

EF03 EW Physics: Heavy flavor and top quark physics

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Top Quark Physics: *Explore the Unknown*

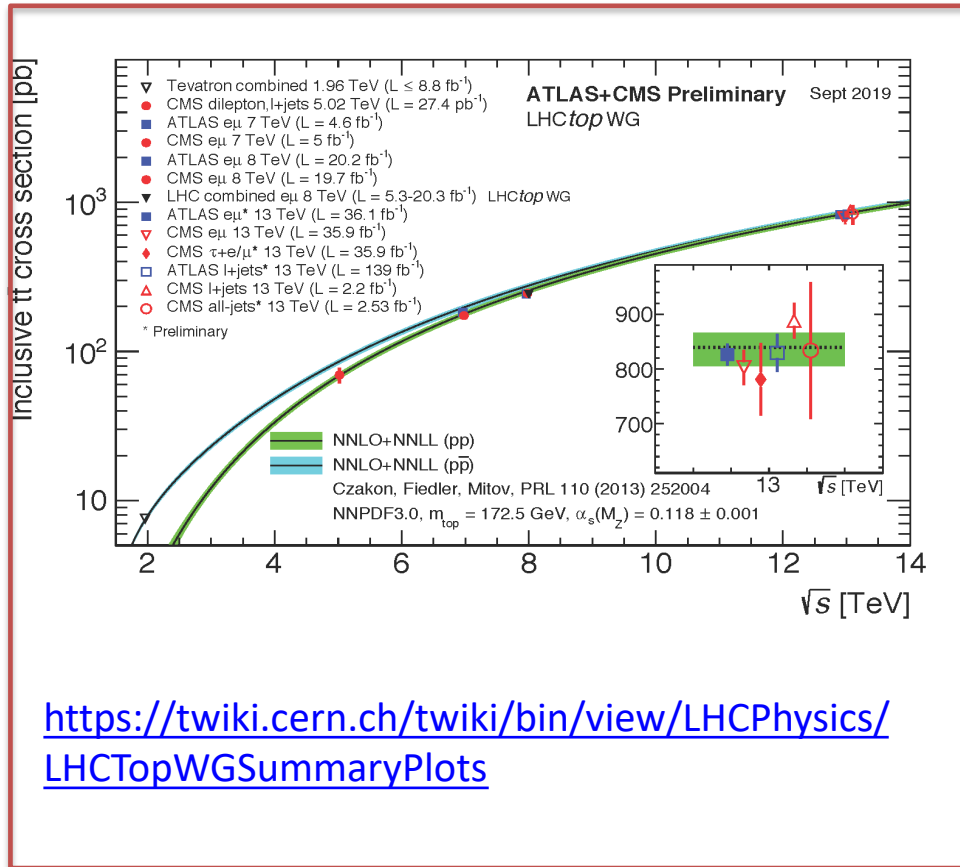
- The top quark is special: it is (still) the heaviest elementary particle with strong connections to the electroweak symmetry breaking sector:

$$y_t = \frac{\sqrt{2}m_t}{v} \sim 1 \quad \delta m_h^2 \propto y_t^2 \Lambda^2 \quad \lambda(Q^2) \propto y_t^4 \log\left(\frac{Q^2}{v^2}\right)$$

- Its detailed exploration may provide a first glimpse of physics beyond the Standard Model.
- It decays before hadronization and spin information is transferred to its decay products.
- Copious production of top quarks at the LHC motivate advances on both the experimental and theory side which enables a very rich and successful top physics program:
 - **precision measurements of top quark properties:** mass, couplings, ...
 - **searches for rare processes:** single top, $t\bar{t}V$, $t\bar{t}t\bar{t}$, FCNC, ...
 - **measurements of a wide variety of observables and in new kinematic regimes:** spin correlations, asymmetries, polarization, boosted top, jet substructure, ...

Inclusive top-pair production cross section

Tevatron and LHC



100 TeV pp collider

PDF	$\sigma(\text{nb})$	$\delta_{\text{scale}}(\text{nb})$	(%)	$\delta_{PDF}(\text{nb})$	(%)
CT14	34.692	+1.000 -1.649	(+2.9%) (-4.7%)	+0.660 -0.650	(+1.9%) (-1.9%)
NNPDF3.0	34.810	+1.002 -1.653	(+2.9%) (-4.7%)	+1.092 -1.311	(+3.1%) (-3.8%)
PDF4LHC15	34.733	+1.001 -1.650	(+2.9%) (-4.7%)	± 0.590	($\pm 1.7\%$)

<https://arxiv.org/pdf/1607.01831.pdf>

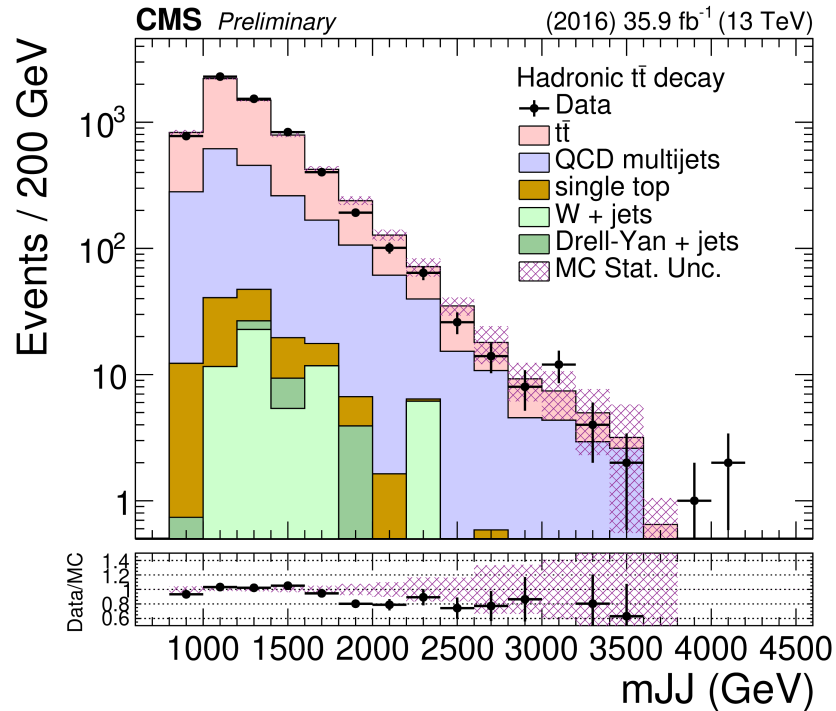
CLIC $e^+ e^-$ Linear Collider

\sqrt{s}	380 GeV ^a		1.4 TeV ^b		3 TeV ^b	
P(e^-)	-80%	+80%	-80%	+80%	-80%	+80%
σ_{tt}^c [fb]	161.00	75.97	18.44	9.84	3.52	1.91
stat. unc. [fb]	0.77	0.52	0.21	0.29	0.07	0.09

<https://arxiv.org/abs/1807.02441>

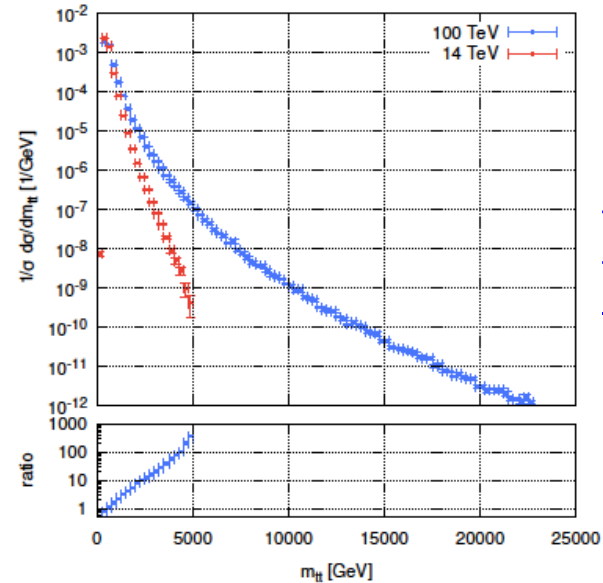
Accessing new kinematic regimes with top-quark pairs

13 TeV LHC

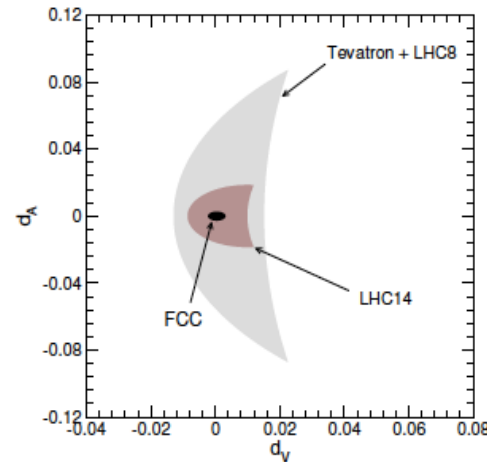


<http://cms-results.web.cern.ch/cms-results/public-results/preliminary-results/TOP-18-013/>

100 TeV pp collider



<https://arxiv.org/pdf/1607.01831.pdf>



Sensitivity to anomalous top-gluon couplings:

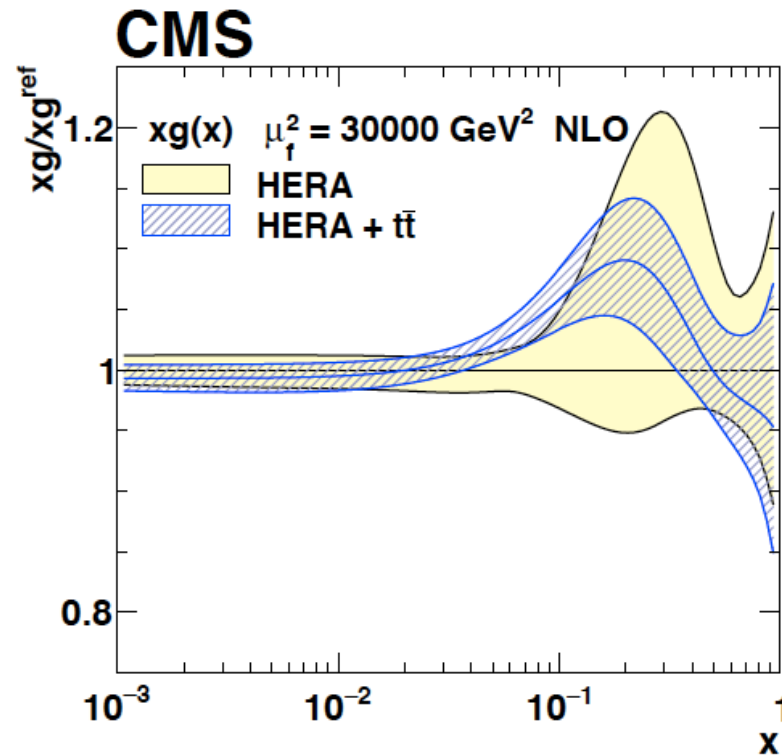
$$\frac{g_s}{m_t} \bar{t} \sigma^{\mu\nu} (d_V + i d_A \gamma_5) \frac{\lambda_a}{2} t G_{\mu\nu}^a$$

<https://arxiv.org/pdf/1412.6654.pdf>

$\alpha_s, m_t^{\text{pole}}$, and gluon PDF from triple differential cross sections ($M(tt), y(tt), N_{jet}$) at the 13 TeV LHC

$$\alpha_s(m_Z) = 0.1135 \pm 0.0016(\text{fit})_{-0.0004}^{+0.0002}(\text{model})_{-0.0001}^{+0.0008}(\text{param})_{-0.0005}^{+0.0011}(\text{scale}) = 0.1135_{-0.0017}^{+0.0021}(\text{total}),$$

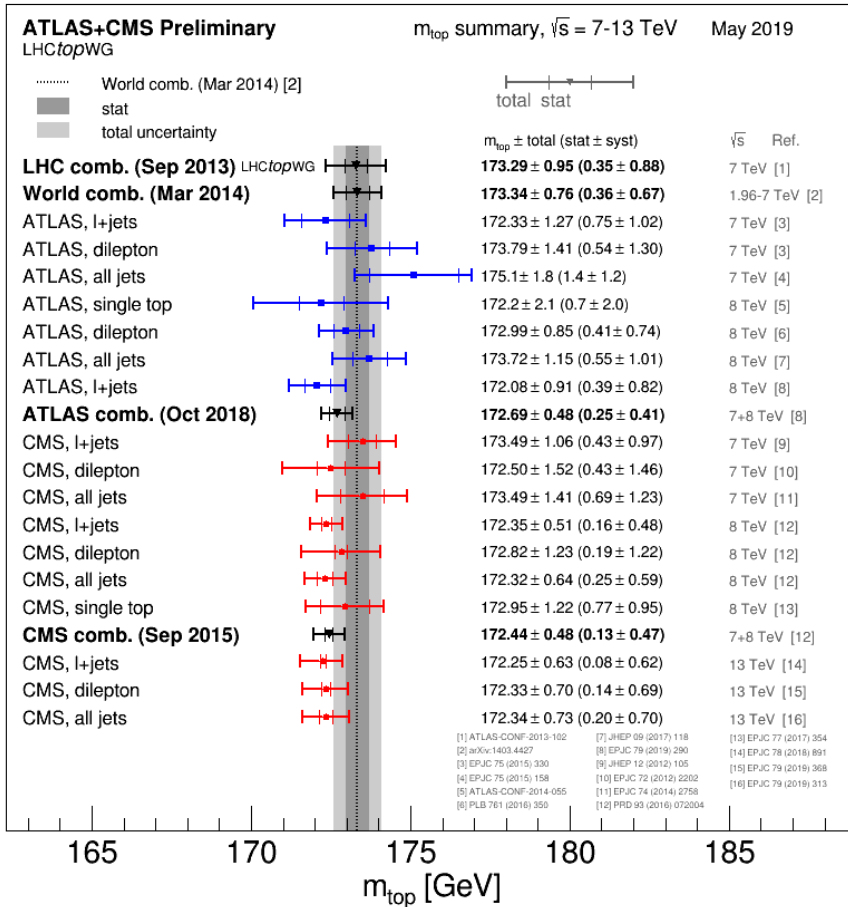
$$m_t^{\text{pole}} = 170.5 \pm 0.7(\text{fit}) \pm 0.1(\text{model})_{-0.1}^{+0.0}(\text{param}) \pm 0.3(\text{scale}) \text{ GeV} = 170.5 \pm 0.8(\text{total}) \text{ GeV}.$$



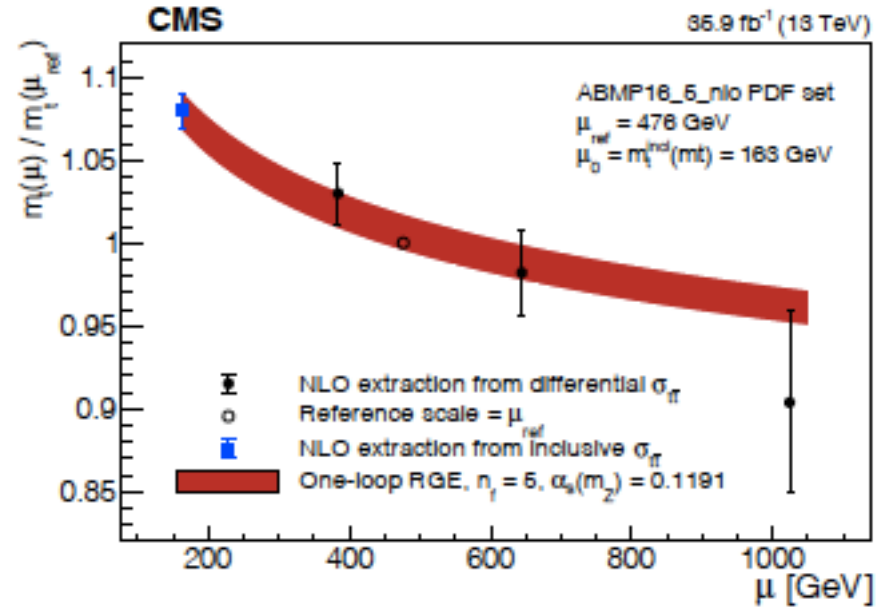
From a simultaneous fit to NLO QCD predictions.

<https://arxiv.org/pdf/1904.05237.pdf>

Top-quark mass measurements at the LHC



Running top quark mass (\overline{MS} scheme)
from $d\sigma_{t\bar{t}}/dm_{t\bar{t}}$, at the 13 TeV LHC



$$\mu^2 \frac{dm(\mu)}{d\mu^2} = -\gamma(\alpha_s(\mu)) m(\mu)$$

<https://arxiv.org/pdf/1909.09193.pdf>

<https://twiki.cern.ch/twiki/bin/view/LHCPhysics/LHCtopWGSummaryPlots>

Top-quark mass from $t\bar{t}$ threshold scans at e^+e^- colliders

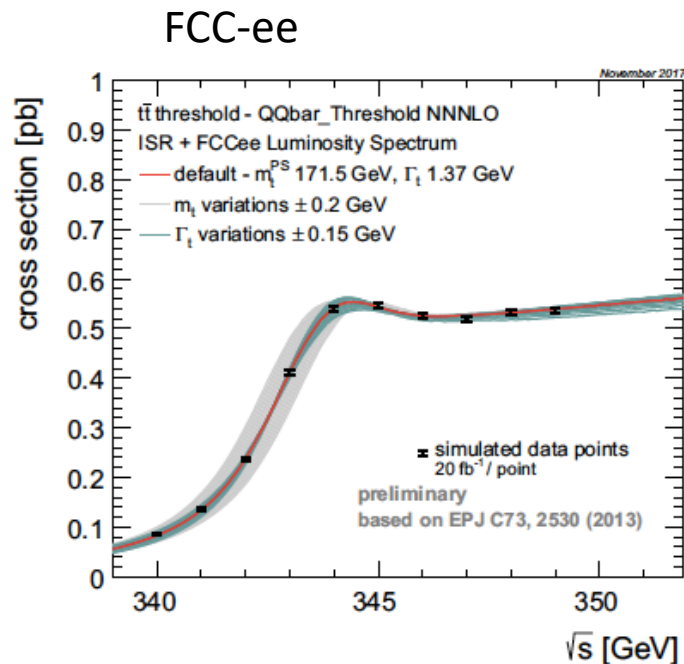
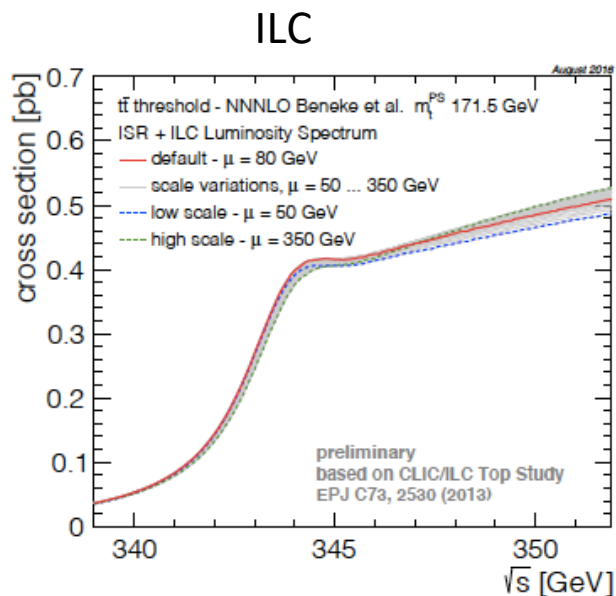


Table 1. Summary of the results of 1D and 2D fits for the two threshold scan scenarios. 1D fits, the statistical uncertainties give the extent of the 1σ contour in the respective direction.

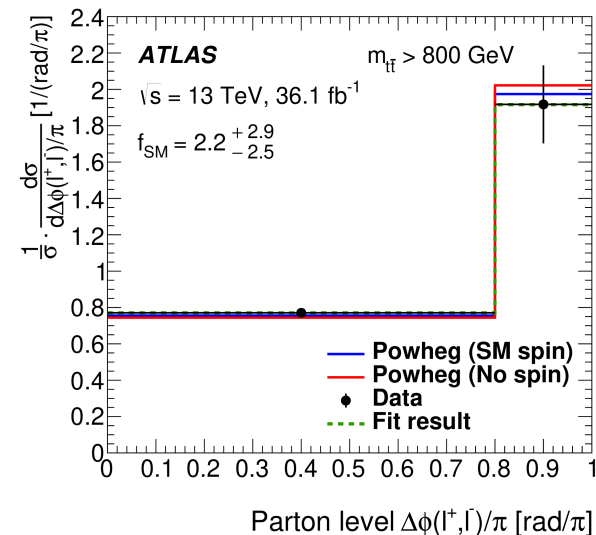
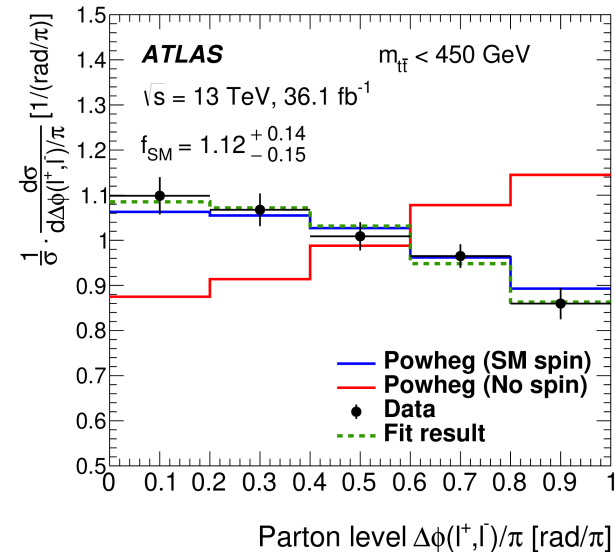
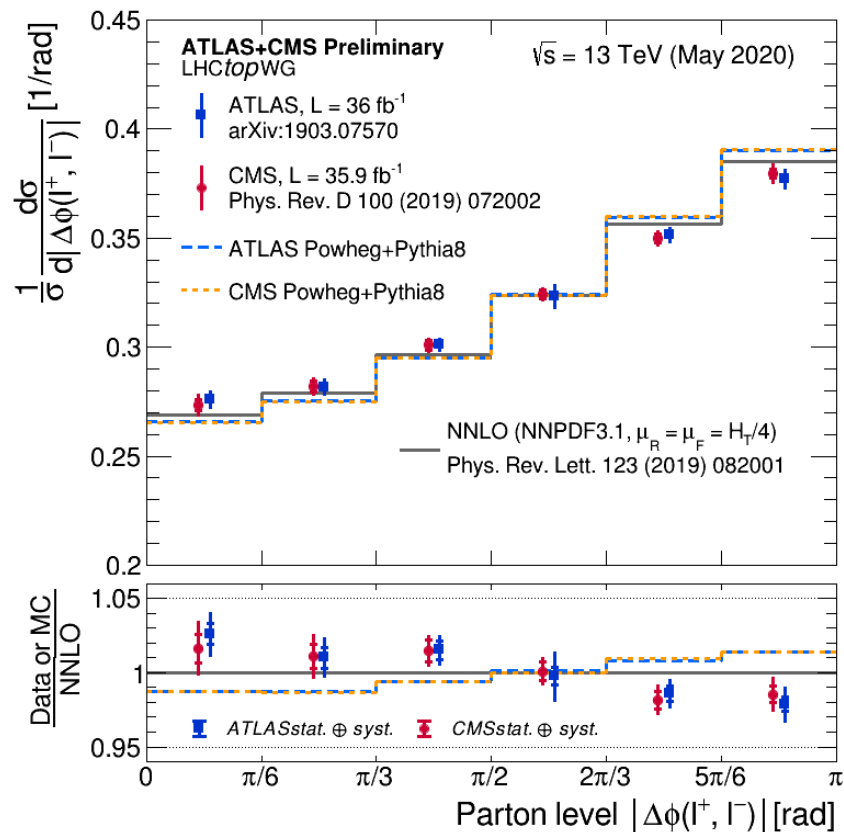
parameter	8 point scan	10 point scan
1D fit		
m_t	$(\pm 10.3_{(\text{stat})} \pm 44_{(\text{theo})}) \text{ MeV}$	$(12.2_{(\text{stat})} \pm 40_{(\text{theo})}) \text{ MeV}$
2D fit m_t and Γ_t		
m_t	$(^{+20.7}_{-24.3}_{(\text{stat})} \pm 45_{(\text{theo})}) \text{ MeV}$	$(^{+29.7}_{-25.3}_{(\text{stat})} \pm 43_{(\text{theo})}) \text{ MeV}$
Γ_t	$(^{+50}_{-55}_{(\text{stat})} \pm 32_{(\text{theo})}) \text{ MeV}$	$(^{+80}_{-55}_{(\text{stat})} \pm 39_{(\text{theo})}) \text{ MeV}$
2D fit m_t and y_t		
m_t	$(\pm 35_{(\text{stat})} \pm 45_{(\text{theo})}) \text{ MeV}$	$(^{+34}_{-31}_{(\text{stat})} \pm 42_{(\text{theo})}) \text{ MeV}$
y_t	$(^{+0.12}_{-0.14}_{(\text{stat})} \pm 0.09_{(\text{theo})})$	$(^{+0.128}_{-0.112}_{(\text{stat})} \pm 0.132_{(\text{theo})})$

<https://link.springer.com/article/10.1140/epjc/s10052-019-6904-3>

Estimated uncertainties in the Potential-subtracted (PS) top quark mass.

<https://arxiv.org/pdf/1902.07246.pdf>

Spin correlations in top-pair production at the 13 TeV LHC

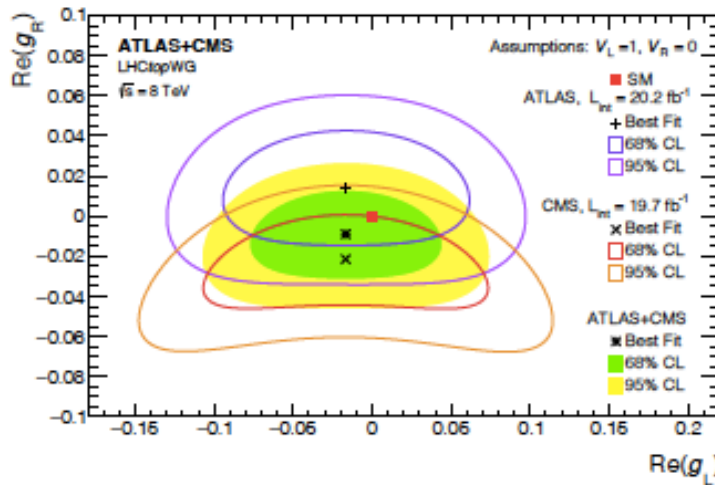
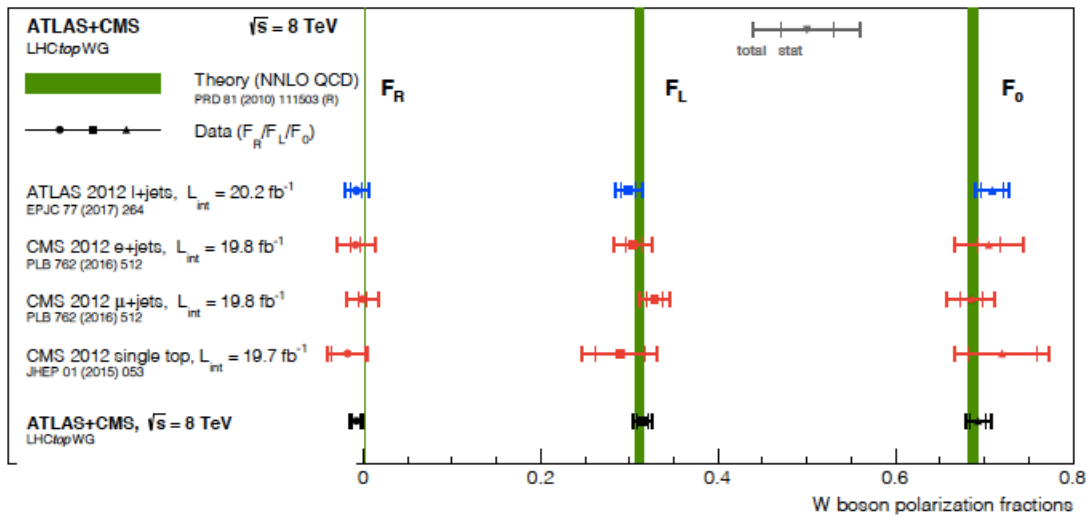


<https://twiki.cern.ch/twiki/bin/view/LHCPhysics/LHCTopWGSummaryPlots>

<https://arxiv.org/pdf/1903.07570.pdf>

W polarization and anomalous tWb couplings from top decays in top-pair production at the 8 TeV LHC

$$\frac{1}{\Gamma} \frac{d\Gamma}{d \cos \theta^*} = \frac{3}{4} (1 - \cos^2 \theta^*) F_0 + \frac{3}{8} (1 - \cos \theta^*)^2 F_L + \frac{3}{8} (1 + \cos \theta^*)^2 F_R.$$



Allowed regions for anomalous tWb tensor couplings.

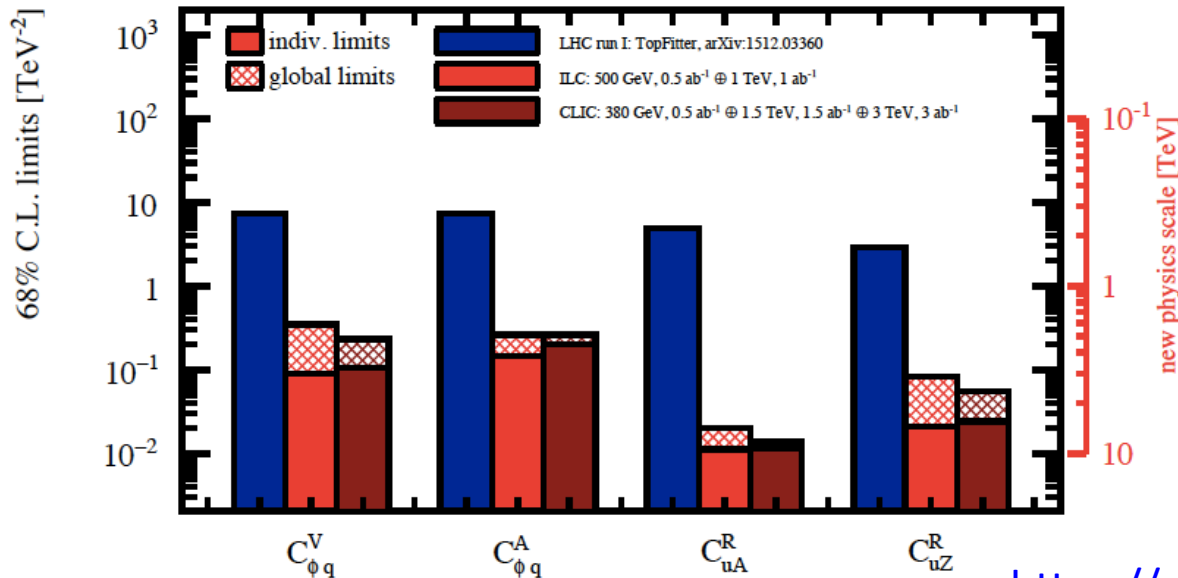
$$\mathcal{L}_{tWb} = -\frac{g}{\sqrt{2}} \bar{b} \gamma^\mu (V_L P_L + V_R P_R) t W_\mu^- - \frac{g}{\sqrt{2}} \bar{b} \frac{i\sigma^{\mu\nu} q_\nu}{m_W} (g_L P_L + g_R P_R) t W_\mu^-.$$

<https://arxiv.org/pdf/2005.03799.pdf>

Top EW couplings from global EFT fits

Individual 95% C.L. limits:

	existing		expected at high luminosity				expected at e^+e^-			
	TOPFITTER	Ref. [74]	Ref. [74]	$t\bar{t}V$ [14, 75]	$t\bar{t}V$ 10%	$t\bar{t}V$ 3%	tZj [76]	CC	ILC	CLIC
$C_{\varphi q}^1$	[-12, 13]			[-1.3, 1.0]	[-2.0, 2.0]	[-0.6, 0.6]	[-17, 17]	0.14	0.076	0.098
$C_{\varphi q}^3$	[-5.3, 3.1]			[-1.0, 1.3]	[-2.0, 2.0]	[-0.6, 0.6]	[-2.8, 1.5]	0.14	0.076	0.089
$C_{\varphi u}$	[-20, 17]			[-1.3, 3.0]	[-3.4, 2.8]	[-0.8, 1.0]	[-26, 20]	0.29	0.15	0.18
$C_{\varphi ud}$		[-11, 14]	[-8.4, 11]				[-8.4, 8.4]			
C_{uB}	[-20, 14]			[-4.8, 4.8]	[-12, 12]	[-6.6, 4.0]	[-12, 11]	0.022	0.022	0.024
C_{uW}	[-2.0, 2.8]	[-2.7, 1.6]	[-1.3, 1.3]	[-1.4, 1.4]	[-3.6, 3.8]	[-2.2, 2.2]	[-1.3, 1.3]	0.015	0.014	0.016
C_{dW}		[-3.4, 3.6]	[-2.9, 3.1]							



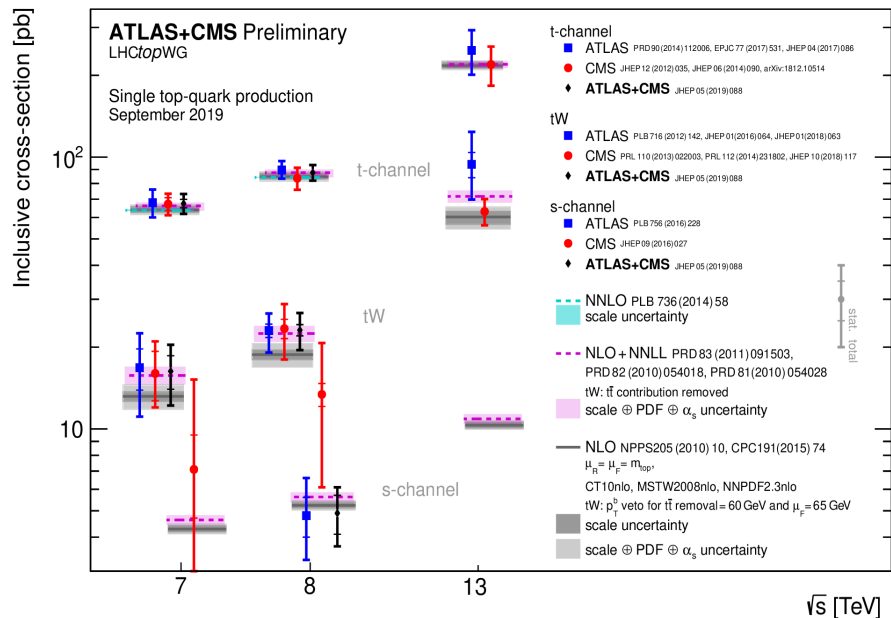
Observables:

$\sigma_{t\bar{t}}$, A_{FB} ,
top-quark and W
polarization,
CP-odd observables,
...

<https://arxiv.org/abs/1807.02121>

Single-top quark production

7, 8, 13 TeV LHC



<https://twiki.cern.ch/twiki/bin/view/LHCPhysics/LHCtopWGSummaryPlots>

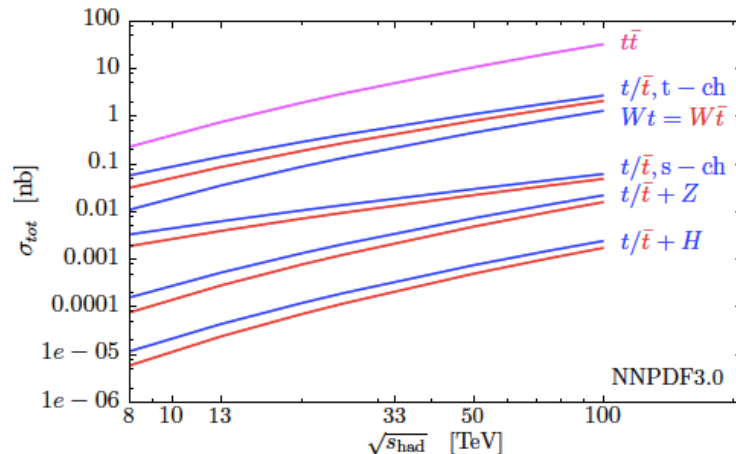
Right bottom:

<https://arxiv.org/abs/1910.09788>

Right top plot:

<https://arxiv.org/pdf/1607.01831.pdf>

100 TeV collider



	14 TeV		27 TeV		100 TeV	
	1b	2b	1b	2b	1b	2b
tj	0.113	1.98×10^{-3}	0.610	0.0135	4.80	0.142
tb	3.37×10^{-3}	6.24×10^{-3}	0.0134	0.0242	0.0778	0.134
$t\bar{t}$	0.432	0.275	2.78	1.81	53.9	26.3
$b\bar{b}$	0.011	0.020	0.0725	0.131	0.333	0.570
jj	0.23	6.9×10^{-3}	0.92	0.037	18	0.68

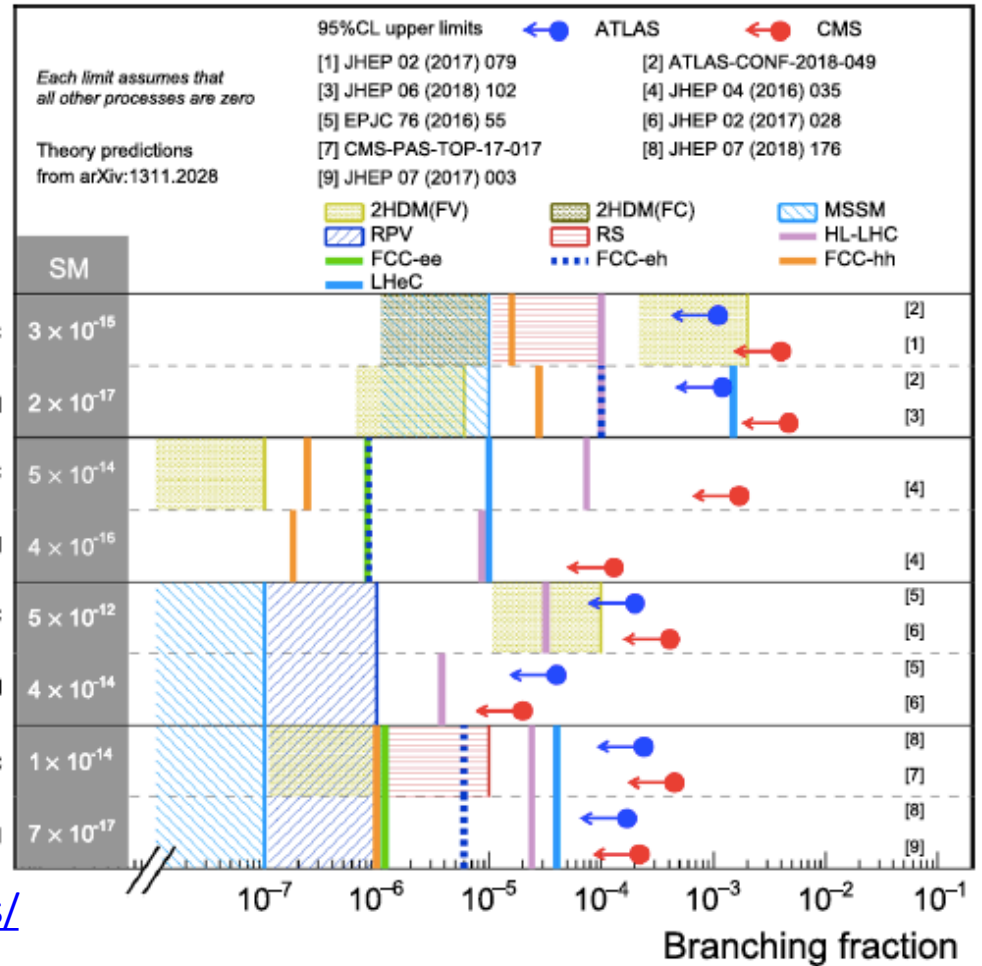
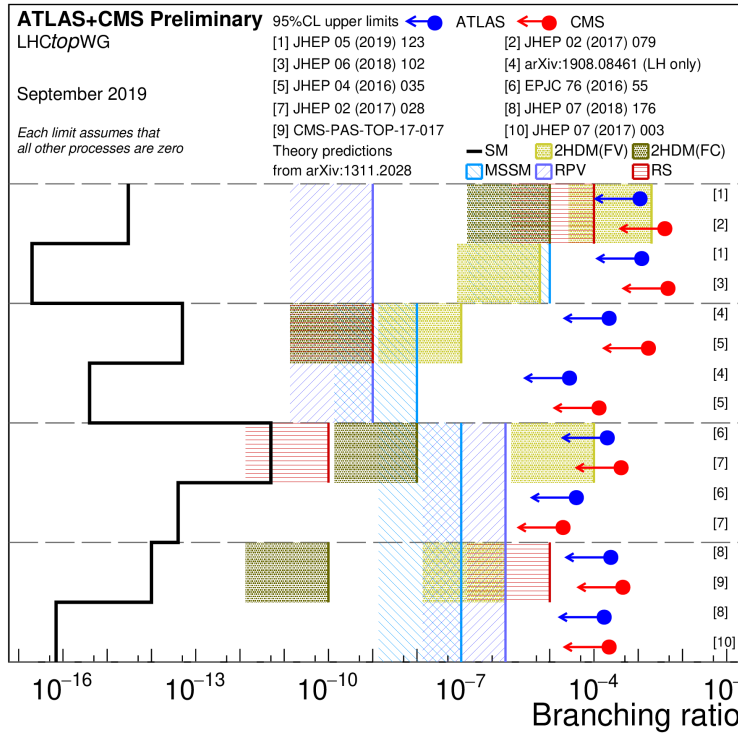
TABLE IV: Cross sections (in fb) for the different processes in the 1b and 2b samples with the final selection, for $z_1 \geq 0.6$.

$$1b : |g_L| \leq 0.046 [0.033], \quad -\frac{g}{\sqrt{2}M_W} g_L \bar{b}_R \sigma^{\mu\nu} t_L \partial_\mu W_\nu^-$$

$$2b : |g_L| \leq 0.043 [0.031].$$

(assuming 10% systematic uncertainty)

Search for FCNC top decays



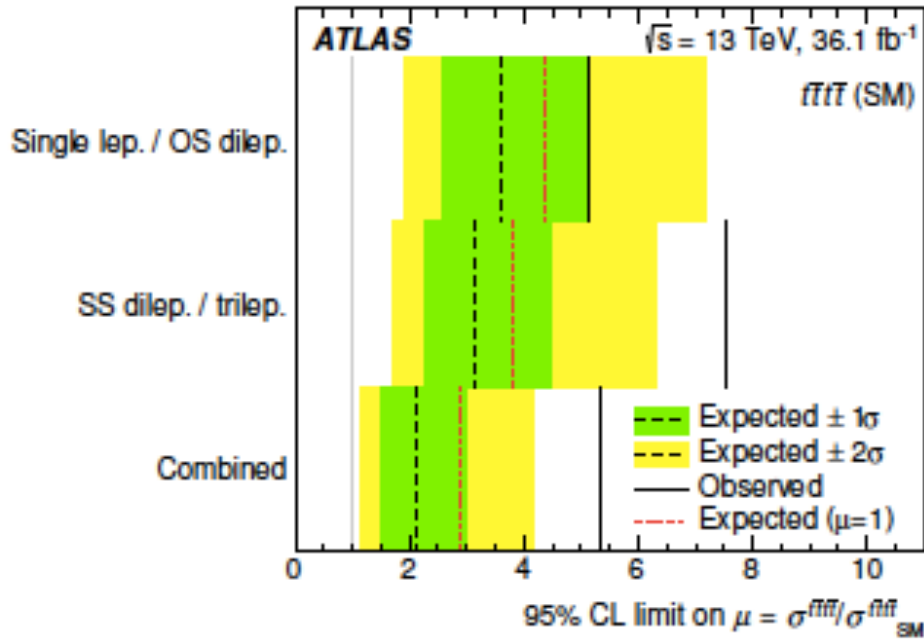
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FCC Physics Opportunities:

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Multiple top-quark production

13 TeV LHC

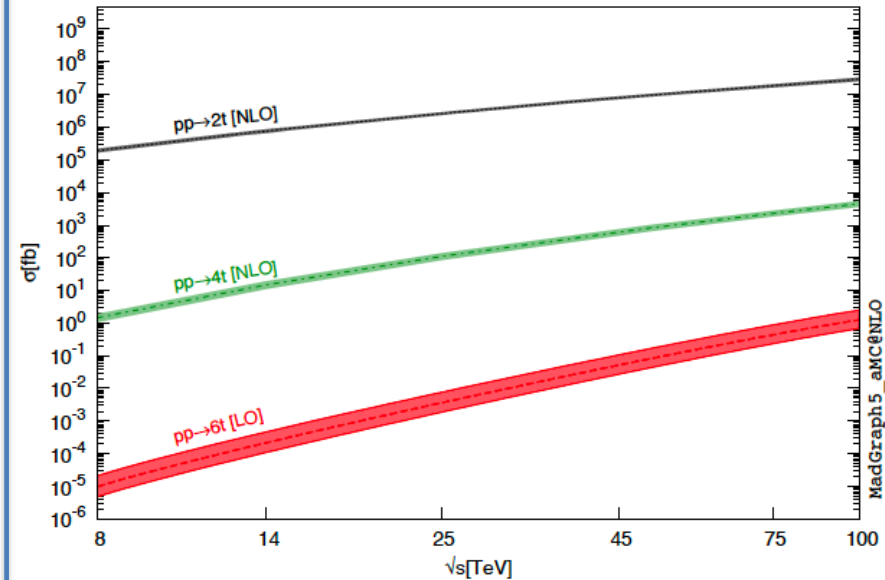


Limit on 4 top-quark contact interaction:

$$|C_{4t}| / \Lambda^2 < 1.9 \text{ TeV}^{-2}$$

<https://arxiv.org/abs/1811.02305>

Future pp colliders



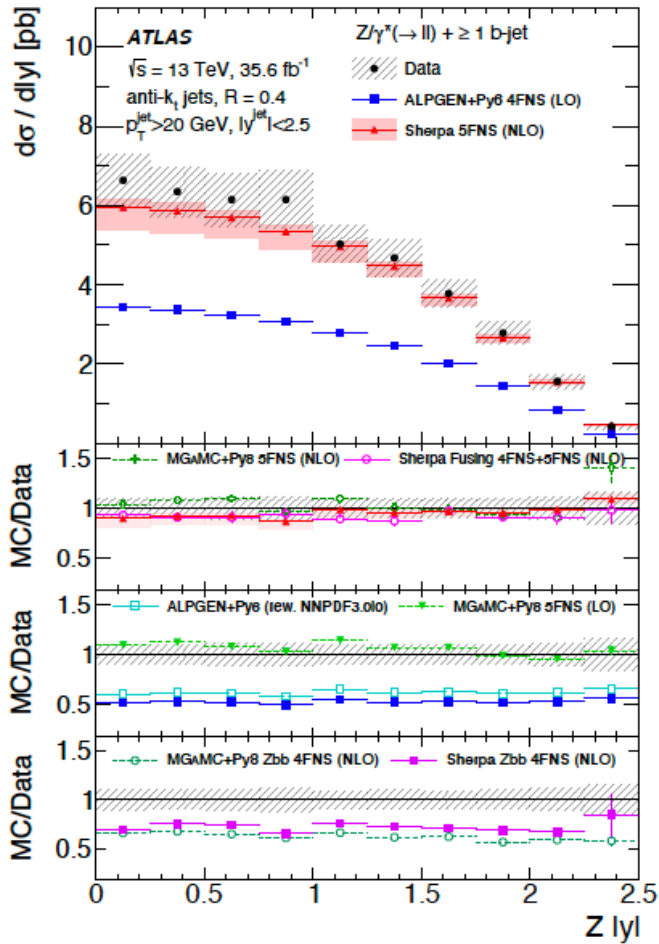
<https://arxiv.org/pdf/1405.6119.pdf>

Heavy Flavor Physics (bottom, charm)

- Decays of b and c quarks is covered in the [Rare Processes and Precision Measurements TG RF1](#).
- Here we will study the prospects for heavy flavor production (bottom and charm) in association with EW gauge bosons:
 - Precision probes of pQCD and heavy-quark factorization schemes
 - $W+c$ production accesses the strange quark content of the proton
 - $Z+b$ production probes the b-quark PDF

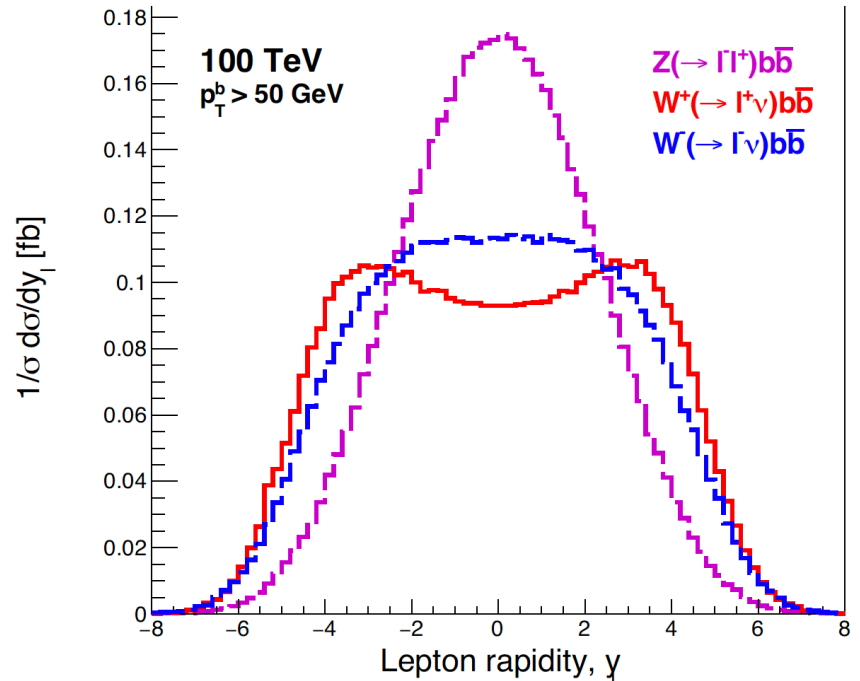
Z+b-jets production

13 TeV LHC



<https://arxiv.org/pdf/2003.11960.pdf>

100 TeV pp collider



<https://arxiv.org/pdf/1607.01831.pdf>

Many connections with other Frontiers and TGs

- **Rare Processes and Precision:**
 - RF1: Weak Decays of b and c quarks - direct sharing of topics
- **Cosmic:**
 - CF1: Dark matter particle-like – when dark matter is produced at a collider in association with top
- **Theory:**
 - TF02: EFT
 - TF06: Theory techniques for precision physics
 - TF07: Collider Phenomenology
 - TF08: BSM model building
- **Accelerator:**
 - AF3: Accelerators for EW/Higgs (Top?)
 - AF4, Multi-TeV Colliders
- **Energy Frontier:**
 - EF01 – ttH, EF04, EF05 - in particular MC generators, EF06: PDFs, EF08, EF09 - EFT fits, new fermions, EF10

Here is how to get involved:

- Join our email list by emailing to listserv@fnal.gov and keep the subject line blank and type in the body:
SUBSCRIBE SNOWMASS-EF-03-TOP_HEAVY-FLAVOR@FNAL.GOV FIRSTNAME LASTNAME
- Email the conveners: schwier@msu.edu, dw24@buffalo.edu
- Share your ideas for Snowmass-specific studies in form of a **Letter of Interest** (at most 2 pages):
 - **Deadline: August 31, 2020**
 - **Instructions:** <https://snowmass21.org/loi>
- Participate in our **first EF03 TG meeting on May 28, 1-3pm EDT:**
<https://indico.fnal.gov/event/43491/>

Some Resources

- ATLAS and CMS public top quark physics results:

<https://twiki.cern.ch/twiki/bin/view/AtlasPublic/TopPublicResults>

<https://twiki.cern.ch/twiki/bin/view/CMSPublic/PhysicsResultsTOP>

- ATLAS and CMS public V+heavy flavor (b,c) results:

<https://twiki.cern.ch/twiki/bin/view/AtlasPublic/StandardModelPublicResults>

<http://cms-results.web.cern.ch/cms-results/public-results/publications/SMP/VHF.html>

- LHCb public physics results:

http://lhcbproject.web.cern.ch/lhcbproject/Publications/LHCBProjectPublic/Summary_QEE.html

- CLIC:

<http://clic-study.web.cern.ch>

- ILC TDR:

<https://ilchome.web.cern.ch/publications/ilc-technical-design-report>

- FCC CDR:

<http://fcc-cdr.web.cern.ch>

- CEPC:

<http://cepc.ihep.ac.cn>

We are in the process of creating a collection of Top+HF physics specific resources for future colliders and very much appreciate your input.