FROM THE TOP TO THE HIGGS AND BEYOND



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flavour FCNC hierarchy SUSY SUSY cosmology New Physics dark matter Composite Higgs

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How



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CMS-HIG-14-001 ($\gamma\gamma$) CMS-HIG-14-015 (*bb*) CMS-HIG-14-026 (*leptons*) CMS-HIG-14-027 (*tau+combination*)



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- Very low rate, but distinctive signature of the Higgs peak. Backgrounds are coming from top(s) +photon(s), or photons+(b)jets, latter poorly known at theoretical level
- Split into events with leptons and few jets (leptonic) or no leptons and many jets (hadronic)



Event selection minimizes contamination from other Higgs sources

Process	Hadronic Channel	Leptonic Channel
$t\bar{t}H$	0.567(87%)	0.429(97%)
$gg \to H$	0.059(9%)	0 (0%)
VBF H	0.006~(1%)	0 (0%)
WH/ZH	0.019(3%)	0.013(3%)
Total signal	0.65	0.44

• fitting the diphoton peak greatly reduce sensitivity to background systematics

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LHC in 2016 will reach sensitivity to Y_t forecasted in the CMS physics TDR for 300fb-1 of 14TeV LHC (~2022)
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- Measurement of this production mode would probe ttH/WWH interference
 - same kind of interference that bring current Higgs data to allow negative coupling of Higgs to fermions



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Biswas, Gabrielli, Mele JHEP 01 (2013) 088 Farina, Grojean, Maltoni, Salvioni, Thamm JHEP 05 (2013) 022























HIGGS COUPLING AND MORE



- Several other new physics models could alter single top plus Higgs production rates and/or kinematics:
 - FCNC
 - Composite Higgs
 - CP violation
 - who knows?

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- 2photons with pT >50 myy/120 and 25GeV
- I lepton with > 10 GeV and ΔR > 0.5 w.r.t. photons
- I b-tagged jet with > 20 GeV
- No cut on E/T
- Hardest additional jet, must have pT > 20 GeV and | η| > Ι





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THE ATLAS WAY TO YUKAWA

- ATLAS uses a different approach to negative Yukawa:
- take existing ttH analysis, consider all tH contributions to it, study the dependence of the sum of tH+X processes as a function of Ct



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- Leptons:
 - pt>20GeV(SS2L) I0GeV (3L)
 - ttH derived machine-learning-optimized lepton identification (SS2L)
- Jets
 - pt>25GeV eta < 4.7
 - CSV b-tagging





No significant signal - setting 95% confidence level upper limits				
Channel	Observed	Expected	68% prob. band	95% prob. band
SS µµ	9.3	8.1	[6.0, 11.8]	[4.7, 16.7]
SS eµ	11.4	9.3	[7.0, 13.5]	[5.4, 18.8]
3ℓ	11.5	8.6	[6.6, 12.4]	[5.7, 18.0]
combined	6.7	5.0	[3.6, 7.1]	[2.9, 10.3]

expected (observed) limit at 5 (6.7) times cross section on sigma(tHq, Ct=-1)

THQ TO MULTILEPTON + TAU



COMBINATION AND INTERPETATIONS

Interpretation #I

Limits on the event yields on the analyzed channels, predicted by the inverted Yukawa sign hypothesis:

2.1 (2.8) exp (obs) on Yt=-1 event yields prediction





Interpretation #2

generic limits on single top plus Higgs production scanning values around SM Higgs to diphoton decay:

Upper limit of 700(1000) - 425(600)fb exp(obs) depending on assumed Higgs to diphoton branching ratio

hierarchy

naturalness

Higgs

Composite Higgs

NEW PHYSICS REQUIRED

- The large mass of the top quark induces large quadratic divergencies
- Solutions to the problem involve hypothesizing the existence of top partners of bosonic (SUSY) or fermionic (Little/Composite Higgs, Extra Dimensions) nature, that automatically cancel out such divergencies
- In both scenario, several additional particles appear, providing a very rich phenomenology



• Fourth generation replica of SM quarks strongly disfavored by Higgs data





- Vector-like quarks not not acquire mass due to Yukawa coupling
- Deviation from top Yukawa too small to be visible, both in current and future collider experiments



• Pair production is a QCD process: only free parameter is the new particle mass



J.A. Aguilar-Saavedra, R. Benbrik, S. Heinemeyer, M. Pérez-Victoria arXiv:1306.0572 new run

Decay modes at a glance (for 3rd generation only)



The exact branching ratios are model dependent, need to explore all of the above



*example diagram



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 Take any possible final state, using any possible number/flavor of leptons, number of btags, identified boosted bosons. In particular:

- all-hadronic T→tH
- all-hadronic T→tW



• Limits on $T \rightarrow q V$ hyp. ranging in the 700-800GeV range: arXiv:1509.04177

LIFE GETS BETTER AT 13TEV


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New energy:

- increased parton luminosities, increased mass reach for less luminosity
- this is especially true for heavy quarks
- single heavy quark will become more important
- challenge: keep/improve performance wrt Run I





FCNC* hierarchy self-coupling 2HDM SUSY naturalness dark matter

*not shown here



- Each way to probe top-Higgs has his own th+exp. advantages/disadvantages CMS is developing a strong, synergic effort to exploit different production and decay modes
- Direct exploration of top-Higgs coupling will soon allow independent probe on SM
- New physics would modify direct Higgs production, ttH, and tH in different ways
- New heavy quarks (bosons) with very rich phenomenology could very much lie only a few months of data-taking away















3 years ago





















PARTICLEFEVER² with one switch, everything changes again COMING SOON

Higgs

New Physics

Top

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Thanks!!!



HIGGS SELF-COUPLING



CMS@work

Final state topology	Possible channels	Final state topology	Possible channels
All-hadronic with boosted top and	Single VLQ: T'->tH	Di-leptons and boosted hadronic top	Single VLQ: T' -> tZ
boosted Higgs		Multi-b-jet with boosted Higgs	Single VLQ: B' -> bH
Lepton + b-jet	Single VLQ: Y4/3 -> bW, T' ->bW	All-hadronic with b-jet and boosted V tagging	Single VLQ: Y4/3 -> bW, T' ->bW
Opposite-sign di-leptons and jets	Single VLQ: B' -> bZ, T' -> tZ	opposite-sign di-leptons and jets (boosted tops, Higgs, and multiple b- jets)	VLQ pairs: T'T' -> tZbW, tZtZ, tZtH, (bWbW: TBD), B'B' -> bZbZ, bZbH
same-sign dileptons	Single VLQ: X53->tW, B->tW, T' -> tZ	inclusive with at least 1 lepton, including W,t and H tagging variables	VLQ pairs: T'T' inclusive with leptons
One lepton, b-jet and boosted Higgs	Single VLQ T'->tH, T' -> tZ	Same-sign di-leptons	VLQ pairs: (X5/3X5/3)
One lepton, boosted	Single VLQ: B'->tW		B'B'->tWtW, T'T'->tZtZ
hadronic top		Single lepton, boosted top, boosted Higgs	VLQ pairs: T'T'- >tHbW, tHtH, tHtZ;B'B'->bHtW
		Single lepton, boosted top, boosted Higgs ?	VLQ pairs: T'T' -> inclusive, B'B' ->

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TTH OR TTW EXCESS?

80

70

60

50

40 0 30

Significance

Observed

4.9

1.0

4.8

Expected

3.4

1.0

3.5



		tīW significance		tīZ significance		
	Channel	Expected	Observed	Expected	Observed	
	2ℓOS	0.4	0.1	1.4	1.1	
	2ℓSS	2.8	5.0	-	-	
	3ℓ	1.4	1.0	3.7	3.3	
	4 <i>ℓ</i>	-	-	2.0	2.4	
Ì	Combined	3.2	5.0	4.5	4.2	





	Cross	section (fb)	Signal	strength (μ)
			tτΖ	
$SS + 3\ell$	203_71	382^{+117}_{-102}	$1.0^{+0.43}_{-0.35}$	$1.88^{+0.66}_{-0.56}$
3ℓ	203^{+215}_{-194}	210^{+225}_{-203}	$1.0^{+1.09}_{-0.96}$	$1.03^{+1.07}_{-0.99}$
SS	203^{+88}_{-73}	414^{+135}_{-112}	$1.0^{+0.45}_{-0.36}$	$2.04^{+0.74}_{-0.61}$

Observed

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Channels	Expected	Observed	Expected	Observed	Expected	Observed
OS	206^{+142}_{-118}	257^{+158}_{-129}	$1.0^{+0.72}_{-0.57}$	$1.25\substack{+0.76\\-0.62}$	1.8	2.1
3ℓ	206^{+79}_{-63}	257^{+85}_{-67}	$1.0^{+0.42}_{-0.32}$	$1.25\substack{+0.45\\-0.36}$	4.6	5.1
4ℓ	206^{+153}_{-109}	228^{+150}_{-107}	$1.0\substack{+0.77\\-0.53}$	$1.11\substack{+0.76\\-0.52}$	2.7	3.4
$OS + 3\ell + 4\ell$	206^{+62}_{-52}	242^{+65}_{-55}	$1.0\substack{+0.34\\-0.27}$	$1.18\substack{+0.35\\-0.29}$	5.7	6.4

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DIFFERENCES BETWEEN TEV AND LHC



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	 Same-sign di-leptons, p_T > 20/20 GeV No additional leptons (lep. mva > 0.35) Minimum m_{II} > 12 GeV 	
Î	One central jet n < 1.0, p _T > 25 GeV	
ļ	One forward jet n > 1.0, p _T > 25 GeV	
Ģ	One CSV loose b-tag	Note: Stat. err
	No hadronic t's	Signal is
	 Three leptons, p_T > 20/10/10 GeV No additional tight leptons Minimum m_{II} > 20 GeV 	Tot
į	One forward jet η > 1.5 , p _T > 25 GeV	
	One CSV medium b-tag	_
Ç	MET > 30 GeV	

Z veto: |m_{II} - mZ| > 15 GeV

tH(TT)a	0.33 ± 0.02	0.20 ± 0.02	0.17 ± 0.01
tH(W)	W)W	0.06 ± 0.01 0.16 ± 0.02	0.07 ± 0.01 0.26 ± 0.02	0.07 ± 0.01 0.19 ± 0.01
Total Backgro	ound	49.73 ± 1.66	99.41 ± 2.64	41.9 ± 5.8
Non-Prompt		23.01 ± 1.46	50.96 ± 2.47	34 ± 6
Charge M	is-ID	-	6.99 ± 0.10	<u></u>
	ttH	2.26 ± 0.08	3.24 ± 0.09	1.52 ± 0.06
1	ttW±	10.23 ± 0.50	14.95 ± 0.59	3.0 ± 0.3
Signal is C _t = -1	tīZ	2.23 ± 0.21	2.87 ± 0.23	2.20 ± 0.18
Stat. errors only,	tīγ	0.09 ± 0.05	2.02 ± 0.24	-
Note:	$t\bar{t}\gamma^*$	0.50 ± 0.05	1.04 ± 0.08	<u> </u>
WZ, WW, ZZ Rare SM bkg.		1.41 ± 0.09	2.58 ± 0.12	0.11 ± 0.03
		5.38 ± 0.24	8.71 ± 0.30	1.18 ± 0.06
W ⁺ W ⁺ qq		4.62 ± 0.48	6.05 ± 0.53	
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Interchannel Overlap?



No common events on data

TTH AND THQ MULTILEPTON

In the dilepton channels ($\mu\mu/e\mu$), ttH* has a tighter selection than tHq, but does not require forward jets

tHq 2ISS Selection

- ≥1 jet with |η| > 1
- ≥ 1 jet with $|\eta| < 1$
- ≥ 1 jet with loose CSV tag
- Veto hadronic τ's

ttH 2ISS Selection

- p_{T,1} + p_{T,2} + ME_T > 100 GeV
- ≥ 4 jets (|η| < 2.4)
- ≥ 2 jets with loose CSV OR
 ≥ 1 jet with medium CSV

- Remaining selection is identical
- By construction, no migratic be week to dilepton and ttH channels

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Overlap for 3L analysis

tHq 3I Selection

- ≥ 1 (non-tagged) fwd-jet
 (|η| > 1.5)
- ME_T > 30 GeV
- == 1 jet with med. CSV tag

ttH 3I Selection

- ≥ 2 jets (|η| < 2.4)
- ME_TLD* > 0.2 OR ≥ 4 jets
- ≥ 2 jets with loose CSV OR
 ≥ 1 jet with medium CSV

- Remaining selection very similar (Z-veto, m_{II} cuts, add. lep veto)
- Different lepton object selections
- Possible migration between tHq-3I and ttH-2I channels (see sl. 50)

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3I Channe

 Slight difference in yields of ttH selection compared to HIG-13-020 PAS due to ReReco: 41 → 39 (µµ), 51 → 51 (eµ), 68 → 62 (3l)



W'->TB





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FERMIONIC TOP PARTNERS, PROJECTIONS TO 3AB-1





FCNC, HIGGS BOSON

- Take the dominant ttbar production mode, look for events with one FCNC decay of the kind t→Hc
- Split into hadronic (tt→cHWb→cHqqb) events and leptonic (tt→cHWb→cgammagamma lnub) events
 - former contain residual combinatorics, latter unambiguous
- Choose topological and kinematic (top quark mass cuts) final states consistent with the FCNH hypothesis, scan over dip



No significant signal is observed and an upper limit on the branching ratio of 0.83% (0.53% expected) at the 95% confidence level is set. The corresponding limit on the tcH coupling is 0.17 (0.14 expected)

THE CMS DETECTOR


TECHNICALITIES

Signal and background modeling

- ttH,WW,WZ,ZZ Pythia
- ttW/ttZ/ttgamma/ttgammagamma/gamma+jets/ gammagamma+jets MadGraph
- tq/tW Powheg

btagging

- Combined secondary vertex, medium OP
- H->bb also uses full CSV spectrum

Triggers used:

- Diphoton trigger
- Electron trigger
- Muon trigger
- ee/emu/mumu triggers

Systematics the multilepton

 PDF and QCD scales tHq: 4.6% from PDF, 1.1% from Q² scale 10/11/6 % for ttW/ttZ/ttH from Q² scale 7-9% for ttV from PDFs, 8% for ttH 	(rate)
 4 vs 5 flavor scheme Study difference in selection efficiency and cross section on parton level, assign 10% (SS2L), 16% (3L) 	(rate)
 Pileup reweighting Vary total inelastic cross section by 5% 	(rate)

Systematics the multilepton

- SS2L non-prompt estimate: about 50%
 - Data/MC agreement of fake rates: 50% ($\mu\mu$), 40 % \oplus 20 % ($e\mu$) (rate)
 - Variations of fake rate by p_T/η (10-20%) (shape)
- SS2L charge mis-identification estimate: about 30%
 - Propagated uncertainty on measured probabilities (rate)

3L non-prompt estimate: about 35%
 MC closure test (30%)

 Statistical errors of measured fake rates
 Varying the ME_T cut in control region
 (shape)

LEPTON MVA

Next, a multivariate discriminator based on BDT techniques is used to distinguish prompt from non- prompt leptons. This discriminator, referred to as the lepton MVA, is trained with simulated prompt leptons from the ttH MC sample and non-prompt leptons from the tt+jets MC sample, separately for electrons and muons and for several bins in pT and η .

The lepton MVA input variables relate to the lepton IP, isolation, and the properties of the nearest jet, within $\Delta R < 0.5$. A tight working point on the lepton MVA output is used for the search in the dilepton and trilepton final states, and a loose working point is used for the four-lepton final state. For the tight working point, the efficiency to select prompt electrons is of order 35% for peT ~ 10 GeV and reaches a plateau of 85% at peT ~ 45 GeV; for prompt muons it is of order 55% for pTµ ~ 10 GeV, and reaches a plateau of about 97% at pTµ ~ 45 GeV. The efficiency to select electrons (muons) from the decay of b hadrons is between 5–10% (around 5%).

LIFE OF A QUARK



$H \rightarrow BB$, $TT \rightarrow LJETS OR DILEPTON$

- Identify tops and Higgs via multiple b-tagged jets, leptons (ele/muons) and light flavor jets
- Split into Njet/Nbtag categories to further increase sensitivity
- For each category, use machine learning techniques to discriminate signal from dominant tt +bb/cc/b backgrounds



• Fit over resulting shapes, systematics modify relative normalization and shapes themselves

- largest systematic is on the poorly known tt+bb/cc/b background

THQ, HIGGS TO BOTTOMS



Process	Muon channel	Electron channel	
tī	1058 ± 5	718 ± 4	
Single top	39±3	27±3	
Electroweak	17^{+7}_{-5}	11±7	
tīH	12.87 ± 0.17	$9.35 {\pm} 0.15$	
Total background	1128 ± 9	767±10	
$tHq, y_t = -1$	$7.54{\pm}0.03$	5.15 ± 0.02	
S/B ratio	0.7%	0.7%	
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Process t ī	Muon channel 29.1±0.8	Electron channel 19.8±0.7	
Process tt̄ Single top	Muon channel 29.1±0.8 1.1 ^{+0.8} -0.6	Electron channel 19.8±0.7 1.2±1.0	
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Process $t\bar{t}$ Single top Electroweak $t\bar{t}H$ Total background $tHq_t, y_t = -1$	$\begin{array}{r} \text{Muon channel} \\ 29.1 \pm 0.8 \\ 1.1 \substack{+ 0.8 \\ - 0.6 \\ 4 \substack{+ 6 \\ - 4 \\ 1.72 \pm 0.06 \\ 37 \substack{+ 6 \\ - 4 \\ 0.835 \pm 0.010 \end{array}$	Electron channel 19.8 ± 0.7 1.2 ± 1.0 5^{+6}_{-4} 1.43 ± 0.05 29^{+7}_{-4} 0.580 ± 0.009	

 Set 95% expected (observed) upper level confidence limit of 5.1 (7.6) the sigmaXBR for tHq production with negative Yukawa

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TTH, $H \rightarrow TAUTAU$

- Select hadronically decaying taus, coming from the Higgs decay, reconstructed via a Particle Flow algorithm
- Select additional b-jets, leptons, light flavor jets consistent with ttbar decays, split into Njets and Nbtags categories $\tau_h \tau_h + 5 \text{ jets} + 2 \text{ b-tags, CMS Preliminary, } \sqrt{s} = 8 \text{ TeV, } L = 19.5 \text{ fb}^{-1}$

//	4 jets 1 b-tag	5 jets 1 b-tag	≥6 jets 1 b-tag	4 jets 2 b-tags	5 jets 2 b-tags	≥6 jets 2 b-tags
ttH(125)	0.4 ± 0.1	0.6 ± 0.1	0.6 ± 0.2	0.1 ± 0.0	0.2 ± 0.1	0.4 ± 0.1
tt	225 ± 69	119 ± 38	64 ± 22	48 ± 15	38 ± 12	27.0 ± 9.1
tťV	1.1 ± 0.3	1.3 ± 0.3	1.4 ± 0.4	0.4 ± 0.1	0.6 ± 0.2	1.1 ± 0.3
Single t	11.2 ± 4.0	3.0 ± 1.4	1.1 ± 1.0	1.9 ± 1.1	0.9 ± 0.6	0.6 ± 0.7
V+jets	33 ± 17	11.7 ± 6.8	3.8 ± 2.8	1.4 ± 0.9	0.4 ± 0.3	0.5 ± 0.6
Diboson	0.9 ± 0.2	0.7 ± 0.2	0.1 ± 0.0	0.0 ± 0.0	0.1 ± 0.0	0.1 ± 0.1
Total bkg	271 ± 82	135 ± 41	71 ± 24	52 ± 16	40 ± 12	29.2 ± 9.4
Data	292	171	92	41	48	35

- Here tt+jets is again dominant background
 - multivariate discriminants exploit mostly tau-related informations
- Total Ns~2.5 evts
 - $\times 10 (H \rightarrow bb, ttbar \rightarrow dilepton)$
 - $\times 100 (H \rightarrow bb, ttbar \rightarrow l+jets)$







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• The large mass of the top quark induces quadratic divergencies



- Both solution to the problem involve hypothesizing the existence of top partners of bosoni (SUSY) or fermionic (Composite Higgs) nature, that automatically cancel such divergencies
- In the fermionic scenario new T particles exist such that T->tH (and T->tZ/Wb) are
 possible



• and T might be only one of a family of new quarks T/B/X (and bosons too!)

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