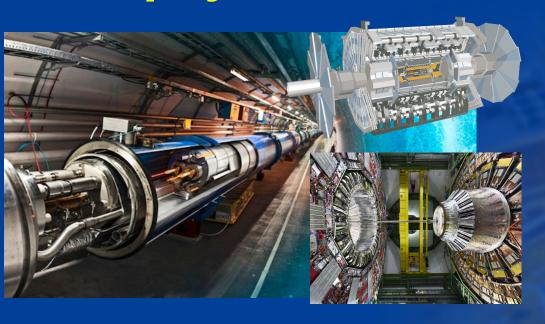






New physics searches at the LHC



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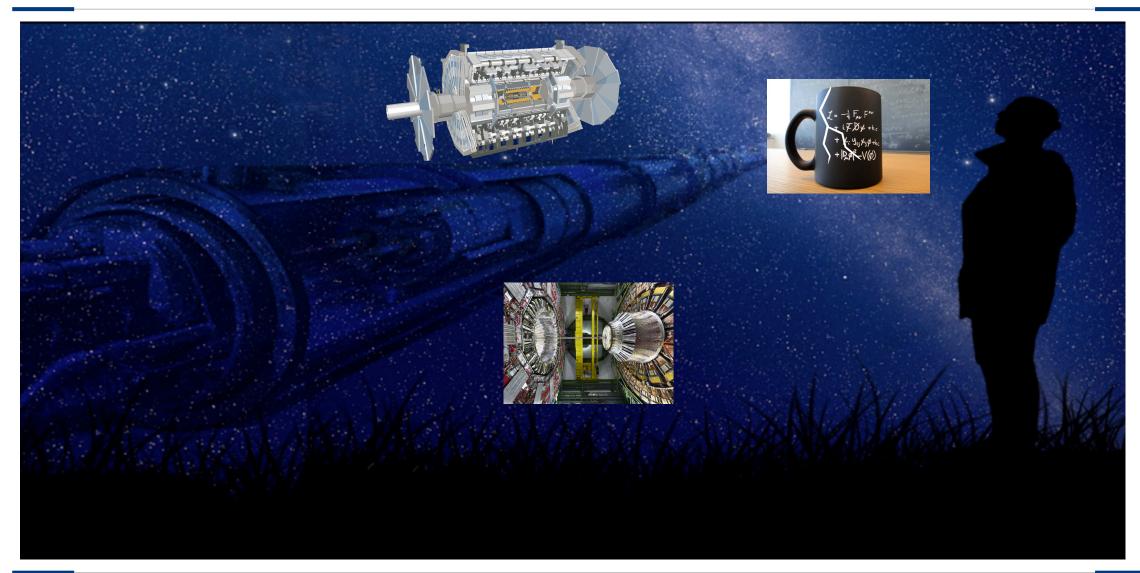
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27th Mini-workshop on the frontier of LHC @ SYSU, Zhuhai



LHC primary goals: looking into the "unknowns"

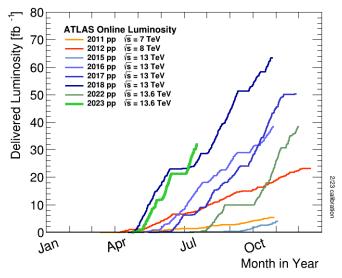


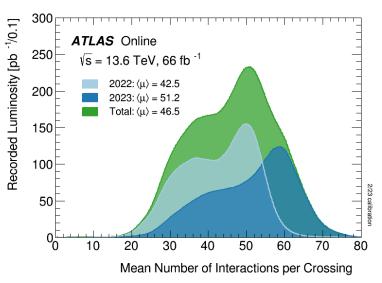


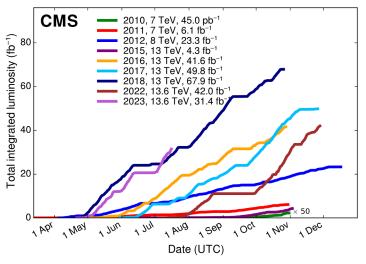
ATLAS and CMS Data Taking

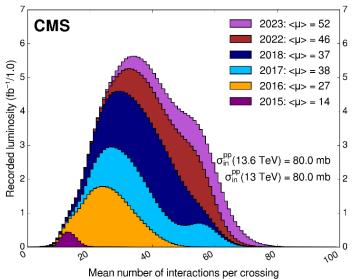


- Run2 legacy @ 13 TeV:
 ATLAS and CMS recorded ~140fb⁻¹ independent dataset of pp collisions
- RUN3 DATA taking status
 - ~70 fb⁻¹ is already delivered @ 13.6
 TeV during the RUN3
 - >60 fb⁻¹ is recorded by both ATLAS and CMS
 - data-taking efficiency >90% "good for physics"
 - number of pp interactions per beam crossing (Pile-Up): $\langle \mu \rangle > 50$ for 2023
- >250 fb⁻¹ expected @ 13.6 TeV
- \sim 450 fb⁻¹ in total for RUN1/2/3





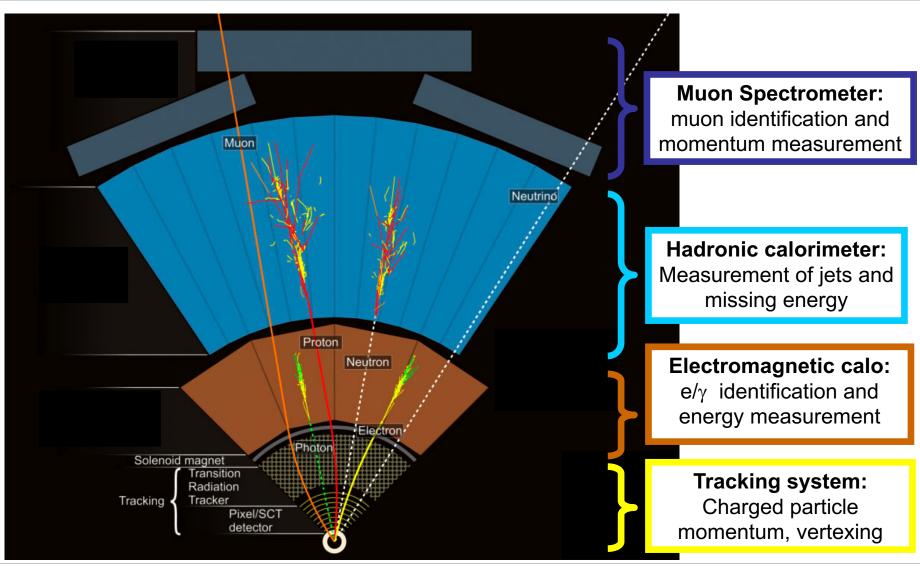






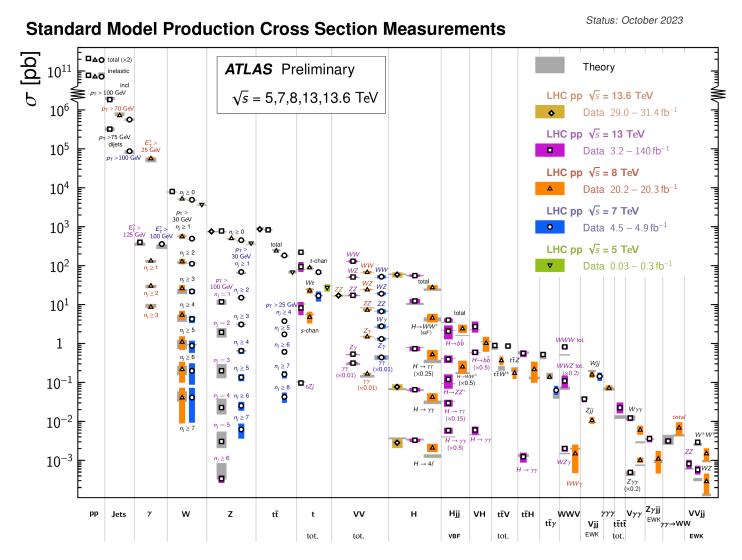
Particle Detection Potential





Standard Model measured with unprecedented precision







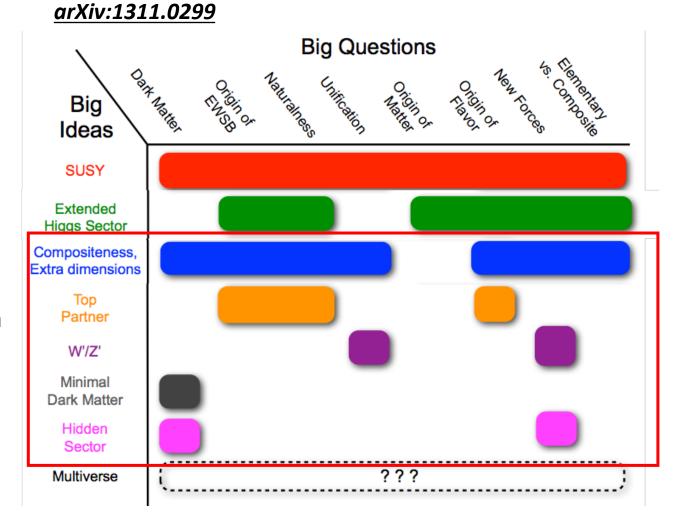
BSM searches targeting big questions



"Exotic" basically cover the searches of any BSM new physics signatures at ATLAS, except: SUSY

Big questions request a better and bigger ideas, as well as broader analysis topics at the TeV scale hadron colliders to explore the new phenomena of the "unknowns"

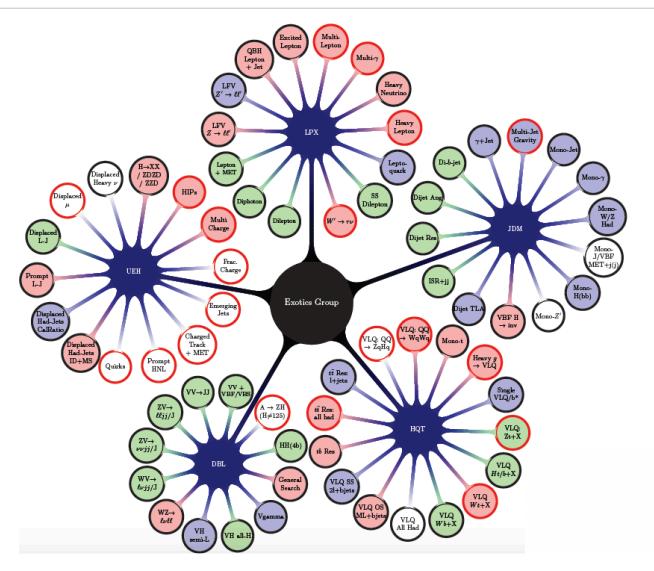
- ✓ Model guidance
- √ Signature driven
- ✓ Benchmark model interpretation



BSM search program at LHC (ATLAS) in a nutshell



- Apology for not covering everything, only selected and recent topics are presented from ATLAS+CMS
- Separate talks for indirect search w/ SM precision measurements and dedicated searches with flavor physics and SUSY, and for LHCb/ALICE/...





PART 01

Resonance searches

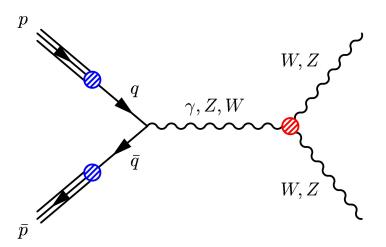
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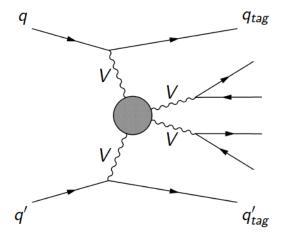
Why resonance searches

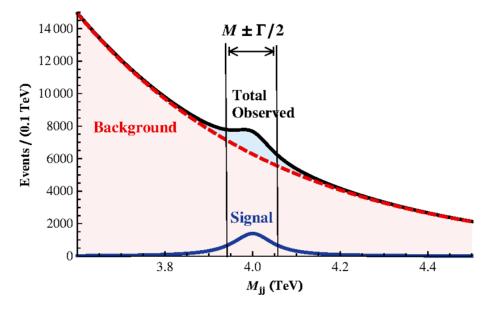


Two general ways:

- Direct search of new particles
- New interactions of known particles of SM
 - anomalous coupling
 - Effective field theory approach
 - Non-resonant interpretations





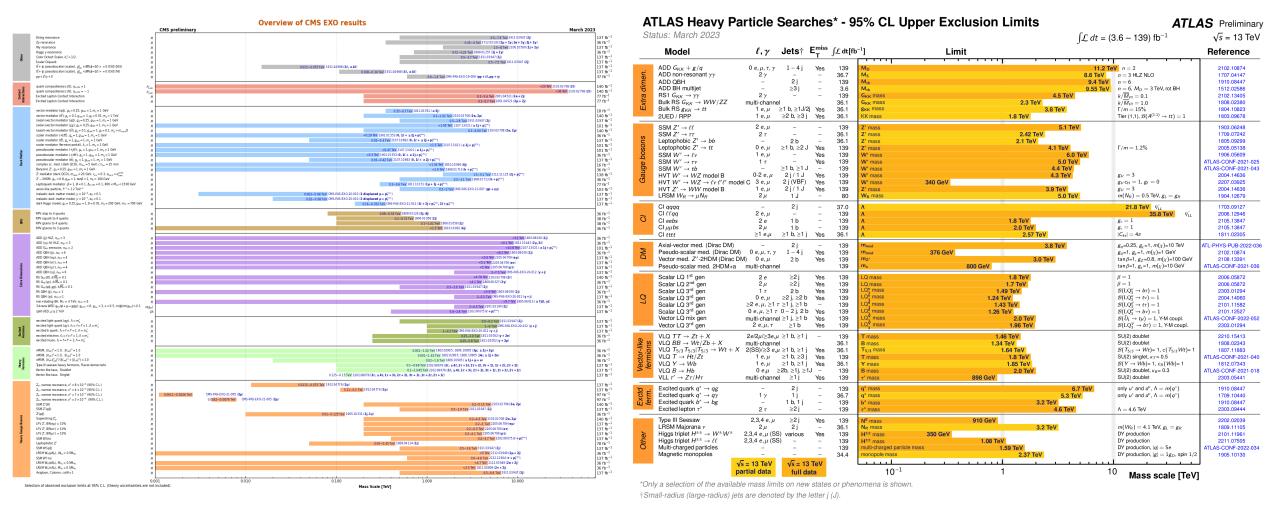


Heavy Resonance signatures

- Motivated by extended gauge models, extra dimensions, extra Higgs-like scalars, technicolor, ...
- dileptons, dijets, diphotons, ttbar, W/Z→lep/jets

Direct searches at LHC





https://twiki.cern.ch/twiki/bin/view/CMSPublic/SummaryPlotsEXO13TeV https://twiki.cern.ch/twiki/bin/view/AtlasPublic/ExoticsPublicResults

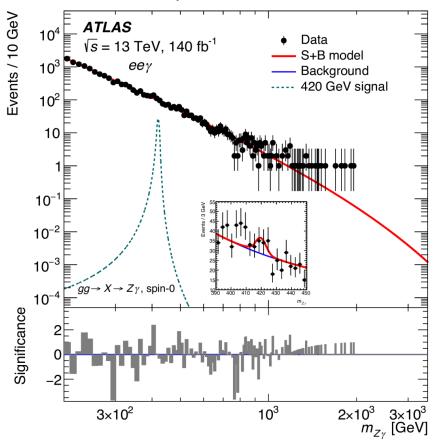


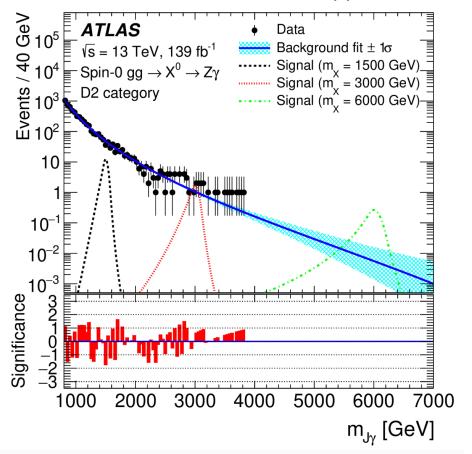
$X \rightarrow Z\gamma$ searches (Example)

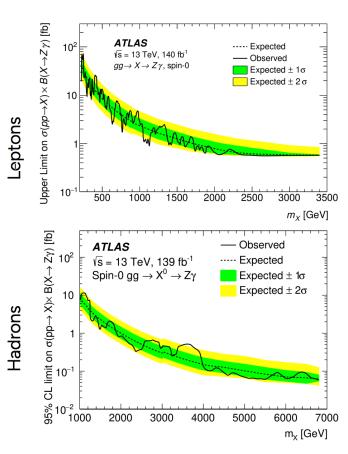




- Survey high mass signatures with $X \rightarrow Z\gamma$ via both leptonic decays and hadron decays
- Examine Spin-0/2 hypothesis, and both gg and qq-initiate production modes
- Accomplish full exclusion limits from 100GeV ~ 7 TeV, narrow width approximation





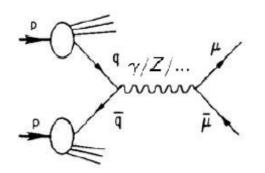


Heavy resonance search to probe BSM heavy boson signatures

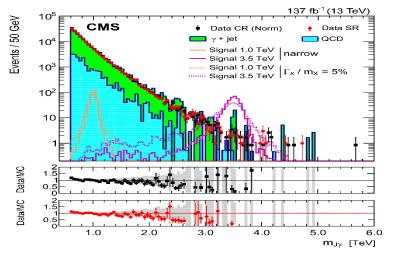
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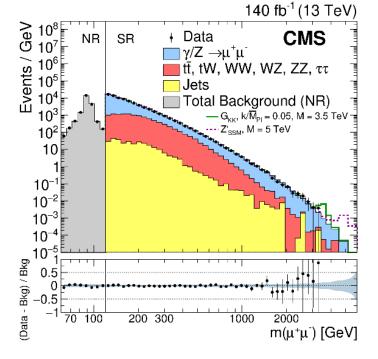


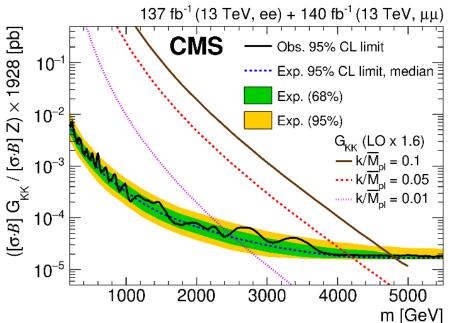
BSM new Physics contributions to SM processes via Z'/Z_{KK}/G_{KK} hypothesis

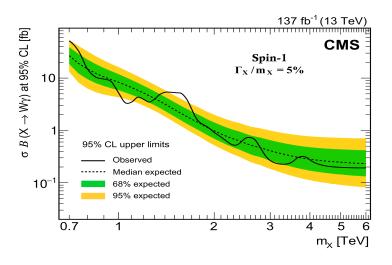


X→Wγ heavy resonance searches with Heavy Vector Triplet model



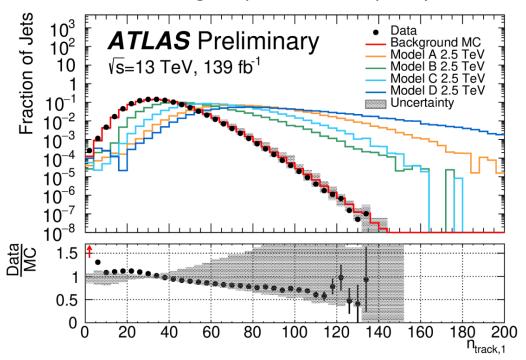




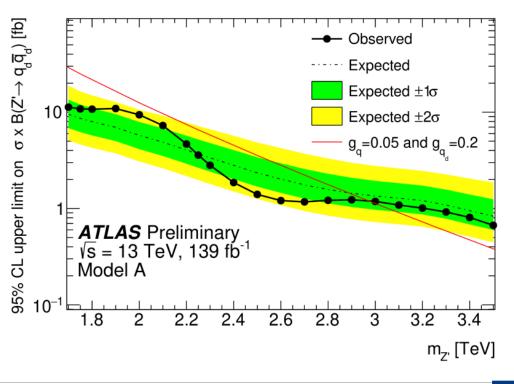




- Dark QCD sector hadronizing to dark hadrons (DM candidates) decaying into semi-visible jets, emerging jets,...
 - $Z' \rightarrow q_d q_d^-$
 - Wider jets due to SM and Dark hadronic components
 - Jets with higher particle multiplicity



- Bump hunt in the invariant mass spectrum of the two large-R jet system
- Analysis probes 1.3 TeV < m_{JJ} < 4.8 TeV

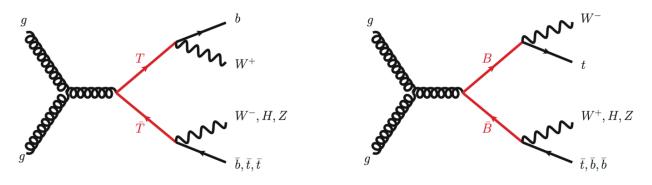


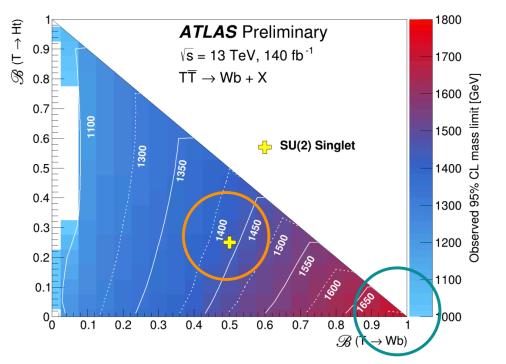
Vector Like Quarks





- Postulated as isospin singlets, doublets or triplets $(T^{2/3}, B^{-1/3}, X^{5/3}, Y^{-4/3})$
 - Pair production by strong interaction dominates for < 1TeV
 - Single production via EWK vertices, significant at high mass, scales with couplings to SM and multiplet model
- VLQs assumed to decay to 3rd generation SM quarks via charged and neutral currents but BR not fixed by theory regulated by parameters dependent on multiplet model
- All possible VLQ decays searched in many final states

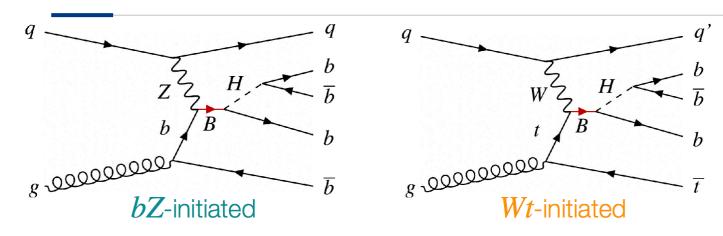




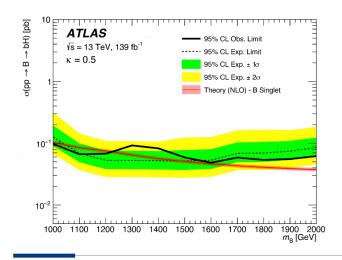
Vector-like B → bH(bb)

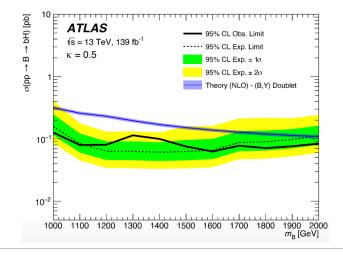
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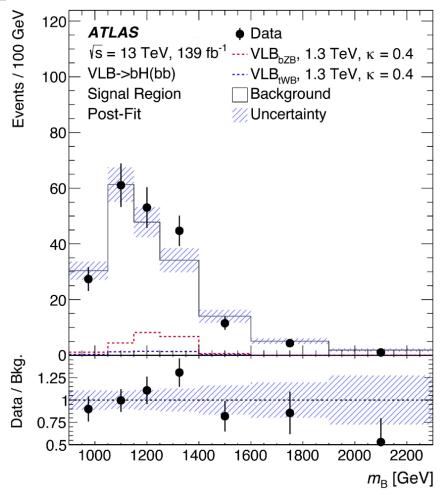




bZ-initiated: dominant for singlet model initiated diagram Wt-initiated: forbidden for (B, Y) doublet (ξ_W =0)

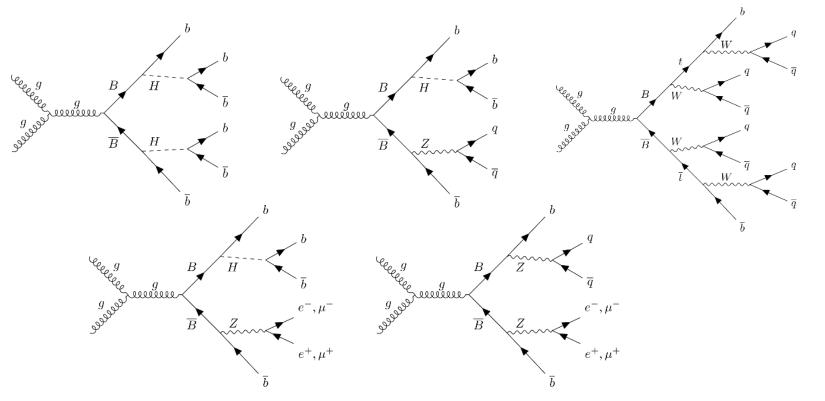


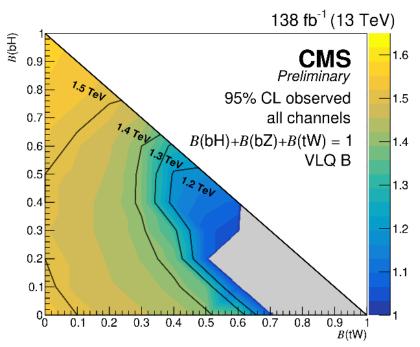




Reconstructed with large radius H(bb)-jets plus b-jets



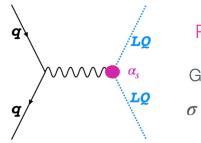




- Search for a pair of bottom-type vector-like quarks: $VLQ \rightarrow b + H/Z$, t + W
- both fully hadronic final states and those containing a lepton pair from a Z boson decay
- hadronic decays can be resolved as two distinct jets or merged into a single jet

Leptoquark searches

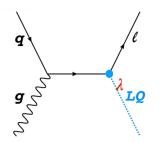




Pair Production

Governed by QCD

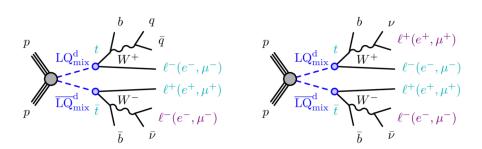
 σ depends on m_{LQ}

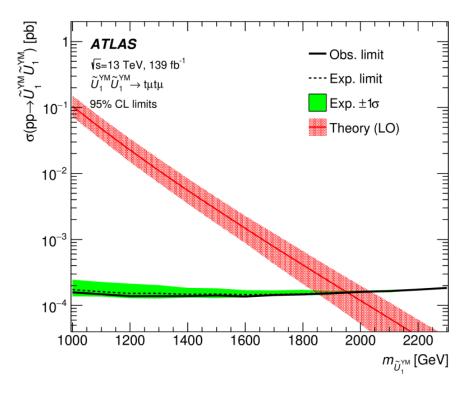


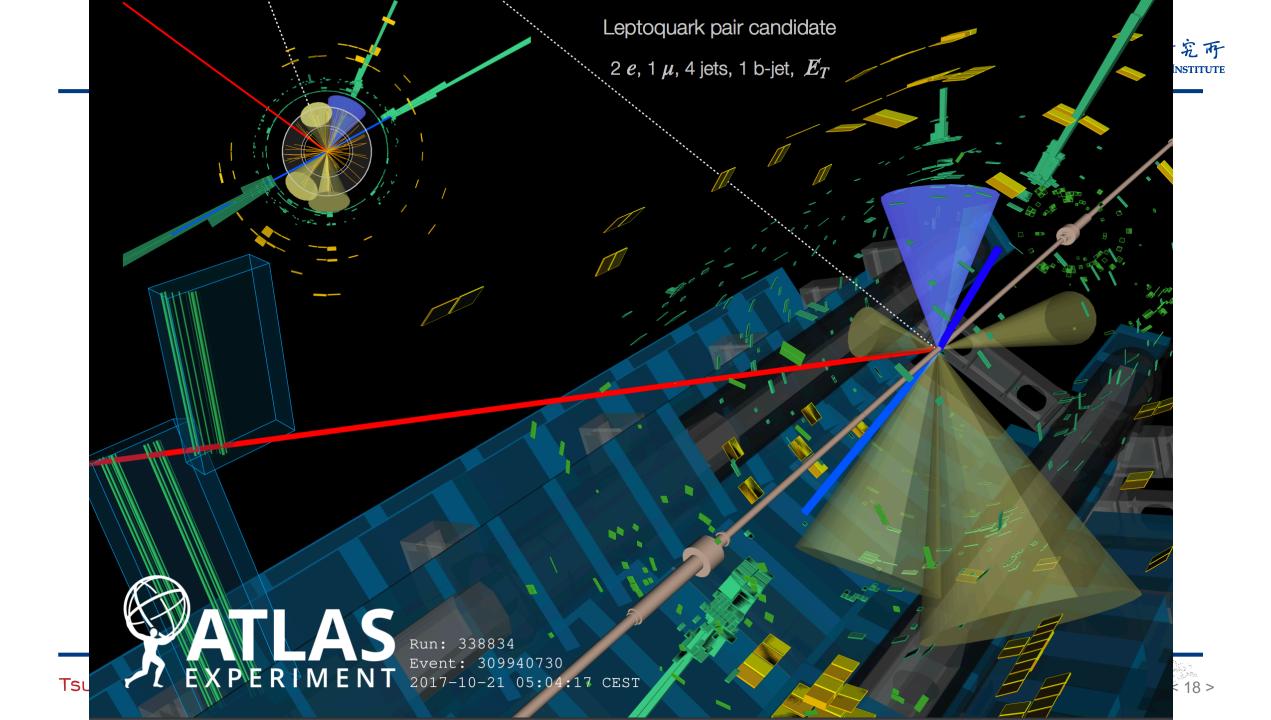
Single production

 σ proportional to λ^2

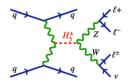
- Color-triplet scalar or vector bosons with lepton and baryon number
- Couple SM quarks and leptons directly through Yukawa λ interaction and can mediate lepton-flavor violation
- Can explain B-anomalies and anomalous muon dipole moment $g_{\mu}\text{--}2,$ present in GUTs
- Rich phenomenology and many searches depending on decay diversities
- Broad program of searches for pair production, single production starting to be searched too





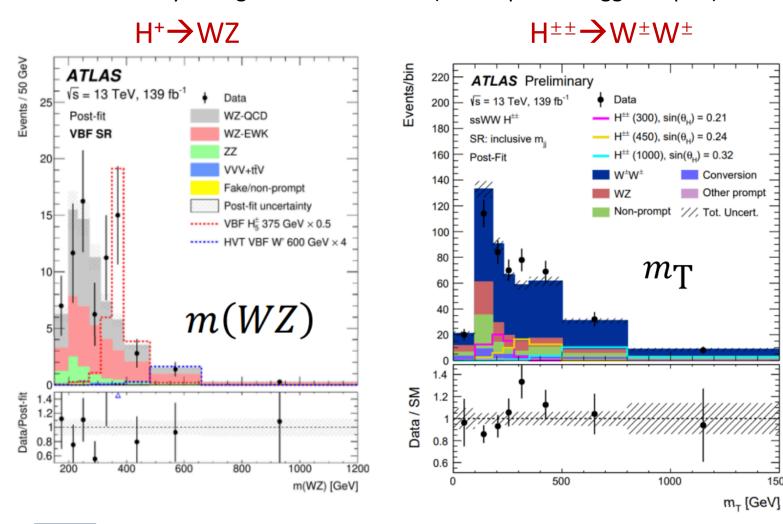


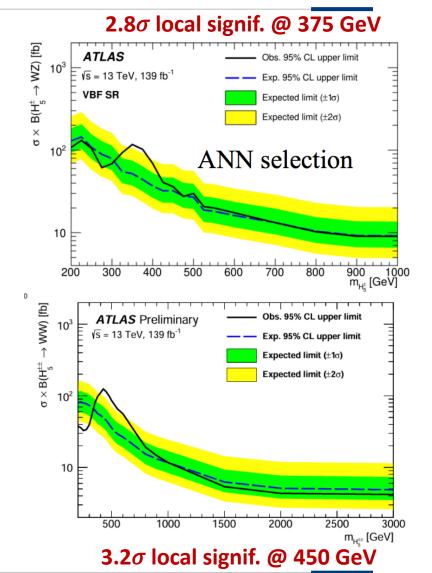
(Doubley-)charged Higgs searches





Motivated by Georgi-Machacek model (Fermiophobic Higgs fiveplet)





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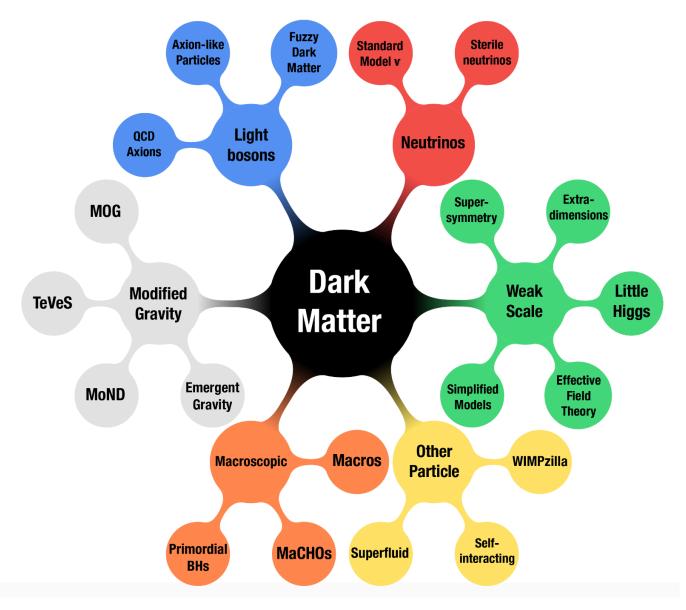
PART 02

Dark Matter Searches

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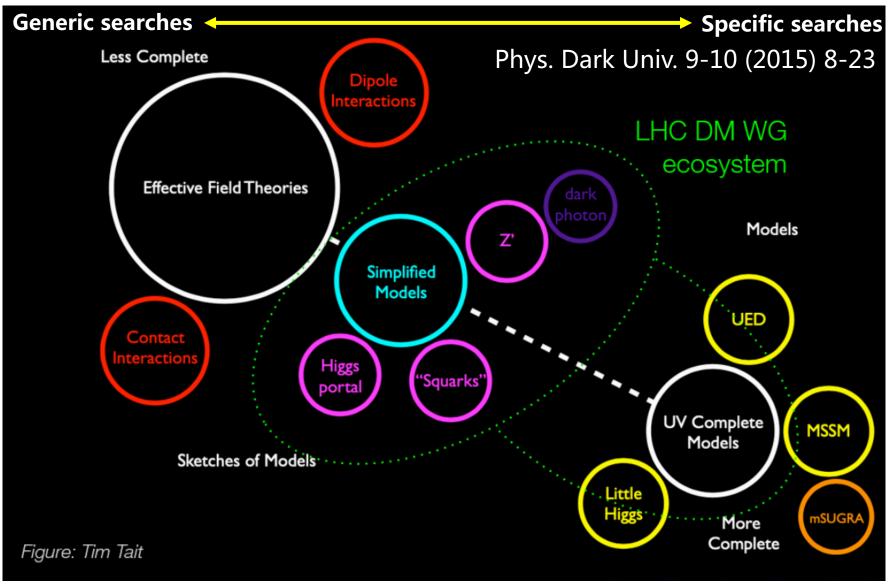
Frontiers that DM can reach out





Dark Matter Models for LHC





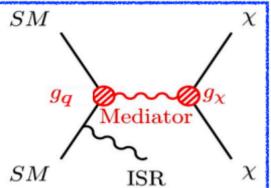
Dark Matter Search programs at LHC

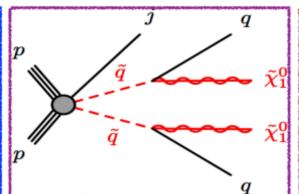


Simplified models

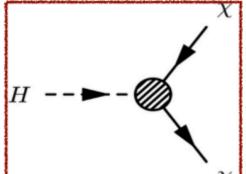
Higgs portal

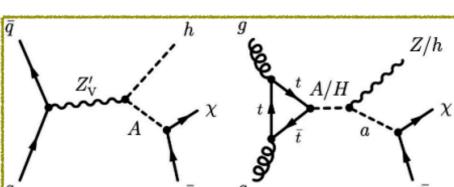






SUSY





Extended Higgs sector

SM-DM boson mediator:

- •Spin-0: Scalar (S) or pseudo-scalar (a)
- •Spin-1: Vector (V/Z') or axialvector (A)
- Minimal set of parameters:

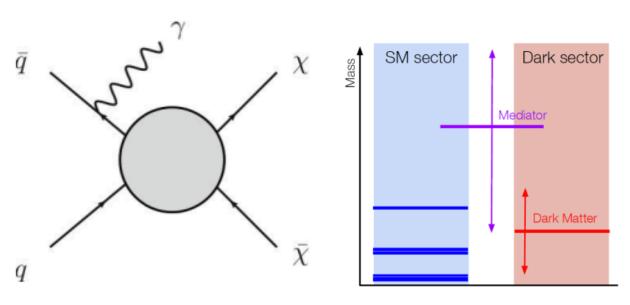
 M_{χ} , $M_{mediator}$, g_{χ} , g_{q} , g_{ℓ}

- Provides good candidate for DM
- R-parity conservation
- •Lightest supersymmetric Particle (LSP)
- Model-dependent limit on DM candidate

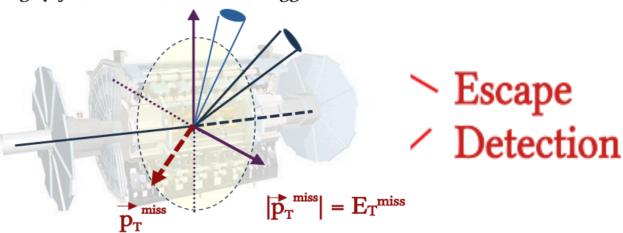
- Higgs boson mediates DM-SM interaction:
 - $H \rightarrow invisible$
- Parameters: m_{γ} , χ spin
- More complete models (more free parameters and better sensitivity) involving several Higgslike (or scalar) bosons: 2HDMa, Dark Higgs, ...

S-channel Mediator Simplified Models





DM produced together with a visible object e.g. γ, jet, Z-boson, W-boson, Higgs-boson



Missing transverse momentum inferred from momentum conservation

Simplified model:

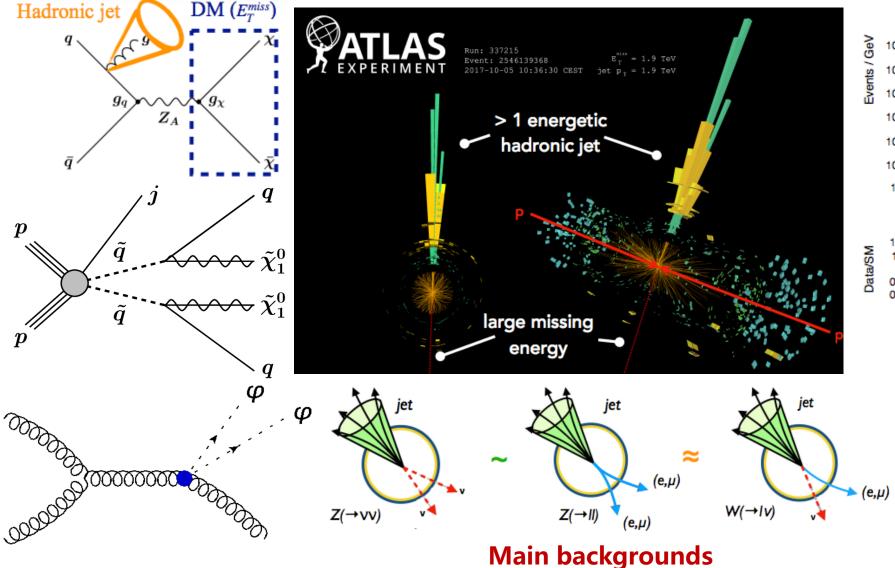
- Starting point to build complete theories
- Colliders can search for the mediator directly
- Benchmark model @ Run II

Two complementary approaches:

- Look for DM mono-X signature
- Look for mediator resonance search

Mono-Jet search (Jet + E_T^{miss})





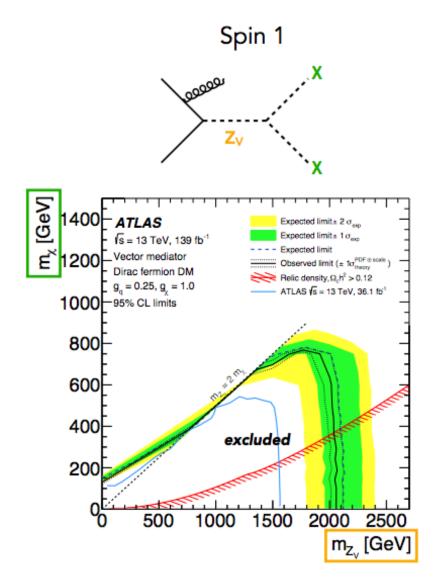
ATLAS √s = 13 TeV, 139 fb⁻¹ Standard Model w. unc Z(→ vv) + jets Signal Region VBF Z(→ II / vv) + jets p_(j_) > 150 GeV Multijet + NCB - · · - m(f, $\overline{\chi}^0$) = (600, 580) GeV - - m(χ, Z_z) = (1, 2000) GeV 10 ---- DE, M = 1486 GeV CATALOGUE CONTROL CONT 1200 p, [GeV] 1000 Signal region

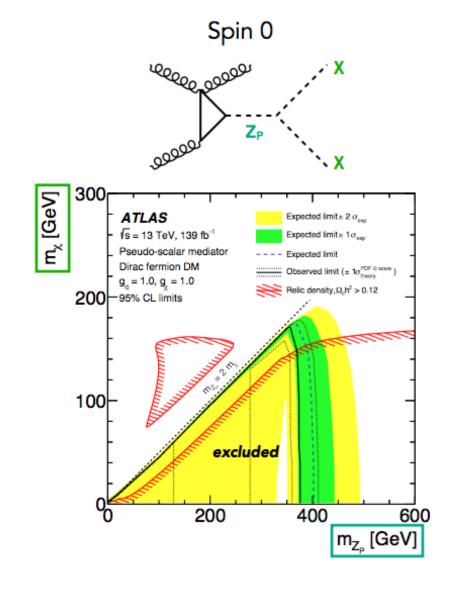
Diverse Interpretations

- Simplified Models:
 - Fix coupling; Fix ratio
- T-channel models
- Generic sensitivity
 - SUSY, leptoquarks, extra dimensions, ...

Mono-Jet search (Jet + E_T^{miss})



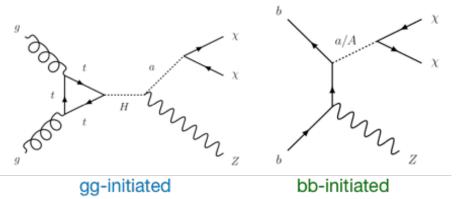




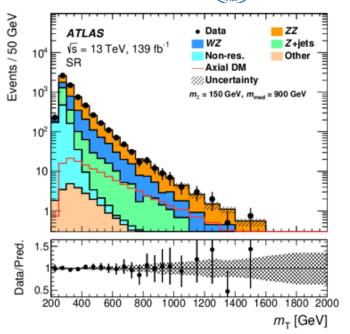
● E_T^{miss}+Z(II) signature

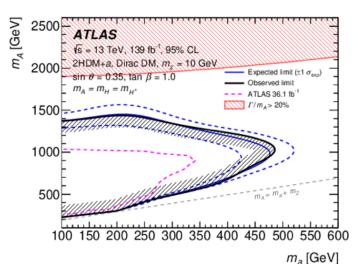
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- Signal region:
 - Z boson recoiling against large $E_{\rm T}^{
 m miss}$ > 90 GeV
 - Presence of a pair of high-p_T, same flavour, oppositely charged leptons with angular separation < 1.8
- Dominant bkgs ZZ, WZ and non-resonant bkgs estimated using 4I, 3I, and $e\mu$ Control Regions.
- Fit to data is performed on $m_{\rm T}^{\rm 1ep}$ (in SR and $e\mu$ CR) + $E_{\rm T}^{\rm miss}$ (in 4l and 3l CRs).



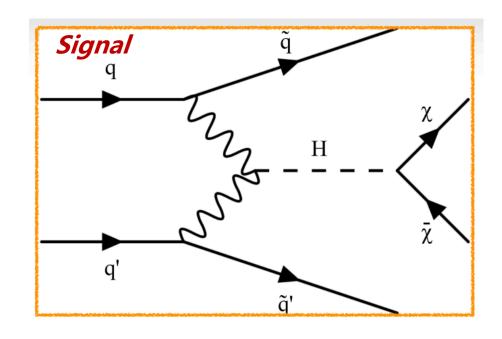






Higgs portal to DM: invisible decays

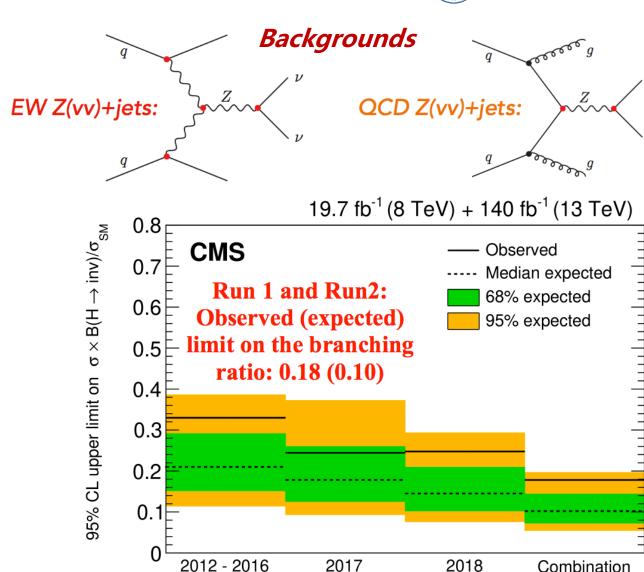




Observed Limit from the combination

$$\mathcal{B}(H \to inv) < 0.18 \, (0.12)$$
 at the 95% CL,

- Signature: Vector-Boson Fusion
- Two SR triggers:
 - MTR with missing momentum trigger
 - VTR with VBF jet trigger



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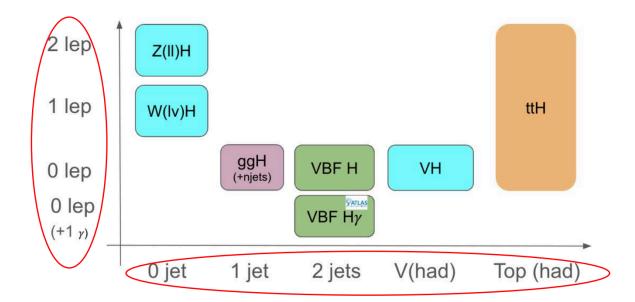
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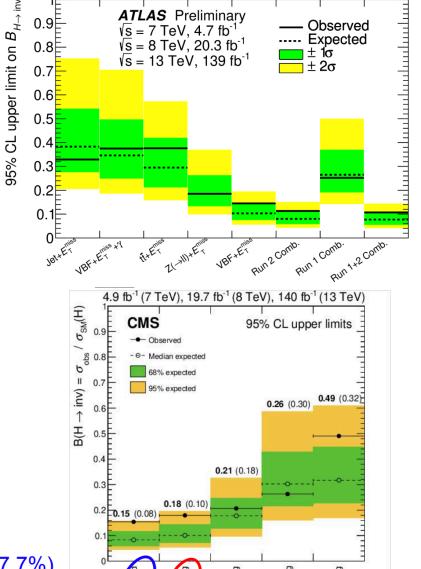
Higgs portal to DM: invisible decays

Analysis	Best fit $\mathcal{B}_{H o \mathrm{inv}}$	Observed 95% U.L.	Expected 95% U.L.
Run 2 Comb.	0.04 ± 0.04	0.113	$0.080^{+0.031}_{-0.022}$
Run 1 Comb.	$-0.02^{+0.14}_{-0.13}$	0.252	$0.265^{+0.105}_{-0.074}$
Run 1+2 Comb.	0.04 ± 0.04	0.107	$0.077^{+0.030}_{-0.022}$

- Z to W ratio predictions @NLO QCD, NLO EW -arXiv:2204.07652 - used to constrain Z+j with W+j
- Probing BR(H→ Inv) at 10% level



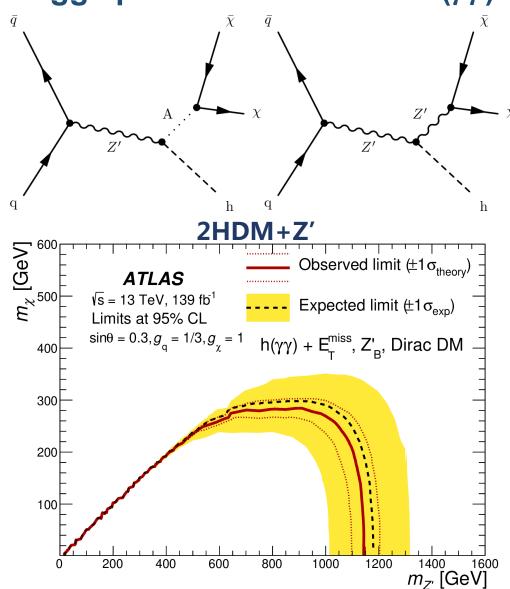
- Particle and Nuclear Physics Division 粒子与核物理研究部
- ATLAS B(H \rightarrow inv) 95% limit : 10.7% (7.7%)
- CMS B(H \rightarrow inv) 95% limit: 15% (8%)

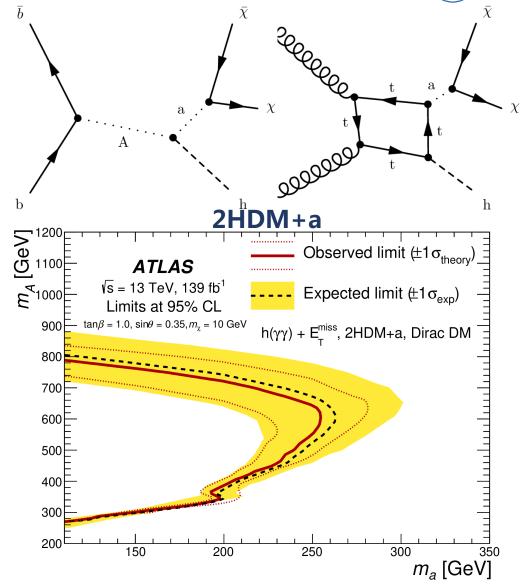


• Higgs portal to DM: Mono-H($\gamma\gamma$)











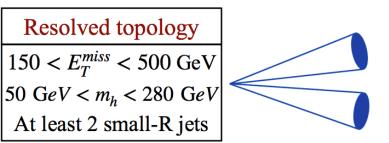
Higgs portal to DM: Mono-H(bb)

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Interpreted with 2HDM+Z',
 2HDM+a in both ggF and bbH.

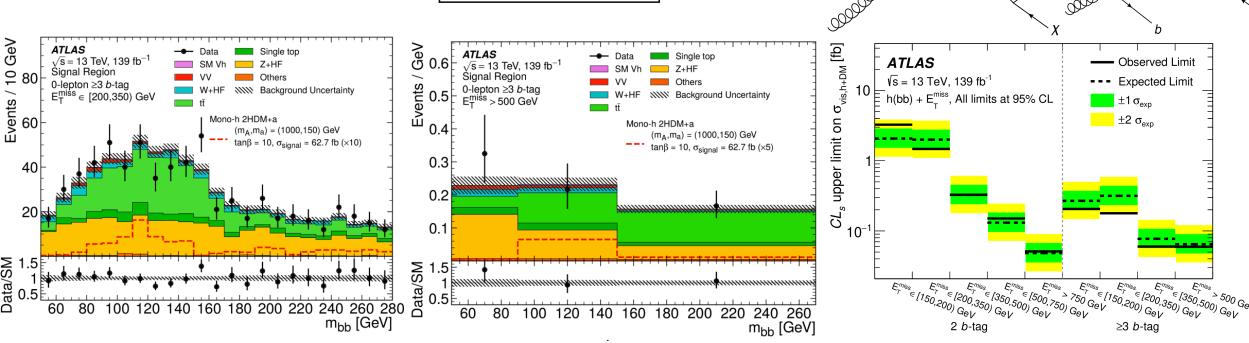
Also Model-independent upper limits on the visible cross-section



Merged topology

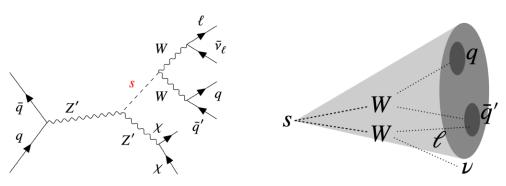
Emiss > 500 GeV

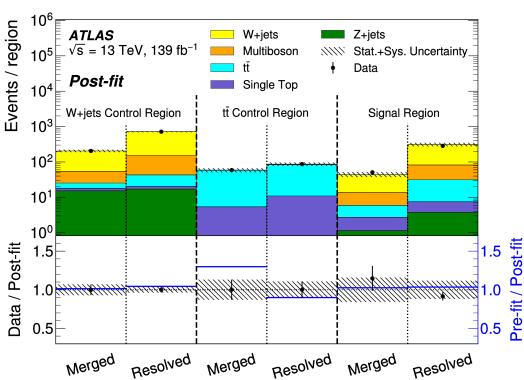
 $E_T^{miss} > 500 \text{ GeV}$ 50 GeV < m_h < 270 GeV At least 1 large-R jet



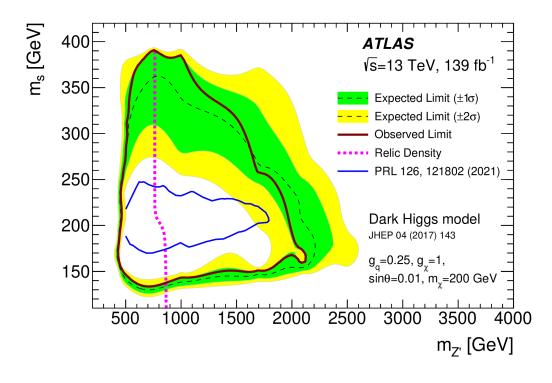
● Dark Higgs Search: s→WW semileptonic







- Two mediator model: Z' + Dark Higgs
- Utilize both resolved calorimeter-measured jet pair or merged from track-assisted reclustered jets
- Scenarios with dark Higgs boson masses ranging between 140 and 390 GeV are excluded.

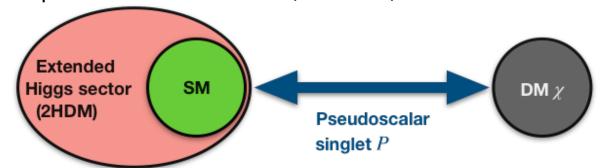




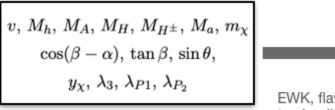
2HDM+a context



- One of the popular ATLAS DM benchmark context
 - Searches interpreted in Two-Higgs-Doublet Model plus a pseudo-scalar mediator (2HDM+a):
 - Minimal, UV-complete extension.
 - EWK Symmetry Breaking:
 - 5 Higgs: h, H, H[±], A
 - 1 light pseudo-scalar: a



2HDM+a fully defined by 14 parameters



EWK, flavour constraints and to simplify parameter space

5 unconstrained parameters

$$m_A=m_H=m_{H^\pm}$$
 m_a m_χ $\sin heta$ $\tan eta$

masses of heavy Higgs

mass of pseudo-scalar mediator

DM mass

mixing angle between CP-odd states a and A

ratio of 2 Higgs doublet VEVs

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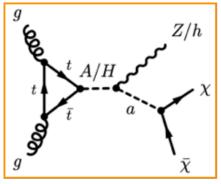
*h: SM-like CP-even Higgs with mass of 125 GeV



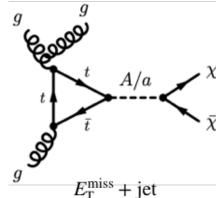
2HDM+a Experimental Signatures at ATLAS

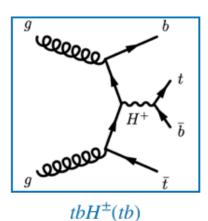


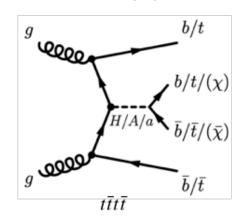
- 2HDM+a has rich phenomenology predicting wide range of signatures with both visible and invisible decays
 - resonantly production of E_T^{miss} + Z/h
 - additional (pseudo-)scalar bosons, e.g. tbH±(tb)
 - new signatures, e.g. E_T^{miss} +tW

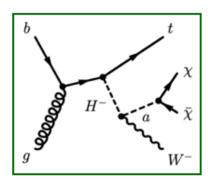


 $E_{\rm T}^{\rm miss} + Z/h$

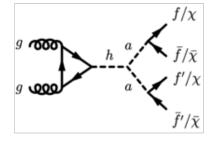








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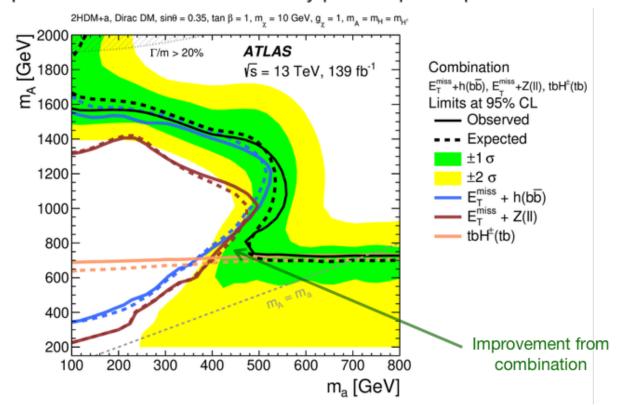


 $h \rightarrow aa \rightarrow 4f/h \rightarrow \text{invisible}$

Statistical Combination



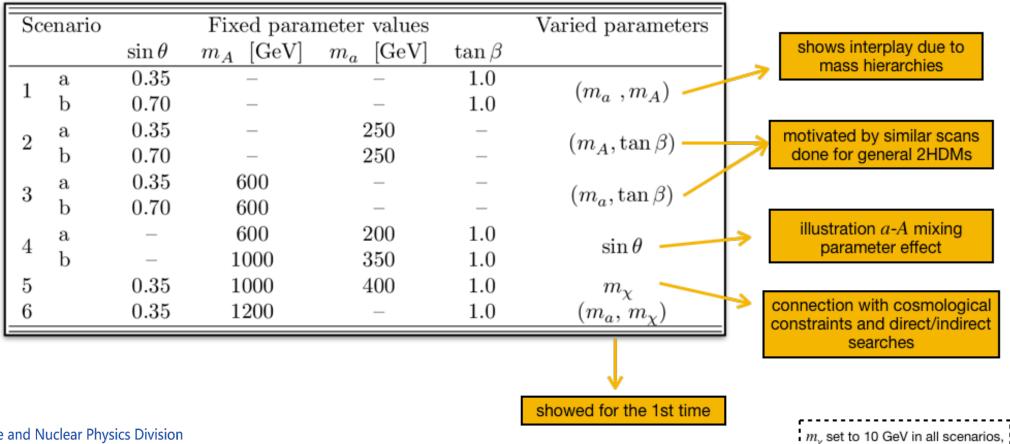
- $E_{\rm T}^{\rm miss} + h(bb)$, $E_{\rm T}^{\rm miss} + Z(ll)$ and $tbH^{\pm}(tb)$: Most constraining signatures of 2HDM+a.
 - $tbH^{\pm}(tb)$ gives significant complementarity to sensitivities of $E_{\mathrm{T}}^{\mathrm{miss}} + X$
 - stat. combination of 3 channels to maximize 2HDM+a constraints in parameter space.
- Combined exclusion limits obtained from profile likelihood ratio corresponding to 3-channel-combined likelihood.
- Decorrelate over-constrained/pulled uncertainties to avoid any phase-space-specific biases across channels.



Summary of constraints on 2HDM+a



- constraints on 2HDM+a interpreted in 6 benchmark scenarios.
 - highlight diverse phenomenology of 2HDM+a.
 - study the interplay and complementarities between different signatures.



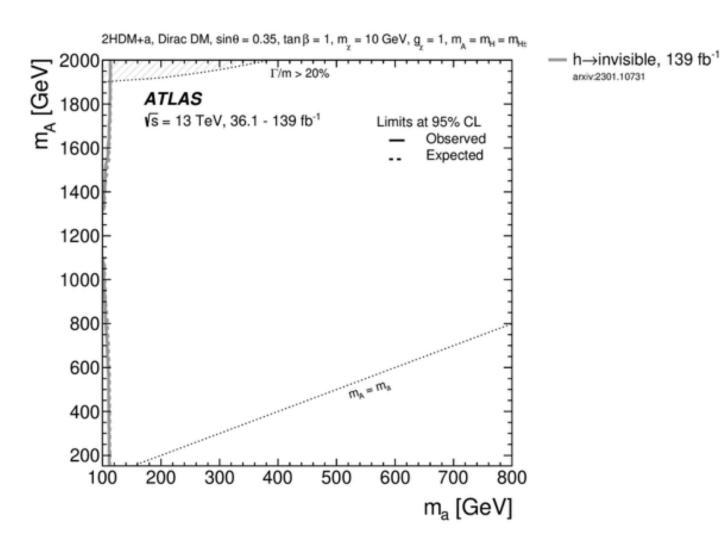
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Variety of searches interpreted in the context of different 2HDM+a benchmark scenarios

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Analysis/Scenario	/1a	1b	2a	2b	3a	3b	4a	4b	5	6
$E_{\mathrm{T}}^{\mathrm{miss}} + Z(\ell\ell)$ [74]	х	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	
$E_{\rm T}^{\rm miss} + h(b\bar{b}) \ [75]$	x	x	\mathbf{x}	\mathbf{x}	\mathbf{x}	\mathbf{x}	X	\mathbf{x}	X	x
$E_{\rm T}^{\rm miss} + h(\gamma\gamma)$ [84]	\mathbf{x}	x			\mathbf{x}	x	x	\mathbf{x}		
$E_{\mathrm{T}}^{\mathrm{miss}} + h(\tau\tau)$ [78]	\mathbf{x}			x						
$E_{\mathrm{T}}^{\mathrm{miss}} + tW$ [77]	\mathbf{x}	x	X	\mathbf{x}	\mathbf{x}	X	X	X		
$E_{\rm T}^{\rm miss} + j \ [45]$	\mathbf{x}	x			X	X	X	X		
$h \to \text{invisible [86]}$	\mathbf{x}	x			\mathbf{X}					\mathbf{x}
$E_{\rm T}^{\rm miss} + Z(q\bar{q}) \ [127]$	\mathbf{x}						\mathbf{x}	\mathbf{x}		
$E_{\rm T}^{\rm miss} + b\bar{b} \ [128]$							X	X		
$E_{\rm T}^{\rm miss} + t\bar{t} \ [128,129]$							X	\mathbf{x}		
$t\bar{t}t\bar{t}$ [85]	x	x	X	\mathbf{x}	\mathbf{x}	X	X	\mathbf{X}	\mathbf{X}	
$tbH^{\pm}(tb)$ [76]	x	x	\mathbf{x}							
$h \to aa \to f\bar{f}f'\bar{f}'$ [79,80,81,82,83]										x
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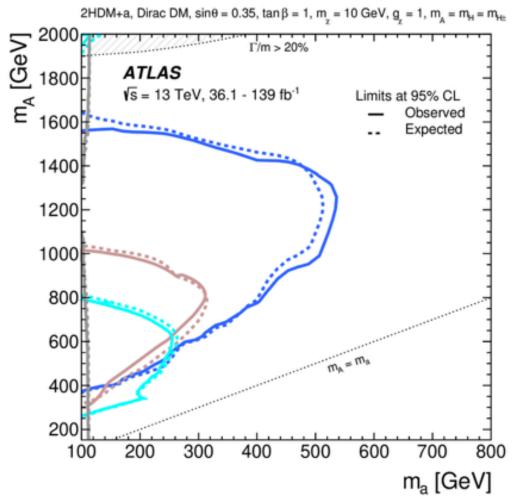






• $h \rightarrow$ invisible constrains very low m_a .

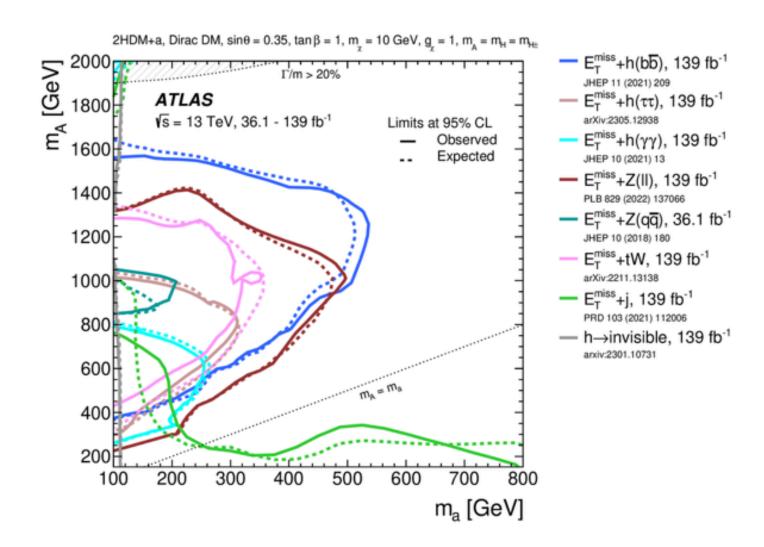
• constraints from $E_{\rm T}^{\rm miss}+h$ signatures: similar m_A - m_a dependence, with $h\to bb$ most sensitive.



- = E_T^{miss}+h(bb), 139 fb⁻¹
- E_T^{miss}+h(ττ), 139 fb⁻¹ arXiv:2305.12938
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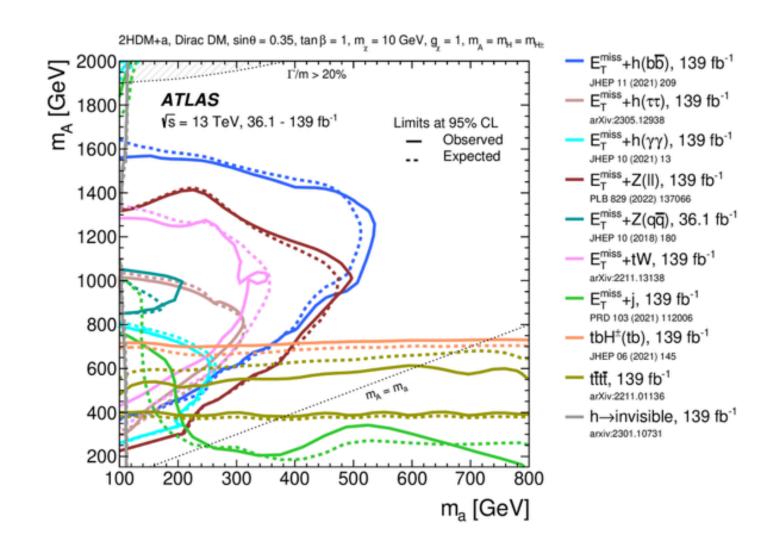


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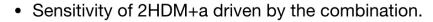


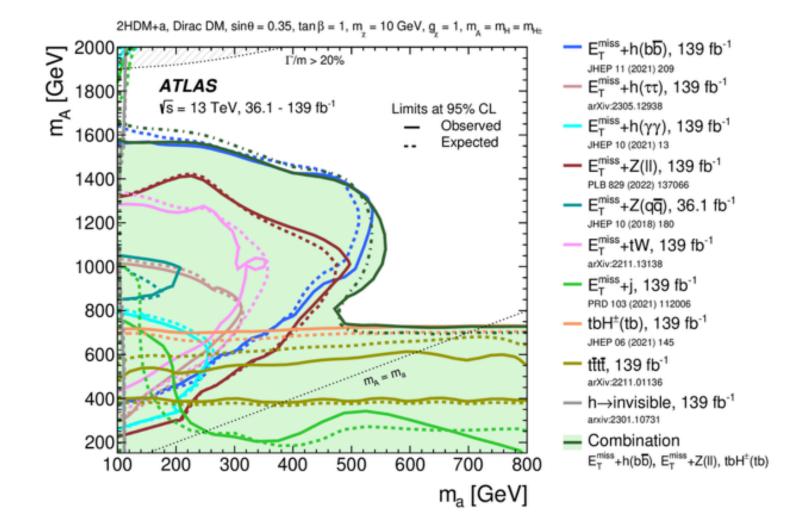
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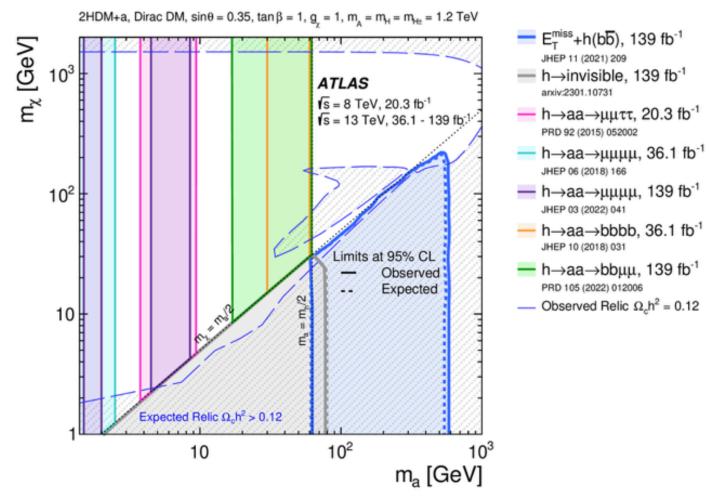




• Scenario 6: $m_a - m_{\gamma}$ plane

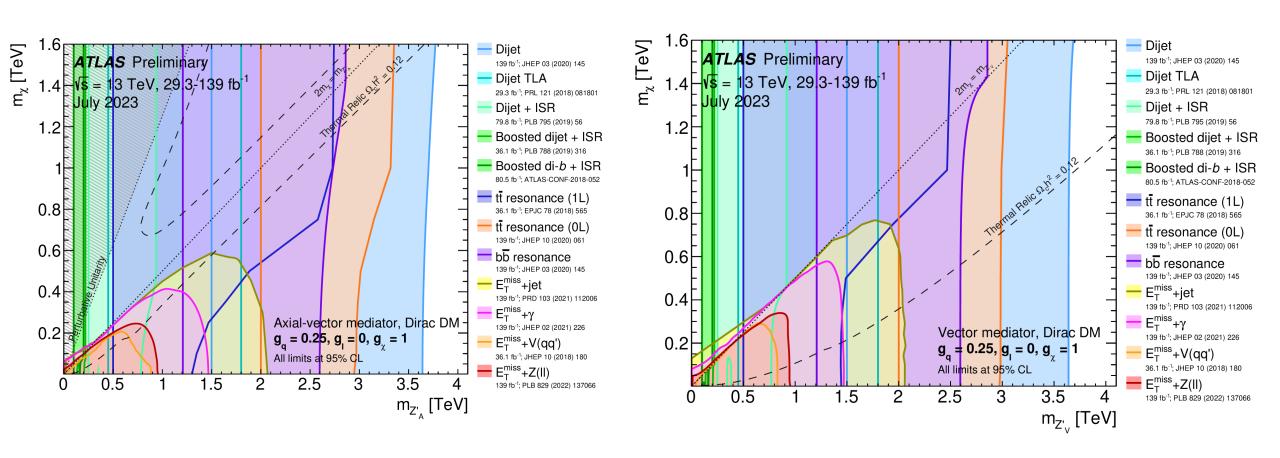


- New interpretation in m_a m_{χ} plane:
- Searches for SM Higgs decaying to 4 fermions via constrain previously unprobed region of 2HDM+a.
- Complementarity to h→inv. and E_T^{miss}+h(bb) searches.



Auxiliary: (Axial-)Vector Mediator summary



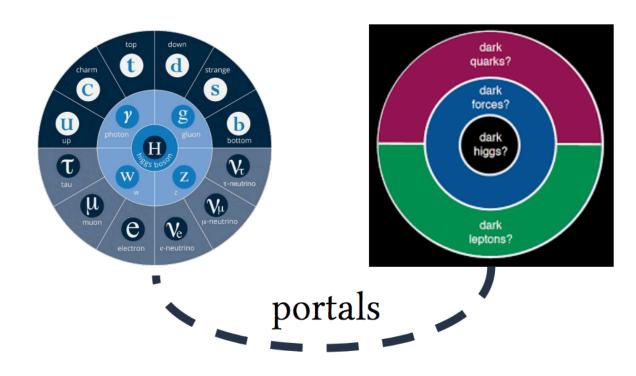


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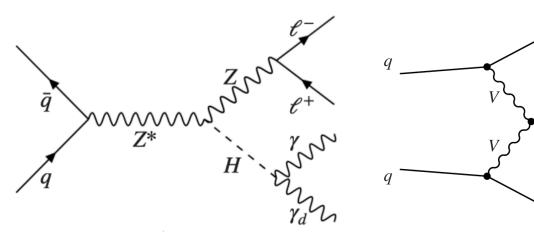
● Dark Higgs → more Dark Portals connecting hidden sectors





- Vector portal dark photons
- Scalar portals dark Higgs
- Neutrino portal
- Axion portal

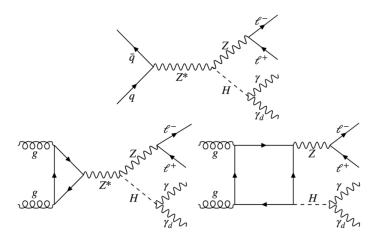
- Dark Photon BSM extensions:
 - U(1) extension of the SM
 - Hidden gauge boson A' → kinetic mixing (ε) with the SM photon
 - the magnitude of ϵ affects production rate and lifetime





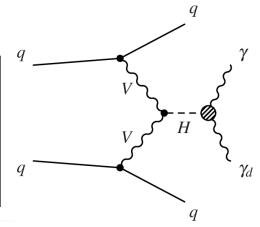
Dark Photon searches: ZH and VBF

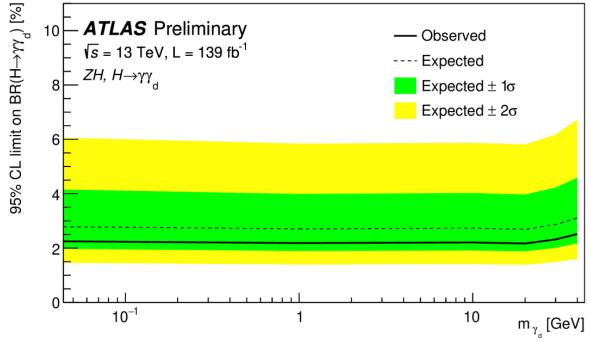


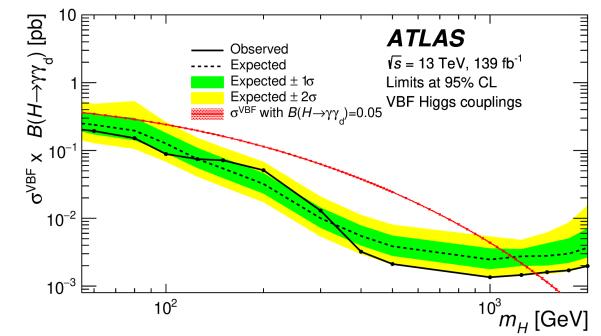


For massless γ_d

		Obs.	Exp.	
CMS	VBF	3.5%	2.8%	JHEP03(2021)011
CMS	ZH	4.6%	3.6%	JHEP10(2019)139
ATLAS	VBF	1.8%	1.7%	CERN-EP-2021-137
ATLAS	ZH	2.3%	2.8%	ATLAS-CONF-2022-064



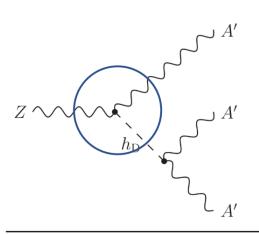






Dark Photon search with Z boson rare decay into Dark Higgs





Decay rate $\propto \alpha_D \varepsilon^2$

Assumptions:

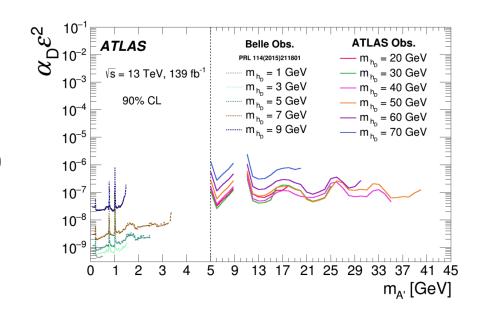
(Minimal kinetically mixed)

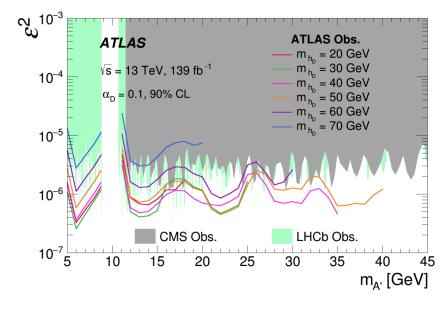
- Br $(h_D \to A' A') = 100\%$
- A' is the lightest DS
- Br $(A' \rightarrow SM f \bar{f}) = 100\%$

Benchmark parameter:

$$\alpha_D = 0.1$$
; $\varepsilon = 10^{-3}$

- First search for the dark-Higgs-strahlung process at the LHC
 - Previous range (Belle): mA ' < 5GeV
 - Extended significantly to 40 GeV
- Compare with CMS/LHCb (limits on ε^2):
 - Some assumptions on α_D (set it as 0.1)
 - Comparable (or even better)







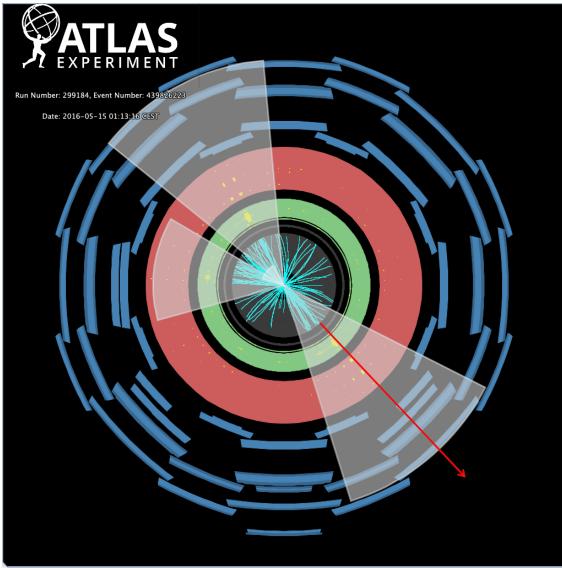
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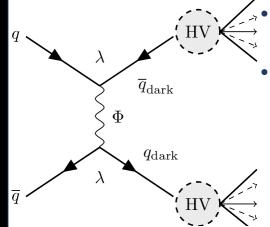
Unconventional Searches(incomplete and selective)

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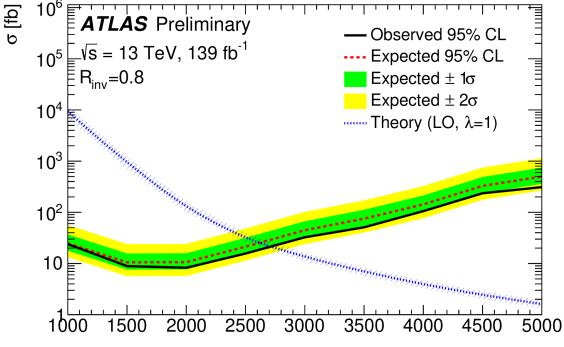
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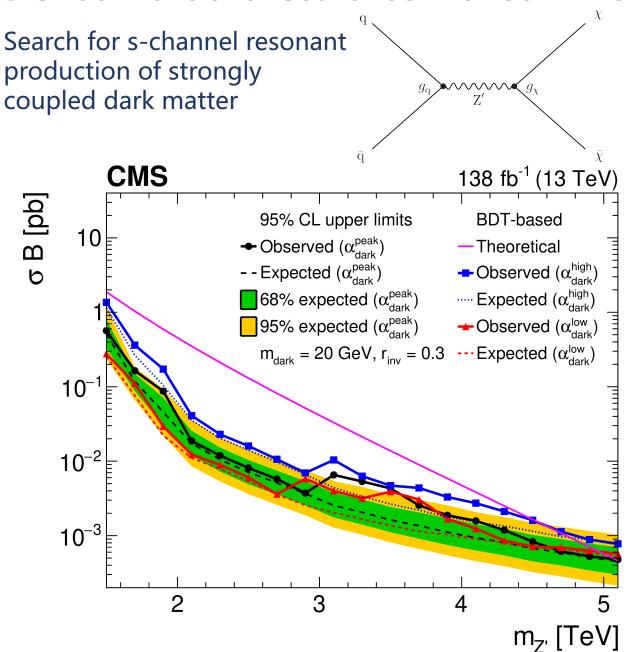


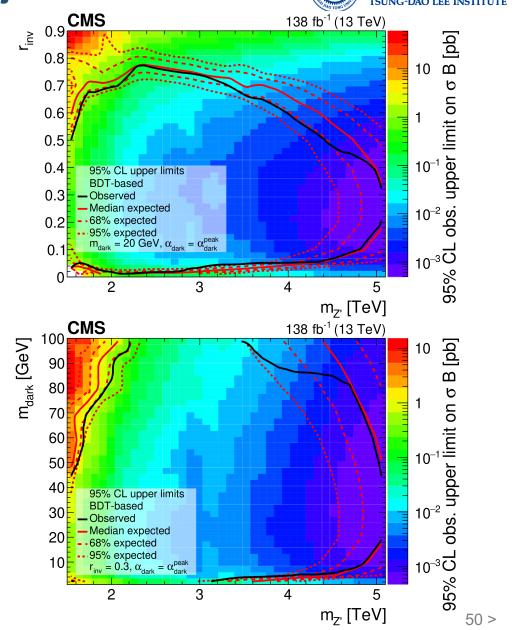


Semi-visible jets arise in strongly-interacting dark sectors
One of the jets is aligned with the missing transverse momentum direction: i.e. missing transverse momentum originates from the invisible components of the two semi-visible jets.



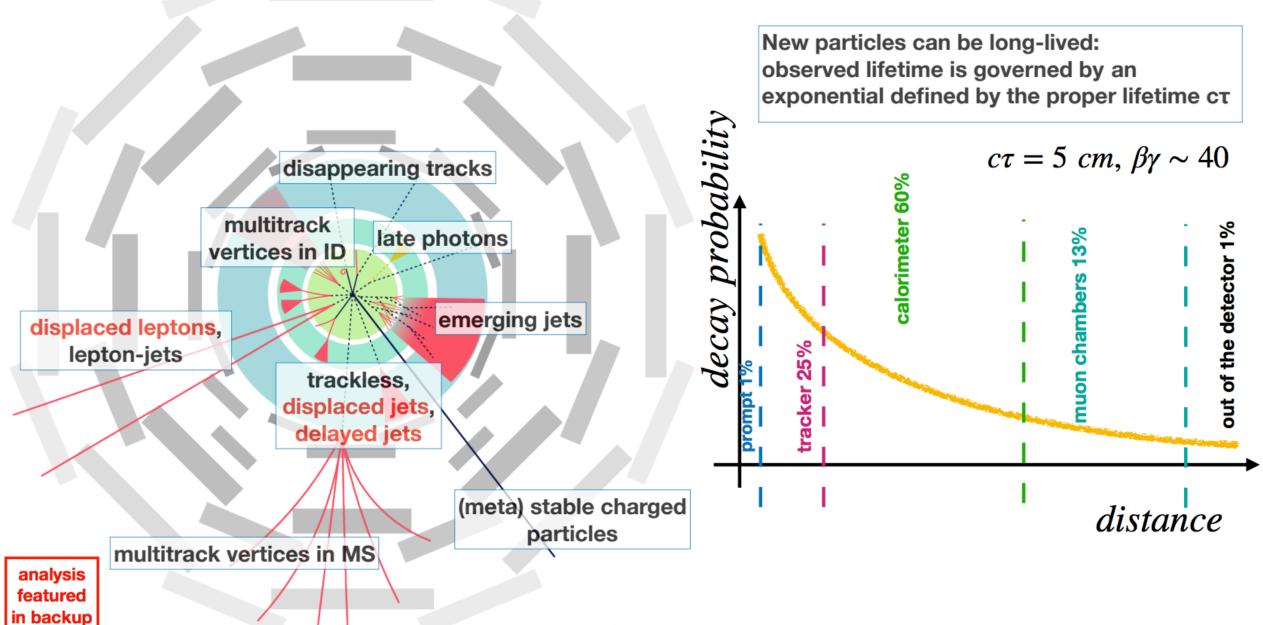
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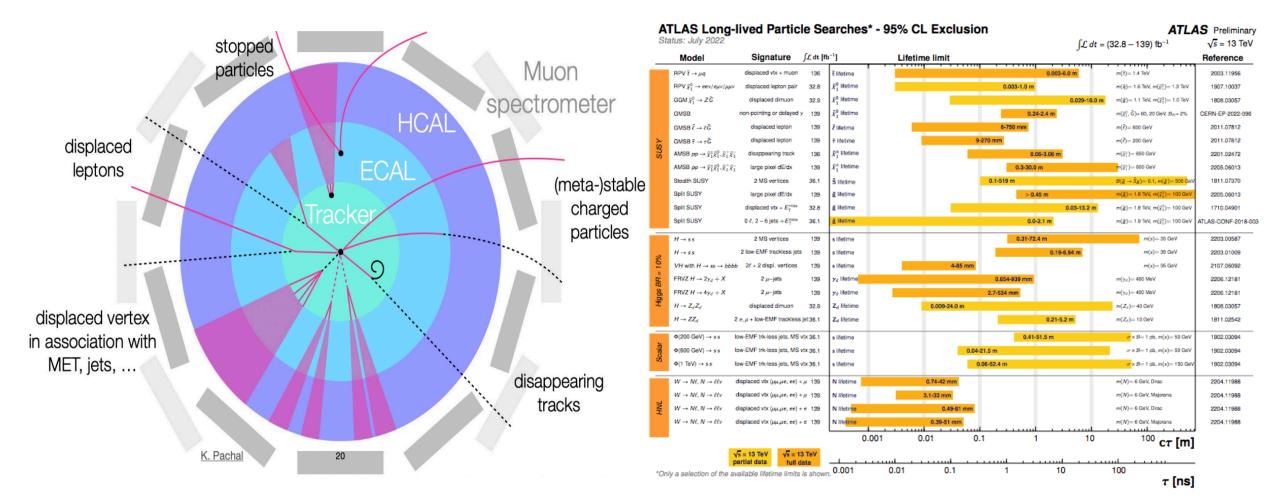
Unconventional signatures



More unconventional searches



- LLP, displaced vertices, displaced leptons and jets, disappearing tracks, stopped particles
- · Connecting more general untouched dark sector signatures, enlightening DM new prospects



Summary



- LHC (ATLAS+CMS) continue to deliver highly valuable physical results while Run-3 is ongoing
- ATLAS reaches its 30-year birthday and Higgs has been discovered for 10-year
- We still don't know precisely where the BSM is hidden but we know more than ever the nature of SM and everything observed, despite:
 - Higgs is measured and combinedly measured with order of magnitudes improved precision after ten years
 - We know much better the Higgs cross sections, mass, width, CP, couplings to the other SM particles
 - Precision will progress further in HL-LHC
- Diversified BSM anomalies are being thoroughly hunted for with as less untounched stone as possible



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