

Approval of HIG-18-019

Search for the associated production of a Higgs boson with a top quark pair in final states with electrons, muons and hadronically decaying τ leptons with data recorded at $\sqrt{s} = 13$ TeV in 2017

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Introduction

- Higgs boson production associated with a pair of top-anti top quarks
 - $t\bar{t}H$ provides the best sensitivity to probe Higgs-top Yukawa coupling y_t
- Focus on three Higgs decay modes
 - $H \rightarrow WW^*$
 - $H \rightarrow ZZ^*$ (except for $H \rightarrow ZZ^* \rightarrow 4\ell$)
 - $H \rightarrow \tau\tau$
- Data recorded in 2017 Runs B-F ($\mathcal{L} = 41.5 \text{ fb}^{-1}$) + MC Fall17
- Overall strategy similar to 2016 analysis ([HIG-17-018](#) paper)

Target: PAS for Higgs Coupling conference, on the way to legacy paper with full Run 2 dataset

PAS

refers to tables and plots that we show in the PAS



highlights the changes wrt 2016 analysis

Updates since pre-approval

- Updated lepton ID SFs
- Unblinded the results (summary)
- Combined the results with 2016 (HIG-17-018)
- Added unblinded post-fit plots, μ values, and limits to AN and PAS
- Added event yield tables for all categories

Documentation:

- Wiki for ARC review:
<https://twiki.cern.ch/twiki/bin/view/CMS/HIG18019Reviews>
ARC: Christopher Neu (chair), Michail Bachtis, Andrea Massironi, Mara Soares
- CADI line: HIG-18-019
- AN-2018/098 v18
- PAS HIG-18-019 v6

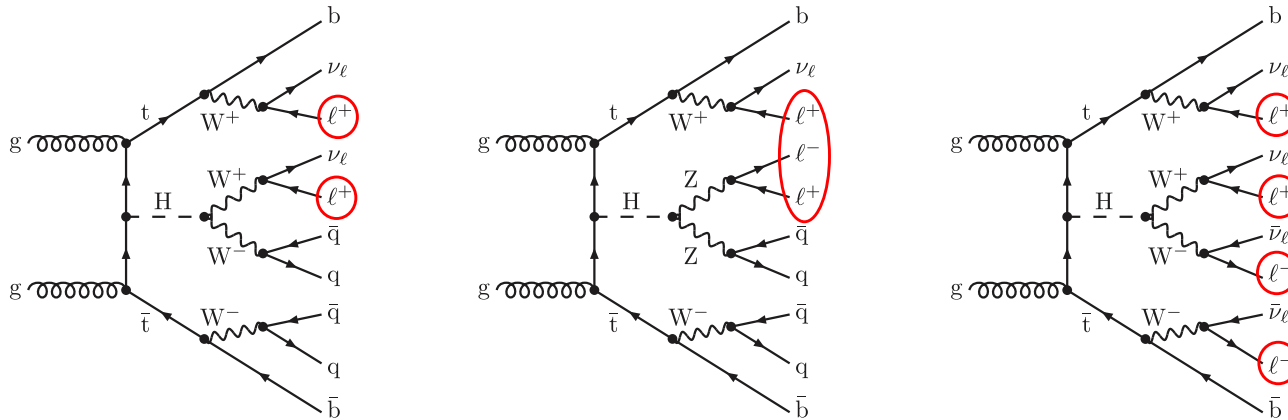
Datasets

- Fall17 ReReco data of 2017 Runs B-F (GT 94X_dataRun2_v6)
 - SingleElectron, SingleMuon, DoubleEG, DoubleMuon, MuonEG
- Fall17 MC datasets (GT 94X_mc2017_realistic_v13)
 - estimate the yields and shapes of signal and irreducible backgrounds
 - for data-driven methods & systematic uncertainties

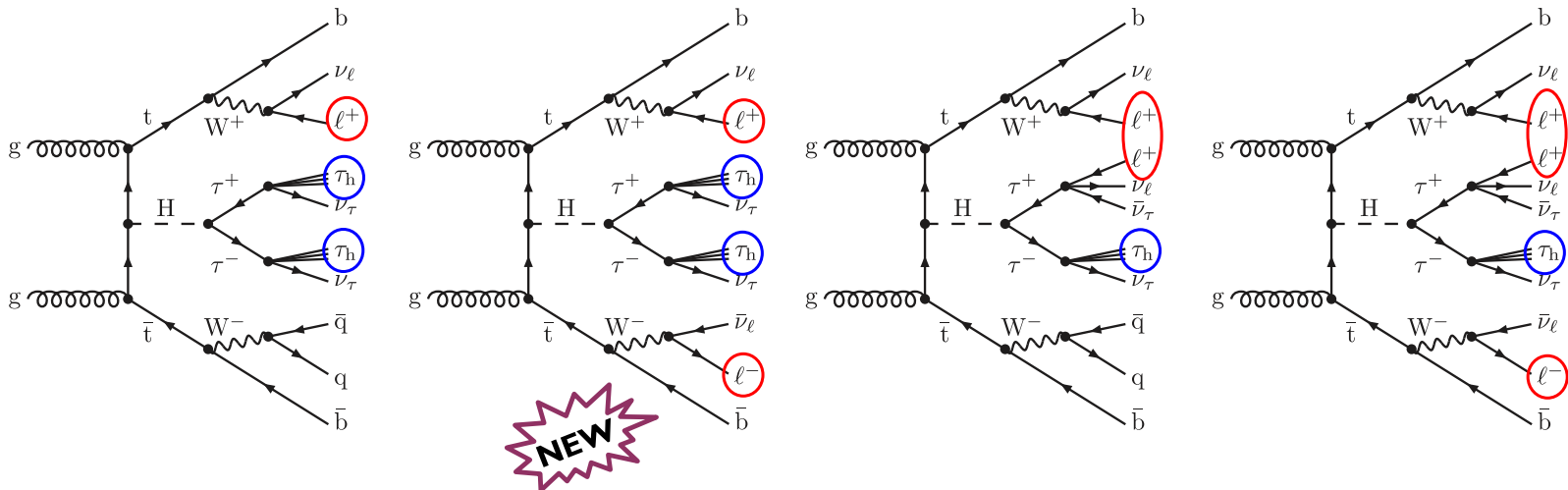
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Analysis overview

- Mutually exclusive event categories based on the multiplicity of leptons ($\ell = e, \mu$) and hadronically decaying taus (τ_h)
- pure multilepton final states: $2\ell SS, 3\ell, 4\ell$



- final states with hadronic τ : $1\ell + 2\tau_h, 2\ell + 2\tau_h, 2\ell SS + 1\tau_h, 3\ell + 1\tau_h$



Objects: lepton identification

- Final state (“prompt”) leptons expected to come from W , Z and τ decays
- Dedicated lepton MVA to separate prompt lepton from non-prompt and fake leptons
- 12 input variables
 - kinematics (p_T, η)
 - isolation variables
 - impact parameters ($d_{xy}, d_z, \text{SIP}_{3D}$)
 - nearest jet (# charged daughters, $p_T^{rel}, p_T^{ratio}, b$ -tagging)
 - EGamma ID for e OR segment compatibility for μ
- Retrained for 2017 for e and μ separately
 - new EGamma ID
 - improved the definition of p_T^{ratio}
 - discriminative power improved compared to 2016




Objects: lepton selection


Three levels of selection

- Loose – basic selection
 - τ_h cleaning
 - applying mass vetos
- Fakeable – estimate non-prompt background with the fake rate method
 - jet cleaning
 - compute kinematic properties of the event
- Tight – event selection in the signal region (SR)
 - same as fakeable, but with prompt lepton MVA requirement

Objects: hadronic τ

- Reconstructed with HPS algorithm
- Hadronic 1-prong and 3-prong decay modes
- $p_T > 20 \text{ GeV}$, $|\eta| < 2.3$
- No anti- e or anti- μ discriminants used as no improvement in sensitivity
- Tau POG retrained MVA (2017v2) with $R = 0.3$ cone size
 - separates hadronic τ decays from the quark-gluon jet background
 - updated WPs to recover old ID efficiencies 
- Fakeable and tight selection
 - VLoose WP – for fake τ_h background estimation
 - Loose ($2\ell SS + 1\tau_h$, $3\ell + 1\tau_h$) or Medium WP ($1\ell + 2\tau_h$, $2\ell + 2\tau_h$) – for selecting events in SR

Objects: jets + MET

- Standard AK4PFJetsCHS
 - $p_T > 25 \text{ GeV}$, $|\eta| < 2.4$, tight PF Jet ID (as per POG recommendation)
 - b -tagging algorithms retrained by BTV POG
 - CSVv2 as an input to prompt lepton MVA
 - DeepCSV to define loose and medium b -jets 
 - Fall17_17Nov2017_V6 JEC applied
- Standard Type-I corrected PF MET
 - MHT = vectorial sum of selected jets, fakeable leptons and fakeable τ_h
 - less sensitive to pileup (PU) since the soft contribution excluded
 - $\text{MET}_{\text{LD}} = 0.6 \cdot |\text{MET}| + 0.4 \cdot |\text{MHT}|$
 - designed to reject background with fake MET (mainly Drell-Yan)

Event selection (I)

- Triggers: OR of
 - single lepton and lepton+tau cross-triggers in $1\ell + 2\tau_h$
 - single and double (and triple) lepton triggers in $2\ell + 2\tau_h$, $2\ell SS$ and $2\ell SS + 1\tau_h$ (3ℓ , $3\ell + 1\tau_h$ and 4ℓ)
- Minimum p_T cuts on leptons and τ_h motivated by trigger thresholds
 - * in $1\ell + 2\tau_h$: the electron or muon must be within $|\eta| < 2.1$
- Minimum number of jets
 - 2 in $2\ell + 2\tau_h$, 3ℓ , $3\ell + 1\tau_h$ and 4ℓ
 - 3 in $1\ell + 2\tau_h$ and $2\ell SS + 1\tau_h$
 - 4 in $2\ell SS$
- At least 1 medium b -jet or 2 loose b -jets

Event selection (II)

- Z-veto on a pair of SFOS loose leptons
- Low di-lepton mass cut: no pair of loose leptons with a mass < 12 GeV
- Charge sum of
 - all objects = 0 (± 1) in $2\ell + 2\tau_h, 3\ell + 1\tau_h, 4\ell$ ($2\ell SS + 1\tau_h, 3\ell$)
 - leptons = ± 2 plus additional charge quality requirements applied in $2\ell SS$ and $2\ell SS + 1\tau_h$
 - taus = 0 in $1\ell + 2\tau_h$
- Cuts on MET_{LD} applied in all channels but $1\ell + 2\tau_h$
- Veto events if $m_{4\ell} < 140$ GeV to avoid overlap with $H \rightarrow ZZ^* \rightarrow 4\ell$ analysis

Data-to-MC corrections

- Trigger efficiency
 - in all categories but $1\ell + 2\tau_h$: measured using data and $t\bar{t} + \text{jets}$ events recorded by unbiased MET triggers
 - in $1\ell + 2\tau_h$: measured via Tag-and-Probe (TnP) technique in Drell-Yan (DY) events by the Tau POG
- e and μ identification efficiency
 - measured via TnP in DY events
- τ_h identification efficiency
 - using the SF measured in DY events by the Tau POG
- τ_h energy scale
- b -tagging efficiency and mis-tagging rate – derived by BTV POG
- MET resolution and response – recompute MET with rescaled and smeared jets

Background estimation

Irreducible backgrounds – modelled by MC: $t\bar{t}V$, diboson, rare SM, tH

- $t\bar{t}W(W)$, $t\bar{t}Z$ and WZ yields constrained by dedicated control regions in the final fit



Reducible

- “fake” background – estimated from data
 - typically due to $t\bar{t}$ where non-prompt leptons or jets pass tight lepton or τ_h criteria
 - dominant in $1\ell + 2\tau_h$ and $2\ell + 2\tau_h$
- charge “flip” background – estimated from data in $2\ell SS$ and $2\ell SS + 1\tau_h$
 - due to dileptonic $t\bar{t} + \text{jets}$
- photon “conversion” background – estimated from MC
 - typically due to $\gamma \rightarrow e^+e^-$ conversions in $t\bar{t} + \gamma/\gamma^*$ events where either electron or positron fails to be reconstructed
 - relevant in $2\ell SS$ and $2\ell SS + 1\tau_h$

Background estimation: fake background

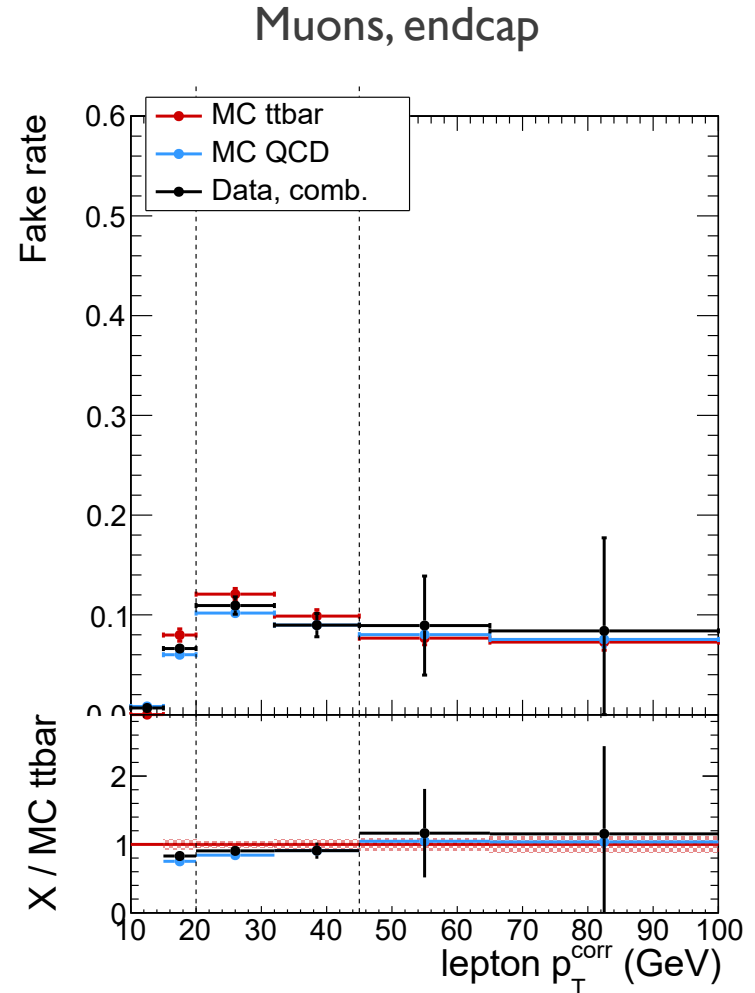
- Based on the fake factor (FF) method
- Fake application region (AR) – same as SR, but all e, μ, τ_h must pass fakeable selection while at least one must fail the tight selection
- Extrapolation from fake AR to the SR by reweighting events
- Weights depend on the # of objects passing (P) and failing (F) the tight selection criteria

$$(-1)^{F+1} \prod_{i=1}^{P+F} \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } i\text{-th object passes tight selection} \\ \frac{f_i}{1-f_i} & \text{if } i\text{-th object fails tight selection} \end{cases}$$

where f_i represents the probability for i -th fakeable e, μ or τ_h to pass tight selection criteria

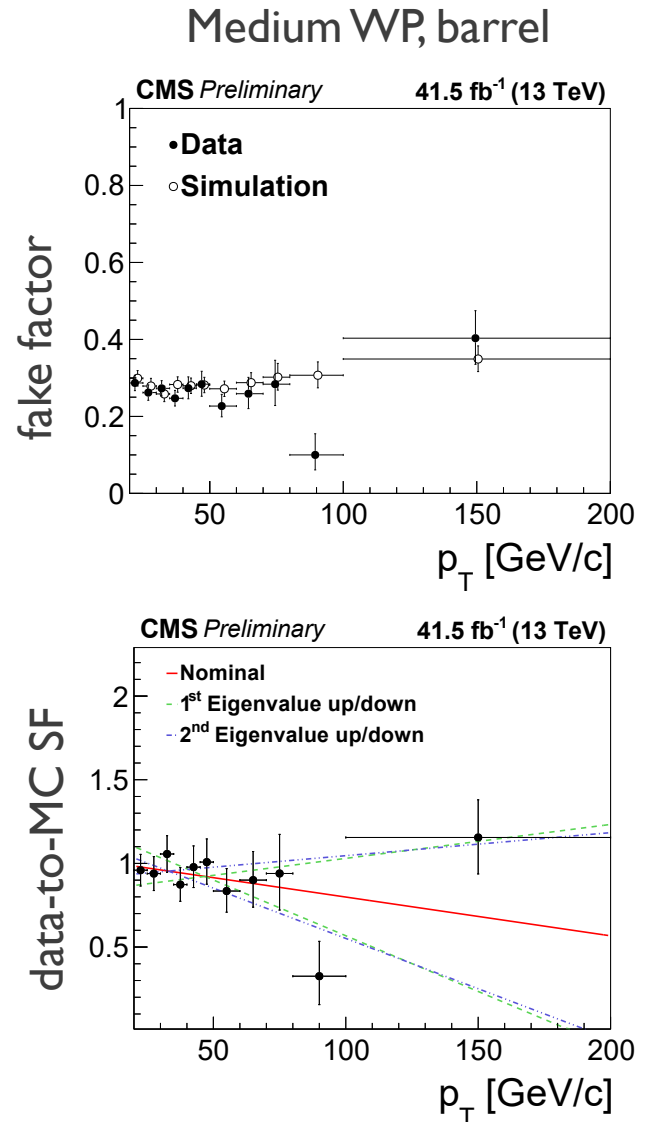
Lepton fake rate measurement

- Measurement region
 - QCD events
 - one fakeable e or μ
 - ≥ 1 jet ($\Delta R > 0.7$)
- FFs parametrized by p_T, η and flavor of the lepton
- Differences of FFs measured in QCD and $t\bar{t}$ samples taken as systematic uncertainties



τ_h fake rate measurement

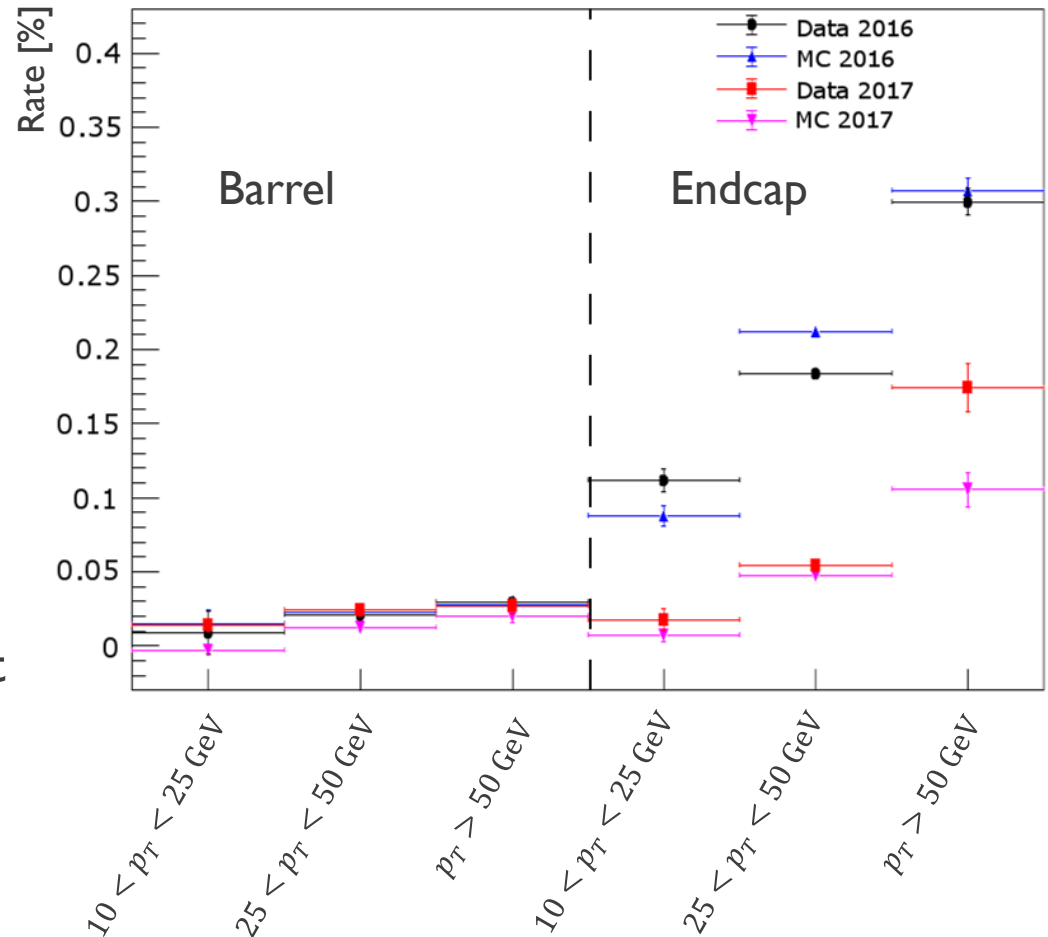
- FF for τ_h : probability of a jet passing fakeable τ_h selection to also pass the tight τ_h selection
- Measurement region:
 - $t\bar{t}$ dilepton ($e\mu$) + jets events
 - same as $2\ell SS$ SR except
 - oppositely signed e and μ
 - # jets ≥ 2
 - ≥ 1 fakeable τ_h
- Data-to-MC SFs for the FFs from linear fit
 - final event weight is FF measured in MC times data/MC ratio from fit to reduce statistical fluctuations
 - uncertainty on the fit parameters taken as systematic shape uncertainty



Charge flip background

- Electron charge mis-ID rate measured using $Z \rightarrow e^+e^-$ events
 - determined from the ratio of $Z \rightarrow e^+e^-$ events with SS to OS charge
 - charge mis-ID rate $\sim 2x$ smaller compared to 2016 (new pixel detector)
 - negligible for μ

- Extrapolation from AR to SR:
 - select events with OS charge
 - assign charge mis-ID rates as the event weight



Systematic uncertainties

- Trigger efficiency: 1 – 5%
- Lepton ID efficiency: 2–5%
- τ_h ID efficiency: 5%
- jet & τ_h energy scale: shape
- b -tagging: shape
- MET: shape
- $t\bar{t}\gamma^*$, diboson and rare SM: 50%
- Fake background:
 - $\sim 30\%$ per lepton and τ_h
 - shape (uncertainty on p_T dependence)
- Charge flip background: 30%
- Luminosity: 2.3%
- Pileup: $< 1\%$

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- inclusive cross section: 7 – 13% *
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- correlated in the combination with 2016 analysis
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Signal extraction

- Output of Boosted Decision Trees (BDT) as signal extraction observable in the final fit
- Event-level BDTs trained to separate $t\bar{t}H$ from $t\bar{t}V$ and $t\bar{t} + \text{jets}$ backgrounds
- Input variables kinematic
- Output of dedicated algorithms that exploit channel-specific features
 - Hadronic Top Tagger (HTT)
 - Higgs-jet (Hj) tagger
 - matrix element method (MEM)
- 4ℓ – cut & count due to low statistics



Signal extraction: $2\ell SS$ and 3ℓ categories

- 2 BDTs per category: $t\bar{t}H$ vs $t\bar{t}V$ and $t\bar{t}H$ vs $t\bar{t}+\text{jets}$
- Mapped into 1D distribution based on S/B likelihood ratio
- Input variables
 - $2\ell SS$ – HTT, Hj tagger
 - 3ℓ – HTT, MEM
- Training on inclusive $2\ell SS$ and 3ℓ categories
- Split into subcategories to take advantage of variations in the S/B ratio among the subcategories in the final fit

	any 2 b	2 b loose		2 b tight	
$2\ell SS:$	e^-e^-	$e^-\mu^-$	$e^+\mu^+$	$e^-\mu^-$	$e^+\mu^+$
	e^+e^+	$\mu^-\mu^-$	$\mu^+\mu^+$	$\mu^-\mu^-$	$\mu^+\mu^+$

$3\ell:$	2 b loose & charge sum -1	2 b tight & charge sum -1
	2 b loose & charge sum $+1$	2 b tight & charge sum $+1$

Signal extraction: categories with τ_h

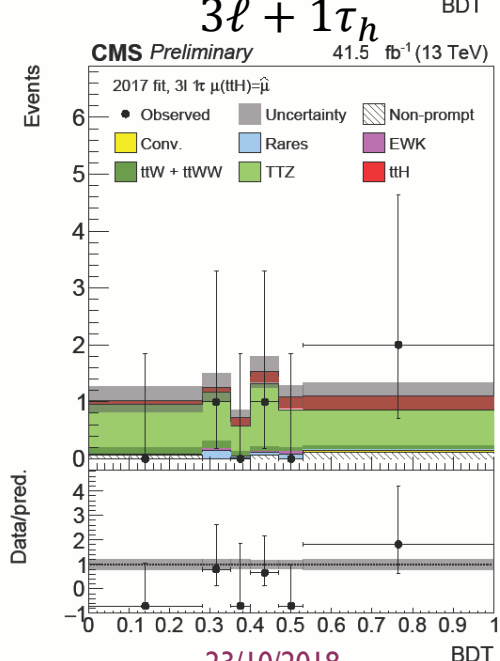
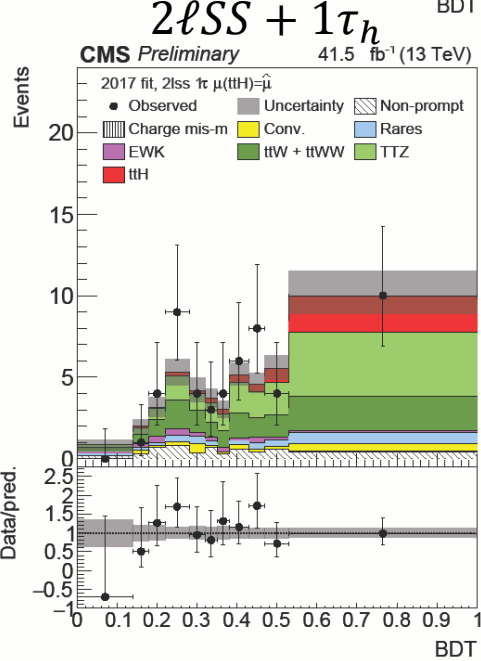
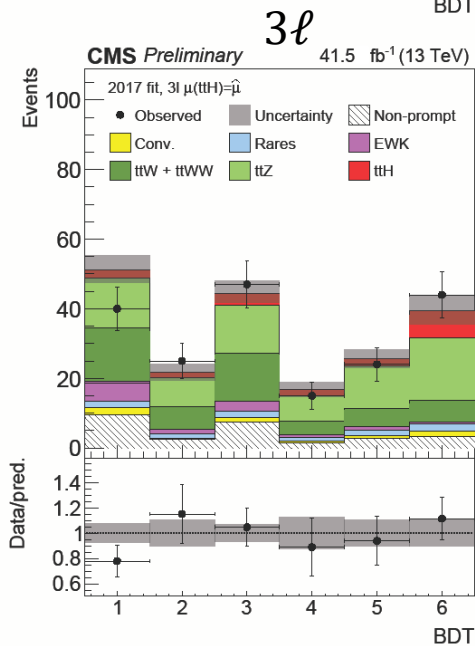
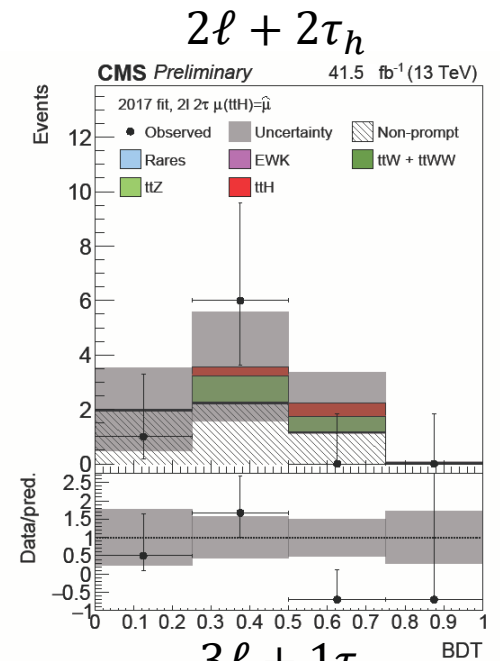
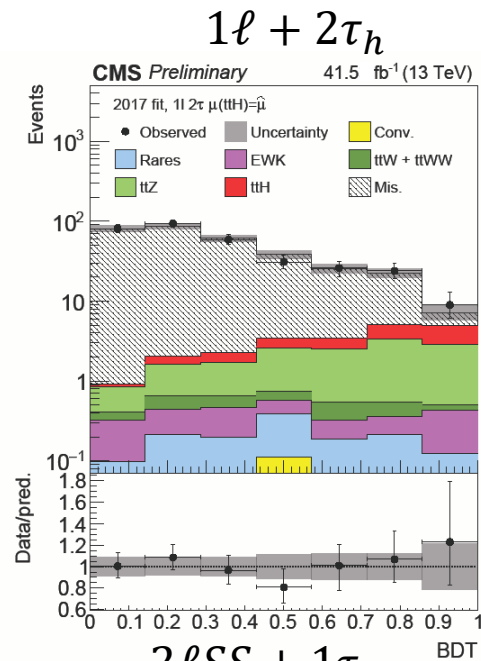
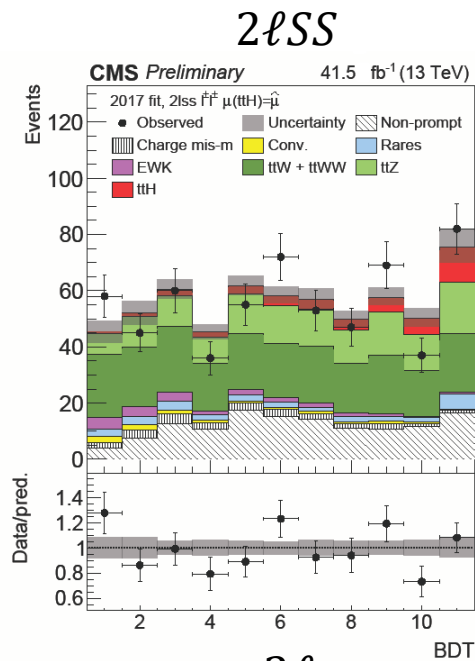
- 1 BDT per category: $t\bar{t}H$ vs sum of $t\bar{t}V$ and $t\bar{t}+\text{jets}$
- Trained with XGBoost algorithm 
- Trained on privately produced FastSim samples with 2016 conditions
- Input variables updated
 - $1\ell + 2\tau_h$ and $2\ell SS + 1\tau_h - \text{HTT}$ 

Results: post-fit event yields

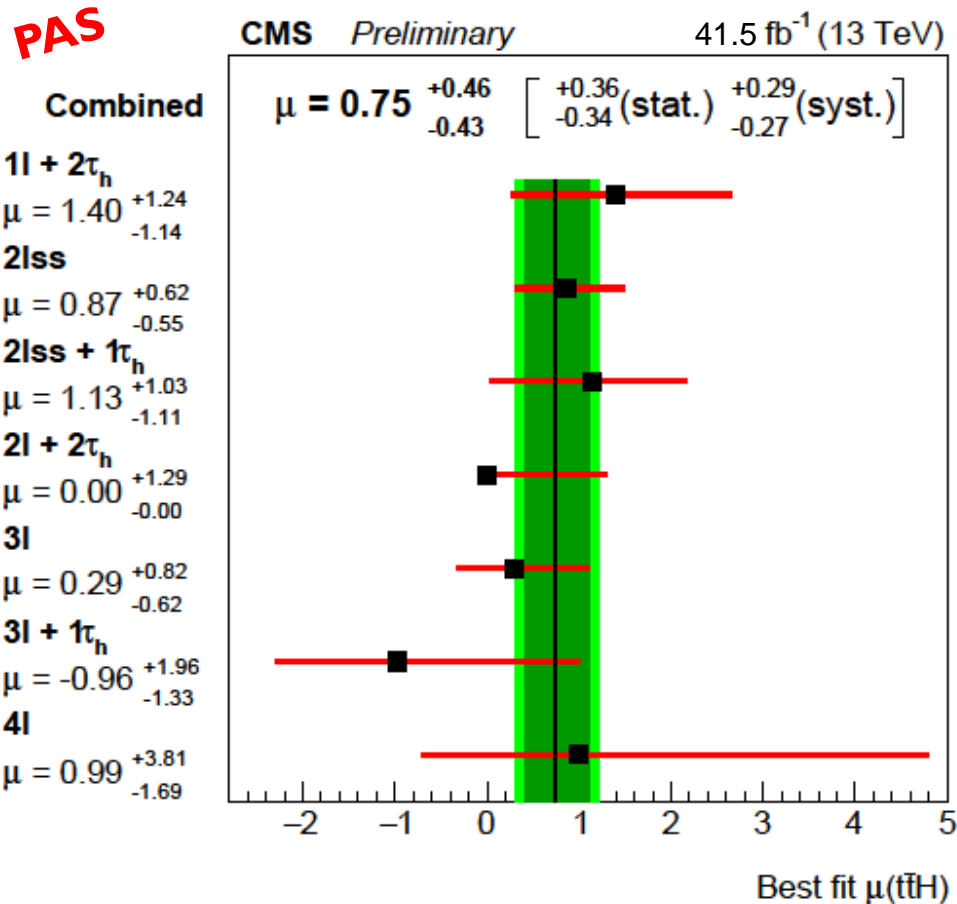
Category	$2\ell SS$	3ℓ	4ℓ	$1\ell + 2\tau_h$	$2\ell + 2\tau_h$	$3\ell + 1\tau_h$	$2\ell SS + 1\tau_h$
$t\bar{t}H$	42.99 ± 7.05	18.79 ± 4.78	0.70 ± 0.30	6.57 ± 3.58	0.88 ± 0.47	0.99 ± 0.38	5.13 ± 2.11
$t\bar{t}W + t\bar{t}WW$	218.46 ± 13.71	51.03 ± 5.28	0.13 ± 0.03	1.13 ± 0.25	< 0.05	0.51 ± 0.12	13.11 ± 2.43
tH	2.38 ± 0.11	0.88 ± 0.10	< 0.05	0.25 ± 0.07	0.02 ± 0.09	< 0.05	0.45 ± 0.03
$WZ + ZZ$	< 0.05	12.04 ± 1.66	0.15 ± 0.10	1.50 ± 0.77	0.04 ± 0.03	0.13 ± 0.03	2.76 ± 1.95
$t\bar{t}Z/\gamma^*$	138.23 ± 7.6	74.12 ± 6.32	3.91 ± 0.62	11.55 ± 2.64	1.55 ± 0.46	4.48 ± 0.68	15.35 ± 2.43
Fakes	132.14 ± 9.96	26.83 ± 4.03	< 0.05	299.60 ± 19.10	5.31 ± 2.19	0.25 ± 0.26	5.28 ± 2.18
Conversions	11.63 ± 3.01	6.62 ± 1.27	< 0.05	0.25 ± 0.11	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
Flips	22.79 ± 2.33	–	–	–	–	–	< 0.05
Other	26.66 ± 3.89	9.66 ± 2.16	0.09 ± 0.05	1.18 ± 0.46	0.06 ± 0.04	0.33 ± 0.15	3.23 ± 1.14
SM expectation	595.31 ± 20.60	199.96 ± 10.77	5.01 ± 0.70	322.02 ± 19.64	7.86 ± 2.29	6.7 ± 0.85	45.31 ± 5.11
Observed data	614	195	6	324	7	4	53

- SM expectation includes $t\bar{t}H$ signal contribution of SM strength
- Event yields of $2\ell SS$ and 3ℓ categories summed over subcategories
 - to see the event yields as shown in **PAS** see [these backup slides](#) for $2\ell SS$ and [these](#) for 3ℓ channel

Results: post-fit plots PAS



Results: signal rates μ

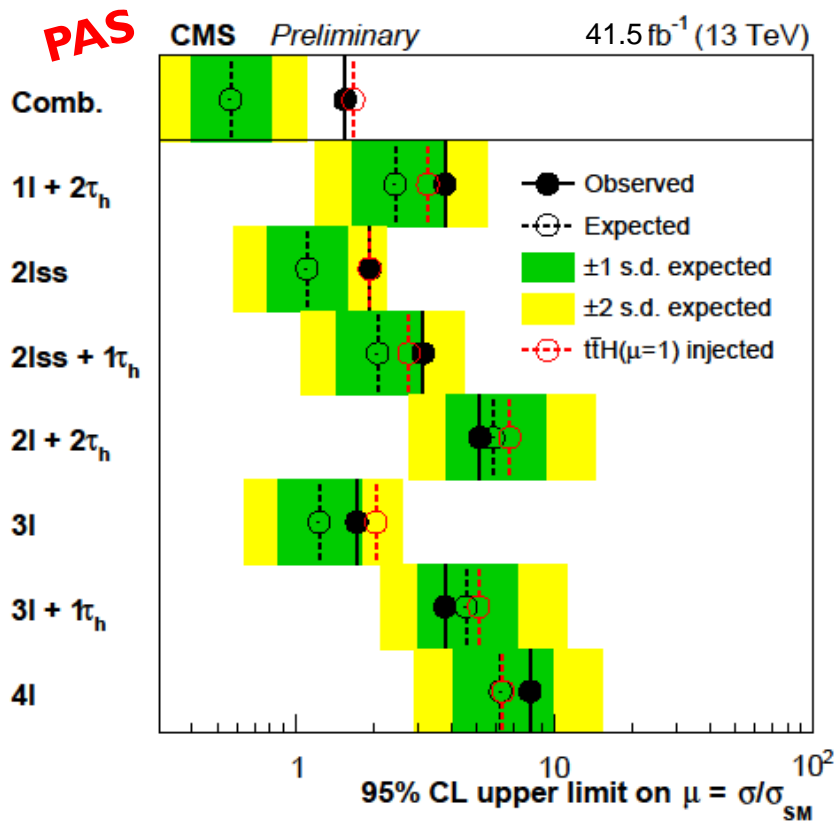


PAS Category	Signal strength $\pm 1\sigma$	
	Measured	Expected
1l + 2 τ_h	$1.40^{+1.24}_{-1.14}$	$1.00^{+1.14}_{-0.93}$
2lss	$0.87^{+0.62}_{-0.55}$	$1.00^{+0.53}_{-0.49}$
2lss + 1 τ_h	$1.13^{+1.03}_{-1.11}$	$1.00^{+0.93}_{-0.80}$
2l + 2 τ_h	$0.00^{+1.29}_{-0.00}$	$1.00^{+2.63}_{-1.56}$
3l	$0.29^{+0.82}_{-0.62}$	$1.00^{+0.59}_{-0.52}$
3l + 1 τ_h	$-0.96^{+1.96}_{-1.33}$	$1.00^{+1.91}_{-1.37}$
4l	$0.99^{+3.31}_{-1.69}$	$1.00^{+2.41}_{-1.72}$
Combined 2017	$0.75^{+0.46}_{-0.43}$	$1.00^{+0.39}_{-0.35}$
Combined 2016+2017	$0.96^{+0.34}_{-0.31}$	$1.00^{+0.30}_{-0.27}$

2017 combination: observed significance 1.7σ (expected 2.9σ)

2016+2017 combination: observed significance 3.2σ (expected 4.0σ)

Results: upper limits



PAS Category	95% CL upper limits		
	Observed	Expected ($\mu = 0$)	Expected ($\mu = 1$)
$1\ell + 2\tau_h$	3.8	$2.4^{+1.3}_{-0.8}$	3.3
$2\ell SS$	2.0	$1.1^{+0.5}_{-0.3}$	1.9
$2\ell SS + 1\tau_h$	3.1	$2.1^{+1.0}_{-0.7}$	2.8
$2\ell + 2\tau_h$	5.2	$5.8^{+3.4}_{-2.0}$	6.8
3ℓ	1.7	$1.2^{+0.6}_{-0.4}$	2.1
$3\ell + 1\tau_h$	3.8	$4.6^{+2.7}_{-1.6}$	5.1
4ℓ	8.1	$6.2^{+3.6}_{-2.1}$	6.4
Combined 2017	1.6	$0.8^{+0.3}_{-0.2}$	1.7
Combined 2016+2017	1.6	$0.6^{+0.2}_{-0.2}$	1.5

Summary

- A search for the associated $t\bar{t}H$ production in final states with electrons, muons and hadronically decaying τ leptons has been presented
 - performed with full 2017 dataset ($\mathcal{L} = 41.5 \text{ fb}^{-1}$)
 - analyzed 7 event categories: $2\ell SS$, 3ℓ , 4ℓ , $1\ell + 2\tau_h$, $2\ell + 2\tau_h$, $2\ell SS + 1\tau_h$, $3\ell + 1\tau_h$
 - sensitivity of the analysis enhanced by using MVA techniques, based on BDTs and MEM
 - combination with 2016 results of the same analysis

Combined 2016+2017 results in agreement with SM expectation:

- **measured signal rate of $\mu = 0.96_{-0.31}^{+0.34}$** (expected $1.00_{-0.27}^{+0.30}$)
corresponding to a significance of 3.2σ (expected 4.0σ)

Backup


Backup

- Prompt lepton MVA
- Lepton selection
- Data samples
- Event selection
- Triggers
- MET filters
- Lepton ID SFs
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 - WZ
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Backup: prompt lepton MVA (I)

- p_T and η of the lepton
- relative “mini-isolation” of the lepton wrt charged & neutral particles:

$$I_\ell^{charged} = \sum_{charged} p_T, \quad I_\ell^{neutrals} = \max\left(0, \sum_{neutrals} p_T - \rho A \left(\frac{R}{0.3}\right)^2\right)$$

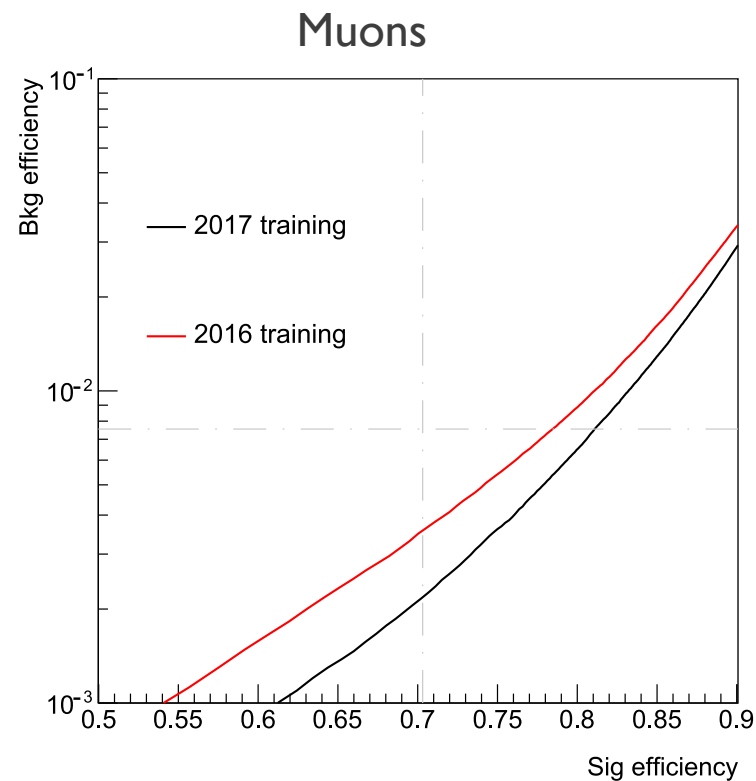
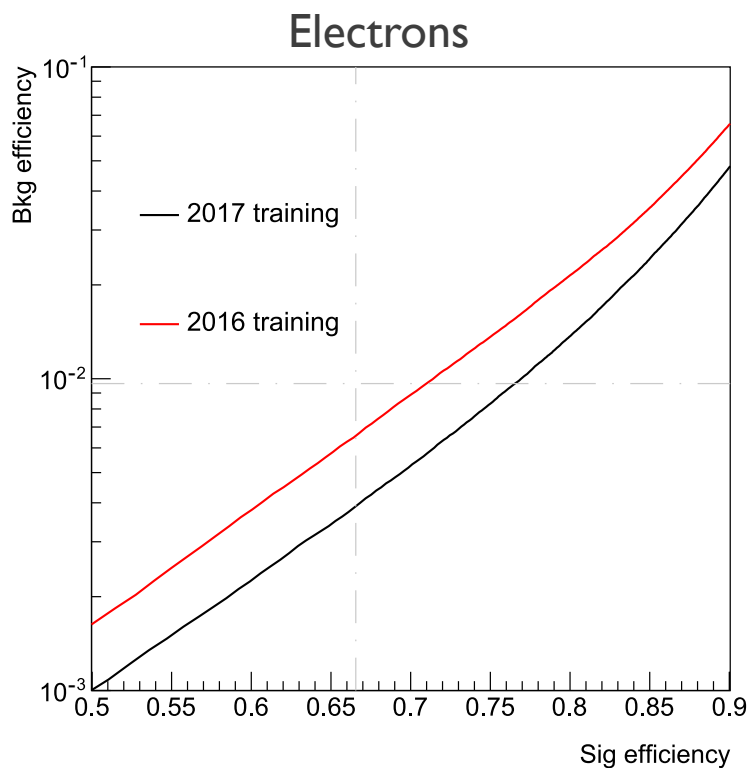
- variables of the nearest jet j to the lepton ($p_T(j) > 15$ GeV, $\Delta R(\ell, j) < 0.4$) [or if no such jet]
 - number of charged particles in the jet [0]
 - CSVv2 b-tagging score [0]
 - $p_T^{rel}(\ell) = |\vec{p}(\ell) \times \|\vec{p}(j) - \vec{p}(\ell)\||^\dagger$ [0]
 - $p_T^{ratio}(\ell) = p_T(\ell)/p_T(j)^\dagger$ [$p_T(\ell)/(p_T(\ell) + I_\ell)^\ddagger$ ]
- impact parameters ($|d_{xy}|, |d_z|, |SIP_{3D}|$)
- EGamma ID that separates electrons from jets (e) OR segment compatibility (μ)

$^\dagger \vec{p}(j)$ computed with “lepton-aware” JEC approach ([reference](#))

$^\ddagger I_\ell = I_\ell^{charged} + I_\ell^{neutrals}$ – pileup-corrected PF isolation with cone size $R = 0.4$

Backup: prompt lepton MVA (II)

- Improvements
 - previously used -1 as placeholder for p_T^{ratio} if there is no jet within $\Delta R = 0.4$
 - new EGamma ID
- Gain higher for electrons and at low p_T



Backup: lepton selection (I)

Observable	Loose	Fakeable	Tight
p_T	$> 7 \text{ GeV}$	$> 10 \text{ GeV}$	$> 10 \text{ GeV}$
$ \eta $	< 2.5	< 2.5	< 2.5
$ d_{xy} $	$< 0.05 \text{ cm}$	$< 0.05 \text{ cm}$	$< 0.05 \text{ cm}$
$ d_z $	$< 0.1 \text{ cm}$	$< 0.1 \text{ cm}$	$< 0.1 \text{ cm}$
d/σ_d	< 8	< 8	< 8
I_e	$< 0.4 \times p_T$	$< 0.4 \times p_T$	$< 0.4 \times p_T$
EGamma POG MVA	$> \{-0.86 / -0.81 / -0.72\}^1$	$> \{-0.86 / -0.81 / -0.72\}^2$	$> \{-0.86 / -0.81 / -0.72\}^2$
$\sigma_{i\eta i\eta}$	—	$< \{0.011 / 0.011 / 0.030\}$	$< \{0.011 / 0.011 / 0.030\}$
H/E	—	< 0.10	< 0.10
$1/E - 1/p$	—	> -0.04	> -0.04
Conversion rejection	—	✓	✓
Missing hits	≤ 1	$= 0$	$= 0$
p_T^e / p_T^j	—	$> 0.6 \dagger (-)$	—
CSVv2 of nearby jet	—	$< 0.07 \dagger (< 0.4941)$	< 0.4941
Prompt-e MVA	—	—	> 0.90

¹ $> \{-0.13 / -0.32 / -0.08\}$ if $p_T < 10 \text{ GeV}$

² > 0.50 if prompt-e MVA < 0.90

Backup: lepton selection (II)

Observable	Loose	Fakeable	Tight
p_T	$> 5 \text{ GeV}$	$> 10 \text{ GeV}$	$> 10 \text{ GeV}$
$ \eta $	< 2.4	< 2.4	< 2.4
$ d_{xy} $	$< 0.05 \text{ cm}$	$< 0.05 \text{ cm}$	$< 0.05 \text{ cm}$
$ d_z $	$< 0.1 \text{ cm}$	$< 0.1 \text{ cm}$	$< 0.1 \text{ cm}$
d/σ_d	< 8	< 8	< 8
I_μ	$< 0.4 \times p_T$	$< 0.4 \times p_T$	$< 0.4 \times p_T$
Loose PF muon	✓	✓	✓
Medium PF muon	—	—	✓
Segment compatibility	—	$> 0.3 \dagger (-)$	—
p_T^μ / p_T^j	—	$> 0.6 \dagger (-)$	—
CSVv2 of nearby jet	—	$< 0.07 \dagger (< 0.4941)$	< 0.4941
Prompt- μ MVA	—	—	> 0.90

Backup: data samples

Golden JSON: [Cert_294927-306462_13TeV_E0Y2017ReReco_Collisions17_JSON_v1.txt](#)

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/SingleElectron/Run2017E-17Nov2017-v1/MINIAOD	303818-304797	9.31
/SingleElectron/Run2017F-17Nov2017-v1/MINIAOD	305040-306460	13.54
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/SingleMuon/Run2017C-17Nov2017-v1/MINIAOD	299368-302029	9.63
/SingleMuon/Run2017D-17Nov2017-v1/MINIAOD	302031-302663	4.25
/SingleMuon/Run2017E-17Nov2017-v1/MINIAOD	303824-304797	9.31
/SingleMuon/Run2017F-17Nov2017-v1/MINIAOD	305040-306462	13.54
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Backup: event selection (I)

Selection	$2\ell ss$	$2\ell ss + 1\tau_h$
Targeted ttH decays	$t \rightarrow b\ell\nu, t \rightarrow bq\bar{q},$ $H \rightarrow WW \rightarrow \ell\nu q\bar{q}$	$t \rightarrow b\ell\nu, t \rightarrow bq\bar{q},$ $H \rightarrow \tau\tau \rightarrow \ell\tau_h + \nu's$
Trigger	Single- and double-lepton triggers	
Lepton p_T	$p_T > 25 / 15 \text{ GeV}$	$p_T > 25 / 15 \text{ (e) or } 10 \text{ GeV } (\mu)$
Lepton η	$ \eta < 2.5 \text{ (e) or } 2.4 \text{ } (\mu)$	
$\tau_h p_T$	—	$p_T > 20 \text{ GeV}$
$\tau_h \eta$	—	$ \eta < 2.3$
Charge requirements	2 same-sign leptons and charge quality requirements	
		$\sum_{\ell, \tau_h} q = \pm 1$
Jet multiplicity	$\geq 4 \text{ jets}$	$\geq 3 \text{ jets}$
b tagging requirements	$\geq 1 \text{ tight b-tagged jet or } \geq 2 \text{ loose b-tagged jets}$	
Missing transverse momentum	$E_T^{miss} LD > 30 \text{ GeV}^{**}$	
Dilepton mass	$m_{\ell\ell} > 12 \text{ GeV}^*$ and $ m_{ee} - m_Z > 10 \text{ GeV}$	
Selection	$1\ell + 2\tau_h$	$2\ell + 2\tau_h$
Targeted ttH decays	$t \rightarrow b\ell\nu, t \rightarrow bq\bar{q},$ $H \rightarrow \tau\tau \rightarrow \tau_h\tau_h + \nu's$	$t \rightarrow b\ell\nu, t \rightarrow b\ell\nu,$ $H \rightarrow \tau\tau \rightarrow \tau_h\tau_h + \nu's$
Trigger	Single-lepton and lepton+ τ_h triggers	Single-, double-lepton triggers
Lepton p_T	$p_T > 25 \text{ (e) or } 20 \text{ GeV } (\mu)$	$p_T > 25 / 15 \text{ (e) or } 10 \text{ GeV } (\mu)$
Lepton η	$ \eta < 2.1$	$ \eta < 2.5 \text{ (e) or } 2.4 \text{ } (\mu)$
$\tau_h p_T$	$p_T > 30 / 20 \text{ GeV}$	$p_T > 20 \text{ GeV}$
$\tau_h \eta$	$ \eta < 2.3$	$ \eta < 2.3$
Charge requirements	$\sum_{\tau_h} q = 0$	$\sum_{\ell, \tau_h} q = 0$
Jet multiplicity	$\geq 3 \text{ jets}$	$\geq 2 \text{ jets}$
b tagging requirements	$\geq 1 \text{ tight b-tagged jet or } \geq 2 \text{ loose b-tagged jets}$	
Missing transverse momentum	—	No requirement if $N_j \geq 4$ $E_T^{miss} LD > 45 \text{ GeV}^\dagger$ $E_T^{miss} LD > 30 \text{ GeV}$ otherwise
Dilepton mass	$m_{\ell\ell} > 12 \text{ GeV}^*$	

* Applied on all pairs of leptons that pass loose selection.

** If both leptons are electrons.

† If the event contains a SFOS lepton pair and $N_j \leq 3$.

Backup: event selection (II)

Selection	3ℓ	$3\ell + 1\tau_h$
Targeted $t\bar{t}H$ decays	$t \rightarrow b\ell\nu, t \rightarrow b\ell\nu,$ $H \rightarrow WW \rightarrow \ell\nu q\bar{q}$ $t \rightarrow b\ell\nu, t \rightarrow bqq,$ $H \rightarrow WW \rightarrow \ell\nu\ell\nu$	$t \rightarrow b\ell\nu, t \rightarrow b\ell\nu,$ $H \rightarrow \tau\tau \rightarrow \ell\tau_h + \nu's$
Trigger	Single-, double- and triple-lepton triggers	
Lepton p_T	$p_T > 25 / 15 / 10 \text{ GeV}$	$p_T > 20 / 10 / 10 \text{ GeV}$
Lepton η	$ \eta < 2.5$ (e) or 2.4 (μ)	
$\tau_h p_T$	—	$p_T > 20 \text{ GeV}$
$\tau_h \eta$	—	$ \eta < 2.3$
Charge requirements	$\sum_{\ell} q = \pm 1$	$\sum_{\ell, \tau_h} q = 0$
Jet multiplicity	≥ 2 jets	
b tagging requirements	≥ 1 tight b-tagged jet or ≥ 2 loose b-tagged jets	
Missing transverse momentum	No requirement if $N_j \geq 4$ $E_T^{miss} LD > 45 \text{ GeV}^\dagger$ $E_T^{miss} LD > 30 \text{ GeV}$ otherwise	
Dilepton mass	$m_{\ell\ell} > 12 \text{ GeV}^*$ and $ m_{\ell\ell} - m_Z > 10 \text{ GeV}^\ddagger$	
Four-lepton mass	$m_{4\ell} > 140 \text{ GeV}^\S$	—

* Applied on all pairs of leptons that pass loose selection.

† If the event contains a SFOS lepton pair and $N_j \leq 3$.

‡ Applied to all SFOS lepton pairs.

§ Applied only if the event contains 2 SFOS lepton pairs.

Backup: event selection (III)

Selection	4ℓ
Targeted $t\bar{t}H$ decays	$t \rightarrow b\ell\nu, t \rightarrow b\ell\nu,$ $H \rightarrow WW \rightarrow \ell\nu\ell\nu$ $t \rightarrow b\ell\nu, t \rightarrow b\ell\nu,$ $H \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow \ell\ell q\bar{q} \text{ or } \ell\ell\nu\nu$
Trigger	Single-, double- and triple-lepton triggers
Lepton p_T	$p_T > 25 / 15 / 15 / 10 \text{ GeV}$
Lepton η	$ \eta < 2.5 \text{ (e) or } 2.4 \text{ (\mu)}$
$\tau_h p_T$	—
$\tau_h \eta$	—
Charge requirements	$\sum_{\ell} q = 0$
Jet multiplicity	≥ 2 jets
b tagging requirements	≥ 1 tight b-tagged jet or ≥ 2 loose b-tagged jets
Missing transverse momentum	No requirement if $N_j \geq 4$ $E_T^{miss} LD > 45 \text{ GeV}^\dagger$ $E_T^{miss} LD > 30 \text{ GeV}$ otherwise
Dilepton mass	$m_{\ell\ell} > 12 \text{ GeV}^*$ and $ m_{\ell\ell} - m_Z > 10 \text{ GeV}^\ddagger$
Four-lepton mass	$m_{4\ell} > 140 \text{ GeV}^\S$

* Applied on all pairs of leptons that pass loose selection.

† If the event contains a SFOS lepton pair and $N_j \leq 3$.

‡ Applied to all SFOS lepton pairs.

§ Applied only if the event contains 2 SFOS lepton pairs.

Backup: triggers

Single lepton triggers	<p>HLT_Ele32_WPTight_Gsf HLT_Ele35_WPTight_Gsf HLT_IsoMu24 HLT_IsoMu27</p>
Lepton+ τ_h cross-triggers	<p>HLT_Ele24_eta2p1_WPTight_Gsf_LooseChargedIsoPFTau30_eta2p1_CrossL1 HLT_IsoMu20_eta2p1_LooseChargedIsoPFTau27_eta2p1_CrossL1</p>
Double lepton triggers	<p>HLT_Ele23_Ele12_CaloIdL_TrackIdL_IsoVL HLT_Ele23_Ele12_CaloIdL_TrackIdL_IsoVL_DZ HLT_Mu23_TrkIsoVVL_Ele12_CaloIdL_TrackIdL_IsoVL HLT_Mu23_TrkIsoVVL_Ele12_CaloIdL_TrackIdL_IsoVL_DZ HLT_Mu12_TrkIsoVVL_Ele23_CaloIdL_TrackIdL_IsoVL_DZ HLT_Mu17_TrkIsoVVL_Mu8_TrkIsoVVL_DZ HLT_Mu17_TrkIsoVVL_Mu8_TrkIsoVVL_DZ_Mass3p8</p>
Triple lepton triggers	<p>HLT_Ele16_Ele12_Ele8_CaloIdL_TrackIdL HLT_Mu8_DiEle12_CaloIdL_TrackIdL HLT_DiMu9_Ele9_CaloIdL_TrackIdL_DZ HLT_TripleMu_12_10_5</p>

Backup: MET filters

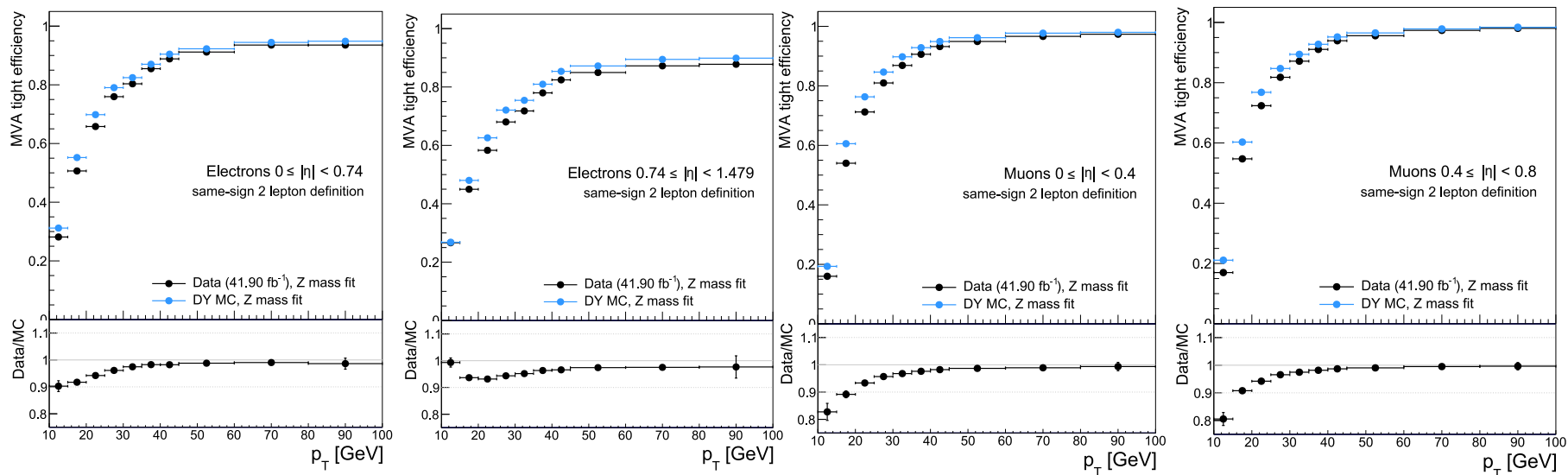
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Backup: lepton ID SFs (I)

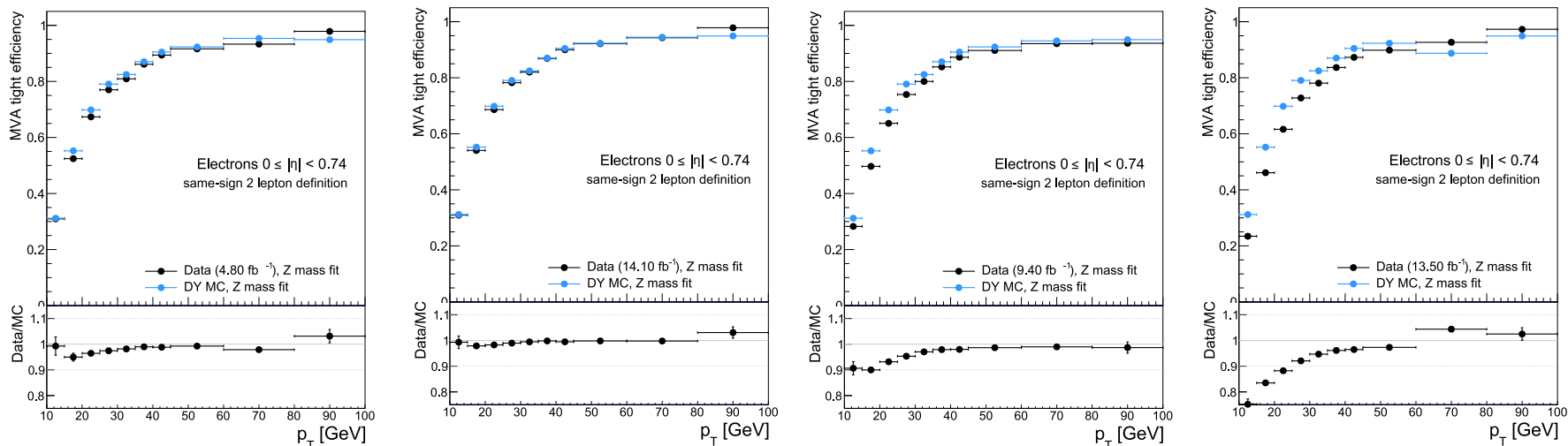
- Loose selection SFs taken from POG
- Tight-to-loose SF measured from DY samples using Tag-and-Probe technique
 - parametrized in bins of lepton p_T and η
 - separate measurements for e and μ
 - measurements for both with and without charge quality requirement
 - charge quality requirement applied only in $2\ell SS$ and $2\ell SS + 1\tau_h$ channels
 - determined separately for every run era (B, C+D, E, F)

Loose-to-tight efficiencies for e and μ in bins of p_T and various η ranges:

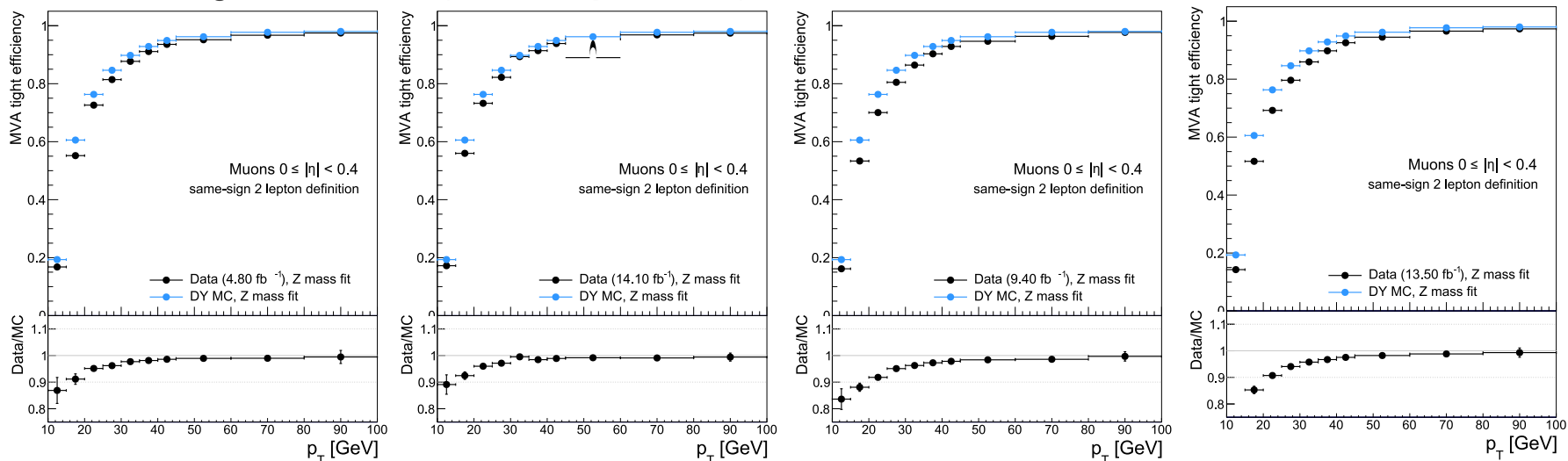


Backup: lepton ID SFs (II)

Loose-to-tight efficiencies for e in bins of p_T in $0 \leq |\eta| < 0.74$ for eras B, C+D, E, F



Loose-to-tight efficiencies for μ in bins of p_T in $0 \leq |\eta| < 0.4$ for eras B, C+D, E, F



Backup: lepton ID SFs (III)

- Event selection for the closure
 - OS different-flavor leptons
 - < 4 jets, ≥ 1 b -tagged
 - for e measurement e required to be tight (tag)
 - for μ measurement μ required to be tight (tag)
 - tag $p_T > 30$ GeV

■ Efficiency defined as

$$\epsilon = \frac{N_{pass}^{prompt}}{N_{total}^{prompt}} = \frac{N_{pass}^{data} - N_{pass}^{fake}}{N_{total}^{data} - N_{total}^{fake}}$$

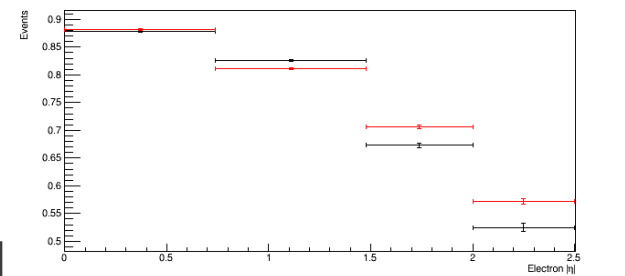
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$$N_{fake} = R_{SS}^{OS} (N_{SS}^{data} - N_{SS}^{prompt})$$

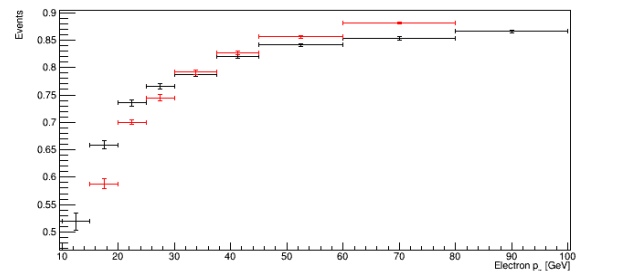
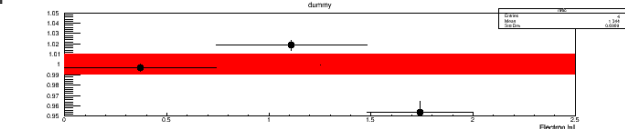
- Uncertainties on tight-to-loose SF
 - 2% for muons
 - 3% for electrons $p_T > 25$ GeV
 - 5% for electrons $p_T < 25$ GeV

Electrons:

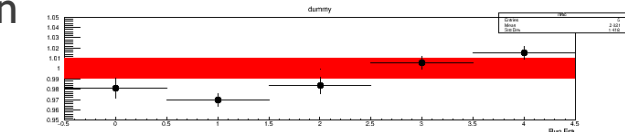
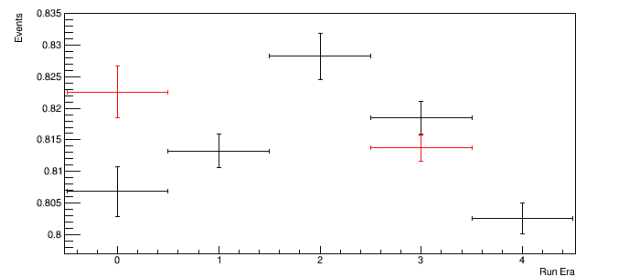
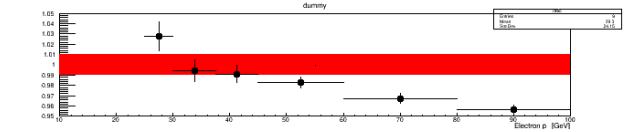
by $|\eta|$



by p_T



by run



Backup: lepton ID SFs (IV)

- Event selection for the closure
 - OS different-flavor leptons
 - < 4 jets, ≥ 1 b -tagged
 - for e measurement e required to be tight (tag)
 - for μ measurement μ required to be tight (tag)
 - tag $p_T > 30$ GeV

■ Efficiency defined as

$$\epsilon = \frac{N_{pass}^{prompt}}{N_{total}^{prompt}} = \frac{N_{pass}^{data} - N_{pass}^{fake}}{N_{total}^{data} - N_{total}^{fake}}$$

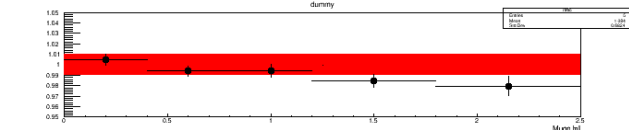
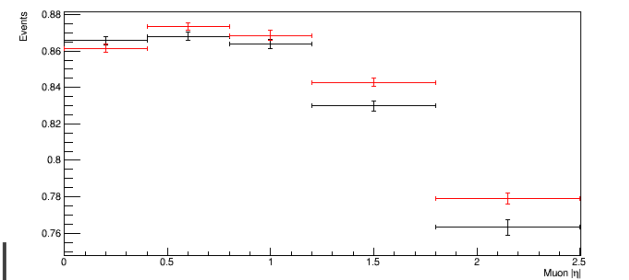
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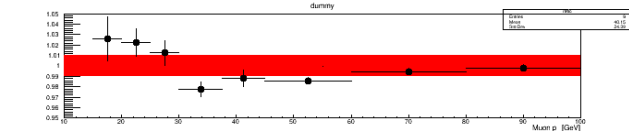
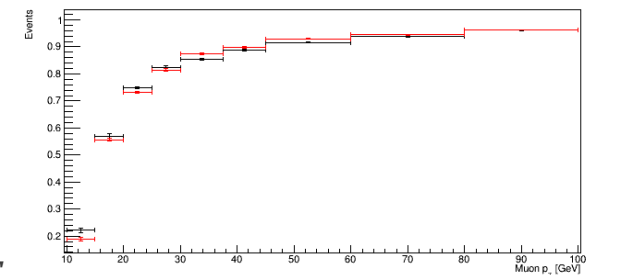
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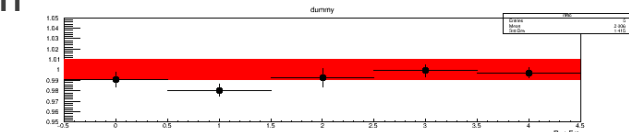
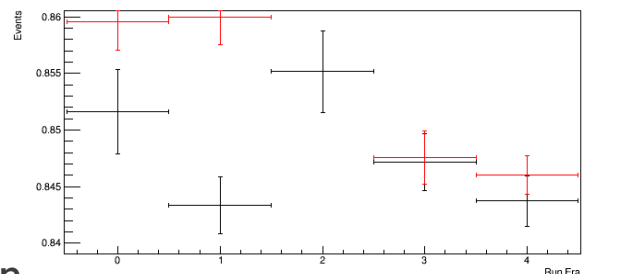
by $|\eta|$



by p_T



by run

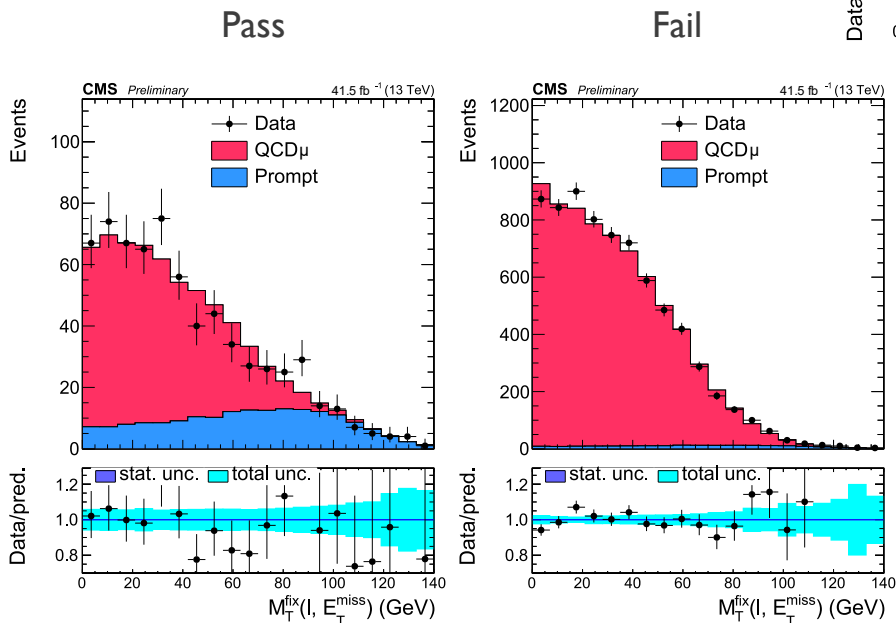
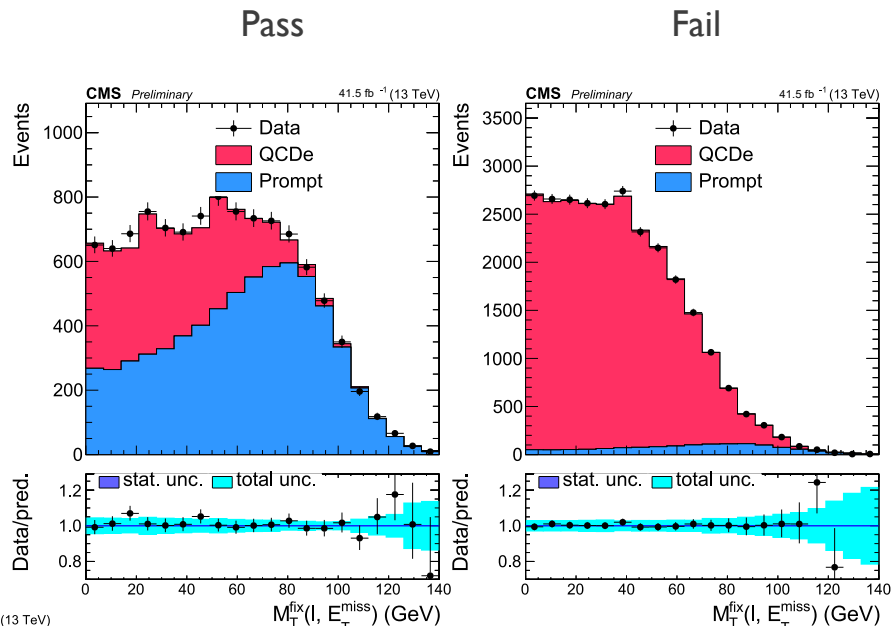


Backup: lepton fake rate (I)

$$m_T^{fix} = \sqrt{2p_T^{fix} E_T^{miss} (1 - \cos \Delta\phi)},$$

$$p_T^{fix} = 35 \text{ GeV}$$

Distribution of m_T^{fix} for e of
 $25 < \text{cone-}p_T < 35 \text{ GeV}$
 and $|\eta| < 1.479$



Distribution of m_T^{fix} for μ of
 $25 < \text{cone-}p_T < 35 \text{ GeV}$
 and $|\eta| > 1.2$

$$f_i = \frac{N_{pass}}{N_{pass} + N_{fail}}$$

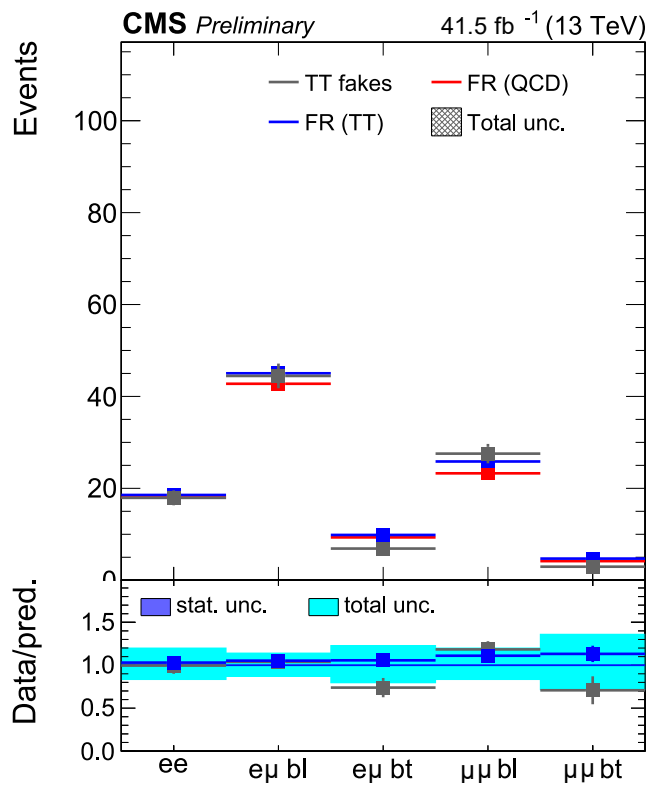
Backup: lepton fake rate (II)

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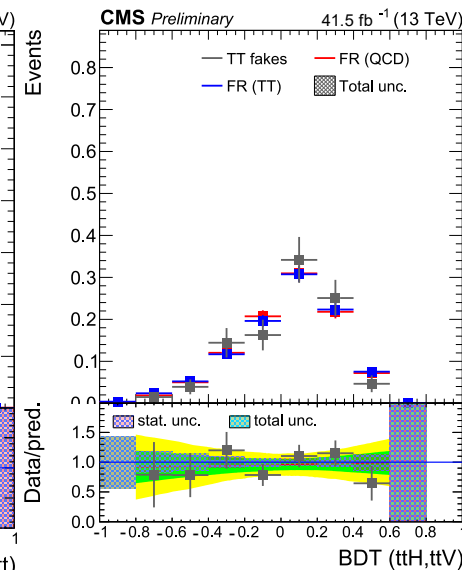
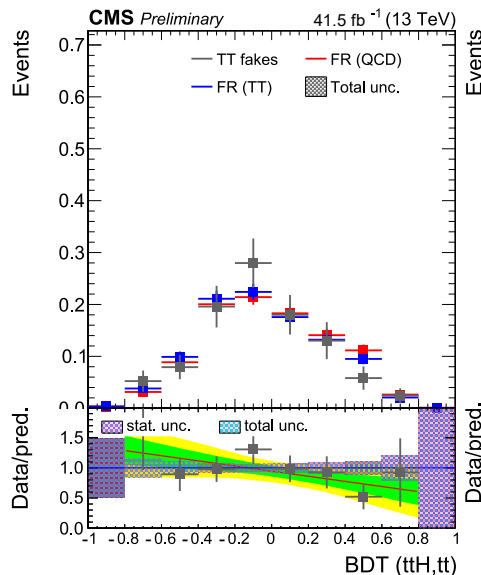
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HLT_Ele17_CaloIdM_TrackIdM_PFJet30	1.17×10^3	25-100 GeV	> 17 GeV	> 30 GeV
HLT_Ele23_CaloIdM_TrackIdM_PFJet30	1.07×10^3	32-100 GeV	> 23 GeV	> 30 GeV
HLT_Mu3_PFJet40	8.99×10^3	10-32 GeV	> 3 GeV	> 45 GeV
HLT_Mu8	1.59×10^4	15-45 GeV	> 8 GeV	> 30 GeV
HLT_Mu17	5.94×10^2	32-100 GeV	> 17 GeV	> 30 GeV
HLT_Mu20	2.25×10^2	32-100 GeV	> 20 GeV	> 30 GeV
HLT_Mu27	2.25×10^2	45-100 GeV	> 27 GeV	> 30 GeV

Backup: lepton fake rate (III)

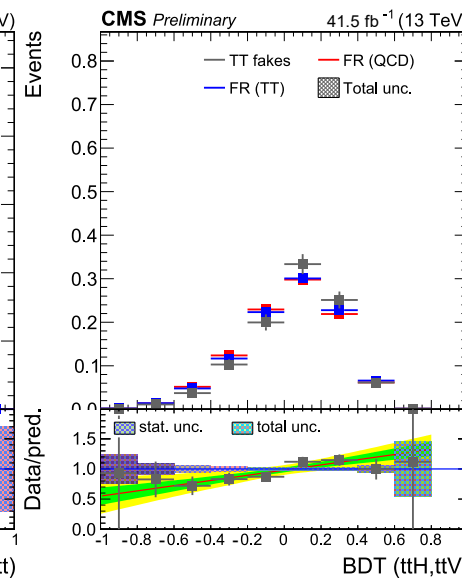
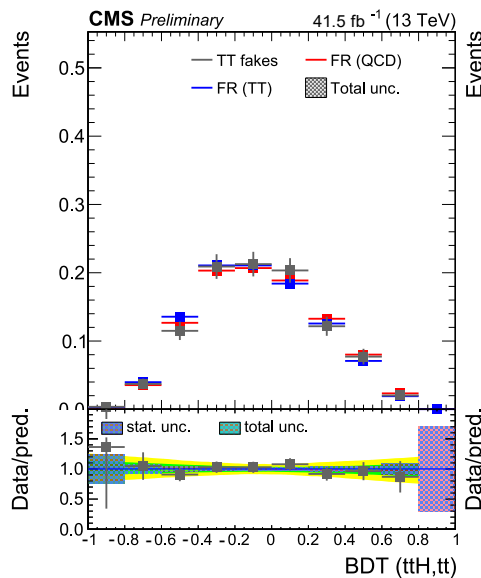
$2\ell SS$ closure plots



Electrons

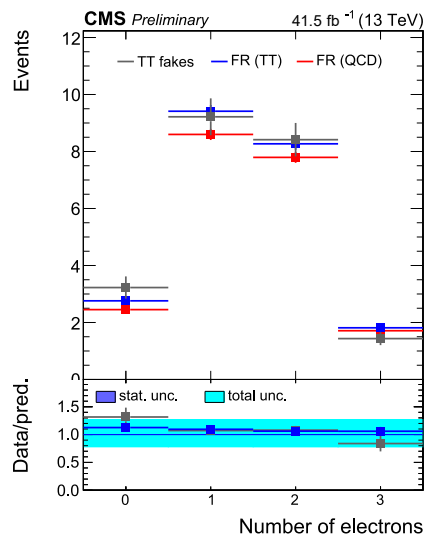


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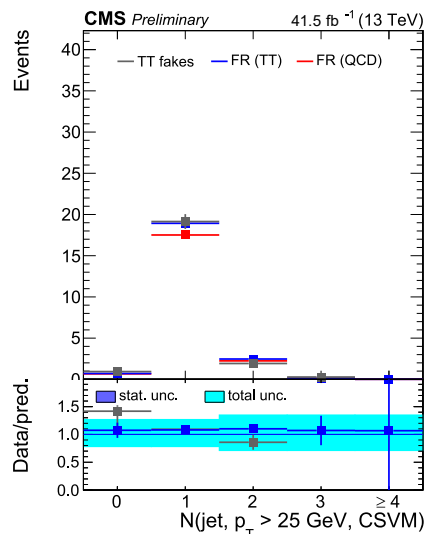
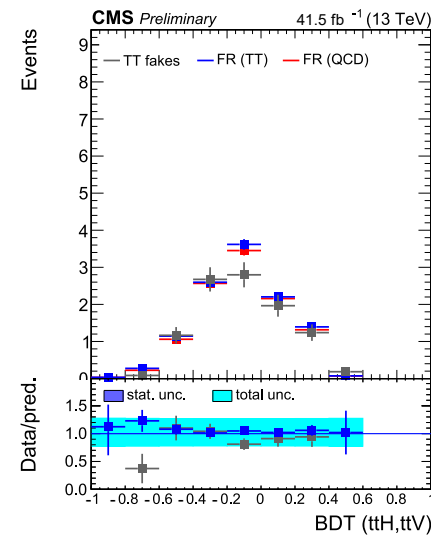
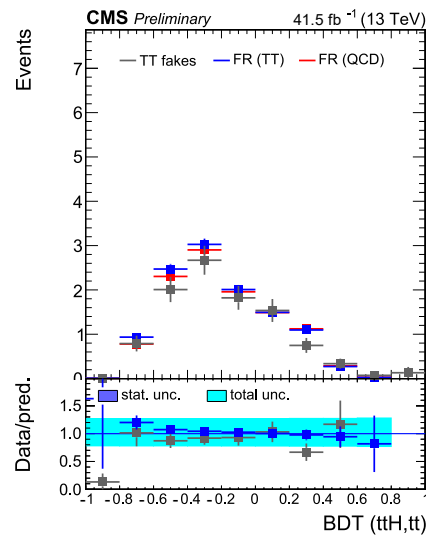


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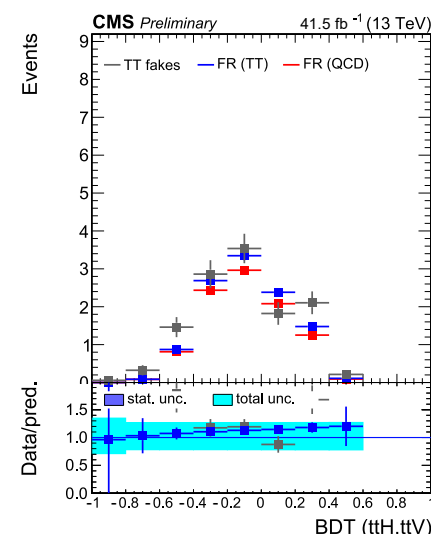
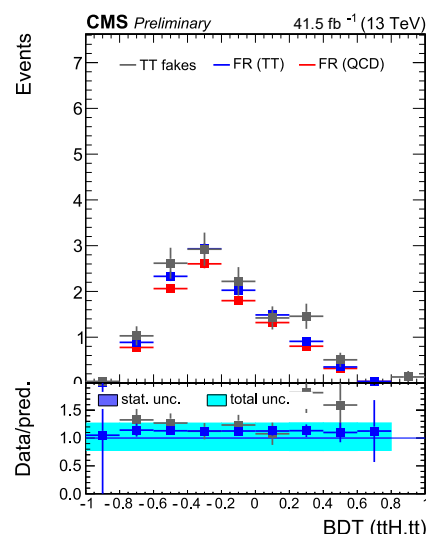
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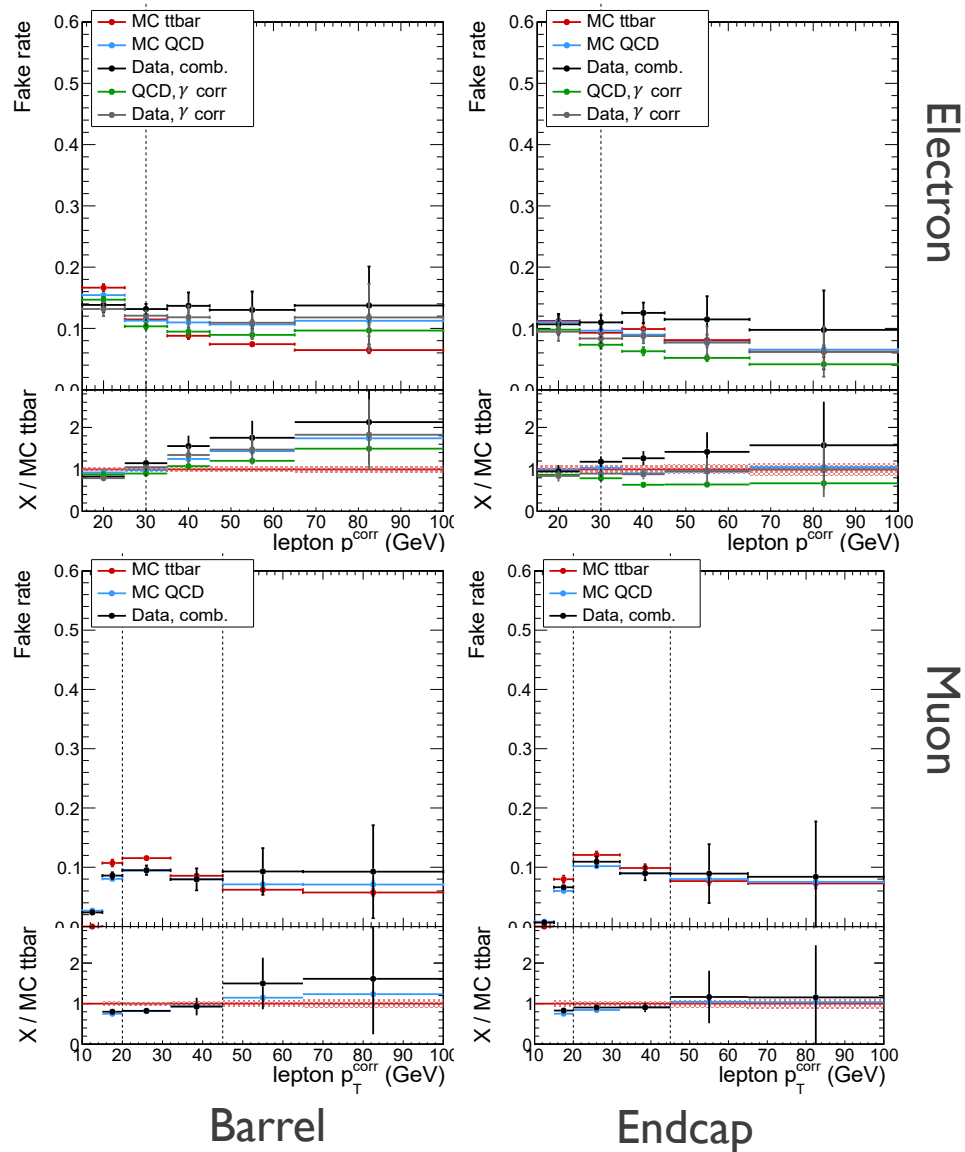
e fake



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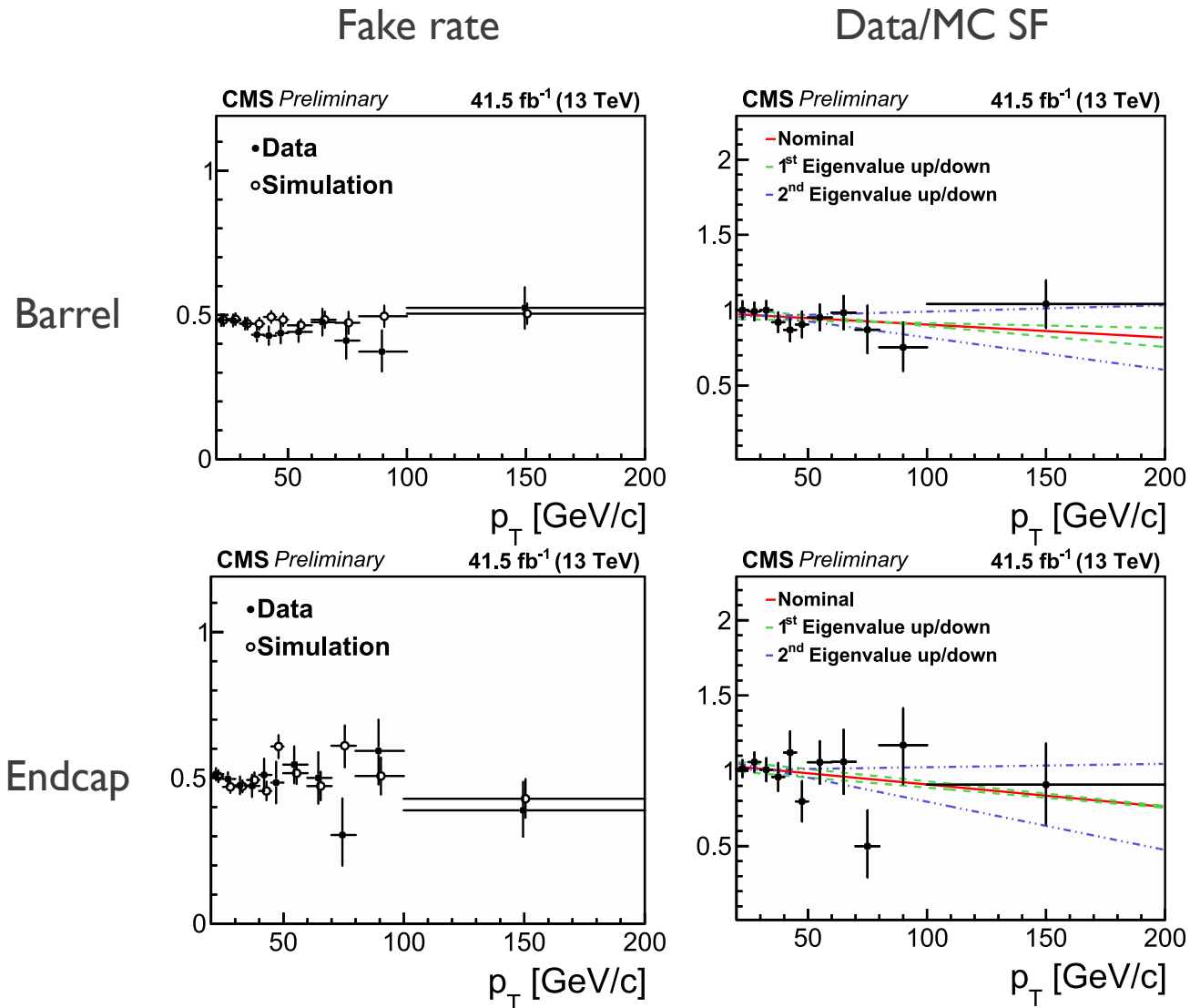


Backup: lepton fake rate (γ)



Backup: tau fake rate (I)

Loose WP



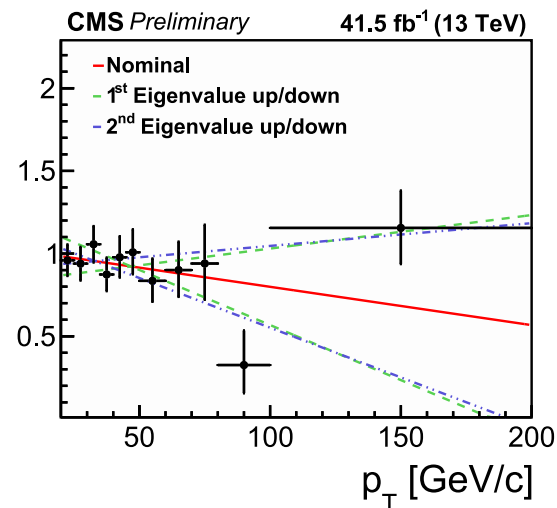
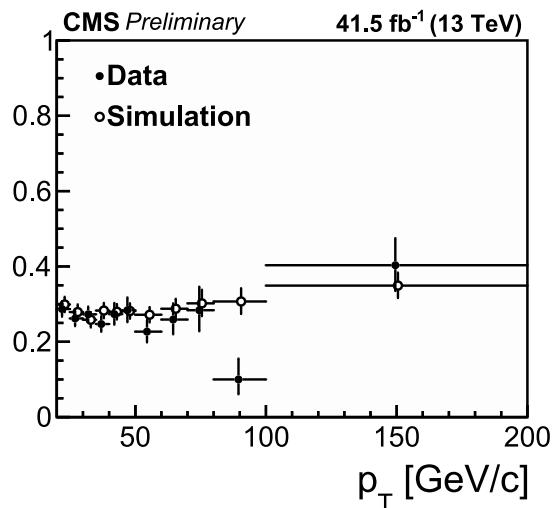
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Medium WP

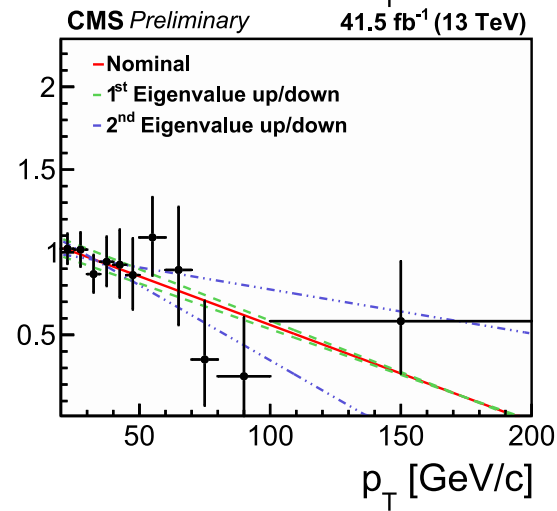
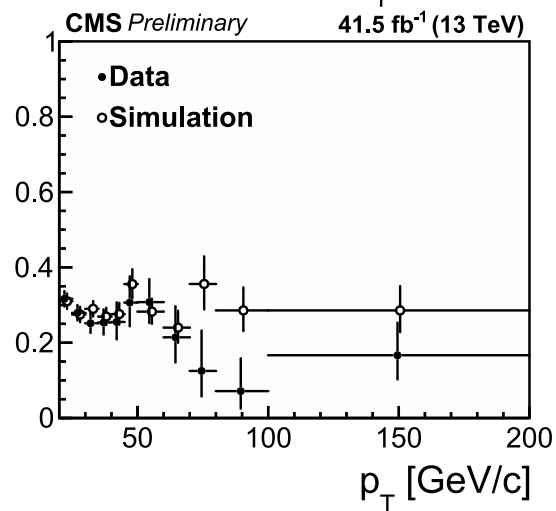
Fake rate

Data/MC SF

Barrel



Endcap



Backup: charge mis-ID rate

$e_1 e_2$	EH	BH	EM	BM	EL	BL
EH	EH_EH	EH_BH	EH_EM	EH_BM	EH_EL	EH_BL
BH	-	BH_BH	BH_EM	BH_BM	BH_EL	BH_BL
EM	-	-	EM_EM	EM_BM	EM_EL	EM_BL
BM	-	-	-	BM_BM	BM_EL	BM_BL
EL	-	-	-	-	EL_EL	EL_BL
BL	-	-	-	-	-	BL_BL

$$r_{BL, BL} = 2 p_{BL}$$

$$r_{BM, BL} = p_{BM} + p_{BL}$$

$$r_{BM, BM} = 2 p_{BM}$$

$$r_{BH, BL} = p_{BH} + p_{BL}$$

$$r_{BH, BM} = p_{BH} + p_{BM}$$

$$r_{BH, BH} = 2 p_{BH}$$

$$r_{EL, EL} = 2 p_{EL}$$

$$r_{EM, EL} = p_{EM} + p_{EL}$$

$$r_{EM, EM} = 2 p_{EM}$$

$$r_{EH, EL} = p_{EH} + p_{EL}$$

$$r_{EH, EM} = p_{EH} + p_{EM}$$

$$r_{BH, EH} = p_{BH} + p_{EH}$$

$$r_{BL, EL} = p_{BL} + p_{EL}$$

$$r_{BM, EL} = p_{BM} + p_{EL}$$

$$r_{EM, BL} = p_{EM} + p_{BL}$$

$$r_{BM, EM} = p_{BM} + p_{EM}$$

$$r_{BH, EL} = p_{BH} + p_{EL}$$

$$r_{EH, BL} = p_{EH} + p_{BL}$$

$$r_{BH, EM} = p_{BH} + p_{EM}$$

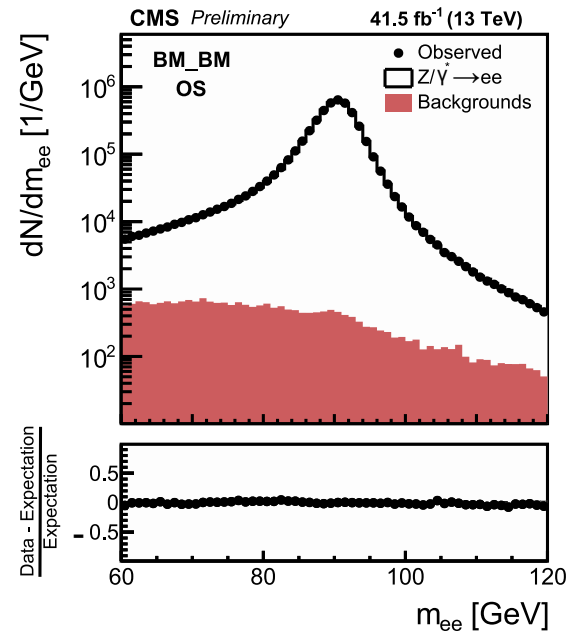
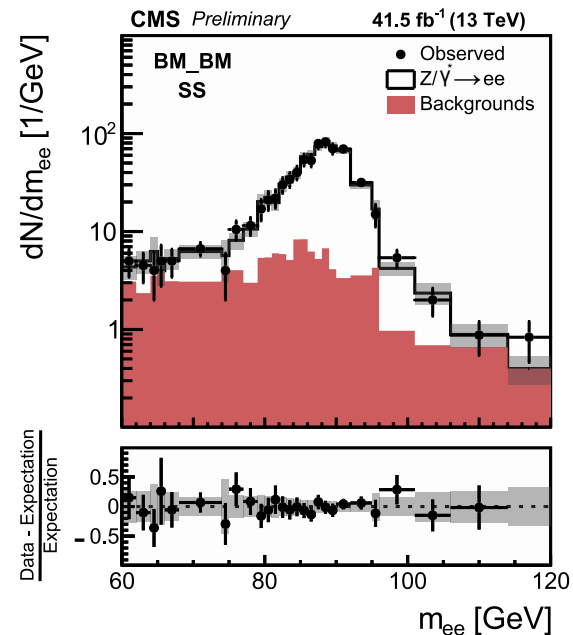
$$r_{EH, BM} = p_{EH} + p_{BM}$$

$$r_{BH, EH} = p_{BH} + p_{EH}$$

Category	r
BL, BL	0.047 ± 0.022
BM, BL	0.037 ± 0.004
BM, BM	0.016 ± 0.001
BH, BL	0.016 ± 0.009
BH, BM	0.020 ± 0.001
BH, BH	0.026 ± 0.014
EL, EL	0.000 ± 0.000
EM, EL	0.000 ± 0.000
EM, EM	0.181 ± 0.008
EH, EL	0.340 ± 0.070
EH, EM	0.191 ± 0.009

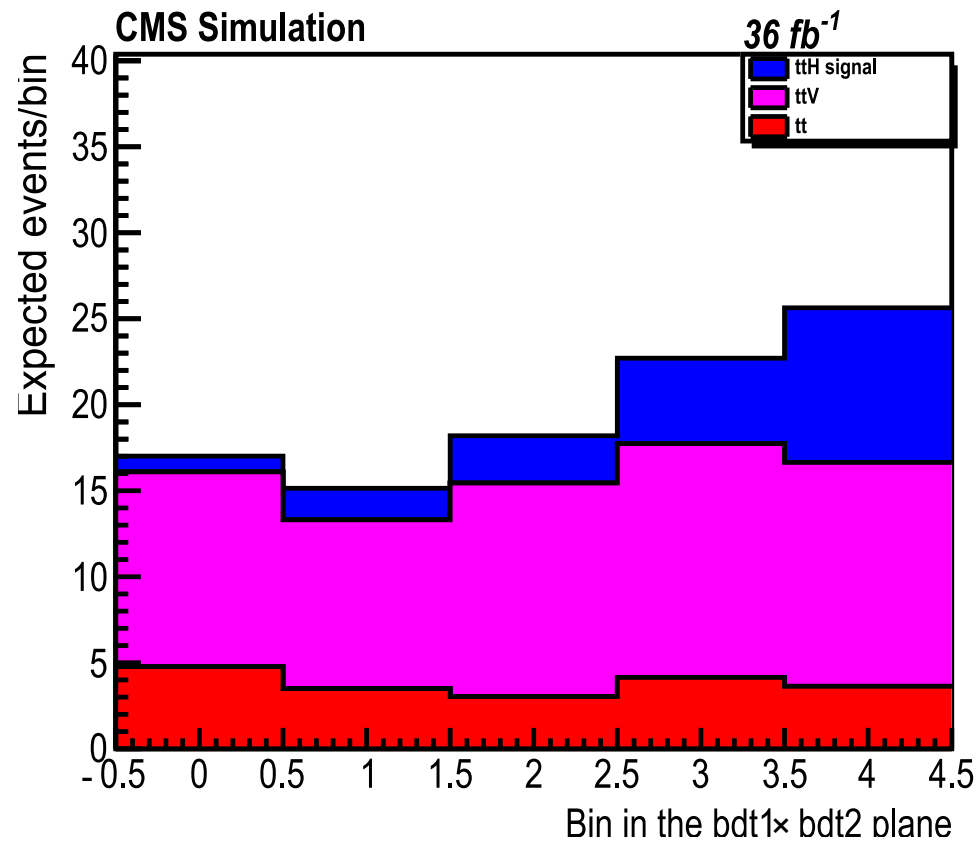
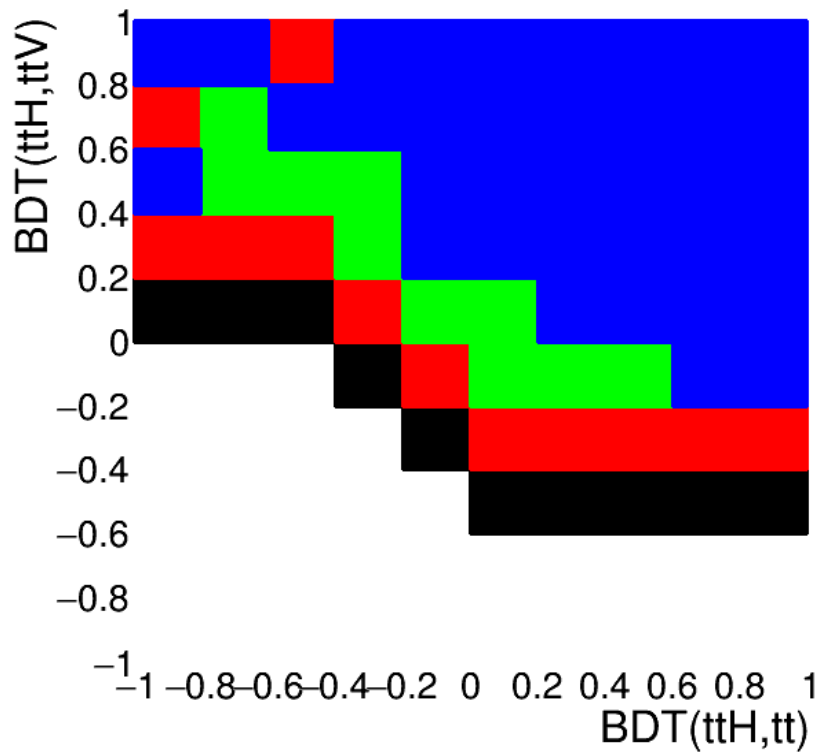
Category	r
EH, EH	0.337 ± 0.037
BL, EL	0.028 ± 0.017
BM, EL	0.042 ± 0.006
EM, BL	0.069 ± 0.007
BM, EM	0.078 ± 0.003
BH, EL	0.046 ± 0.012
EH, BL	0.198 ± 0.018
BH, EM	0.088 ± 0.007
EH, BM	0.119 ± 0.007
BH, EH	0.204 ± 0.022

		$15 \leq p_T < 25 \text{ GeV}$	$25 \leq p_T < 50 \text{ GeV}$	$p_T \geq 50 \text{ GeV}$
MC truth	$ \eta < 1.479$	0.0081 ± 0.0015	0.0053 ± 0.0003	0.0071 ± 0.0009
	$1.479 \leq \eta < 2.5$	0.0579 ± 0.0068	0.0507 ± 0.0016	0.0915 ± 0.0061
Pseudodata	$ \eta < 1.479$	0.0009 ± 0.0024	0.0096 ± 0.0027	0.0132 ± 0.0019
	$1.479 \leq \eta < 2.5$	0.0095 ± 0.0045	0.0507 ± 0.0028	0.0907 ± 0.0067
Data	$ \eta < 1.479$	0.0134 ± 0.0041	0.0224 ± 0.0041	0.0228 ± 0.0053
	$1.479 \leq \eta < 2.5$	0.0199 ± 0.0070	0.0560 ± 0.0041	0.1387 ± 0.0087



Backup: 1D mapping of two BDTs

Fig 40 in AN 2017/029 v5

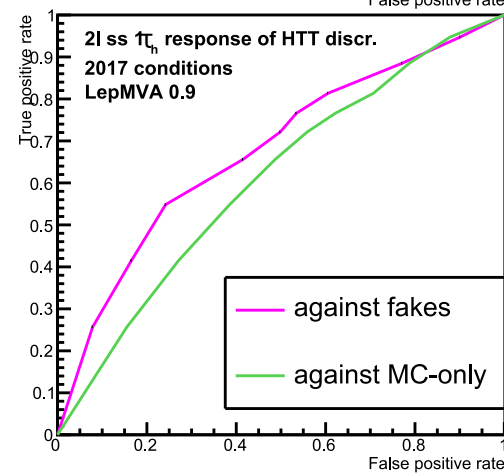
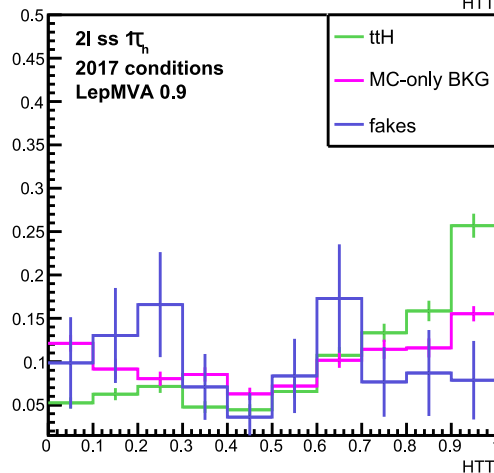
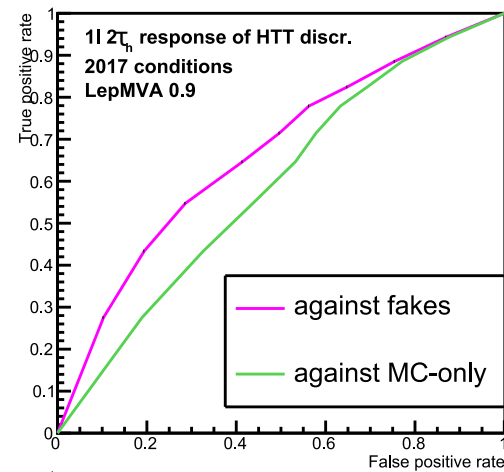
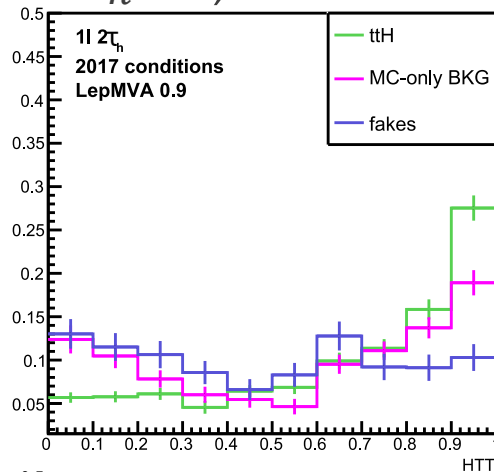


Backup: resolved Hadronic Top Tagger (I)

- BDT-based discriminator aiming to reconstruct hadronic top decay
- Computes the likelihood of a jet triplet to be compatible with hadronic top decay products
- Full combinatorics of jet triplets in an event are tried
 - jet triplet: 1 b -jet candidate + 2 W -jet candidates W_1 (higher in p_T) and W_2 (lower in p_T)
 - the one with the best score is used in the BDT for signal extraction
- 8 input variables
 - b -tagging score of the b -jet candidate
 - masses of $W_1 + W_2$ and $b + W_1 + W_2$ and p_T of $b + W_1 + W_2$
 - p_T and quark-gluon discriminator of W -jet candidate with lower p_T (ie W_2)
 - value of the likelihood function L used in kinematic fit subject to mass constraints $m_W = 80.4$ GeV and $m_t = 173.1$ GeV:
$$L = W(p_T^b | \hat{p}_T^b) W(p_T^{W1} | \hat{p}_T^{W1}) W(p_T^{W2} | \hat{p}_T^{W2})$$
where W refers to transfer function that relates true quantities (with hats) to reconstructed quantities (without hats)
 - ratio between the p_T of b -jet candidate before and after kinematic fit

Backup: resolved Hadronic Top Tagger (II)

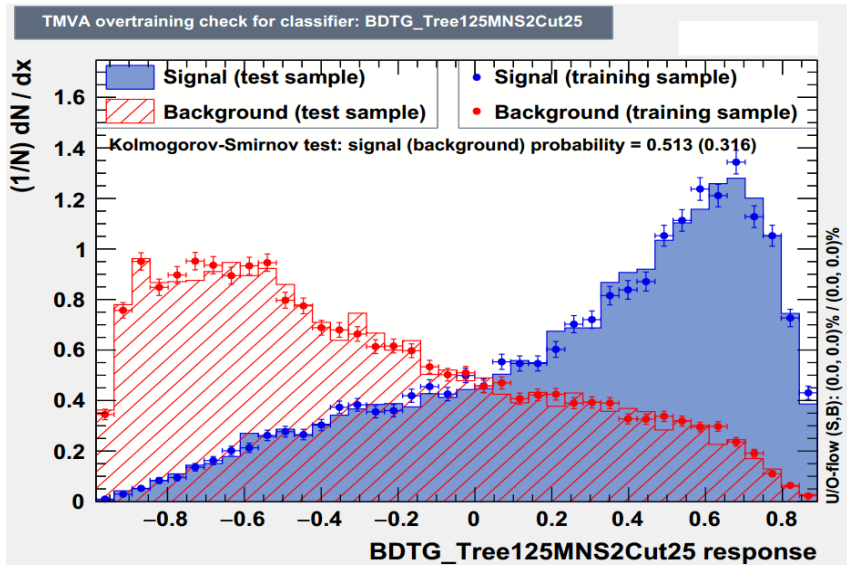
- Training performed on a mixture of $t\bar{t}H$, $t\bar{t}W$, $t\bar{t}Z$ and $t\bar{t}$ +jets samples
- No special event selection so that the BDT is applicable in all channels where the top quarks are expected to decay hadronically ($1\ell + 2\tau_h$, $2\ell SS$, $2\ell SS + 1\tau_h$, 3ℓ)



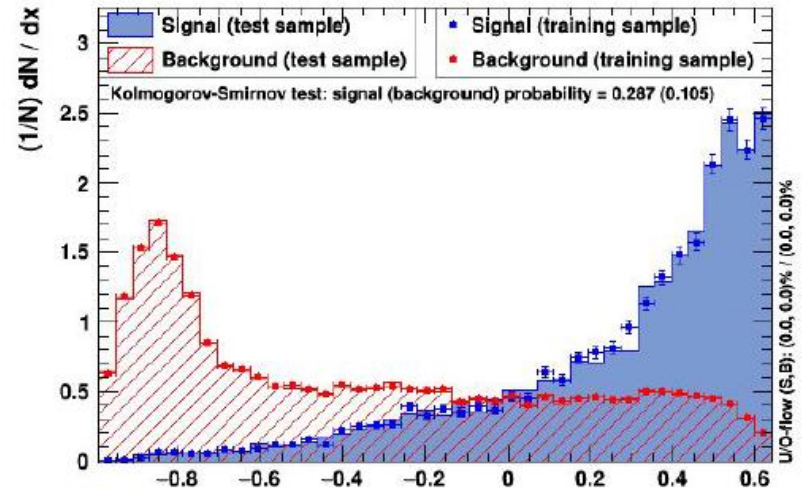
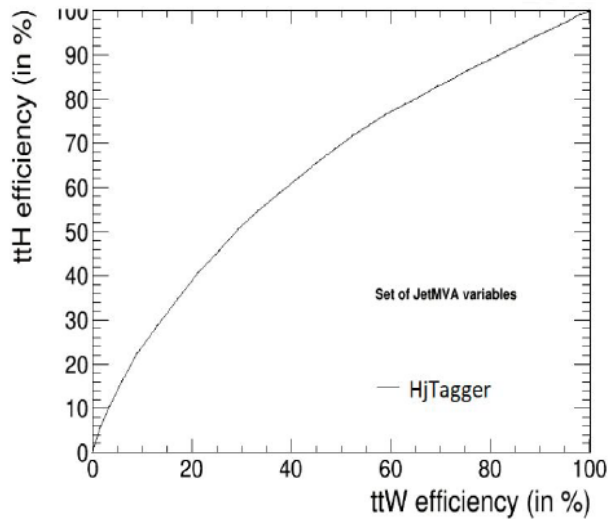
Backup: Hj tagger (I)

- BDT-based discriminator to assess likelihood of a jet originating from H decay
- Jets from $H \rightarrow WW^* \rightarrow \ell\nu qq'$ decay considered as signal, other jets treated as background
- Jets in the event selection allowed to fail jet object selection cuts $p_T > 25$ GeV and $|\eta| < 2.4$
- Trained on $t\bar{t}H$, $t\bar{t}W$ and $t\bar{t}Z$ events
- 5 input variables
 - minimum and maximum ΔR between the jet and any electron or muon that passes the fakeable lepton selection criteria
 - p_T , DeepCSV score and quark-gluon discriminator of the jet
- Retrained with 2017 detector conditions
- Performance similar to 2016 version

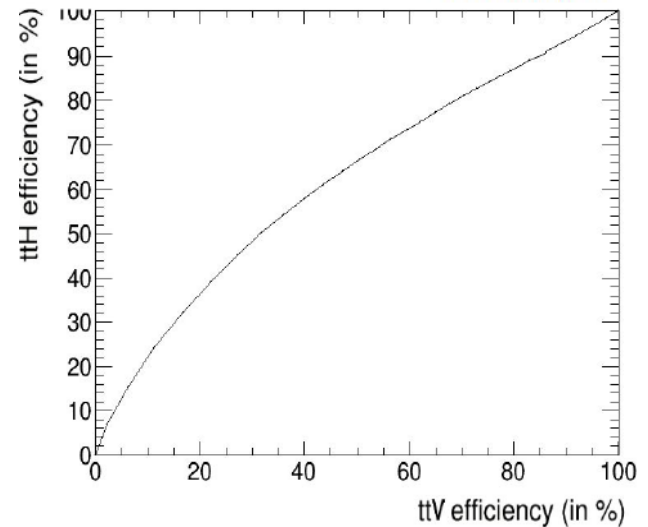
Backup: Hj tagger (II)



2016 analysis



2017 analysis



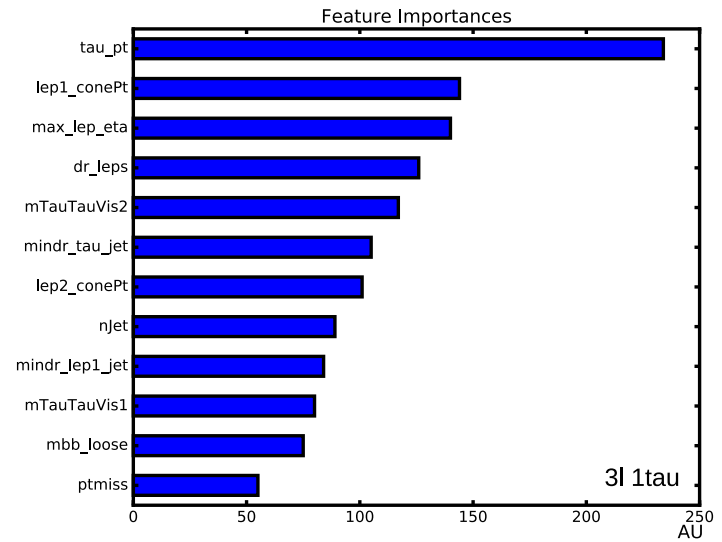
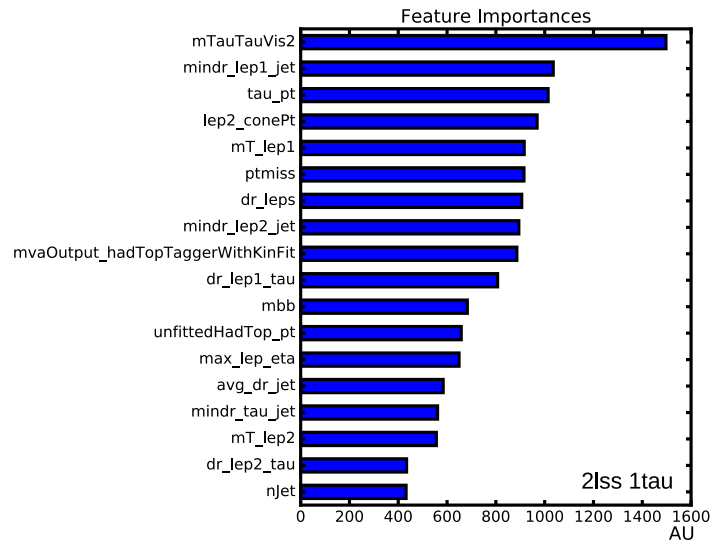
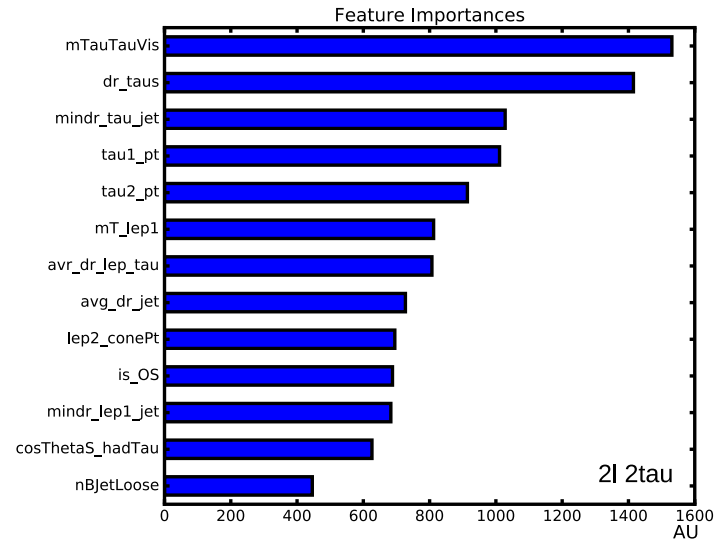
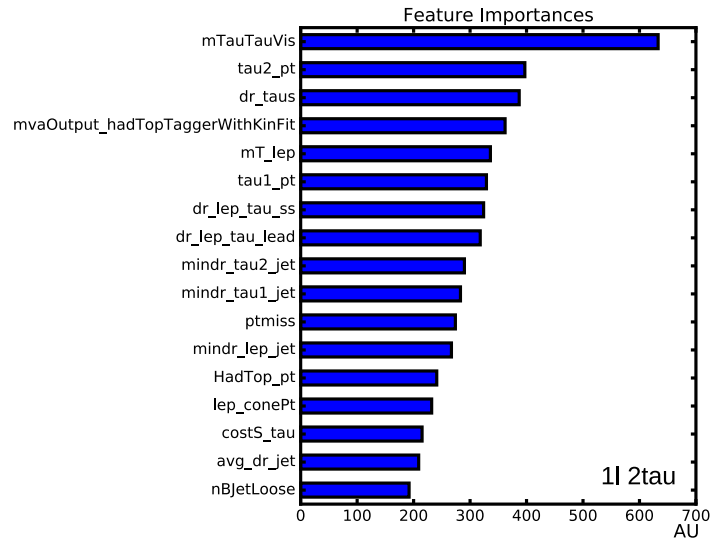
Backup: variables used in event-level BDT training (I)

Category	$1\ell + 2\tau_h$	$2l_{ss} + 1\tau_h$	$2\ell + 2\tau_h$	$3\ell + 1\tau_h$	$2l_{ss}$		3ℓ	
					$\bar{t}\bar{t}$	$\bar{t}\bar{t}V$	$\bar{t}\bar{t}$	$\bar{t}\bar{t}V$
Leading ℓ cone p_T	X		X	X		X		X
Trailing ℓ cone p_T		X		X		X		X
Minimum of $\Delta R(\text{leading } \ell, j)$	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Minimum of $\Delta R(\text{trailing } \ell, j)$		X			X	X		
$\Delta R(\text{leading } \ell, \text{trailing } \ell)$		X		X				
Transverse Mass of leading ℓ	X	X			X	X	X	X
Transverse Mass of trailing ℓ		X					X	X
Maximum $ \eta $ of ℓ collection		X		X	X	X	X	X
Signal leading $\ell \times$ signal trailing ℓ			X					
Average of $\Delta R(jj)$	X	X	X					
Number of jets ($p_T > 25$ GeV)		X		X	X	X		
Number of loose b-jets	X		X					
Mass of leading medium b-jet pair		X						
Mass of leading loose b-jet pair				X				
E_T^{miss}	X	X		X				
res-hTT	X	X						
Hadronic t p_T	X	X						
$\mathcal{D}_{thad}^{\max}$					X	X	X	X
\mathcal{D}_{Hj}^{\max}					X	X	X	X

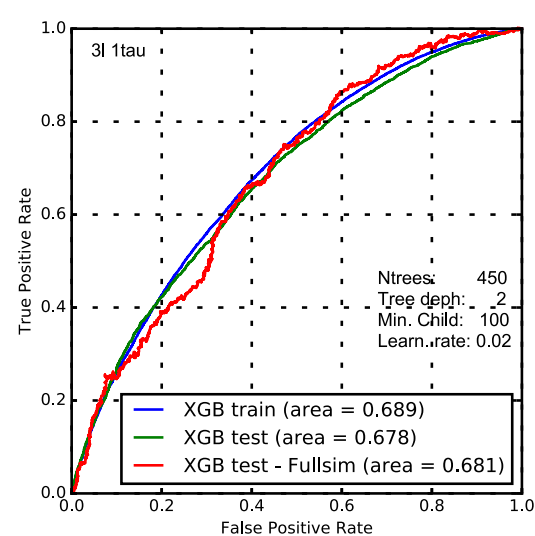
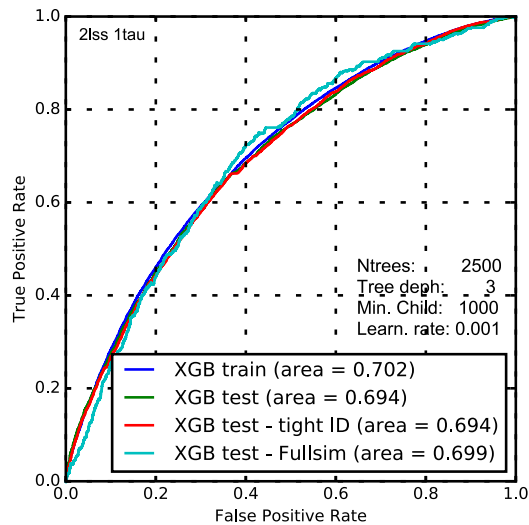
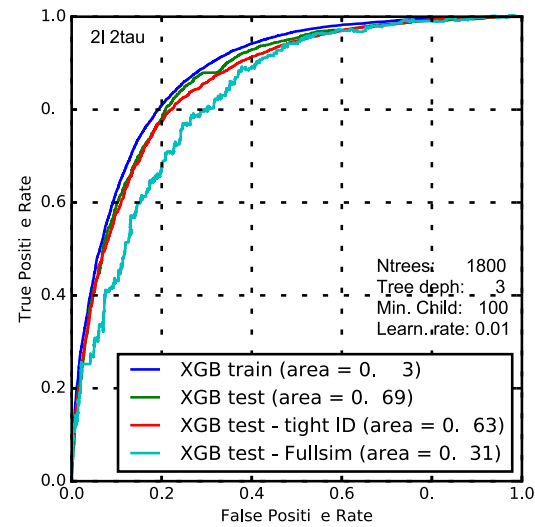
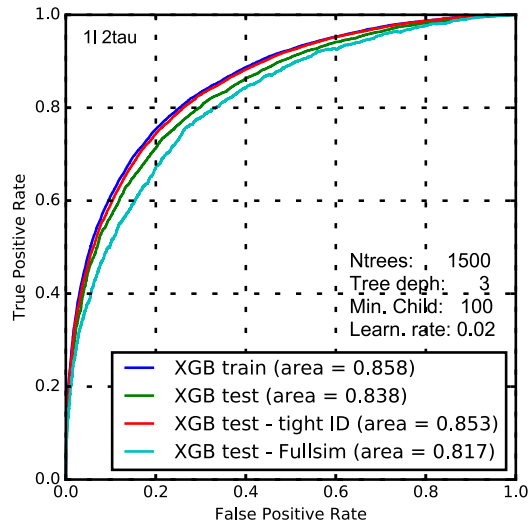
Backup: variables used in event-level BDT training (II)

Category	$1\ell + 2\tau_h$	$2lss + 1\tau_h$	$2\ell + 2\tau_h$	$3\ell + 1\tau_h$	2lss		3 ℓ	
Comment					$t\bar{t}$	$t\bar{t}V$	$t\bar{t}$	$t\bar{t}V$
Leading $\tau_h p_T$	X	X	X	X				
Trailing $\tau_h p_T$	X		X					
Mass of leading $\tau_h +$ trailing τ_h	X		X					
$\Delta R(\text{leading } \tau_h, \text{trailing } \tau_h)$	X		X					
$\cos(\theta)^*(\text{leading } \tau_h, \text{trailing } \tau_h)$	X		X					
Minimum of $\Delta R(\text{leading } \tau_h, j)$	X	X		X				
Minimum of $\Delta R(\text{trailing } \tau_h, j)$	X							
Minimum of $\Delta R(\tau_h, j)$			X					
Mass of leading $\ell +$ leading τ_h				X				
Mass of trailing $\ell +$ leading τ_h		X		X				
$\Delta R(\text{leading } \ell, \text{leading } \tau_h)$	X	X						
$\Delta R(\text{trailing } \ell, \text{leading } \tau_h)$		X						
$\Delta R(\ell, \tau_h)$ for same-sign pair of (ℓ, τ_h)	X							
Average of $\Delta R(\ell, \tau_h)$			X					
MEM								X
Number of variables	17	18	13	12	7	9	6	9

Backup: ranking of BDT input variables in categories with τ_h

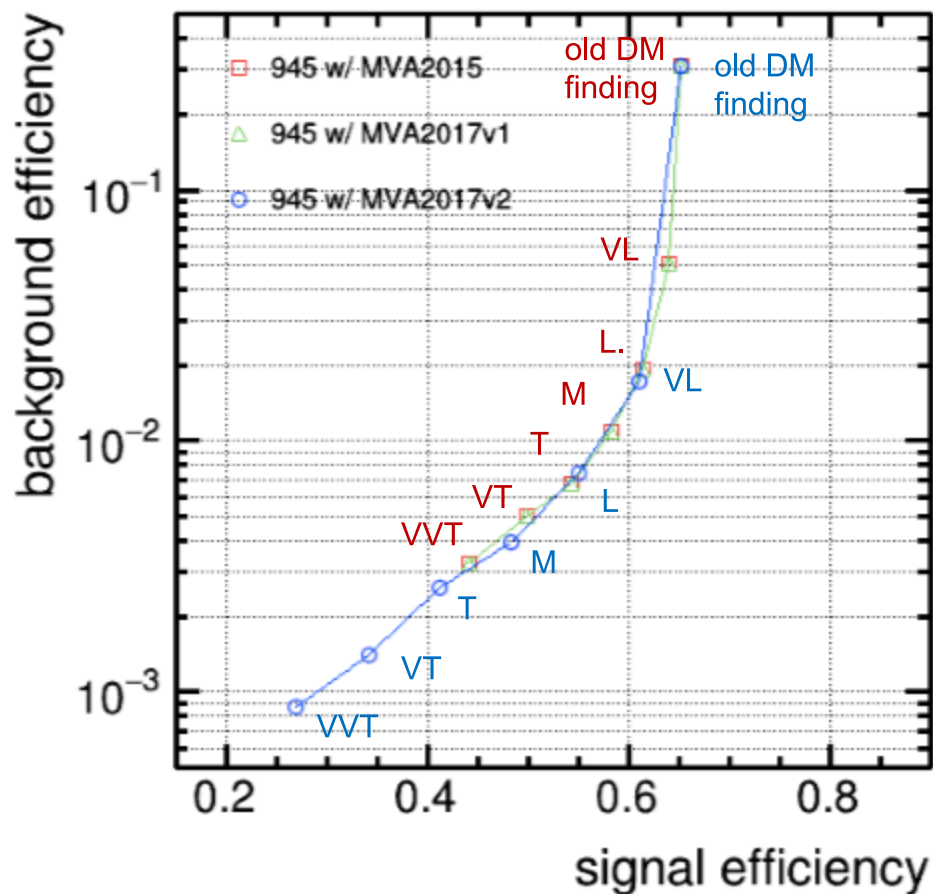


Backup: ROC curves of BDT in categories with τ_h

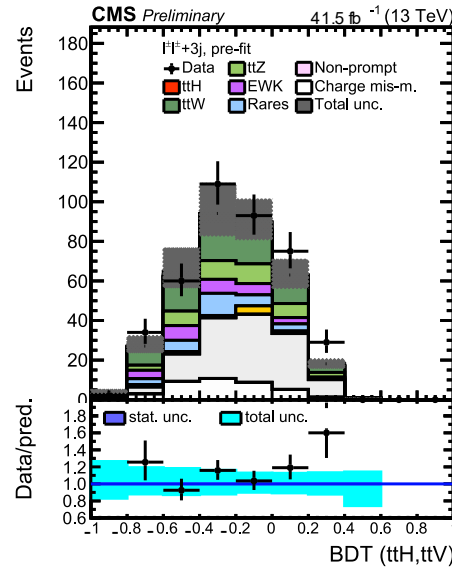
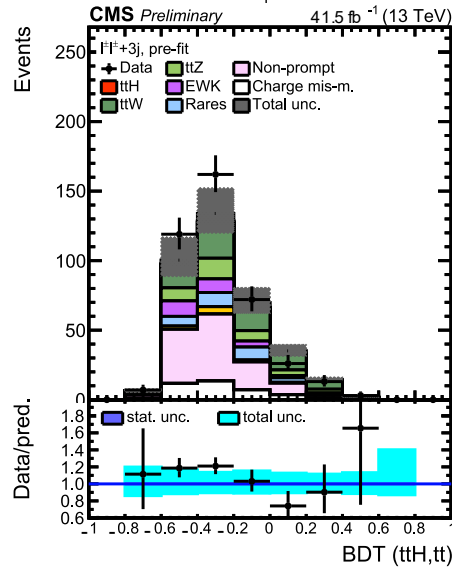
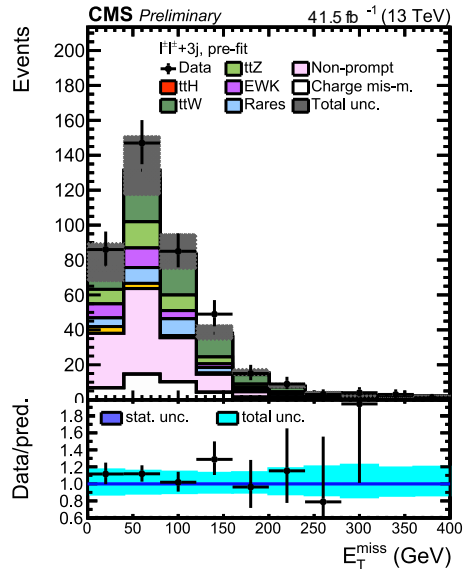
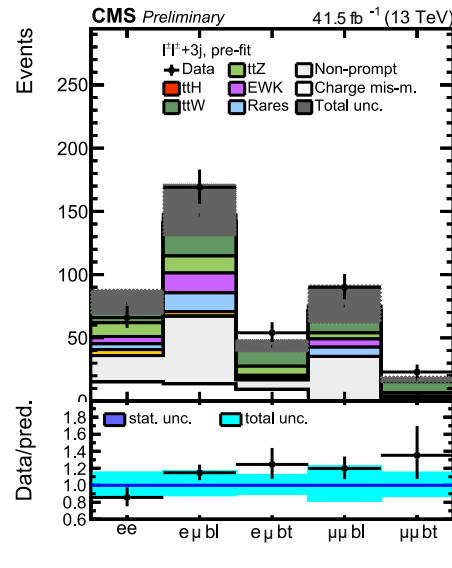
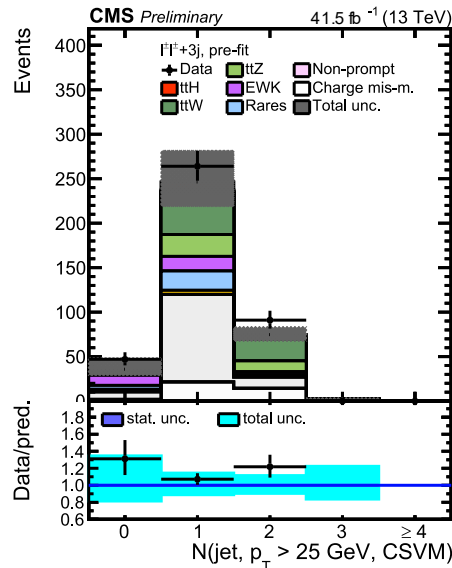
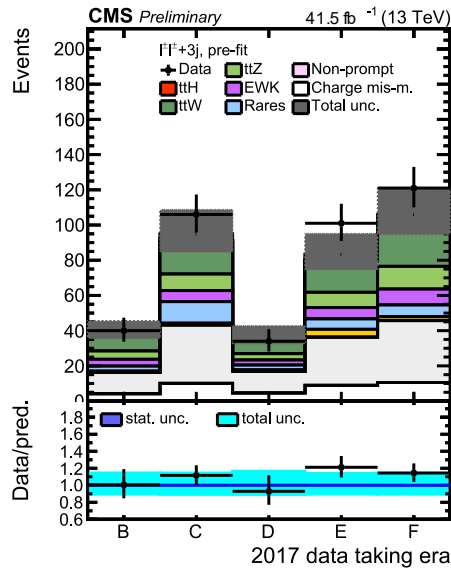


Backup: Tau POG MVA WPs

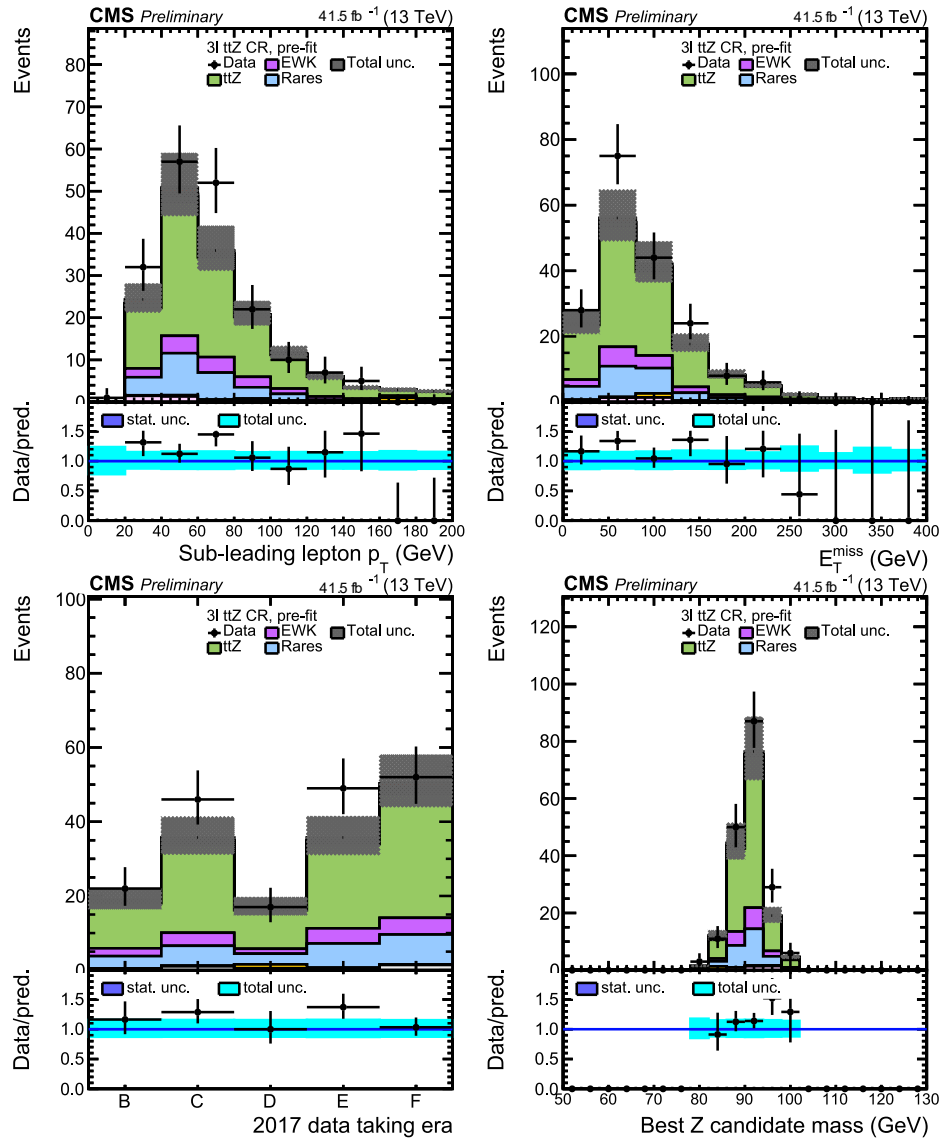
- WPs have shifted with 2017v2 wrt 2015 training (Loose → VLoose, Medium → Loose, Tight → Medium)
- See <https://hypernews.cern.ch/HyperNews/CMS/get/tauid/822.html> for more info



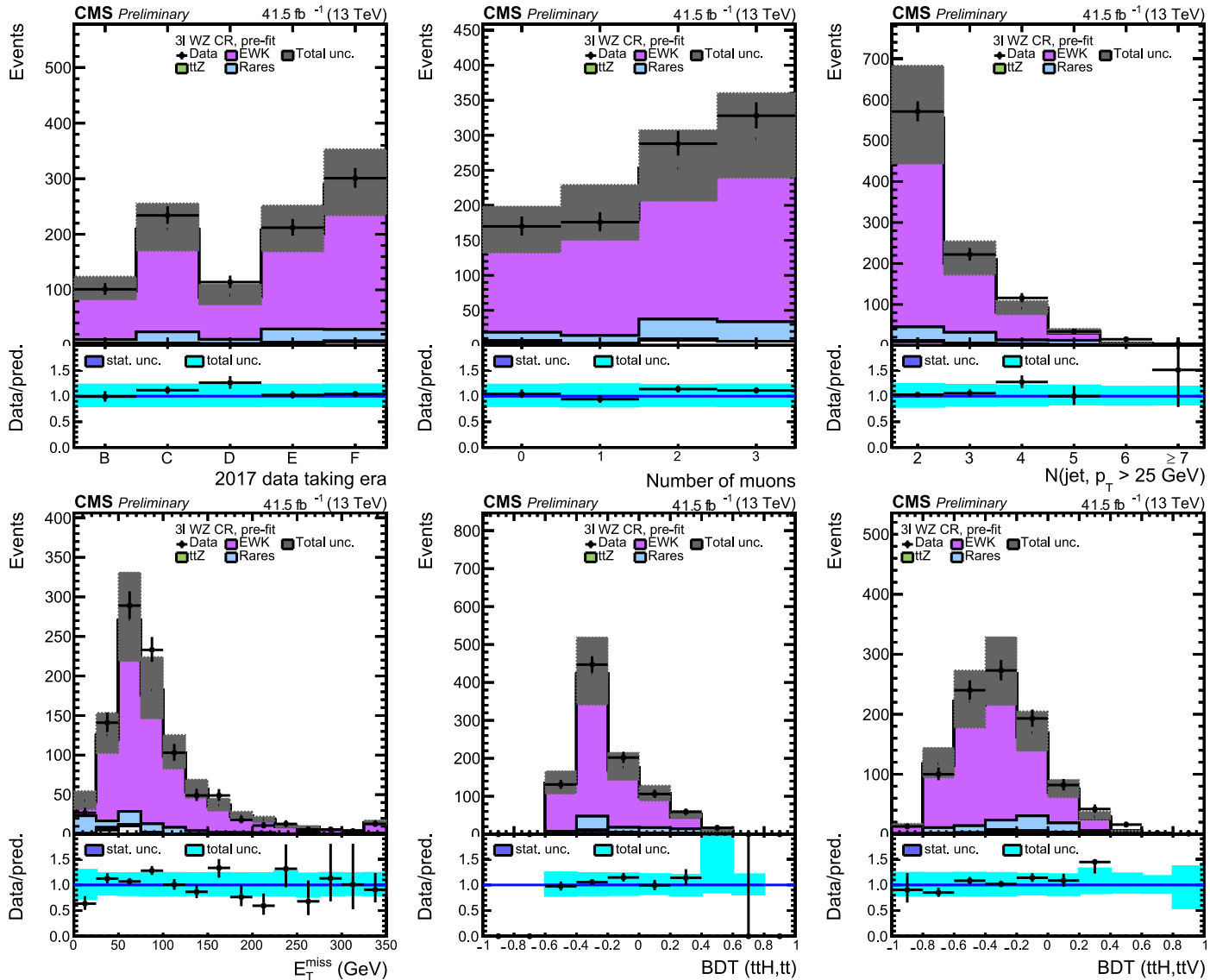
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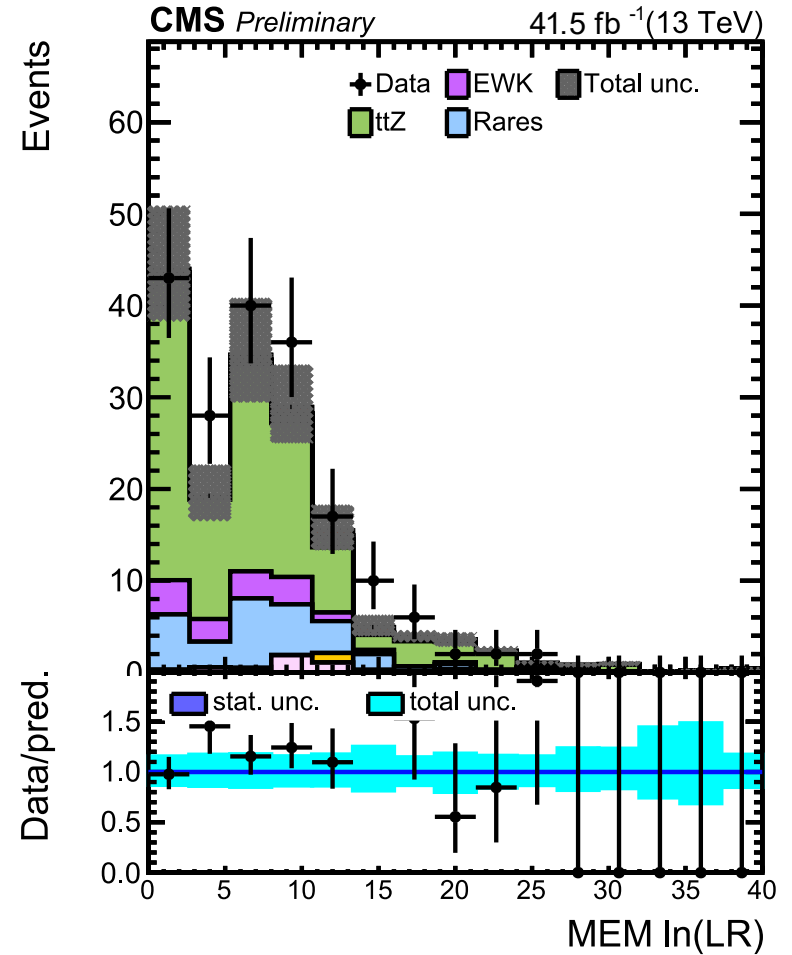
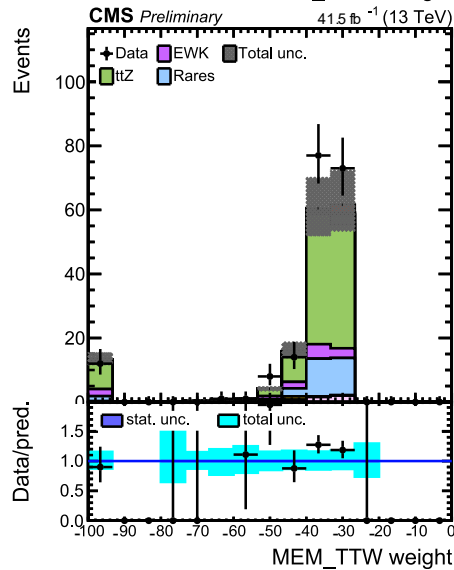
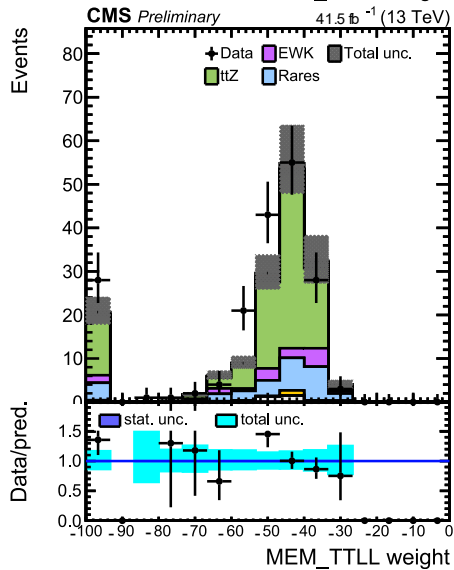
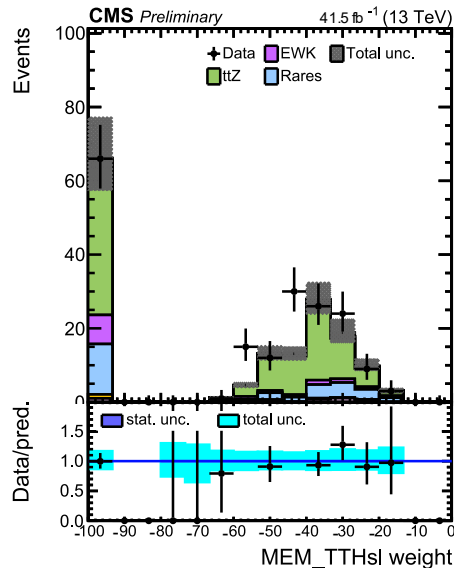
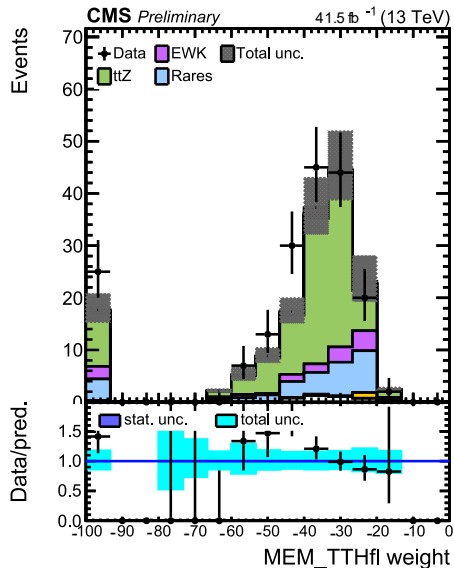
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Backup: WZ control regions



Backup: MEM discriminant in $t\bar{t}Z$ control region



Backup: samples used in BDT training

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Backup: signal rates of $t\bar{t}H$, $t\bar{t}Z$ and $t\bar{t}W + t\bar{t}WW$

Signal rates μ , in units of the SM $t\bar{t}H$ and $t\bar{t}Z$ and $t\bar{t}W + t\bar{t}WW$ production rates, measured including $t\bar{t}Z$ and $t\bar{t}W + t\bar{t}WW$ control regions on the fit:

	signal strength $\pm 1\sigma$	
	Measured	Expected
$\mu_{t\bar{t}H}$	$0.75^{+0.46}_{-0.43}$	$1.00^{+0.39}_{-0.35}$
$\mu_{t\bar{t}W}$	$1.42^{+0.34}_{-0.33}$	$1.00^{+0.27}_{-0.23}$
$\mu_{t\bar{t}Z}$	$1.69^{+0.39}_{-0.33}$	$1.00^{+0.23}_{-0.20}$

Backup: pre-fit yields (I)

Category	$2\ell ss$									
	no req.		Loose				Tight			
	ee		$e\mu$		$\mu\mu$		$e\mu$		$\mu\mu$	
Charge	-	+	-	+	-	+	-	+	-	+
tH, H \rightarrow ZZ	0.20 \pm 0.03	0.17 \pm 0.02	0.30 \pm 0.04	0.21 \pm 0.02	0.14 \pm 0.02	0.18 \pm 0.03	0.32 \pm 0.04	0.21 \pm 0.04	0.10 \pm 0.02	0.10 \pm 0.02
tH, H \rightarrow WW	3.58 \pm 0.50	3.79 \pm 0.49	7.27 \pm 0.80	6.84 \pm 0.79	4.76 \pm 0.53	4.90 \pm 0.55	5.07 \pm 0.75	5.60 \pm 0.84	3.65 \pm 0.52	3.22 \pm 0.46
tH, H \rightarrow $\tau\tau$	0.85 \pm 0.12	0.82 \pm 0.11	1.29 \pm 0.14	1.38 \pm 0.16	0.78 \pm 0.08	0.88 \pm 0.09	1.08 \pm 0.15	0.91 \pm 0.12	0.65 \pm 0.09	0.56 \pm 0.08
tH, H \rightarrow $\mu\mu$	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
tH, H \rightarrow Z γ	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
ttH (sum)	4.64 \pm 0.52	4.81 \pm 0.50	8.91 \pm 0.81	8.47 \pm 0.80	5.70 \pm 0.54	5.98 \pm 0.56	6.52 \pm 0.77	6.75 \pm 0.85	4.41 \pm 0.53	3.89 \pm 0.47
tW	9.32 \pm 1.50	14.77 \pm 2.39	16.00 \pm 2.40	28.49 \pm 4.27	10.00 \pm 1.52	17.61 \pm 2.64	11.13 \pm 1.88	22.55 \pm 3.86	7.98 \pm 1.37	13.18 \pm 2.21
tWW	0.68 \pm 0.09	0.52 \pm 0.07	1.36 \pm 0.18	0.99 \pm 0.13	0.67 \pm 0.09	0.68 \pm 0.10	1.03 \pm 0.15	0.86 \pm 0.13	0.51 \pm 0.07	0.58 \pm 0.10
ttW + ttWW	10.00 \pm 1.50	15.29 \pm 2.39	17.36 \pm 2.41	29.48 \pm 4.27	10.67 \pm 1.53	18.29 \pm 2.65	12.16 \pm 1.89	23.41 \pm 3.86	8.50 \pm 1.38	13.75 \pm 2.21
tHq H \rightarrow $\tau\tau$	< 0.05	0.09 \pm 0.02	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
tHW H \rightarrow $\tau\tau$	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	0.12 \pm 0.02	< 0.05	0.13 \pm 0.03	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
tHq H \rightarrow WW	0.06 \pm 0.01	< 0.05	0.10 \pm 0.02	0.15 \pm 0.02	0.07 \pm 0.01	0.14 \pm 0.01	0.11 \pm 0.02	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
tHW H \rightarrow WW	< 0.05	< 0.05	0.19 \pm 0.04	0.12 \pm 0.01	0.24 \pm 0.07	0.14 \pm 0.03	< 0.05	0.23 \pm 0.05	< 0.05	0.13 \pm 0.03
tHq H \rightarrow ZZ	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
tHW H \rightarrow ZZ	< 0.05	0.10 \pm 0.03	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
tH (sum)	0.12 \pm 0.02	0.25 \pm 0.03	0.31 \pm 0.05	0.42 \pm 0.03	0.32 \pm 0.07	0.46 \pm 0.05	0.17 \pm 0.02	0.25 \pm 0.05	0.05 \pm 0.01	0.13 \pm 0.03
ZZ	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
WZ	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
WZ + ZZ	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
ttZ	11.33 \pm 1.81	11.11 \pm 1.73	12.75 \pm 1.78	14.37 \pm 1.91	4.61 \pm 0.59	5.29 \pm 0.73	9.32 \pm 1.55	10.90 \pm 1.76	3.71 \pm 0.57	3.66 \pm 0.55
Misidentified	9.82 \pm 3.32	12.58 \pm 3.81	29.71 \pm 7.33	31.21 \pm 7.85	20.20 \pm 7.16	17.14 \pm 6.43	6.08 \pm 2.16	6.88 \pm 2.23	2.91 \pm 1.37	3.72 \pm 1.64
Conversions	1.73 \pm 0.53	4.27 \pm 2.58	2.69 \pm 0.80	6.34 \pm 3.41	< 0.05	< 0.05	1.03 \pm 0.35	1.19 \pm 0.36	< 0.05	< 0.05
signal flip	4.82 \pm 1.28	4.89 \pm 1.30	3.95 \pm 1.05	4.03 \pm 1.07	< 0.05	< 0.05	3.30 \pm 0.88	3.27 \pm 0.87	< 0.05	< 0.05
Other	1.59 \pm 0.69	2.77 \pm 1.22	5.32 \pm 2.42	6.52 \pm 2.88	1.97 \pm 0.89	3.69 \pm 1.62	2.43 \pm 1.06	2.64 \pm 1.15	1.19 \pm 0.54	1.94 \pm 0.84
SM expectation	44.05 \pm 4.38	55.97 \pm 5.77	81.00 \pm 8.42	100.84 \pm 10.26	43.45 \pm 7.42	50.86 \pm 7.20	41.02 \pm 3.64	55.29 \pm 5.08	20.78 \pm 2.16	27.09 \pm 2.97
Observed data	54	67	86	108	41	79	50	70	32	27

Backup: pre-fit yields (II)

Category	3ℓ				4ℓ
	Loose		Tight		no req.
Total charge	-	+	-	+	no req.
$t\bar{t}H, H \rightarrow ZZ$	0.47 ± 0.12	0.17 ± 0.02	0.21 ± 0.03	0.19 ± 0.04	0.09 ± 0.01
$t\bar{t}H, H \rightarrow WW$	7.87 ± 1.02	7.03 ± 0.92	3.24 ± 0.50	2.84 ± 0.49	0.65 ± 0.09
$t\bar{t}H, H \rightarrow \tau\tau$	1.34 ± 0.22	0.54 ± 0.09	0.72 ± 0.11	1.00 ± 0.13	0.19 ± 0.03
$t\bar{t}H, H \rightarrow \mu\mu$	0.09 ± 0.02	0.24 ± 0.03	0.07 ± 0.02	0.17 ± 0.03	0.07 ± 0.01
$t\bar{t}H, H \rightarrow Z\gamma$	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	0.04 ± 0.01	< 0.05
$t\bar{t}H$ (sum)	9.78 ± 1.05	7.98 ± 0.93	4.24 ± 0.51	4.24 ± 0.51	0.99 ± 0.10
$t\bar{t}W$	9.04 ± 1.56	14.42 ± 2.36	4.31 ± 0.89	6.50 ± 1.44	< 0.05
$t\bar{t}WW$	0.88 ± 0.11	0.97 ± 0.13	0.57 ± 0.09	0.52 ± 0.08	0.09 ± 0.01
$t\bar{t}W + t\bar{t}WW$	9.91 ± 1.57	15.39 ± 2.36	4.89 ± 0.89	7.01 ± 1.44	0.09 ± 0.01
$tHq, H \rightarrow \tau\tau$	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
$tHW, H \rightarrow \tau\tau$	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
$tHq, H \rightarrow WW$	0.08 ± 0.01	0.28 ± 0.04	0.34 ± 0.13	< 0.05	< 0.05
$tHW, H \rightarrow WW$	0.06 ± 0.01	0.04 ± 0.01	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
$tHq, H \rightarrow ZZ$	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
$tHW, H \rightarrow ZZ$	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
tH (sum)	0.16 ± 0.02	0.36 ± 0.04	0.36 ± 0.13	0.09 ± 0.01	< 0.05
ZZ	0.21 ± 0.03	0.18 ± 0.04	< 0.05	< 0.05	0.09 ± 0.05
WZ	3.96 ± 0.71	7.41 ± 1.30	0.24 ± 0.06	0.45 ± 0.06	< 0.05
$WZ + ZZ$	4.17 ± 0.71	7.59 ± 1.30	0.24 ± 0.06	0.45 ± 0.06	0.09 ± 0.05
$t\bar{t}Z$	16.37 ± 2.59	13.65 ± 2.32	9.25 ± 1.79	8.28 ± 1.55	2.46 ± 0.37
Misidentified	13.24 ± 4.11	11.39 ± 4.07	1.79 ± 0.73	2.37 ± 0.96	< 0.05
Conversions	1.84 ± 0.79	2.21 ± 0.80	2.69 ± 1.11	0.96 ± 0.36	< 0.05
signal flip	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
Other	2.70 ± 1.16	4.33 ± 1.89	1.77 ± 0.77	2.05 ± 0.89	0.10 ± 0.07
SM expectation	58.17 ± 5.44	62.90 ± 5.86	25.23 ± 2.58	25.45 ± 2.57	3.78 ± 0.39
Observed data	55	84	23	33	6

Backup: pre-fit yields (III)

Category	$1\ell + 2\tau_h$	$2\ell + 2\tau_h$	$3\ell + 1\tau_h$	$2l_{ss} + 1\tau_h$
$t\bar{t}H, H \rightarrow ZZ$	0.10 ± 0.02	< 0.05	0.05 ± 0.01	0.09 ± 0.01
$t\bar{t}H, H \rightarrow WW$	0.46 ± 0.07	0.09 ± 0.03	0.54 ± 0.08	2.34 ± 0.30
$t\bar{t}H, H \rightarrow \tau\tau$	8.27 ± 1.24	1.08 ± 0.20	0.74 ± 0.11	4.52 ± 0.58
$t\bar{t}H, H \rightarrow \mu\mu$	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
$t\bar{t}H, H \rightarrow Z\gamma$	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
$t\bar{t}H$ (sum)	8.83 ± 1.24	1.18 ± 0.20	1.36 ± 0.14	6.96 ± 0.65
$t\bar{t}W$	0.73 ± 0.14	< 0.05	0.25 ± 0.07	8.49 ± 1.49
$t\bar{t}WW$	0.07 ± 0.01	< 0.05	0.10 ± 0.01	0.49 ± 0.07
$t\bar{t}W + t\bar{t}WW$	0.80 ± 0.14	< 0.05	0.35 ± 0.08	8.98 ± 1.49
tHq	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	0.32 ± 0.03
tHW	0.23 ± 0.06	< 0.05	< 0.05	0.13 ± 0.01
tH (sum)	0.26 ± 0.06	< 0.05	< 0.05	0.45 ± 0.03
$WZ + ZZ$	1.58 ± 0.73	0.05 ± 0.02	0.13 ± 0.03	2.17 ± 1.46
$t\bar{t}Z$	7.07 ± 1.24	0.94 ± 0.19	2.69 ± 0.33	9.21 ± 0.95
Misidentified	287.30 ± 120.82	5.27 ± 2.56	0.22 ± 0.17	5.56 ± 2.38
Conversions	0.27 ± 0.13	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
signal flip	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
Other	1.24 ± 0.54	0.06 ± 0.03	0.34 ± 0.16	3.33 ± 1.12
SM expectation	307.35 ± 120.83	7.52 ± 2.58	5.11 ± 0.43	36.66 ± 3.55
Observed data	324	7	4	53

Backup: post-fit yields (I) PAS

Category	$2\ell ss$									
	no req.		Loose				Tight			
	ee		$e\mu$		$\mu\mu$		$e\mu$		$\mu\mu$	
	-	+	-	+	-	+	-	+	-	+
tH, H \rightarrow ZZ	0.15 \pm 0.09	0.12 \pm 0.07	0.22 \pm 0.13	0.16 \pm 0.09	0.11 \pm 0.06	0.13 \pm 0.08	0.22 \pm 0.13	0.14 \pm 0.09	0.07 \pm 0.04	0.07 \pm 0.04
tH, H \rightarrow WW	2.52 \pm 1.45	2.68 \pm 1.75	5.27 \pm 3.11	4.90 \pm 2.95	3.48 \pm 2.15	3.62 \pm 2.12	3.54 \pm 2.17	3.89 \pm 2.50	2.59 \pm 1.62	2.29 \pm 1.33
tH, H \rightarrow $\tau\tau$	0.60 \pm 0.35	0.58 \pm 0.34	0.93 \pm 0.54	1.01 \pm 0.59	0.57 \pm 0.33	0.65 \pm 0.39	0.76 \pm 0.43	0.65 \pm 0.40	0.46 \pm 0.29	0.39 \pm 0.24
tH, H \rightarrow $\mu\mu$	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
tH, H \rightarrow Z γ	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
ttH (sum)	3.27 \pm 1.49	3.41 \pm 1.79	6.46 \pm 3.16	6.09 \pm 3.01	4.17 \pm 2.18	4.43 \pm 2.15	4.56 \pm 2.22	4.70 \pm 2.54	3.14 \pm 1.65	2.76 \pm 1.35
ttW	12.64 \pm 2.36	20.06 \pm 3.86	22.19 \pm 4.49	39.43 \pm 7.92	14.00 \pm 2.61	24.95 \pm 5.04	15.07 \pm 2.76	30.39 \pm 5.31	11.00 \pm 1.99	17.97 \pm 3.41
ttWW	0.93 \pm 0.23	0.70 \pm 0.17	1.86 \pm 0.45	1.36 \pm 0.33	0.92 \pm 0.23	0.95 \pm 0.25	1.40 \pm 0.35	1.14 \pm 0.27	0.71 \pm 0.17	0.77 \pm 0.19
ttW + ttWW	13.58 \pm 2.37	20.75 \pm 3.87	24.06 \pm 4.52	40.80 \pm 7.93	14.92 \pm 2.62	25.90 \pm 5.04	16.47 \pm 2.78	31.53 \pm 5.32	11.71 \pm 2.00	18.74 \pm 3.42
tHq H \rightarrow $\tau\tau$	< 0.05	0.08 \pm 0.02	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
tHW H \rightarrow $\tau\tau$	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	0.12 \pm 0.02	< 0.05	0.14 \pm 0.03	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
tHq H \rightarrow WW	0.06 \pm 0.01	< 0.05	0.10 \pm 0.02	0.14 \pm 0.01	0.07 \pm 0.01	0.14 \pm 0.01	0.10 \pm 0.01	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
tHW H \rightarrow WW	< 0.05	< 0.05	0.19 \pm 0.04	0.12 \pm 0.01	0.24 \pm 0.07	0.14 \pm 0.02	< 0.05	0.22 \pm 0.04	< 0.05	0.11 \pm 0.02
tHq H \rightarrow ZZ	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
tHW H \rightarrow ZZ	< 0.05	0.10 \pm 0.02	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
tH (sum)	0.11 \pm 0.02	0.24 \pm 0.02	0.30 \pm 0.04	0.41 \pm 0.03	0.31 \pm 0.07	0.46 \pm 0.04	0.16 \pm 0.01	0.23 \pm 0.04	0.05 \pm 0.00	0.11 \pm 0.02
ZZ	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
WZ	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
WZ + ZZ	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
ttZ	17.86 \pm 2.86	17.62 \pm 2.71	20.03 \pm 3.10	23.08 \pm 3.77	7.55 \pm 1.22	8.68 \pm 1.42	14.79 \pm 2.43	16.97 \pm 2.67	5.91 \pm 0.99	5.74 \pm 0.93
Misidentified	7.89 \pm 2.05	10.44 \pm 2.49	26.61 \pm 4.30	28.27 \pm 4.80	20.60 \pm 4.40	18.23 \pm 3.92	5.64 \pm 1.87	6.60 \pm 1.87	3.67 \pm 1.59	4.19 \pm 1.75
Conversions	1.52 \pm 0.46	2.18 \pm 1.83	2.52 \pm 0.87	3.48 \pm 2.13	< 0.05	< 0.05	0.88 \pm 0.29	1.05 \pm 0.32	< 0.05	< 0.05
signal flip	4.53 \pm 1.10	4.59 \pm 1.14	3.71 \pm 0.90	3.79 \pm 0.99	< 0.05	< 0.05	3.10 \pm 0.75	3.07 \pm 0.76	< 0.05	< 0.05
Other	1.44 \pm 0.61	2.45 \pm 1.06	4.62 \pm 1.99	5.69 \pm 2.22	1.65 \pm 0.64	3.33 \pm 1.29	2.18 \pm 0.91	2.39 \pm 1.01	1.11 \pm 0.45	1.80 \pm 0.81
SM expectation	50.20 \pm 4.69	61.68 \pm 6.12	88.32 \pm 8.00	111.60 \pm 10.94	49.21 \pm 5.73	61.03 \pm 7.01	47.78 \pm 4.85	66.54 \pm 6.86	25.60 \pm 3.22	33.35 \pm 4.26
Observed data	54	67	86	108	41	79	50	70	32	27

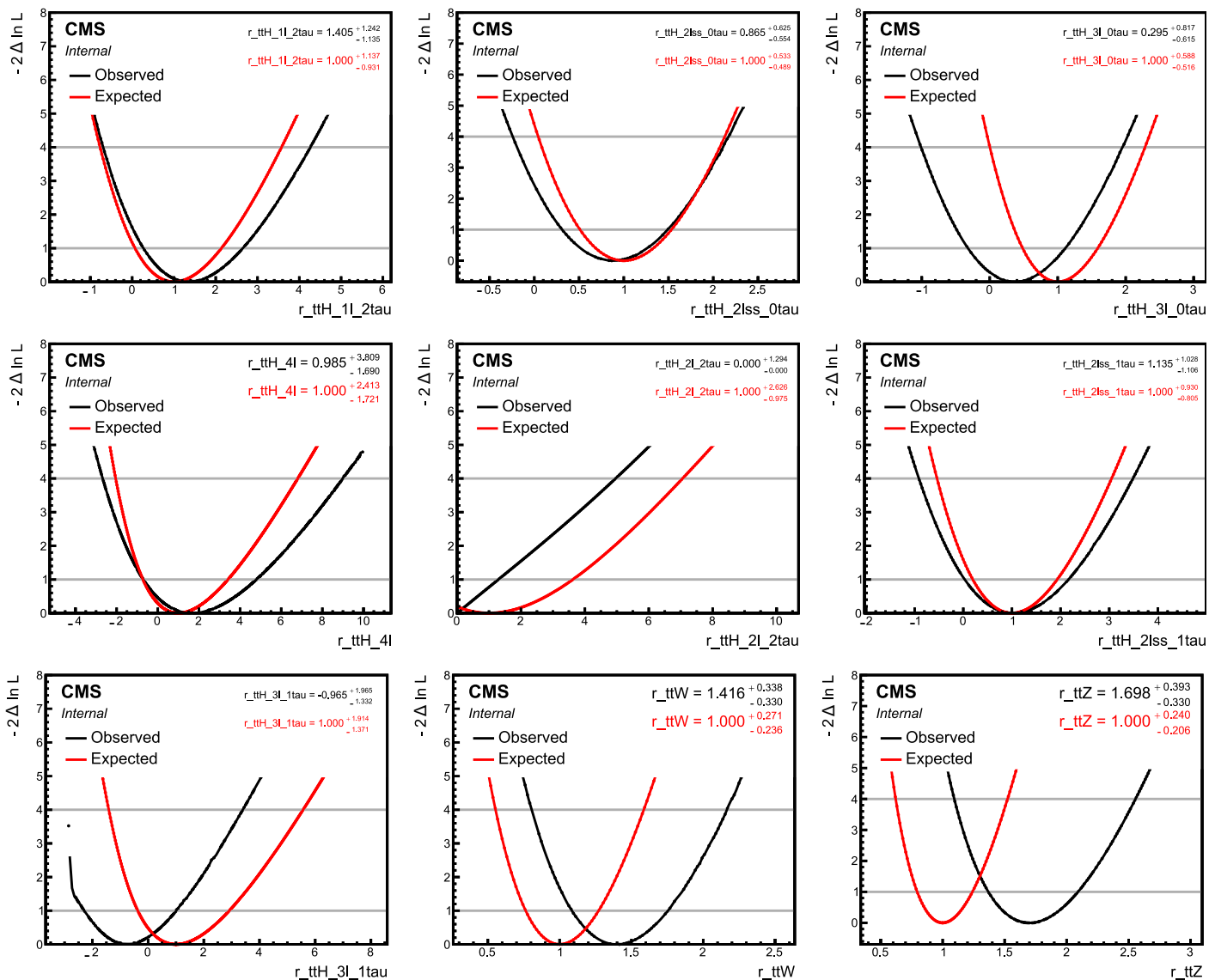
Backup: post-fit yields (II) PAS

Category	3ℓ				4ℓ
	Loose		Tight		no req.
Total charge	-	+	-	+	no req.
$t\bar{t}H, H \rightarrow ZZ$	0.34 ± 0.21	0.12 ± 0.07	0.14 ± 0.09	0.13 ± 0.08	0.06 ± 0.04
$t\bar{t}H, H \rightarrow WW$	5.60 ± 3.22	5.14 ± 2.94	2.28 ± 1.35	2.04 ± 1.15	0.46 ± 0.29
$t\bar{t}H, H \rightarrow \tau\tau$	0.93 ± 0.55	0.40 ± 0.24	0.50 ± 0.30	0.71 ± 0.43	0.13 ± 0.08
$t\bar{t}H, H \rightarrow \mu\mu$	0.07 ± 0.04	0.18 ± 0.11	0.05 ± 0.03	0.12 ± 0.07	0.05 ± 0.03
$t\bar{t}H, H \rightarrow Z\gamma$	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
$t\bar{t}H$ (sum)	6.94 ± 3.27	5.84 ± 2.95	2.98 ± 1.39	3.03 ± 1.23	0.70 ± 0.30
$t\bar{t}W$	12.12 ± 2.52	20.72 ± 4.15	5.64 ± 1.16	8.55 ± 1.64	< 0.05
$t\bar{t}WW$	1.22 ± 0.30	1.34 ± 0.33	0.76 ± 0.18	0.69 ± 0.16	0.13 ± 0.03
$t\bar{t}W + t\bar{t}WW$	13.34 ± 2.54	22.05 ± 4.17	6.40 ± 1.17	9.24 ± 1.64	0.13 ± 0.03
$tHq, H \rightarrow \tau\tau$	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
$tHW, H \rightarrow \tau\tau$	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
$tHq, H \rightarrow WW$	0.08 ± 0.01	0.28 ± 0.03	0.27 ± 0.09	< 0.05	< 0.05
$tHW, H \rightarrow WW$	0.05 ± 0.01	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
$tHq, H \rightarrow ZZ$	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
$tHW, H \rightarrow ZZ$	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
tH (sum)	0.15 ± 0.01	0.36 ± 0.03	0.29 ± 0.09	0.08 ± 0.01	< 0.05
ZZ	0.37 ± 0.07	0.29 ± 0.08	< 0.05	< 0.05	0.15 ± 0.10
WZ	3.67 ± 0.76	7.05 ± 1.46	0.22 ± 0.05	0.44 ± 0.09	< 0.05
$WZ + ZZ$	4.04 ± 0.76	7.34 ± 1.47	0.22 ± 0.05	0.44 ± 0.09	0.15 ± 0.10
$t\bar{t}Z$	24.86 ± 3.98	23.18 ± 3.82	13.15 ± 2.23	12.93 ± 2.13	3.91 ± 0.62
Misidentified	12.30 ± 2.96	10.27 ± 2.44	1.67 ± 0.59	2.59 ± 1.10	< 0.05
Conversions	1.48 ± 0.52	1.97 ± 0.63	2.35 ± 0.93	0.82 ± 0.29	< 0.05
signal flip	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
Other	2.40 ± 1.09	3.86 ± 1.62	1.57 ± 0.63	1.83 ± 0.69	0.09 ± 0.05
SM expectation	65.52 ± 6.62	74.87 ± 7.19	28.61 ± 3.15	30.96 ± 3.24	5.01 ± 0.70
Observed data	55	84	23	33	6

Backup: post-fit yields (III) *PAS*

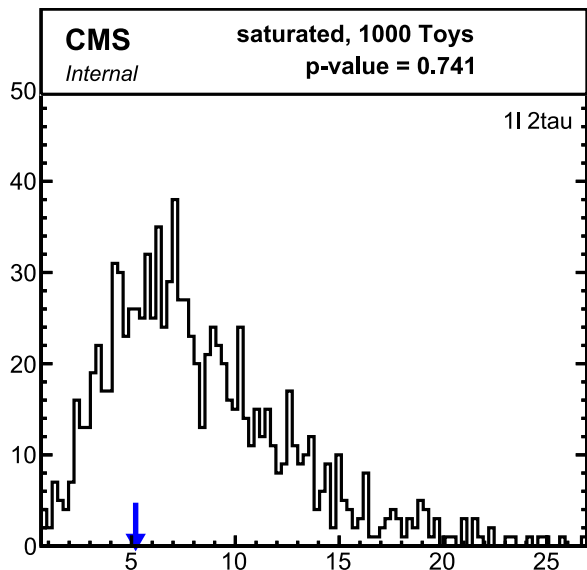
Category	$1\ell + 2\tau_h$	$2\ell + 2\tau_h$	$3\ell + 1\tau_h$	$2\ell_{ss} + 1\tau_h$
$t\bar{t}H$	6.57 ± 3.58	0.88 ± 0.47	0.99 ± 0.38	5.13 ± 2.11
$t\bar{t}W + t\bar{t}WW$	1.13 ± 0.25	< 0.05	0.51 ± 0.12	13.11 ± 2.43
tH	0.25 ± 0.07	0.02 ± 0.09	< 0.05	0.45 ± 0.03
$WZ + ZZ$	1.50 ± 0.77	0.04 ± 0.03	0.13 ± 0.03	2.76 ± 1.95
$t\bar{t}Z/\gamma^*$	11.55 ± 2.64	1.55 ± 0.46	4.48 ± 0.68	15.35 ± 2.43
Misidentified	299.60 ± 19.10	5.31 ± 2.19	0.25 ± 0.26	5.28 ± 2.18
Conversions	0.25 ± 0.11	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
signal flip	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05	< 0.05
Other	1.18 ± 0.46	0.06 ± 0.04	0.33 ± 0.15	3.23 ± 1.14
SM expectation	322.02 ± 19.64	7.86 ± 2.29	6.70 ± 0.85	45.31 ± 5.11
Observed data	324	7	4	53

Backup: likelihood scans

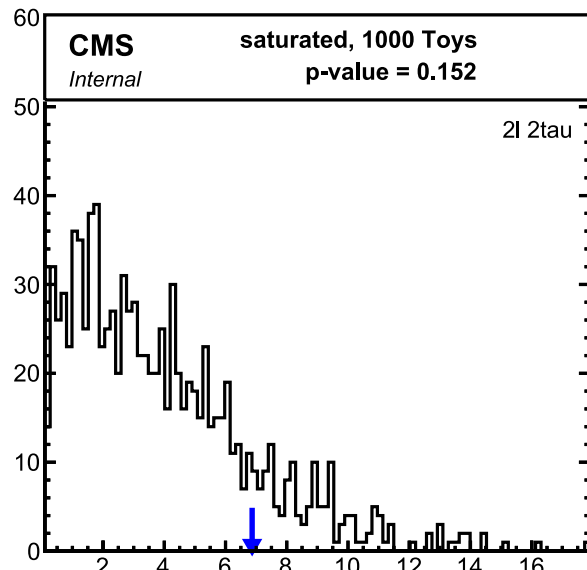


Backup: goodness of fit (I)

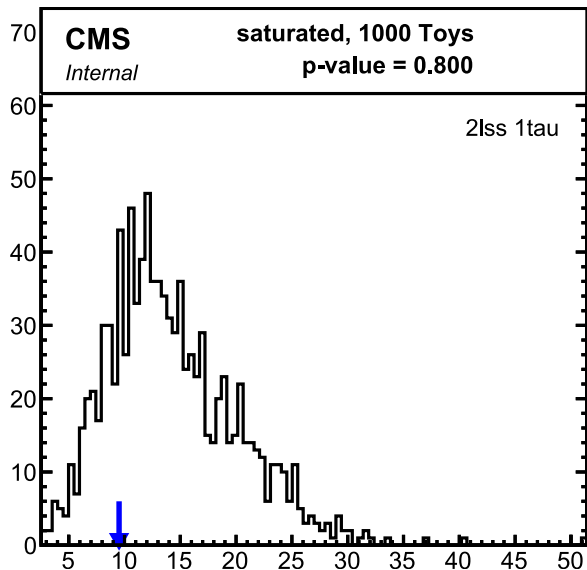
$$1\ell + 2\tau_h$$



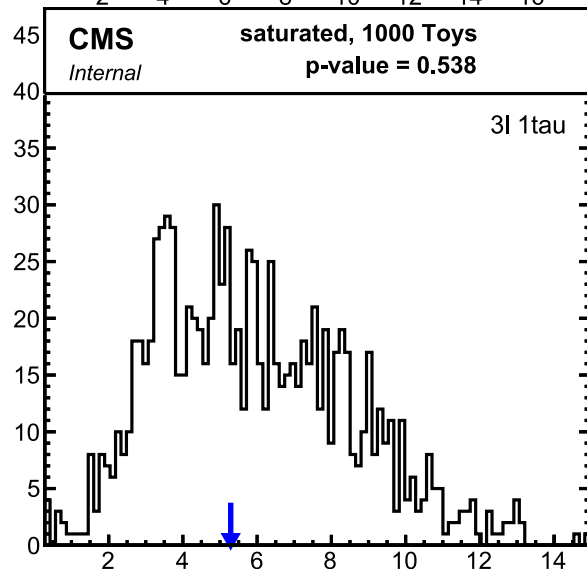
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$$2\ell + 2\tau_h$$

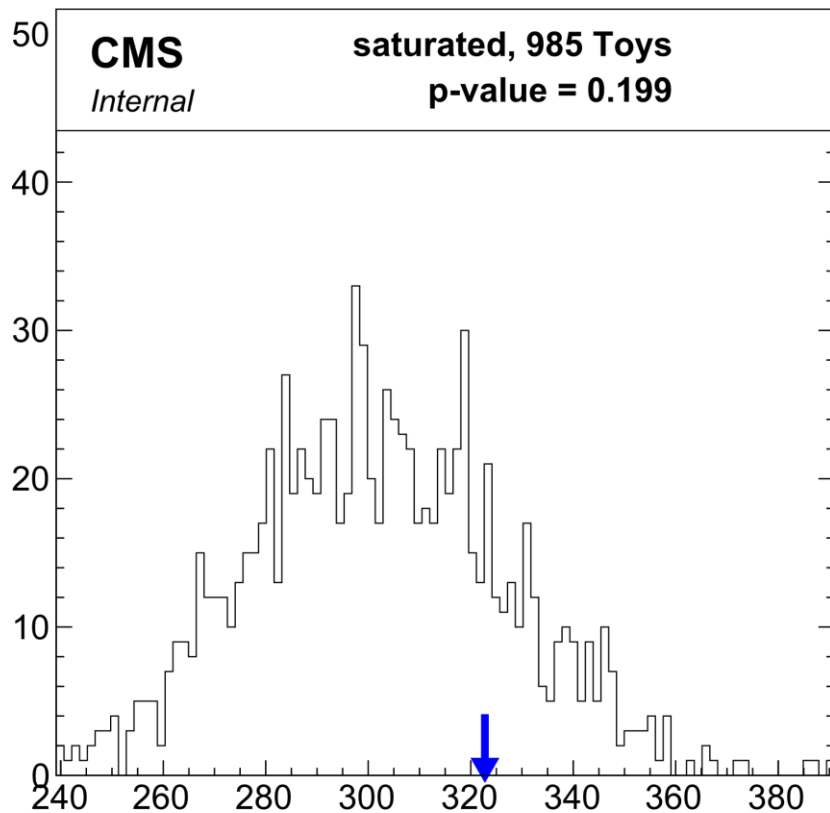


$$3\ell + 1\tau_h$$

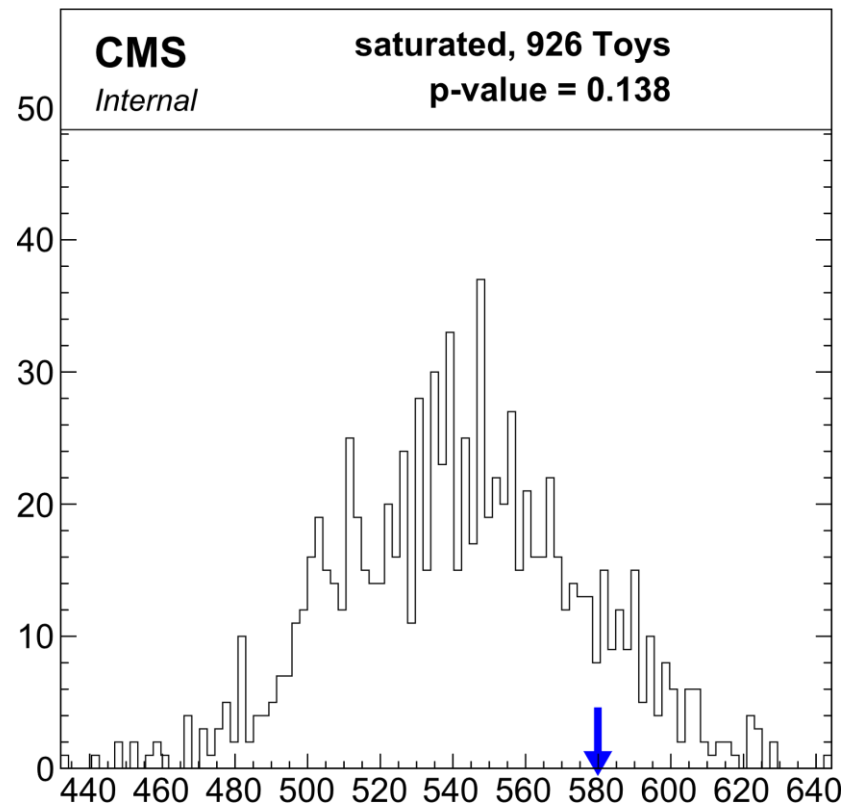


Backup: goodness of fit (II)

2017

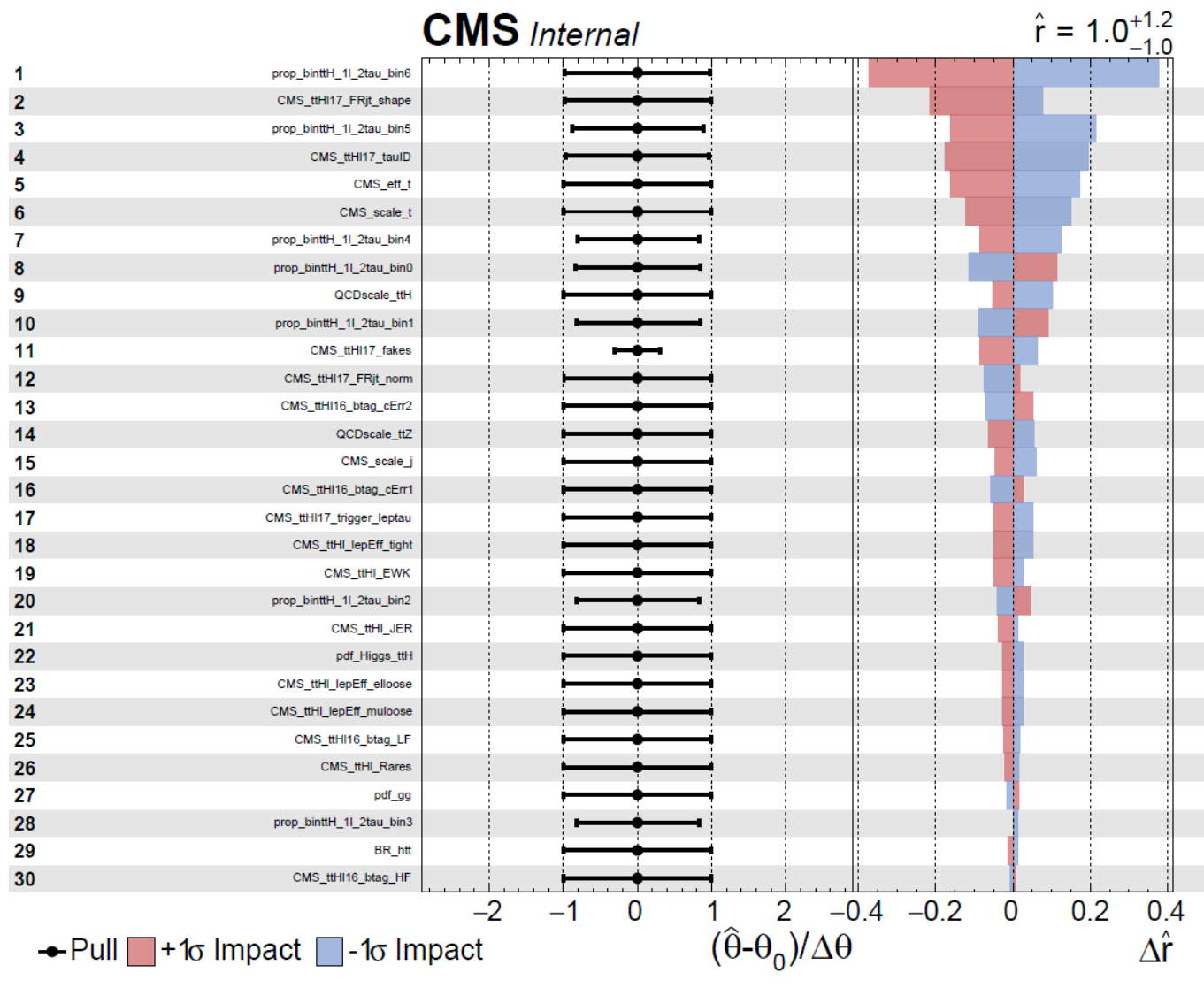


2016 & 2017



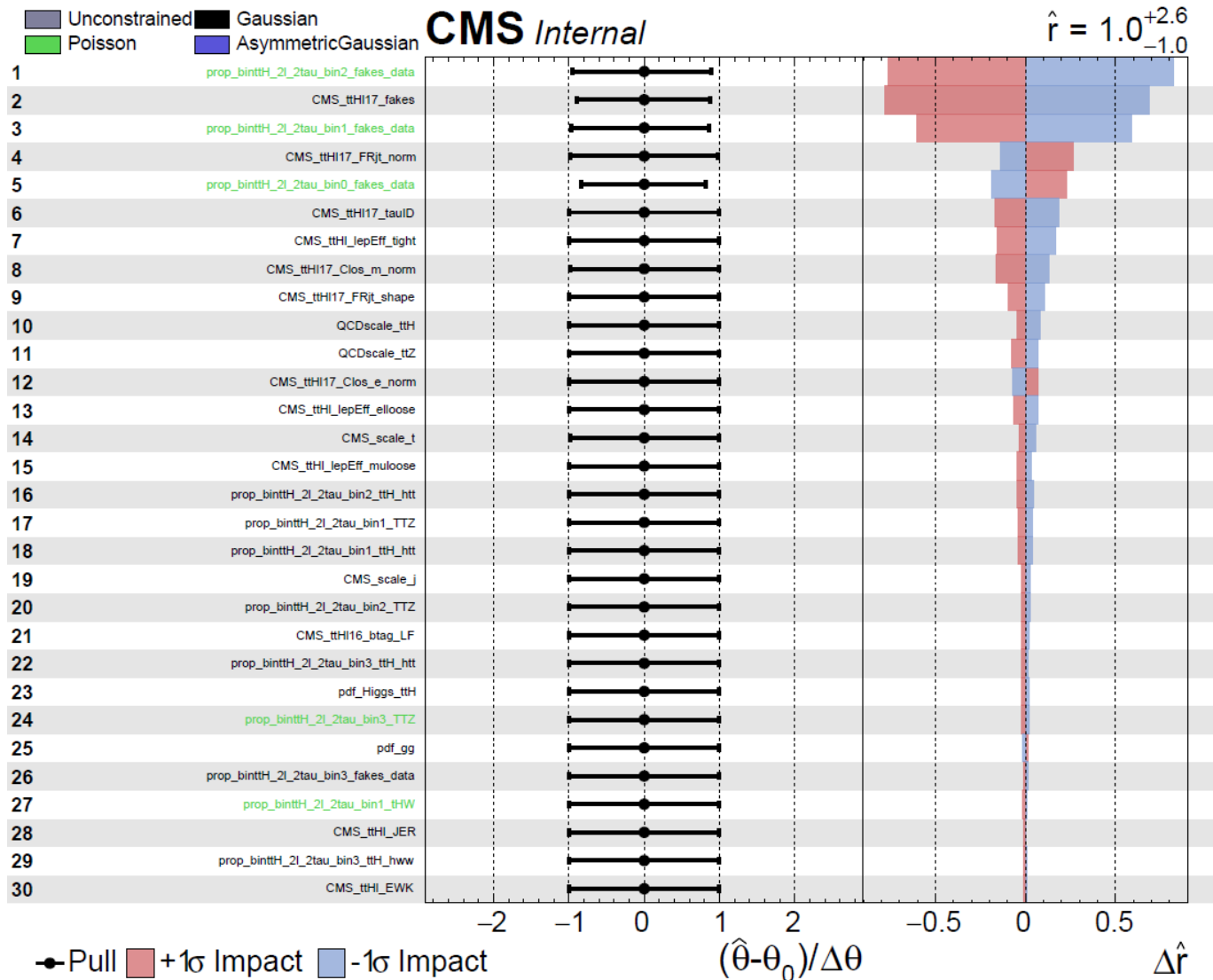
Backup: impact plots (I)

$1\ell + 2\tau_h$



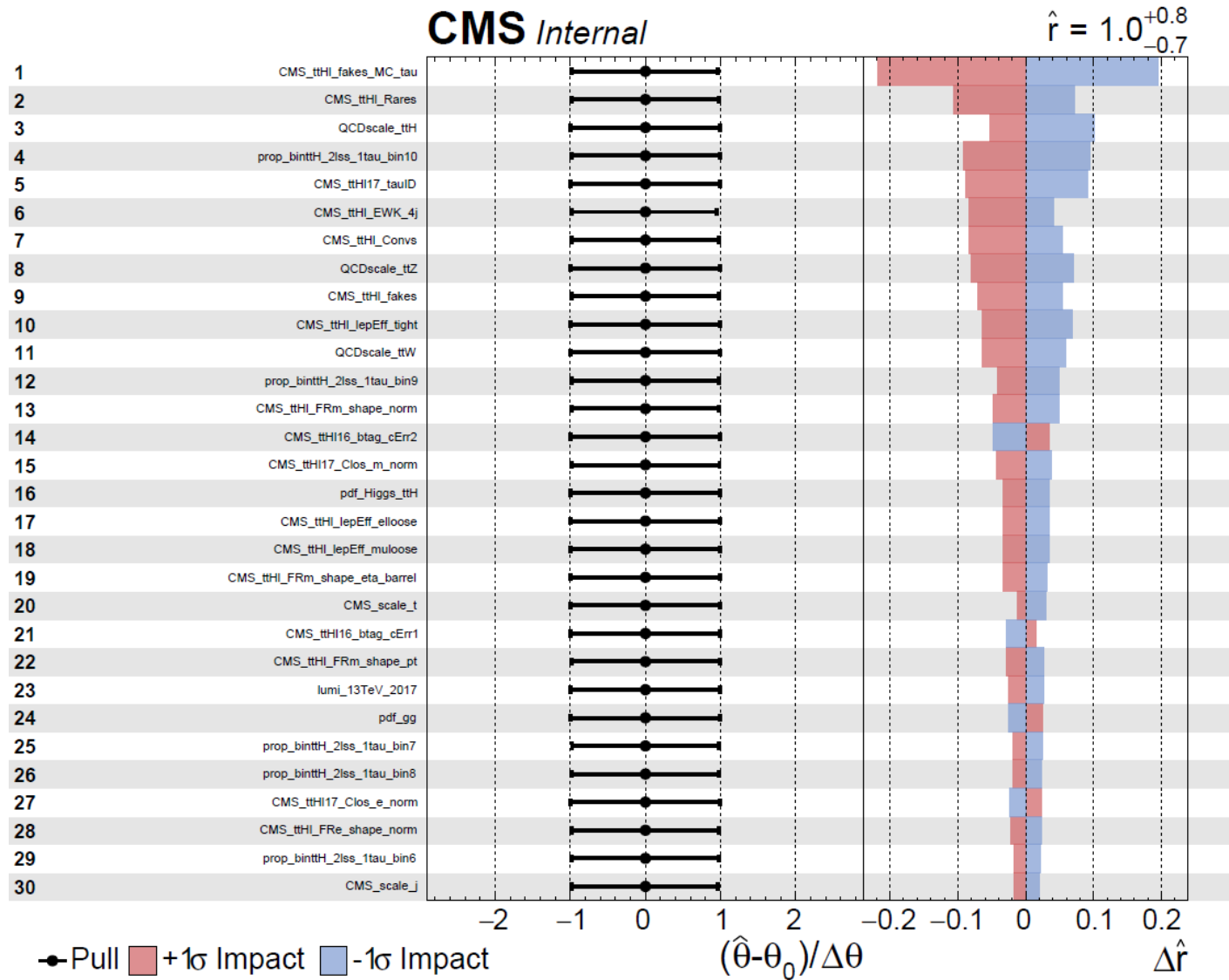
Backup: impact plots (II)

$2\ell + 2\tau_h$



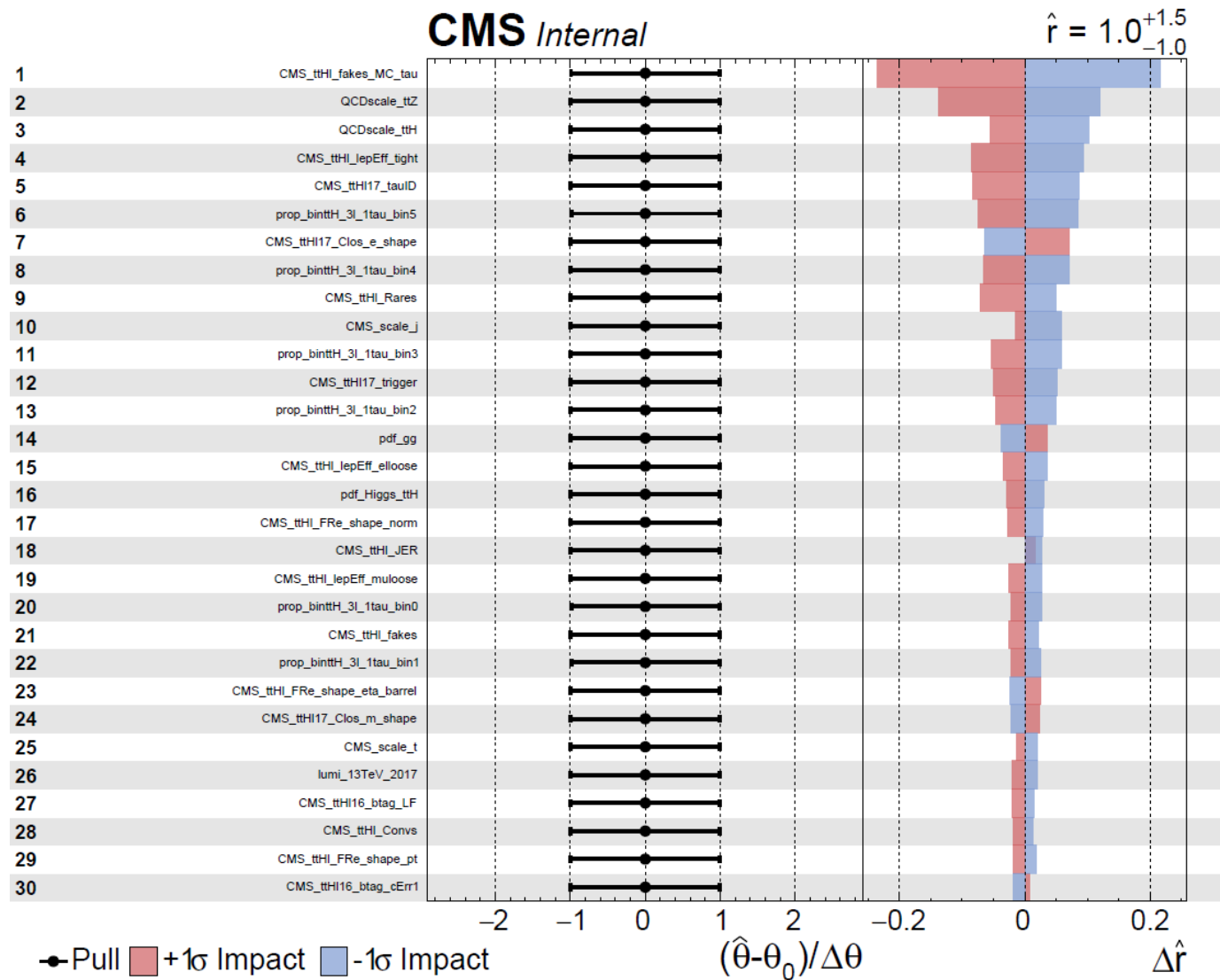
Backup: impact plots (III)

$$2\ell_{SS} + 1\tau_h$$



Backup: impact plots (IV)

$3\ell + 1\tau_h$

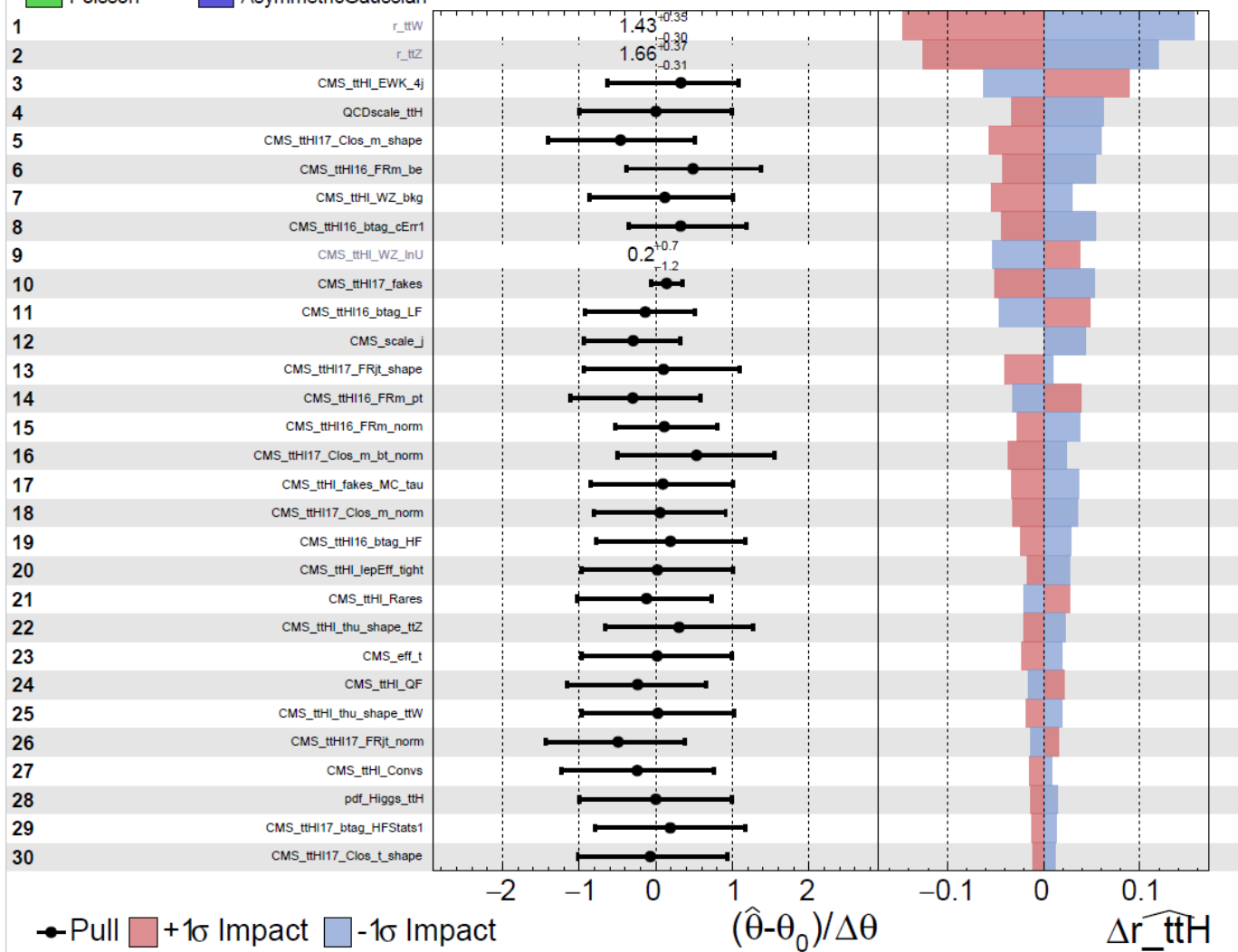


Backup: impact plots (V)

2017 ful

Unconstrained
 Gaussian
 Poisson
 AsymmetricGaussian

CMS Internal



Backup: impact plots (VI)

2016+
2017 full

Unconstrained Gaussian
Poisson AsymmetricGaussian

CMS *Internal*

