



H \rightarrow $\gamma\gamma$ fiducial and differential cross-section measurements with full Run2 dataset at ATLAS

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Introduction

- It's 10 years since the Higgs boson discovery (2012):
 - Measurements of its properties with full Run2 dataset (2015-2018) in excellent agreement with the SM (See [Gangcheng's talk](#))
- Inclusive and Differential Fiducial Higgs measurements:
 - Test the SM Higgs boson properties and probe for BSM contributions:
 - measured differential cross-sections distributions are compared to state-of-the-art SM predictions
 - Less model-dependent measurements: small extrapolations and SM assumptions
- $H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ channel measurements [arXiv:2202.00487](#):
 - No separation of production modes is aimed
 - Observables sensitive to New Physics, contributions of different Higgs boson production modes, CP-properties and QCD effects
 - Cross-sections measured are used in the interpretation via EFT theory and setting limits on Yukawa bottom- and charm-quarks using di-photon pT shape information

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$H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ analysis in a nutshell

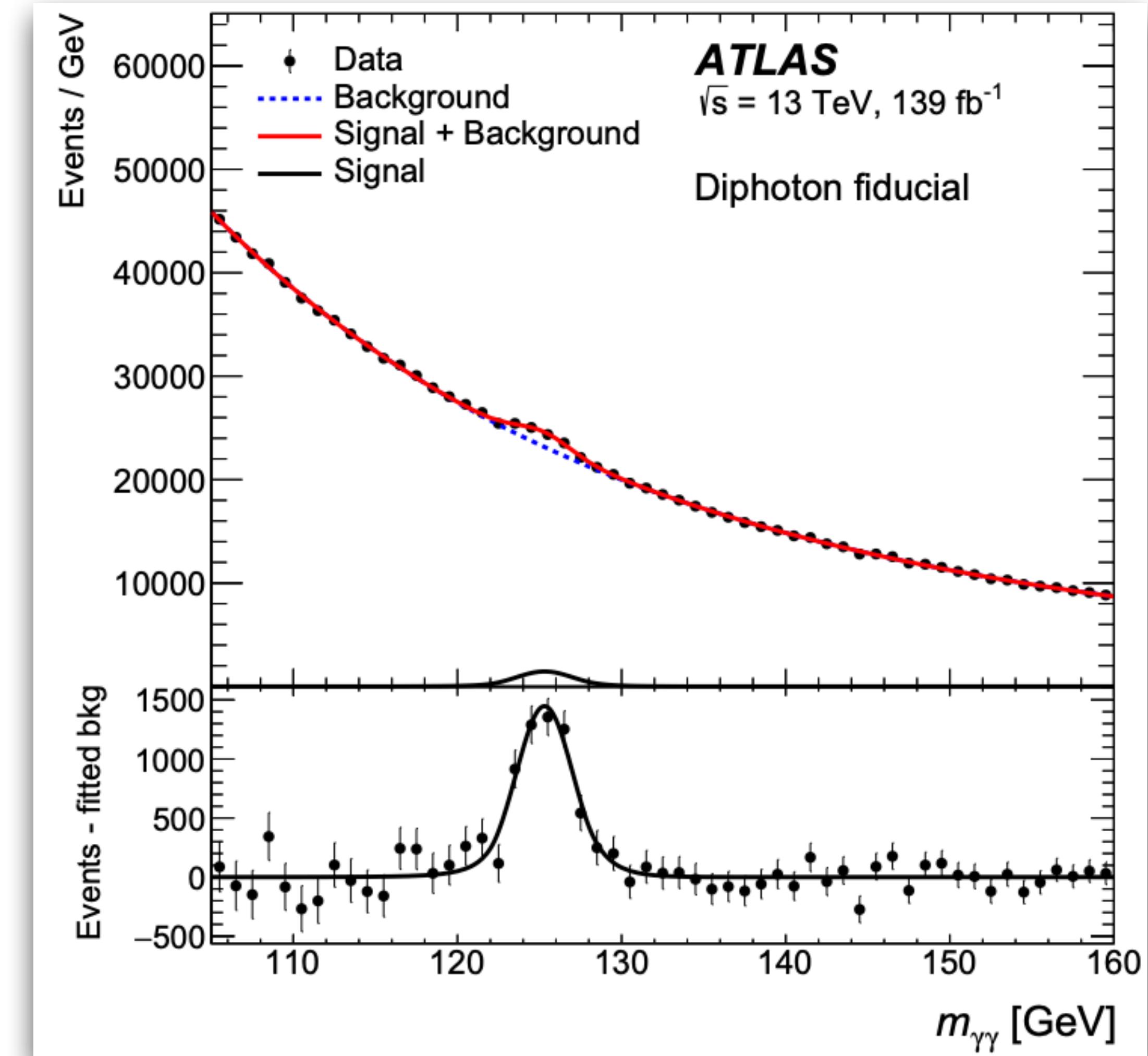
• **Signature:** two reconstructed isolated photons

- ▶ **diphoton vertex:** NN algorithm, improves mass resolution
- ▶ **kinematic selections:**
 - ▶ $pT(\gamma_1) > 0.35m_{\gamma\gamma}$; $pT(\gamma_2) > 0.25m_{\gamma\gamma}$
 - ▶ $|\eta| < 2.37$ (exclude 1.37-1.52 region)
 - ▶ Jets: $pT > 30$ GeV, $|y| < 4.4$
 - ▶ 105 GeV $< m_{\gamma\gamma} < 160$ GeV
- ▶ **Signal Modelling:**
 - ▶ double-sided Crystal Ball function: MC simulation

• **Background sources and modelling:**

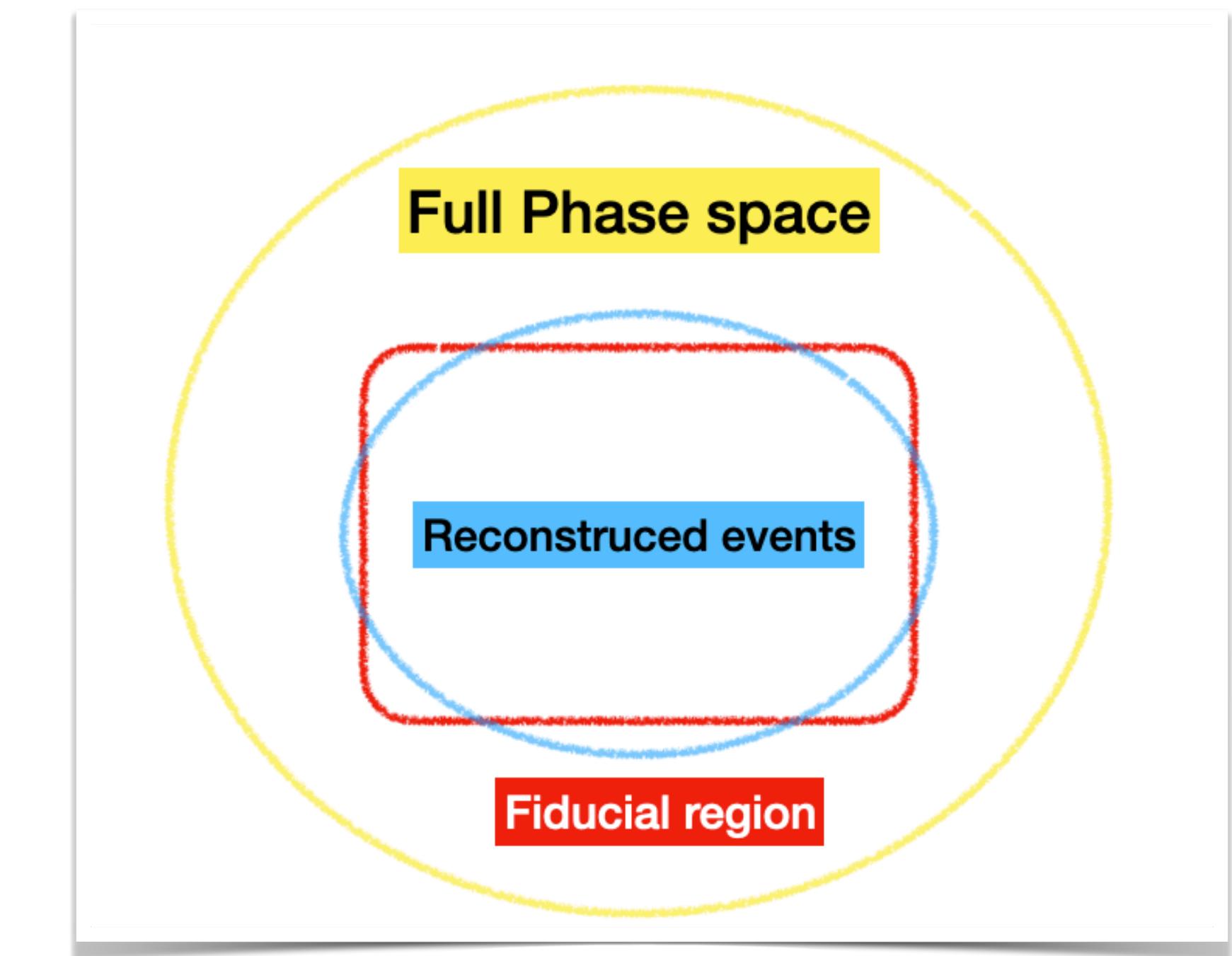
- ▶ SM $\gamma\gamma$ production (irreducible) and $\gamma - jet$ and $jet - jet$ (reducible ones):
 - ▶ built background-only templates, GPR approach to smooth statistical fluctuations in low-yields templates
- ▶ choice of the background model: signal+background fits to $m_{\gamma\gamma}$ background-only templates:
 - ▶ function's choice uncertainty ('spurious signal')

Fits to $m_{\gamma\gamma}$ to extract the signal yields



Measurement methodology

- ▶ **Fiducial region:** defined to closely match the detector-level analysis and object selections
- ▶ **Differential fiducial cross-section** are measured in bins of the studied observable (bin i of a variable x)
 - ✓ N_i^{sig} (**measured signal yield**): extracted signal events in data
 - ✓ Δx (**bin width**): choice based on significance (close to or greater than 2σ) and minimize migrations
 - ✓ c_i (**correction factor**): accounts for detector inefficiencies and resolutions effects as well as migrations in and out of fiducial region
 - ▶ MC response matrix

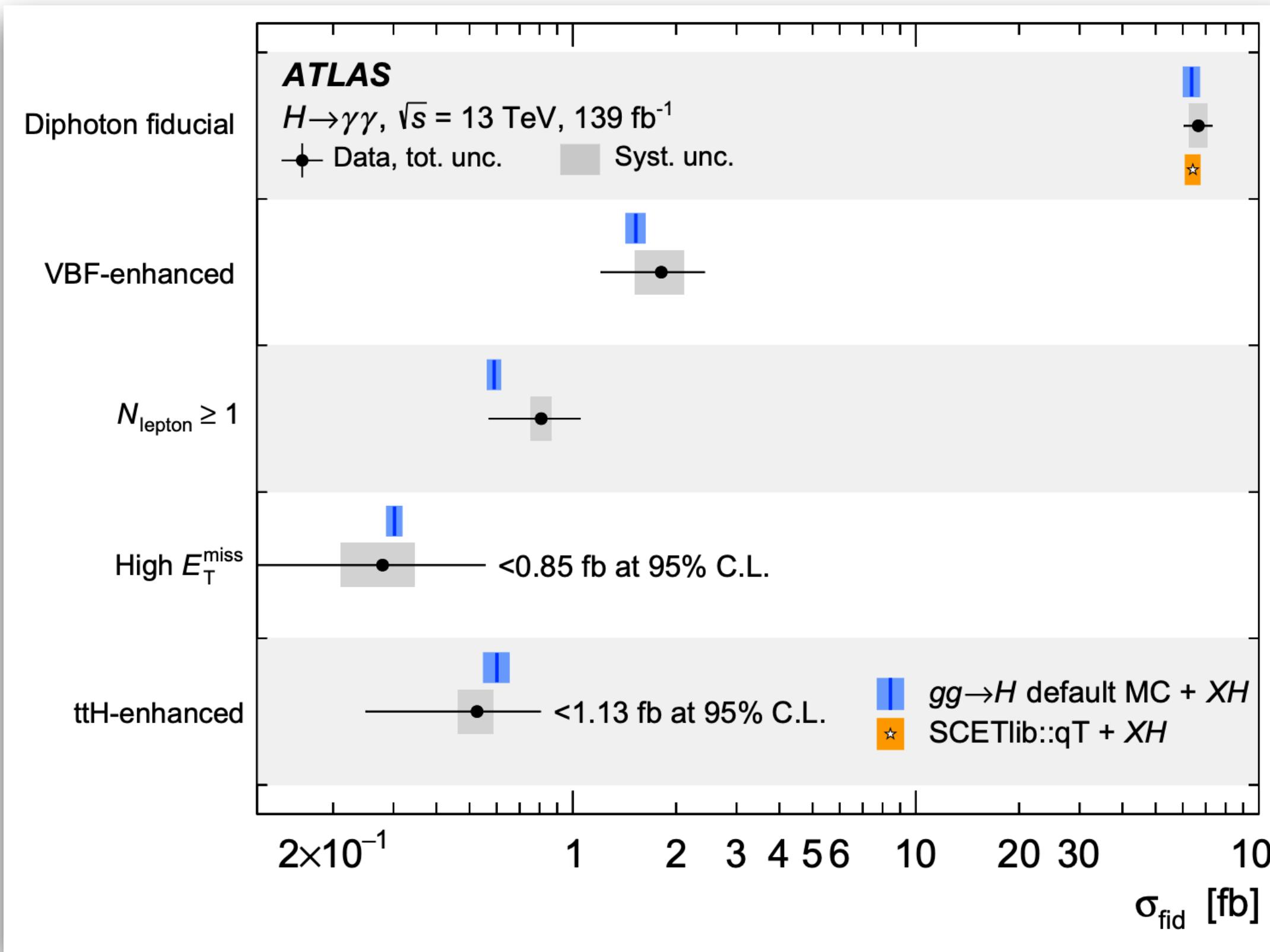


$$\frac{d\sigma_i}{dx} = \frac{N_i^{\text{sig}}}{c_i \Delta x \mathcal{L}}$$

Differential fiducial
cross-section

Fiducial cross-section measurement

Fiducial cross-sections measurements in regions enriched in various production modes



Diphoton fiducial region

Source	Uncertainty [%]
Statistical uncertainty	7.5
Systematic uncertainties	6.4
Background modelling (spurious signal)	3.8
Photon energy scale & resolution	3.6
Photon selection efficiency	2.6
Luminosity	1.8
Pile-up modelling	1.4
Trigger efficiency	1.0
Theoretical modelling	0.4
Total	9.8

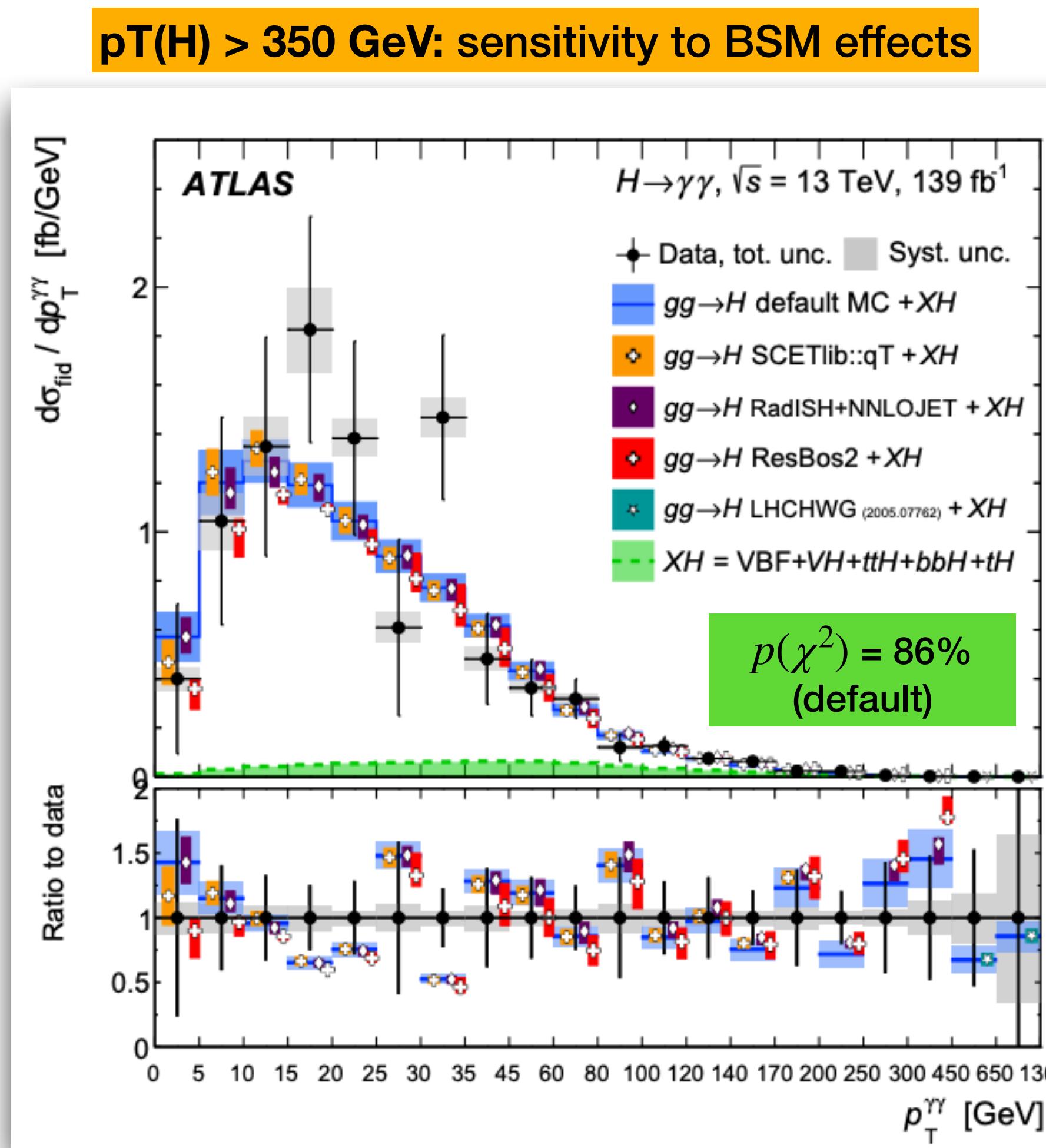
Diphoton fiducial cross-section =
 $67 \pm 5(\text{stat.}) \pm 4(\text{sys.}) \text{ fb}$
SM = $64 \pm 4 \text{ fb}$

- ▶ Measurement is statistical dominated
- ▶ Background modelling is the largest systematic uncertainty

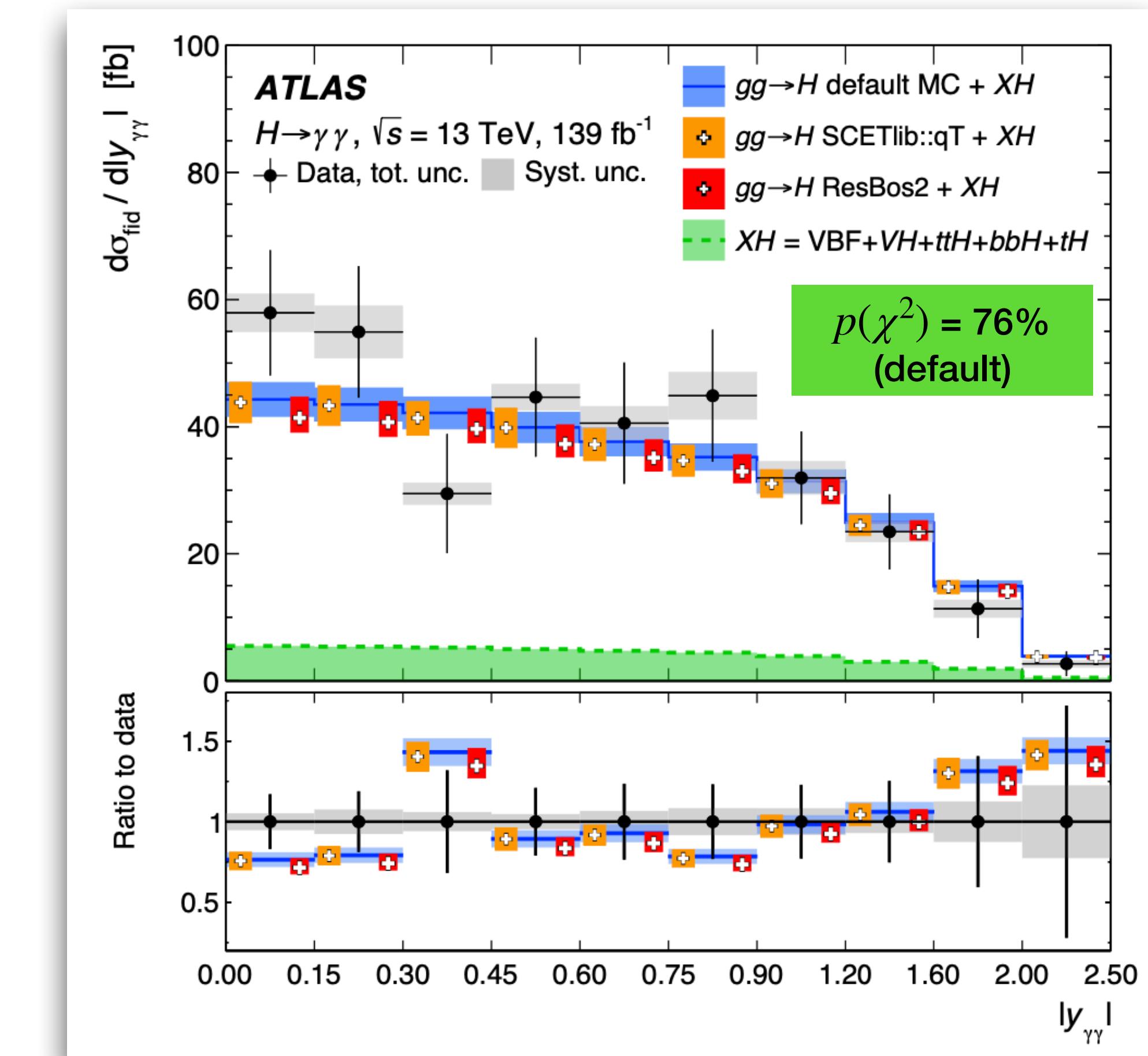
Differential cross-section vs $p_T^{\gamma\gamma}$ and $|y_{\gamma\gamma}|$

default MC: Powheg
NNLOPS, normalized to N3LO
(QCD)+NLO(EW)

- ▶ Low $p_T^{\gamma\gamma}$: sensitive to bottom- and charm-quark Yukawa couplings
- ▶ High $p_T^{\gamma\gamma}$: top quark coupling and BSM effects



- ▶ $|y_{\gamma\gamma}|$ is sensitive to light-quark Yukawa coupling and gluon distribution in the proton



Good agreement with the SM predictions whithin the uncertainties

Cross-section vs N_{jets} and N_{b-jets}

- Inclusive N_{jets} ($pT > 30$ GeV and $|y| < 4.4$):

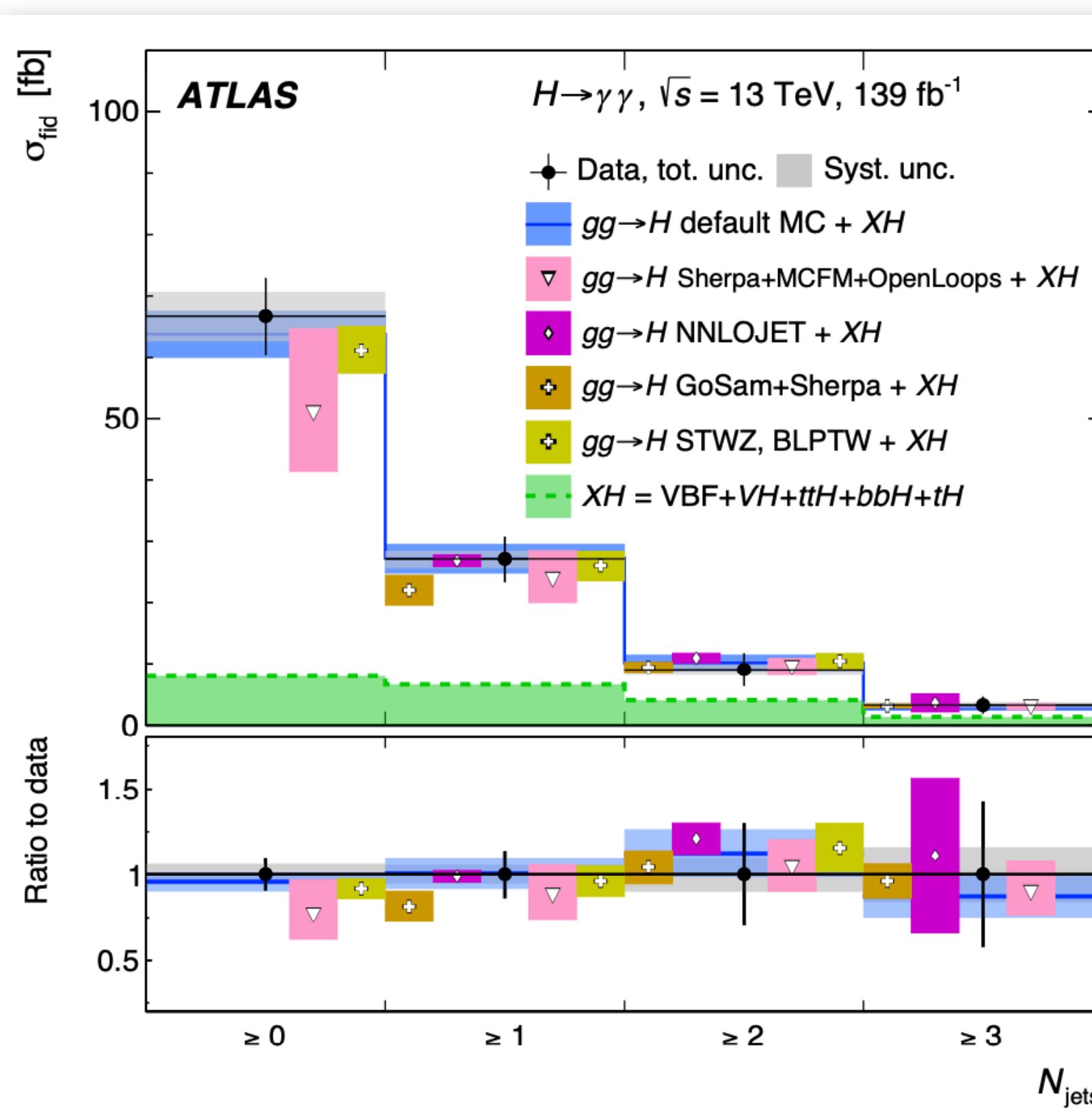
- sensitive to different Higgs boson production modes and QCD modelling (ggF)

- N_{b-jets} : at least 1 central jet and veto on electrons/muons (suppress ttH contribution)

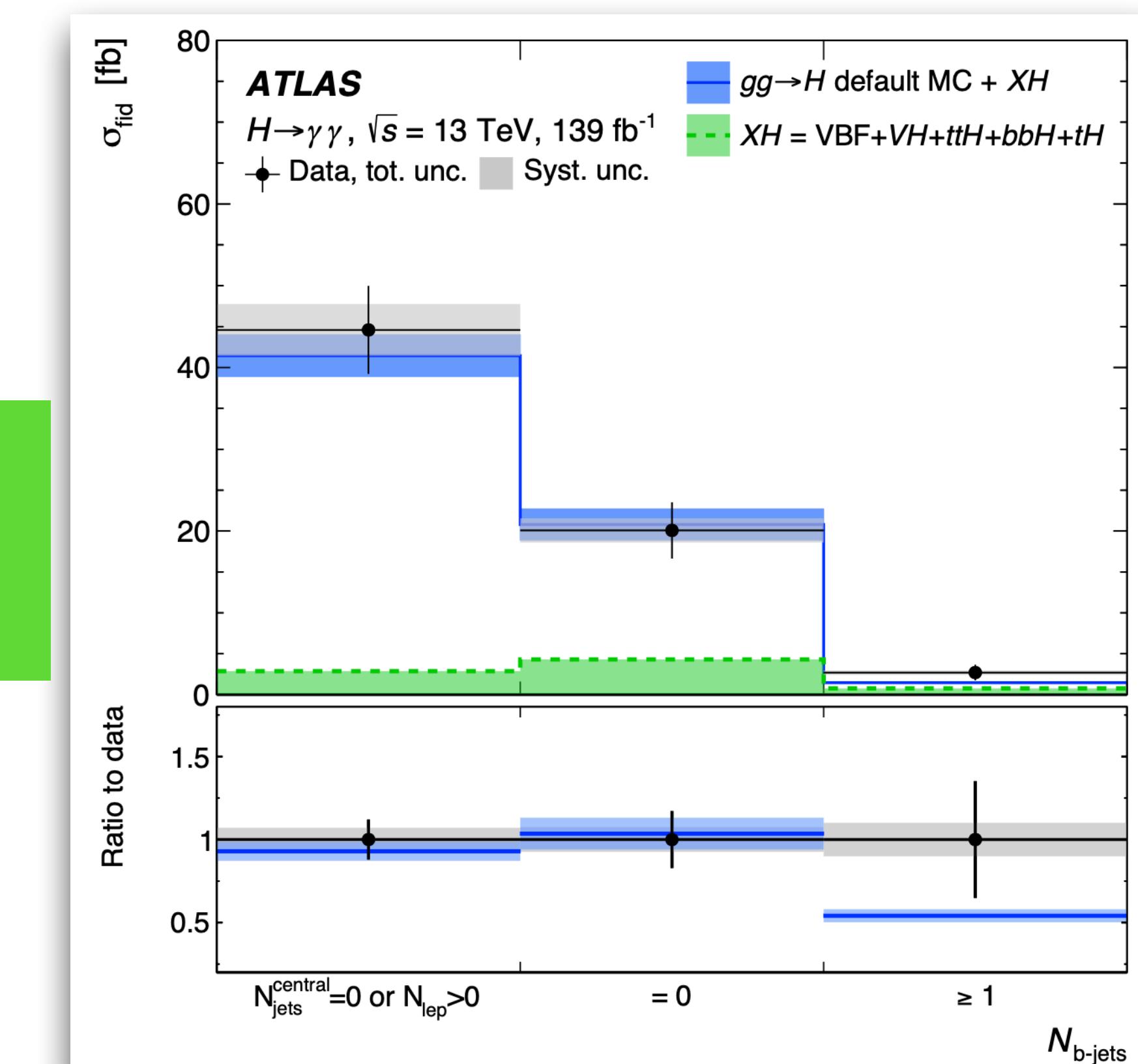
- sensitive to Higgs production in association with heavy particles

Good agreement with the SM predictions

Jet-related systematic reaching up to 24% in highest jet multiplicities



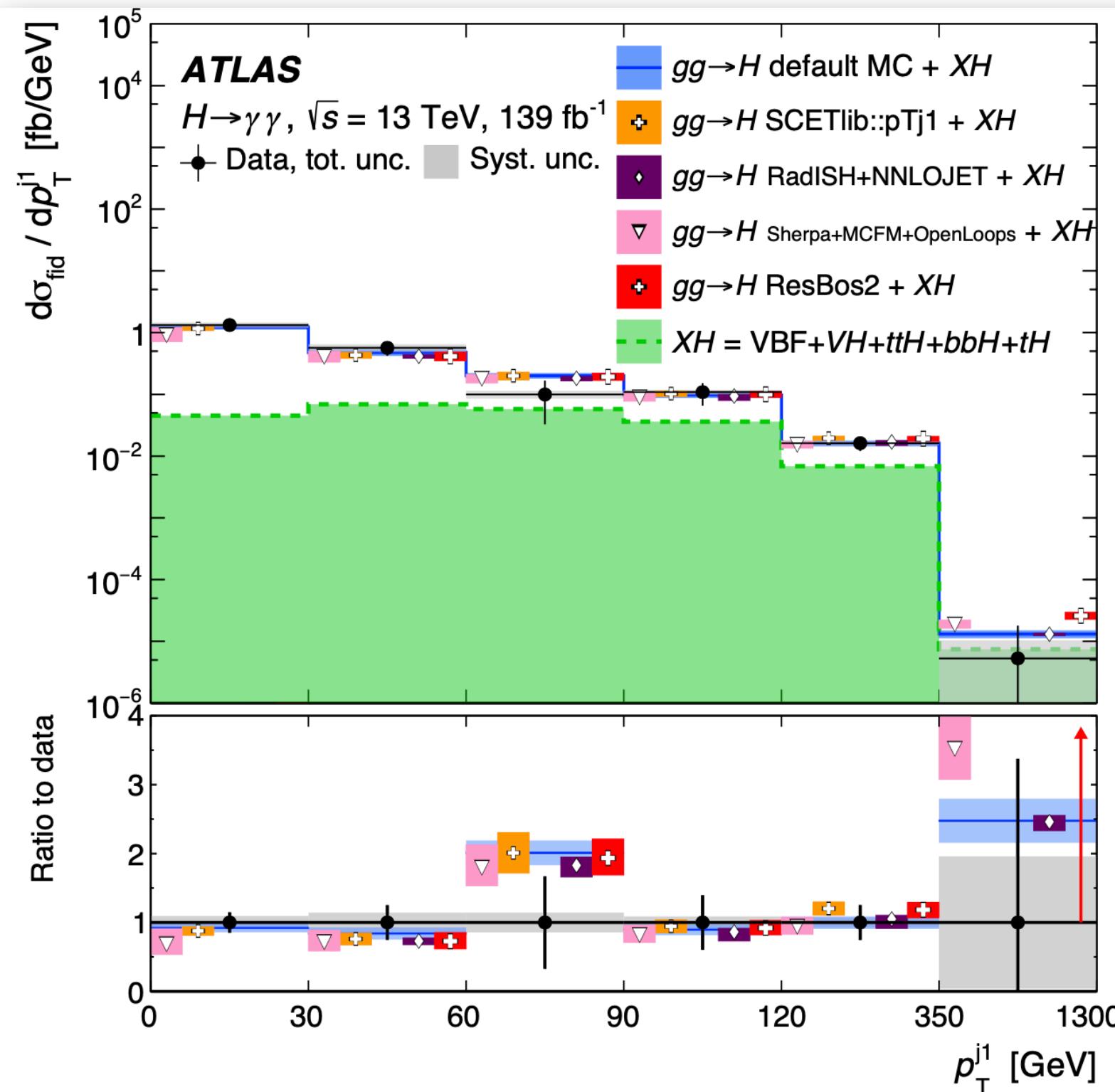
Inclusive N_{jets}
 $p(\chi^2) = 95\%$
(default)



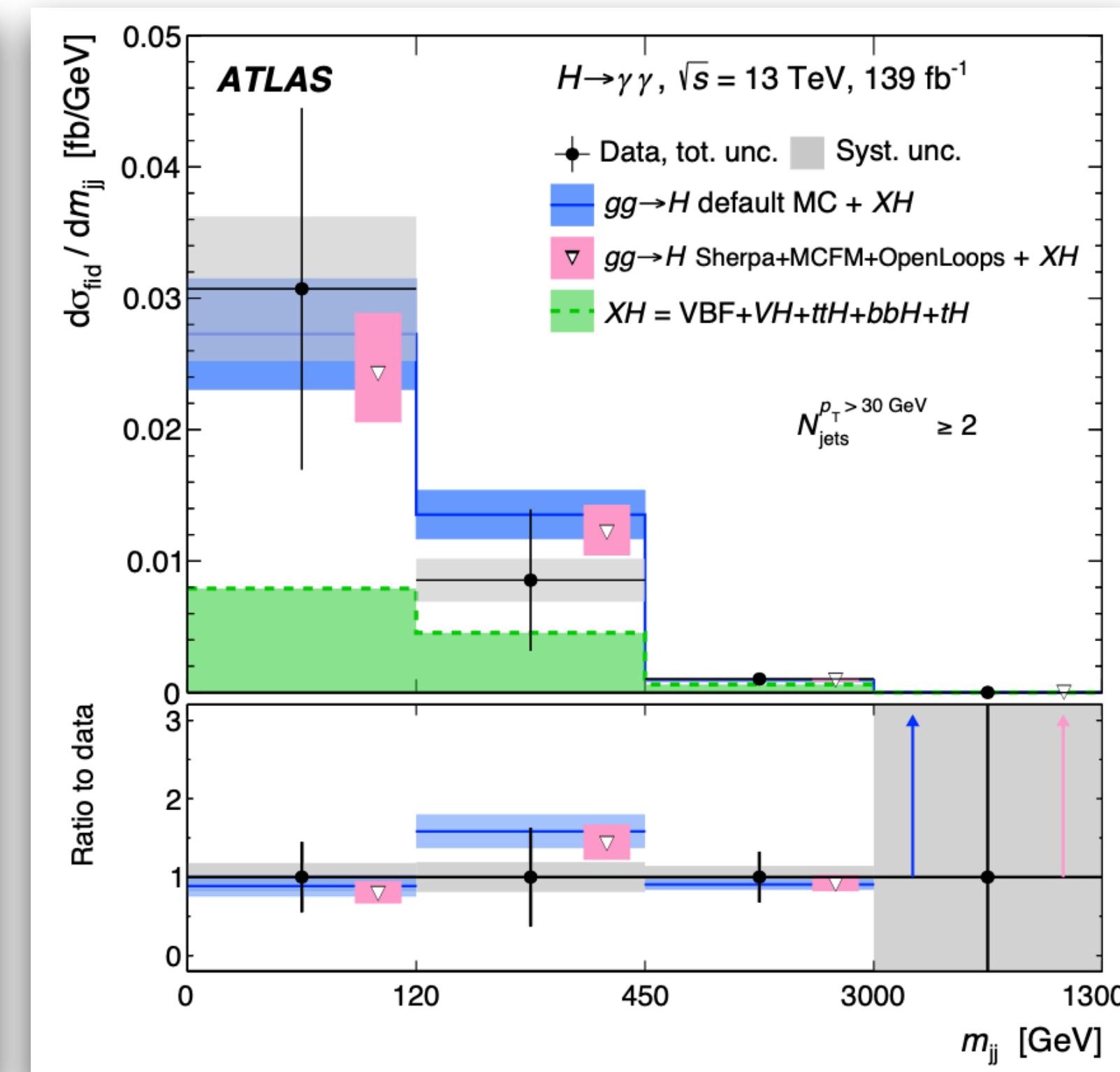
N_{b-jets}
 $p(\chi^2) = 60\%$
(default)

Differential cross-section vs p_T^{j1} , m_{jj} and $\Delta\phi_{jj}$

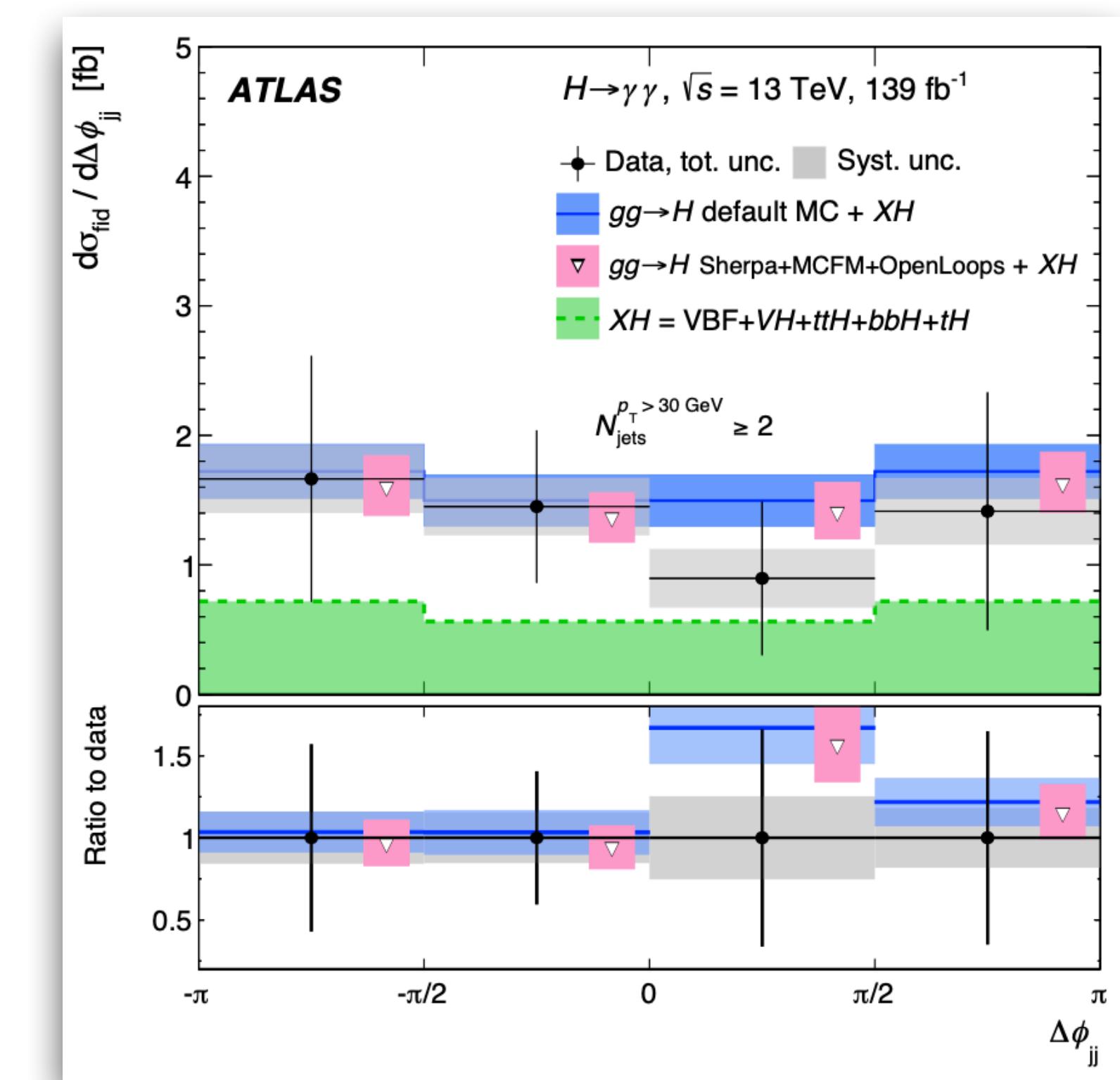
- p_T^{j1} : same range as $p_T^{\gamma\gamma}$ but within coarser bins at low pT
 - $p(\chi^2) = 78\%$ (default MC)



- m_{jj} : highest bin is most sensitive to the VBF production mechanism
 - $p(\chi^2) = 79\%$ (default MC)



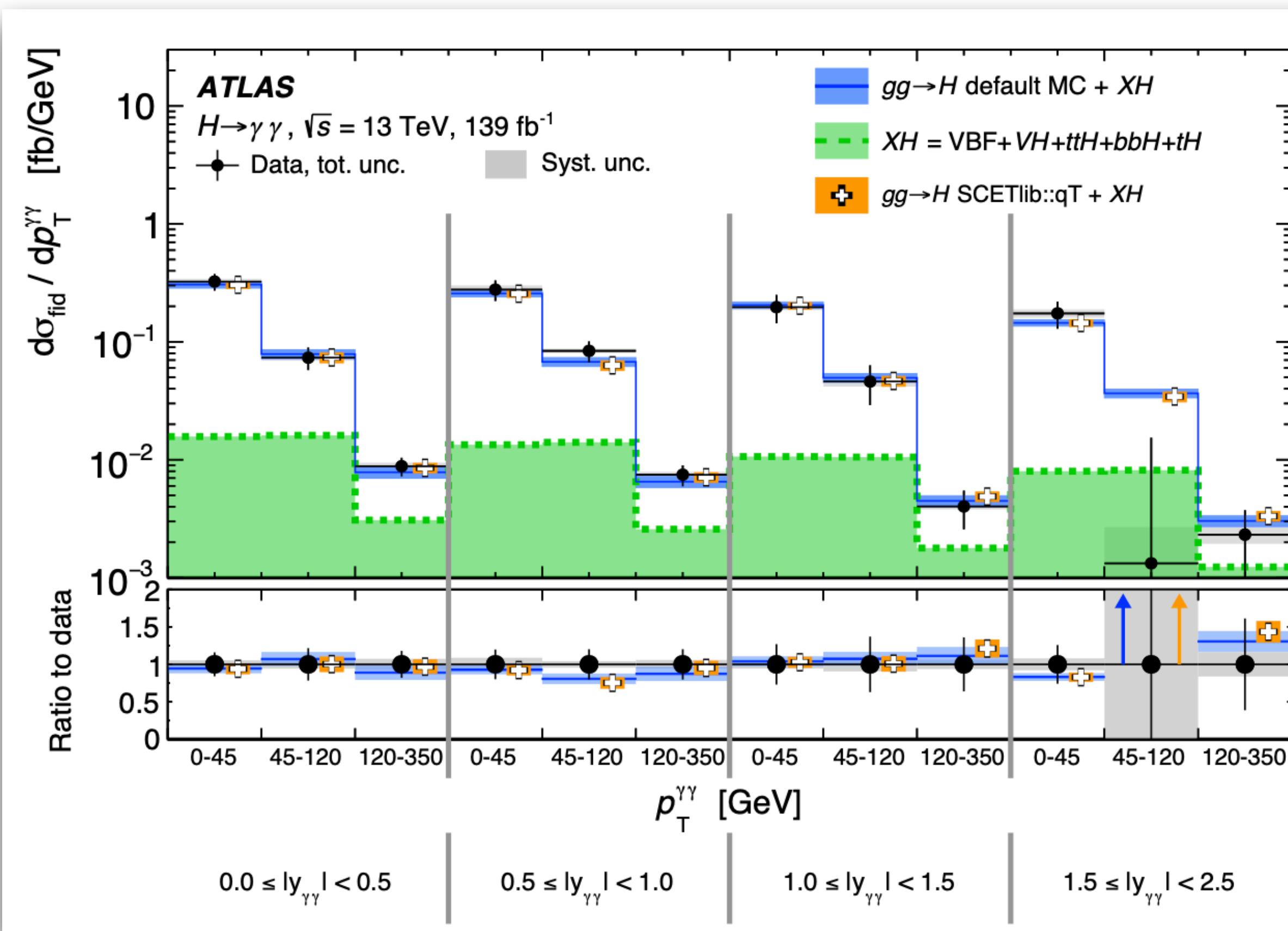
- $\Delta\phi_{jj}$: sensitive to CP properties of the Higgs boson
 - $p(\chi^2) = 91\%$ (default MC)



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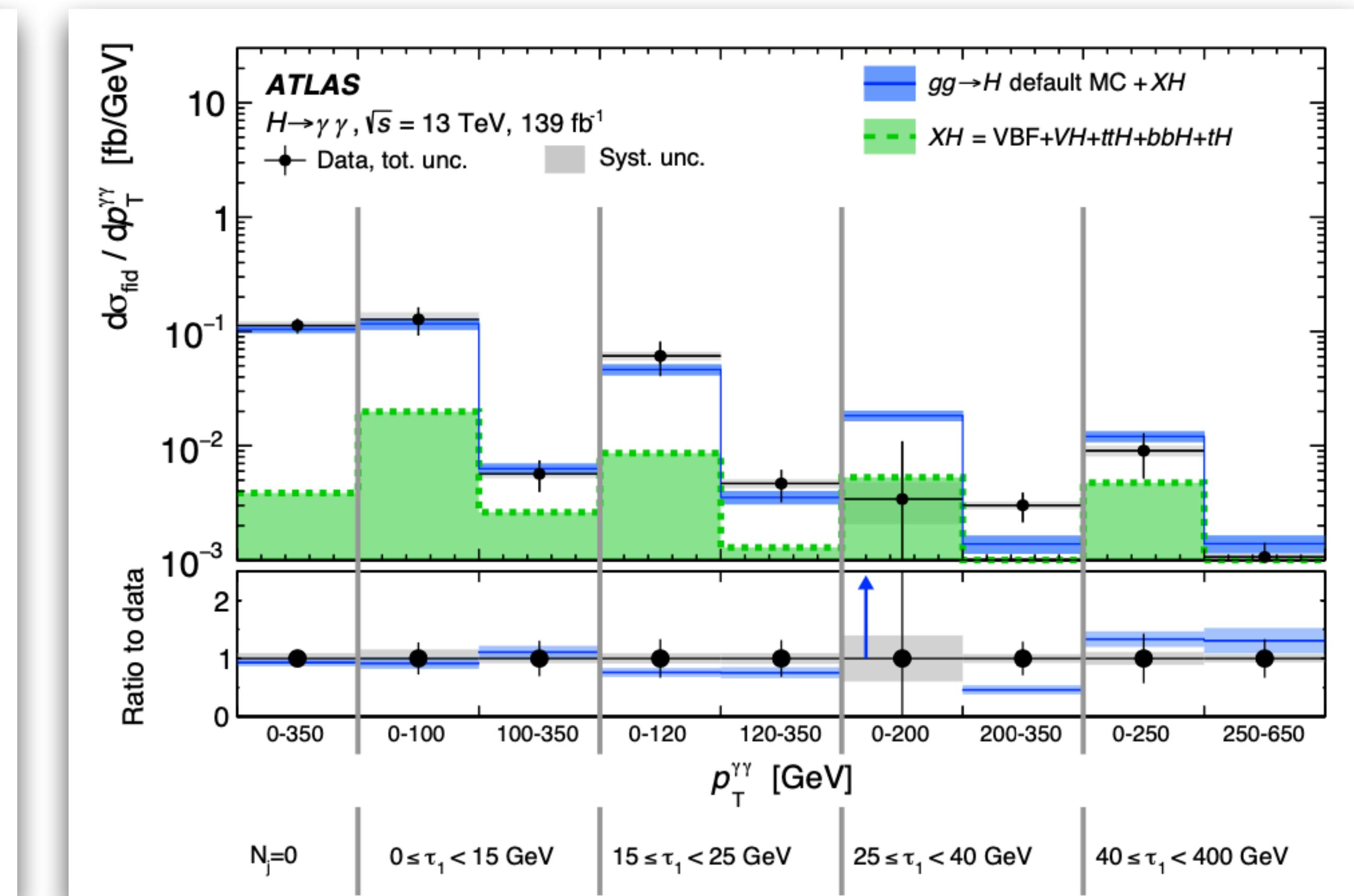
Double Differential cross-section vs $p_T^{\gamma\gamma}$ vs $|y_{\gamma\gamma}|$ and $p_T^{\gamma\gamma}$ vs $\tau_{C,j1}$

- 2D observables provides further look into the Higgs boson properties and correlations between the observables



$p_T^{\gamma\gamma}$ vs $|y_{\gamma\gamma}|$
 $p(\chi^2) = 75\%$ (default MC)

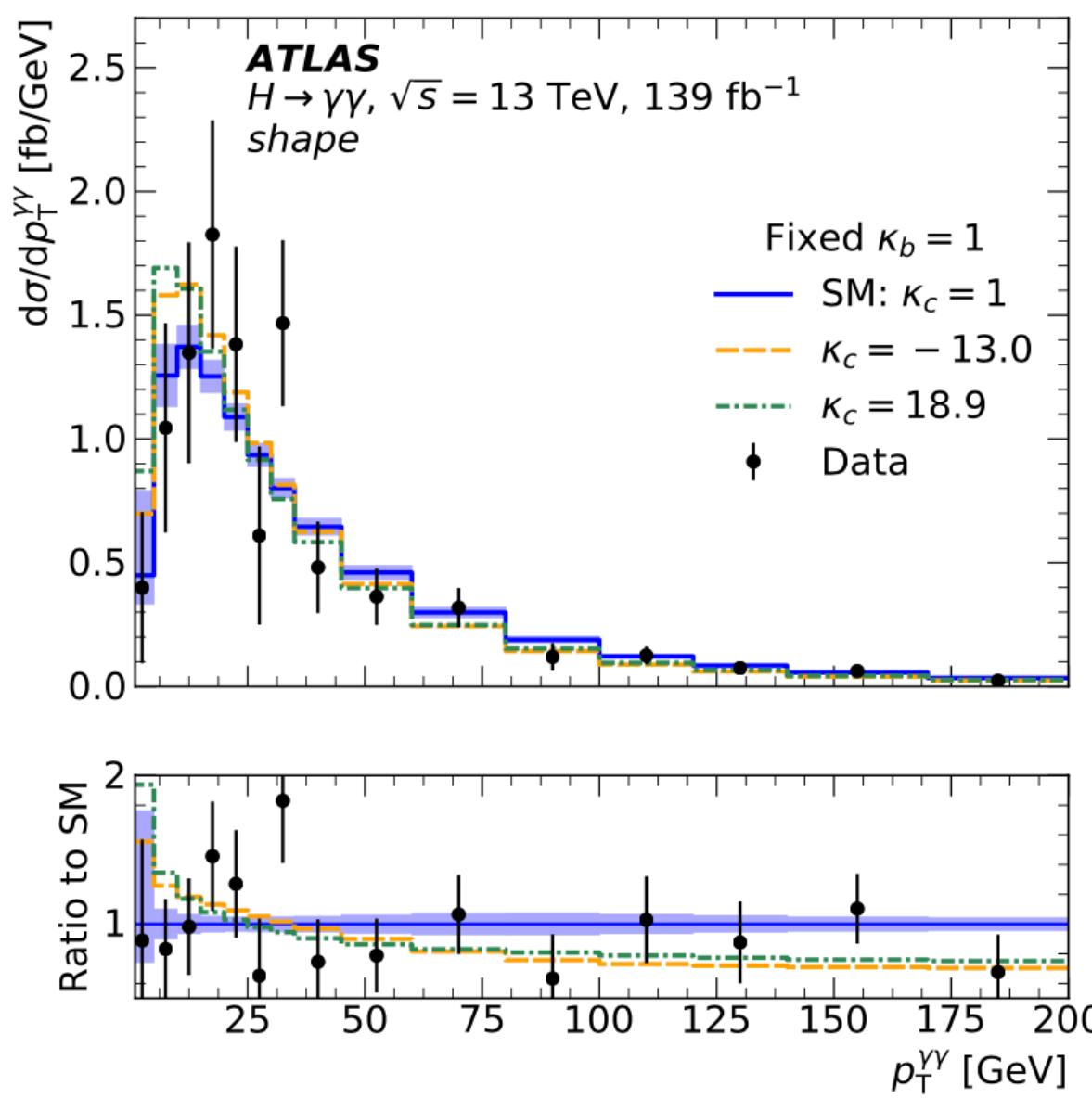
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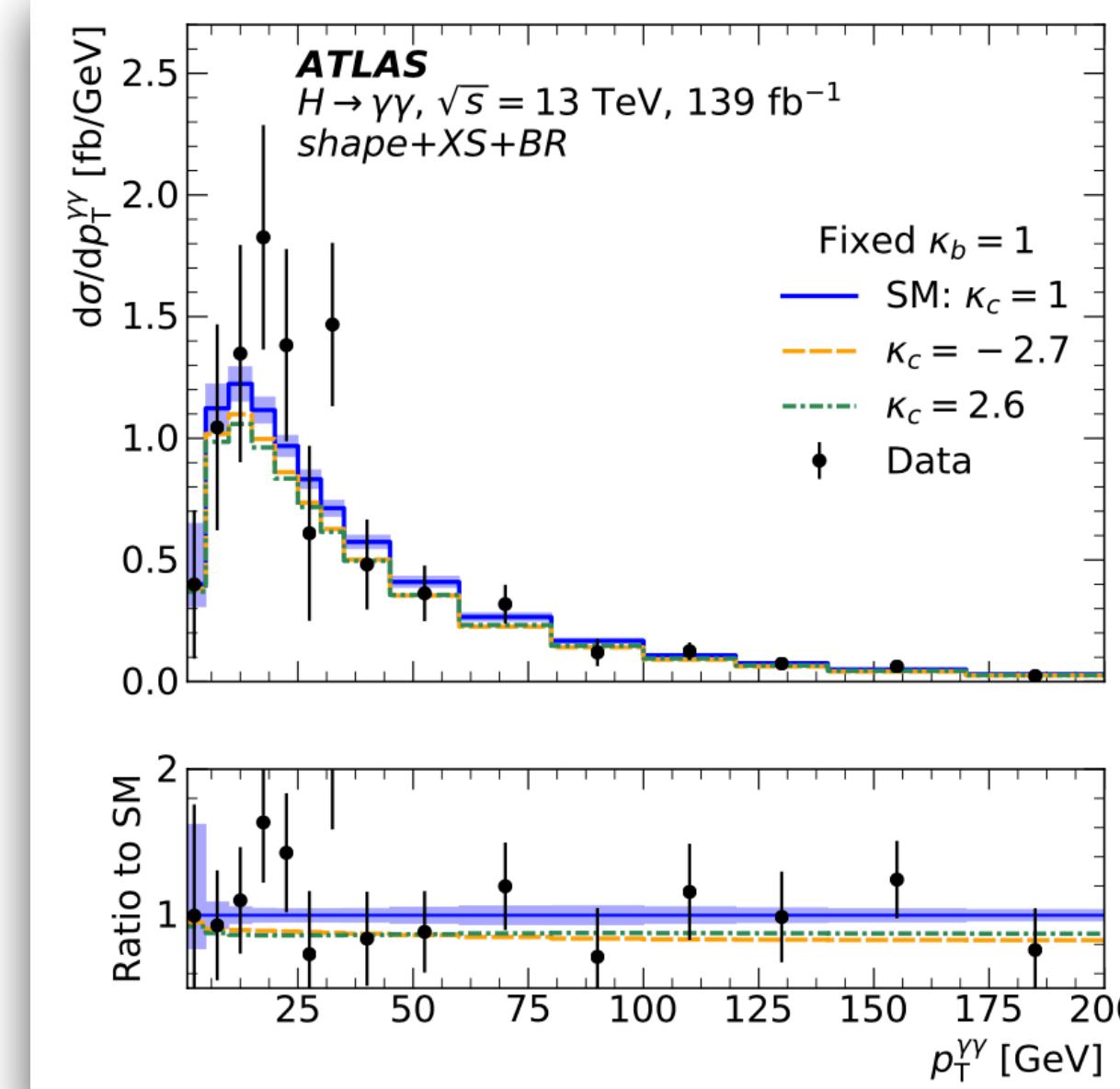
$p_T^{\gamma\gamma}$ vs $\tau_{C,j1}$
 $p(\chi^2) = 39\%$ (default MC)

Interpretation using the pT spectrum information

shape only



shape+XS+BR



- $p_T^{\gamma\gamma}$ spectrum provides indirect measurement of the c- and b-quarks Yukawa couplings (κ_c and κ_b):
- shape-only and shape+normalization information are used for the fitting

- Limits on κ_c and κ_b are set from a profile likelihood method:
- Most sensitive region of $p_T^{\gamma\gamma}$ spectrum < 200 GeV
- Stronger constraints from shape+normalization
- Shape+normalization constrain on κ_b is comparable to direct searches while κ_c provides stronger constraints (a factor of 3 more stringent for the observed result and a factor of 4 for the expected result)

Fit set-up	κ	Observed 95% CL	Expected 95% CL
Shape-only	κ_c	[−13.0, 18.9]	[−10.1, 17.3]
	κ_b	[−3.7, 10.4]	[−2.6, 8.1]
Shape+normalisation (with branching ratio variations)	κ_c	[−2.7, 2.6]	[−3.1, 3.2]
	κ_b	[−1.2, −0.8] \cup [0.8, 1.1]	[−1.2, −0.9] \cup [0.8, 1.2]

Direct search limits on κ_c @ 95%CL:
 observed: $|\kappa_c| < 8.5$
 expected: $|\kappa_c| < 12.4$

Interpretation via Effective Field Theory (EFT)

- **Strength and Tensor structure of the interactions of the Higgs boson:** Effective Field Theory (addition of new interactions CP-even and CP-odd)

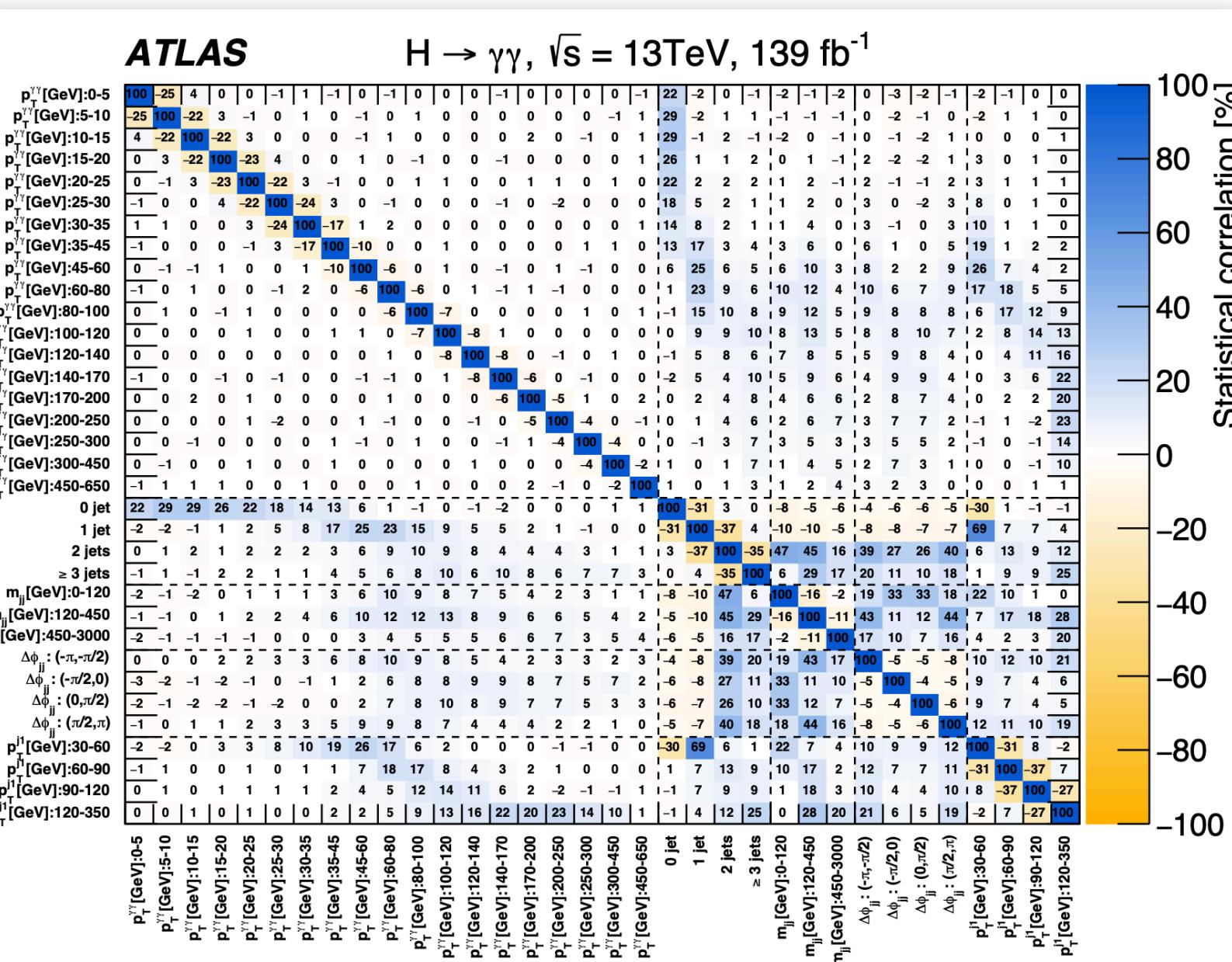
affect VH/VBF

- ▶ Constraints derived for the variables: $p_T^{\gamma\gamma}$, $\mathbf{N_jets}$, m_{jj} , $\Delta\phi_{jj}$ and p_T^{j1}
 - ▶ BSM contributions probed as non-zero Wilson coefficients
 - ▶ Basis of parametrization SMEFT: $c_i(\text{CP-even})/\tilde{c}_i(\text{CP-odd})$ (Wilson coefficients);
 O_i/\tilde{O}_i (6d operators that introduce new interactions)

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{eff}}^{\text{SMEFT}} \supset$$

$$c_{HG}O'_g + c_{HW}O'_{HW} + c_{HB}O'_{HB} + c_{HWB}O'_{HWB} \\ + c_{H\tilde{G}}O'_g + c_{H\widetilde{W}}O'_{HW} + c_{H\widetilde{B}}O'_{HB} + c_{H\widetilde{W}B}O'_{HWB}$$

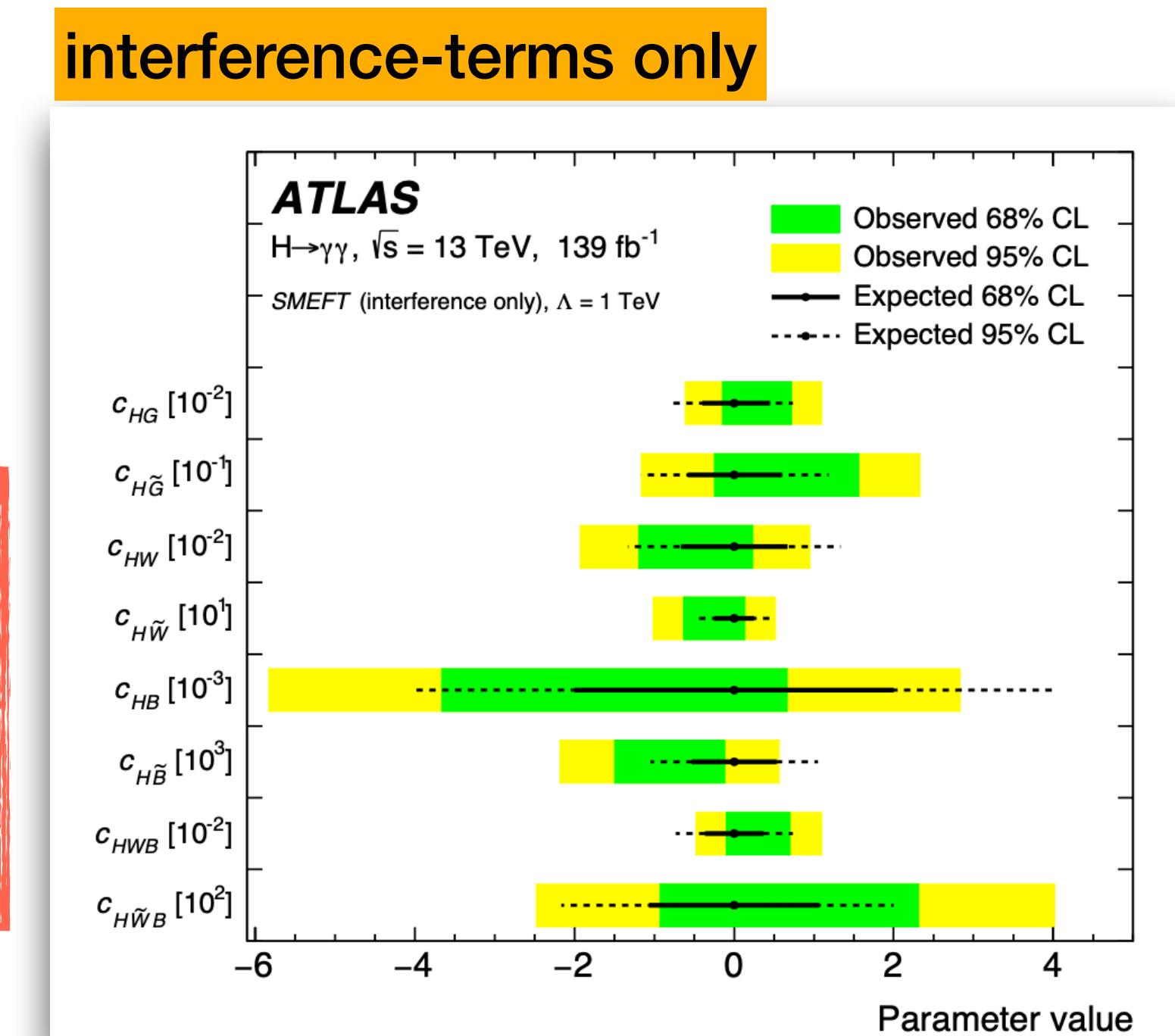
affect $\Delta\phi_{jj}$



Statistical interpretation:

$$L = \exp \left[-\frac{1}{2} (\sigma_{\text{obs}} - \sigma_{\text{pred}})^T C^{-1} (\sigma_{\text{obs}} - \sigma_{\text{pred}}) \right]$$

- ▶ σ_{pred} and σ_{obs} are the k-dimensional vectors from differential cross-section ($k = 34$, number of bins of the 5 observables distributions)
 - ▶ C is the covariance matrix: sum of the statistical, systematic and theoretical covariances



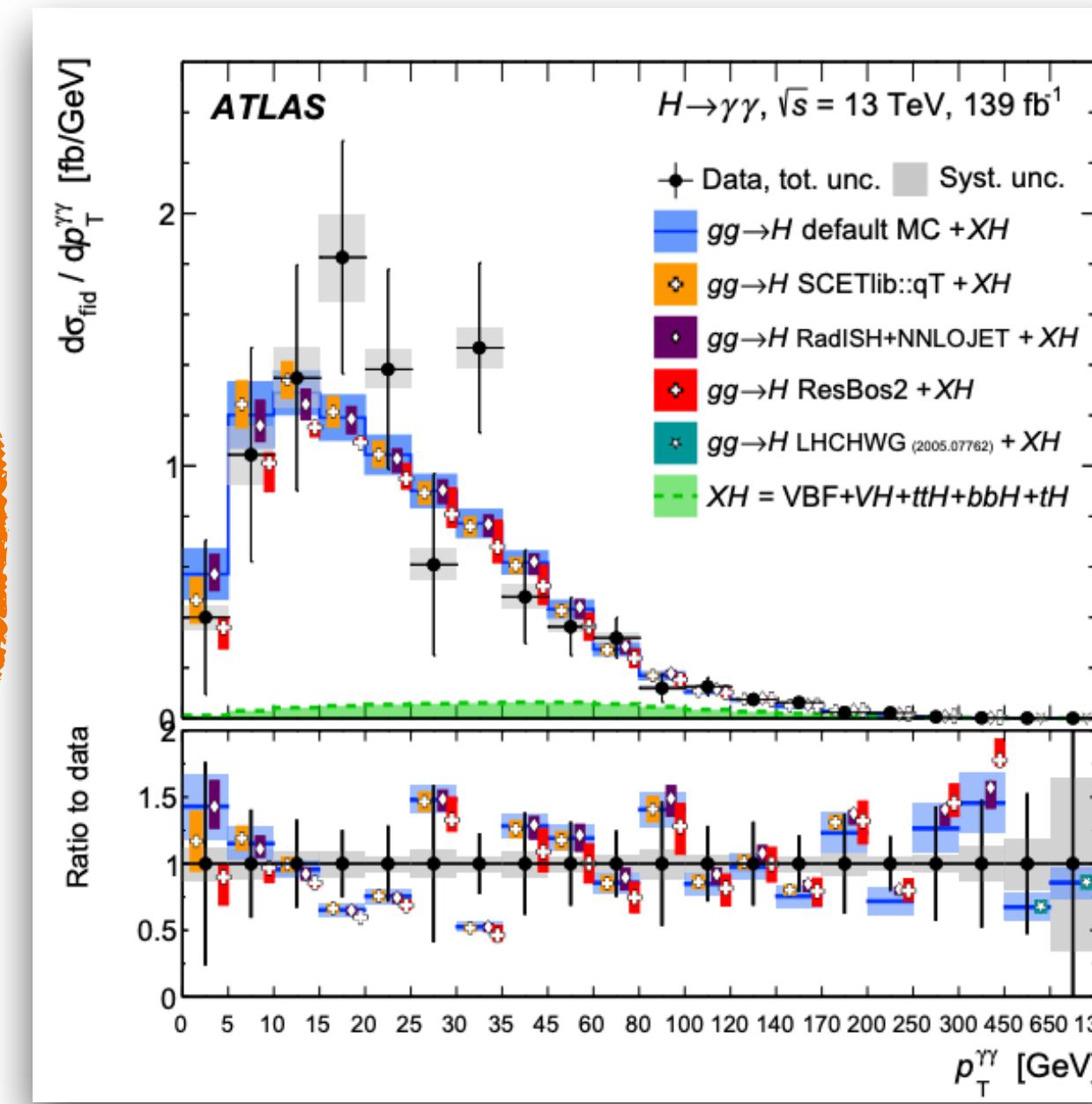
ATLAS and CMS Run2 brief comparisons

- CMS has released a **public result** for the inclusive and differential fiducial cross-section measurements in the diphoton channel using full Run2
- Comparison between the two analysis (diphoton fiducial region):
 - ▶ ATLAS/CMS unfolding: matrix response
 - ▶ S+B unbinned fit to $m_{\gamma\gamma}$ (ATLAS); S+B binned fit to $m_{\gamma\gamma}$ (CMS)
 - ▶ Signal Model: Double Sided Crystall Ball (ATLAS); Sum of Gaussians (CMS)
 - ▶ Background modelling: from spurious signal studies (ATLAS); Discrete profiling method (CMS)
 - ▶ Uncertainties:
 - statistical component: $\sim 7.0\%$ (similar)
 - Systematic component: spurious signal is about 3.8% (ATLAS) and 0% (included in the statistical error) in CMS

ATLAS

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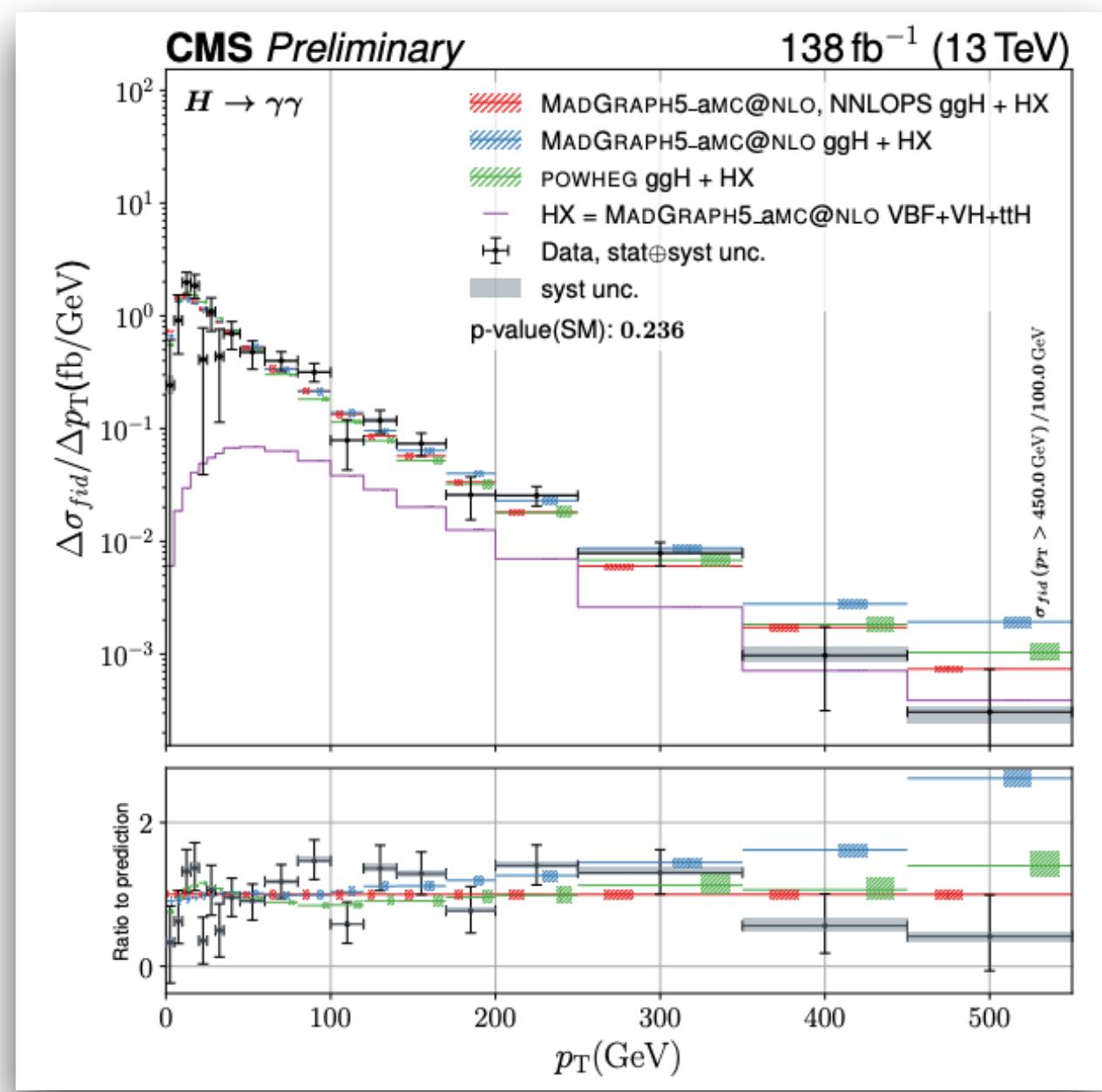
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CMS

Diphoton fiducial cross-section =
 $73.40^{+6.1}_{-5.9} \text{ fb}$

SM = $75.44 \pm 4.1 \text{ fb}$



Summary

✓ *Higgs Fiducial and differential measurements in ATLAS experiment have been presented in the $H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ channel:*

- Higgs boson properties and probe to new physics contributions in many observables exploring *Higgs kinematic and jet-kinematic activity in the events*
- *Very good agreement between the measurements and SM predictions:*
 - ▶ Statistical uncertainty still the dominant uncertainty source
- *Measurements are interpreted in the context of:* EFT framework and pT(H) shape for bottom- and charm-quark coupling
 - ▶ No significant BSM contributions are observed
 - ▶ κ_b limits are comparable to the direct searches
 - ▶ Stronger limits on κ_c are set compared to direct searches

Stay tuned for Run3 news!

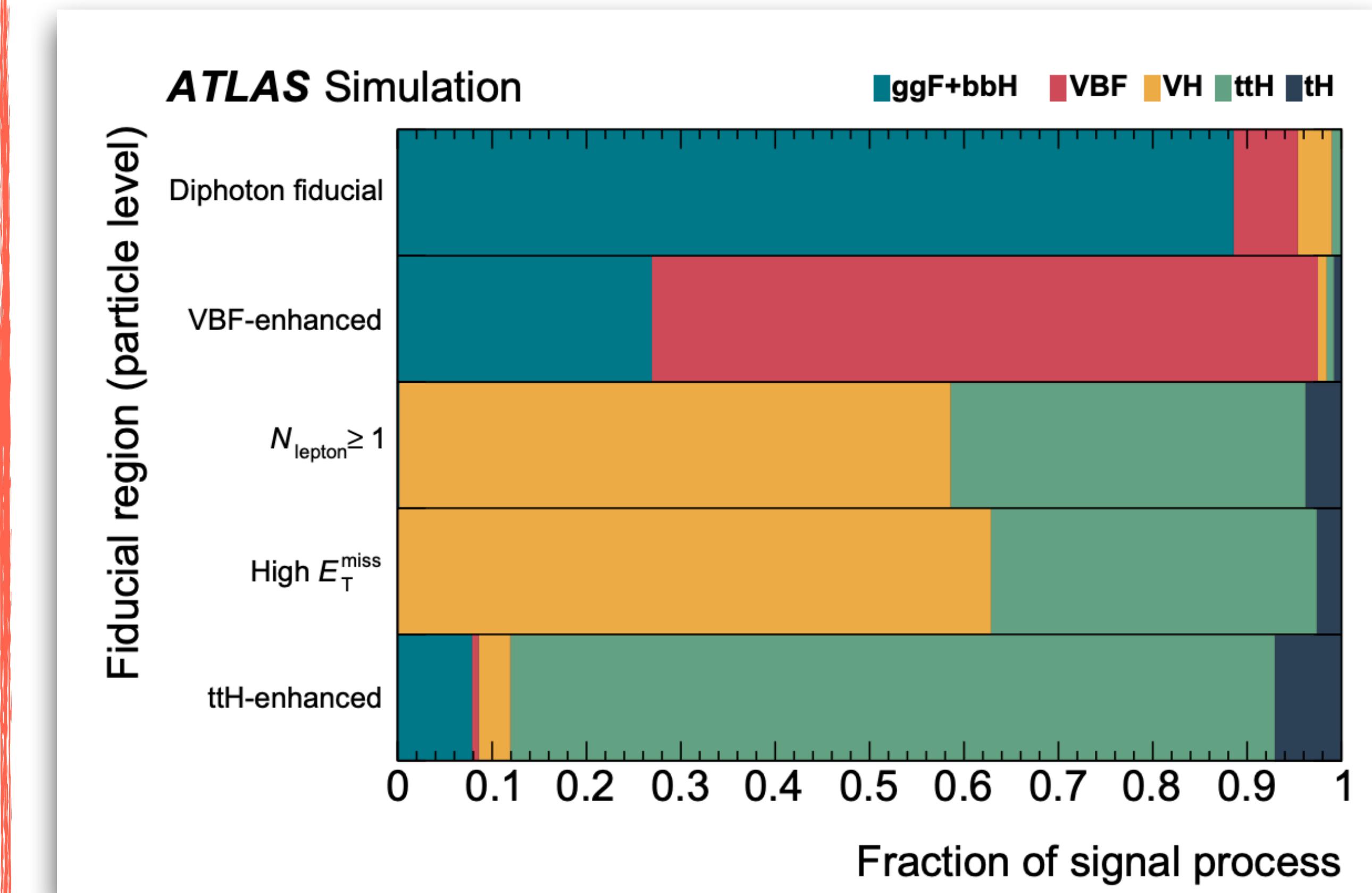
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Back-up slides

Fraction of signal process in fiducial regions

◎ Baseline fiducial region (particle level):

- ▶ $E_T/m_{\gamma\gamma} > 0.35$; $E_T/m_{\gamma\gamma} > 0.25$; isolation requirements; $|\eta| < 2.37$ excluding transition region
- ▶ **Sub-sets of the baseline fiducial region (sensitive to different Higgs boson production modes):** selections are applied on the electrons, muons, jets and MET
 - ◎ **VBF-enhanced region:** at least two jets, $m_{jj} \geq 600 GeV$, $|\Delta y_{jj}| \geq 3.5$
 - ◎ **$N_{lepton} \geq 1$ region:** additional charged lepton with $pT > 15 GeV$. Sensitive to VH ($V = W/Z$), tH or ttH production modes
 - ◎ **High MET region:** large MET $> 80 GeV$ and $p_T^{\gamma\gamma} > 80 GeV$. Sensitive to VH and ttH production mechanisms and BSM effects (WIMPS)
 - ◎ **ttH-enhanced region:** at least 1 b-jets/no leptons/4jets or at least 1 lepton and at least 3 jets

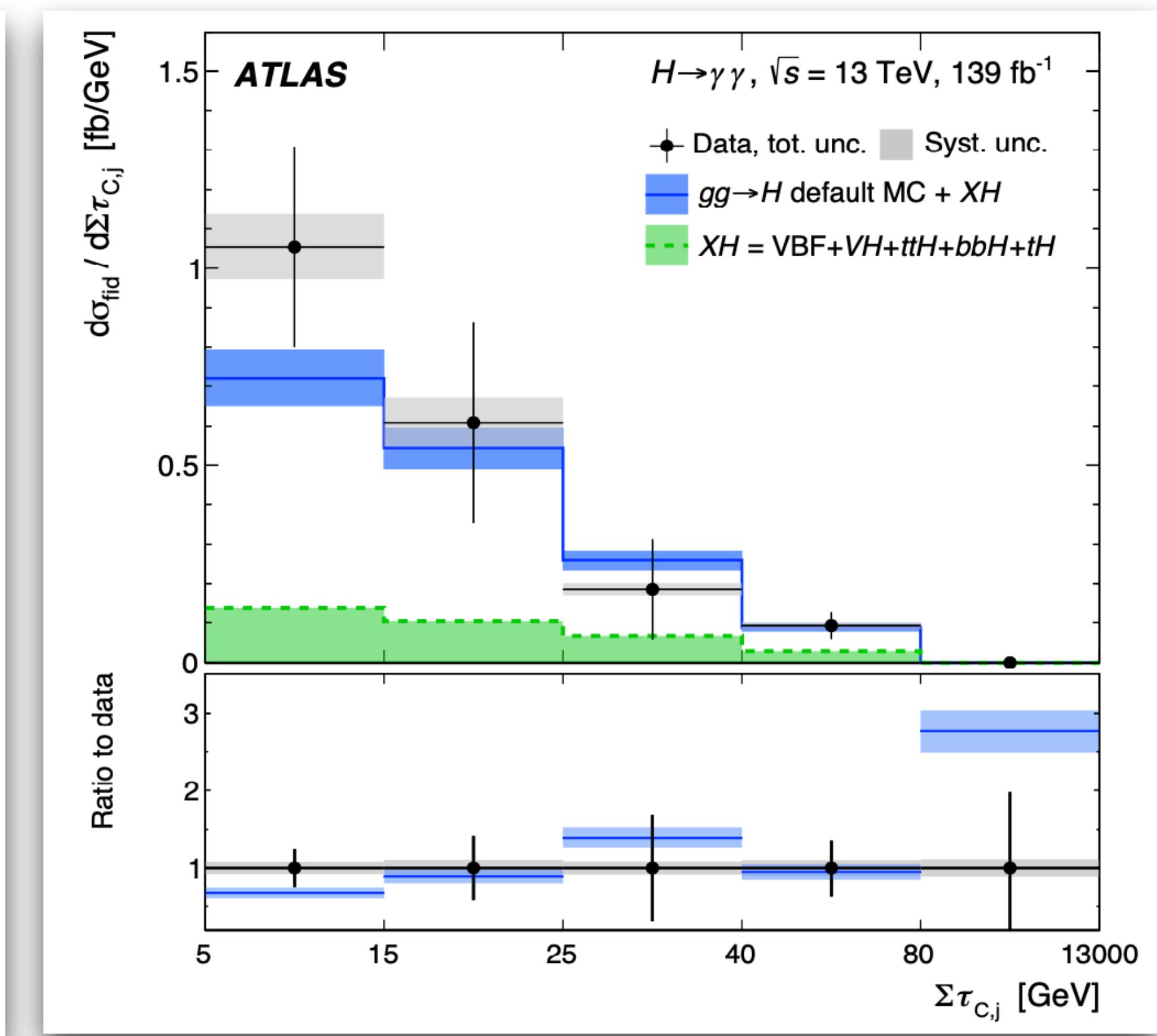
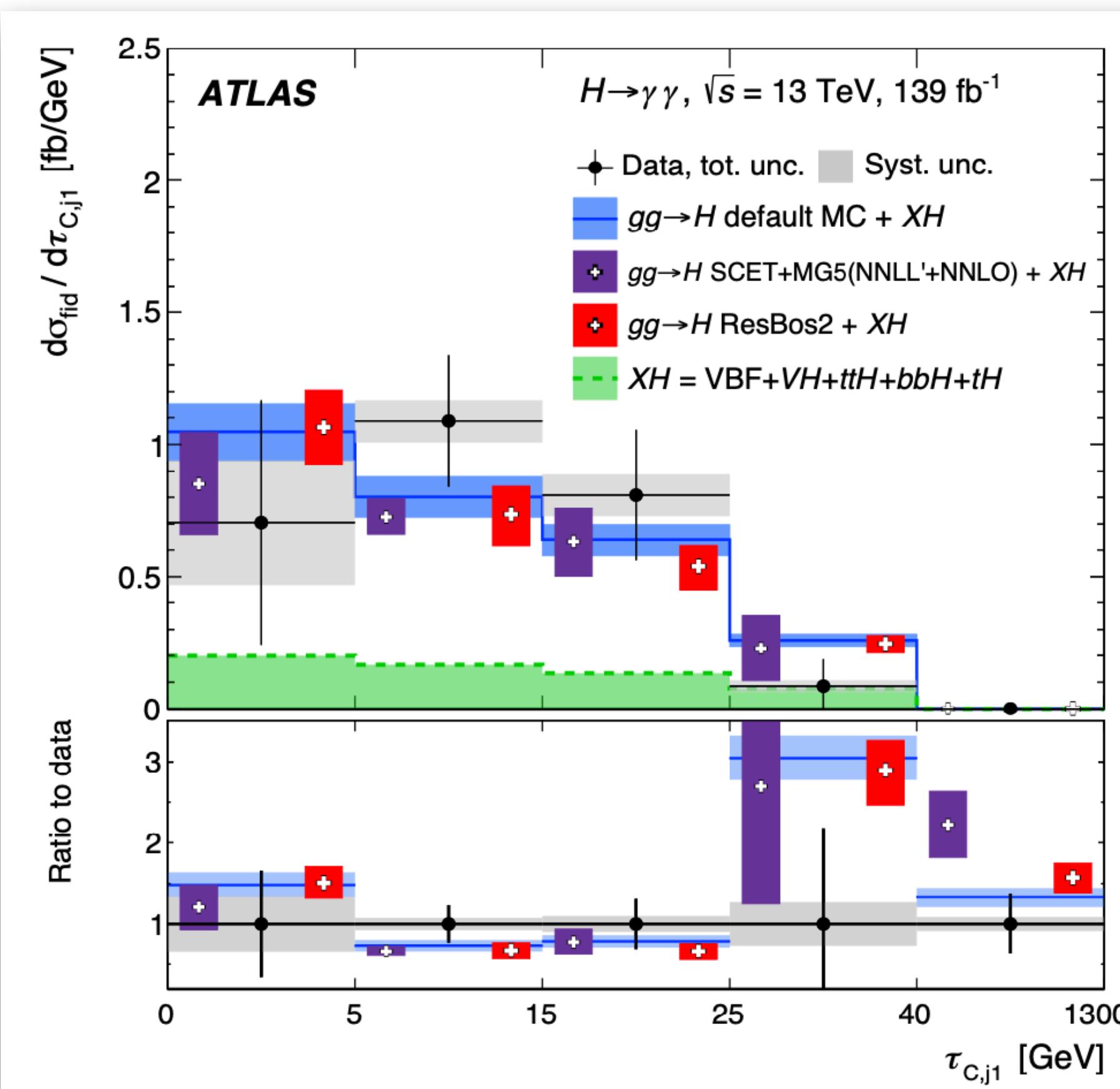


Differential cross-section vs $\tau_{C,j1}$ and $\sum \tau_{C,j}$

$$\tau_{C,j} = \frac{\sqrt{p_T^2 + m^2}}{2\cosh(y_j - y_{\gamma\gamma})}$$

m is the jet mass and y_j its rapidity

- Beam-thrust event-shape variable (hadronic observable): boost-invariant along the beam axis
- $\tau_{C,j1}$ is the highest value of $\tau_{C,j1}$ among all jets in the event while $\sum \tau_{C,j}$ is the scalar sum of τ for all jets with $\tau > 5$ GeV



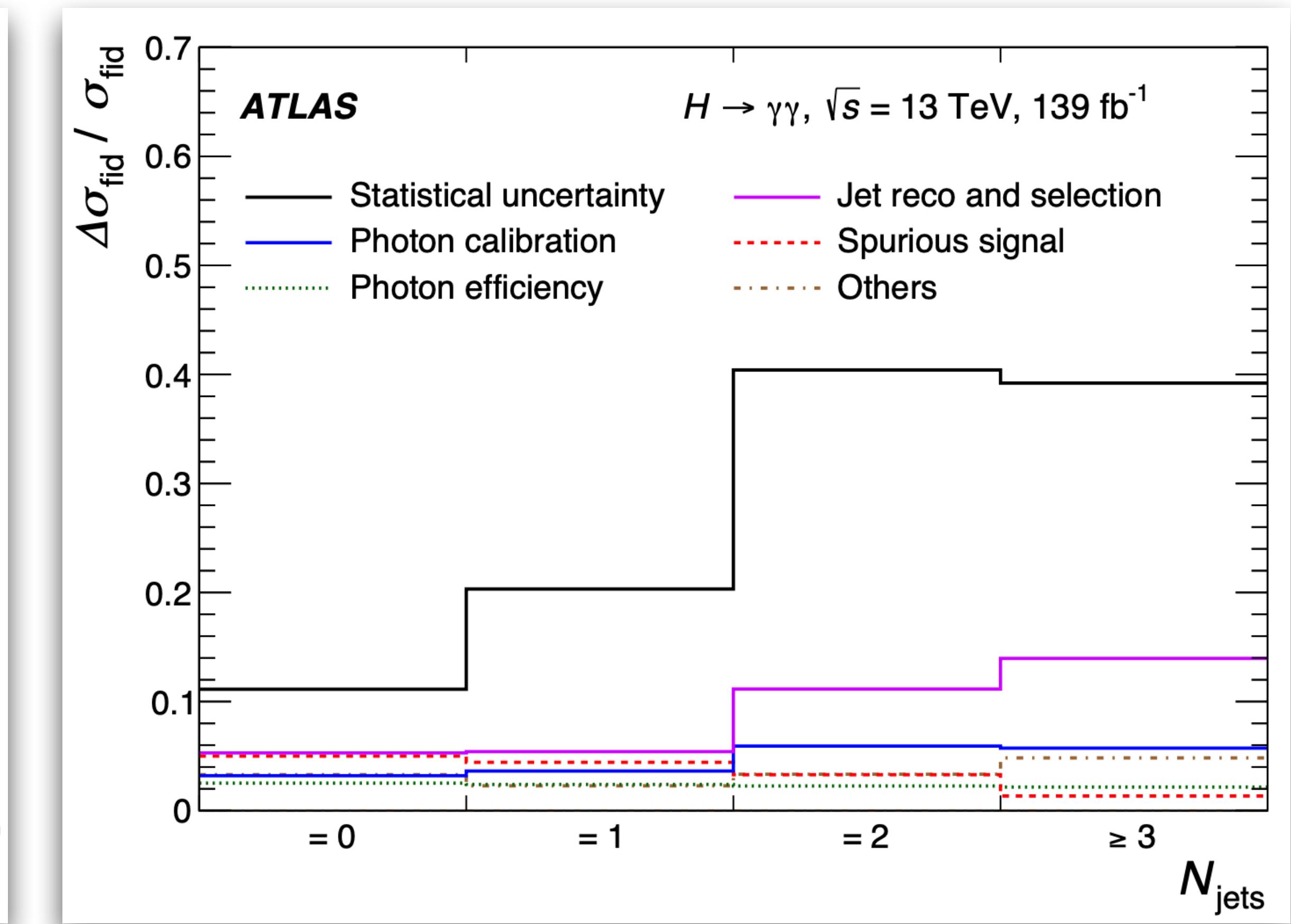
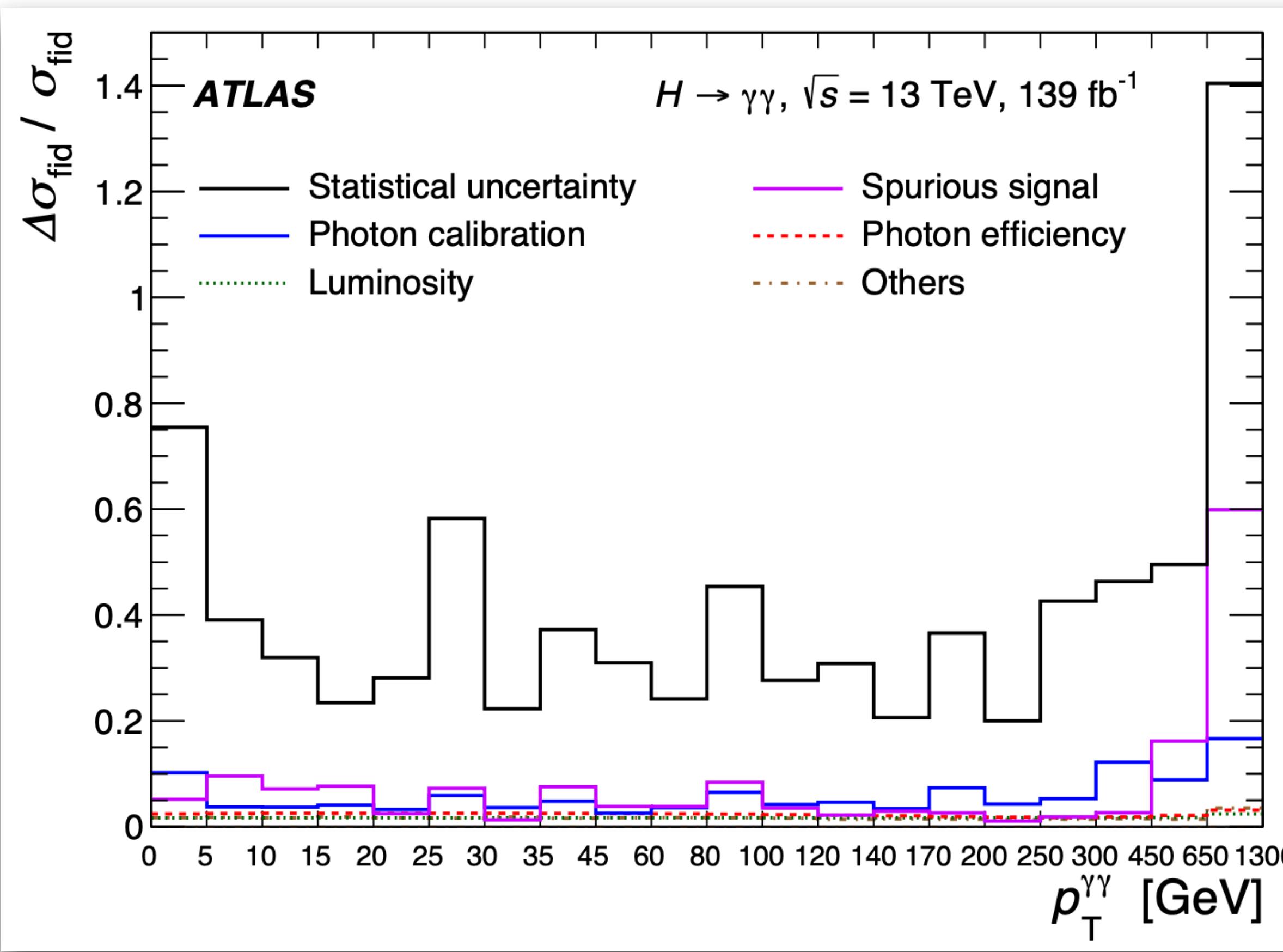
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 (default)

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Good agreement with the
SM predictions

Systematic uncertainties in $p_T^{\gamma\gamma}$ and N_{jets} bins

- ▶ Systematics uncertainties sources on the signal and background modeling
- ▶ Experimental and theoretical uncertainties uncertainties



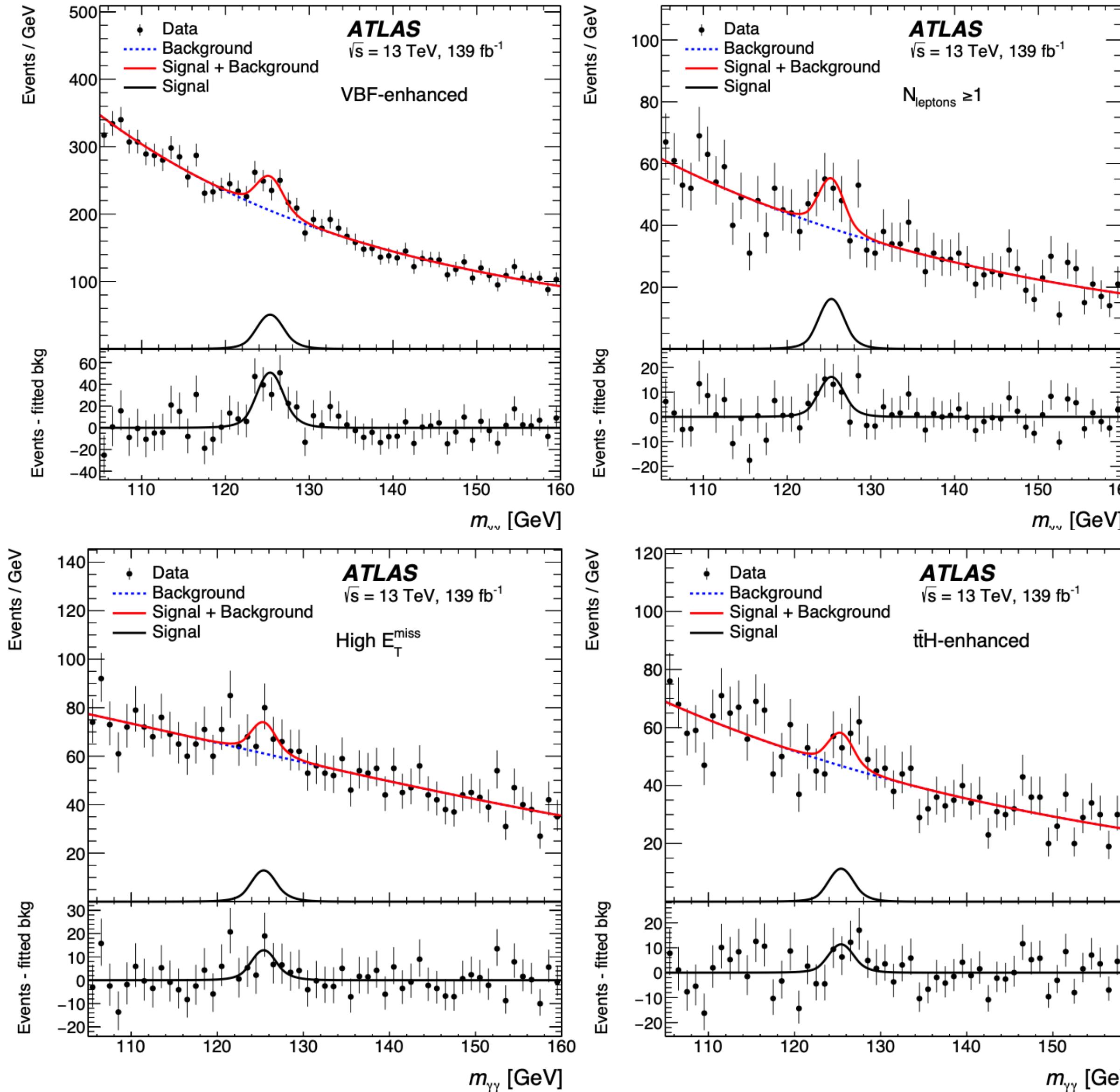
Binning choice for different observables

Variable	Bin Edges	N_{bins}
$p_T^{\gamma\gamma}$	0, 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 45, 60, 80, 100, 120, 140, 170, 200, 250, 300, 450, 650, 13000	20
$ y_{\gamma\gamma} $	0, 0.15, 0.3, 0.45, 0.6, 0.75, 0.9, 1.2, 1.6, 2.0, 2.5	10
$p_T^{\gamma 1}/m_{\gamma\gamma}$	0.35, 0.45, 0.5, 0.55, 0.6, 0.65, 0.75, 0.85, 0.95, 10	9
$p_T^{\gamma 2}/m_{\gamma\gamma}$	0.25, 0.35, 0.4, 0.45, 0.5, 0.55, 0.65, 0.75, 0.85, 10	9
N_{jets}	0, 1, 2, ≥ 3	4
$N_{b\text{-jets}}$	$N_{\text{jets}}^{\text{central}} = 0$ or $N_{\text{lep}} > 0$, $N_{b\text{-jets}} = 0$, ≥ 1	3
$p_T^{j_1}$	30, 60, 90, 120, 350, 13000	5
H_T	30, 60, 140, 200, 500, 13000	5
$p_T^{\gamma\gamma j}$	0, 30, 60, 120, 13000	4
$m_{\gamma\gamma j}$	120, 220, 300, 400, 600, 900, 13000	6
$\tau_{C,j1}$	0, 5, 15, 25, 40, 13000	5
$\sum \tau_{C,j}$	5, 15, 25, 40, 80, 13000	5
$p_T^{\gamma\gamma, \text{jet veto 30 GeV}}$	0, 5, 10, 15, 20, 30, 40, 50, 100, 13000	9
$p_T^{\gamma\gamma, \text{jet veto 40 GeV}}$	0, 5, 10, 15, 20, 30, 40, 50, 60, 100, 13000	10
$p_T^{\gamma\gamma, \text{jet veto 50 GeV}}$	0, 5, 10, 15, 20, 30, 40, 50, 60, 70, 100, 13000	11
$p_T^{\gamma\gamma, \text{jet veto 60 GeV}}$	0, 5, 10, 15, 20, 30, 40, 50, 60, 70, 80, 100, 13000	12
m_{jj}	0, 120, 450, 3000, 13000	4
$\Delta\phi_{jj}$	$-\pi, -\frac{\pi}{2}, 0, \frac{\pi}{2}, \pi$	4
$\pi - \Delta\phi_{\gamma\gamma,jj} $	0, 0.15, 0.65, π	3
$p_{T,\gamma\gamma jj}$	0, 30, 60, 120, 13000	4
VBF-enhanced: $p_T^{j_1}$	30, 120, 13000	2
VBF-enhanced: $\Delta\phi_{jj}$	$-\pi, -\frac{\pi}{2}, 0, \frac{\pi}{2}, \pi$	4
VBF-enhanced: $ \eta^* $	0, 1, 2, 10	3
VBF-enhanced: $p_{T,\gamma\gamma jj}$	0, 30, 13000	2

Binning choice for different observables

Variable	Bin Edges	N_{bins}
$p_T^{\gamma\gamma}$ vs $ y_{\gamma\gamma} $	$0.0 < y_{\gamma\gamma} < 0.5$	12
	$0.5 < y_{\gamma\gamma} < 1.0$	
	$1.0 < y_{\gamma\gamma} < 1.5$	
	$1.5 < y_{\gamma\gamma} < 2.5$	
$(p_T^{\gamma 1} + p_T^{\gamma 2})/m_{\gamma\gamma}$ vs $(p_T^{\gamma 1} - p_T^{\gamma 2})/m_{\gamma\gamma}$	$0.6 < (p_T^{\gamma 1} + p_T^{\gamma 2})/m_{\gamma\gamma} \leq 0.8$	8
	$0.8 < (p_T^{\gamma 1} + p_T^{\gamma 2})/m_{\gamma\gamma} \leq 1.1$	
	$1.1 < (p_T^{\gamma 1} + p_T^{\gamma 2})/m_{\gamma\gamma} \leq 4$	
$p_T^{\gamma\gamma}$ vs $p_T^{\gamma\gamma j}$	$N_{\text{jets}} = 0$	9
	$0 < p_T^{\gamma\gamma j} \leq 30$	
	$30 < p_T^{\gamma\gamma j} \leq 60$	
	$60 < p_T^{\gamma\gamma j} \leq 350$	
$p_T^{\gamma\gamma}$ vs $\tau_{C,j1}$	$N_{\text{jets}} = 0$	9
	$0 < \tau_{C,j1} \leq 15$	
	$15 < \tau_{C,j1} \leq 25$	
	$25 < \tau_{C,j1} \leq 40$	
VBF-enhanced: $p_T^{j_1}$ vs $\Delta\phi_{jj}$	$-\pi < \Delta\phi_{jj} < 0$	4
	$0 < \Delta\phi_{jj} < \pi$	

S+B fits to $m_{\gamma\gamma}$ in different fiducial regions

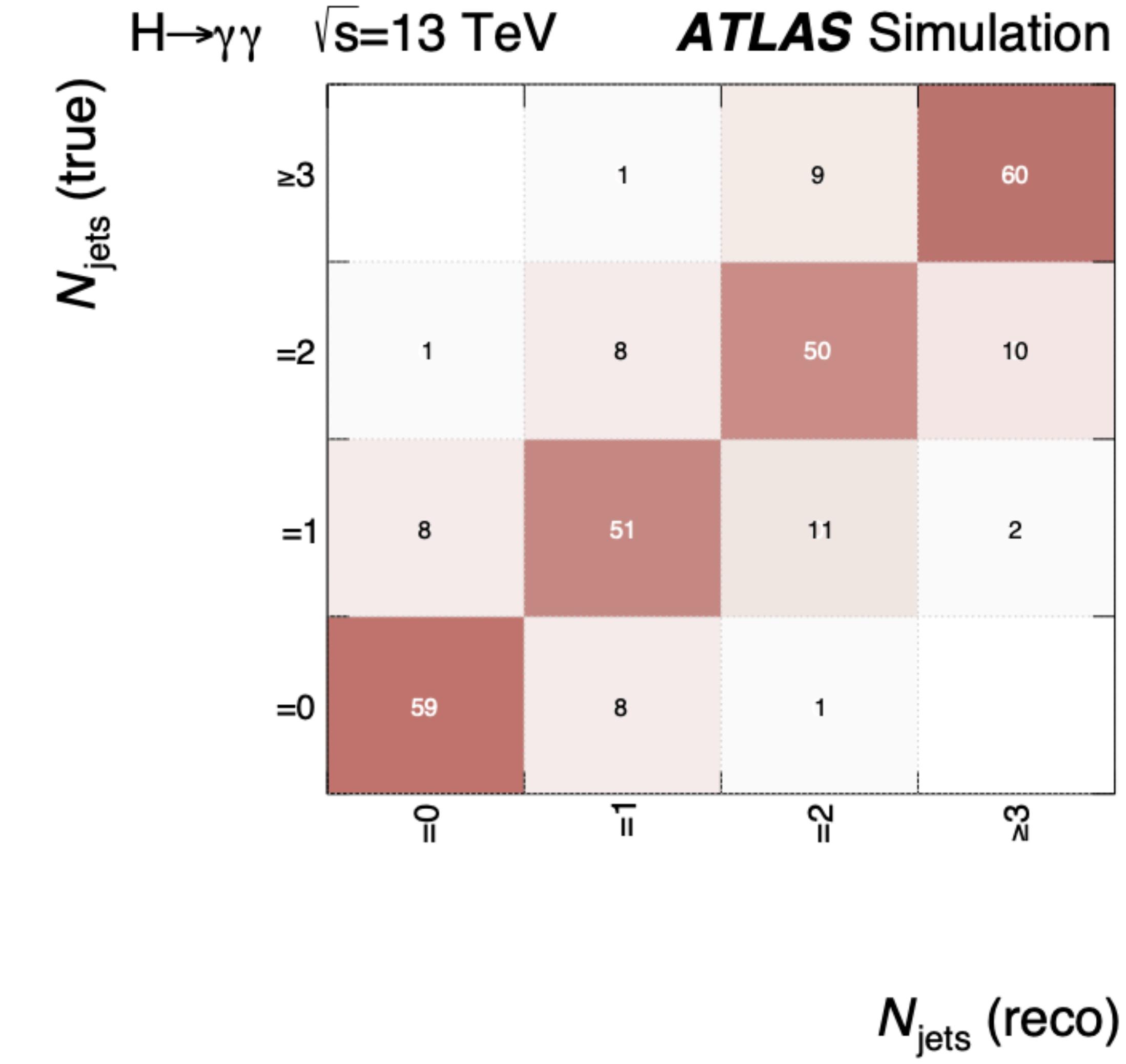
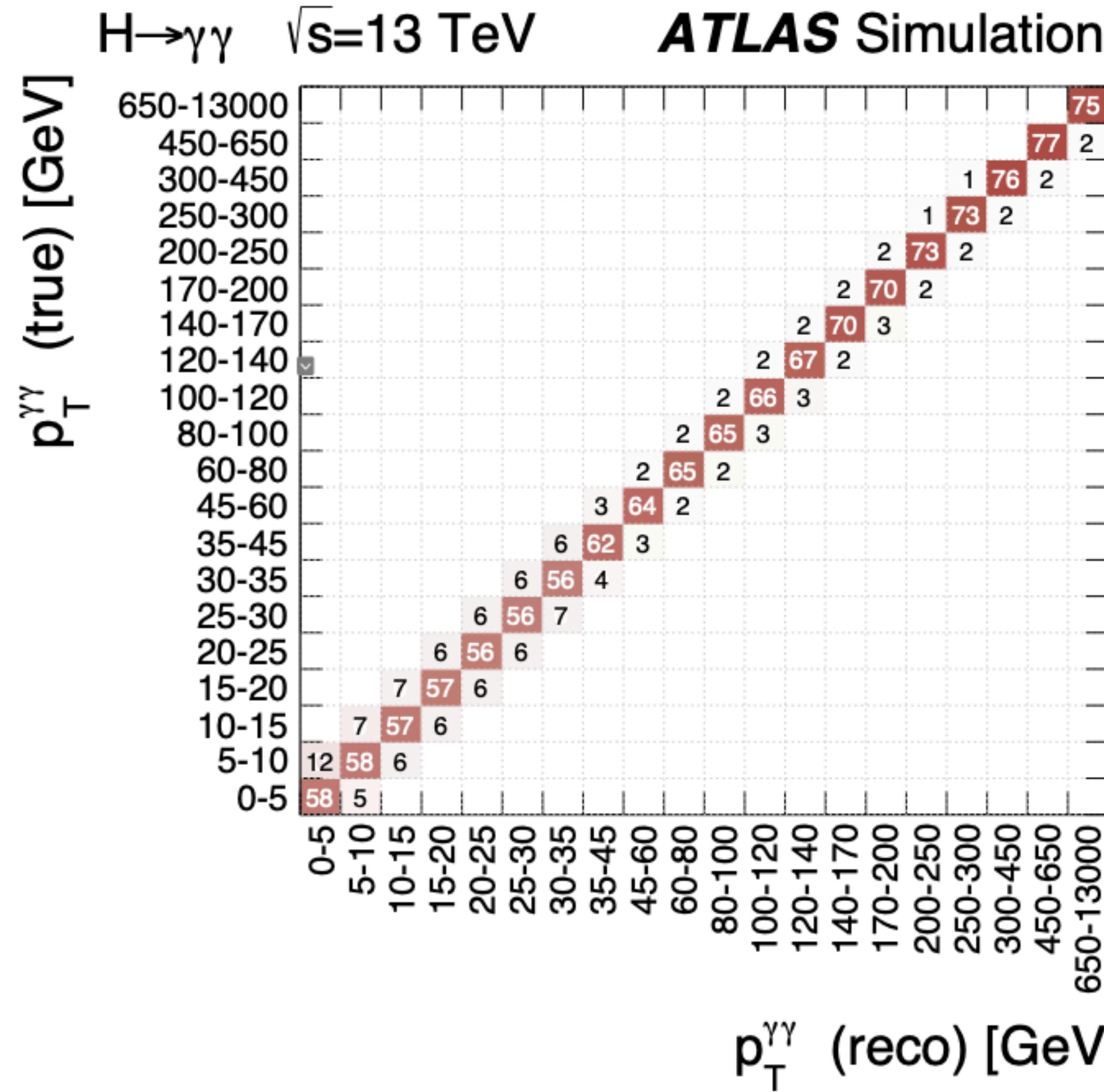


χ^2 test is used to evaluate the p-value compatibility between the measurements and SM predictions

Fiducial region	Measured [fb]			SM prediction [fb]	95% CL _s upper limit [fb]	<i>p</i> -value			
	\pm	stat	\pm	sys					
Diphoton	67	\pm	5	\pm	4	64	\pm 4	-	69%
VBF-enhanced	1.8	\pm	0.5	\pm	0.3	1.53	\pm 0.10	-	64%
$N_{\text{lepton}} \geq 1$	0.81	\pm	0.23	\pm	0.06	0.59	\pm 0.03	-	36%
High E_T^{miss}	0.28	\pm	0.27	\pm	0.07	0.302	\pm 0.017	0.85	93%
$t\bar{t}H$ -enhanced	0.53	\pm	0.27	\pm	0.06	0.60	\pm 0.05	1.13	79%
Total	132	\pm	10	\pm	8	126	\pm 7	-	69%

χ^2 computation includes full uncertainties in fitted cross-section and theory uncertainties from SM predictions

Response matrices for $p_T^{\gamma\gamma}$ and N_{jets} bins



p-values: measured/predicted cross-sections

Variable	p-value										
	default	RadISH NNLOJET	NNLOJet	STWZ BLPTW	MATRIX	SHERPA	GoSAM	SCETLIB	TAUC	ResBos2	PROVBF
$p_T^{\gamma 1}/m_{\gamma\gamma}$	56%	—	—	—	—	—	—	58%	—	32%	—
$p_T^{\gamma 2}/m_{\gamma\gamma}$	93%	—	—	—	—	—	—	49%	—	2%	—
$p_T^{\gamma\gamma}$	86%	68%	—	—	—	—	—	78%	—	54%	—
$ y_{\gamma\gamma} $	76%	—	—	—	—	—	—	78%	—	66%	—
$p_T^{j_1}$	78%	77%	—	—	—	47%	—	48%	—	38%	—
N_{jets}	95%	—	90%	56%	—	59%	84%	—	—	—	—
$N_{b\text{-jets}}$	60%	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
$p_T^{\gamma\gamma j}$	81%	—	—	—	—	68%	—	—	—	78%	—
$m_{\gamma\gamma j}$	95%	—	—	—	—	95%	—	—	—	—	—
$\tau_{C,j1}$	27%	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	11%	13%	—
$\sum \tau_{C,j}$	39%	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
H_T	46%	—	—	—	—	51%	—	—	—	—	—
m_{jj}	79%	—	—	—	—	81%	—	—	—	—	—
$\Delta\phi_{jj}$	91%	—	—	—	—	95%	—	—	—	—	—
$ \Delta\phi_{\gamma\gamma,jj} $	83%	—	—	—	—	88%	—	—	—	—	—
$p_{T,\gamma\gamma jj}$	99%	—	—	—	—	100%	—	—	—	—	—
$p_T^{\gamma\gamma}$ jetveto 30 GeV	84%	—	—	—	83%	—	—	—	—	83%	—
$p_T^{\gamma\gamma}$ jetveto 40 GeV	95%	—	—	—	45%	—	—	—	—	83%	—
$p_T^{\gamma\gamma}$ jetveto 50 GeV	88%	—	—	—	35%	—	—	—	—	30%	—
$p_T^{\gamma\gamma}$ jetveto 60 GeV	67%	—	—	—	52%	—	—	—	—	42%	—
$p_T^{\gamma\gamma}$ vs $ y_{\gamma\gamma} $	75%	—	—	—	—	—	78%	—	—	—	—
$p_T^{\gamma\gamma}$ vs $\tau_{C,j1}$	39%	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
$p_T^{\gamma\gamma}$ vs $p_T^{\gamma\gamma j}$	96%	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
$(p_T^{\gamma 1} - p_T^{\gamma 2})/m_{\gamma\gamma}$ vs $(p_T^{\gamma 1} + p_T^{\gamma 2})/m_{\gamma\gamma}$	81%	—	—	—	—	—	77%	—	—	—	—
VBF $ \eta^* $	94%	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	70%
VBF $\Delta\phi_{jj}$	68%	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	65%
VBF $p_T^{j_1}$	77%	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	70%
VBF $p_{T,\gamma\gamma jj}$	89%	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	74%
VBF $p_T^{j_1}$ vs $\Delta\phi_{jj}$	76%	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	74%