

# Heavy neutral and charged Higgs boson searches in the MSSM and the 2HDM at ATLAS and CMS

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#### **Observed Higgs boson may be part of extended sector**

> Highlight of LHC Run 1: SM-like Higgs boson observed at 125 GeV by ATLAS and CMS

#### Maybe part of larger Higgs sector?

- > Many models beyond the SM predict **new (pseudo)scalar bosons** 
  - Two-Higgs-Doublet models (2HDM)
  - Supersymmetry (MSSM)
  - Models with new electroweak Higgs singlets
  - Models with Higgs triplets
- > 2HDM (and MSSM) predict two SU(2) doublets resulting in 5 physical Higgs bosons
  - Charged H<sup>+</sup> and H<sup>-</sup>
  - Neutral CP-even H and h
  - Neutral CP-odd A

h often assumed to be observed Higgs boson at 125 GeV  $\rightarrow$  leads to stringent constraints on allowed model parameter space

#### > 2HDM benchmark models

- *type-I* both doublets couple to both up-type and down-type fermions equally
- *type-II* one doublet couples to up-type, other to down-type fermions

#### 14 free parameters but can be reduced by assumptions

- tan(ß) ratio of the VEV of the two SU(2) doublets
  a mixing angle of mixing matrix
  m<sub>h</sub>, m<sub>H</sub>, m<sub>A</sub>, m<sub>H±</sub> physical masses of Higgs bosons
- > MSSM example of a 2HDM of *type-II* 
  - Usually scanning 2D plane of tan(ß) vs mass parameter
- New bosons could couple to fermions (τ, μ, t, b), SM bosons (H, W, Z) and each other
  - $\rightarrow$  rich phenomenology at the LHC!

Charged H<sup>±</sup> H<sup>±</sup>  $\rightarrow$   $\tau v$ , tb H<sup>±</sup>  $\rightarrow$  W<sup>±</sup>Z

- $H/A \rightarrow fermions$  $H/A \rightarrow \tau\tau$  $H/A \rightarrow bb$  $H/A \rightarrow tt$
- H  $\rightarrow$  ZA, H/A  $\rightarrow$  Zh

 $H/A \rightarrow boson pair$  $H \rightarrow hh$  $H \rightarrow ZZ, WW$ 

#### **Disclaimers:**

personal selection of searches, many results not covered in this talk!

Main focus on newer results, with CMS and ATLAS balance

Will not emphasize comparison of results between experiments (note: sometimes requires careful evaluation of signal model assumptions)

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## $H^{\pm} \to \tau v \text{, } tb$

> Production/decay dependency on mass hierarchy of H<sup>±</sup> and top



> Discriminating variables: transverse mass  $m_{\tau}$  of  $\tau_{had}$  and MET system, btagged jet multiplicity, and  $H_{\tau}$  (scalar sum of  $p_{\tau}$  of jets)





### $H^{\pm} \to \tau v \text{, } tb$

- > Systematic uncertainties:  $\tau$  identification, b-tagging, tt modelling, ...
- > 95% CL limits can be derived on cross section (x branching ratios) or in specific MSSM scenarios



#### $H^{\pm} \to \tau v$

#### > Production of $H^{\pm} \rightarrow \tau v$ in association with top



1 hadronically decaying  $\tau_{had-vis}$   $\geq$ 3 jets with  $\geq$ 1 b-tag MET > 150 GeV

> Discriminating variable:  $m_{T}$  of  $\tau_{had-vis}$  and MET system



Data-driven background estimation for jets and e/µ identified as T by applying fake factors derived from control regions



- > Systematic uncertainties: τ identification, b-tagging, energy scale of jets and τ, ...
- Limits on cross section x branching ratio, and interpretation in MSSM context





HIG-16-027 CMS, 13 TeV

> Coupling in 2HDM only at higher order, in Higgs Triplet models at tree level



3 leptons (muon or electron) 2 jets,  $|\Delta \eta_{jj}| > 2.5$ , dijet mass > 500 GeV MET > 30 GeV

> Dominating background WZ, followed by non-prompt leptons (latter estimated from data using fake rate method)



#### $H^{\pm} \rightarrow W^{\pm}Z$

- > Systematic uncertainties: WZ normalization, non-prompt background, jet energy scale, ...
- > Limits on cross section x branching ratio



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### $H/A \to \tau\tau$





- $\tau_{lep}\tau_{had}$  channel: 1  $\tau_{had-vis}$  and 1 lepton  $\tau_{had}\tau_{had}$  channel: 2  $\tau_{had-vis}$ - angular and mass cuts for W/Z background removal - event categories according to
- presence of b-tagged jets

#### > Discriminating variable: transverse mass of di-tau system



#### $H/A \to \tau\tau$

> Systematic uncertainties: top background normalizations,  $\tau_{had}$  energy scale and trigger, ...



### $H/A \to \tau\tau$





channels:  $e\tau_{had}$ ,  $e\tau_{had}$ ,  $\mu\tau_{had}$ ,  $\tau_{had}$ 

- transverse mass cuts for W background removal

- topological discriminator cut for tt rejection
- event categories according to presence of b-tagged jets

#### > Discriminating variable: transverse mass of di-tau system



### H/A → ττ

> Systematic uncertainties: top background normalizations, τ<sub>had</sub> misidentification rate, τ trigger, ...



> Narrow spin-0 resonance, can be interpreted as a heavy Higgs boson

≥2 medium b-tagged jets with ≥1 also tight b-tagged 2 jets with highest b-tag output:  $p_T > 100$  GeV and  $\Delta \eta_{bb} < 1.6$  veto on leptons

- > Discriminating variable: mass  $m_{bb}$  of bb system
- > Background prediction from smooth data-derived function



Signal parametrized as convolution of gaussian with exponential

## $H/A \to bb$

- > Systematic uncertainties: jet energy resolution, b-tagging (signal) choice of PDF (background), ...
- > Limits on cross section of bb resonance x branching ratio



#### $H/A \rightarrow tt$

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> If new Higgs boson mass above 2m, threshold, decay to top pair allowed



1 muon or electron  $\geq$  4 jets  $\geq$  1 b-tagged jets

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Single top

Multijet W+jets

Diboson

b-tag category 1

1000 1200

1400

m<sub>t</sub> [GeV]

1600

600

800

Uncertainty Pre-fit background

Z+jets

μ+jets

> Semileptonic top pair system reconstruction via kinematic fit

Interference effects between SM tt and  $H/A \rightarrow tt$  create 'peak-dip' structure in m<sub>#</sub> distribution 25<sup>≿1</sup> Data 2012 ATLAS Preliminarv  $A \rightarrow t\bar{t}(S+I)$ ×7 m=750 GeV, tanβ=0.7



### $H/A \to tt$

- > Systematic uncertainties: jet energy scale and resolution, tt cross section, parton density functions, ...
- > Upper limits on signal strength (non-trivial scaling of resonance and interference parts) vs tanβ



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## $H \rightarrow ZA$



- Mass hierarchy might allow decay of one new Higgs boson to another
- Consider decay of H to Z (decaying to 2 leptons) and A (decaying to 2 b quarks)

2 OSSF leptons ≥ 2 b-tagged jets



Depending on (m<sub>H</sub>, m<sub>A</sub>) hypothesis, consider rectangular signal region in (m<sub>IIbb</sub>, m<sub>I</sub>) plane and use inverse as control region





- > Systematic uncertainties: jet energy scale, b-tagging, background theory uncertainties, ...
- > Limits on cross section x branching ratio



### $\boldsymbol{A} \to \boldsymbol{Z}\boldsymbol{h}$

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> Assumed decay of pseudoscalar A to Z boson and SM Higgs boson h

> Channels targeted:  $Z \rightarrow ee$ ,  $\mu\mu$ ,  $\nu\nu$  and  $H \rightarrow bb$ 

Categories according to #charged leptons (0 or 2)  $p_{T}$  of Z candidate (low < 500 GeV, high  $\geq$  500 GeV) #b-tagged jets (1 or 2) Requiring  $\geq$ 1 *large-R* jet in high- $p_{T}$  Z categories Requirements of dilepton mass and (di)jet mass: compatibility with Z and h

> Discriminating variable depending on category: (transverse) mass



### A → Zh

- > Systematic uncertainties: jet energy scale and resolution, large-R jet mass, b-tagging, ...
- Limits on gluon fusion or b-associated production cross sections x BR, or interpretation in 2HDM parameter space





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#### $\boldsymbol{H} \rightarrow \boldsymbol{h} \boldsymbol{h}$

- > Search for resonant production of two SM-like h bosons
  - "Resolved" regime up to resonance mass 1.1 TeV
    - ≥ 4 b-tagged jets forming 2 dijet systems with small  $\Delta R$ m<sub>4jet</sub> dependent p<sub>T</sub> requirements on dijets
  - "Boosted" regime above 1.1 TeV
    - 3 or 4 b-tagged jets
    - $\geq$  2 large-R jets with  $\geq$  2 smaller-R track jets associated to each
- > Discriminating variables: reconstructed resonance mass





- > Systematic uncertainties: b-tagging, multijet background, large-R jetmass scale and resolution, ...
- > Interpretation as new narrow-width Higgs resonance







#### > Search for heavy scalar boson decaying to $ZZ \rightarrow 2I2v$

2 OSSF leptons (muons or electrons)  $p_{T}$  dilepton > 55 GeV MET > 125 GeV

- > Jet multiplicity categories
  - VBF category:  $\geq$  2 jets with large pseudorapidity gap and high mass
  - $\ge$  1 jets failing VBF
  - 0 jets
- > Discriminating variable:  $m_{\rm T}$  of dilepton and MET system





- > Systematic uncertainties: QCD scale in simulation, jet energy scale, background estimation, ...
- > Interpretation in *type-I* and *type-II* 2HDM models







#### > Relevant channels: qqqq, vvqq, llqq

≥1 large-R jet,  $p_T$  > 200 GeV, mass > 50 GeV no leptons, MET > 250 GeV → vvqqno leptons, MET < 250 GeV, additional large-R jet → qqqq 2 (OS)SF leptons in Z window → **l**lqq

Dominant backgrounds: multijet (qqqq) modelled as smoothly falling m<sub>JJ</sub> spectrum, Z+jets (vvqq and llqq) from control region



#### $H \rightarrow WW/ZZ$

- > Systematic uncertainties: large-R jet energy/mass scale and resolution, lepton energy scale, theoretical uncertainties of tt and diboson, ...
- > Interpretation as narrow-width scalar singlet



### **BSM Higgs summary of CMS Run-1**

- > (Re)interpretation of 8 CMS Run-1 analyses in 2HDM and MSSM models
- > Choice of fixed parameters motivated from theory + experimental constraints



- > Observed Higgs boson at mass 125 GeV may be part of an extended Higgs sector
- Many BSM models predict new scalar, pseudoscalar and charged or neutral Higgs bosons (2HDM, MSSM, ...)
- > Rich phenomenology, extensive experimental program in ATLAS/CMS Many searches at 7 TeV, 8 TeV and now 13 TeV
- > Many exciting results expected in the near future!

## BACKUP

### List of BSM Higgs searches at ATLAS and CMS

> References to be added