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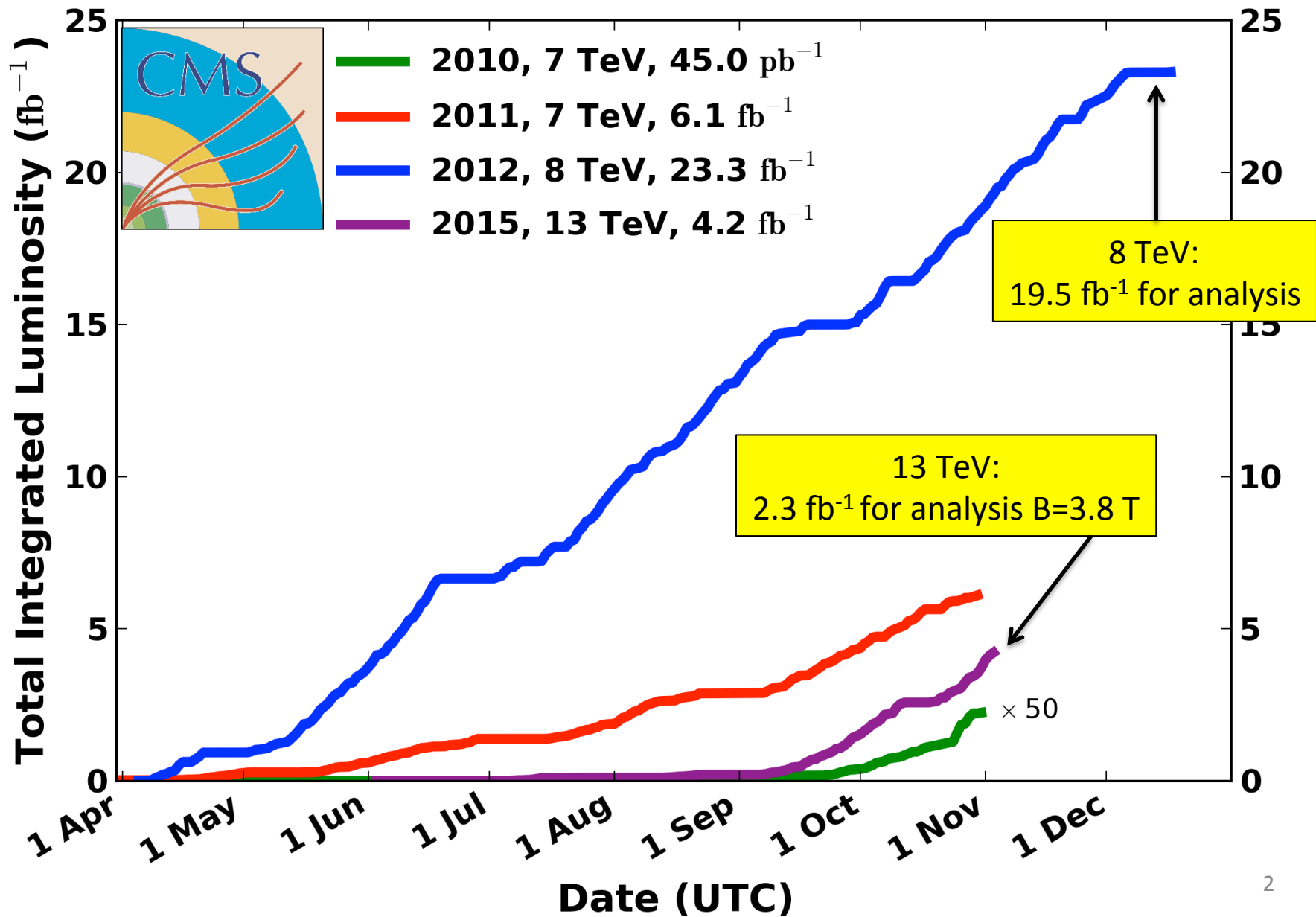
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Search for color supersymmetric partners at CMS

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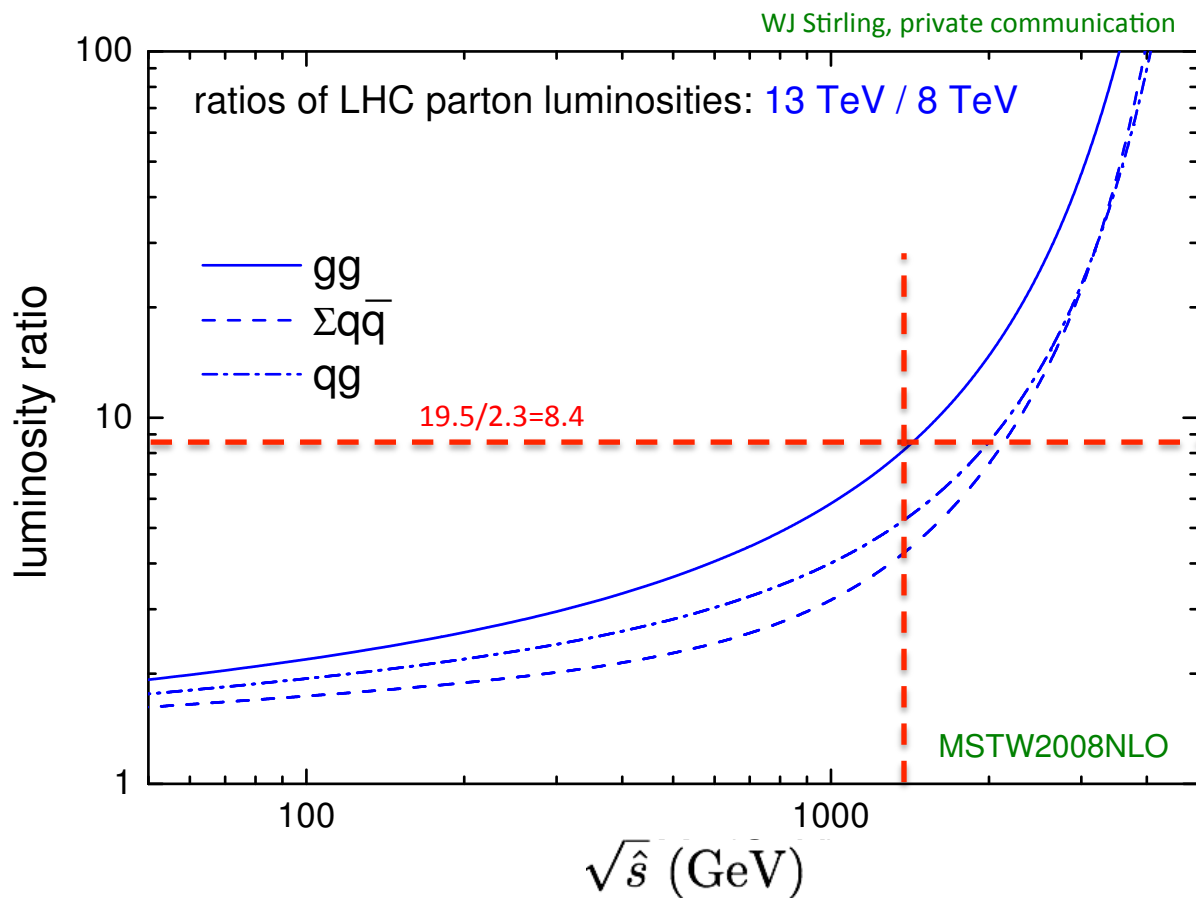
CMS Integrated Luminosity, pp



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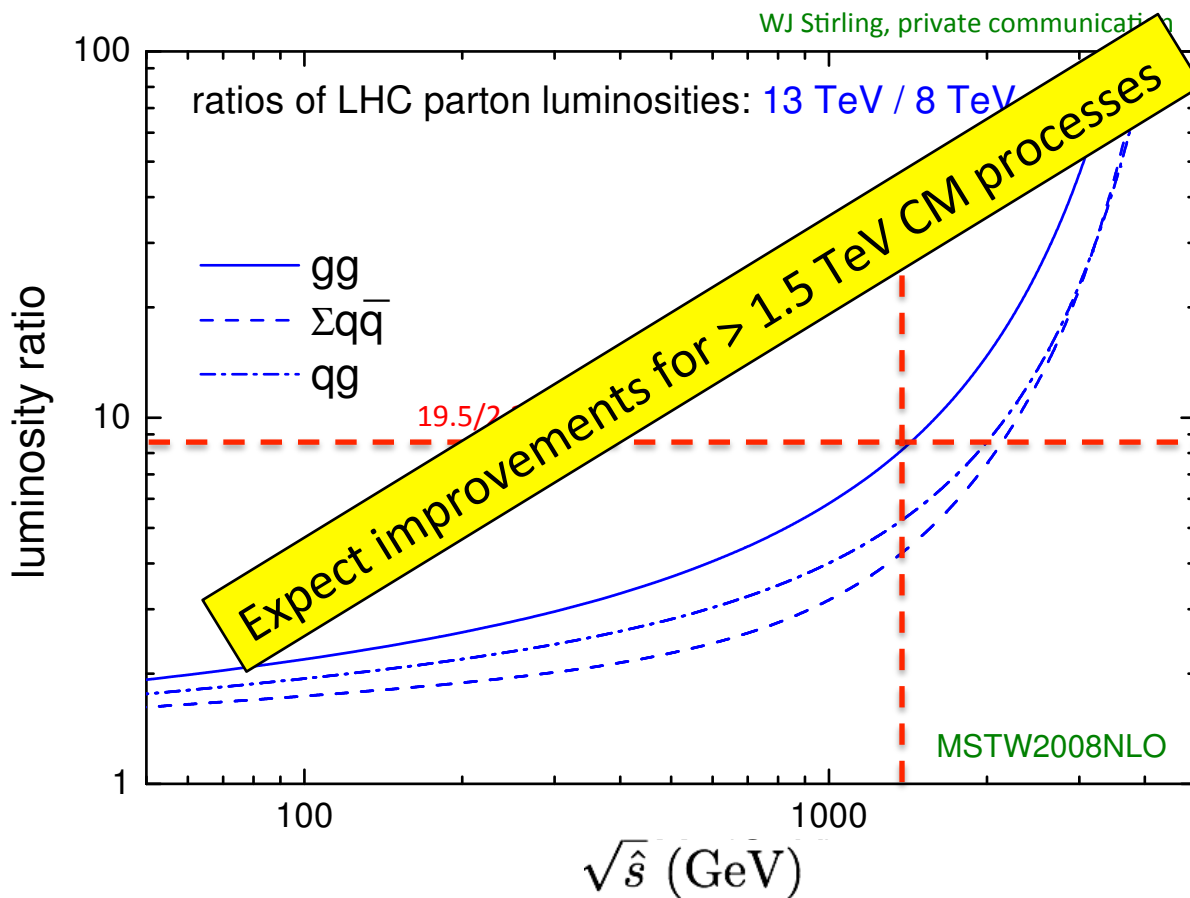
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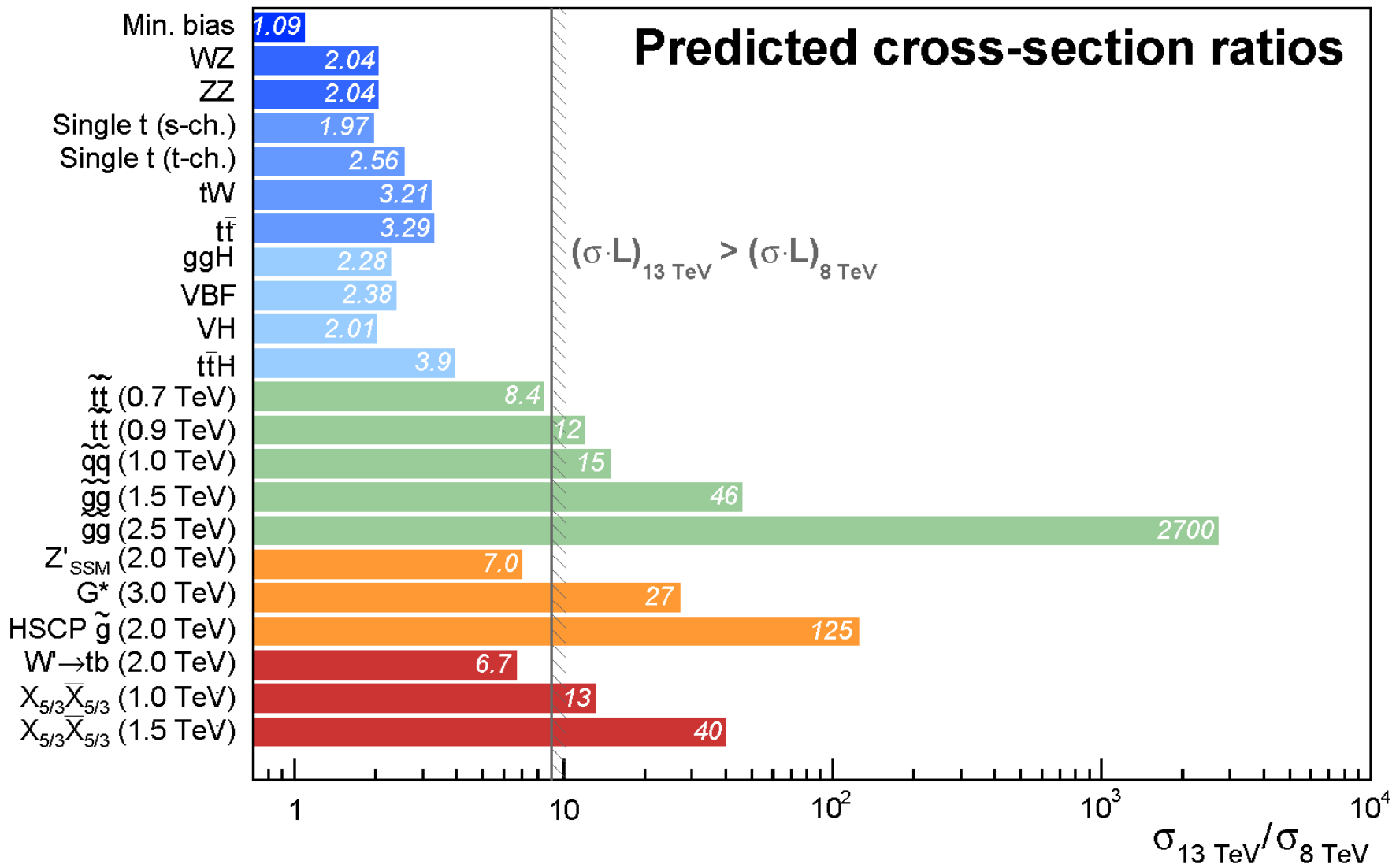


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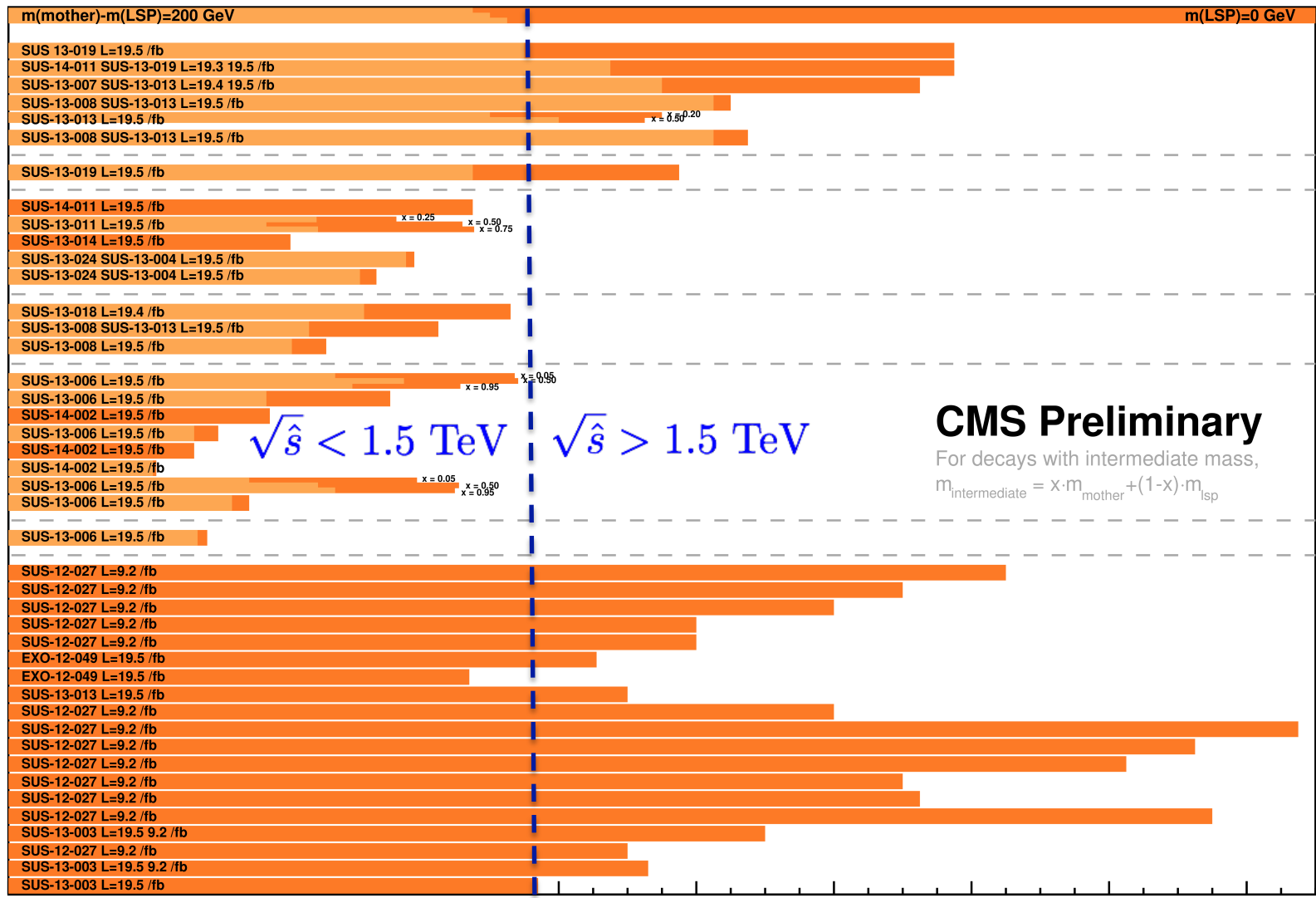
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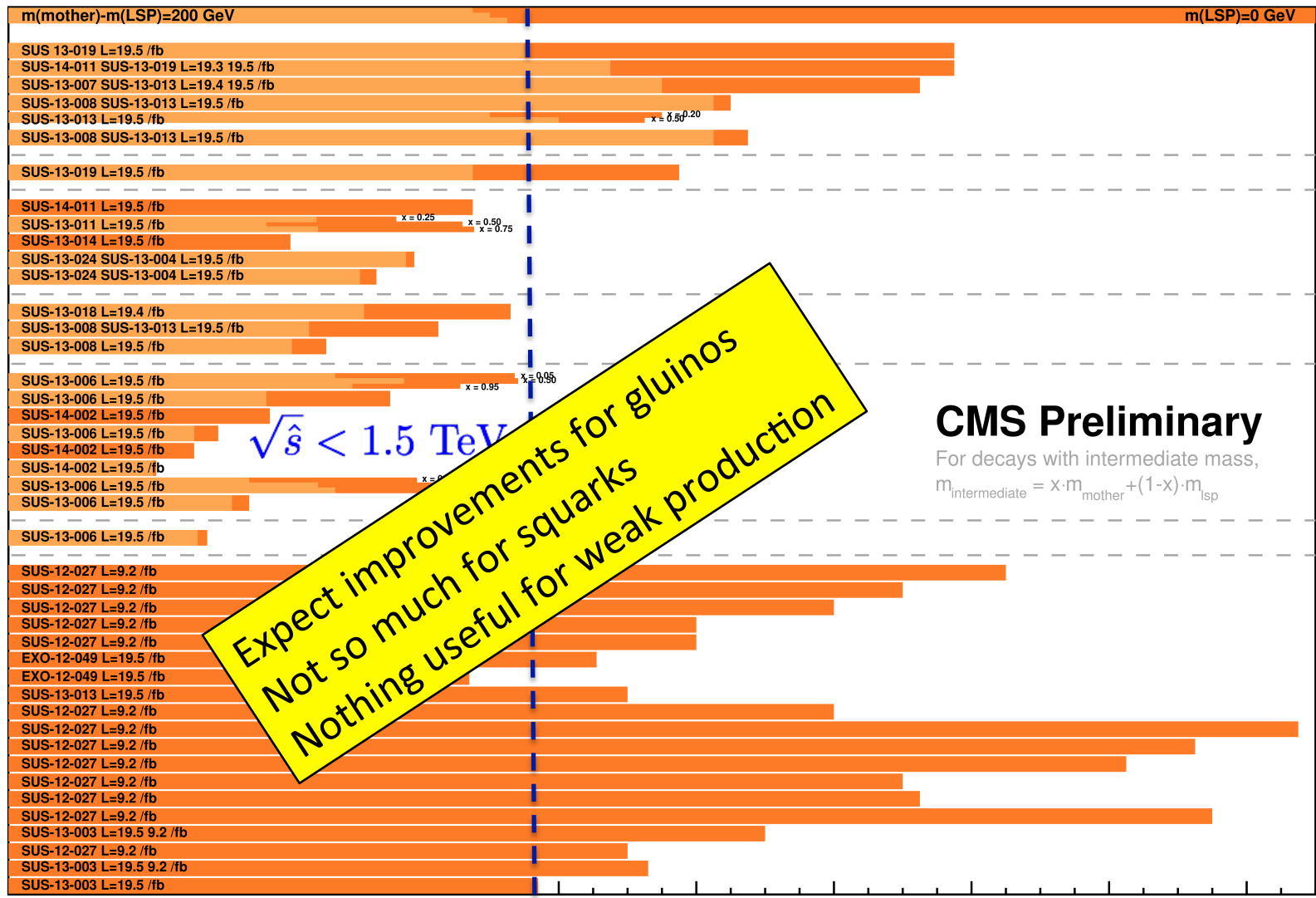
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Mass scales [GeV]

Searches for strongly produced SUSY particles (R-parity conserving)

- Generic searches
 - 0 leptons + MET + jets
 - 1 lepton + MET + jets
 - 2 same-sign leptons + MET + jets
 - 2 opposite-sign, same flavor, leptons + MET
 - ≥ 3 leptons + MET + jets
- More targeted searches
 - stop pair production (0 leptons, 1 leptons)
 - sbottom pair production

Common themes

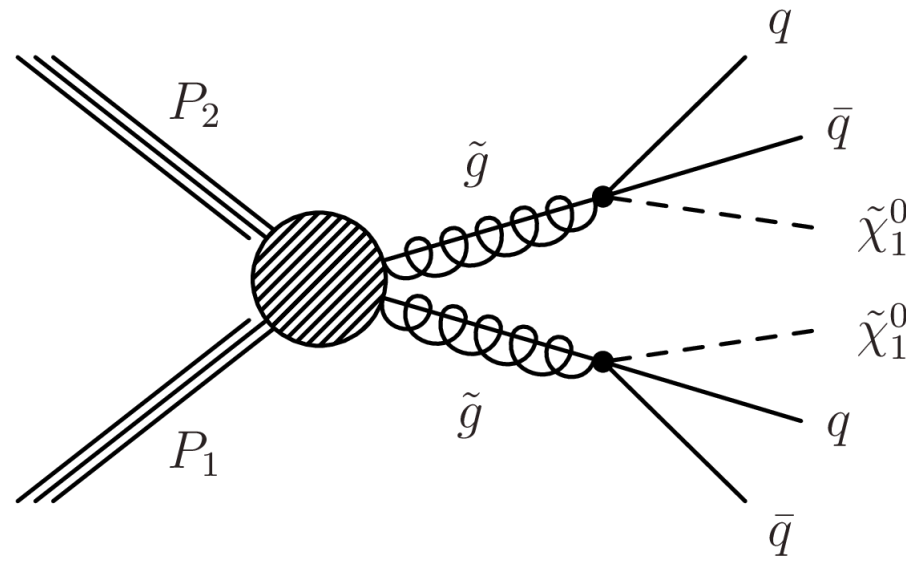
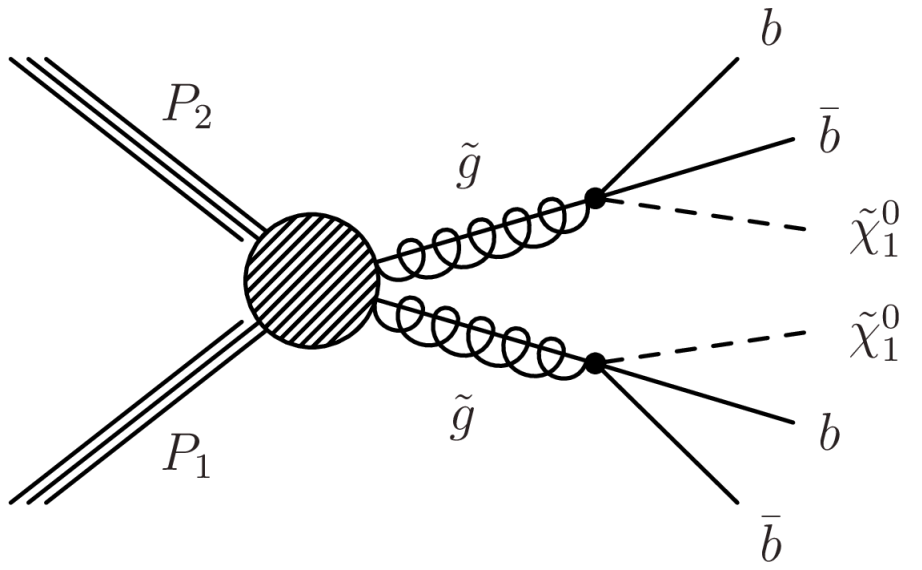
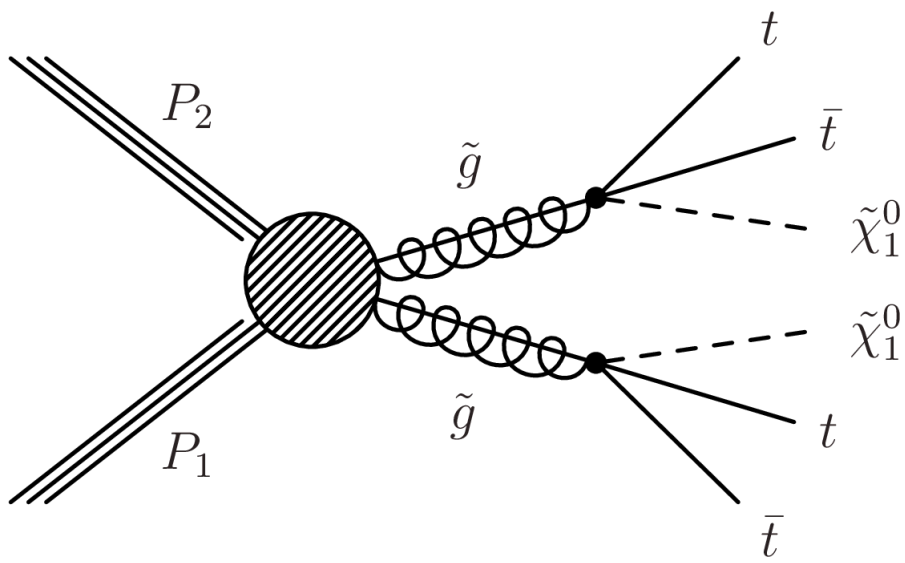
- Slice the phase space into many exclusive signal regions to be sensitive to different possible processes with MET + Jets (not only SUSY!)
e.g., bin in MET, N_{jets} , N_{bjets} , H_T
- Often more than one analysis per final state
– e.g., four independent 0-lepton analyses
- Background determination from control regions to minimize reliance on Monte Carlo modeling
- Interpretation of null results in terms of "simplified models"

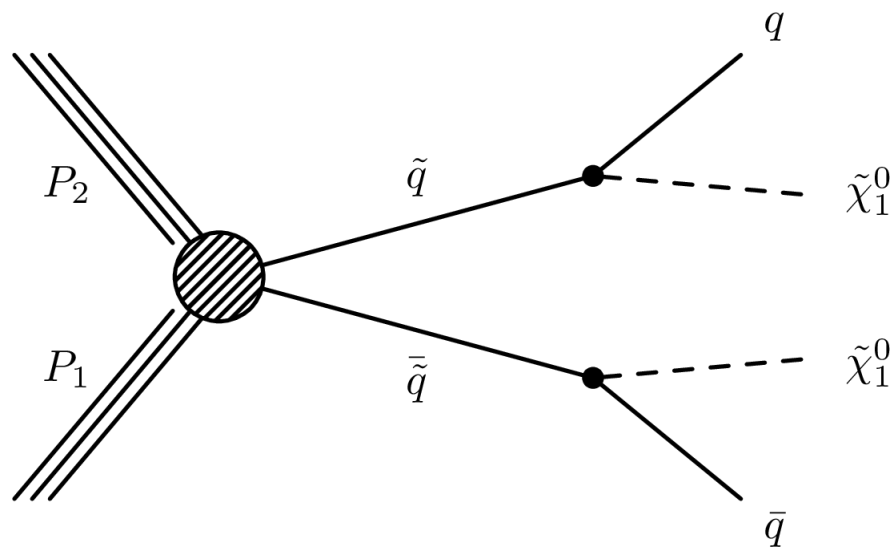
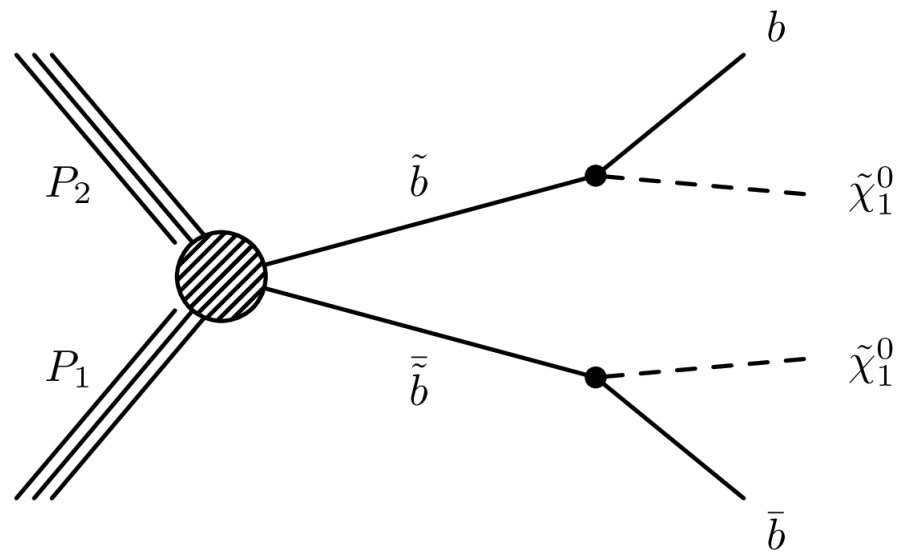
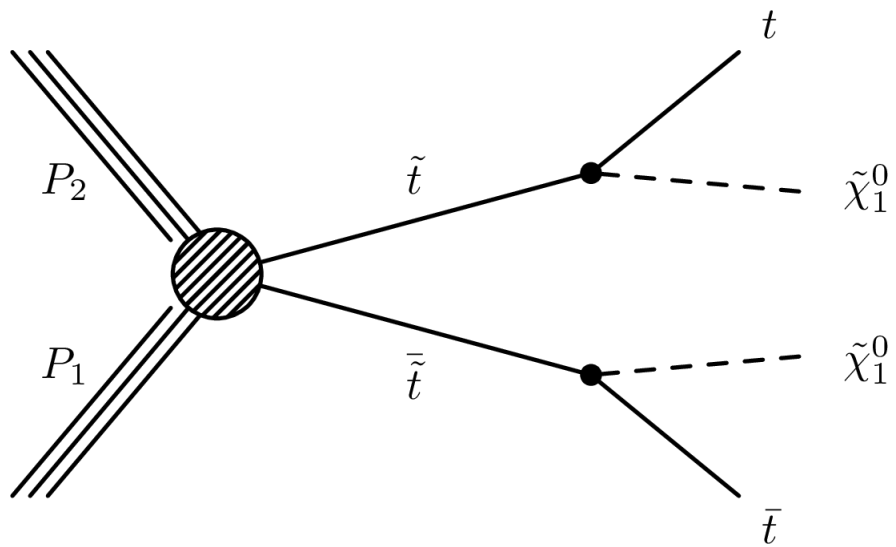
Example of BG determination

- BG to zero leptons + jets + MET is W+jets and ttbar+jets
 - W decays to lepton neutrino
 - lepton is missed (lost)
 - neutrino gives MET
- Normalize to control region of 1 lepton + jets + MET with identical requirements as zero lepton search
- Use MC only to extrapolate "found lepton" → "lost lepton"
 - include data/MC scale factors for known imperfections of MC

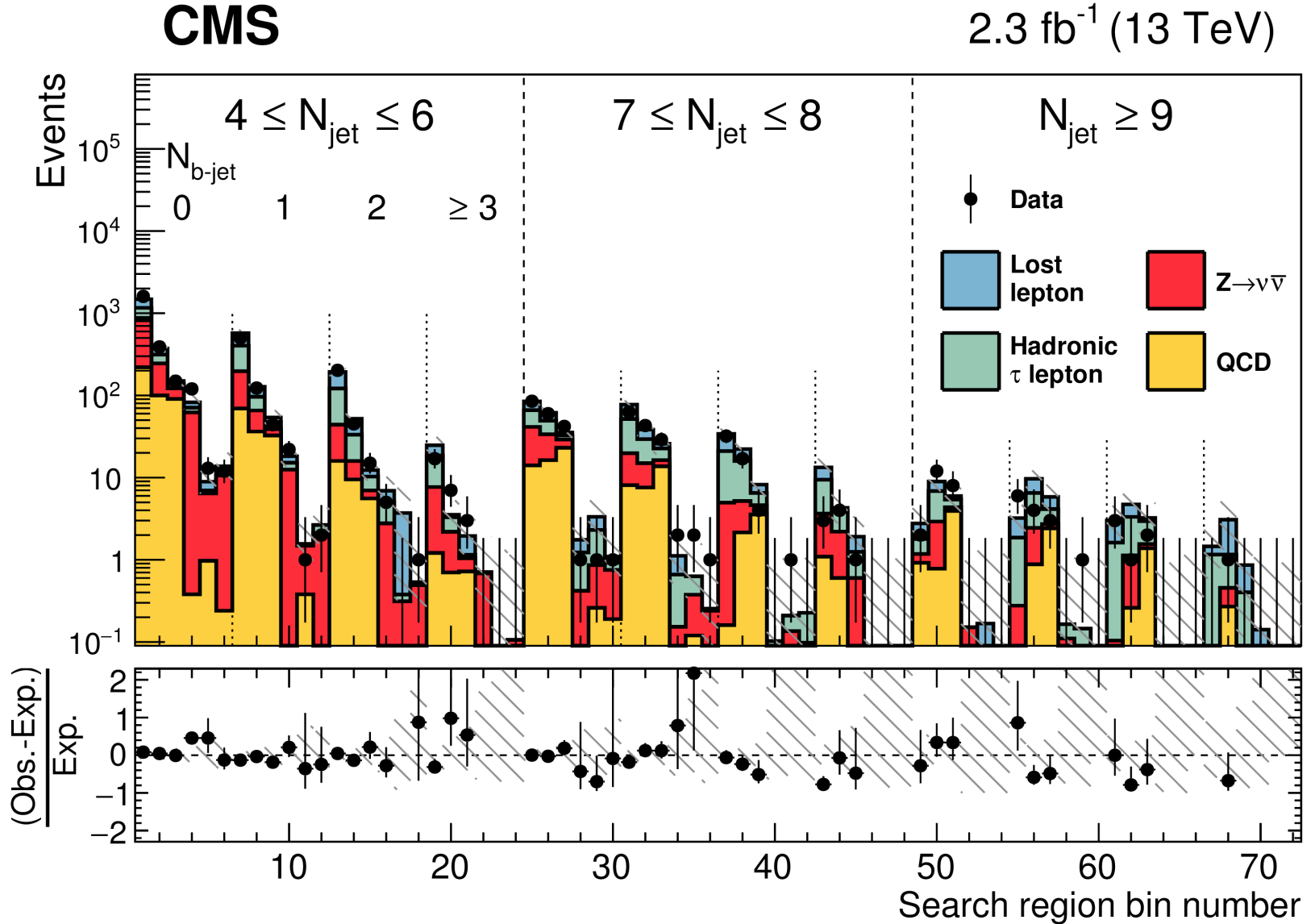
Simplified models

- SUSY particle production
 - gluino pairs or squark pairs
 - simple decay chains, 100% branching ratios
 - one process at a time...ignore other SUSY processes that could be there at the same time
 - try to cover the space of possible signatures
- Used to
 - loosely guide the design of the searches
 - if no excess, used to set simplified limits on SUSY particles masses





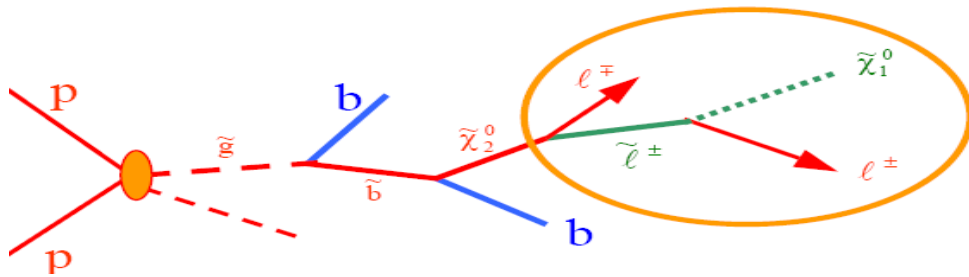
Unfortunately none of our searches showed any excess above SM expectations



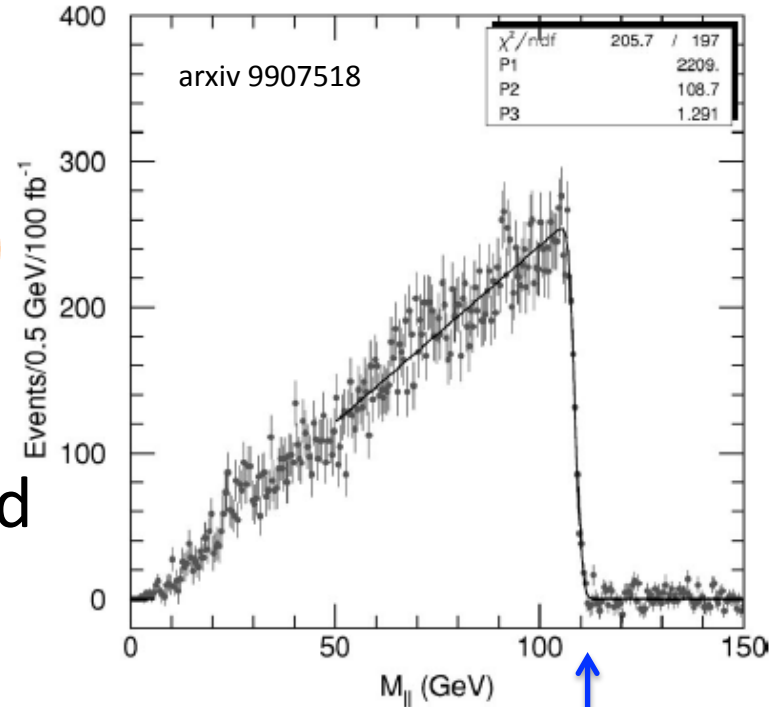
The 72 signal regions of PLB 758 (2016) 152: data vs. prediction

A partly disappearing excess: opposite sign-same flavor leptons + MET

- A "classic" SUSY signature

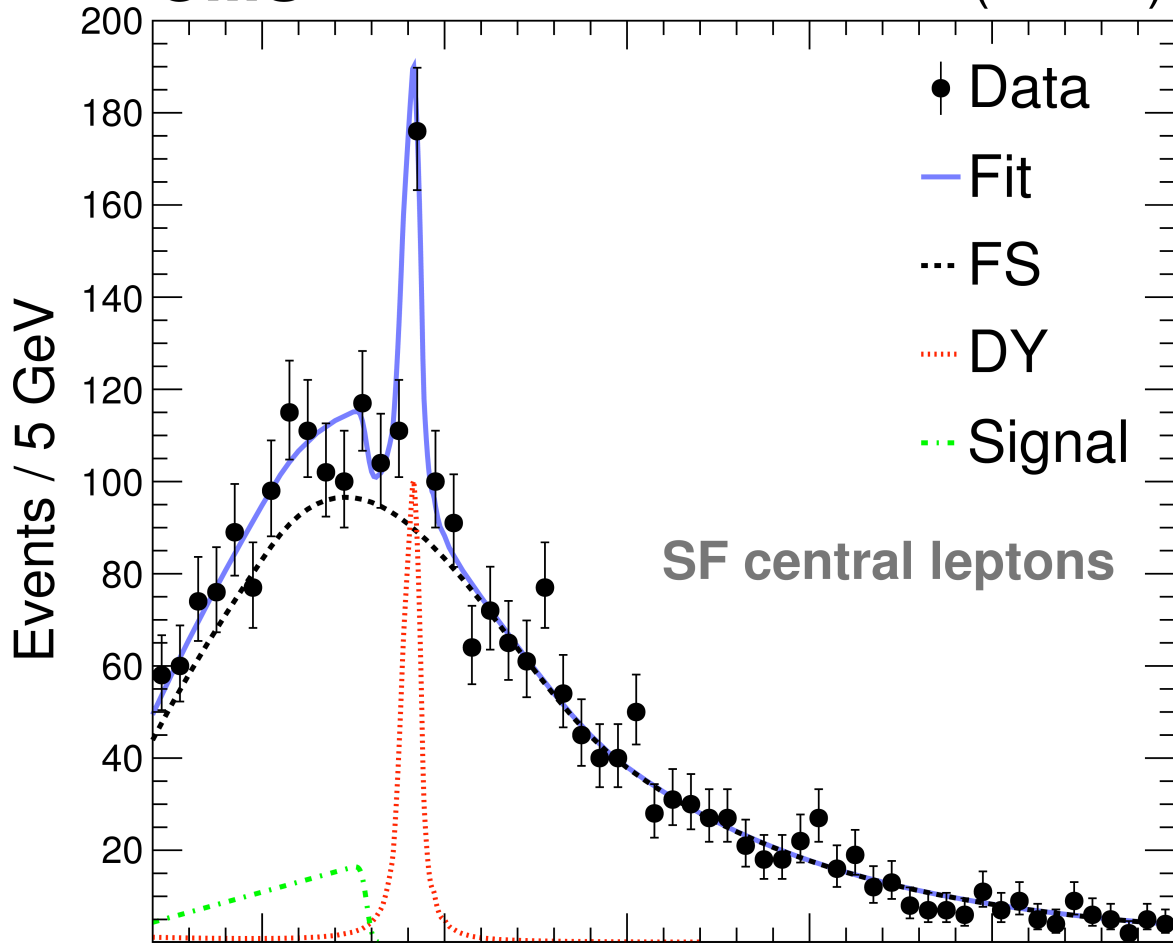


- Two leptons of opposite sign and same flavor
- The invariant mass of the pair has a kinematical edge and a triangular shape from phase space



$$M(\chi_2) \sqrt{1 - \frac{M(\tilde{\ell})}{M(\chi_2)}} \sqrt{1 - \frac{M(\chi_1)}{M(\tilde{\ell})}}$$

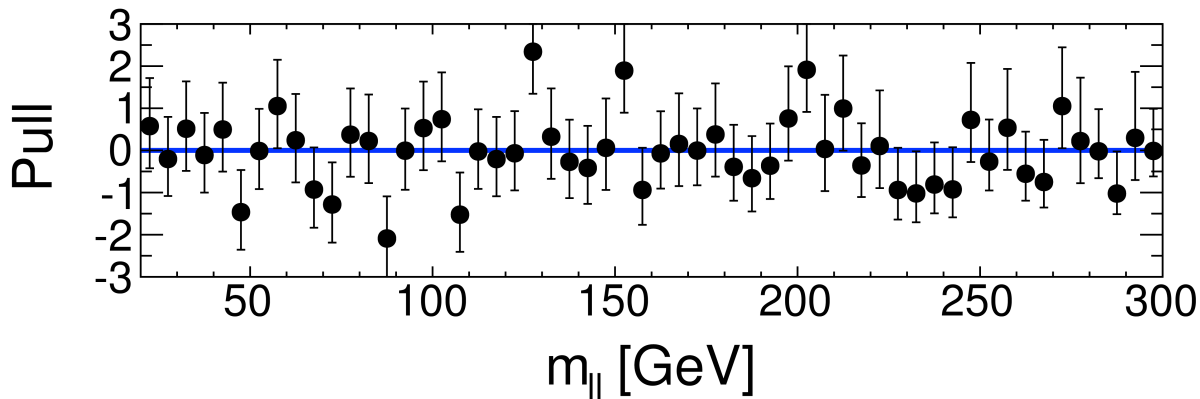
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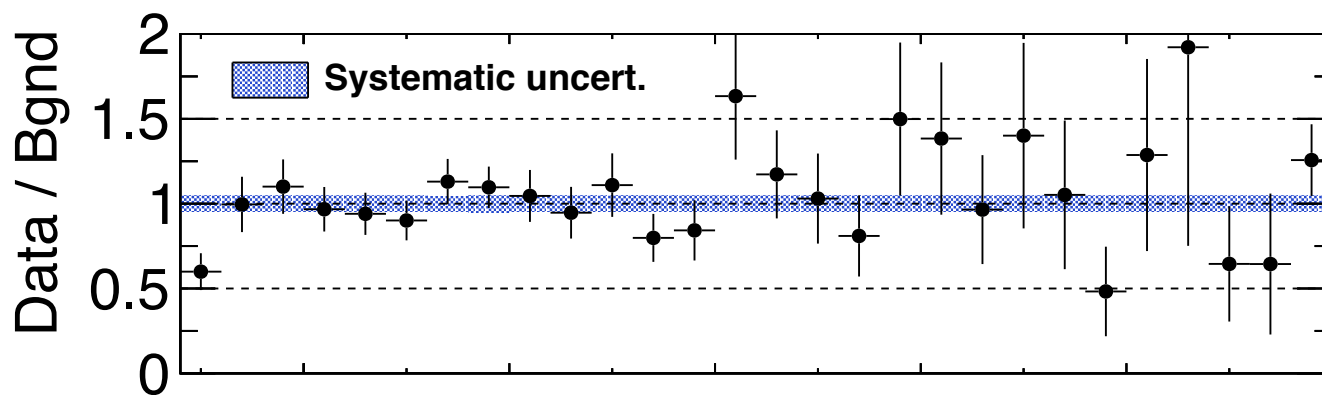
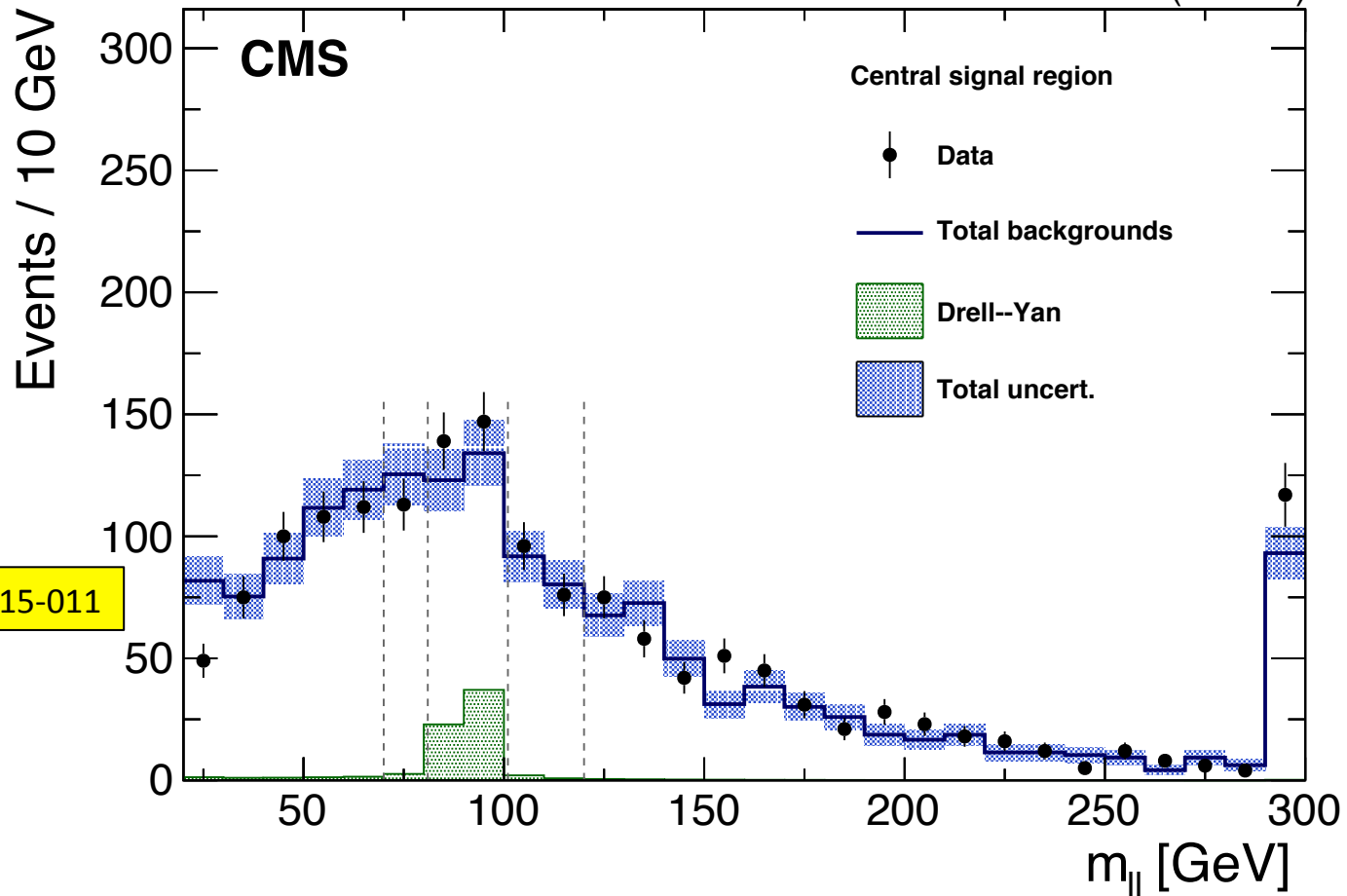


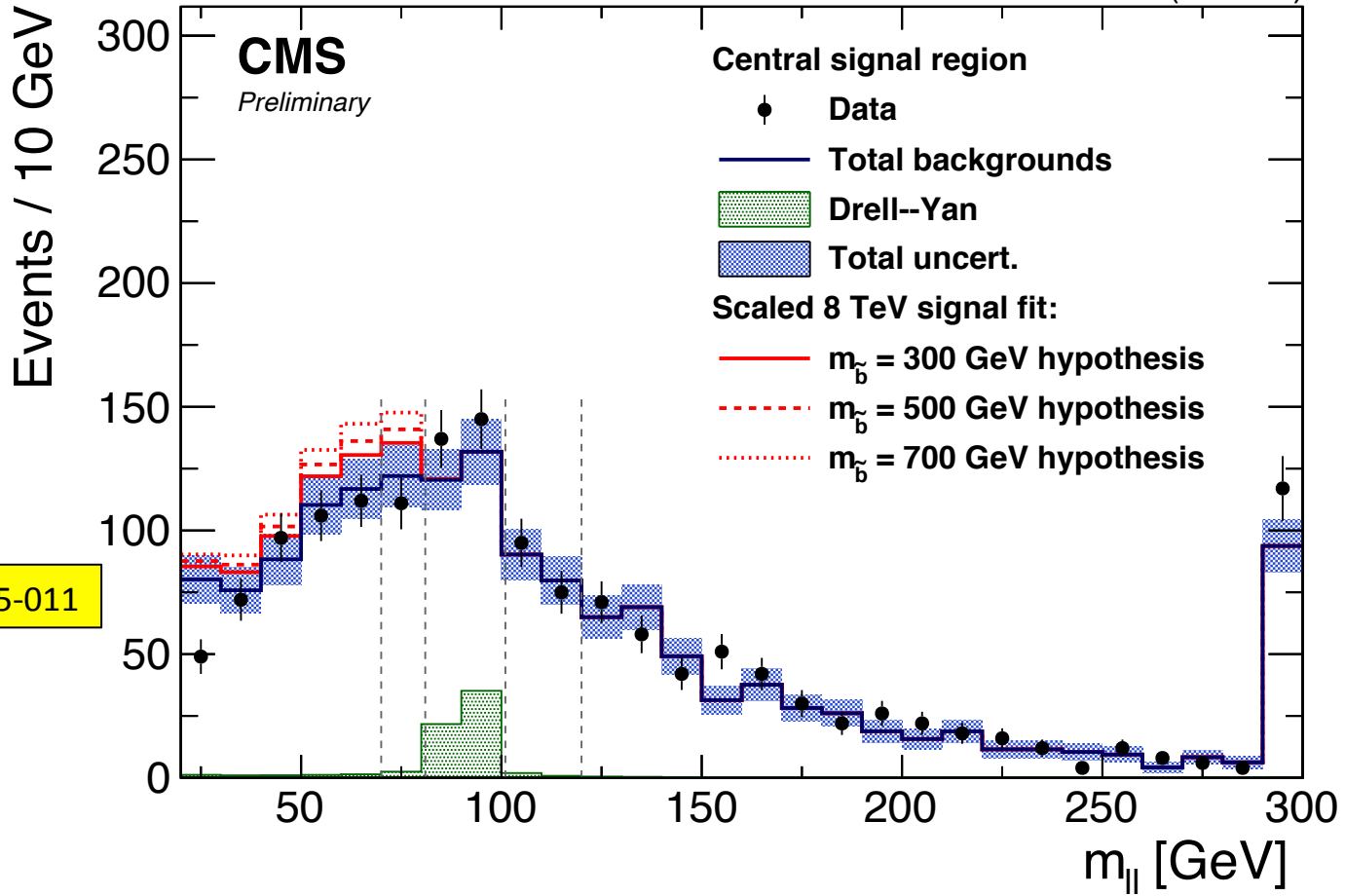
Can you see a triangle?

Was $\sim 2.6\sigma$ effect

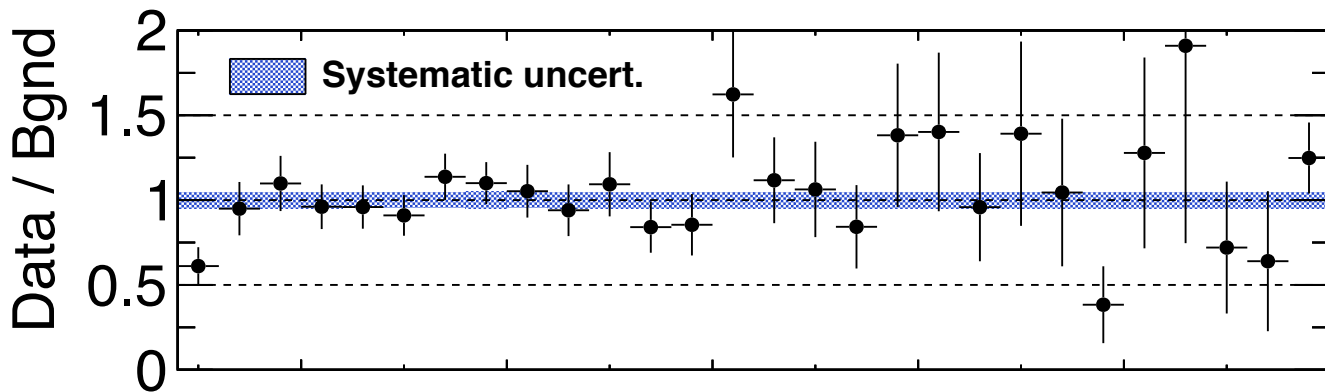
Atlas did not see excess in 8 TeV



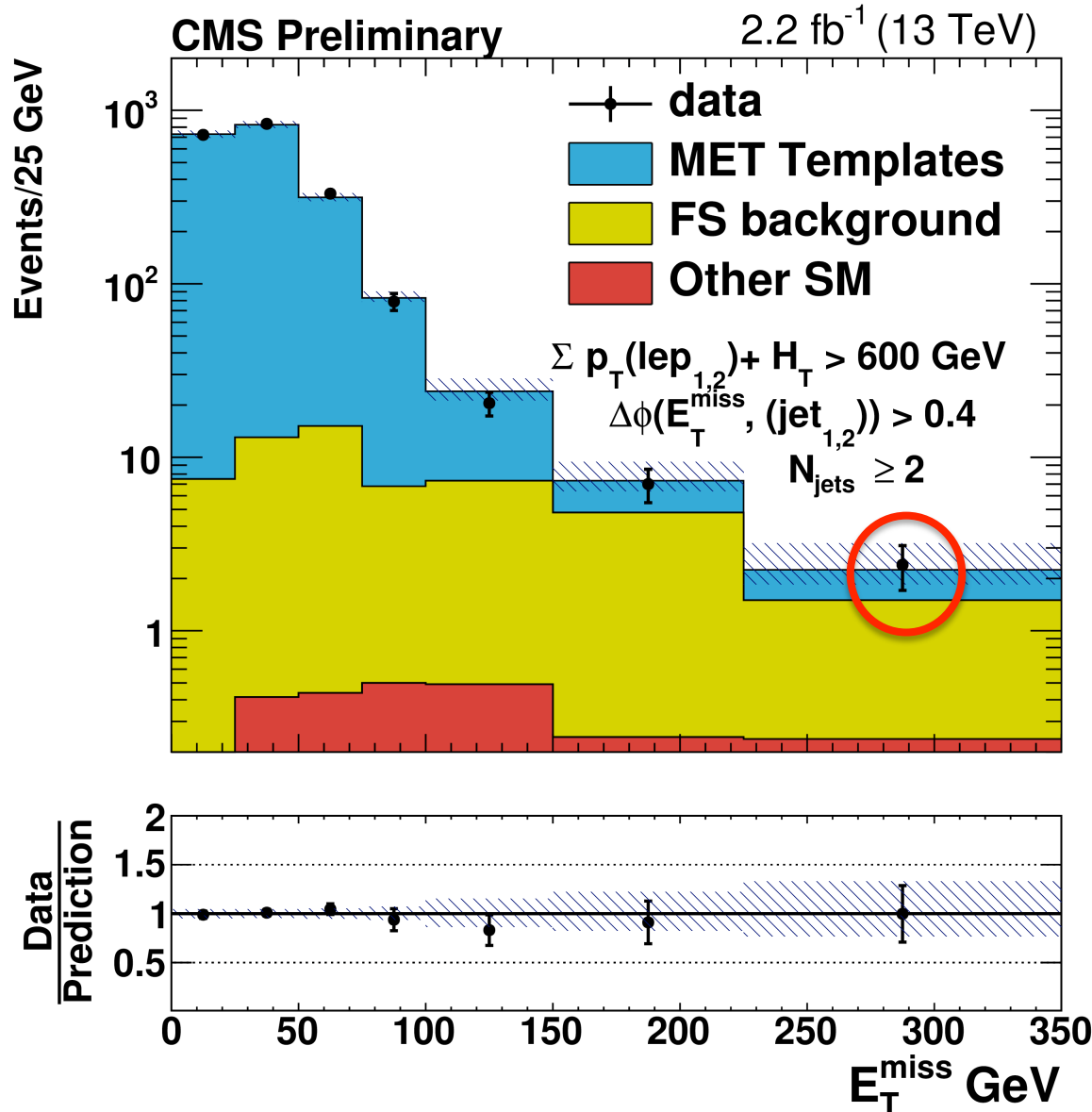




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Z + jets + MET



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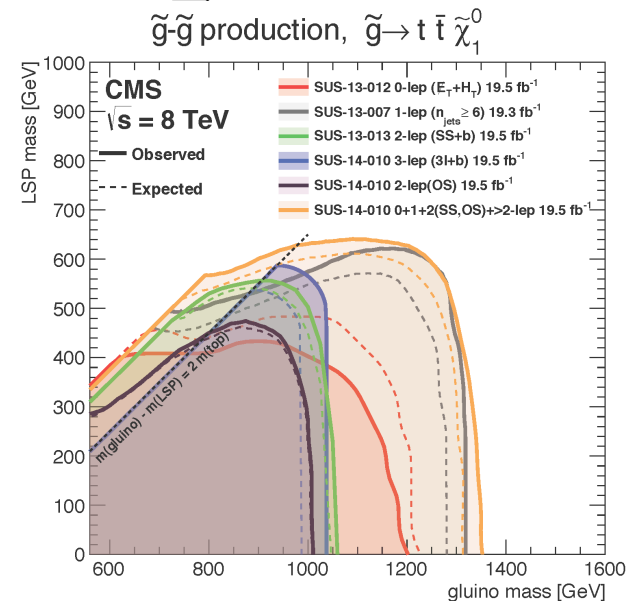
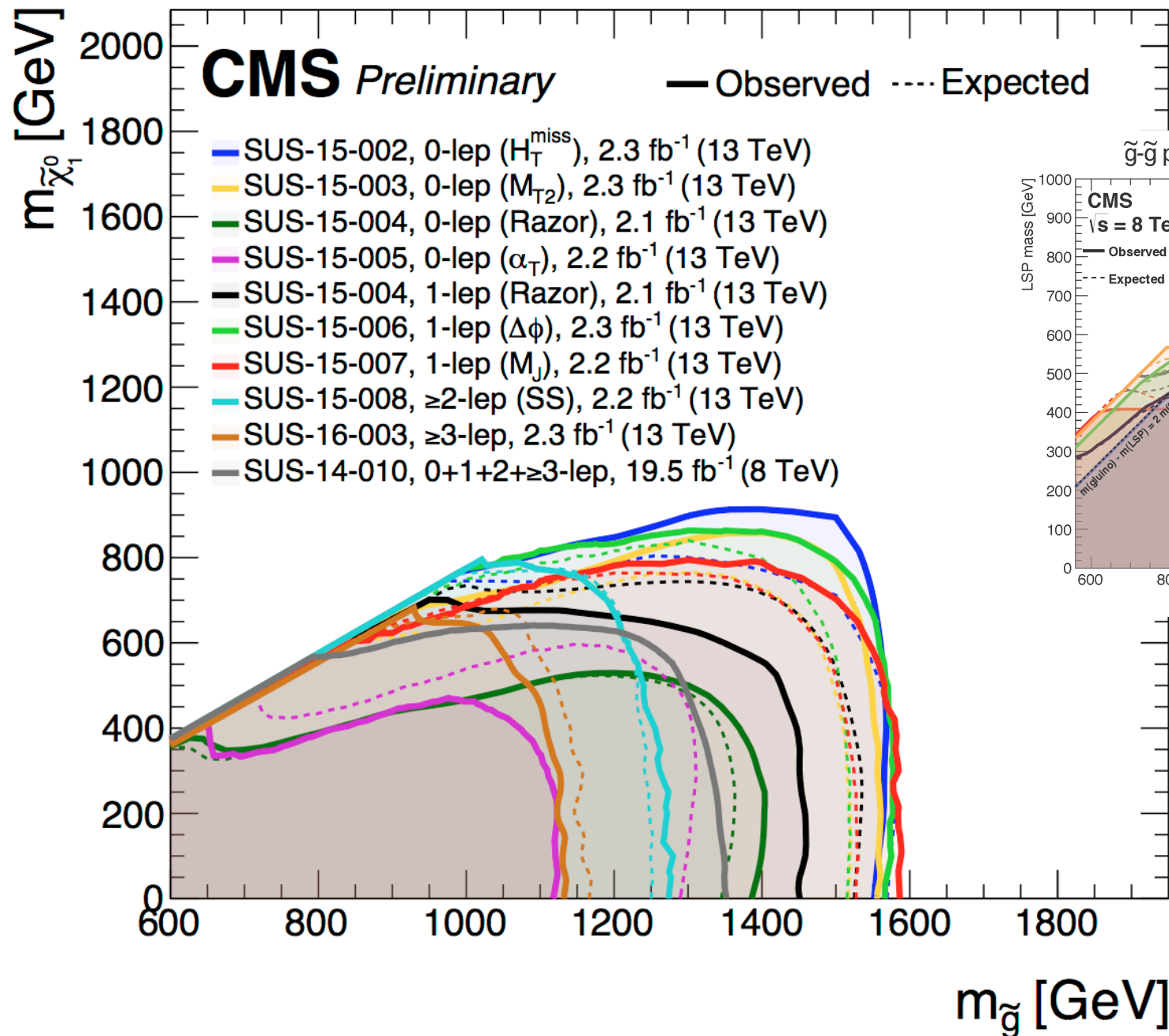
MET > 225 GeV, on-Z	
Data	12
Predicted	12 ± 3

Atlas has excess in very similar kinematical region

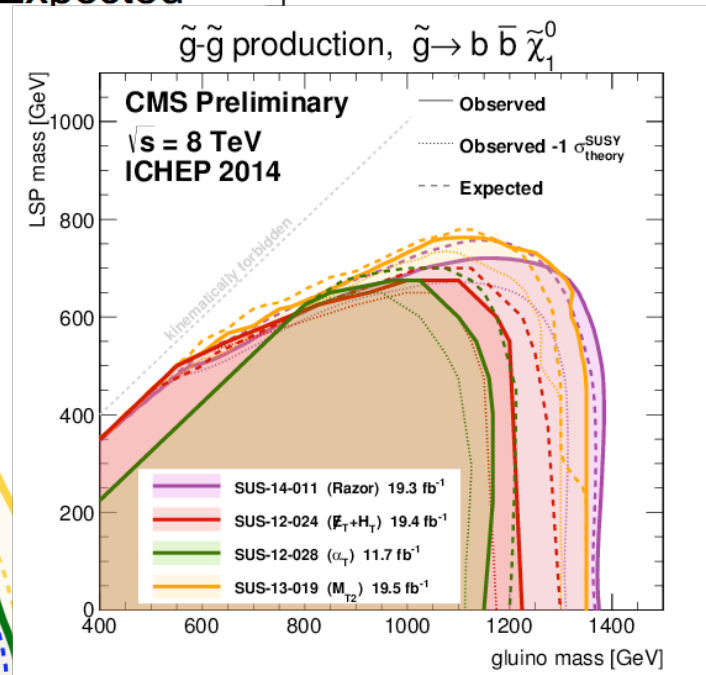
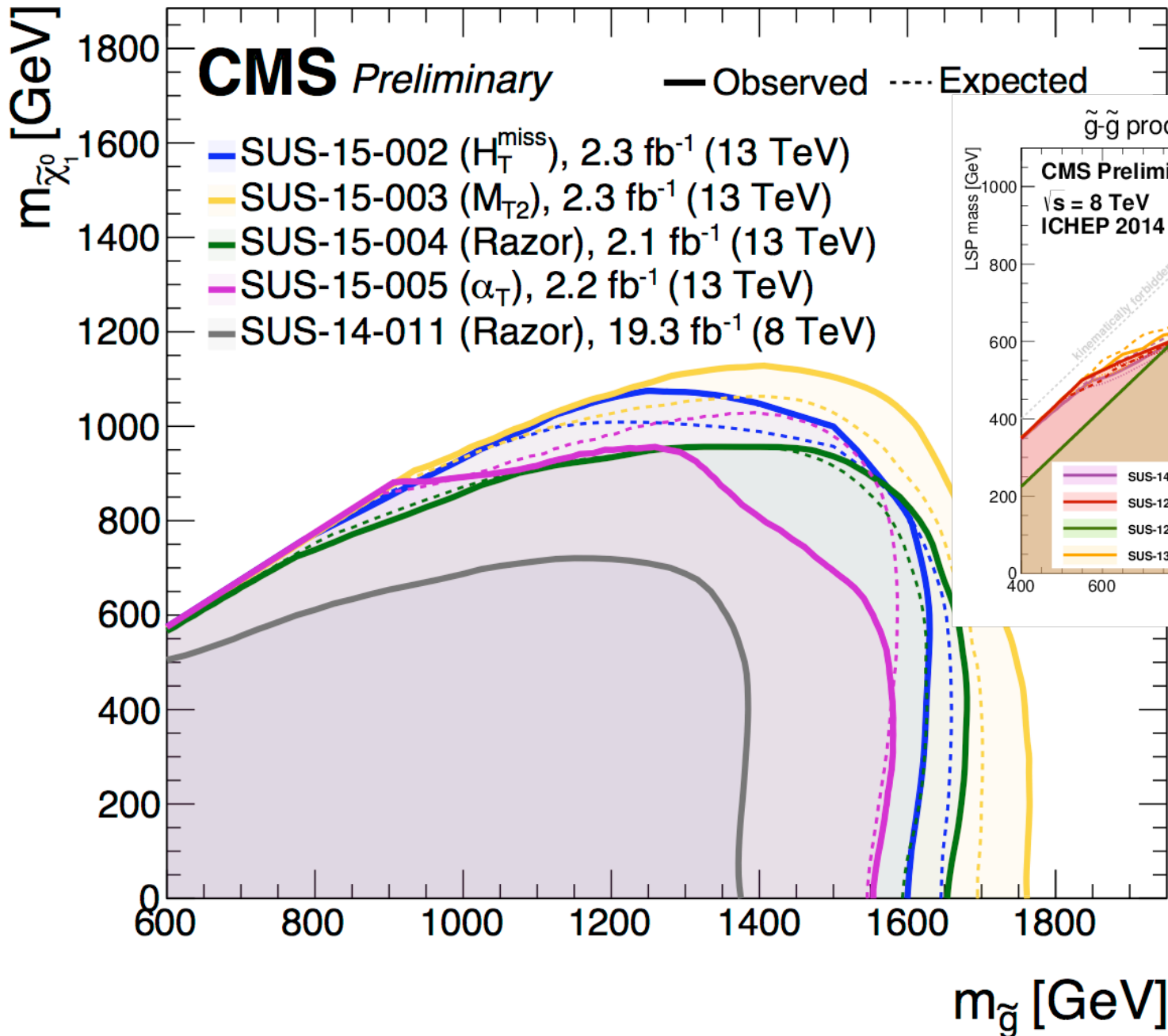
Some simplified model interpretations

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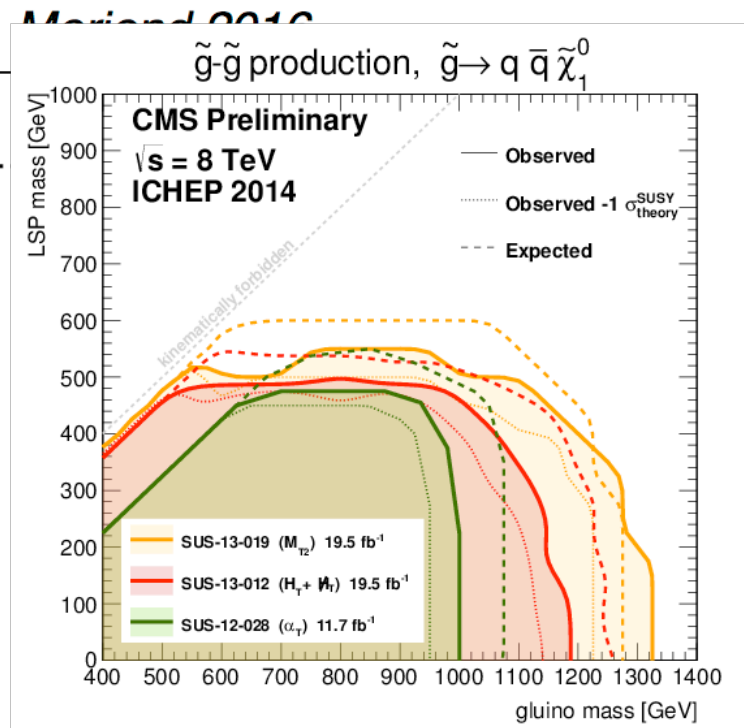
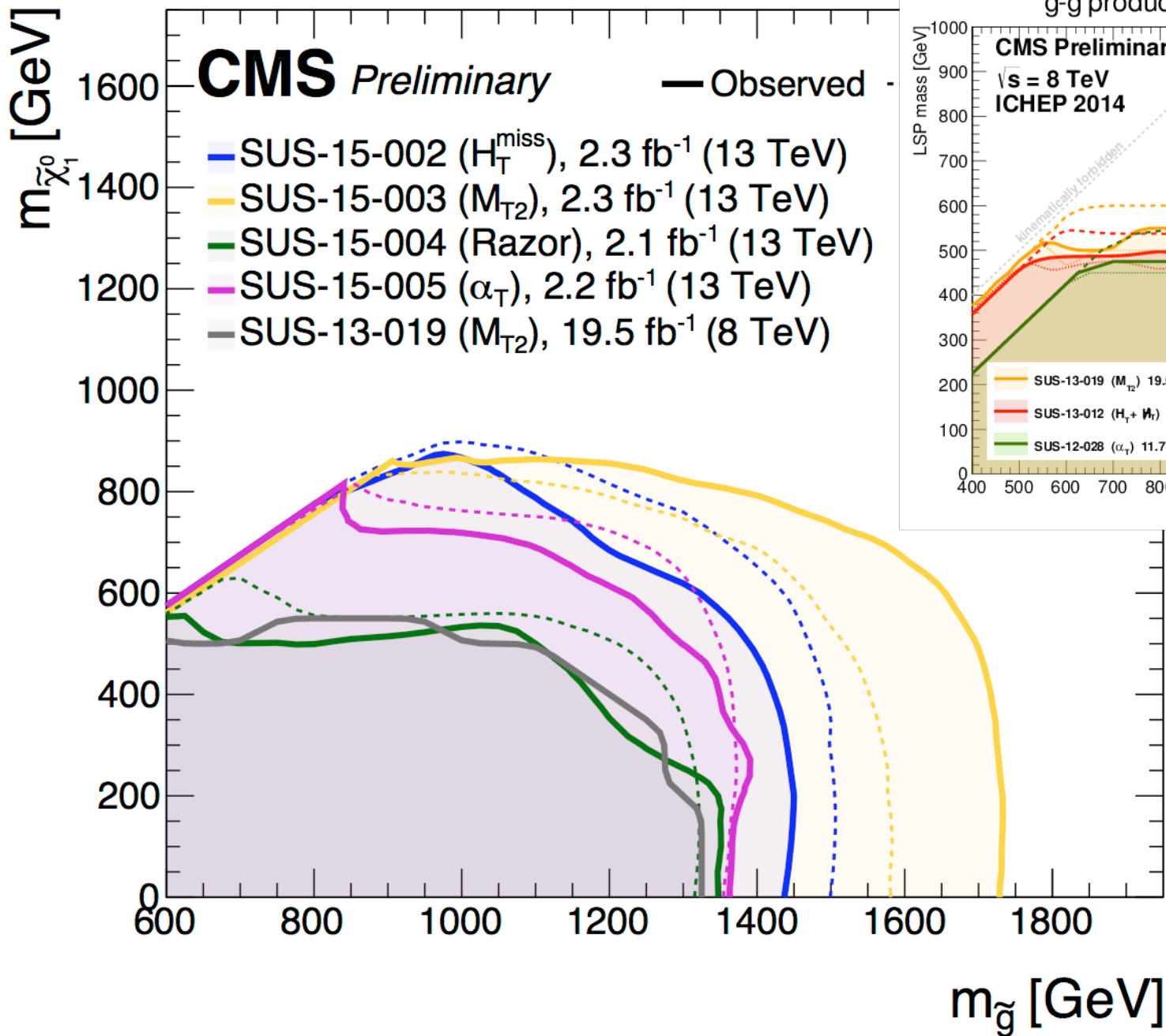
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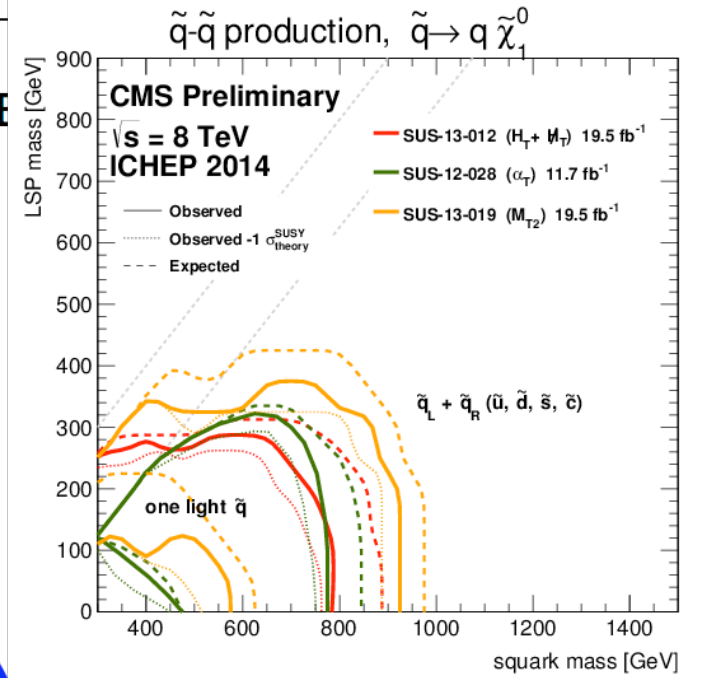
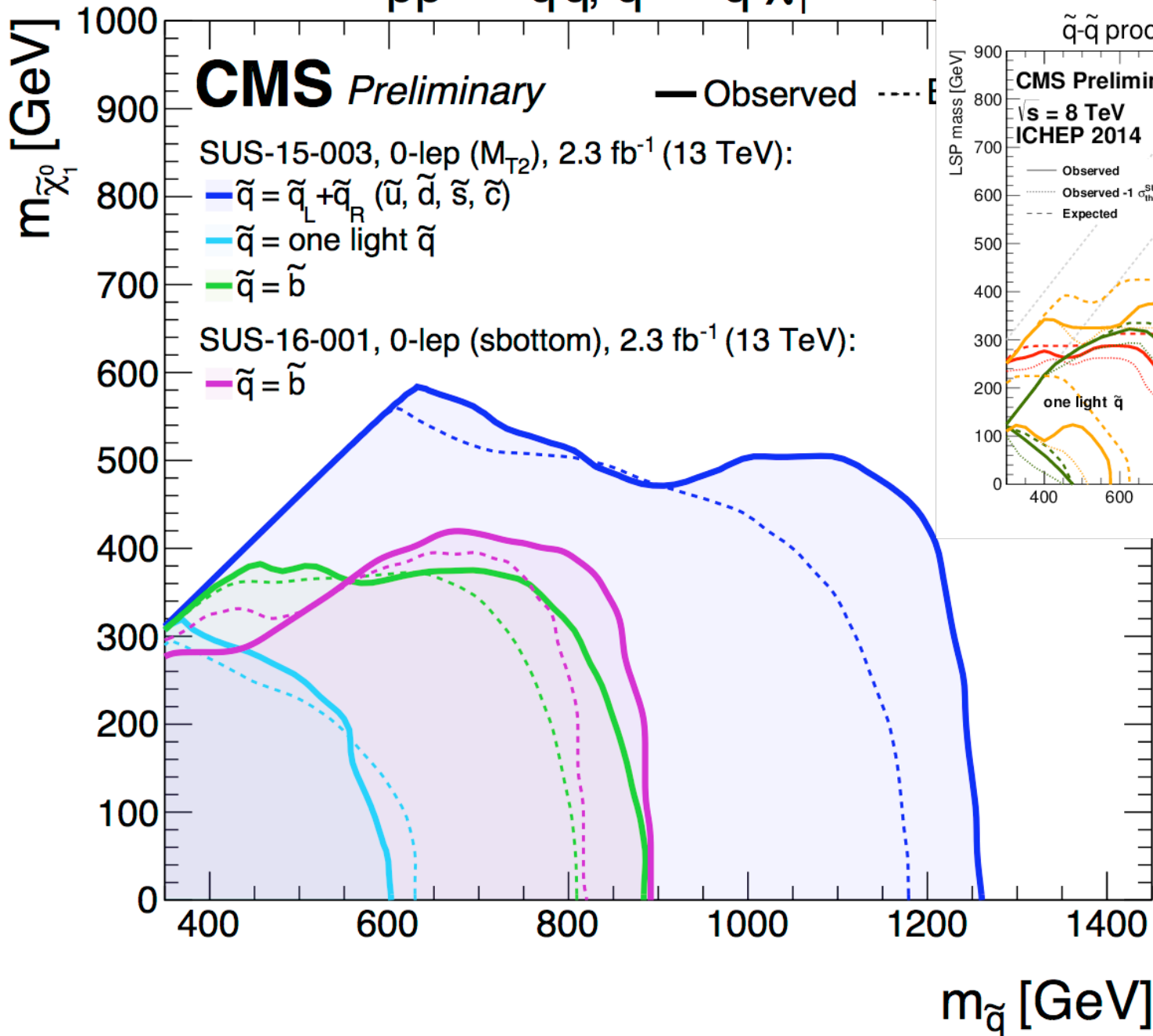


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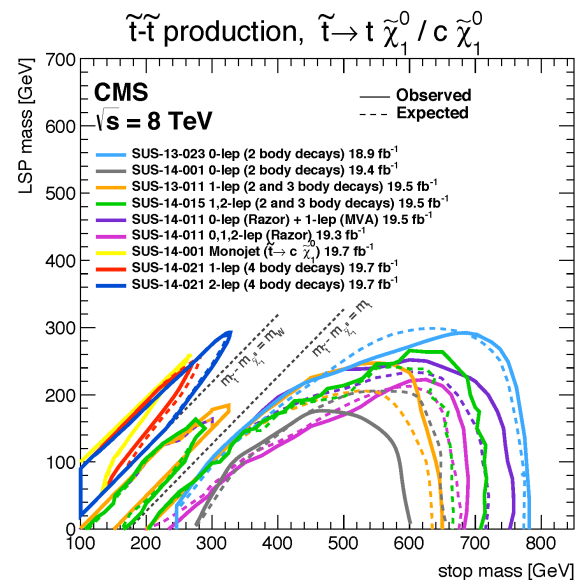
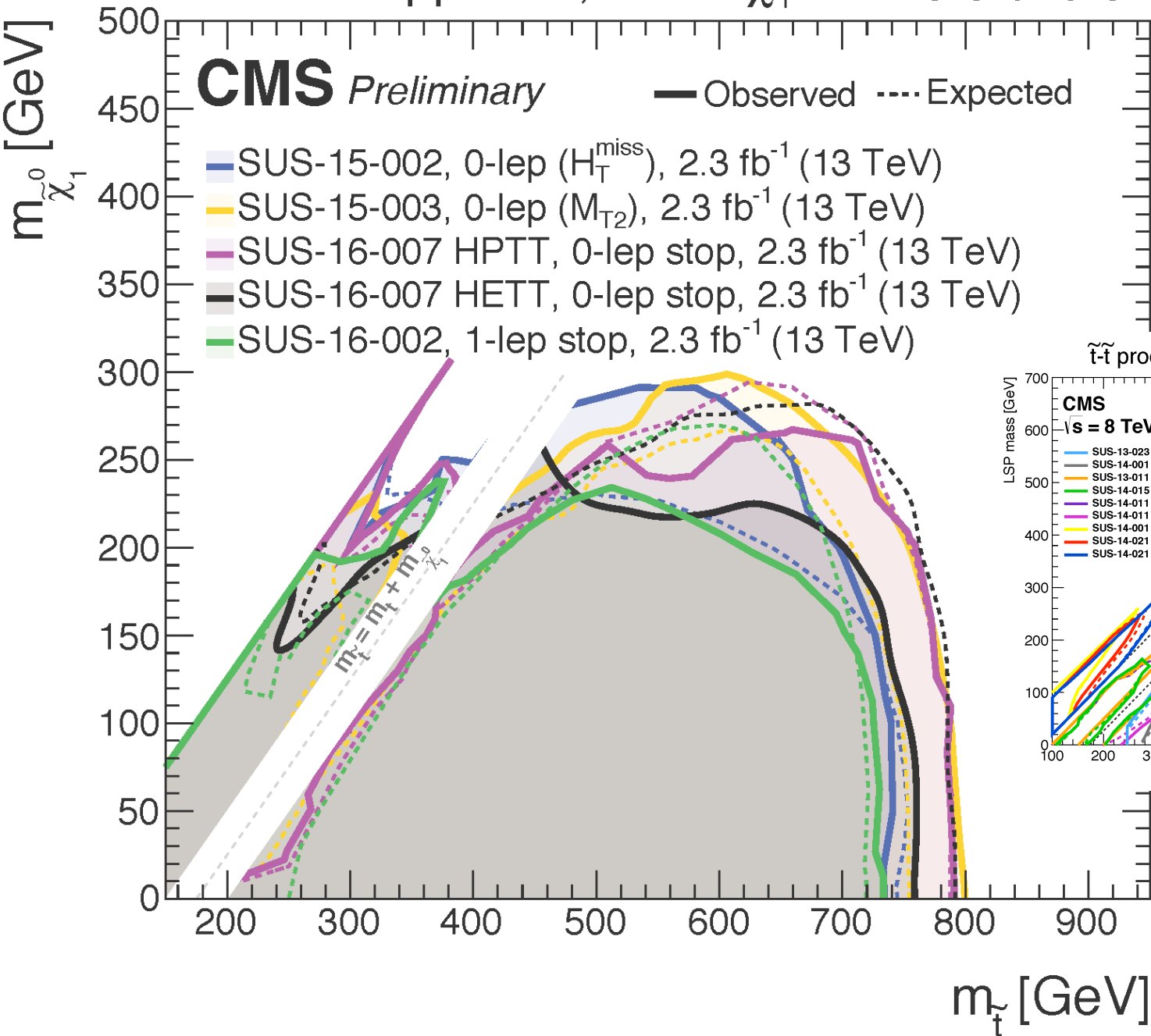
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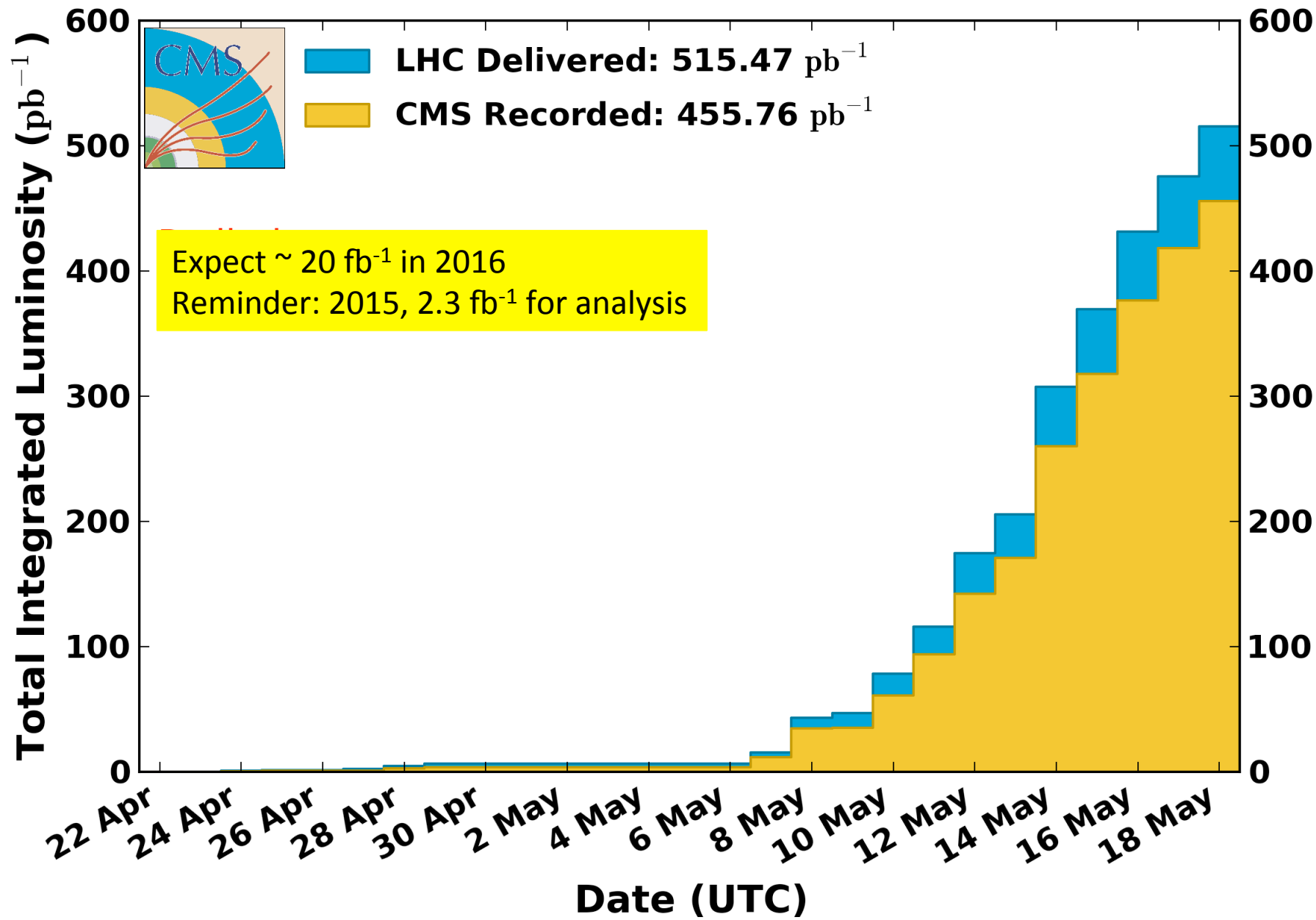
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Data included from 2016-04-22 22:48 to 2016-05-18 09:06 UTC



Summary

- Comprehensive program of searches for SUSY ongoing
- Already improved sensitivity to strongly produced SUSY wrt to 2012-12 run with small amount of data in 2015
- Order-of-magnitude increase in luminosity in 2016, more in 2017 and beyond
 - Sensitivity to EWK production as well
- The search continues.....

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