

Search for $t\bar{t}H$, $H \rightarrow b\bar{b}$ production in ATLAS

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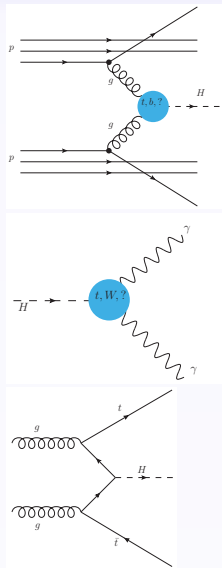
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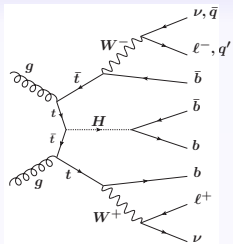
Introduction

- Higgs boson discovered in bosonic decay modes ($H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma, ZZ$)
 - ▶ Higgs mass ~ 125.6 GeV
 - ▶ $J^P = 0^+$ strongly favored
- Evidence for fermionic decay modes:
 - ▶ ATLAS: $H \rightarrow \tau\tau$ (4.1σ)
 - ▶ CMS: combination of $H \rightarrow \tau\tau$ and $H \rightarrow b\bar{b}$ (4.0σ)
- ggH production (and $H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ decays) yield indirect evidence for top-Higgs Yukawa coupling
- Direct measurement of the top-Higgs Yukawa coupling via $t\bar{t}H$ production: $\sigma_{t\bar{t}H} \propto g_{t\bar{t}H}^2$
 - ▶ Sensitive to New Physics (via higher-dimension operators)
 - ▶ Allows probing New Physics in loop-induced couplings ($ggH, H\gamma\gamma, HZ\gamma$)
- Latest results on $t\bar{t}H, H \rightarrow b\bar{b}$



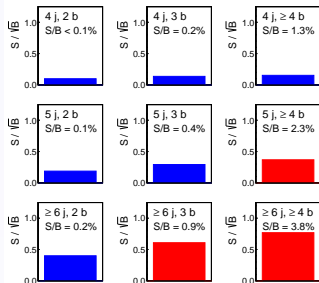
Analysis strategy

- Focusing on $t\bar{t}H$, $H \rightarrow b\bar{b}$ in two $t\bar{t}$ final states:
 - ▶ ℓ +jets: 1 lepton (e or μ), 4 to ≥ 6 jets with 2 to ≥ 4 b -tagged jets
 - ▶ Dilepton: 2 leptons (ee , $\mu\mu$ and $e\mu$) with opposite charge, 2 to ≥ 4 jets with 2 to ≥ 4 b -tagged jets
- Categorize events by jet and b -tag multiplicities
 - ▶ Improve sensitivity by keeping separate regions with different S/\sqrt{B}
 - ▶ Signal-depleted regions used to constrain systematic uncertainties
- Choose suitable discriminant variable in each region (simple kinematic variable for signal-depleted channels, multivariate discriminant in signal-rich channels)
- Perform hypothesis testing including in-situ constraining of systematic uncertainties via global fit to all regions

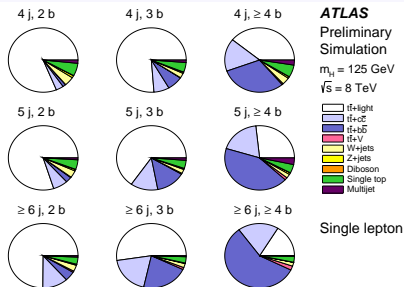


ATLAS Preliminary Simulation
 $\sqrt{s} = 8 \text{ TeV}$, $\int L dt = 20.3 \text{ fb}^{-1}$

Single lepton
 $m_H = 125 \text{ GeV}$



Background modelling



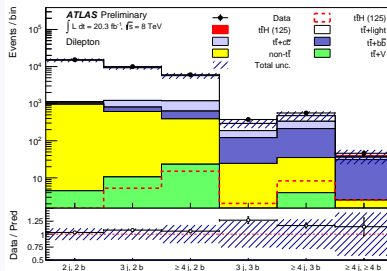
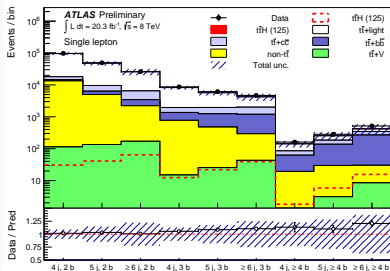
Background samples used:

- $t\bar{t}$ +jets: Powheg+Pythia
- $t\bar{t}Z$, $t\bar{t}W$: Madgraph+Pythia
- W +jets: Alpgen+Pythia
- Z +jets: Alpgen+Herwig
- Dibosons: Alpgen+Herwig
- Single top: Powheg/AcerMC + Pythia
- Multijet: data driven

Main background after selection: $t\bar{t}$ +jets

- Modelling improved by applying MC/data scaling as a function of top p_T and $t\bar{t}$ p_T determined using $\sqrt{s} = 7 \text{ TeV}$ data (ATL-CONF-2013-099)
- Powheg+Pythia modelling of $t\bar{t}$ +HF jets (in normalisation and kinematics) comparable to dedicated ME-PS MCs such as Madgraph.
- Overall rate of $t\bar{t} + b\bar{b}$ and $t\bar{t} + c\bar{c}$ calibrated to data using background-enriched bins in signal-rich regions.

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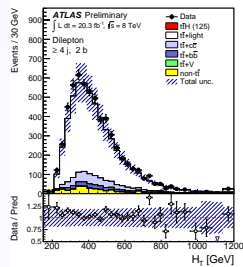
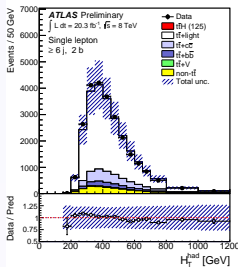
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Signal-to-background discrimination

	2 b -tags	3 b -tags	≥ 4 b -tags
4 jets	H_T^{had}	H_T^{had}	H_T^{had}
5 jets	H_T^{had}	NN	NN
≥ 6 jets	H_T^{had}	NN	NN

	2 b -tags	3 b -tags	≥ 4 b -tags
2 jets	H_T		
3 jets	H_T	NN	
≥ 4 jets	H_T	NN	NN

- Signal-depleted regions:** use $H_T^{had} = \sum p_T^{jets}$ for ℓ +jets and $H_T = \sum p_T^{jets} + \sum p_T^\ell$ for dilepton
- ℓ +jets, 5 jets, 3 b -tags region:** use NN trained to separate $t\bar{t} + b\bar{b}/c\bar{c}$ from $t\bar{t}$ +light jets
- Signal-rich regions:** use NN trained to separate $t\bar{t}H$ from $t\bar{t}$ +jets in each of the region

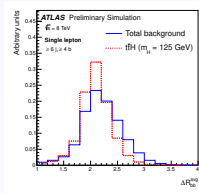


Multivariate discriminants

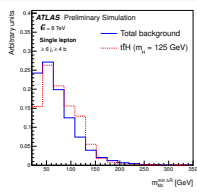
Make use of event kinematics

- Object kinematics: p_T^{jet5} , ...
- Global event variables: H_T^{had} , $N_{p_T > 40 GeV}^{jet}$, ...
- Event shape variables: centrality, Fox-Wolfram moments, ...
- Object pair properties: $M_{bb}^{min\Delta R}$, ΔR_{bb}^{avg} , ...

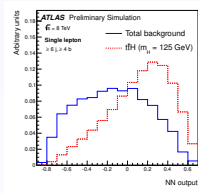
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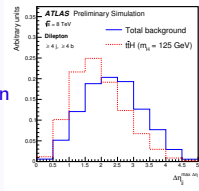
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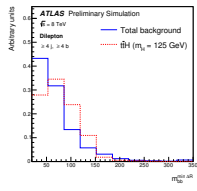
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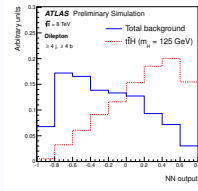
Dilepton



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Systematics uncertainties

Main instrumental uncertainties

- Jet energy scale (split into 22 uncorrelated components)
- b/c /light tagging (split into 6/6/12 uncorrelated components)

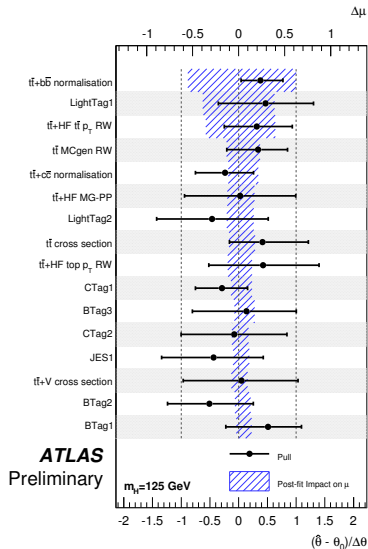
Main $t\bar{t}$ +jets modelling uncertainties

- 9 leading systematic uncertainties from differential cross-section measurement of top p_T and $t\bar{t}$ p_T
- $t\bar{t}$ +light jets
 - ▶ Vary parton shower + fragmentation model (Powheg+Pythia vs Powheg+Herwig)
- $t\bar{t}$ +HF (uncorrelated with $t\bar{t}$ +light uncertainties)
 - ▶ Reweighting of top p_T and $t\bar{t}$ p_T ON/OFF (uncorrelated)
 - ▶ Vary parton shower + fragmentation model (Powheg+Pythia vs Powheg+Herwig)
 - ▶ Vary generator: Powheg+Pythia vs Madgraph+Pythia
 - ▶ Normalisation of $t\bar{t} + b\bar{b}$ and $t\bar{t} + c\bar{c}$ (50% uncorrelated)

Summary of systematics uncertainties

≥ 6 jets, ≥ 4 b tags (pre-fit)

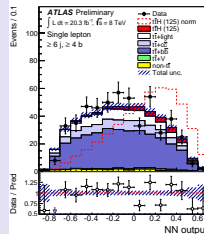
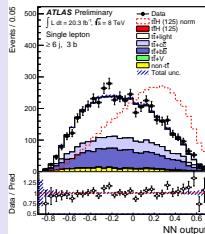
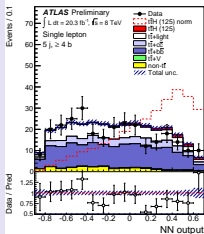
	$t\bar{t}H$ (125)	$t\bar{t} + \text{light}$	$t\bar{t} + c\bar{c}$	$t\bar{t} + b\bar{b}$
Luminosity	± 2.8	± 2.8	± 2.8	± 2.8
Lepton efficiencies	± 1.4	± 1.4	± 1.4	± 1.5
Jet energy scale	± 6.5	± 14	± 10	± 8.2
Jet efficiencies	± 1.6	± 5.4	± 2.5	± 2.4
Jet energy resolution	± 0.1	± 8.5	± 4.1	± 4.3
b -tagging efficiency	± 9.0	± 5.8	± 5.1	± 9.2
c -tagging efficiency	± 1.9	± 7.3	± 14	± 2.8
Light jet-tagging efficiency	± 1.0	± 17	± 4.4	± 1.5
$t\bar{t}$ modelling: reweighting	-	± 11	± 13	± 13
$t\bar{t}$ modelling: parton shower	-	± 7.5	± 1.8	± 10
$t\bar{t}$ heavy-flavour: normalisation	-	-	± 50	± 50
$t\bar{t}$ heavy-flavour: reweighting	-	-	± 11	± 12
$t\bar{t}$ heavy-flavour: generator	-	-	± 2.2	± 2.9
Theoretical cross sections	-	± 6.2	± 6.3	± 6.3
$t\bar{t}H$ modelling	± 1.9	-	-	-
Total	± 12	± 30	± 57	± 56



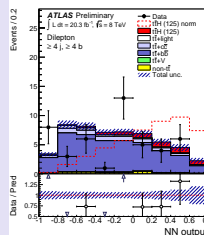
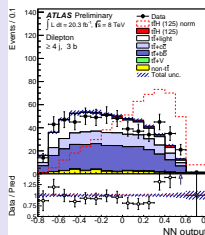
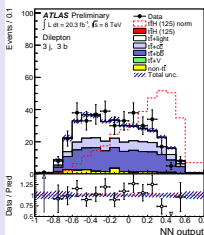
NN output distributions in signal-rich regions

- Perform global fit under S+B hypothesis
- ℓ +jets and dilepton fits consistent with each other
- Fit reduces background uncertainty by a factor ~ 5 -6 in most sensitive regions

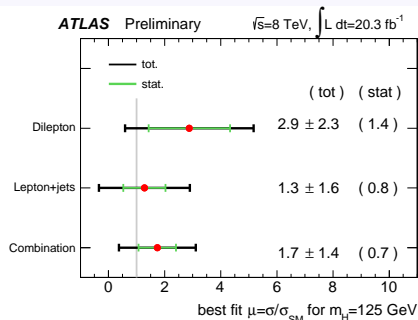
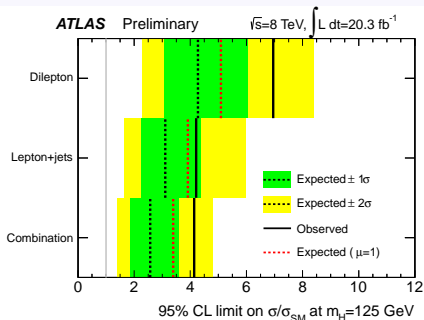
ℓ +jets



Dilepton



Results



Reminder of 7 TeV analysis

ℓ +jets channel

95% CL observed (expected) limit:
 $13.1 \times SM$ ($10.5 \times SM$)

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Combination of ℓ +jets and dilepton channels

95% CL observed (expected) limit:

$4.1 \times SM$ ($2.6 \times SM$)

Best fit $\mu = 1.7 \pm 1.4$

ATLAS-CONF-2014-011

Result consistent with SM prediction.

Summary and outlook

Combination ℓ +jets and dilepton channels

95% CL observed (expected) limit:
 $4.1 \times \text{SM}$ ($2.6 \times \text{SM}$)
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- Most sensitive $t\bar{t}H$, $H \rightarrow b\bar{b}$ result at the LHC
 - ▶ Reminder: CMS @ 8 TeV combination of ℓ +jets, dilepton and τ channels: obs (exp) = 5.2 (4.1) @ $m_H = 125$ GeV, CMS-PAS-HIG-13-019
- Most sensitive $t\bar{t}H$ search in ATLAS for the moment
 - ▶ Reminder: $t\bar{t}H$, $H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$: obs (exp) = 4.7 (5.4) @ $m_H = 126.8$ GeV, ATLAS-CONF-2013-080
- Full program of $t\bar{t}H$ searches in $H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$, $b\bar{b}$, $\tau\tau$ and WW/ZZ underway. Stay tuned!

Thank you for your attention

Event selection

- pp collisions data at $\sqrt{s} = 8$ TeV in 2012: $\mathcal{L}_{int} = 20.3 \text{ fb}^{-1}$
- Single lepton trigger used, $\ell = e, \mu$
- b -tagging: 70% efficiency of tagging b -jets, 1% of light-jets mistag rate

ℓ +jets

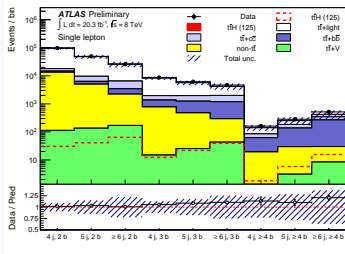
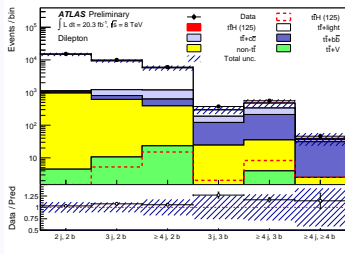
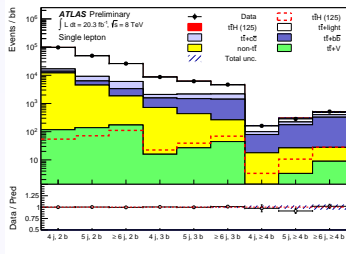
- Exactly 1 lepton with $p_T > 25$ GeV
- At least 4 jets with $p_T > 25$ GeV, with at least 2 b -tagged ones
- Veto on dilepton events

Dilepton

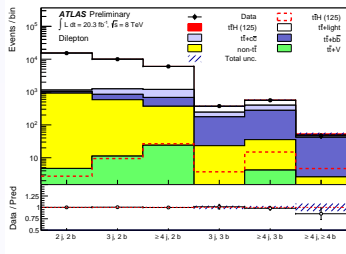
- Exactly 2 leptons of opposite charge with $p_T^1 > 25$ GeV and $p_T^2 > 15$ GeV
- At least 2 jets with $p_T > 25$ GeV, with at least 2 b -tagged ones
- In $e\mu$ channel: $H_T > 130$ GeV
- In ee and $\mu\mu$ channels: $m_{\ell\ell} > 60$ GeV in 2 b -tags channels and $|m_{\ell\ell} - m_Z| > 8$ GeV

Pre-fit and post-fit yields

Effect of the combined S+B fit on yields per channel:

 $l+jets$ 

Dilepton

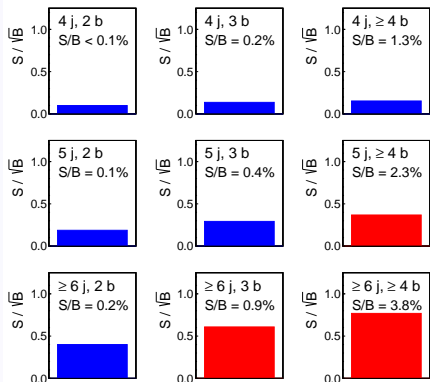


Variables used in ℓ +jets NN

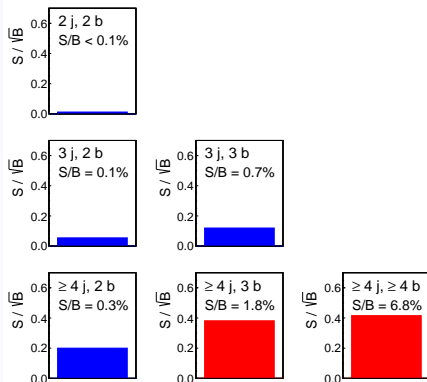
Variable	Definition
Centrality	Sum of p_T divided by sum of E for all jets and lepton
$H1$	2nd Fox-Wolfram moment
$m_{bb}^{\min\Delta R}$	Mass of the combination between two tagged jets with the smallest ΔR
N_{40}^{jet}	Number of jets with $p_T \geq 40$ GeV
ΔR_{bb}^{avg}	Average ΔR for all tagged jet pairs
$M_{jj}^{\max p_T}$	Mass of the combination between any two jets with the largest vector sum p_T
Aplanarity _b	$1.5\lambda_2$, where λ_2 is the second eigenvalue of the 3-dimensional linear momentum tensor built with only tagged jets
H_T^{had}	Scalar sum of jet p_T
$M_{jj}^{\min\Delta R}$	Mass of the combination between any two jets with the smallest ΔR
$\Delta R_{\ell-bb}^{\min\Delta R}$	ΔR between the lepton and two tagged jets with the smallest ΔR
$M_{bj}^{\min\Delta R}$	Mass of the combination between a tagged jet and any jet with the smallest ΔR
$M_{bj}^{\max p_T}$	Mass of the combination between a tagged jet and any jet with the largest vector sum p_T
$M_{uu}^{\min\Delta R}$	Mass of the combination between two untagged jets with the smallest ΔR
p_T^{jet5}	Fifth leading jet p_T
$\Delta R_{bb}^{\max p_T}$	ΔR between two tagged jets with the largest vector sum p_T
$M_{bb}^{\max M}$	Mass of the combination between two tagged jets with the largest invariant mass
$p_{T,uu}^{\min\Delta R}$	Scalar sum of the p_T 's of the pair of untagged jets closest in ΔR
M_{jjj}	Mass of the jet triplets with the largest vectorial sum p_T
$\min\Delta R_{uu}$	Smallest ΔR between untagged jets
$M_{bb}^{\max p_T}$	Mass of the combination between two tagged jets with the largest vector sum p_T

Variables used in dilepton NN

Variable	Definition
M_{bb}	Mass of the two b jets from the Higgs candidate system
H_T	Scalar sum of jet p_T and lepton p_T
p_T^{jet3}	3rd Leading jet p_T
p_T^{jet4}	4th Leading jet p_T
Centrality	Sum of p_T divided by sum of E for all jets
Aplanarity _j	$1.5\lambda_2$ (Second eigenvalue of the momentum tensor constructed from jets)
$H1$	Second Fox-Wolfram Moment
$H4$	Fifth Fox-Wolfram Moment
$\Delta R_{hl}^{\text{max}}\Delta R$	Maximum ΔR between the Higgs candidate and the two leptons
$\Delta R_{hl}^{\text{min}}\Delta R$	Minimum ΔR between the Higgs candidate and the two leptons
H_{30}^{Higgs}	Number of Higgs candidates within 30 GeV of the defined Higgs mass (e.g. 125 GeV)
M_{jj}^{closest}	Dijet mass closest to the defined Higgs mass
$\Delta\eta_{jj}^{\text{max}}\Delta\eta$	Maximum $\Delta\eta$ between two jets in the event
$M_{jj}^{\text{min}}M$	Minimum di-jet mass
$M_{jj}^{\text{max}}p_T$	Mass of the two jet system with maximum p_T in the event
$M_{bb}^{\text{min}}\Delta R$	Mass of the two b-jet system with minimum ΔR in the event
$\Delta R_{bj}^{\text{min}}\Delta R$	Minimum ΔR between b-jets and untagged jets
$\Delta R_{\ell j}^{\text{min}}\Delta R$	Minimum ΔR between leptons and untagged jets
$\Delta R_{bb}^{\text{max}}p_T$	ΔR between the b-jet pair with maximum p_T in the event
$\Delta R_{bb}^{\text{max}}M$	ΔR between the b-jet pair with maximum mass in the event

S/\sqrt{B} plots**ATLAS Preliminary Simulation** $\sqrt{s} = 8$ TeV, J L dt = 20.3 fb⁻¹

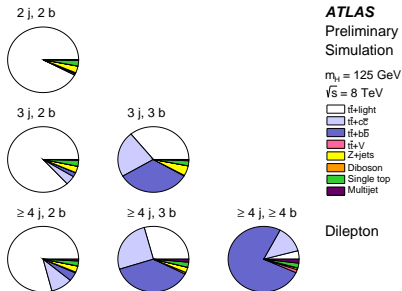
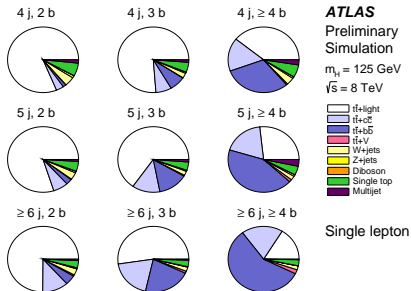
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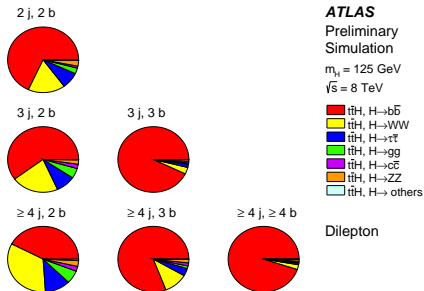
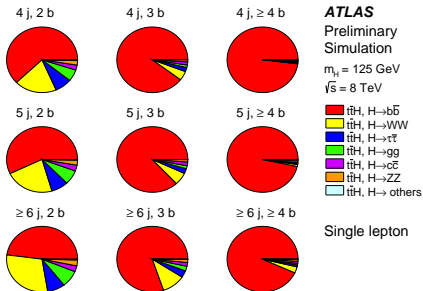
Dilepton

 $m_H = 125$ GeV

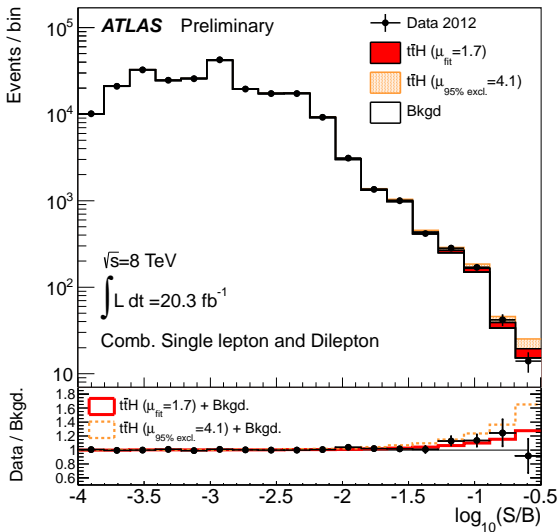
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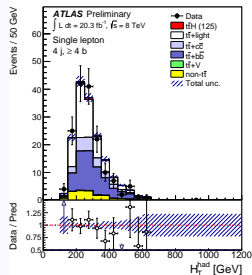
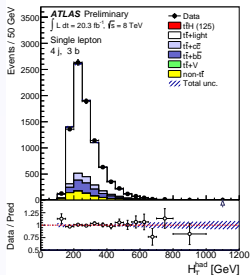
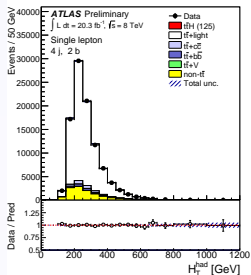
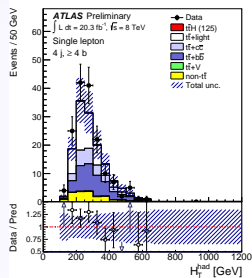
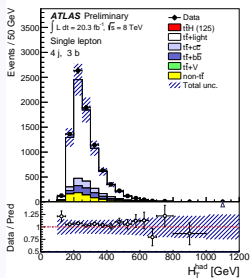
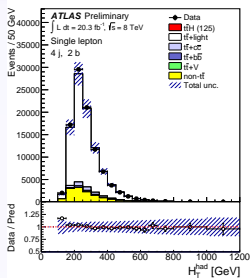
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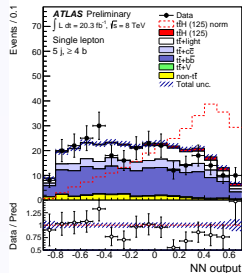
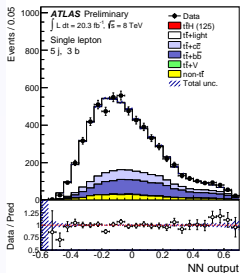
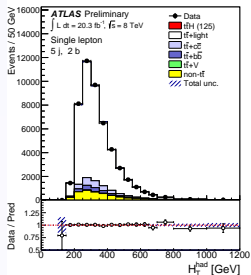
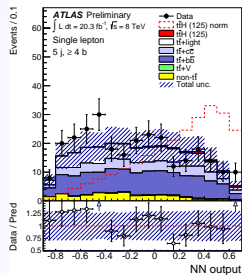
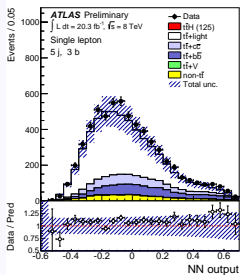
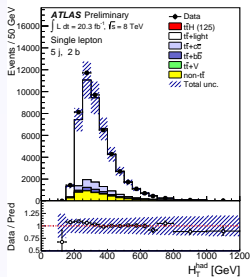
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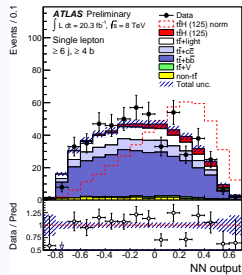
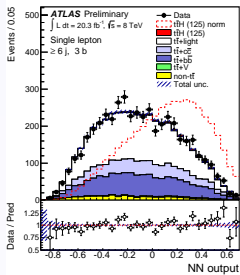
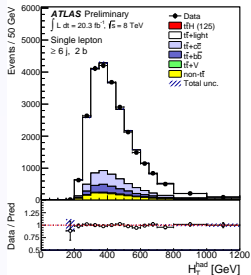
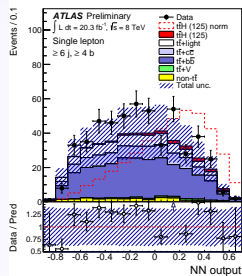
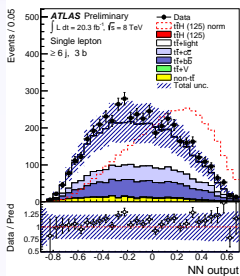
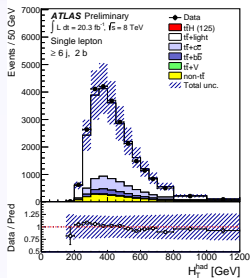


Fit results: single lepton, 4 jets

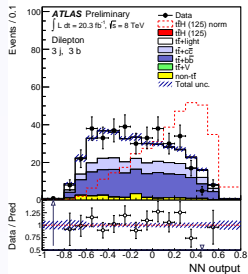
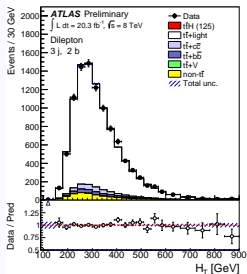
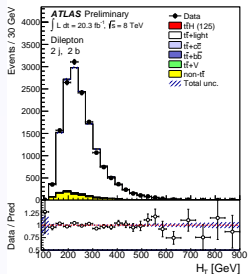
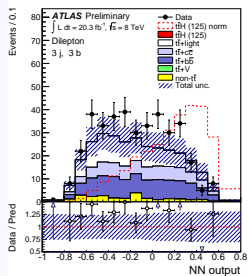
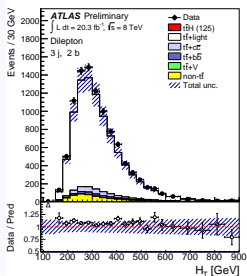
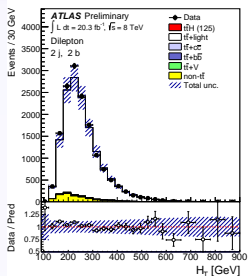


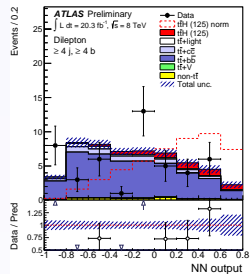
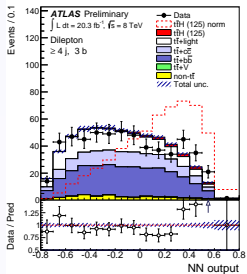
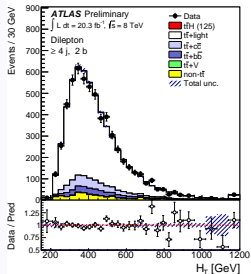
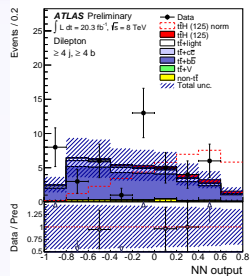
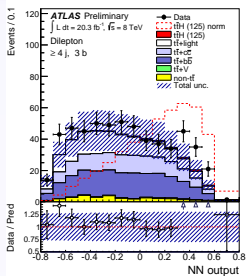
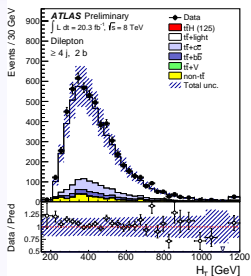
Fit results: single lepton, 5 jets



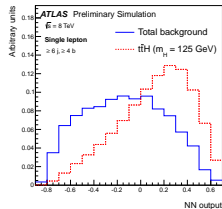
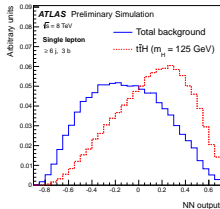
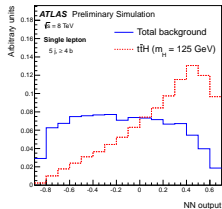
Fit results: single lepton, ≥ 6 jets

Fit results: dilepton, 2 and 3 jets

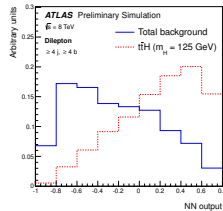
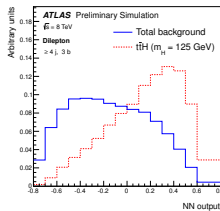
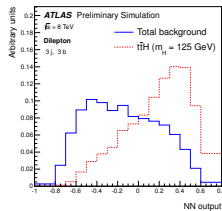


Fit results: dilepton, ≥ 4 jets

NN outputs

 $l+jets$ 

Dilepton



Prefit yields: $l+jets$

	4 jets, 2 b -tags	4 jets, 3 b -tags	4 jets, ≥ 4 b -tags	5 jets, 2 b -tags	5 jets, 3 b -tags	≥ 6 jets, 2 b -tags
$t\bar{t}H$ (125)	$31 \pm 3 \pm 3$	$12 \pm 1 \pm 1$	$1.8 \pm 0.2 \pm 0.2$	$41 \pm 2 \pm 4$	$22 \pm 2 \pm 2$	$64 \pm 5 \pm 7$
$t\bar{t} + \text{light}$	78000 ± 8000	6300 ± 800	55 ± 12	38000 ± 6000	3700 ± 700	19000 ± 5000
$t\bar{t} + c\bar{c}$	3300 ± 1700	590 ± 310	23 ± 12	3300 ± 1700	700 ± 400	3000 ± 1600
$t\bar{t} + b\bar{b}$	1300 ± 700	600 ± 310	43 ± 23	1300 ± 700	800 ± 400	1200 ± 700
$t\bar{t} + V$	113 ± 35	15 ± 5	0.90 ± 0.29	140 ± 40	25 ± 8	170 ± 50
non- $t\bar{t}$	13200 ± 2300	760 ± 110	18.4 ± 3.1	4900 ± 1000	450 ± 80	2000 ± 500
Total	96000 ± 9000	8200 ± 1100	142 ± 32	48000 ± 7000	5700 ± 1000	26000 ± 6000
Data	97450	8692	161	49402	6168	26033

	5 jets, ≥ 4 b -tags	≥ 6 jets, 3 b -tags	≥ 6 jets, ≥ 4 b -tags
$t\bar{t}H$ (125)	$5.8 \pm 0.7 \pm 0.6$	$39 \pm 3 \pm 4$	$16 \pm 2 \pm 2$
$t\bar{t} + \text{light}$	67 ± 16	2200 ± 600	67 ± 20
$t\bar{t} + c\bar{c}$	47 ± 25	800 ± 400	80 ± 40
$t\bar{t} + b\bar{b}$	110 ± 60	900 ± 500	240 ± 130
$t\bar{t} + V$	3.1 ± 1.0	43 ± 14	8.4 ± 2.8
non- $t\bar{t}$	26 ± 5	250 ± 50	22 ± 5
Total	260 ± 70	4200 ± 1100	430 ± 160
Data	283	4671	516

Prefit yields: dilepton

	2 jets, 2 b -tags	3 jets, 2 b -tags	3 jets, 3 b -tags	≥ 4 jets, 2 b -tags	≥ 4 jets, 3 b -tags	≥ 4 jets, ≥ 4 b -tags
$t\bar{t}H$ (125)	$1.5 \pm 0.2 \pm 0.2$	$5.3 \pm 0.4 \pm 0.6$	$2.0 \pm 0.2 \pm 0.2$	$15.1 \pm 0.8 \pm 1.6$	$8.3 \pm 0.6 \pm 0.9$	$2.5 \pm 0.3 \pm 0.3$
$t\bar{t}$ + light	13700 ± 1700	8000 ± 900	105 ± 20	4500 ± 800	138 ± 34	1.6 ± 0.7
$t\bar{t}$ + $c\bar{c}$	100 ± 50	410 ± 210	70 ± 40	560 ± 300	120 ± 70	5.0 ± 2.8
$t\bar{t}$ + $b\bar{b}$	80 ± 40	190 ± 100	100 ± 60	240 ± 130	180 ± 100	29 ± 16
$t\bar{t}$ + V	4.5 ± 1.4	10.6 ± 3.3	0.9 ± 0.3	23 ± 7	4.0 ± 1.3	0.56 ± 0.18
non- $t\bar{t}$	960 ± 140	610 ± 80	24 ± 4	370 ± 60	31 ± 5	2.0 ± 0.4
Total	14800 ± 1700	9300 ± 1000	290 ± 80	5700 ± 1000	480 ± 140	40 ± 17
Data	15296	9997	374	6026	561	46

Postfit yields: l +jets

	4 jets, 2 b -tags	4 jets, 3 b -tags	4 jets, ≥ 4 b -tags	5 jets, 2 b -tags	5 jets, 3 b -tags	≥ 6 jets, 2 b -tags
$t\bar{t}H$ (125)	$54 \pm 3 \pm 44$	$22 \pm 1 \pm 18$	$3.3 \pm 0.3 \pm 2.7$	$72 \pm 2 \pm 59$	$39 \pm 2 \pm 32$	$111 \pm 4 \pm 91$
$t\bar{t}$ + light	80700 ± 1100	6550 ± 150	62 ± 7	40100 ± 800	4000 ± 140	20000 ± 600
$t\bar{t} + c\bar{c}$	2800 ± 800	530 ± 150	21 ± 6	2900 ± 800	670 ± 180	2700 ± 700
$t\bar{t} + b\bar{b}$	1830 ± 280	840 ± 120	61 ± 8	1790 ± 300	1050 ± 150	1500 ± 240
$t\bar{t} + V$	117 ± 35	16 ± 5	0.95 ± 0.29	140 ± 40	27 ± 8	170 ± 50
non- $t\bar{t}$	12000 ± 1100	700 ± 50	16.8 ± 1.6	4400 ± 400	410 ± 40	1670 ± 200
Total	97550 ± 300	8660 ± 80	165 ± 5	49220 ± 220	6190 ± 70	26170 ± 180
Data	97450	8692	161	49402	6168	26033

	5 jets, ≥ 4 b -tags	≥ 6 jets, 3 b -tags	≥ 6 jets, ≥ 4 b -tags
$t\bar{t}H$ (125)	$11 \pm 1 \pm 9$	$69 \pm 3 \pm 57$	$28 \pm 2 \pm 23$
$t\bar{t}$ + light	78 ± 9	2380 ± 130	78 ± 11
$t\bar{t} + c\bar{c}$	45 ± 12	750 ± 190	75 ± 19
$t\bar{t} + b\bar{b}$	149 ± 20	1160 ± 170	300 ± 40
$t\bar{t} + V$	3.3 ± 1.0	44 ± 13	8.9 ± 2.7
non- $t\bar{t}$	23.2 ± 2.5	218 ± 23	18.8 ± 2.2
Total	309 ± 11	4620 ± 80	507 ± 27
Data	283	4671	516

Postfit yields: dilepton

	2 jets, 2 b -tags	3 jets, 2 b -tags	3 jets, 3 b -tags	≥ 4 jets, 2 b -tags	≥ 4 jets, 3 b -tags	≥ 4 jets, ≥ 4 b -tags
$t\bar{t}H$ (125)	$2.7 \pm 0.2 \pm 2.2$	$9.4 \pm 0.5 \pm 7.7$	$3.7 \pm 0.3 \pm 3.0$	$27 \pm 1 \pm 22$	$14.9 \pm 0.6 \pm 12.3$	$4.7 \pm 0.3 \pm 3.9$
$t\bar{t} + \text{light}$	14140 ± 150	8700 ± 140	122 ± 14	4810 ± 130	161 ± 20	2.0 ± 0.4
$t\bar{t} + c\bar{c}$	99 ± 29	390 ± 110	67 ± 18	520 ± 140	119 ± 31	4.9 ± 1.2
$t\bar{t} + b\bar{b}$	121 ± 19	270 ± 40	153 ± 23	320 ± 50	242 ± 35	39 ± 5
$t\bar{t} + V$	4.7 ± 1.4	11.2 ± 3.3	1.0 ± 0.3	24 ± 7	4.2 ± 1.3	0.59 ± 0.18
non- $t\bar{t}$	920 ± 100	570 ± 60	22.3 ± 3.2	340 ± 40	31 ± 4	2.0 ± 0.4
Total	15290 ± 110	9960 ± 80	369 ± 14	6040 ± 60	572 ± 17	53 ± 4
Data	15296	9997	374	6026	561	46

Systematics treatment

	Systematic uncertainty	Type	Components
Detector systematics	Luminosity	N	1
	Electron	SN	5
	Muon	SN	6
	Jet vertex fraction	SN	1
	Jet energy scale	SN	22
	Jet energy resolution	SN	1
	Jet reconstruction efficiency	SN	1
	b -tagging efficiency	SN	6
	c -tagging efficiency	SN	6
	Light jet-tagging efficiency	SN	12
Small backgrounds	$t\bar{t}$ cross section	N	1
	$t\bar{t}V$ cross section	N	1
	Single top cross section	N	1
	Diboson+jets normalisation	N	1
	W +jets normalisation	N	3
	$W p_T$ correction	SN	1
	Z +jets normalisation	N	2
	$Z p_T$ correction	SN	1
	Multijet normalisation	N	3
	Multijet shape dilepton	S	1
$t\bar{t}$ modelling	$t\bar{t}$ modelling: parton shower	SN	2
	$t\bar{t}$ modelling: reweighting	SN	9
	$t\bar{t}$ modelling: reweighting heavy flavor	SN	2
	$t\bar{t}$ +heavy-flavour normalisation	N	2
	$t\bar{t}$ +heavy-flavour shape	SN	5
	$t\bar{t}H$ modelling	SN	2

S = shape systematics
N = normalisation

Dominant systematics:

- $t\bar{t}$ +HF normalisation
- Flavour-tagging
- $t\bar{t}$ reweighting

Perform likelihood fit to data taking into account systematics uncertainties as nuisance parameters

Systematics, pre-fit and post-fit, single lepton

 $\geq 6 j, \geq 4 b$

	Pre-fit				Post-fit			
	$t\bar{t}H$ (125)	$t\bar{t} + \text{light}$	$t\bar{t} + c\bar{c}$	$t\bar{t} + b\bar{b}$	$t\bar{t}H$ (125)	$t\bar{t} + \text{light}$	$t\bar{t} + c\bar{c}$	$t\bar{t} + b\bar{b}$
Luminosity	± 2.8	± 2.8	± 2.8	± 2.8	± 2.6	± 2.6	± 2.6	± 2.6
Lepton efficiencies	± 1.4	± 1.4	± 1.4	± 1.5	± 1.3	± 1.3	± 1.3	± 1.3
Jet energy scale	± 6.5	± 14	± 10	± 8.2	± 2.6	± 5.9	± 4.2	± 3.5
Jet efficiencies	± 1.6	± 5.4	± 2.5	± 2.4	± 0.7	± 2.3	± 1.1	± 1.1
Jet energy resolution	± 0.1	± 8.5	± 4.1	± 4.3	± 0.1	± 5.6	± 3.7	± 3.9
b -tagging efficiency	± 9.0	± 5.8	± 5.1	± 9.2	± 6.4	± 4.2	± 3.7	± 6.5
c -tagging efficiency	± 1.9	± 7.3	± 14	± 2.8	± 0.8	± 4.0	± 7.8	± 1.6
Light jet-tagging efficiency	± 1.0	± 17	± 4.4	± 1.5	± 0.8	± 14	± 3.7	± 1.2
$t\bar{t}$ modelling: reweighting	-	± 11	± 13	± 13	-	± 5.3	± 6.0	± 6.4
$t\bar{t}$ modelling: parton shower	-	± 7.5	± 1.8	± 10	-	± 2.3	± 0.7	± 4.0
$t\bar{t}$ heavy-flavour: normalisation	-	-	± 50	± 50	-	-	± 29	± 15
$t\bar{t}$ heavy-flavour: reweighting	-	-	± 11	± 12	-	-	± 6.3	± 6.8
$t\bar{t}$ heavy-flavour: generator	-	-	± 2.2	± 2.9	-	-	± 2.2	± 2.8
Theoretical cross sections	-	± 6.2	± 6.3	± 6.3	-	± 4.3	± 4.3	± 4.3
$t\bar{t}H$ modelling	± 1.9	-	-	-	± 1.9	-	-	-
Total	± 12	± 30	± 57	± 56	± 7.2	± 14	± 25	± 14

Systematics, pre-fit and post-fit, dilepton

 $\geq 4 j, \geq 4 b$

	Pre-fit				Post-fit			
	$t\bar{t}H$ (125)	$t\bar{t} + \text{light}$	$t\bar{t} + c\bar{c}$	$t\bar{t} + b\bar{b}$	$t\bar{t}H$ (125)	$t\bar{t} + \text{light}$	$t\bar{t} + c\bar{c}$	$t\bar{t} + b\bar{b}$
Luminosity	± 2.8	± 2.8	± 2.8	± 2.8	± 2.6	± 2.6	± 2.6	± 2.6
Lepton efficiencies	± 2.6	± 2.5	± 2.6	± 2.5	± 2.0	± 2.0	± 2.0	± 2.0
Jet energy scale	± 4.4	± 19	± 8.5	± 6.8	± 2.1	± 7.8	± 3.4	± 3.2
Jet efficiencies	± 0.3	± 5.3	± 1.6	± 0.9	± 0.1	± 2.3	± 0.7	± 0.4
Jet energy resolution	± 0.1	± 13	± 4.2	± 4.2	± 0.1	± 7.9	± 3.8	± 3.9
b -tagging efficiency	± 10	± 7.9	± 5.4	± 11	± 7.2	± 5.3	± 3.8	± 7.3
c -tagging efficiency	± 0.6	± 1.8	± 14	± 0.7	± 0.3	± 1.0	± 6.9	± 0.3
Light jet-tagging efficiency	± 0.7	± 23	± 5.7	± 1.4	± 0.6	± 18	± 4.7	± 1.2
$t\bar{t}$ modelling: reweighting	-	± 11	± 13	± 13	-	± 5.2	± 6.1	± 6.2
$t\bar{t}$ modelling: parton shower	-	± 23	± 0.3	± 1.1	-	± 6.8	± 0.1	± 0.4
$t\bar{t}$ heavy-flavour: normalisation	-	-	± 50	± 50	-	-	± 29	± 15
$t\bar{t}$ heavy-flavour: reweighting	-	-	± 11	± 11	-	-	± 6.0	± 6.4
$t\bar{t}$ heavy-flavour: generator	-	-	± 3.3	± 3.4	-	-	± 3.2	± 3.3
Theoretical cross sections	-	± 6.3	± 6.3	± 6.3	-	± 4.3	± 4.3	± 4.3
$t\bar{t}H$ modelling	± 0.8	-	-	-	± 0.8	-	-	-
Total	± 12	± 43	± 56	± 55	± 7.4	± 21	± 25	± 14

Previous ATLAS result

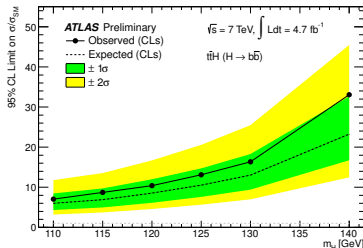
Result can be found in ATLAS-CONF-2012-135

- On 7 TeV data, $\mathcal{L} = 4.7 \text{ fb}^{-1}$
- Using only ℓ +jets channels
- Using $m_{b\bar{b}}$ from a kinematic fit in ≥ 6 jets, ≥ 3 b -tags channels, H_T^{had} in the others
- Using Alpgen as $t\bar{t}$ generator (now Powheg+Pythia)

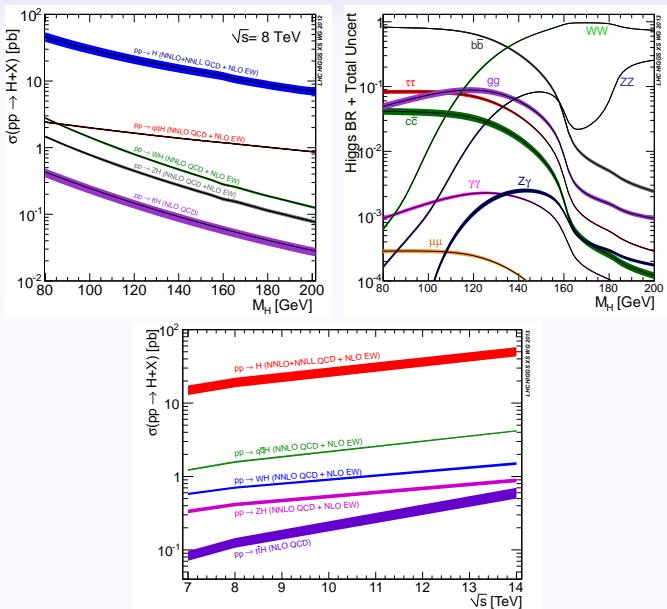
Limit @ 125 GeV

Observed: $10.5 \times \text{SM}$

Expected: $13.1 \times \text{SM}$



Cross section and branching ratios from theory



ATLAS vs CMS: differences in selection

	CMS	ATLAS
Lepton p_T	30 GeV	25 GeV
Muon η	$ \eta < 2.1$	$ \eta < 2.5$
Jet algo	anti- k_T 0.5	anti- k_T 0.4
Jet η	$ \eta < 2.4$	$ \eta < 2.5$
3 leading jets	$p_T > 40$ GeV	$p_T > 25$ GeV
Other jets	$p_T > 30$ GeV	$p_T > 25$ GeV
Other cuts	No E_T^{miss} , no M_T^W	No E_T^{miss} , no M_T^W
B-tagging	70% / 20% / 2%	70% / 20% / 1%

ATLAS vs CMS: Pre-fit yields comparison

Single lepton	5 j, ≥ 4 b		≥ 6 j, ≥ 4 b	
	CMS	ATLAS	CMS	ATLAS
$t\bar{t}H$	5.3	5.8	8.3	16
$t\bar{t}+\text{light}$	79	70	71	70
$t\bar{t}+c\bar{c}$	32	50	52	80
$t\bar{t}+b\bar{b}$	67	110	111	200
S/B	2.7%	2.3%	3.5%	4%
S/\sqrt{B}	0.37	0.36	0.54	0.84

Dilepton	CMS	ATLAS		
	≥ 3 j, ≥ 3 b	3 j, 3 b	≥ 4 j, 3 b	≥ 4 j, ≥ 4 b
$t\bar{t}H$	11.2	2.0	8.3	2.5
$t\bar{t}+\text{light}$	289	105	138	1.6
$t\bar{t}+c\bar{c}$	147	70	120	5
$t\bar{t}+b\bar{b}$	229	100	180	29
S/B	0.02	0.01	0.02	0.06
$S\sqrt{B}$	0.43	0.12	0.39	0.40

ATLAS vs CMS: differences in systematic model

- Many differences in the systematic model
- HF normalisation
 - ▶ CMS: 50% on $t\bar{t} + b\bar{b}$, 50% on $t\bar{t} + b$, 50% on $t\bar{t} + c\bar{c}$ and additional 50% on $t\bar{t} + \text{HF}$
 - ▶ ATLAS: 50% on $t\bar{t} + b\bar{b}$, 50% on $t\bar{t} + c\bar{c}$
- Modelling
 - ▶ CMS: using Madgraph sample, top p_T reweighting ON/OFF, 1 Madgraph scale variation uncorrelated in $t\bar{t} + b\bar{b}$, $t\bar{t} + b$, $t\bar{t} + c\bar{c}$ and $t\bar{t} + \text{light}$
 - ▶ ATLAS: using Powheg+Pythia, 9 components from top p_T and $t\bar{t} p_T$ measurements for $t\bar{t} + \text{light}$; reweighting ON/OFF for $t\bar{t} + \text{HF}$ uncorrelated; parton shower; generator (comparison with Madgraph)
- Jet energy scale
 - ▶ CMS: 1 JES
 - ▶ ATLAS: 22 JES components
- b -tagging
 - ▶ CMS: fully continuous MVA spectrum; linear and parabolic shape distortions; no calibration for c -jets
 - ▶ ATLAS: components for b , c and light jets (6/6/12)
- Checked ATLAS sensitivity only mildly-dependent on assumed systematics model.
- Difference in sensitivity primarily originates from the better S/\sqrt{B} . Also helpful is the higher background statistics in the signal-depleted regions, which allows greater constraining power of systematic uncertainties.