

# Searches for Jet + X at ATLAS

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## Jet+X signatures

*Searches at ATLAS for (non-SUSY) new physics involving final states with one or more jets as the most prominent signatures*

*Probe new physics that carries baryon number, strongly-coupled*

- *Cross sections for colored processes typically much larger than for uncolored processes*
- *Highest energies directly accessible by LHC*

*Background is also large!*

*Today:*

*Jet + MET*

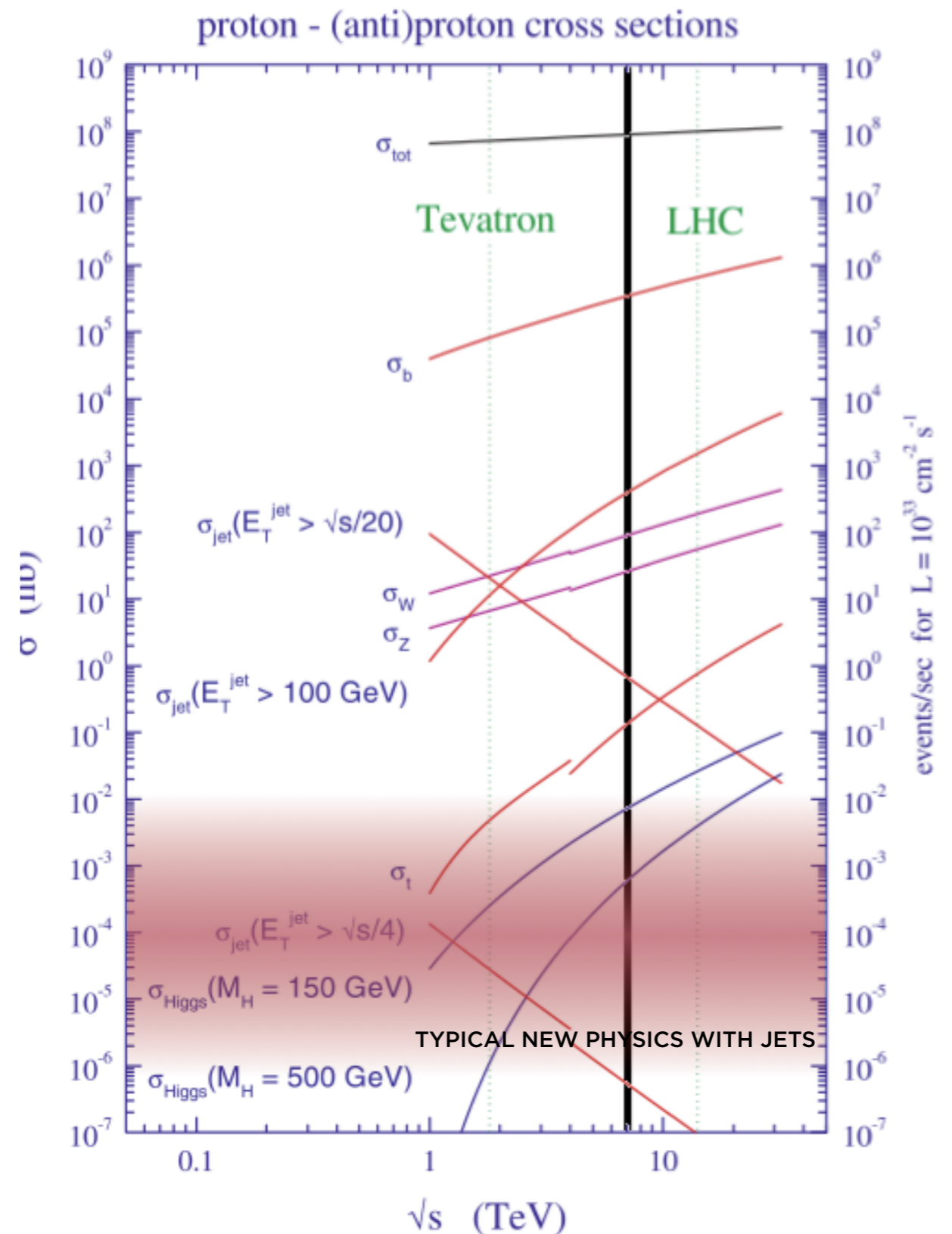
*Jet + Photon*

*Multi-jets + Lepton*

*Jet + Jet*

*Datasets from 1–4.8/fb*

*Not discussed: many SM measurements that could also be used to constrain NP*



# Jet and MET, Quality and Calibrations

(covered in more detail in Stephanie's talk on Saturday)

Criteria such as number of cells, EM fraction, and timing of jet used to reject fake jets

- Selection efficiency for real jets measured in-situ using dijet tag-probe

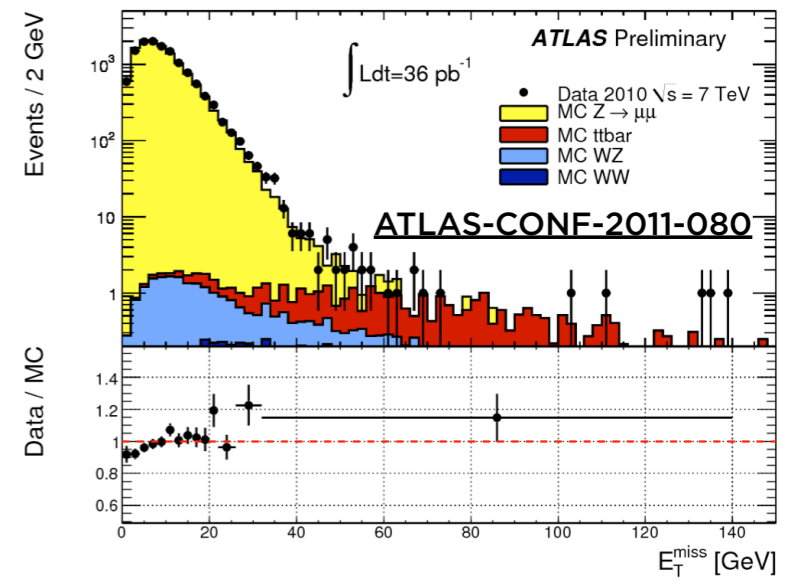
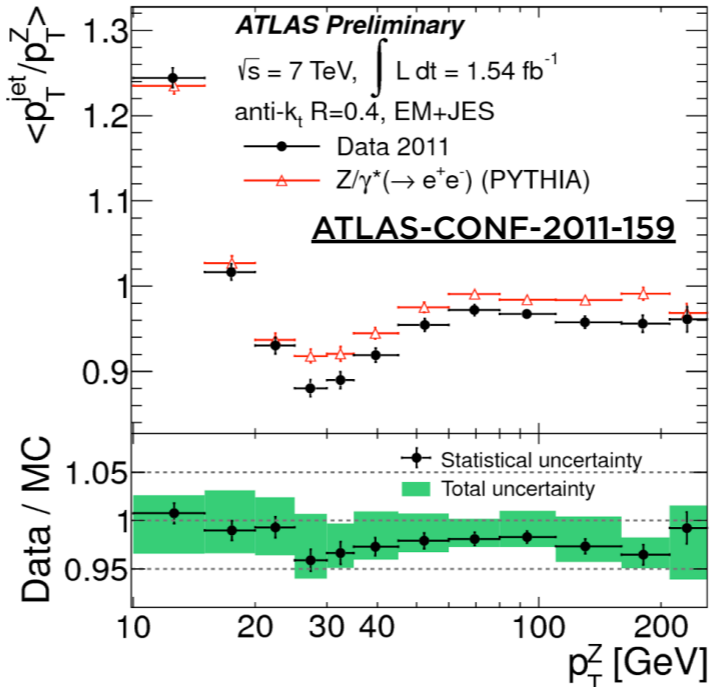
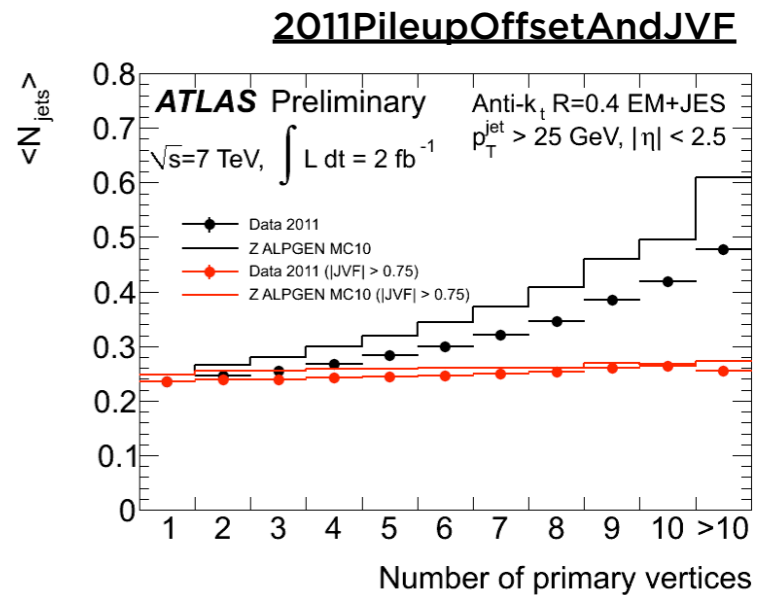
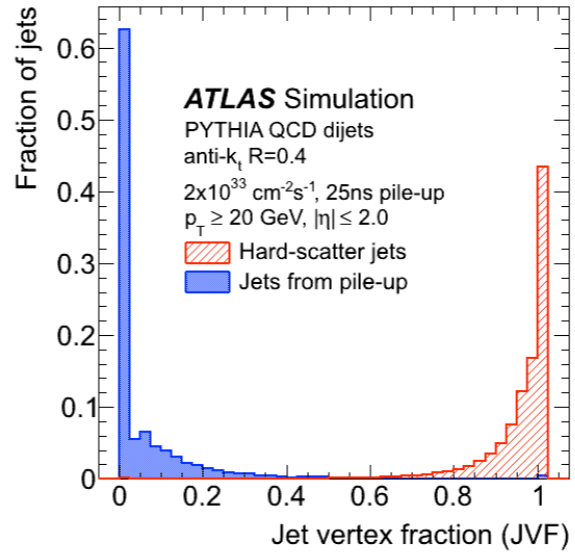
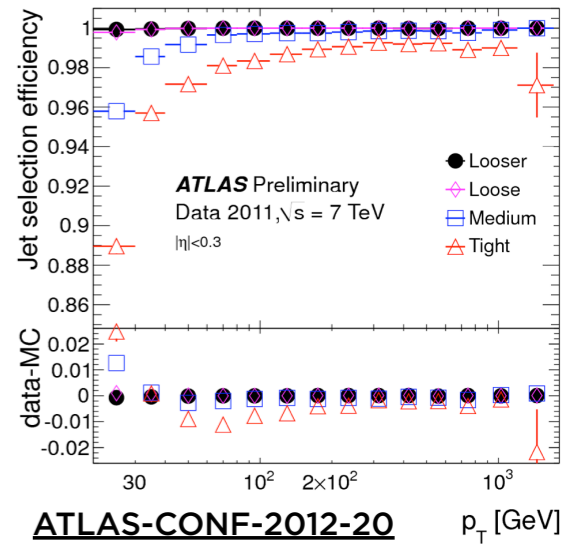
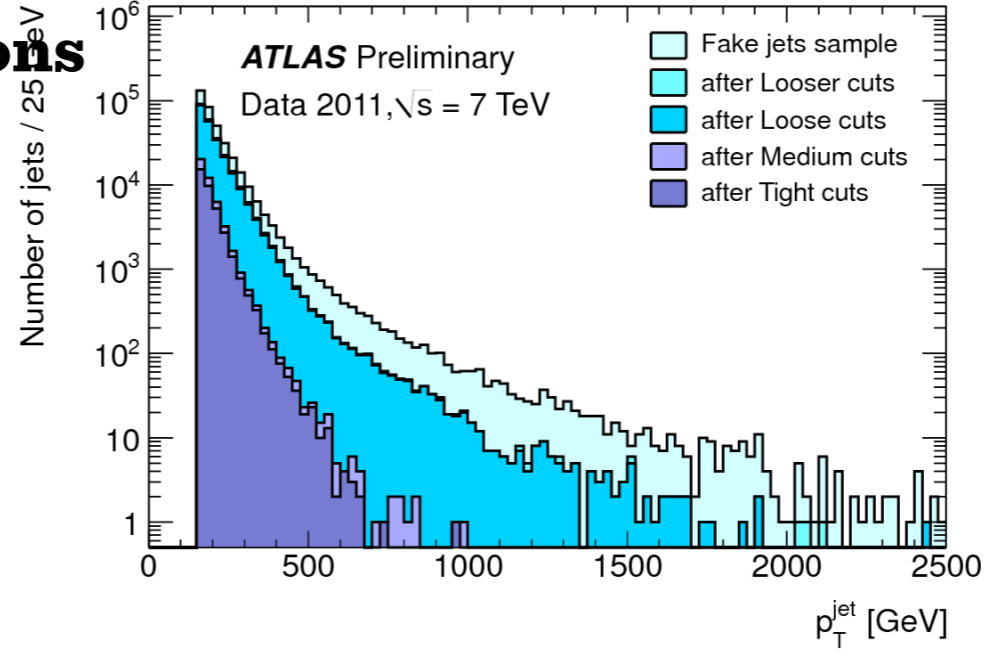
"Jet Vertex Fraction" sometimes used to suppress pile-up

Criteria are very efficient for normal jets, (check if your model predicts abnormal jets)

- Slow/high EM fraction/low prompt track multiplicity

Monte Carlo-based jet energy calibration

- Pile-up correction: energy offset per pile-up interaction
- Jet origin (vertex) correction
- Energy correction to hadronic scale as a function of jet  $p_T$  and  $\eta$
- Correction for calorimeter non-compensation, non-uniform response, etc.

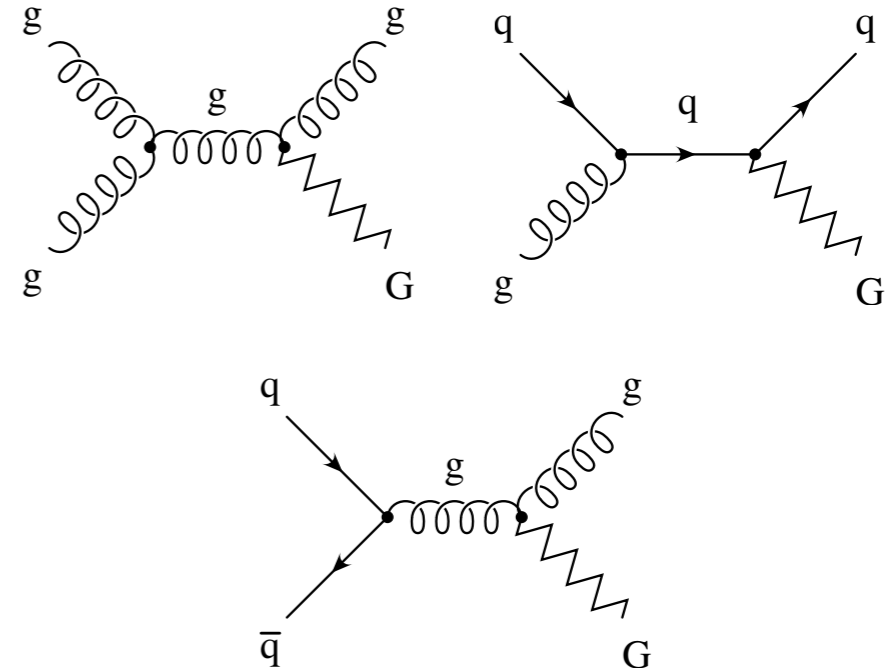


# Search for Jet + Missing $E_T$

*ATLAS-CONF-2011-096,  $1 \text{ fb}^{-1}$*

*Many possible signals: graviton emission, unparticles, wimps, (SUSY) ...*

*Backgrounds:  $Z/\gamma^*/W + \text{jets}$ , multijets, top*



## *Selection:*

*Events with large missing  $E_T$ ,  
exactly one high  $p_T$  jet*

*No second jet*

*No electrons or muons*

*$\Delta\varphi(\text{jet}, E_T^{\text{miss}}) > 0.5 \text{ rad}$*

## *Trigger:*

*Missing  $E_T > 60 \text{ GeV}$*

*(fully efficient by  $120 \text{ GeV}$ )*

	low $p_T$ (GeV)	high $p_T$ (GeV)	very high $p_T$ (GeV)
Jet $p_T >$	120	250	350
$E_T^{\text{miss}} >$	120	220	300
Second Jet $p_T <$	30	60	60

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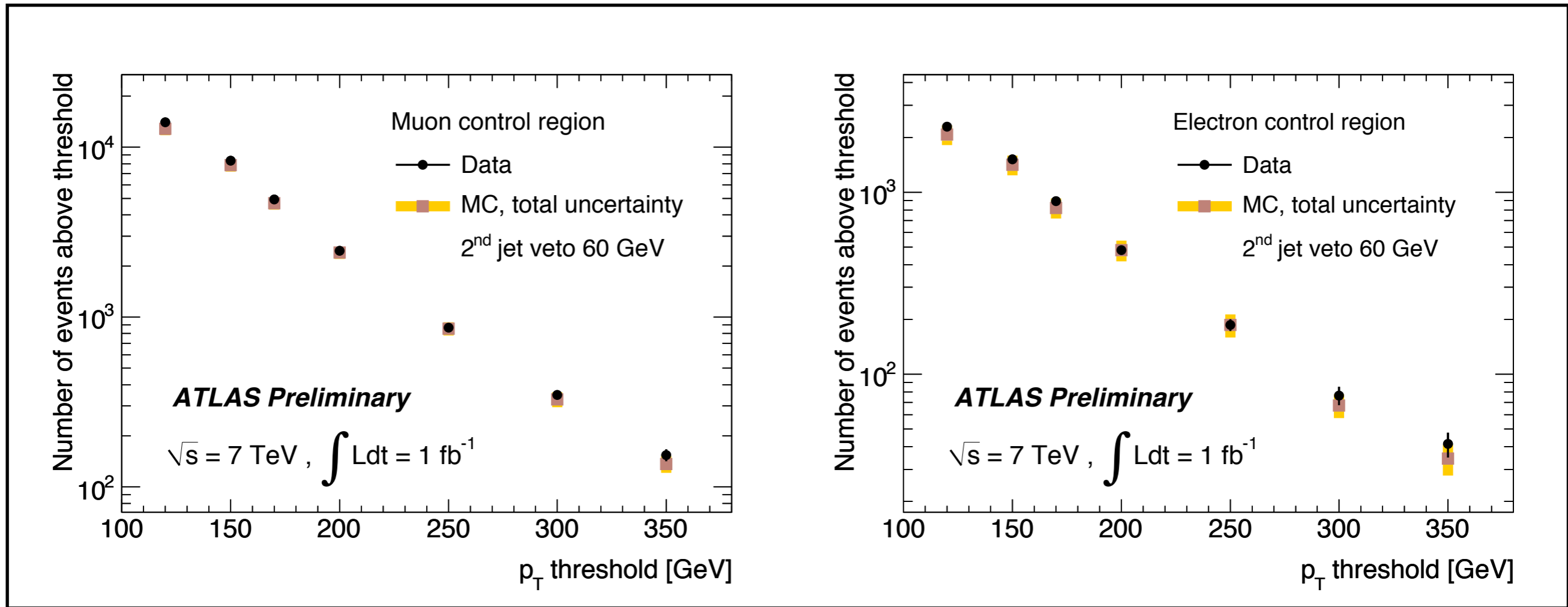
*normalization from events with electrons or muons, otherwise passing analysis selection*

	Background Predictions $\pm$ (stat.) $\pm$ (syst.)		
	LowPt Selection	HighPt Selection	veryHighPt selection
$Z(\rightarrow \nu\nu)+\text{jets}$	$7700 \pm 90 \pm 400$	$610 \pm 27 \pm 47$	$124 \pm 12 \pm 15$
$W(\rightarrow \tau\nu)+\text{jets}$	$3300 \pm 90 \pm 220$	$180 \pm 16 \pm 22$	$36 \pm 7 \pm 8$
$W(\rightarrow e\nu)+\text{jets}$	$1370 \pm 60 \pm 90$	$68 \pm 10 \pm 8$	$8 \pm 1 \pm 2$
$W(\rightarrow \mu\nu)+\text{jets}$	$1890 \pm 70 \pm 100$	$113 \pm 14 \pm 9$	$18 \pm 4 \pm 2$
Multi-jets	$360 \pm 20 \pm 290$	$30 \pm 6 \pm 11$	$3 \pm 2 \pm 2$
$Z/\gamma^*(\rightarrow \tau^+\tau^-)+\text{jets}$	$59 \pm 3 \pm 4$	$2.0 \pm 0.6 \pm 0.2$	-
$Z/\gamma^*(\rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-)+\text{jets}$	$45 \pm 3 \pm 2$	$2.0 \pm 0.6 \pm 0.1$	-
$t\bar{t}$	$17 \pm 1 \pm 3$	$1.7 \pm 0.3 \pm 0.3$	-
$\gamma+\text{jet}$	-	-	-
$Z/\gamma^*(\rightarrow e^+e^-)+\text{jets}$	-	-	-
Non-collision Background	$370 \pm 40 \pm 170$	$8.0 \pm 3.3 \pm 4.1$	$4.0 \pm 3.2 \pm 2.1$
Total Background	$15100 \pm 170 \pm 680$	$1010 \pm 37 \pm 65$	$193 \pm 15 \pm 20$
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*from events with MET pointing toward second jet above threshold*

*from events in empty, unpaired bunches*

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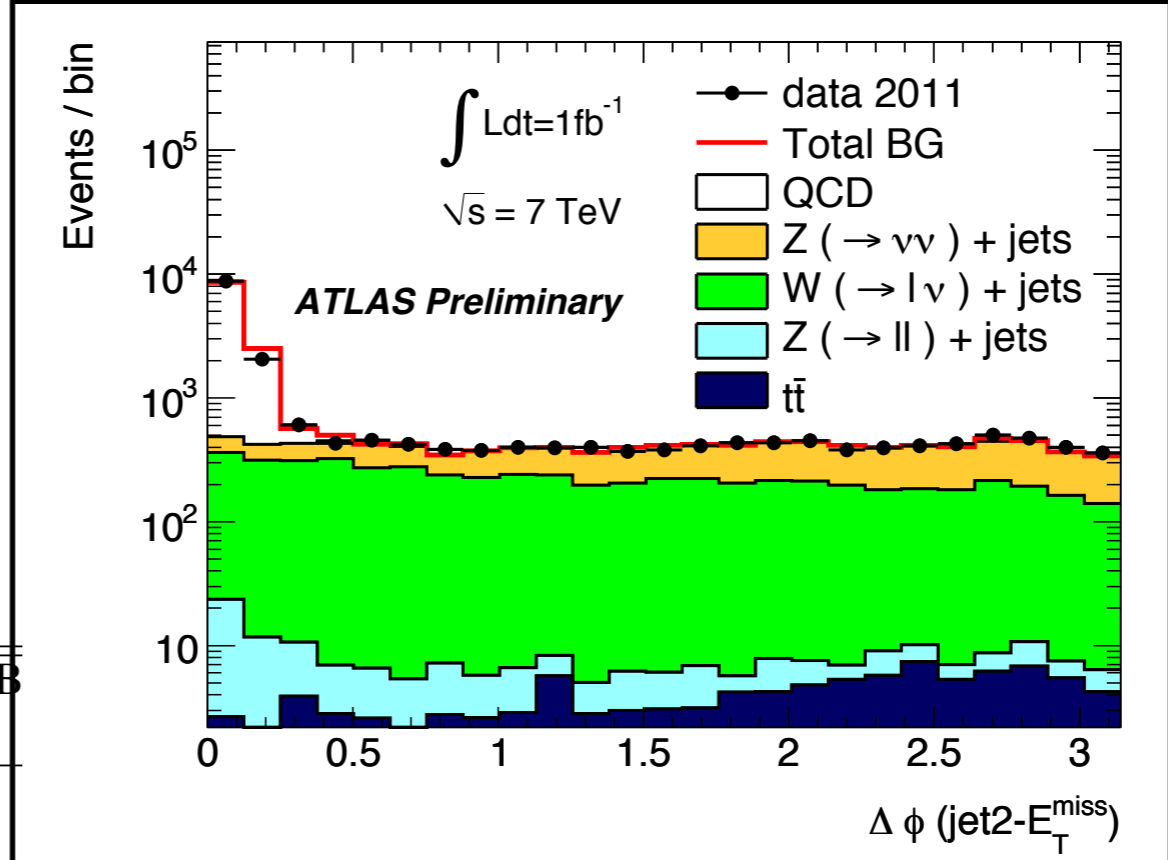
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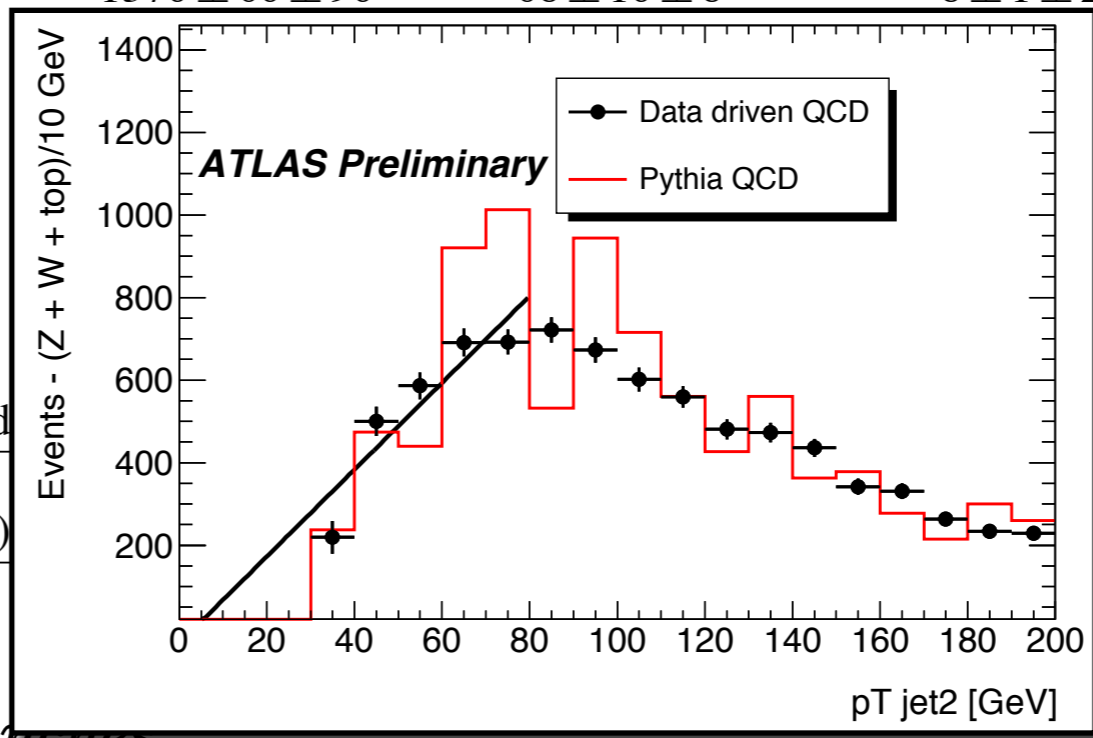
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1370 ± 60 ± 90      68 ± 10 ± 8      8 ± 1 ± 2

- Z (→ νν)+jets
- W (→ τν)+jets
- W (→ eν)+jets
- W (→ μν)+jets
- Multi-jets**
- Z/γ\* (→ τ<sup>+</sup>τ<sup>-</sup>)+jets
- Z/γ\* (→ μ<sup>+</sup>μ<sup>-</sup>)+jets
- tt
- γ+jet
- Z/γ\* (→ e<sup>+</sup>e<sup>-</sup>)+jets
- Non-collision Background
- Total Background
- Events in Data (1.00 fb<sup>-1</sup>)

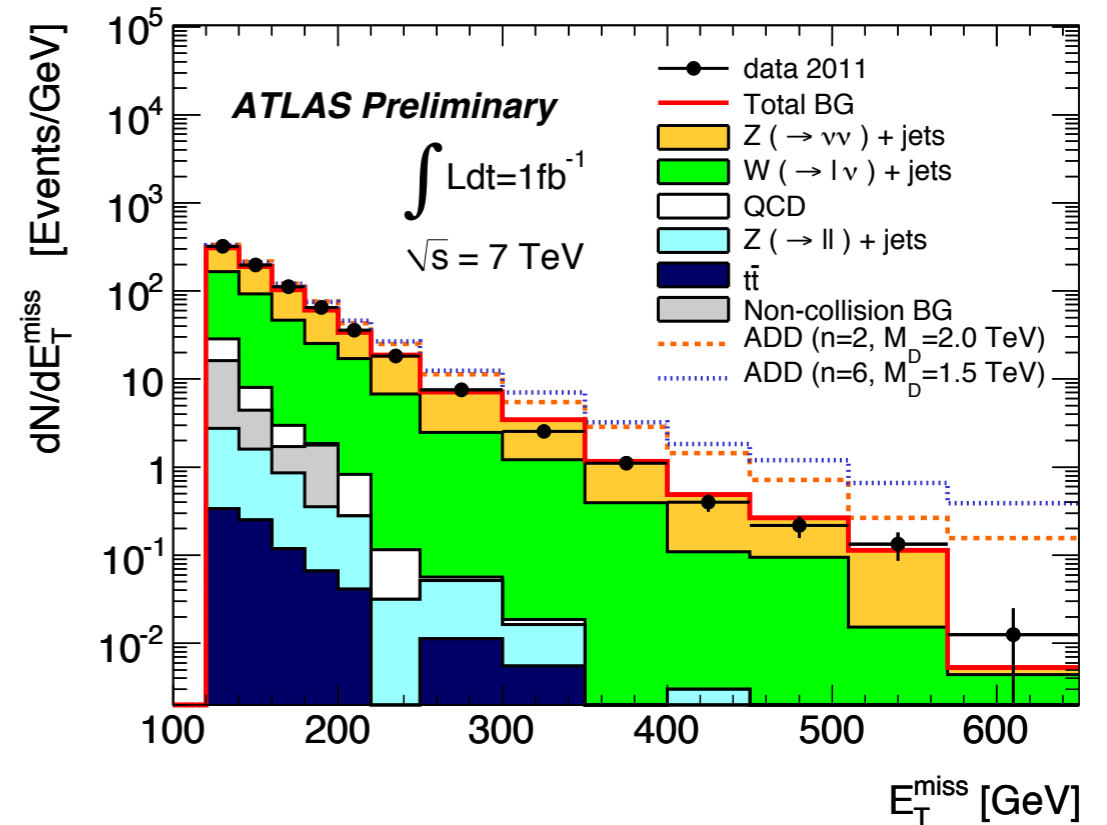
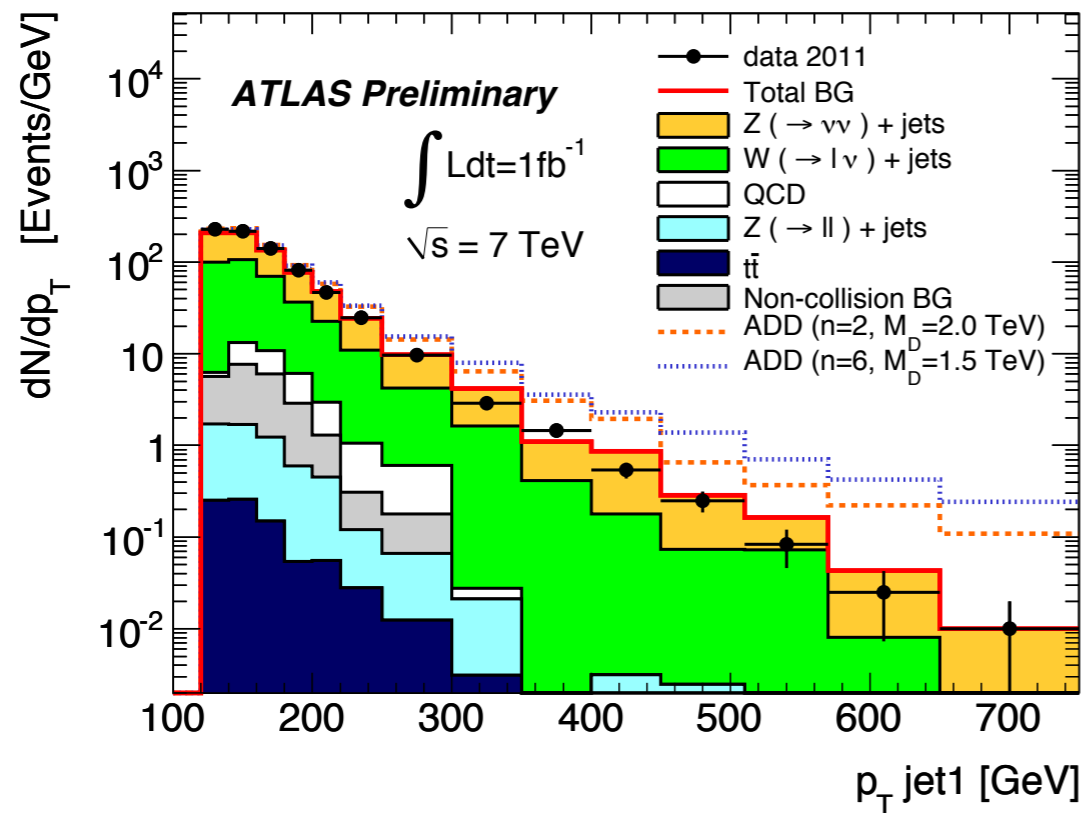


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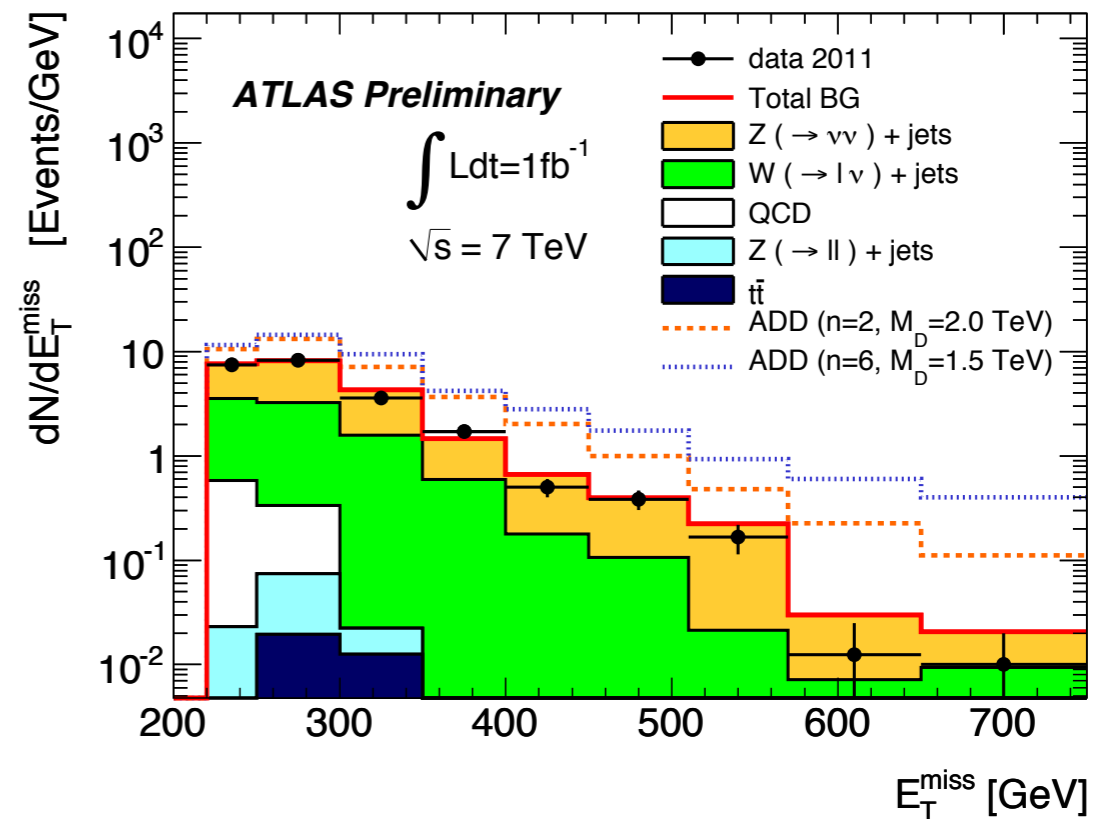
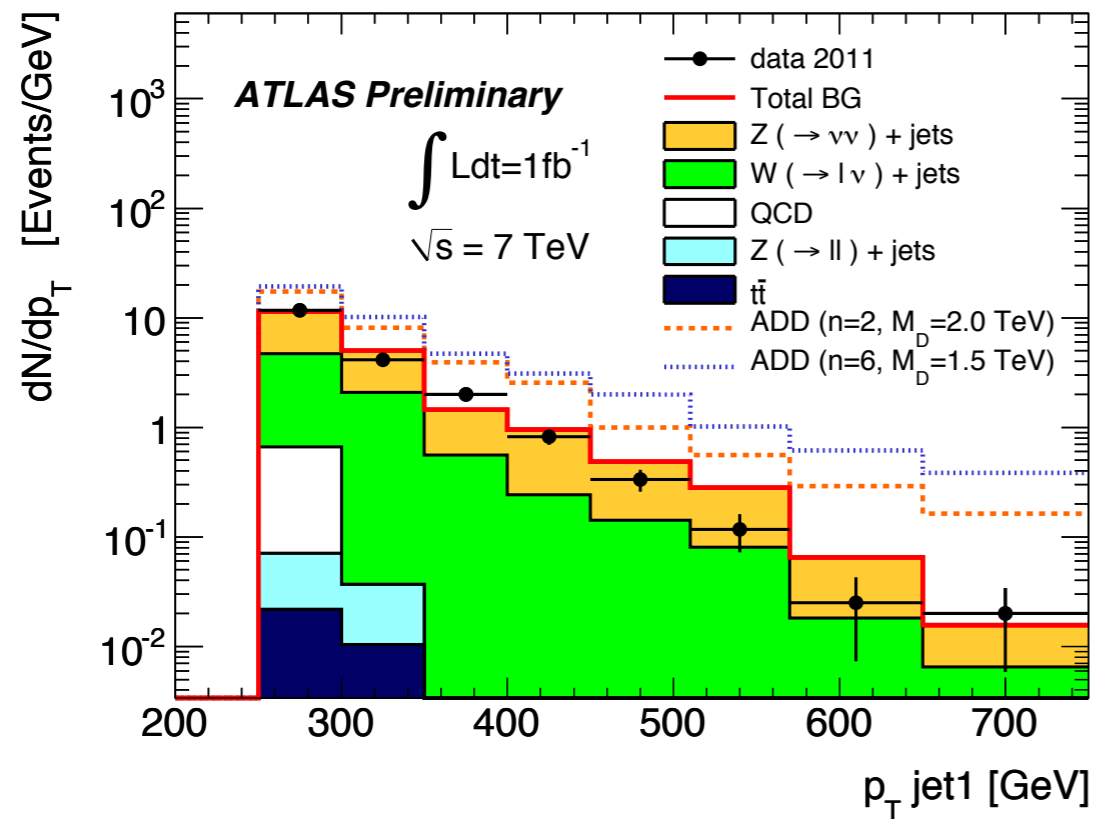
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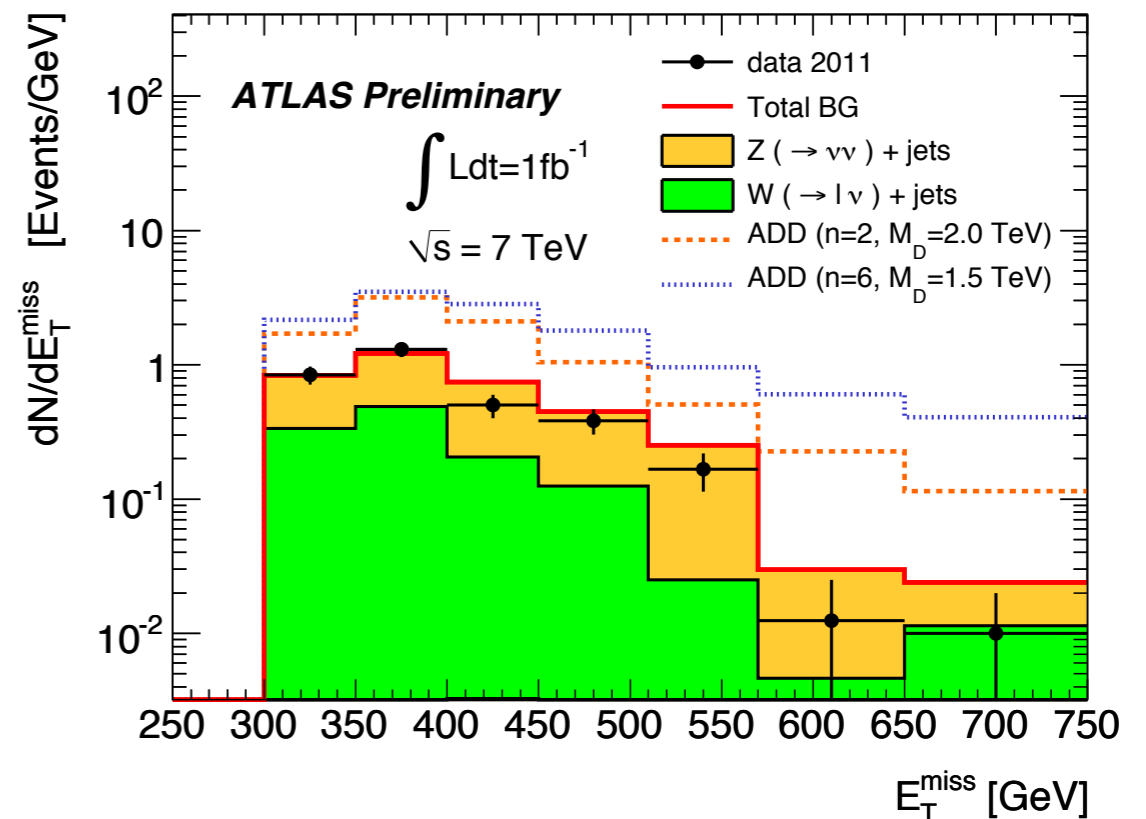
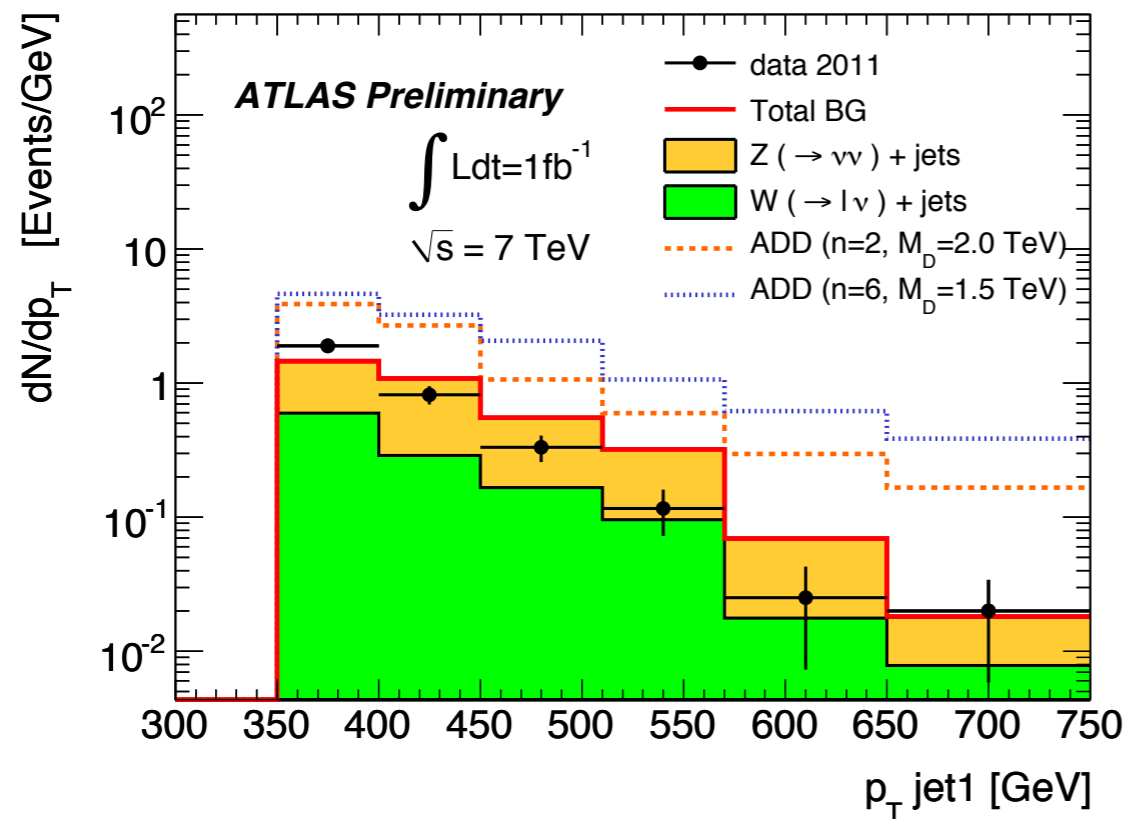
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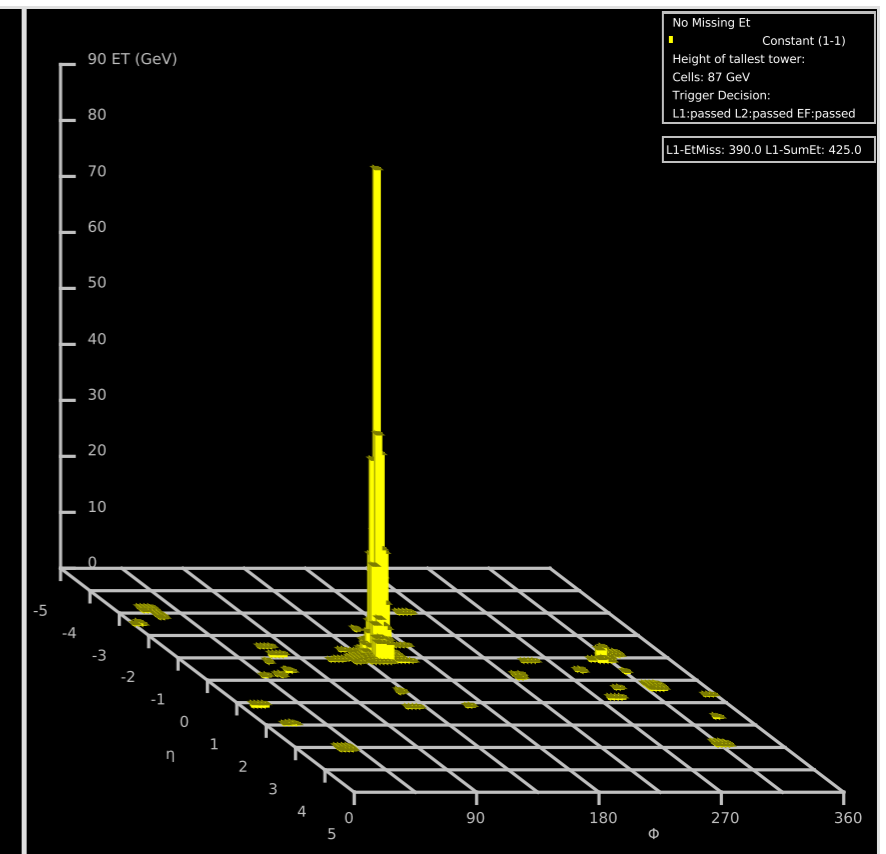
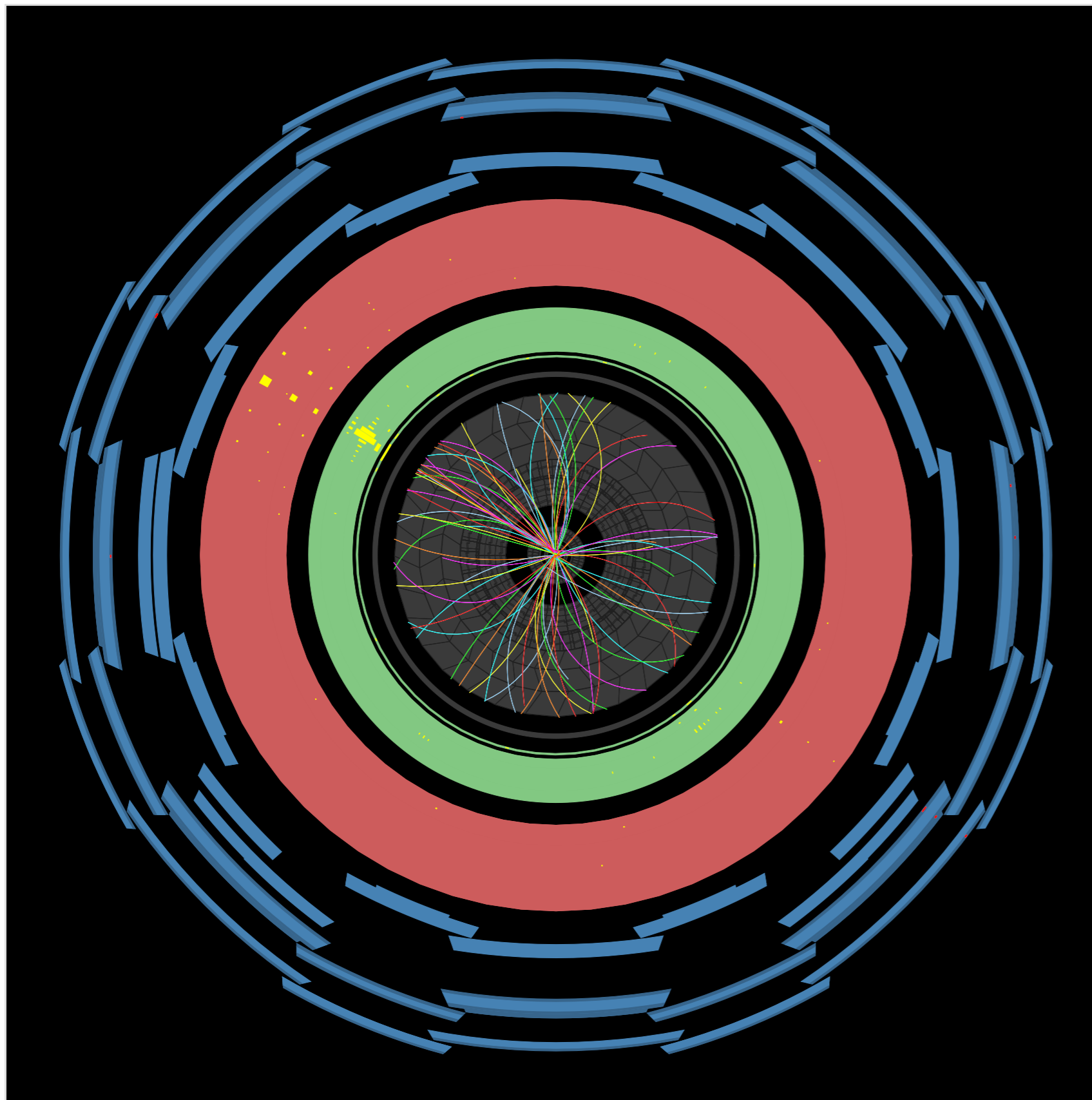
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## Very High $p_T$ Results



# Search for Jet + Missing $E_T$

## Candidate Event



# ATLAS EXPERIMENT

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## Jet + Missing $E_T$ Limits

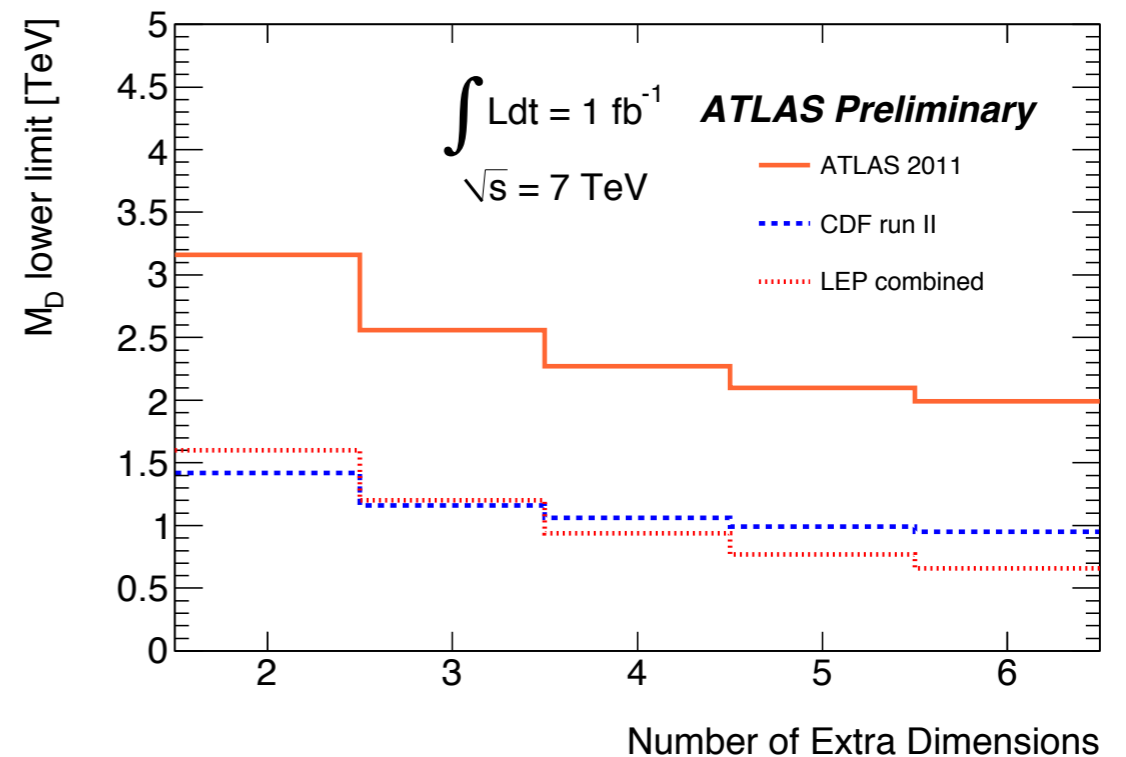
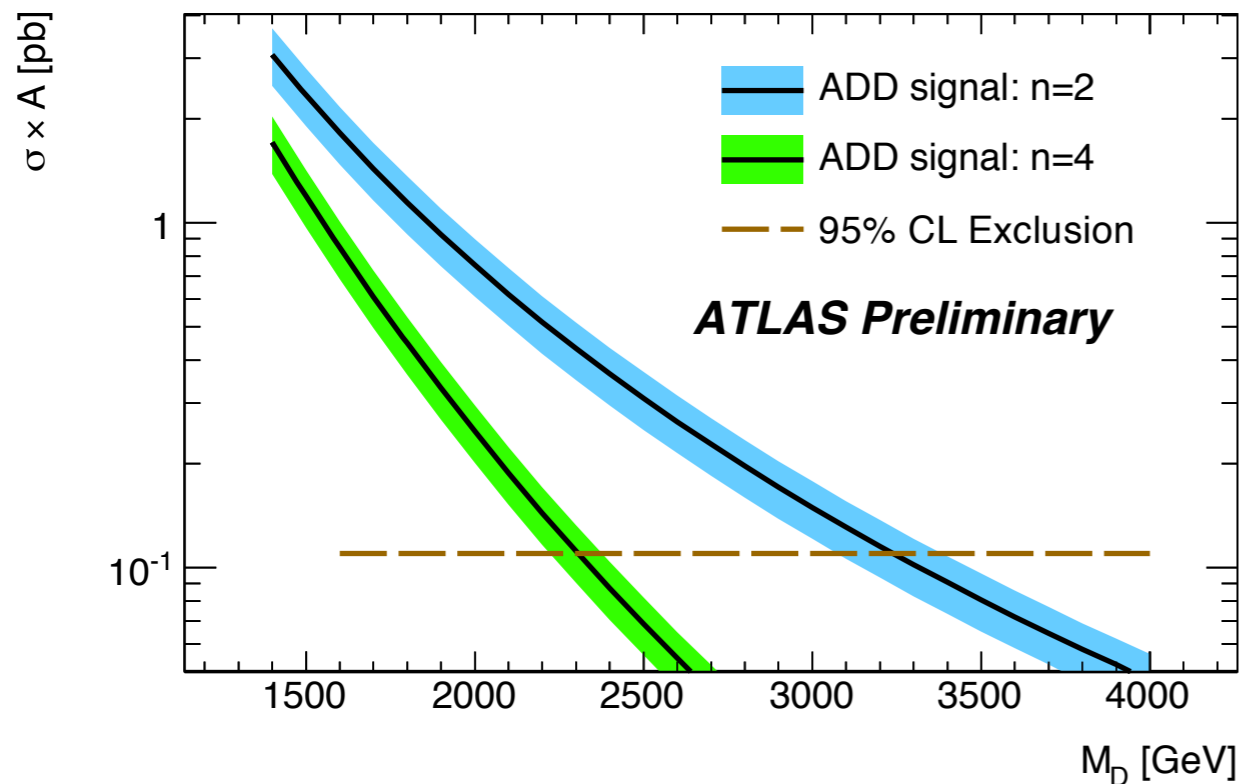
*No excess observed => set model-independent 95% CL limits on the effective cross section (product of cross section and acceptance) of the signal:*

*Low  $p_T$ : 1.7 pb*

*High  $p_T$ : 110 fb*

*Very High  $p_T$ : 35 fb*

*High  $p_T$  limits in the context of ADD models:*



## **Search for Black Holes in Leptons+jets**

*ATLAS-CONF-2011-147, 1.04 fb<sup>-1</sup>*

*(also searched for in multijet and same-sign dimuon events)*

*Signals: low-scale gravity models (extra dimensions; BH, string balls)*

*High multiplicity BH decay*

*Benchmark: BlackMax, Charybdis*

*Backgrounds: QCD multijets (Pythia), top (MC@NLO), V+jets (AlpGen), dibosons (AlpGen)*

*Trigger: single electron/muon ( $p_T > 20/18$  GeV)*

*Selection:*

*Events with at least three electrons/muons/jets with  $p_T > 100$  GeV  
(including at least one lepton)*

*Sum  $p_T$  of leptons and jets  $> 700$  GeV*

*Search variable: sum  $p_T$  of electrons, muons, jets*

## Lepton+jets background techniques

*Pure QCD contribution from jet mis-identified as a lepton*

*Fake electron estimate from in-situ extrapolation from background-enhanced data sample (loosened electron selection)*

*Muon contribution is negligible*

$$N_{\text{pass}} = \epsilon_{\text{real}}N_{\text{real}} + \epsilon_{\text{fake}}N_{\text{fake}},$$

$$N_{\text{fail}} = (1 - \epsilon_{\text{real}})N_{\text{real}} + (1 - \epsilon_{\text{fake}})N_{\text{fake}}$$

## Lepton+jets background techniques

*DY, W, and top background contributions from MC*

*Normalized to data in control regions*

*DY:*

$$80 < m_{ll} < 100 \text{ GeV}$$

*opposite sign leptons*

$$300 < \text{sum } p_T < 700 \text{ GeV}$$

$$\text{SF (muons): } 0.85 \pm 0.04 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.14 \text{ (syst)}$$

$$\text{SF (electrons): } 0.93 \pm 0.03 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.08 \text{ (syst)}$$

*W/top:*

$$40 < M_T < 100 \text{ GeV}$$

$$30 < MET < 60 \text{ GeV}$$

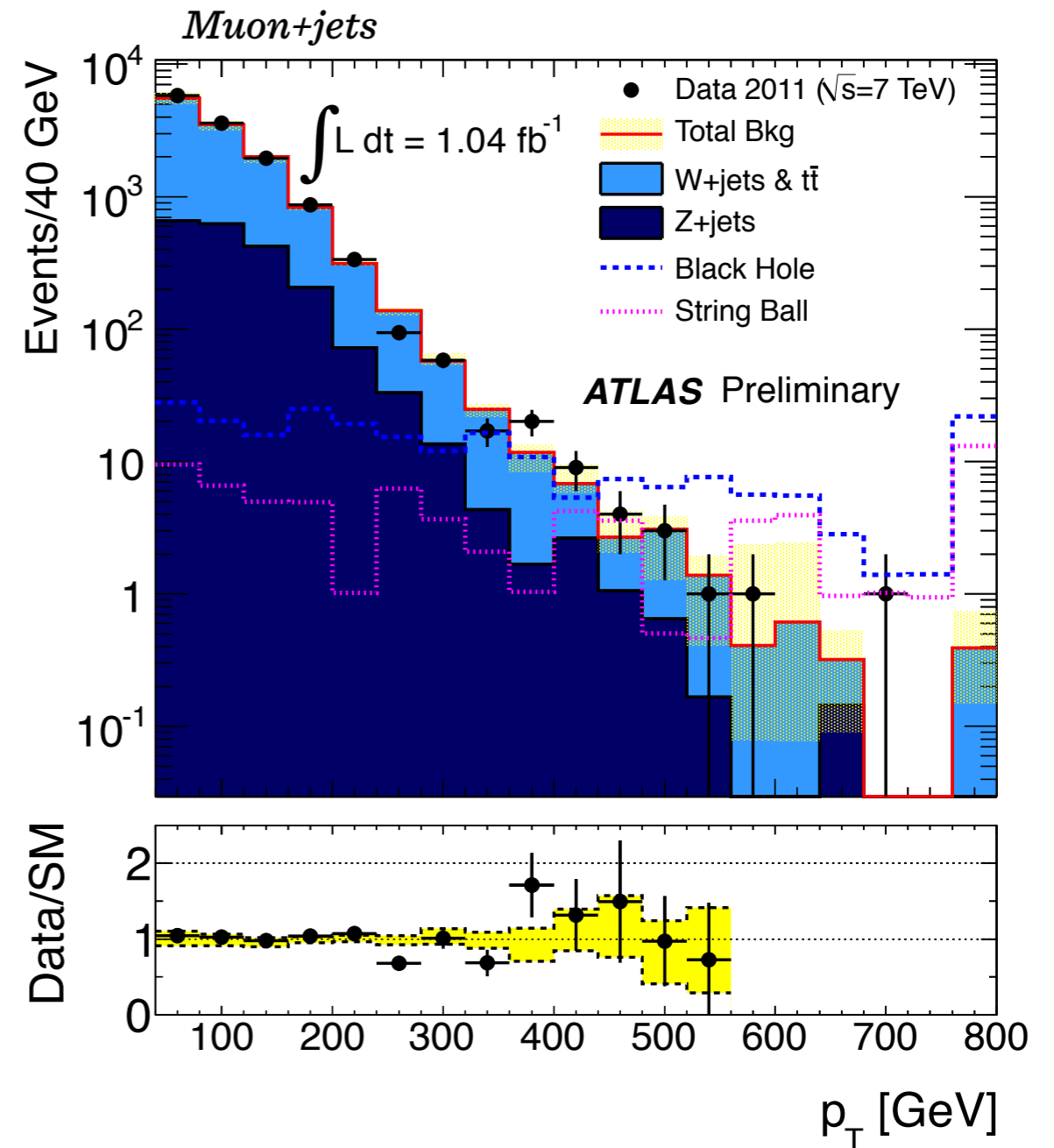
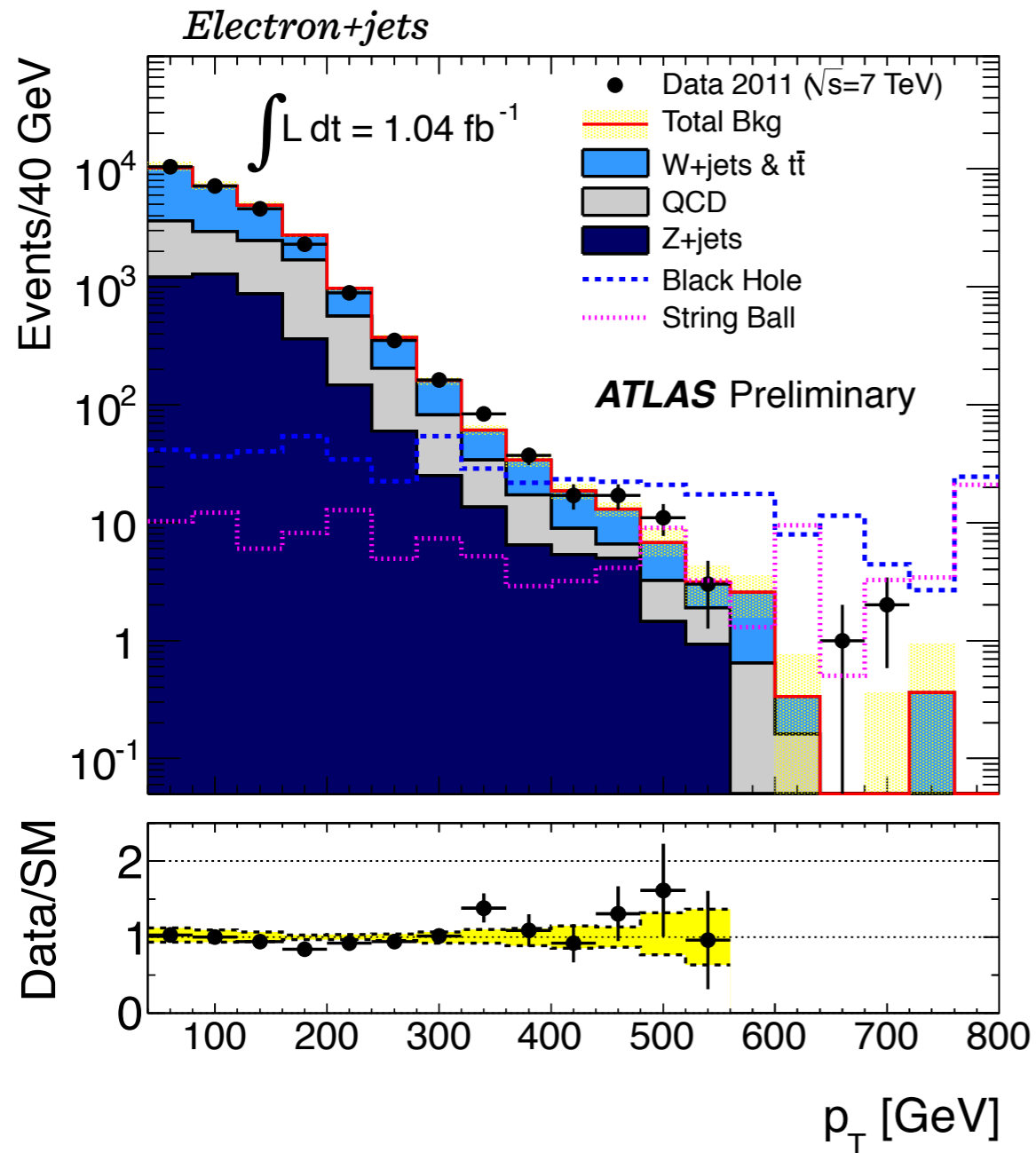
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# Lepton+jets background validation

Leading lepton  $p_T$  distributions in background-enhanced 'preselected' sample before final background rejection.



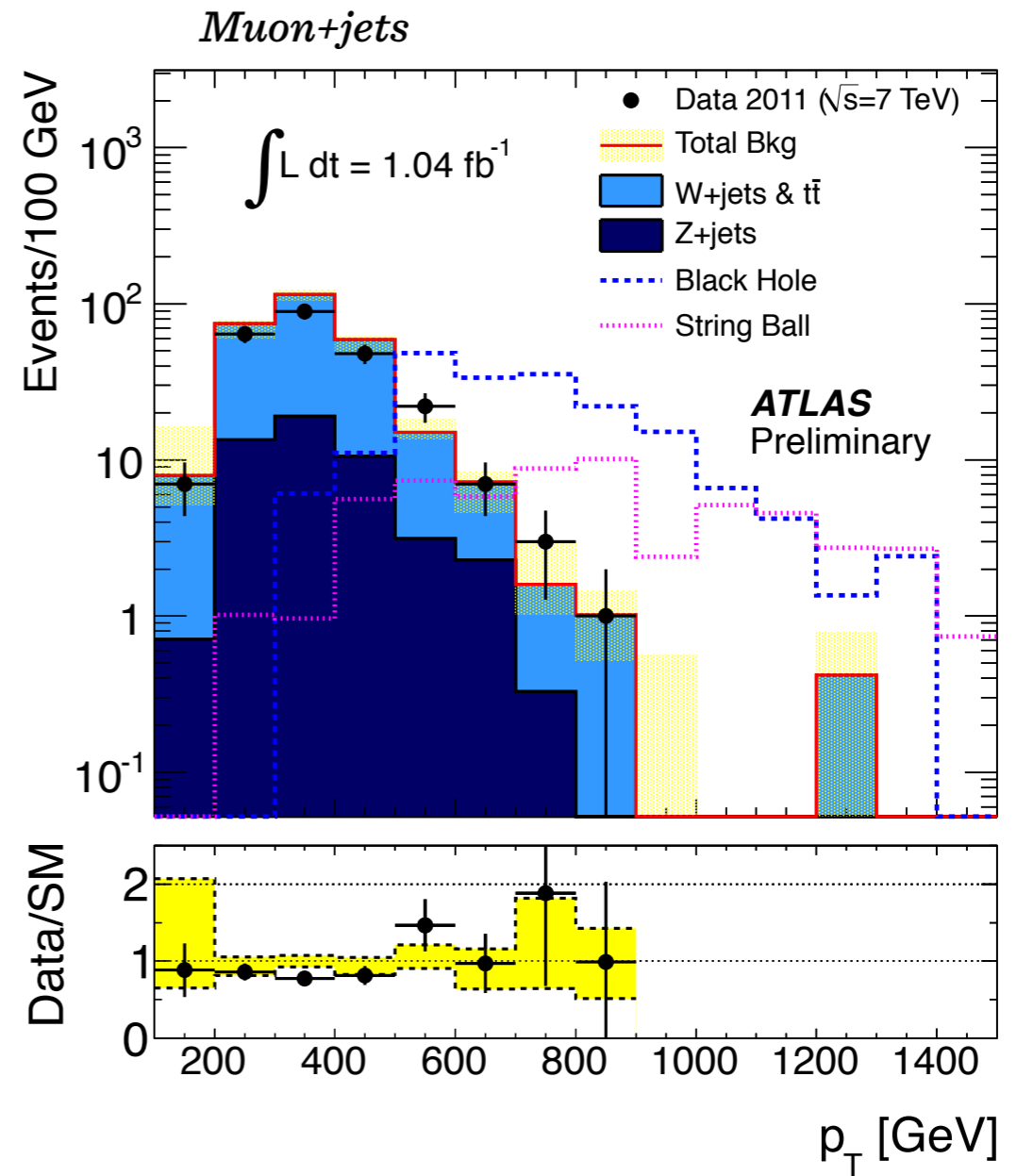
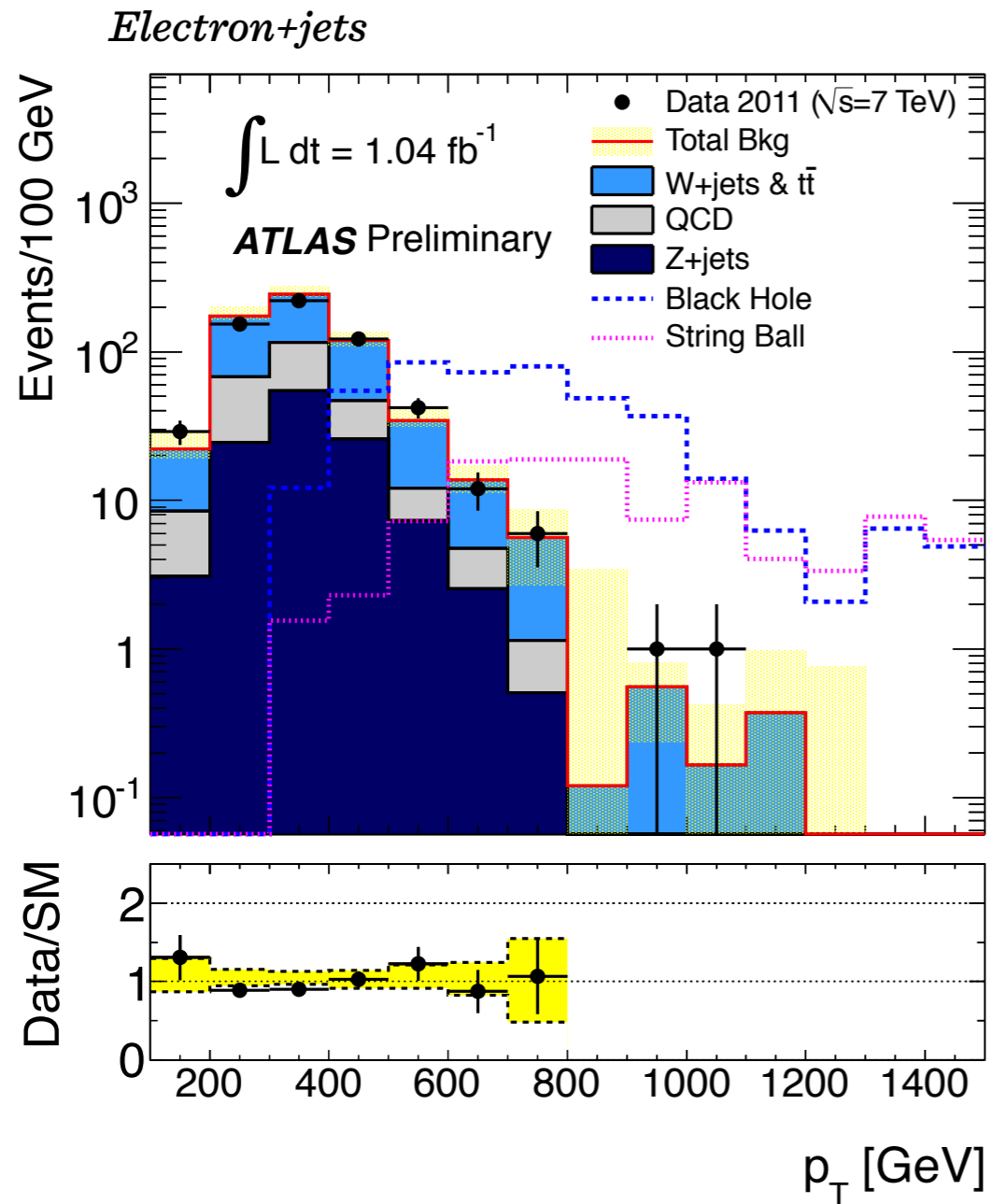
*Shown for pre-selection:*

*Events with at least three electrons/muons/jets with  $p_T > 40 \text{ GeV}$  (including at least one lepton)*

*Sum  $p_T$  of leptons and jets  $> 300 \text{ GeV}$*



# Lepton+jets results



*Good agreement between data and background prediction observed ( $p$ -values 0.43–0.47).*

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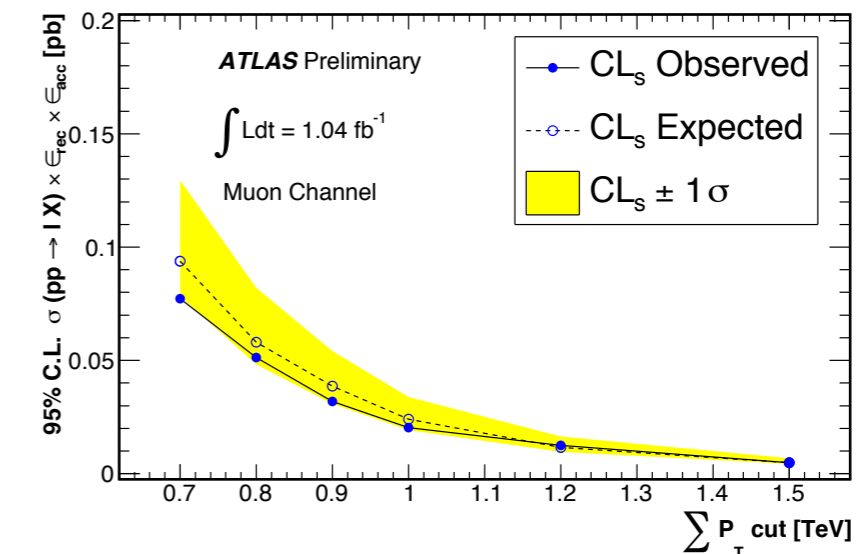
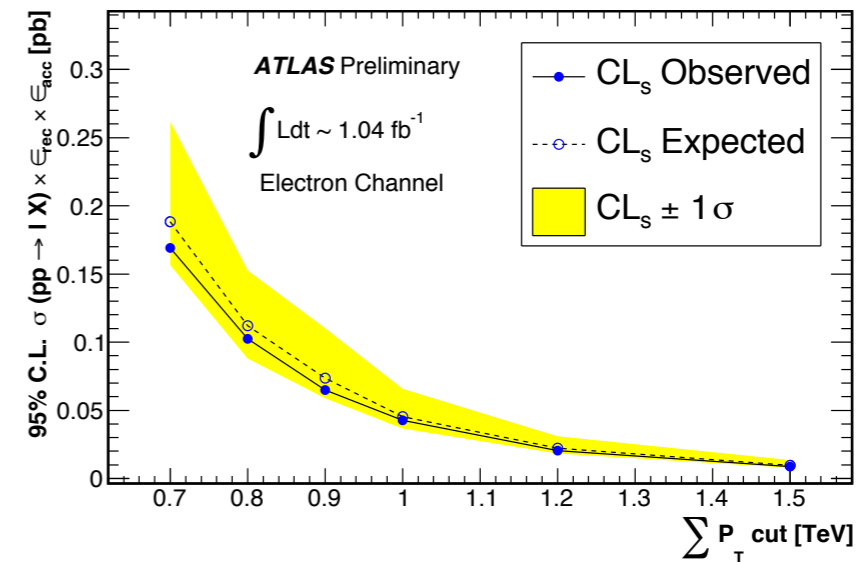
Set 95% CL limits on effective black hole production cross section.

$$\sigma_{eff} = \sigma(pp \rightarrow lX) \cdot eff_{rec} \cdot eff_{acc},$$

$\sigma(pp \rightarrow lX)$  is the production cross section for a high-sum- $p_T$  multi-object state containing a high- $p_T$  ( $> 100$  GeV) isolated lepton inside experimental acceptance.

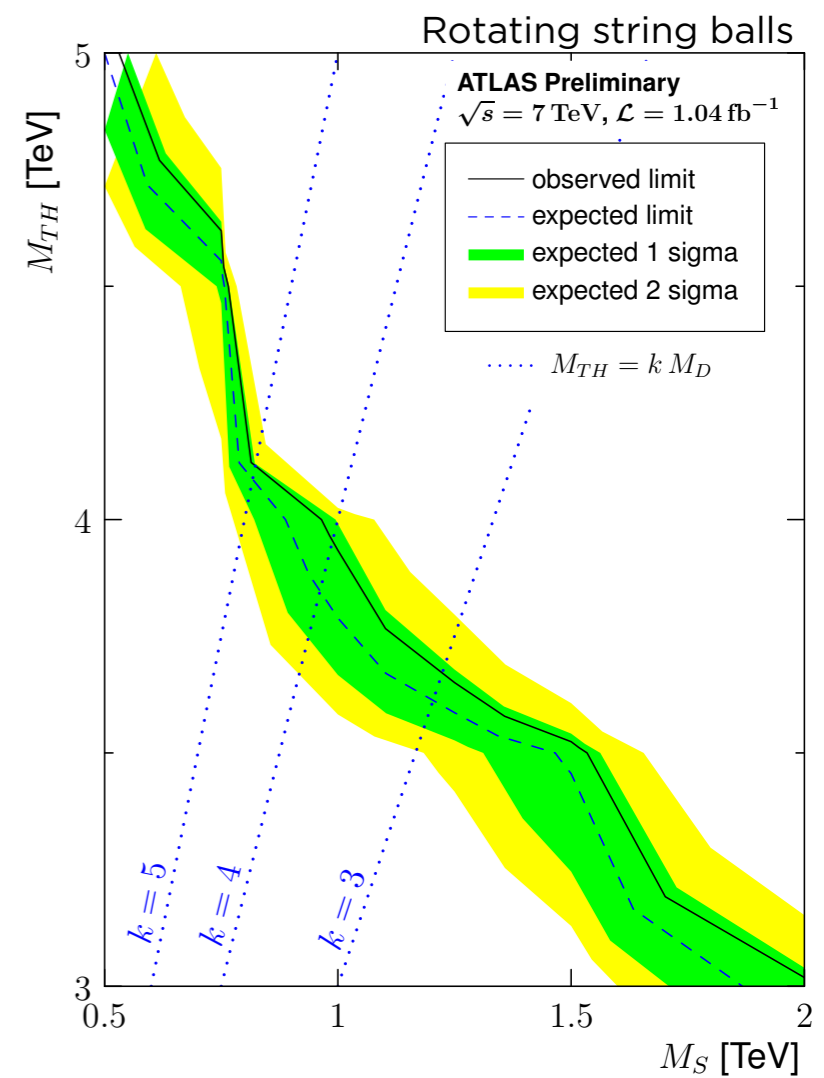
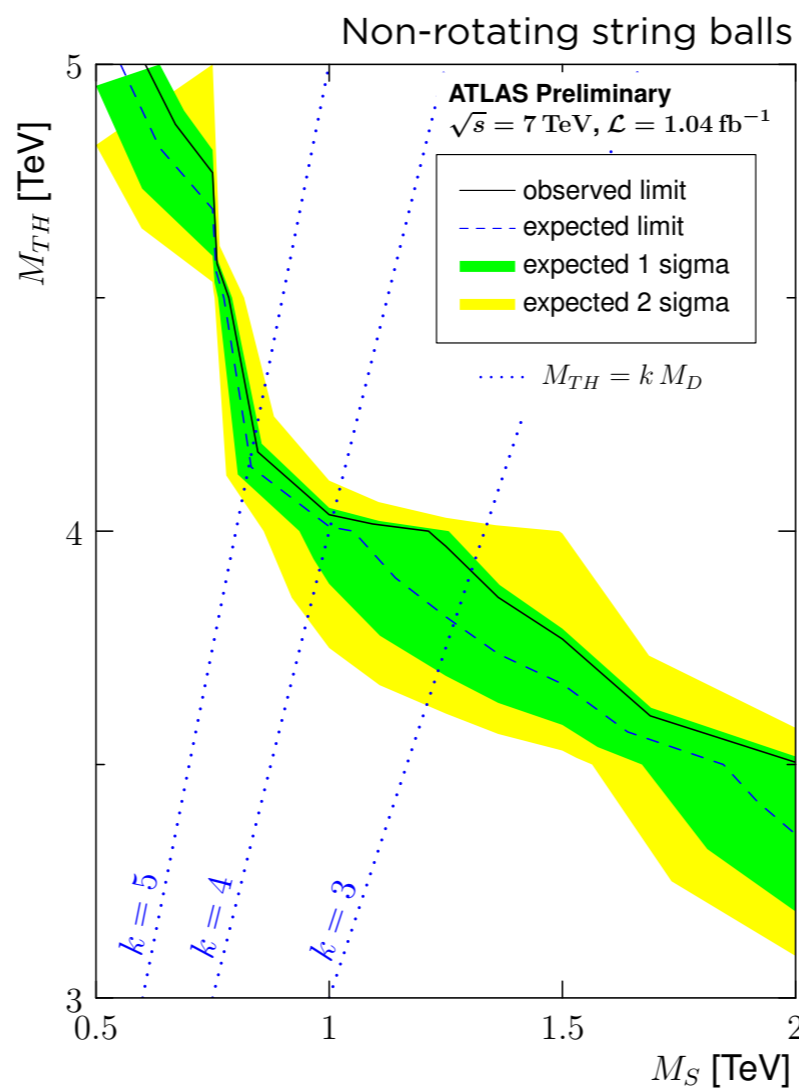
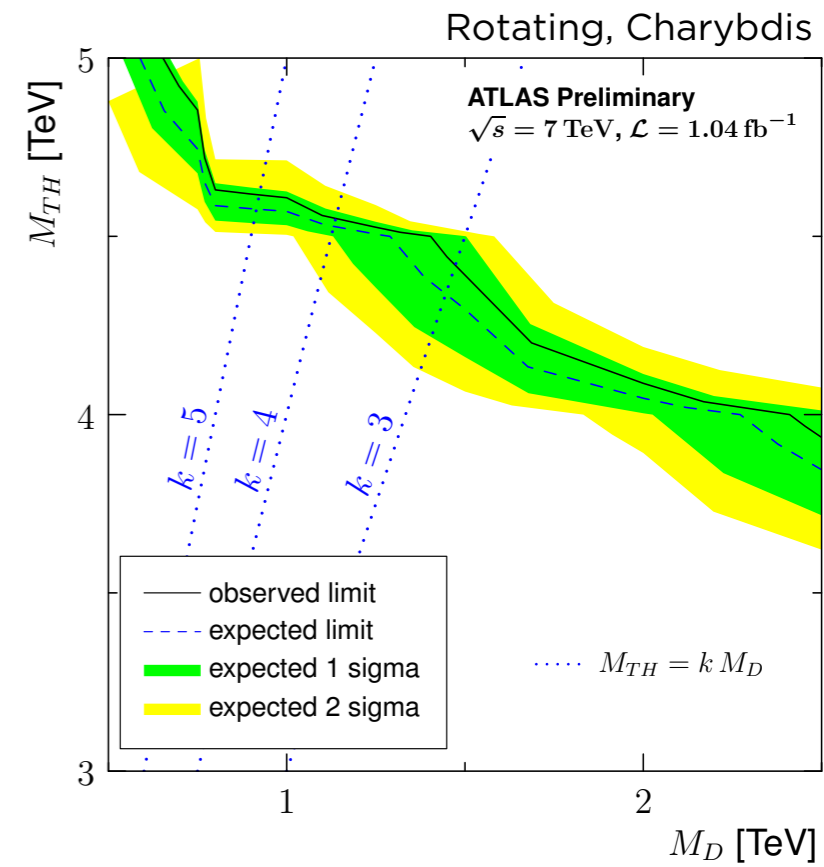
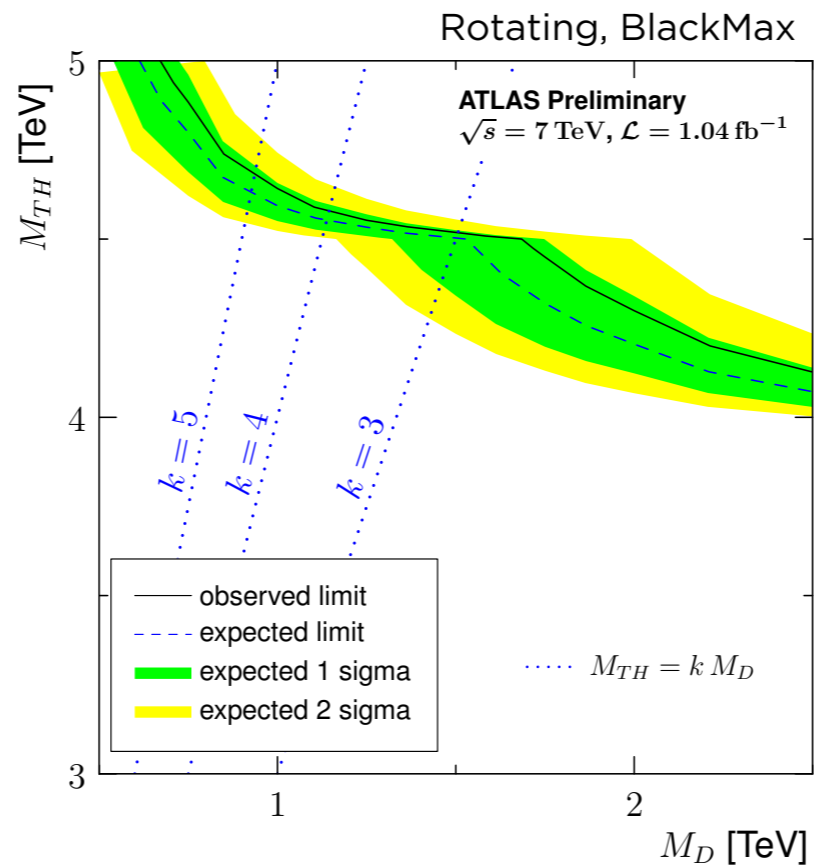
For sum- $p_T > 1.5$  TeV, the upper limits on the cross section are 8.7 fb for the electron channel and 4.8 fb for the muon channel, at 95% C.L.

$\sum p_T$ (GeV)	$\sigma_{eff}$ 95% C.L. Upper Limit (fb)	
	Observed	Expected
	Muon Channel	Electron Channel
$> 700$	77 (94)	169 (188)
$> 800$	51 (58)	102 (112)
$> 900$	32 (39)	65 (73)
$> 1000$	20 (24)	43 (45)
$> 1200$	13 (12)	20 (22)
$> 1500$	4.8 (4.8)	8.7 (9.7)



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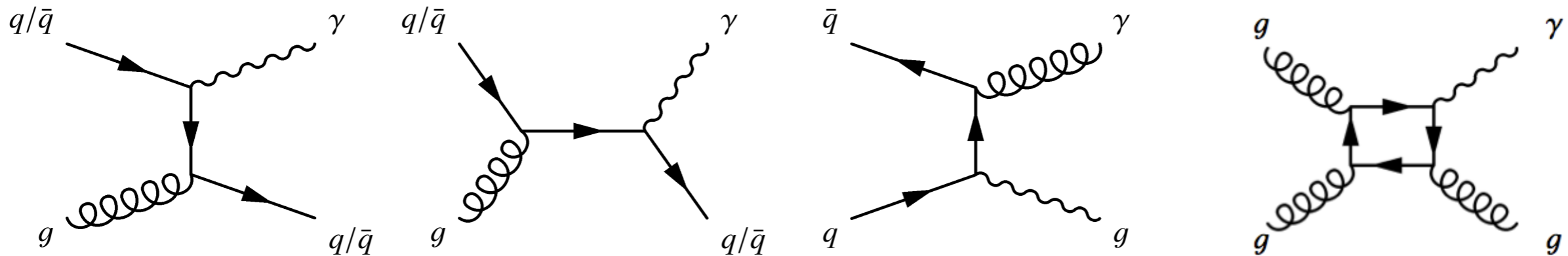
Set 95% CL limits limits on effective production cross section.



# Search in the Photon+Jet Mass Distribution

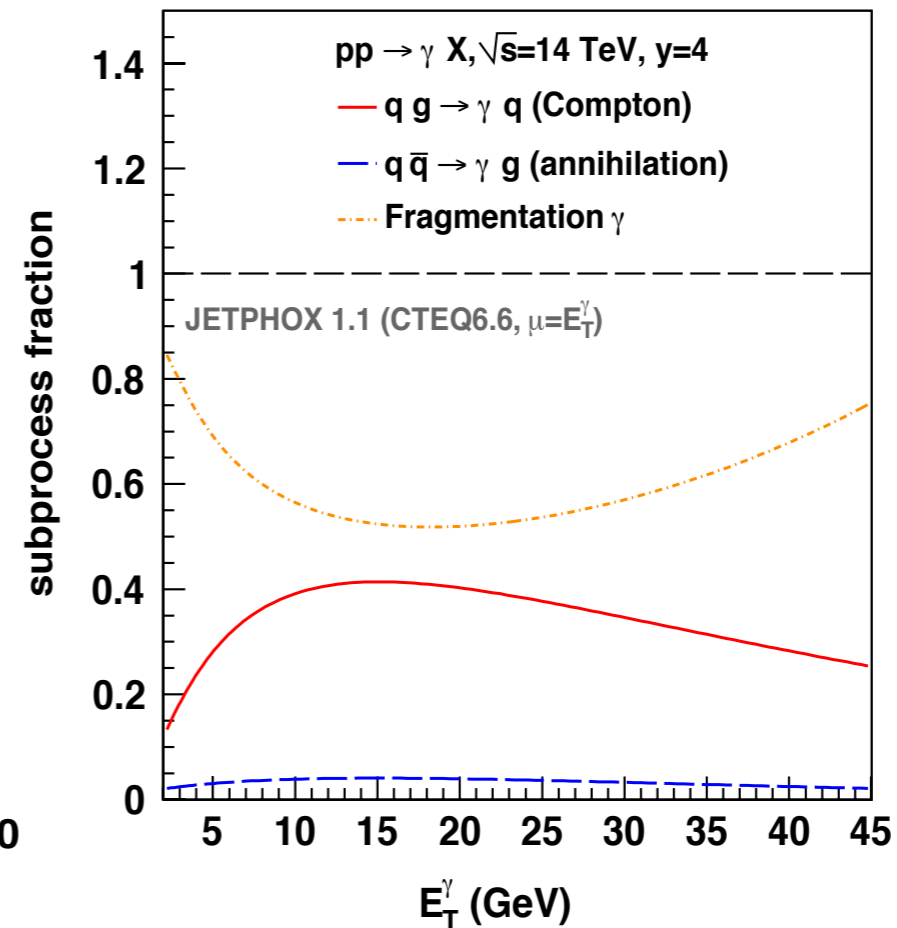
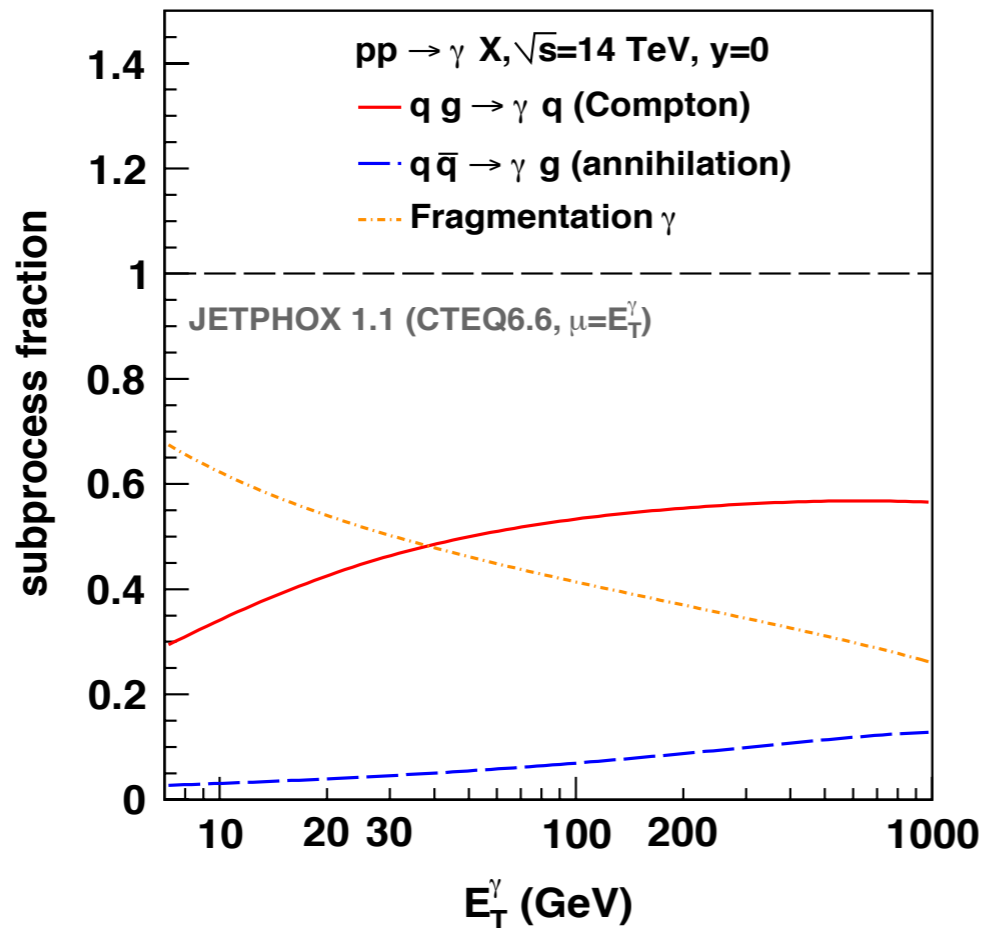
*arXiv:1112.3580, submitted to PRL, 2.1 fb<sup>-1</sup>*

- *Backgrounds: SM photon+jet, dijet with fragmentation photons*



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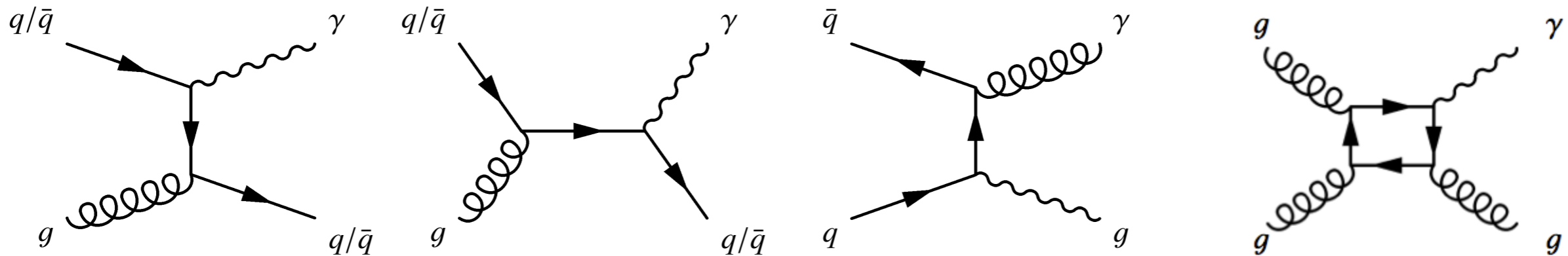
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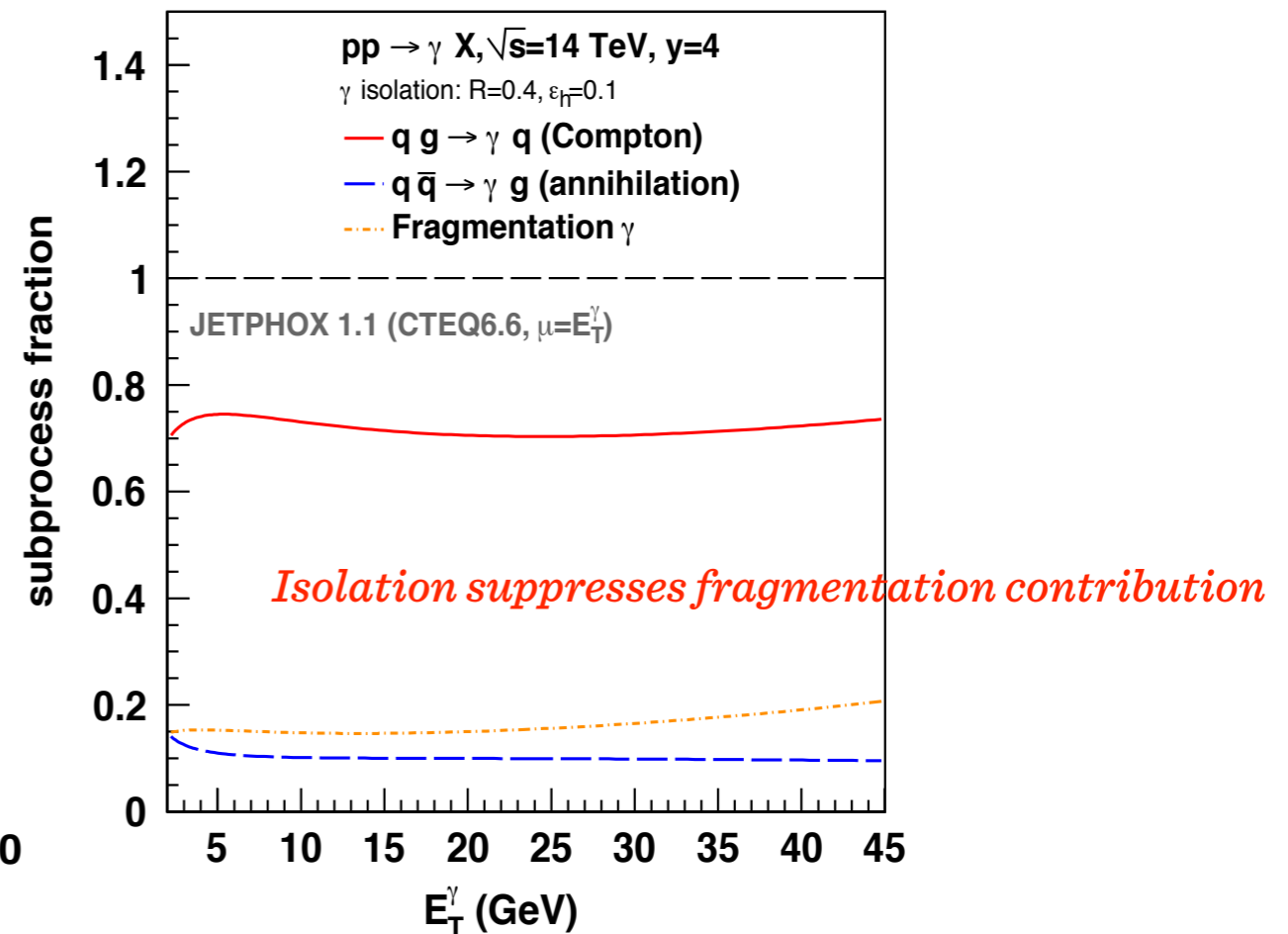
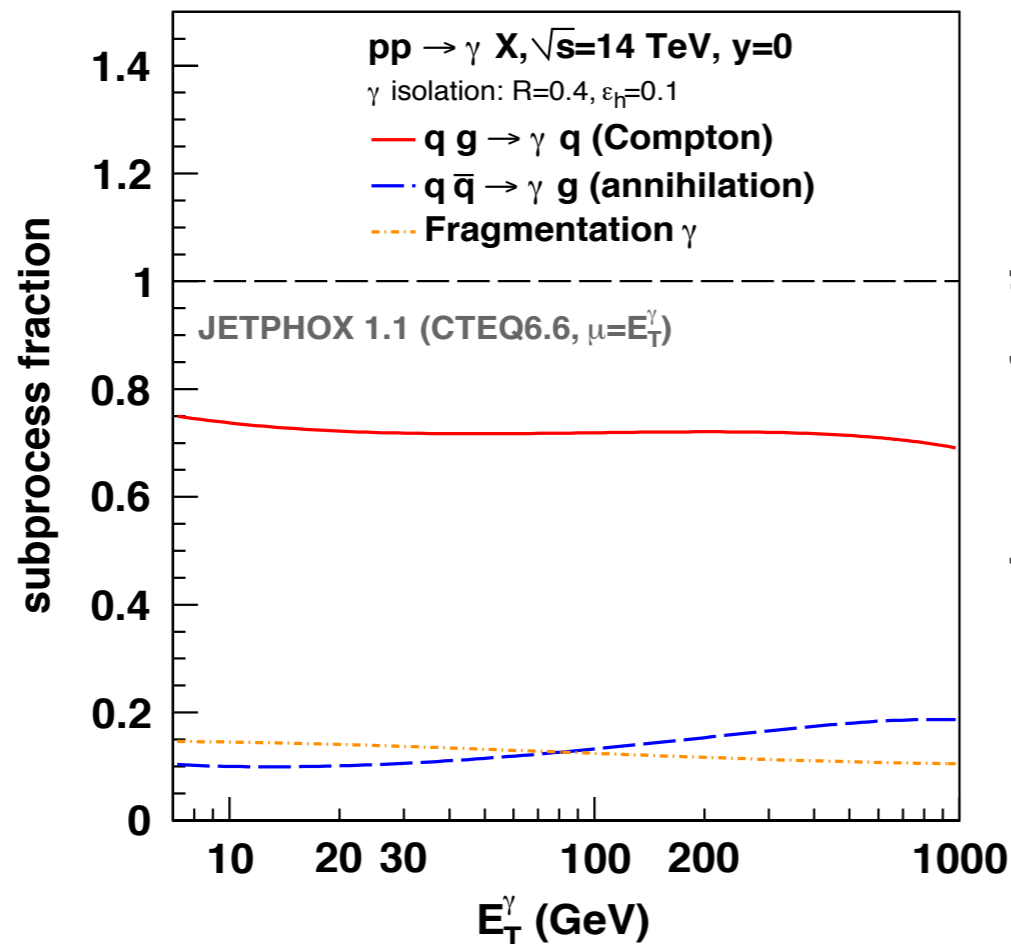
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## Photon+Jet Resonance Models

*Photon+jet sensitive to many models: excited quarks, Regge recurrences, topological pions*  
*Complementary to dijet searches for some models (e.g. excited quarks)*

*Few searches published*

- *Much tighter constraint possible with LHC data*

*Excited quark model used as benchmark model*

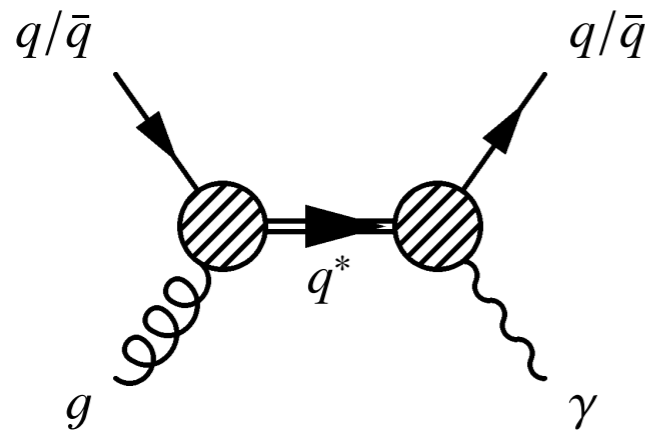


TABLE II. Relative branching ratios  $B_G = \Gamma(f^* \rightarrow fV) / \sum_V \Gamma(f^* \rightarrow fV)$  for decays of excited fermions into gauge bosons for  $m^* = \Lambda$ ,  $f_s = f = f' = 1$ , and  $\alpha_s = 0.11$ .

Decay mode	$B_G$	Decay mode	$B_G$
$\nu^* \rightarrow \nu Z$	0.39	$e^* \rightarrow e\gamma$	0.28
$\nu^* \rightarrow eW$	0.61	$e^* \rightarrow eZ$	0.11
		$e^* \rightarrow \nu W$	0.61
$u^* \rightarrow ug$	0.85	$d^* \rightarrow dg$	0.85
$u^* \rightarrow u\gamma$	0.02	$d^* \rightarrow d\gamma$	0.005
$u^* \rightarrow uZ$	0.03	$d^* \rightarrow dZ$	0.05
$u^* \rightarrow dW$	0.10	$d^* \rightarrow uW$	0.10

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## Search in the Photon+Jet Mass Distribution

- *Previous most sensitive direct search published in 1994 (CDF)*
- *Excludes  $80 < m_{q^*} < 460 \text{ GeV}$*

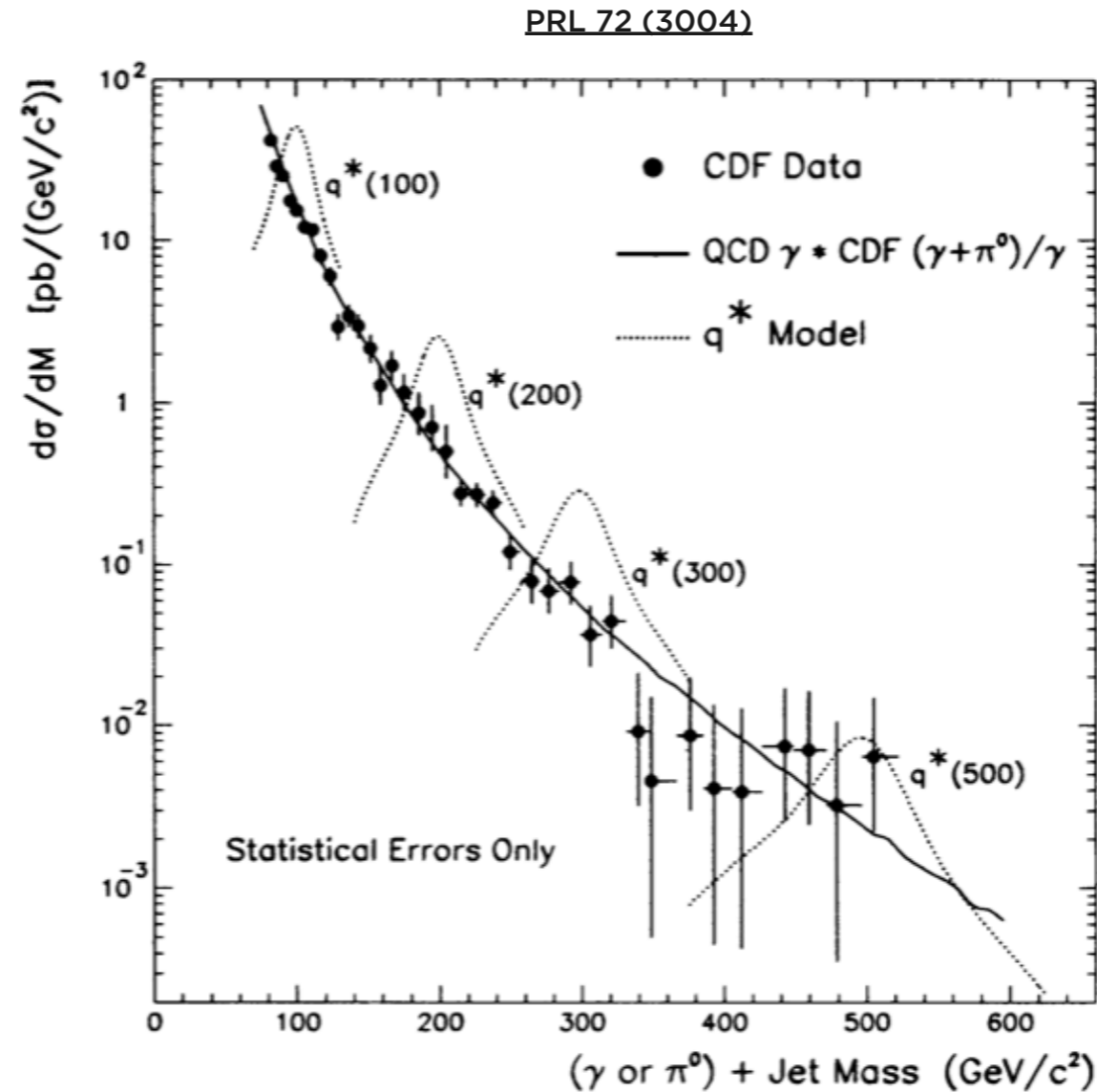


FIG. 1. The photon candidate+leading jet invariant mass distribution (points) compared to an estimate of the QCD background (solid curve) and excited quark signal at four different  $q^*$  mass values (dotted curves). Corrected for acceptance and efficiency except for the cuts  $|\eta_\gamma| < 0.9$  and  $|\cos\theta^*| < \frac{2}{3}$ .

# Photon+Jet Resonance Models

*Example: LHC is sensitive to Regge excitations of fundamental strings at “string disk” (tree) level*

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$$|\mathcal{M}(gg \rightarrow g\gamma)|^2 \approx g^4 Q^2 C(N) \frac{\pi^4}{4} (s^4 + t^4 + u^4) \quad (s, t, u \ll 1).$$

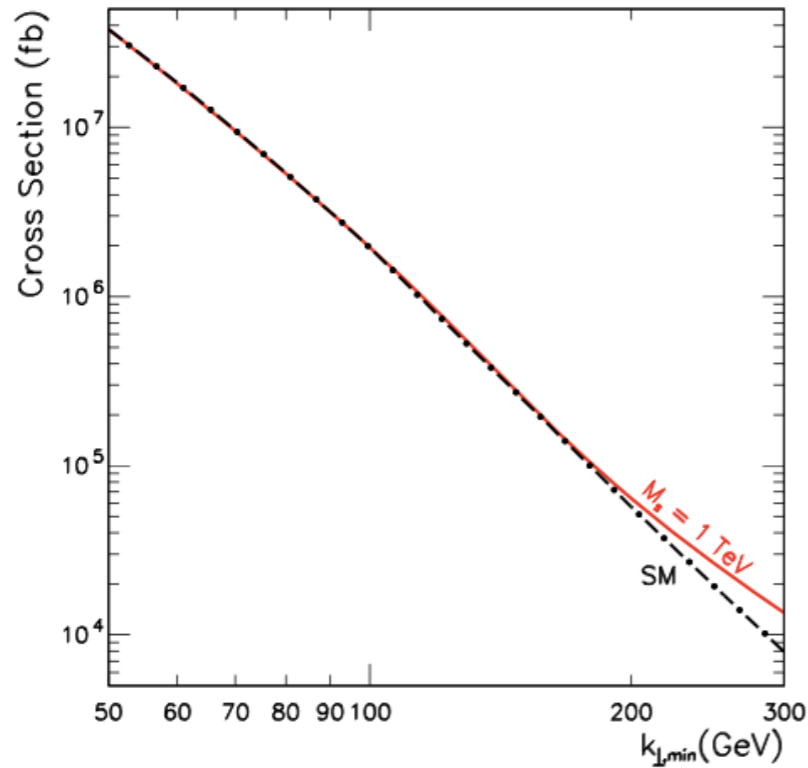


FIG. 2: Behavior of the QCD cross section for  $pp \rightarrow \gamma + \text{jet}$  (dot-dashed line) as a function of  $k_{\perp,\text{min}}$ . The string cross section overlying the QCD background is also shown as a solid line  $M_s = 1 \text{ TeV}$ .

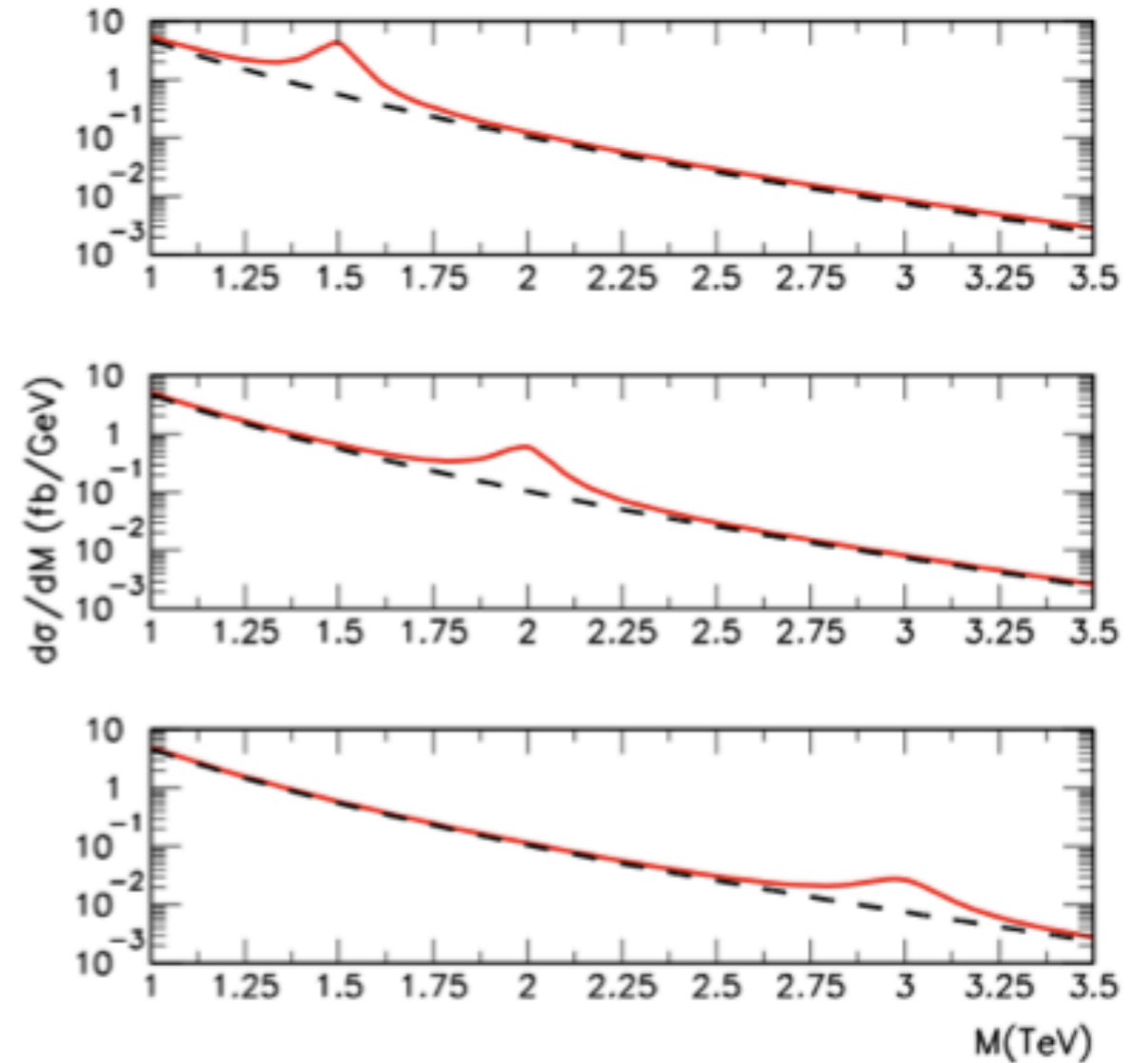


FIG. 5:  $d\sigma/dM$  (units of fb/GeV) vs.  $M$  (TeV) is plotted for the case of SM QCD background (dashed) and (first resonance) string signal + background (solid).



# Search in the Photon+Jet Mass Distribution

## Selection:

At least one photon with  $E_T > 85$  GeV

At least one jet with  $E_T > 30$  GeV

Photon isolation  $E_T$  (0.4 cone)  $< 7$  GeV

Delta  $R$  ( $\eta$ - $\phi$ )  $> 0.4$  between leading photon and any jet

Invariant mass of photon and jet pair  $m_{\gamma j} > 260$  GeV

## Background estimate:

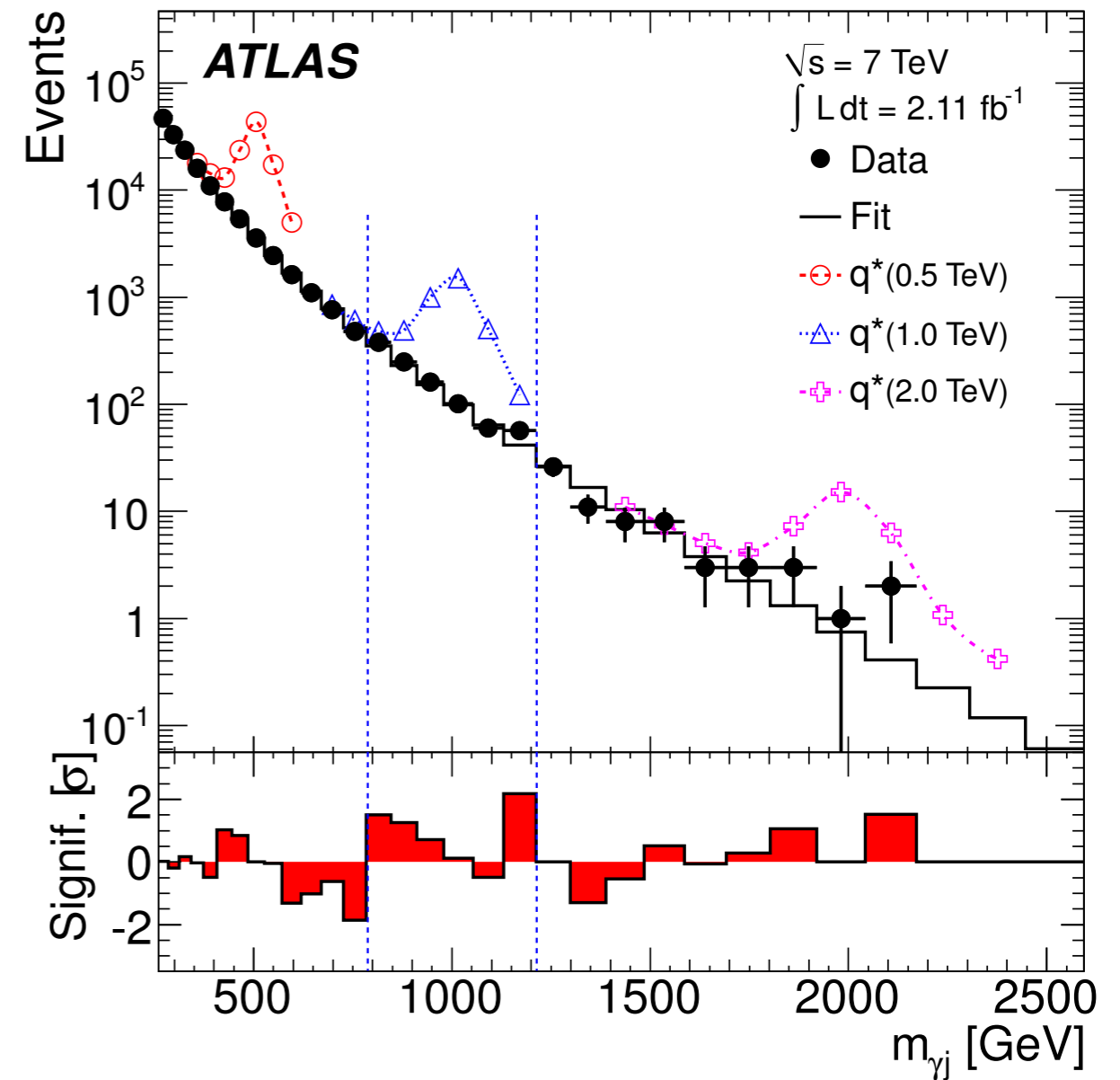
Fit mass distribution to an ansatz motivated by massless 2->2 scattering formulae

$$f(x \equiv m_{\gamma j} / \sqrt{s}) = p_1 (1 - x)^{p_2} x^{-p_3 - p_4 \ln x}$$

## BumpHunter:

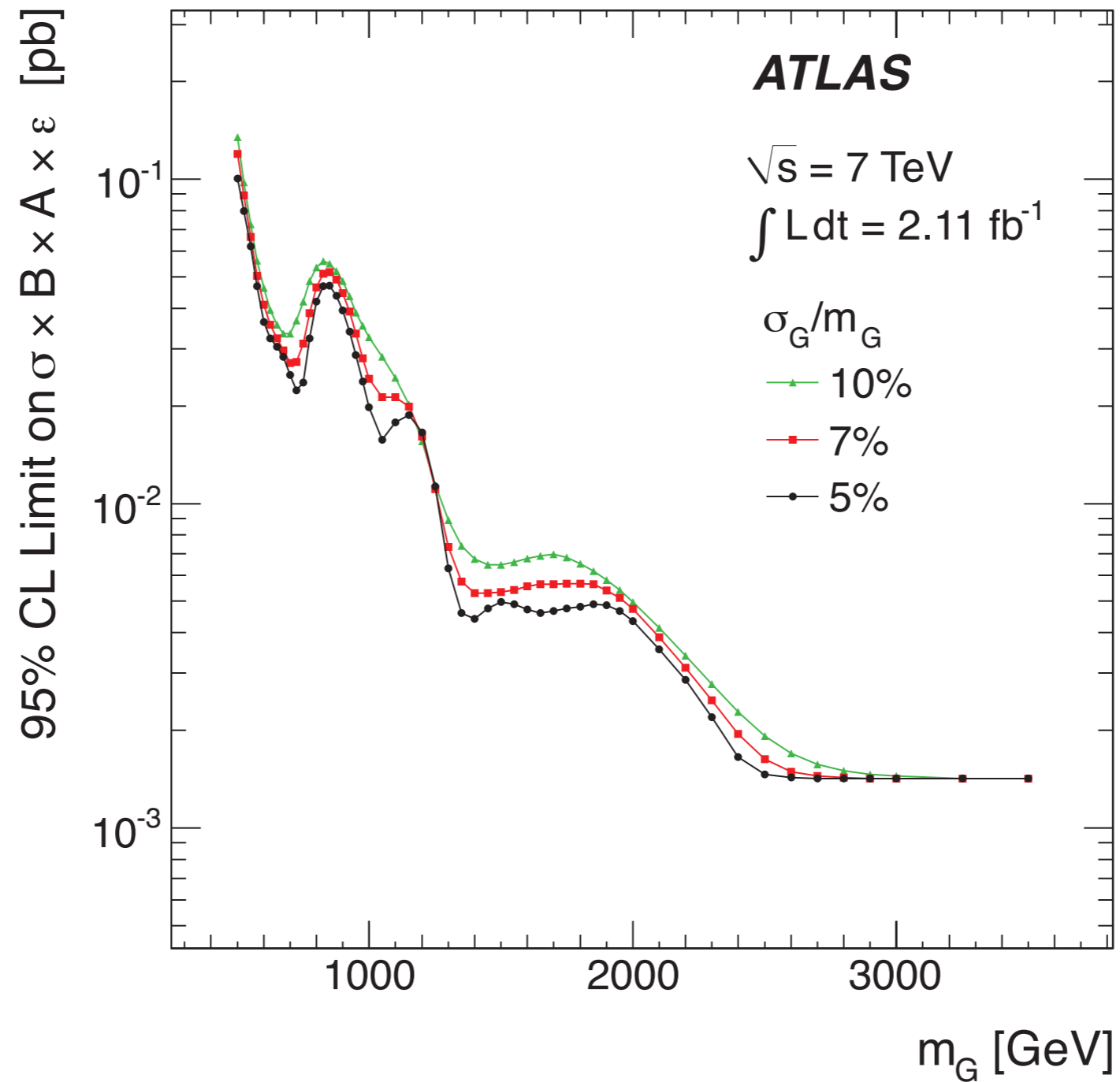
Most significant excess appears in the interval 784-1212 GeV

$p$ -value of 0.20



# Photon+Jet Model-Independent Limits

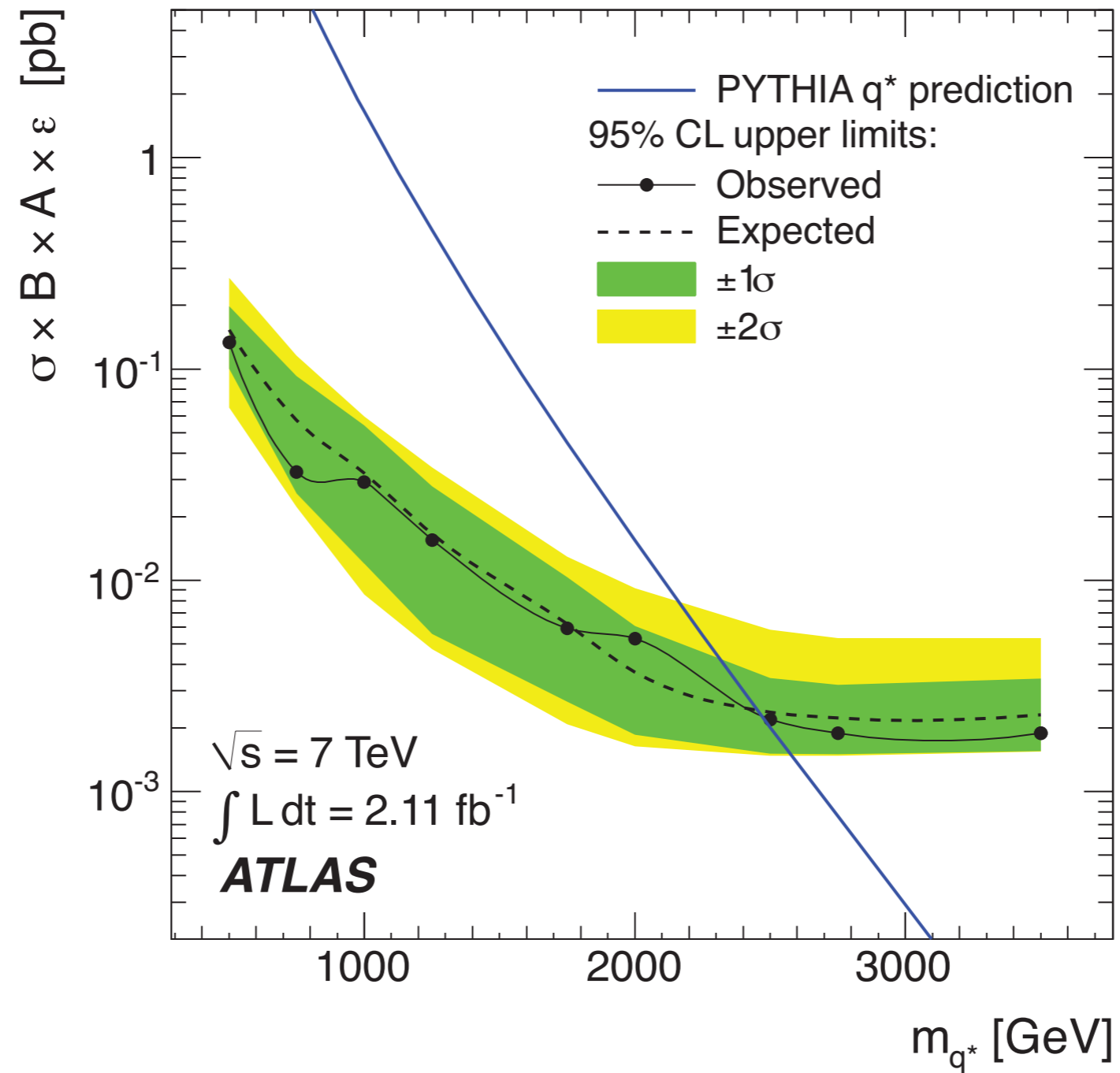
Set 95% CL Bayesian limits on Gaussian-shaped resonances.



# Photon+Jet Excited Quark Limits

Set 95% CL Bayesian limits on excited quark model.

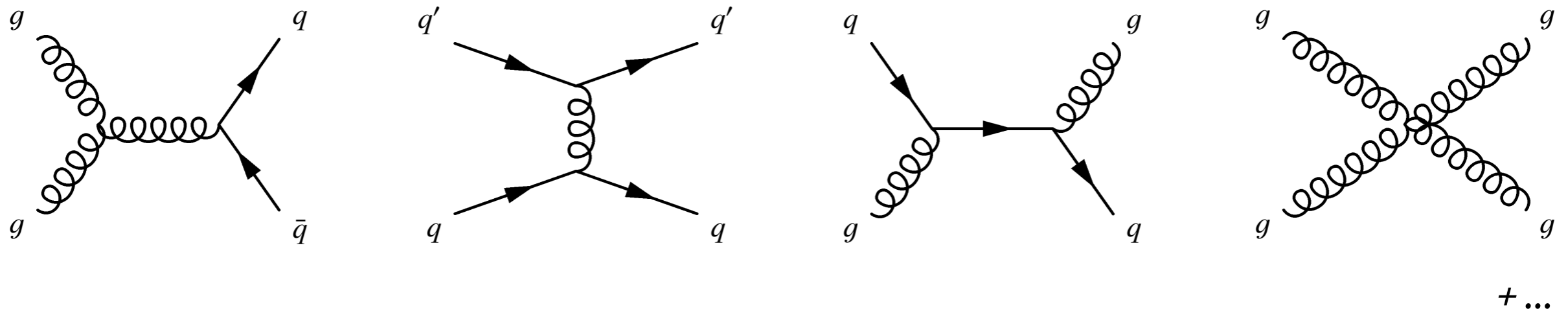
Compare  $M_{q^*} > 2.46$  TeV with  $\sim 3$  TeV from 1/fb dijet search.



# Search for New Phenomena in Dijet Mass and Angular Distributions

*ATLAS-CONF-2012-038 (just updated), 4.8 fb<sup>-1</sup>*

- *Bump search in dijet mass distribution*
- *Shape comparison in  $\chi \equiv \exp(|y_1 - y_2|)$*
- *Many many models predict resonances with two-body decays to jets:  
Z', excited quarks, chiral color, axigluons, black holes, KK gravitons, ...*
- *New physics tends to prefer central production (s-channel)*
- *QCD multijets has strong t-channel component*
- *Some new physics will not produce a peak in the dijet mass distribution but could appear in angular distribution*
  - *e.g., effective contact interaction due to NP at higher energy*
  - *angular search also benefits from cancellation of systematic effects in numerator/denominator*



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- *Selection common to mass and angular analyses:*

*At least two jets ( $p_T > 80 \text{ GeV}$ )*

$$|y_{1,2}| < 2.8$$

$$|y^*| < 0.6$$

$$m_{jj} > 850 \text{ GeV}$$

- *Mass analysis:*

- *Single high  $p_T$  jet trigger*

- *Angular analysis:*

- *Different high  $p_T$  jet trigger for each  $\chi$  distribution*

- $|y^*| < 1.7 \Leftrightarrow \chi < 30.0$

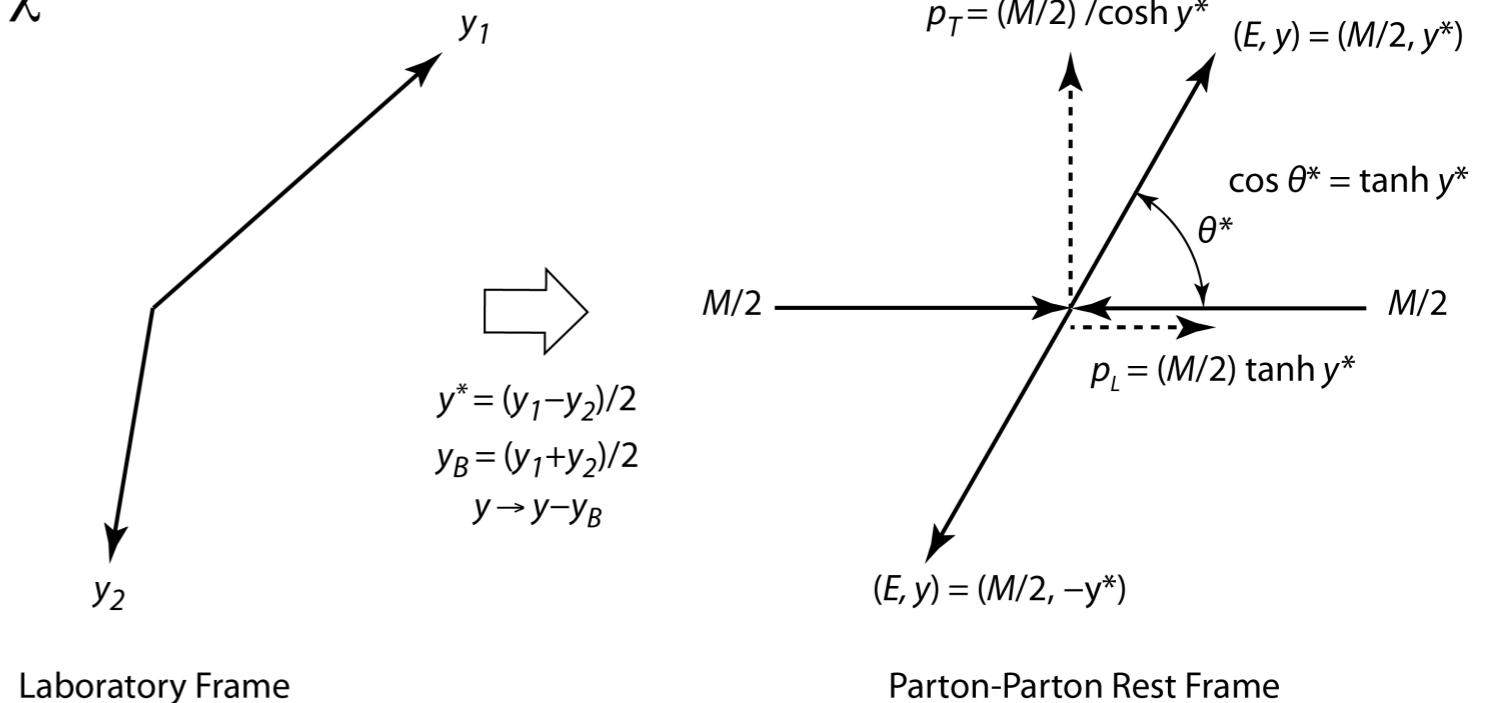
- $F_\chi = N_{\text{central}}/N_{\text{total}}$

- $N_{\text{central}}: |y^*| < 0.6 \Leftrightarrow \chi < 3.32$

- $F_\chi$  divided into 11 bins of  $m_{jj}$

$$\chi \equiv \exp(|y_1 - y_2|) = \exp(2|y^*|)$$

$$y \equiv \frac{1}{2} \ln\left(\frac{\tilde{E} + p_z}{\tilde{E} - p_z}\right)$$



# Search in the Dijet Mass Distribution

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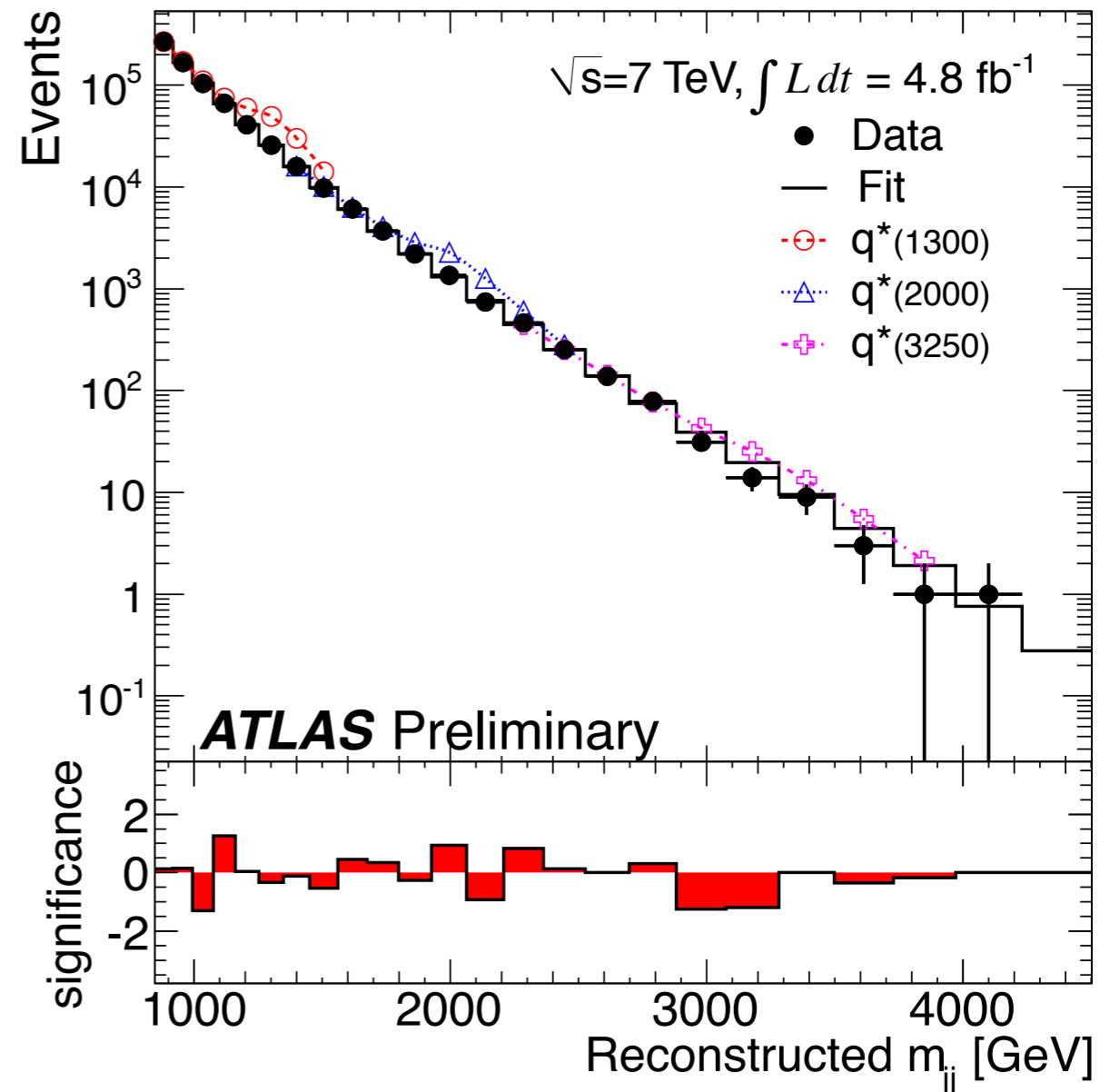
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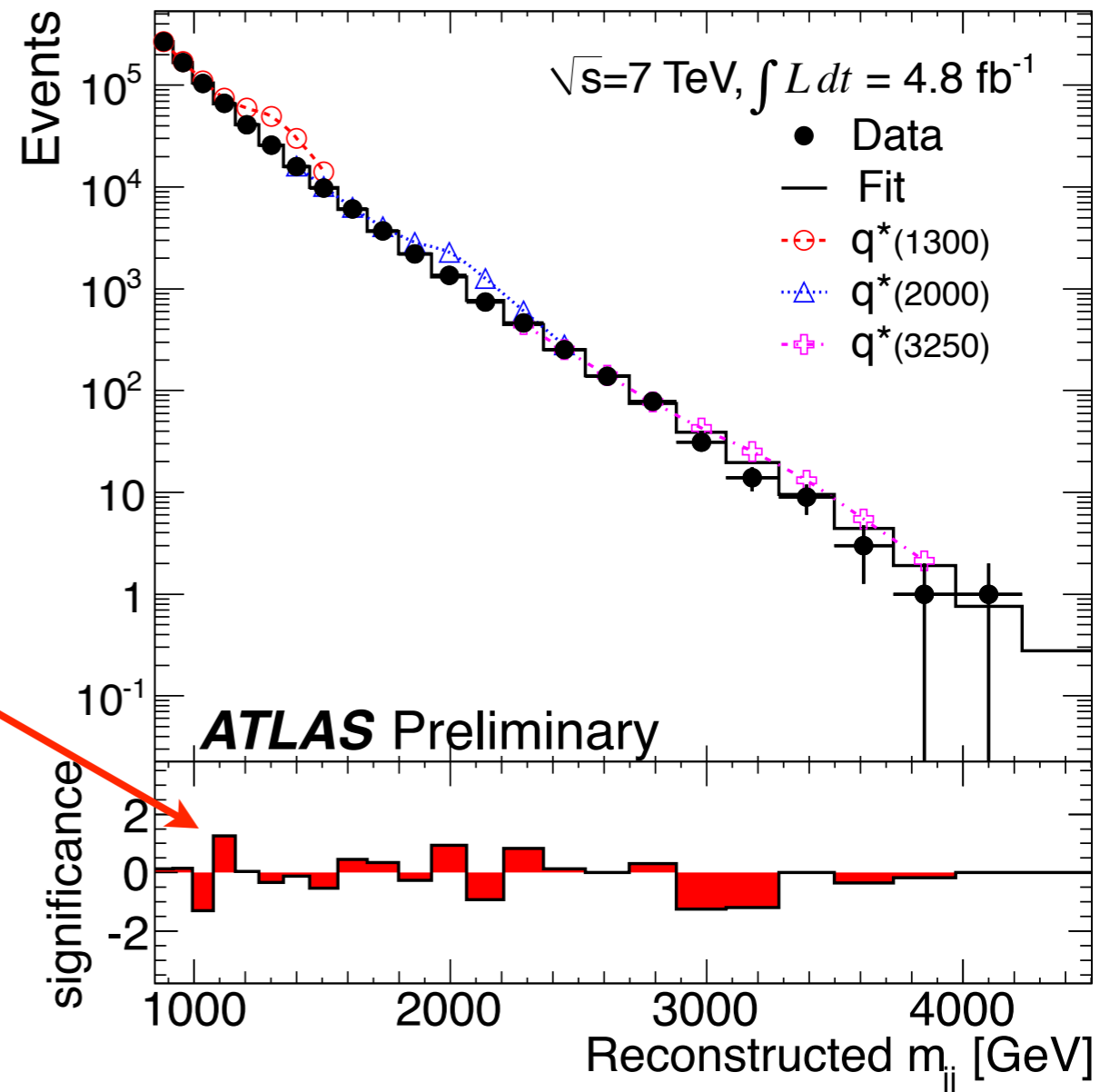
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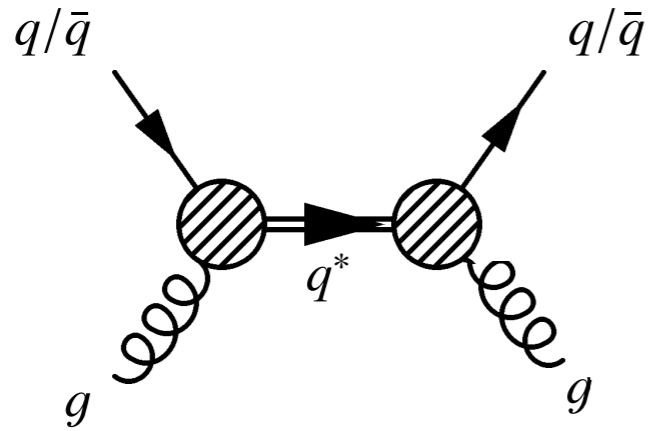
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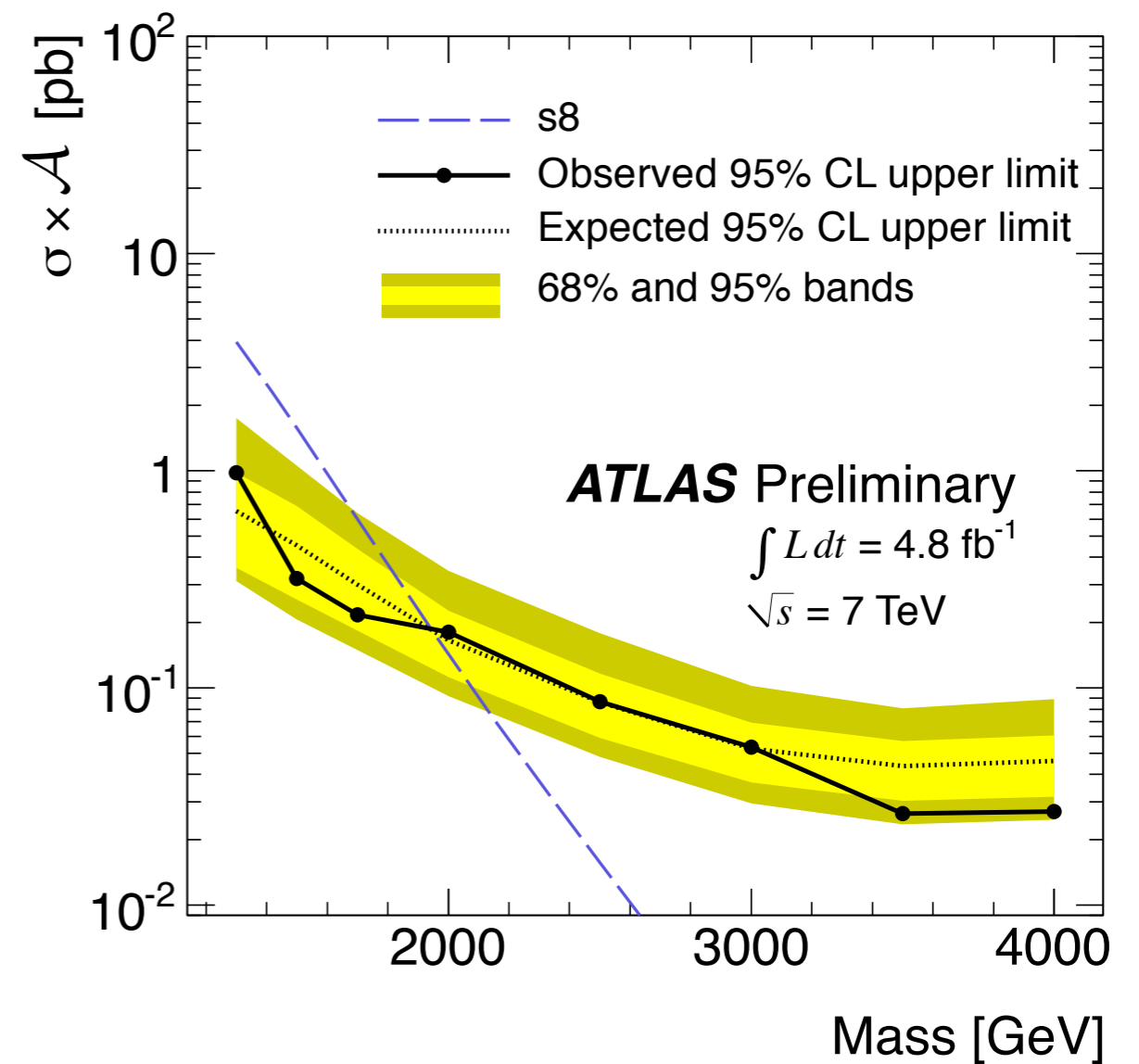
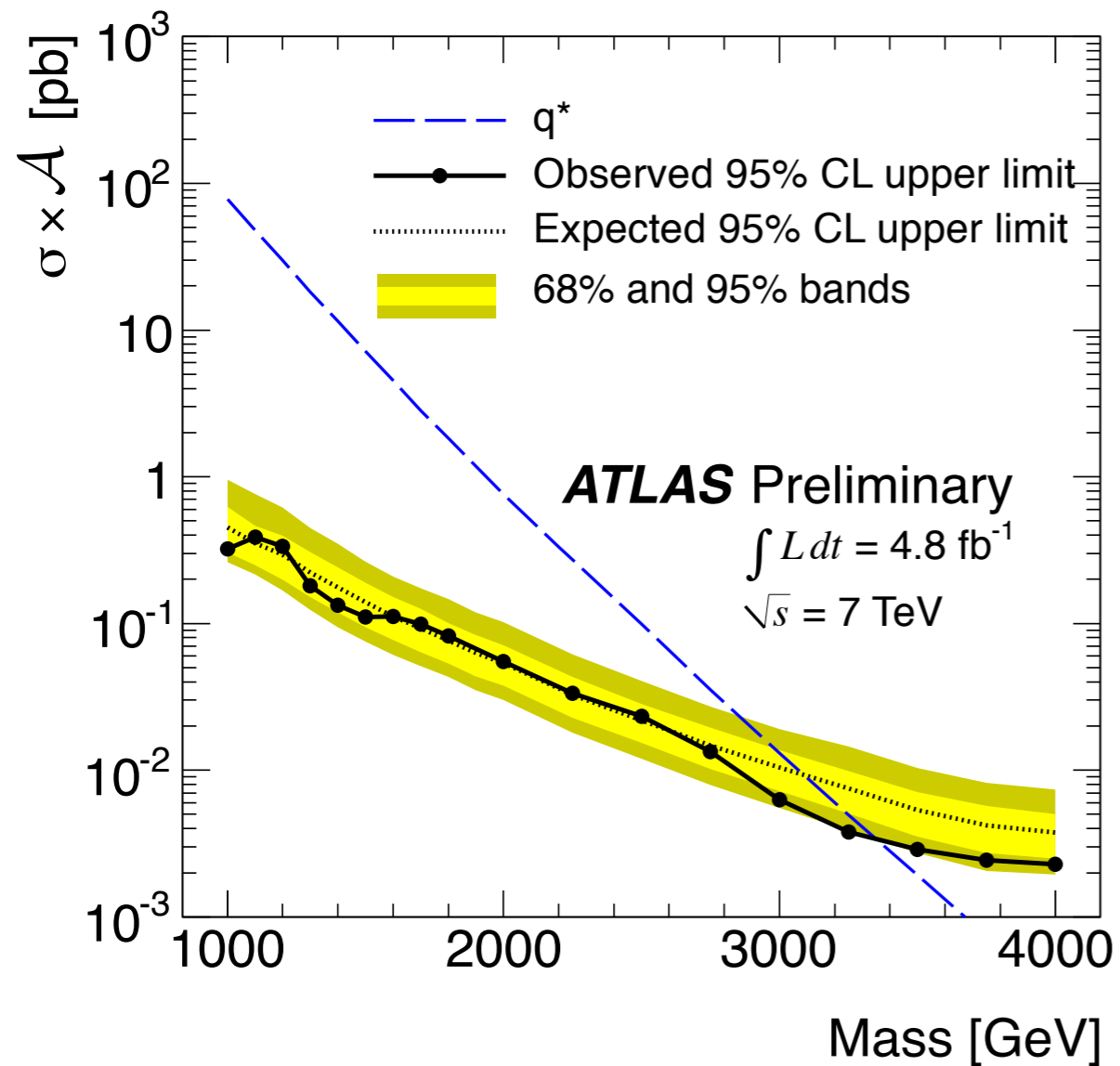


# Search in the Dijet Mass Distribution



*Limits using the mass distribution:*

*Set specific limits on excited quark and color octet models.*





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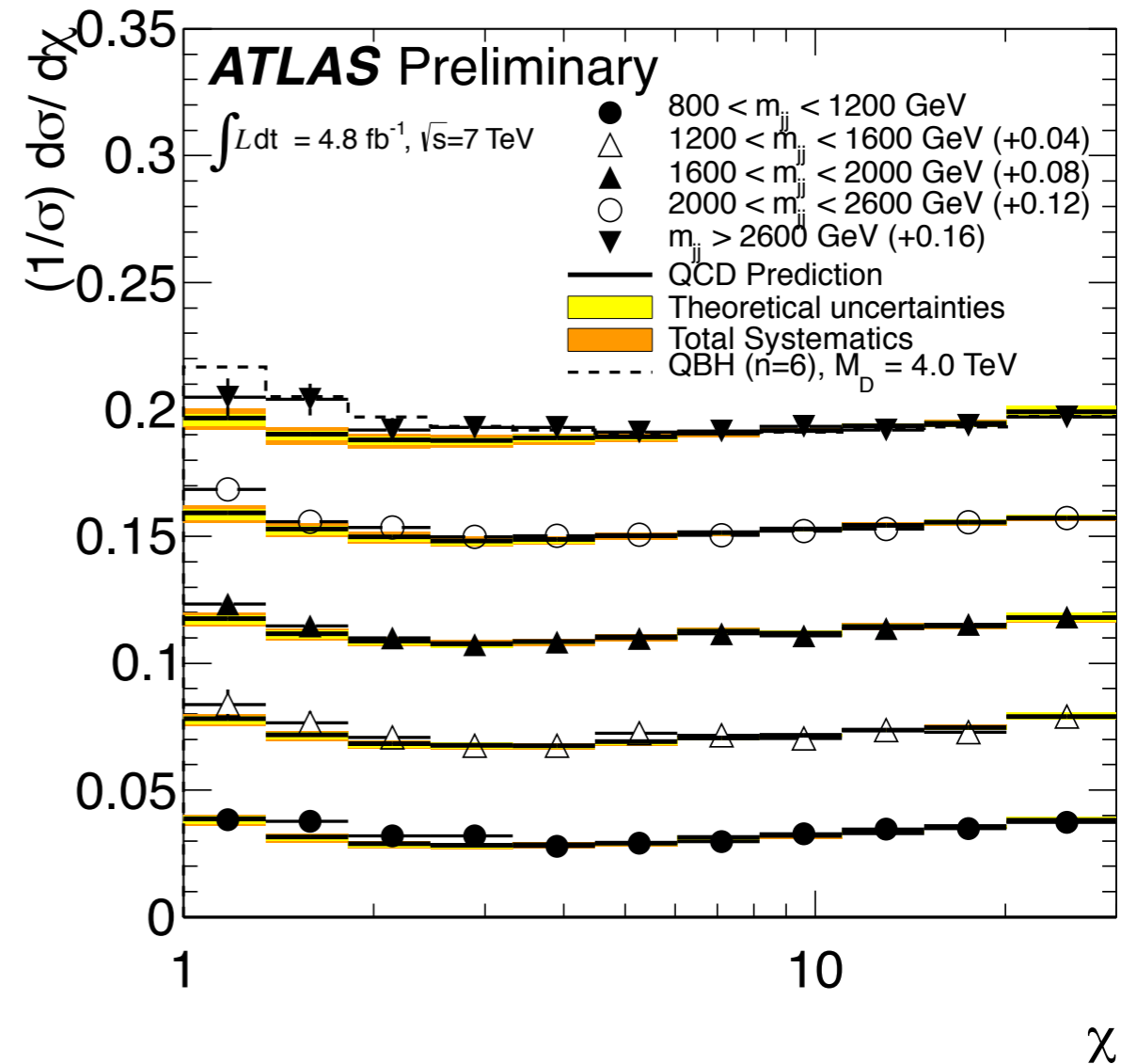
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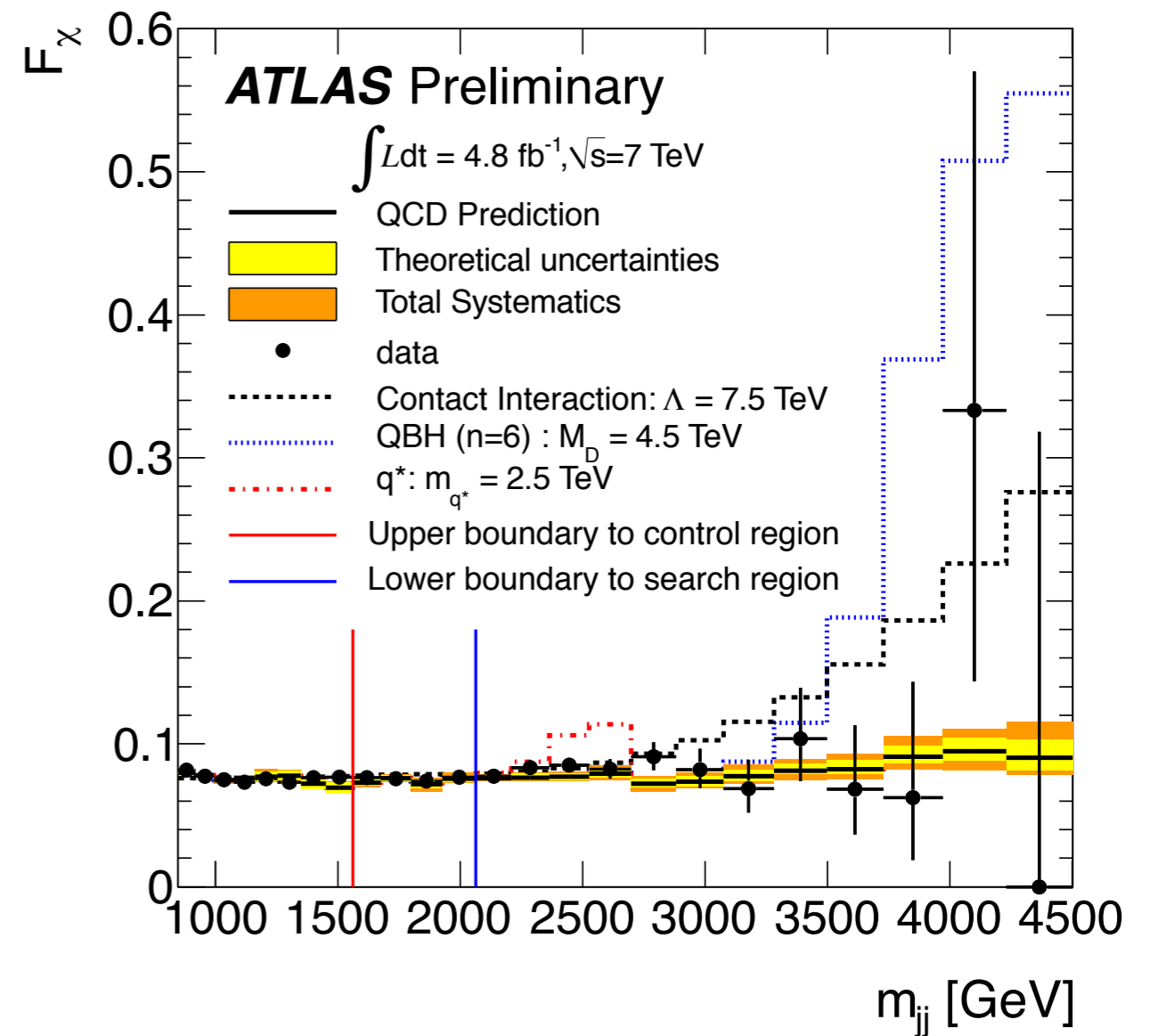
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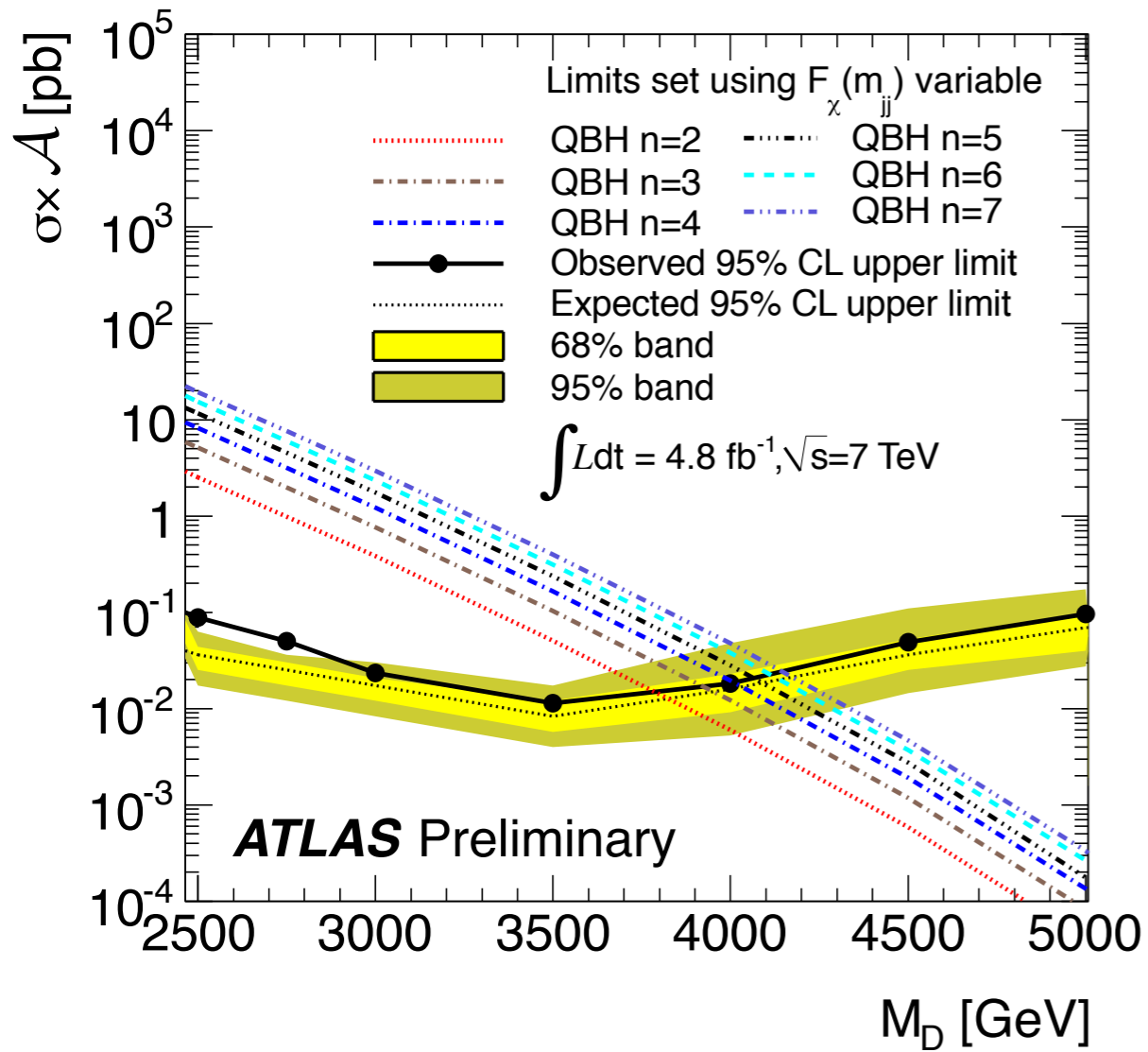
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# Search in the Dijet Angular Distribution



*Limits using the angular distribution:*

*Using  $F_\chi(m_{jj})$ :*

*New physics that does not interfere with QCD (semi-model independent), quantum black holes*

*Contact interactions:  $\Lambda >$  at 7.6 TeV with an expected limit of 8.2 TeV*

*Also set separate limits on QBH and contact interactions using the  $11_\chi$  distributions*

Lower limits at 95% C.L. on  $M_D$  of the QBH model with  $n=2$  to  $7$  extra dimensions.

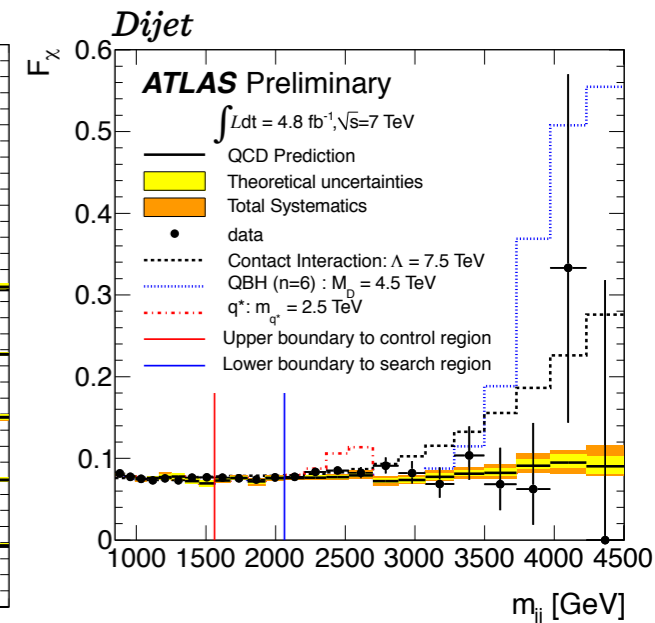
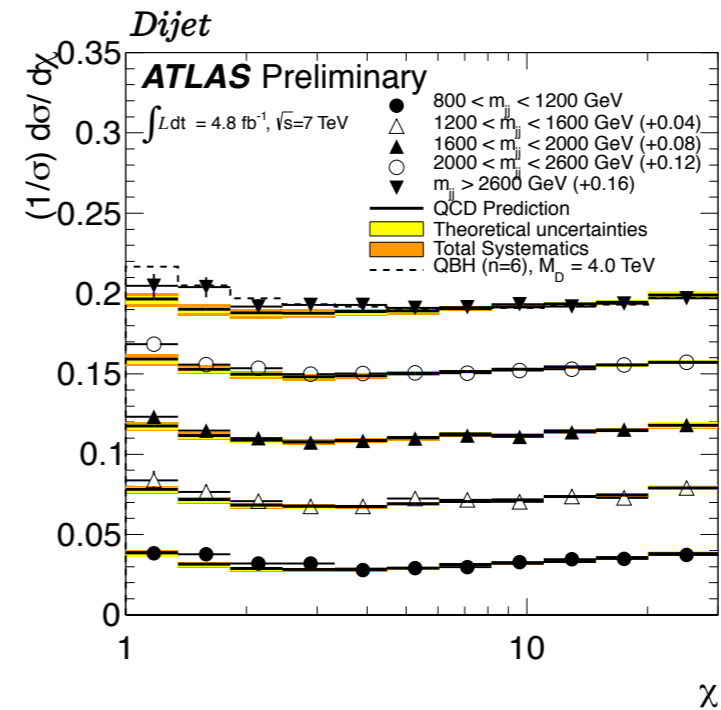
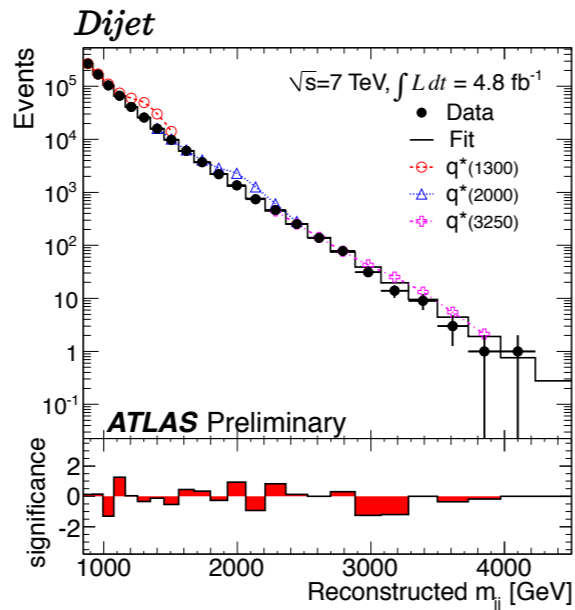
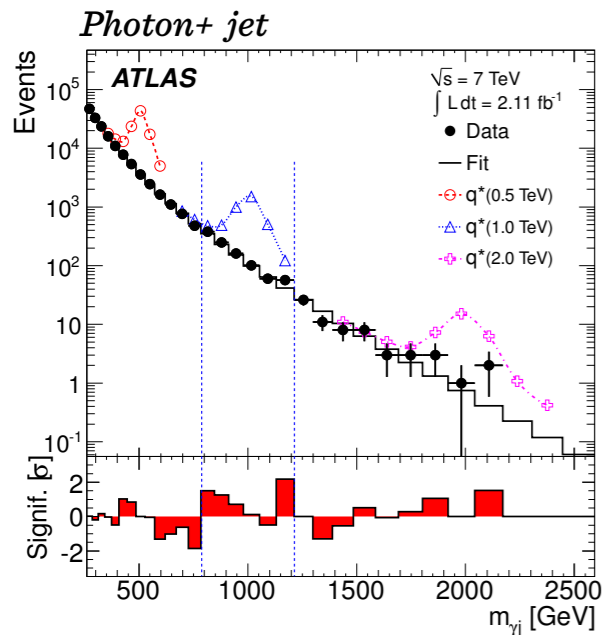
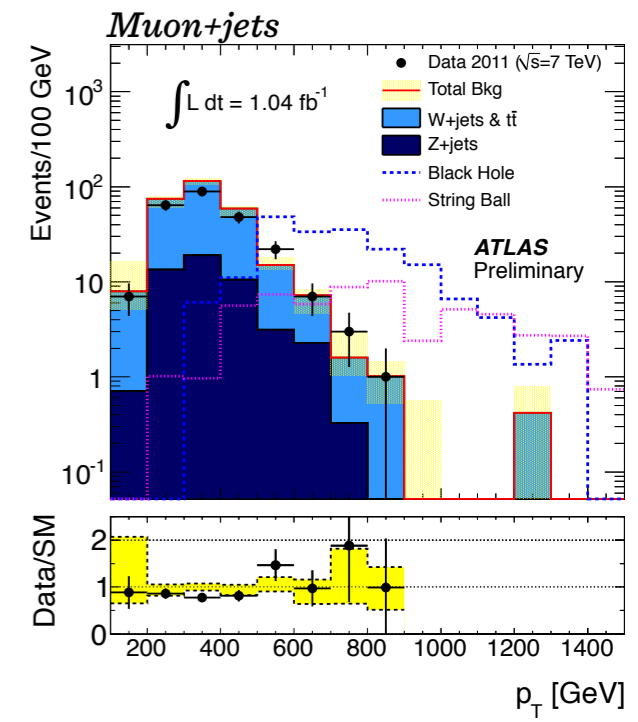
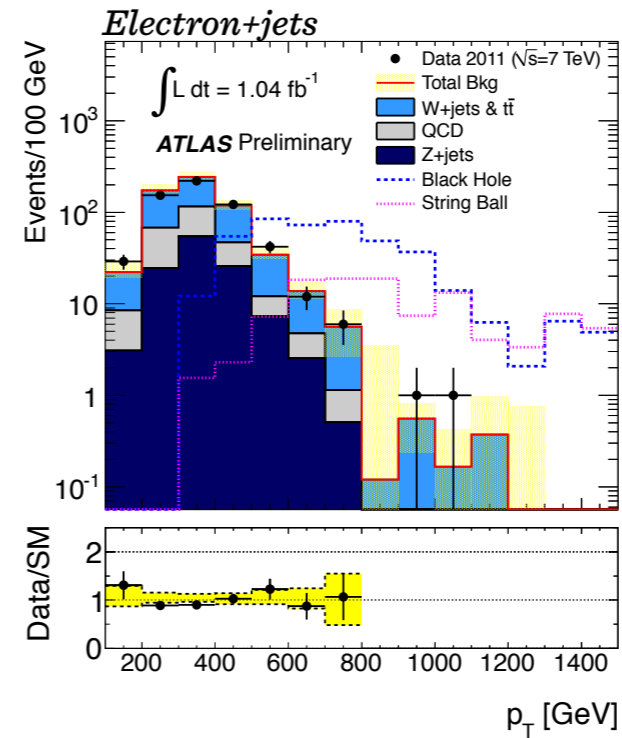
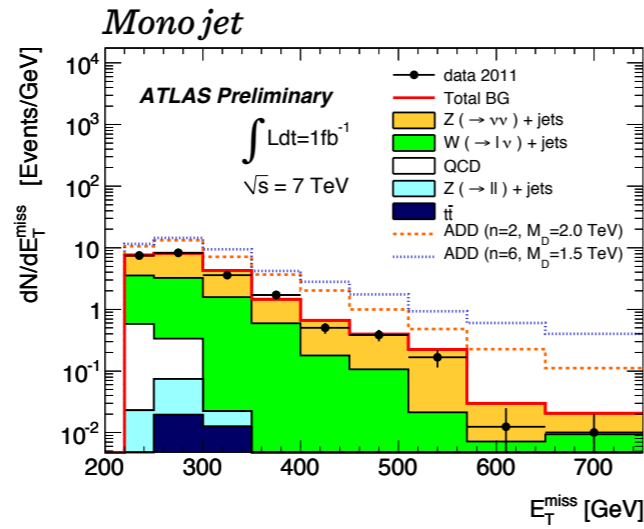
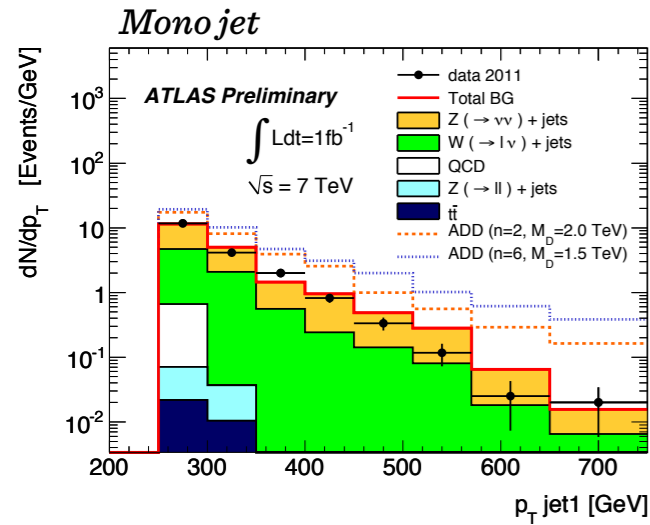
$n$ extra dimensions	Expected limit (TeV)	Observed limit (TeV)
2	3.82	3.79
3	3.95	3.93
4	4.03	4.01
5	4.09	4.06
6	4.14	4.11
7	4.18	4.15

## Summary of dijet limits

Table 3: The 95% C.L. lower limits on the masses and energy scales of the models examined in this study. All limit analyses are Bayesian, with statistical and systematic uncertainties included. For each NP hypothesis, the result corresponding to the highest expected limit is the result quoted in the abstract.

Model, and Analysis Strategy	95% C.L. Limits (TeV)	
	Expected	Observed
Excited quark, mass of $q^*$		
Resonance in $m_{jj}$	3.09	3.35
Resonance in $F_\chi(m_{jj})$	2.97	2.58
Colour octet scalar, mass of $s_8$		
Resonance in $m_{jj}$	1.95	1.94
Quantum Black Hole for $n = 6, M_D$		
$F_\chi(m_{jj})$	4.14	4.11
11-bin $\chi$ , $m_{jj} > 2.6$ TeV	4.23	3.96
Contact interaction, $\Lambda$ , destructive interference		
$F_\chi(m_{jj})$	8.2	7.6
11-bin $\chi$ , $m_{jj} > 2.6$ TeV	8.7	7.8

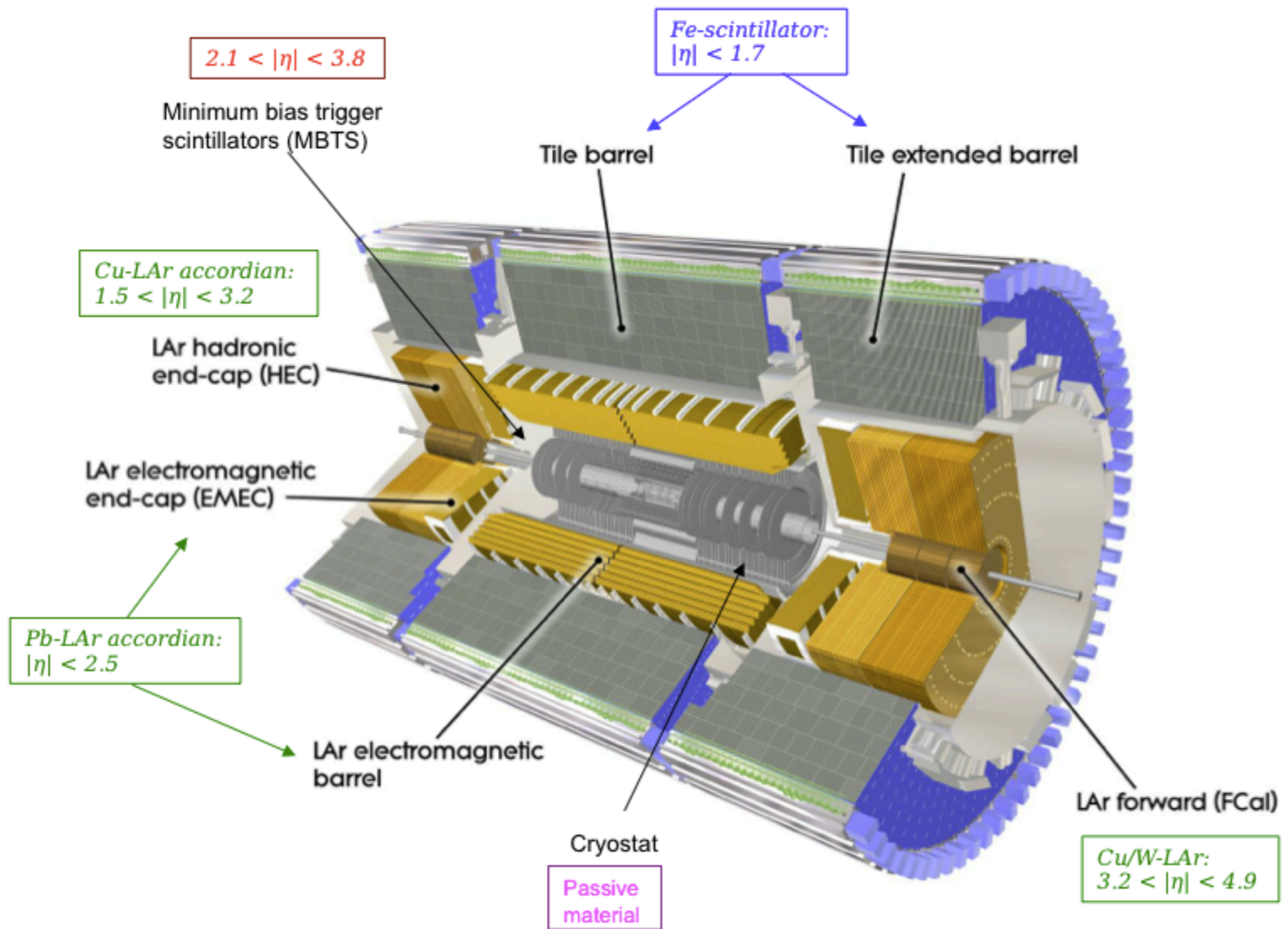
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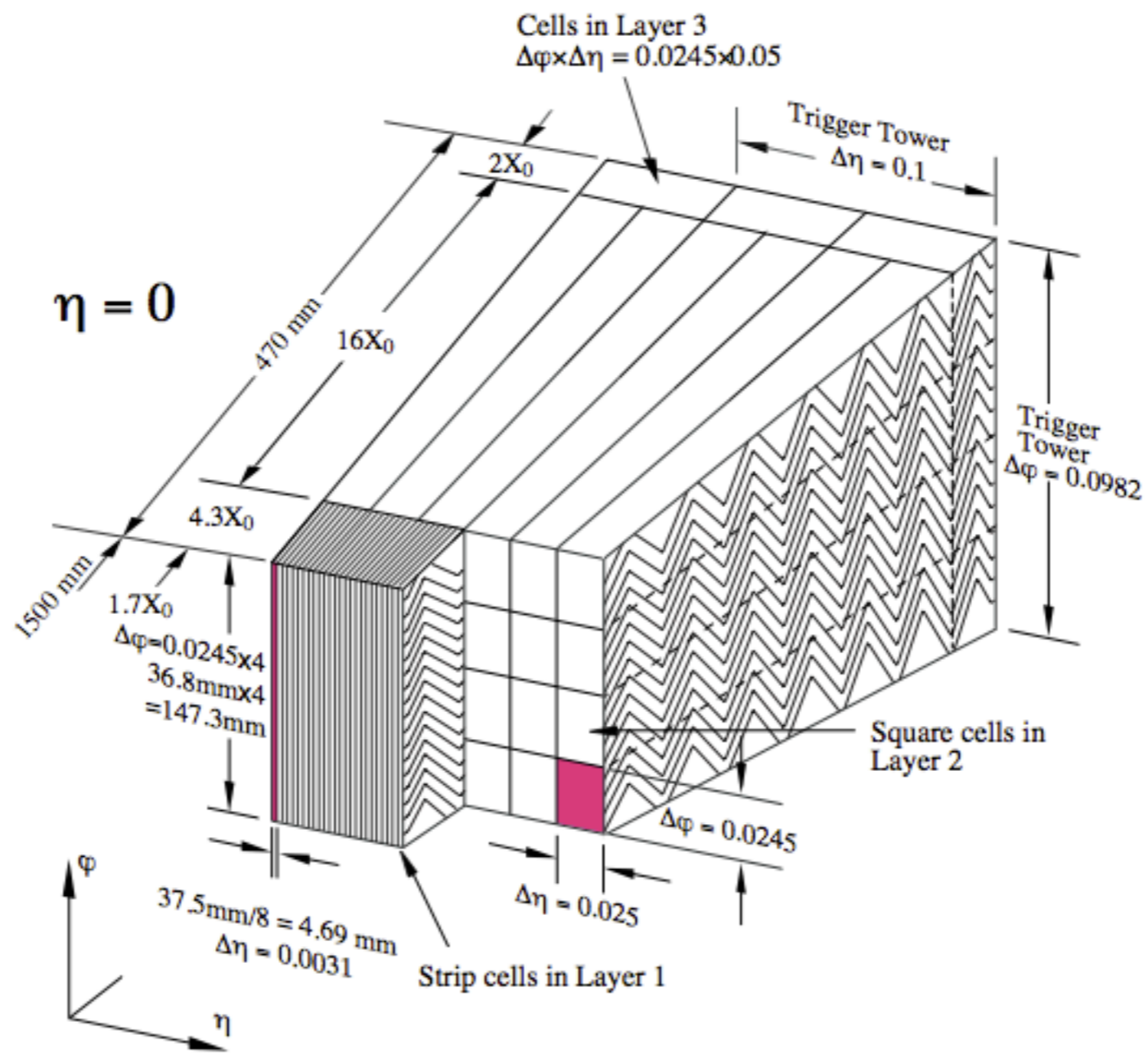


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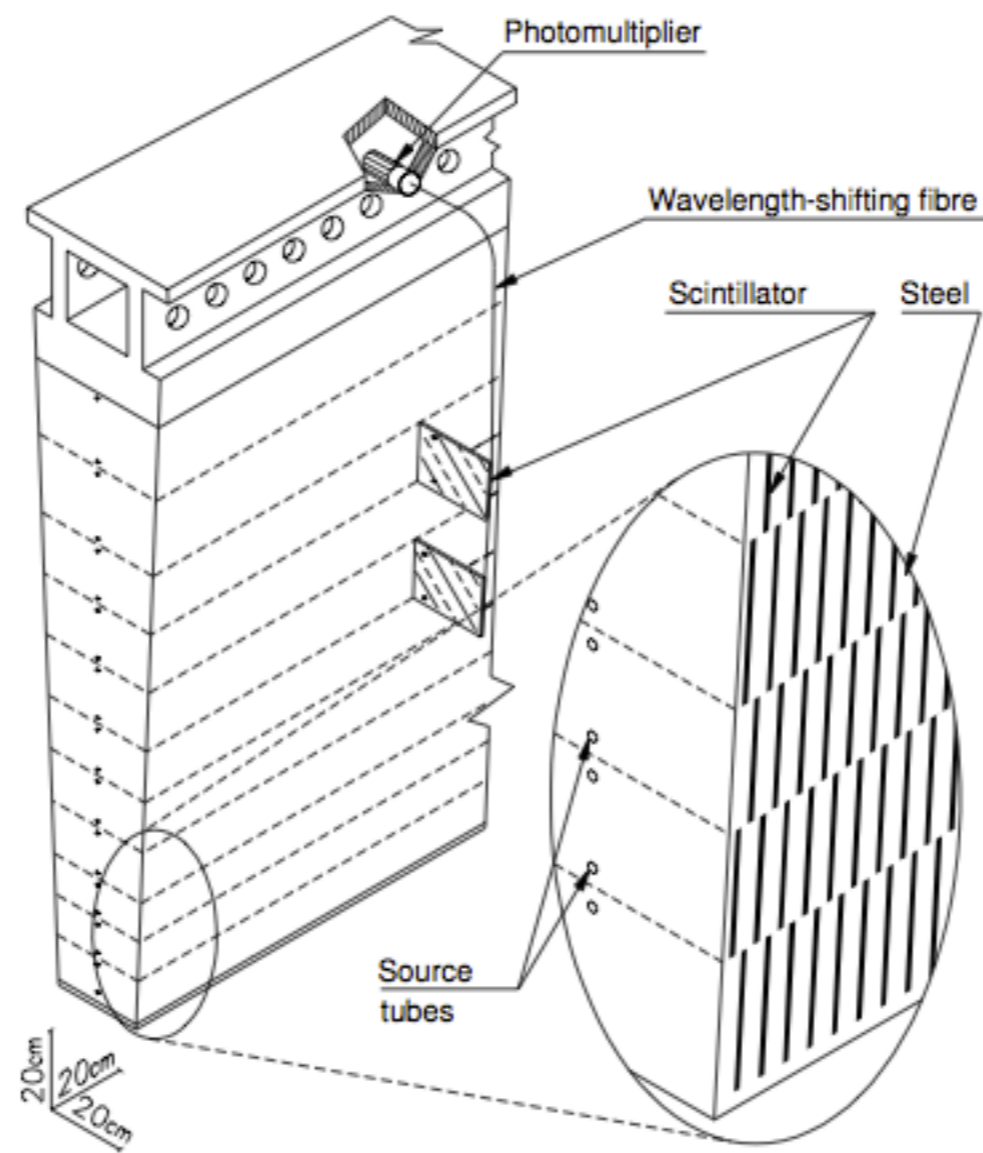
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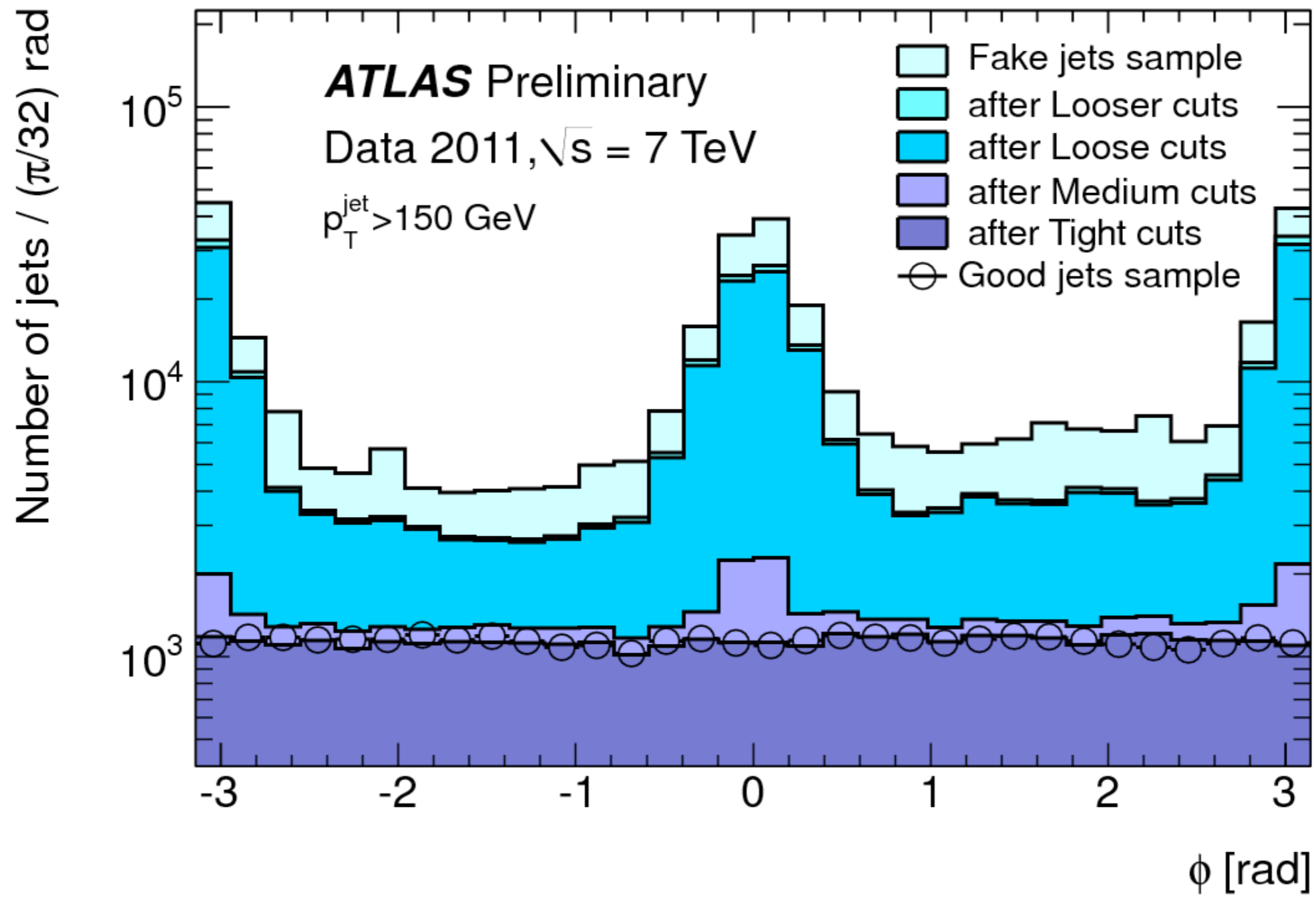
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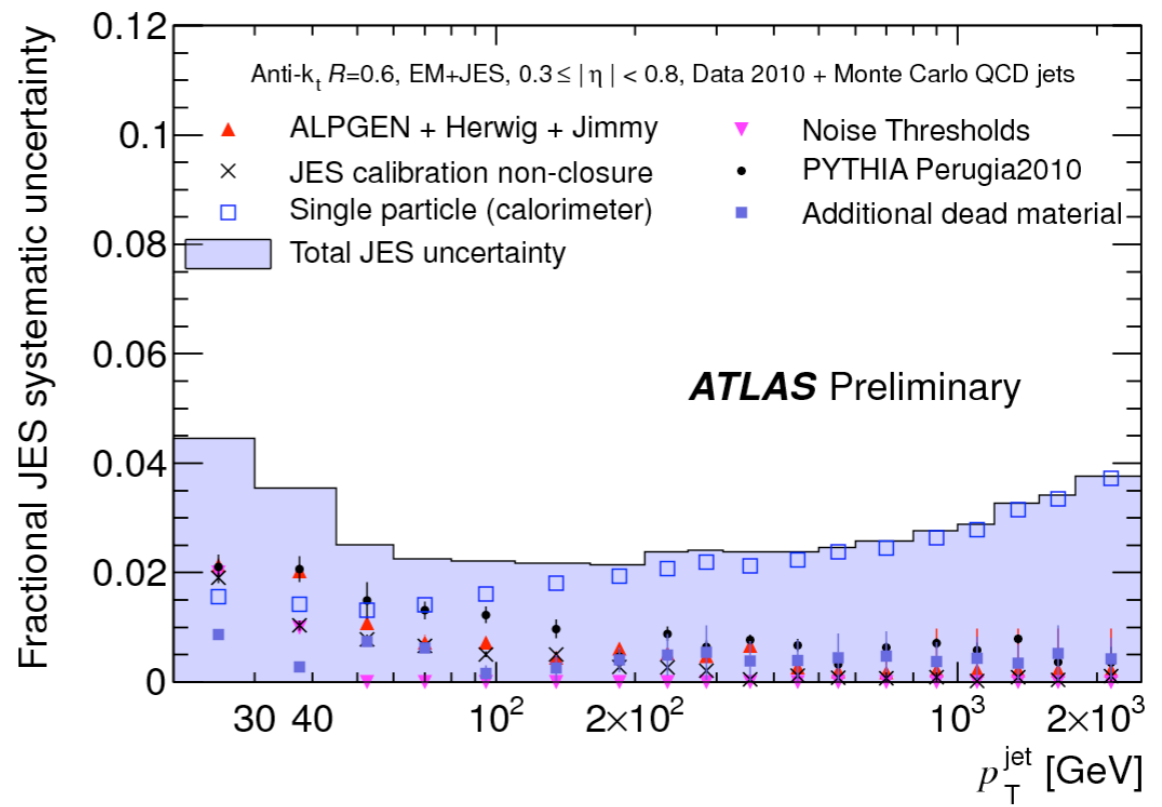
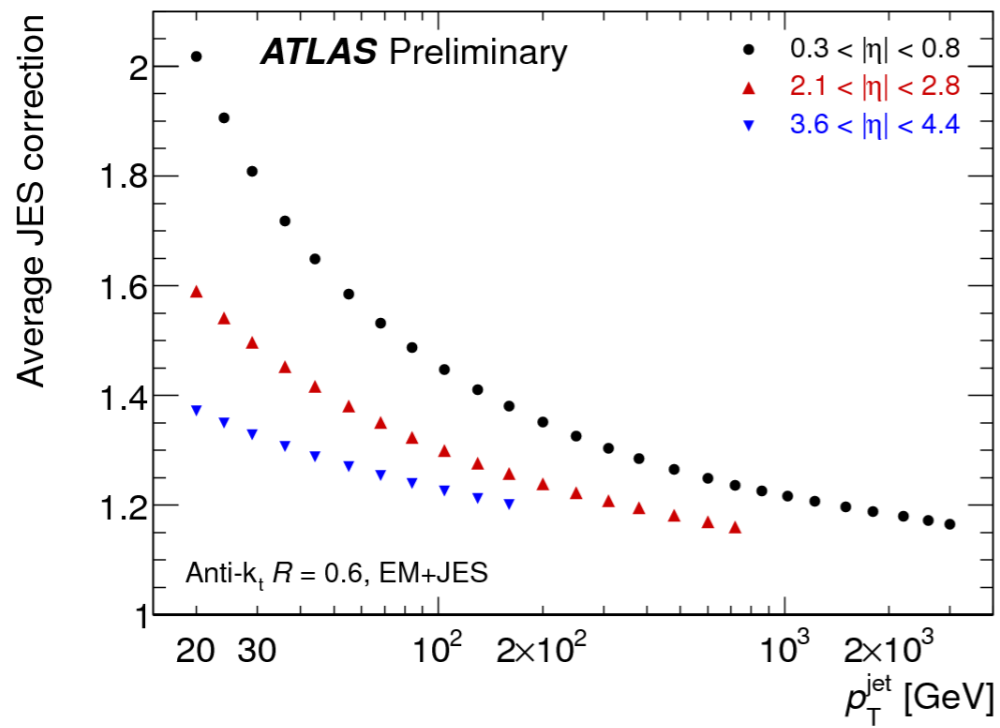


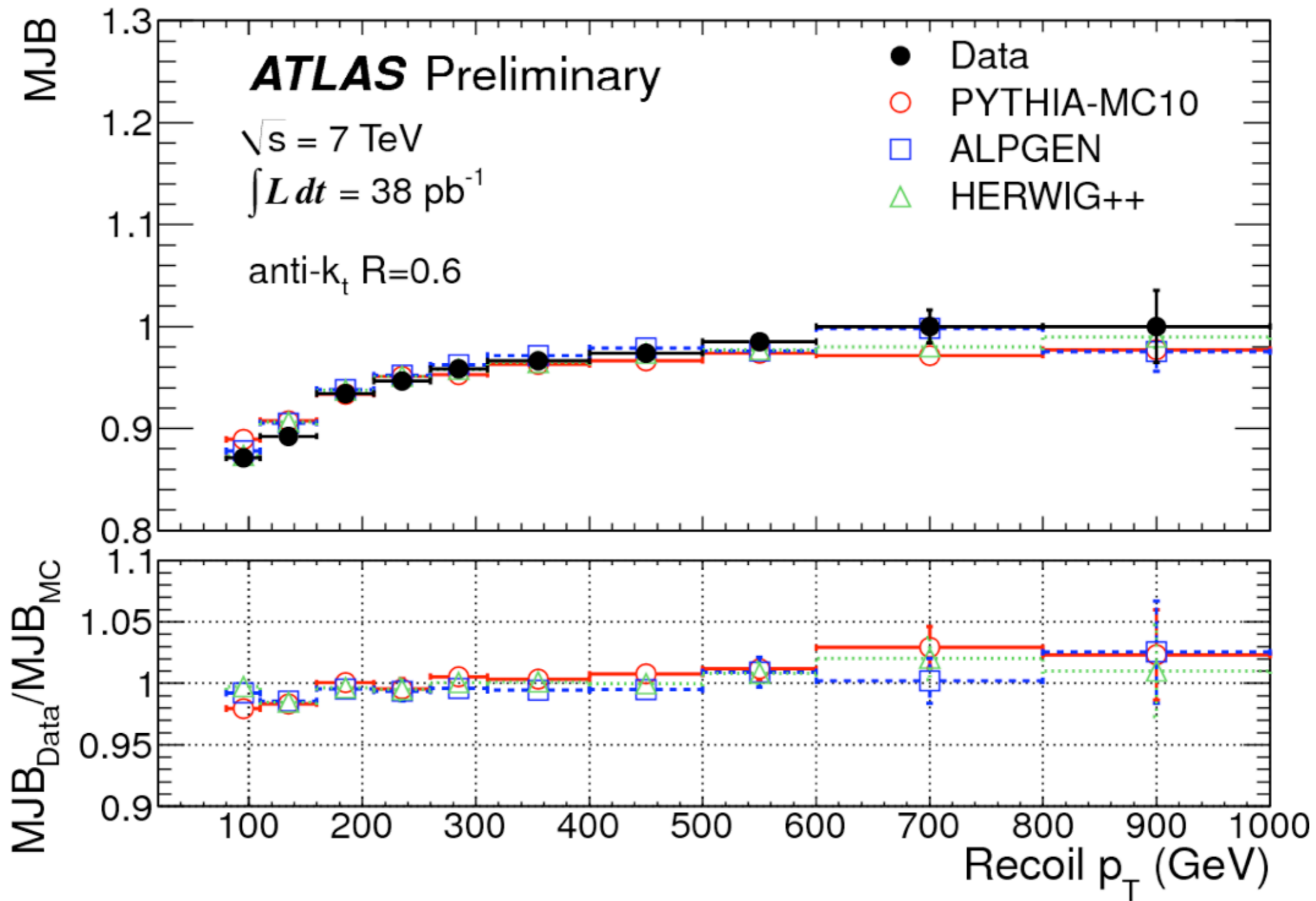


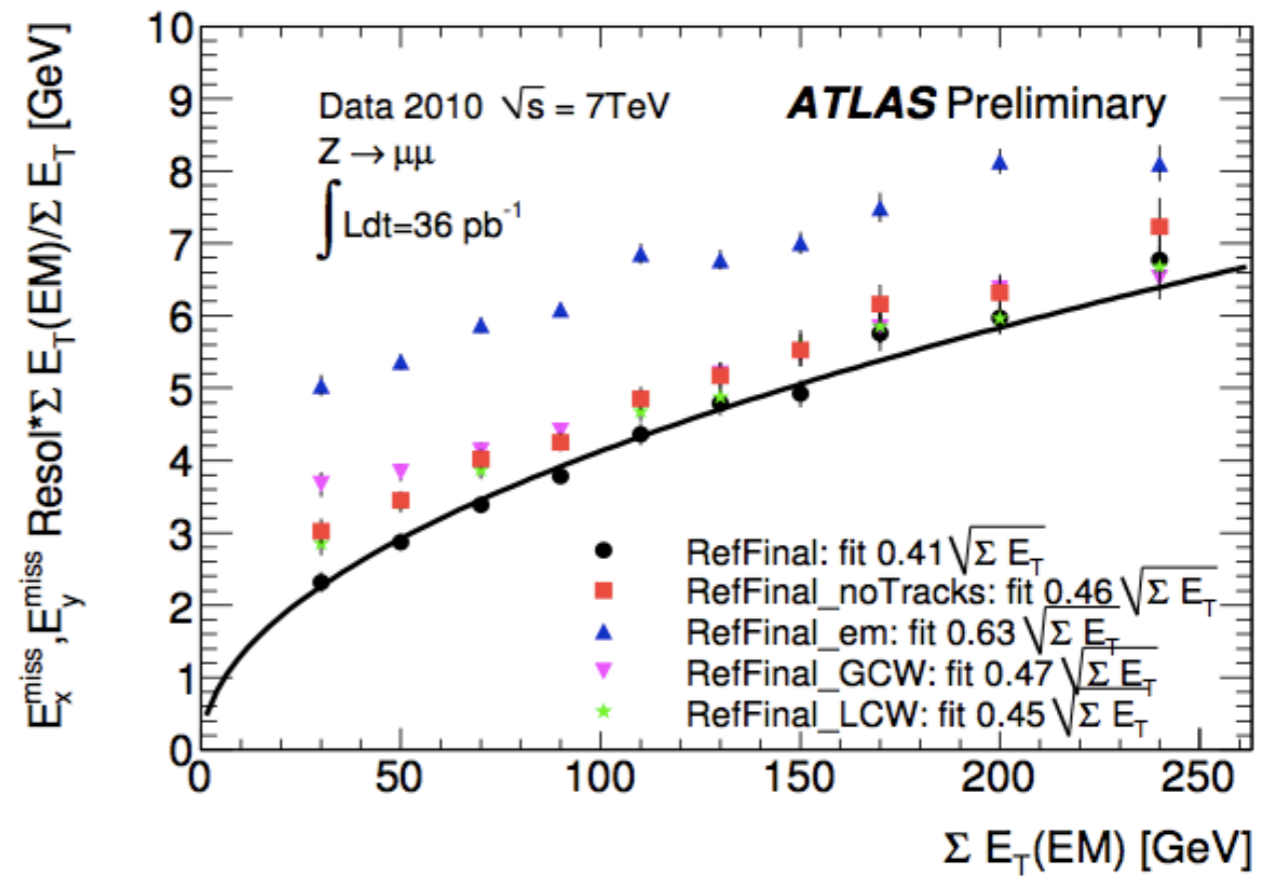
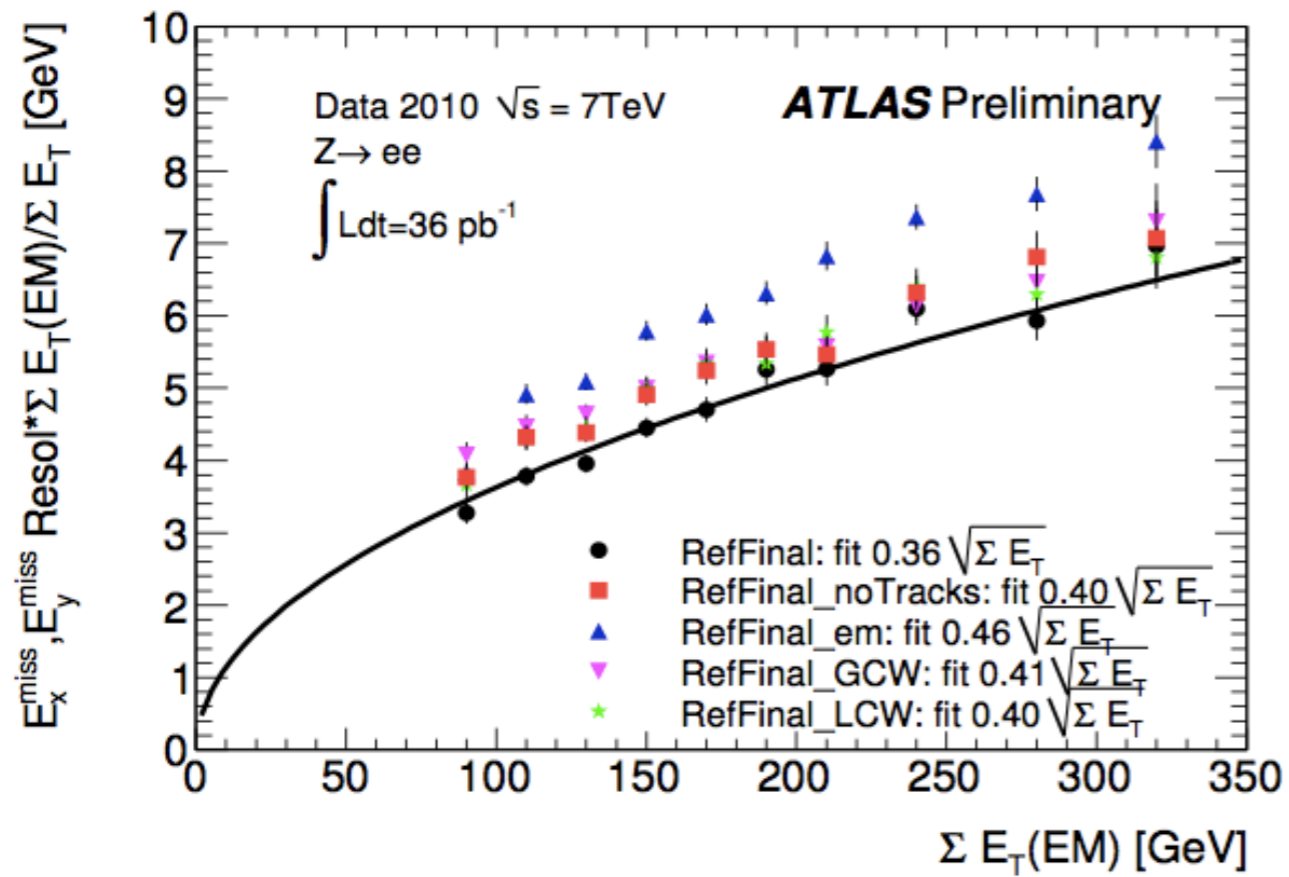


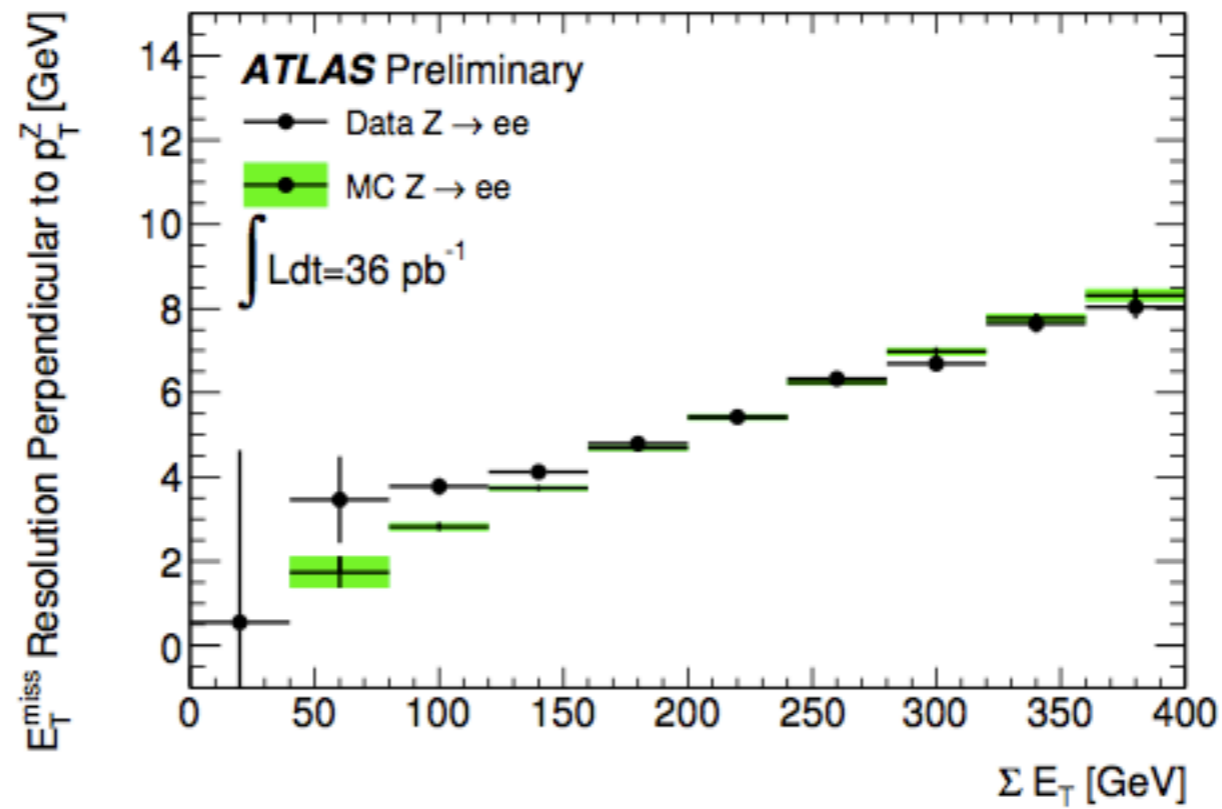
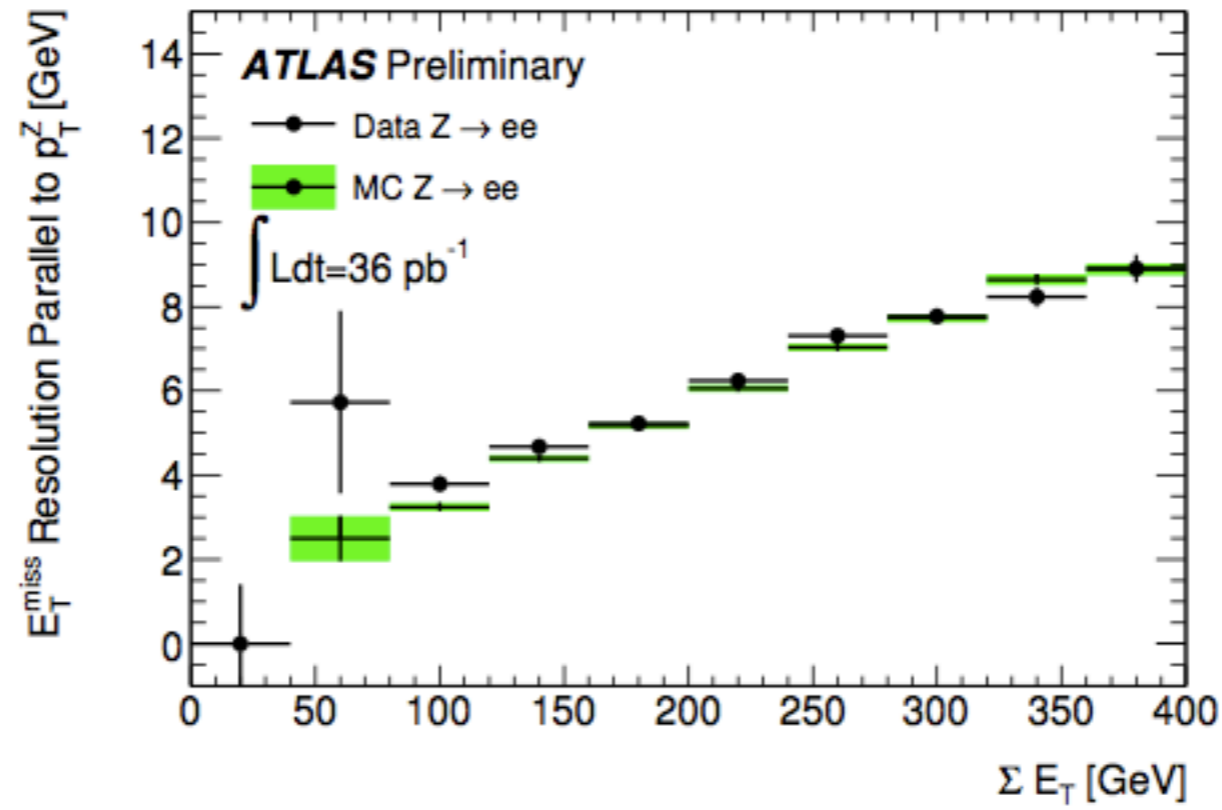


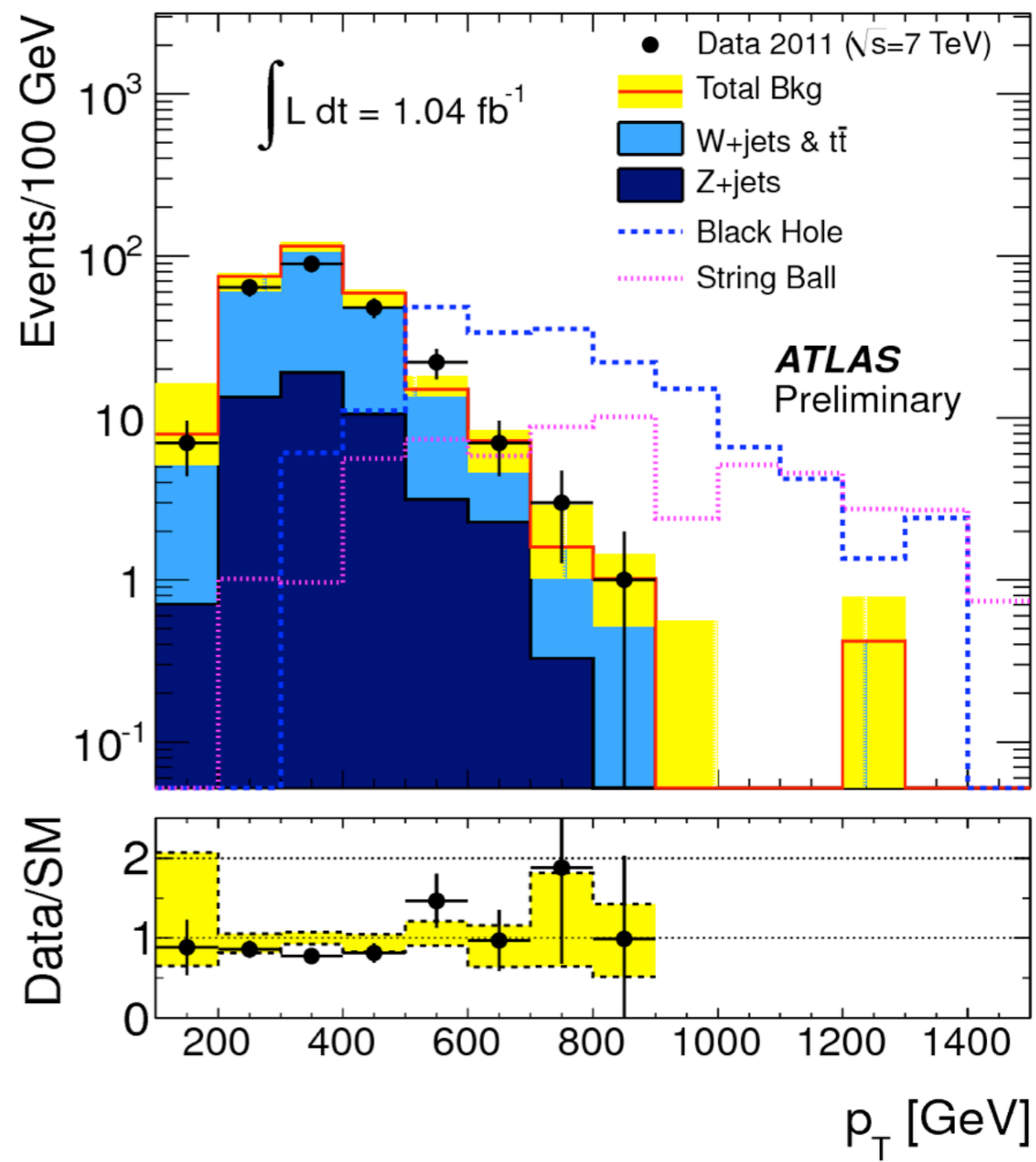
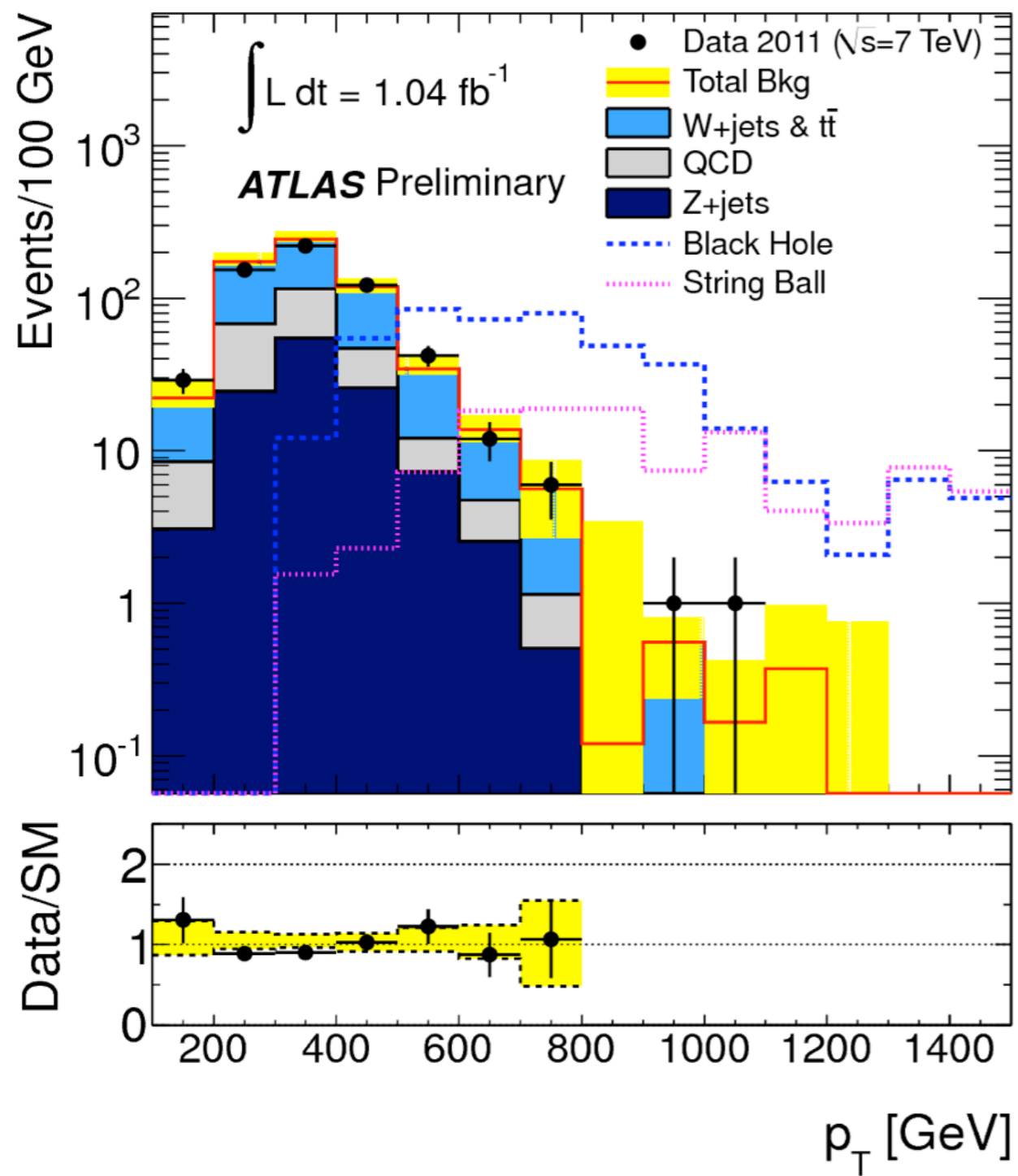
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95% CL limits on $M_D$ for the ADD model						
$n$	LowPt selection		HighPt selection		veryHighPt selection	
	expected [TeV]	observed [TeV]	expected [TeV]	observed [TeV]	expected [TeV]	observed [TeV]
2	2.38	2.21	2.98	3.16	3.04	3.39
3	1.94	1.82	2.44	2.56	2.48	2.71
4	1.73	1.64	2.18	2.27	2.25	2.42
5	1.63	1.55	2.03	2.10	2.12	2.26
6	1.55	1.47	1.92	1.99	1.98	2.12

Table 2: Expected and observed 95% lower limits on  $M_D$  as a function of the number of extra dimensions in the ADD model for the LowPt, HighPt, and veryHighPt selections.



95% CL limits on $M_D$ for the ADD model ( $\hat{s} < M_D^2$ )			
	LowPt selection	HighPt selection	veryHighPt selection
$n$	observed [TeV]	observed [TeV]	observed [TeV]
2	2.20	3.16	3.39
3	1.76	2.50	2.55
4	1.54	2.15	2.26
5	1.37	1.89	1.90
6	1.24	1.68	1.58

Table 3: Observed 95% lower limits on  $M_D$  as a function of the number of extra dimensions in the ADD model for the LowPt, HighPt and veryHighPt selections using truncated ( $\hat{s} < M_D^2$ ) cross sections.

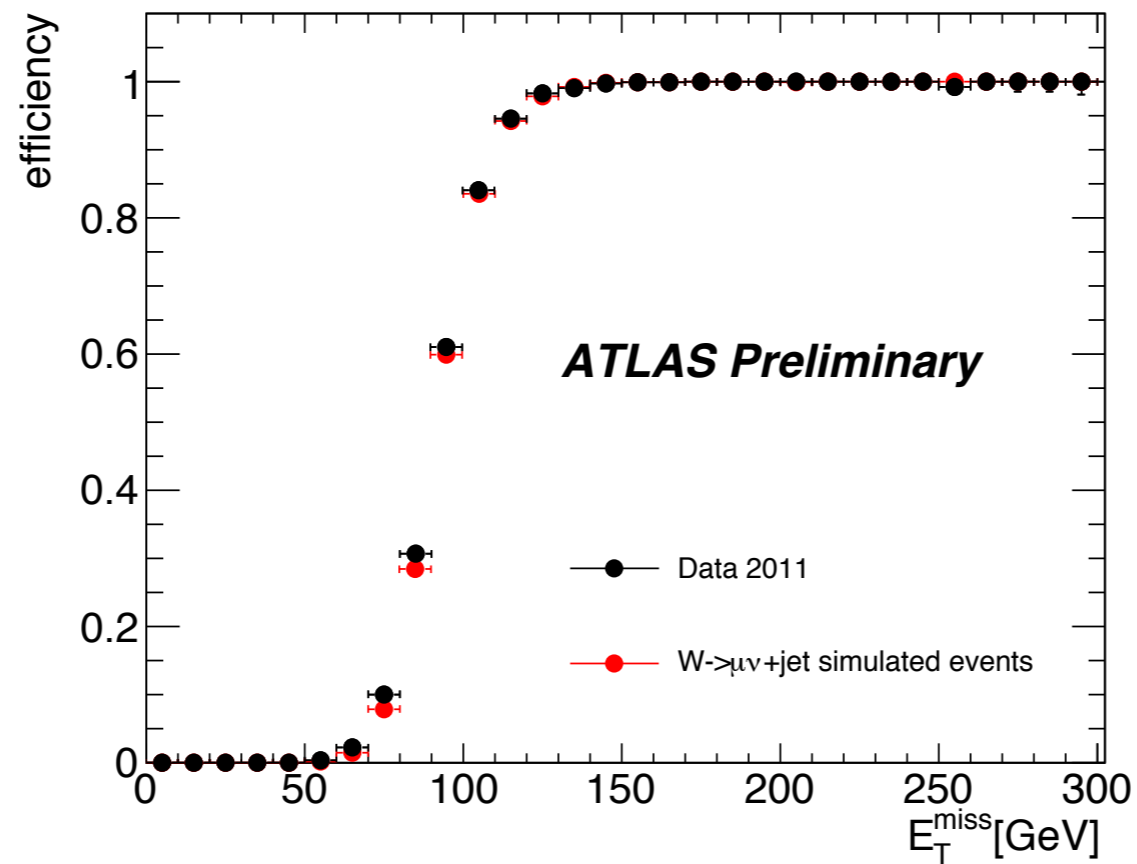


Figure 1: Trigger efficiency curve as a function of the reconstructed  $E_T^{\text{miss}}$  as determined from the data using an unbiased data sample with muons in the final state (black dots). The data are compared to the predictions from a  $W(\rightarrow \mu\nu)+\text{jets}$  MC sample.

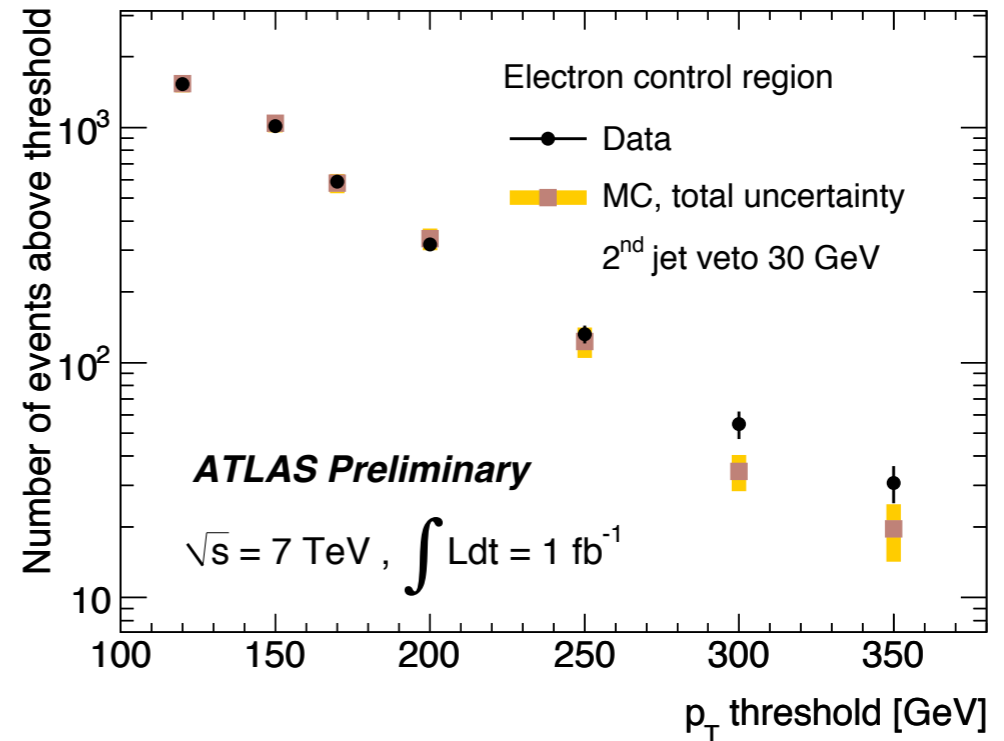
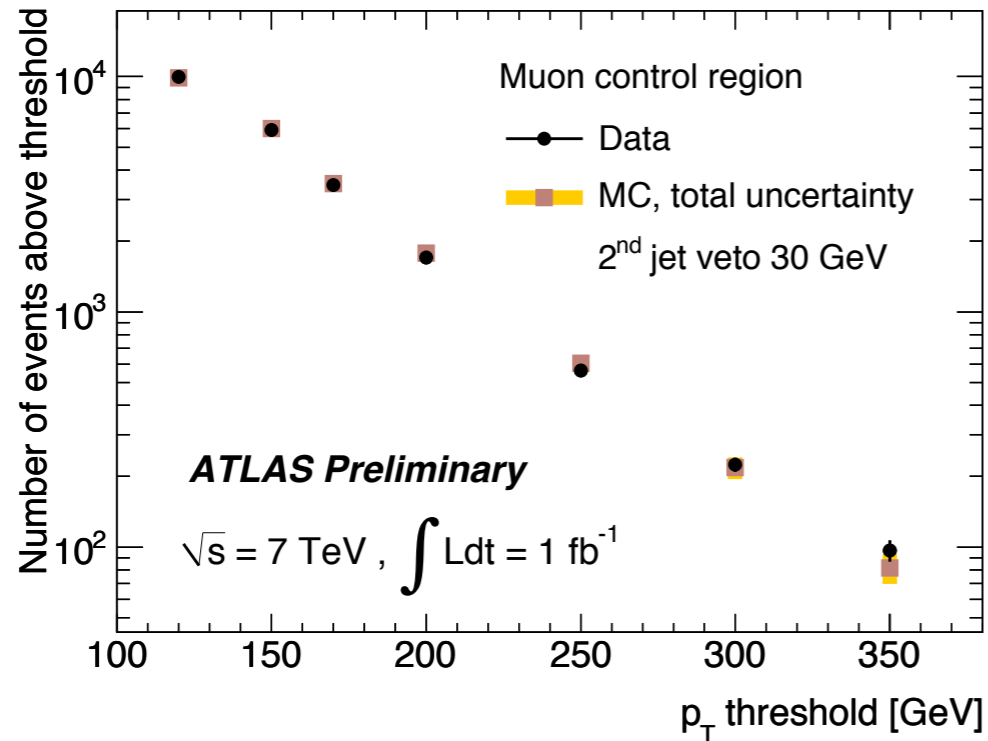


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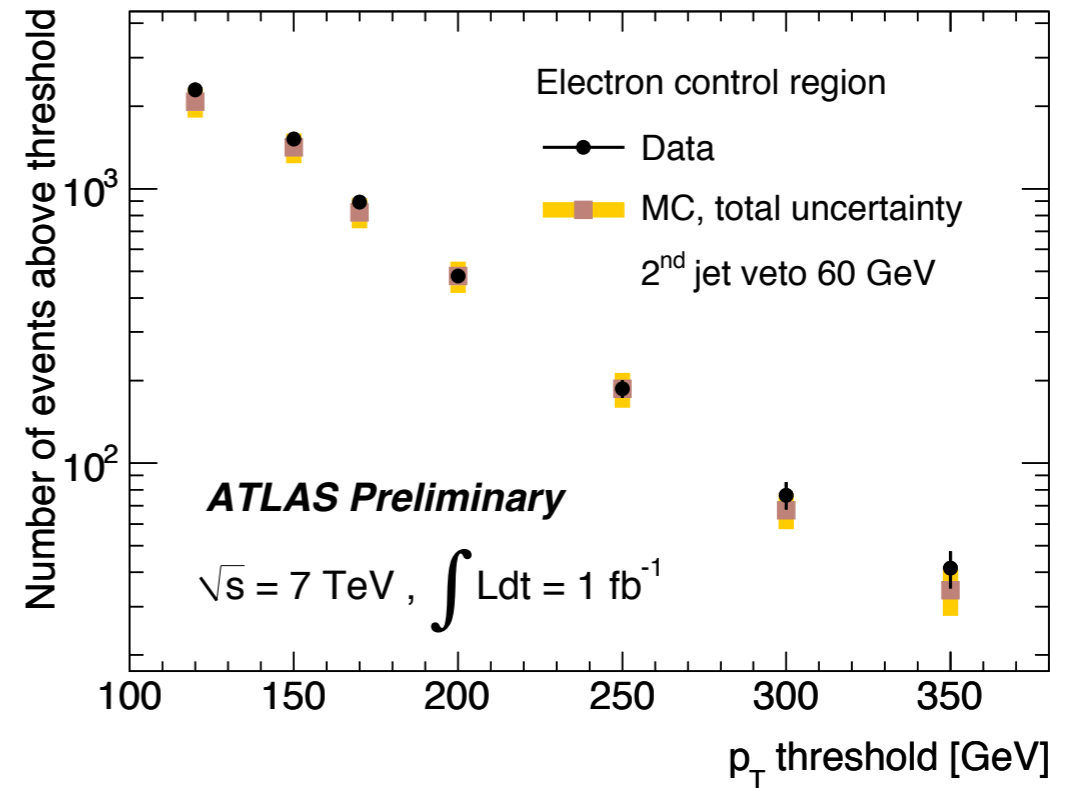
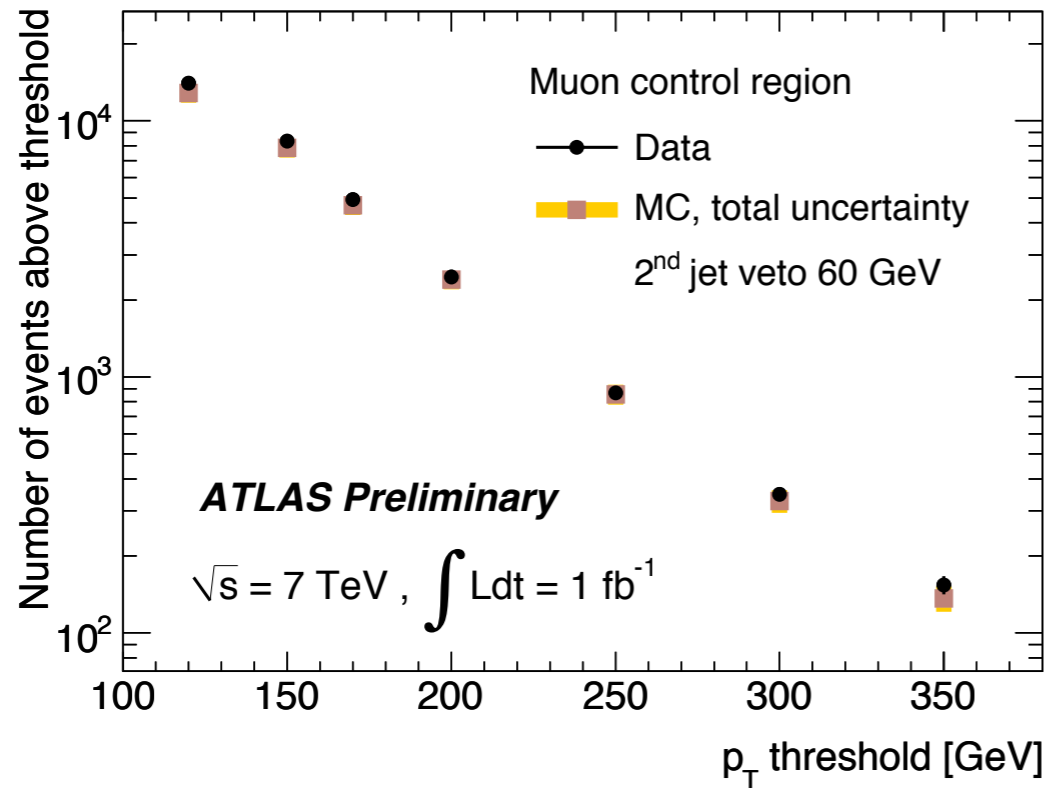


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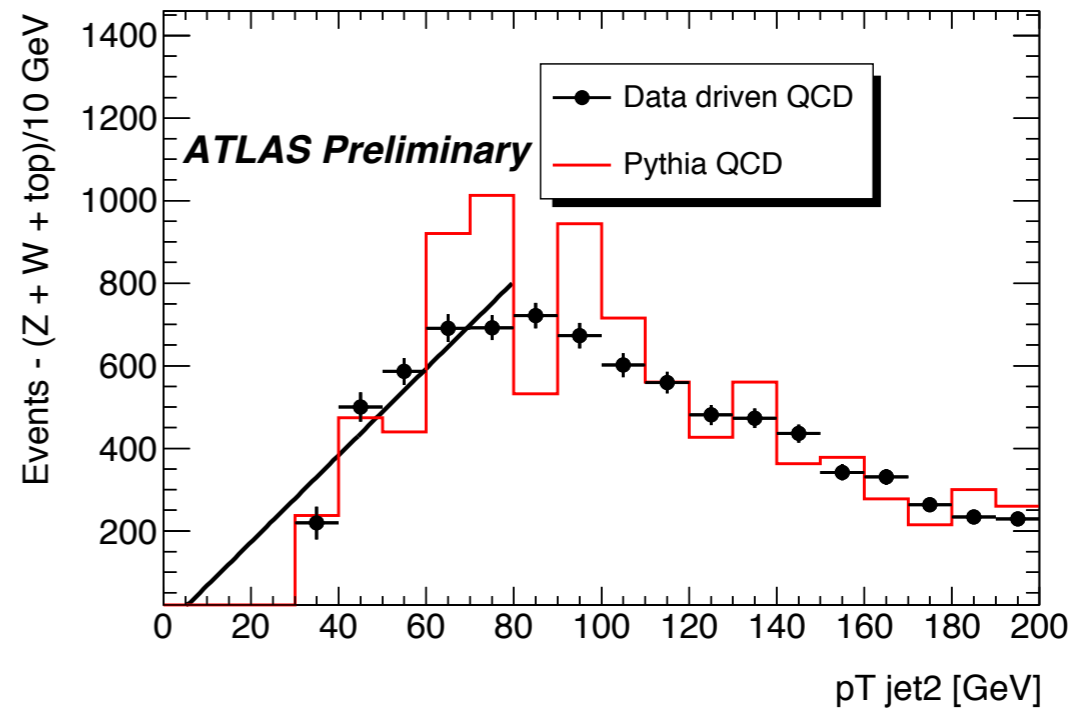
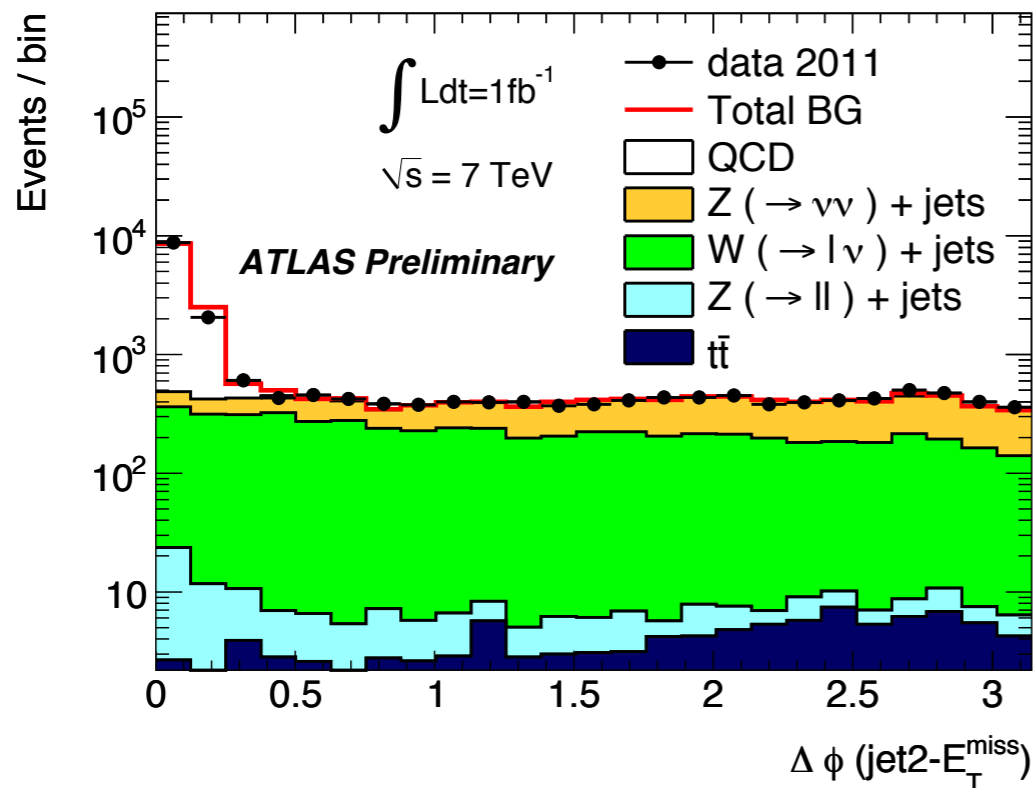


Figure 4: (left) Measured  $\Delta\phi(\text{jet2} - E_T^{\text{miss}})$  distribution in the LowPt selection with no veto on the second leading jet  $p_T$  applied. The data are compared to the SM predictions, as determined by the MC simulation. The QCD jets prediction is determined from PYTHIA and includes a normalization factor  $0.94 \pm 0.04$  that brings the prediction close to the data in the region  $\Delta\phi(\text{jet2} - E_T^{\text{miss}}) < 0.5$ . The  $W/Z$  plus jets MC predictions contain the normalization factors extracted from the electron and muon control samples, as explained in the body of the text. (right) Measured  $p_T$  distribution of the second leading jet in the LowPt region before the veto is applied and after requiring  $\Delta\phi(\text{jet2} - E_T^{\text{miss}}) < 0.5$ . The data are compared to QCD jets prediction from PYTHIA. The solid line shows a linear fit to the turn-on part of the measured  $p_T$  distribution (see text).

## Search in the Dijet Angular Distribution

Table 1: Comparing  $\chi$  distributions to QCD predictions. The header symbols in the first line of the table stand for “log-likelihood” (LL), and “BUMPHUNTER” (BH). The second line labels the “ $p$ -value” (p-val), the “most discrepant region” (Discrep), the “ $p$ -value with statistical uncertainties only” (Stats-only), the “ $p$ -value with systematic uncertainties included” (Stats+syst) and the “ $p$ -value with the look-elsewhere effect included” (+LEE).

$m_{jj}$ bin GeV	LL p-val	BH Discrep	BH Stat-only	BH Stat+syst	BH +LEE
800-1200	0.25	bin 1-4	0.00034	0.030	0.091 (1.3 $\sigma$ )
1200-1600	0.71	bin 1-7	0.016	0.098	0.21 (0.8 $\sigma$ )
1600-2000	0.44	bin 1-3	1.7E-6	0.070	0.28 (0.6 $\sigma$ )
2000-2600	0.21	bin 1-5	1.0E-8	0.094	0.15 (1.1 $\sigma$ )
2600-7000	0.36	bin 1-5	0.00081	0.049	0.12 (1.2 $\sigma$ )

