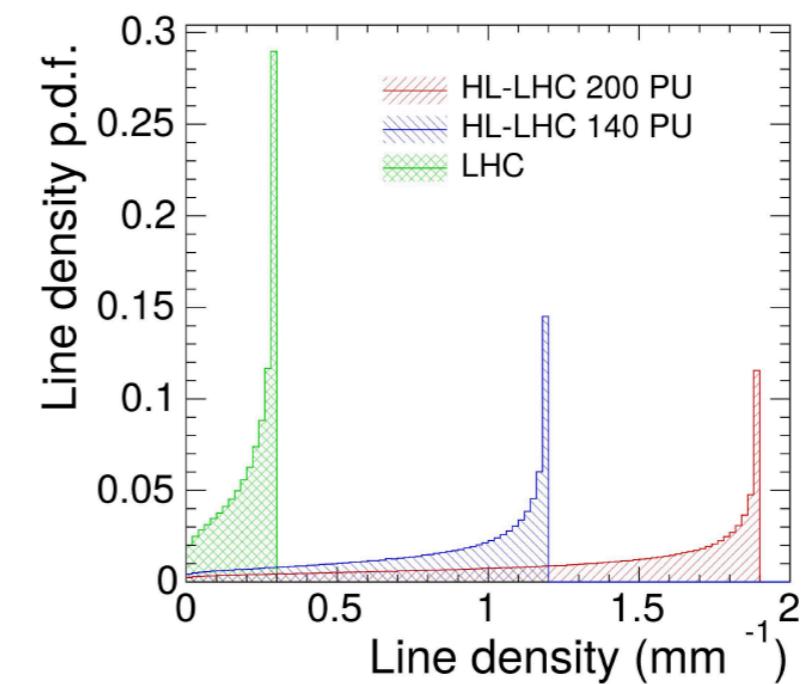
- Thin layer between tracker and calorimeters
- MIP sensitivity with time resolution of 30-50 ps
- Hermetic coverage for $|\eta| < 3.0$

CMS-TDR-020 March 2019

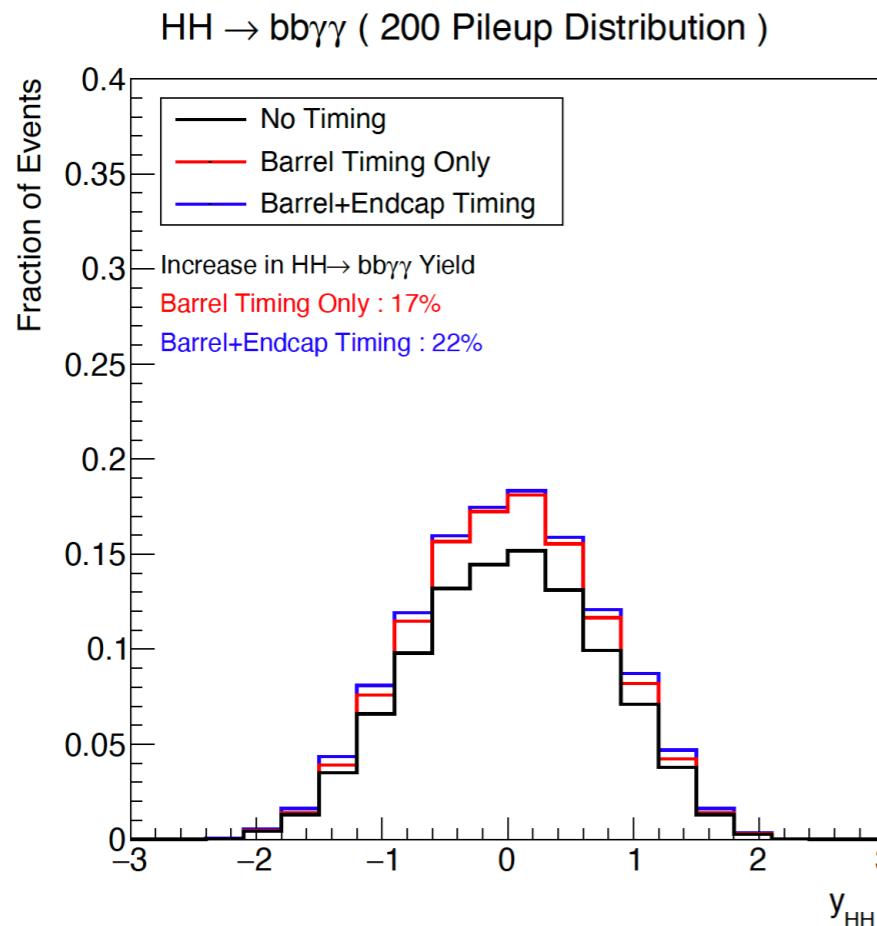
MTD Physics Potential: Enhance Physics Object Reconstruction



MTD guards against adverse pileup effect on muon reconstruction at HL-LHC



MTD Physics Potential: Expand Physics Reach at HL-LHC



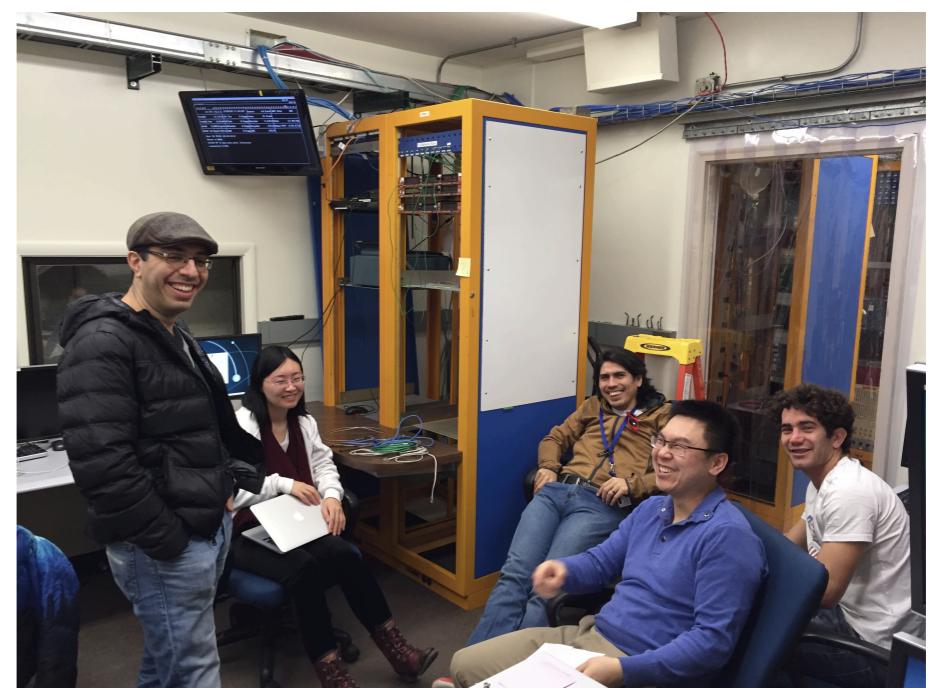
	Expected significance	
Di-Higgs decay	No MTD	MTD
bbbb	0.88	0.94
bb $\tau\tau$	1.3	1.48
bb $\gamma\gamma$	1.7	1.83
bbWW	0.53	0.58
bbZZ	0.38	0.42
Combined	2.4	2.63

- Reduction of pile-up enhances quality of particle reconstruction
 - 10 - 20% gain in di-Higgs significance
- Particle ID for low p τ hadrons, new reach for Heavy Ion Physics:
 - π/K separation up to 2 GeV, p/K separation up to 5 GeV
- Mass reconstruction of the long-lived particles

Test beam campaigns to characterize detector performance

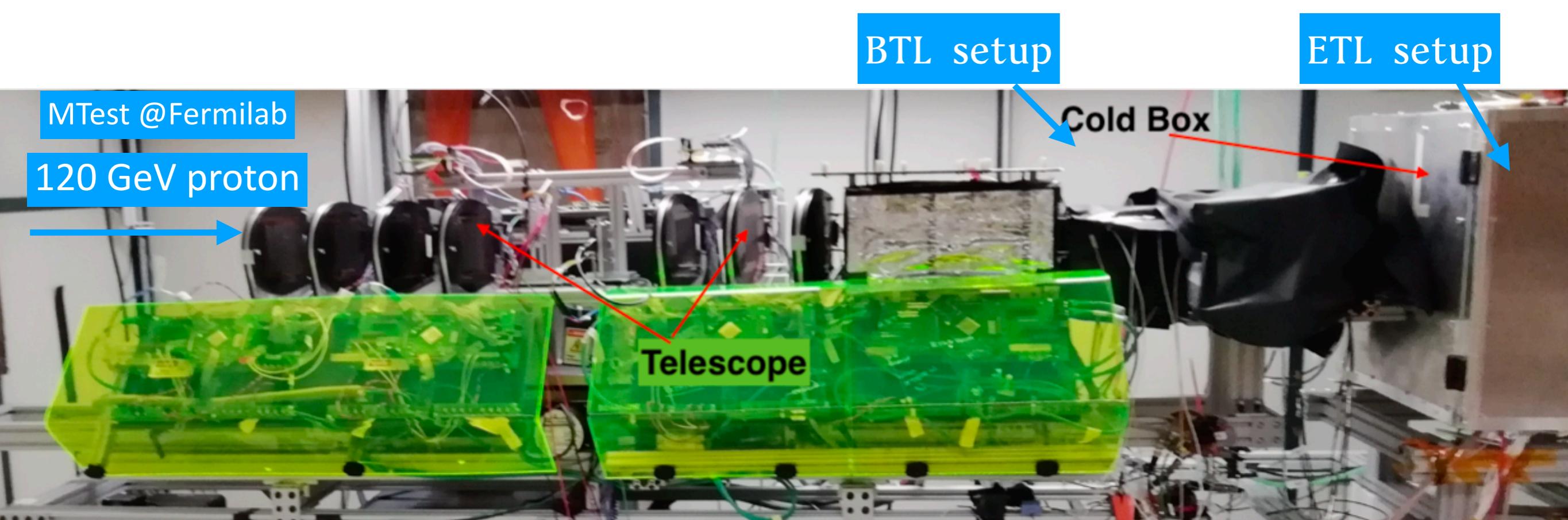
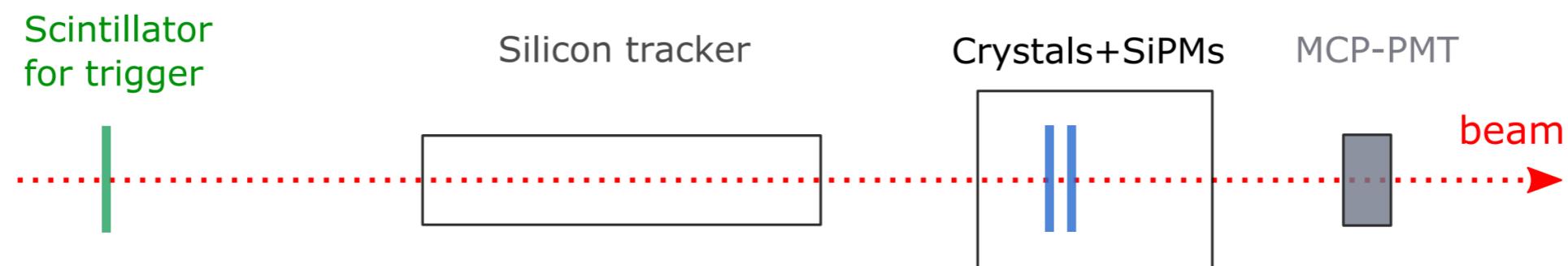
Many test beam campaigns:

- Fermilab (FTBF)
- CERN North-Area (SPS)



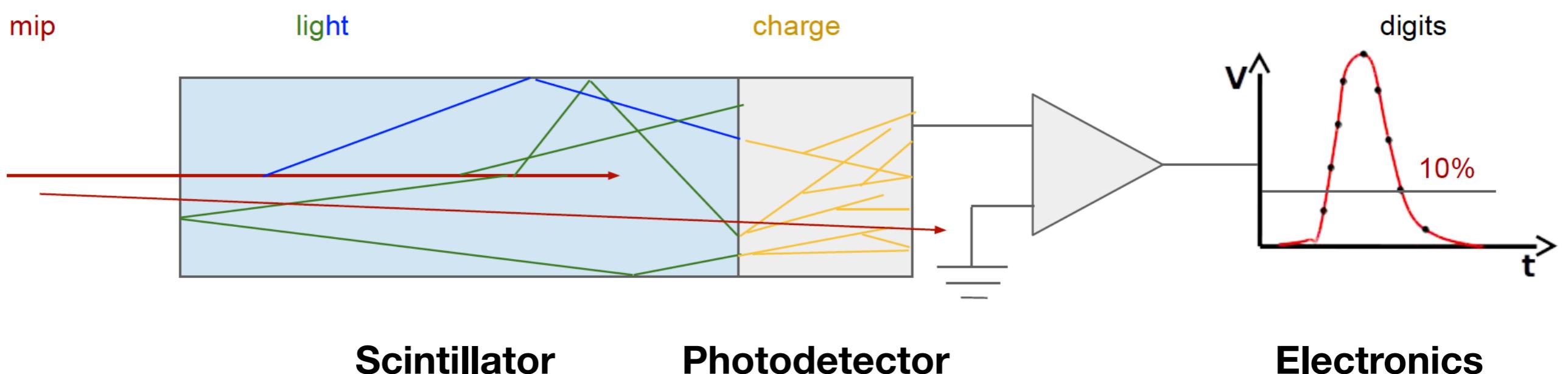
MTD test beam setup

- Time resolution measured against reference timing detector (Photek 240 micro-channel plate, time resolution ~ 15 ps)
- Tracking of charged particles by precision telescope, 0.2 mm position resolution



BTL: crystal based precision timing

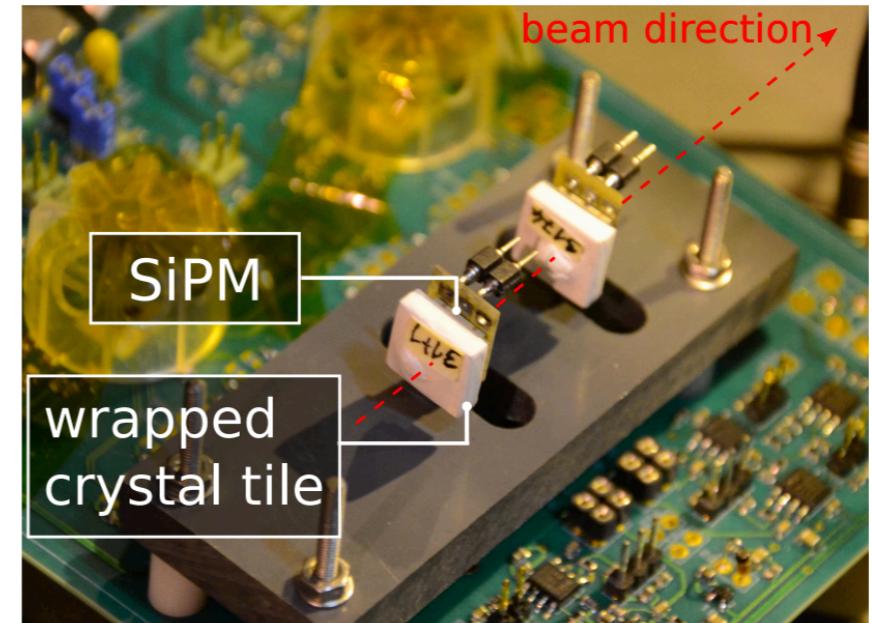
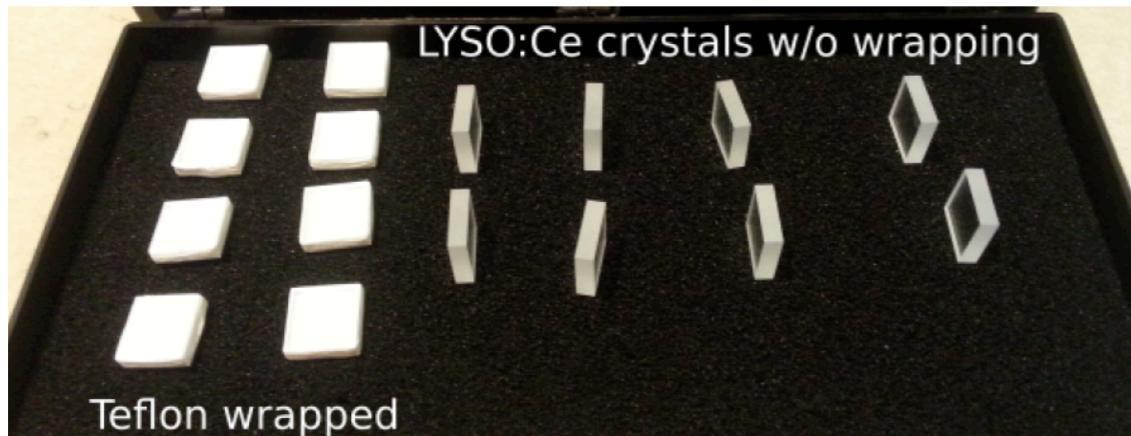
BTL sensor: Lutetium-yttrium orthosilicate crystals activated with cerium (LYSO:Ce) as scintillator readout by Silicon Photomultipliers



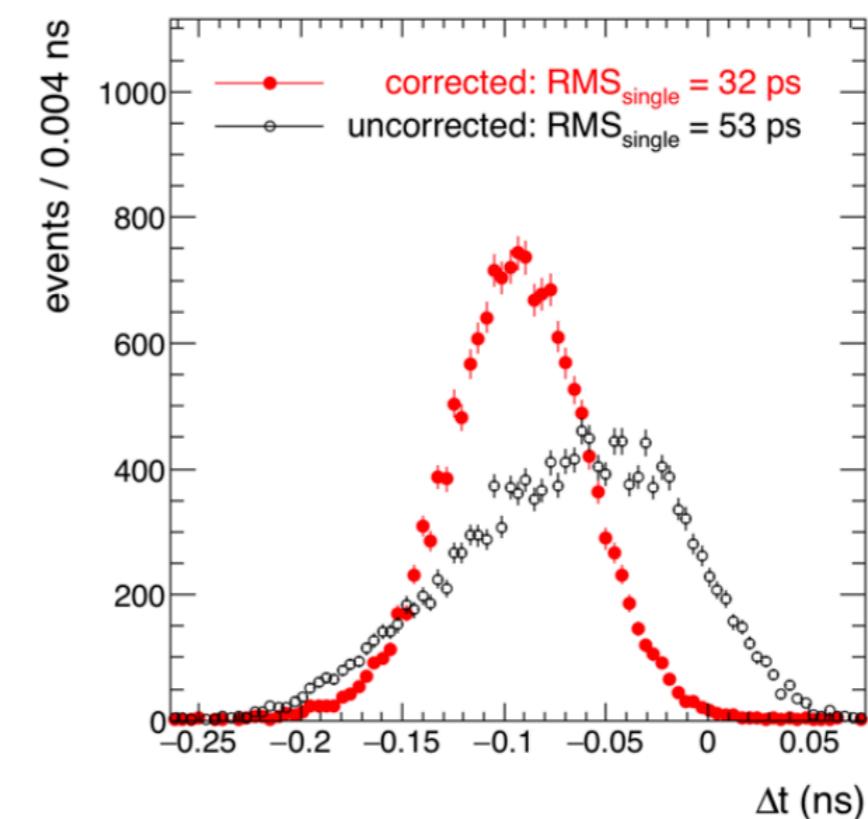
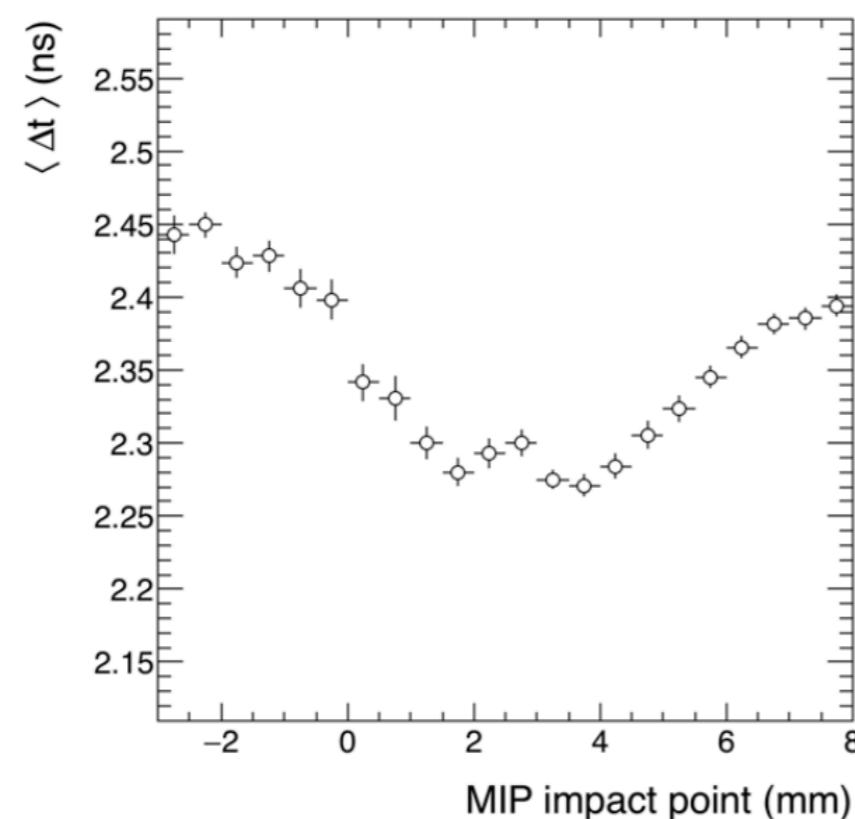
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BTL Sensor design optimization - crystal tiles

Design in MTD Technical Proposal
Nov 2017 LHCC-P-009

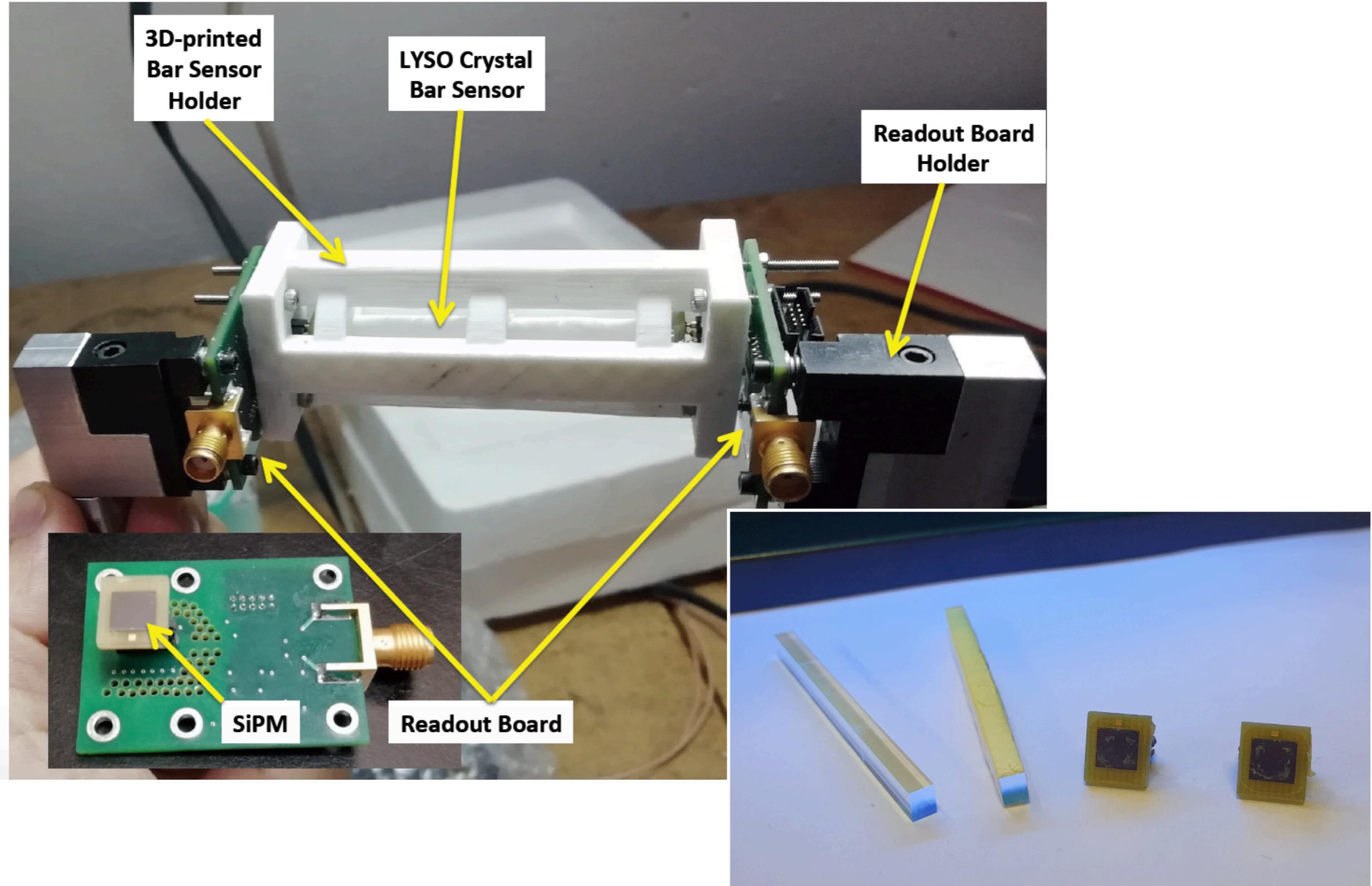


test beam measurement of $11 \times 11 \times 3 \text{ mm}^3$ LYSO tile with $5 \times 5 \text{ mm}^2$ SiPM



Sensor Design Optimization - Crystal bars

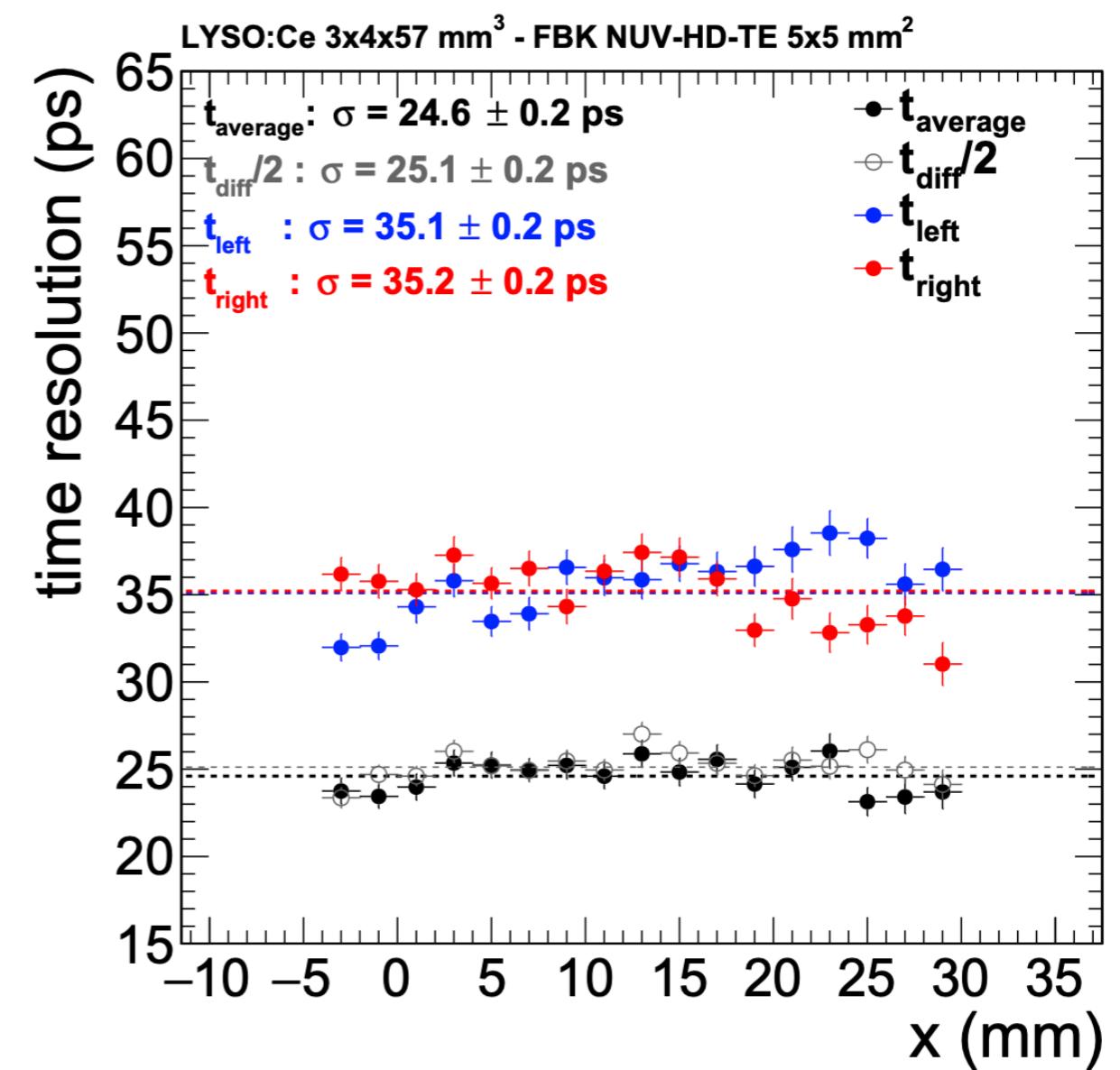
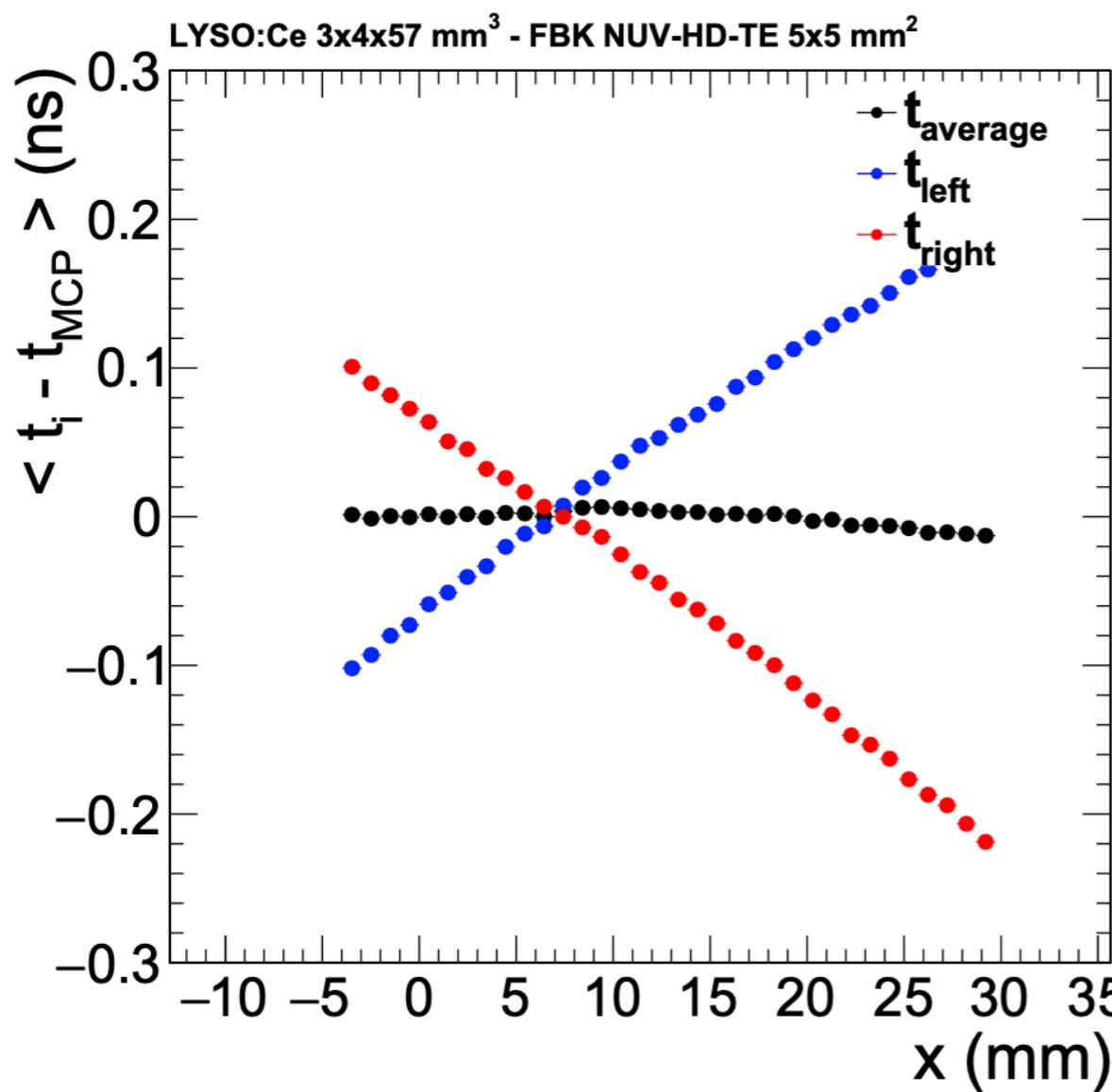
Baseline design since CMS-TDR-020 March 2019



BTL sensor performance in test beam

- Timestamp of a MIP traversing BTL: $t_{Ave} = (t_{left} + t_{right})/2$
- Achieved ~ 25 ps time resolution per sensor before irradiation
- Uniform time response and resolution across sensor area

BTL first test beam paper accepted by JINST arxiv: 2104.07786



$3 \times 4 \times 57$ mm³ LYSO:Ce bar coupled to FBK SiPMs

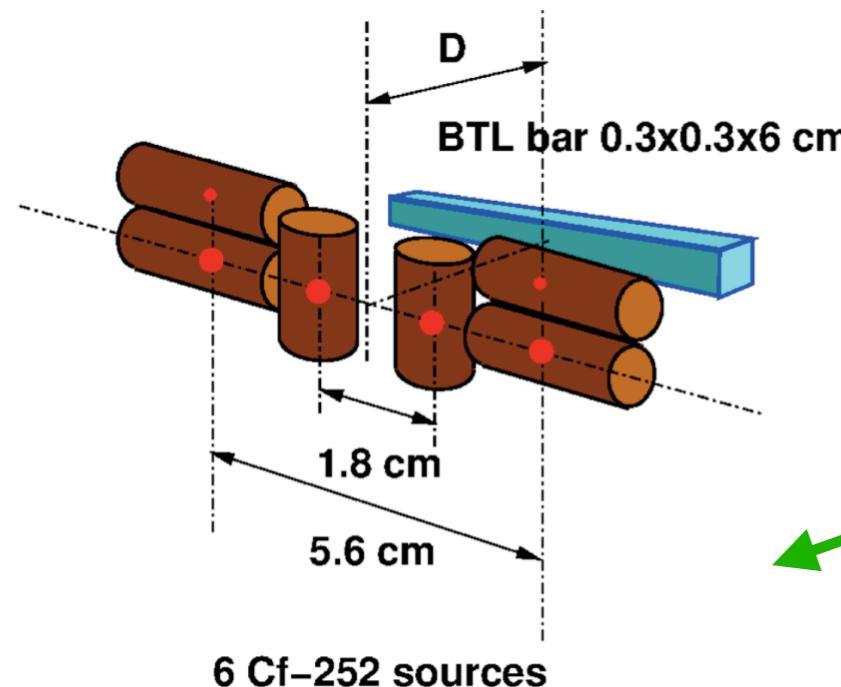
Dose rate and neutron flux at HL-LHC

Dose rate and neutron flux expected at HL-LHC induce photo-current and readout noise in BTL sensor

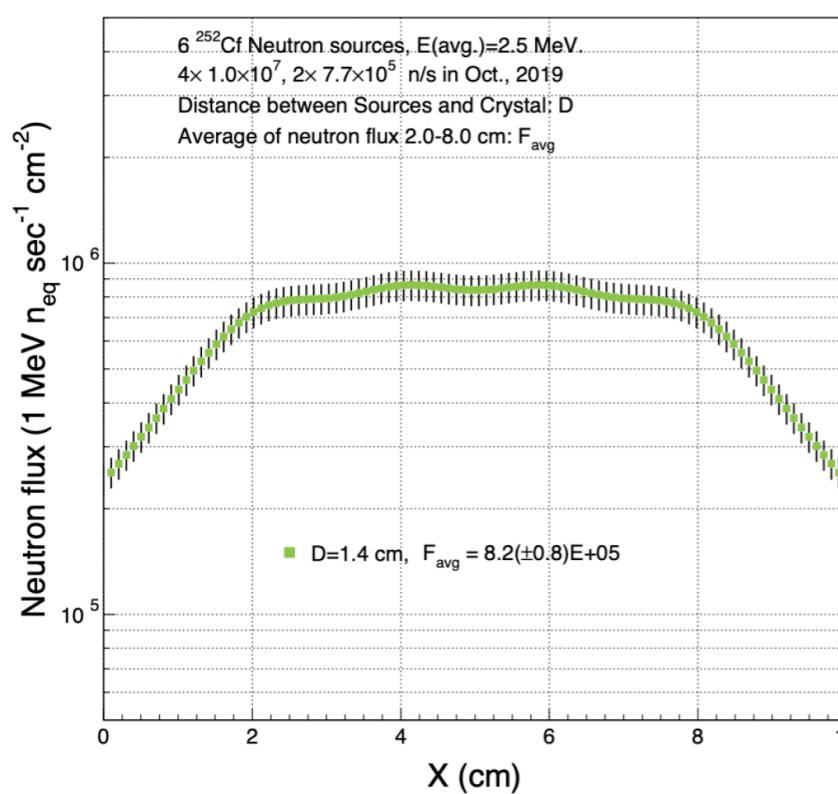
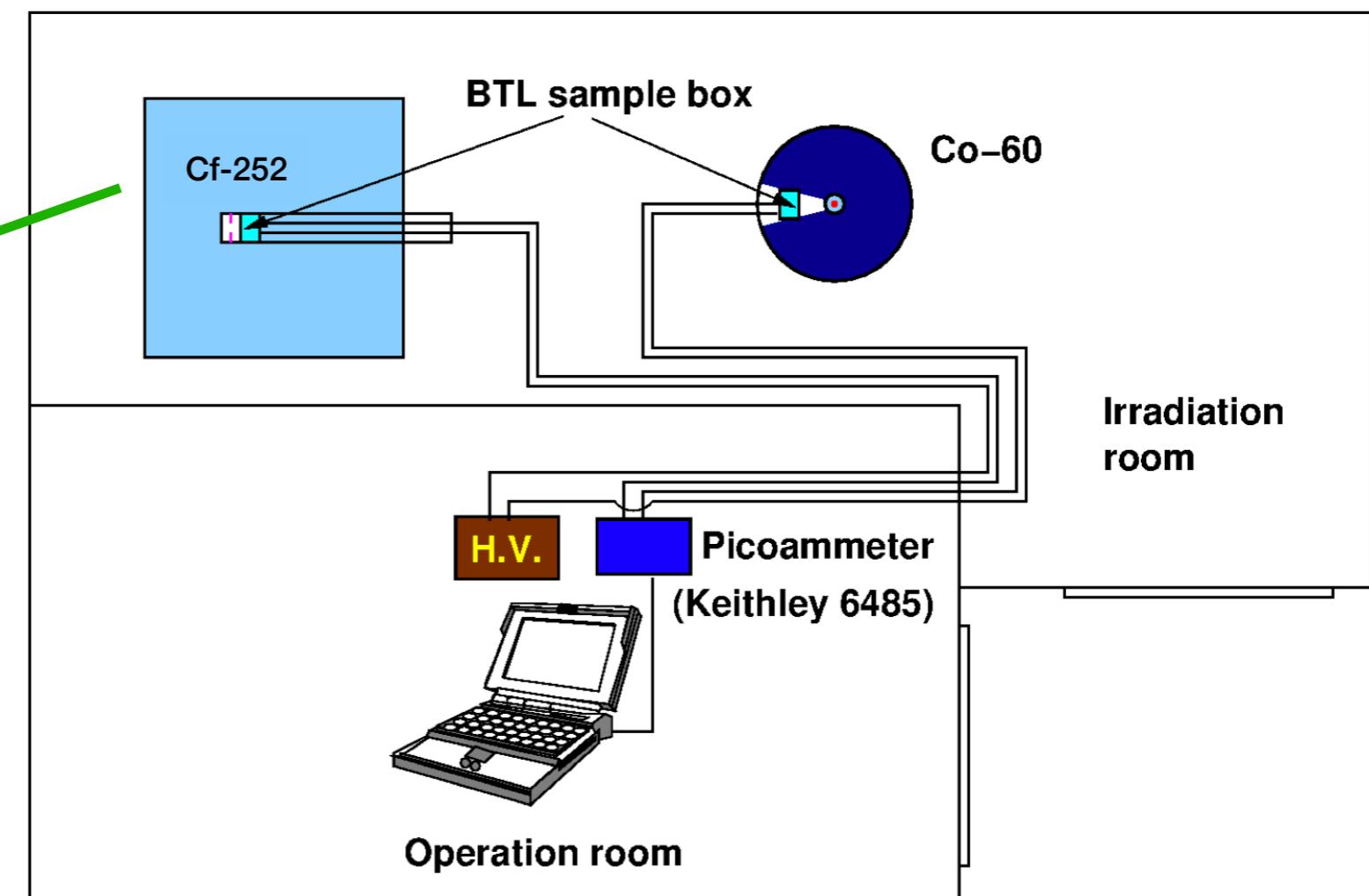
Need to measure the impact experimentally

CMS MTD	η	n_{eq} (cm $^{-2}$)	n_{eq} Flux (cm $^{-2}s^{-1}$)	Protons (cm $^{-2}$)	p Flux (cm $^{-2}s^{-1}$)	Dose (Mrad)	Dose rate (rad/h)
Barrel	0.00	2.48E+14	2.75E+06	2.2E+13	2.4E+05	2.7	108
Barrel	1.15	2.70E+14	3.00E+06	2.4E+13	2.6E+05	3.8	150
Barrel	1.45	2.85E+14	3.17E+06	2.5E+13	2.8E+05	4.8	192
Endcap	1.60	2.3E+14	2.50E+06	2.0E+13	2.2E+05	2.9	114
Endcap	2.00	4.5E+14	5.00E+06	3.9E+13	4.4E+05	7.5	300
Endcap	2.50	1.1E+15	1.25E+07	9.9E+13	1.1E+06	25.5	1020
Endcap	3.00	2.4E+15	2.67E+07	2.1E+14	2.3E+06	67.5	2700

Experimental setup at Caltech

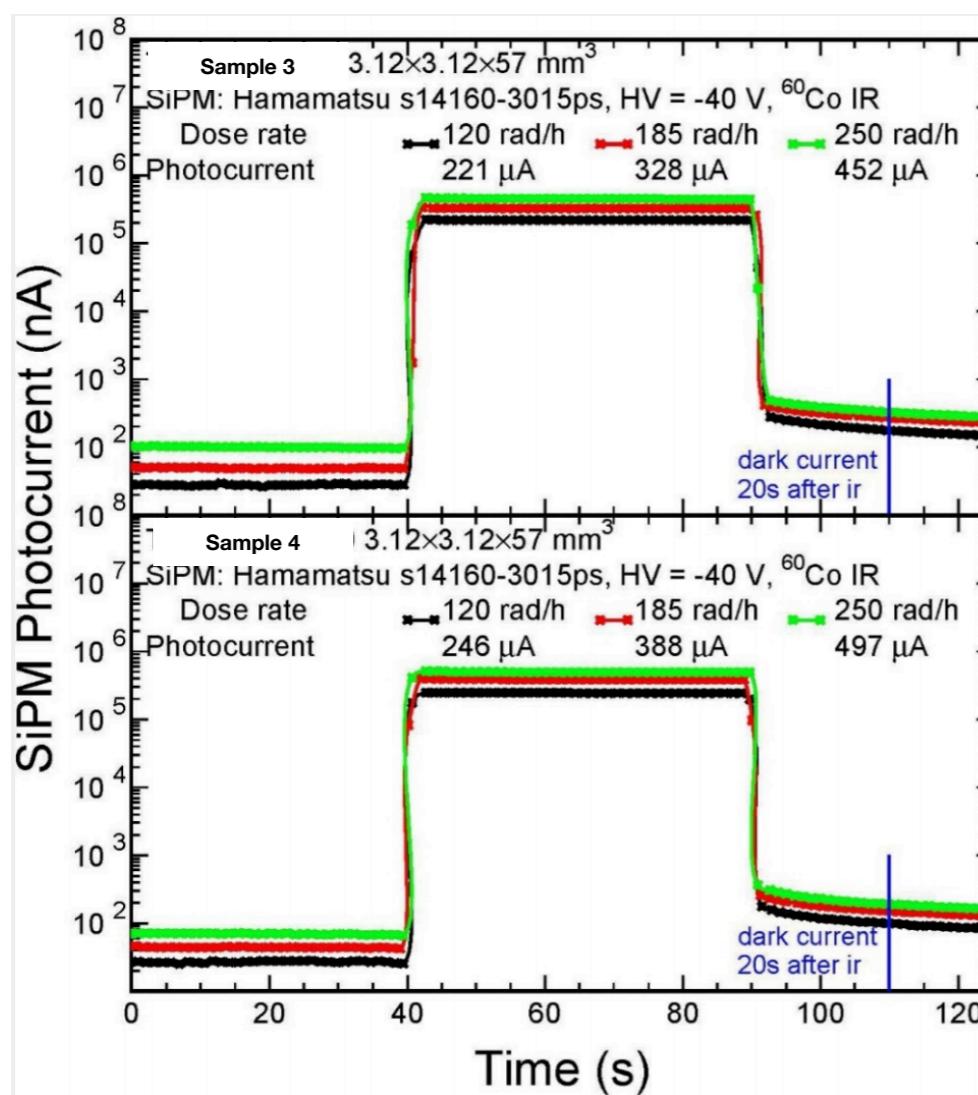


Collaborating with Caltech HEP Crystal Lab

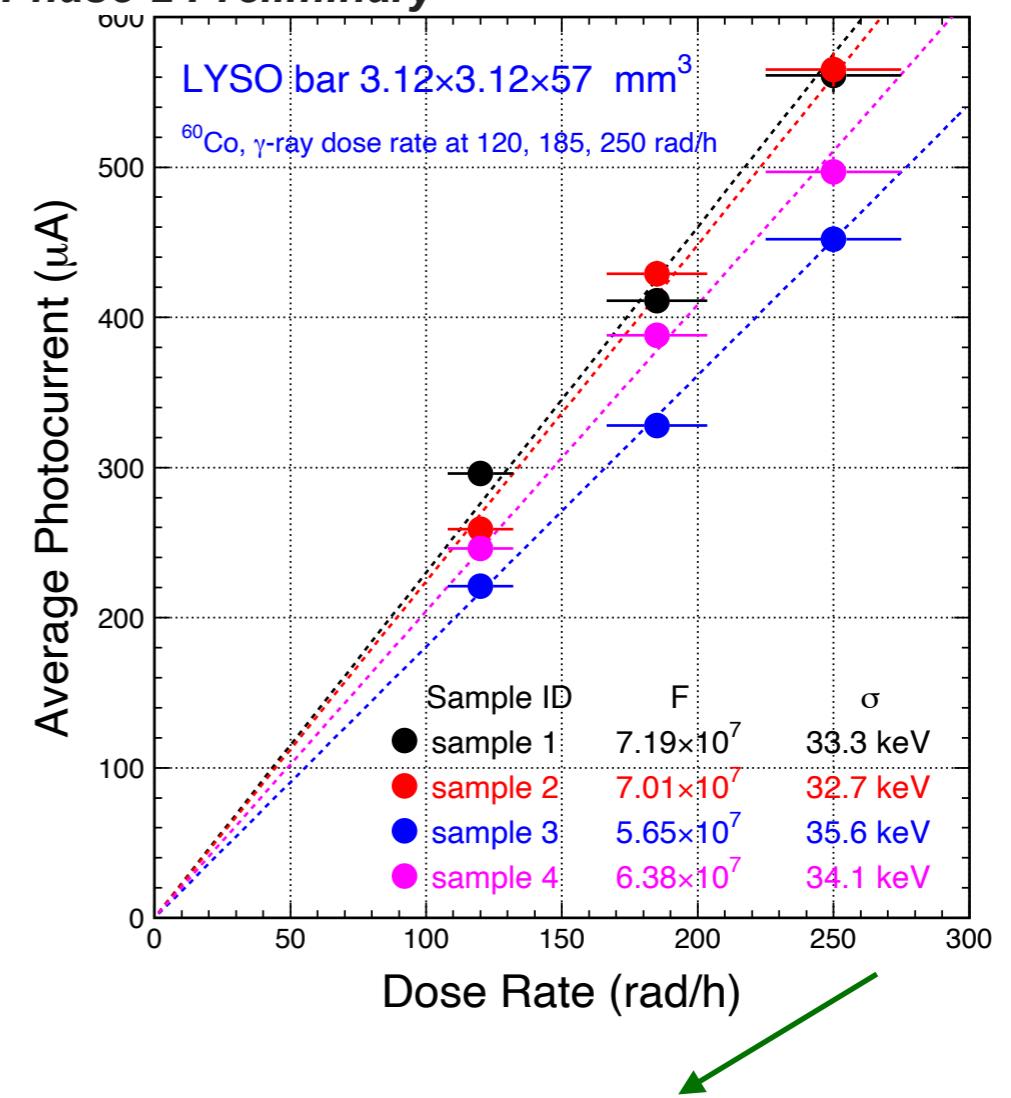


Dose rate and neutron flux induced readout noise

- **Negligible readout noise** induced by gamma-ray (192 rad/h) and neutron flux (3.17×10^6 [1 MeV n_{eq} cm $^{-2}$ s $^{-1}$]) at @BTL $|\eta|=1.45$ expected at HL-LHC



CMS Phase-2 Preliminary



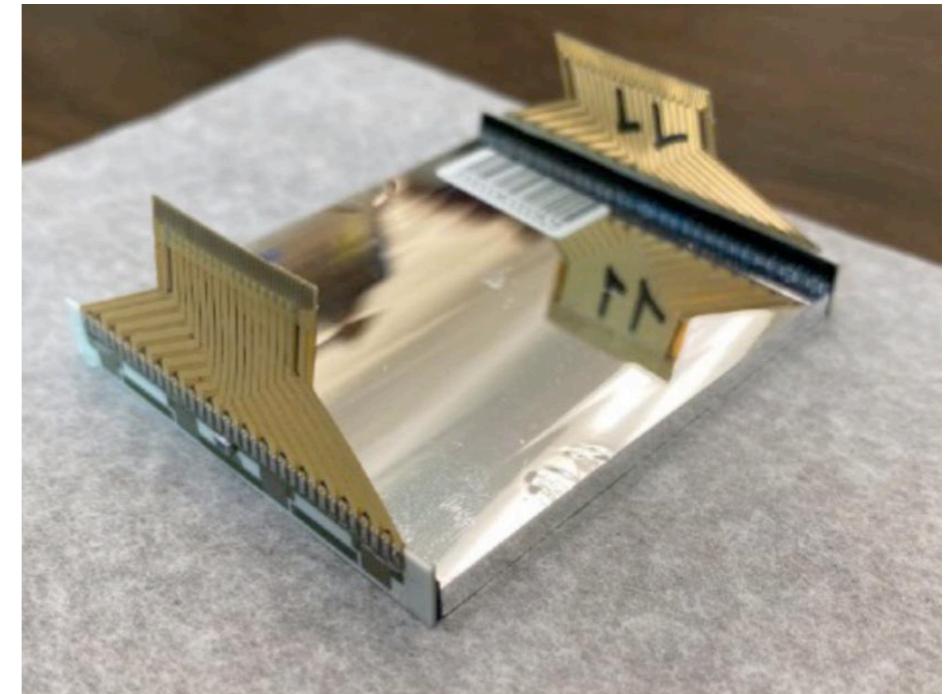
Negligible compared to MIP signal of 4.2 MeV

From BTL Single Bar to Module

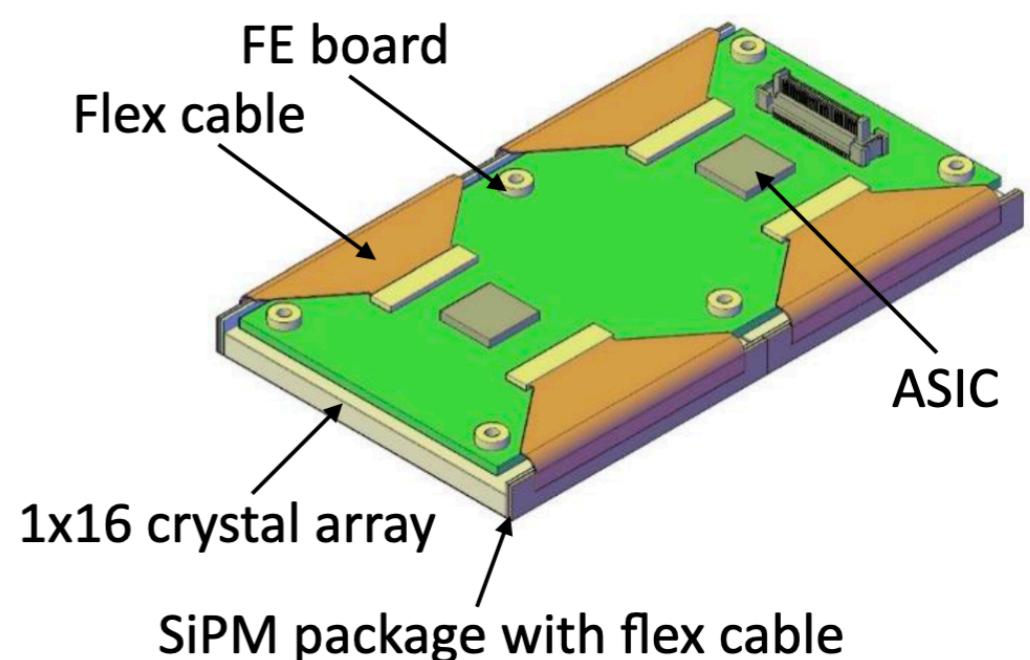
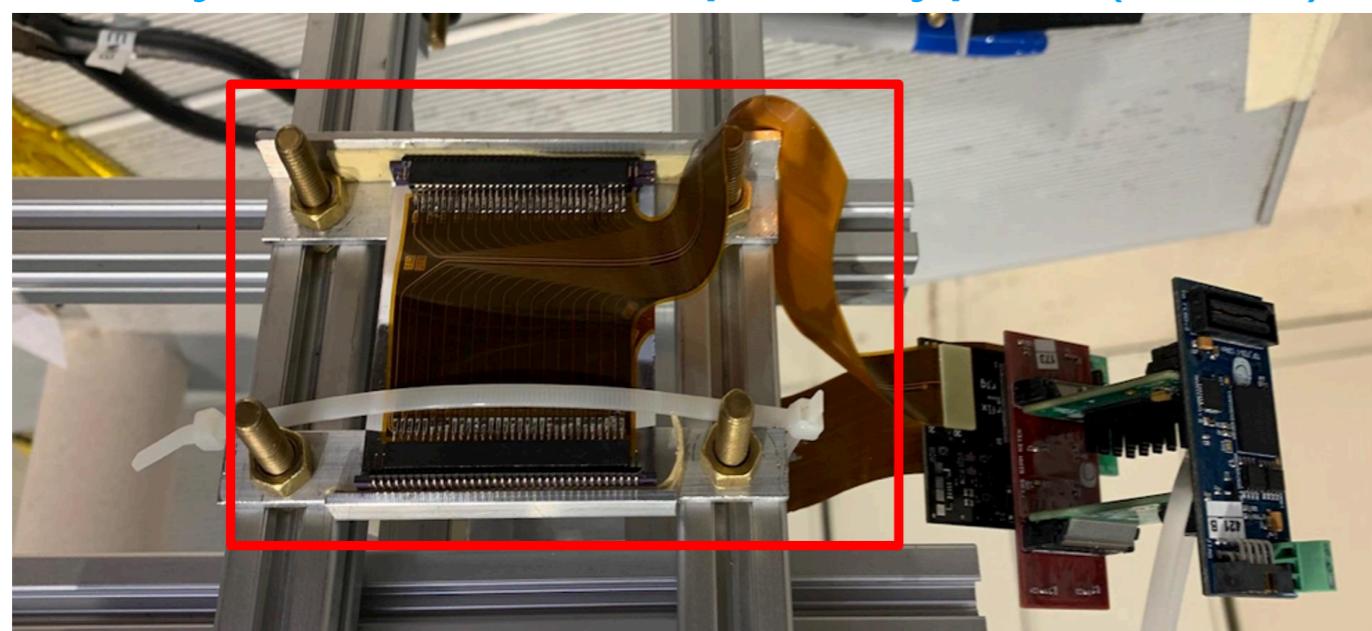
Motivation of the BTL module design:

- Minimize distance between the SiPM's and ASICs for best possible signal integrity
- Encapsulate variability of the dimensions of the module components
- Simplify tray assembly

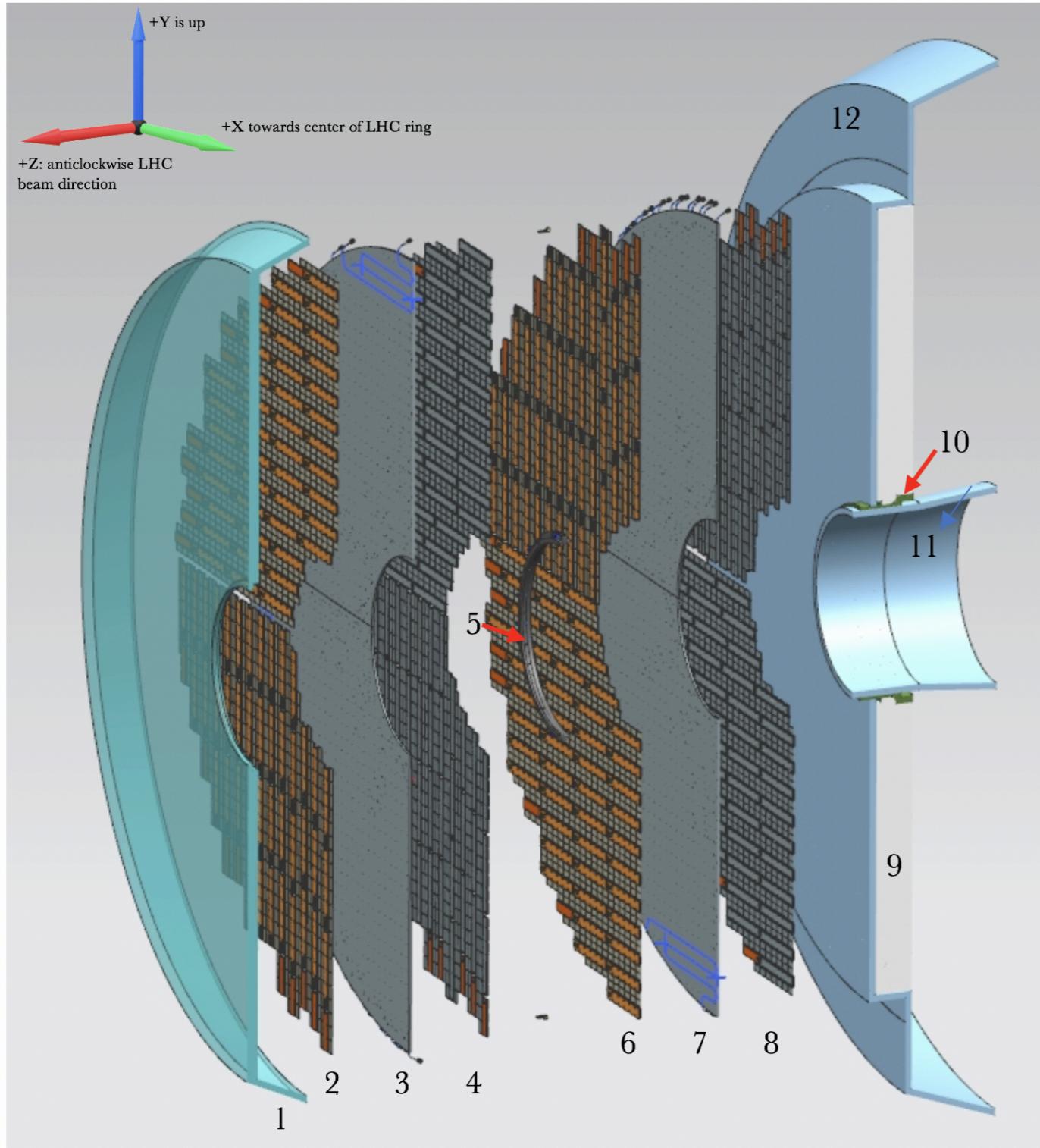
BTL module prototypes (2021)



Early BTL module prototypes (2020)

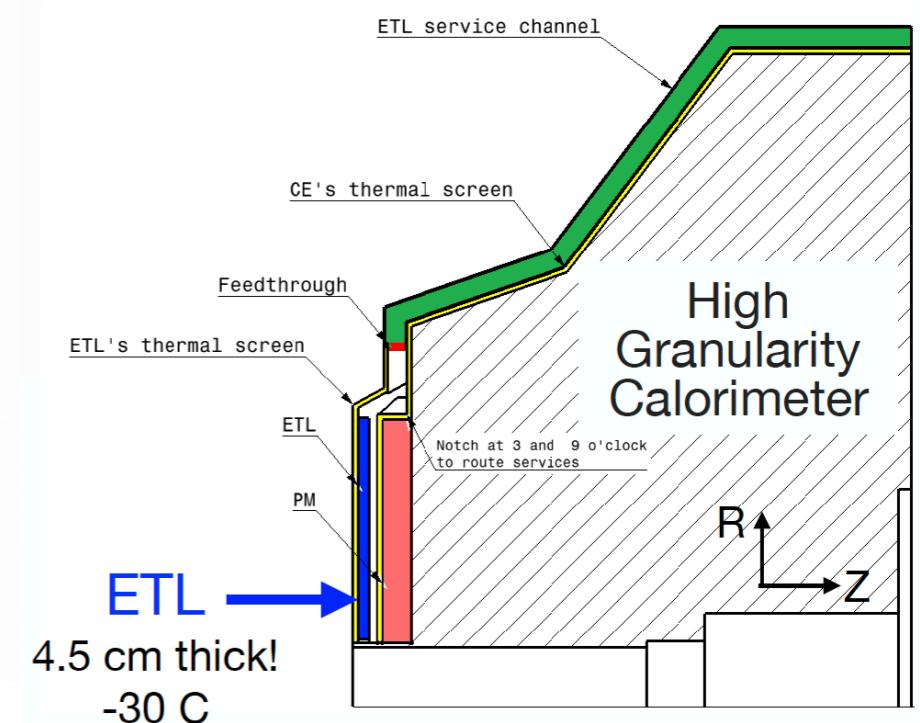


ETL Detector Layout



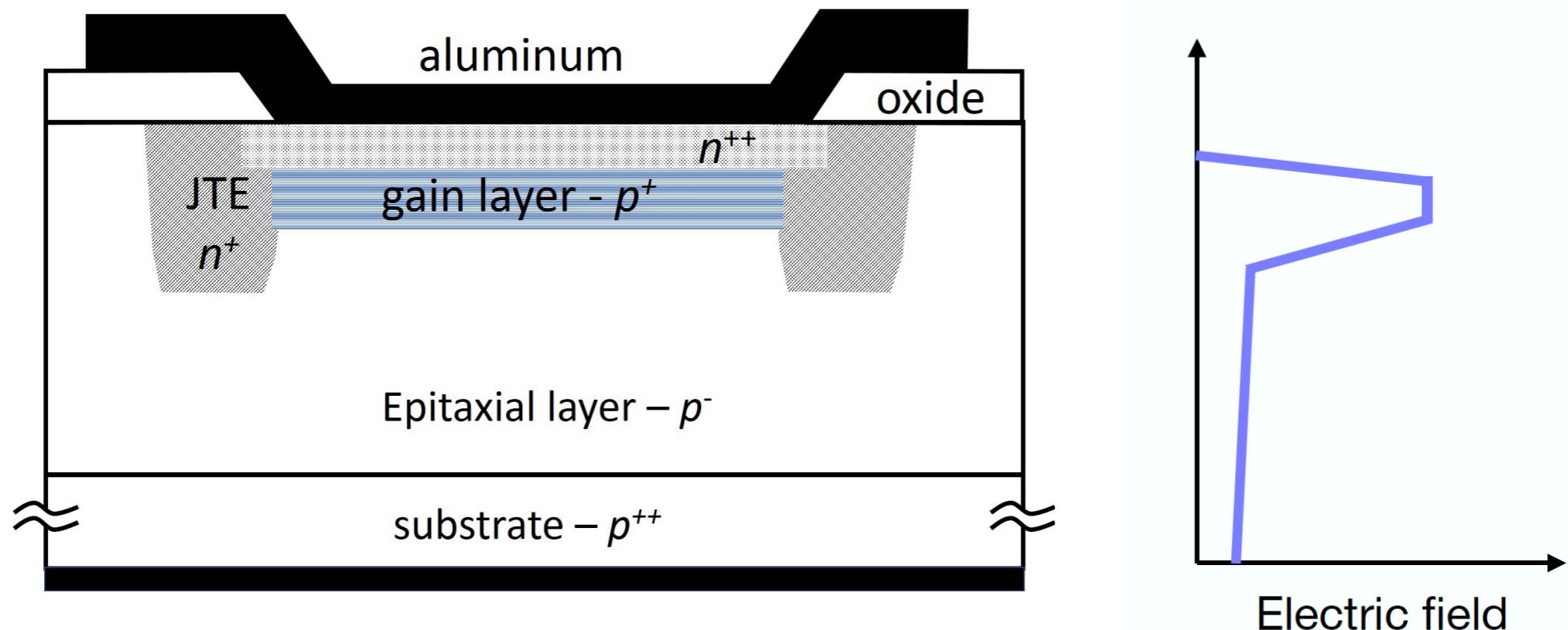
- 1: ETL Thermal Screen
- 2: Disk 1, Face 1
- 3: Disk 1 Support Plate
- 4: Disk 1, Face 2
- 5: ETL Mounting Bracket
- 6: Disk 2, Face 1
- 7: Disk 2 Support Plate
- 8: Disk 2, Face 2
- 9: HGCAL Neutron Moderator
- 10: ETL Support Cone
- 11: Support cone insulation
- 12: HGCAL Thermal Screen

Design target:
50 ps per hit, 35 ps per track



Low Gain Avalanche Detectors (LGADs)

- LGAD: ultra-fast silicon detectors with a highly doped p+ gain layer; moderate internal gain: 10-30
- Technology choice of ATLAS High-Granularity Timing Detector (HGTD) and CMS ETL



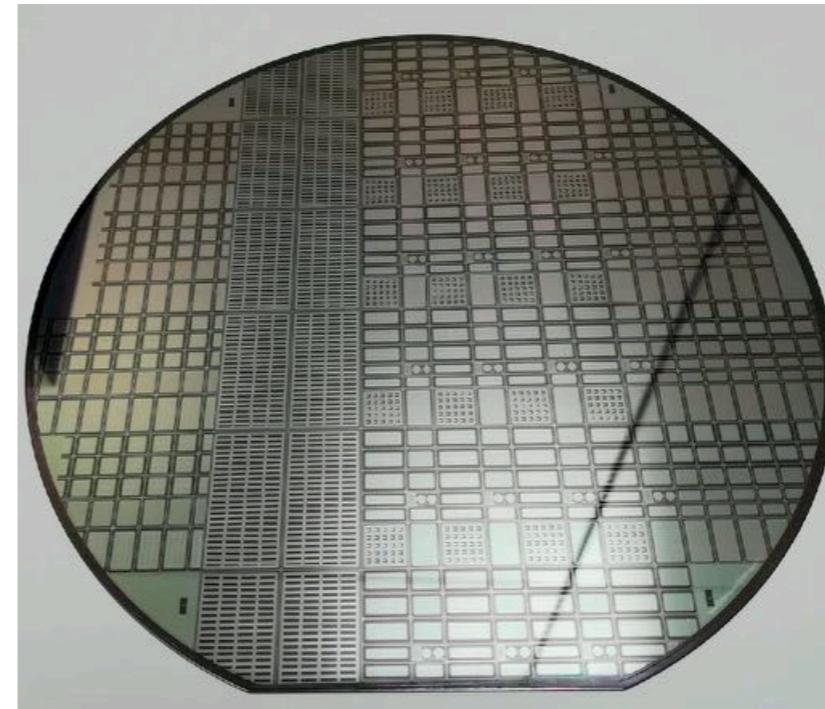
- ETL need 8.6 million channels, active area of 16 m²
- Never been done in large areas before
- Need for next-generation fast ASIC electronics

ETL LGAD Design

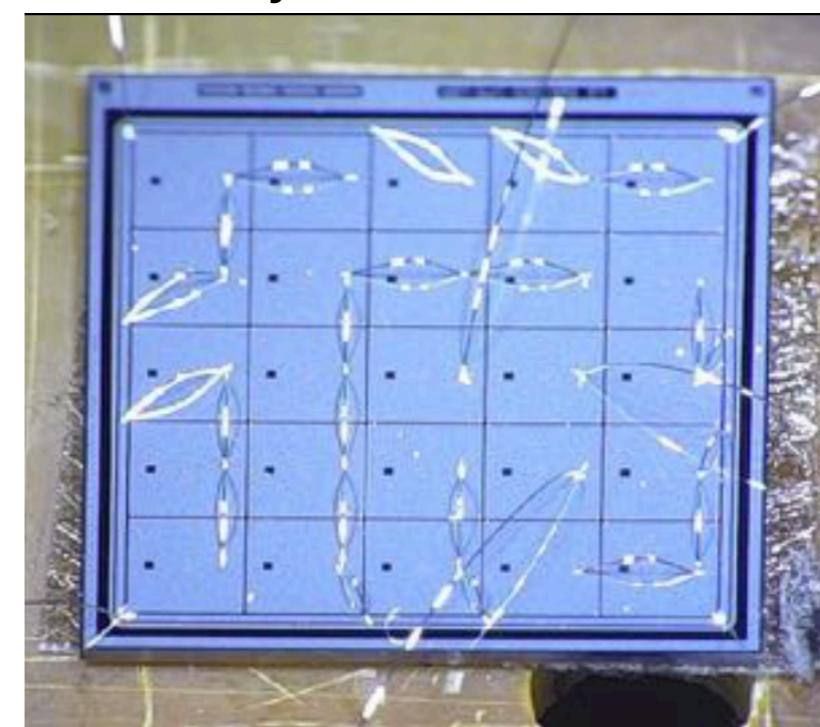
Key sensor characteristics

Depletion region thickness	50 μm
Pad size	1.3x1.3 mm ²
Sensor size	16 x 16
Interpad gap	< 90 μm
Time res. after irradiation	< 40 ps

FBK UFSD3

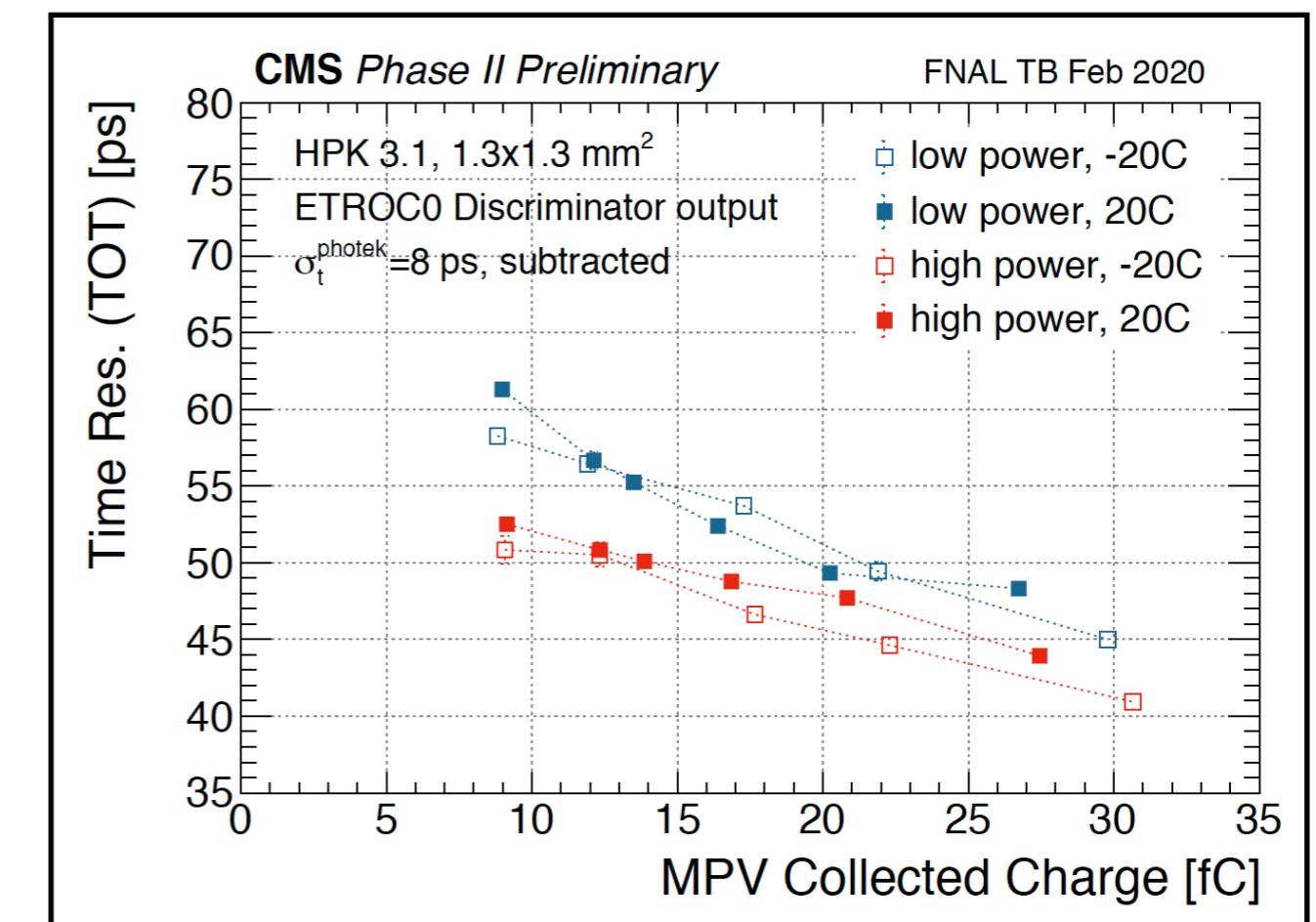
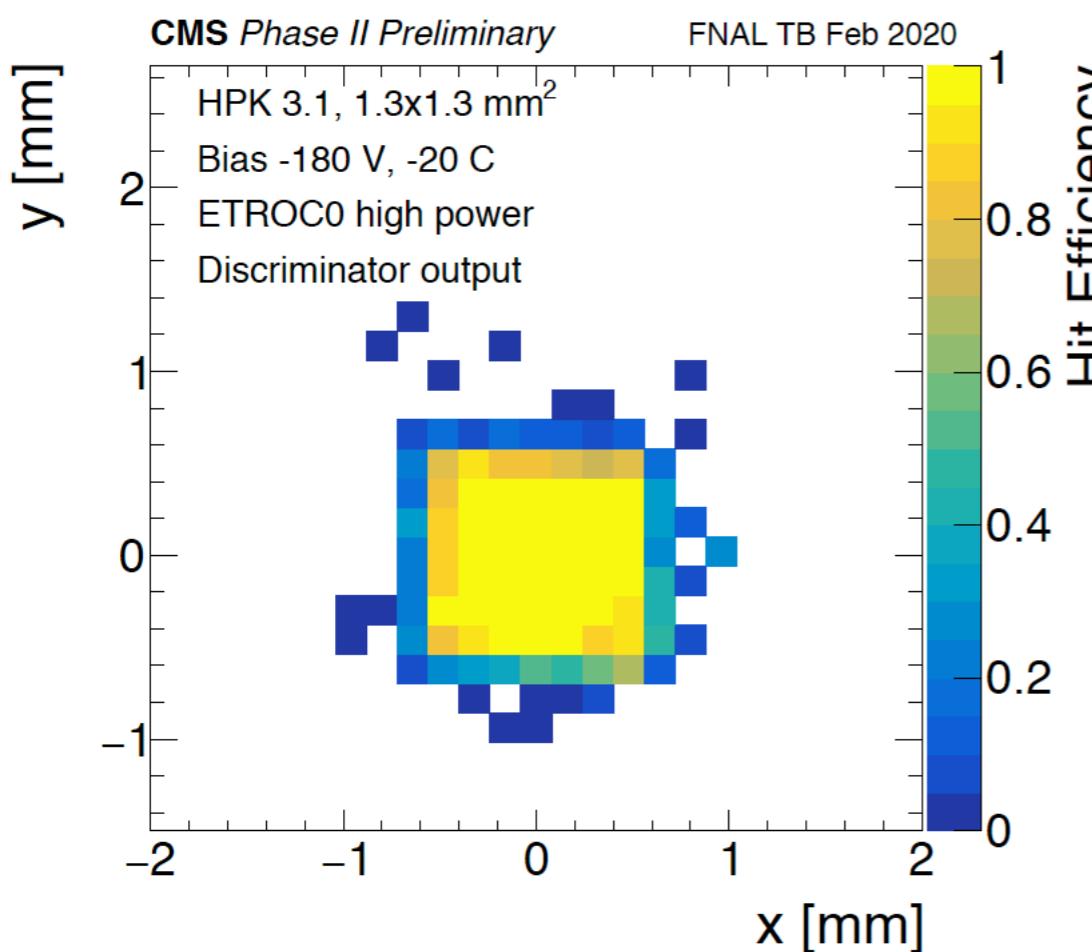


5x5 array from HPK



ETL test beam measurement

- First beam tests of prototype sensors and front-end ASIC
- For pre-rad sensors operating above 20 fC, time resolution of 40-50 ps with discriminator per sensor achieved
- Excellent first results - within design goal for final detector



ETROC0 : single analog channel

Summary

- ➊ CMS observed (expected) 3.0σ (2.5σ) experimental evidence for $H \rightarrow \mu\mu$ decay using full Run 2 data:
 - ➊ Higgs boson coupling measured with 19%, in agreement with Standard Model prediction $\kappa_\mu = 1.13^{+0.21}_{-0.22}$ at 68% CL
 - ➋ What's next: LHC data in Run 3 and HL-LHC will enable the observation and a precise measurement of κ_μ through $H \rightarrow \mu\mu$
- ➋ CMS phase-2 upgrade will include a new MIP timing detector with a time resolution of 30-40 ps for MIPs
 - ➊ Broad impact on HL-LHC physics potential
 - ➋ Sensor technology: LYSO:Ce crystals readout by SiPM for barrel, LGAD for endcap
 - ➌ Steady progress to prototyping and system test stage

Thank you!

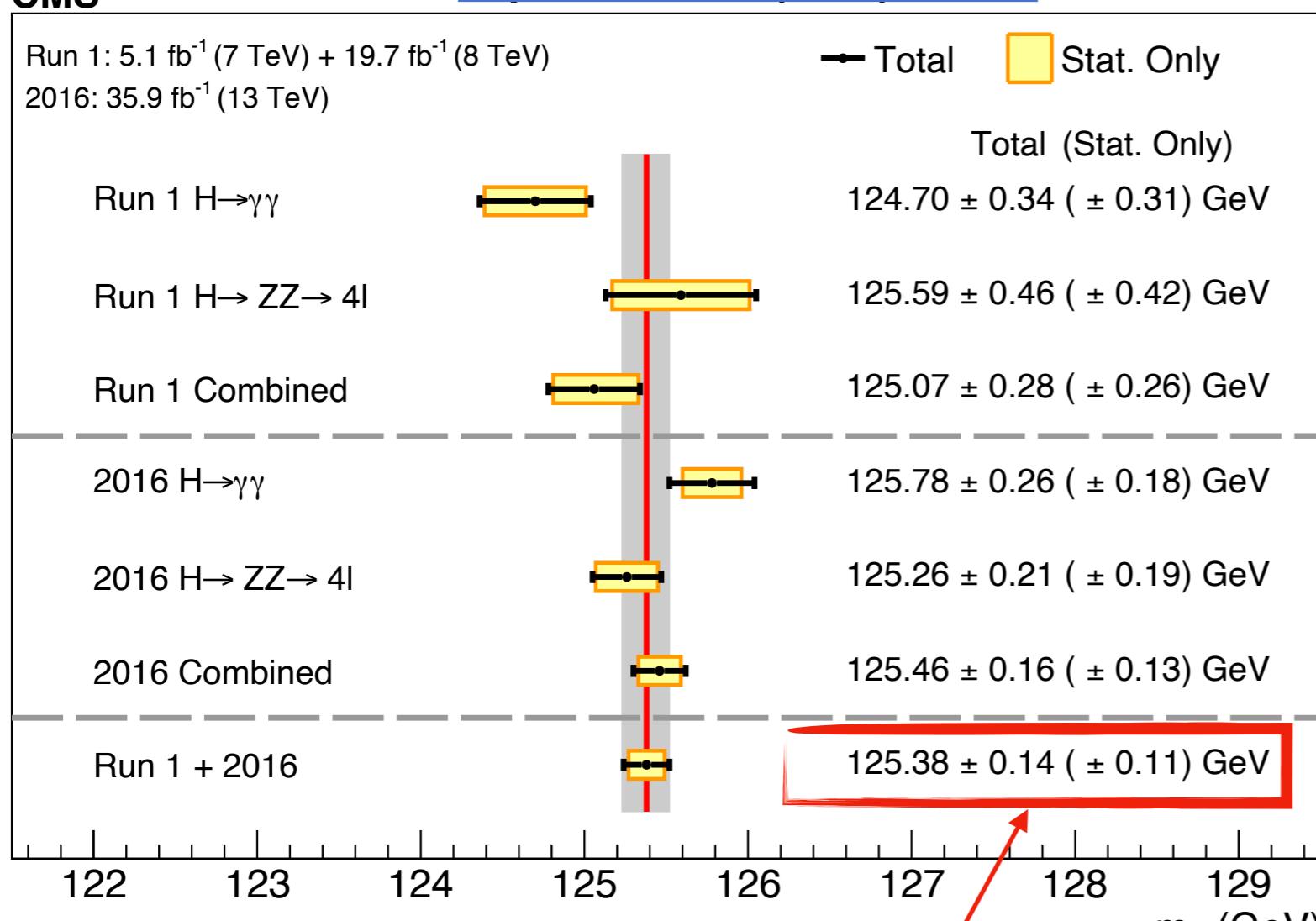
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Where to look: Higgs boson mass

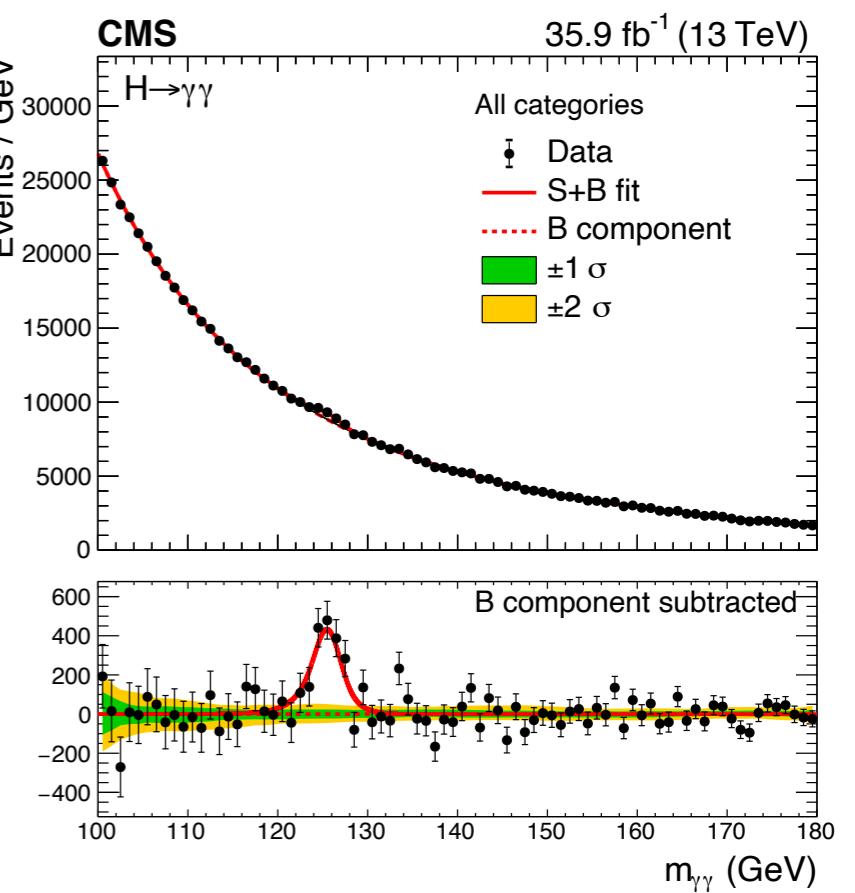
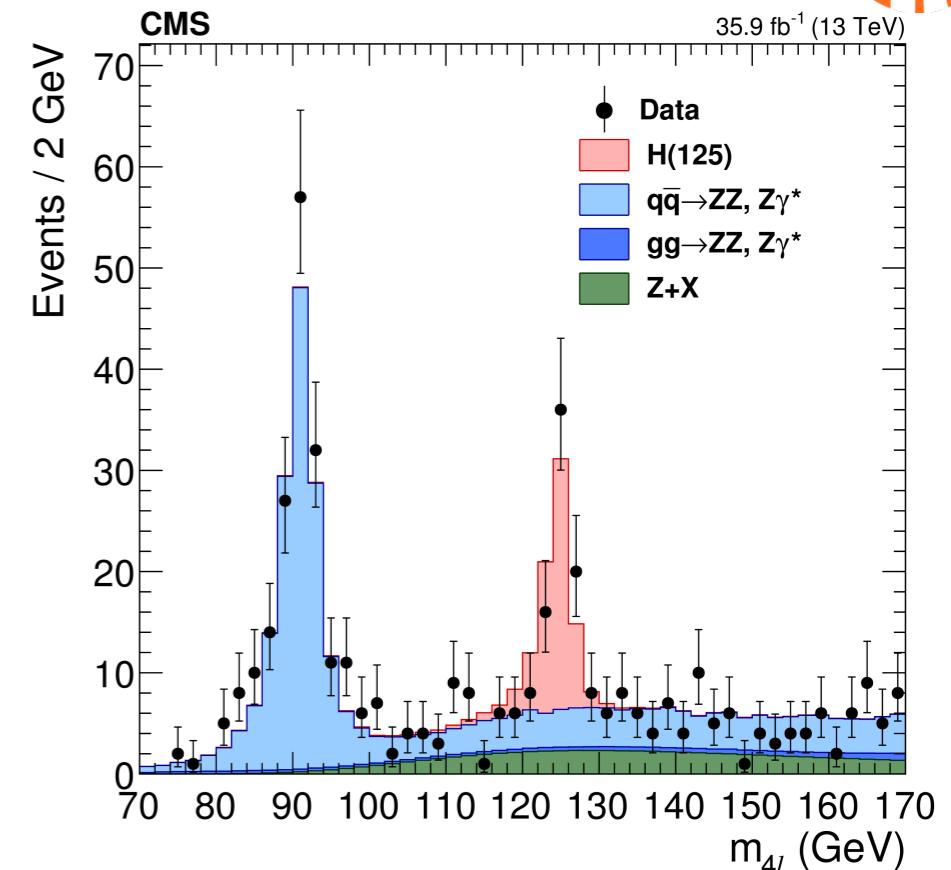
- The Higgs boson mass m_H is a free parameter in the SM.
Once m_H is known, all Higgs boson couplings to Standard Model particles are fixed
- Most precise m_H measurement currently: $\sim 0.11\%$ precision by CMS experiment

CMS

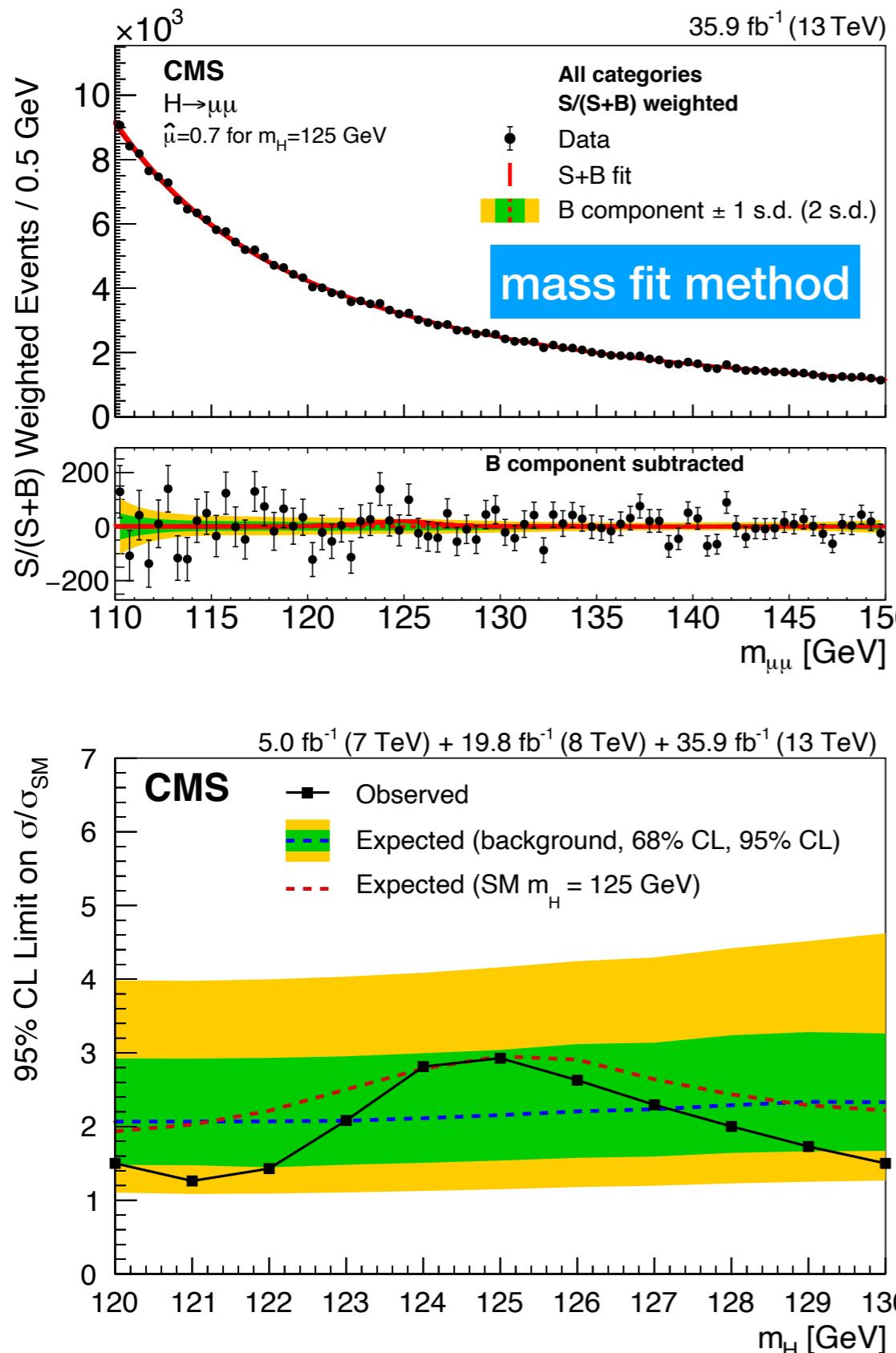
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Higgs mass used in $H \rightarrow \mu\mu$ search

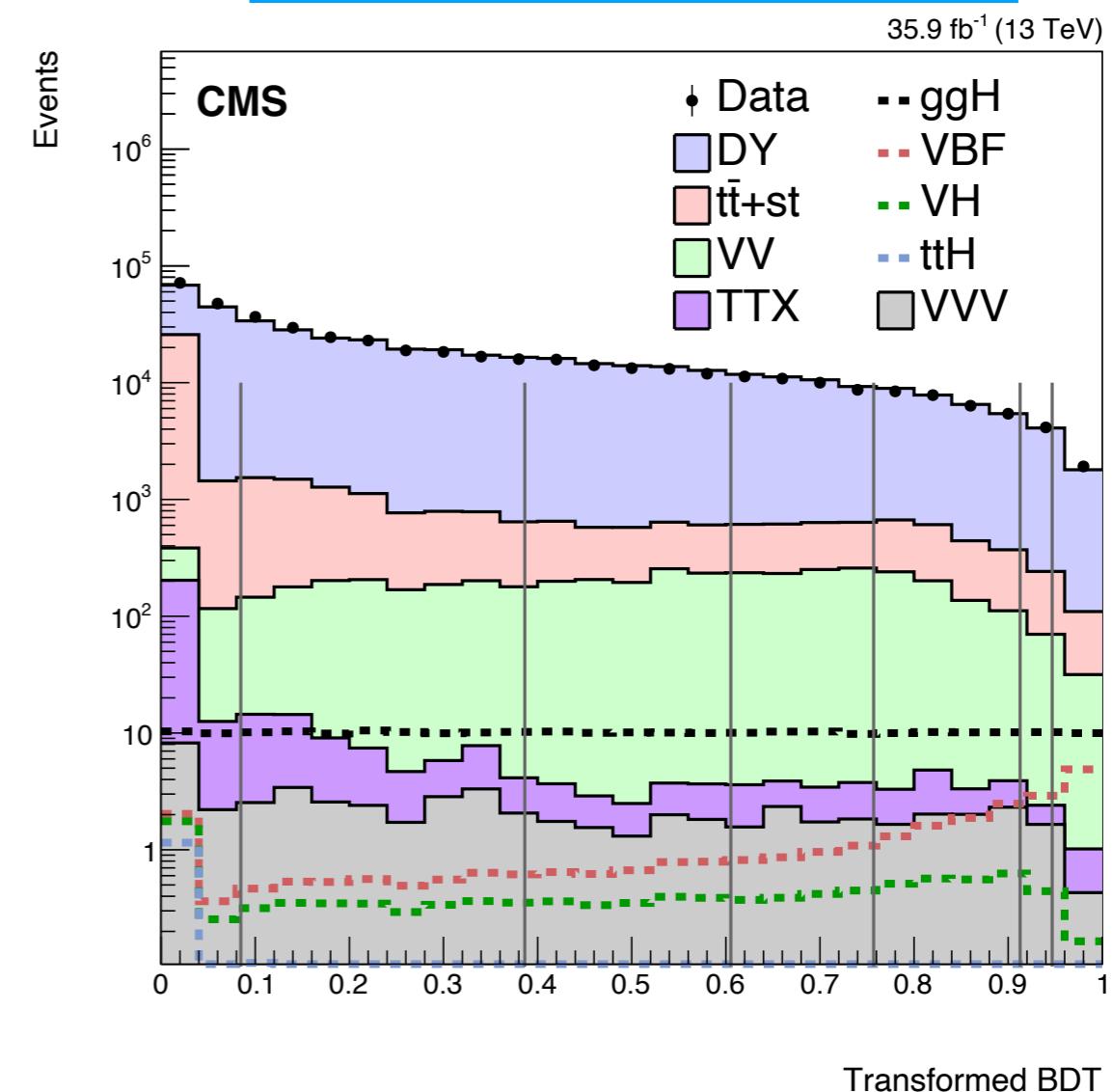


Recap: CMS $H \rightarrow \mu\mu$ search with 2016 data



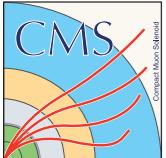
Observed (expected) significance 0.9σ (1.0σ)

Boosted Decision Tree (BDT) trained targeting ggH and VBF signals



Categorization based on BDT output score and the maximum $|\eta|$ of the two muons

[Rev. Lett. 122 \(2019\) 021801](#)



Physics Objection Selection



muons:

- $|\eta| < 2.4$
- leading muon $pT > 26$ (2016, 2018)/ 29 (2017)
- sub-leading muon $pT > 20$ GeV
- loose isolation criteria
- medium muon ID
- global muon
- correction to the muon pT: final state photon recovery and geo-fit correction

Top tagging

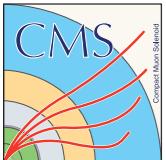
- Only used in the ttH category
- MVA-based resolved hadronic top tag with 3 jets [PRL 122, 011803 (2019)]

Jets:

- $pT > 25$ GeV, $|\eta| < 4.7$
- reject jets originate from pileup
 - MVA pile-up jet identification
- Calibration on jet energy

B-jet tagging

- $pT > 25$ GeV and $|\eta| < 2.5$ within tracker coverage
- DeepCSV b-tagging algorithm
 - Loose (85% efficiency, 10% mis-ID)
 - medium (70% efficiency, 1% mis-ID)



Event Simulation

Monte Carlo (MC) simulation samples:

Process	Generator (Perturbative order)	Parton shower	Cross section	Additional corrections
ggH	signal	MADGRAPH5_aMC@NLO (NLO QCD)	PYTHIA	N3LO QCD, NLO EW
VBF		POWHEG (NLO QCD)	PYTHIA dipole shower	NNLO QCD, NLO EW
qq → VH		POWHEG (NLO QCD)	PYTHIA	NNLO QCD, NLO EW
gg → ZH		POWHEG (LO)	PYTHIA	NNLO QCD, NLO EW
tH		POWHEG (NLO QCD)	PYTHIA	NLO QCD, NLO EW
bH		POWHEG (NLO QCD)	PYTHIA	NLO QCD
tHq		MADGRAPH5_aMC@NLO (LO)	PYTHIA	NLO QCD
tHW		MADGRAPH5_aMC@NLO (LO)	PYTHIA	NLO QCD
Drell-Yan	bkg	MADGRAPH5_aMC@NLO (NLO QCD)	PYTHIA	NNLO QCD, NLO EW
Zjj-EW		MADGRAPH5_aMC@NLO (LO)	HERWIG++/HERWIG 7	LO
t		POWHEG (NLO QCD)	PYTHIA	NNLO QCD
Single top quark		POWHEG/MADGRAPH5_aMC@NLO (NLO QCD)	PYTHIA	NLO QCD
Diboson (VV)		POWHEG/MADGRAPH5_aMC@NLO (NLO QCD)	PYTHIA	NLO QCD
gg → ZZ		MCFM (LO)	PYTHIA	LO
tV, tVV		MADGRAPH5_aMC@NLO (NLO QCD)	PYTHIA	NLO QCD
Triboson (VVV)		MADGRAPH5_aMC@NLO (NLO QCD)	PYTHIA	NLO QCD

ggH:

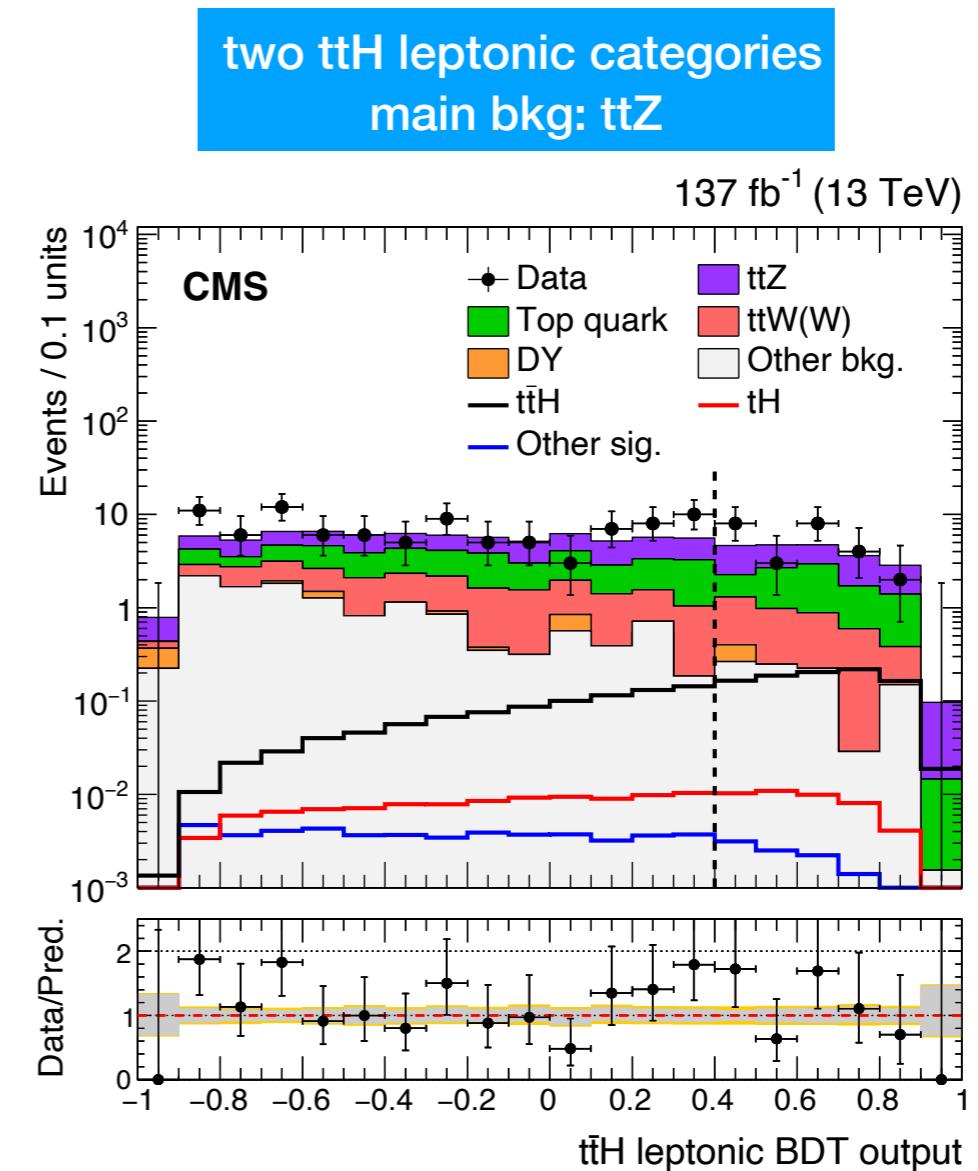
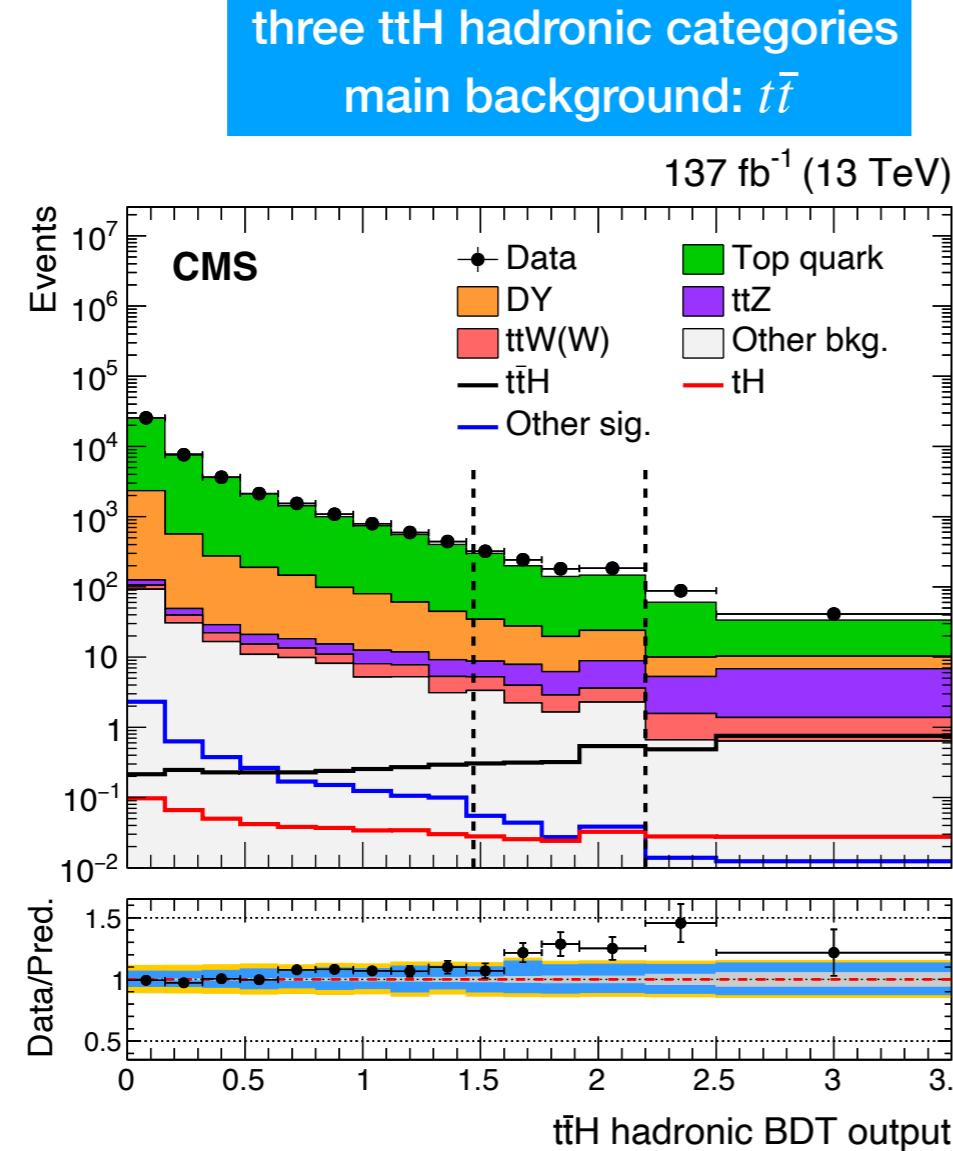
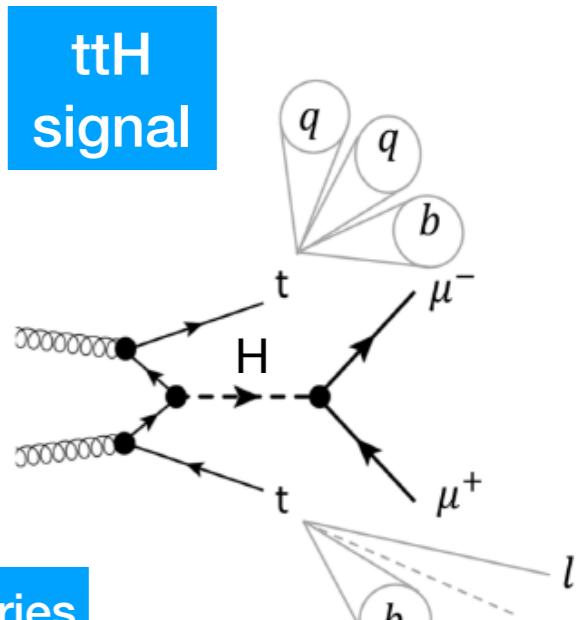
- Higgs pT distribution reweighted to match POWHEG NNLOPS predictions

Drell-Yan:

- Madgraph5_amc@NLO generator with up to two partons in the final state at the ME level
- Dedicated sample targeting the VBF phase-space created to reduce MC stats uncertainty

ttH Channel: Overview

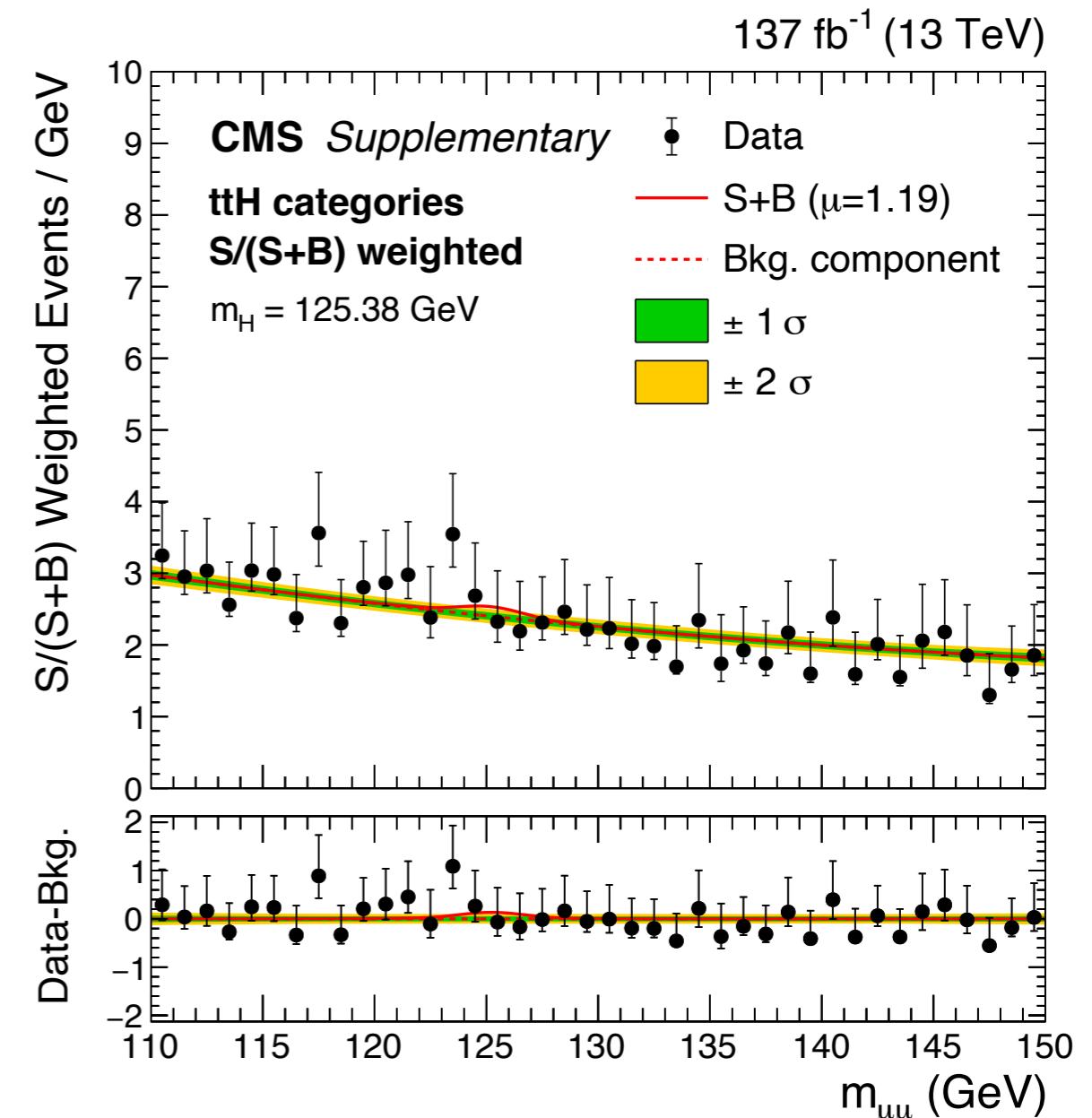
- ttH leptonic: extra leptons (e or μ)
 - additional MVA identification for leptons *PRL 122, 132003 (2019)* to reduce background with non-prompt leptons from $t\bar{t}$ and DY
- ttH hadronic: $N_{\text{jets}} \geq 3$, no extra lepton
 - hadronic top tagging *PRL 122, 011803 (2019)* used to increase signal purity



ttH Channel: Results

Fit strategy and signal modeling similar to ggH categories

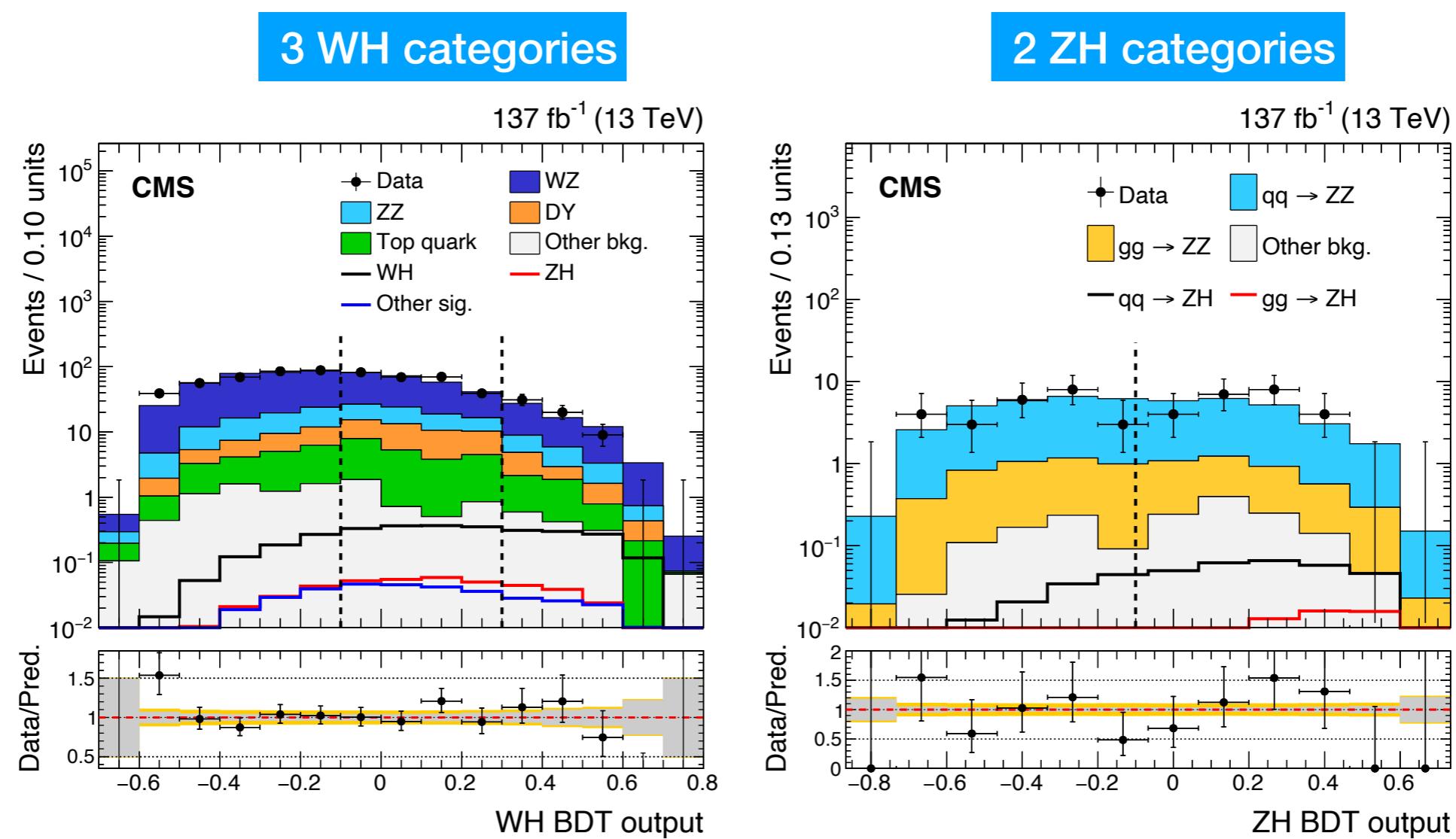
- background functional form using agnostic functions:
 - second-order Bernstein polynomial for ttH-hadronic
 - exponential functions for ttH-leptonic
- observed (expected) significance:
 1.20σ (0.54σ), $m_H = 125.38$ GeV



Event category	Total signal	ttH (%)	ggH (%)	VH (%)	Other (%)	HWHM (GeV)	Bkg. fit function	Bkg. @HWHM	Data @HWHM	S/(S+B) (%) @HWHM	S/ \sqrt{B} @HWHM
ttHhad-cat1	6.87	32.3	40.3	17.2	10.2	1.85	Bern(2)	4298	4251	1.07	0.07
ttHhad-cat2	1.62	84.3	3.8	5.6	6.2	1.81	Bern(2)	82.0	89	1.32	0.12
ttHhad-cat3	1.33	94.0	0.3	1.3	4.4	1.80	S-Exp	12.3	12	6.87	0.26
ttHlep-cat1	1.06	85.8	—	4.7	9.5	1.92	Exp	9.00	13	7.09	0.22
ttHlep-cat2	0.99	94.7	—	1.0	4.3	1.75	Exp	2.08	4	24.5	0.47

VH Channel: Overview

- One extra lepton in WH category, additional same-flavor opposite-charge lepton pair for ZH category
- Additional MVA identification for leptons (as in ttH categories) to increase signal purity and reject non-prompt leptons coming from $t\bar{t}$ and DY
- Optimized lepton pairing forming the Higgs boson candidate



VH-leptonic Channel

Observable	WH leptonic		ZH leptonic	
	$\mu\mu\mu$	$\mu\mu e$	4μ	$2\mu 2e$
Number of loose (medium) b-tagged jets	≤ 1 (0)	≤ 1 (0)	≤ 1 (0)	≤ 1 (0)
Number of selected muons	=3	=2	=4	=2
Number of selected electrons	=0	=1	=0	=2
Lepton charge ($q(\ell)$)	$\sum q(\ell) = \pm 1$		$\sum q(\ell) = 0$	
Low-mass resonance veto	$m_{\ell\ell} > 12$ GeV			
$N(\mu^+\mu^-)$ pairs with $110 < m_{\mu\mu} < 150$ GeV	≥ 1	=1	≥ 1	=1
$N(\mu^+\mu^-)$ pairs with $ m_{\mu\mu} - m_Z < 10$ GeV	=0	=0	=1	=0
$N(e^+e^-)$ pairs with $ m_{ee} - m_Z < 20$ GeV	=0	=0	=1	=1

Functional forms:

WH-cat1

$$\text{BWZGamma}(m_{\mu\mu}; a, f, m_Z, \Gamma_Z) = f \times \text{BWZ}(m_{\mu\mu}; a, m_Z, \Gamma_Z) + (1 - f) \times \frac{e^{am_{\mu\mu}}}{m_{\mu\mu}^2}$$

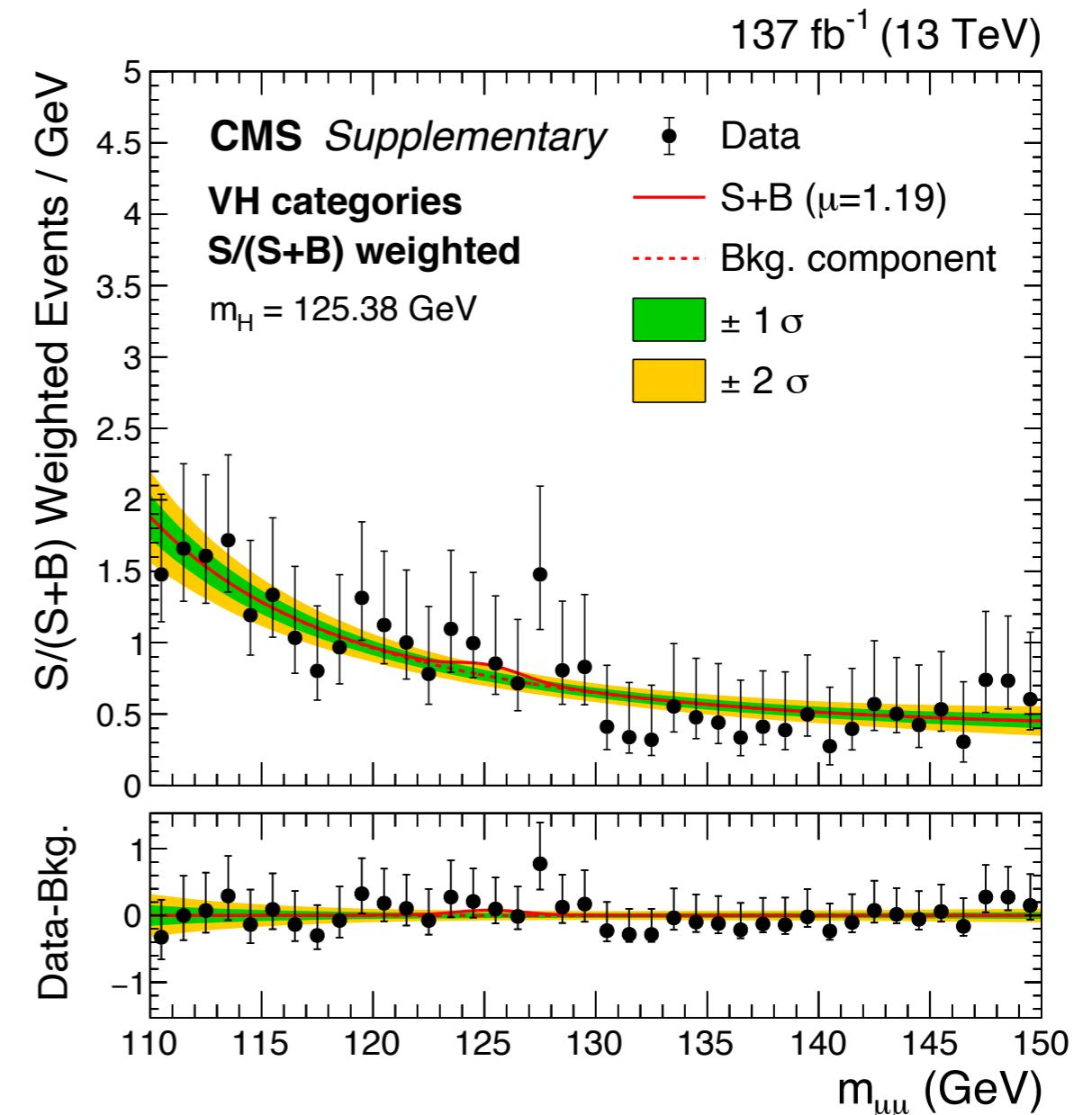
Other categories

$$\text{BWZ}(m_{\mu\mu}; a, m_Z, \Gamma_Z) = \frac{\Gamma_Z e^{am_{\mu\mu}}}{(m_{\mu\mu} - m_Z)^2 + (\Gamma_Z/2)^2}$$

VH Channel: Results

Fit strategy and signal modeling
similar to ggH categories

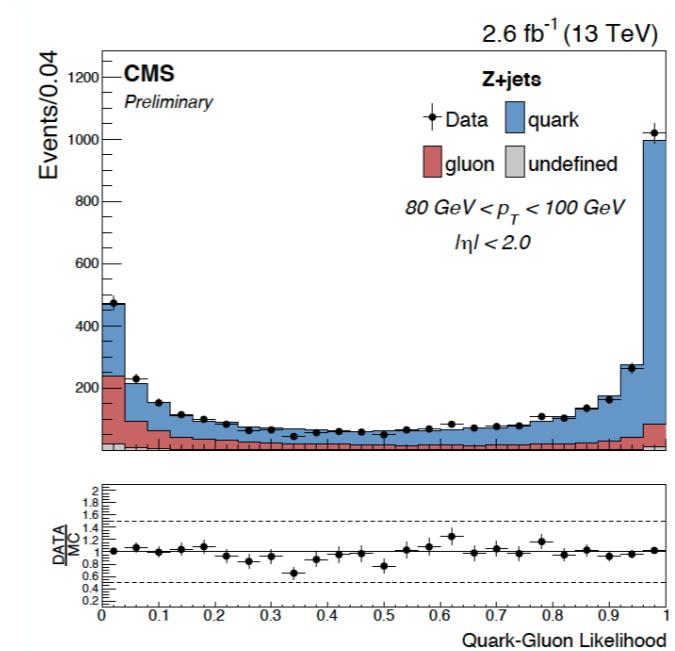
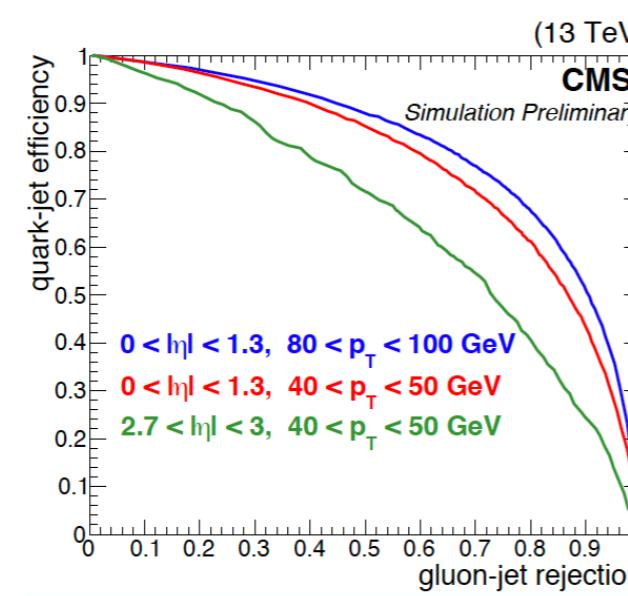
- Background functional form:
 - modified Breit-Wigner => due to background dominated by WZ and ZZ
- Observed (expected) significance:
 2.02σ (0.42σ), $m_H = 125.38$ GeV



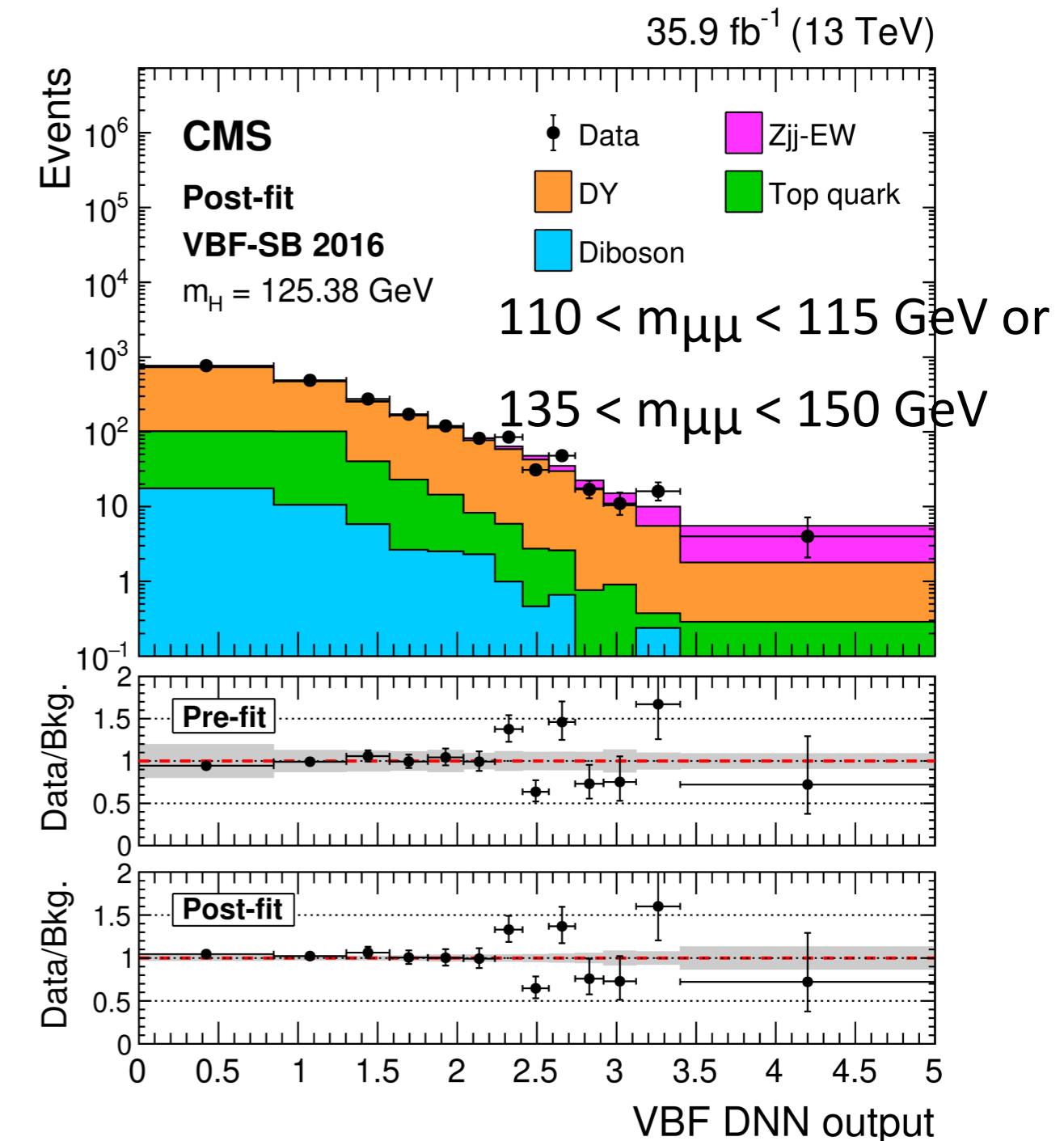
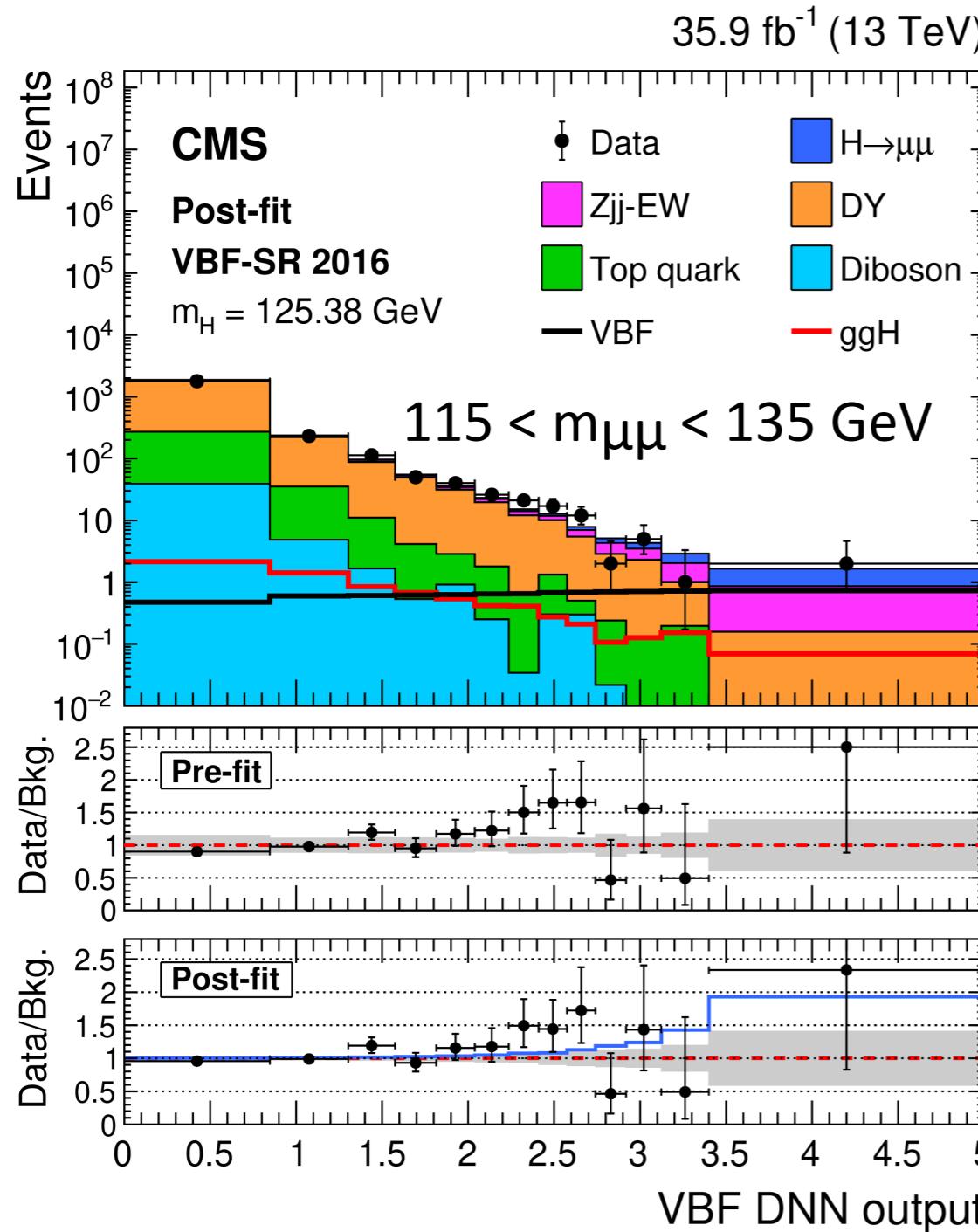
Event category	Total signal	WH (%)	qqZH (%)	ggZH (%)	t̄tH+tH (%)	HWHM (GeV)	Bkg. fit function	Bkg. @HWHM	Data @HWHM	S/(S+B) (%) @HWHM	S/ \sqrt{B} @HWHM
WH-cat1	0.82	76.2	9.6	1.6	12.6	2.00	BWZ γ	32.0	34	1.54	0.09
WH-cat2	1.72	80.1	9.1	1.5	9.3	1.80	BWZ	23.1	27	4.50	0.23
WH-cat3	1.14	85.7	6.7	1.8	4.8	1.90	BWZ	5.48	4	12.6	0.35
ZH-cat1	0.11	—	82.8	17.2	—	2.07	BWZ	2.05	4	3.29	0.05
ZH-cat2	0.31	—	79.6	20.4	—	1.80	BWZ	2.19	4	8.98	0.14

VBF Channel: Deep Neural Network

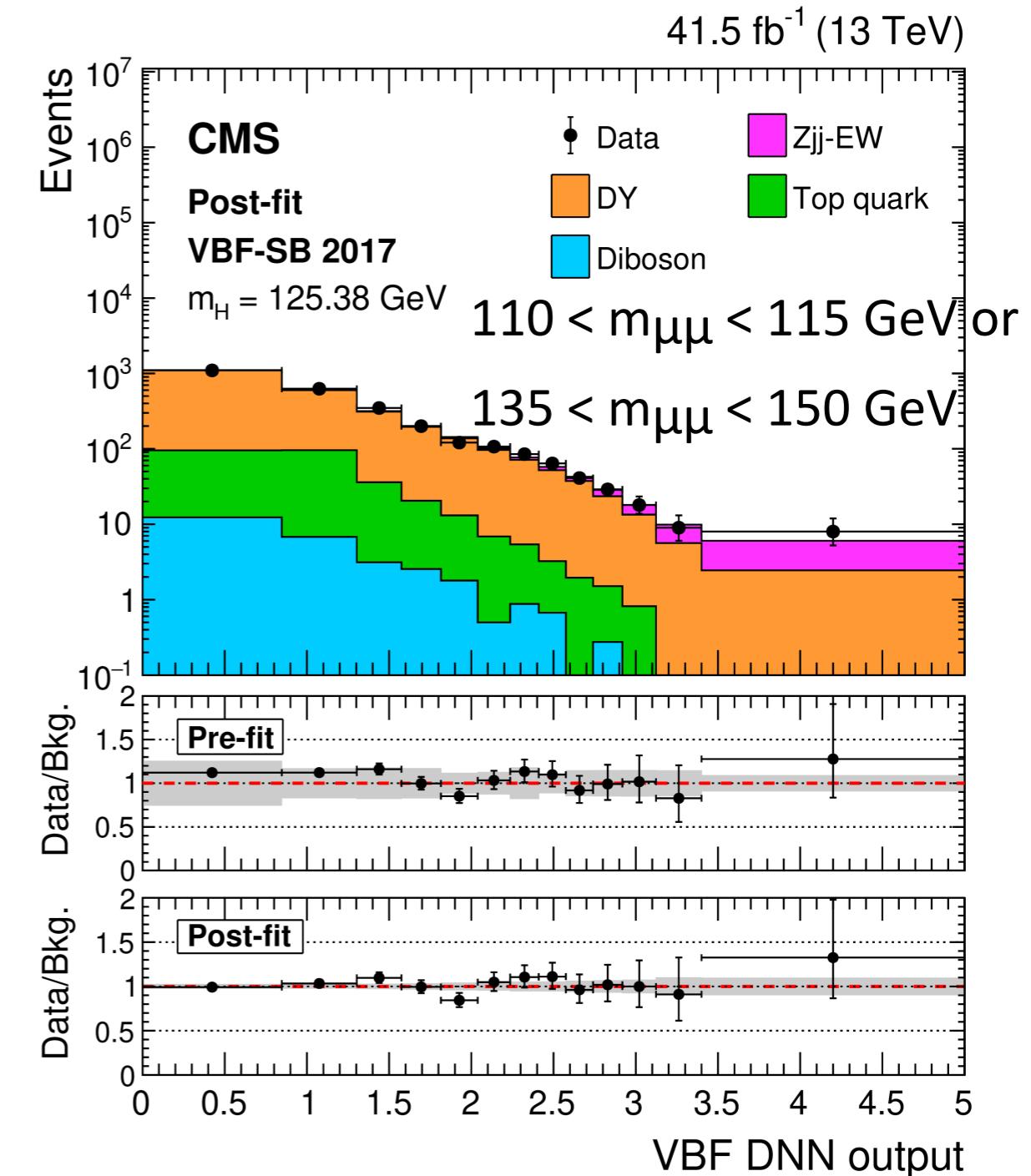
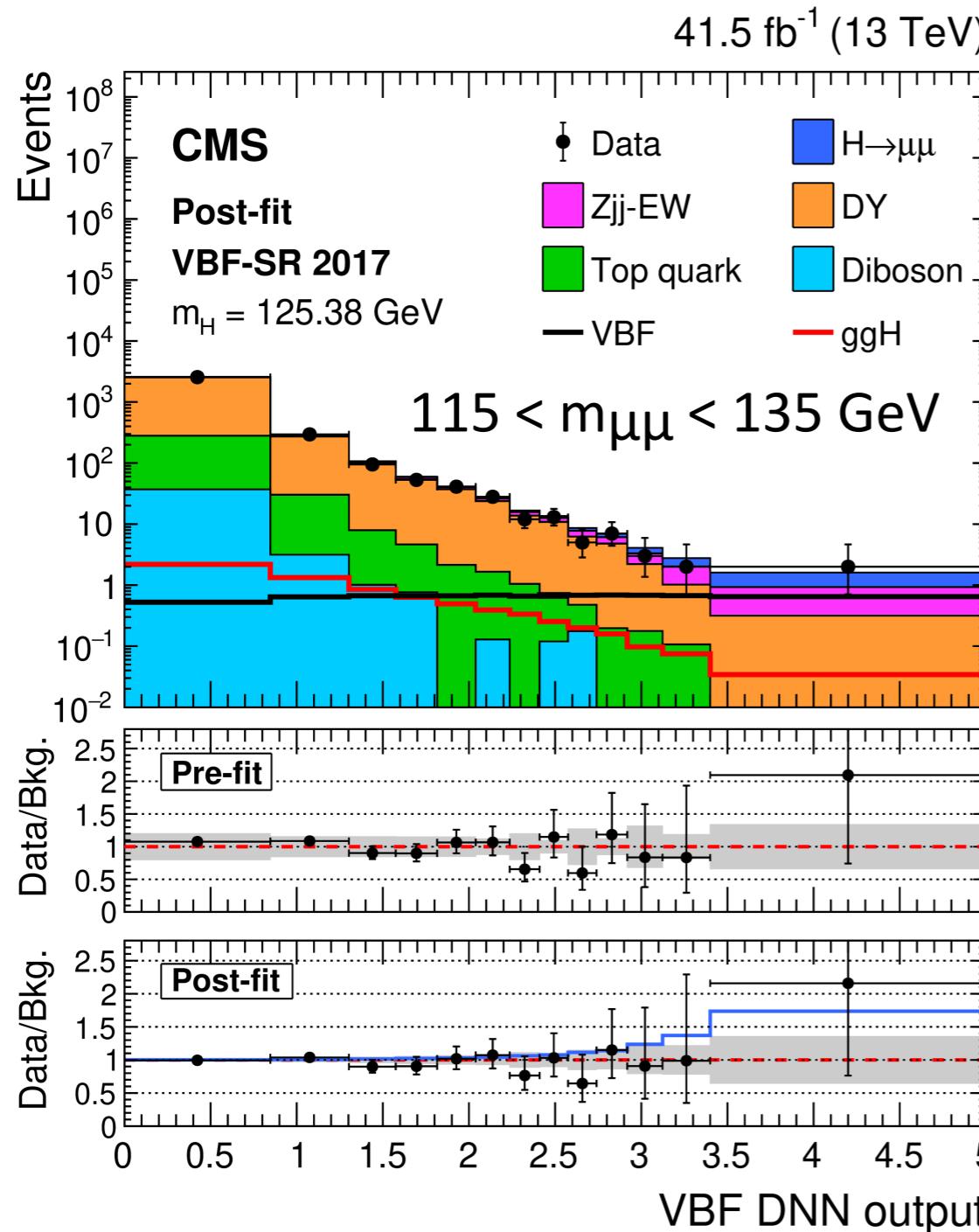
- DNN trained on kinematic information of the two muons and VBF signature (24 variables):
 - **Dimuon variables:** $m_{\mu\mu}$, $\sigma(m_{\mu\mu})$, $m_{\mu\mu}/\sigma(m_{\mu\mu})$, $p_T m_{\mu\mu}$, $\log(p_T m_{\mu\mu})$, $y_{\mu\mu}$, $\cos\theta^*$, ϕ^*
 - **Dijet variables:** p_T , η , ϕ of jet₁, jet₂, $\log(m_{jj})$, m_{jj} , $\Delta\eta_{jj}$
 - **Soft track-jet variables:** $N_{\text{soft jet}} > 5 \text{ GeV}$, $H_T \text{ soft jet} > 2 \text{ GeV}$ (H_T : scalar sum of p_T):
 - jets reconstructed by charged tracks associated to the primary vertex
 - not associated with jet₁, jet₂ or the two muons
 - **Kinematic variable of the dimuon ($\mu\mu$) and dijet system** most sensitive variable: $m_{\mu\mu}$
 - $\text{mim}(\Delta\eta(\mu\mu, \text{jet}_1), \Delta\eta(\mu\mu, \text{jet}_2))$
 - Zeppenfeld variable
 - p_T balance ratio of $\mu\mu$ and jets $R(p_T) = \frac{|\vec{p_T}^{\mu\mu} + \vec{p_T}^{jj}|}{\vec{p_T}^{\mu\mu} + p_T(j_1) + p_T(j_2)}$
 - **Quark/gluon likelihood:** jet₁, jet₂ (jets in DY process can originate from gluons)



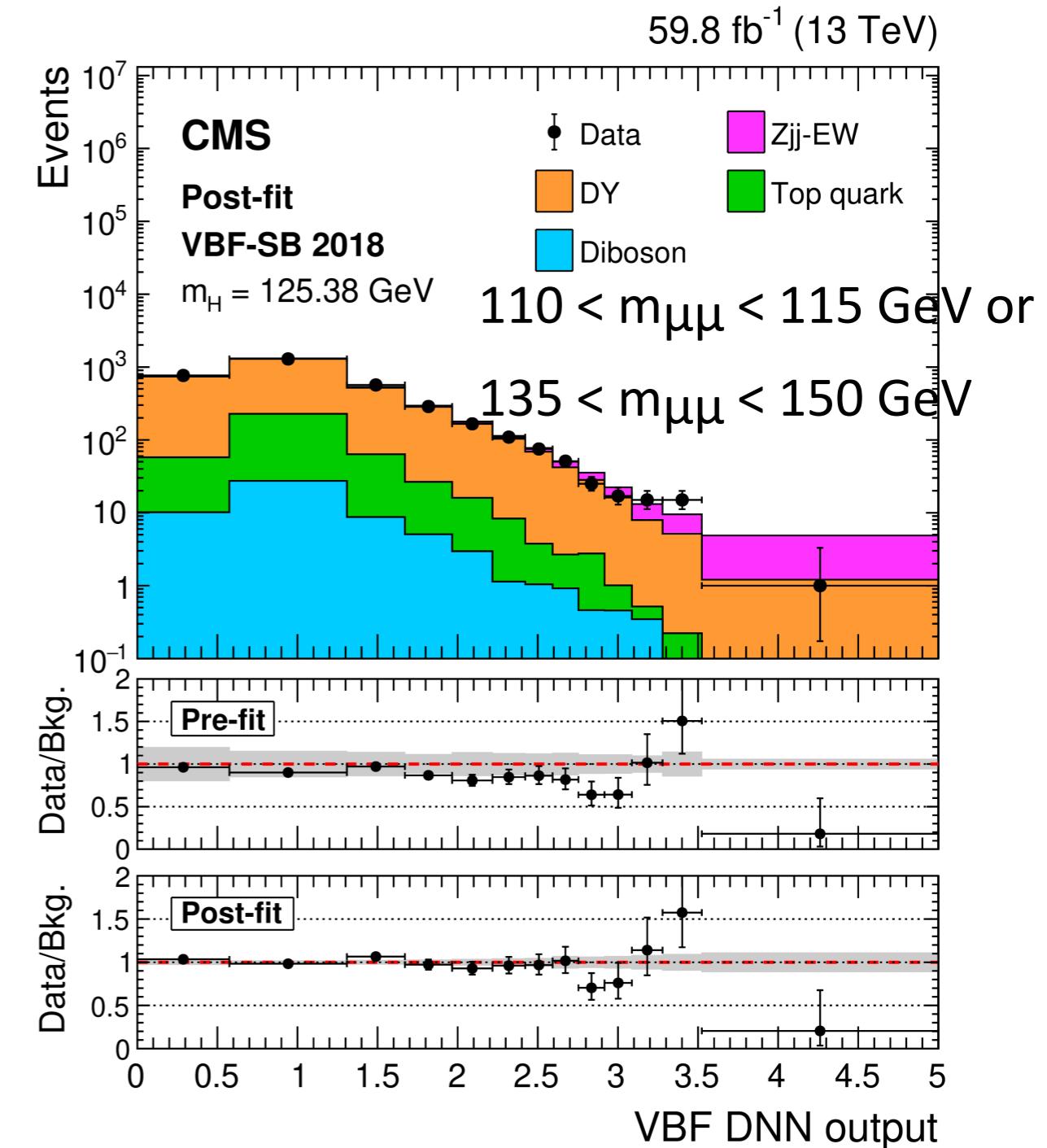
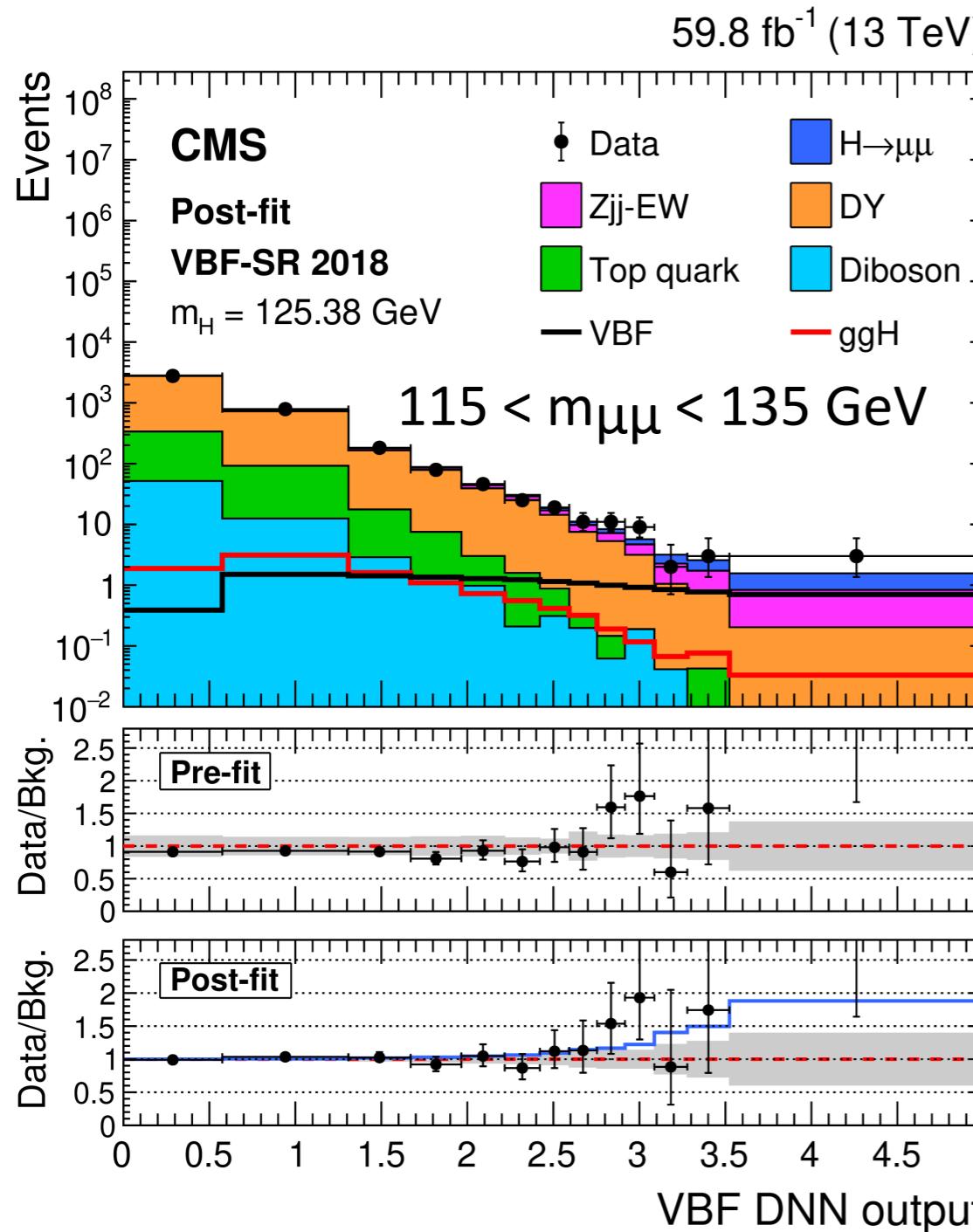
VBF: 2016 signal and sideband region



VBF: 2017 signal and sideband region



VBF: 2018 signal and sideband region





VBF channel: systematic uncertainties



Experimental uncertainties

- Jet energy scale and resolution uncertainties
- the rate of DY process with a jet not matched to a generator level jet, contained by the low DNN score events.
- MC stats uncertainty
- 2016 and 2017 a 20% uncertainty of the correction for the modeling of the inefficiency in the L1 trigger in region $2.4 < \eta < 3$
- luminosity uncertainty 2.5%
- modeling of the pileup conditions during data taking
- measurement of muon identification, isolation and trigger efficiencies
- muon energy scale and resolution
- quark/gluon likelihood reweighs

Theory uncertainties

- QCD scale, pdf, parton shower (PS) uncertainty for signal and background is included. In particular VBF and electroweak Zjj-EW PS uncertainty: difference between HERWIG (angular-ordered) and PYTHIA (dipole shower)

ggF channel: background modeling

- background modeled with analytical functions: core-pdf method

$$B_{cat}(m_{\mu\mu}, \vec{\alpha}, \vec{\beta}) = N_B \times F_{core}(m_{\mu\mu}, \vec{\alpha}) \times T_{SMF}(m_{\mu\mu}, \vec{\beta})$$



Background shape: same core function in all categories

- discrete profiling method[1] choose one from three functional forms during the fit to the data
 - main background DY process physics motivated functions
 - (1) modified Breit–Wigner $mBW(m_{\mu\mu}; m_Z, \Gamma_Z, a_1, a_2, a_3) = \frac{e^{a_2 m_{\mu\mu} + a_3 m_{\mu\mu}^2}}{(m_{\mu\mu} - m_Z)^{a_1} + (\Gamma_Z/2)^{a_1}}$
 - (2) shape derived from the FEWZ v3.1 generator (NNLO in QCD and NLO in EW) \times a third-order Bernstein polynomial
 - agnostic functions
 - (3) a sum of two exponential functions

[1]: [2015 J. Inst. 10 P04015](#)

ggF channel: background modeling

- background model with analytical functions: core-pdf method

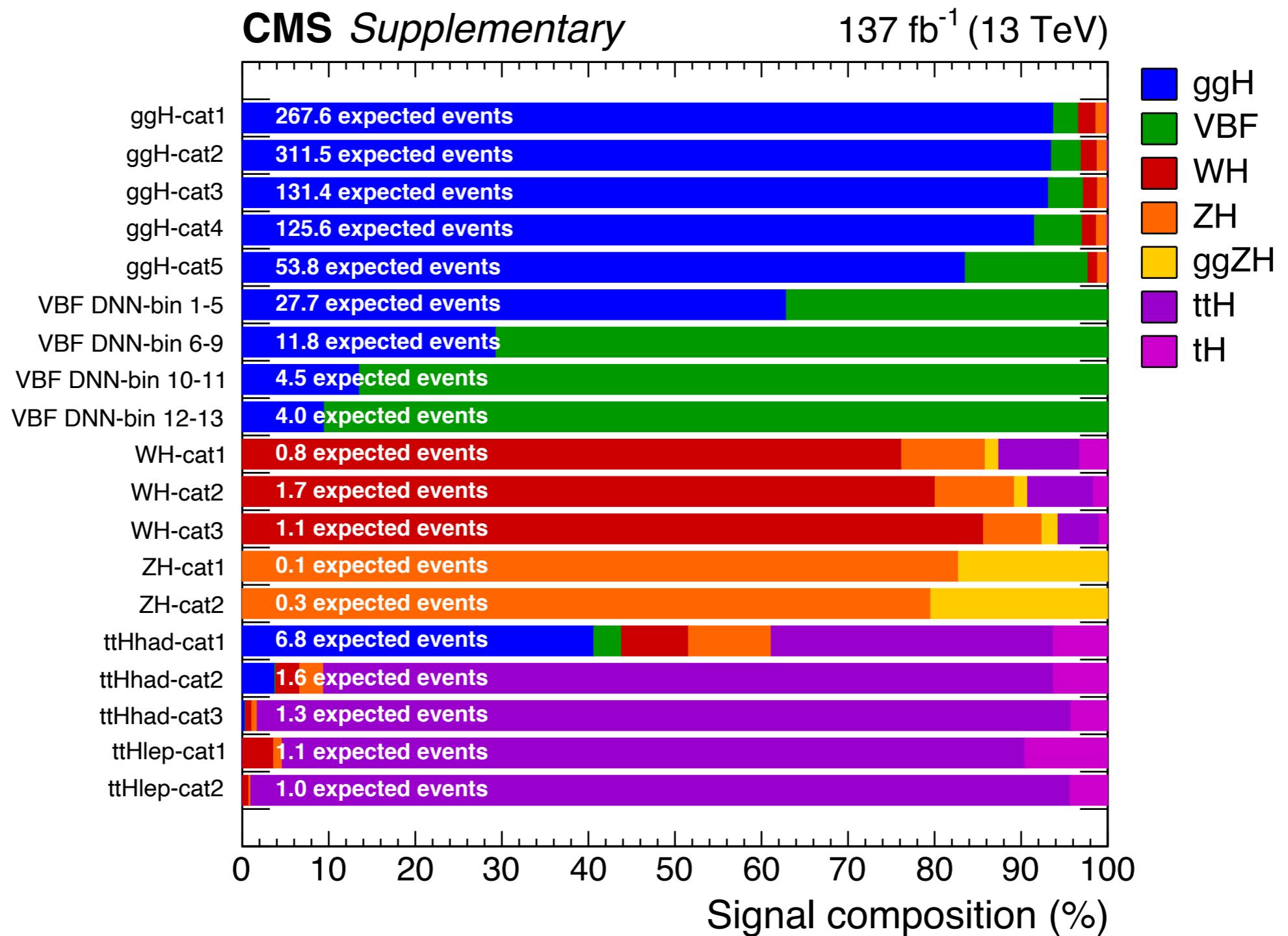
$$B_{cat}(m_{\mu\mu}, \vec{\alpha}, \vec{\beta}) = N_B \times F_{core}(m_{\mu\mu}, \vec{\alpha}) \times T_{SMF}(m_{\mu\mu}, \vec{\beta})$$

background yield:
uncorrelated across categories

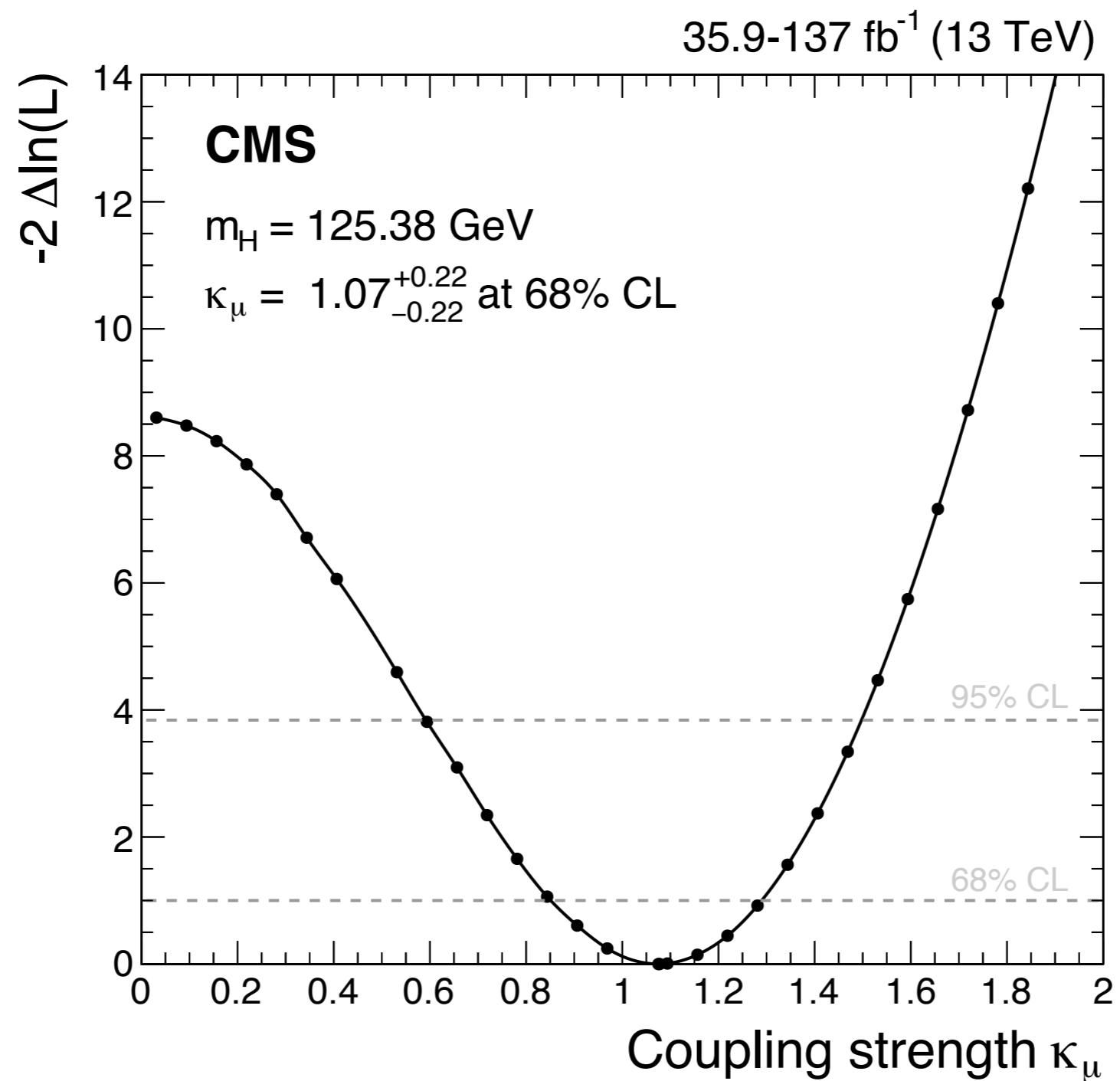
- per-category shape modulation: account for shape variations in categories
 - 2nd or 3rd order Chebyshev polynomial
 - parameters uncorrelated across ggH categories
- Bias from background modeling has < 1% effect on measured signal rate, thus neglected
 - bias on signal extraction < 20% of post-fit uncertainty on the signal yield

Core-pdf method for background modeling brings 10% improvement in sensitivity compared to 2016 data analysis

Signal composition

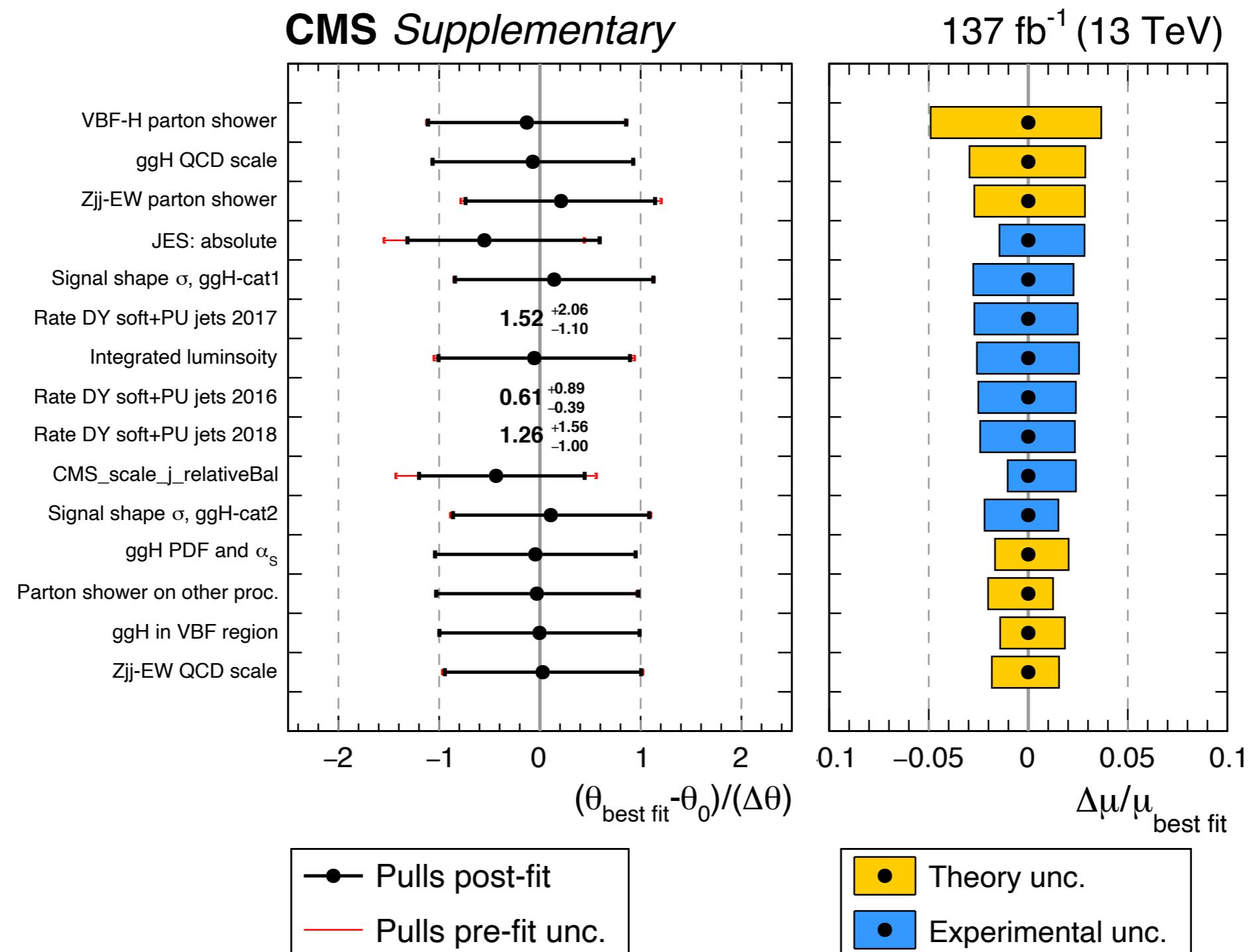


$H \rightarrow \mu\mu$: Higgs boson coupling to muon

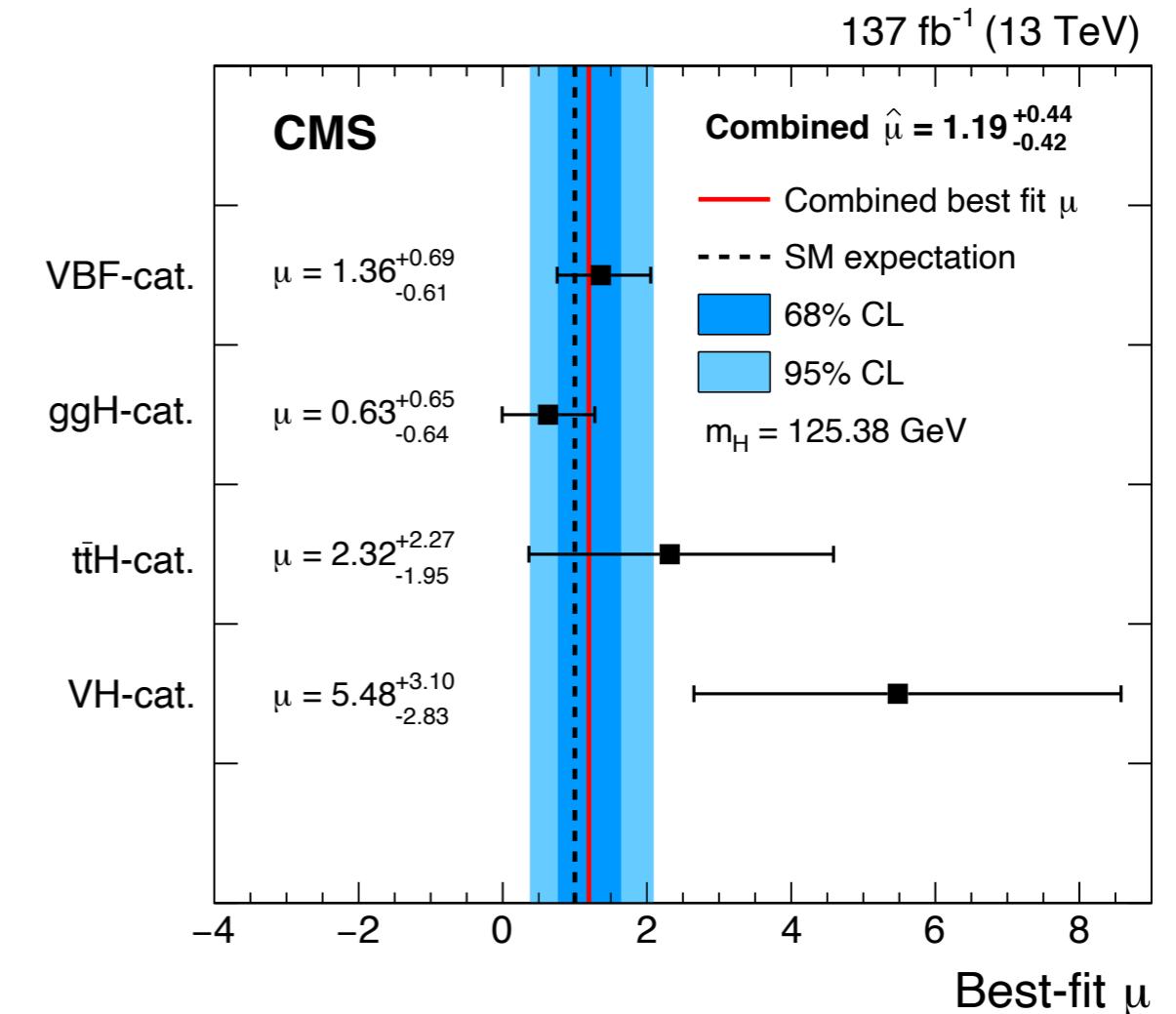
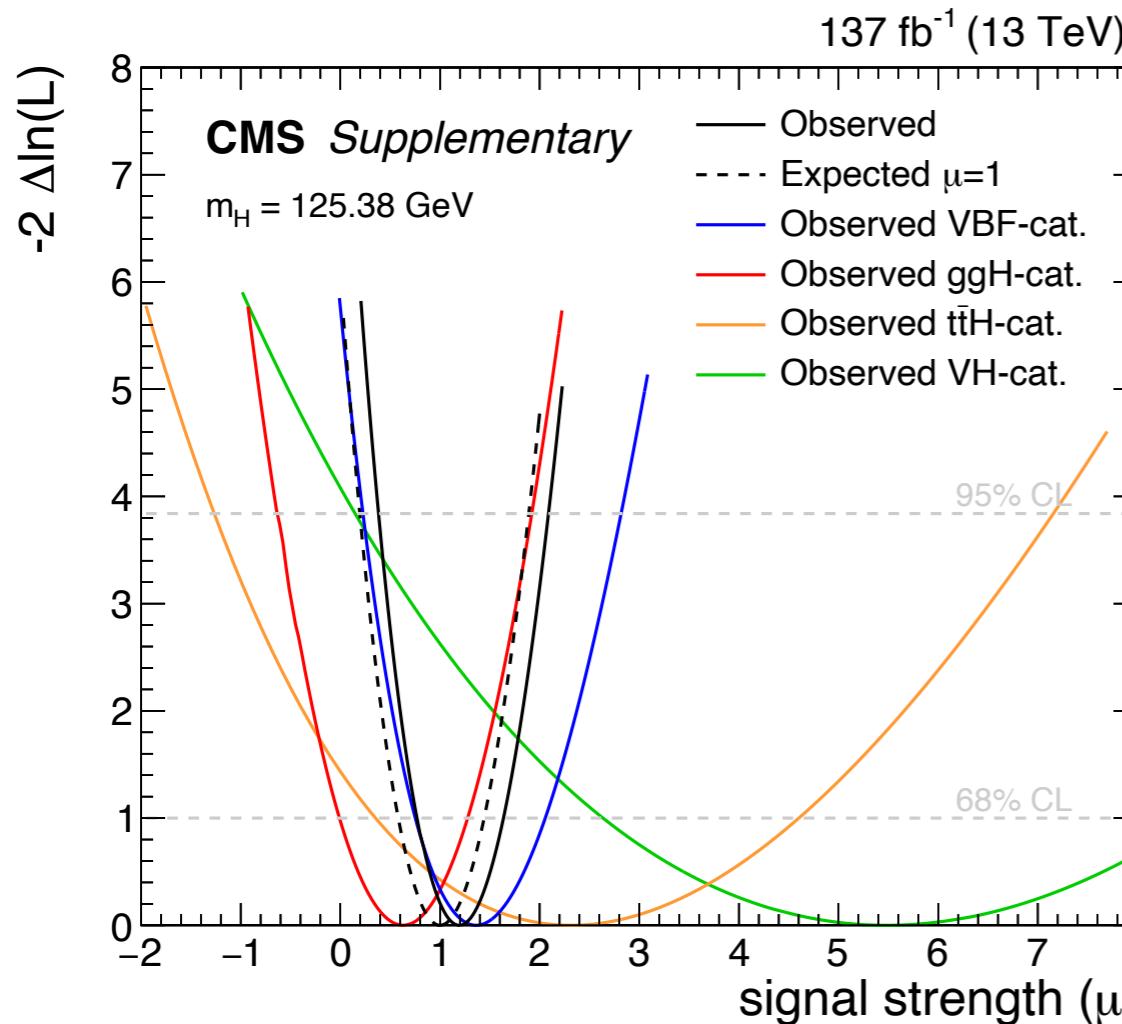


Ranking of systematic uncertainties

- Leading systematic uncertainty: VBF signal parton shower uncertainty
- No strong shifts from central values or constraint on the size of systematic uncertainty



Signal Strength Measurement of $H \rightarrow \mu\mu$



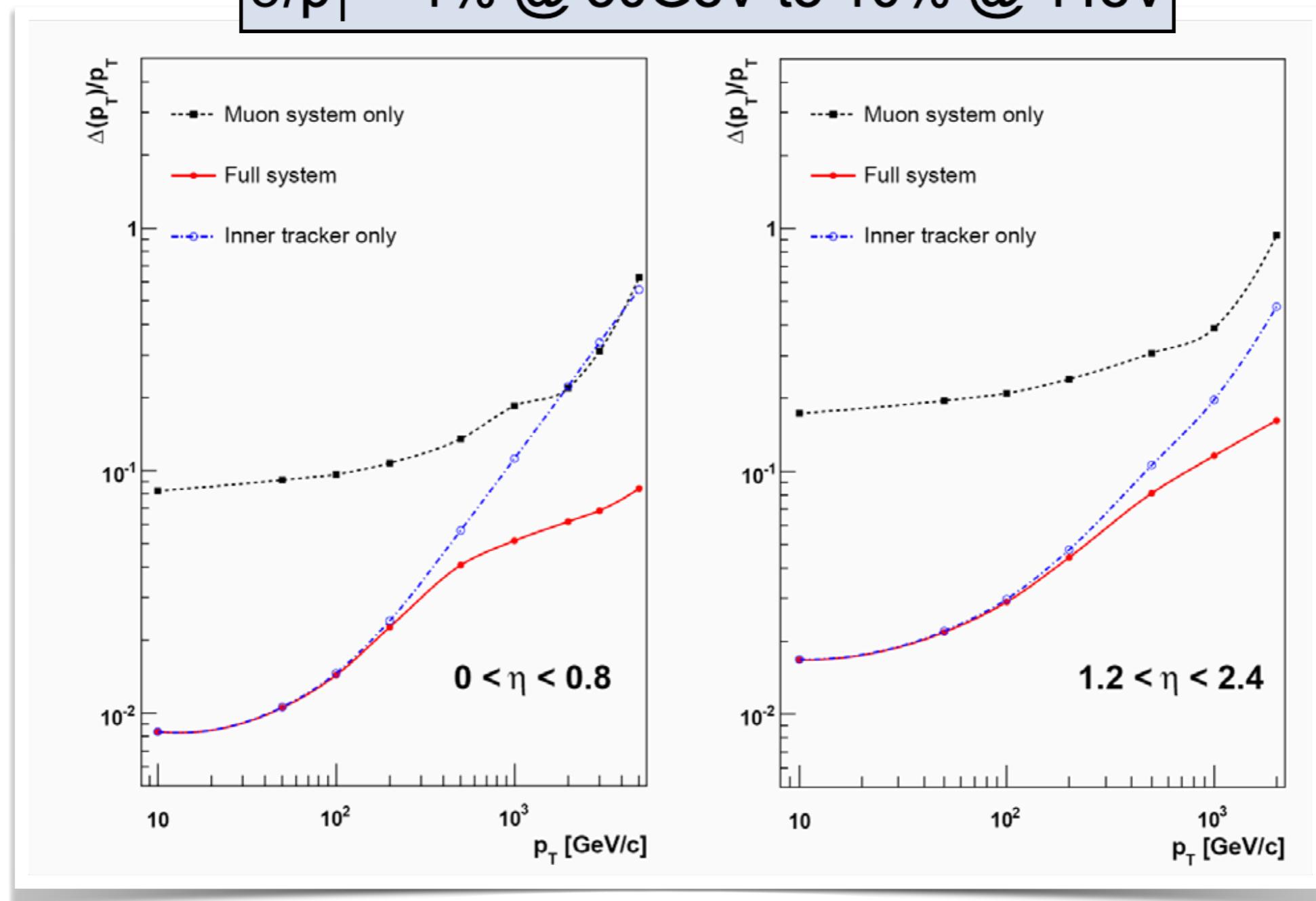
Combined signal strength of all channels : $\mu = \sigma B(H \rightarrow \mu\mu)_{obs} / \sigma B(H \rightarrow \mu\mu)_{SM}$

$$\mu = 1.19^{+0.44}_{-0.42} = 1.19^{+0.41}_{-0.40}(\text{stats.})^{+0.10}_{-0.11}(\text{theo.})^{+0.12}_{-0.11}(\text{exp.})^{+0.07}_{-0.06}(\text{MCstats.})$$

measurement dominated by statistical uncertainty in data

Muon momentum resolution

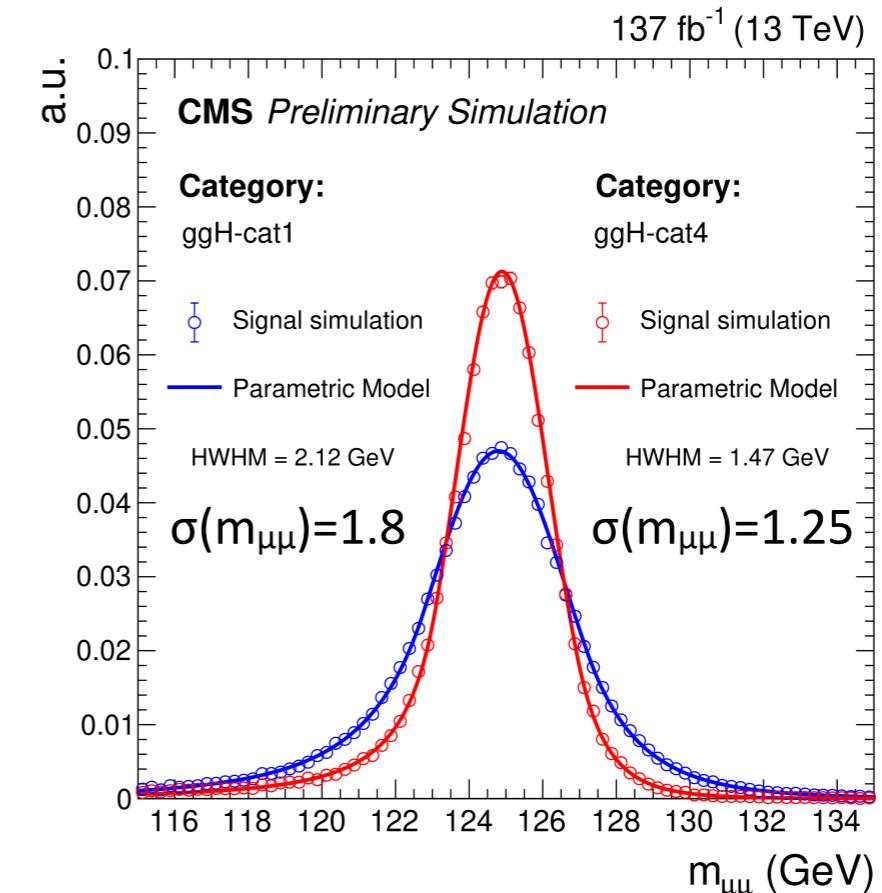
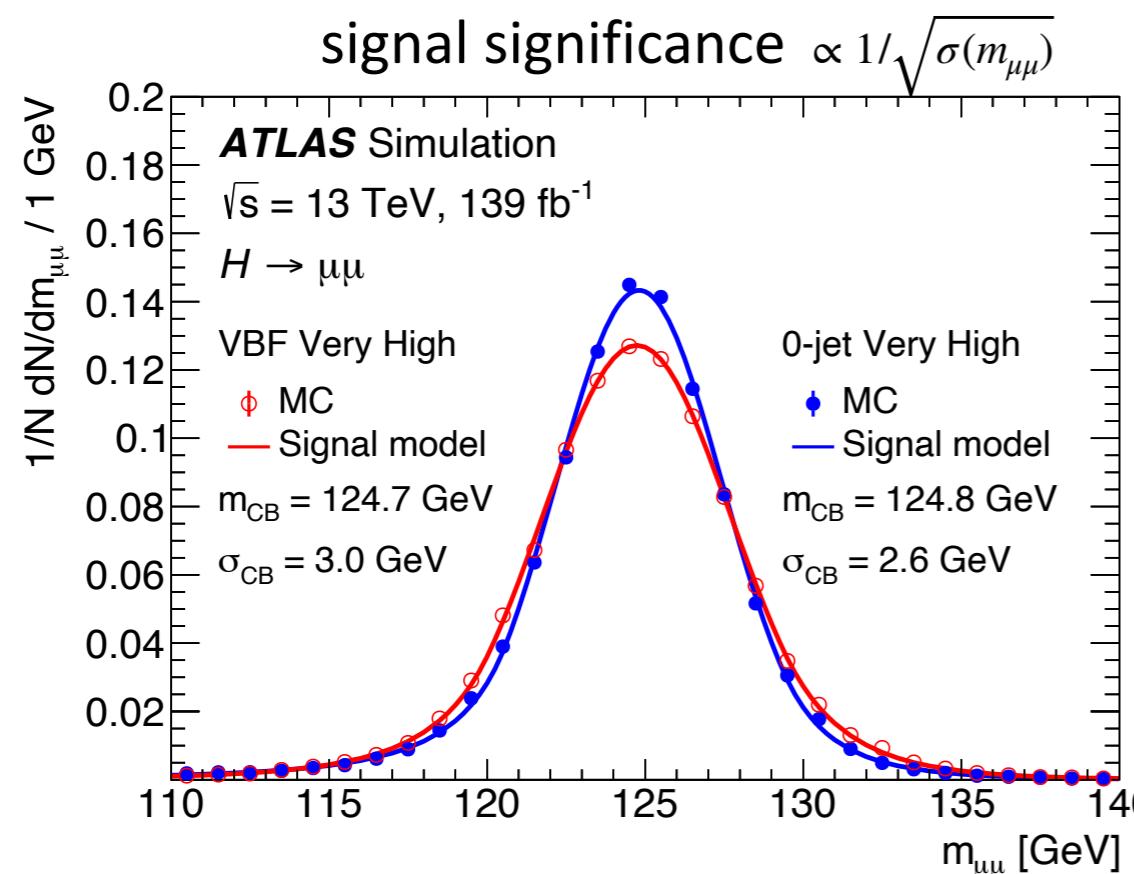
$$\sigma/p_T \approx 1\% @ 50\text{GeV} \text{ to } 10\% @ 1\text{TeV}$$



$H \rightarrow \mu\mu$ events:

- typical p_T of muons: 50~60 GeV
- muon p_T resolution $\sigma(p_T)/p_T$ dominated by measurements by tracker

Comparison with ATLAS results



ATLAS:

- Expected significance 1.7σ , observed 2.0σ
- Signal strength: $\mu = 1.2 \pm 0.58(\text{stats.})^{+0.13}_{-0.08}(\text{theory})^{+0.07}_{-0.03}(\text{exp.}) \pm 0.10(\text{spurious})$

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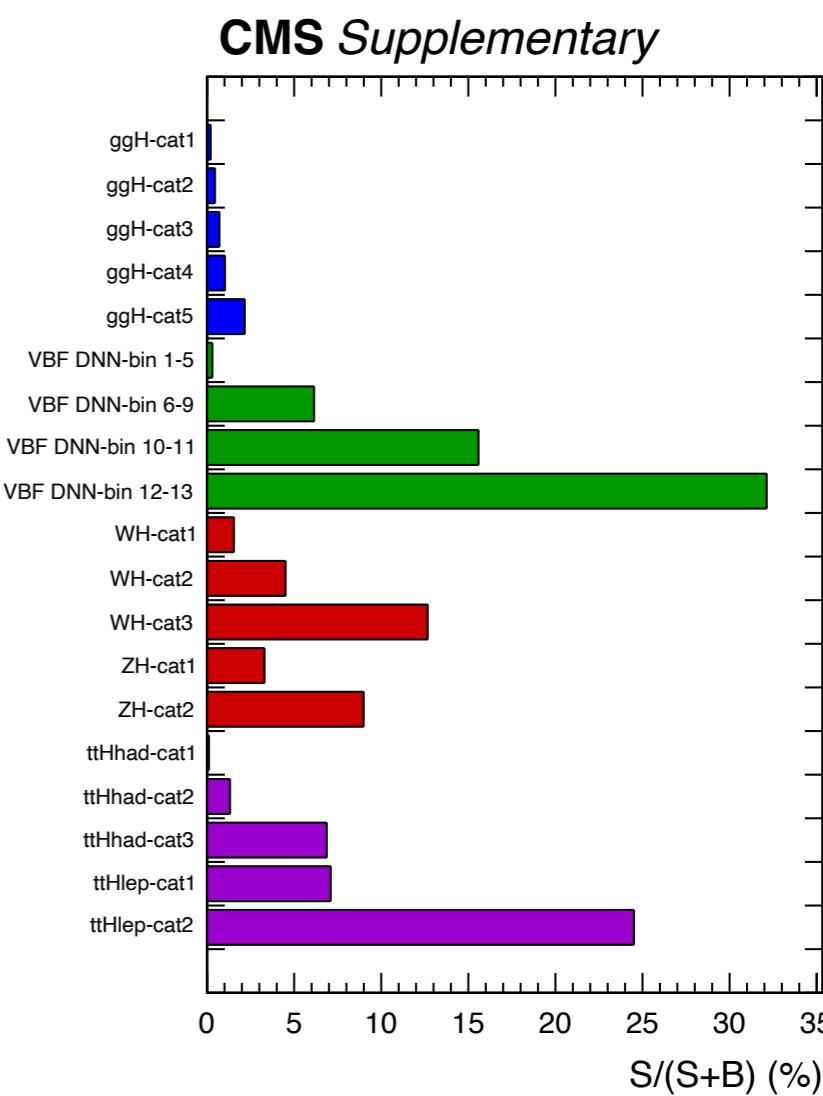
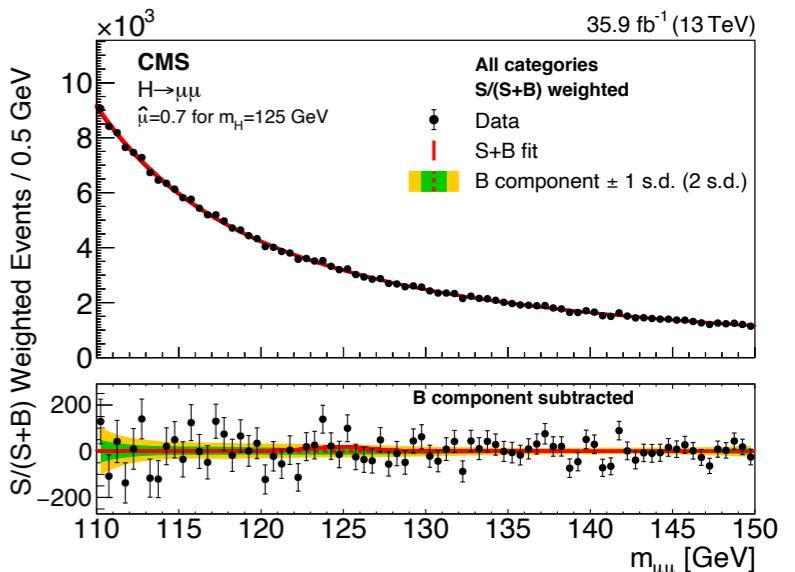
CMS:

- Expected significance 2.5σ , observed 3.0σ
- Signal strength: $\mu = 1.19^{+0.41}_{-0.39}(\text{stats.})^{+0.10}_{-0.11}(\text{theory})^{+0.12}_{-0.10}(\text{exp.})^{+0.07}_{-0.06}(\text{MCstats.})$

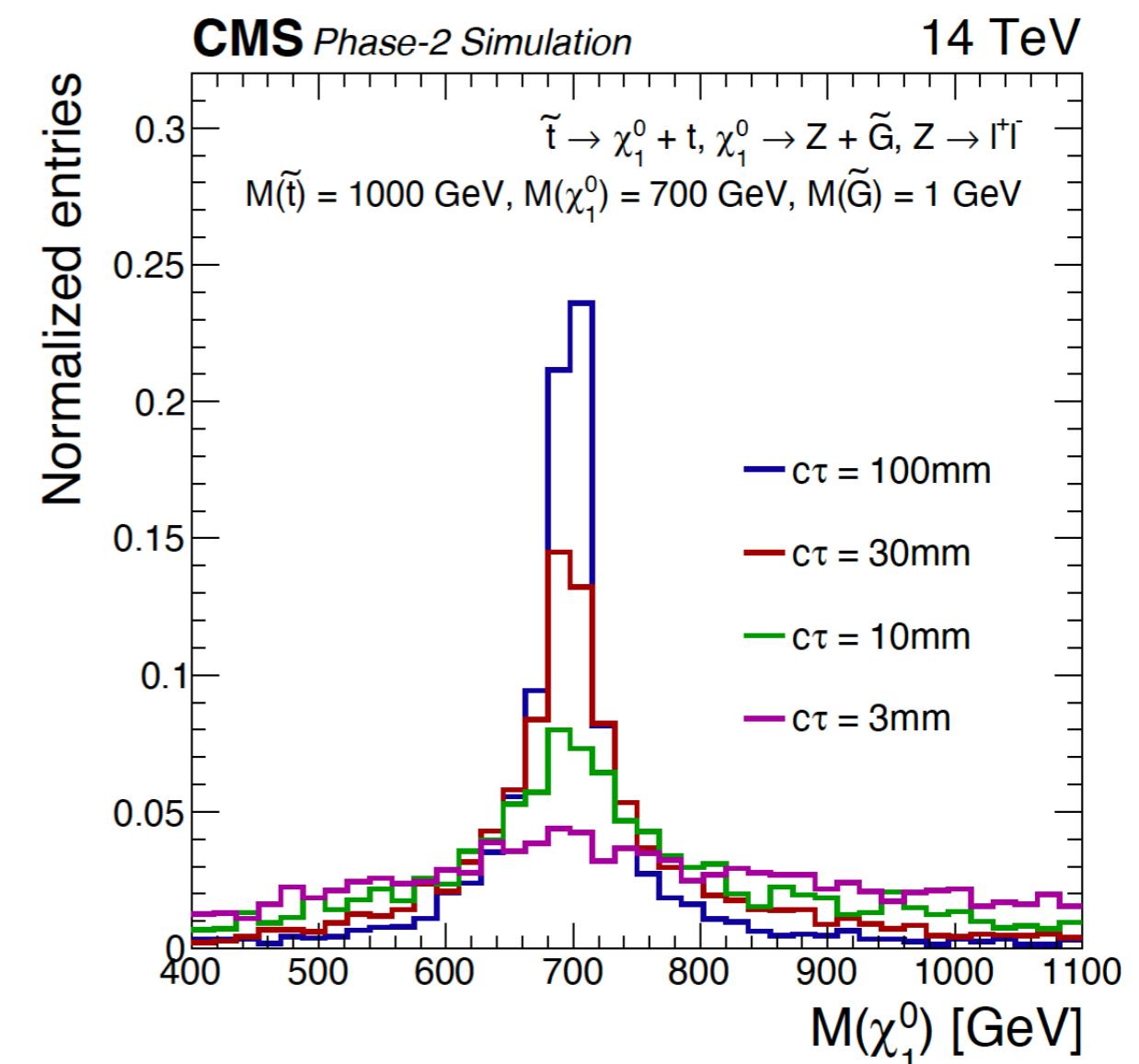
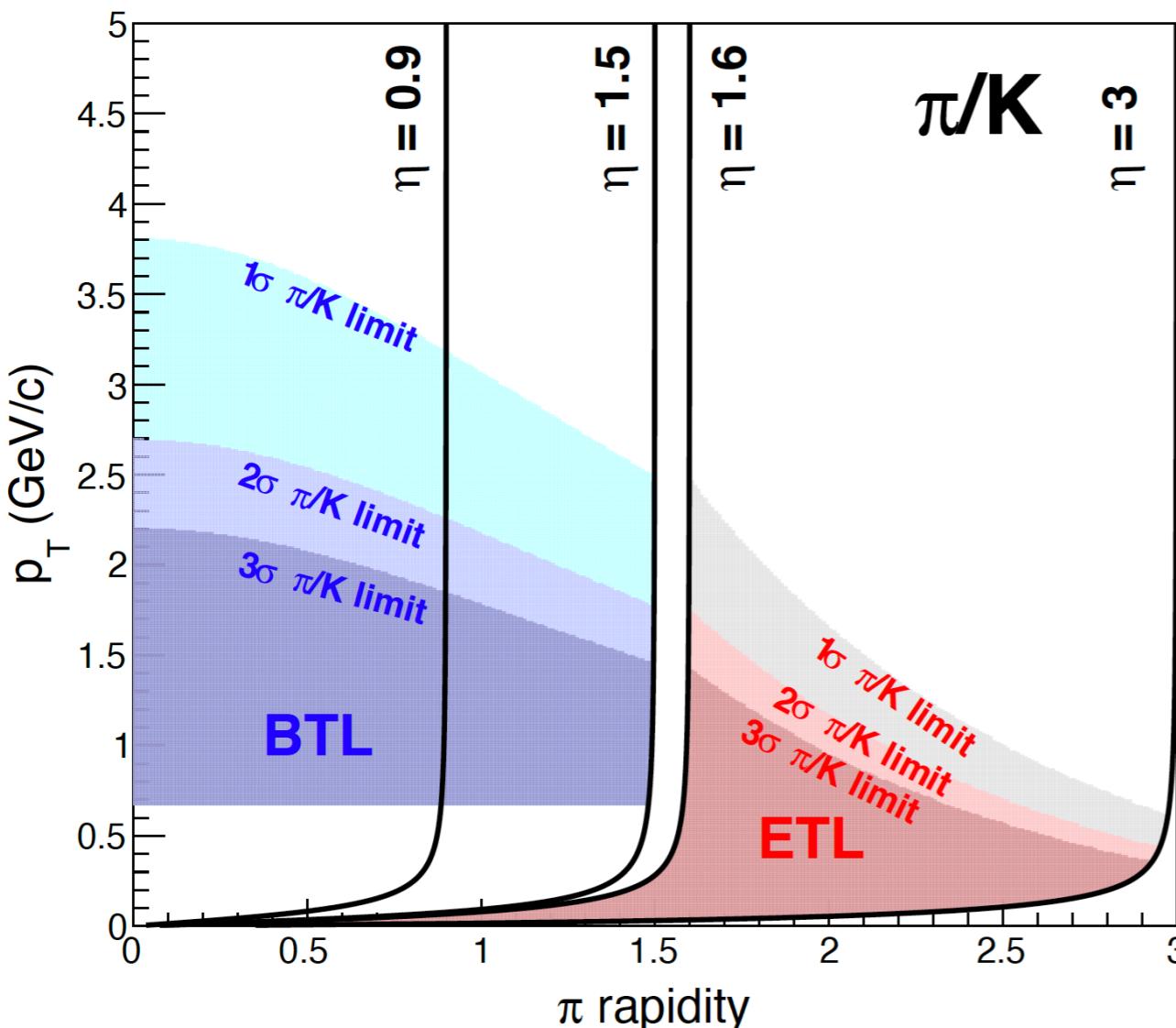
Main difference in the result of two experiments: $\sigma_{\text{CMS}}(m_{\mu\mu})/\sigma_{\text{ATLAS}}(m_{\mu\mu}) = 48\text{--}60\%$

Summary of improvements

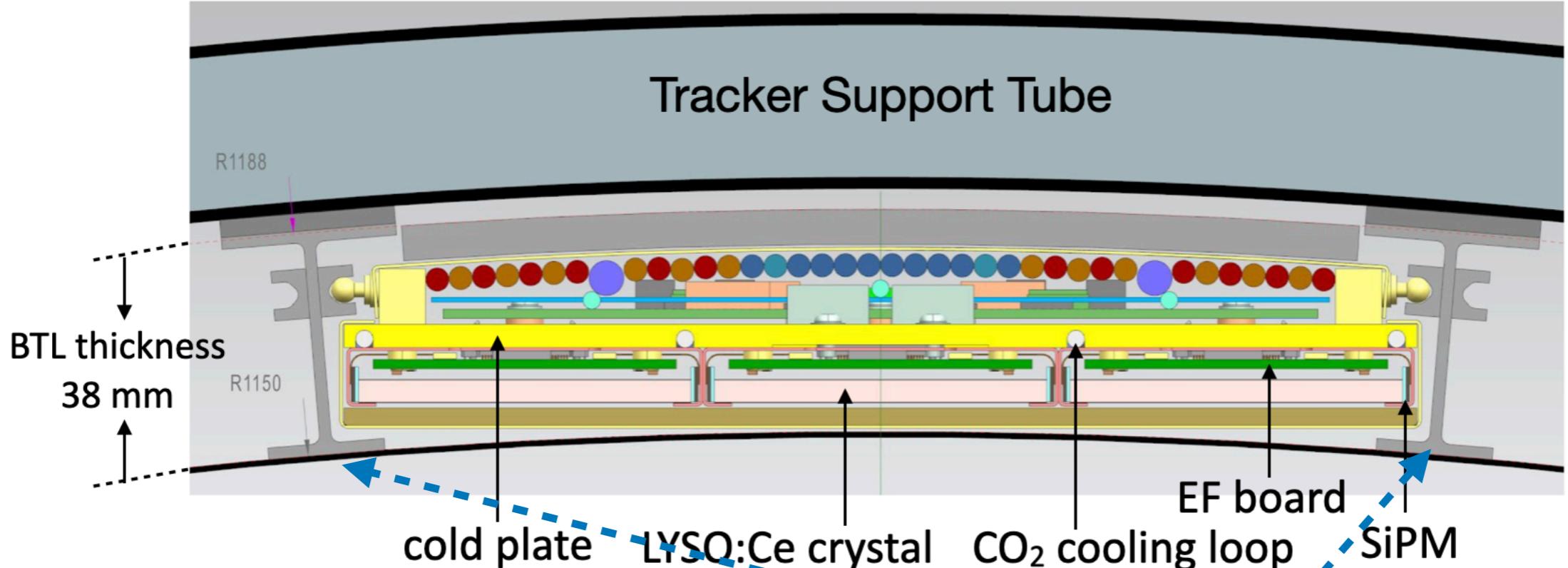
- 2016 data analysis (Phys.Rev.Lett.122.021801):
 - bump hunt in $m(\mu\mu)$ spectrum targeting ggH and VBF signals
 - expected sensitivity with 2016 data of 36 fb^{-1} : 1.0σ
- Full Run 2 data analysis strategy has **35% improvement** wrt 2016 data analysis:
 - muon pT corrections: (1) final state radiation recovery (2) muon track momentum correction using interaction point position information
 - new analysis strategy for VBF channel: MC template fits to allow reaching unprecedented signal purity (42% in last DNN bin)
 - significantly improved analysis strategy for the ggH channel:
 - improved BDT, aware of the dimuon resolution
 - robust background modeling with less free parameters: core-pdf method
 - new categories for VH and ttH signals, less explored previously



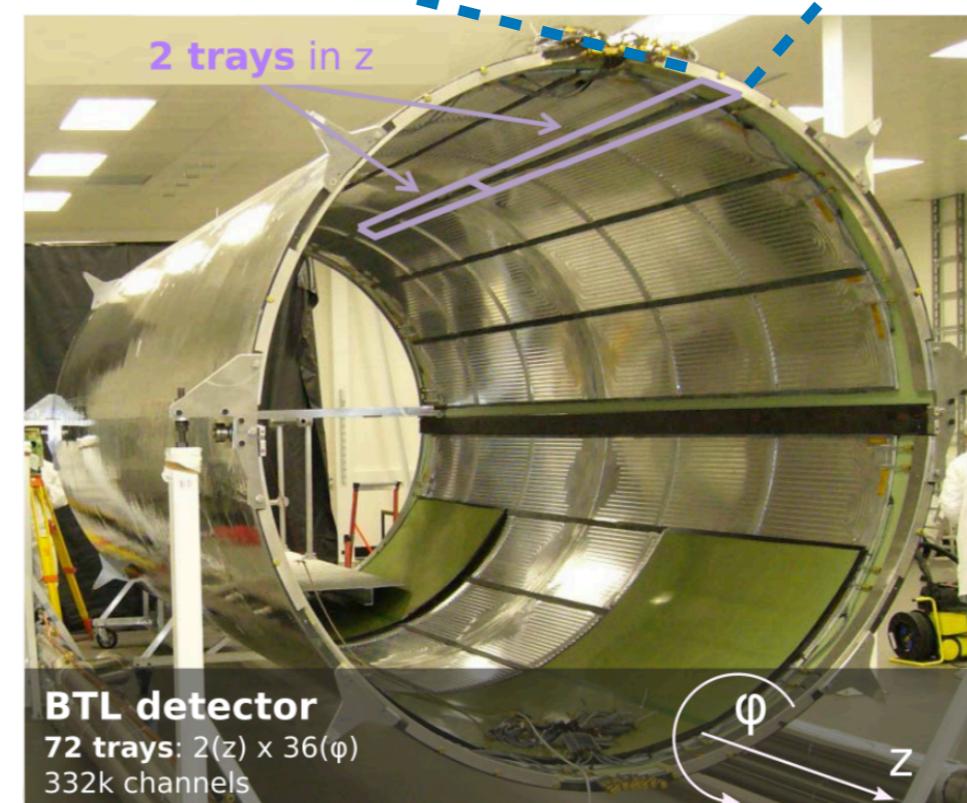
MTD Physics Potential



BTL Detector Layout

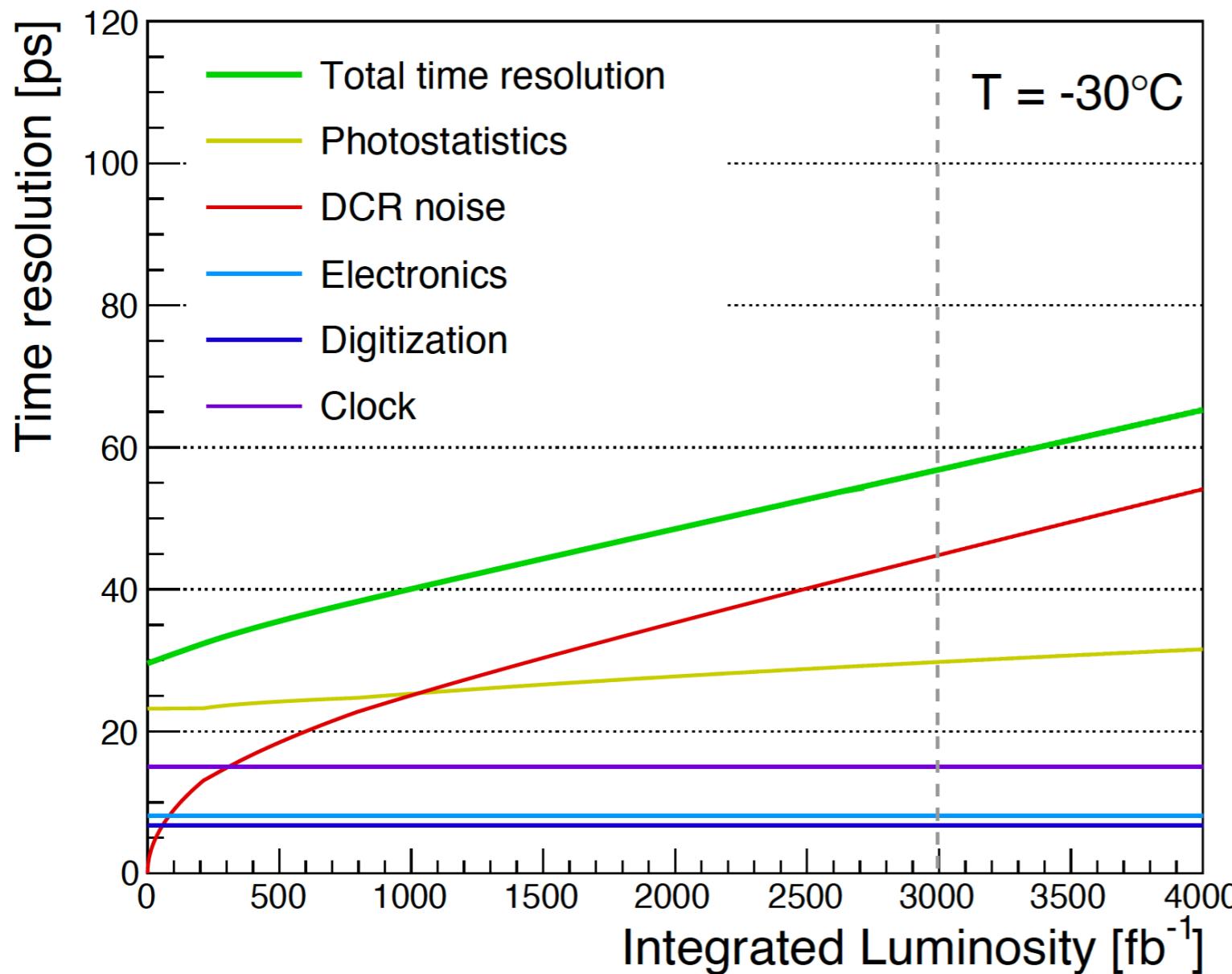


- Coverage: $|\eta| < 1.45$
- Surface $\sim 38 \text{ m}^2$
- 332k channels
- BTL detector mounted on inner surface of Tracker Support Tube

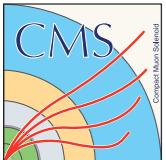


BTL Time Resolution Factors

- Photostatistics and DCR noise contributions dominate timing resolution



- Photostatistics: 25 - 35 ps, stochastic fluctuations in the time-of-arrival of photons detected at the SiPM
- DCR noise: < 60 ps after 3000 fb^{-1}
- Electronics: 7 ps
- Digitization: 6 ps
- Clock distribution: 15 ps



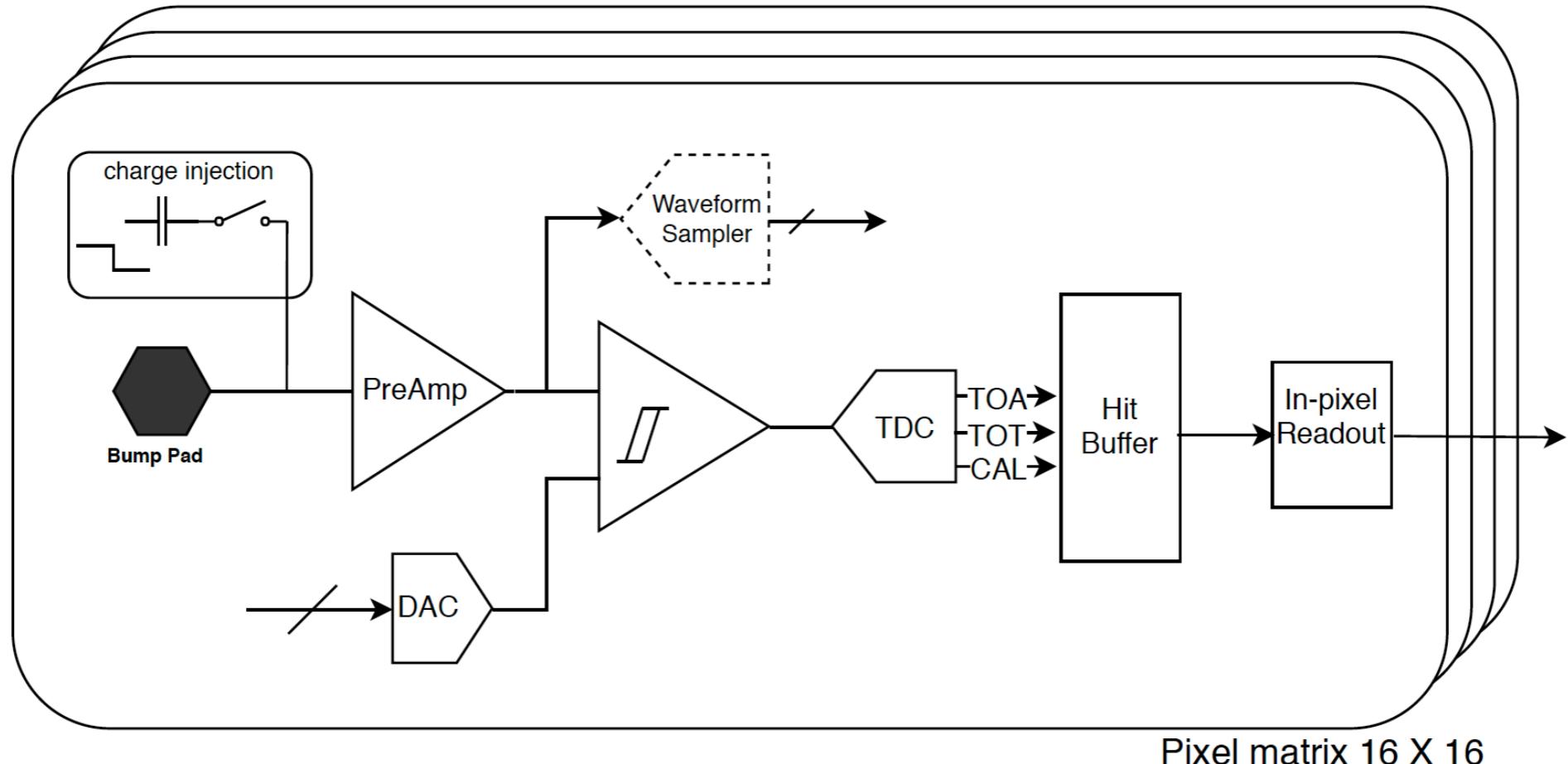
ETL Front-end ASIC ETROC



$$\text{Time resolution } \sigma_t^2 = \sigma_{Jitter}^2 + \sigma_{Ionization}^2 + \sigma_{Distortion}^2 + \sigma_{TDC}^2$$

- $\sigma_{Jitter}^2 \frac{e_n C_d}{Q_{in}} \sqrt{t_{rise}}$: jitter contribution subdominant at high gain
- $\sigma_{Ionization}^2$: fluctuations in Landau ionization. ~50 ps, dominates at high gain for 50 μm thick LGAD
- $\sigma_{Distortion}^2$: non-uniform weighting field and non-saturated drift velocity
- σ_{TDC}^2 : effect of the TDC binning

ETL Time Resolution Factors



ETROC0 : single analog channel

ETROC1: with TDC and 4x4 clock tree

ETROC2: 8x8 full functionality

ETROC3: 16x16 full size chip

