New Physics with Leptons - Experiment

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Lecture Plan

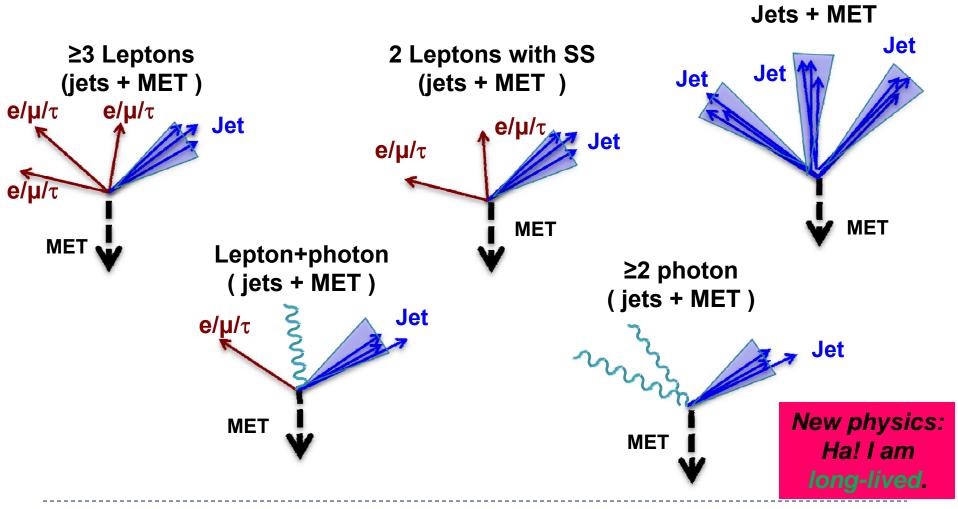
- Search considerations Multilepton example.
- It is all about Standard Model. ("fake" rates)

<><< Gedanken coffee break: dealing with experimentalists.

- Results. (Beyond SM possible only after SM.)
 - No offense to the mono or dilepton folks, but this is going to be a polylepton talk because that is what I do.
 - In collaboration with Scott Thomas.
 - CMS-centric.
 - ATLAS Profs. Lipeles (Wed) Heinemann (Thu/Fri) jet/MET, bkgnds.

Conventional Search Axes

(MET or jets/HT etc not guaranteed!)

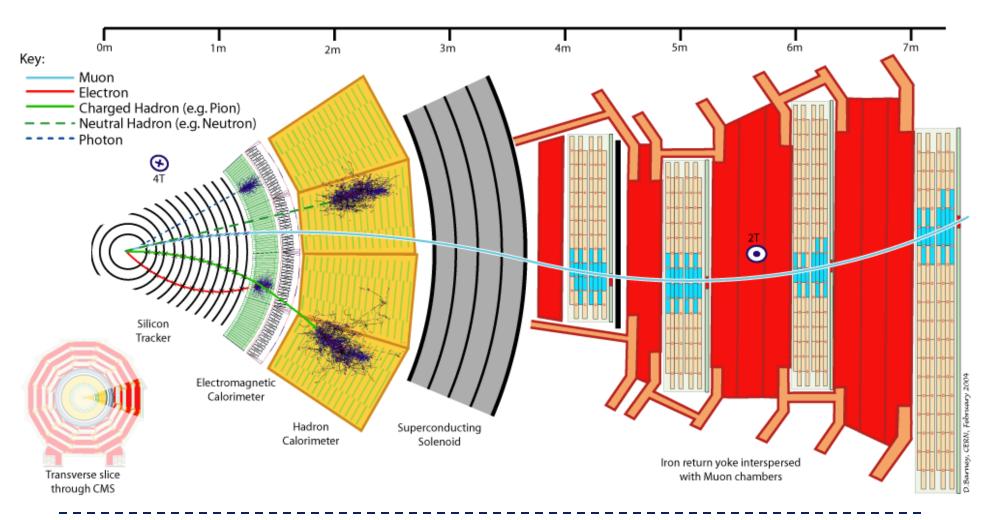


The odds are pretty bad: SM cross sections

Process pp → X	σ*B (8 TeV)	Events (20 fb ⁻¹)	"Objects"
W (→ <i>ℓ</i> =e ,μ,τ)	38 nb	750M	one lepton + MET
$Z/\gamma^* (\rightarrow \ell^+\ell^-)$ (m _{$\ell\ell$} >20GeV)	6 nb (~60% pole)	110M	Two leptons
ttbar (\rightarrow bWbW, W $\rightarrow \ell \nu$)	24 pb	500K	Two leptons + MET
$WZ(\rightarrow \ell \nu \ell^+ \ell^-)$	1 pb	20K	Three leptons + MET
New physics	10 fb (say)	200	3 leptons+? (lemonade) or 2 leptons + ?? (Vodka) or 1 lepton + ??? (H ₂ SO ₄)

From CMS results, internal CMS twiki etc

CMS = Compact MUON solenoid



Trilepton Search Tools

- Muons, electrons
- Tau's
- Lepton kinematics (dilepton invariant mass, eg)
- Missing ET
- Jets:
 - Number of jets (about 30 GeV, say)
 OR
 - HT = Sum of Jet Pt's
 - B tagged jets

Trilepton hierarchy (e/mu)

- $\Sigma q=+-3$: $\mu^-\mu^-\mu^-$ then $\mu^+\mu^+\mu^+$ (e.g. 8TeV $\sigma(W^+Z)/\sigma(W^-Z)\sim 1.81+-0.12+-0.03)$ $<math>\mu\mu\mu$, $\mu\mu$ e, μ ee and eee
- $\Sigma q = +-1$:
 - $\mu^+\mu^+e^-$, $e^+e^+\mu^-$ ($\ell^+\ell^+\ell^-$) & c.c. (No OSSF, SSSF, DY0) (Really no Drell Yan in μ^+e^- ?)
 - $\mu^{+}\mu^{-}\mu^{+-}$, $\mu^{+}\mu^{-}e^{+-}$, $e^{+}e^{-}\mu^{+-}$ ($\ell^{+}\ell^{-}\ell^{'}$) (OSSF, DY1) - $m_{\ell^{+}\ell^{-}} > 90$ GeV, $m_{\ell^{+}\ell^{-}} < 75$ GeV, $75 < m_{\ell^{+}\ell^{-}} < 90$ GeV

"Theory" and "experiment" now diverge $\rightarrow \tau$

$$J=\frac{1}{2}$$

PDG

Mass $m=1776.82\pm0.16$ MeV $(m_{\tau^+}-m_{\tau^-})/m_{
m average}<2.8 imes10^{-4}$, CL =90% Mean life $au=(290.6\pm1.0) imes10^{-15}$ s $c au=87.11~\mu{
m m}$

au^- DECAY MODES

Fraction (Γ_i/Γ) Confide

Modes	with	one	charged	particle

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particle^- \geq 0 neutrals \geq 0 K^0 \nu_{	au} (85.35 \pm 0.07 )%
    ("1-prong")
particle^- \geq 0 neutrals \geq 0 K_I^0 \nu_{	au}
                                                      (84.71 \pm 0.08)\%
                                                  [g] (17.41 \pm 0.04)\%
   \mu^- \overline{\nu}_\mu \nu_\tau
                                                  [e] (3.6 \pm 0.4) \times 10^{-3}
      \mu^- \overline{\nu}_\mu \nu_\tau \gamma
   e^- \overline{\nu}_e \nu_{\tau}
                                                  [g] (17.83 \pm 0.04)\%
      e^- \overline{\nu}_e \nu_\tau \gamma
                                                  [e] (1.75 \pm 0.18)\%
   h^{-} \geq 0 K_{L}^{0} \nu_{\tau}
                                                         (12.06 \pm 0.06)\%
   h^- \nu_{\tau}
                                                         (11.53 \pm 0.06)\%
      \pi^- \nu_{\tau}
                                                  [g] (10.83 \pm 0.06) %
      K^- 
u_{	au}
                                                  [g] (7.00 \pm 0.10) \times 10^{-3}
   h^- \geq 1 neutrals 
u_{	au}
                                                       (37.10 \pm 0.10)\%
   h^{-} \geq 1\pi^{0} \nu_{\tau} (\text{ex.} K^{0})
                                                  (36.58 \pm 0.10)\%
      h^-\pi^0\nu_{\tau}
                                                         (25.95 \pm 0.09)\%
          \pi^-\pi^0
u_{\sigma}
                                                  [g] (25.52 \pm 0.09)%
          \pi^{-}\pi^{0} non-\rho(770)\nu_{\tau}
                                                         (3.0 \pm 3.2) \times 10^{-3}
          K^-\pi^0
u_{	au}
                                                  [g] (4.29 \pm 0.15) \times 10^{-3}
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Modes with three charged particles

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$h^- h^- h^+ \geq 0$ neutrals $\geq 0 {\cal K}_L^0 u_ au$	$(15.20 \pm 0.08)\%$
$\mathit{h^-h^-h^+} \geq 0$ neutrals $ u_ au$	(14.57 ± 0.07) %
(ex. $K_S^0 ightarrow \pi^+\pi^-$)	
("3-prong")	
$\mathit{h}^-\mathit{h}^-\mathit{h}^+\nu_ au$	(9.80 ± 0.07) %
$h^- h^- h^+ u_{ au}({ m ex}.{\cal K}^0)$	(9.46 ± 0.06) %
$\mathit{h}^-\mathit{h}^-\mathit{h}^+\nu_{ au}(ex.\mathcal{K}^0,\omega)$	(9.42 ± 0.06) %
$\pi^-\pi^+\pi^- u_ au$	(9.31 ± 0.06) %
$\pi^{-}\pi^{+}\pi^{-}\nu_{ au}({ m ex}.K^{0})$	(9.02 ± 0.06) %
$\pi^{-}\pi^{+}\pi^{-}\nu_{ au}({ m ex}.K^{0}),$	< 2.4 %
non-axial vector	
$\pi^-\pi^+\pi^- u_ au$ (ex. K^0,ω)	[g] (8.99 ± 0.06) %
$\mathit{h^-h^-h^+} \geq 1$ neutrals $ u_ au$	(5.39 ± 0.07) %
$h^- h^- h^+ \geq 1 \pi^0 u_{ au} (ext{ex. } \mathcal{K}^0)$	(5.09 ± 0.06) %
$\mathit{h^-h^-h^+\pi^0} u_{ au}$	(4.76 ± 0.06) %
$h^- h^- h^+ \pi^0 u_{ au} (ext{ex}. K^0)$	$(4.57 \pm 0.06)\%$
$h^- h^- h^+ \pi^0 u_{ au} (ext{ex. } K^0, \omega)$	(2.79 ± 0.08) %
$\pi^-\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0 u_ au$	(4.62 ± 0.06) %
$\pi^{-}\pi^{+}\pi^{-}\pi^{0}\nu_{ au}({ m ex}.{\cal K}^{0})$	(4.48 ± 0.06) %
$\pi^-\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0\nu_{\tau}(\text{ex.}K^0,\omega)$	[g] (2.70 ± 0.08) %

τ summary (PDG)

- Leptonic BR($\tau \rightarrow e/mu$) ~1/3
 - Comes automatically
- Hadronic ~2/3
 - ~1/3 "Single prong" Isolated track with or w/o π^0
 - ~1/3 "Three prong" (also) like a pencil jet
- For possible future use:
- $\tau_{\gamma c\tau}$ =1.7mm @35GeV

τ's in CMS

- Hadronic BR($\tau \rightarrow 1+3 \text{ prong}$) ~2/3
- Use "particle flow" reconstruction of jets etc (HPS algorithm) to reconstruct hadronic tau's with ~40% efficiency (pt > 20 GeV)
- But ~1% of jets (which are ubiquitous) still show up as fake tau's. This is a hard business.
- Still useful for tau-dominated new physics.

Trilepton hierarchy (e/mu/τ)

- τ_h is the "experimental" tau. It denotes the reconstructed decay when the parent "theory" tau decays hadronically.
- Leptonic decays of the theory tau show up in the search channels as e/mu's. They generally have much better signal/background than channels with τ_h .
- $\mu^{+}\mu^{+}e^{-}$, $e^{+}e^{+}\mu^{-}$ ($\ell^{+}\ell^{+}\ell^{'}$) & c.c. (No OSSF, DY0)
- $\mu^{+}\mu^{-}\mu^{+-}$, $\mu^{+}\mu^{-}e^{+-}$, $e^{+}e^{-}\mu^{+-}$ ($\ell^{+}\ell^{-}\ell^{'}$) (OSSF,DY1) • $m_{\ell^{+}\ell^{-}} > 90$ GeV, $m_{\ell^{+}\ell^{-}} < 75$ GeV, $75 < m_{\ell^{+}\ell^{-}} < 90$ GeV
- $\ell^+\ell'^+$ τ_h (SSOF + tau)
- $\ell^+\ell^+ \tau_h$ (SSSF + tau)
- $\ell^+\ell^2$ τ_h (OSOF + tau)
- $\ell^+\ell^-\tau_h$ (and mass subdivisions) (OSSF + tau)
- $\ell \tau_h \tau_h$ (needs single lepton trigger, too much background)
- Now make subsamples in bins of MET/HT, b-tags etc etc
- Similarly, 4-lepton categories.

Tau examples

- a) 1000 $\ell^+\ell^-\tau$ (theory) signal events with **normal** pt's, MET etc.
- 330 show up as *lll* (trileptons with e's and mu's)
 - 165 survive detector acceptance (80%³ = 50%) and have ok S/B
- 660 undergo hadronic tau decay
 - 165 $\ell^+\ell^-\tau_h$ survive acceptance (80%^2 * 40% = 25%) but have lousy S/B
- → Marginal increase in acceptance
- b) 1000 $\ell^+\ell^-\tau$ (theory) signal events with **high** pt's, MET etc.
- 165 reconstructed \(\ell\ell\ell\)'s have \(\ell\ell\ell\)'s have
- Equal number of $\ell^+\ell^-\tau_h$ events also have good S/B
- → Acceptance almost doubles
- c) $\tau \tau \tau$ signal \rightarrow Throw everything you got at it and pray that it has good MET etc.

Next - It is all about the Standard Model.

SM Backgrounds: MC vs "Data-Driven"

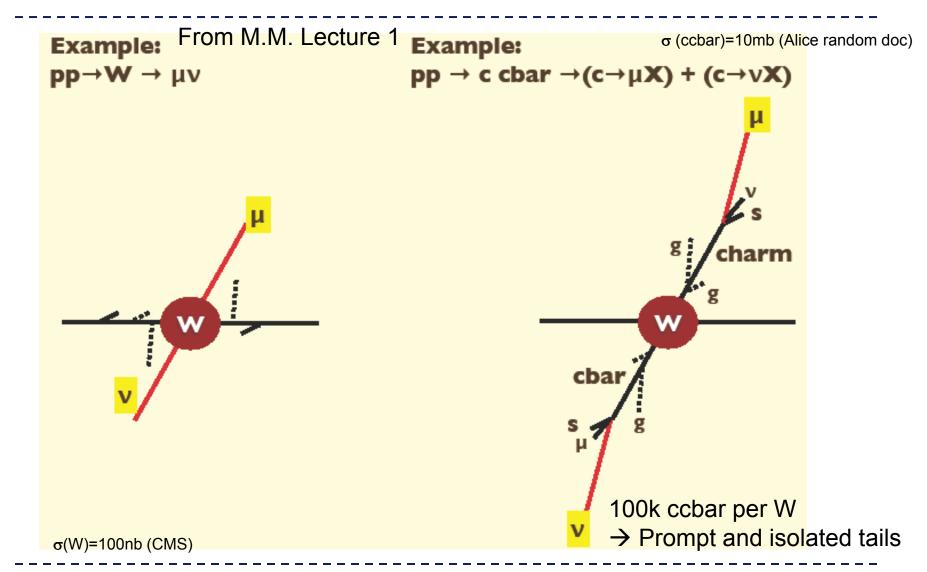
Why not just Monte Carlo all the backgrounds?

- → Recall 110M Z/g* dileptons vs 2000 signal events
- → Devil is in da tails.
- → Data-driven backgrounds ("fake" rates)
 - → Large data samples available

MC for "irreducible" backgrounds (eg WZ)

- → Smaller cross sections means tails peter out
- → Validate in control regions as much as possible

Before Background Issues: Prompt and Isolated



Simulated Background: ttbar

ttbar validation: Single lepton control Region.

$$I_{rel}$$
 = (Σ (Calo Energy+Track pt)/lepton pt (in a 0.3 η-φ cone)

Require an isolated muon Pt>30GeV,3jets,b-jet.

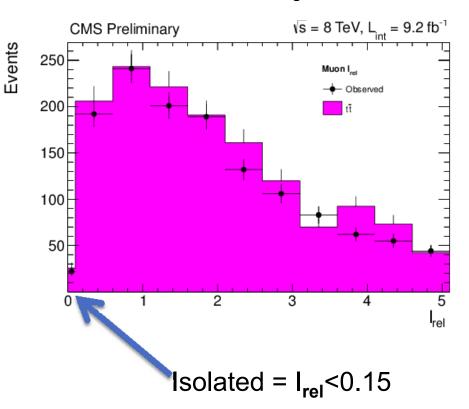
→ Look at other muons (from ttbar jets) that have large impact parameter (>200 microns in xy).

PDG - B
$$^{0}_{c\tau}$$
 = 450microns
 $\rightarrow \gamma c\tau$ for a 50 GeV B 0 = 4500 microns

CMS vertex resolution ~ 25 microns

Isolation tail of muons already on the "prompt" tail

NOTE: Tail in this case goes to the left!



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Simulated Irreducible Background: ttbar

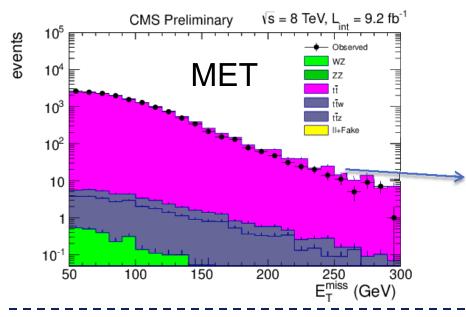
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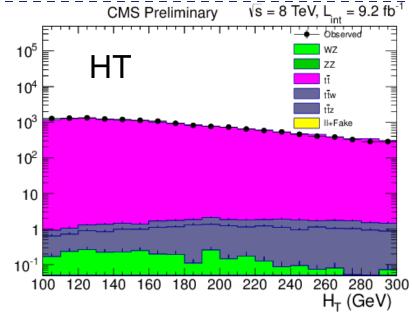
ttbar MC validation: Dilepton control Region.

Opposite sign electron-muon pairs

(different flavor – No Drell Yan)

 $HT = \Sigma$ (jet pt for jets with pt>30 GeV)





NOTE SIGNS OF TROUBLE. More on matching MET later

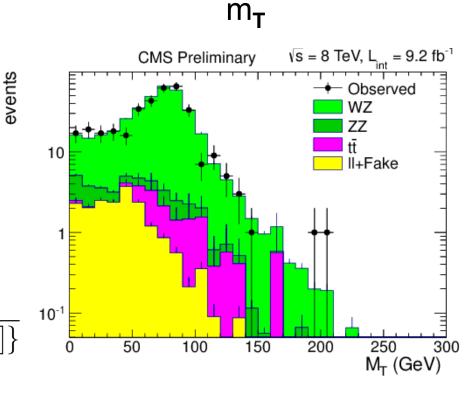
Simulated Irreducible Background: WZ

WZ MC validation in a trilepton control region

- OSSF pair in the Z window $75 \text{GeV} < \text{m}_{\ell\ell} < 90 \text{GeV}$
- 50 GeV < MET < 100 GeV
- HT < 200

m_T – Lepton-MET transverse mass

$$m_T = \sqrt{2 p_T(l) p_T(v) \{1 - \cos[\phi(l) - \phi(v)]\}}$$



MET (neutrino proxy) and mT are highly correlated

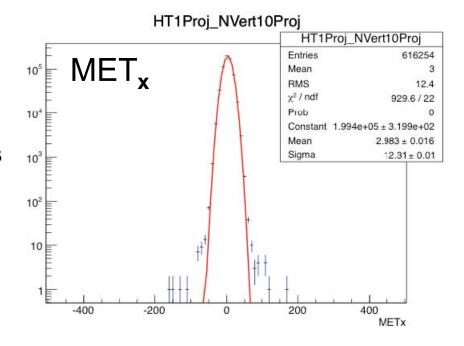
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Subtitle:

Boring things that excite experimentalists.

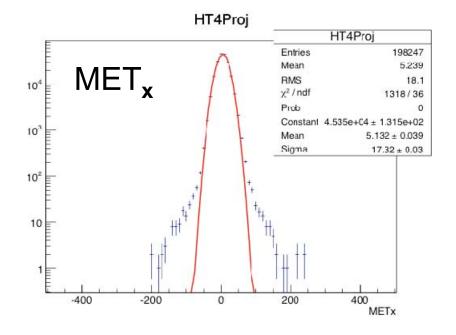
MET is critical in search for new physics

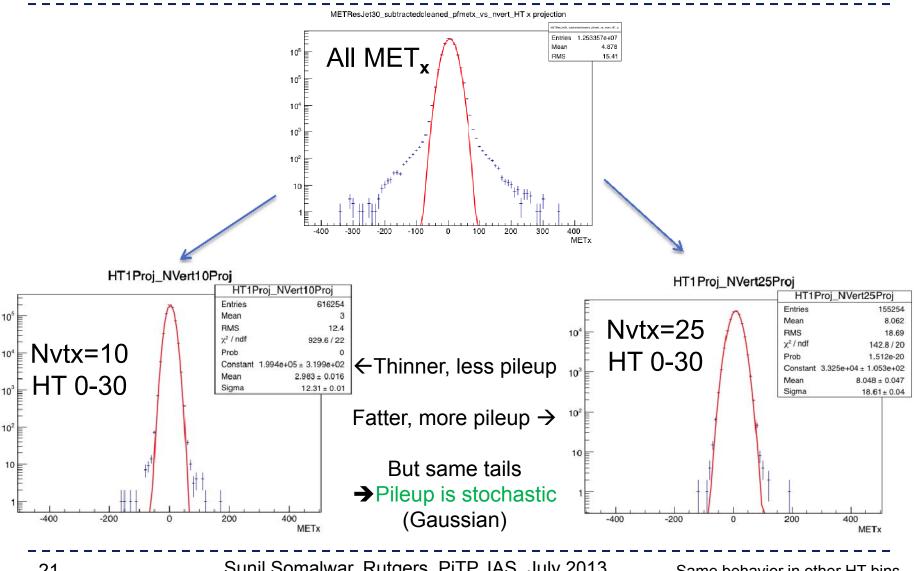
- Must understand/improve its resolution because of possible new physics on the tails
- We match the MET resolutions in simulated SM backgrounds to data.
- & learn interesting things about underlying issues such as pileup and jets.

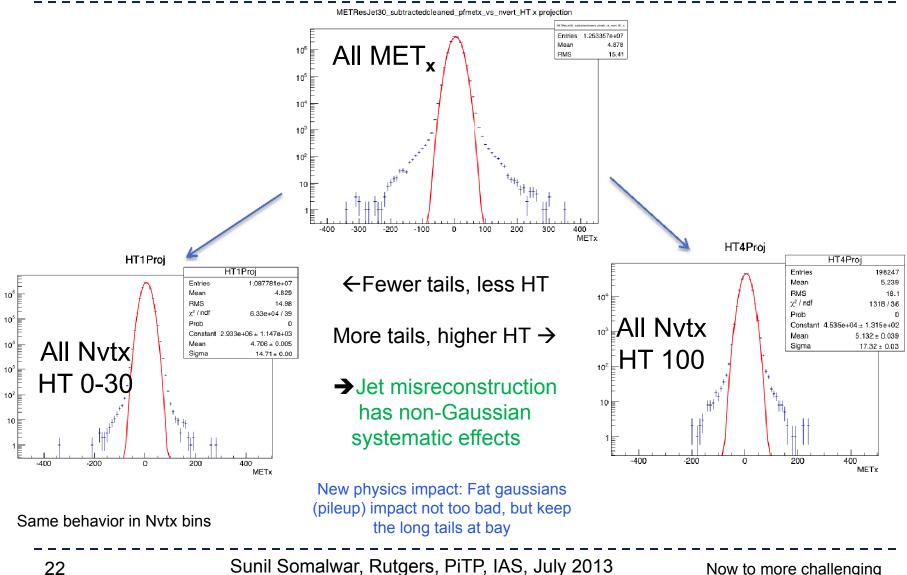


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- Same METx under different conditions >
 - Only two orders of magnitude.
 - RMS also went from 12 to 18 GeV
 - What changed?
- Last plot:
 - Nvertex = 10, i.e. low pileup conditions
 - HT 0-30 GeV, i.e. fewer and low pt jets.
 (jet misreconstruction screws up MET)
- This plot:
 - All nvertex (=average 2012 pileup conditions)
 - HT ~100 GeV
- Let us separate the impact of pileup and jet misreconstruction







Data-driven backgrounds: Z/γ*

- σ(Z/γ*→ ℓ+ℓ⁻) (m_{ℓℓ}>20GeV) = 6nb!
 → High degree of rejection/understanding needed.
- Dileptons from Z + "fake" lepton. The fake is mostly a real lepton from semileptonic decays posing to be prompt and isolated.
- Fake rate methods have to take into account the environment, in particular, the b-quark content in the decay products.
- Also should have good statistical power
- Avoid signal contamination issues etc

Data-driven Z/γ^* : CFO Method (CMS)

• Want: The probability of a third ("fake") isolated and e/mu in the dilepton sample. (tau's later.)

$$B^{+/0}$$
 , $D^{0/+}\mu^+\nu$ $D^{+/0}$ > $\mu^+\nu$ K^+ Heavy flavor content important!

- Not a global rate, but the rate for a subsample of interest that has certain MET, HT, b-tags etc.
- People extrapolate semi-isolated leptons ("tight-loose" method), but the subsamples can be small.
- Combined Fakable Object (CFO)(Richard Gray, CMS) Method use the (non-isolated) tracks and leptons in the subsamples and apply the isolation probability measured separately.
- Count the number of isolated tracks in the sample, multiply by the known ratio f_{μ} of production rate of isolated muons and isolated tracks.
- How to measure the ratio f_{μ} of isolated leptons and isolated tracks? Factorize:

$$f_{\mu} = \frac{N_{\mu}}{N_{T}} \times \frac{\epsilon_{\mu}^{Iso}}{\epsilon_{T}^{Iso}}$$

- •1st factor is easy: production ratio of muons to tracks in the subsample (non-isolated, so plenty).
- •2nd factor (isolation efficiency ratio): Measure in the full sample, but....

Data-driven Z/γ^* : CFO Method (CMS)

- Rate of a third isolated muon = $f\mu$ * Rate of isolated tracks
- To measure fμ :

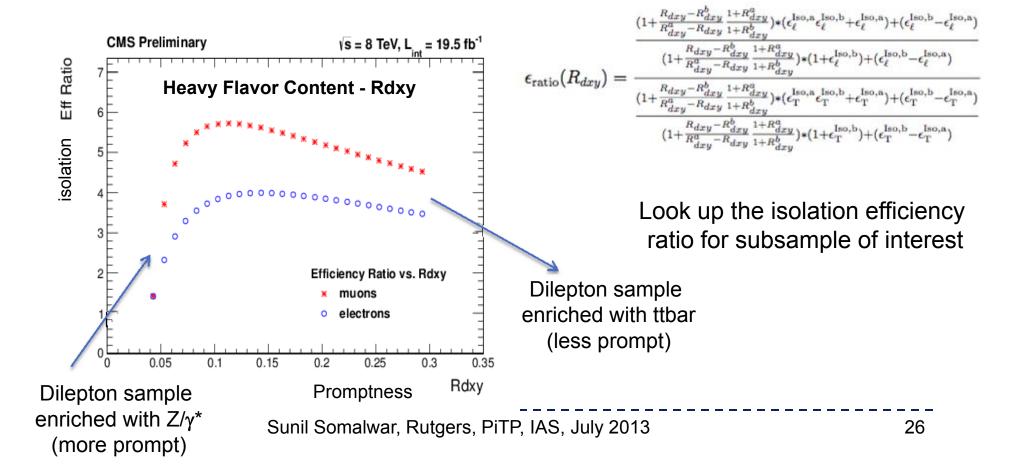
$$f_{\mu} = \frac{N_{\mu}}{N_{T}} \times \frac{\epsilon_{\mu}^{Iso}}{\epsilon_{T}^{Iso}}$$

- 1st factor: ratio of non-isolated muons to tracks in the trilepton subsample of given kinematics.
- 2nd factor (isolation efficiency ratio): Measured in the full dilepton set, but as a function of heavy flavor (HF) content (B,D mesons).
- This is because the HF content of the subsample varies with MET/HT etc. This impacts the isolation efficiency.

Quantifying the heavy-flavor content

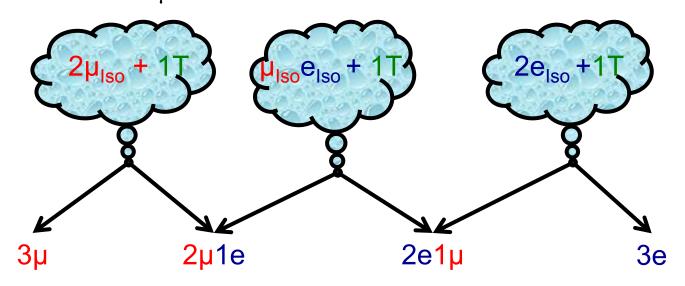
Back to the "prompt" in "prompt and isolated" B's and D's have nonzero lifetimes. π^{+-} 's don't.

Rdxy = (#Tracks w impact parameter >200 microns) ÷ (.... < 200 microns)



Summary: Predicting SM Background due to "Fake" Prompt Lepton

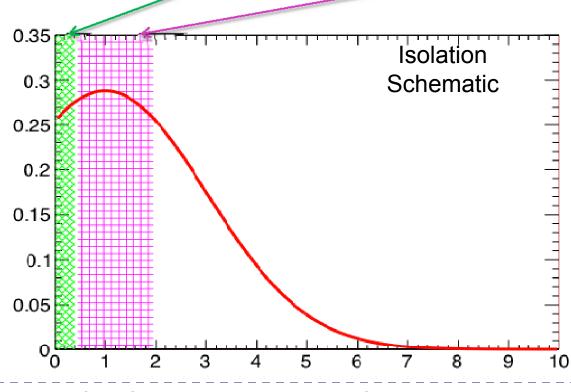
 Multiply the number of isolated tracks in the dilepton subsample by f_u and f_e separately



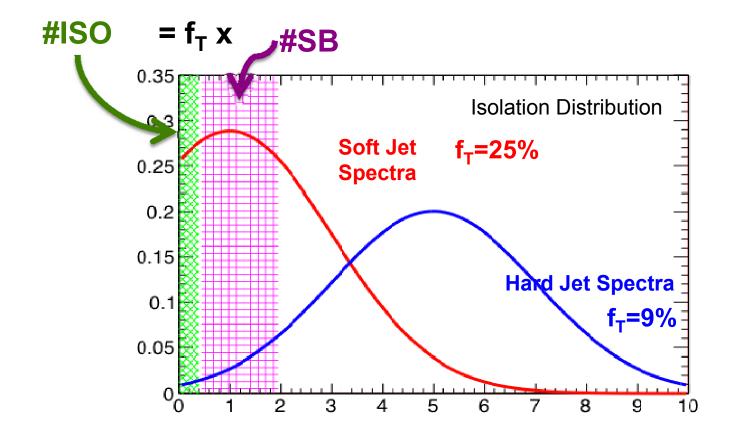
Done with e/mu's. Tau?

Isolated Tau fake rates

- Unfortunately, plenty of jets fake tau's, so statistics is not a problem.
- Tau's are pencil jets being faked by fatter jets
- Subsample environment still is (in terms of isolation)
- Promptness not an issue culprits are generic jets, tau's are not prompt
- → Extrapolate into isolated signal region from isolation sideband

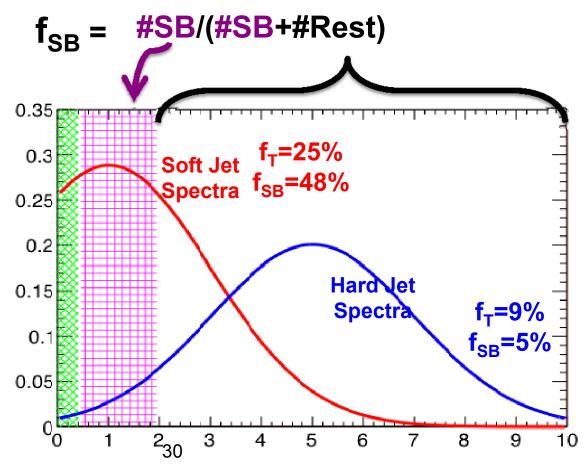


But tau isolation environment changes!



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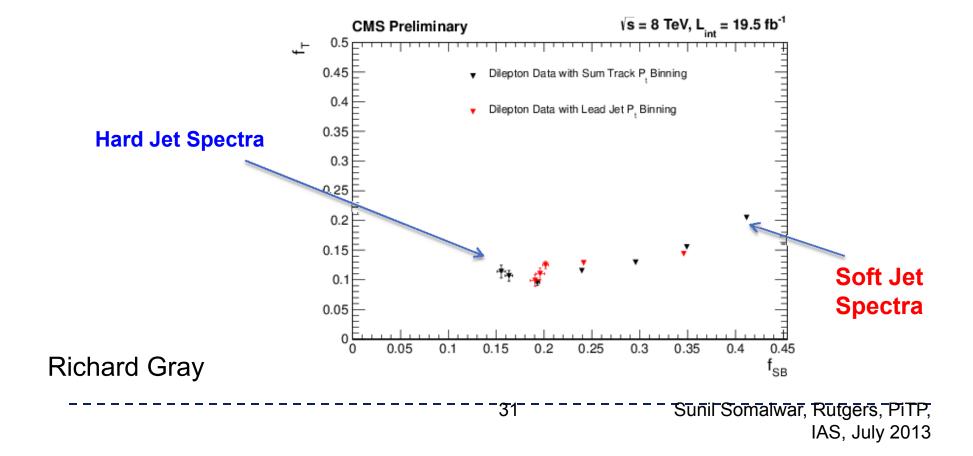
Use the full tau isolation distribution



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Tau: f_T vs f_{SB} (Data)

- Use low MET control data and plot f_T vs f_{SB}
- In signal region use f_{SB} to predict f_T

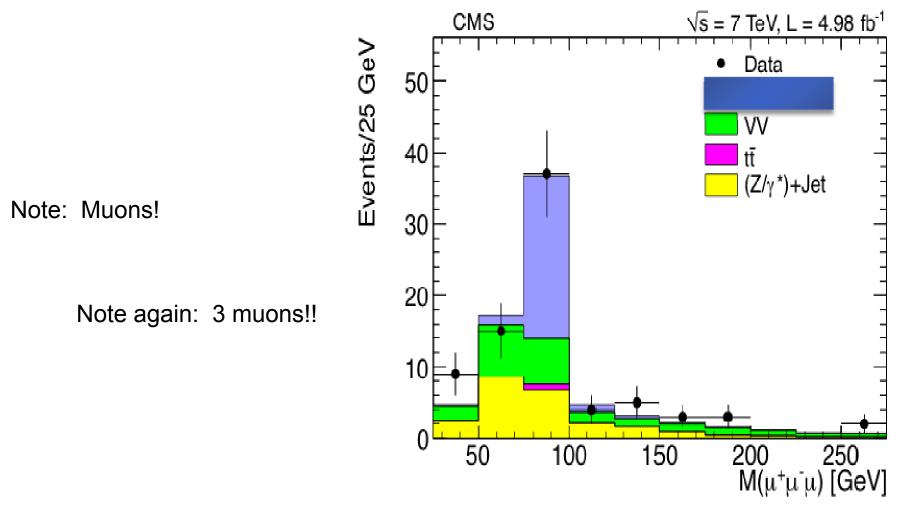


Last data-driven background : Asymmetric Photon Conversions

- How many physicists does it take to forget about Dalitz decays in 20 years? Answer: 6000
- "The only surprise from LHC so far"

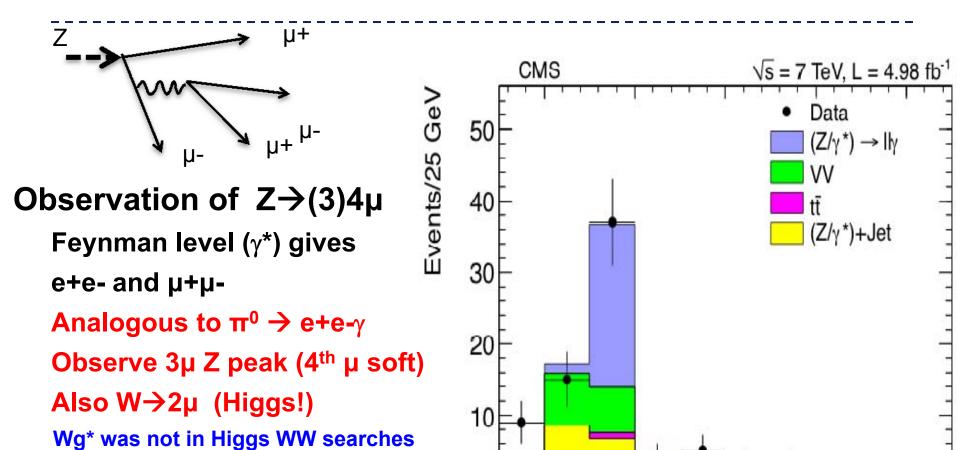


From 2011 archives....



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Z→3µ - Asymmetric Internal (Dalitz) Photon Conversions



50

100

150

200

LEP-I did not produce enough Z's for this

arXiv:1110.1368 R. C. Gray et. al.

Important for Higgs ~125 GeV

250

Asymmetric Conversion Fake Rate

- Go to low MET-HT control region (no new physics)
- Measure the ratio of three-leptons on Z-pole to dileptons+photon in the same mass window.

~ 0.35%

Done with SM backgrounds...

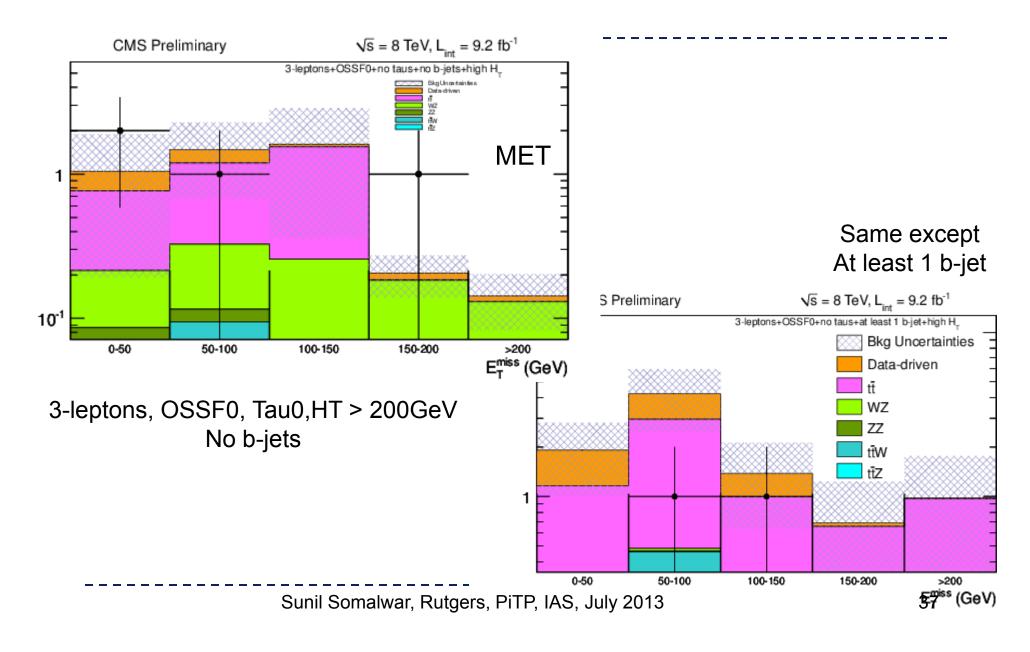


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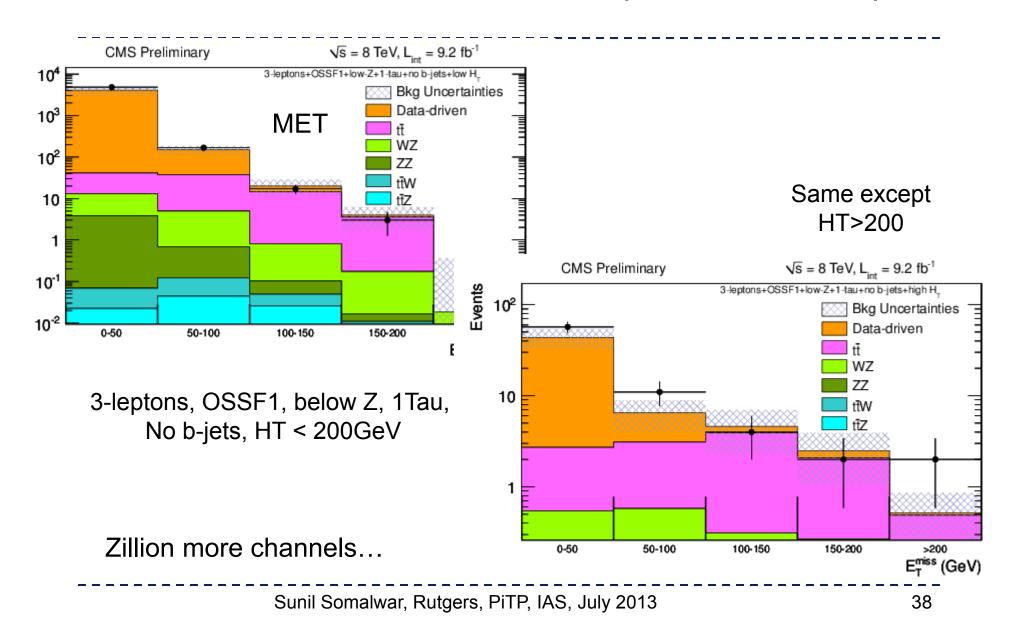
- Six S's of LHC experimental particle physicists (S does not stand for Smart in this case)
 - Style
 - Statistics
 - Stage
 - pSeudotheorists
 - Citation
 - Superanalyses (Patrick M knows this one...)

→ Now to results and new physics opened up by your hard slog through the experimental details.....

Sample Multilepton Results



Sample Multilepton Results (tau channels)



Multilepton Result Tables

Selection		MET	$N(\tau)=0$, NbJet=0		$N(\tau)=1$, NbJet=0		$N(\tau)=0, NbJet \ge 1$		$N(\tau)=1, NbJet \geq 1$	
			obs expect		obs	expect	obs	expect	obs	expect
4 Lepton Results $H_T > 200$									•	
OSSF0	NA	$(100, \infty)$	0	0.007 ± 0.01	0	0.001 ± 0.01	0	0 ± 0.01	0	0 ± 0.009
OSSF0	NA	(50, 100)	0	0 ± 0.01	0	0.007 ± 0.01	0	0.01 ± 0.02	0	0.008 ± 0.01
OSSF0	NA	(0, 50)	0	$1e-05 \pm 0.009$	0	0.01 ± 0.01	0	0 ± 0.009	0	0 ± 0.009
OSSF1	off-Z	$(100, \infty)$	0	0.0005 ± 0.009	1	0.09 ± 0.03	0	0.06 ± 0.04	0	0.05 ± 0.03
OSSF1	on-Z	$(100, \infty)$	0	0.03 ± 0.02	0	0.27 ± 0.07	0	0.19 ± 0.11	0	0.17 ± 0.09
OSSF1	off-Z	(50, 100)	0	0.03 ± 0.03	1	0.13 ± 0.07	0	0.02 ± 0.02	0	0.07 ± 0.04
OSSF1	on-Z	(50, 100)	0	0.08 ± 0.04	1	0.29 ± 0.08	0	0.1 ± 0.06	1	0.12 ± 0.08
OSSF1	off-Z	(0, 50)	0	0.007 ± 0.01	0	0.12 ± 0.06	0	0.001 ± 0.01	0	0.04 ± 0.03
OSSF1	on-Z	(0, 50)	0	0.1 ± 0.04	0	0.5 ± 0.12	0	0.02 ± 0.02	0	0.23 ± 0.11
OSSF2	${ m off-Z}$	$(100, \infty)$	0	0.004 ± 0.01	0	0 ± 0	0	0.008 ± 0.01	0	0 ± 0
OSSF2	on-Z	$(100, \infty)$	0	0.05 ± 0.05	0	0 ± 0	0	0.13 ± 0.08	0	0 ± 0
OSSF2	off-Z	(50, 100)	0	0.01 ± 0.01	0	0 ± 0	0	0.01 ± 0.02	0	0 ± 0
OSSF2	on-Z	(50, 100)	0	0.39 ± 0.1	0	0 ± 0	0	0.16 ± 0.07	0	0 ± 0
OSSF2	${ m off-Z}$	(0, 50)	0	0.11 ± 0.03	0	0 ± 0	0	0.05 ± 0.03	0	0 ± 0
OSSF2	on-Z	(0, 50)	2	3.3 ± 0.7	0	0 ± 0	1	0.37 ± 0.09	0	0 ± 0

Table 1: Results for 4 leptons with $H_T > 200$ GeV. * denotes channels used as controls.

Selection	MET		$N(\tau)=0$, NbJet=0		$N(\tau)=1, NbJet=0$		$N(\tau)=0, NbJet \ge 1$		$N(\tau)=1, NbJet \geq 1$	
			obs	$_{ m expect}$	obs	$_{ m expect}$	obs	$_{ m expect}$	obs	expect
3 Lepton Results $H_T > 200$										
OSSF0	NA	$(100, \infty)$	1	1.9 ± 1.2	15	7.7 ± 3.6	1	2.9 ± 1.5	27	21 ± 11
OSSF0	NA	(50, 100)	1	1.4 ± 0.8	13	17 ± 7.4	1	4.2 ± 1.7	41	37 ± 19
OSSF0	NA	(0, 50)	2	1 ± 0.8	13	10 ± 3.4	0	1.9 ± 0.8	32	21 ± 11
OSSF1	${ m above-}{ m Z}$	$(100, \infty)$	2	2.2 ± 0.9	2	4 ± 2.4	3	2.8 ± 1.3	11	6.8 ± 3.7
OSSF1	$\operatorname{below-Z}$	$(100, \infty)$	2	3.5 ± 0.8	8	7.6 ± 3.4	3	3.4 ± 1.6	12	8.3 ± 4.3
OSSF1	on-Z	$(100, \infty)$	17	30 ± 5.3	4	7.9 ± 2.2	5	6.3 ± 1.9	8	5.4 ± 2.8
OSSF1	${ m above-Z}$	(50, 100)	1	1.9 ± 0.49	10	3.7 ± 2.3	4	3.1 ± 1.2	17	12 ± 6.6
OSSF1	below-Z	(50, 100)	4	4.5 ± 0.9	11	6.4 ± 2.4	3	5 ± 2.1	9	9.4 ± 5.3
OSSF1	on-Z	(50, 100)	39	38 ± 6.2	34	26 ± 5.4	10	9.6 ± 2.7	12	9.5 ± 3.9
OSSF1	$\operatorname{above-Z}$	(0, 50)	3	3.2 ± 0.42	19	18 ± 4.5	0	2.7 ± 0.8	6	9.9 ± 4.6
OSSF1	below-Z	(0, 50)	9	11 ± 1.2	57	43 ± 10	2	4.7 ± 1.4	11	13 ± 5.3
OSSF1	on-Z	(0, 50)	58	63 ± 8.7	256	271 ± 66	12	14 ± 2.6	39	34 ± 7.9

Multilepton Physics - I

- A partial and biased list:
 - Open search
 - Detailed observations vs expectations for multilepton final states
 - RPC SUSY
 - GMSB-derived slepton-coNLSP, stau-NLSP
 - Electroweak with Higgs (MET+WZ,ZZ,Wh,Zh,hh final states)
 - natural Higgsino with strong production.
 - RPV SUSY
 - A host of RPV λ couplings
 - With and w/o MET,HT
 - Third generation (stop/tau) enriched
 - Simplified Models
 - T1tttt
 - T2WWWW
- Continued......

Multilepton Physics - II

- A partial and biased list, continued:
 - Higgs Doublet Models (with diphotons)
 - H →hh
 - $-A \rightarrow Zh$
 - t → c+higgs (with diphotons)
 - Fourth Generation (with diphotons)
 - b' →tW,bZ,bh
 - SM: ttW, ttZ
 - Exotic
 - Flavored Dark Matter (tau-heavy)
 - See-Saw (total charge binning)

Supersymmetry: Particle Physics Version of Occam's Razor

We like doubling the particle spectrum.

Single Blade (electron)



Twin Blade (electron & positron)



Multiple Blades (electron, positron, selectron?...

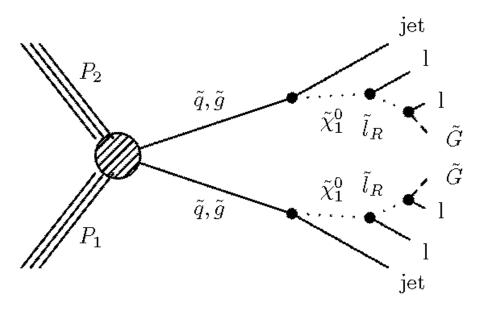
LHC vs SUSY Models



LHC

SUSY with R-Parity: Strong production

 GMSB slepton-CoNLSP, since 2010 (35 ipb) when everybody was feeling the beampipe for hadronic SUSY.

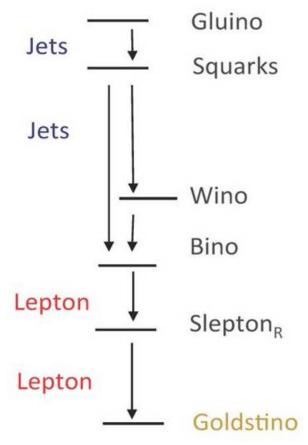


Strong production.

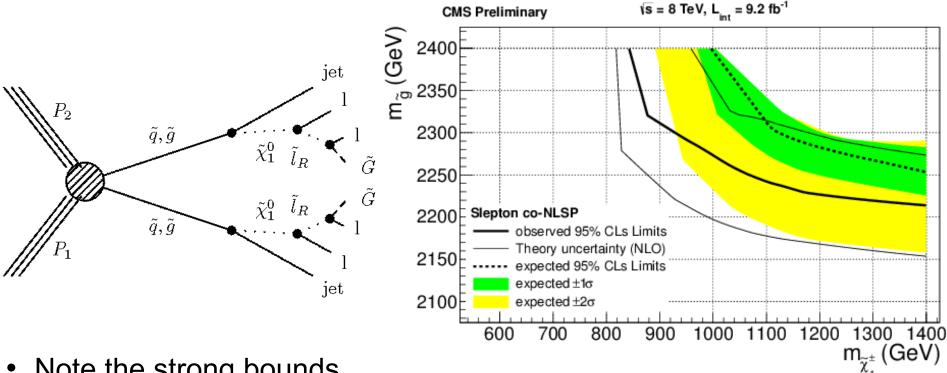
No compressed spectrum, etc

Prompt decay to Goldstino

(Scott Thomas)



Slepton co-NLSP (contd)



 Note the strong bounds thanks to strong production, plenty of leptons, jets, MET...

Keep an eye on stau-NLSP to be released at SUSY'13

(sleptons →staus...)

Electroweak Production

- Squarks and gluinos getting heavier in simple scenarios
- What if weak production beats strong production?
- →Electroweak production to the rescue?
- Less copious, so lesser reach in mass
- Less hadronic activity (a long ways from the LHC beampipe getting hot from SUSY production circa 2010)
- cf: classic trilepton SUSYsignature from Tevatron Run II.

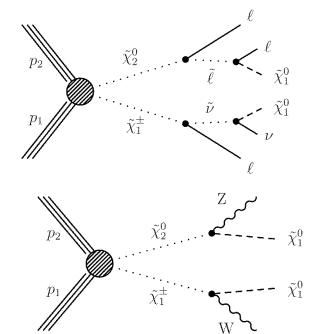
 mSUGRA limits were mostly due to EWK production.

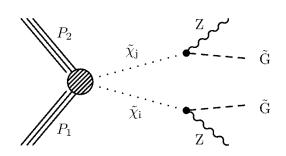
 (CDF:We got grief for cutting on jets → LHC: bin, don't cut.)

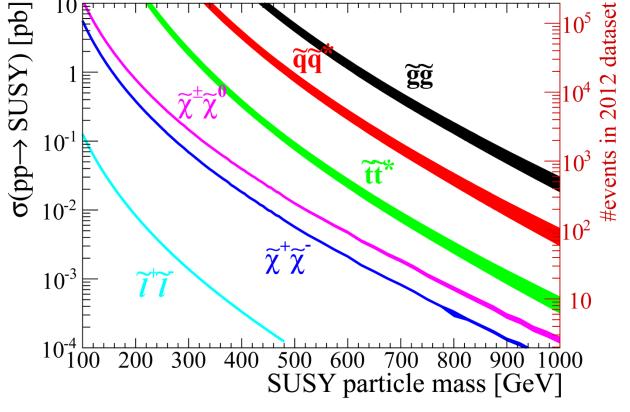
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The Leftward March

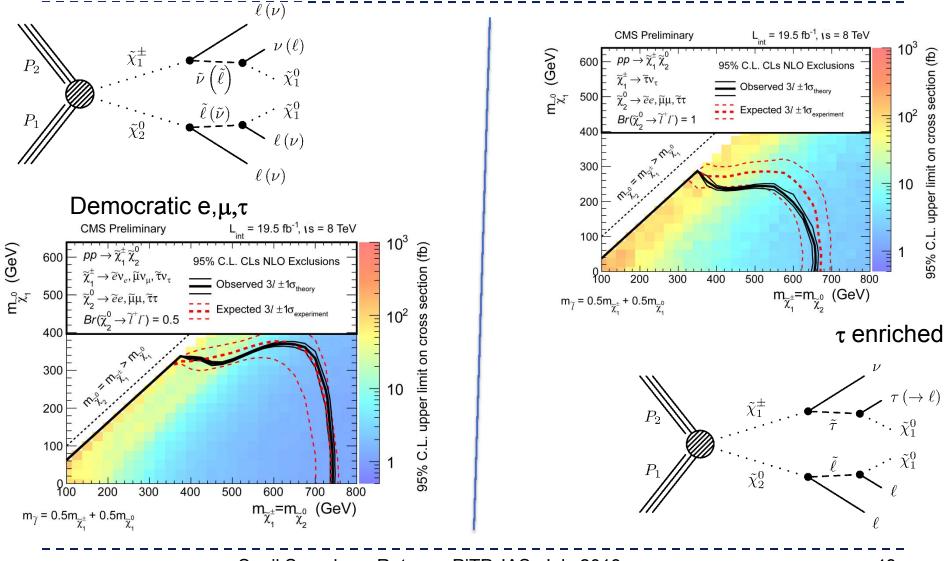




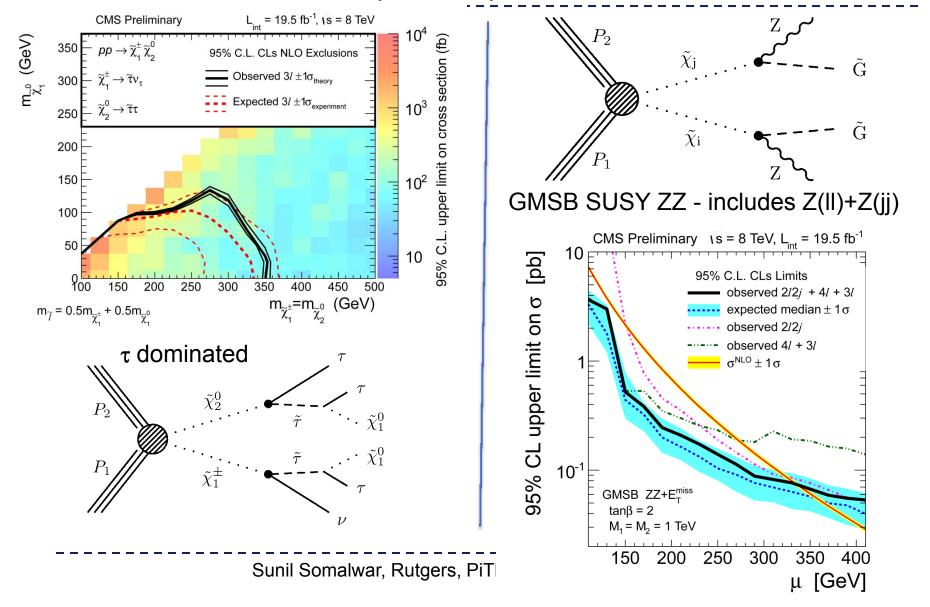




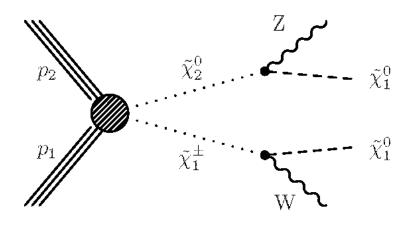
EWKino results (EPS'13)



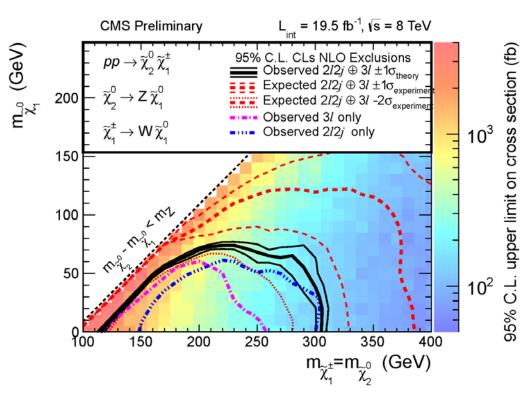
EWKino results (contd)



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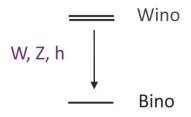
Sleptons heavy/decoupled WZ+ MET signature trileptons on Z & Z(II)+Z(jj)



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Higgs from ElectroWeak SUSY

Wino-Bino:



(Scott Thomas)

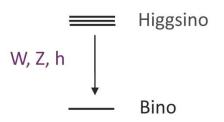
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Production
Mode
Channel
Chargino-Chargino
Chargino-Neutralino
WZ
Wh

Di-boson
Channel
Dominates if Open
WZ
Wh
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Neutralino $_{Wino}$ -> Neutralino $_{Bino}$ + h Neutralino $_{Wino}$ -> Neutralino $_{Bino}$ + Z 2nd order in mixing

EWKino with Higgs (contd)

Higgsino-Bino:



"Draining the swamp" (Scott Thomas)

Production Di-boson

Mode Channel

Chargino-Chargino > WW

Chargino-Neutralino > WZ Wh

Neutralino-Neutralino > ZZ, Zh hh

Higgs – multibinned approach essential !!

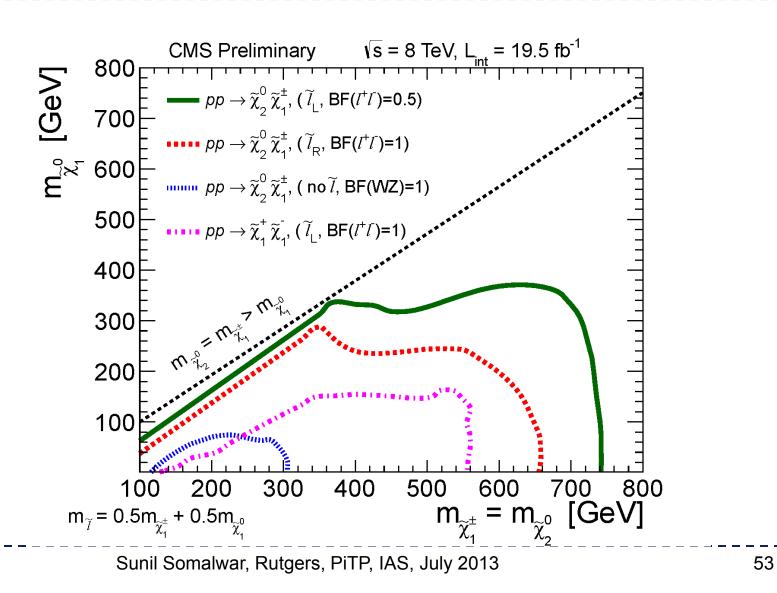
Dominates if Open

SUSY'13

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Neutralino<sub>Higgsino</sub> -> Neutralino<sub>Bino</sub> + h
Neutralino<sub>Higgsino</sub> -> Neutralino<sub>Bino</sub> + Z
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Oth order in mixing 1st order in mixing

CMS Electroweak Summary Slide (discussed by P.M. earlier today)



An Escape Valve: R-Parity Violation

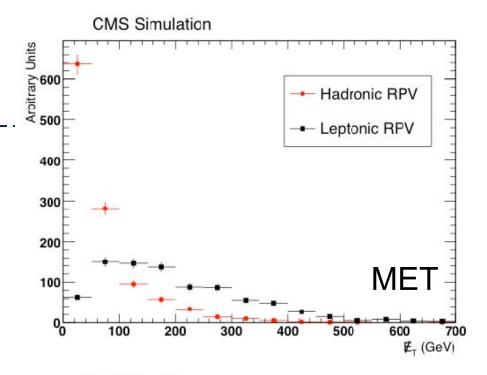
- Squarks and gluinos getting heavier in simple scenarios BUT
- R-Parity Violation can pull the rug from under searches requiring MET because the Lightest Supersymmetric Particle (LSP) decays.

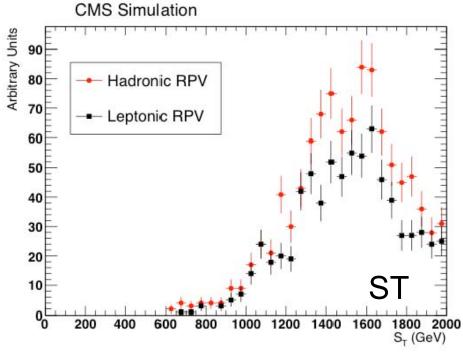
Also, possibly finite lifetimes depending on RPV couplings.

RPV can be tricky

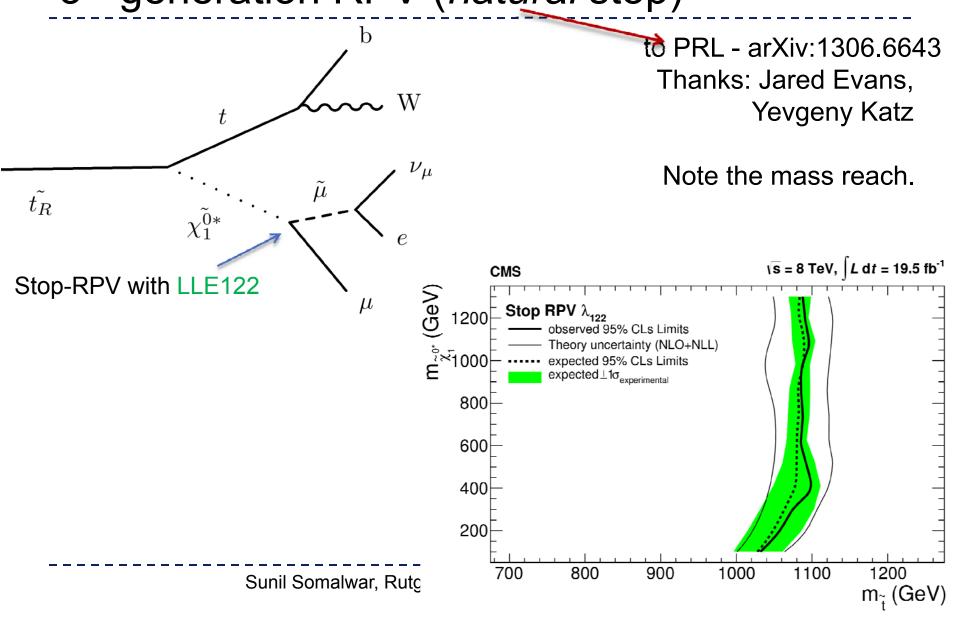
- A CMS multilepton study.
- Two RPV signals: no MET in hadronic RPV
- Examine ST instead
 (ST = sum of jet+lepton
 pt's and MET)
 (Also, "effective mass")
- •ST recovers the low-MET signal

Topologies by Scott Thomas
Sunil Somalwar, Rutgers,

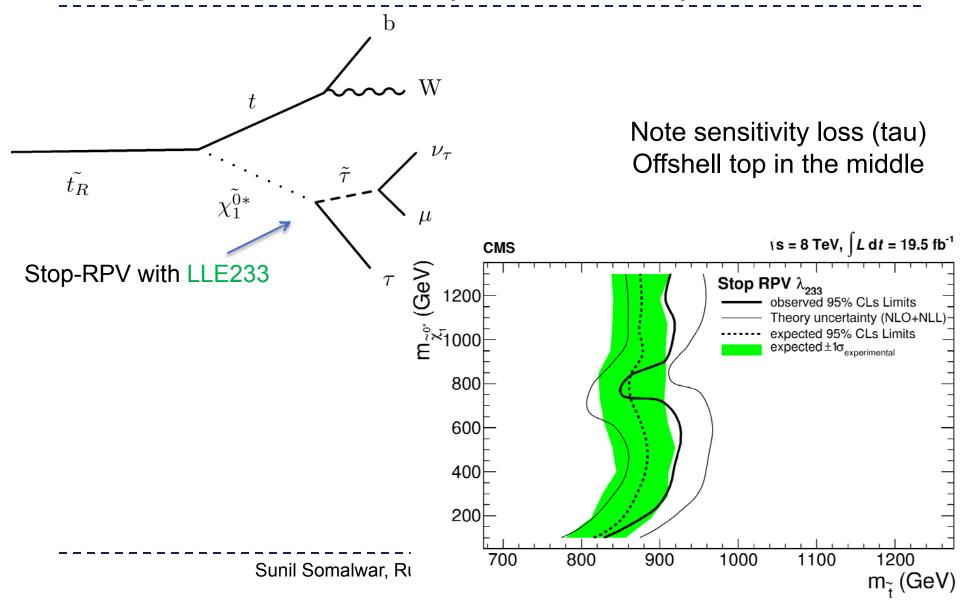




3rd generation RPV (*natural* stop)



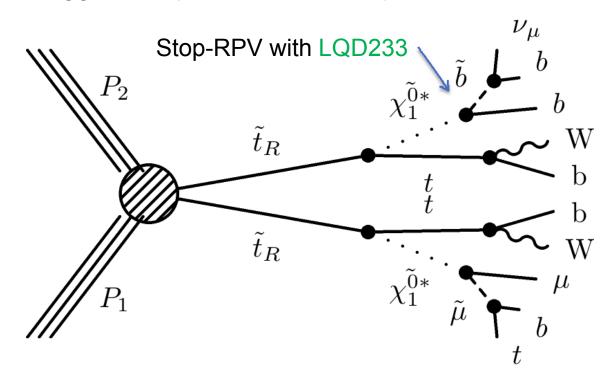
3rd generation RPV (*natural* stop)



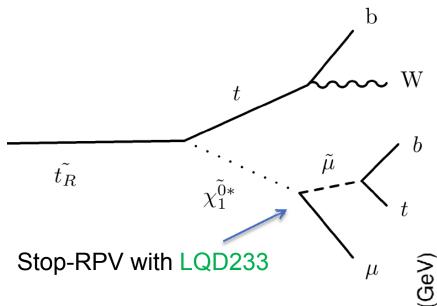
Stop RPV (contd)

Pause and ask a very important experimental question: Are the exclusion curves too straightforward to get into PRL? Yes!

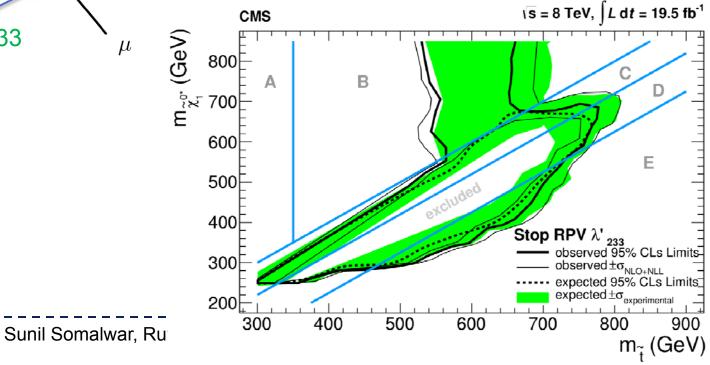
→Add wiggles, loops and other complications.



3rd generation RPV (*natural* stop)

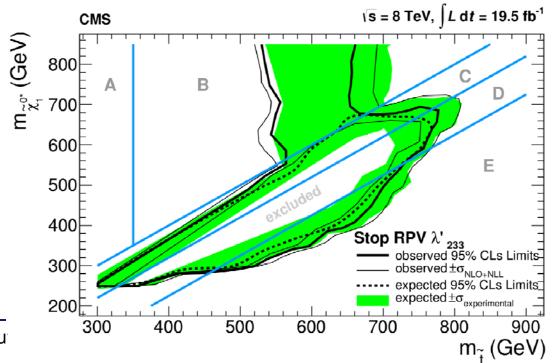


Voila! But we overshot. Too complicated for a 90 min lecture. (Read the paper). Note the expected-observed difference due to decoupling.



Stop RPV (contd) LQD233

region label	kinematic region	stop decay mode(s)				
A	$m_t < m_{\widetilde{t}} < 2m_t, m_{\widetilde{\chi}_1^0}$	$\widetilde{t} ightarrow t u b ar{b}$				
В	$2m_t < m_{\widetilde{t}} < m_{\widetilde{\chi}_1^0}$	$\widetilde{t} ightarrow t \mu t ar{b} + t u b ar{b}$				
С	$m_{\widetilde{\chi}_1^0} < m_{\widetilde{t}} < m_W + m_{\widetilde{\chi}_1^0}$	$\left \widetilde{t} ightarrow \ell u b \widetilde{\chi}_1^0 + j j b \widetilde{\chi}_1^0 \right $				
D	$m_W + m_{\widetilde{\chi}_1^0} < m_{\widetilde{t}} < m_t + m_{\widetilde{\chi}_1^0}$	$\widetilde{t} o Wb\widetilde{\chi}_1^0$				
E	$m_t + m_{\widetilde{\chi}_1^0} < m_{\widetilde{t}}$	$\widetilde{t} ightarrow t \widetilde{\chi}_1^0$				



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LHC vs SUSY Models



LHC

Nontrivial SUSY Scenarios

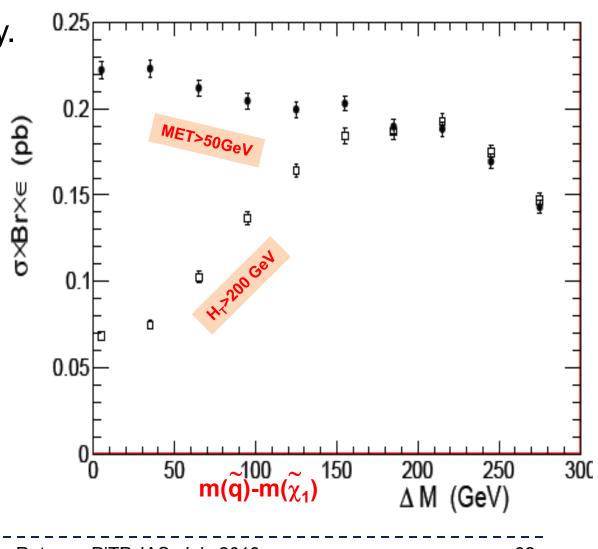
A CMS multilepton study.

• **Strong** production but minimal jets/HT

 Strong production captured by Lepton Sector

Slepton co-NLSP GMSB topology by Scott Thomas

Also, non-zero lifetimes etc....



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SUSY Possibilities: Ways to go

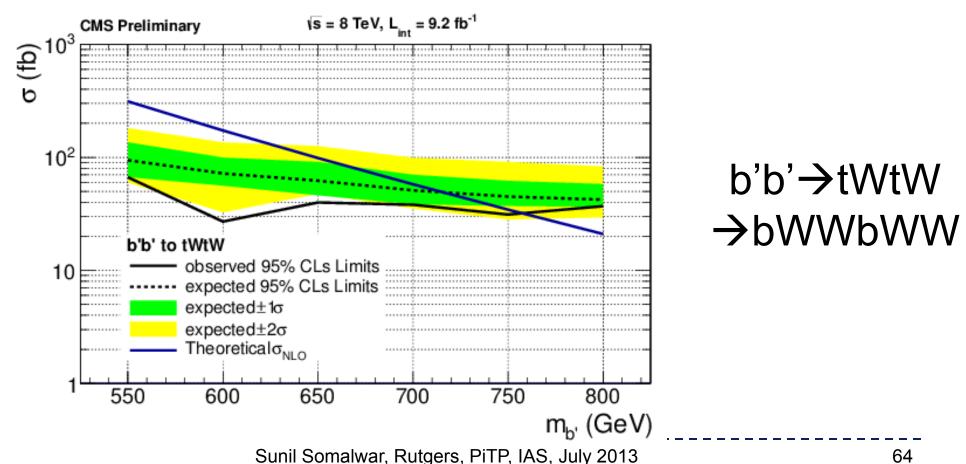


Nascent SUSY

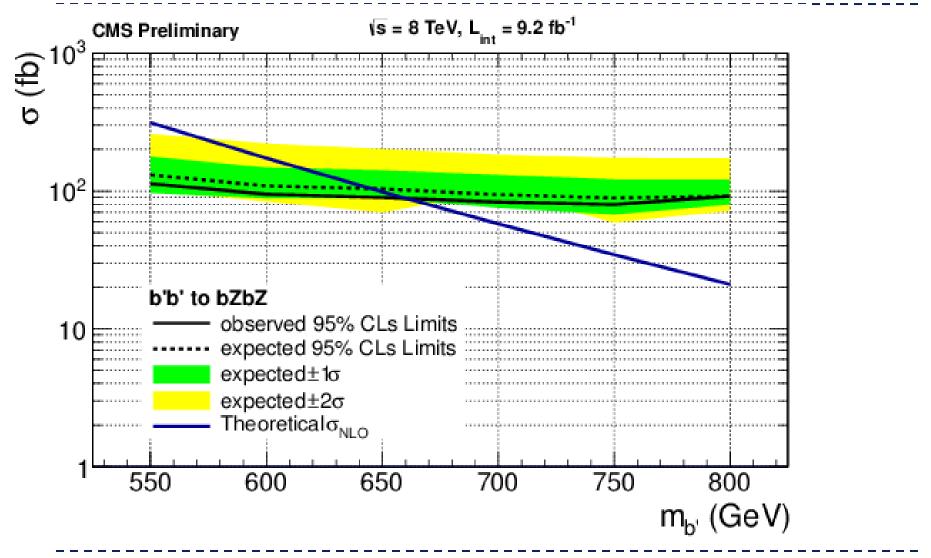
SUSY is very amorous. There isn't a signature that it does not like....

NOT SUSY – b' (a partner particle)

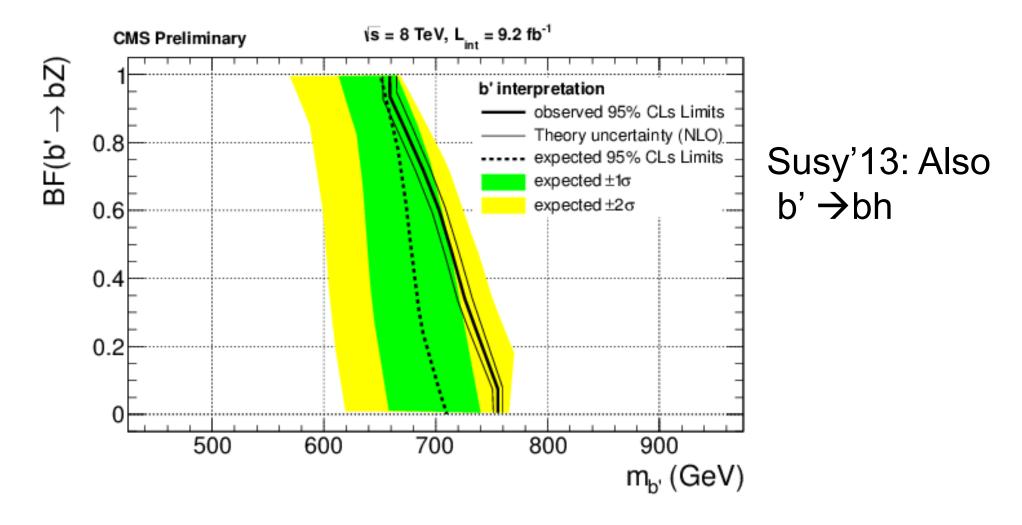
 Illustrates the versatility of a multibinned approach where "signal" and "control" channels are all treated uniformly. Some signals, e.g. b' → bZ show up in the "control" channels.



b' - contd



b' – tW to bZ transition



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CMS Multileptons: Example of a Broad Search

Three or more electrons, muons or taus. Up to two tau's reconstructed.

54-channel ST table and 52 channel MET/HT results on and off Z

Signal (low-bkgnd) and control (high bkgnd) channels treated uniformly.

CMS multileptons:

- a) Strong production GMSB slepton co-NLSP
- b) R-parity Violation
- c) Sensitive to accidents of spectrum (strong production captured by lepton sector)
- d) Missing MET: e.g. RPV (Hadronic): S_T comes handy
- e) Electroweak Production: fitting MET/MT

SURPRISES (detailed background studies)

- CMS pristine di-Z event ~5/pb (2010)
- Very rare four lepton event(s) in 2011, still outstanding.
- Trimuon Z (!!!???) and impact on Higgs

Credits

- PiTP organizers !!
- Richard Gray, Scott Thomas.
- LHC staff.
- CMS collaborators, conveners and management.
- Uncredited photographers and artists who produce images of penguins, foxes, smiley and sweaty emoticons...