

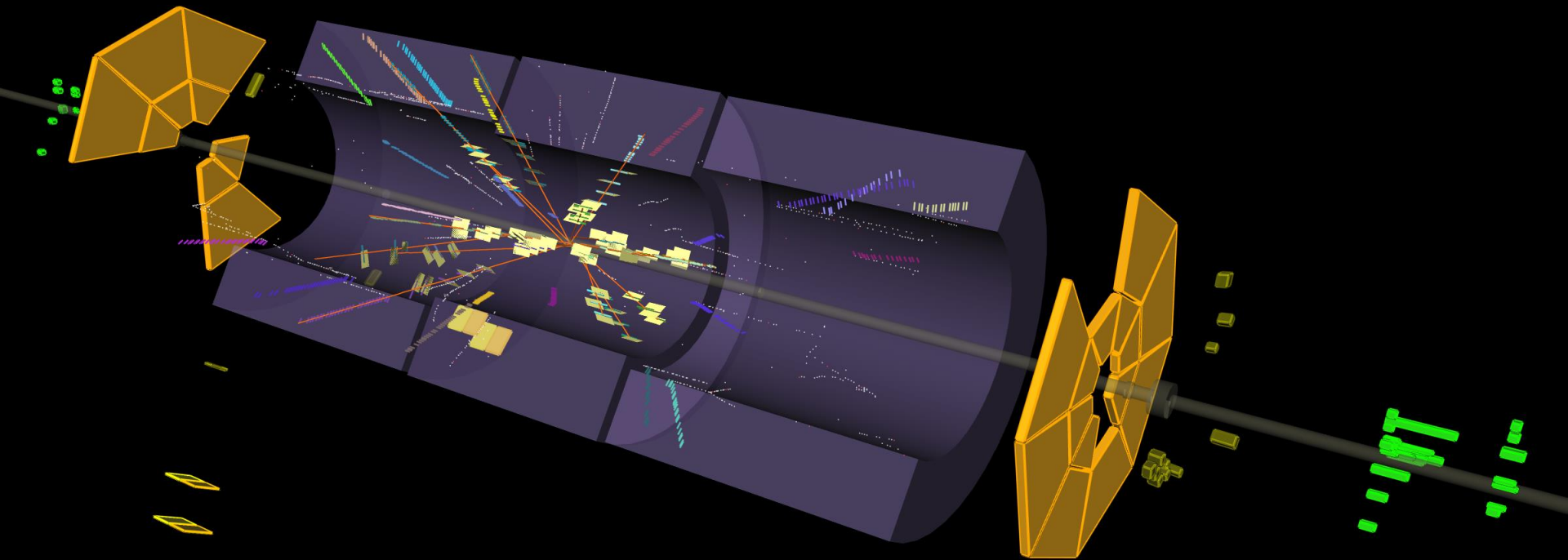
# BSM searches in multi-object final states in ATLAS



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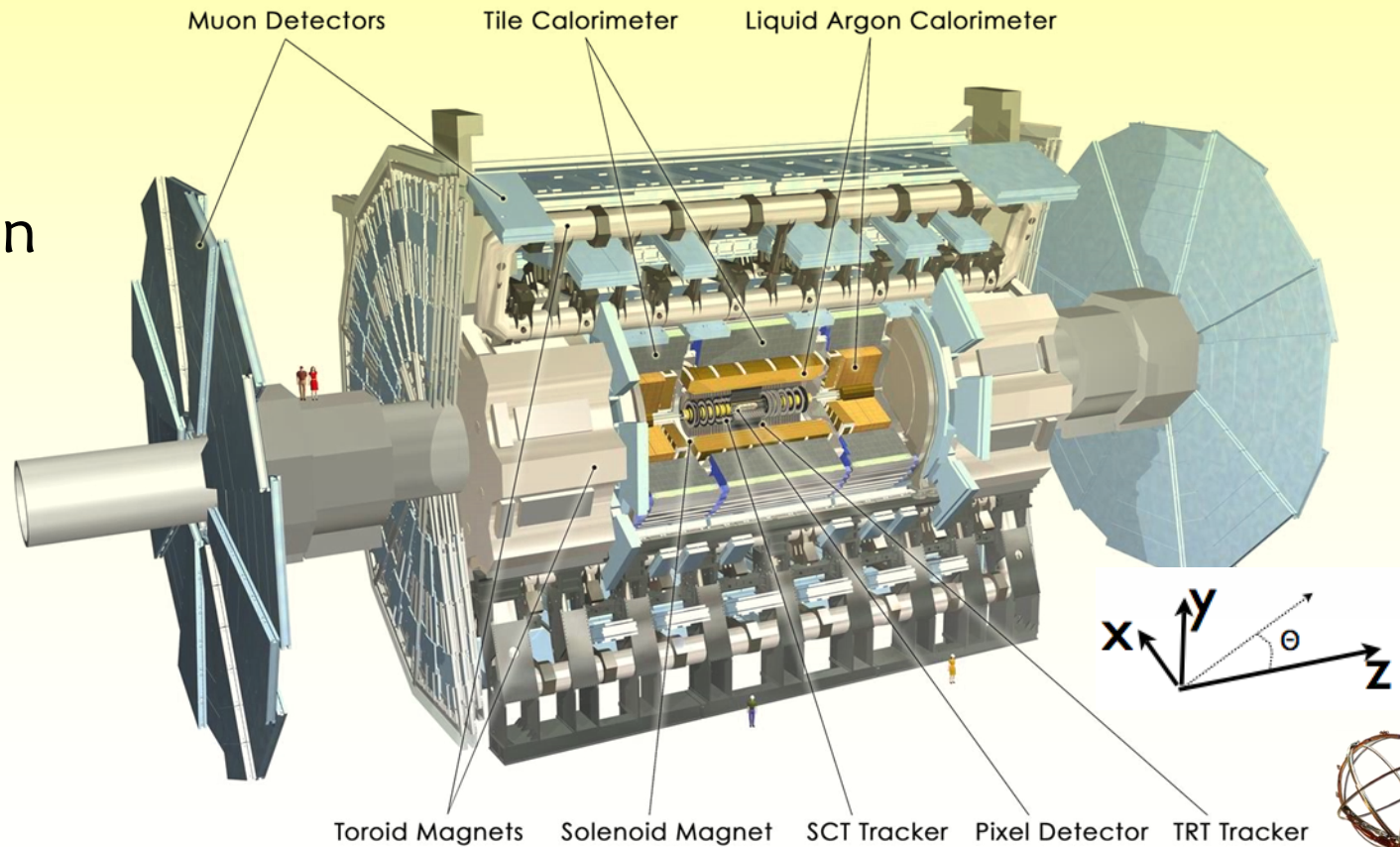
# Outline

- Standard Model (SM) of particle physics works very well, all experimental observations so far are consistent with it
  - In particular discovery of SM-like Higgs boson
- Nevertheless, many questions remain unanswered
  - What explains the light Higgs mass?
  - What is dark matter?
  - ...
- A wide range of searches for physics beyond the SM that should answer these questions (SUSY, gravitino's, extra dimensions, ...)
- Impossible to cover everything in this talk. Instead, will highlight a number of analyses with a large number of objects in the final state:
  - $t\bar{t}$  resonances
  - Vector-like quarks
  - Production of supersymmetric particles (squarks, gluinos, ...)
  - R-Parity violation
  - Long lived particles

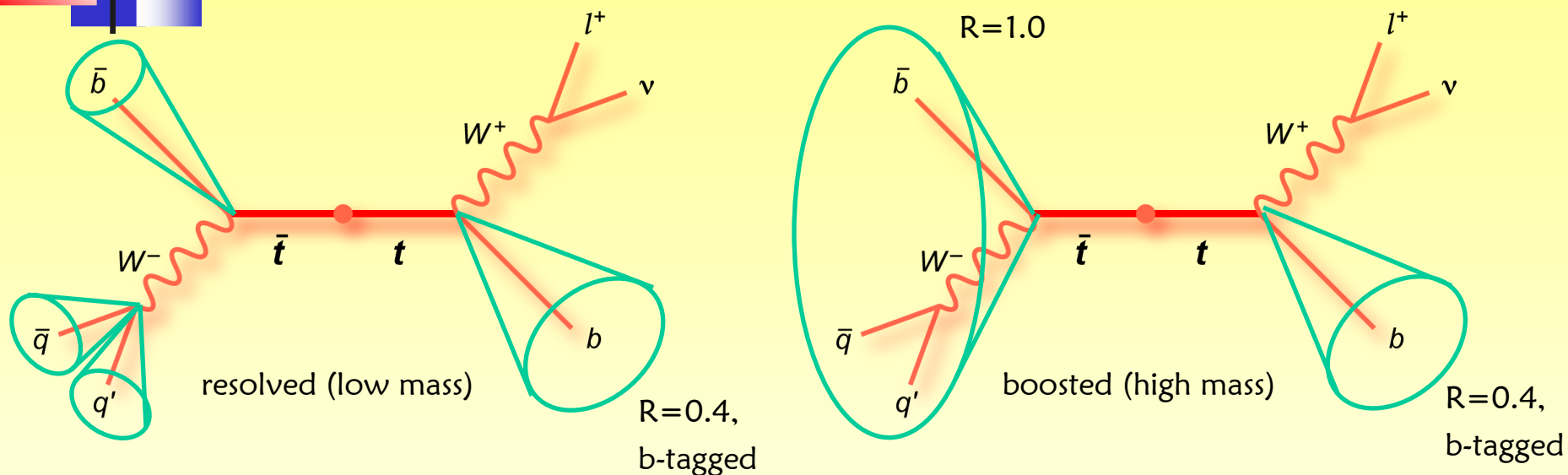


# The ATLAS experiment

- **A** Toroidal **L**H**C** **A**pparatu**S**: multi-purpose detector designed to cover large range of physics measurements
- mass  $\sim 7000$  tons
- height 25m
- length 46m
- $\sim 100$  million channels



# $t\bar{t}$ resonances, semi-leptonic

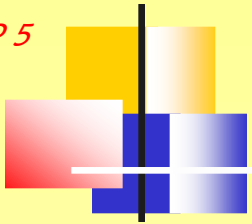


- Several models predict heavy resonances decaying into top pairs. Benchmark models used:
  - Narrow width leptophobic topcolor  $Z'$  boson with  $\Gamma/m \sim 1.2\%$
  - Wide width Kaluza-Klein gluon with  $\Gamma/m \sim 15\%$
- Resolved analysis requires at least four 'thin' jets ( $R=0.4$ ), at least one b-tag, isolated lepton, missing  $E_T$ 
  - Optimized for low masses (up to 1 TeV)
- Boosted analysis requires one b-tagged jet (leptonic side), one 'fat' jet ( $R=1.0$ ) on hadronic side
  - Better performance at high masses (merged jets)



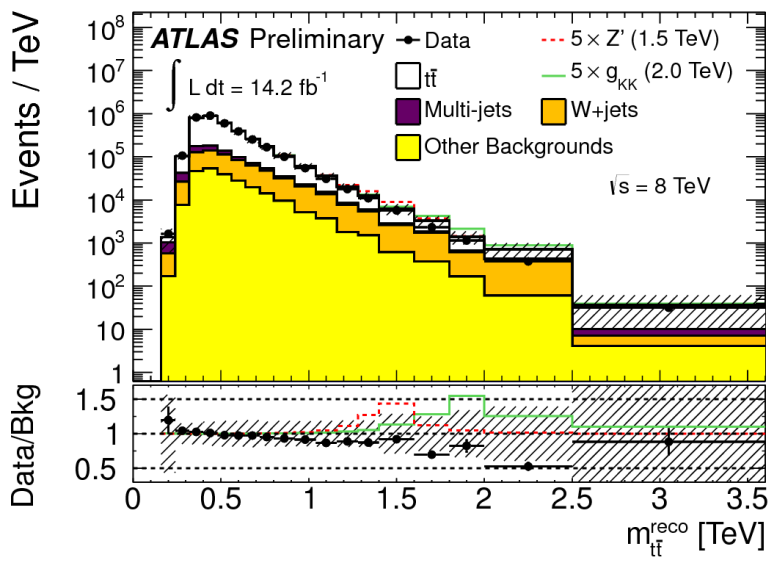
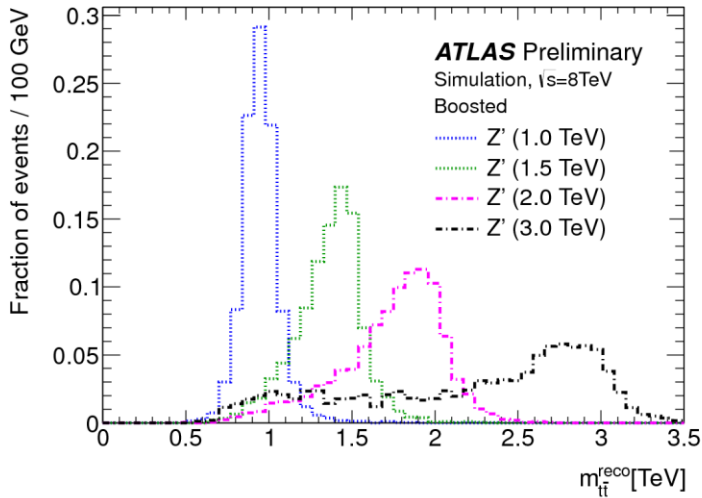
# $t\bar{t}$ resonances, analysis strategy

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- Discriminant: reconstructed  $t\bar{t}$  mass
- Event reconstruction:
  - In boosted, no ambiguities
  - In resolved, assignment of jets and  $p_z$  of neutrino by minimizing a  $\chi^2$  function
- Dominant systematics:  $t\bar{t}$  cross section, JES, b-tagging, PDFs

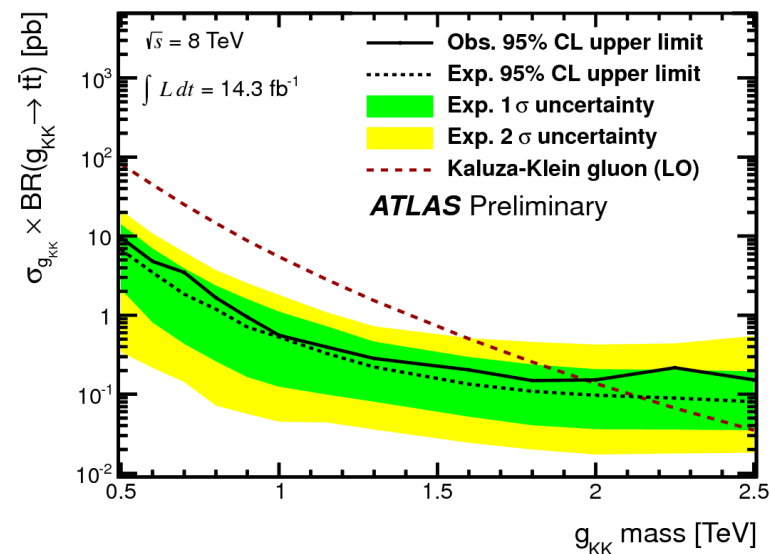
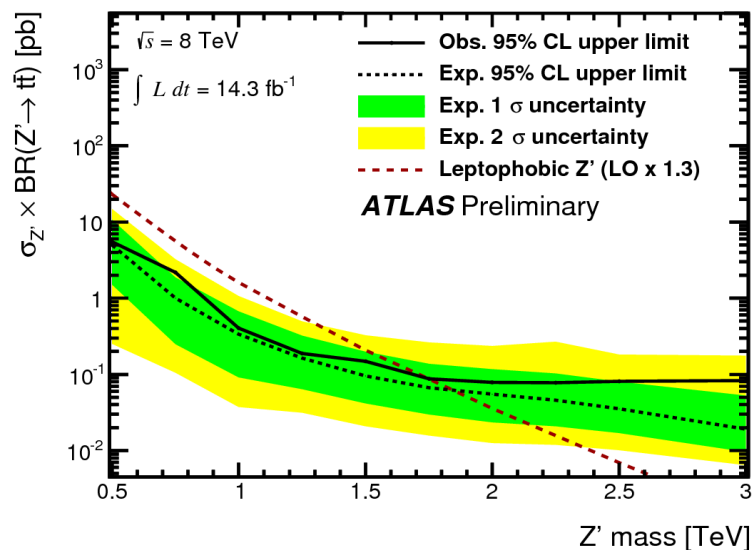
e+ $\mu$ channel	resolved	boosted
Prediction	283k $\pm$ 39k	5.6k $\pm$ 1.2k
Data	280251	5122





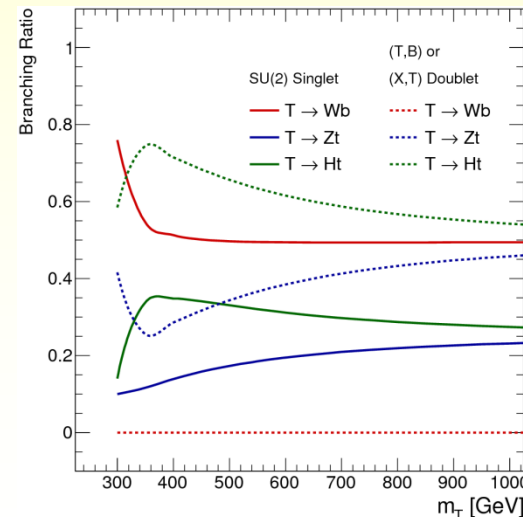
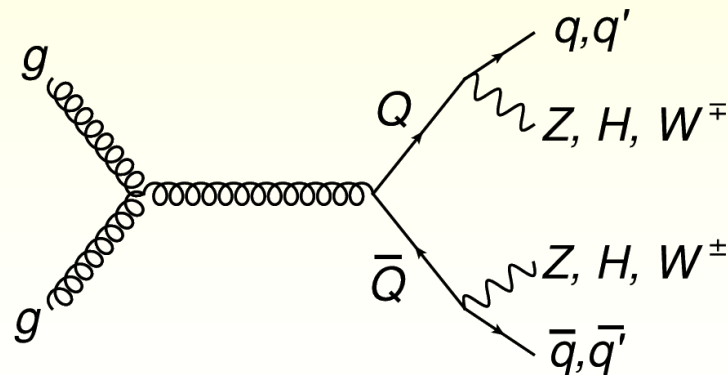
# $t\bar{t}$ resonances, limit setting

- Data/prediction agreement scanned over the full  $t\bar{t}$  mass range
- Bayesian exclusion limits placed
- $Z'$  excluded at 95% CL between 0.5 TeV and 1.8 TeV
- Kaluza-Klein gluon excluded at 95% CL between 0.5 TeV and 2.0 TeV



# Vector-like quarks, theory

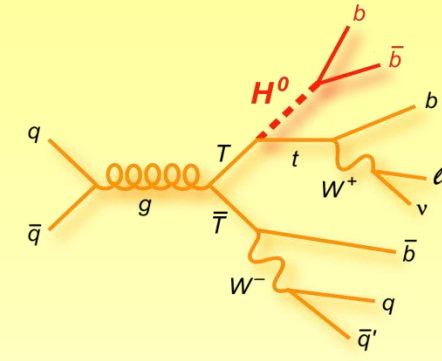
- Observation of SM-like Higgs boson at 126 GeV severely constrains minimal perturbative fourth generation model
- Compelling alternative: vector-like quarks which are postulated, for instance, by models addressing the hierarchy problem without SUSY
  - Little Higgs models, extra dimension models, ...
- Left-handed and right-handed components transform the same way under  $SU(2) \times U(1)$
- Cancel quadratic divergences of Higgs mass in the top loop
- Dominant production mechanism at 7 TeV and 8 TeV: pair production via strong interaction



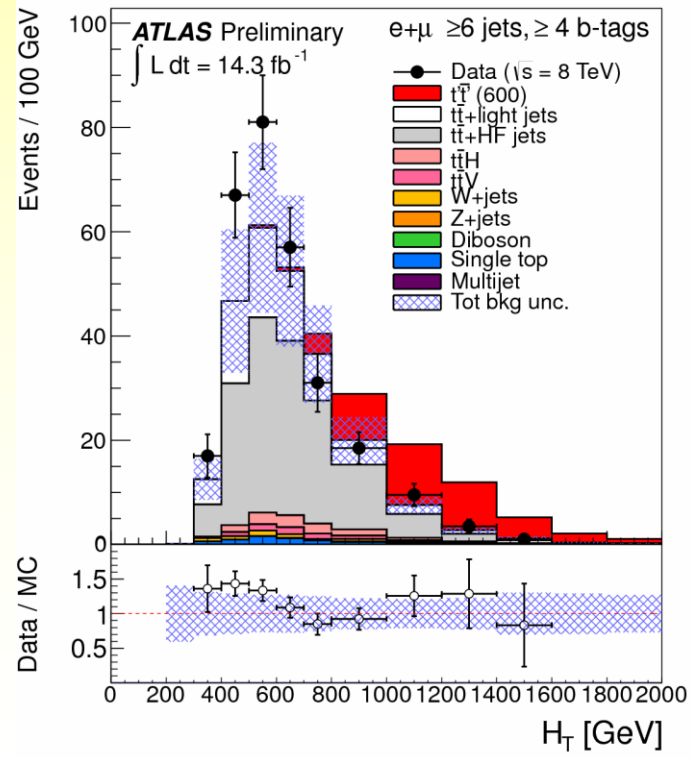
# Vector-like quarks, analysis strategy

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- Several different final states possible in VLQ models:  $Ht + X$ , same sign dilepton,  $Zb/t + X$ ,  $Wb + Z$
- $Ht + X$  analysis requires at least 6 jets, of which at least 2 are b-tagged
- Discriminant: total transverse momentum  $H_T$
- Dominant systematic uncertainties: b-tagging efficiency, jet energy calibration, modeling (especially  $t\bar{t} + hf$ )



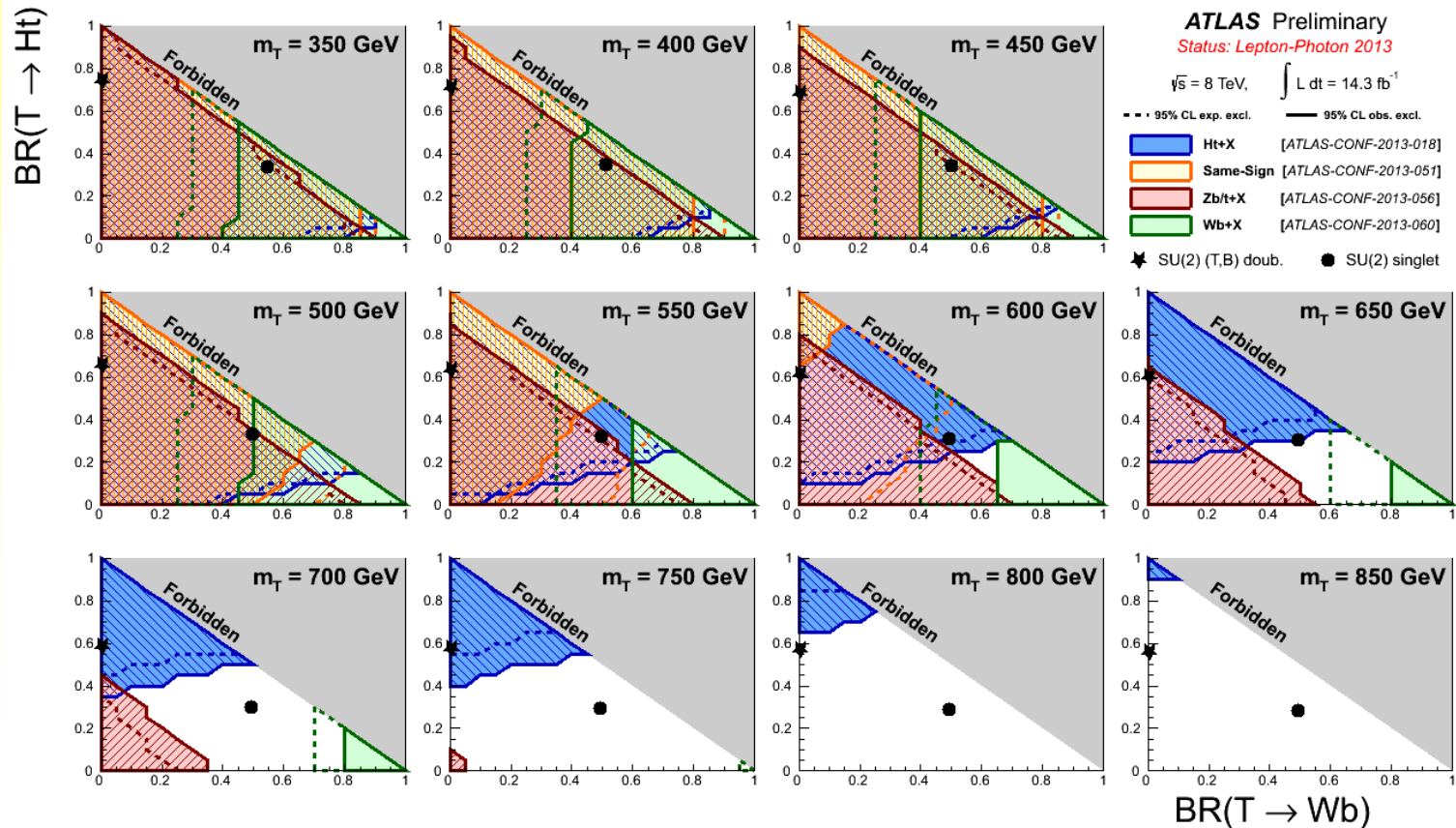
$$H_T = \sum_j p_T^j + p_T^l + E_T^{miss}$$





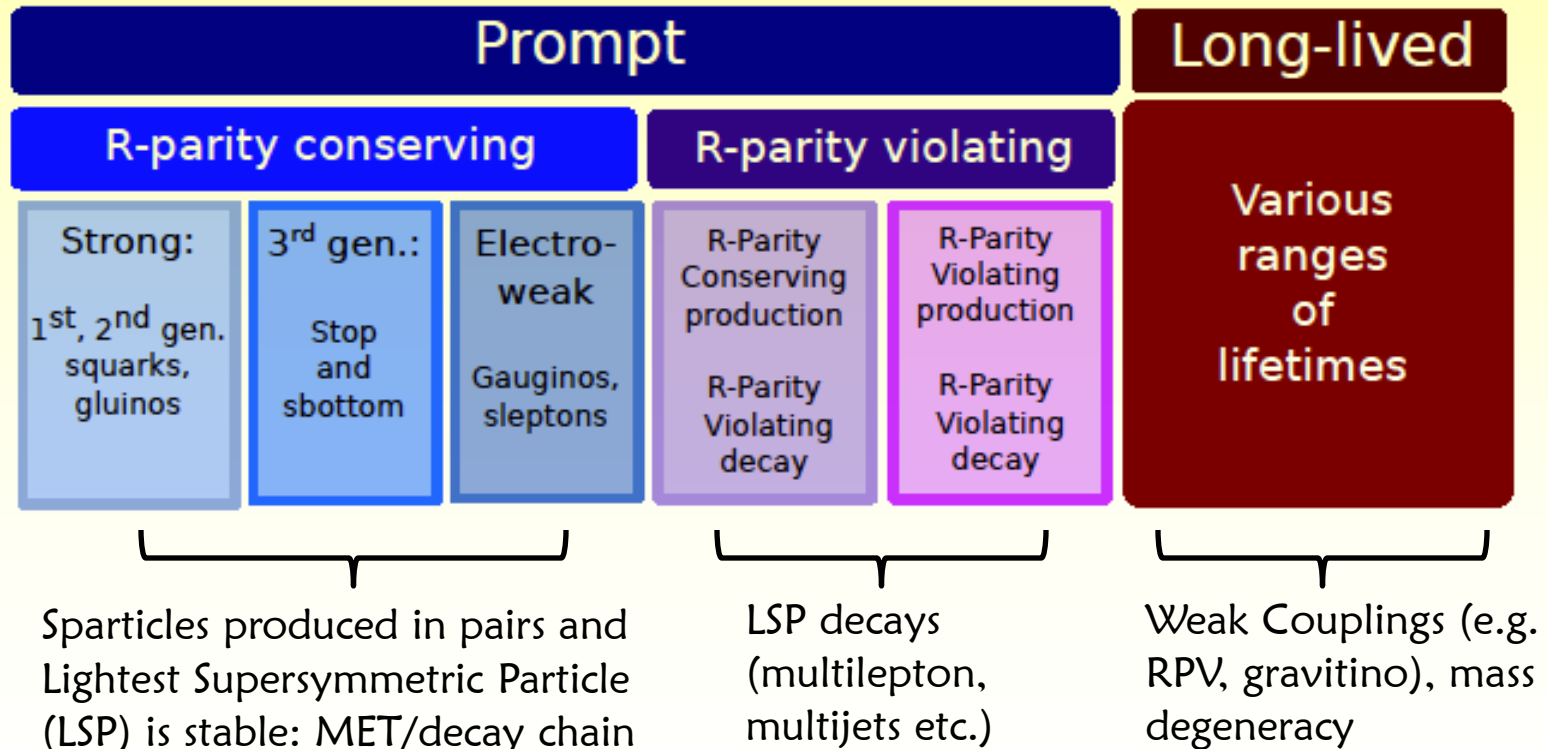
# Vector-like T quarks, limits

- For each mass point  $m_T$ , calculate excluded region in branching ratio plane ( $T \rightarrow Ht$  vs.  $T \rightarrow Hb$ )
- Vector-like T quark masses in the range 350-550 GeV are completely excluded
  - B quark mass limits in backup slides



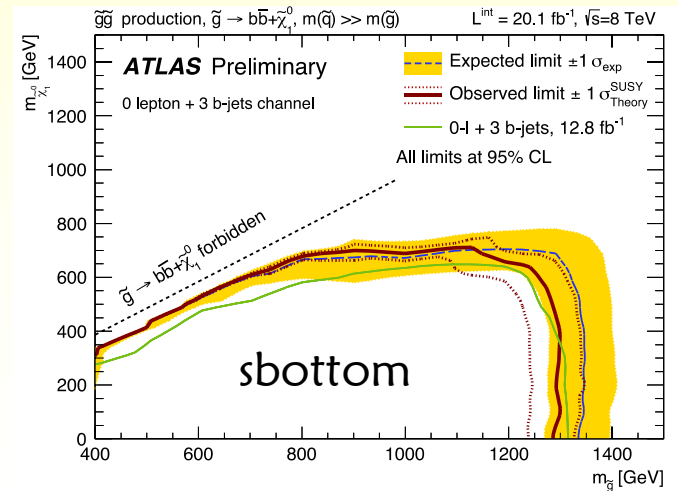
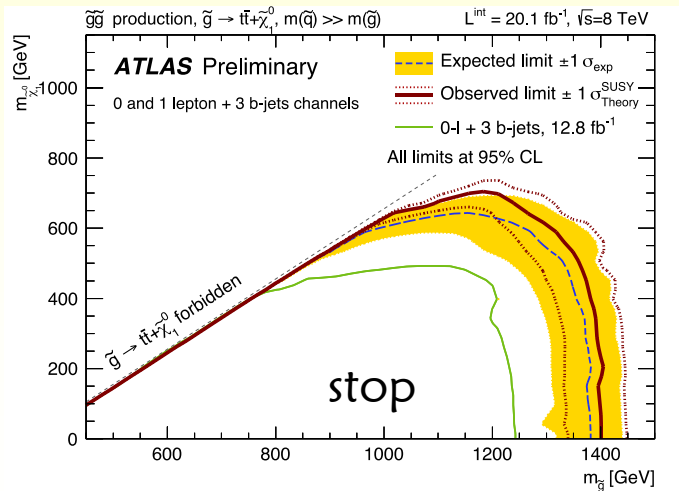
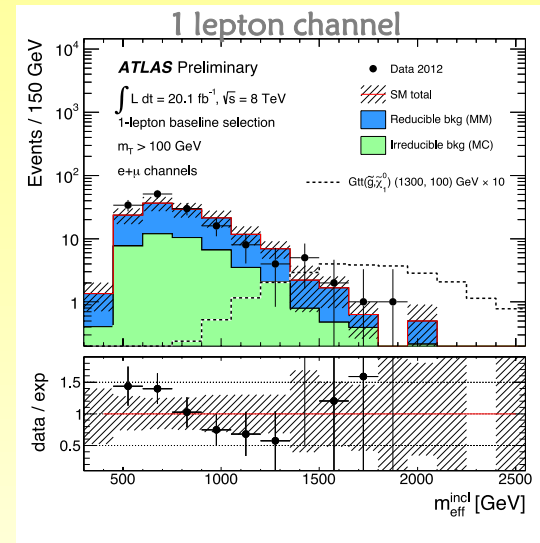
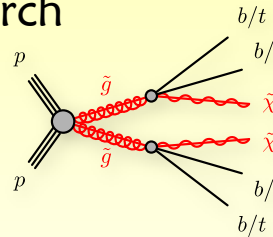
# SuperSymmetry

- SuperSymmetry (SUSY) postulates the existence of 'sparticles', each with Spin(S) differing by  $\frac{1}{2}$  from that of its SM partner
- Sparticles decay into SM particles like leptons, photons, b/c-jets, ...
- Production and decay modes organized as



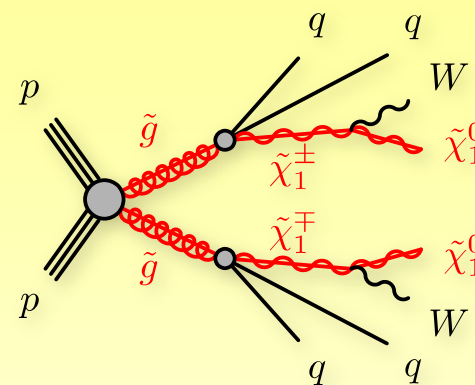
# Glauino-mediated stop/sbottom production

- Require  $\geq 3$  b-jets + 0-1 leptons + MET
- Most powerful search for high gluino mass
- Jet + MET trigger
- Reducible bkg ( $t\bar{t}$ +fake  $b$ 's) from matrix method
- Irreducible bkg ( $t\bar{t}+b\bar{b}$ ,  $t\bar{t}+V$ ) from MC
- Also powerful for direct sbottom search



# Glauino pair production with many jets

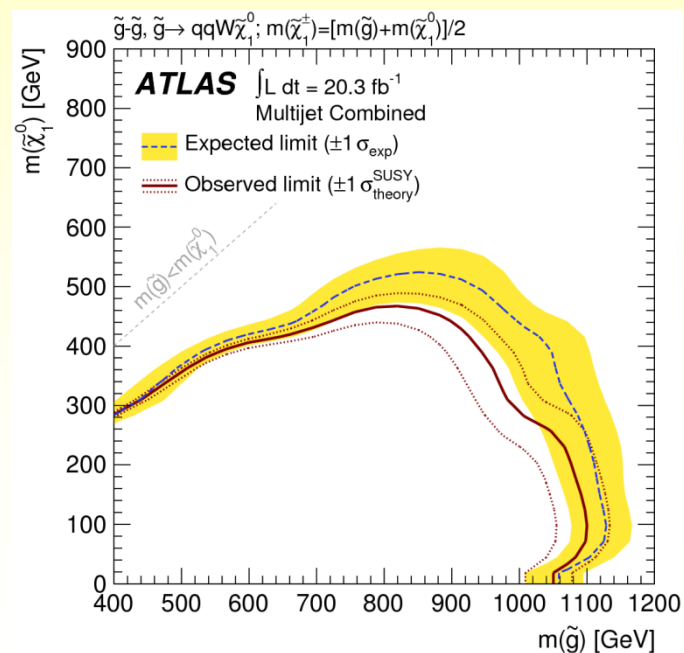
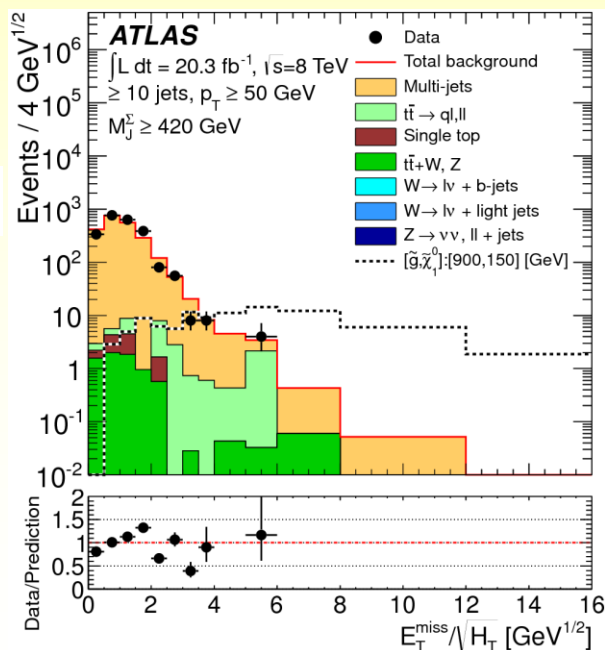
- Require 0 leptons, 7-10 jets, MET
- Using jet-only trigger allows lower MET cut ( $\sim 50$  GeV)
- Data-driven multi-jet background method (MET significance independent of jet multiplicity)
- Jet  $p_T > 50$  (80) GeV, MET sig.  $> 4$   $\text{GeV}^{1/2}$
- SRs w / wo b-tags and w / wo fat jets



$$\text{MET sig.} = E_T^{\text{miss}} / \sqrt{H_T}$$

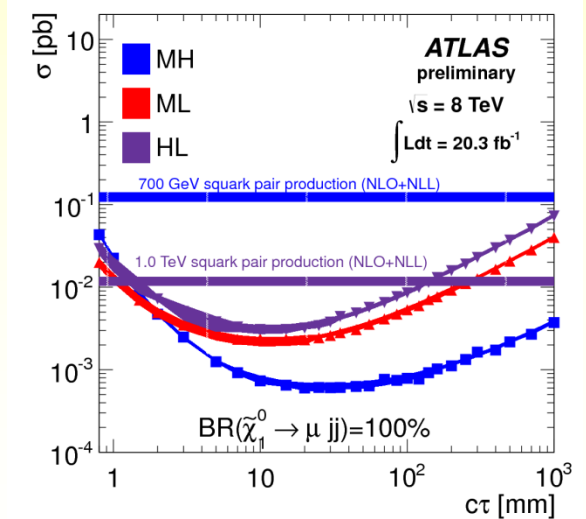
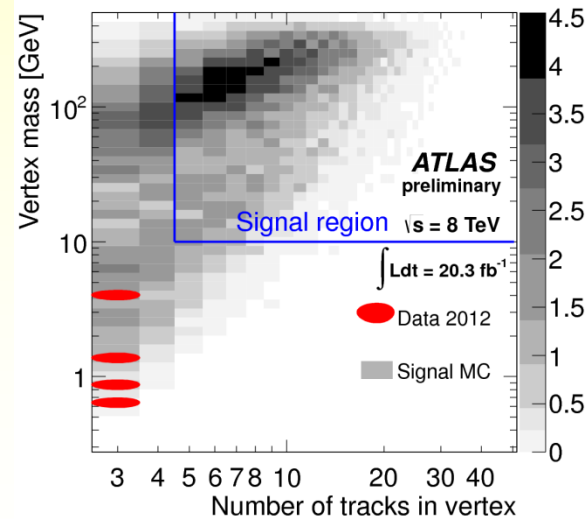
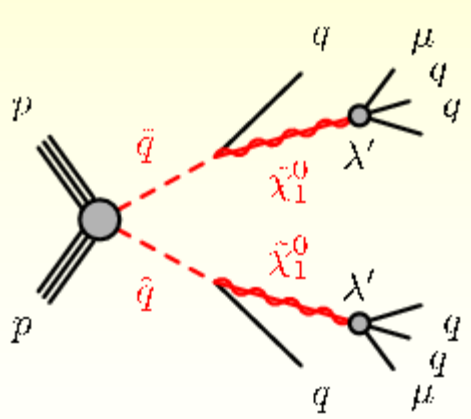
Fat jet variable:

$$M_J^\Sigma \equiv \sum_j m_j^{R=1.0}$$



# RPV decays giving large track multiplicity

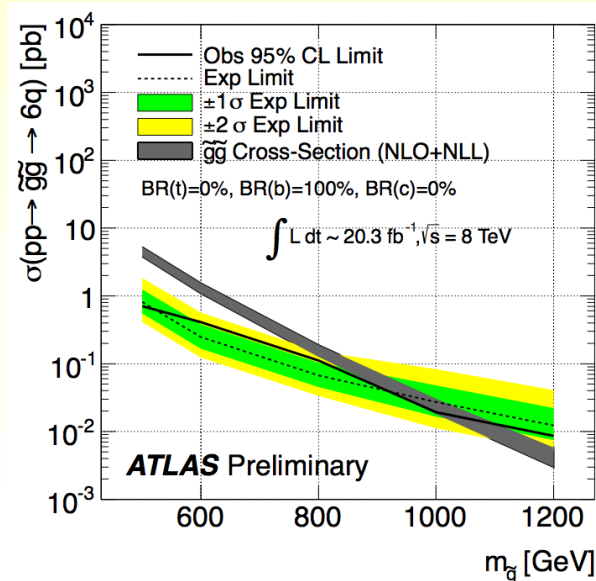
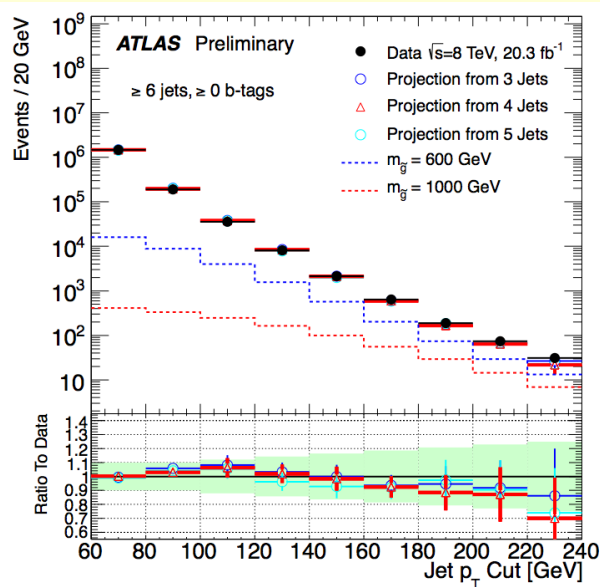
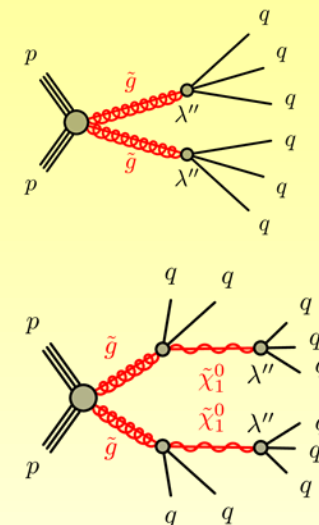
- R-Parity violation can give rise to particles with long lifetimes (picoseconds, nanoseconds), decaying far away from the primary interaction
- Search for high track multiplicity, high-mass displaced vertex in association with a muon ( $p_T > 55$  GeV)
  - Requires 're-tracking' to find tracks with large impact parameters
- To reduce background from hadronic interactions, vertex is required to be in low density material region (material veto)
- Background is small  $\sim 0.02 \pm 0.02$





# RPV decays giving large jet multiplicity

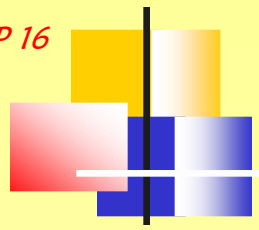
- RPV coupling can allow LSP to decay to 3 quarks  $\rightarrow$  many jets in final state
- Analysis carried out for  $\geq 6$  and  $\geq 7$  jet signal regions with and without b-jet requirements
- Background normalized to data in lower jet multiplicity CRs and extrapolated to SR with MC
- Systematic uncertainties measured in data using multiple validation regions



# Conclusions

- ATLAS is looking for physics beyond the Standard Model in many different ways
- So far, no SUSY or other exotic phenomena have been observed yet
- ATLAS will continue to analyse the LHC Run 1 data during the long shutdown, using the full  $\sim 21 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  dataset as much as possible
- Upcoming Run 2 with much higher luminosity and collision energy will greatly extend the discovery reach of many searches





# Backup



# ATLAS SUSY Searches\* - 95% CL Lower Limits

Status: SUSY 2013

ATLAS Preliminary

$$\int \mathcal{L} dt = (4.6 - 22.9) \text{ fb}^{-1} \quad \sqrt{s} = 7, 8 \text{ TeV}$$

Model	$e, \mu, \tau, \gamma$	Jets	$E_T^{\text{miss}}$	$\int \mathcal{L} dt [\text{fb}^{-1}]$	Mass limit	Reference		
Inclusive Searches	MSUGRA/CMSSM	0	2-6 jets	Yes	20.3	$\tilde{q}, \tilde{g}$ 1.7 TeV	$m(\tilde{q})=m(\tilde{g})$	ATLAS-CONF-2013-047
	MSUGRA/CMSSM	1 $e, \mu$	3-6 jets	Yes	20.3	$\tilde{g}$ 1.2 TeV	any $m(\tilde{q})$	ATLAS-CONF-2013-062
	MSUGRA/CMSSM	0	7-10 jets	Yes	20.3	$\tilde{g}$ 1.1 TeV	any $m(\tilde{q})$	1308.1841
	$\tilde{q}\tilde{q}, \tilde{q} \rightarrow q\tilde{\chi}_1^0$	0	2-6 jets	Yes	20.3	$\tilde{q}$ 740 GeV	$m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0)=0 \text{ GeV}$	ATLAS-CONF-2013-047
	$\tilde{g}\tilde{g}, \tilde{g} \rightarrow q\tilde{\chi}_1^0$	0	2-6 jets	Yes	20.3	$\tilde{g}$ 1.3 TeV	$m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0)=0 \text{ GeV}$	ATLAS-CONF-2013-047
	$\tilde{g}\tilde{g}, \tilde{g} \rightarrow q\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm \rightarrow qqW^\pm \tilde{\chi}_1^0$	1 $e, \mu$	3-6 jets	Yes	20.3	$\tilde{g}$ 1.18 TeV	$m(\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm) < 200 \text{ GeV}, m(\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm) = 0.5(m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0) + m(\tilde{g}))$	ATLAS-CONF-2013-062
	$\tilde{g}\tilde{g}, \tilde{g} \rightarrow q\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm \rightarrow qq(\ell\ell/\ell\nu/\nu\nu)\tilde{\chi}_1^0$	2 $e, \mu$	0-3 jets	-	20.3	$\tilde{g}$ 1.12 TeV	$m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0)=0 \text{ GeV}$	ATLAS-CONF-2013-089
	GMSB ( $\tilde{\ell}$ NLSP)	2 $e, \mu$	2-4 jets	Yes	4.7	$\tilde{g}$ 1.24 TeV	$\tan\beta < 15$	1208.4688
	GMSB ( $\tilde{\ell}$ NLSP)	1-2 $\tau$	0-2 jets	Yes	20.7	$\tilde{g}$ 1.4 TeV	$\tan\beta > 18$	ATLAS-CONF-2013-026
	GGM (bino NLSP)	2 $\gamma$	-	Yes	4.8	$\tilde{g}$ 1.07 TeV	$m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0) > 50 \text{ GeV}$	1209.0753
	GGM (wino NLSP)	1 $e, \mu + \gamma$	-	Yes	4.8	$\tilde{g}$ 619 GeV	$m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0) > 50 \text{ GeV}$	ATLAS-CONF-2012-144
	GGM (higgsino-bino NLSP)	$\gamma$	1 $b$	Yes	4.8	$\tilde{g}$ 900 GeV	$m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0) > 20 \text{ GeV}$	1211.1167
GGM (higgsino NLSP)	2 $e, \mu$ (Z)	0-3 jets	Yes	5.8	$\tilde{g}$ 690 GeV	$m(\tilde{H}) > 200 \text{ GeV}$	ATLAS-CONF-2012-152	
Gravitino LSP	0	mono-jet	Yes	10.5	$F^{1/2}$ scale 645 GeV	$m(\tilde{g}) > 10^{-4} \text{ eV}$	ATLAS-CONF-2012-147	
3 <sup>rd</sup> gen. $\tilde{g}$ med.	$\tilde{g} \rightarrow b\tilde{b}^0$	0	3 $b$	Yes	20.1	$\tilde{g}$ 1.2 TeV	$m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0) < 600 \text{ GeV}$	ATLAS-CONF-2013-061
	$\tilde{g} \rightarrow t\tilde{t}^0$	0	7-10 jets	Yes	20.3	$\tilde{g}$ 1.1 TeV	$m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0) < 350 \text{ GeV}$	1308.1841
	$\tilde{g} \rightarrow t\tilde{t}^0$	0-1 $e, \mu$	3 $b$	Yes	20.1	$\tilde{g}$ 1.34 TeV	$m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0) < 400 \text{ GeV}$	ATLAS-CONF-2013-061
	$\tilde{g} \rightarrow b\tilde{t}^0$	0-1 $e, \mu$	3 $b$	Yes	20.1	$\tilde{g}$ 1.3 TeV	$m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0) < 300 \text{ GeV}$	ATLAS-CONF-2013-061
	3 <sup>rd</sup> gen. squarks direct production	$\tilde{b}_1\tilde{b}_1, \tilde{b}_1 \rightarrow b\tilde{\chi}_1^0$	0	2 $b$	Yes	20.1	$\tilde{b}_1$ 100-620 GeV	$m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0) < 90 \text{ GeV}$
$\tilde{b}_1\tilde{b}_1, \tilde{b}_1 \rightarrow t\tilde{\chi}_1^0$		2 $e, \mu$ (SS)	0-3 $b$	Yes	20.7	$\tilde{b}_1$ 275-430 GeV	$m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0) = 2 m(\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm)$	ATLAS-CONF-2013-007
$\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1$ (light), $\tilde{t}_1 \rightarrow b\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm$		1-2 $e, \mu$	1-2 $b$	Yes	4.7	$\tilde{t}_1$ 110-167 GeV	$m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0) = 55 \text{ GeV}$	1208.4305, 1209.2102
$\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1$ (light), $\tilde{t}_1 \rightarrow Wb\tilde{\chi}_1^0$		2 $e, \mu$	0-2 jets	Yes	20.3	$\tilde{t}_1$ 130-220 GeV	$m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0) = m(\tilde{t}_1) - m(W) - 50 \text{ GeV}, m(\tilde{t}_1) < m(\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm)$	ATLAS-CONF-2013-048
$\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1$ (medium), $\tilde{t}_1 \rightarrow t\tilde{\chi}_1^0$		2 $e, \mu$	2 jets	Yes	20.3	$\tilde{t}_1$ 225-525 GeV	$m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0) = 0 \text{ GeV}$	ATLAS-CONF-2013-065
$\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1$ (medium), $\tilde{t}_1 \rightarrow b\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm$		0	2 $b$	Yes	20.1	$\tilde{t}_1$ 150-580 GeV	$m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0) < 200 \text{ GeV}, m(\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm) - m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0) = 5 \text{ GeV}$	1308.2631
$\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1$ (heavy), $\tilde{t}_1 \rightarrow t\tilde{\chi}_1^0$		1 $e, \mu$	1 $b$	Yes	20.7	$\tilde{t}_1$ 200-610 GeV	$m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0) = 0 \text{ GeV}$	ATLAS-CONF-2013-037
$\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1$ (heavy), $\tilde{t}_1 \rightarrow t\tilde{\chi}_1^0$		0	2 $b$	Yes	20.5	$\tilde{t}_1$ 320-660 GeV	$m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0) = 0 \text{ GeV}$	ATLAS-CONF-2013-024
$\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1, \tilde{t}_1 \rightarrow c\tilde{\chi}_1^0$		0	mono-jet/c-tag	Yes	20.3	$\tilde{t}_1$ 90-200 GeV	$m(\tilde{t}_1) - m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0) < 85 \text{ GeV}$	ATLAS-CONF-2013-068
$\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1$ (natural GMSB)		2 $e, \mu$ (Z)	1 $b$	Yes	20.7	$\tilde{t}_1$ 500 GeV	$m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0) > 150 \text{ GeV}$	ATLAS-CONF-2013-025
$\tilde{b}_2\tilde{b}_2, \tilde{b}_2 \rightarrow \tilde{t}_1 + Z$		3 $e, \mu$ (Z)	1 $b$	Yes	20.7	$\tilde{b}_2$ 271-520 GeV	$m(\tilde{t}_1) = m(\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm) + 180 \text{ GeV}$	ATLAS-CONF-2013-025
EW direct		$\tilde{\ell}_L\tilde{\ell}_L, \tilde{\ell} \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^0$	2 $e, \mu$	0	Yes	20.3	$\tilde{\ell}$ 85-315 GeV	$m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0) = 0 \text{ GeV}$
	$\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm, \tilde{\chi}_1^\pm \rightarrow \tilde{\ell}\nu(\tilde{\nu})$	2 $e, \mu$	0	Yes	20.3	$\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm$ 125-450 GeV	$m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0) = 0 \text{ GeV}, m(\tilde{\ell}, \tilde{\nu}) = 0.5(m(\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm) + m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0))$	ATLAS-CONF-2013-049
	$\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm, \tilde{\chi}_1^\pm \rightarrow \tilde{\tau}\nu(\tilde{\nu})$	2 $\tau$	-	Yes	20.7	$\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm$ 180-330 GeV	$m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0) = 0 \text{ GeV}, m(\tilde{\tau}, \tilde{\nu}) = 0.5(m(\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm) + m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0))$	ATLAS-CONF-2013-028
	$\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm \rightarrow \tilde{\ell}_L\nu_L(\tilde{\nu}), \tilde{\ell}\tilde{\nu}_L(\tilde{\nu}\nu)$	3 $e, \mu$	0	Yes	20.7	$\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm, \tilde{\chi}_1^0$ 600 GeV	$m(\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm) = m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0), m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0) = 0, m(\tilde{\ell}, \tilde{\nu}) = 0.5(m(\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm) + m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0))$	ATLAS-CONF-2013-035
	$\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm\tilde{\chi}_1^0 \rightarrow W\tilde{\chi}_1^0\tilde{\chi}_1^0$	3 $e, \mu$	0	Yes	20.7	$\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm, \tilde{\chi}_1^0$ 315 GeV	$m(\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm) = m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0), m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0) = 0$ , sleptons decoupled	ATLAS-CONF-2013-035
	$\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm\tilde{\chi}_1^0 \rightarrow W\tilde{\chi}_1^0h\tilde{\chi}_1^0$	1 $e, \mu$	2 $b$	Yes	20.3	$\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm, \tilde{\chi}_1^0$ 285 GeV	$m(\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm) = m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0), m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0) = 0$ , sleptons decoupled	ATLAS-CONF-2013-093
	Long-lived particles	Direct $\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm$ prod., long-lived $\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm$	Disapp. trk	1 jet	Yes	20.3	$\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm$ 270 GeV	$m(\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm) - m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0) = 160 \text{ MeV}, \tau(\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm) = 0.2 \text{ ns}$
Stable, stopped $\tilde{g}$ R-hadron		0	1-5 jets	Yes	22.9	$\tilde{g}$ 832 GeV	$m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0) = 100 \text{ GeV}, 10 \mu\text{s} < \tau(\tilde{g}) < 1000 \text{ s}$	ATLAS-CONF-2013-057
GMSB, stable $\tilde{\tau}, \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \rightarrow \tilde{\tau}(\tilde{e}, \tilde{\mu}) + \tau(e, \mu)$		1-2 $\mu$	-	-	15.9	$\tilde{\chi}_1^0$ 475 GeV	$10 < \tan\beta < 50$	ATLAS-CONF-2013-058
GMSB, $\tilde{\chi}_1^0 \rightarrow \gamma\tilde{G}$ , long-lived $\tilde{\chi}_1^0$		2 $\gamma$	-	Yes	4.7	$\tilde{\chi}_1^0$ 230 GeV	$0.4 < \tau(\tilde{\chi}_1^0) < 2 \text{ ns}$	1304.6310
$\tilde{q}\tilde{q}, \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \rightarrow qq\mu$ (RPV)		1 $\mu$ , displ. vtx	-	-	20.3	$\tilde{q}$ 1.0 TeV	$1.5 < c\tau < 156 \text{ mm}, \text{BR}(\mu) = 1, m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0) = 108 \text{ GeV}$	ATLAS-CONF-2013-092
RPV	LFV $pp \rightarrow \tilde{\nu}_\tau + X, \tilde{\nu}_\tau \rightarrow e + \mu$	2 $e, \mu$	-	-	4.6	$\tilde{\nu}_\tau$ 1.61 TeV	$\lambda_{311}^e = 0.10, \lambda_{132} = 0.05$	1212.1272
	LFV $pp \rightarrow \tilde{\nu}_\tau + X, \tilde{\nu}_\tau \rightarrow e(\mu) + \tau$	1 $e, \mu + \tau$	-	-	4.6	$\tilde{\nu}_\tau$ 1.1 TeV	$\lambda_{311}^e = 0.10, \lambda_{1(2)33} = 0.05$	1212.1272
	Bilinear RPV CMSSM	1 $e, \mu$	7 jets	Yes	4.7	$\tilde{q}, \tilde{g}$ 1.2 TeV	$m(\tilde{q}) = m(\tilde{g}), c_{\tau\text{LSP}} < 1 \text{ mm}$	ATLAS-CONF-2012-140
	$\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm, \tilde{\chi}_1^\pm \rightarrow W\tilde{\chi}_1^0, \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \rightarrow ee\tilde{\nu}_\mu, e\mu\tilde{\nu}_e$	4 $e, \mu$	-	Yes	20.7	$\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm$ 760 GeV	$m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0) > 300 \text{ GeV}, \lambda_{121} > 0$	ATLAS-CONF-2013-036
	$\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm, \tilde{\chi}_1^\pm \rightarrow W\tilde{\chi}_1^0, \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \rightarrow \tau\tilde{\nu}_e, e\tau\tilde{\nu}_\tau$	3 $e, \mu + \tau$	-	Yes	20.7	$\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm$ 350 GeV	$m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0) > 80 \text{ GeV}, \lambda_{133} > 0$	ATLAS-CONF-2013-036
	$\tilde{g} \rightarrow qq\tilde{q}$	0	6-7 jets	-	20.3	$\tilde{g}$ 916 GeV	$\text{BR}(t) = \text{BR}(b) = \text{BR}(c) = 0\%$	ATLAS-CONF-2013-091
$\tilde{g} \rightarrow \tilde{t}_1 t, \tilde{t}_1 \rightarrow bs$	2 $e, \mu$ (SS)	0-3 $b$	Yes	20.7	$\tilde{g}$ 880 GeV		ATLAS-CONF-2013-007	
Other	Scalar gluon pair, sgluon $\rightarrow q\tilde{q}$	0	4 jets	-	4.6	sgluon 100-287 GeV	incl. limit from 1110.2693	1210.4826
	Scalar gluon pair, sgluon $\rightarrow t\tilde{t}$	2 $e, \mu$ (SS)	1 $b$	Yes	14.3	sgluon 800 GeV		ATLAS-CONF-2013-051
	WIMP interaction (D5, Dirac $\chi$ )	0	mono-jet	Yes	10.5	$M^*$ scale 704 GeV	$m(\chi) < 80 \text{ GeV}$ , limit of <687 GeV for D8	ATLAS-CONF-2012-147

$\sqrt{s} = 7 \text{ TeV}$  full data  
 $\sqrt{s} = 8 \text{ TeV}$  partial data  
 $\sqrt{s} = 8 \text{ TeV}$  full data

$10^{-1}$

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Mass scale [TeV]

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# ATLAS Exotics Searches\* - 95% CL Lower Limits (Status: May 2013)

**ATLAS**  
Preliminary

$\int L dt = (1 - 20) \text{ fb}^{-1}$   
 $\sqrt{s} = 7, 8 \text{ TeV}$

Extra dimensions

CI

V'

LQ

New quarks

Excit. ferm.

Other

Large ED (ADD) : monojet + $E_{T,miss}$	$L=4.7 \text{ fb}^{-1}, 7 \text{ TeV [1210.4491]}$	4.37 TeV	$M_D (\delta=2)$
Large ED (ADD) : monophoton + $E_{T,miss}$	$L=4.6 \text{ fb}^{-1}, 7 \text{ TeV [1209.4625]}$	1.93 TeV	$M_D (\delta=2)$
Large ED (ADD) : diphoton & dilepton, $m_{\gamma\gamma/\ell\ell}$	$L=4.7 \text{ fb}^{-1}, 7 \text{ TeV [1211.1150]}$	4.18 TeV	$M_S (\text{HLZ } \delta=3, \text{ NLO})$
UED : diphoton + $E_{T,miss}$	$L=4.8 \text{ fb}^{-1}, 7 \text{ TeV [1209.0753]}$	1.40 TeV	Compact scale $R^{-1}$
$S^1/Z_2$ ED : dilepton, $m_{\ell\ell}$	$L=5.0 \text{ fb}^{-1}, 7 \text{ TeV [1209.2535]}$	4.71 TeV	$M_{KK} \sim R^{-1}$
RS1 : dilepton, $m_{\ell\ell}$	$L=20 \text{ fb}^{-1}, 8 \text{ TeV [ATLAS-CONF-2013-017]}$	2.47 TeV	Graviton mass ( $k/M_{Pl} = 0.1$ )
RS1 : WW resonance, $m_{T,N/\ell\nu}$	$L=4.7 \text{ fb}^{-1}, 7 \text{ TeV [1208.2880]}$	1.23 TeV	Graviton mass ( $k/M_{Pl} = 0.1$ )
Bulk RS : ZZ resonance, $m_{\ell\ell}$	$L=7.2 \text{ fb}^{-1}, 8 \text{ TeV [ATLAS-CONF-2012-150]}$	850 GeV	Graviton mass ( $k/M_{Pl} = 1.0$ )
RS $g_{KK} \rightarrow t\bar{t}$ (BR=0.925) : $t\bar{t} \rightarrow l+jets$ , $m_{t\bar{t}}$	$L=4.7 \text{ fb}^{-1}, 7 \text{ TeV [1305.2756]}$	2.07 TeV	$g_{KK}$ mass
ADD BH ( $M_{TH}/M_D=3$ ) : SS dimuon, $N_{ch,part}$	$L=1.3 \text{ fb}^{-1}, 7 \text{ TeV [1111.0080]}$	1.25 TeV	$M_D (\delta=6)$
ADD BH ( $M_{TH}/M_D=3$ ) : leptons + jets, $\Sigma p_T$	$L=1.0 \text{ fb}^{-1}, 7 \text{ TeV [1204.4646]}$	1.5 TeV	$M_D (\delta=6)$
Quantum black hole : dijet, $F(m_{jj})$	$L=4.7 \text{ fb}^{-1}, 7 \text{ TeV [1210.1718]}$	4.11 TeV	$M_D (\delta=6)$
qqqq contact interaction : $\chi^2(m_{jj})$	$L=4.8 \text{ fb}^{-1}, 7 \text{ TeV [1210.1718]}$	7.6 TeV	$\Lambda$
qqll CI : ee & $\mu\mu$ , $m_{\ell\ell}$	$L=5.0 \text{ fb}^{-1}, 7 \text{ TeV [1211.1150]}$	13.9 TeV	$\Lambda$ (constructive int.)
uutt CI : SS dilepton + jets + $E_{T,miss}$	$L=14.3 \text{ fb}^{-1}, 8 \text{ TeV [ATLAS-CONF-2013-051]}$	3.3 TeV	$\Lambda$ (C=1)
Z' (SSM) : $m_{ee/\mu\mu}$	$L=20 \text{ fb}^{-1}, 8 \text{ TeV [ATLAS-CONF-2013-017]}$	2.86 TeV	Z' mass
Z' (SSM) : $m_{\tau\tau}$	$L=4.7 \text{ fb}^{-1}, 7 \text{ TeV [1210.6604]}$	1.4 TeV	Z' mass
Z' (leptophobic topcolor) : $t\bar{t} \rightarrow l+jets$ , $m_{t\bar{t}}$	$L=14.3 \text{ fb}^{-1}, 8 \text{ TeV [ATLAS-CONF-2013-052]}$	1.8 TeV	Z' mass
W' (SSM) : $m_{T,e/\mu}$	$L=4.7 \text{ fb}^{-1}, 7 \text{ TeV [1209.4446]}$	2.55 TeV	W' mass
W' ( $\rightarrow tq, g_R=1$ ) : $m_{tq}$	$L=4.7 \text{ fb}^{-1}, 7 \text{ TeV [1209.6593]}$	430 GeV	W' mass
W' ( $\rightarrow tb, \text{LRSM}$ ) : $m_{tb}$	$L=14.3 \text{ fb}^{-1}, 8 \text{ TeV [ATLAS-CONF-2013-050]}$	1.84 TeV	W' mass
Scalar LQ pair ( $\beta=1$ ) : kin. vars. in eejj, evjj	$L=1.0 \text{ fb}^{-1}, 7 \text{ TeV [1112.4828]}$	660 GeV	1 <sup>st</sup> gen. LQ mass
Scalar LQ pair ( $\beta=1$ ) : kin. vars. in $\mu\mu$ jj, $\mu\nu$ jj	$L=1.0 \text{ fb}^{-1}, 7 \text{ TeV [1203.3172]}$	685 GeV	2 <sup>nd</sup> gen. LQ mass
Scalar LQ pair ( $\beta=1$ ) : kin. vars. in $\tau\tau$ jj, $\tau\nu$ jj	$L=4.7 \text{ fb}^{-1}, 7 \text{ TeV [1303.0526]}$	534 GeV	3 <sup>rd</sup> gen. LQ mass
4 <sup>th</sup> generation : $b'\bar{b}' \rightarrow SS$ dilepton + jets + $E_{T,miss}$	$L=4.7 \text{ fb}^{-1}, 7 \text{ TeV [1210.5468]}$	656 GeV	$t'$ mass
Vector-like quark : $TT \rightarrow Ht+X$	$L=14.3 \text{ fb}^{-1}, 8 \text{ TeV [ATLAS-CONF-2013-018]}$	790 GeV	$t'$ mass
Vector-like quark : CC, $m_{\ell\nu q}$	$L=4.6 \text{ fb}^{-1}, 7 \text{ TeV [ATLAS-CONF-2012-137]}$	1.12 TeV	b' mass
Excited quarks : $\gamma$ -jet resonance, $m_{\gamma jet}$	$L=2.1 \text{ fb}^{-1}, 7 \text{ TeV [1112.3580]}$	2.46 TeV	T mass (isospin doublet)
Excited quarks : dijet resonance, $m_{jj}$	$L=13.0 \text{ fb}^{-1}, 8 \text{ TeV [ATLAS-CONF-2012-148]}$	3.84 TeV	VLQ mass (charge -1/3, coupling $\kappa_{qQ} = v/m_Q$ )
Excited b quark : W-t resonance, $m_{Wt}$	$L=4.7 \text{ fb}^{-1}, 7 \text{ TeV [1301.1583]}$	870 GeV	q* mass
Excited leptons : l- $\gamma$ resonance, $m_{l\gamma}$	$L=13.0 \text{ fb}^{-1}, 8 \text{ TeV [ATLAS-CONF-2012-146]}$	2.2 TeV	q* mass
Techni-hadrons (LSTC) : dilepton, $m_{ee/\mu\mu}$	$L=5.0 \text{ fb}^{-1}, 7 \text{ TeV [1209.2535]}$	850 GeV	b* mass (left-handed coupling)
Techni-hadrons (LSTC) : WZ resonance ( $h_{\ell\ell}$ ), $m_{WZ}$	$L=13.0 \text{ fb}^{-1}, 8 \text{ TeV [ATLAS-CONF-2013-015]}$	920 GeV	l* mass ( $\Lambda = m(l^*)$ )
Major. neutr. (LRSM, no mixing) : 2-lep + jets	$L=2.1 \text{ fb}^{-1}, 7 \text{ TeV [1203.5420]}$	1.5 TeV	$\rho_T/\omega_T$ mass ( $m(\rho_T/\omega_T) - m(\pi_T) = M_W$ )
Heavy lepton $N^\pm$ (type III seesaw) : Z-l resonance, $m_{Zl}$	$L=5.8 \text{ fb}^{-1}, 8 \text{ TeV [ATLAS-CONF-2013-019]}$	495 GeV	$\rho_T$ mass ( $m(\rho_T) = m(\pi_T) + m_W, m(a_T) = 1.1m(\rho_T)$ )
$H_{\ell}^{\pm\pm}$ (DY prod., BR( $H_{\ell}^{\pm\pm} \rightarrow \ell\ell$ ))=1) : SS ee ( $\mu\mu$ ), $m_{\ell\ell}$	$L=4.7 \text{ fb}^{-1}, 7 \text{ TeV [1210.5070]}$	409 GeV	N mass ( $m(W_R) = 2 \text{ TeV}$ )
Color octet scalar : dijet resonance, $m_{jj}$	$L=4.8 \text{ fb}^{-1}, 7 \text{ TeV [1210.1718]}$	1.86 TeV	$N^\pm$ mass ( $ V_a  = 0.055,  V_\mu  = 0.063,  V_c  = 0$ )
Multi-charged particles (DY prod.) : highly ionizing tracks	$L=4.4 \text{ fb}^{-1}, 7 \text{ TeV [1301.5272]}$	490 GeV	$H_{\ell}^{\pm\pm}$ mass (limit at 398 GeV for $\mu\mu$ )
Magnetic monopoles (DY prod.) : highly ionizing tracks	$L=2.0 \text{ fb}^{-1}, 7 \text{ TeV [1207.6411]}$	862 GeV	Scalar resonance mass
			mass ( $ q  = 4e$ )
			mass



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# Vector-like B quarks, limits

