

Higgs characterisation project

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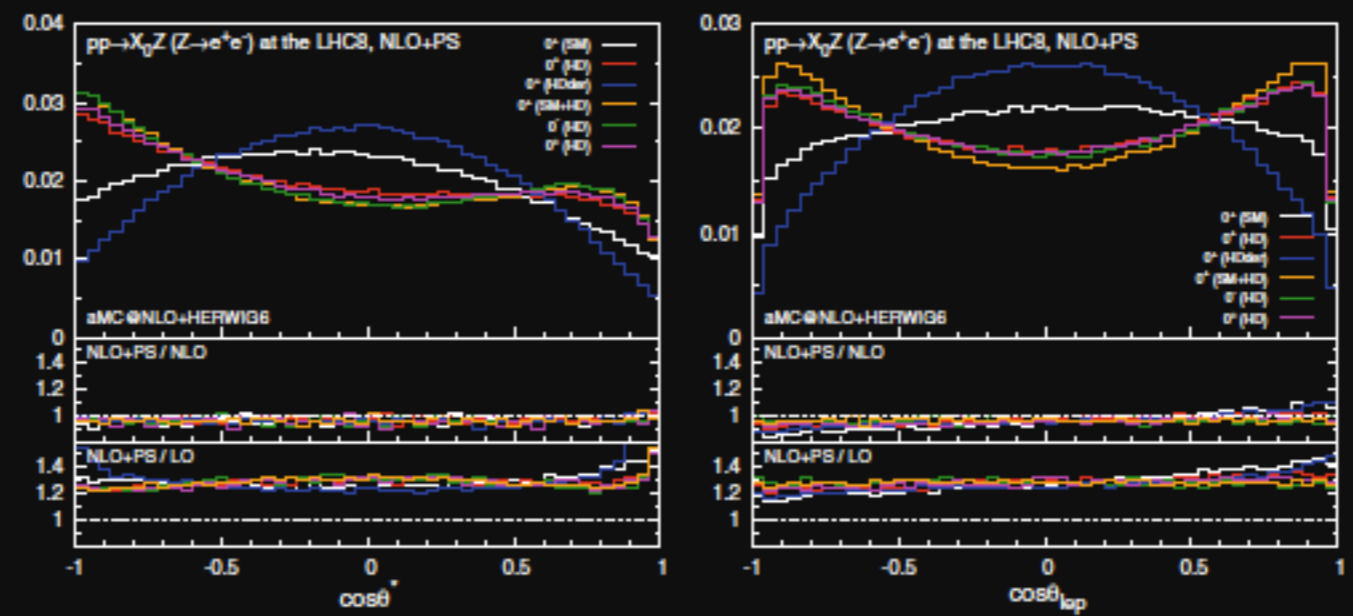
- ▶ **HC1:** “A framework for Higgs characterisation”
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- ▶ **HC2:** “Higgs characterisation via VBF/VH: NLO and parton-shower effects”
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- ▶ **HC3:** “Higgs characterisation at NLO in QCD: CP properties of the top Yukawa”
Demartin, Maltoni, Mawatari, Page, Zaro, EPJC74(2014)3065 [arXiv:1407.5089]
- ▶ **HC4:** Higgs production in association with a single top quark at the LHC
Demartin, Maltoni, Mawatari, Zaro, [arXiv:1504.xxxxx]
- ▶ Sec.11 (spin/CP) in YR3 of the LHC Higgs Cross Section Working Group (HXSWG)
de Aquino, Mawatari [arXiv:1307.1347]



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Particles and Fields



Distribution for $\cos\theta^*$ and $\cos\theta_{top}$ in ZH production, with the acceptance cuts for the leptons. The different histograms correspond to different benchmark hypotheses in a generic effective theory approach to physics beyond the Standard Model. The histograms in the main plots are normalized to unity. From Fabio Maltoni, Kentarou Mawatari and Marco Zaro: Higgs characterization via vector-boson fusion and associated production: NLO and parton-shower effects.



Higgs observation, evidence, precision, ...

- 2012 July
 - ▶ Observation of a new particle in the search for the Standard Model Higgs boson with the ATLAS detector at the LHC
 - ▶ Observation of a new boson at a mass of 125 GeV with the CMS experiment at the LHC
- 2013 July
 - ▶ Evidence for the spin-0 nature of the Higgs boson using ATLAS data
- 2013 October
 - ▶ Physics Nobel Prize [F. Englert (Brussels) and P. Higgs (Edinburgh)]
- 2015 Spring
 - ▶ LHC Run-II

looking for deviations from the SM \Leftrightarrow Higgs precision

- effective field theory (EFT) approach
- theory predictions as precise as possible

A framework for Higgs characterisation

[arXiv: 1306.6464]

The FeynRules and MadGraph5 framework

[FeynRules model](#)

P. de Aquino, K. Mawatari (Vrije U. Brussel)

[aMC@NLO](#)

F. Demartin, F. Maltoni, M. Zaro (UC Louvain)
R. Frederix, S. Frixione (CERN)
P. Torrielli (Zurich)

[MadWeight](#)

P. Artoisenet (Nikhef)

[spin2 in aMC@NLO](#)

M.K. Mandal (Harish-Chandra)
P. Mathews, S. Seth (Saha Inst.)
V. Ravindran (CIT)

Higgs Characterisation (HC)

via the FeynRules and MadGraph5_aMC@NLO frameworks
NLO+PS (parton-shower) effects

- HC provides an automated NLO+PS accurate tool and predictions to accomplish the most general and accurate characterisation of Higgs interactions in the main production and decay modes at the LHC.
- The code is publicly available at the FeynRules repository:
<https://feynrules.irmp.ucl.ac.be/wiki/HiggsCharacterisation>
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➔ **VBF and VH @ automated NLO+PS**
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➔ **GF (H+jets) and ttH @ automated NLO+PS**
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Demartin, Maltoni, Mawatari, Zaro
➔ **tH @ automated NLO+PS**

Tools for Higgs Physics

Cross Section

ggF

- [HIGLU](#) (NNLO QCD+NLO EW)
- [iHixs](#) (NNLO QCD+NLO EW)
- [FeHiPro](#) (NNLO QCD+NLO EW)
- [HNNLO](#), [HRes](#) (NNLO+NNLL QCD)
- [SusHi](#) (NNLO QCD)
- [RGHiggs](#) (NNLO+NNLL QCD)
- [ggHiggs](#) (approx. NNNLO QCD)

VBF

- [VV2H](#) (NLO QCD)
- [VBFNLO](#) (NLO QCD)
- [HAWK](#) (NLO QCD+EW)
- [VBF@NNLO](#) (NNLO QCD)

WH/ZH

- [V2HV](#) (NLO QCD)
- [HAWK](#) (NLO QCD+EW)
- [VH@NNLO](#) (NNLO)

ttH

- [HQQ](#) (LO QCD)

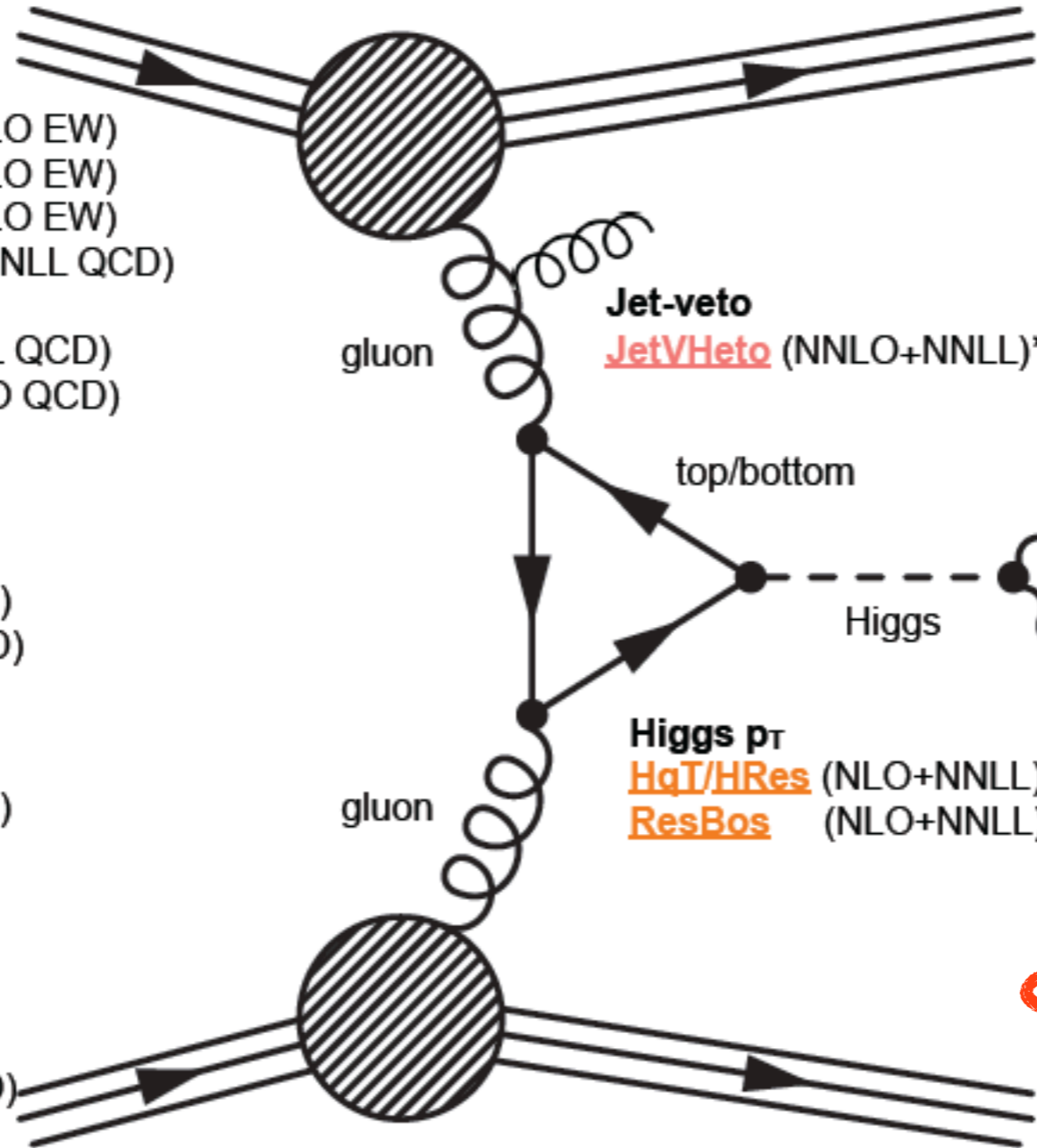
bbH

- [bbh@NNLO](#) (NNLO QCD)

HH

- [HPAIR](#) (NLO QCD)

+ private codes.



PDF: [MSTW](#), [CTEQ](#), [NNPDF](#), etc.
[LHAPDF](#), [HOPPET](#), [APFEL](#)

NLO MC

- [POWHEG](#) [MiNLO](#)
- [MadGrapn5](#) [aMC@NLO](#)
- [SHERPA](#) [MEPS@NLO](#)

LO MC

- [gg2VV](#)

NLO ME

- [MCFM](#), [MG5_aMC@NLO](#)

Jet-veto

- [JetVHeto](#) (NNLO+NNLL)*

Higgs p_T

- [HqT/HRes](#) (NLO+NNLL)
- [ResBos](#) (NLO+NNLL)

W/Z

Higgs Decay

- [HDECAY](#) (NLO++)
- [Prophecy4f](#) (NLO)

W/Z

Higgs Properties

- [MELA/HH](#), [MEKD](#)
- [MG5_aMC@NLO](#) (HC)

MSSM/2HDM

- [FeynHiggs](#), [CPSuperH](#)
- [SusHi+2HDMC](#)
- [HIGLU+HDECAY](#)

* NLO+NNLL in differential

Higgs Characterisation (HC) model

- We implemented an effective Lagrangian featuring bosons $X(J^P=0^+,0^-,1^+,1^-,2^+)$ in **FeynRules**.

The parametrization is based on the recent work: [Englert, Goncalves-Netto, KM, Plehn, JHEP(2013)].

- Any-process, any-decay, any-observable (thanks to event generators, e.g. **MadGraph5_aMC@NLO**)
- Equally useful for theorists (it can be systematically improved, changed easily) and experimentalists (event generation easily).
- Adaptable to the present/future analyses and accuracy targets.
- The code is publicly available at the FeynRules repository: <https://feynrules.irmp.ucl.ac.be/wiki/HiggsCharacterisation>

Effective Lagrangian -- spin0

$$\mathcal{L}_0^f = - \sum_{f=t,b,\tau} \bar{\psi}_f (c_\alpha \kappa_{Hff} g_{Hff} + i s_\alpha \kappa_{Aff} g_{Aff} \gamma_5) \psi_f X_0$$

$$\mathcal{L}_0^V = \left\{ c_\alpha \kappa_{SM} \left[\frac{1}{2} g_{HZZ} Z_\mu Z^\mu + g_{HWW} W_\mu^+ W^{-\mu} \right] \right. \\ - \frac{1}{4} \left[c_\alpha \kappa_{H\gamma\gamma} g_{H\gamma\gamma} A_{\mu\nu} A^{\mu\nu} + s_\alpha \kappa_{A\gamma\gamma} g_{A\gamma\gamma} A_{\mu\nu} \tilde{A}^{\mu\nu} \right] \\ - \frac{1}{2} \left[c_\alpha \kappa_{HZ\gamma} g_{HZ\gamma} Z_{\mu\nu} A^{\mu\nu} + s_\alpha \kappa_{AZ\gamma} g_{AZ\gamma} Z_{\mu\nu} \tilde{A}^{\mu\nu} \right] \\ - \frac{1}{4} \left[c_\alpha \kappa_{Hgg} g_{Hgg} G_{\mu\nu}^a G^{a,\mu\nu} + s_\alpha \kappa_{Agg} g_{Agg} G_{\mu\nu}^a \tilde{G}^{a,\mu\nu} \right] \\ - \frac{1}{4} \frac{1}{\Lambda} \left[c_\alpha \kappa_{HZZ} Z_{\mu\nu} Z^{\mu\nu} + s_\alpha \kappa_{AZZ} Z_{\mu\nu} \tilde{Z}^{\mu\nu} \right] \\ - \frac{1}{2} \frac{1}{\Lambda} \left[c_\alpha \kappa_{HWW} W_{\mu\nu}^+ W^{-\mu\nu} + s_\alpha \kappa_{AWW} W_{\mu\nu}^+ \tilde{W}^{-\mu\nu} \right] \\ - \frac{1}{\Lambda} c_\alpha \left[\kappa_{H\theta\gamma} A_\nu \partial_\mu A^{\mu\nu} + \kappa_{H\theta Z} Z_\nu \partial_\mu Z^{\mu\nu} \right. \\ \left. + (\kappa_{H\theta W} W_\nu^+ \partial_\mu W^{-\mu\nu} + h.c.) \right] \Big\} X_0$$

parameter	description
Λ [GeV]	cutoff scale
c_α ($\equiv \cos \alpha$)	mixing between 0^+ and 0^-
κ_i	dimensionless coupling parameter

param_card.dat

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Dimensionful **couplings g** are set as internal parameters so as to reproduce a **SM Higgs** for $\kappa=1$.

$g_{X_{yy'}}$ $\times v$	ff	ZZ/WW	$\gamma\gamma$	$Z\gamma$	gg
H	m_f	$2m_{Z/W}^2$	$47\alpha_{EM}/18\pi$	$C(94 \cos^2 \theta_W - 13)/9\pi$	$-\alpha_s/3\pi$
A	m_f	0	$4\alpha_{EM}/3\pi$	$2C(8 \cos^2 \theta_W - 5)/3\pi$	$\alpha_s/2\pi$

3-min MadGraph5_aMC@NLO tutorial (ttH)

FeynRules: <http://feynrules.irmp.ucl.ac.be/>

MG5_aMC: <https://launchpad.net/mg5amcnlo>

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>import model HC_NLO_X0
>generate p p > x0 t t~ [QCD]
>output mg5amcfemto
>launch
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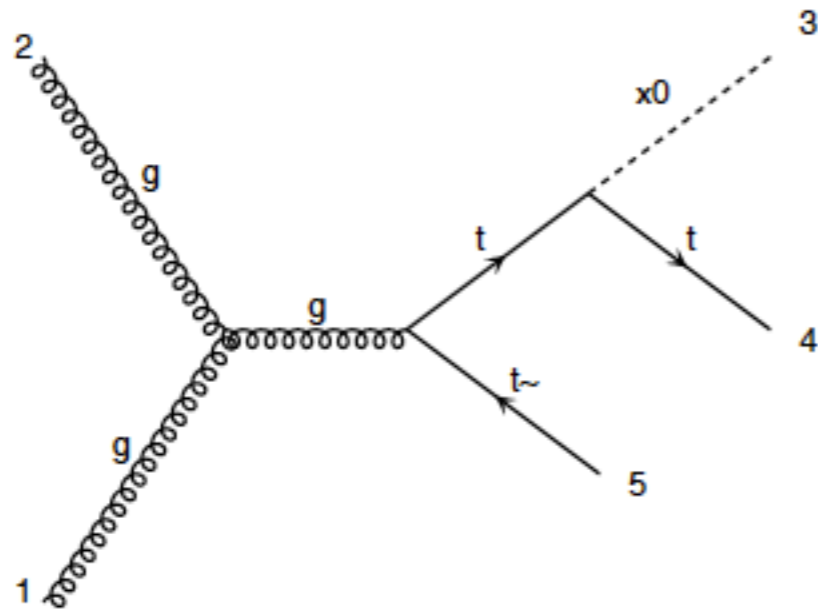
- ➔ Start the MG5_aMC shell
- ➔ Import the model
- ➔ Generate the process
- ➔ Write the code (including html)
- ➔ Generate the LO/NLO events

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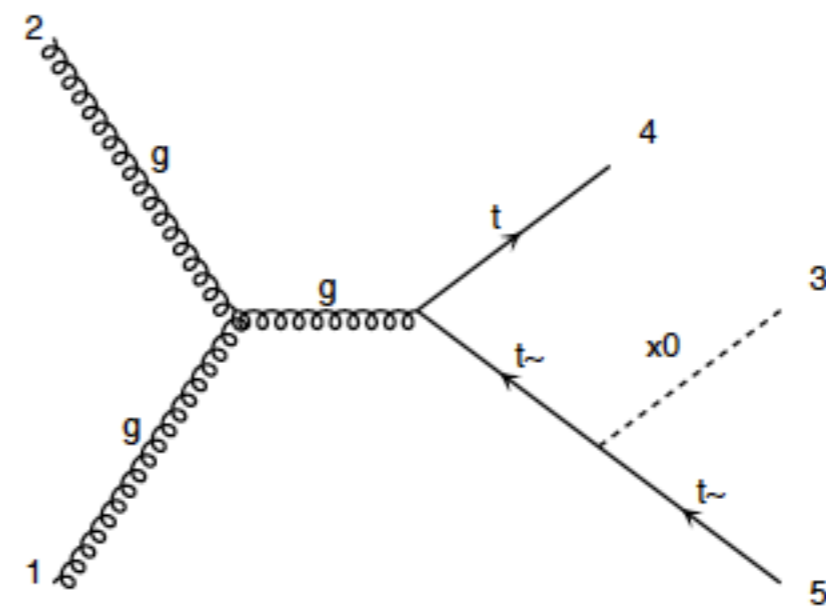
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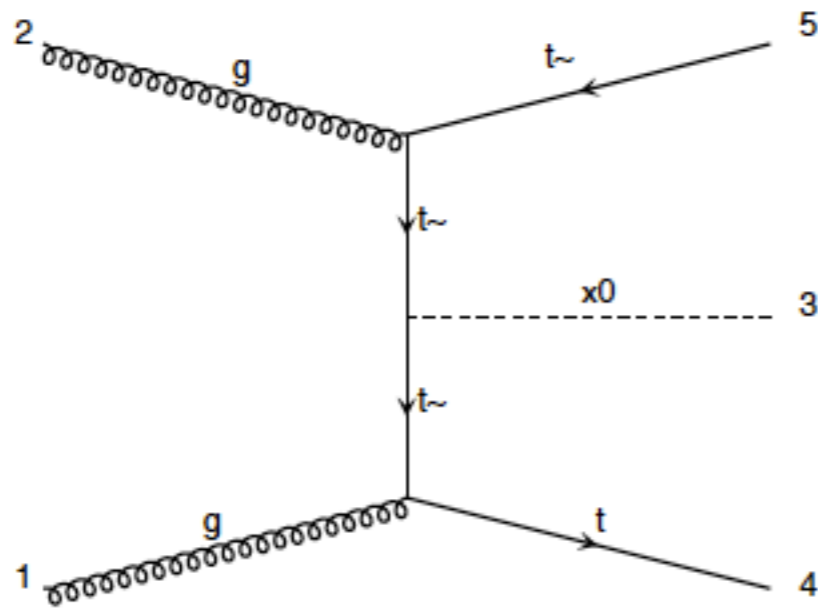
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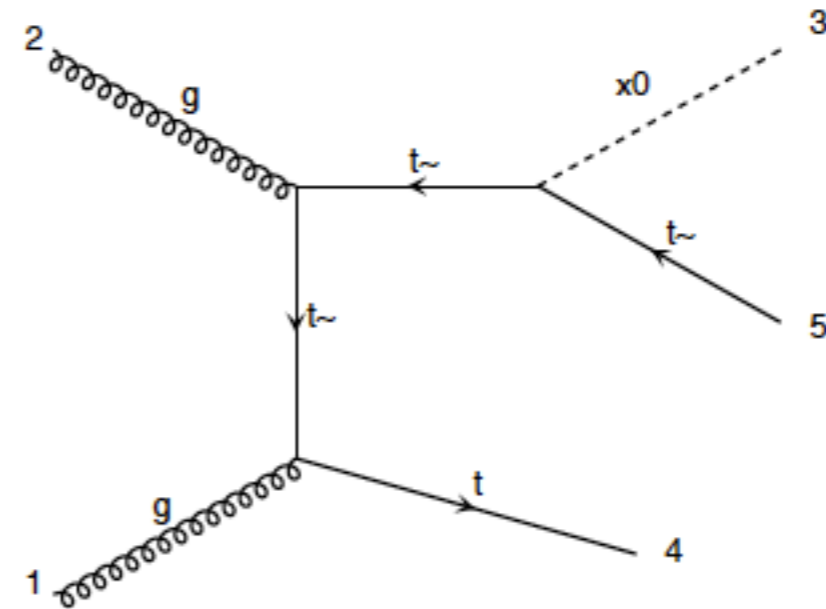
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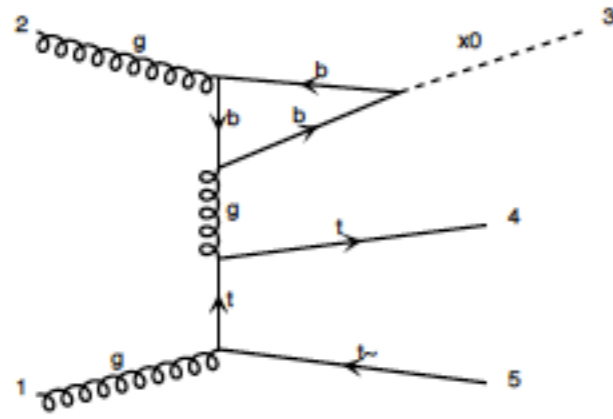


diagram 31 QCD=4, QED=1, QNP=0

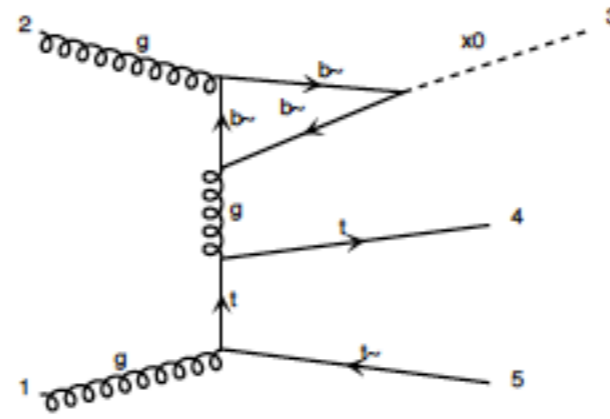


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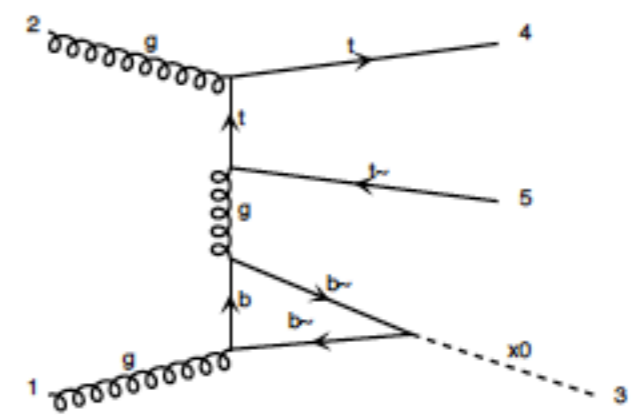


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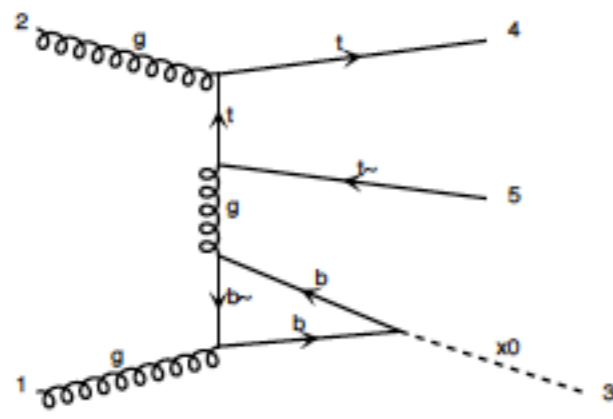


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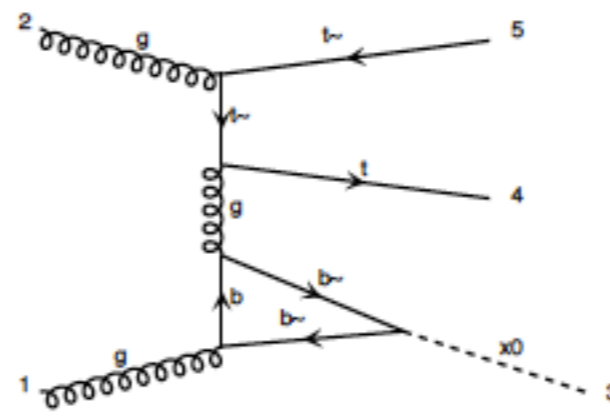


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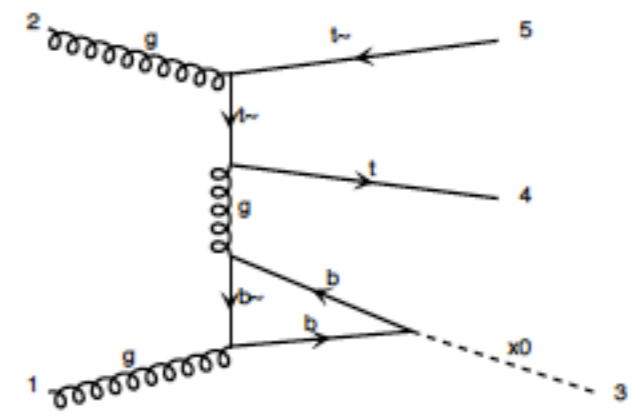


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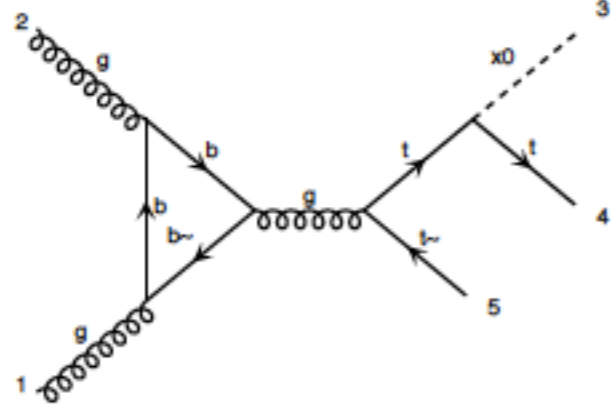


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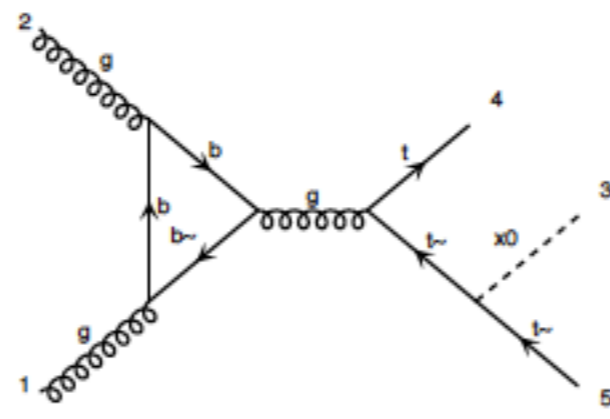


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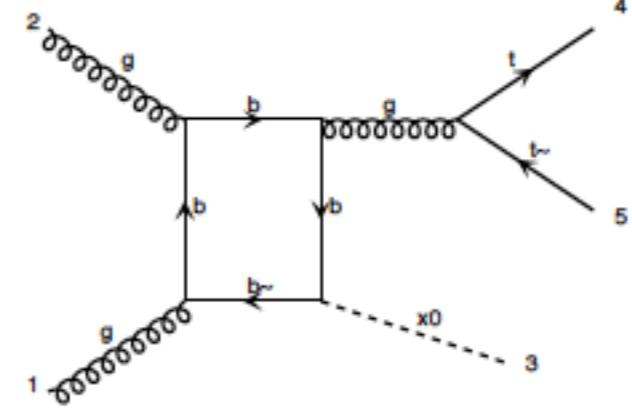
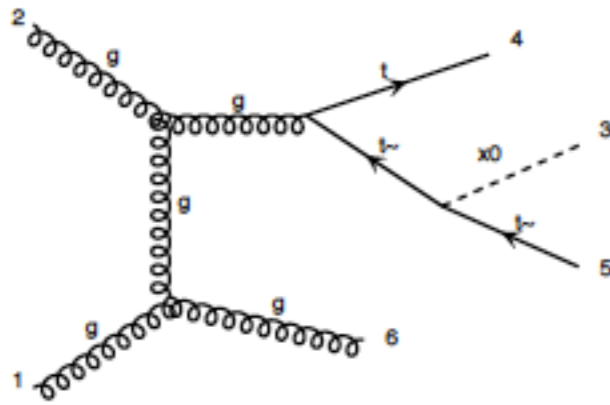
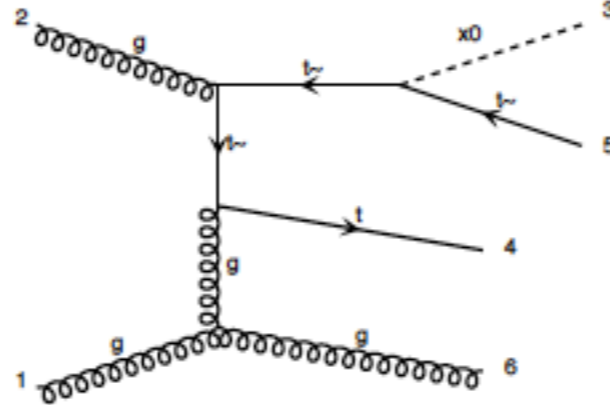


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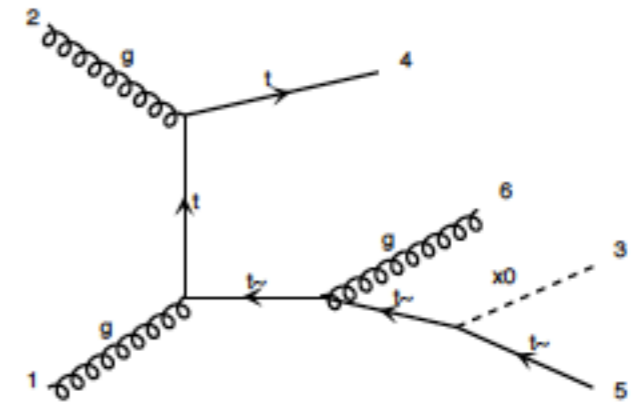
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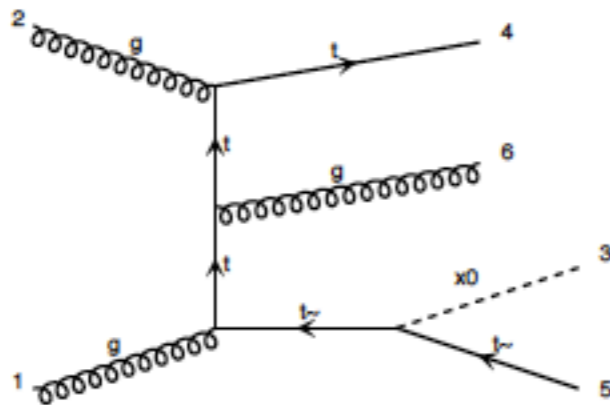
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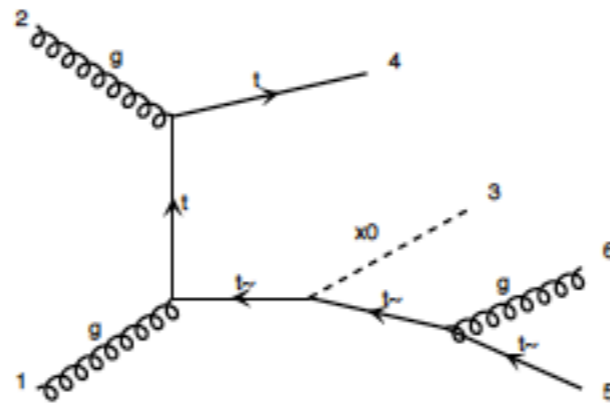
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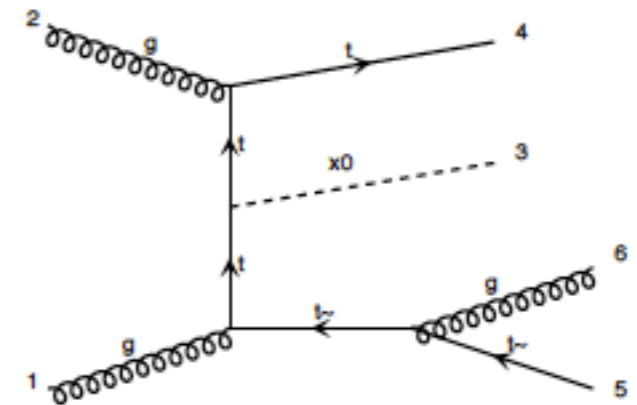
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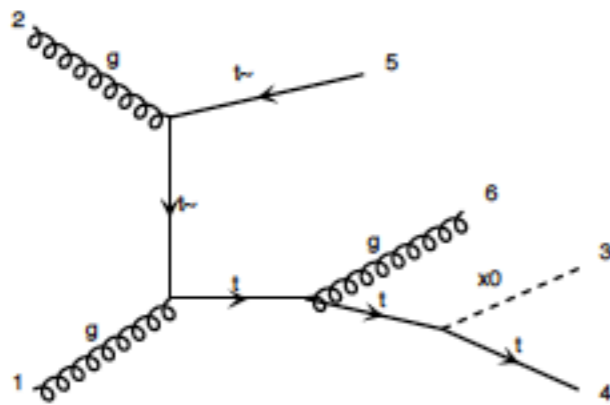
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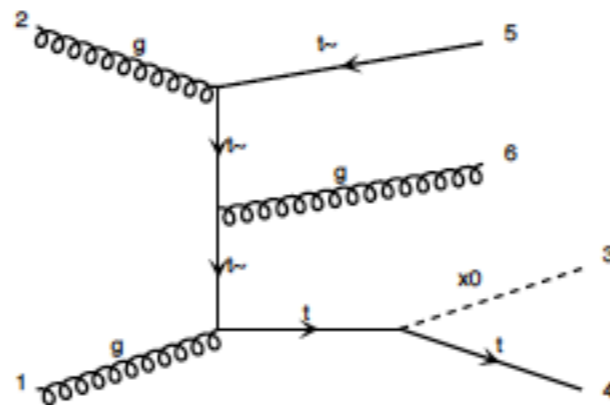
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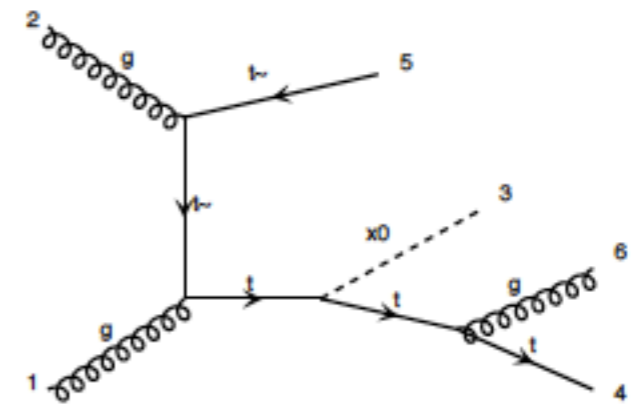
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>generate p p > x0 t t~ [QCD]  
>output mg5amcfemto  
>launch
```

- ➔ Start the MG5_aMC shell
- ➔ Import the model
- ➔ Generate the process
- ➔ Write the code (including html)
- ➔ Generate the LO/NLO events

The following switches determine which operations are executed:

- 1 Perturbative order of the calculation: `order=NLO`
- 2 Fixed order (no event generation and no MC@[N]LO matching): `fixed_order=OFF`
- 3 Shower the generated events: `shower=ON`
- 4 Decay particles with the MadSpin module: `madspin=ON`

Either type the switch number (1 to 4) to change its default setting,
or set any switch explicitly (e.g. type 'order=L0' at the prompt)

Type '0', 'auto', 'done' or just press enter when you are done.

[0, 1, 2, 3, 4, auto, done, order=L0, order=NLO, ...]

>

MadSpin: Artoisenet, Frederix, Mattelaer, Rietkerk [[arXiv:1212.3460](https://arxiv.org/abs/1212.3460)]

- allows one to decay narrow resonances in Les Houches Monte Carlo events.
- preserves both spin correlation and finite width effects.

3-min MadGraph5_aMC@NLO tutorial (ttH)

```
Do you want to edit a card (press enter to bypass editing)?
 1 / param      : param_card.dat
 2 / run        : run_card.dat
 3 / madspin    : madspin_card.dat
 4 / shower     : shower_card.dat
[0, done, 1, param, 2, run, 3, madspin, 4, enter path, ... ]
>
```

param_card.dat

```
#####
## INFORMATION FOR FRBLOCK
#####
Block frblock
 1 1.000000e+03 # Lambda
 2 1.000000e+00 # cosa
 3 1.000000e+00 # kSM
 4 1.000000e+00 # kHtt
 5 1.000000e+00 # kAtt
 6 1.000000e+00 # kHbb
 7 1.000000e+00 # kAbb
 8 1.000000e+00 # kHll
 9 1.000000e+00 # kAll
```

run_card.dat

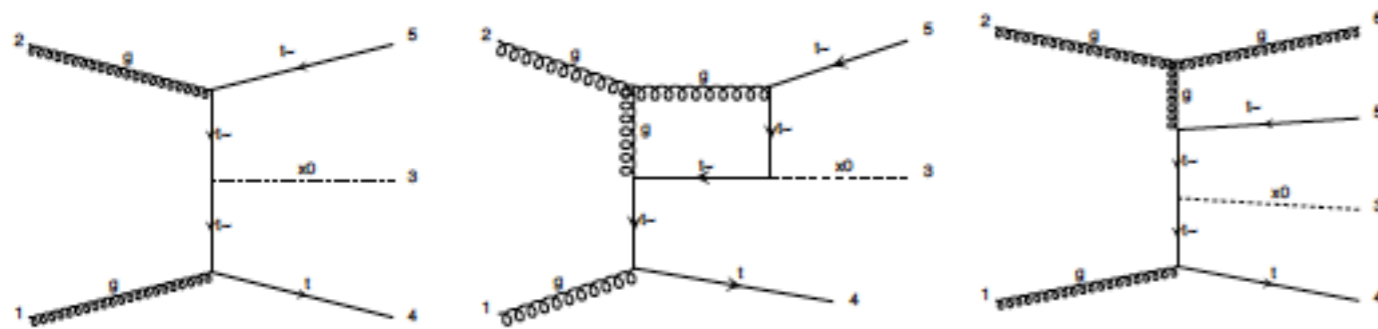
```
#####
# Collider type and energy
#####
 1 = lpp1 ! beam 1 type (0 = no PDF)
 1 = lpp2 ! beam 2 type (0 = no PDF)
6500 = ebeam1 ! beam 1 energy in GeV
6500 = ebeam2 ! beam 2 energy in GeV
#####
# PDF choice: this automatically fixes also alpha_s(MZ) and its evol. *
#####
nn23nlo = pdlabel ! PDF set
230000 = lhaid ! if pdlabel=lhapdf, this is the lhapdf number
#####
# Include the NLO Monte Carlo subtr. terms for the following parton *
# shower (HERWIG6 | HERWIGPP | PYTHIA6Q | PYTHIA6PT | PYTHIA8) *
# WARNING: PYTHIA6PT works only for processes without FSR!!!! *
#####
HERWIG6 = parton_shower
```


Higgs characterisation in ttH

HC3: Demartin, Maltoni, KM, Page, Zaro [arXiv:1407.5089]

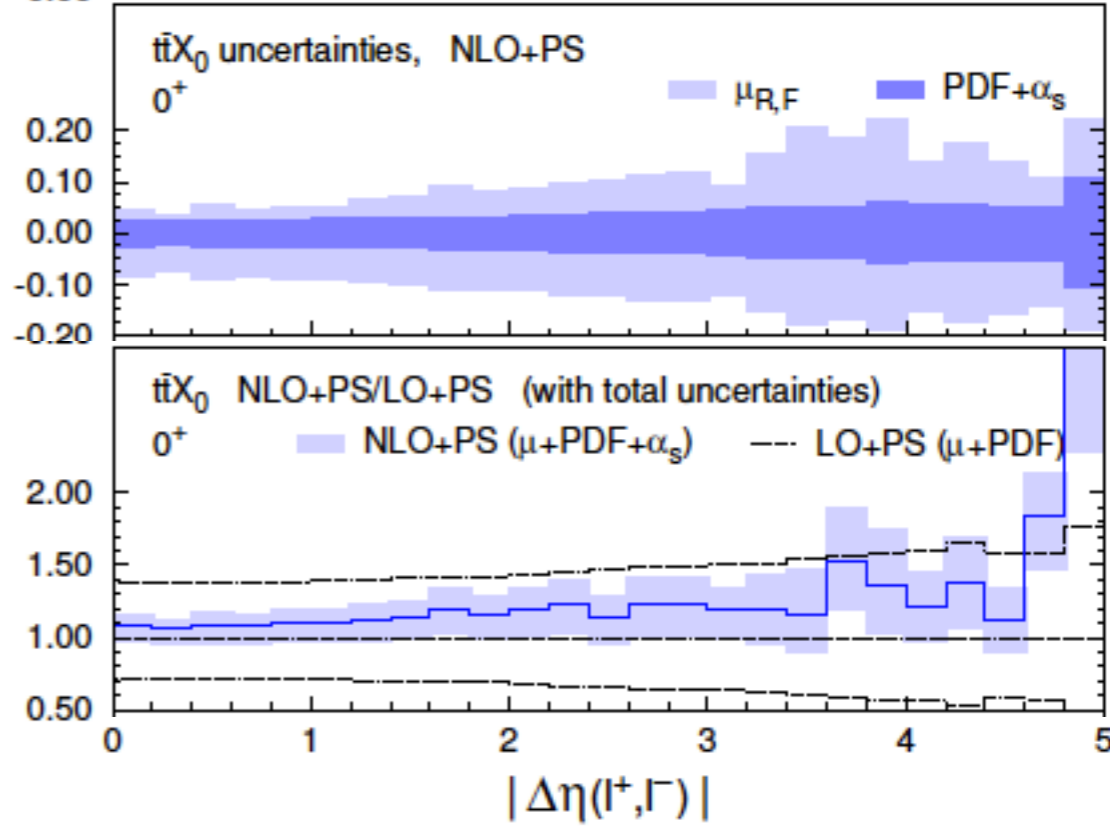
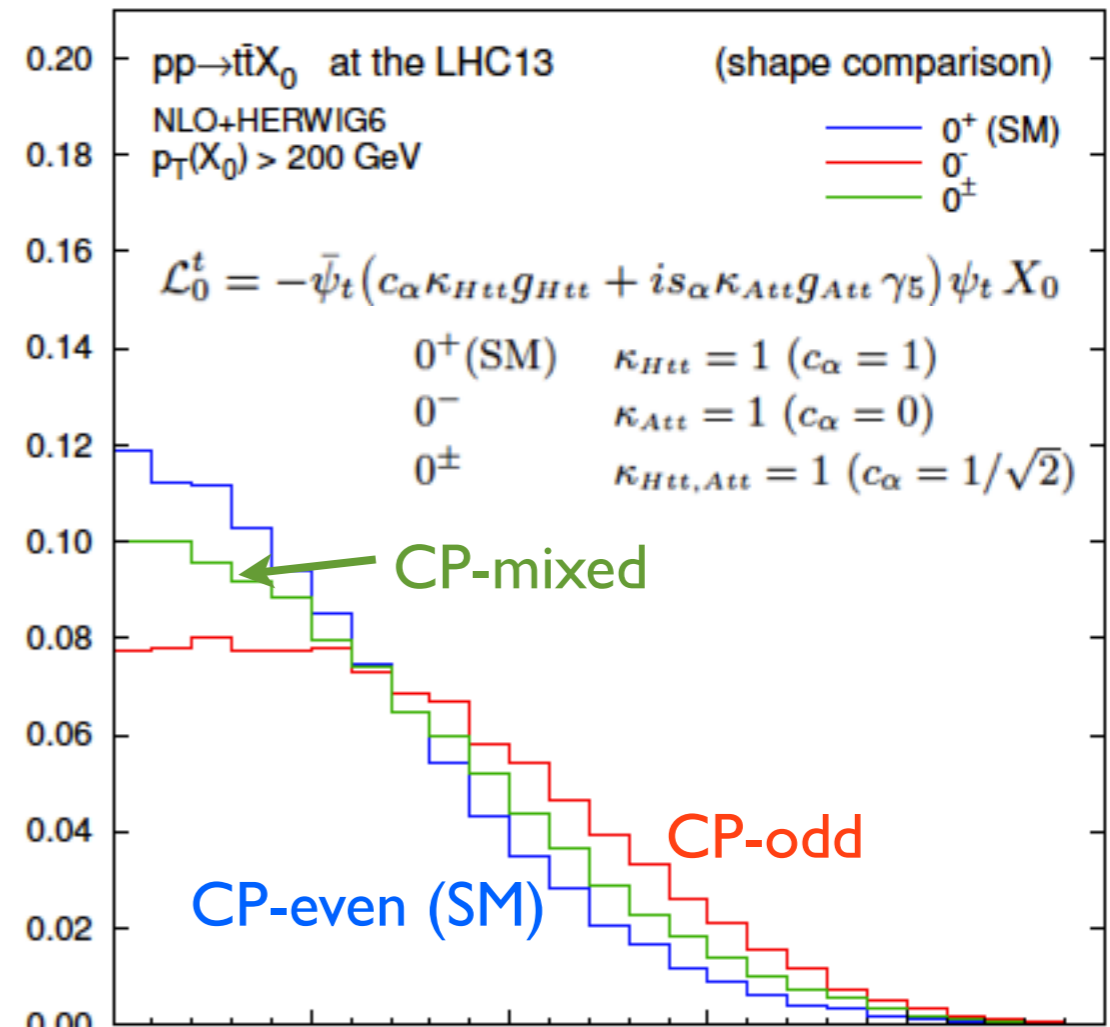
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scenario		σ_{LO} (fb)	σ_{NLO} (fb)	K
LHC 13 TeV	0^+	468.6(4) $^{+32.8}_{-22.8} \pm 4.5\%$	525.1(7) $^{+5.7}_{-8.7} \pm 2.1\%$	1.12
	0^-	196.8(2) $^{+37.1}_{-25.2} \pm 7.5\%$	224.3(3) $^{+6.8}_{-10.5} \pm 3.2\%$	1.14
	0^\pm	332.4(3) $^{+34.0}_{-23.5} \pm 5.4\%$	374.1(5) $^{+6.0}_{-9.3} \pm 2.5\%$	1.13

- The total rate and the correlations between top and antitop decay products can be sensitive to the CP nature of the Higgs boson.
- NLO corrections cannot be described by an overall K factor and the constant theoretical uncertainties.



MadGraph5_aMC@NLO

Back-up

Total cross sections (ttH)

$$\mathcal{L}_0^t = -\bar{\psi}_t (c_\alpha \kappa_{Htt} g_{Htt} + i s_\alpha \kappa_{Att} g_{Att} \gamma_5) \psi_t X_0$$

HC3: Demartin, Maltoni, KM, Page, Zaro [arXiv:1407.5089]

$$0^+(\text{SM}) \quad \kappa_{Htt} = 1 \quad (c_\alpha = 1)$$

$$0^- \quad \kappa_{Att} = 1 \quad (c_\alpha = 0)$$

$$0^\pm \quad \kappa_{Htt,Att} = 1 \quad (c_\alpha = 1/\sqrt{2})$$

$$\mu_0^{(t\bar{t}H)} = \sqrt[3]{m_T(t) m_T(\bar{t}) m_T(X_0)}$$

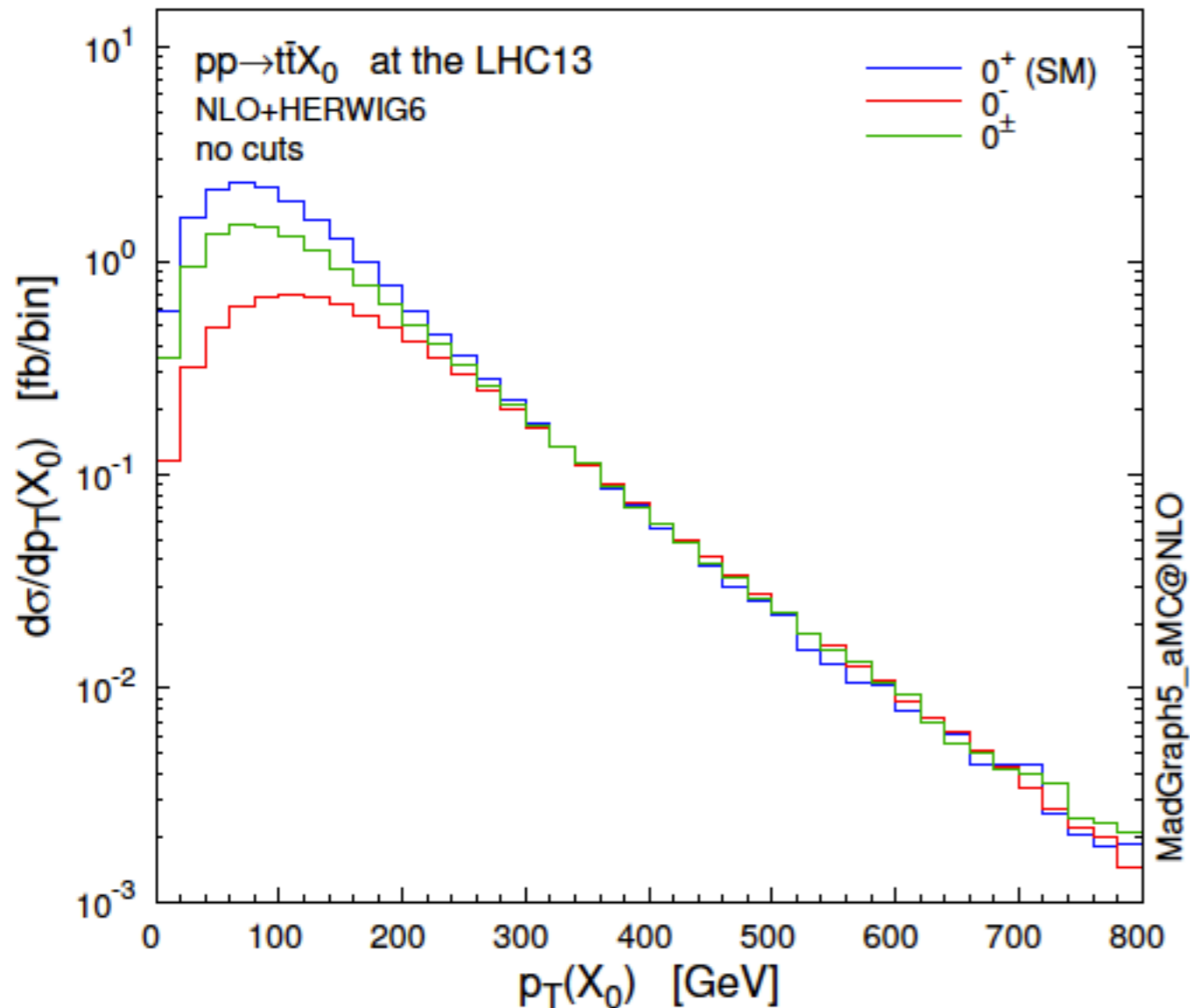
$$1/2 < \mu_{R,F}/\mu_0 < 2$$

scenario		σ_{LO} (fb)	σ_{NLO} (fb)	K
LHC 8 TeV	0^+	130.3(1) $^{+36.8}_{-24.6} \pm 5.9\%$	134.9(2) $^{+3.2}_{-8.3} \pm 3.0\%$	1.04
	0^-	44.49(4) $^{+42.5}_{-27.6} \pm 10.3\%$	47.07(6) $^{+6.5}_{-11.5} \pm 4.9\%$	1.06
	0^\pm	87.44(8) $^{+38.2}_{-25.4} \pm 6.9\%$	90.93(12) $^{+3.9}_{-9.1} \pm 3.4\%$	1.04
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- $\sigma(0^+) > \sigma(0^-)$
- $\sigma(0^\pm) = (\sigma(0^+) + \sigma(0^-))/2$
- $\Delta\sigma(0^-) > \Delta\sigma(0^+)$

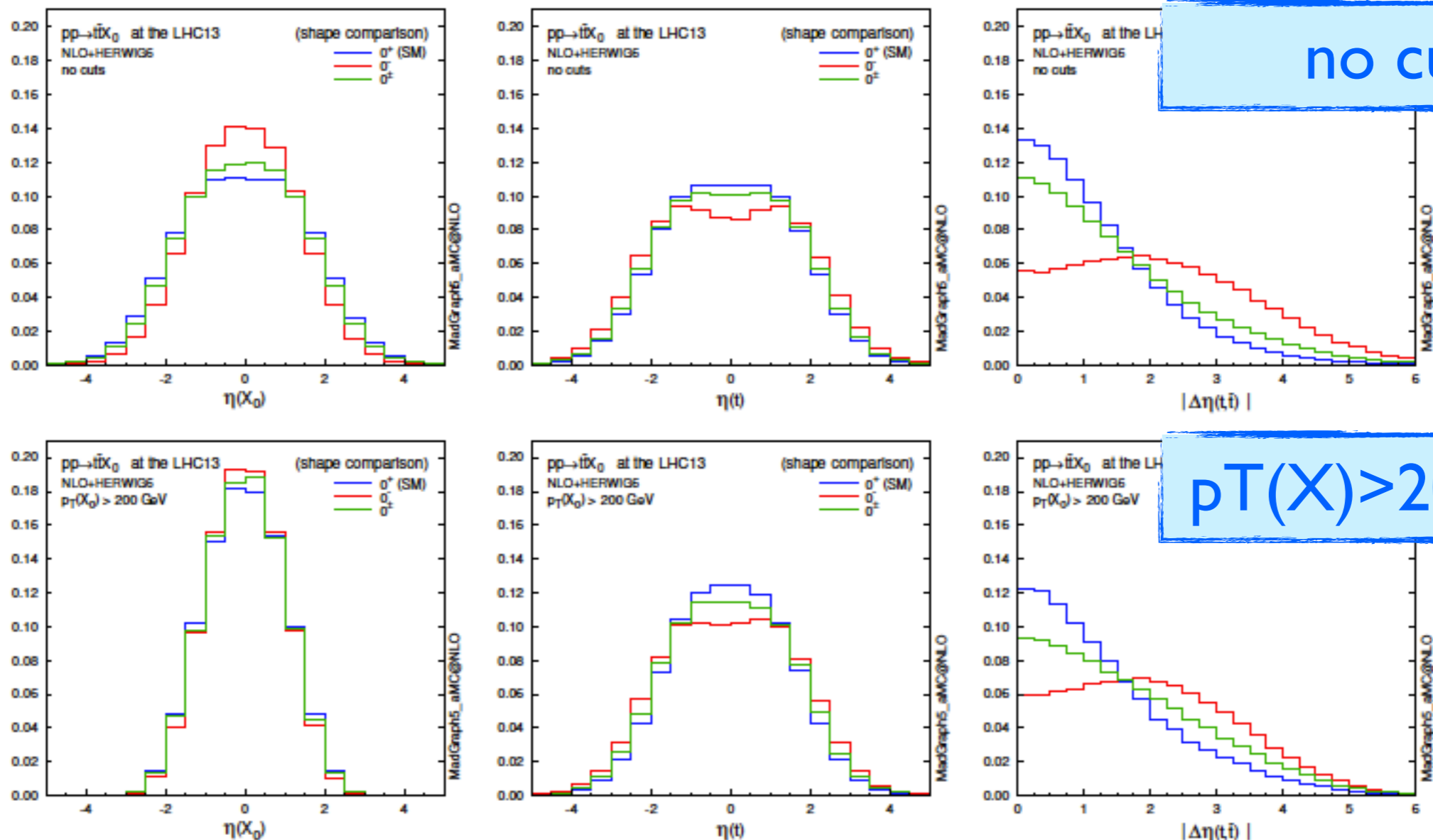
- Scale and PDF uncertainties are evaluated automatically at no extra computing cost via a reweighting technique. Frederix, Frixione, Hirschi, Maltoni, Pittau, Torrielli [arXiv:1110.4738]
- Such information is available on an event-by-event basis and therefore uncertainty bands can be plotted for any observables of interest.

Distributions ($t\bar{t}H$)



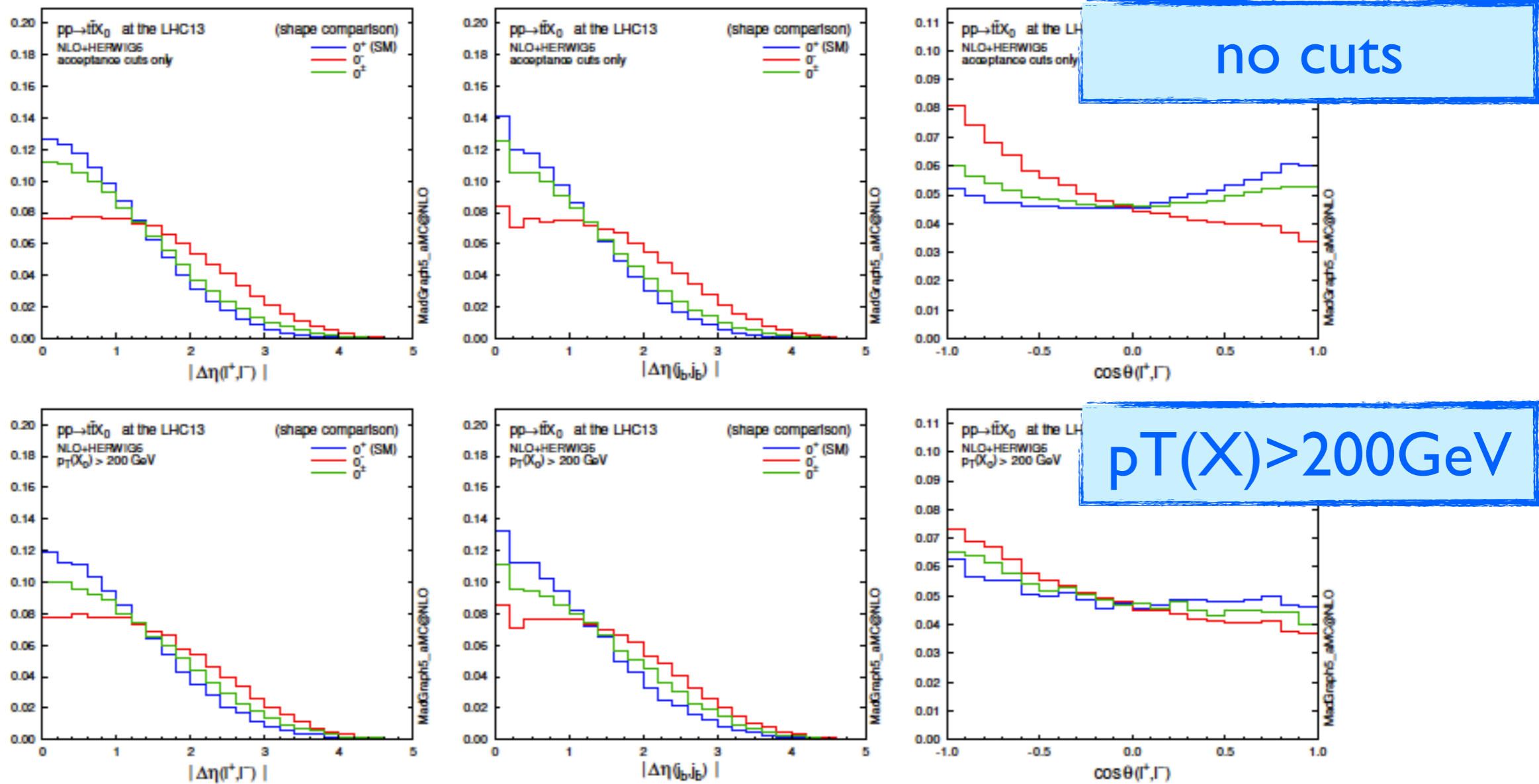
- The difference is significant in the low p_T region.
 - The high- p_T tail is not sensitive to the CP mixing.
- ➔ Is the boosted-Higgs analyses still sensitive to the CP mixing?

Distributions without and with a boosted Higgs ($t\bar{t}H$)



- The most CP sensitive distribution is the rapidity difference between the top and antitop, which is hardly affected by the $p_T(X)$ cut.

Correlations between the top-decay products (ttH) (in the di-leptonic channel)



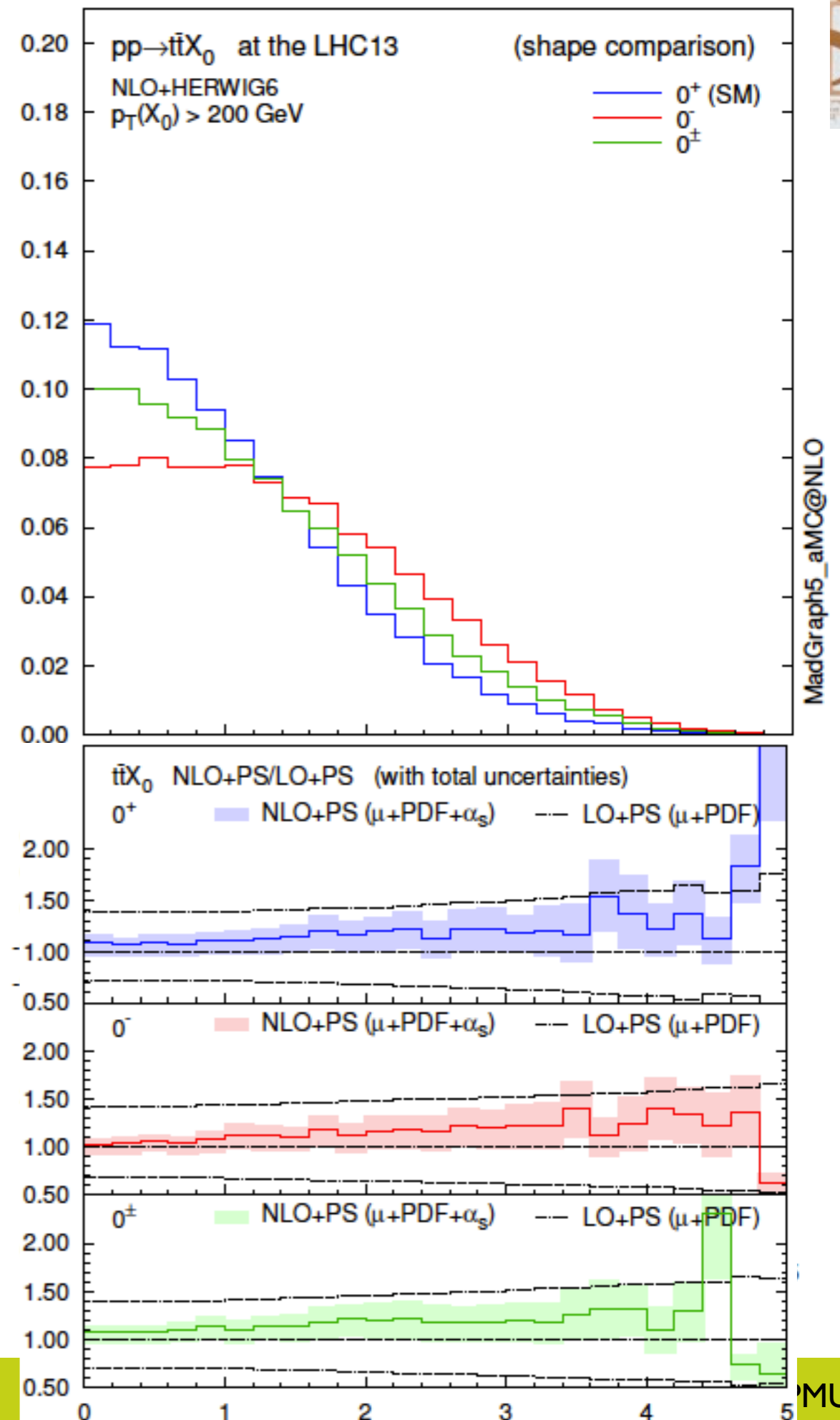
- As expected from the $\Delta\eta(t)$, $\Delta\eta(l)$ and $\Delta\eta(b)$ are almost insensitive to the $p_T(X)$ cut, while the angle between the leptons (b jets) is significantly affected by the boost.

Theoretical uncertainties (ttH)

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The NLO corrections

- considerably reduce the theoretical uncertainties.
- cannot be described by an overall K factor and the constant theoretical uncertainties.

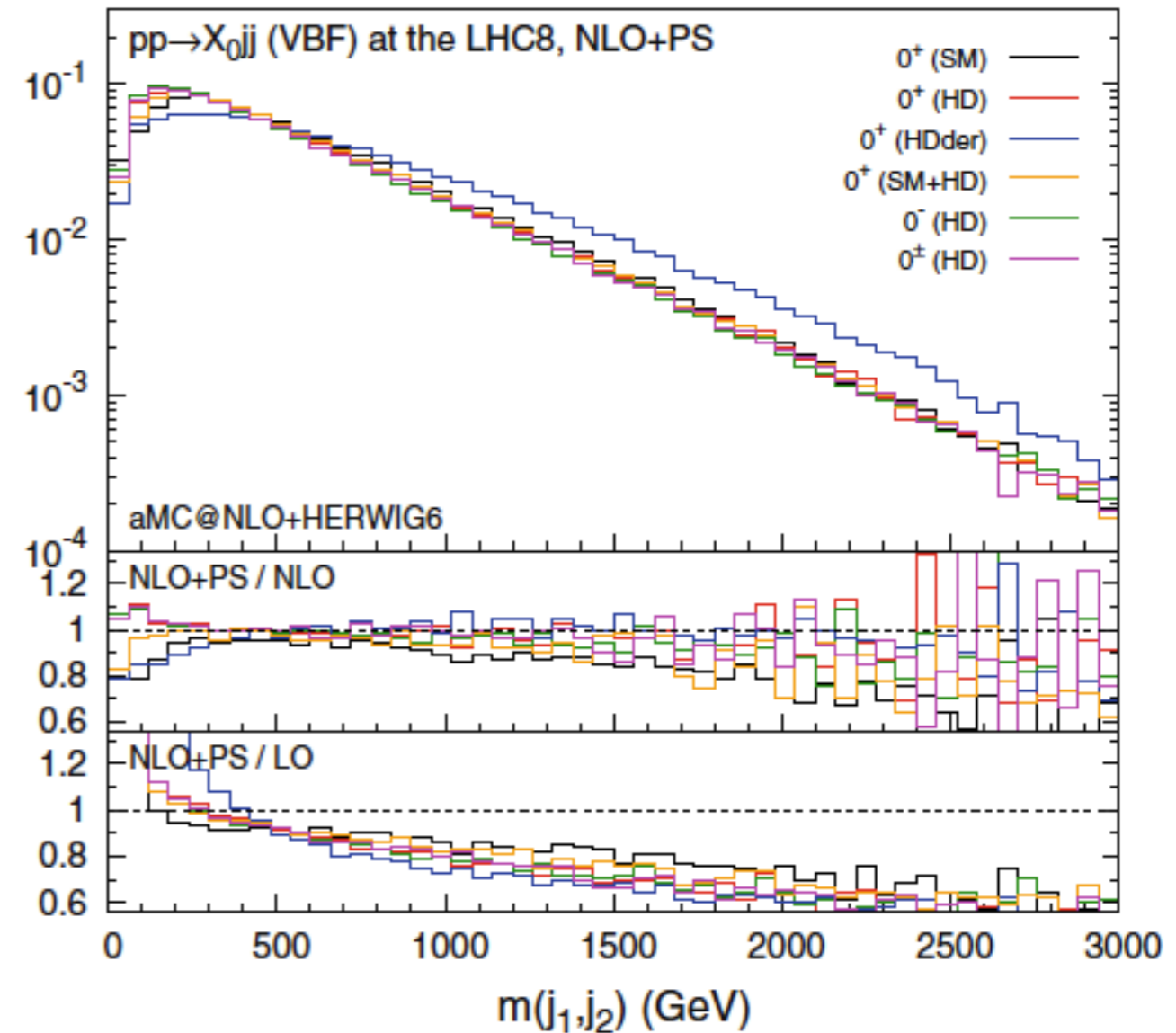


VBF

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>output
>launch
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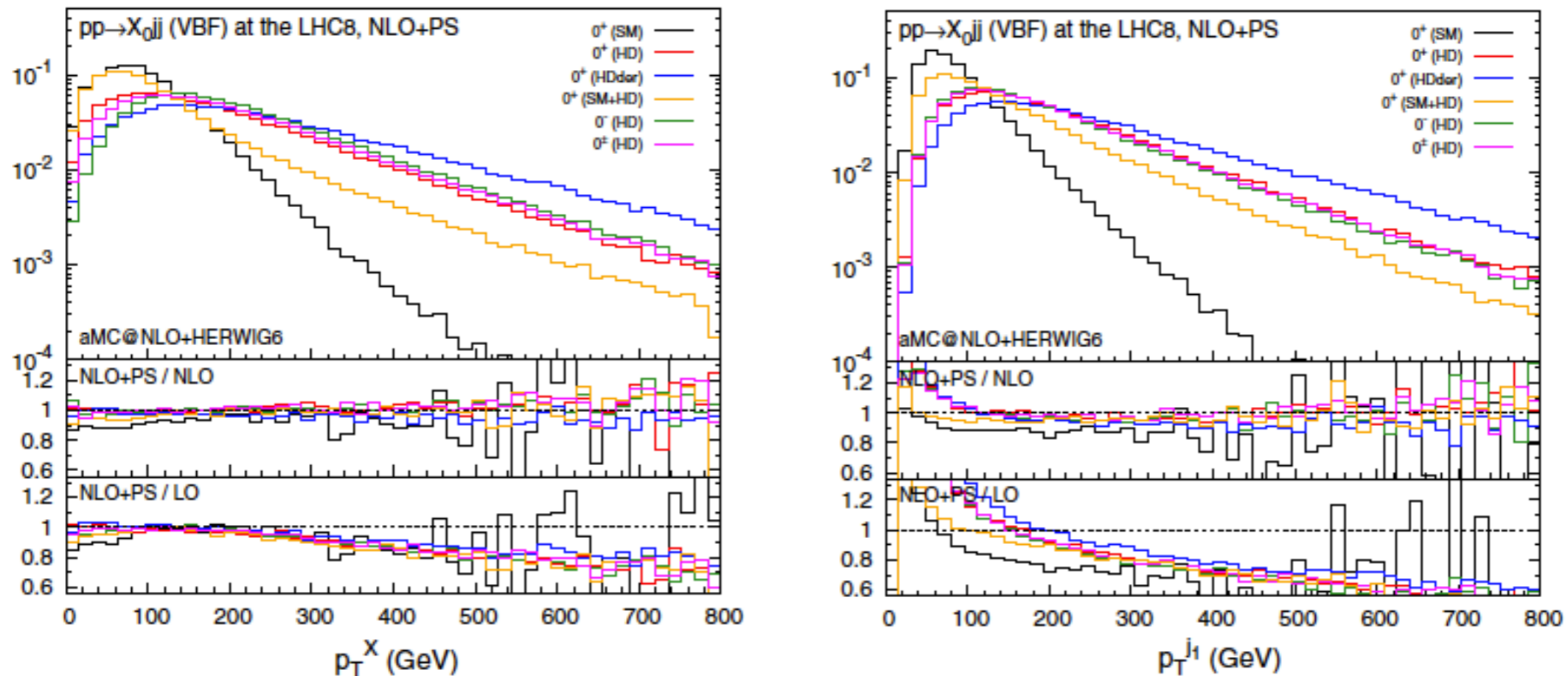
Scenario	HC parameter choice
0^+ (SM)	$\kappa_{SM} = 1 (c_\alpha = 1)$
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0^\pm (HD)	$\kappa_{HZZ,AZZ,HWW,AWW} = 1 (c_\alpha = 1/\sqrt{2})$

Scenario	σ_{LO} (fb)	σ_{NLO} (fb)	K
0^+ (SM)	1509(1) $^{+4.7\%}_{-4.4\%}$	1633(2) $^{+2.0\%}_{-1.5\%}$	1.08
0^+ (HD)	69.66(6) $^{+7.5\%}_{-6.6\%}$	67.08(13) $^{+2.2\%}_{-2.3\%}$	0.96
0^+ (HDder)	721.9(6) $^{+11.0\%}_{-9.0\%}$	684.9(1.5) $^{+2.3\%}_{-2.8\%}$	0.95
0^+ (SM+HD)	3065(2) $^{+5.6\%}_{-5.1\%}$	3144(5) $^{+1.6\%}_{-1.1\%}$	1.03
0^- (HD)	57.10(4) $^{+7.7\%}_{-6.7\%}$	55.24(11) $^{+2.1\%}_{-2.5\%}$	0.97
0^\pm (HD)	63.46(5) $^{+7.6\%}_{-6.7\%}$	61.07(13) $^{+2.3\%}_{-2.0\%}$	0.96



- The m_{jj} distributions are all very similar (except the scenario with the derivative operator).
- The QCD corrections tend to make the tagging jets softer.

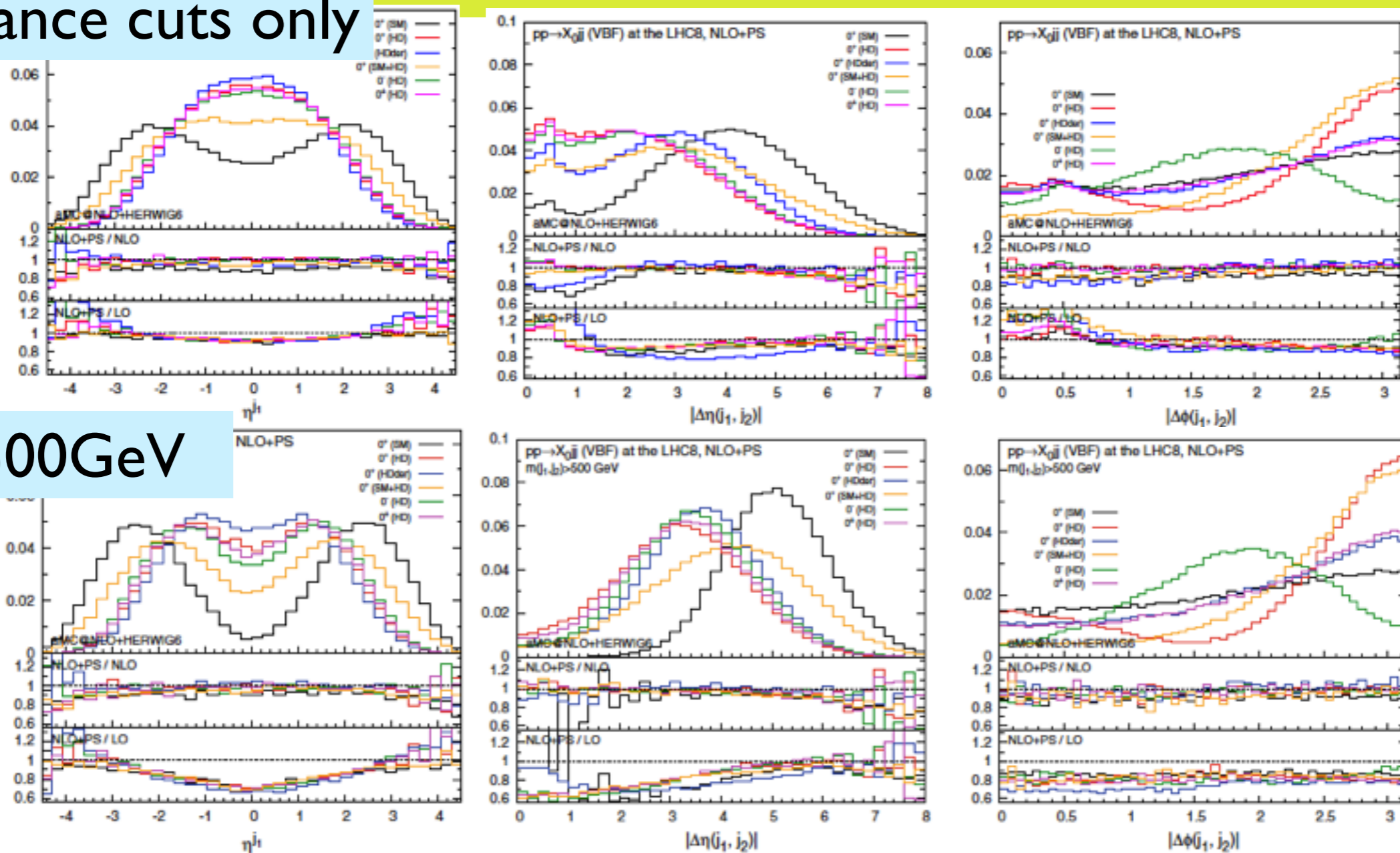
p_T distributions (VBF)



- The unitarity violating behavior of the HD interactions, especially HDder, clearly manifests itself.

m_{jj} cuts (VBF)

acceptance cuts only



$m_{jj} > 500 \text{ GeV}$

- The m_{jj} cut effectively suppresses the central jet activity, especially for SM.
- The difference among the scenarios becomes more pronounced.
- NLO corrections cannot be described by an overall K factor, and also depends on the applied cuts.

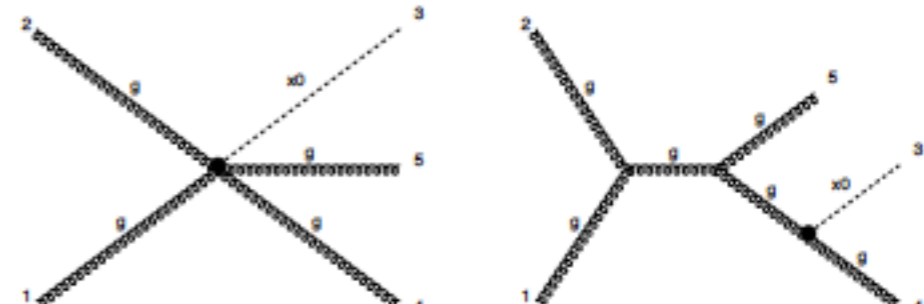
Higgs + 2 jets

HC2: Maltoni, KM, Zaro [arXiv:1311.1829]

HC3: Demartin, Maltoni, KM, Page, Zaro [arXiv:1407.5089]

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>generate p p > x0 j j $$ w+ w- z QCD=0 [QCD]
>output
>launch
```

```
./bin/mg5_aMC
>import model HC_NLO_X0-heft
>generate p p > x0 j j / t [QCD]
>output
>launch
```



LHC 8 TeV

Scenario	σ_{LO} (fb)	σ_{NLO} (fb)	K
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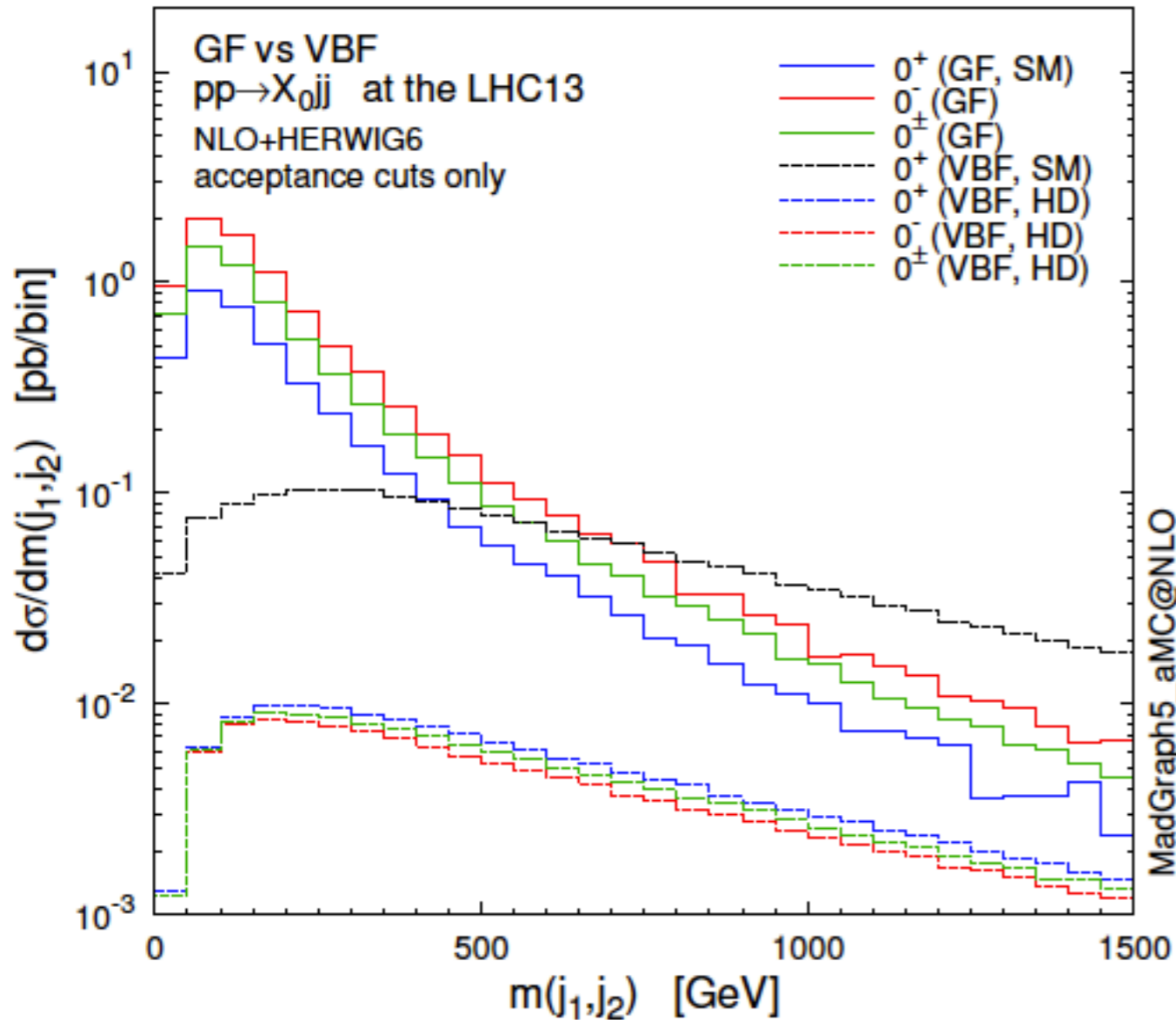
$$\mathcal{L}_0^g = -\frac{1}{4} (c_\alpha \kappa_{Hgg} g_{Hgg} G_{\mu\nu}^a G^{a,\mu\nu} + s_\alpha \kappa_{Agg} g_{Agg} G_{\mu\nu}^a \tilde{G}^{a,\mu\nu}) X_0$$

- 0^+ (SM) $\kappa_{Hgg} = 1$ ($c_\alpha = 1$)
- 0^- $\kappa_{Agg} = 1$ ($c_\alpha = 0$)
- 0^\pm $\kappa_{Hgg, Agg} = 1$ ($c_\alpha = 1/\sqrt{2}$)

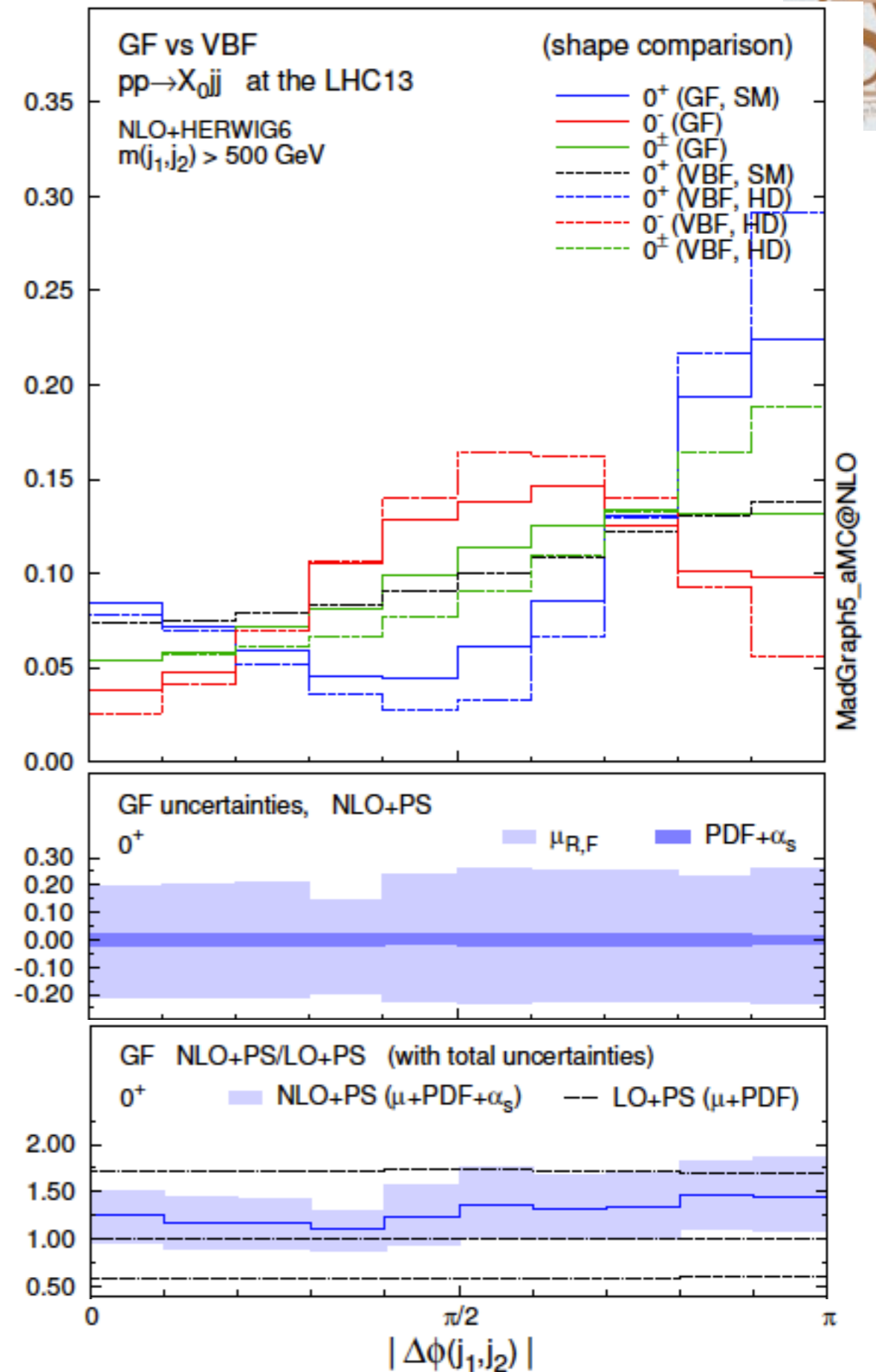
scenario	σ_{LO} (pb)	σ_{NLO} (pb)	K
LHC 8 TeV 0^+	1.351(1) $^{+67.1}_{-36.8} \pm 4.3\%$	1.702(6) $^{+19.7}_{-20.8} \pm 1.7\%$	1.26
LHC 8 TeV 0^-	2.951(3) $^{+67.2}_{-36.8} \pm 4.4\%$	3.660(15) $^{+19.1}_{-20.6} \pm 1.7\%$	1.24
LHC 8 TeV 0^\pm	2.142(2) $^{+67.1}_{-36.8} \pm 4.4\%$	2.687(10) $^{+19.6}_{-20.8} \pm 1.7\%$	1.25

GF vs. VBF

HC3: Demartin, Maltoni, KM, Page, Zaro [arXiv:1407.5089]



- Di-jet correlations are still sensitive probes of the CP mixing of the Higgs boson even after PS.



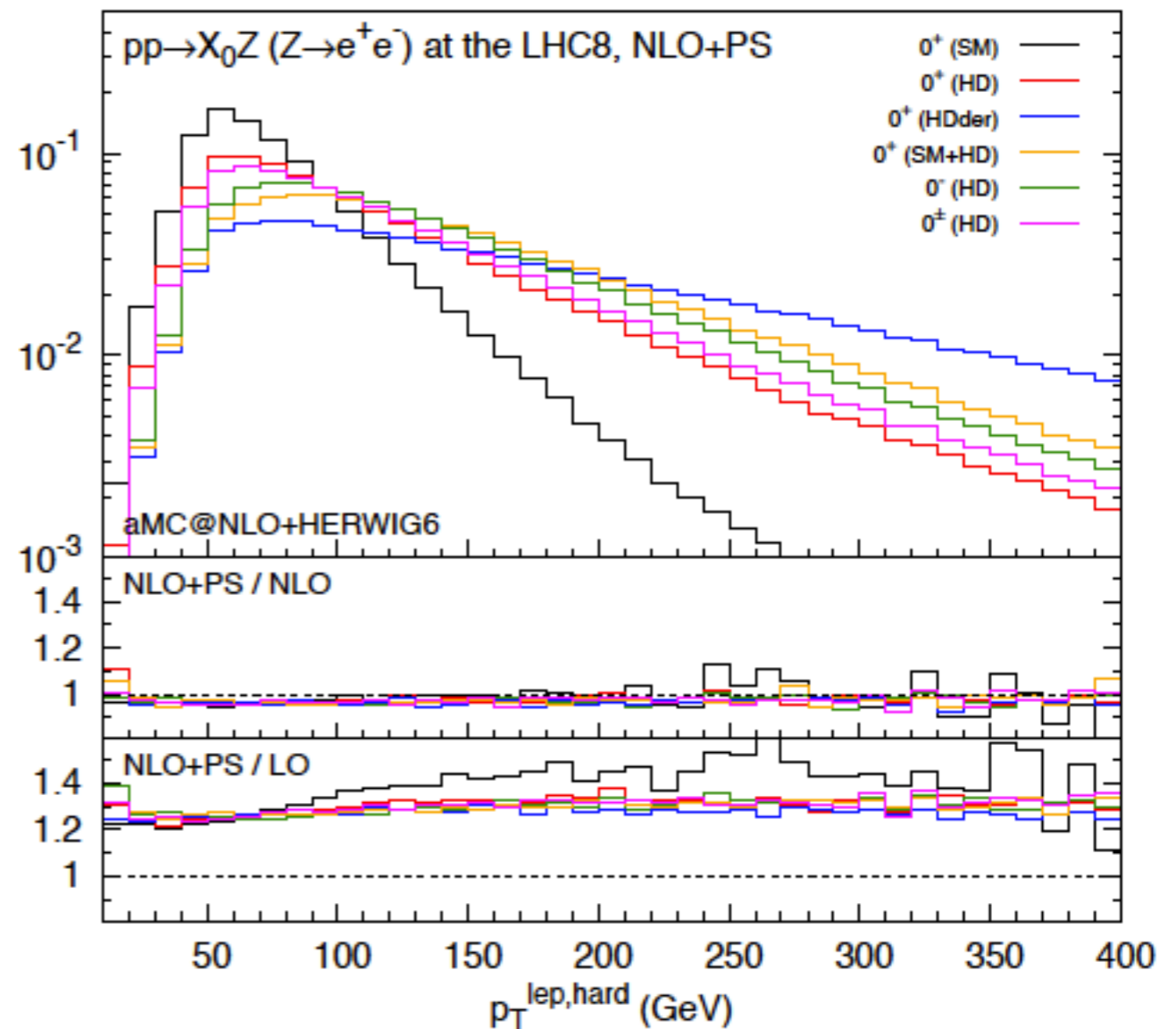
Vector-boson associated production (VH)

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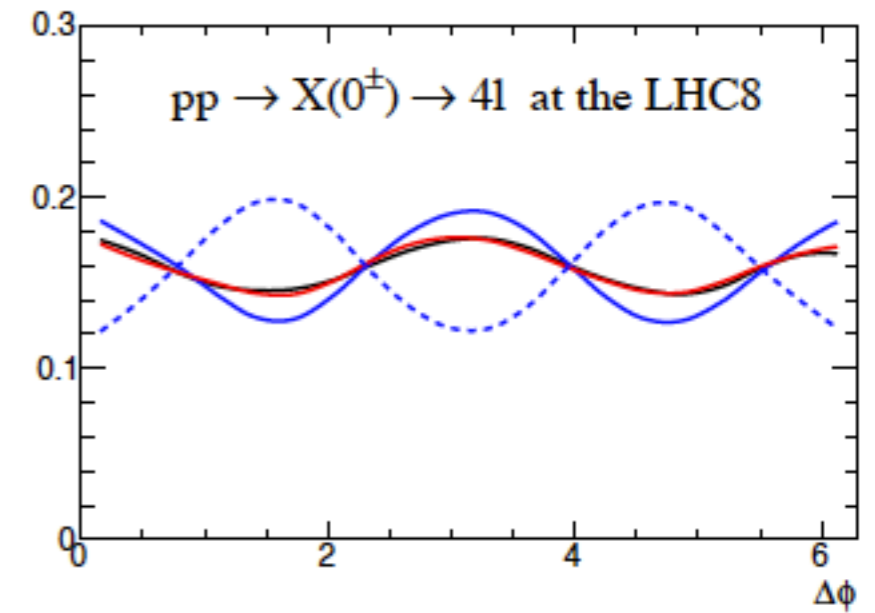
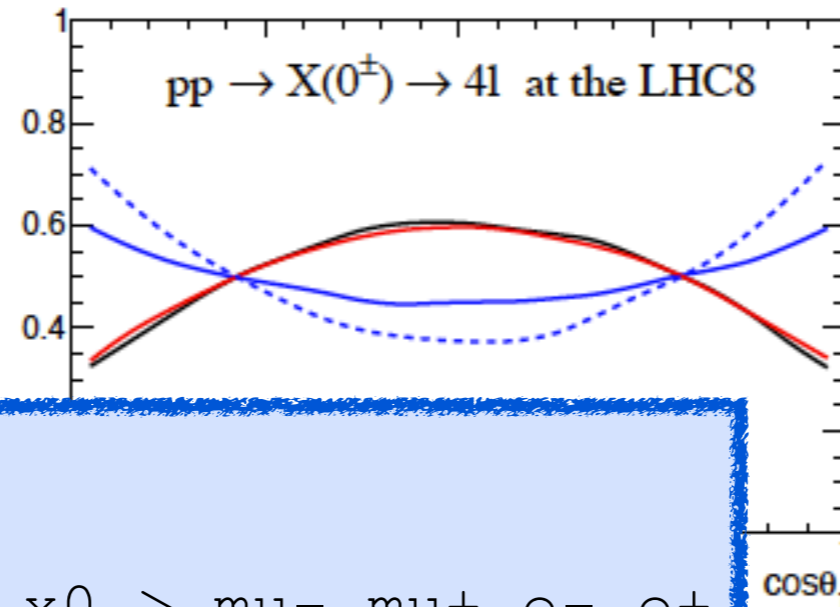
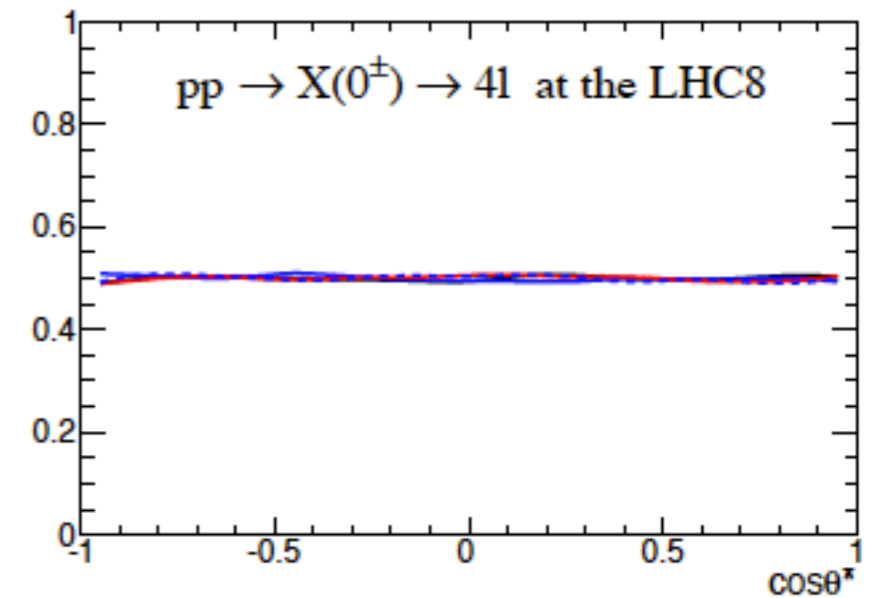
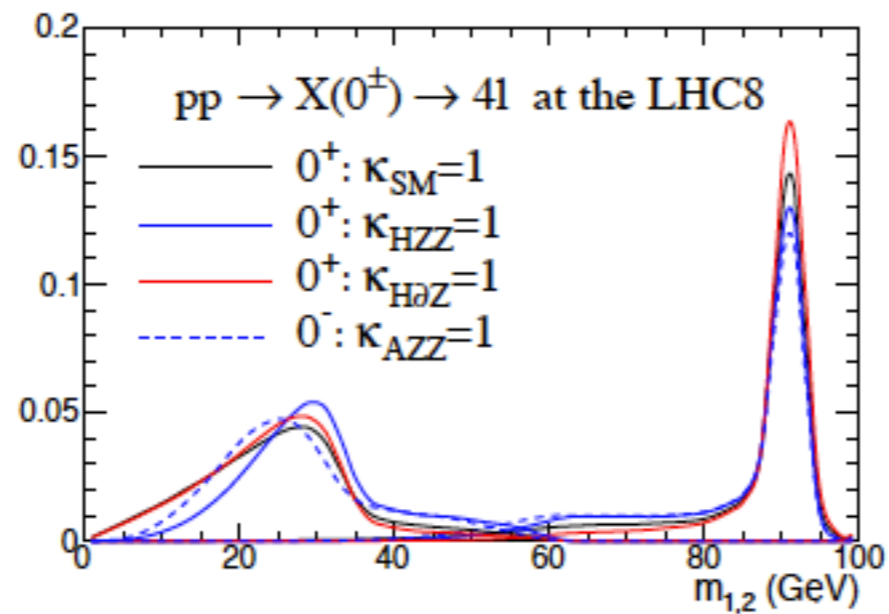
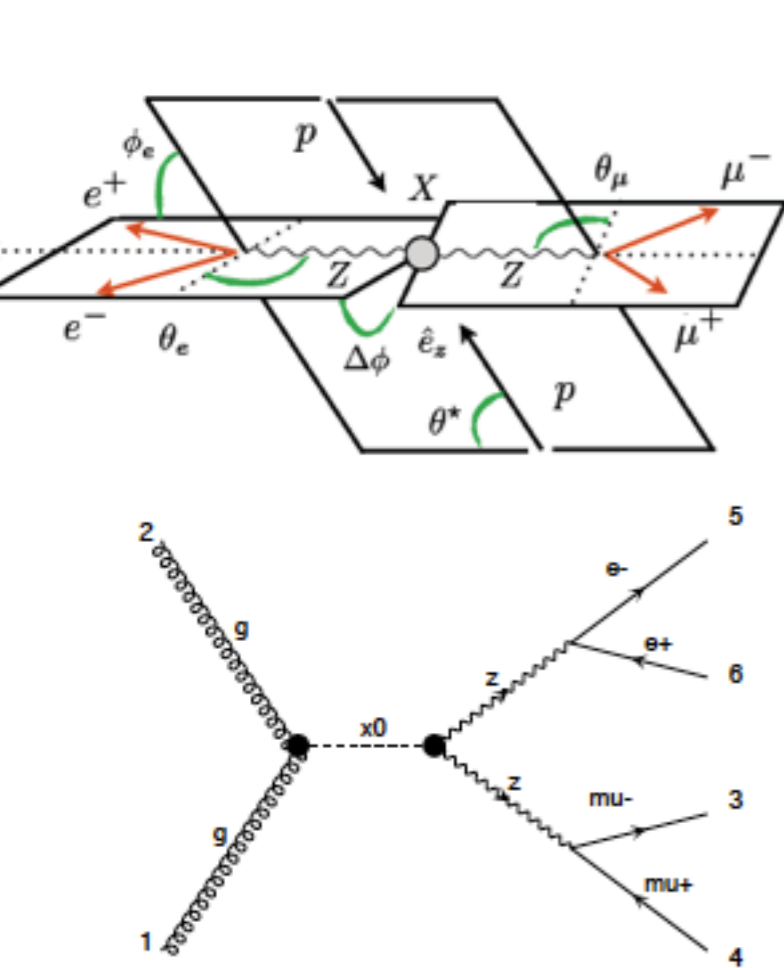
scenario	σ_{LO} (fb)	σ_{NLO} (fb)	K
0^+ (SM)	10.13(1) $+0.0\%$ -0.5%	13.24(1) $+2.2\%$ -1.7%	1.31
0^+ (HD)	2.638(2) $+1.4\%$ -1.7%	3.461(3) $+1.9\%$ -1.3%	1.31
0^+ (HDder)	48.61(4) $+4.2\%$ -3.9%	63.59(5) $+2.1\%$ -1.9%	1.31
0^+ (SM+HD)	19.95(1) $+3.1\%$ -3.1%	26.24(2) $+1.8\%$ -1.6%	1.32
0^- (HD)	1.480(1) $+2.6\%$ -2.7%	1.952(1) $+1.7\%$ -1.5%	1.32
0^\pm (HD)	2.061(1) $+1.9\%$ -2.0%	2.705(2) $+1.8\%$ -1.3%	1.31

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Maltoni, KM, Zaro [arXiv:1311.1829]



Higgs decay to 4 leptons



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>generate p p > x0, x0 > mu- mu+ e- e+
>launch
    
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