

Light Yukawa couplings in HH production

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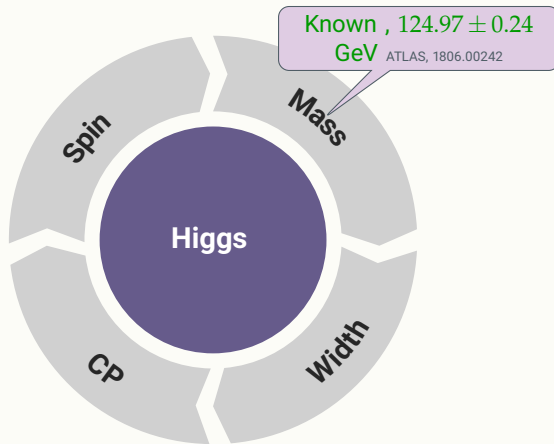
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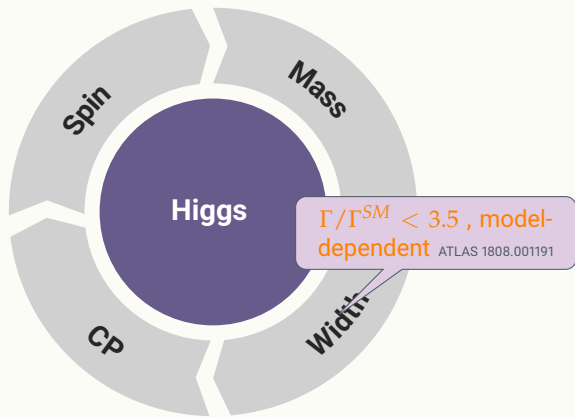
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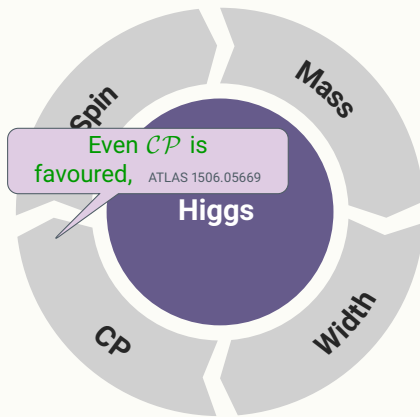
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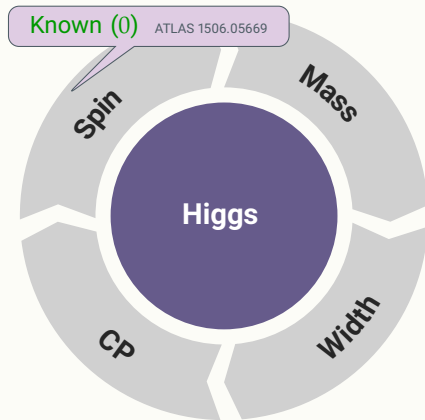
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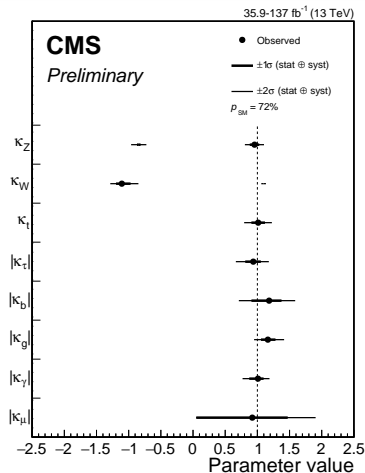
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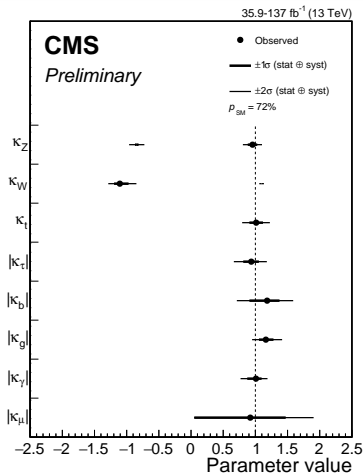
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- The current bounds on the light Yukawa couplings (2nd and 1st generation quarks), are (model-dependent, global fit):

$$|\kappa_d| < 1270, \quad |\kappa_u| < 1150;$$

$$|\kappa_s| < 53, \quad |\kappa_c| < 5.$$

Obtained by allowing the couplings to be scaled one at a time F. Yu, '16

- The current bounds are very weak :(



We have the Lagrangian :

$$\mathcal{L} \supset -Y_u \bar{Q}_L \Phi u_R - Y_d \bar{Q}_L \Phi d_R + h.c. \\ + \frac{\Phi^\dagger \Phi}{\Lambda^2} (c_u \bar{Q}_L \Phi u_R + c_d \bar{Q}_L \Phi d_R + h.c.)$$

SMEFT Yukawa

$$g_{hf\bar{f}} = g_{hf\bar{f}}^{SM} - \frac{\xi}{\sqrt{2}} c_f = \kappa_f g_{hf\bar{f}}^{SM}.$$

Linear $hhf\bar{f}$ coupling

$$g_{hhf\bar{f}} = -3 g_{hf\bar{f}}^{SM} \frac{(1 - \kappa_f)}{v}$$

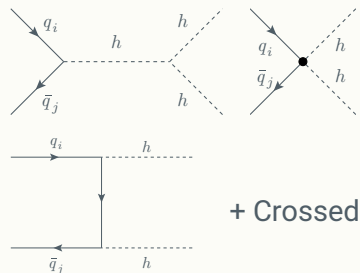
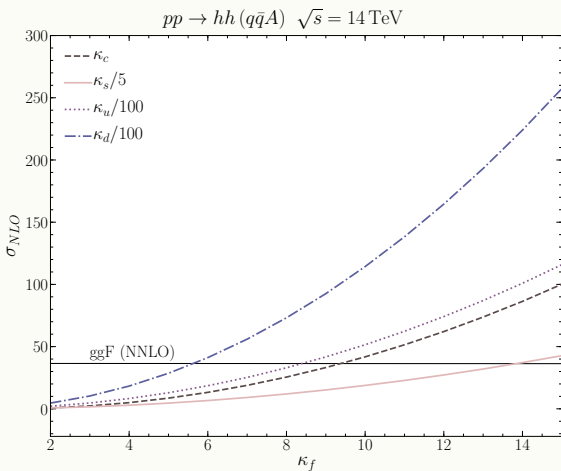
We identify :

$$g_{hf\bar{f}}^{SM} = \frac{m_f}{v}, \quad \xi = \frac{v^2}{\Lambda^2},$$

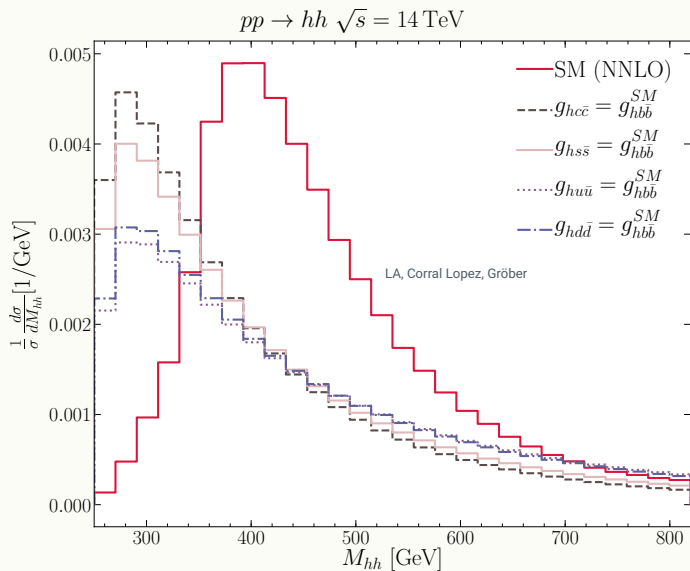
and the scaling:

$$\kappa_f = \left(1 - \frac{c_f}{\sqrt{2}} \xi \frac{v}{m_f} \right).$$

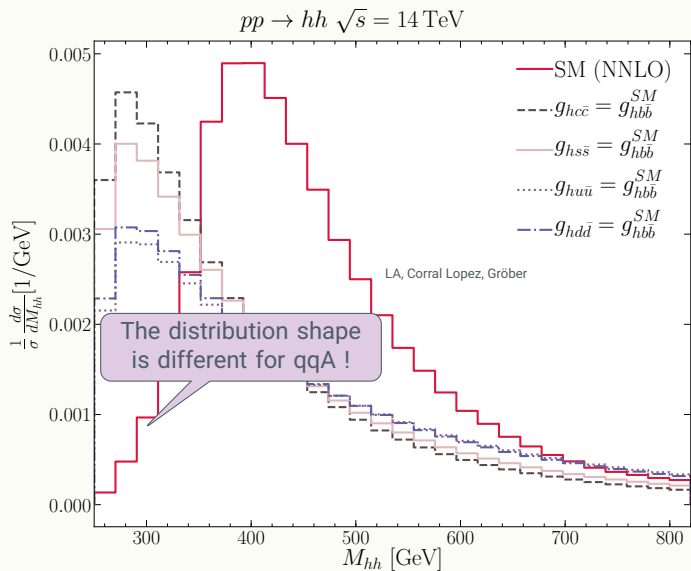
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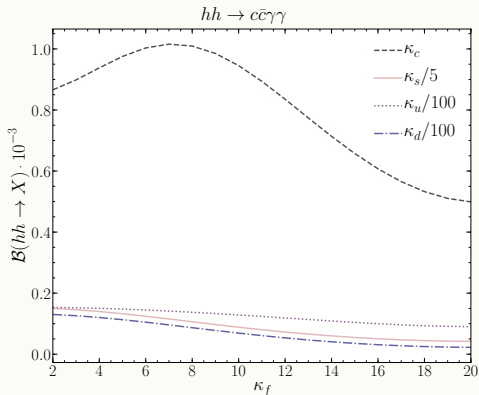
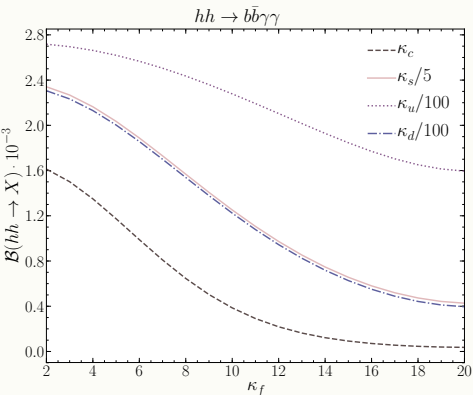


The channel $q\bar{q} \rightarrow hh$ (differential cross section)



The channel $q\bar{q} \rightarrow hh$ (partial widths)

The branching ratios (BR) are changed significantly with κ_f scaling. The BR's were calculated via a modified version of HDECAY A. Djouadi et al. '98



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Use combination of b - and c - tagging to probe $hh \rightarrow \bar{c}c\gamma\gamma$, as we shall see later on.

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$$\mu = \frac{\mathcal{N}_s}{\mathcal{N}_s^{SM} + \mathcal{N}_b^{SM}}$$

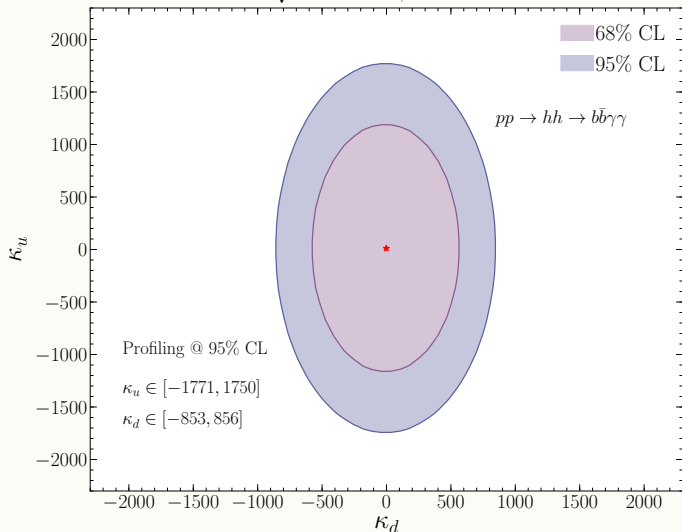
We use toy experiments to generate Asimov data, for the HL-LHC sensitivity estimation, we find that

$$\hat{\mu} = 1.2 \pm 0.9 (@95\%CL)$$

Here, we have assumed that the null hypothesis is the SM HH with SM background.

The backgrounds are taken from A. Azatov et al. '15.

Performing a Likelihood fit on the 1st generation scaling, we obtain the bounds
HL-LHC: $\sqrt{s} = 14$ TeV, $L = 3 \text{ ab}^{-1}$



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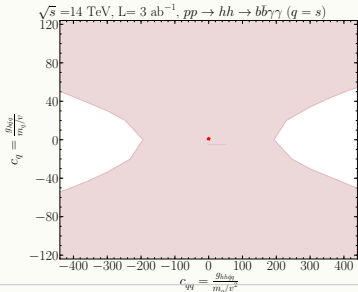
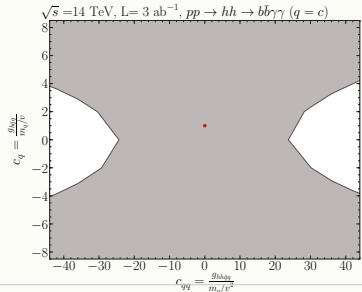
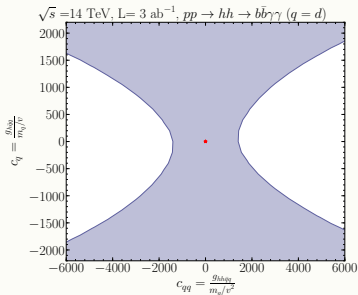
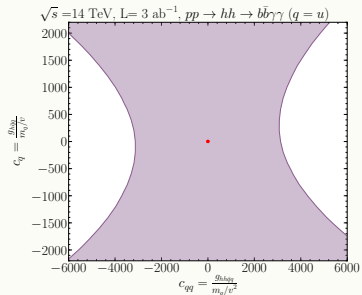
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No other accessible processes are sensitive to c_{qq} other than HH !

Results for non-linear EFT



Applying the technique developed by D. Kim et al. (16) & G. Perez et al. (15 '16), it is possible to probe the final state $hh \rightarrow \bar{c}c\gamma\gamma$ without full c -tagging

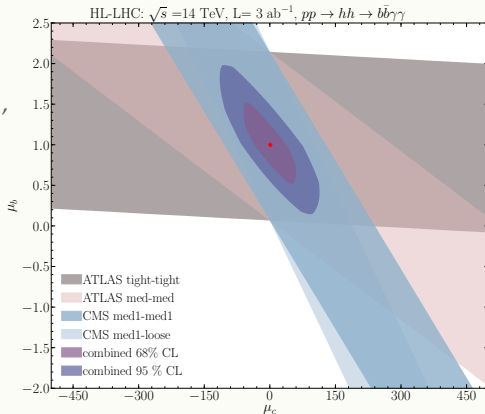
The signal strength is given by

$$\hat{\mu} = \mu_b \epsilon_f + 0.05 \cdot \left(\epsilon_{c/b}^{b\text{-tag}} \right)^2 \epsilon_f \cdot \mu_c,$$

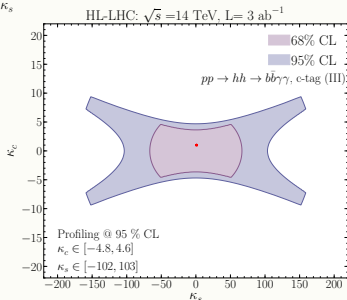
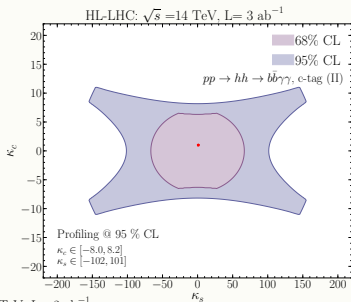
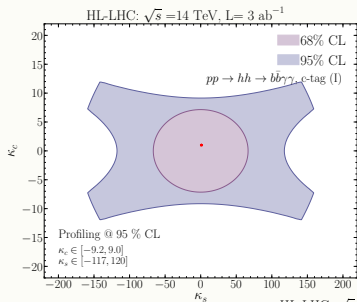
The ratio of a flavour f -tagging efficiencies is defined as

$$\left(\epsilon_{c/b}^{f_1\text{-tag}} \right)^2 = \frac{\epsilon_{f_1 \rightarrow f_2,1} \epsilon_{f_1 \rightarrow f_2,2}}{\epsilon_{f_1,1} \epsilon_{f_1,2}}.$$

c -tagging	ϵ_c	$\epsilon_{c \rightarrow b}$	$\mu_c(up)$ 95% CL
c -tag I	19%	13%	10.1
c -tag II	30%	20%	8.2
c -tag III	50%	20%	3.8



Results from $hh \rightarrow \bar{c}c\gamma\gamma$

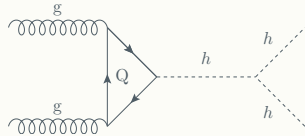
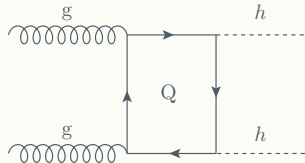


- HH production offer promising sensitivity bounds on light-quark Yukawa couplings,, comparable to other processes e.g. exotic Higgs decays $h \rightarrow M \gamma$ etc . . . G. T. Bodwin *et al.* '13.
- Combining c - and b - tagging working points for the process $hh \rightarrow jj\gamma\gamma$ would offer a better probe for the 2nd gen. (mainly c) Yukawa couplings.
- The HH production (also HHj) is the only accessible process at the LHC that could probe the coupling $g_{hh\bar{q}q}$, particularly the non-linearity between this coupling and Yukawa.
- This work could be extended by analysis of final states $hh \rightarrow \bar{b}b\bar{b}b$, $hh \rightarrow \bar{b}b\bar{c}c$, $hh \rightarrow \bar{c}c\bar{c}c$, and so on.. applying c -tagging working points.

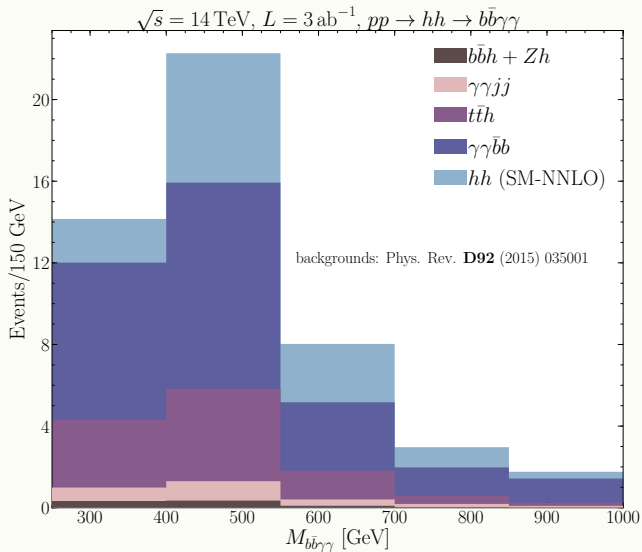
Backup Slides

The SM double Higgs production

Gluon gluon fusion (ggF), is the dominant channel for the SM double Higgs production at the LHC.

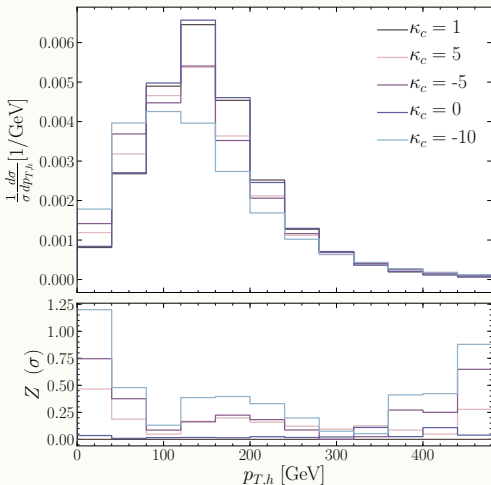


The SM backgrounds



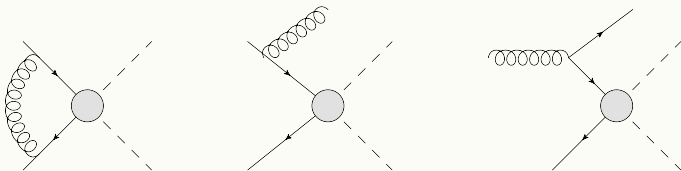
The ggF hh production with modified Yukawa

The p_T distributions are not very sensitive to small changes in κ_c , unlike the hj F. Bishara *et al.* '16



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$$\begin{aligned}\sigma(q\bar{q} \rightarrow h) &= \sigma_{LO} + \Delta\sigma_{q\bar{q}} + \Delta\sigma_{qg} \\ \Delta\sigma_{q\bar{q}} &= \frac{\alpha_s(\mu_R)}{\pi} \int_{\tau_H}^1 d\tau \sum_q \frac{d\mathcal{L}^{q\bar{q}}}{d\tau} \sigma_0 \int_{\tau}^1 dz \omega_{q\bar{q}}(z) \\ \Delta\sigma_{qg} &= \frac{\alpha_s(\mu_R)}{\pi} \int_{\tau_H}^1 d\tau \sum_{q,\bar{q}} \frac{d\mathcal{L}^{bg}}{d\tau} \sigma_0 \int_{\tau}^1 dz \omega_{qg}(z)\end{aligned}$$

with $z = \tau_H/\tau$, $\tau_H = (2m_h)^2/s$.

ROOT was used to carry out the analysis of generated events, along with FASTJET, the Mass-drop tagger M. Dasgupta et al. 13' for identifying b-jets was applied, and cuts as in A. Azatov et al. 15'.

- Select within LHC reconstruction requirements:

$$p_T(\gamma/j) > 25 \text{ GeV}, \quad |\eta(\gamma/j)| < 2.5;$$

- Veto events with hard leptons :

$$p_T(\ell) > 20 \text{ GeV}, \quad |\eta(\ell)| < 2.5;$$

- Select only *hardest* b-tagged jets, and photons

$$p_{T>}(b/\gamma) > 50 \text{ GeV}, \quad p_{T<}(b/\gamma) > 30 \text{ GeV};$$

- Ensure well- separated b jets and photons:

$$\Delta R(b, b) < 2, \quad \Delta R(\gamma, \gamma) < 2, \quad \Delta R(b, \gamma) > 1.5$$

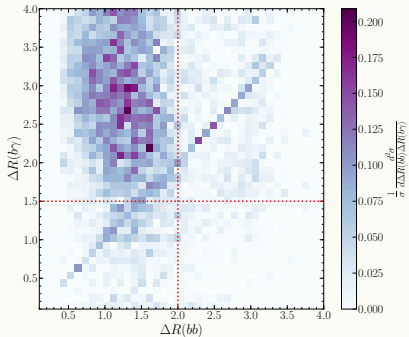
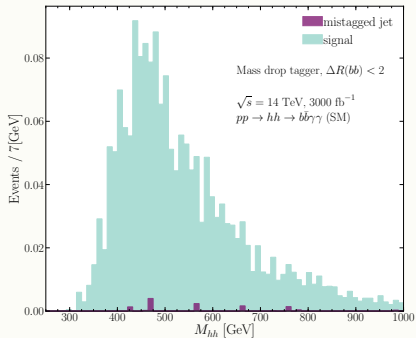
Where ΔR is the jet-radius, and it is given by :

$$\Delta R = \sqrt{\Delta\eta^2 + \Delta\phi^2}$$

- Higgs mass window :

$$105 < m_{b\bar{b}} < 145 \text{ GeV}, \quad 123 < m_{\gamma\gamma} < 130 \text{ GeV}$$

Analysis of $pp \rightarrow hh \rightarrow b\bar{b}\gamma\gamma$



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