Searches for new physics at the Tevatron

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New physics has the same ingredients as bread & butter physics

Photons, MET, leptons, jets, b's

(massabetized to avoid any indication of bias)

Similar Combinations:

$\ell\ell$ $\Rightarrow$ Z or Z'

$\ell \not{E}_T$jets $\Rightarrow$ top or LQ or SUSY or Higgs

The experimental challenge is in defining and understanding the ingredients
CDF & D0 have done that as evidenced by the SM measurements
Combine the ingredients (with some reference to cookbook) for something new.

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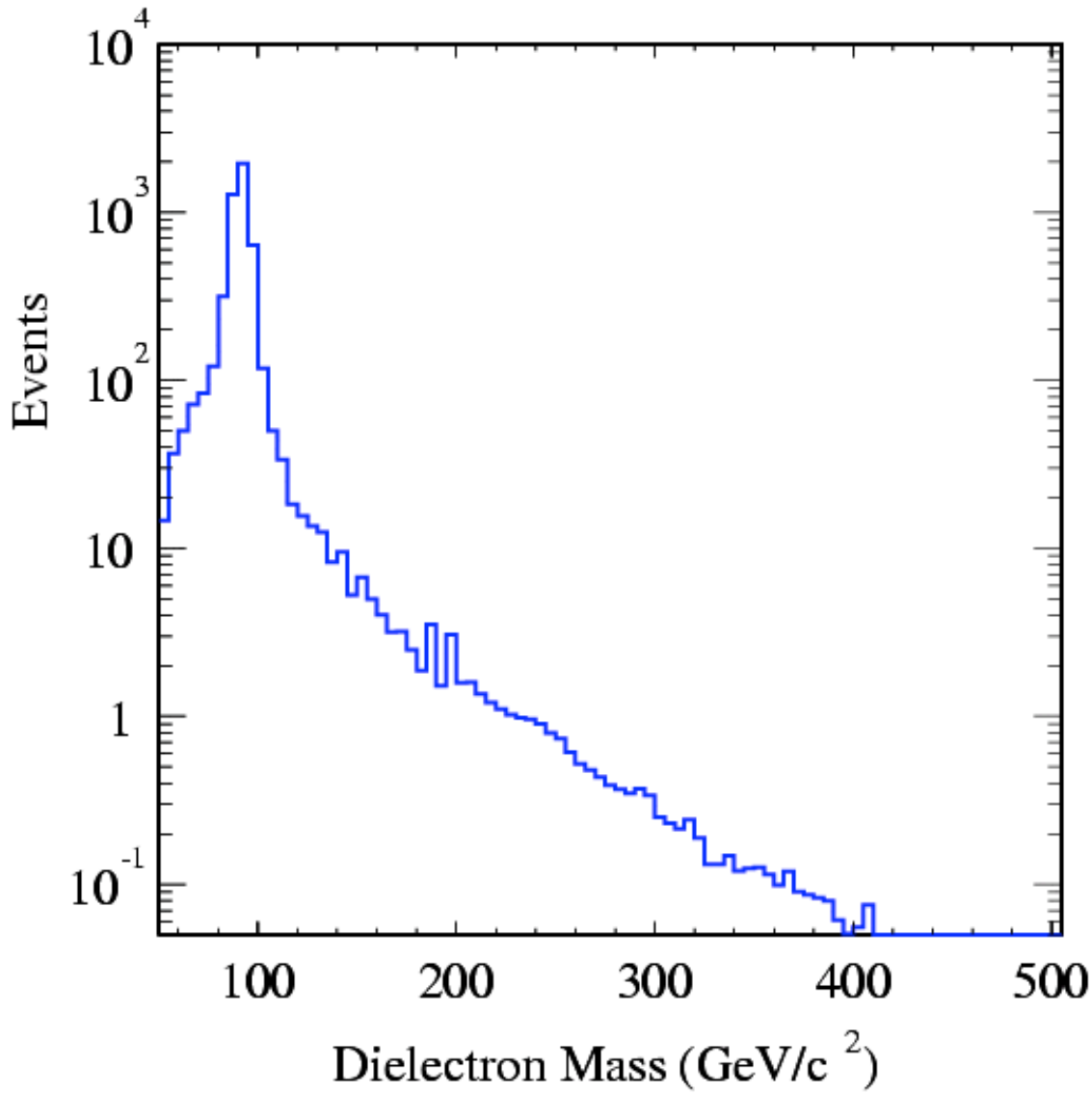

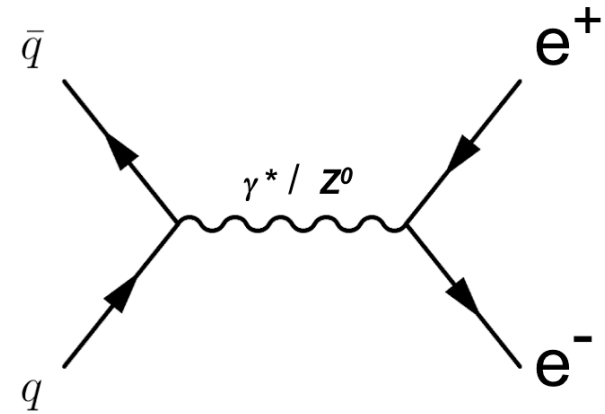

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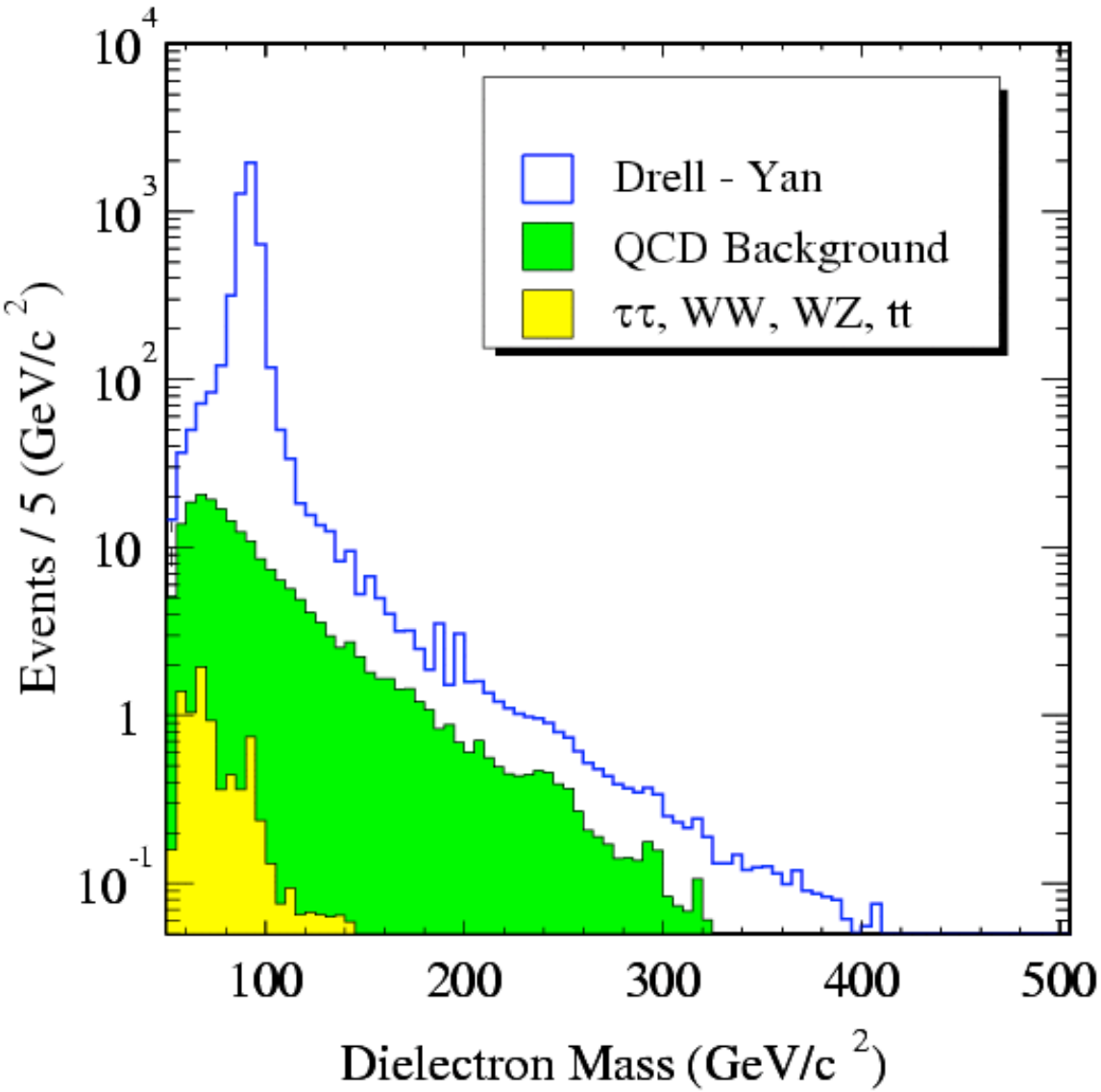

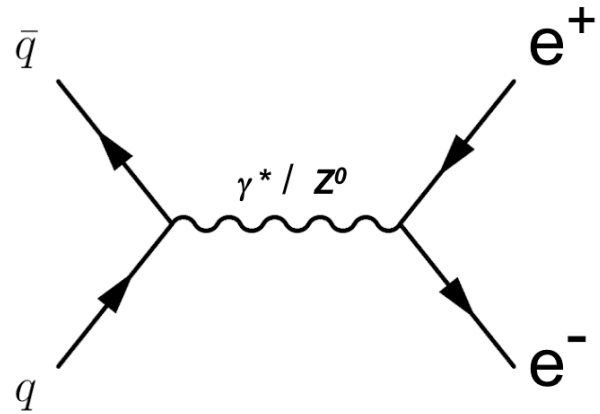

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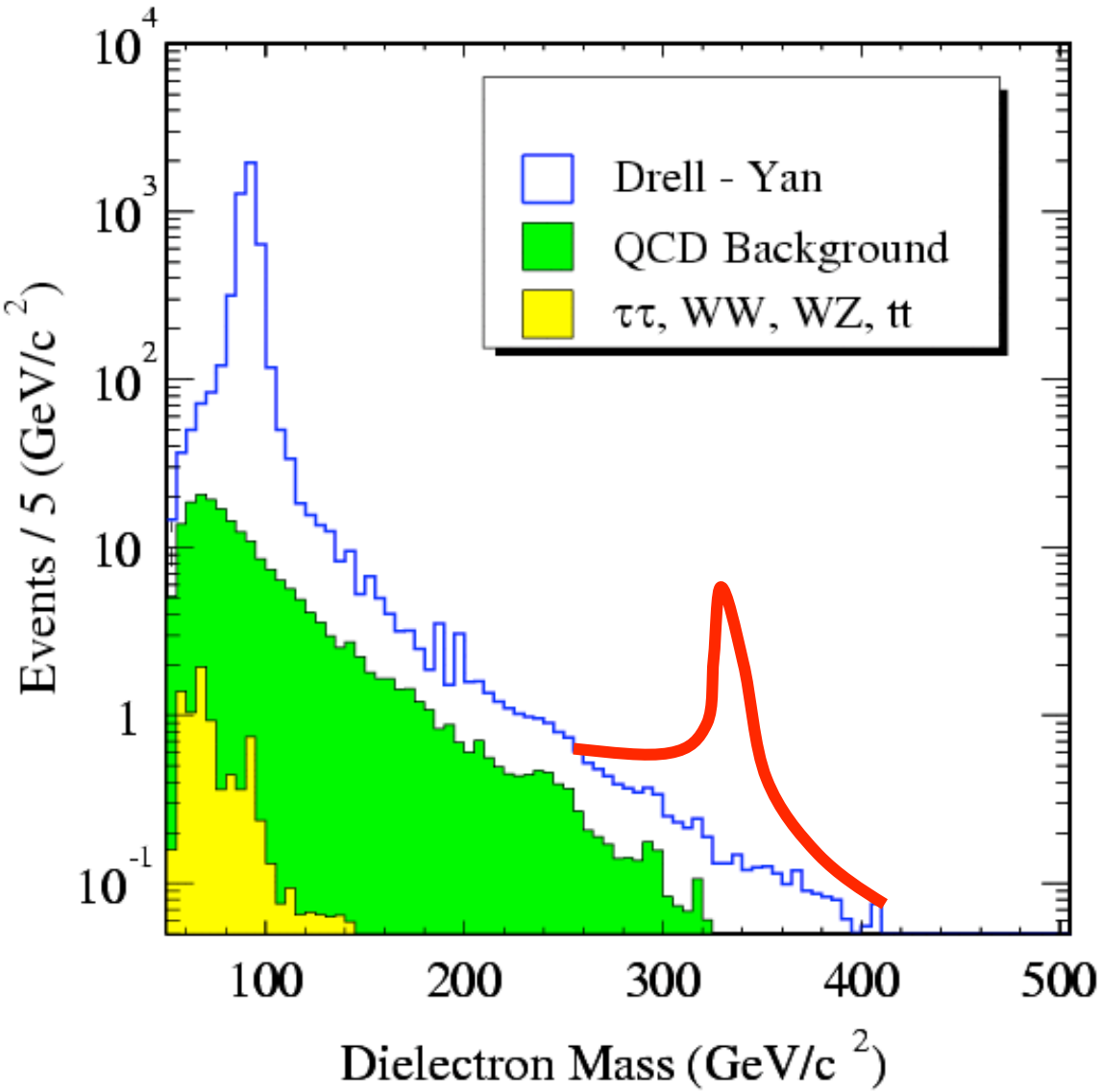

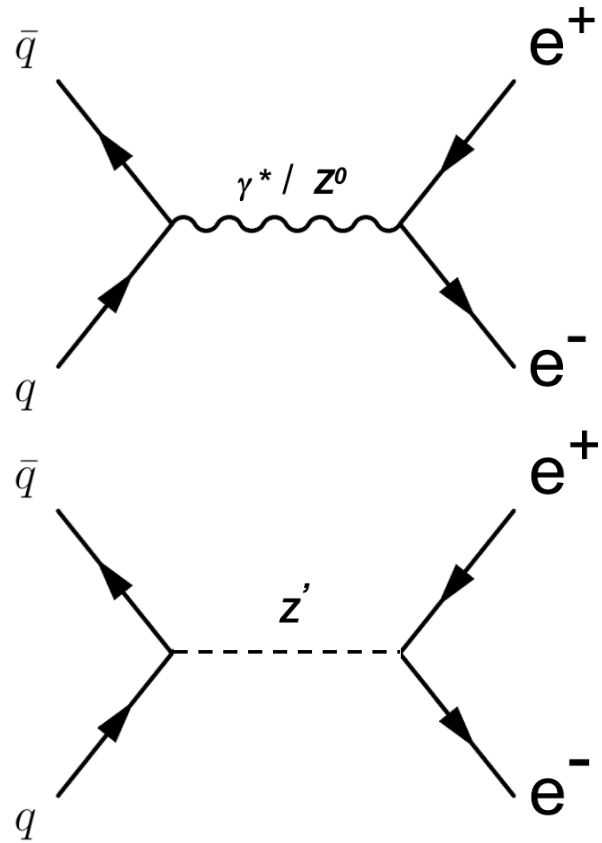

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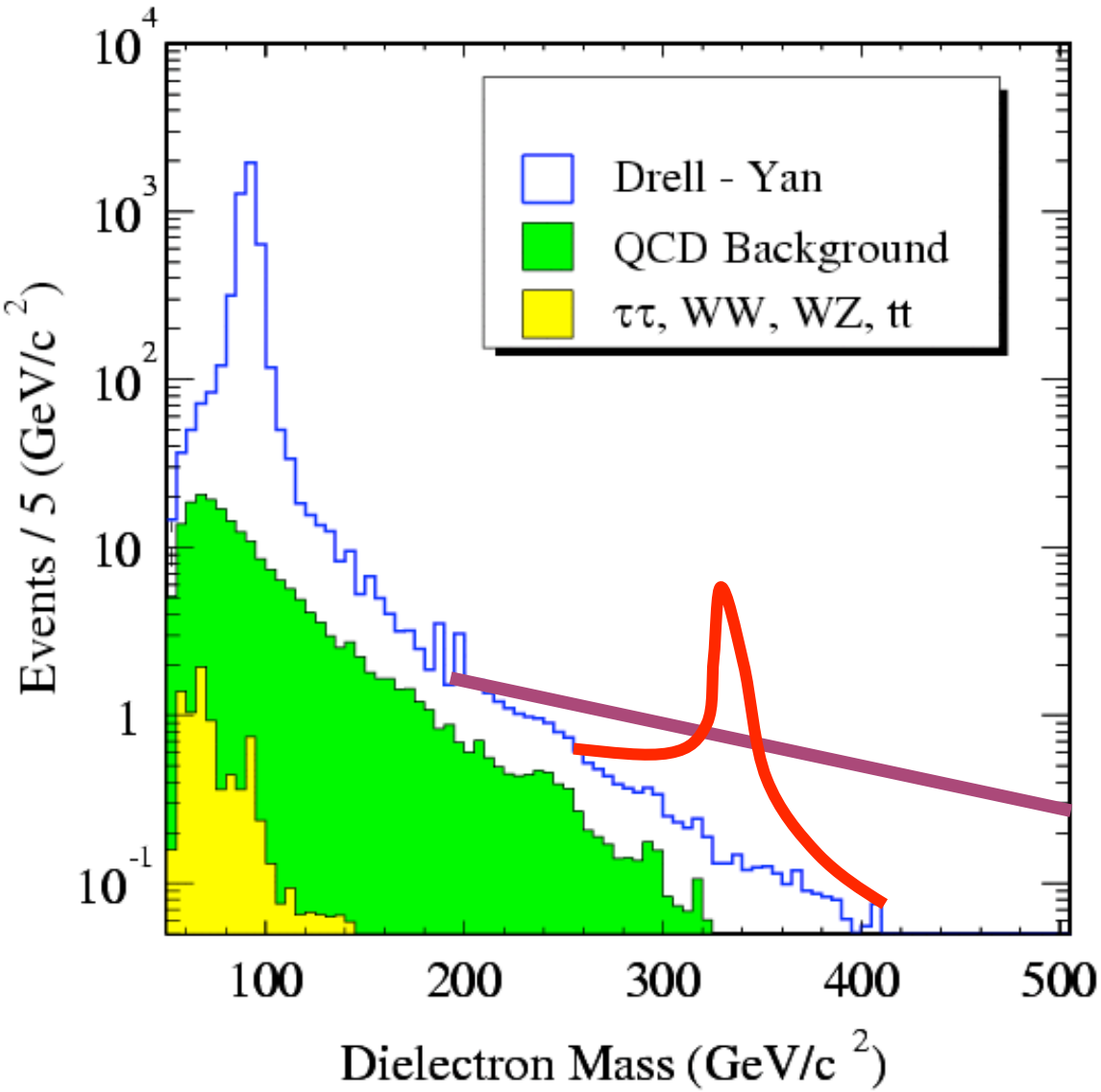

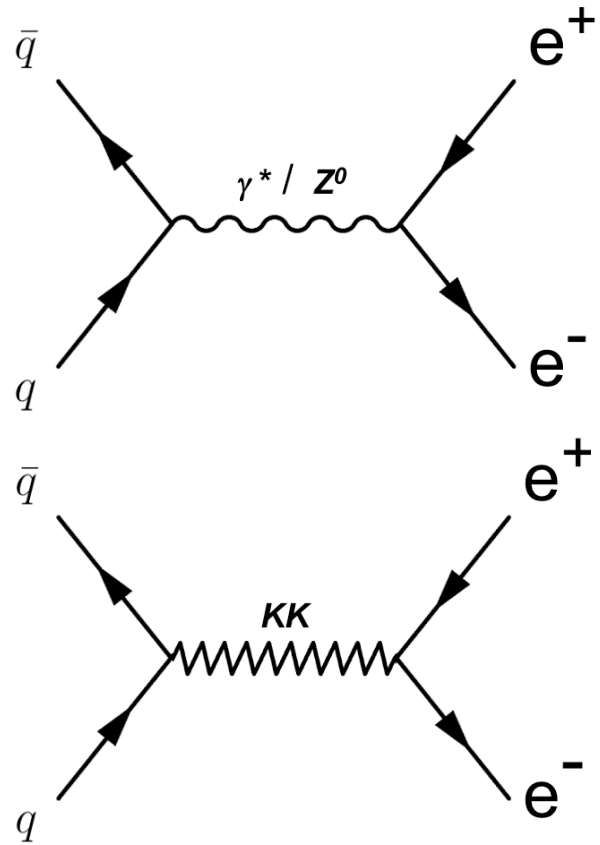

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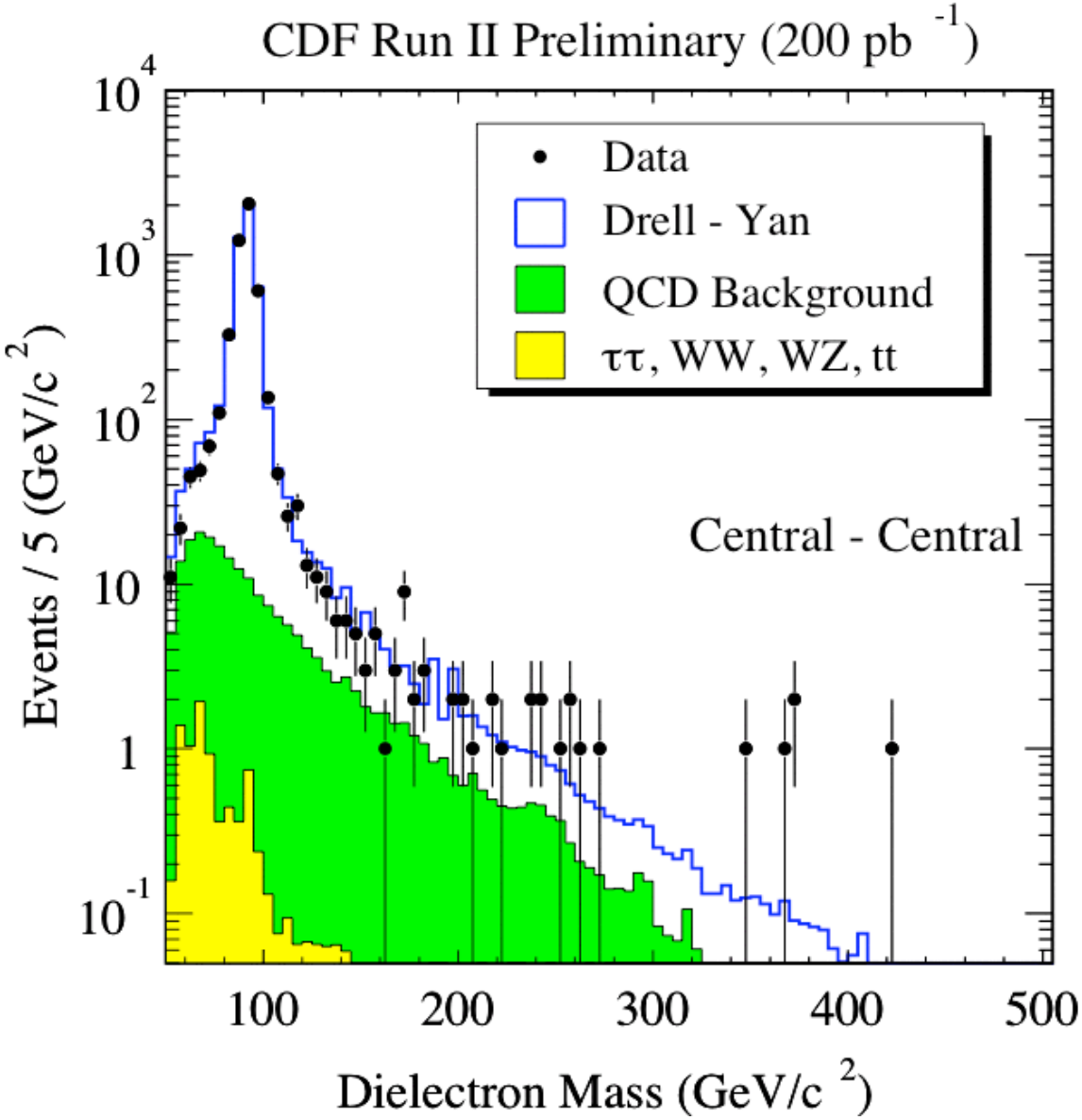

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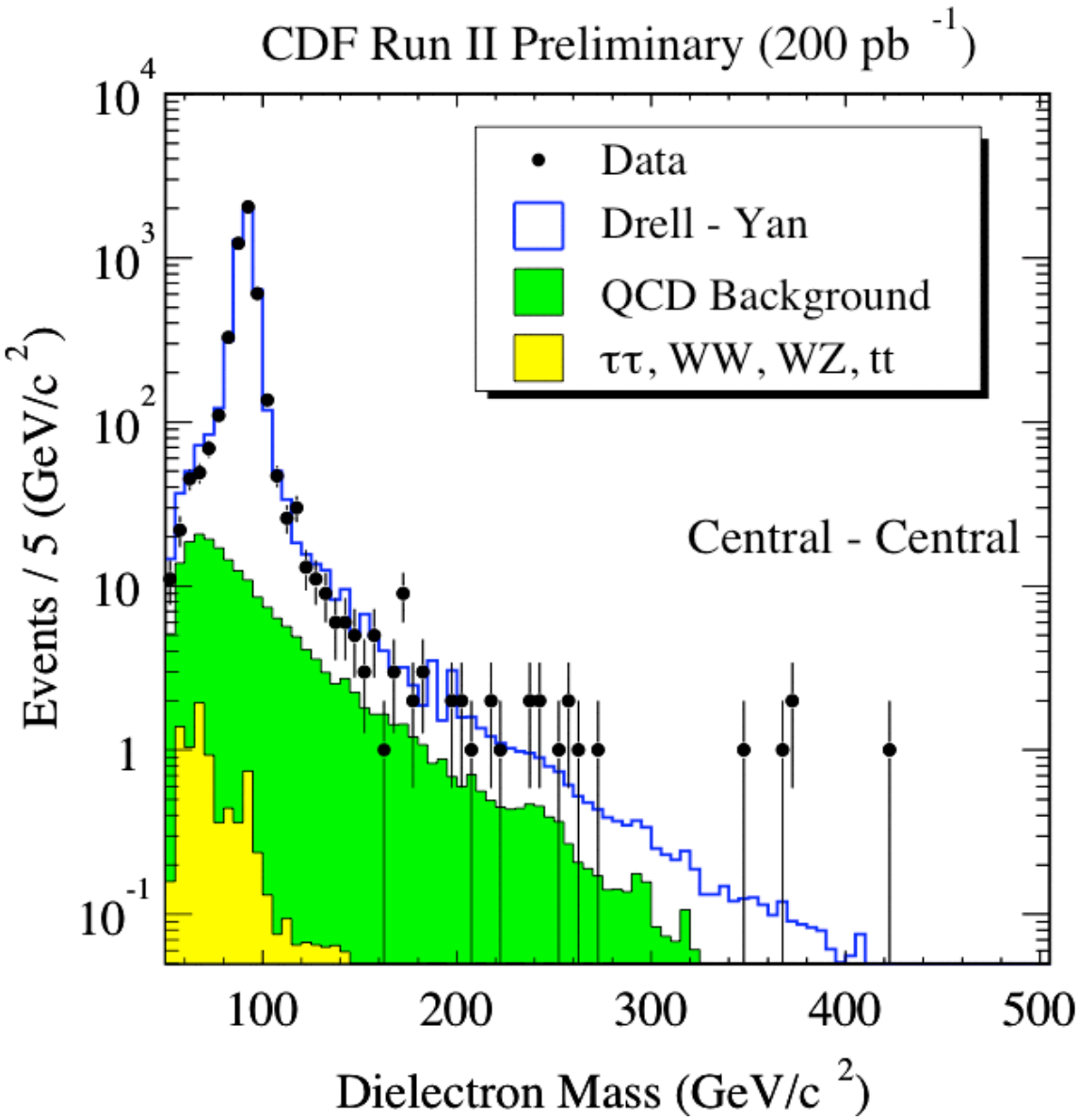

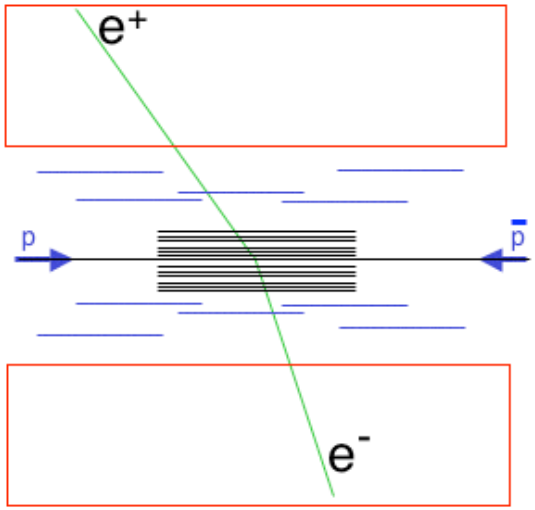

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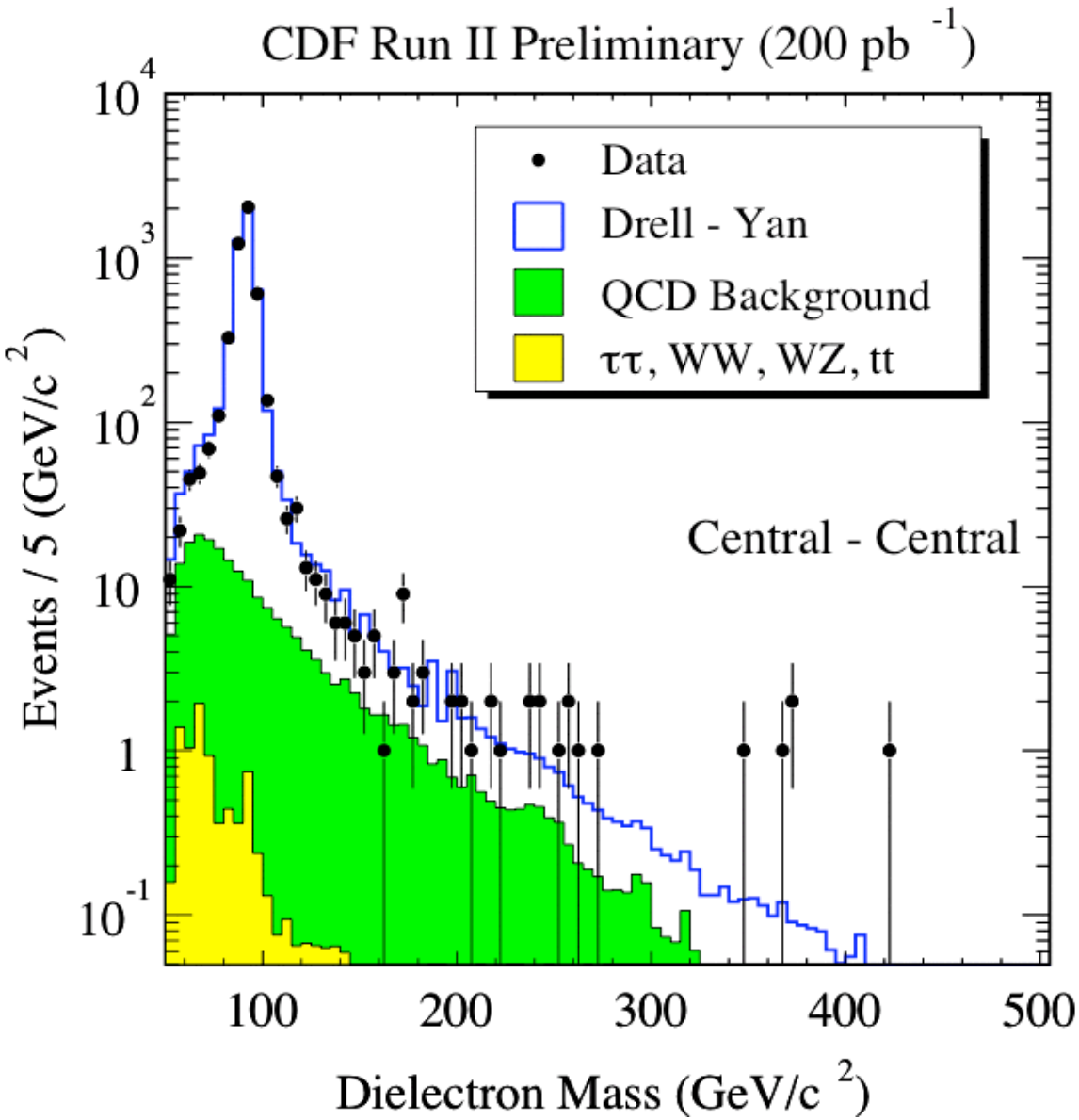

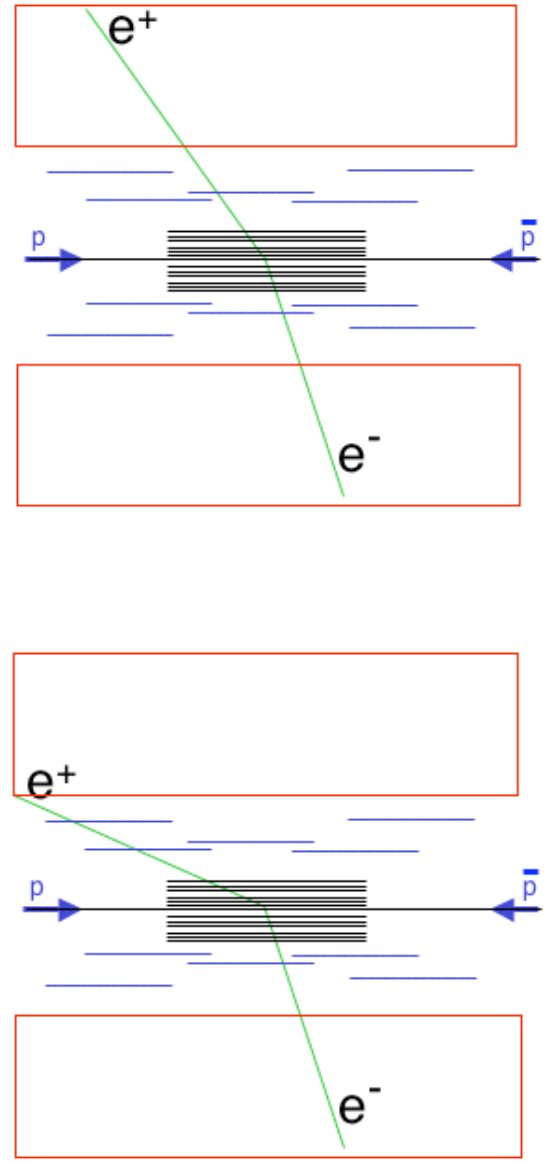

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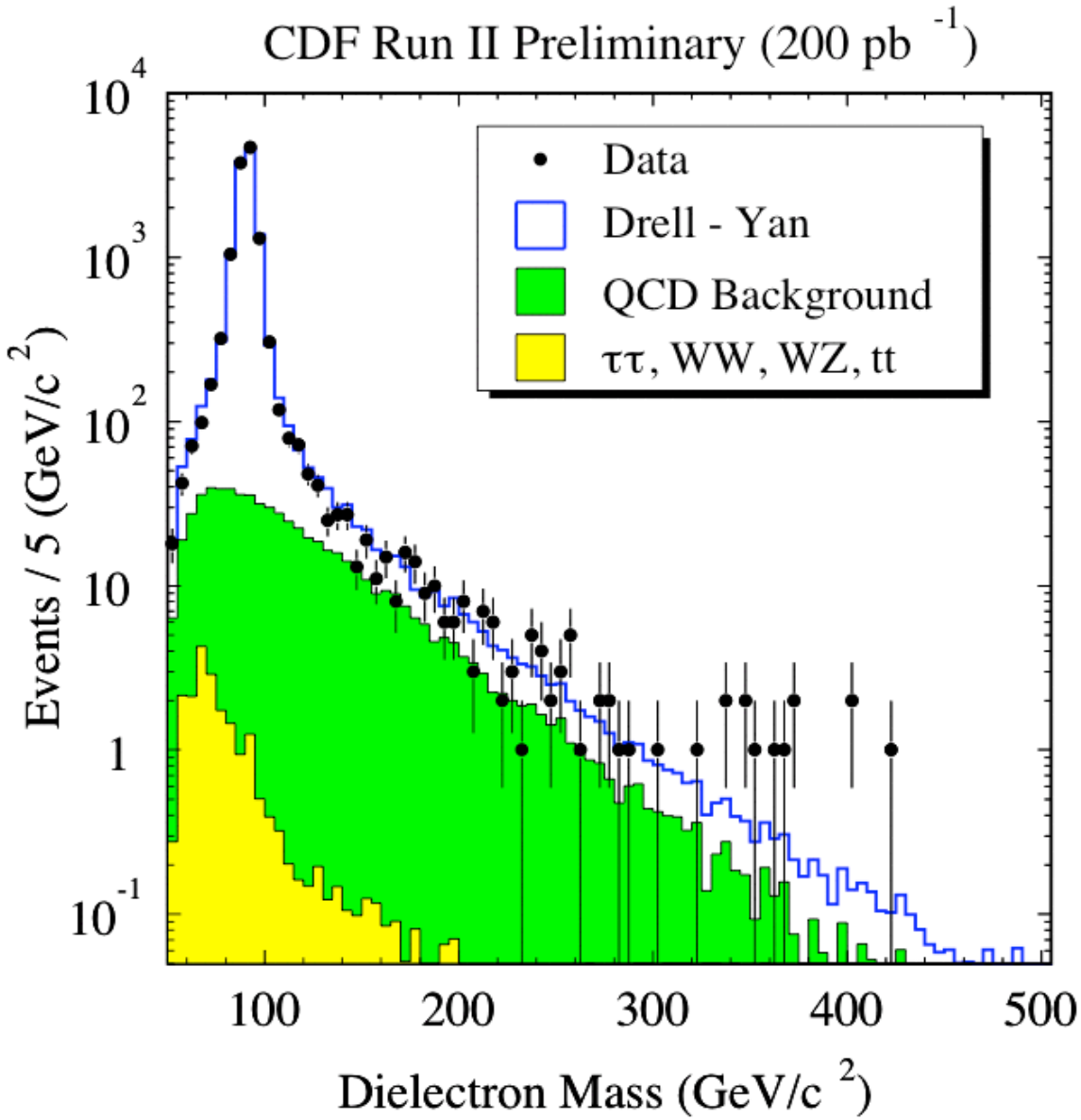

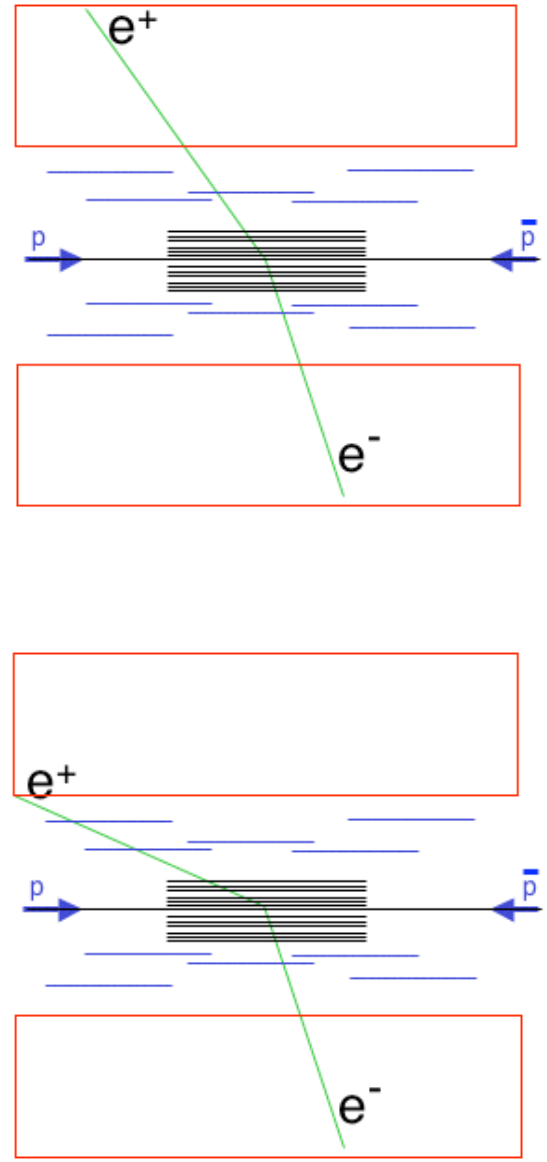

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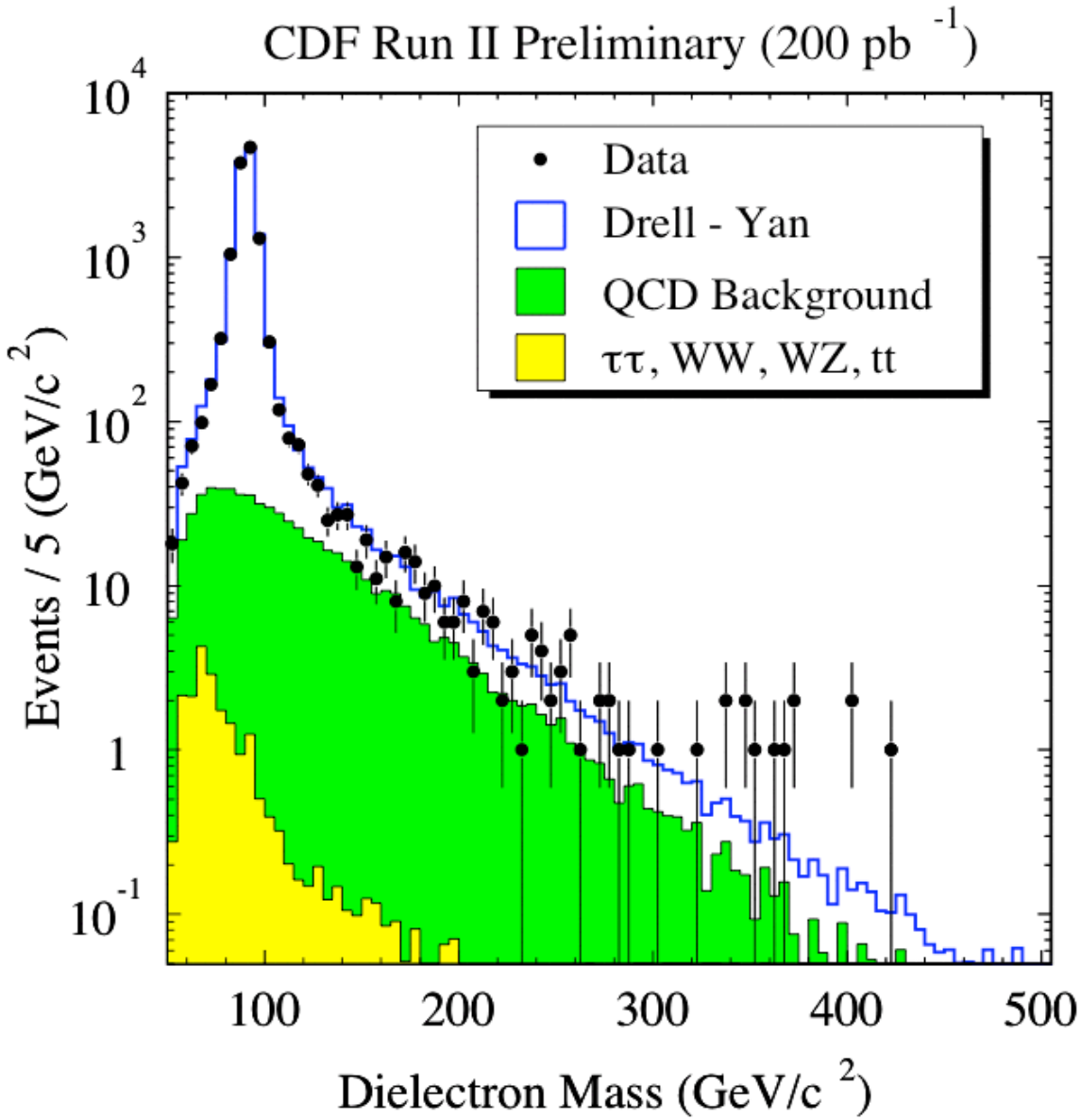

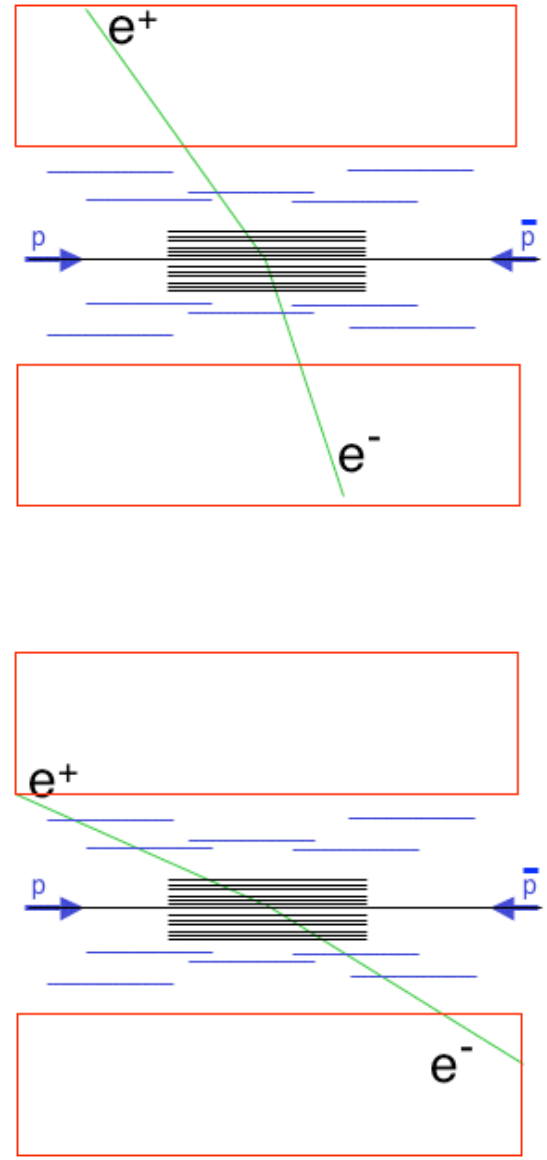

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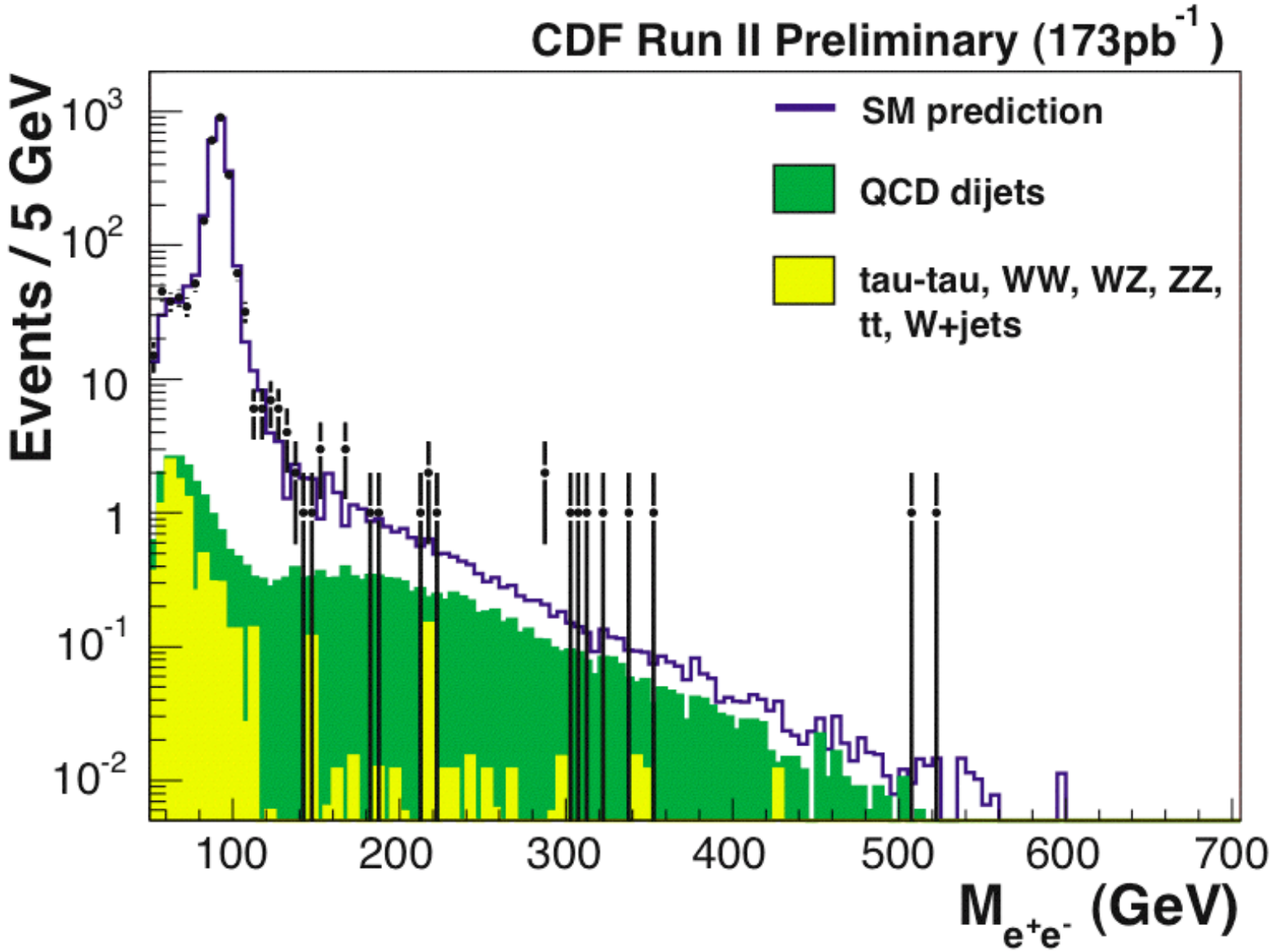

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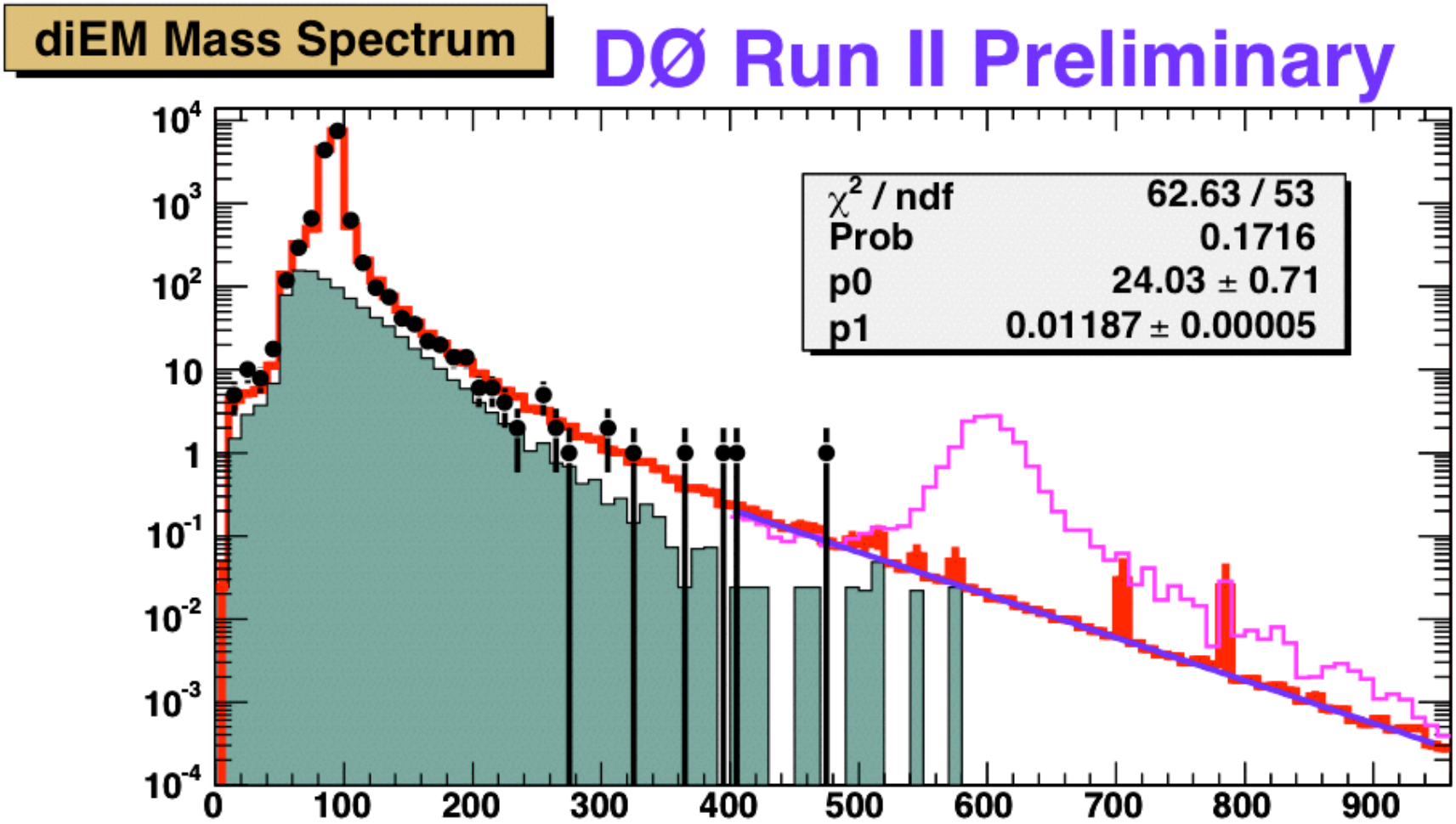

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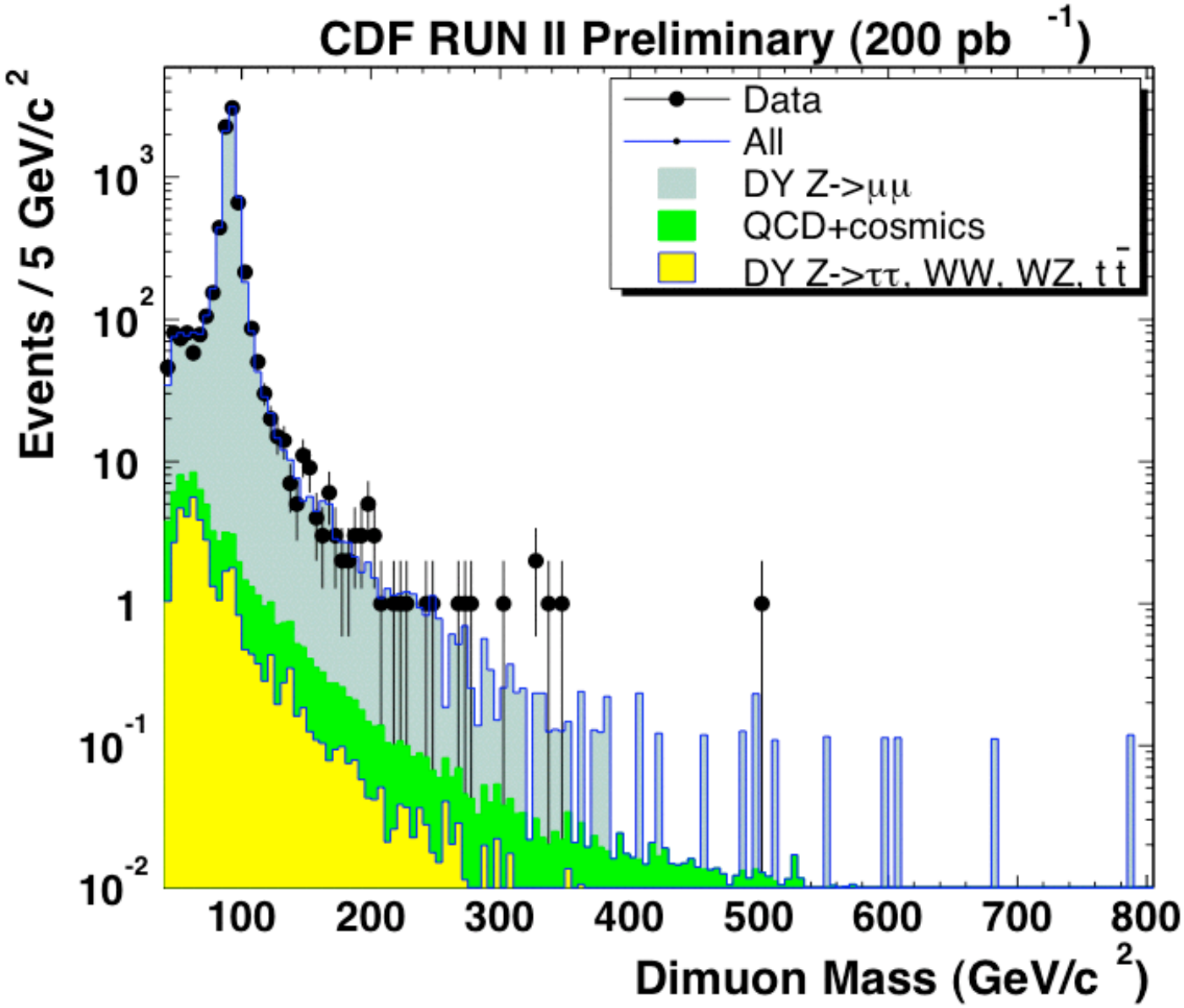

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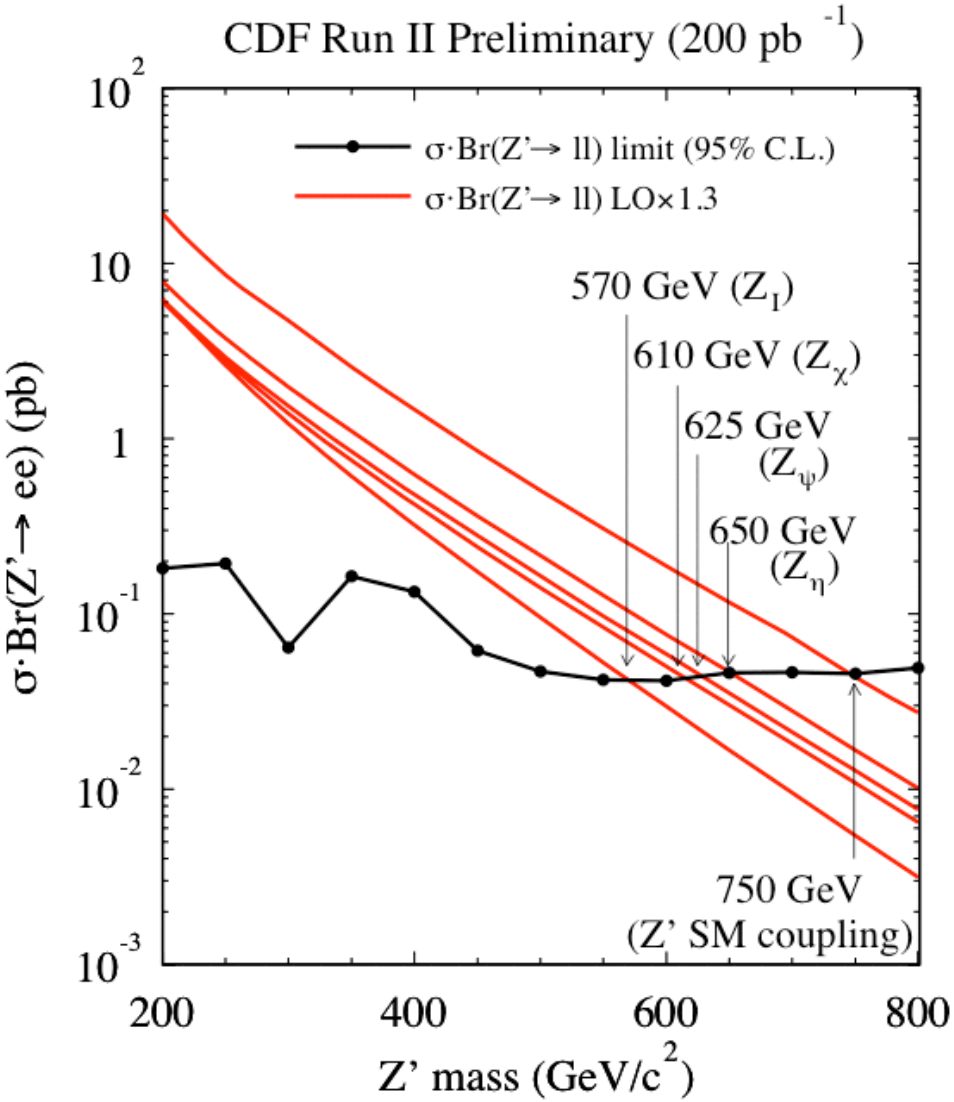

CDF and D0 obtain Z'

σ•Br limits of ≈50 fb

⇒M>750 GeV (with SM couplings)

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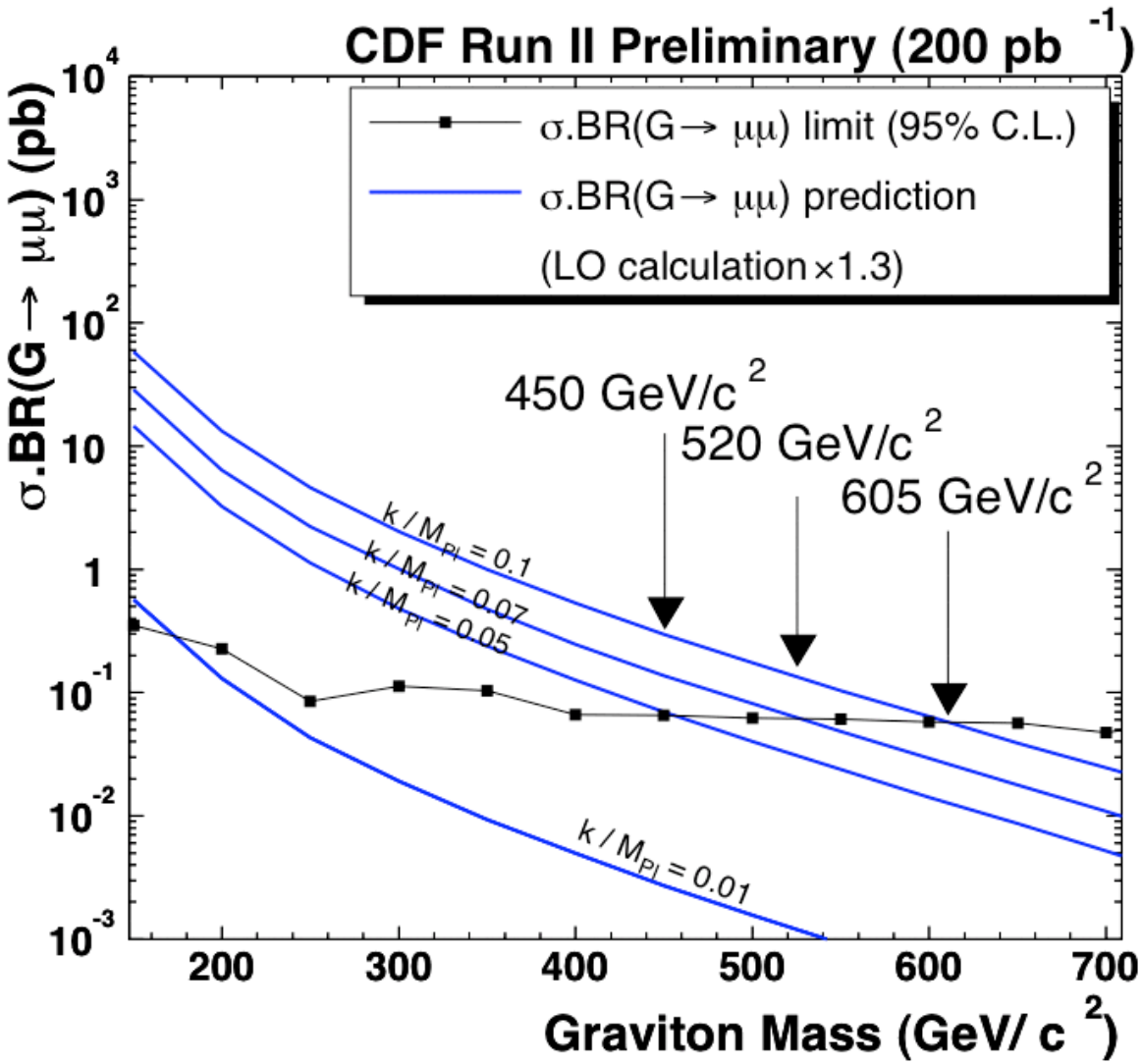

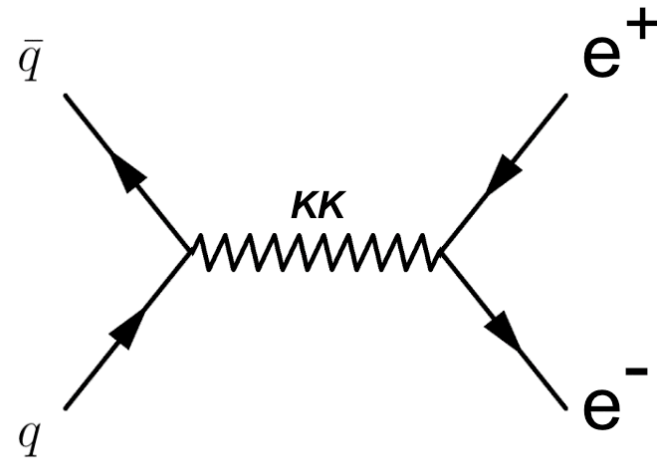

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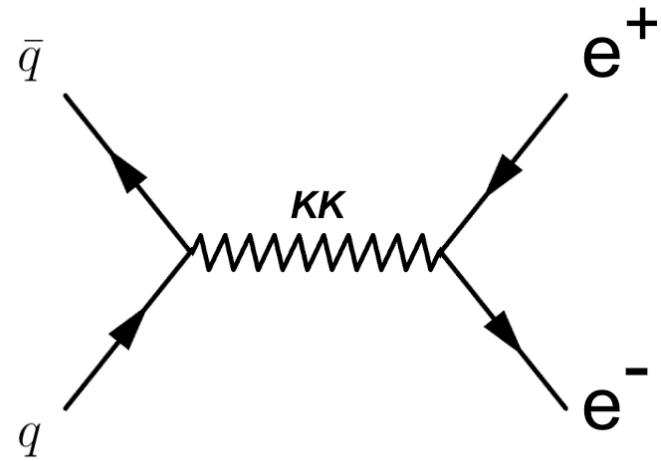

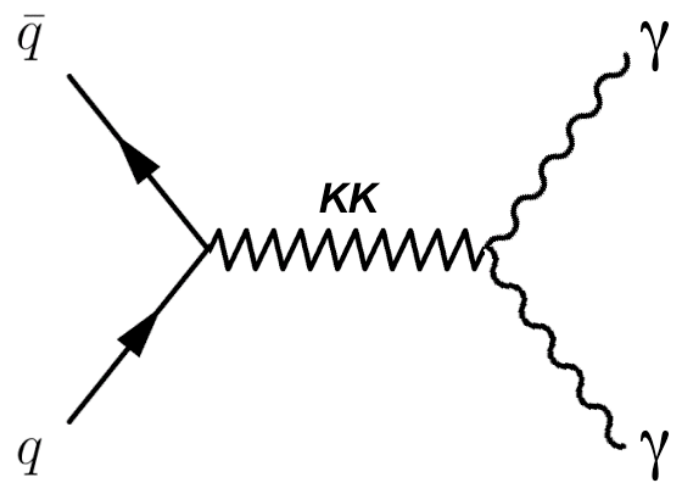

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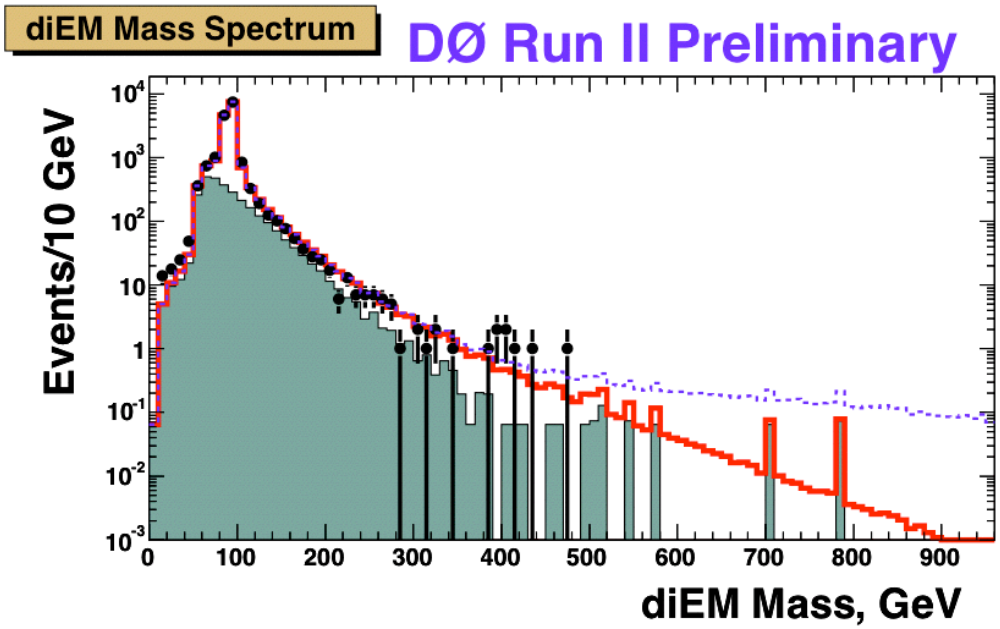

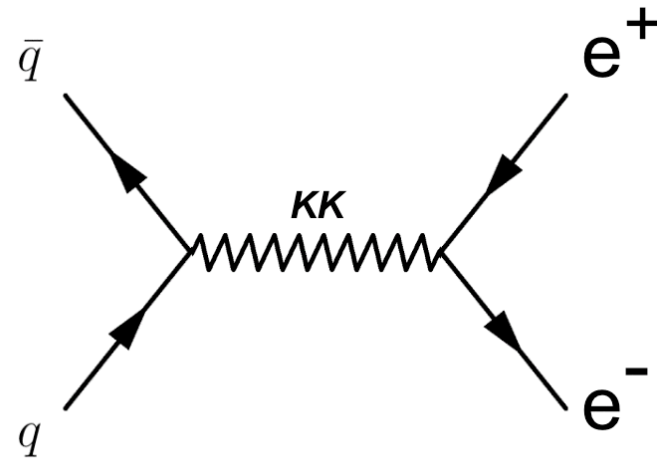

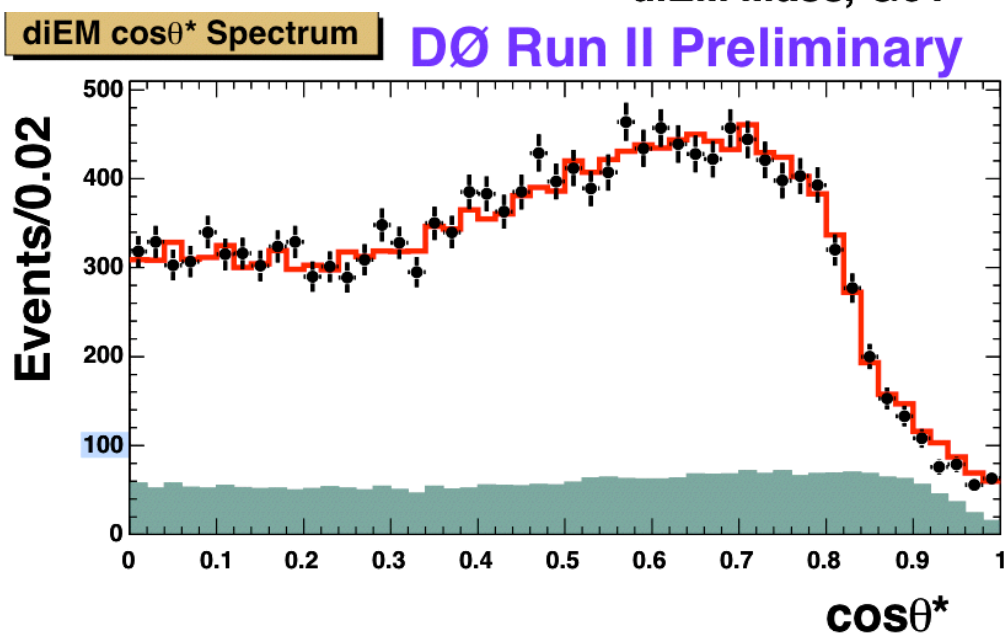

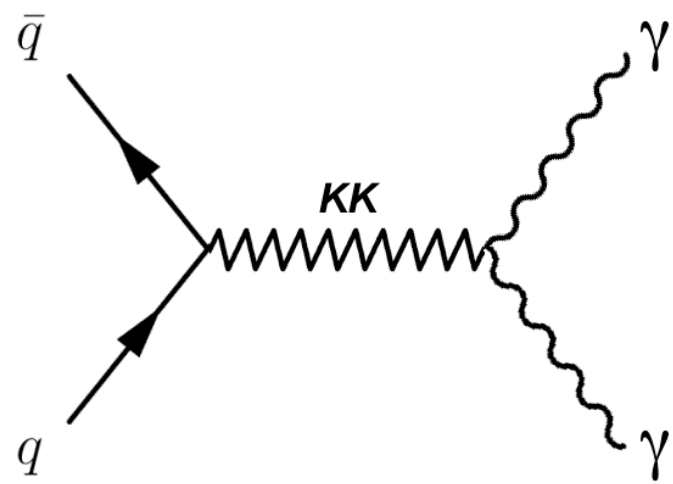

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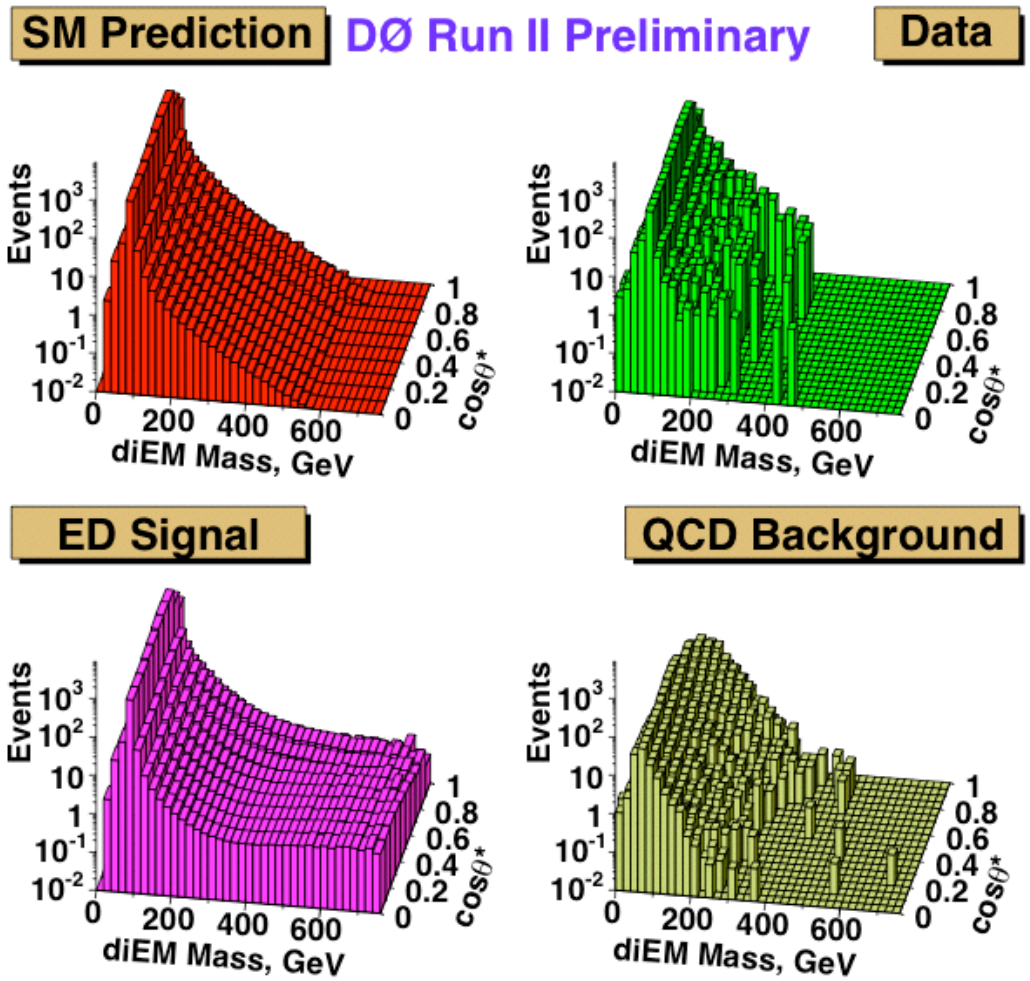
$$\frac{d^2\sigma}{dM\,d\cos\theta^*} = f_{SM} + f_{KK}\,\eta^2 + f_{int}\,\eta$$

$f = f(M, \cos\theta^*)$

$$\eta = \pm\frac{2}{\pi M_S^4}$$



$M_s > 1.22$ TeV (+)

$M_s > 1.10$ TeV (-)

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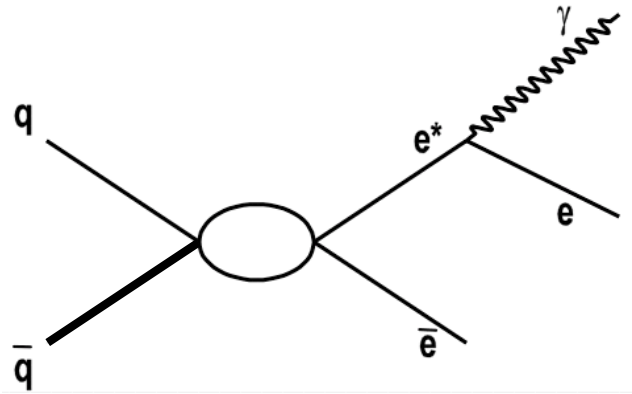

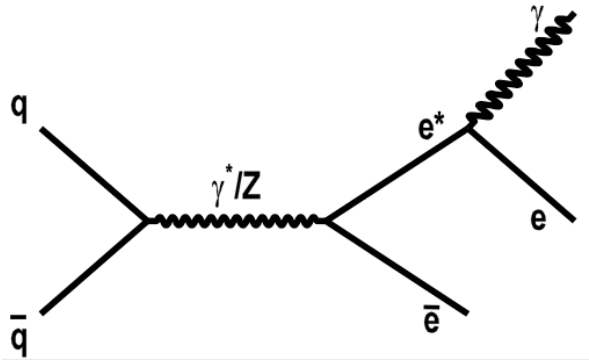

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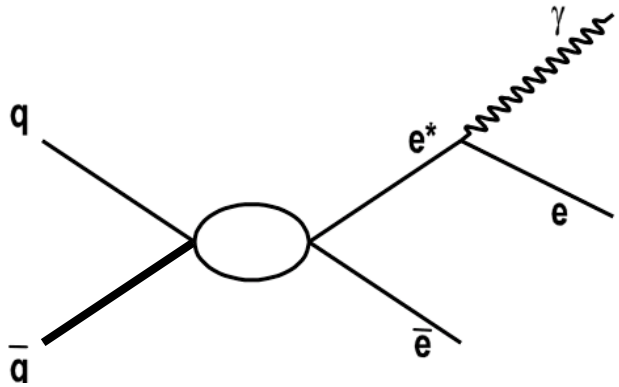

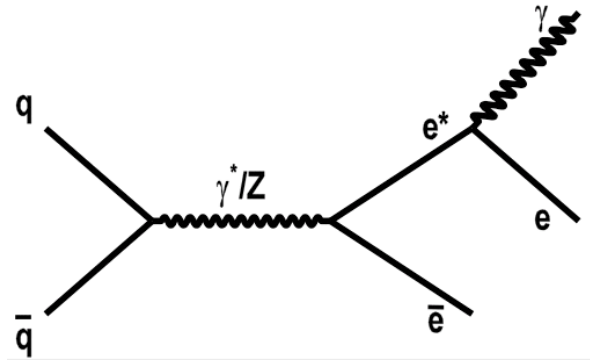

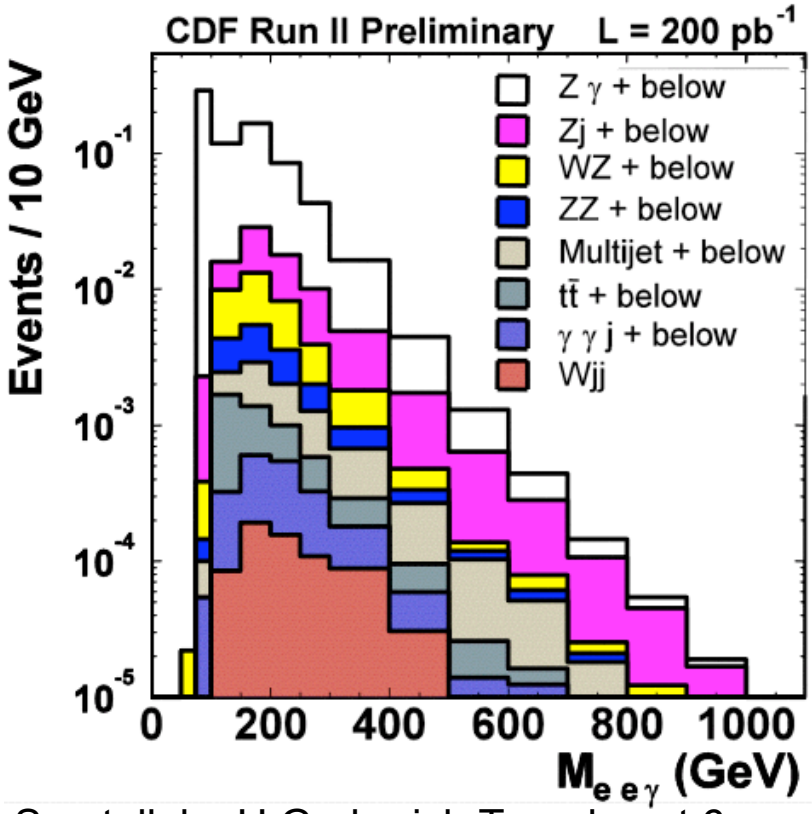

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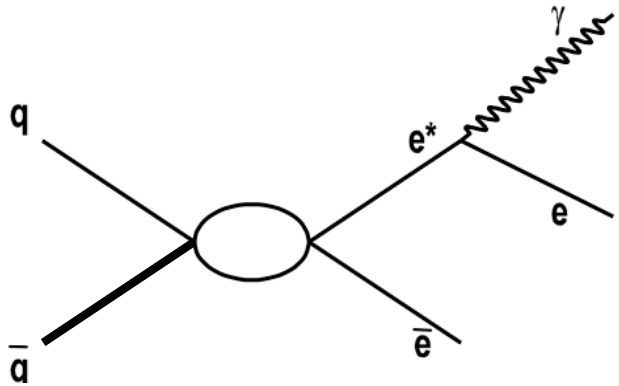

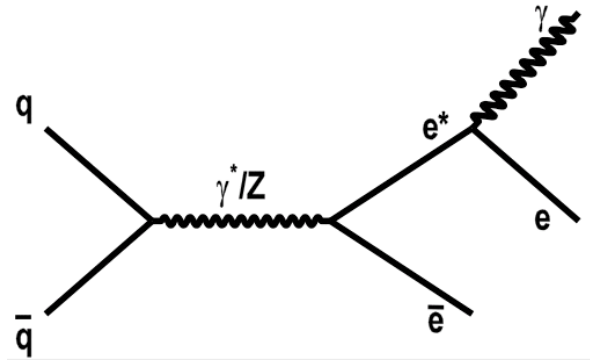

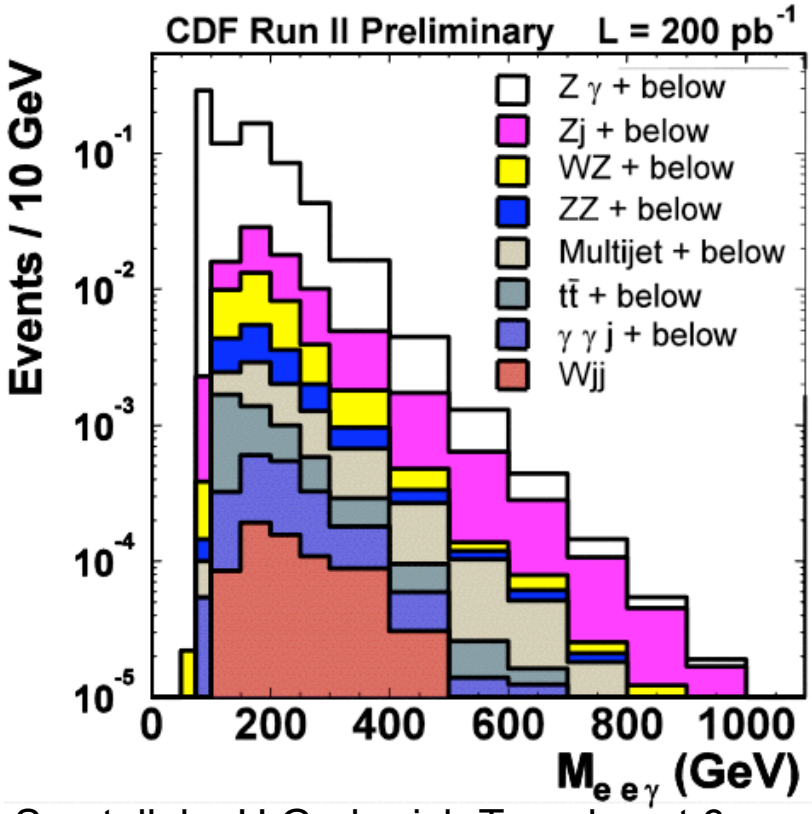

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Observe 3

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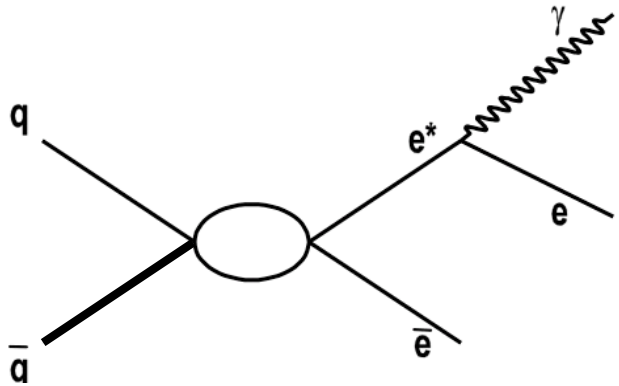

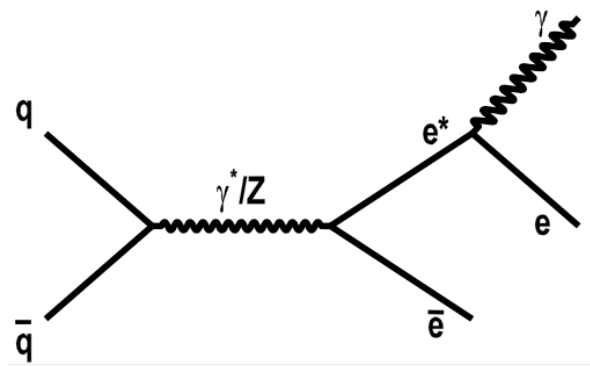

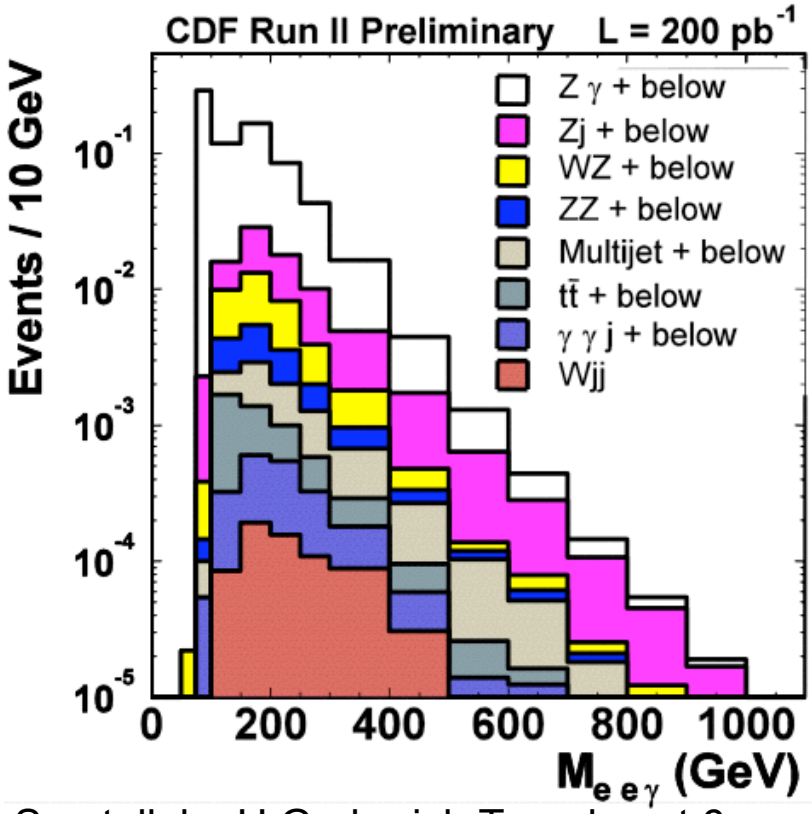

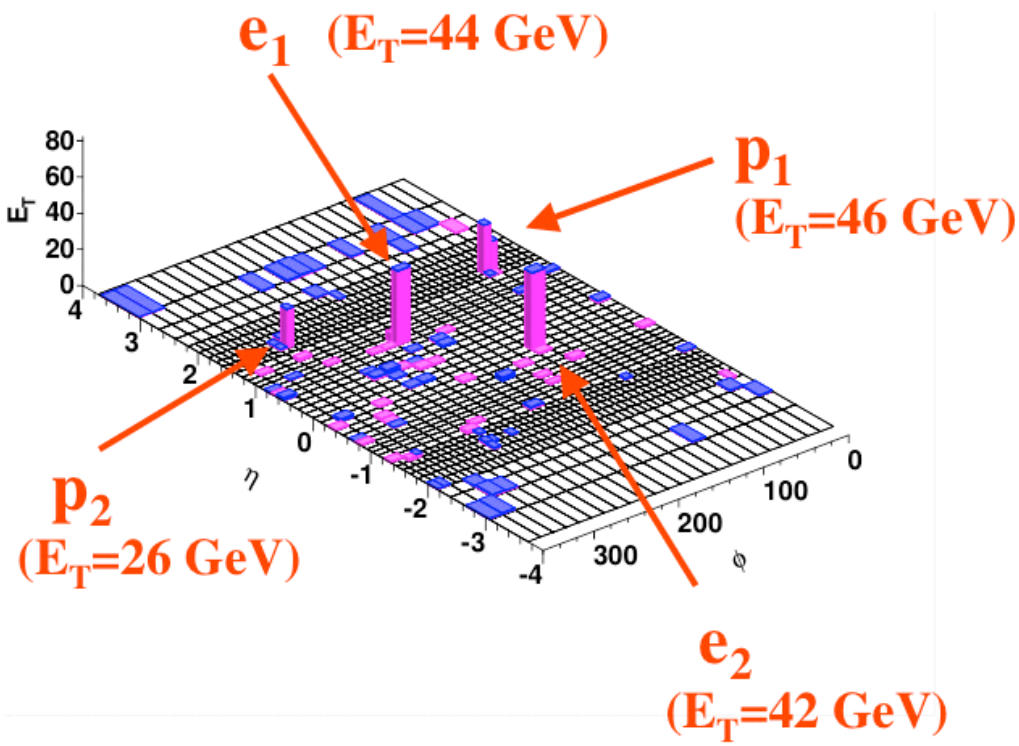

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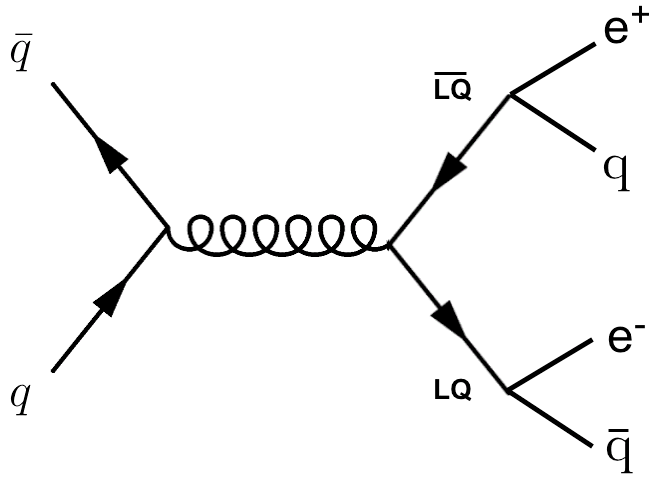

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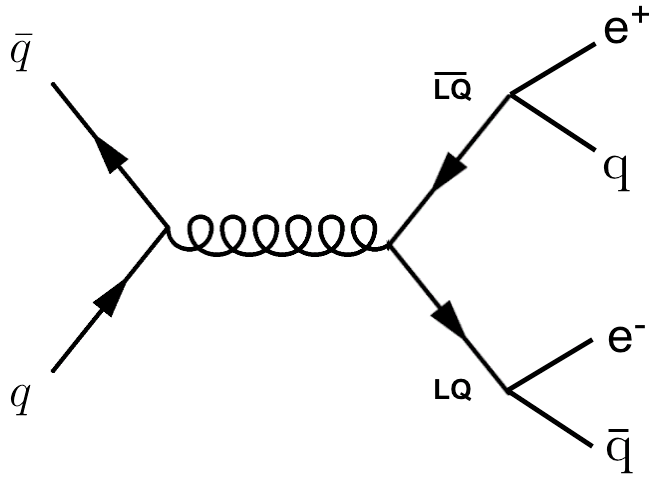

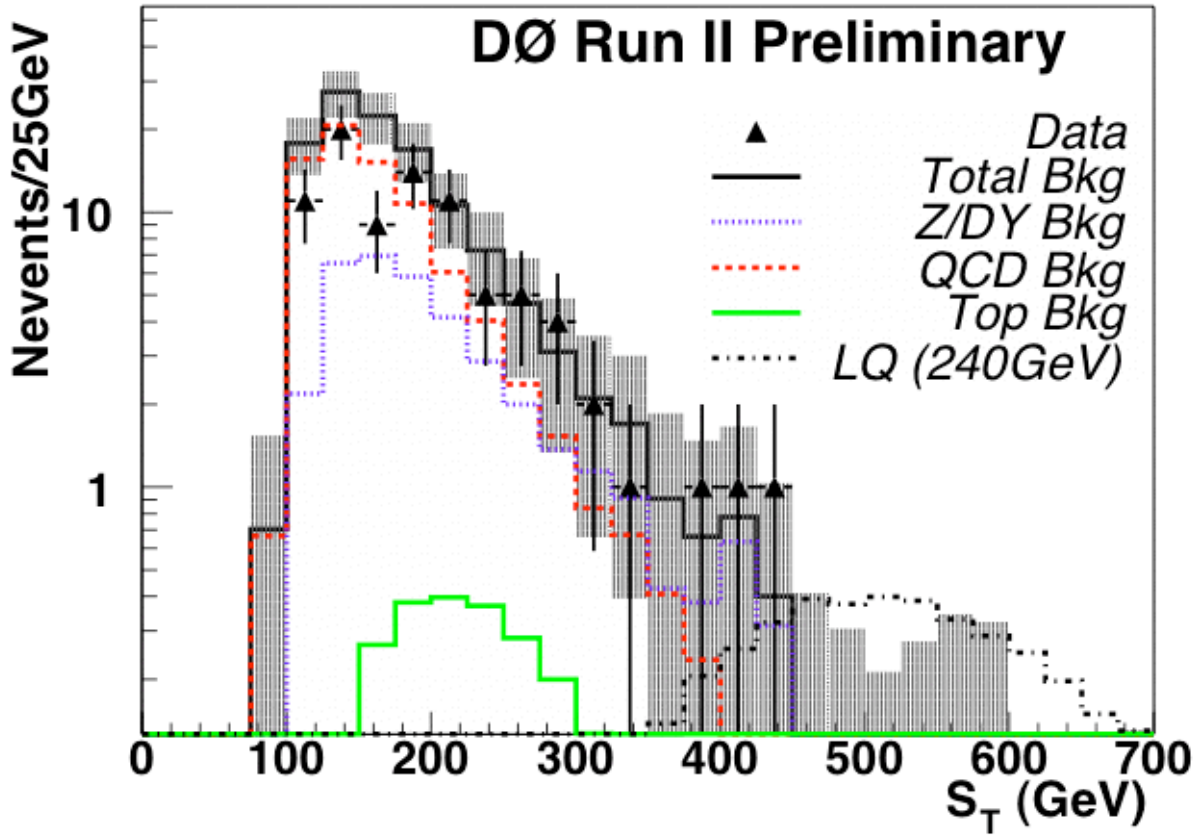

Require Scalar Sum of eejj E_T > 450 GeV

$\sigma \bullet Br < 60$ fb $\Rightarrow$ M > 238 GeV/c^2 if Br(LQ→eq)=1

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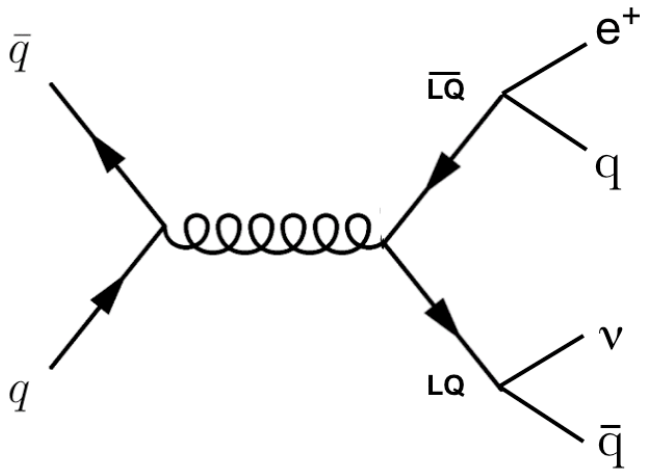

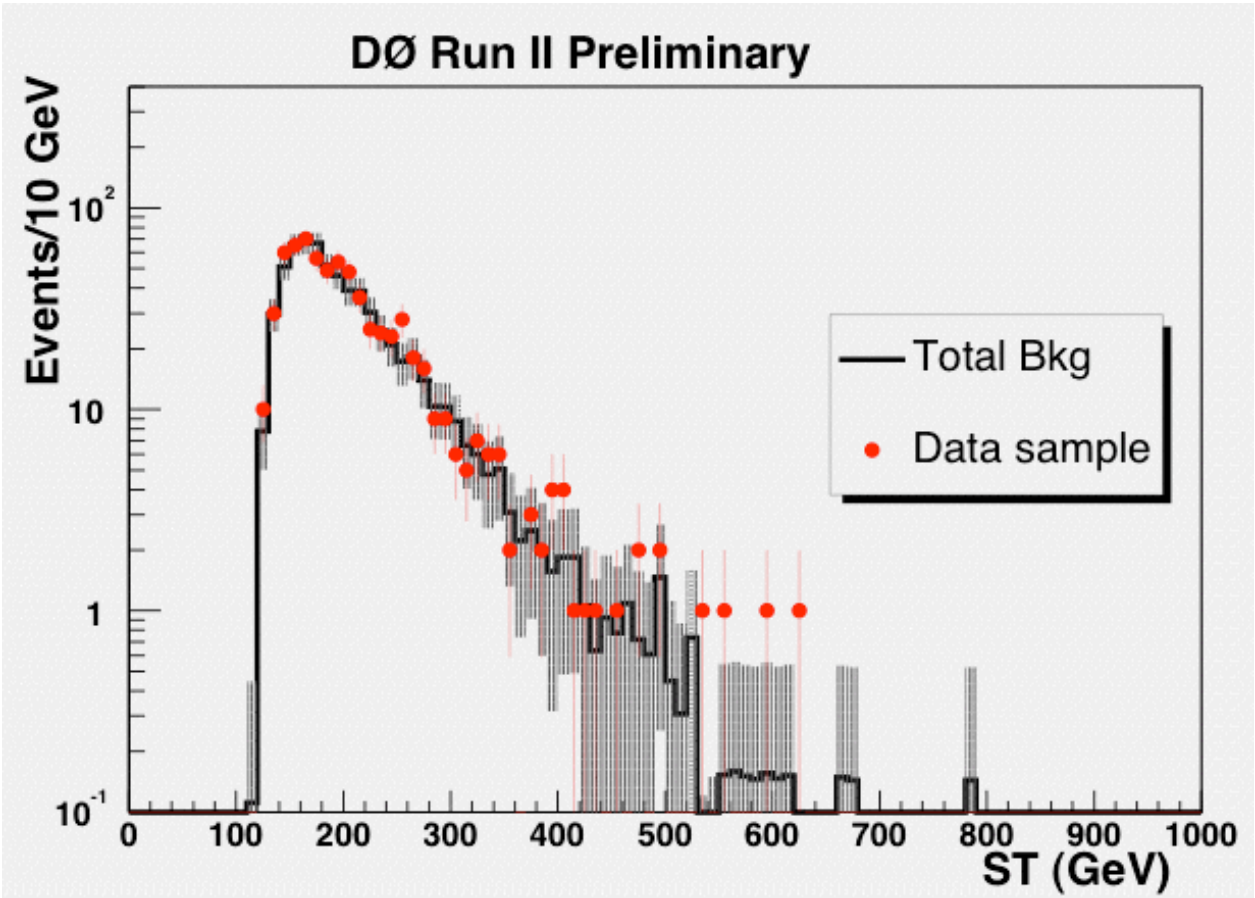

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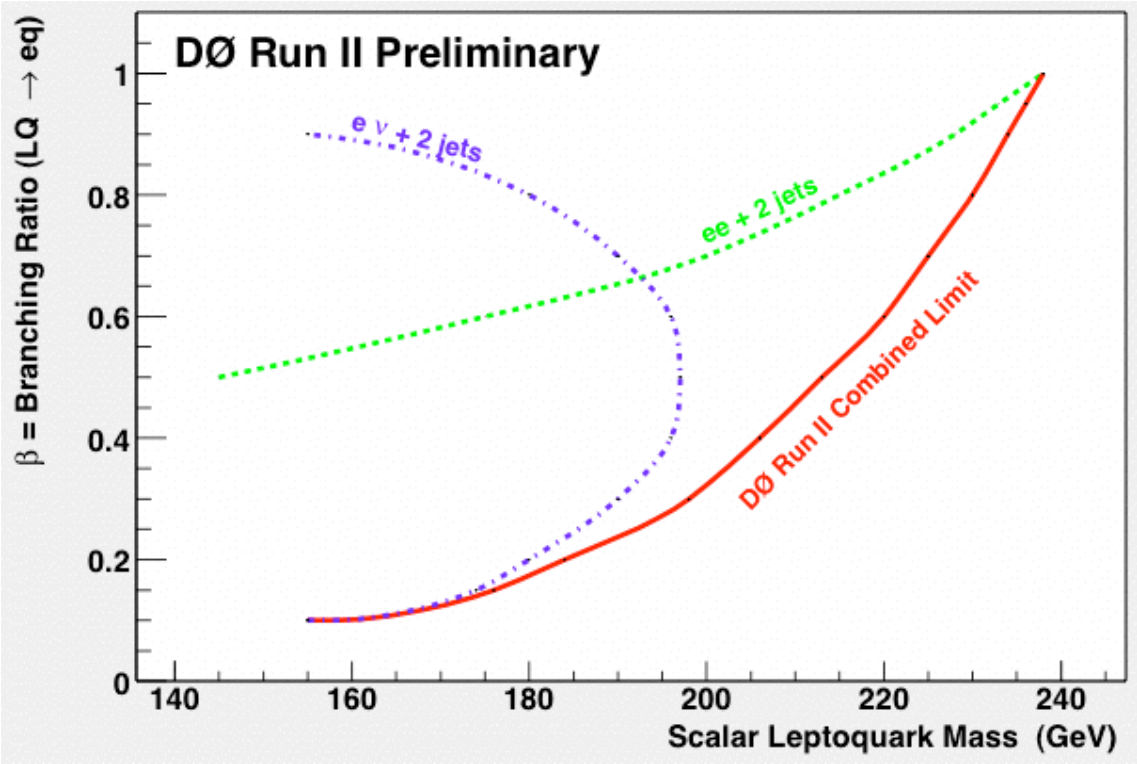

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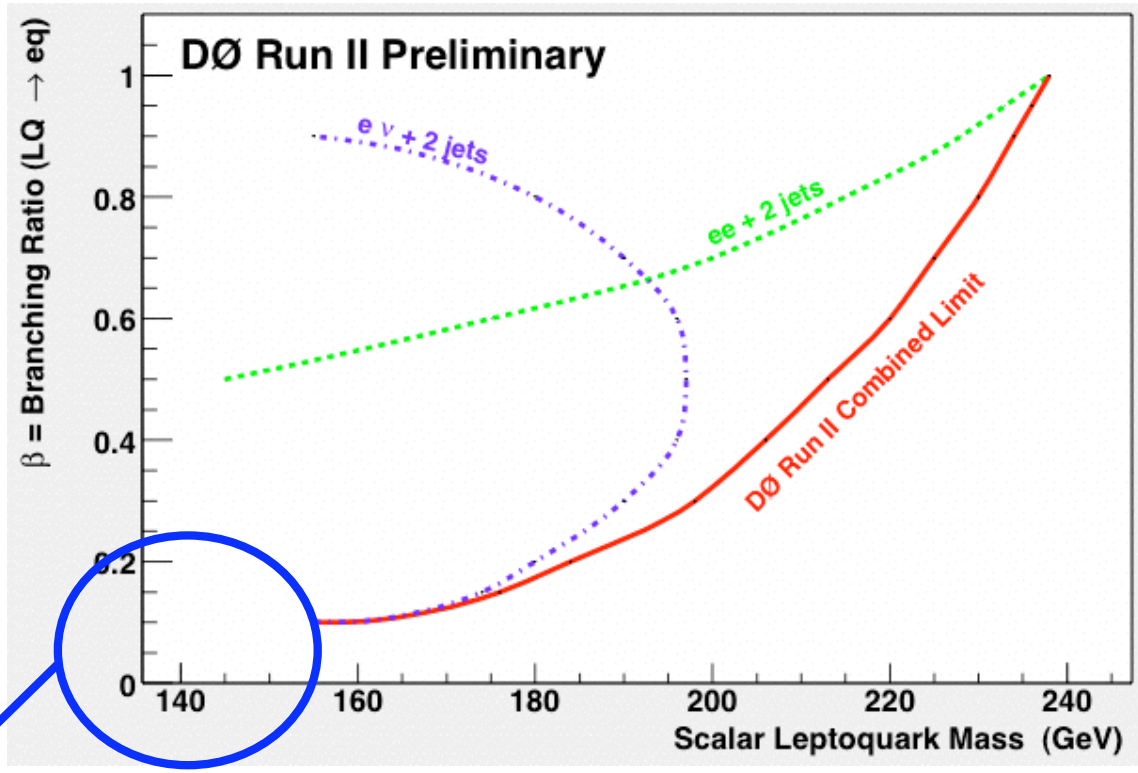
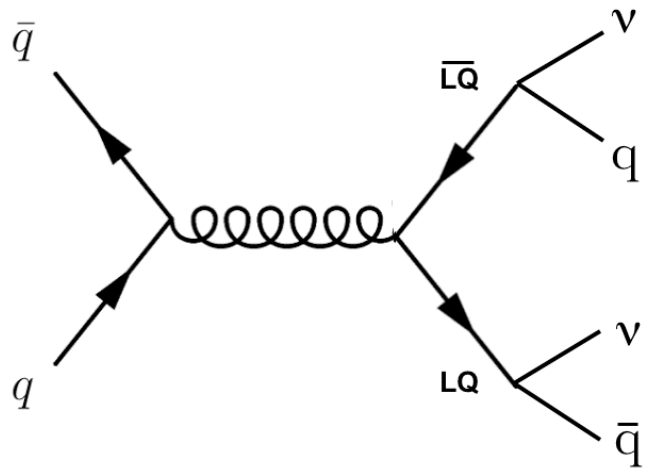


Low β ⇒



⇒ Jets + MET mode

Jets+MET is a classic signature of

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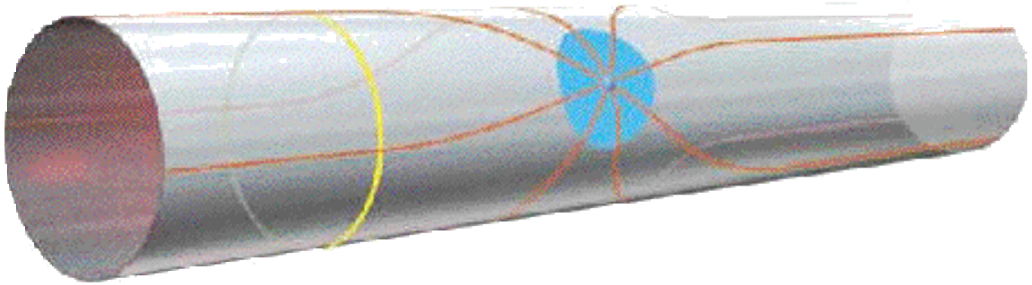

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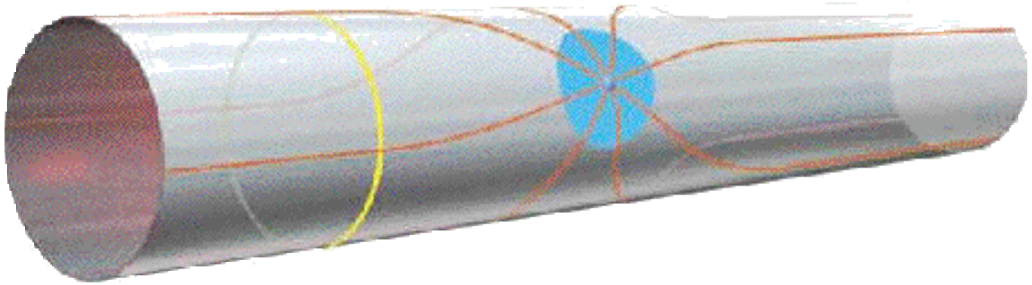

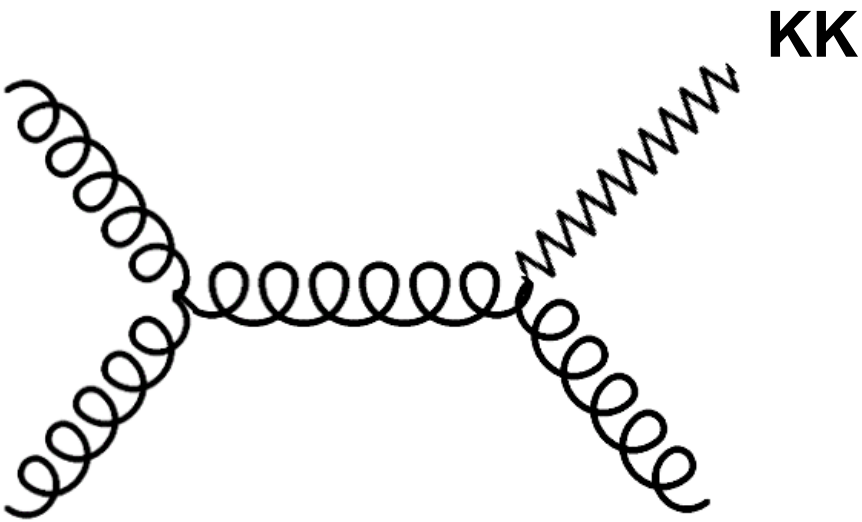

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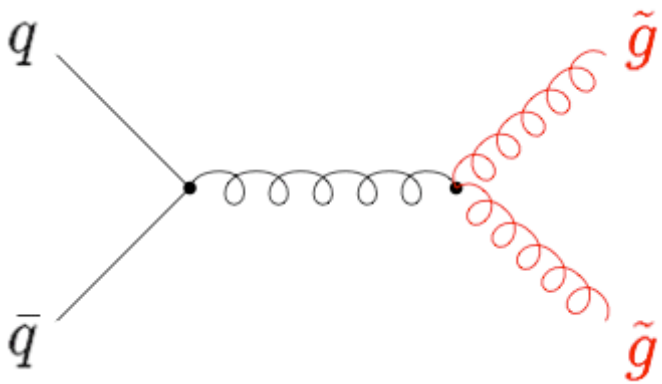

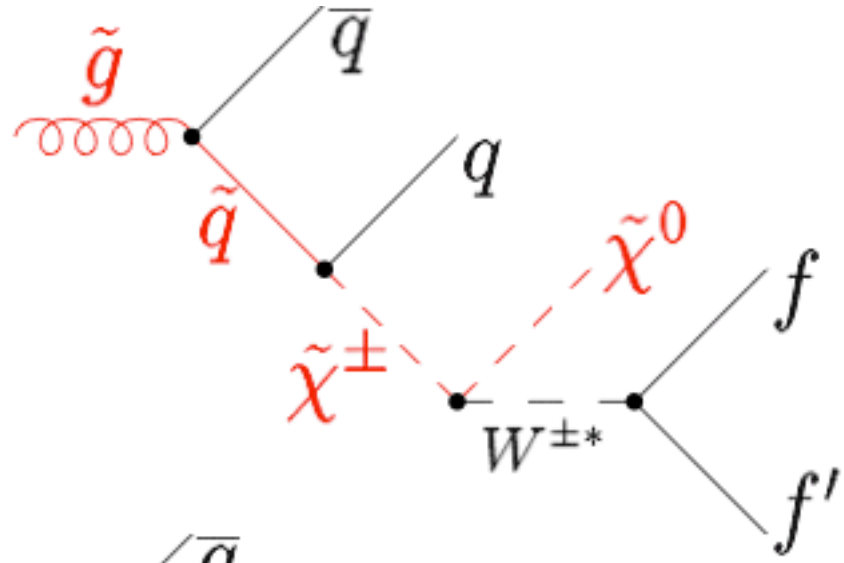

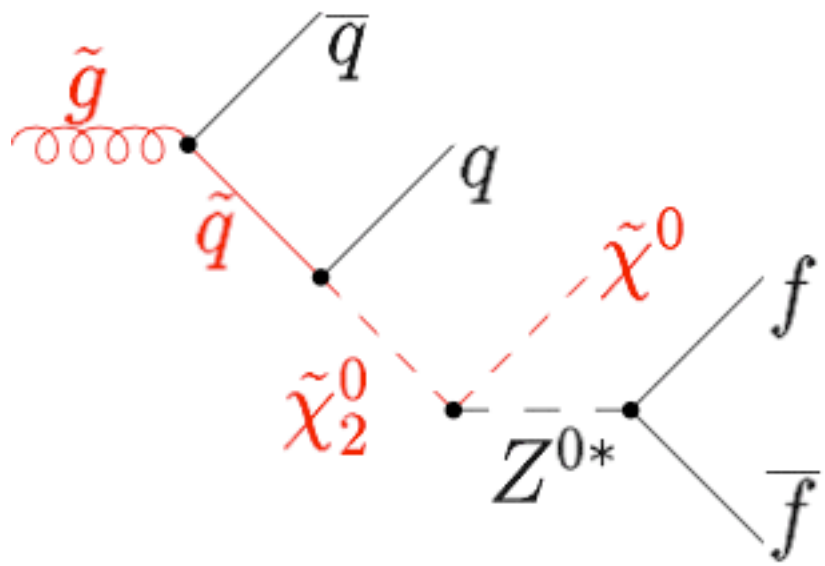

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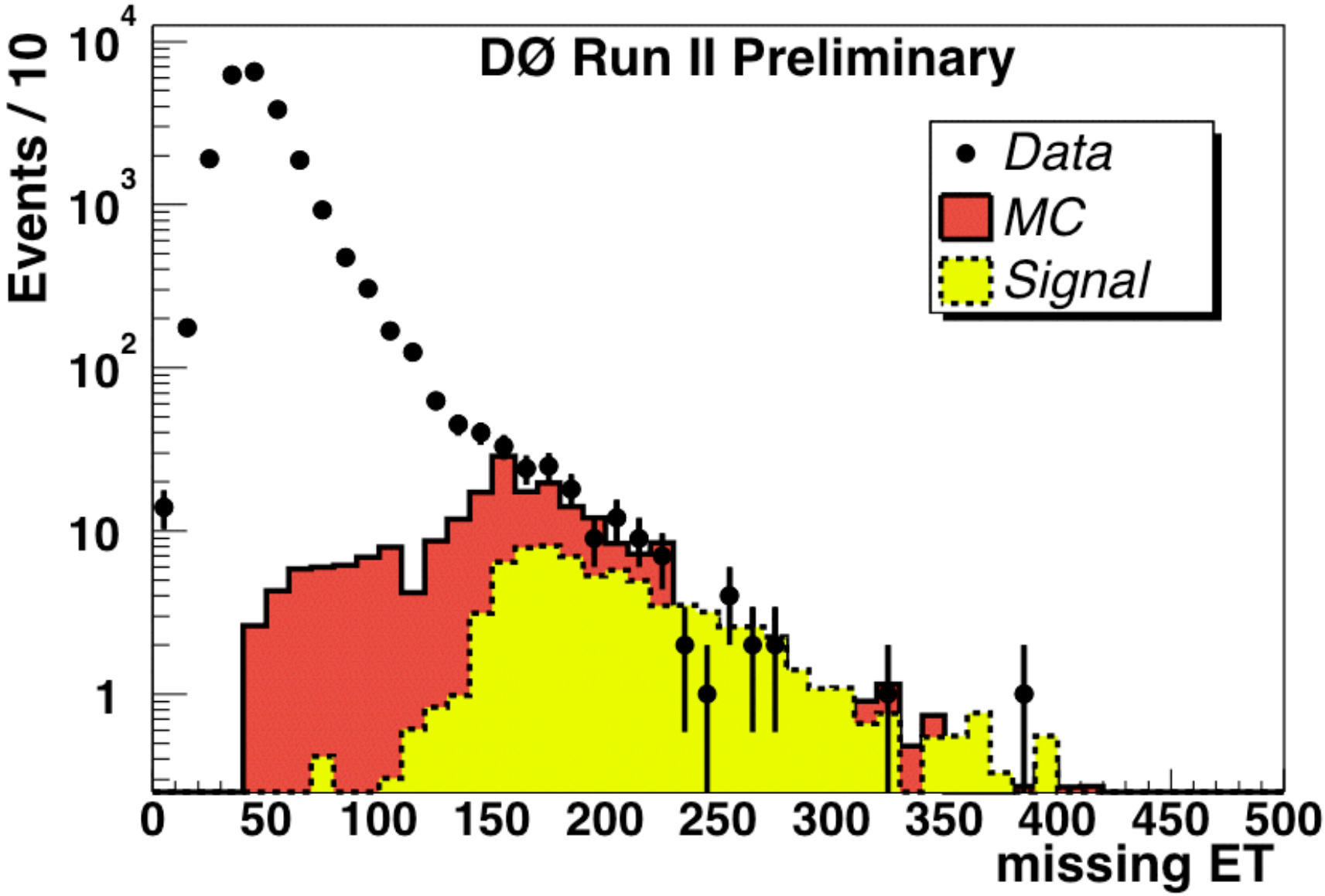

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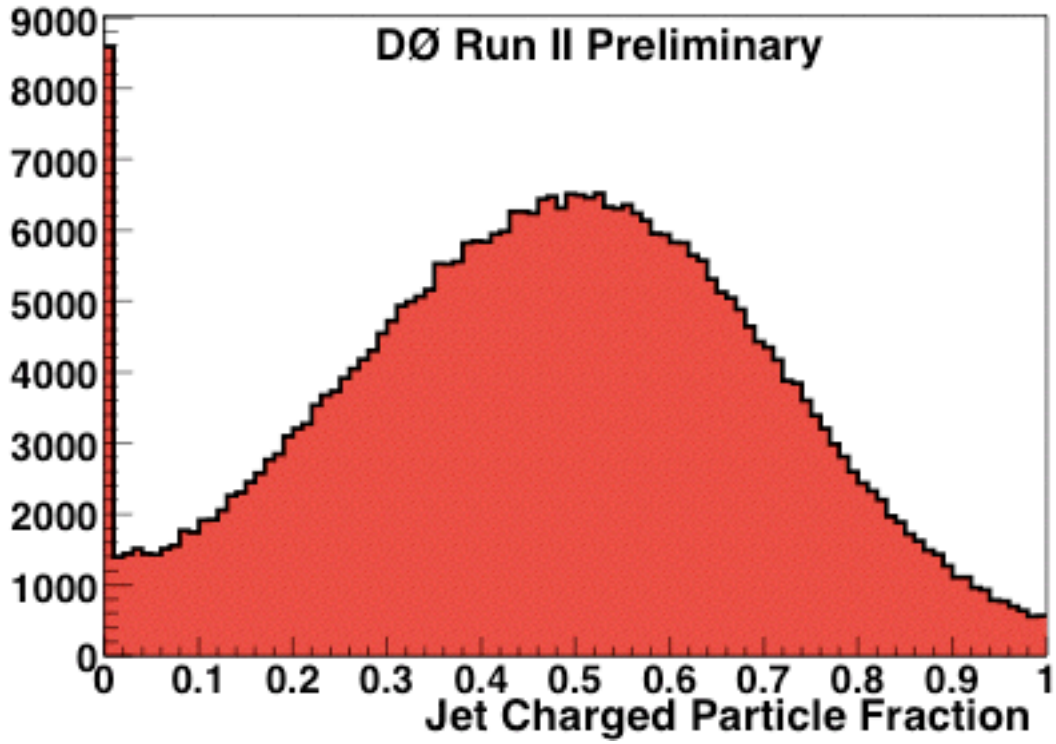

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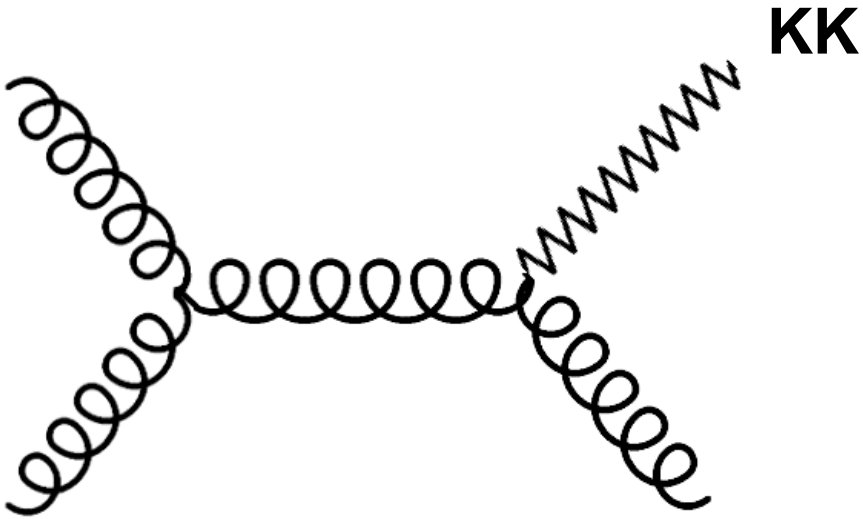

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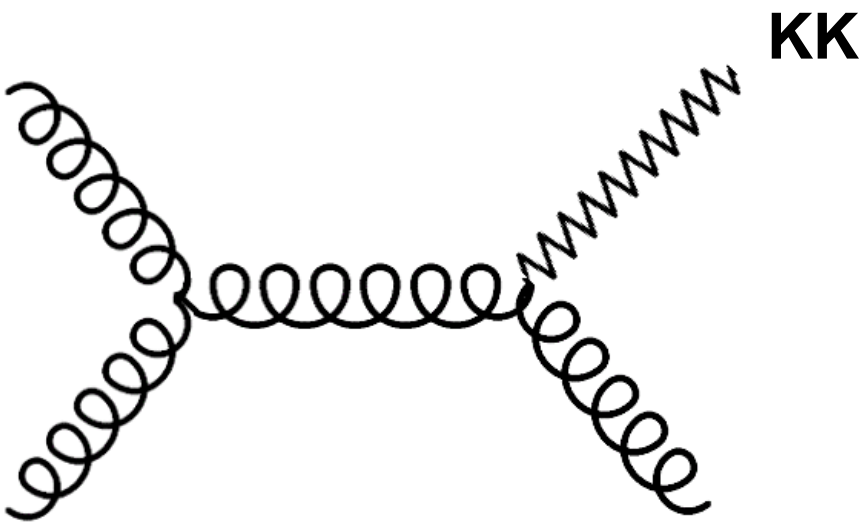

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Signal shape is indistinguishable from background.

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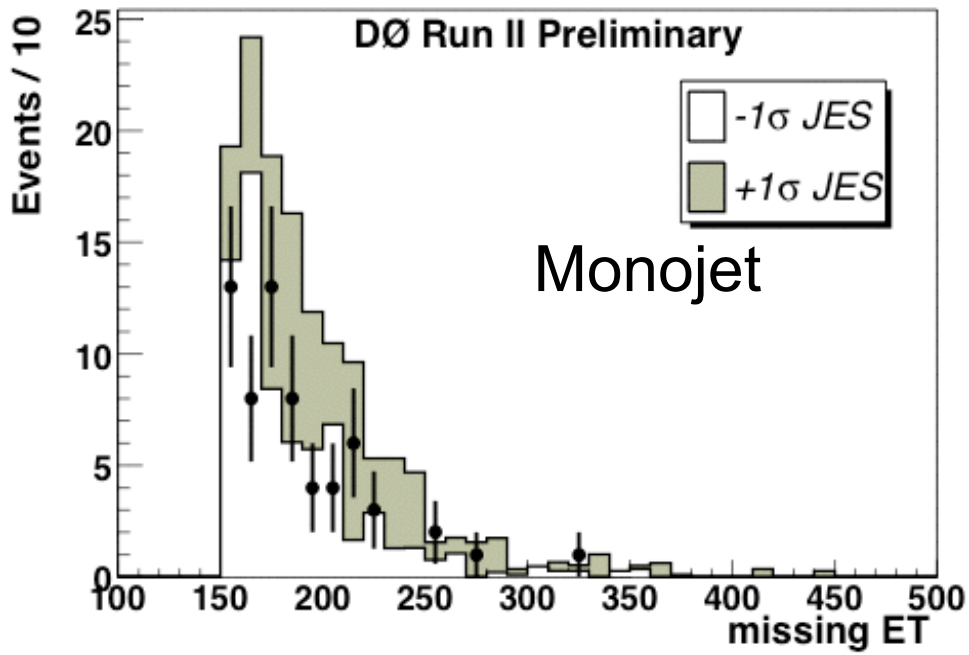

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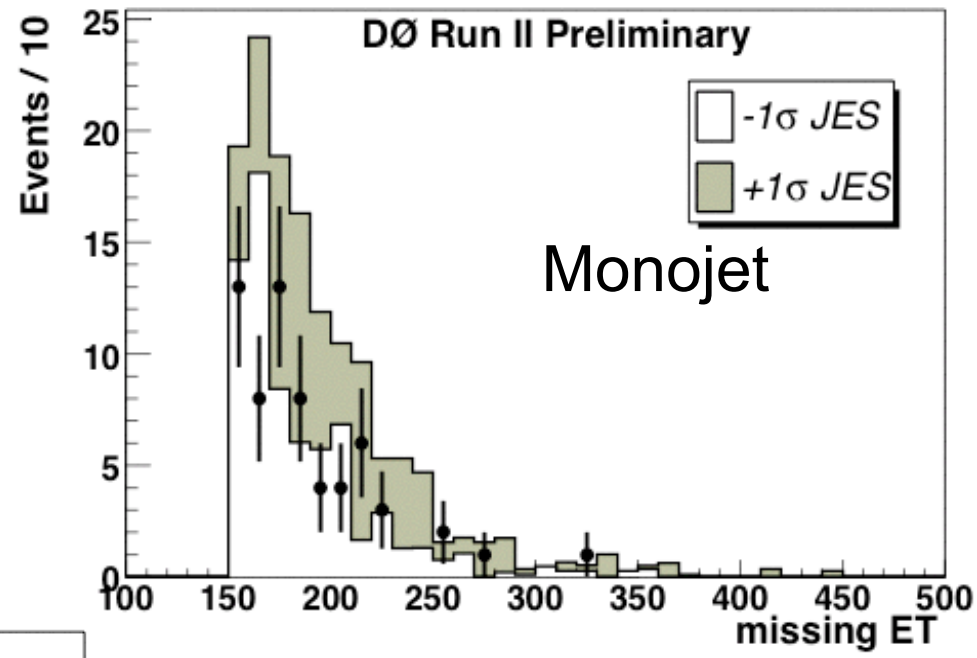
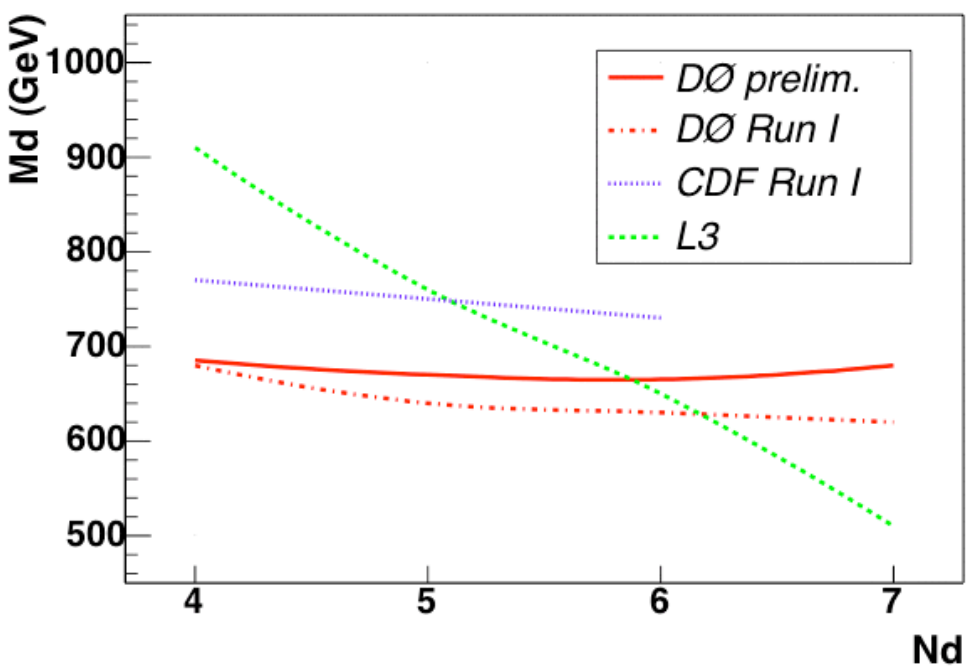
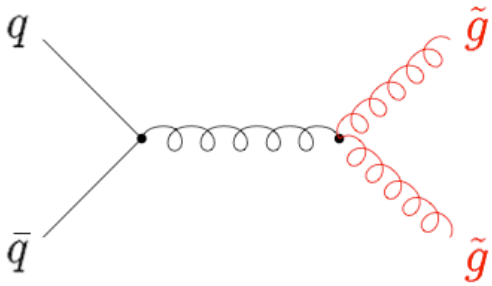




Obtain limits of ≈700 GeV

Di-Jets+MET results



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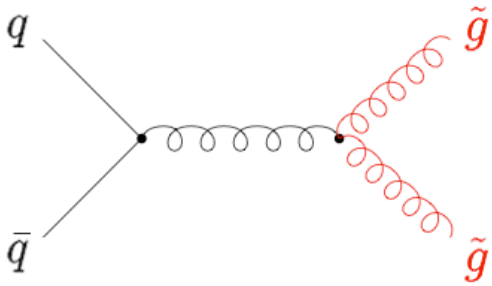

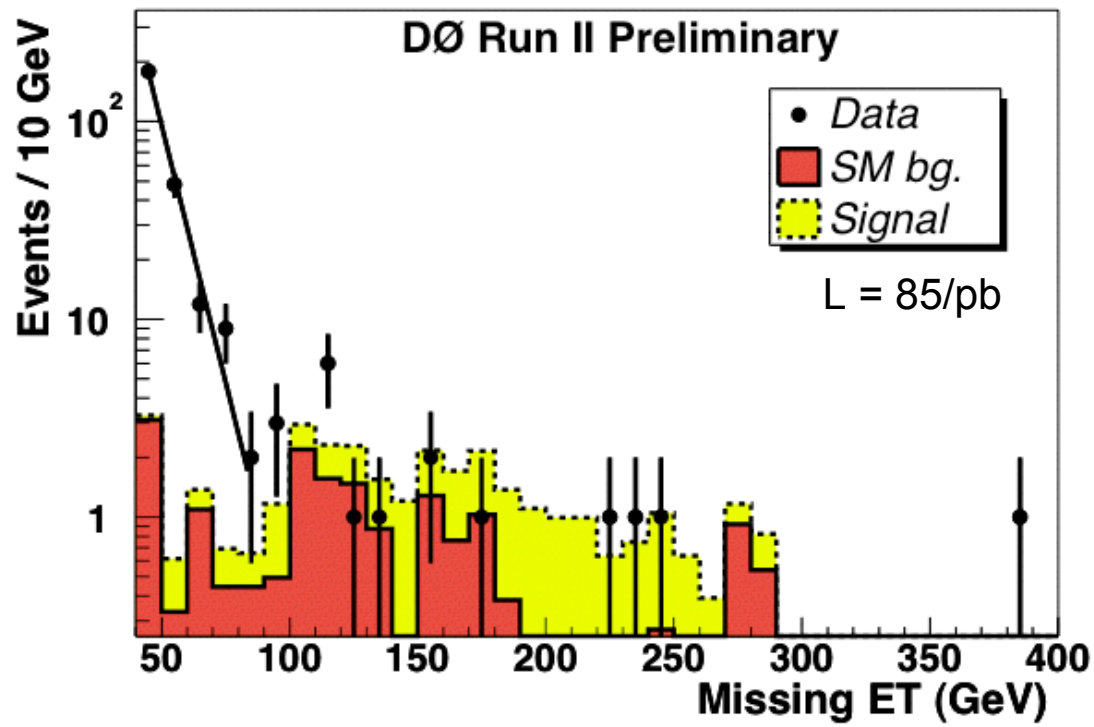

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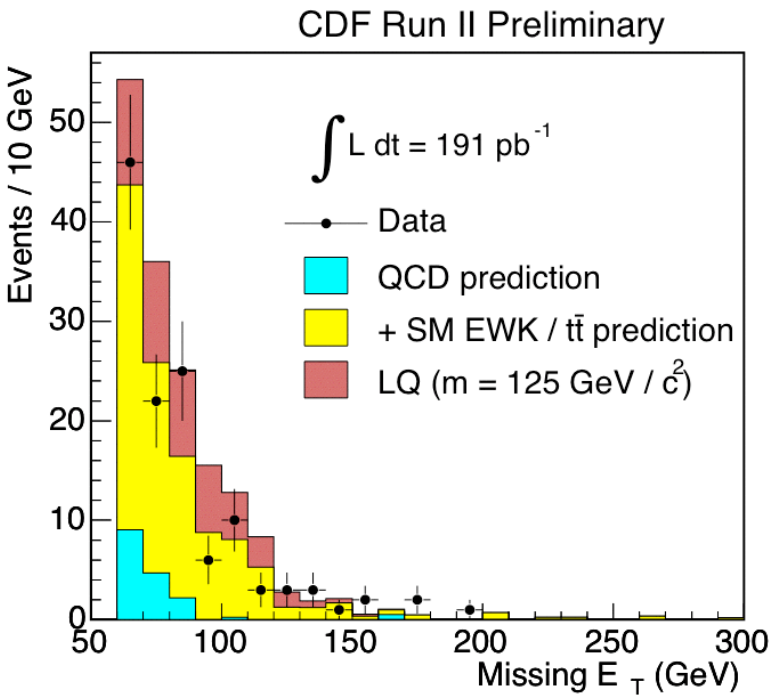

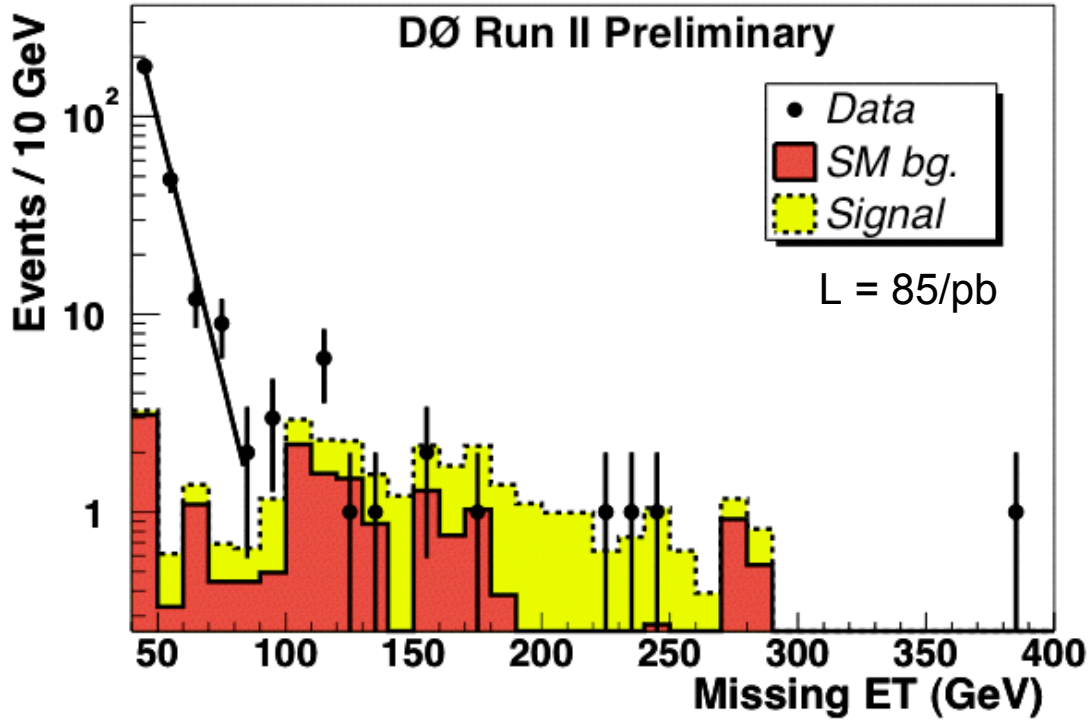

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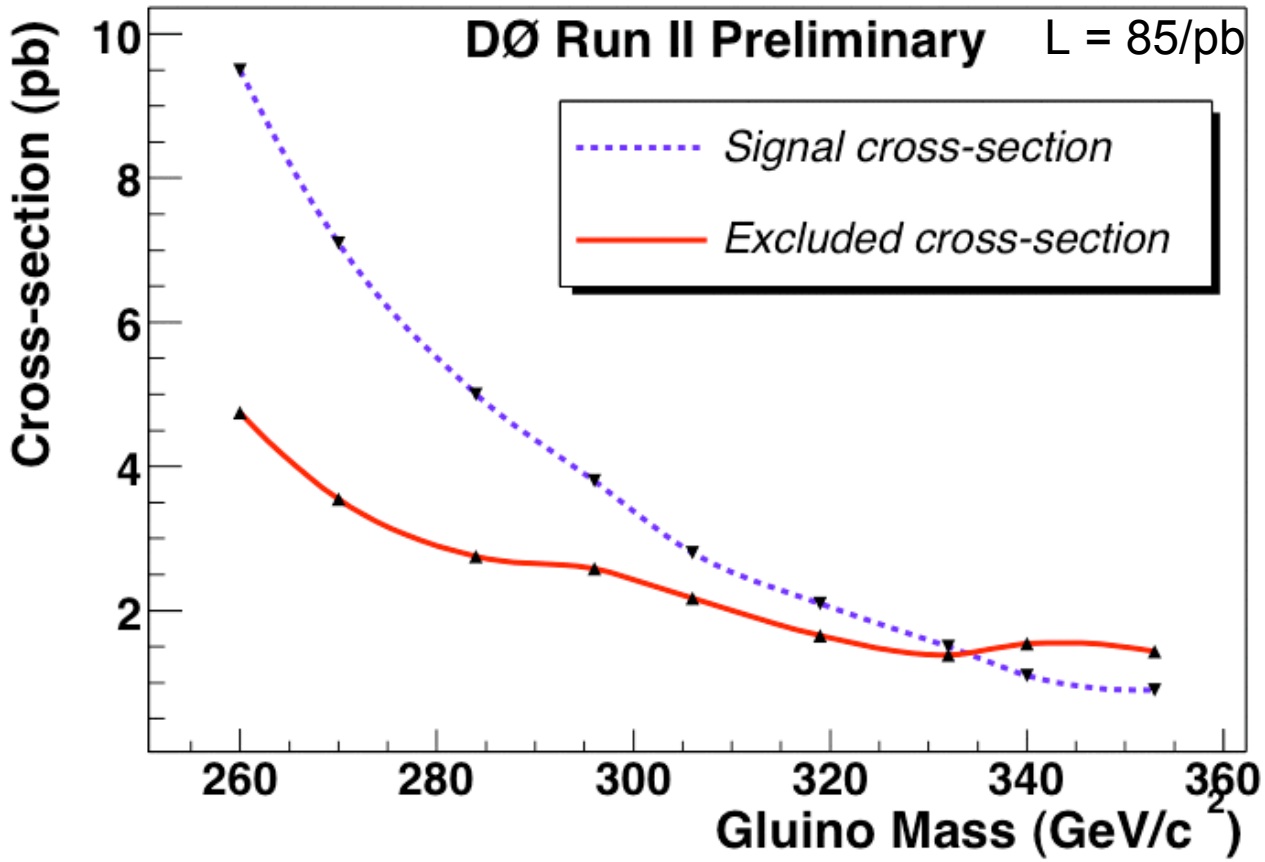

Prediction and acceptance for M_0 = 25 GeV/c^2, A_0=0, tan β = 3, μ<0, varying $M_{1/2}$

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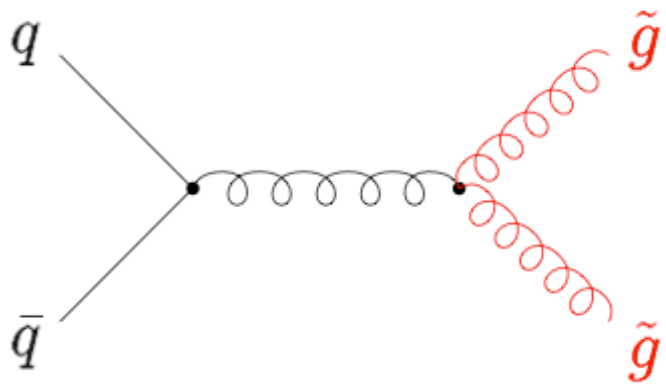

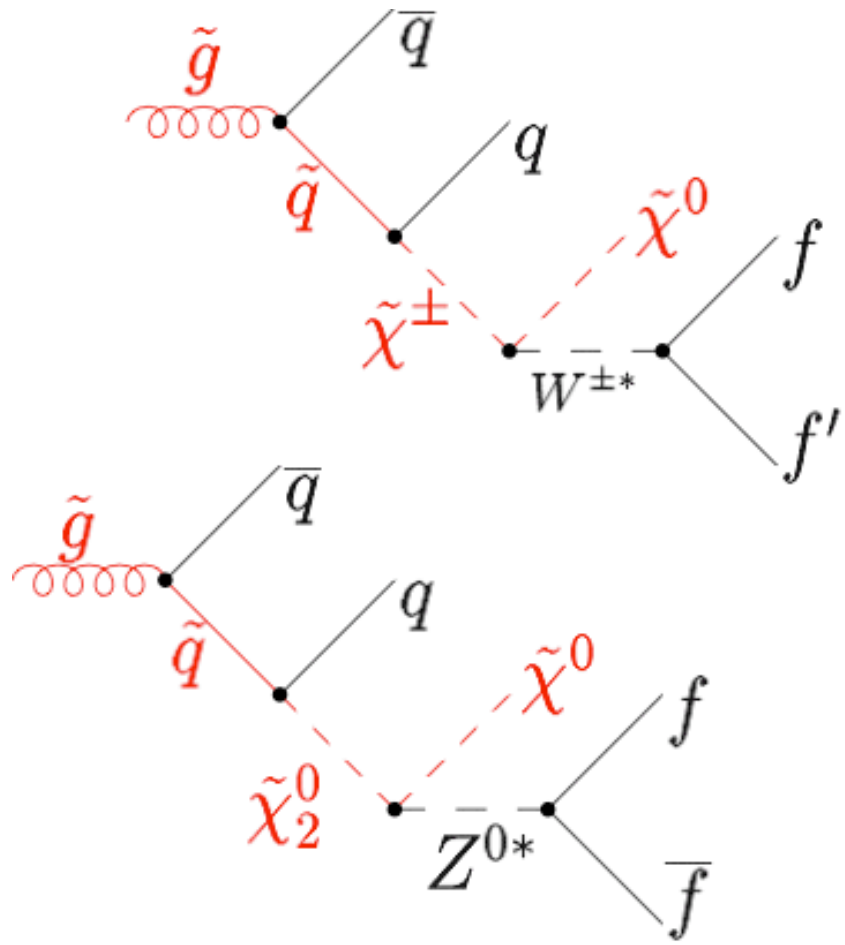

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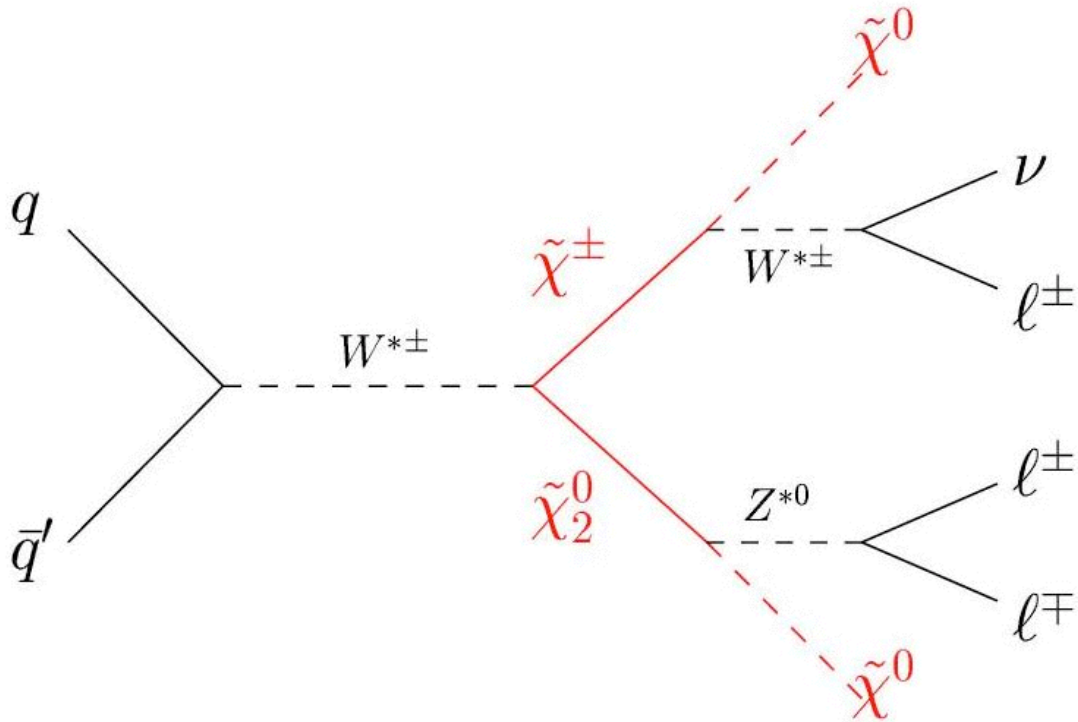

$\Rightarrow \gamma\gamma + \not{E}_T$ is a broadly sensitive signature for GMSB

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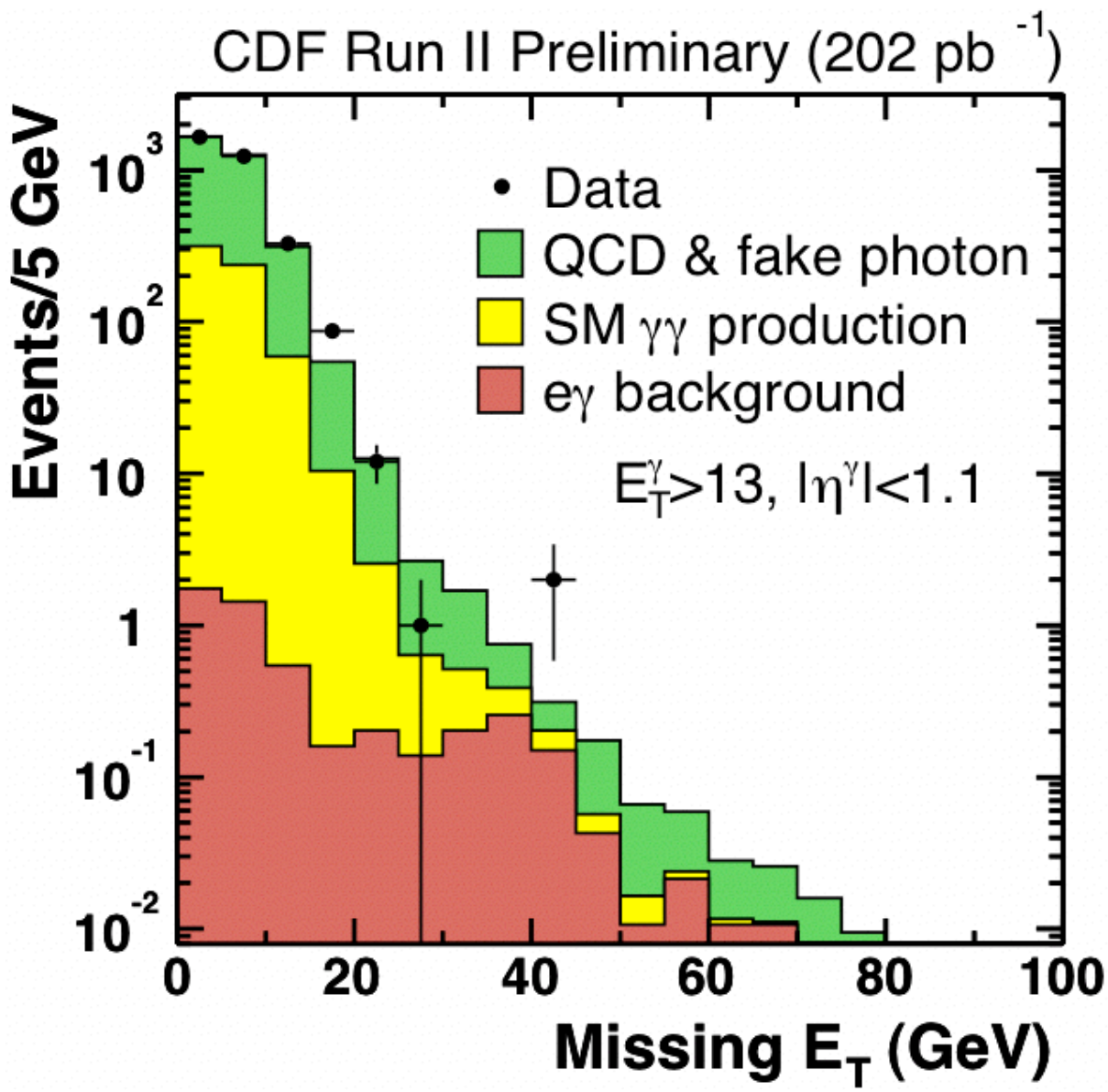

E_T > 13 GeV

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$\not{E}_T$ > 45 GeV

$10^o < \Delta\phi(\not{E}_T, j) < 170^o$

Calorimeter timing

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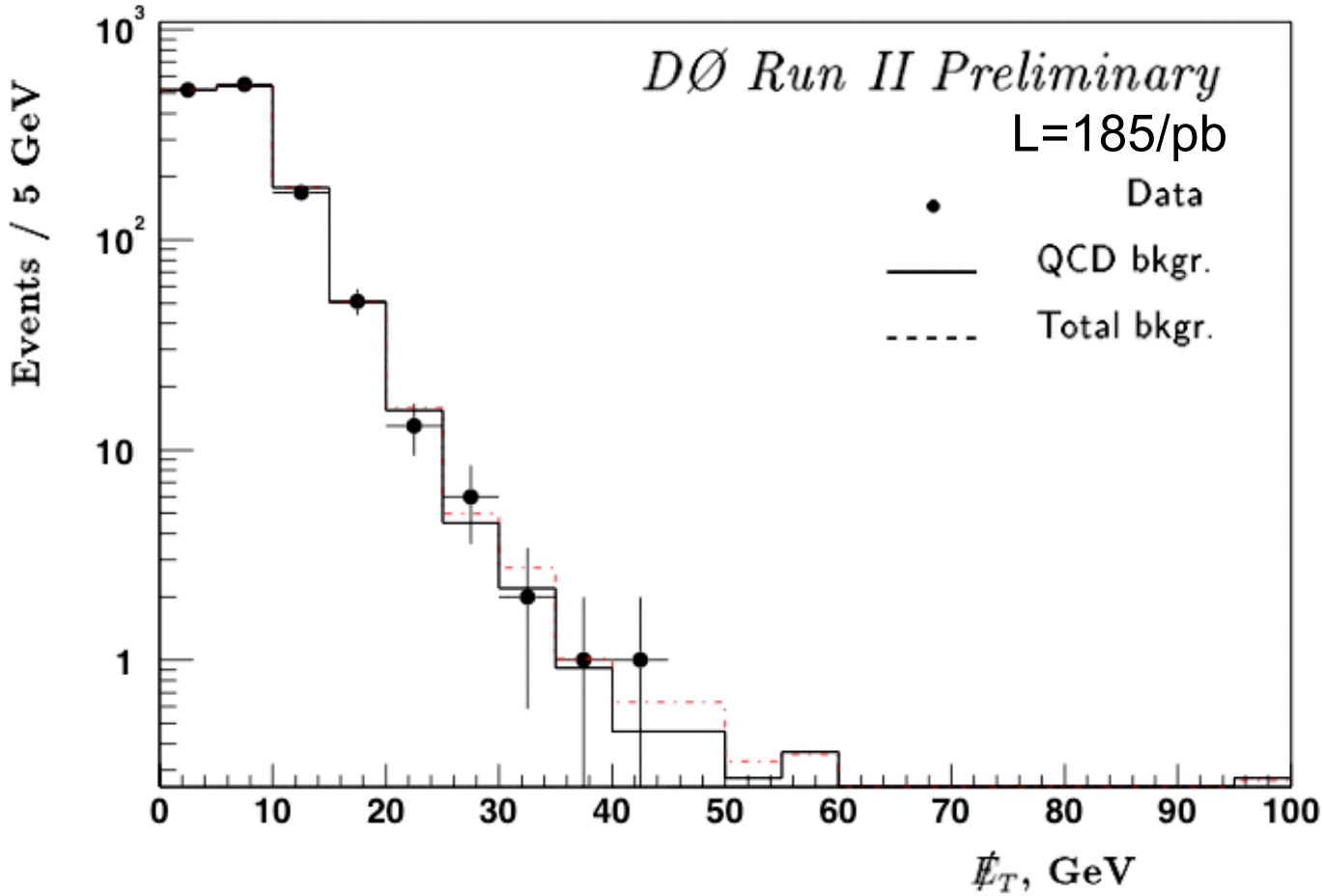

$E_T > 20$ GeV

$\eta < 1.1$

$\not{E}_T > 40$ GeV

$\Delta\phi(\not{E}_T, \gamma) > 30^o$

$\Delta\phi(E_T, j) < 145^o$

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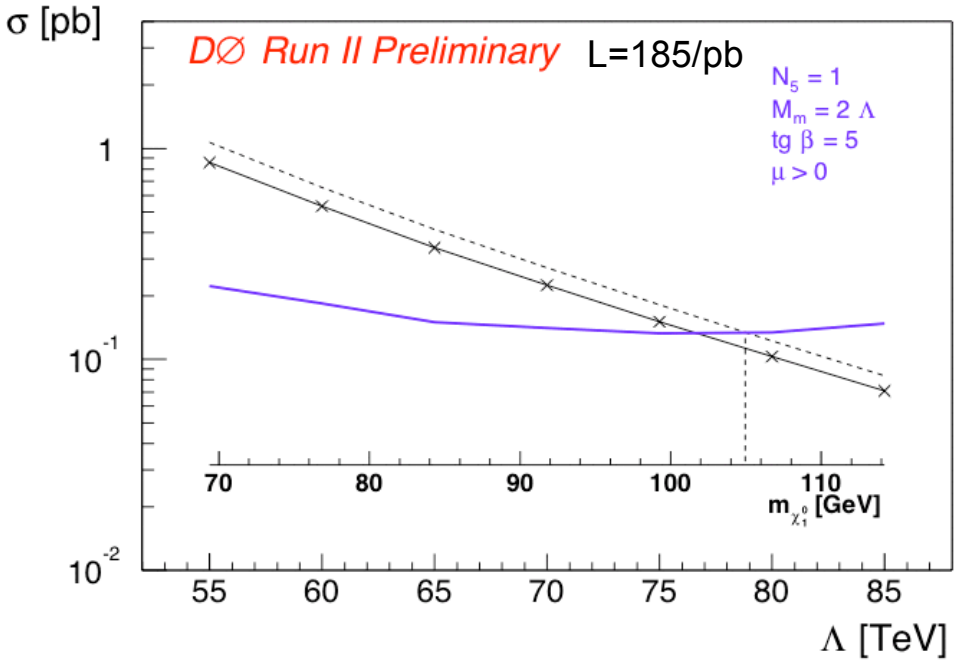
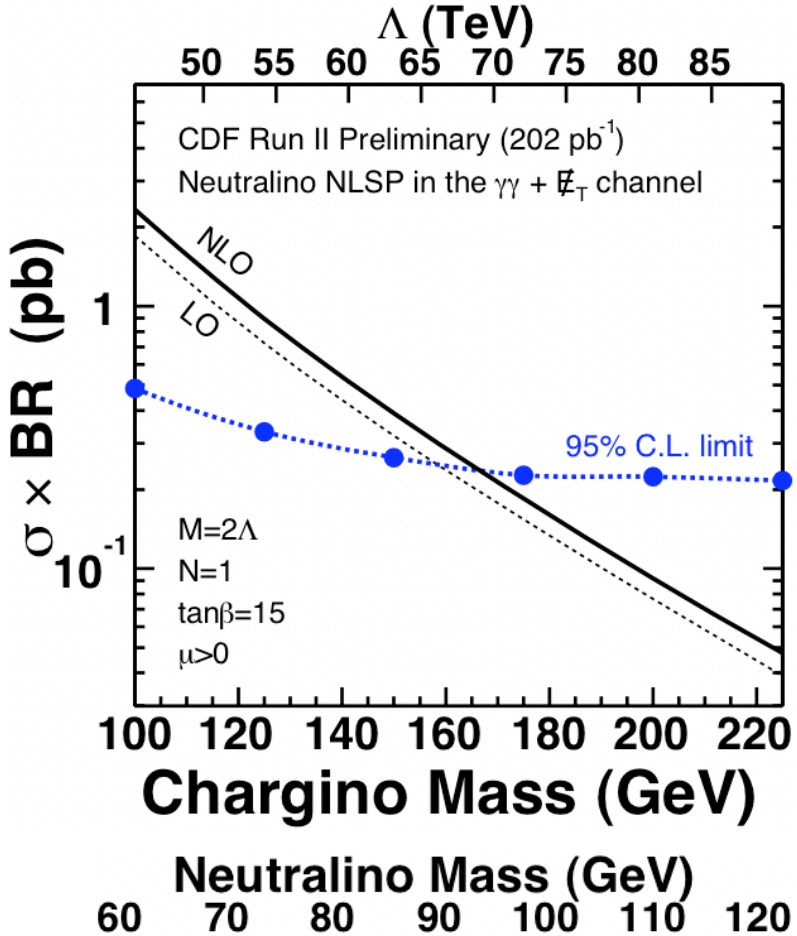


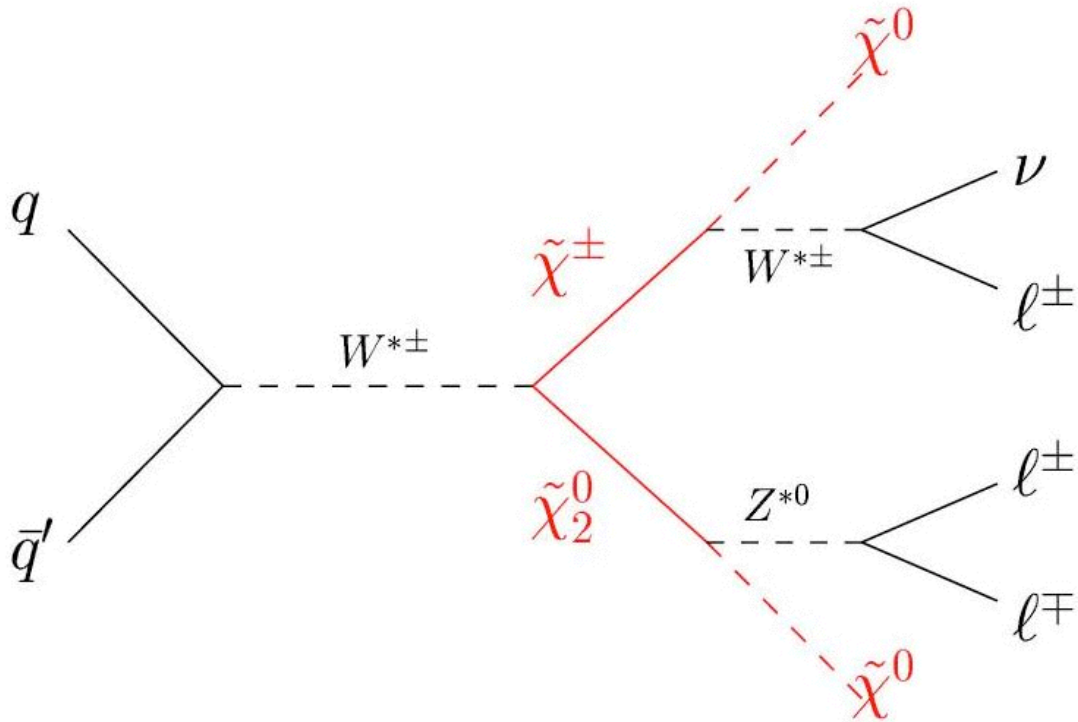
Neutralino mass limits

≈ 105 GeV



Di-leptons+MET

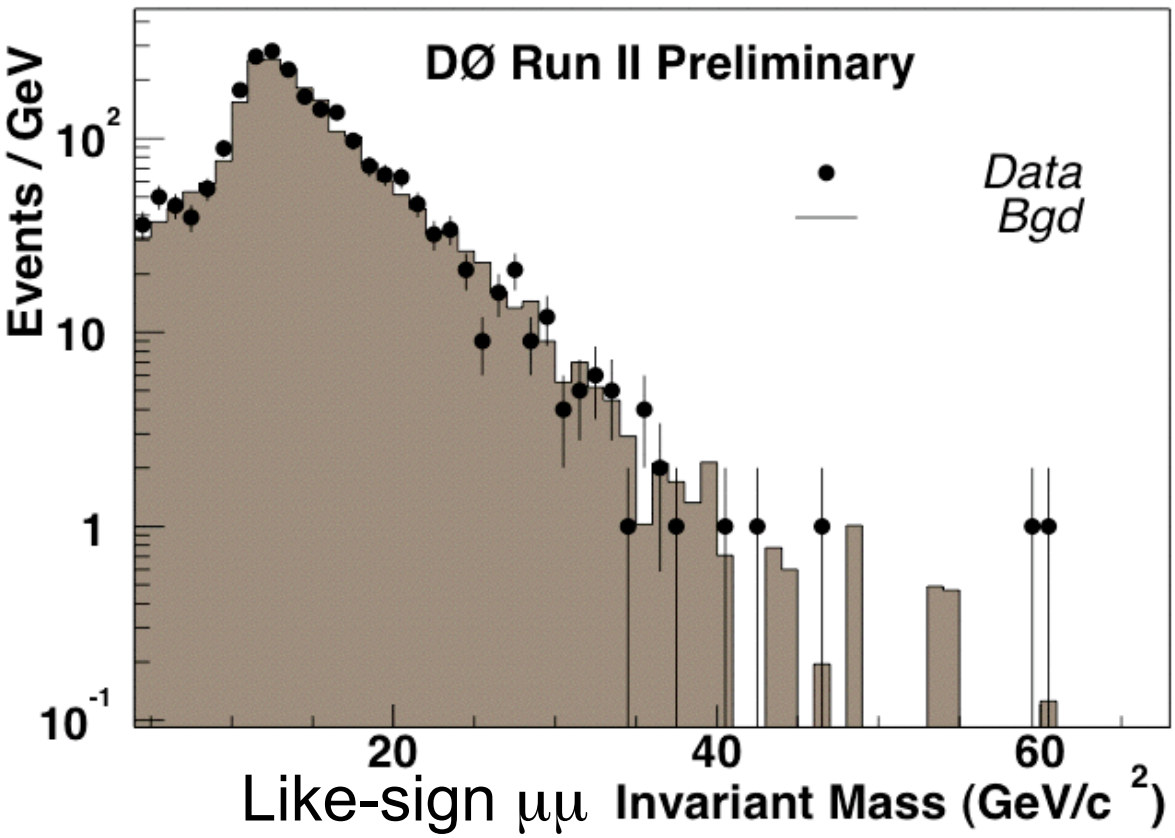
In MSUGRA models, neutralino LSP is stable



$\Rightarrow$trileptons+$\not{E}_T$ and di-leptons+$\not{E}_T$

D0 has searched in both modes.

Like-sign $\mu^{\pm}\mu^{\pm}$ *+MET*



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p_{T1}>11 GeV/c

p_{T2}>5 GeV/c

$\Delta\phi(\not{E}_T,j)<145^o$

$30^o<\Delta\phi(\not{E}_T,\mu)<145^o$

$\not{E}_T$ > 40 GeV

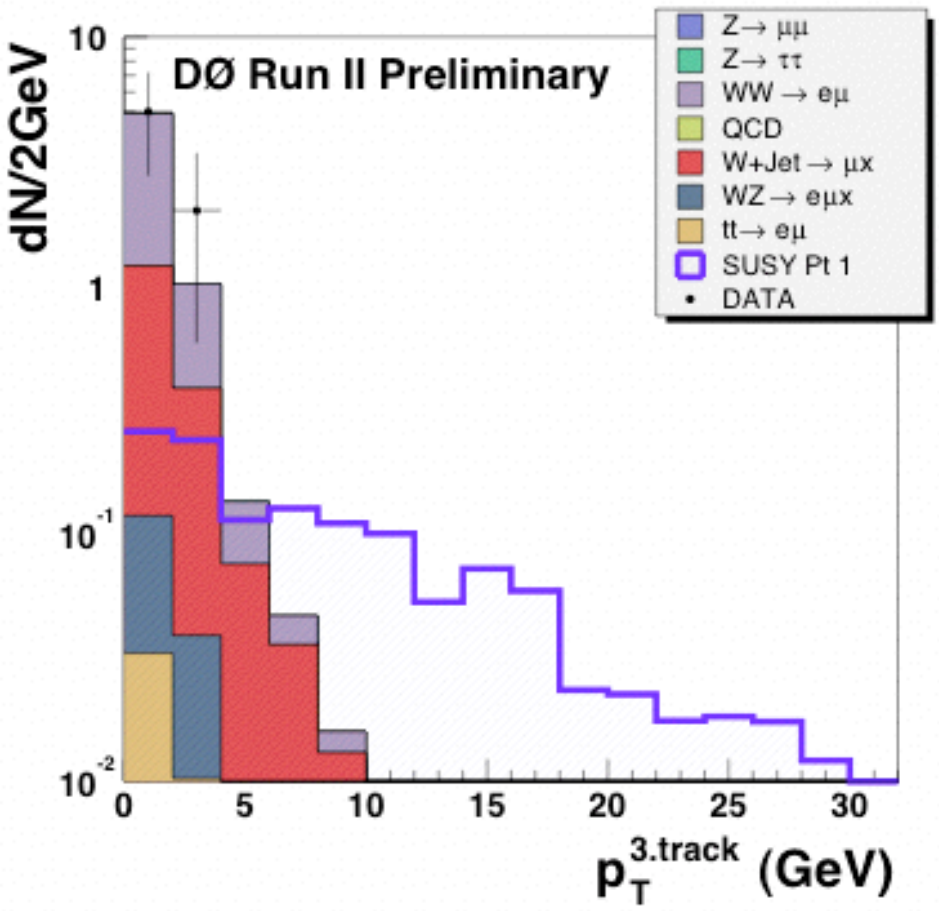
$M\mu\mu$ < 80 GeV/c^2

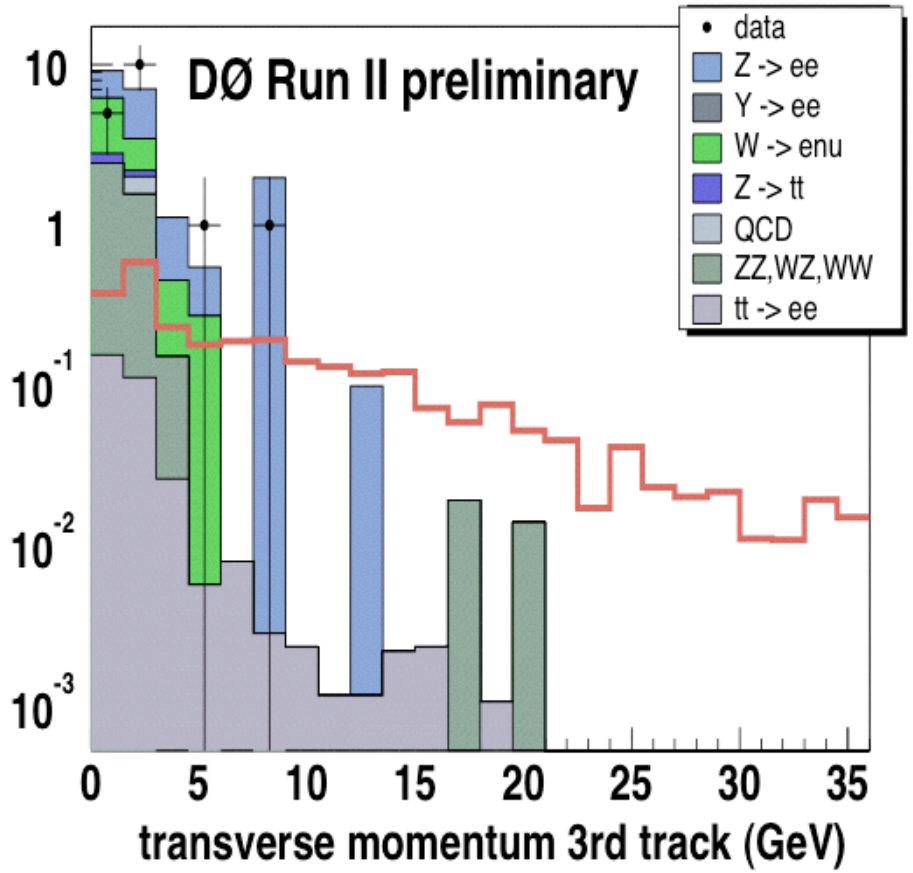
Predict 0.13 ± 0.06

Observe 1 event

Di-lepton +MET + Track

Select eμ or ee + $\not{E}_T$. Look for a 3rd, isolated track with $p_T > 3$

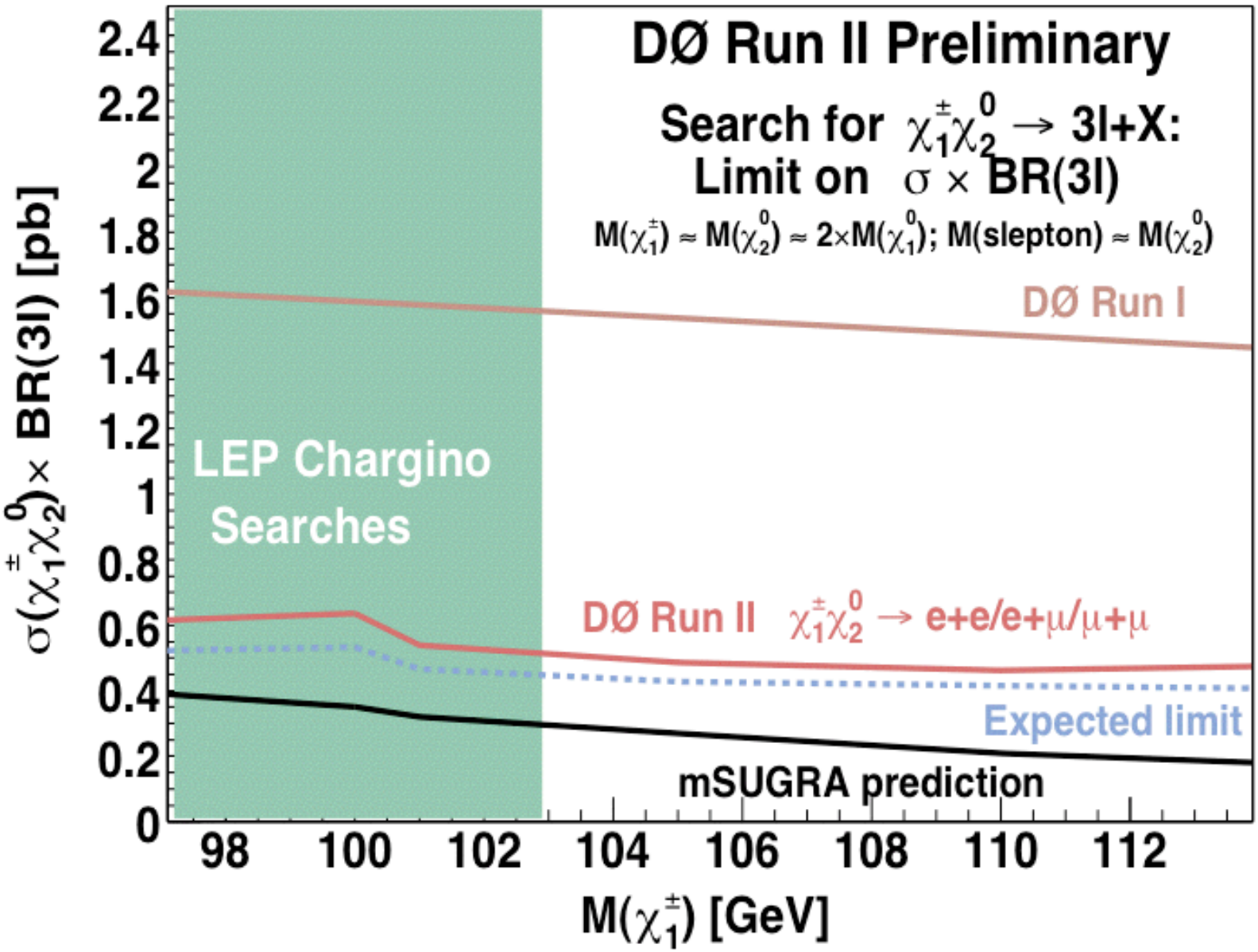




Expect 0.5 ± 0.2, see 0

Expect 1.2 ± 0.4, see 1

Di-lepton +MET SUSY Limits



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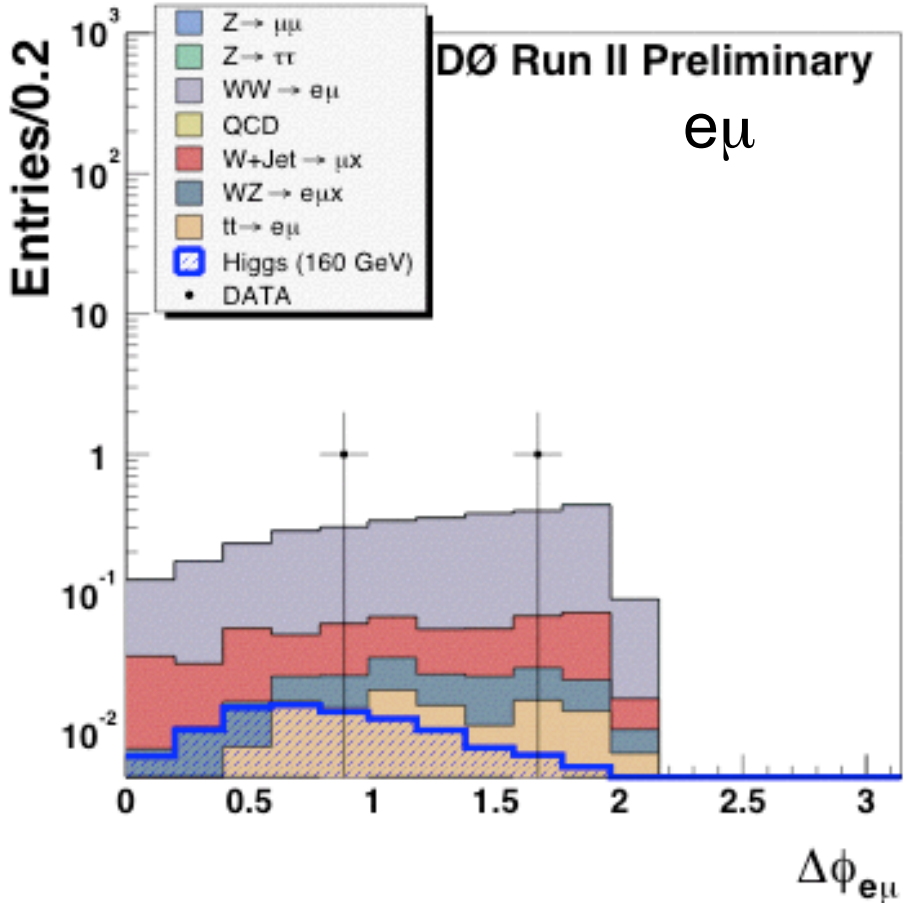

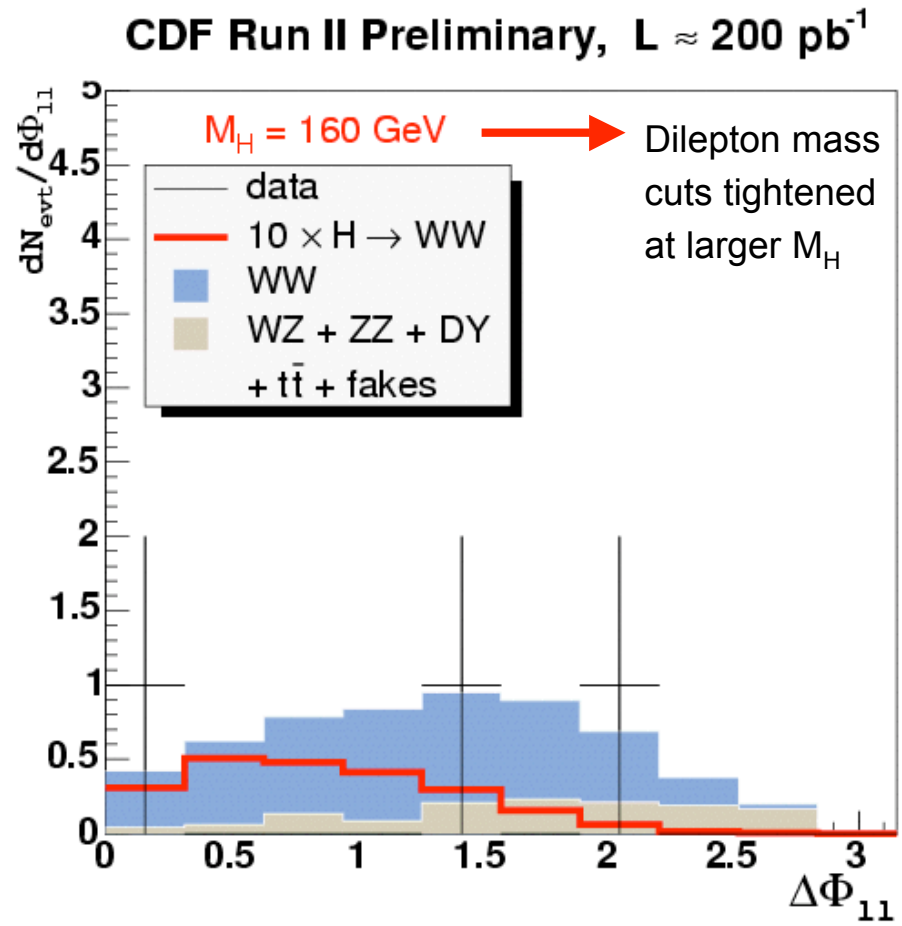

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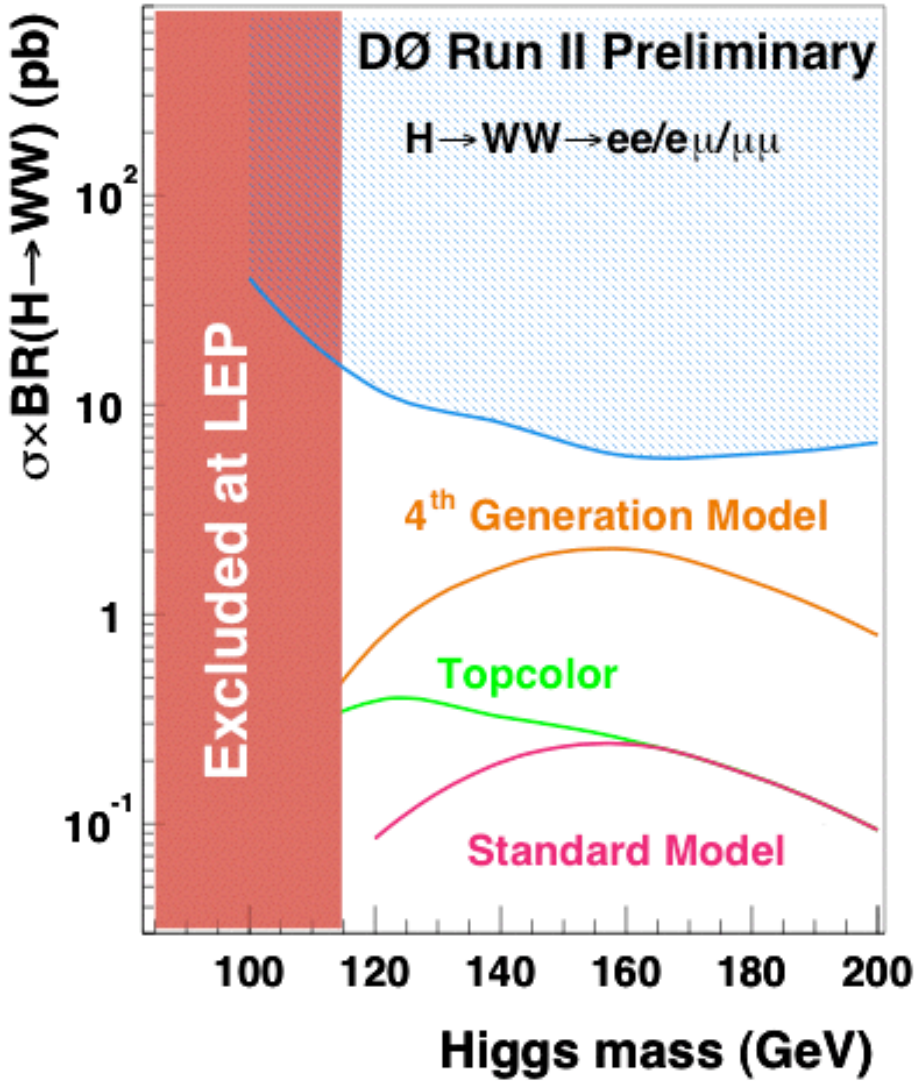

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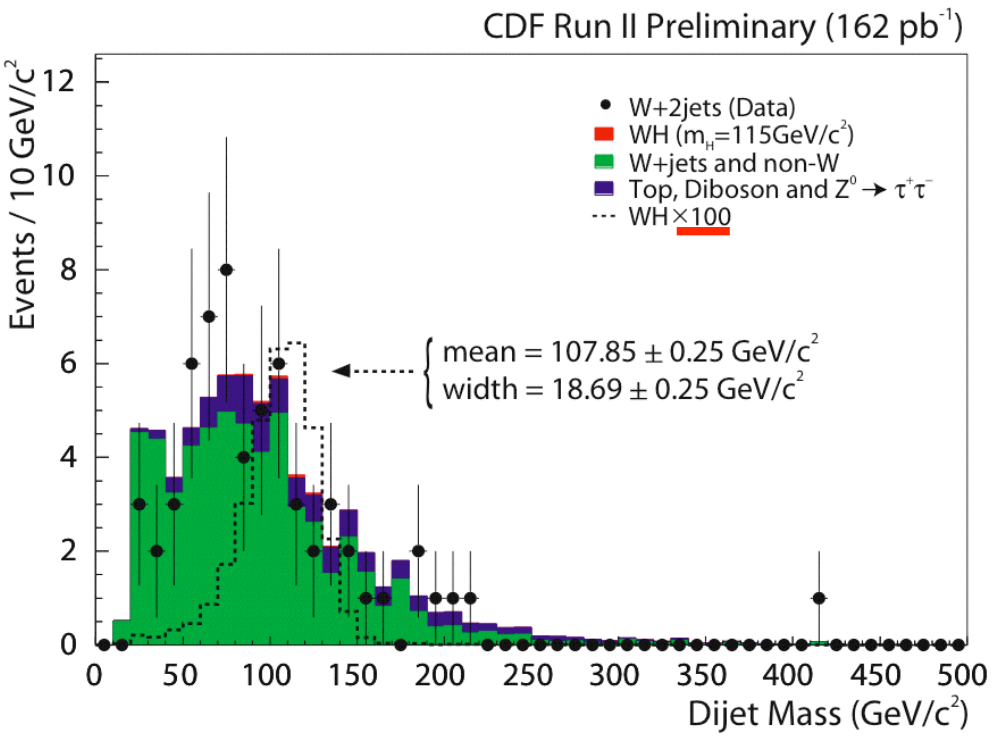

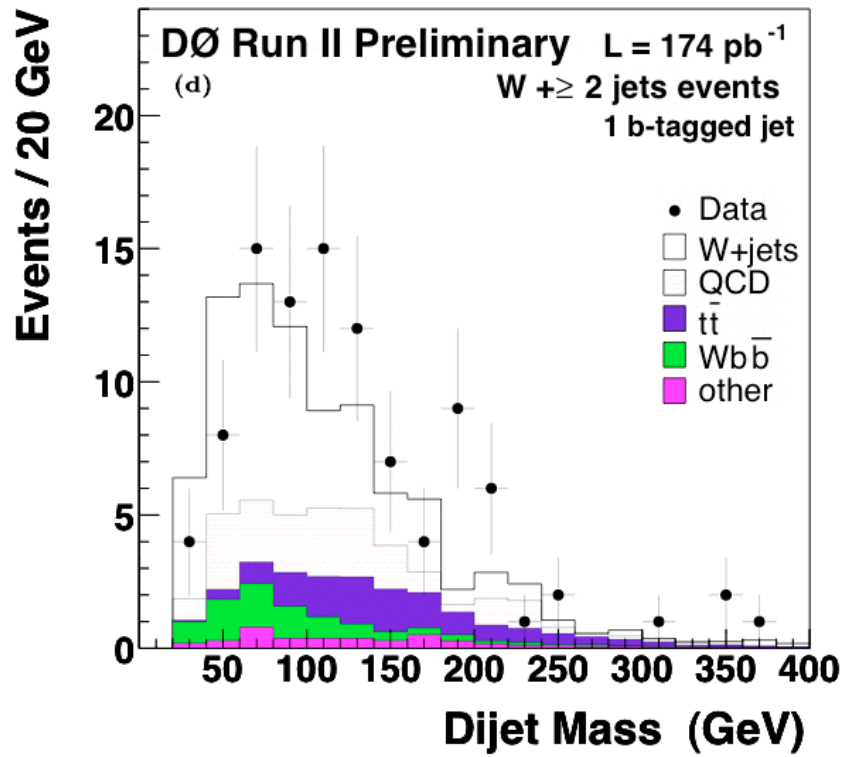

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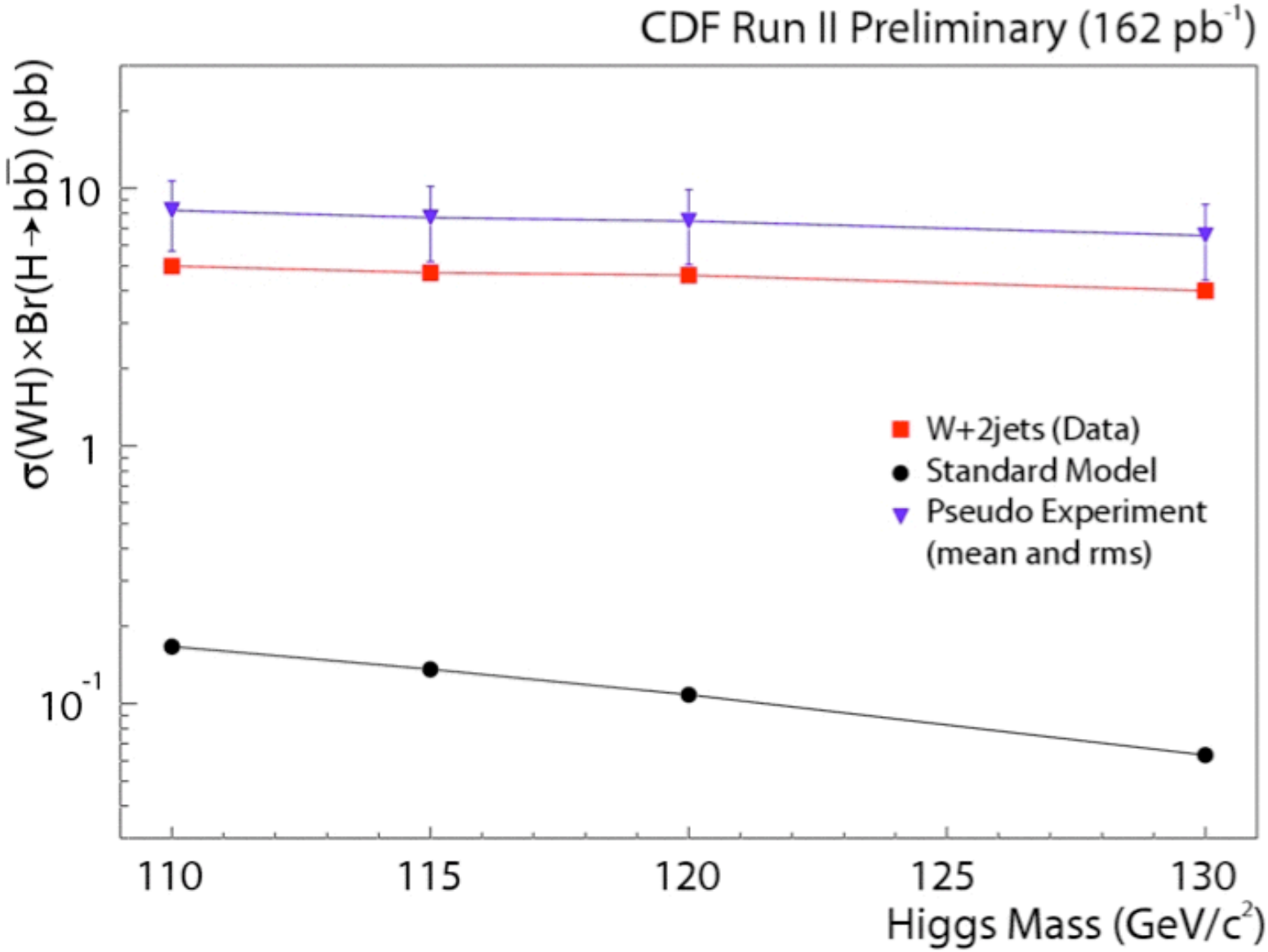

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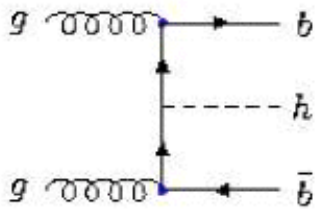

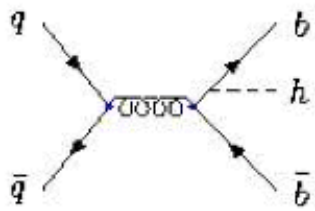

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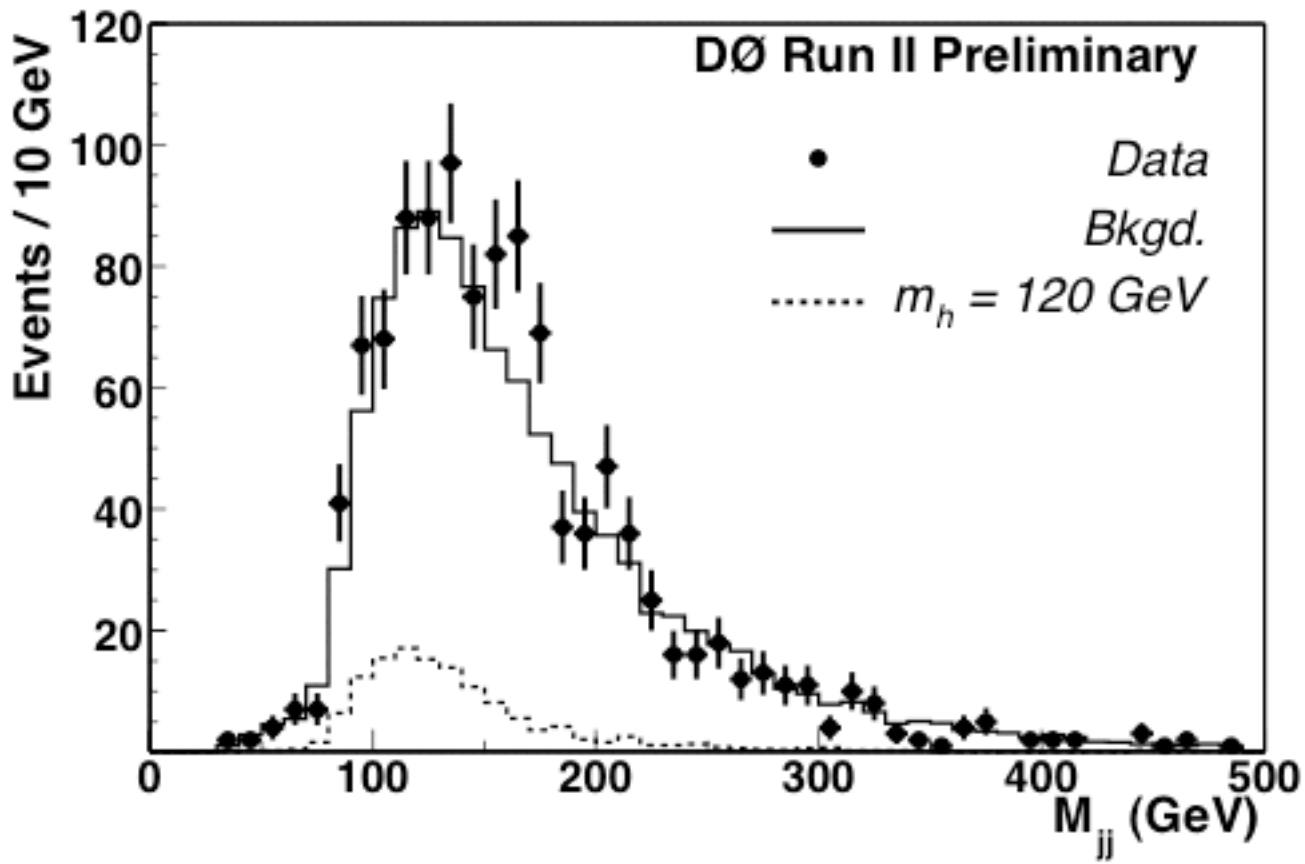

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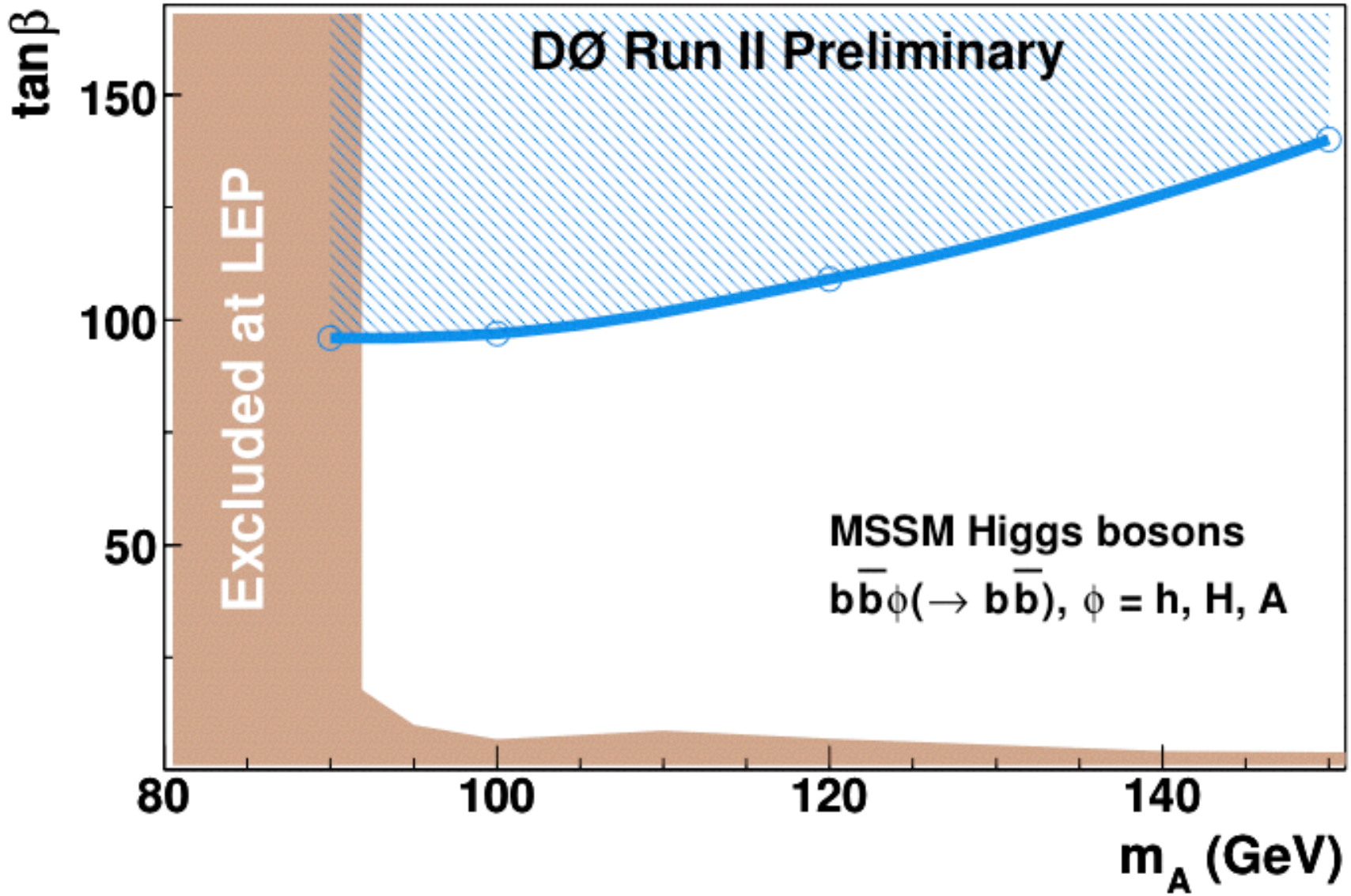
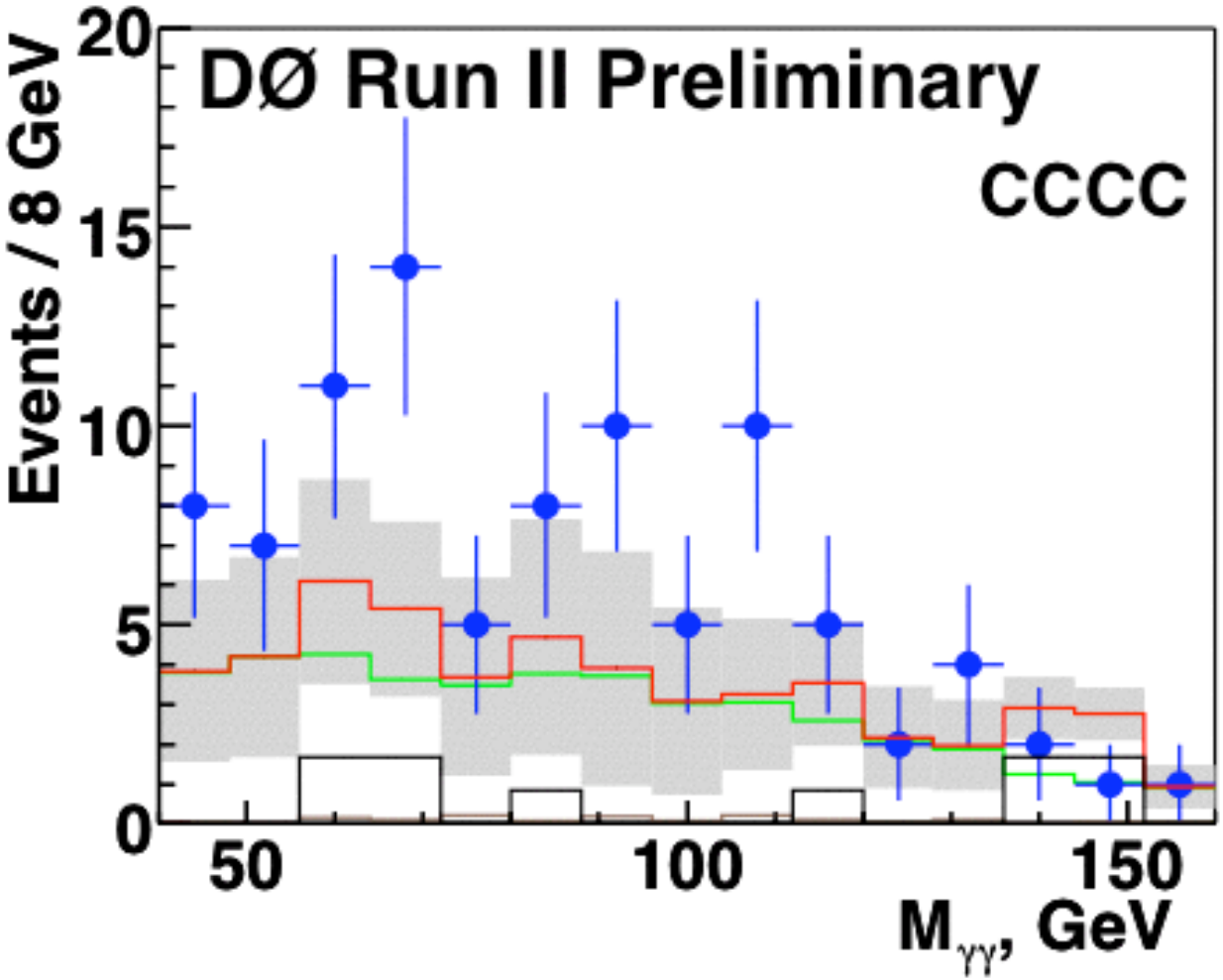


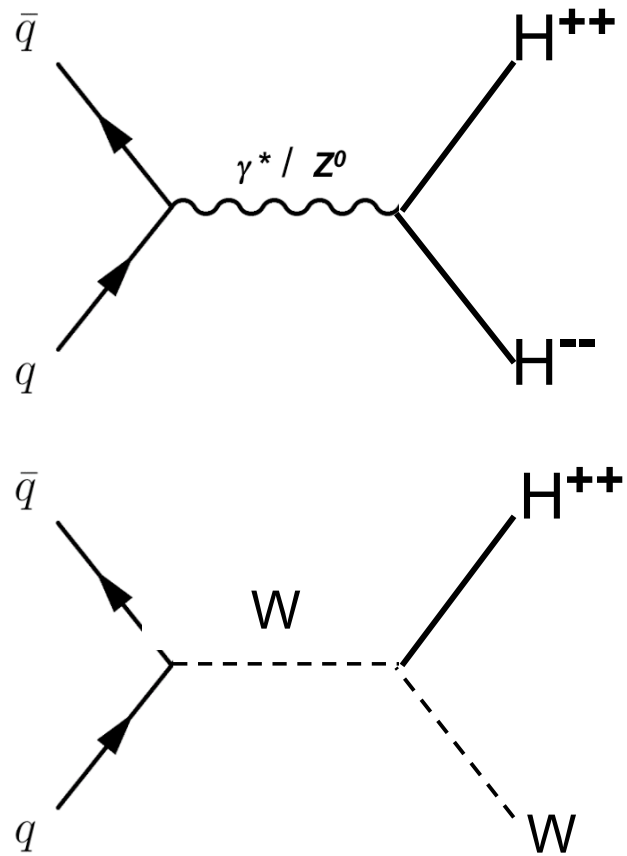
Search for $h \to \gamma\gamma$



Limits on BR($h \to \gamma\gamma$) < ≈60%

Search for Doubly Charged Higgs

Predicted e.g., in LR symmetric models



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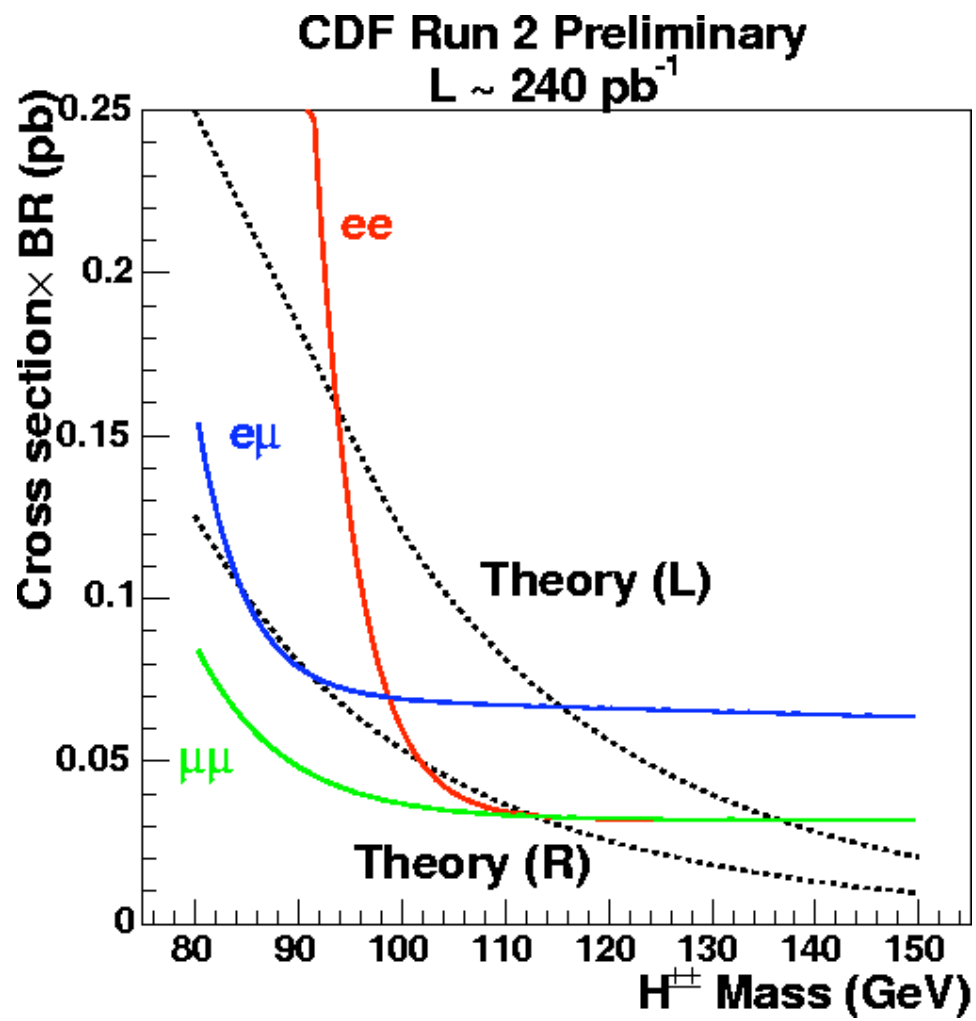

Same-sign dilepton signature

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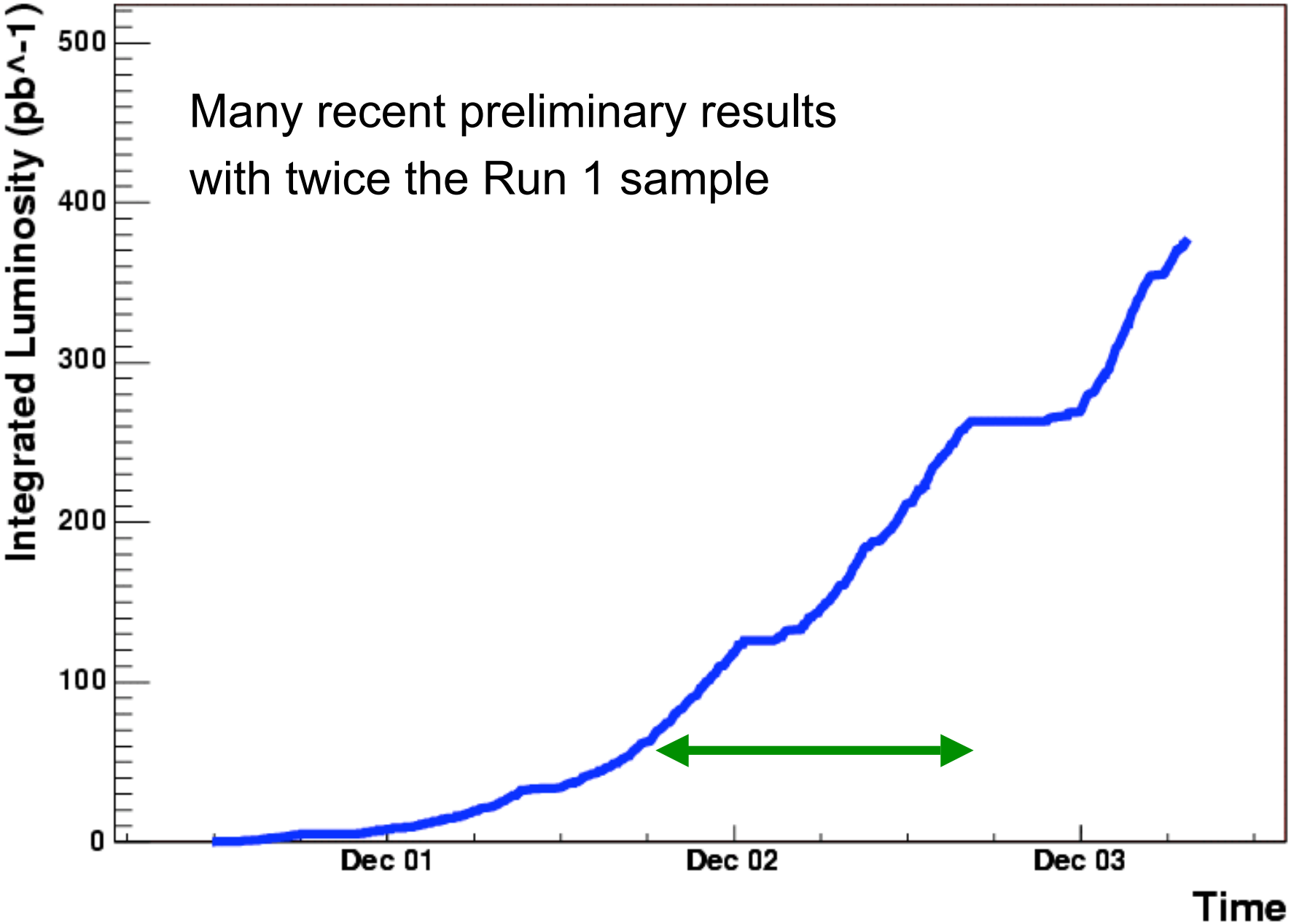

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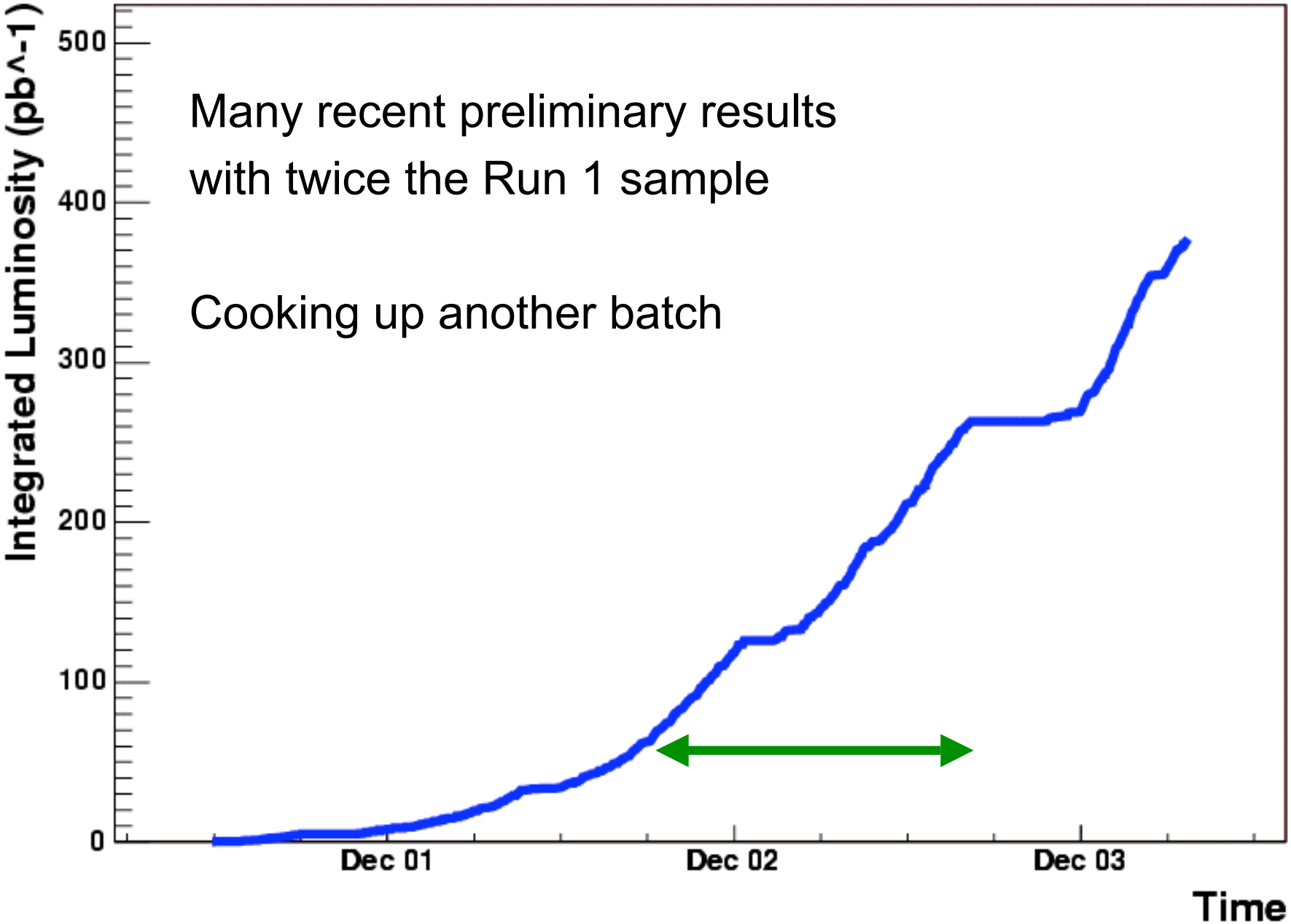

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