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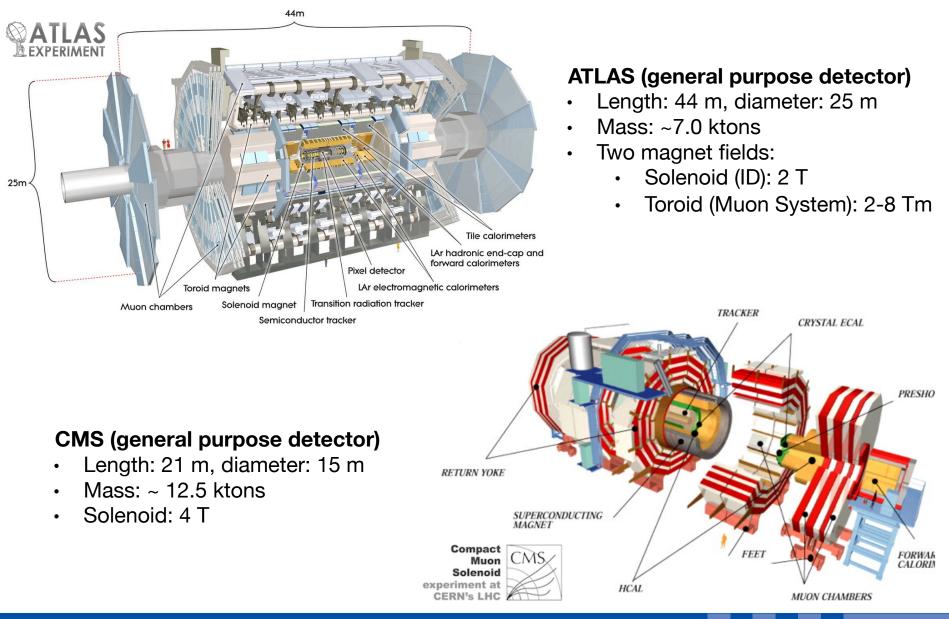
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This talk will cover <u>some of the latest analyses and some of the most important results</u> achieved by ATLAS and CMS <u>but not all</u>. Please, visit:

- ATLAS Public Results: <u>https://twiki.cern.ch/twiki/bin/view/AtlasPublic</u>
- CMS Public Results: <u>https://twiki.cern.ch/twiki/bin/view/CMSPublic/PhysicsResults</u>

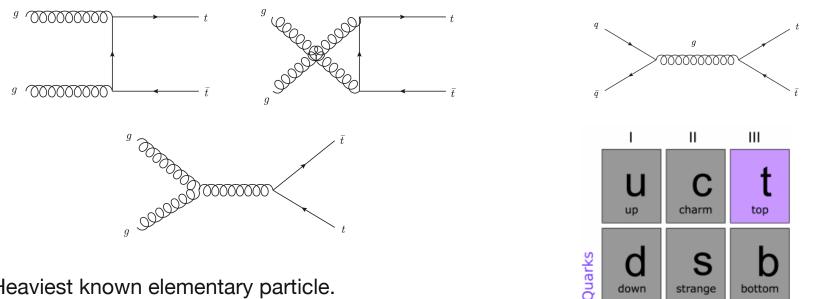
ATLAS and CMS detectors



Top quark Physics Introduction

The top quark was discovered by the Tevatron experiments, *CDF* and *D0*, at Fermilab in 1995. Tevatron Run-II (10³² cm⁻² s⁻¹ @ 1.96 TeV): ~2 top pair every hour.

- The LHC is a top quark factory:
- At low luminosity (i.e. 10^{32} cm⁻² s⁻¹ @ 7 TeV): ~60 top pair every hour.
- At design luminosity (i.e. 10³⁴ cm⁻² s⁻¹ @ 14 TeV): ~8 top pair every second.
- Top production is dominated by gluon fusion (85% $gg \rightarrow tf$, 15% $q\bar{q} \rightarrow tf @ 7$ TeV)



- Heaviest known elementary particle.
- Smallest cross-section of all of the SM particles.
- Short lifetime ($\tau_t \approx 5 \cdot 10^{-25}$ s) \Rightarrow top-quark decays into high p_T particles before hadronizing.
- Unique quark: only quark whose most of its properties can be directly measured!!!
- Production: top pairs and single top processes.

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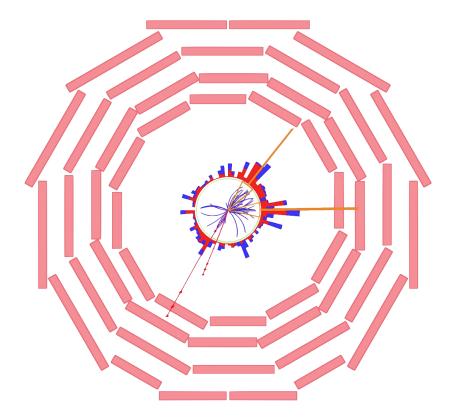
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First top quark pair candidates @ LHC



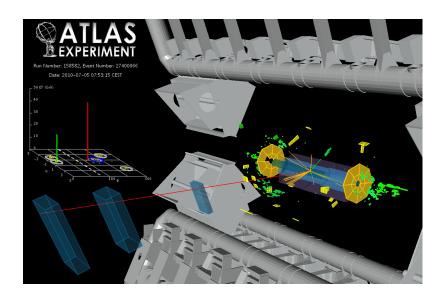
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A candidate for production of a top quark pair in CMS, where both top quarks decay into a *W* and a *b*-quark, and both *W* particles decay into a μ and ν . This results in 2 μ (red tracks), 2 jets tagged as *b*-quark jets and missing energy (from the escaping neutrinos).



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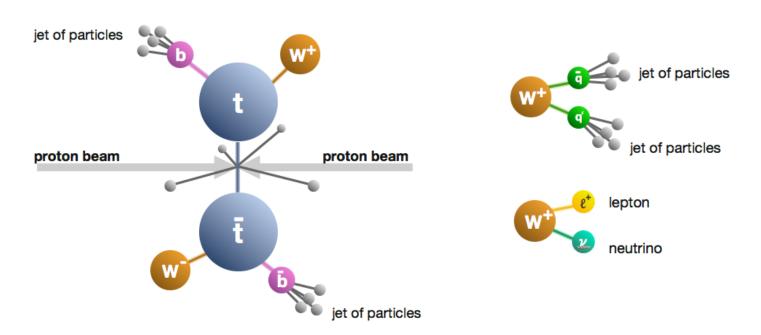


Event display of the *e*- μ dilepton candidate. The isolated μ track is shown in red, the isolated *e* is shown as a green track pointing to a green calorimeter energy cluster. The *b*-tagged jet is marked as a blue circle in the η - φ lego plot on the left side of the figure. The direction of the missing transverse energy is shown as a dashed line in the η - φ lego plot.

Top quark Physics Introduction

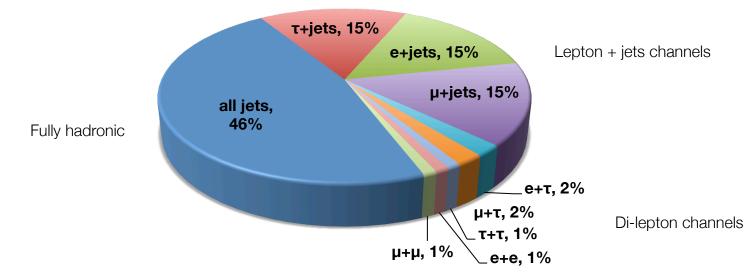
The top quark decays almost exclusively (>99%, i.e. $|V_{tb}| \approx 0.999$) to $t \rightarrow Wb$ (LO).

- *b*-quark will always hadronize generating a jet of particles.
- W decays define the final state topology.



Top quark pairs production

Top decay modes and selections



Top-quark pair branching ratios for different topologies

Fully hadronic channel (@ LO):

- Largest statistics: 6 high p_T jets in the final state (4 light jets and 2 b-jets).
- No leptons to trigger on. Important presence of multijets background (low S/B).

Di-lepton channel (@ LO):

- Clean in terms of trigger and selection: 2 high p_T isolated leptons and 2 high p_T b-jets.
- 2 neutrinos in the final state which can introduce reconstruction ambiguities due to the high E_T^{miss}.

Lepton + jets channel (@ LO):

- Large statistics: 4 high p_T jets in the final state (2 light jets and 2 b-jets) and 1 high p_T isolated lepton → high trigger efficiency and good multijets background rejection.
- 1 neutrino in the final state which is easy to reconstruct using E_T^{miss} .

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Top-quark mass @ 7 TeV



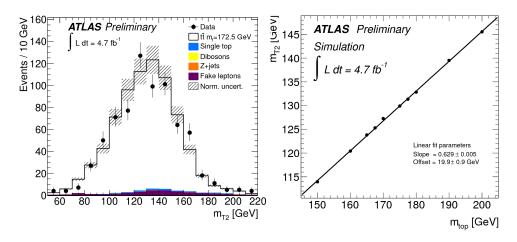
ATLAS 4.7 fb⁻¹ ATLAS-CONF-2012-082

Di-lepton event selection

Based on the transverse mass (m_{T_2}) measurement.

 m_{T2} < 220 GeV (reject events with at least one wrongly identified b-jet: eff. 92%)

Calibration using MC samples with different input top-quark masses including all expected backgrounds

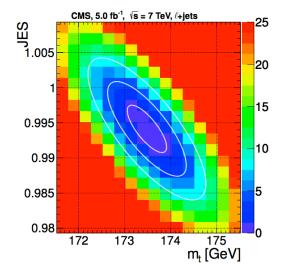


 m_t (7TeV, 4.7 fb⁻¹) = 175.2 ± 1.6 (stat.) +^{3.1}-_{2.8} (syst.) GeV



Lepton + jets event selection

Kinematic fit to reconstruct the *tf* topology (all permutations are considered) and 2D likelihood functions for each event to estimate simultaneously both the top quark mass and the JES.



The ellipses correspond to statistical uncertainties on m_t and JES of one, two, and three standard deviations.

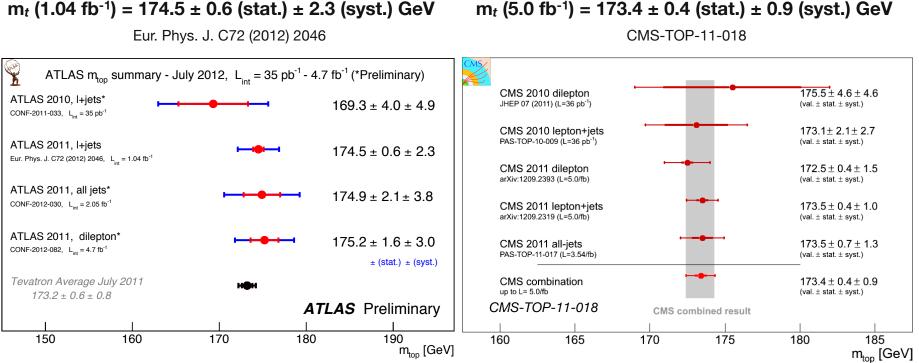
 m_t (7TeV, 5.0 fb⁻¹) = 173.49 ± 0.43 (stat.) ± 0.98 (syst.) GeV JES = 0.994 ± 0.003 (stat.) ± 0.008 (syst.)

- Main backgrounds: *Z*+jets and *W*+jets and top production
- Main Systematics (ATLAS): JES, b-JES, Color recon. and MC modeling.
- Main Systematics (CMS): JES, b-JES, JER, Renorm. and factorization scale and Fit calib.

Top quark mass @ 7 TeV

Top quark mass is being measured in the 3 channels.

The most precise top-quark measurements are from **lepton + jets** analyses.



 m_t (5.0 fb⁻¹) = 173.4 ± 0.4 (stat.) ± 0.9 (syst.) GeV

ATLAS and CMS results are compatible between them as well as with CDF and D0 results:

 m_t (Tevatron comb. 2012, 5.8 fb⁻¹) = 173.18 ± 0.56 (stat.) ± 0.75 (syst.) GeV



CDF and D0 5.8 fb⁻¹ arXiv:1207.1069 [hep-ex]

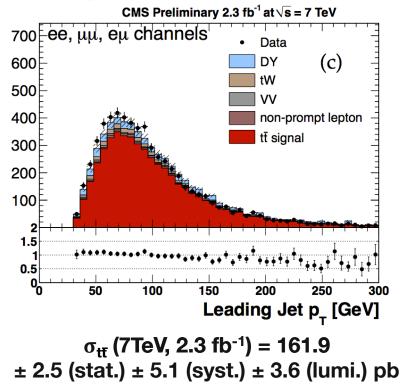
Top quark pair cross section @ 7 TeV



CMS 2.3 fb⁻¹ CMS-PAS-TOP-11-005

Di-lepton event selection

Cross section measurement using a profile likelihood ratio (and cut and count analysis as a cross-check).



Main Systematics: lepton efficiencies, W BR fraction and Et^{miss} efficiency.



ATLAS 4.7 fb⁻¹ ATLAS-CONF-2012-131

Lepton + jets event selection

Soft Muon Tagging (SMT) technique: Semileptonic b decays are identified by a low p_T muon close to a jet.

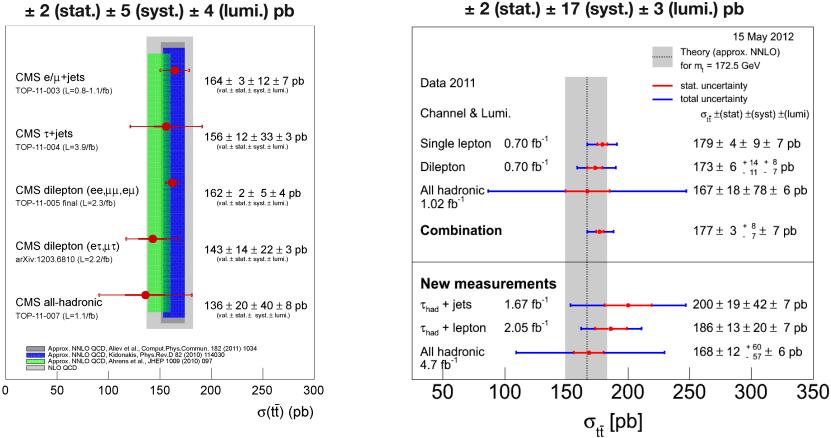
 $N_{\rm data} - N_{\rm bkg}$ Top quark pair cross $\sigma_{t\bar{t}} =$ $\int L dt \cdot \epsilon \cdot BR(\text{noFullHad})$ section is computed with: tagged e + \geq 3 jets ATLAS Preliminary ம் 3500E Data ö $L dt = 4.66 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ g 3000 W+jets Multijets 2500 Other uncertainty 2000 1500 1000 500 Data / Prediction 0.7 SMT muon prel [GeV] $\sigma_{\rm tf}$ (7TeV, 4.66 fb⁻¹) = 165

- \pm 2 (stat.) \pm 17 (syst.) \pm 3 (lumi.) pb
- Main Systematics: JES, NLO generator, PDF and $b \rightarrow \mu X$ BR.
- Main backgrounds: multijets, W+jets and top production.

Top quark pair cross section @ 7 TeV

Top guark cross section is being measured in the various channels (lepton+jets, di-lepton, all-hadronic, τ +lepton, τ +jets, lepton+jets using semileptonic decays).

The most precise top guark cross section measurement are from di-lepton (CMS) and lepton + jets (ATLAS) analyses.



σ_{tt} (7TeV, 2.3 fb⁻¹) = 162

ATLAS and CMS results are compatible between them and... In agreement with SM prediction (approx. NNLO): σ_{tt} (7TeV) = 167 ± 18 pb.

HATHOR 1.2 .. Aliev et al. 2011. arXiv 1007.1327

 $\sigma_{\rm tf}$ (7TeV, 4.7 fb⁻¹) = 165

Top quark pair cross section @ 8 TeV

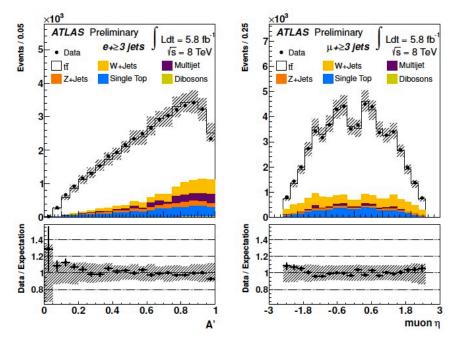
Lepton + jets analyses



ATLAS 5.8 fb⁻¹ ATLAS-CONF-2012-149

Similar to 7 TeV selection with few updates (p_T (e, $\mu) >$ 40 GeV) to reduce multijet background

Kinematic fit using likelihood discriminant function based on lepton η and transformed aplanarity (A'=e^{-8A}).



 σ_{tt} (8TeV, 5.8 fb⁻¹) = 241 ± 2 (stat.) ± 31 (syst.) ± 9 (lumi.) pb

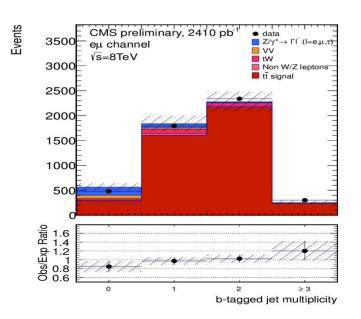
• Main Systematics: MC modeling (generator, ISR/FSR), PDF, PS) and Jet/E_T^{miss} reconstruction.



CMS 2.4 fb⁻¹ CMS-TOP-PAS-12-007

Cut and count analysis.

Very small background contributions \Rightarrow High purity allows precision measurement with 6% overall uncertainty.



 σ_{tt} (8TeV, 2.4 fb⁻¹) = 227 ± 3 (stat.) ± 10 (syst.) ± 10 (lumi.) pb $\sigma(8\text{TeV})/\sigma(7\text{TeV}) = 1.41 \pm 0.11$

Main Systematics: JES (2.5%), lepton efficiencies (1.8%) and JER (1.7%).

Top quark pair cross sections @ 7 TeV and 8 TeV

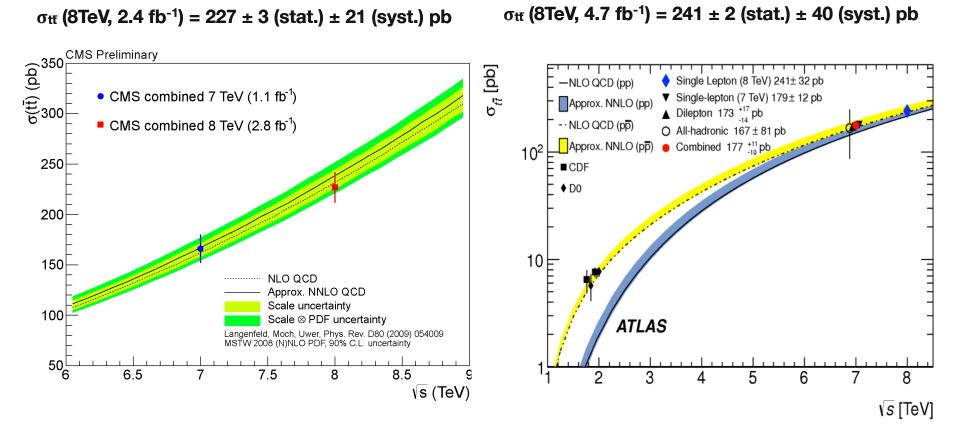


CMS-TOP-11-005 **CMS-TOP-PAS-12-007**



ATLAS-CONF-2012-131 ATLAS-CONF-2012-149

 σ_{tf} (7TeV, 2.3 fb⁻¹) = 162 ± 2 (stat.) ± 9 (syst.) pb σ_{tt} (8TeV, 2.4 fb⁻¹) = 227 ± 3 (stat.) ± 21 (syst.) pb σ_{tf} (7TeV, 4.7 fb⁻¹) = 165 ± 2 (stat.) ± 20 (syst.) pb σ_{tf} (8TeV, 4.7 fb⁻¹) = 241 ± 2 (stat.) ± 40 (syst.) pb



ATLAS and CMS results are compatible between them and... In agreement with theoretical predictions (approx. NNLO):

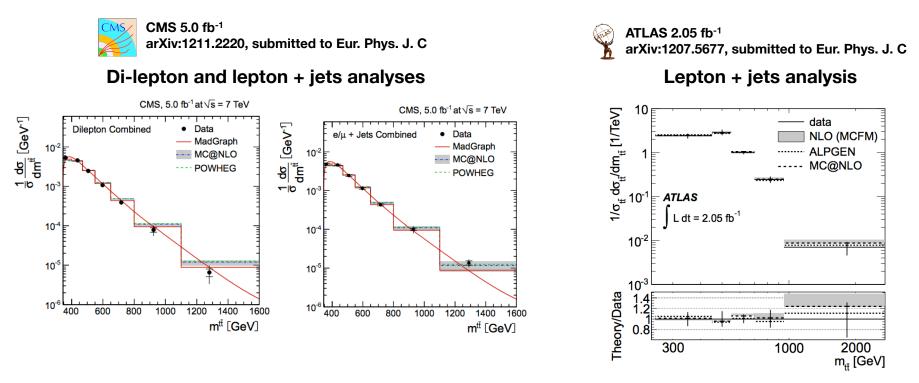
- σ_{tf} (7TeV) = 167 ± 18 pb.
- σ_{tt} (8TeV) = 238⁺²²₋₂₄ pb

HATHOR 1.2., Aliev et al, 2011, arXiv 1007.1327

Top quark pair differential cross section @ 7 TeV

Relative diff. cross section derived as function of m_{tf}, p_T^{tf} and y_{tf}.

Top quarks reconstructed using a likelihood fit (lepton + jets) or probabilistic method (di-lepton).



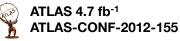
- Unfold detector effects in data (MC migration matrix, no regularization used for ATLAS analysis)
- Correct for acceptance, luminosity and BR fraction.
- Measurements systematics dominated.

No significant deviation from SM expectations are observed.

Top quark pair + jets @ 7 TeV

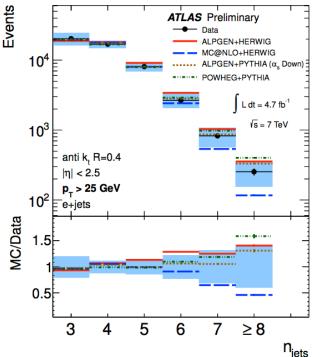
Additional jets in top pair production important for:

- QCD tests at NLO.
- Constraint MC generators \Rightarrow main source of systematic uncertainty in many top analyses.
- ISR/FSR assessment.
- Background to other signals (e.g. top-Higgs associate production).

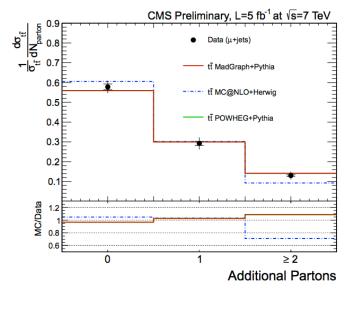


CMS 5.0 fb⁻¹ CMS PAS-TOP-12-018

Measurement done in a fiducial region matching the experimental acceptance.



Additionally: top pair d σ in the number of radiated additional hard partons in the μ +jets channel.



Studies performed for different p_{T} thresholds: 25, 40, 60, and 80 GeV

• Limited by systematic uncertainties, from background modeling (at lower jet multiplicities) to JES (at higher jet multiplicities). Results are mostly compatible with various predictions (disagreement with MC@NLO+HERWIG).

Top quark pair Charge Asymmetry @ 7 TeV

Top pair production is symmetric at LO and slightly asymmetric at NLO because of $q\bar{q}$ annihilation production (top emitted preferentially in q direction).



Lepton + jets event selection

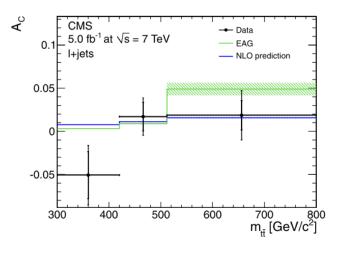
- Inclusive *tf* charge asym. measurement.
- Diff. tf charge asym. measurements (y, p_T and m_{tt})



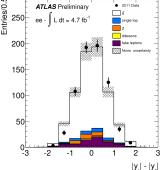
Di-lepton event selection

- Inclusive *tf* charge asym. measurement.
- Lepton (ee, $e\mu$ and $\mu\mu$) charge asymmetry measurement.

Likelihood fit to reconstruct the *tf* event topology. Background subtraction and unfolding (correct for acceptance and detector effects).



 A^{tt}_{C} = 0.004 ± 0.010 (stat.) ± 0.011 (syst.) A^{tt}_{C} (NLO) = 0.0115 ± 0.0006 $A_{\rm C} = \frac{N(\Delta|y|>0) - N(\Delta|y|<0)}{N(\Delta|y|>0) + N(\Delta|y|<0)} \\ {\rm FB \ asymmetry}$



 $A^{\ell\ell}{}_{C}$ = 0.023 ± 0.012 (stat.) ± 0.008 (syst.) $A^{\ell\ell}{}_{C}$ (SM using MC@NLO) = 0.004 ± 0.001

 $A^{tt}_{C} = 0.057 \pm 0.024$ (stat.) ± 0.015 (syst.)

Combination (BLUE): $A^{tt}_{C} = 0.029 \pm 0.018 \text{ (stat.)} \pm 0.014 \text{ (syst.)}$ $A^{tt}_{C} \text{ (SM using MC@NLO)} = 0.006 \pm 0.002$

• Main systematics: Signal and background modeling. Inclusive and differential measurements are consistent with $A_{C}^{tr}=0$ as well as with NLO predictions. top anti-top

Top quark polarization @ 7 TeV

SM predicts non-polarized top guarks in top guark pair production Parity conservation in QCD \Rightarrow deviation will be a hint of new physics (BSM). Kinematic top pair decay reconstruction (top direction in top/anti-top center of mass frame).

 $\cos\theta_l$

Polar angle of

charged lepton in

parent top quark's rest frame

 $\alpha_{1}P = 2f - 1$

quantization axis



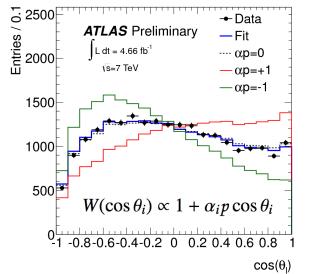
ATLAS 4.66 fb⁻¹ ATLAS-CONF-2012-133

Lepton + jets event selection

Fraction of positively polarized top quarks:

$$f = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{N(\cos \theta_l > 0) - N(\cos \theta_l < 0)}{N(\cos \theta_l > 0) + N(\cos \theta_l < 0)}$$



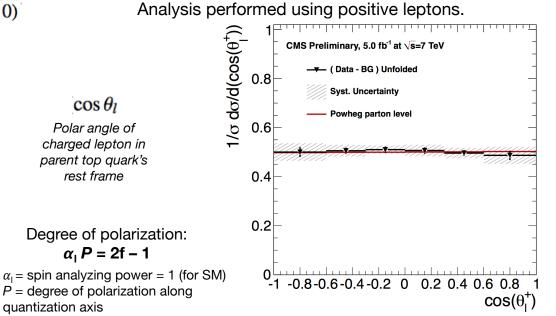




Di-lepton event selection

Kinematic top pair decay reconstruction (top direction in top/anti-top center of mass frame).

CMS 2.3 fb⁻¹



$f = 0.470 \pm 0.009 \text{ (stat)} + 0.023 \text{ (syst)}$

Compatible with SM predictions: f(SM) = 0.5, P (SM) = 0 Main systematics: jet reconstruction and signal modeling.

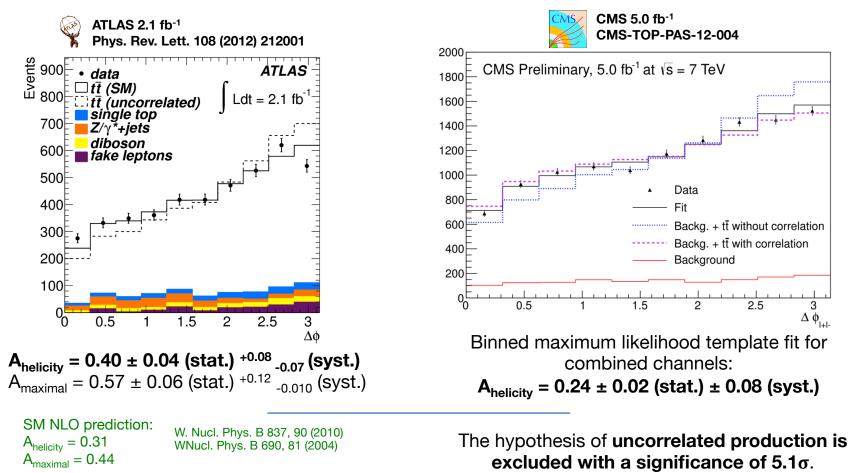
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 $P = -0.009 \pm 0.029$ (stat.) ± 0.041 (syst.)

Di-lepton event selection

Spin correlations between top and anti-top. gg fusion top pair production \rightarrow same helicity for top and anti-top.

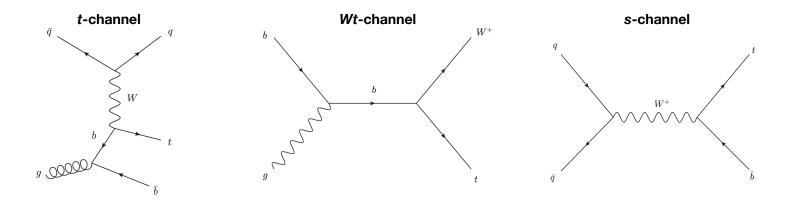
- $\Delta \phi$ between leptons (e/µ) in lab frame.
- Use helicity basis (*tf* rest frame) and "maximal basis".



• Main systematics: fake leptons

Single top-quark production @ LHC

Discovery of the production of single top quarks in 2009 by CDF and by D0.



Production via electroweak interaction

• 3 production mechanisms: *t-channel* (higher σ), *s-channel* and *Wt-channel*.

Motivations for studies of single top quark production

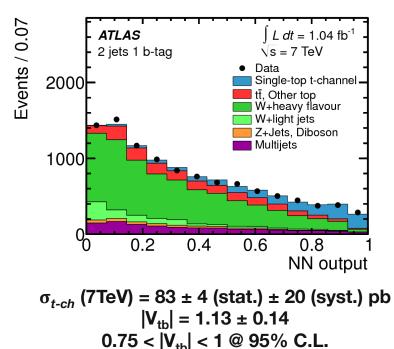
- Cross-section measurement allows to directly access a CKM matrix element: $\sigma \propto |V_{tb}|^2$
- Powerful probe for physics BSM related to EWSB
 - The 3 production modes are sensitive to different forms of new physics: cross-sections, polarization, anomalous couplings, 4th generation, FCNC, W', H+

Single top quark: t-channel cross section @ 7 TeV

Lepton + jets event selection

ATLAS 1.04 fb⁻¹ Phys. Lett. B717 (2012) 330-350

Multivariate analysis with maximum likelihood fit on NN output.

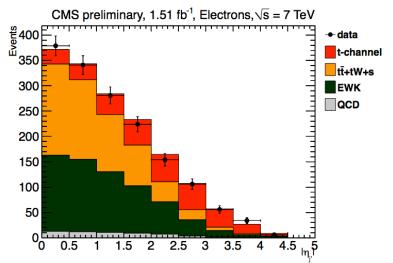


Main Systs: ISR/FSR (14%) and b-tagging modeling (13%).



CMS 1.51 (e) 1.14 (μ) fb⁻¹ CMS-PAS-TOP-11-021

Maximum likelihood fit to the η distribution of the of the light jet.



 $\sigma_{t\text{-}ch}$ (7TeV) = 70.2 ± 5.2 (stat.) ± 10.4 (syst.) ± 3.4 (lumi.) pb $|V_{tb}|$ = 1.04 ± 0.09 (exp.) ± 0.02 (th.)

Main Systs: JES (9%) and W+jets (7%).

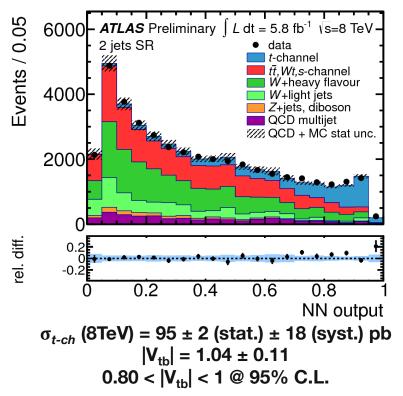
• Main backgrounds: *W*+jets and top production. Both measurement are compatible with theoretical prediction: σ_{t-ch} (7TeV) = 64.6 ± 2.4 pb

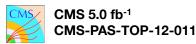
Single top quark: t-channel cross-section @ 8 TeV

Lepton + jets event selection

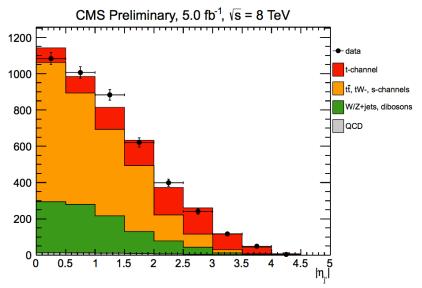


Multivariate analysis with maximum likelihood fit on NN output.





Multivariate analysis exploiting the η distribution of the of the light jet and the m_t.



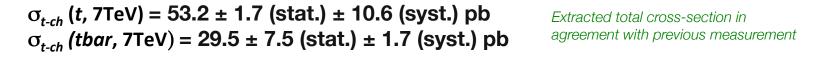
 $\begin{aligned} \sigma_{t\text{-}ch} \ (\text{8TeV}) &= 80.1 \pm 5.7 \ (\text{stat.}) \pm 15 \ (\text{syst.}) \ \text{pb} \\ |\mathsf{V}_{\text{tb}}| &= 0.96 \pm 0.08 \ (\text{exp.}) \pm 0.02 \ (\text{th.}) \\ & 0.81 < |\mathsf{V}_{\text{tb}}| < 1 \ @ \ 95\% \ \text{C.L.} \end{aligned}$

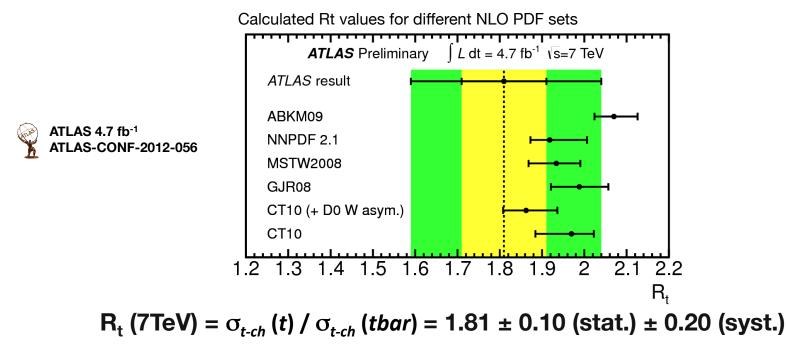
• Main backgrounds: *W*+jets and top production. Both measurement are compatible with theoretical prediction: σ_{t-ch} (8TeV) = 87.86 ± 3.4 pb

Single top quark: t-channel top/anti-top cross section ratio @ 7 TeV

Lepton + jets event selection

- Binned maximum likelihood fit to the output of NN, split according to the charge of the lepton.
- The ratio $R_t = \sigma_{t-ch}(t) / \sigma_{t-ch}(t)$ is sensitive to PDFs and new physics.

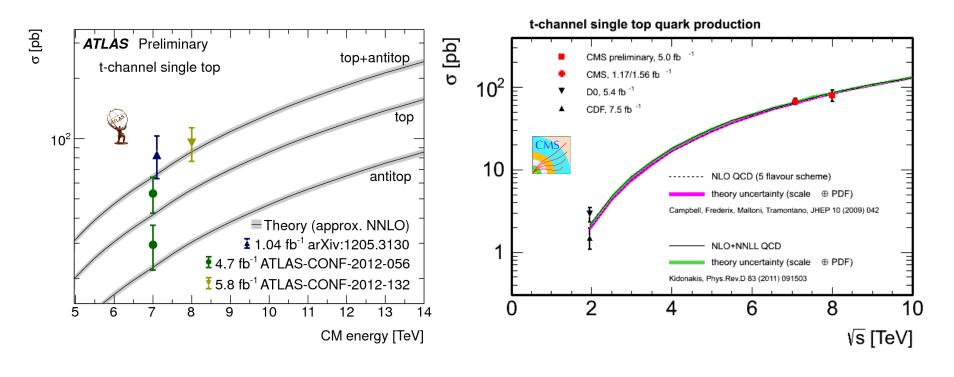


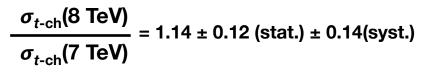


- Main backgrounds: multijets, *W*+jets and top pairs.
- Main Systematics: bkg normalization (5%), ISR/FSR (4%) and JES (4%).
- Ratio measurement reduces systematics mainly on lepton eff, JES and top MC gen.

The measurement is in agreement with the predictions that vary between $R_t = [1.86, 2.07]$.

Precision achieved in the cross section measurements at 7 and 8 TeV is comparable with theoretical NLO and NNLO predictions.

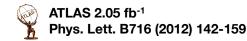




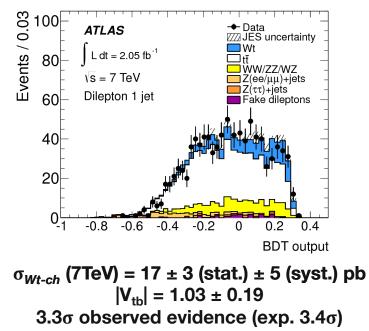
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Single top quark: Wt associated production

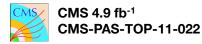
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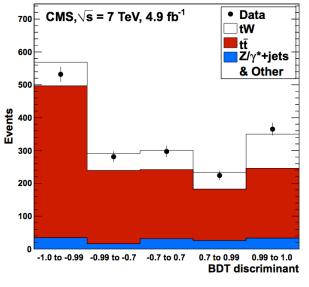
Multivariate analysis with profile likelihood fit on boosted decision tree (BDT) output. Combined fit of 1-jet, 2-jet and ≥3-jets channels.



Main Systematics: JES (16%), PS modeling (15%), data stats. (17%).



Multivariate analysis with on BDT output. Combined fit of 1-jet, 2-jets channels.



 $σ_{Wt-ch}$ (7TeV) = 16 ± 5 (stat. + syst.) pb 4.0σ observed evidence (exp. 1.8 ± 0.9 σ)

Main Systematics: b-tag (10%), Q² (15%), generator model (~9%).

• Main backgrounds: top production. Both measurement are compatible with theoretical prediction: σ_{Wt-ch} (theory) = 15.7 ± 1.1 pb

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Search for resonances decaying to top quark pairs

High mass top pair resonances can lead to strongly boosted top decays:

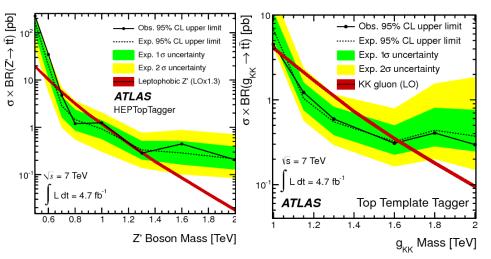
top decay products start to merge

ATLAS 4.7 fb⁻¹ CERN-PH-EP-2012-291

Fully hadronic event selection

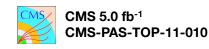
2 massive jets with large $\ensuremath{p_{\text{T}}}$ with associated b-quark decay. Two different methods:

- HEPTopTagger (fat-jets)
- Top Template Tagger (comparison with patterns of E deposition from MC decays).



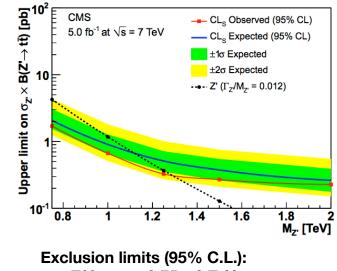
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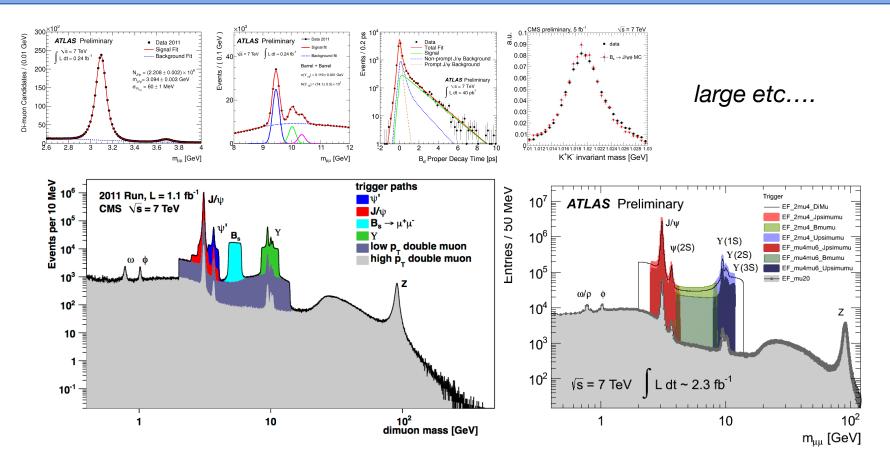
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Heavy flavor mass and lifetime measurements



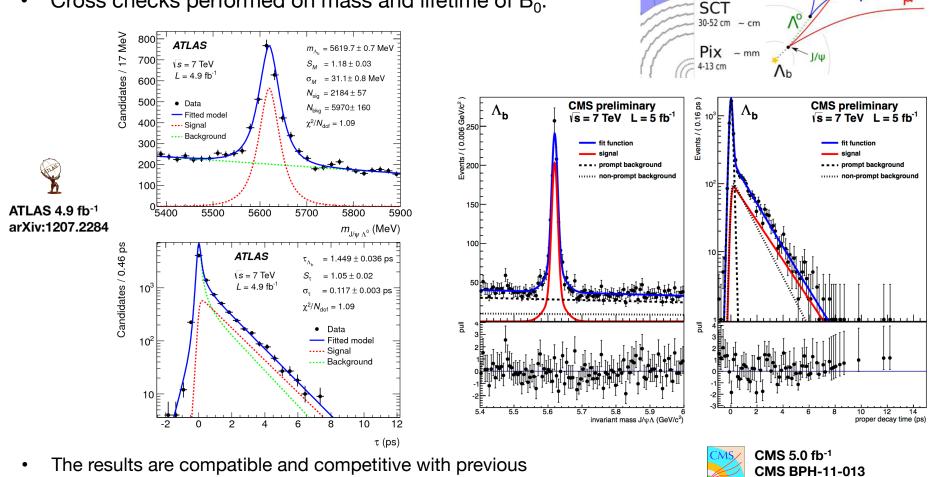
All mass and lifetimes measurements in the charm, onia and beauty production are consistent with PDG values.

• <u>Impossible to review all the measurements here</u> so I will show you only one of the latest measurements.

$\Lambda_{\rm b}$ (nS) lifetime and mass measurements

Measurement performed on the decay $\Lambda_b \rightarrow J/\psi \Lambda^0 \rightarrow \mu \mu \rho \pi$, with mass constraints.

• Cross checks performed on mass and lifetime of B₀.



The results are compatible and competitive with previous best measurements:

 $m(\Lambda_b) = 5619.7 \pm 0.7 \text{ (stat.)} \pm 1.1 \text{ (syst.) MeV}$ $\tau(\Lambda_b) = 1.449 \pm 0.036 \text{ (stat.)} \pm 0.017 \text{ (syst.) ps}$ $\tau(\Lambda_b) = 1.503 \pm 0.052$ (stat.) ± 0.031 (syst.) ps

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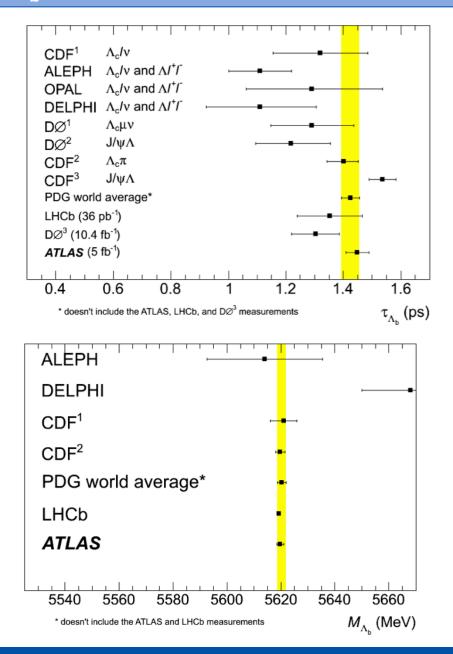
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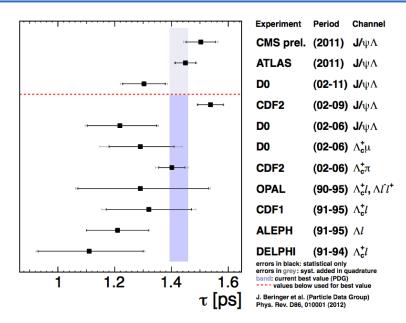
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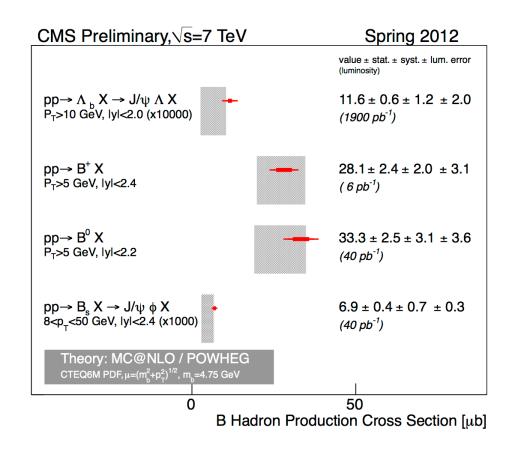
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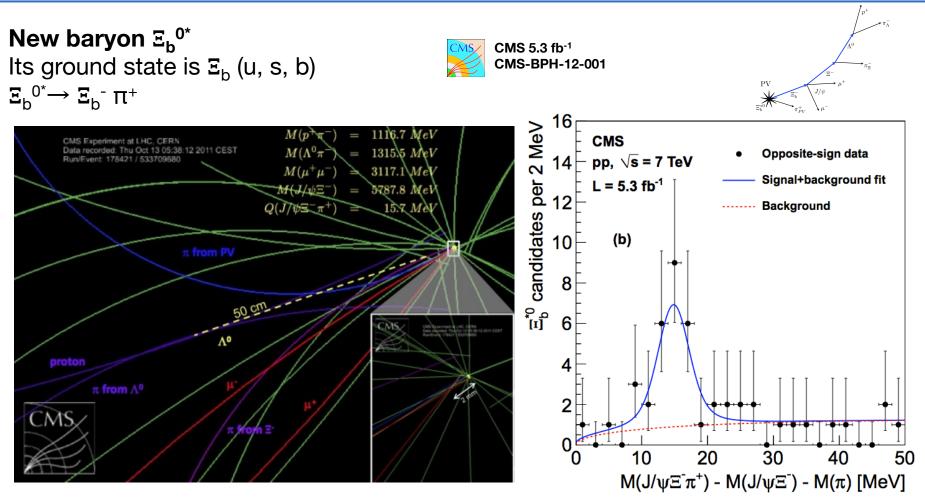


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Cross section measurements mostly in agreement with NLO predictions.

Observation of new particle states



A peak is observed in the distribution of the $m(\Xi_b^- \pi^+) - [m(\Xi_b^-) + m(\pi^+)]$ with a significance exceeding 5σ .

m $(\Xi_b^{0^*}) = 5745.0 \pm 0.7$ (stat.) ± 0.3 (syst.) ± 2.7 (PDG) MeV

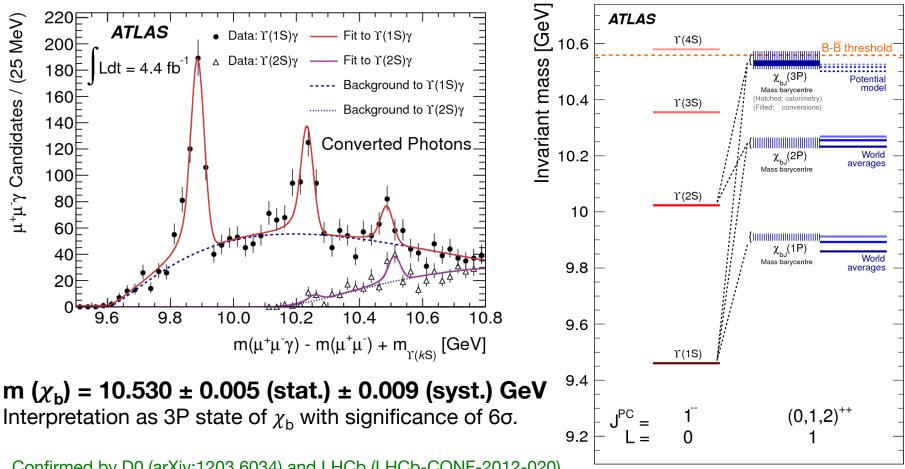
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New $\chi_{\rm b}$ (*bb*) quarkonium state

Search for radiative decays of $\chi_{\rm b}$ (nP) $\rightarrow \Upsilon(iS)\gamma \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-\gamma$ with i=1,2. Mass balance built as $m(\mu\mu\gamma) - [m(\mu\mu) + m(\Upsilon(iS))]$ and fitted.

ATLAS 4.4 fb⁻¹ Phys. Rev. Lett. 108 (2012) 152001

Observed bottomonium radiative decays in ATLAS, $L = 4.4 \text{ fb}^{1}$



Confirmed by D0 (arXiv:1203.6034) and LHCb (LHCb-CONF-2012-020)

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Conclusions

ATLAS and CMS have a very rich top quark and heavy flavor physics program.

• This could <u>never</u> be a complete summary!

After the discovery of the top quark at the Tevatron and its "re-discovery" at the LHC, the era of **precision measurements** of its properties has come!

- High production cross section at LHC: top factory!
- Measurements being performed at 7 TeV and 8 TeV.

Top quark physics can answer fundamental questions.

- SM precision measurements.
- Production mechanism: mass, cross section, $|V_{tb}|$ and angular distributions, etc...
- Direct search for resonances.
- Top production is background for most of searches and Higgs production.
- Top quark measurements as a powerful probe of physics BSM.

Heavy Flavor:

- Mass and lifetime measurements.
- Observations of new states.
- Inclusive and exclusive production cross sections.
- Test of BSM phenomena.

So far no hint of new physics or discrepancies from SM.

- In good agreement with SM predictions.
- Generally current precisions are comparable to theoretical predictions.

All measurements are limited by systematic uncertainties.

- New data being analyzed, need to improve our understanding of detector (calibrations) and MC simulation of fundamental processes.
- Higher energy collisions will come with higher pile-up, but not a show stopper.

Looking forward to calibrate and refine the analysis using full statistics at 8 TeV!

• Stay tuned!

Thank you very much for your attention!

Backup slides

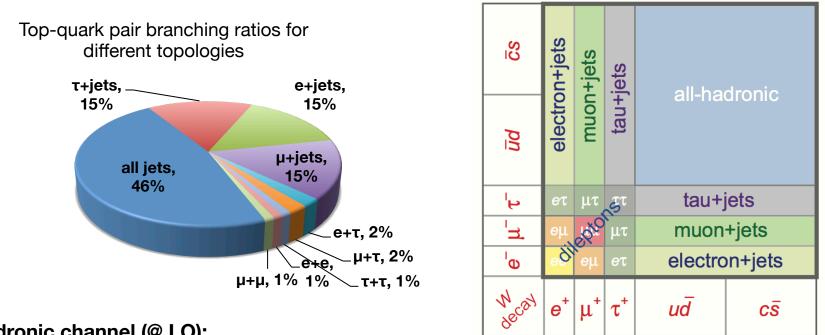


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Top decay modes and selections



Fully hadronic channel (@ LO):

- Largest statistics: 6 high p_T jets in the final state (4 light jets and 2 b-jets).
- No leptons to trigger on. Important presence of multijets background (low S/B).

Di-lepton channel (@ LO):

- Clean in terms of trigger and selection: 2 high p_T isolated leptons and 2 high p_T b-jets.
- 2 neutrinos in the final state which can introduce reconstruction ambiguities due to the high E_T^{miss}.

Lepton + jets channel (@ LO):

- Large statistics: 4 high p_T jets in the final state (2 light jets and 2 b-jets) and 1 high p_T isolated lepton → high trigger efficiency and good multijets background rejection.
- 1 neutrino in the final state which is easy to reconstruct using E_T^{miss} .

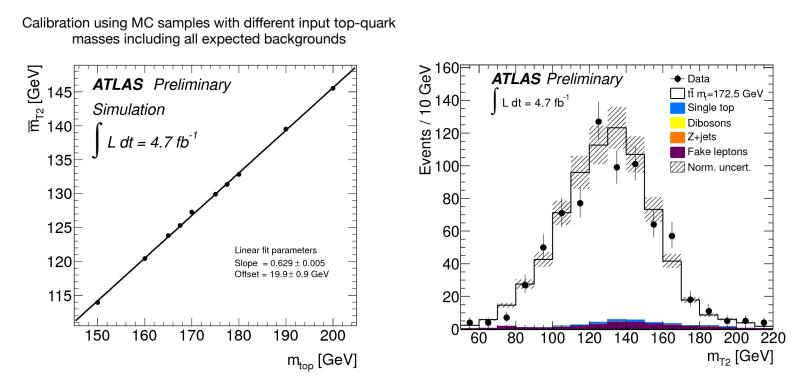
Top-quark mass @ 7 TeV



Di-lepton event selection

Based on the transverse mass (m_{T2}) measurement.

m_{T2} < 220 GeV (reject events with at least one wrongly identified b-jet: eff. 92%)



 m_t (7TeV, 4.7 fb⁻¹) = 175.2 ± 1.6 (stat.) +3.1 -2.8 (syst.) GeV

- Main backgrounds: *Z*+jets and fake leptons from *W*+jets and top production
- Main Systematics: JES, b-jet Energy Scale, Color reconnection and MC modeling.

Top quark mass @ 7 TeV

Lepton + jets event selection

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0.995

0.99

0.985

0.98

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The analysis employs a kinematic fit of the decay products to a *tt* hypothesis (all permutations are considered) and 2D likelihood functions for each event to estimate simultaneously both the top quark mass and the JES.

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m_t (7TeV, 5.0 fb⁻¹) = 173.49 ± 0.43 (stat.) ± 0.98 (syst.) GeV JES = 0.994 ± 0.003 (stat.) ± 0.008 (syst.)

• Main backgrounds: multijets, *W*+jets and top production.

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The ellipses correspond to statistical uncertainties on m_t and JES of one, two, and three standard deviations.

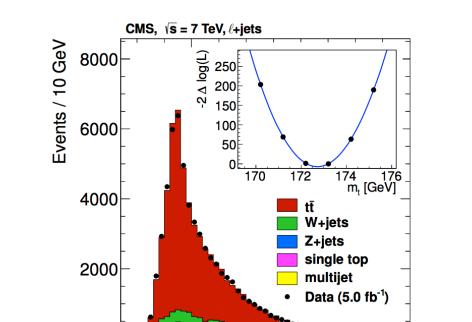
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CMS, 5.0 fb⁻¹, √s = 7 TeV, ℓ+jets

• Main Systematics: JES, b-JES, JER, Renorm. and factorization scale and Fit calib.

175 m_t [GeV]

200



400



600

m^{fit} [GeV]

Dileptonic channel

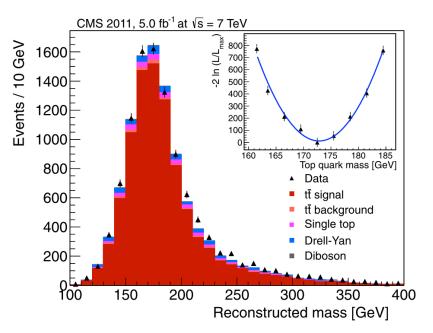
The top-quark mass is reconstructed with an Analytical Matrix Weighting Technique (AMWT) using distributions derived from simulated samples.

A maximum-likelihood fit is used to derive the top-quark mass.

Event selection:

- 2 leptons (e, μ) (p_T>20 GeV), at least 2 jets (p_T > 30 GeV) being at least 1 of them tagged.
- $E_T^{miss} > 40 \text{ GeV}$

Main backgrounds: Z+jets and fake leptons from W+jets and top production



m_t (CMS, 5.0 fb⁻¹) = 172.5 ± 0.4 (stat.) ± 1.5 (syst.) GeV

Main Systematics: Jet Energy Scale, b-jet Energy Scale, Renorm. and factorization scale and Fit calib.

Top quark pair cross section @ 7 TeV



Lepton + jets event selection

Semileptonic *b* decays are identified by a lower p_T muon close to a jet:

• Soft Muon Tagging (SMT) technique.

≥ 4000 ບິ tagged e + \geq 3 jets ATLAS Preliminary 🔶 Data LO 3500 ö $L dt = 4.66 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ Events / 3000 2500 Top quark pair cross section is W+jets Multijets computed with: Other 🕅 uncertainty 2000 $\frac{N_{\text{data}} - N_{\text{bkg}}}{L \, dt \cdot \epsilon \cdot BR (\text{noFullHad})}$ 1500 $\sigma_{t\bar{t}} =$ 1000 500 Data / Prediction 1.3 1.2 0.9 0.8 0.7 0.6 SMT muon p_rel [GeV]

σ_{tf} (7TeV, 4.66 fb⁻¹) = 165 ± 2 (stat.) ± 17 (syst.) ± 3 (lumi.) pb

- Main backgrounds: multijets, *W*+jets and top production.
- Main Systematics: JES, NLO generator, PDF and $b \rightarrow \mu X$ BR.

Dileptonic channel

Cross section measurement using a profile likelihood ratio (counting analysis as a cross-check). Event selection:

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The measured σ_{tt} depends on the value of the top quark mass used to simulate *tf* events:

$$\sigma_{t\bar{t}}/\sigma_{t\bar{t}}(m_t = 172.5) = 1.00 - 0.008 \times (m_t - 172.5) - 0.000137 \times (m_t - 172.5)^2$$

Channel	PLR method	Counting analysis
ee	$168.0\pm 6.6^{+7.6}_{-7.0}\pm 3.7$	$165.9 \pm 6.4 \pm 7.0 \pm 3.6$
μμ	$156.3 \pm 5.6^{+7.7}_{-6.6} \pm 3.5$	$153.8 \pm 5.4 \pm 6.6 \pm 3.4$
еµ	$161.9 \pm 3.1^{+5.8}_{-5.4} \pm 3.6$	$161.6 \pm 3.1 \pm 5.6 \pm 3.6$
Combined	$161.9 \pm 2.5^{+5.1}_{-5.0} \pm 3.6$	$161.0 \pm 2.6 \pm 5.6 \pm 3.6$

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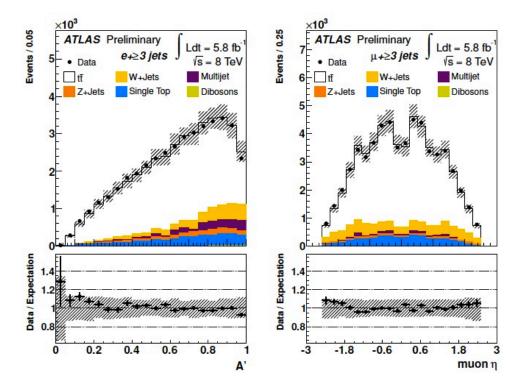
Main Systematics: lepton efficiencies, W BR fraction and E_T^{miss} efficiency.

Semileptonic channel

Selection similar to the one at 7 TeV with few updates to cope with a higher pile-up.

• p_T (e, μ) > 40 GeV

Kinematic fit using likelihood discriminant function based on lepton η and transformed aplanarity (A'=e^{-8A}).



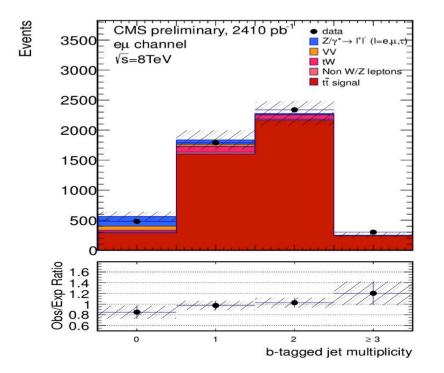
 m_{tf} (ATLAS, 5.8 fb⁻¹) = 241 ± 2 (stat.) ± 31 (syst.) ± 9 (lumi.) pb

Main Systematics: MC modeling (generator, ISR/FSR), PDF, PS) and Jet/E_T^{miss} reconstruction.



Semileptonic channel

Counting experiment. Very small background contributions \Rightarrow High purity allows precision measurement with 6% overall uncertainty.



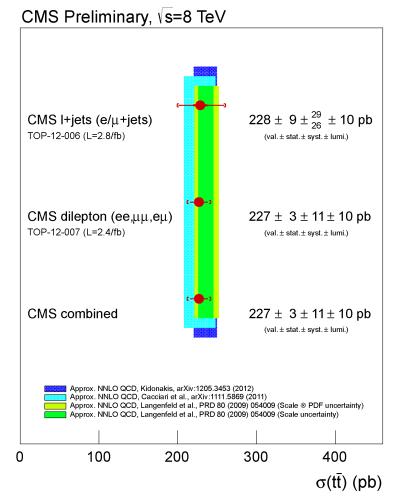
 σ_{tt} (CMS, 2.4 fb⁻¹) = 227 ± 3 (stat.) ± 10 (syst.) ± 10 (syst.) pb cross section ratio: $\sigma(8\text{TeV})/\sigma(7\text{TeV}) = 1.41 \pm 0.11$

Main Systematics: JES (2.5%), lepton efficiencies (1.8%) and JER (1.7%).

Top quark pair cross section @ 8 TeV

Top quark cross section is being measured in the lepton + jets and di-lepton channels.

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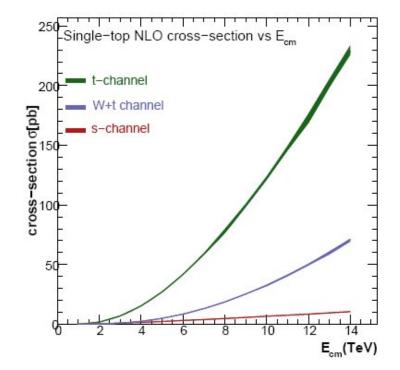


 σ_{tf} (8TeV, 4.7 fb⁻¹) = 241 ± 2 (stat.) ± 40 (syst.) pb No plot available yet for ATLAS

ATLAS and CMS measurements are in agreement with theoretical prediction: σ_{tt} (theory) = 238 ± 24 pb HATHOR, Comput. Phys. Commun., 182 (2011) 1034

Single top quark cross-sections for the different channels

t, s and Wt cross sections predicted at NLO using the MCFM generator.

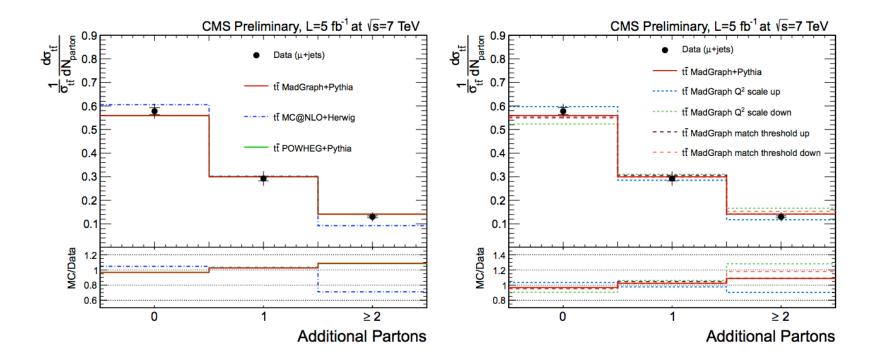


Top quark pair + jets @ 7 TeV

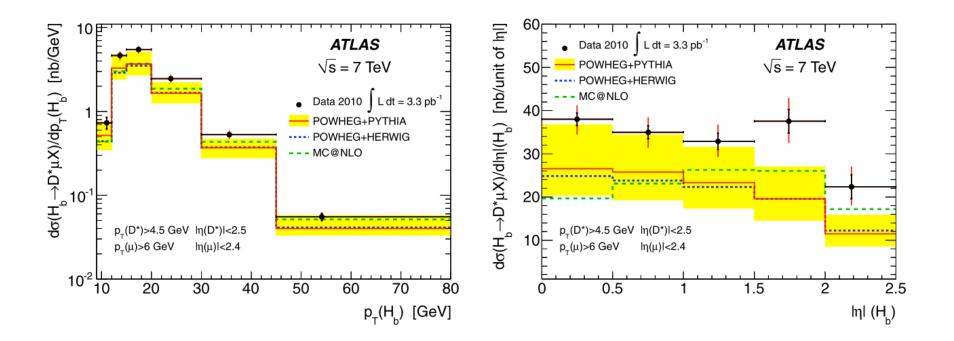


Equivalent measurement in CMS.

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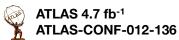
b-hadron production cross section estimated using decays to $D^{*+}\mu^-X$ final states.



Search for resonances decaying to top quark pairs

High mass top pair resonances can lead to strongly boosted top decays:

top decay products start to merge

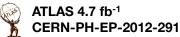


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Use a combination of resolved (standard) and boosted ($\Delta R=1.0$ cone jets for hadronic top) reco schemes.

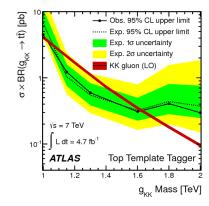
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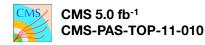
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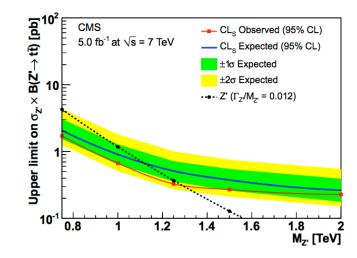
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