

Precision Physics at the LHC

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Precision Physics



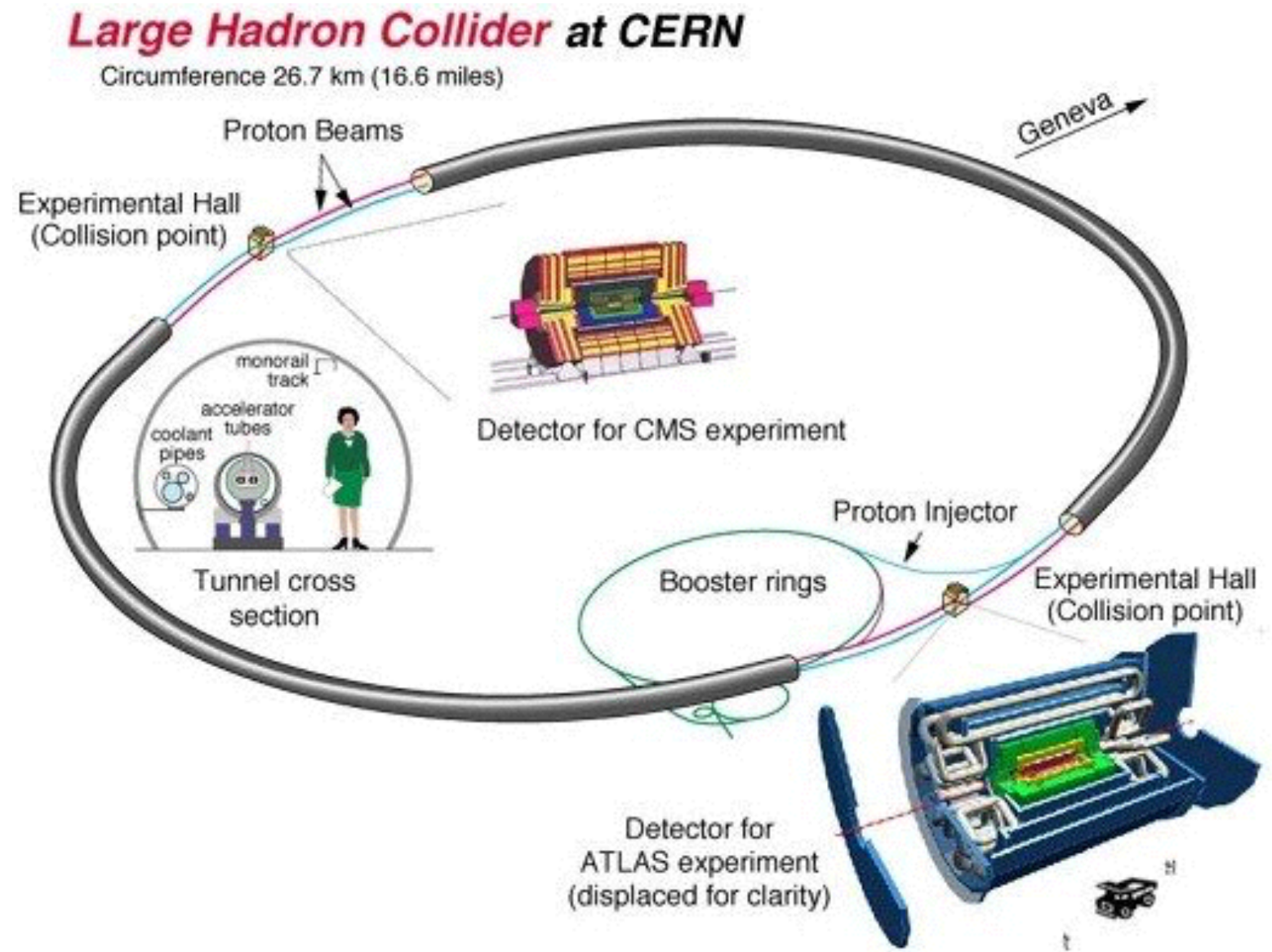
Plan

- Why Precision Calculation (PC)
- Impact of PCs on discoveries
- Part-1
 - Methods for
Multi-leg processes
- Part-2
 - Methods for
Multi-loops processes
- Part-3
 - Infrared physics

Large Hadron Collider

- Excellent Discovery Reach

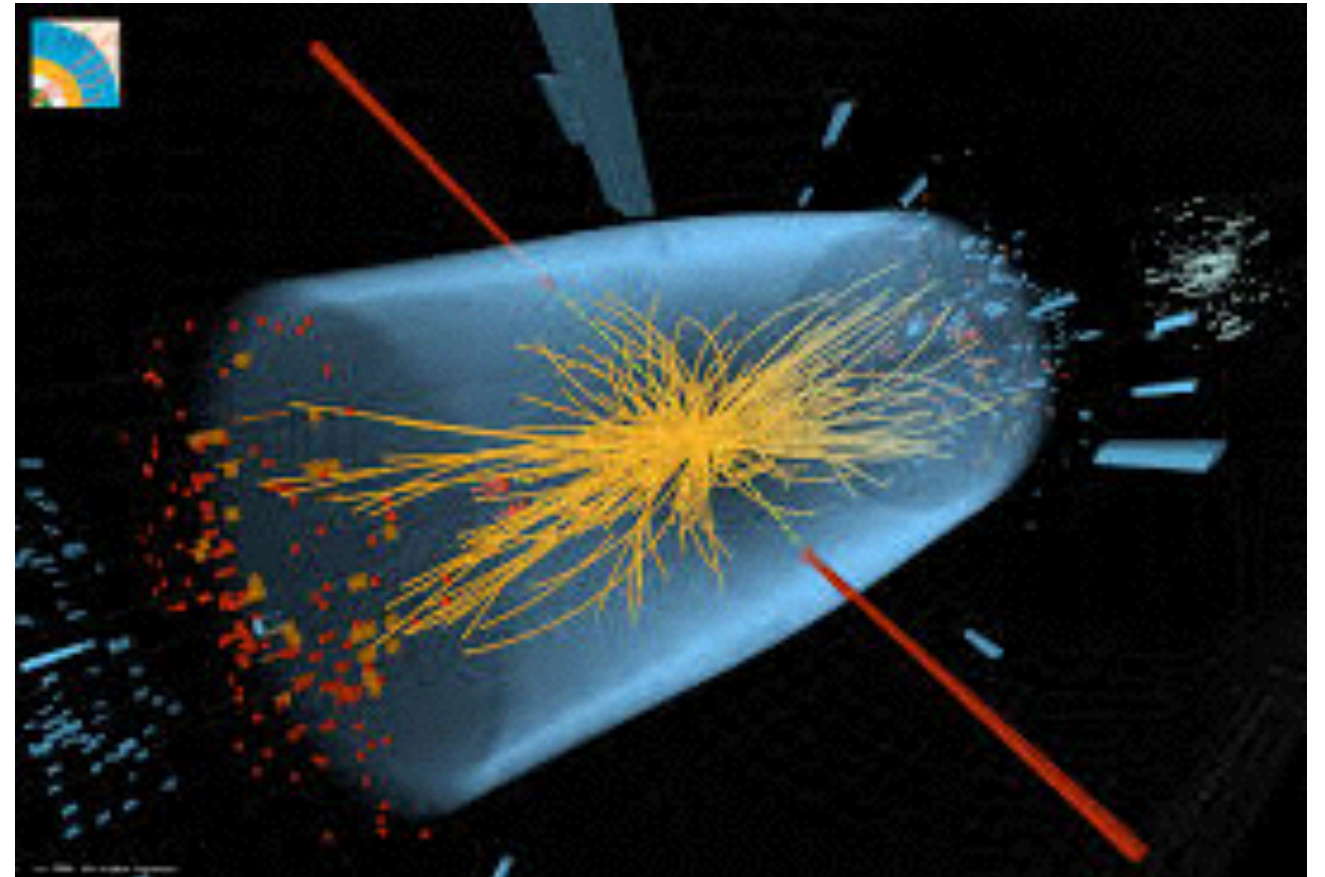
- Higgs
- Supersymmetry
- Extra-Dimensions
- Anything else



Large Hadron Collider

- Large amount of events

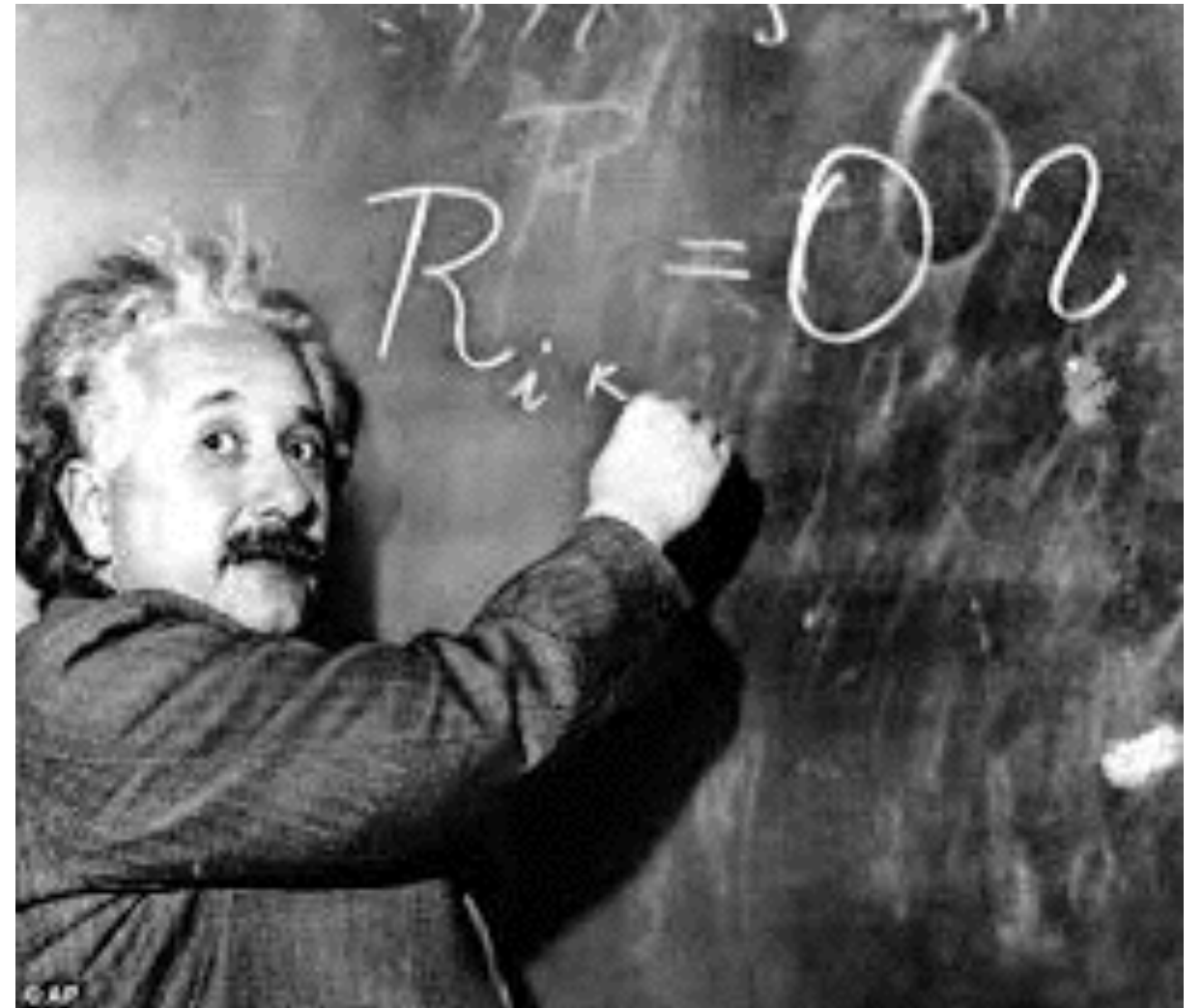
- $W \rightarrow e\nu$: 10^8 events
- $Z \rightarrow e^+e^-$: 10^7 events
- $t\bar{t}$ production 10^7 events
- Higgs production 10^5 events



Standard Model

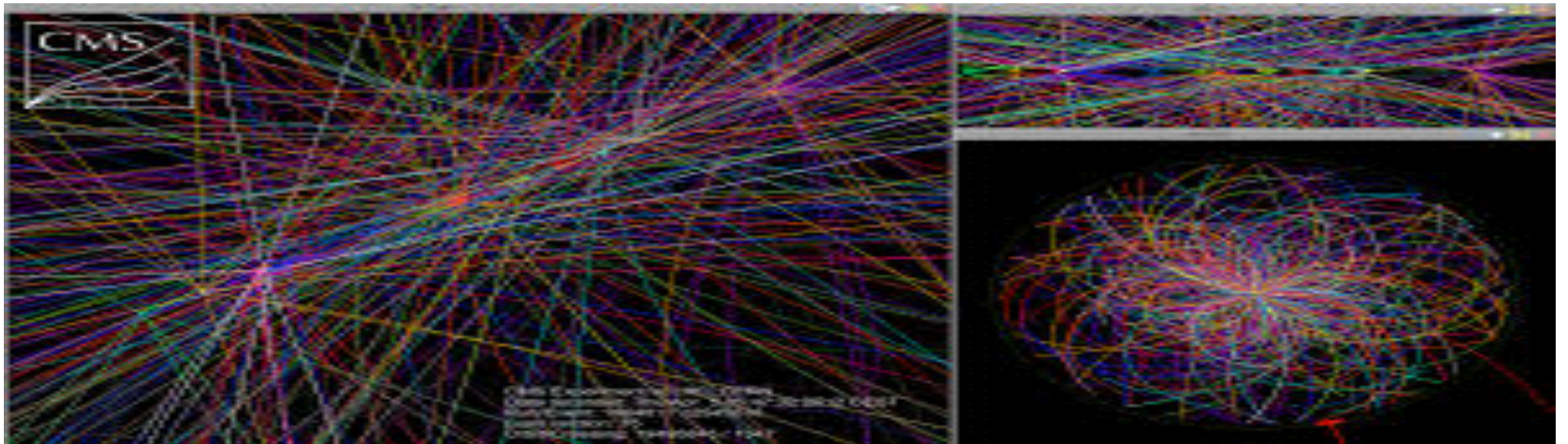
- Theories

- Quantum Chromodynamics
- Electroweak Theory (SM)
- Theory of Gravity



Large Hadron Collider

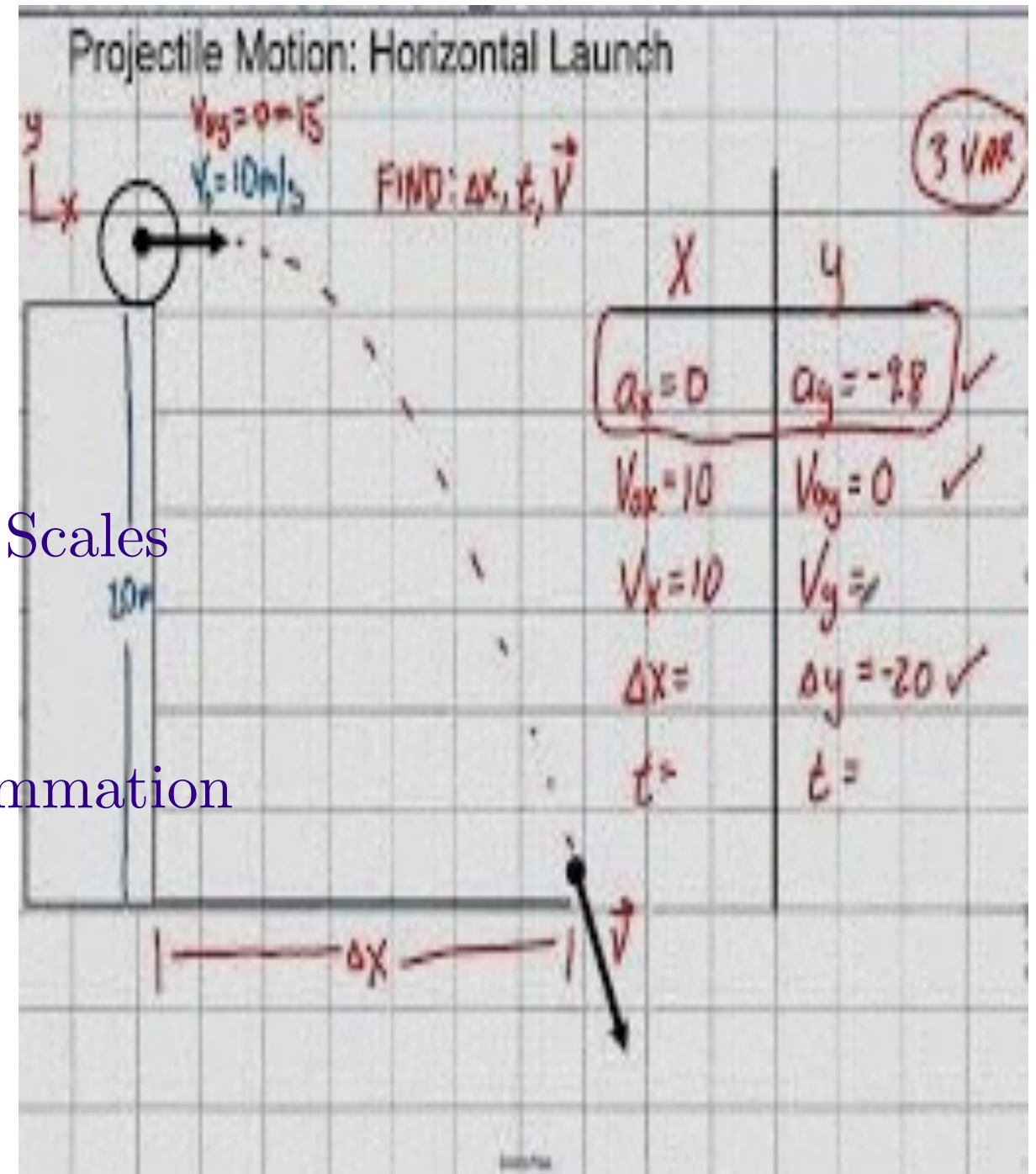
- Large background
 - Large number of γ, l^\pm, Z, W^\pm
 - Jets
 - Large number of $t\bar{t}, b\bar{b}$



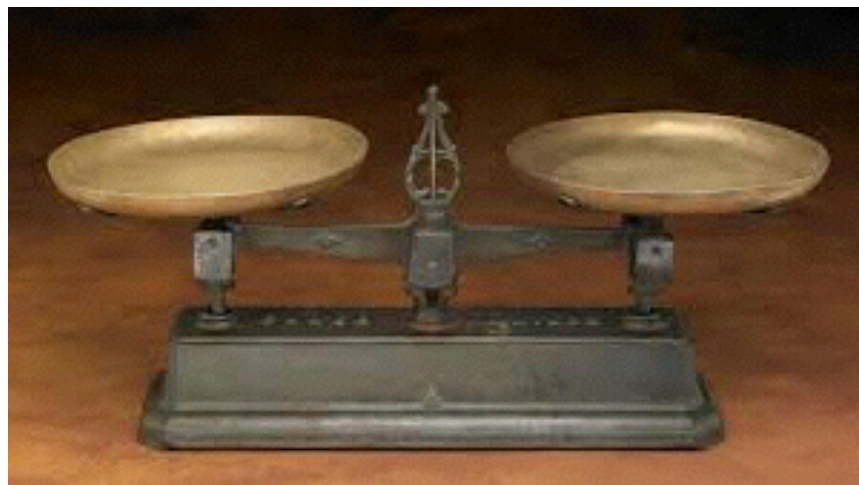
Theoretical Issues

- Issues to be tackled

- Kinematics
- Normalisation
- Renormalisation and Factorisation Scales
- Parton distribution functions
- Phase space boundary effects, resummation



Why Precision ?



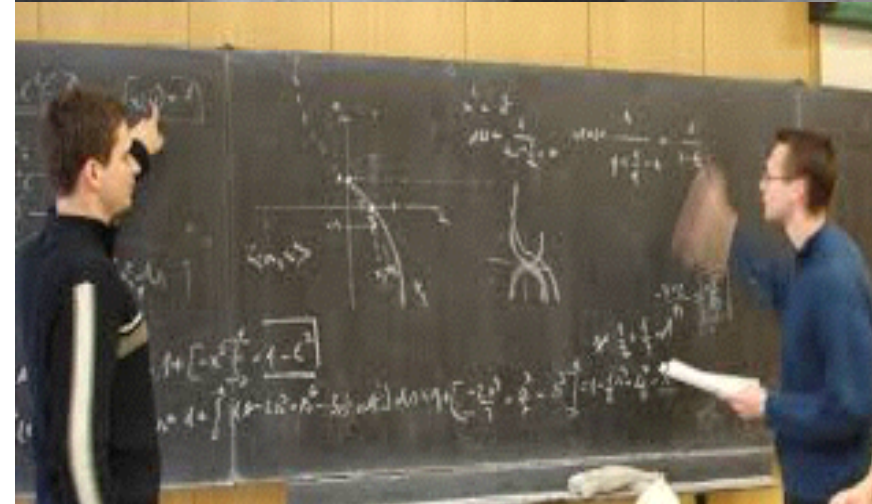
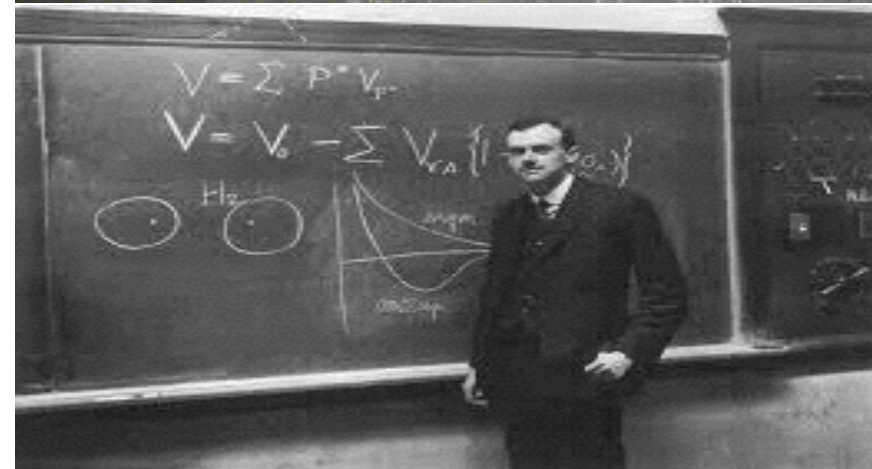
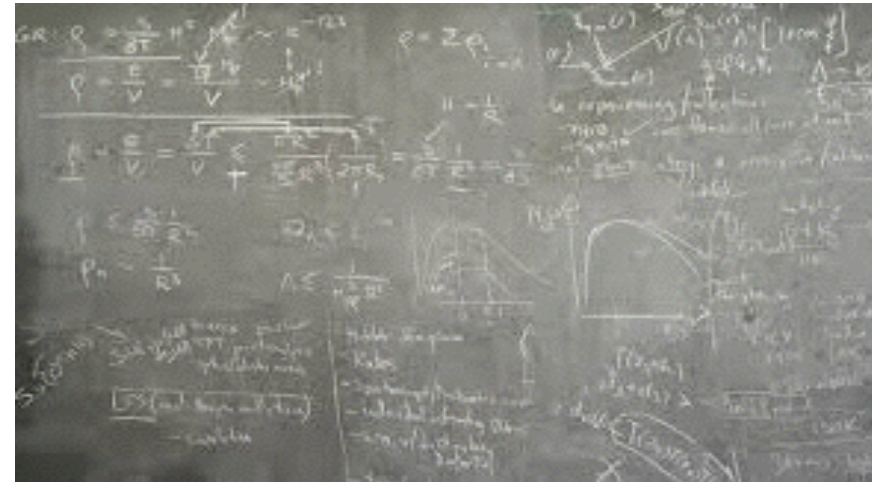
The truth is in the Details

Precision Physics

Experiment

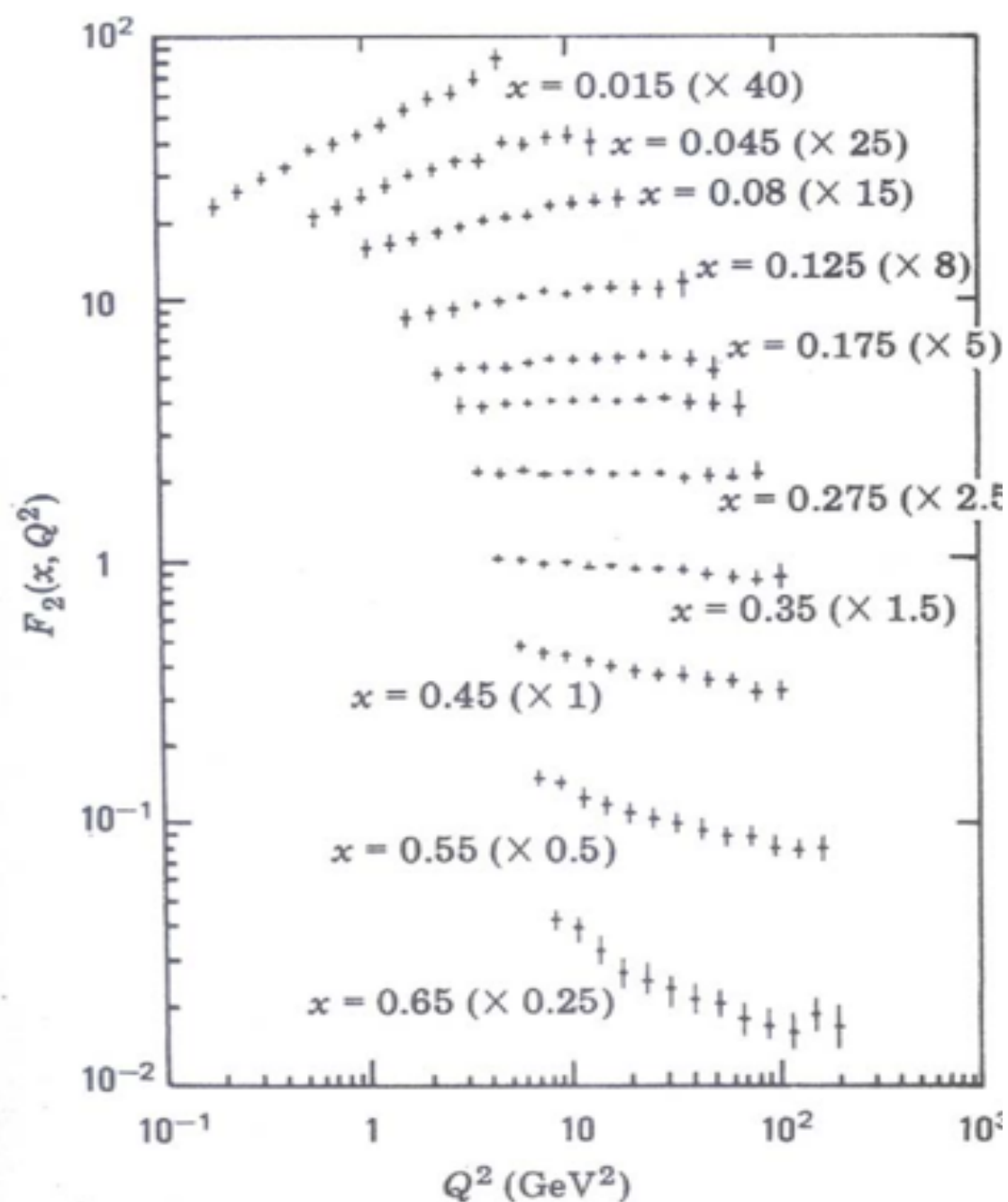


Theory

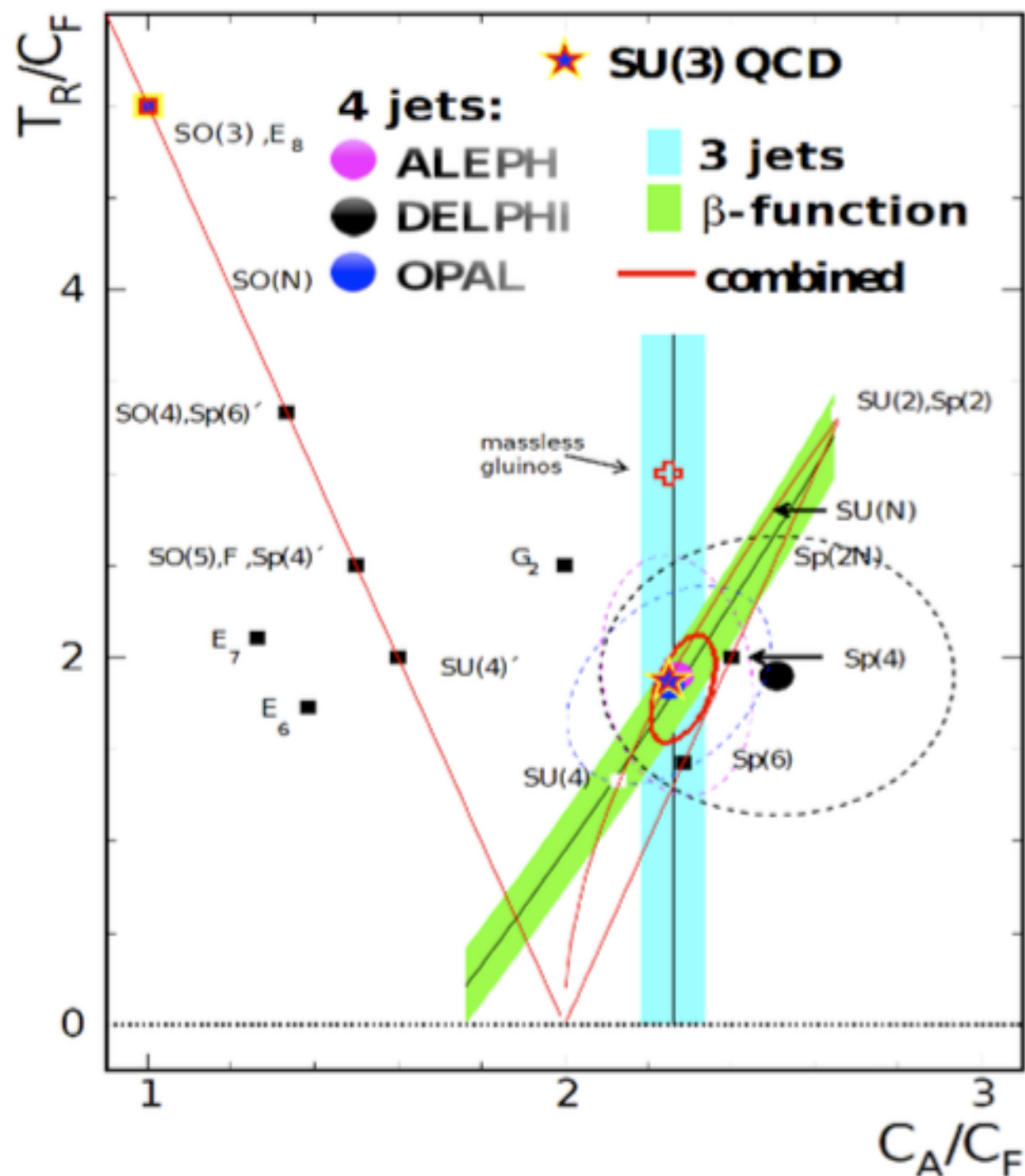


Tests of Quantum Chromodynamics

QCD RGE prediction for DIS



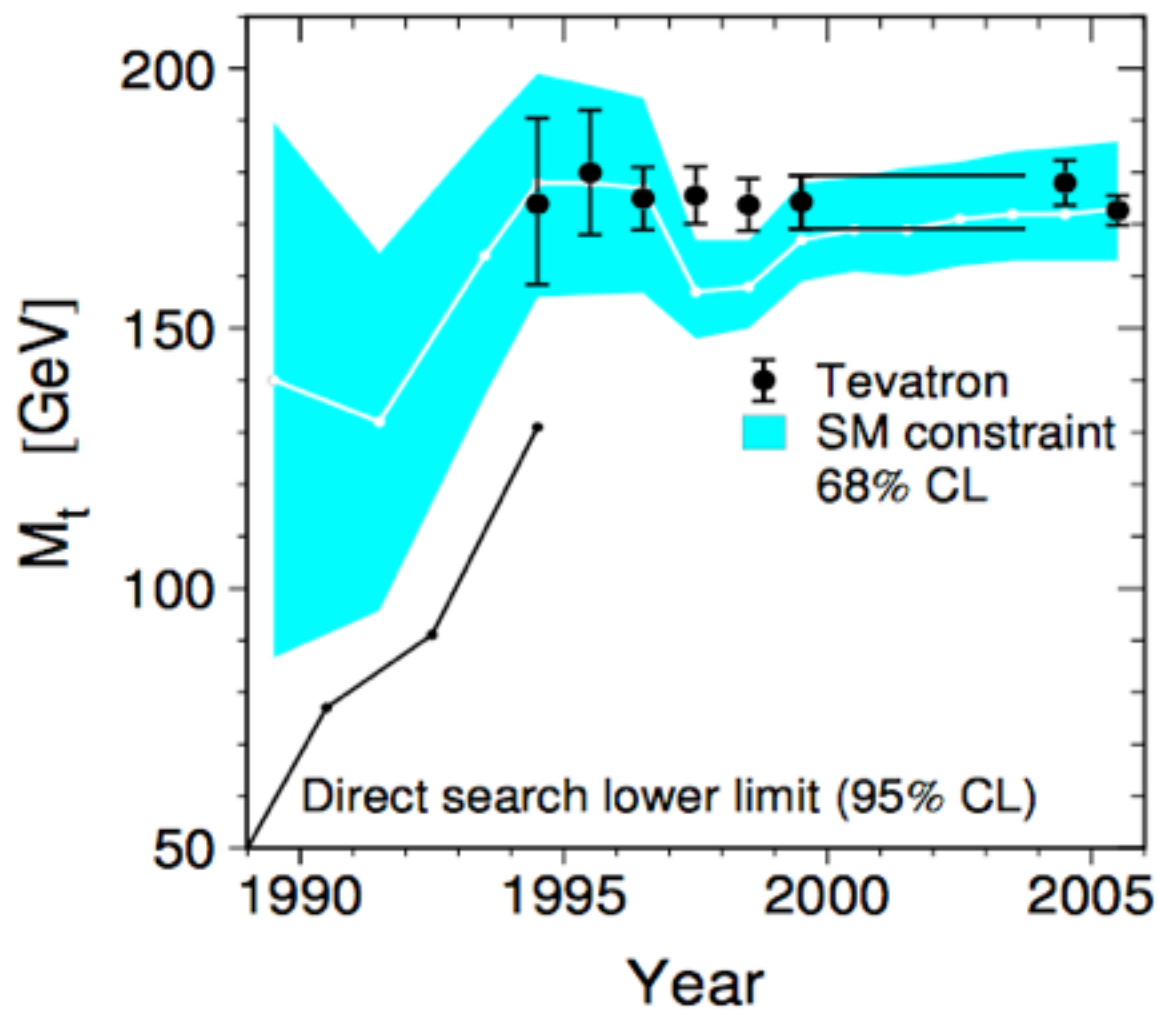
QCD Jets at LEP



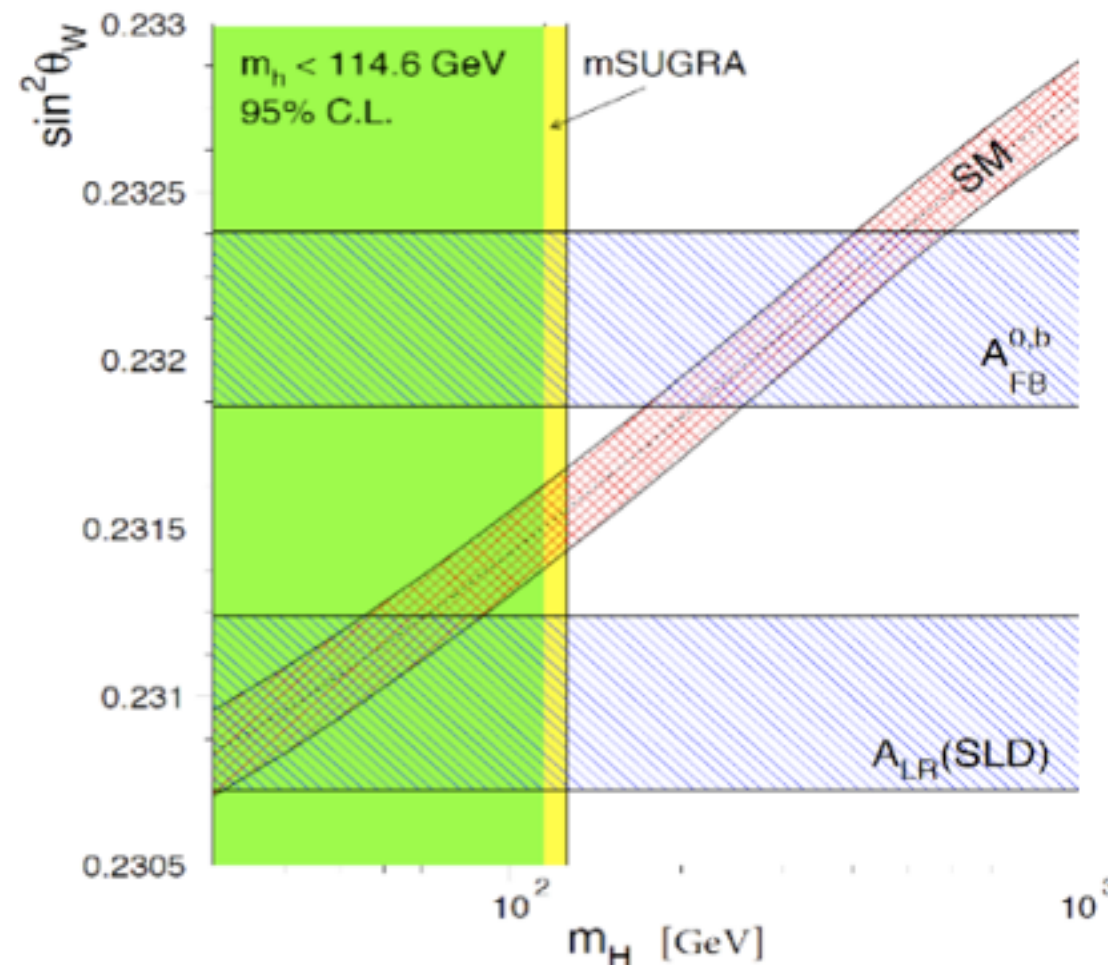
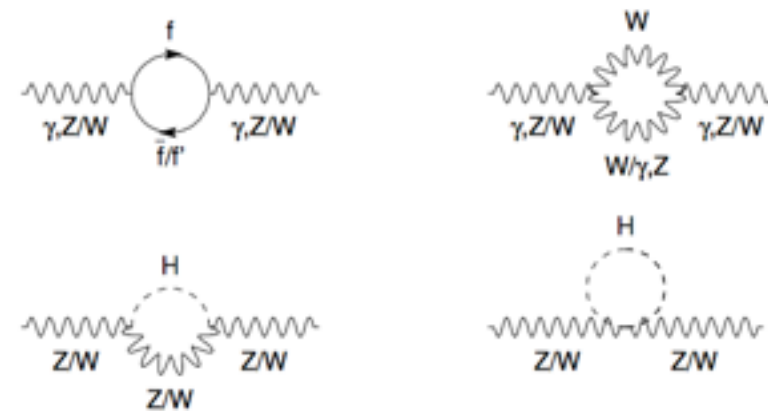
Hits from LEP for Top and Higgs

EW Radiative Corrections

$$M_Z, M_H, m_t, \alpha_s(M_Z), \alpha(M_Z)$$



$$m_t = 178.5 \pm 3.9 \text{ GeV}$$

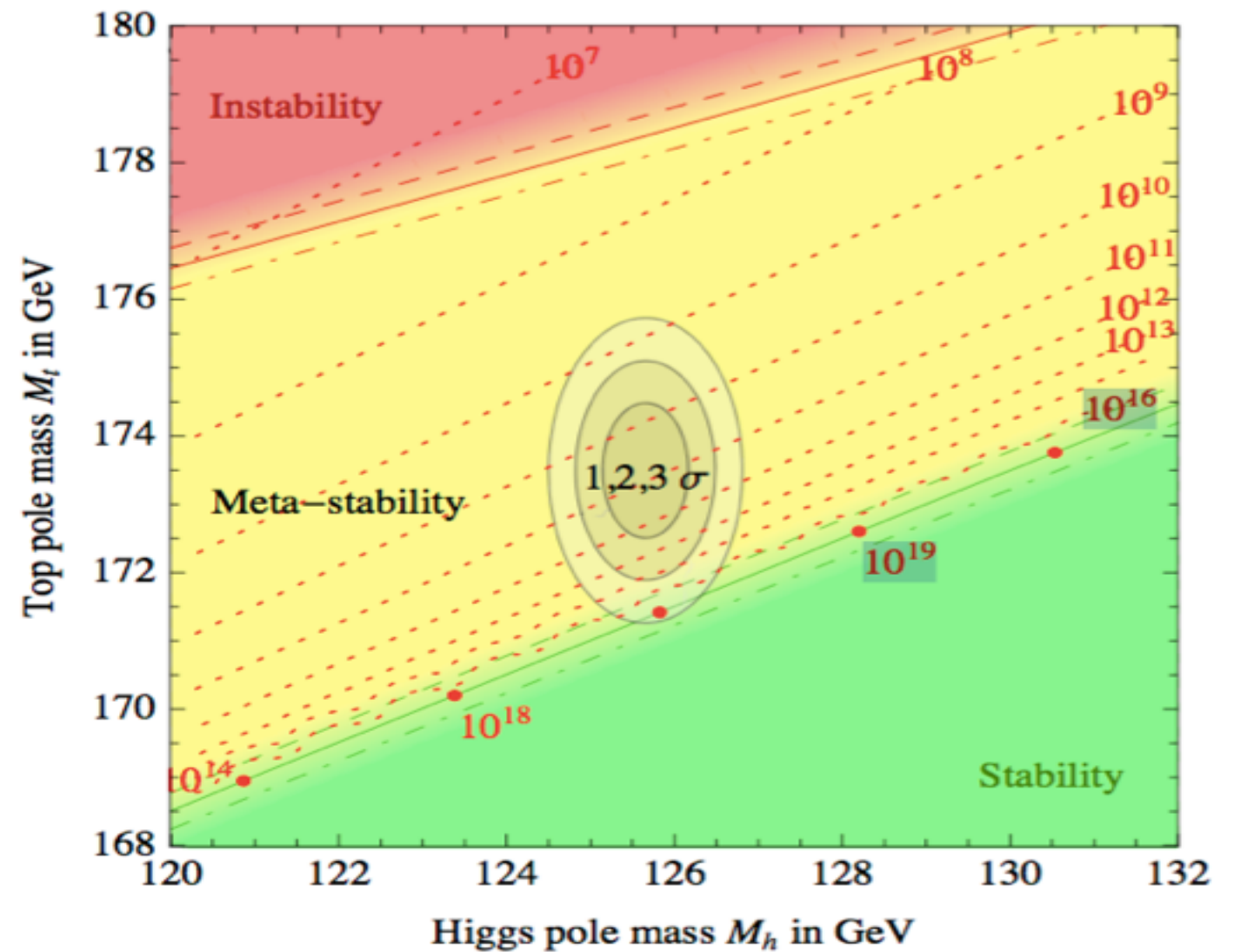
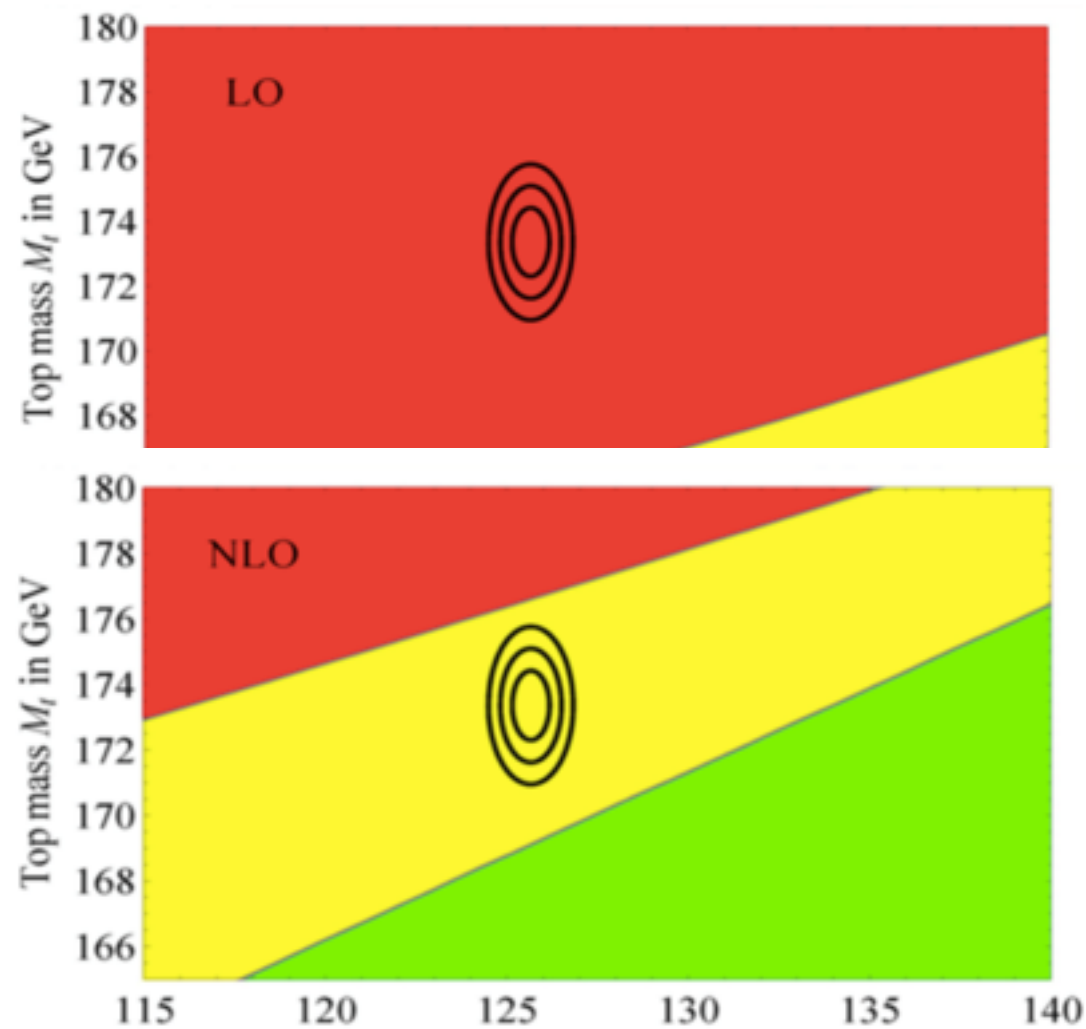


$$m_H = 129^{+74}_{-49} \text{ GeV}$$

Stability of our Vacuum

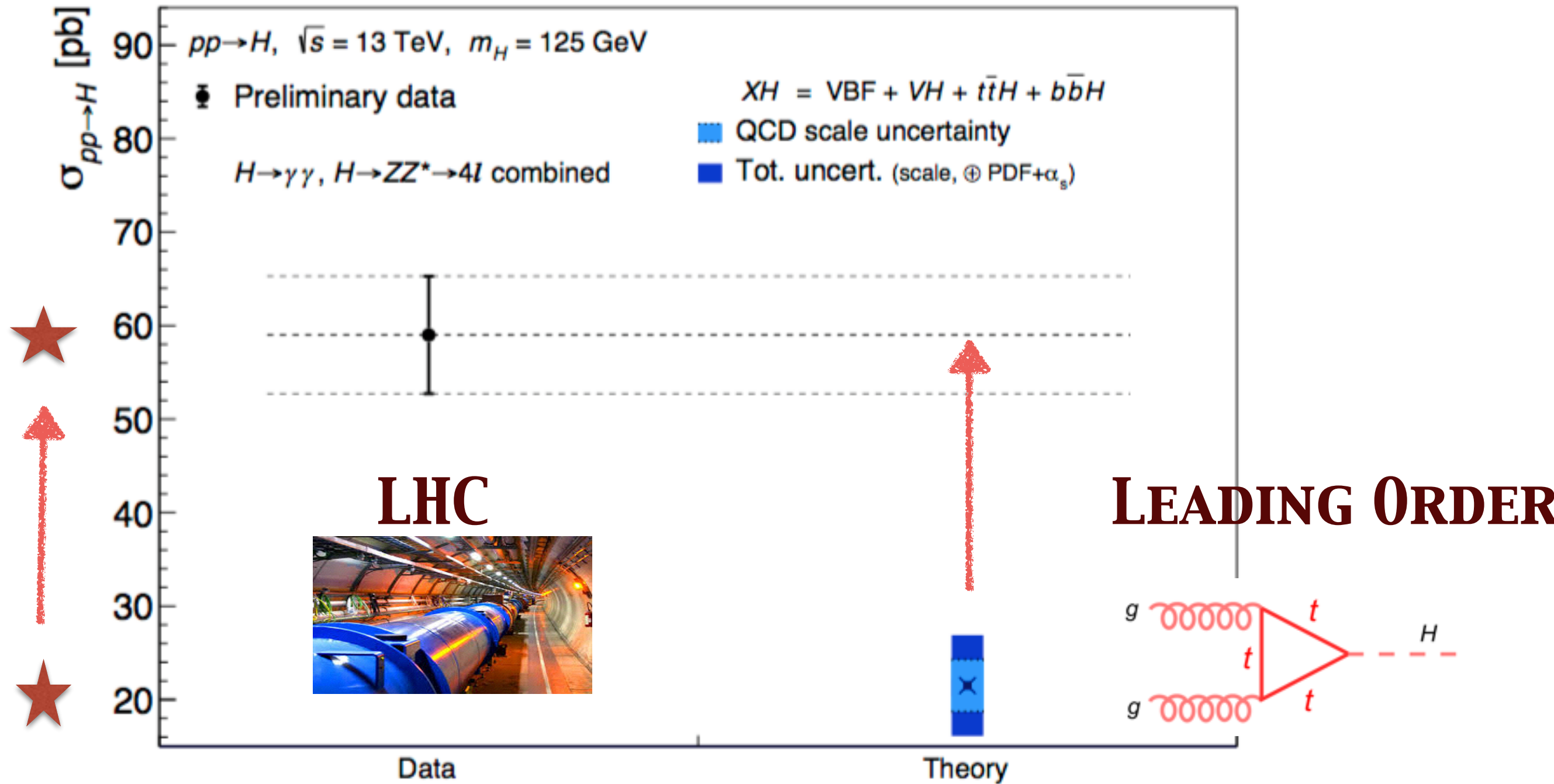
NNLO Electroweak Correction :

$$M_h[\text{GeV}] > 129.6 + 2.0 [M_t(\text{GeV}) - 173.35] - 0.5 \left[\frac{\alpha_s(M_Z) - 0.1184}{0.0007} \right] \pm 0.3 .$$

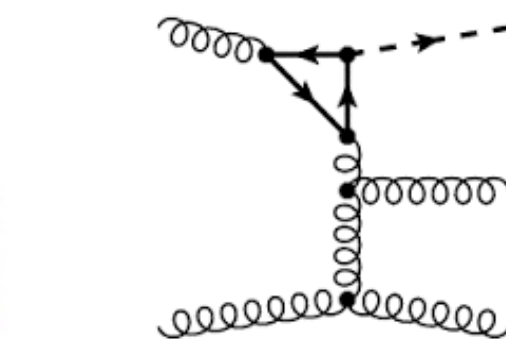
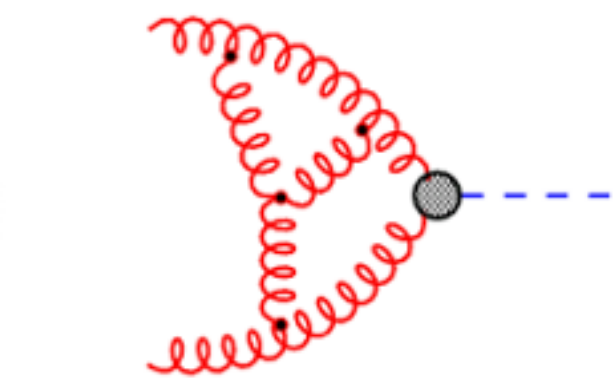
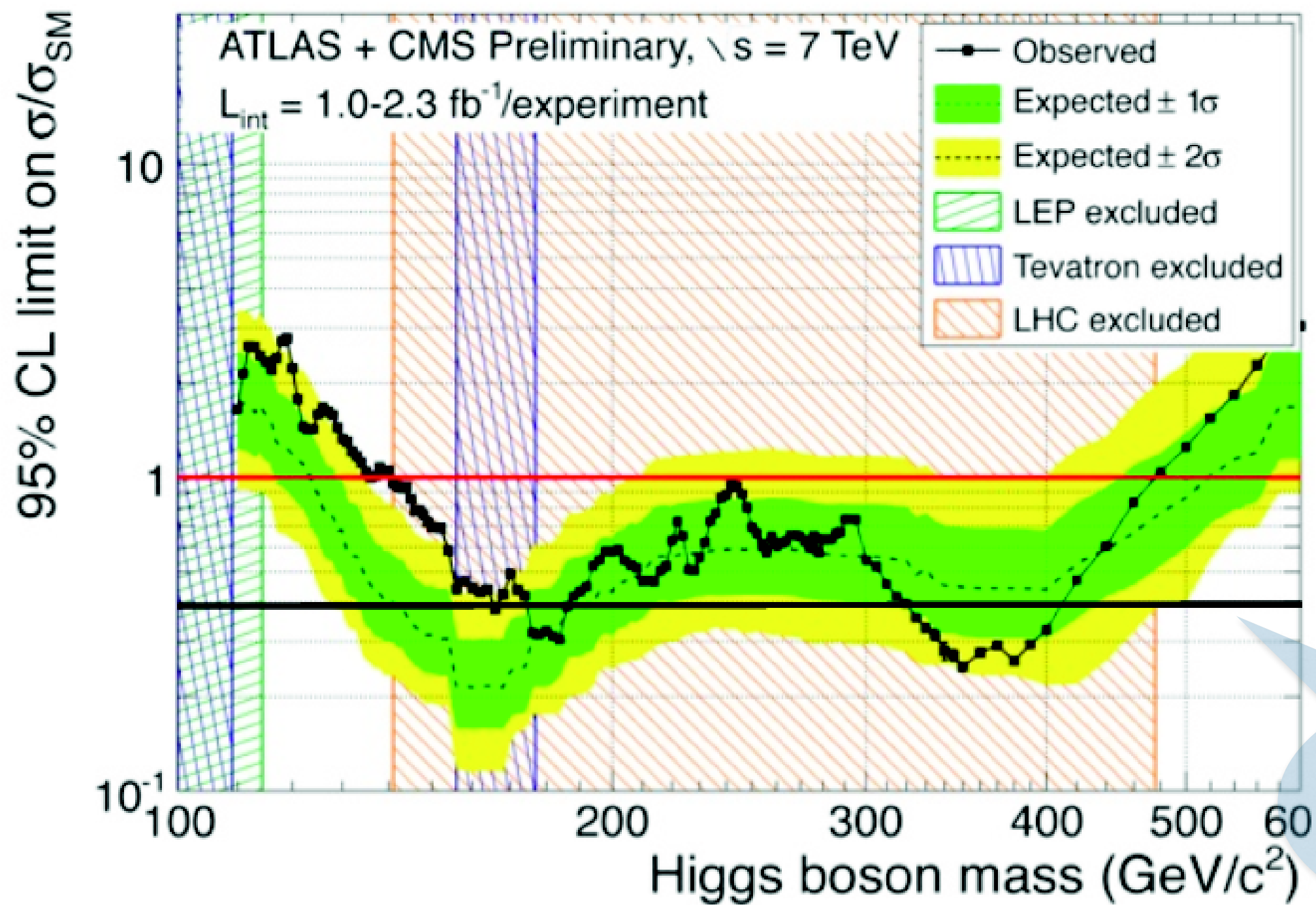


Fate of the universe depends on the mass of top

Leading order is often Crude in QCD

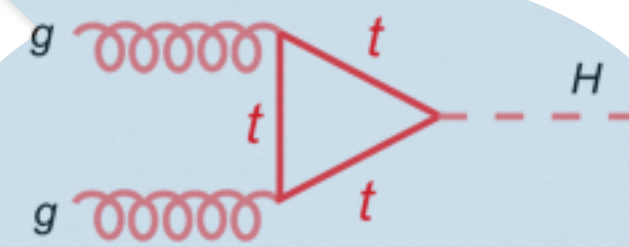


Exclusion Plot for Higgs mass



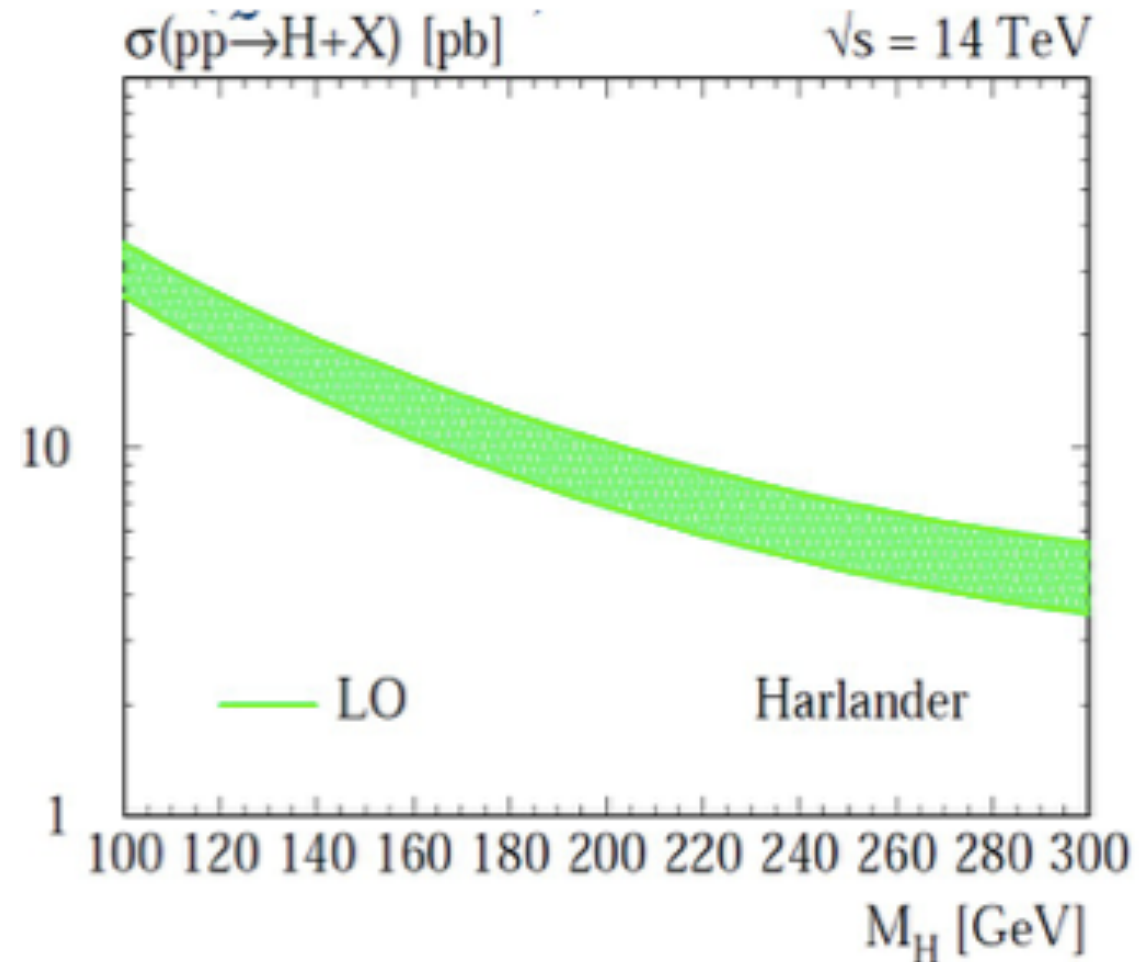
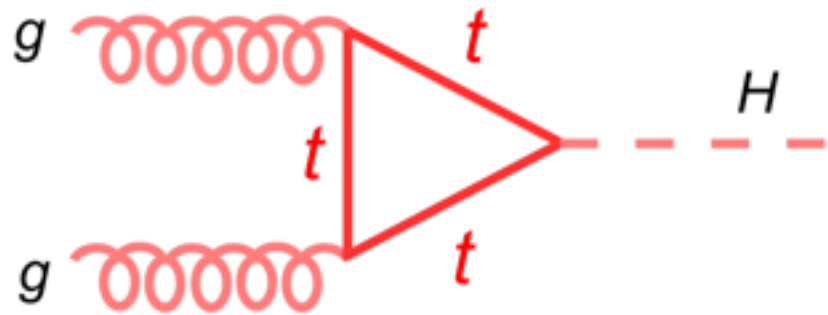
NNLO++

LO



LO is often a crude estimate

$$2S\sigma^H(x, m_H) = \int_x^1 \frac{dz}{z} \Phi_{gg}^{(0)}(z, \mu_F) 2\hat{\sigma}_{gg}^{(0)}\left(\frac{x}{z}, m_H^2, \mu_R\right) + \dots$$

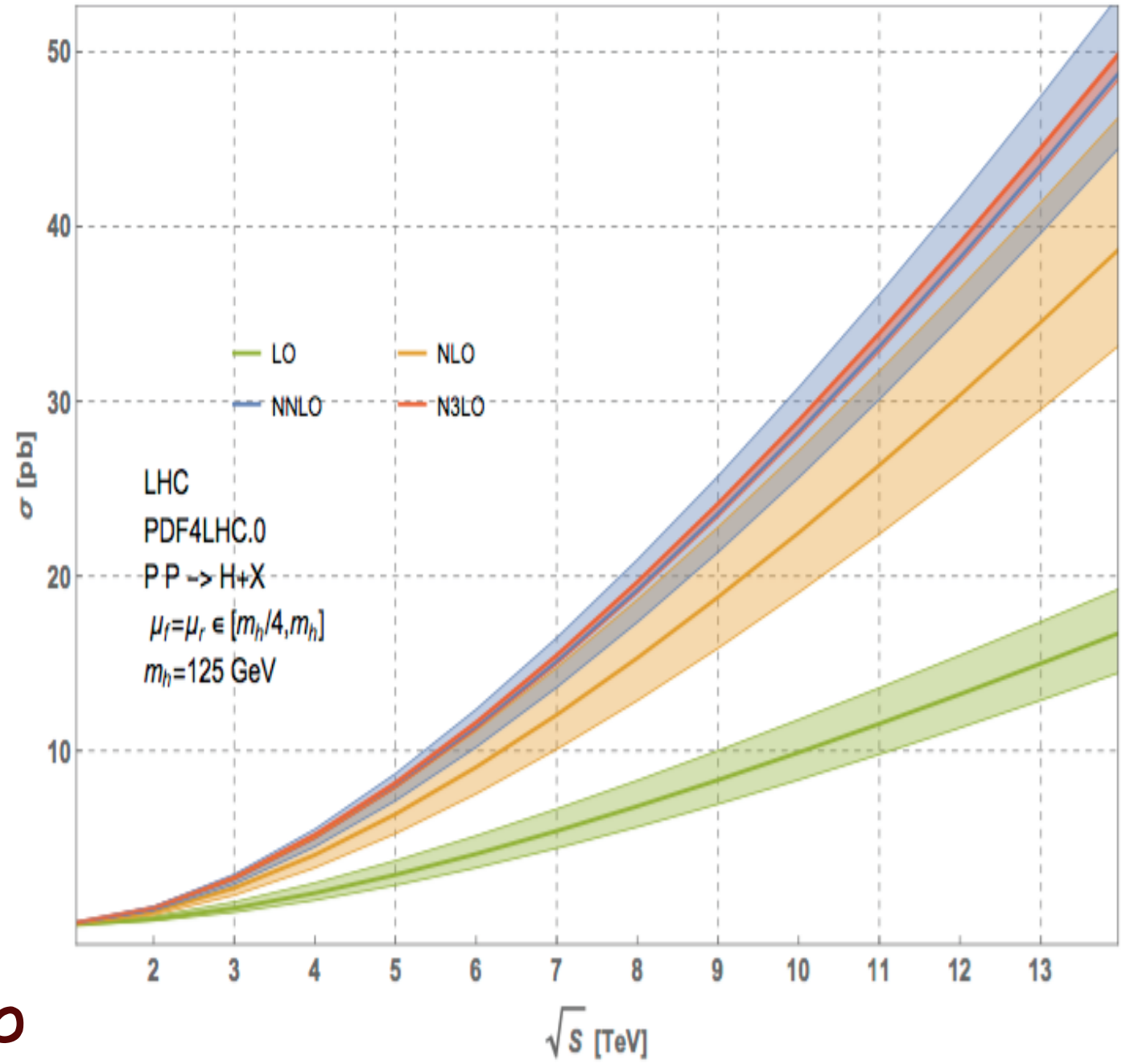
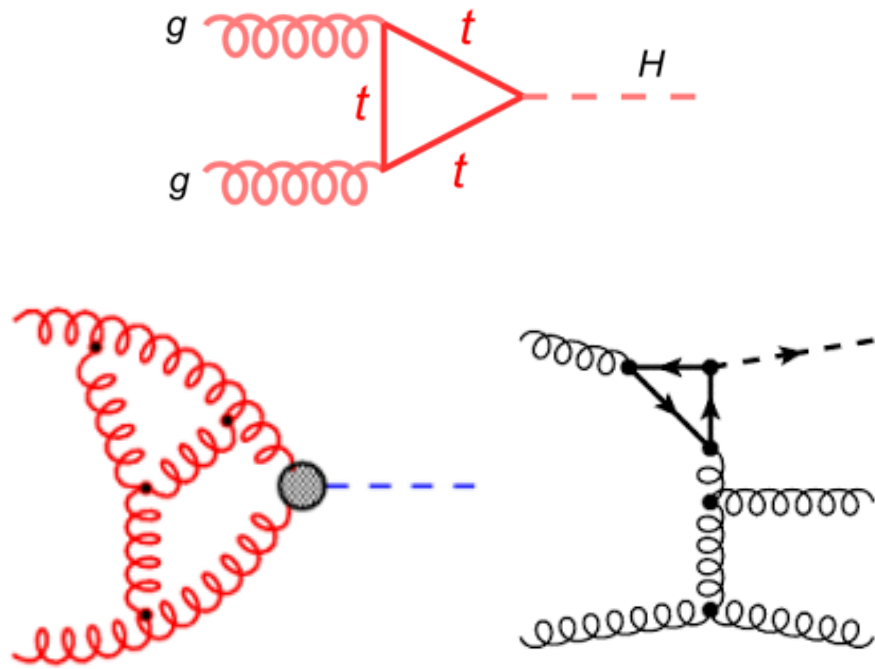


$$2\hat{\sigma}_{gg}^{(0)}\left(\frac{x}{z}, m_H^2, \mu_R\right) = \alpha_s^2(\mu_R) G_F F(m_t, m_H)$$

LO prediction is unreliable due to 100 – 200% scale uncertainty

True Result for Higgs

$$\hat{\sigma}(z) = \hat{\sigma}^{LO}(z) + \alpha_S \hat{\sigma}^{NLO}(z) + \alpha_S^2 \hat{\sigma}^{NNLO}(z) + \alpha_S^3 \hat{\sigma}^{N3LO}(z) + \mathcal{O}(\alpha_S^4)$$



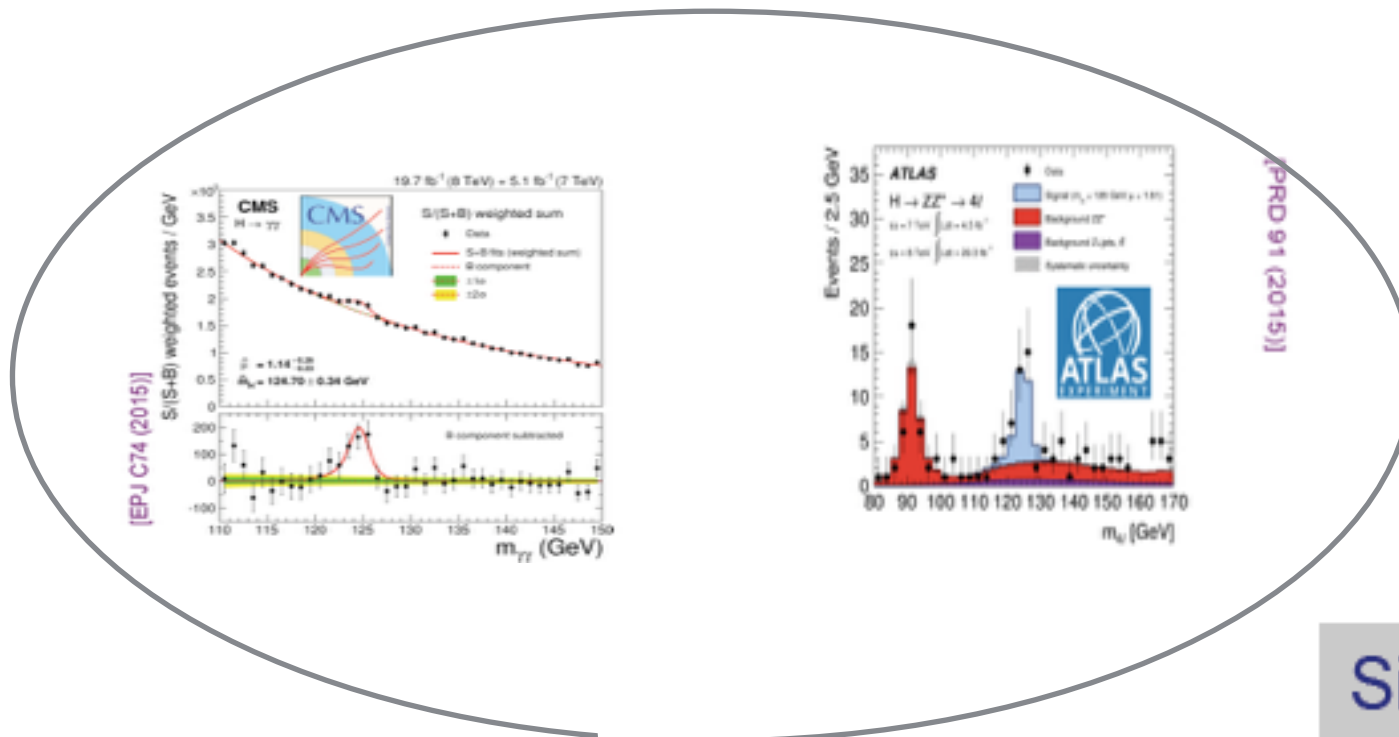
LO	$15.05 \pm 14.8\%$
NLO	$38.2 \pm 16.6\%$
NNLO	$45.1 \pm 8.8\%$
N3LO	$45.2 \pm 1.9\%$

pb

$$\sigma = 48.58 \text{ pb}^{+2.22 \text{ pb} (+4.56\%)}_{-3.27 \text{ pb} (-6.72\%)} (\text{theory}) \pm 1.56 \text{ pb} (3.20\%) (\text{PDF} + \alpha_s).$$

48.58 pb =	16.00 pb	(+32.9%)	(LO, rEFT)
	+ 20.84 pb	(+42.9%)	(NLO, rEFT)
	- 2.05 pb	(-4.2%)	((<i>t, b, c</i>), exact NLO)
	+ 9.56 pb	(+19.7%)	(NNLO, rEFT)
	+ 0.34 pb	(+0.7%)	(NNLO, $1/m_t$)
	+ 2.40 pb	(+4.9%)	(EW, QCD-EW)
	+ 1.49 pb	(+3.1%)	(N ³ LO, rEFT)

Theory Vs Experiment



Significance of excess:

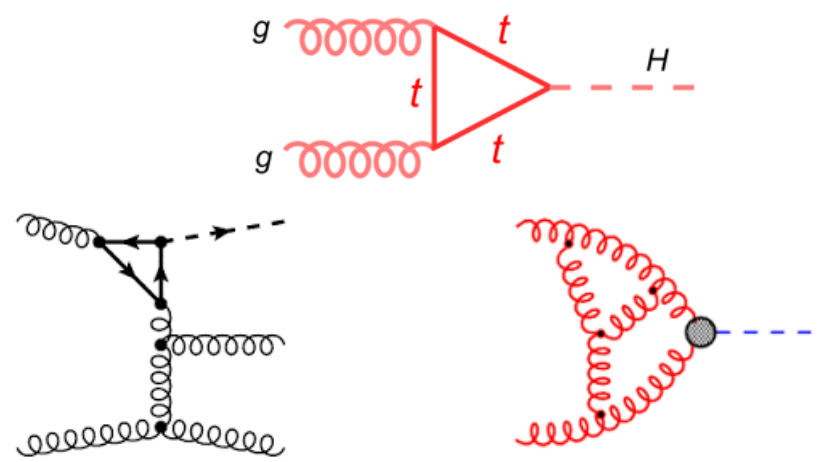
$\gamma\gamma$: 5.6 σ (5.1 exp.)

ZZ: 6.6 σ (5.5 exp.)

Signal strength $\mu = \sigma_{\text{obs}} / \sigma_{\text{SM}}$

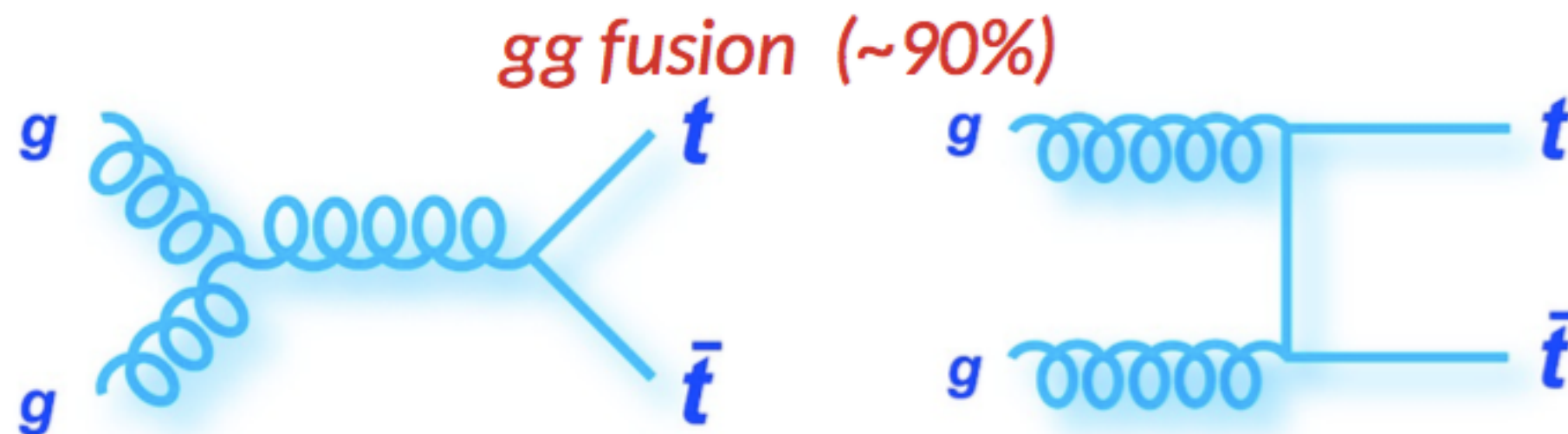
$$\mu = 1.12^{+0.25}_{-0.23}$$

$$\mu = 1.51^{+0.39}_{-0.34}$$



Agreement with SM
Higgs Boson

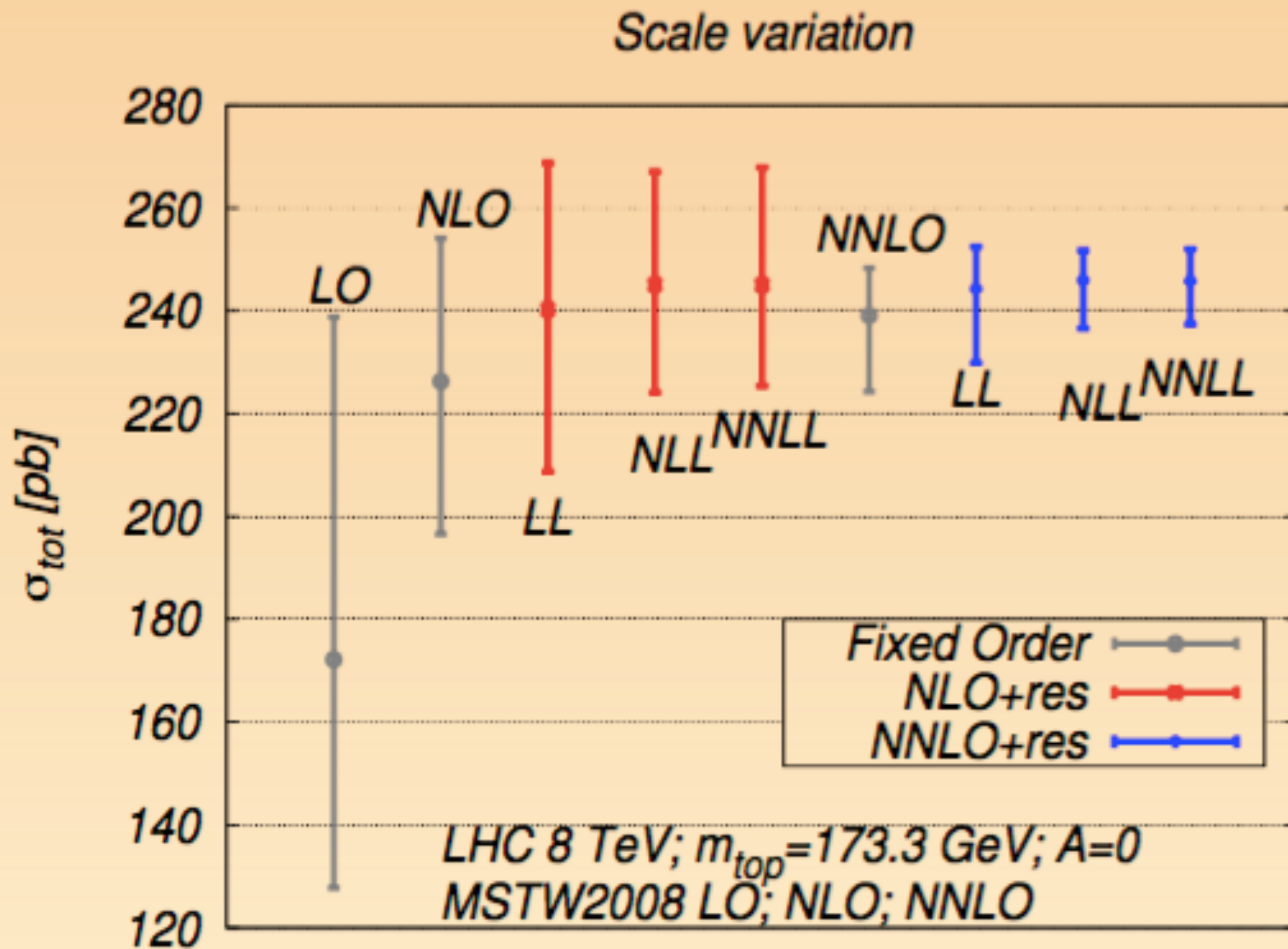
Top production



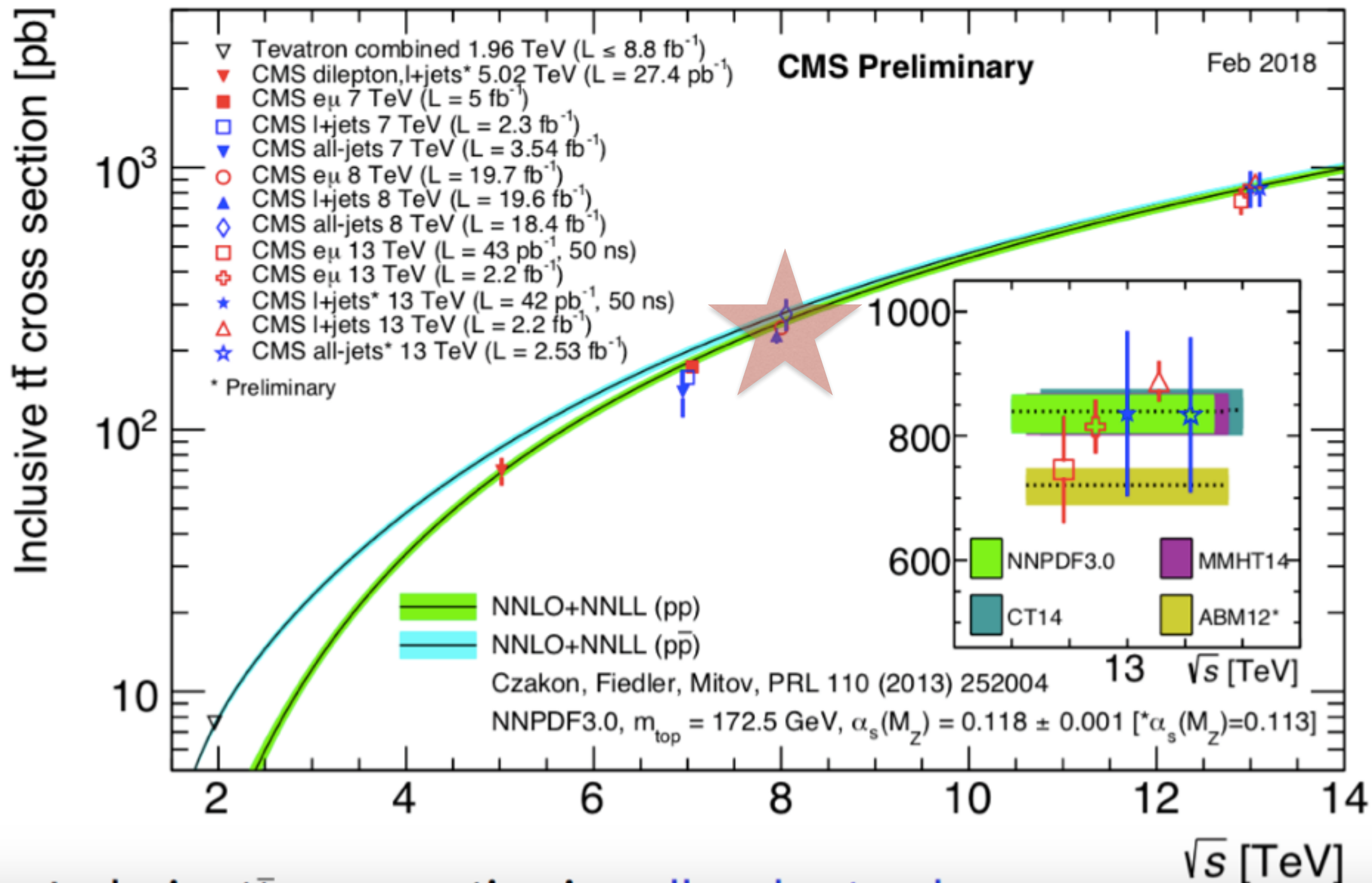
Large theory uncertainty

$$\alpha_s(\mu_R^2) \quad f_g(x, \mu_F^2)$$

Theory Prediction



Theory Vs Experiment



Parton Model in QCD

Hadronic Cross section:

$$\sigma^A(\tau, m_A^2) = \sigma^{A,(0)}(\mu_R^2) \sum_{a,b=q,\bar{q},g} \int_{\tau}^1 dy \Phi_{ab}(y, \mu_F^2) \Delta_{ab}^A\left(\frac{\tau}{y}, m_A^2, \mu_R^2, \mu_F^2\right)$$

Partonic cross section:

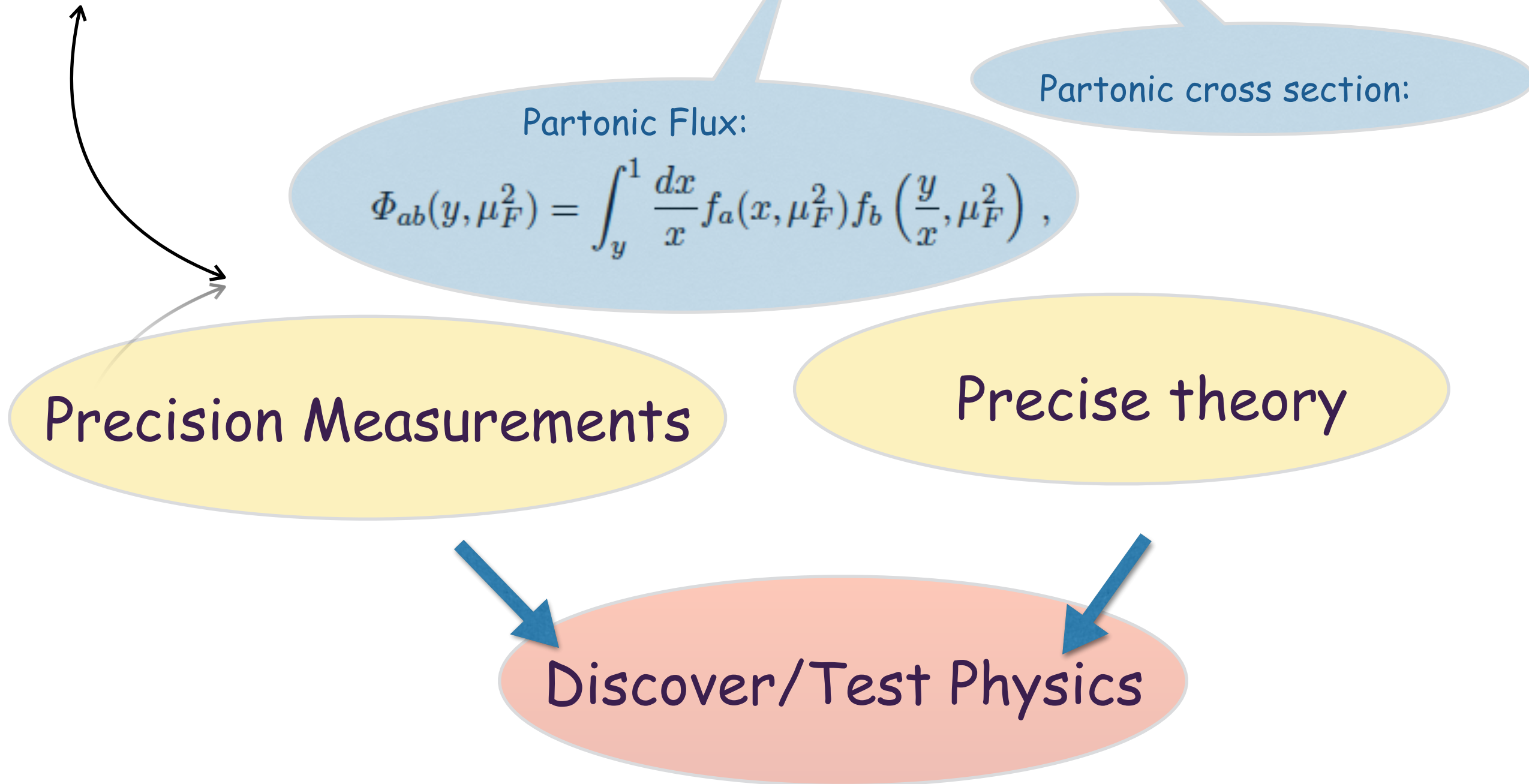
Partonic Flux:

$$\Phi_{ab}(y, \mu_F^2) = \int_y^1 \frac{dx}{x} f_a(x, \mu_F^2) f_b\left(\frac{y}{x}, \mu_F^2\right),$$

Precision Measurements

Precise theory

Discover/Test Physics



Inputs that can affect

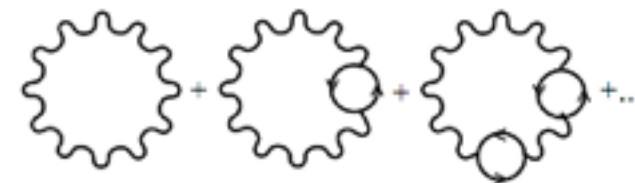
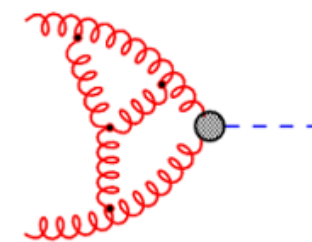
- UV Renormalisation Scale, Strong coupling

$$\alpha_s(\mu_R)$$

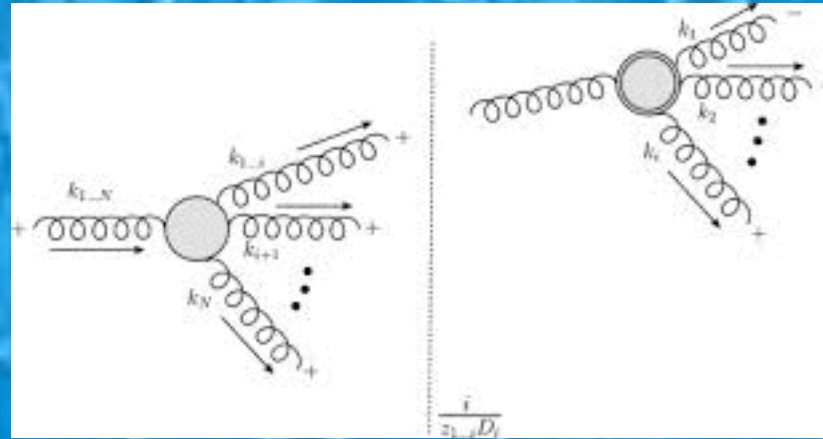
- Factorisation Scale and Parton Distribution Functions

$$f_a(x, \mu_F)$$

- Missing Higher Order corrections
- Stability of the perturbation theory
- Resummation Methods
- Hadronisation models



LO (Tree level)



No. of diagrams

$$g + g \rightarrow n g$$

For Jet / background to BSM

n no. of diagrams

$$g + g \rightarrow g + g$$

2 **4**

$$g + g \rightarrow g + g + g$$

3 **25**

$$g + g \rightarrow g + g + g + g$$

4 **220**

5 **2485**

6 **34300**

7 **559405**

8 **10525900**

Polarisation Vectors

$$\epsilon^+(p, q) = \frac{\langle q | \gamma_\mu p \rangle}{\sqrt{2} \langle qp \rangle}$$

$$\epsilon^-(p, q) = -\frac{[q | \gamma_\mu | p \rangle}{\sqrt{2} [qp]}$$

$$p_\mu \epsilon^\mu = 0.$$

$$(\epsilon_\mu^+)^* = \epsilon_\mu^-$$

★ Gauge Choice

$$\begin{aligned} \epsilon_\mu^-(\tilde{q}) - \epsilon_\mu^-(q) &= \frac{[\tilde{q} \gamma^\mu | p \rangle [qp] - [q \gamma^\mu | p \rangle [\tilde{q}p]}{\sqrt{2} [qp] [\tilde{q}p]} \\ &= \frac{\sqrt{2} [\tilde{q}q]}{[qp] [\tilde{q}p]} p^\mu. \end{aligned}$$

★ Polarisation Sum

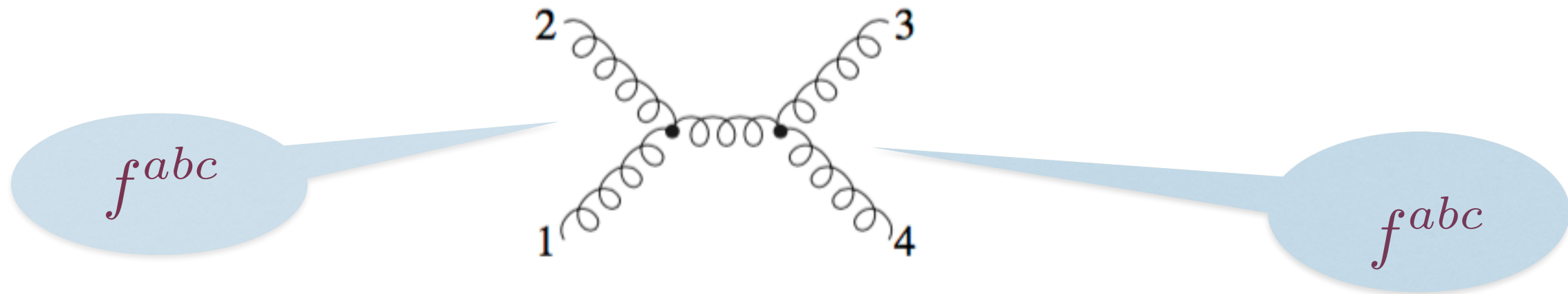
$$\sum_\lambda \epsilon_\mu^\lambda(p, q) (\epsilon_\nu^\lambda(p, q))^* = \frac{q_\mu p_\nu + q_\nu p_\mu}{p \cdot q} - \eta_{\mu\nu}$$

$$\epsilon_i^\pm(q) \cdot q = 0$$

$$\epsilon_i^\pm(q) \cdot \epsilon_j^\pm(q) = 0$$

$$\epsilon_i^\pm(p_j) \cdot \epsilon_j^\mp(q) = 0$$

SU(N) color algebra



$$[T^a, T^b] = if^{abc}T^c$$



$$if^{abc} = 2 \left[\text{Tr} \left(T^a T^b T^c \right) - \text{Tr} \left(T^b T^a T^c \right) \right]$$

$$\begin{aligned} if^{a_1 a_2 b} if^{b a_3 a_4} &= 4 \left[\text{Tr} \left(T^{a_1} T^{a_2} T^b \right) - \text{Tr} \left(T^{a_2} T^{a_1} T^b \right) \right] \left[\text{Tr} \left(T^{a_3} T^{a_4} T^b \right) - \text{Tr} \left(T^{a_4} T^{a_3} T^b \right) \right] \\ &= 2 \text{Tr} \left(T^{a_1} T^{a_2} T^{a_3} T^{a_4} \right) - 2 \text{Tr} \left(T^{a_1} T^{a_2} T^{a_4} T^{a_3} \right) - 2 \text{Tr} \left(T^{a_2} T^{a_1} T^{a_3} T^{a_4} \right) \\ &\quad + 2 \text{Tr} \left(T^{a_2} T^{a_1} T^{a_4} T^{a_3} \right) \end{aligned}$$

QCD improved Parton Model

$$\mathcal{A}_n^{(0)}(g_1, g_2, \dots, g_n) = g^{n-2} \sum_{\sigma \in \mathcal{S}_n / \mathbb{Z}_n} 2 \operatorname{Tr}(T^{a_{\sigma(1)}} \dots T^{a_{\sigma(n)}}) A_n^{(0)}(g_{\sigma(1)}, \dots, g_{\sigma(n)})$$

Partial Amplitude

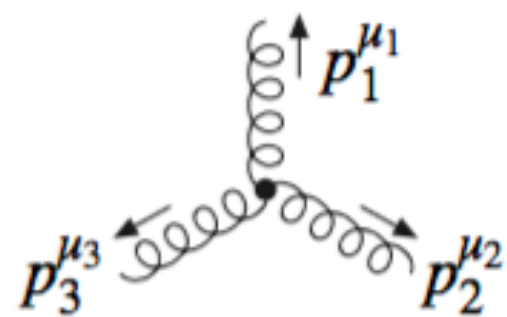
- Partial Amplitudes
- No color information
 - Gauge Invariant

n	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
unordered	4	25	220	2485	34300	559405	10525900
cyclic ordered	3	10	38	154	654	2871	12925

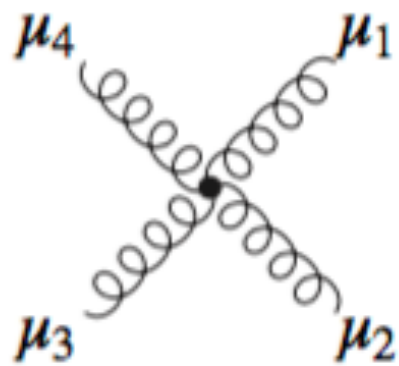
Cyclic Ordered Feynman Rules

No Color Factors !!!

$$\mu \text{ --- } \text{ooooo} \text{ --- } \nu = \frac{-ig^{\mu\nu}}{p^2},$$



$$= i [g^{\mu_1\mu_2} (p_1^{\mu_3} - p_2^{\mu_3}) + g^{\mu_2\mu_3} (p_2^{\mu_1} - p_3^{\mu_1}) + g^{\mu_3\mu_1} (p_3^{\mu_2} - p_1^{\mu_2})]$$



$$= i [2g^{\mu_1\mu_3} g^{\mu_2\mu_4} - g^{\mu_1\mu_2} g^{\mu_3\mu_4} - g^{\mu_1\mu_4} g^{\mu_2\mu_3}].$$

Berends-Giele Recursion

- Off-Shell currents
- No Feynman diagrams

off-shell

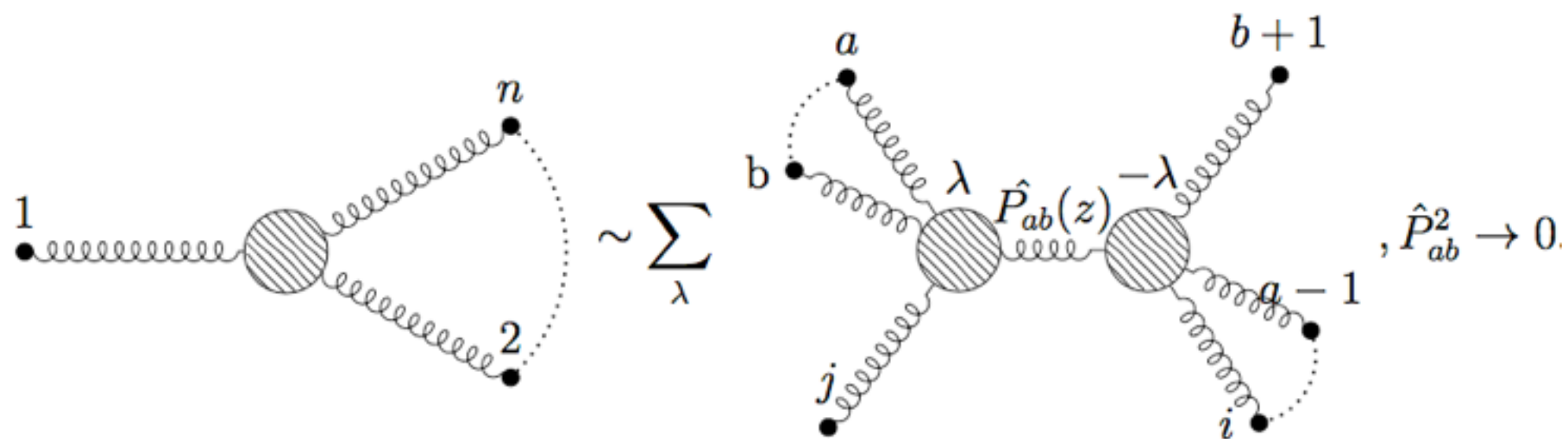
$$= \sum_{j=1}^{n-1} \text{diagram} + \sum_{j=1}^{n-2} \sum_{k=j+1}^{n-1} \text{diagram}$$

BCFW relation

$$0 = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_C dz \frac{A(z)}{z} = A(0) + \sum_{\text{poles}(z_\alpha \neq 0)} \text{Res}\left(\frac{A(z)}{z}, z_\alpha\right)$$

$$\hat{P}_{ab}(z) = \sum_{k=a}^b |k\rangle [k| - z |i\rangle [j|$$

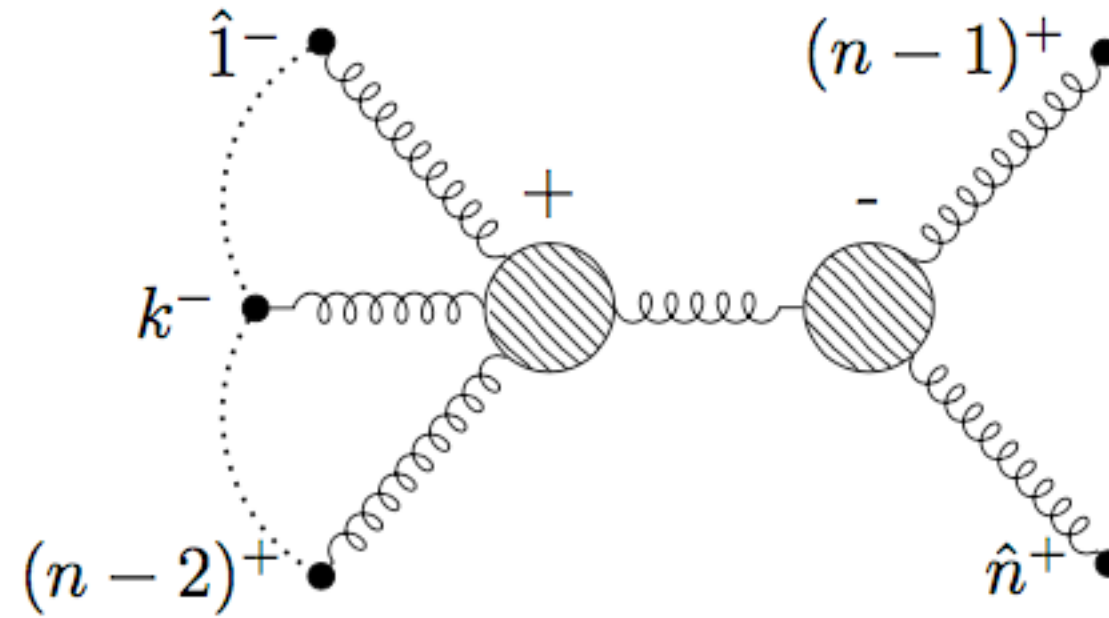
$$A(1, \dots, n) \sim \sum_{\lambda} A_L(a, \dots, b, -\hat{P}_{ab}^\lambda) \frac{1}{\hat{P}_{ab}^2} A_R(\hat{P}_{ab}^{-\lambda}, b+1, \dots, a-1)$$



Park-Taylor Amplitude

MHV n - gluon Amplitudes

$$A_n(1^-, 2^+, \dots, k^-, \dots, n^+) =$$



$$A_n(1^-, 2^+, \dots, k^-, \dots, n^+)$$

$$= \frac{\langle 1k \rangle^4}{\langle 12 \rangle \cdots \langle n-3|n-2 \rangle \langle n-2|n-1 \rangle \langle n-1|n \rangle \langle n1 \rangle}.$$

Twister space

Momenta in bi-spinor

$$p^\mu \rightarrow \lambda_a \lambda_{\dot{a}}$$

Scaling

$$\lambda_a \rightarrow z \lambda_a$$

$$\lambda_{\dot{a}} \rightarrow \frac{1}{z} \lambda_{\dot{a}}$$

Transform

$$\begin{aligned} \lambda_{\dot{a}} &\rightarrow i \frac{\partial}{\partial \lambda^{\dot{a}}} \\ -i \frac{\partial}{\partial \lambda^{\dot{a}}} &\rightarrow \lambda_{\dot{a}} \end{aligned}$$

Fourier Transform

$$f(\bar{\lambda}^{\dot{a}}) = \int \frac{d^2 p}{(2\pi)^2} \exp(i \bar{\lambda}^{\dot{a}} \lambda_{\dot{a}}) f(\lambda_{\dot{a}})$$

Weinzierl's comparison

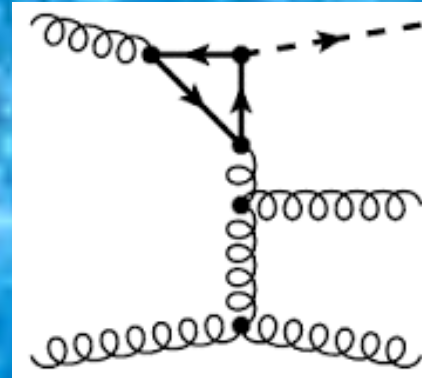
Compare algorithms based on different methods for the numerical computation of the Born gluon amplitude:

n	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Berends-Giele	0.00011	0.00043	0.0015	0.005	0.016	0.047	0.13	0.37	1
Scalar	0.00014	0.00083	0.0033	0.011	0.033	0.097	0.26	0.7	1.8
MHV	0.00001	0.00053	0.0056	0.073	0.62	3.67	29	217	—
BCF	0.00002	0.00007	0.0004	0.003	0.017	0.083	0.47	2.5	14.5

CPU time in seconds for the computation of the n gluon amplitude on a standard PC (Pentium IV with 2 GHz), summed over all helicities.

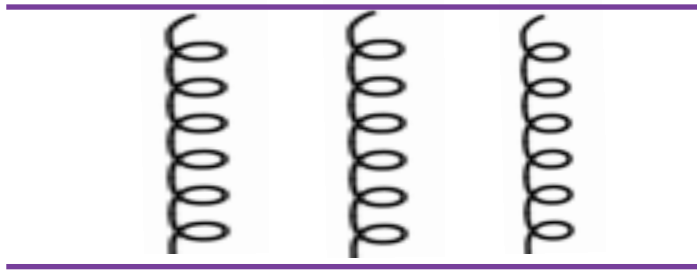
All methods give identical results within an accuracy of 10^{-12} .

NLO



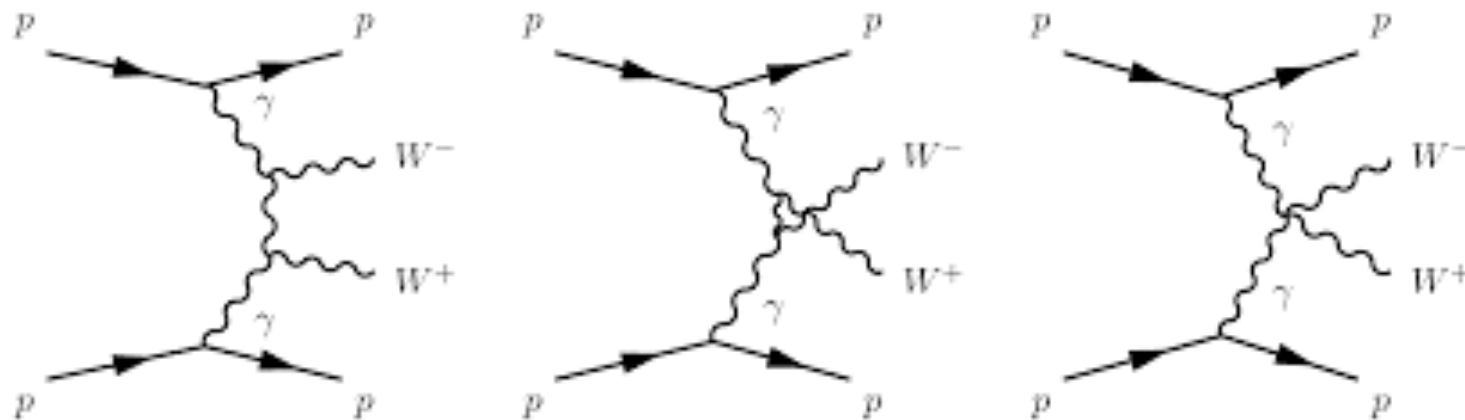
Beyond LO

Loop integral



$$\mathbf{I} = \prod_{i=1}^{N_k} \int \frac{d^n k_i}{(2\pi)^n} \frac{N(\{k_l\}, \{p_m\})}{D_1^{a_1} D_2^{a_2} \cdots D_{N_d}^{a_{N_d}}}$$

Phase space integrals



$$d\Phi_N = \prod_{i=1}^N \left(\int \frac{d^n p_i}{(2\pi)^n} \delta(p_i^2 - m_i^2) \right) (2\pi)^n \delta^n \left(q - \sum_i p_i \right)$$

Loop Integrals

Numerator: Reducible
 Irreducible

Reducible if

$$(p_i \cdot k_j)^{a_k}$$

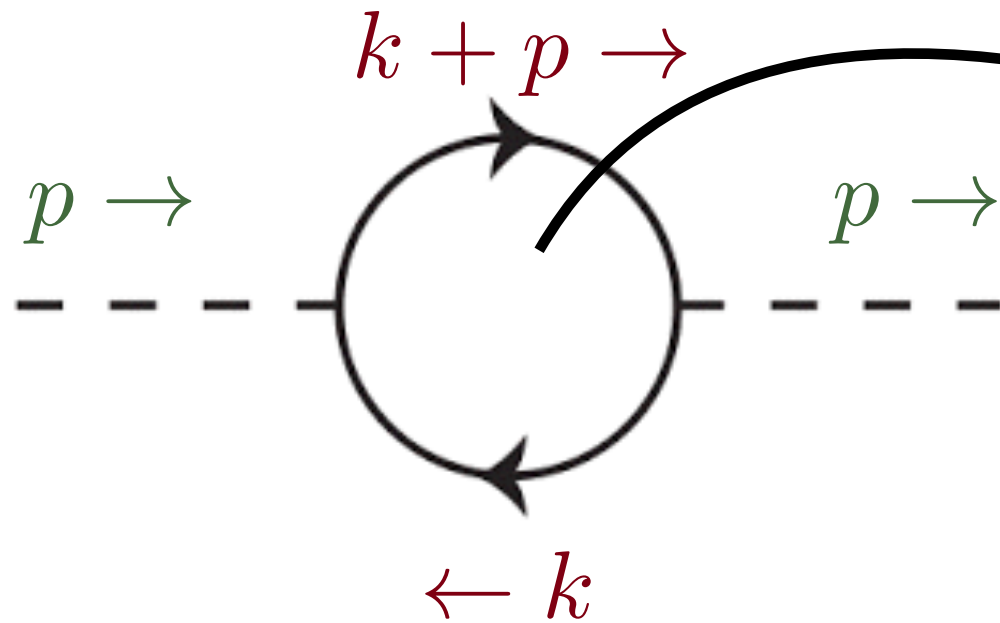
$$(k_i \cdot k_j)^{b_k}$$



are expressible in
terms of Denominators

$$\frac{(p \cdot k)_j}{D_j} = \frac{1}{C_j} \left(1 - \frac{D_j - C_j (p \cdot k)_j}{D_j} \right), \quad j = 1, \dots, N_d,$$

Loop Integrals



$$\int \frac{d^n k}{(2\pi)^n} \frac{(k \cdot p)^a}{D_1 D_2}$$

$$D_1 = k^2 + i\epsilon$$

$$D_2 = (k + p)^2 + i\epsilon, \quad p^2 < 0$$

$$\frac{k \cdot p}{D_1} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{D_2}{D_1} - 1 - \frac{p^2}{D_1} \right)$$

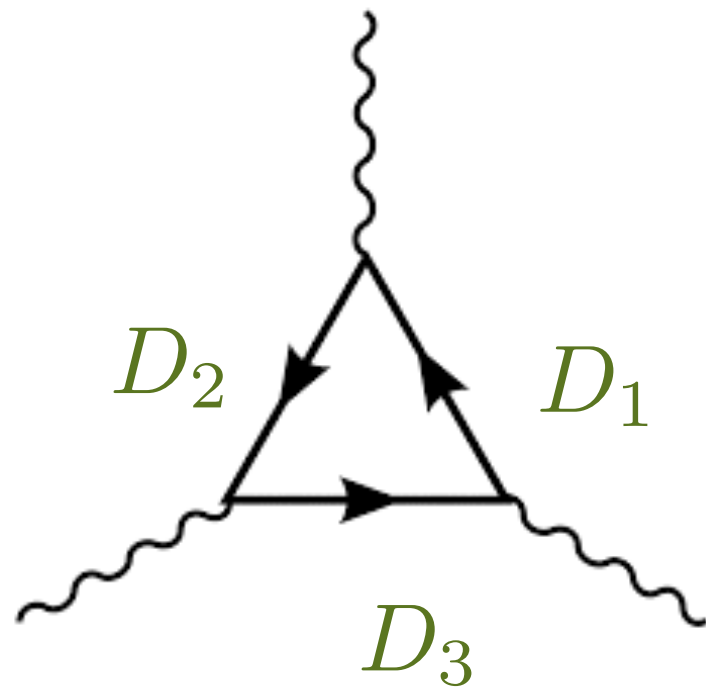
$$\frac{k \cdot p}{D_2} = \frac{1}{2} \left(1 - \frac{D_1}{D_2} - \frac{p^2}{D_2} \right)$$

Reducible

$$\int \frac{d^n k}{(2\pi)^n} \frac{k \cdot p}{D_1 D_2} = \frac{1}{2} \left[\text{Diagram 1} \dots \text{Diagram 2} \dots p^2 \dots \text{Diagram 3} \right]$$

The diagram shows three bubble loops in a row, connected by dashed lines. The first loop has a red 'x' at the top and a blue dot at the bottom. The second loop is empty. The third loop has a blue dot at the bottom. The term p^2 is placed between the second and third loops. The entire expression is enclosed in large green square brackets.

Tensorial Reduction



$$I_\mu = \int \frac{d^n k}{(2\pi)^n} \frac{k_\mu}{D_1 D_2 D_3}$$

$$I_\mu = A_1 p_{1\mu} + A_2 p_{2\mu}$$

$$I_1 = p_1 \cdot I = A_2 p_1 \cdot p_2$$

$$I_2 = p_2 \cdot I = A_1 p_2 \cdot p_1$$

$$A_1 = \frac{1}{2p_1 \cdot p_2} \left[\text{Diagram 1} - \text{Diagram 2} + \text{Diagram 3} \right]$$

The diagrammatic expression for A_1 is shown within large green square brackets. It consists of three Feynman diagrams representing triangle loops with wavy external lines. The first diagram has a red 'X' on the bottom internal line. The second diagram has a red 'X' on the left internal line. The third diagram is the original triangle loop with no red 'X's. The diagrams are separated by minus and plus signs, with a plus sign 'S' following the second diagram.

Ossola-Papadopoulos-Pittau (OPP method)

Integrand : $\frac{N(k, p_i)}{D_1 D_2 D_3 D_4}$ $D_i = (k + \sum_j c_j p_j)^2 - m_i^2$

$$\begin{aligned} N(k, p_i) = & \sum_{i_1 < i_2 < i_3 < i_4}^m \left[d(i_1 i_2 i_3 i_4) + \tilde{d}(k, i_1 i_2 i_3 i_4) \right] \prod_{i \neq i_1 i_2 i_3 i_4}^m D_i \\ & + \sum_{i_1 < i_2 < i_3}^m \left[c(i_1 i_2 i_3) + \tilde{c}(k, i_1 i_2 i_3) \right] \prod_{i \neq i_1 i_2 i_3}^m D_i \\ & + \sum_{i_1 < i_2}^m \left[b(i_1 i_2) + \tilde{b}(k, i_1 i_2) \right] \prod_{i \neq i_1 i_2}^m D_i \\ & + \sum_{i_1}^m \left[b(i_1 i_2) + \tilde{b}(k, i_1) \right] \prod_{i \neq i_1}^m D_i + P(q) \prod_{i=1}^m D_i \end{aligned}$$

Best suited for Numerical Methods

NLO QCD - Tool Kits

ANALYTICAL TOOLS

Faster generation of Feynman diagram

QGRAF

Symbolic Manipulation:

FORM, Mathematica

On-Shell Methods

BCFW

Recursion techniques

BG

MERGING NLO WITH SHOWERS

MC@NLO

POWEG

SHERPA

VINCIA

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SEMI-NUMERICAL METHODS

Helac-NLO

CutTools

BlackHat

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MADLoop

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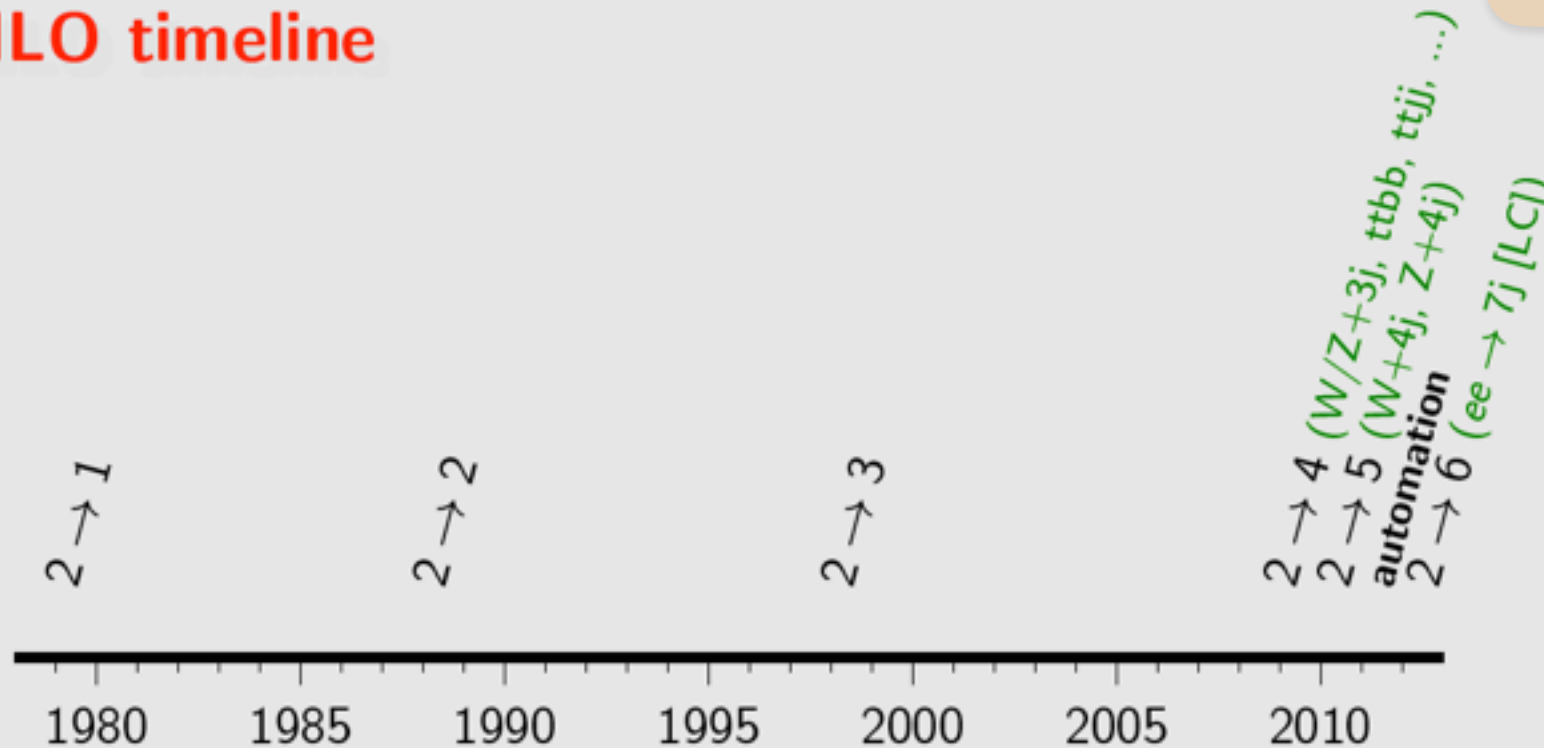


NLO revolution

1979: NLO Drell-Yan [Altarelli, Ellis & Martinelli]
1991: NLO $gg \rightarrow$ Higgs [Dawson; Djouadi, Spira & Zerwas]

1987: NLO high- p_T photoproduction [Aurenche et al]
1988: NLO $b\bar{b}, t\bar{t}$ [Nason et al]
1988: NLO dijets [Aversa et al]
1993: Vj [JETRAD, Giele, Glover & Kosower]

NLO timeline

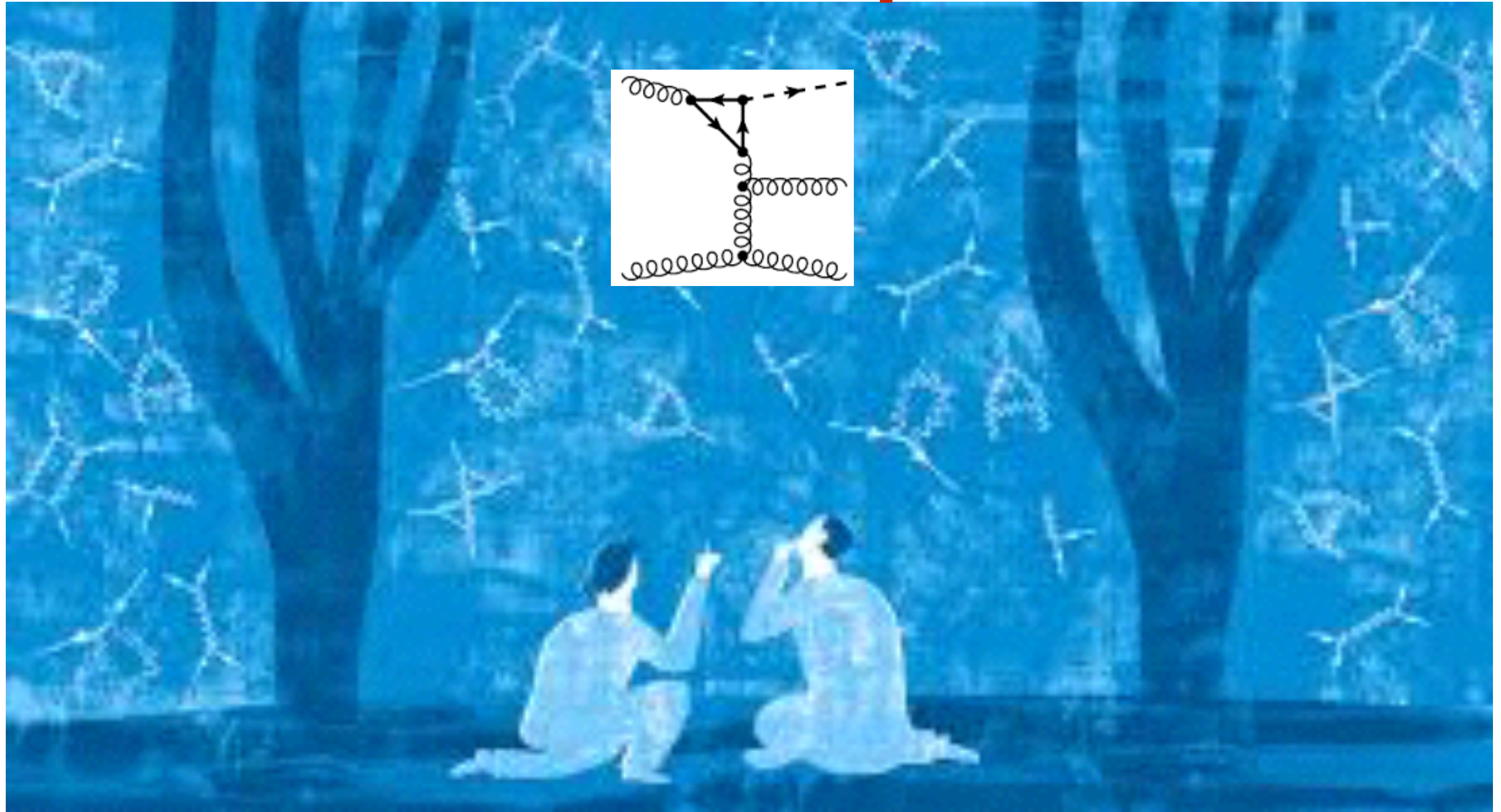


Golem, HELAC
BlackHat

1998: NLO $Wb\bar{b}$ [MCFM: Ellis & Veseli]
2000: NLO $Zb\bar{b}$ [MCFM: Campbell & Ellis]
2001: NLO $3j$ [NLOJet++: Nagy]
...
2007: NLO $t\bar{t}j$ [Dittmaier, Uwer & Weinzierl '07]
...

2009: NLO $W+3j$ [Rocket: Ellis, Melnikov & Zanderighi]
2009: NLO $W+3j$ [BlackHat+Sherpa: Berger et al]
2009: NLO $t\bar{t}b\bar{b}$ [Bredenstein et al]
2009: NLO $t\bar{t}b\bar{b}$ [HELAC-NLO: Bevilacqua et al]
2009: NLO $q\bar{q} \rightarrow b\bar{b}b\bar{b}$ [Golem: Binoth et al]
2010: NLO $t\bar{t}jj$ [HELAC-NLO: Bevilacqua et al]
2010: NLO $Z+3j$ [BlackHat+Sherpa: Berger et al]
...

2-loop



Integration By Parts (IBP)

$$D_i = q_i^2 + i\epsilon \qquad q_i = \sum_j k_l + \sum_l p_j$$
$$\prod_{i=1}^{N_k} \int \frac{d^n k_i}{(2\pi)^n} \frac{1}{D_1^{a_1} D_2^{a_2} \cdots D_{N_d}^{a_{N_d}}}$$

n-Dimensional Gauss theorem

$$\int \prod_{i=1}^{N_k} \frac{d^n k_i}{(2\pi)^n} \frac{\partial}{\partial k_{j,\mu}} \left(\frac{k_{l,\mu}}{D_1^{a_1} D_2^{a_2} \cdots D_{N_d}^{a_{N_d}}} \right) = 0 \qquad j, l = 1, \cdots, N_k$$

$$\int \prod_{i=1}^{N_k} \frac{d^n k_i}{(2\pi)^n} \frac{\partial}{\partial k_{j,\mu}} \left(\frac{p_{l,\mu}}{D_1^{a_1} D_2^{a_2} \cdots D_{N_d}^{a_{N_d}}} \right) = 0 \qquad l = 1, \cdots, N_e - 1$$

Integration By Parts (IBP) identities

Integration By Parts (IBP)

$$\text{Number of IBP identities} = N_k(N_k + N_e - 1)$$

IBP identities:

$$\sum_i C_i(s_{ij}, n) I_i(\{p_j\}, n, a_1, \dots, a_{N_e}) = 0$$

Integrals:

$$i = 1, \dots, N_I$$
$$s_{ij} = (p_i + p_j)^2$$

Solving IBP identities \rightarrow Master Integrals:

$$I_i(\{p_j\}, a_1, \dots, a_{N_e})$$

$$i = 1, \dots, N_{MI}$$

Good News

$$N_{MI} \ll N_I$$

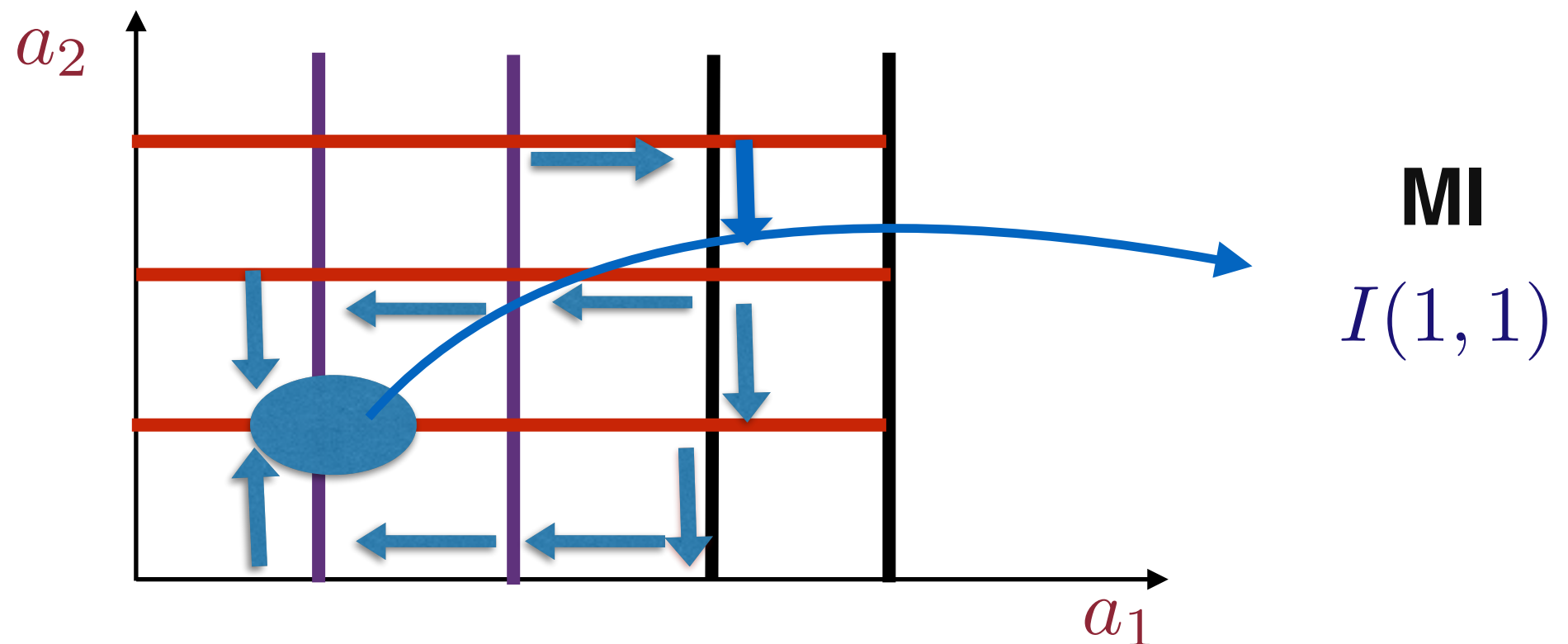
Integration By Parts (IBP)

$$I(a_1, a_2) = \int \frac{d^n k}{(2\pi)^n} \frac{1}{(k^2)^{a_1} ((k+p)^2)^{a_2}}$$

$$\int \frac{d^n k}{(2\pi)^n} \frac{\partial}{\partial k_\mu} \left(\frac{v_\mu}{(k^2)^{a_1} ((k+p)^2)^{a_2}} \right) = 0$$

$$v = k, p$$

$$I(a_1, a_2) = \frac{a_1 + a_2 - n - 1}{p^2(a_2 - 1)} I(a_1, a_2 - 1) + \frac{1}{p^2} I(a_1 - 1, a_2)$$



Lorentz Invariant Identities

Integrals are Lorentz scalars

$$\omega^{\mu\nu} = -\omega^{\nu\mu}$$

$$p_i^\mu \rightarrow p_i^\mu + \delta p_i^\mu = p_i^\mu + \omega^{\mu\nu} p_\nu,$$

$$I(p_i + \delta p_i) = I(p_i) + \omega^{\mu\nu} \sum_j p_{j,\nu} \frac{\partial}{\partial p_j^\mu} I(p_i) = I(p_i)$$

Anti-symmetry

$$\omega^{\mu\nu} = -\omega^{\nu\mu}$$

$$\sum_i p_{i,[\mu} \frac{\partial}{\partial p_i^{\nu]} I(p_i) = 0$$

Anti-symmetry of $p_j^{[\mu} p_k^{\nu]}$

$$p_j^{[\mu} p_k^{\nu]} \sum_i p_{i,[\mu} \frac{\partial}{\partial p_i^{\nu]} I(p_i) = 0$$

Solving Master Integrals

Consider a Master Integral

$$I(s_{ij}, n) = \prod_{i=1}^{N_k} \int \frac{d^n k_i}{(2\pi)^n} \frac{1}{D_1 D_2 \cdots D_{N_f}}$$

Define $s_{12} = s$

$$D_i = q_i^2 + i\epsilon \quad q_i = \sum_j k_l + \sum_l p_j$$
$$s = (p_1 + p_2)^2$$

Differential w.r.t s

$$s \frac{\partial}{\partial s} I(s_{ij}, n) = \prod_{i=1}^{N_k} \int \frac{d^n k_i}{(2\pi)^n} s \frac{\partial}{\partial s} \left(\frac{1}{D_1 D_2 \cdots D_{N_f}} \right)$$

Master Integrals

Generalization with set of MIs

$$\vec{I} = (I_1, I_2, \cdot, \cdot, \cdot, I_N)$$

$\{I_i(\vec{x})\}$ depend on Scaling variables

$$\vec{x} = (x_1, x_2, \cdot, \cdot, \cdot, x_M)$$

$$x_i = f_i \left(\frac{s_{ij}}{Q^2} \right)$$

Differential equation:

$$d\vec{I} = \sum_{i=1}^M \mathbf{A}_i dx_i \vec{I}$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x_i} \begin{bmatrix} I_1 \\ \cdot \\ I_N \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{A}_{11} & \cdots & \mathbf{A}_{1N} \\ \cdot & \cdots & \cdot \\ \mathbf{A}_{N1} & \cdots & \mathbf{A}_{NN} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} I_1 \\ \cdot \\ I_N \end{bmatrix}$$

$$i = 1, 2, \cdot, \cdot, \cdot M$$

Canonical/Henn's Basis

Consider Diff equation:

$$d\vec{I}(\vec{x}, n) = \sum_i \mathbf{A}_i(\vec{x}, n) dx_i \vec{I}(\vec{x}, n)$$

Choose U Transformation such that

$$U^{-1} \mathbf{A}(\vec{x}, n) U - U^{-1} dU = (n - 4) \overline{\mathbf{A}}(\vec{x})$$

Diff equation contains ,n' independent A

$$d\vec{I}(\vec{x}, n) = (n - 4) \sum_i \overline{\mathbf{A}}_i(\vec{x}) dx_i \vec{I}(\vec{x}, n)$$

Solution

$$\vec{I}(\vec{x}, n) = \vec{I}(\vec{x}_0, n) \mathbf{P} \exp \left((n - 4) \int \frac{d\lambda}{\lambda} \overline{\mathbf{A}}(\lambda) \right)$$

P - Path Ordered exponential

Canonical/Henn's Basis

Start with Henn's Diff equation:

$$s \frac{\partial}{\partial s} \bar{I}(s, n) = (n - 4) \bar{A}(s) \bar{I}(s, n)$$

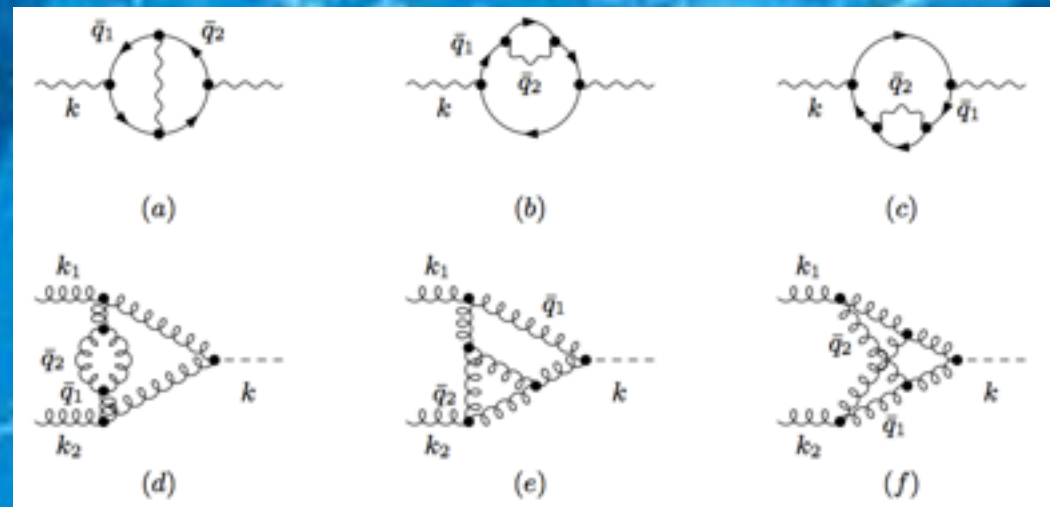
If \bar{A} contains poles at s_i $\bar{A}(s) = \sum_i \frac{\tilde{A}_i(s_i)}{s - s_i}$

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{I}(s, n) = & \bar{I}^{(0)}(s_0) + (n - 4) \sum_i \tilde{A}_i(s_i) \log \left(\frac{s - s_i}{s_0 - s_i} \right) \\ & + (n - 4)^2 \sum_i \tilde{\tilde{A}}(s_i) \mathcal{L}_i(s_0, s_i) + \dots \end{aligned}$$

Polylogarithms

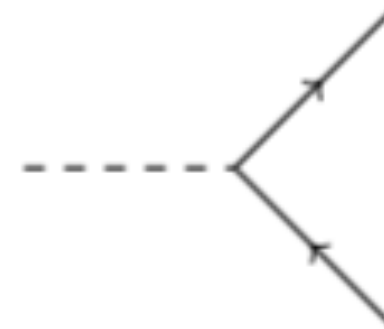
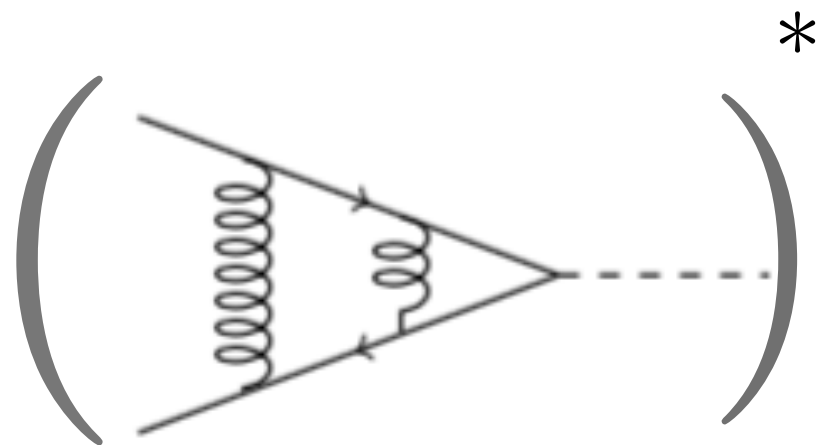
- Uniform transcendental terms

NNLO



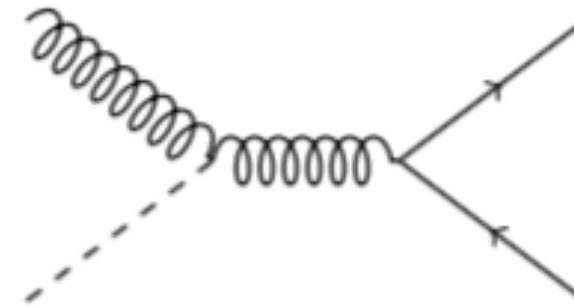
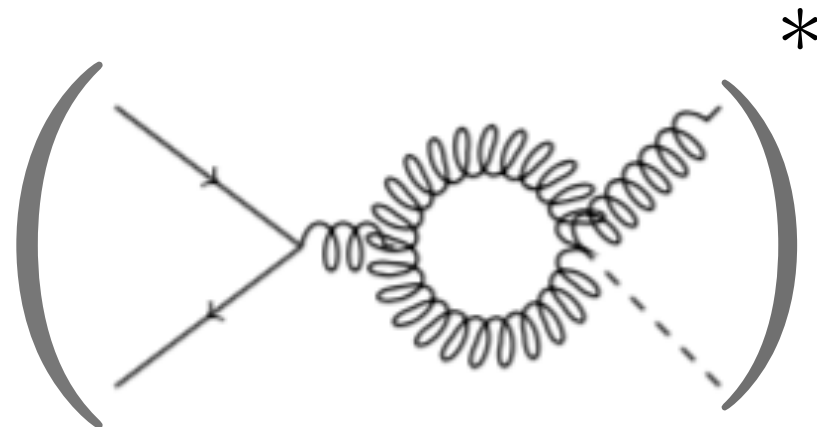
NNLO corrections:

Pure Virtual



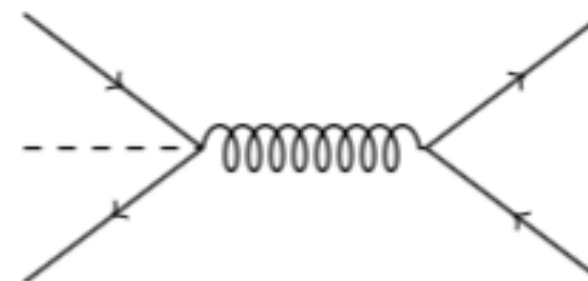
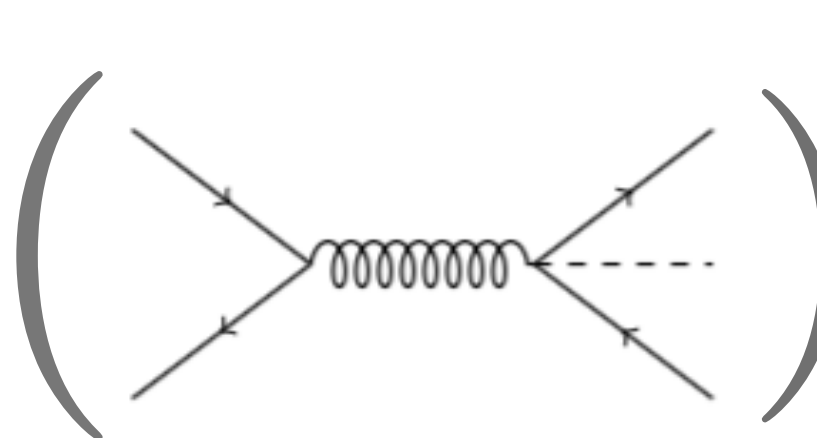
+ 53 terms .

Virtual - Real



+ 171 terms .

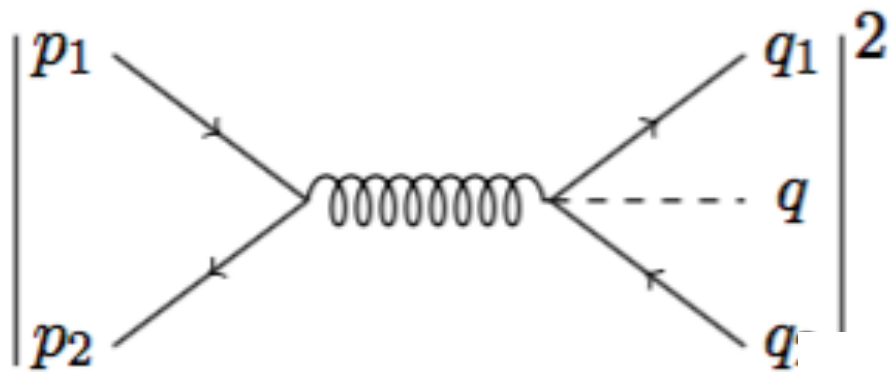
Real-Real



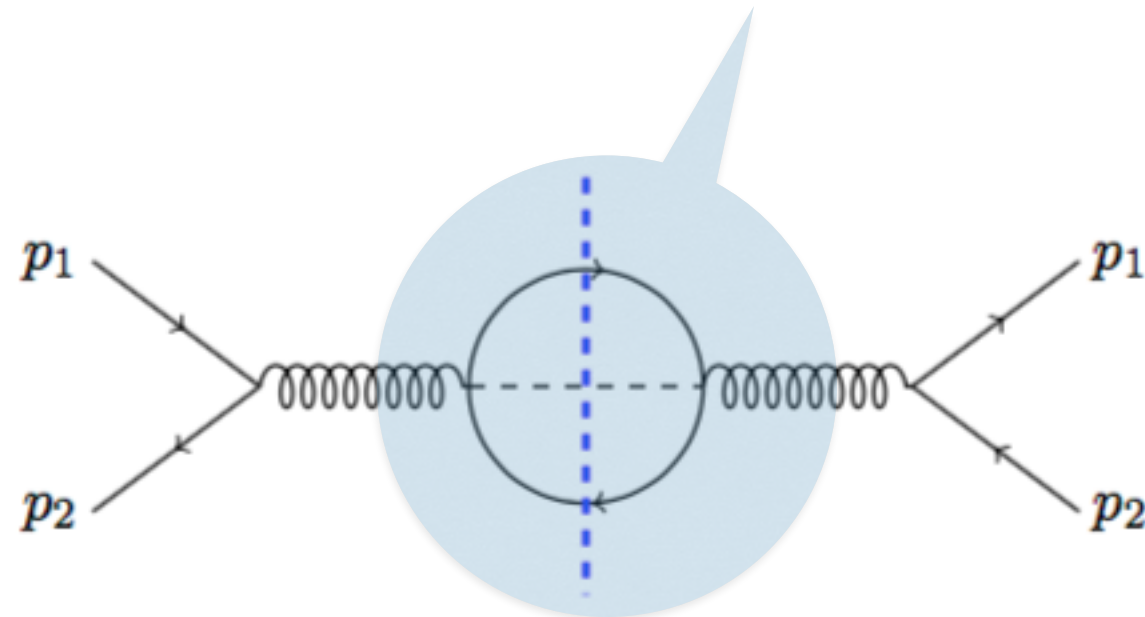
+ 293 terms .

Reverse Unitarity

Real-Real



$$\propto \int \frac{d^n q_1}{(2\pi)^{n-1}} \frac{d^n q_2}{(2\pi)^{n-1}} \delta_+(q_1^2) \delta_+(q_2^2) \delta_+(q^2 - m_h^2) [\dots]$$



Reverse Unitarity

$$\delta_+(q^2 - m^2) \sim \frac{1}{q^2 - m^2 + i\epsilon} - \frac{1}{q^2 - m^2 - i\epsilon}$$



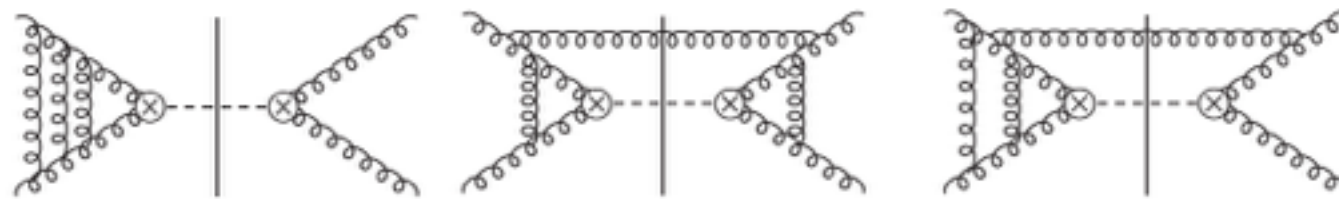
Loop Integrals

Higgs production to N^3LO in QCD at the LHC

Anastasiou, Duhr, Dulat, Furlan, Gehrmann, Herzog, Mistlberger

100 000 diagrams

Integration By Parts



Triple virtual

Real-virtual squared

Double virtual real

$$\int \frac{d^d k_1}{(2\pi)^d} \cdots \int \frac{d^d k_3}{(2\pi)^d} \frac{\partial}{\partial k_i} \cdot \left(v_j \frac{1}{\prod_l D_l^{n_l}} \right) = 0$$



Double real virtual

Triple real

Lorentz Invariance

$$p_i^\mu p_j^\nu \left(\sum_k p_{k[\nu} \frac{\partial}{\partial p_k^\mu]} \right) J(\vec{n}) = 0.$$



Integrals

Master Integrals

NNLO

50 000

27

Master Integrals

N3LO

517 531 178

1028

NNLO n-Jettiness:

$$\mathcal{T}_N = \sum_k \min_i \left\{ \frac{2p_i \cdot q_k}{Q_i} \right\}.$$

$$\mathcal{T}_N < \mathcal{T}_N^{\text{cut}}$$

$$\sigma(\mathcal{T}_N < \mathcal{T}_N^{\text{cut}}) = \int H \otimes B \otimes B \otimes S \otimes \left[\prod_n^N J_n \right] + \dots.$$

NNLO - analytical

$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} H - \text{pure virtual} \\ B - \text{Initial state beam fns.} \\ S - \text{Soft distribution fns.} \\ J - \text{Final state jet fns.} \end{array} \right.$

$$\mathcal{T}_N \geq \mathcal{T}_N^{\text{cut}}$$

$$\sigma(\mathcal{T}_N \geq \mathcal{T}_N^{\text{cut}})$$

NLO with two jets
finite- numerically

NNLO n-Jettiness:

$$\mathcal{T}_N < \mathcal{T}_N^{\text{cut}}$$

and

$$\mathcal{T}_N \geq \mathcal{T}_N^{\text{cut}}$$

$$\mathcal{T}_N^{\text{cut}} \rightarrow \mathcal{T}_\delta = \delta_{\text{IR}} Q,$$

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma(X) &= \int_0^{\mathcal{T}_\delta} d\mathcal{T}_N \frac{d\sigma(X)}{d\mathcal{T}_N} + \int_{\mathcal{T}_\delta} d\mathcal{T}_N \frac{d\sigma(X)}{d\mathcal{T}_N} \\ &= \sigma^{\text{sing}}(X, \mathcal{T}_\delta) + \int_{\mathcal{T}_\delta} d\mathcal{T}_N \frac{d\sigma(X)}{d\mathcal{T}_N} + \mathcal{O}(\delta_{\text{IR}}). \end{aligned}$$

$$\sigma^{\text{nons}}(X, \mathcal{T}_\delta) \text{ is of } \mathcal{O}(\mathcal{T}_\delta/Q) = \mathcal{O}(\delta_{\text{IR}}).$$

qT subtraction at N3LO:

$$d\sigma_{(N)NLO}^F = \mathcal{H}_{(N)NLO}^F \otimes d\sigma_{LO}^F + \left[d\sigma_{(N)LO}^{F+jets} - d\sigma_{(N)LO}^{CT} \right]$$

$$d\sigma^{CT} = d\sigma_{LO}^F \otimes \Sigma^F(q_T/Q) d^2\mathbf{q}_T.$$

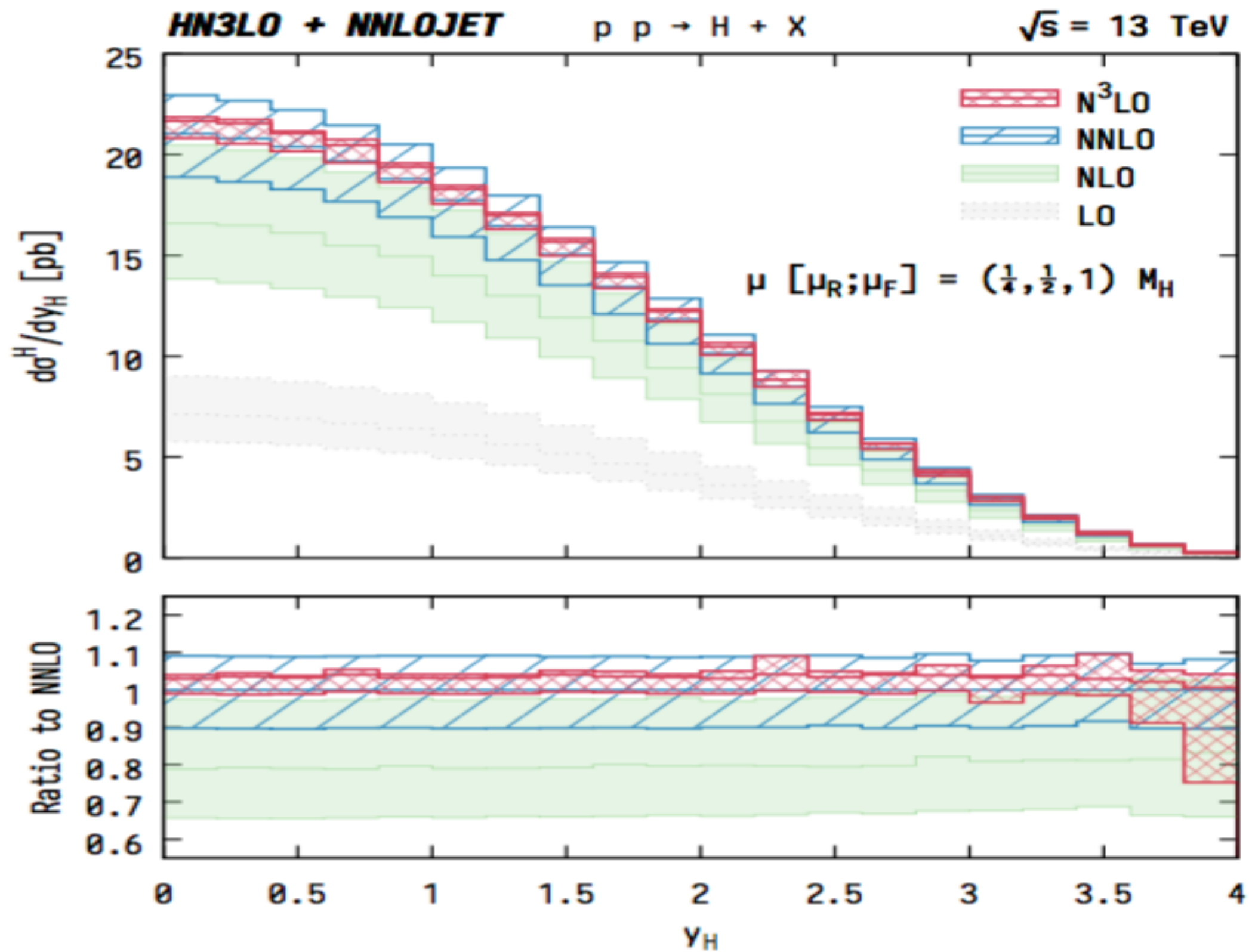
Note that

$$d\sigma_{(N)NLO}^F|_{q_T \neq 0} = d\sigma_{(N)LO}^{F+jets}$$

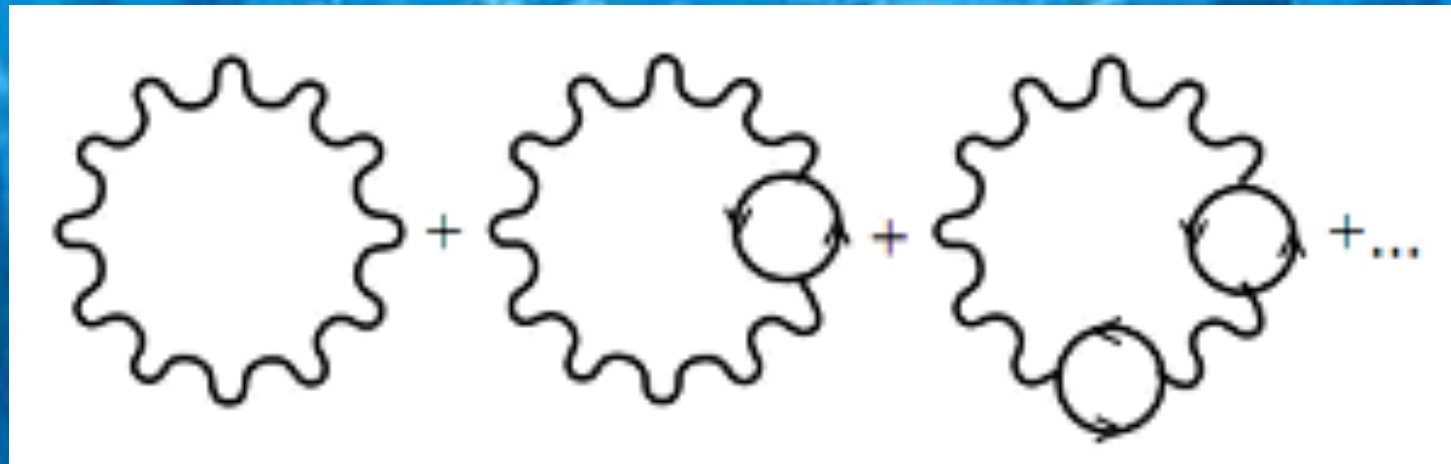
qT resummation gives

$$\Sigma^F(q_T/Q) \xrightarrow{q_T \rightarrow 0} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{\alpha_S}{\pi} \right)^n \sum_{k=1}^{2n} \Sigma^{F(n;k)} \frac{Q^2}{q_T^2} \ln^{k-1} \frac{Q^2}{q_T^2} .$$

qT subtraction at N3LO:



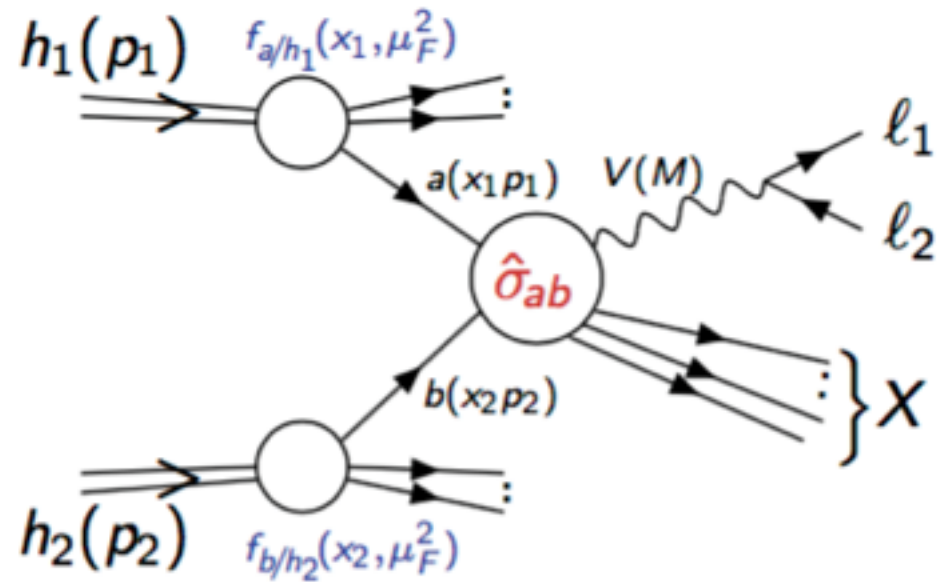
Resummation



Small q_T Resummation for DY

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dq_T^2}(q_T, M, s) = \sum_{a,b} \int_0^1 dx_1 \int_0^1 dx_2 f_{a/h_1}(x_1, \mu_F^2) f_{b/h_2}(x_2, \mu_F^2) \frac{d\hat{\sigma}_{ab}}{dq_T^2}(q_T, M, \hat{s}; \alpha_S, \mu_R^2, \mu_F^2).$$

For $q_T \rightarrow 0$, $\alpha_S^n \log^m(M^2/q_T^2) \gg 1$



$$\frac{d\hat{\sigma}}{dq_T^2} = \frac{d\hat{\sigma}^{(res)}}{dq_T^2} + \frac{d\hat{\sigma}^{(fin)}}{dq_T^2}$$

$$\frac{d\hat{\sigma}^{(res)}}{dq_T^2} = \frac{M^2}{\hat{s}} \int_0^\infty db \frac{b}{2} J_0(bq_T) \mathcal{W}(b, M)$$

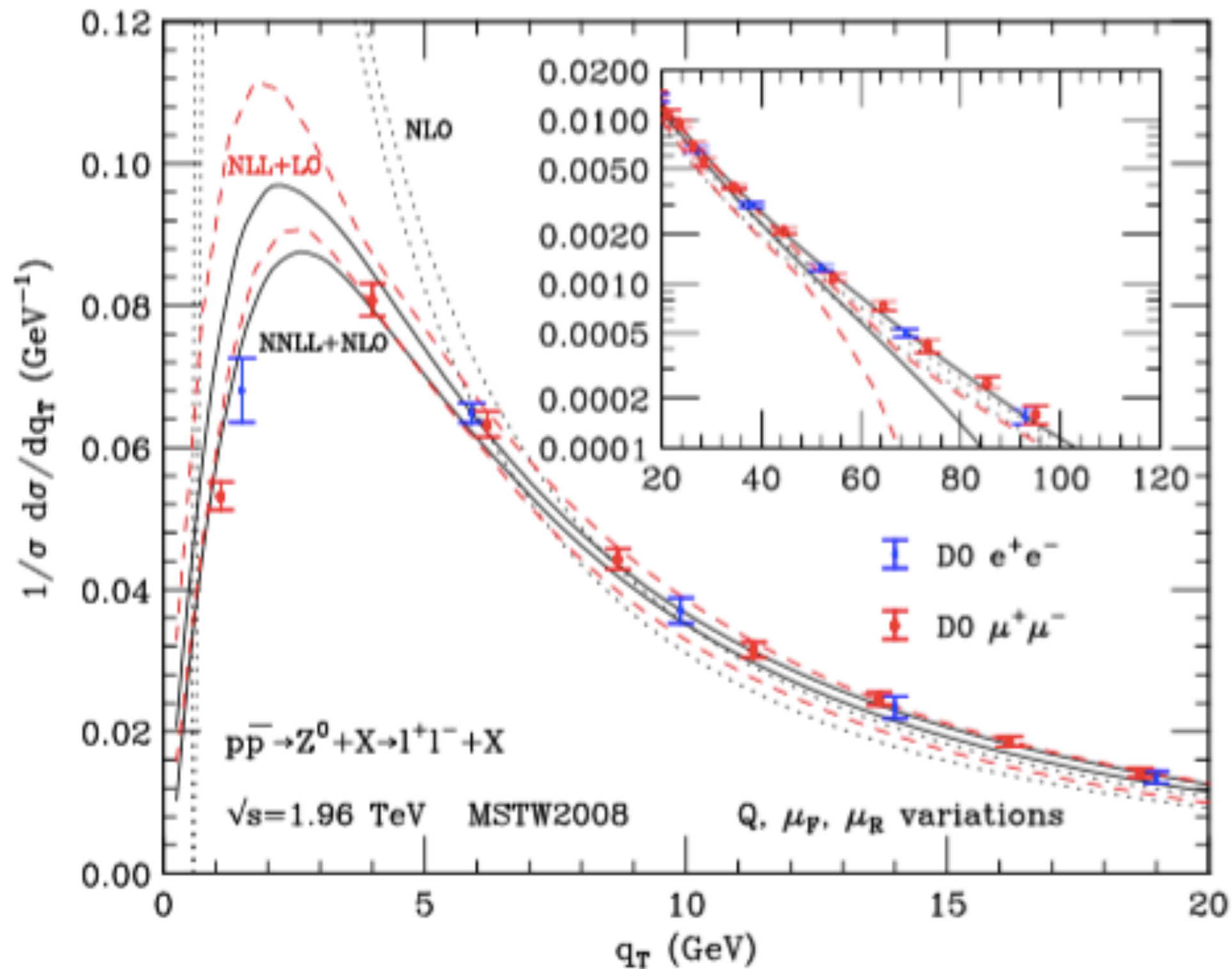
$$\mathcal{W}_N(b, M) = \mathcal{H}_N(\alpha_S) \times \exp \{ \mathcal{G}_N(\alpha_S, L) \}$$

$$L \equiv \log(M^2 b^2)$$

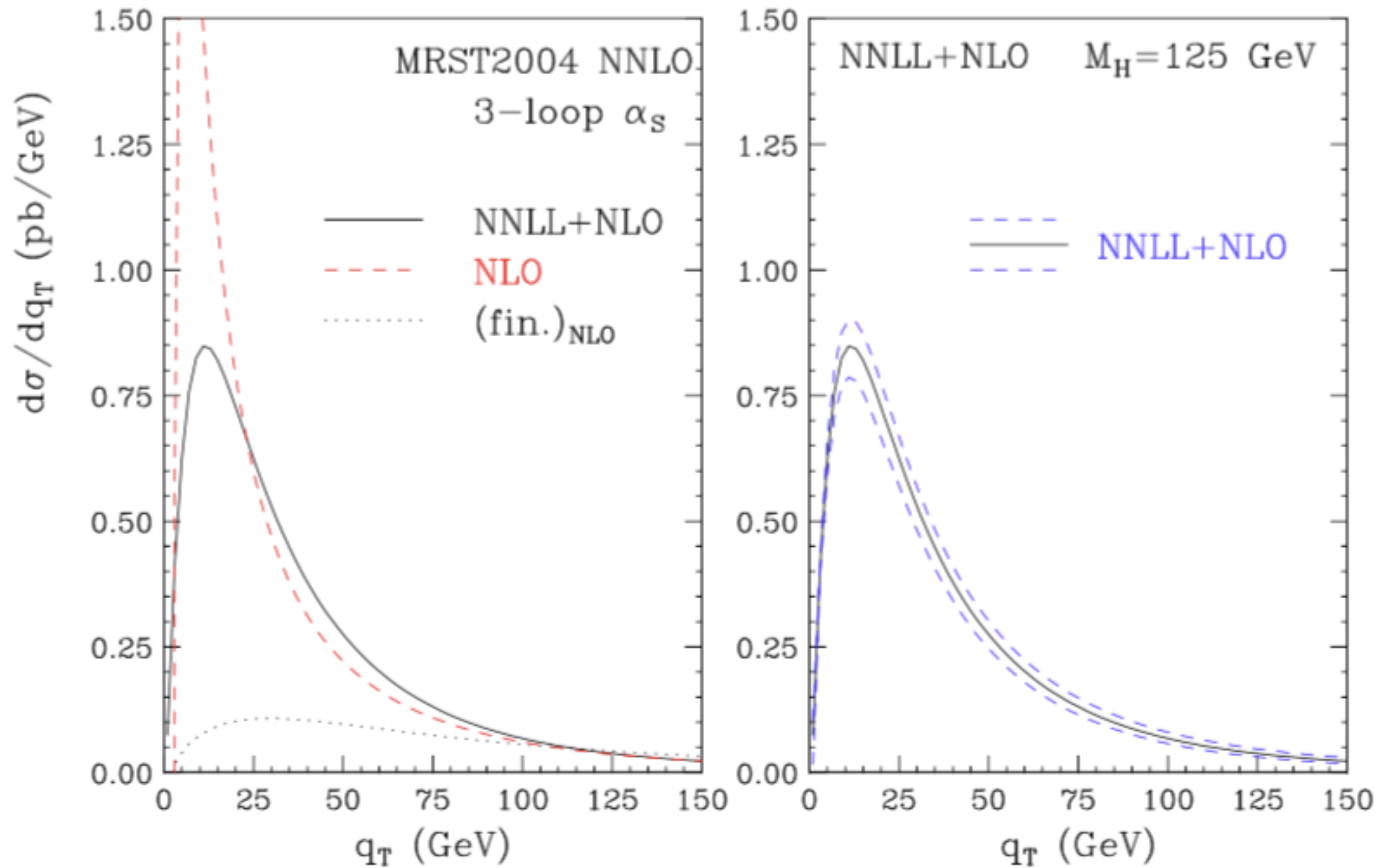
$$\mathcal{G}_N(\alpha_S, L) = L g^{(1)}(\alpha_S L) + g_N^{(2)}(\alpha_S L) + \frac{\alpha_S}{\pi} g_N^{(3)}(\alpha_S L) + \dots$$

Small q_T Resummation for DY

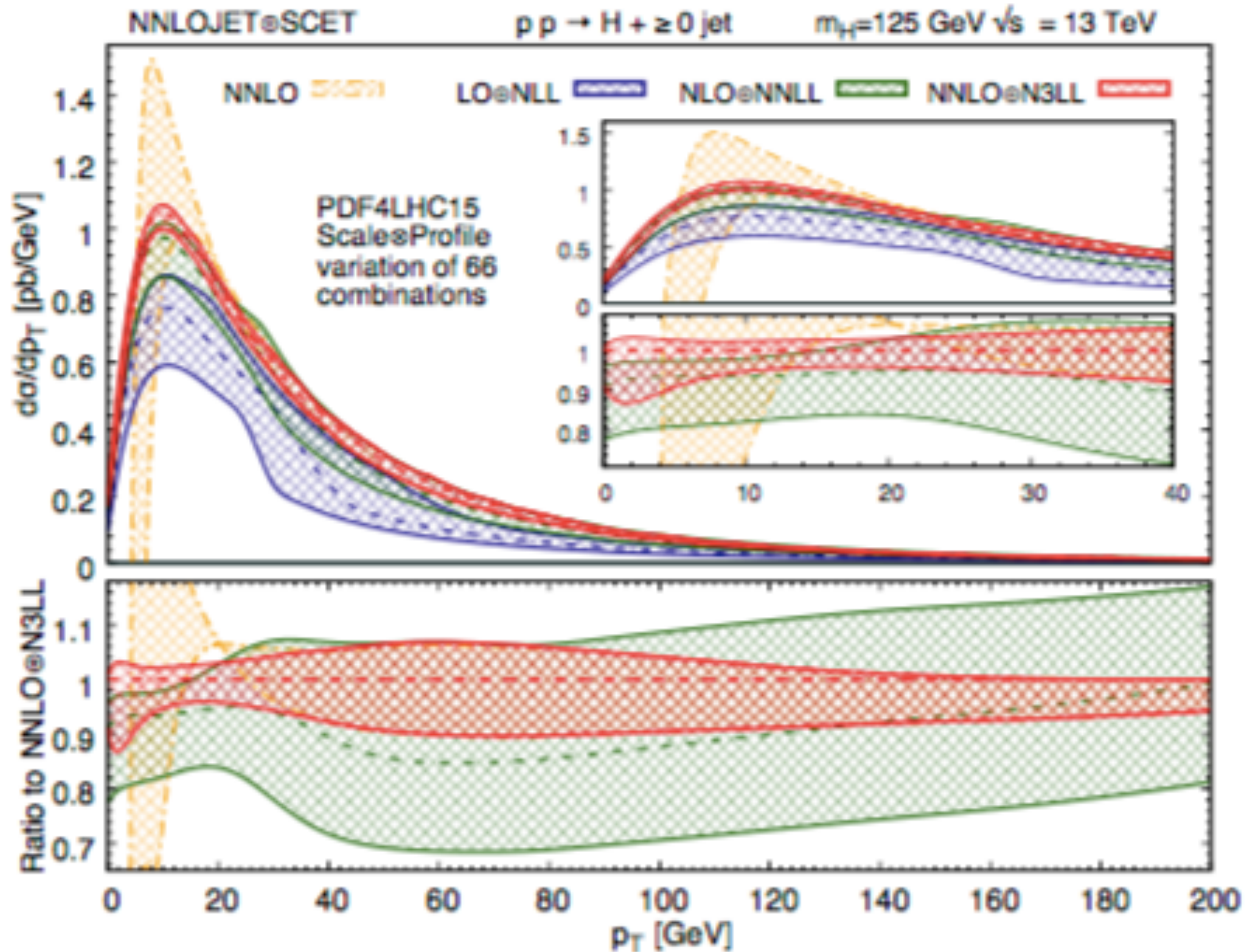
D0 data for the Z q_T spectrum compared with perturbative results.



Small q_T Resummation for Higgs



Small q_T Resummation for Higgs



Rapidity Distribution

Rapidity Distribution of any colorless particle:

$$\frac{d\sigma^I}{dy} = \hat{\sigma}_B^I \sum_{ab=q,\bar{q},g} \int_{x_1^0}^1 \frac{dz_1}{z_1} \int_{x_2^0}^1 \frac{dz_2}{z_2} \hat{\mathcal{H}}_{ab}^I \left(\frac{x_1^0}{z_1}, \frac{x_2^0}{z_2}, \mu^2 \right) \hat{\Delta}_{d,ab}^I (z_1, z_2, q^2, \mu^2)$$

DY production of lepton pairs

$$\sigma^I = \frac{d\sigma^q(\tau, q^2, y)}{dq^2} .$$

Higgs through gluon (bottom anti-bottom),

$$\sigma^I = \sigma^{g(b)}(\tau, q^2, y) .$$

Rapidity: $y = \frac{1}{2} \ln \left(\frac{p_2 \cdot q}{p_1 \cdot q} \right) = \ln \left(\frac{x_1^0}{x_2^0} \right), \quad \tau = x_1^0 x_2^0$

Partonic Scaling variables:

$$z_1 = \frac{x_1^0}{x_1}, \quad z_2 = \frac{x_2^0}{x_2}$$

Soft and Virtual terms

$$\Delta_d^I = \delta(1 - z_1)\delta(1 - z_2) + a_s \left\{ c_1^{(1)} \delta(1 - z_1)\delta(1 - z_2) + c_2^{(1)} \left(\frac{\ln(1 - z_1)}{1 - z_1} \right)_+ + R^{(1)}(z_1, z_2) + z_1 \leftrightarrow z_2 \right\} + \mathcal{O}(a_s^2)$$

$$\Delta_d^I(z_1, z_2) = \Delta_d^{I,SV}(z_1, z_2) + \Delta_d^{I,hard}(z_1, z_2)$$

Virtual , Soft $\delta(1 - z_i) \left(\frac{\ln(1 - z_i)}{(1 - z_i)} \right)_+$

$$\tilde{\Delta}_d^{I,SV}(\omega) = \int_0^1 dz_1 z_1^{N_1-1} \int_0^1 dz_2 z_2^{N_2-1} \Delta_d^{I,SV}(z_1, z_2)$$

Resummation to NNLL

Logarithms that are resummed in g_d^I

$$\mathcal{O}(a_s) \quad \ln^2(\bar{N}_1 \bar{N}_2)$$

$$\mathcal{O}(a_s^2) \quad \ln^3(\bar{N}_1 \bar{N}_2)$$

$$\mathcal{O}(a_s^3) \quad \ln^4(\bar{N}_1 \bar{N}_2)$$

LL

$$a_s^m \ln^{m+1}(\bar{N}_1 \bar{N}_2)$$

$$g_{d,1}^I \ln(\bar{N}_1 \bar{N}_2)$$

$$\ln(\bar{N}_1 \bar{N}_2)$$

$$\ln^2(\bar{N}_1 \bar{N}_2)$$

$$\ln^3(\bar{N}_1 \bar{N}_2)$$

NLL

$$a_s^m \ln^m(\bar{N}_1 \bar{N}_2)$$

$$g_{d,2}^I$$

$$\ln(\bar{N}_1 \bar{N}_2)$$

$$\ln^2(\bar{N}_1 \bar{N}_2)$$

NNLL

$$a_s^{m+1} \ln^m(\bar{N}_1 \bar{N}_2)$$

$$a_s g_{d,3}^I$$

Resummed
terms:

Function that
resums :

Soft Gluon Resummation

Double Mellin Transformation:

$$\tilde{\Delta}_d^{I,SV}(\omega) = \int_0^1 dz_1 z_1^{N_1-1} \int_0^1 dz_2 z_2^{N_2-1} \Delta_d^{I,SV}(z_1, z_2)$$

Resummed Rapidity distribution:

$$\tilde{\Delta}_d^{SV,I}(\omega) = \tilde{g}_{d,0}^I(a_s) \exp(g_d^I(a_s, \omega))$$

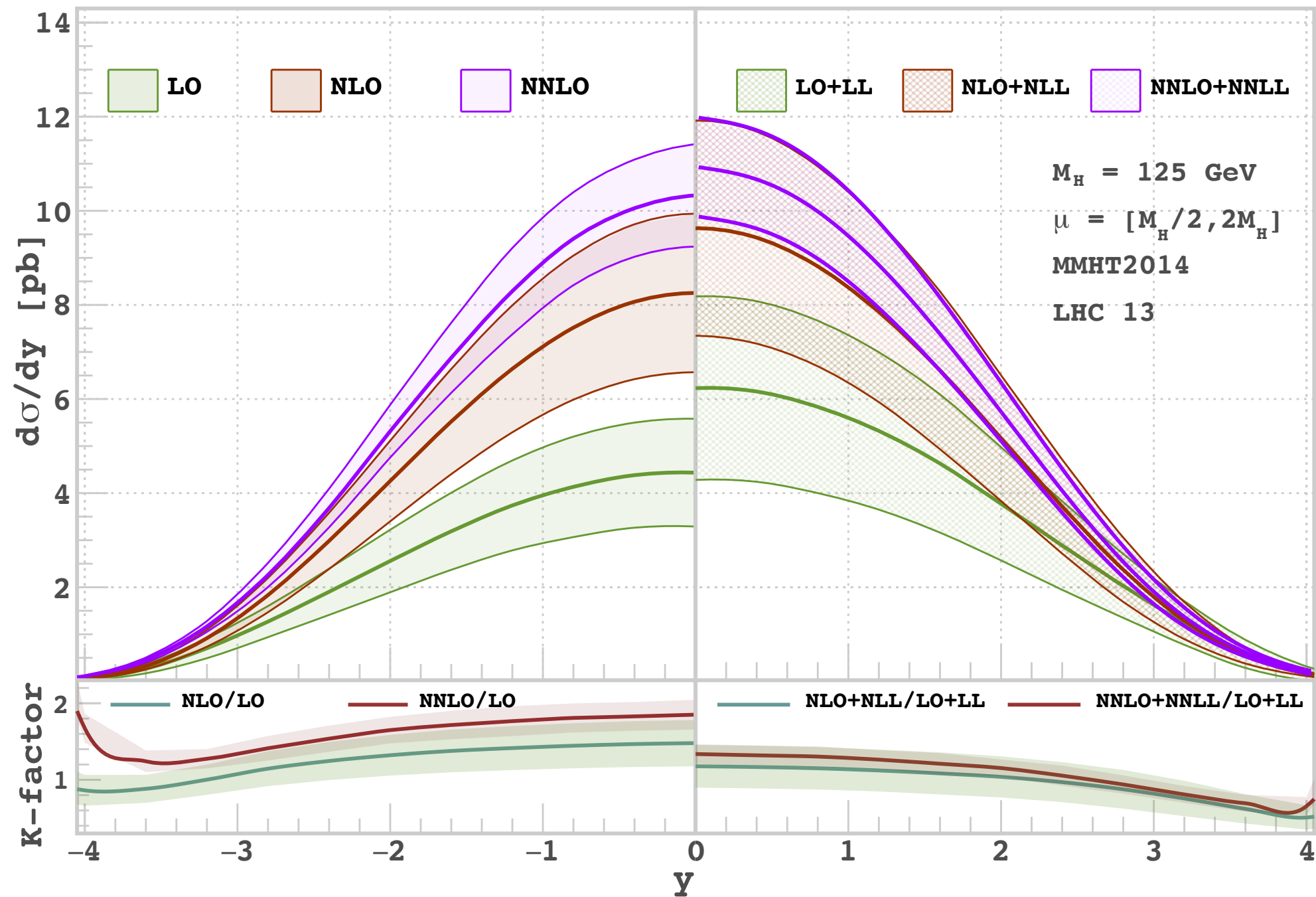
Ni dependent

Ni independent

$$\omega = a_s \beta_0 \ln(\bar{N}_1 \bar{N}_2)$$

$$\bar{N}_i = e^{\gamma_E} N_i$$

Rapidity of Higgs at NNLO + NNLL



Fixed order CS

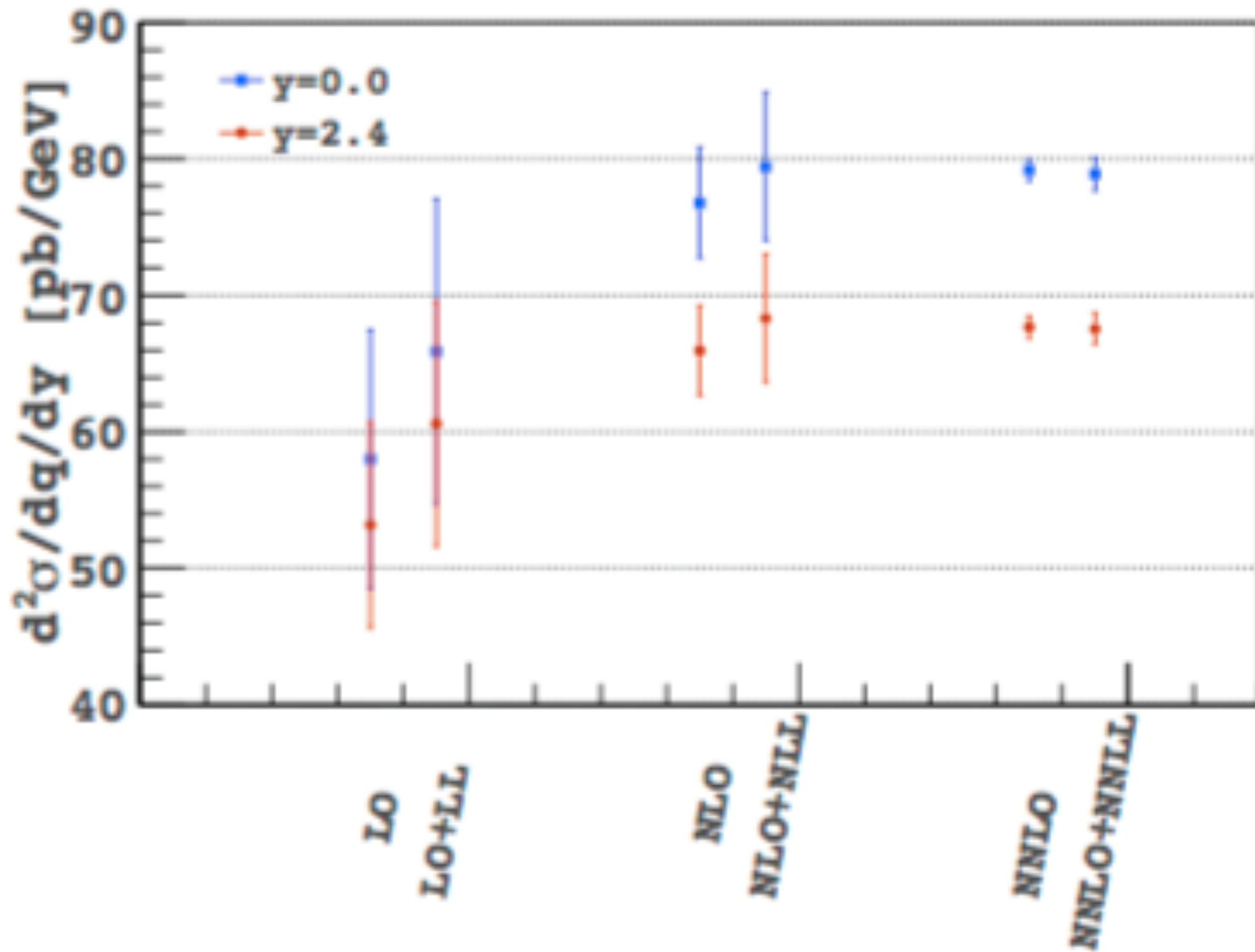
Resummed CS

$$M_H/2 \leq \mu_{R,F} \leq 2M_H$$

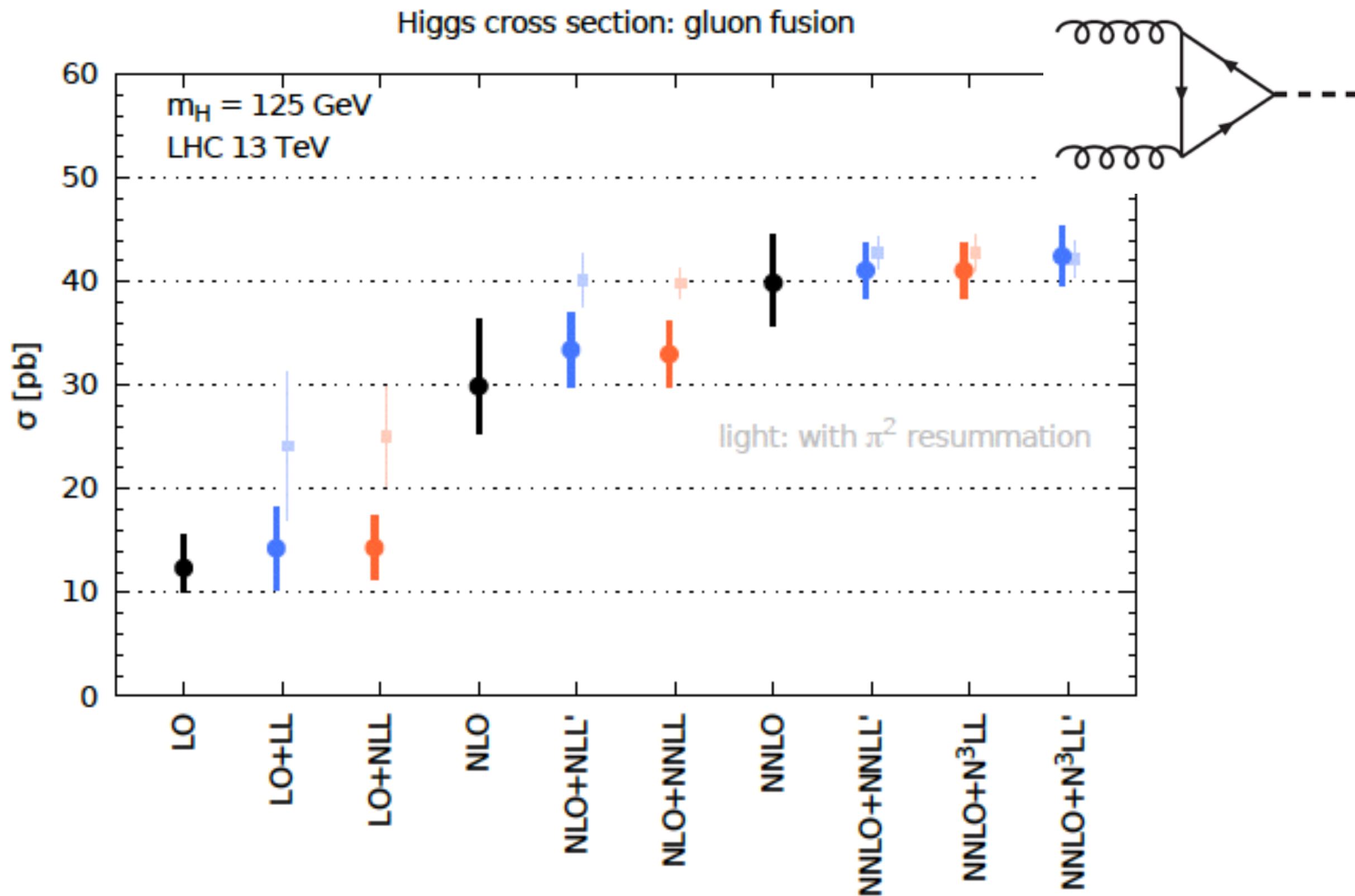
\Rightarrow

At NNLO+NNLL result stabilises convergence of perturbation series!

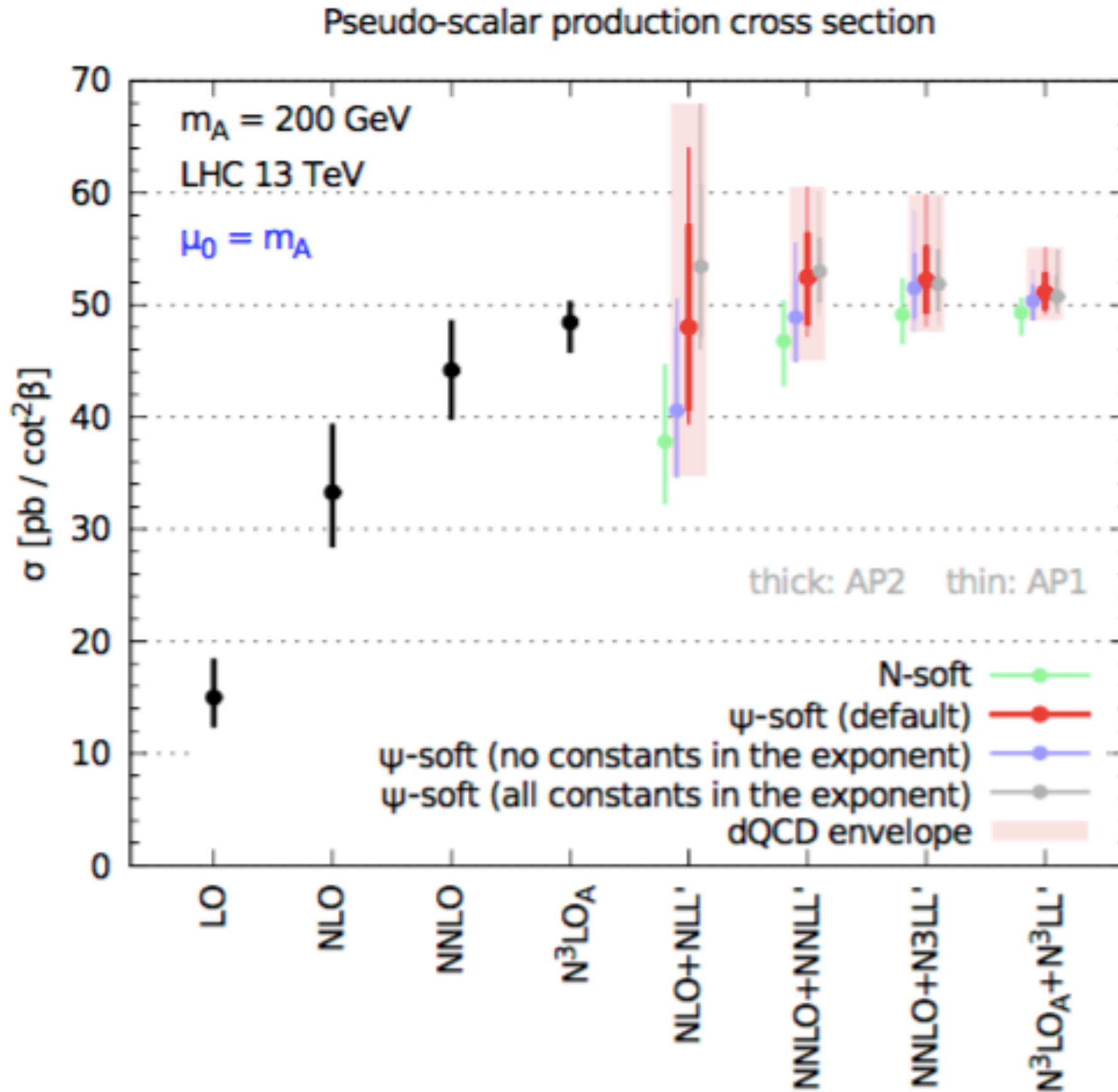
Rapidity of DY at NNLO + NNLL



Resummation at N3LL for Higgs



Pseudoscalar Higgs at N3LO(A) + N3LL



Conclusion

The truth is in the Details

