

Title: Physics at the Tevatron

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Abstract: The Fermilab Tevatron is currently the highest energy particle collider in the world and is host of the CDF and DZero experiments. Measurements performed by these two international collaborations have significantly improved our knowledge of subatomic physics and helped further constrain different scenarios of physics beyond the Standard Model. A summary of some of the latest results and future experimental goals of the Tevatron's experiments will be presented.

PHYSICS AT THE TEVATRON

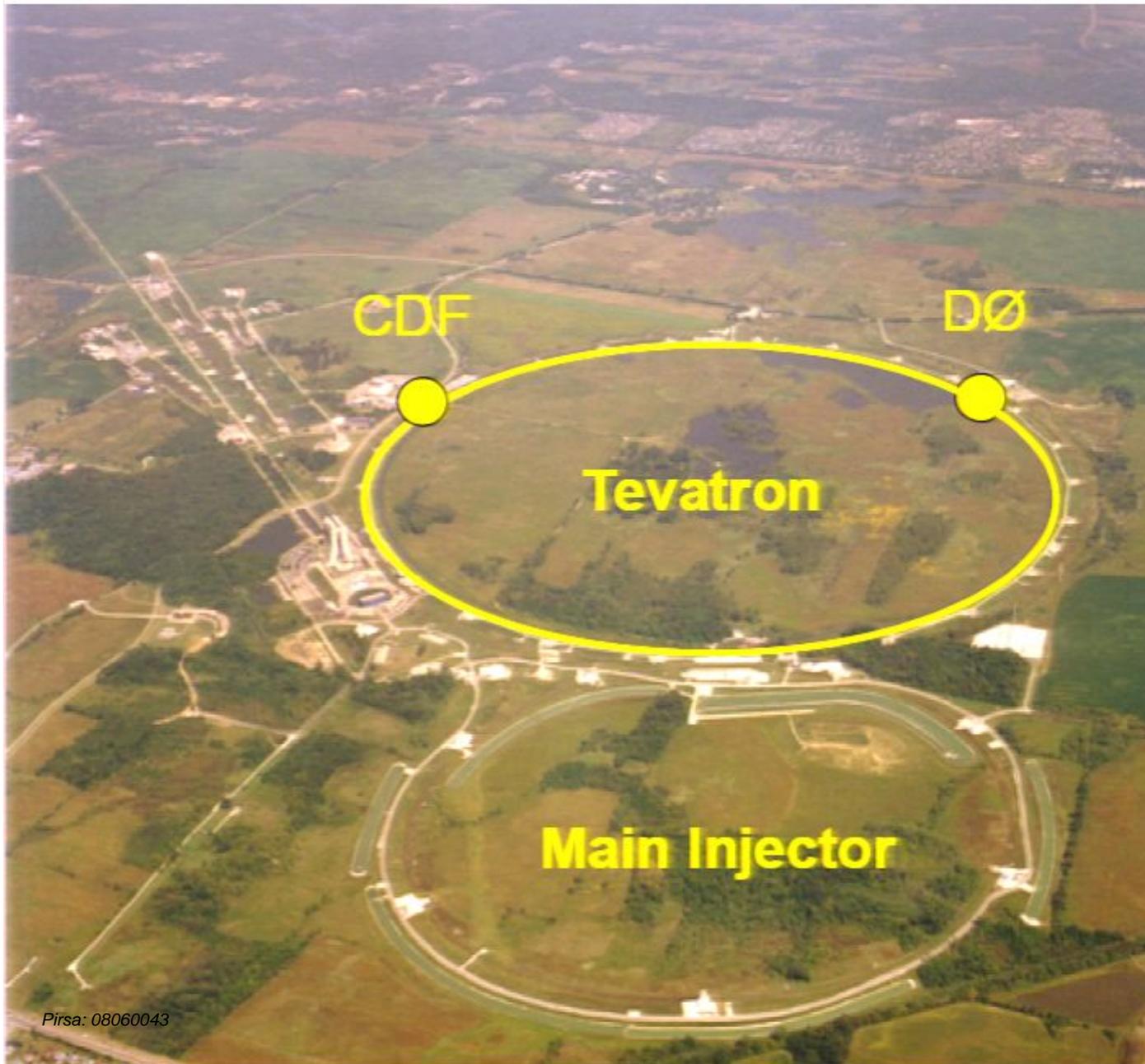
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- Status of experiments
- Physics results
- Summary

The Fermilab Tevatron

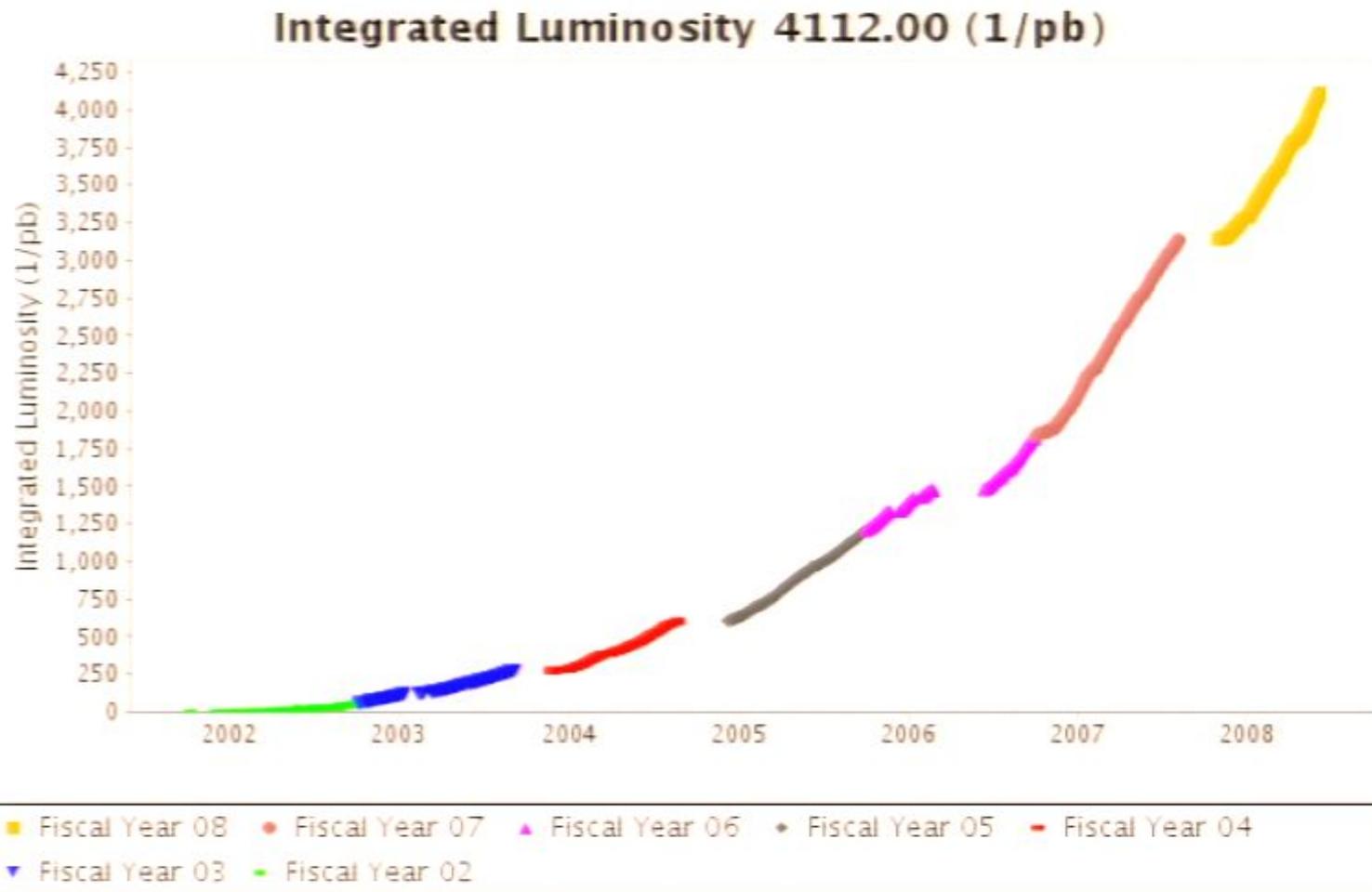


- $p\bar{p}$ collisions at world's highest energy:

$$\sqrt{s} = 2 \text{ TeV}$$

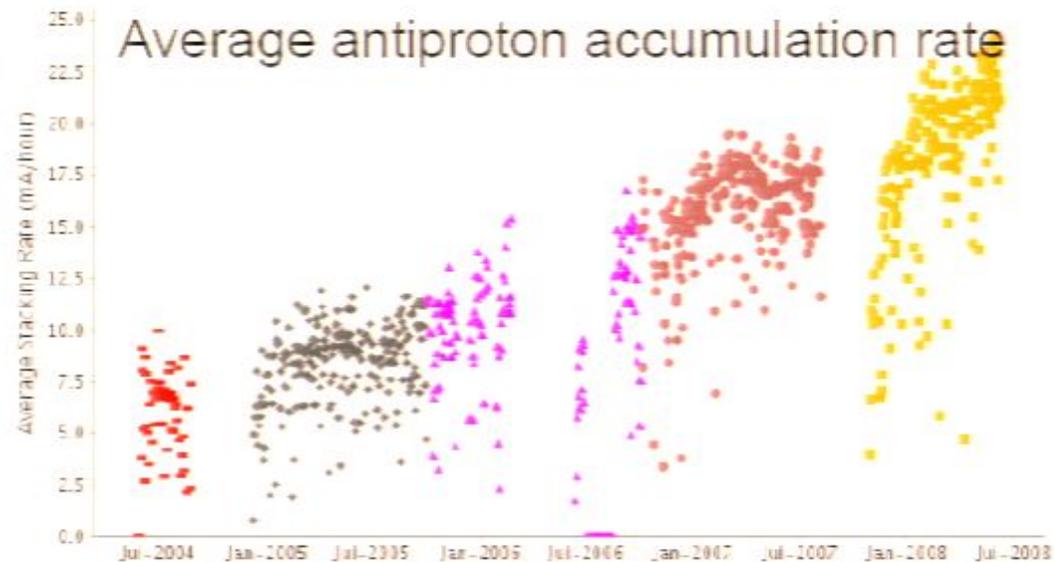
- Run-I
 - 1990-1995
 - $110 \text{ pb}^{-1} / \text{expt}$
- Run-II
 - 2001-2009
 - $\sim 6\text{-}7 \text{ fb}^{-1} / \text{expt}$ (expected)

Tevatron Performance



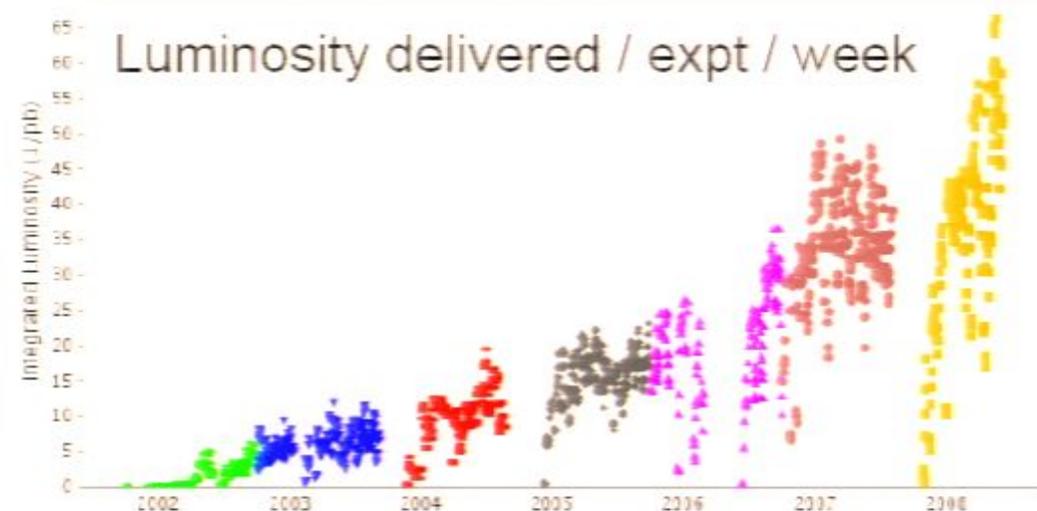
- Doubled dataset each year for four years
- Expect $1.5-2.0 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ per year ≥ 2007

Tevatron Performance



■ Anti-protons

- Doubled accumulation rate over last two years
- No longer limiting factor



■ Accelerator complex up time

- 20 years old
- Exceeding original design specs by x300
- Require constant vigilance

■ Fiscal Year 08 ■ Fiscal Year 07 ■ Fiscal Year 06 ■ Fiscal Year 05 ■ Fiscal Year 04
■ Fiscal Year 03 ■ Fiscal Year 02

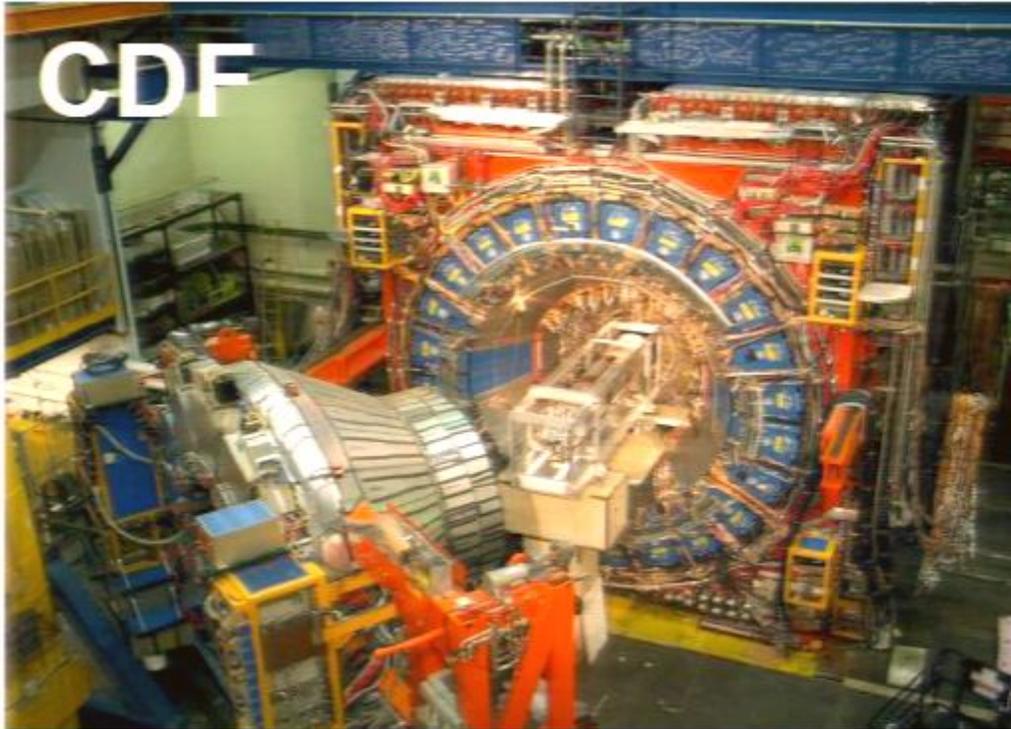
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Tevatron luminosity projection



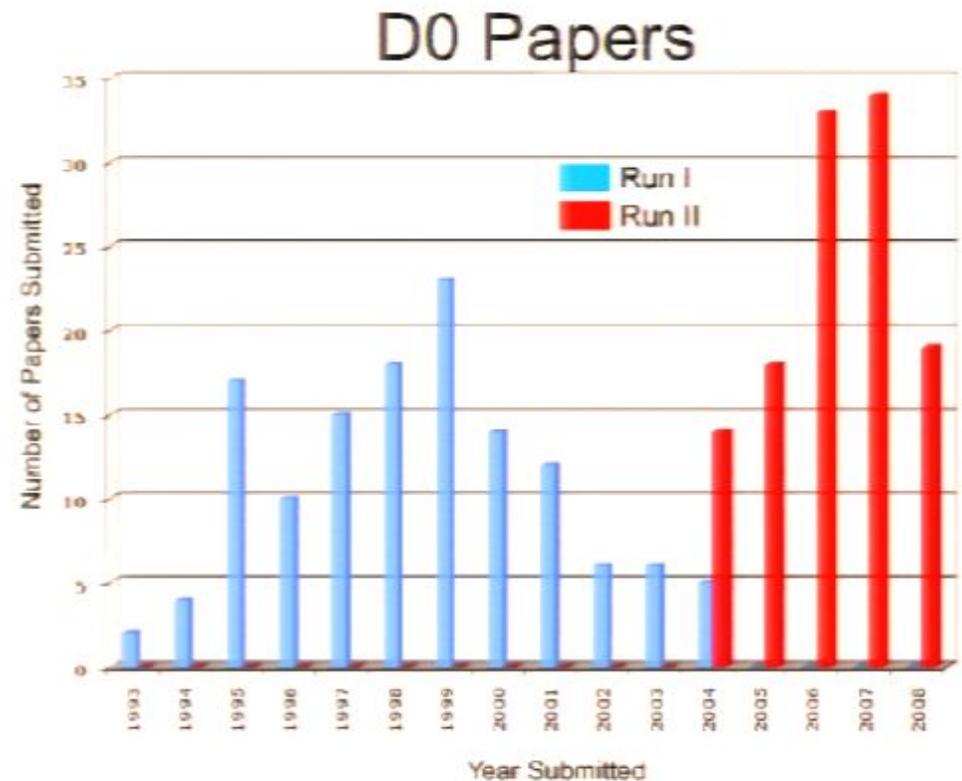
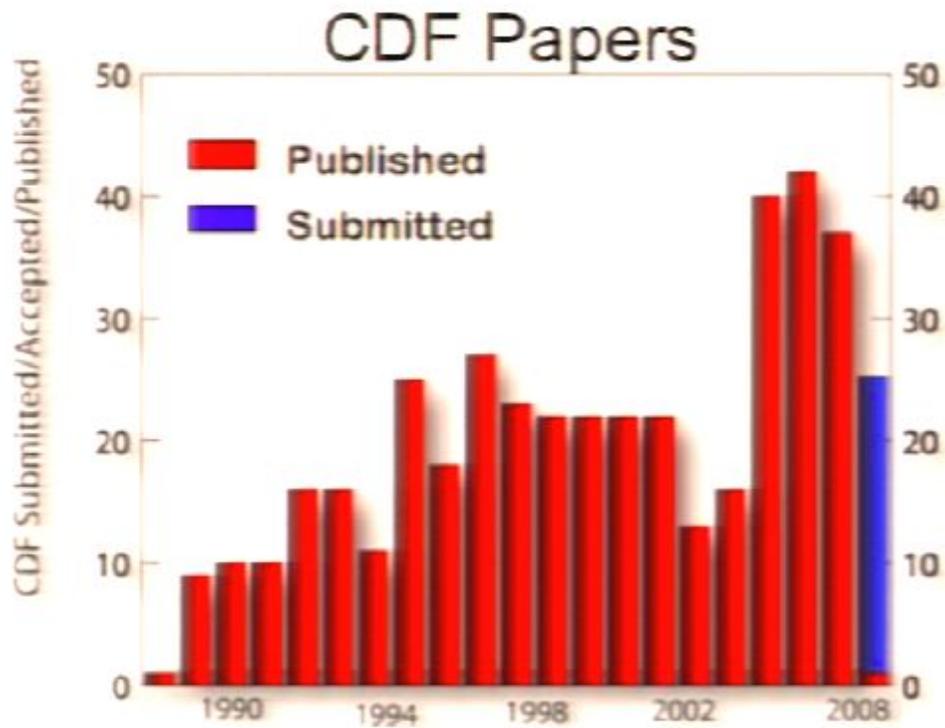
- Expect $\sim 6.5 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ /experiment by end of 2009
- Could reach $\sim 8 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ /experiment with 2010 run

Tevatron experiments



- Two multipurpose detectors with different strengths
- International collaborations of ~ 600 members

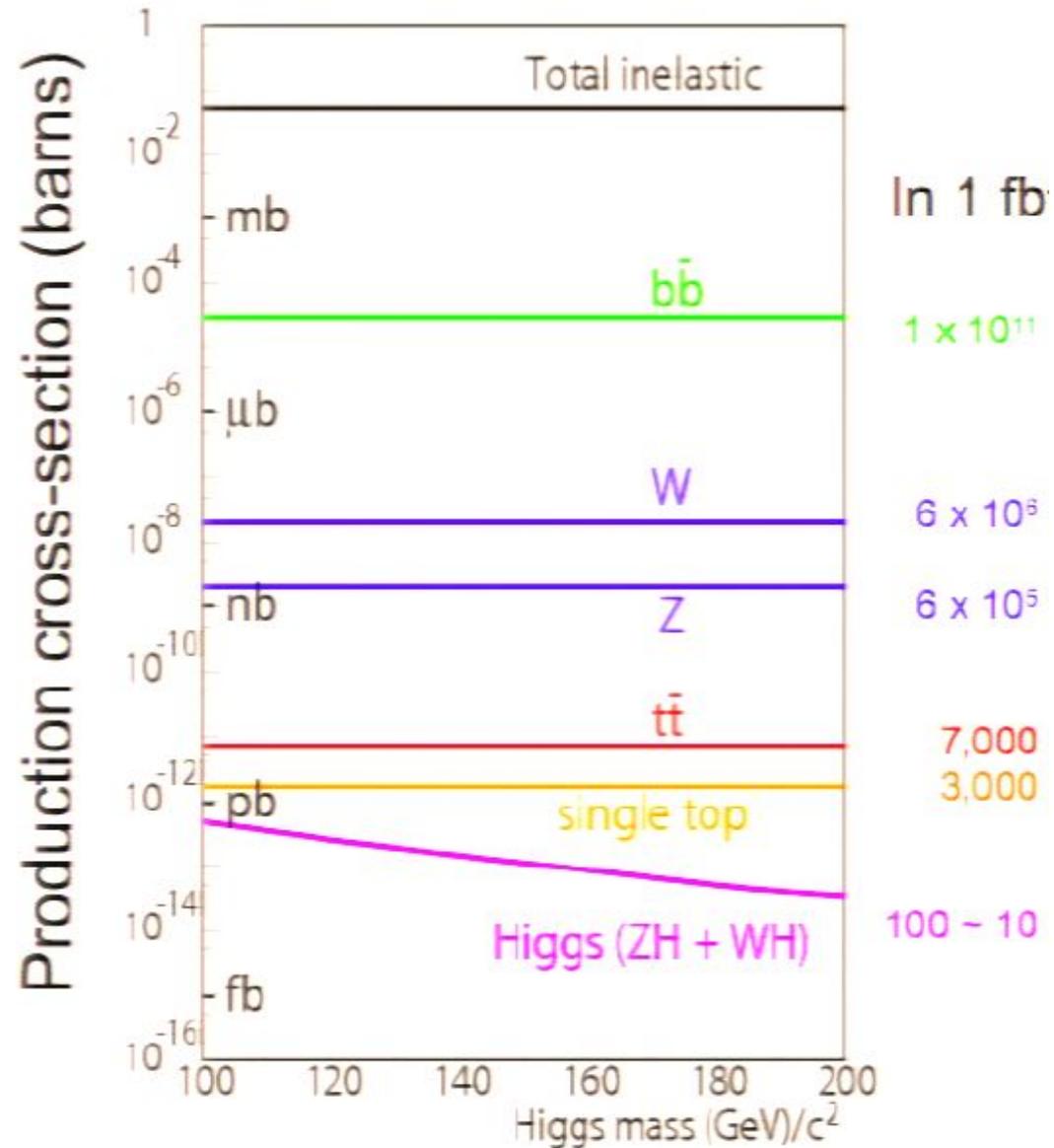
Physics productivity



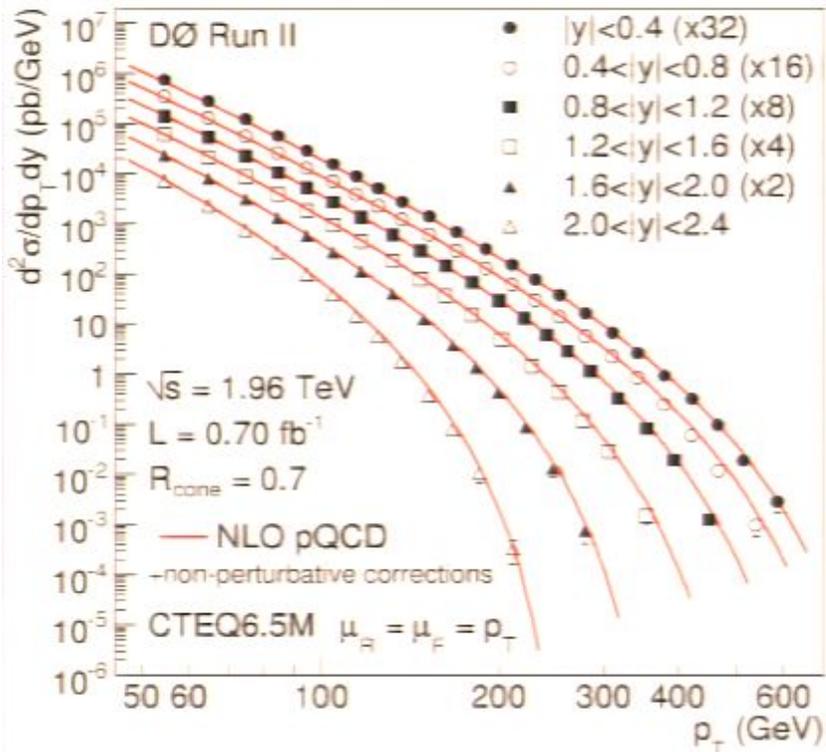
- CDF and D0 each publishing ~ 30-35 papers/year

Physics environment

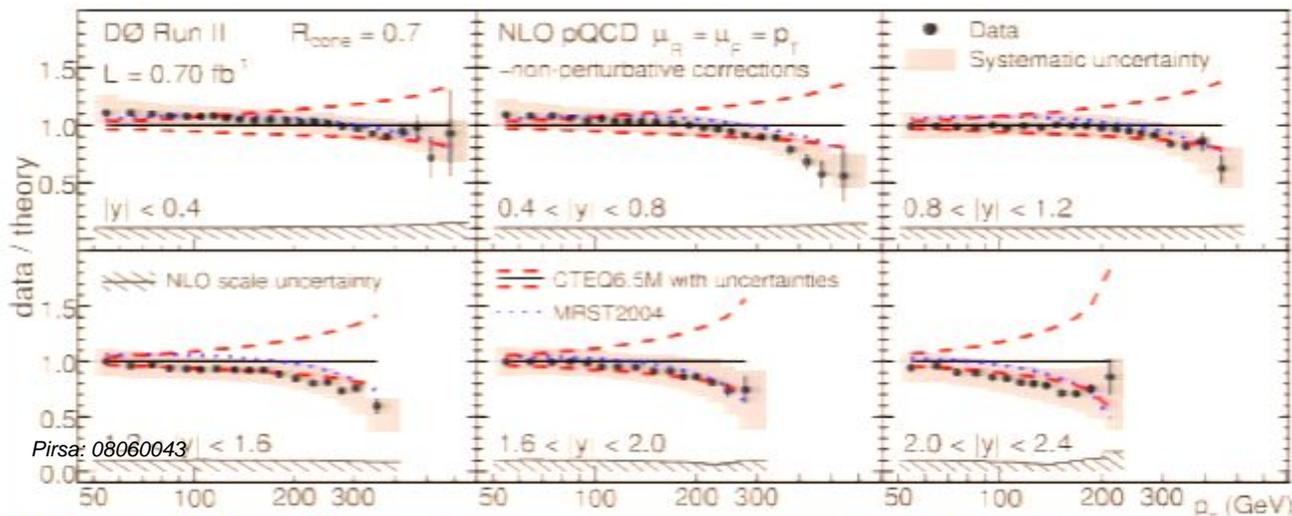
- QCD
- Heavy flavour
- Electroweak
- Top quark
- New Phenomena



Inclusive jet cross-section

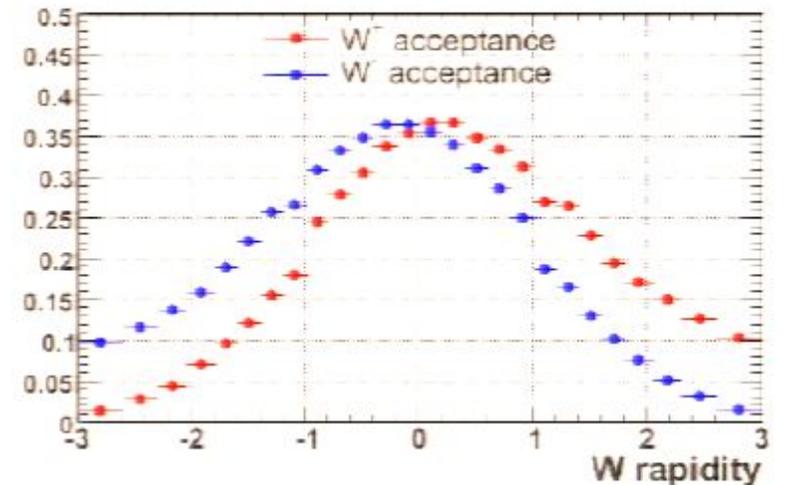
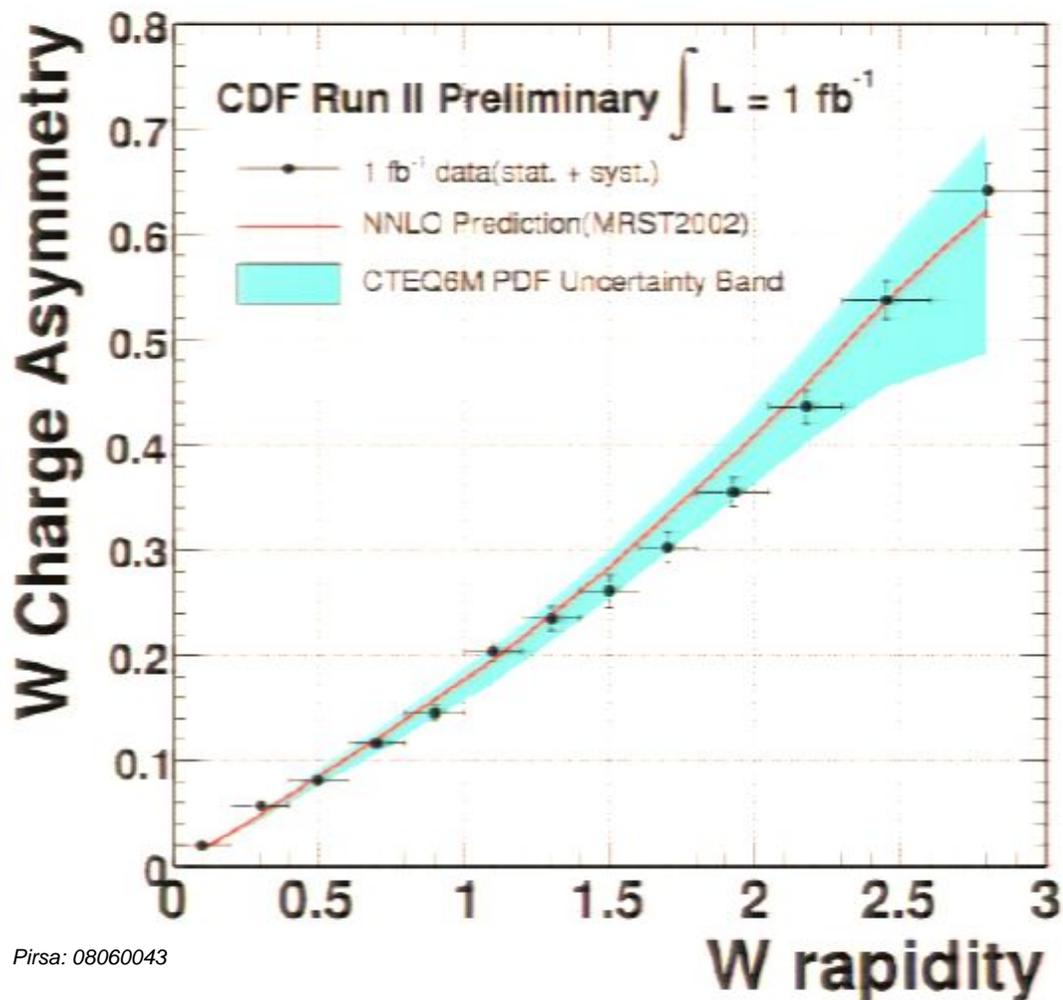


- Test of pQCD
 - Agreement with QCD over 8 order of magnitudes
- Determination of (anti)proton PDFs
 - Powerful constraints of gluon PDF from cross-section at high y
- Sensitivity to new physics at highest energy (at low y)
- Understanding bkg for other analyses (top, Higgs, W/Z,...)



W charge asymmetry

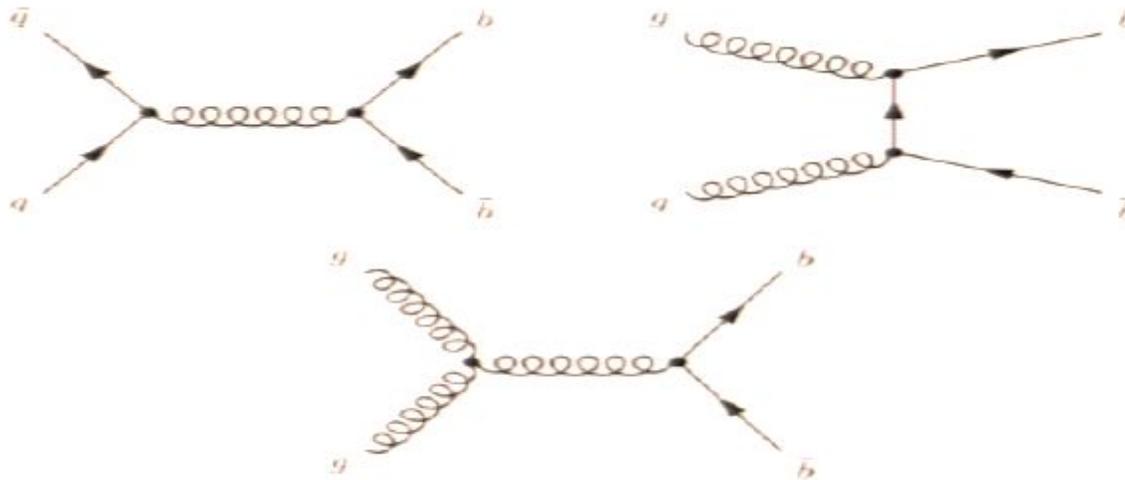
- u quarks carry more momentum than d quarks



- Constrain $u(x)$ and $d(x)$ PDFs in important region for LHC

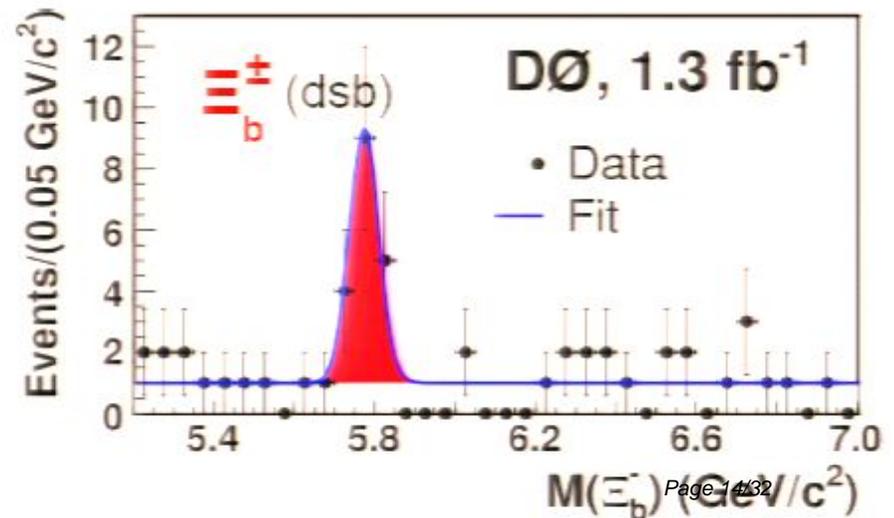
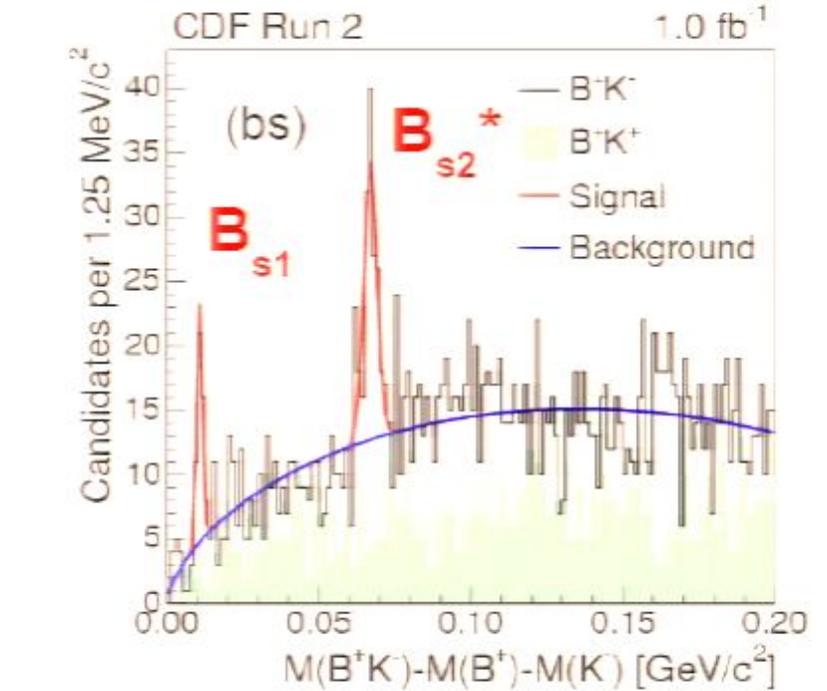
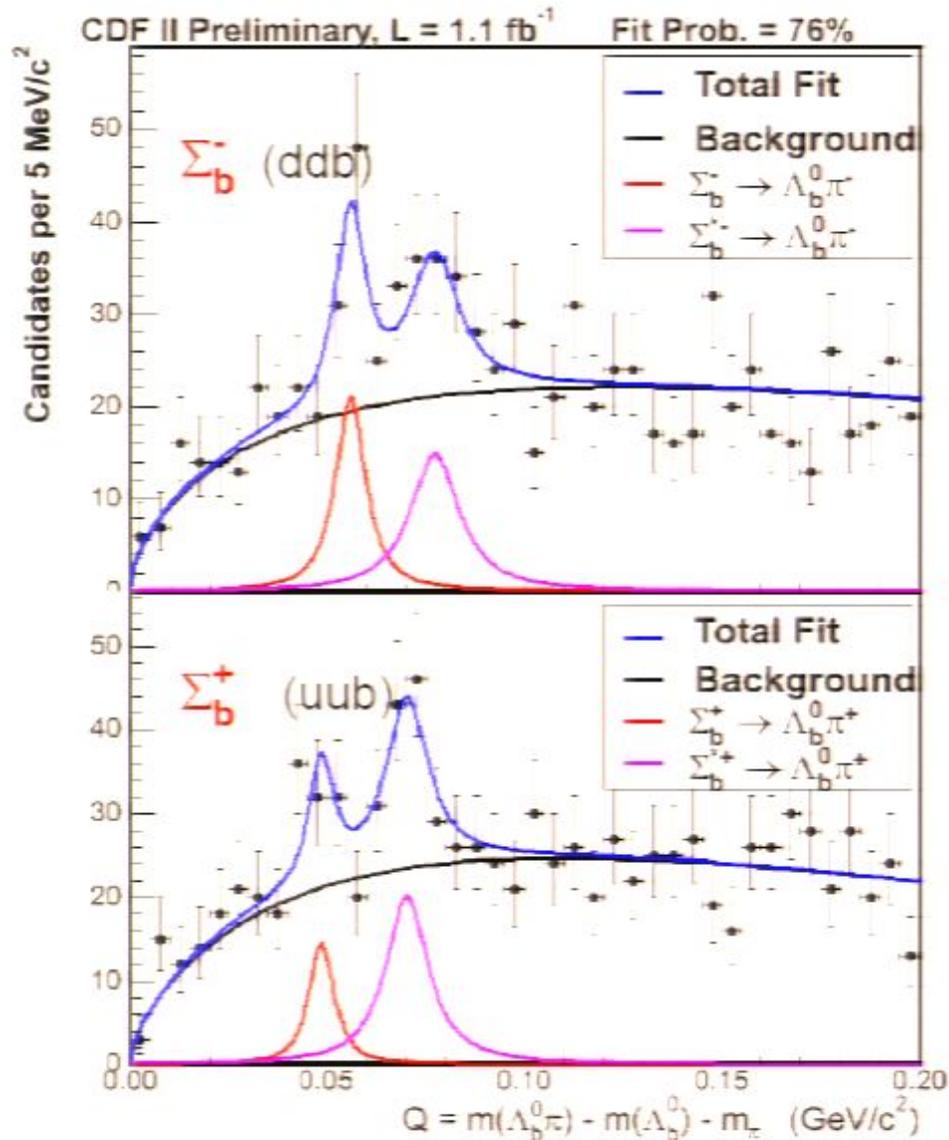
Heavy flavour physics

- Large $b\bar{b}$ cross-section $O(10 \mu\text{b})$



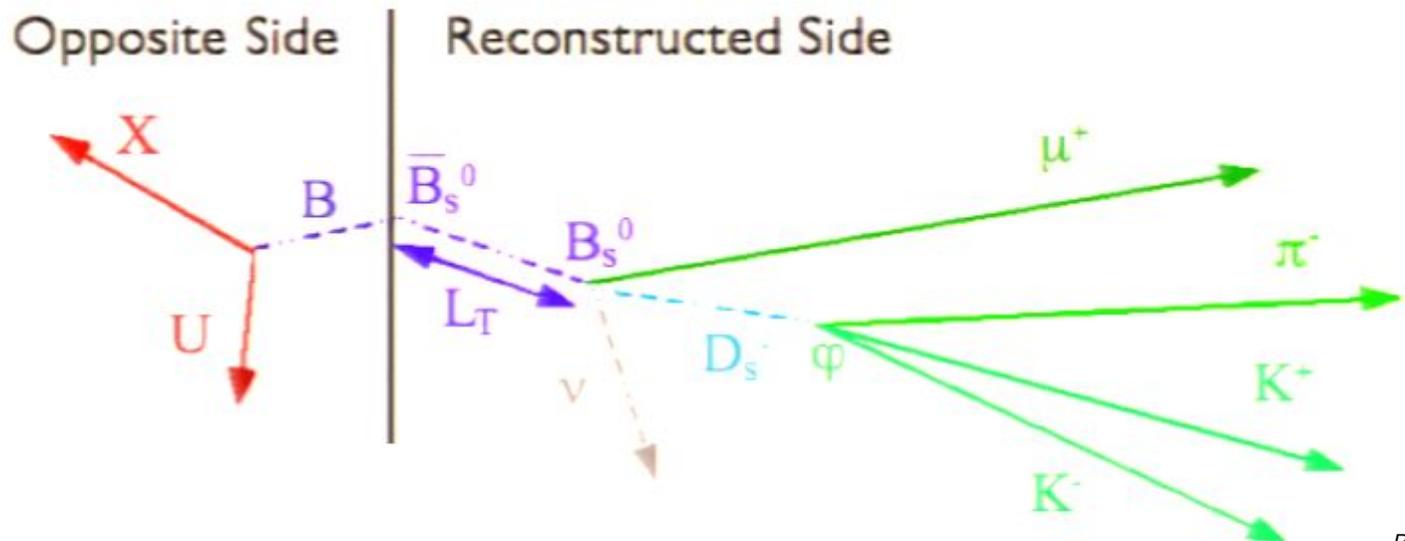
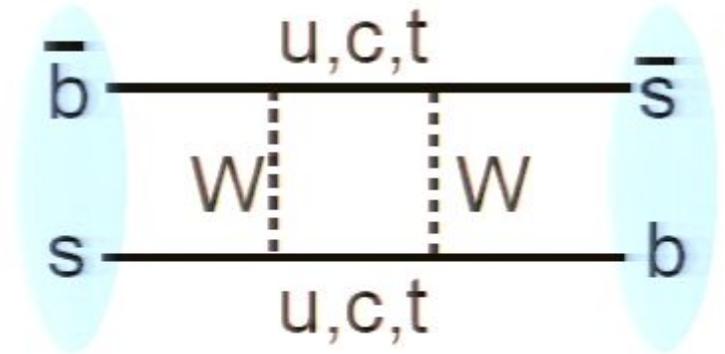
- Many hadrons only directly produced at Tevatron: $B_s, B_c, \Lambda_b, \Sigma_b, \Xi_b, \dots$
- Heavy flavour physics probes:
 - CKM matrix
 - QCD parameters
 - BSM processes
 - Effective field theories (HQET, NRQCD, lattice QCD...)

Spectroscopy



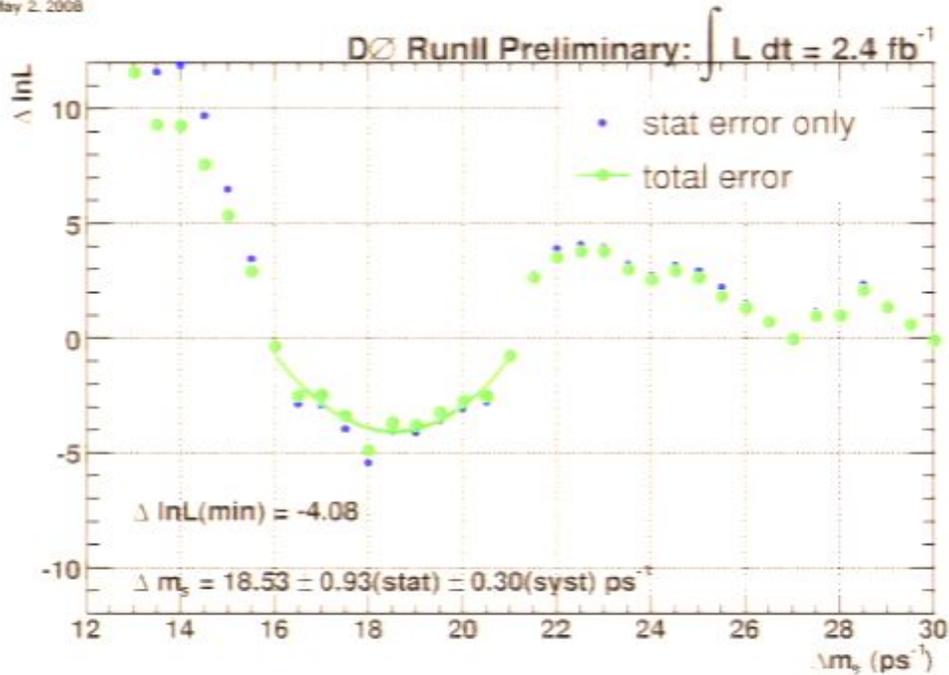
B_s oscillation

- mass eigenstates \neq weak eigenstates
- Process (dominantly) mediated by box diagrams
- Sensitive to new heavy particles in loops

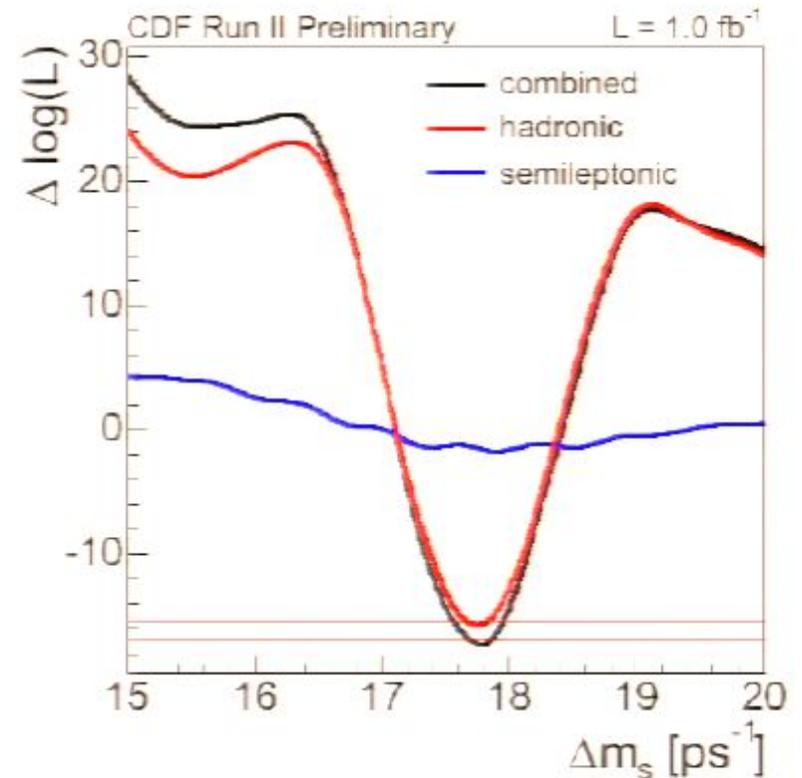


B_s oscillation

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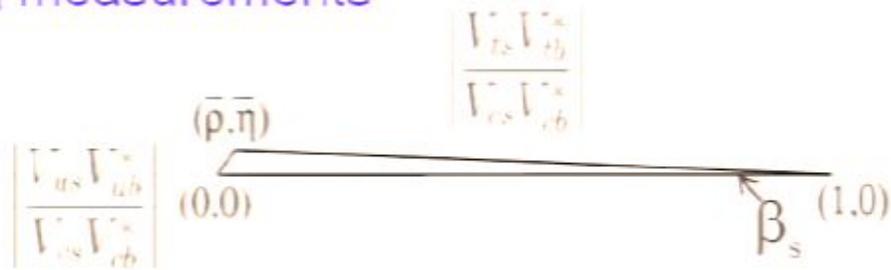
$$\Delta m_s = 18.53 \pm 0.93(\text{stat}) \pm 0.30(\text{syst}) \text{ ps}^{-1}$$



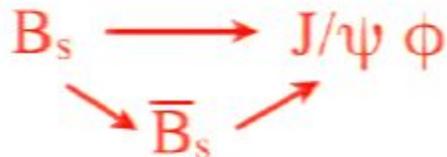
$$\Delta m_s = 17.77 \pm 0.10(\text{stat}) \pm 0.07(\text{syst}) \text{ ps}^{-1}$$

CP violation in B_s

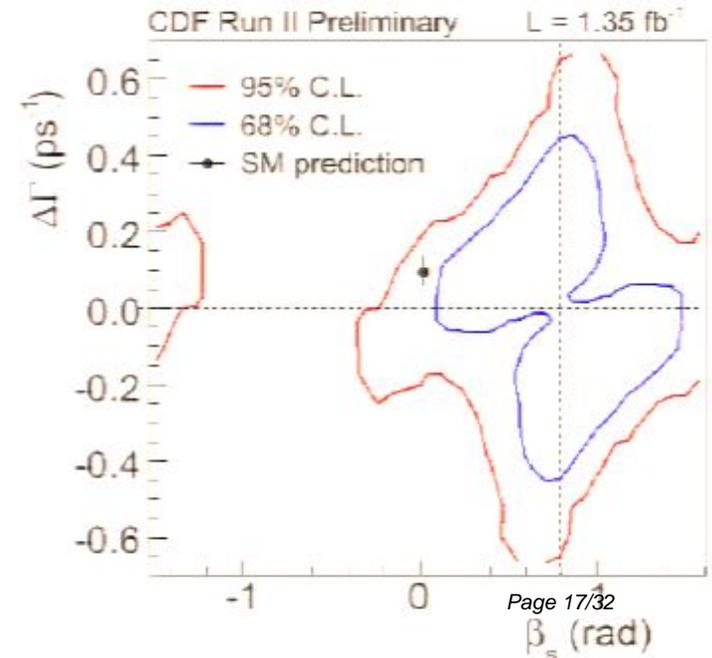
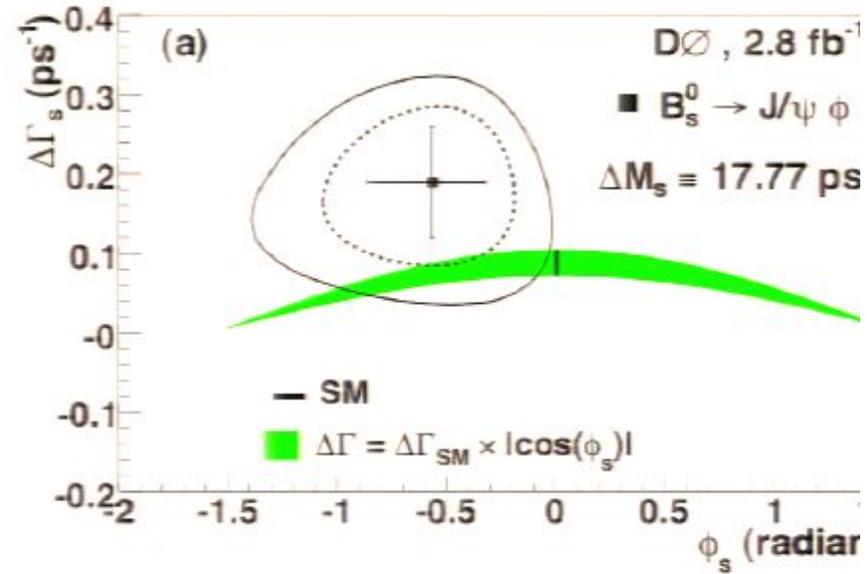
- CP violation in B_s unconstrained by B_d measurements



- Arises from interference between B_s mixing and decay



- Small effect in SM: $\phi_s = -2\beta_s \sim -0.04$ [JHEP 0706 (2007) 072]
 - New physics can have a large impact



- Use B-mixing techniques (ex. flavour tagging)

First hint of new physics?

- Combinations of B_s mixing measurements performed by the **UTfit** collaboration
 - Phase of the B_s mixing amplitude deviates more than 3σ from SM
- All fit inputs include Tevatron results ($\Delta m_s, A_{\Delta\Gamma}^s, A_{\Delta\Gamma}^{\mu\mu}, \tau_{B_s}^{FS}, \phi_s, \Delta\Gamma_s, \tau_{B_s}$)
- Uncertainties in unfolding of strong phases from $D\bar{D}$ results
 - Different combination procedures all lead to $\geq 3\sigma$ deviation from SM
- Fit input measurements currently statistically limited
 - Precision will still improve
- Could be first hint of CP violation outside CKM mechanism

arXiv:0803.065

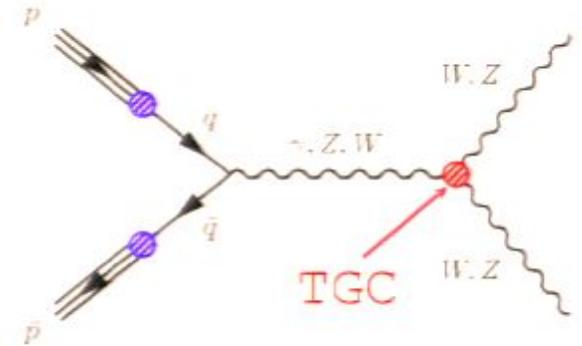
FIRST EVIDENCE OF NEW PHYSICS IN $b \leftrightarrow s$ TRANSITIONS

(UTfit Collaboration)

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Dibosons and TGCs

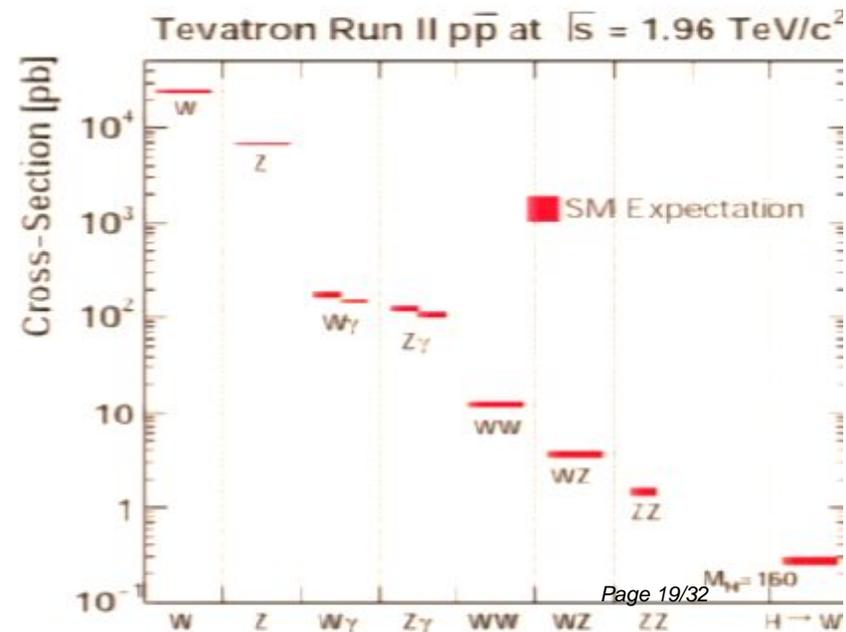
- Test gauge structure of SM with WW, WZ, ZZ, W γ and Z γ samples
 - Neutral couplings: ZZZ, ZZ γ , Z $\gamma\gamma$ (better sensitivity than LEP2)
 - Charged couplings: WWZ, WW γ (complementary to LEP2)
- Sensitive to new physics
- Important processes for Higgs and SUSY searches



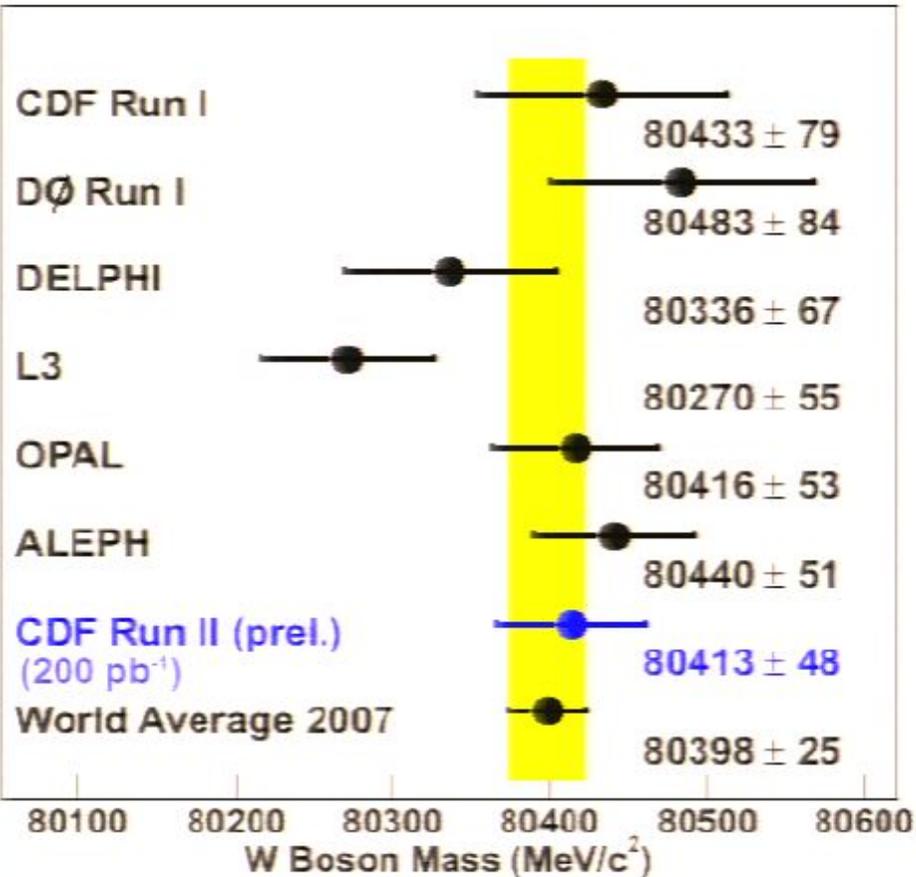
DØ, 1 fb⁻¹ ($\Lambda=1.2$ TeV)

$$\begin{aligned}
 q\bar{q} \rightarrow Z/\gamma \rightarrow ZZ & \quad -0.26 < f_{40}^Y < 0.26 \\
 & \quad -0.28 < f_{40}^Z < 0.28 \\
 & \quad -0.30 < f_{50}^Y < 0.28 \\
 & \quad -0.31 < f_{50}^Z < 0.29
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 q\bar{q} \rightarrow Z/\gamma(*) \rightarrow Z\gamma & \quad -0.085 < h_{30}^Y < 0.084 \\
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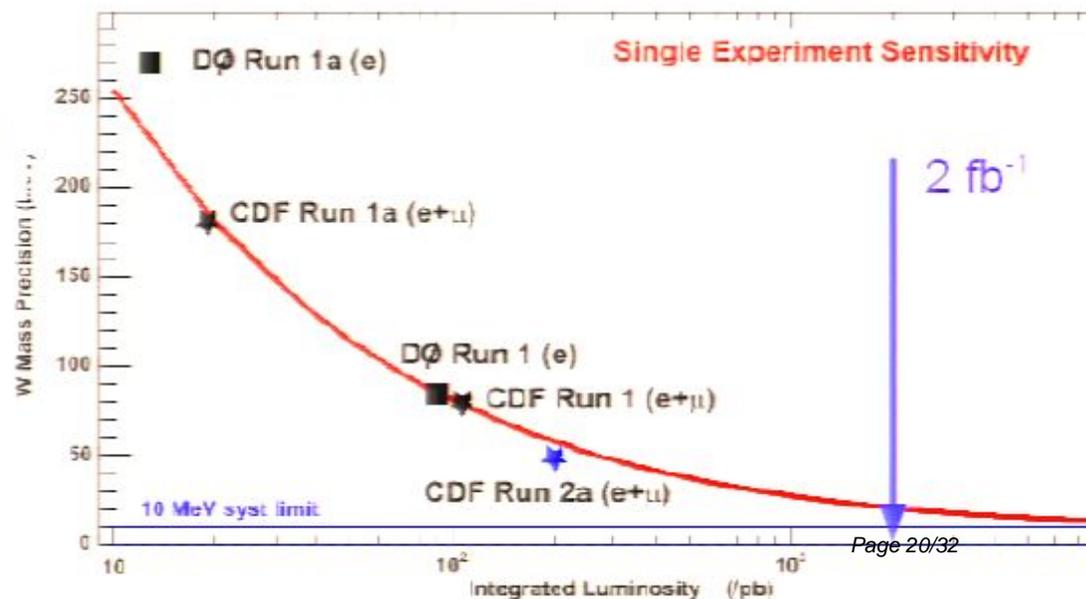


W mass



- Both experiments aim for new results at ICHEP:

With $\sim 2 \text{ fb}^{-1}$, CDF extrapolates to $\Delta M_W \sim 25 \text{ MeV}/c^2$ (comparable with current world average)



Top quark properties

- **Charge:** Exclude $4/3e$ hypothesis @ 92% CL [D0, 370 pb⁻¹]

- **Width:** $\Gamma_t < 12.7 \text{ GeV}$ @ 95% CL [CDF, 1 fb⁻¹]

- **Production:**

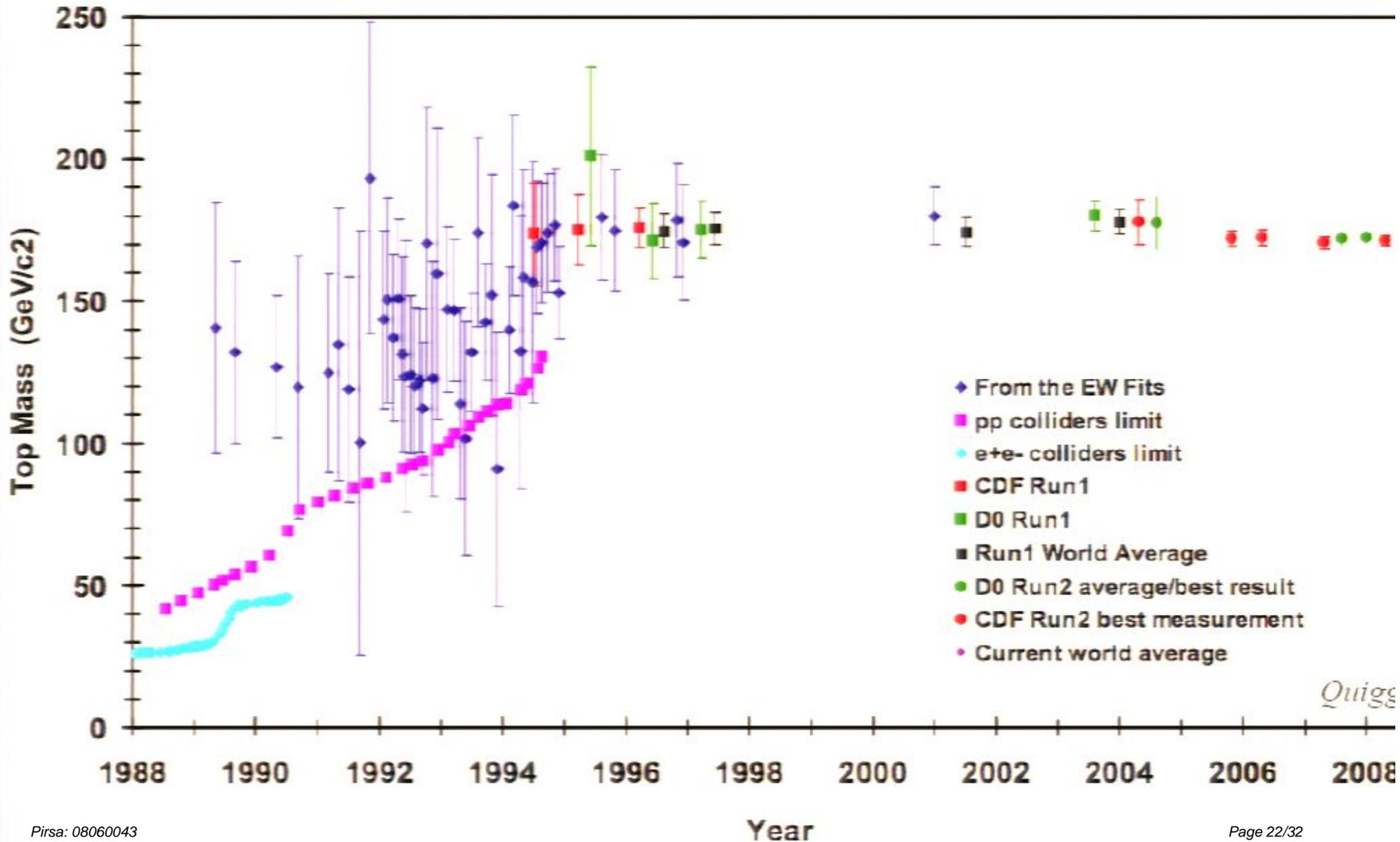
- production cross-section: $\sigma(p\bar{p} \rightarrow t\bar{t}) = 6.2_{-0.9}^{+0.9} \text{ (stat)} \quad {}_{-0.7}^{+0.8} \text{ (syst)} \pm 0.4 \text{ (lumi)} \text{ pb}$ [D0, 1 fb⁻¹]
- production mechanism: $\frac{\sigma(gg \rightarrow t\bar{t})}{\sigma(p\bar{p} \rightarrow t\bar{t})} = 0.07 \pm 0.14 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.07 \text{ (syst)}$ [CDF, 1 fb⁻¹]
- top charge asymmetry: $A_{\text{FB}} = 0.17 \pm 0.07 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.04 \text{ (syst)}$ [CDF, 1.9 fb⁻¹]
- single top production: $\sigma(p\bar{p} \rightarrow tb) = 4.7_{-1.3}^{+1.3} \text{ pb}$ (3.6 σ) [D0, 0.9 fb⁻¹]

- **Decay:**

- $R = \frac{B(t \rightarrow Wb)}{B(t \rightarrow Wq)} = 0.97_{-0.08}^{+0.09}$ [D0, 0.9 fb⁻¹]

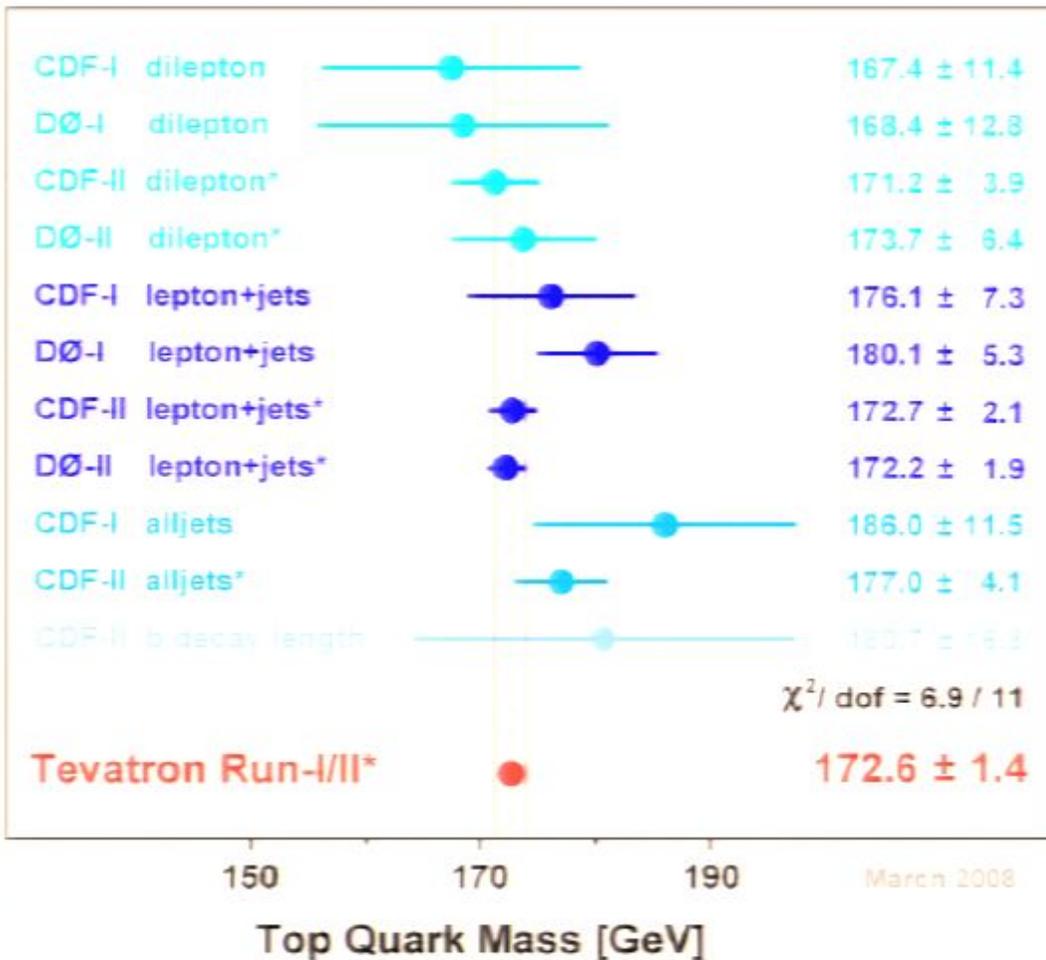
- W helicity: $F_0 = 0.65 \pm 0.19 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.03 \text{ (syst)}$
 $F_{\pm} = -0.03 \pm 0.07 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.03 \text{ (syst)}$ [CDF, 1 fb⁻¹]

Top Mass



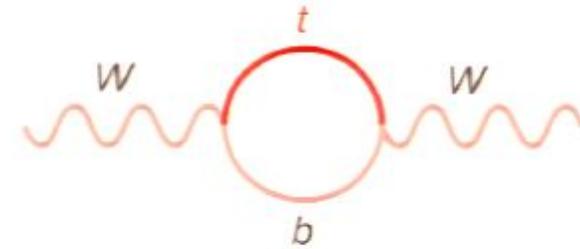
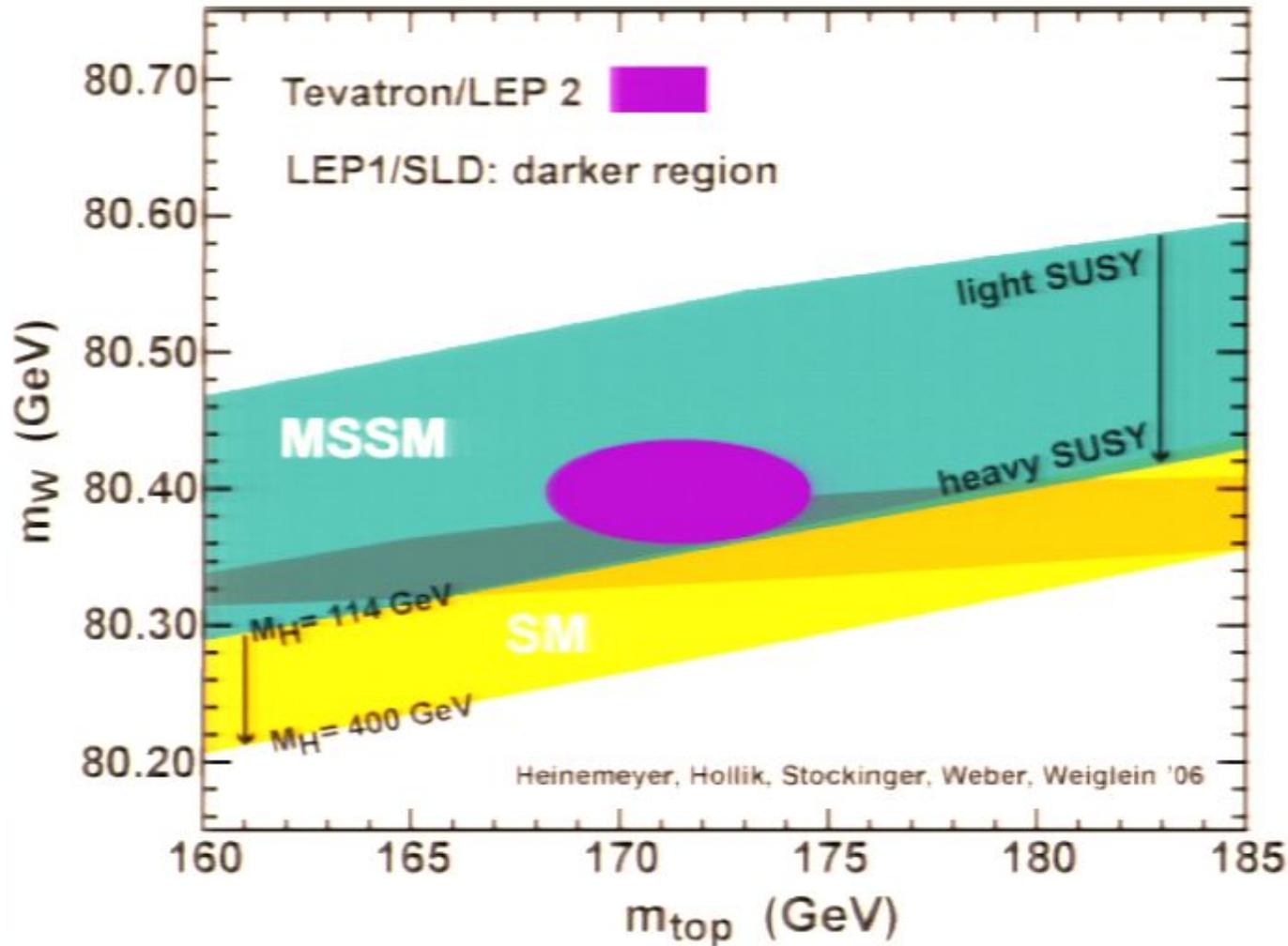
Top Mass

Best Independent Measurements
of the Mass of the Top Quark (*=Preliminary)

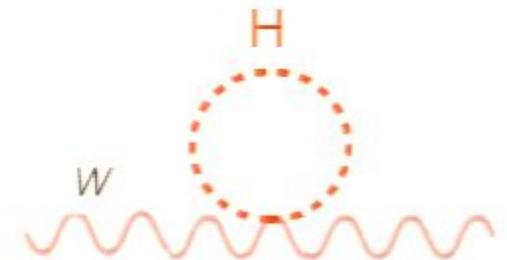


- New results in all three decay channels
- $\Delta M_t = 1.4 \text{ GeV}/c^2$ (0.8 %)
- Exceeded Run II goals by x2
- Measurements systematics limited
- Ongoing work to reduce dominant systematic uncertainties
 - Jet Energy Scale
 - ISR/FSR
 - Background modelling
- Could reach $\Delta M_t = 1.0 \text{ GeV}/c^2$

M_t vs M_W vs M_H



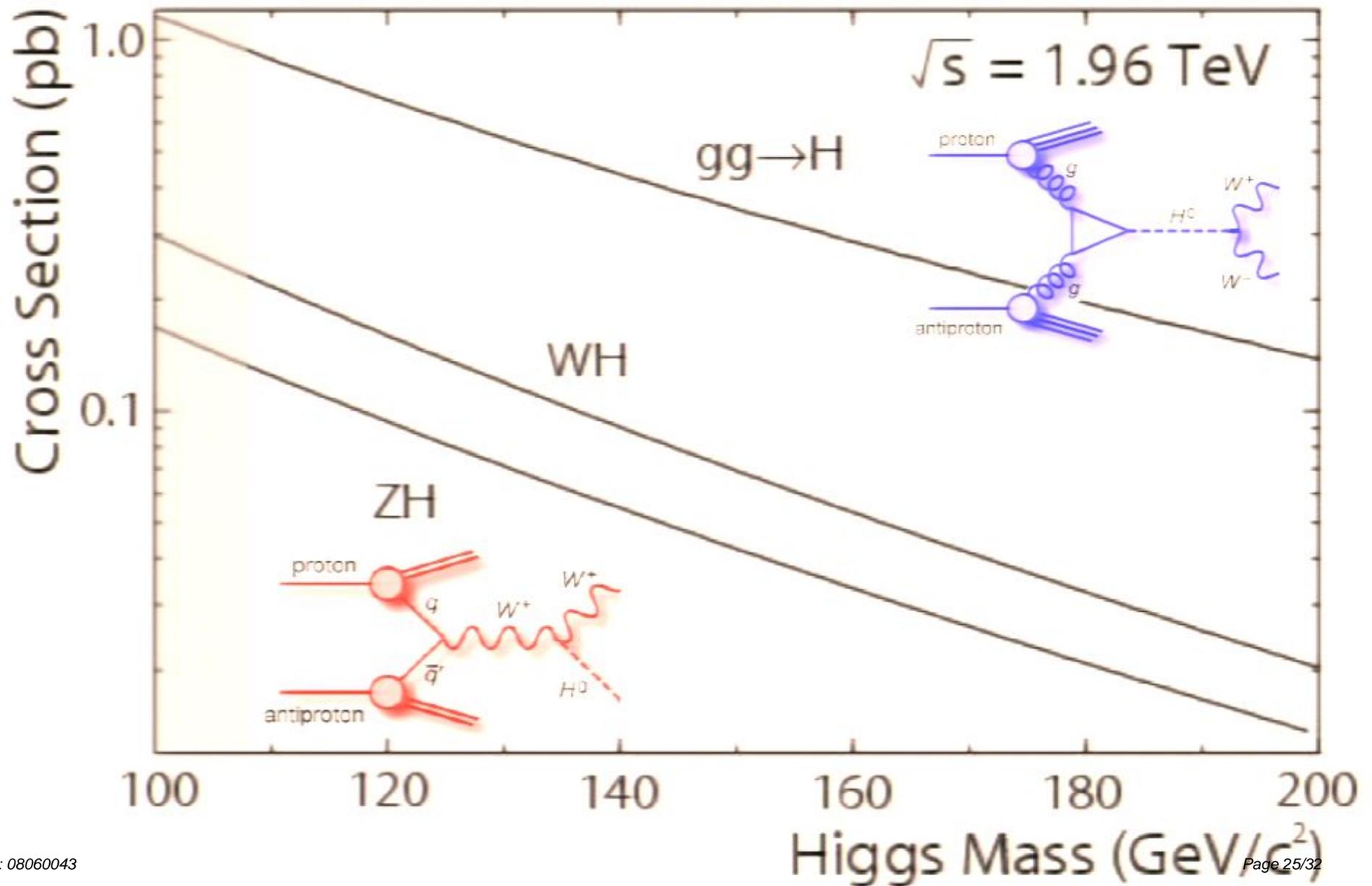
$$\delta m_W \propto m_t^2$$



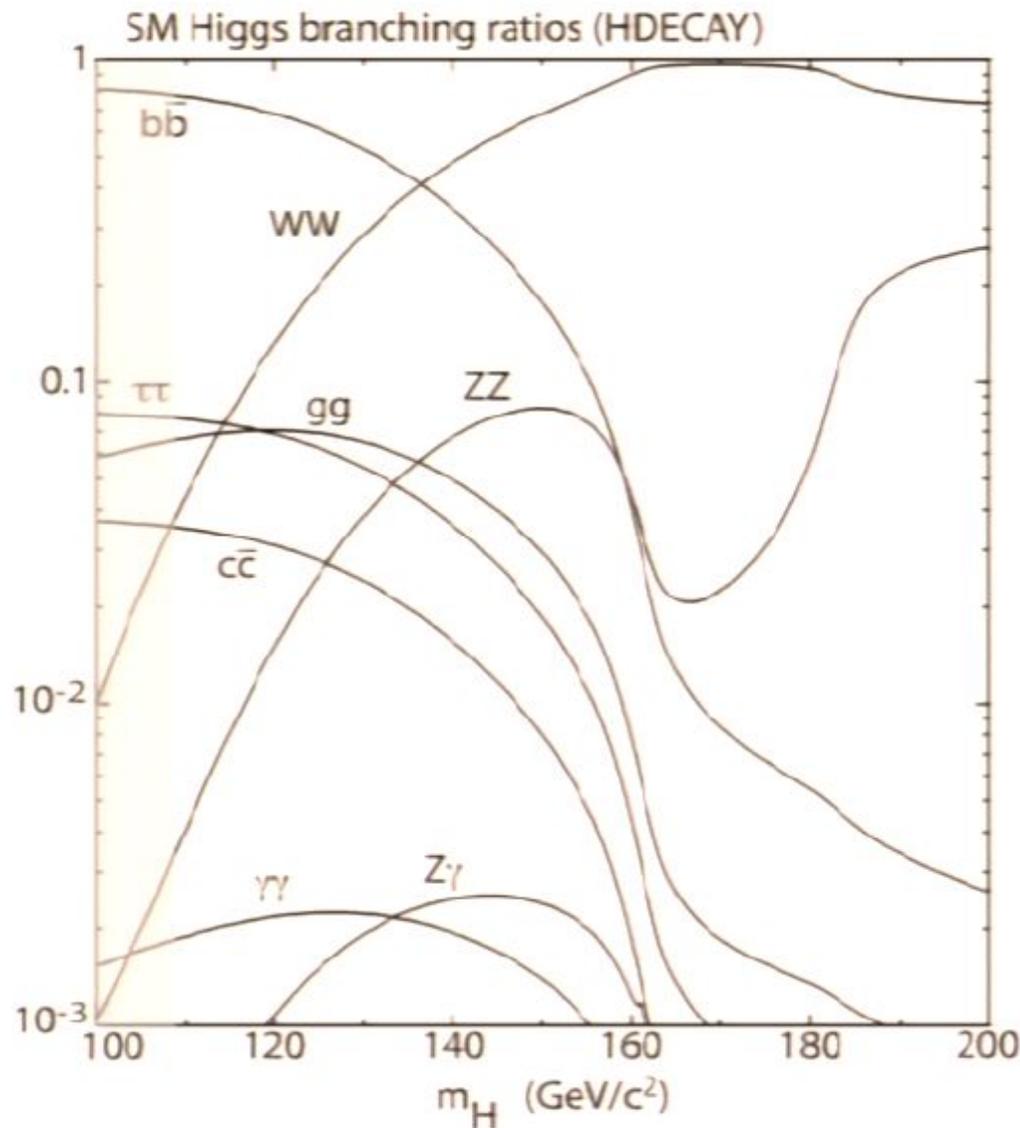
$$\delta m_W \propto \ln m_H$$

$$M_H^{Best\ fit} = 87^{+36}_{-27} \text{ GeV}/c^2$$

SM Higgs production



SM Higgs decay



Most important decays:

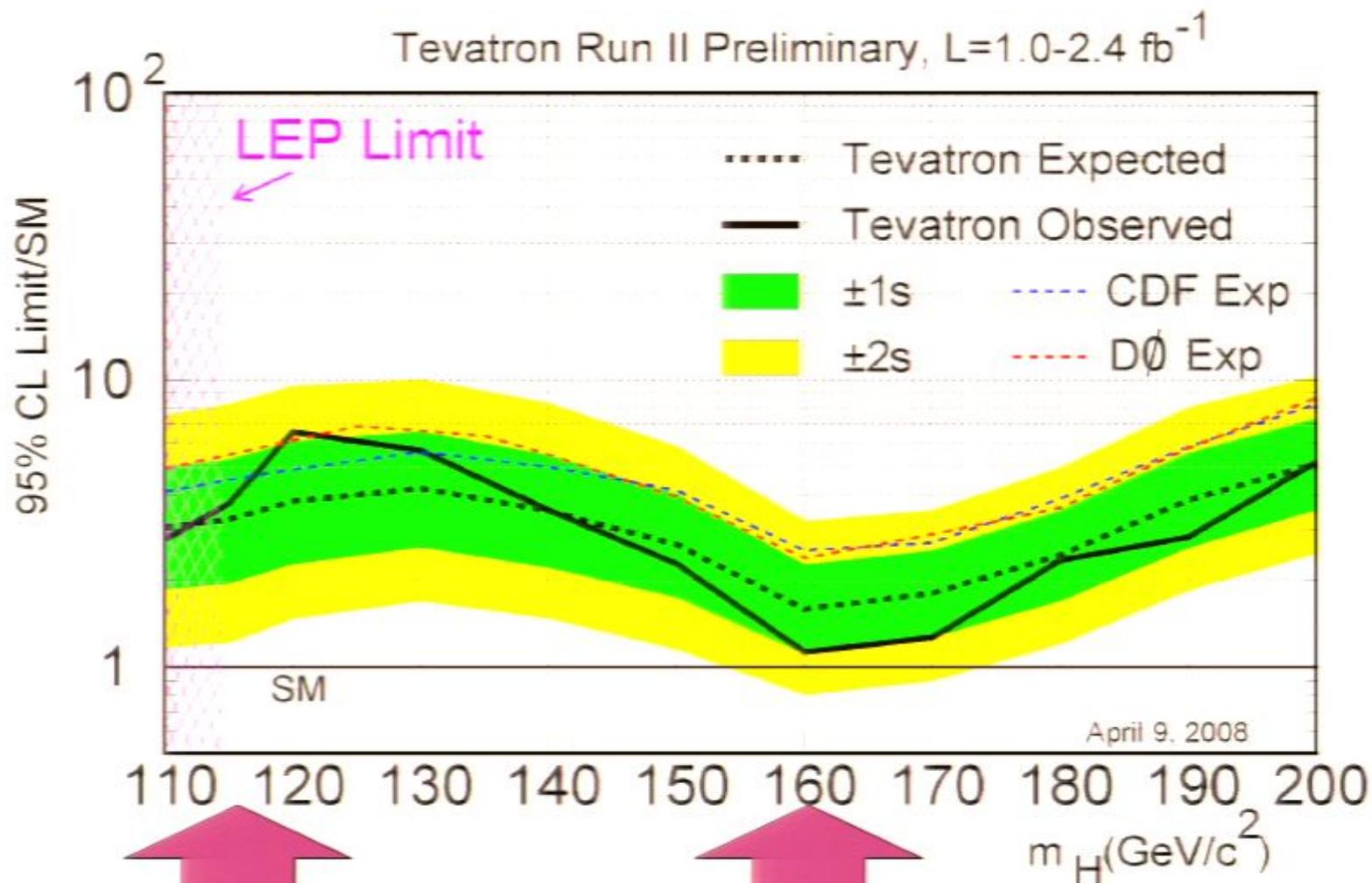
- Low mass

$$H^0 \rightarrow b\bar{b}, W^+W^-, \tau^+\tau^-$$

- High mass

$$H^0 \rightarrow W^+W^-$$

Tevatron combined Higgs limit

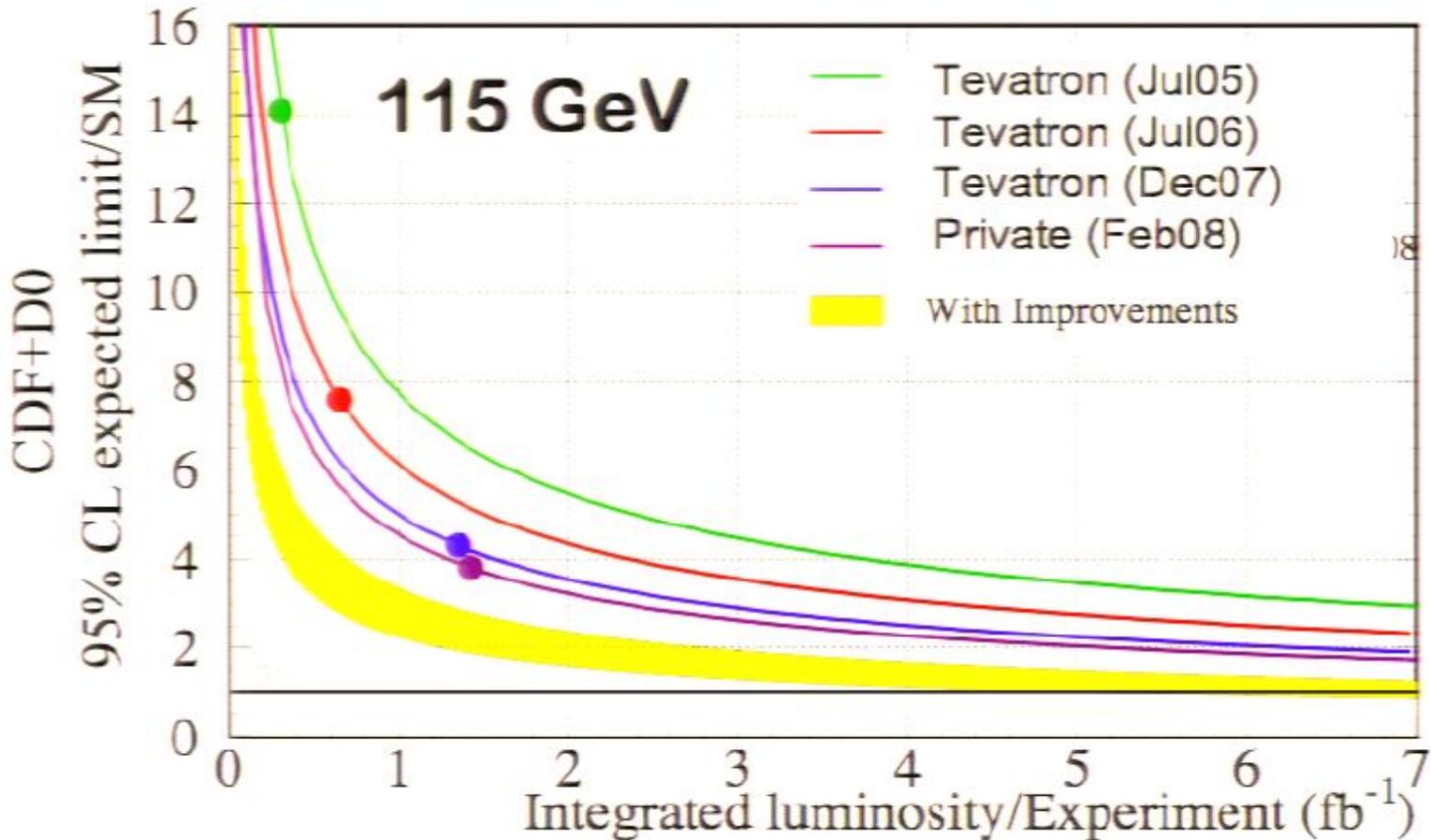


$M_H = 115 \text{ GeV}/c^2$
 Expected: 3.3
 Observed: 3.7

$M_H = 160 \text{ GeV}/c^2$
 Expected: 1.6
 Observed: 1.1

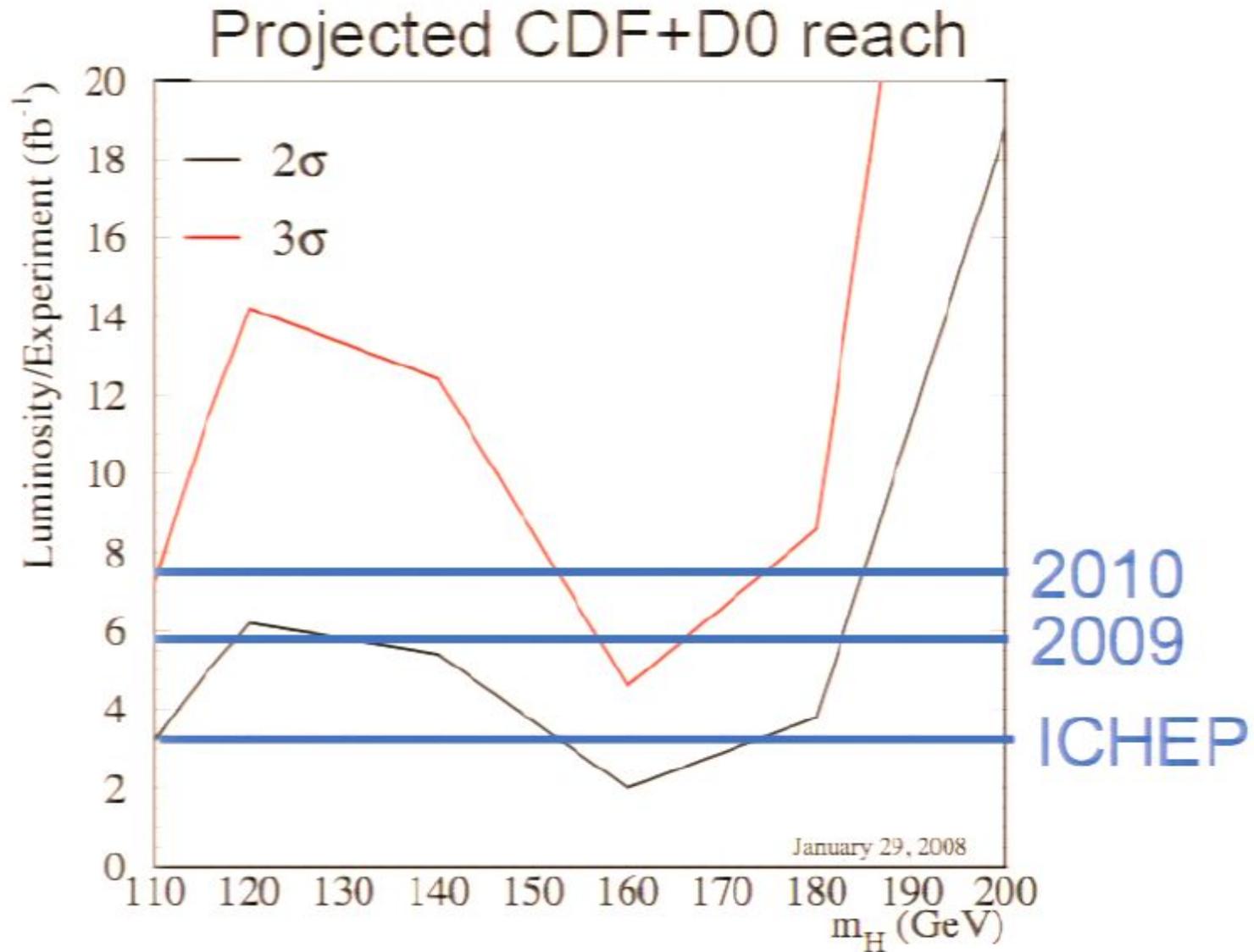
Tevatron Higgs sensitivity

$m_H = 115 \text{ GeV}$



Higgs sensitivity improving faster than $1/\sqrt{\mathcal{L}}$

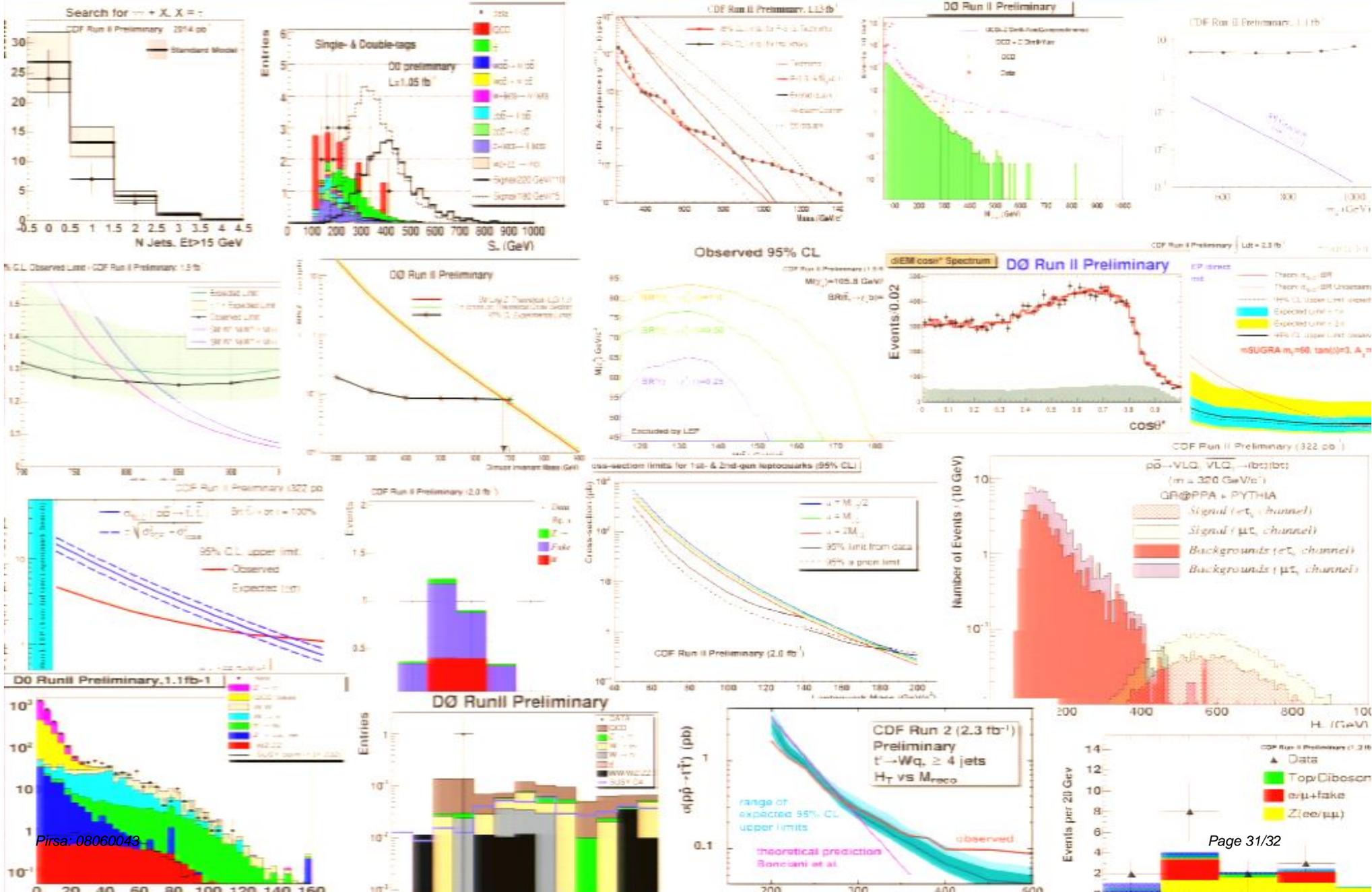
Tevatron Higgs projection



Search for new phenomena

Physics at the energy frontier implies that Tevatron experiments have the world's best sensitivity to many different New Physics signatures.

Search for new phenomena



Summary

- Tevatron collider and experiments performing well
 - 4 fb^{-1} / experiment recorded
 - Expect 6-8 fb^{-1} / experiment by the end of Run-II
- CDF and D0 are carrying out an extensive physics program
 - Ready to take advantage of new data
- Physics legacy
 - Precise determination of Δm_s and constraints on CP phase β_{Bs}
 - Precision measurements of M_t ($\delta M_t = 1.0\text{-}1.5 \text{ GeV}/c^2$) and M_W ($\delta M_W = 15\text{-}25 \text{ MeV}/c^2$).
 - A more restrict parameter space of New Physics
 - ... a Higgs mass